

Application of tools from Information theory (AIC, BIC, DIC, WAIC) and Bayesian Statistics **Dr. Shantanu Desai**, Dept. of PHY *KID: 20200219*

Working on applying tools from Information theory (AIC, BIC, DIC, WAIC) and Bayesian Statistics to problems in model selection for a variety of problems in astrophysics and cosmology. Some datasets to which I have applied these techniques include residual event rate data from direct dark matter experiments, expansion detection date measurements using cosmic chronometers, residual torque date from Eot-Wash experiment in University of Washington etc.

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Figure 8: Residual Torque Variation

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