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# IMAGINE

## the interstellar magnetic field inference engine

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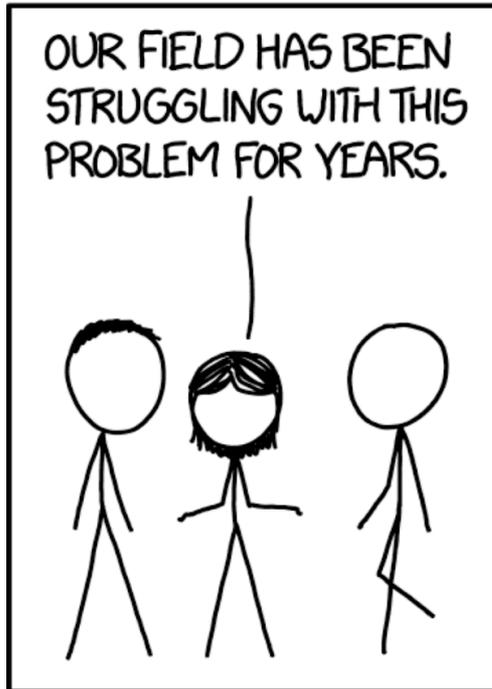
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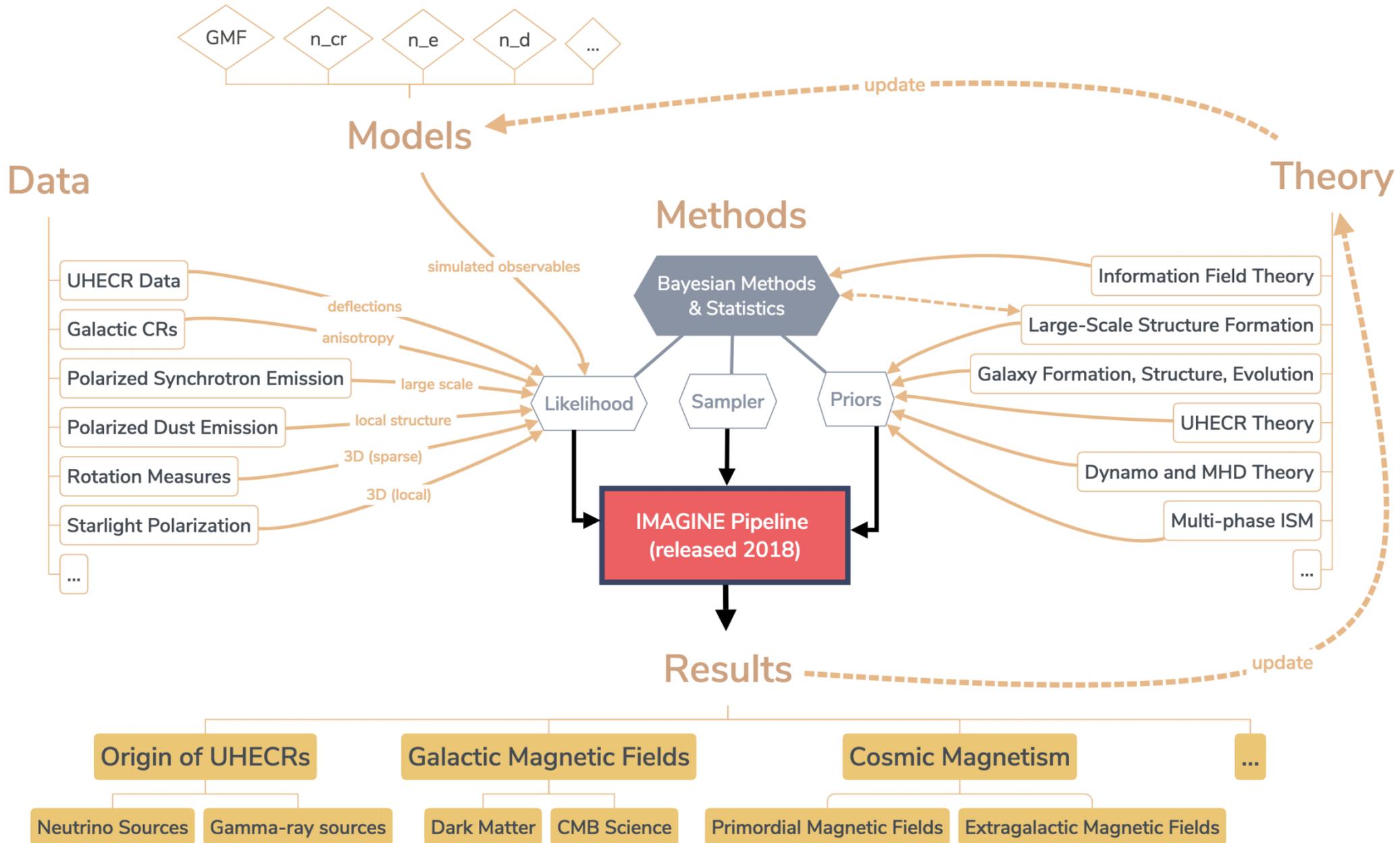
## **IMAGINE: a consortium & a pipeline**

- open collaboration
  - open data
  - open source code
- testable & reproducible results

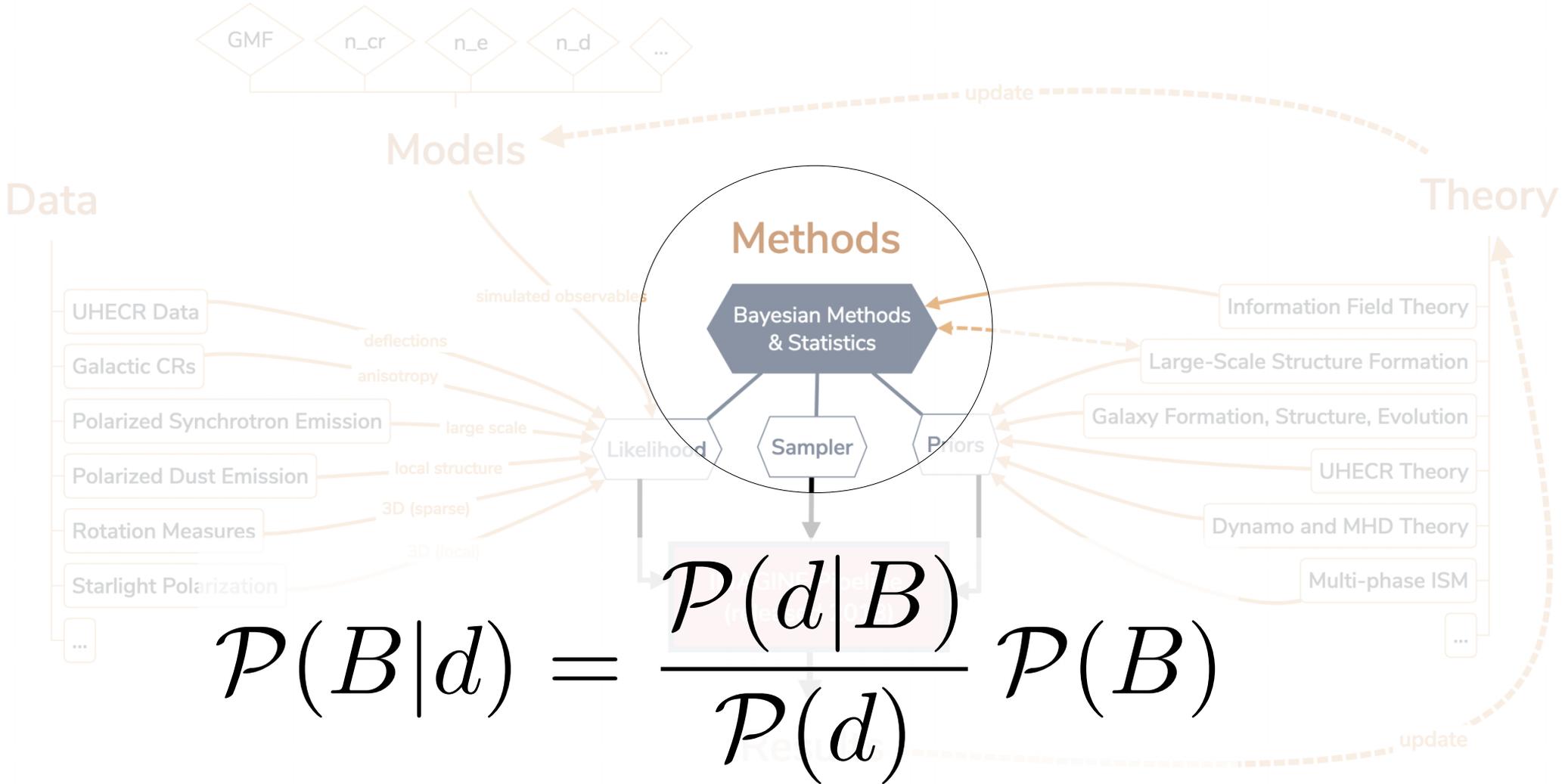
# IMAGINE ALGORITHM



# IMAGINE overview



# Bayesian Inference

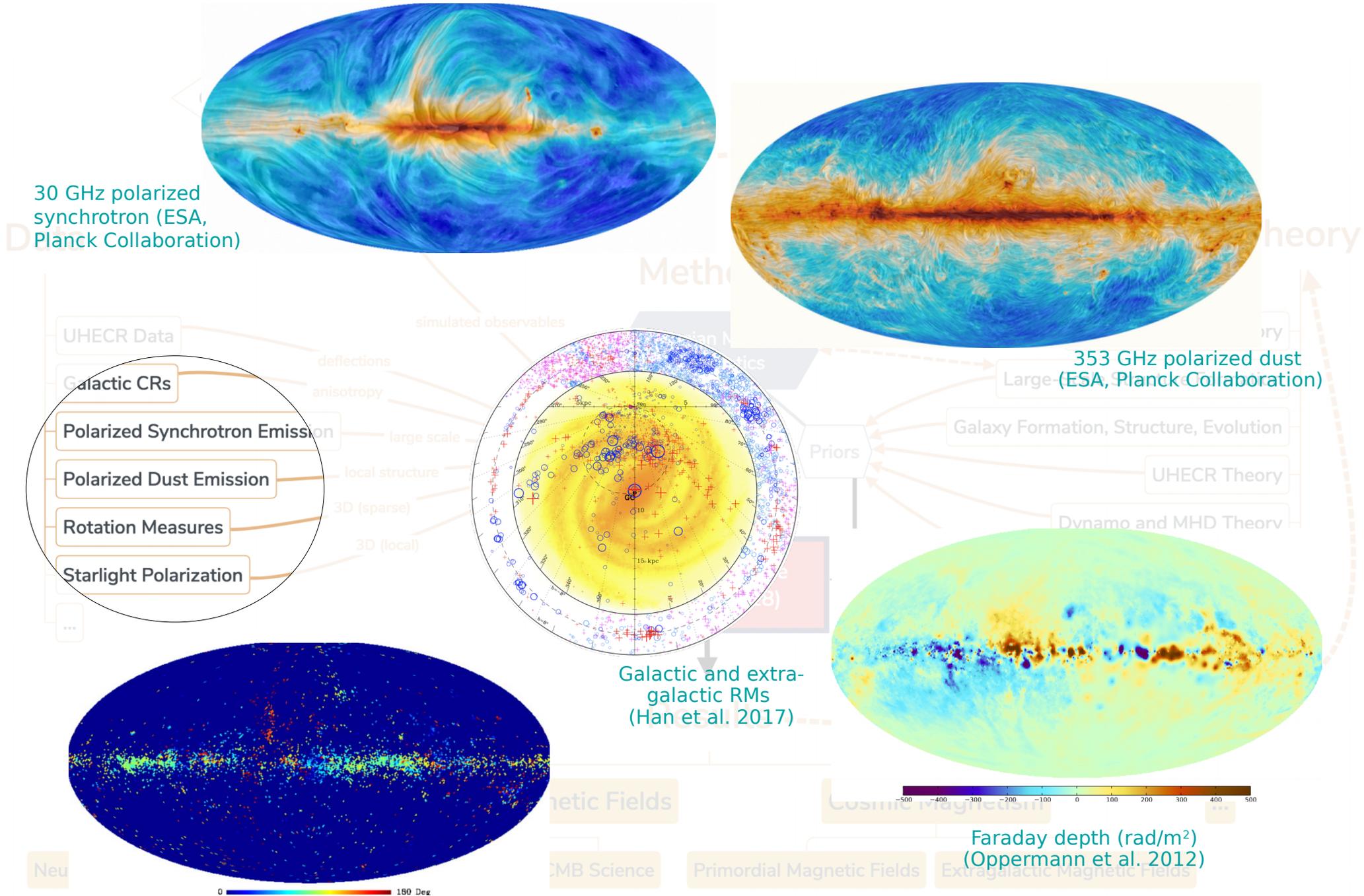


posterior knowledge ← data experience ← prior knowledge

Origin of UHECRs    Galactic Magnetic Fields    Cosmic Magnetism    ...

Neutrino Sources    Gamma-ray sources    Dark Matter    CMB Science    Primordial Magnetic Fields    Extragalactic Magnetic Fields

# Magnetic Field Tracers



30 GHz polarized synchrotron (ESA, Planck Collaboration)

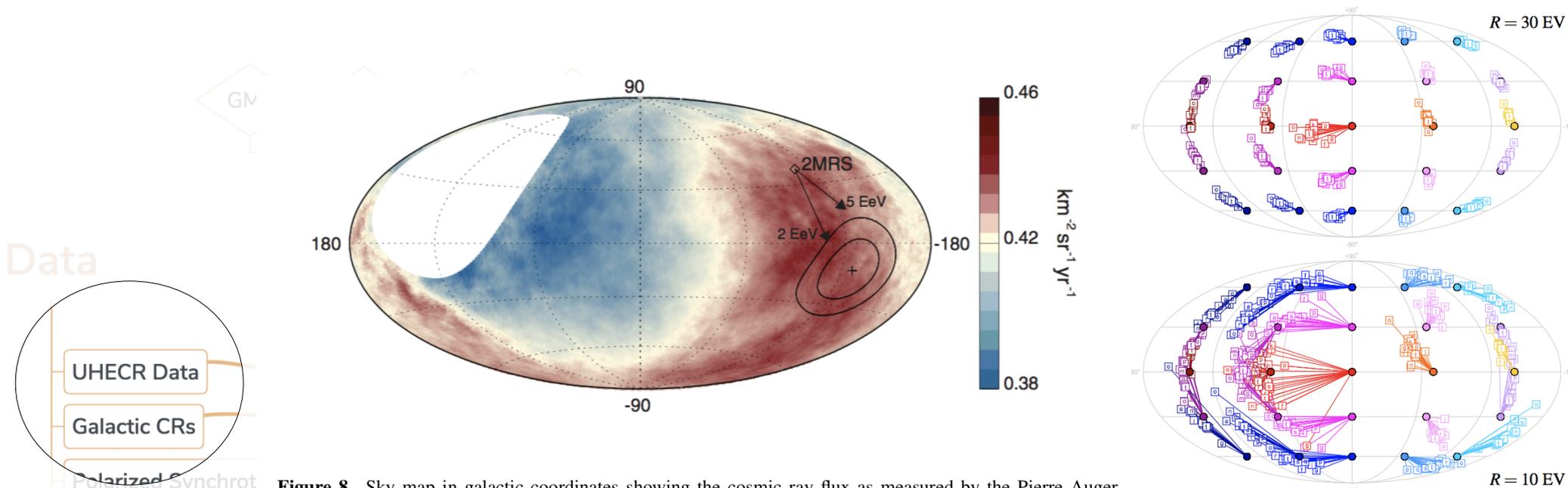
353 GHz polarized dust (ESA, Planck Collaboration)

Galactic and extra-galactic RMs (Han et al. 2017)

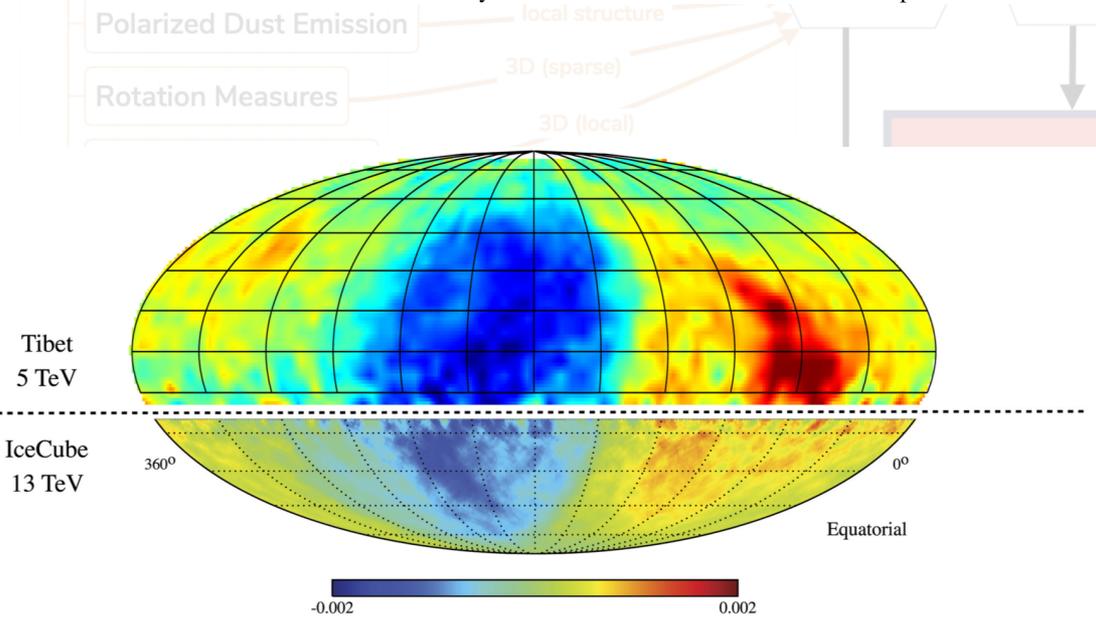
Faraday depth ( $\text{rad/m}^2$ ) (Oppermann et al. 2012)

Starlight polarization (Fosalba et al. 2002)

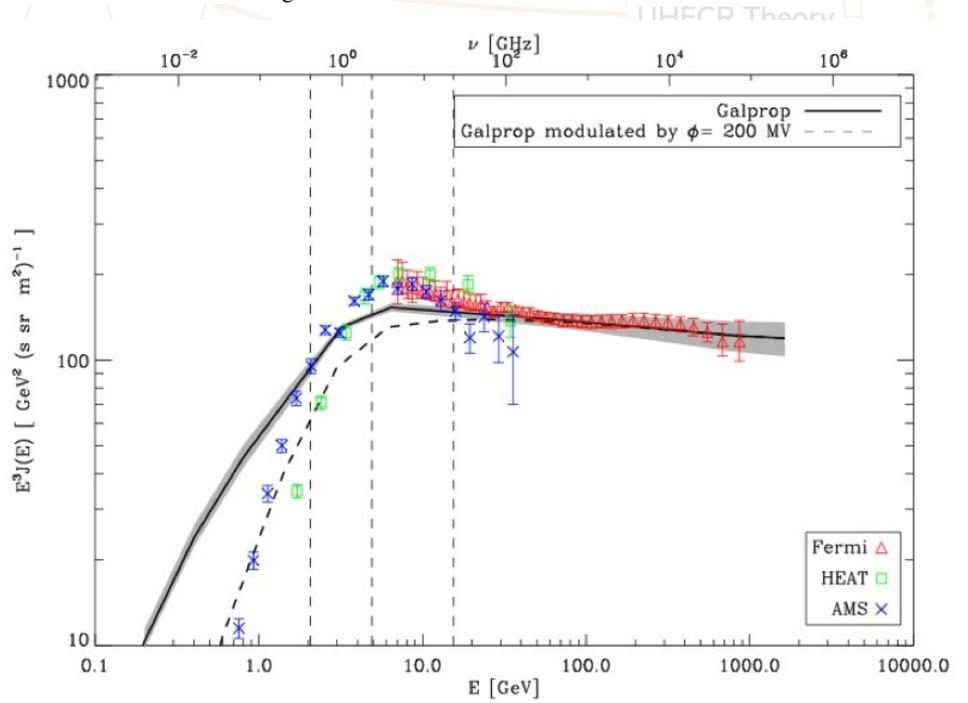
# Cosmic Rays



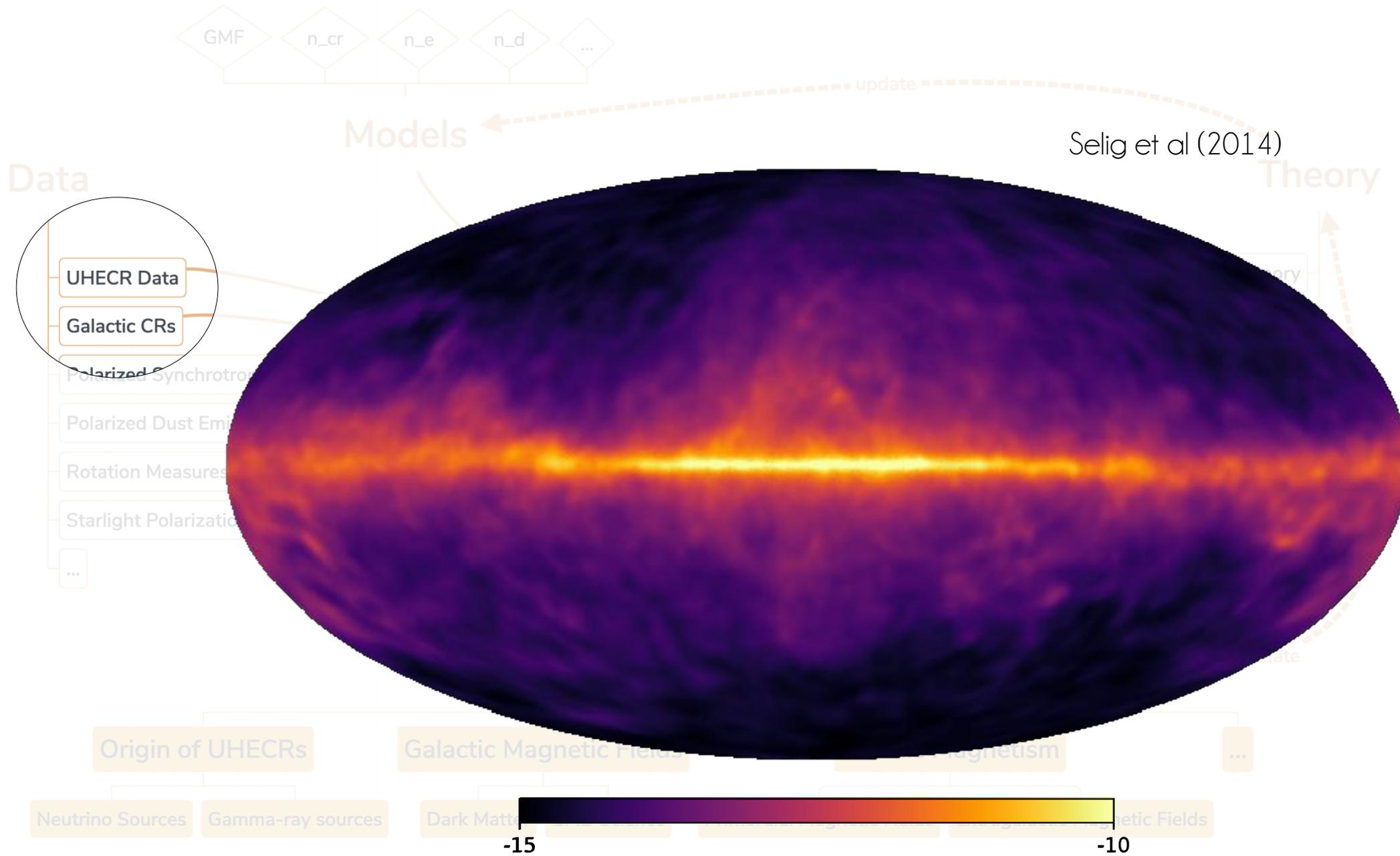
**Figure 8.** Sky map in galactic coordinates showing the cosmic ray flux as measured by the Pierre Auger Observatory for  $E > 8 \text{ EeV}$  smoothed with a  $45^\circ$  top-hat function. The Galactic centre is at the origin. The



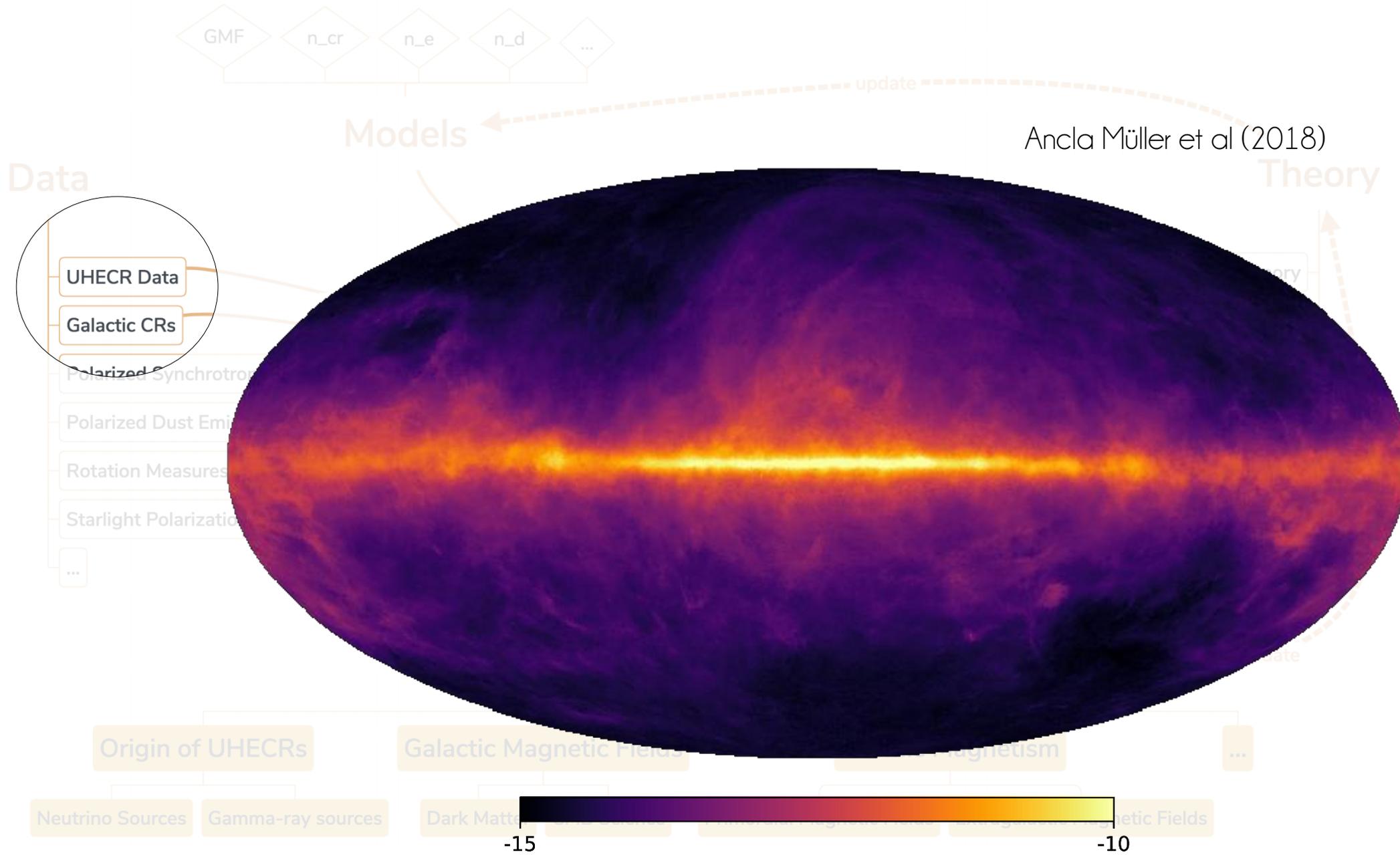
**Figure 2.** Combined cosmic ray anisotropy of the Tibet-AS and IceCube experiments in the equatorial coordinate system. Image credit and detailed information: M. Ahlers and P. Mertsch [30].



# Gamma Rays



# Gamma Rays

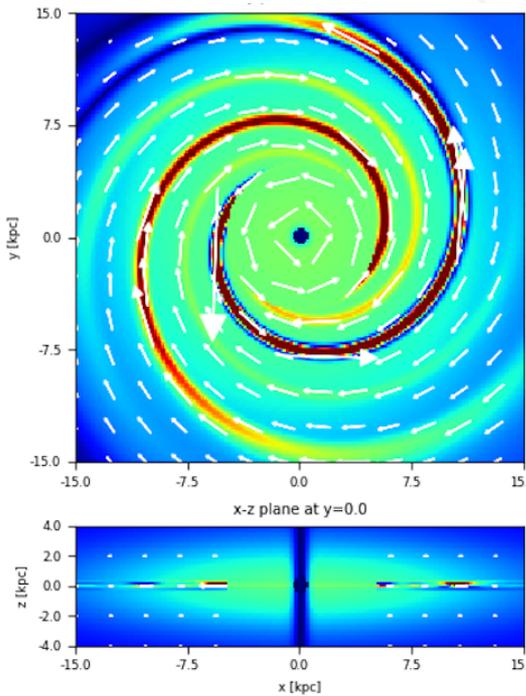


# Galactic Magnetic Field



Data

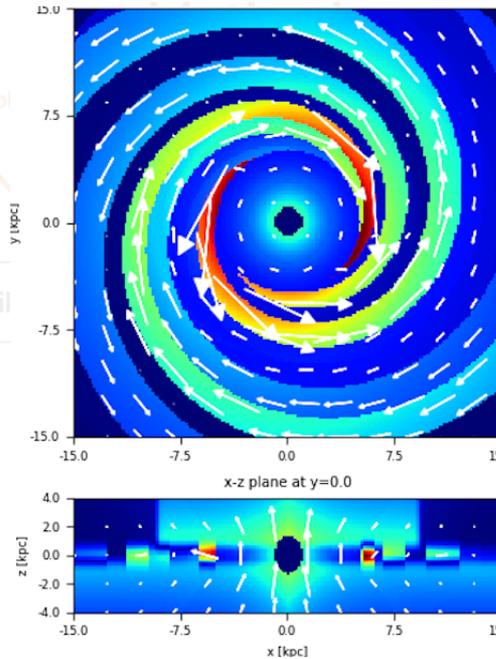
- UHECR
- Galactic
- Polar
- Polar
- Rotational
- Starlight
- ...



Jaffe et al. 2010,2011,2013)

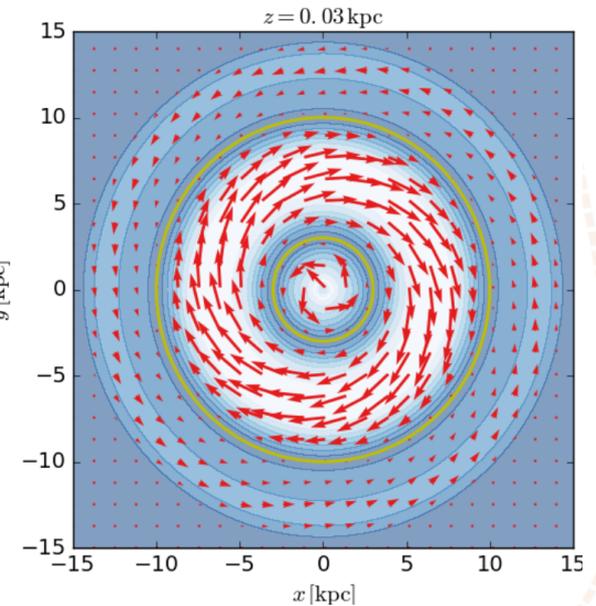
limited observability

Lil



Jansson & Farrar (2012a,b)

Theory



Theoretical GMF model (courtesy L. Rodrigues)

update

Origin of UHECRs

Galactic Magnetic Fields

Cosmic Magnetism

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Neutrino Sources

Gamma-ray sources

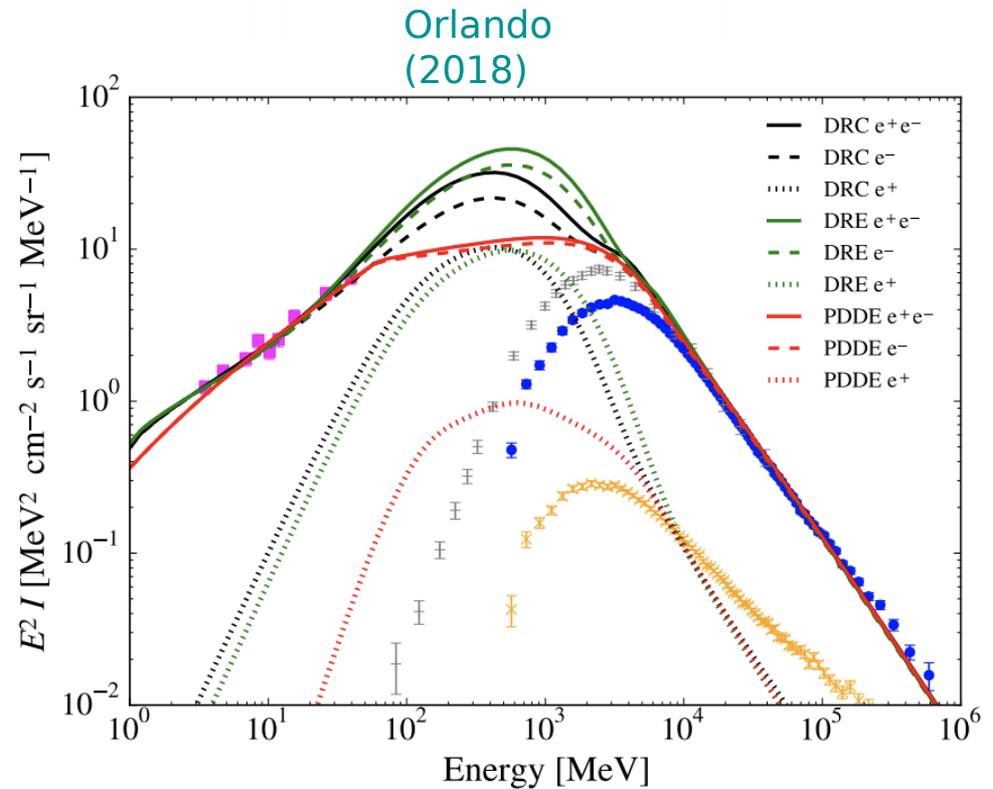
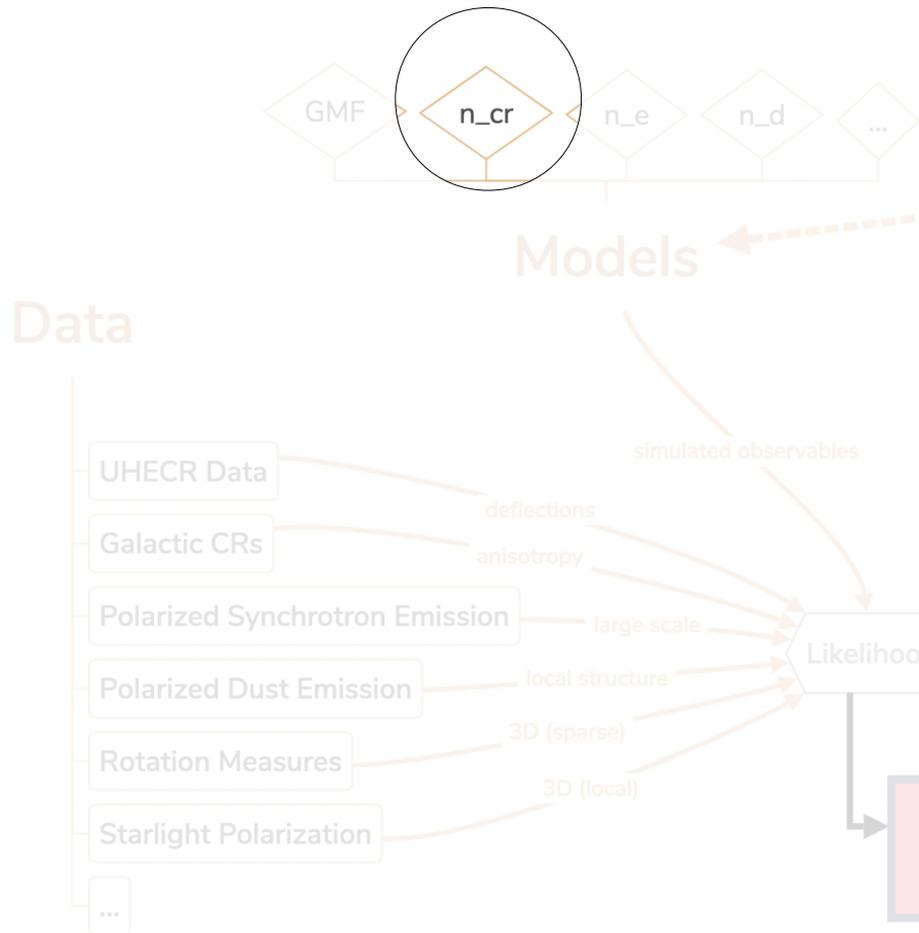
Dark Matter

CMB Science

Primordial Magnetic Fields

Extragalactic Magnetic Fields

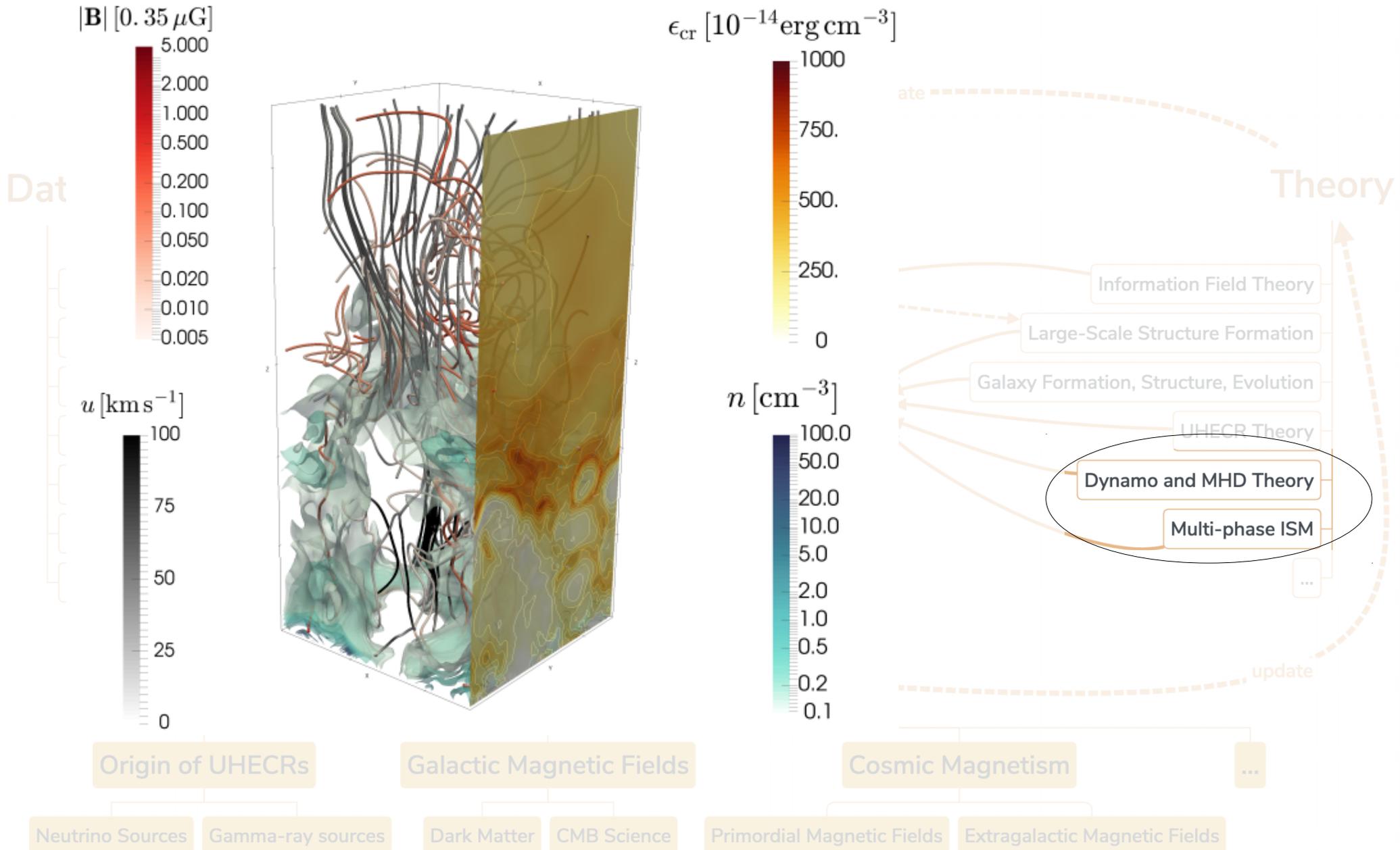
# Galactic Cosmic Rays



**Figure 2.** Propagated interstellar spectra of the three baseline models DRE (green line), DRC (black line), and PDDE (red line) for positrons (dotted lines), electrons only (dashed lines), and all-electrons (solid lines) compared with data: orange crosses: AMS-02 positrons (Aguilar et al. 2014); blue points: AMS-02 electrons (Aguilar et al. 2014); grey dashes: PAMELA electrons (Adriani et al. 2015); magenta squares: *Voyager 1* all-electrons (Cummings et al. 2016).



# Turbulent ISM

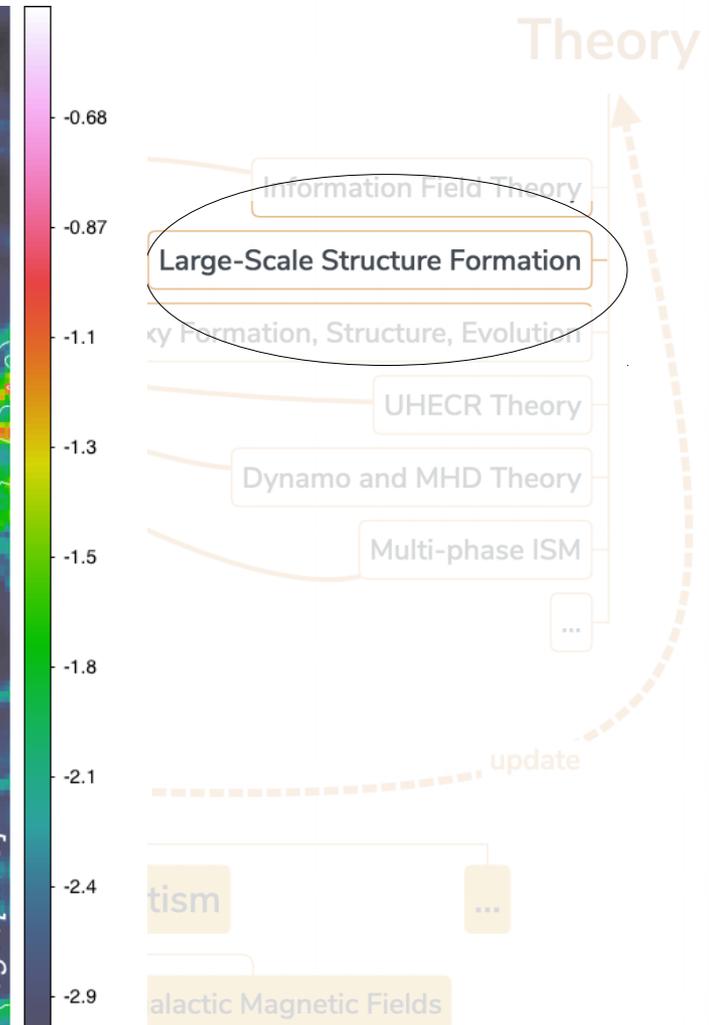
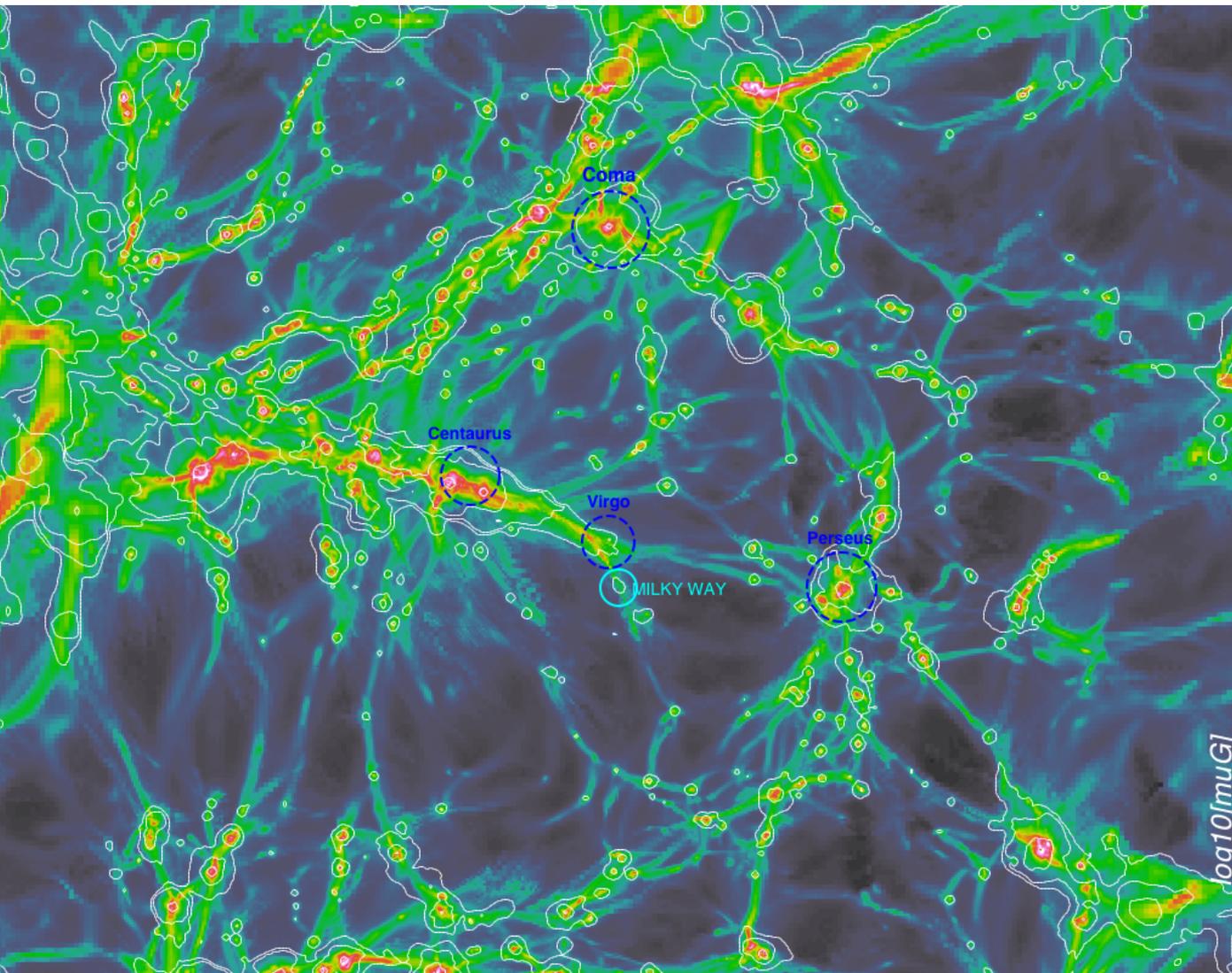


# Intergalactic Magnetism

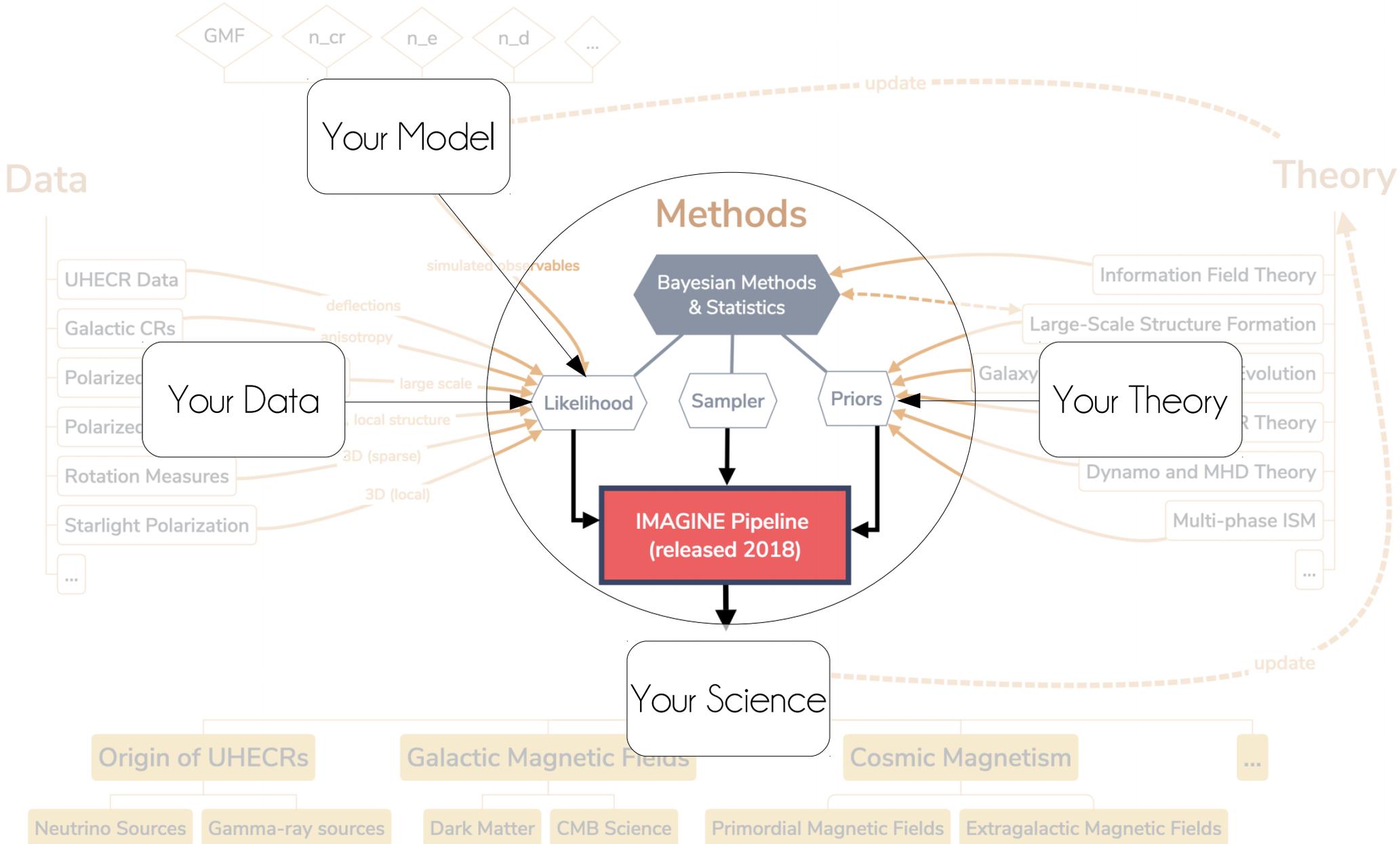


Models

update

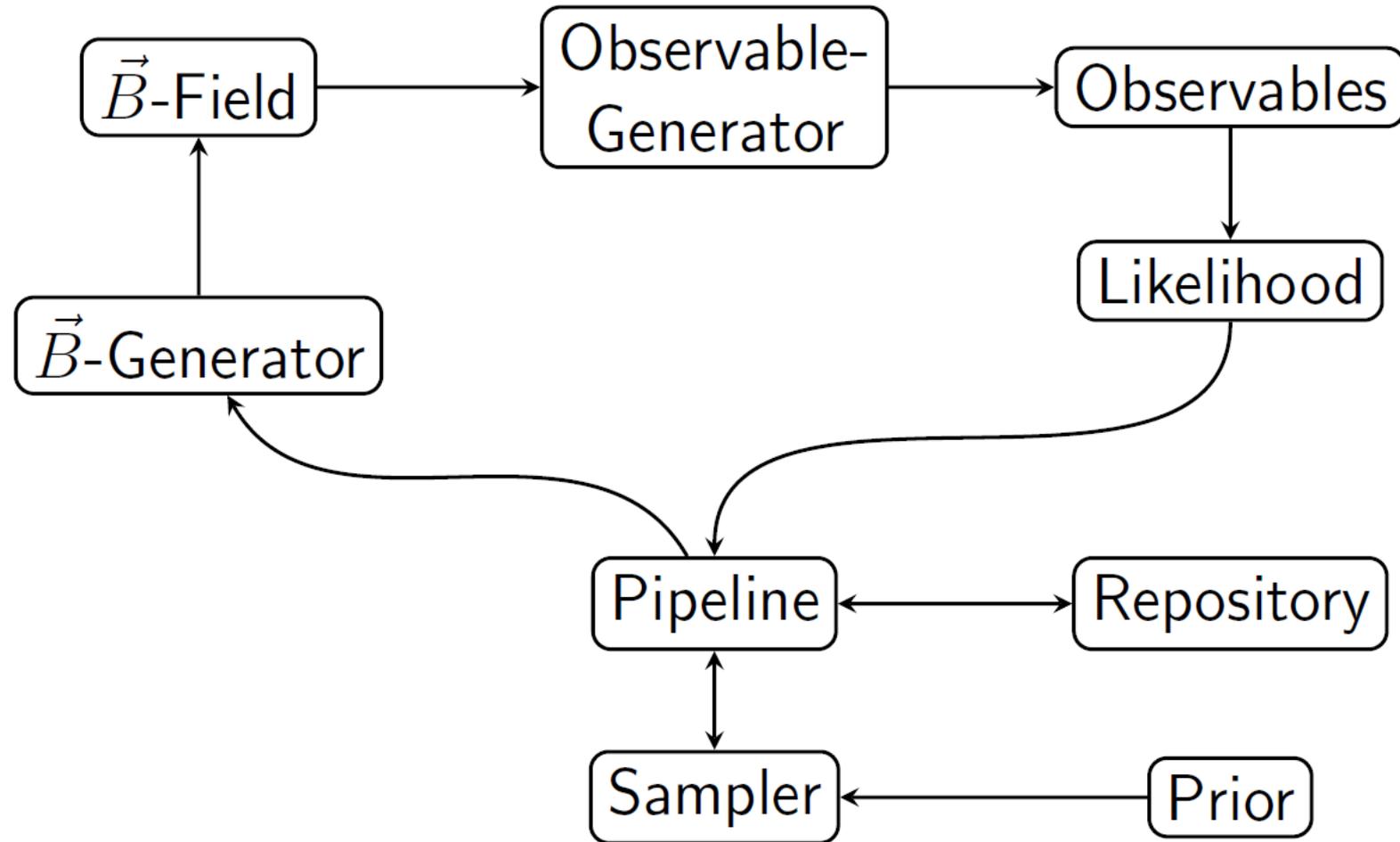


# Modular Engine



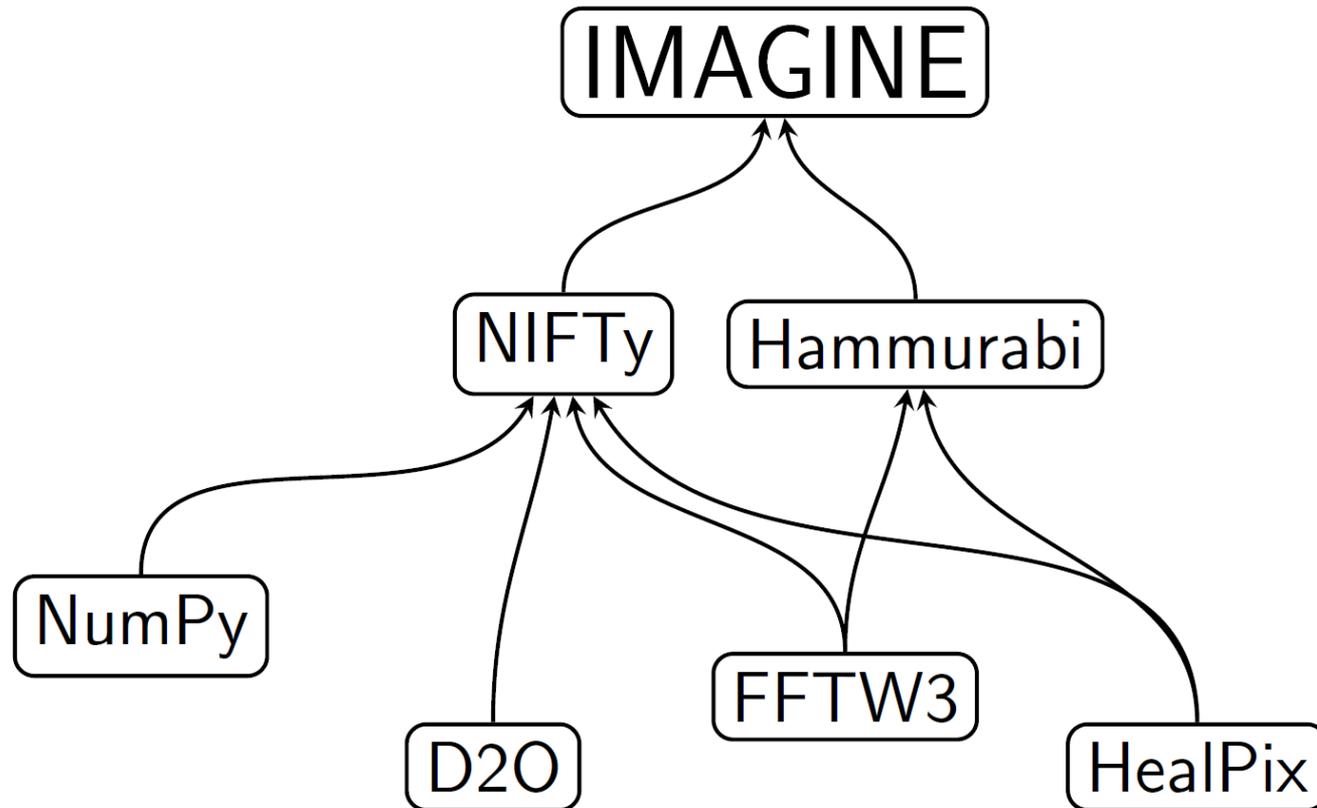
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Theo Steininger et al (2018)  
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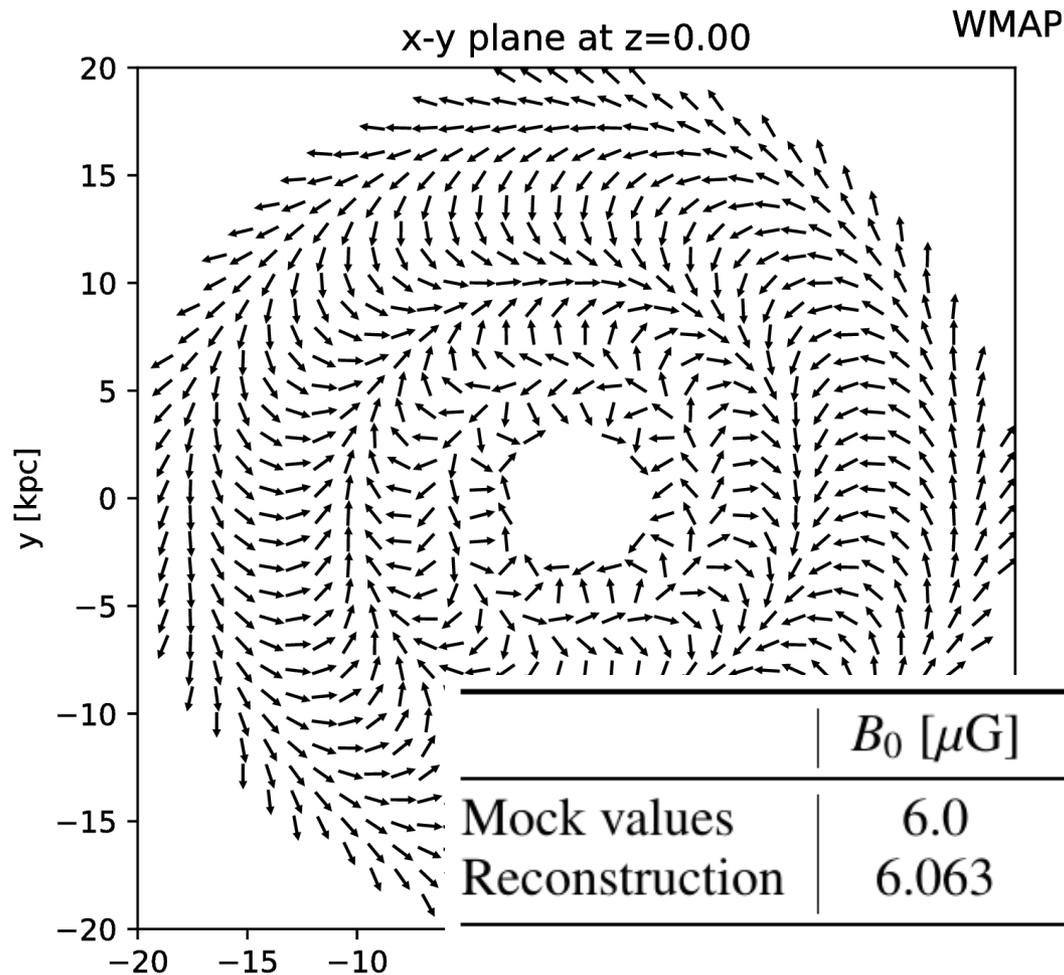
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# WMAP Model

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$$\begin{aligned}
 B_0 &= 6.00 \in [0.3, 11.7] \mu\text{G} \\
 \chi_0 &= 25.0 \in [1.0, 49.0]^\circ \\
 \psi_0 &= 27.0 \in [6.0, 48.0]^\circ \\
 \psi_1 &= 7.95 \in [0, 15.9]^\circ \\
 \tau &= 2.00 \in [0.2, 3.8] \mu\text{G} \\
 \alpha &= 1.7 \in [0.2, 3.2]
 \end{aligned}$$

	$B_0$ [ $\mu\text{G}$ ]	$\psi_0$ [ $^\circ$ ]	$\psi_1$ [ $^\circ$ ]	$\chi_0$ [ $^\circ$ ]	$\tau$ [ $\mu\text{G}$ ]	$\alpha$
Mock values	6.0	27.0	7.95	25.0	2.0	1.7
Reconstruction	6.063	26.86	8.38	23.9	2.11	1.698

$$\mathbf{B}(r, \phi, z) = B_0 \left[ \sin(\psi) \cos(\chi) \hat{\mathbf{r}} + \cos(\psi) \cos(\chi) \hat{\boldsymbol{\phi}} + \sin(\chi) \hat{\mathbf{z}} \right],$$

$$\psi = \psi_0 + \psi_1 \ln \left( \frac{r}{R_0} \right),$$

$$\chi = \chi_0 \tanh \left( \frac{z}{z_0} \right),$$

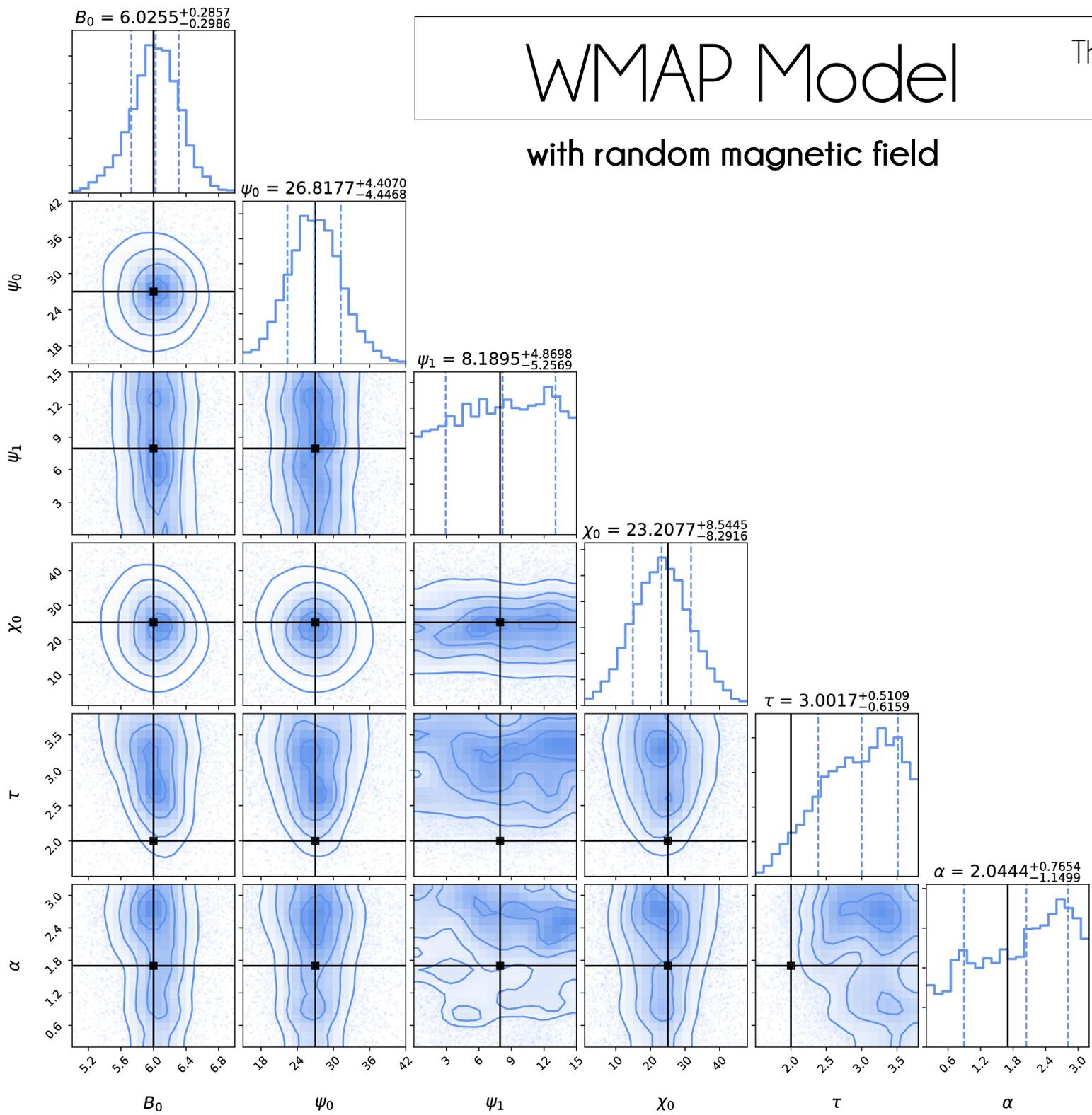
**Radom magnetic field** with profile, being solenoidal, from Gaussian process with spatial power spectrum

→ **Galactic variance** is fully taken into account!

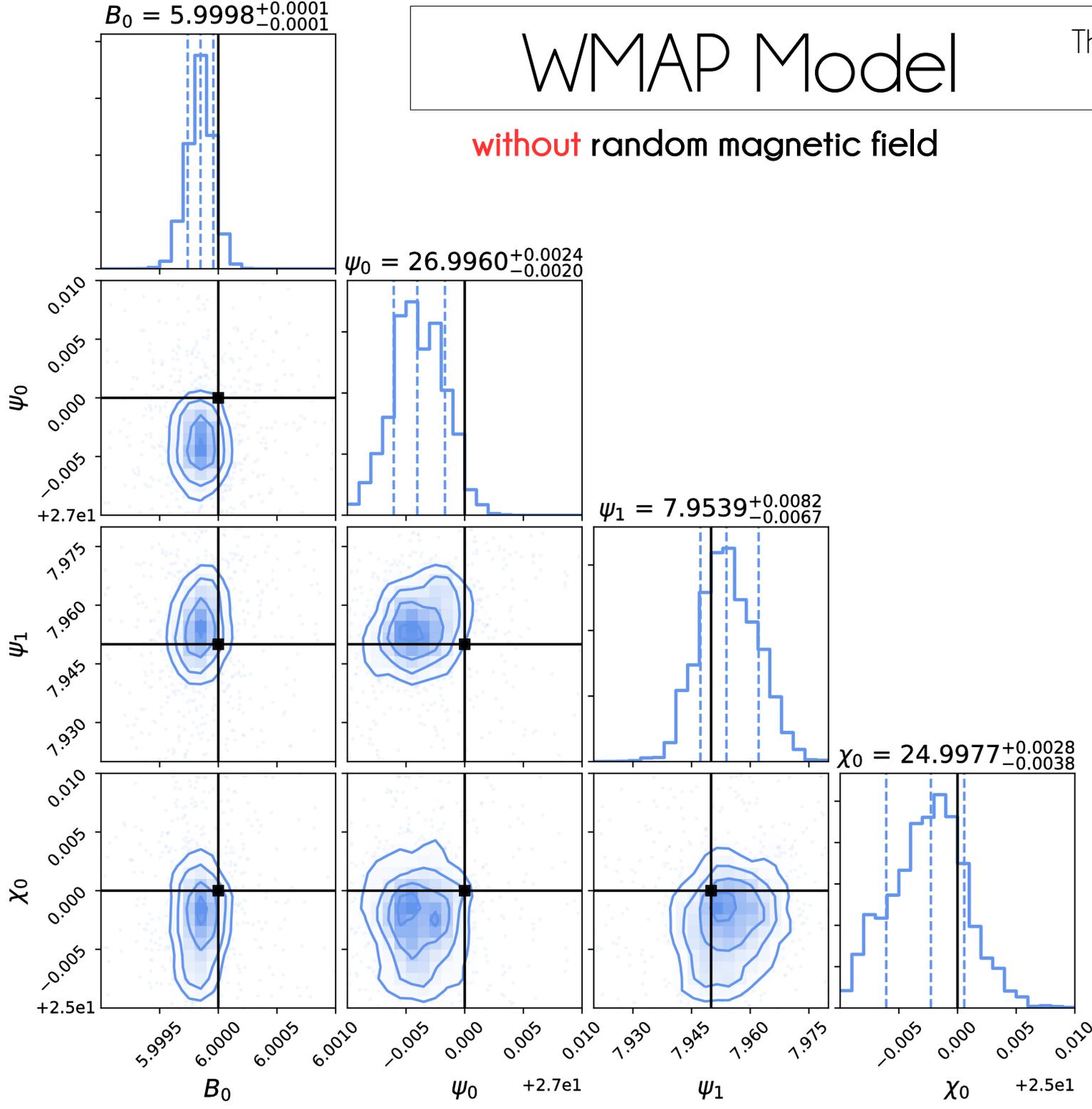
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with random magnetic field



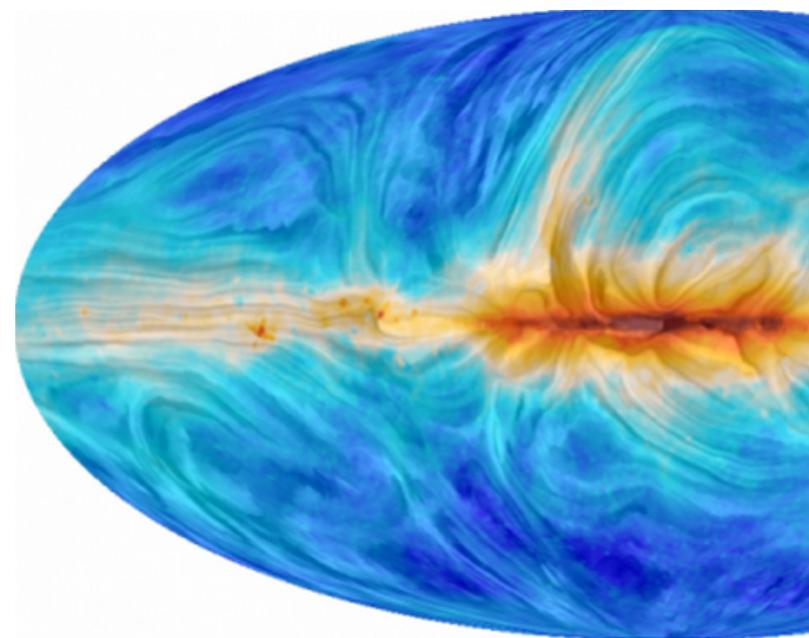
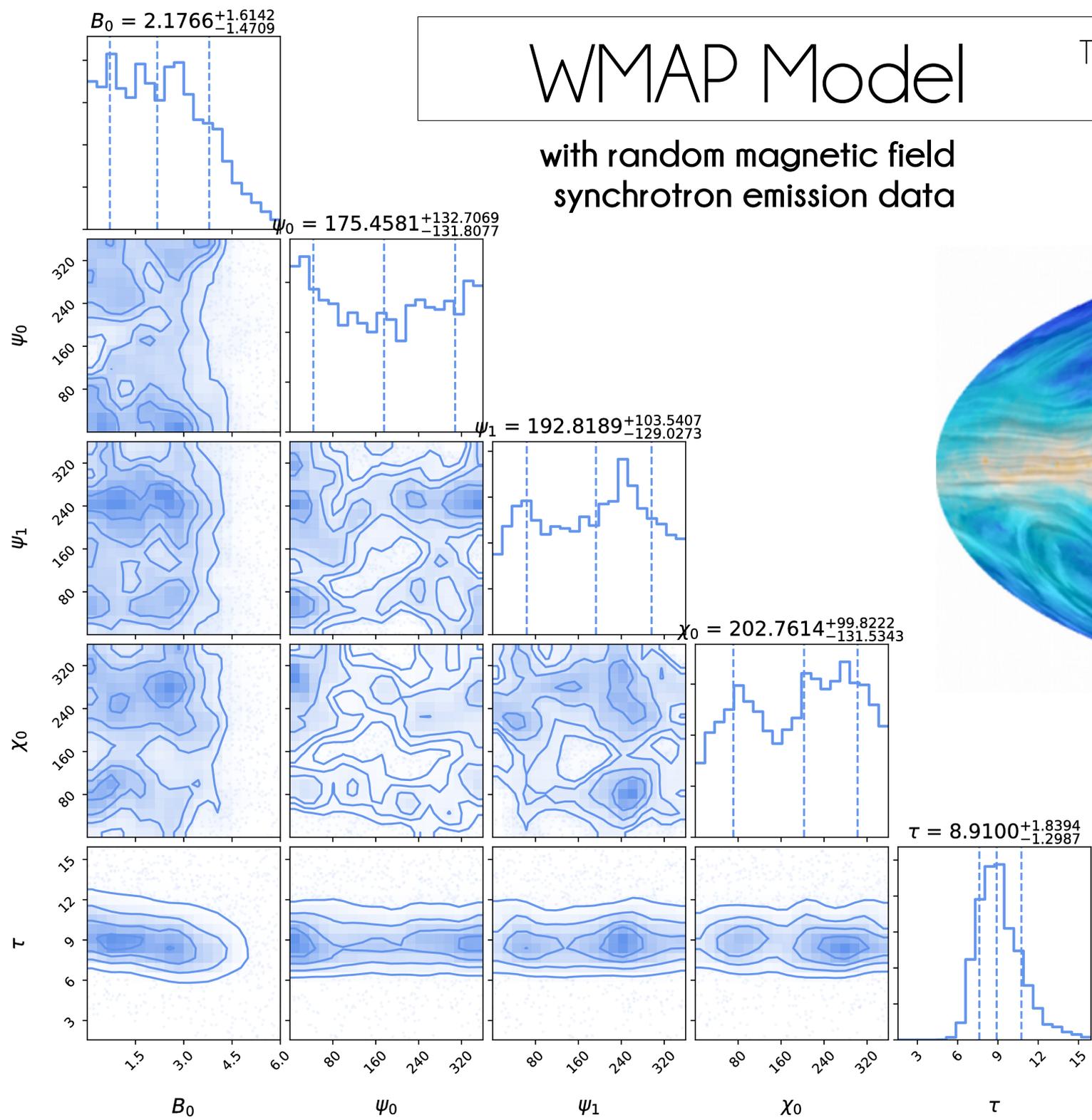
without random magnetic field



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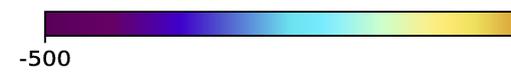
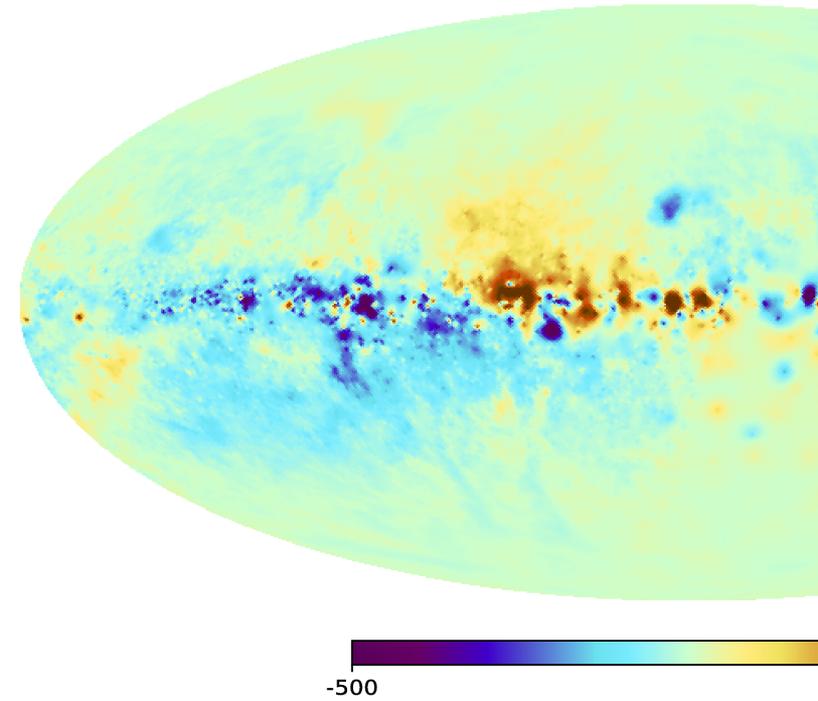
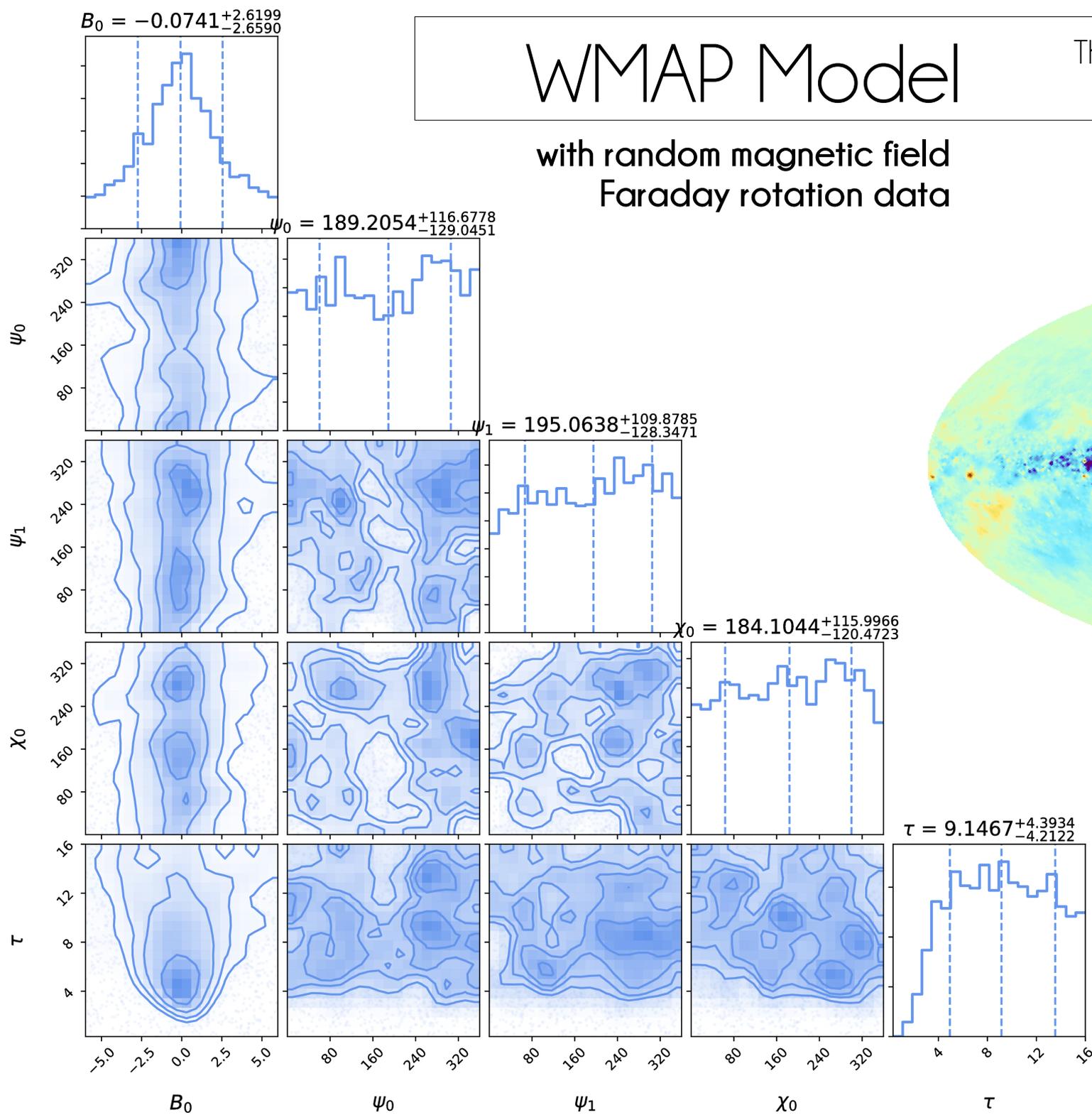
with random magnetic field  
synchrotron emission data



# WMAP Model

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with random magnetic field  
Faraday rotation data



# Galactic Tomography

## Pulsars:

Dispersion Measure  $\rightarrow$  electron density

Rotation Measure  $\rightarrow$  magnetic field  $\times$  el. dens.

Scintillation Measure  $\rightarrow$  el. dens.  $\times$  turbulence

## Extragalactic sources:

Rotation Measure  $\rightarrow$  magnetic field  $\times$  el. dens.

Ultra High Energy Cosmic Rays  $\rightarrow$  mag. fields

## Stars:

Dust reddening  $\rightarrow$  dust density & properties

Positions  $\rightarrow$  stellar density & radiation field

Kinematics  $\rightarrow$  gravitational potential

## Emission Processes:

Dust emission  $\rightarrow$  dust density & radiation field

Synchrotron  $\rightarrow$  relativistic el.  $\times$  mag. Fields

Bremsstrahlung  $\rightarrow$  thermal, rel. el.  $\times$  gas density

Inverse Compton  $\rightarrow$  rel. el.  $\times$  radiation field

Hadronic interactions  $\rightarrow$  rel. nuclei  $\times$  gas density

Lines (21 cm, CO, ...)  $\rightarrow$  gas density & kinematics

## Other information sources:

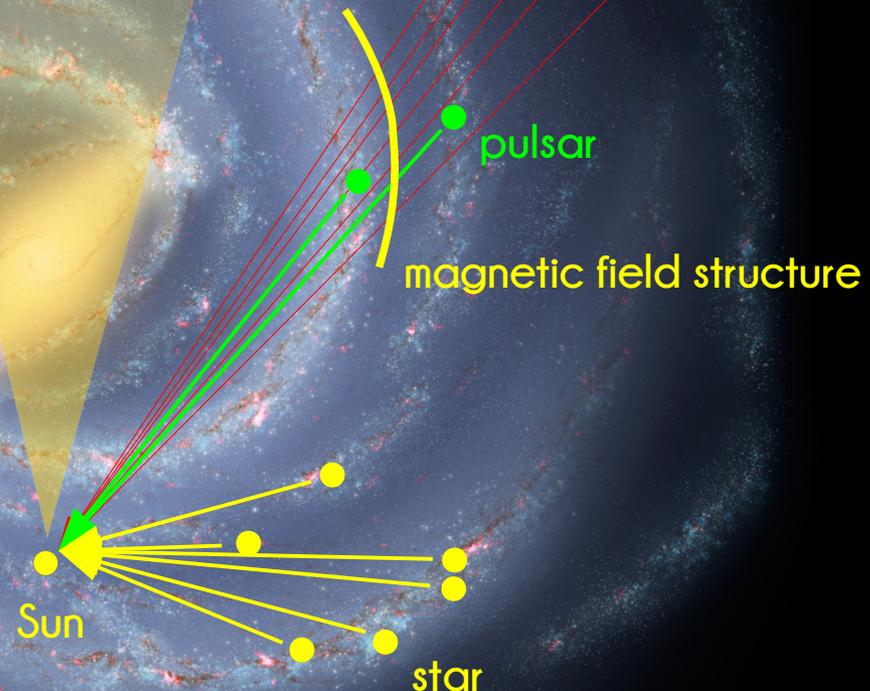
Correlation structures (auto- & cross-correlations)

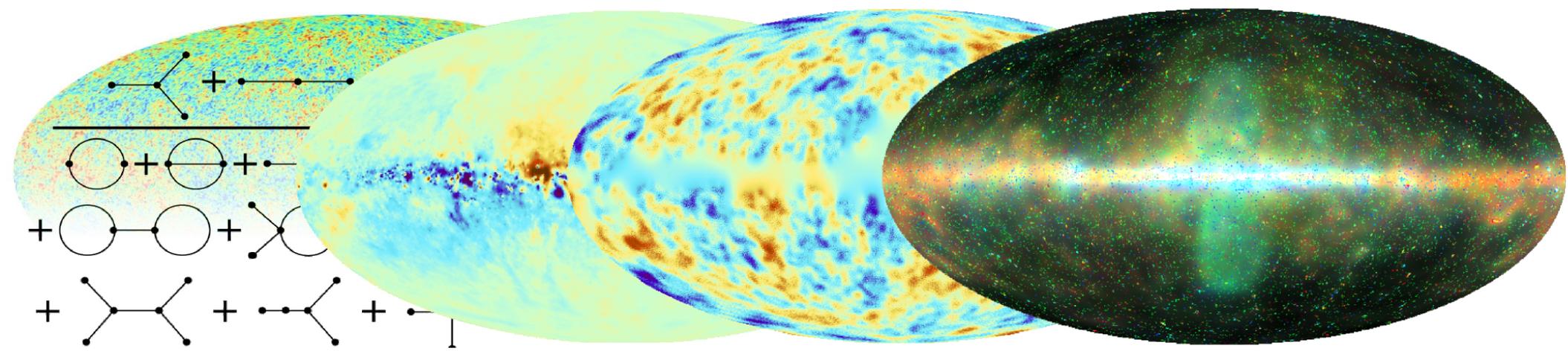
Approximate symmetries

Physical laws

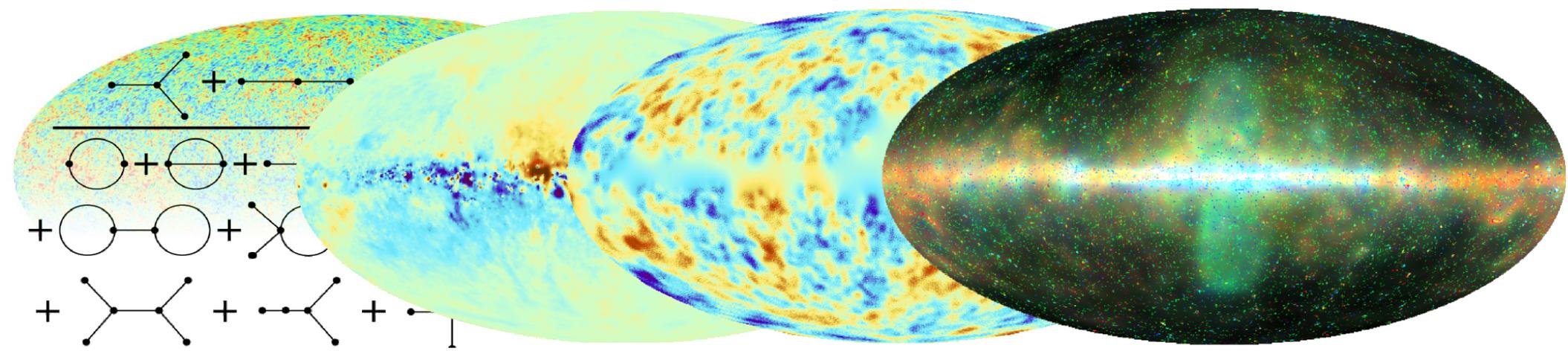
Empirical laws

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Information field theory



# Information theory for fields

# Conclusions

## **IMAGINE**

a framework, a consortium, & a pipeline  
for Galactic (magnetic) field inference

## **so far**

parametric model fitting  
including non-parametric random magnetic fields

## **Galactic tomography**

is the way to go  
requires information theory for fields  
→ Information Field Theory (stay tuned)