

The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy (*peculiar velocities*)

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Cosmic dipole tensions

Cosmological principle → For many far away sources, we expect a similar dipole as the CMB

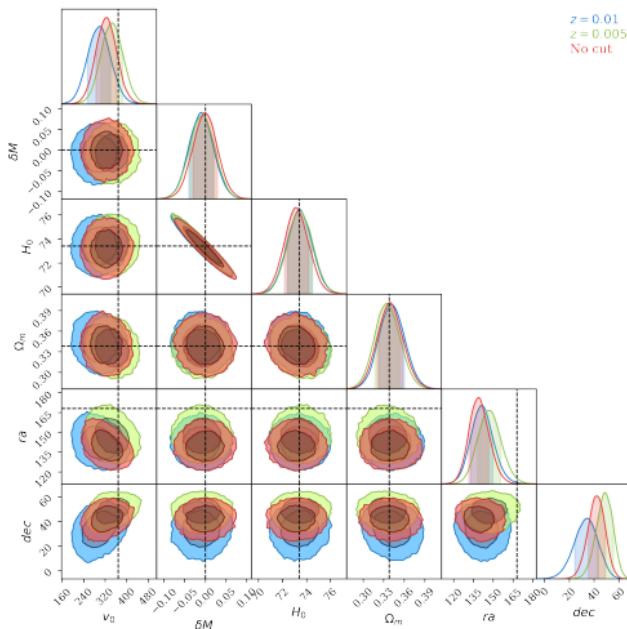


Figure: SF et al., 2022

In Sna Ia of Pantheon+
Planck direction is excluded at more than 3σ !

A bulk motion?
CF4 in disagreement with Λ CDM!

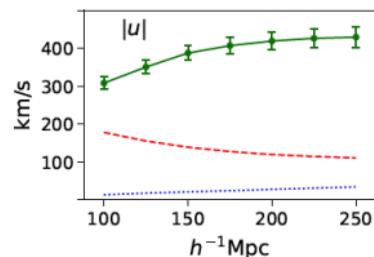
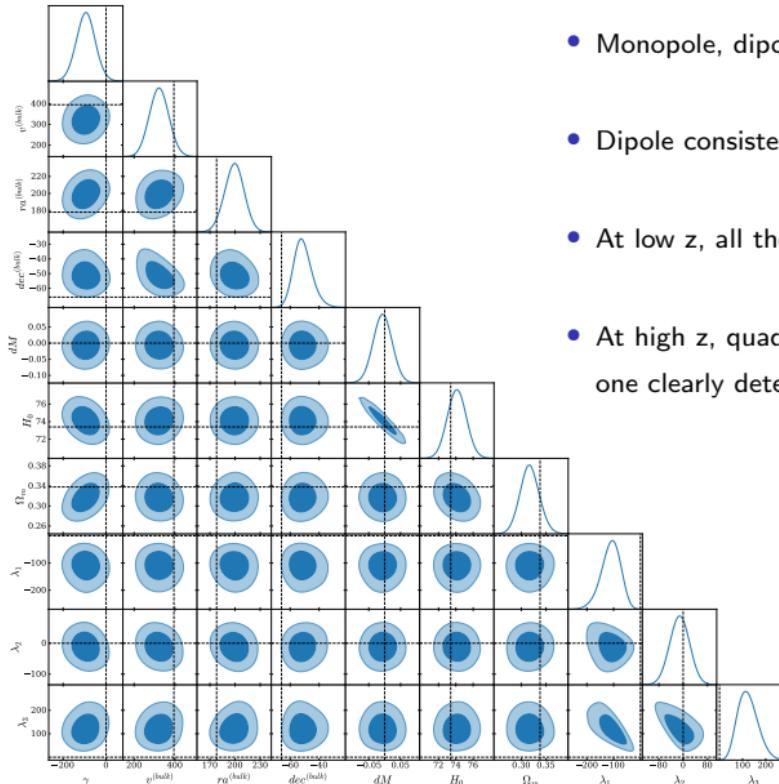


Figure: Watkins et al., 2023

The low multipoles in Pantheon+ (2403.17741)



- Monopole, dipole, quadrupole are detected
- Dipole consistent with CF4
- At low z , all the multipoles are of the same order
- At high z , quadrupole is more relevant and the only one clearly detected

How to define \mathbf{v}_{pec}

In term of redshift:

$$cz = H_0 r + \hat{\mathbf{r}} \cdot \mathbf{v}_{pec}, \quad (1)$$

Following Helmholtz decomposition:

$$\mathbf{v}_{pec} = \mathbf{v}_G + \mathbf{v}_R, \quad (2)$$

with: $\mathbf{v}_G = -\nabla v$, $\nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_R = 0$

We define divergence θ and vorticity ω :

$$\theta = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_G \quad (3)$$

$$\omega = \nabla \times \mathbf{v}_R \quad (4)$$

from which:

$$k^2 P_V = P_\theta + P_\omega \quad (5)$$

→ Vorticity is usually *neglected*

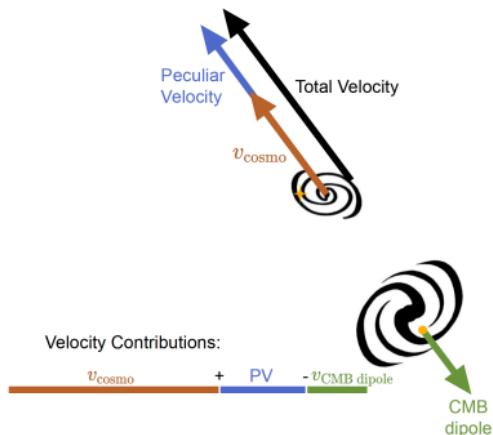


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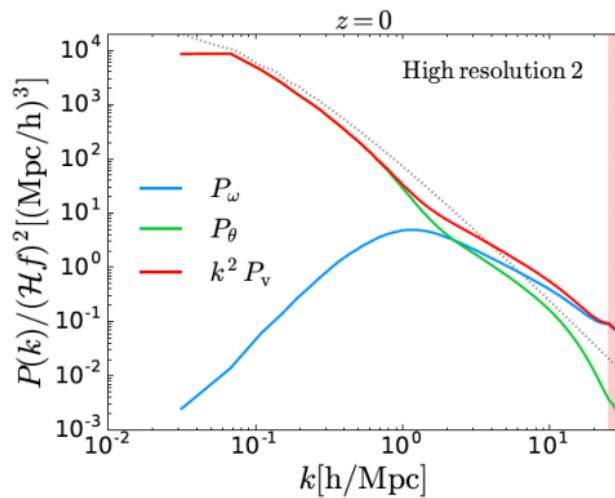
Vorticity power spectrum

From *Jelic-Cizmek et al. 2018*, we know that vorticity is important at late time ($k \sim 1 \text{ h/Mpc}$)

We can model it as:

$$P_\omega = \frac{\beta k^\vartheta}{1 + (\frac{k}{k_*})^\varphi} \quad (6)$$

with k_* pivot scale and $\beta, \varphi, \vartheta$ free parameters



Next step

- Applying the model to the data

