

Fundamental Physics and Large-scale Structure II: *Hobby-Eberly Telescope* *Dark Energy Experiment*

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Cosmology: Next Decade?

Large-scale structure of the universe has a potential to give us valuable information on all of these items.

Cosmology and
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How Did the Universe Begin *Inflation*

CFP 2

Why Is the Universe Accelerating? *Dark Energy*

CFP 3

What Is Dark Matter? *Dark Matter*

CFP 4

What Are the Properties of Neutrinos? *Neutrino Mass*

What is HETDEX?

- Hobby-Eberly Telescope Dark Energy Experiment (HETDEX) is a **quantum-leap** galaxy survey:
 - The **first** blind spectroscopic large-scale structure survey
 - We do not pre-select objects; objects are emission-line selected; huge discovery potential
 - The **first** 10 Gpc³-class survey at high z [$1.9 < z < 3.5$]
 - The previous big surveys were all done at $z < 1$
 - High- z surveys barely reached $\sim 10^{-2} \text{Gpc}^3$

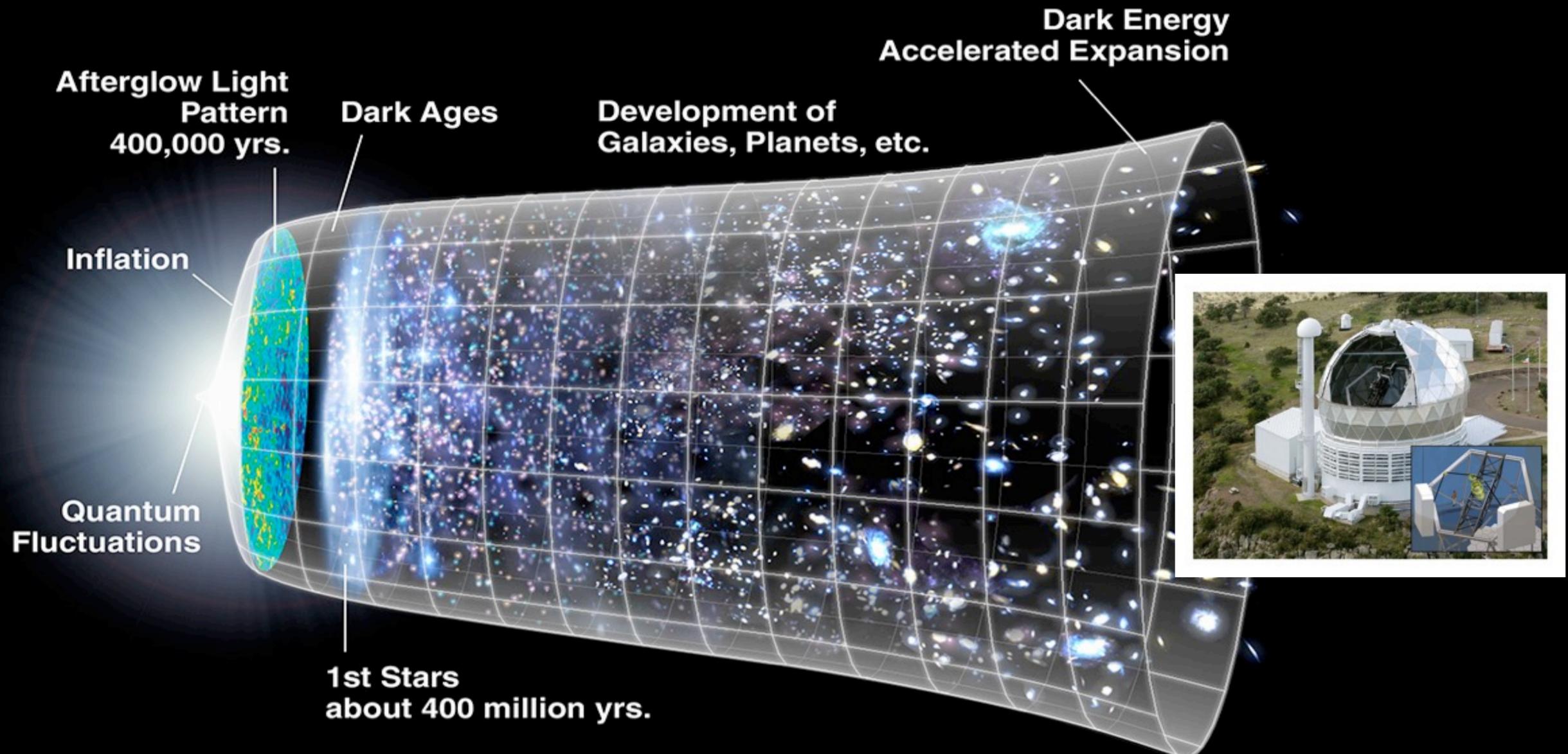
Who are we?

- About ~50 people at Univ. of Texas; McDonald Observatory; LMU; AIP; MPE; Penn State; Gottingen; Texas A&M; and Oxford
- Principal Investigator: Gary J. Hill (Univ. of Texas)
- Project Scientist: Karl Gebhardt (Univ. of Texas)

Glad to be in Texas

- In many ways, HETDEX is a Texas-style experiment:
 - Q. How big is a survey telescope? A. 10m
 - Q. Whose telescope is that? A. Ours
 - Q. How many spectra do you take per one exposure? A. More than 33K spectra – *at once*
 - Q. Are you not wasting lots of fibers? A. Yes we are, but so what? **Besides, this is the only way you can find anything truly new!**

Hobby-Eberly Telescope Dark Energy Experiment (HETDEX)

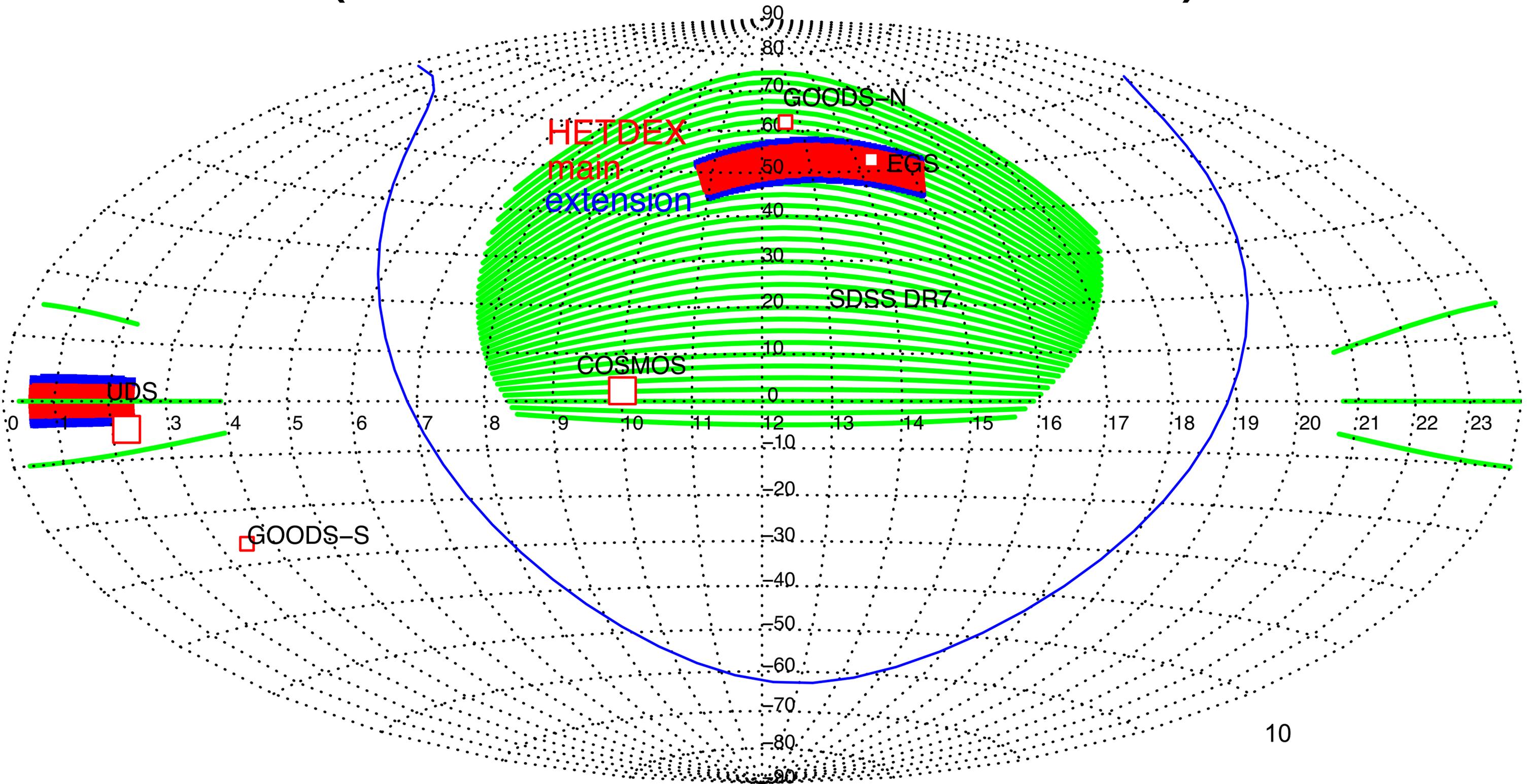


**Use 10-m HET to map the universe using
0.8M Lyman-alpha emitting galaxies
in $z=1.9-3.5$**

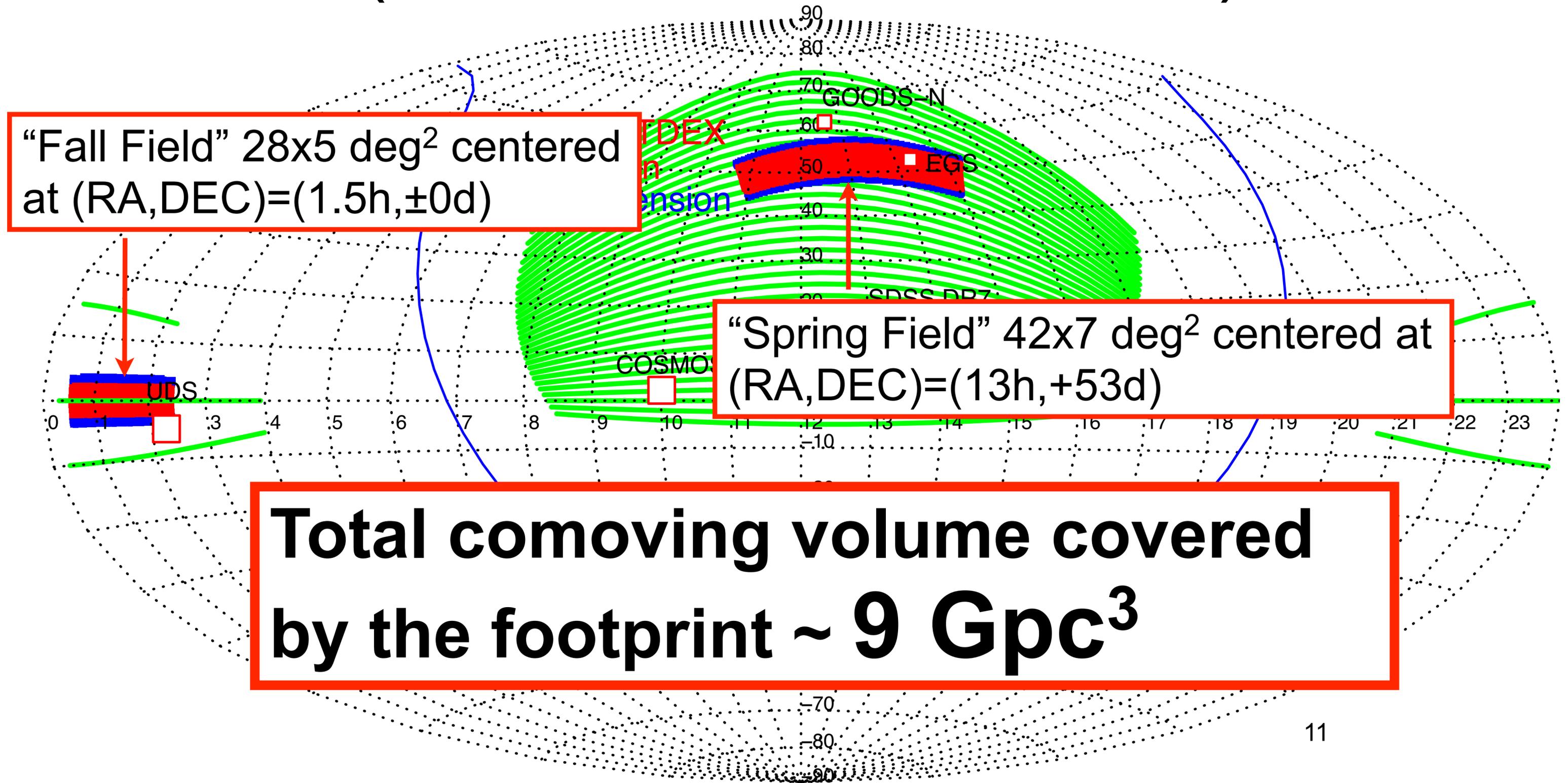
Many, MANY, spectra

- HETDEX will use the new integral field unit spectrographs called “VIRUS” (Hill et al.)
- We will build and put 75–96 units (depending on the funding available) on a focal plane
- Each unit has two spectrographs
- Each spectrograph has 224 fibers
- Therefore, **VIRUS will have 33K to 43K fibers on a single focal place** (Texas size!)

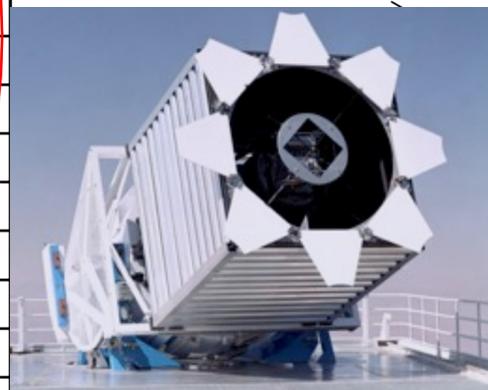
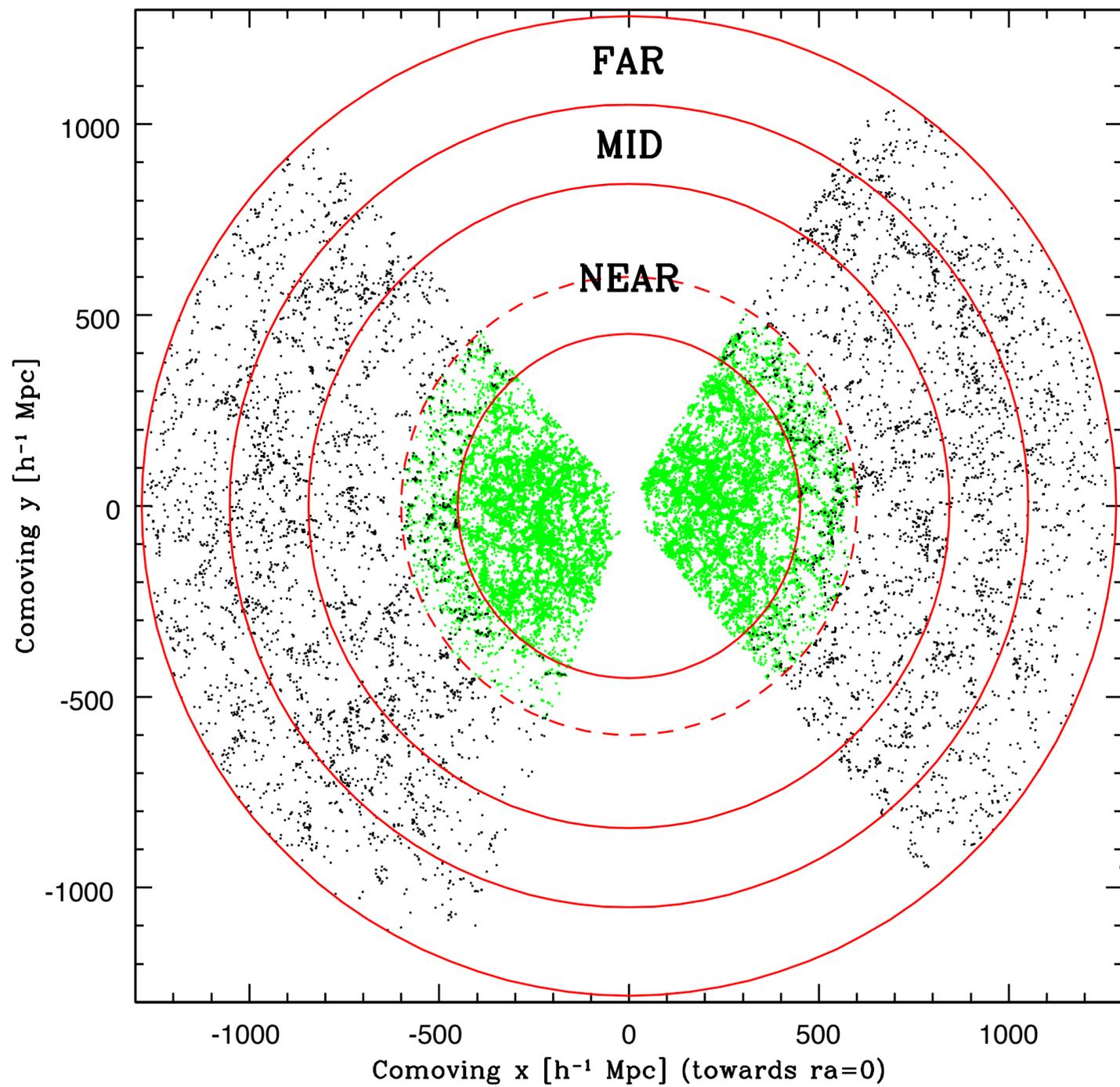
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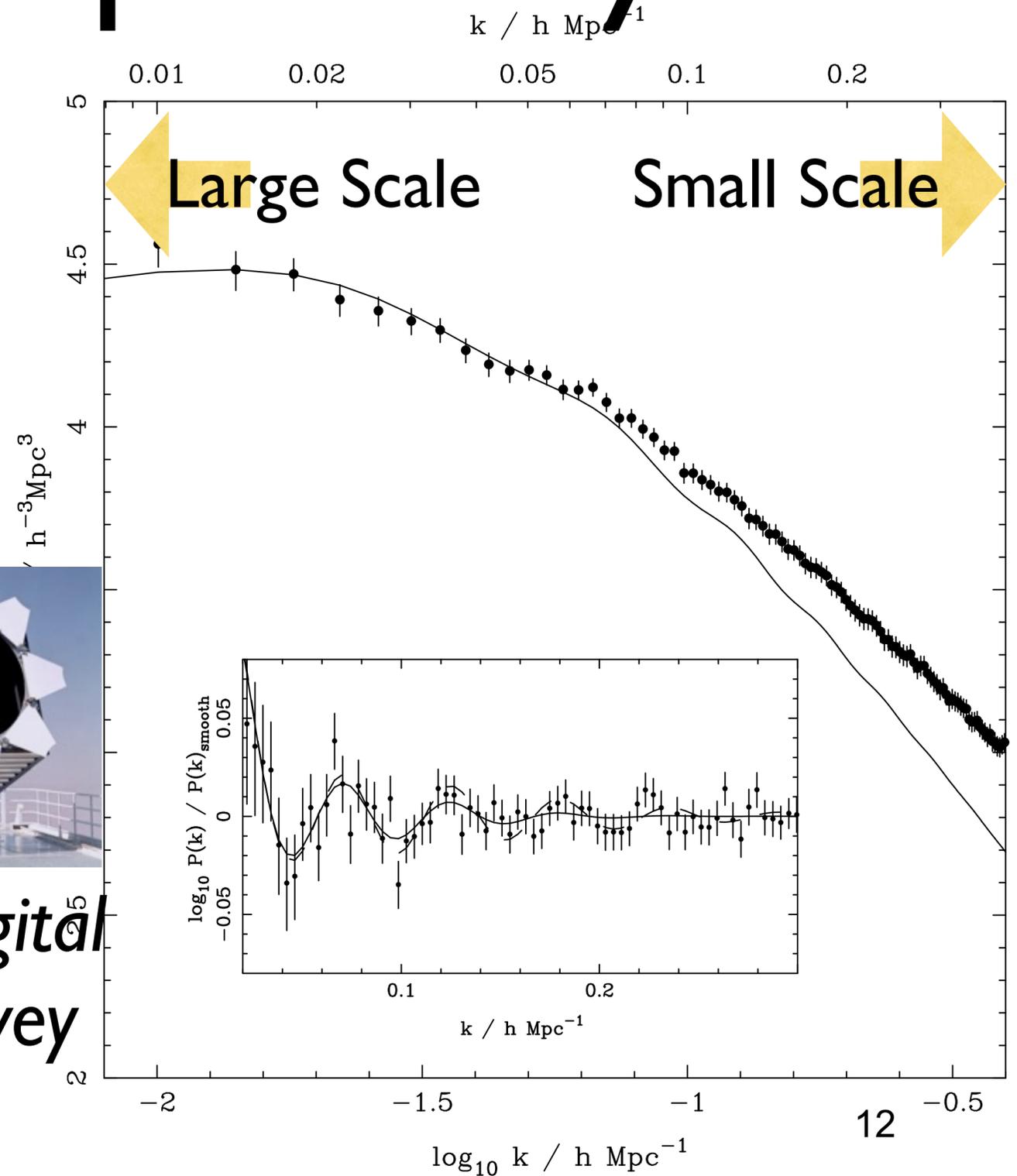
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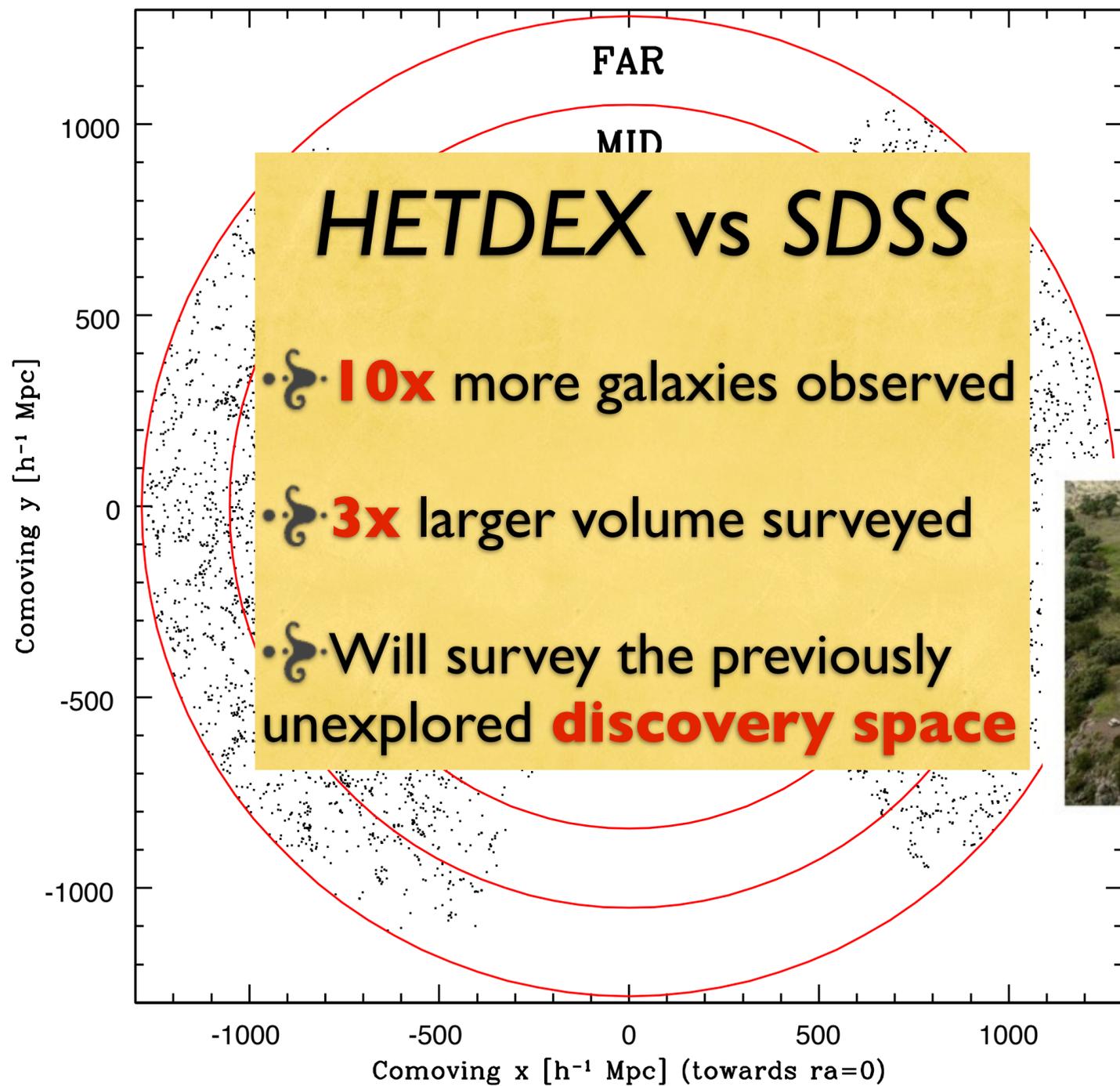
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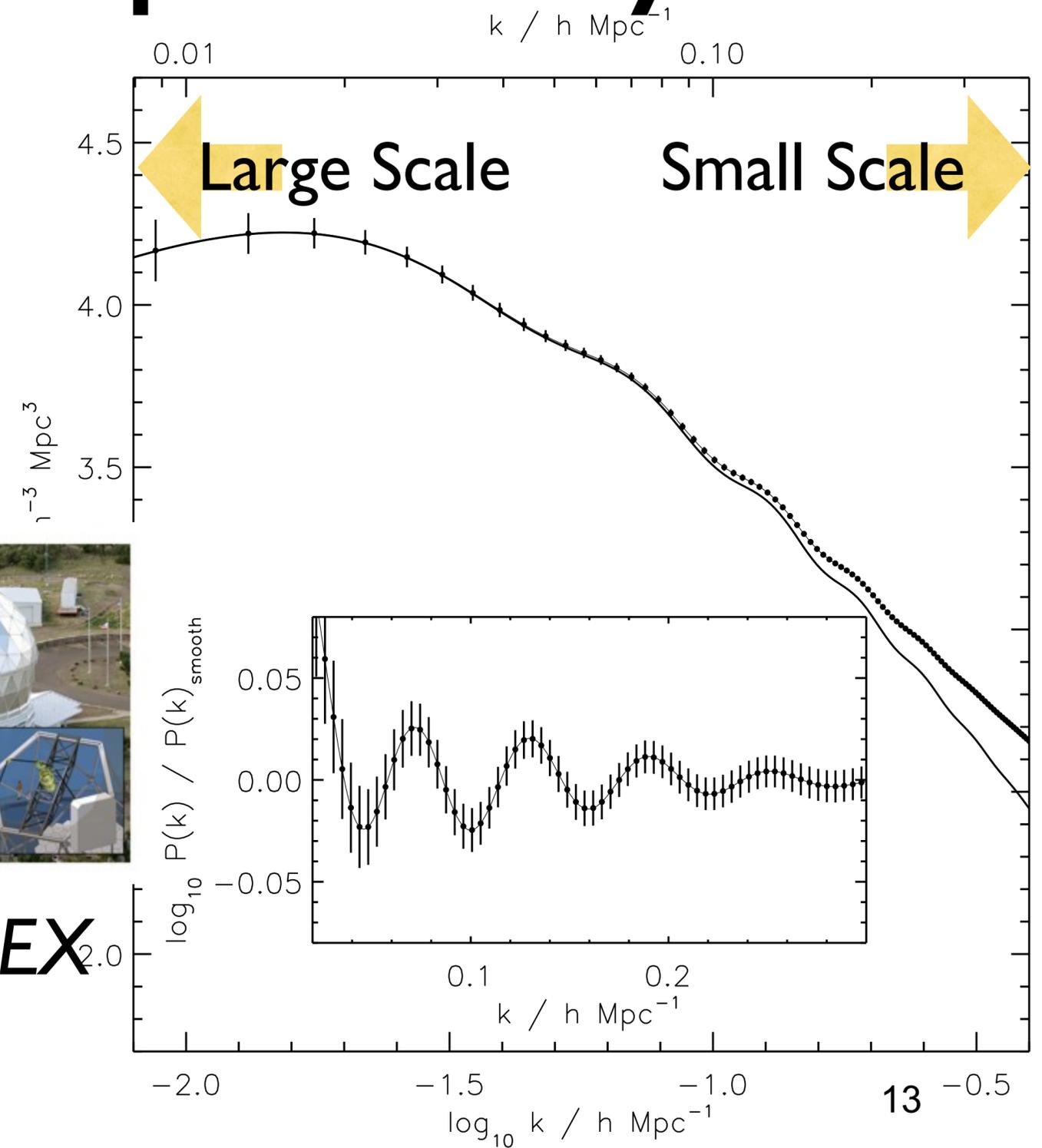
*Sloan Digital
Sky Survey*



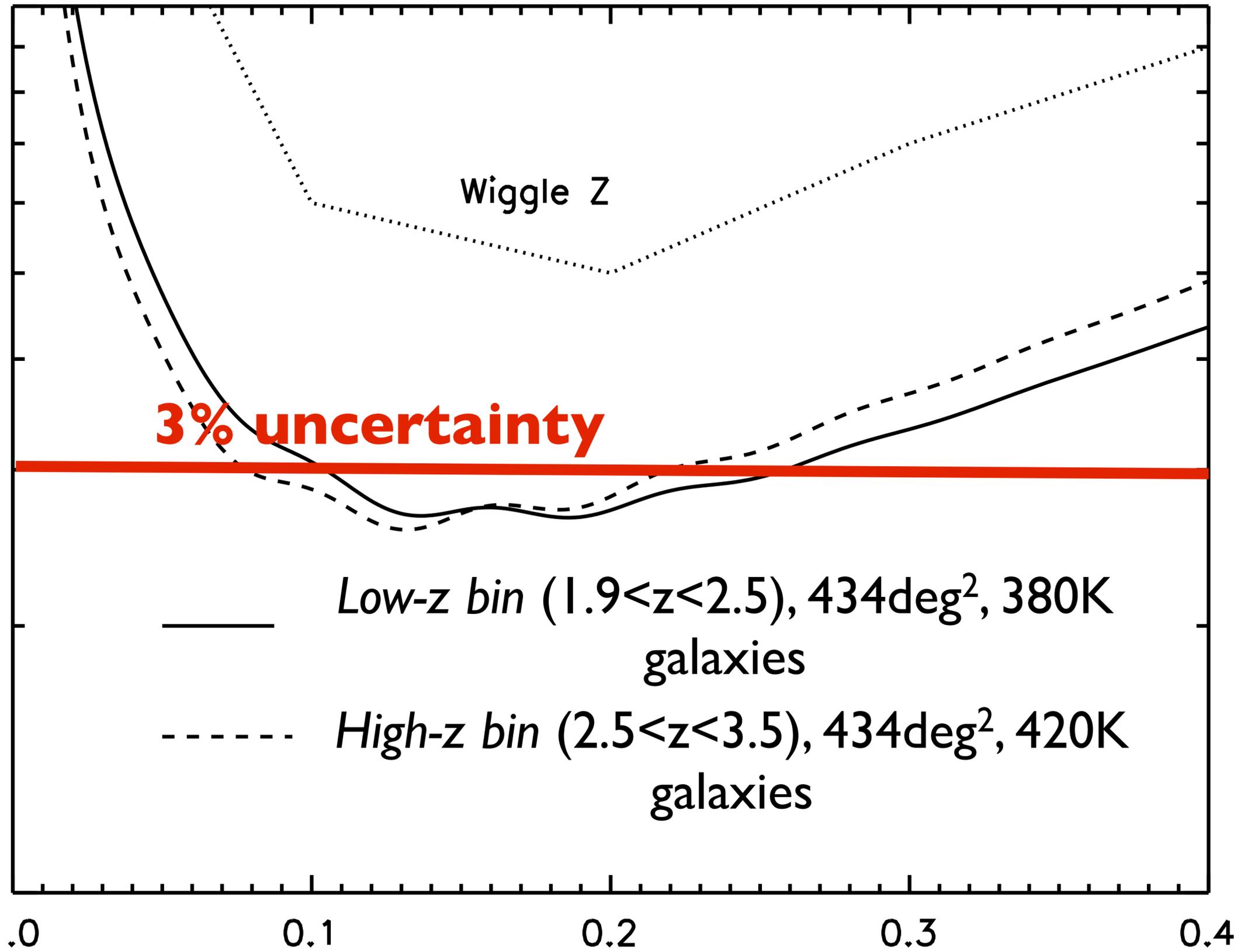
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HETDEX



Fractional Error in $P_{\text{galaxy}}(k)$
per $\Delta k = 0.01 h \text{Mpc}^{-1}$ **10%**



Wavenumber, k [$h \text{Mpc}^{-1}$]

What do we detect?

- $\lambda=350\text{--}550\text{nm}$ with the resolving power of $R=800$ would give us:
 - $\sim 0.8\text{M}$ Lyman-alpha emitting galaxies at $1.9 < z < 3.5$
 - $\sim 2\text{M}$ [OII] emitting galaxies
 - ...and lots of other stuff (like white dwarfs)

One way to impress you

- So far, about ~ 1000 Lyman-alpha emitting galaxies have been discovered over the last decade
- These are interesting objects – relatively low-mass, low-dust, star-forming galaxies
- We will detect that many Lyman-alpha emitting galaxies within the **first 2 hours** of the HETDEX survey

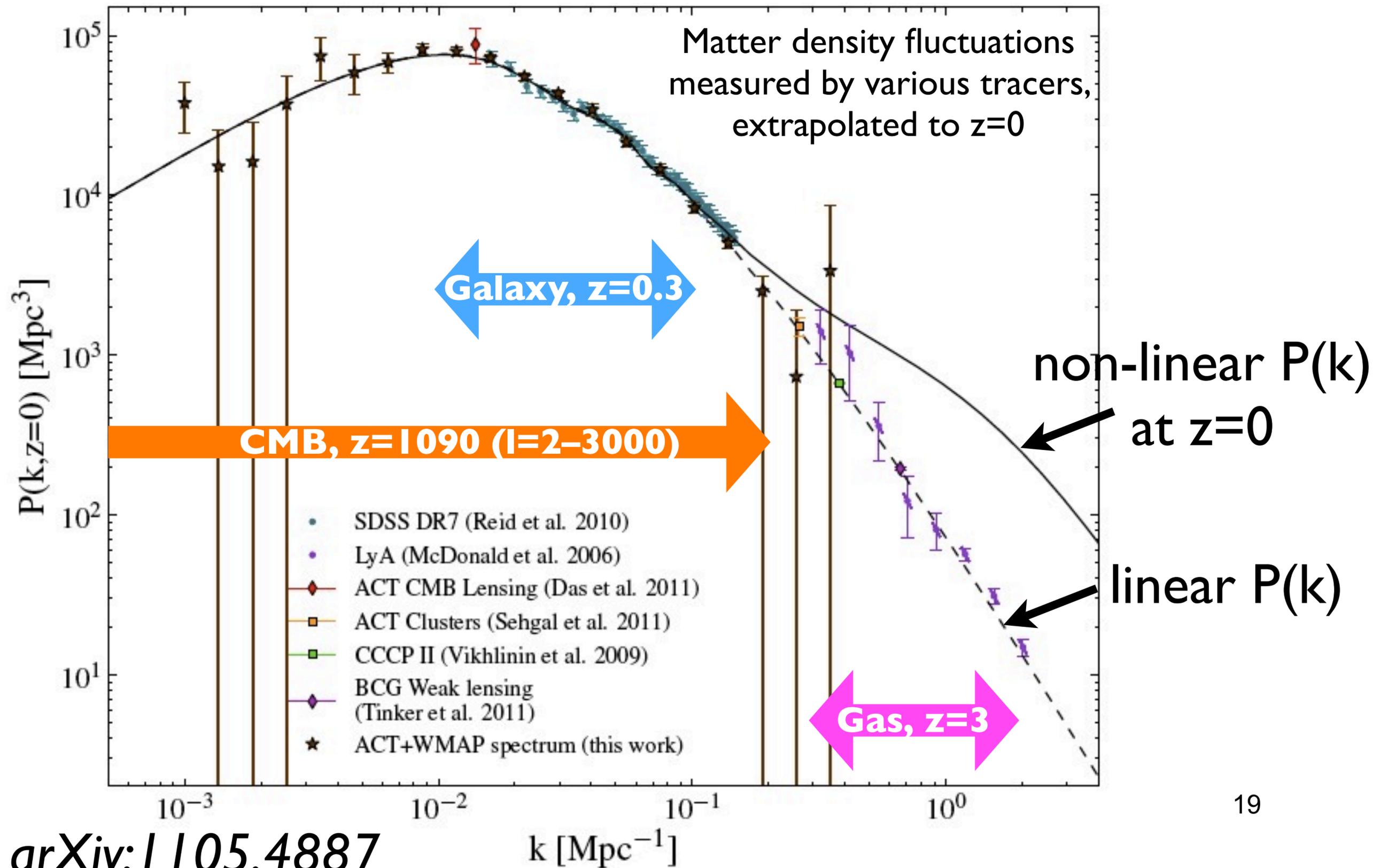
What to measure?

- **Inflation**
 - Shape of the initial power spectrum (n_s ; $dn_s/d\ln k$; etc)
 - Non-Gaussianity (3pt $f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}}$; 4pt $\tau_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}}$; etc)
- **Dark Energy**
 - Angular diameter distances over a wide redshift range
 - Hubble expansion rates over a wide redshift range
 - Growth of linear density fluctuations over a wide redshift range
 - Shape of the matter power spectrum (modified grav)

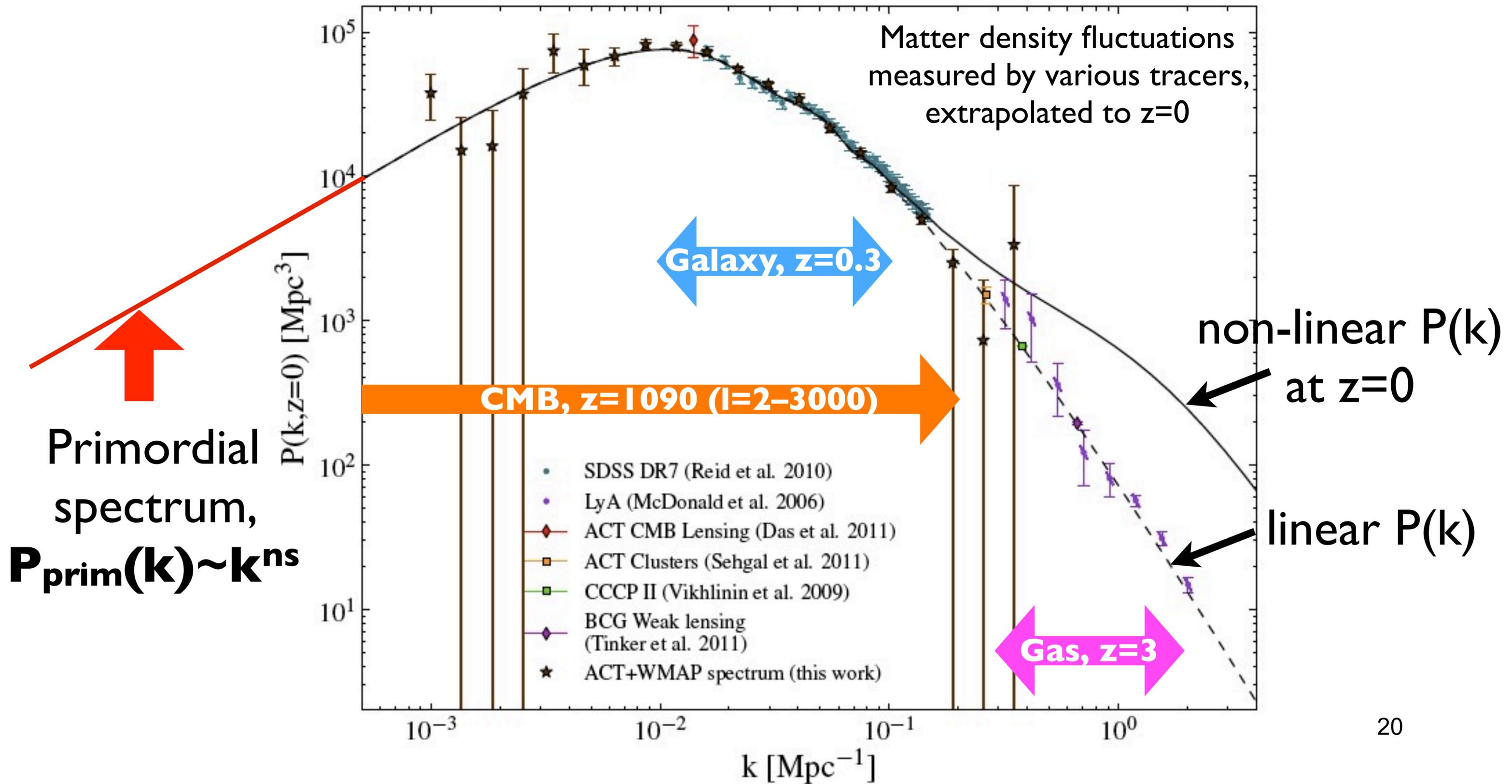
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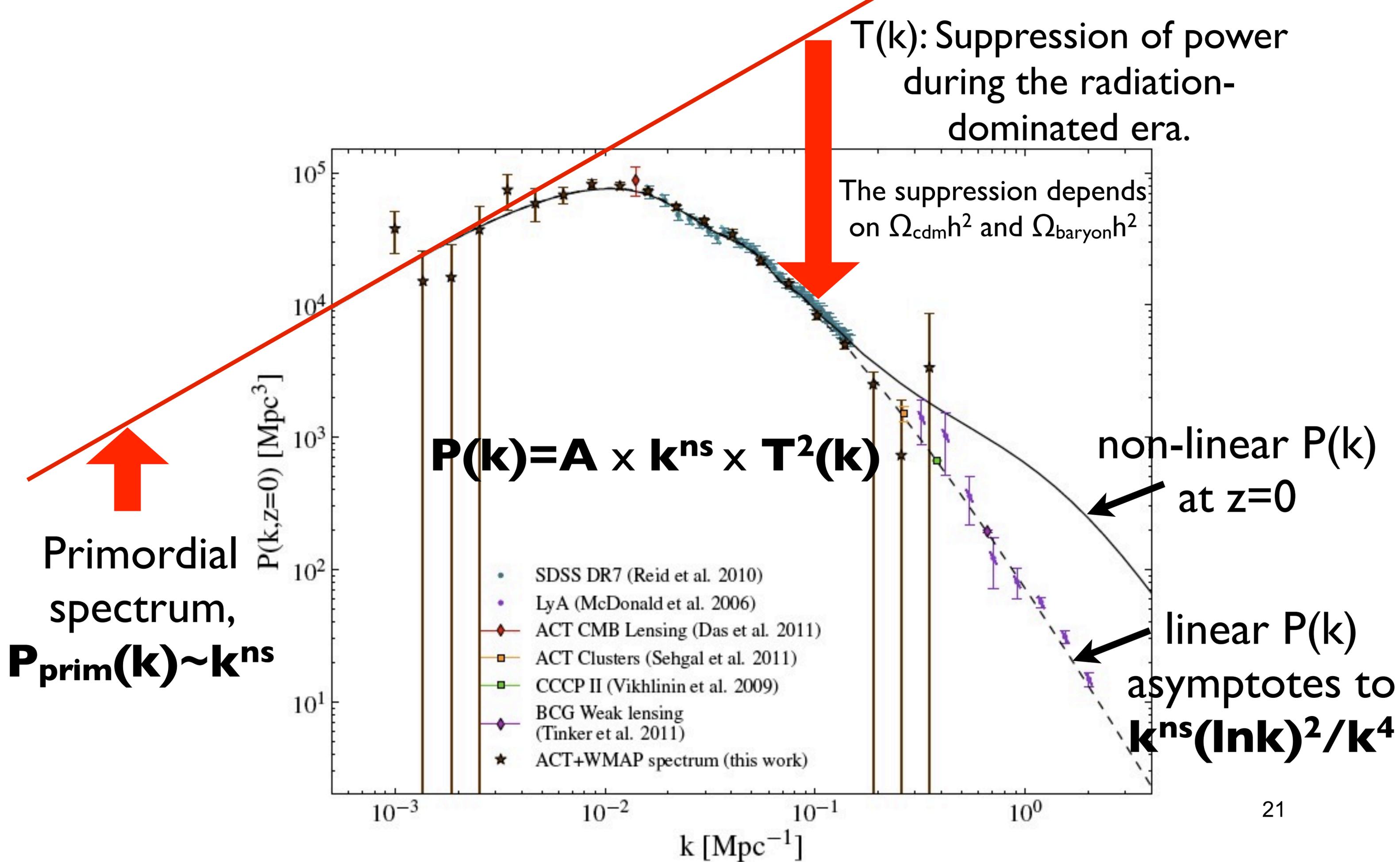
- **Neutrino Mass**
 - Shape of the matter power spectrum
- **Dark Matter**
 - Shape of the matter power spectrum (warm/hot DM)

Shape of the Power Spectrum, $P(k)$



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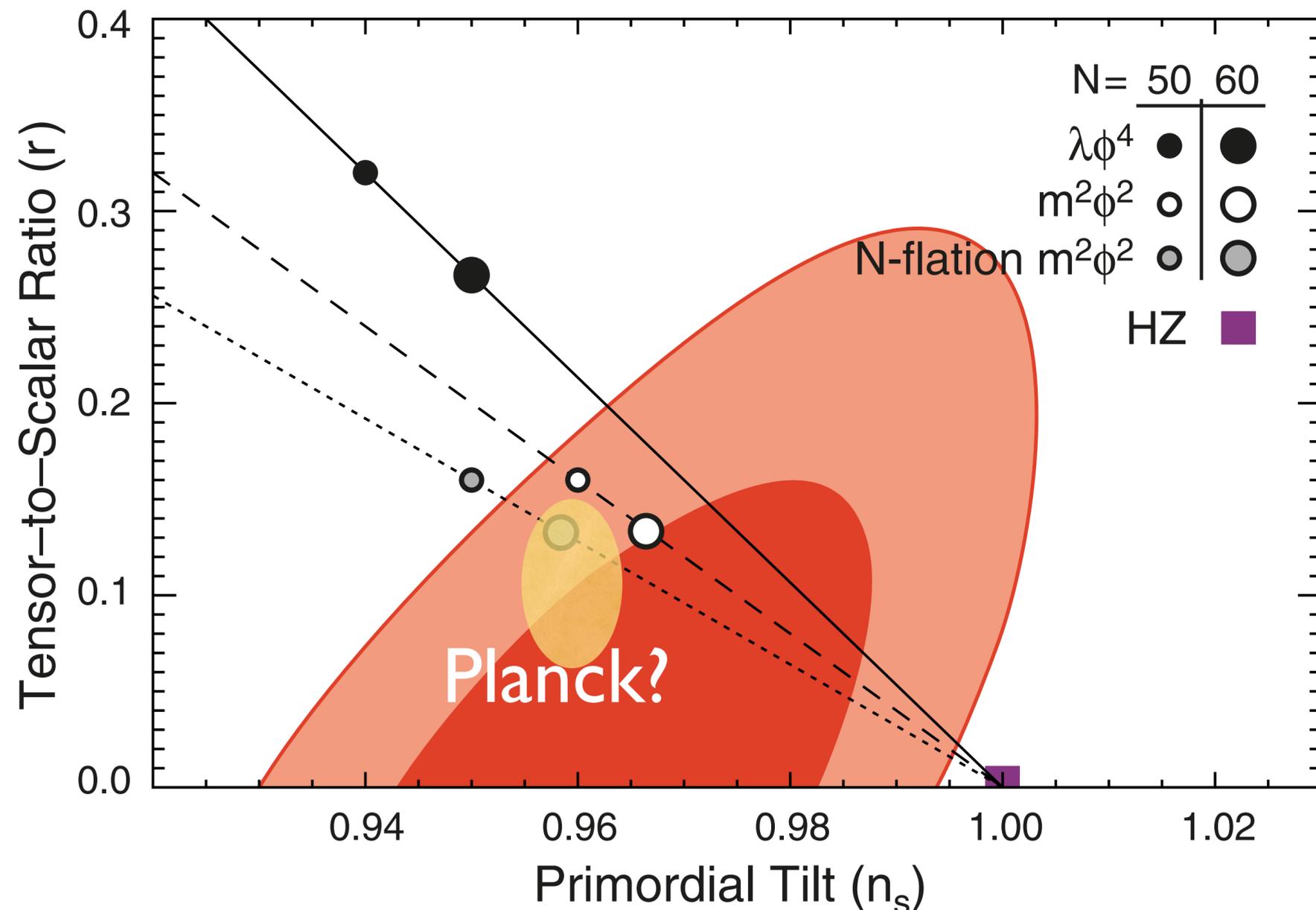


Current Limit on n_s

- Limit on the tilt of the power spectrum:
 - **$n_s = 0.968 \pm 0.012$** (68%CL; Komatsu et al. 2011)
 - Precision is dominated by the WMAP 7-year data
- Planck's CMB data are expected to improve the error bar by a factor of ~ 4 .

Probing Inflation (2-point Function)

$$r = (\text{gravitational waves})^2 / (\text{gravitational potential})^2$$

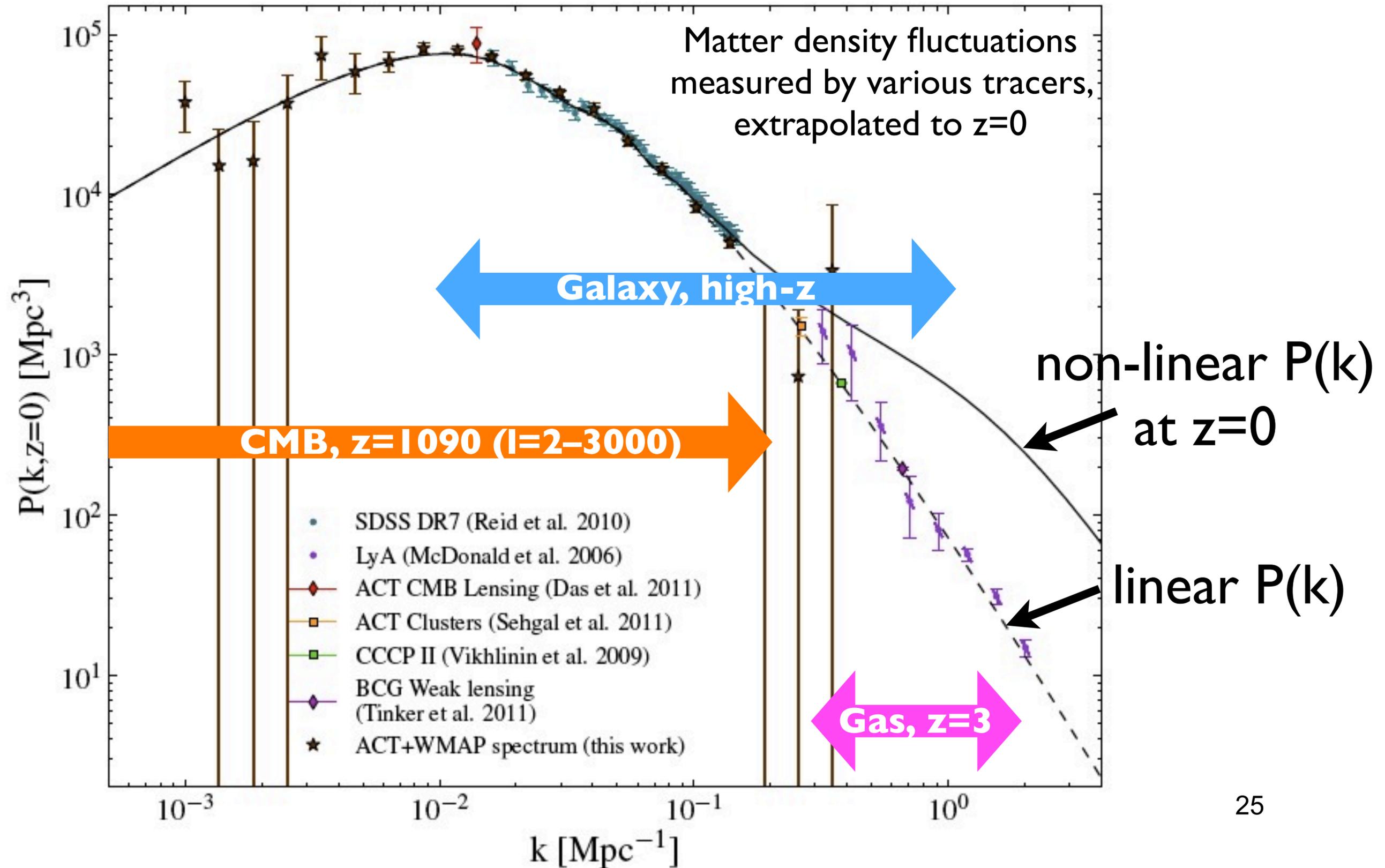


- Joint constraint on the primordial tilt, n_s , and the tensor-to-scalar ratio, r .
- Not so different from the 5-year limit.
- $r < 0.24$ (95%CL)
- Limit on the tilt of the power spectrum:
 $n_s = 0.968 \pm 0.012$ (68%CL)

Role of the Large-scale Structure of the Universe

- However, CMB data can't go much beyond $k=0.2 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ ($l=3000$).
- **High-z** large-scale structure data are required to go to smaller scales.

Shape of the Power Spectrum, $P(k)$



Measuring a scale-dependence of $n_s(k)$

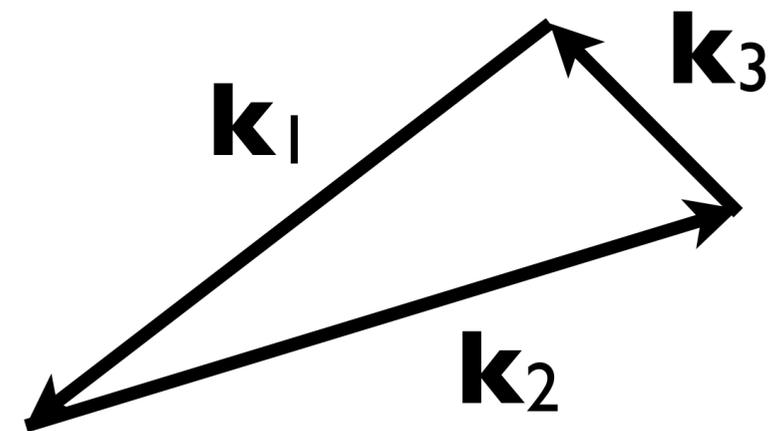
- As far as the value of n_s is concerned, CMB is probably enough.
- However, if we want to measure the scale-dependence of n_s , i.e., deviation of $P_{\text{prim}}(k)$ from a pure power-law, then we need the small-scale data.
 - This is where the large-scale structure data become quite powerful (Takada, Komatsu & Futamase 2006)
- Schematically:
 - $dn_s/d\ln k = [n_s(\text{CMB}) - n_s(\text{LSS})]/(\ln k_{\text{CMB}} - \ln k_{\text{LSS}})$

Probing Inflation (3-point Function)

Can We Rule Out Inflation?

- Inflation models predict that primordial fluctuations are very close to Gaussian.
- In fact, **ALL SINGLE-FIELD** models predict a particular form of **3-point function** to have the amplitude of $f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}}=0.02$.
- Detection of $f_{\text{NL}} > 1$ would rule out ALL single-field models!

Bispectrum



- Three-point function!

- $B_{\zeta}(\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2, \mathbf{k}_3)$

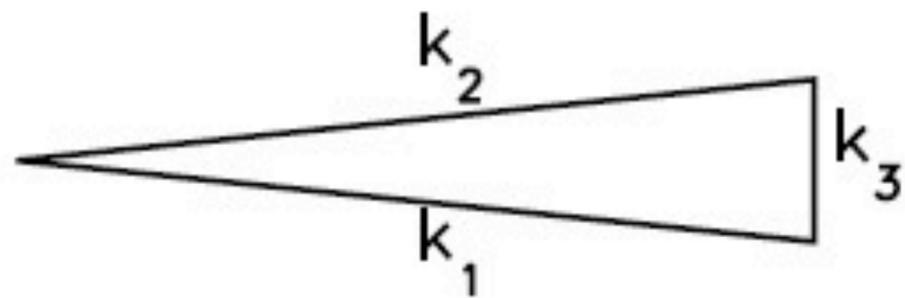
$$= \langle \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_1} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_2} \zeta_{\mathbf{k}_3} \rangle = (\text{amplitude}) \times (2\pi)^3 \delta(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3) F(k_1, k_2, k_3)$$

model-dependent function

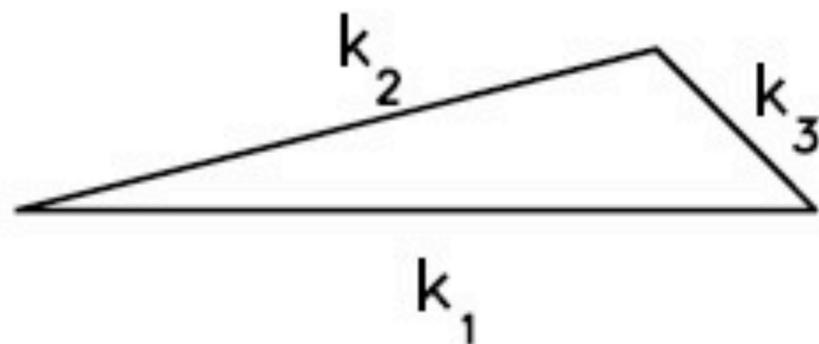


Primordial fluctuation

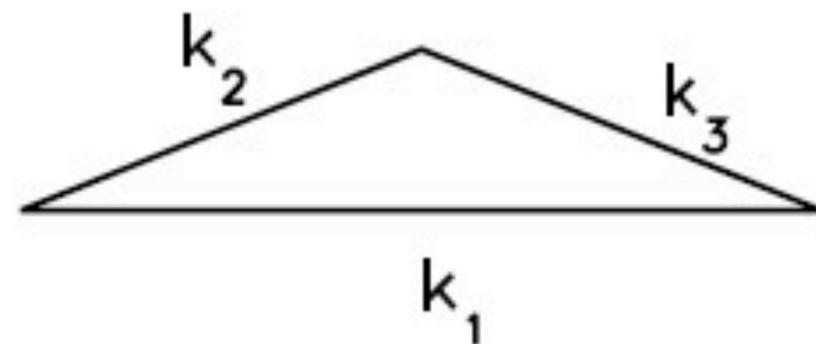
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($k_1 \approx k_2 \gg k_3$)



(b) elongated triangle
($k_1 = k_2 + k_3$)

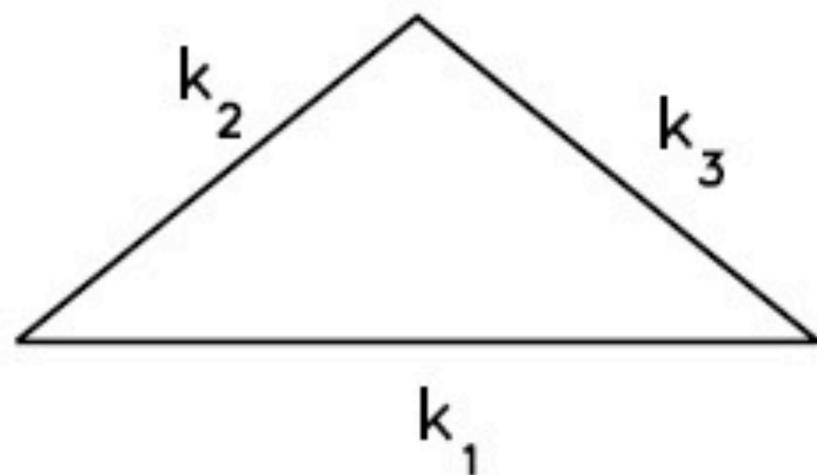


(c) folded triangle
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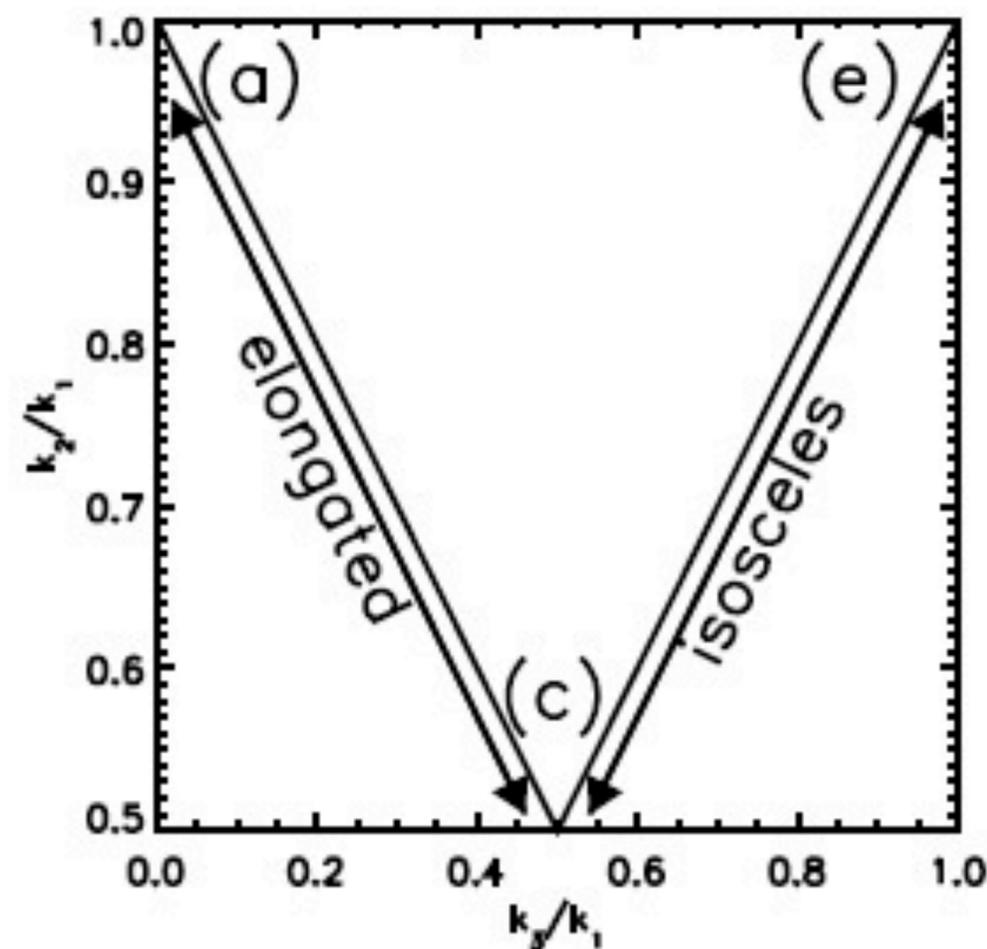
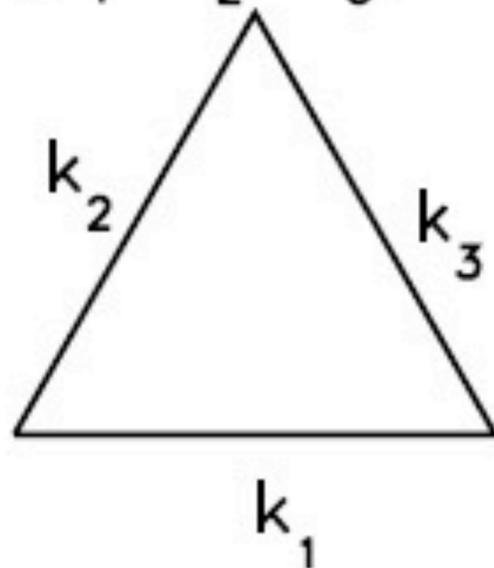


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(d) isosceles triangle
($k_1 > k_2 = k_3$)



(e) equilateral triangle
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Single-field Theorem (Consistency Relation)

- For **ANY** single-field models*, the bispectrum in the squeezed limit is given by
- $B_{\zeta}(\mathbf{k}_1 \sim \mathbf{k}_2 \ll \mathbf{k}_3) \approx (1 - n_s) \times (2\pi)^3 \delta(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3) \times P_{\zeta}(k_1) P_{\zeta}(k_3)$
- Therefore, all single-field models predict $f_{\text{NL}} \approx (5/12)(1 - n_s)$.
- With the current limit $n_s = 0.968$, f_{NL} is predicted to be 0.01.

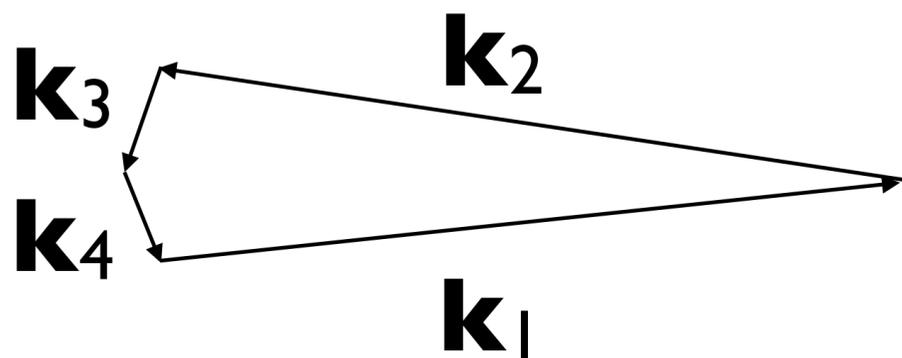
* for which the single field is solely responsible for driving inflation and generating observed fluctuations.

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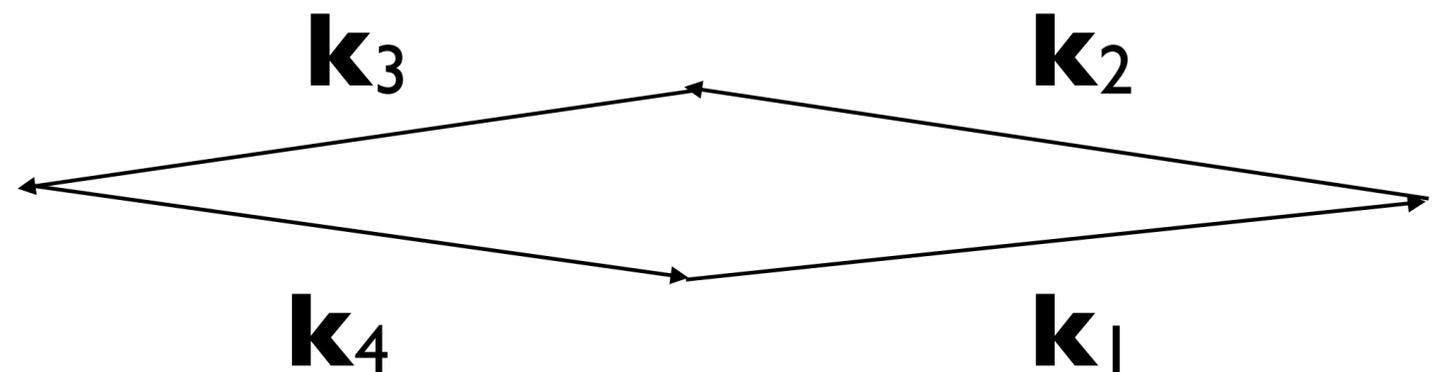
- No detection of 3-point functions of primordial curvature perturbations. The 95% CL limit is:
 - $-10 < f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} < 74$
- The 68% CL limit: $f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} = 32 \pm 21$
 - The WMAP data are consistent with the prediction of **simple single-field inflation** models: $1 - n_s \approx r \approx f_{\text{NL}}$
- The Planck's expected 68% CL uncertainty: $\Delta f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} = 5$

Trispectrum

- $T_{\zeta}(\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2, \mathbf{k}_3, \mathbf{k}_4) = (2\pi)^3 \delta(\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_2 + \mathbf{k}_3 + \mathbf{k}_4)$
 $\{g_{NL}[(54/25)P_{\zeta}(k_1)P_{\zeta}(k_2)P_{\zeta}(k_3) + \text{cyc.}]$
 $+ T_{NL}[P_{\zeta}(k_1)P_{\zeta}(k_2)(P_{\zeta}(|\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_3|) + P_{\zeta}(|\mathbf{k}_1 + \mathbf{k}_4|)) + \text{cyc.}]\}$

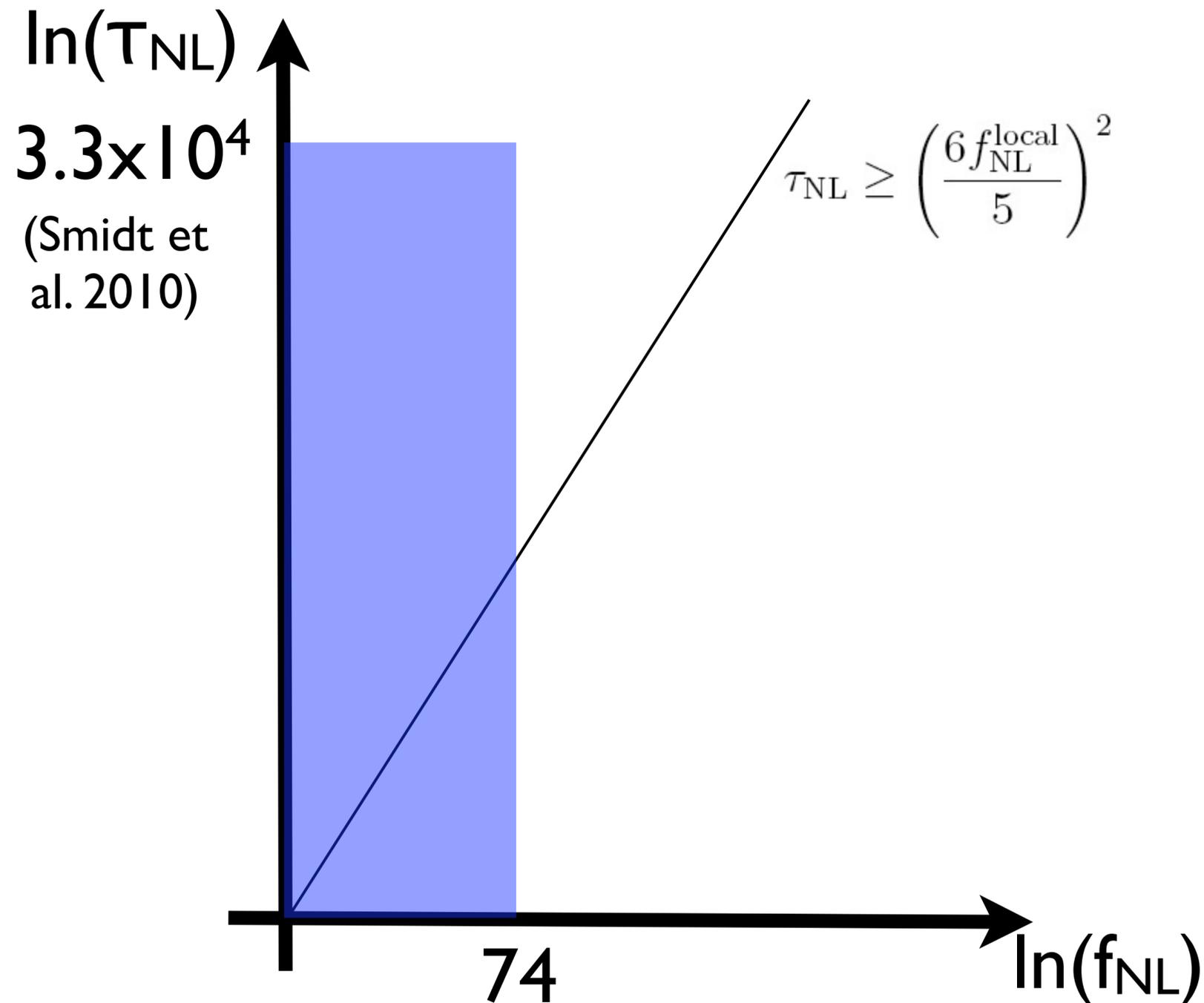


g_{NL}



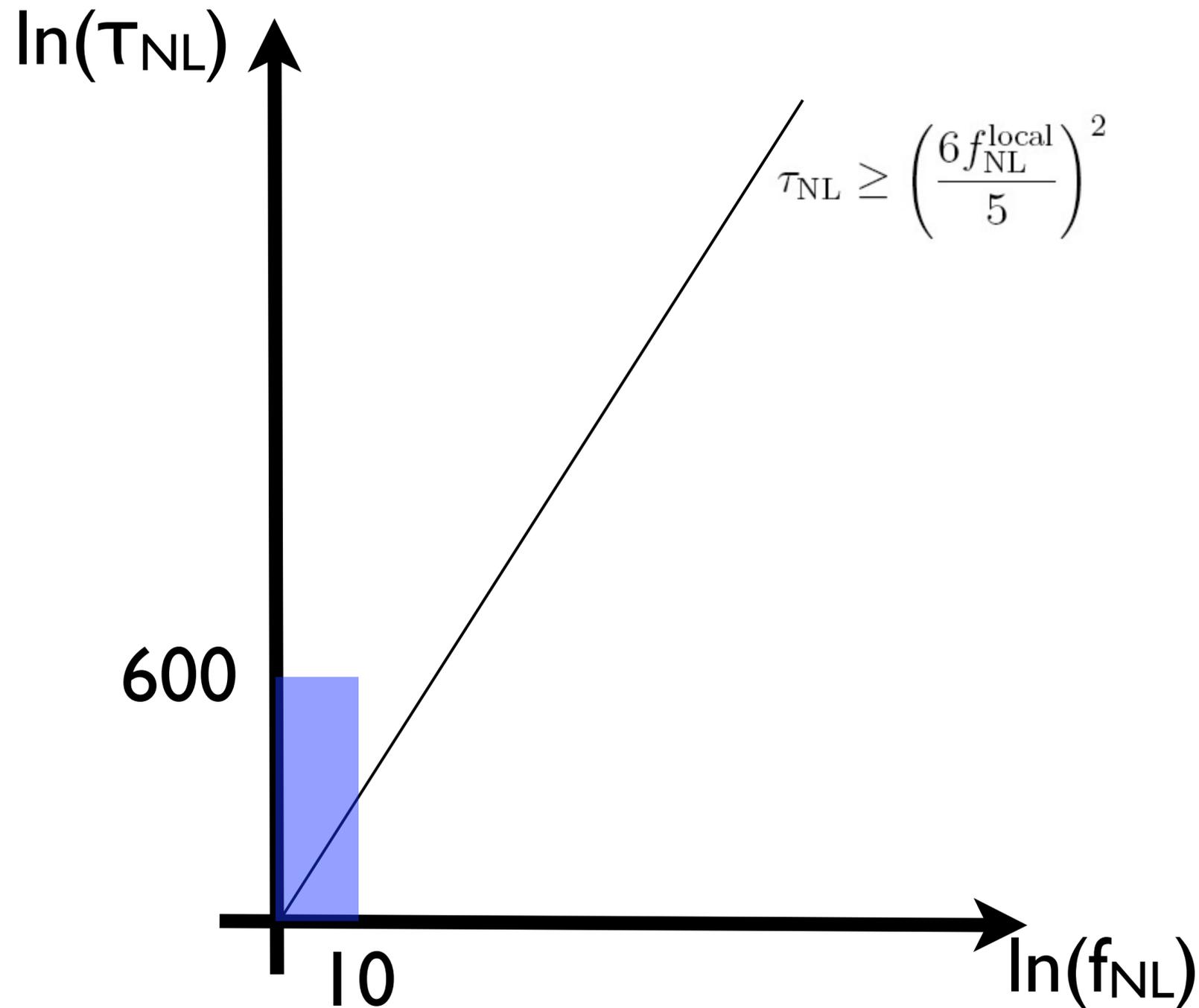
T_{NL}

$\tau_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} - f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}}$ Diagram



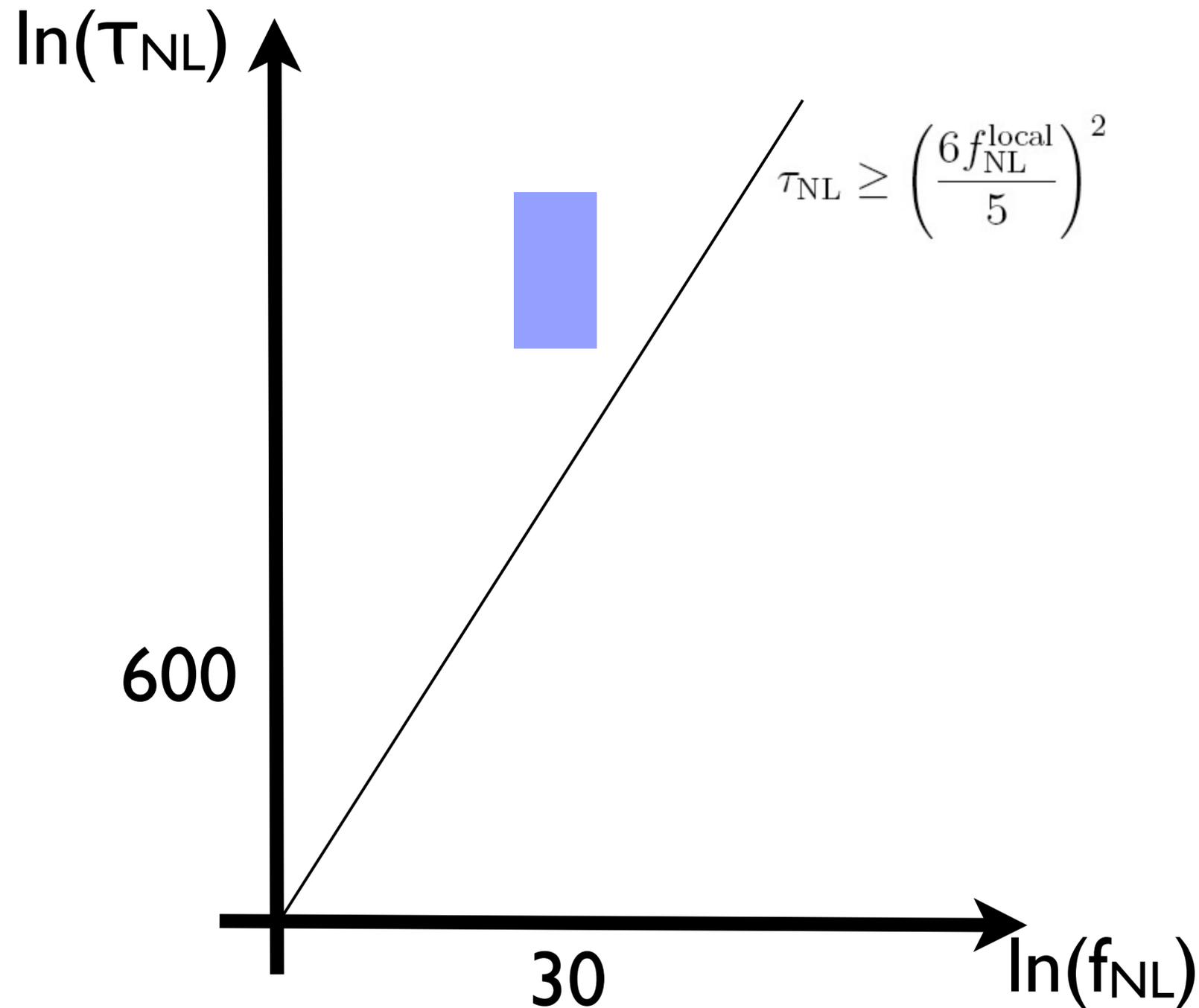
- The current limits from WMAP 7-year are consistent with single-field or multi-field models.
- So, let's play around with the future.

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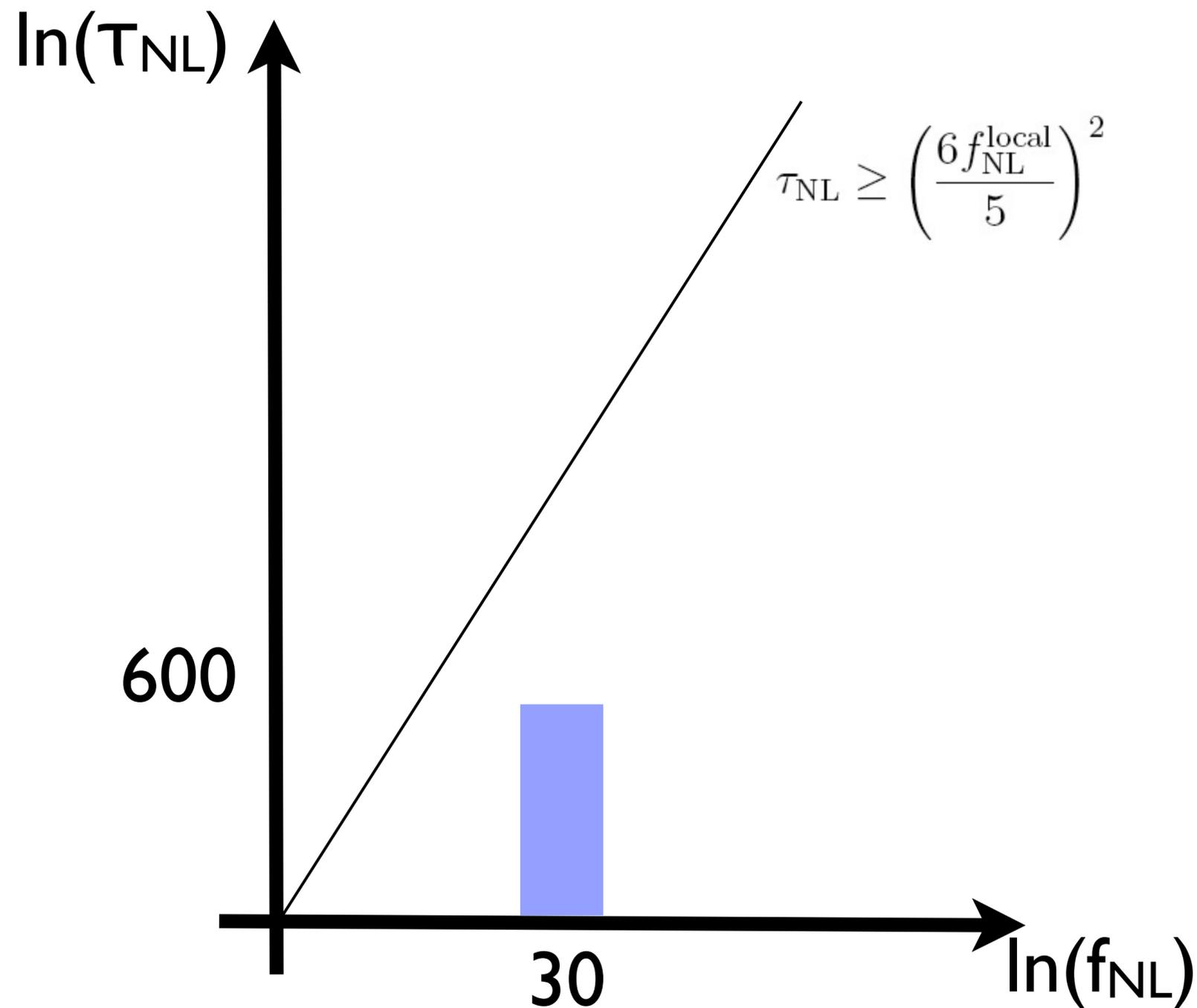
- No detection of anything after Planck. Single-field survived the test (for the moment: the future galaxy surveys can improve the limits by a factor of ten).

Case B: Multi-field Happiness



- f_{NL} is detected. Single-field is dead.
- But, τ_{NL} is also detected, in accordance with multi-field models:
 $\tau_{\text{NL}} > 0.5(6f_{\text{NL}}/5)^2$
[Sugiyama, Komatsu & Futamase (2011)]

Case C: Madness



- f_{NL} is detected. Single-field is dead.
- But, τ_{NL} is **not** detected, inconsistent with the multi-field bound.
- (With the caveat that this bound may not be completely general) BOTH the single-field and multi-field are gone.

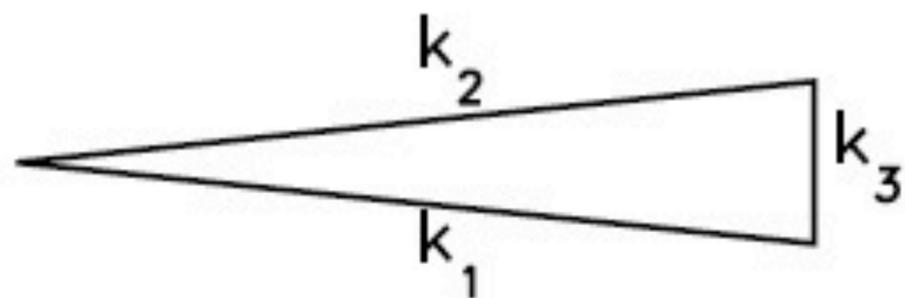
Beyond CMB: Large-scale Structure!

- In principle, the large-scale structure of the universe offers a lot more statistical power, because we can get 3D information. (CMB is 2D, so the number of Fourier modes is limited.)

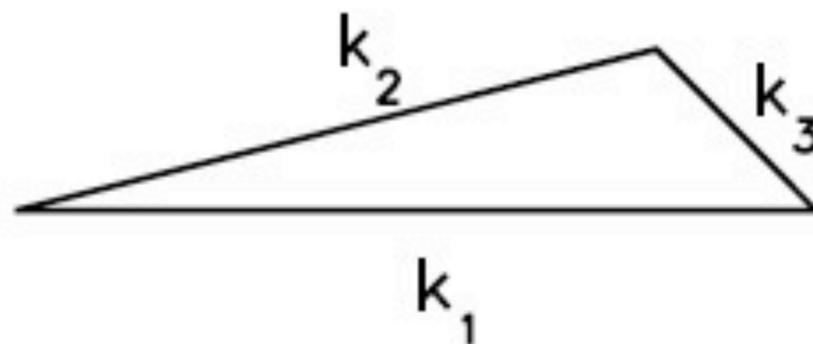
Beyond CMB: Large-scale Structure?

- Statistics is great, but the large-scale structure is non-linear, so perhaps it is less clean?
- Not necessarily.

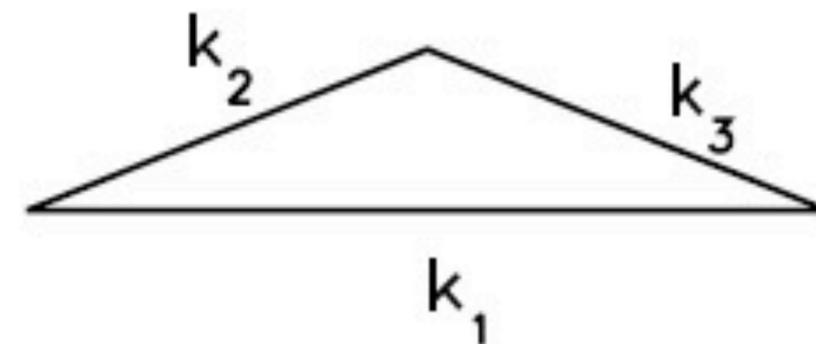
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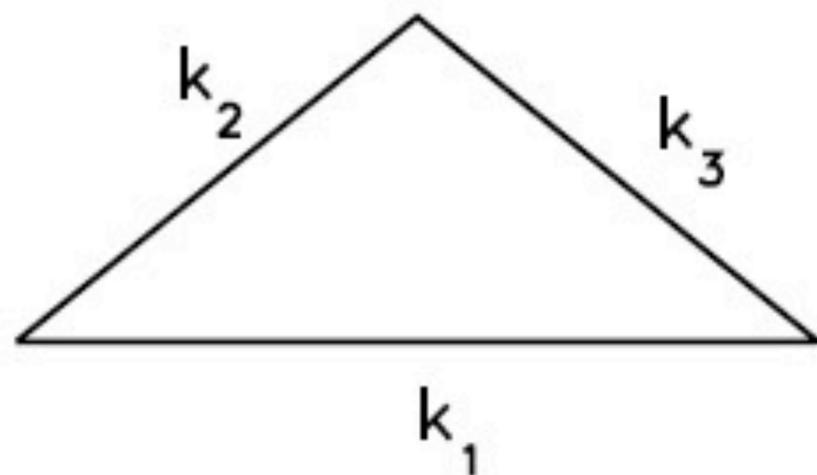


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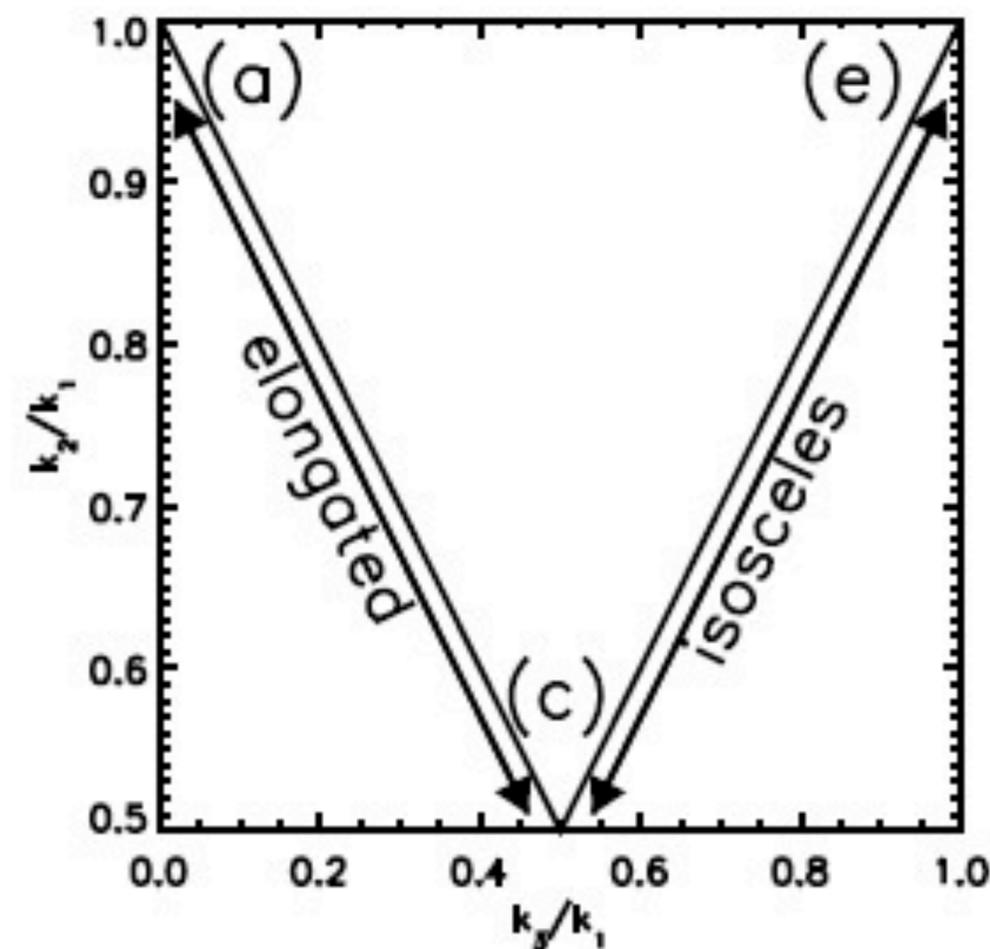
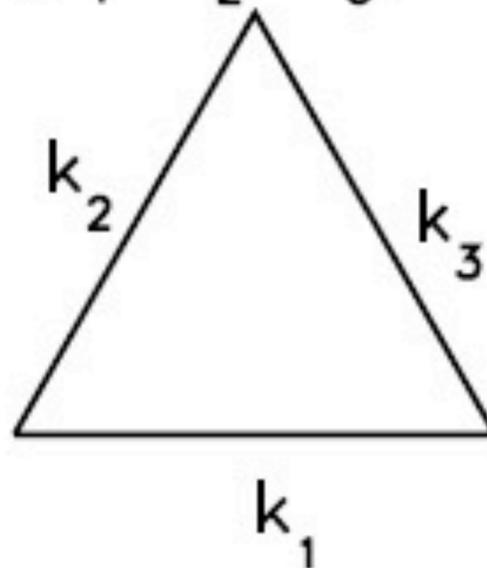


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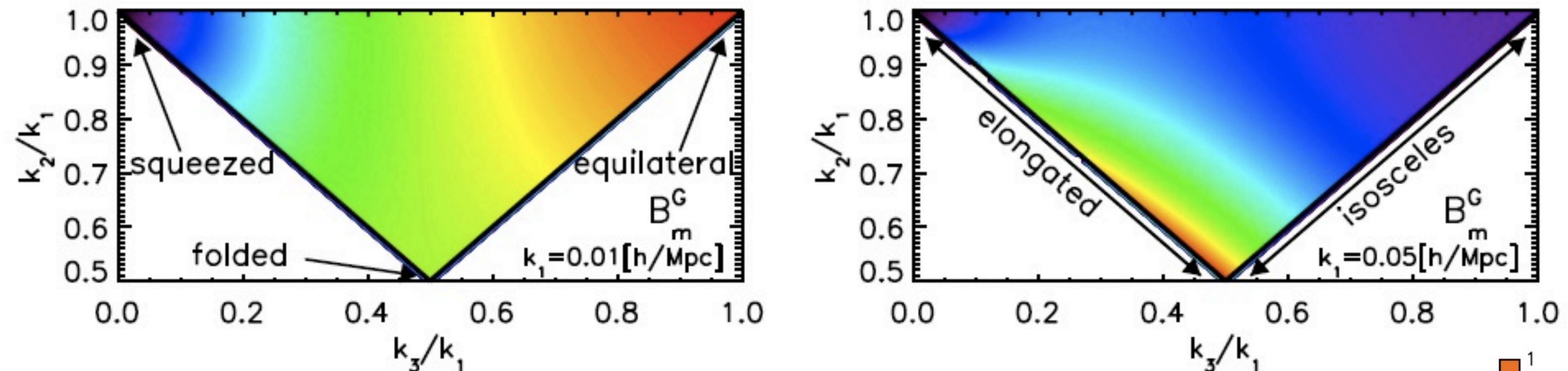
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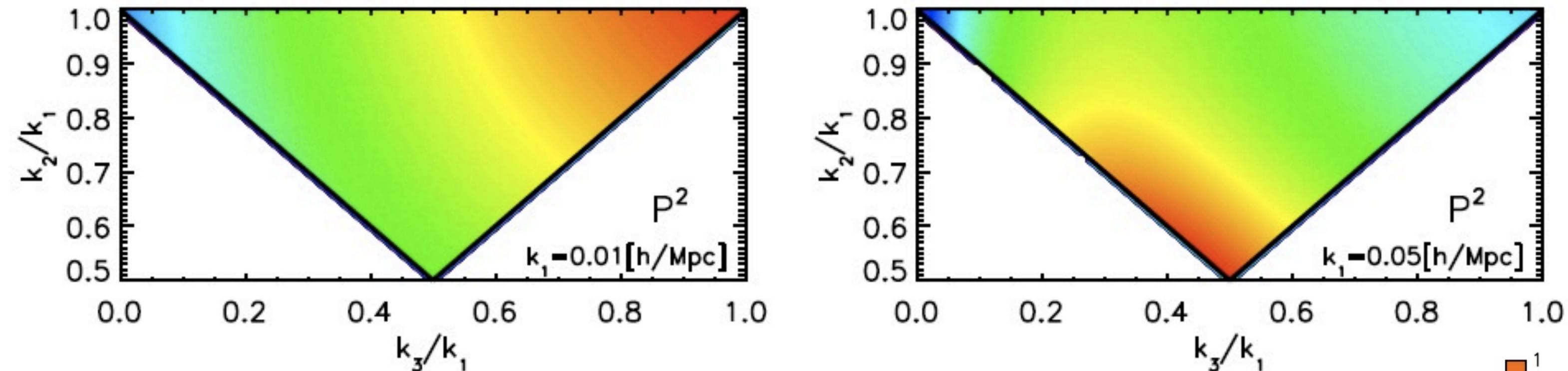
Non-linear Gravity



$$2b_1^3 \left[F_2^{(s)}(\mathbf{k}_1, \mathbf{k}_2) P_m(k_1, z) P_m(k_2, z) + (\text{cyclic}) \right]$$

- For a given k_1 , vary k_2 and k_3 , with $k_3 \leq k_2 \leq k_1$
- $F_2(k_2, k_3)$ vanishes in the squeezed limit, and peaks at the elongated triangles.

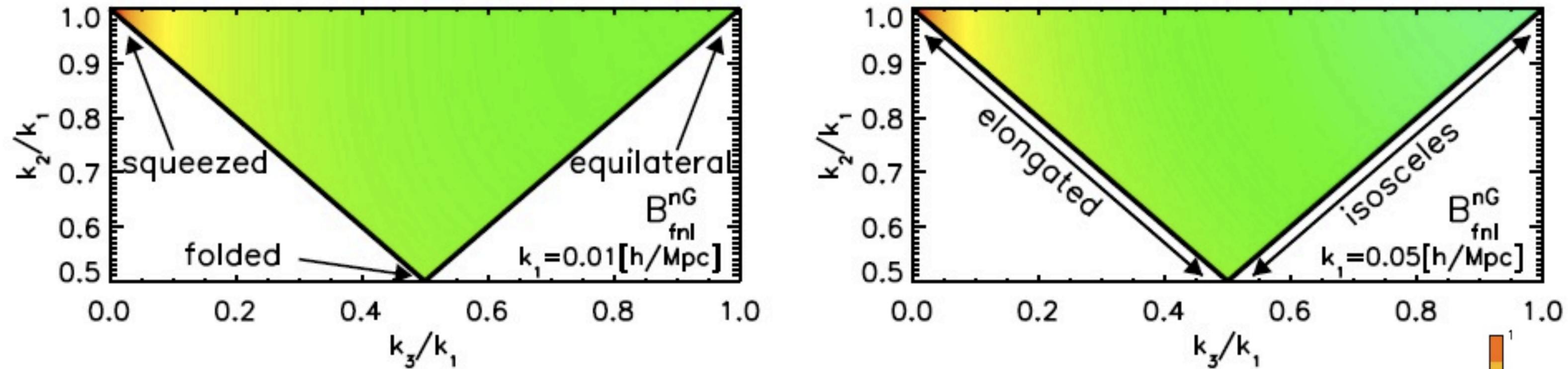
Non-linear Galaxy Bias



$$b_1^2 b_2 [P_m(k_1, z) P_m(k_2, z) + (\text{cyclic})]$$

- There is no F_2 : less suppression at the squeezed, and less enhancement along the elongated triangles.
- Still peaks at the equilateral or elongated forms.

Primordial Non-Gaussianity



$$3b_1^3 f_{\text{NL}} \Omega_m H_0^2 \left[\frac{P_m(k_1, z)}{k_1^2 T(k_1)} \frac{P_m(k_2, z)}{k_2^2 T(k_2)} \frac{k_3^2 T(k_3)}{D(z)} + (\text{cyclic}) \right]$$

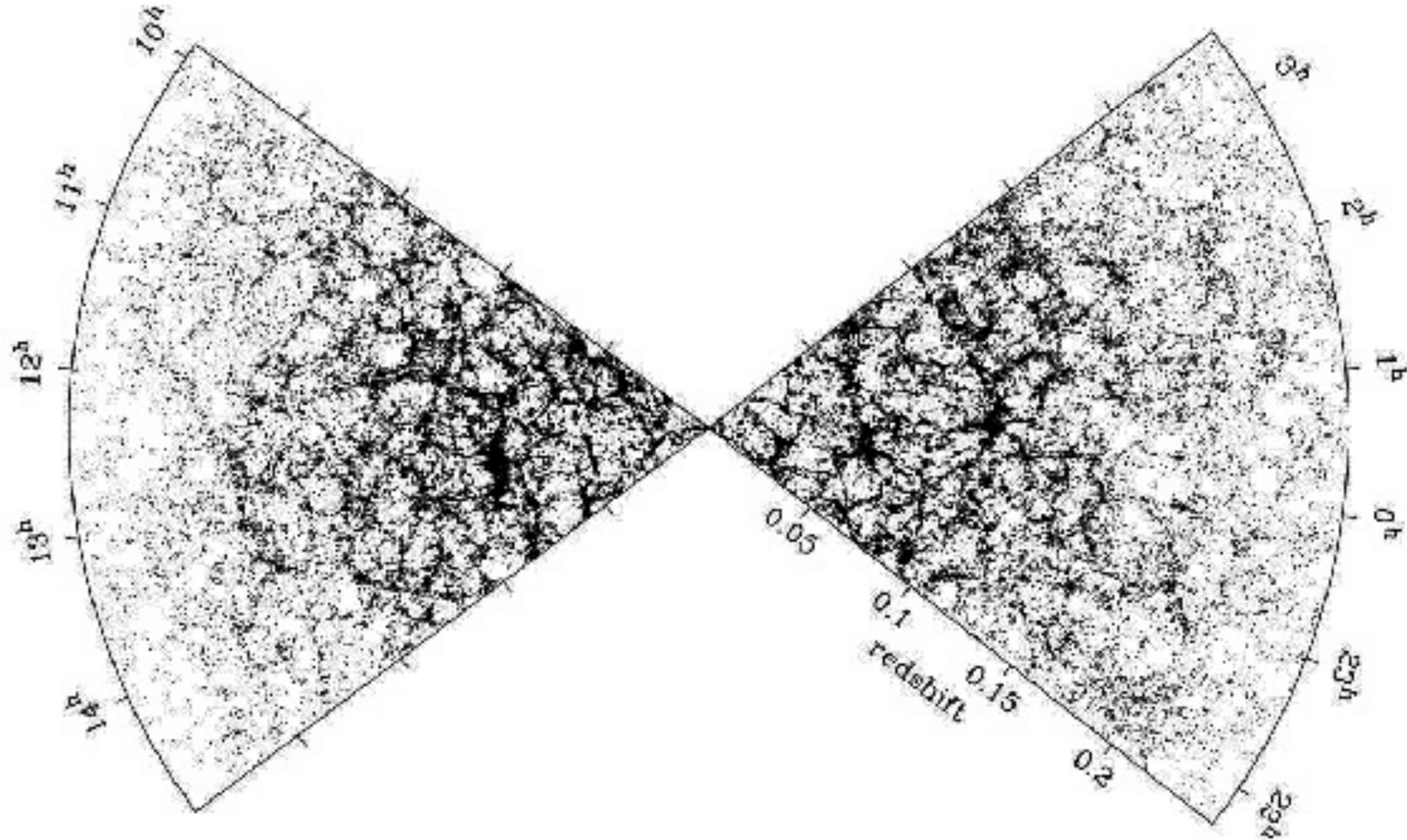
- This gives the peaks at the squeezed configurations, clearly distinguishable from other non-linear/astrophysical effects.

Bispectrum is powerful

- $f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{local}} \sim \mathcal{O}(1)$ is quite possible with the bispectrum method.
- This needs to be demonstrated by the real data – we will certainly do this with the HETDEX data!

BAO in Galaxy Distribution

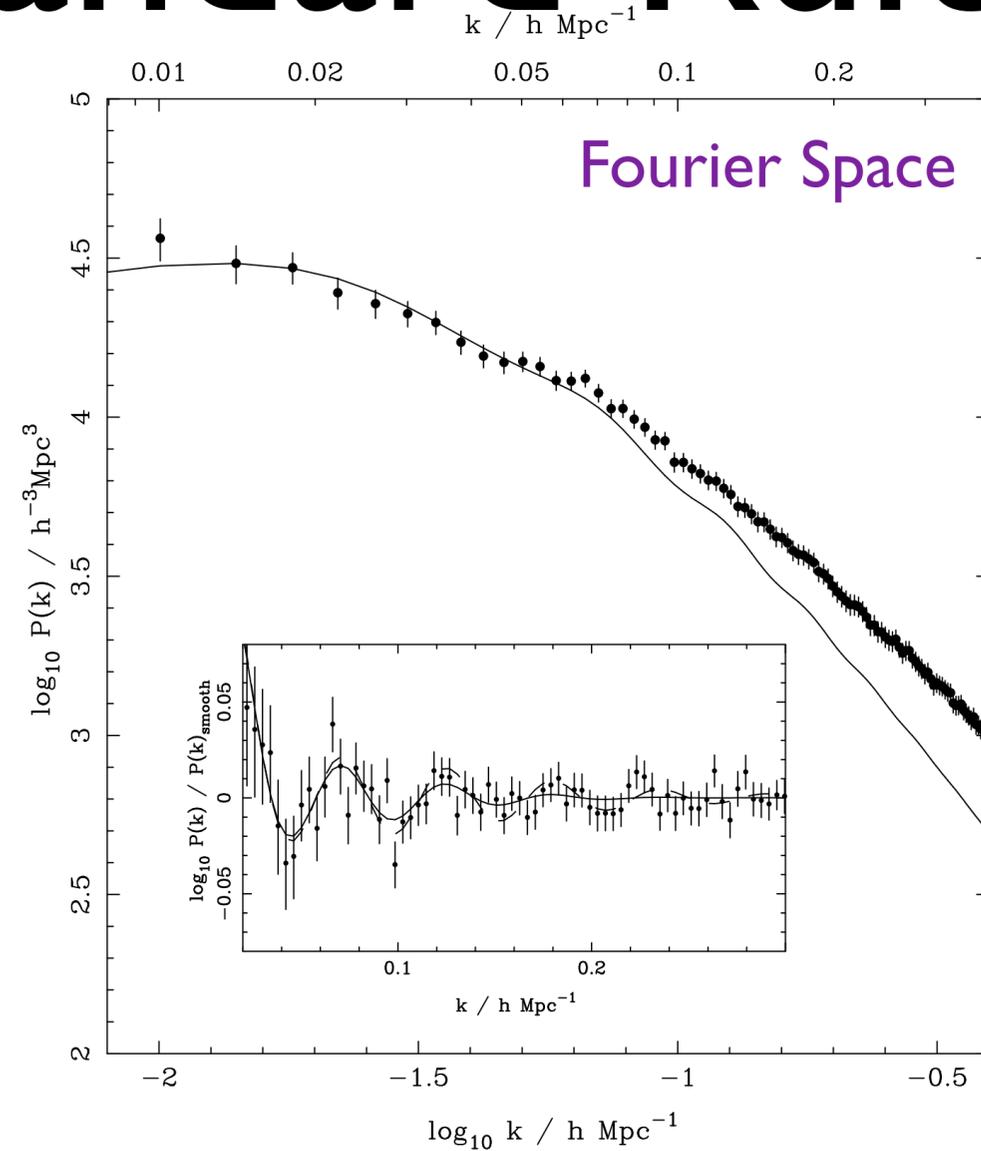
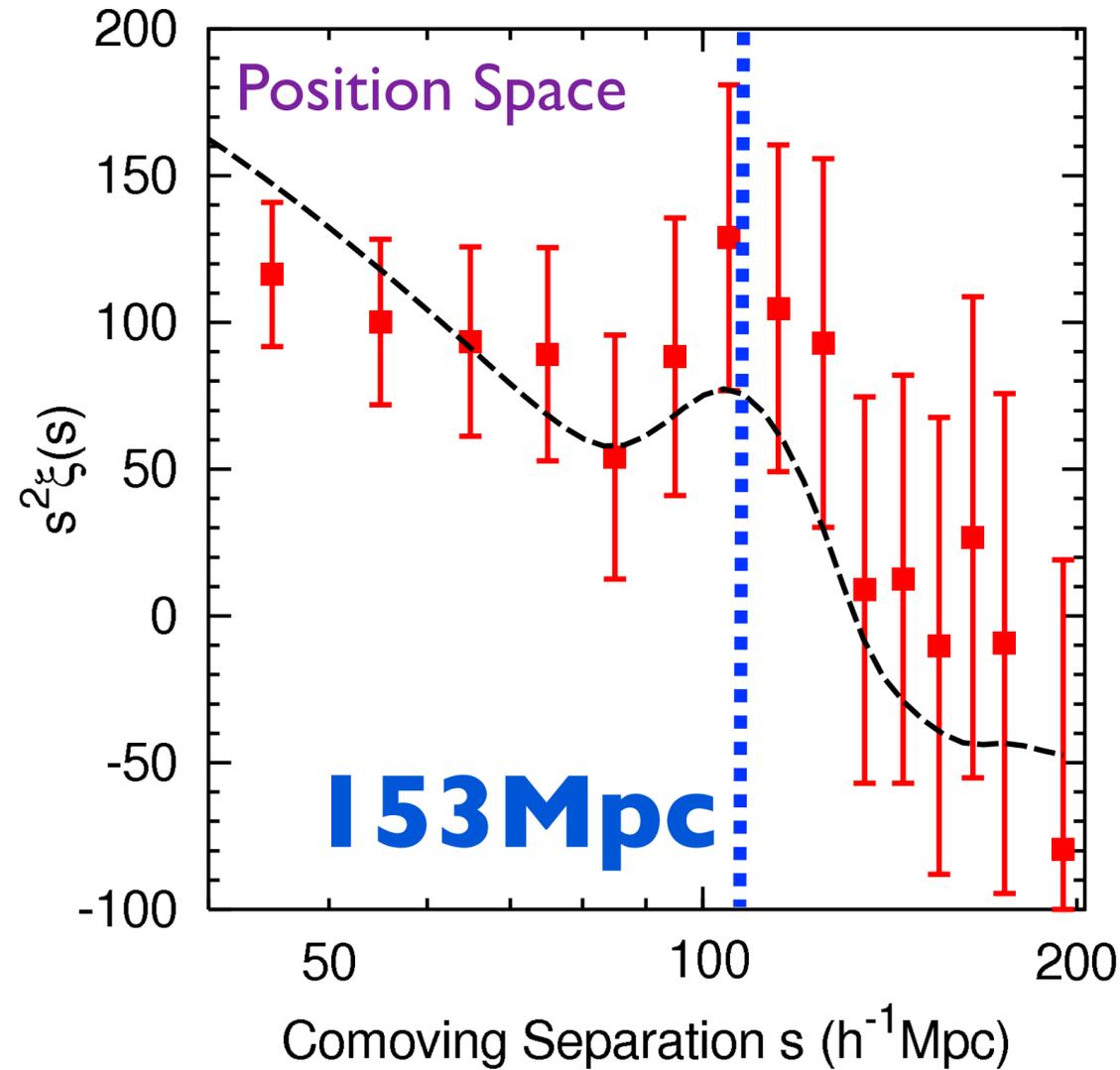
2dFGRS



- The acoustic oscillations should be hidden in this galaxy distribution...

BAO as a Standard Ruler

Okumura et al. (2007)



Percival et al. (2006)

- The existence of a localized clustering scale in the 2-point function yields oscillations in Fourier space.

Not Just $D_A(z)$...

- A really nice thing about BAO at a given redshift is that it can be used to measure not only $D_A(z)$, but also the expansion rate, $H(z)$, directly, at **that** redshift.

- BAO perpendicular to l.o.s

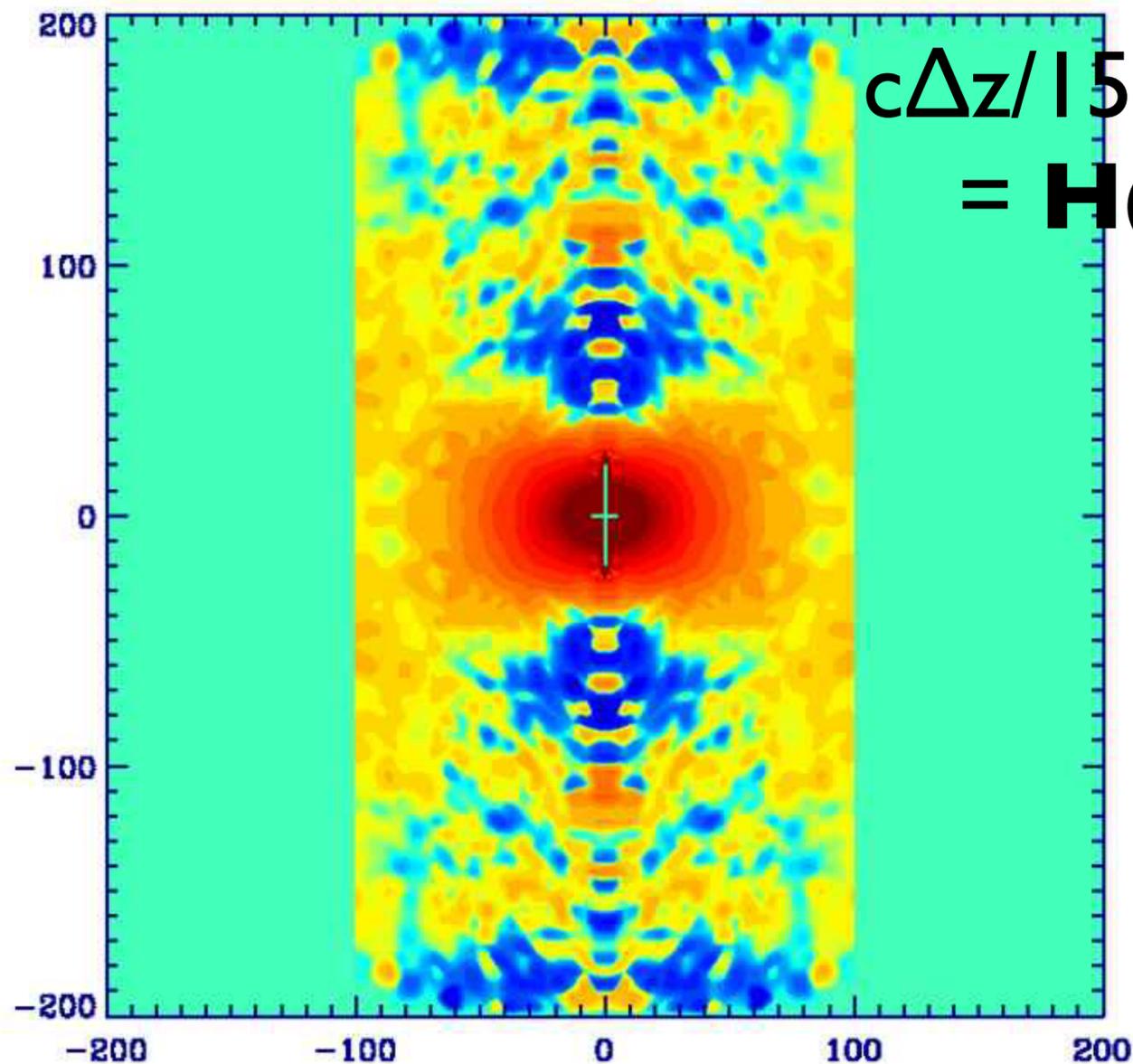
$$\Rightarrow D_A(z) = 153\text{Mpc}/[(1+z)\theta]$$

- BAO parallel to l.o.s

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{H(z) = c\Delta z/153\text{Mpc}}$$

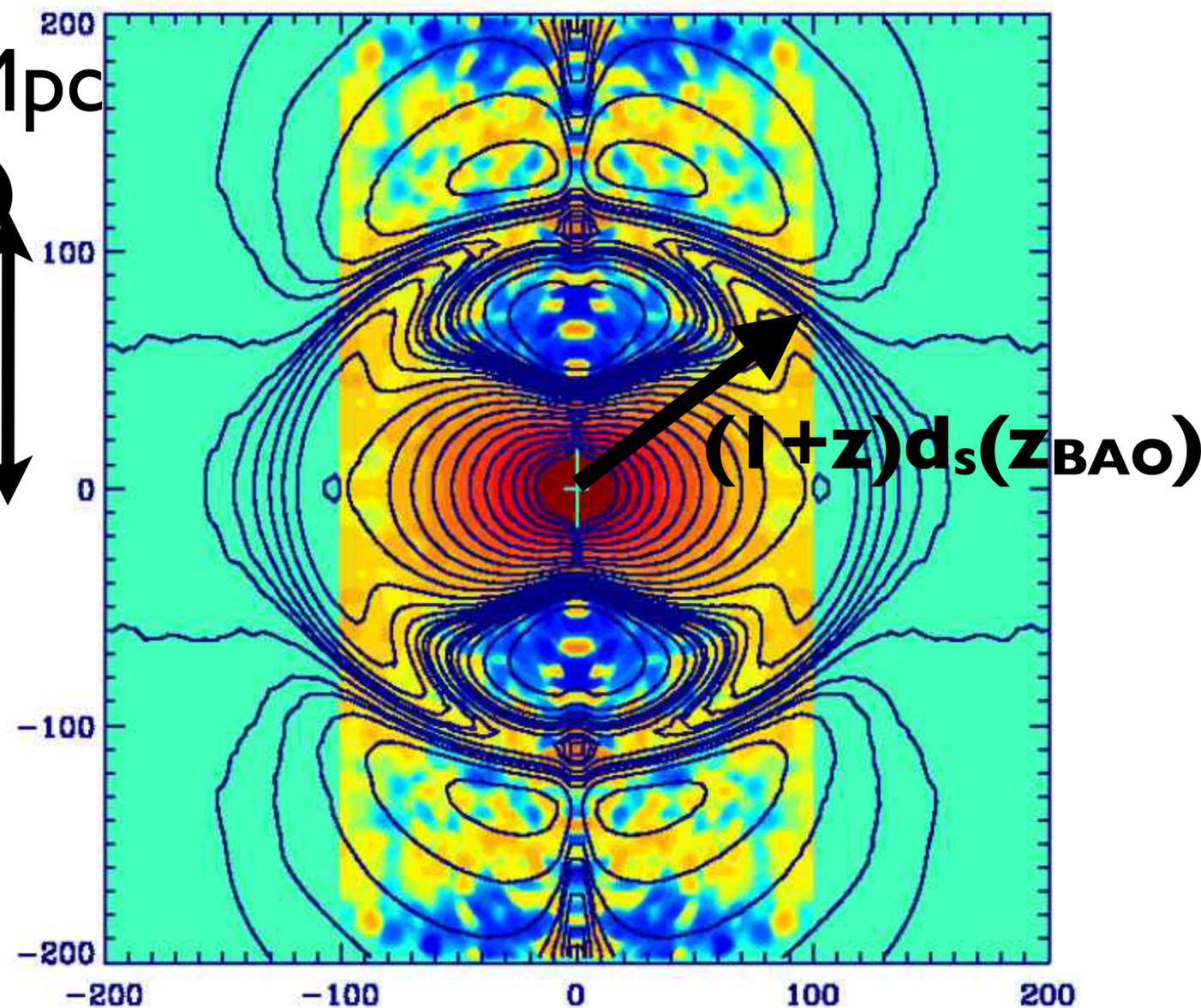
Transverse= $D_A(z)$; Radial= $H(z)$

SDSS Data
DR6



$$c\Delta z/153\text{Mpc} = H(z)$$

Linear Theory
DR6 + best model



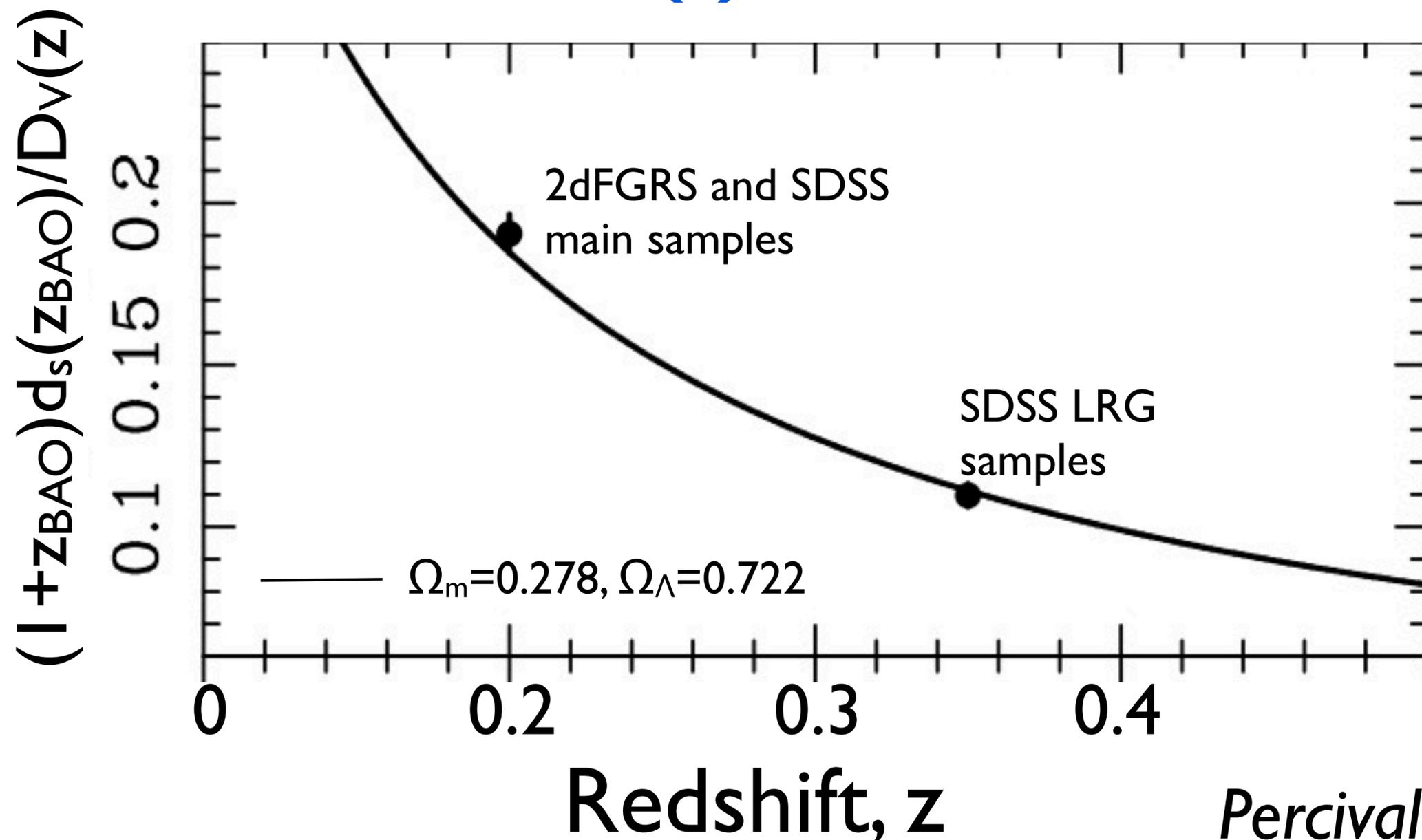
$$(1+z)d_s(z_{\text{BAO}})$$

Two-point correlation function measured from the SDSS Luminous Red Galaxies (Gaztanaga, Cabre & Hui 2008)

$$\theta = 153\text{Mpc}/[(1+z)D_A(z)]$$

$$D_V(z) = \left\{ (1+z)^2 D_A^2(z) [cz/H(z)] \right\}^{1/3}$$

Since the current data are not good enough to constrain $D_A(z)$ and $H(z)$ separately, a combination distance, $D_V(z)$, has been constrained.

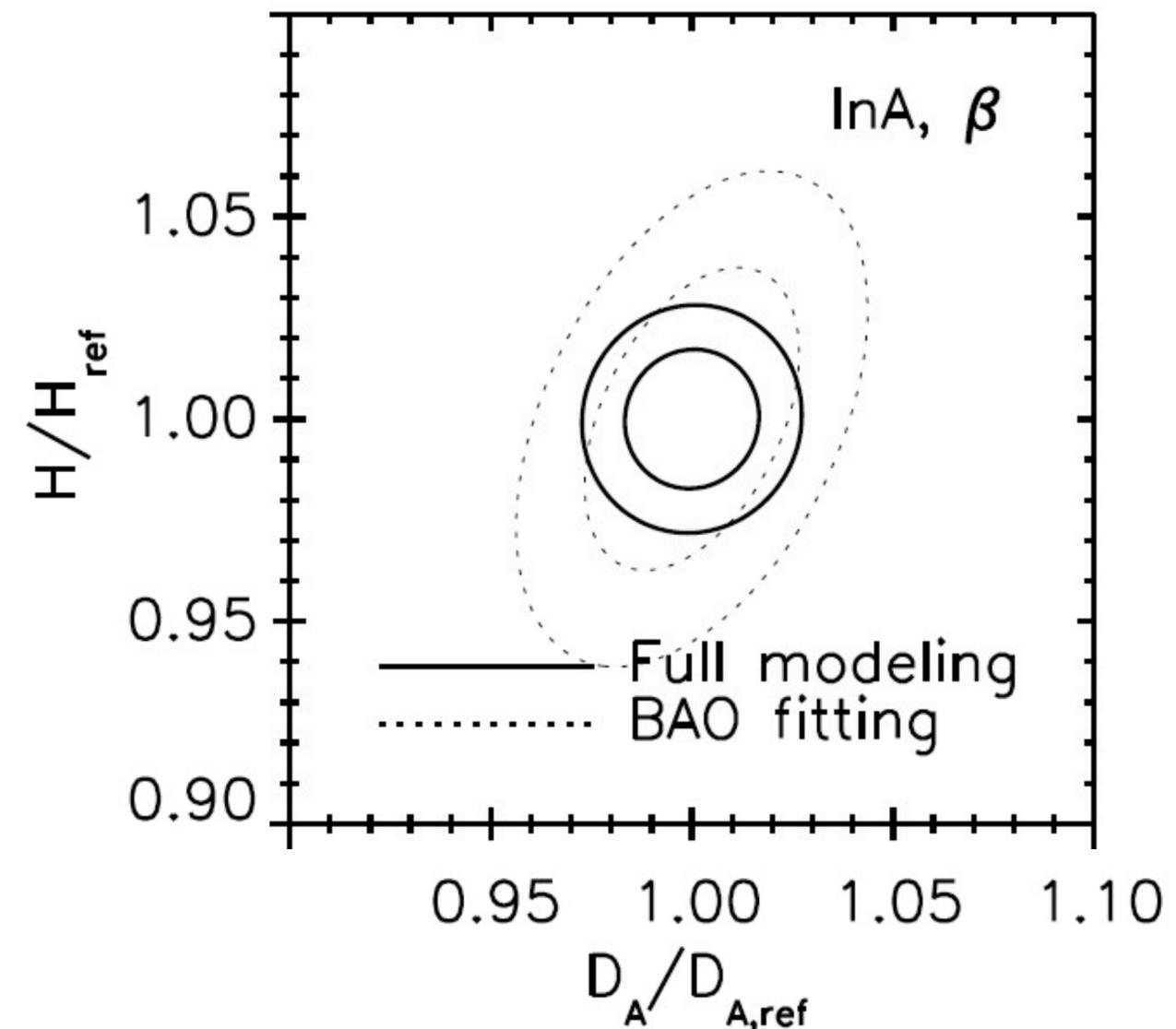


Beyond BAO

- BAOs capture only a **fraction** of the information contained in the galaxy power spectrum!
- The full usage of the 2-dimensional power spectrum leads to a *substantial* improvement in the precision of distance and expansion rate measurements.

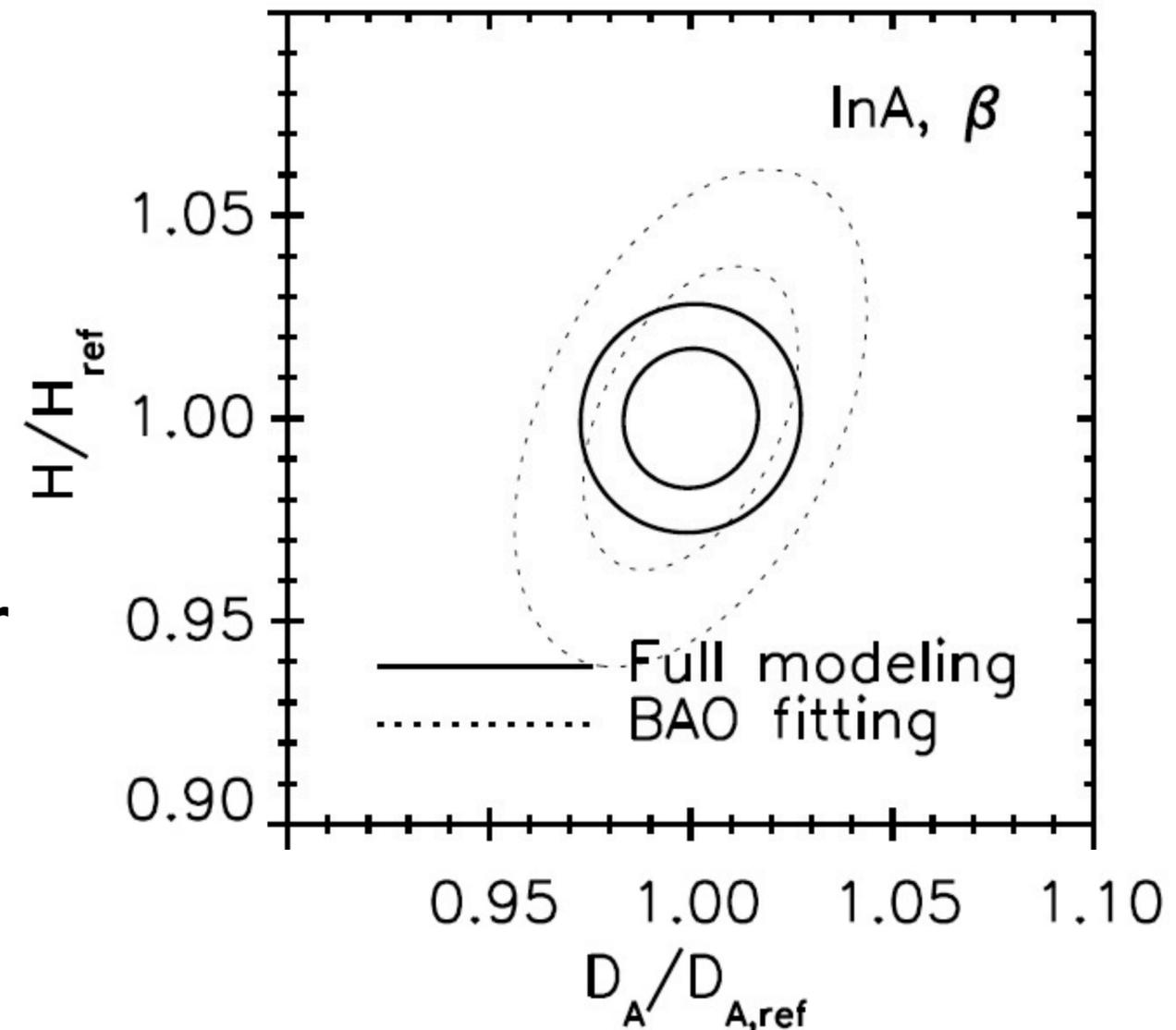
BAO vs Full Modeling

- Full modeling improves upon the determinations of D_A & H by more than a factor of two.
- On the D_A - H plane, the size of the ellipse shrinks by more than a factor of four.



Alcock-Paczynski: The Most Important Thing For HETDEX

- **Where does the improvement come from?**
- The Alcock-Paczynski test is the key. *This is the most important component for the success of the HETDEX survey.*



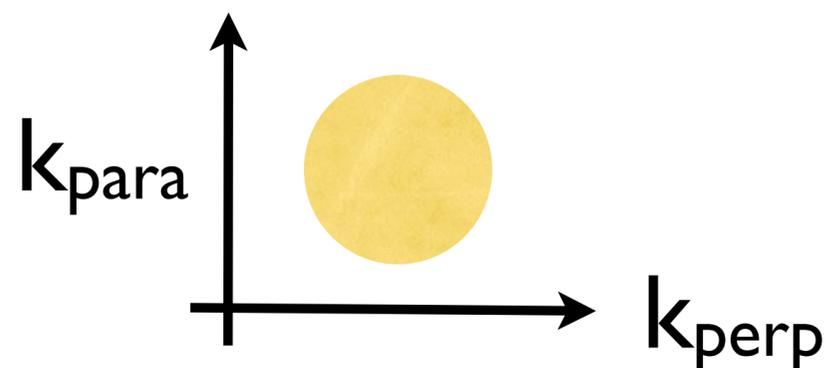
The AP Test: How That Works

- The key idea: (*in the absence of the redshift-space distortion - we will include this for the full analysis; we ignore it here for simplicity*), the distribution of the power should be **isotropic** in Fourier space.

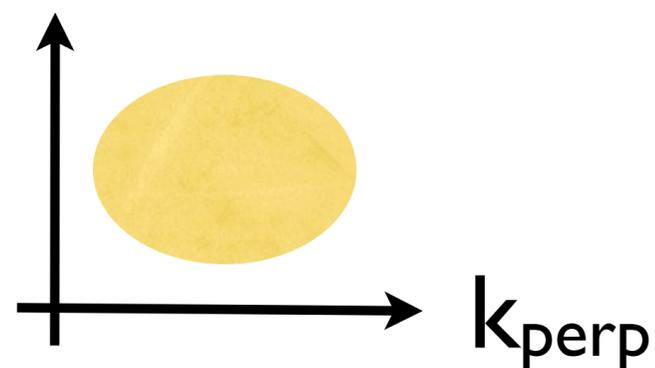
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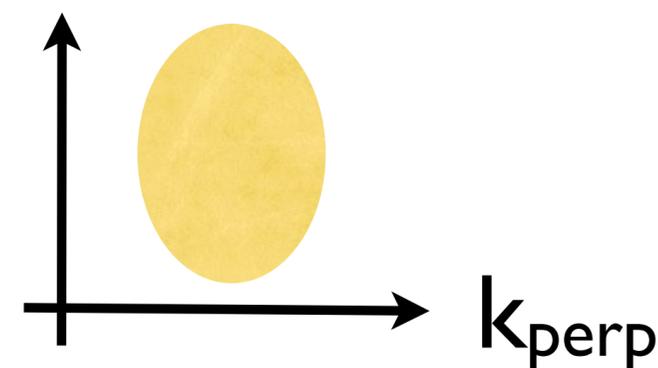
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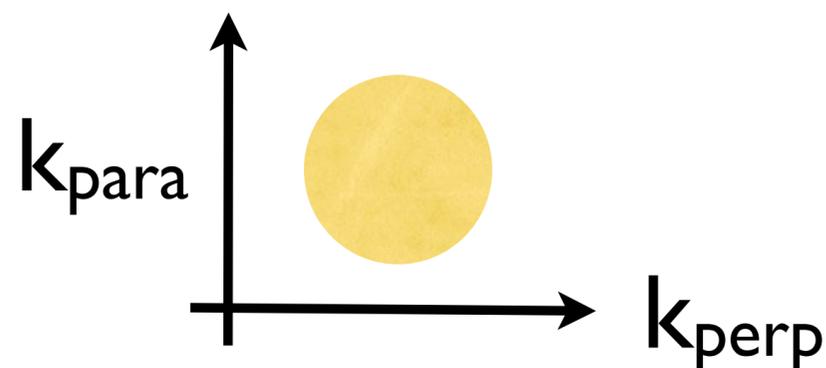
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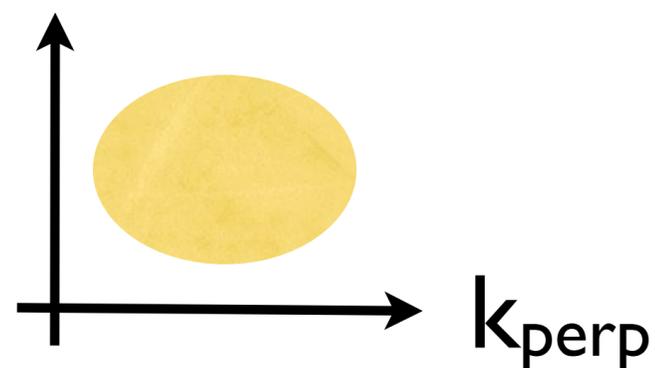
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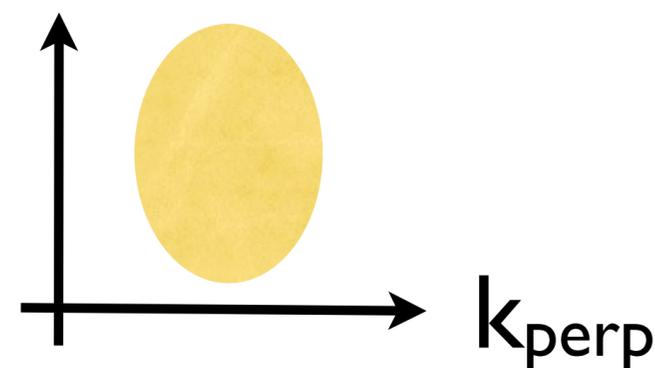
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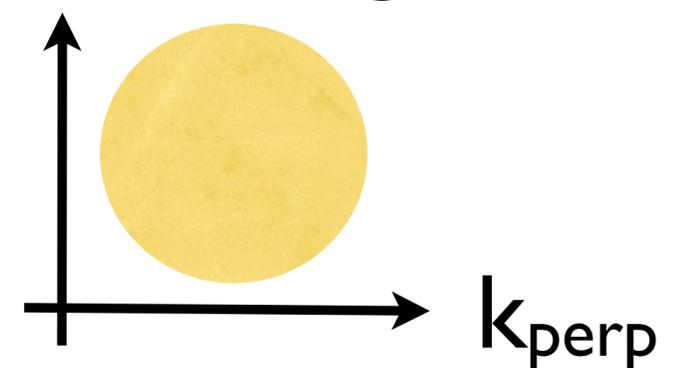
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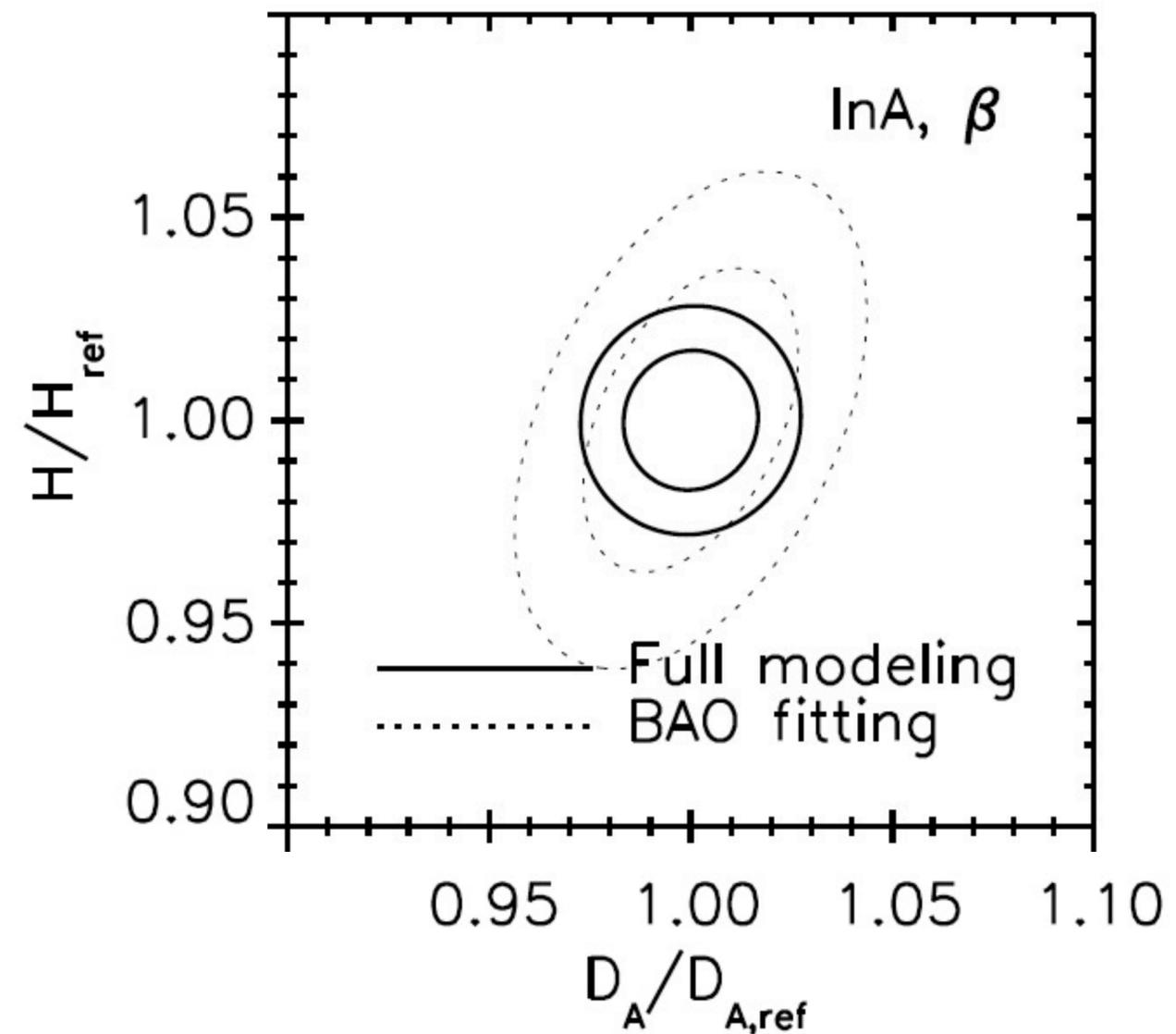


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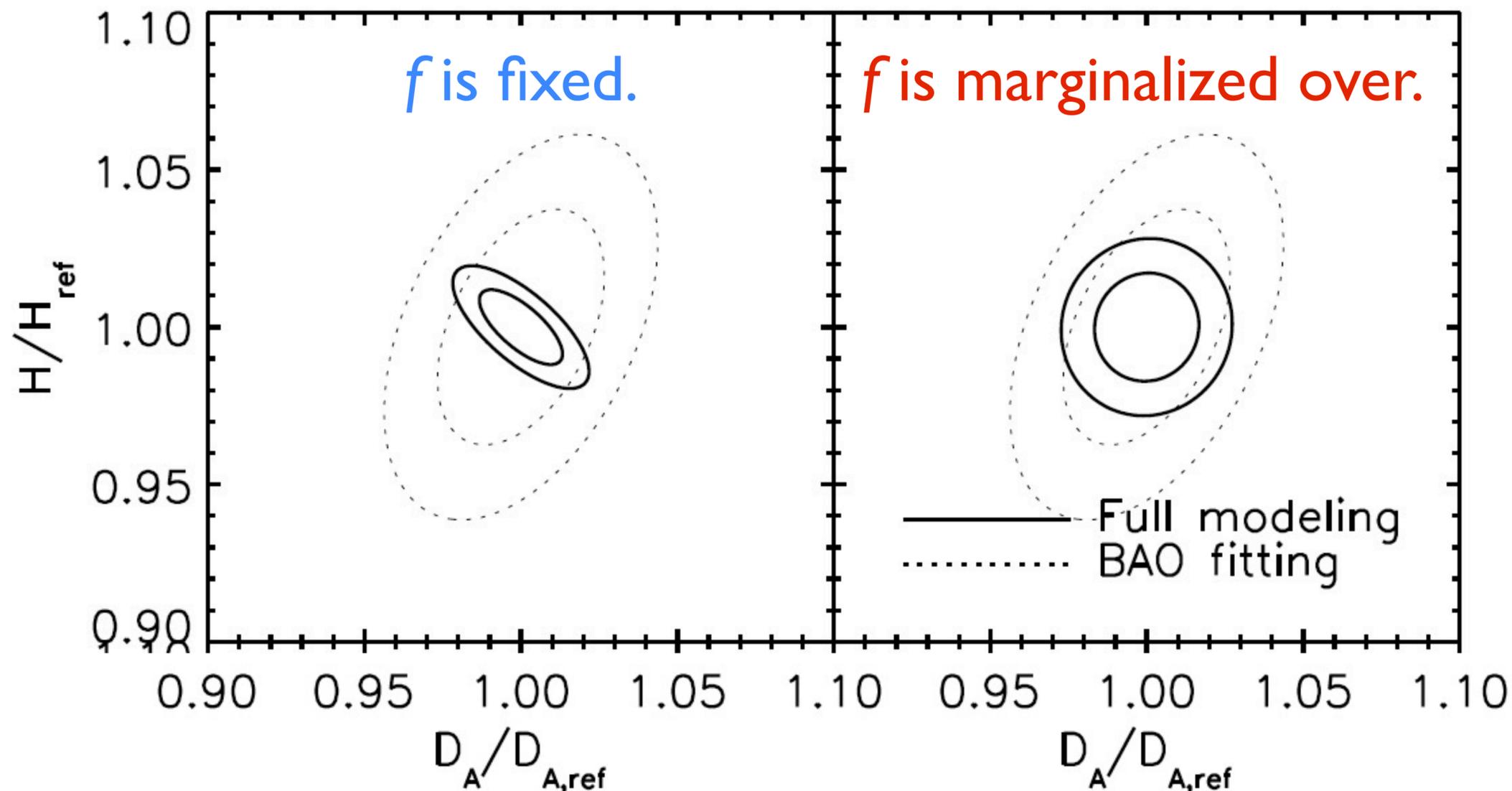
$D_A H$ from the AP test

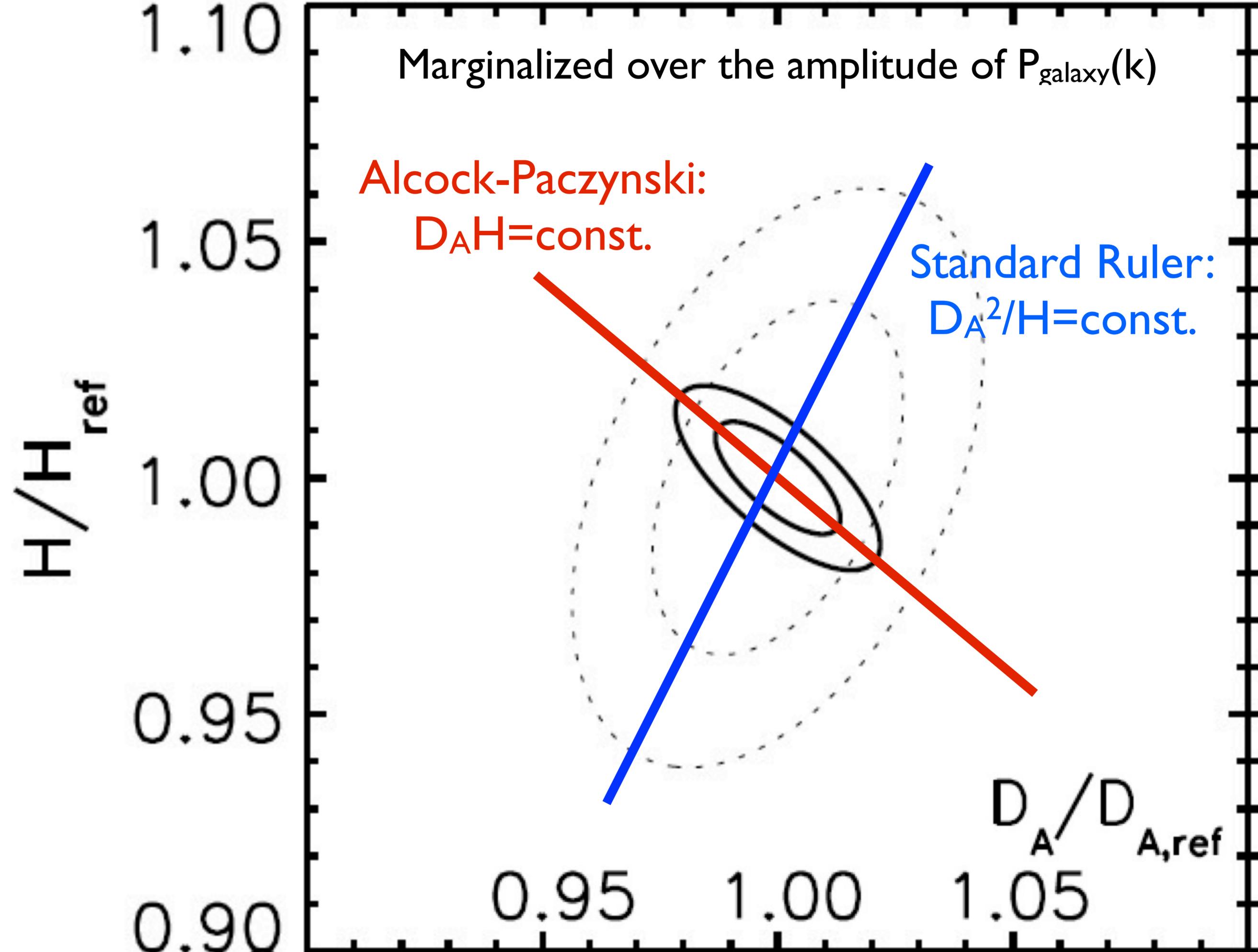
- So, the AP test can't be used to determine D_A and H separately; however, it gives a measurement of **$D_A H$** .
- Combining this with the BAO information, and marginalizing over the redshift space distortion, we get the solid contours in the figure.



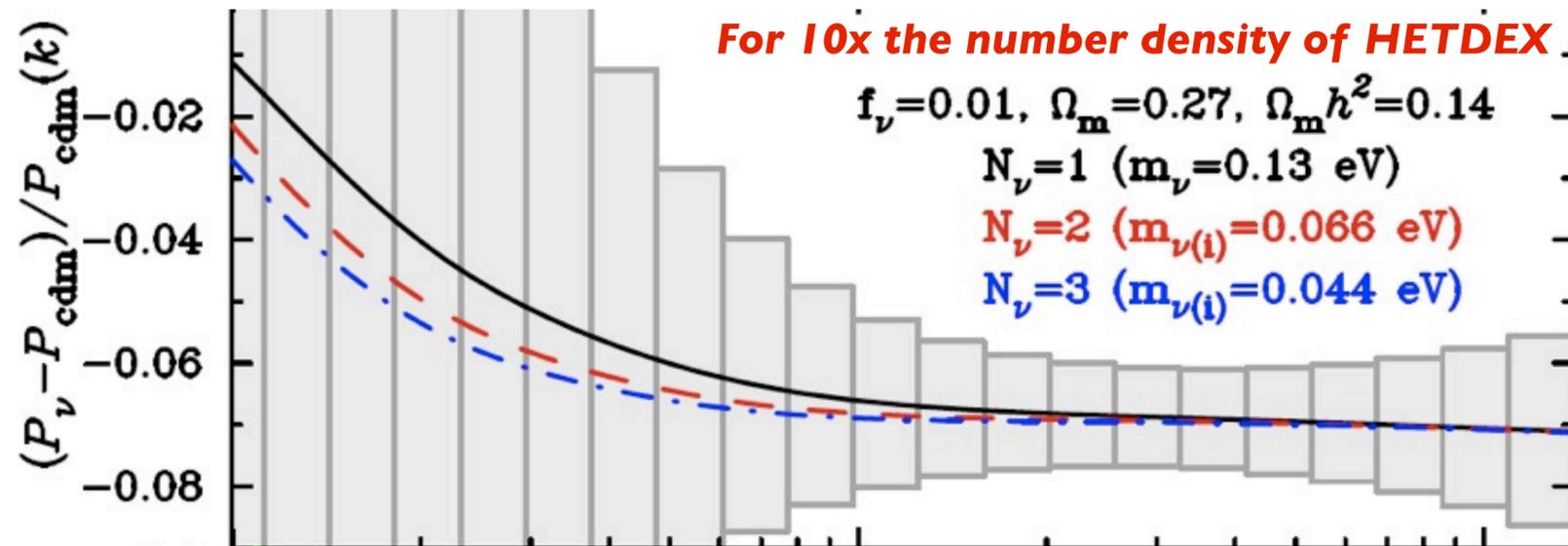
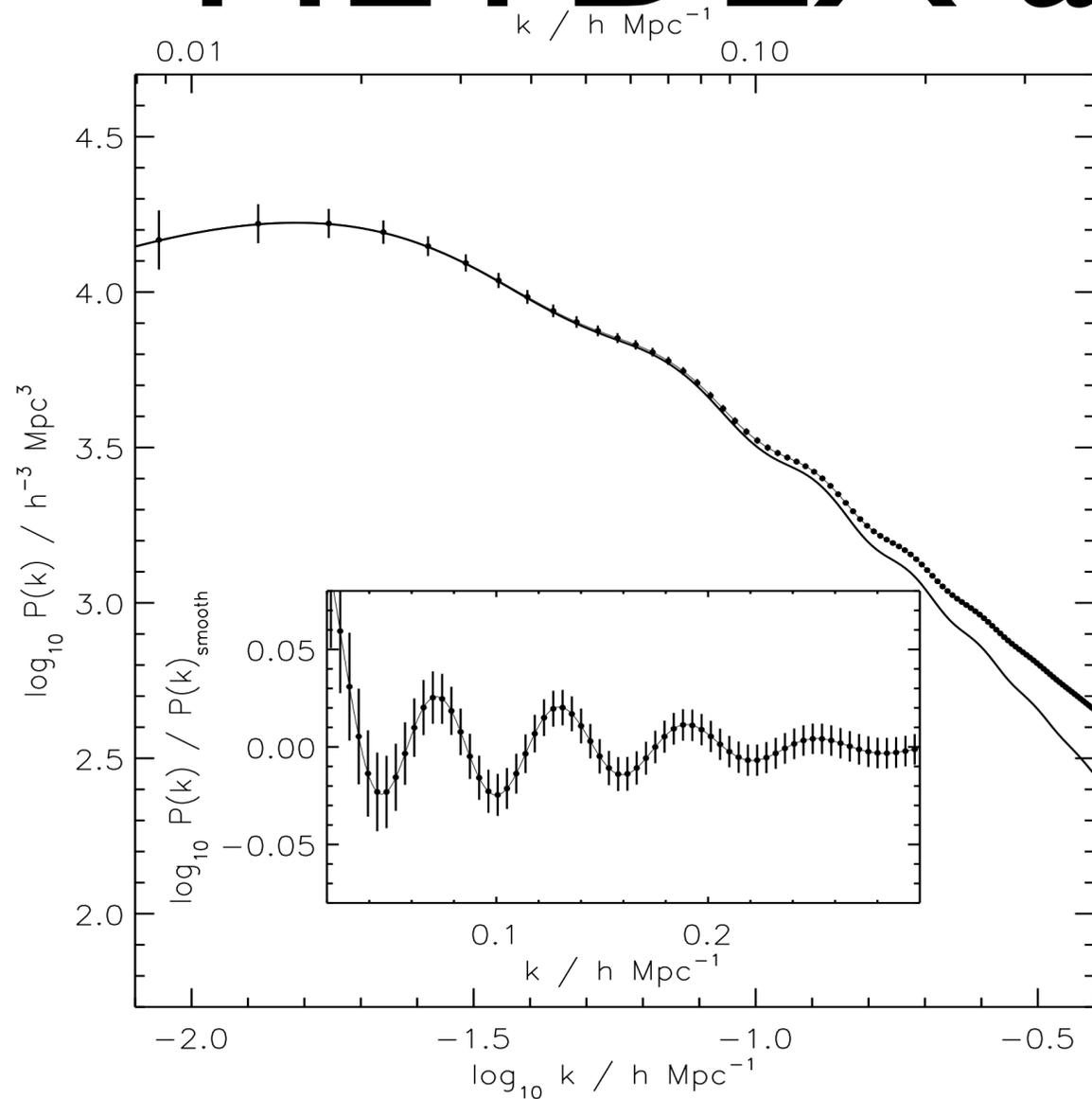
Redshift Space Distortion

- Both the AP test and the redshift space distortion make the distribution of the power anisotropic. Would it spoil the utility of this method?
- Some, but not all!



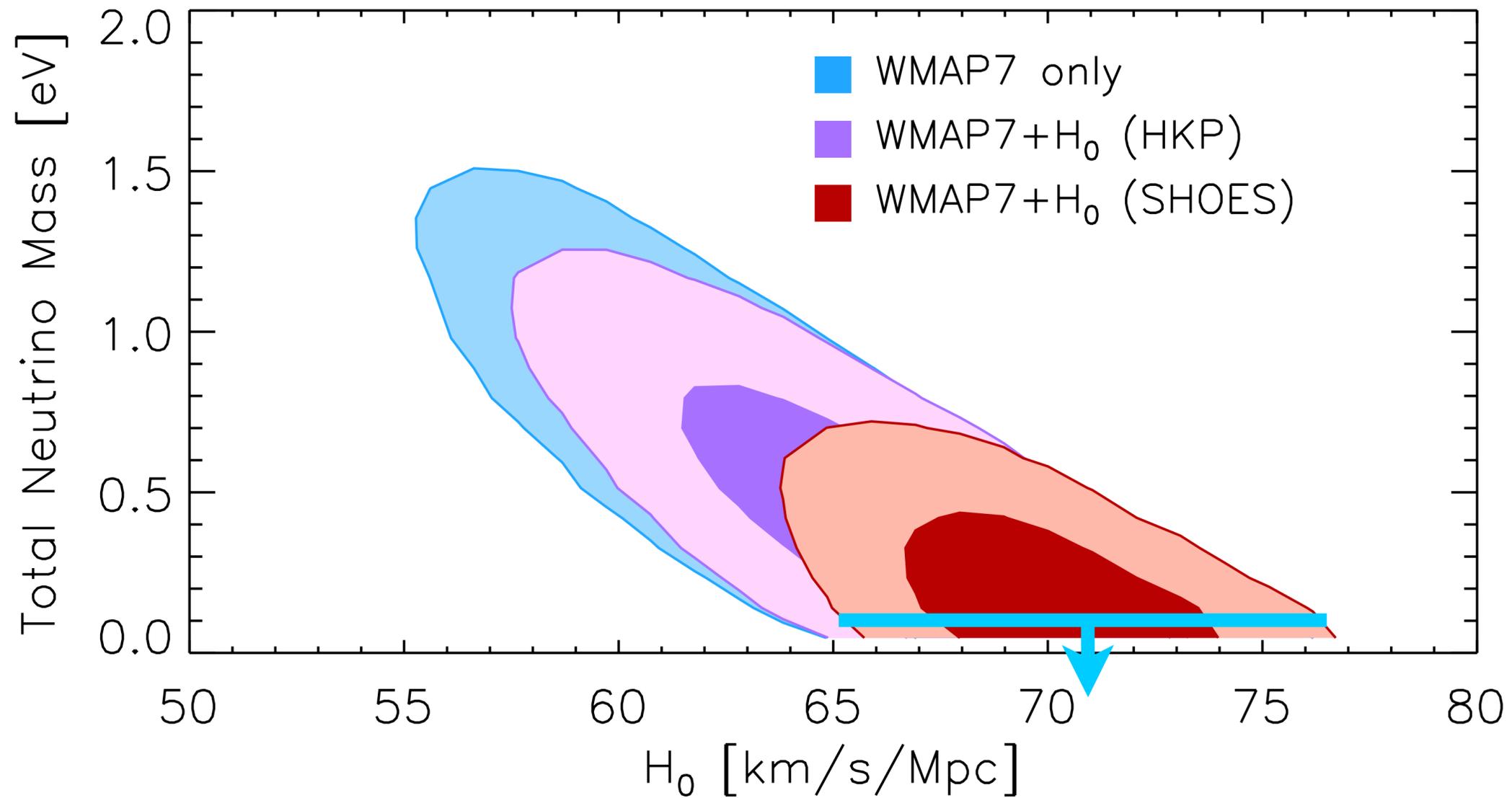


HETDEX and Neutrino Mass



- Neutrinos suppress the matter power spectrum on small scales ($k > 0.1 \text{ h Mpc}^{-1}$).
- A useful number to remember:
- For $\sum m_\nu = 0.1 \text{ eV}$, the power spectrum at $k > 0.1 \text{ h Mpc}^{-1}$ is suppressed by **$\sim 7\%$** .
- We can measure this easily!

Expected HETDEX Limit



- ~6x better than WMAP 7-year+ H_0

Summary

- Three (out of four) questions:
 - What is the physics of inflation?
 - $P(k)$ shape (esp, $dn/d\ln k$) and non-Gaussianity
 - What is the nature of dark energy?
 - $D_A(z)$, $H(z)$, growth of structure
 - What is the mass of neutrinos?
 - $P(k)$ shape
- **HETDEX is a powerful approach for addressing all of these questions**