X-ray properties of the Fermi/LAT pulsars

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Marelli, M. Et al. 2011, ApJ, 733, 82 Marelli M., 2012, arXiv 1205 1748 2nd Fermi pulsar catalog, in preparation

The aim of this work

 y-ray sources have big error boxes (arcmins) : arcsec position facilitate discovery of gamma pulsations or improve gamma timing solutions

- Is there any correlation between the X-ray and gamma-ray spectra of NSs?

- Is there any difference in the spectra of the three families of pulsars detected by Fermi? If yes, what does it means?

y-rays: 117 pulsars fitted by (cutoff) powerlaws; search for nebular emission possible only for brightest ones X-rays: data from Swift, Chandra, XMM-Newton, Suzaku reanalyzed by using the same tools, models and PWN treatment

The dataset

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43 young Radio-Loud 34 young Radio-Quiet 40 Milliseconds



28 radio-loud(65%)

21 radio-quiet(60%)

17 millisecond(40%)

Only fully characterized pulsars have been used
For pulsars with distance known, we plotted X-ray and γ-ray luminosities vs E_{rot} (see e.g. Possenti et al. 2002, Kargaltsev&Pavlov 2008)
We also fitted γ-to-X-ray flux ratio vs E_{rot}, B and age : such value is distance-indipendent!!
In preparation : analyses on thermal and nebular fluxes

J1028-5819 (RL) - Suzaku

J1813-1246 (RQ) - Suzaku

Type 1

J1413-6205 (RQ) - Chandra

J2017+0603 (MS) - Chandra

J0007+7303 (RQ) - XMM

J0357+3205 (RQ) - XMM

Type 2

J2229+6114 (RL) - Chandra

J1231+1411 (MS) - XMM

The γ-ray luminosity



The X-ray luminosity



y-to-X



y-to-X









Conclusions:

We made a catalog of the newly discovered X-ray pulsars (Becker et al. 2009)
L_x ~ E_{rot} BUT high scatter (distance or geometry?)
L_y ~ E_{rot} with a lower scatter (distance or geometry?)
RQ pulsars are underluminous in the X band: a geometry different than RL ones could explain such behaviour
MS pulsars have a more uniform behaviour (geometry?) than RL ones
the correlation between X and y-ray emission is loose, if any

(Our work is just a starting point)