Overview of (almost) final results

from

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- 1. The need for high-resolution SZ observations of a SZ-selected sample
- 2. The NIKA2 SZ large program (2018-2023) A sample of 38 SZ-detected clusters observed in SZ and X-ray
- 3. LPSZ Results
 - a) 160 and 250 GHz maps
 - b) Thermodynamic profiles
 - c) Integrated quantities
 - d) Universal Pressure Profile
 - e) Y-M Scaling Relation
- 4. Conclusions

On the Road to Public Release



There is need for a SZ-selected sample of clusters of galaxies

- at medium to high redshift (0.5-0.9)
- observed with high angular resolution (10-20 ")

It is useful for:

Context

1. cluster cosmology

- Universal pressure profile for SZ power spectrum
- SZ-mass scaling relation for cluster count
- \rightarrow SZ signal is a low-scatter proxy of the thermal content (mass)
- → Caveat: hydrostatic bias wrt the cluster mass
- \rightarrow No redshift deeming
- → SZ- X-ray synergy is major asset

$$M_{\rm HSE}(< r) \propto rac{r^2}{n_e(r)} rac{\mathrm{d} P_e}{\mathrm{d} r}$$



Context

It is also useful for:

- 2. cluster science
 - Study of shocks, merging events, ...
 - Non-thermal pressure content
 - kSZ, rSZ, ...



\rightarrow Needed for

- for multi-wavelength studies (SZ and X-ray, radio, visible, ...)
- at similar resolution

back in 2016 (proposal)

Detector wish list for SZ science





The NIKA2 camera

NIKA2

- KID-based camera
 - Kinetic Inductance Detectors

High quality factor superconducting resonators

- Frequency shift proportional to the incoming optical power
- installed at the IRAM 30m telescope
- Operated at 150 mK
- Dual-band: 150 and 260 GHz (3 arrays)
- Wide field of view: 6.5 arcmin 2466 valid detectors
- High angular resolution: 17.6 and 11.1 arcsec
- State-of the art sensitivity: 9 and 30 mJy.s^{1/2} (at null opacity)
 - \rightarrow high S/N observation of clusters in 2 to 15 hours

These values are measured performance: see L. Perotto et al., A&A 2020







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L. Perotto *et al.,* A&A 2020

Illumination

The NIKA2 camera





Readout electronics



KID detector

The NIKA2 camera has been built by the NIKA2 Collaboration

- 14 laboratories
- 110 members of the collaboration



Dilution cryostat

Dedicated optics





- has been installed in Sep. 2015 at the IRAM-30m telescope (Granada, Spain)
- is operated since 2017
- is opened to the scientific community



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IRAM 30-m telescope

at Pico Veleta (Spain)



The NIKA2 Sunyaev Zel'dovich Large Program (LPSZ)

A sample of 38 SZ-detected clusters observed in SZ and X-ray

- One of the 5 Large Programs of the NIKA2 Guaranteed time
- 300 hours of observations to observe 38 clusters
- Proposal accepted in Nov. 2016 \rightarrow observation completed in Jan. 2023

PI: L. Perotto & F. Mayet

The NIKA2 LPSZ sample strategy is built upon

- 1. An homogeneous sample of SZ-selected clusters
- 2. SZ-X-ray synergy

NIKA2 & XMM-Newton

NIKA2 LPSZ: cluster sample

The LPSZ sample

- 45 SZ-selected clusters
 - 10 from ACT catalog
 - 35 from Planck catalog
- 38 have been observed
- 34 with X-ray data

(from XMM-Newton follow-ups)

• 29 with high-quality data

 \rightarrow Used for SR and UPP

LPSZ Cluster sample



the sample must be representative

\rightarrow Warning:

Constraints

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- selection function
- data analysis
- data quality : S/N=3 on P(r) @ R₅₀₀

• $M_{500} = (3 - 10) \times 10^{14} M_{\odot}$

• z = 0.5 - 0.9

NIKA2 LPSZ: SZ-X-ray synergy



- 34 clusters have X-ray data (mainly XMM-Newton), from dedicated follow-up or archival
- We take advantage of high-quality SZ and X-ray data.



LPSZ Results

- a) 150 and 260 GHz maps
- b) Thermodynamic profiles
- c) Integrated quantities
- d) Universal Pressure Profile
- e) Y-M Scaling Relation

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LPSZ results – SZ maps @ 150 GHz







38 maps to be released

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LPSZ results – SZ maps @ 150 GHz









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LPSZ results – cluster classification





Twin sample from The300 Simulation

Cluster classification

- exploits morphological information from SZ maps
- is trained on *The300* simulations (synthetic twin sample)
- uses 2 complementary methods
 - Zernike polynomials
 - Machine learning classification

 \rightarrow Relaxed/disturbed classification

ightarrow To be used for cosmology (SR, UPP) and cluster science

LPSZ results – SZ maps – 260 GHz







- to identify **point sources** that may compensate SZ signal at 150 GHz
- in the Likelihood model

LPSZ results – Pressure profiles



- Pressure profiles are extracted from maps using the panco2 code
 - forward modeling of the total observed signal (SZ+point sources), large radii constraints (Planck Y₅₀₀)
 - takes into account: beam smearing, data processing filtering, covariance matrix, ...



LPSZ results – Pressure profiles

Right ascension





 10^{-4}

LPSZ SZ+Xray

LPSZ X-ray

Radius $r \, [kpc]$

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LPSZ results – Pressure profiles



- NIKA2
- Pressure profiles have been shown to be robust against details of the analysis
- ...

- 34 pressure profiles will be
- \rightarrow included in the public release
- \rightarrow used to evaluate the universal pressure profile

LPSZ profiles – Thermodynamic profiles



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LPSZ results – Integrated quantities





Integrated quantities

are evaluated on profiles (M_{HSE})

 $R_{500}, M_{500}, Y_{500}$

- are shown to be robust against analysis details
- Pdf includes all systematics effects



29 clusters with integrated quantities will be

- \rightarrow included in the public release
- \rightarrow used to evaluate the scaling relation

LPSZ results – Scaling relation

• Méthode : LIRA + SBI

 \rightarrow LPSZ selection function accounted for.

Results



Cosmology

- Cosmology survey: Planck Planck 2015 results. XXIV
- Cosmology code: Class-SZ B. Bolliet et al., EPJ WOC 2024
- LPSZ Scaling relation



→ See talk by Alice Moyer-Anin

LPSZ results – Universal Pressure Profile



- Combine the likelihood distributions of individual clusters
- Approximate them with multivariate gaussians (or masked autoregressive flows)
- Account for the intrinsic scatter using a hierarchical Bayesian model
- Validated on simulations



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LPSZ results – Universal Pressure Profile

Results



Good agreement

with non cool-core clusters UPPs ٠

from A10 and P13

- at medium to high radii with ٠
 - ✓ Bourdin et al. (2017) high-z
 - Melin and Pratt (2023) \checkmark

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$F = \sigma_8 (\Omega_m/B)^{0.1} h^{-0.21} $			
	UPP	F parameter	ninam
	A10	$0.481\substack{+0.005\\-0.004}$	
	P13	0.479 ± 0.004	
	NIKA2-LPSZ	0.475 ± 0.004	

Cosmology implication •

- Data: Planck y-map Planck 2015 results. XXI. •
- Code: Class_SZ B. Bolliet et al., EPJ WOC 2024 •
- **UPP: NIKA2-LPSZ**

Conclusion



LPSZ: public release



Cluster catalog

- Maps: 1.2 and 2 mm calibrated maps, Transfer function, null maps, hit maps
- Catalog of point sources
- Thermodynamic profiles: pressure, density, mass, temperature, entropy, ...
- Integrated quantities

Tools for cosmology

- Universal pressure profile
- Y-M scaling relation



LPSZ: conclusions



The NIKA2 LPSZ Program

- 7 years of Observations
- \gg 300 hours at the Telescope
- **V** Key Points
 - SZ–X-ray Synergy

→ Successful combination of NIKA2 + XMM-Newton data

• A SZ-selected cluster sample at high redshift

Outcomes for the Community

Public Cluster Catalog

 \rightarrow Includes maps, profiles, integrated quantities, ...

Cluster Cosmology Reanalysis

 \rightarrow New insights with updated tools

ϔ More to Come...

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Thank you to the whole team for:

Back up

LPSZ: publication



Paper I: Maps and properties

Paper II: Catalog of point sources

Paper III: High-resolution SZ-X-ray Synergy (profiles and integrated quantities

Paper IV: Universal pressure profile

Paper V: Y-M scaling relation

Paper VI: Cluster dynamical state from Zernike polynomials

Paper VII: Cluster dynamical state from ML classifications

Paper VIII: SZ+X-ray Temperature maps

Paper IX: The non-thermal ICM content as seen from resolved SZ observations

... and more to come



publication by the end of the year

LPSZ results – SZ maps



Dual-band observation

- no SZ signal is expected at 260 GHz (for this noise level)
- 260 GHz map is used to identify **point sources** that may compensate SZ signal at 150 GHz





LPSZ profiles – Robustness tests



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Baseline method

- $\circ\;$ deprojection of a binned model of the pressure profile
- Null map: "Iteration-order" (IO), half-diff of 4 consecutive scans
- Anisotropic filtering model using 2D TF
- o gNFW fit from the binned model data points
- Flat priors [0, 5xA10] for p0, a, b, c, and rsprior [0,2.5Å~Rmeas500/c500xA10]
- Increasing mass constraint up to 1.2 R500_Planck/ACT

Alternative methods

- TF1D isotropic filter
- Direct gNFW model
- Larger or tighter priors
- No mass constraint
- \rightarrow Results robusts against analysis choices



PSZ2-G085

First cluster observation – overpressure region





Discovery of an overpressure region

- \rightarrow does impact integrated SZ signal and mass
- \rightarrow highlight the need for high-resolution observations

this cluster is not resolved by Planck

First cluster observations – pressure profiles

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First cluster observations – mass profiles



F. Ruppin et al., A&A 2018

- LPSZ : density (XMM) & Pressure (NIKA2)
- XMM-only : density & Temperature (XMM)

X-ray spectrocopy also provides the Temperature

- \rightarrow Pressure directly from X-ray observations
- \rightarrow Great ... but very time consuming at high redshift (prohibitive)

mass profiles are in good agreement

However, no conclusions can be drawn with 2 clusters...

First cluster observations - method



NIKA2 150 GHz map = ICM SZ signal + point source contamination (+ noise)

ICM SZ signal

- spherical symmetry
- gNFW model
- Integration along the line of sight + calibration + convolution by NIKA2 beam

Point source contamination

- position know from NIKA2 260 GHz map
- fluxes are free parameter with priors from SED extrapolation (NIKA2+Herschel)

