# Cosmic Gamma-ray Background Radiation

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## **Cosmic Background Radiation Spectrum**



# Cosmic Gamma-ray Background



 Numerous sources are buried in the cosmic gammaray background (CGB).

#### Cosmic Gamma-ray Background Spectrum at >0.1 GeV



Softening around ~250 GeV.

- Fermi resolves CGB more at higher energies.
- See Ackermann's talk



Funk & Hinton '13

# Possible Origins of CGB at GeV

#### **Unresolved sources**



#### <u>Blazars</u>

Dominant class of LAT extragalactic sources. Many estimates in literature. EGB contribution ranging from 20% - 100%



#### Non-blazar active galaxies

27 sources resolved in 2FGL ~ 25% contribution of radio galaxies to EGB expected. (Inoue 2011)



#### Star-forming galaxies

Several galaxies outside the local group resolved by LAT. Significant contribution to EGB expected. (e.g. Pavlidou & Fields, 2002)

#### GRBs High-la sma (e.g. [

#### High-latitude pulsars

small contributions expected. (e.g. Dermer 2007, Siegal-Gaskins et al. 2010)









#### **Diffuse processes**

#### Intergalactic shocks

widely varying predictions of EGB contribution ranging from 1% to 100% (e.g. Loeb & Waxman 2000, Gabici & Blasi 2003)

#### Dark matter annihilation

Potential signal dependent on nature of DM, cross-section and structure of DM distribution (e.g. Ullio et al. 2002)

#### Interactions of UHE cosmic rays with the EBL

dependent on evolution of CR sources, predictions varying from 1% to 100 % (e.g. Kalashev et al. 2009)

Extremely large galactic electron halo (Keshet et al. 2004)

CR interaction in small solar system bodys (Moskalenko & Porter 2009)



# **Typical Spectra of Blazars**



- Non-thermal emission from radio to gamma-ray
- Two peaks
  - Synchrotron
  - Inverse Compton
- Luminous blazars (Flat Spectrum Radio Quasars: FSRQs) tend to have lower peak energies (Fossati+'98, Kubo +'98)

## **Cosmological Evolution of Blazars**



- FSRQs, LBLs, & IBLs show positive evolution.
- HBLs show negative evolution unlike other AGNs.

## **Blazar contribution to CGB**



Padovani+'93; Stecker+'93; Salamon & Stecker '94; Chiang + '95; Stecker & Salamon '96; Chiang & Mukherjee '98; Mukherjee & Chiang '99; Muecke & Pohl '00; Narumoto & Totani '06; Giommi +'06; Dermer '07; Pavlidou & Venters '08; Kneiske & Mannheim '08; Bhattacharya +'09; Yl & Totani '09; Abdo+'10; Stecker & Venters '10; Cavadini+'11, Abazajian+'11, Zeng+'12, Ajello+'12, Broderick+'12, Singal+'12, Harding & Abazajian '12, Di Mauro+'14, Ajello+'14, Singal+'14

• Blazars explain ~50% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.

## Radio Galaxies



• Strong+'75, Padovani+'93; **YI '11**; Di Mauro+'13; Zhou & Wang '13

- Use gamma-ray and radio-luminosity correlation.
- ~20% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.
- But, only ~10 sources are detected by Fermi.

## **Star-forming Galaxies**



- Soltan '99; Pavlidou & Fields '02; Thompson +'07; Bhattacharya & Sreekumar 2009; Fields et al. 2010; Makiya et al. 2011; Stecker & Venters 2011; Lien+'12, Ackermann+'12; Lacki+'12; Chakraborty & Fields '13; Tamborra+'14
- Use gamma-ray and infrared luminosity correlation
- ~10-30% of CGB at 0.1-100 GeV.
- But, only ~10 sources are detected by Fermi.

## **Components of Cosmic Gamma-ray Background**



• FSRQs (Ajello+'12), BL Lacs (Ajello+'14), Radio gals. (YI'11), & Star-forming gals. (Ackermann +'12) makes almost 100% of CGB from 0.1-1000 GeV.

- However, we need to assume SEDs at higher energies.
- See Di Mauro's talk

## Future CGB studies

- Anisotropy of Cosmic GeV Gamma-ray Background
  - Searching Dark Matter signature
- Cosmic <u>MeV</u> Gamma-ray Background
  - Origins are still unknown.
- Cosmic <u>TeV</u> Gamma-ray Background
  - Connection to the IceCube TeV-PeV neutrinos

# Anisotropy of Cosmic Gammaray Background

## Anisotropy of Cosmic Gamma-ray Background



- Anisotropy puts strong constraints on the evolutionary models of blazars (Cuoco+'12, Harding & Abazajian '13).
- CGB anisotropy is well explained by known radio-loud AGN populations (Di Mauro+'14) -> <u>See Donato's talk</u>.



- Angular power spectra of CGB is a powerful tool to constrain the DM properties (e.g. Ando & Komatsu '06, '13).
- Cross-correlation between cosmic shear and CGB will be a new powerful tool (e.g. Shirasaki+'14) -> <u>See Shirasaki's talk</u>.

# Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background

## Cosmic X-ray/MeV Gamma-ray Background



### Seyferts and Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background



- Required non-thermal electron distribution is similar to that in solar flares and Earth's magnetotail
  - →Magnetic reconnectionheated corona? (Liu, Mineshige, & Shibata '02)
- ALMA may probe the corona heating scenario
  (YI & Doi '14, YI & Doi in prep.).

### **Blazars and Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background**

#### **Based on Swift-BAT**

#### **Based on Fermi-LAT**



- FSRQs contribute to the GeV gamma-ray background with a peak at ~100 MeV (e.g. YI & Totani '09, Ajello +'12)
  - Two components in gamma-ray spectra or two FSRQ populations?

### Cosmic MeV Gamma-ray Background "Anisotropy"



 Astro-H (SGD) / future MeV satellites will distinguish Seyfert & blazar scenarios through anisotropy in the sky.

# Cosmic TeV Gamma-ray Background

## Upper Limit on Cosmic Gamma-ray Background



- Cascade component from VHE CGB can not exceed the Fermi data (Coppi & Aharonian '97, YI & Ioka '12, Murase+'12, Ackermann+'14).
  - No or negative evolution is required -> HBLs show negative evolution (Ajello+'14).

#### IceCube Neutrinos and Cosmic Gamma-ray Background



- Extragalactic pp scenario (galaxies or clusters) for IceCube events will provide 30-100 % of CGB (Murase+'13).
- Extragalactic pγ scenario (e.g. FSRQs) depends on the target photon spectra (e.g. Murase, YI, & Dermer '14, Dermer, Murase, & YI '14).

#### -> <u>See Ahlers' talk & Reimer's talk</u>.

## Cosmic UV/optical/infrared Background Radiation

### Cosmic Optical & Infrared Background (COB & CIB)



# **Constraints from Gamma rays**



- Fermi derived the COB opacity using the combined spectra of blazars (see also Gong & Cooray '13, Dominguez +'13).
- H.E.S.S. derived the COB intensity using the combined spectra of blazars.

## **Direct Measurements of COB & CIB**



- Pioneer 10/11 measurements are consistent with the galaxy count lower limit.
- But, recent AKARI measurement is consistent with IRTS.
  - Peak at near infrared?

# **CIBER Experiment at NIR region**



- CIBER confirmed a large scale fluctuation reported by Spitzer & AKARI, which can not be explained galaxies (Zecmov+'14 Science).
  - A population other than galaxies may significantly contribute to CIB.
- They will report the CIB absolute intensity measurement soon.



- CGB at GeV band is composed of blazars, radio galaxies, and star-forming galaxies.
- CGB at MeV band may be come from blazars or Seyferts.
  - Anisotropy measurement will distinguish these two scenarios.
- CGB at TeV band is constrained by CGB at GeV band through cascade emission.
  - Need to check consistency with IceCube neutrino measurements.