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# hproj Documentation

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HealPixProjection is a project to allow easy and efficient projection of healpix maps onto planar grids. It can be used as a standalone program `hproj.cutsky()`

```
$ cutsky 0.0 0.0 --mapfilenames HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.00_full.fits
```

or as a python function

```
from hproj import cutsky
result = cutsky([0.0, 0.0], maps={'HFI 857':
                                {'filename': 'HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.00_full.fits'}
                                } )
```



# CHAPTER 1

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## Features

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- Galactic and equatorial system supported
- All projection system from *wcs*
- Project several healpix maps at once, efficiently !
- Output in *fits*, *png* or *votable*
- Perform *n-dim projections* !

See *Basic Usage* for more information on how to use `cutsky`



## CHAPTER 2

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### Installation

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Install `hproj` using `pip` :

```
$ pip install hproj
```

or by running `setuptools` on [source](#). For more information see the installation page.



## CHAPTER 3

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### Contribute

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- [Issues Tracker](#)
- [Source Code](#)



## CHAPTER 4

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### Support

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If you are having issues, please let us know.



## CHAPTER 5

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### License

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## 6.1 Installation

hproj is tested against python 2.7 and 3.5 and can be installed using *pip* or from *source*

### 6.1.1 pip

```
$ pip install hproj
```

This will install the latest release of hproj

### 6.1.2 source

```
$ git clone https://git.ias.u-psud.fr/abeelen/hproj.git
$ cd hproj
$ python setup.py install
```

This will install the master tree of hproj. It is probably wiser to checkout a specific version before installation

```
$ git clone https://git.ias.u-psud.fr/abeelen/hproj.git
$ cd hproj
$ git checkout 0.4
$ python setup.py install
```

### 6.1.3 Dependencies

hproj require the following librairies

- numpy>=1.13

- matplotlib>=2.0
- astropy>=2.0
- healpy>=1.9
- photutils>=0.4

The specific versioning are those you are being used in the test suit. Both *pip* and *source* install should install those library if they are missing.

## 6.2 Basic Usage

**Caution:** All the healpix maps *must* have a proper header defining their :

- frame using the COORDSYS keyword,
- order using the ORDERING keyword.

However you can correct header in the construction of the list of maps

```
maps = [ ( 'data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits', {'legend': 'HFI 100',
↳ 'COORDSYS': 'C'})]
```

There is two main way to use *hproproj*, the first way is to use the standalone program on the command line, this will efficiently produce cuts for similar maps, or use it programmatically from within a python script or program which will offer an additional speed-up on high memory system.

### 6.2.1 From the command line - *cutsky*

The command line program is called *cutsky* and takes 3 arguments at minimum, the longitude and latitude of the desired projection (by default in galactic coordinate, but see below) and a list of healpix map to cut from :

```
$ cutsky 0.0 0.0 --mapfilenames data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits data/HFI_
↳ SkyMap_857_2048_R2.00_full.fits
```

by default this will produce two png files centered on galactic longitude and latitude (0,0). Fits images of central photometries can be obtain using the *--fits* or *--phot* options. Help on *cutsky* can be obtain by

```
$ cutsky -h

usage: cutsky [-h] [--npix NPIX | --radius RADIUS] [--pixsize PIXSIZE]
             [--coordframe {galactic, fk5}]
             [--ctype {AZP, SZP, TAN, STG, SIN, ARC, ZPN, ZEA, AIR, CYP, CEA, CAR, MER, COP, COE,
↳ COD, COO, SFL, PAR, MOL, AIT, BON, PCO, TSC, CSC, QSC, HPX, XPH}]
             [--mapfilenames MAPFILENAMES [MAPFILENAMES ...]] [--fits]
             [--png] [--votable] [--outdir OUTDIR] [-v | -q] [--conf CONF]
             lon lat
```

Reproject the spherical sky onto a plane.

positional arguments:

```
lon           longitude of the projection [deg]
lat           latitude of the projection [deg]
```

```

optional arguments:
  -h, --help                show this help message and exit
  --npix NPIX               number of pixels (default 256)
  --radius RADIUS           radius of the requested region [deg]
  --pixsize PIXSIZE        pixel size [arcmin] (default 1)
  --coordframe {galactic,fk5}
                           coordinate frame of the lon. and lat. of the
                           projection and the projected map (default: galactic)
  --ctype {AZP,SZP,TAN,STG,SIN,ARC,ZPN,ZEA,AIR,CYP,CEA,CAR,MER,COP,COE,COD,COO,SFL,
↪PAR,MOL,AIT,BON,PCO,TSC,CSC,QSC,HPX,XPH}
                           any projection code supported by wcslib (default:TAN)

input maps:
  one of the two options must be present
  --mapfilenames MAPFILENAMES [MAPFILENAMES ...]
                           absolute path to the healpix maps
  --conf CONF              absolute path to a config file

output:
  --fits                   output fits file
  --png                    output png file (Default: True if nothing else)
  --votable                output votable file
  --outdir OUTDIR         output directory (default:..)

general:
  -v, --verbose            verbose mode
  -q, --quiet              quiet mode

```

It takes two float arguments, the latitude and longitude center of the requested projection, either in galactic or equatorial coordinate frame (controlled by the `--coordframe` option) and a list of healpix maps, either on the command line with the `--mapfilenames` argument or describe in a config file (with the `--conf` option). Several other optional arguments can also be set like `--npix` the number of pixels, their size (`--pixsize`) or the projection type `--ctype`.

The cutted maps can be saved as fits (`--fits`) or png (`--png`) and central circular aperture photometry can be performed and saved as a votable (`--votable`). The output products directory can be tune using the `--outdir` option. All theses options can also be provided by the config file.

The config file follows a simple ini syntax with a global section `[cutsky]` to gather all previous options. The rest of the sections is used to describe the healpix maps used by `cutsky`. The section name `[test]` will be used as a legend and index by `cutsky`.

```

[cutsky]
npix = 256
pixsize = 2
coordframe = galactic
png = True

[SMICA]
filename = hproproj/data/CMB_I_SMICA_128_R2.00.fits
doCut = False

[HFI 100]
filename = hproproj/data/HFI_SkyMap_100_128_R2.00_RING.fits

[HFI 857]
filename = hproproj/data/HFI_SkyMap_857_128_R2.00_NESTED.fits
doCut = True

```

```
doContour = True
```

## 6.2.2 As a function call - `cutsky()`

It is also possible to call `cutsky` from a python program or script, as a function. You first need to define a list of maps on which to perform the cuts, as list of tuple with at minimum (`filename.fits`, `{'legend': 'legend'}`) given the full path to the healpix map, and a dictionary with a least the key `legend`

```
from hproproj import cutsky

maps = [('data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits', {'legend': 'HFI 100'}),
        ('data/HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.00_full.fits', {'legend': 'HFI 857', 'doContour': True})]

result = cutsky([0.0, 0.0], maps=maps)
```

The first argument is the latitude and longitude of the requested maps, by default in galactic frame (see the `coordframe` keyword), and the `maps` list define the healpix maps.

This will produce a list of dictionaries containing 4 keys:

- `legend`,
- `fits` an `~astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`,
- `png`, a b61encoded png image of the fits
- `phot`, the corresponding photometry

Additional parameters can be passed to the function :

- `patch=[256, 1]` : the size of the patch in pixel, and the size of the pixels in arcmin
- `ctype='TAN'` : the desired type of projection

## 6.2.3 As an object - `CutSky`

It is however more efficient to use `cutsky` as an object :

```
from hproproj import CutSky

maps = [('data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits', {'legend': 'HFI 100'}),
        ('data/HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.00_full.fits', {'legend': 'HFI 857', 'doContour': True})]

cutsky = CutSky(maps, low_mem=False)

lonlat = [0.0, 0.0]
result = cutsky.cut_fits(lonlat) # Will only produce the 'fits' key
result = cutsky.cut_png(lonlat) # Will only produce the 'png' key (and 'fits' if absent)
cdresult = cutsky.cut_phot(lonlat) # Will only produce the 'phot' key (and fits' if absent)
```

The result product should be similar to the `cutsky()` function. However with the `low_mem` keyword the healpix maps will be read only once in memory, for all `cut_*` calls. Similar to `cutsky()` several keyword parameters can be passed to `CutSky()` :

- `npix=256` : the size of the patch in pixels
- `pixsize=1` : the size of the pixels in arcmin
- `ctype='TAN'` : the desired type of projection

## 6.2.4 As internal calls - `hp_helper`

Alternatively if you simply want to get a projected array, you can use the `hp_project()` function

```
from astropy.io import fits
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord
import healpy as hp
from hproproj import hp_project

hp_data, hp_header = hp.read_map('data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits', h=True)
hp_header = fits.Header(hp_header)

hdu = hp_project(hp_data, hp_header, SkyCoord(0, 0, unit='deg'))
```

Or, if you prefer to get full control, you can also use the internal functions like `build_wcs()` and `hp_to_wcs()`

```
from astropy.io import fits
import healpy as hp
import hproproj as hpp

hp_data, hp_header = hp.read_map('data/HFI_SkyMap_100_2048_R2.00_full.fits', h=True)
hp_header = fits.Header(hp_header)
hp_hdu = fits.ImageHDU(hp_data, hp_header)

w = hpp.build_wcs(0, 0)

proj_map = hpp.hp_to_wcs(hp_data, hp_header, w)
```

Note that both `hp_project` and `hp_to_wcs` accept either an `~astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`, or both `hp_data`, `hp_header`

## 6.3 *n-d* Projections !

`hproproj` allow for *n-d* projections, for  $d=0$  to  $d=3$

**Caution:** `healpy` by default change any healpix map into the RING pixelization scheme without changing its header. Be sure to read the maps with the `nest=None`

### 6.3.1 3-d projections

`hproproj` allow for stacking in the healpix map

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import healpy as hp

from astropy.io import fits
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord
```

```
from astropy.utils.data import download_file
from astropy.wcs import WCS
from astropy.table import Table

from hproproj import hp_stack

irsa_url = 'http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/data/Planck/release_2/all-sky-maps/maps/'
url = irsa_url + 'HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.02_full.fits'

filename = download_file(url, cache=True)

hp_data, hp_header = hp.read_map(filename, h=True, nest=None)
hp_hdu = fits.ImageHDU(hp_data, fits.Header(hp_header))

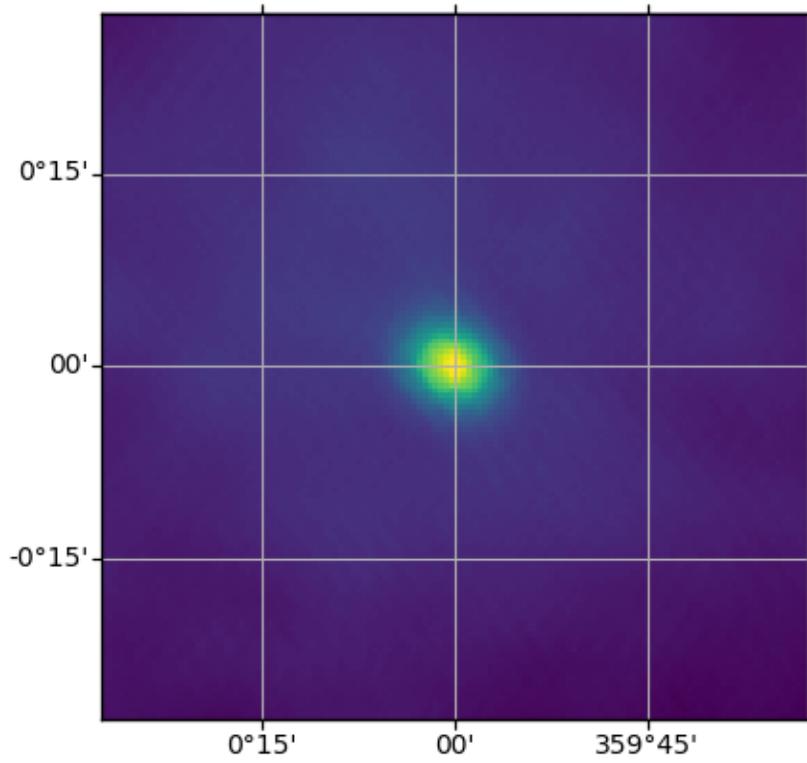
cds_url = 'http://cdsarc.u-strasbg.fr/ftp/cats/J/A+A/594/A26/fits/'
url = cds_url + 'PCCS_857_R2.01.fits'

PCCS = Table.read(download_file(url, cache=True))
# Select a few sources
PCCS = PCCS[np.abs(PCCS['GLAT']) > 30]
PCCS = PCCS[:500]

coords = SkyCoord(PCCS['RA'].data, PCCS['DEC'].data, unit="deg")

pixsize = hp.nside2resol(hp_hdu.header['NSIDE'], arcmin=True) / 60 / 4
hdu = hp_stack(hp_hdu, coords, pixsize=pixsize, shape_out=(128, 128))
```

*hdu* is an `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU` containing the stack of all the requested positions. One can also use the *keep* option to retrieve all the individual maps



### 6.3.2 2-d Projections

This is the most common projection, from an healpix map to a 2D map

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import healpy as hp

from astropy.io import fits
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord
from astropy.utils.data import download_file
from astropy.wcs import WCS

from hproproj import hp_project

irsa_url = 'http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/data/Planck/release_2/all-sky-maps/maps/'
url = irsa_url + 'HFI_SkyMap_857_2048_R2.02_full.fits'

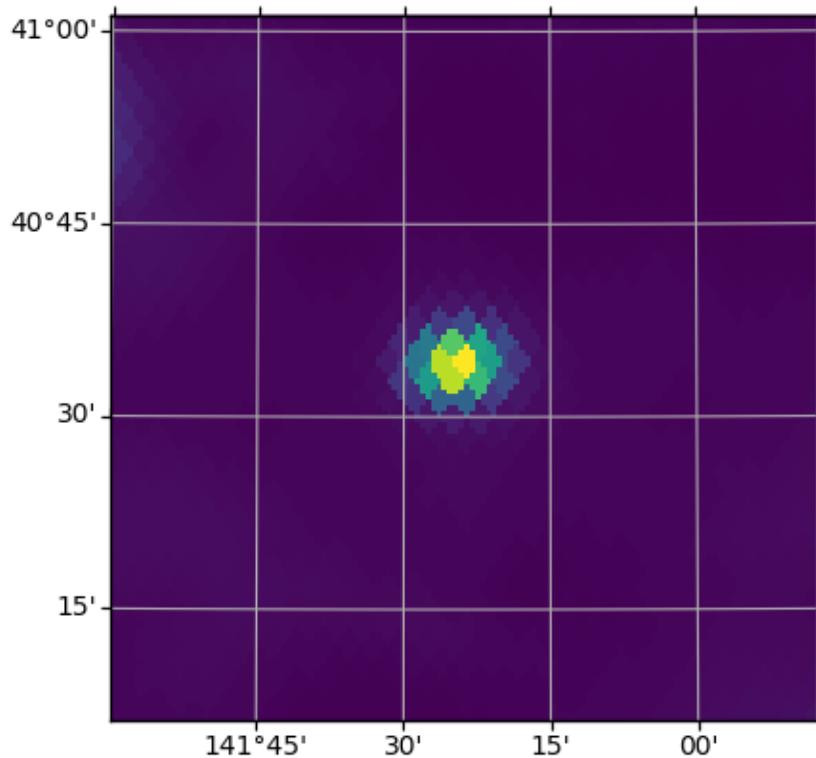
filename = download_file(url, cache=True)

hp_data, hp_header = hp.read_map(filename, h=True, nest=None)
hp_hdu = fits.ImageHDU(hp_data, fits.Header(hp_header))

coord = SkyCoord(141.397513059, 40.5638050454, unit="deg", frame="galactic")
```

```
pixsize = hp.nside2resol(hp_hdu.header['NSIDE'], arcmin=True) / 60 / 4
hdu = hp_project(hp_hdu, coord, pixsize=pixise, shape_out=(128, 128))
```

*hdu* is then an `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU` containing the requested region on the sky and it's corresponding header, which can be easily plotted with, for e.g., *matplotlib*

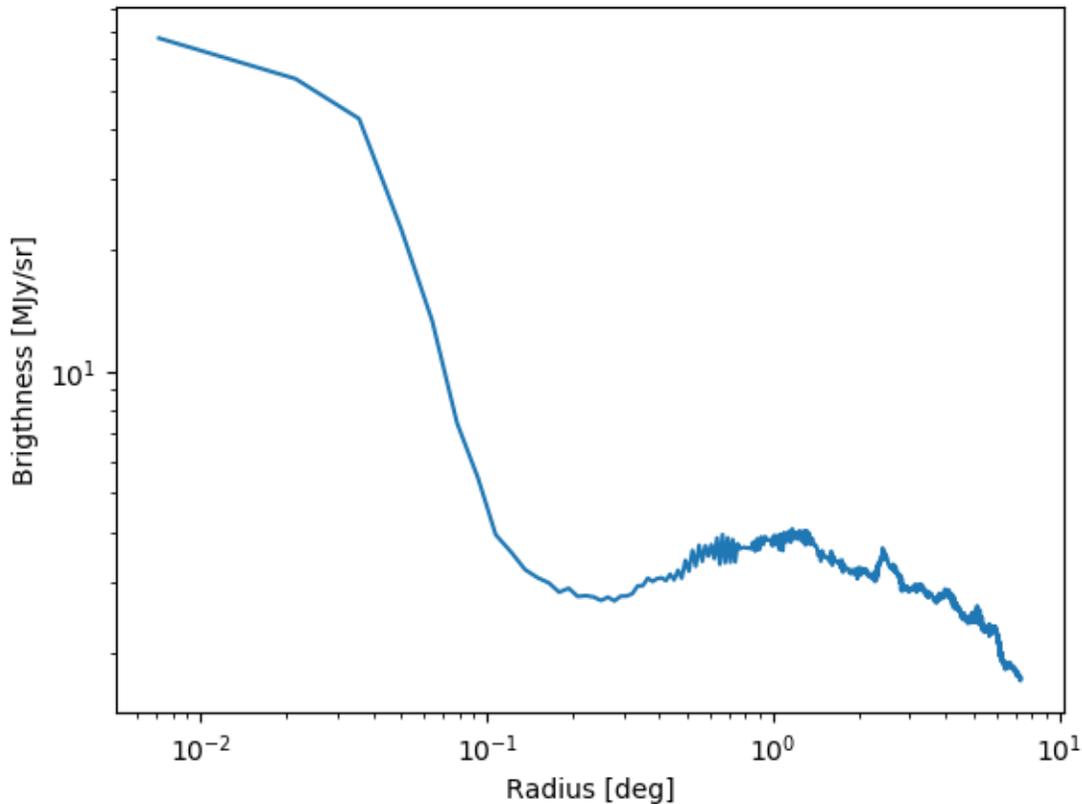


### 6.3.3 1-d Projections

The 1-d projection goes from an healpix map to a intensity profile

```
from hproej import hp_profile
coord = SkyCoord(202.4865871680179, 47.181795866475426, unit="deg")
hdu = hp_profile(hp_hdu, coord)
```

*hdu* is then an `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU` with the profile centered on the requested coordinates



### 6.3.4 0-d Projections

The 0-d projection goes from an healpix map to an aperture photometry, of a given position

```

from hproproj import hp_photometry
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord, Angle

coord = SkyCoord(202.4865871680179, 47.181795866475426, unit="deg")
apertures = Angle(hp.nside2resol(hp_hdu.header['NSIDE'], arcmin=True) / 60, "deg") * _
↳ [7, 10, 15]
hp_hdu.header['UNIT'] = 'MJy/sr'
result = hp_photometry(hp_hdu, coord, apertures=apertures)

```

*result* is then an `astropy.table.Table` with the aperture photometry

```

Out[1]:
<Table length=1>
brightness    background    n_pix
MJy / sr      MJy / sr      int64
float64       float64       int64
-----
2.51999285723 1.2330693081   151

```

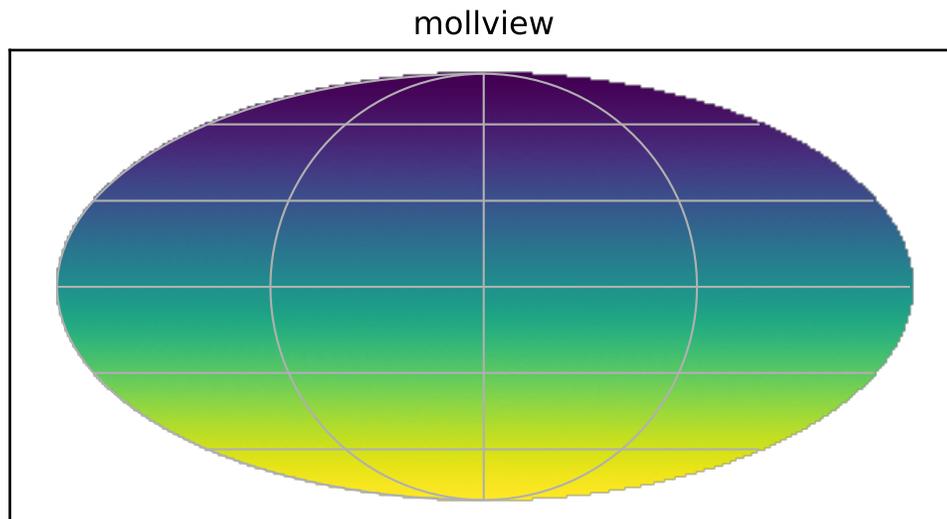
## 6.4 Visualization

The HealPixProjection routines can easily be used to display a full sky map with different projections. In the `hproj.visu` module, several projection have been implemented

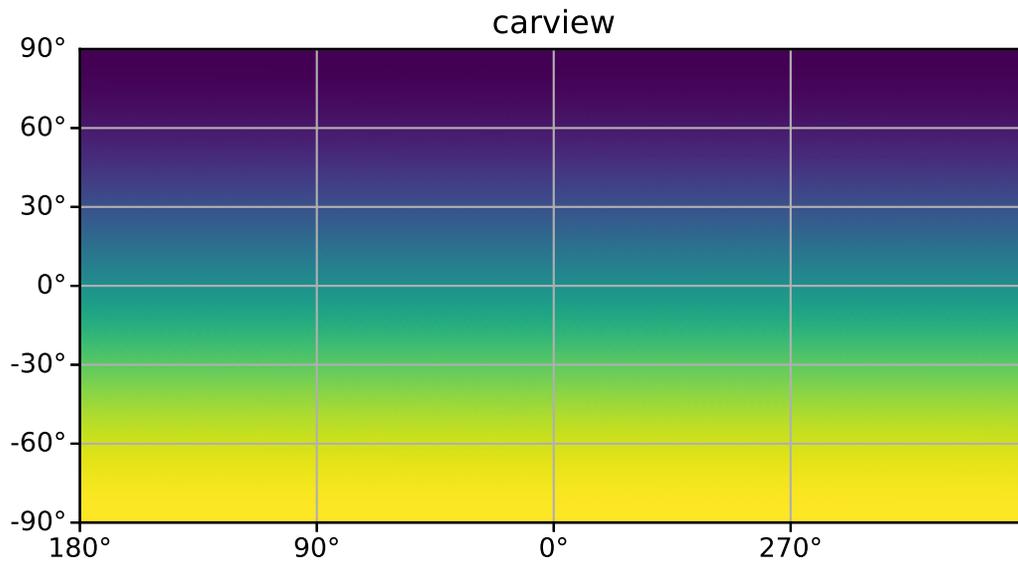
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
import healpy as hp
from astropy.wcs import WCS
from hproj import mollview

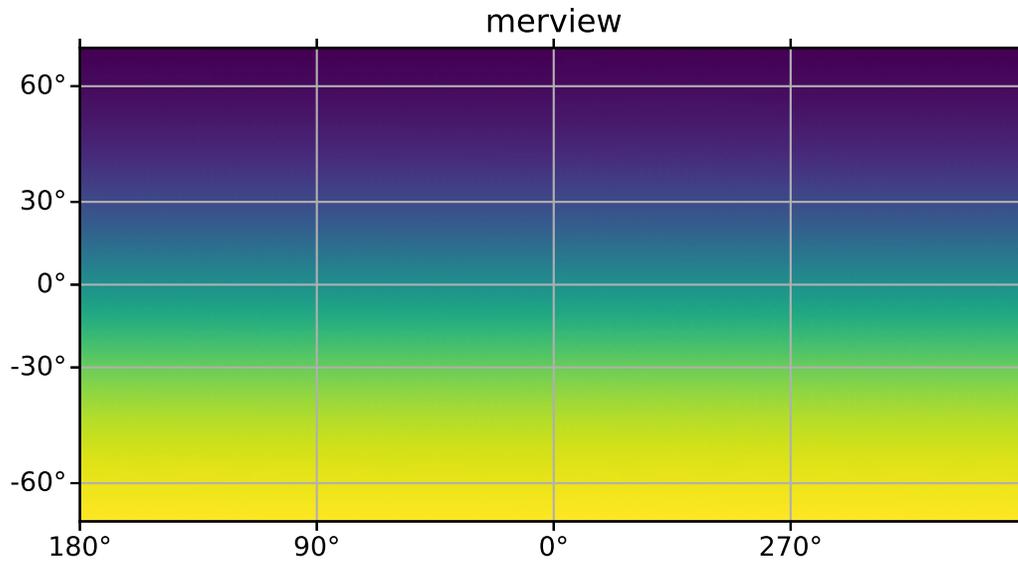
# Ring like healpix map
nside = 2**6
hp_map = np.arange(hp.nside2npix(nside))
hp_header = {'NSIDE': nside,
             'ORDERING': 'RING',
             'COORDSYS': 'G'}

# Projection of the map and plotting
_ = mollview(hp_map, hp_header)
fig = plt.figure()
ax = fig.add_subplot(1,1,1, projection=WCS(_.header))
ax.imshow(_.data, origin='lower', interpolation='none')
ax.grid()
ax.set_title('mollview')
```

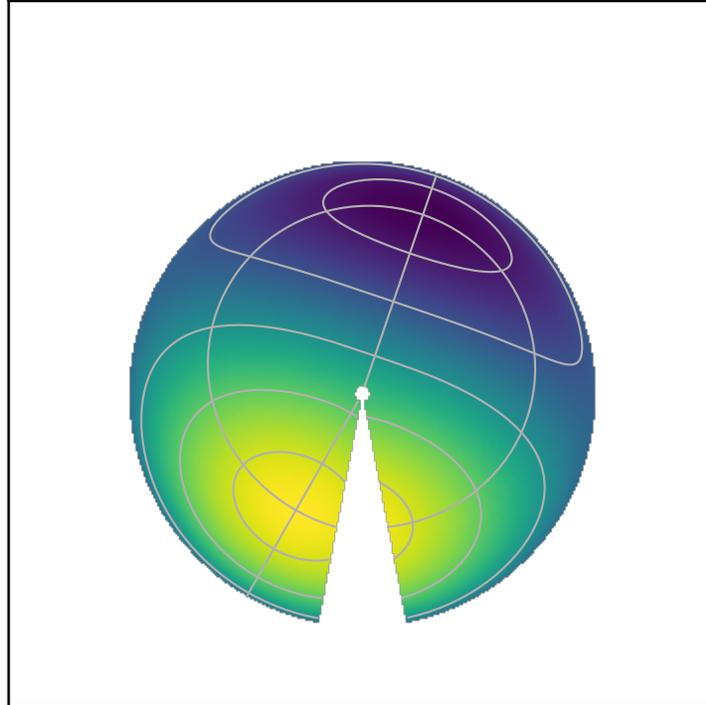


Note that these maps have a proper WCS header and thus can be easily used to overplot markers and artists.  
Other classical projections have been implemented

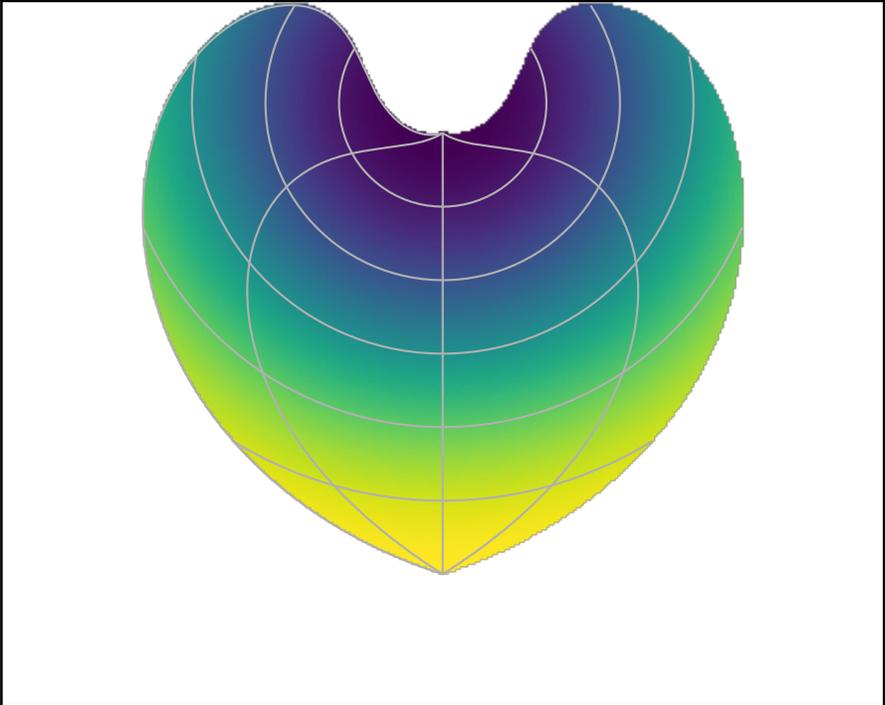




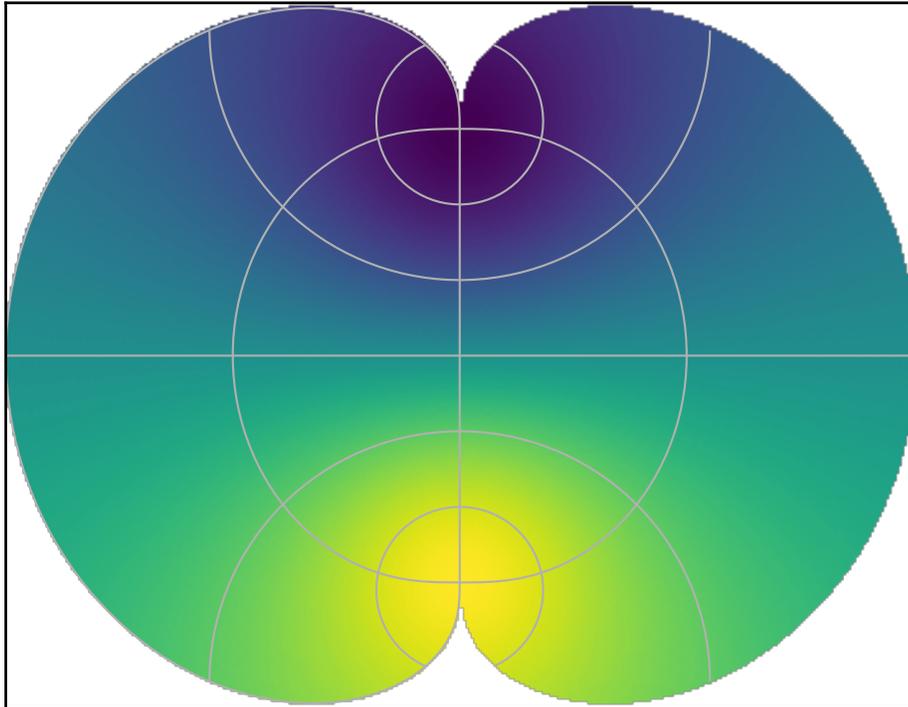
coevview

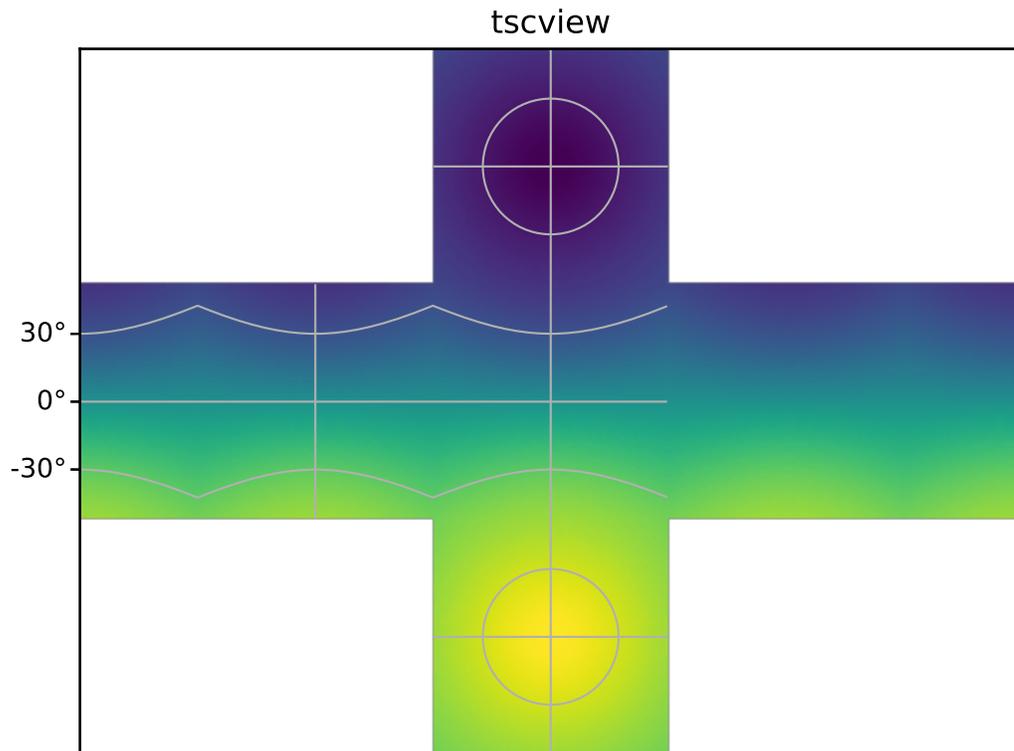


bonview



pcoview





## 6.5 API

### 6.5.1 cutsky

cutsky module, mainly use `hproproj.hp_helper` functions

**class** `hproproj.cutsky.CutSky` (*maps=None, npix=256, pixsize=1, ctype='TAN', low\_mem=True*)  
 Container for Healpix maps and `cut_*` methods

...

#### Attributes

<b>npix</b>	(int) the number of pixels for the square maps
<b>pixsize</b>	(float) the size of the pixels [arcmin]
<b>ctype</b>	(str) a valid projection type (default : TAN)
<b>maps</b>	(dictionnary) a grouped dictionnary of <code>gen_hmap</code> tuples (filename, map, header) (see <code>:func::~init</code> )

## Methods

<code>cut(cut_type, **kwargs)</code>	helper function to cut into the maps
<code>cut_fits([lonlat, coordframe, maps_selection])</code>	Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header
<code>cut_phot([lonlat, coordframe, maps_selection])</code>	Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header and corresponding photometry
<code>cut_png([lonlat, coordframe, maps_selection])</code>	Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header and corresponding png

**cut** (*cut\_type*, *\*\*kwargs*)

helper function to cut into the maps

**Parameters** **cut\_type** : str (fits|png|phot|votable)

define what to cut\_type

**lonlat** : array of 2 floats

the longitude and latitude of the center of projection [deg]

**coordframe** : str

the coordinate frame used for the position AND the projection

**maps\_selection** : list

optionnal list of the 'legend' or filename of the map to select a sub-sample of them.

**Returns** list of dictionnaires

the dictionnaire output depends on cut\_type

**cut\_fits** (*lonlat=None*, *coordframe='galactic'*, *maps\_selection=None*)

Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header

**Parameters** **lonlat** : array of 2 floats

the longitude and latitude of the center of projection [deg]

**coordframe** : str

the coordinate frame used for the position AND the projection

**maps\_selection** : list

optionnal list of the 'legend' or filename of the map to select a sub-sample of them.

**Returns** list of dictionnaires

the dictionnaire has 2 keys : \* 'legend' (the opts{'legend'} see \_\_init()) \* 'fits' an ImageHDU

**cut\_phot** (*lonlat=None*, *coordframe='galactic'*, *maps\_selection=None*)

Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header and corresponding photometry

**Parameters** **lonlat** : array of 2 floats

the longitude and latitude of the center of projection [deg]

**coordframe** : str

the coordinate frame used for the position AND the projection

**maps\_selection** : list

optionnal list of the ‘legend’ or filename of the map to select a sub-sample of them.

**Returns** list of dictionaries

the dictionary has 3 keys : \* ‘legend’ (the opts{‘legend’} see `__init()`), \* ‘fits’ an ImageHDU, \* ‘phot’, the corresponding photometry

`cut_png` (*lonlat=None, coordframe='galactic', maps\_selection=None*)

Efficiently cut the healpix maps and return cutted fits file with proper header and corresponding png

**Parameters** `lonlat` : array of 2 floats

the longitude and latitude of the center of projection [deg]

**coordframe** : str

the coordinate frame used for the position AND the projection

**maps\_selection** : list

optionnal list of the ‘legend’ or filename of the map to select a sub-sample of them.

**Returns** list of dictionaries

the dictionary has 3 keys : \* ‘legend’ (the opts{‘legend’} see `__init()`), \* ‘fits’ an ImageHDU, \* ‘png’, a b61encoded png image of the fits

`hproj.cutsky.cutsky` (*lonlat=None, maps=None, patch=None, coordframe='galactic', ctype='TAN'*)

Old interface to cutsky – Here mostly for compability

**Parameters** `lonlat` : array of 2 floats

the longitude and latitude of the center of projection [deg]

**maps: a dict or a list**

either a dictionary (old interface) or a list of tuple (new interface) : ““ {legend: {‘file-name’: full\_filename\_to\_healpix\_map.fits,

‘doContour’: True }, # optionnal

... } ` or ` [(full\_filename\_to\_healpix\_map.fits, {‘legend’: legend,

‘doContour’: True}), # optionnal

... ] ““

**patch** : array of [int, float]

[int] the number of pixels and [float] the size of the pixel [arcmin]

**coordframe** : str

the coordinate frame used for the position AND the projection

**ctype: str**

a valid projection type (default: TAN)

**Returns** list of dictionaries

the dictionary has 4 keys : \* ‘legend’ (see maps above), \* ‘fits’ an ImageHDU, \* ‘png’, a b61encoded png image of the fits \* ‘phot’, the corresponding photometry

`hproj.cutsky.main` (*argv=None*)

The main routine.

`hproj.cutsky.save_result` (*output, result*)

Save the results of the main function

`hproproj.cutsky.to_new_maps` (*maps*)

Transform old dictionary type healpix map list used by cutsky to list of tuple used by Cutsky

**Parameters** `maps` : dict

```
a dictionary with key being the legend of the image : """ {legend: {'filename':
full_filename_to_healpix_map.fits,
'doContour': True },
... }
"""
```

**Returns** a list of tuple following the new convention:

```
"""
[(full_filename_to_healpix_map.fits, {'legend': legend,
'doContour': True}),
... ]
"""
```

## 6.5.2 helpers

Series of helper function to deal with healpix maps

`hproproj.hp_helper.hp_is_nest` (*hp\_header*)

Return True if the healpix header is in nested

**Parameters** `hp_header` : Header

the header

**Returns** boolean :

True if the header is nested

`hproproj.hp_helper.hp_celestial` (*hp\_header*)

Retrieve the celestial system used in healpix maps. From Healpix documentation this can have 3 forms :

- 'EQ', 'C' or 'Q' : Celestial2000 = eQuatorial,
- 'G' : Galactic
- 'E' : Ecliptic,

only Celestial and Galactic are supported right now as the Ecliptic coordinate system was just recently pulled to astropy

Similar to `wcs_to_celestial_frame` but for header from healpix maps

**Parameters** `hp_header` : Header

the header of the healpix map

**Returns** `frame` : BaseCoordinateFrame subclass instance

An instance of a BaseCoordinateFrame subclass instance that best matches the specified WCS.

`hproproj.hp_helper.hp_to_wcs` (*\*args, \*\*kargs*)

Project an Healpix map on a wcs header, using nearest neighbors.

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`  
a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header  
or  
`hp_map`: `array_like`  
healpix map with corresponding...  
`hp_header`: `astropy.fits.header.Header`  
...header  
`wcs`: `astropy.wcs.WCS`  
wcs object to project with  
`shape_out`: `tuple`  
shape of the output map (`n_y`, `n_x`)  
`order`: `int` (0|1)  
order of the interpolation 0: nearest-neighbor, 1: bi-linear interpolation

**Returns** `array_like`  
the projected map in a 2D array of shape `shape_out`

### Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproj.hp_helper.hp_to_wcs_ipx(hp_header, wcs, shape_out=(512, 512))`

Return the indexes of pixels of a given wcs and shape\_out, within a nsidc healpix map.

**Parameters** `hp_header`: `astropy.fits.header.Header`  
header of the healpix map, should contain nsidc and coordsys and ordering  
`wcs`: `astropy.wcs.WCS`  
wcs object to project with  
`shape_out`: `tuple`  
shape of the output map (`n_y`, `n_x`)

**Returns** 2D `array_like`  
mask for the given map  
`array_like`  
corresponding pixel indexes

### Notes

The map could then easily be constructed using

```
proj_map = np.ma.array(np.zeros(shape_out), mask=~mask, fill_value=np.nan)
proj_map[mask] = healpix_map[ipix]
```

`hproj.hp_helper.hp_project(*args, **kwargs)`

Project an healpix map at a single given position

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

`hp_map`: `array_like`

healpix map with corresponding...

`hp_header`: `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

`coord`: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

`pixsize`: `float`

size of the pixel (in degree)

`shape_out`: `tuple`

shape of the output map (n\_y, n\_x)

`order`: `int (0|1)`

order of the interpolation 0: nearest-neighbor, 1: bi-linear interpolation

`projection`: `tuple of str`

the coordinate ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL') and projection ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...) system

**Returns** `astropy.io.fits.PrimaryHDU`

containing the array and the corresponding header

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproj.hp_helper.gen_hpmap(maps)`

Generator function for large maps and low memory system

**Parameters** `maps`: `list`

**A list of Nmap tuples with either:**

- (filename, path\_to\_localfilename, healpix header)
- (filename, healpix vector, healpix header)

**Returns** `tuple`

Return a tuple (filename, healpix map, healpix header) corresponding to the inputted list

`hproj.hp_helper.build_hpmap(filenamees, low_mem=True)`

From a filename list, build a tuple usable with `gen_hmap()`

**Parameters** `filenamees`: `list`

A list of Nmap filenames of healpix maps

**low\_mem** : bool

On low memory system, do not read the maps themselves (default: only header)

**Returns** tuple list

A list of tuple which can be used by `gen_hpmap`

`hproj.hp_helper.hpmap_key` (*hp\_map*)

Generate an key from the `hp_map` tuple to sort the `hp_maps` by map properties

**Parameters** **hp\_map**: tuple

A tuple from `(buildgen)_hpmap` : (filename, healpix map, healpix header)

**Returns** str

A string with the map properties

`hproj.hp_helper.wcs_to_profile` (*hdu, wcs, shape\_out=512*)

Centered profile from 2D map

**Parameters** **hdu**: `astropy.fits.ImageHDU`

`hdu` containing the 2D array and corresponding header, the profile will be made from the CRVAL position

**wcs**: `astropy.wcs.WCS`

`wcs` object to describe the radius of the profile

**shape\_out**: int

shape of the output profile

**Returns** `astropy.fits.ImageHDU`

1D `hdu` image containing the profile and the corresponding header

`hproj.hp_helper.hp_to_profile` (*\*args, \*\*kwargs*)

Extract radial profile from healpix map

**Parameters** **hp\_hdu**: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo `ImageHDU` with the healpix map and the associated header  
or

**hp\_map**: array\_like

healpix map with corresponding...

**hp\_header**: `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

**wcs**: `astropy.wcs.WCS`

`wcs` object to describe the radius of the profile

**coord**: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinate of the center of the profile

**shape\_out**: int

shape of the output profile

**std**: bool

return the standard deviation

**Returns** `astropy.fits.ImageHDU`

1D hdu image containing the profile and the corresponding header, optionally a second ImageHDU containing the standard deviation

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproj.hp_helper.hp_profile(*args, **kwargs)`

Project an healpix map at a single given position

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

`hp_map`: `array_like`

healpix map with corresponding...

`hp_header`: `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

`coord`: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

`pixsize`: `float`

size of the pixel (in degree)

`npix`: `int`

number of pixels in the final map, the reference pixel will be at the center

**Returns** `astropy.io.fits.PrimaryHDU`

containing the array and the corresponding header

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproj.hp_helper.hp_stack(*args, **kwargs)`

Perform stacking on an healpix map

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

`hp_map`: `array_like`

healpix map with corresponding...

`hp_header`: `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

**coords** : list of `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`  
list of sky coordinates for the center of the cropped maps

**pixsize** : float  
size of the pixel (in degree)

**shape\_out** : tuple  
shape of the output map (n\_y, n\_x)

**order** : int (0|1)  
order of the interpolation 0: nearest-neighbor, 1: bi-linear interpolation

**projection** : tuple of str  
the coordinate ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL') and projection ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...) system

**keep** : boolean (default False)  
return all the cropped maps as a 3D cube instead of one stack map

**Returns** : *class:~fits.ImageHDU*  
hdu containing the stack image or cube and corresponding header

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproproj.hp_helper.hp_to_aperture(*args, **kwargs)`

Raw aperture summation on an healpix map

**Parameters** **hp\_hdu** : `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

**hp\_map** : array\_like

healpix map with corresponding...

**hp\_header** : `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

**coords** : list of `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinates for the center of the apertures

**apertures** : list of *class:astropy.coordinates.Angles*

aperture angle in which we perform summation

**Returns** **npix, apertures** : array\_like

2 arrays containing the number of pixels, and sum of the pixels within the aperture respectively

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproproj.hp_helper.hp_photometry(*args, **kwargs)`

Aperture photometry on an healpix map at a single given position

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

**hp\_map**: `array_like`

healpix map with corresponding...

**hp\_header**: `astropy.fits.header.Header`

...header

**coords**: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinates for the center of the apertures

**apertures**: `3 :class:astropy.coordinates.Angles`

3 floats defining the aperture radius and inner/outer annulus radii

**Returns** `astropy.io.fits.BinaryHDU`

table containing the photometry

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

Series of helper function to deal with building wcs objects

`hproproj.wcs_helper.build_wcs(*args, **kwargs)`

Construct a WCS object for a 2D image Parameters ———— `coord`: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

or

**lon,lat** [floats] the sky coordinates of the center of projection and

**src\_frame** [keyword, str, ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')] the coordinate system of the longitude and latitude (default EQUATORIAL)

**pixsize** [float] size of the pixel (in degree)

**shape\_out** [tuple] shape of the output map (n\_y,n\_x)

**proj\_sys** [str ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')] the coordinate system of the plate (from HEALPIX maps...)

**proj\_type** [str ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...)] the projection system to use

**Returns** WCS: WCS

An corresponding wcs object

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

```
hproj.wcs_helper.build_wcs_cube (*args, **kwargs)
```

Construct a WCS object for a 3D cube, where the 3rd dimension is an index  
Parameters ——— coord :  
astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord

the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

or

**lon,lat** [floats] the sky coordinates of the center of projection and

**src\_frame** [keyword, str, ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')] the coordinate system of the longitude and latitude  
(default EQUATORIAL)

**index** [int] reference index

**pixsize** [float] size of the pixel (in degree)

**shape\_out** [tuple] shape of the output map (n\_y, n\_x)

**proj\_sys** [str ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')] the coordinate system of the plate (from HEALPIX maps...)

**proj\_type** [str ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...)] the projection system to use

**Returns** WCS: WCS

An corresponding wcs object

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

```
hproj.wcs_helper.build_wcs_2pts (coords,      pixsize=None,      shape_out=(512,      512),
                                proj_sys='EQUATORIAL',      proj_type='TAN',      rela-
                                tive_pos=(0.4, 0.6))
```

Construct a WCS object for a 2D image

**Parameters** **coords** : class:astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord

the 2 sky coordinates of the projection, they will be horizontal in the resulting wcs

**pixsize** : float

size of the pixel (in degree) (default: None, use relative\_pos and shape\_out)

**shape\_out** : tuple

shape of the output map (n\_y,n\_x)

**coordsys** : str ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')

the coordinate system of the plate (from HEALPIX maps...) will be rotated anyway

**proj\_type** : str ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...)

the projection system to use, the first coordinate will be the projection center

**relative\_pos** : tuple

the relative position of the 2 sources along the x direction [0-1] (will be computed if  
pixsize is given)

**Returns** WCS: WCS

An corresponding wcs object

### Notes

By default `relative_pos` is used to place the sources, and the `pixsize` is derived, but if you define `pixsize`, then the `relative_pos` will be computed and the sources placed at the center of the image

`hproproj.wcs_helper.build_ctype` (*coordsys*, *proj\_type*)

Build a valid spatial ctype for a wcs header

**Parameters** `coordsys`: str ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')

the coordinate system of the plate

**proj\_type**: str ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...)

any projection system supported by WCS

**Returns** list:

a list with the 2 corresponding spatial ctype

`hproproj.wcs_helper.equival_celestial` (*frame*)

Return an equivalent `~astropy.coordinates.builtin_frames`

### Notes

We do not care of the differences between ICRS/FK4/FK5

`hproproj.wcs_helper.rot_frame` (*coord*, *proj\_sys*)

Retrieve the proper longitude and latitude

**Parameters** `coord`: `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`

the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

**proj\_sys**: str ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')

the coordinate system of the plate (from HEALPIX maps...)

**Returns** `SkyCoord`

rotated frame

## 6.5.3 visu

Series of full sky visualization function, with proper wcs header

`hproproj.visu.view` (*\*args*, *\*\*kwargs*)

projection of the full sky

**Parameters** `hp_hdu`: `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header

or

**hp\_map**: array\_like

healpix map with corresponding...

**hp\_header** : `astropy.fits.header.Header`  
...header

**coord** : `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`  
the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

**npix** : int  
number of pixels in the latitude direction

**proj\_sys** : str, ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')  
the coordinate system of the projection

**proj\_type**: str ('TAN', 'SIN', 'GSL', ...)  
any projection system supported by WCS

**aspect** : float  
the resulting figure aspect ratio 1:aspect\_ratio

**Returns** `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`  
2D images with header

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method

`hproj.visu.orthview` (\*args, \*\*kwargs)

Slant orthographic projection of the full sky

**Parameters** **hp\_hdu** : `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`

a pseudo ImageHDU with the healpix map and the associated header  
or

**hp\_map** : array\_like  
healpix map with corresponding...

**hp\_header** : `astropy.fits.header.Header`  
...header

**coord** : `astropy.coordinate.SkyCoord`  
the sky coordinate of the center of the projection

**npix** : int  
number of pixels in the latitude direction

**proj\_sys** : str, ('GALACTIC', 'EQUATORIAL')  
the coordinate system of the projection

**Returns** `astropy.io.fits.ImageHDU`  
2D images with header

## Notes

You can access a function using only catalogs with the `._coord()` method



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