

# Optimal and accurate cosmology from the Dark Energy Survey (and beyond)

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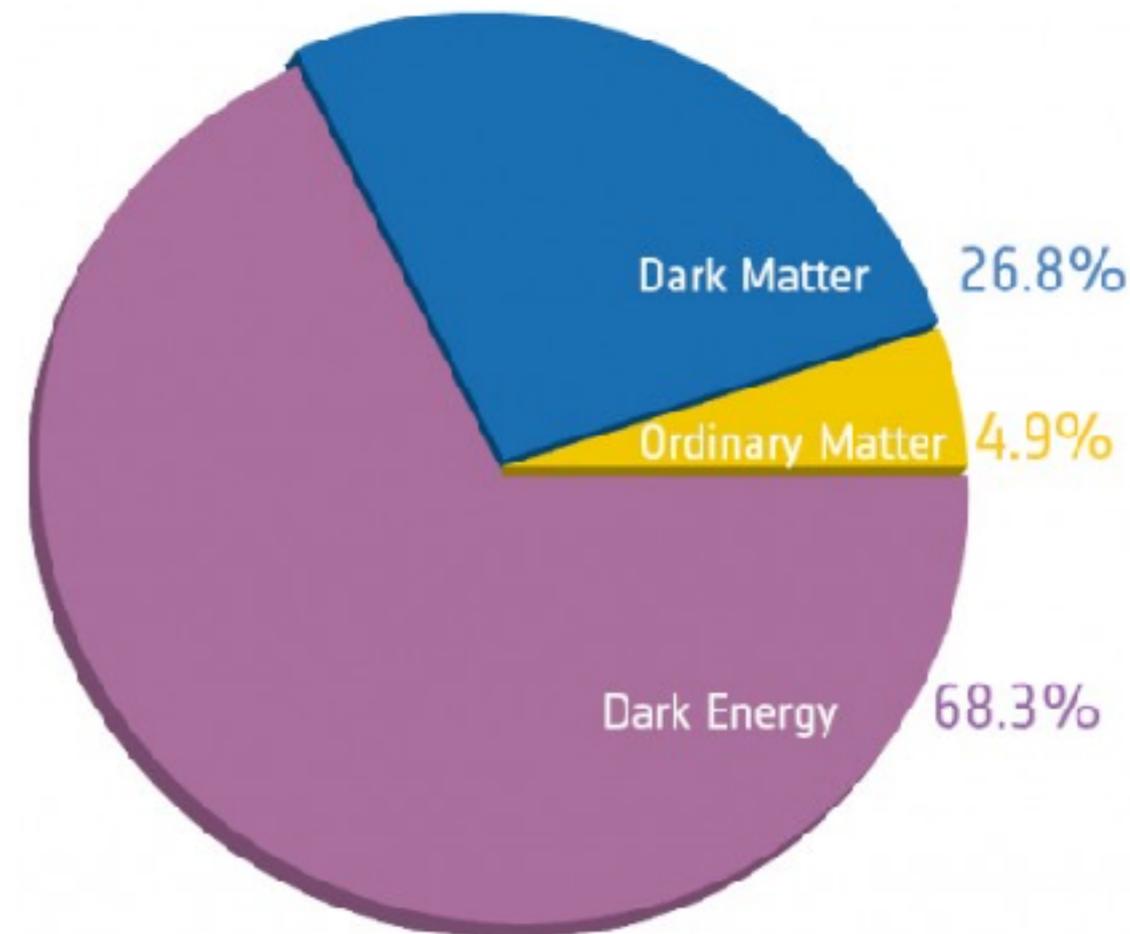
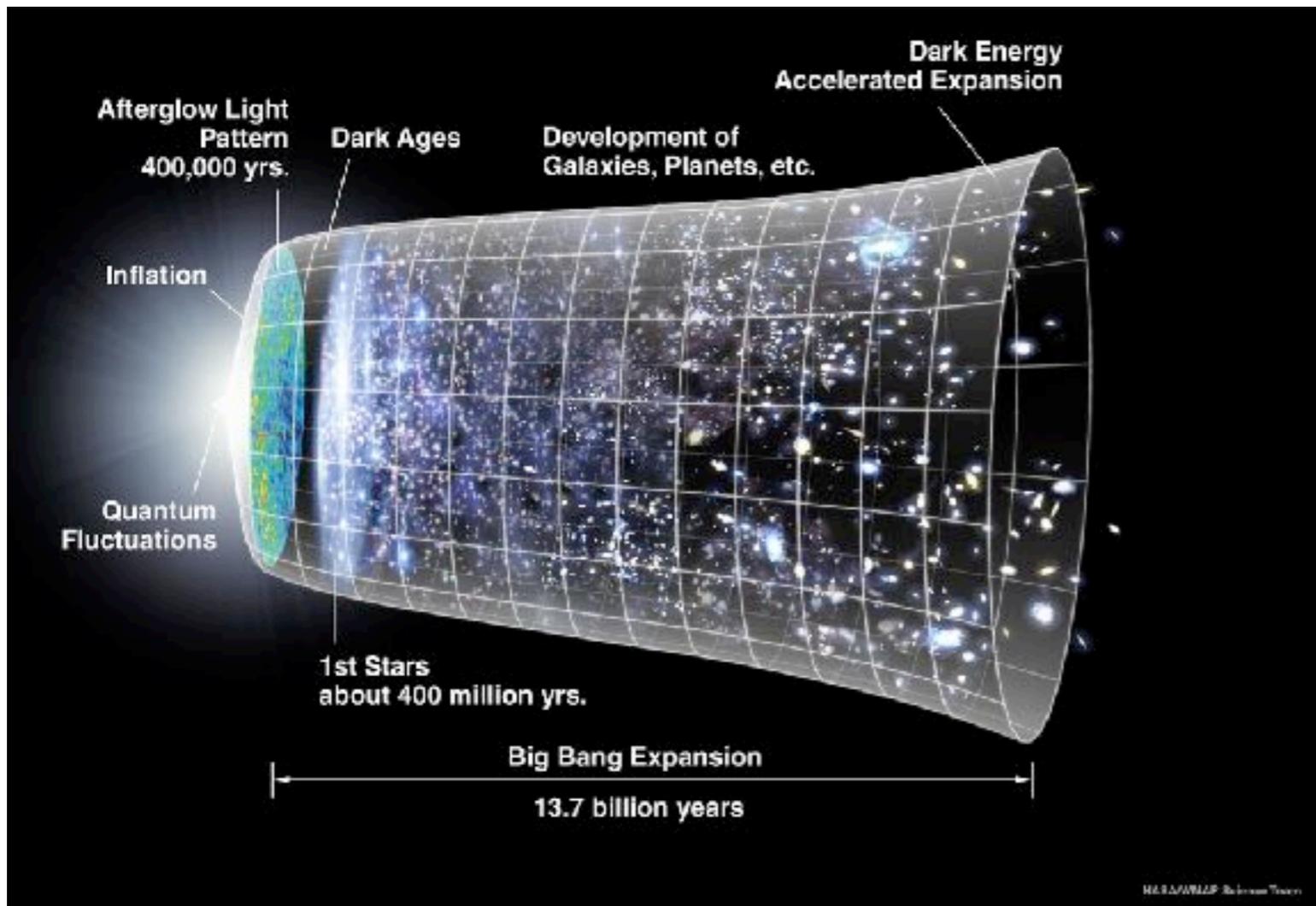
# Outline

- Cosmology with large galaxy surveys
- Modeling challenges and effective perturbative expansions for shapes and bias
- Results from the Dark Energy Survey Year 1

**In collaboration with:  
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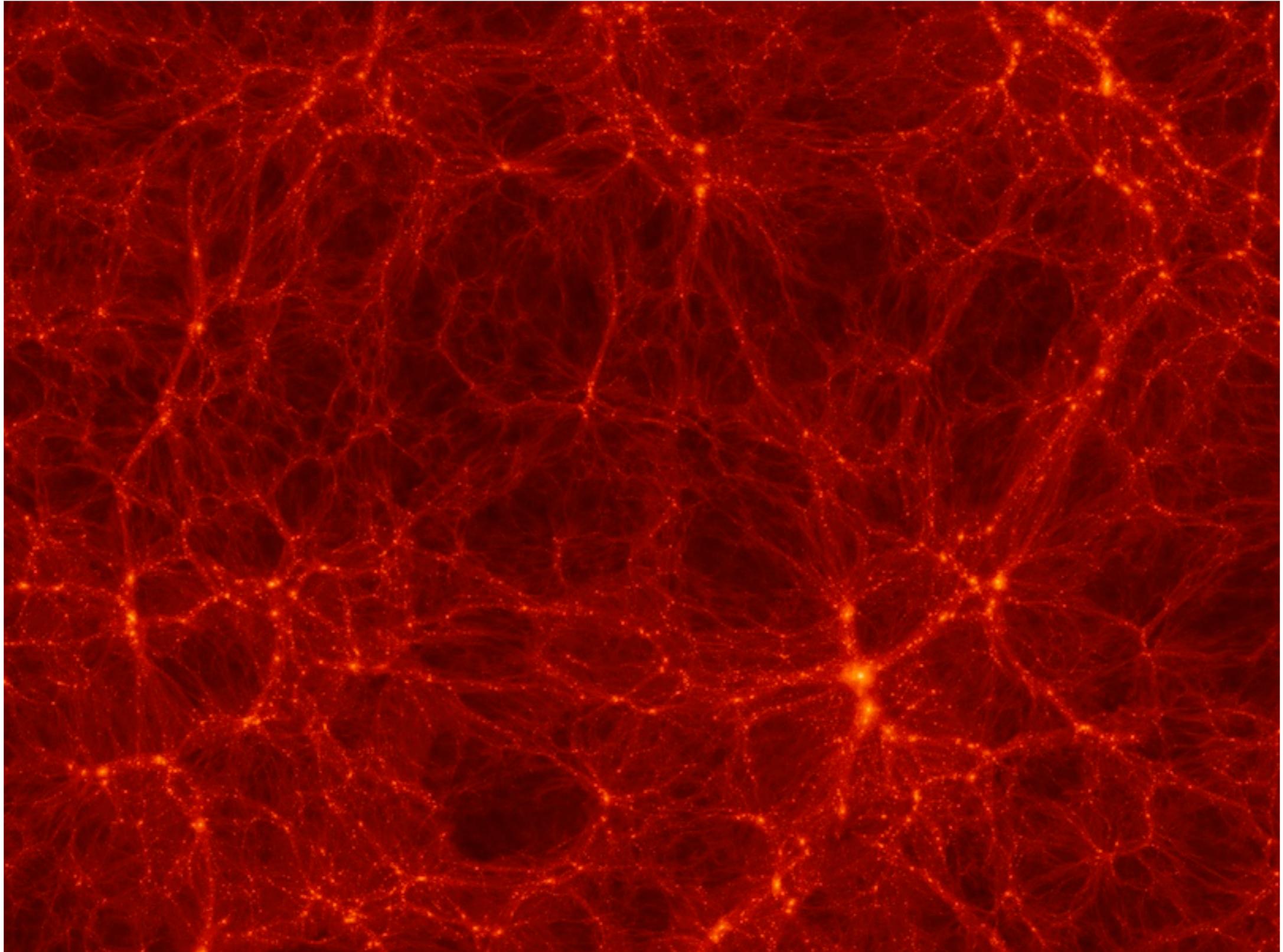
T. Eifler, X. Fang, C. Hirata, E. Krause, N. MacCrann, J. McEwen, S. Samuroff, D. Schmitz, U. Seljak, M. Troxel, Z. Vlah

# Cosmology: a precision probe of fundamental physics



Planck Collaboration 2015

# What can we measure?



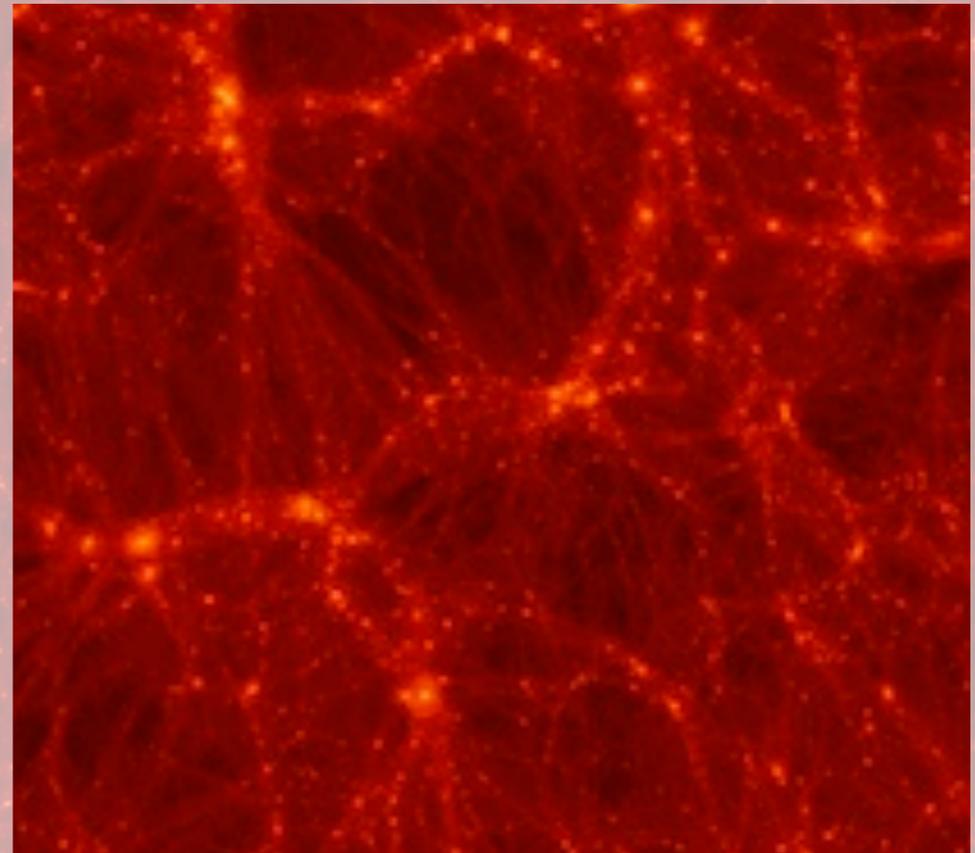
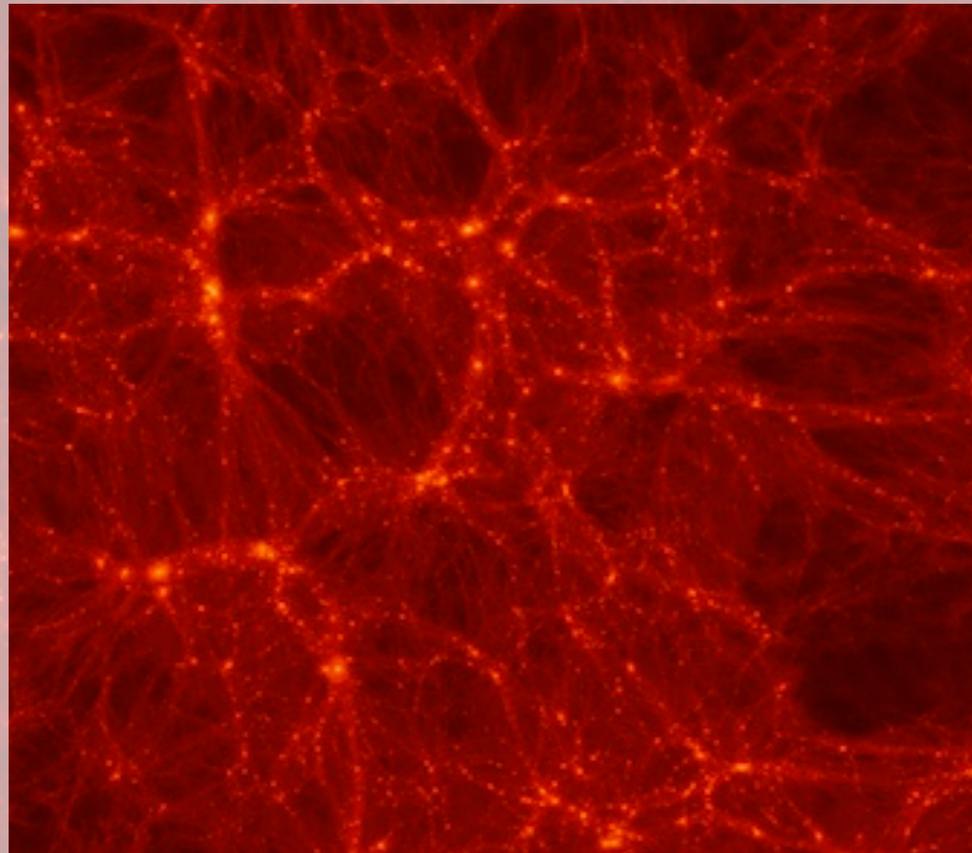
(Bolshoi simulation: Klypin+ 2011)

(250 Mpc across)

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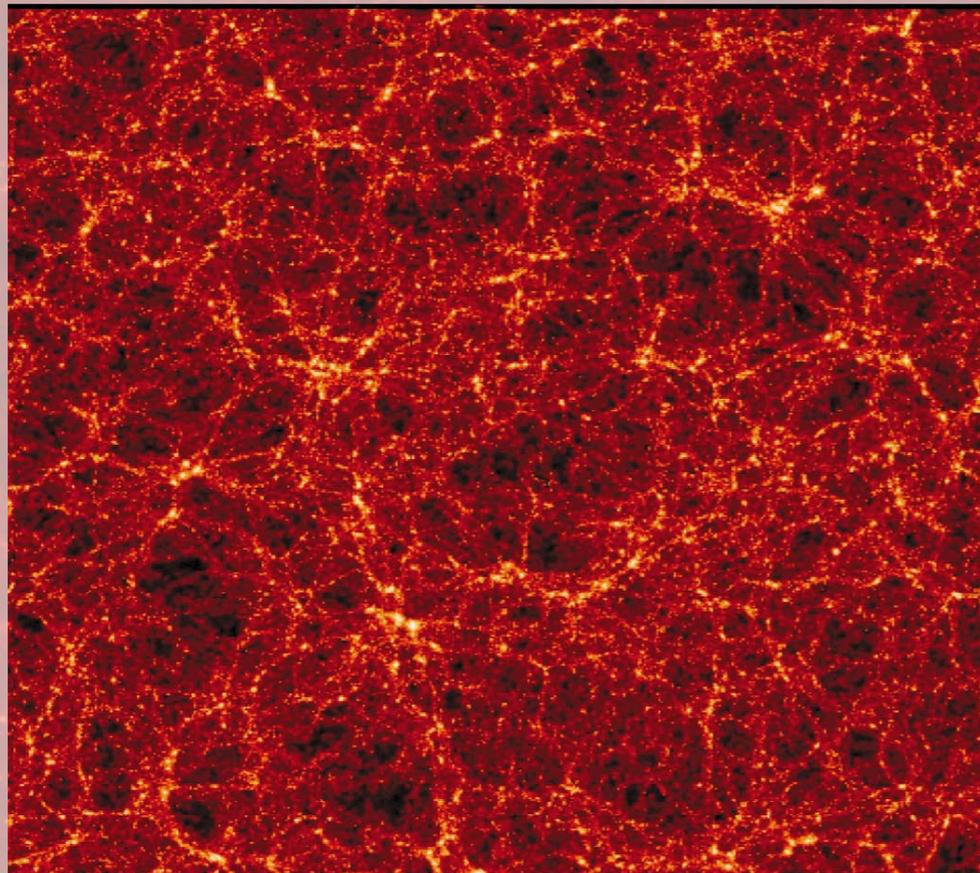
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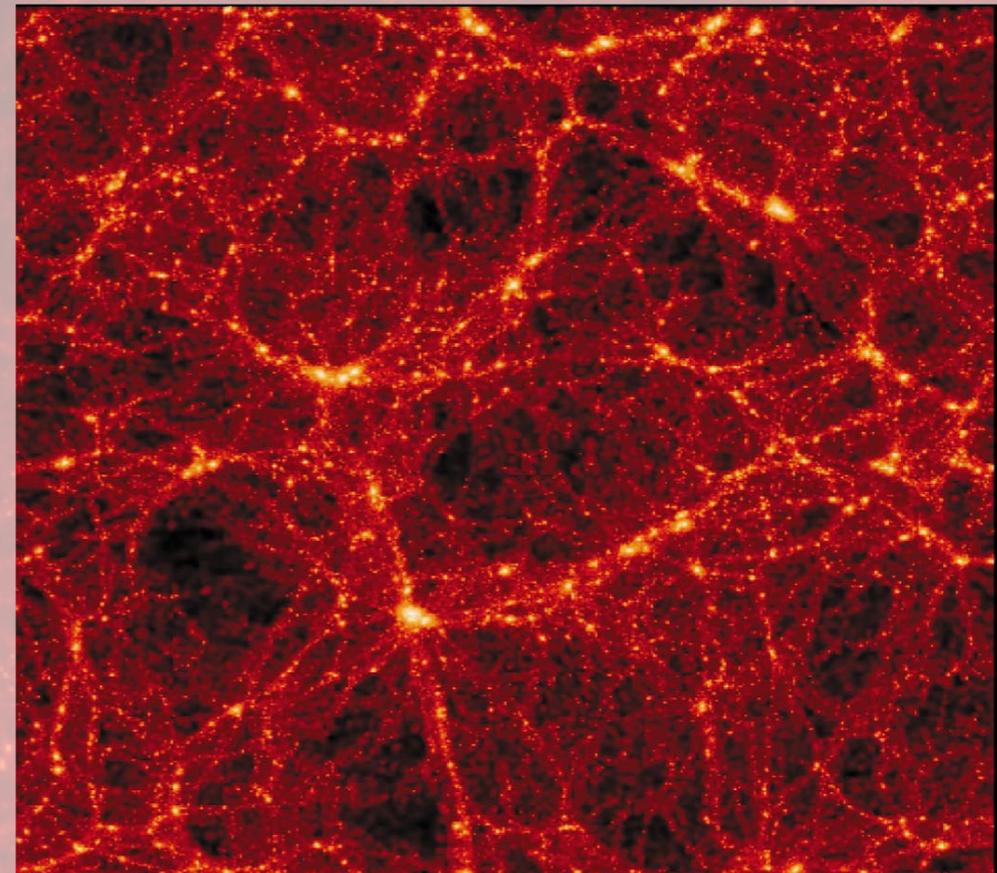


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**“growth”**



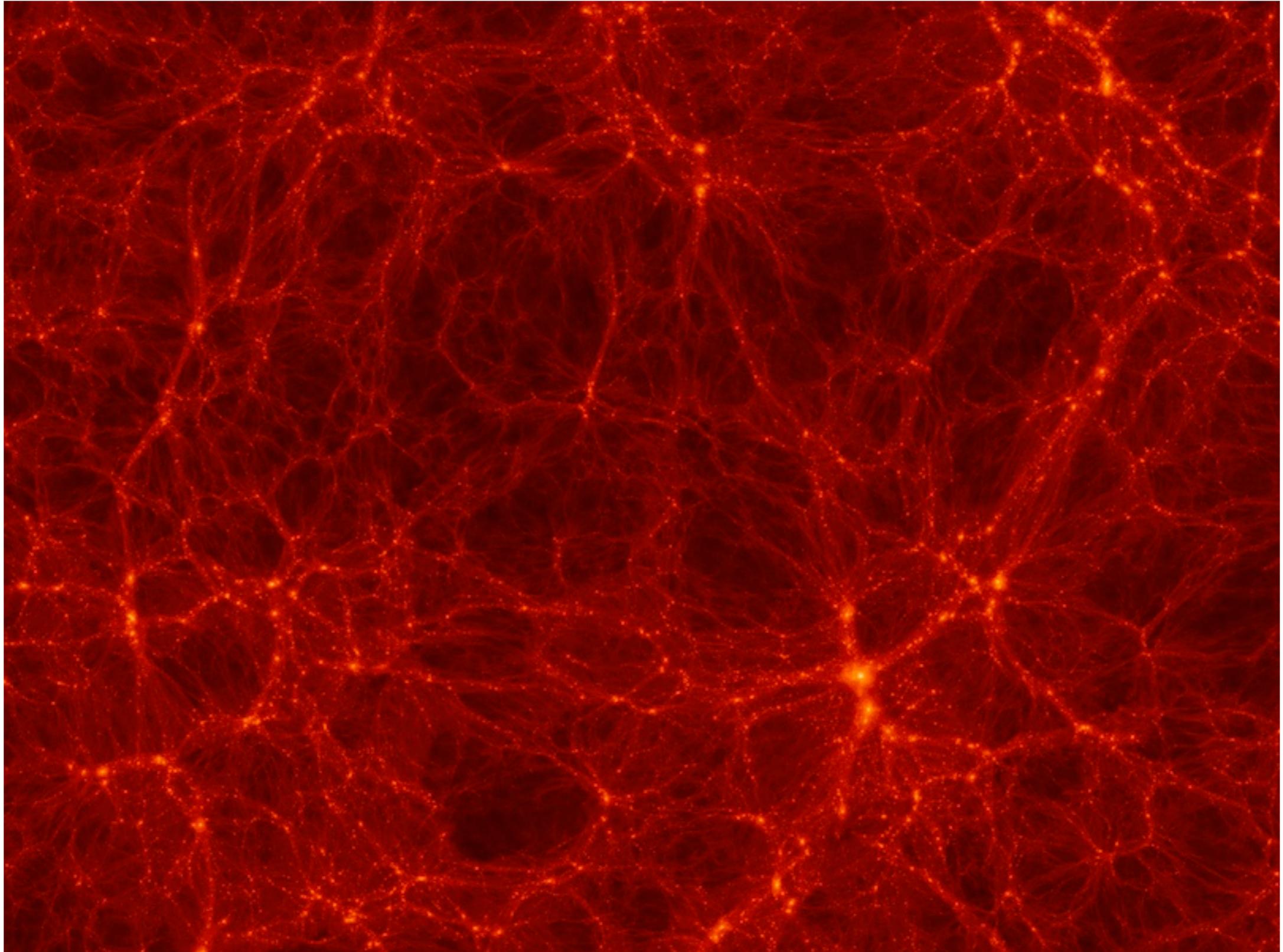
**No Dark Energy**



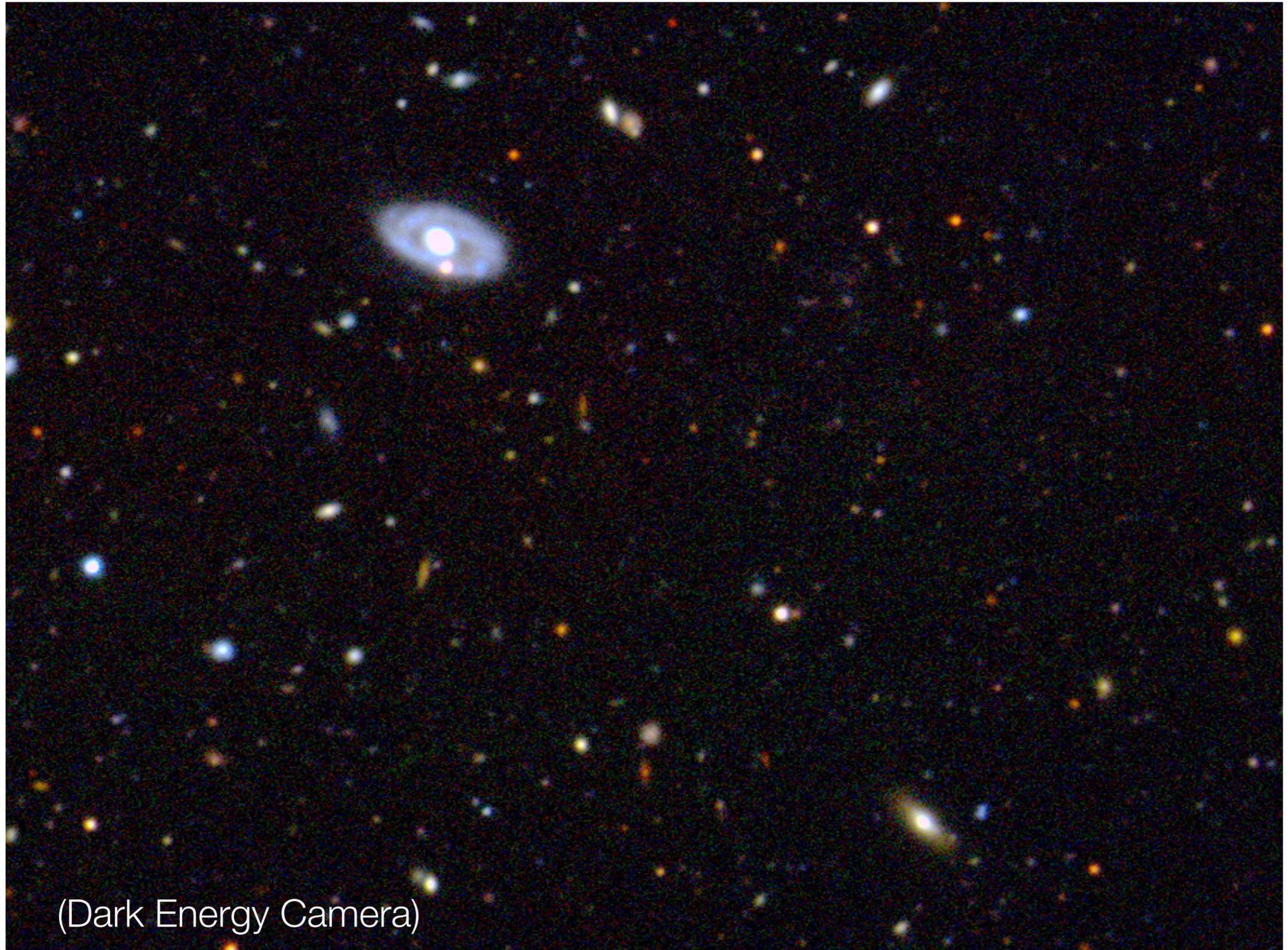
**Dark Energy**

(Virgo simulations: Jenkins+ 1998)

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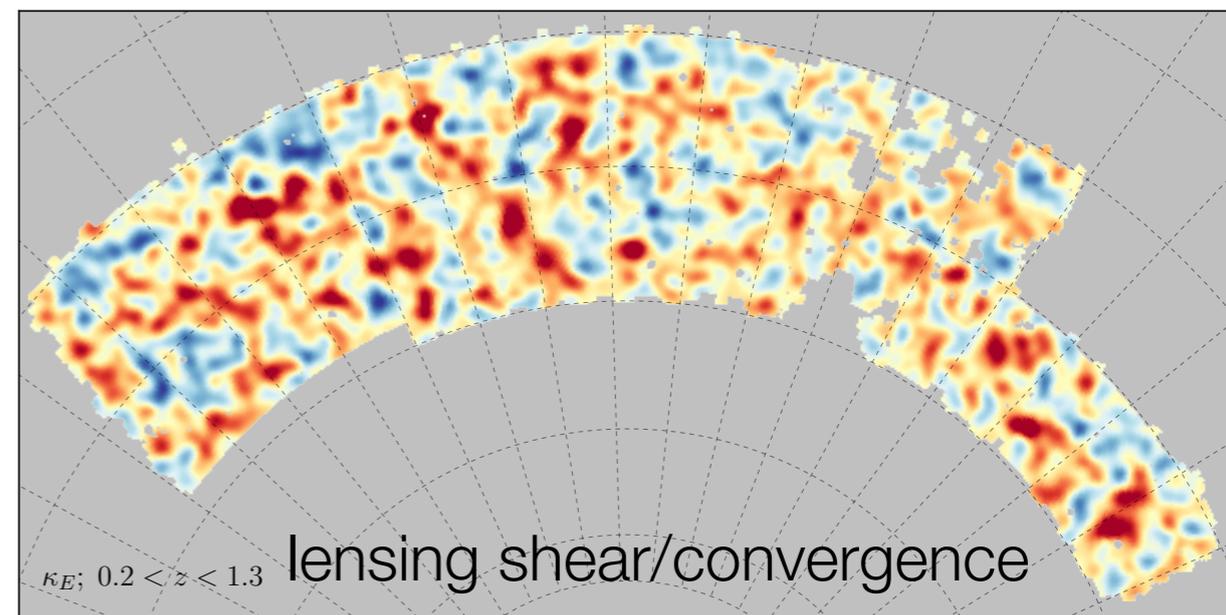
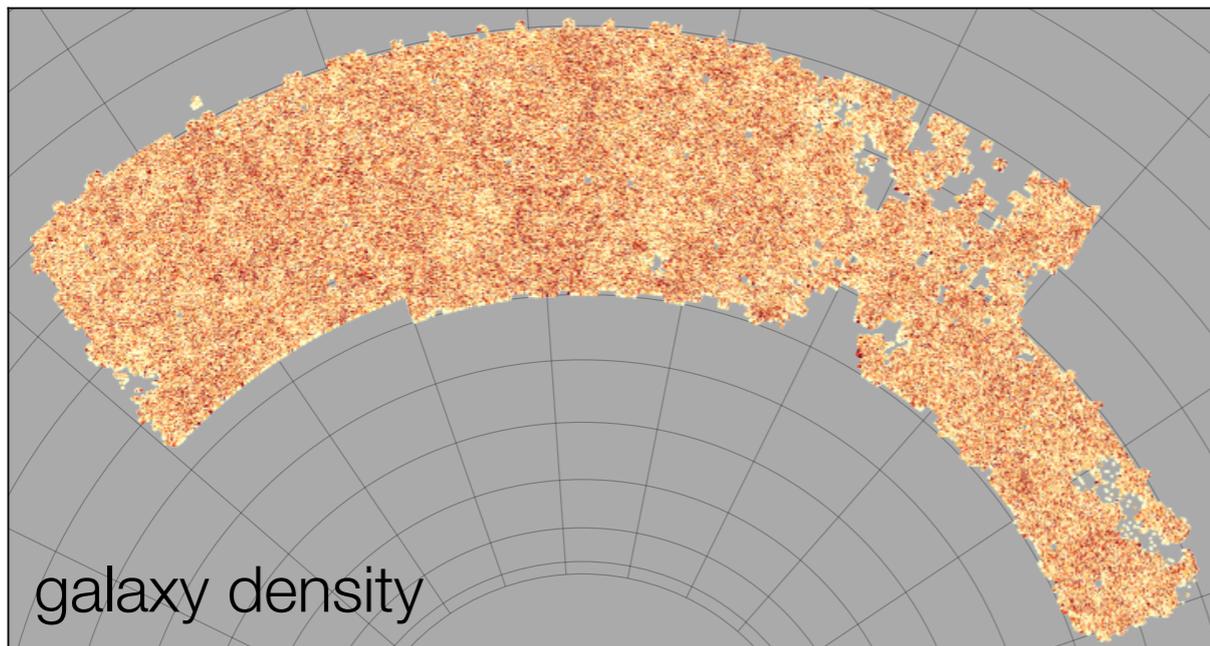
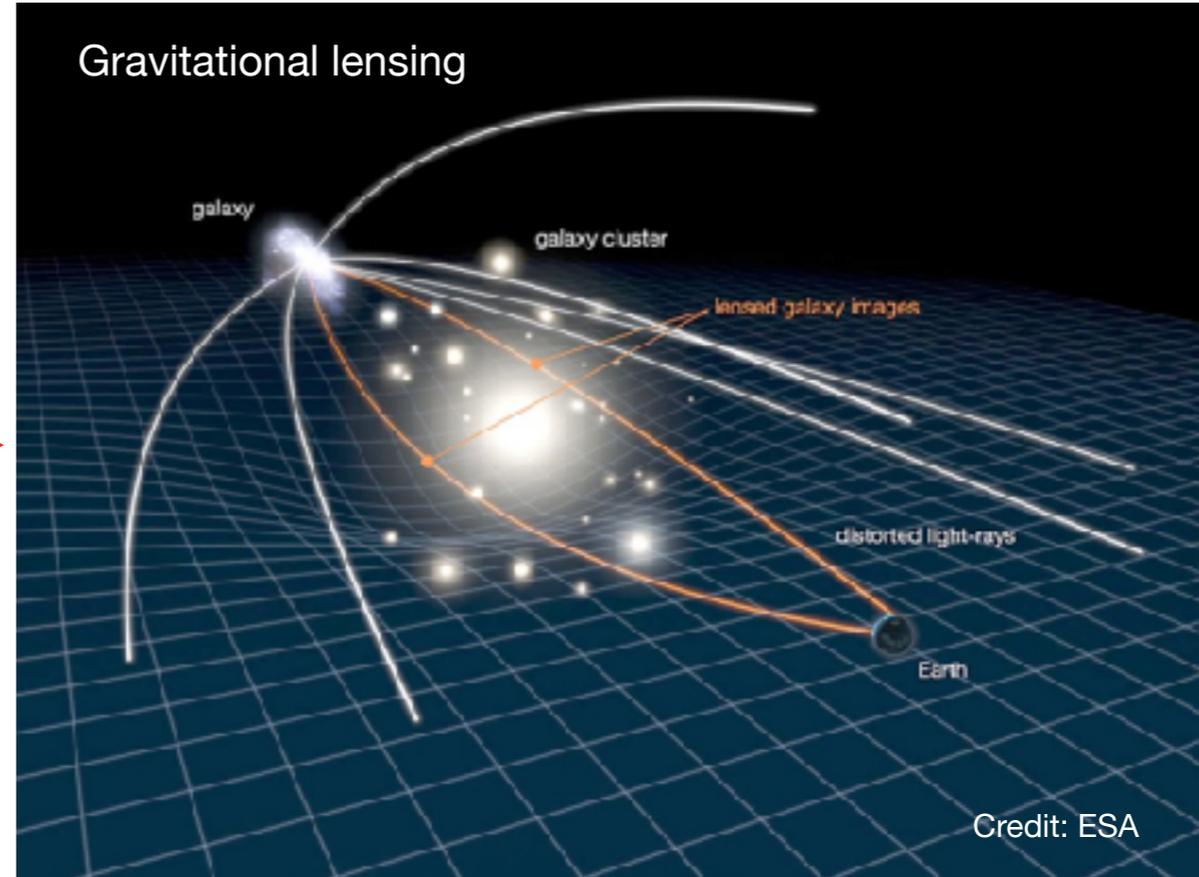
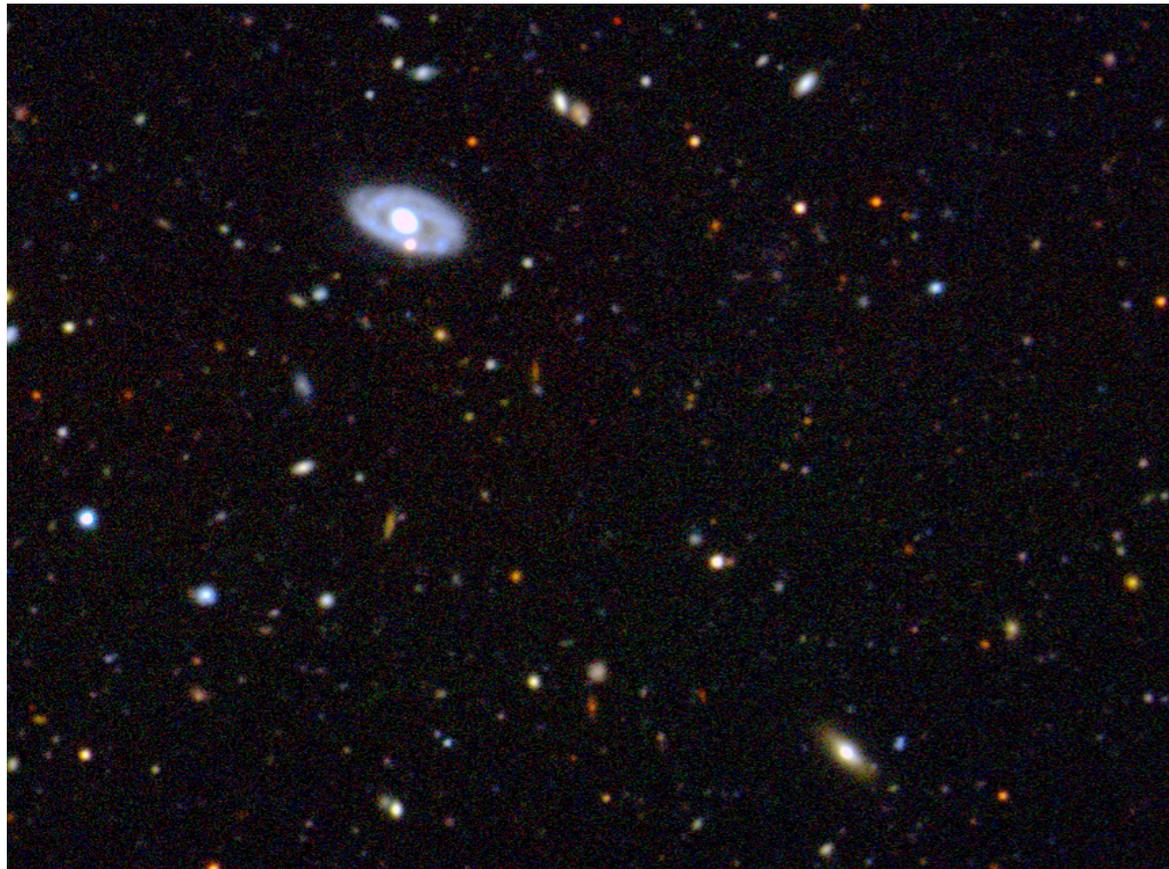


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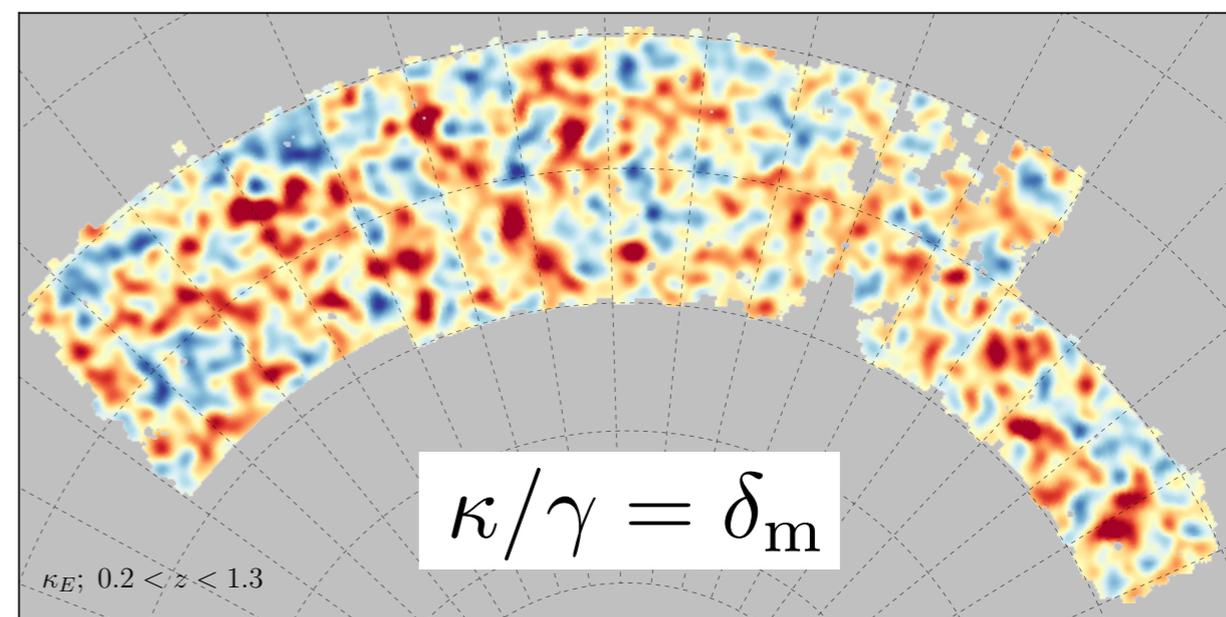
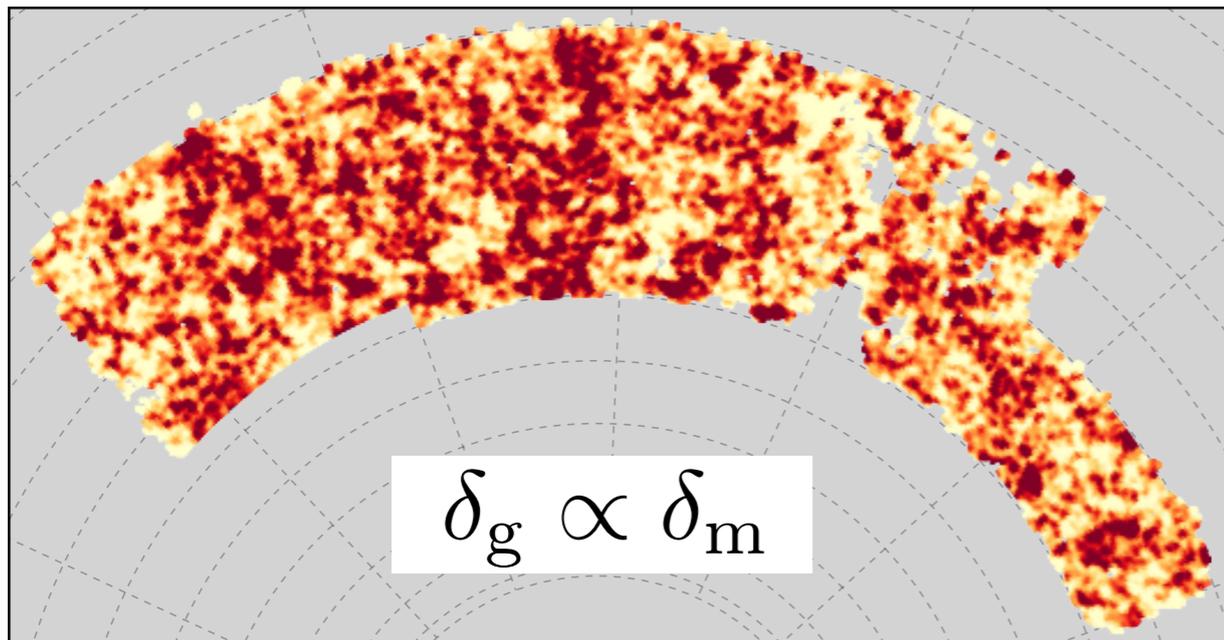
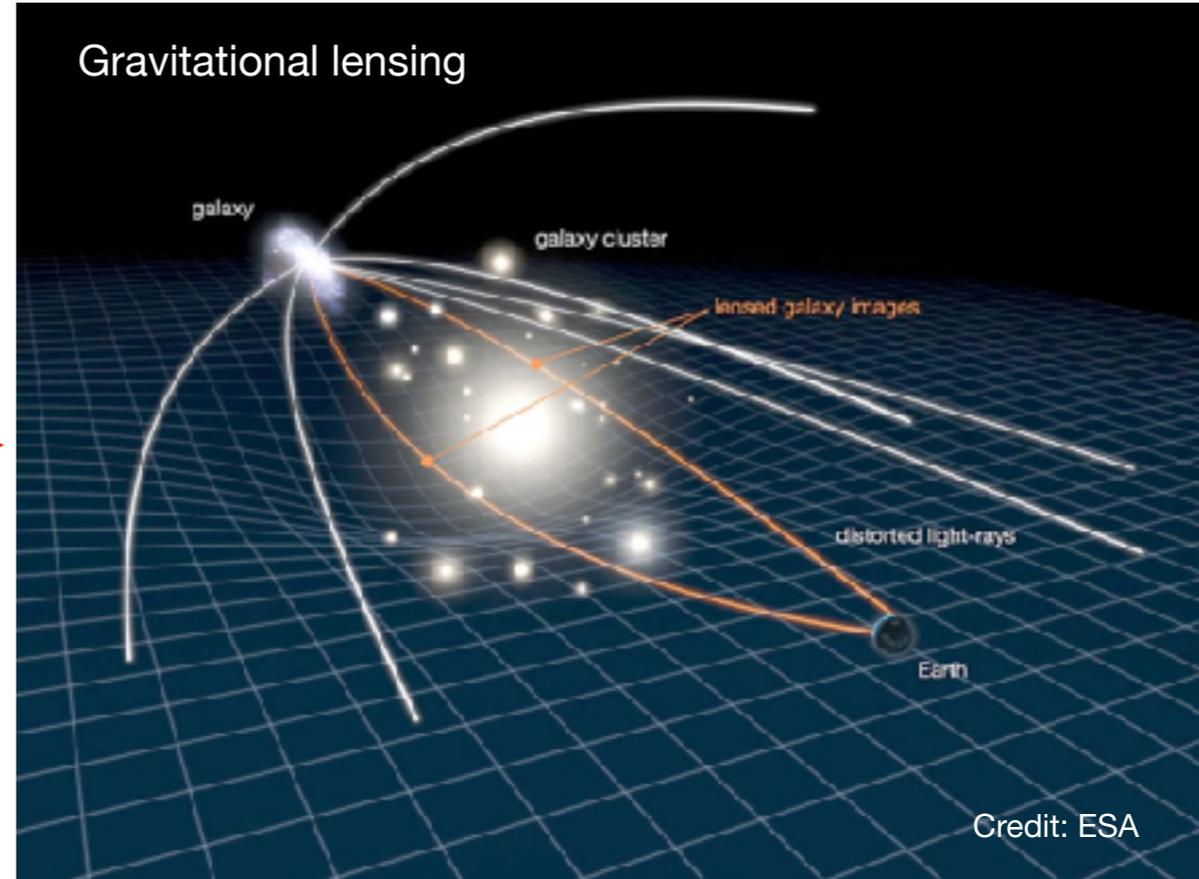
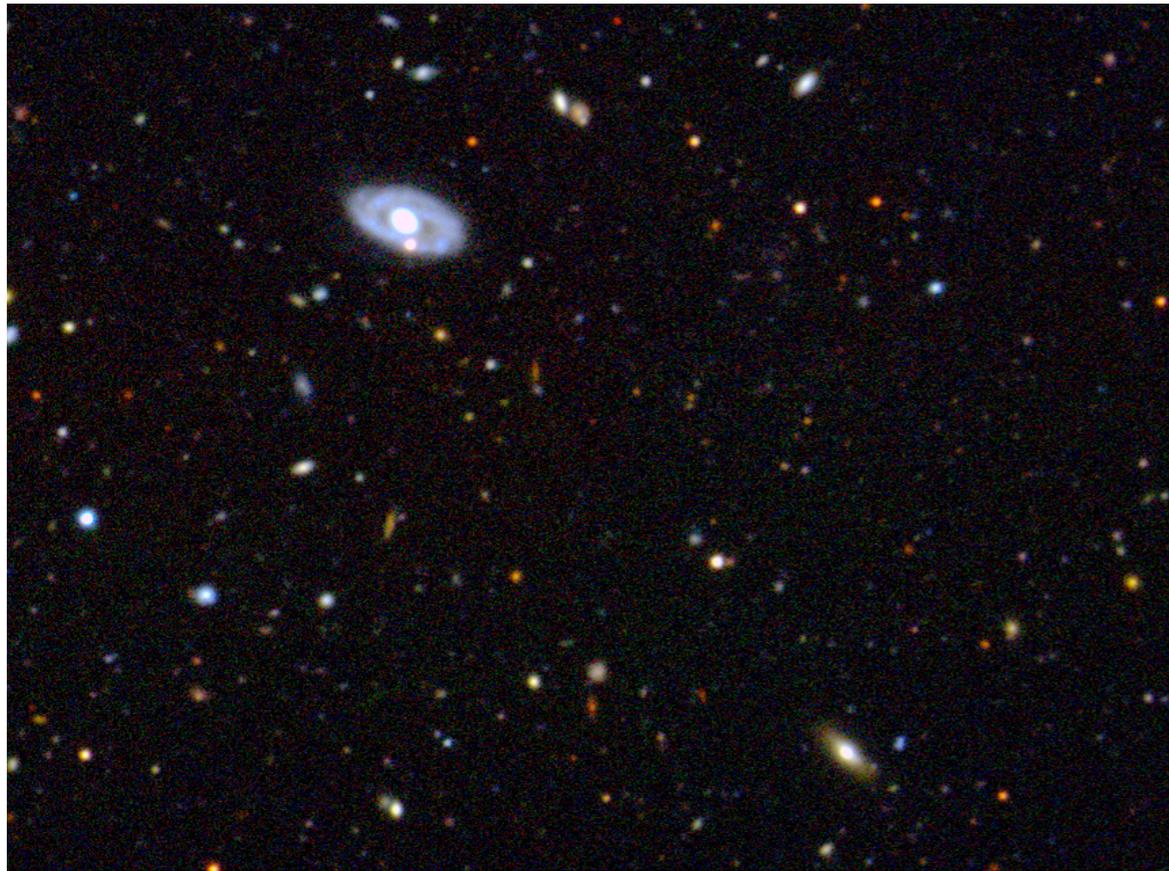


(Dark Energy Camera)

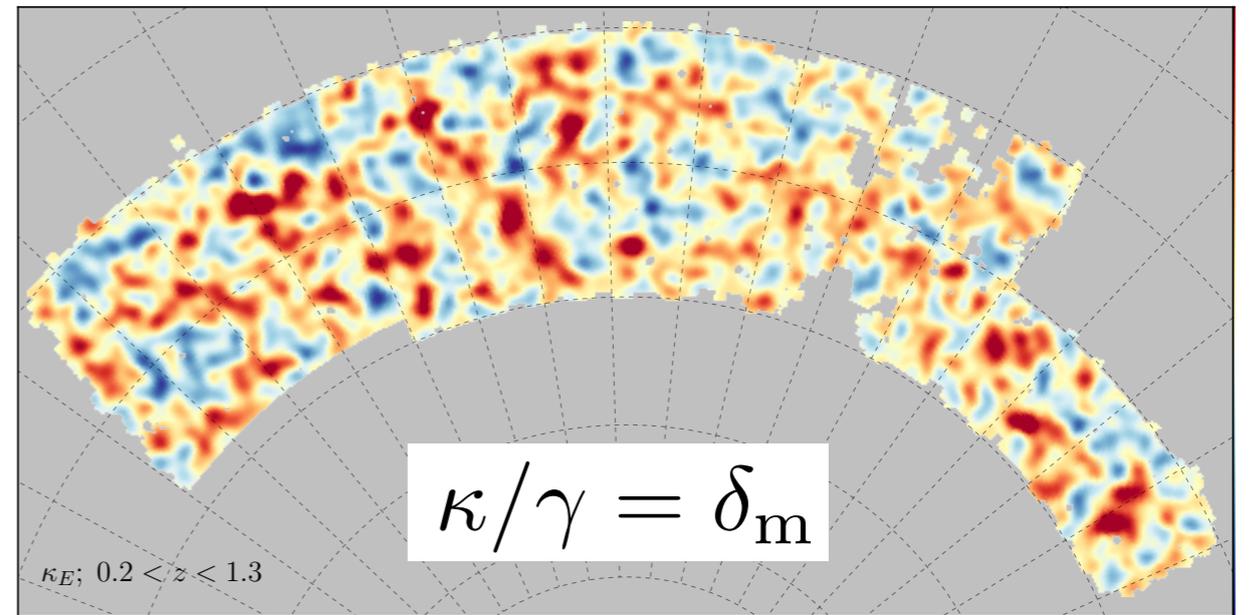
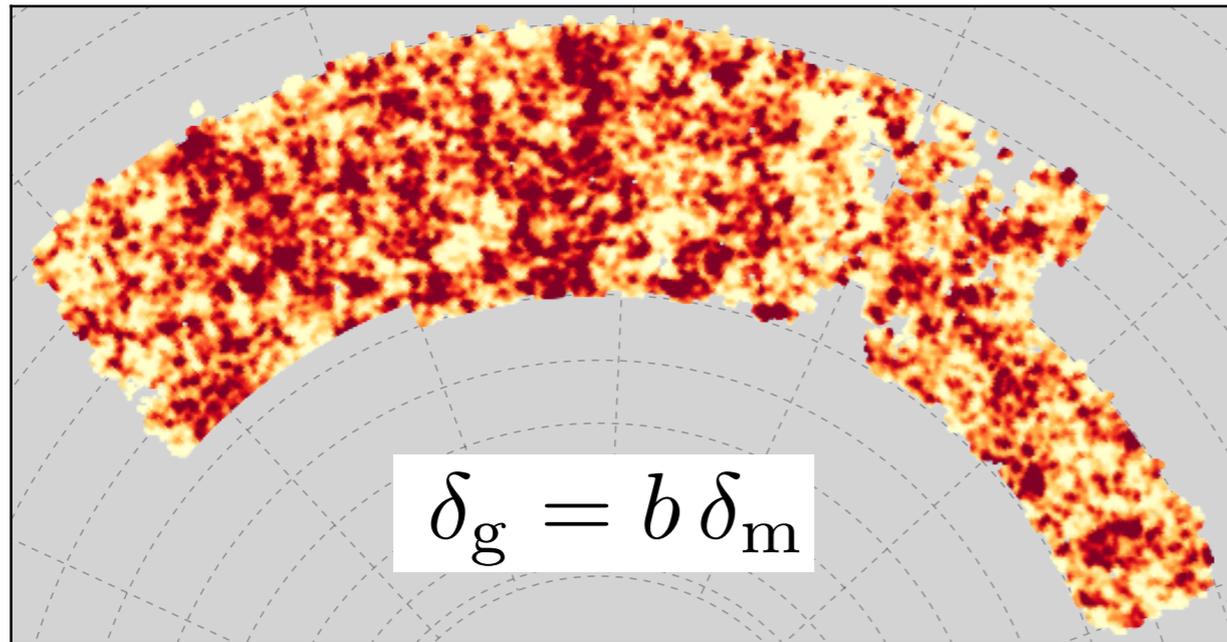
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# Combining probes



$$\langle \delta_g | \delta_g \rangle = \xi_{gg} \sim b^2 \sigma_8^2 \quad \langle \delta_g | \gamma \rangle = \xi_{mg} \sim b \sigma_8^2 \quad \langle \gamma | \gamma \rangle = \xi_{mm} \sim \sigma_8^2$$

“3x2”

- More statistical power, different systematics, “self-calibration”
- Also: CMB, clusters, SNe, strong lensing, RSD, 21cm...

e.g. Mandelbaum+ 2013; Krause & Eifler 2017; DES 2017; Joudaki+ KiDS 2017

# Challenges

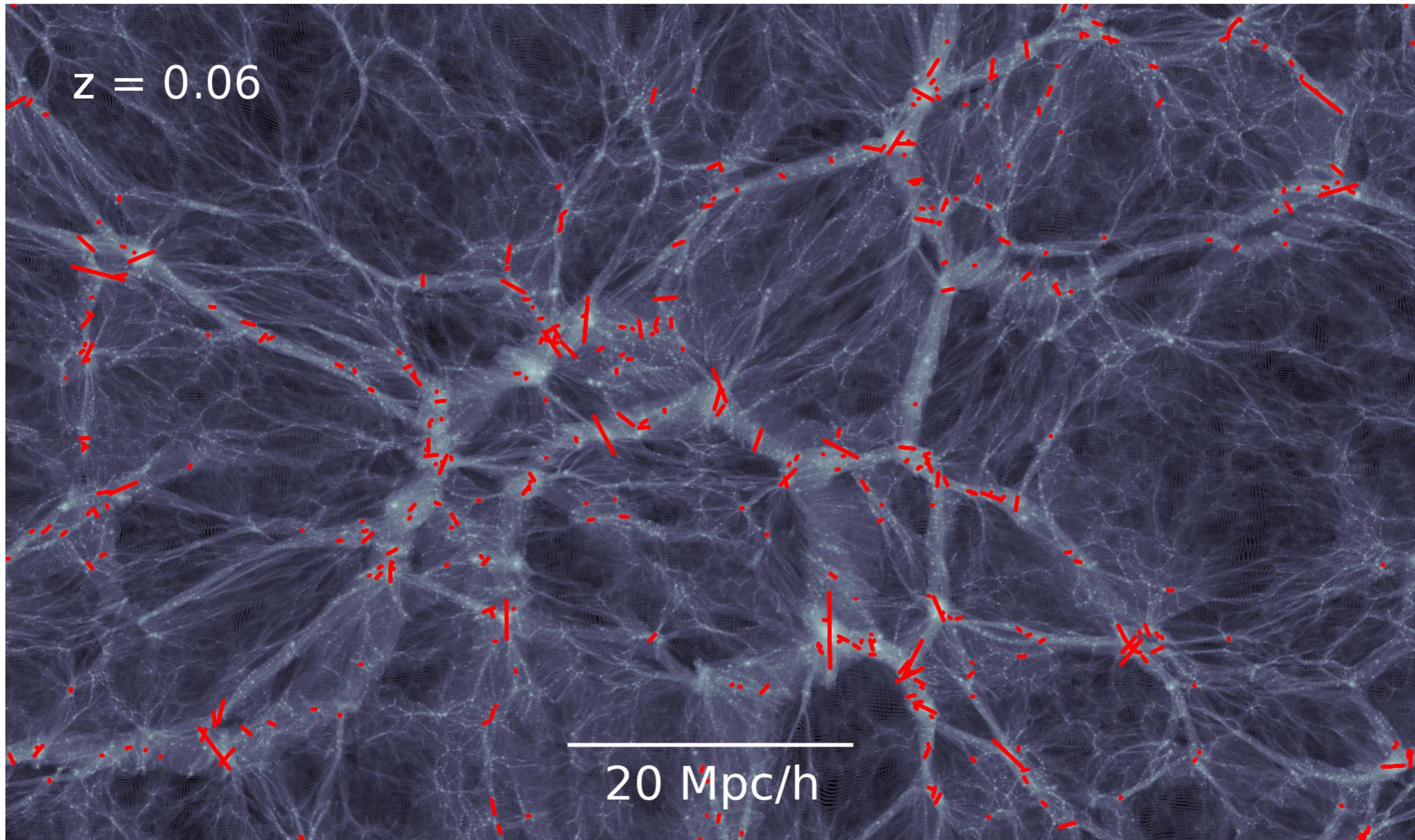
## **Measurement systematics**

- photometric redshift uncertainties
- shear calibration and source blending
- PSF modeling
- details of survey selection and completeness

## **Astrophysical systematics**

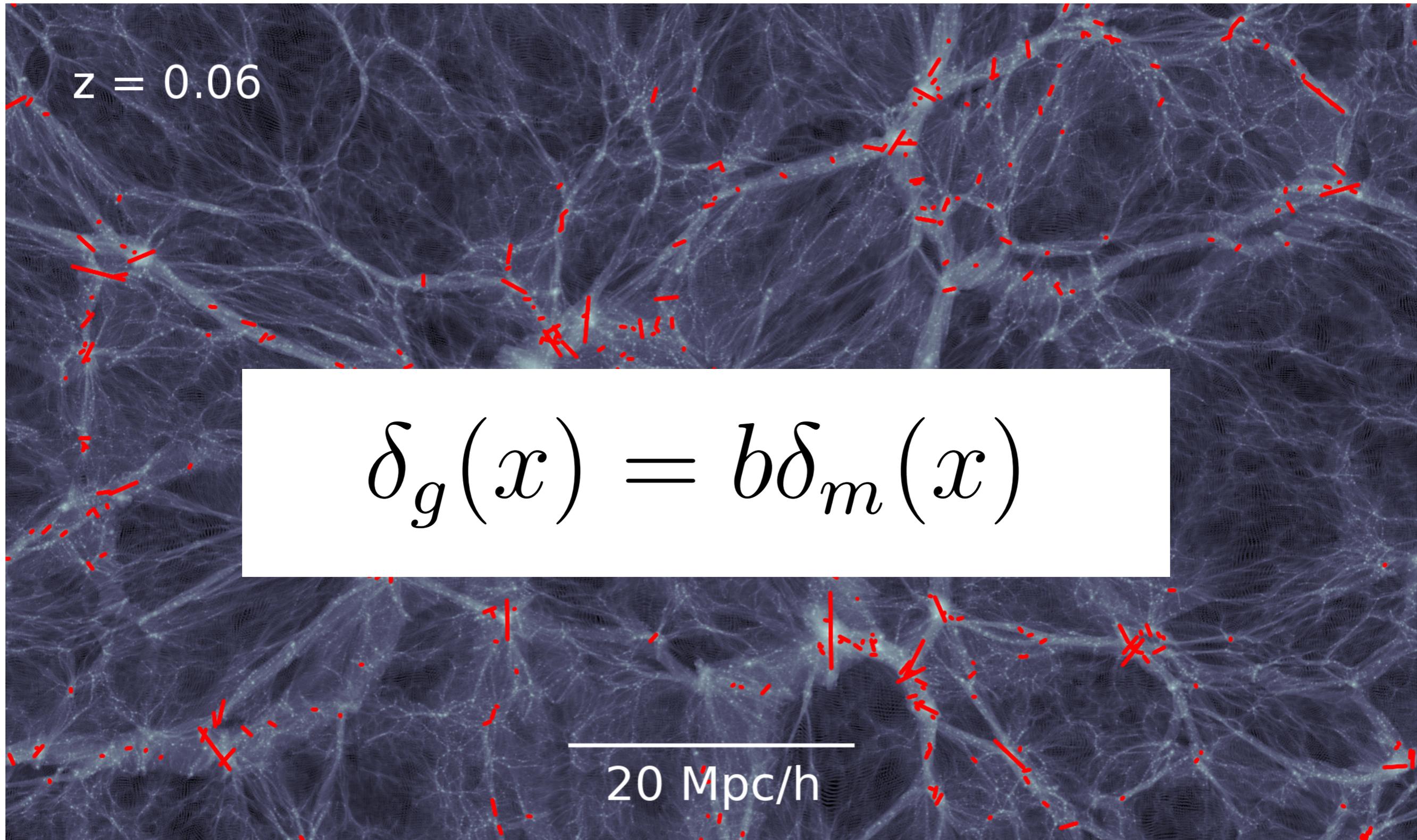
- galaxy/tracer formation and relationship to dark matter
  - shape/size correlations (e.g. “intrinsic alignments”)
  - biasing and peculiar velocities
- nonlinear structure growth
- “baryonic effects” on matter clustering

# Modeling the observables: galaxy positions and shapes

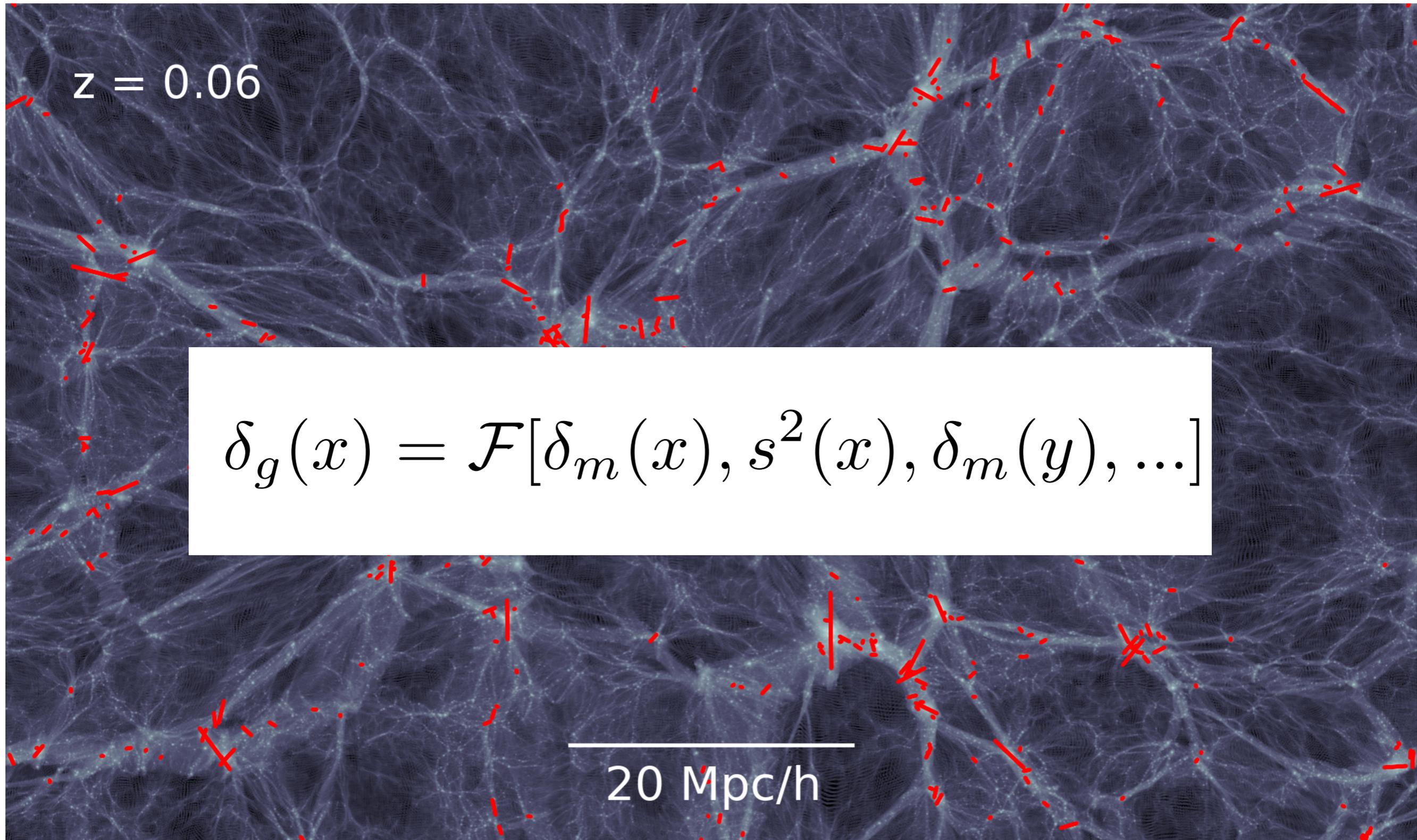


(MassiveBlack II: Khandai+ 2014; Tenneti+ 2014a,b)

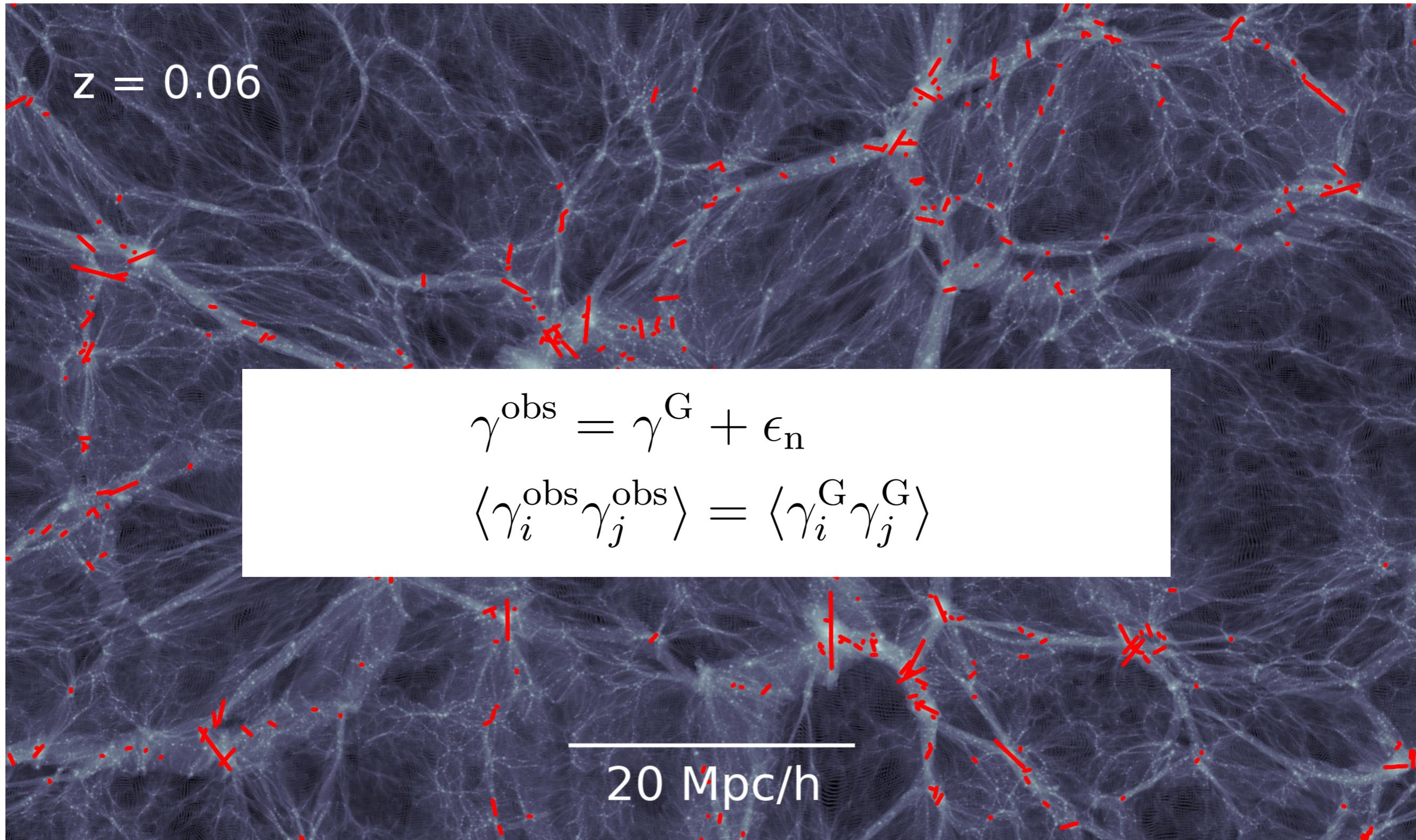
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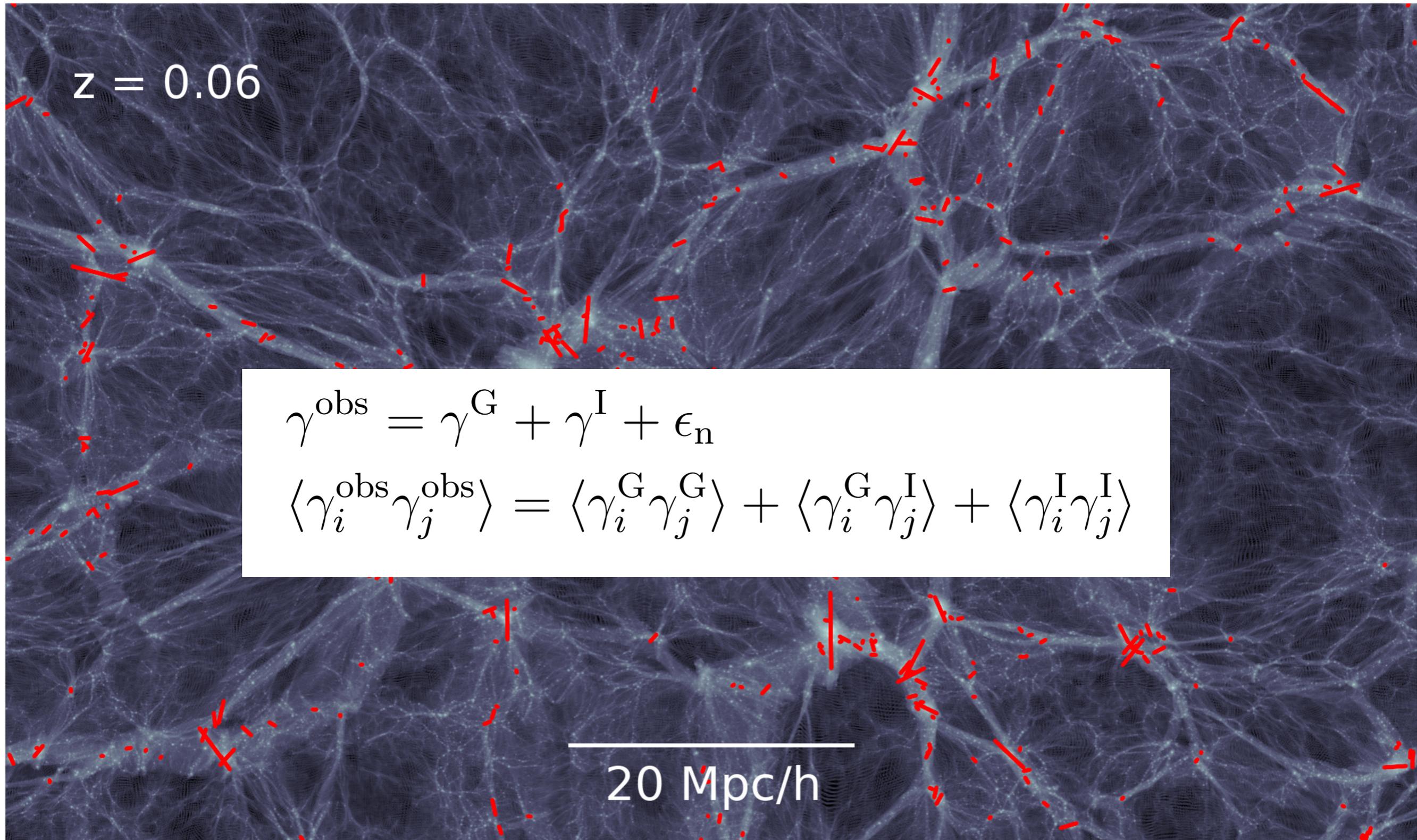
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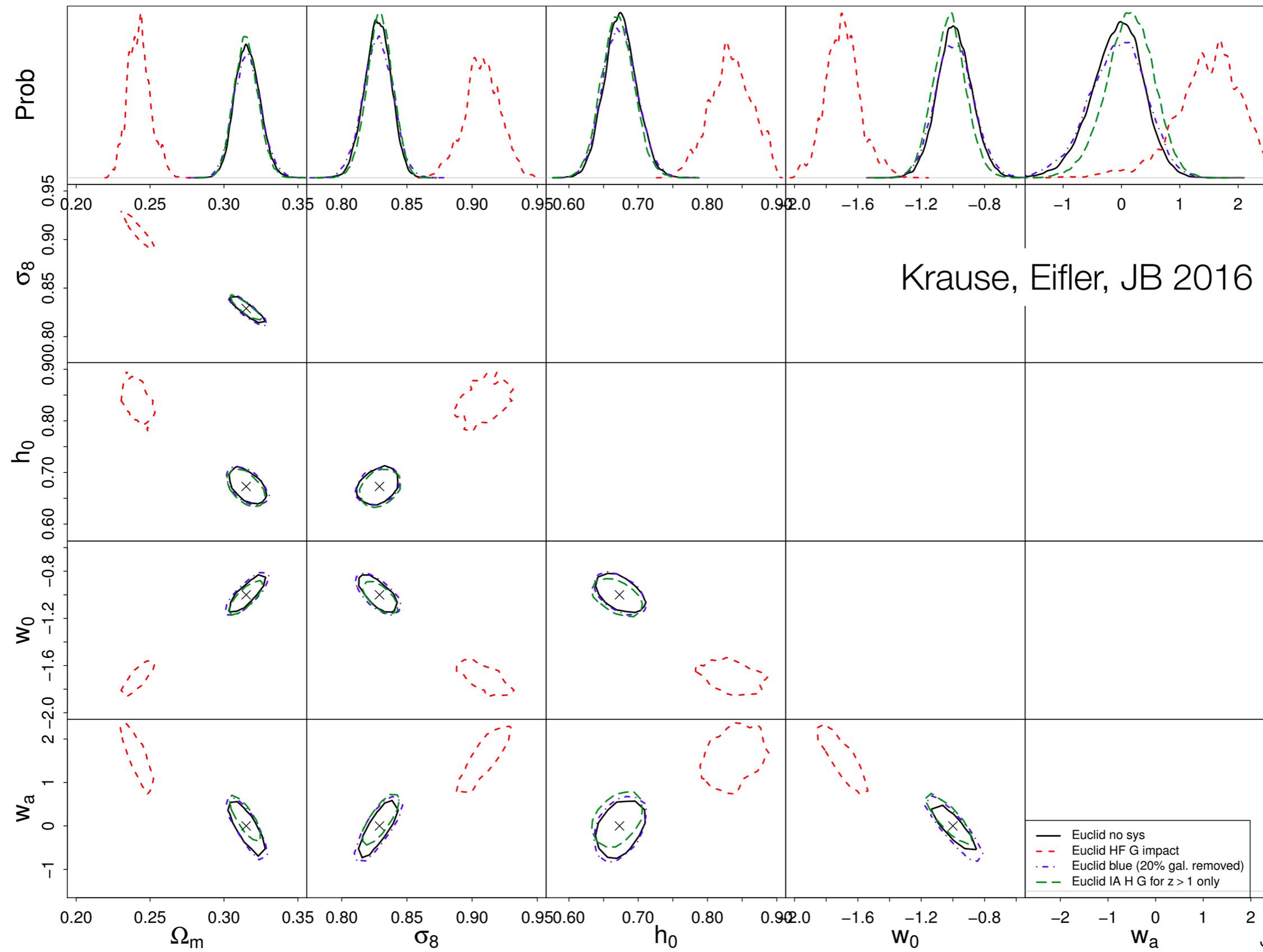
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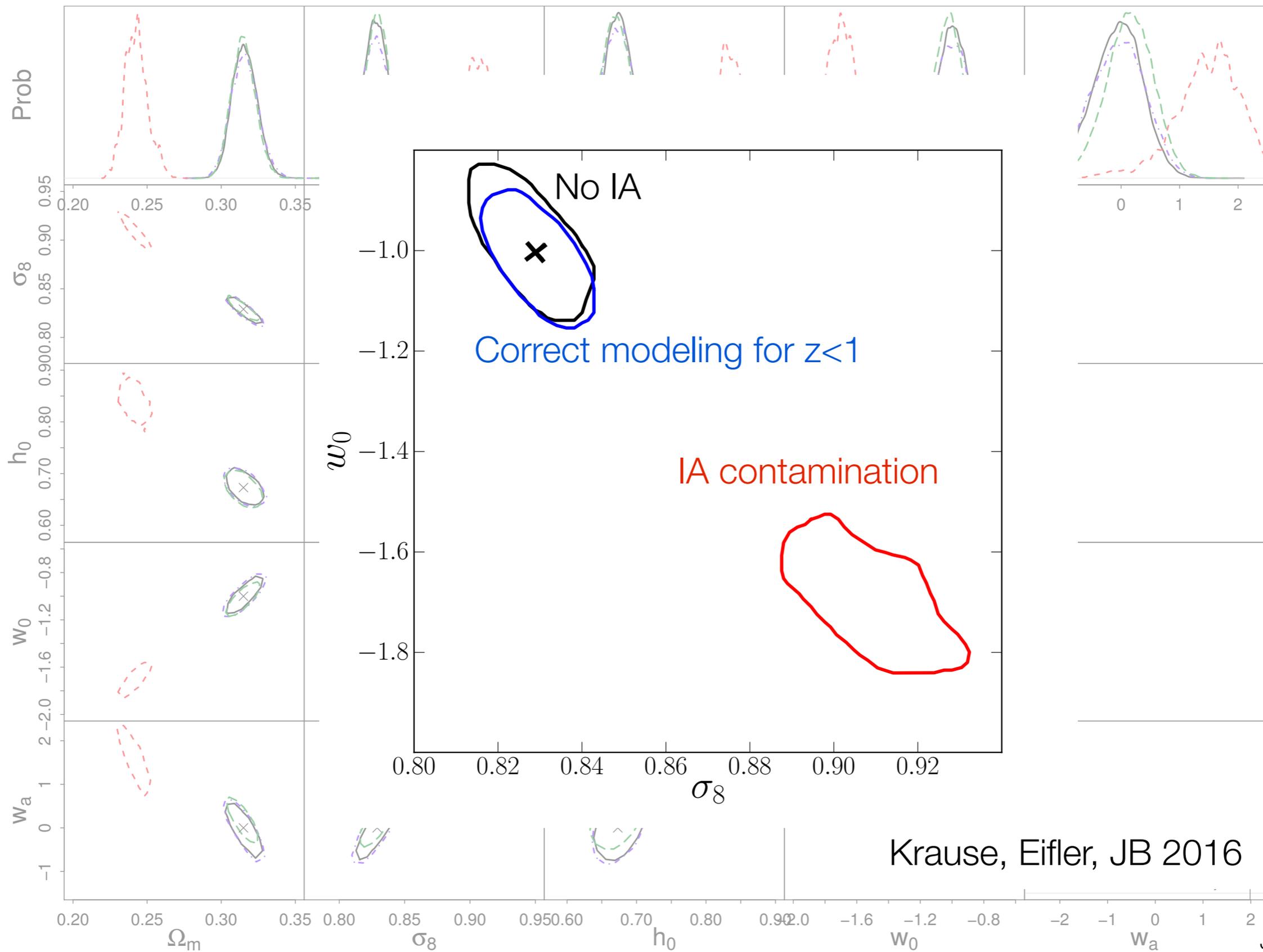
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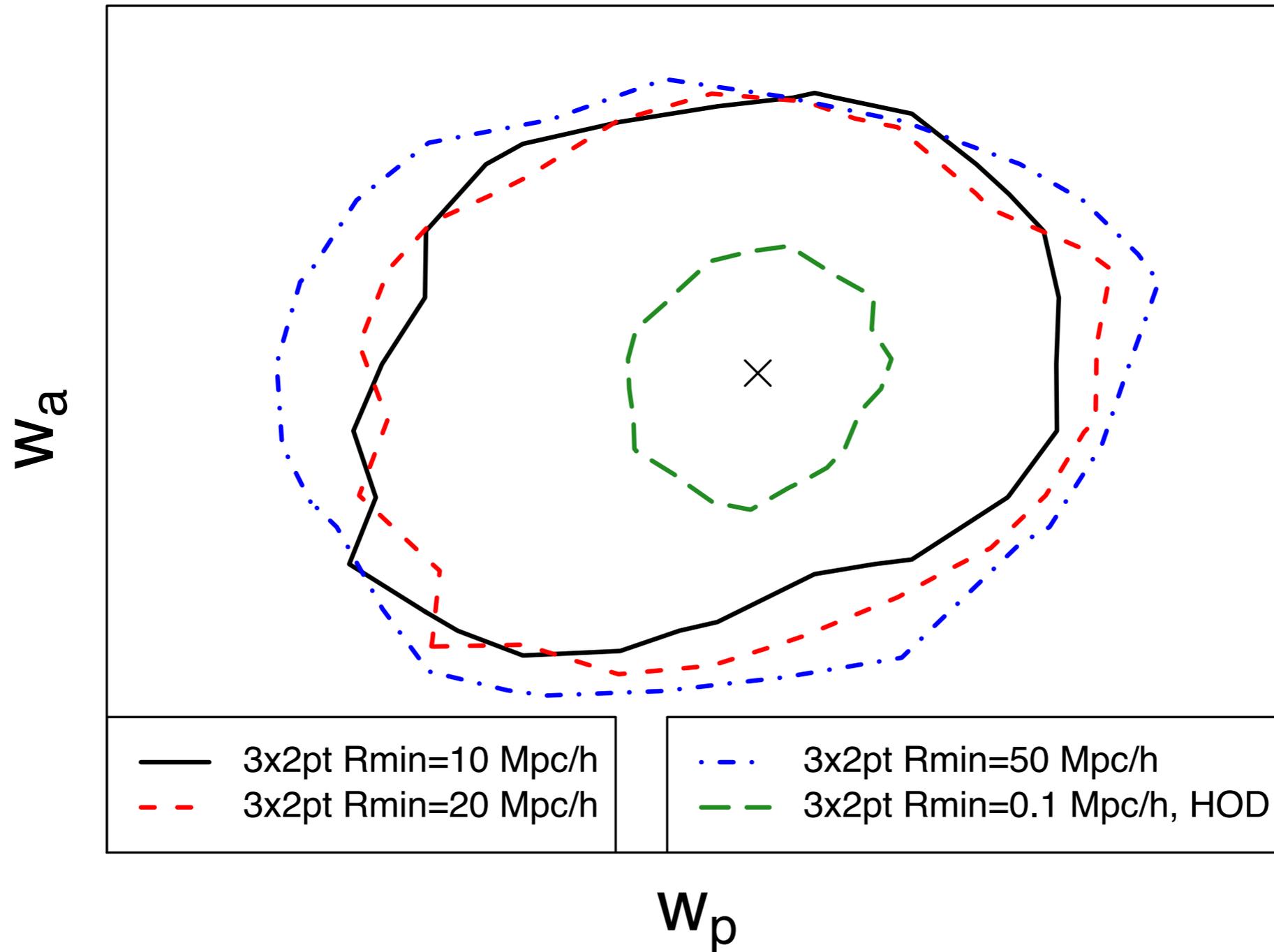


# Precision vs accuracy: IA in Euclid



Krause, Eifler, JB 2016

# Why go beyond linear theory?



LSST-like forecast: Krause & Eifler 2017

# Unified description in effective perturbative expansions

galaxy bias (McDonald & Roy 2009; Assassi+ 2014; Angulo+ 2015; Desjacques, Jeong, Schmidt 2016)

$$\delta_g(x) = b_1 \delta_m(x) + b_2 \delta_m^2(x) + b_s s^2(x) + \dots$$

$$\gamma_{ij}^I = C_1 s_{ij} + C_2 (s_{ik} s_{kj}) + C_\delta (\delta s_{ij}) + C_t t_{ij} + \dots$$

galaxy intrinsic alignments

(JB+ 2015; Schmidt+ 2015; JB+ 2017 arXiv:1708.09247; Schmitz, Hirata, JB, Krause 2018 arXiv:1805.02649)

- cosmological quantities directly connect to underlying model
- effective parameters receive contributions from small scales
- new probes of large-scale structure and fundamental physics

# Power law and FFT methods

McEwen, Fang, Hirata, JB 2016; Fang, JB, McEwen, Hirata 2017

see also: Schmittfull, Vlah, McDonald 2016; Schmittfull & Vlah 2016; Simonovic+ 2017

**FAST-PT on github: JoeMcEwen/FAST-PT**

$$I(k) = \int \frac{d^3 \mathbf{q}_1}{(2\pi)^3} K(\hat{\mathbf{q}}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}_2, \hat{\mathbf{q}}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}, \hat{\mathbf{q}}_2 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}}, q_1, q_2) P(q_1) P(q_2)$$

$$f(k) = \int \frac{d^3 \mathbf{q}_1}{(2\pi)^3} \mathcal{P}_\ell(\hat{\mathbf{q}}_1 \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}_2) \mathcal{P}_{\ell_1}(\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}_2) \mathcal{P}_{\ell_2}(\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{q}}_1) q_1^\alpha q_2^\beta P(q_1) P(q_2)$$

$$J_{J_1 J_2}^{\alpha\beta}(r) \equiv \left[ \int_0^\infty dq_1 q_1^{2+\alpha} P(q_1) j_{J_1}(q_1 r) \right] \left[ \int_0^\infty dq_2 q_2^{2+\beta} P(q_2) j_{J_2}(q_2 r) \right]$$

(e.g. FFTLog: Talman 1978, Hamilton 2000)

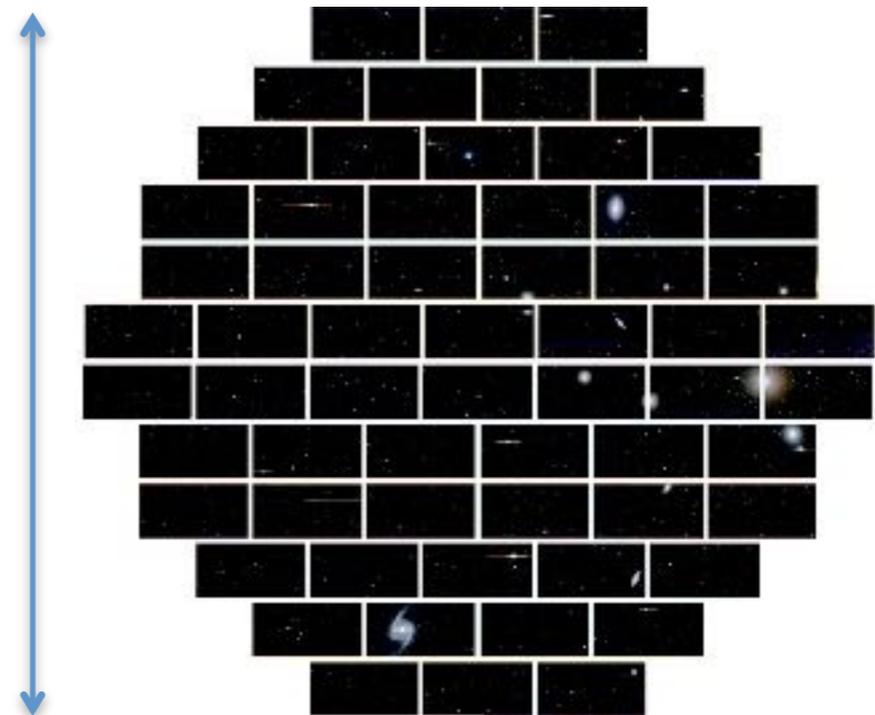
For 1-loop calculations: 1000 k values in ~0.1s

# Dark Energy Survey

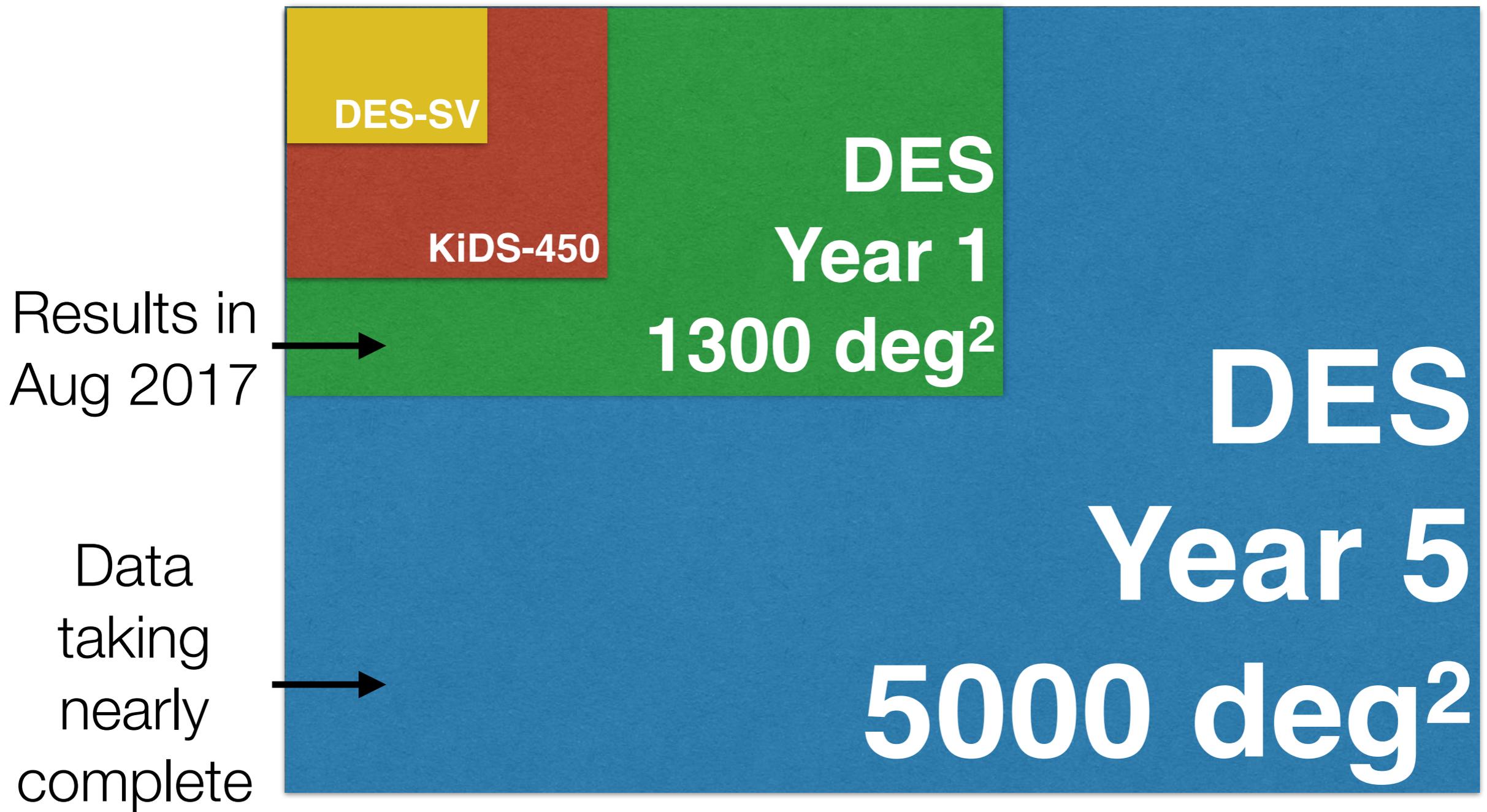
- DECam on Blanco Telescope, Cerro Tololo, Chile
- 5000 sq degrees
- 5 year mission  
525 nights (+extension)
- 300 million galaxies  
( $0 < z < 2$ )
- overlap with SPT and ACT



2.2 deg



# Survey Progress



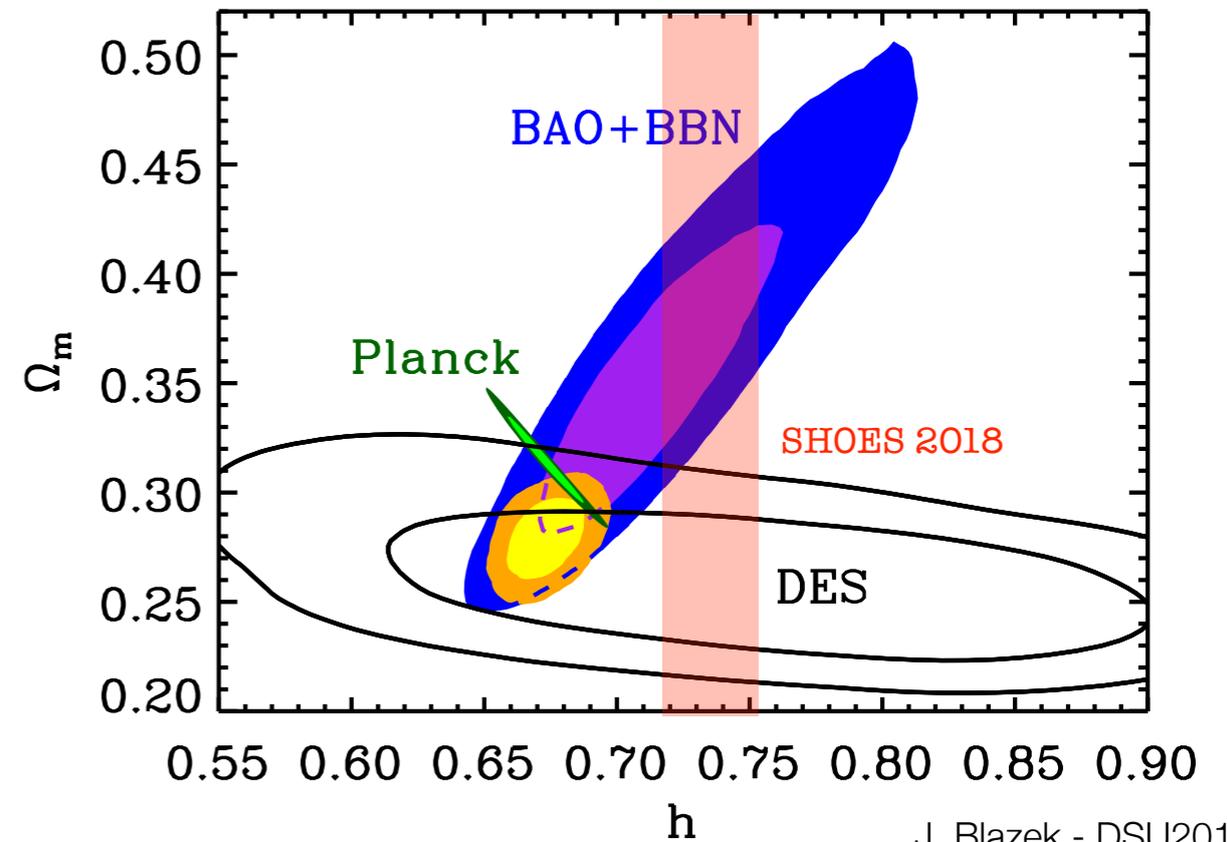
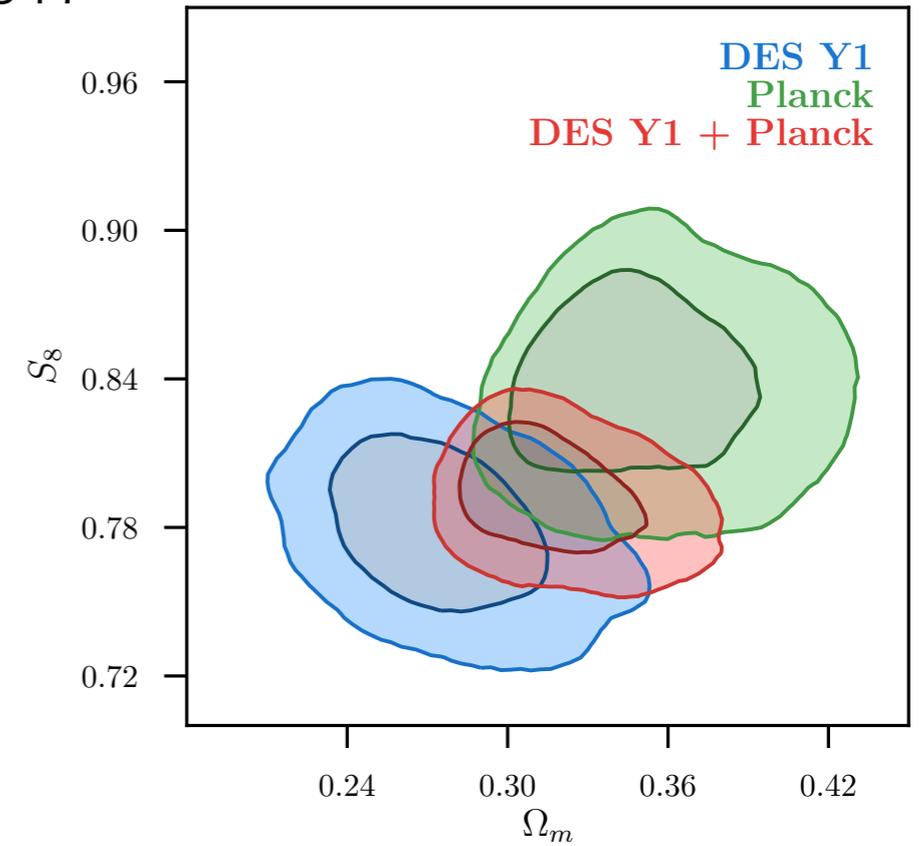
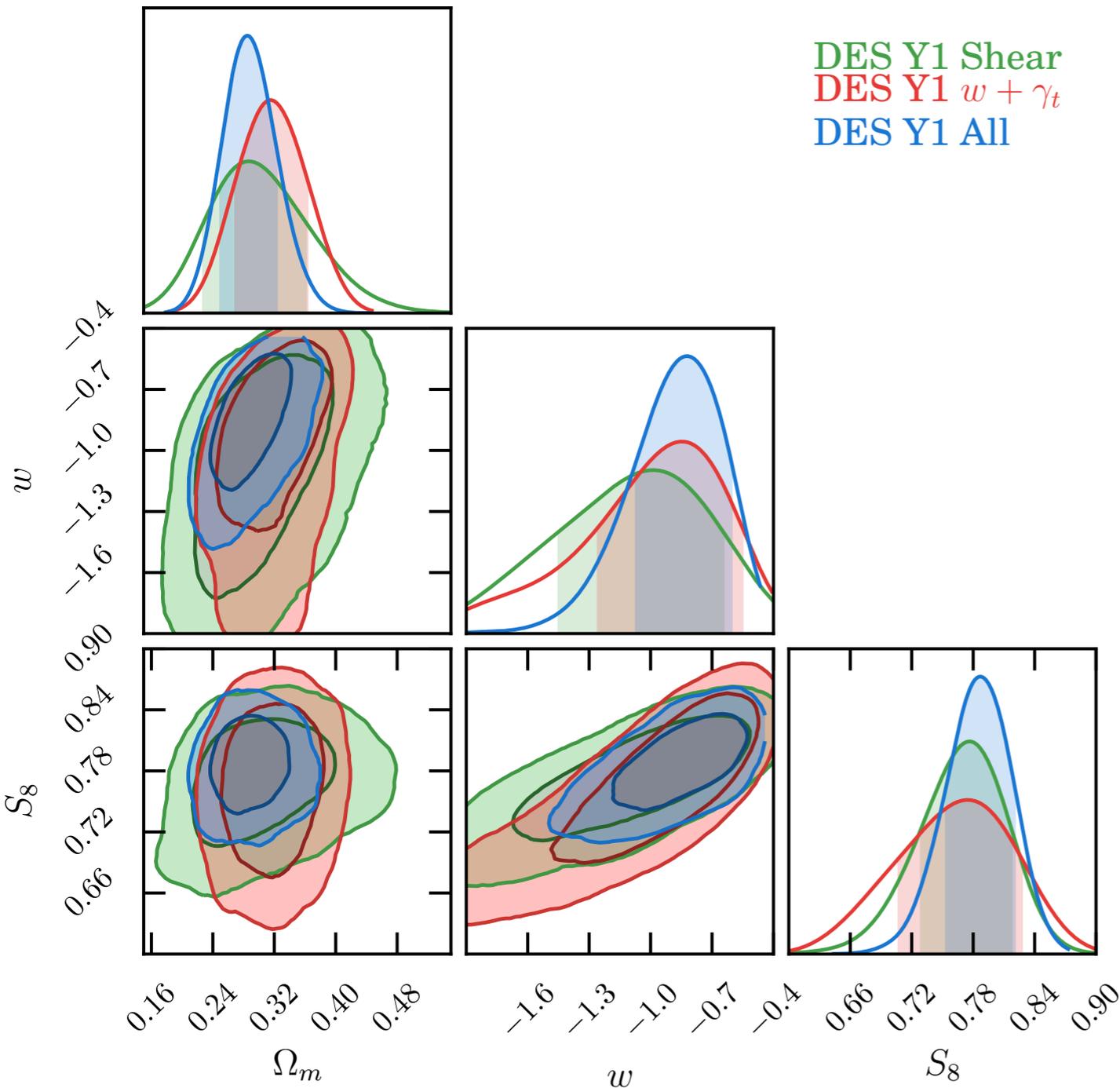
# DES Year 1 cosmology papers

- Galaxy catalog & reduction
- The Y1 shear catalogs
- Cross-correlation redshifts methodology
- Cross-correlation redshifts on Y1 data
- Source redshifts
- redMaGiC redshifts
- Galaxy-galaxy lensing
- Cosmic shear
- Galaxy clustering
- Mass mapping
- Key Project methodology & covariances
- Key Project on simulations
- Key Project Results
- Key Project with CMB lensing



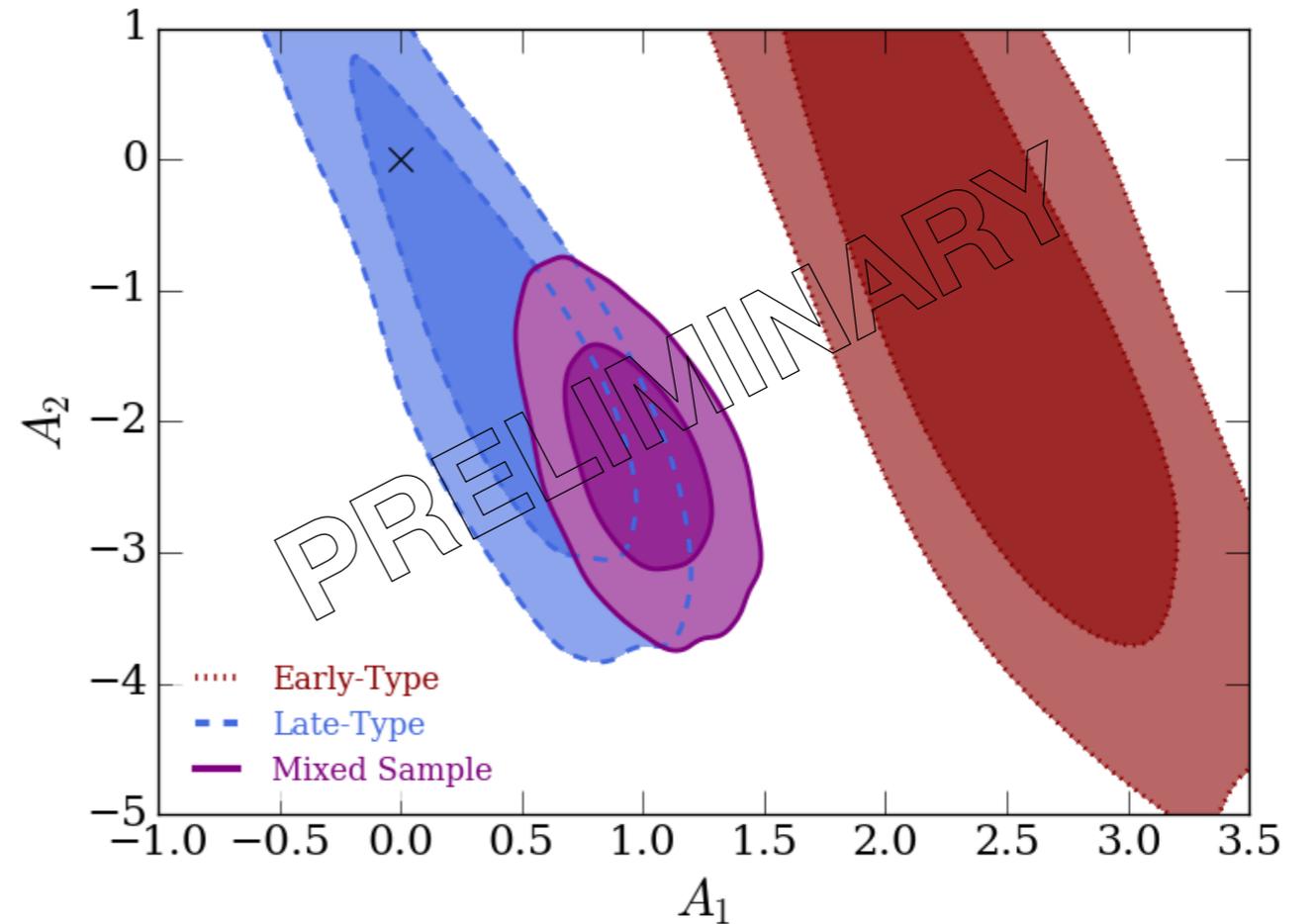
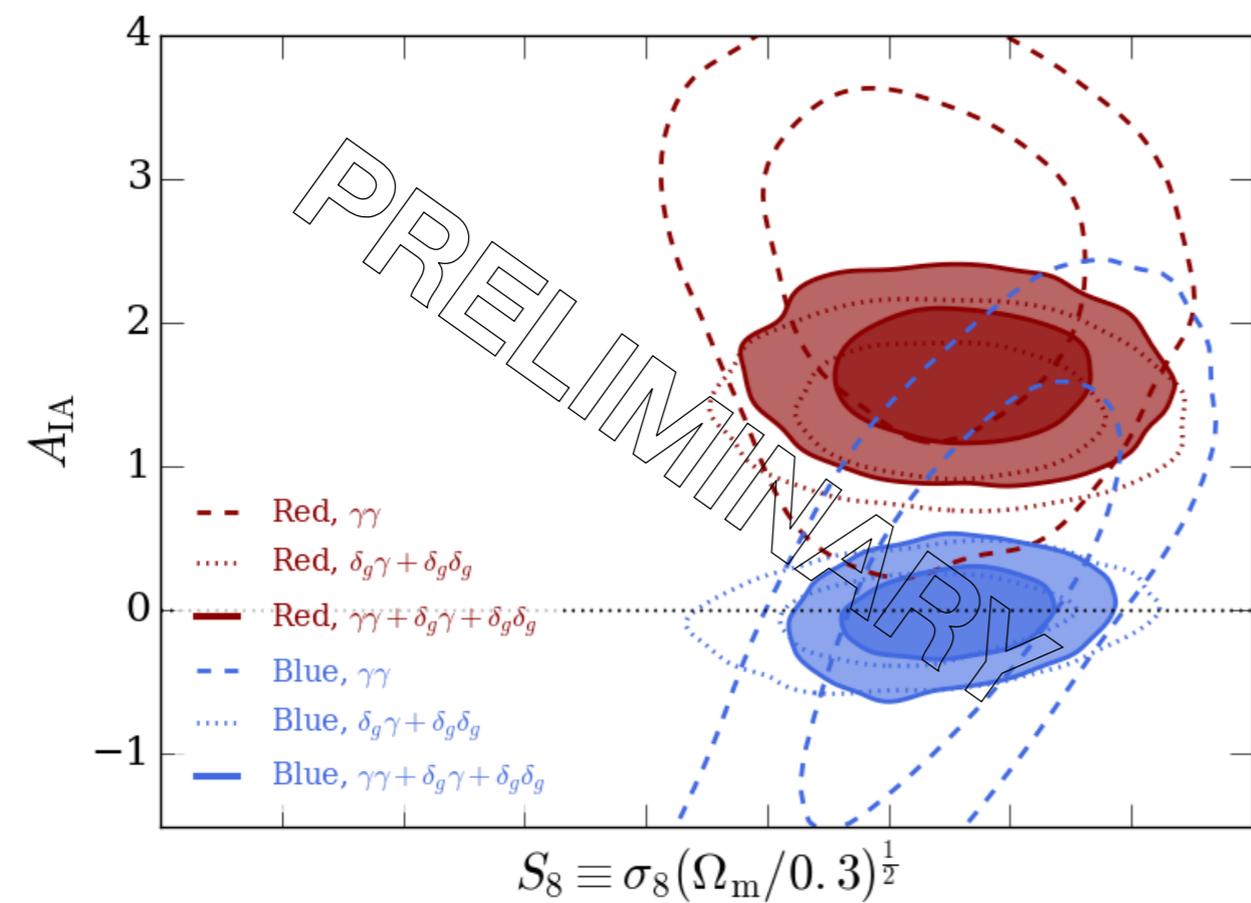
# DES Year 1 Results

DES Collaboration 2017



# Probing IA with DES

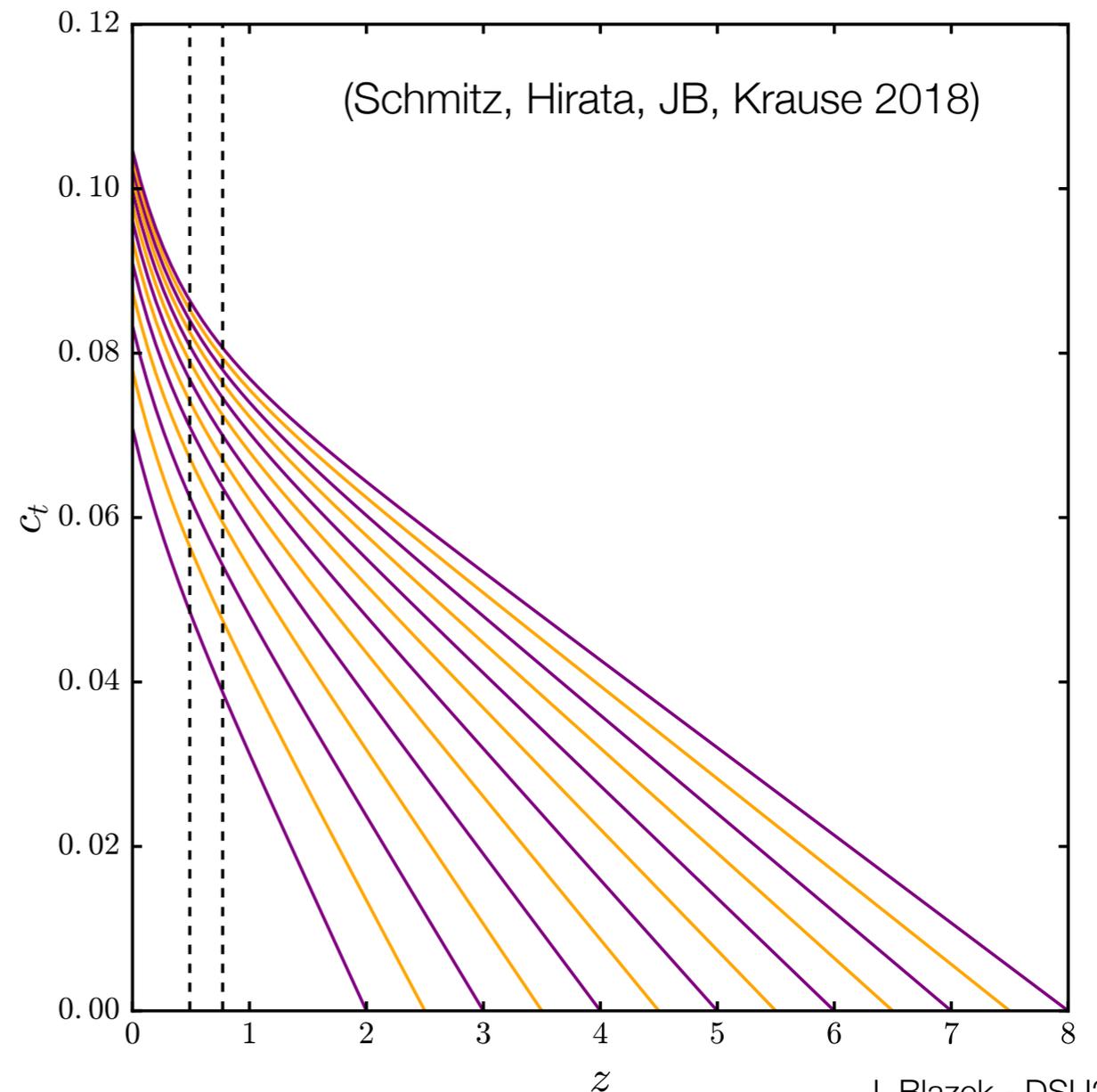
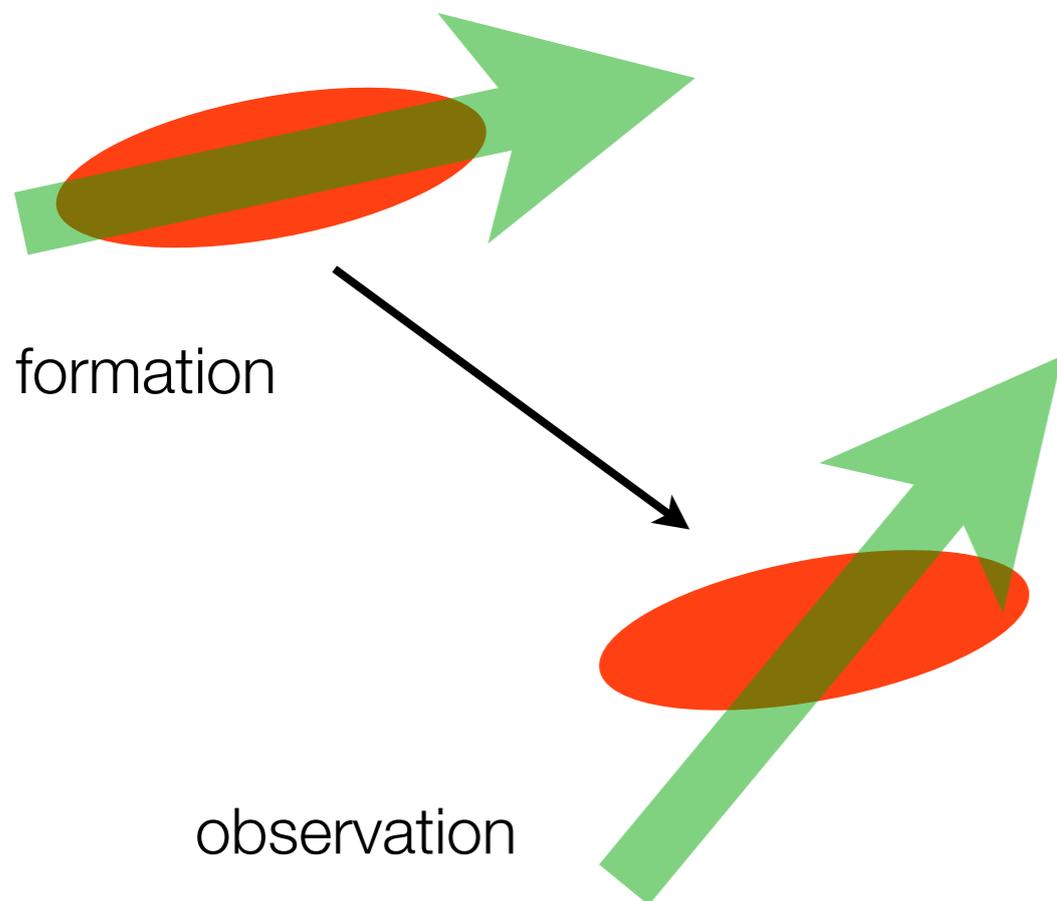
Samuroff, JB + DES Collaboration, in prep.



# Beyond systematics

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- Probe of LSS
- Test inflation (e.g. Schmidt+ 2015)
- Modified gravity, LIV dark matter, preferred frame
- **Galaxy formation and evolution**



# Summary

- Improved modeling of observables needed for optimal multi-probe cosmological analyses.
- Effective perturbative expansions can be applied to galaxy biasing and IA, providing systematics control and novel probes of fundamental physics.
- Can we introduce parameters without losing too much information? Informative priors from sims or observations?
- DES Y1 results demonstrate methods - we are learning! Y3 analyses underway. We are preparing for the next-generation of surveys (LSST, Euclid, DESI, WFIRST, ...).