SPT-3G Data Quality Monitoring System and EE/TE/TT Power Spectra Analysis using 2019+2020 Data

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Hello!

I am a graduate student at the Univ. of Chicago.

- I have been working on SPT-3G for several years.
- My advisors are Tom Crawford and John Carlstrom.
- I am hoping to graduate at around this time next year and currently thinking about future research directions.

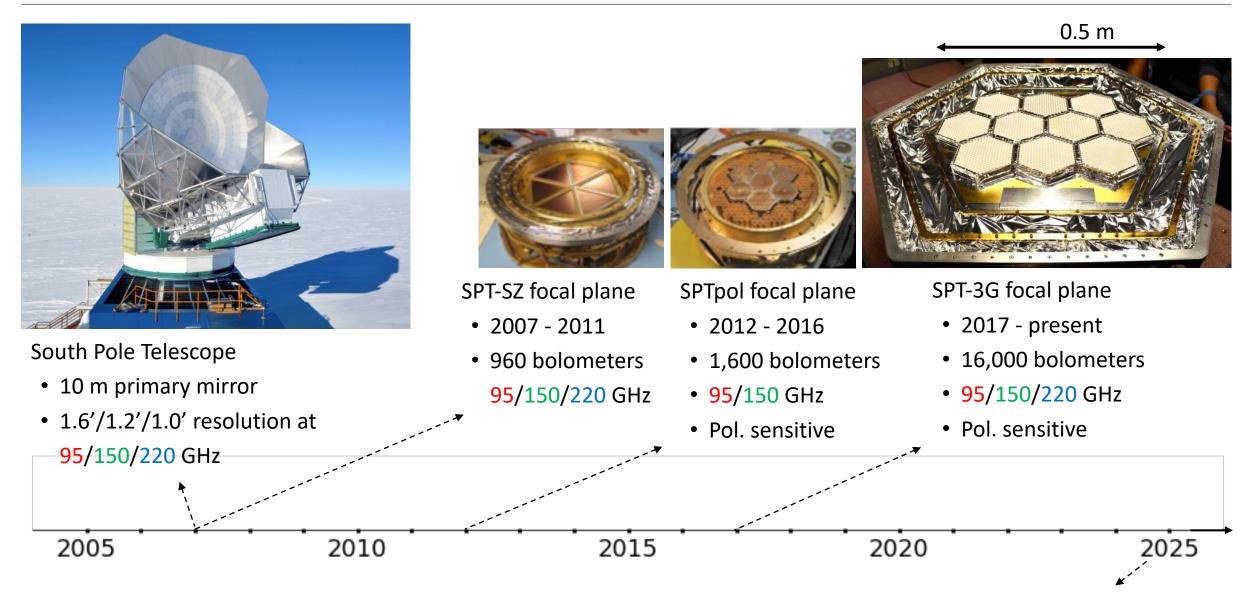
Before coming to Chicago,

- I got my bachelor's degree from the Univ. of Washington.
- I grew up in China and then Japan. (Always moving east!)

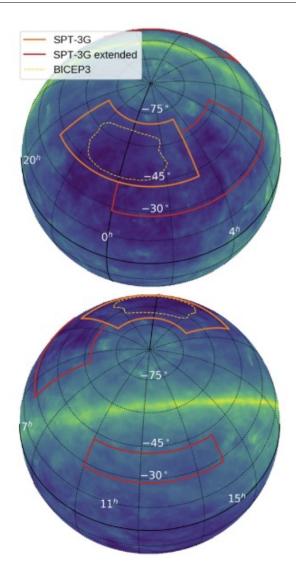


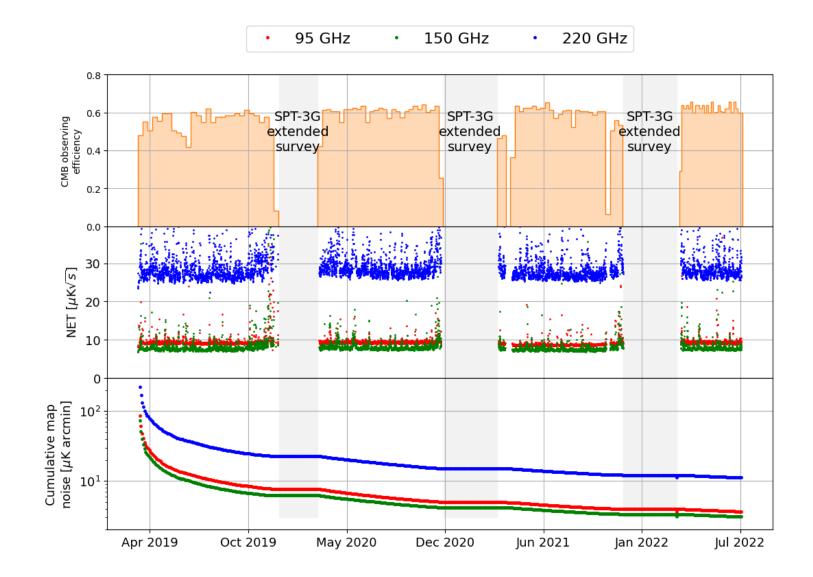


A quick introduction of the South Pole Telescope



SPT-3G+ planned to be deployed

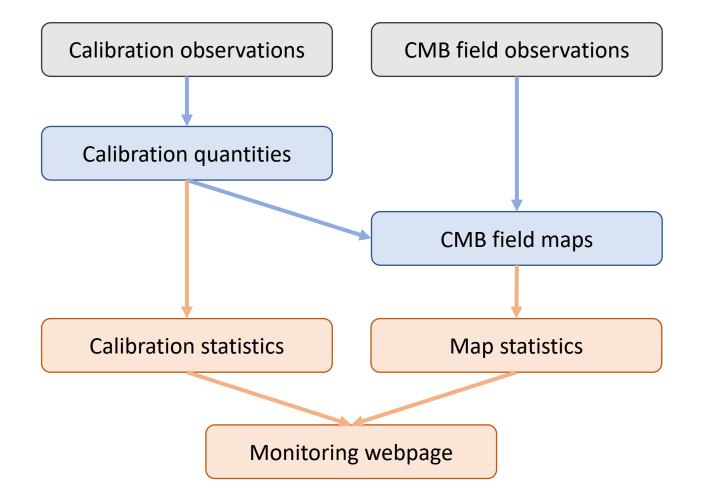




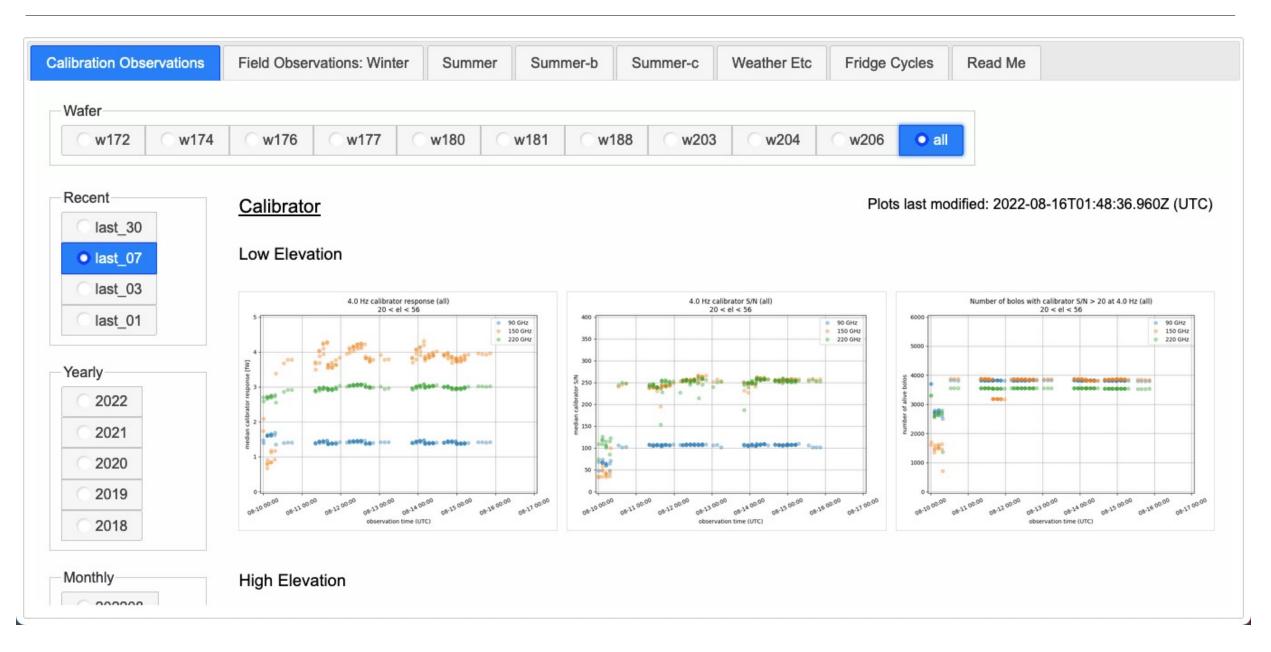
Figures adapted from J. A. Sobrin et al, 2022 ApJS 258 42.

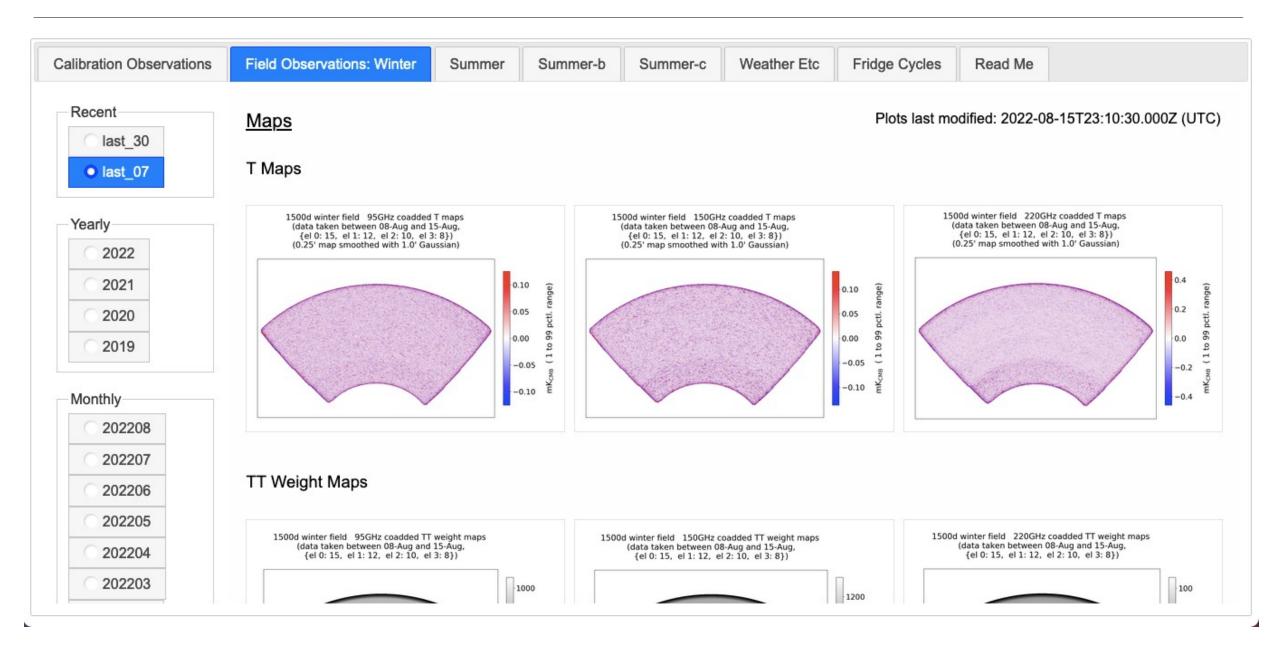
At the south pole, a few pipelines automatically process our data to help with stable operations.

- 1. Raw data from calibration observations are analyzed to result in calibration quantities.
- 2. Calibration quantities and raw data from field observations are combined to result in maps.
- Calibration quantities and maps are analyzed to result in summary statistics and data quality metrics.
- 4. Summary statistics and data quality metrics are displayed on a webpage.

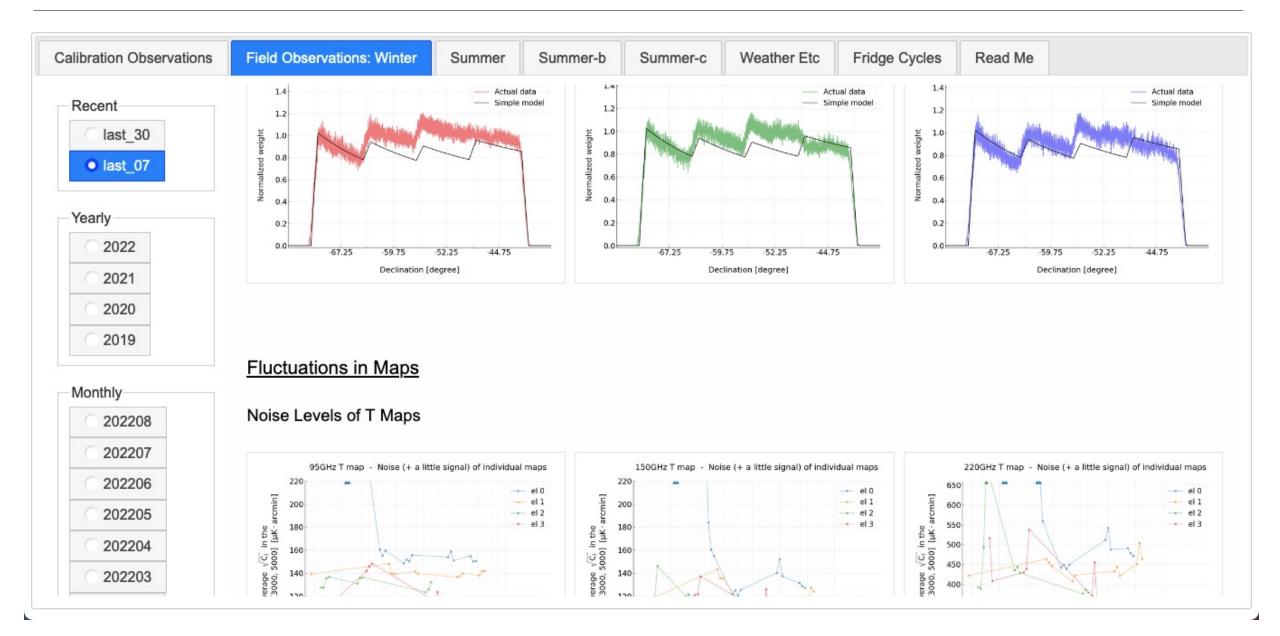


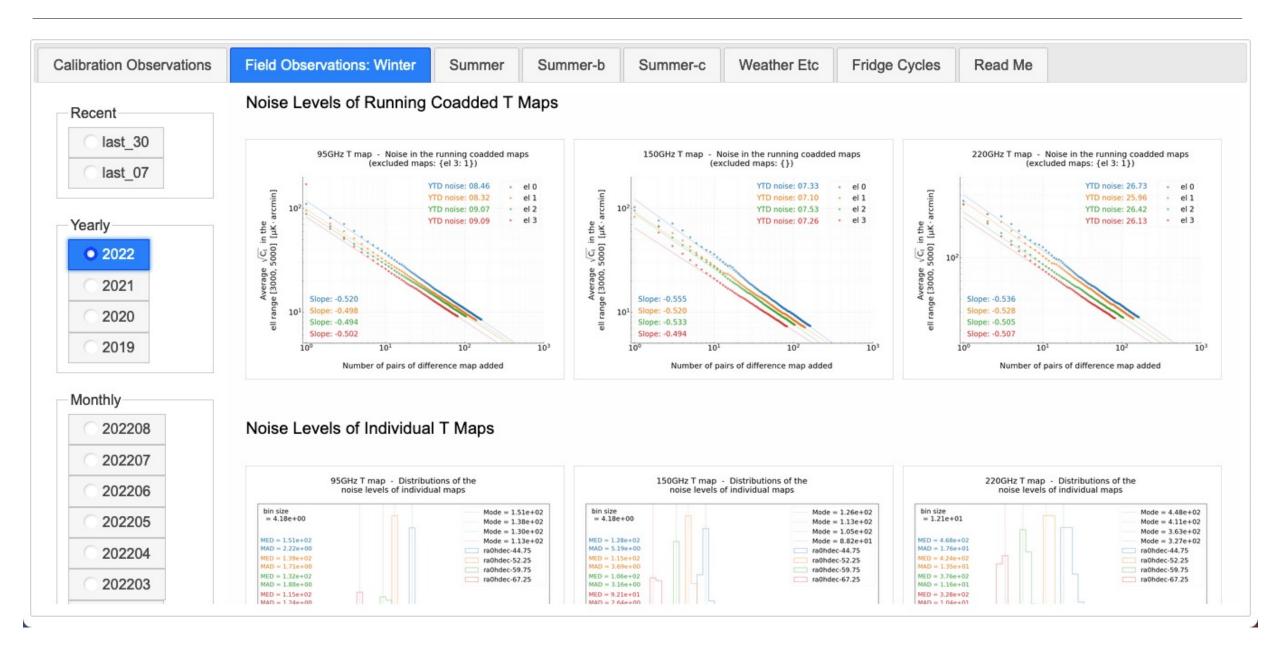
I have been actively involved in the development and maintenance of our data quality monitoring system together with Adam Anderson, Sasha Rahlin, and others.





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Several exciting analysis projects are underway using the 2019+2020 data.

- Low- ℓ BB, high- ℓ TT, mid- ℓ EE/TE/TT power spectra
- Lensing reconstruction/delensing
- Point source finding, cluster finding

etc.

I am leading the EE/TE/TT project using 2019+2020 winter data together with Etienne Camphuis, a graduate student at the Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris (IAP).

Like our 2018 EE/TE analysis (Dutcher, Balkenhol et al, Phys. Rev. D 104, 022003), we are using

• the MASTER formalism (*Hivon et al, 2002 ApJ 567 2*):

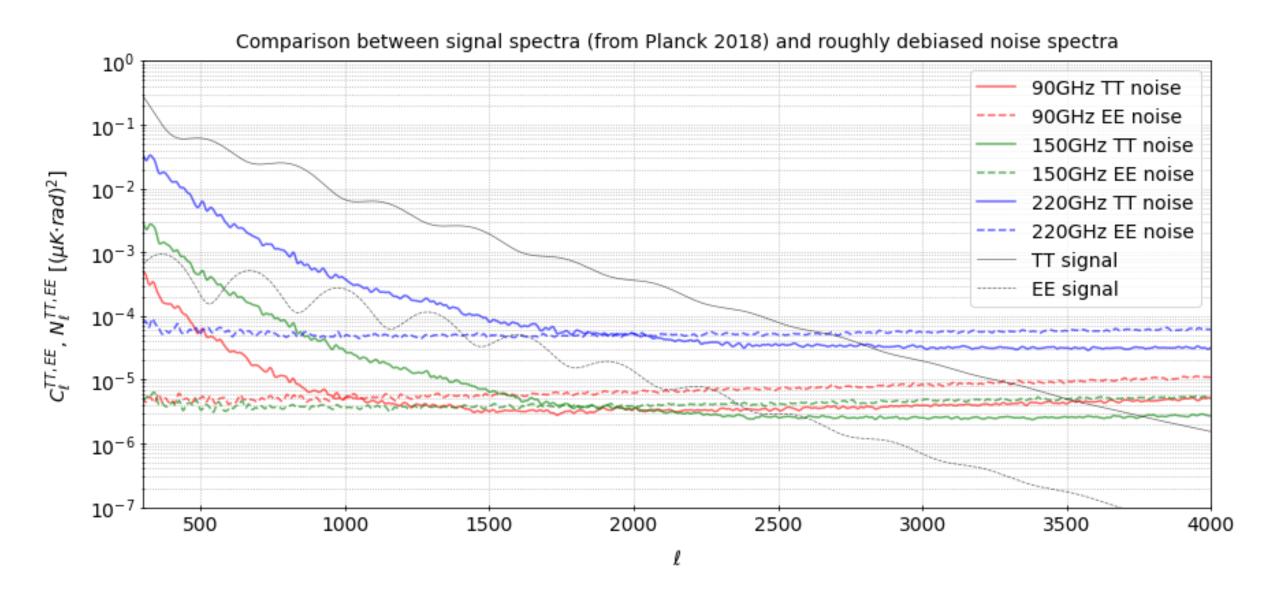
filter timestreams to make them roughly white noise to reduce the full maximum likelihood solution to a simpler bin-and-average method, then estimate the filtering bias using simulations

• a cross-spectrum approach (*Polenta el al, JCAP11(2005)001*):

average cross-spectra among a number of partial-depth coadds to reduce the noise bias that might result from an approach of calculating auto-spectra of full coadds

Unlike the 2018 analysis, we are using

- HEALPix maps instead of flat-sky maps (and the <u>PolSpice</u> program for spectrum estimation) to avoid certain nonideal projection effects
- analytical calculations to build bandpower covariance to reduce the simulations we need to run and the reliance on conditioning techniques (<u>Camphuis et al, arXiv 2204.13721</u>)

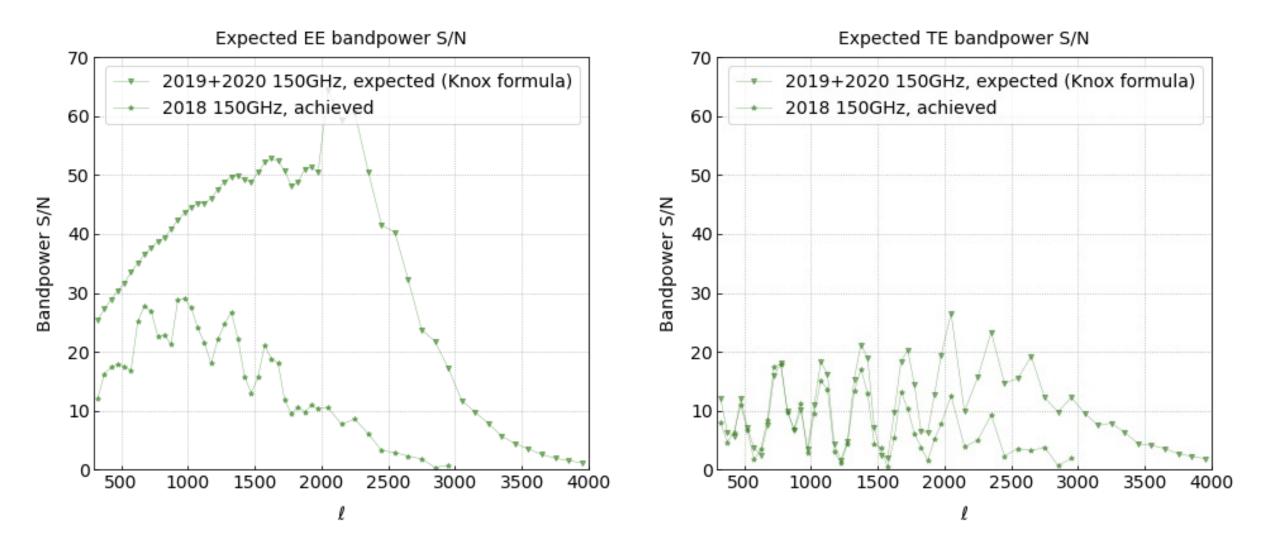


2019+2020 white noise levels are about 3.5 times lower than 2018 ones.

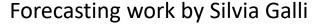
	2018 EE white noise levels (<i>Dutcher, Balkenhol et al.</i>)	2019+2020 EE (TT) white noise levels	2018 EE / 2019+2020 EE
90GHz	29.6	8.1 (5.4)	3.7
150GHz	21.2	6.6 (4.6)	3.2
220GHz	75	23 (16)	3.3

(Noise levels in the units of µK·arcmin)

A comparison of bandpower error bars also looks exciting!



2019+2020 EE/TE data are expected to result in more than 50 % smaller error bars on LCDM parameters than 2018 EE/TE.



	$\Omega_b h^2$	$\Omega_c h^2$	H _o	n _s	InA _s
σ ₂₀₁₈ / σ ₂₀₁₉₊₂₀₂₀	1.9	1.6	1.6	1.5	1.3

(Negligible difference for τ)

We would also like to include TT in the analysis, which is expected to result in up to 15 % or so improvements, assuming relevant null tests' results turn out reasonable.

A few ongoing tasks include running null tests and building covariance matrices, and we would like to be able to get the results out in a year timescale.

I have worked on SPT-3G's data quality monitoring system, which has been useful for us to monitor our data and detect issues early on, and this framework will hopefully be a useful reference for CMB-S4.

I am currently working on 2019+2020 EE/TE/TT analysis, which will result in exciting improved constraints of cosmological parameters compared to the 2018 analysis.

Thank you for your attention!

Beautiful photo by Geoffrey Chen