

Asteroids and Satellites splinter

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Objectives

- Observational data – review status of observations on sources listed below
- To compare the observations with available models
- To assess the status of currently available models on the sources listed below
- To review the assumptions going into the models
- To review planned / required observations
 - Prior to Herschel (ground-based, Blast, Spitzer, Astro-F)
 - Herschel in-operation

Sources

Asteroids

Sources listed as “main / other” are so-called based on the fidelity of the currently existing thermo-physical models. All the asteroid sources listed below are of great potential utility for SPIRE, PACS & HIFI (Ceres is likely to be the primary asteroid flux calibrator for HIFI).

- Main
 - Ceres
 - Pallas
 - Vesta
 - Hygiea
- Others
 - Juno
 - Cybele
 - Herculina
 - Other others.....

Satellites

- Gallilean satellites – These will be useful for all three Herschel instruments, particularly Callisto & Ganymede
- Titan – Useful for HIFI

TNOs

- Pluto / Charon system– This may be a useful potential calibration source for SPIRE & PACS if observations can tie it to the primary calibrators
- Others?

Splinter 2: Asteroids & satellites – revised program

09.00 – 09.15	Introduction - P. Hargrave
09.15 – 09.55	Spitzer and asteroids as calibrators – B. Bhattacharya
09.55 – 10.35	Establishment of asteroidal calibrators for FIR & Sub-mm observations – T. Ootsubo
10.35 – 10.50	Coffee
10.50 – 11.30	Satellites as calibrators and models – R. Moreno
11.30 – 12.10	The asteroid preparatory program for Herschel, Astro-F & ALMA
12.10 – 13.00	General discussion
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch