

Title: Prospects for Future Measurements

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Abstract:

Detection of tensor B-mode polarization :

Why would we need any more data?

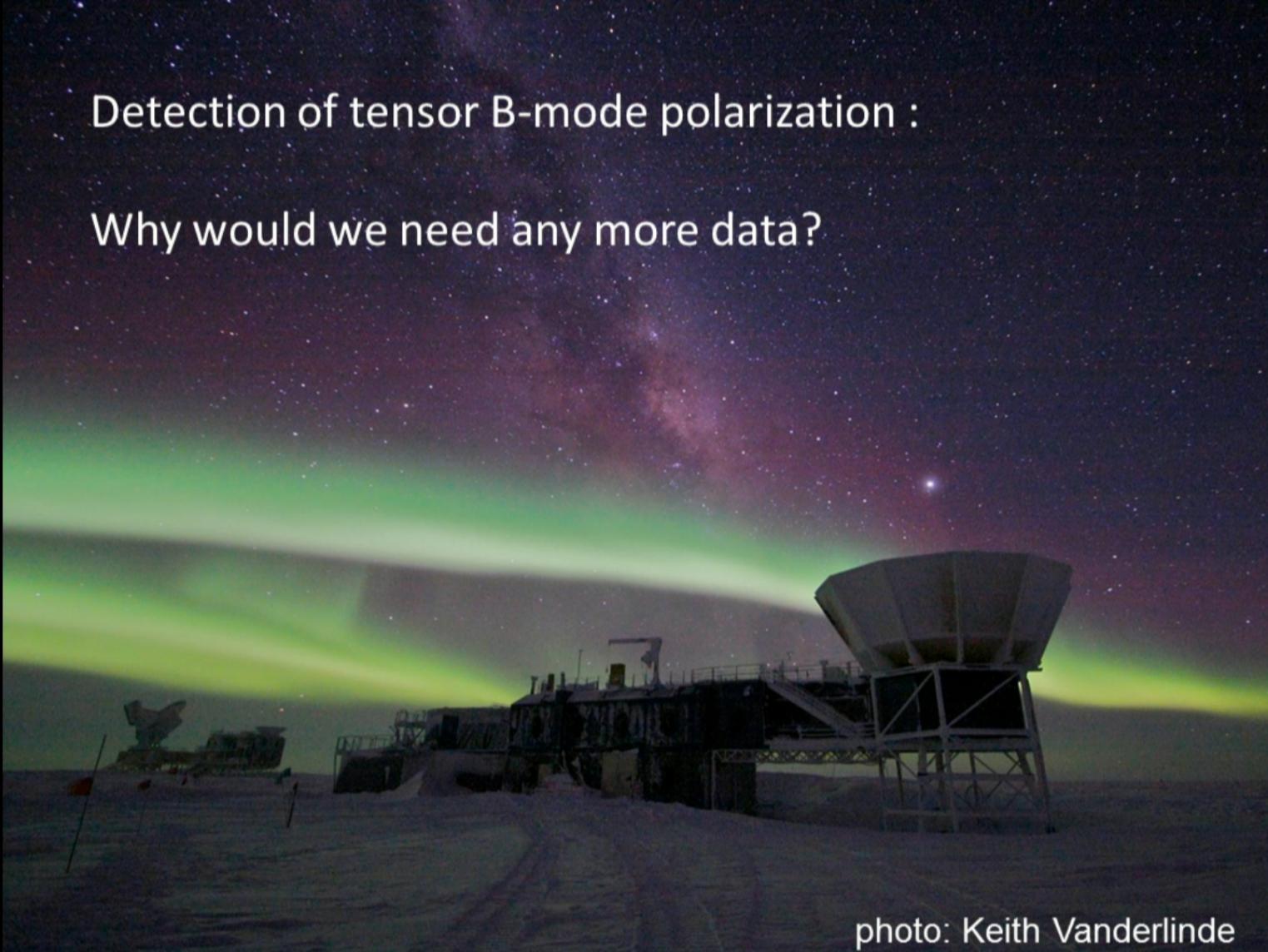
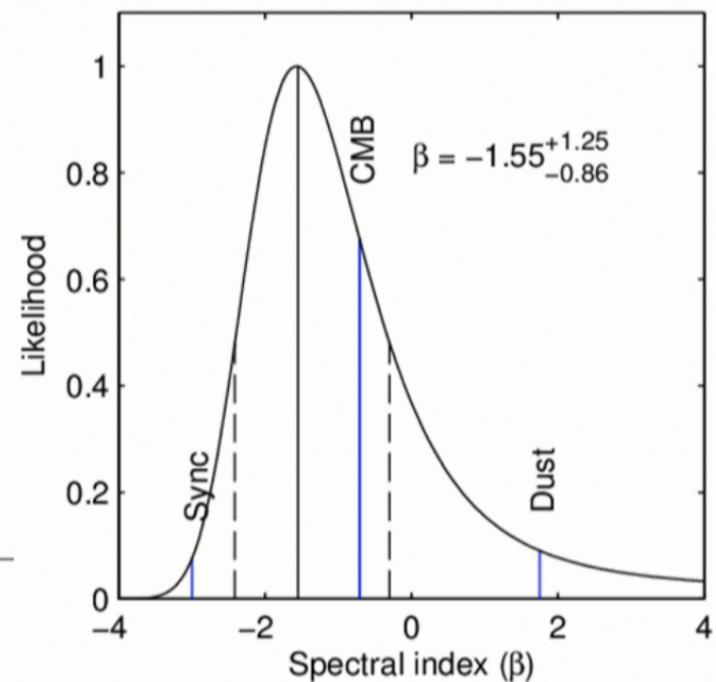
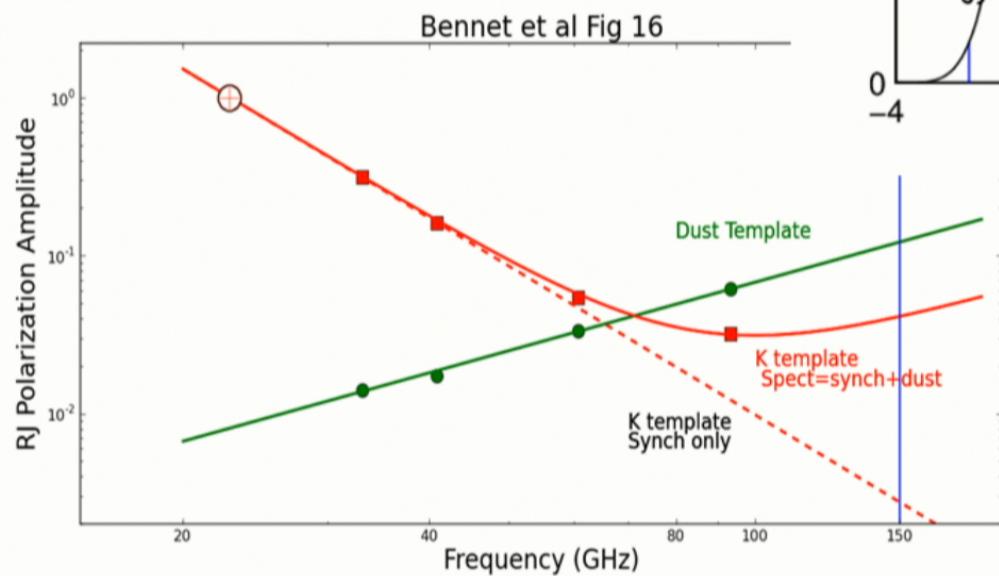


photo: Keith Vanderlinde

If the measured r angular-spectrum leads to any surprising physics, it is crucial to establish beyond any doubt that the signal originates in the CMB.

There are not good enough templates for polarized synchrotron or polarized dust emission. Data would help.

Direct r-detection at more wavelengths than two would help.



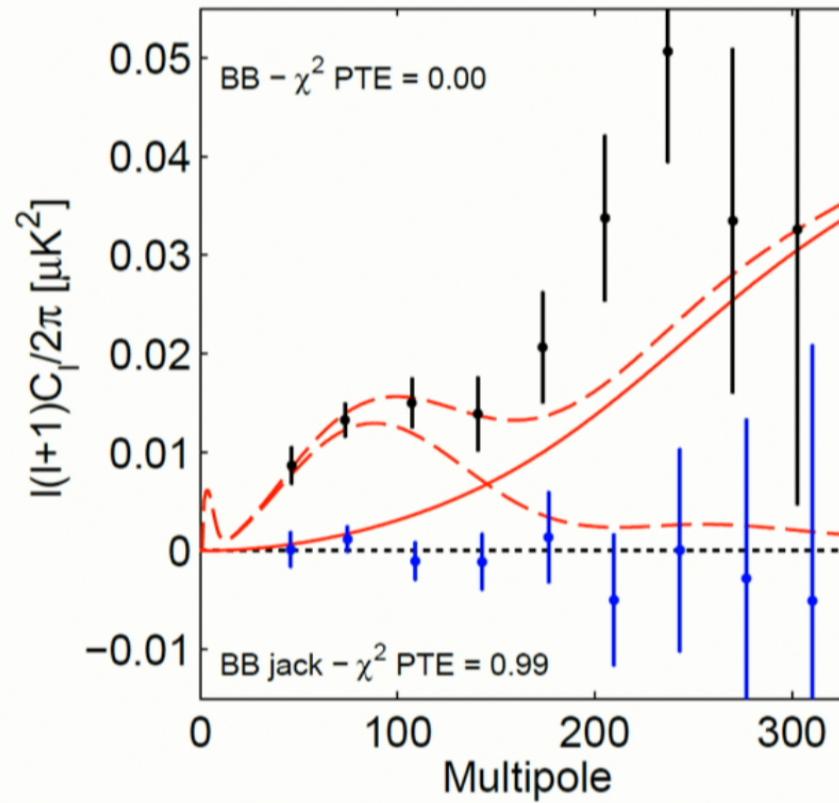
The WMAP synchrotron template is dust-contaminated by the Bicep2 frequency.

Is the shape of the BB power spectrum unambiguously due to tensor-modes?

Measurements with higher resolution in  $\ell$  will help.

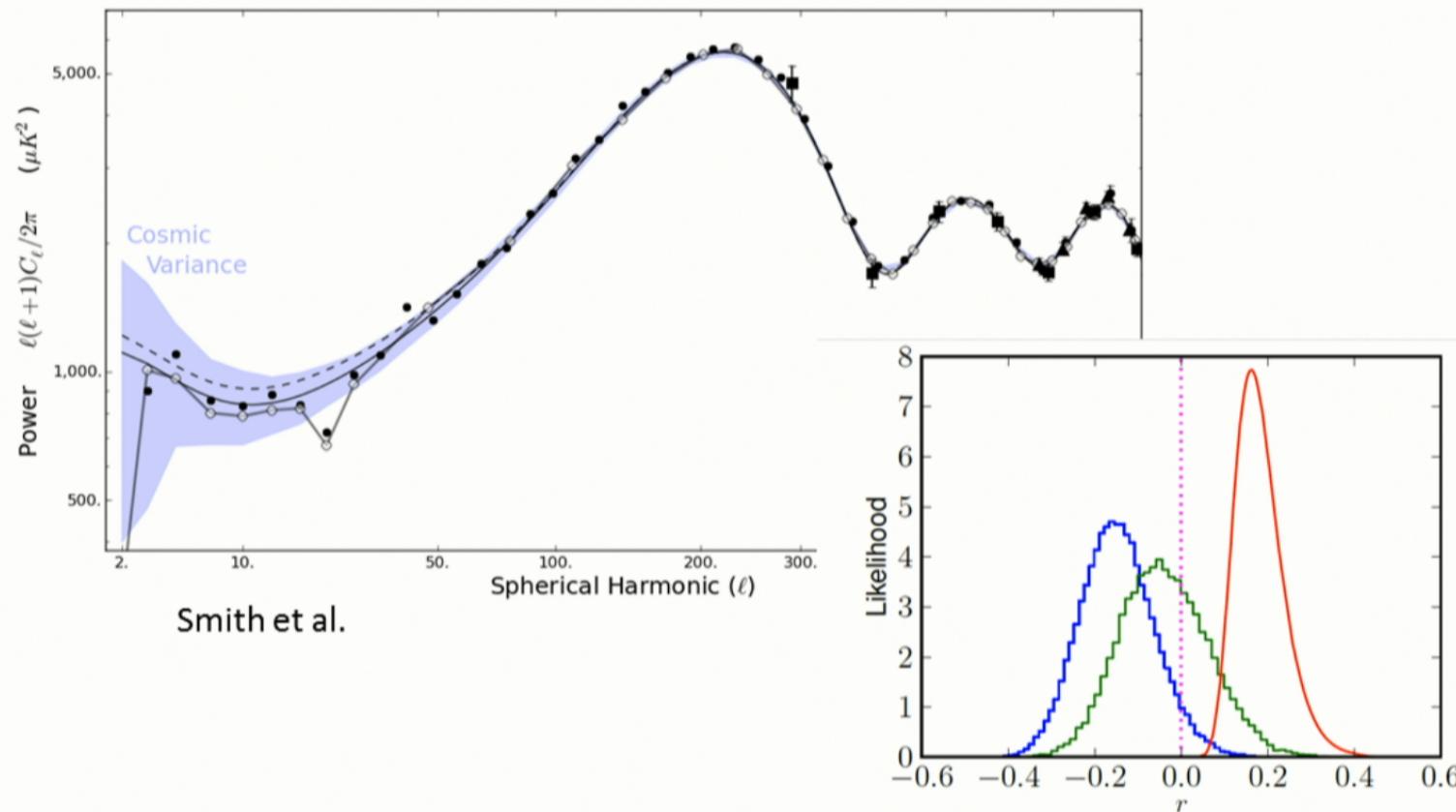
Detection of the re-ionization bump at  $\ell \sim 10$  would be decisive.

Good measurements of EE at higher angular frequencies can lead to calculation of the lensing conversion of EE to BB at all angular scales, and thus to a cleaner spectrum at the largest angular scales



Is the deficit in TT at large angular scales cosmic variance or a hint of new physics?

Measuring EE and TE gives us access to more modes, which might reduce the ambiguity.



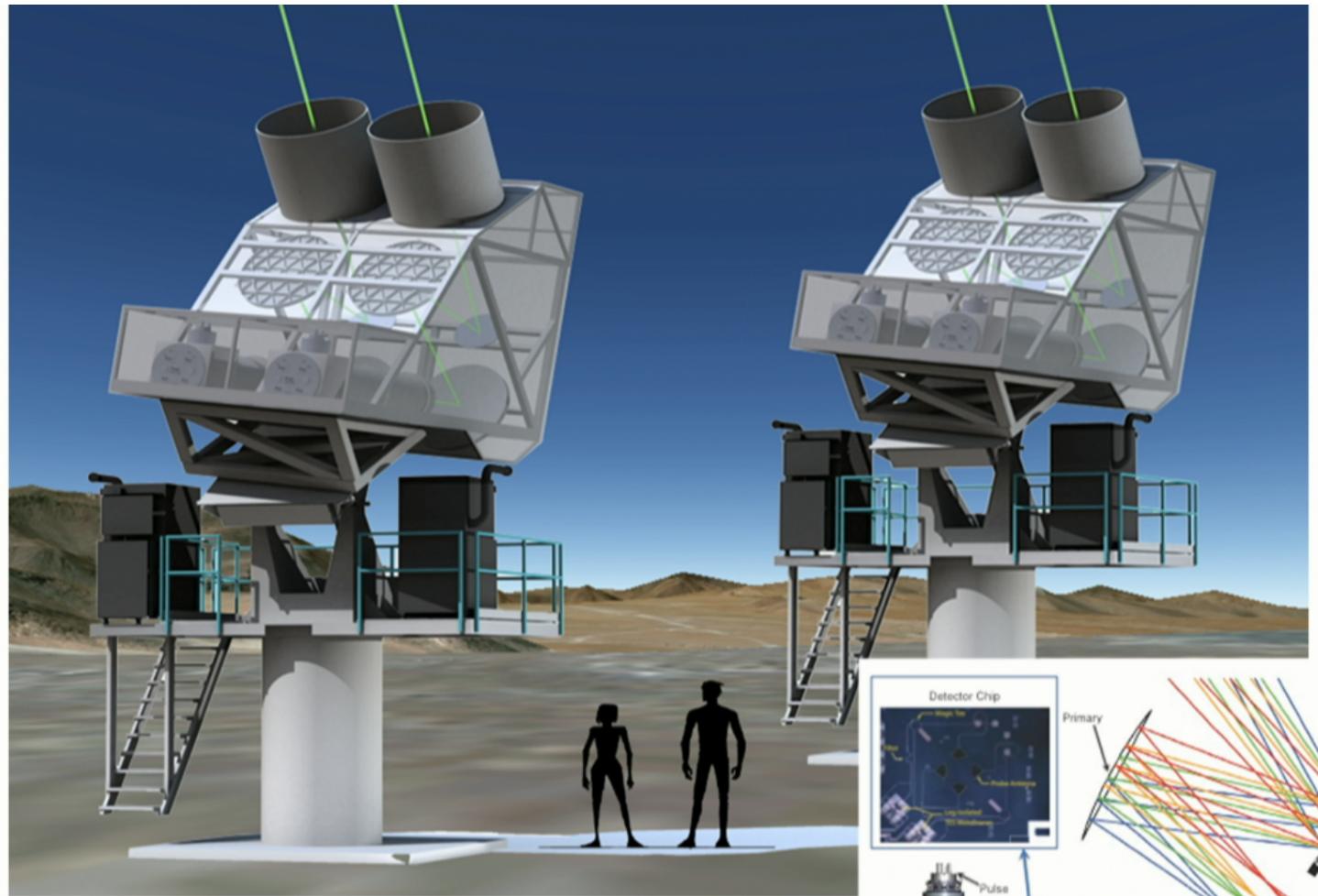
There are a lot of CMB polarization experiments already under way or very far along.

- ACT (ACTpol, [Advanced ACT](#), ABS)
- Bicep3 & [Keck](#)
- CLASS
- Ebex
- Piper
- Pixie
- [Planck](#)
- [Polarbear](#)
- South Pole Telescope ([SPTpol](#), SPT3g, ..)
- [Spider](#)

KECK  
(spud)  
2560 TES  
5 cameras  
Two colours

- Data from 2012 & 2013 seasons in hand.
- $9.5 \mu\text{K rt s}$
- Now with two cameras at 95 GHz



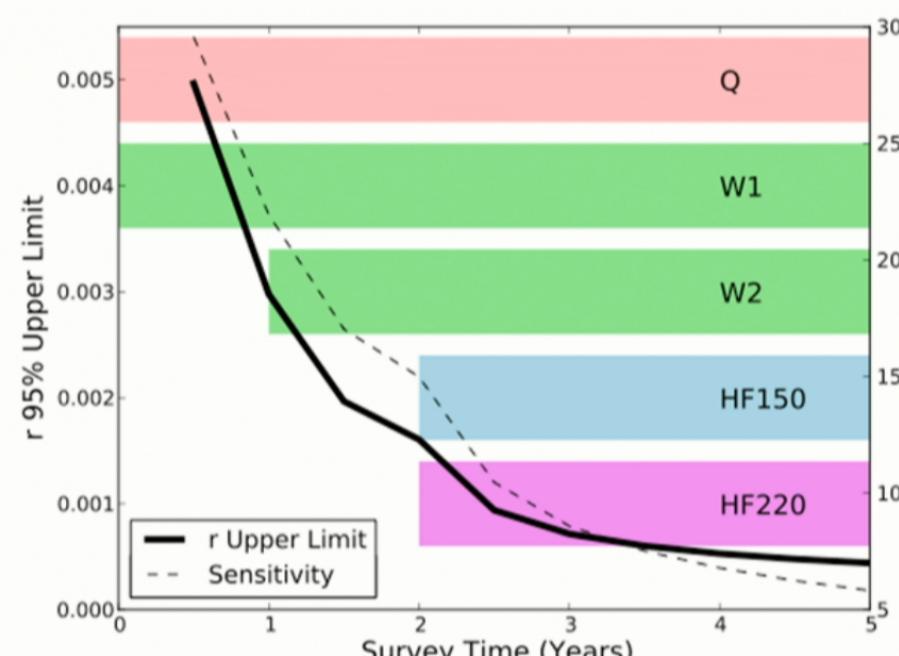
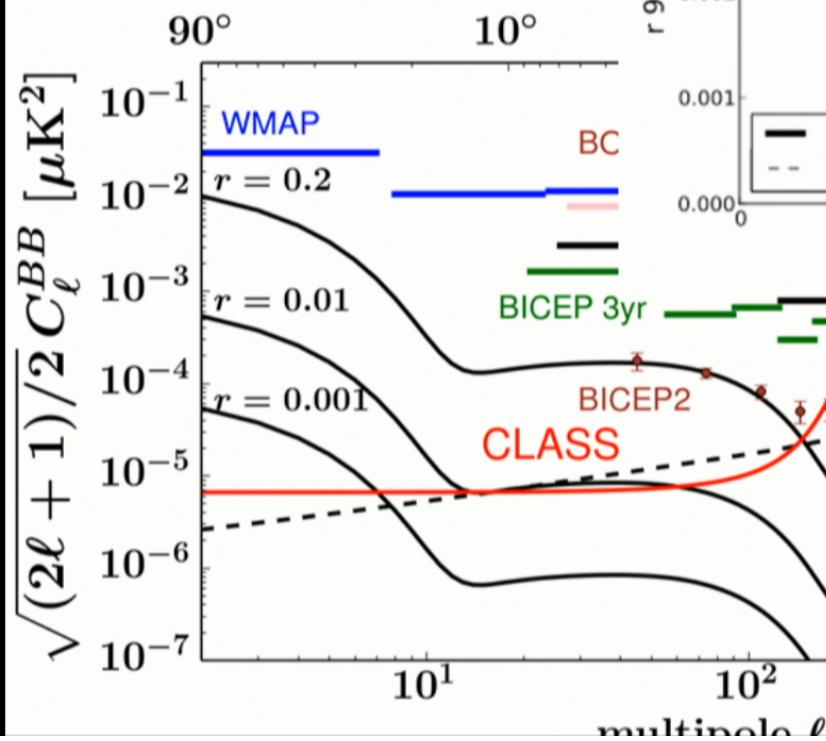


## CLASS: Four colour large angular scales

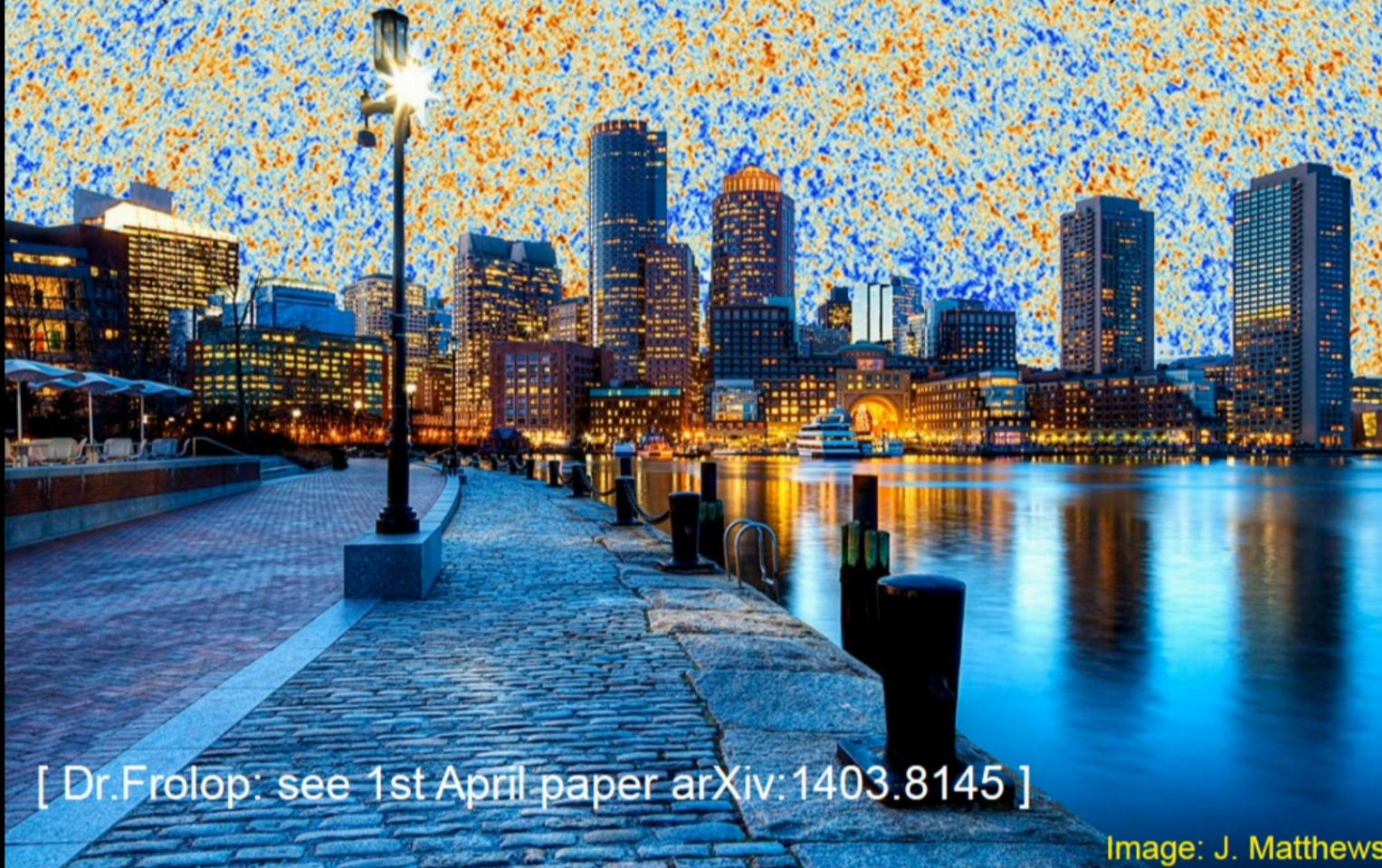
To begin operation end of 2014

CLASS will deploy a 40 GHz and a 90 GHz channel this year.

The telescope scans 70% of the sky and is designed to explore the re-ionization peak.



Douglas Scott  
(on behalf of the Planck Consortium)



[ Dr.Frolop: see 1st April paper arXiv:1403.8145 ]

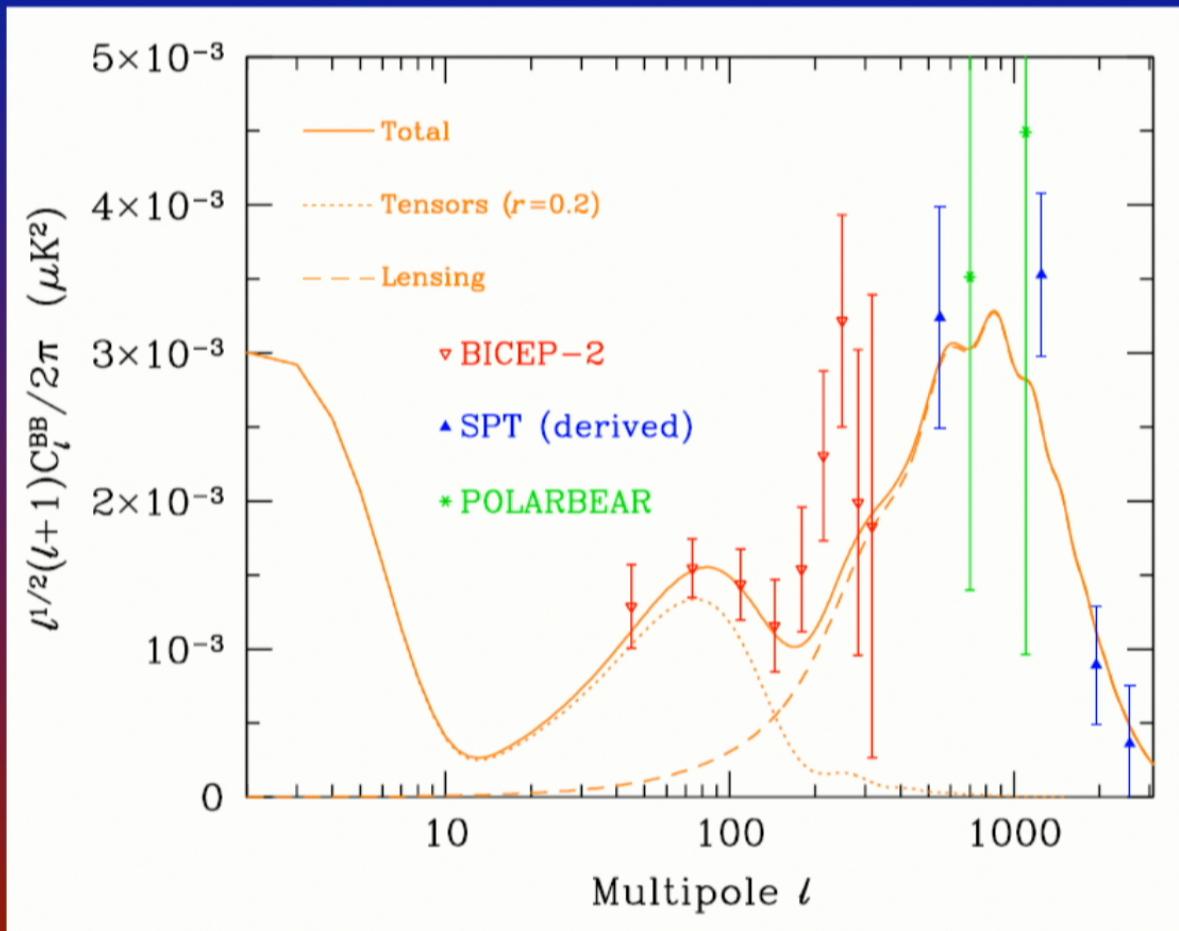
Image: J. Matthews

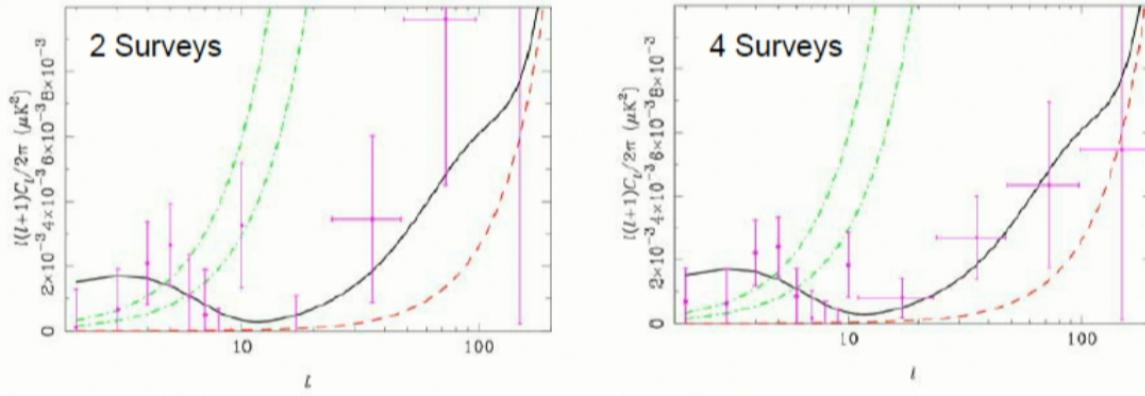
# Planck results so far

- 2 surveys, no polarization (+WP+Highl)
- Good fit to 6 parameter model
- $r < 0.11$  in 7 parameter fit
- $r < 0.26$  in 8 parameter fit (including running)
- But first 30 multipoles a little low
- Also hemispheric asymmetry at large scales
- Coming: 5 surveys (HFI), 8 surveys (LFI) including polarization

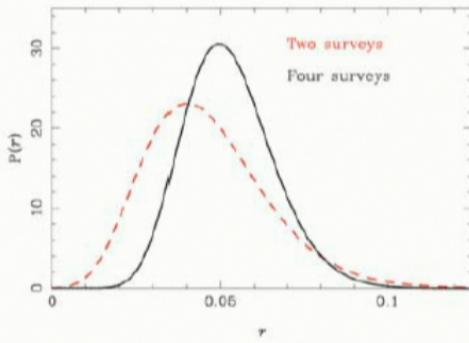
## Current BB summary

Note the  $\ell$  dependence  
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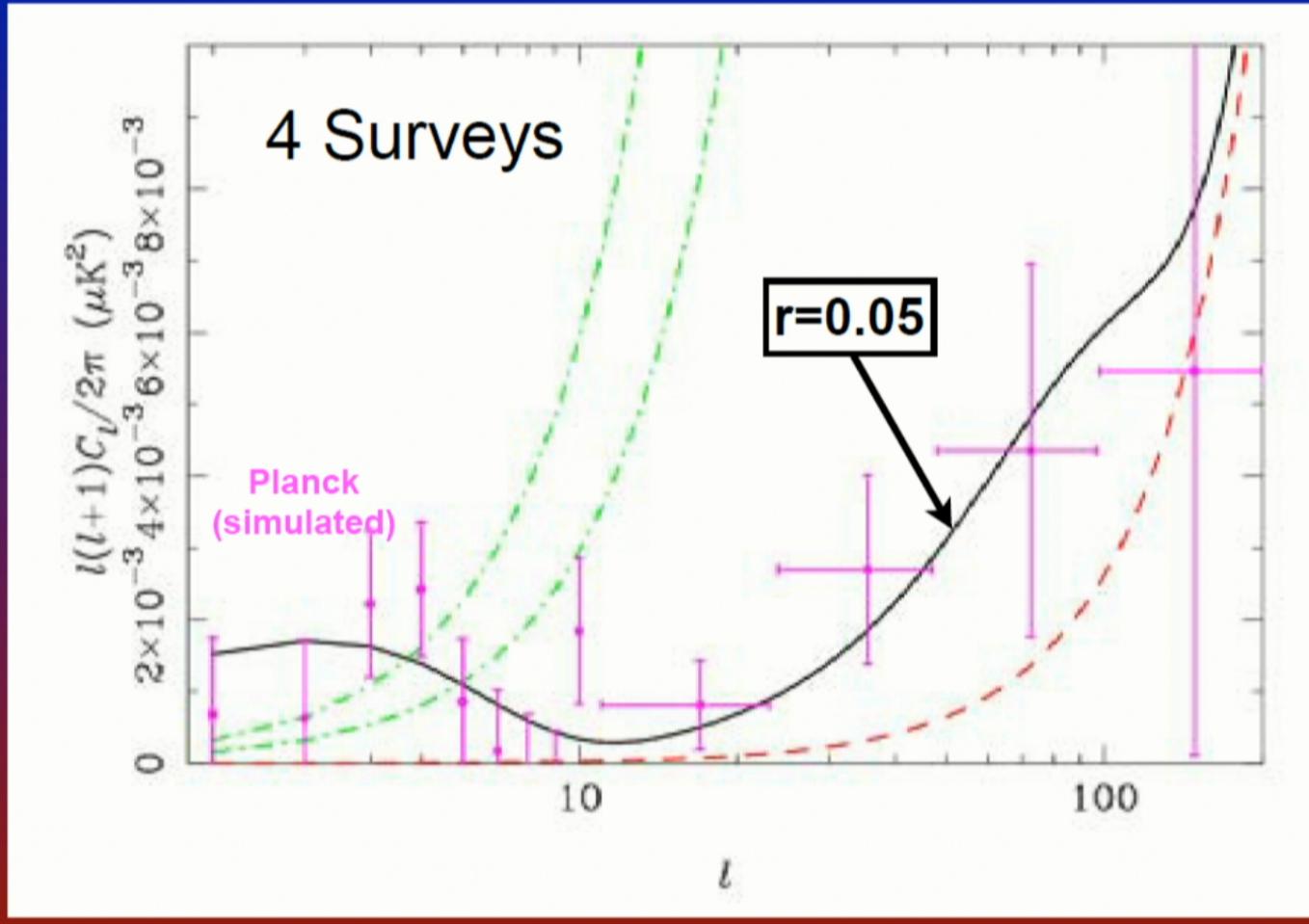




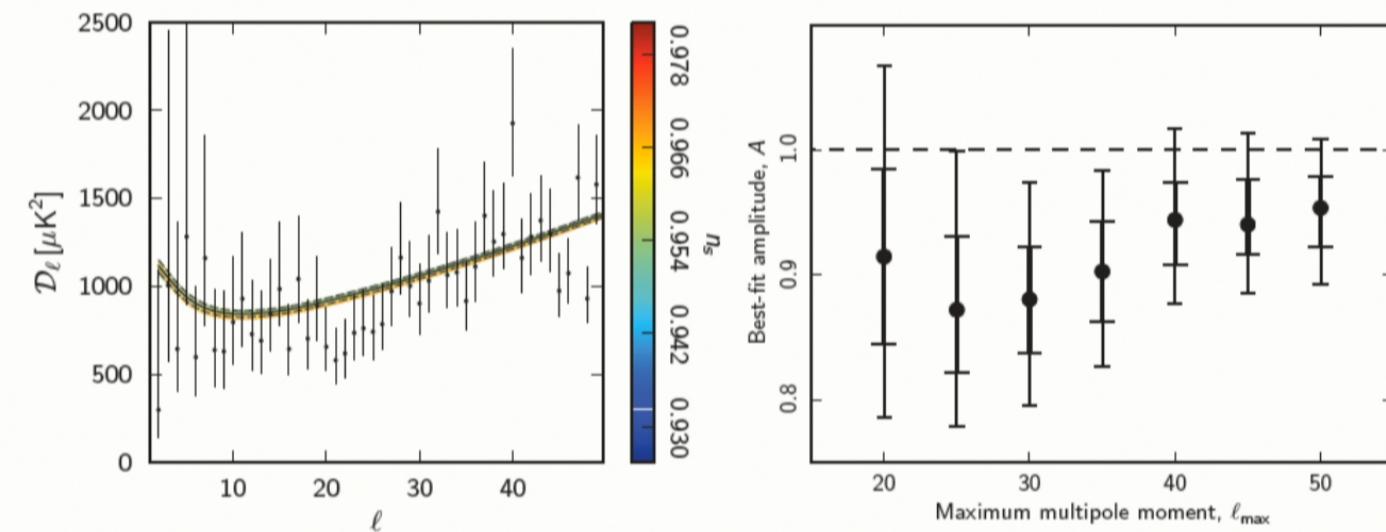
**Figure 2:** The purple points show the results of B-mode recovery from Planck with two sky surveys (left) and four sky surveys (right). An input value of  $r = 0.05$  has been assumed in these simulations. The black lines show the theoretical B-mode spectrum. The dot-dashed green lines show the instrumental noise spectra for two and four surveys. The dashed red lines show the B-mode signal from lensing of E-modes by intervening large-scale structure. A detection of a B-mode with  $r \sim 0.05$  is marginal with two sky surveys but statistically highly significant with four sky surveys.



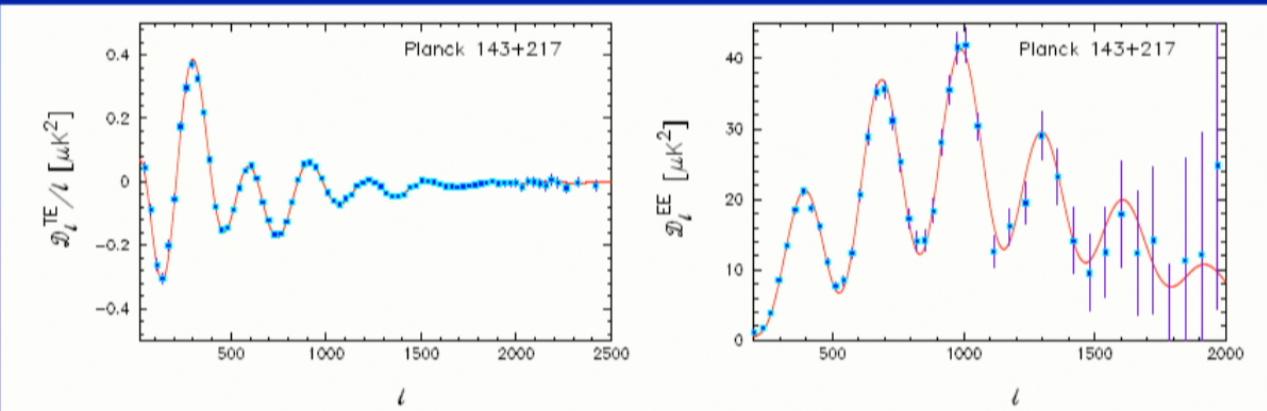
**Figure 3:** Marginalised likelihoods for the tensor-scalar ratio,  $r$ , for two Planck sky surveys (red dashed line) and four Planck sky surveys (black solid line). The theoretical  $1\sigma$  sensitivity limit is  $r \sim 0.01$  for Planck with 4 sky surveys (see Table 1) making Planck competitive with the most sensitive ground based and sub-orbital experiments.



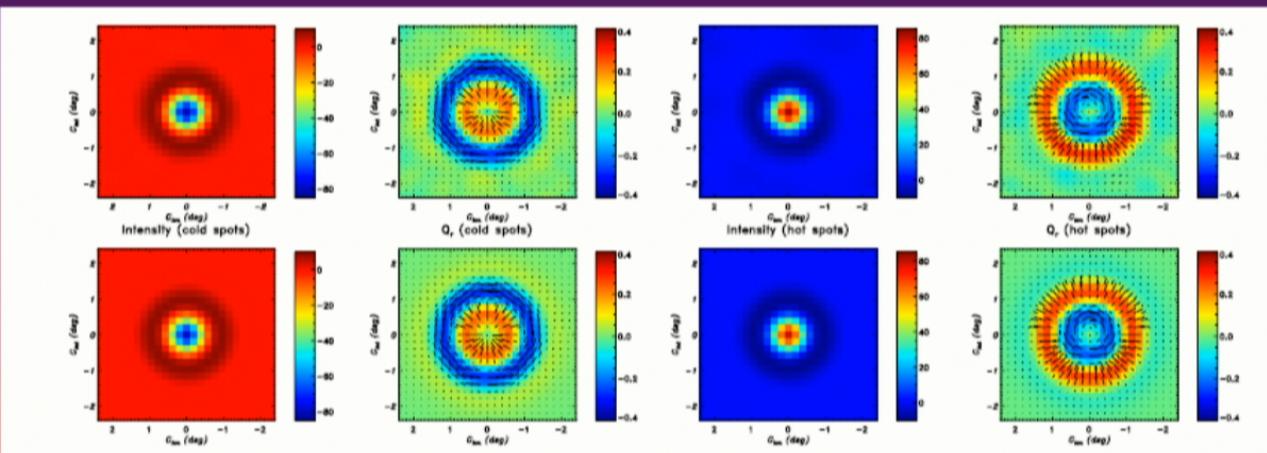
Polarization data release expected in October



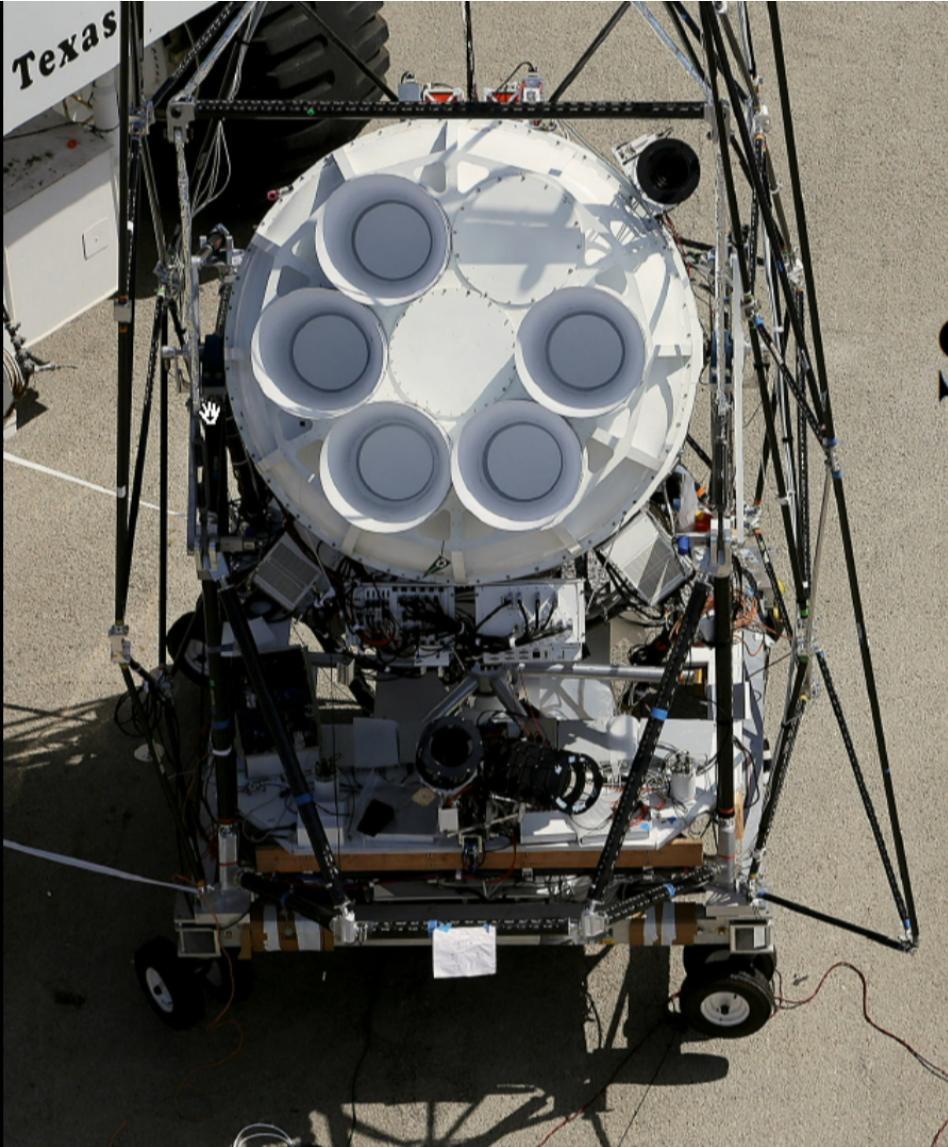
**Fig. 39.** *Left:* Planck TT spectrum at low multipoles with 68% ranges on the posteriors. The “rainbow” band show the best fits to the entire Planck+WP+highL likelihood for the base  $\Lambda$ CDM cosmology, colour-coded according to the value of the scalar spectral index  $n_s$ . *Right:* Limits (68% and 95%) on the relative amplitude of the base  $\Lambda$ CDM fits to the Planck+WP likelihood *fitted only to the Planck TT likelihood* over the multipole range  $2 \leq \ell \leq \ell_{\max}$ .



**Fig. 11.** *Planck* *TE* (left) and *EE* spectra (right) computed as described in the text. The red lines show the polarization spectra from the base  $\Lambda$ CDM *Planck+WP+highL* model, which is fitted to the *TT* data only.



**Fig. 27.** Stacked maps of the CMB intensity  $I$  and polarization  $Q_r$  at the position of the temperature extrema, at a common resolution of 30 arcmin. Maps are displayed for CMB temperature cold spots (left) and hot spots (right) for the *Planck* CMB estimates (top row) and for the  $\Lambda$ CDM *Planck* best fit model prediction (bottom row).



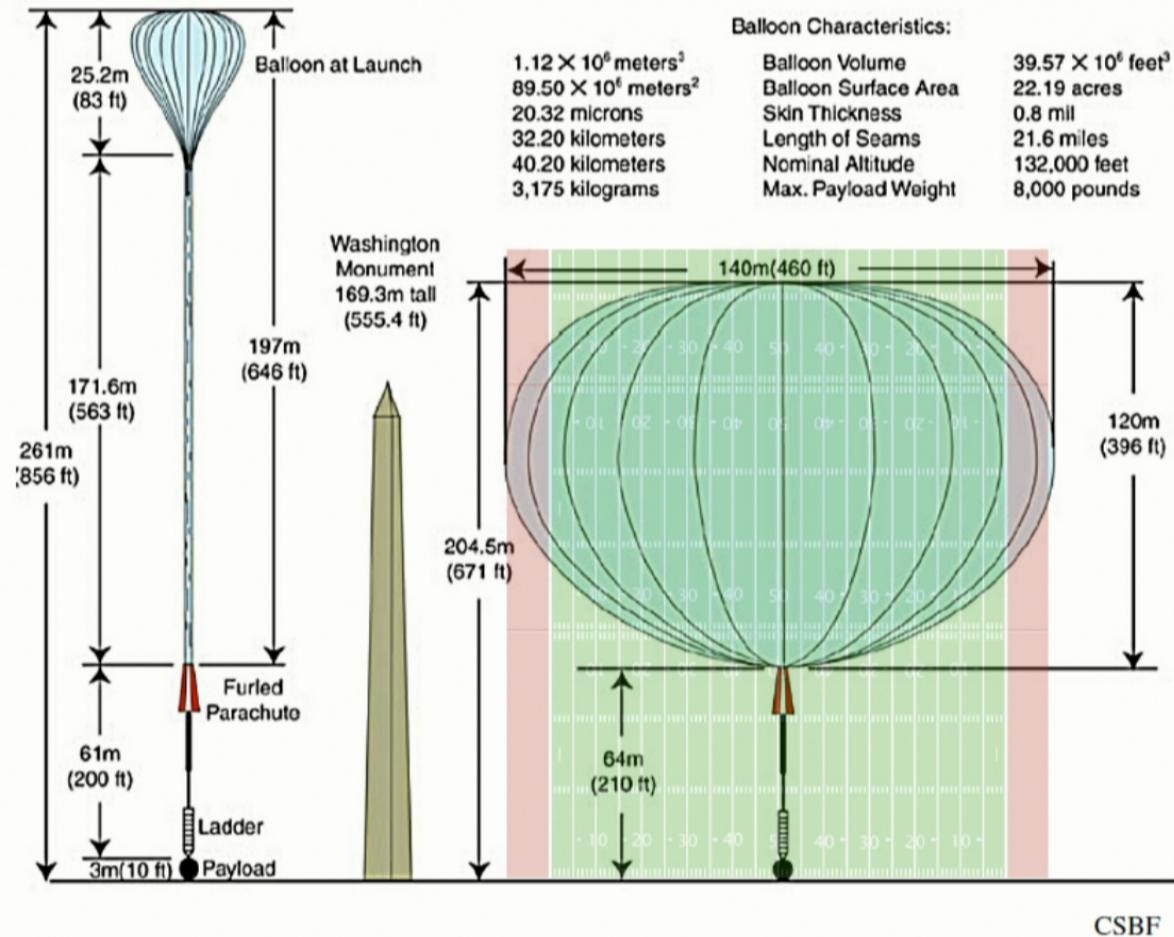
# SPIDER

## Readiness and Forecasts

# SPIDER

- A balloon borne polarimeter
- Will map the cleanest 8% of the full sky.
- Six telescopes 3/3 at 90/150 GHz
  - Approximately 2300 detectors
- Half degree resolution.  $\ell = 10 - 300$
- Science goals:
  - Precisely determine the amplitude of B mode fluctuations
- Palestine, June 4 – August 28.
- Two science flights: planned 2013/2015
- Integrated and **deployed** Sep 2013
- Gov't shutdown eliminated the 2013/14 season in Oct 2013
- (Two science flights: 2013/2015)++







Steve Benton – **The Boss** letting go of *Blastpol* 2012

# Long Duration Ballooning

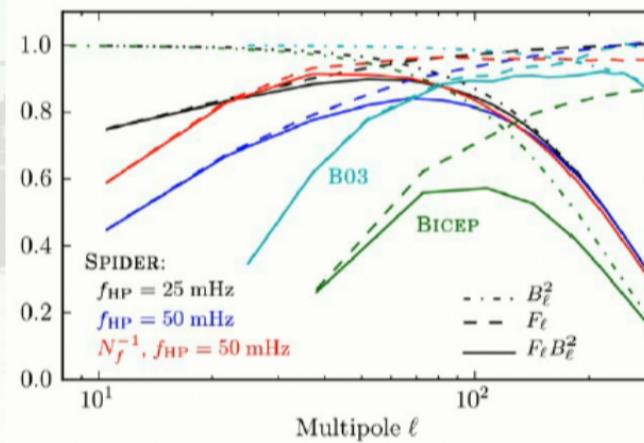
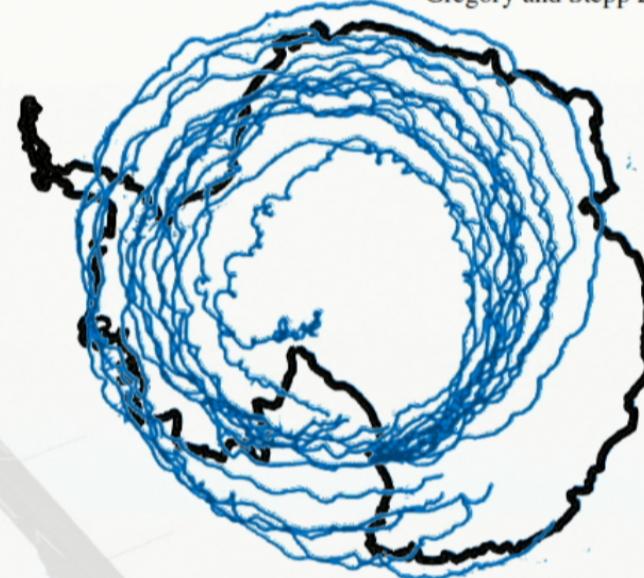
## Why Ballooning? Access to space.

- Fidelity to large angular scales.
- Wider frequency windows.
  - Water vapor makes >150 GHz difficult
- Space-like loading (NET).

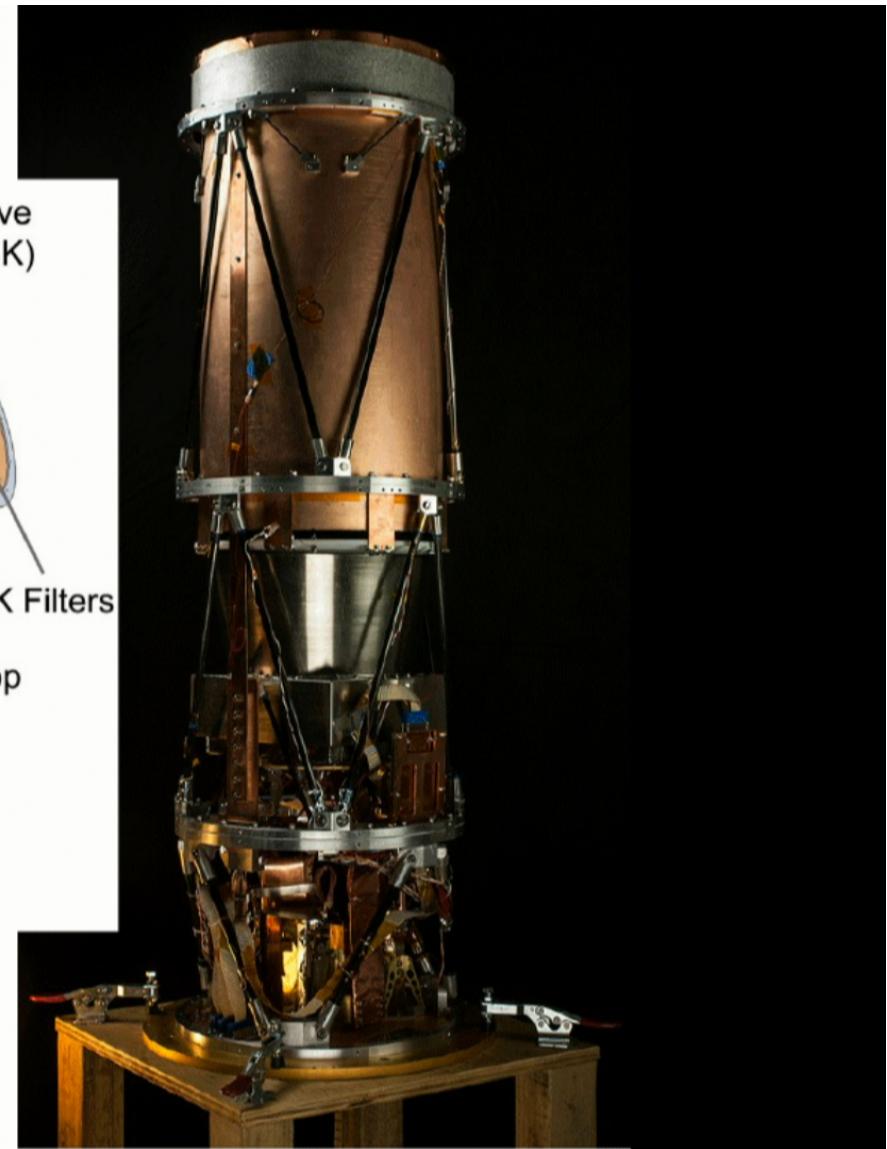
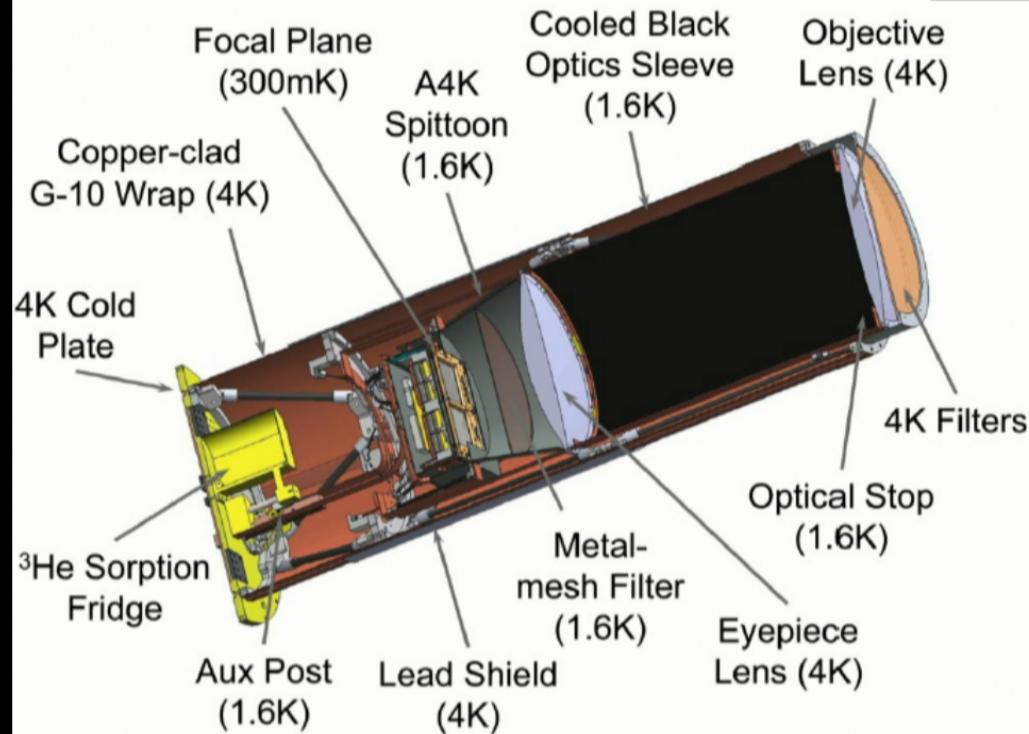
## At what price?

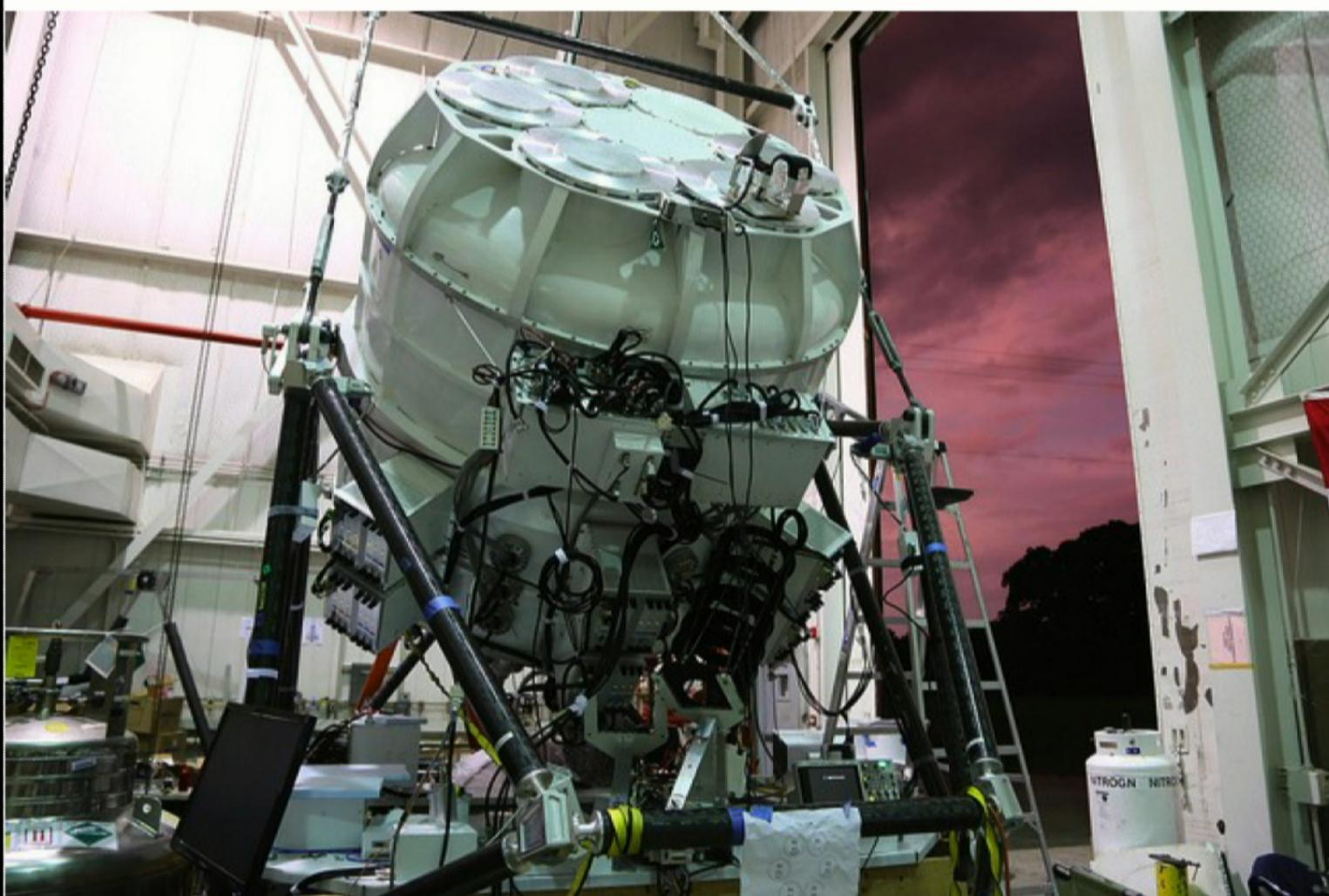
- Mass, power, automation
- Risky recovery
- Narrow, and scarce, flight windows
- (Exposure to Congressional whim)

Gregory and Stepp 2004



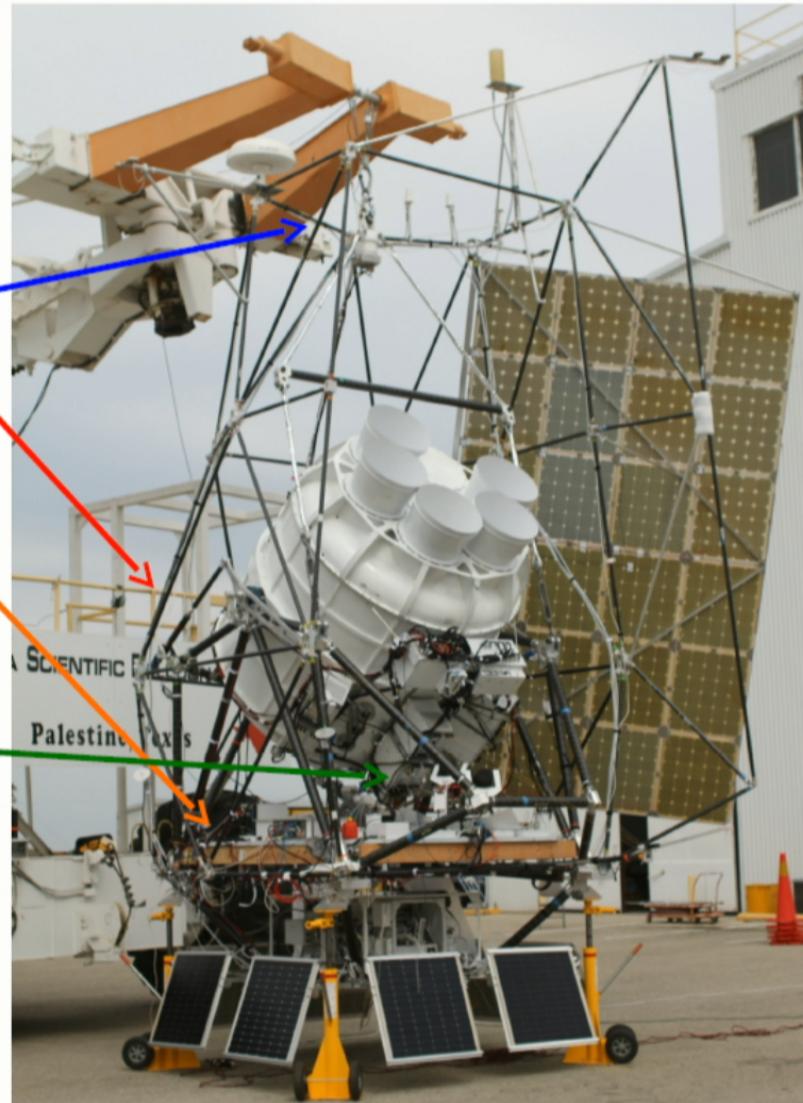
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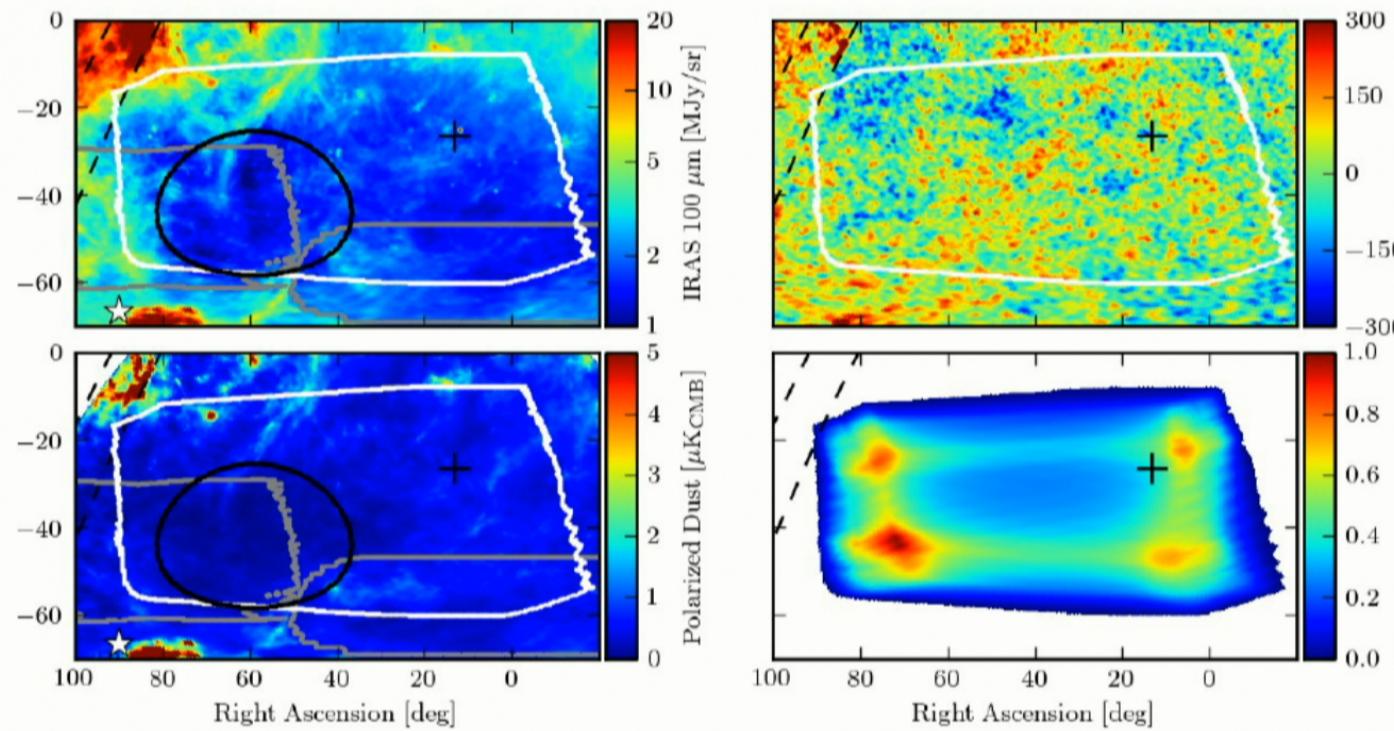


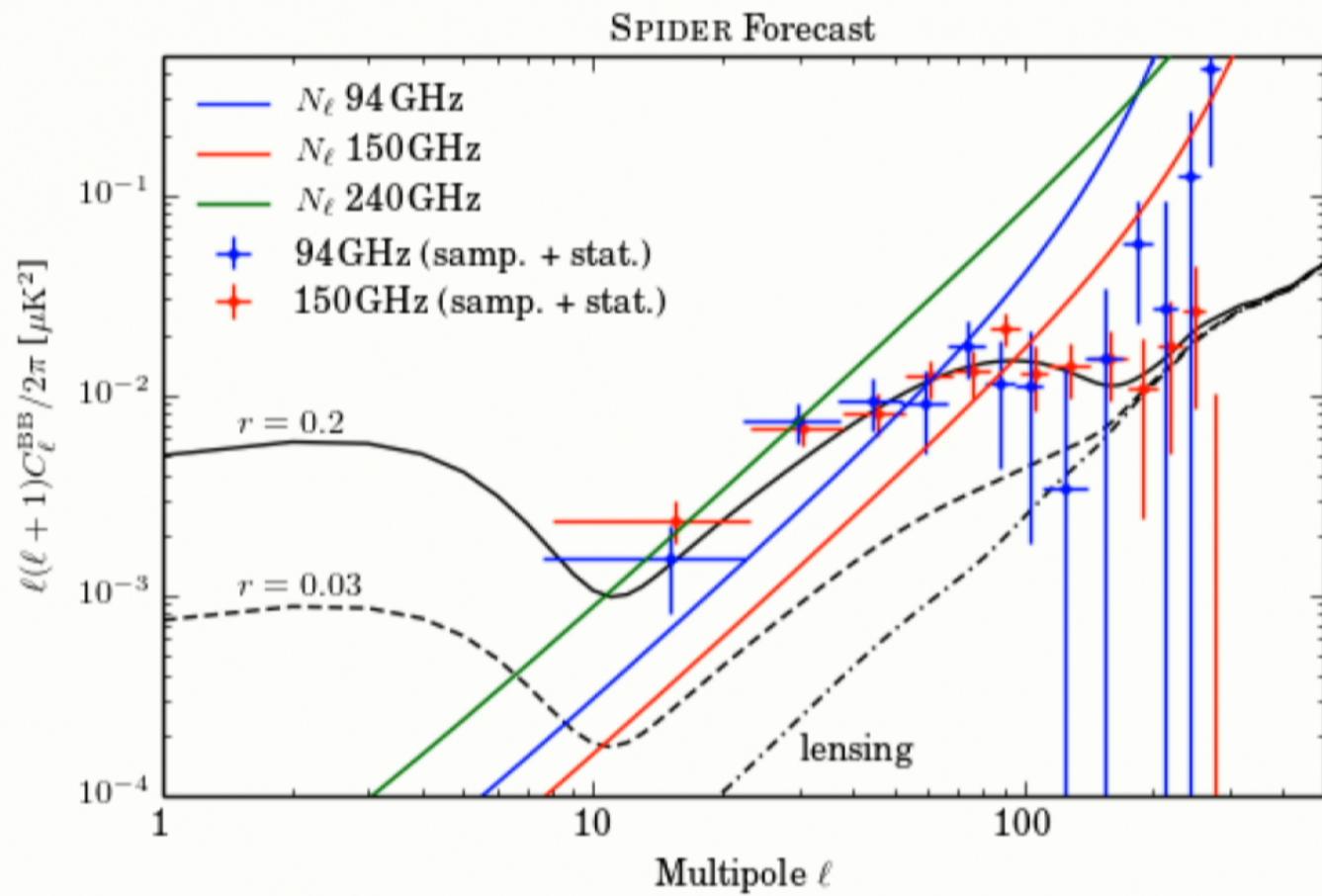
# Pointing Control and Reconstruction

- Twin elevation drives
- Reaction wheel
- Pivot
- 3-axis gyros
- Differential GPS
- Magnetometer
- Pinhole sun sensors
- Orthogonal star cameras on rotating table to track objects
- Fixed boresight star camera
- Expect 1' accuracy in flight, 6" post-flight



# Spider's observing region 8% of the sky



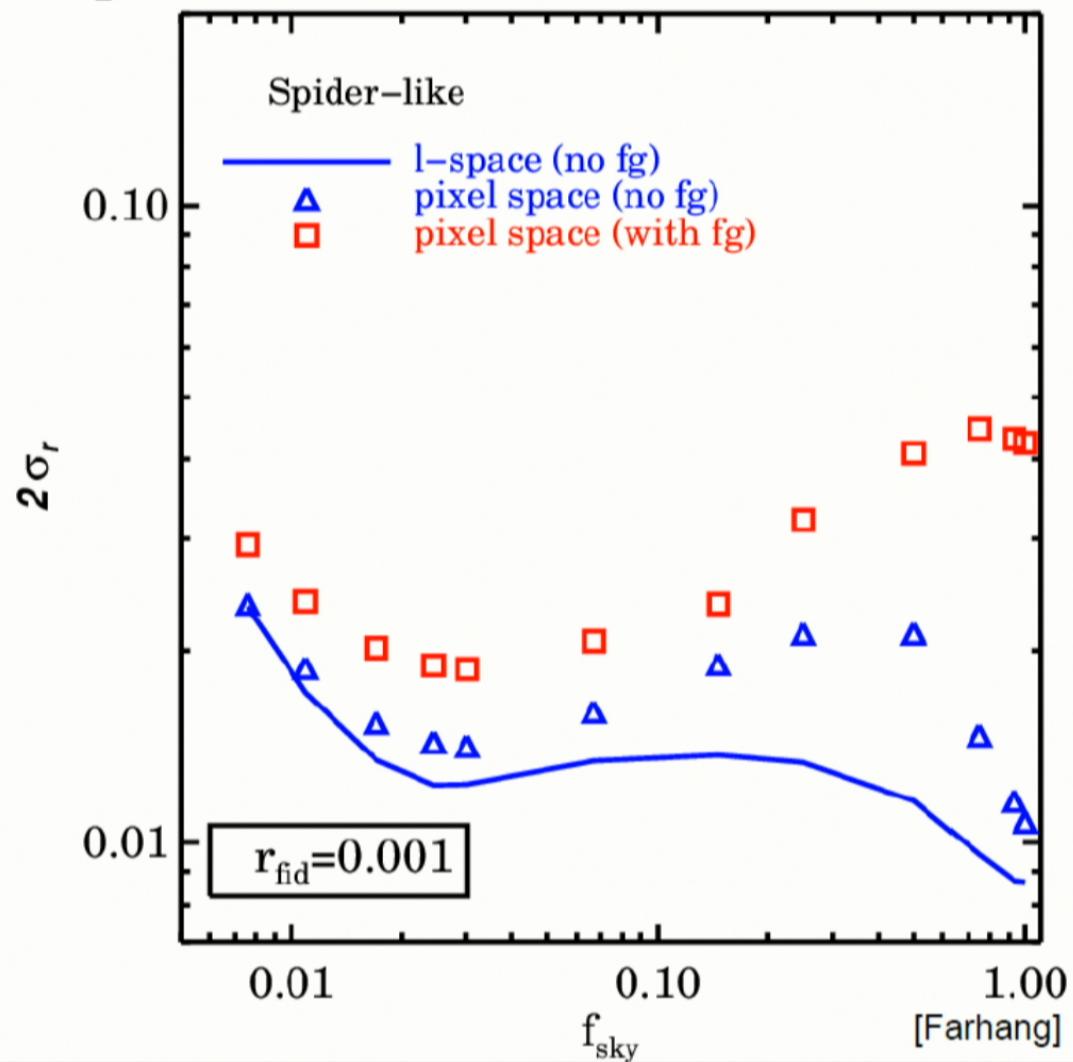


# Pixel Space Direct Detection of $r$

$1\sigma < 0.01$  for  
Spider

Prefers  $\sim 3\%$   
of sky

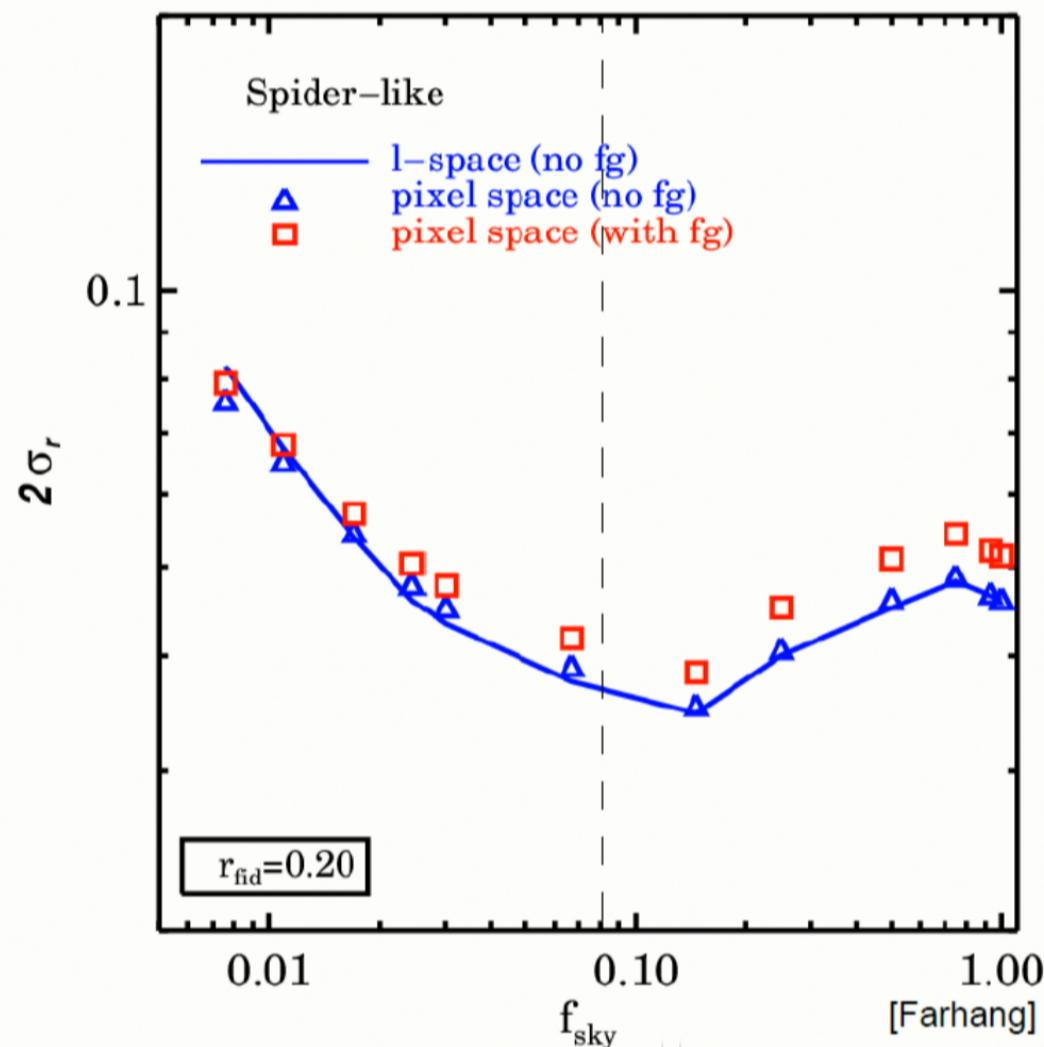
For tiny  $r$   
(Our assumption  
pre-BICEP2)



# Pixel Space Direct Detection of $r$

$1\sigma \sim 0.017$  for  
Spider

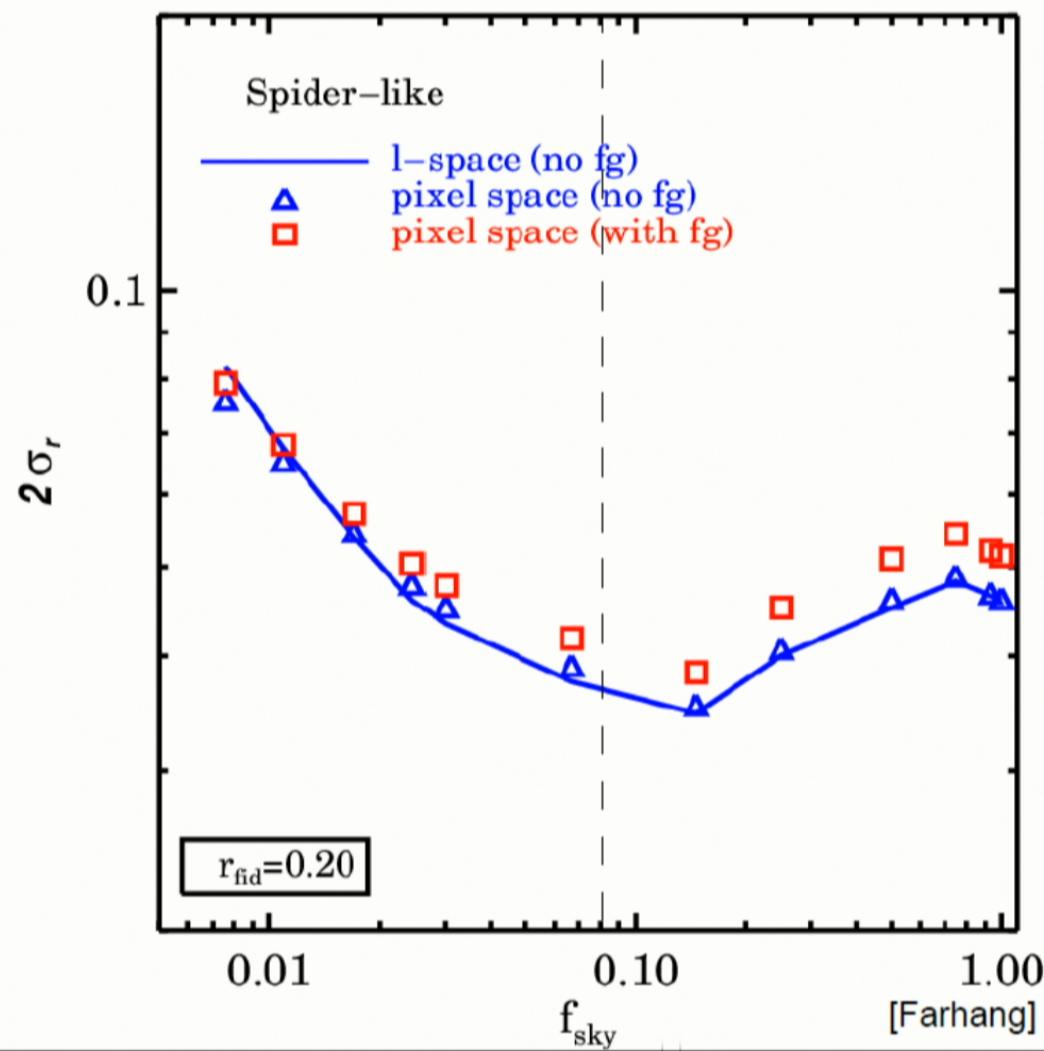
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*not*  
Overspecified!



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Spider

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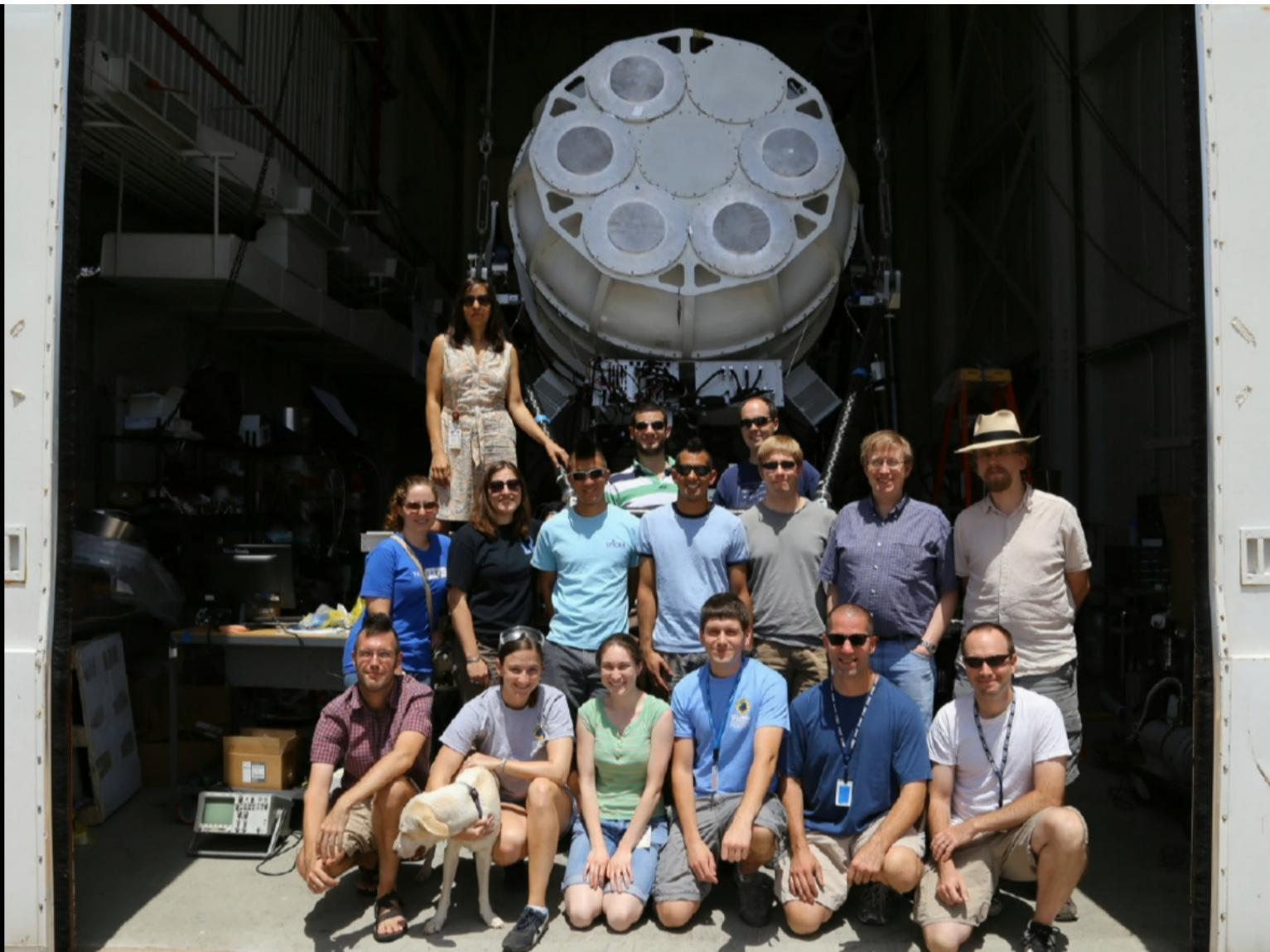
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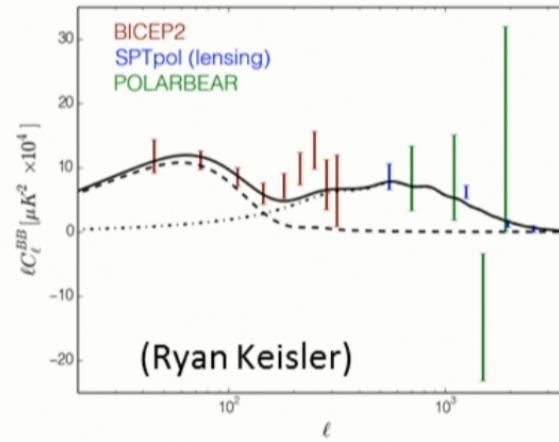
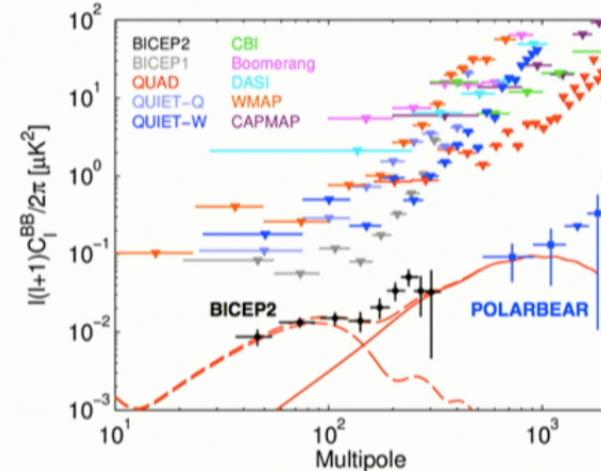
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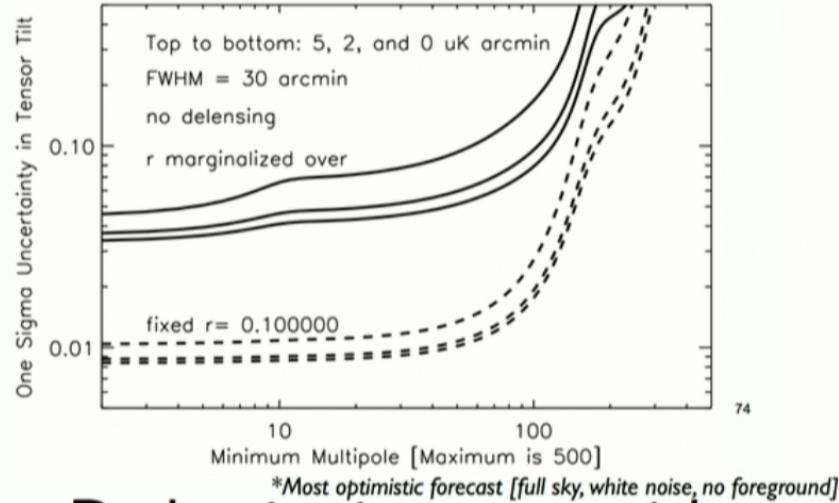




# B-mode Science

- Inflation
  - $r$
  - $n_s$ 
    - Delensing
    - Large  $f_{sky}$
- high-ell
  - LSS
  - Neutrino mass
  - Big dish, deep.
  - SPTpol/3g, POLARBEAR  
2/Simons, ACTpol/adv
- Reionization
  - When - ell
  - how long -  $\Delta\ell$
  - how big – amplitude
  - All sky, many colors
  - PRISM, LiteBIRD, PIXIE





## De-lensing is now crucial

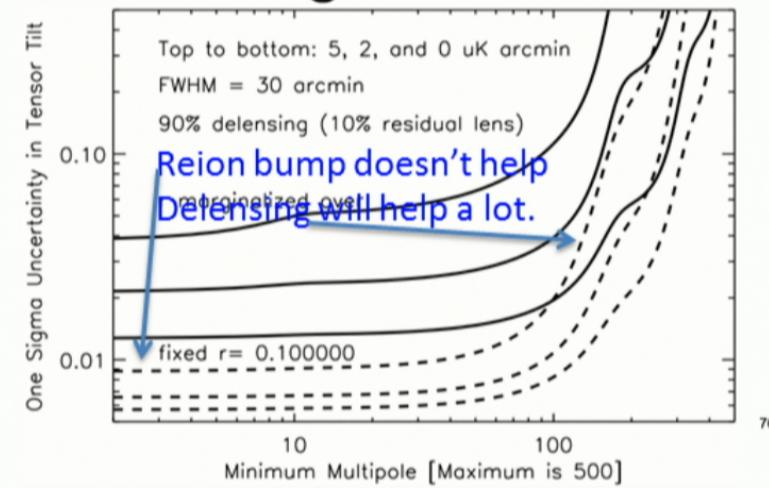


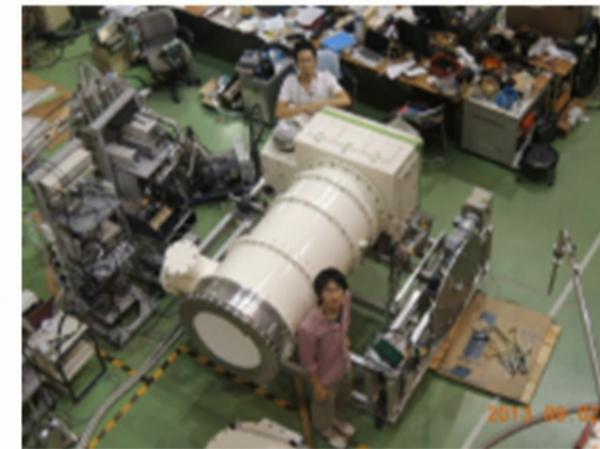
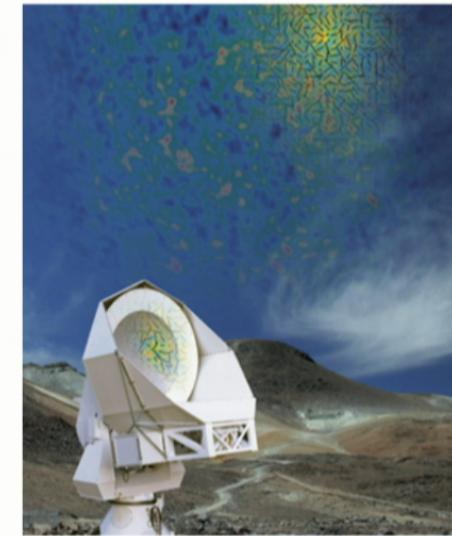
Figure: Komatsu  
 (Colloquium, Yukawa Institute for  
 Theoretical Physics, March 26, 2014)

$n_t$

- Without delensing, reducing noise beyond 5 uK-arcmin doesn't help.

# PolarBEAR/Simons Array

- PB1
  - One 3.5m Telescope
  - 1200 detectors
  - Already 6 uK-arcmin today.  
Astro-ph/1403.2369 (high ell B-mode Power Spectrum)  
Astro-ph/1312.6646 (CMB-only Lensing Spectrum)  
PRL **112**, 131302, Astro-ph/1312.6645 (CMB lensing x IR galaxies)  
→ NEXT GOAL: POLARBEAR-1 explore  $r = 0.2$  using  $15^\circ \times 15^\circ$  patches
- PB2
  - 1/3 of Simons
- Simons Array
  - Three 3.5m Telescopes
    - $30 < \ell < 3000$
  - 22,764 detectors
    - (dual color)
    - 7,588 at 95 GHz
    - 11,382 at 150 GHz
    - 3,794 at 220 GHz.
    - Digital fMUX readout + HWP
  - Resolution:  $4'$  to remove lensing
  - Sky Coverage: Mid latitude  $\Rightarrow 80\%$  of sky
  - Sensitivity: 23,000 total TES bolos

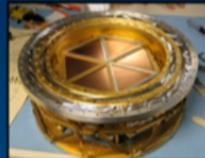


# The South Pole Telescope (SPT)

- 10-meter sub-mm quality wavelength telescope

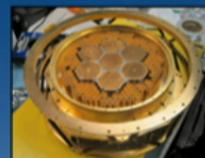
**2007: SPT-SZ**

960 detectors  
100,150,220 GHz



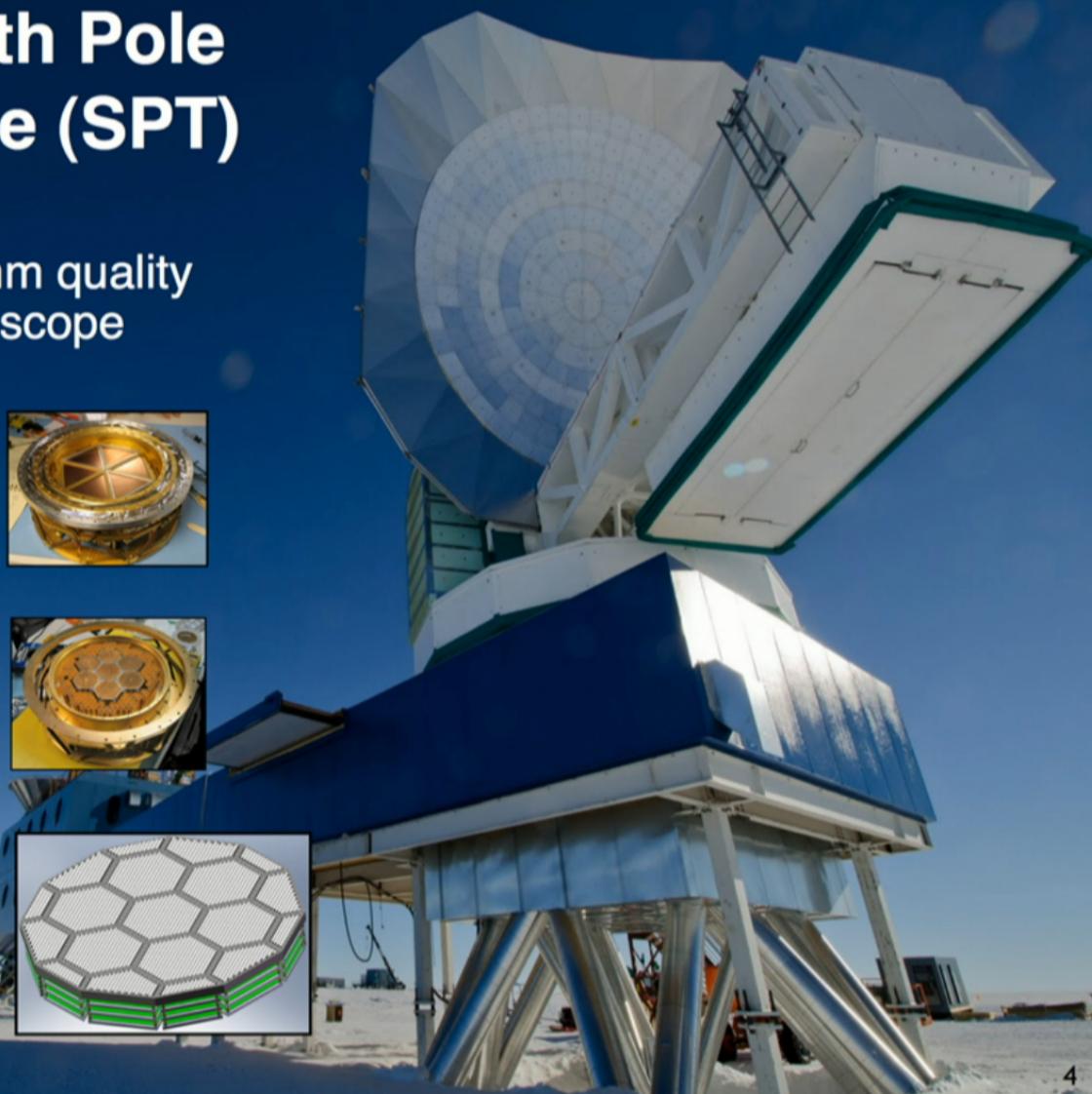
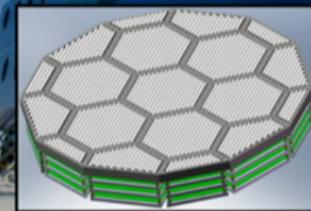
**2012: SPTpol**

1600 detectors  
100,150 GHz  
*+Polarization*

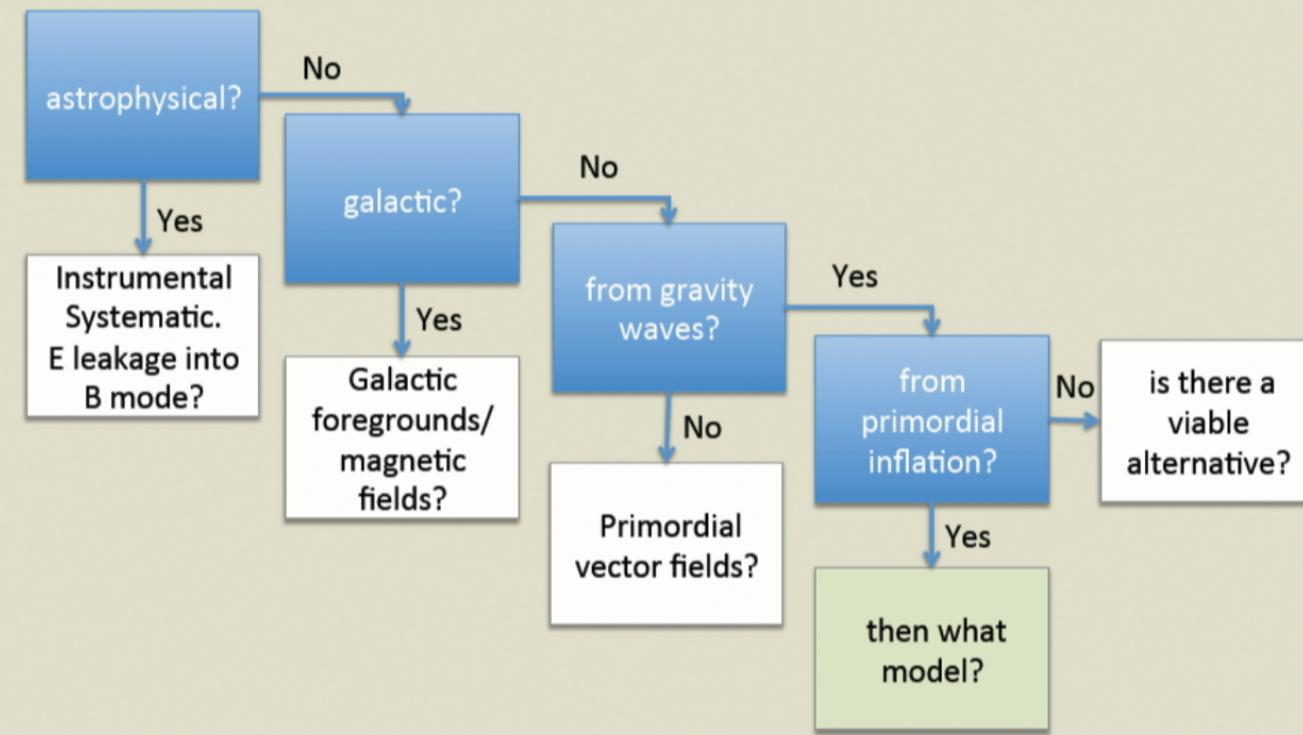


**2016: SPT-3G**

~15,200 detectors  
100,150,220 GHz  
*+Polarization*



## *Is the BB bump:*



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From discussion with Liam McAllister

## If it is a result of inflation:

- If its large field inflation, is it  $m^2\phi^2$ ?
- Are we seeing early times in slow roll?  
Was it preceded by old inflation? (Gott 82, Bucher, Goldhaber and Turok '95)
- Eternal inflation falsified by large  $\Omega_k < 0$ ,  
false vacuum eternal inflation falsified  
by large  $\Omega_k < 0$  (Guth and Namura'12,  
Kleban and Schillo'12 )
- Can we discern the signature of modes  
at or just beyond the horizon?
  - Suppressed scalar power, boosted tensor  
modes, curvature?

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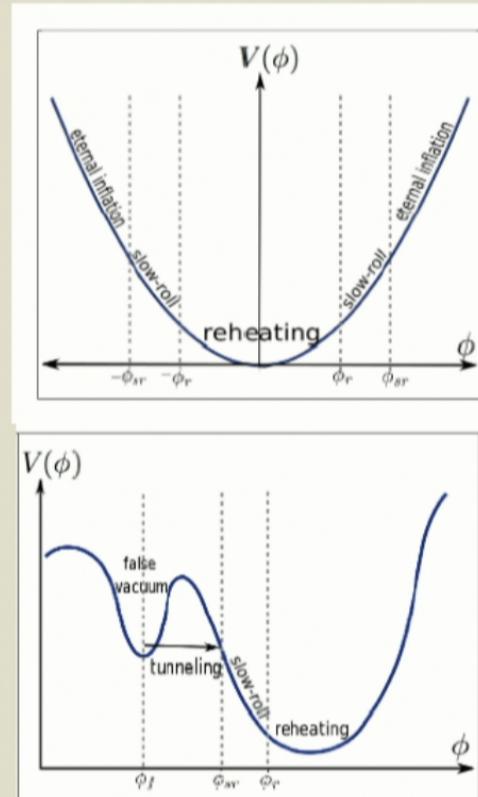


Fig: Kleban and Schillo 2012

## Large scale structure's role

- Constraining the values and covariance for multi-dimensional parameter space  $\{r, n_t, \alpha_s, n_s, \Omega_k\}$ 
  - $r, n_t$  mainly dependent on CMB data –LSS can improve lensing extraction through cross correlation?
  - $\alpha_s, n_s, \Omega_k$  and cov with  $r, n_t$  improved by addition of LSS power spectrum measurements along with small scale CMB
- Avoiding cosmic variance through correlating biased and unbiased estimators? (Seljak 2008)

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## A summary comparison of Stage IV surveys

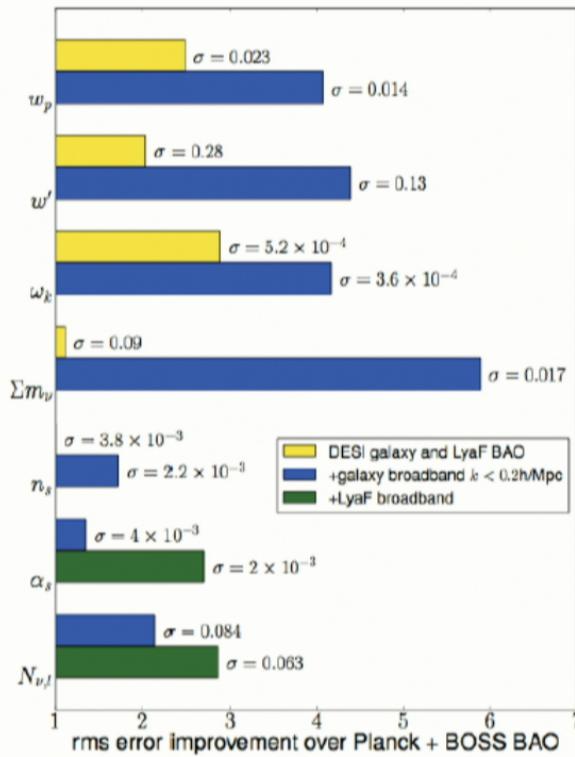
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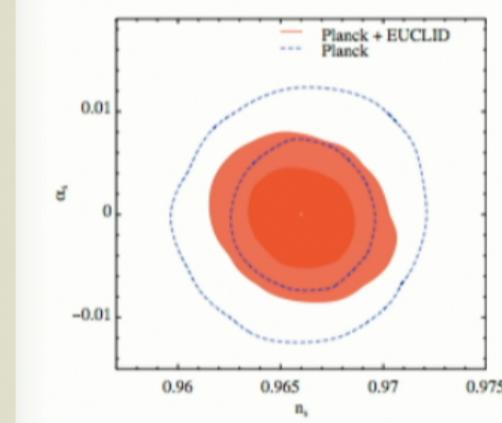
	DESI	LSST	Euclid	WFIRST-AFTA
Starts, duration	~2018, 5 yr	~2020, 10 yr	~2020, 7 yr	~2023, 5-6 yr
Area (deg <sup>2</sup> )	14,000 (N)	20,000 (S)	15,000 (N + S)	2,000 (S)
FoV (deg <sup>2</sup> )	7.9	10	0.54	0.281
Diameter	4 (less 1.8+)	6.7	1.3	2.4
Spec. res. Δλ/λ	3-4000 (N <sub>fb</sub> =5000)		250 (slitless)	550-800 (slitless)
Spec. range	360-980 nm		1.1-2 μm	1.35-1.95 μm
BAO/RSD	20-30m LRGs/[OII] ELGs 0.6 < z < 1.7, 1m QSOs/Lya 1.9<z<4		~50m Hα ELGs Z~0.7-2.1	20m Hα ELGs z = 1–2, 2m [OIII] ELGS z = 2–3
pixel (arcsec)		0.7	0.13	0.12
Imaging/ weak lensing (0<z<2.)		15-40 gal/arcmin <sup>2</sup> 5 bands 320-1080 nm	30-35 gal/arcmin <sup>2</sup> 1 broad vis. band 550– 900 nm	68 gal/arcmin <sup>2</sup> 3 bands 927-2000nm
SN1a		10 <sup>4</sup> -10 <sup>5</sup> SN1a/yr z = 0.–0.7 photometric		2700 SN1a z = 0.1–1.7 IFU spectroscopy

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## Potential improvements in inflationary constraints: DESI & Euclid



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parameter	Planck constraint	Planck + Euclid
$n_s$	$0.966^{+0.003}_{-0.003}$	$0.966^{+0.002}_{-0.002}$
$\alpha_s$	$-0.000^{+0.005}_{-0.005}$	$-0.000^{+0.003}_{-0.003}$
$\ln(10^{10} A_s)$	$3.078^{+0.009}_{-0.009}$	$3.077^{+0.006}_{-0.006}$
$r$	$0.128^{+0.018}_{-0.018}$	$0.127^{+0.019}_{-0.018}$

Amendola et al (Euclid) 2012 1206.1225  
Levi et al (DESI) 2013 1308.0847

## Parting thoughts

- Tensor modes have spiced up an otherwise steadfastly standard universe
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