

# Dust polarization spectral dependence from Planck HFI data as constraint for CMB B-modes detection

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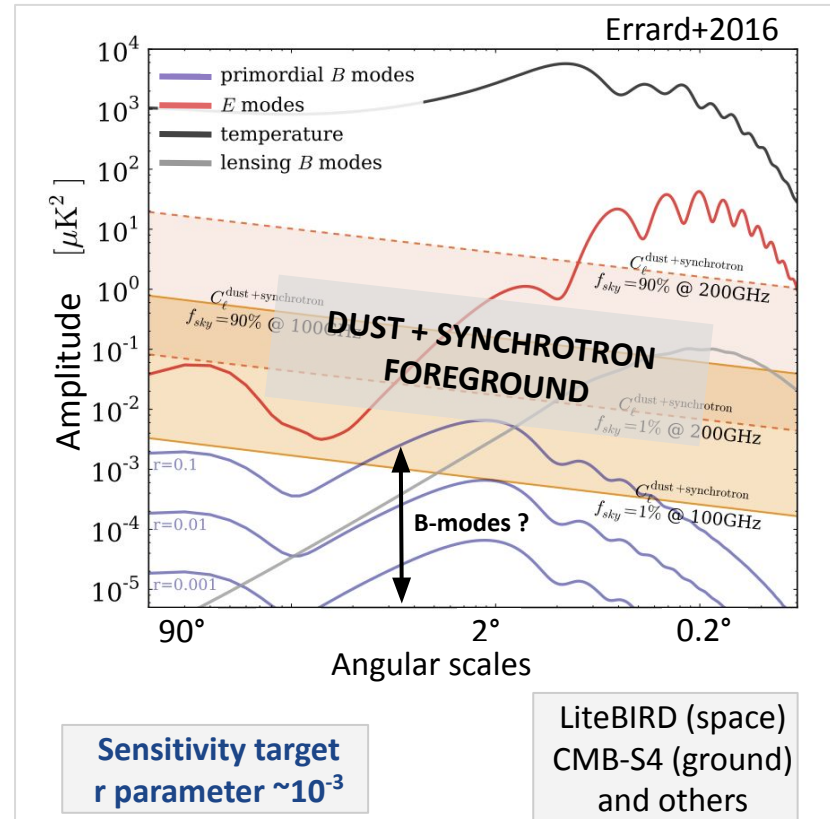
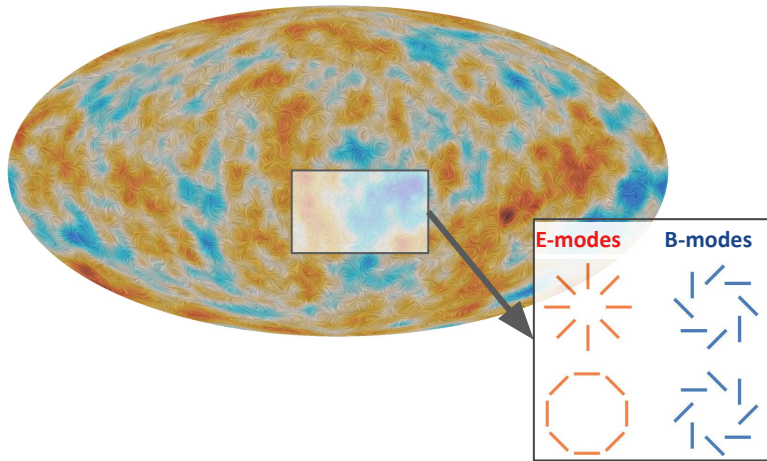
# Outline

- Scientific context
- Constraints on CMB polarization detection accuracy
- **CMB dust foreground**
  - **A power spectra analysis by using a recent release of Planck HFI data**

# Cosmic Microwave Background polarization

provides a unique insight on the primordial Universe

Credits: ESA and Planck collaboration



# CMB $B$ -modes detection as probe of the inflation

## Technical Challenges

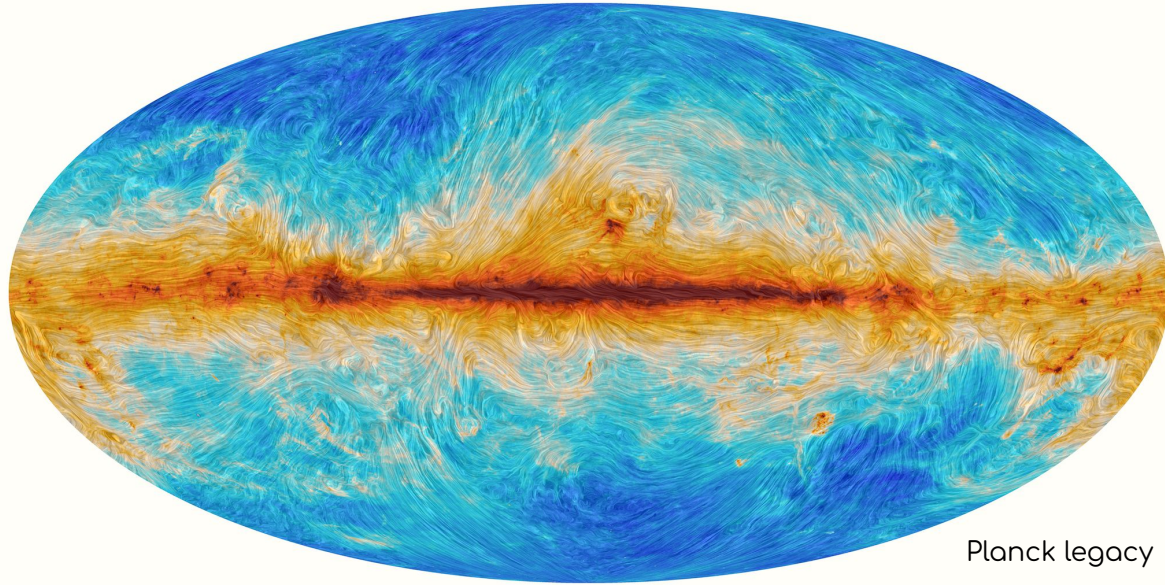
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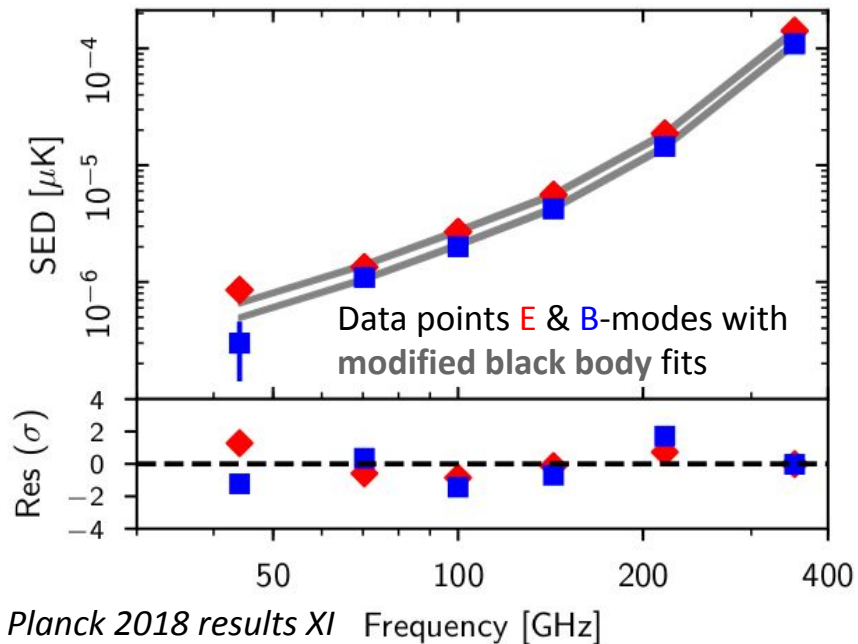
# Polarized **dust** emission



To subtract the sky dust **polarization** we need to have a full-sky modelling  
→ So we need to understand how dust polarization behaves



# Dust **mean** Spectral Energy Distribution determined for multipoles $\ell > 40$



The dust SED in polarization from Planck 2018 results is remarkably well fit by a **single temperature modified black-body emission law** from 353 GHz to 44 GHz.

This brought a significant advance in constraining dust models in astrophysics & for CMB foreground dust component separation methods.

But **low multipoles remain unexplored** because of SNR limitation in polarization data so far

# Dust polarization low- $\ell$ SED spatial variation

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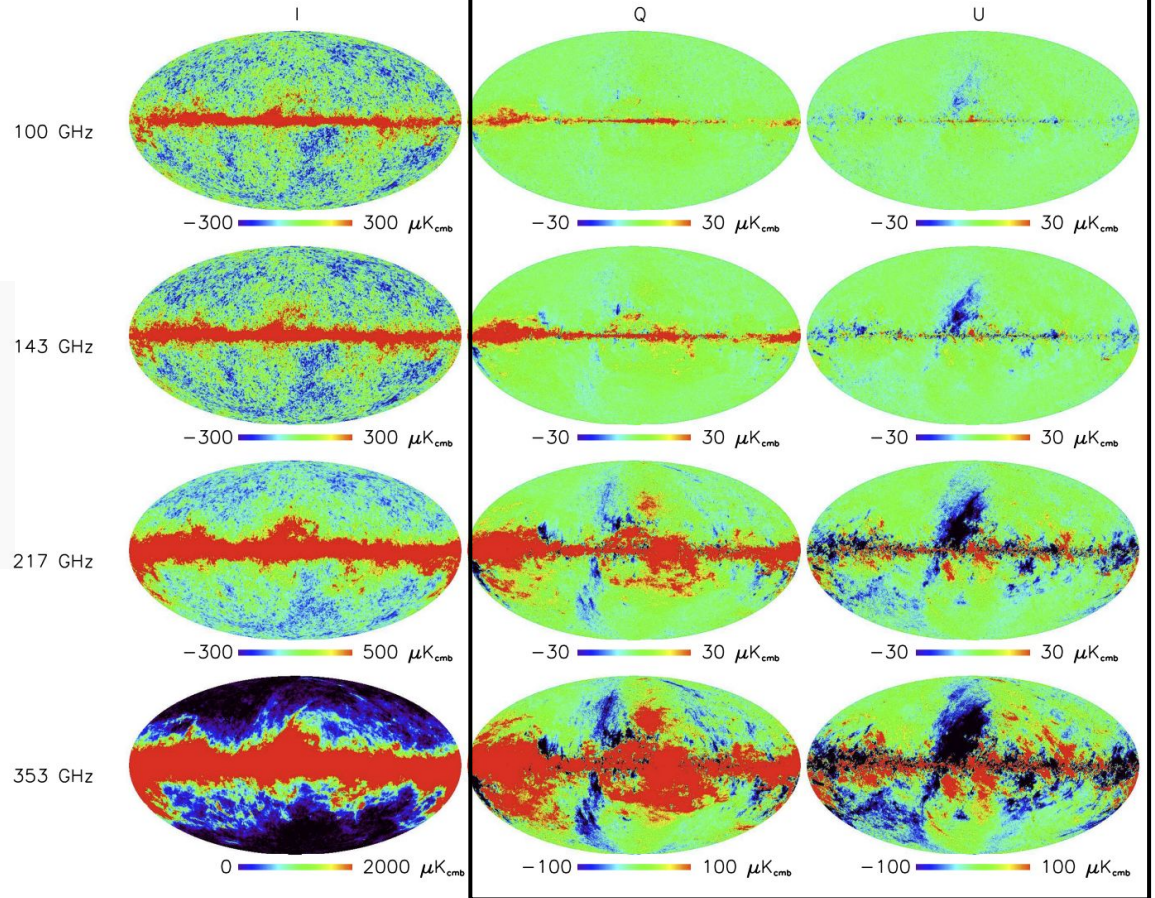
# Planck HFI maps

## SRo112 release

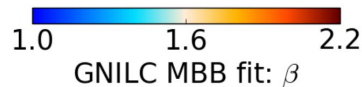
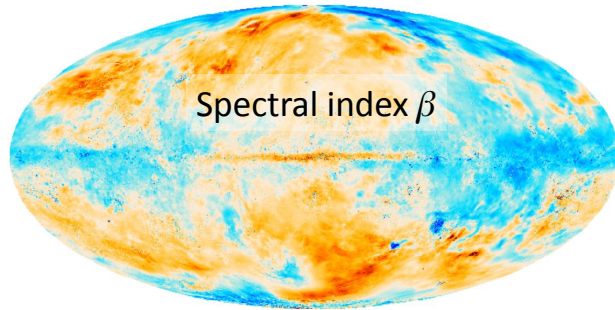
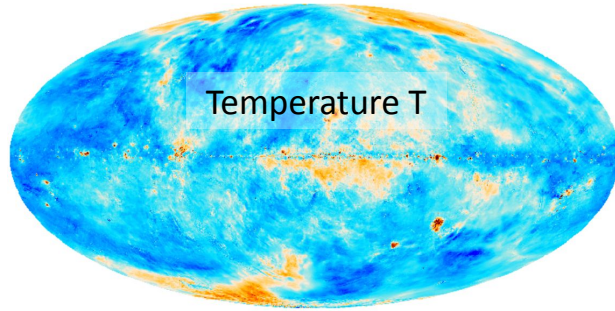
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## Improved polarization maps w.r.t PR3

Check out *Delouis et al. A&A 629, A38 (2019)*  
for technical details



# A synthetic model based on total intensity spatial SED variations



## Modified Black Body function

$$I_d(\nu) = \tau_{353} \times B(T, \nu) \times \left( \frac{\nu}{\nu_0} \right)^\beta$$

$\nu_0$

## Extrapolation to polarization

$$Q_{\text{model}}(\nu) = \frac{I_d(\nu)}{I_d(\nu_0)} \cdot Q_{\text{Planck}}(\nu_0)$$

$$U_{\text{model}}(\nu) = \frac{I_d(\nu)}{I_d(\nu_0)} \cdot U_{\text{Planck}}(\nu_0)$$

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Including instrumental systematics + noise and CMB

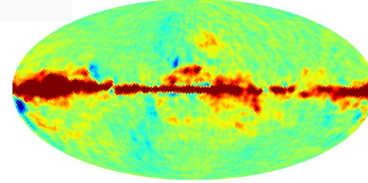
$$Q_{\text{sim}}(\nu) = Q_{\text{model}}(\nu) + Q_{\text{noise}}(\nu) + Q_{\text{CMB}}$$
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Two total intensity model considered:

- *Commander* (Planck Collaboration et al. 2016a)
- *GNILC* (Remazeilles+2011)

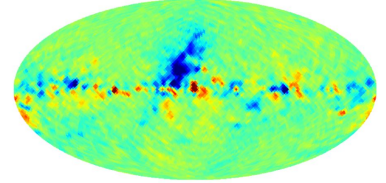
$N_{\text{side}} = 32$

$Q_{\text{sim}} 100 \text{ GHz}$



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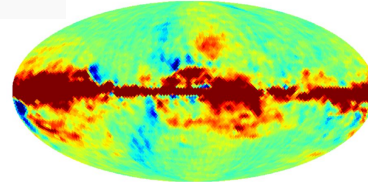
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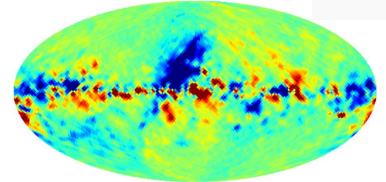
Q maps

$Q_{\text{sim}} 143 \text{ GHz}$



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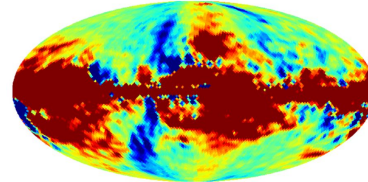
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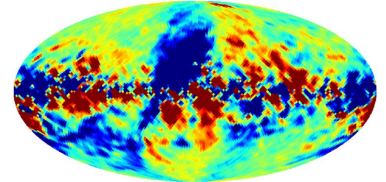
U maps

$Q_{\text{sim}} 217 \text{ GHz}$



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 $\mu \text{ K}_{\text{CMB}}$

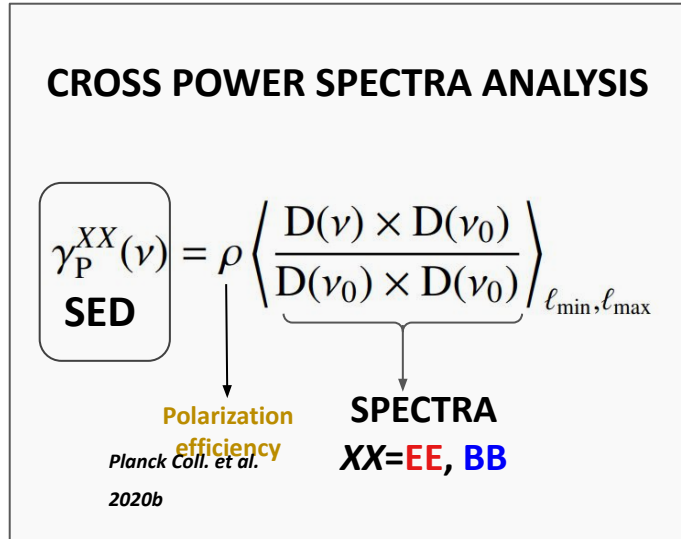
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# Dust polarized mean SED for low multipoles $\ell_{min}, \ell_{max} = [4, 32]$

SED computed for 100, 143, 217 GHz w.r.t  $\nu_0 = 353$  GHz



**D( $\nu$ )** is either:

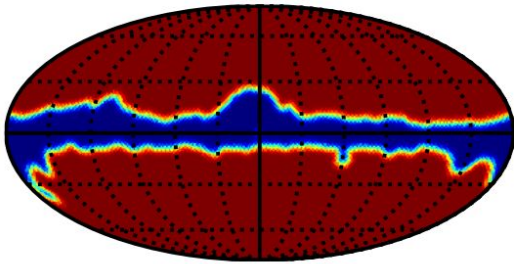
- **Planck SRoll2** polarization Q,U maps corrected for synchrotron (100, 143 GHz)

or

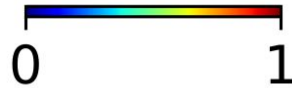
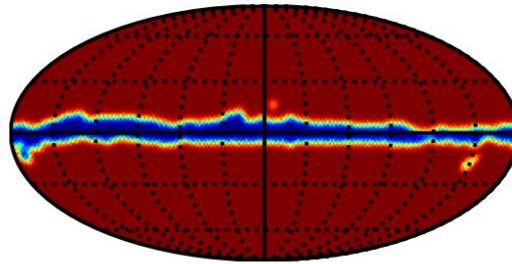
- **Commander, GNILC** Q,U model maps

# Galactic masks used for the power spectra data analysis

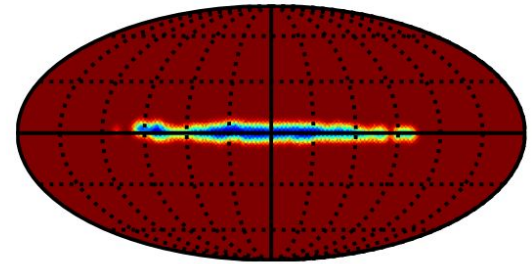
Mask  $f_{\text{sky}}$  80%



Mask  $f_{\text{sky}}$  90%

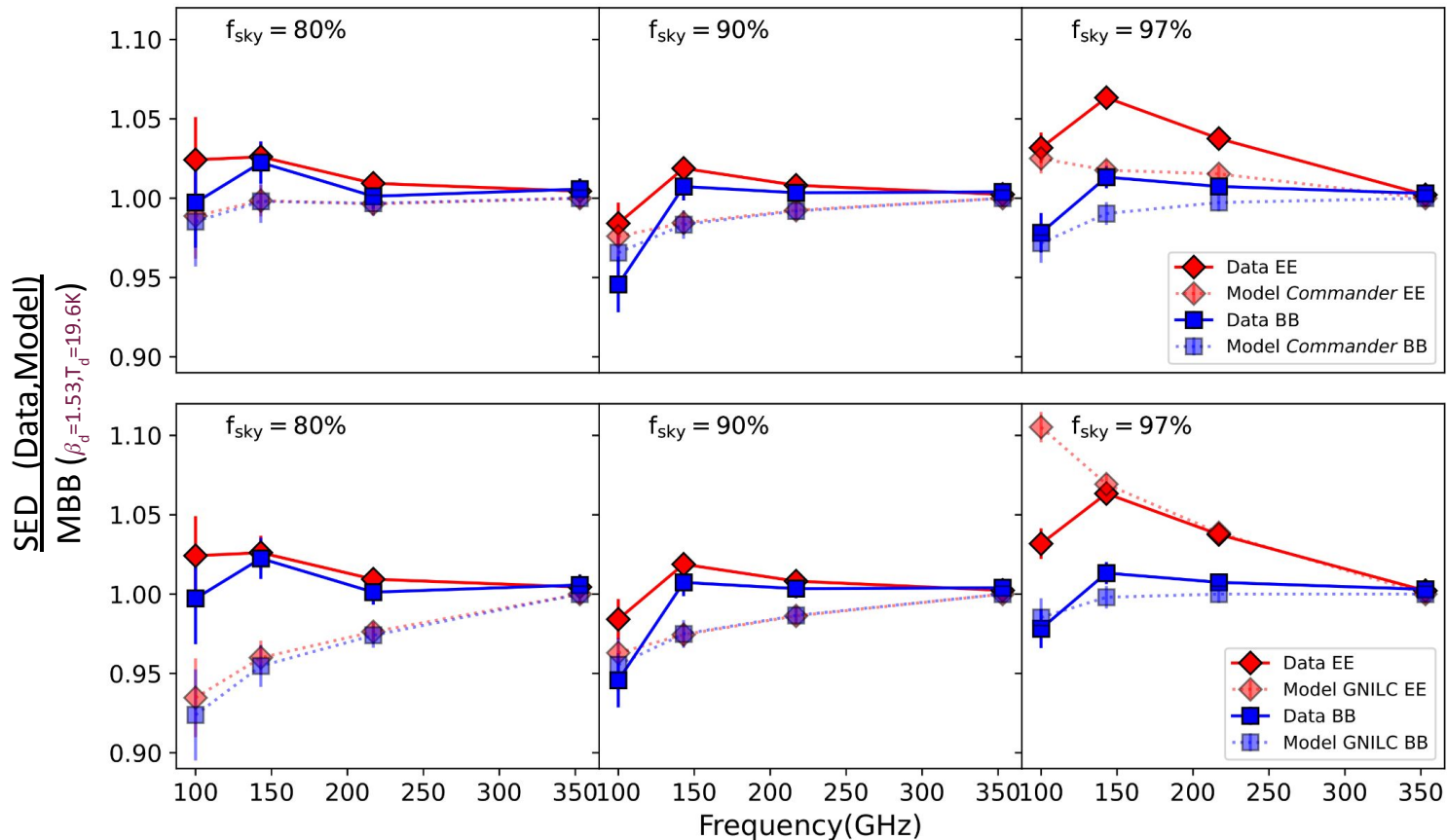


Mask  $f_{\text{sky}}$  97%

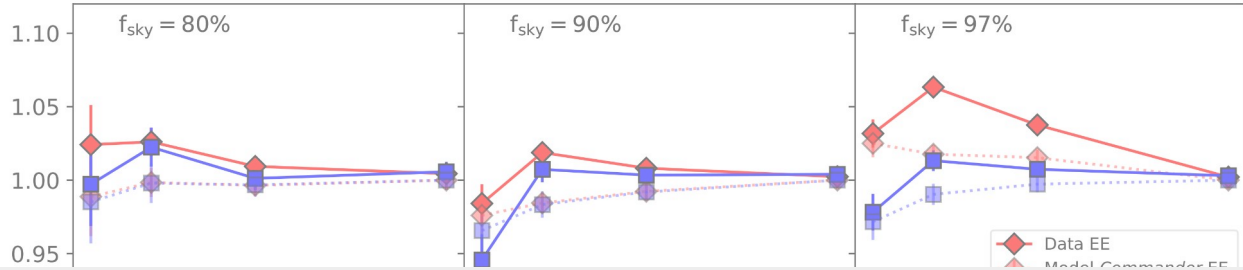




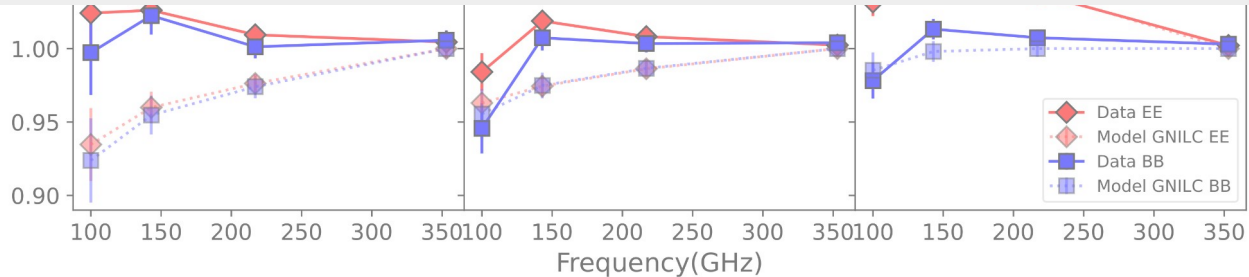
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- Mean polarization SED confirmed remarkably close to total intensity (*confirming previous results*)
- Also consistent within 5% with a Modified Black Body function with  $T_d = 19.6$  K and  $\beta_d = 1.53$
- However, models based on total intensity cannot **completely** reproduce the signal observed in polarization





# Spatial SED variation of the dust polarization

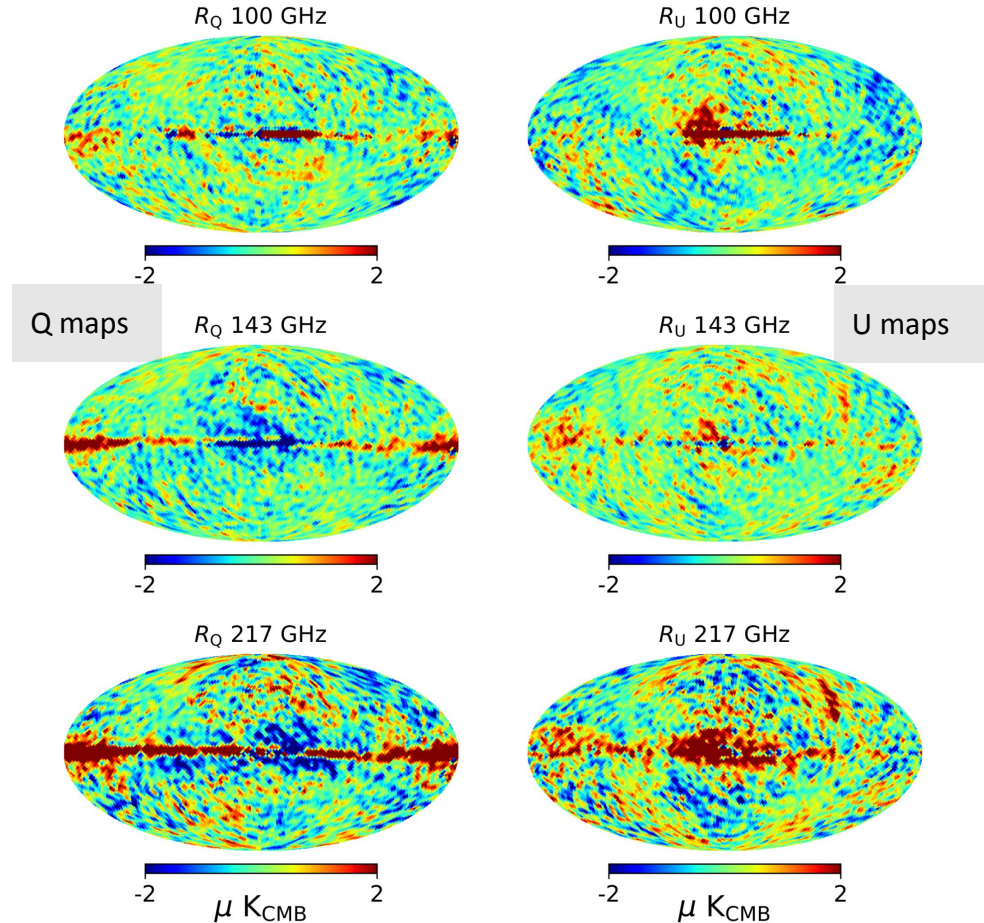
## Residual maps

$$R_Q(\nu) = Q_d(\nu) - \gamma_P(\nu) \cdot Q_{\text{Planck}}(\nu_0)$$

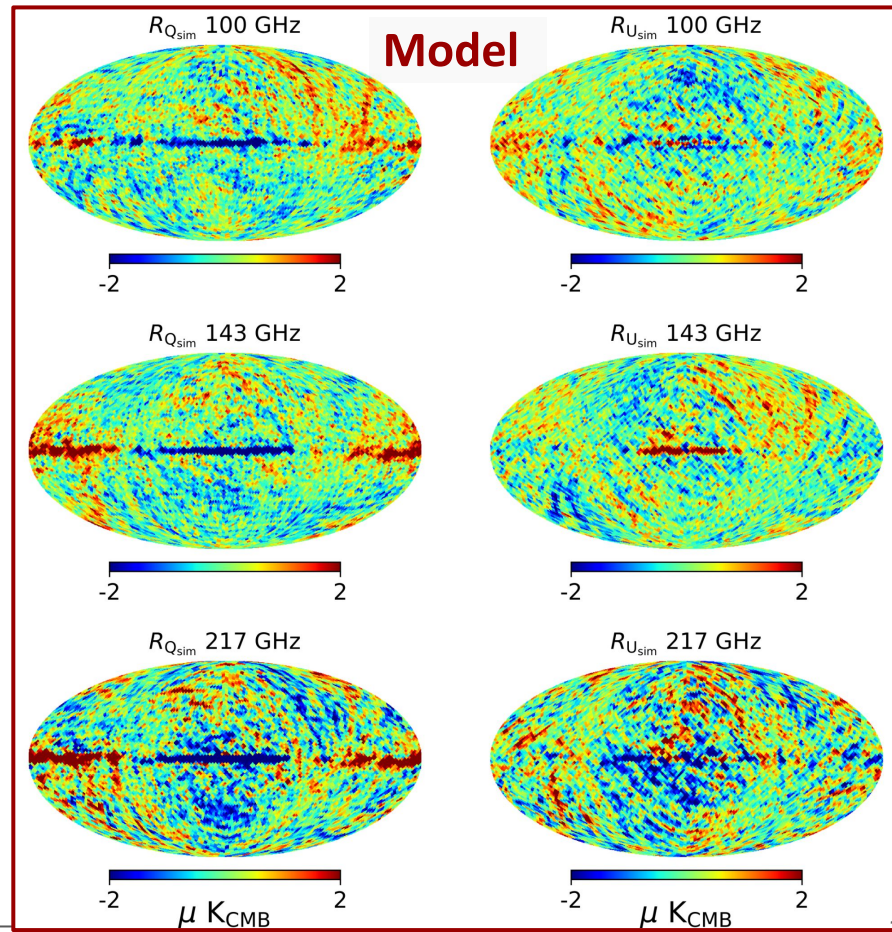
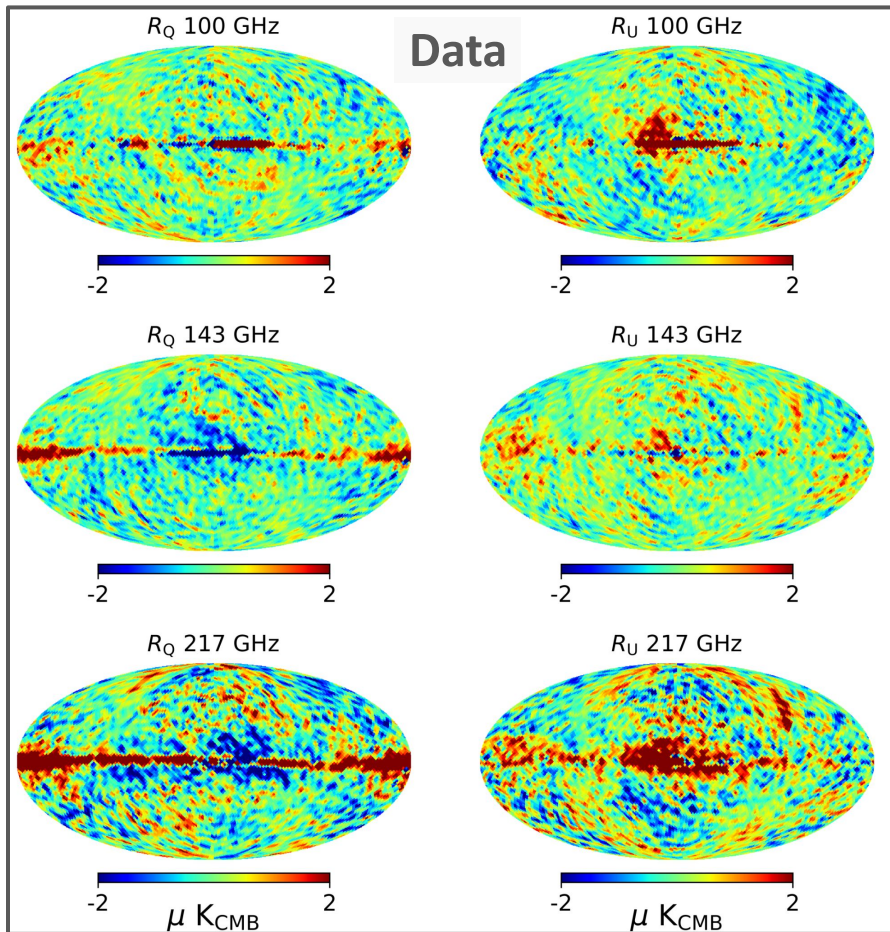
$$R_U(\nu) = U_d(\nu) - \gamma_P(\nu) \cdot U_{\text{Planck}}(\nu_0).$$

Mean  
SED

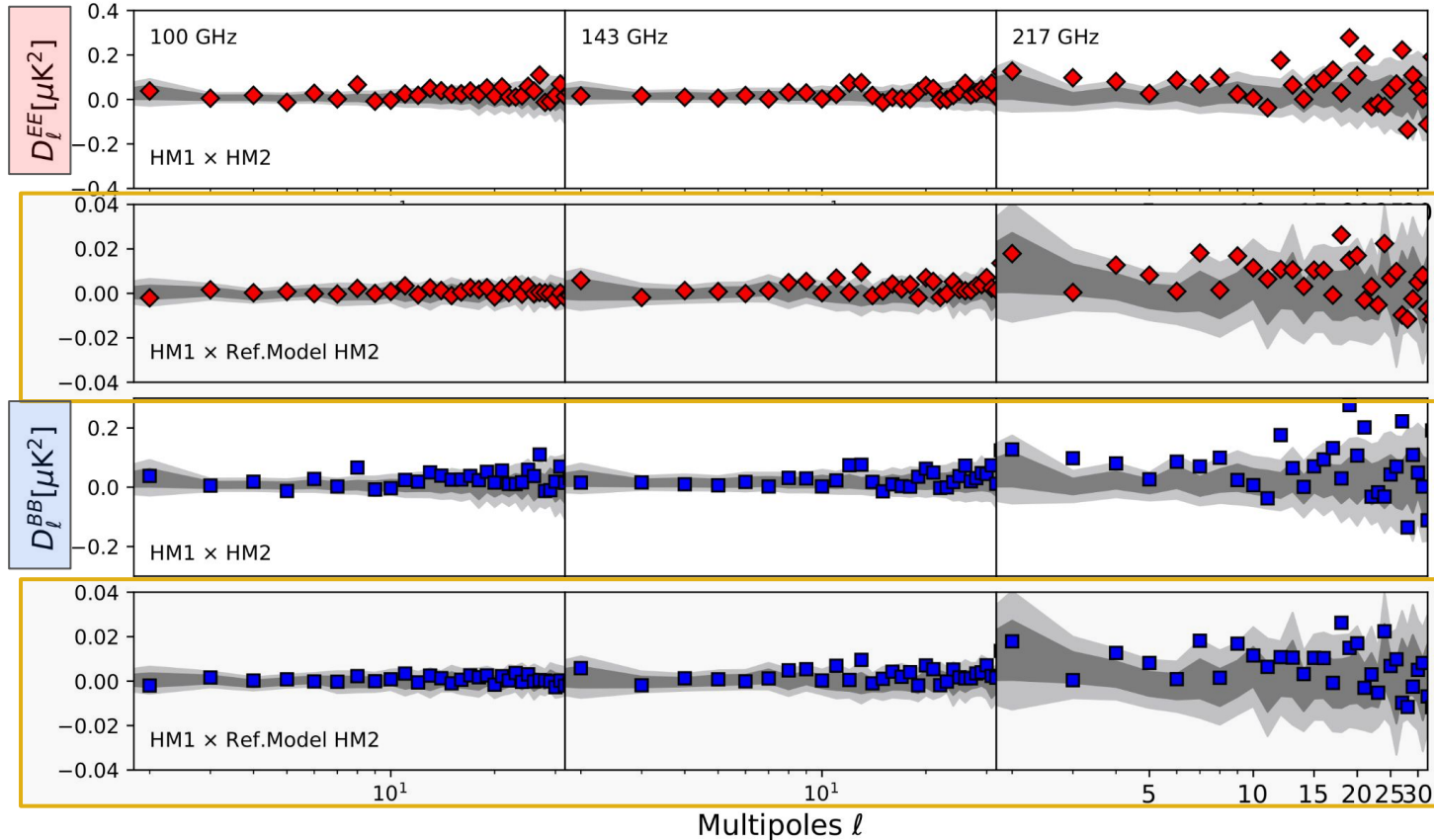
Corrected for  
synchrotron at  
100,143 GHz



# Residual polarization maps



# Cross power spectra analysis of residual maps

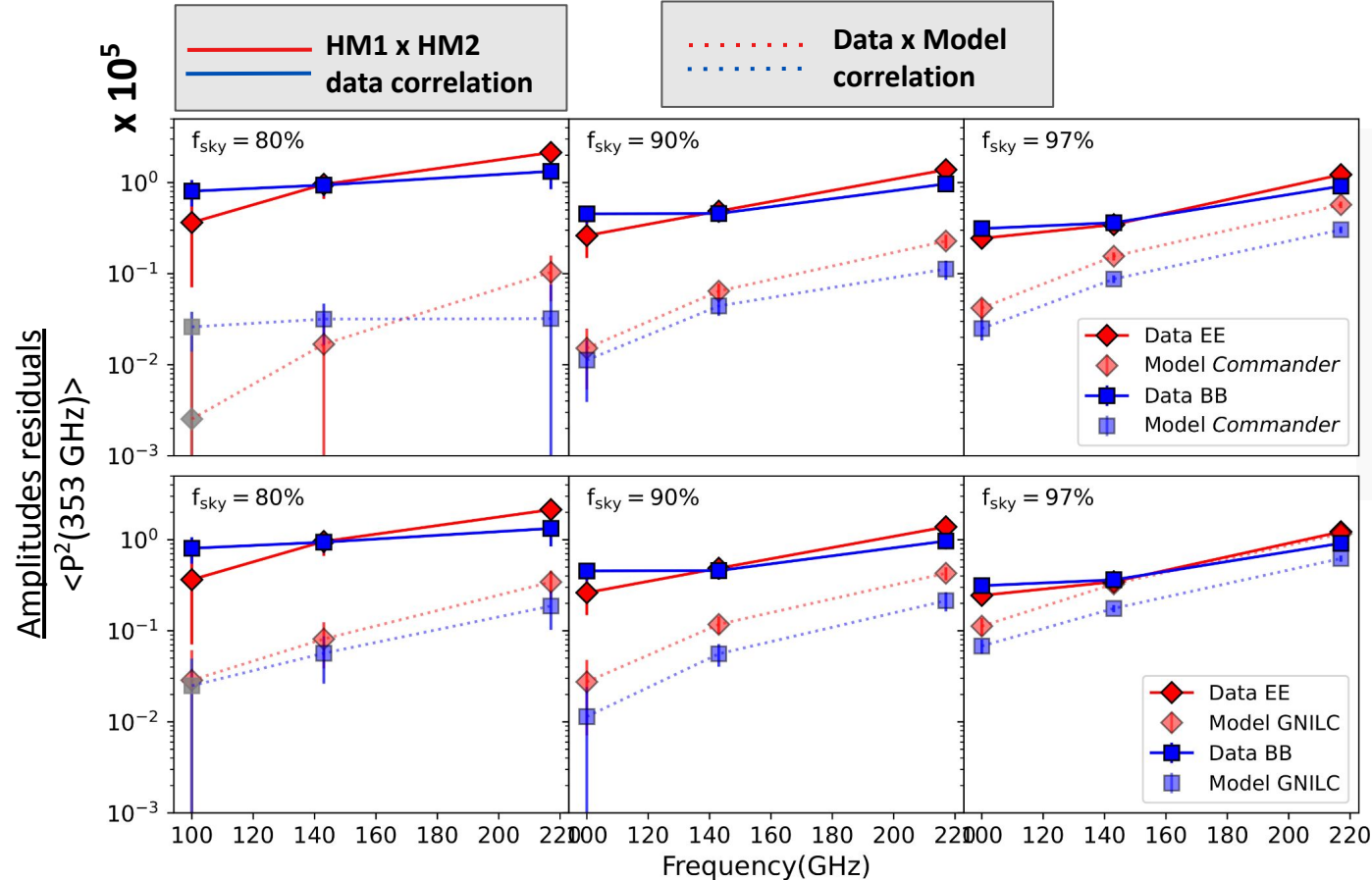


Correlation between  
*Planck half-mission*  
data sets

Correlation between  
data and the  
*Commander* model



# Averaged cross-correlation between multipoles $\ell=[4,32]$

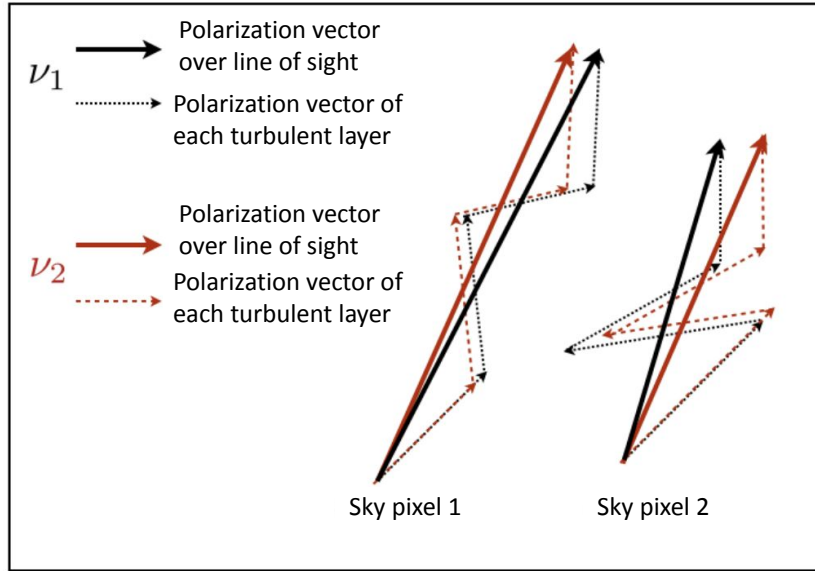


At high latitudes  $\rightarrow$  less  $f_{\text{sky}}$  correlation with **total intensity models** is lost

They **cannot reproduce** spatial SED variations detected in **polarization data**

# Contribution from polarization angles

Planck intermediate results L. 2017

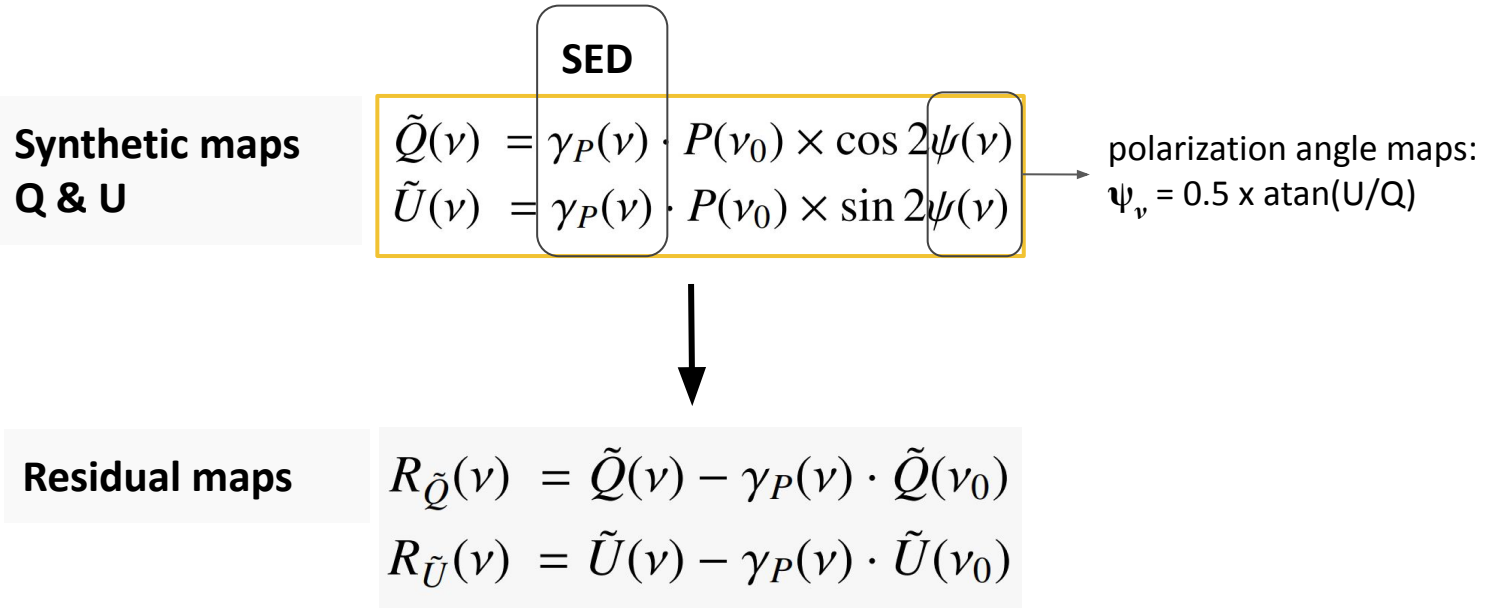


Decorrelation of the polarization pattern from 350 GHz to 100 GHz maps

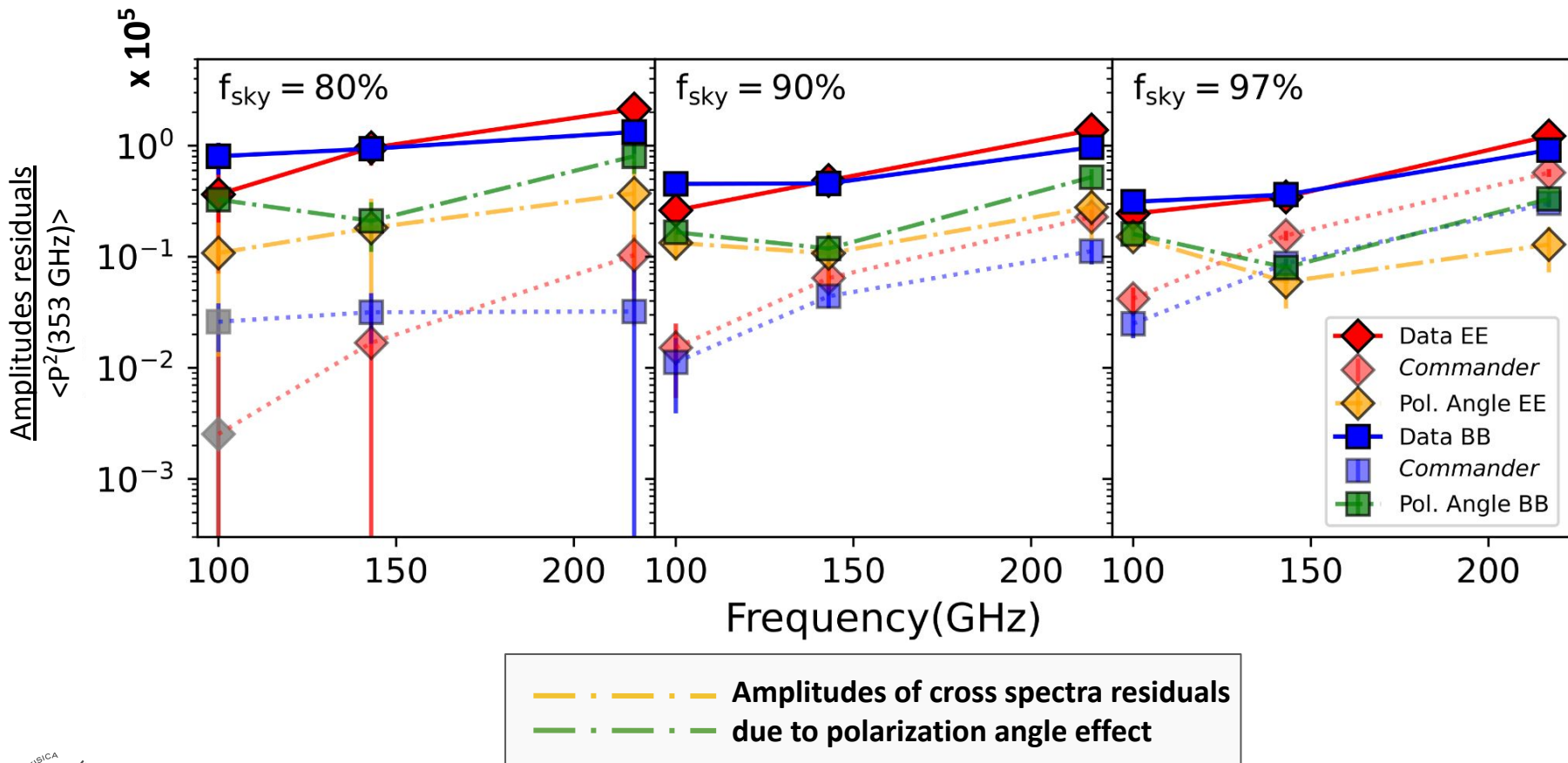
Decomposition of the LOS complex **polarization vector** into a random walk process through different turbulent layers for two pixels at two frequencies,  $\mathbf{v}_1$  and  $\mathbf{v}_2$ .

# Isolating polarization angle variation effect

We build **synthetic Stokes Q and U** parameters which depend on the polarization angle



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# Conclusions

## Power spectra to characterise spatial variations of polarized dust SED for $\ell=[4,32]$

- **Mean polarization SED** confirmed **remarkably close** to total intensity and a MBB with  $T=19.6\text{K}$  and  $\beta=1.53$ .
  - **Residual maps at 100, 143 and 217 GHz** quantifies **spatial variations** of the **dust polarization**.
  - Residual maps correlated with ***Commander*** and **GNILC ref. models** account for a **fraction** of the **total polarization SED variation**.
  - We quantify **variations in the polarization angle**.
- Dominant effect with decreasing  $f_{\text{sky}}$ , towards high Galactic latitudes.**

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**New requirements for CMB dust polarized foreground modelling**