CMB: part one on the South Pole Telescope



Now open in 2014!

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Outline

The three cameras of the South Pole

Telescope

- SPT-SZ, SPTpol, SPT-3G
- CMB power spectrum
 - What caused Inflation?
- CMB lensing
 - 1st B-mode detection from SPTpol
 - What are the neutrino masses?

Cosmic Timeline

Large-Scale Structure, accelerated expansion



Small-scale CMB touches all these epochs

CMB power spectrum:

etc.

- What caused inflation?
- How many neutrino species are there?

Sunyaev-Zel'dovich (SZ) signal

(next talk)

Gravitational lensing:

- What are the neutrino masses?
- etc.

The South Pole Telescope (SPT)



Funded by NSF



Site:

Best known mm-wavelength observing conditions

Telescope:

- 10 meter telescope (1.1' FWHM beam)
- Fast scanning (up to 2 deg/sec in az)
- 2" pointing accuracy



Receivers

SPT-SZ (2007-2011) S



SPTpol (2012-2015)



SPT-3G (2016-)



- 960 bolometers
- Surveyed 2500 deg²
- Final map depths of

40 μK-arcmin @ 95 GHz 18 μK-arcmin @ 150 GHz 70 μK-arcmin @ 220 GHz

- 1536 polarizationsensitive bolometers
- Conducting 600 deg² survey
- Exp. map depths of
- 8 μK-arcmin @ 95 GHz 5 μK-arcmin @ 150 GHz

- 15,234 polarizationsensitive bolometers
- Plan 2500 deg² survey
- Exp. map depths of
- 4.2 µK-arcmin @ 95 GHz
- 2.5 µK-arcmin @ 150 GHz
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Deepest large-area CMB map

Zoom in on an SPT map ~50 deg² from 2500 deg² survey



Radio and dusty galaxies show up as bright spots



Galaxy cluster show up as "shadows" against the CMB!

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Cosmic microwave background (CMB)

SPT-SZ 2500 deg² survey

Non-exhaustive list of awesomeness:

Objects

- SZ-selected galaxy cluster catalog (~600 clusters, 85% new discoveries) out to high redshift (for Dark Energy)
 - Discovery of a population of strongly lensed, highredshift, star-forming galaxies.
- Most sensitive pre-Planck measurement of CMB power spectrum at ell>~600 (and still most sensitive at ell>~1850).
 - Constraints on duration of epoch of reionization from kinetic SZ.
- >30 σ detection of bispectrum due to SZ & galaxies
 - 2500 deg² CMB-lensing-derived map of projected mass between z=0 and z=1100.

2-point

3-point

4-point

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Strong experimental progress



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with Planck





Comparing SPT & Planck



- Cross-spectrum is **consistent** within calibration and beam errors.
- No evidence for scale-dependent differences.

Re-scale:1.8%SPT cal uncertainty:2.6%

[units of Power]

What caused inflation?

What were the initial conditions of the Universe?







+SPT/ACT+BAO = 0.961 \pm 0.0054

Tensor perturbations and temperature anisotropy



Role of small-scale data



Tensors only affect large scales, but their impact is partially degenerate with the scalar power law slope (n_s) and other parameters.

Small-scale data help disentangle the two.

Hitting TT sample variance limit



Planck - same limits internally





Implications for inflation

PLANCK (plus upcoming small-scale polarization experiments) will be 3X better on n_s : -> $\sigma^{PLANCK+SPT3g}(n_s) \sim 0.0046$ 22, 2013 0.2 Future polarization experiments $^{0.1}$ (SPT-3G, Simons Array, BICEP3, Adv. ACTPol) will be >10X better on r: $-> \sigma^{SPT3G}(r) \sim 0.005$ 0.0 1.00 n_{s}

(Scalar index)

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CMB Lensing



Small-scale wiggles are correlated with large-scale gradient.





from Oliver Zahn

15°





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Difference





CMB is a unique lensing source

1. Low systematic uncertainties:

- Gaussian, well-understood power spectrum
- Known, unique redshift

2. High redshift

No higher-z source

Weighing the Hubble Volume

work being led by O. Zahn



SPT map of 6% of matter in observable Universe

- S/N > 1 per mode on large scales
- Less sky than Planck

Lensing detection:

~20 σ in SPT ~30 σ in Planck

Correlation with the Cosmic Infrared Background (CIB)

Smith+, 2007



Herschel/SPIRE 250, 350, 500 um

SPIRE 500 um

May 2012: Map deepest 100 deg² of SPT survey to the confusion limit.

- Redshift kernel of lensing peaks z~2
- Well-matched to CIB (80% correlation)

Correlation between lensing and CIB



Holder et al., arXiv:1112:5435

- Colors: SPT's CMB lensing map
- Greys: Herschel 500 µm map, smoothed to 100 Mpc scales
- Correlation detected at ~10 σ
- Galaxy bias: 1.3 < b <
 1.8, model dependent
- CMB lensing is wellcalibrated in mass and probes how CIB traces dark matter

Lensing Power Spectrum

Zahn et al., In prep.



The Next Frontier: Polarization



Smith et al 2008

- Any polarization pattern can be decomposed into "E" (grad) and "B" (curl) modes
- Quadrupole anisotropy introduces polarization at surface of last scattering
- Density fluctuations do not produce "B" modes!
- "B" modes are created by:
 - On large scales: primordial gravity waves from Inflation
 - On small scales: lensing of the CMB from large scale structure

Effect of Lensing on the CMB Power Spectrum: B-modes from Lensing



SPTpol: a new *polarization*-sensitive camera for SPT *First light Jan. 2012*

Measure "B-mode" polarization to constrain **neutrino mass** and **energy scale of inflation**.



σ(∑m_ν)~**0.1 eV**

 $r \lesssim 0.04 \ (95\%)$

Investigate dark energy using galaxy cluster abundances deeper cluster survey

> 360 - 100 GHz 1176 - 150 GHz 🗸



1st year: SPTpol survey



Currently observing ~600 deg²



SPTpol 1-year Q/U maps

Map noise 10 µK-arcmin

• Lens reconstruction in polarization can be thought of as a process of template fitting.

$$B^{\text{lens}}(\vec{l}_B) = \int d^2 \vec{l}_E \int d^2 \vec{l}_\phi W^\phi(\vec{l}_E, \vec{l}_B, \vec{l}_\phi) E(\vec{l}_E) \phi(\vec{l}_\phi)$$

$$E^{\text{und}} = \frac{\phi}{\phi} = \frac{\phi}{B^{\text{lens}}}$$

Detection of *B*-mode Polarization in the Cosmic Microwave Background with Data from the South Pole Telescope

Duncan Hanson et al. arXiv:1307:5830



First detection of lensing B modes (7.7 σ)

Uses three-point EB ϕ from SPTpol + Herschel-SPIRE maps of the cosmic infrared background.

Lensing amplitude: $A_L=1.092 \pm 0.141$



Consistent results using:

- ▶ 90GHz E-modes.
- Temperature-derived E-modes.
- ▶ TT, TE, EE, EB lensing estimators.



No signal seen using:

- Curl-mode null test.
- E-modes from diff. map.
- B-modes from diff. map.

Cover x4 the area to twice the depth as SPTpol



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SPT-3G: Lensing power spectrum



CMB Lensing Detection
Significance

- SPT-SZ = 20σ
- Planck = 30σ
- SPTpol = 45σ
- **-** SPT-3G = 150 σ 🛛

 SPT-3G will measure individual lensing modes out to ell~800 (Planck will go ell~60)

• Cross-correlating with DES will measure galaxy bias to <1%

Credit: G. Holder

Neutrinos as seen by LSS



0.1 eV changes BB power by 5%

Predictions for neutrino masses



In conclusion

SPT-SZ survey complete with broad science impact:

- High-redshift galaxies: Early star and galaxy formation
- Distant, massive clusters: Dark energy, neutrinos, cluster evolution
- Primordial CMB anisotropy: Inflation, early universe physics
- CMB lensing: "weighing" the universe, neutrinos
- SPTpol: 1.4 years into 4 year survey
 - First detection of Lensing "B"-modes: Improve neutrino constraints
 - Inflationary "B"-modes: Improve constraints on inflation's energy scale
- SPT-3G: Development underway
 - Observations begin in 2016
 - Inflation, Lensing (neutrino masses), Clusters (see next talk), kSZ/tSZ
- Initial polarized power spectra coming soon!

Other extensions similar, e.g., N_{eff}

	SPT+WMAP7	Planck+WP
CMB only	3.62 ± 0.48	3.51 ± 0.38
CMB+BAO	3.50 ± 0.47	3.40 ± 0.29
CMB+BAO+H ₀	3.71 ± 0.35	-

Tighter, but no shift

(Note, Planck errors quoted here as half the 95% confidence interval, symmetrized)