

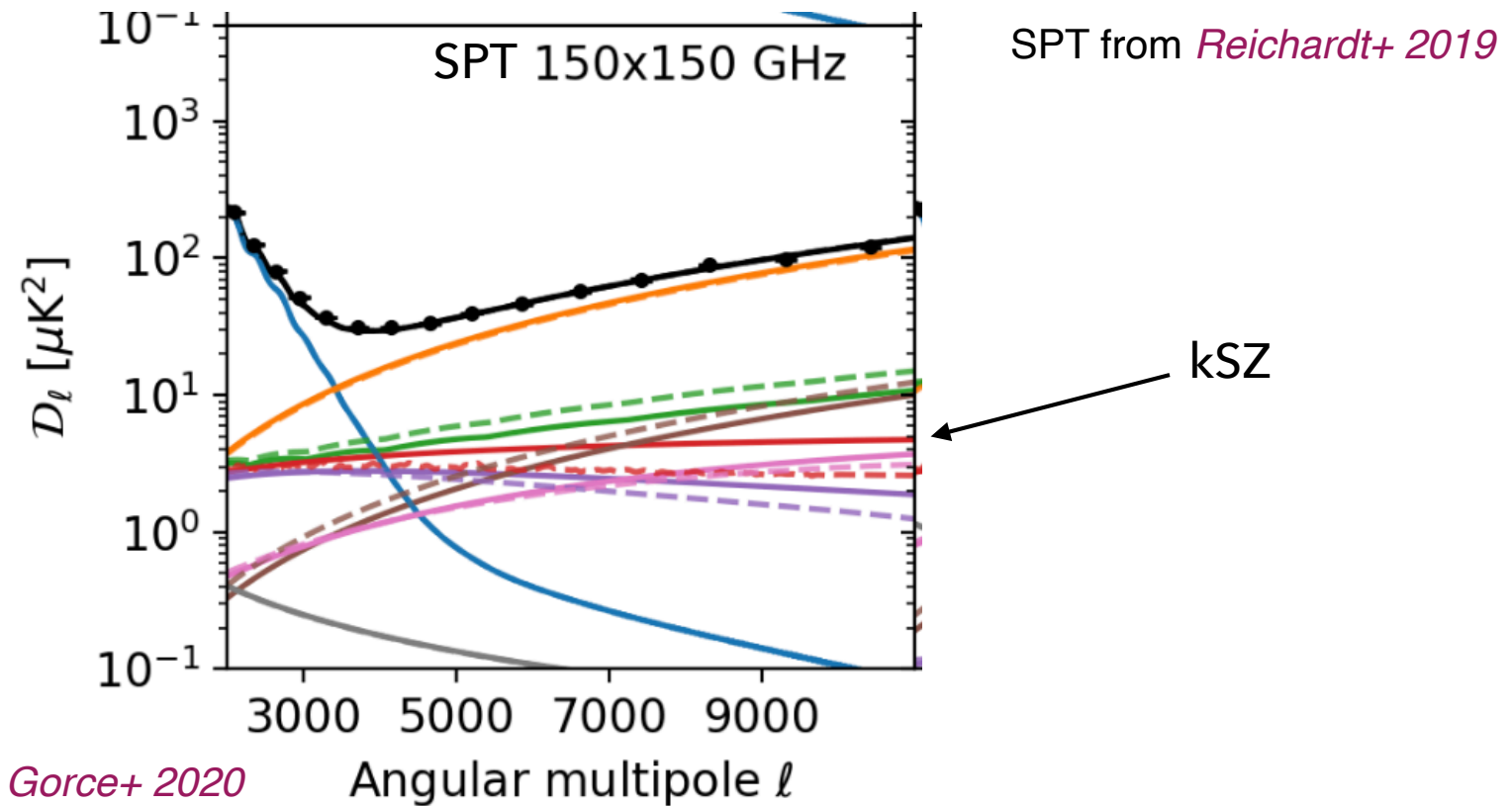
Constraining Astrophysics with the kSZ Signal



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kSZ : one of the numerous extragalactic small scale contaminant

KSZ CONTAINS A LOT OF INFORMATION



$$C_\ell = \frac{8\pi^2}{(2\ell + 1)^3} \frac{\sigma_T^2}{c^2} \int \frac{\bar{n}_e(z)^2}{(1+z)^2} F(P_{\delta\delta}(k), P_{ee}(k), b(k)) e^{-2\tau(z)} \eta \frac{d\eta}{dz} dz.$$

COSMOLOGY

Shaw+ (2012) [homogeneous]

- Matter power spectrum, optical depth:
 - Ω_m, n_s, A_s
 - τ

REIONIZATION

Battaglia+ (2012)
Gorce+ (2020, 2022)
Raghunathan+ (2024)

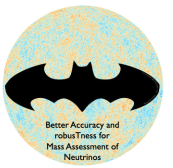
- P_{ee} : History and topology :
 - $x_e(z)$
 - κ, α

ASTROPHYSICS

Nikolić+ (2023)

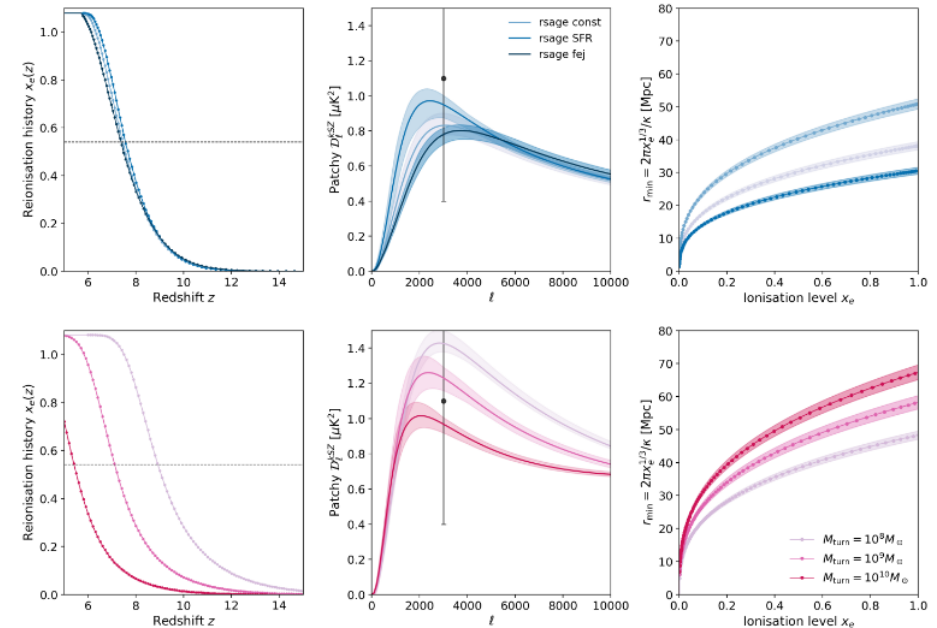
- Physics of the sources :
 - minimal halo mass, fesc...

FROM CMB TO FIRST GALAXIES



The kSZ power spectrum can be expressed in terms of the electron power spectrum (*Gorce+ 2020*)

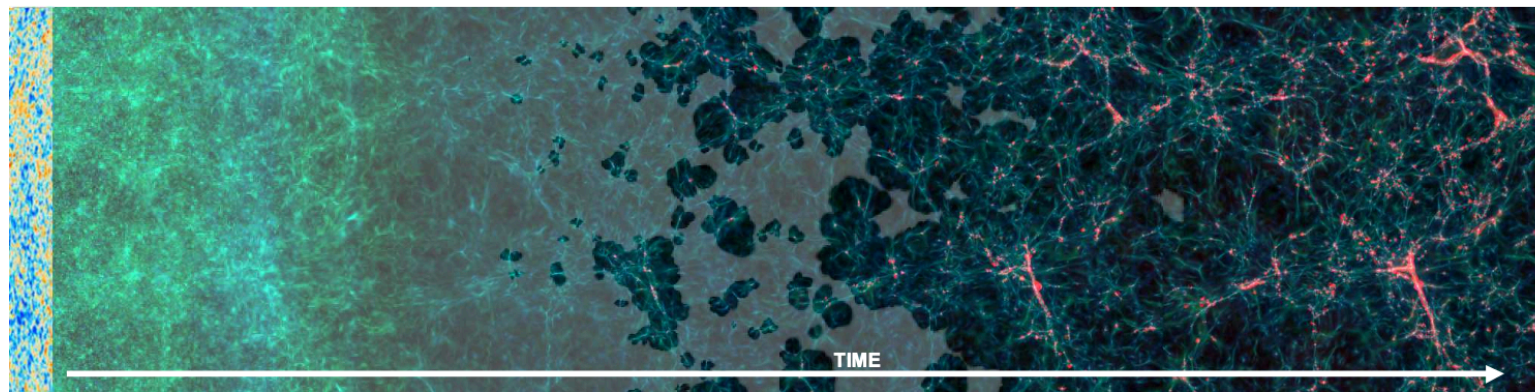
- We can relate kSZ to the global history and topology of reionisation
- Calibration on simulations
- Can we relate kSZ with the properties of the sources of reionisation ?
- Proof of concept



SOURCES OF REIONISATION



Visu : N. Deparis



CMB
z=1100
380 000 yrs

Cosmic Dawn
z ~ 30-15
t ~ 200 Myrs

Reionization
z~15-5
t~ 800 Myrs

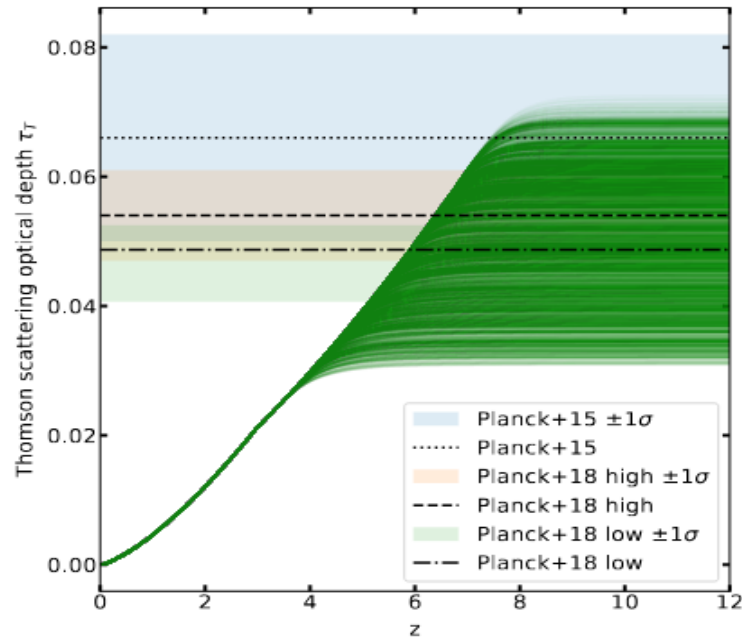
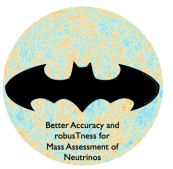
Today
z=0
t~13.8 Gyrs

Aubert+ (2024)

First sources

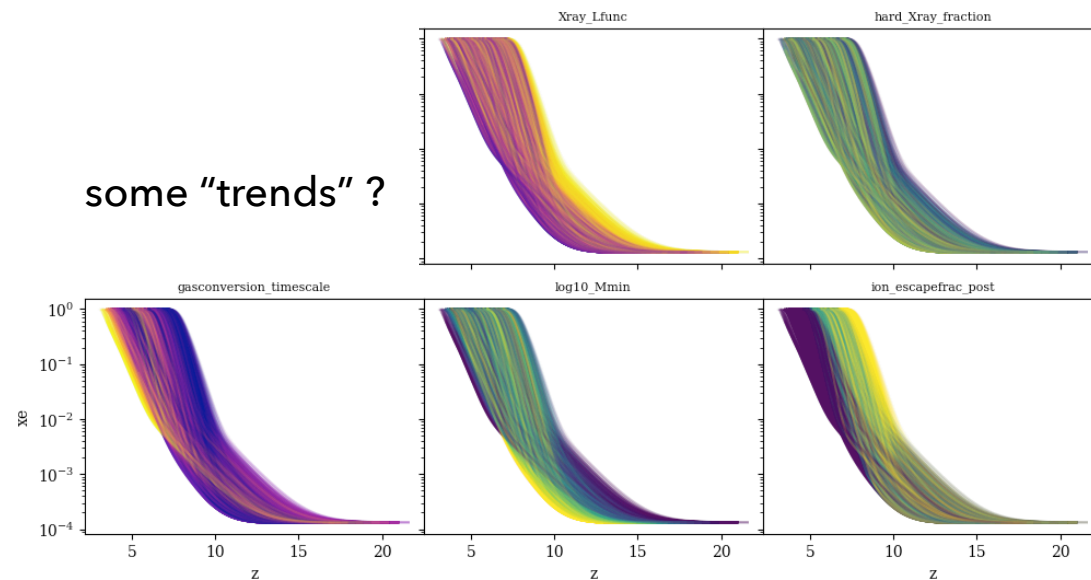
- SFR: Minimal halo mass (M_{lim}) to form stars and a gas to star conversion timescale (τ)
- Photons created : Xray luminosity function (L_x) and hardness ratio (f_x)
- Ionising photons: ionising escape fraction (f_{esc})

THE LORELI DATABASE



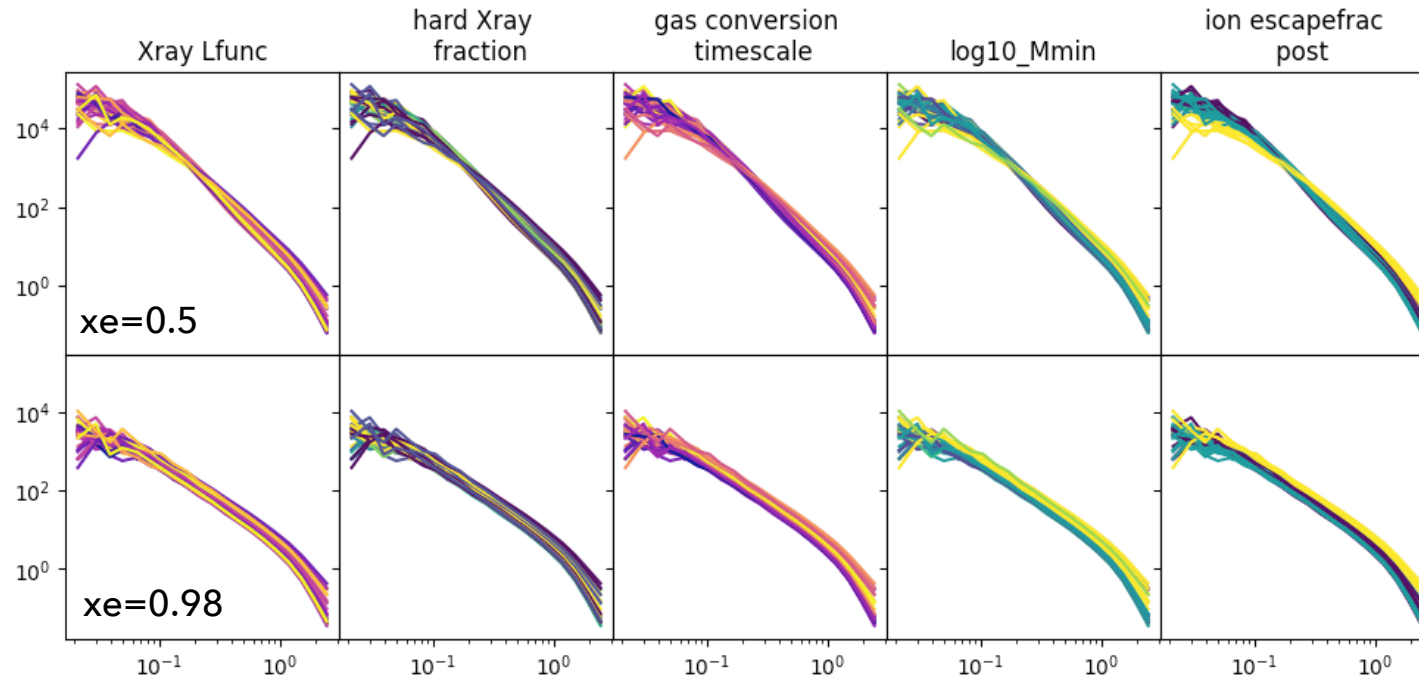
- Cosmological simulations generated using the `Licorice` code
- 3D radiative hydrodynamical simulation
- Database of $\sim 10,000$ simulations
- Function of five astrophysical parameters:

Meriot+ (2024)



- ▶ L_X : Xray luminosity function
- ▶ f_X : hard Xray fraction
- ▶ tau: gas conversion timescale
- ▶ $\log_{10}(M_{\min})$: minimum halo mass
- ▶ f_{esc} : ionising escape fraction

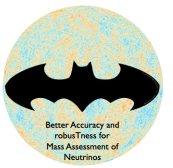
SIMULATED ELECTRON POWER SPECTRA



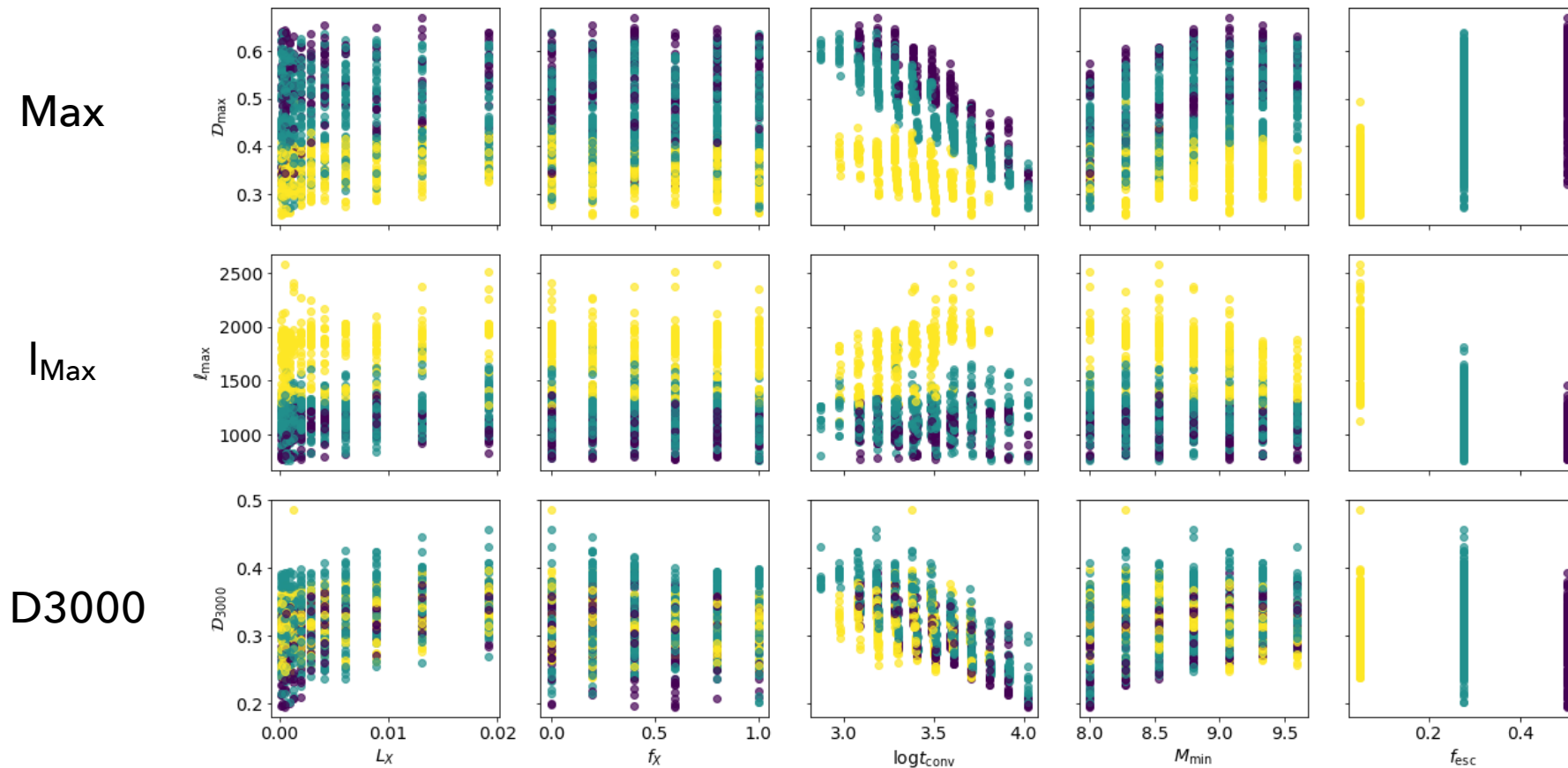
some "trends" ?

- Use these P_{ee} to construct the kSZ APS and use them as training set for an emulator
- $P_{ee}(z,k) \rightarrow$ Interpolation $(x_e, k) \rightarrow C_{l_{kSZ}}$

SPECTRA DEPENDENCIES

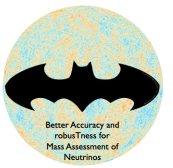


How kSZ APS vary with parameters



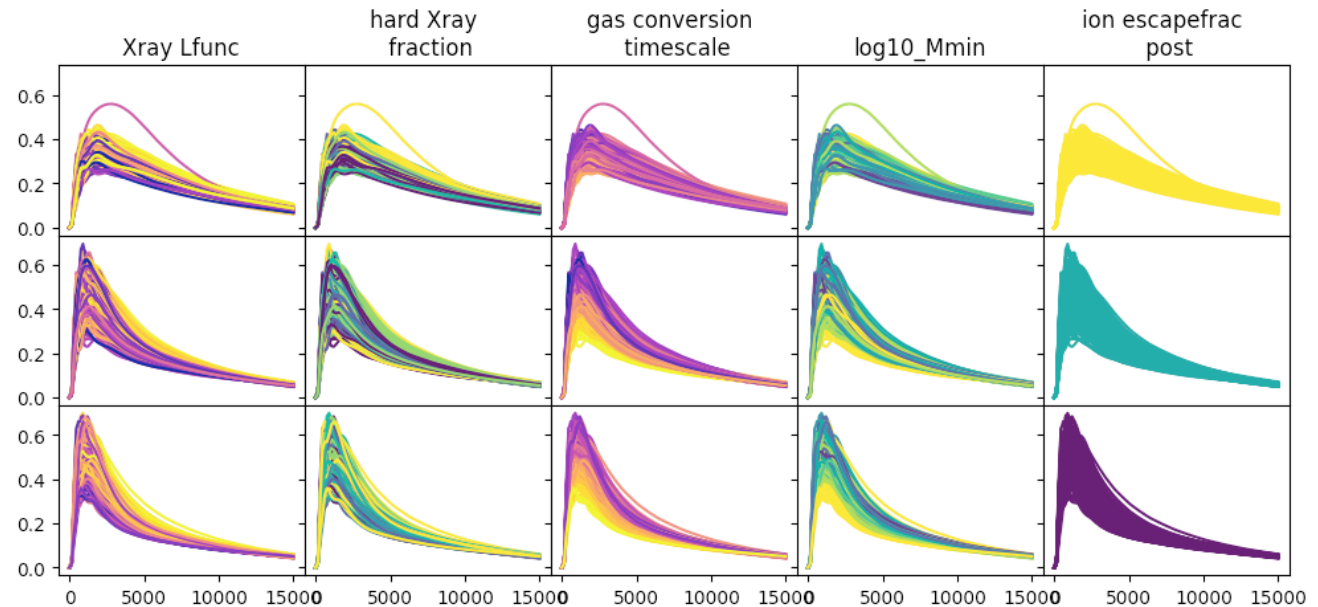
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EMULATING kSZ SPECTRA (FIRST TRY)



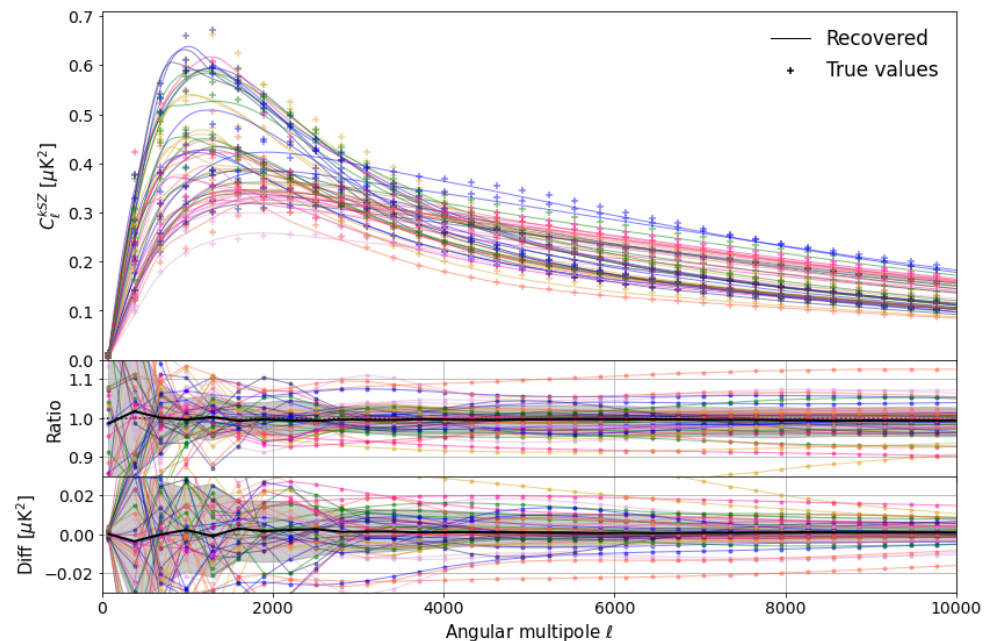
Training set

- ⚠️ ~1000 models
- 10000 soon
- 5 params
- l in $[2, 15000]$



Emulator

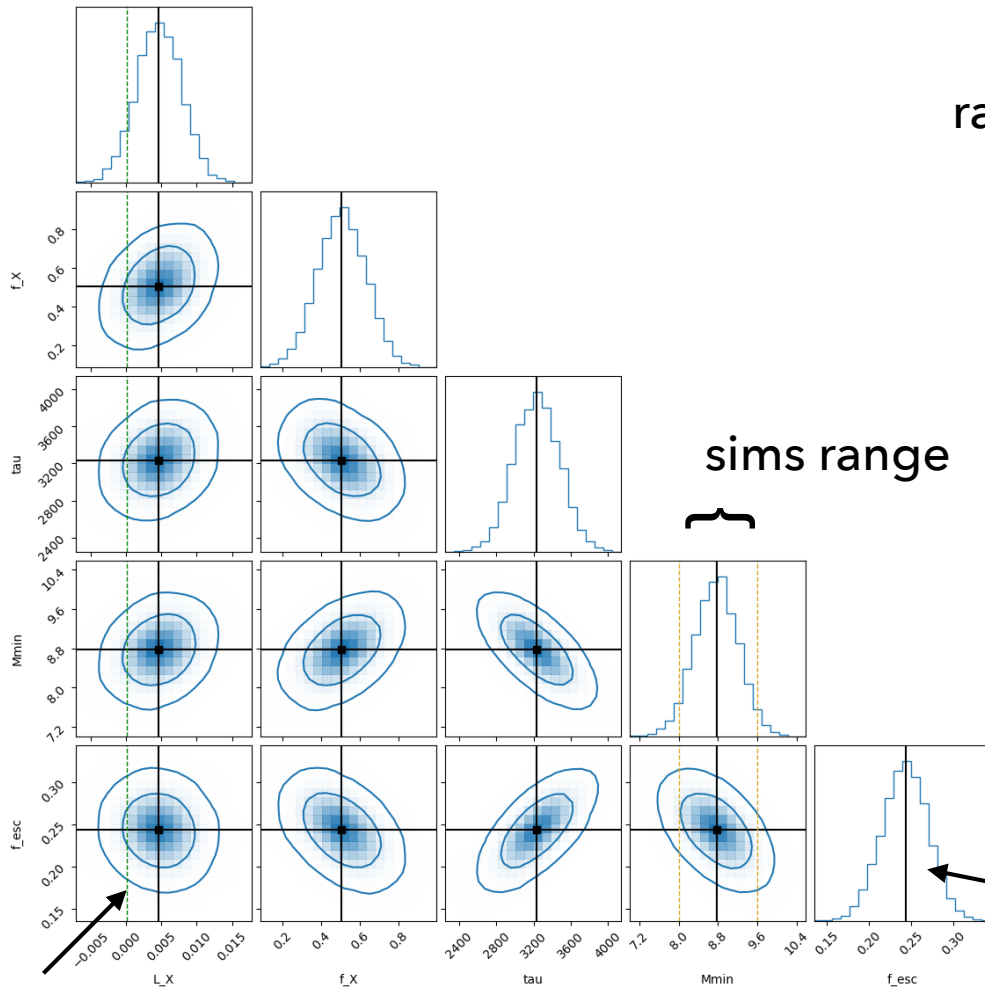
- based on RF as in Douspis+22
- score = 0.9
- uncertainty $\sim 10\%$



FISHER FORECASTS AND LIMITATIONS

- mock data set: CMB-HD like
- fsky=0.5, FWHM=0.5', Noise =2.7 $\mu\text{K}^2\cdot\text{arcmin}$

Preliminary



ranges larger than training set
Fisher is Fisher
moving to MCMC

sims range

Gaussian by definition

Compatible with 0

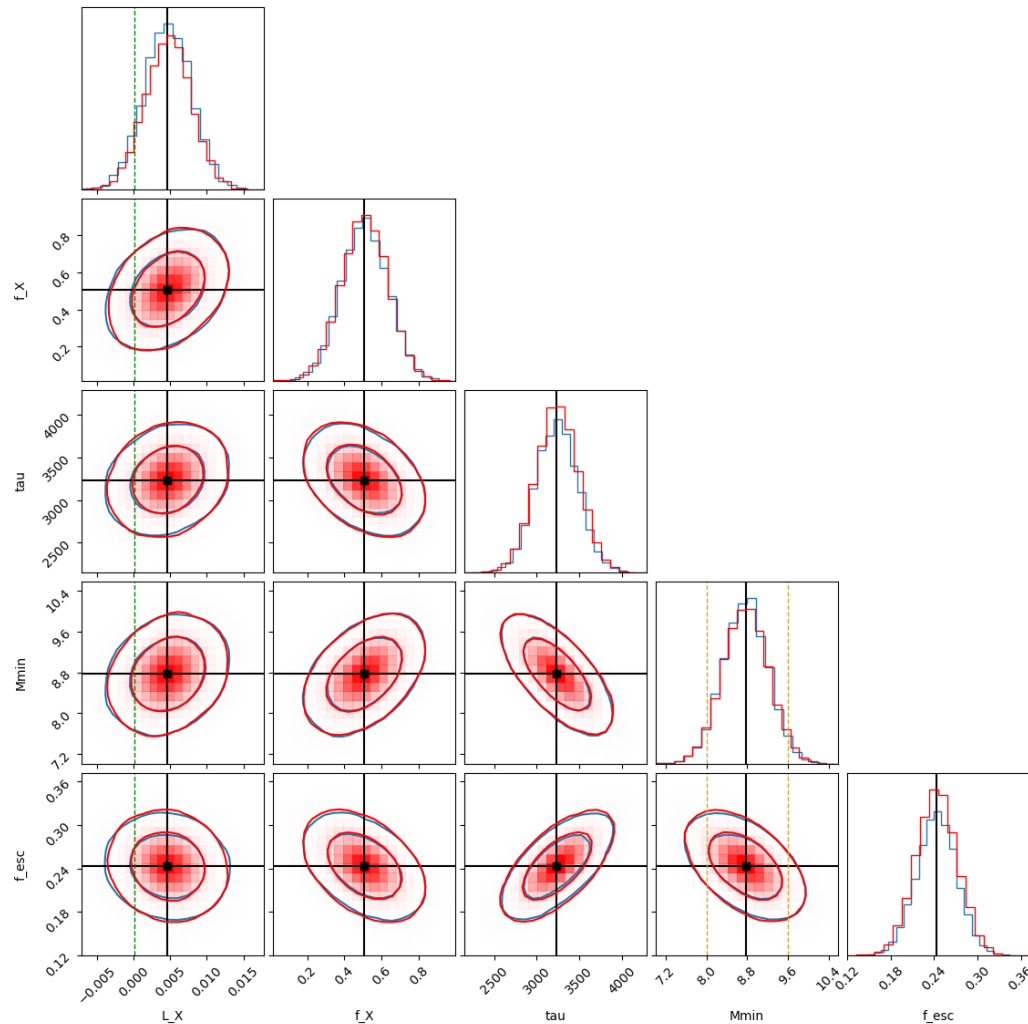
FORECASTS



○ mock data set: CMB-HD like

○ fsky=0.5, FWHM=0.5', Noise =2.7 $\mu\text{K}^2\cdot\text{arcmin}$ + Emul error

Preliminary



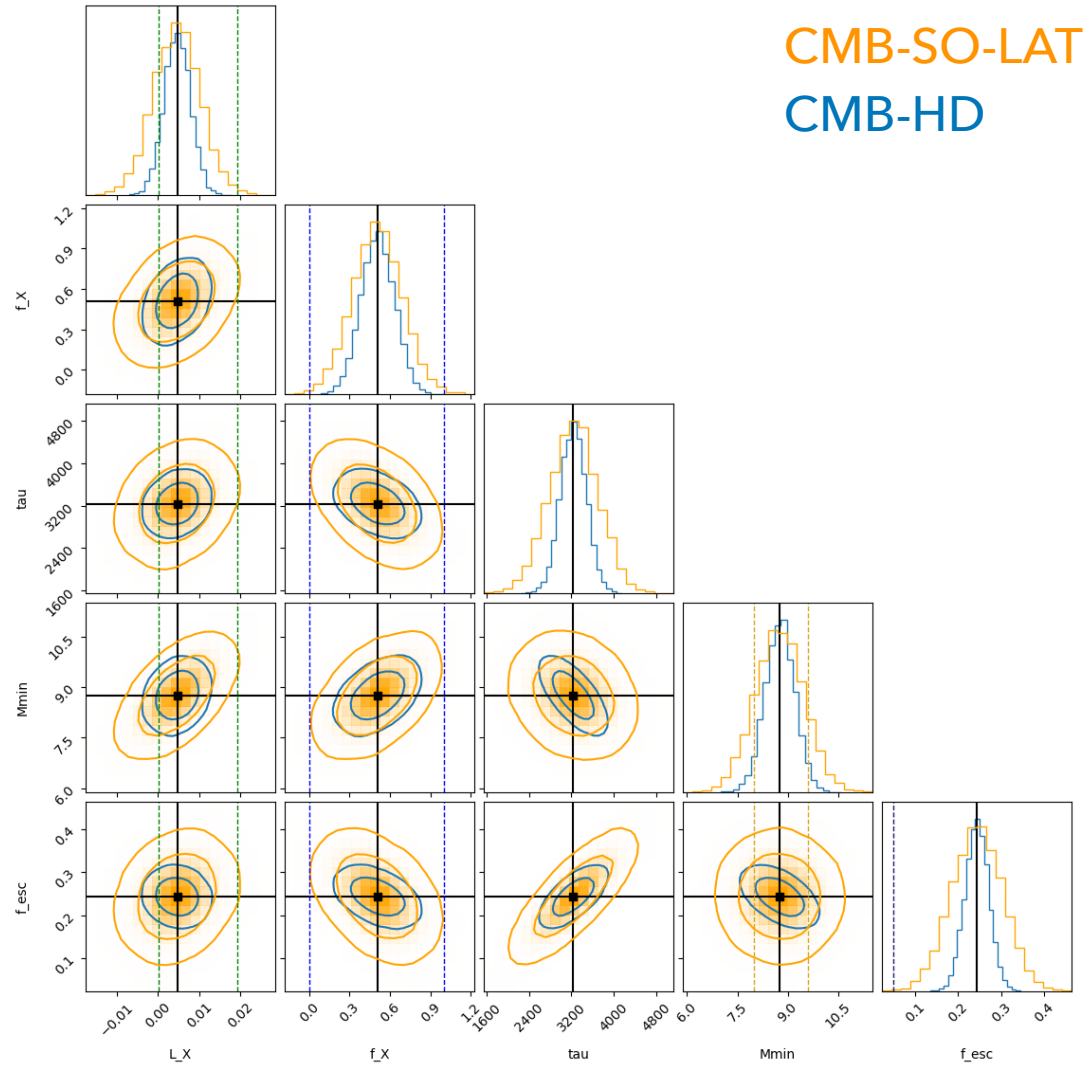
○ Emulator error sub-dominant

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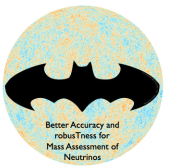


Comparing CMB-SO-LAT with CMB-HD

Preliminary

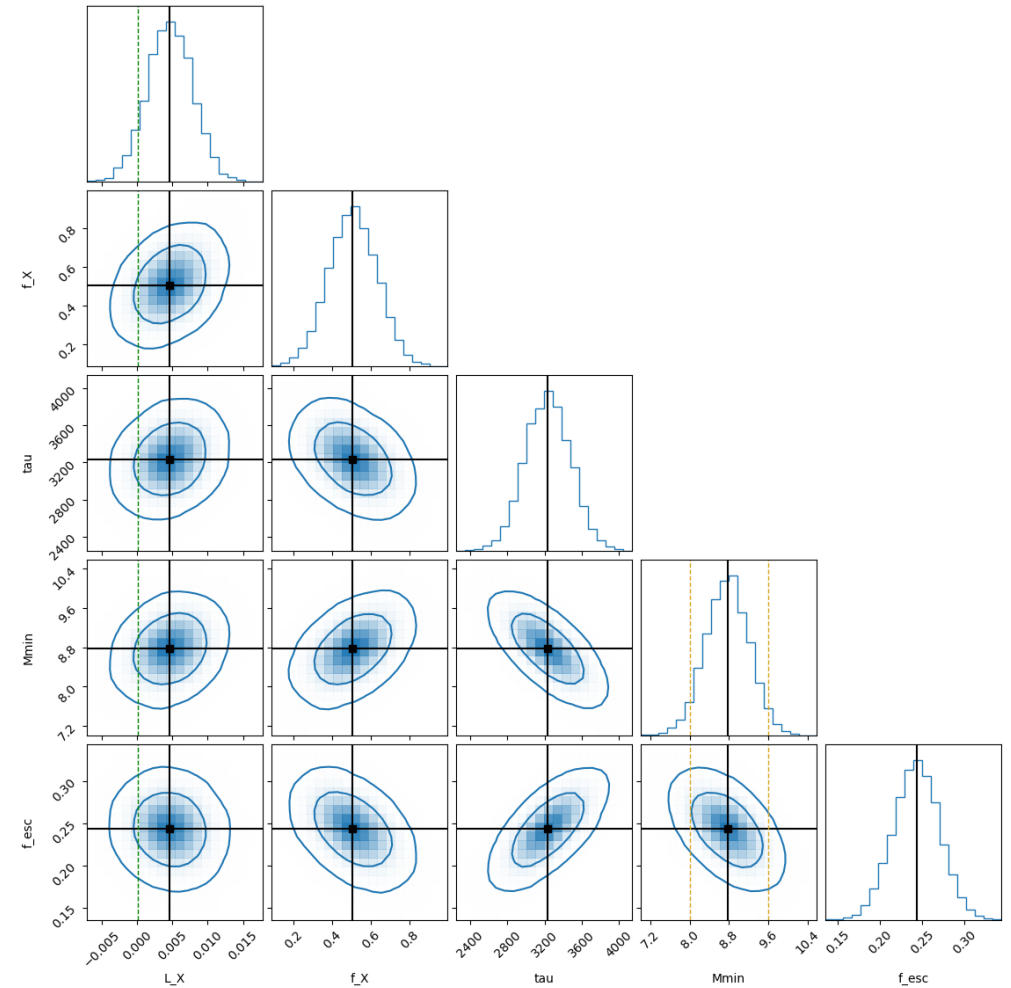
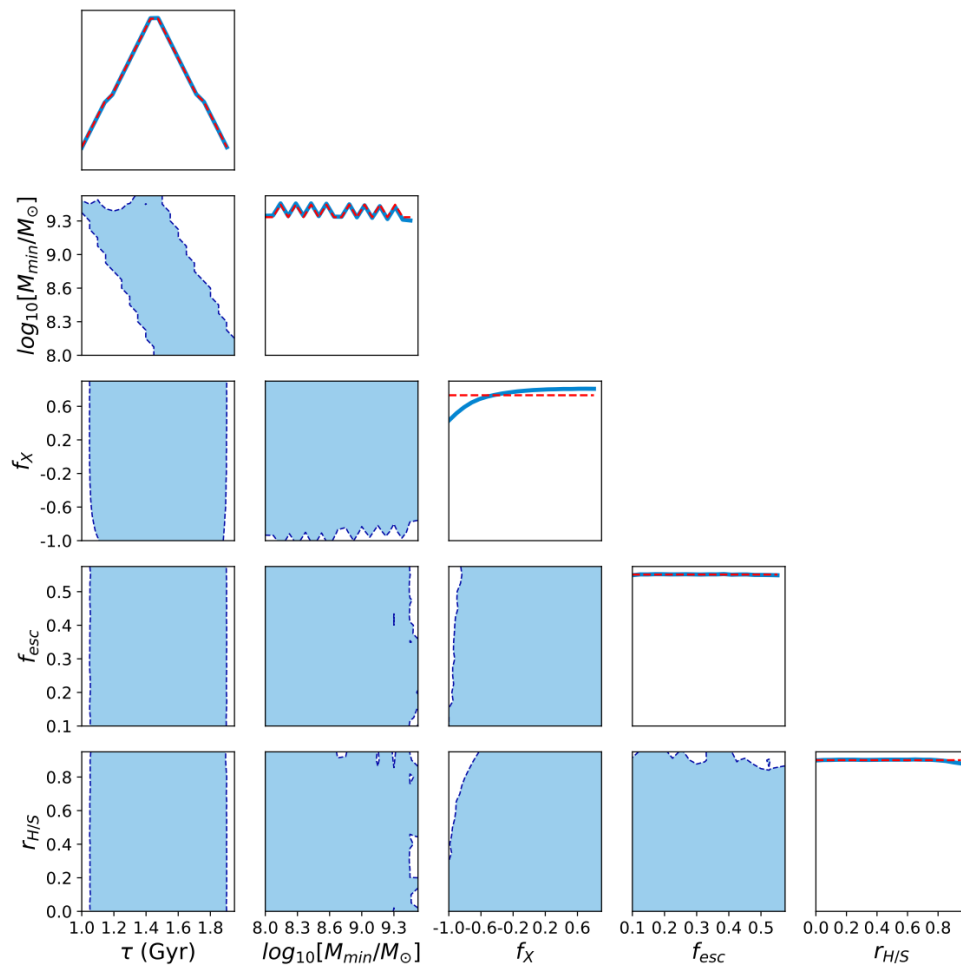


Is KSZ USEFUL ?



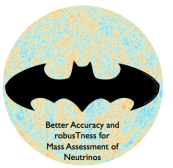
- Comparison with 21cm (HERA upper limit PS)

Preliminary

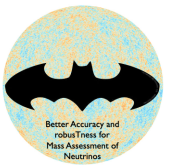


Meriot+ 2024

CONCLUSIONS



- kSZ is both a contaminant in CMB analyses and a source of information on cosmology and reionisation
- First study showed that we could reconstruct kSZ and global history of reionisation with SPT data by modelling P_{ee} power spectrum calibrated on numerical sims
- Current work aims at retrieving astrophysical properties during EoR by modelling kSZ APS as function of a few astrophysical parameters
 - First try emulator + Fisher forecast show promising constraints
 - Maybe competitive (complementary) to 21cm studies
 - Consolidation and updates soon



- The parameters of the subgrid star formation model : 42 pairs of $\tau_{SF} \in [7 \text{ Gyr}, 105 \text{ Gyr}]$ and $M_{min} \in [10^8 M_{\odot}, 4 \times 10^9 M_{\odot}]$ were selected (6 τ_{SF} values for each of the 7 M_{min} values). They produce star formation rate densities within 2σ of the observational data presented in [J. Bouwens et al. \(2016\)](#), [Oesch et al. \(2018\)](#), [McLeod et al. \(2016\)](#).
- The escape fraction of UV radiation in particles with $\langle x_{HII} \rangle > 3\%$: $f_{esc,post} \in \{0.05, 0.275, 0.5\}$. In particles with $\langle x_{HII} \rangle < 3\%$, the escape fraction is kept at 0.003.
- The X-ray production efficiency f_X : 13 logarithmically spaced values in $[0.1, 10]$. this parameter controls the X-ray luminosities of source particles according to $L_X = 3.4 \times 10^{40} f_X \left(\frac{SFR}{1 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}} \right) \text{ ergs}^{-1}$ (e.g. [Furlanetto et al. \(2006\)](#))
- The ratio between hard ($> 2\text{keV}$) and soft ($< 2\text{keV}$) X-ray $r_{H/S}$: 6 linearly spaced values in $[0, 1]$. $r_{H/S}$ is the ratio of energy emitted by X-ray binaries to the total energy emitted in X-rays : $r_{H/S} = \frac{f_X^{XRB}}{f_X}$.

