Observation of the Fermi bright galactic sources at TeV energies with the Tibet Air Shower experiment

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## Introduction

The First *Fermi* Large Area Telescope Catalog of Gamma-ray Pulsars *Abdo, A. A. et al. 2010, ApJS (arXiv: 0910.1608)* 

Search for steady TeV gamma rays around the *Fermi*-LAT pulsars



# Milagro Results (~35TeV)

#### Milagro Observation of TeV Emission from Galactic Sources In the *Fermi* Bright Source List *Abdo, A. A. et al 2009, ApJ, 700, L127*



Fourteen >3σ sources out of 34 Fermi sources 2D map - 5°x5° @ 35TeV

Geminga is extended?

# Tibet Air Shower Array (Tibet-III)



#### **Air Shower Event Reconstruction**



Wide field of view, regardless of day and night & weather. No need to point the telescope at the star.

#### ohter Results of Tibet-III experiment



### **Tibet-III Data**

Period : Nov. 1999 – Dec. 2008 (live time : 1915.5 days) F.O.V. : 0°< Declination < 60° Analysis : Equi-Zenith angle backgrounds optimizing to point-like source

Energy : 3TeV (20°< Dec. <40°), 6TeV(at Dec. = 0°/60°)



## 18 LAT pulsars in Tibet-III F.O.V.

PSR	Period	Age	LAT	Tibet-III	
	(ms)	(kyr)	Discovery	(σ)	
J0030+0451	4.9	7.7x10 <sup>6</sup>		1.6	
J0218+4232	2.3	0.5x10 <sup>6</sup>		-0.2	
J0357+32	444	590	$\checkmark$	-1.2	
J0534+2200	33.1	1		7.1	(Crab)
J0631+1036	288	44		-0.0	
J0633+0632	297	59	<b>√</b>	2.4	
J0633+1746	237	340		2.3	(Geminga)
J0659+1414	385	110		0.7	
J0751+1807	3.5	8.0x10 <sup>6</sup>		1.3	
J1836+5925	173	1800	$\checkmark$	-0.3	
J1907+06	107	19	<b>√</b>	2.6	
J1952+3252	39.5	110		-0.2	
J1958+2846	290	21	$\checkmark$	0.1	
J2021+3651	104	17		2.2	
J2021+4026	265	77	<b>√</b>	2.2	
J2032+4127	143	120	1	2.9	
J2043+2740	96.1	1200		-0.1	
J2238+59	163	26	<ul> <li>Image: A set of the set of the</li></ul>	2.4	

## Tibet-III Results (~3TeV)



#### **Chance probability**

8 pulsars >2 $\sigma$  in 18 LAT pulsars, expected = 0.41 (Poisson)  $\rightarrow$  1.4 x 10<sup>-8</sup> = 5.6 $\sigma$  (1.8 x 10<sup>-7</sup>=5.0 $\sigma$  with Crab excluded) Correlation between LAT pulsars and TeV excesses!

# Significance Map around LAT pulsars

#### Upper: Tibet-III (~3 TeV)



# Averaged Energy Spectrum (Crab excluded)



Energy (TeV)

# P-P Diagram

Colors : LAT pulsars

- Gamma-selected
- Radio-selected
- Milli second Pulsar
- Tibet TeV Excess

High 
$$\dot{E}_{rot}$$
 PWN?

From Abdo, A. A. et al. 2010, ApJS



## **Summary**

See also : M.Amenomori, et al. 2010, ApJ, 709, L6

- We searched for steady TeV gamma rays from *Fermi*-LAT pulsars.
- We found 8 excesses at significance >2σ out of 18 LAT pulsars in the Tibet-III F.O.V. This chance probability is 1.4x10<sup>-8</sup> =5.6σ (1.8x10<sup>-7</sup>=5.0σ with excluded Crab). This clearly shows that the *Fermi*-LAT pulsars have correlations with TeV excesses.
- Seven of the 8 Tibet-III 2σ sources are associated with Milagro 3σ sources at 35 TeV.
- We are planning to add a 10,000m<sup>2</sup> water Cherenkov muon detector (Tibet MD). The Tibet MD will improve gamma-ray sensitivity by 1~2 orders of magnitude above 10 TeV.