

A Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB) fluctuation map showing temperature variations across the sky. The map is a complex, irregular pattern of colors on a black background. The colors range from dark blue (cooler regions) to bright yellow and orange (warmer regions). The fluctuations are most prominent in the central and right-hand portions of the image, with a large, bright orange and yellow region in the upper center. The overall appearance is that of a noisy, textured field of temperature variations.

# Intergalactic Magnetic Field and their Impact on UHECRs Propagation

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# Outline

- Extragalactic Magnetic Fields Observations
- Extragalactic Magnetic Fields Models
- Deflections Statistics and UHERCs  
Correlations

# Modeling Extragalactic Magnetic Fields

- Theory is incomplete: gal. outflows, AGNs, shock instabilities ?
  - mechanism unknown (assumed)
  - modeling limited (no *full* treatment)
- Numerical issues
  - Grid vs SPH
- Observations
  - very challenging, constraints still poor

# Magnetic Fields in Galaxy Clusters

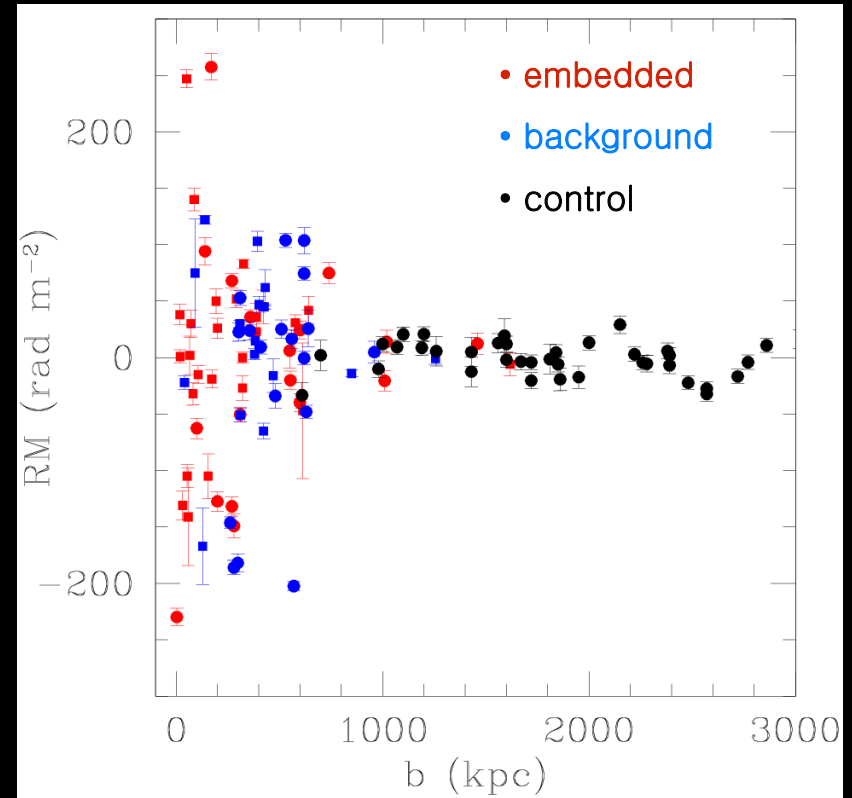
$$B \simeq 1 - 10 \left( \frac{\ell}{10 \text{ kpc}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \mu\text{G}$$

$$\langle RM \rangle = 0$$

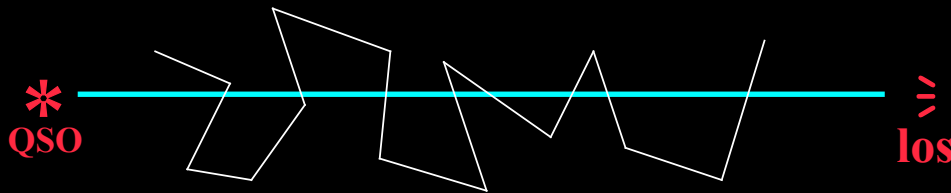
$$\sigma \propto B \ell_c^{1/2}$$

$$\chi = \chi_0 + RM \lambda^2$$

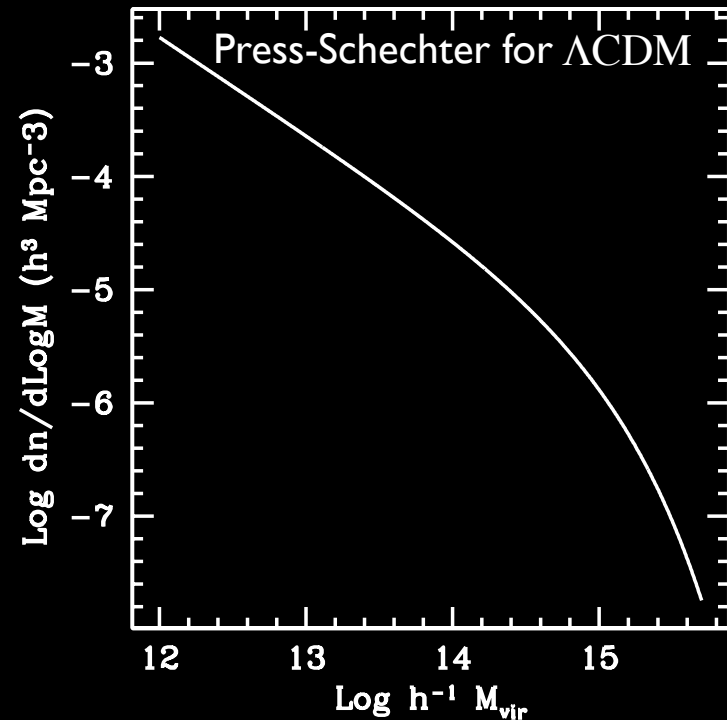
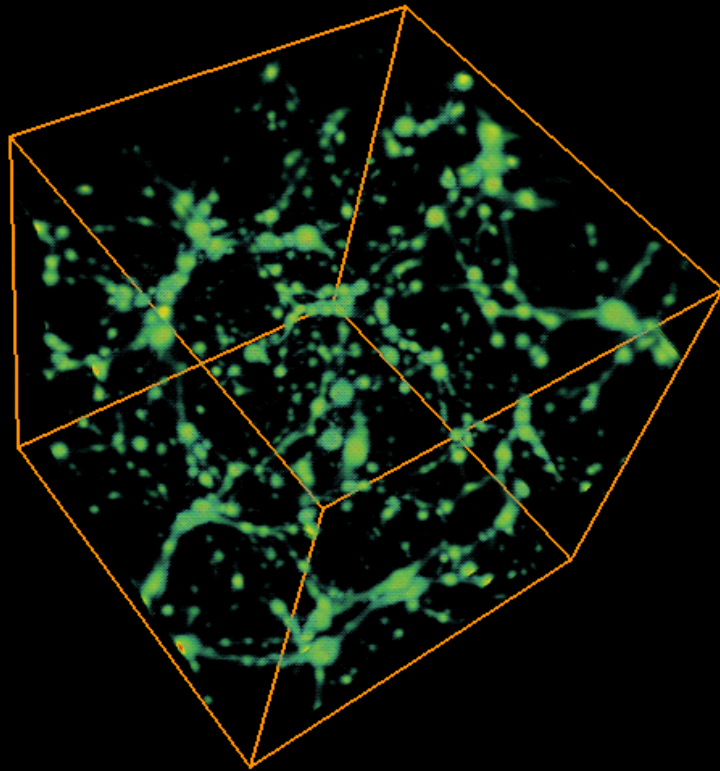
$$RM = 812 \int n_e \vec{B} \cdot d\vec{l} \text{ rad/m}^2$$



Clarke et al. 2004

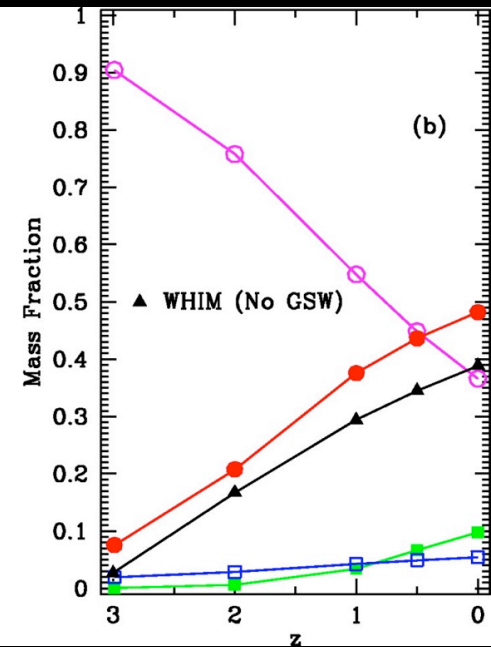
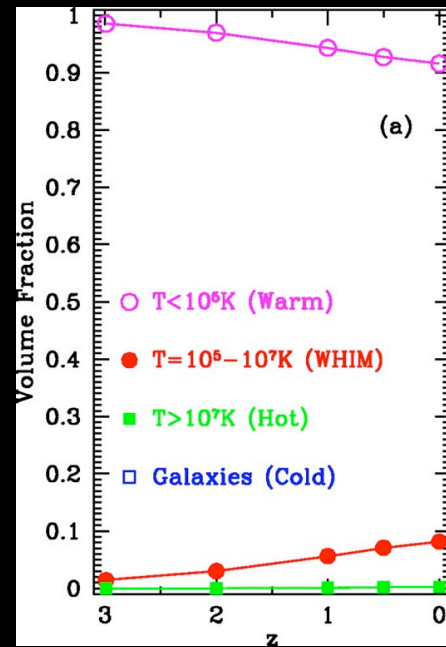
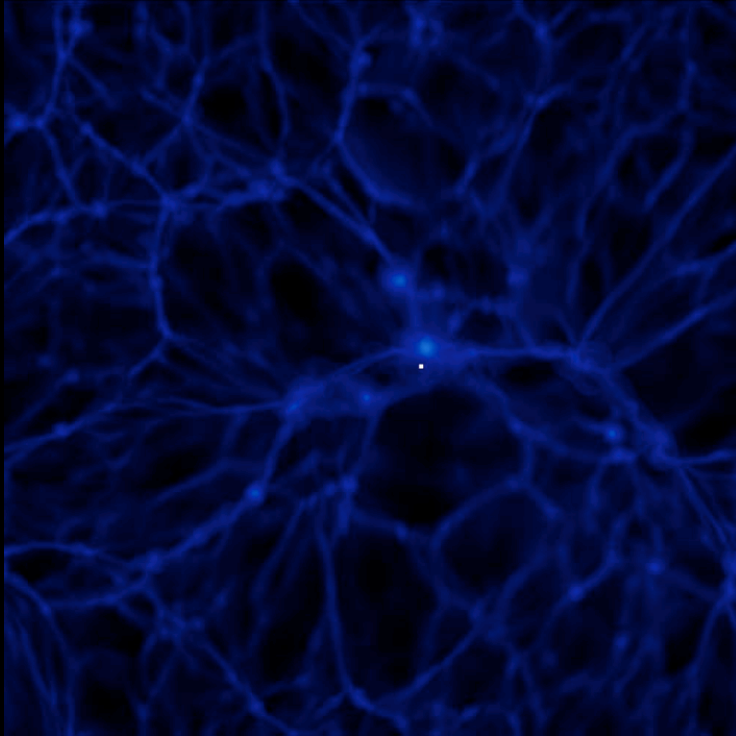


# Deflections from Cluster Fields



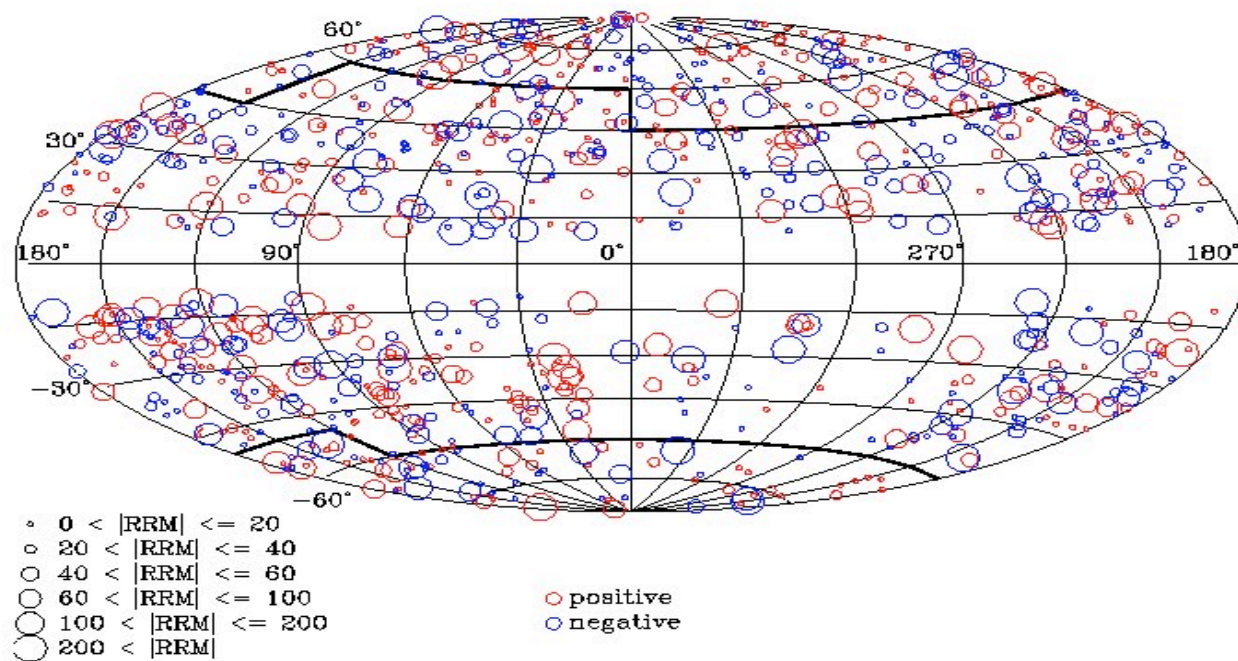
$$\ell_{\text{mfp}} \approx \frac{1}{n\sigma_{\text{GC}}} \approx 10^2 - 10^3 \left( \frac{R_{\text{vir}}}{2\text{Mpc}} \right)^2 \text{ Gpc}$$

# The WHIM



Cen & Ostriker 2006

RRM values ( $\text{rad}\cdot\text{m}^{-2}$ ) of 901 lines of sight



# Upper limits on $B_{IGM}$

*frozen-in toy model*

$$B \leq 1\mu\text{G} \left( \frac{\Omega_b}{0.04} \right)^{-1} \left( \frac{\ell_c}{\text{Mpc}} \right)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \left( \frac{\sigma_{\text{RM}}}{60\text{rad m}^{-2}} \right)$$

More complicated geometry (LSS filaments) gives similar results (Ryu et al 1998); see also Blasi et al. (1999).



# Large scale B-fields in filaments ?

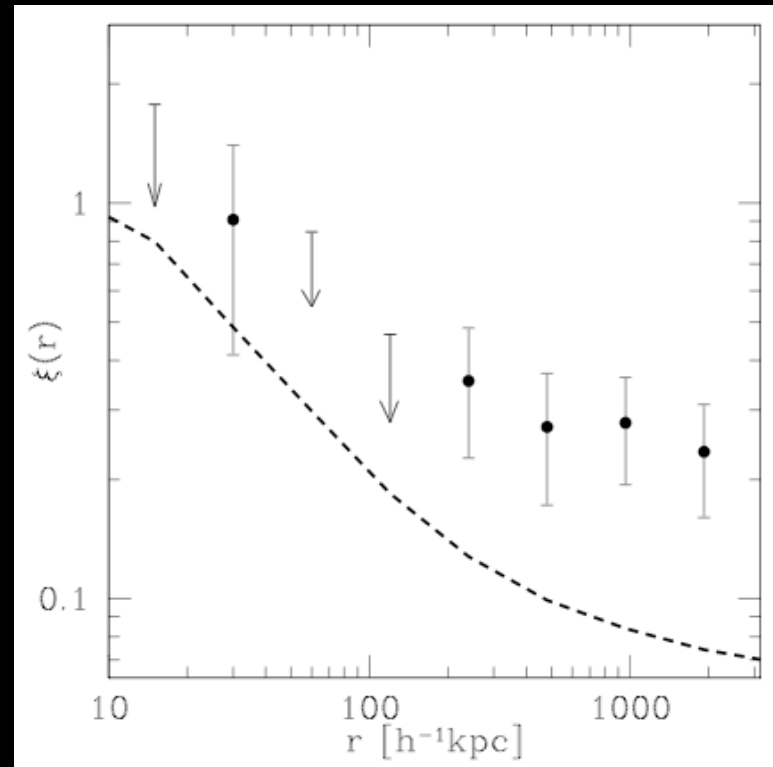
Cross correlation  
between excess  $|RM|$   
and galaxies overdensity  
field (Sloan).

$$\Delta|RM| \text{ vs } \Delta\rho_{gal}$$

$$\Delta|RM| = |RM| - \overline{|RM|}$$

$$\Delta\rho_{gal} = \rho_{gal} - \overline{\rho_{gal}}$$

Authors conclude:  
 $B \sim 30 \text{ nG}$ ,  $L \sim \text{Mpc}$ .



Lee, Pen, Taylor, Stil, Sunstrum (arXiv:0906.1631)

# IGMF models

Sigl, Miniati, Ensslin (2003, 2004a, b); Armengaud, Sigl, Miniati (2005, 2006)

- Injection at shocks (Kulsrud et al. 1997, Medvedev 2006, Schlickeiser & Shukla 2003,) rate proportional to the baroclinic term (borrowed by Biermann's model)

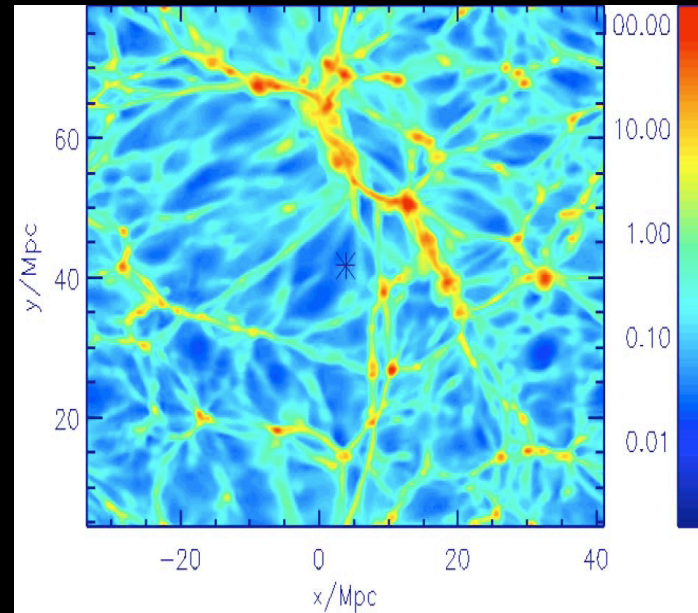
$$\left( \frac{dB}{dt} \right)_{\text{src}} \propto \nabla P \times \nabla \rho$$

- Injected at high redshift by galaxy outflows
- We use the TVD cosmological code (Ryu et al. 1993)

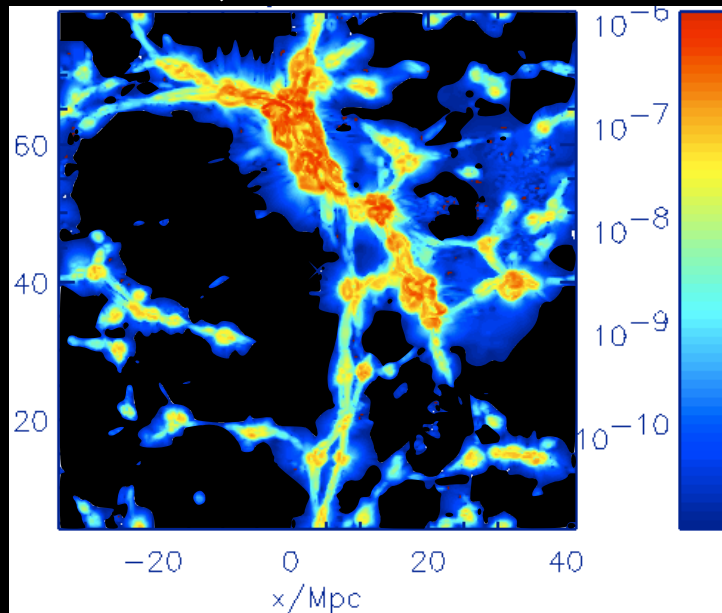
Note: Numerical models generally require some type of normalization to match observed field values in galaxy clusters.

# Simulated IGMF Model Properties

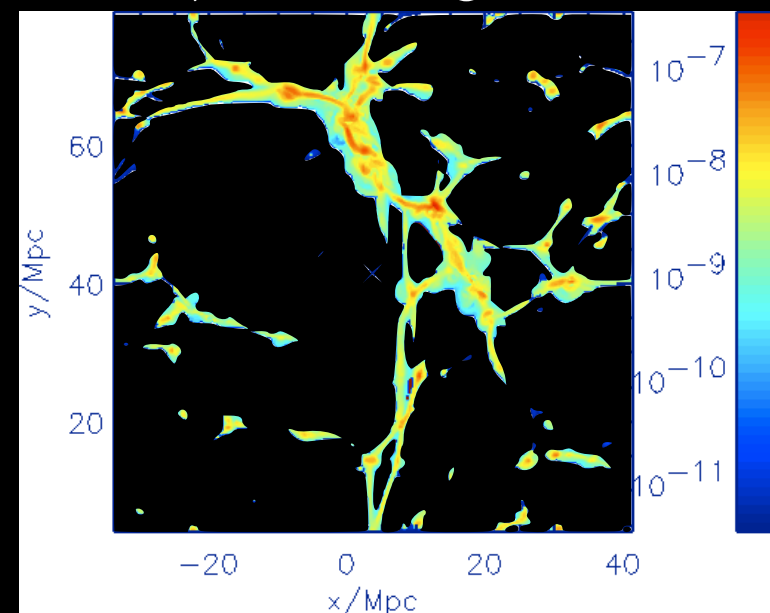
baryon density



B injected at shocks

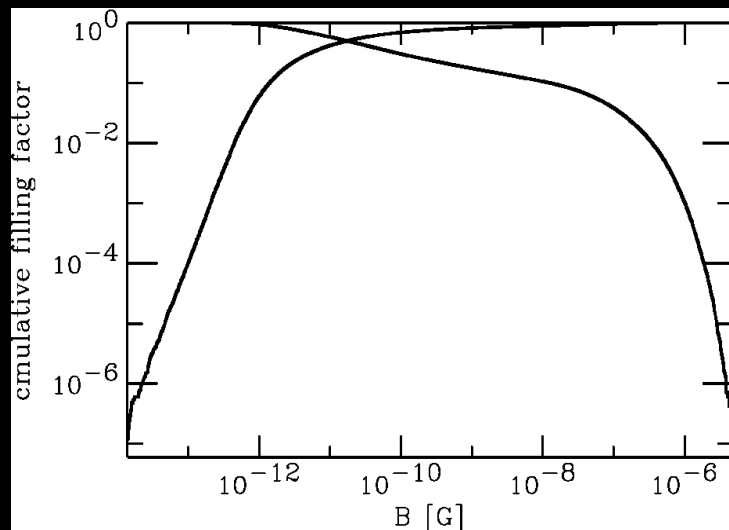


B injected at 'high' redshift



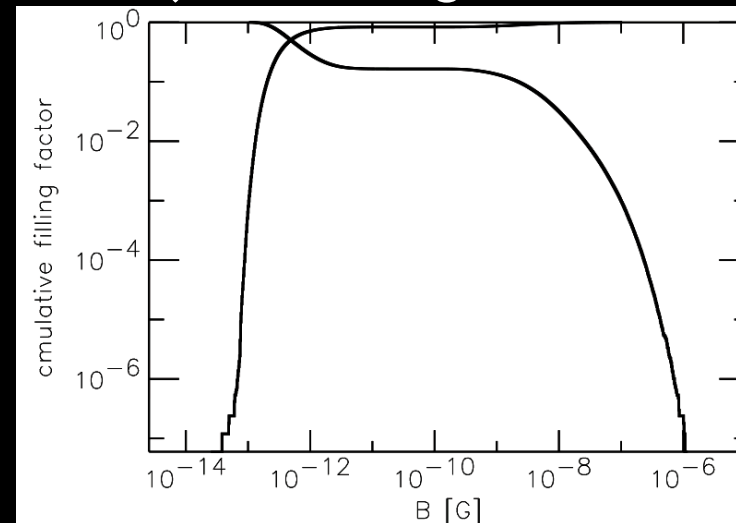
# IGMF Filling Factors

B injected at shocks



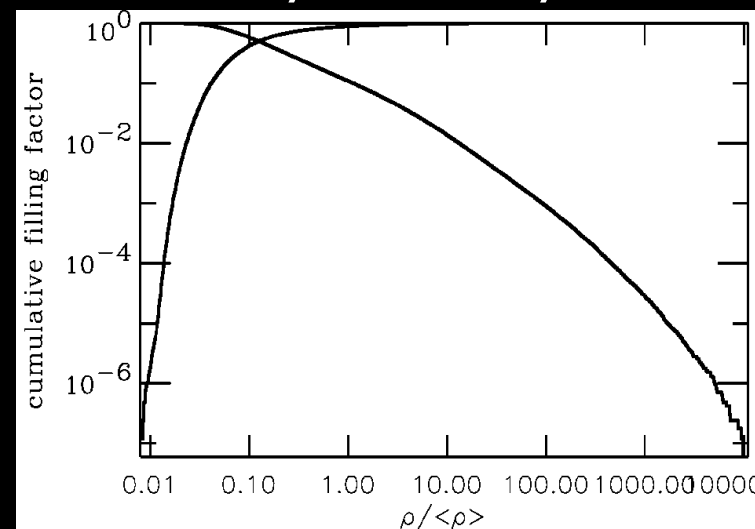
$f(B > 10^{-8} \text{ G}) \sim 10\%$

B injected at 'high' redshift



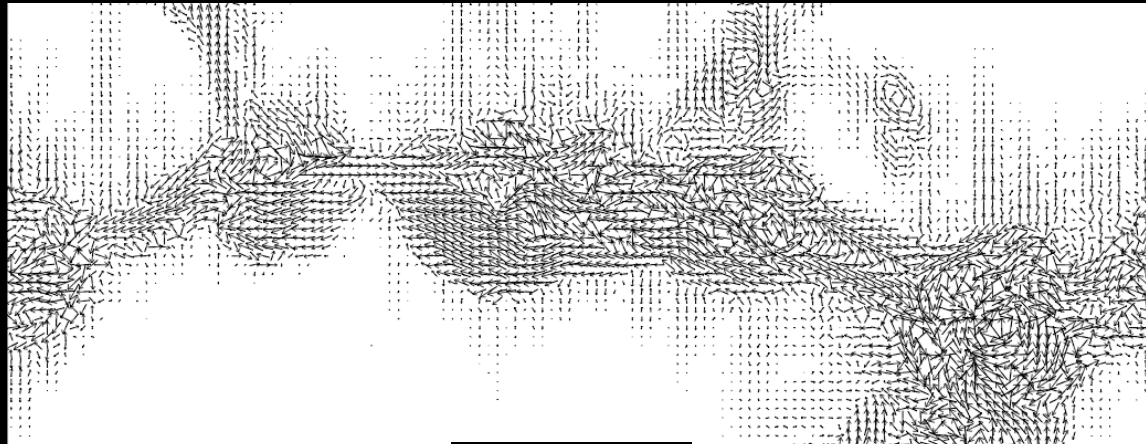
$f(B > 10^{-9} \text{ G}) \sim 10\%$

Baryon Density



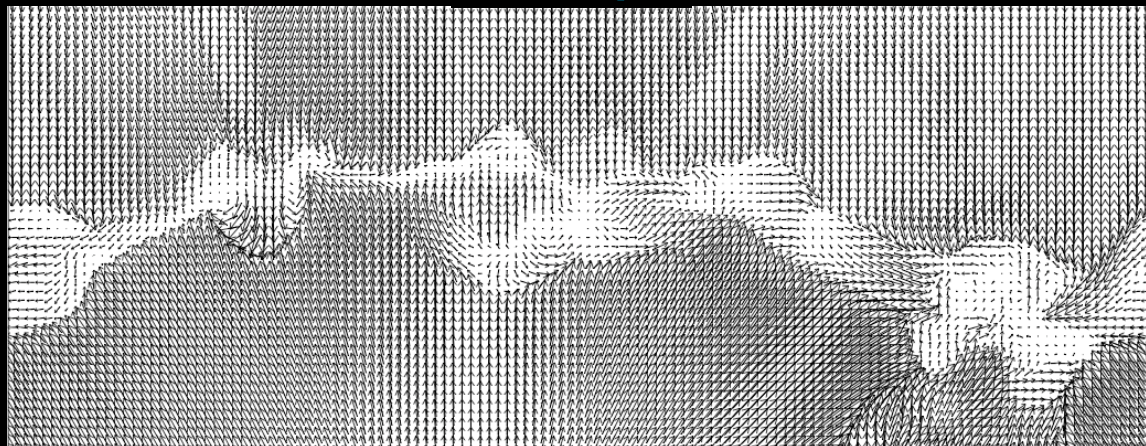
# Bulky Structures

B-field



←----- 25 Mpc -----→

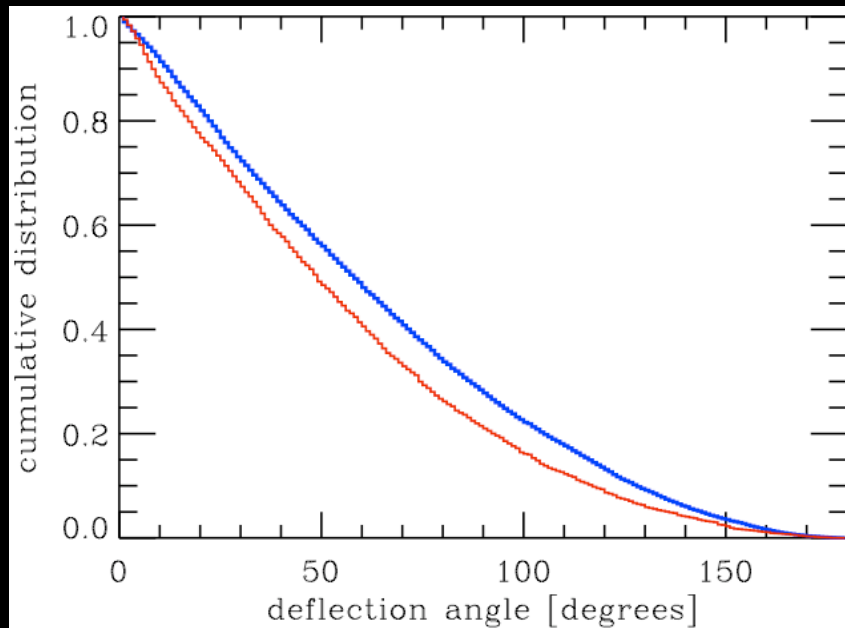
V-field



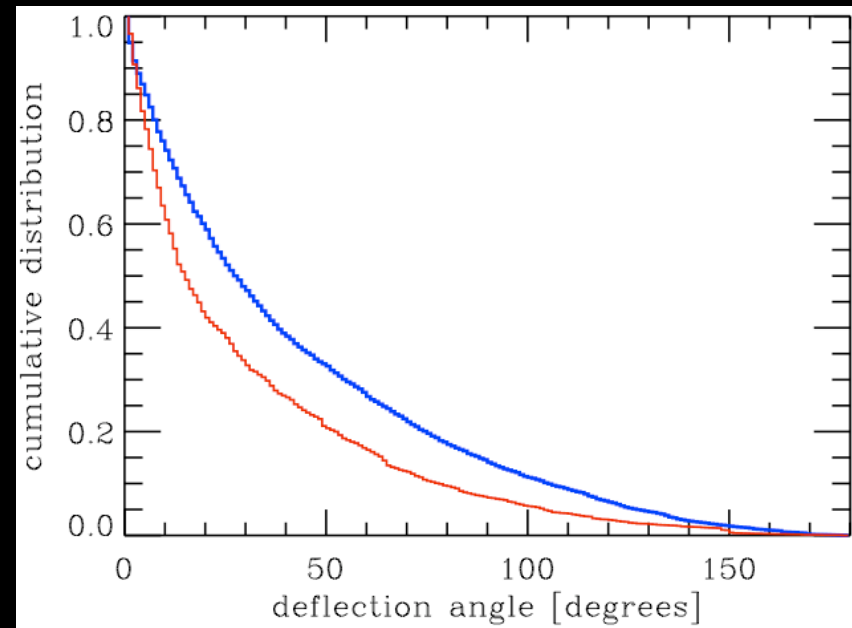
Ryu, Kang & Biermann 1998

# Proton Deflection Statistics

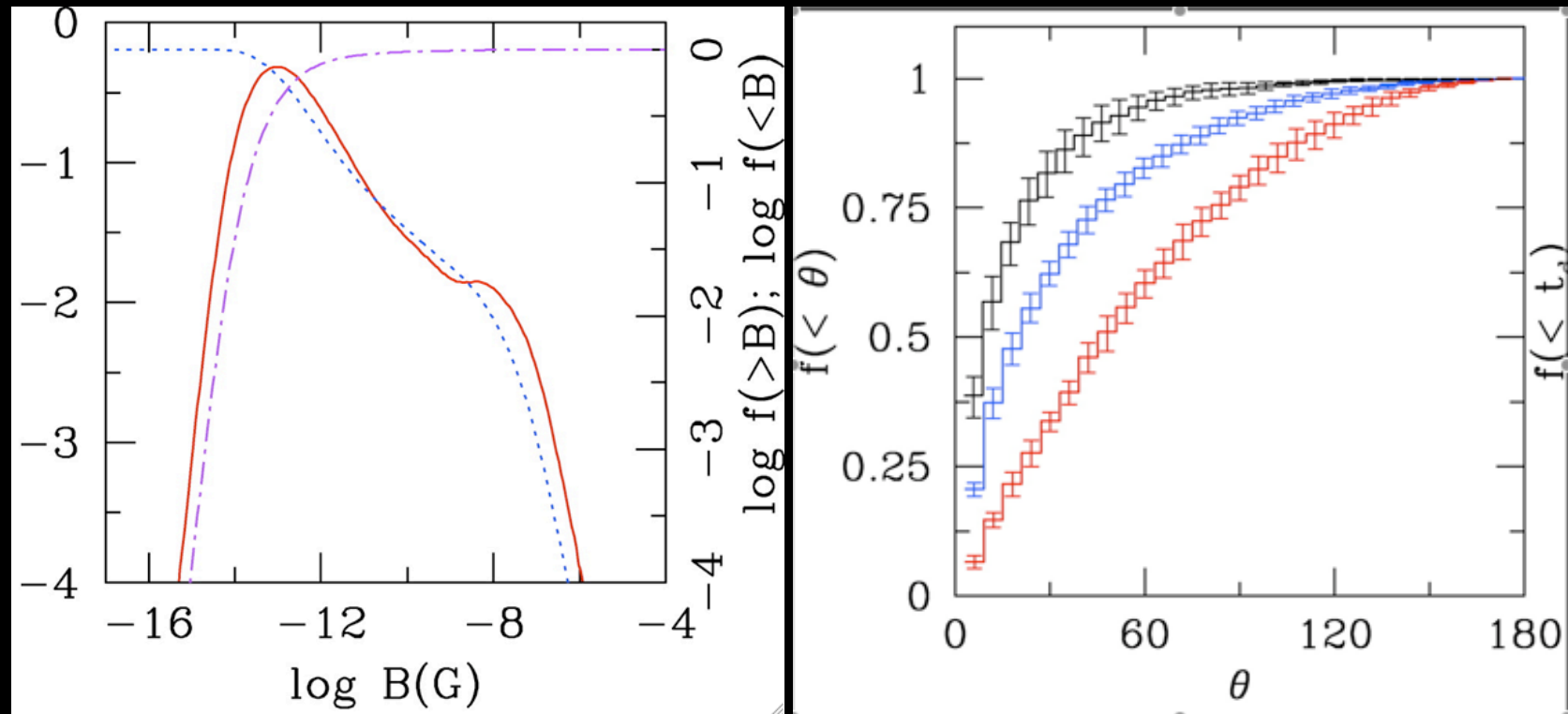
$E \geq 4 \times 10^{19} \text{ eV}$



$E \geq 10^{20} \text{ eV}$

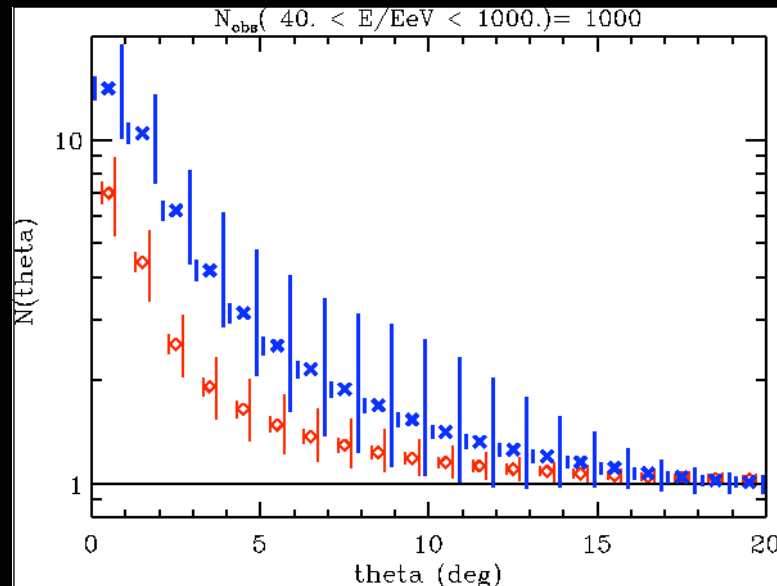


# Ryu et al.'s model



# Autocorrelations (protons)

Potential for determining the source number density. E.g. comparison with AGASA data already requires source density is  $\sim 10^{-5} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$  (Sigl, Miniati & Ensslin 2004, Yoshiguchi et al. 2003, Blasi & de Marco 2004)

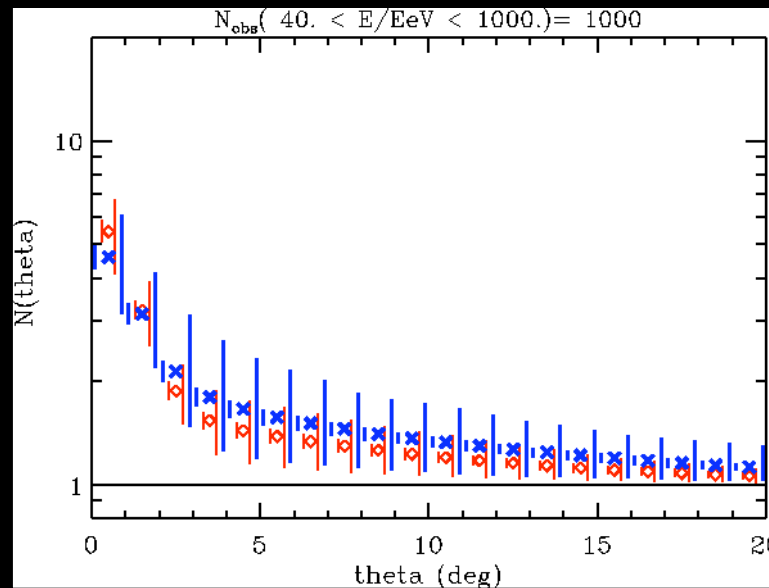


Autocorrelations for source density =  $2.4 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$  (red) and  $2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$  (blue) for an Auger-type exposure.



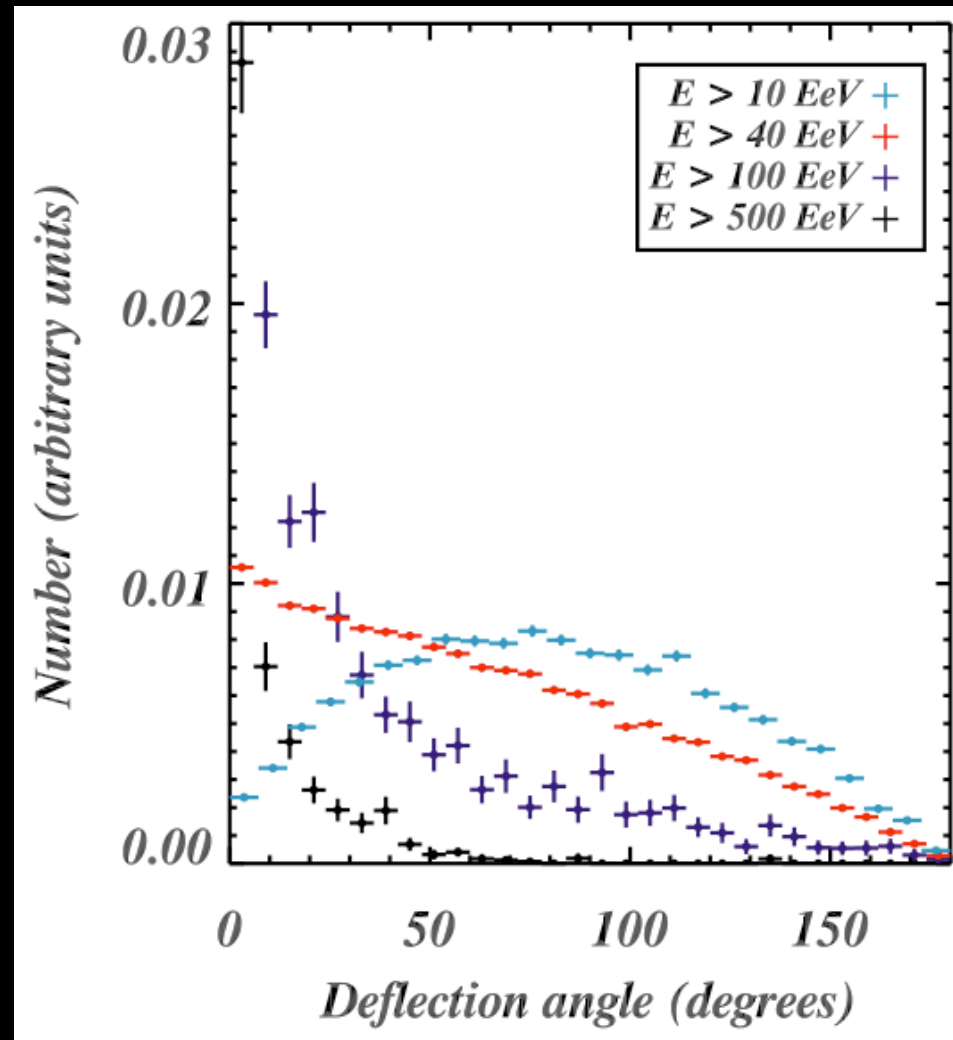
# Magnetized Sources

Comparing predicted autocorrelations for source density =  $2.4 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$  (red set) and  $2.4 \times 10^{-5} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$  (blue set) for an Auger-type exposure.

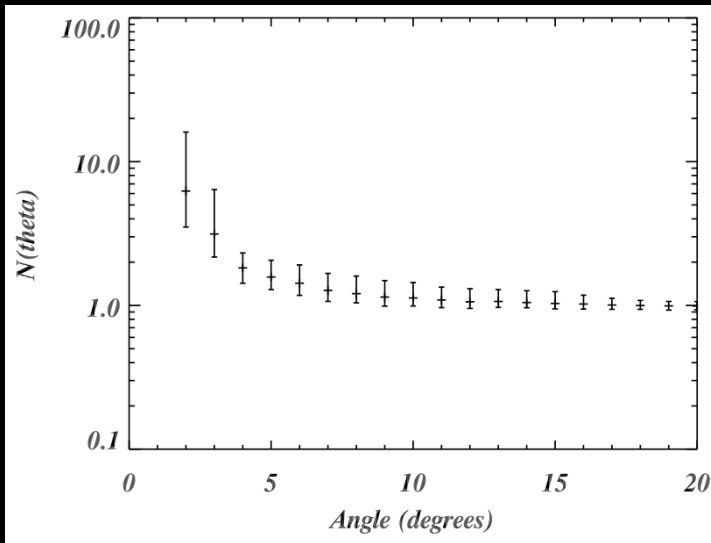


Deflection in magnetic fields makes autocorrelation and power spectrum much less dependent on source density and distribution !

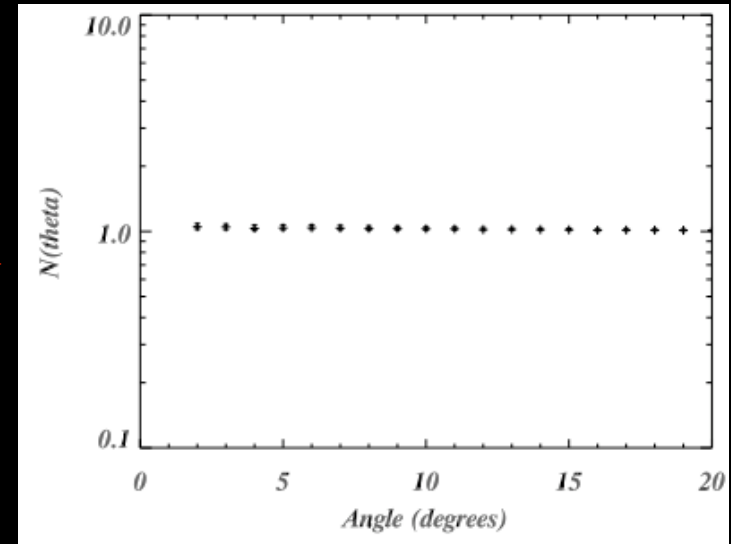
# Deflection Statistics (nuclei)



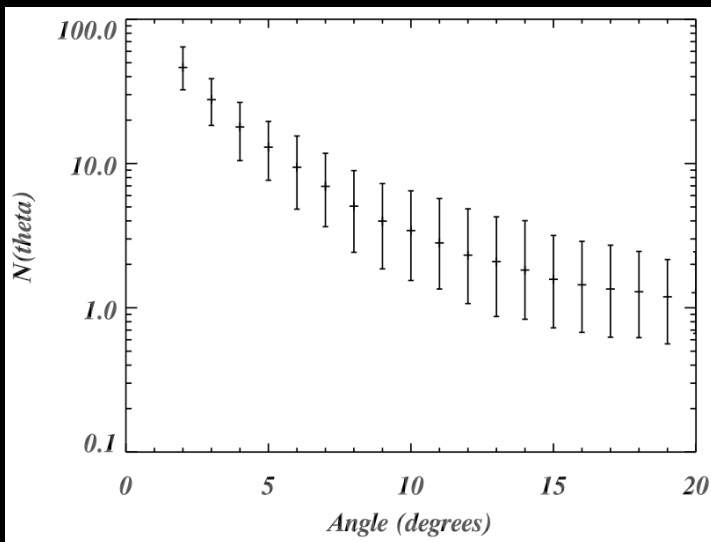
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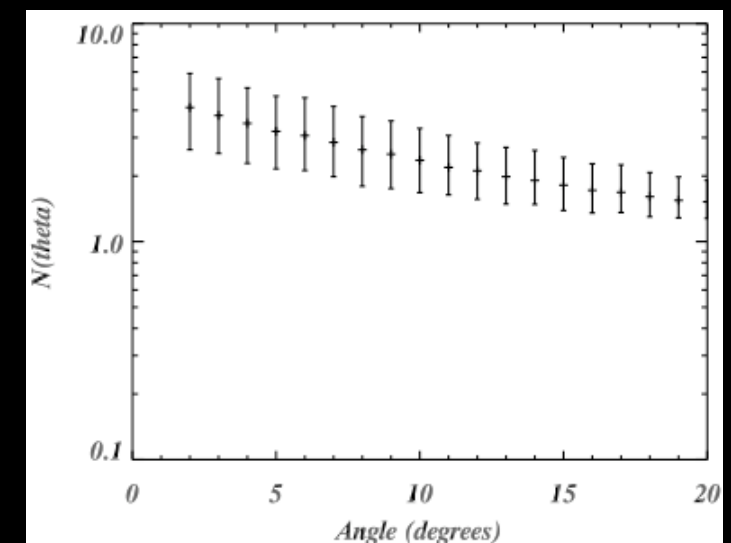
$E \geq 4 \times 10^{19}$  eV



add B



$E \geq 8 \times 10^{19}$  eV



# Conclusions

Intergalactic magnetic fields are very difficult to observe and their modeling, therefore, is affected by large uncertainties.

nG strong B-fields ordered on Mpc scales in the low density IGM ( $f \sim 10\%$ ) can cause large deflections.

However this does not necessarily isotropize the arrival directions, not even for nuclei at high enough energy.