



Gaining information about inflation via the reheating era

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Single field example

- Dynamics given by ($\kappa^2 = 1/M_{\text{P}}^2$)

$$S = \int dx^4 \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} R + \mathcal{L}(\phi) \right] \quad \text{with} \quad \mathcal{L}(\phi) = -\frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi - V(\phi)$$

- Can be used to describe:
 - ◆ Minimally coupled scalar field to General Relativity
 - ◆ Scalar-tensor theory of gravitation in the Einstein frame
the graviton' scalar partner is also the inflaton (HI, RPI1,...)
- **Everything** can be **consistently** solved in the **slow-roll approximation**
 - ◆ Background evolution $\phi(N)$ where $N \equiv \ln a$
 - ◆ Linear perturbations for the field-metric system $\zeta(t, \mathbf{x}), \delta\phi(t, \mathbf{x})$
- Slow-roll = expansion in terms of the Hubble flow functions [Schwarz 01]

$$\epsilon_0 \equiv \frac{H_{\text{ini}}}{H}, \quad \epsilon_{i+1} \equiv \frac{d \ln |\epsilon_i|}{dN} \quad \text{measure deviations from de-Sitter}$$

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Decoupling field and space-time evolution

- Friedmann-Lemaître equations in e-fold time (with $M_{\text{P}}^2 = 1$)

$$\begin{cases} H^2 = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{1}{2} \dot{\phi}^2 + V \right) \\ \frac{\ddot{a}}{a} = -\frac{1}{3} (\dot{\phi}^2 - V) \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} H^2 = \frac{V}{3 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d\phi}{dN} \right)^2} \\ -\frac{d \ln H}{dN} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d\phi}{dN} \right)^2 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} H^2 = \frac{V}{3 - \epsilon_1} \\ \epsilon_1 = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{d\phi}{dN} \right)^2 \end{cases}$$

- Klein-Gordon equation in e-folds: relativistic kinematics with friction

$$\frac{1}{3 - \epsilon_1} \frac{d^2 \phi}{dN^2} + \frac{d\phi}{dN} = -\frac{d \ln V}{d\phi} \Leftrightarrow \frac{d\phi}{dN} = -\frac{3 - \epsilon_1}{3 - \epsilon_1 + \frac{\epsilon_2}{2}} \frac{d \ln V}{d\phi}$$

- Slow-roll approximation: all $\epsilon_i = \mathcal{O}(\epsilon)$ and $\epsilon_1 < 1$ is the definition of inflation ($\ddot{a} > 0$)

- ◆ The trajectory can be solved for N

$$N - N_{\text{end}} \simeq \int_{\phi}^{\phi_{\text{end}}} \frac{V(\psi)}{V'(\psi)} d\psi$$

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The end of inflation and after

- Accelerated expansion stops for $\epsilon_1 > 1$ ($\ddot{a} < 0$) at $N = N_{\text{end}}$
 - ◆ Naturally happens during field evolution (graceful exit) at $\phi = \phi_{\text{end}}$

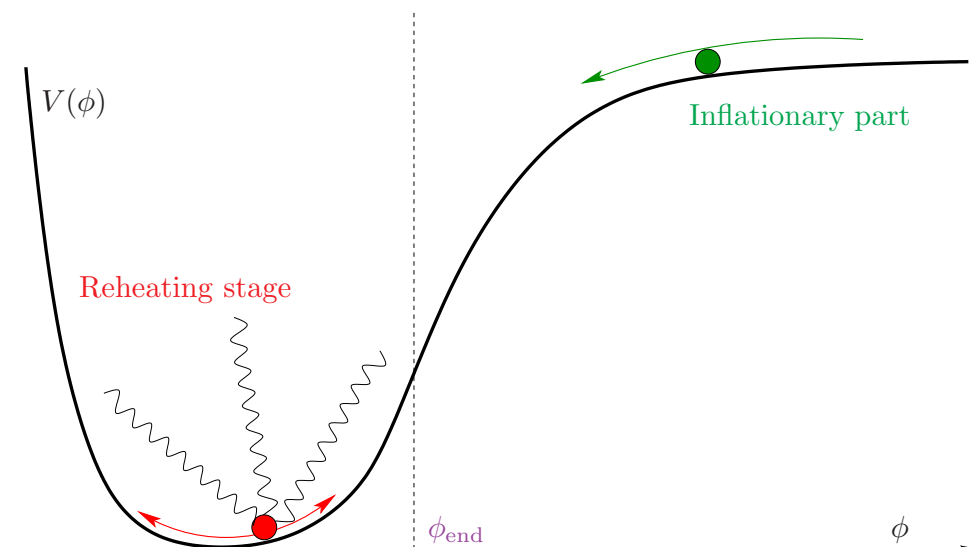
$$\epsilon_1(\phi_{\text{end}}) = 1$$

- ◆ Or, there is another mechanism ending inflation (tachyonic or field-curvature instability) and ϕ_{end} is a **model parameter** that has to be specified

- The reheating stage: everything after N_{end} till radiation domination

- ◆ Basic picture \rightarrow
- ◆ But in reality a very complicated process, microphysics dependent
- ◆ Reheating duration is usually unknown:

$$\Delta N_{\text{reh}} \equiv N_{\text{reh}} - N_{\text{end}}$$



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Redshift at which reheating ends

- Denoting $N = N_{\text{reh}}$ the end of reheating = beginning of radiation era

- ◆ If thermalized, and no extra entropy production: $a_{\text{reh}}^3 s_{\text{reh}} = a_0^3 s_0$

$$\begin{cases} s_{\text{reh}} = q_{\text{reh}} \frac{2\pi^2}{45} T_{\text{reh}}^3 \\ \rho_{\text{reh}} = g_{\text{reh}} \frac{\pi^2}{30} T_{\text{reh}}^4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \frac{a_0}{a_{\text{reh}}} = \left(\frac{q_{\text{reh}}^{1/3} g_0^{1/4}}{q_0^{1/3} g_{\text{reh}}^{1/4}} \right) \frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}^{1/4}}{\rho_\gamma^{1/4}}$$

or $1 + z_{\text{reh}} = \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}}{\tilde{\rho}_\gamma} \right)^{1/4}$

- Depends on ρ_{reh} and $\tilde{\rho}_\gamma \equiv Q_{\text{reh}} \rho_\gamma$

- ◆ Energy density of radiation today: $\rho_\gamma = 3 \frac{H_0^2}{M_{\text{P}}^2} \Omega_{\text{rad}}$

- ◆ Change in the number of entropy and energy relativistic degrees of freedom (small effect compared to $\rho_{\text{reh}}/\rho_\gamma$)

$$Q_{\text{reh}} \equiv \frac{g_{\text{reh}}}{g_0} \left(\frac{q_0}{q_{\text{reh}}} \right)^{1/4}$$

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Redshift at which inflation ends

- Depends on the redshift of reheating

$$1 + z_{\text{end}} = \frac{a_0}{a_{\text{end}}} = \frac{a_{\text{reh}}}{a_{\text{end}}} (1 + z_{\text{reh}}) = \frac{a_{\text{reh}}}{a_{\text{end}}} \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}}{\tilde{\rho}_\gamma} \right)^{1/4} = \frac{1}{R_{\text{rad}}} \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{end}}}{\tilde{\rho}_\gamma} \right)^{1/4}$$

- ◆ The reheating parameter $R_{\text{rad}} \equiv \frac{a_{\text{end}}}{a_{\text{reh}}} \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{end}}}{\rho_{\text{reh}}} \right)^{1/4}$
- ◆ Encodes **any observable deviations** from a radiation-like or instantaneous reheating $R_{\text{rad}} = 1$

- R_{rad} can be expressed in terms of $(\rho_{\text{reh}}, \bar{w}_{\text{reh}})$ or $(\Delta N_{\text{reh}}, \bar{w}_{\text{reh}})$

$$\ln R_{\text{rad}} = \frac{\Delta N_{\text{reh}}}{4} (3\bar{w}_{\text{reh}} - 1) = \frac{1 - 3\bar{w}_{\text{reh}}}{12(1 + \bar{w}_{\text{reh}})} \ln \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{reh}}}{\rho_{\text{end}}} \right)$$

$$\text{where } \bar{w}_{\text{reh}} \equiv \frac{1}{\Delta N_{\text{reh}}} \int_{N_{\text{end}}}^{N_{\text{reh}}} \frac{P(N)}{\rho(N)} dN$$

- A fixed inflationary parameters, z_{end} can still be affected by R_{rad}

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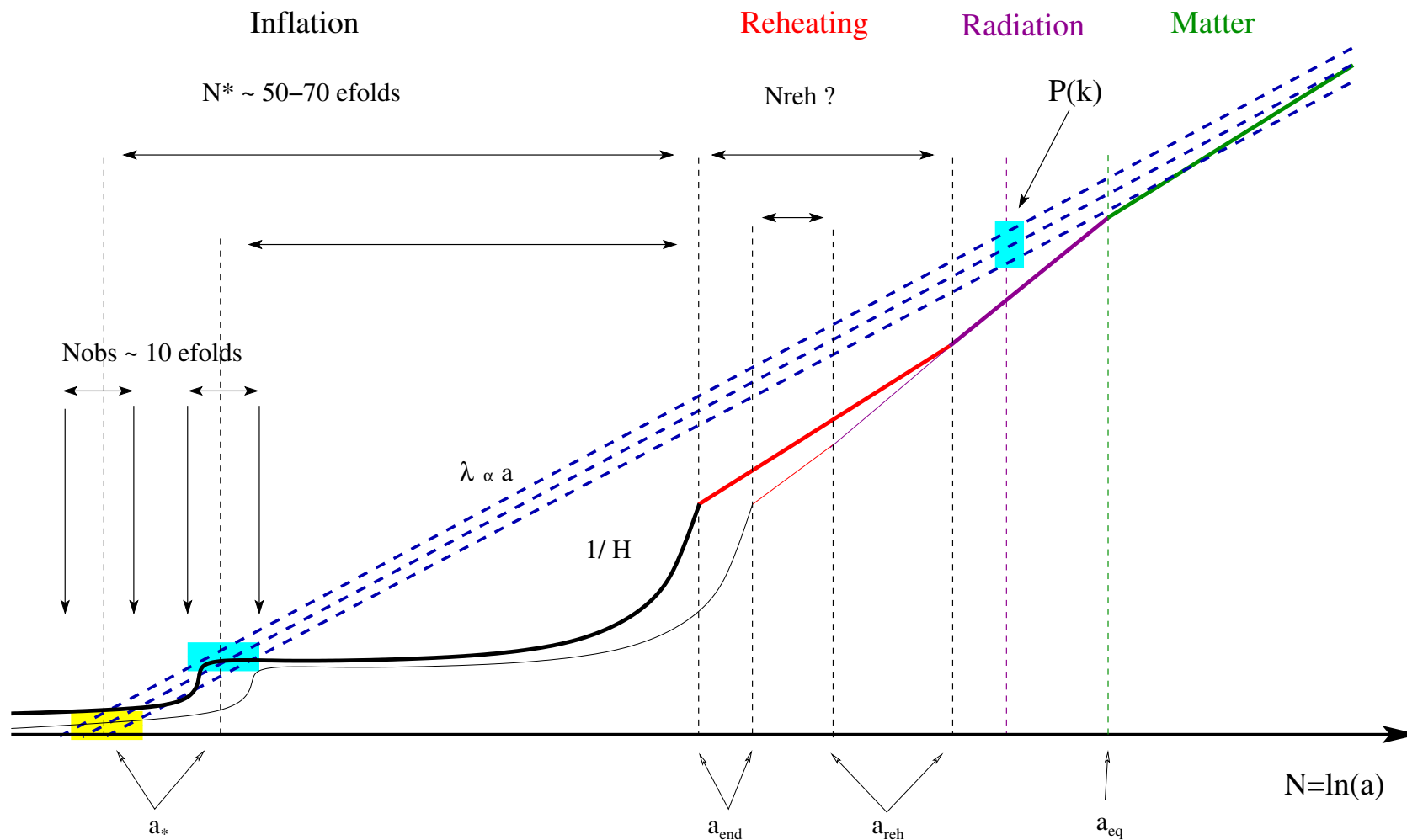
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● **Model testing:** reheating effects must be included!



Inflationary perturbations in slow-roll

- Equations of motion for the linear perturbations

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \mu_T &\equiv ah \\ \mu_S &\equiv a\sqrt{2}\phi_{,N}\zeta \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow \mu''_{TS} + \left[k^2 - \frac{(a\sqrt{\epsilon_1})''}{a\sqrt{\epsilon_1}} \right] \mu_{TS} = 0$$

- Can be consistently solved using slow-roll and pivot expansion [Stewart:1993,

Gong:2001, Schwarz:2001, Leach:2002, Martin:2002, Habib:2002, Casadio:2005, Lorenz:2008, Martin:2013, Beltran:2013]

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}_\zeta &= \frac{H_*^2}{8\pi^2 M_P^2 \epsilon_{1*}} \left\{ 1 - 2(1+C)\epsilon_{1*} - C\epsilon_{2*} + \left(\frac{\pi^2}{2} - 3 + 2C + 2C^2 \right) \epsilon_{1*}^2 + \left(\frac{7\pi^2}{12} - 6 - C + C^2 \right) \epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} \right. \\ &+ \left(\frac{\pi^2}{8} - 1 + \frac{C^2}{2} \right) \epsilon_{2*}^2 + \left(\frac{\pi^2}{24} - \frac{C^2}{2} \right) \epsilon_{2*}\epsilon_{3*} \\ &+ \left[-2\epsilon_{1*} - \epsilon_{2*} + (2+4C)\epsilon_{1*}^2 + (-1+2C)\epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} + C\epsilon_{2*}^2 - C\epsilon_{2*}\epsilon_{3*} \right] \ln\left(\frac{k}{k_*}\right) \\ &+ \left. \left[2\epsilon_{1*}^2 + \epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} + \frac{1}{2}\epsilon_{2*}^2 - \frac{1}{2}\epsilon_{2*}\epsilon_{3*} \right] \ln^2\left(\frac{k}{k_*}\right) \right\}, \\ \mathcal{P}_h &= \frac{2H_*^2}{\pi^2 M_P^2} \left\{ 1 - 2(1+C)\epsilon_{1*} + \left[-3 + \frac{\pi^2}{2} + 2C + 2C^2 \right] \epsilon_{1*}^2 + \left[-2 + \frac{\pi^2}{12} - 2C - C^2 \right] \epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} \right. \\ &+ \left. \left[-2\epsilon_{1*} + (2+4C)\epsilon_{1*}^2 + (-2-2C)\epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} \right] \ln\left(\frac{k}{k_*}\right) + \left(2\epsilon_{1*}^2 - \epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} \right) \ln^2\left(\frac{k}{k_*}\right) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

- Notice that: $H_* \equiv H(\Delta N_*)$ and $\epsilon_{i*} \equiv \epsilon_i(\Delta N_*)$ with $k_* \eta(\Delta N_*) = -1$

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The power law parameters

- From the observable point of view, one defines spectral index, running, tensor-to-scalar ratio, ...

$$n_S - 1 \equiv \left. \frac{d \ln \mathcal{P}_\zeta}{d \ln k} \right|_{k_*}, \quad \alpha_S \equiv \left. \frac{d^2 \ln \mathcal{P}_\zeta}{d(\ln k)^2} \right|_{k_*}, \quad r \equiv \left. \frac{\mathcal{P}_h}{\mathcal{P}_\zeta} \right|_{k_*}$$

- They are read-off from the previous slow-roll expression

$$n_S = 1 - 2\epsilon_{1*} - \epsilon_{2*} - (3 + 2C)\epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} - 2\epsilon_{1*}^2 - C\epsilon_{2*}\epsilon_{3*} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3)$$

$$\alpha_S = -2\epsilon_{1*}\epsilon_{2*} - \epsilon_{2*}\epsilon_{3*} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3)$$

$$r = 16\epsilon_{1*}(1 + C\epsilon_{2*}) + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^3)$$

- One has to know the functions $\epsilon_i(\Delta N_*)$ and the value of ΔN_* to make predictions

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Hubble-flow functions from the potential

- One would prefer a “slow-roll” hierarchy based on $V(\phi)$ only

$$\epsilon_{v_0}(\phi) \equiv \sqrt{\frac{3}{V(\phi)}}, \quad \epsilon_{v_{i+1}}(\phi) \equiv \frac{d \ln \epsilon_{v_i}(\phi)}{d\tilde{N}} \quad \text{with} \quad \frac{d}{d\tilde{N}} \equiv -\frac{d \ln V}{d\phi} \frac{d}{d\phi}$$

- Can be mapped with the Hubble flow hierarchy

$$\epsilon_{v_0} = \frac{\epsilon_0}{\sqrt{1 - \epsilon_1/3}}, \quad \epsilon_{v_1} = \epsilon_1 \left(1 + \frac{\epsilon_2/6}{1 - \epsilon_1/3} \right)^2$$
$$\epsilon_{v_2} = \epsilon_2 \left[1 + \frac{\epsilon_2/6 + \epsilon_3/3}{1 - \epsilon_1/3} + \frac{\epsilon_1 \epsilon_2^2}{(3 - \epsilon_1)^2} \right], \quad \epsilon_{v_3} = \dots$$

- Inversion can only be made perturbatively

$$\epsilon_1 = \epsilon_{v_1} - \frac{1}{3}\epsilon_{v_1}\epsilon_{v_2} - \frac{1}{9}\epsilon_{v_1}^2\epsilon_{v_2} + \frac{5}{36}\epsilon_{v_1}\epsilon_{v_2}^2 + \frac{1}{9}\epsilon_{v_1}\epsilon_{v_2}\epsilon_{v_3} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^4)$$
$$\epsilon_2 = \epsilon_{v_2} - \frac{1}{6}\epsilon_{v_2}^2 - \frac{1}{3}\epsilon_{v_2}\epsilon_{v_3} - \frac{1}{6}\epsilon_{v_1}\epsilon_{v_2}^2 + \frac{1}{18}\epsilon_{v_2}^3 - \frac{1}{9}\epsilon_{v_1}\epsilon_{v_2}\epsilon_{v_3} + \frac{5}{18}\epsilon_{v_2}^2\epsilon_{v_3}$$
$$+ \frac{1}{9}\epsilon_{v_2}\epsilon_{v_3}^2 + \frac{1}{9}\epsilon_{v_2}\epsilon_{v_3}\epsilon_{v_4} + \mathcal{O}(\epsilon^4)$$

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Solving for the time of pivot crossing

- To make inflationary predictions, one has to solve $k_* \eta_* = -1$

$$\frac{k_*}{a_0} = \frac{a(N_*)}{a_0} H_* = e^{N_* - N_{\text{end}}} \frac{a_{\text{end}}}{a_0} H_* = \frac{e^{\Delta N_*} H_*}{1 + z_{\text{end}}} = e^{\Delta N_*} R_{\text{rad}} \left(\frac{\rho_{\text{end}}}{\tilde{\rho}_\gamma} \right)^{-\frac{1}{4}} H_*$$

- Defining $N_0 \equiv \ln \left(\frac{k_*}{a_0} \frac{1}{\tilde{\rho}_\gamma^{1/4}} \right)$ (number of e-folds of deceleration)

- ◆ This is a non-trivial integral equation that depends on: **model** + **how inflation ends** + **reheating** + data

$$- \left[\int_{\phi_{\text{end}}}^{\phi_*} \frac{V(\psi)}{V'(\psi)} d\psi \right] = \ln R_{\text{rad}} - N_0 + \frac{1}{4} \ln(8\pi^2 P_*) - \frac{1}{4} \ln \left\{ \frac{9}{\epsilon_1(\phi_*) [3 - \epsilon_1(\phi_{\text{end}})]} \frac{V(\phi_{\text{end}})}{V(\phi_*)} \right\}$$

- ◆ Result: one gets ϕ_* , or equivalently ΔN_* , as a function of **inflationary model parameters** and R_{rad}

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Solving exactly for the perturbations

- Inflationary dynamics given by ($\kappa^2 = 1/M_{\text{P}}^2$)

$$S = \int dx^4 \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{1}{2\kappa^2} R + \mathcal{L}(\phi) \right] \quad \text{with} \quad \mathcal{L}(\phi) = -\frac{1}{2} g^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu \phi \partial_\nu \phi - V(\phi)$$

- Knowing $V(\phi) + \text{FLRW}$ gives $\phi(N)$ (background); in turns $\phi(N)$ gives the evolution of $\mu_S(\eta, \mathbf{k}) \equiv a\sqrt{2}\dot{\phi}\zeta(\eta, \mathbf{k})$

$$\dot{\phi} \equiv \frac{d\phi}{dN} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \ddot{\mu}_S + \left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\dot{\phi}^2 \right) \dot{\mu}_S + \frac{1}{H^2} \left[\left(\frac{k}{a} \right)^2 - \frac{(a\dot{\phi})''}{a^3\dot{\phi}} \right] \mu_S = 0$$

◆ ζ is conserved after Hubble exit $\Rightarrow \mathcal{P}_\zeta(k)$

- What is the actual value of k/a to plug into this equation?

$$k/a = (k/a_0)(1 + z_{\text{end}})e^{N_{\text{end}} - N}$$

◆ The input are k/a_0 (in Mpc^{-1}) and R_{rad}

- Exact integration requires R_{rad} (multifields included) [astro-ph/0605367,

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The optimal reheating parameter

- Defining the **rescaled reheating parameter** [astro-ph/0605367]

$$\ln R_{\text{reh}} \equiv \ln R_{\text{rad}} + \frac{1}{4} \ln \rho_{\text{end}}$$

- “Magic” cancellation: R_{reh} absorbs the dependency in P_* (valid out of slow-roll and for multifields)

$$- \left[\int_{\phi_{\text{end}}}^{\phi_*} \frac{V(\psi)}{V'(\psi)} d\psi \right] = \ln R_{\text{reh}} - N_0 - \frac{1}{2} \ln \left[\frac{9}{3 - \epsilon_1(\phi_{\text{end}})} \frac{V(\phi_{\text{end}})}{V(\phi_*)} \right]$$

- What are the possible values of R_{reh} ?
 - ◆ Within a given microphysics model, R_{reh} would be a function of coupling constants and inflationary parameters
 - ◆ Without any information, assuming $-1/3 < \bar{w}_{\text{reh}} < 1$ and $\rho_{\text{nuc}} \equiv (10 \text{ MeV})^4 < \rho_{\text{reh}} < \rho_{\text{end}}$

$$-46 < \ln R_{\text{reh}} < 15 + \frac{1}{3} \ln \rho_{\text{end}}$$

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- Same potential: $V(\phi) \propto \left(1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3} \phi/M_{\text{P}}}\right)^2$
 - ◆ Starobinski Inflation: $\rho_{\text{reh}}^{1/4} \simeq 10^9 \text{ GeV}$ [Terada et al., arXiv:1411.6746]
 - ◆ Higgs Inflation: $\rho_{\text{reh}}^{1/4} \lesssim 10^{13} \text{ GeV??}$ [Garcia-Bellido et al., arXiv:0812.4624]



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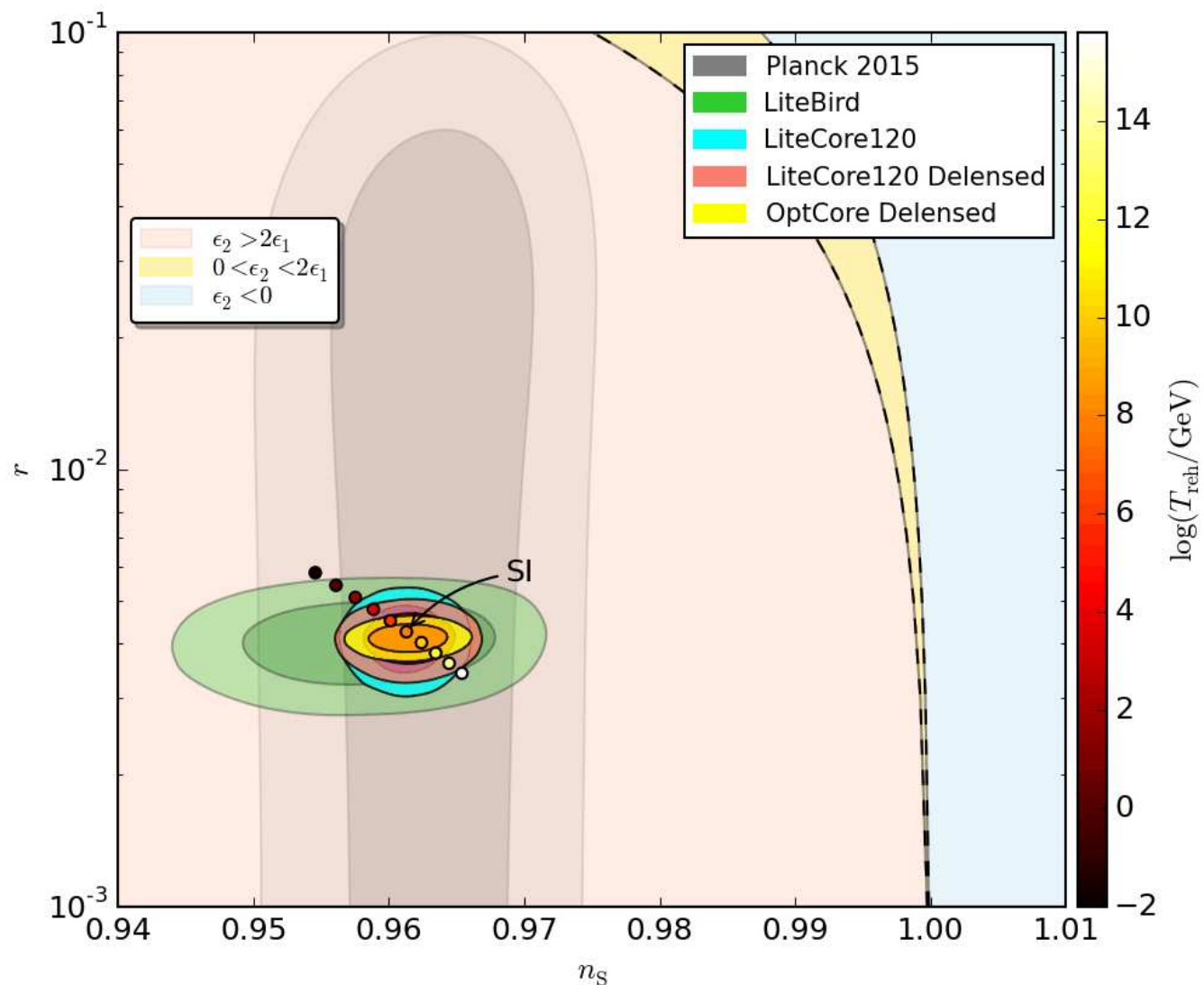
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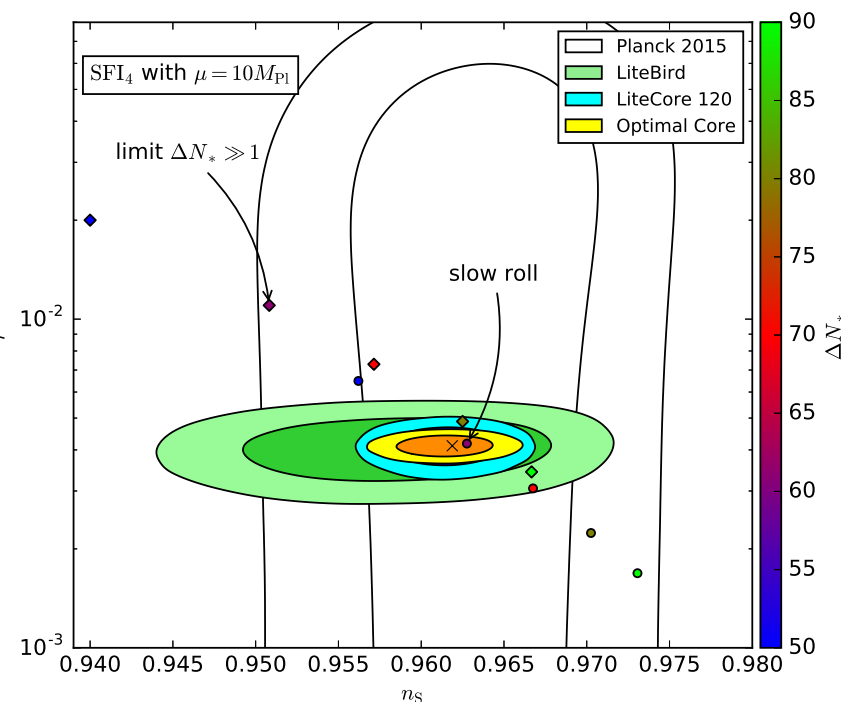
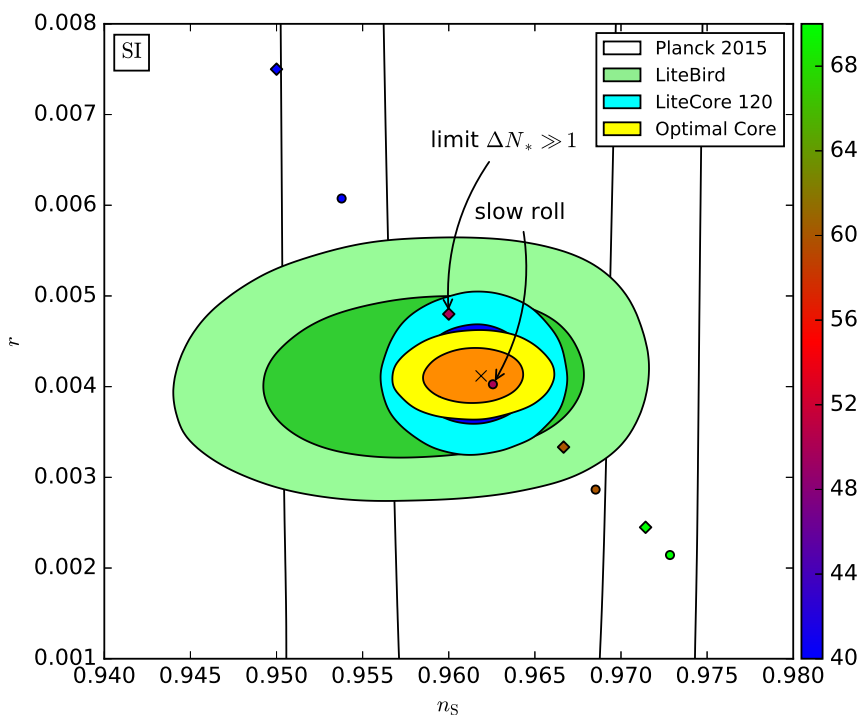
- The large ΔN_* limit (when it exists) leads to inaccurate predictions

Starobinski Inflation

$$V(\phi) \propto \left(1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^2$$

Quartic Small Field Inflation

$$V(\phi) \propto 1 - (\phi/\mu)^4$$



- ΔN_* without a potential is unpredictable...

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Data analysis in model space

- Data should be analyzed within the parameter space of each model, including the reheating parameter: $(\theta_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}})$
- Using the public code **ASPIC** of Encyclopaedia Inflationaris [arxiv:1303.3787]

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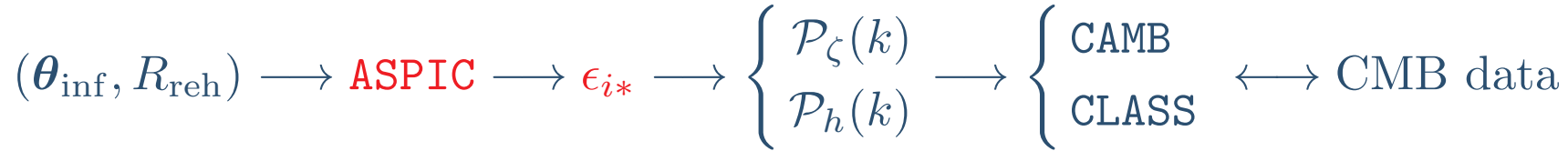
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HI	0	1	$M^4 (1 - e^{-\sqrt{2/3}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}})$
RCHI	1	1	$M^4 (1 - 2e^{-\sqrt{2/3}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}} + \frac{A_1}{16\pi^2} \frac{\phi}{\sqrt{6}M_{\text{Pl}}})$
LFI	1	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^p$
MLFI	1	1	$M^4 \frac{\phi^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \left[1 + \alpha \frac{\phi^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}\right]$
RCMI	1	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^2 \left[1 - 2\alpha \frac{\phi^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]$
RCQI	1	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^4 \left[1 - \alpha \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]$
NI	1	1	$M^4 \left[1 + \cos\left(\frac{\phi}{f}\right)\right]$
ESI	1	1	$M^4 (1 - e^{-q\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}})$
PLI	1	1	$M^4 e^{-\alpha\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}}$
KMII	1	2	$M^4 (1 - \alpha \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}} e^{-\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}})$
HFII	1	1	$M^4 \left(1 + A_1 \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^2 \left[1 - \frac{A_1}{1+A_1\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}}\right]^2$
CWI	1	1	$M^4 \left[1 + \alpha \left(\frac{\phi}{Q}\right)^4 \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{Q}\right)\right]$
LI	1	2	$M^4 \left[1 + \alpha \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]$
RpI	1	3	$M^4 e^{-2\sqrt{2/3}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}} \left[e^{\sqrt{2/3}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}} - 1\right]^{2p/(2p-1)}$
DWI	1	1	$M^4 \left[\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 - 1\right]^2$
MHI	1	1	$M^4 \left[1 - \text{sech}\left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)\right]$
RGI	1	1	$M^4 \frac{(\phi/M_{\text{Pl}})^4}{\alpha + (\phi/M_{\text{Pl}})^2}$
MSSMI	1	1	$M^4 \left[\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 - \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^6 + \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^{10}\right]$
RIPi	1	1	$M^4 \left[\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 - \frac{4}{3} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^3 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^4\right]$
AI	1	1	$M^4 \left[1 - \frac{2}{\pi} \arctan\left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)\right]$
CNAI	1	1	$M^4 \left[3 - (3 + \alpha^2) \tanh^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]$
CNBI	1	1	$M^4 \left[(3 - \alpha^2) \tan^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right) - 3\right]$
OSTI	1	1	$-M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2$
WRI	1	1	$M^4 \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2$
SFI	2	1	$M^4 \left[1 - \left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)^p\right]$

II	2	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi - \phi_0}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^{-\beta} - M^4 \frac{\beta^2}{6} \left(\frac{\phi - \phi_0}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^{-\beta-2}$
KMIII	2	1	$M^4 \left[1 - \alpha \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}} \exp\left(-\beta \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]$
LMI	2	2	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^{\alpha} \exp[-\beta(\phi/M_{\text{Pl}})^{\gamma}]$
TWI	2	1	$M^4 \left[1 - A \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 e^{-\phi/\phi_0}\right]$
GMSSMI	2	2	$M^4 \left[\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 - \frac{2}{3} \alpha \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^6 + \frac{\alpha}{5} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^{10}\right]$
GRIPi	2	2	$M^4 \left[\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^2 - \frac{4}{3} \alpha \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^3 + \frac{\alpha}{2} \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^4\right]$
BSUSYBI	2	1	$M^4 \left(e^{\sqrt{6}\phi/M_{\text{Pl}}} + e^{\sqrt{6}\phi_0/M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)$
TI	2	3	$M^4 \left[1 + \cos\frac{\phi}{\mu} + \alpha \sin^2\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right]$
BEI	2	1	$M^4 \exp_{1-\beta}\left(-\lambda \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)$
PSNI	2	1	$M^4 \left[1 + \alpha \ln\left(\cos\frac{\phi}{2}\right)\right]$
NCKI	2	2	$M^4 \left[1 + \alpha \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right) + \beta \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^2\right]$
CSI	2	1	$\frac{M^4}{(1 - \alpha \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}})^2}$
OI	2	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^4 \left[\ln\left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right) - \alpha\right]$
CNCI	2	1	$M^4 \left[(3 + \alpha^2) \coth^2\left(\frac{\alpha}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right) - 3\right]$
SBI	2	2	$M^4 \left\{1 + \left[-\alpha + \beta \ln\left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right] \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^4\right\}$
SSBI	2	6	$M^4 \left[1 + \alpha \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^2 + \beta \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^4\right]$
IMI	2	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^{-p}$
BI	2	2	$M^4 \left[1 - \left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)^{-p}\right]$
RMI	3	4	$M^4 \left[1 - \frac{\phi}{2} \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \ln\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right) \frac{\phi^2}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}\right]$
VHI	3	1	$M^4 \left[1 + \left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)^p\right]$
DSI	3	1	$M^4 \left[1 + \left(\frac{\phi}{\mu}\right)^p\right]$
GMLFI	3	1	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^p \left[1 + \alpha \left(\frac{\phi}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)^q\right]$
LPI	3	3	$M^4 \left(\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^p \left(\ln\frac{\phi}{\phi_0}\right)^q$
CNDI	3	3	$\frac{M^4}{\left\{1 + \beta \cos\left[\alpha \left(\frac{\phi - \phi_0}{M_{\text{Pl}}}\right)\right]\right\}^2}$



Speeding up posterior and evidence calculations

- Effective likelihood for slow-roll inflation

- ◆ Requires only one complete data analysis (COSMOMC) to get

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}(D|P_*, \epsilon_{i*}) = \int p(D|\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{cosmo}}, P_*, \epsilon_{i*})\pi(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{cosmo}})d\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{cosmo}}$$

- ◆ Use machine-learning algorithm to fit its multidimensional shape
- ◆ For each model \mathcal{M} and their parameters $\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}}$

$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}}|D, \mathcal{M}) = \frac{\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}[D|P_*(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}}), \epsilon_{i*}(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}})]\pi(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}}|\mathcal{M})}{p(D|\mathcal{M})}$$

- All posteriors on $(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}})$ can be obtained from \mathcal{L}_{eff}
- Marginalizing \mathcal{L}_{eff} over $(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}, R_{\text{reh}})$ gives the Bayesian evidence
- In practice
 - ◆ BAYASPIC \equiv ASPIC + MULTINEST + \mathcal{L}_{eff} [arXiv:1312.2347]
 - ◆ 1 cpu-hour per model \mathcal{M}

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- Marginalizing over instrumental, astro and cosmo parameters
 - ◆ With polarization TT and $TE + B = 32$ dimensions

$$\theta_{\text{cosmo}} = \{ \Omega_b h^2, \Omega_{\text{dm}} h^2, 100\theta_{\text{MC}}, \tau, y_{\text{cal}}, A_{B,\text{dust}}, \beta_{B,\text{dust}}, A_{217}^{\text{CIB}}, \xi^{\text{tSZ,CIB}}, A_{143}^{\text{tSZ}}, A_{100}^{\text{PS}}, A_{143}^{\text{PS}}, A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{PS}}, A_{217}^{\text{PS}}, A^{\text{kSZ}}, A_{100}^{\text{dustTT}}, A_{143}^{\text{dustTT}}, A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustTT}}, A_{217}^{\text{dustTT}}, A_{100}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{100 \times 143}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{100 \times 217}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{143}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{217}^{\text{dustEE}}, A_{100}^{\text{dustTE}}, A_{100 \times 143}^{\text{dustTE}}, A_{100 \times 217}^{\text{dustTE}}, A_{143}^{\text{dustTE}}, A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustTE}}, A_{217}^{\text{dustTE}}, c_{100}, c_{217} \}.$$

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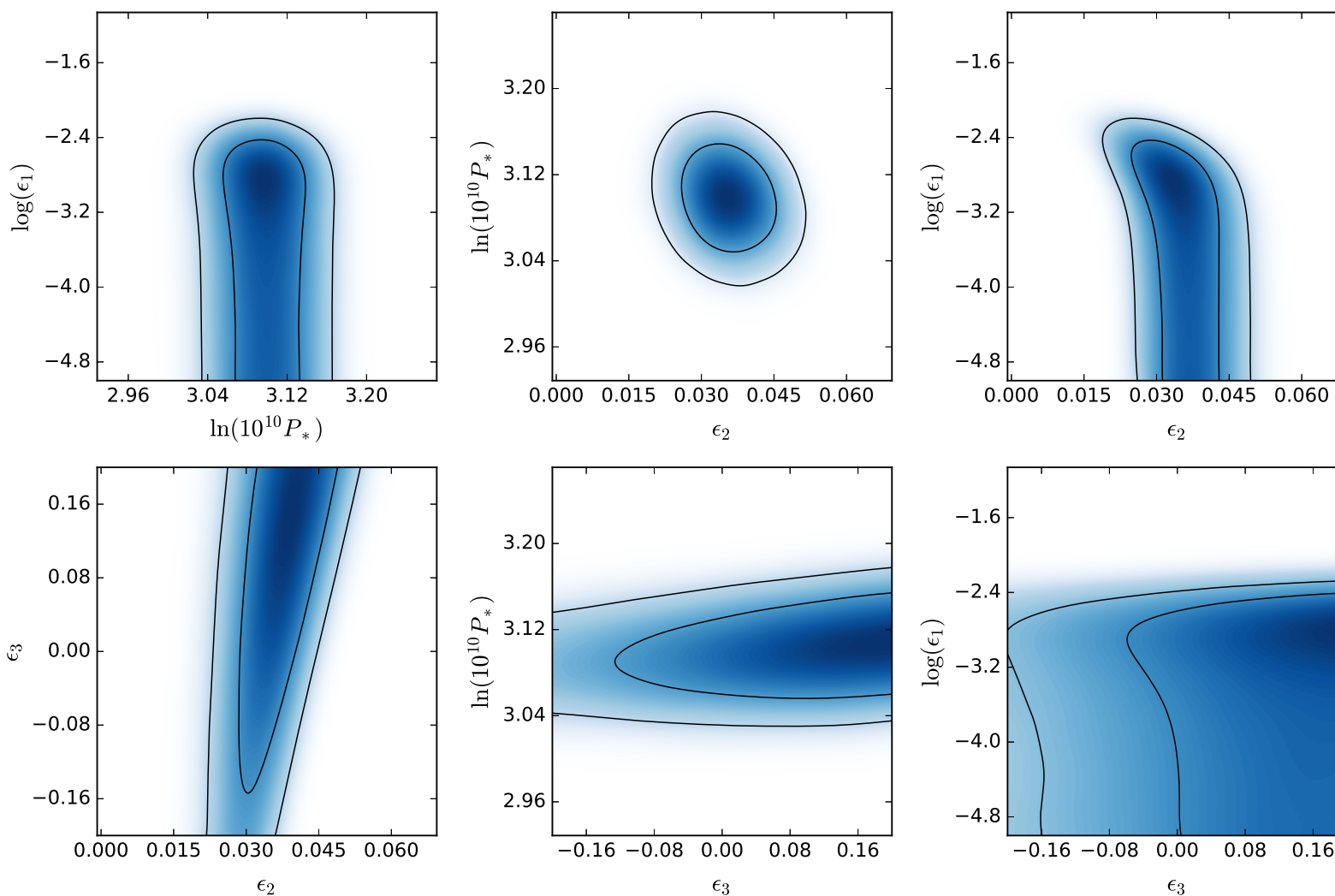
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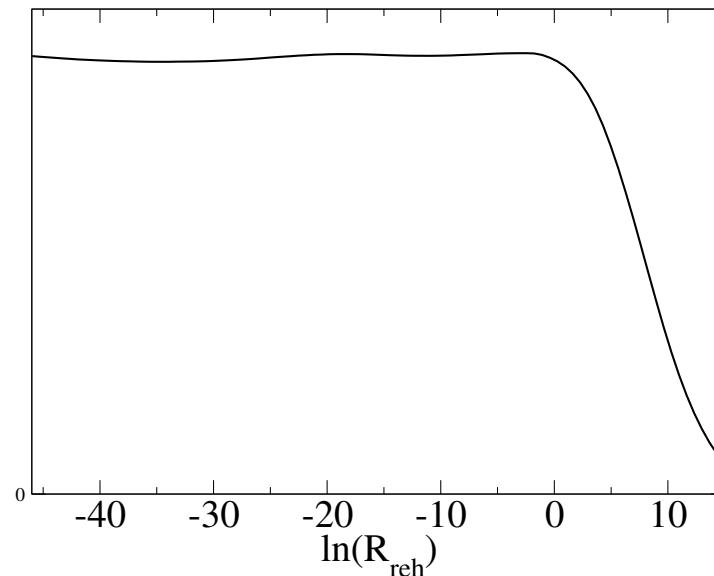
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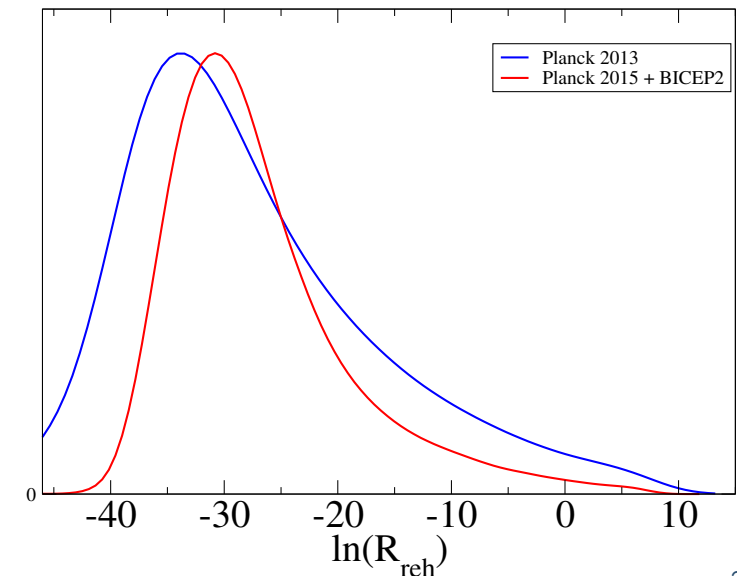
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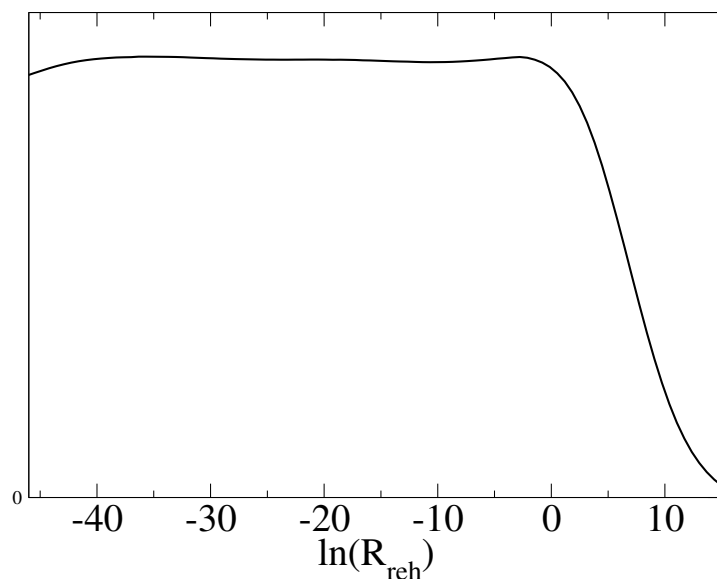
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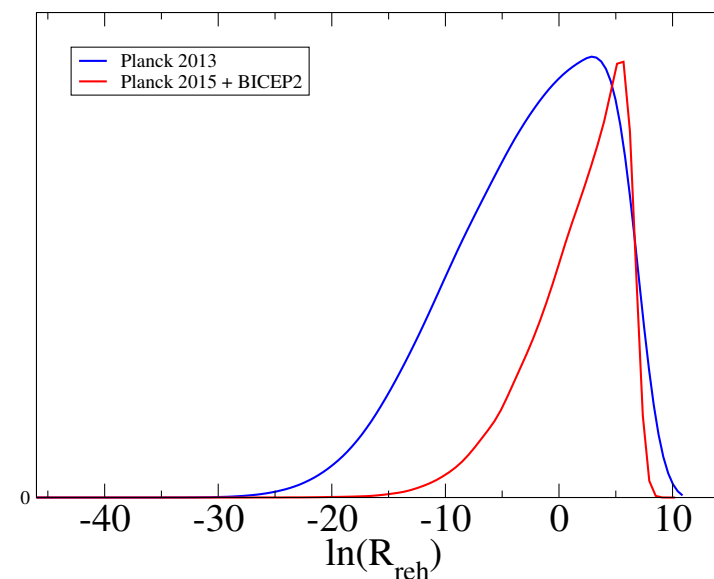
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Kullback-Leibler divergence

- Measure of information gain for the reheating parameter

$$D_{\text{KL}} = \int P(\ln R_{\text{reh}}|D) \ln \left[\frac{P(\ln R_{\text{reh}}|D)}{\pi(\ln R_{\text{reh}})} \right] d \ln R_{\text{reh}}$$

- Compute D_{KL} for about 200 models of inflation \mathcal{M}_i ?

- ◆ But some models provide a very poor fit to the data
- ◆ Can be quantified by the Bayesian Evidence

$$p(\mathcal{M}_i|D) = \pi(\mathcal{M}_i) \int \mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} \pi(\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}}) \pi(\ln R_{\text{reh}}) d\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\text{inf}} d \ln R_{\text{reh}}$$

- ◆ We use Bayes Factors (relative scale of Evidences) with non-committal priors

$$\mathcal{B}_i \equiv \frac{p(\mathcal{M}_i|D)}{\sup_j [p(\mathcal{M}_j|D)]} = \frac{p(D|\mathcal{M}_i)}{\sup_j [p(D|\mathcal{M}_j)]}$$



Information gain from current CMB data

- Evidence weighted $\langle D_{\text{KL}} \rangle \equiv \sum_i P(\mathcal{M}_i | D) D_{\text{KL}}(\mathcal{M}_i) \simeq 0.82$

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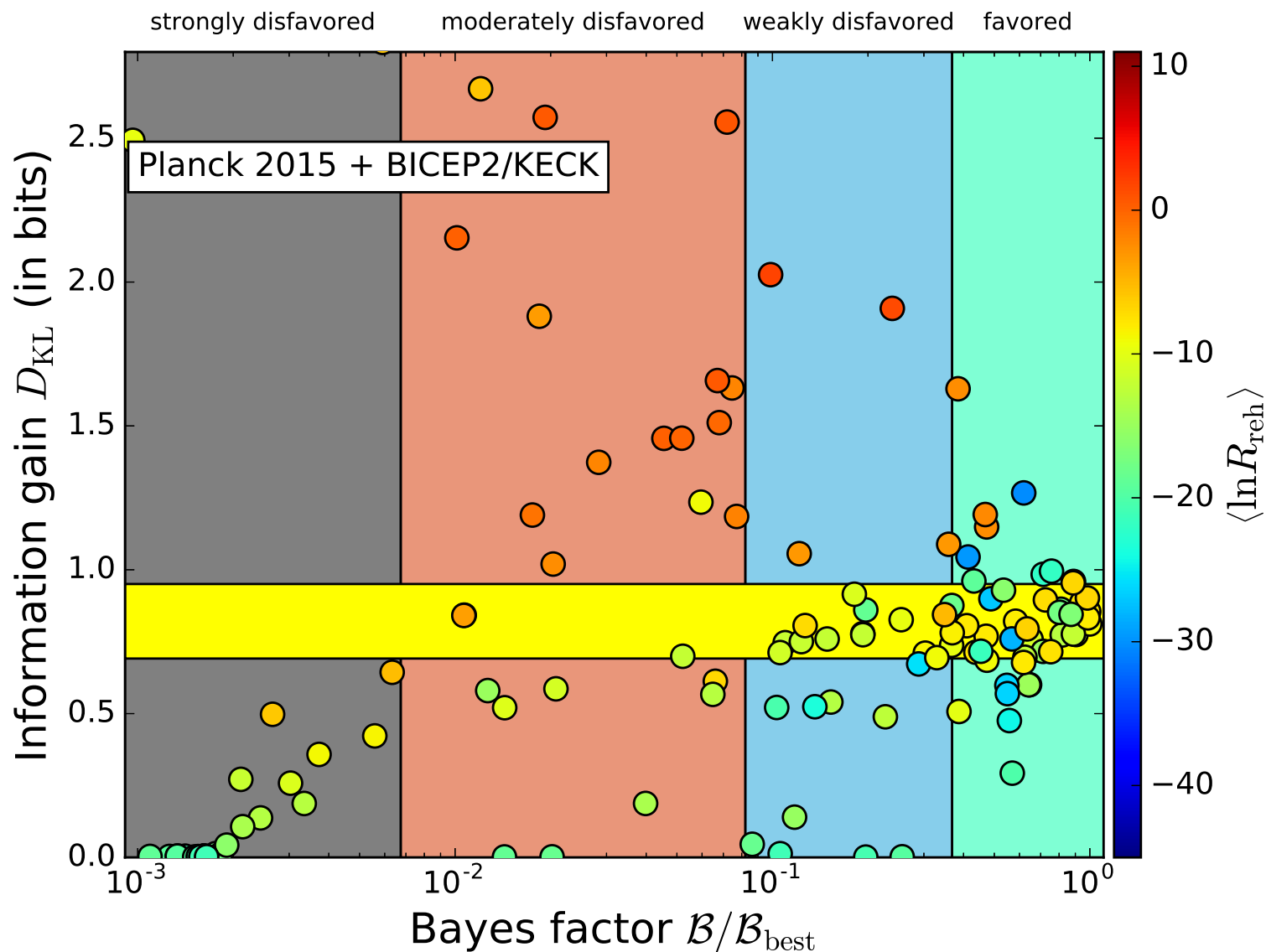
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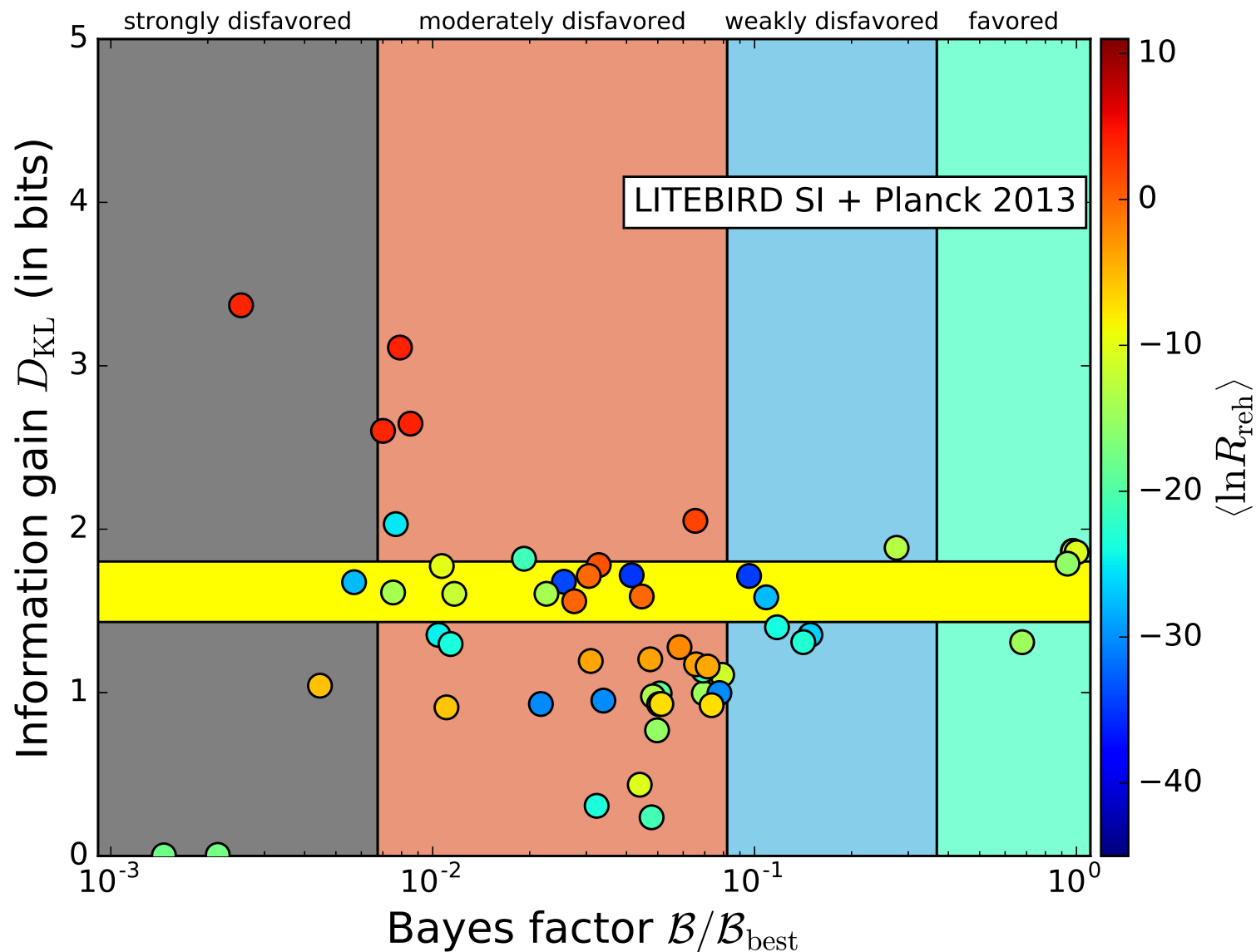
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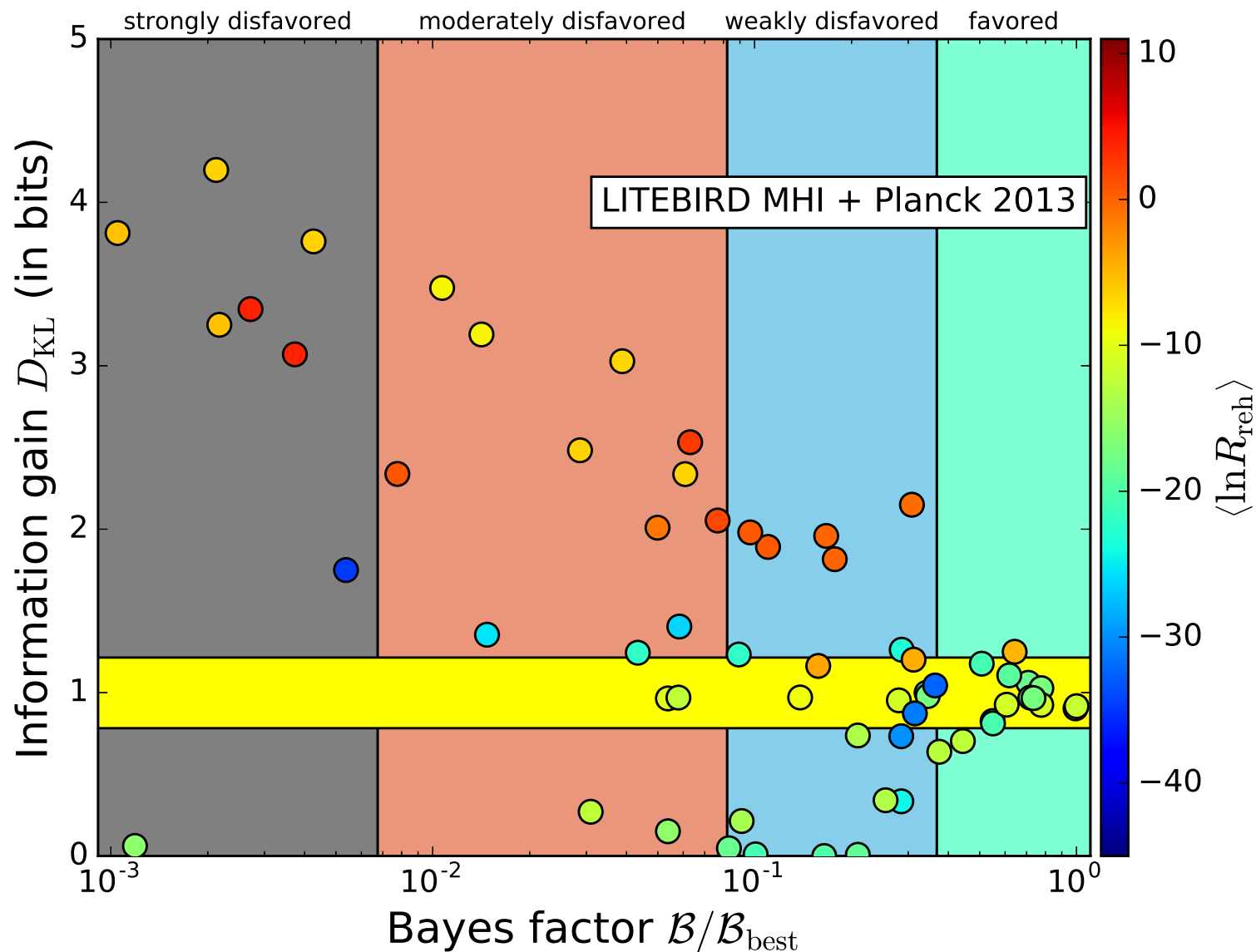
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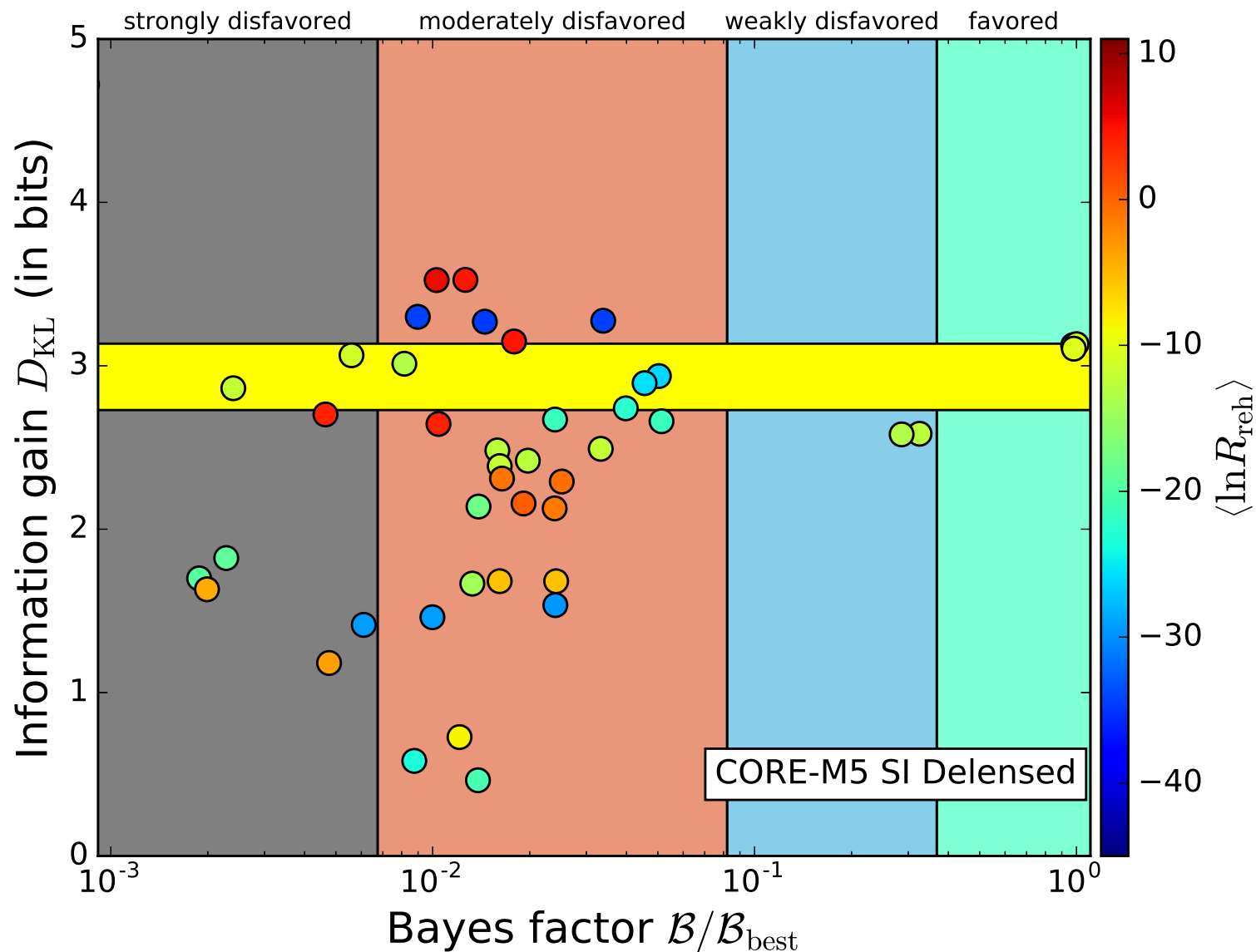
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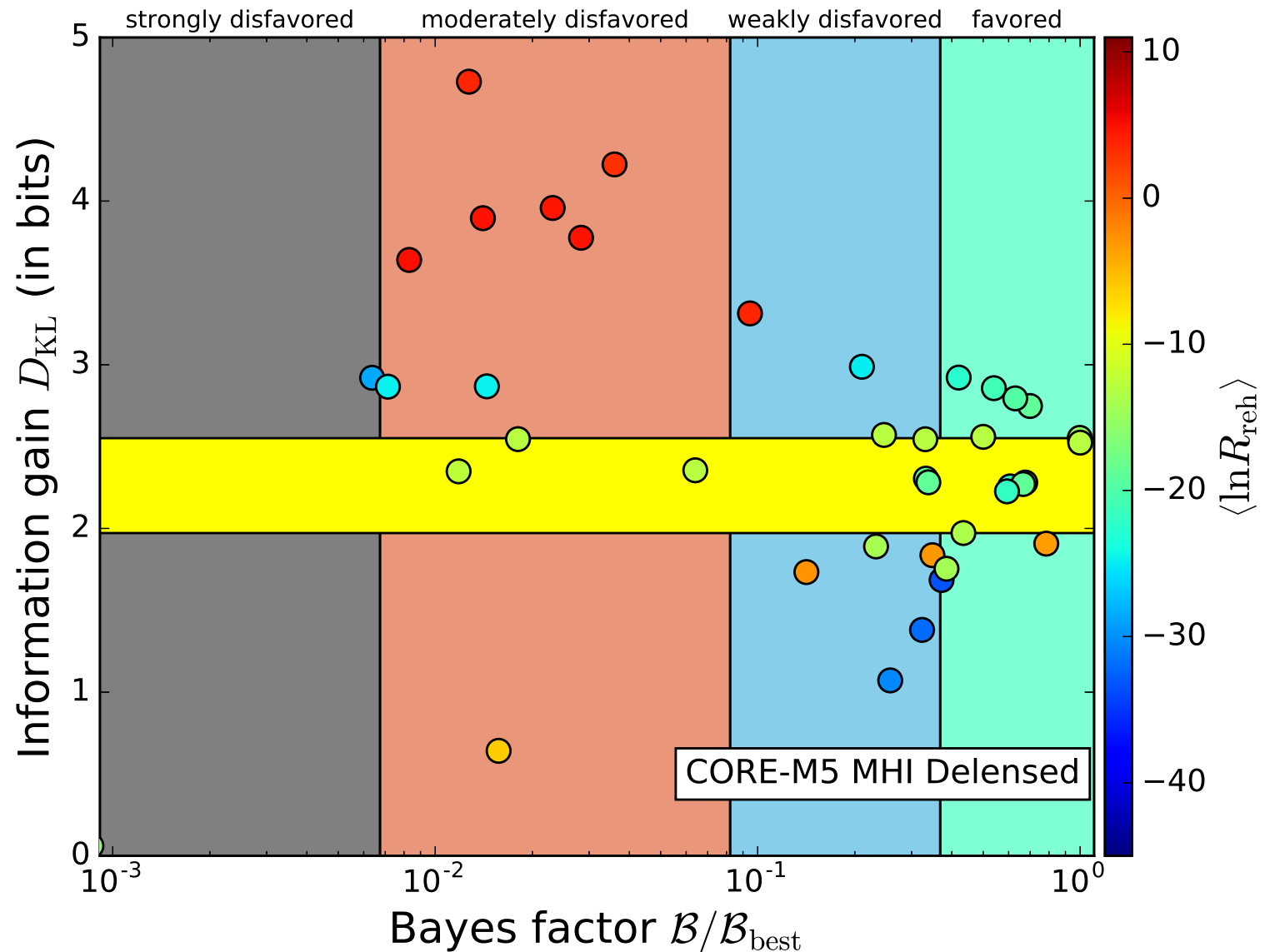
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- Current CMB data constrain reheating by 1 bit
 - ◆ 1 bit = answers if R_{reh} is small or large
 - ◆ 1 bit = amount of information contained in one letter [Shannon:1951]
- Many models would be more severely constrained (or ruled-out) if reheating predictions could be (or would have been) done

$$\ln R_{\text{rad}} = \frac{\Delta N_{\text{reh}}}{4} (3\bar{w}_{\text{reh}} - 1)$$

- Additional X-era, late-time entropy production, ... are undistinguishable from the CMB and structure formation point of view
 - ◆ Effective parameter: $R_{\text{reh}} \longrightarrow R_{\text{reh}} R_X R_Y$
 - ◆ But can be disambiguated with GW direct detection: arXiv:1301.1778
- Euclid and large scale galaxy surveys will provide even more information on the reheating (work in progress...)