

Comprendre l'Infiniment Grand - Introduction to Cosmology - Part III

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Summary of Part II

FLRW metric

Homogeneous and isotropic Universe \Rightarrow
Friedmann, Lemaitre, Robertson, Walker metric

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - R^2(t) \left[\frac{dr^2}{1 - kr^2} + r^2(d\theta^2 + \sin^2 \theta d\phi^2) \right]$$

- isotropic
- scale factor $R(t)$ due to expansion
- dimensionless scale factor : $a(t) = R(t) / R(t_0)$
 - now $a(t_0) = 1$
 - in the past $a(t) < 1$
 - Big Bang $a(t) = 0$

Friedman equation

- Einstein Eq => $\left(\frac{\dot{R}}{R}\right)^2 + \frac{k}{R^2} = \frac{8\pi\rho}{3}$ (Friedmann Eq.)

- Critical density today

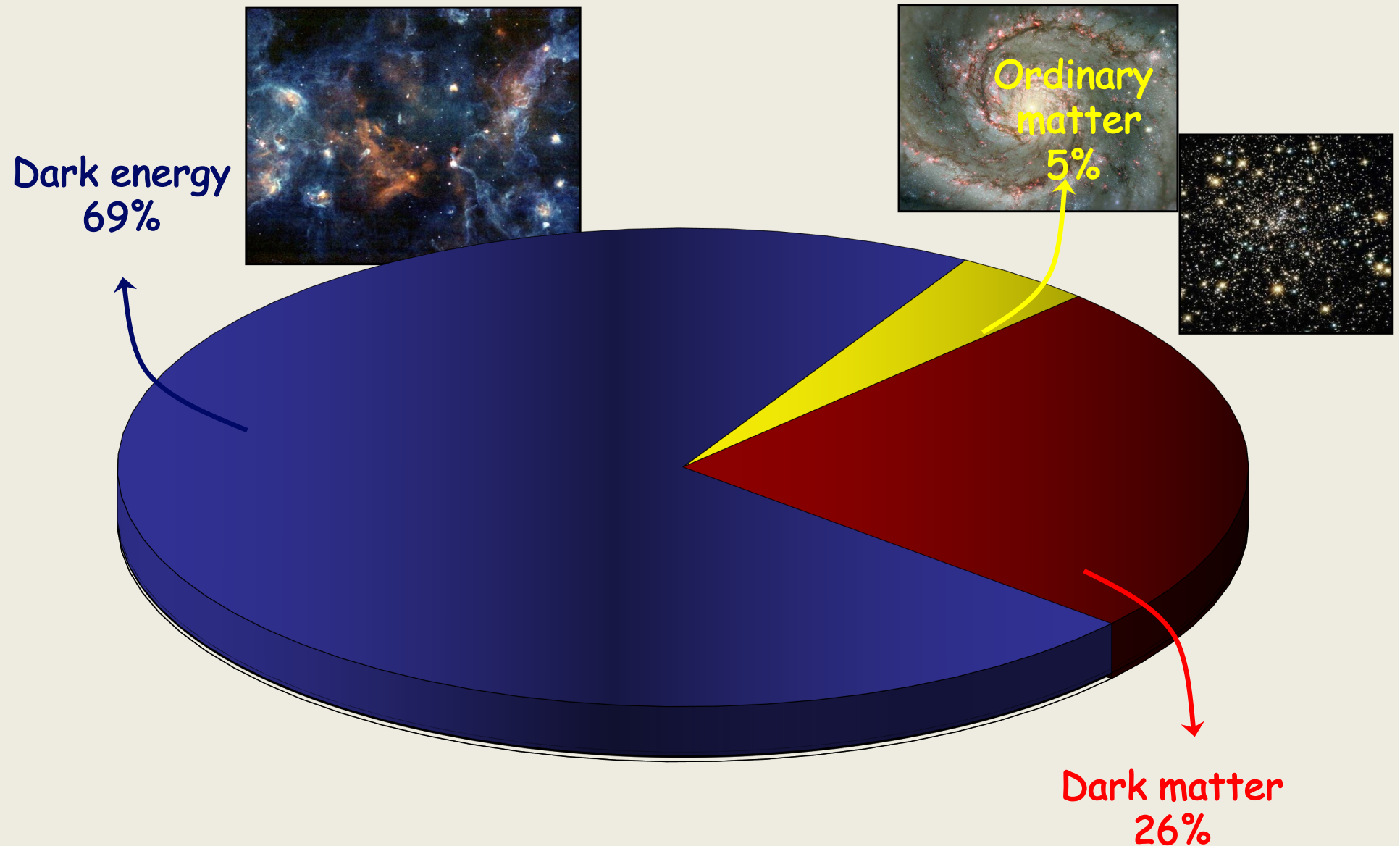
$$\boxed{\rho_c = \frac{3H_0^2}{8\pi}} = 1.88 \times 10^{-29} h^2 \text{ g/cm}^3 \sim 5 \text{ protons / m}^3$$

- We introduce $\Omega_m \equiv \frac{\rho_m(t_0)}{\rho_c}, \quad \Omega_r \equiv \frac{\rho_r(t_0)}{\rho_c}, \quad \Omega_v \equiv \frac{\rho_v(t_0)}{\rho_c}$

$$\Omega_T = \Omega_m + \Omega_r + \Omega_v = \rho_0 / \rho_c$$

$$\left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\right)^2 = H_0^2 [\Omega_m a^{-3} + \Omega_r a^{-4} + \Omega_v + (1 - \Omega_T) a^{-2}]$$

Content of the Universe



Observational Cosmology - Part III

1. Standard candles

- SNLS

2. Cosmic Microwave Background

- History
- Planck Satellite

3. Standard ruler - BAO

- SDSS – BOSS/eBOSS
- DESI

4. The H_0 puzzle

Standard candles

SNI-a

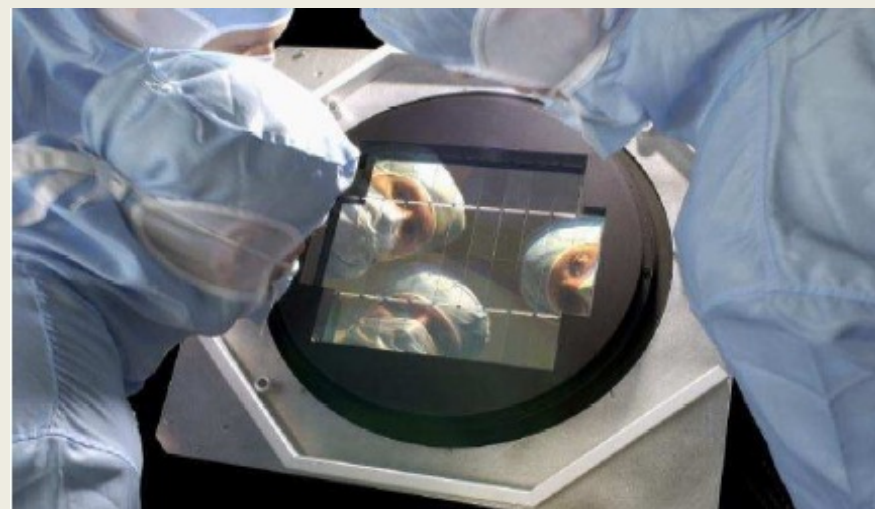




SNLS: SuperNova Legacy Survey

MegaCam:

- designed and built by CEA/Irfu
- Biggest camera CCD in the world till 2010:
 - 36 CCD $2k \times 4.5k$ pixels.
- Wide field: 1 deg^2



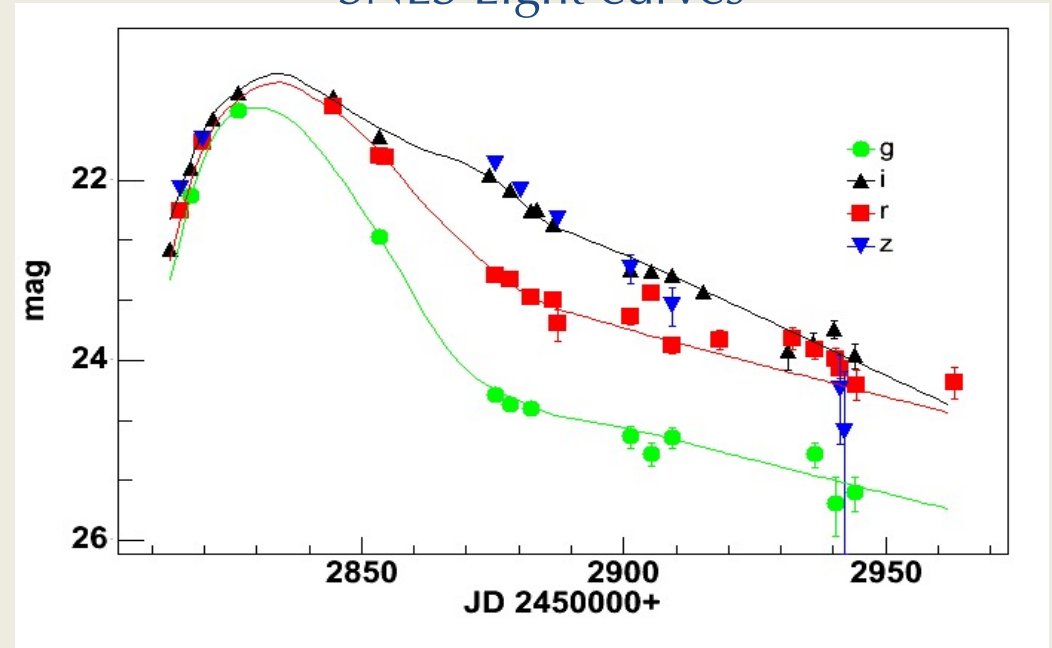
SNLS:

- 3.6m telescope (CFHT)
at Hawaiï equipped with MegaCam
- 400 SN Ia over 2003-2008

SNLS: The method



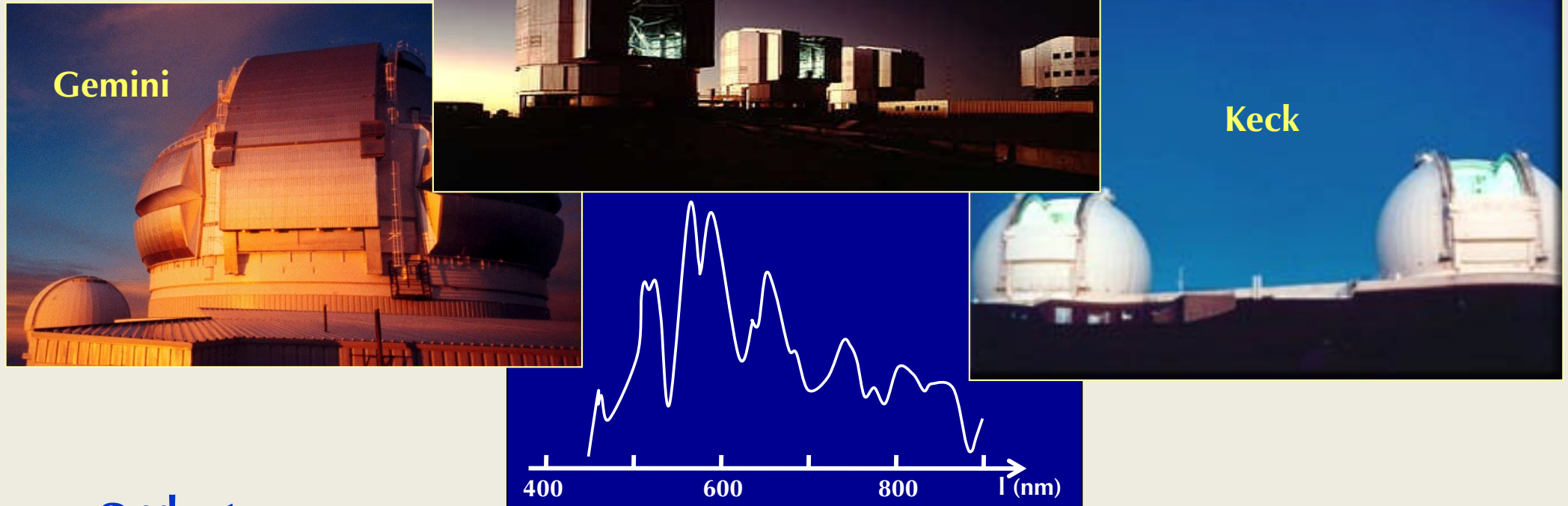
SNLS Light curves



1st Stage

- Measurement of photon flux every 3-4 days
- On-the-fly detection of SN explosions

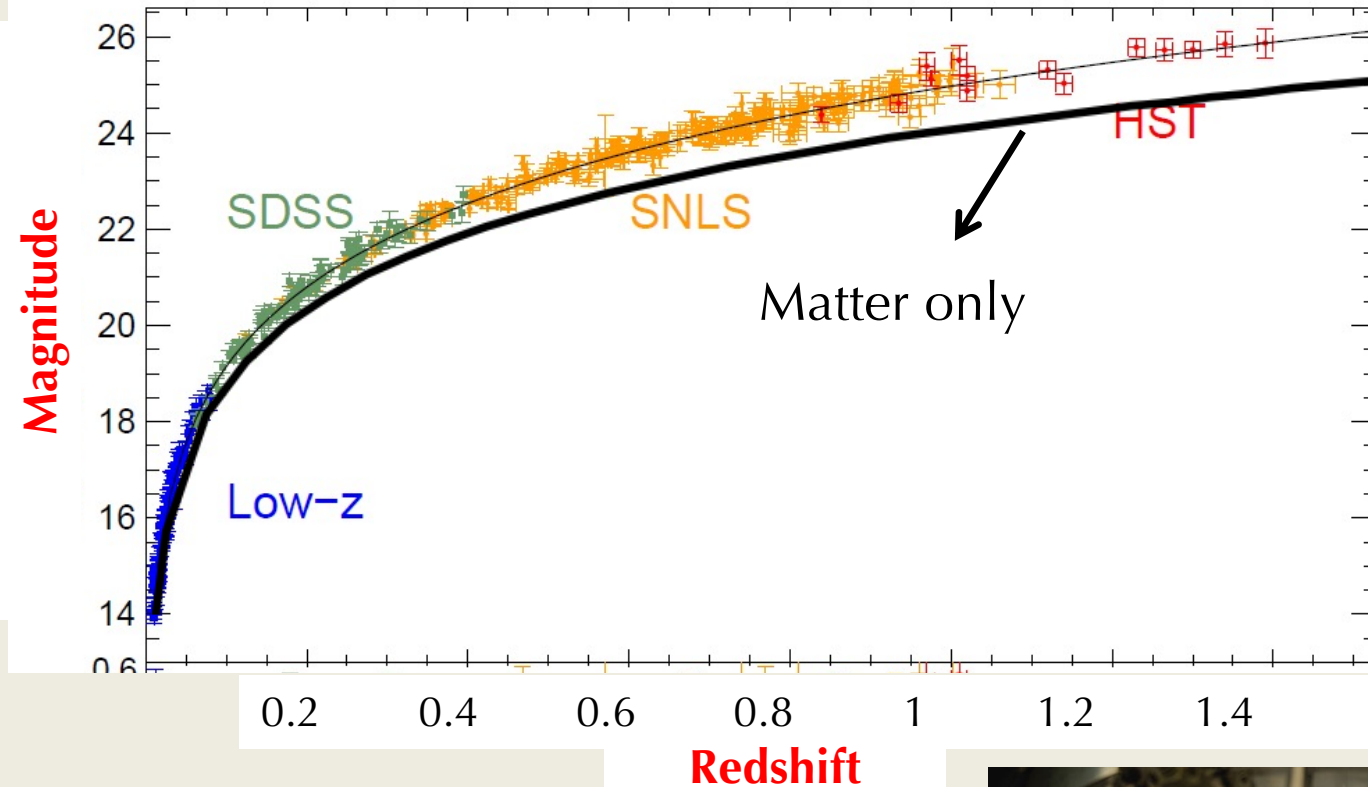
SNLS: the method



2nd stage

- Observation of SN spectra with 8m telescope (VLT, Keck, Gemini...).
- Confirmation of SN type (Ia, Ib..).
- Measurement of redshift.

Standard Candles - Status

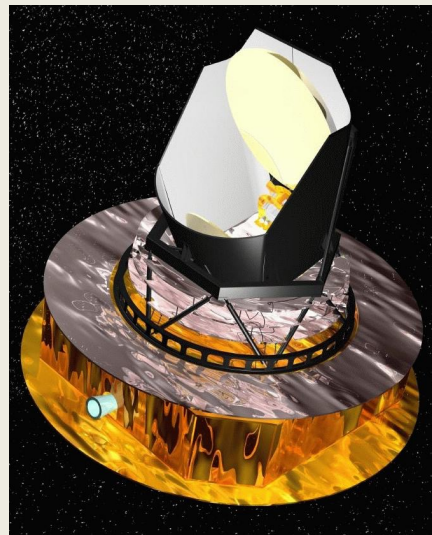


Proof of Dark Energy

- Almost one thousand SNIa used in the new Hubble diagram
- Clear demonstration since 1999
- SNIa machine in preparation with LSST (first light in 2023) in Chile

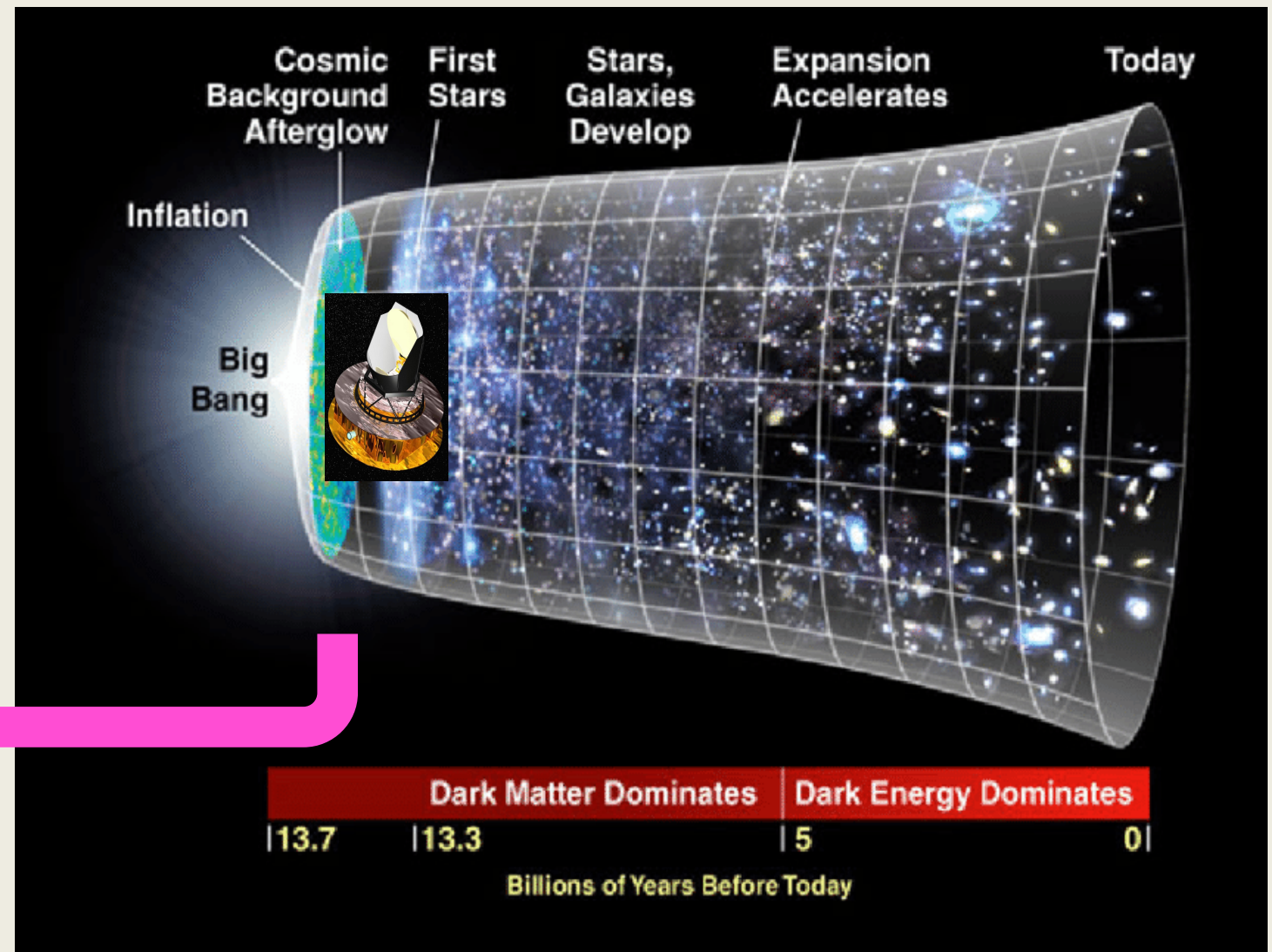


A picture of the primordial Universe - Cosmic Microwave Background



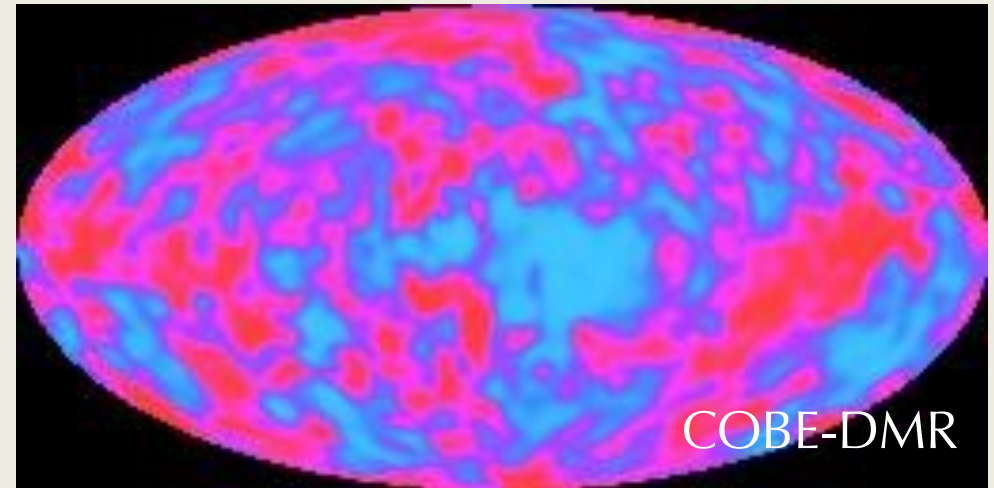
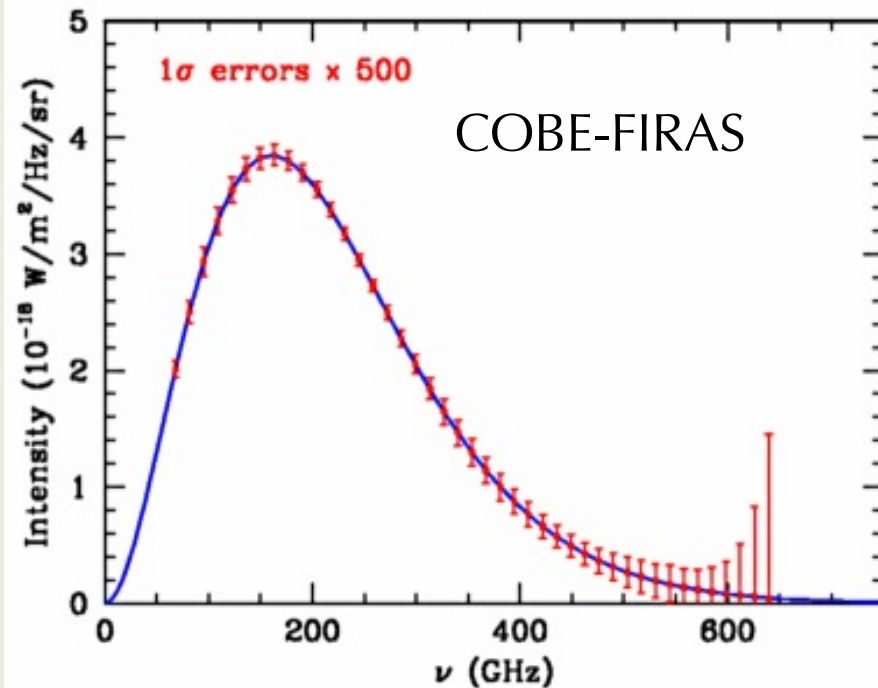
The Big-Bang

$\sim 10^{-10}$ - 10^{-5} s
Elementary
particles
 \Rightarrow LHC



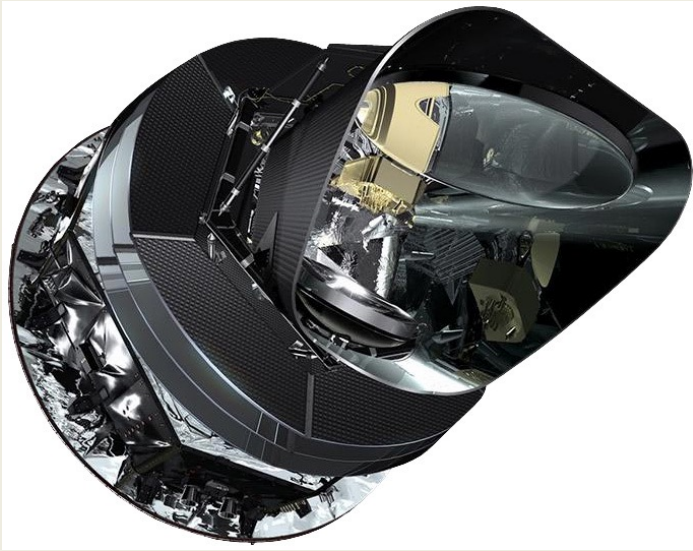
- Expanding Universe is slowly cooling
- 3mns : End of nucleo-synthesis
- 380 000 years: Recombination : Universe becomes transparent

CMB discovery



- **1964:** Discovered "by chance" by Penzias and Wilson (uniform radio "noise" at 7.5 cm \rightarrow 2.7 K)
- **1989-1992:** Satellite COBE
 - Perfect black body with a temperature $T=2.725\text{K}$!
 - Extremely small anisotropies of 0.00001 degrees....

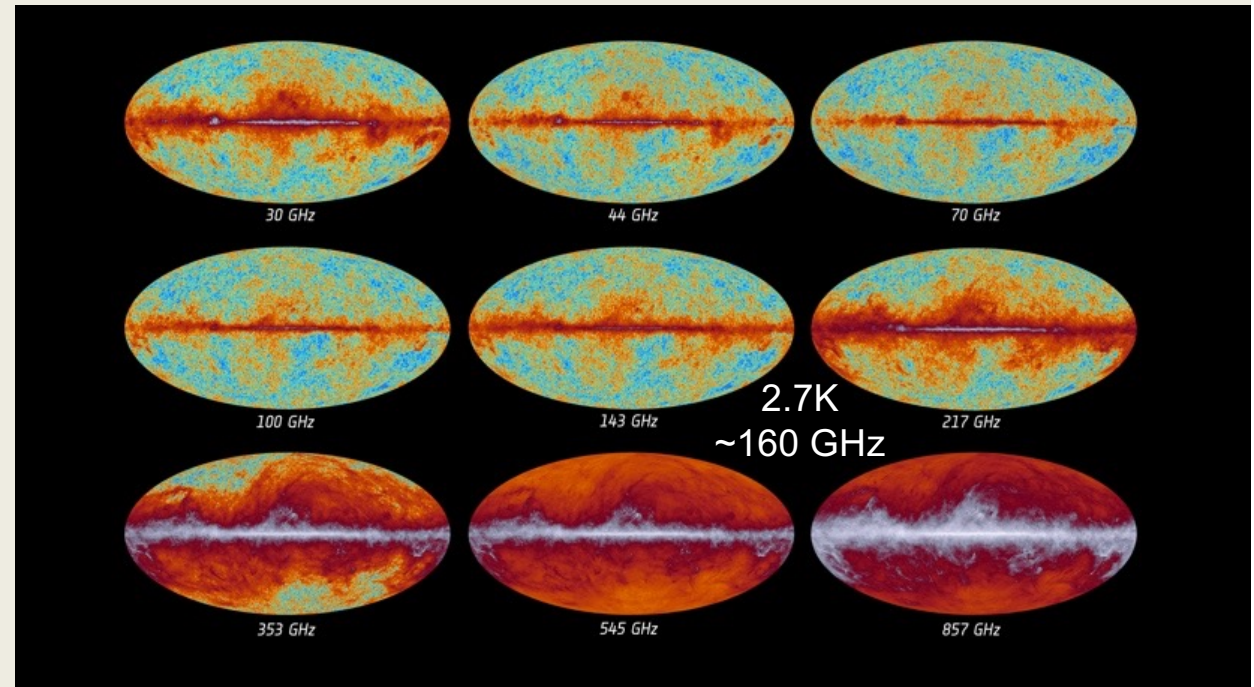
Planck more and more precise measurements



- ESA/CNES satellite launched in May 2009 toward L2 (1.5 M km from Earth)
- Measurement of $T_{\text{FDC}}=2.7\text{K}$ at 1/100 000
- Bolometers cooled at 0.1 K
- ~3-year observation program

Planck maps

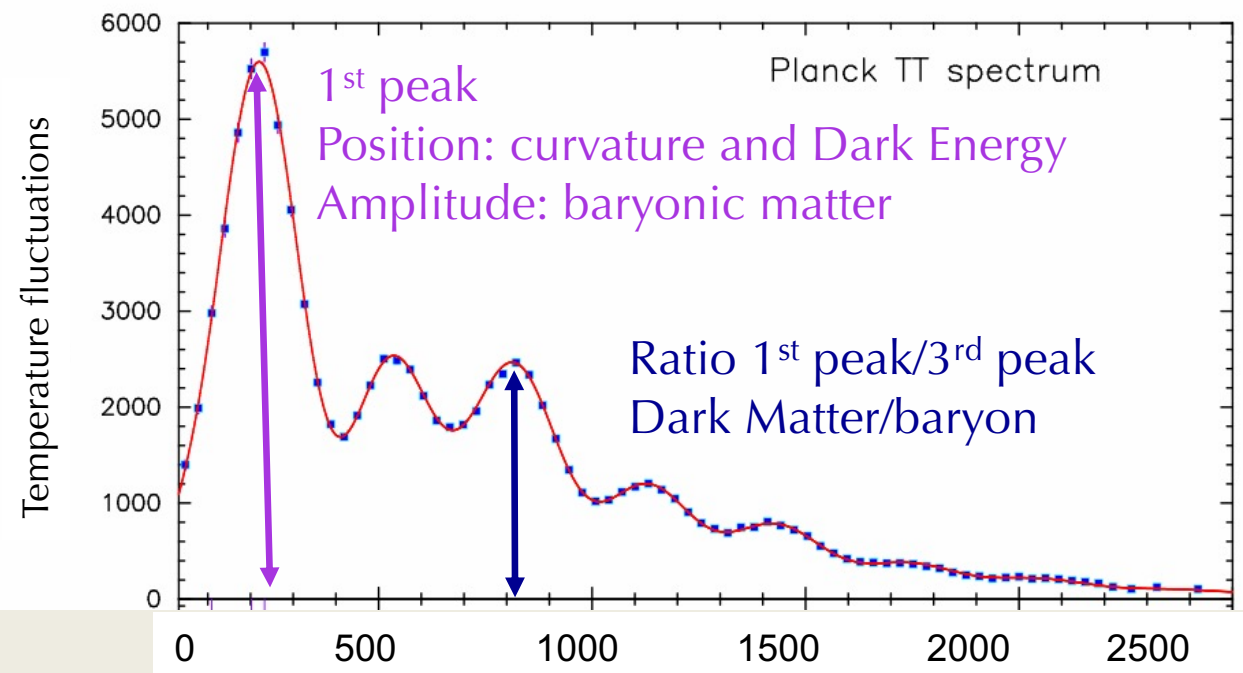
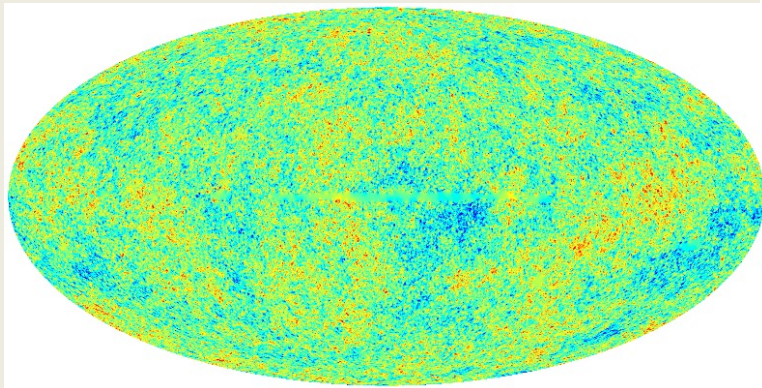
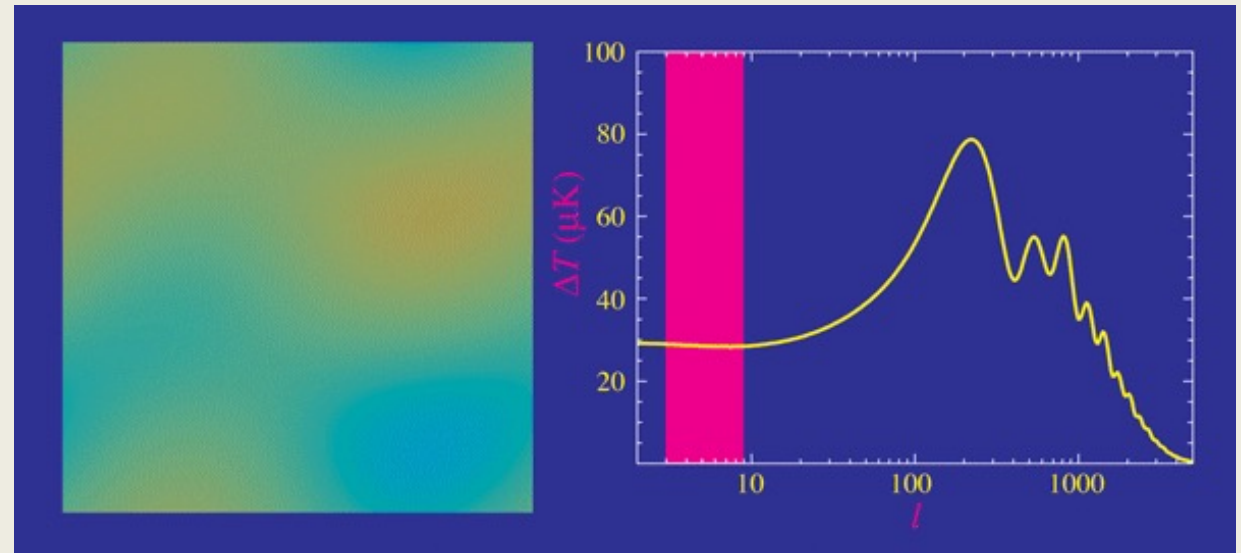
- Maps of the whole sky for 9 different frequencies
- Separation of the components (CMB, galactic dust, experimental noise...).



What do we learn with these maps?

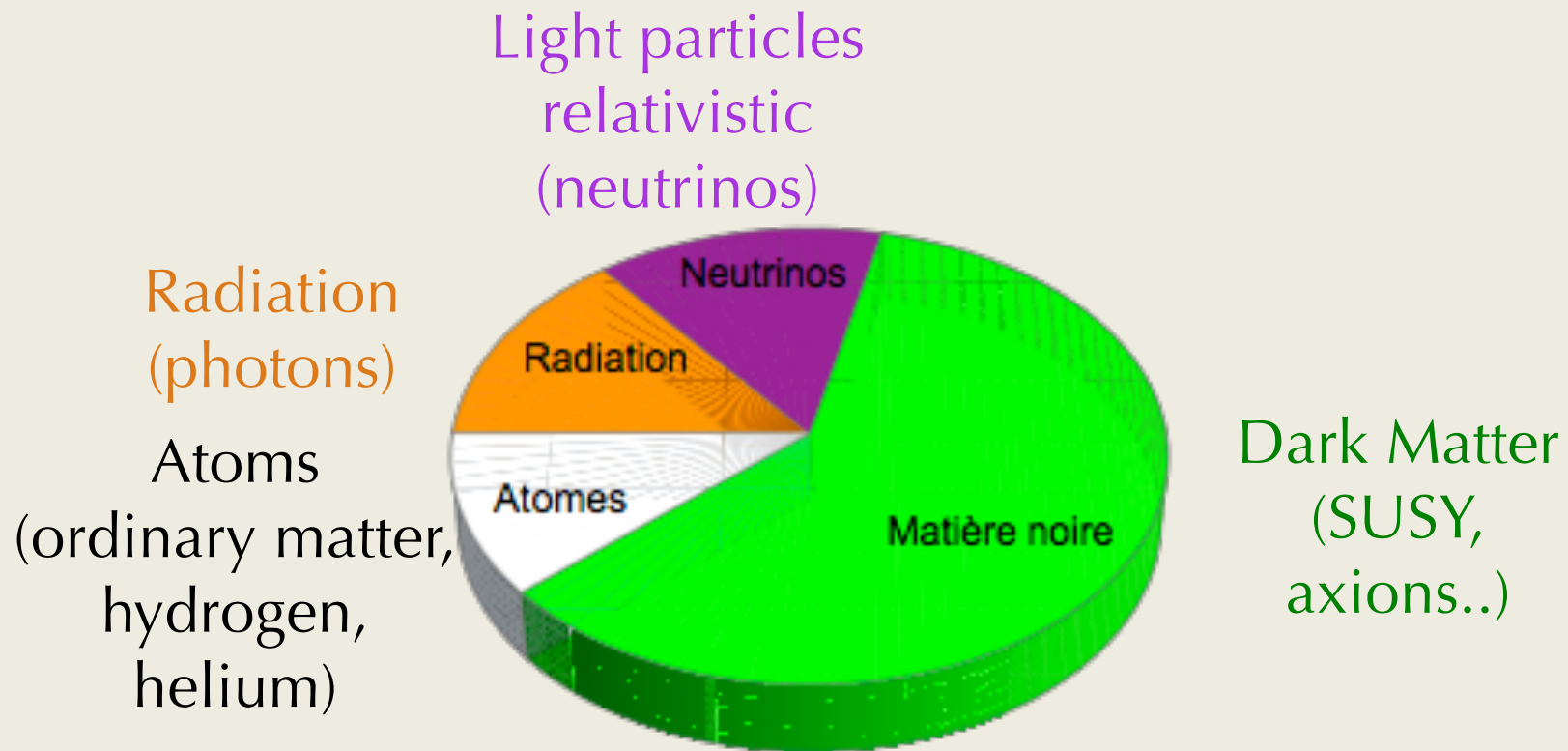
CMB anisotropies

- Angular size of the fluctuations
- Conversion : angle $\theta \rightarrow$ multipole $l = 180^\circ/\theta$



Universe content seen by Planck

➤ Starting from power spectrum (acoustic oscillations), we derive the content of the Universe, 380 000 years ago.

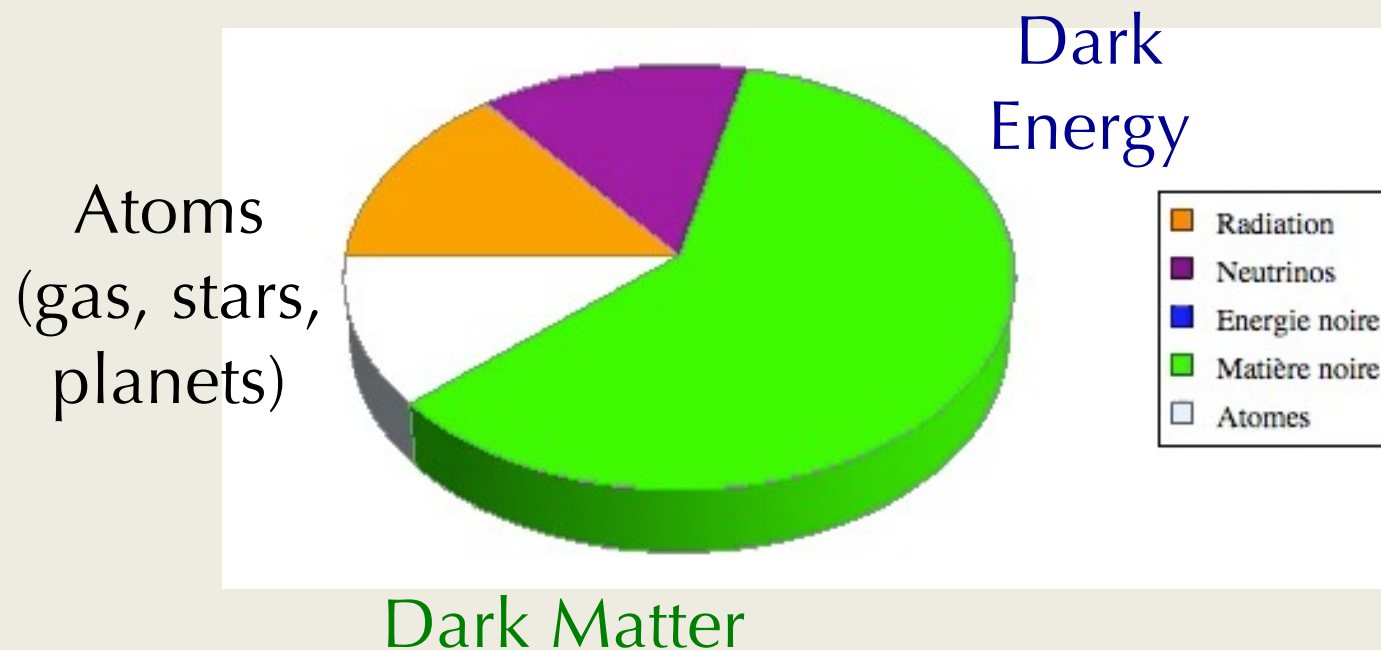


From CMB to today

- From Friedmann equation, we can predict the evolution of Universe components

$$H^2 = \left(\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\right)^2 = \frac{8\pi G}{3}\rho - \frac{kc^2}{a^2} + \frac{\Lambda c^2}{3} \quad a \propto \frac{1}{1+z}$$

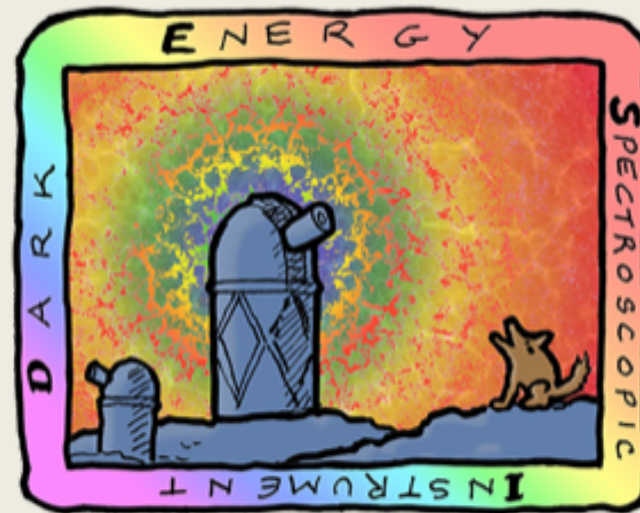
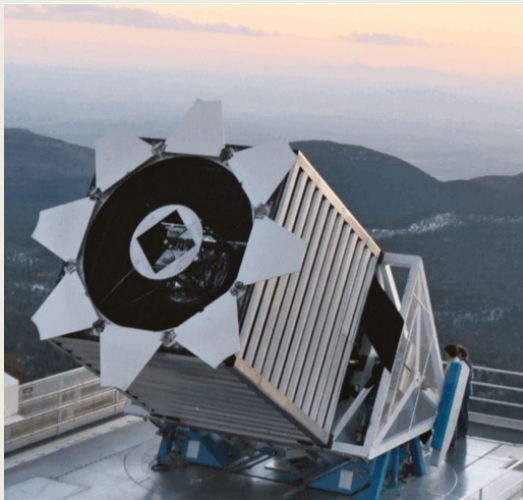
- Consistent with Universe observed by supernovae



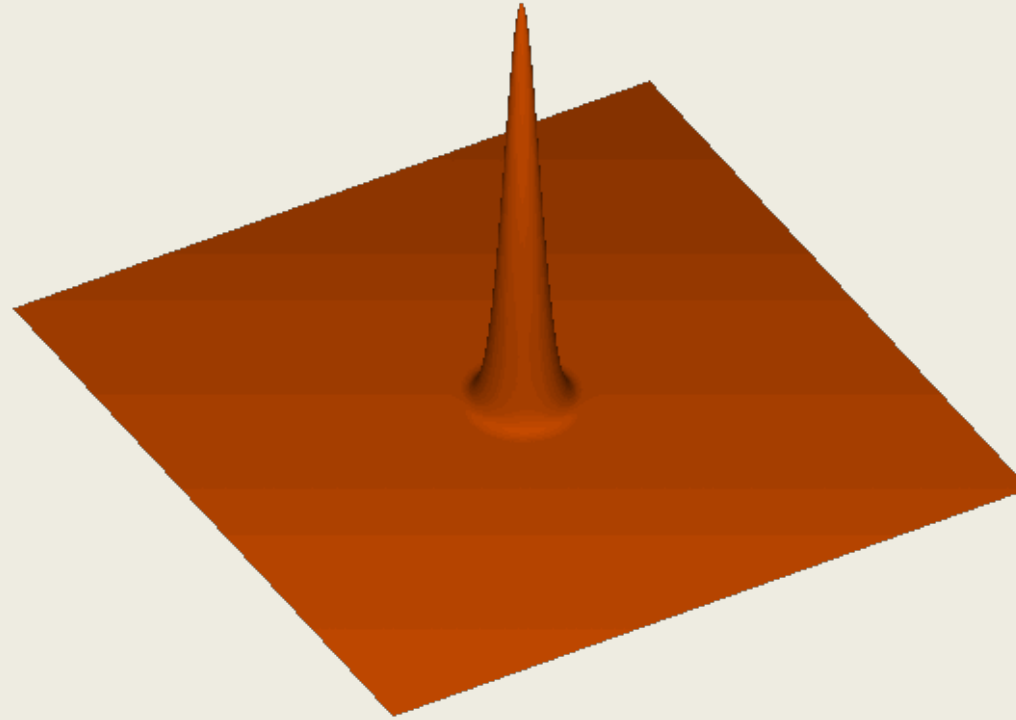
Standard Ruler

Baryonic Acoustic Oscillations

See DESI



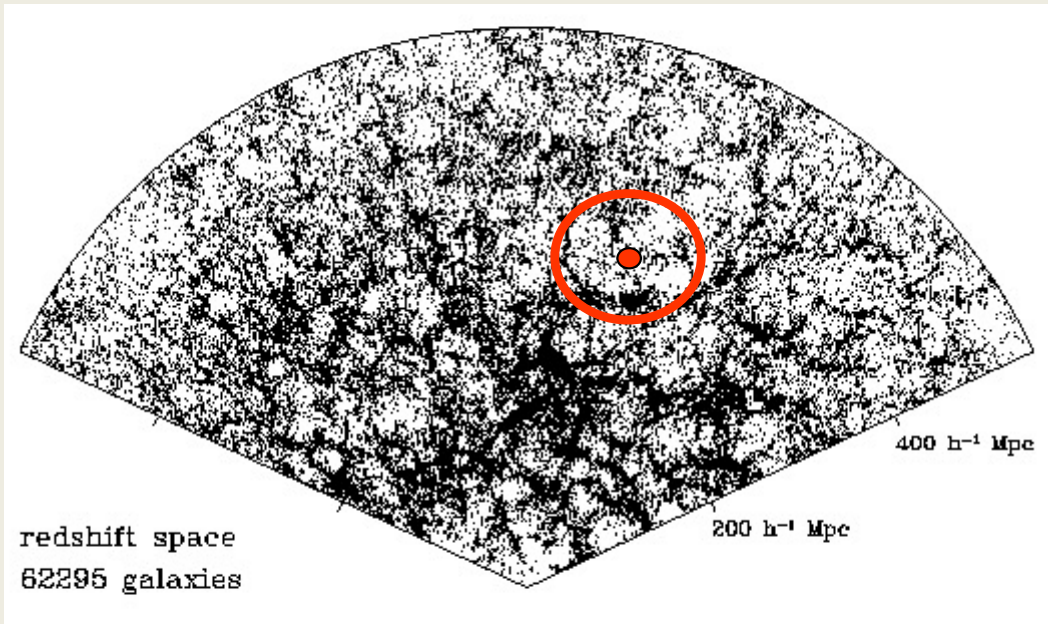
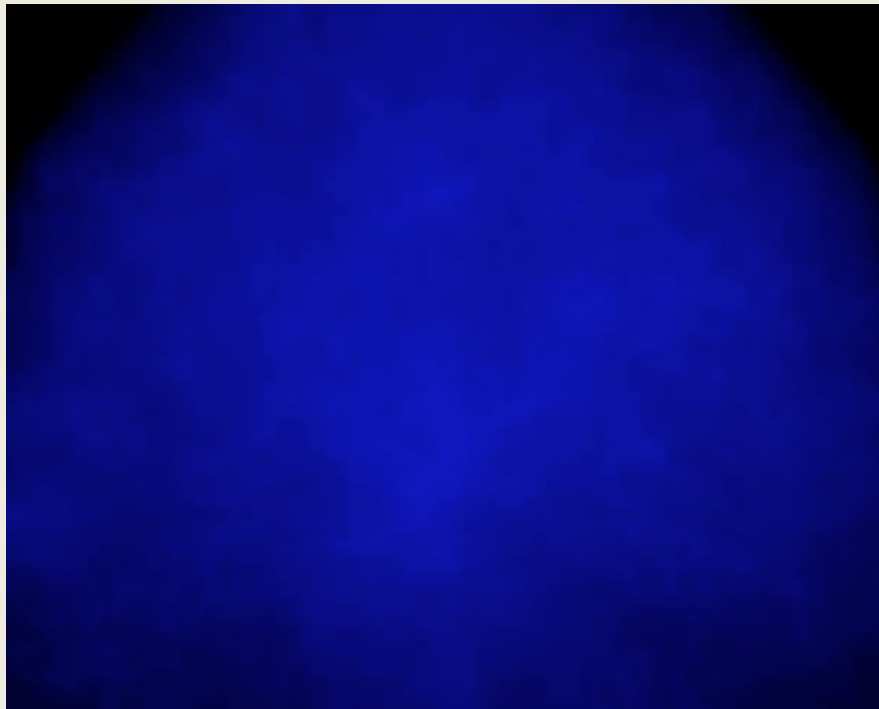
A probe for Dark Energy: Baryonic Acoustic Oscillations



Acoustic propagation of an overdensity:

- Sound wave through relativistic plasma (baryons, electrons, photons).
- Baryon and photon perturbations travel together till recombination ($z \sim 1100$).
- Then, the radius of the baryonic overdensity is frozen at 150 Mpc.

Baryonic Acoustic Oscillations



A special distance:

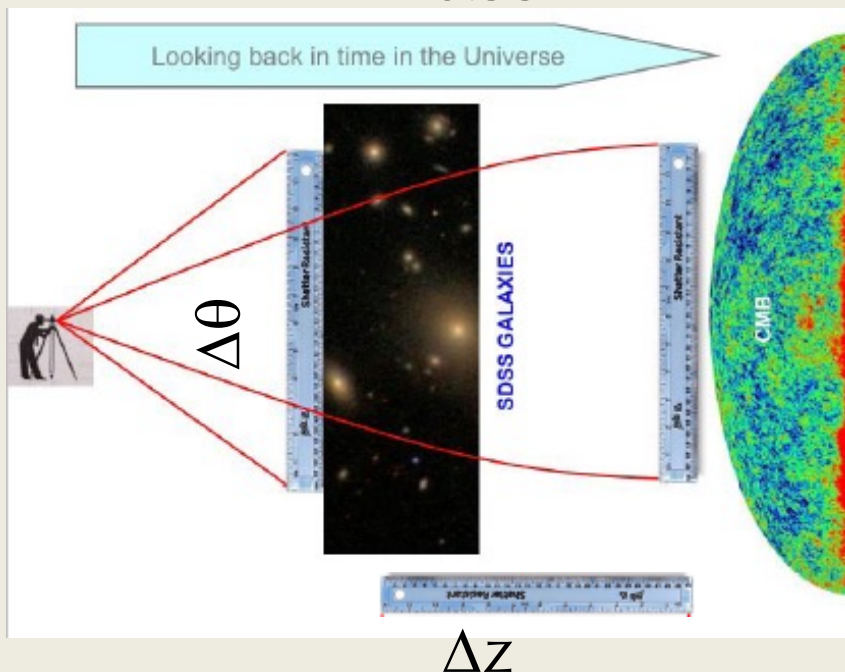
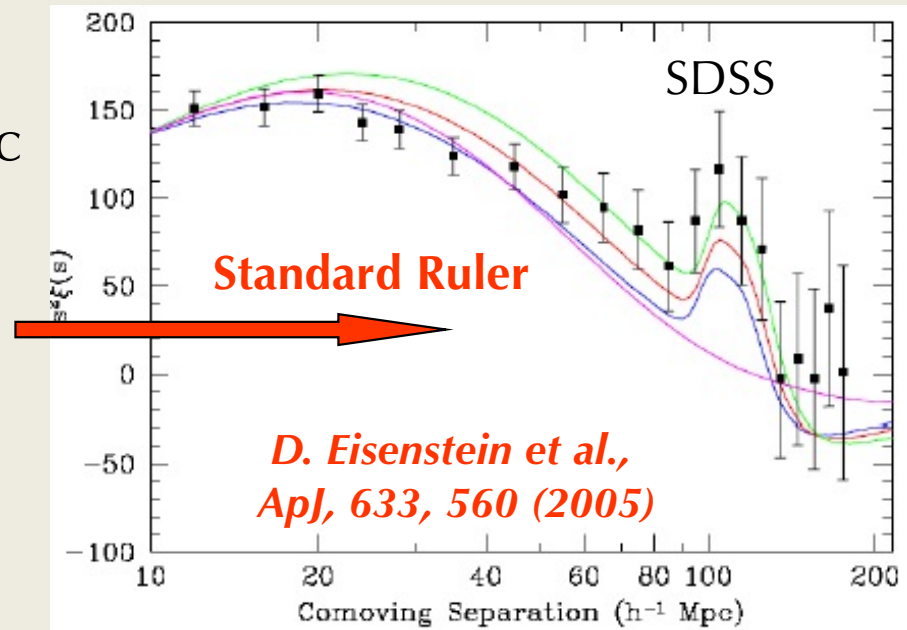
- Galaxies form in the overdense shells about 150 Mpc in radius.
- For all z , small excess of galaxies 150 Mpc (in comoving coordinates) away from other galaxies.

⇒ **Standard Ruler**

Observation of baryonic acoustic peak

First observation:

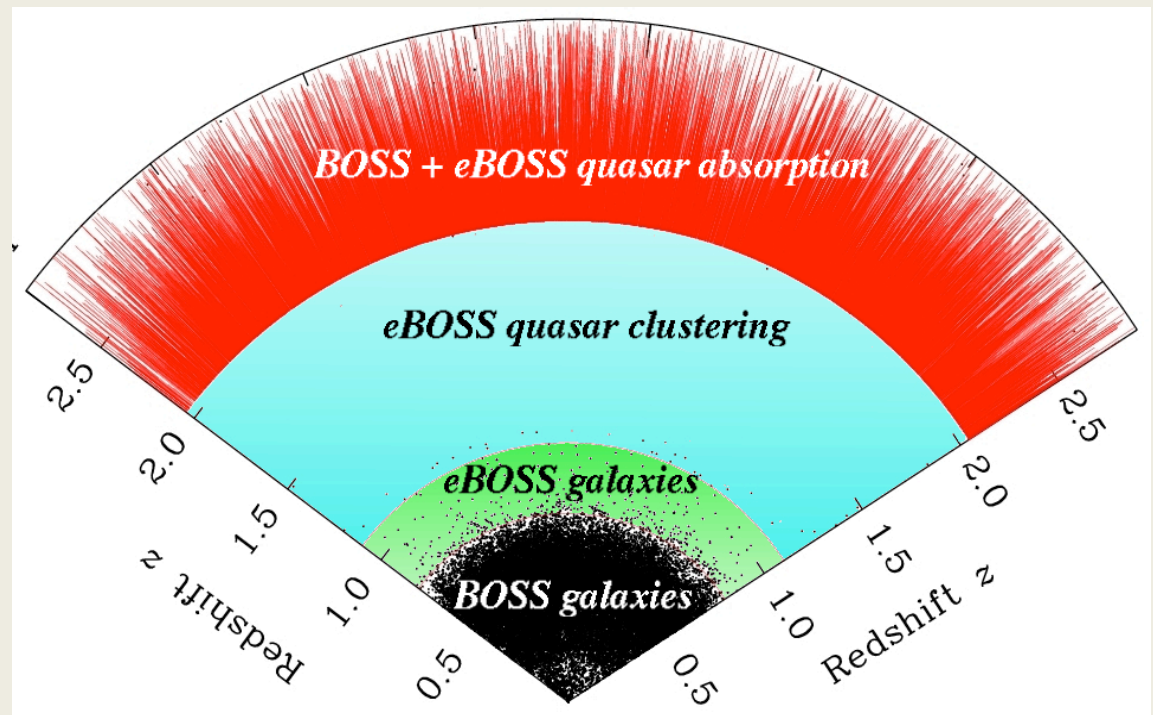
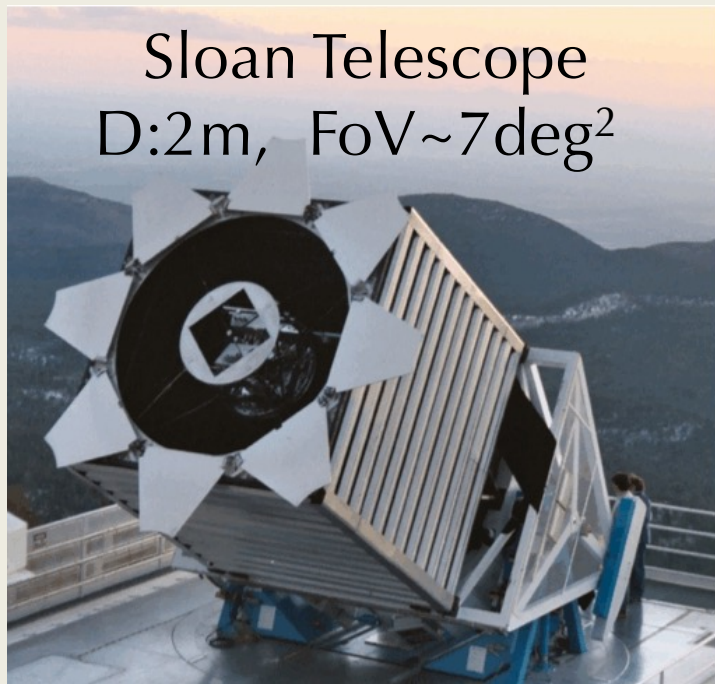
- In 2005: First observations of baryonic oscillations by 2 teams (2dFGRS and SDSS)
- SDSS observe a peak at ~ 150 Mpc
- SDSS: $\sim 50\,000$ LRGs
“Luminous Red Galaxies”
 $\langle z \rangle \sim 0.35$



A 3D measurements:

- Position of acoustic peak
- **Transverse direction:**
 $\Delta\theta = r_s / (1+z) / D_A(z)$
 \Rightarrow Sensitive to angular distance $D_A(z)$
- **Radial direction** (along the line of sight):
 $\Delta z = r_s \cdot H(z) / c$
 \Rightarrow Sensitive to Hubble parameter $H(z)$.

SDSS: 2009-2019



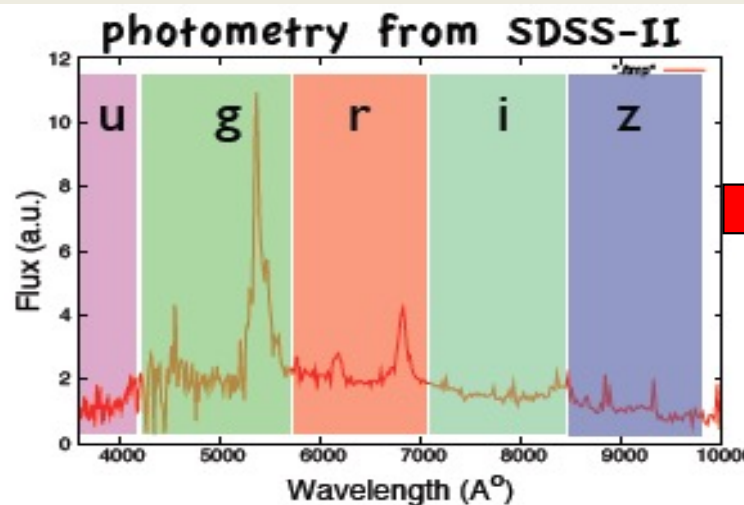
BOSS (2009→2014)

- 1.2 millions of Luminous Red Galaxies (LRG)
 - $0.15 < z < 0.7$
- 170 000 quasars
 - $z > 2.1$, H I absorption)

eBOSS (2014→2019)

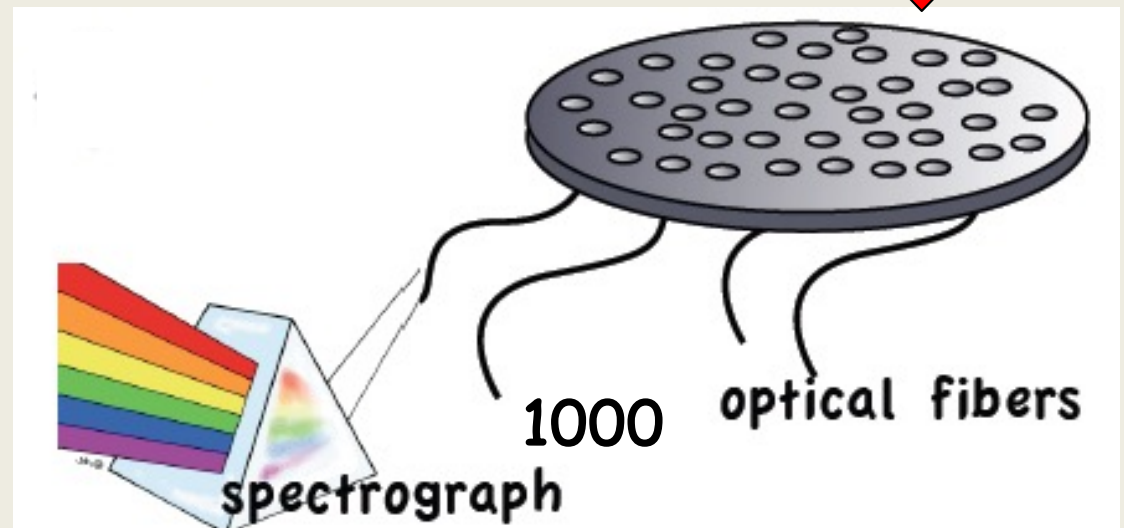
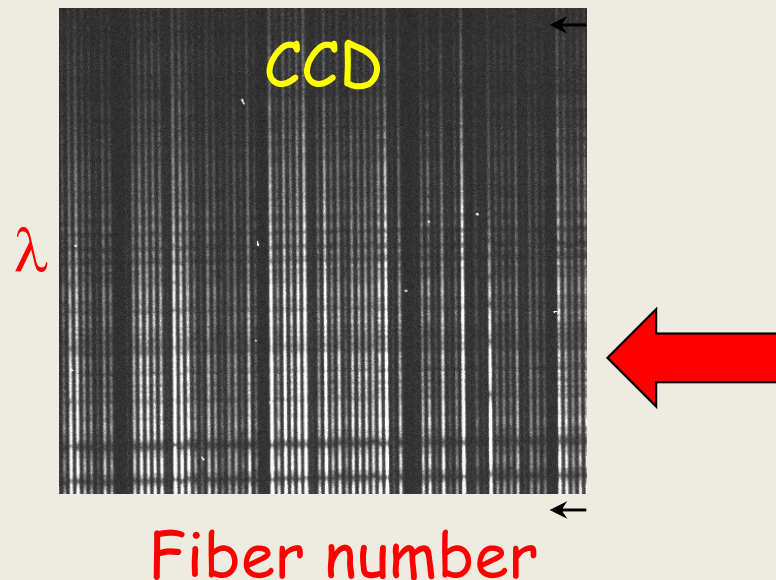
- Redshift of LRG extended to 0.8
- Emission Line Galaxies (ELG): star forming galaxies, $z \sim 0.85$
- Quasars direct tracers
 - $0.9 < z < 2.2$

SDSS Observation Strategy

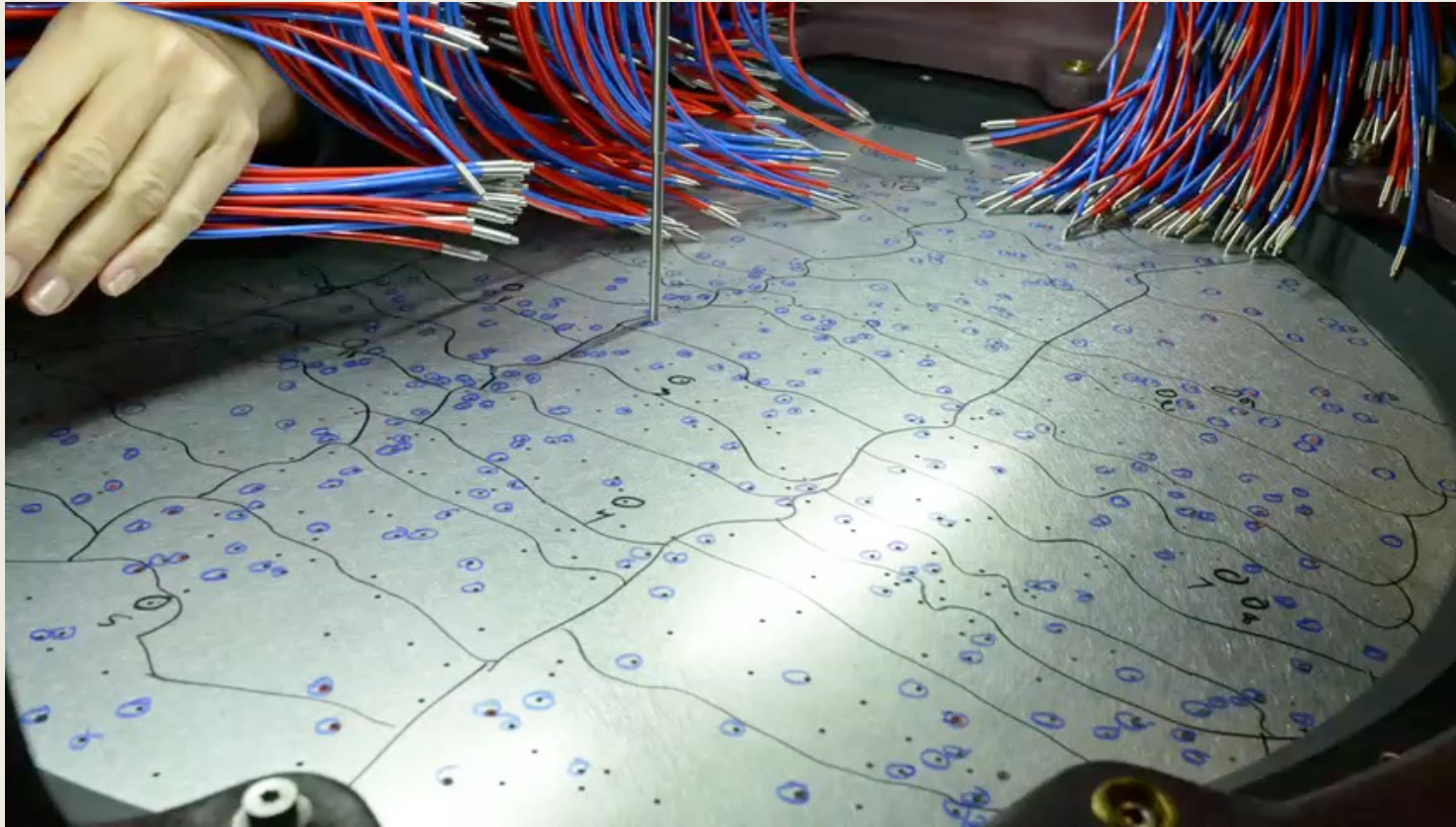


List of targets

SDSS J112253.51+005329.8
SDSSp J120441.73-002149.6
SDSSp J130348.94+002010.4
SDSSp J141205.78-010152.6
SDSSp J141315.36+000032.1
....



Plug and Observe



Several steps (~3 months)

- Target selections
- Drill plates (1000 holes per plate)
- Plug plates on cartridges during day
- Observation of 5-9 cartridges per night.

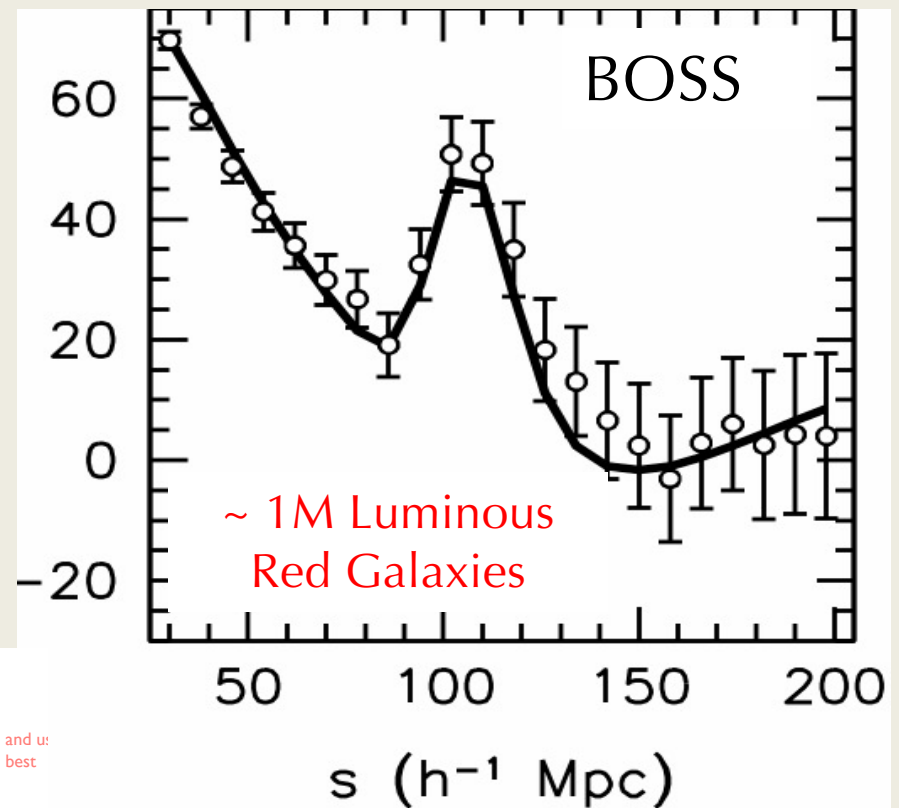
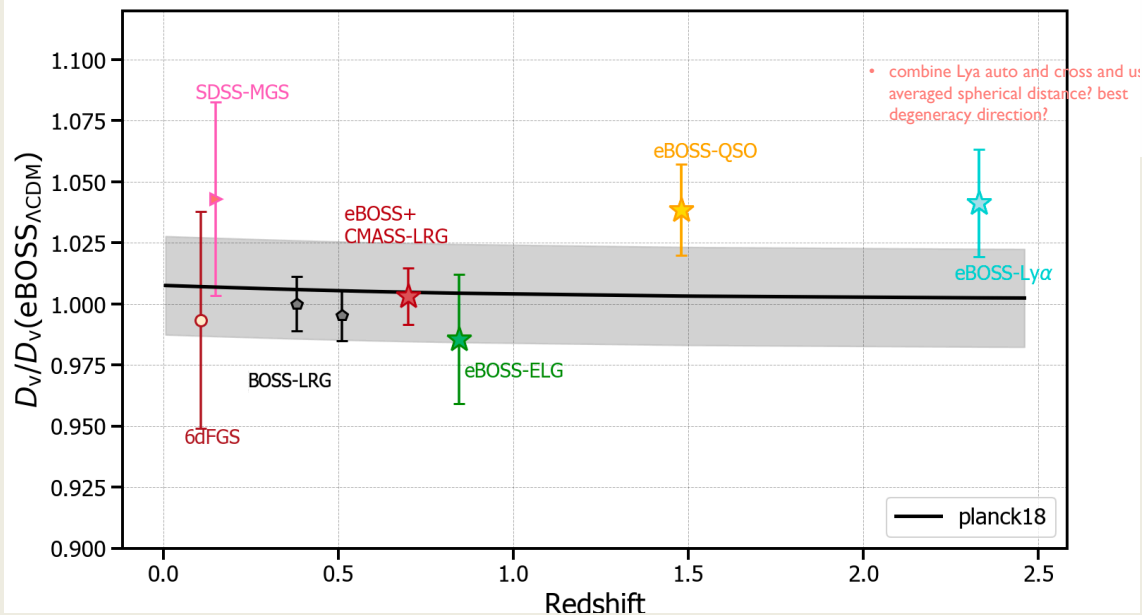
BAO with galaxies and quasars

Confirmation with BOSS in 2012

- Redshift range $0.15 < z < 0.7$
- BOSS-only $8\text{-}\sigma$ observation of BAO

Even better with eBOSS in 2020

- Redshift range $0.15 < z < 2.5$



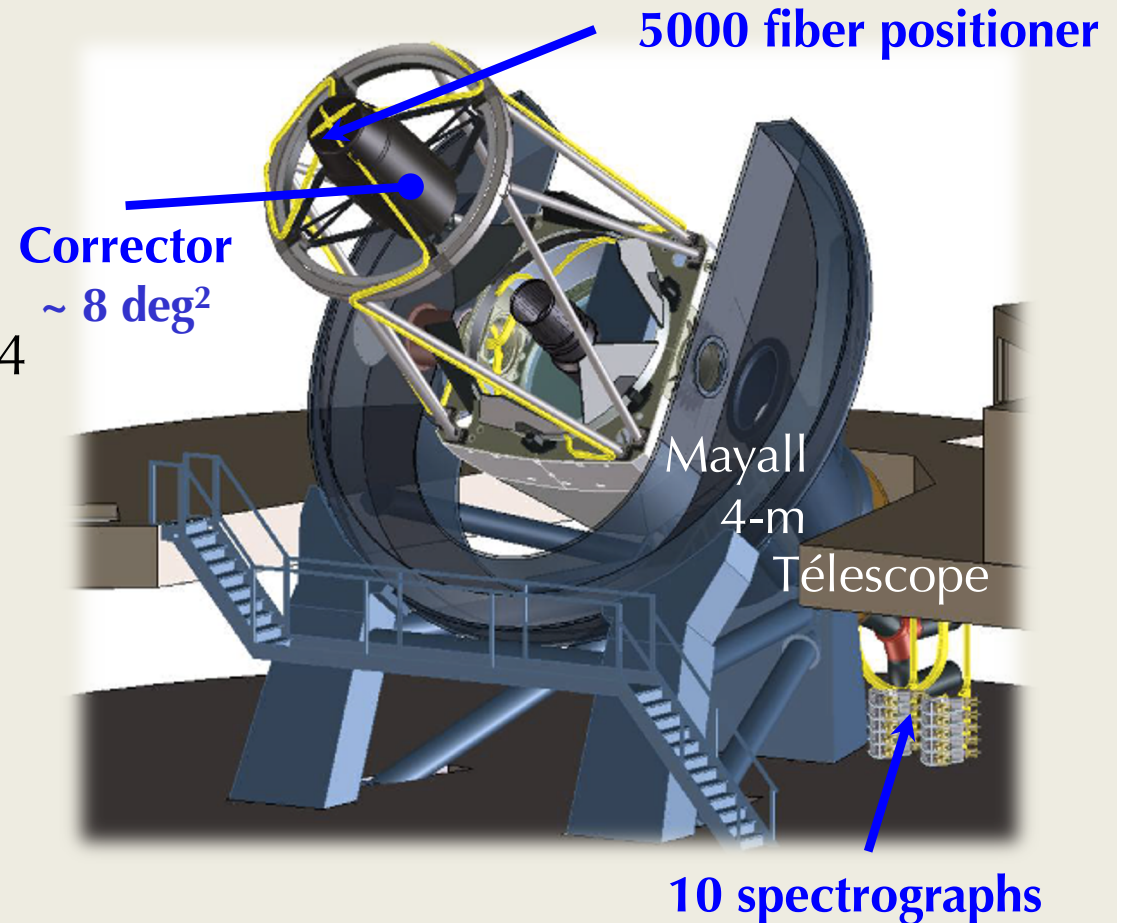
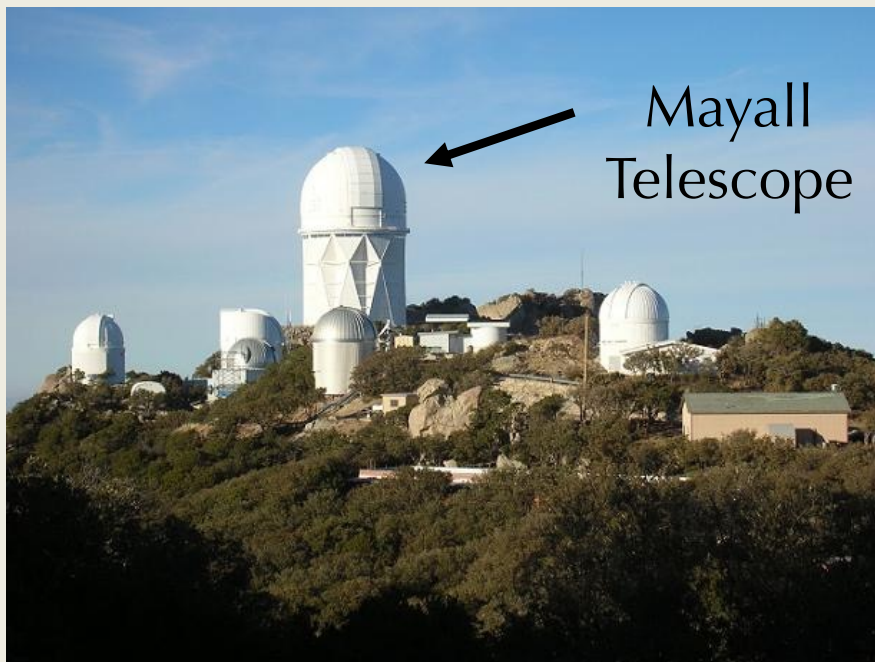
Agreement with Planck

- BAO scales consistent with Planck
- Consistency of cosmological measurements

DESI Project

- **Scientific project**

- 14000 deg² 3D survey for $0 < z < 4$
- International collaboration
- 74 institutions (46 non-US)
- 650 members



- **Instrument**

- 4-m telescope at Kitt Peak (Arizona)
- Wide FoV (~ 8 deg²)
- Robotic positioner with 5000 fibers
- 10 spectrographs x 3 bands (blue, visible, red-NIR) \rightarrow 360-1020 nm

DESI tracers of the Matter

Five target classes

~40 million redshifts

in 5 years

3 million QSOs

Ly-a $z > 2.1$

Tracers $0.9 < z < 2.1$

16 million ELGs

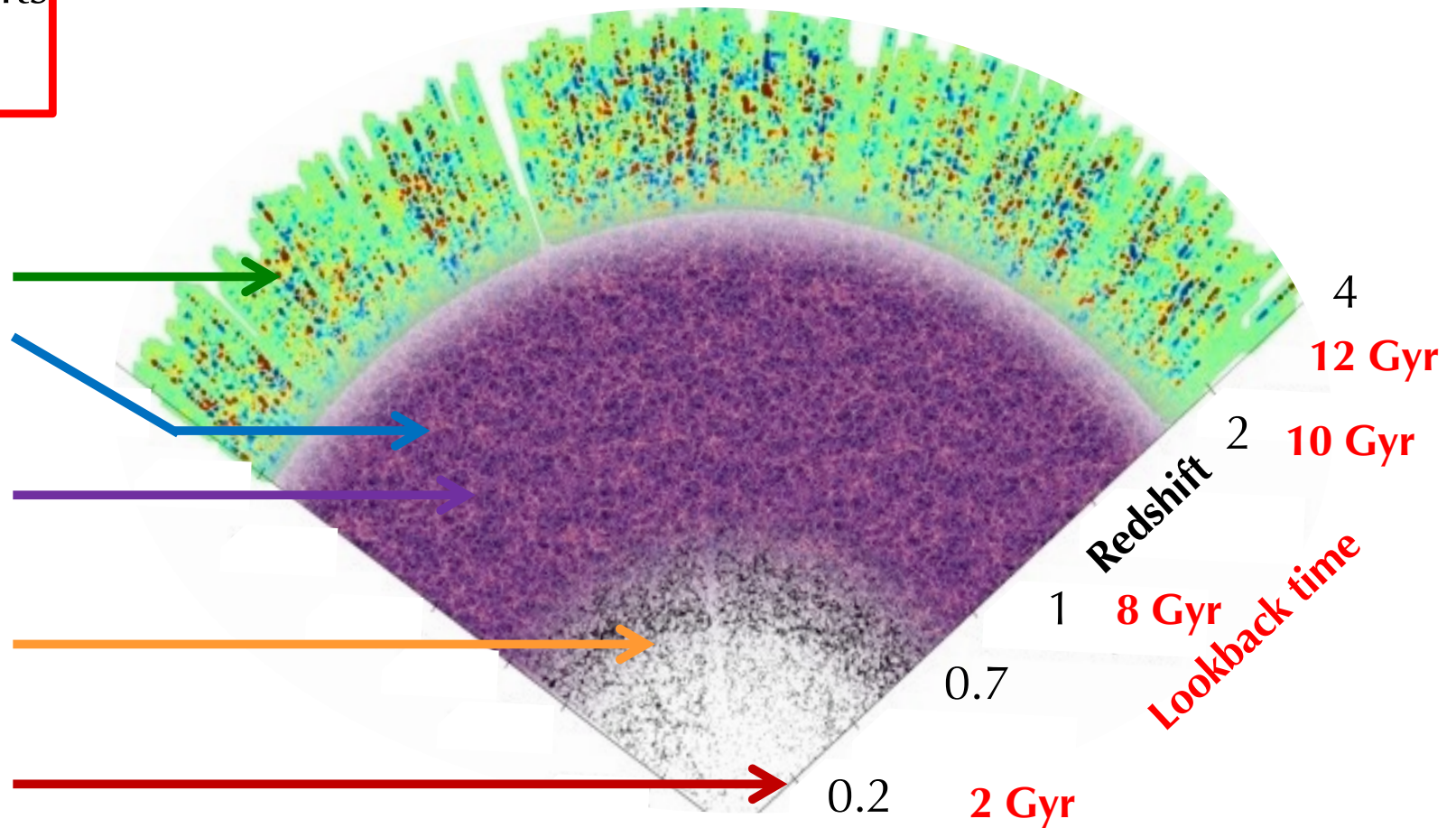
$0.6 < z < 1.6$

8 million LRGs

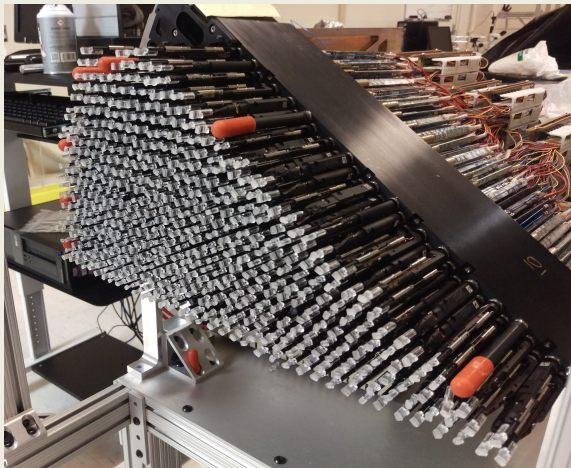
$0.4 < z < 1.0$

**13.5 million
Brightest galaxies**

$0.0 < z < 0.4$

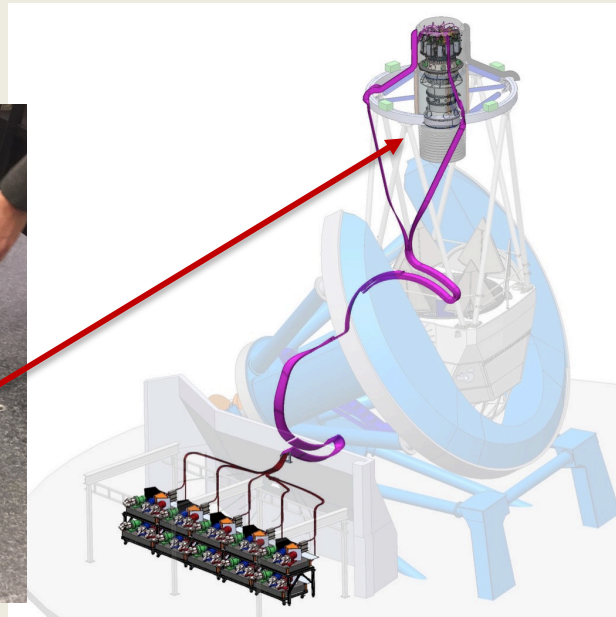
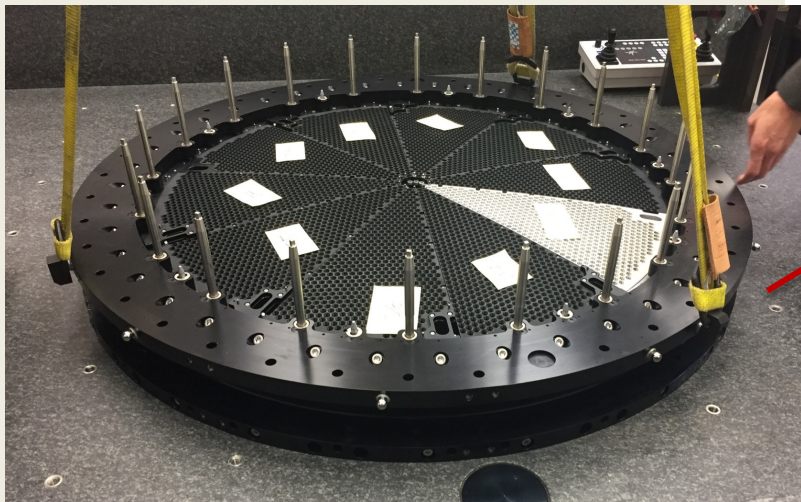
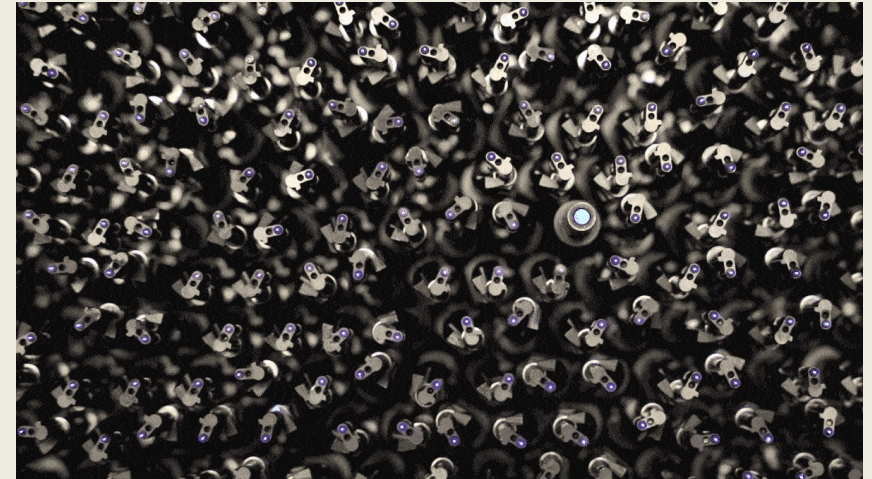


5000 robotic fiber positioners



Configuration

- 10 petals in focal plane
- 500 fibers each petal
- 5000 total
- 10.4 mm pitch
- 2 motors per positioner



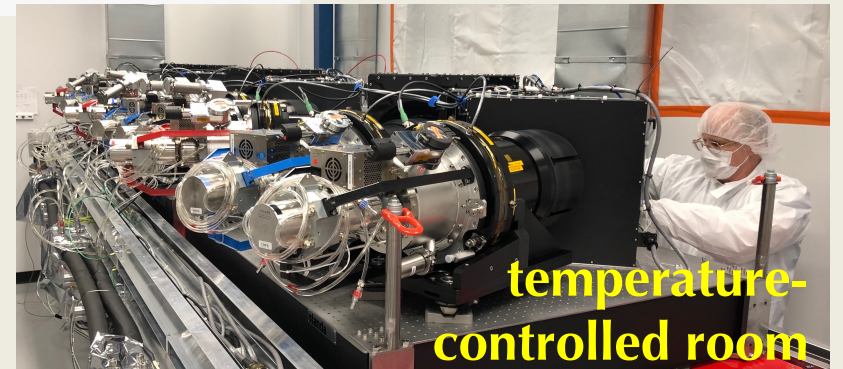
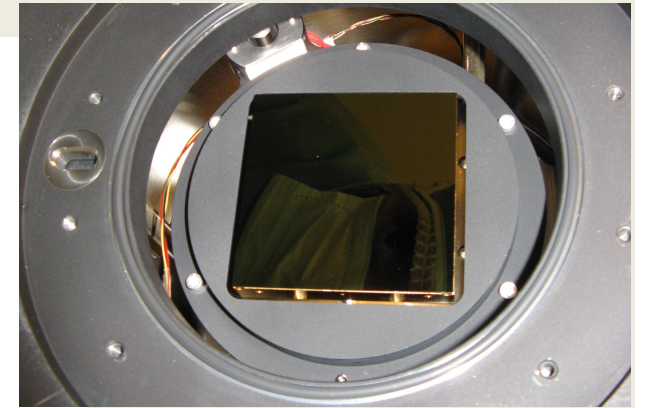
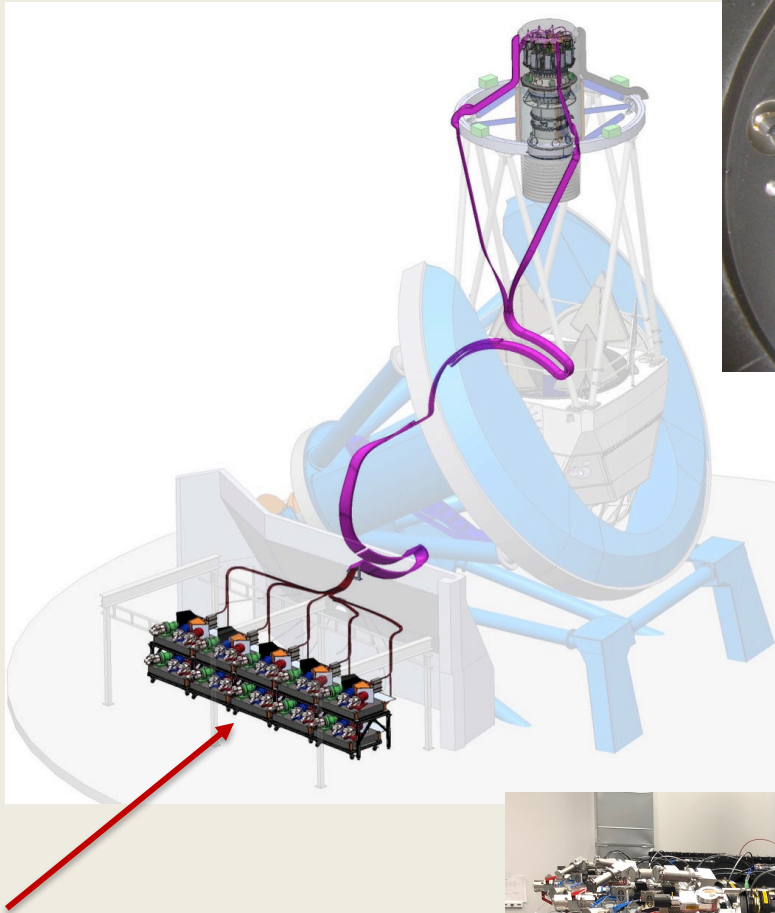
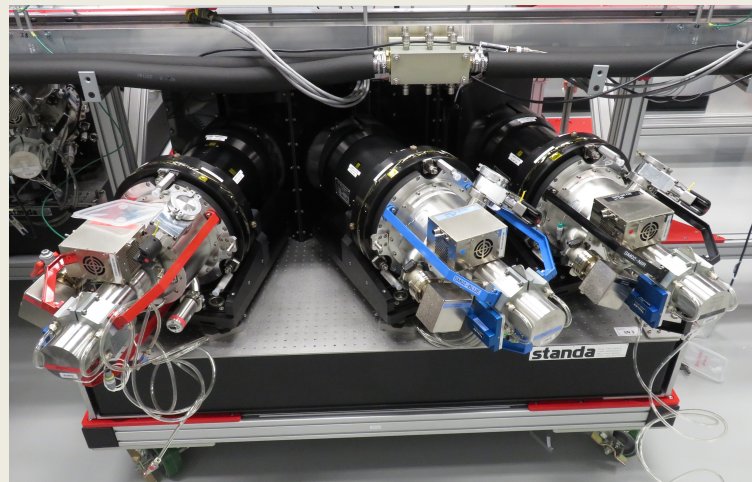
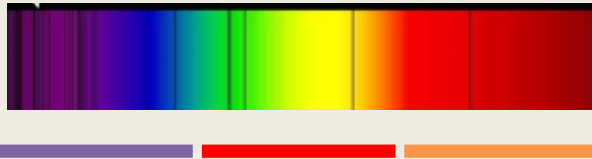
Challenge

- Reposition the 5000 fibers in less than 2mns
- Position of each fiber better than 15 mm

Ten spectrographs

Ten 3-channel spectrographs

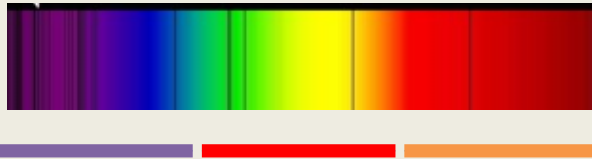
$\lambda = 360 \text{ nm}$ to 980 nm



Ten spectrographs

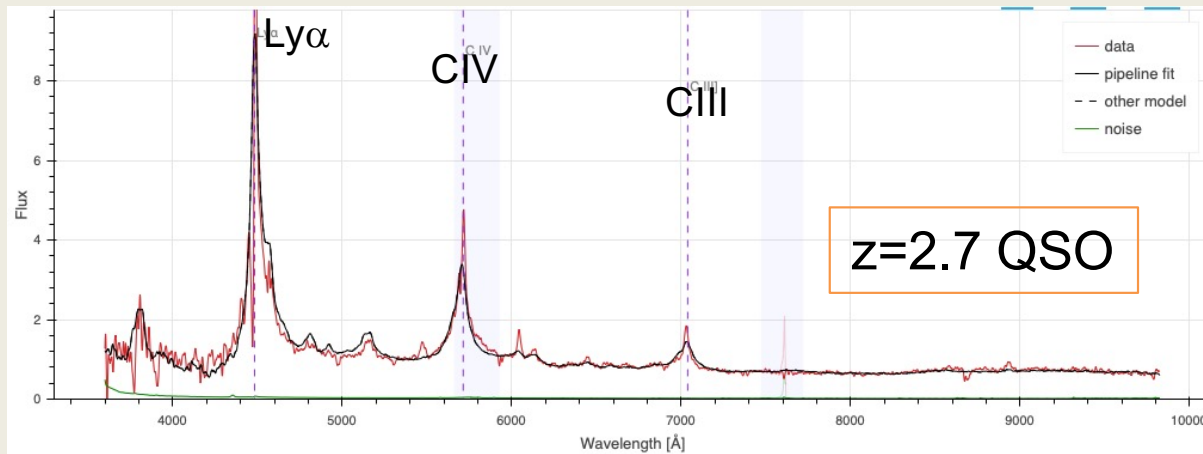
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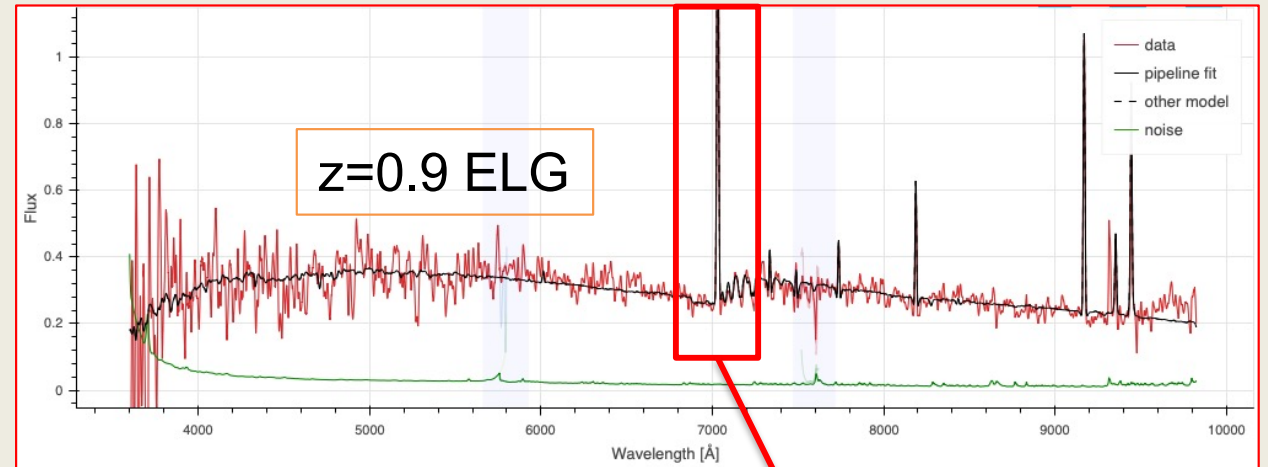


$$z = \frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\lambda_0}$$

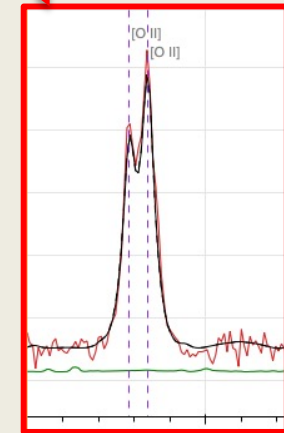
Ly- α 121.6 nm
down to $z = 2.0$



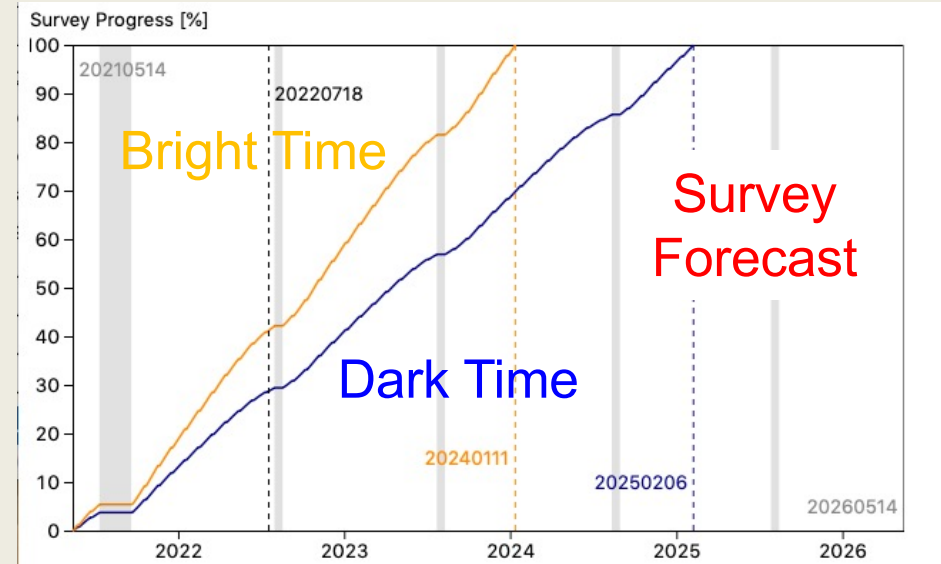
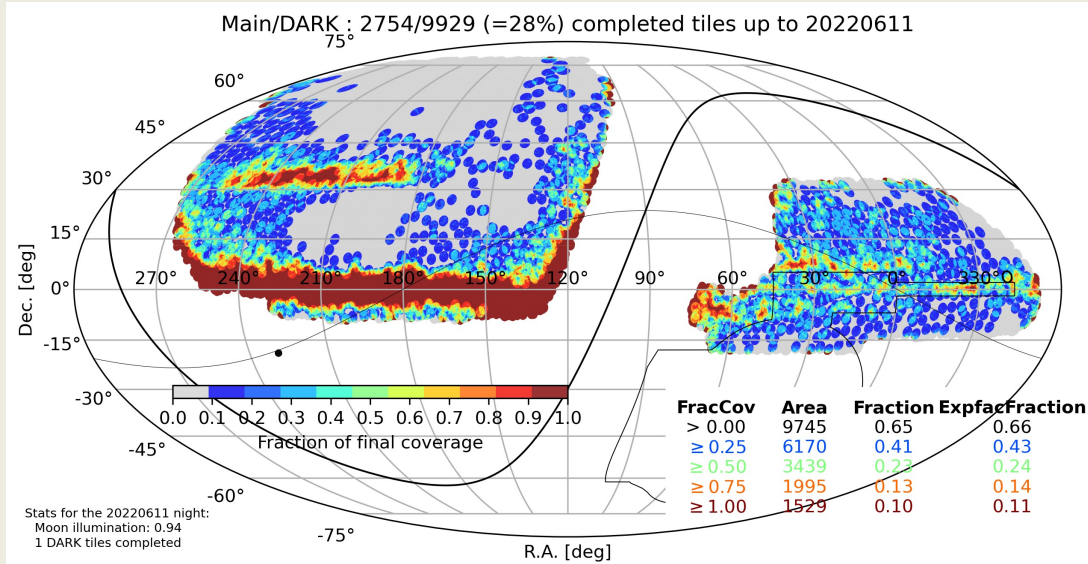
[OII] 373 nm
up to $z = 1.6$



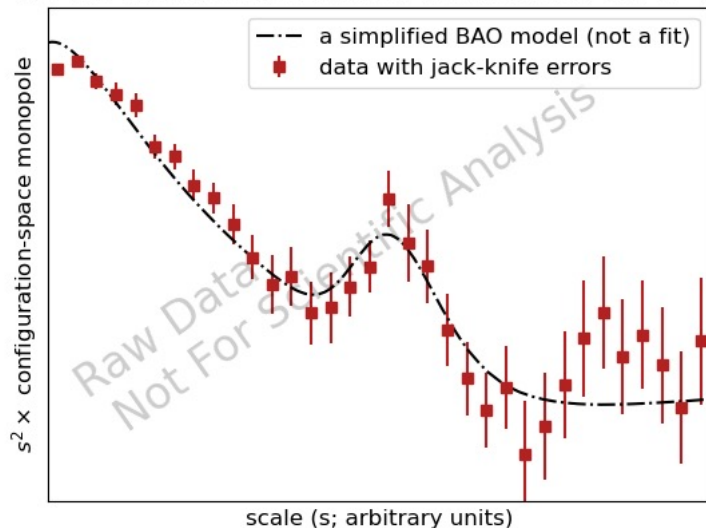
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Current status of DESI



1st two months of DESI LRGs; 262269 with $0.4 < z < 1.1$



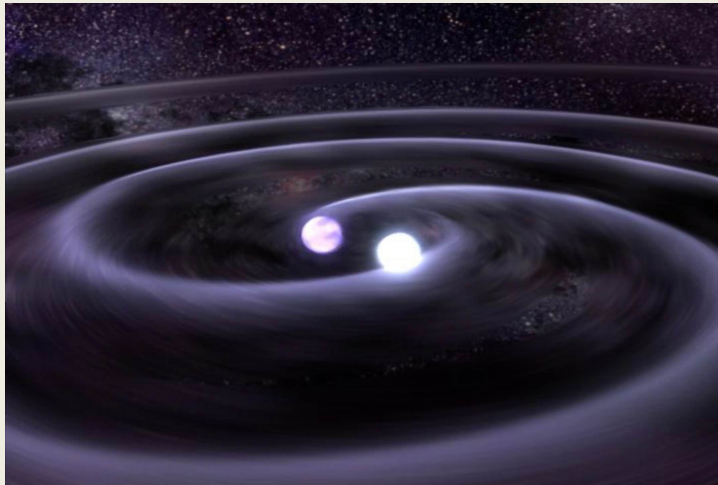
- **Very promising start**

- ~30% already observed in only one year
- But it has been stopped since the end of June (fire at Kitt peak)
- Nice BAO peak observed with only the first two months (LRGs)

The H_0 puzzle

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Future standard sirens



Local measurement of H_0

Distance ladder

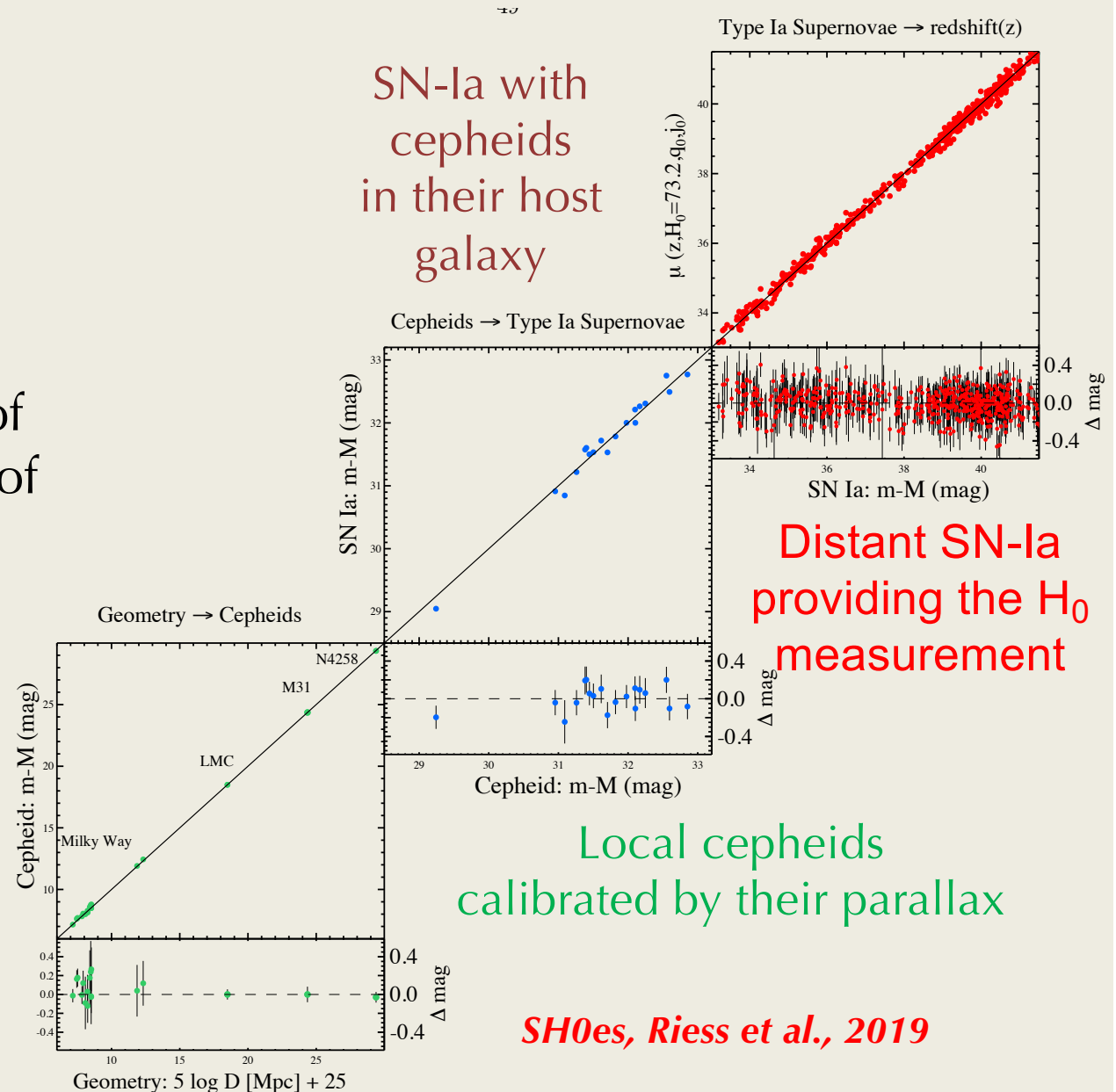
- Parallaxes
- Cepheids
- SN-Ia

Comparison to CMB

- Indirect measurement of H_0 through the evolution of the Univers assuming LCDM since CMB ($z=1100$)

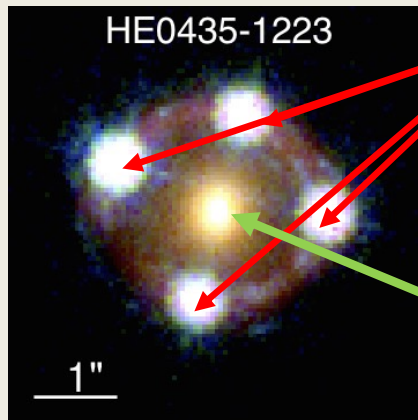
4.4 σ tension

- CMB: $H_0 = 67.4 \pm 0.5$
- SNIa: $H_0 = 74.0 \pm 1.4$



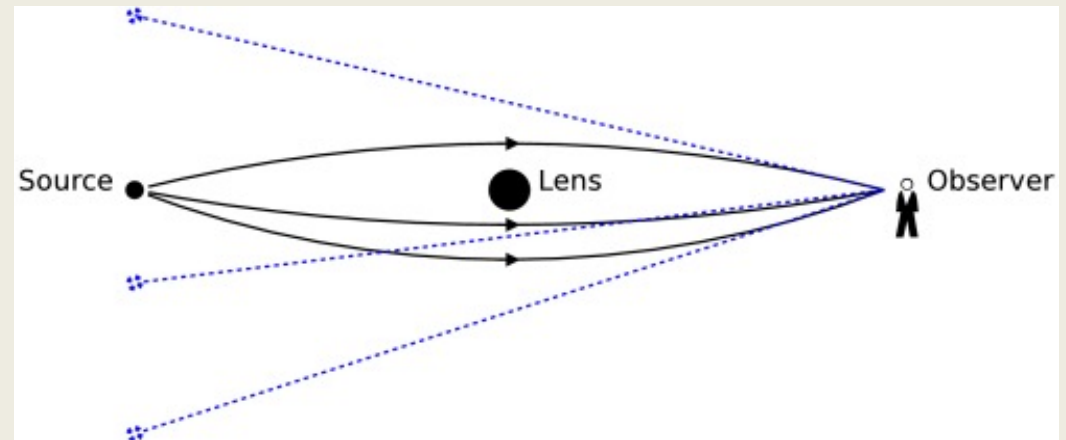
SH0es, Riess et al., 2019

H0licow – lensed quasars



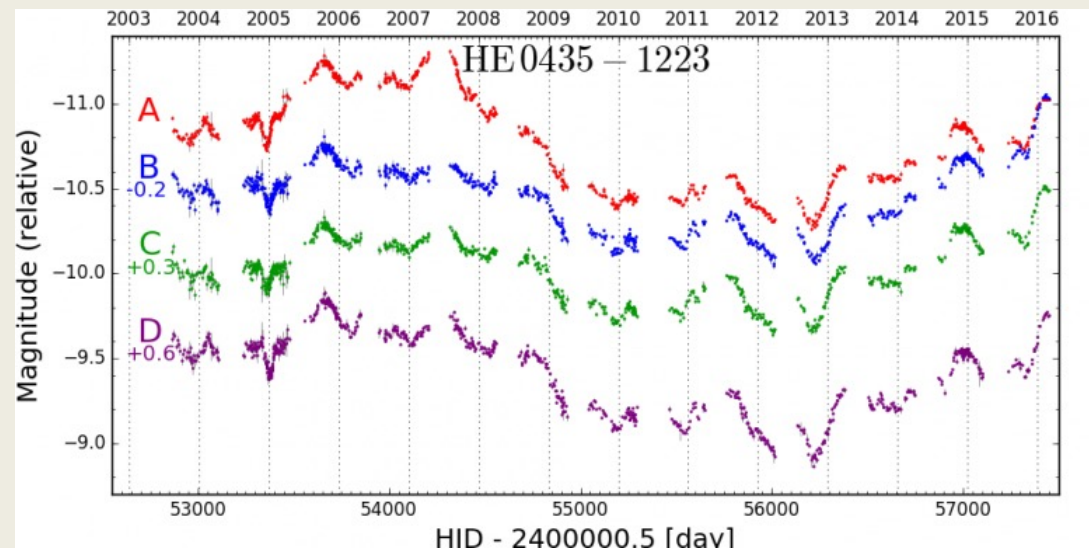
4 images
of the same
quasars

The lens:
a galaxy



Principles

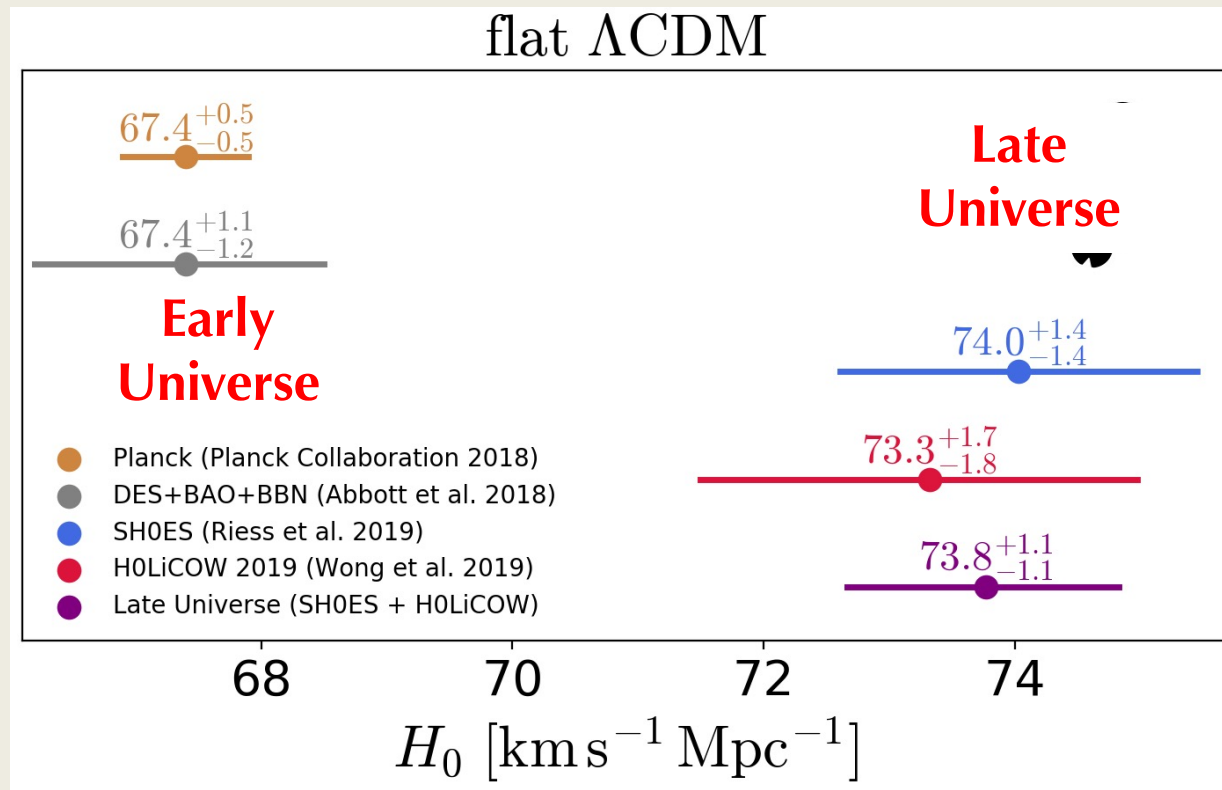
- Study of the time-delay for each image
- Several lensed quasars
- Quasar variability makes time delays measurable
- Time delays: ~ 10 days



Comparison late/early Universe

CMB-Planck

BAO+BBN



SN Ia

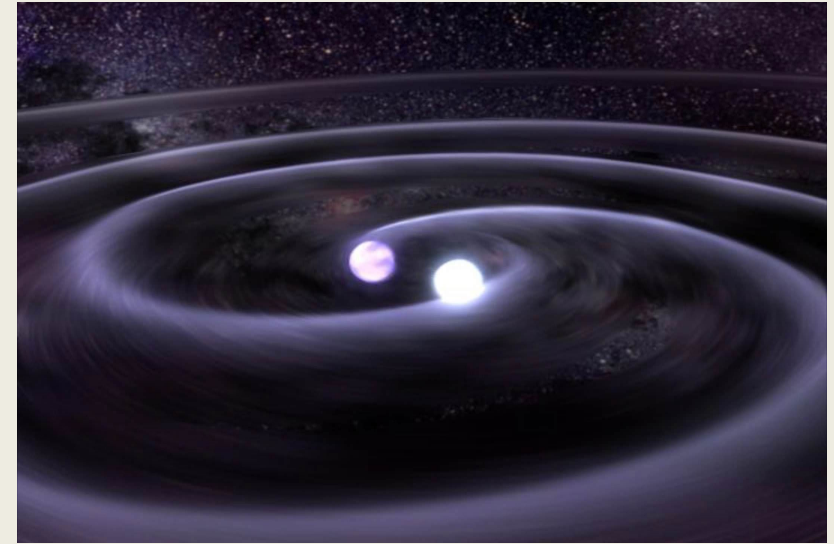
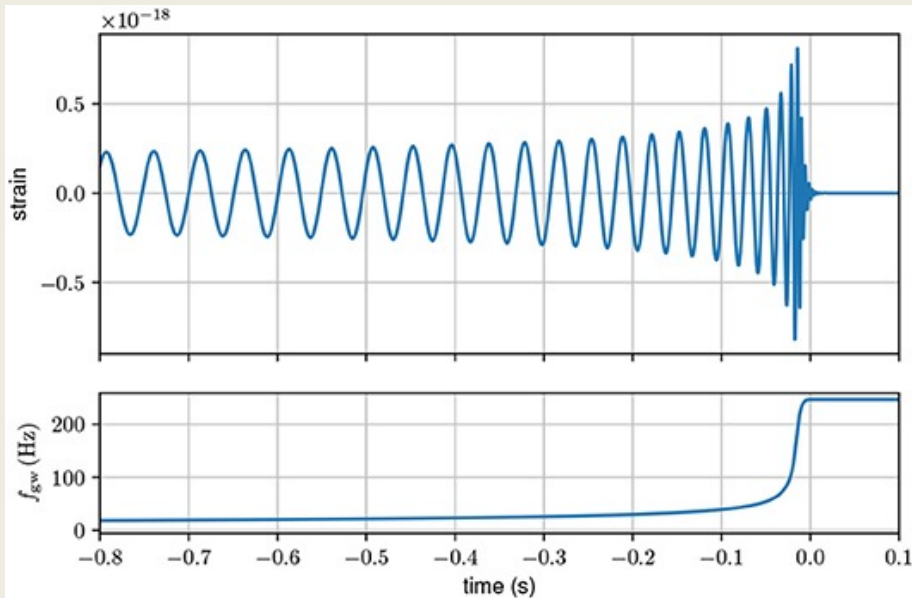
Quasar Lensing

Combined

Interpretation

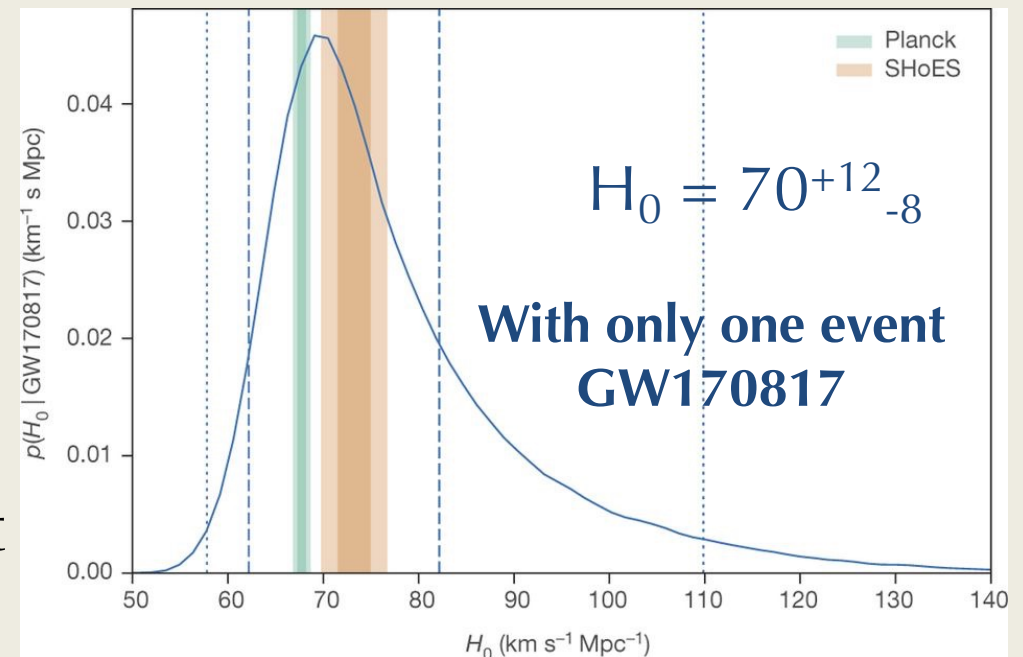
- Significant discrepancy $>5\sigma$, so-called the “ H_0 tension”
- Underestimate of systematic uncertainties
- New models to describe cosmology, typically with evolving Dark Energy model... Early Dark Energy

H_0 and Gravitational Waves?

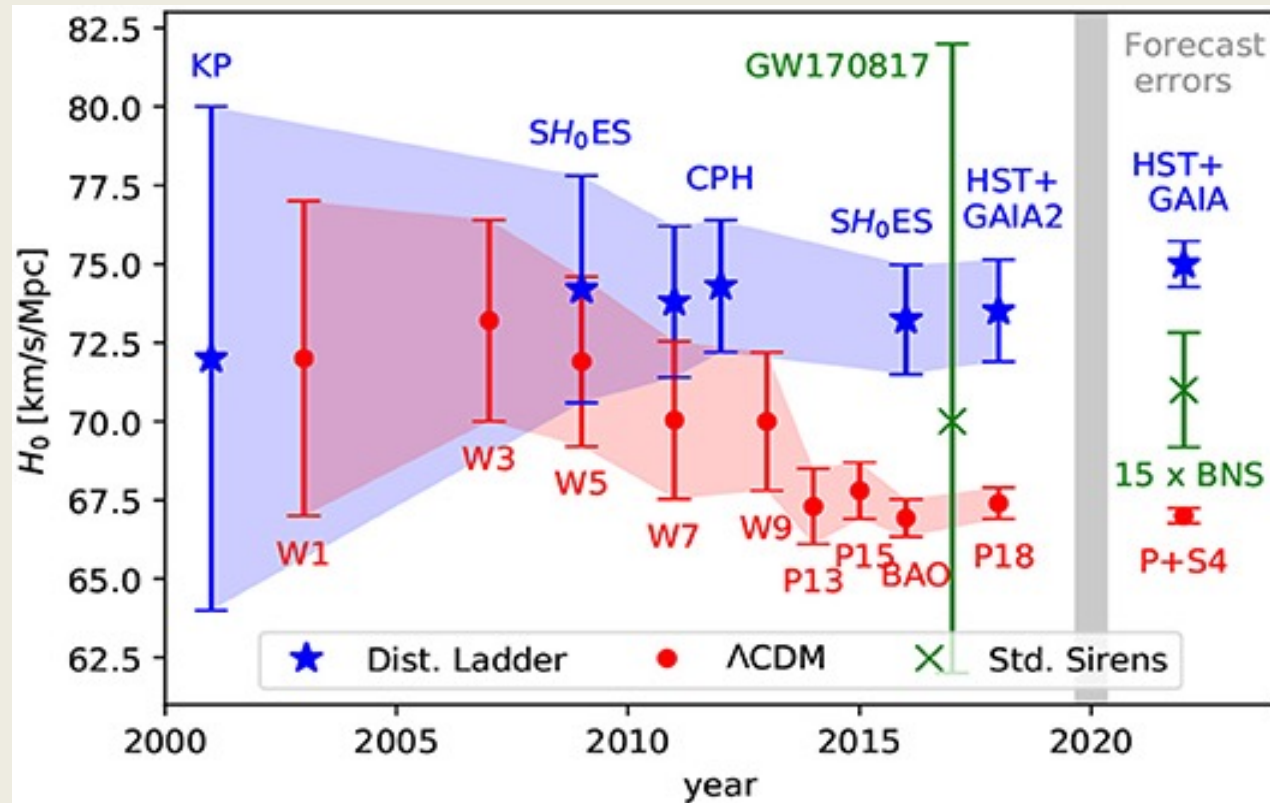


Principles

- Binary neutron star merger
- Measurement of distance with the GW amplitude (strain)
- Measurement of the redshift with the optical counterpart (host galaxy)
- **Standard sirens**



Future with standard sirens



Prospects

- Measurement at 10% with one BNS (GW170817)
- Several BNS merger expected by year
- Expect a few % of accuracy within a few years
- But, in O3: April 2019-March 2020 only 2-3 BNS alerts
- None with EM counterpart