

# The lens redshift distribution - Constraints on galaxy mass evolution

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# Talk layout

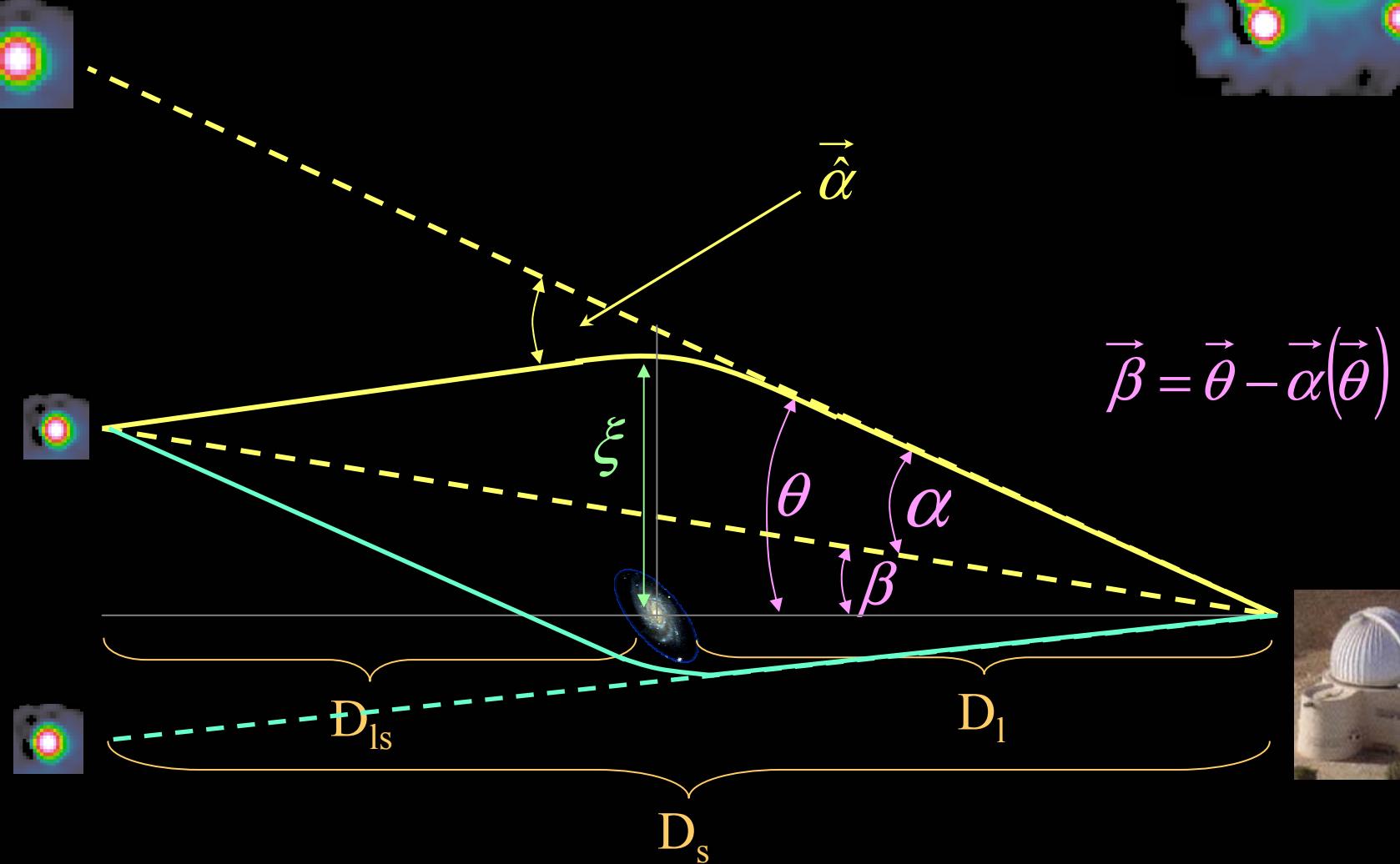
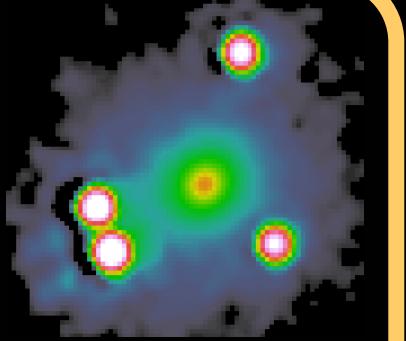
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- ★ Basics of gravitational lensing
- ★ The lens redshift distribution test
- ★ Sample selection
- ★ Constraints on galaxy mass evolution
  - The maximum likelihood and bias

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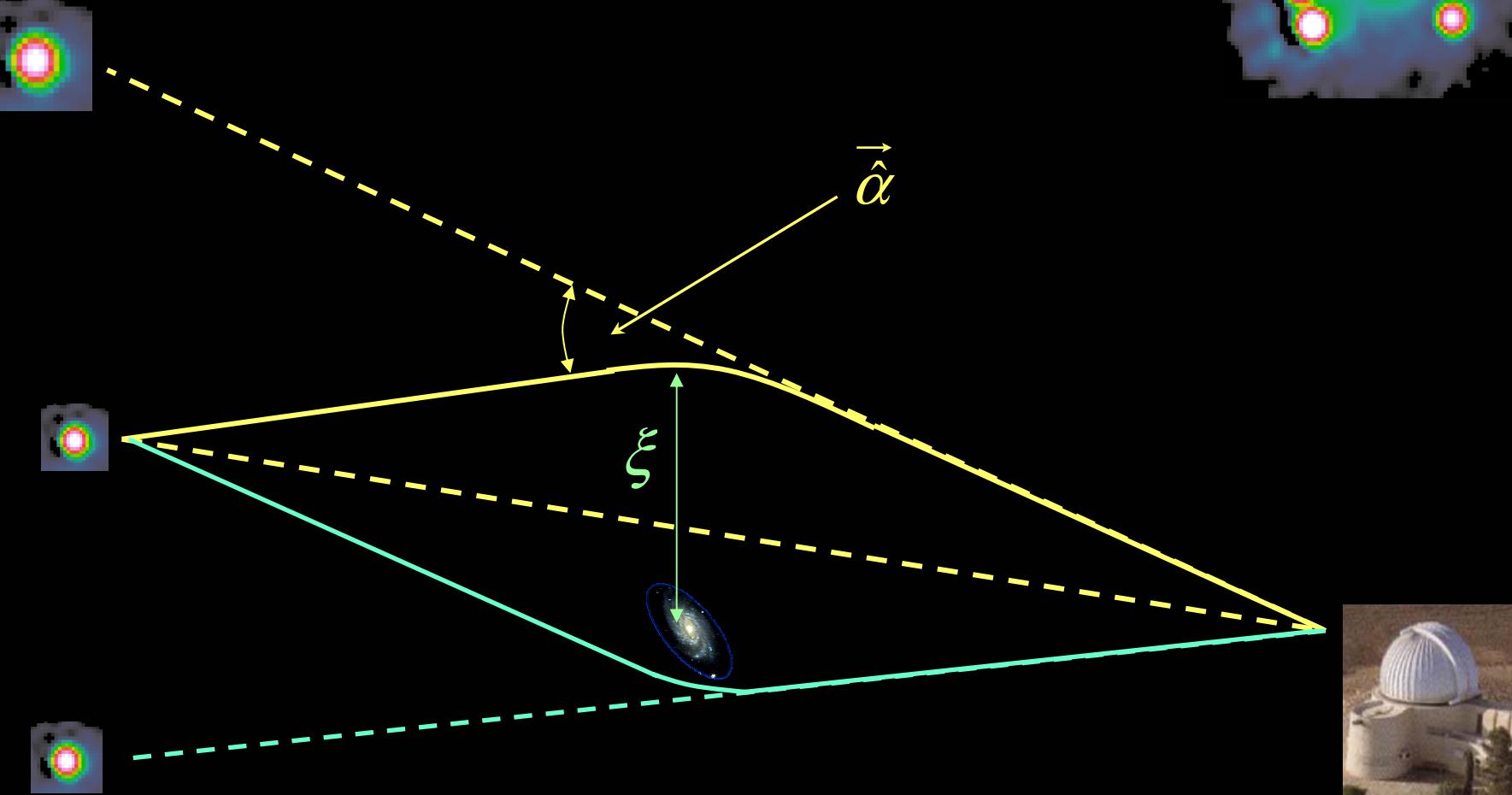
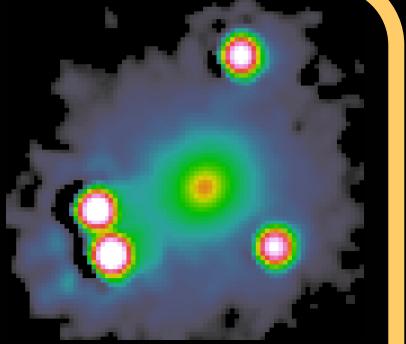
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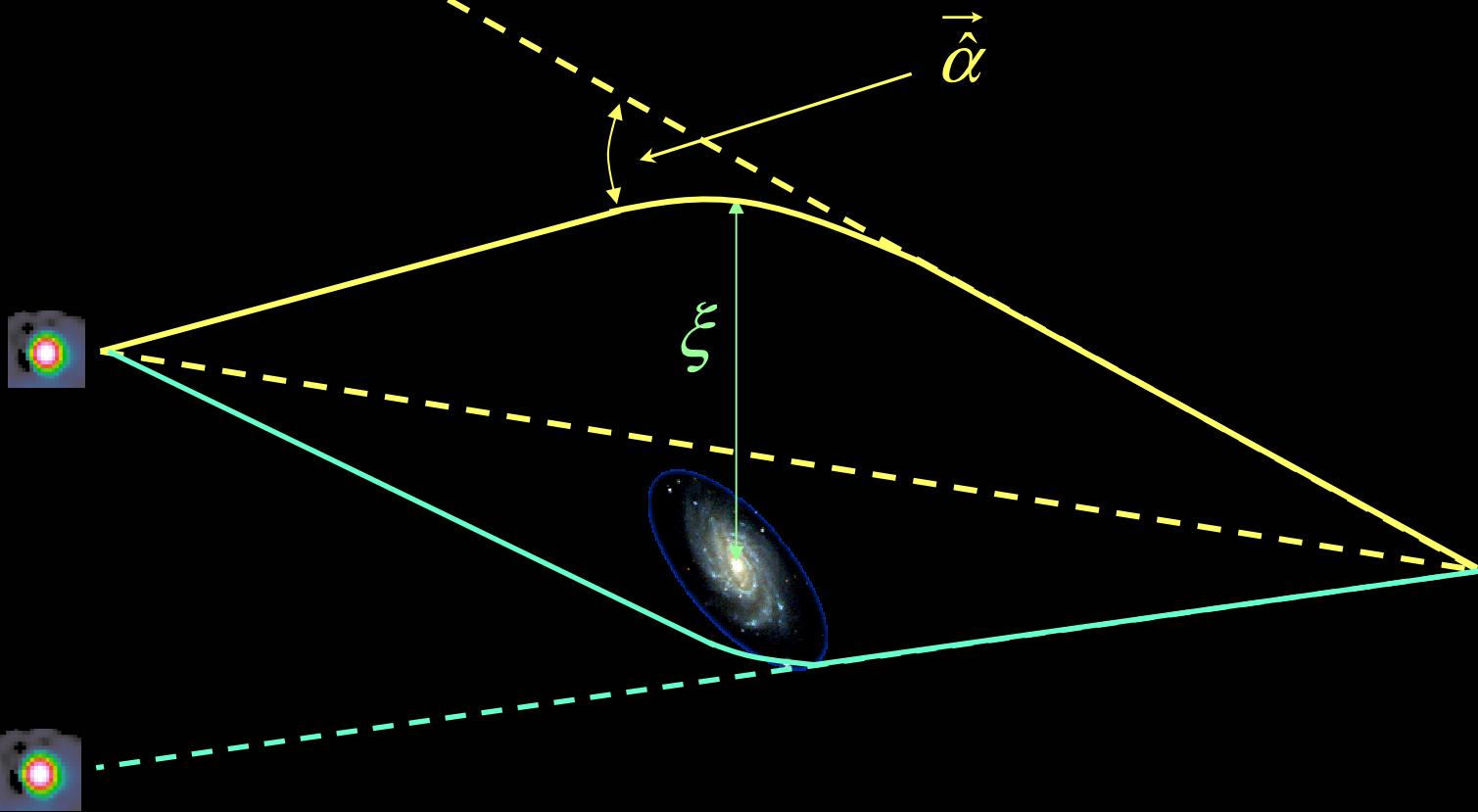
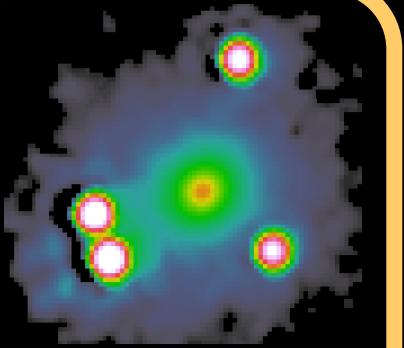
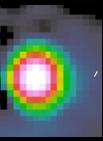
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# Lens Redshift Distribution

Probability  
for Lensing  
 $P(z_l \mid z_s, \theta)$

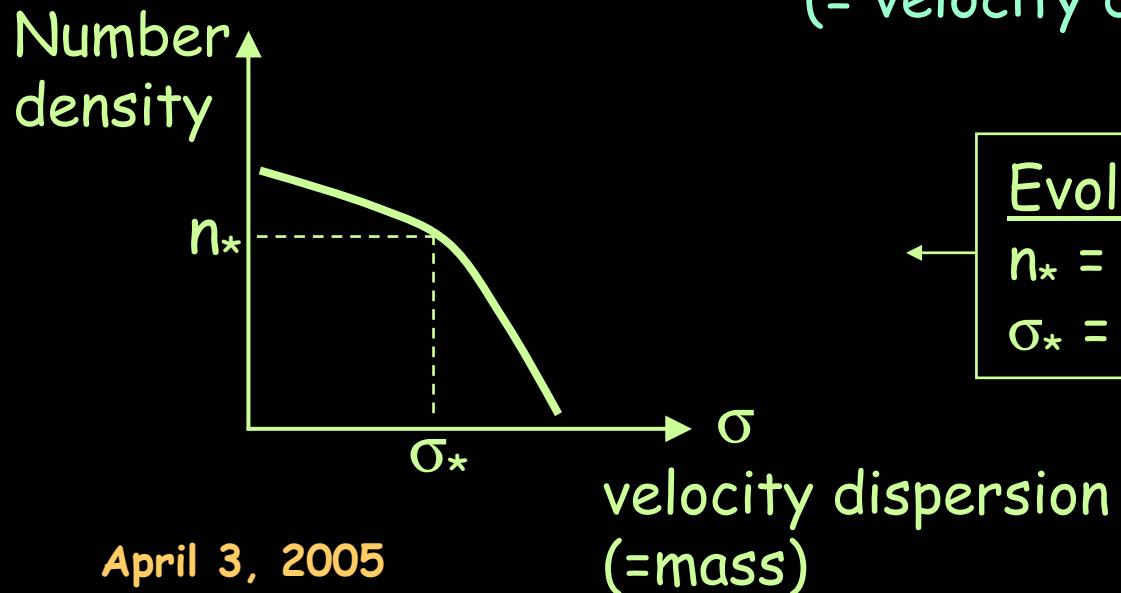
Number  
density of  
Lenses

Given Lens:  
probability  
of  $\theta$

Based on observations:

$\theta$  depends on lens mass  
(= velocity dispersion  $\sigma$ )

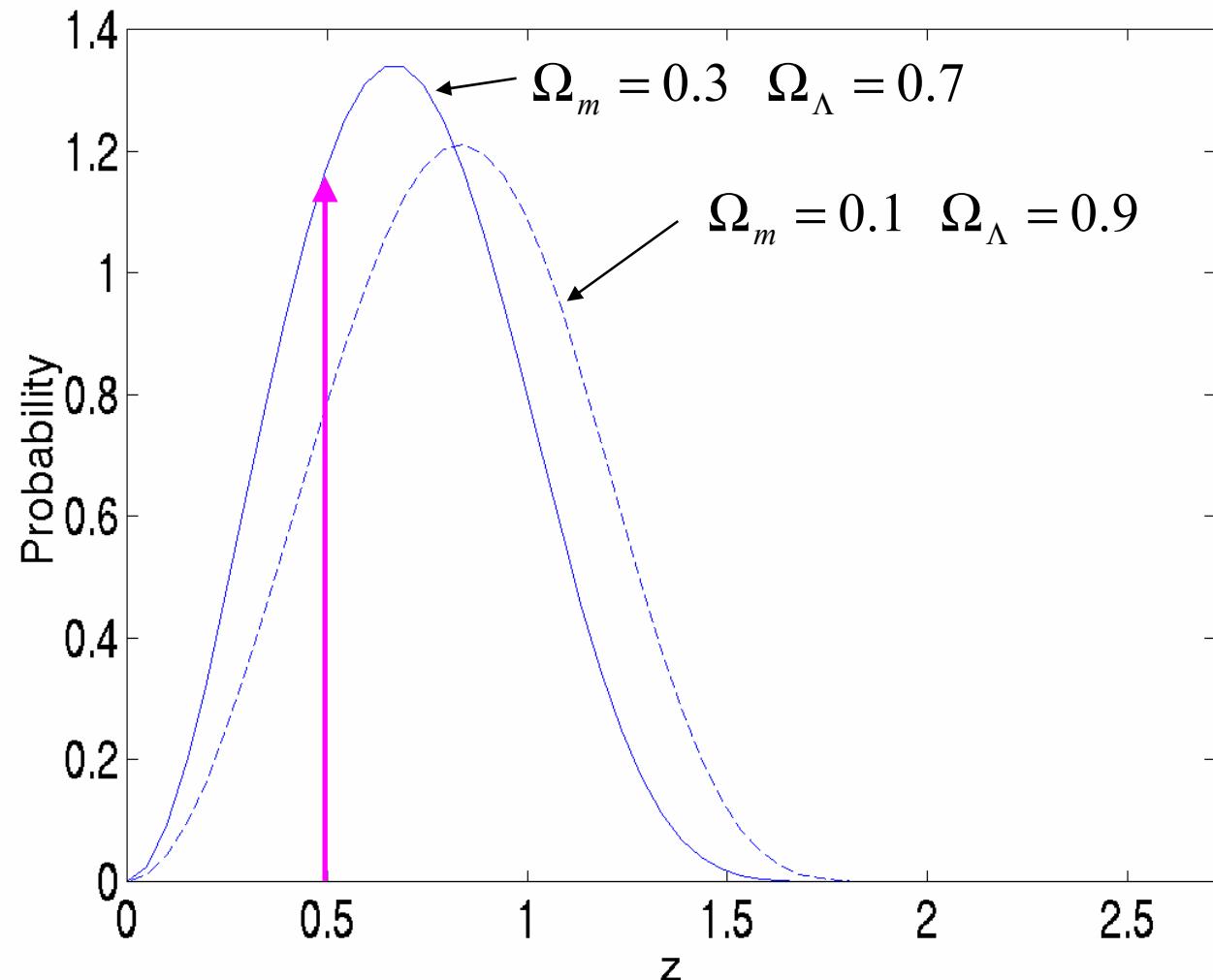
How much  
"distance"  
in redshift  
interval



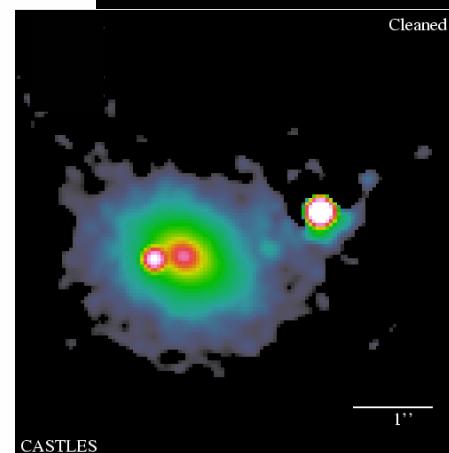
Evolution?  
 $n_* = n_*$  (redshift)  
 $\sigma_* = \sigma_*$  (redshift)



# Lens Redshift Distribution - Example



$z_s = 2.72$   
 $z_l = 0.49$   
 $\theta = 1.12''$





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# Selecting a sample

- ★ Image separation is prior



Doesn't depend on angular selection completeness

- ★ Missing redshift information?



Kochanek (1996):

truncated the redshift probability distribution beyond the redshift at which the lens galaxy become too faint to have its redshift measured



# The Sample

- ★ More than 80 gravitational lenses known
- ★ We need lenses with complete redshift information
- ★ Ignoring lenses without redshift information → Bias



Source redshift cut

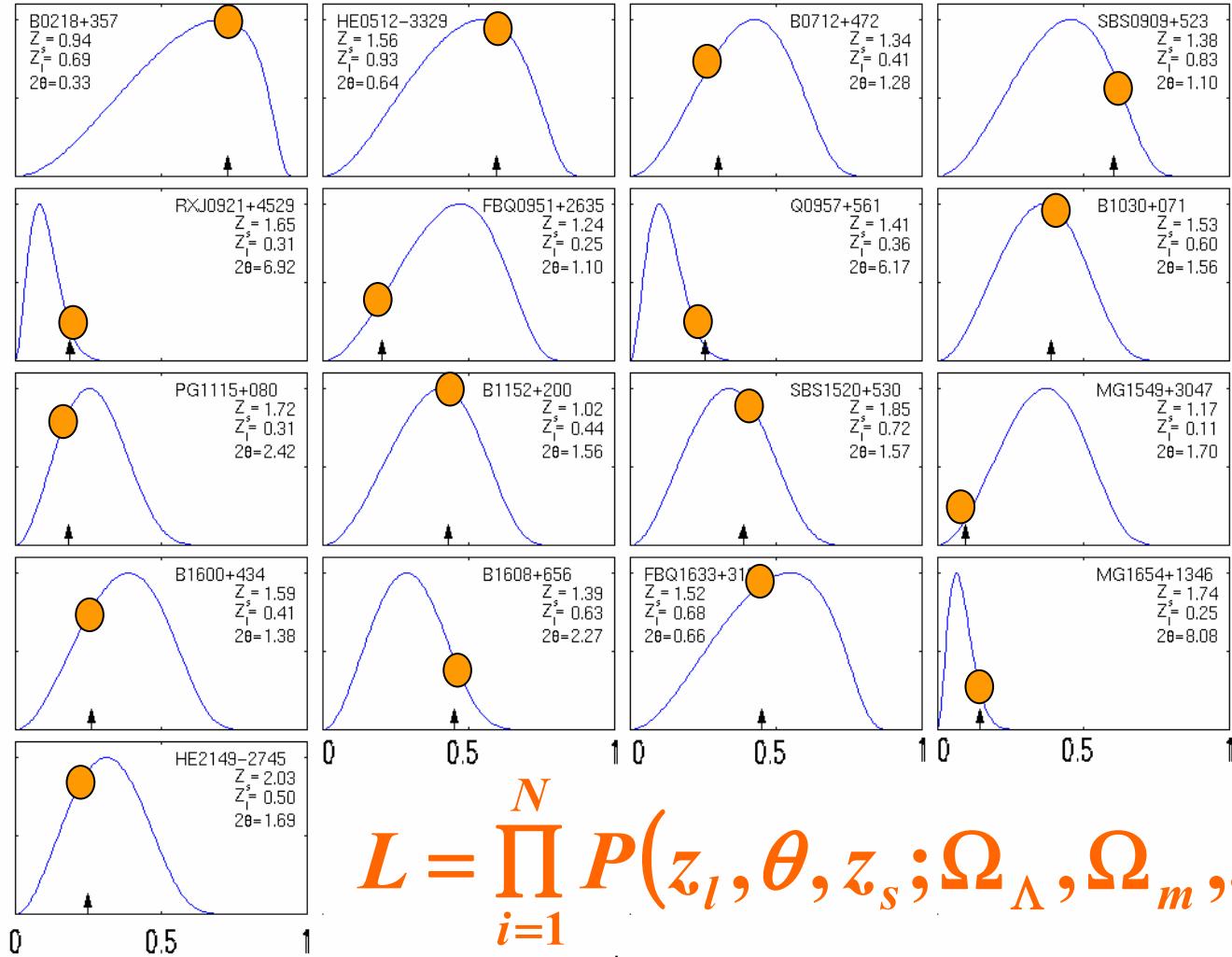
Sample I       $z_s < 2.1$       N=14

Sample II       $z_s < 1.7$       N=11



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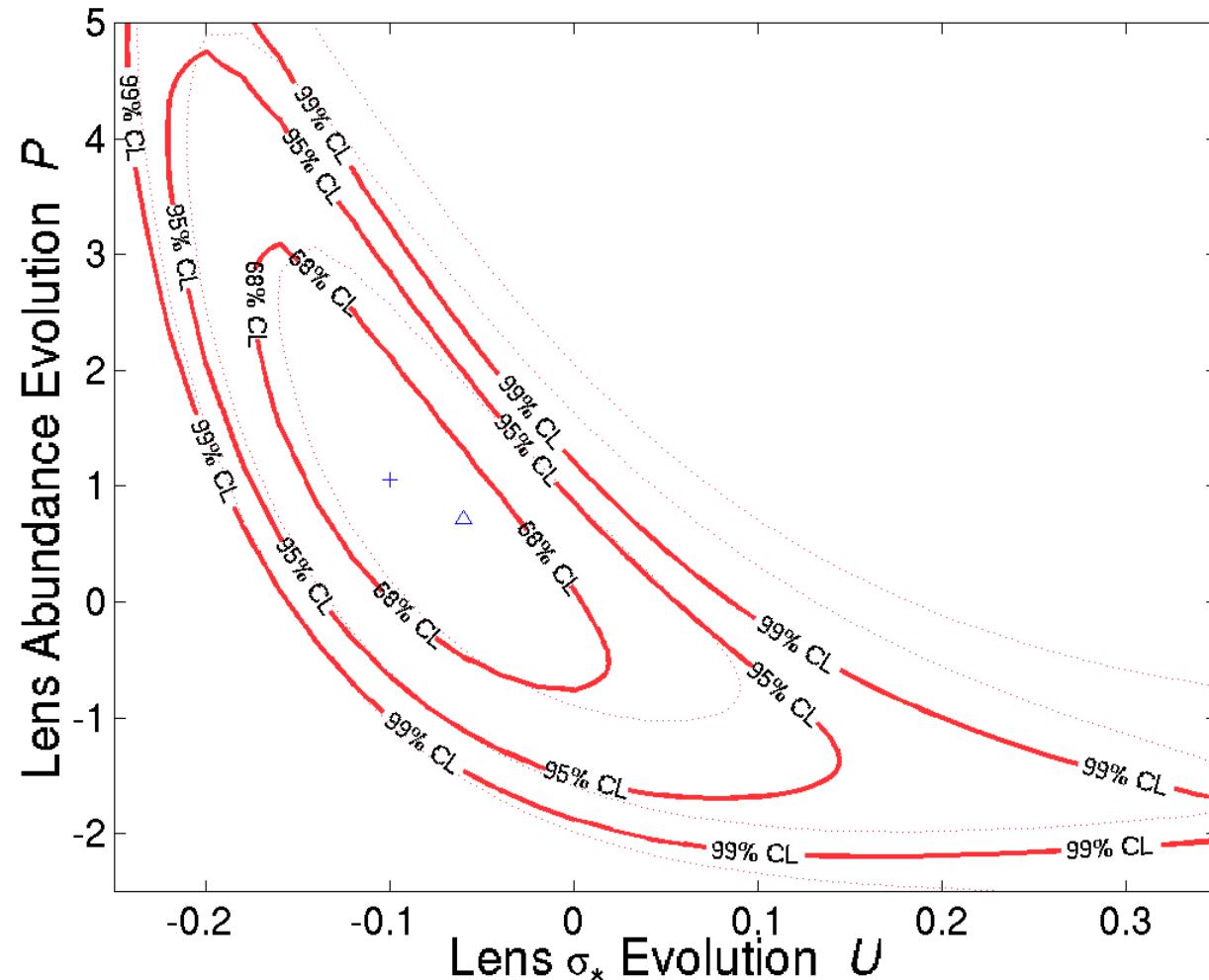
# Probability vs. Lenses



$$L = \prod_{i=1}^N P(z_l, \theta, z_s; \Omega_\Lambda, \Omega_m, \dots)$$



# Galaxy Mass Evolution



$$\Omega_\Lambda = 0.7$$

$$\Omega_m = 0.3$$

$$P = +0.7^{+1.4}_{-1.2}$$

$$U = -0.10^{+0.06}_{-0.06}$$

definitions

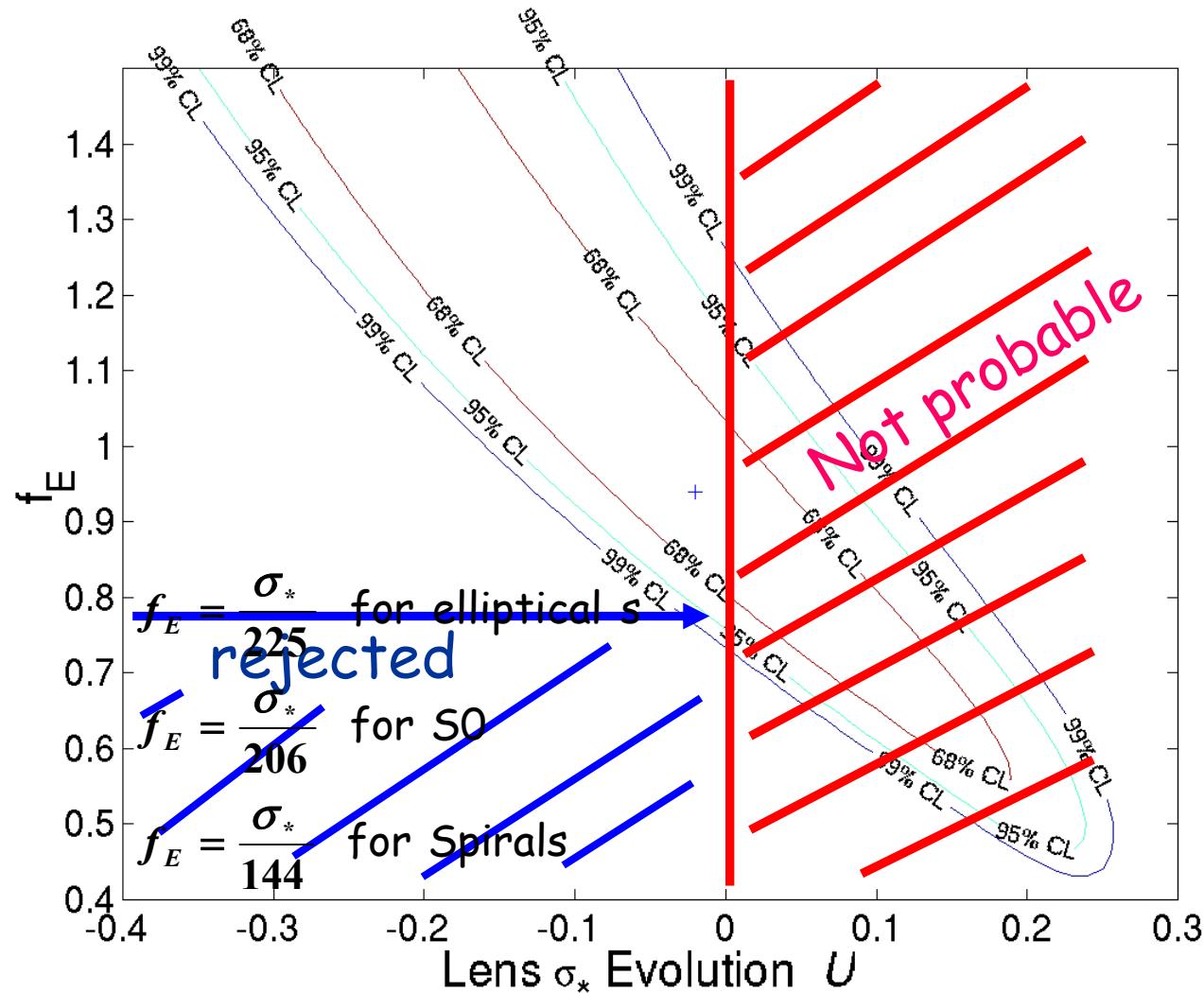
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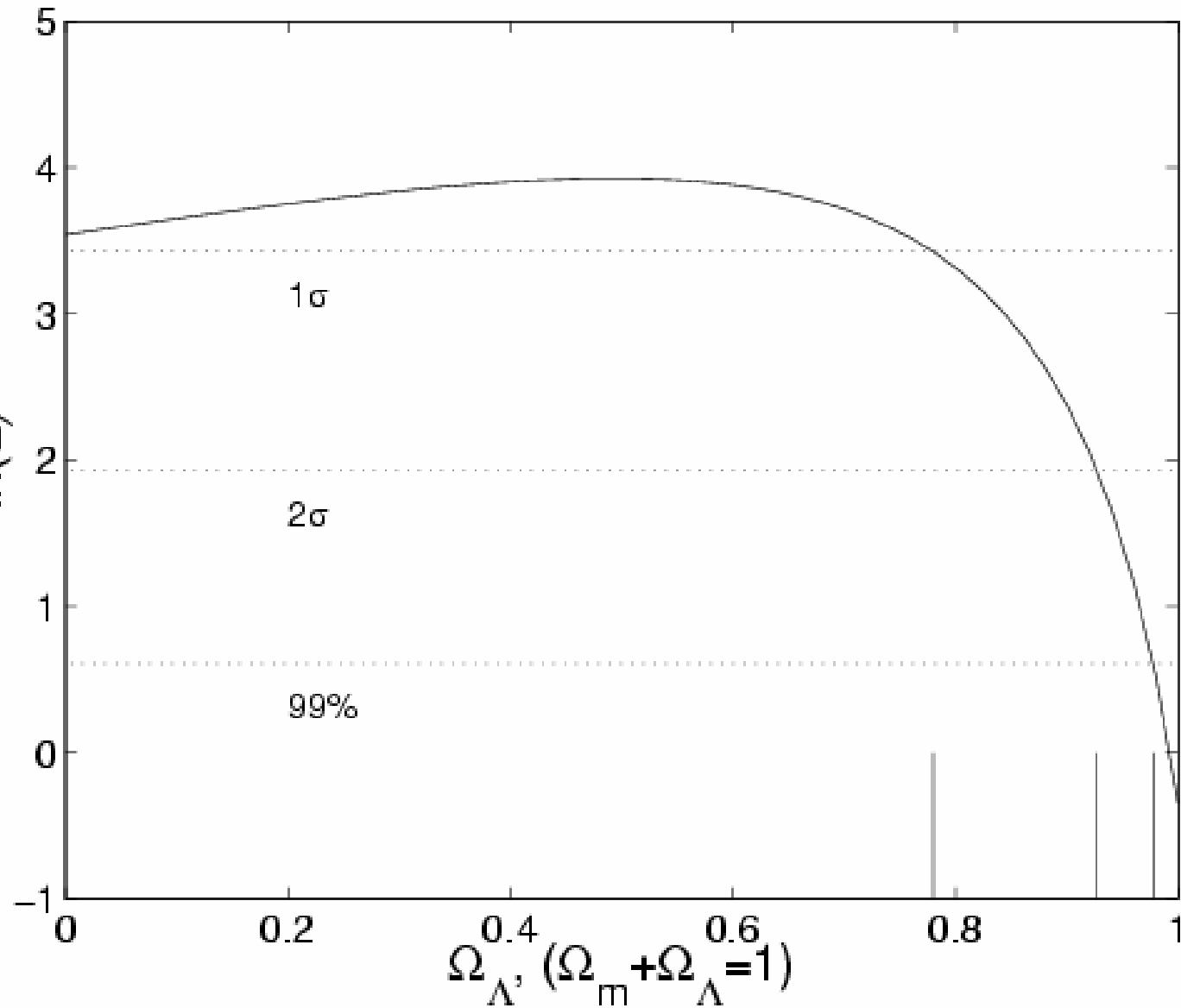


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# Cosmology



No evolution  
Flat Universe

$$\Omega_{\Lambda} = 0.49^{+0.29}_{-0.59}$$



# Jackknife - bias and outliers

Given a sample  $S_1, \dots, S_n$ : calculate statistic  $T$

Drop point number  $k$  ( $= S_k$ ).

Calculate  $T(S_1, \dots, S_{k-1}, S_{k+1}, \dots, S_n) = T_{i \neq k}$

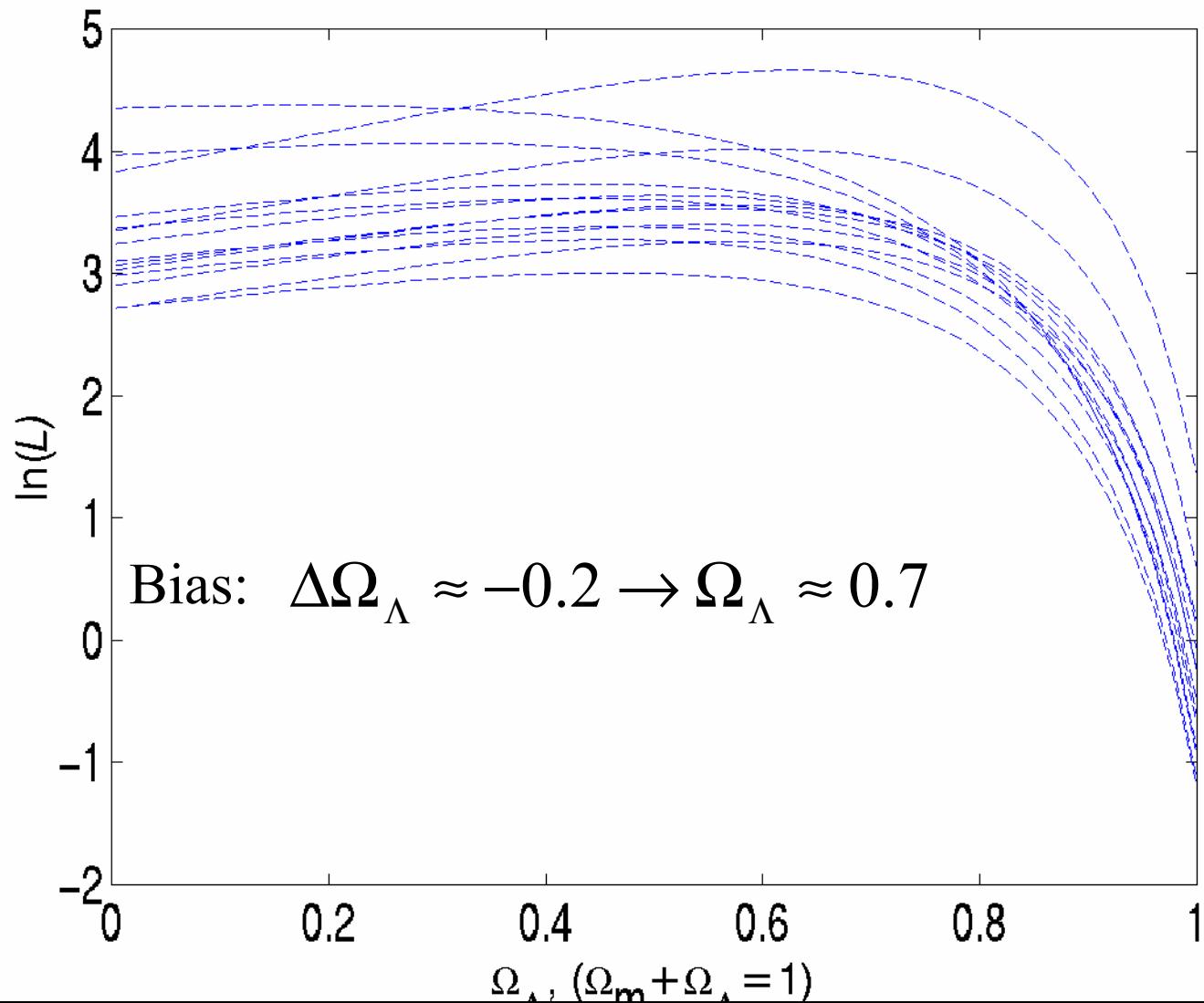
$$StD = \sqrt{\frac{N-1}{N} \sum_i^N (T_{i \neq K} - \langle T_{i \neq K} \rangle)}$$

Quenouille-Tukey jackknife bias:

$$Bias = (N-1)(\langle T_{i \neq K} \rangle - \langle T_i \rangle)$$



# Jackknife - bias and outliers





# Summary

- ★ Sensitive to galaxy mass evolution
- ★ Assuming “standard cosmology”

$\sigma_* @ z \sim 1 > 65\% \text{ of its current value (95\% CL)}$

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$$d\log[\sigma_*(z)]/dz = -0.10_{-0.06, -0.10}^{+0.06, +0.15}$$

$$d\log[n_*(z)]/dz = +0.7_{-1.2}^{+1.4}$$

- ★ Assuming no evolution  $\sigma_* > 175 \text{ km s}^{-1} @ 95\% CL$

$$f_E = 0.90_{-0.07, -0.12}^{+0.08, +0.19}$$



# End

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# Lens Redshift Distribution

$$\frac{d\tau}{dz}(\theta, z_{source}) = n(\theta, z) A(\theta)$$

Number density of lenses

=

galaxy mass function

$$\theta(\sigma)$$

$$\frac{cdt}{dz}$$

Proper distance interval

Lensing cross section  
 $\theta(\sigma)$

Schechter function

$$n(\sigma)$$

Faber-Jackson relation

$$n_*(z) = n_* 10^{P_z}$$

$$\sigma_*(z) = \sigma_* 10^{U_z}$$

# Sensitivity

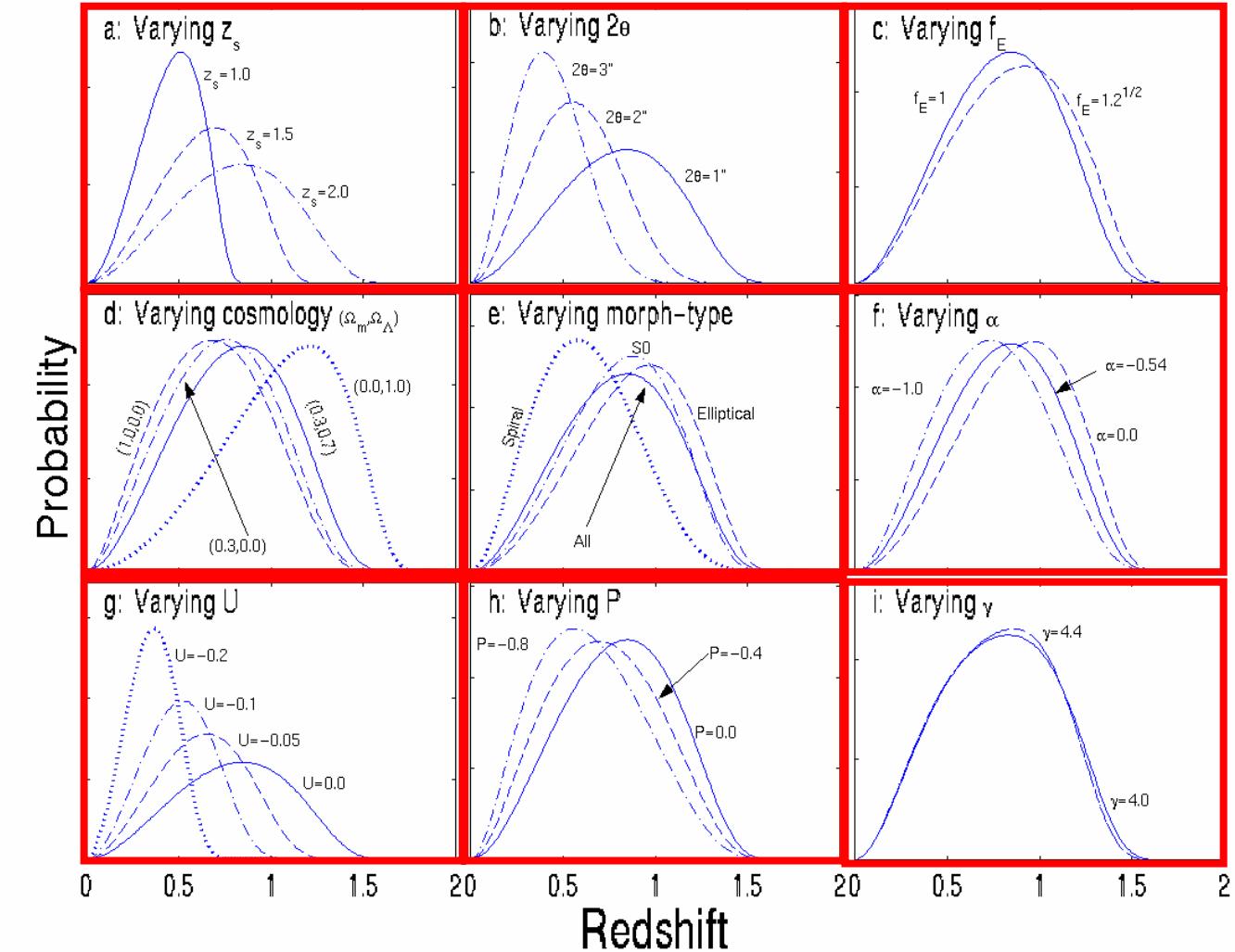
$$z_s = 2.0$$

$$2\theta = 1''$$

definitions

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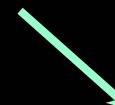
# Future Work

★ Obtain additional lens redshift

Maoz, Rix, & Kochanek (@ VLT)



Larger sample



Higher redshift ( $z \sim 1.5$ )

★ Use velocity dispersion function

e.g., Sheth et al. (2003)



## Spherical Isothermal Sphere

$$\rho \propto \frac{1}{r^2}$$

- ★ SIS assumption is consistent with data:
  - Galaxy dynamics (Rix et al. 1997)
  - X-ray emission from ellipticals (Fabbiano et al. 1989)
  - Lensing (Treu & Koopmans 2002)
- ★ SIS lenses → Einstein radius =  $\frac{1}{2}$  image separation
- ★ For SIS the Einstein radius:  $\theta_E = 4\pi \frac{\sigma^2}{c^2} \frac{D_{ls}}{D_s}$



# Previous Work

Sample size

◆ Kochanek 1992

**N=4**

◆ Helbig & Kayser 1996

**N=6**

◆ Kochanek 1996

**N=8**



Weak constraints on cosmology

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# Lens Redshift Distribution

$$\frac{d\tau}{dz}(\theta, z) = \tau_N 10^{z[-U\gamma(1+\alpha)+P]} f_E^2 (1+z)^3 \frac{D_{ls}}{D_s} D_l^2 \frac{cdt}{dz} \left( \frac{\theta}{\theta_*} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}\gamma(1+\alpha)+1} \exp \left[ - \left( \frac{\theta}{\theta_*} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}\gamma} 10^{-zU\gamma} \right]$$

$$\tau_N = 4\pi^2 n_* \frac{\gamma}{2} \left( \frac{\sigma_*}{c} \right)^2$$

Parameters : 2dF - Madgwick et al. (2002)

	Spiral	S0	Elliptical
$\alpha$	-1.16	-0.54	-0.54
$n_*$ [ $h^3 \text{ Mpc}^3$ ]	$1.46 \times 10^{-2}$	$0.61 \times 10^{-2}$	$0.39 \times 10^{-2}$
$\gamma$	2.6	4.0	4.0
$\sigma_*$ [ $\text{km s}^{-1}$ ]	144	206	225

# Problems

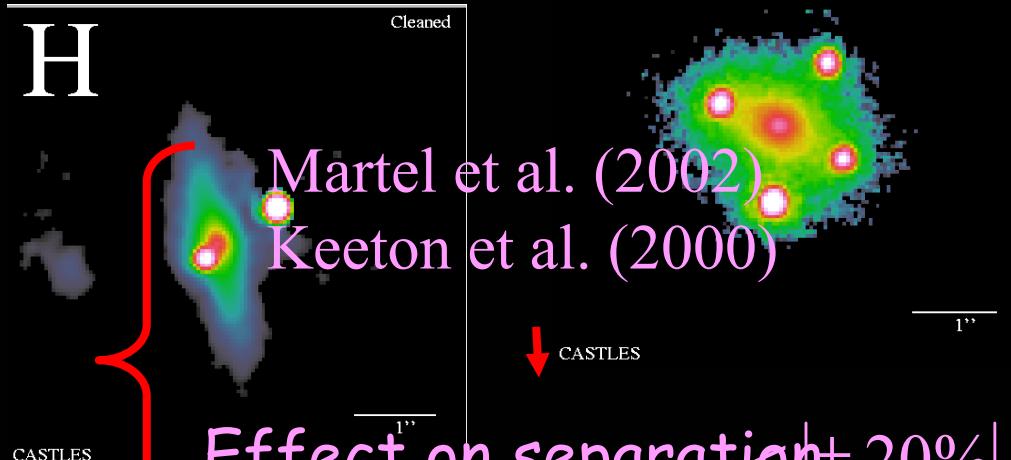
★ Lenses discovered based on lens-properties

Q2237+0305

★ Missing redshifts

Photometric Redshift - FBQ0951+2635

★ Galaxy evolution



★ Clusters

★ Mass profile of galaxies

Effect on separation  $\pm 20\%$   
Kochanek (1996) - small effect



# Galaxy Evolution

Van Dokkum et al. (1998)	0.83	$T \approx -0.45$
Keeton, Kochanek & Falco (1998)	~1	$T \approx -0.5$
Lin et al. (1999)	0.55	$P = -0.7 \pm 0.2$ $Q = 0.8 \pm 0.2$
van Dokkum et al. (2001)	0.55	$T = -0.59 \pm 0.15$
Cohen (2002)	~1	$Q \approx 0.6$
Rusin et al. (2002)	~1	$T = -0.56 \pm 0.04$
Im et al. (2002)	~1	$Q = 0.8 \pm 0.3$ $P = -0.26 \pm 0.20$

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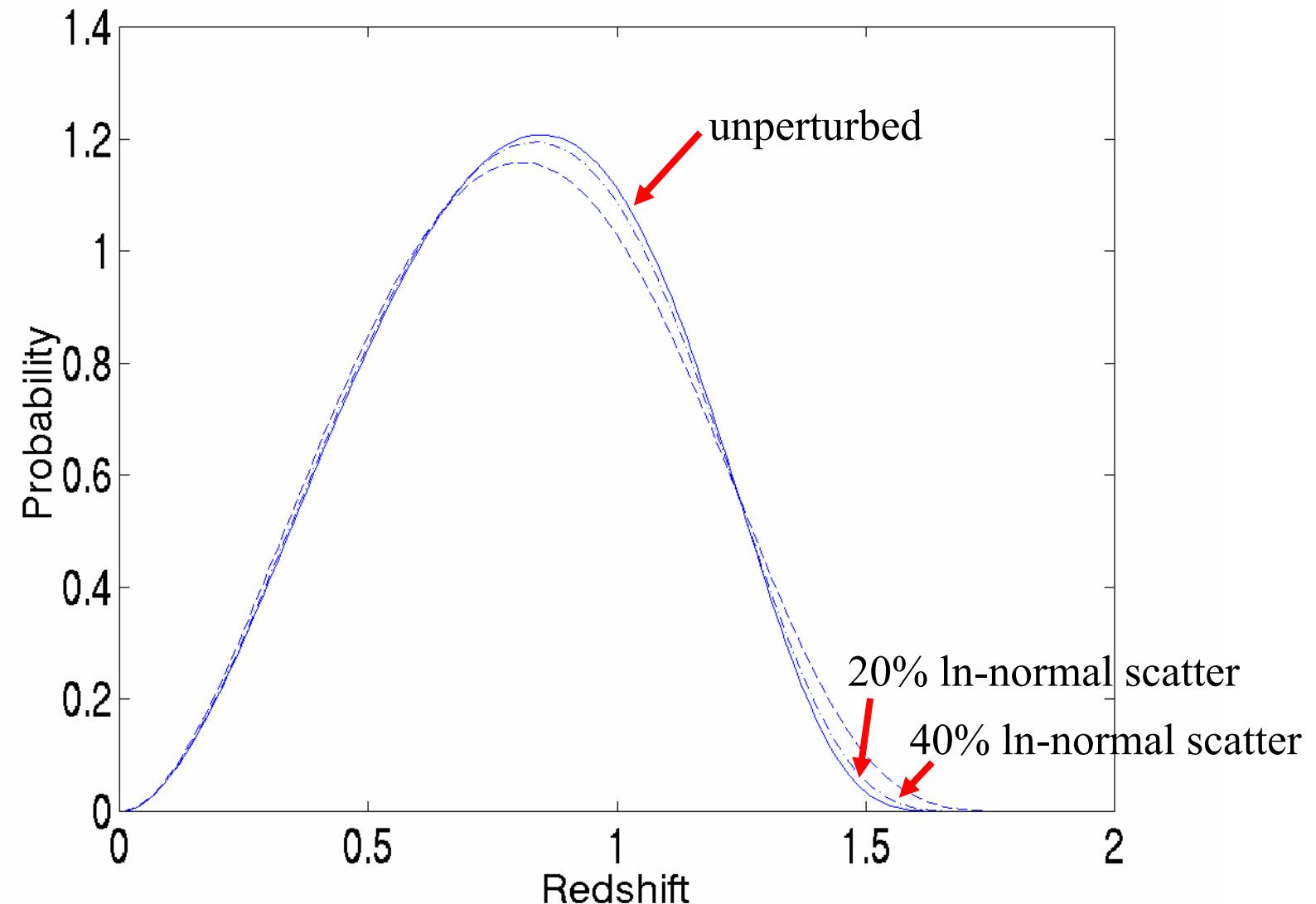
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$$\left(\frac{M}{L}\right)(z) = \left(\frac{M}{L}\right)_0 10^{Tz}$$

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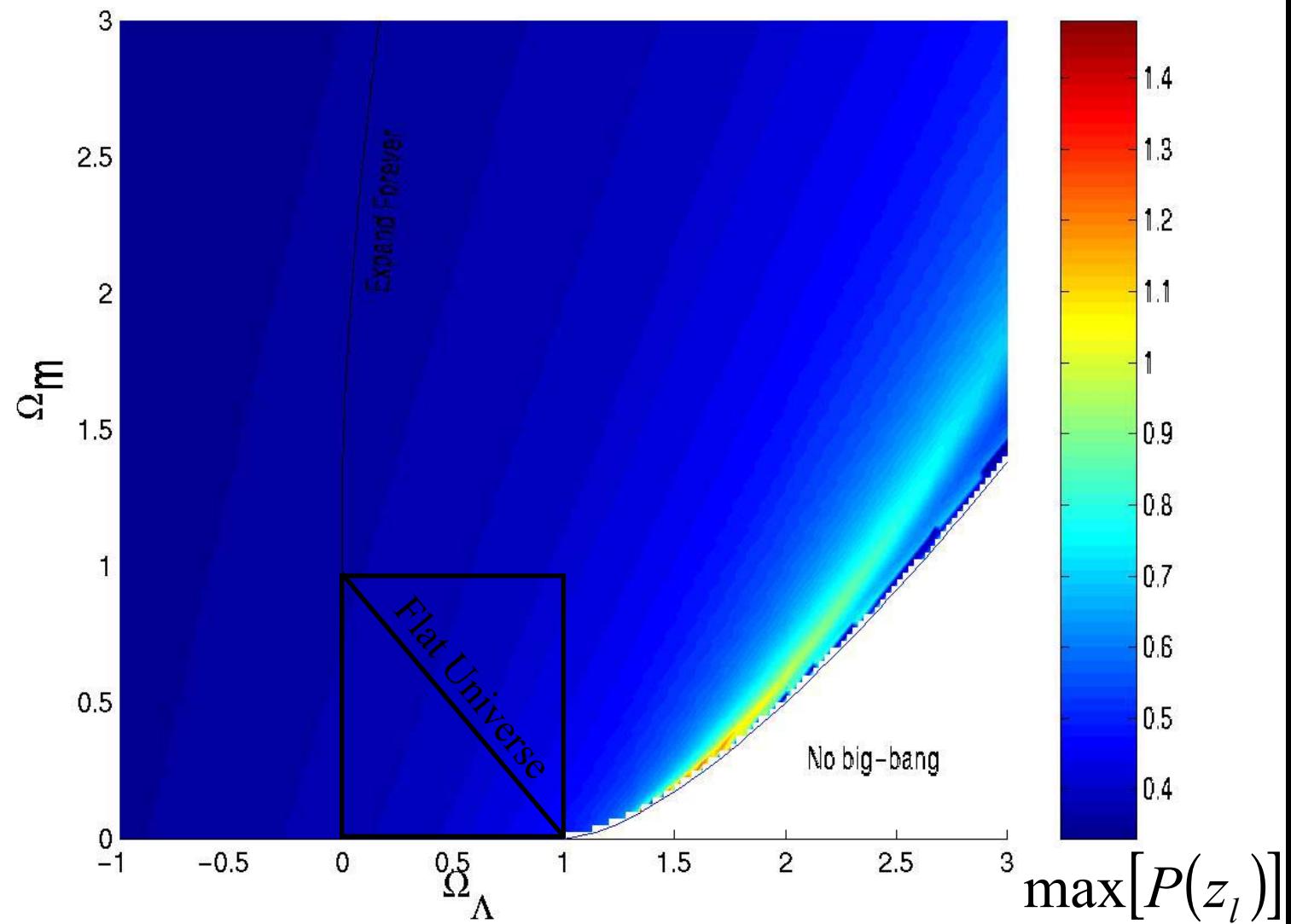


# Scatter of the Faber-Jackson





# Sensitivity - Cosmology

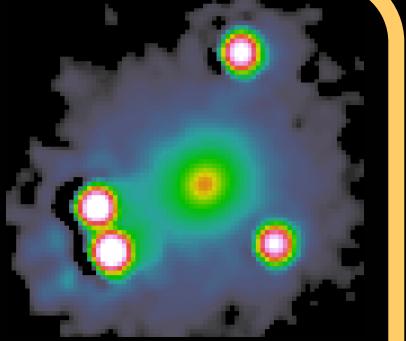


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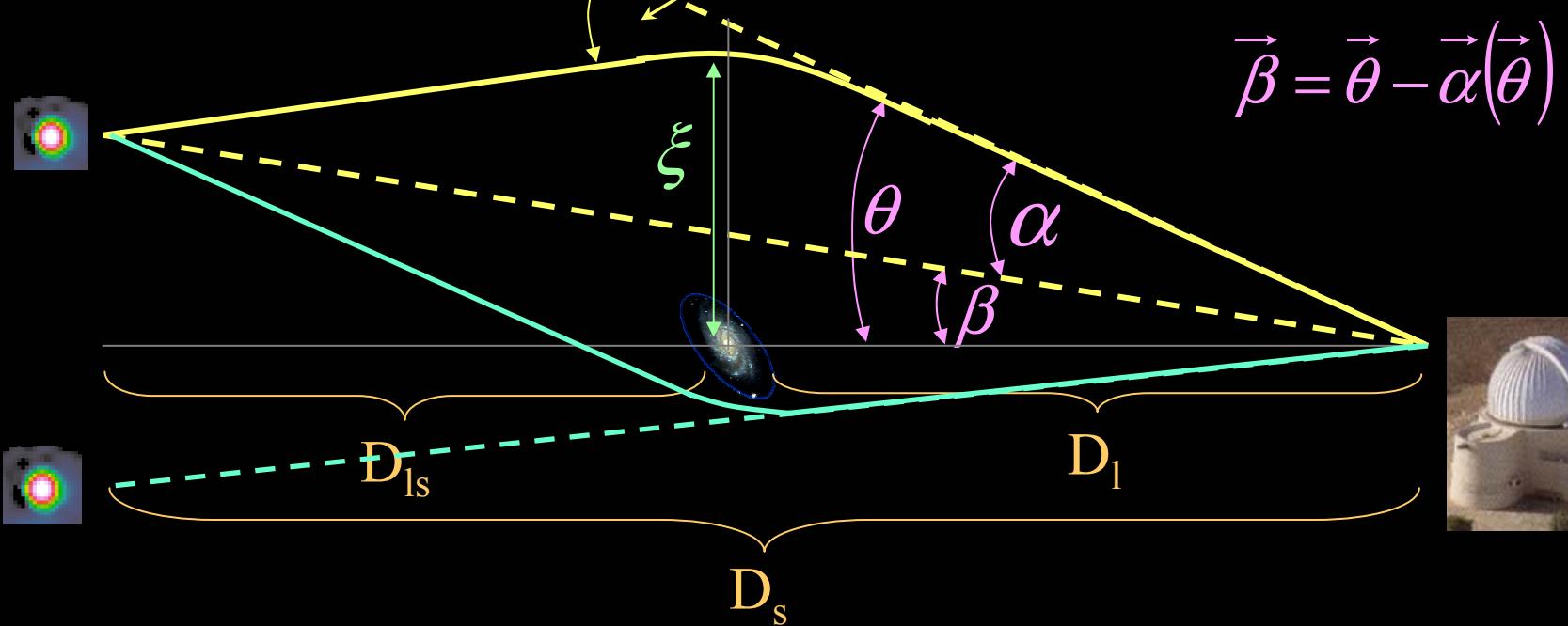
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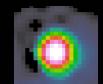
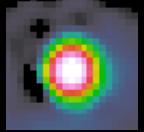
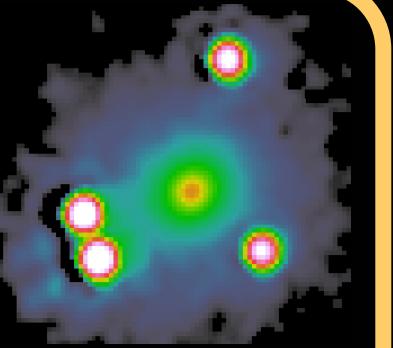


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$$\hat{\alpha} \approx \frac{2}{c^2} \int \nabla_{\perp} \Phi d\ell = \frac{4GM(\xi)}{c^2 \xi}$$

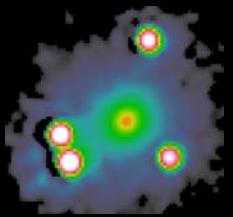


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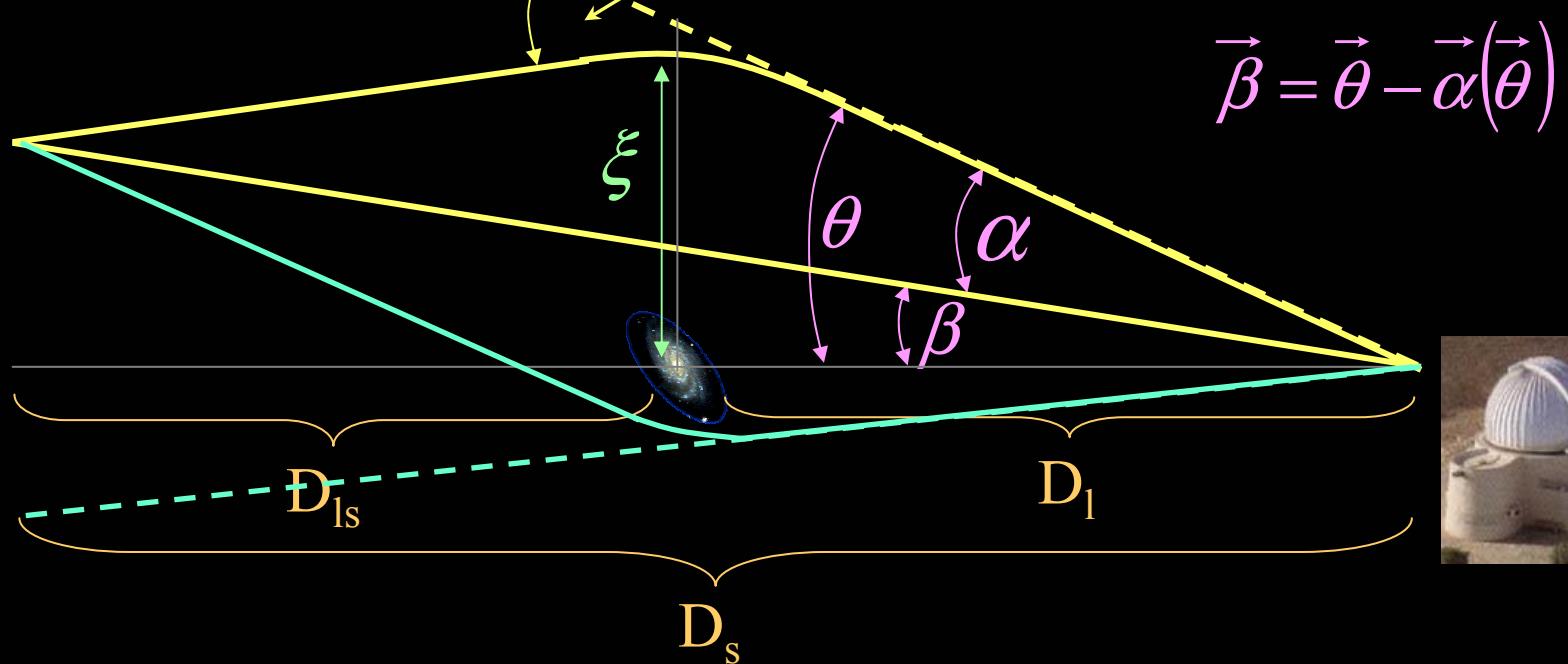
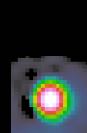


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