

ISOCURVATURE FORECASTS FOR CMB S4, PIXIE, AND MAYBE CONSTRAINTS FOR ACTPOL

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ABSTRACT

This is a sample document which demonstrates some of the basic features of L^AT_EX. You can easily reformat it for different document or bibliography styles.

1. INTRODUCTION

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2. METHODS

2.1. Perturbations and Power Spectra

For a set of the standard cosmological parameters with the additional isocurvature parameters, we compute a theoretical power spectrum with CLASS, a fast Boltzmann code written in C (citation). The adiabatic and isocurvature are contained in three functions, $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}(k)$, $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}(k)$, and $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I}}(k)$, the curvature, isocurvature, and cross-correlation power spectra, respectively (cite Planck 2015 XX). Like Planck, we specify these power spectra through two scales, $k_1 = 0.002 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ and $k_2 = 0.100 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$. We use the same uniform priors as Planck,

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(1)}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(2)} \in (10^{-9}, 10^{-8}), \quad (1)$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(2)} \in (0, 10^{-8}), \quad (2)$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)} \in (-10^{-8}, 10^{-8}). \quad (3)$$

We follow Planck 2015 XX's convention of fixing $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I}}^{(2)}$ from these parameters. Then we sample over the Λ CDM scenario, but replace A_s and n_s with $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(1)}$, $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(2)}$ and add

the three isocurvature parameters $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)}$, $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(2)}$, $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)}$.

$$\{\Omega_b h^2, \Omega_c h^2, \theta_A, \tau_{reio}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(1)}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{R}}^{(2)} \quad (4)$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}}^{(2)}, \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}\mathcal{I}}^{(1)} \} \quad (5)$$

2.2. Forecasting

2.3. ACTPol Likelihood

We use the same methods as in Louis et al. 2016 for the ACT likelihood, marginalizing the ACTPol spectrum from $350 < l < 4000$ to construct a Gaussian likelihood function with an overall calibration parameter. We produce our parameter constraints by summing this with the Planck 2015 log-likelihood. We use the public CMB-marginalized 'plik-lite' Planck 2015 likelihood which uses TT for $30 \leq l \leq 2508$, a likelihood generated from CMB lensing, and a joint TT, EE, BB, and TE likelihood for the range $2 \leq l < 30$.

$$-2 \ln L = -2 \ln L(\text{ACTPol}) \quad (6)$$

$$-2 \ln L(\text{Planck TT}_{30 < l < 2508}) \quad (7)$$

$$-2 \ln L(\text{Planck TEB}_{2 \leq l < 30}) \quad (8)$$

$$-2 \ln L(\text{Planck Lensing}) \quad (9)$$

In addition to the Λ CDM and isocurvature parameters, we need two nuisance parameters coming from the normalizations of the two instruments we use data from (Planck and ACT),

$$\{A_{\text{planck}}, Y_p\}. \quad (10)$$

3. RESULTS

TABLE 1
FORECASTING PARAMETERS

Experiment	$l_{min} - l_{max}$	f_{sky}	θ FWHM	σ_T ($\mu\text{K arcmin}$)	σ_P ($\mu\text{K arcmin}$)
CMB S4	30-3000	0.40	3.0	1.0	1.4
PIXIE	2 - 150	0.8	120	2.9	4.0
Planck 2017 high.L	30 - 2500	0.65	10,7.1,5.0	65.0, 43.0, 66.0	103.0, 81.0, 134.0

NOTE. — These forecasts are based on blahblahblah.