

Cosmic shear from KiDS: S_8 tension?

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- Main question: “***How much has the amplitude of large-scale density fluctuations grown since decoupling?***”
Expected Λ CDM answer: a factor of $\sim (1+z_{\text{CMB}})$
- Weak lensing as probe of large-scale structure & cosmology
- KiDS and other surveys
- S_8 as a measure of LSS
- The importance of accurate redshifts
- Current results
- Next steps
 - See Hendrik Hildebrandt’s talk on Tuesday for more on KiDS



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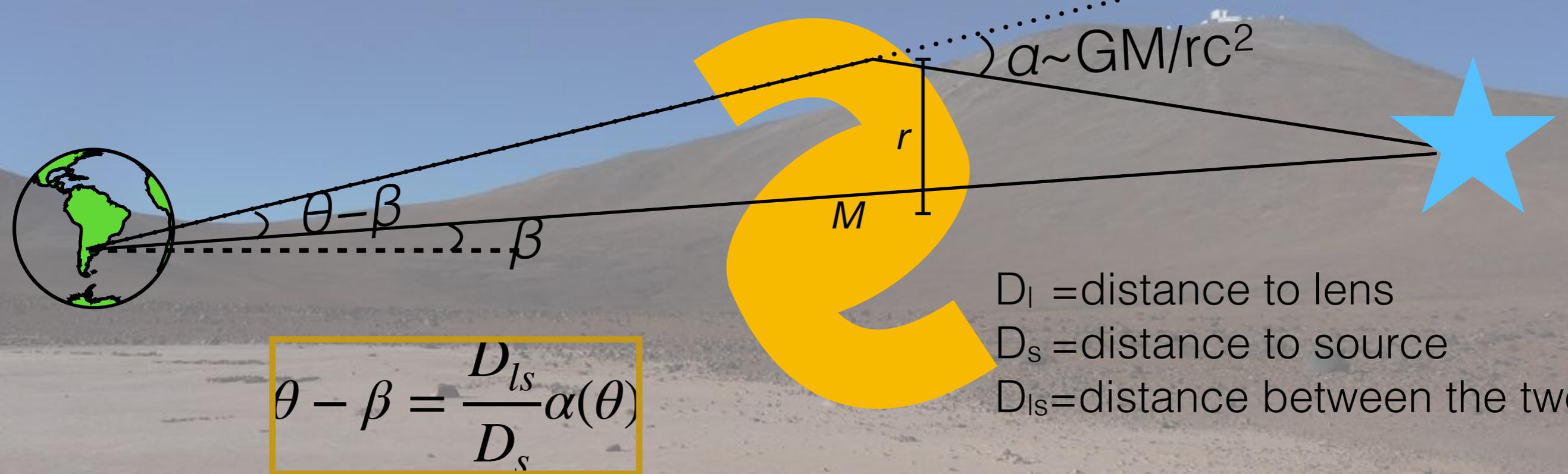


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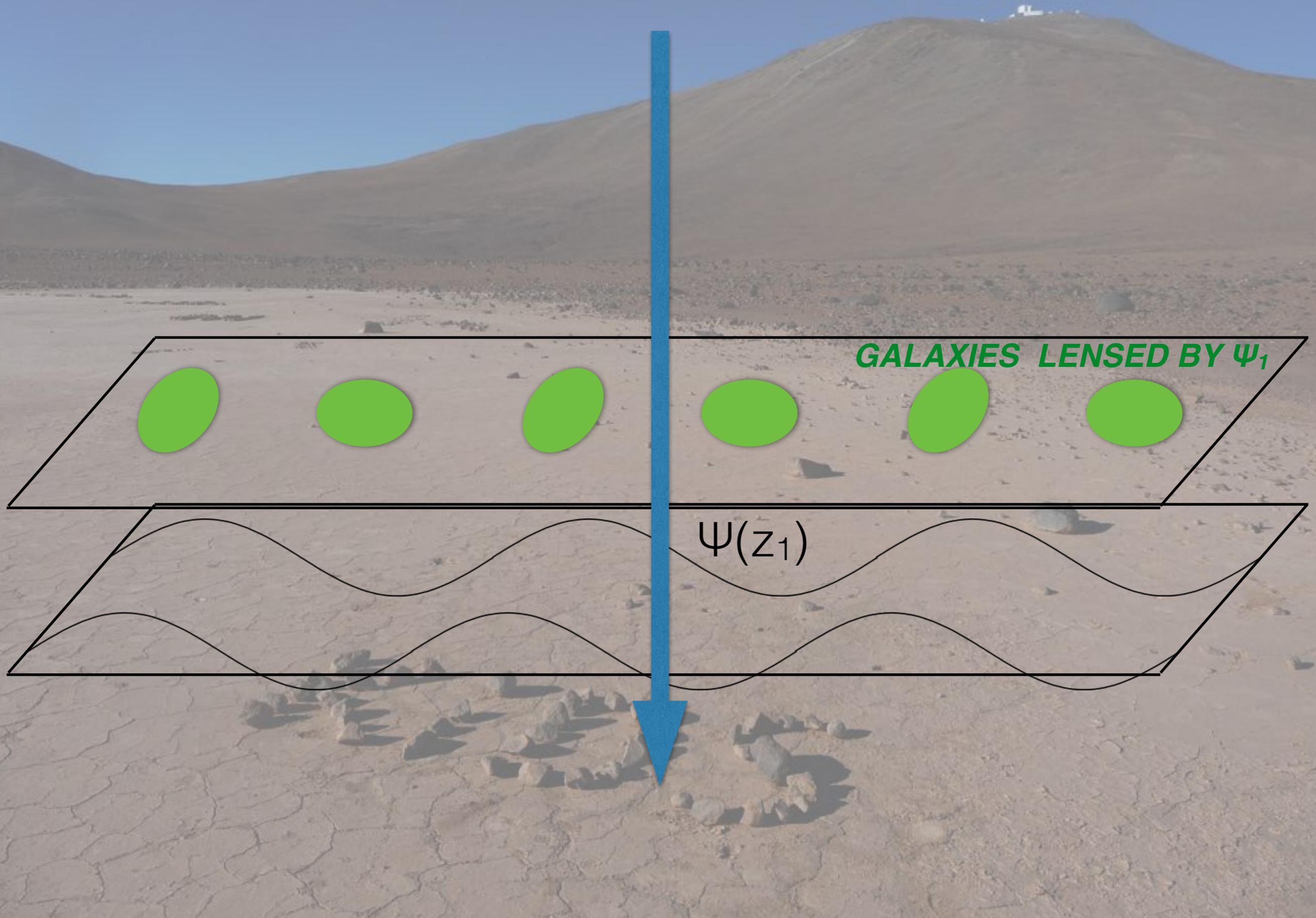


- Weak lensing measures the *distortion* of images = derivative of observed angle θ w.r.t. unlensed angle β :

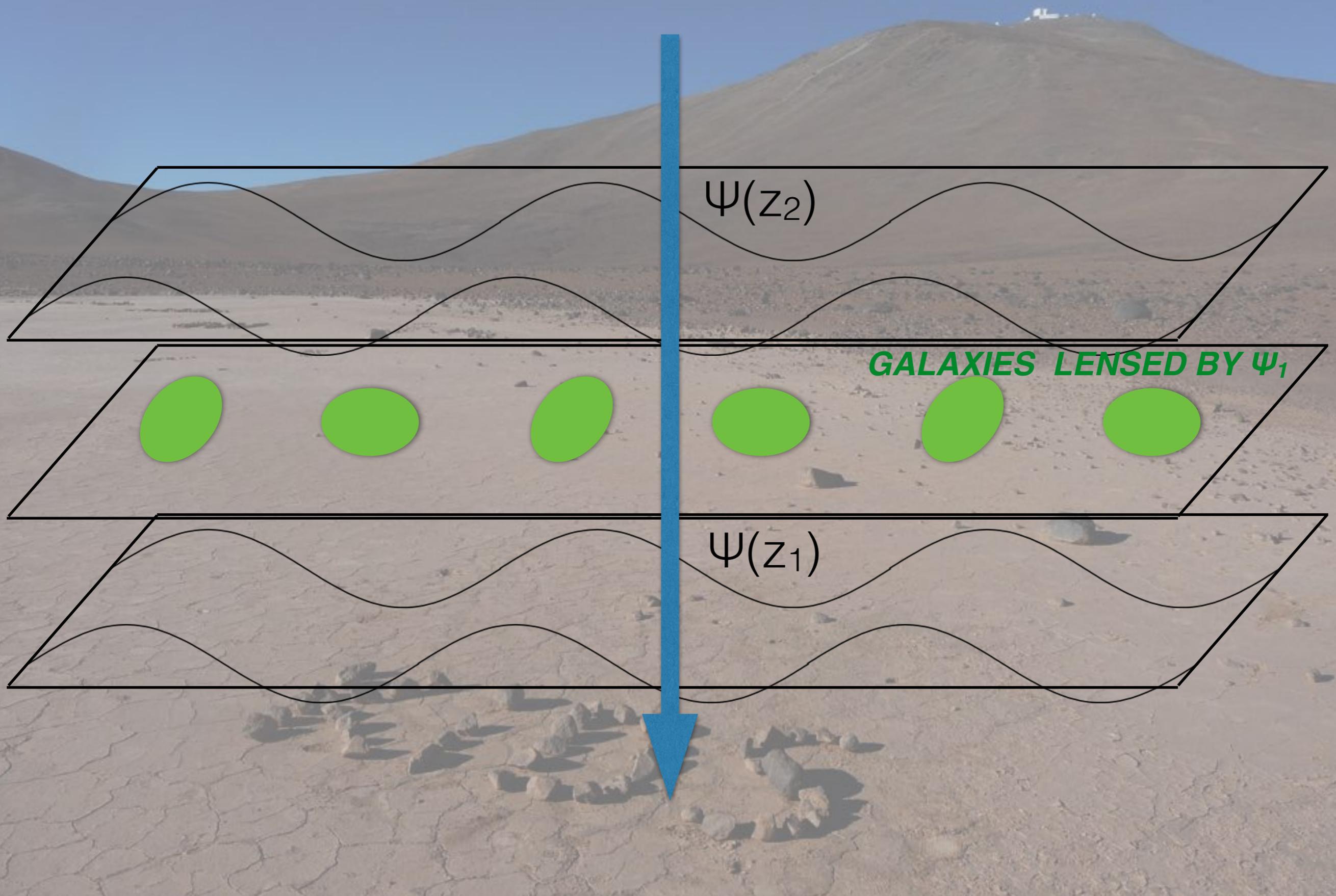
$$\frac{d\theta}{d\beta} \simeq \left(1 - \frac{D_{ls}}{D_s} \frac{d\alpha}{d\theta} \right)^{-1} = \left(1 - \frac{D_{ls} D_l}{D_s} \frac{d\alpha}{dr} \right)^{-1}$$

- Strongest effect for distant sources, and lenses \sim halfway

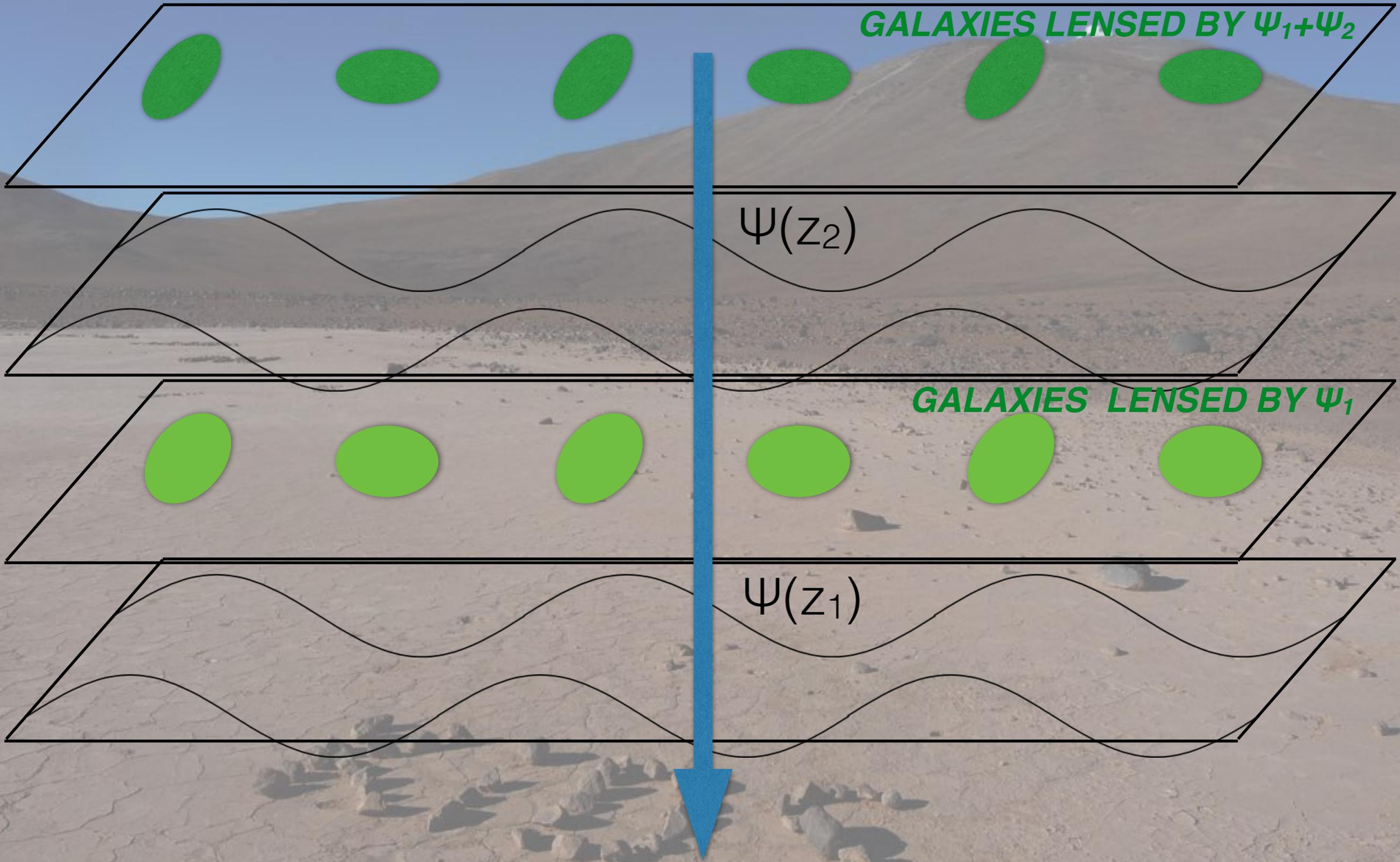
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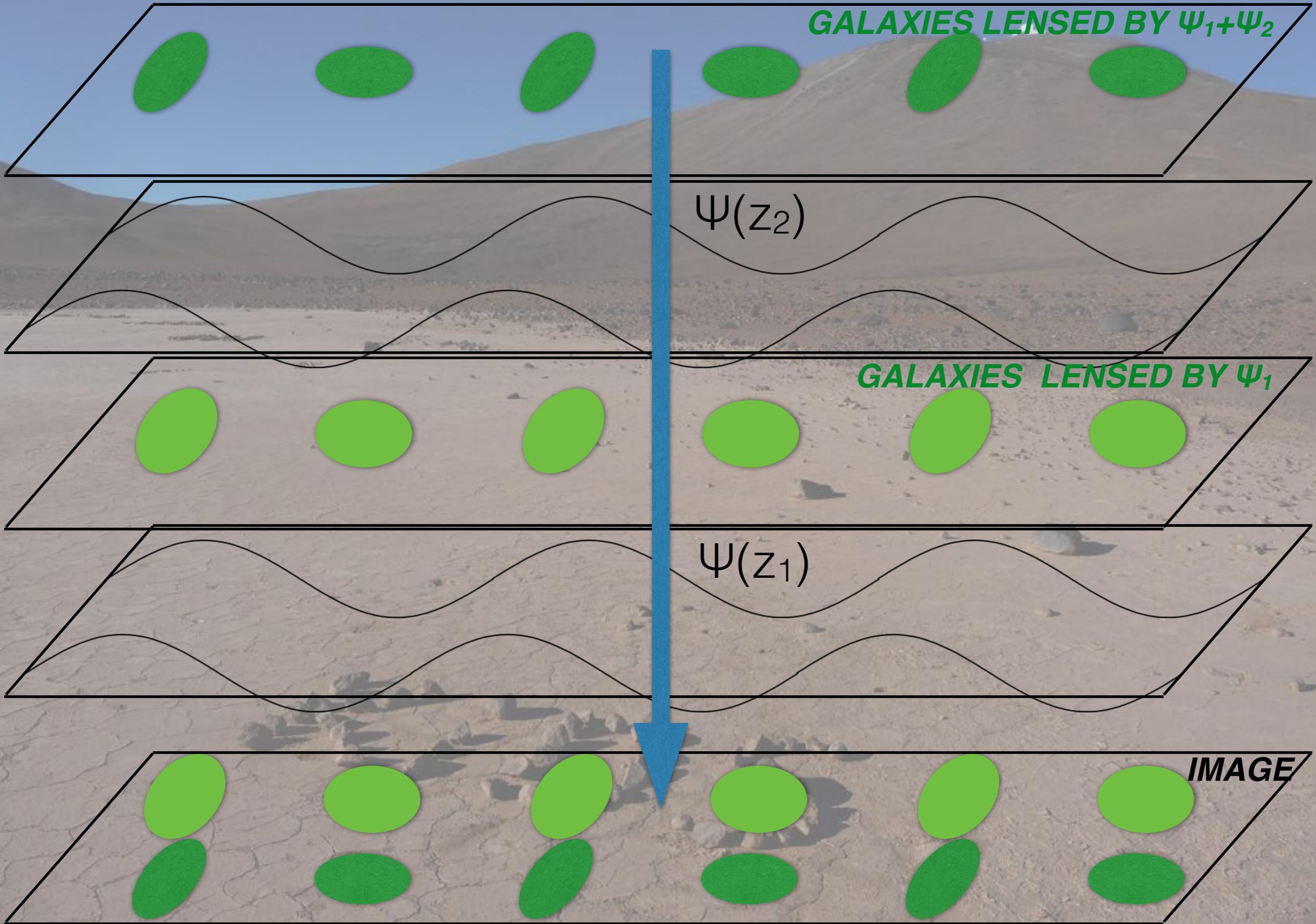
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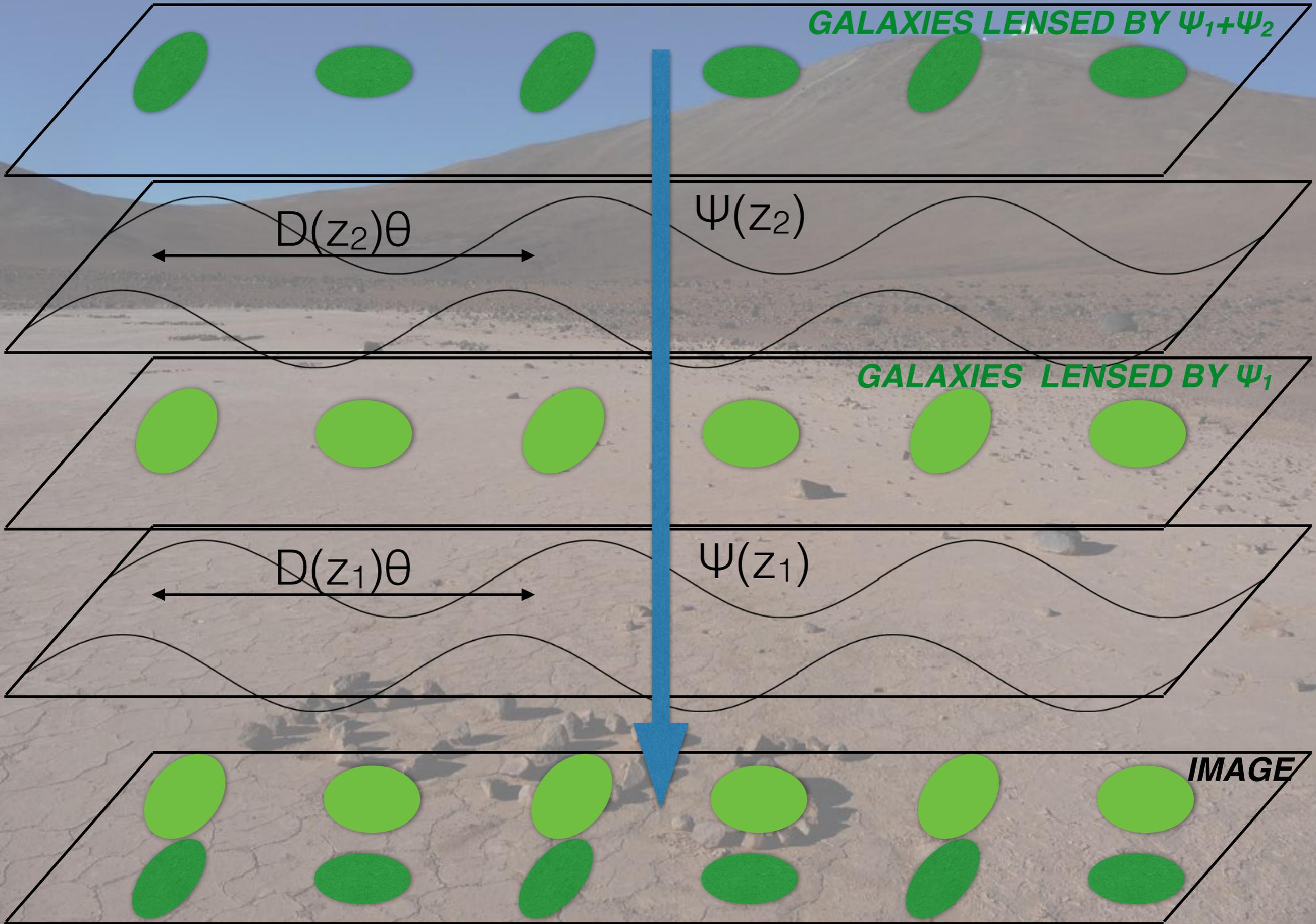
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Three on-going weak lensing surveys

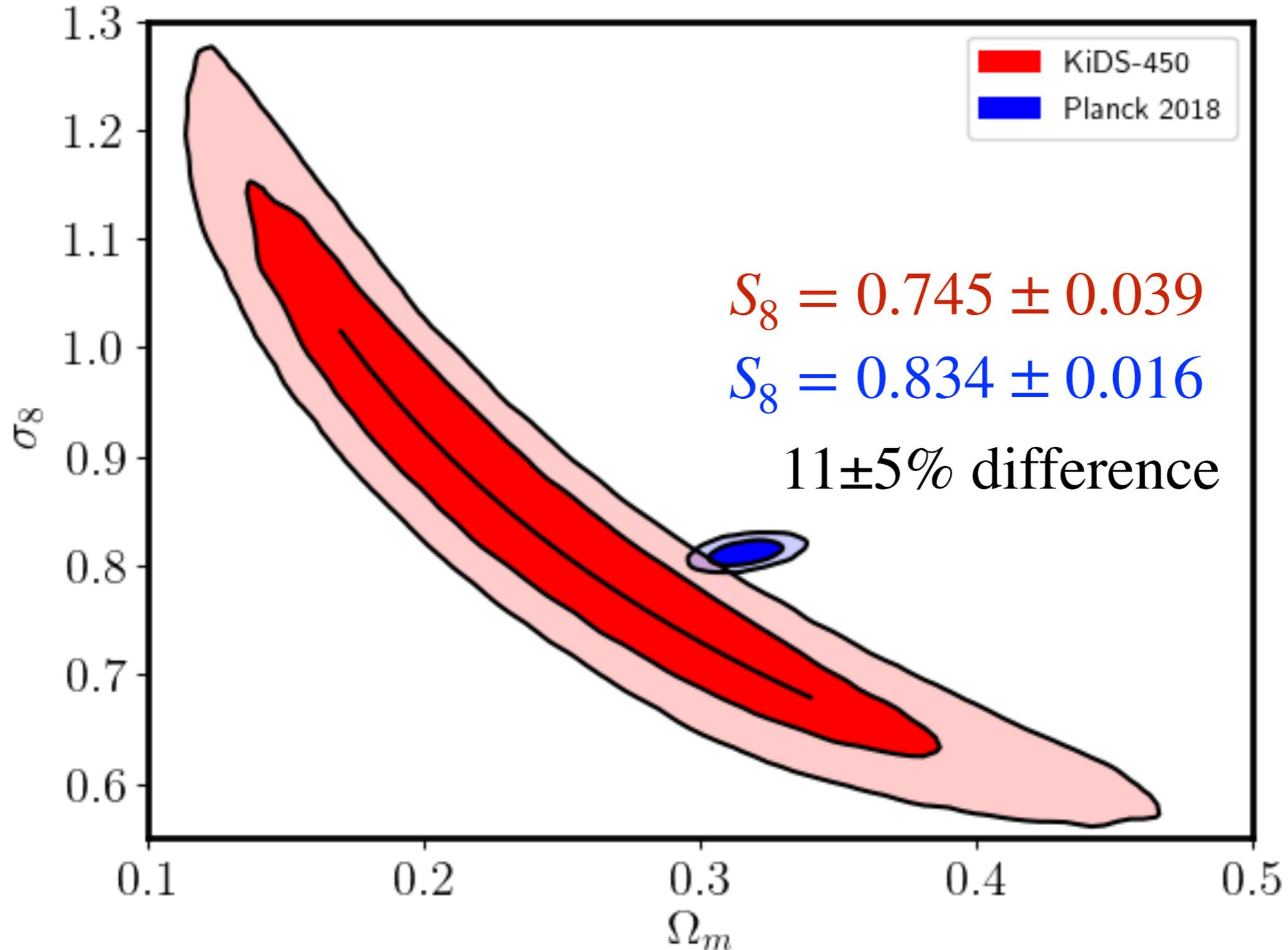
O(500) nights each!



	DES	KiDS	HSC
total area	5000	1350	1400
telescope	4m CTIO	2.6m VST (opt) 3.9m VISTA (IR)	8m SUBARU
image quality	0.9"	0.7"	0.6"
inverse shear var arcmin ⁻²	65-90	105	>200
bands	grizy	ugriZYJHK	grizy
mean z	0.7	0.77	~0.9
results so far	1300 deg ² (yr 1)	450 deg ²	130 deg ²

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Hildebrandt et al. 2017, MNRAS 465, 1454



Tension?

- Statistical fluctuation
- Shear calibration error
 - ✗ would have to be improbably high
- Model uncertainties in the power spectrum?
 - intrinsic alignment of galaxies (contaminates lensing)
 - baryonic effects on the matter distribution
 - non-linear effects poorly modelled
- Redshift (z) calibration error
 - Empirical calibration to spec- z ; base photo- z on wide λ range
- Focus of attention has shifted from shears to redshifts (for the current ground-based surveys)

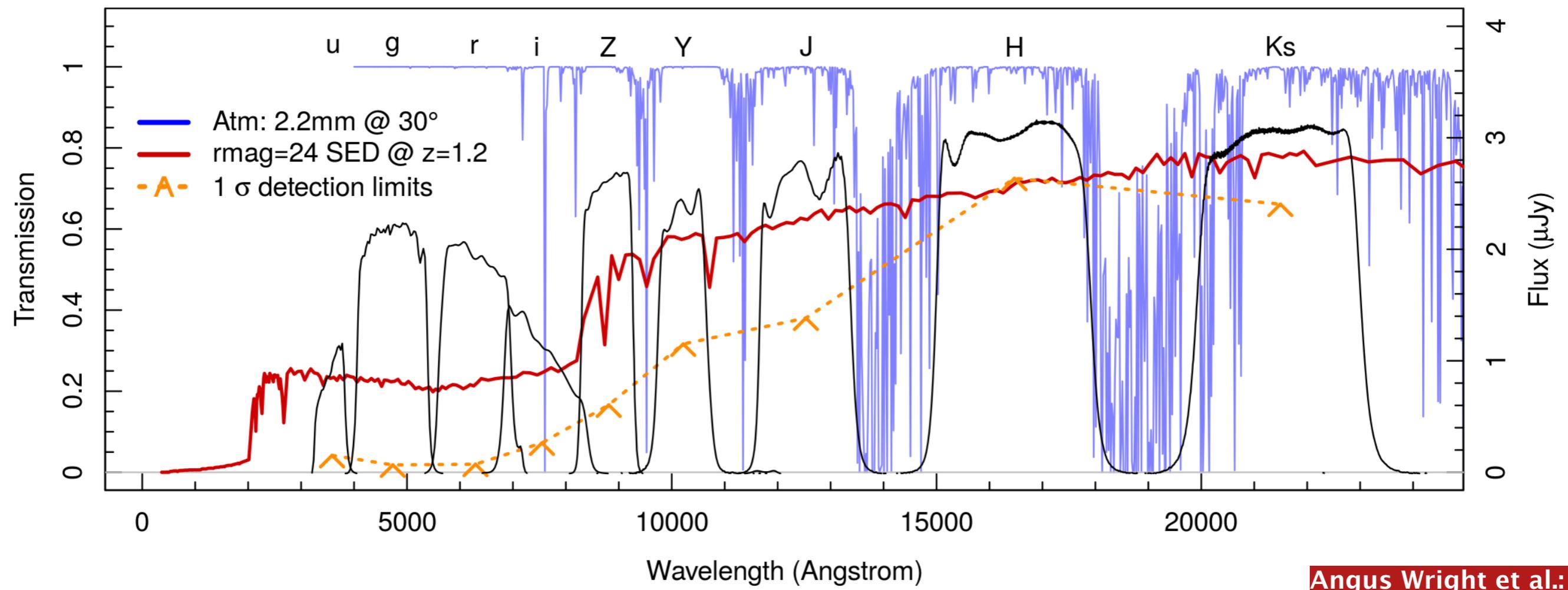
Model with nuisance parameters

What if the redshifts are biased?

- If source galaxies are at higher z than you think
 - there is more LSS in front of them: shear ↗
 - they lens more efficiently than you think: shear ↗
- ... so you infer a higher degree of clustering and S_8 .
- Each effect scales as $z^{-1-1.5}$
- 2% bias of redshift gives 5% error on S_8 .

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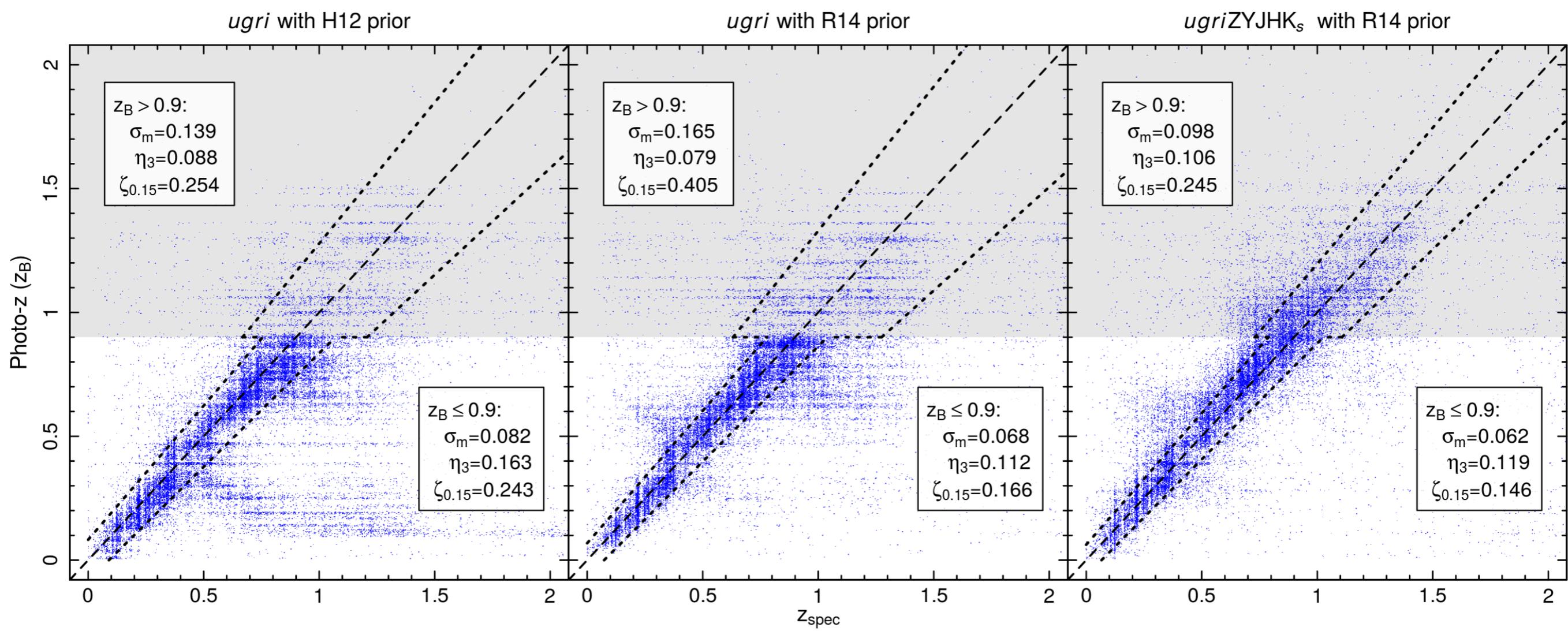
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Angus Wright et al.:
arXiv:1812.06077

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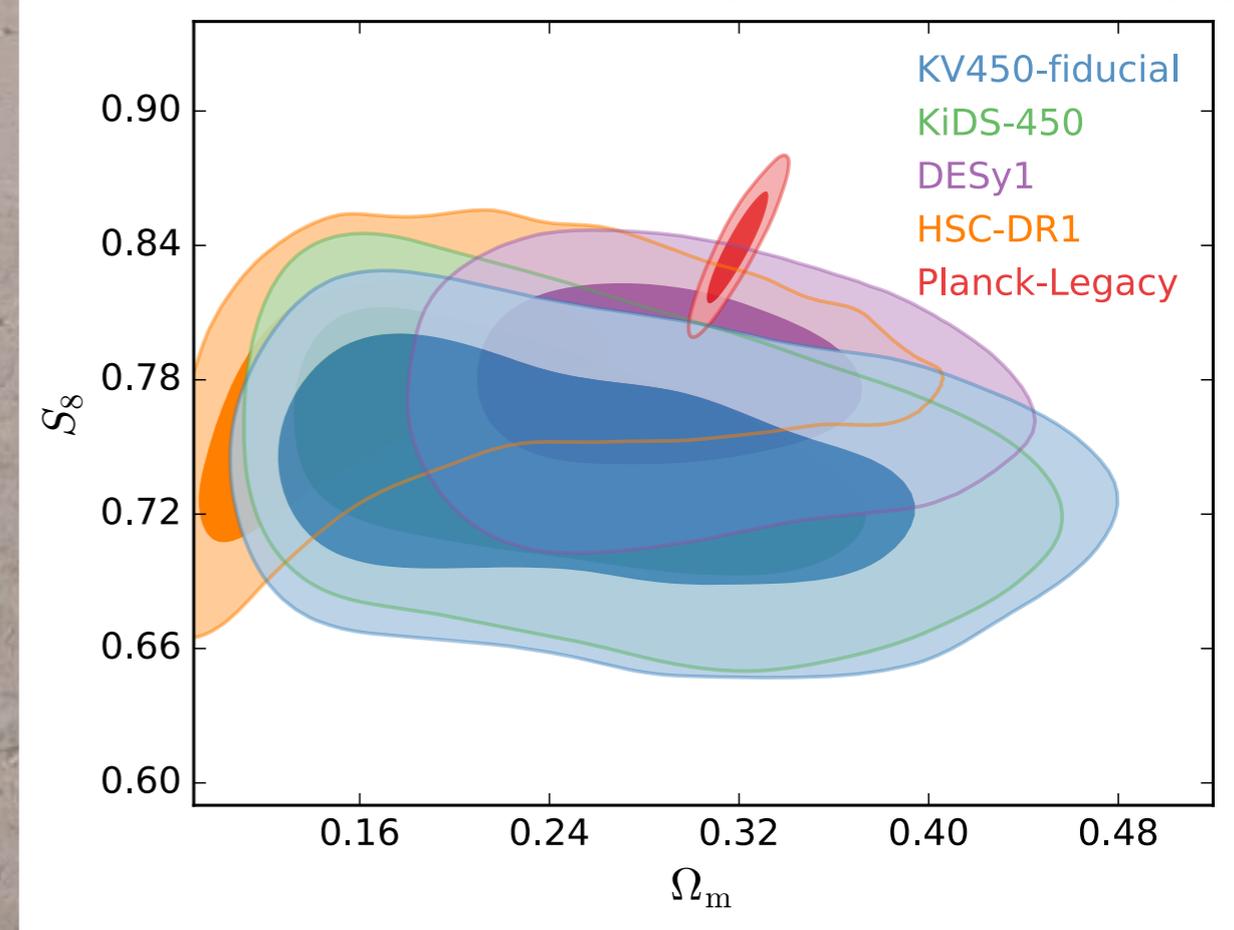
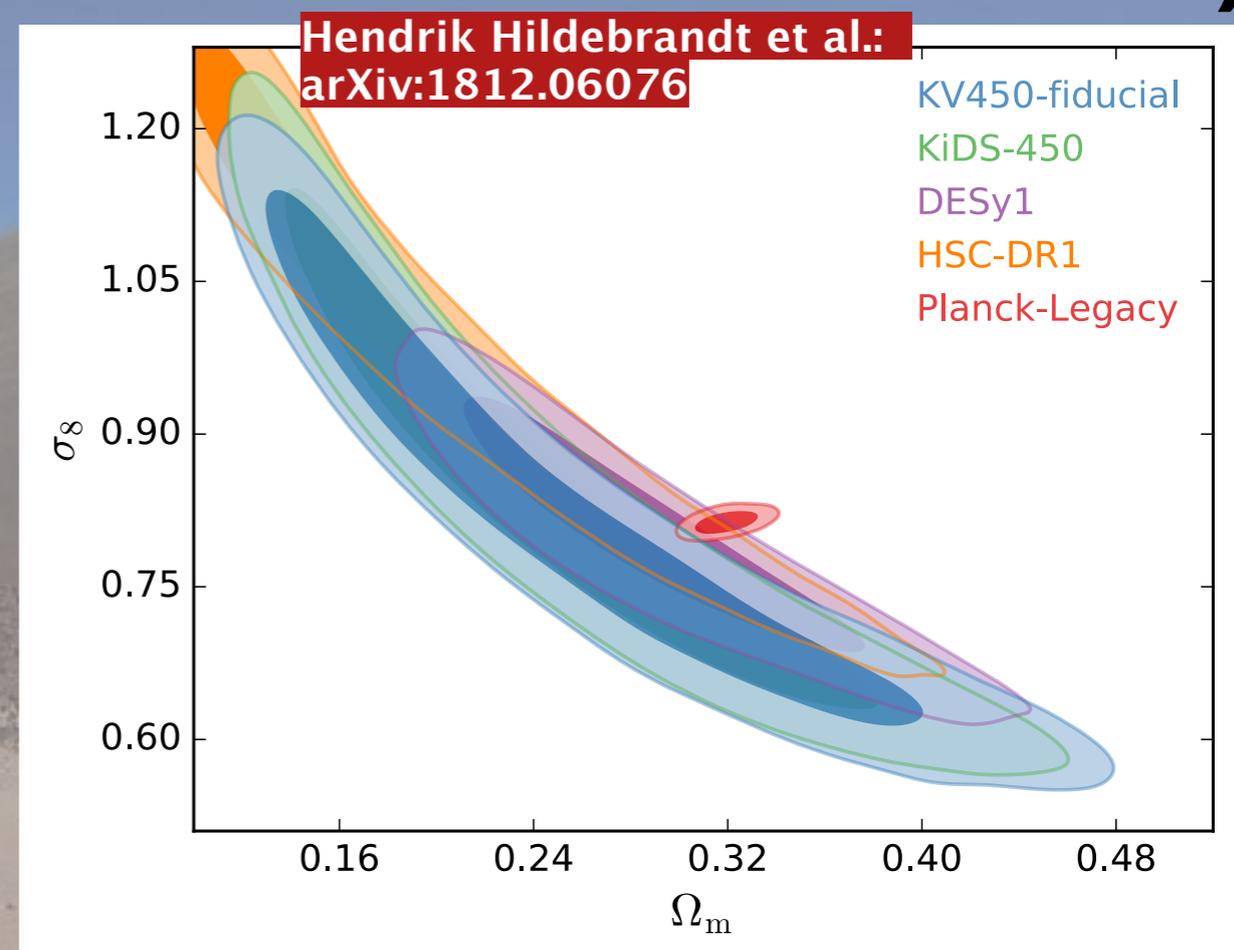
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- Despite the changes, KV450 constraints very close to KiDS-450.
- Min. $\chi^2_{181} = 180.6$
- 2.3σ 'tension' with Planck:

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- The other surveys also find results below Planck!

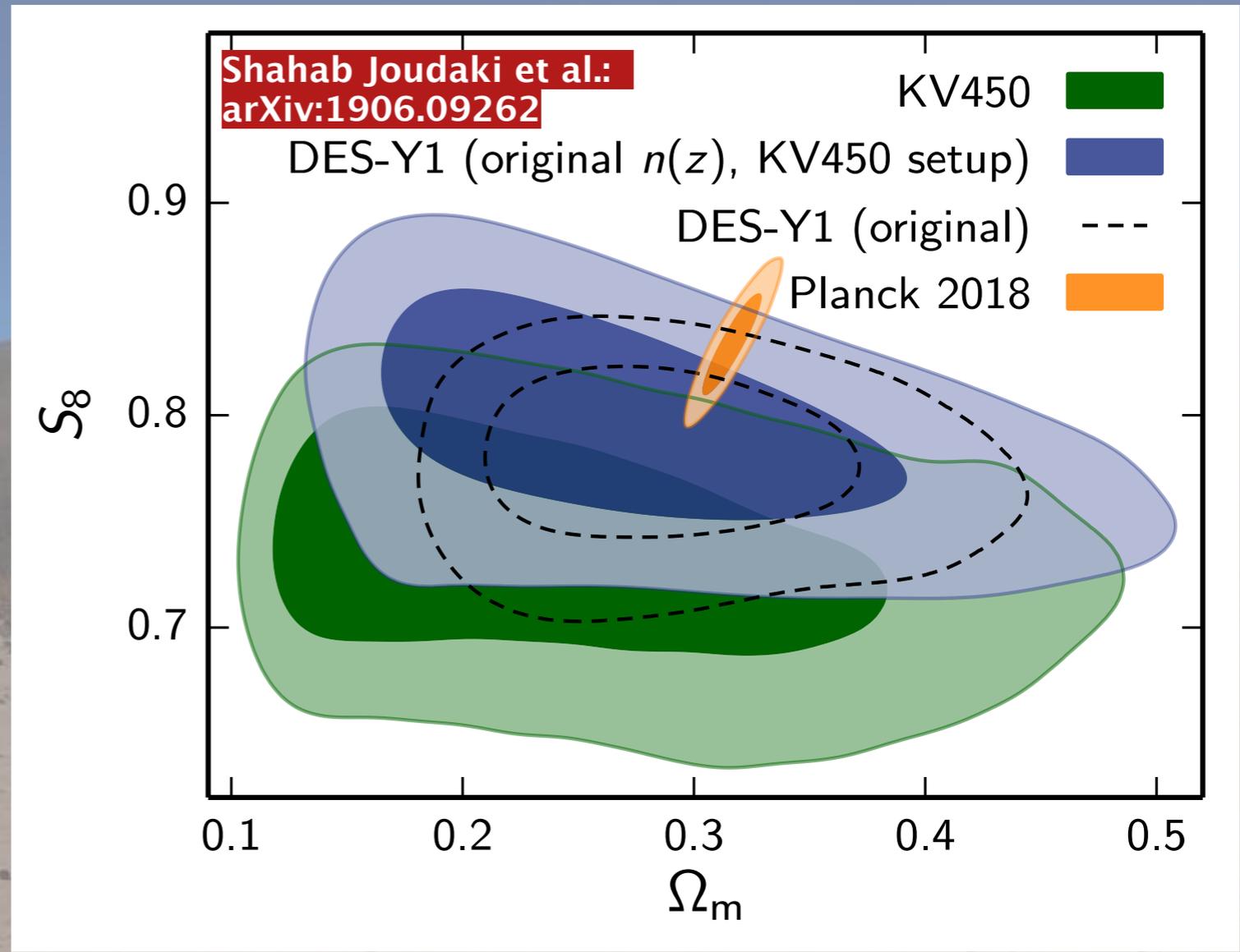


Combined analysis with DES-Year 1

Shahab Joudaki et al.:
arXiv:1906.09262

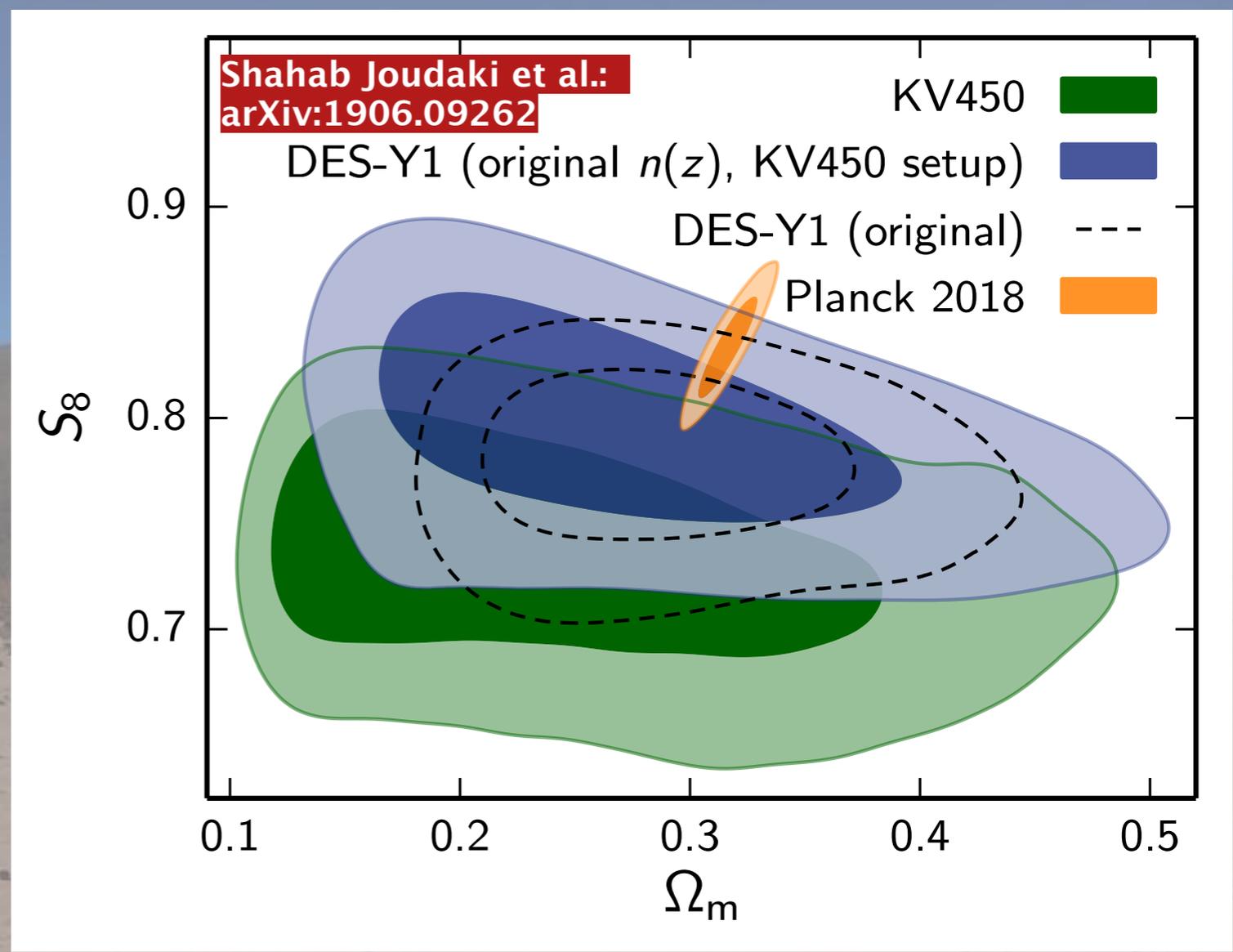
- KV450 cosmic shear result: $S_8 = 0.737^{+0.040}_{-0.036}$
- Allow z-dependence of intrinsic alignment: $S_8 = 0.734^{+0.043}_{-0.034}$
- Published DESY1 cosmic shear result: $S_8 = 0.778^{+0.030}_{-0.024}$
- DESY1 data using KV450 models, priors: $S_8 = 0.793^{+0.037}_{-0.034}$
- Replace DESY1 redshift calibrators (COSMOS2015) with spectroscopic sample used for KiDS: $S_8 = 0.763^{+0.037}_{-0.031}$
- Combined posterior of the joint data set $S_8 = 0.762^{+0.025}_{-0.024}$
- Planck is **9.5±3.9% (2.5σ)** higher

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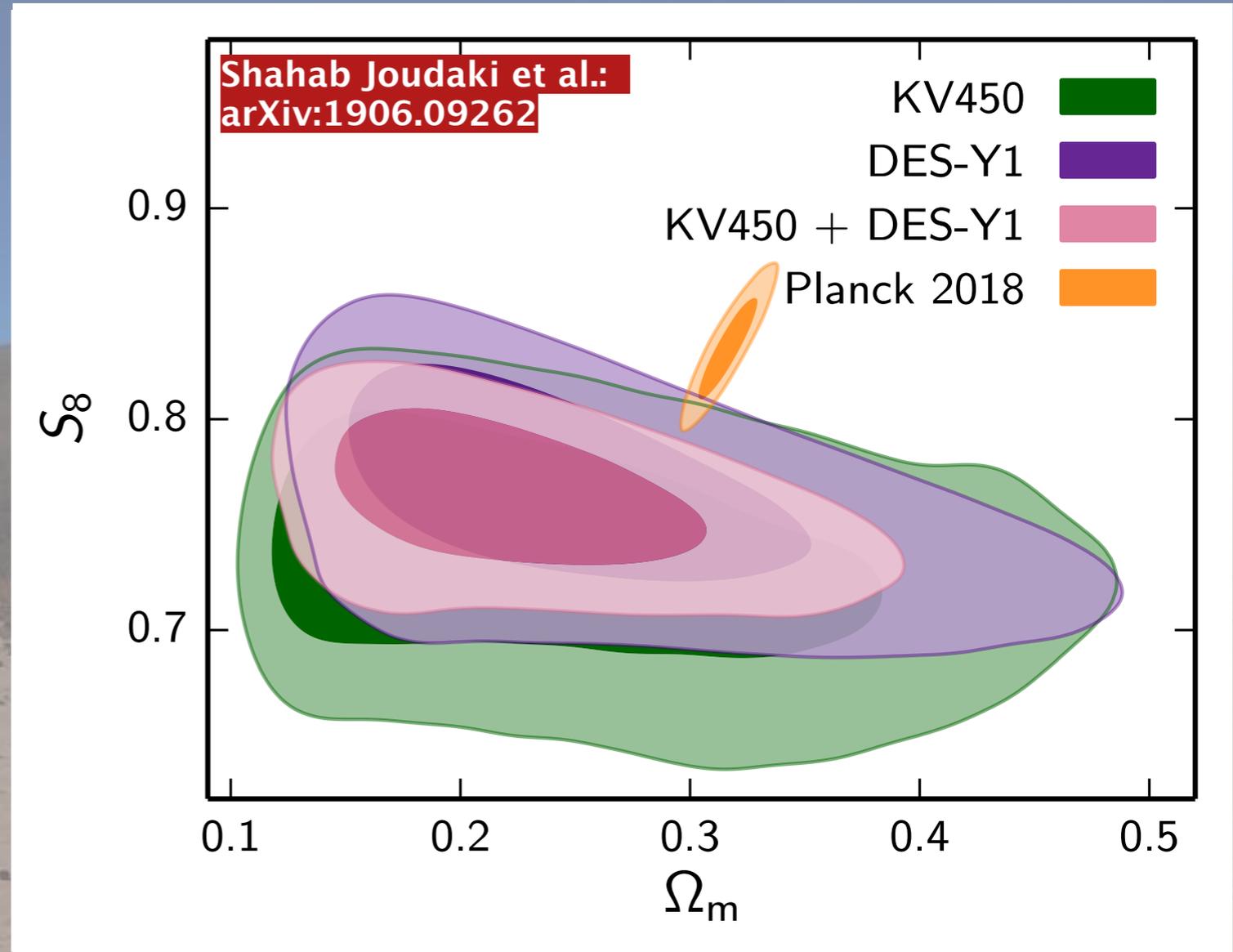
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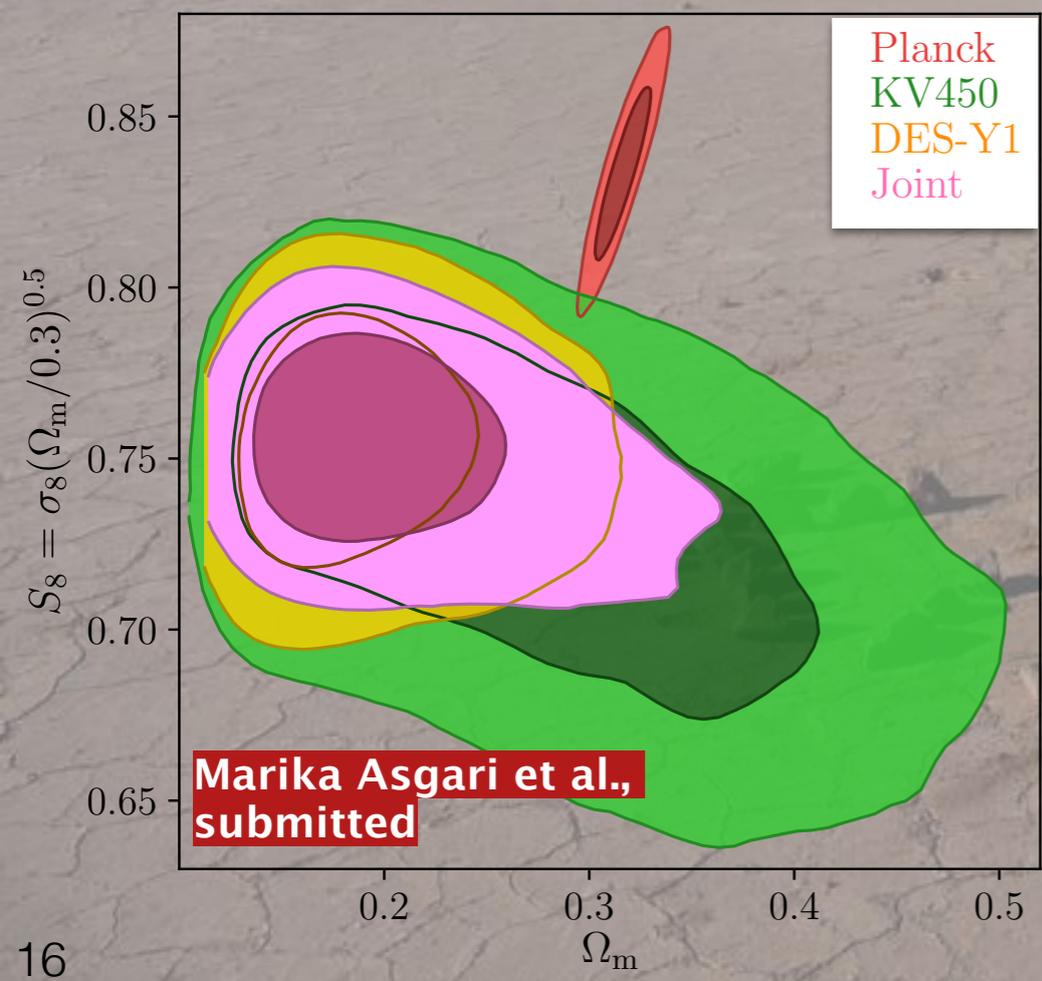
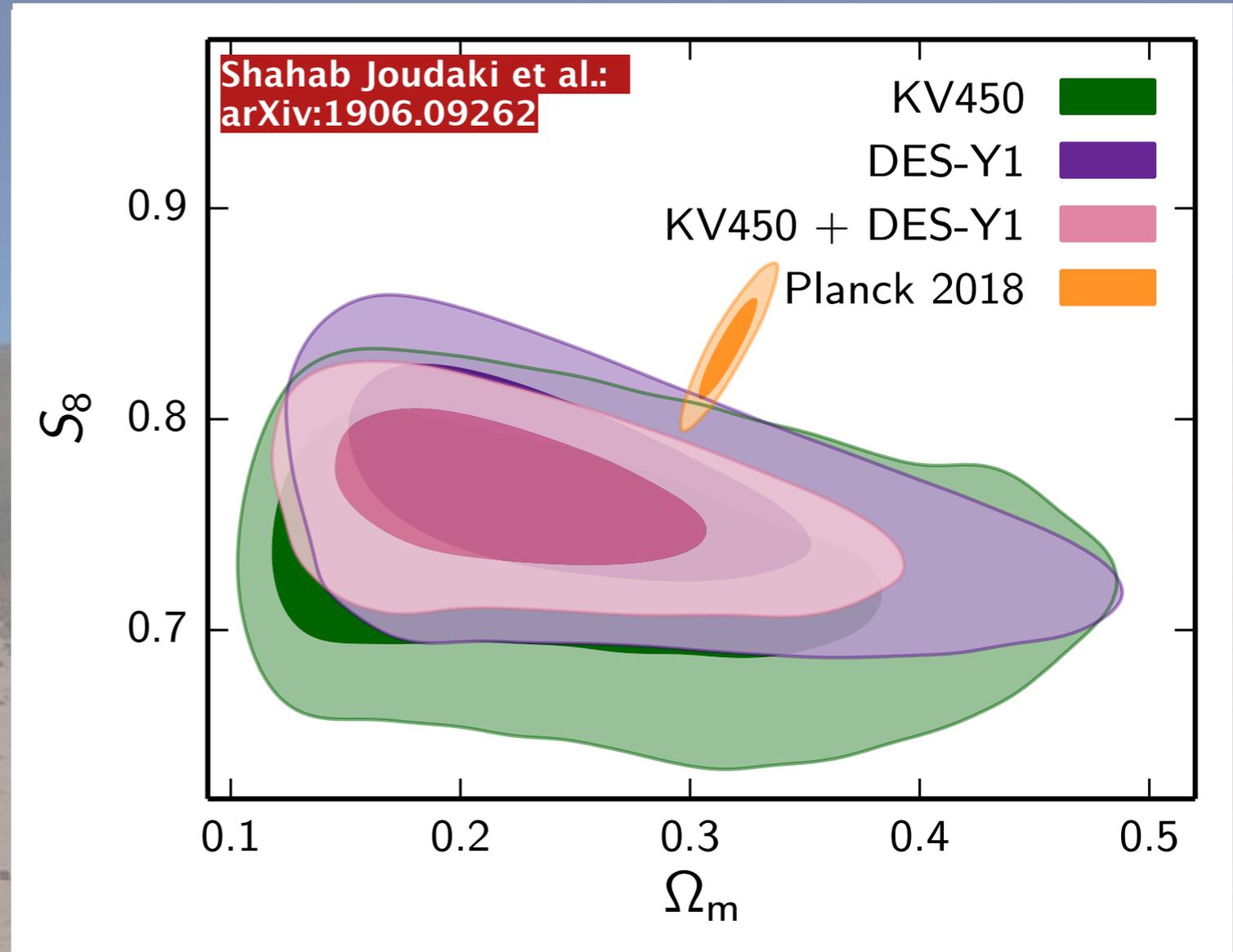
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- Analysis using “COSEBI” (modified correlation functions that better separate k-scales, as well as E and B modes) gives **even tighter** constraints (and **3.2 σ** significant tension, 10.5 \pm 3.4% below Planck)

$$S_8 = 0.755^{+0.019}_{-0.021}$$

- Weak lensing cosmic shear is testing Λ CDM at the few percent level with surveys like KiDS, DES, HSC
 - and LSST, Euclid, WFIRST in future
- Intriguing discrepancies are getting persistent
 - S_8 values $\sim 10\%$ below Planck, at $2-3\sigma$ significance
- Photometric redshift biases are key (and hard!)
 - this will be a big challenge for deeper surveys
- This is still the beginning:
 - KiDS 450 \rightarrow 1350 sqdeg
 - DES-Y1 \rightarrow Y5
 - HSC 137 \rightarrow 1400 sqdeg



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