Cluster parameter estimation and mass-observable relation for the XXL

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How to handle the M-obs relation ? Exploring the possibilities

[from J.-B. Melin's talk]



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External scaling relations

We now have a good knowledge of X-ray scaling relations for T > 3 keV, $z \sim 0$ galaxy clusters, e.g. :

- M-T : Arnaud et al 2005, Vikhlinin 2006
- M-L : Reiprich & Boehringer 2002
- L_X-T : Markevitch 1998, Arnaud & Evrard 1999
- M-Y_X: Arnaud, Pointecouteau & Pratt 2007



BUT ...

An XXL survey population would be dominated by T < 3keV, z > 0.2 clusters !

⇒ External relations are helpful but not sufficient

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Step 1 : Gas distribution in the absence of non-gravitational processes:

- NFW dark matter haloPerfect gas
- Hydrostatic equilibrium
- Gas mass conservation
- Outer boundary P_{vir} in the infall region

=> Baseline entropy profile from structure formation K(r)

Voit, Bryan, Balogh & Bower (2002), Validated over simulations in Voit, Kay & Bryan (2005) **'Physical' self-calibration ?** G. Bryan's contribution (Younger et al 2006)

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Step 2 : Modified entropy distribution:

- Account for pre-heating of the ICM: $\mathbb{K}(\mathbf{r}) = \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{r}) + \mathbf{K}_0$
- Cast the density as a function entropy: $\rho_q(r) = f(P,K) => f(P,K)$
- Re-integrate the HE equation with same P_{vir}

=> Prediction for cluster the bulk properties of the ICM

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Physical self-calibation summary

- Factor 2-3 improvement on the constraints from dn/dz/dF as compared to standard self-calibration method using scaling relations
 - => preferable provided that the model is correct
- Most of the improvement comes from tying together X-ray/SZ expectations: this effect doesn't hold on the precise physical model in use
- Still requires a very large number of sources so probably not usable as such for the XXL





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Using the X-ray data from the XXL

• In general using hydrostatic equilibrium

$$M = -\frac{rkT(r)}{G\mu m_p} \left(\frac{d\ln(T)}{d\ln(r)} + \frac{d\ln(n_e)}{d\ln(r)} \right)$$

- If clusters were exactly self-similar

 => unique T profile (all masses, all z)
 => unique n_e profile

 overall temperature would fully caracterise a system
- The ability to measure <T> for a significant subsample (as shown for the XMM-LSS C1) is therefore most informative

X-ray masses of the XMM-LSS C1 clusters



From isothermal β-model with ~ 10 ks exposures

Check with deep exposures



XLSSC-029 at z=1.05

From the survey data: **300 source counts** T=4.1+/-0.8 keV M ~ 8.6x10¹³ h⁻¹ M_{sol}

Check with deep exposures (2)

Re-observed by XMM (80ks, **3400 cts**) and Chandra (130ks, **1300 cts**)



First T profile at z>1

Maughan et al (2008)

Lensing mases

Weak lensing masses for 4 out of 8 C1 clusters in the D1 CFHTLS deep field



2x more massive than from X-rays !!

Probably comes from the oversimple assumption of isothermal β-model in X-rays

Berge et al 2008

X-ray alone summary

With the XMM-LSS, and thus with any of the proposed XXL layouts, we have some information at hand on the X-ray masses of a controlled subsample



We have to understand better and pin down the systematics





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We find a way to combine the advantages from all of these methods

Suggestion for discussions: a full physical calibration

In his contribution G. Bryan only considered dn/dz/dF.

In an XXL survey, we would also have T for a subsample, surface brightness profiles and (hopefully) redshifts for all the clusters

=> more constraints available on cluster physical models=> comming from a controlled sample

Detailled X-ray parameters contain information on both cosmology (via cluster mass) and cluster physics





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Provided that we have a reasonable model framework to use ...

1) Compute for each value of the model parameters (e.g. K_0) the likelihood that each source follow this model and has a given mass

- 2) Plug this directly into the physical self-calibrated cosmological likelihood
- 3) Sample the large resulting parameter space using e.g. MCMC

Optimally uses the whole information at hand

If the model gives a fair representation of the ICM, i.e. accurately describe the density/temperature distribution
 => no more biases as compared to e.g. isothermal β-model.

Using the whole available data

 Such a method would also provide a straightforward framework for combining X/SZ/Lensing(/optical?) constraints on a source by source basis !

2) Local scaling relations, density/temperature profiles have a key role to play in determining what is the best suitable model to use

3) They can be used as prior to better isolate the set of physically plausible model parameters





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