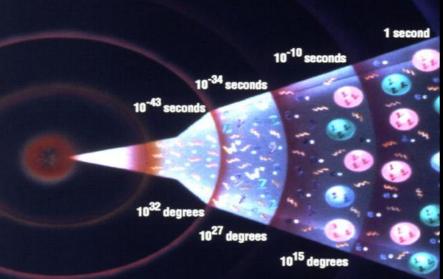
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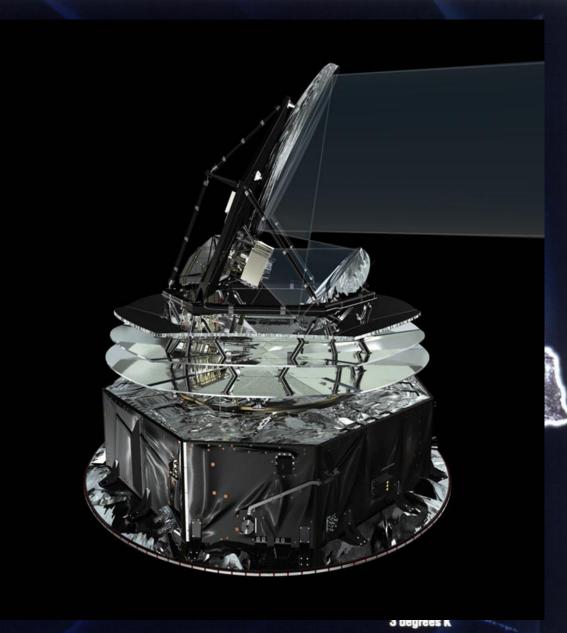


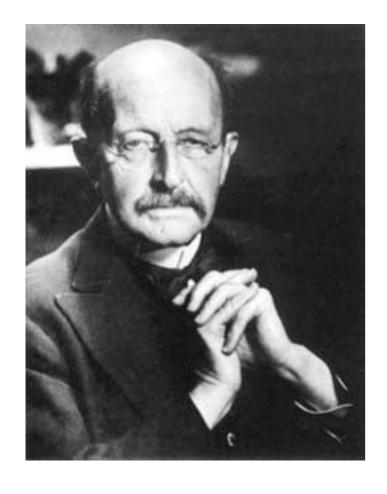


Big Bang



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Planck Units

 \hbar , c, G

Planck length : $\left(\frac{\hbar G}{c^3}\right)^{1/2} = 1.6 \times 10^{-35} \text{ metres}$

Planck mass : $\left(\frac{\hbar c}{G}\right)^{1/2} = 2.1 \times 10^{-8} \ \mathrm{kgrams}$

Planck time : $\left(\frac{\hbar G}{c^5}\right)^{1/2} = 5.4 \times 10^{-44}$ seconds

Planck energy : $\left(\frac{\hbar c^5}{G}\right)^{1/2} = 1.2 \times 10^{19} \; \mathrm{GeV}$

SOME 'BIG' COSMOLOGICAL QUESTIONS:

- 1. Why is the Universe so big?
- 2. Why is the Universe so old?
- 3. Why is the entropy so big?
- 4. Why is the entropy so small?
- 5. Why is the Universe so uniform and isotropic?
- 6. Where did the structure stars, galaxies, clusters of galaxies...come from?
- 7. What happened at the Big Bang?
- 8. Can we probe physics before the Big Bang?
- 9. What is the fate of the Universe?
- 10.

In fact there are many, many, models of inflation..... @ Paul Shellard

S-dimensional assisted inflation

assisted brane inflation

anomoly-induced inflation

assisted inflation

assisted chaotic inflation

boundary inflation

brane inflation

brane-assisted inflation

brane gas inflation

brane-antibrane inflation

braneworld inflation

Brans-Dicke chaotic inflation

Brans-Dicke inflation

bulky brane inflation

chaotic inflation

chaotic hybrid inflation

chaotic new inflation

D-brane inflation

D-term inflation

dilaton-driven inflation

dilaton-driven brane inflation

double inflation

double D-term inflation

dual inflation

dynamical inflation

dynamical SUSY inflation

eternal inflation

extended inflation

extended open inflation

extended warm inflation

extra dimensional inflation

F-term inflation

F-term hybrid inflation

false-vacuum inflation

false-vacuum chaotic inflation

fast-roll inflation

first-order inflation

gauged inflation

Hagedorn inflation

higher-curvature inflation

hybrid inflation

hyperextended inflation

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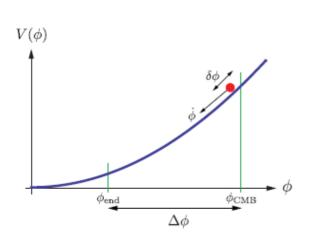
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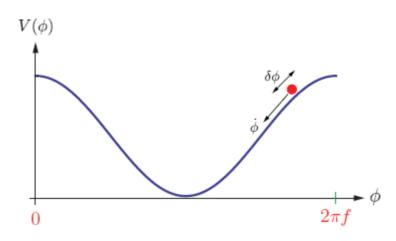
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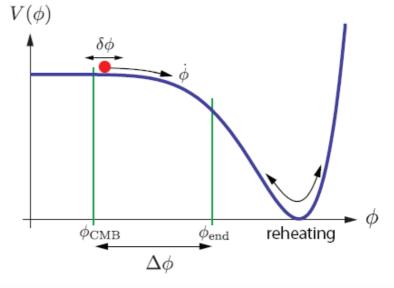
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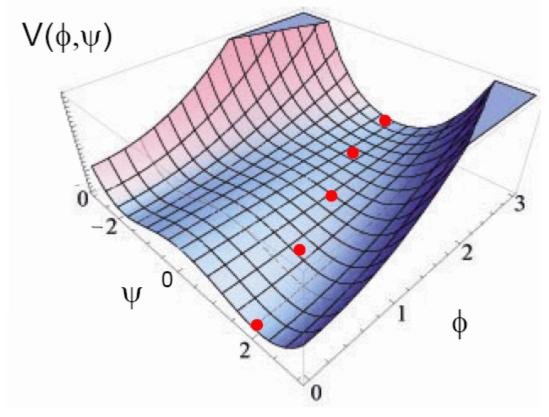
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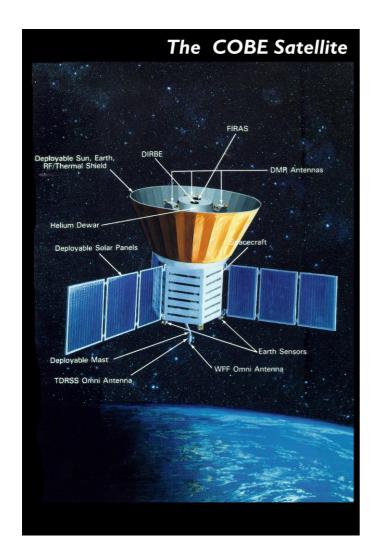
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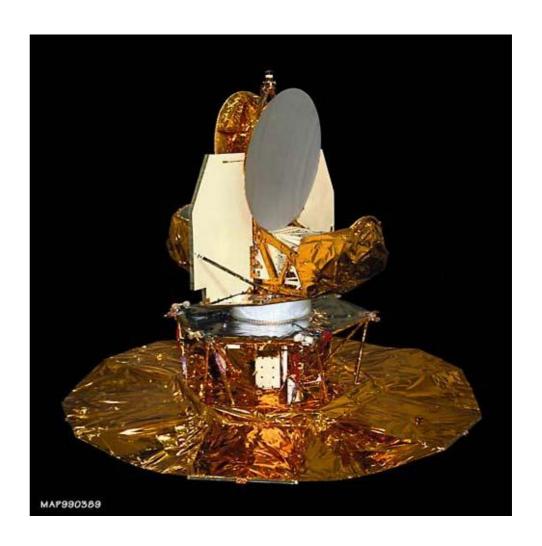






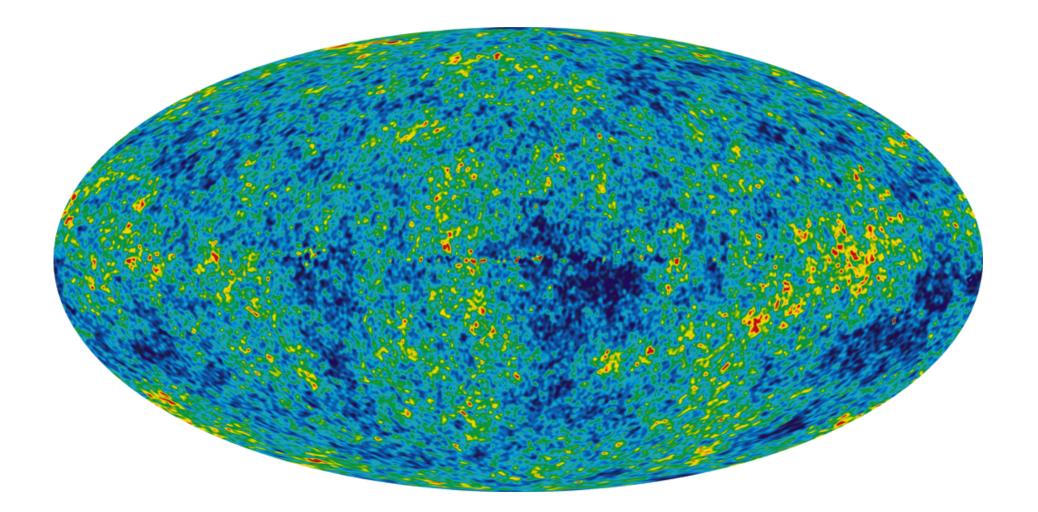


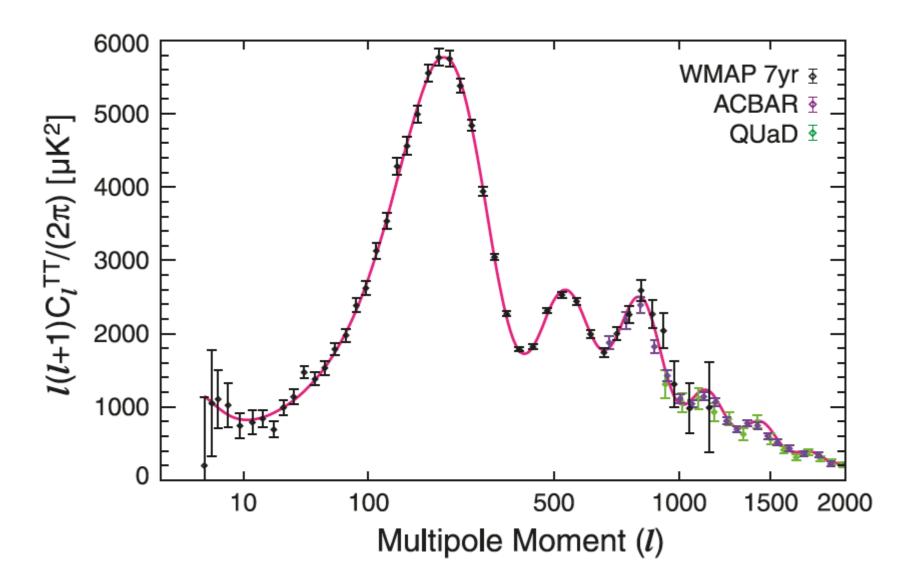




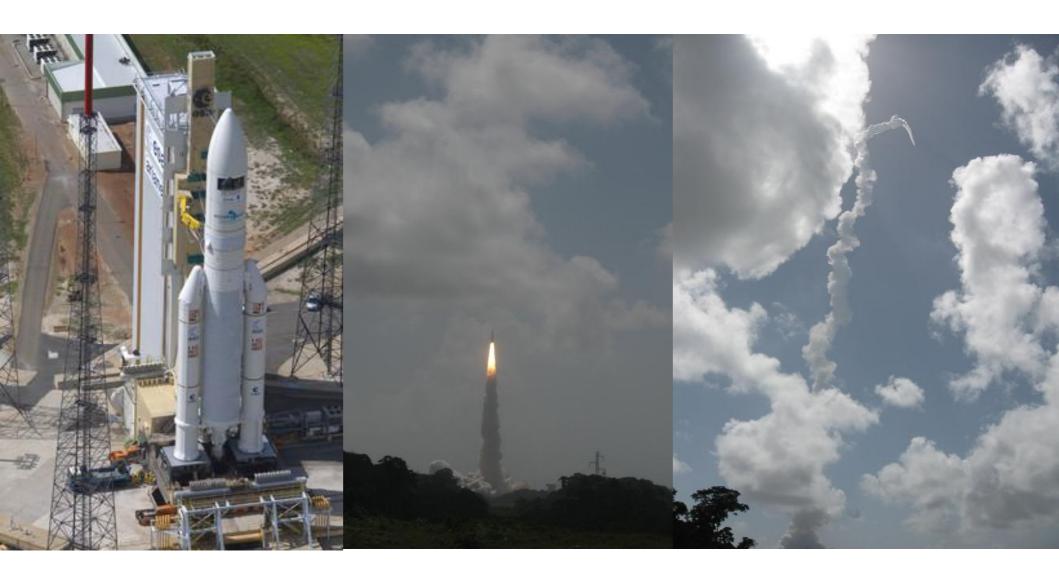
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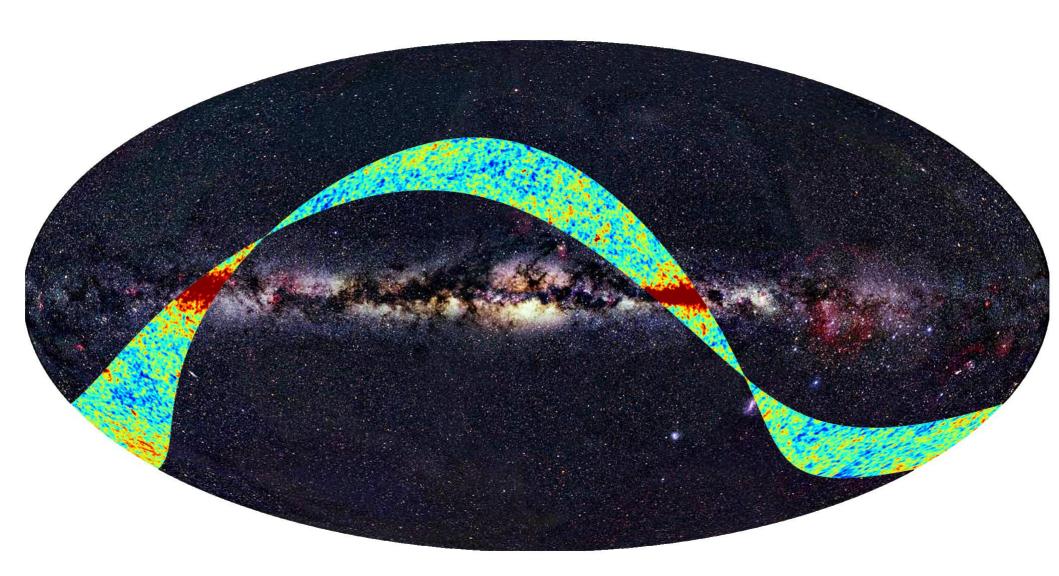


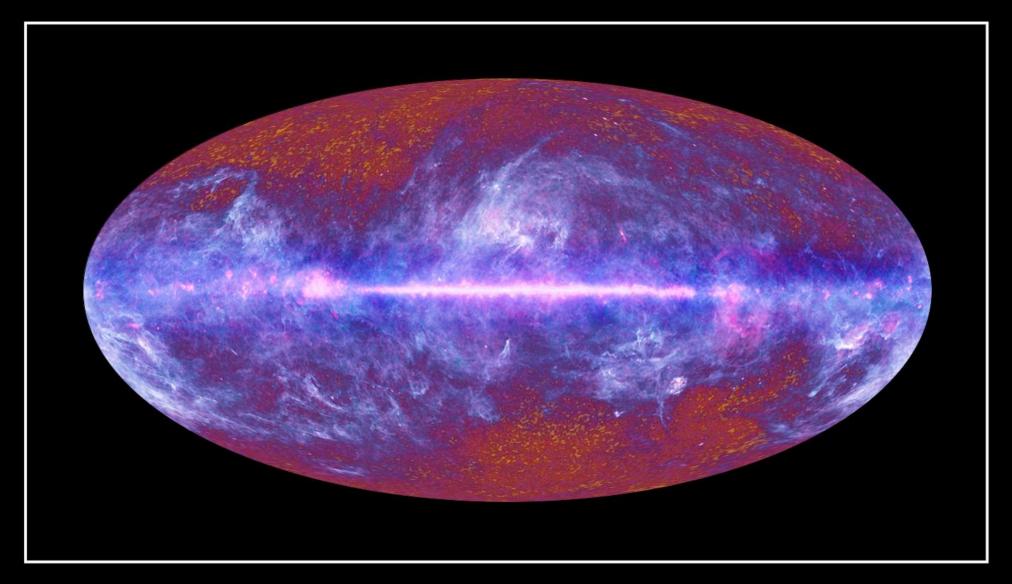




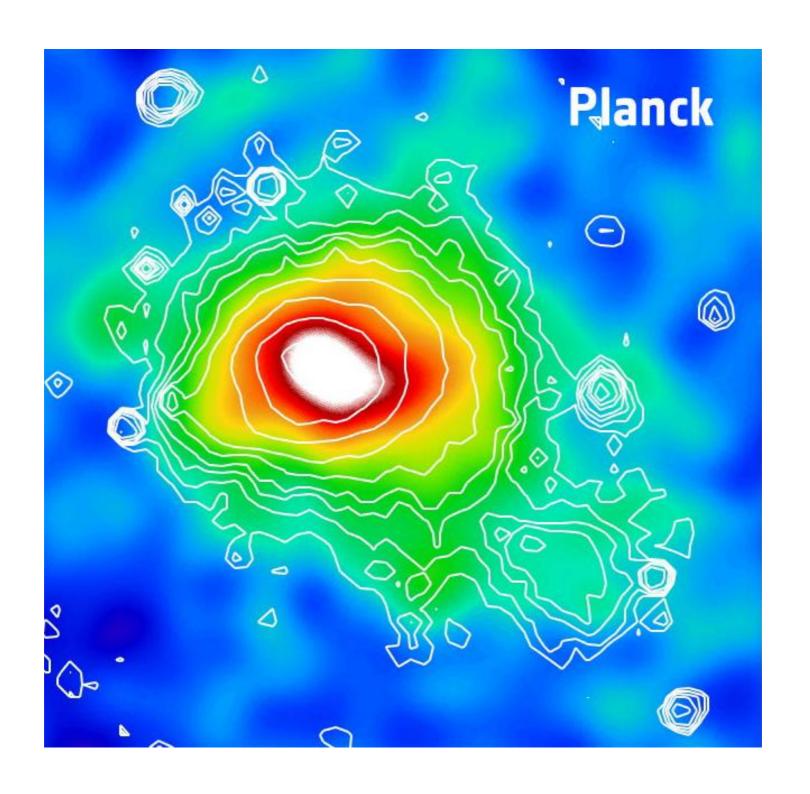


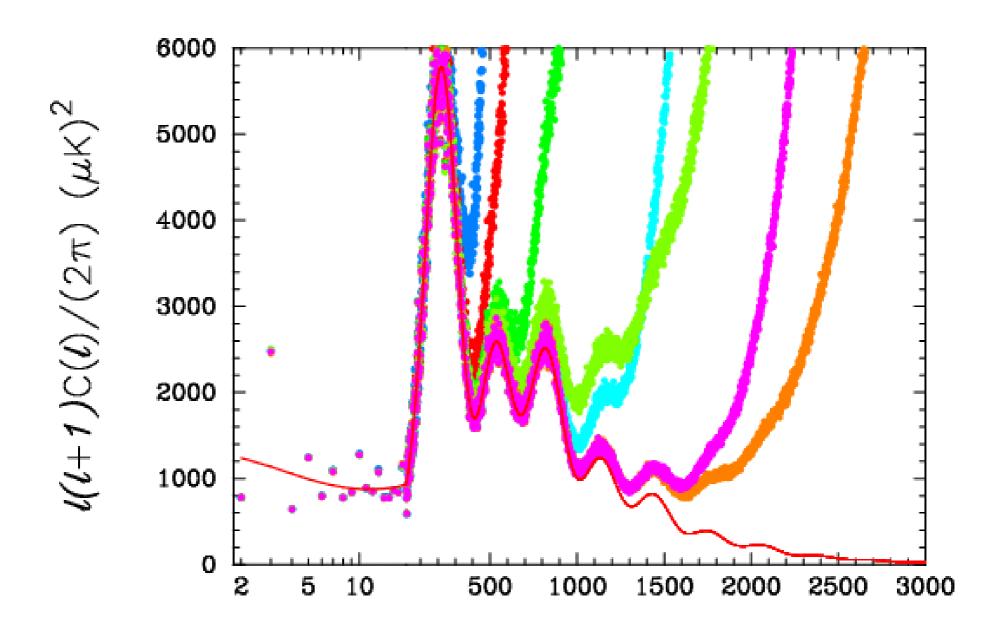
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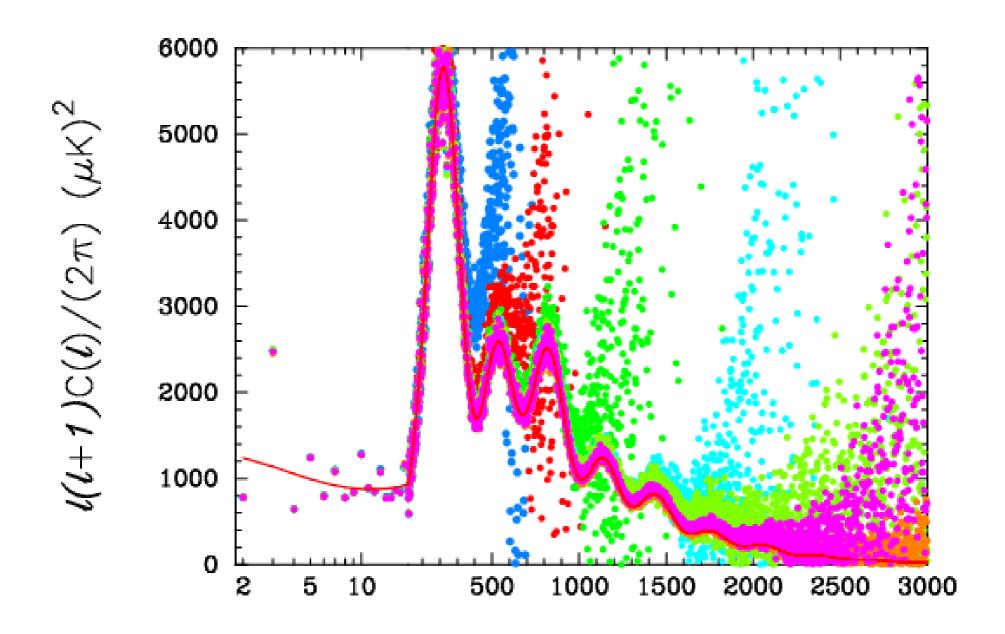


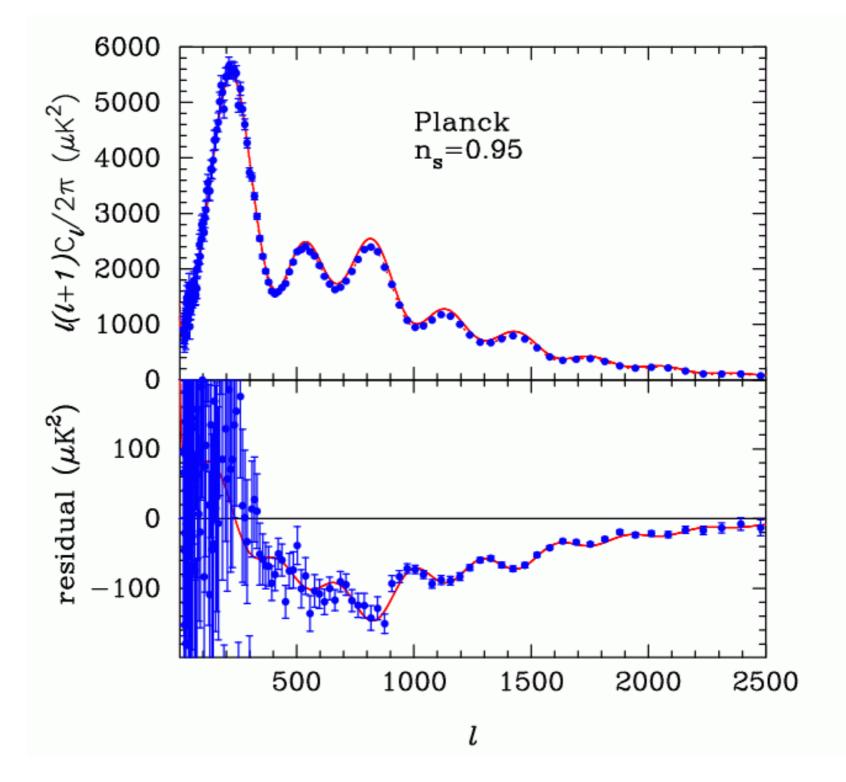






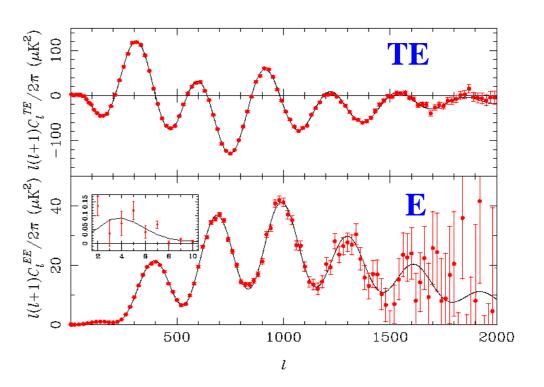




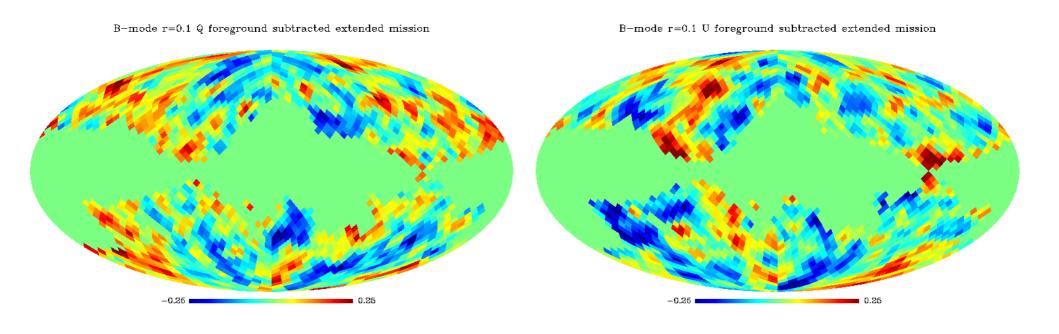


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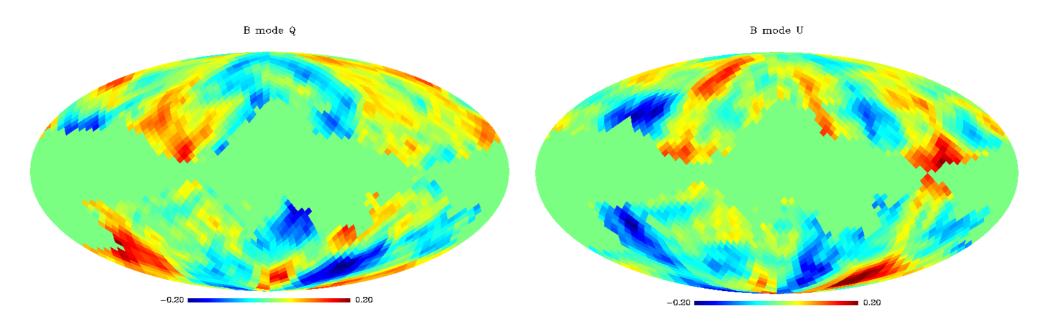
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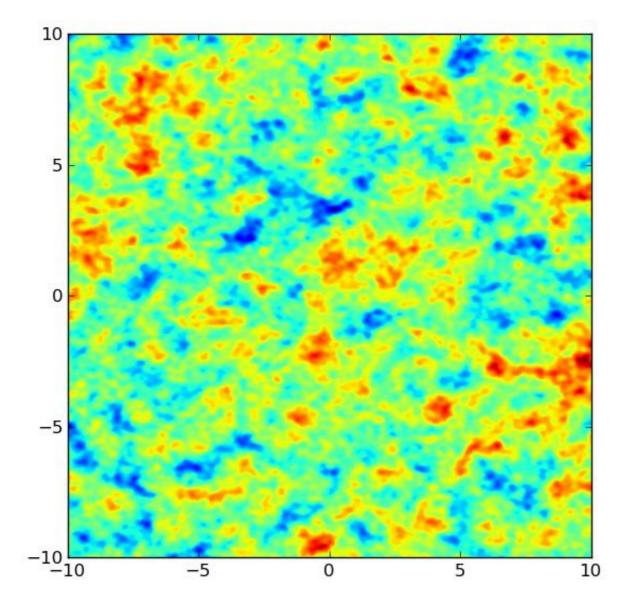


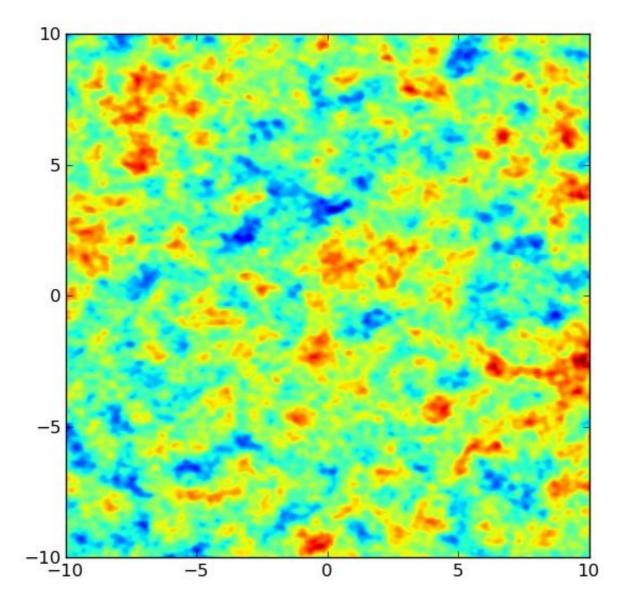
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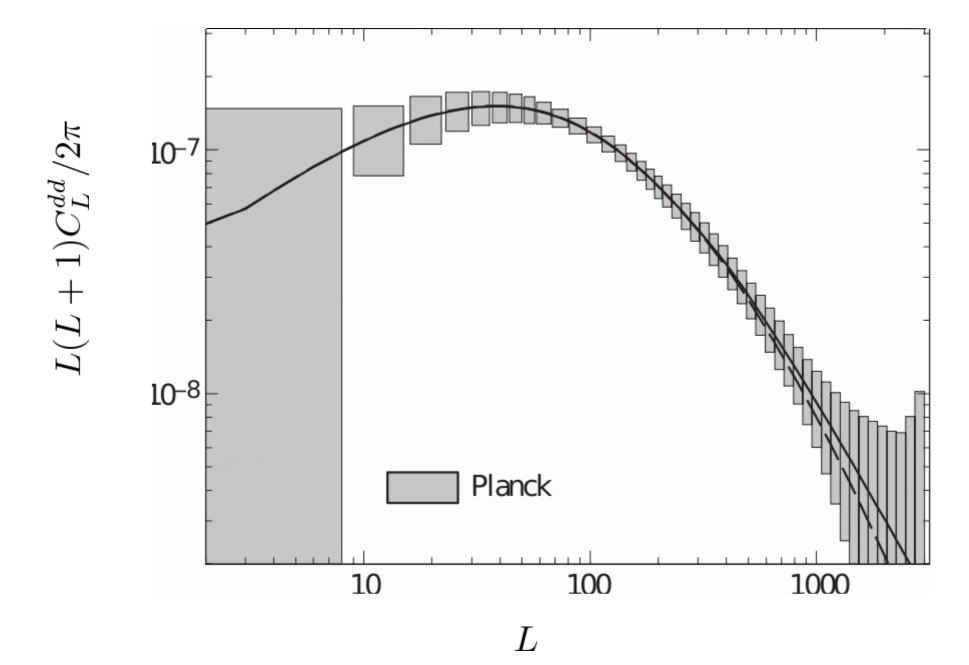


GRAVITATIONAL WAVES THEORETICAL MODEL



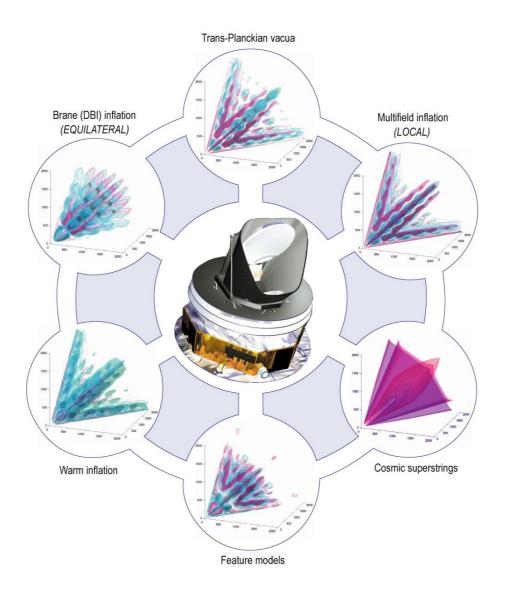


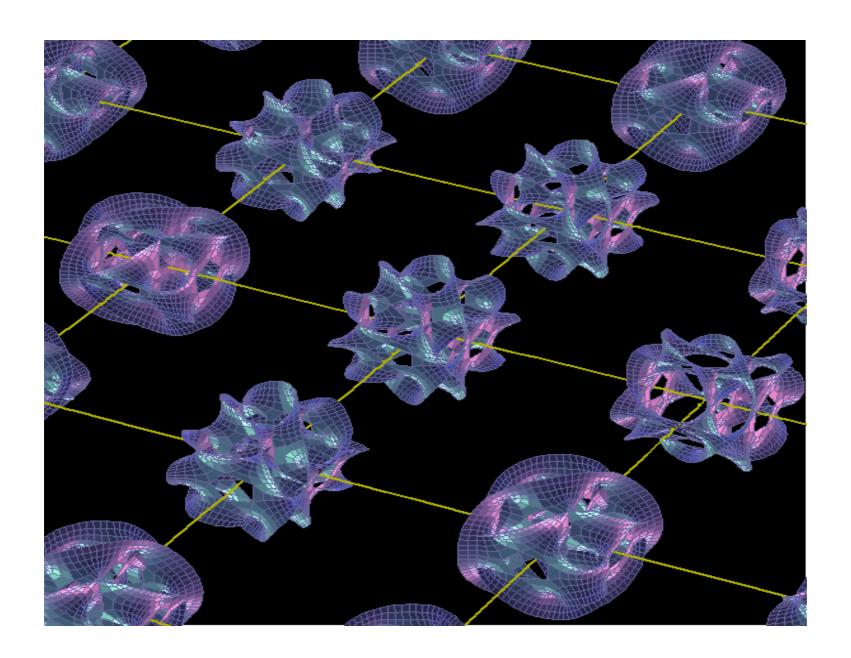




Primordial Non-Gaussianity

$$\langle \Phi(\mathbf{k}_1)\Phi(\mathbf{k}_2)\Phi(\mathbf{k}_3)\rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta^D(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3)F(k_1, k_2, k_3).$$





Timeline for Planck

October 2010: End of nominal mission

January 2011: ERCSC release

few hundred point sources (blazars/ quasars/IR gals/cold cores)

~ 100 SZ clusters of galaxies

January 2011: Planck early science papers

February 2012: End of extended mission

January 2013: Data/legacy catalogue/papers from nominal mission

January 2014: Data/legacy catalogue/papers from extended mission

