

Title: 21cm cosmology

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Abstract: I will overview the progress of 21cm cosmology, with emphasis on intensity mapping. Current and future experiments have the potential for precision measurements of dark energy, neutrino mass, and gravitational waves.



21cm Cosmology: Present and Future

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R. Nityananda, and many more

Overview

Broad picture: optically thin view of 10^{18} modes (redshifts)

Theory: dark energy, gravity waves, neutrinos, enhanced 21cm pre-reionization structures.

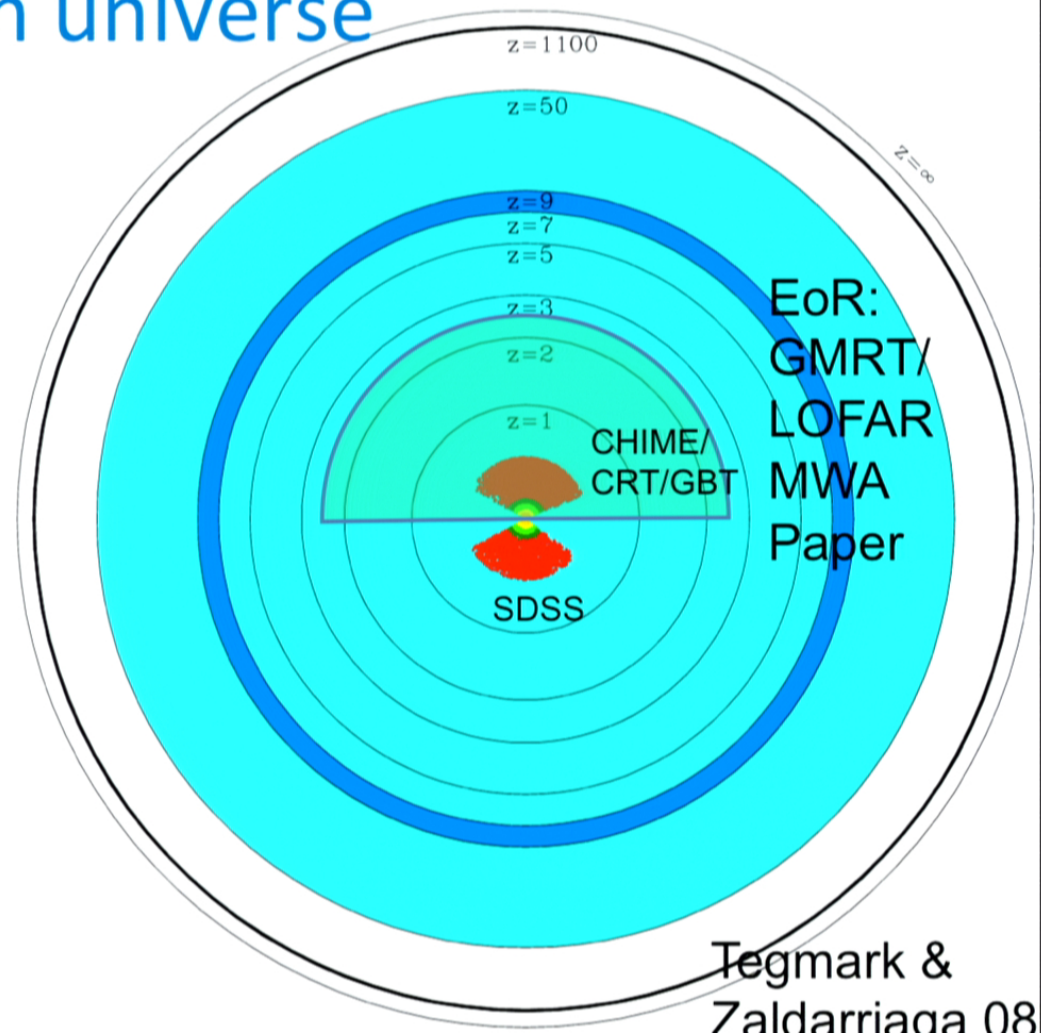
Analysis: Foreground removal

Observations: first detections and upper bounds (GBT)

Future: dedicated surveys (CRT, Tianlai, CHIME, etc)

The 21 cm universe

- Cosmological LSS treasure trove (UP04, Loeb&Zaldarriaga 04, Lewis&Challinor 07, etc)
- Up to 10^{18} modes: (Jeans/Hubble)³
- Physics: Lensing, gravity waves, primordial NG, BAO, AP
- GW to $r \sim 10^{-8}$
- $f_{\text{NL}} \sim 10^{-4}$
- Astrophysics: EoR, galaxy evolution
- Experiments NOW



Fundamental Physics

- $0 < z < 2$: neutrino masses, dark energy, BAO
- $z > 2$: Large angle lensing: modified gravity (Lu & UP 2009, Masui et al 2010)
- $z > 10$: gravitational waves

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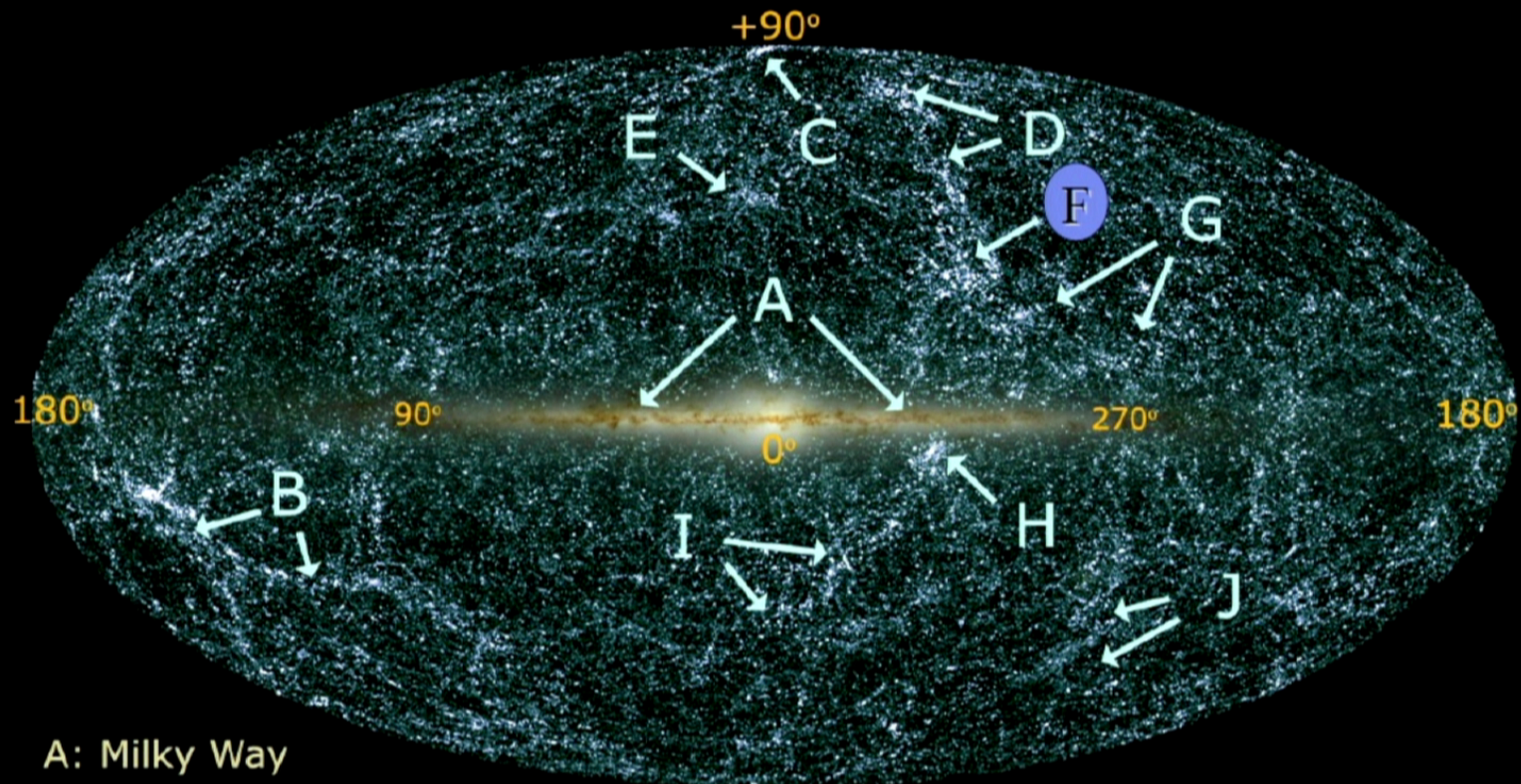
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A: Milky Way

B: Perseus-Pisces Supercluster

C: Coma Cluster

D: Virgo Cluster/Local Supercluster

E: Hercules Supercluster

F: Shapley Concentration/Abell 3558

G: Hydra-Centaurus Supercluster

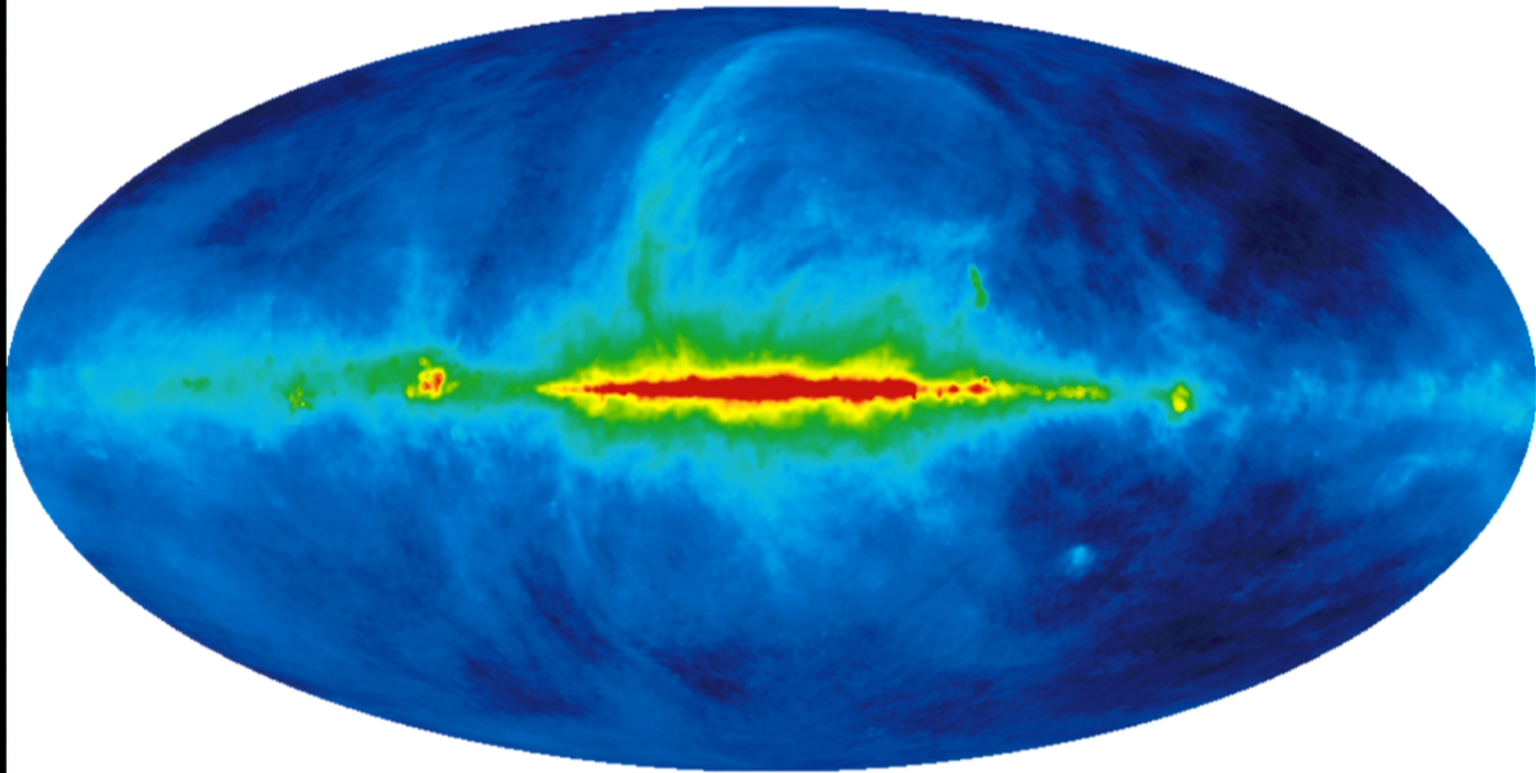
H: "Great Attractor"/Abell 3627

I: Pavo-Indus Supercluster

J: Horologium-Reticulum
Supercluster

From: talk by O. Lahav

Foreground: Galactic Synchrotron



Haslam 408 MHz Much brighter than signal, but no spectral structure

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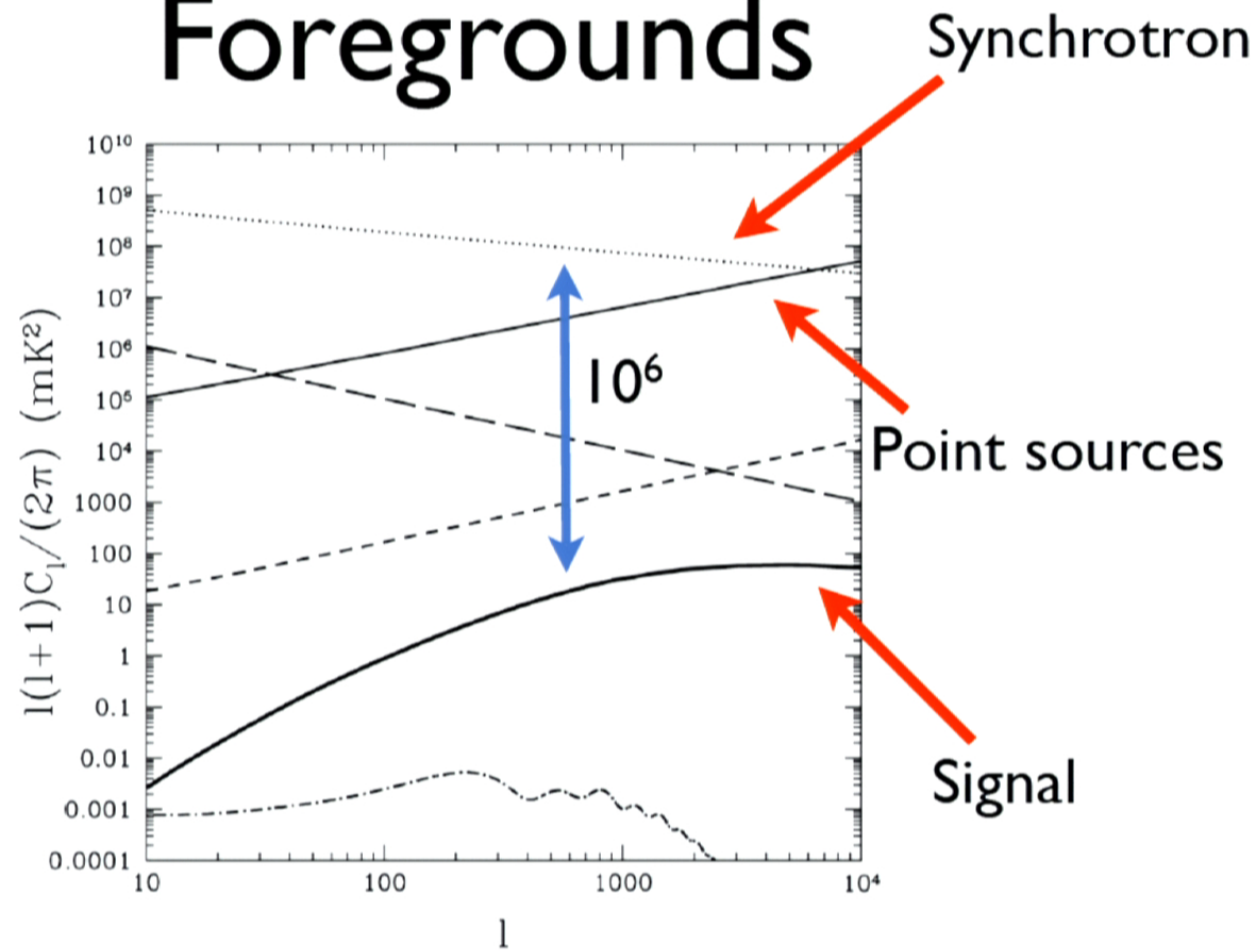
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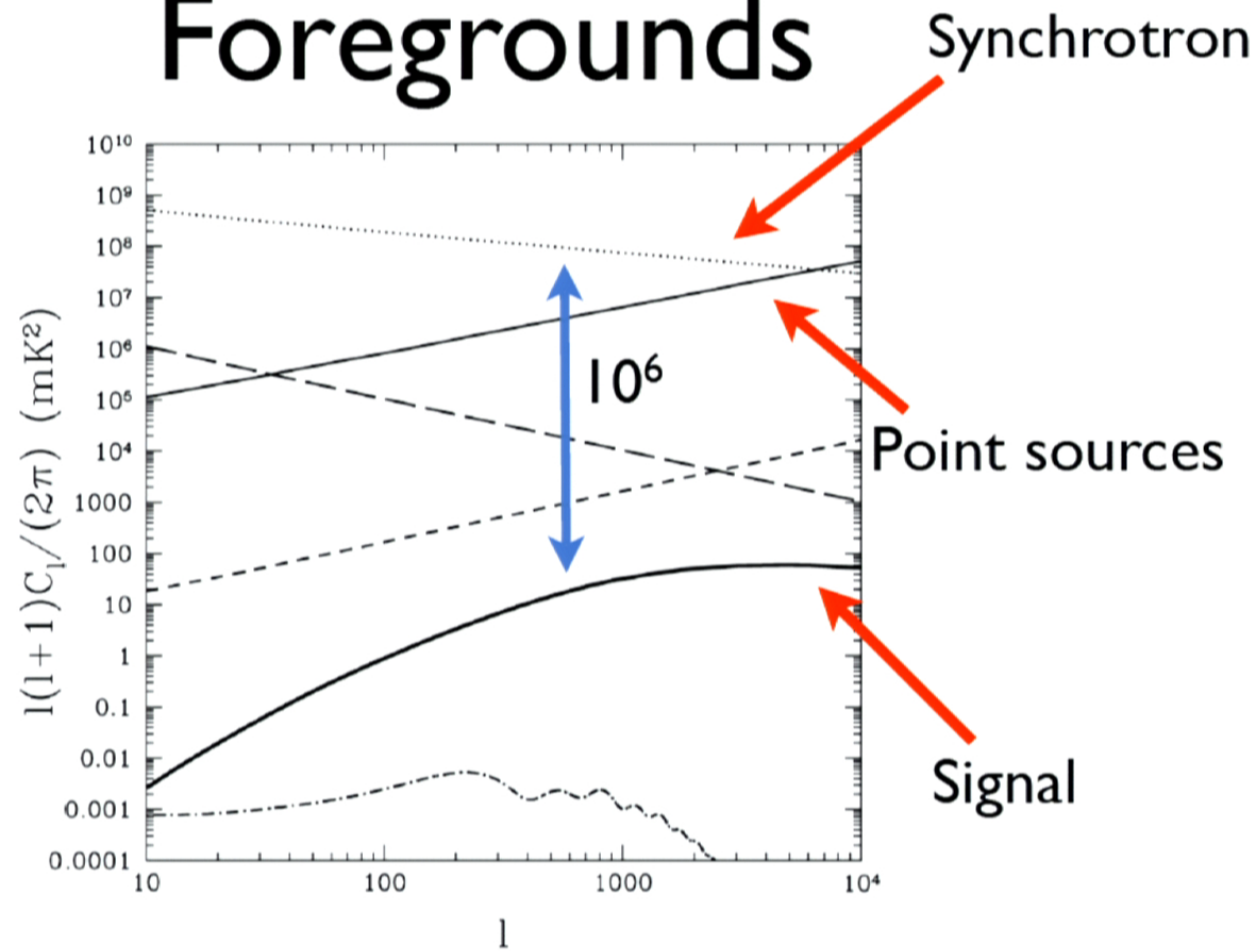
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GBT 21 cm intensity mapping collaboration

Academia Sinica (Tzu-Ching Chang, Victor Yu-wei Liao)

Beijing (Xuele Chen, Yi-Chao Li)

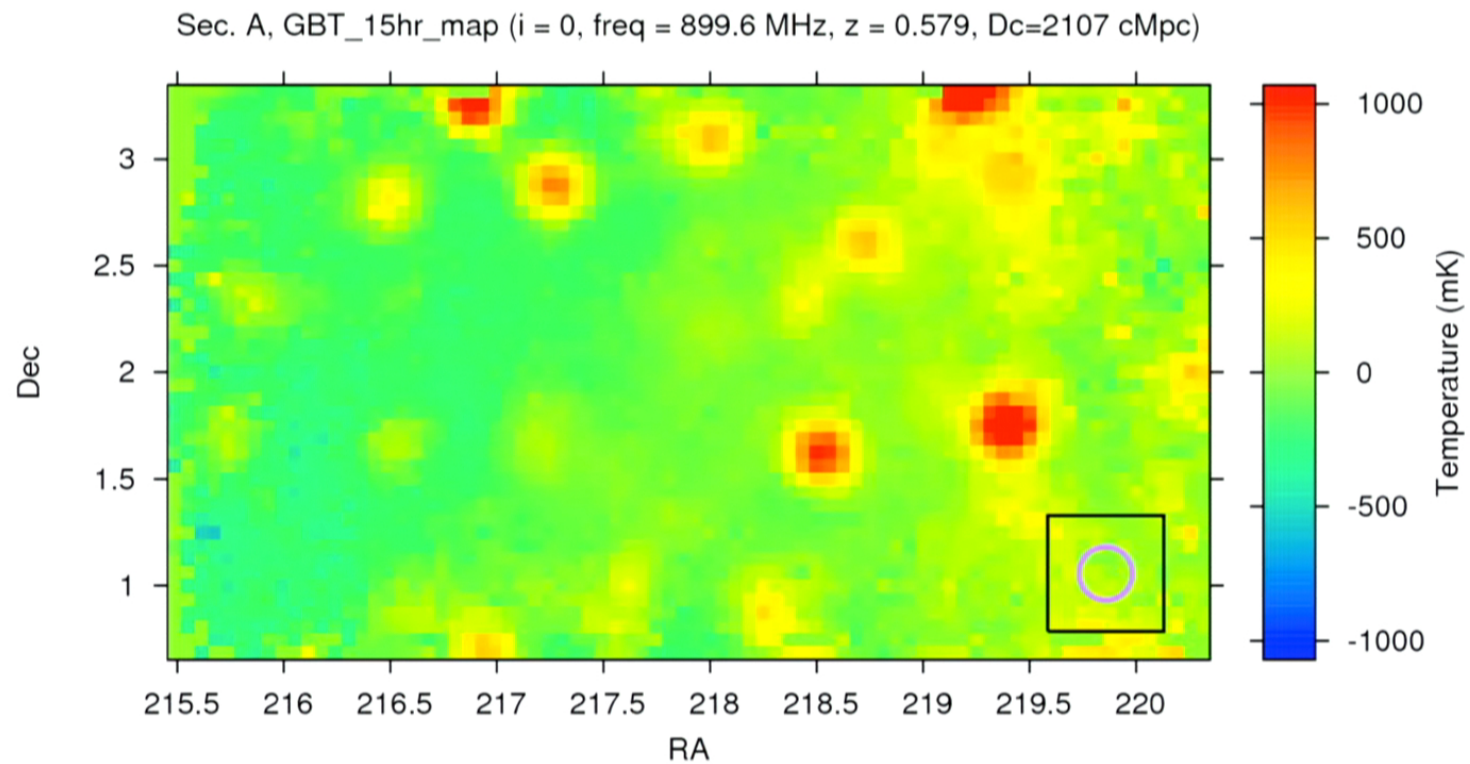
Carnegie Mellon University (Aravind Natarajan, Jeff Peterson, Tabitha Voytek)

CITA/UToronto (Nidhi Banavar, Liviu Calin, Adam Lewis, Kiyo Masui, Ue-Li Pen, Richard Shaw, Eric Switzer)

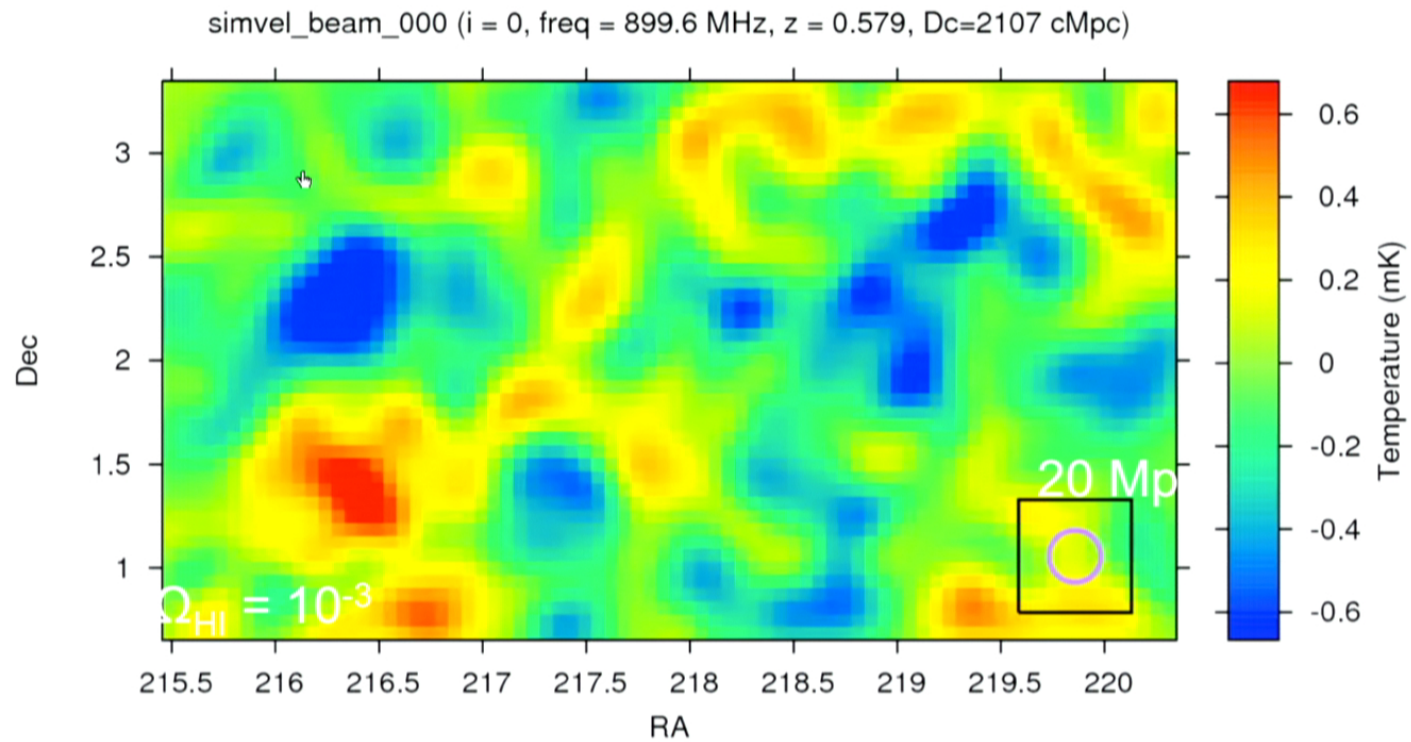
McGill (Kevin Bandura)



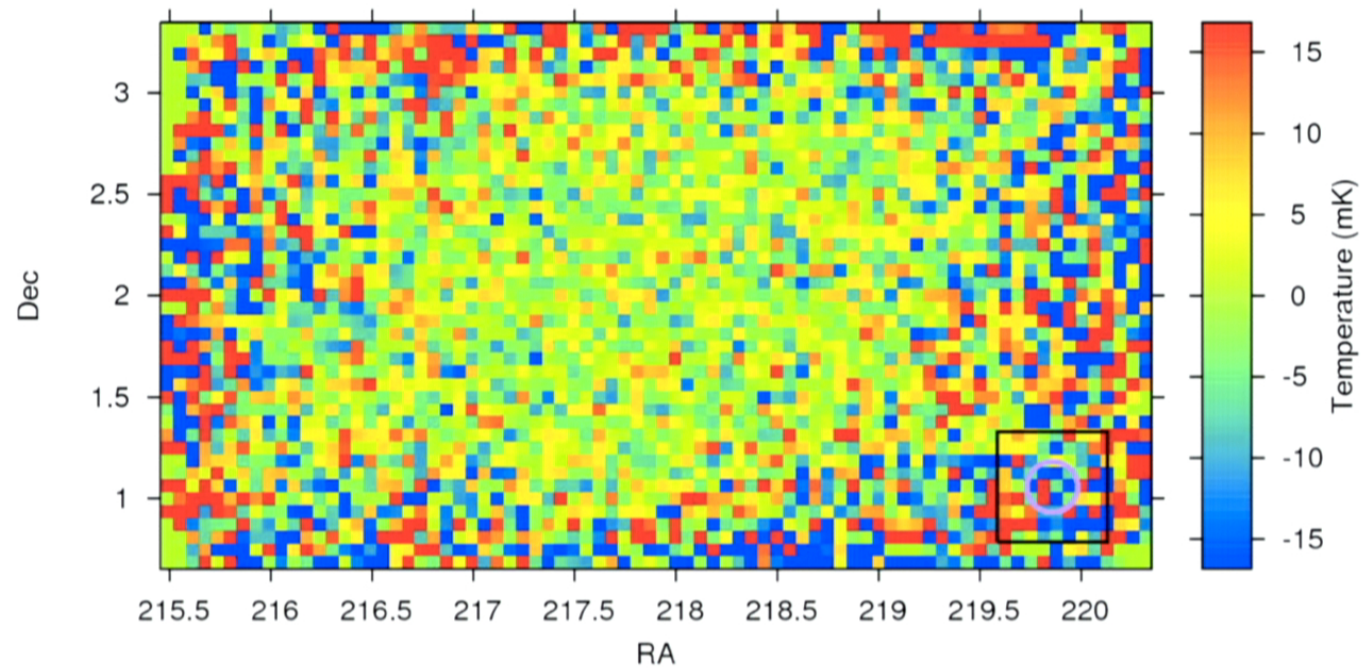
The real data

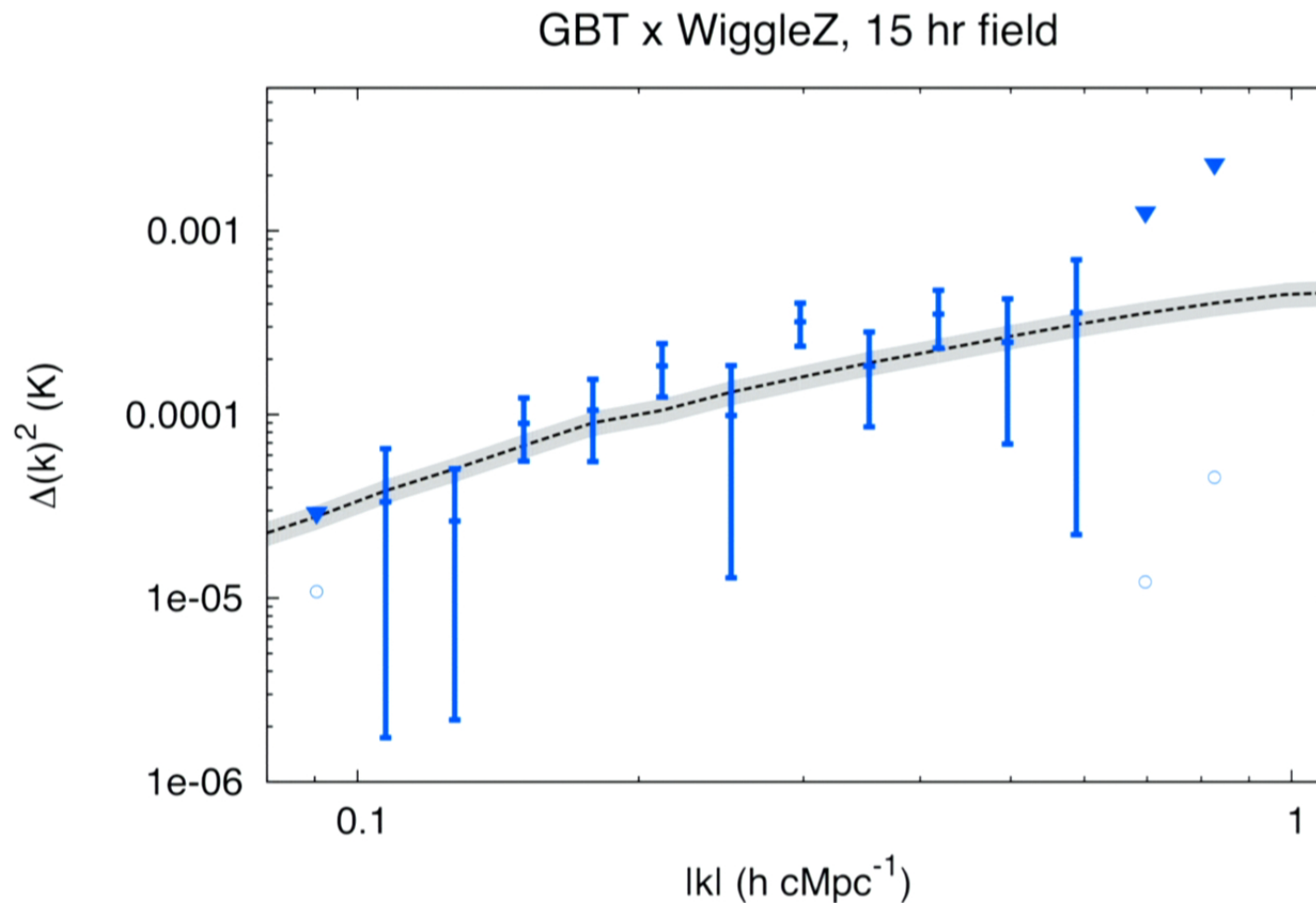


Signal-only simulations



5hr_map_fdgcal_cleaned_noconv_combined-map_20modes (i = 0, freq = 899.6 MHz, z = 0.579, Dc=2107 cMpc)

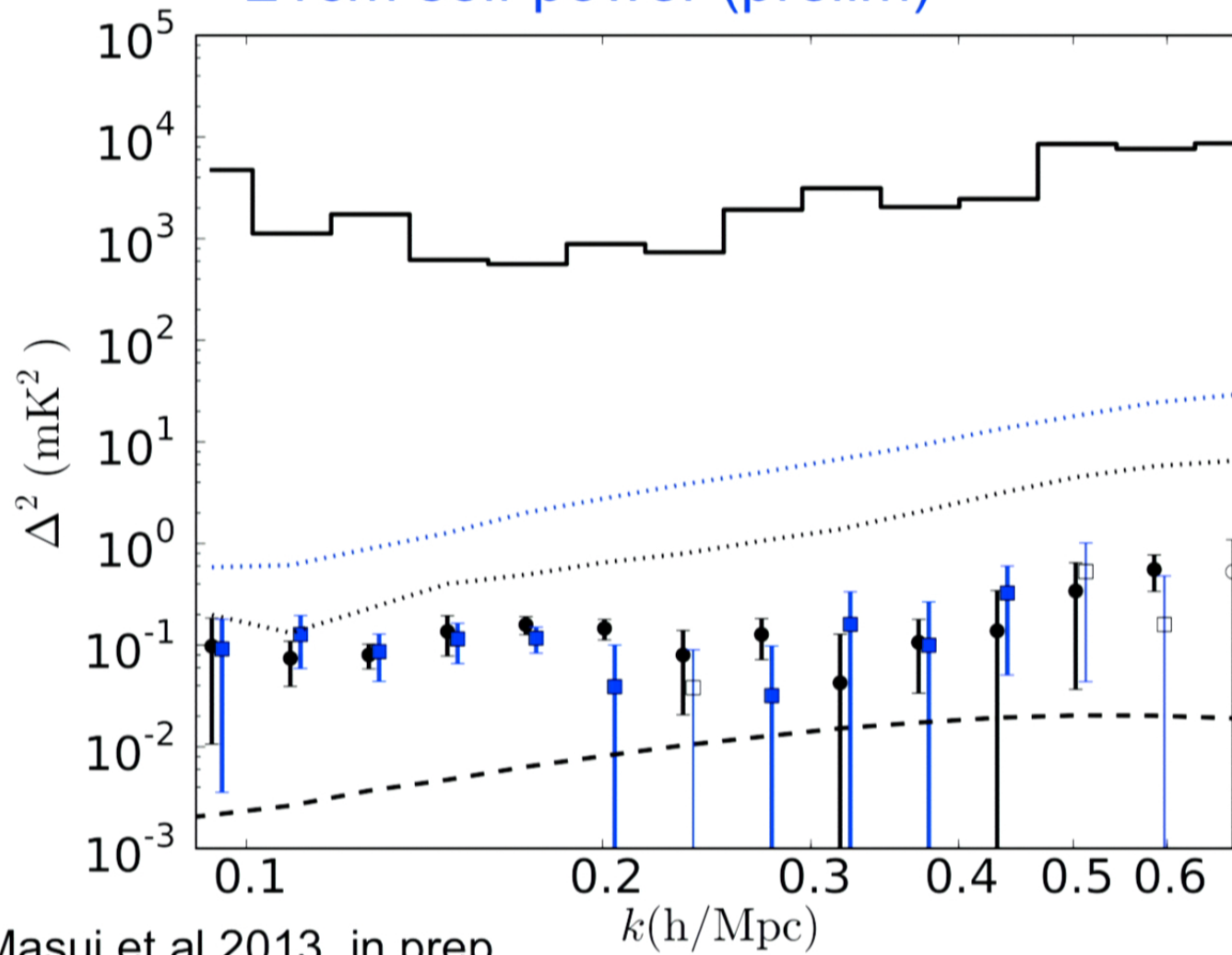




0.6 < z < 1, Masui et al 2013, GBT-IM collaboration.

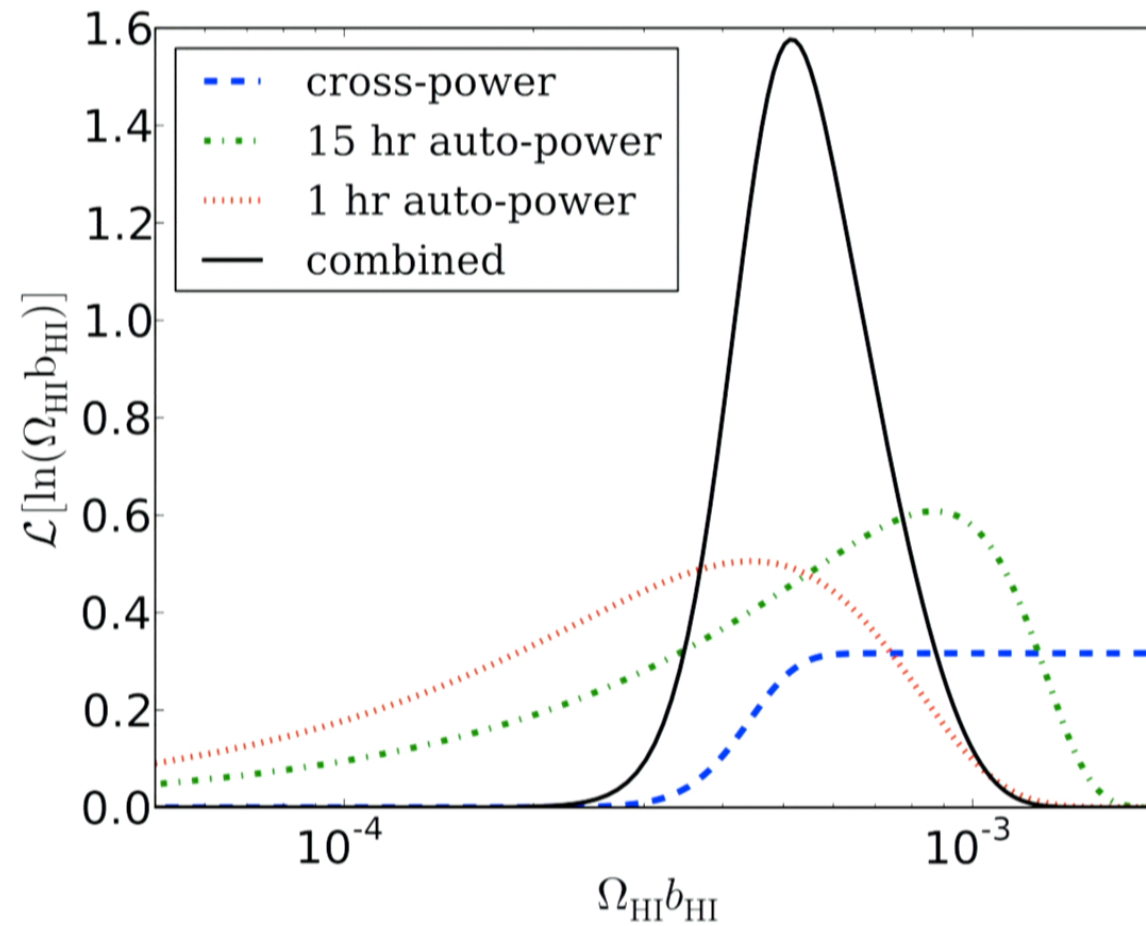
$$\Omega_{\text{HI}} b_{\text{H I}} r = [0.43 \pm 0.07(\text{stat.}) \pm 0.04(\text{sys.})] \times 10^{-3}$$

21cm self power (prelim)



Masui et al 2013, in prep

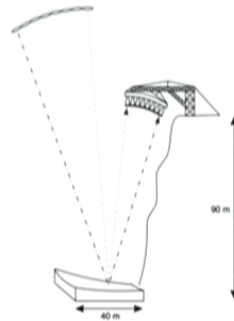
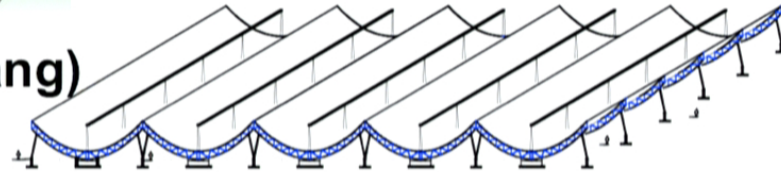
Current measure measurement of cosmic 21cm



Proposed experiments

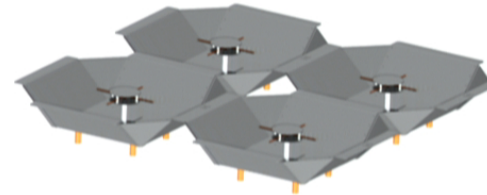


GBT-Multibeam (PI: T.-C. Chang)



100x100m from 400 MHz to 800 MHz; noise
~50 K.
z=0.7-2.5: map the Dark Energy-driven
transition,
20 Gyr/side ~0.2 Gpix. (design similar to CRT)

BINGO Battye et al. 2012



BAOBAB, Pober et al. 201



BAOradio, Ansari et al. 2012

Canadian Hydrogen Intensity Mapping Experiment

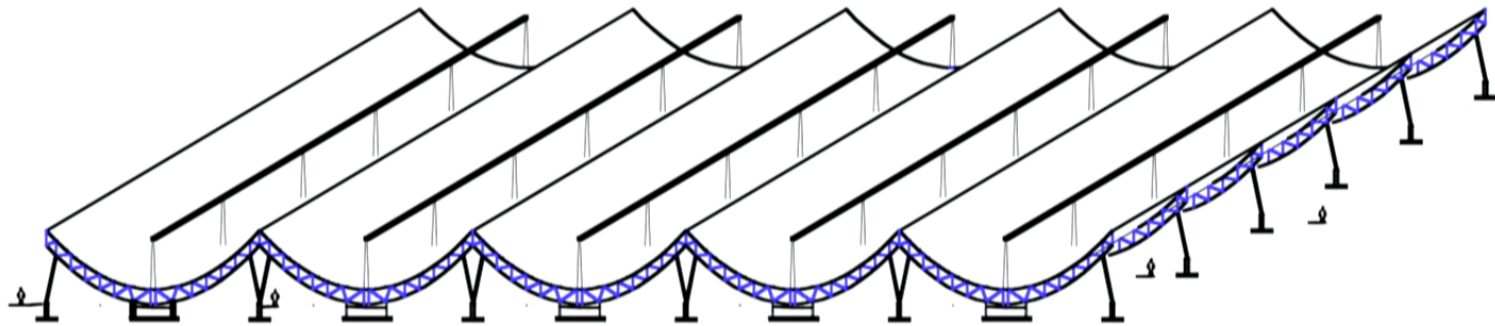
Fast Fourier Transform Telescope:
CMU, CHIME, Tianlai, CRT, etc

CHIME: construction at Penticton, BC

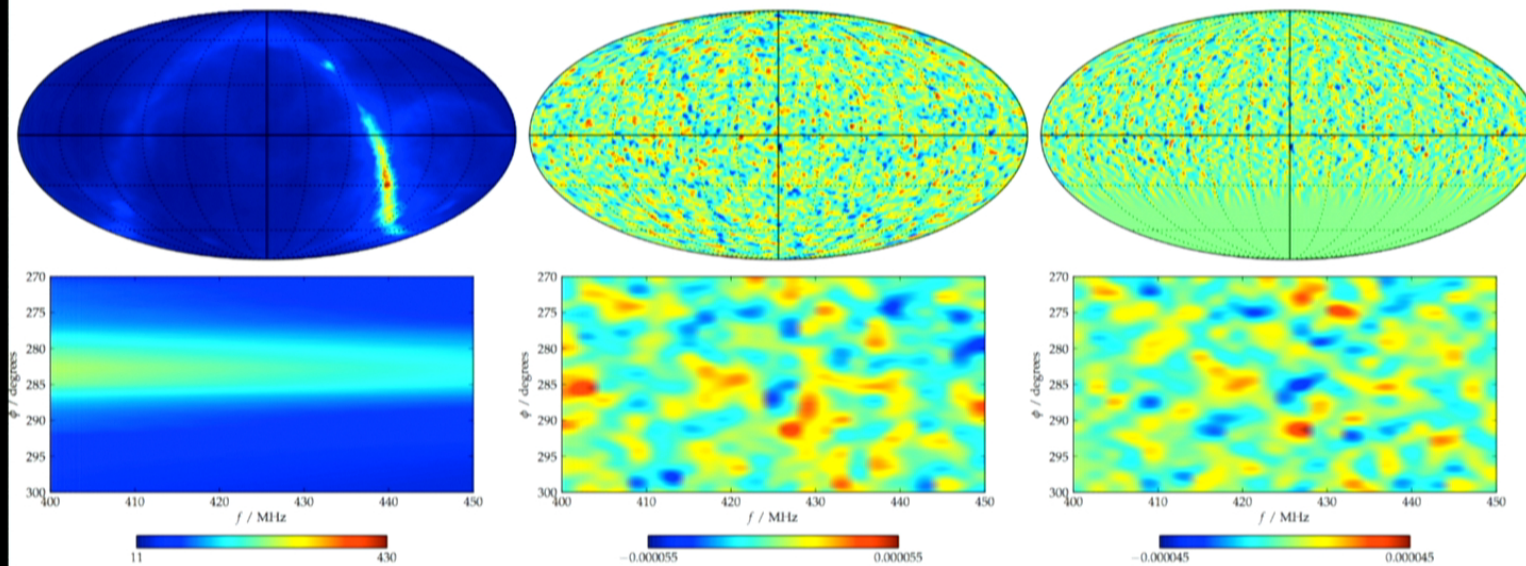
CFI-funded collaboration: McGill, Toronto, UBC

Pathfinder (20%): Late 2013

Full operation: 2015

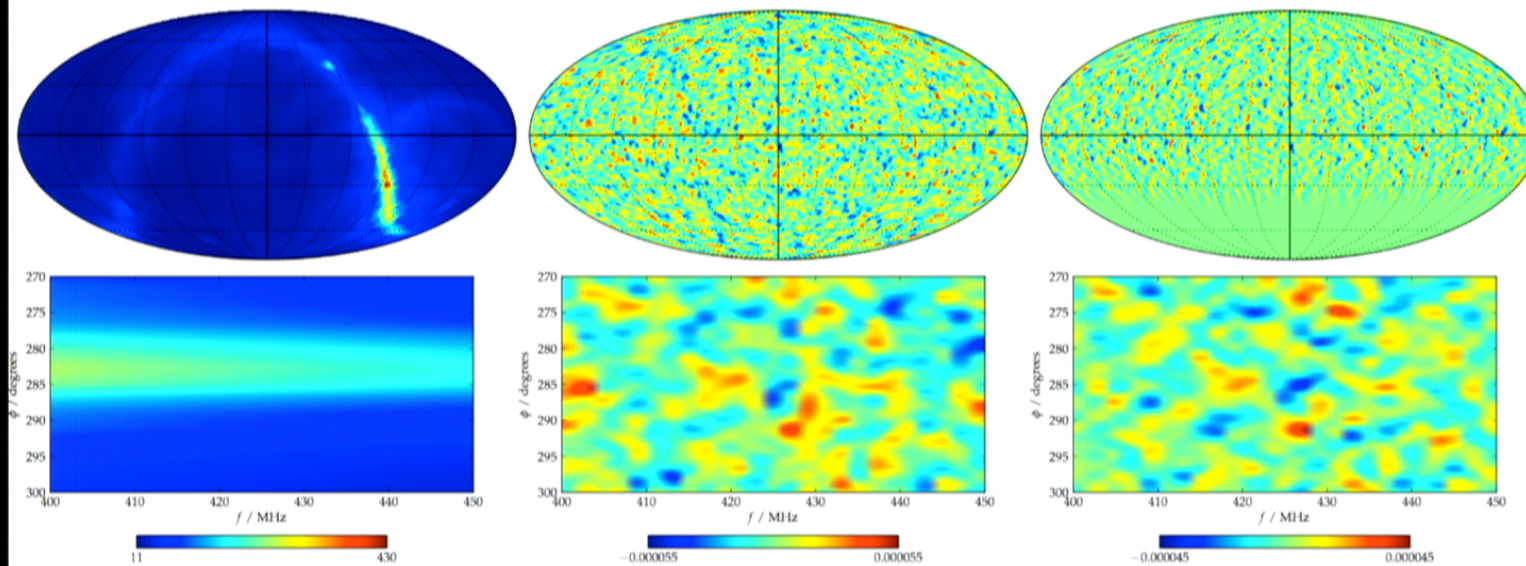


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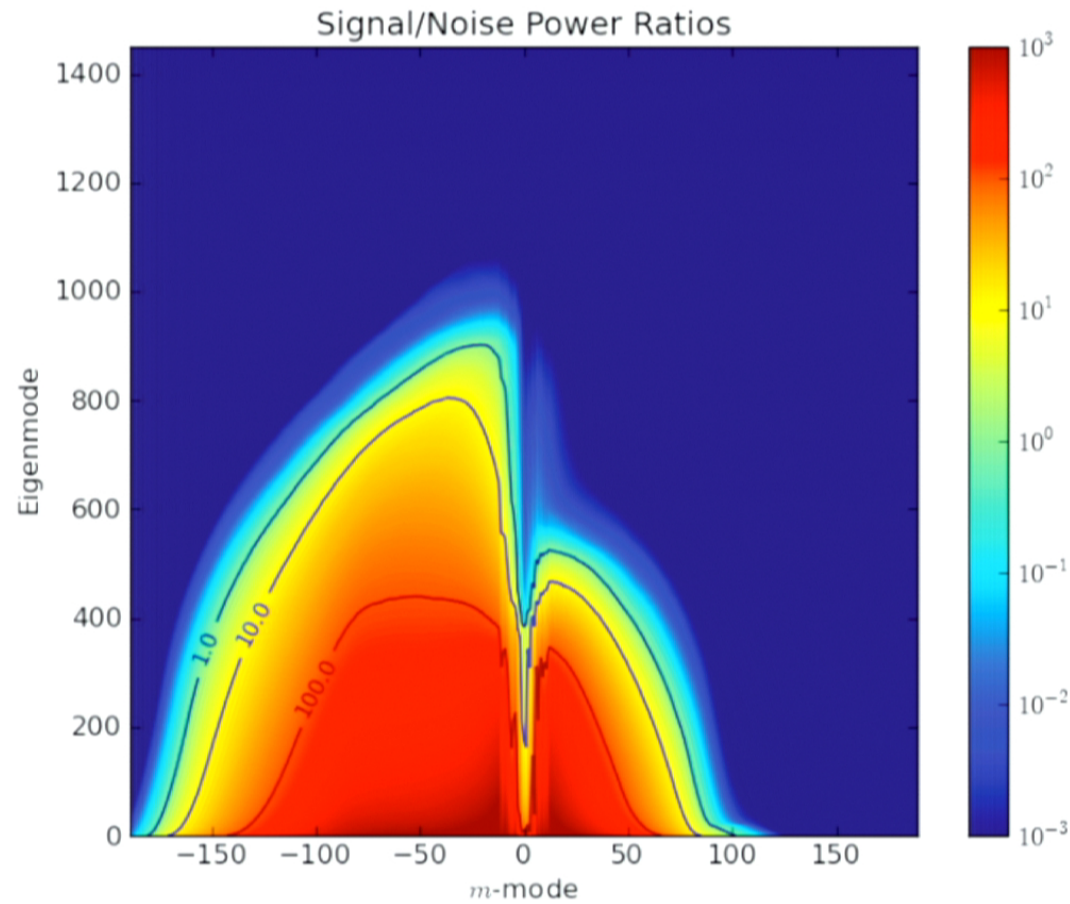
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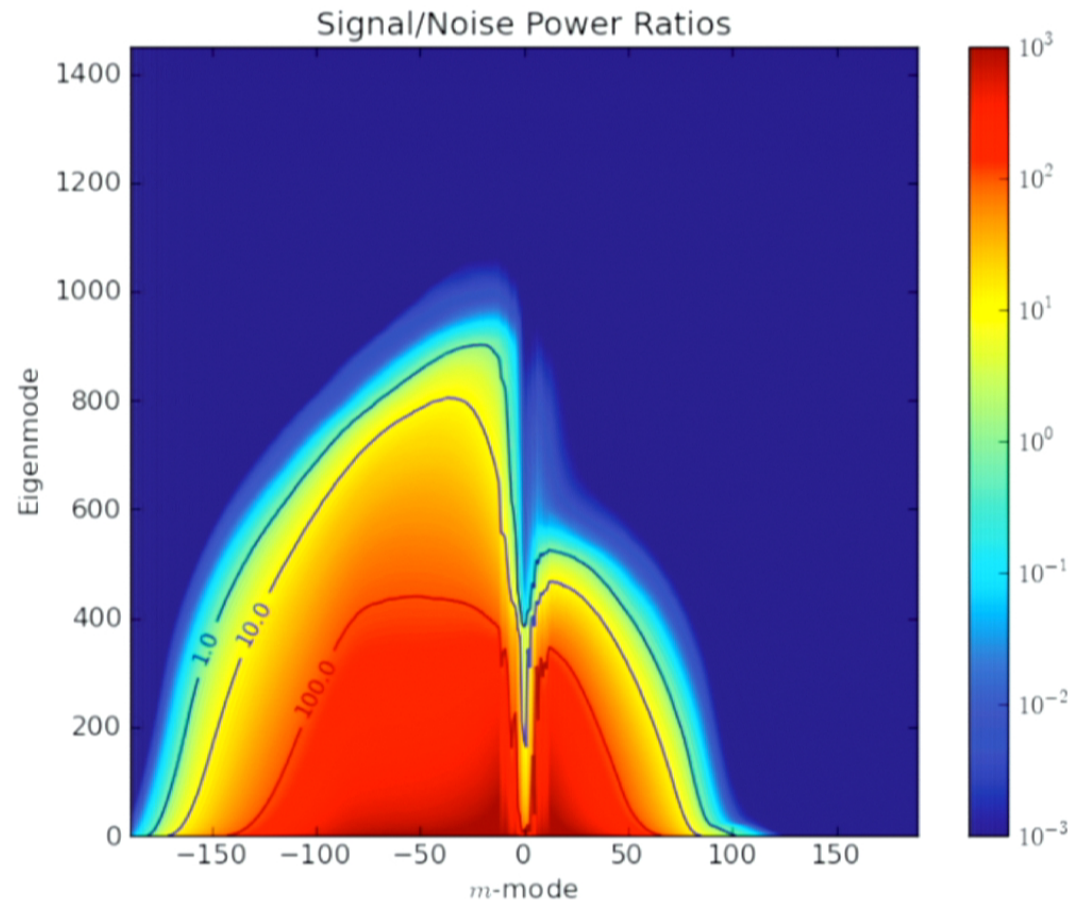


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Primordial Gravitational Waves

- Masui & Pen 2010 (PRL 105, 161302)
- Analogous to lensing: shearing of cosmic structure.
- Fossil memory effect: $h \sim 10^{-6}$ (inflation)
- Measure r, n_T at $z \sim 15$
- Requires $1/h^2$ modes
- Separates from lensing: transverse traceless
- Structures available to $k \sim 10^{-3} - 10^3$: horizon to Jeans scale, $\sim 10^{18}$ modes, peaks at $z \sim 15$

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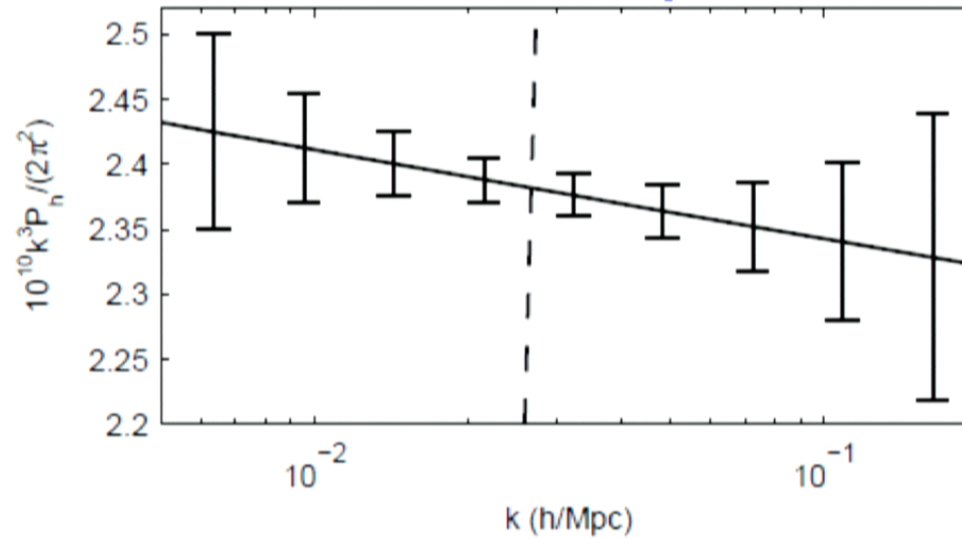


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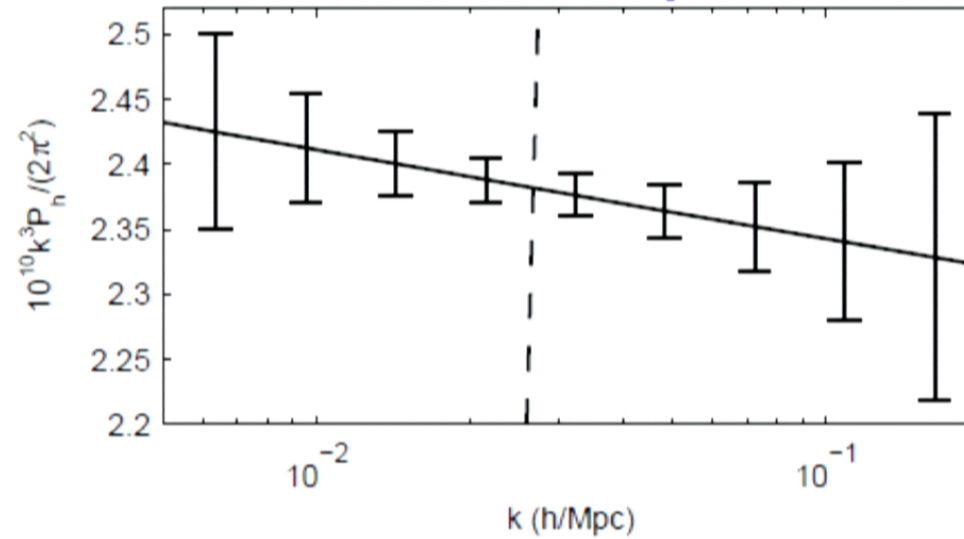


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Conclusions

- 21cm cosmology: probes of neutrinos, dark energy (BAO), Inflation (tensor modes), etc. Potential measure of gravity waves.
- Intensity Mapping: 21cm unresolved galaxies, accessible in redshift desert $z=1-3$, initial HI detection and surveys with GBT at $z \sim 1$. Attractive window at $z=15$.
- CHIME: Canadian world-leading radio initiative
- Challenges in foreground subtraction: new S/N eigenmode theory for optimal subtraction.