

Deep Blazar surveys with Swift

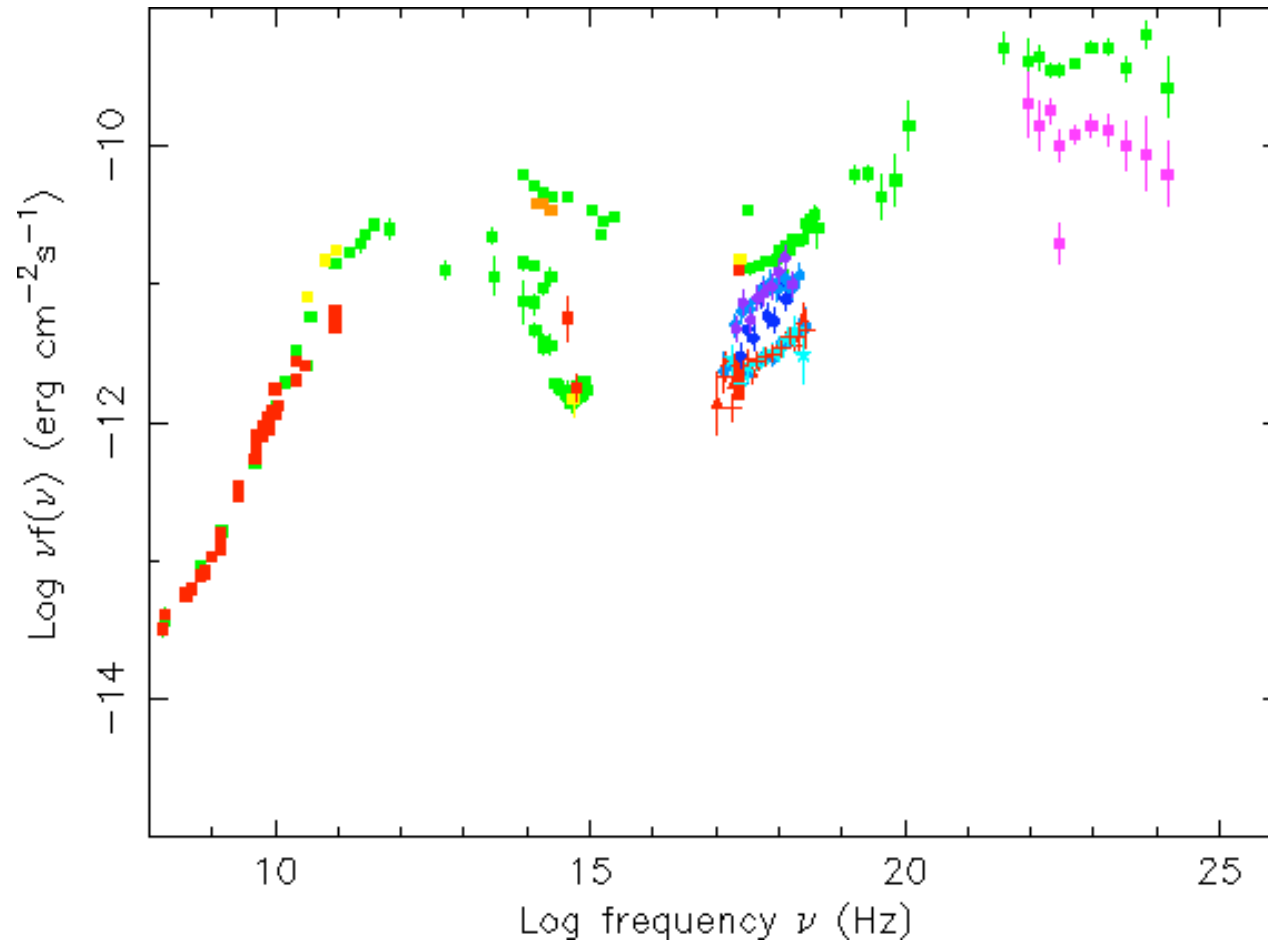
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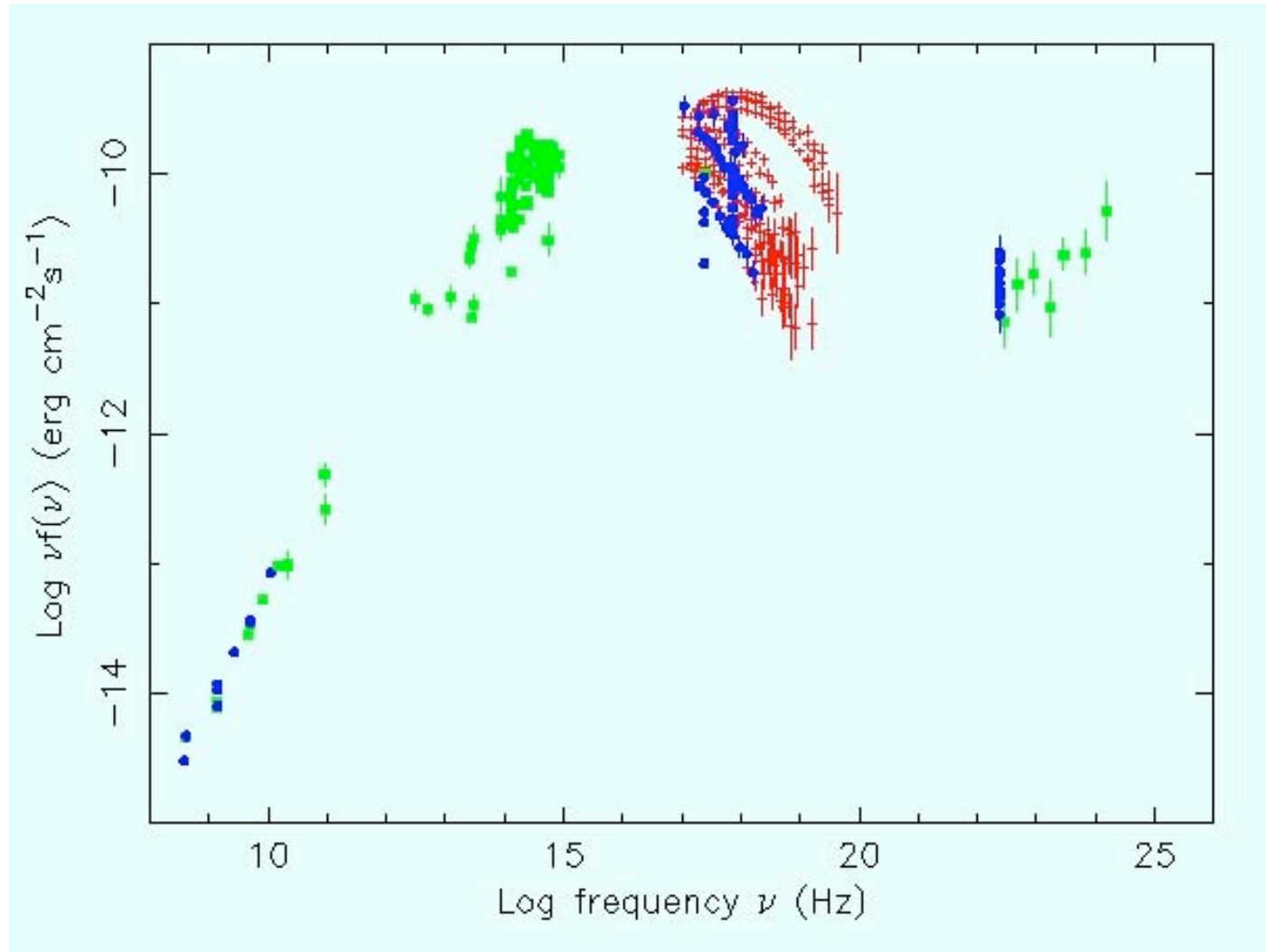
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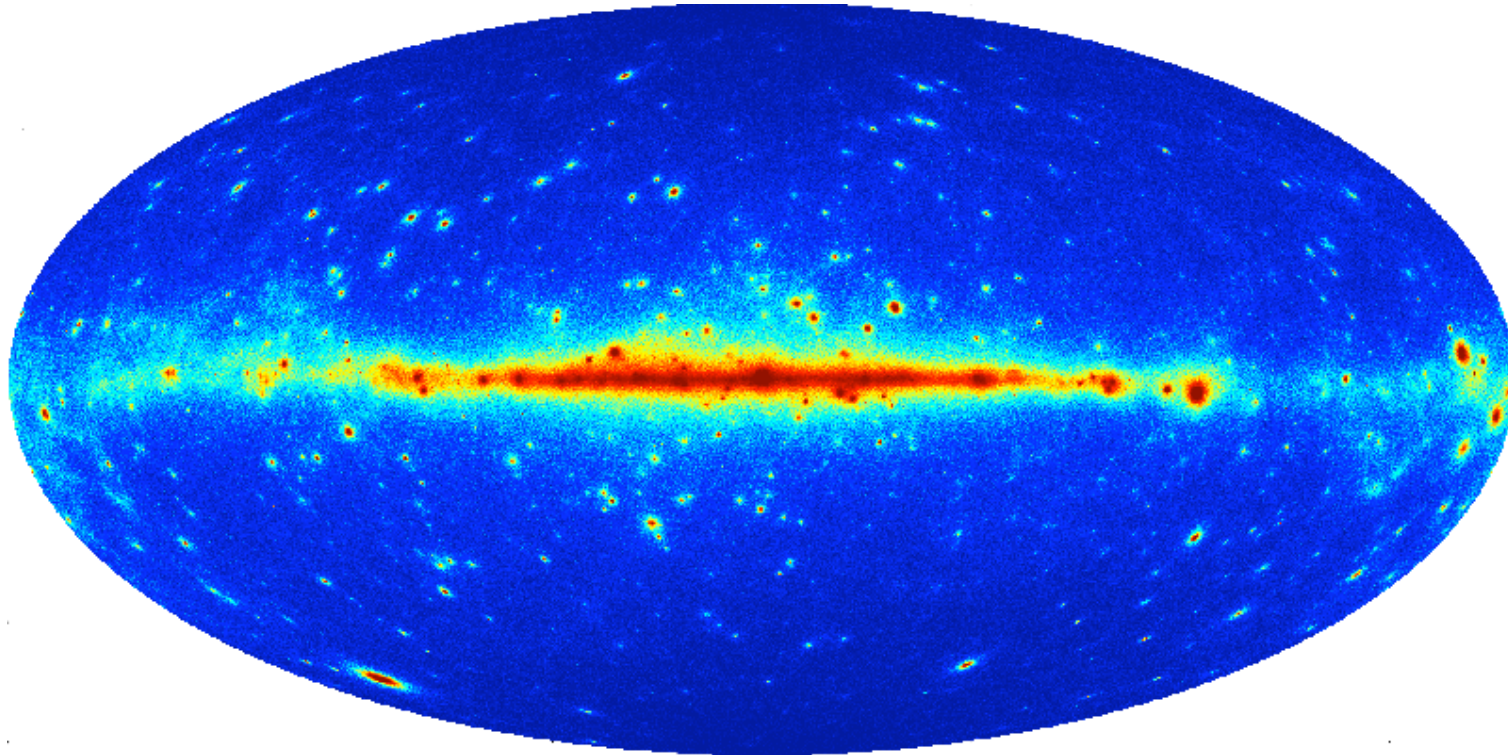
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MKN 421 : an HBL Blazar



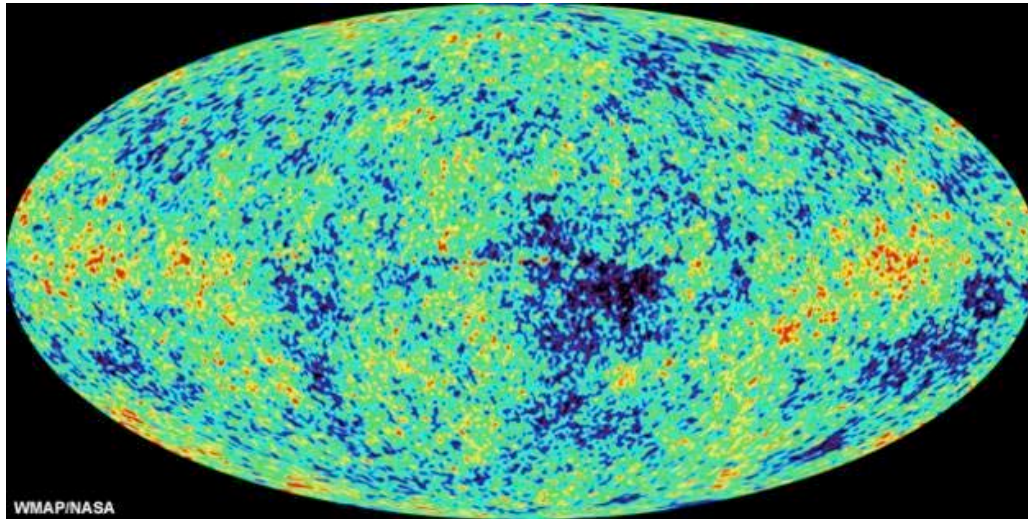
GLAST-LAT - 1 year simulation



- 3,000-10,000 detected blazars
- significant contribution to *CGB* from unresolved blazars with radio/ μ -wave flux $< \sim 100$ mJy

Blazars @ μ -wave frequencies: the 3-year WMAP data

WMAP CMB fluctuation map



The large majority of bright WMAP foreground sources are blazars or radio galaxies

Bright foreground source catalog



323 bright sources

- 194 FSRQs
- 38 BL Lacs
- 30 Radio galaxies
- 15 Steep sp. QSO
- 2 starburst galaxies
- 2 planetary nebule

- 41 unidentified

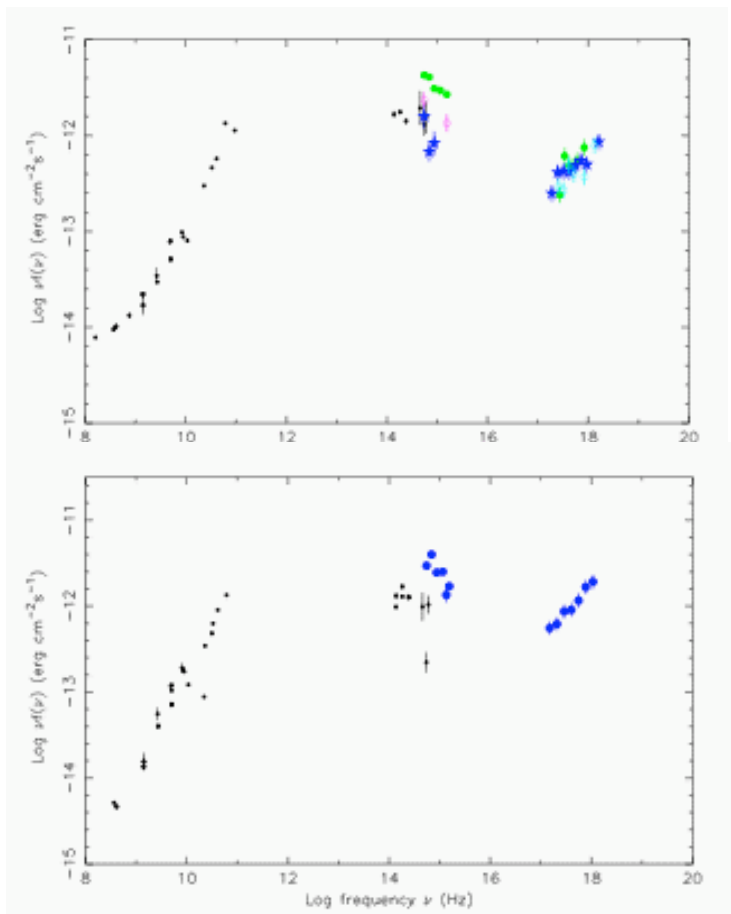
Planck will be in a vey similar situation to that of *GLAST - LAT* (thousands of deteced blazars + contribution to unresolved flux).

Swift detection of all previously undetected blazars in a micro-wave flux-limited sample of WMAP foreground sources

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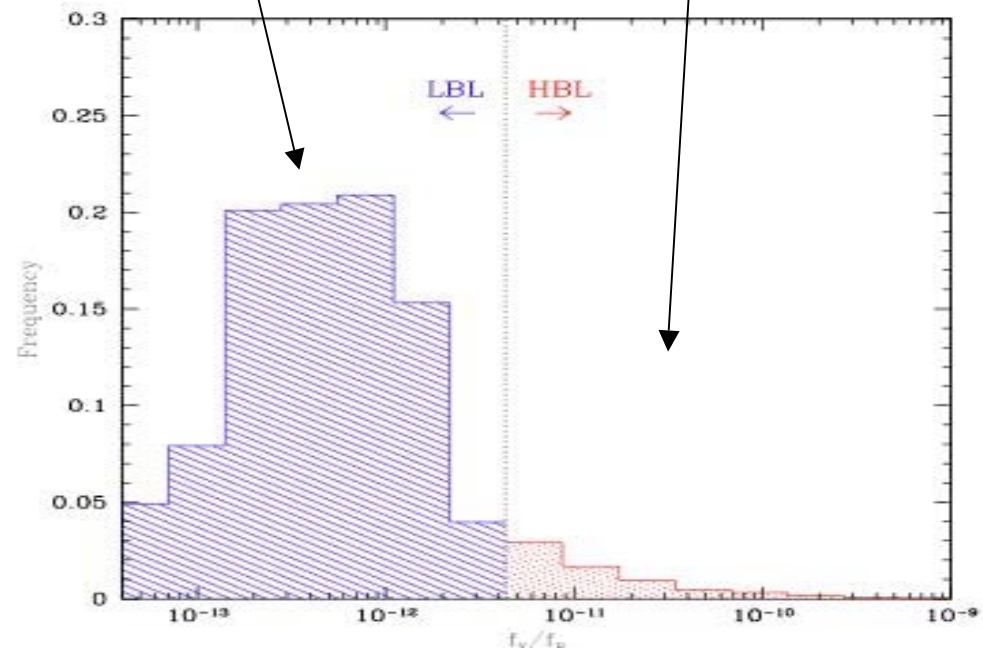
2007 A&A, in press

All microwave selected blazars are X-ray sources.

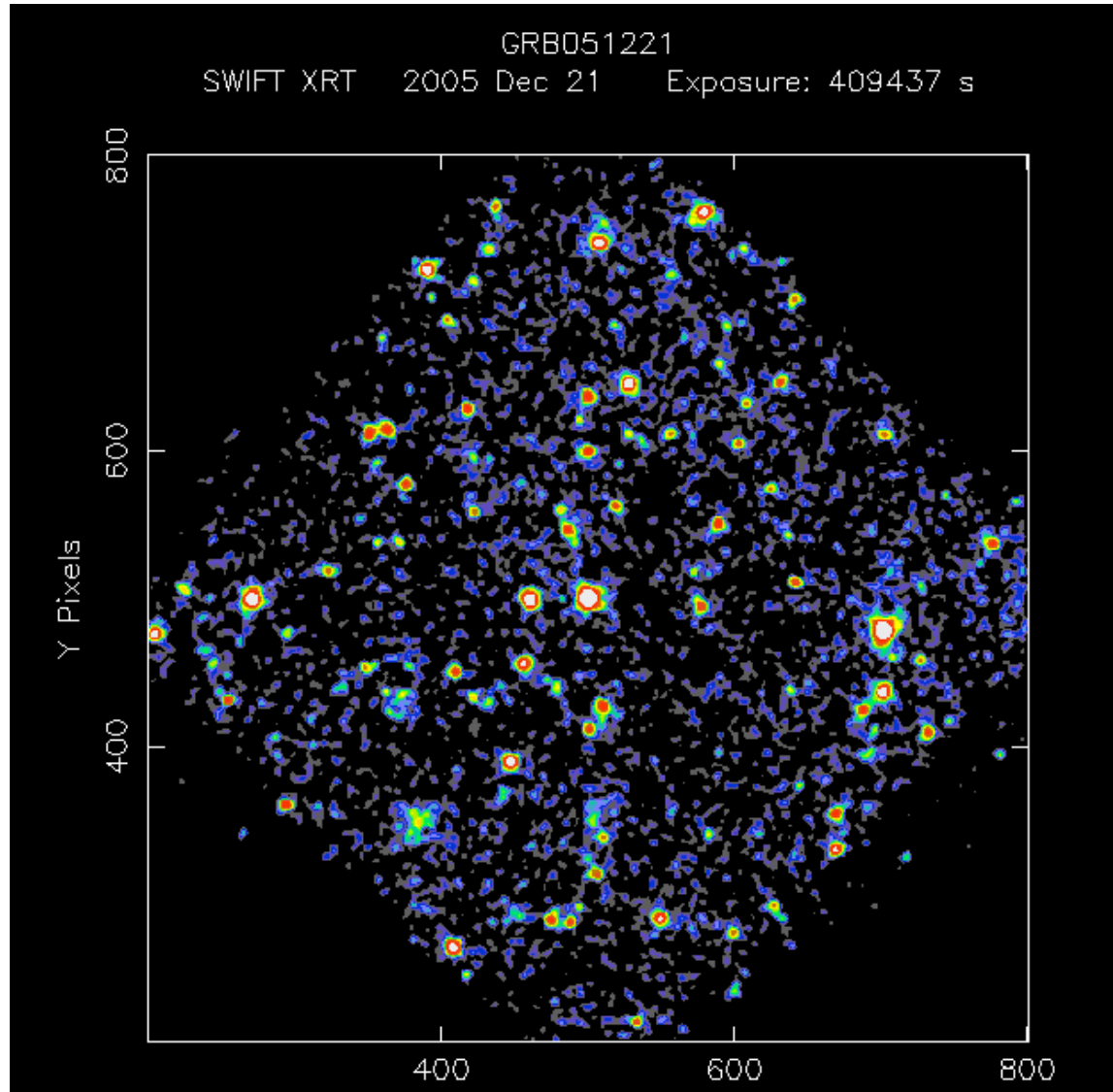


FSRQ + BL Lacs

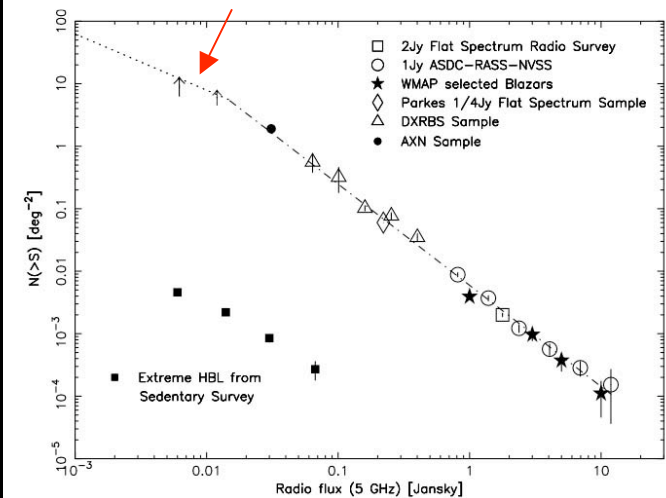
BL Lacs only



Swift XRT serendipitous sources in GRBs pointings : the "perfect" serendipitous survey

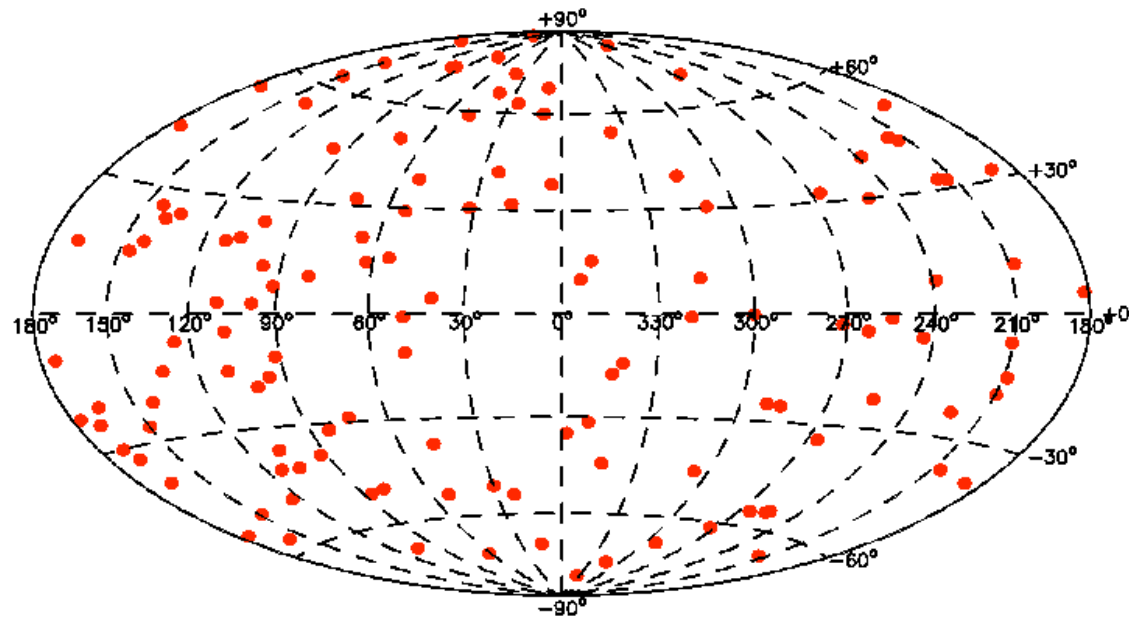


~1 blazar/field
expected with
radio flux > 10 mJy!

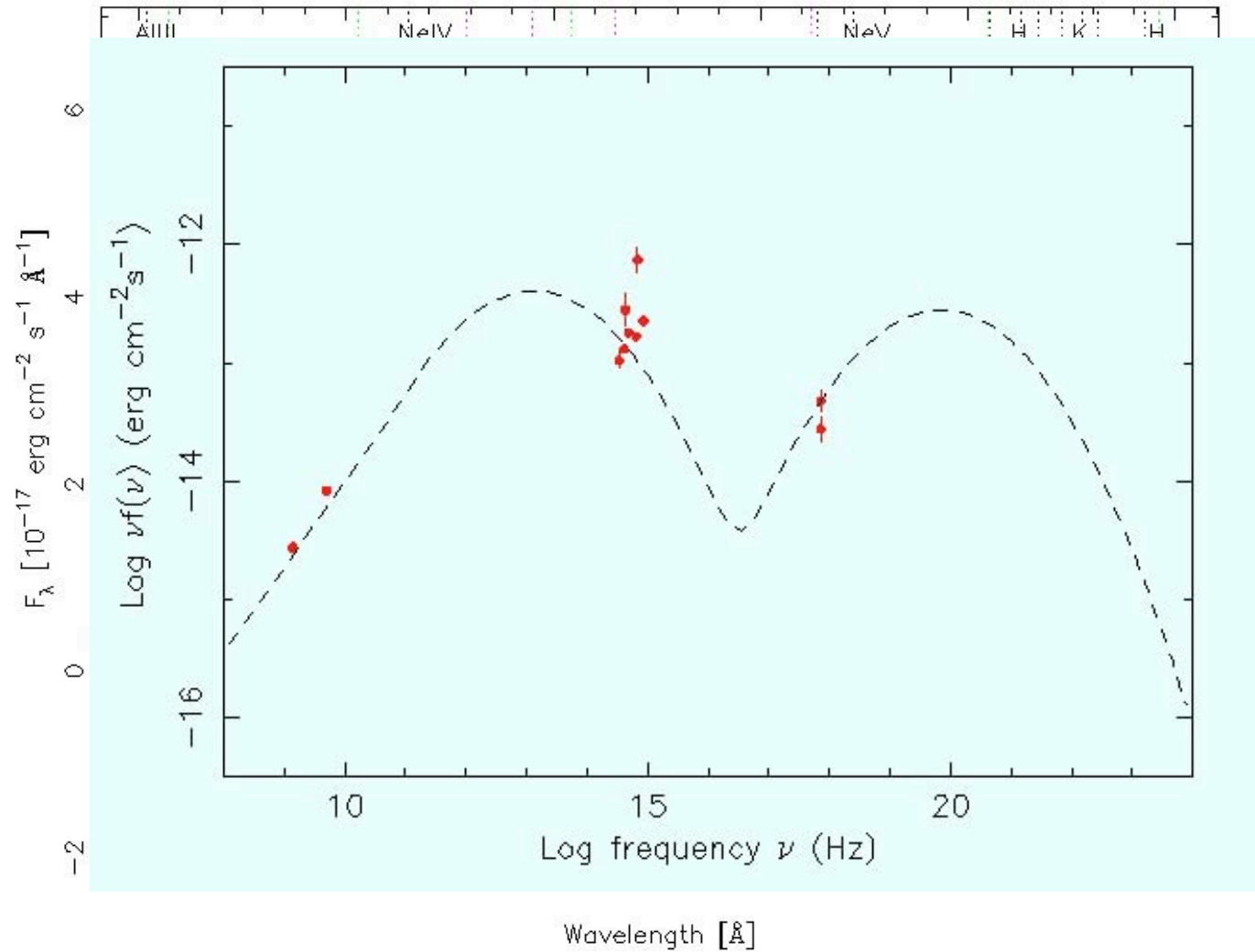


Swift XRT serendipitous survey in GRB deep fields: status as of end of January 2007

- 130 deep (4×10^4 - 6×10^5 seconds) GRB exposures analyzed
- ~11,000 sources detected with positional uncertainty of 4-6 arcsecs.
- 90 fields are at $|b_{II}| > 20$: ~8,000 sources
- 164 radio/X-ray matches (blazar candidates)

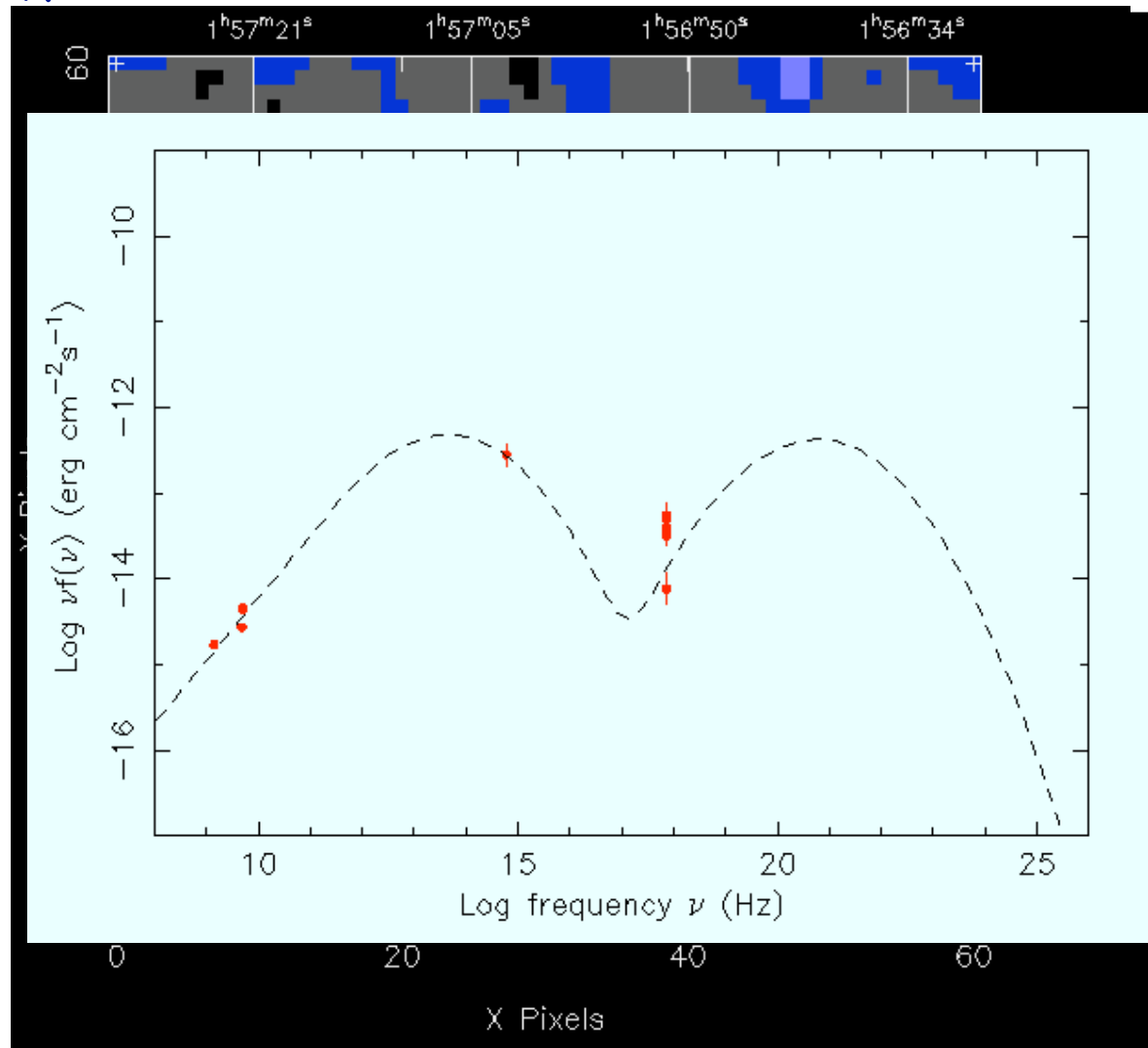


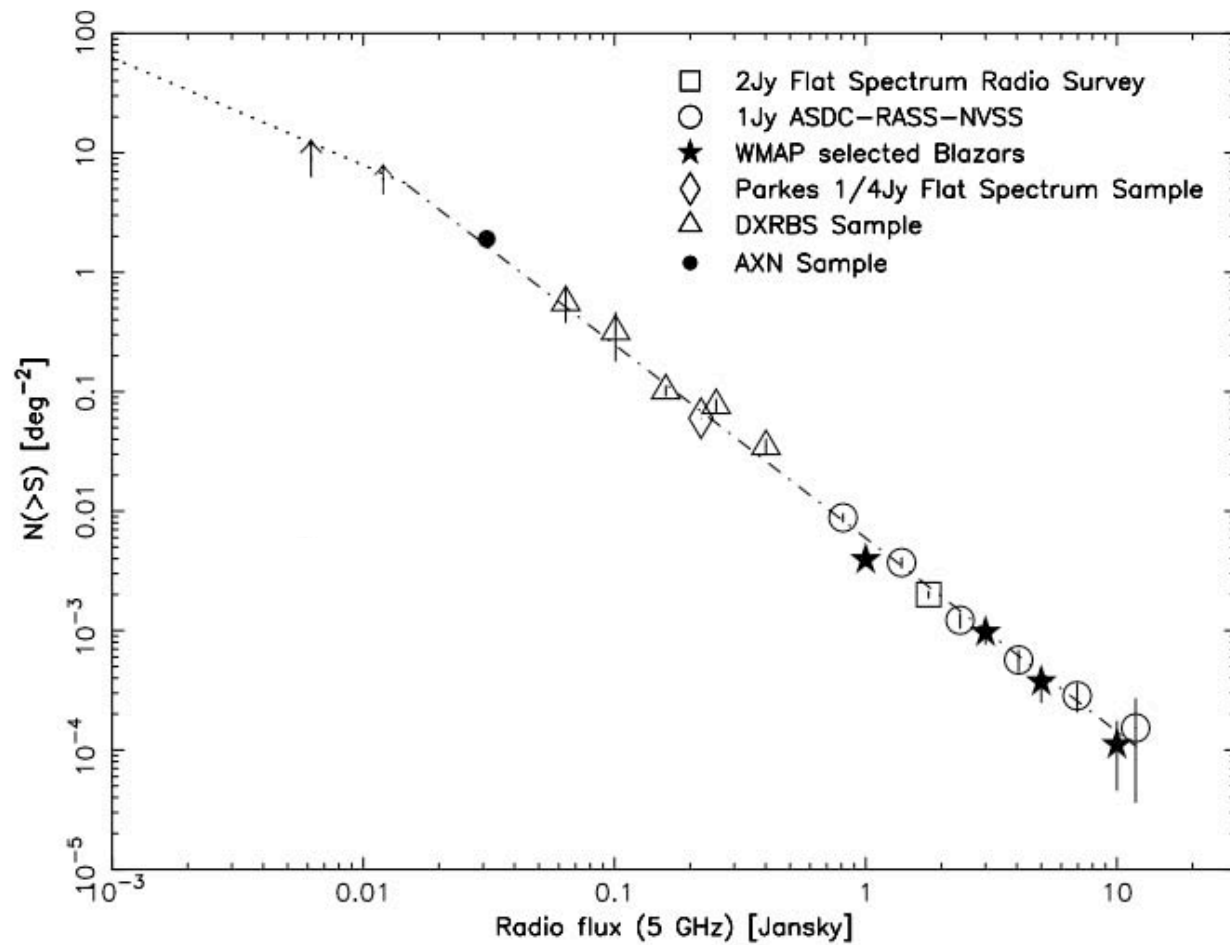
Swift J101724.4+432905: FSRQ, $z=1.1735$
 $f_x \sim 6 \times 10^{-14} \text{ erg/cm}^2/\text{s}$, 197 mJy @ 1.4 GHz

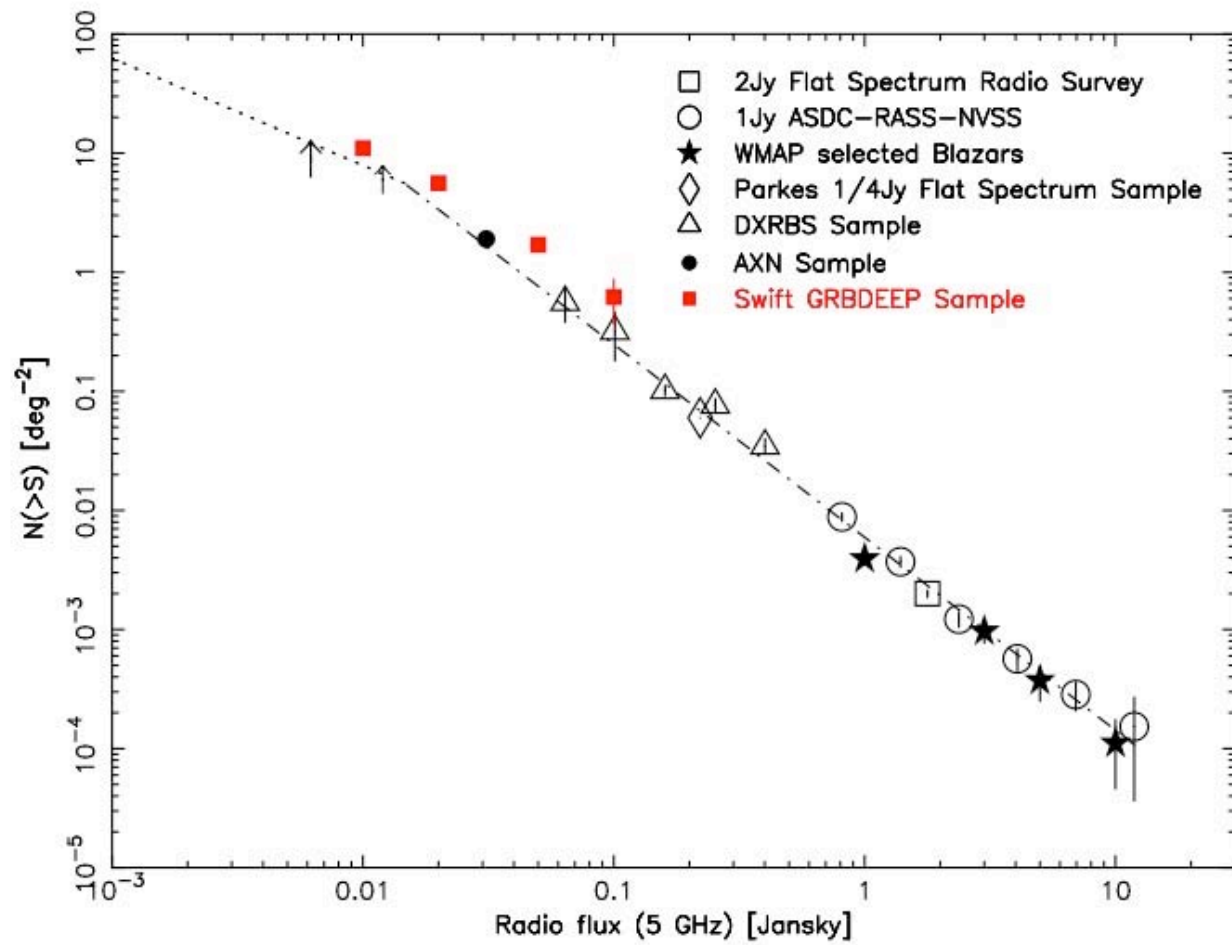


Swift J015700.6+085403 :

$f_x \sim 5 \times 10^{-14} \text{ erg/cm}^2/\text{s}$, 122 mJy @ 1.4 GHz







Blazars @ waves frequencies: the 3-year WMAP data

Results of $\langle V/V_m \rangle$ test
($\Omega_M=0.3, \Omega_\Lambda=0.7$)

Sample (No of objects)	$\langle V/V_m \rangle$	Flux limit @41 GHz
FSRQ (145)	0.63 +/-0.023	1000 mJy
BL Lacs (27)	0.62 +/-0.055	1000 mJy

The Deep X-Ray Radio Blazar Survey (DXRBS). III. Radio Number Counts, Evolutionary Properties, and Luminosity Function of Blazars

Padovani, Giommi, Landt & Perlmán, 2007, submitted

Table 1. Complete sample composition.

Class	Total	Newly identified	Previously known	No redshift
FSRQ	129	79	50	0
BL Lacs	24	15	9	7
BL Lacs, $\alpha_r > 0.5$	7	6	1	0
SSRQ ^a	33	24	9	0
Radio Galaxies ^a	17	9	8	0
Unidentified	16	16		16
Unidentified, $\alpha_r > 0.5$	6	6		6

^aThe SSRQ and radio galaxies samples are obviously incomplete, as our radio spectral index cut excludes by definition the majority of these sources.

Radio flux limits
50-100 mJy

X-ray flux limits
2.e-14/5.e-13 0.3-2 keV

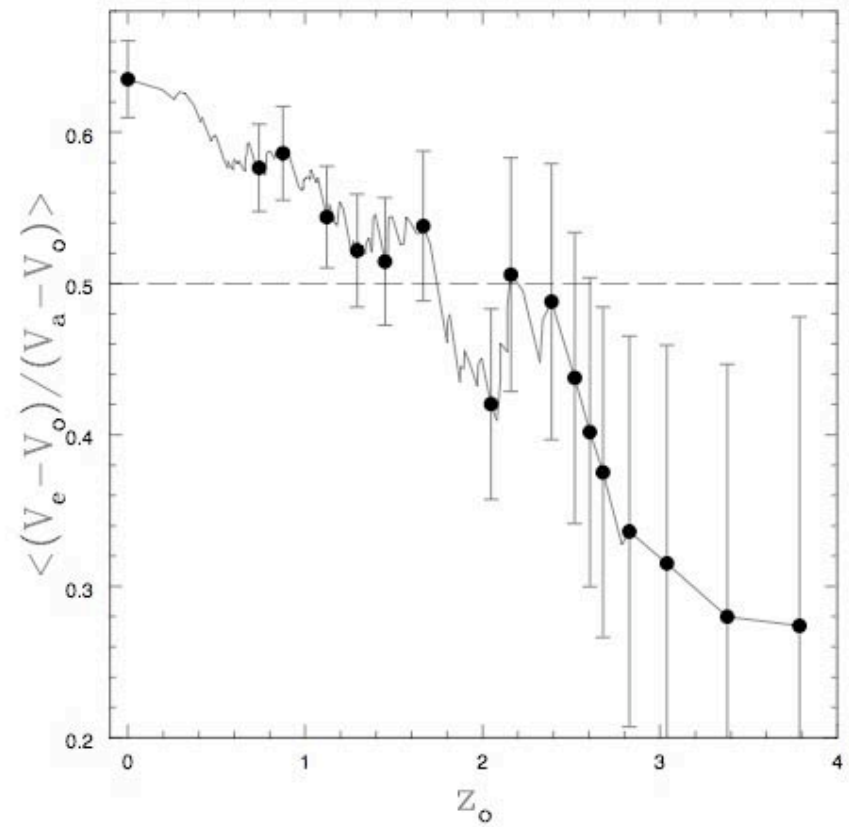
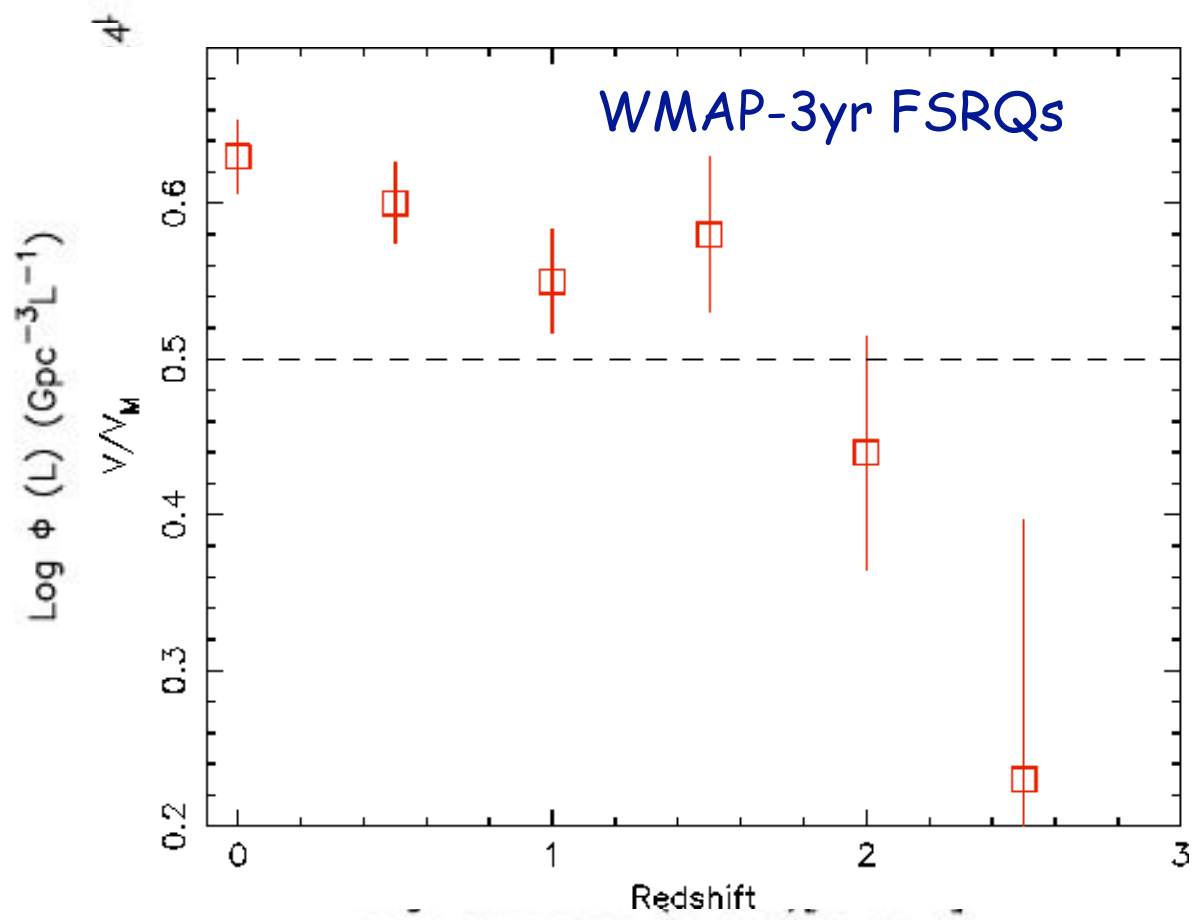
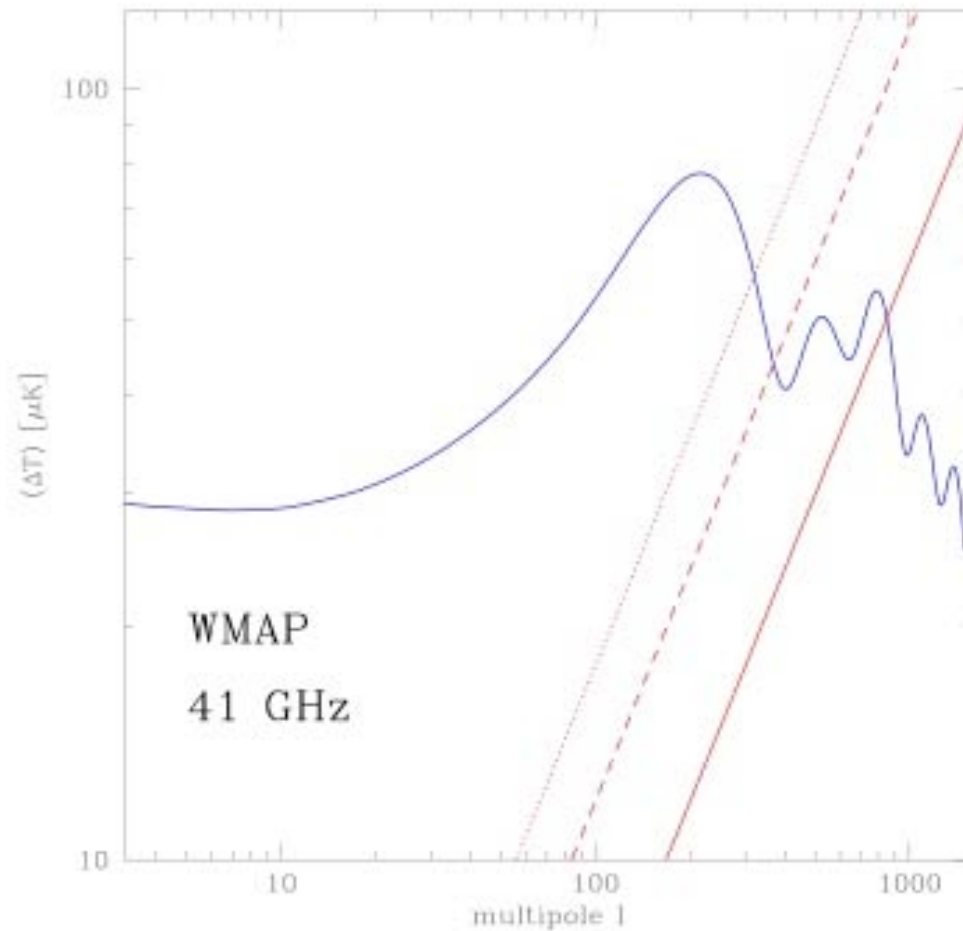


Fig. 7.— The banded $\langle V_e/V_a \rangle$ statistic, $\langle (V_e - V_o)/(V_a - V_o) \rangle$ versus z_o for DXRBS FSRQ. The horizontal dashed line indicates the value of 0.5 expected under the null hypothesis of no evolution. The statistical error bars, given by $(12N)^{-0.5}$, where N is the number of objects in the subsample with $z > z_o$, are shown for selected redshifts.



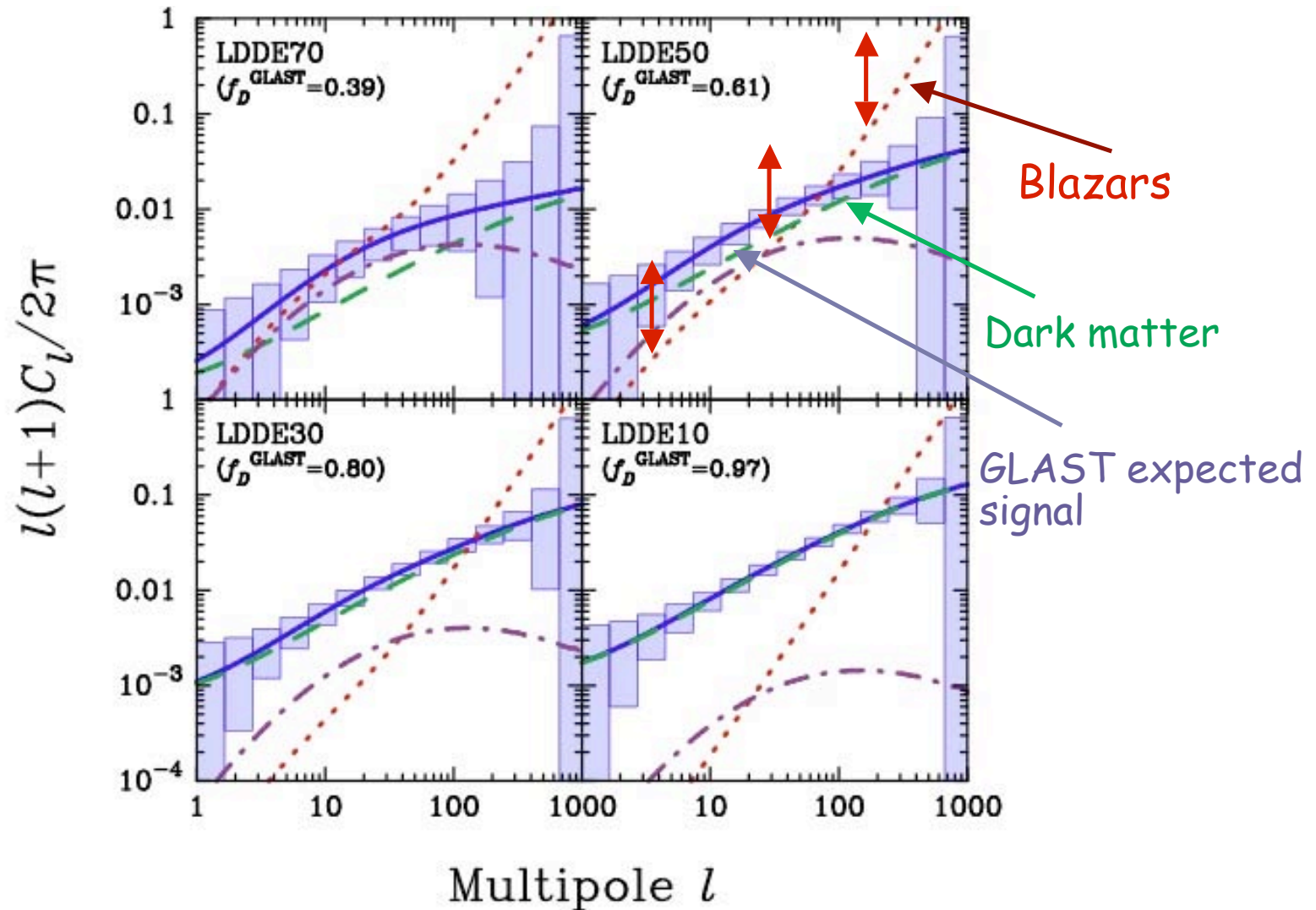
CMB spectrum contamination

Giommi & Colafrancesco 2004 A&A 414,7, Giommi et al. 2006 A&A 445, 843



Dark matter-blazar angular power spectrum

Ando Komatsu Narumoto & Totani 2007 Astro-ph/0612467,
Colafrancesco & Giommi 2007, in preparation.



Deep Blazars survey in Swift GRB fields

Conclusions and prospects

- ~200 Swift deep GRB fields available today (20 sq deg of sky)
(300 at the end of 2007)
- 150-200 blazars in radio flux limited sample ($f_{5\text{GHz}} = 10 \text{ mJy}$)
~ 400-500 blazars with radio flux down to ~ 1 mJy
- Extensive multi-frequency data available (in principle)
(from GRB follow-up observations)
- Radio LogN-LogS to 10 mJy, radio LF + Cosmological evolution
- Volume-limited X-ray survey to $z=0.5$ for $L_x > 5.e42 \text{ erg/s}$
- Tight constraints to microwave and gamma-ray backgrounds.