

Gamma-ray PSR J2116p3701

General Information

PSRJ		RAJD (deg)	DECJD (deg)	P0 (s)		DIST (kpc)	EDOT (erg/s)
J2116+3701	dcm+23	319.059600	37.025314	0.14588	dcm+23	2.903	6.7e+34
G100: 5.5e-12 +/- 9.7e-13 erg/cm2/s							
LumG: 5.5e33 +/- 1.e32 +/- (3.5e33, 5.3e33) erg/s							
EffG: 0.082 +/- 0.015 +/- (0.053, 0.079) (EffG = LumG/Edot) (first uncertainty is statistical, second includes the distance uncertainty)							
Here is the closest 4FGL source:							
name	angSep	gglon	gglat	(maj,min95)	Sigma	nickname	
4FGL J2116.2+3701	0.000	82.3045	-8.3410	(0.077, 0.063)	14.4	P88Y5920	
Codes (see bottom of page): R r.							

ATNF [psrcat](https://ui.adsabs.harvard.edu/abs/2022arXiv221009172D/abstract) v1.70 includes dcm+23 -- <https://ui.adsabs.harvard.edu/abs/2022arXiv221009172D/abstract> **The second set of pulsar discoveries by CHIME/FRB/Pulsar: 14 Rotating Radio Transients and 7 pulsars** Dong, Fengqiu Adam ; Crowter, Kathryn ; Meyers, Bradley W. ; Pleunis, Ziggy ; Stairs, Ingrid ; Tan, Chia Min ; Yu, Tinyau Timothy ; Boyle, Patrick J. ; Cook, Amanda M. ; Fonseca, Emmanuel ; Gaensler, Bryan M. ; Good, Deborah C. ; Kaspi, Victoria ; McKee, James W. ; Patel, Chitrang ; Pearlman, Aaron B.

We noticed that the position of PSR J2116+3701 closely matches that of the 4FGL source listed above and on the SED below, where 4FGL is the **Incremental Fermi Large Area Telescope Fourth Source Catalog** Abdollahi, S. et al. [2022ApJS..260...53A](https://arxiv.org/abs/2022ApJS..260...53A)

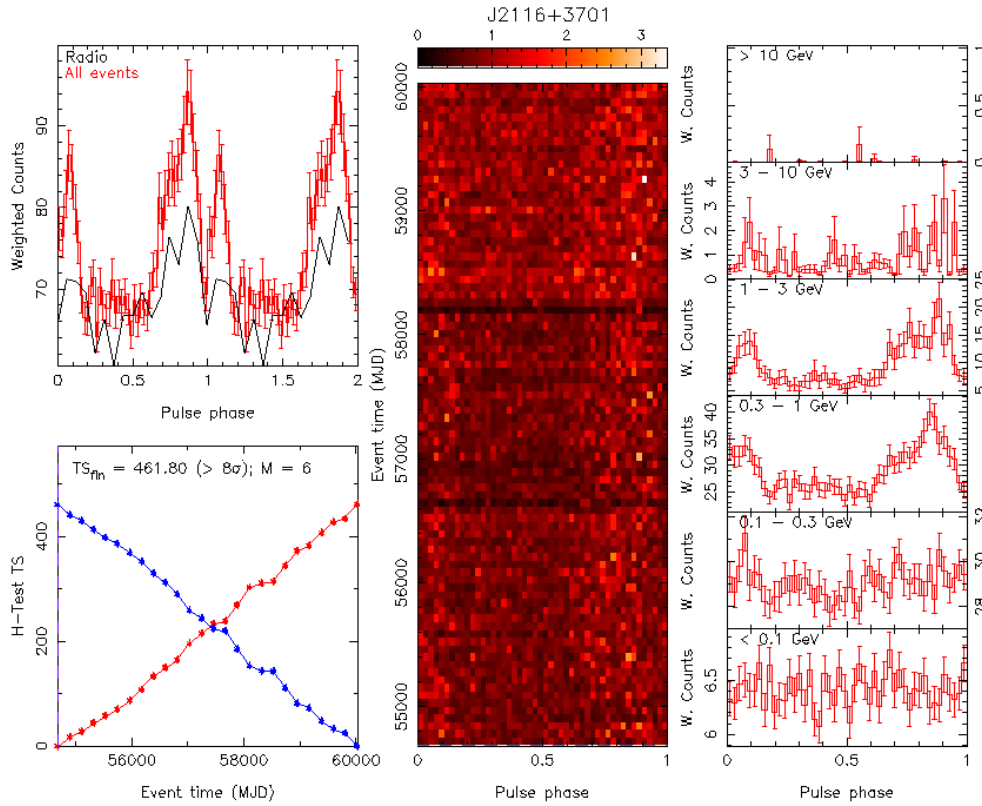
That source is non-variable (unlike most blazars) and has the pulsar-like SED shown below:

From the Table in dcm+23 we created [J2116+3701.par](#) and we gamma-ray phase-folded the *Fermi* LAT data using the methods described in **Searching a Thousand Radio Pulsars for Gamma-ray Emission** Smith, D. A. et al. [2019ApJ...871...78S](#) . We thank dcm+23 lead author Fengqiu Adam Dong for having sent us the .par, the radio pulse profile to overlay on the gamma-ray phase histogram, and for other useful exchanges. This first folding gave an Htest of 66 for >14 years of LAT data, with a peak near 160 about 2000 days before the beginning of the radio ephemeris validity.

We then used the methods of **Precise -Ray Timing and Radio Observations of 17 Fermi -Ray Pulsars** Ray, P. S. et al. [2011ApJS..194...17R](#) to create gamma-ray times-of-arrival, refit the ephemeris using the tempo2 "plk" plugin, to obtain an Htest of 375.

Applying the methods of **Timing gamma-ray pulsars with the Fermi Large Area Telescope: Timing Noise and Astrometry** Kerr, M. et al. [2015ApJ...814..128K](#) and using Model Weights as per **Extending the event-weighted pulsation search to very faint gamma-ray sources** Bruehl, P. [2019A&A...622A.108B](#) finally gave Htest 461 for the full data set, as shown below.

Nota bene! We are currently (3 May 2023) verifying the radio-gamma phase alignment. What is shown below is quite possibly wrong, contact us if you need confirmation.



Pulsar History and Characteristics codes:

'G' 'Discovered in Fermi-LAT gamma-ray data.'

'R' 'Discovered in the radio and/or gamma-ray pulsations detected using the radio ephemeris.'

'X' 'Discovered in the X-ray and/or gamma-ray pulsations detected using the X-ray ephemeris.'

'E' 'Pulsar was detected in gamma rays by EGRET/COMPTEL.'

'P' 'Pulsar was discovered by the Pulsar Search Consortium.'

'U' 'Discovered using a Fermi-LAT seed position.'

'r' 'Pulsations detected in the radio band.'

'x' 'Pulsations detected in the X-ray band.'

'm' 'Millisecond pulsar.'

'b' 'Pulsar is in a binary system.'

'w' 'Pulsar is in a black-widow system.'

'k' 'Pulsar is in a redback system.'

'q' 'Gamma pulsar with no radio detection'