



# Preliminary analysis of external datasets

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#### WMAP Overview

• WMAP observed for 9 years at 5 frequency bands

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- Lower sensitivity than *Planck*, but its frequencies are interleaved with the *Planck* LFI's bands
- WMAP's scan strategy is complementary to Planck's, and can break degeneracies in both datasets' mapmaking
- TOD processing has been very well documented, and can easily be reproduced<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup><u>https://lambda.gsfc.nasa.gov/product/map/dr5/pub\_p</u> <u>apers/nineyear/supplement/WMAP\_supplement.pdf</u>



Bennett et al. (2013) arXiv:1212.5225





- WMAP K-band is a natural candidate to extend the BP pipeline
- Its 23 GHz map gives the current best publicly available template for polarized synchrotron emission
- The dataset itself is well-understood and the analysis process is well-documented by the *WMAP* Science team.
- The uncalibrated uncompressed WMAP data is 626 GB, which we can easily hold in memory all at once, which was not the case during the WMAP Science team's original analysis.
- Original WMAP data was processed year-by-year; code has been rewritten to process entire data set at once



#### **Observing strategy**

 WMAP observes the sky at ~141° separation, making the data inherently differential

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- Large fractions of the sky are covered over short
   periods of time
- Pixels are re-observed with different polarization orientation for good characterization of systematics



https://map.gsfc.nasa.gov/mission/observatory\_scan.html



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Each differencing assembly (DA) consists of four radiometers, with  $i=\{1,2\}$  representing orthogonal polarizations and  $j=\{3,4\}$  the two differenced timestreams for a single polarization mode.

The gain, g(t) was calibrated using the orbital dipole in the original *WMAP* analysis, as were the time-independent beam transmission coefficients,  $a_{iA}$  and  $a_{iB}$ , while baselines  $b_{ii}$  were fit hourly.

$$c_{ij}(t) = g_{ij}(t) \Big[ \alpha_{iA} \{ T[p_A(t)] + (-1)^i P[p_A(t), \gamma_A(t)] \} \\ - \alpha_{iB} \{ T[p_B(t)] + (-1)^i P[p_B(t), \gamma_B(t)] \} \Big] + b_{ij}$$



#### **Adjustments for differential mapmaking**

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#### WMAP analysis updates

Highly compressible data, raw data are stored as floats, but are recorded as discrete values

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> Can yield a factor of ~5 reduction in data volume simply by storing data as integers

- Baseline sampling has been replaced with correlated noise fitting (Ihle et al. 2020)
- Gain fitting uses formalism of Gjerløw et al. 2020

Raw Time-ordered Data



#### **Current results**

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#### Commander solution





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#### Commander-WMAP





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#### Commander-WMAP-dipole





#### **Cost per Gibbs sample**

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Data volume	81 GB on disk 177 GB of RAM
Initialization time	63 seconds of data I/O 141 seconds to read in model
Gibbs sampling cost	160 seconds per CG iteration $\mathcal{O}(5)$ iterations to converge
Total cost per sample	800 seconds using 64 2 GHz AMD cores



#### **Future Work**

 Instrument parameters are taken as fixed from WMAP nine year analysis; when combined with Planck data, we will be able to sample these parameters directly in the Gibbs chain

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> • TOD-level understanding of *WMAP* data set will allow for higher-quality maps





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#### **Questions?**

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