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# Magnetized CMB anisotropies

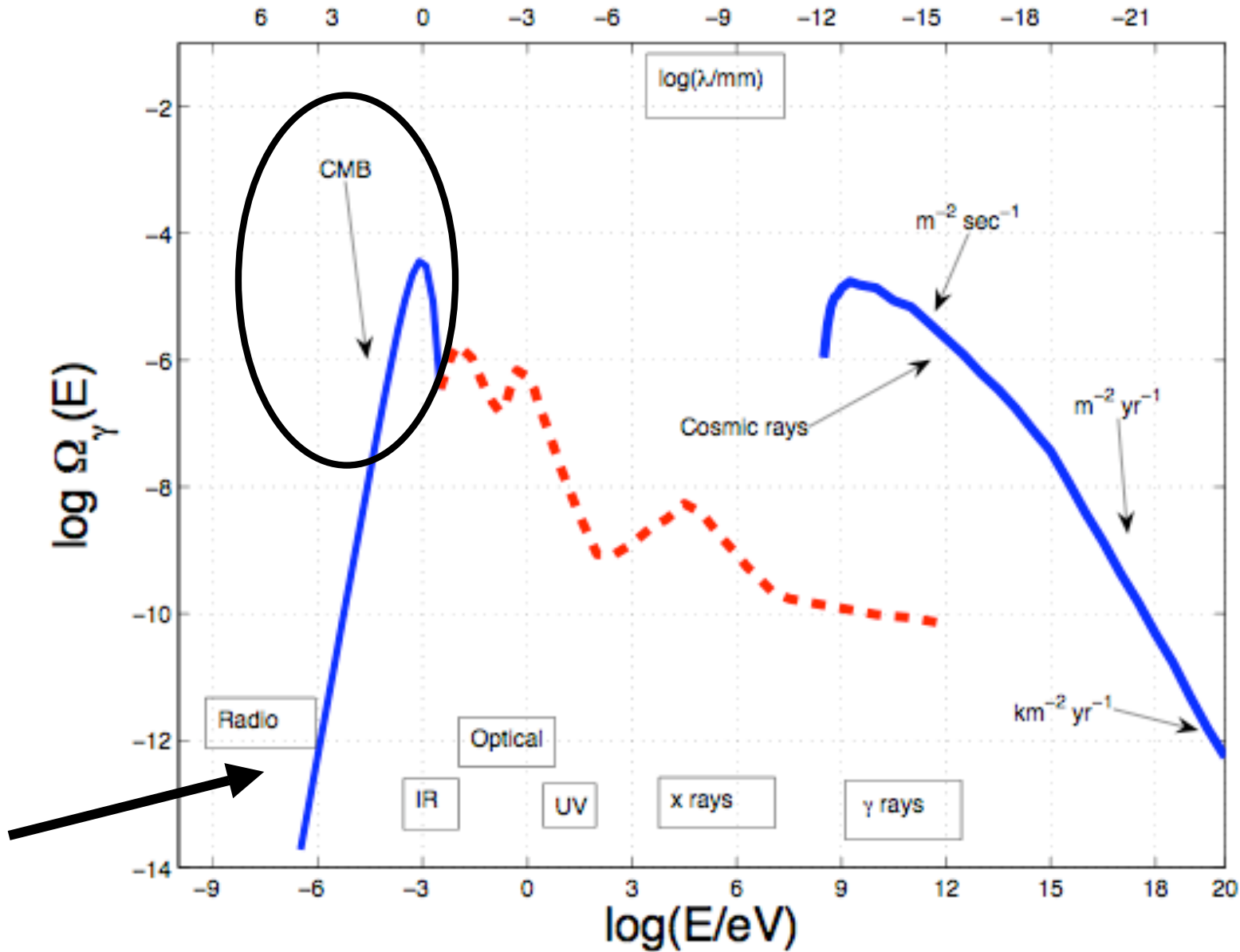
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# Grand Spectrum

$$\Omega_\gamma(E) = \frac{1}{\rho_{\text{crit}}} \frac{d\rho_\gamma}{d \ln E}$$

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# A Magnetized Universe?

M. G. (2004)

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- Large-scale magnetic fields ( typical length-scales > 1 A.U.)  $1 \text{ A.U.} = 1.49 \cdot 10^{13} \text{ cm}$

- First speculations: early forties (Alfven) late forties (Fermi, Fermi & Chandrasekar) on cosmic ray physics

$$1 \mu\text{G} = 0.1 \text{ nT} = 10^{-26} \text{ GeV}^2$$

- Today: magnetic fields measured with various techniques

Zeeman splitting of radio transitions

$$\Delta\nu_Z = \frac{e\bar{B}_{\parallel}}{2\pi m_e}$$

$$\Delta\nu_{\text{Doppler}} \simeq \left(\frac{v_{\text{th}}}{c}\right) \nu \gg \Delta\nu_{\text{Zeeman}} \simeq \frac{e\bar{B}_{\parallel}}{2\pi m_e}$$

Synchrotron emission

$$\epsilon(\nu) = 10^{-23} n_{e r 0} L \xi(\gamma) (6.3 \times 10^{18})^{(\gamma-1)/2} (B_{\perp})^{(\gamma+1)/2} \nu^{(1-\gamma)/2} \text{ erg sec}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ Hz}^{-1}$$

Faraday rotation

$$\Delta\phi = \frac{f_e}{2} \left(\frac{\omega_p}{\omega}\right)^2 \omega_B \Delta z$$

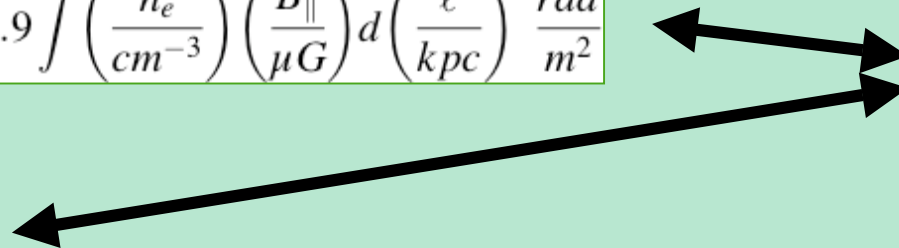
$$\omega_p = \left(\frac{4\pi n_e e^2}{m_e}\right)^{1/2} \quad \omega_B = \frac{eB}{mc}$$

$$\phi = RM \lambda^2 + \phi_0$$

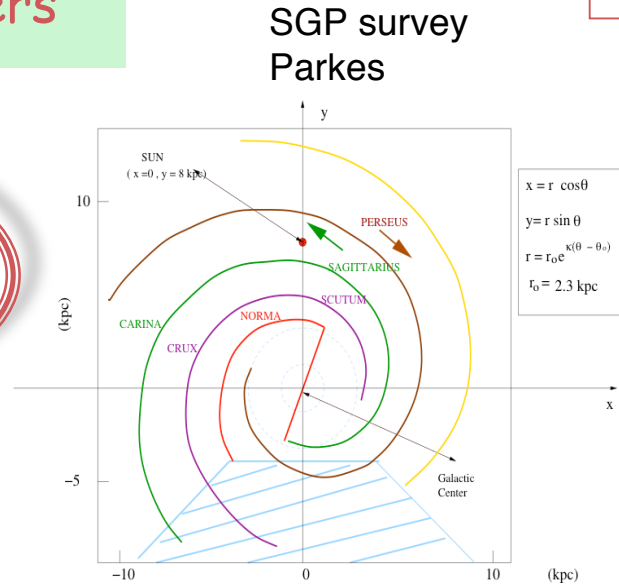
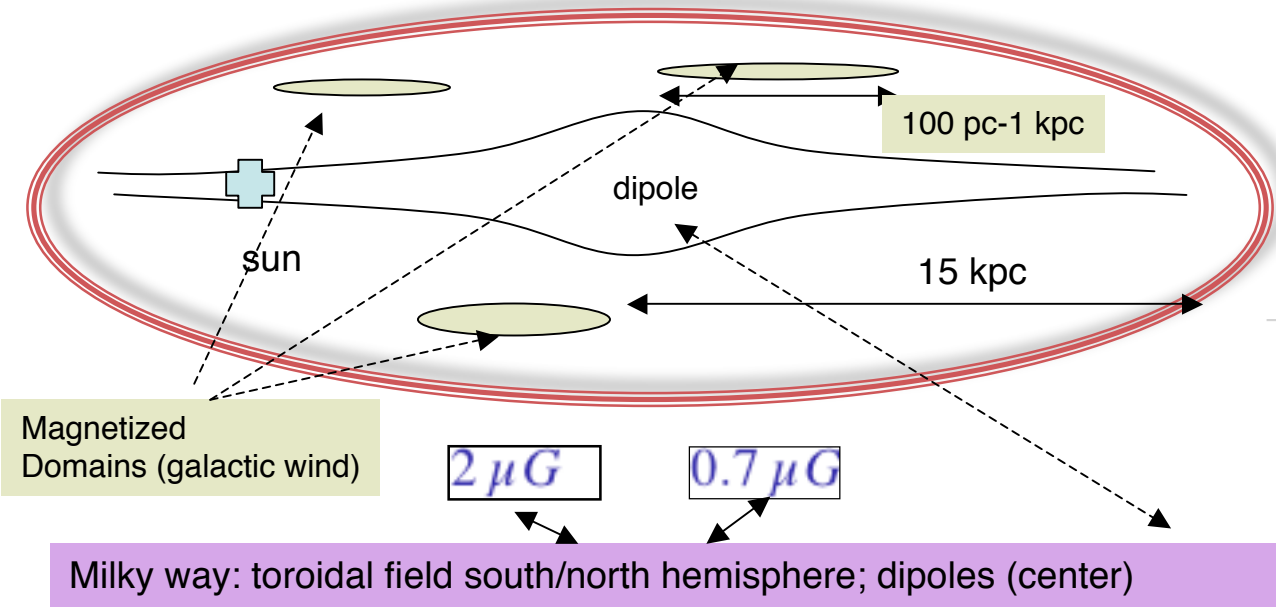
$$RM = \frac{\Delta\phi}{\Delta\lambda^2} = 811.9 \int \left(\frac{n_e}{\text{cm}^{-3}}\right) \left(\frac{B_{\parallel}}{\mu\text{G}}\right) d\left(\frac{\ell}{\text{kpc}}\right) \frac{\text{rad}}{\text{m}^2}$$

$$\langle B_{\parallel} \rangle = \frac{RM}{DM}$$

$$DM \propto \int n_e dl$$



# Magnetized galaxies, clusters, and superclusters



Local Group: Andromeda, Magellanic Clouds, ...  $2 - 7 \mu G$  (elliptical galaxies: shorter scale)

Abell Clusters (like COMA): magnetic fields inside cluster (VLA+ROSAT) [Faraday RM]  
 Typical RM:  $100 \text{ rad/m}^2$   $B \sim 0.5 \mu G = 500 \text{ nG}$   $L \sim 50 - 100 \text{ kpc}$

Superclusters: Local Supercluster (Local Group + Virgo Cluster)  $1.5 \mu G$   
 Coma Supercluster (COMA+ Abell 1367)  $0.5 \mu G$  ?

If true: important for UHECR... Hercules / Perseus-Pisces  $B_L \simeq 0.5 \mu G$  Kronberg (2006)  
 $n_e \simeq 10^{-6} \text{ cm}^{-3}$  GRG  $L \simeq 500 \text{ kpc}$

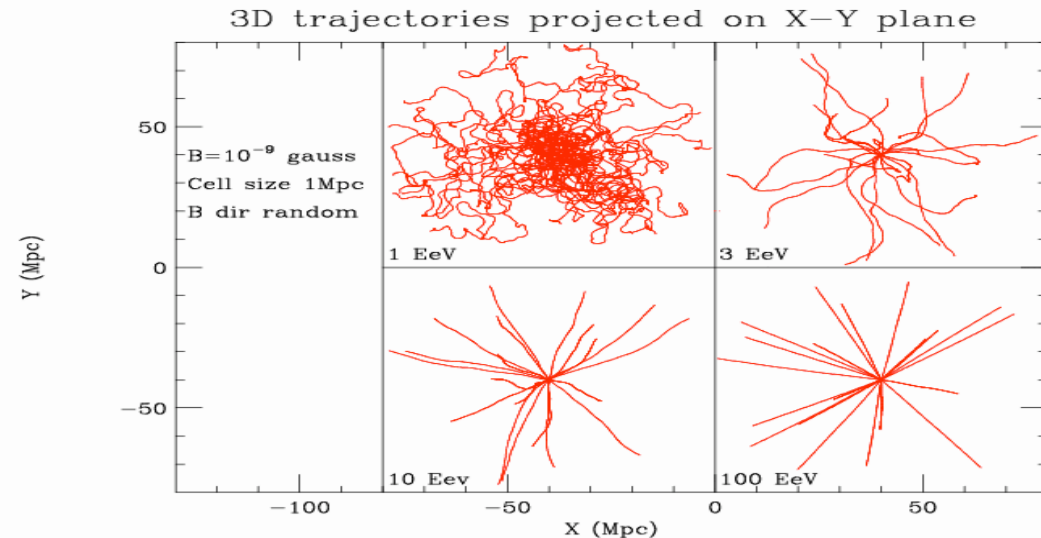
## Cosmic Rays: Auger

Recent Auger results:

They reject (to 6 sigma confidence) the hypothesis that the CR spectrum continues in the form of a power law for energies larger than  $10^{19.6} \text{eV}$

They DO NOT find anisotropies near the direction of the Galactic center for energies between  $10^{18} \text{eV}$  and  $10^{19} \text{eV}$

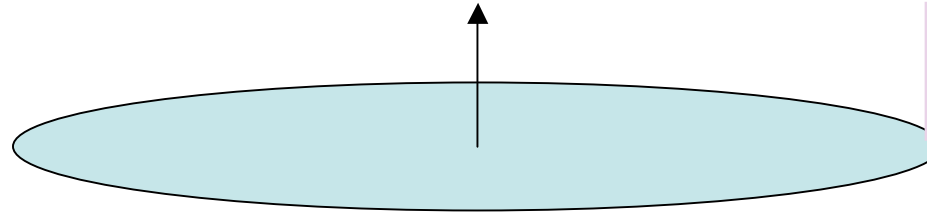
Projected view of 20 trajectories of proton primaries emanating from a point source for several energies.



# Dynamo and compressional amplification

Galaxy:

$$\lambda_D \simeq \sqrt{\frac{T}{8\pi n_e e^2}}$$



Charged fluid  
(globally neutral)

Typical rotation period:  $P \sim 3 \times 10^8 \text{ yrs}$  age  $T \sim 10^{10} \text{ yrs}$

Dynamo instability:

$$\alpha = -\frac{\tau_0}{3} \langle \vec{v} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{v} \rangle \sim 9.1 \times 10^6 \frac{\text{cm}}{\text{sec}}$$

$$\frac{1}{4\pi\sigma} = 10^{25} \frac{\text{cm}^2}{\text{sec}}$$

$$\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{v} \times \vec{B}) + \frac{1}{4\pi\sigma} \nabla^2 \vec{B}$$

Dynamo term

Diffusivity term

$$\frac{\partial \langle \vec{B} \rangle}{\partial t} = \alpha \vec{\nabla} \times \langle \vec{B} \rangle + \frac{1}{\sigma} \nabla^2 \langle \vec{B} \rangle$$

$$1/k \sim L > \text{kpc}$$

Maximal and optimistic amplification:

$$e^{\Gamma t} \sim e^{T/P} \sim e^N \sim 10^{13}$$

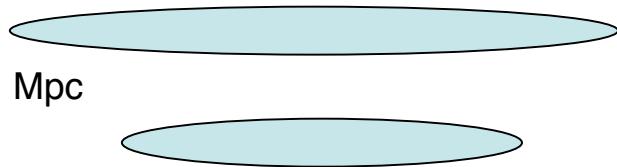
$B_i \sim 10^{-19} \text{ G}$  Over  $L = 30 \text{ kpc}$

Compressional amplification:

$$B_b = \left( \frac{\rho_b}{\rho_a} \right)^{2/3} B_a$$

Mpc

30 kpc



Clash: dynamo versus helicity conservation.  
Brandenburg & Subramanian

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V d^3x \vec{A} \cdot \vec{B} = -\frac{1}{4\pi\sigma} \int_V d^3x \vec{B} \cdot \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B} + O\left(\frac{1}{\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$B_i \geq 10^{-23} \text{ G over } L \sim \text{Mpc}$$

# Primordial magnetogenesis

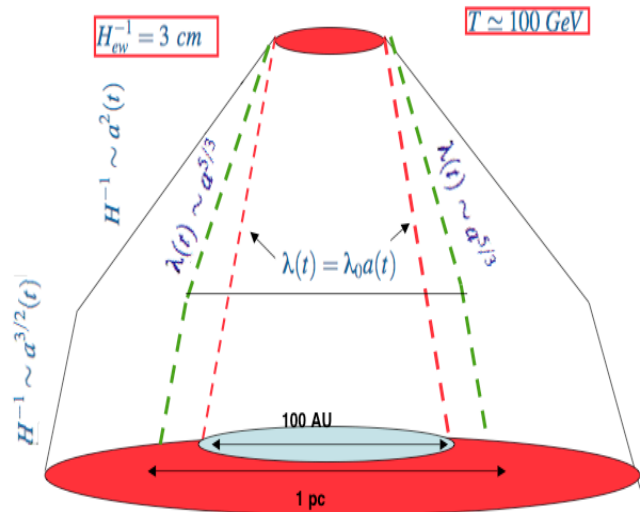
$B_{\text{seed}} > 10^{-23} \text{G}$  → Too optimistic

$B_{\text{seed}} \simeq 10^{-11} \text{G} = O(0.01 \text{nG})$

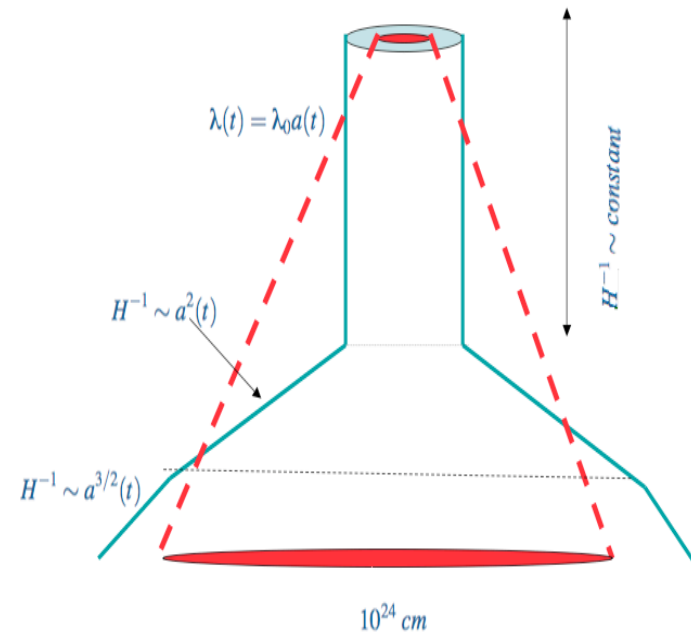
$B_{\text{seed}} > 10^{-18} \text{G}$  → More realistic [ flux not exactly conserved, small-scale fields can grow large and swamp dynamo action]

effective e-folds 30->25

## CAUSAL mechanisms



## “Inflationary” mechanisms



LET US SUPPOSE....

FOREGROUNDS & B FIELDS

Uniform magnetic field approximation  
[ magnetic field along a specific axis].  
Simplified estimates  
[not so realistic in diverse cases]

- distortion of the Planckian spectrum
- shift of the polarization plane of CMB (Faraday rotation)
- effects on primary anisotropies

Intermediate situation:  
uniform magnetic field with  
inhomogeneous fluctuations

Fully inhomogeneous  
magnetic fields : more  
realistic [mathematically  
less tractable]

# Zeldovich approximation (1965)

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Zeldovich "approximation": homogeneous field with (weak) breaking of spatial isotropy

Y. Zeldovich  
Sov. Phys. JETP 21  
656 (1965)

Magnetic fields weakly breaks spatial isotropy: Bianchi-type I paradigm

(generalizations MG PRD 2000)

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - a^2(t)dx^2 - b^2(t)[dy^2 + dz^2]$$

Electromagnetic radiation propagating along x and y will have a different temperature

$$T_x(t) = T_1 \frac{a_1}{a} = T_1 e^{-\int H(t) dt},$$

$$T_y(t) = T_1 \frac{b_1}{b} = T_1 e^{-\int F(t) dt}$$



$$\frac{\Delta T}{T} \sim \int [H(t) - F(t)] dt = \frac{1}{2} \int r(t) d \log t$$

Radiation-dominated case

$$r(t) = \frac{3[H(t) - F(t)]}{[H(t) + 2F(t)]}$$

Shear parameter is conserved and proportional to the magnetic energy density

From "Zeldovich" approximation"

$$\frac{B_0^2}{\rho_\gamma} \leq 10^{-6} \rightarrow B_0 \leq 2.23 \times 10^{-9} \text{ Gauss}$$

More accurate estimates based on modified angular power spectrum lead to quantitatively similar estimates.

G. Chen, et al APJ (2004)

# Faraday rotation by a UNIFORM magnetic field

From two-fluid description:

Kosowsky & Loeb ApJ (97)  
MG PRD (97), MG(PR,2005)

$$\Delta\phi = f_e \frac{e}{2m_e} \left(\frac{\omega_p}{\omega}\right)^2 (\vec{B} \cdot \hat{z}) \delta z$$

$$B_c \sim 10^{-3} \text{ G}$$

$$\langle (\Delta\phi)^2 \rangle^{1/2} \simeq 1.6^0 \left(\frac{B}{B_c}\right) \left(\frac{\omega_M}{\omega}\right)^2$$

$$\omega_F = \frac{d\phi}{d\eta} = \frac{e^3 n_e x_e \vec{B} \cdot \vec{q} a}{8\pi^2 m_e^2 v^2 a_0}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta'_Q + (ik\mu + \tau')\Delta_Q - 2\omega_F\Delta_U &= \frac{\tau'}{2}[1 - P_2(\mu)]S_Q \\ \Delta'_U + (ik\mu + \tau')\Delta_U + 2\omega_F\Delta_Q &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Axial symmetry around k, e.g. B || k (!)

$$\tau' = x_e n_e \sigma_T \frac{a}{a_0}$$

$$S_Q = \Delta_{l,2} + \Delta_{Q,0} + \Delta_{Q,2}$$

$$TB = \omega_F TE$$

Visibility function

$$B_0 < 10^{-8} \text{ Gauss, @ 30 GHz}$$

$$(\Delta_Q \pm i\Delta_U) = \frac{3}{4}(1 - \mu^2) \int_0^{\eta_0} d\eta e^{-ik\mu\Delta\eta} K(\eta) S_Q(\eta) e^{\mp 2i\omega_F\Delta\eta}$$

From WMAP TE correlations

E-modes are ROTATED into B-modes !

$$\begin{aligned} a_{E,\ell m} &= -\frac{1}{2}(a_{2,\ell m} + a_{-2,\ell m}) \\ a_{B,\ell m} &= \frac{i}{2}(a_{2,\ell m} - a_{-2,\ell m}). \end{aligned}$$

$$(\Delta_Q \pm i\Delta_U)(\hat{n}) = \sum_{\ell m} a_{\pm 2, \ell m} \pm 2 Y_{\ell m}(\hat{n})$$

$$E(\hat{n}) = \sum_{\ell m} a_{E,\ell m} Y_{\ell m}(\hat{n}), \quad B(\hat{n}) = \sum_{\ell m} a_{B,\ell m} Y_{\ell m}(\hat{n}).$$

# Fully inhomogeneous magnetic fields

$$\langle B_i(\vec{k}, \tau) B^j(\vec{p}, \tau) \rangle = \frac{2\pi^2}{k^3} P_i^j(k) \delta^{(3)}(\vec{k} + \vec{p})$$

$$B_i(\vec{k}, \tau) = a^2(\tau) \mathcal{B}_i(\vec{k}, \tau)$$

Spectral index

~~$$P_i^j(k) = P_B(k) \left( \delta_{ij} - \frac{k_i k_j}{k^2} \right) + i Q_B(k) \epsilon_{ij\ell} \frac{k^\ell}{k}$$~~

$$P_B(k) = A_B \left( \frac{k}{k_p} \right)^\epsilon$$

~~$$Q_B(k) = \tilde{A}_B k^{\tilde{\epsilon}}$$~~

MHD approach:

$$\vec{J} = \frac{1}{4\pi} \vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B},$$

$$\vec{E} = \frac{\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B}}{4\pi\sigma} - \vec{v} \times \vec{B}$$

$$\frac{1}{a^4} \vec{\nabla} \cdot [\vec{J} \times \vec{B}] = \frac{1}{4\pi a^4} \vec{\nabla} \cdot [(\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B}) \times \vec{B}]$$

Divergence of "Lorentz Force"

$$\delta_s \mathcal{T}_0^0 = \delta_s \rho_B, \quad \delta_s \mathcal{T}_i^j = -\delta_s p_B \delta_i^j + \tilde{\Pi}_i^j$$

Not all independent !

$$\delta_s \rho_B = \frac{|B^2(\vec{x}, \tau)|^2}{8\pi a^4(\tau)}, \quad \delta_s p_B = \frac{\delta \rho_B}{3}$$

Magnetic energy density and pressure

$$\tilde{\Pi}_i^j = \frac{1}{4\pi a^4(\tau)} \left[ B_i B^j - \frac{B^2}{3} \delta_i^j \right]$$

Anisotropic stress

# Inhomogeneities in FRW models

$$\delta T_{\mu\nu} = \delta T_{\mu\nu}^{(S)} + \delta T_{\mu\nu}^{(V)} + \delta T_{\mu\nu}^{(T)}$$

$$g_{\mu\nu} \rightarrow g_{\mu\nu}(\tau) + \delta g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) \longrightarrow \delta g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) = \delta_s g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) + \delta_v g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) + \delta_t g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau)$$

10 degrees of freedom

$$ds^2 = a^2(\tau)[d\tau^2 - d\vec{x}^2]$$

$$\delta_s g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) = a^2(\tau) \begin{pmatrix} 2\phi & -\partial_i B \\ -\partial_i B & 2(\psi\delta_{ij} - \partial_i \partial_j E) \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{4 d. f.}$$

$$\delta_v g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) = a^2(\tau) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -Q_i \\ -Q_i & \partial_i W_j + \partial_j W_i \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{4 d. f.}$$

$$\partial_i Q^i = 0, \quad \partial_i W^i = 0$$

$$\delta_t g_{\mu\nu}(\vec{x}, \tau) = a^2(\tau) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -h_{ij} \end{pmatrix} \longrightarrow \text{2 d. f.}$$

$$\partial_i h^i_j = 0, \quad h^i_i = 0$$

- 1) Vector modes (easier)
- 2) Tensor modes (gauge-invariant)
- 3) Scalar modes (most complicated)

4) CMB anisotropies induced by scalar modes

5) CMB polarization

# Magnetized curvature perturbations

Choose a gauge (for instance conformally Newtonian)

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{a'}{a}$$

$$\xi = -\psi - \frac{\delta\rho_t + \delta\rho_B}{\rho_t'} \mathcal{H}$$



Hamiltonian constraint

Density contrast on uniform curvature hypersurfaces

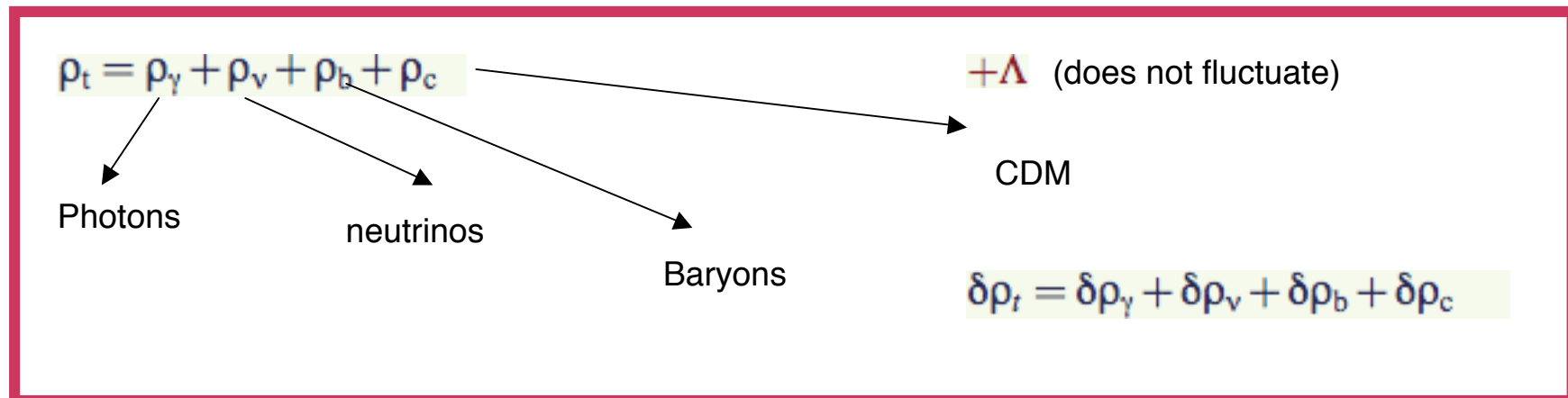
$$\xi = \mathcal{R} + \frac{\nabla^2\psi}{12\pi G a^2 (\rho_t + \rho_t')}$$

$$\mathcal{R} = -\psi - \frac{\mathcal{H}(\mathcal{H}\phi + \psi')}{\mathcal{H}^2 - \mathcal{H}'}$$



$$\xi(k, \tau) \simeq \mathcal{R}(k, \tau) + O(|k\tau|^2)$$

Curvature fluctuations on comoving orthogonal hypersurfaces



## Evolution equations

Photons and baryons : tightly coupled at early times

$$\theta_\gamma \simeq \theta_b = \theta_{\gamma b}$$

$$\theta'_{\gamma b} + \frac{\mathcal{H}R_b}{(1+R_b)}\theta_{\gamma b} + \frac{\nabla^2\delta_\gamma}{4(1+R_b)} + \nabla^2\phi = \frac{3}{4a^4\rho_\gamma(1+R_b)}\vec{\nabla}\cdot[\vec{J}\times\vec{B}]$$

$$\delta_\gamma = \frac{\delta\rho_\gamma}{\rho_\gamma}$$

$$\theta_{\gamma b} = \partial_i v_{\gamma b}^i$$

$$R_b = \left(\frac{698}{z+1}\right)\left(\frac{\omega_b}{0.023}\right)\left(\frac{\omega_\gamma}{2.47\times 10^{-5}}\right)^{-1}$$

Neutrinos : collisionless below 1 MeV

$$\theta'_v + \frac{1}{4}\nabla^2\delta_v + \nabla^2\phi = \nabla^2\sigma_v, \quad \delta'_v = 4\psi' - \frac{4}{3}\theta_v, \quad \sigma'_v = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$\delta_v = \frac{\delta\rho_v}{\rho_v}$$

$$\theta_v = \partial_i v_v^i$$

CDM : only coupled through metric fluctuations

$$\theta'_c + \mathcal{H}\theta_c + \nabla^2\phi = 0, \quad \delta'_c = 3\psi' - \theta_c, \quad \delta_c = \frac{\delta\rho_c}{\rho_c}$$

$$\theta_c = \partial_i v_c^i$$

Anisotropic stress: important aspect (neutrinos + magnetic fields)

$$\nabla^4(\phi - \psi) = 12\pi G a^2 [(p_v + \rho_v)\nabla^2\sigma_v + (p_\gamma + \rho_\gamma)\nabla^2\sigma_B]$$

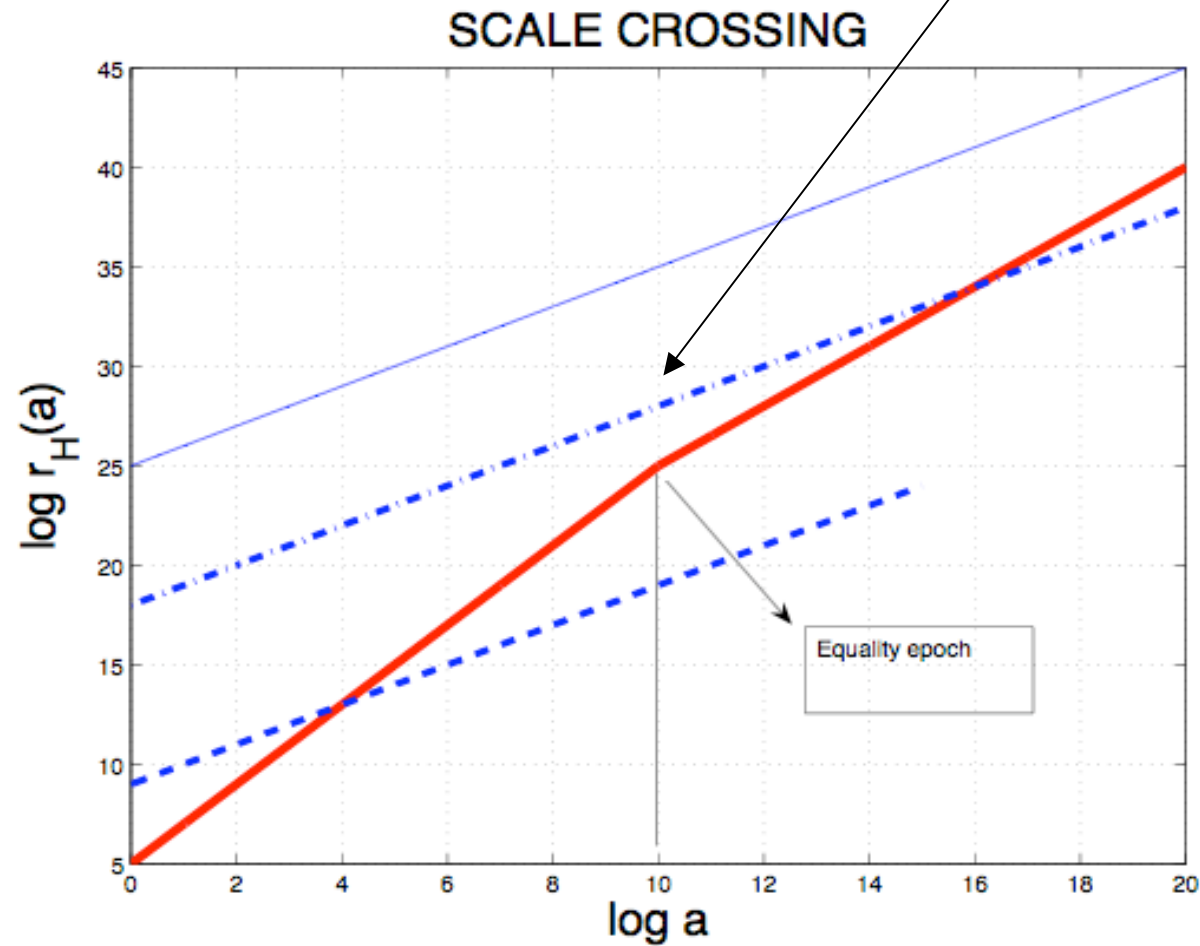
$$\nabla^2\sigma_B = \frac{3}{16\pi a^4\rho_\gamma}\vec{\nabla}\cdot[(\vec{\nabla}\times\vec{B})\times\vec{B}] + \frac{\nabla^2\Omega_B}{4}$$

$$\Omega_B(\vec{x}) = \frac{\delta\rho_B(\tau, \vec{x})}{\rho_\gamma(\tau)}$$

+ PERTURBED  
EINSTEIN EQUATIONS  
COUPLING PLASMA &  
MAGNETIC FIELDS

## Crossing of different scales

$$\xi' = -\frac{\mathcal{H}}{\rho_t(1+w_t)}\delta p_{\text{nad}} + \frac{\mathcal{H}(3c_{\text{st}}^2 - 1)}{3\rho_t(1+w_t)}\delta\rho_B - \frac{\theta_t}{3}$$



## Magnetized adiabatic mode

$$|k\tau| \ll 1$$

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$$\delta_\gamma = \delta_\nu = -2\phi_i - R_\gamma\Omega_B, \quad \delta_b = \delta_c = -\frac{3}{2}\phi_i - \frac{3}{4}R_\gamma\Omega_B$$

Density contrasts

$$\theta_{\gamma b} = \frac{k^2\tau}{4}[2\phi_i + R_\nu\Omega_B - 4\sigma_B], \quad \theta_c = \frac{k^2\tau}{2}\phi_i, \quad \theta_\nu = \frac{k^2\tau}{2}\left[\phi_i - \frac{R_\gamma\Omega_B}{2}\right] + k^2\tau\frac{R_\gamma}{R_\nu}\sigma_B$$

Peculiar velocities

$$\psi_i = \phi_i\left(1 + \frac{2}{5}R_\nu\right) + \frac{R_\gamma}{5}(4\sigma_B - R_\nu\Omega_B), \quad \sigma_\nu = -\frac{R_\gamma}{R_\nu}\sigma_B + \frac{k^2\tau^2}{6R_\nu}(\psi_i - \phi_i).$$

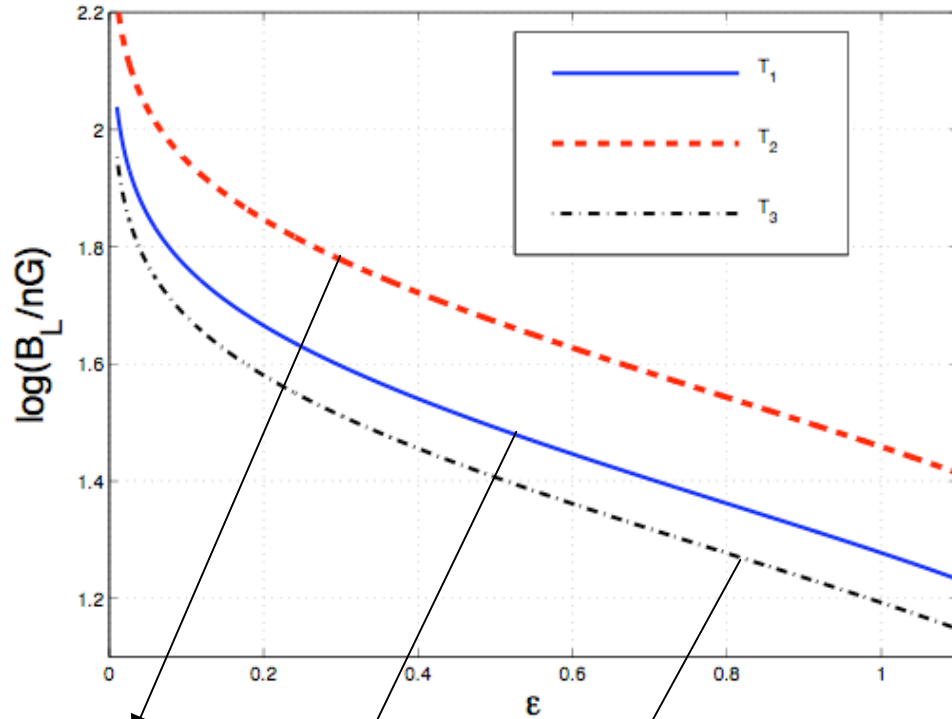
Metric variables & quadrupole moment of neutrino phase space distribution

Notation

$$R_\gamma = 1 - R_\nu, \quad R_\nu = \frac{r}{1+r}, \quad r = \frac{7}{8}N_\nu\left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{4/3} \equiv 0.681\left(\frac{N_\nu}{3}\right)$$

# Different thermal histories

$n_s = 0.947, \gamma = \pi/2, h_0^2 \Omega_{M0} = 0.1326$

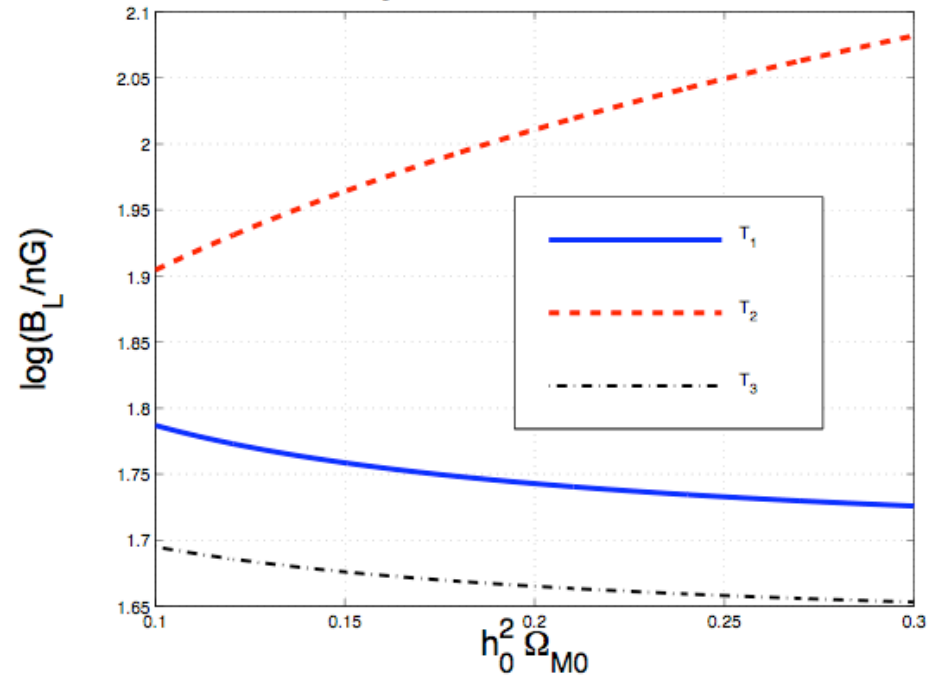


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Inflation  $\rightarrow$  Radiation  $\rightarrow$  Matter  $\rightarrow$  DE

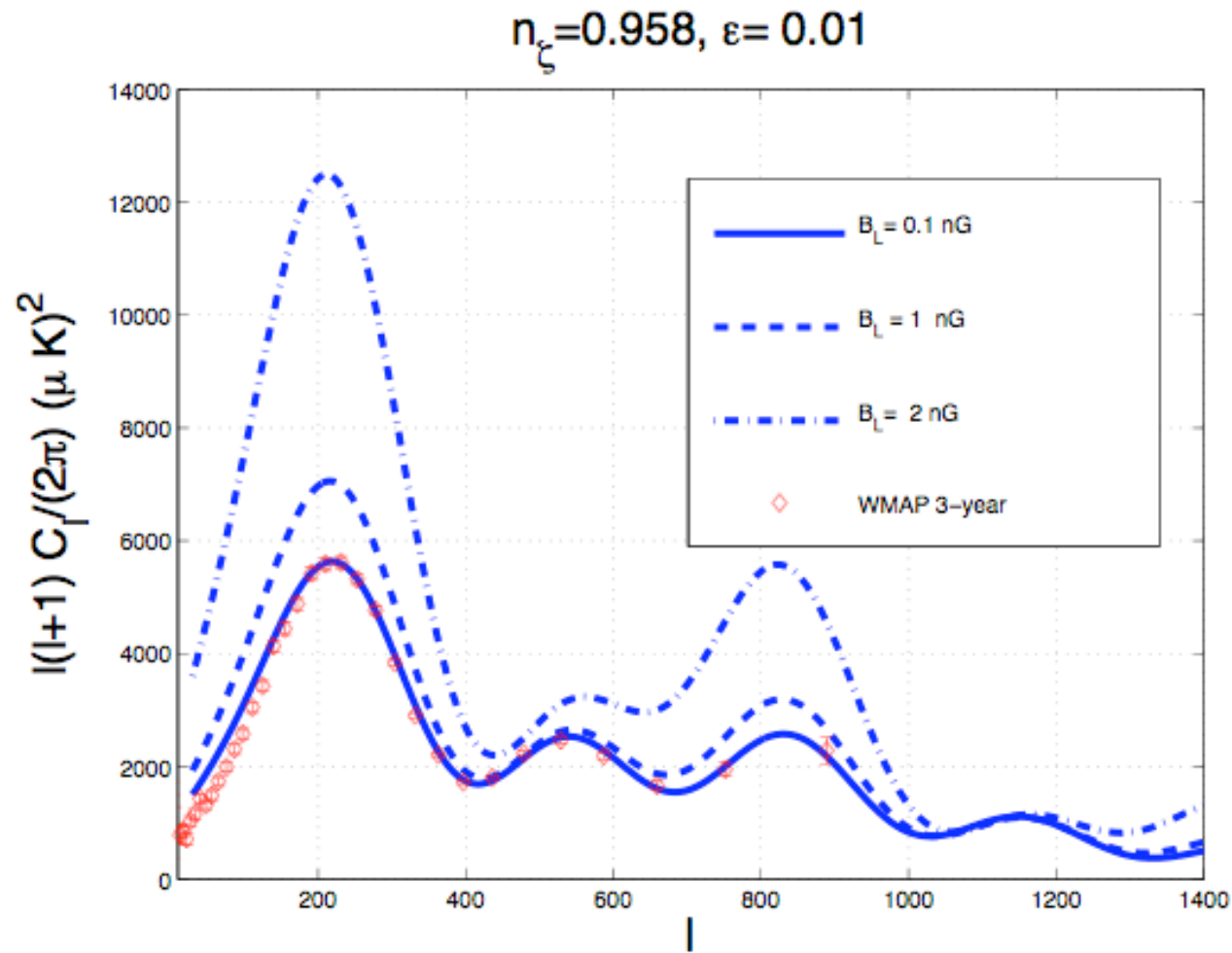
Inflation  $\rightarrow$  prolonged reheating  $\rightarrow$  Radiation  $\rightarrow$  Matter  $\rightarrow$  DE

$n_s = 0.947, \epsilon = 0.1, \gamma = \pi/2$



# Temperature autocorrelations/1

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$$h_0 = 0.73$$

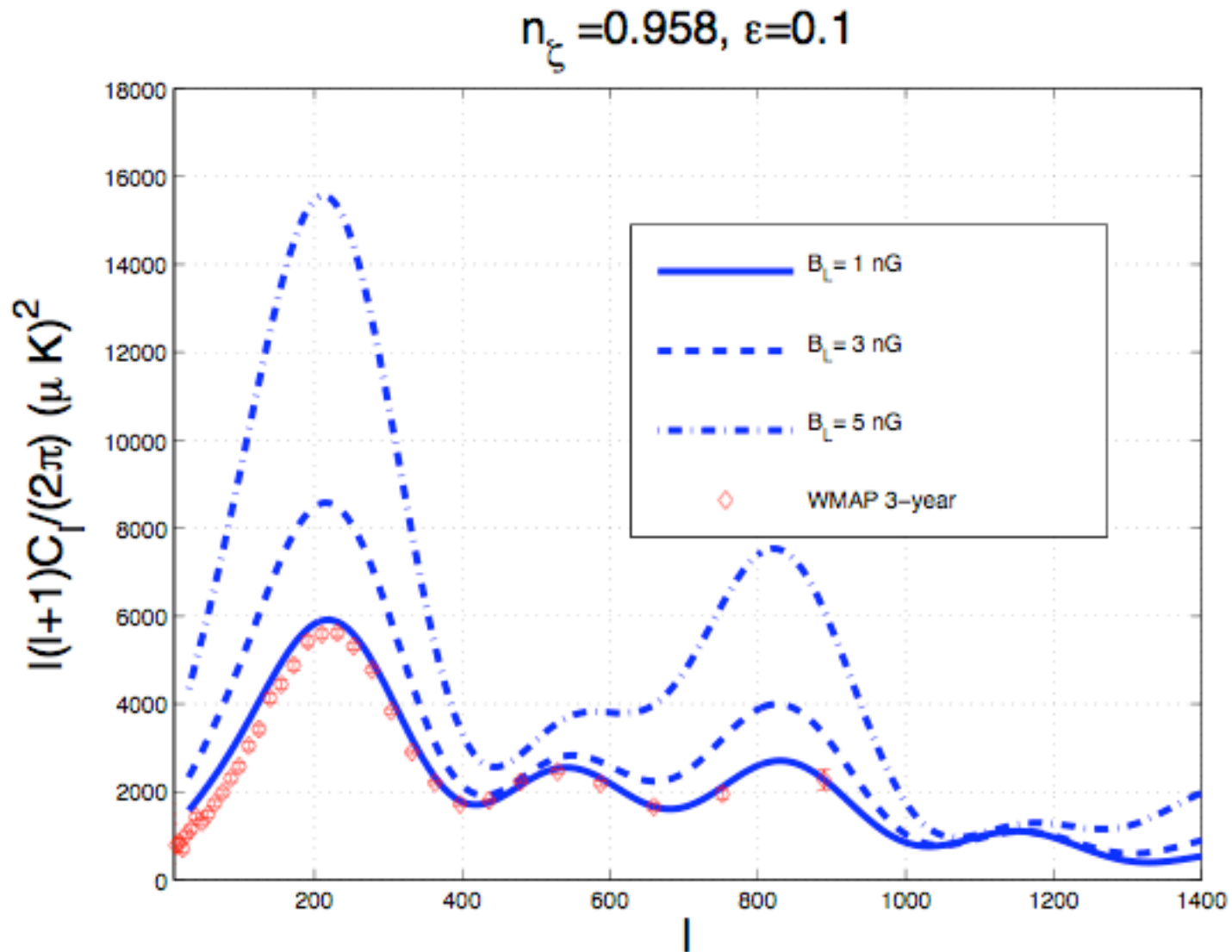
$$h_0^2 \Omega_{b0} = 0.02229$$

$$h_0^2 \Omega_{c0} = 0.1504$$

$$h_0^2 \Omega_{M0} = 0.1277$$

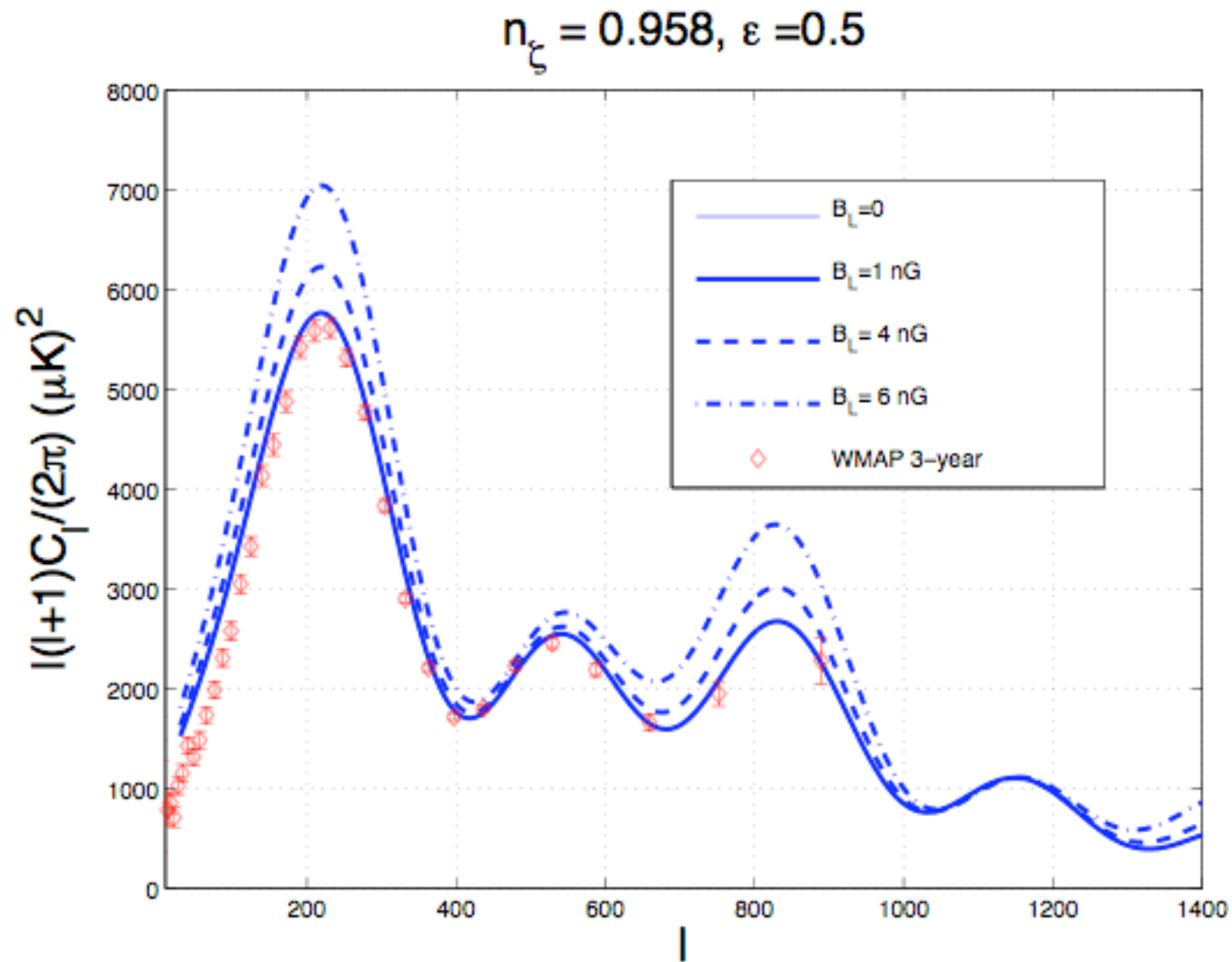
(WMAP + ACBAR + CBI + VSA + HSTKP + SDS + SNLS + SNGS)

# Temperature autocorrelations/2

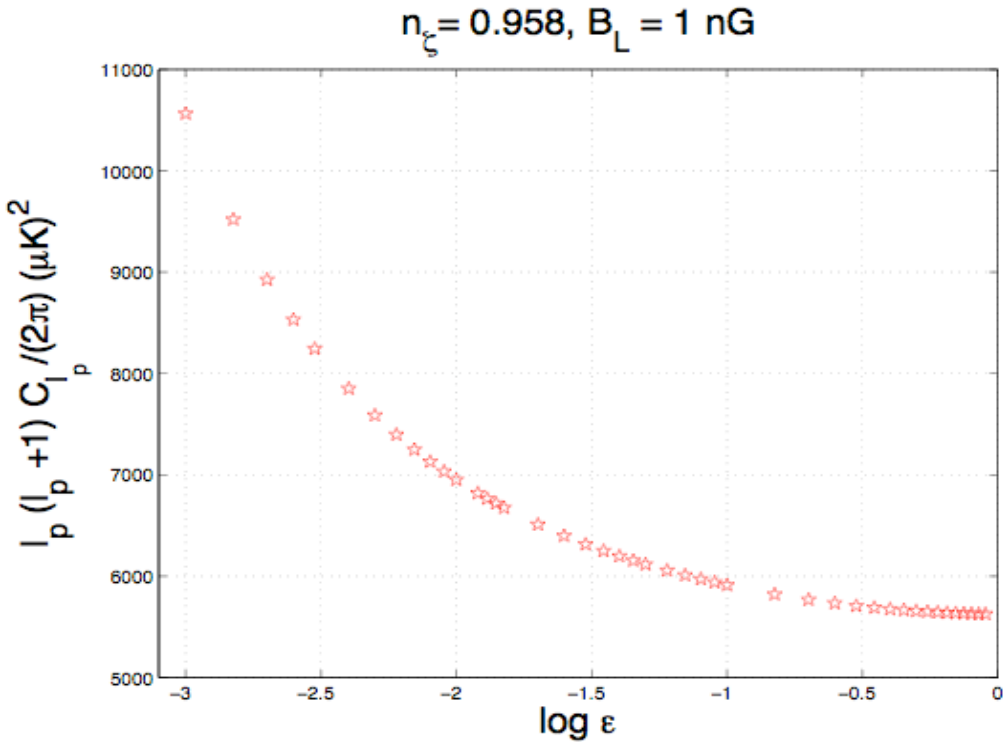
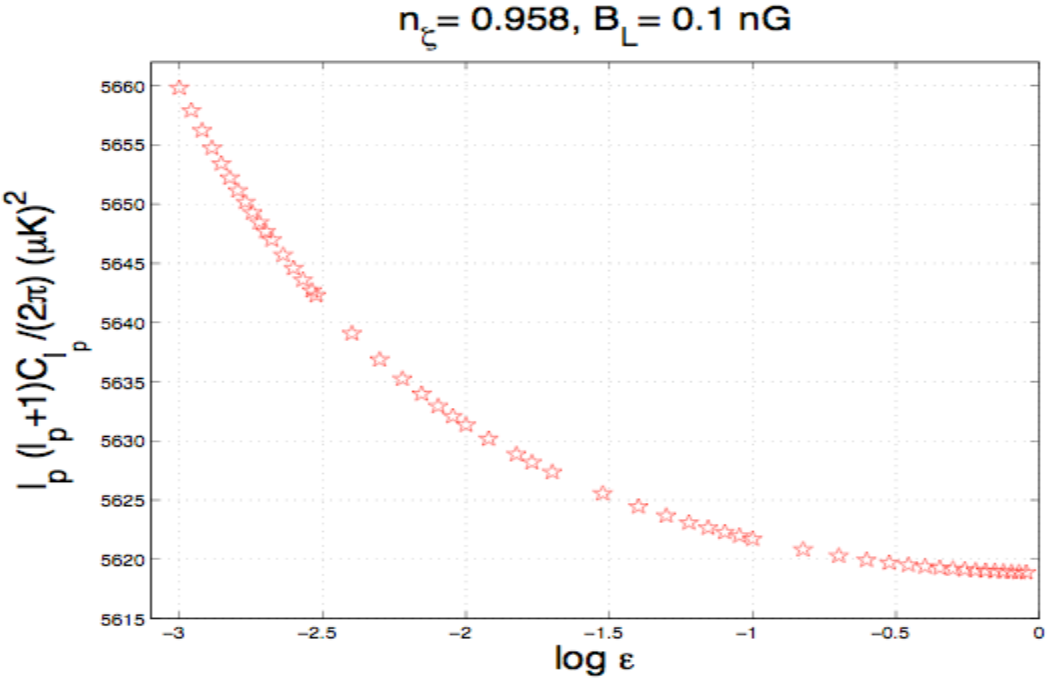


# Temperature autocorrelations/3

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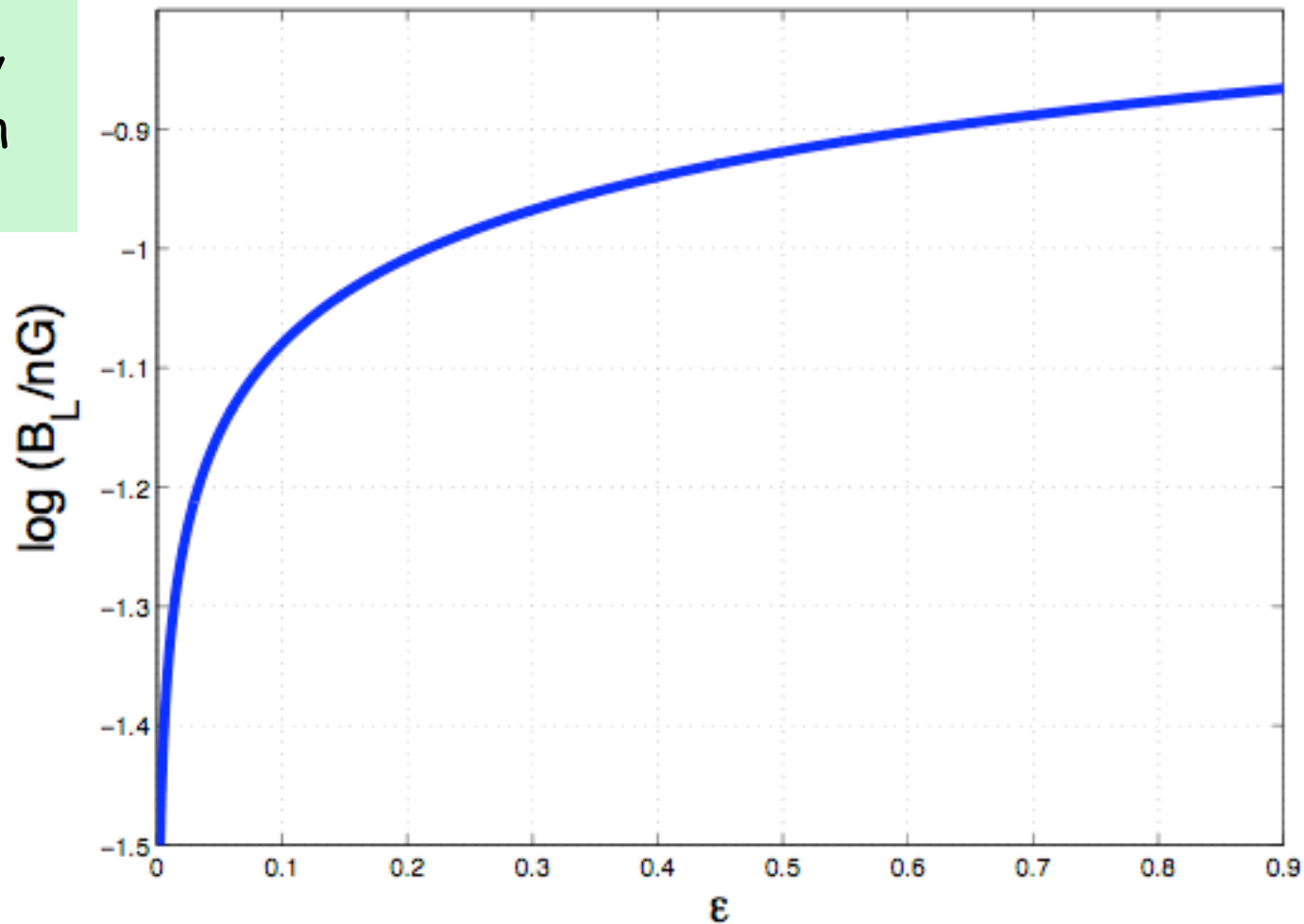
# Bounds/1



# Bounds/2

Stronger  
than  
Faraday  
rotation  
limits!

$$l_p = 220, \quad l_p(l_p + 1)C_l / (2\pi) = 5620 \text{ } (\mu\text{K})^2$$



## Concluding remarks

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First quantitative estimates of scalar magnetized modes

Sizable magnetic fields @ nG level excluded

Magnetic fields germane to several aspects of CMB physics

Eagerly waiting for PLANCK and (much later ?) SKA ...

develop tools for the analysis  
and  
reconsider the theoretical ideas.