

Large Scale Structure Surveys

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Λ CDM Model

Inflation

Radiation

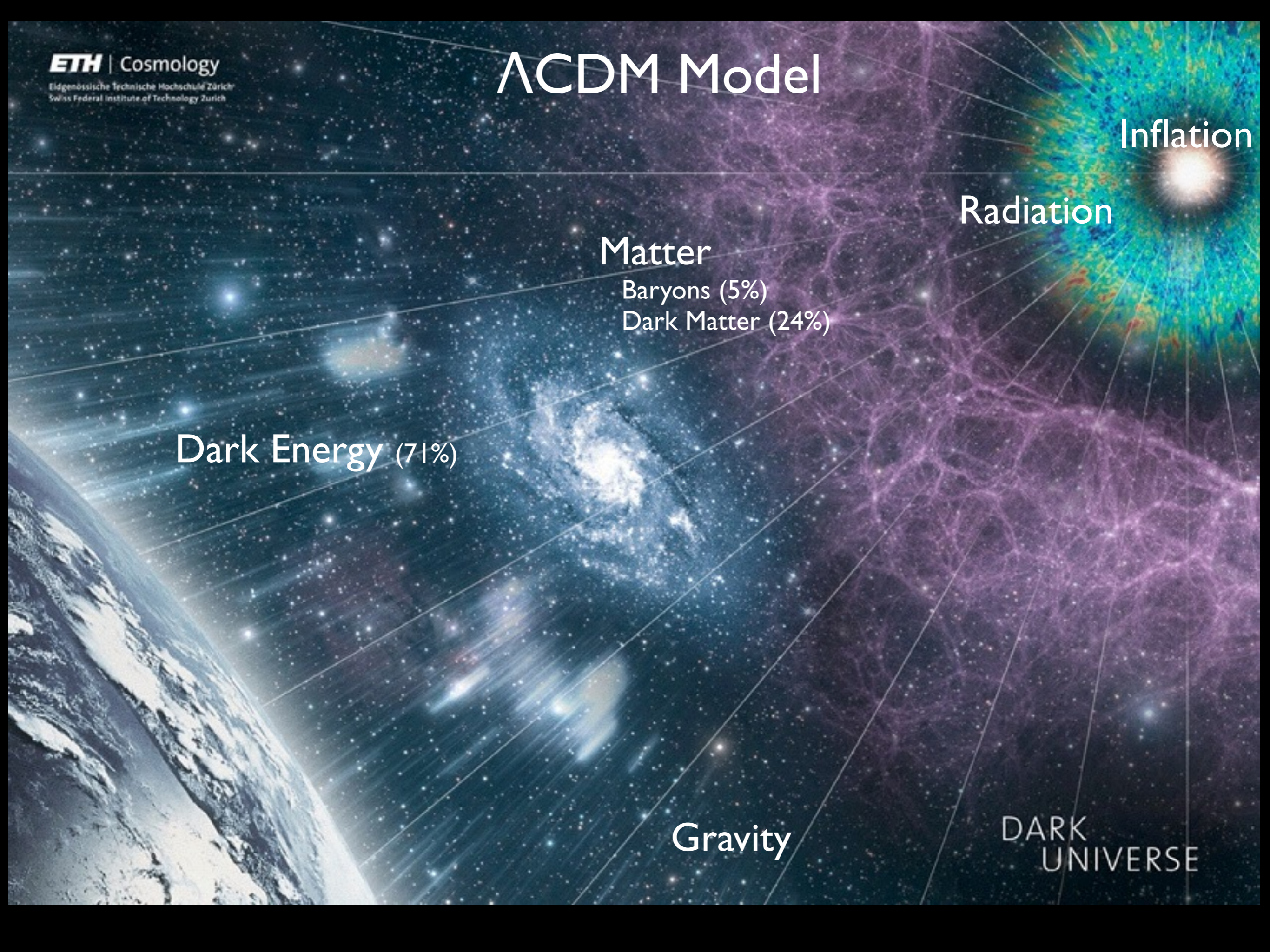
Matter

Baryons (5%)
Dark Matter (24%)

Dark Energy (71%)

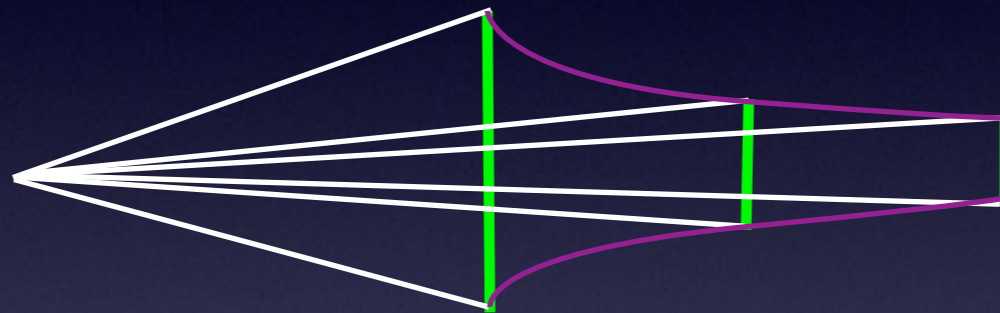
Gravity

DARK
UNIVERSE

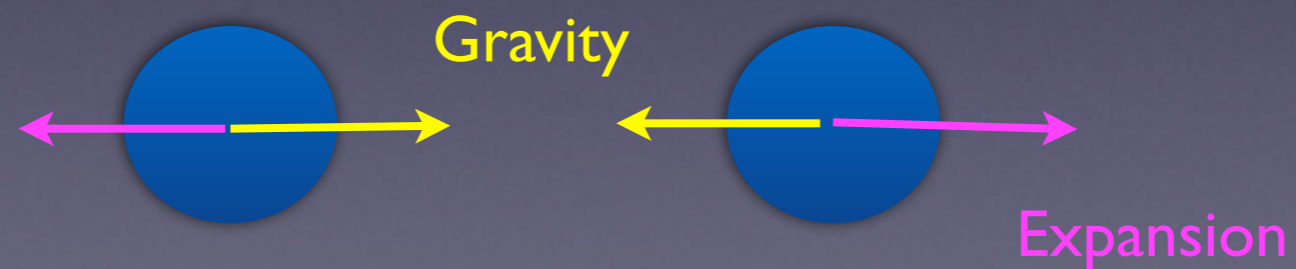


Measuring the Dark Universe

- Geometry

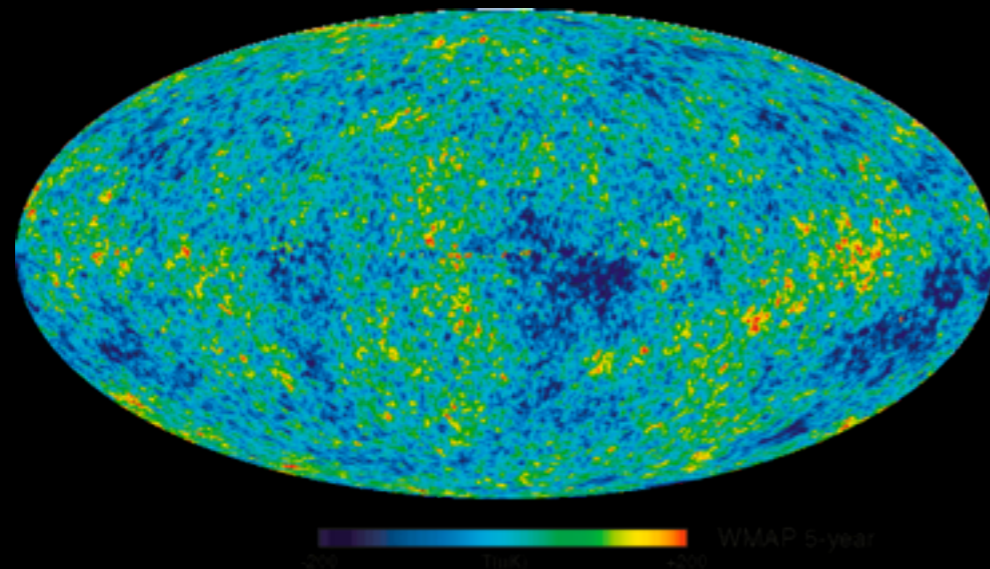


- Growth of structure

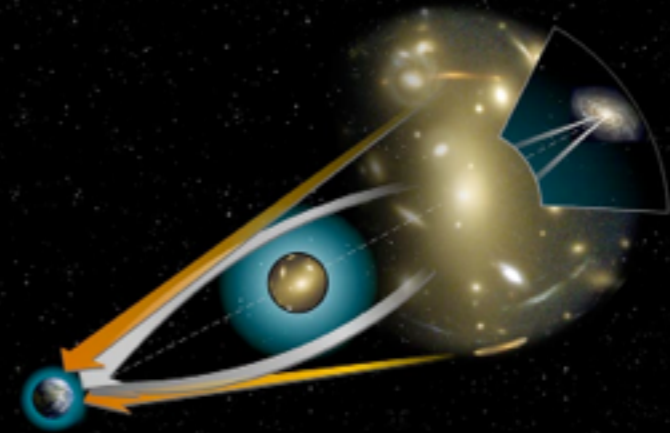


Cosmological Probes

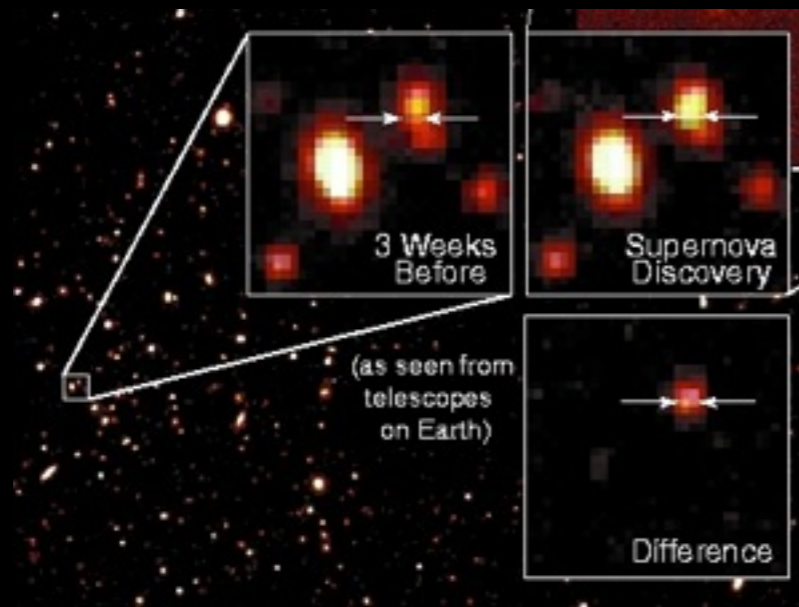
Cosmic Microwave Background



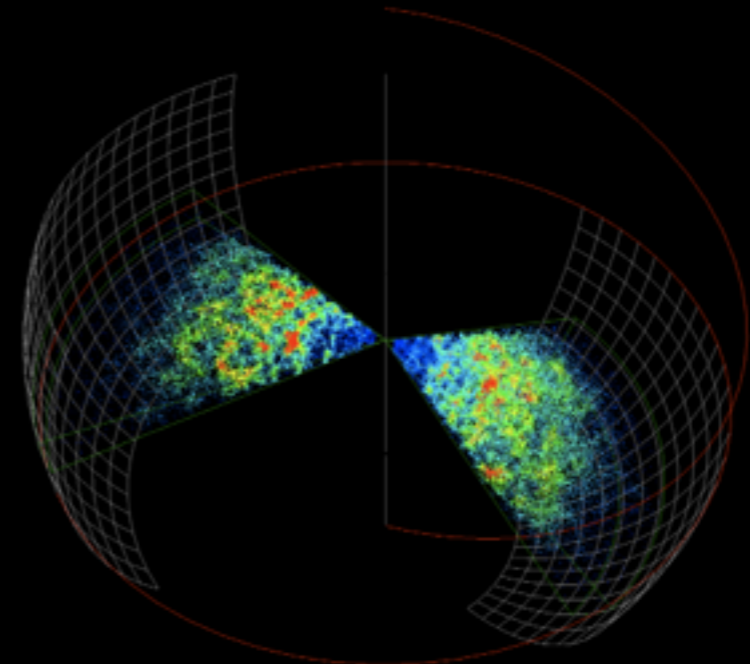
Gravitational Lensing



Supernovae

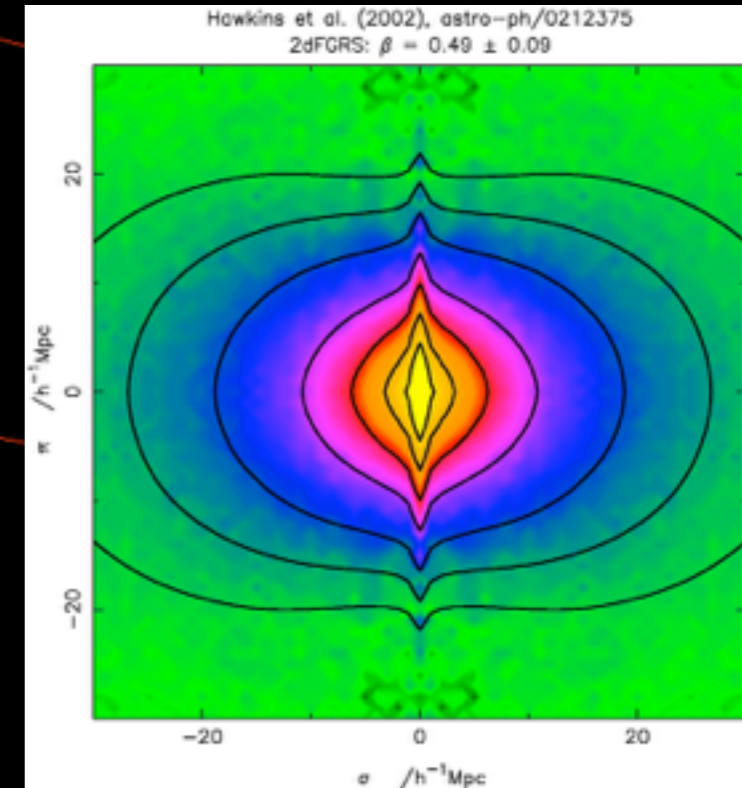
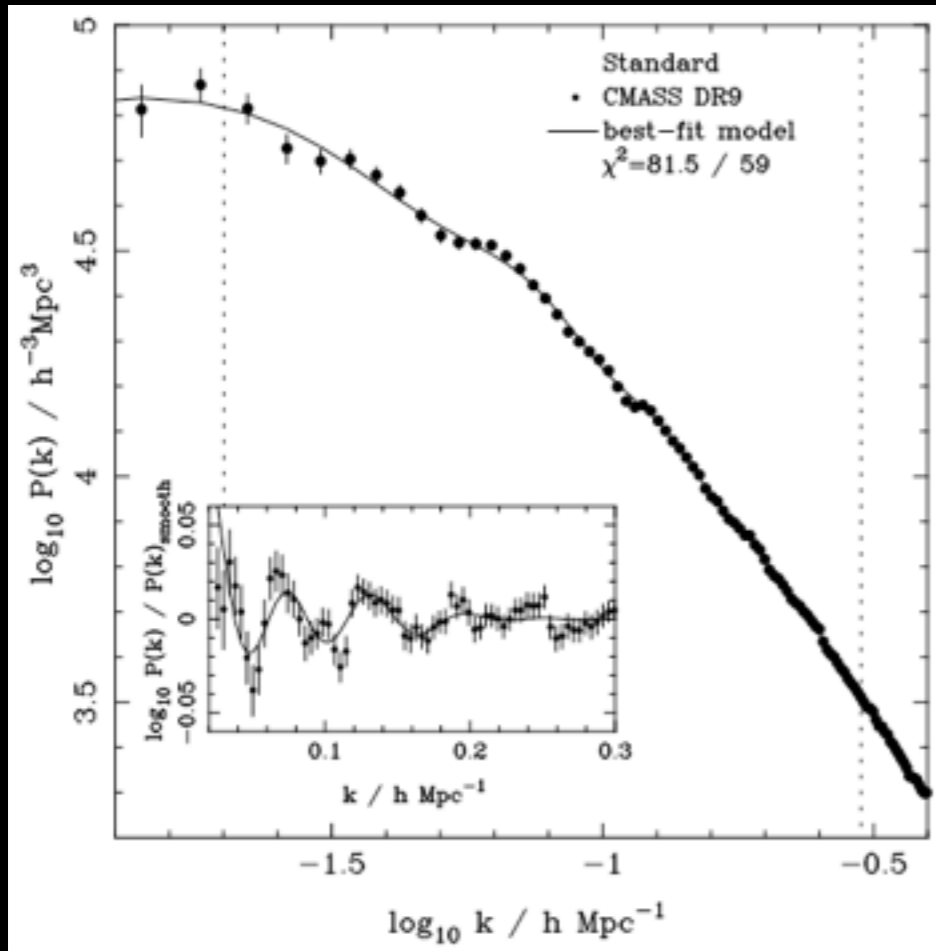


Large Scale Clustering



Galaxy Redshift Surveys

Anderson et al. 2012



SDSS survey:

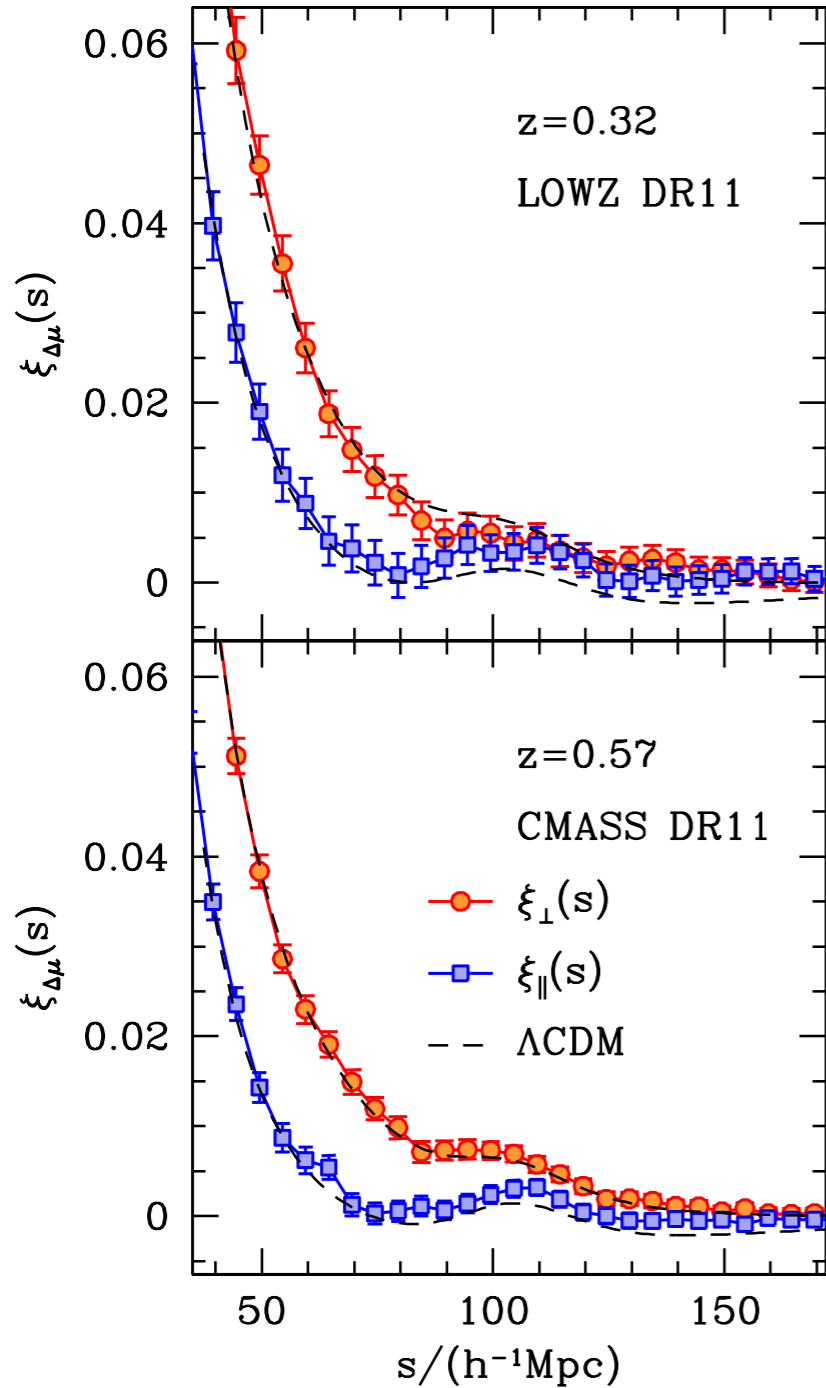
Eisenstein et al. 2004

2dF survey:

Percival et al 2004

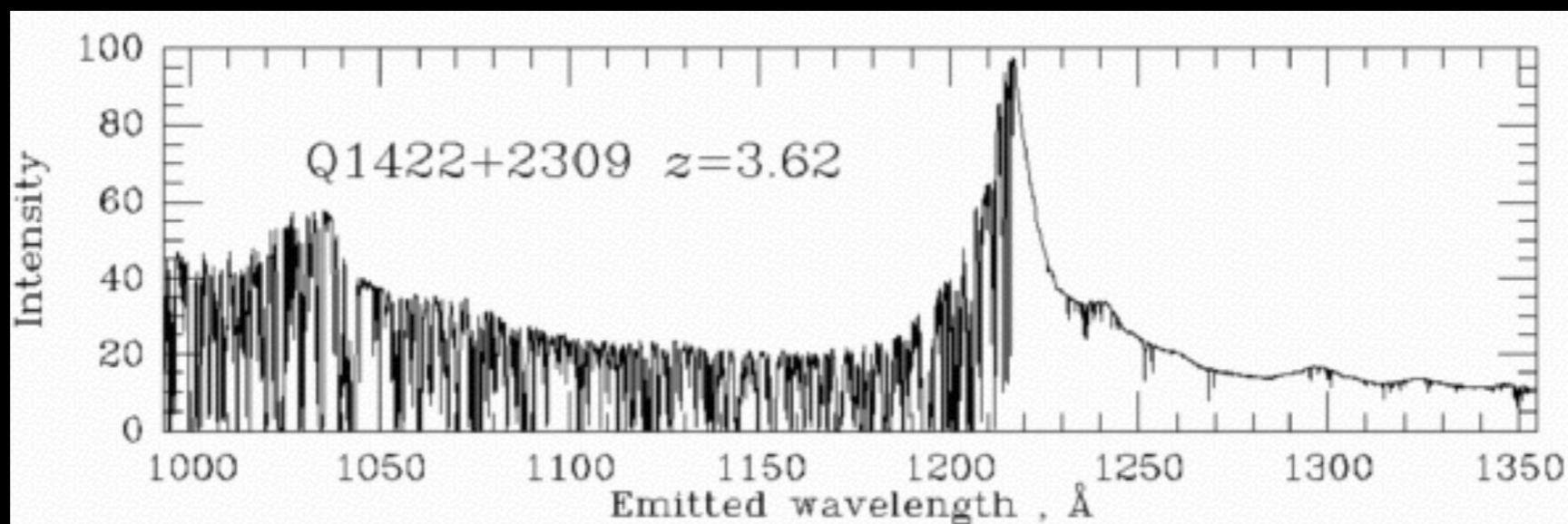
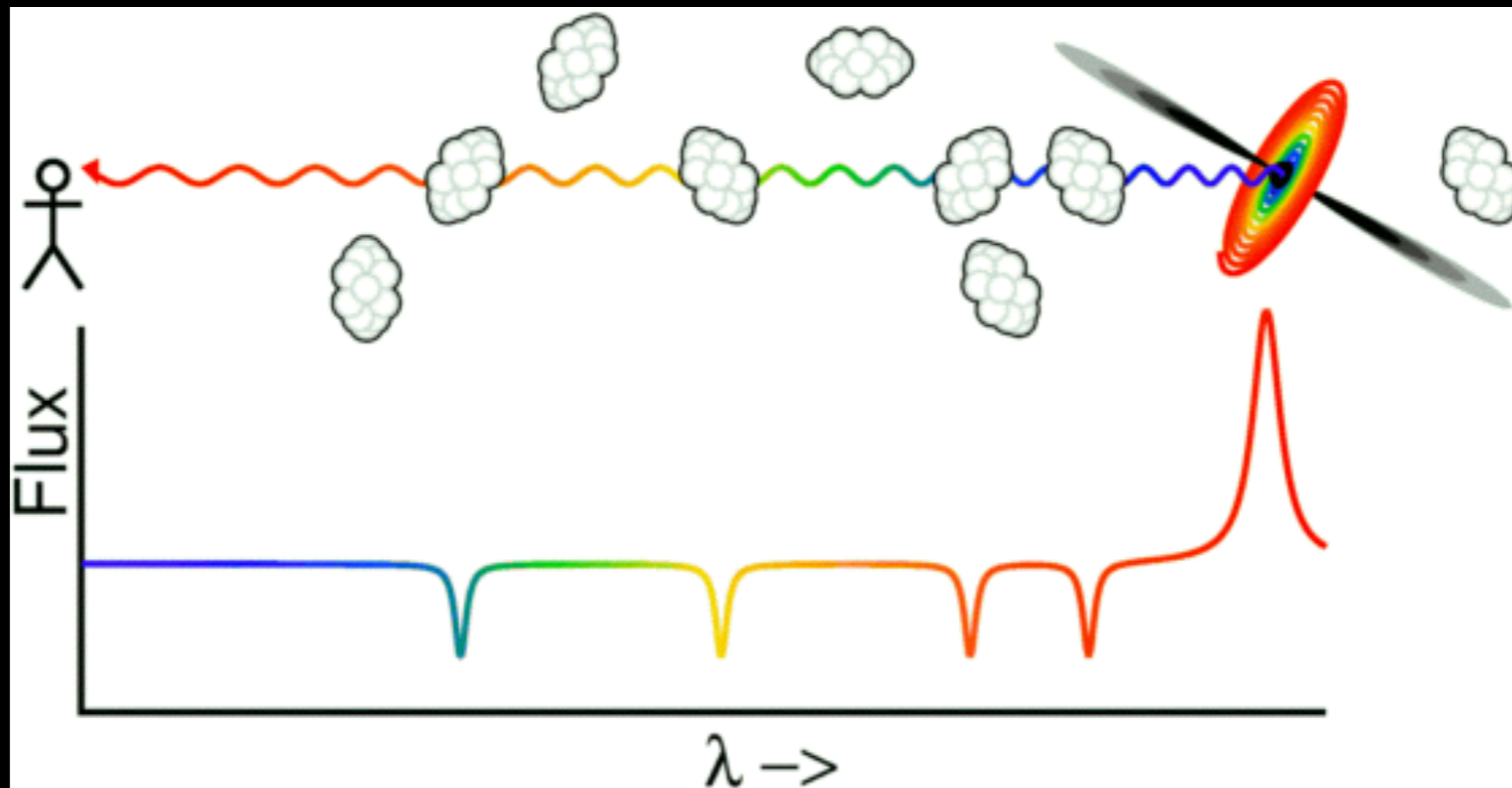
BOSS DR10/11

Sanchez et al. 2013



	ePlanck+BOSS $\xi(s)$	ePlanck+BOSS $\xi_{\Delta\mu}(s)$	ePlanck + BOSS $\xi_{\Delta\mu}(s)$ +BAO+SN
The Λ CDM model			
h	$0.6824^{+0.0072}_{-0.0072}$	0.6863 ± 0.0075	0.6899 ± 0.0070
$100\Omega_m$	$30.22^{+0.94}_{-0.96}$	$29.71^{+0.97}_{-0.96}$	29.24 ± 0.86
Constant dark energy equation of state			
w_{DE}	$-1.31^{+0.21}_{-0.16}$	-1.051 ± 0.076	-1.024 ± 0.052
$100\Omega_m$	$24.9^{+3.4}_{-2.6}$	28.8 ± 1.6	29.3 ± 1.1
Time-dependent dark energy equation of state			
w_0	$-1.29^{+0.48}_{-0.46}$	$-0.83^{+0.38}_{-0.34}$	-0.95 ± 0.14
w_a	$-0.0^{+1.0}_{-1.1}$	$-0.61^{+0.89}_{-0.96}$	-0.29 ± 0.47
$100\Omega_m$	$25.2^{+5.7}_{-6.6}$	$30.9^{+4.1}_{-3.6}$	29.5 ± 1.3
Non-flat models			
$100\Omega_k$	0.07 ± 0.31	0.10 ± 0.29	0.15 ± 0.29
$100\Omega_m$	30.18 ± 0.96	$29.60^{+0.99}_{-0.97}$	29.11 ± 0.91
Curvature and dark energy			
w_{DE}	$-1.53^{+0.24}_{-0.28}$	-1.05 ± 0.11	$-1.009^{+0.062}_{-0.060}$
$100\Omega_k$	$-0.38^{+0.24}_{-0.28}$	0.02 ± 0.43	-0.14 ± 0.33
$100\Omega_m$	$22.0^{+3.2}_{-4.9}$	28.9 ± 2.0	29.4 ± 1.2
Massive neutrinos			
$\sum m_\nu$	$< 0.23 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.24 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.23 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$
f_ν	$< 0.017 \text{ (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.019 \text{ (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.017 \text{ (95\% CL)}$
Massive neutrinos and dark energy			
$\sum m_\nu$	$< 0.49 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.47 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$	$< 0.33 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$
w_{DE}	$-1.49^{+0.24}_{-0.30}$	-1.13 ± 0.12	-1.046 ± 0.063
Additional relativistic degrees of freedom			
N_{eff}	3.35 ± 0.27	3.31 ± 0.27	3.30 ± 0.27
$100\Omega_m$	29.7 ± 1.0	29.2 ± 1.1	29.1 ± 1.0
Deviations from general relativity			
γ	-	0.69 ± 0.15	0.69 ± 0.15
$100\Omega_m$	-	$29.76^{+0.93}_{-0.90}$	29.62 ± 0.89
Dark energy and modified gravity			
γ	-	0.88 ± 0.22	0.75 ± 0.17
w_{DE}	-	-1.15 ± 0.11	-1.055 ± 0.057

Ly α Forest

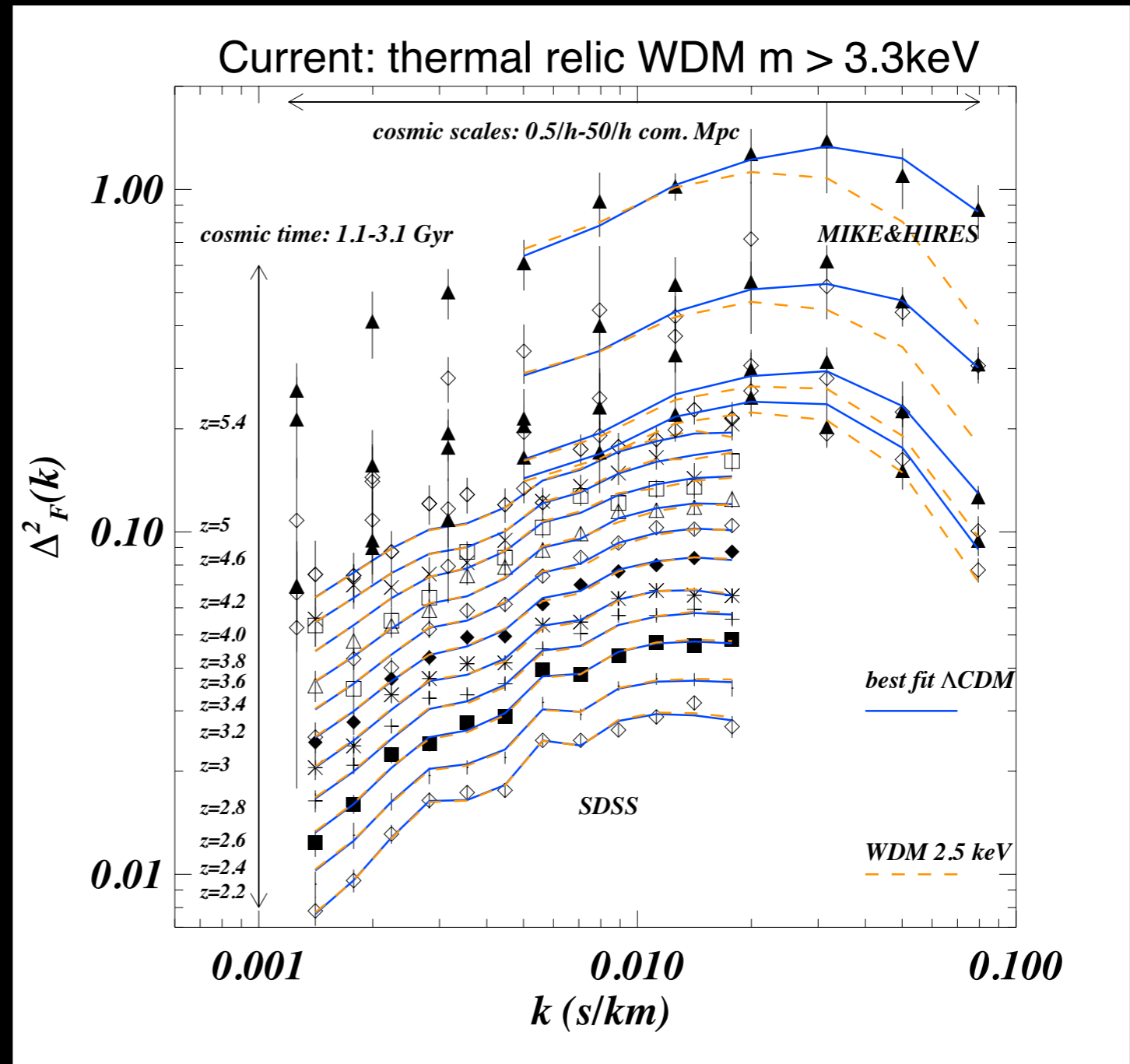
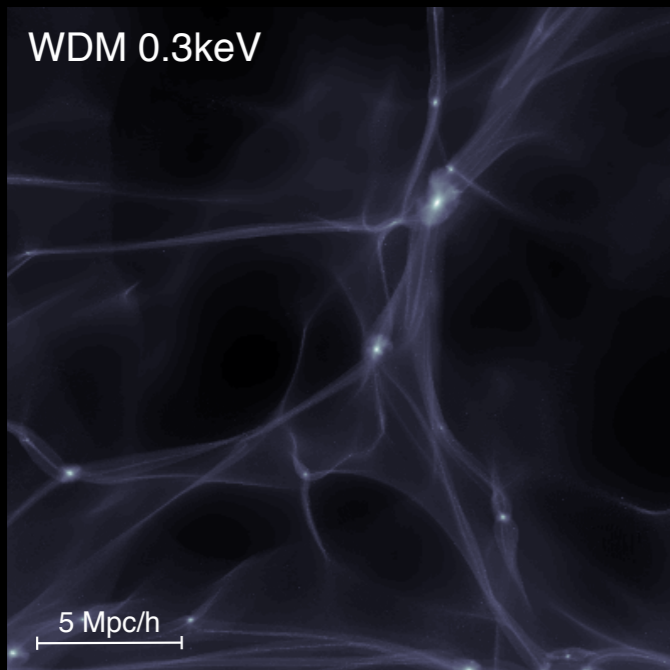
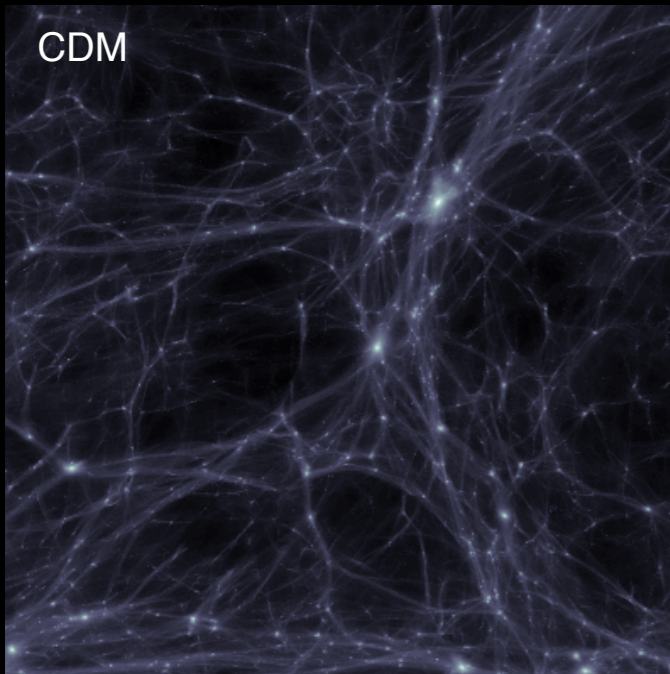


credit: N. Wright, B. Keel

Warm Dark Matter

Hahn 2013

Markovic & Viel 2014

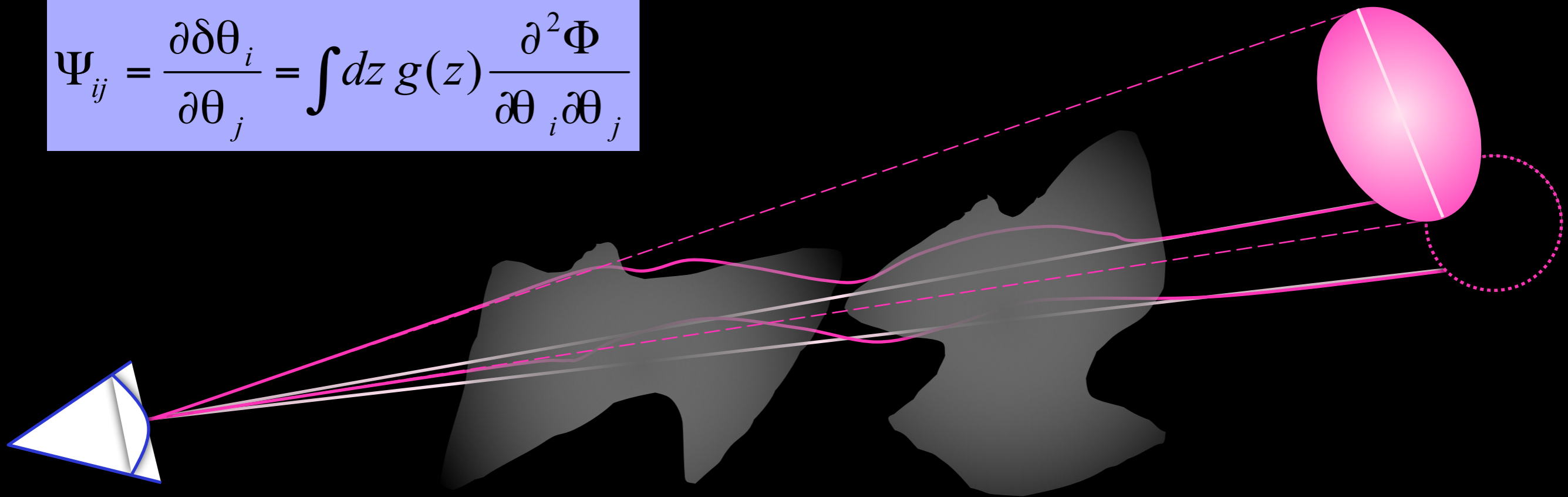


Weak Gravitational Lensing

Massey et al.
review: Refregier 2003

Distortion matrix:

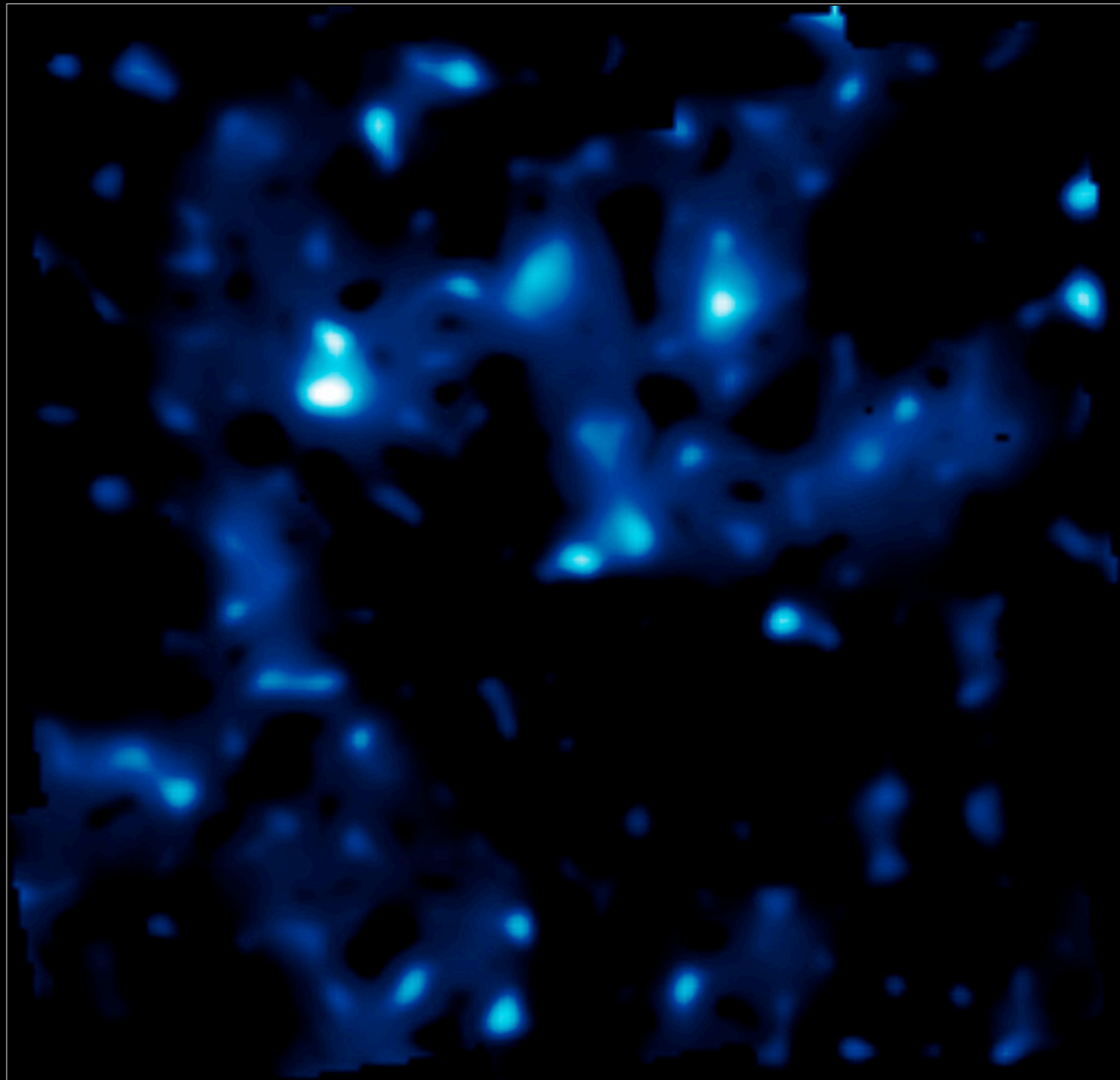
$$\Psi_{ij} = \frac{\partial \delta \theta_i}{\partial \theta_j} = \int dz g(z) \frac{\partial^2 \Phi}{\partial \theta_i \partial \theta_j}$$



Direct measure of the distribution of **mass** in the universe, as opposed to the distribution of **light**

Theory

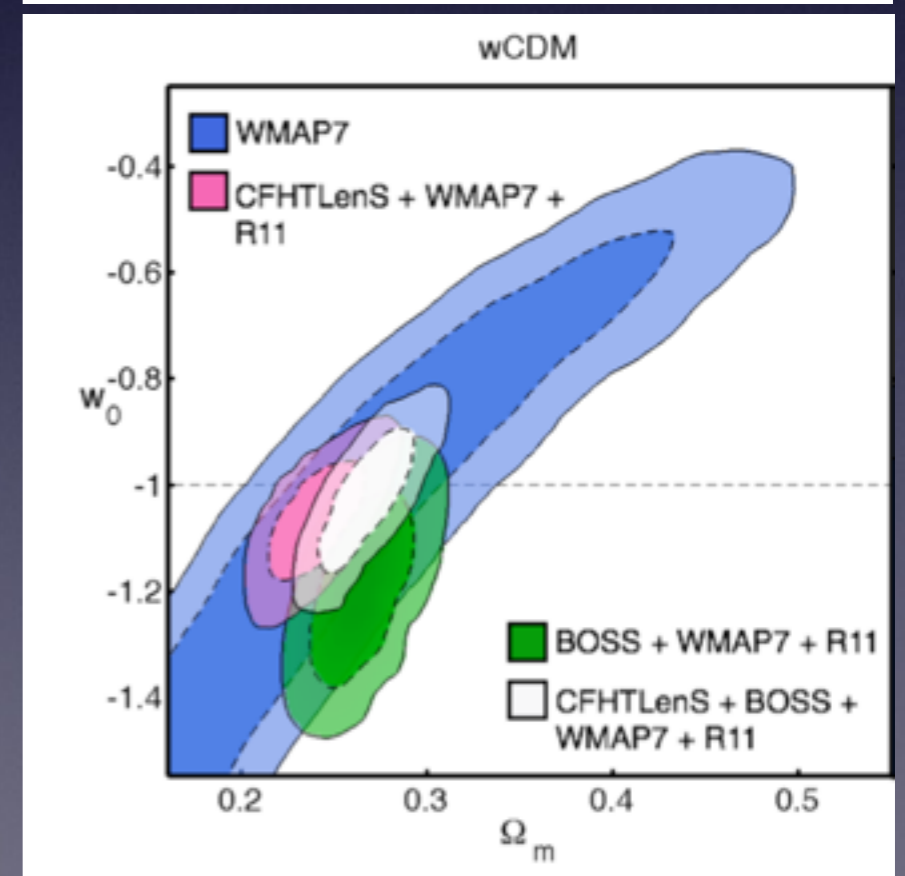
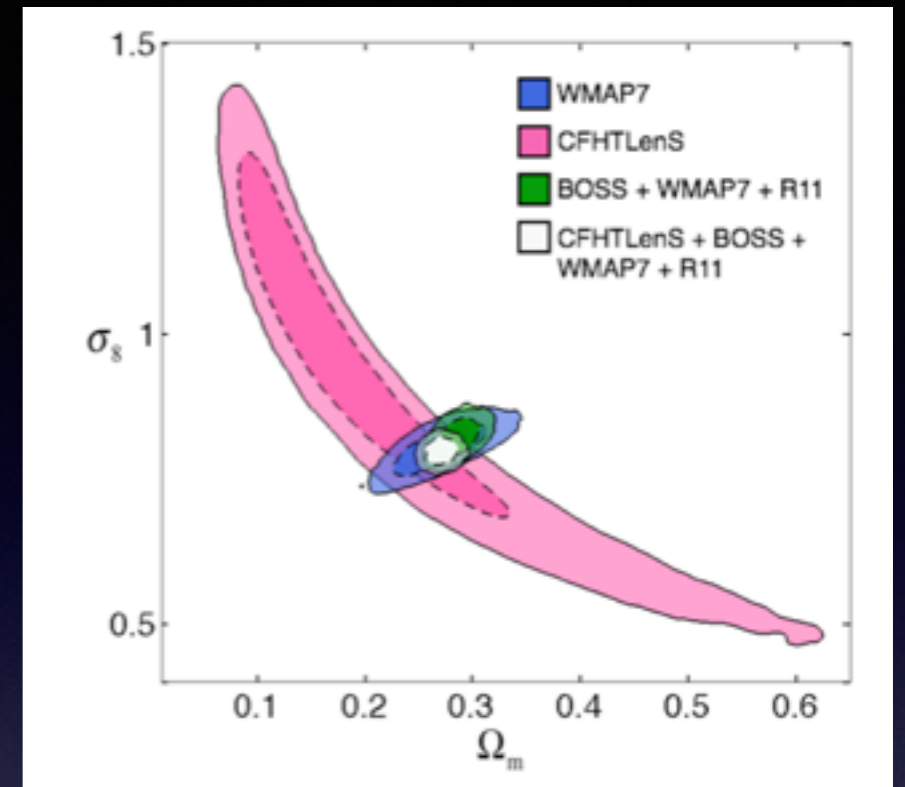
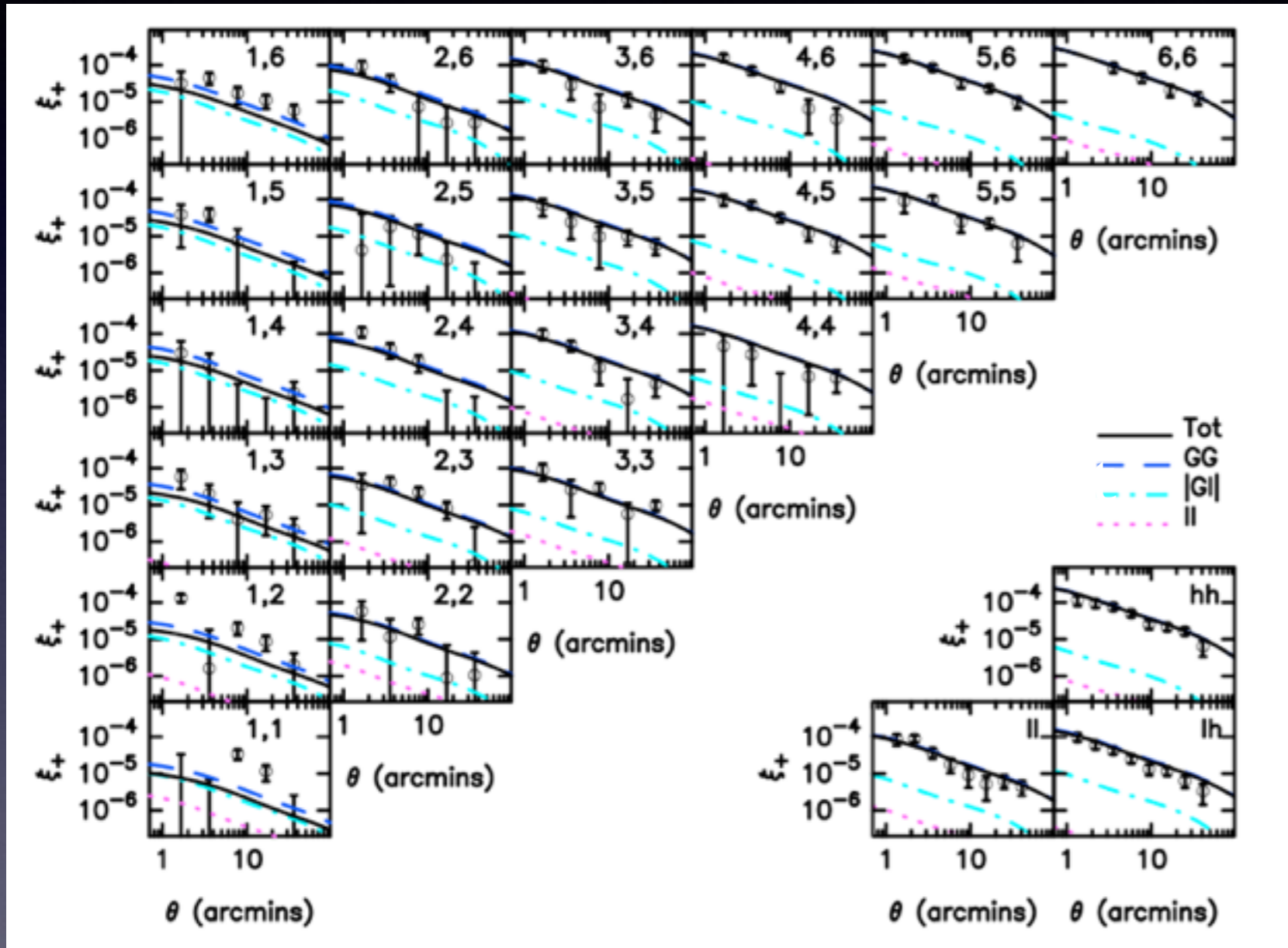
COSMOS Dark Matter Map



COSMOS HST
ACS survey
2 deg²
Massey et al.
2006, Nature

CFHTLenS

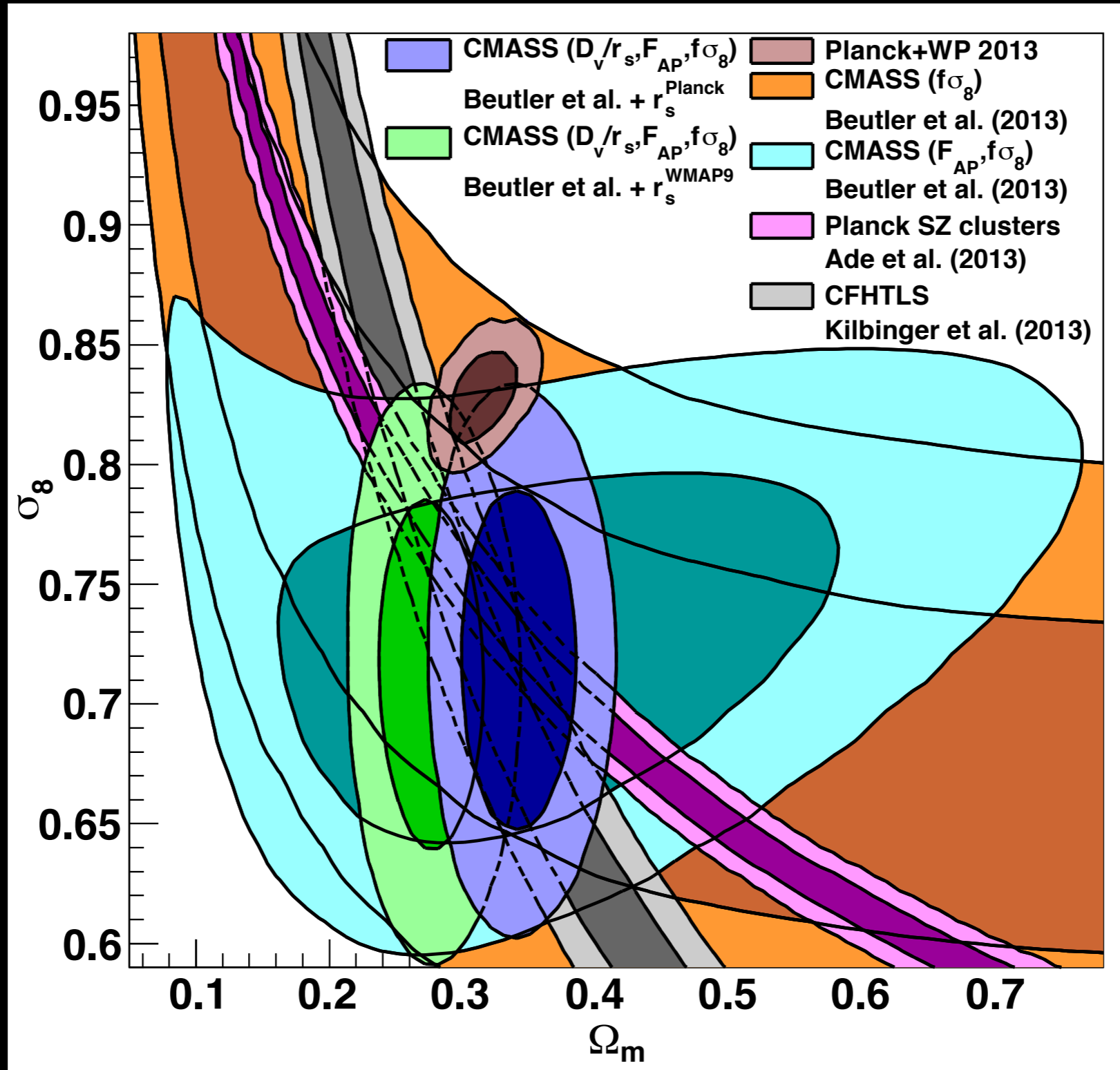
Heymans et al. 2013



154 sq. deg., median $z \sim 0.7$

Power Spectrum Amplitude

Beutler et al. 2014



Wide-Field Instruments

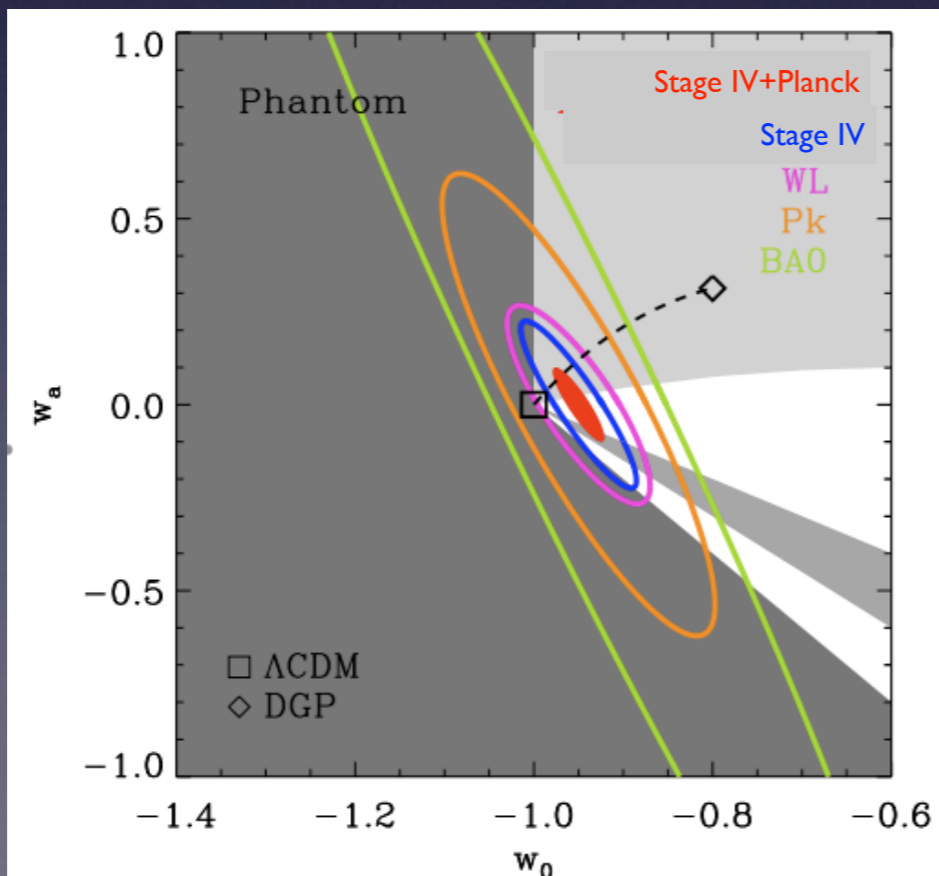
CMB		Planck, SPT, ACT, BICEP2, Keck
VIS/NIR	Imaging	VST, DES, Pan-STARRS, LSST Euclid, WFIRST, Subaru Boss, Wigglez, DESI, HETDEX
	Spectro	
Radio		LOFAR, GBT, Chimes, BINGO, BAORadio, ASKAP, MeerKAT, SKA



Impact on Cosmology

Amara et al. 2008

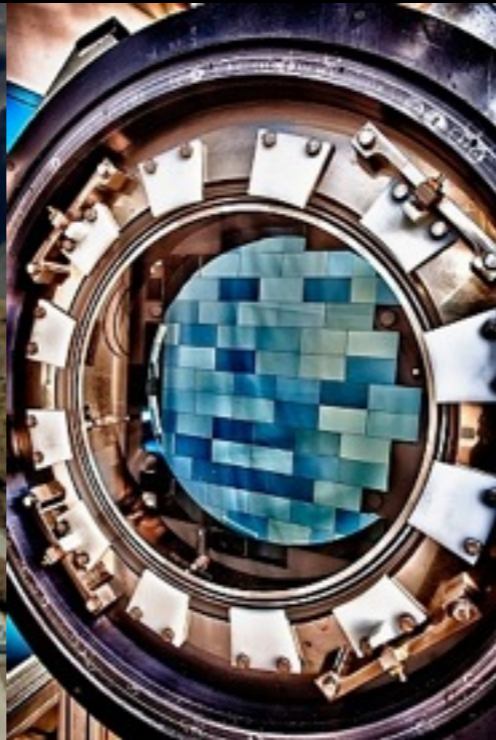
	Δw_p	Δw_a	$\Delta \Omega_m$	$\Delta \Omega_\Lambda$	$\Delta \Omega_b$	$\Delta \sigma_8$	Δn_s	Δh	DE FoM
Current+WMAP	0.13	-	0.01	0.015	0.0015	0.026	0.013	0.013	~10
Planck	-	-	0.008	-	0.0007	0.05	0.005	0.007	-
Weak Lensing	0.03	0.17	0.006	0.04	0.012	0.013	0.02	0.1	180
Imaging Probes	0.018	0.15	0.004	0.02	0.007	0.0009	0.014	0.07	400
Stage IV	0.016	0.13	0.003	0.012	0.005	0.003	0.006	0.020	500
Stage IV+Planck	0.01	0.066	0.0008	0.003	0.0004	0.0015	0.003	0.002	1500
Factor Gain	13	>15	13	5	4	17	4	7	150



Stage IV Surveys will challenge all sectors of the cosmological model:

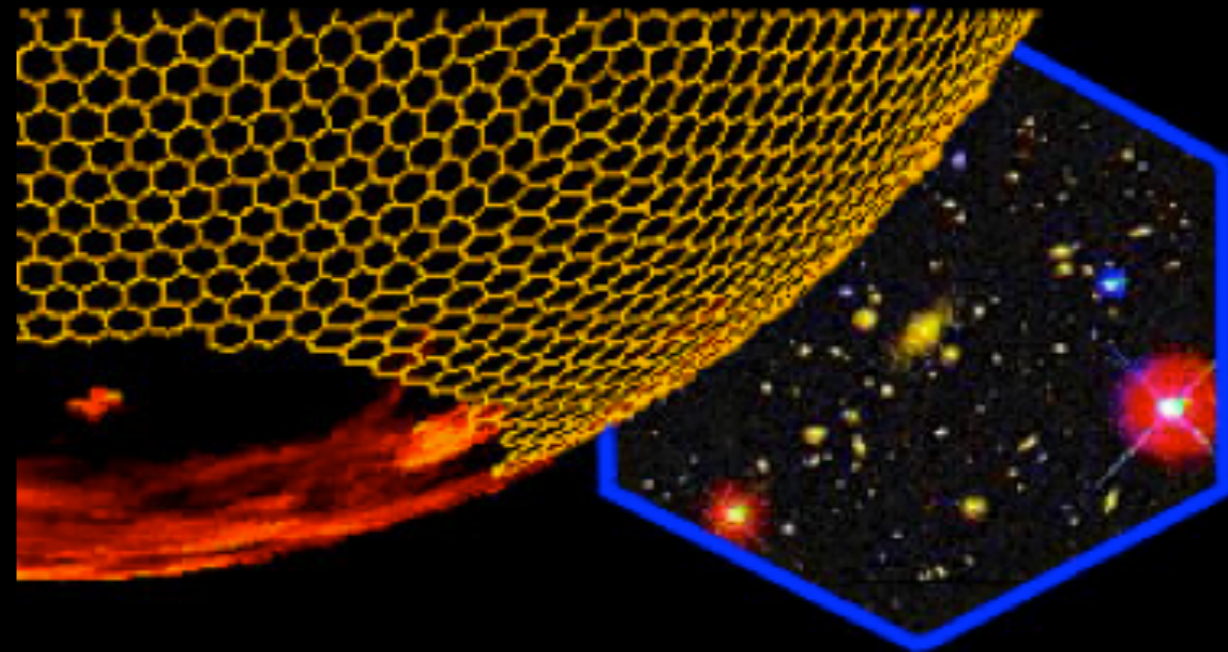
- **Dark Energy:** w_p and w_a with an error of 2% and 13% respectively (no prior)
 - **Dark Matter:** test of CDM paradigm, precision of 0.04eV on sum of neutrino masses (with Planck)
 - **Initial Conditions:** constrain shape of primordial power spectrum, primordial non-gaussianity
 - **Gravity:** test GR by reaching a precision of 2% on the growth exponent ($d \ln_m / d \ln a_m$)
- Uncover new physics and map LSS at $0 < z < 2$:
Low redshift counterpart to CMB surveys

Dark Energy Survey



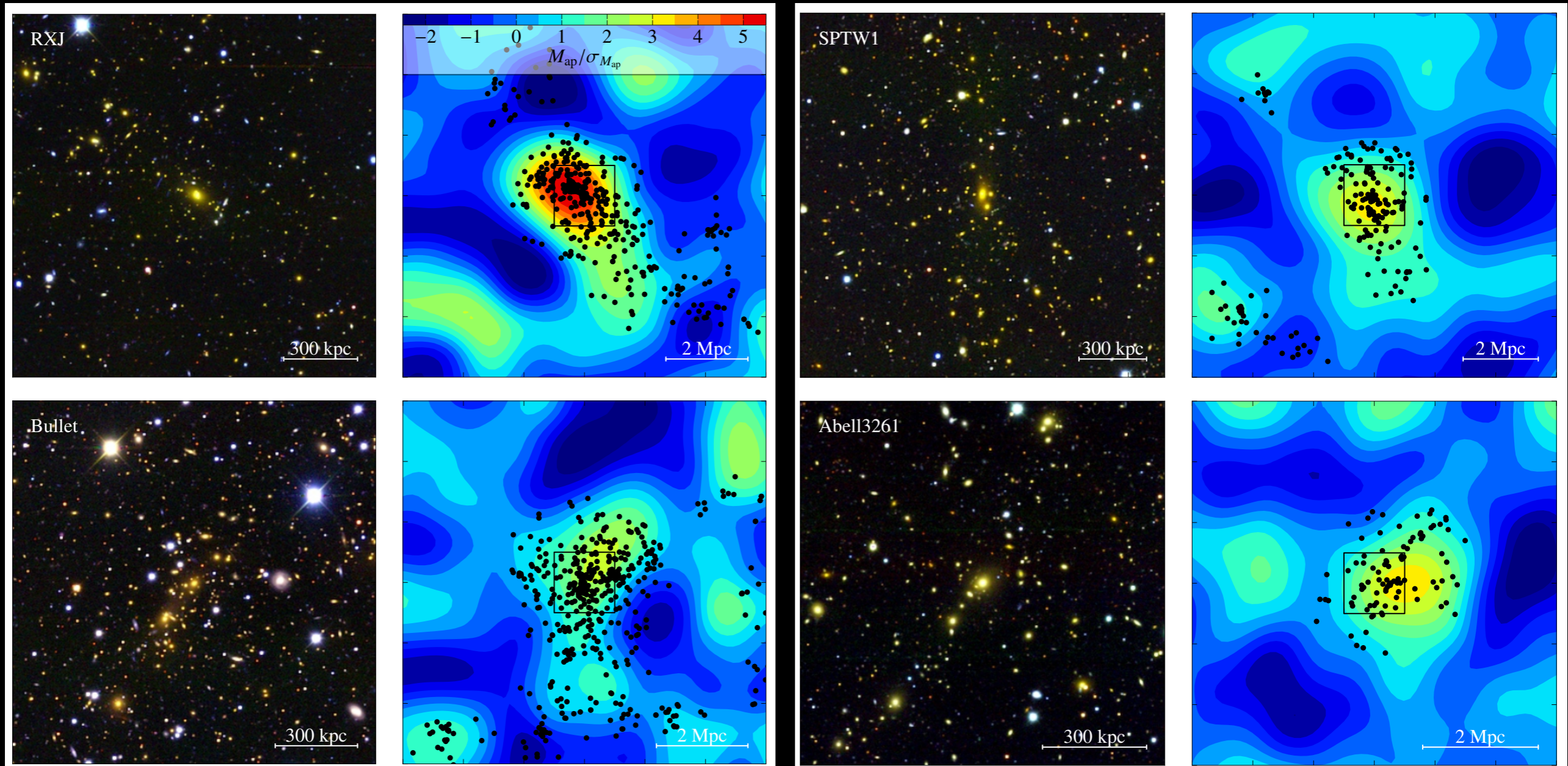
Blanco 4m at CTIO
74 2k×4k CCDs, 0.27"/pix
2.2 deg² FOV
5000 deg² survey (+SNe survey)
g,r,i,z,y to mag 24
200M galaxies

First light Sept 2012



DES Early Results

Melchior et al. 2014



Conclusions

- ▶ Concordance Λ CDM model in good agreement with LSS surveys (although some tensions are present)
- ▶ Current surveys already place constraints on Dark Energy, Neutrinos, Dark Matter and Gravity
- ▶ Great prospects for upcoming and future surveys