

Cross Calibration using HIFLUGCS Galaxy Clusters









- Cluster selection: HIFLUGCS sample
 - Complete
 - Many objects (64)
 - X-ray brightest clusters



- Long exposure time available for XMM and Chandra
- Wider range of temperatures

• Region selection:

- Center: X-ray peak
- Outer border: 3.5 arcmin (Chandra ACIS-S, Background)
- NCC: Circle with radius 3.5 arcmin
- CC: Annulus up to 3.5 arcmin excluding the cool core → see Hudson et al. (2010)
- Excluded objects:
 - A2244 not observed with XMM-Newton
 - Cool core radius larger than 3.5 arcmin for 7 clusters
 - 56 Objects



- Chip gaps and bad columns in XMM observations (MOS1/2 and PN) marked by hand and excluded from all instruments
- Chandra wobble avoids real chip gaps in ACIS-I observations



- Point sources:
 - Detected in Chandra data using wavedetect
 - 15 arcsec added on detected point source radius (PSF)
 - Same point source regions in XMM and Chandra data excluded











• Quantify uncertainties of the effective area calibration as a function of energy

$$R_{ij} = \frac{\text{data}_i}{\text{model}_j \otimes \text{response}_i} \times \frac{\text{model}_j \otimes \text{response}_j}{\text{data}_j}$$

- Reference instrument (EPIC-PN)
- Calculate model prediction of reference instrument
- Divide data by reference model folded with instrumental response
- Normalize by reference instrument residuals









MOS2/PN at high energies different to Read+14



??Possible reasons??

HIFLUGCS

- Extended objects (chip gaps...)?
- Flares?
- Not enough counts a high energies?
- Fit-stack problem?

2XMM

- Pile-up?
- Double PN events?
- Flares?
- Stack-fit problem?



Excluding clusters with negative spectral bins (red)







Only clusters with negative spectral bins (red)







Only clusters with MOS1 temperature > 5keV (red) or 6 kev (blue)





































Results - Significance

Significance of temperature difference of HIFLUGCS clusters







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Significance







Discussion – Multiphase ICM

- Different instruments are sensitive more/less sensitive to the harder part of the spectrum (i.e. hotter component)
- Simulations with two component plasma fitted with one component
- Different temperature differences (ACIS-PN; ACIS-MOS) not recovered with the same plasma composition
- T_cold = 0.5 and EMR = 0.2 unrealistic





Discussion – Multiphase ICM

PSF effects:

• Cold gas from the core scattered into the region by the XMM PSF? \rightarrow Smooth a Chandra events file





Discussion – Multiphase ICM

- Temperature Abundance degeneracy
 - Freeze XMM abundance to the Chandra determined one for the fitting process
 - \rightarrow EPIC-PN temperature increases on average 0.8%
- Two temperature component fits
 - Cold component frozen to 0.5 keV
 - Normalization of cold component 1-5% (20% required)
 - Freezing Normalization to 20% $\rightarrow \chi^2_{red}$ above 4



Discussion





Self-consistent test: Soft vs. hard band of the same instrument











Soft vs Hard







Soft vs Hard











What does this mean for cosmology?

- How do Sigma8, OmegaM change when switching from Chandra to XMM-Newton?
- Tension in the Planck 2013 results:
 - CMB primary anisotropies
 - Sunyaev Zel'dovich cluster counts using XMM-Newton derived scaling relation







- Hydrostatic masses only account for gravity
- Non-gravitational effects
- Other (e.g., Weak Lensing) analyses reveal higher cluster masses
- Often discussed: (1-b)=0.8 means X-ray masses are 20% lower
- Recent results (Israel+14) raise doubts on the existence of a hydrostatic bias







