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IMAGINE:

the Interstellar MAGnetic field INference Engine

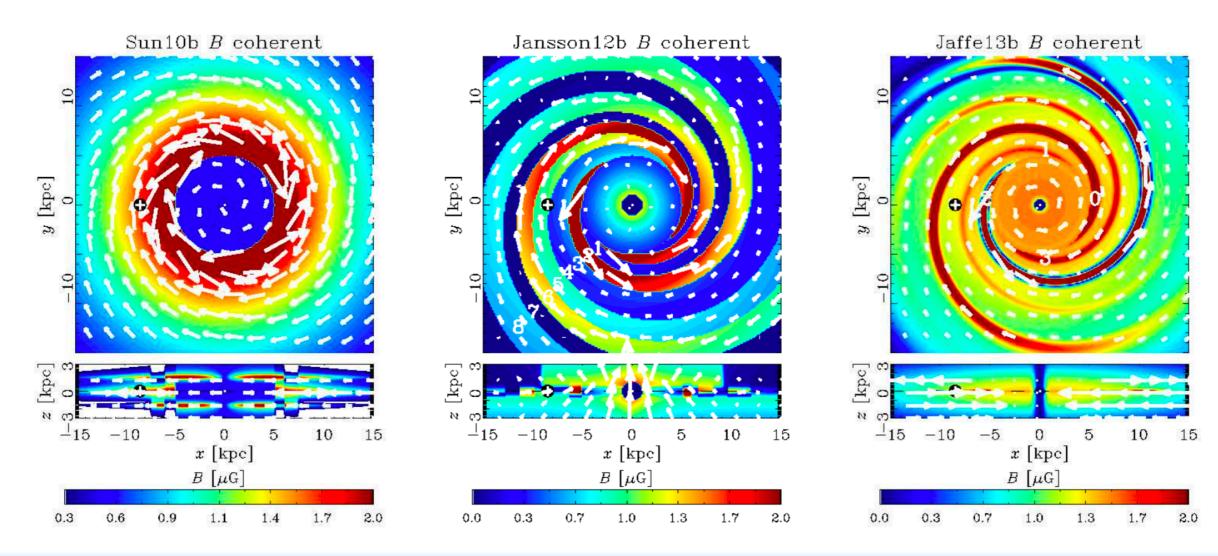
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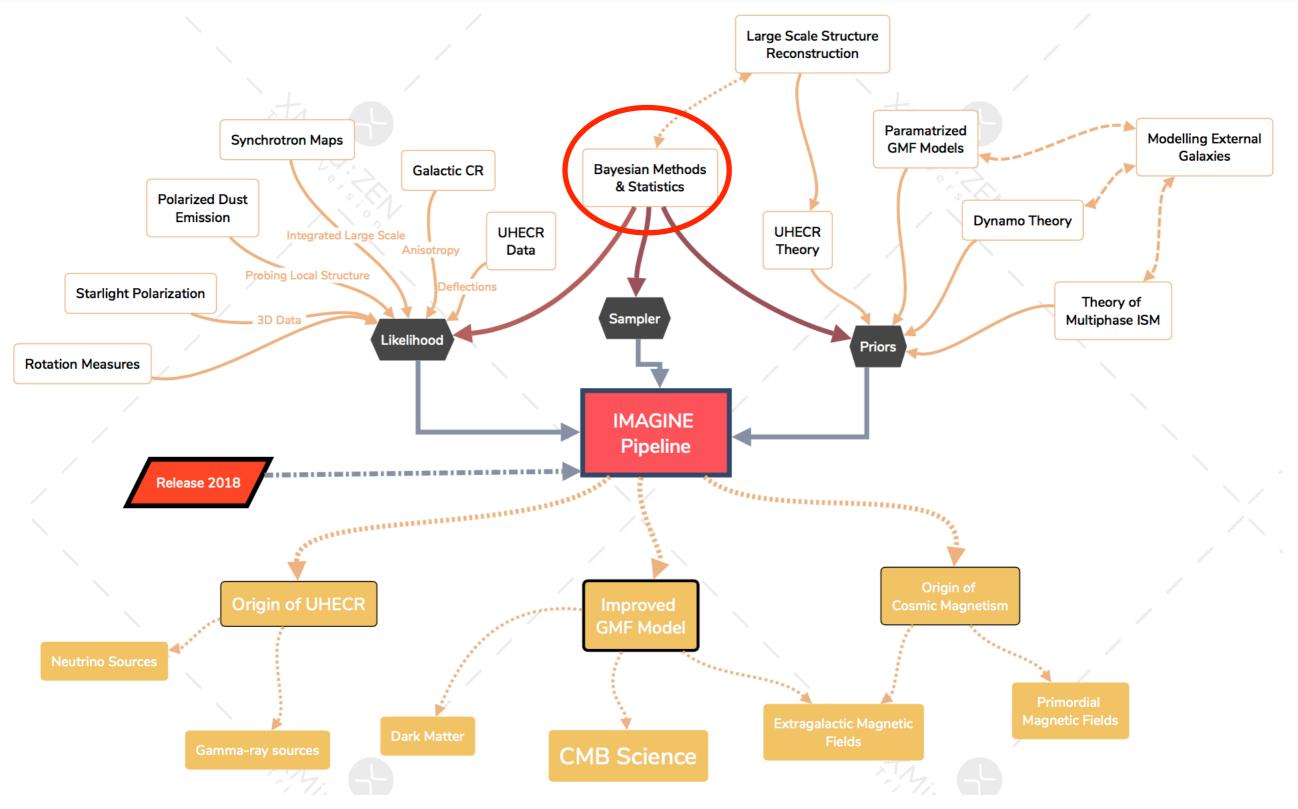
A few of the problems with the state of the art

- Three models below all roughly match the data.
- None is generated by dynamo physics.
- A Bayesian model comparison has not been done.
- And don't even ask about the treatment of the turbulence.

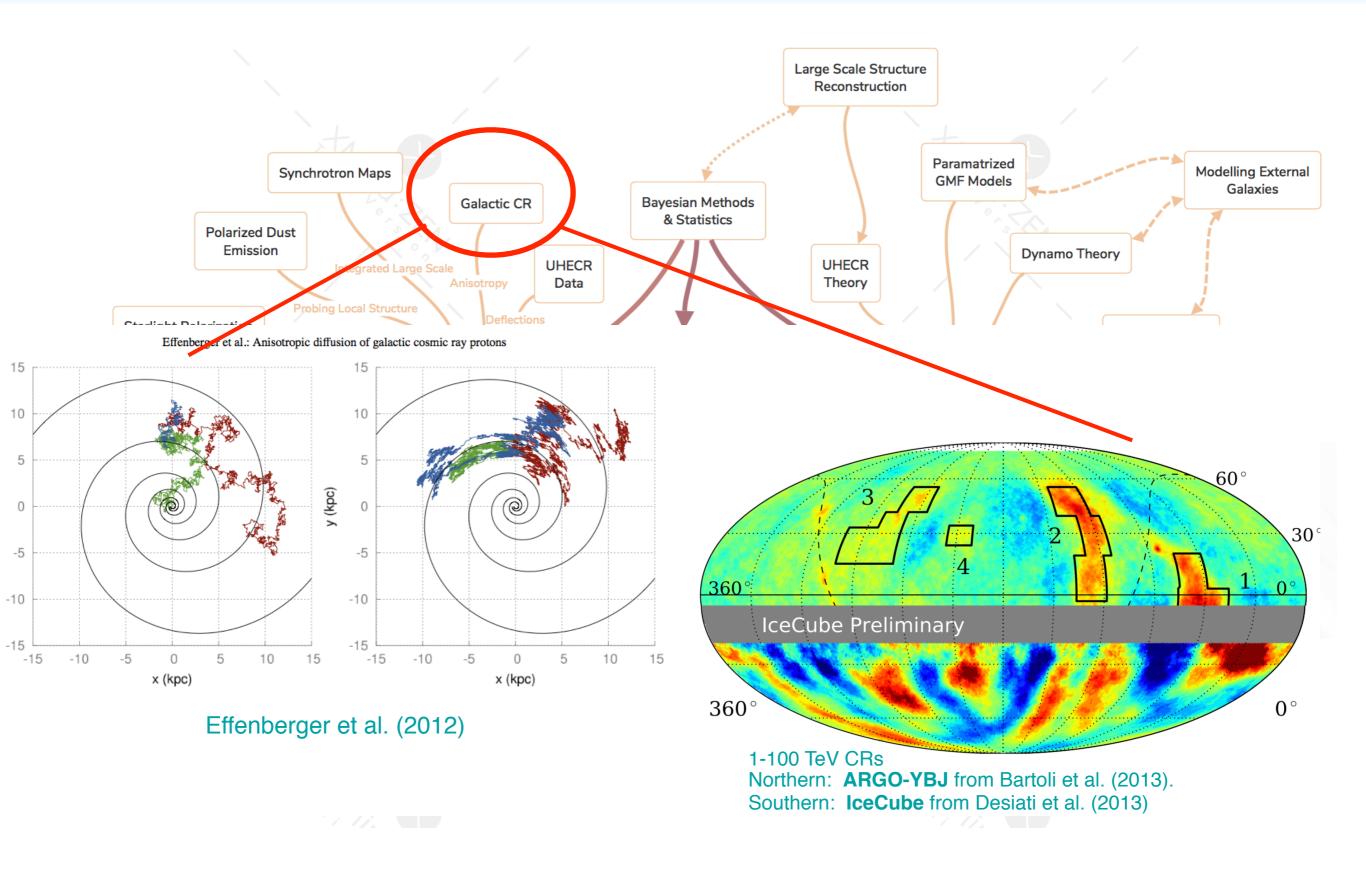


IMAGINE overview

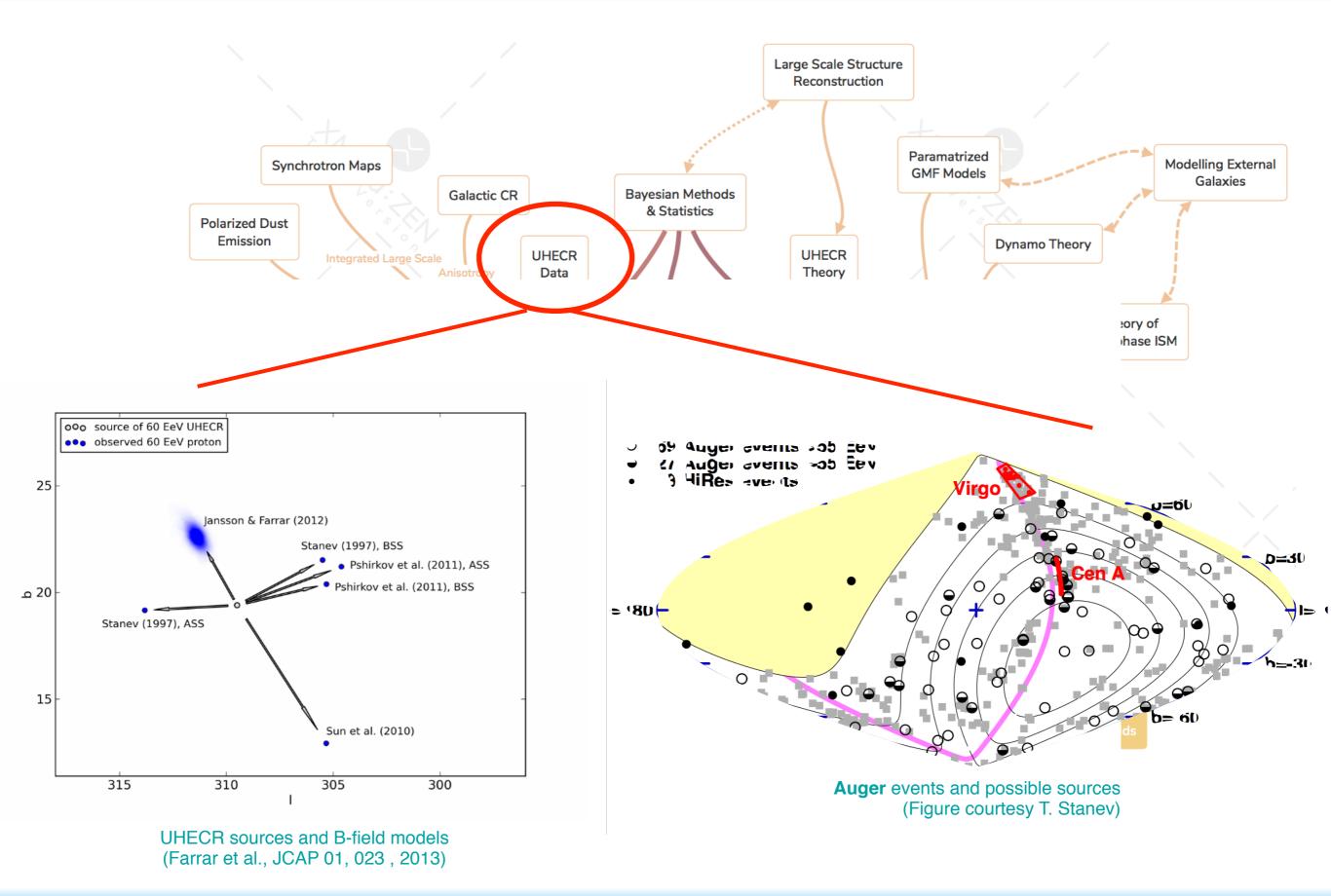
(Draft figure still being worked on)



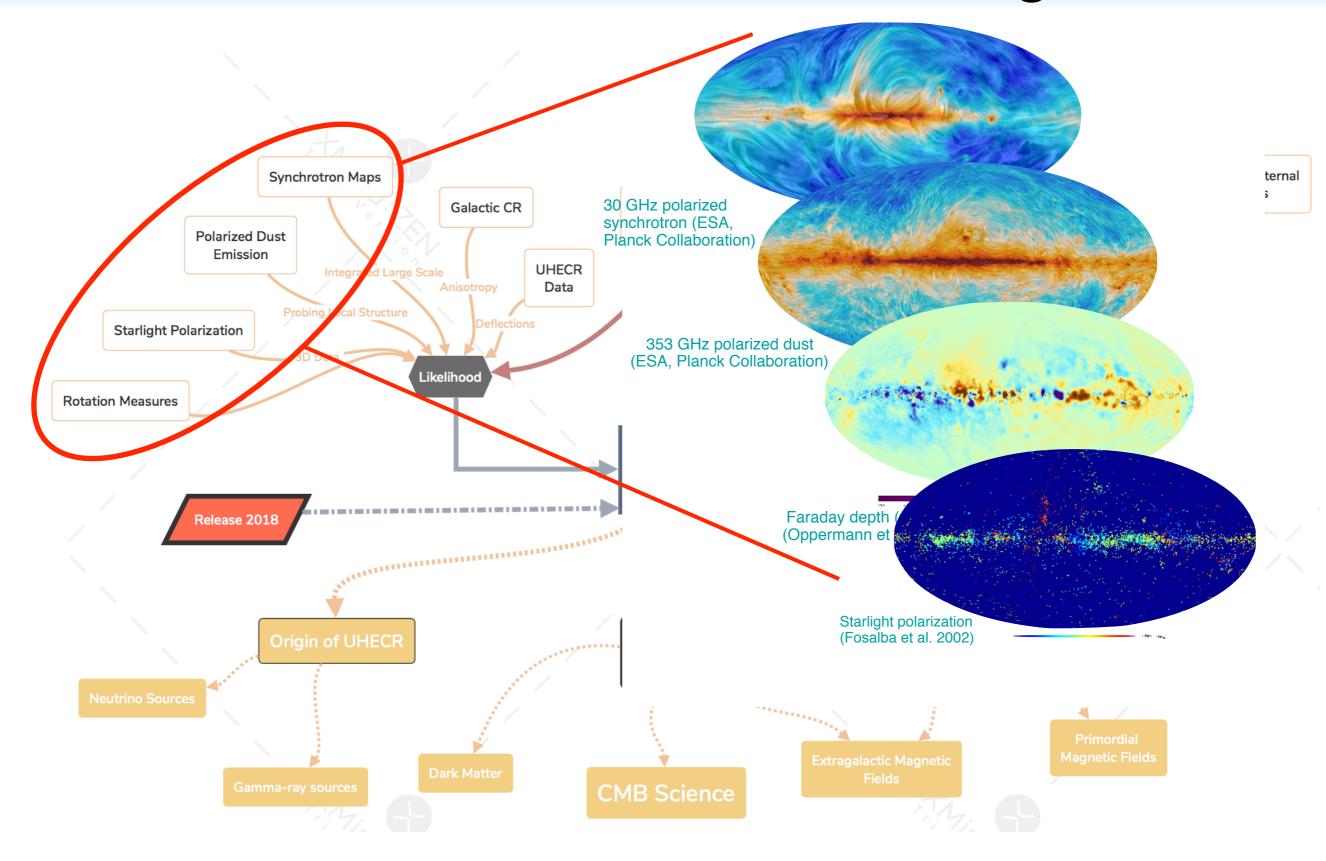
Galactic cosmic rays



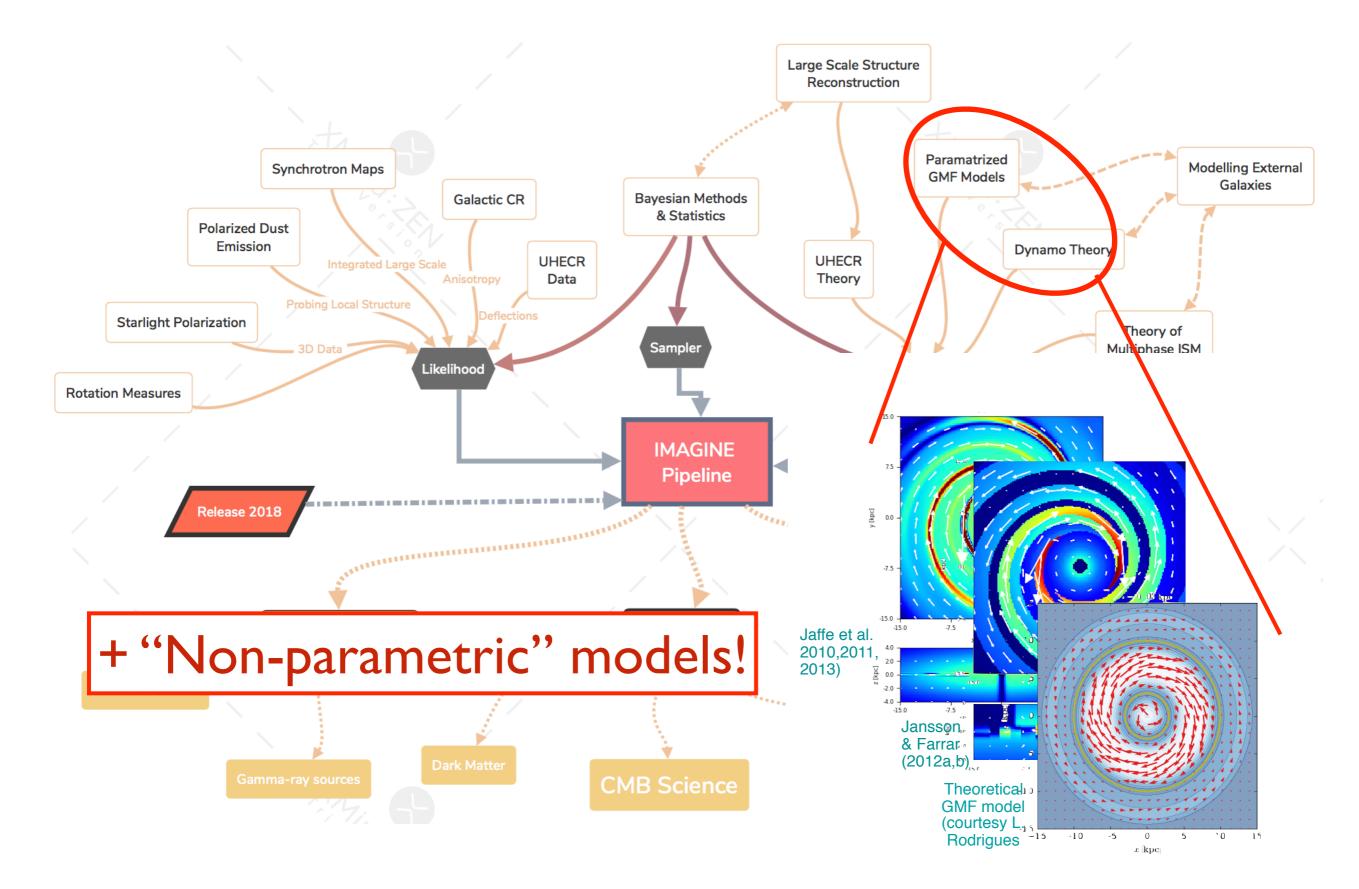
Extragalactic CRs and UHECRs



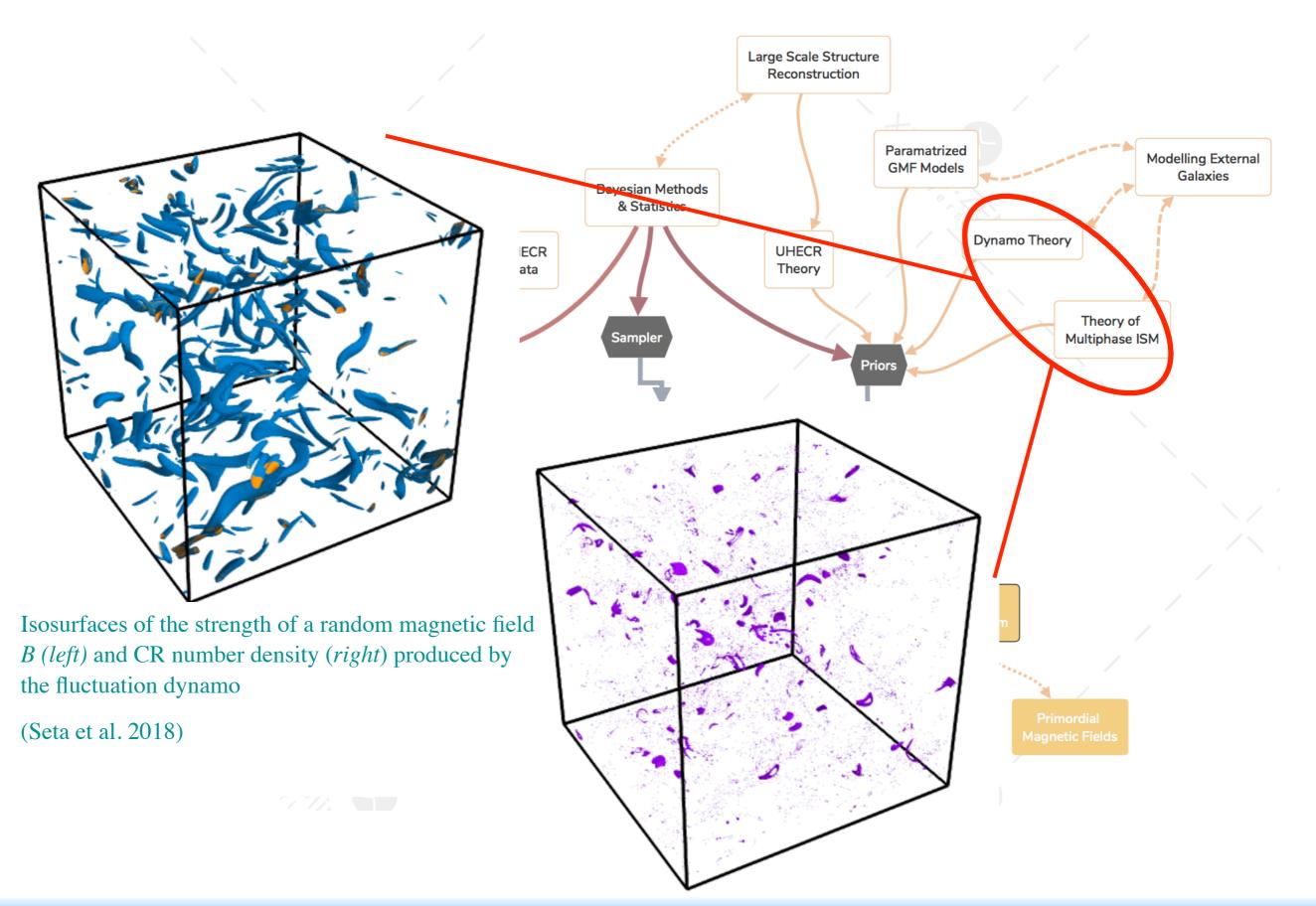
Polarized emission, RMs, starlight



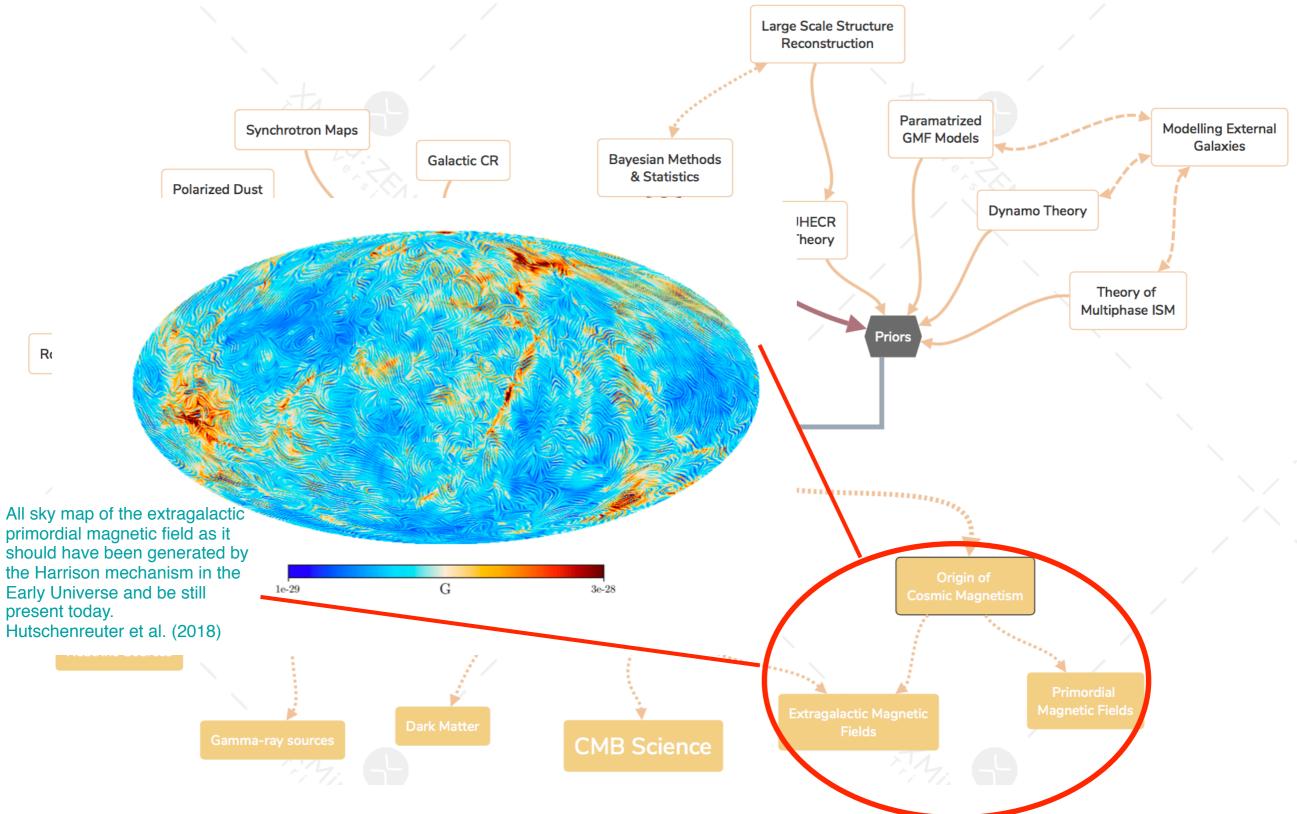
Galactic magnetic field models



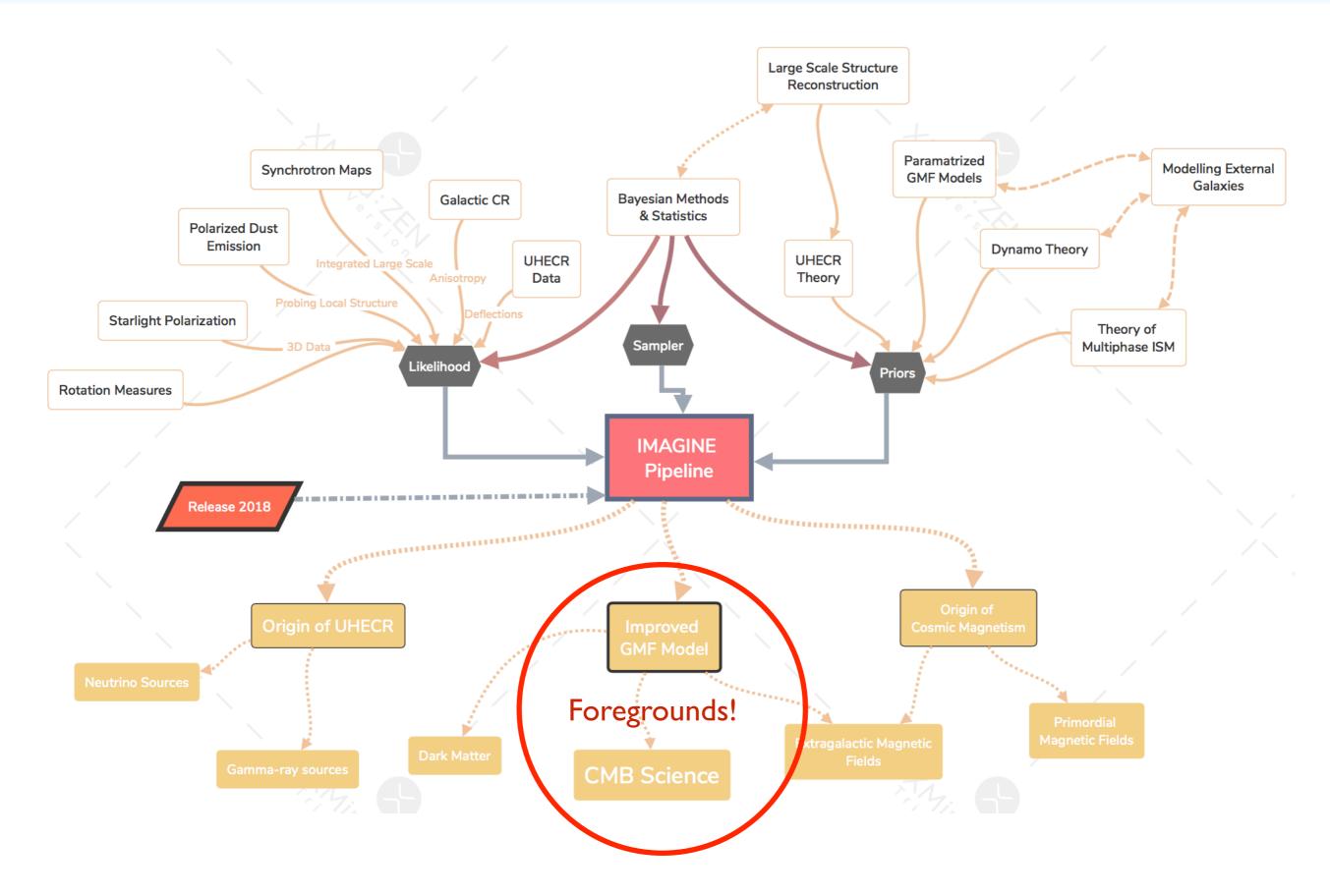
Turbulent ISM



Extragalactic magnetic fields

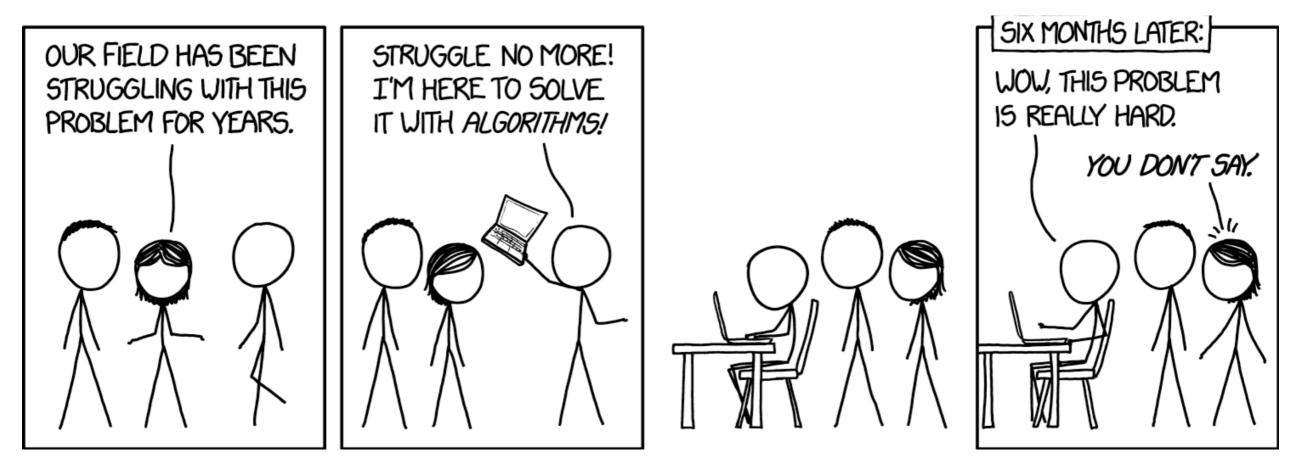


CMB foregrounds!



What IMAGINE can do for the CMB

- What microwave observations give to IMAGINE is clear. But the reverse is obviously more important for this group!
- Need more realistic simulations of astrophysical foregrounds in order to design your experiment and test your component separation methods. We need
 - Non-Gaussian and correlated turbulent components of B, n_CR, n_d. E.g., based on MHD for synchrotron.
 - Proper 3D integration to probe the effects of variations both within the beam and along the LOS.
 - Include in simulated systematics (e.g., intensity leakage into polarization?) in the presence of these correlated non-G components (i.e., Planck shows dust total I correlated at small scales with magnetic field direction).



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