



Neutrinos in the era of precision Cosmology



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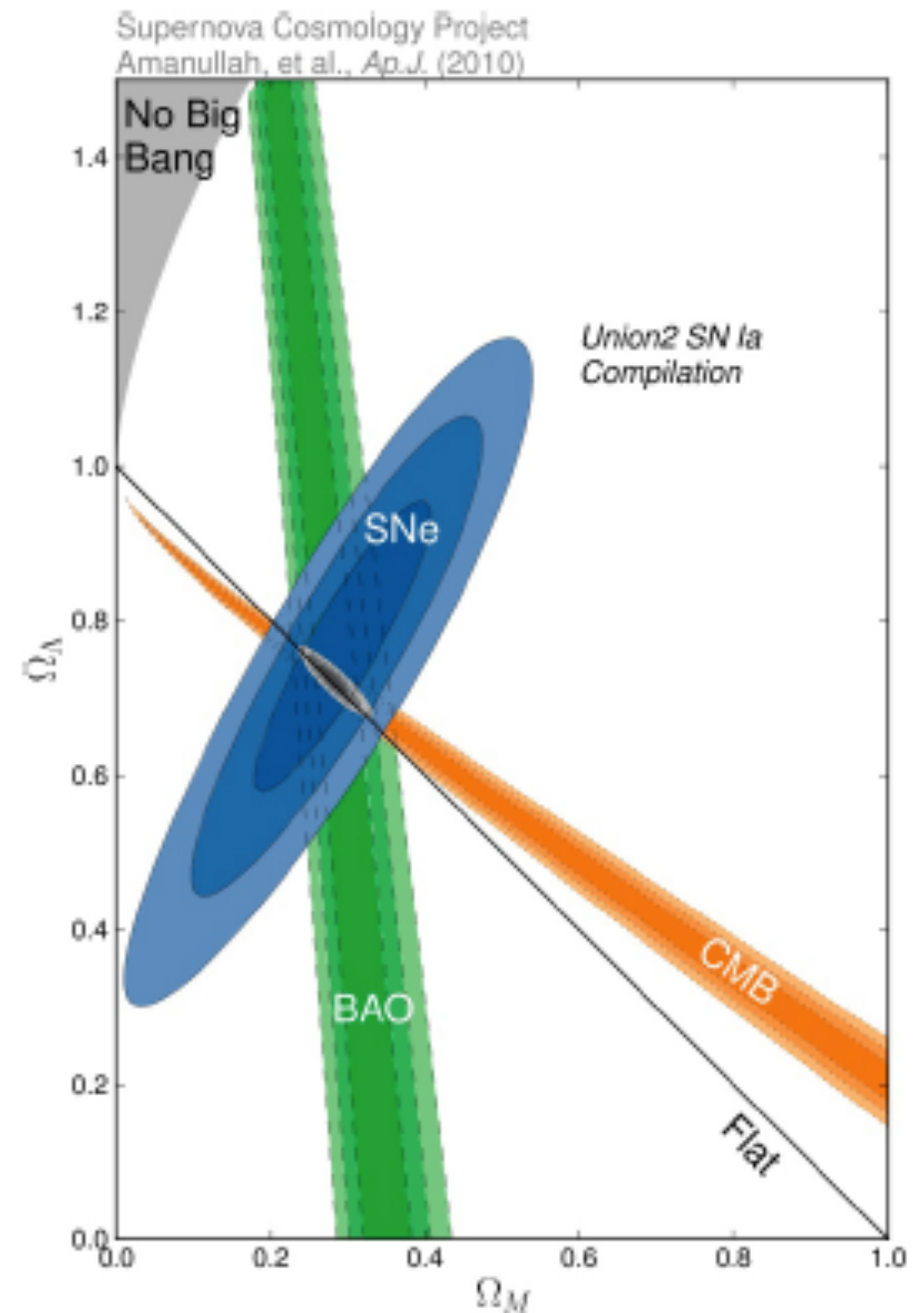


The vanilla model: Λ -CDM

- matter primordial perturbation (scalar, adiabatic)
 $P_s(k) = A_s \left(\frac{k}{k_0}\right)^{n_s-1}$
- expansion rate H_0 (or angular size of the sound horizon θ_s)
- optical depth to reionisation: τ
- energy density of baryons and cold dark matter $\Omega_b h^2$, $\Omega_c h^2$ (or dark energy $\Omega_\Lambda h^2$)
- flat universe: $\Omega_\Lambda = 1 - \Omega_m$

Cosmic Microwave Background + Baryon Acoustic Oscillations + Supernovae

Concordance model: $\Omega_\Lambda \sim 0.7$, $\Omega_m \sim 0.3$

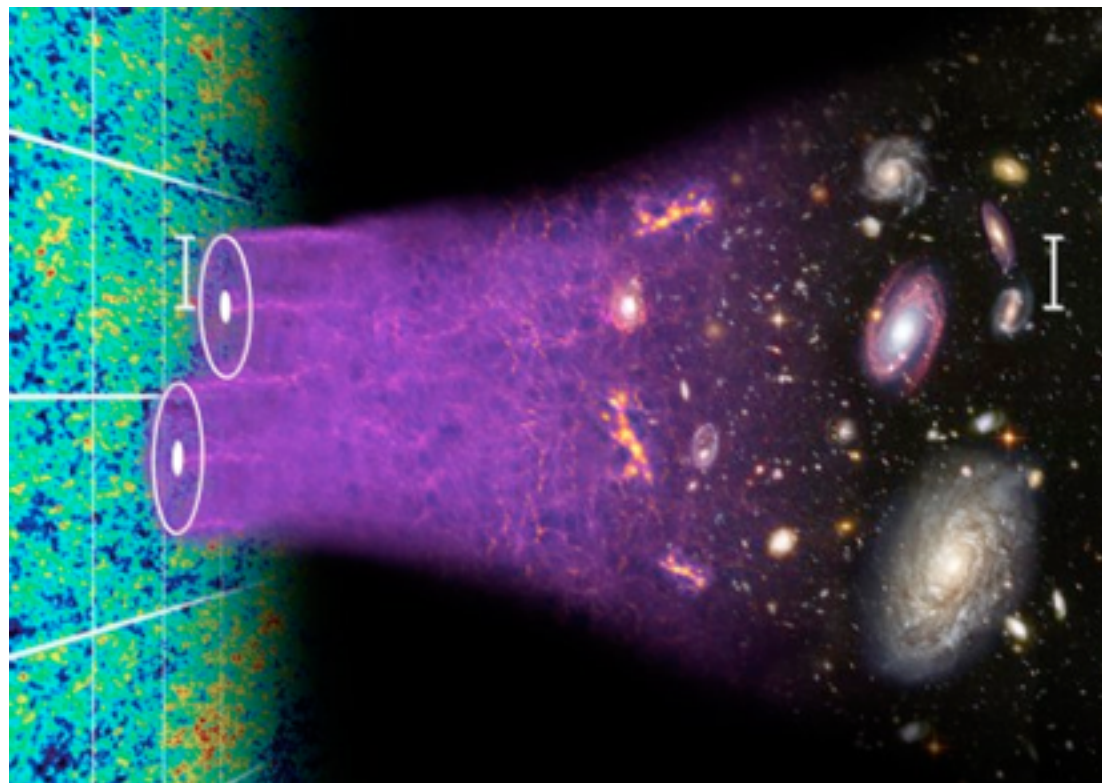
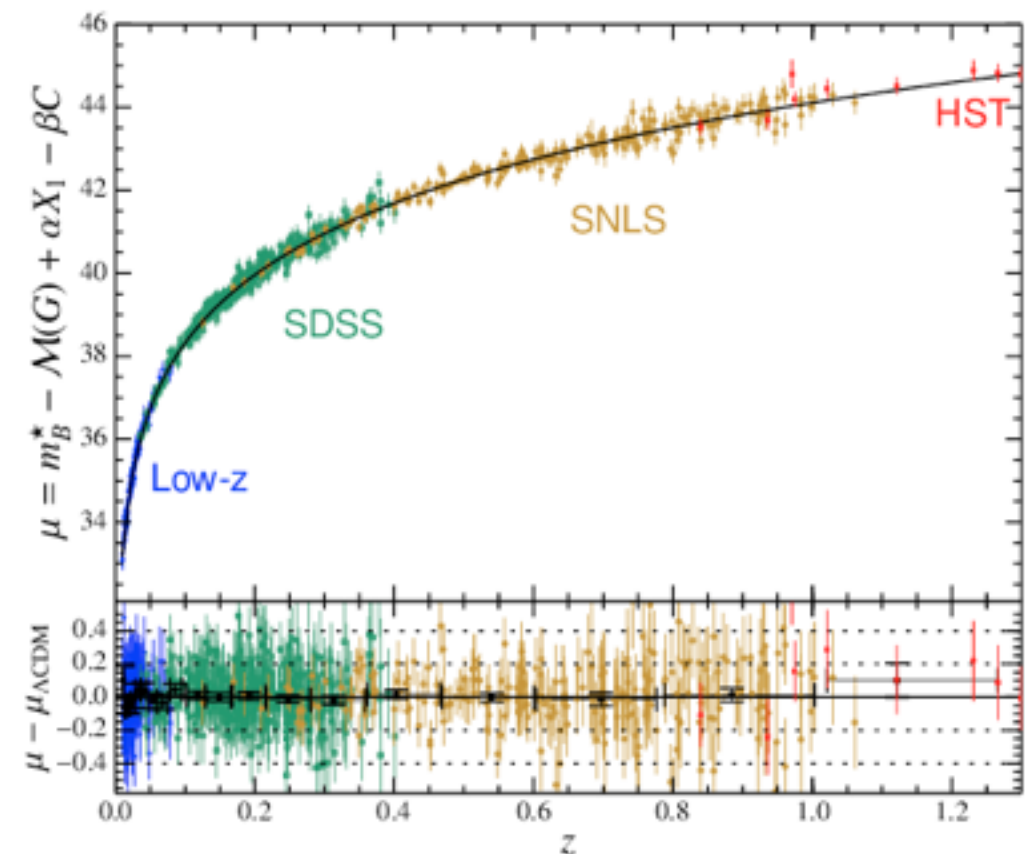


(Late times) cosmological probes

Supernovae Ia

- standard candles
- fundamental in discovering the acceleration of the Universe
- give constraints on Ω_m

JLA compilation -Betoule et al 2014



Baryon Acoustic Oscillations (BAO):

- imprint on present structures of acoustic waves in primordial fluid
- measure angular diameter distance $D_A(z)$, $H(z)$ and RSD

BOSS-SDSS collaboration results

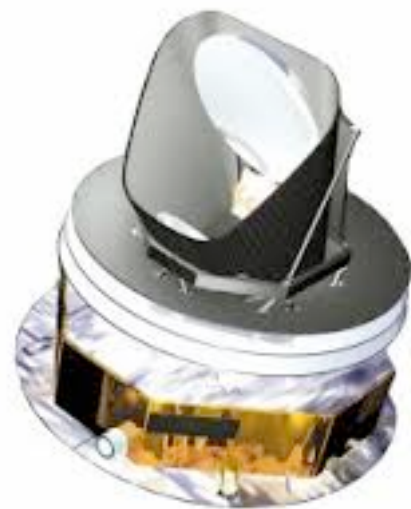
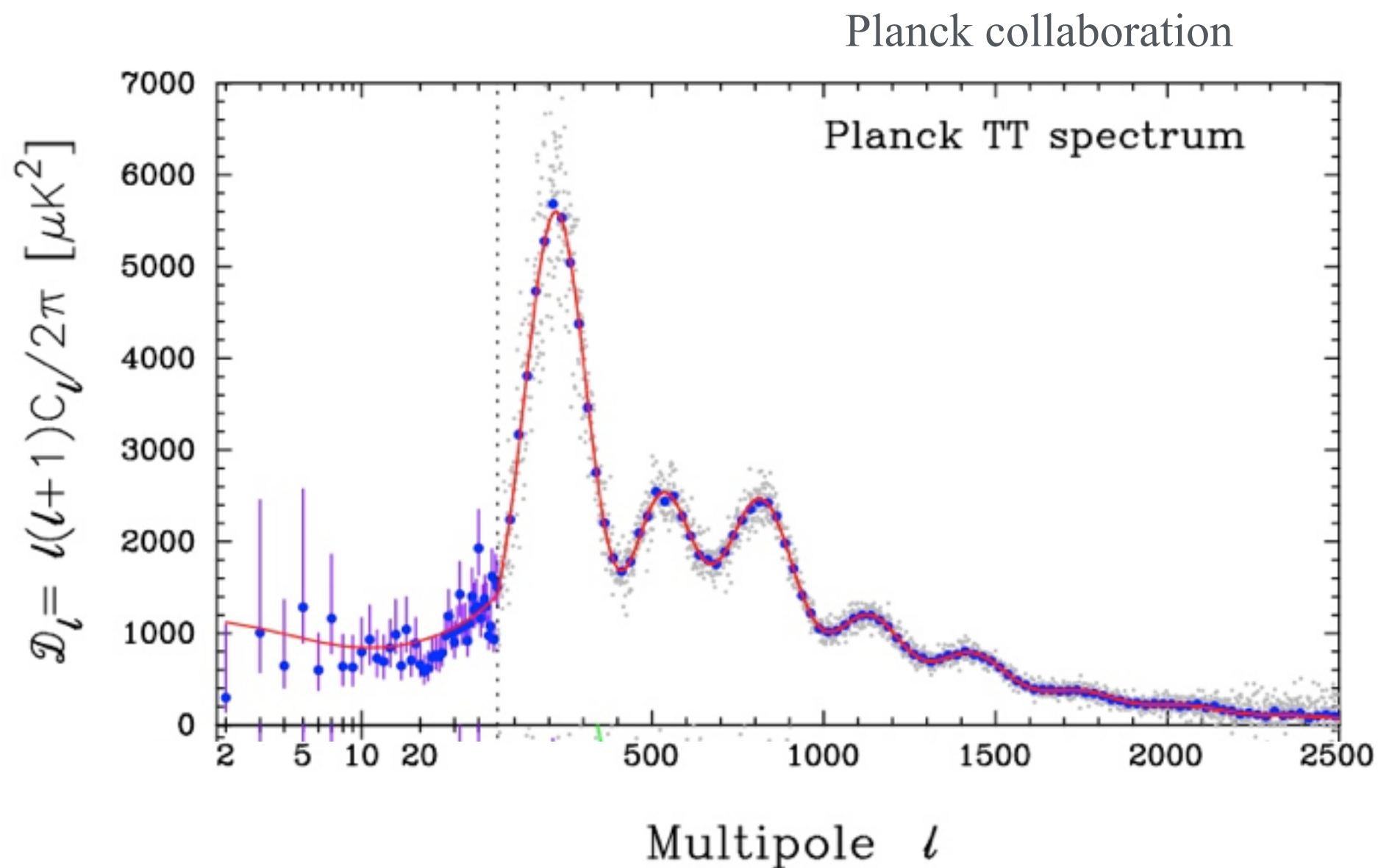


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The (early times) cosmological probe

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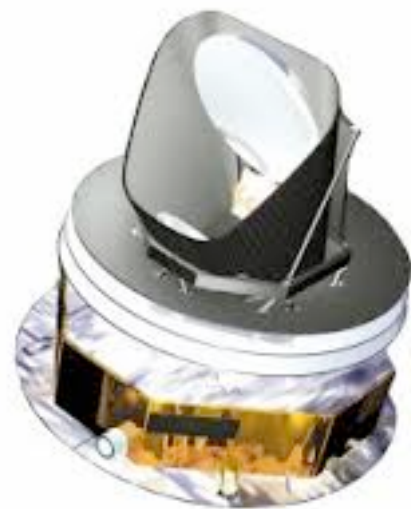
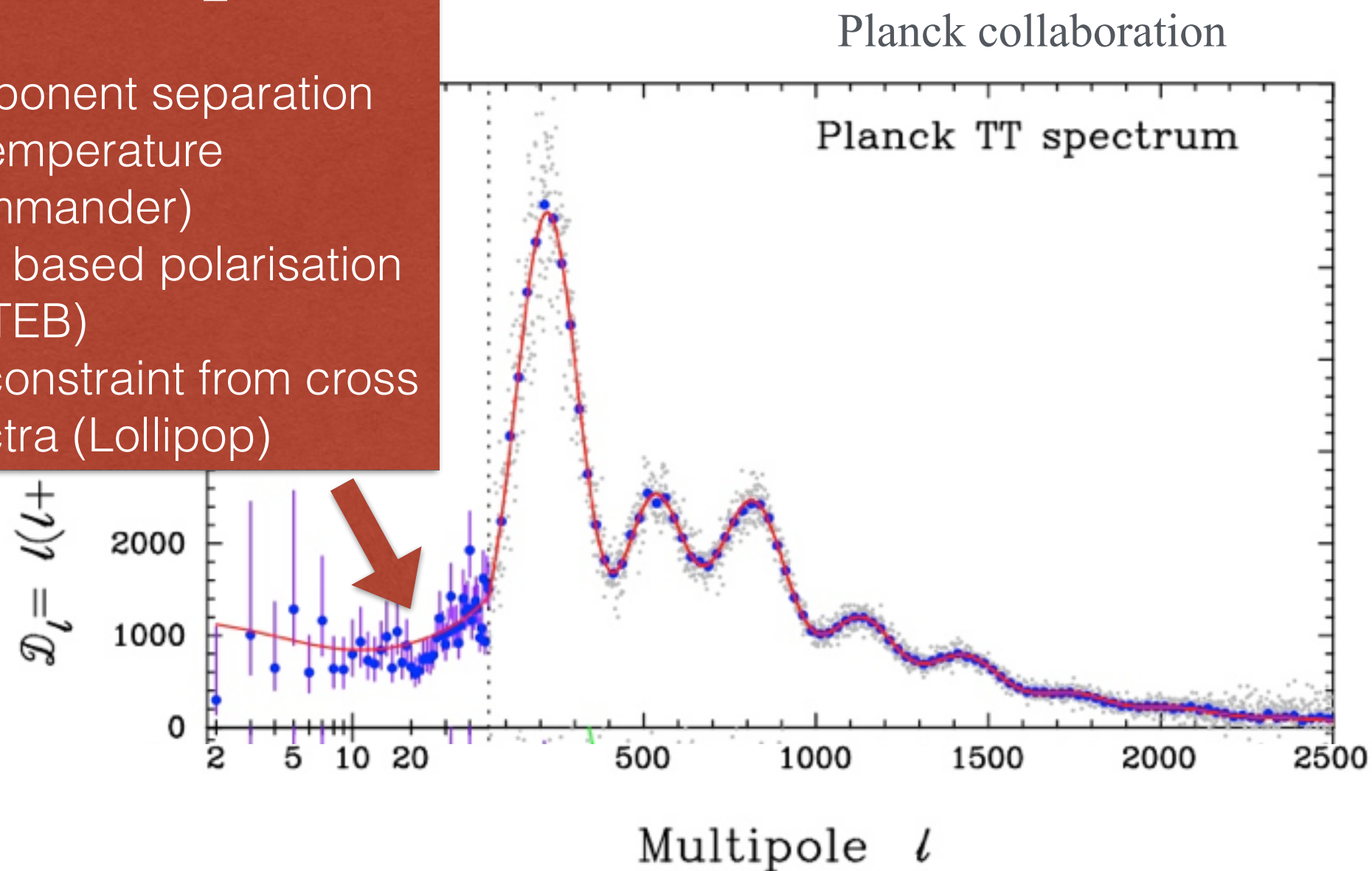


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constraint on A_s and τ

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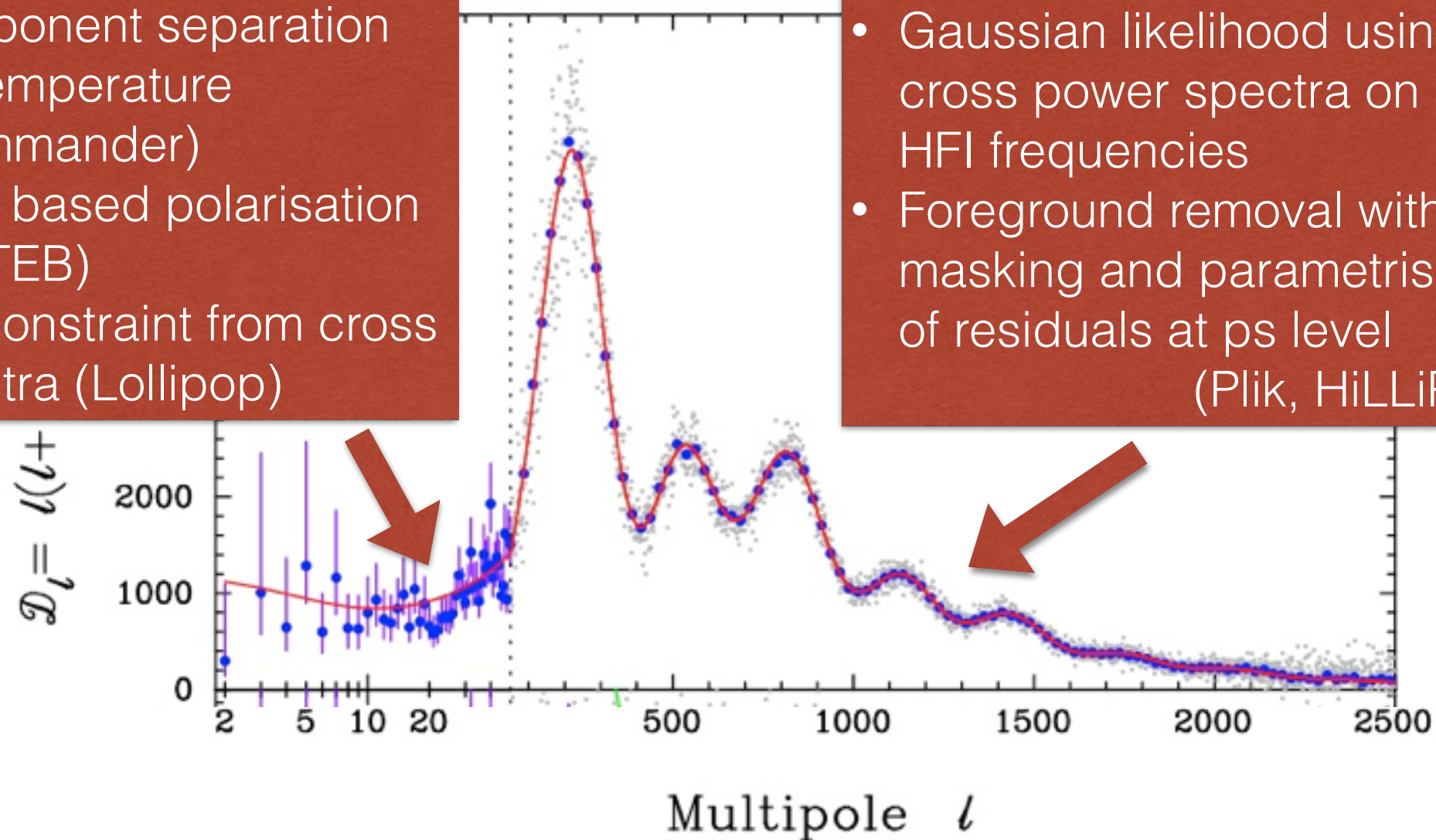
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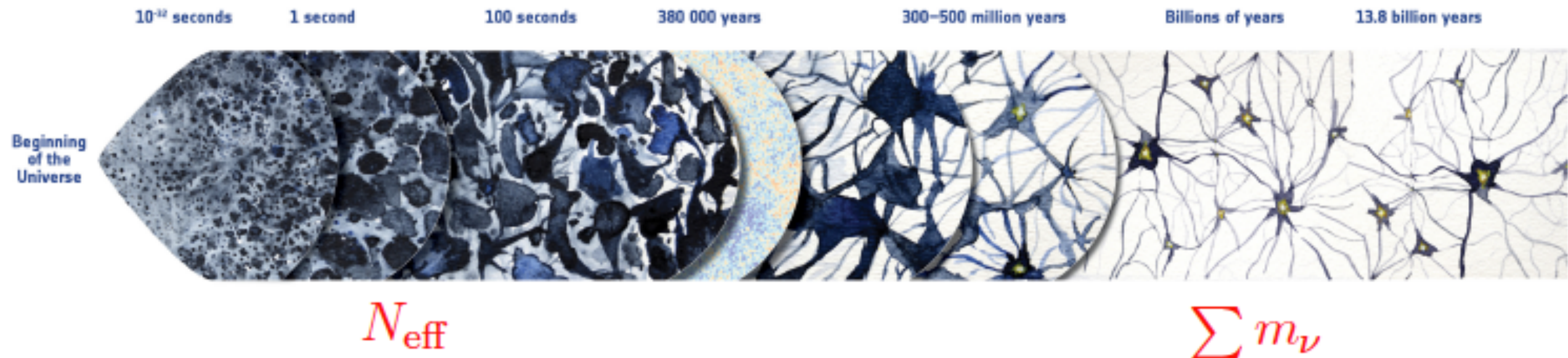
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High- l likelihood:
constraints on all parameters

- Gaussian likelihood using cross power spectra on lower HFI frequencies
- Foreground removal with masking and parametrisation of residuals at ps level (Plik, HiLLiPOP)



Neutrinos and cosmology



Early Universe

- $T \gg 1 \text{ MeV}$ ν s populated by weak interaction
- $T_{\text{dec}} \sim \text{sec}$ (1 MeV)

Late time

- still relativistic at decoupling
- $T_\nu \lesssim m_\nu$ contribute to matter content and structure formation

Effect on CMB and Large Scale Structures (LSS)



Cosmic neutrino properties

- After neutrinos decoupled → cosmic neutrino background (like CMB for photons)
- If we assume they are massless
 - from entropy conservation calculate their temperature:

$$T_\nu = \left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{1/3} T_\gamma \sim 1.95\text{K}$$

(photons are hotter thanks to electron-positron annihilation)

- 3 generations and follow Fermi-Dirac statistics:

$$\rho_\nu c^2 = 3 \times \frac{7}{8} \times \left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{4/3} \rho_\gamma c^2$$

3.046 (e.g. Mangano et al. 2005)



N_{eff}

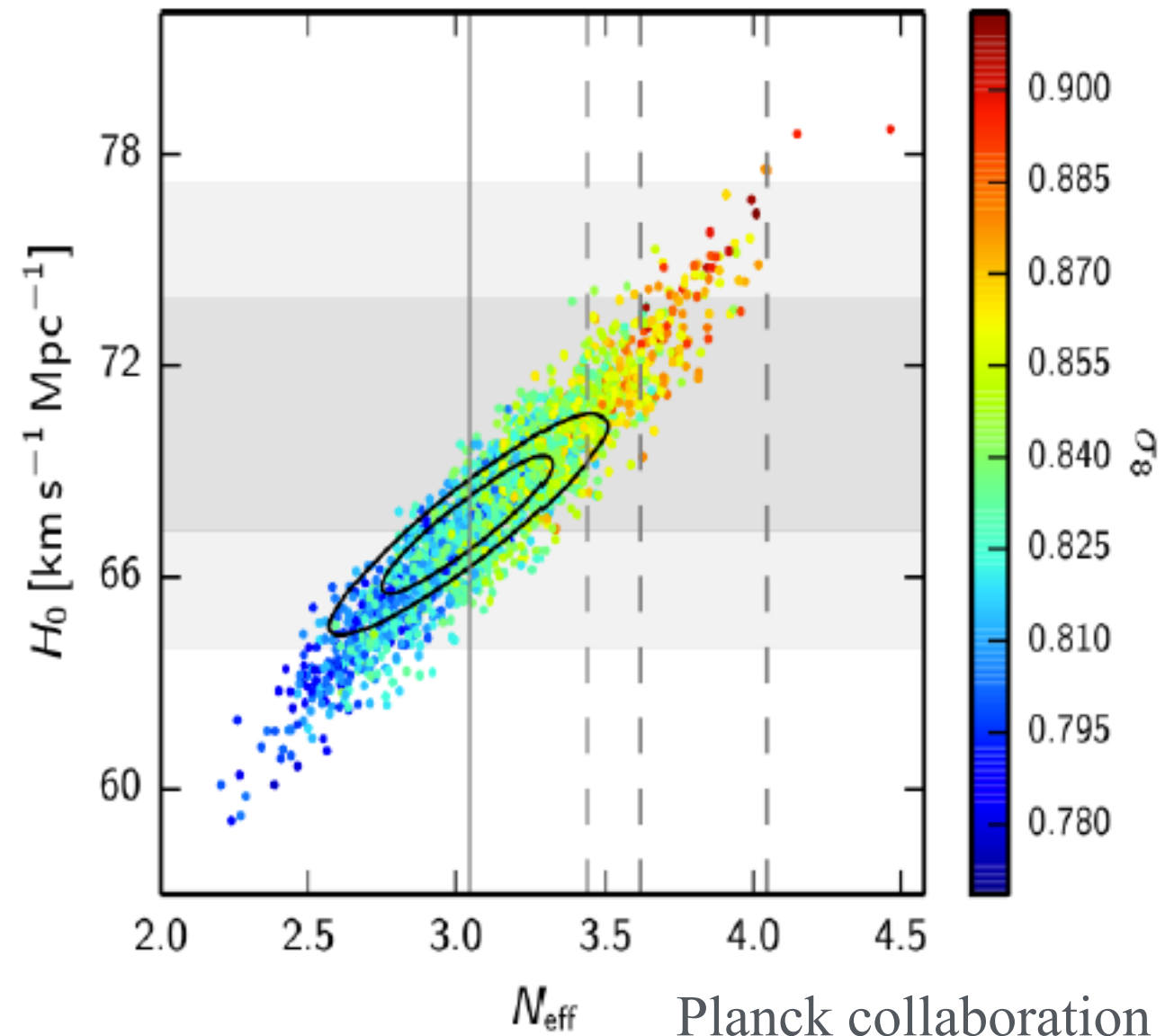
(\sim massless) degree of freedom beyond photons, relativistic during radiation domination (any light relic, axions, ...)

$$\rho_\nu c^2 = N_{\text{eff}} \times \frac{7}{8} \times \left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{4/3} \rho_\gamma c^2$$

Planck 2015 TT +BAO

$$N_{\text{eff}} = 3.15 \pm 0.23$$

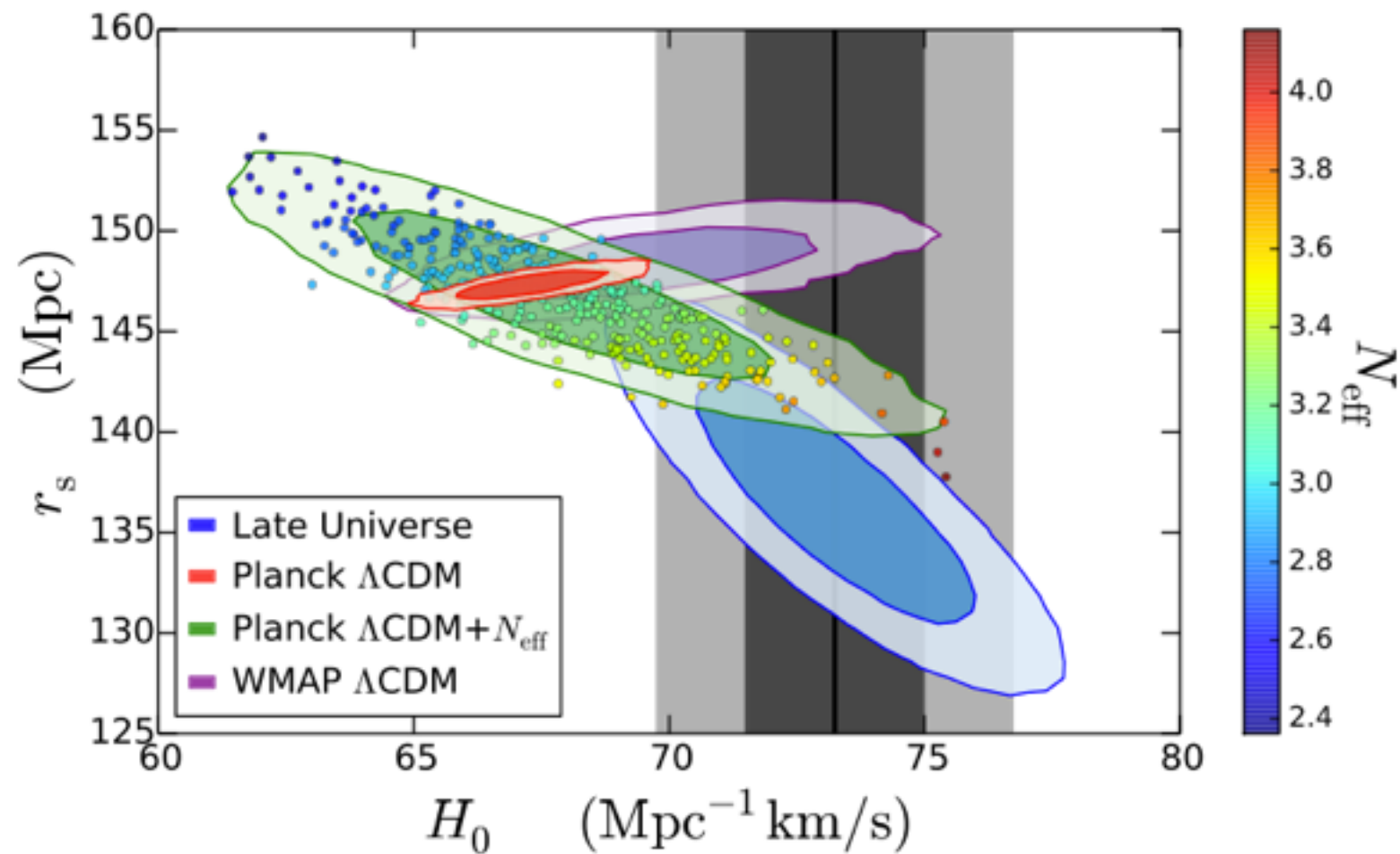
- $N_{\text{eff}} \neq 0$ C ν B existence ($\sim 15\sigma$)
- $N_{\text{eff}} = 4$ excluded at $\sim 3 - 5$



Neff and H0

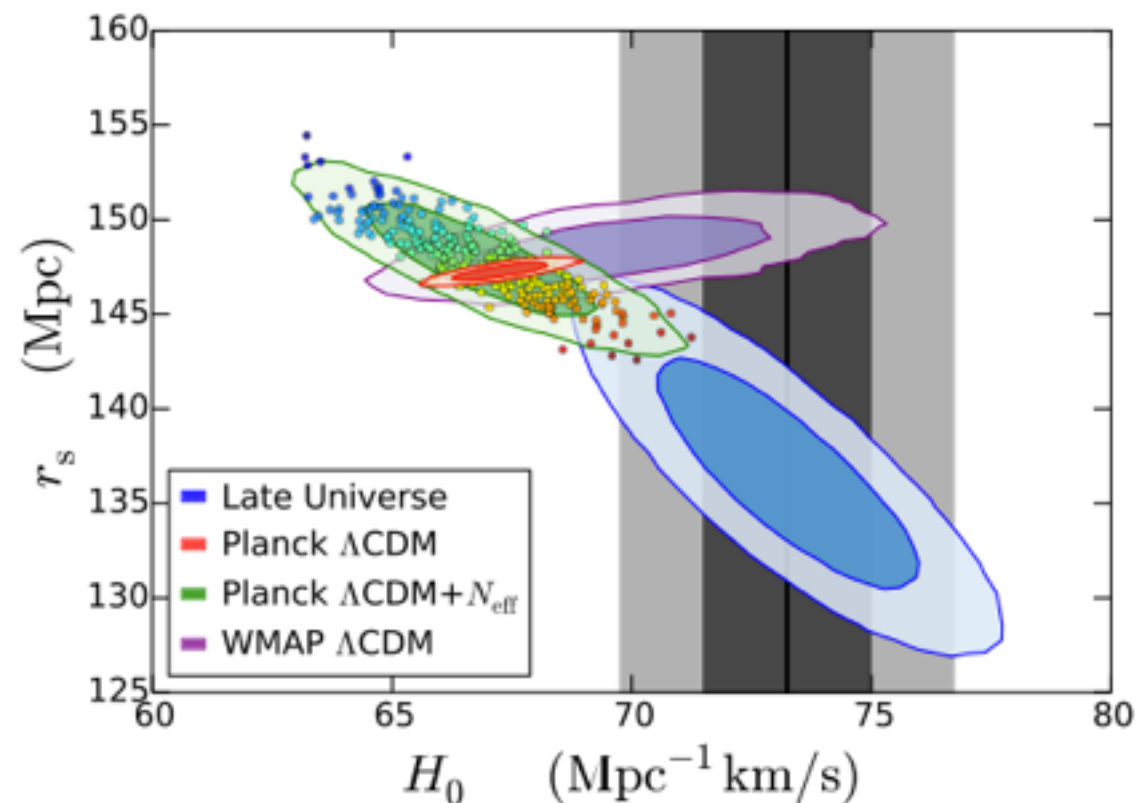
- Planck H0 vs. local H0 (3 sigma)
- BAO and SNIa constrain r_s -h
- Can N_{eff} help in solving this tension?

$$\Delta N_{\text{eff}} \sim 0.4$$



- NOT true anymore if Planck polarisation is included

Bernal et al 2016 (arXiv:1607.05617)

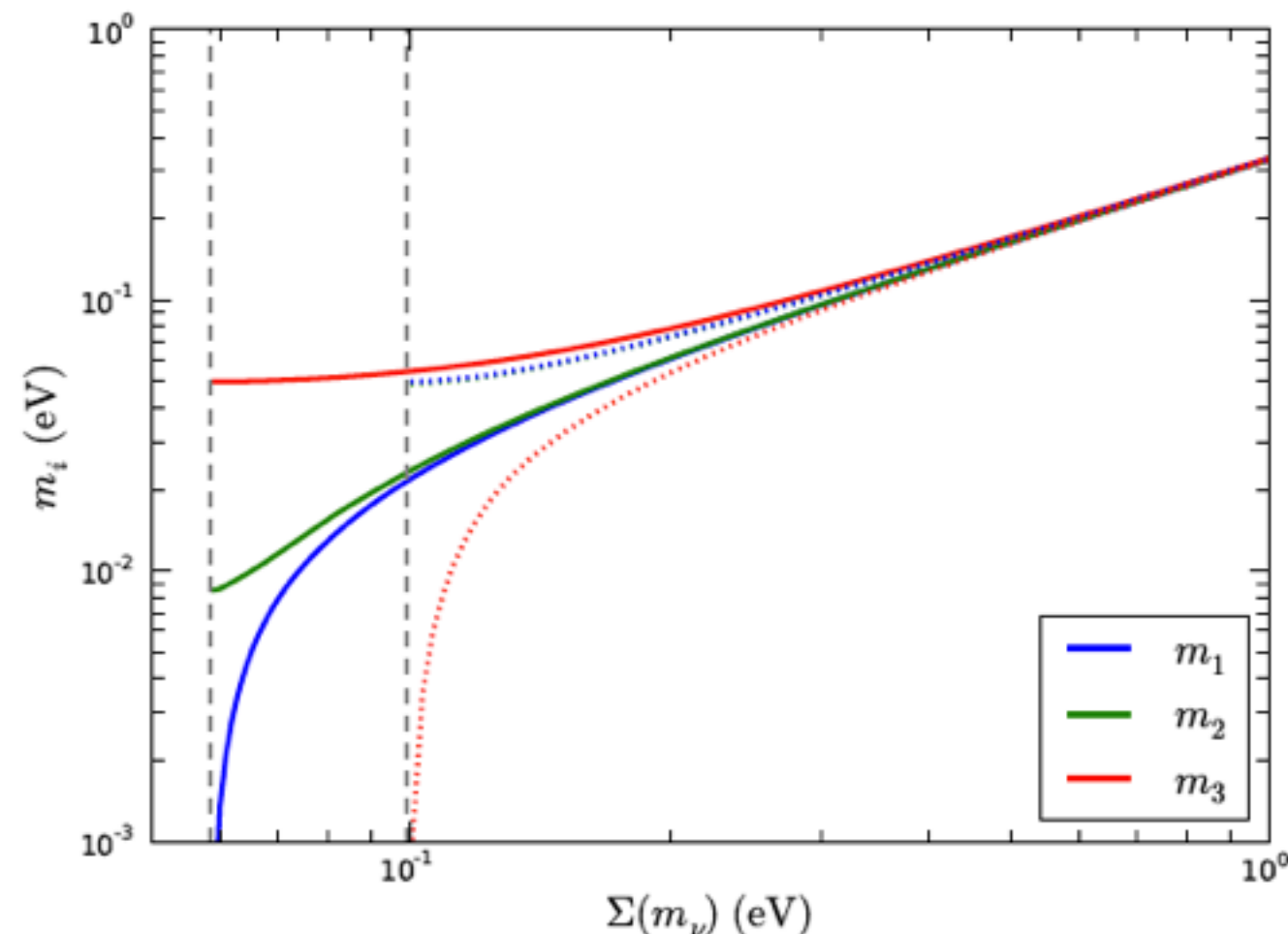


The absolute scale of neutrino masses

- neutrino MO not known but lower limits from oscillations (0.06 eV NO, 0.10 eV IO)
- model dependent constraints
 Λ -CDM + neutrino sector
 - $N_{\text{eff}}=3.046$
 - 1 σ 2 σ , 3 σ (deg, NO, IO)
- mass limit (95% CL)
(from various ref)

$$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.11 - 0.23 \text{ eV}$$

Planck + BAO/SN/Lensing...





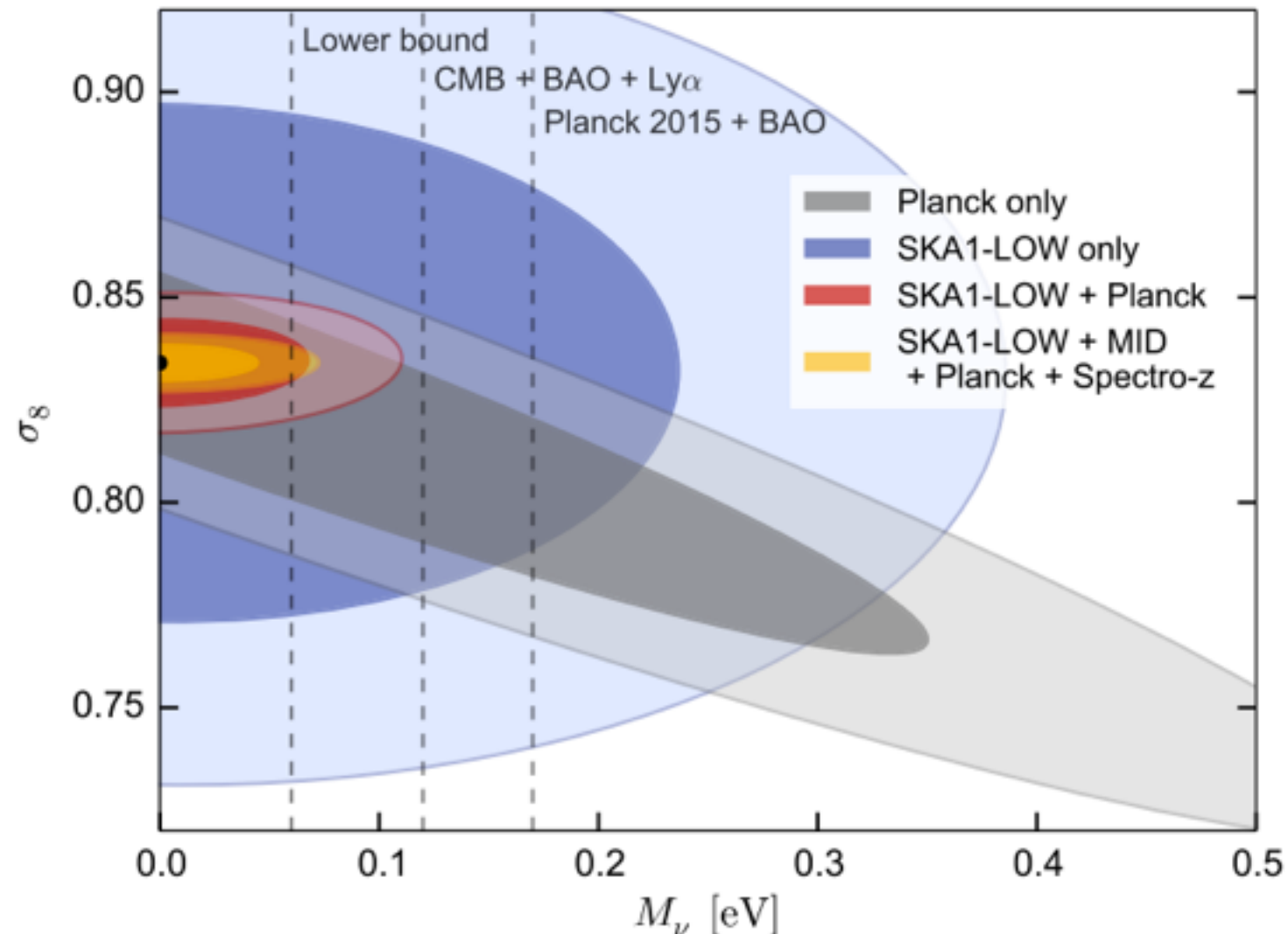
Forecast from 21cm

Villaescusa-Navarro et al 2015

- HI more clustered for cosmology with massive neutrino
- hydrodynamic sims with massive neutrino for HI spatial distribution
- fisher matrix forecast for SKA
 - **SKA-LOW** $3 \lesssim z \lesssim 6$ (interferometric mode)
 - **SKA-MID** $z \lesssim 3$ (single dish)

$$\sigma(M_\nu) \lesssim 0.3 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$$

$$\text{- SKA+Planck+Spectro-z} \quad \sigma(M_\nu) \simeq 0.06 \text{ eV (95\% CL)}$$

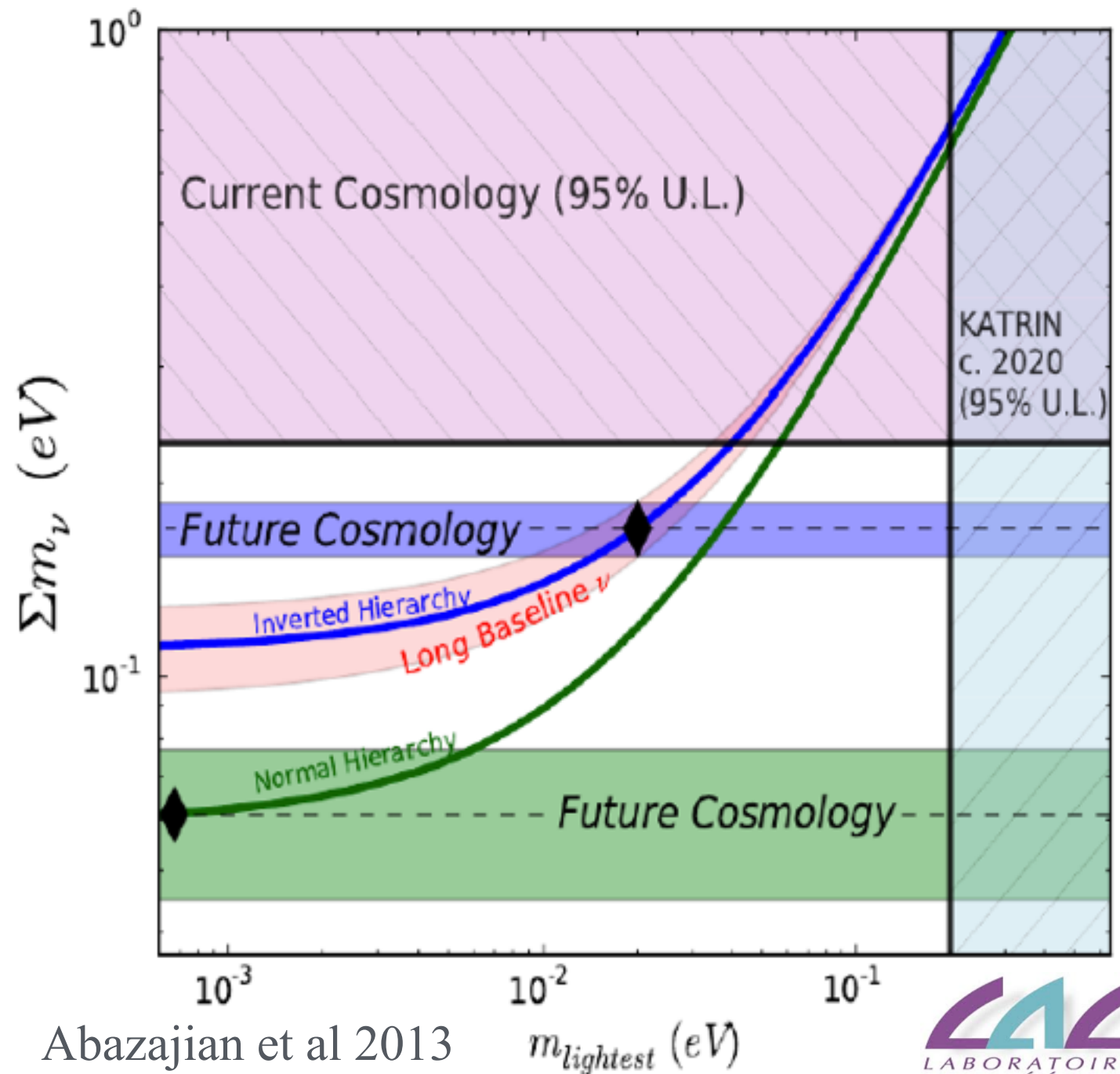


How close to a mass measurement?

If $m=0.06$ eV we need 20 meV sensitivity for 3 sigma.

If $m=0.12$ eV then 40 meV is enough

- Simons Array: 58 meV
from lensed B modes
- SA+BAO: 16 meV
<http://bolo.berkeley.edu/polarbear>
- Euclid (2020): 3 meV
enough for MO
- Forecasts for DESI+
(arXiv:1308.4164)
by 2020 something either from
Planck+DESI/LSST/S4&BAO



Precision cosmology

- How robust is the Planck+LSS limit on Σm_ν ?
 - does it depend on foreground parametrisation?
 - how it relates to lensing? (the A_L issue)
 - ...



some work done @ LAL

(F. Couchot, S. Henrot-Versillé, O. Perdureau, S. Plaszczynski, B. Rouillé d'Orfeuil, M. Spinelli and M. Tristram)



<http://camel.in2p3.fr>

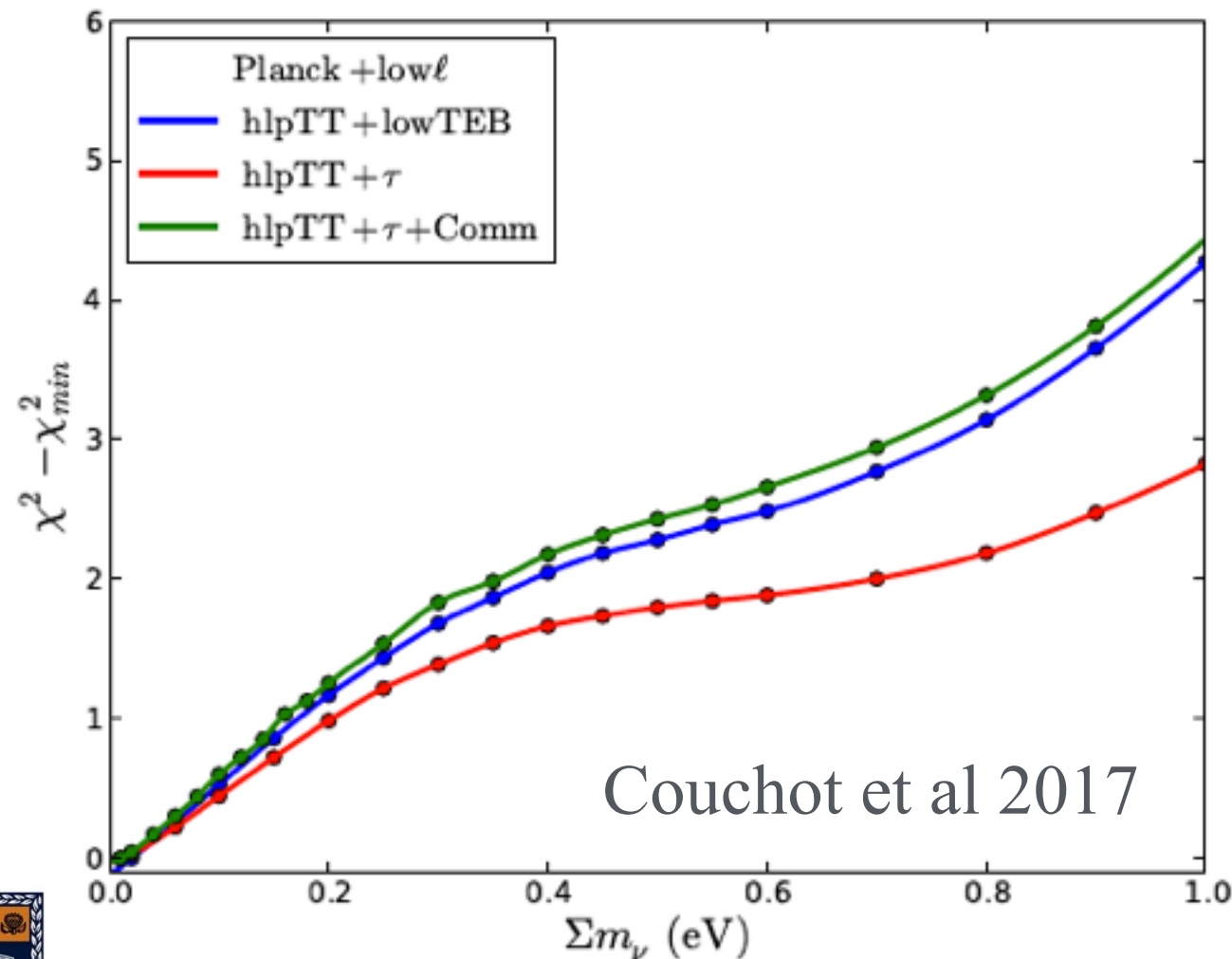
- HiLLiPOP (*Planck 2015 Likelihood paper*)
- A_L and tau (*Couchot et al 2016*)
- CAMEL framework (*Henrot-Versillé et al 2016*)
- all that and Σm_ν (Couchot et al 2017)



Large scale (low- l) information

Low- l likelihoods:

- **Commander** - temperature component separation
- **tau constraint** from large scale cross power spectra polarisation data
- **lowTEB** - Commander-like temperature and pixel based polarisation

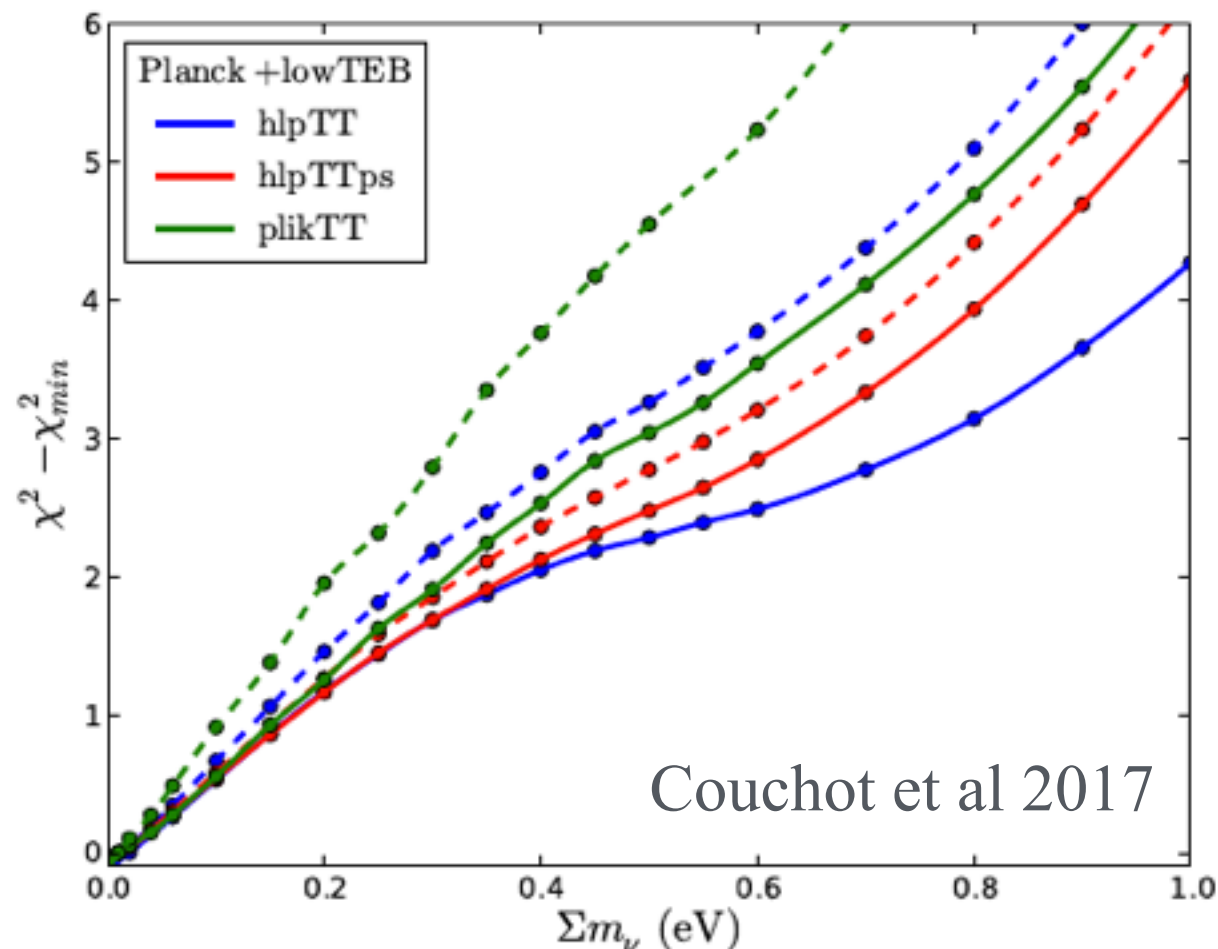
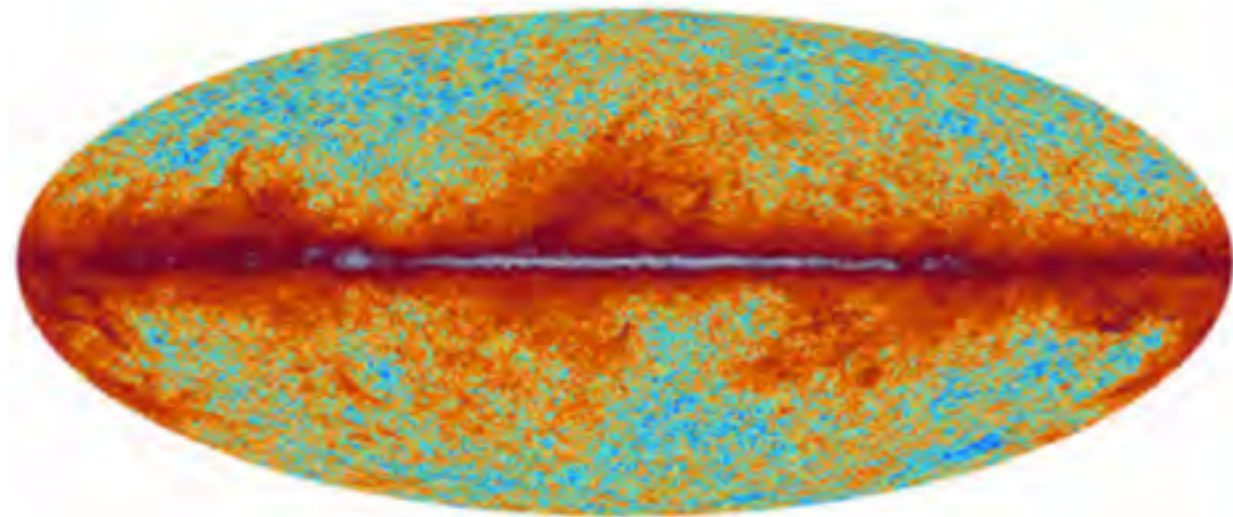


- Large scale CMB information is crucial for breaking As-tau degeneracy (in particular polarisation)
- Different likelihood choices give slightly different results



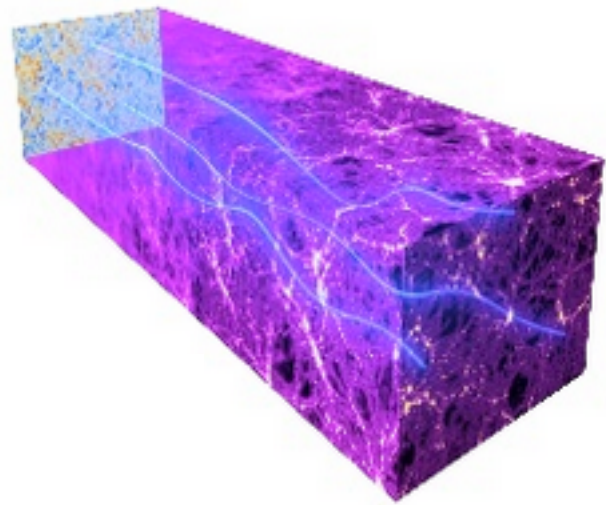
Impact of foreground modelling

Planck @ 217 GHz



- CMB data comes with astrophysical foregrounds: galactic dust, unresolved point sources, background from galaxies and clusters
- Masking strategy and (data driven) parametric residual modelling
- Different high-l likelihoods **HiLLiPOP**, **HiLLiPS**, **Plik** have slightly different models

we can estimate a systematic error



CMB lensing and A_L

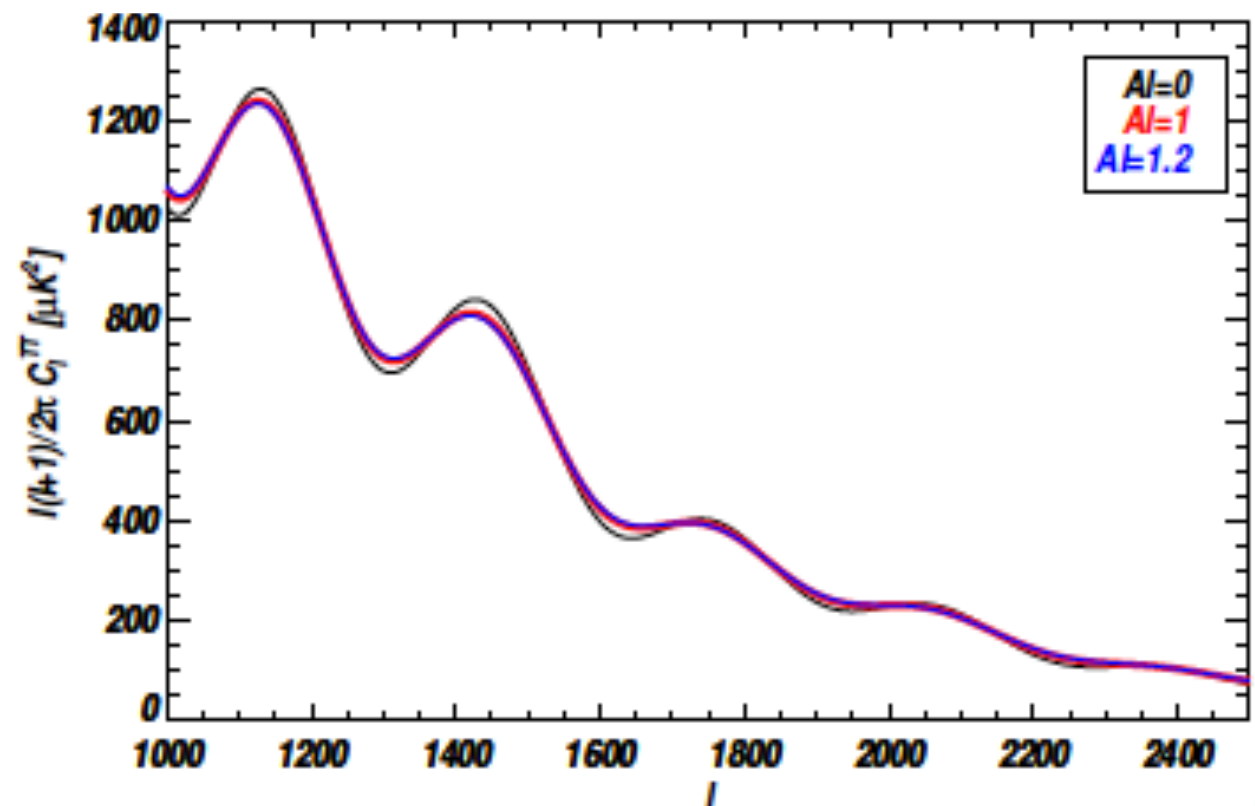
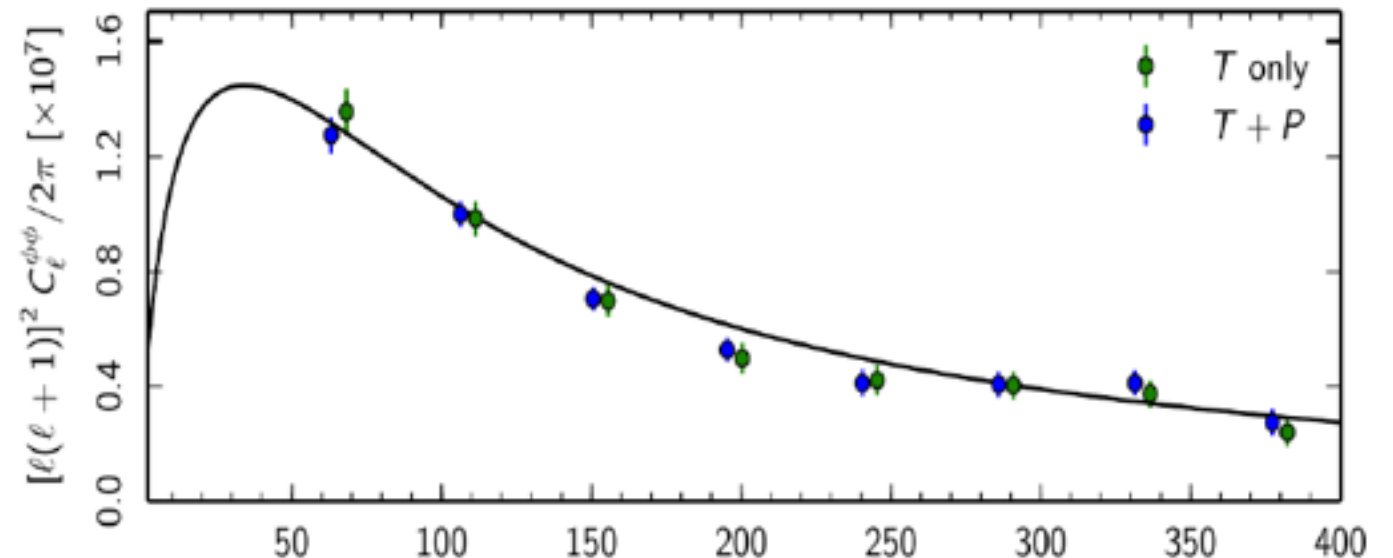
$C_\ell^{\phi\phi}$ from 4-point correlation function:
good consistency with Λ CDM

- too much lensing at power spectrum level

$$A_L > 1 (\sim 2\sigma)$$

↳ Σm_ν artificially low

- ☐ include A_L in the fit to propagate the error
- ☒ find a consistent framework



Planck+Lensing has $A_L \sim 1$



Neutrino mass repartition

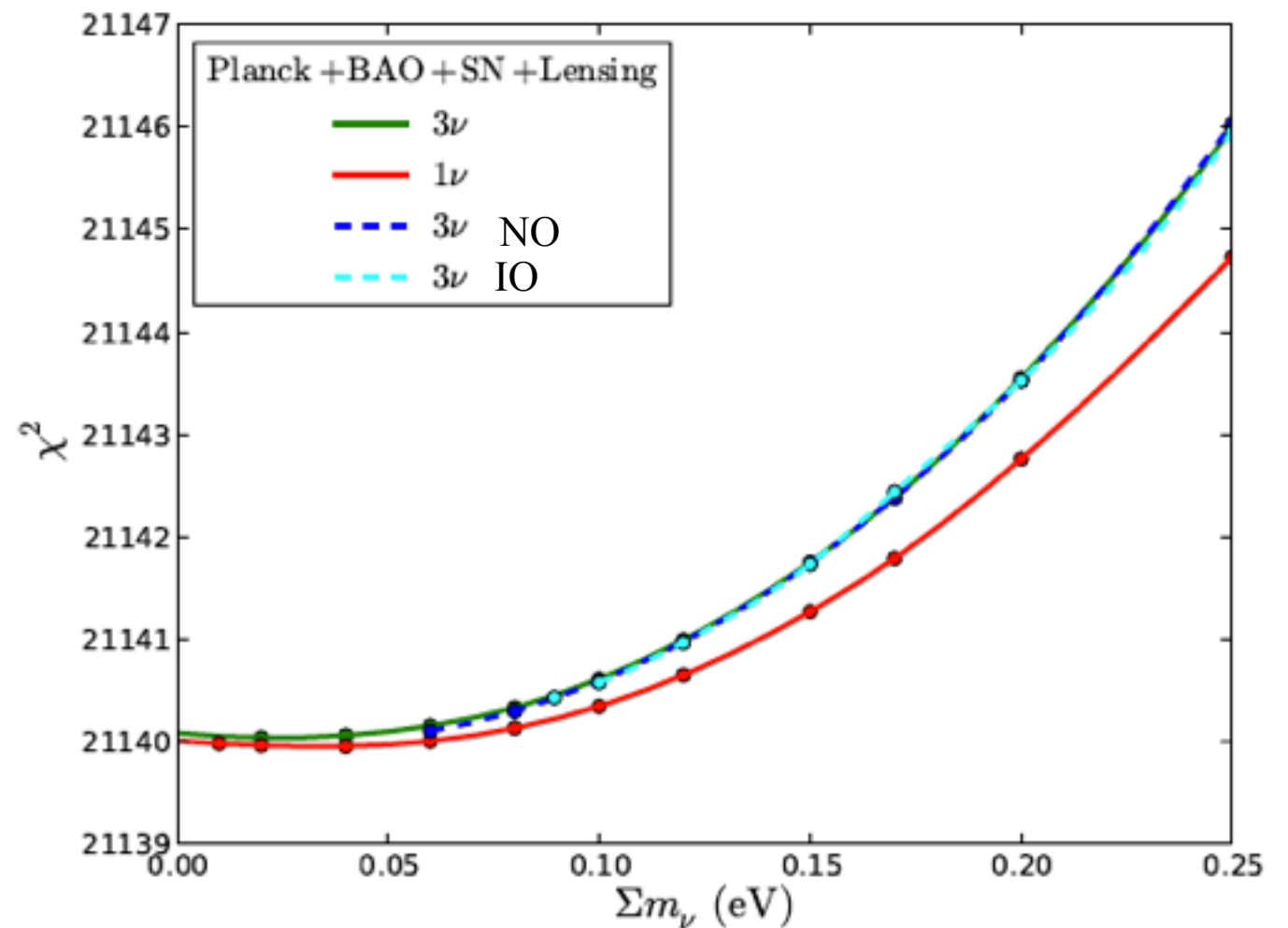
Possible models:

- 3 degenerate masses
- 1 massive 2 massless
- 3 massive with NO
- 3 massive with IO

if only one massive neutrino
computationally more
efficient but too raw
approximation

nowadays no hint for a
preference for NO or IO

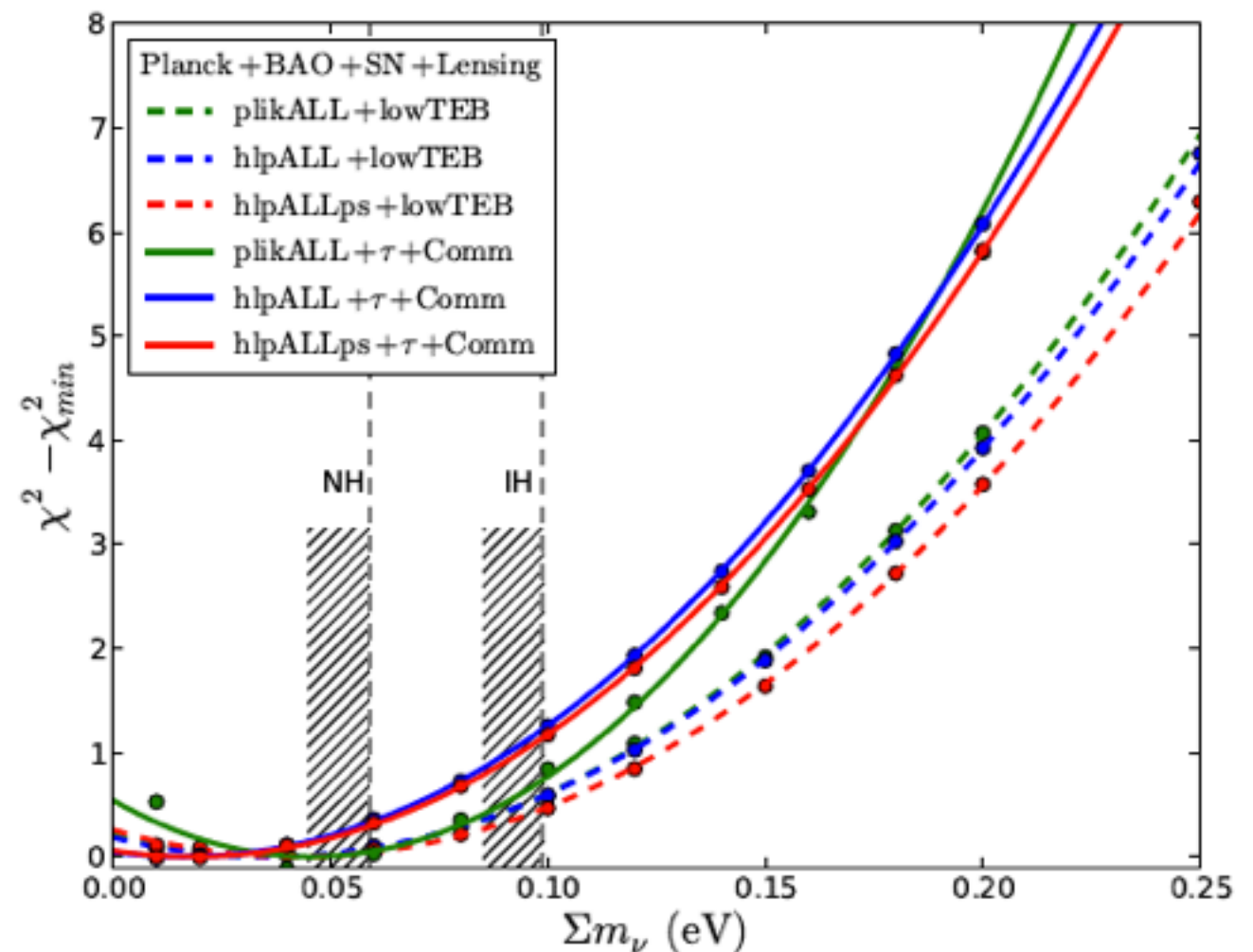
Couchot et al 2017



A robust constraint

Couchot et al 2017

- latest **BAO** data (*Alam et al 2016*) and SN from JLA compilation
- low **tau** constraint from Planck-pol
- **AL** consistent with standard cosmology (*CMB Lensing*)
- data driven mass splitting scenario (*3m deg*)
- including **systematic** error related to **foreground modelling**



$$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.17 \text{ [incl. 0.01 (foreground syst.)] eV at 95\%}$$



Conclusions

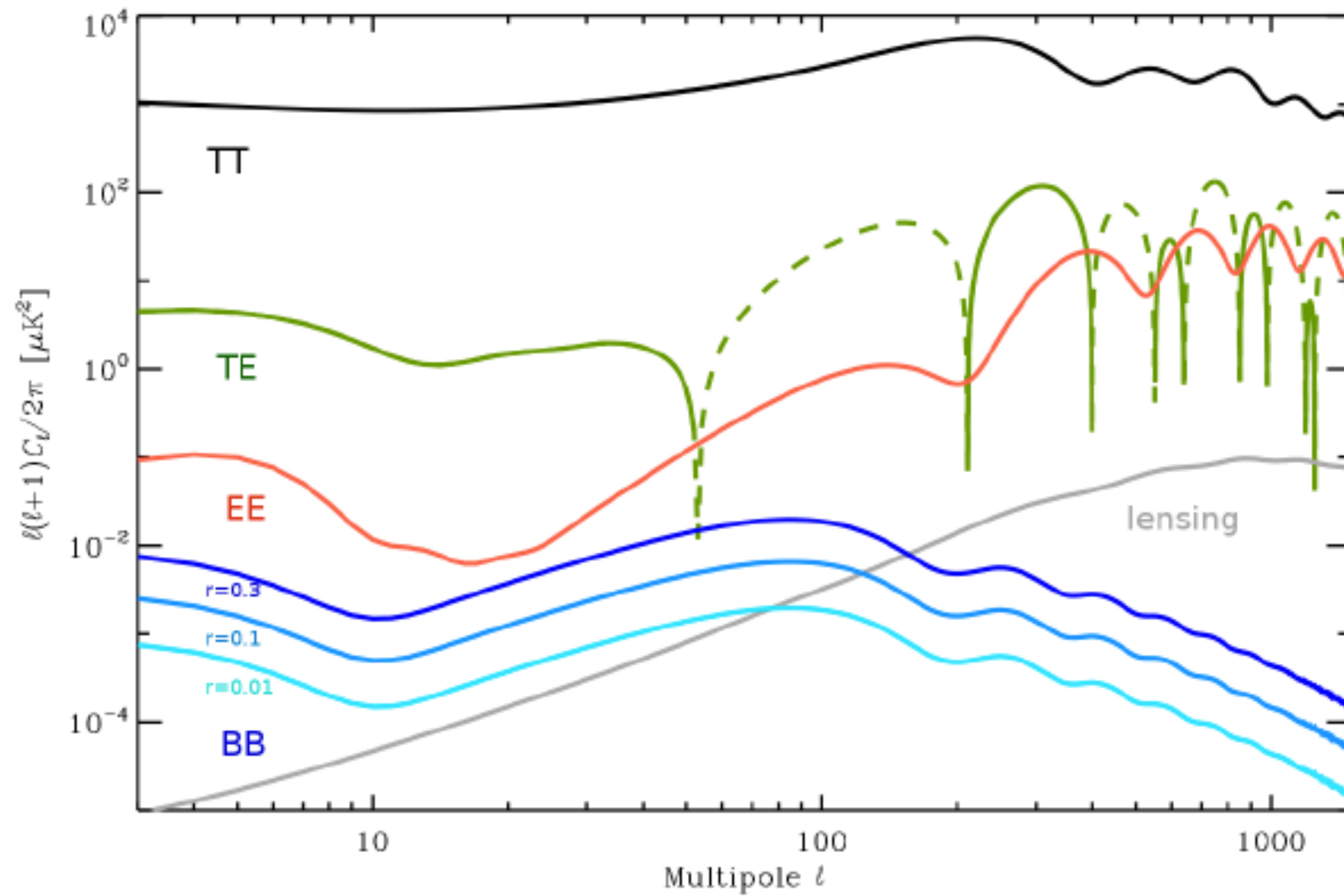
- **Cosmology** is a rich laboratory to test **neutrino** properties
- **CMB** and LSS can constrain the **sum of the masses** and will reach impressive precision in the future
forecasts say that we will know more by the end of 2020
- **Planck full-sky** CMB measurements will remain crucial
- Finer constraints need finer **control of all the systematics** in the data

At present: addition of lensing + foreground systematic error
result in a consistent cosmological limit



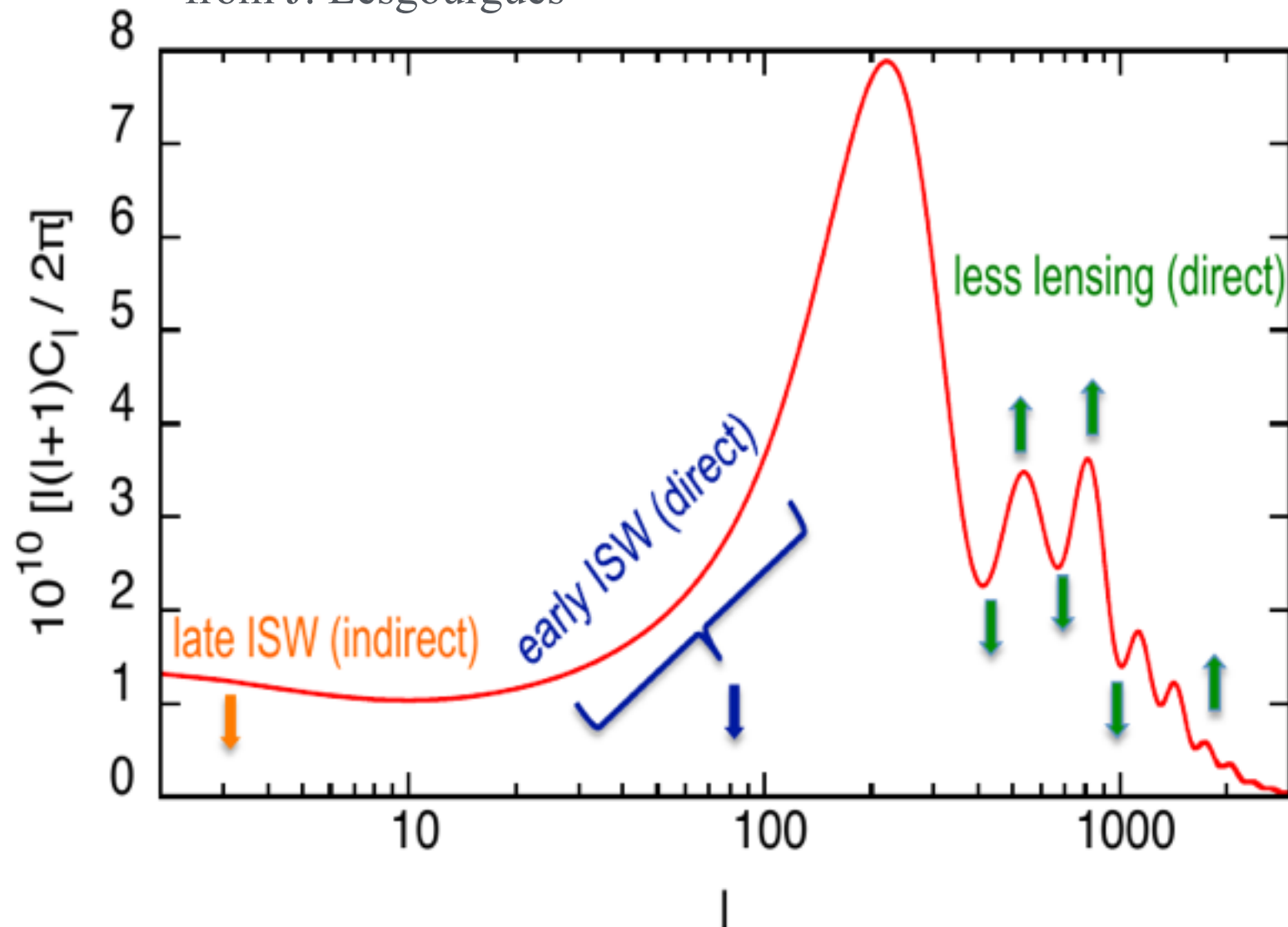
Backup

CMB spectra



Effect on CMB

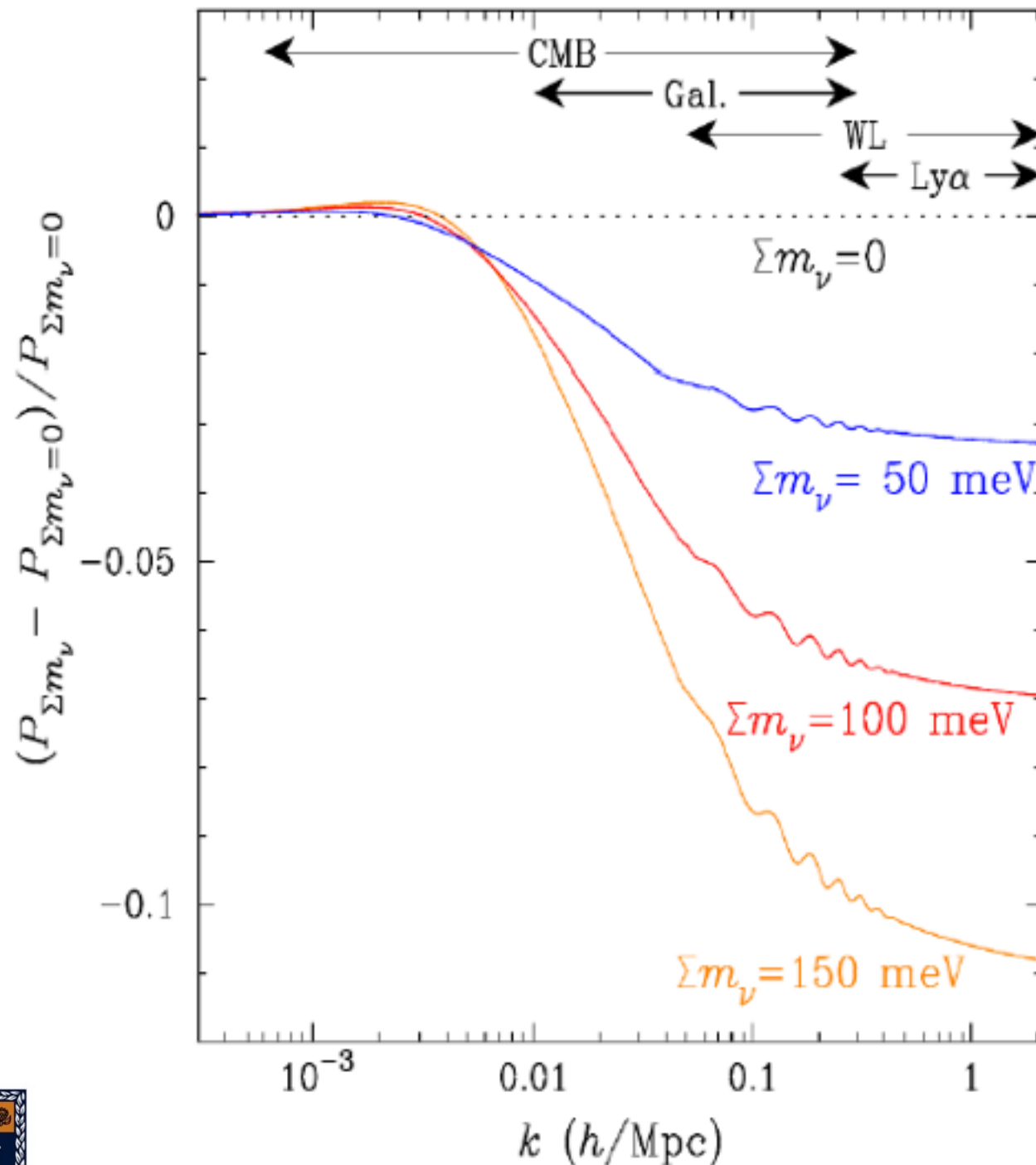
from J. Lesgourgues



- indirect role in the duration of DE domination: **late ISW at low multipole**
- around the first peak: **early-ISW** (WMAP limit)

- neutrino damps scales smaller than their free-streaming length:
less lensing at small angular scales
(that's why Planck is important)

Effect on structure formation



Abazajian et al 2013

- transition from relativistic to nr

$$z \sim 2000 \frac{m_\nu}{1\text{eV}}$$

- wash out structures with k bigger than

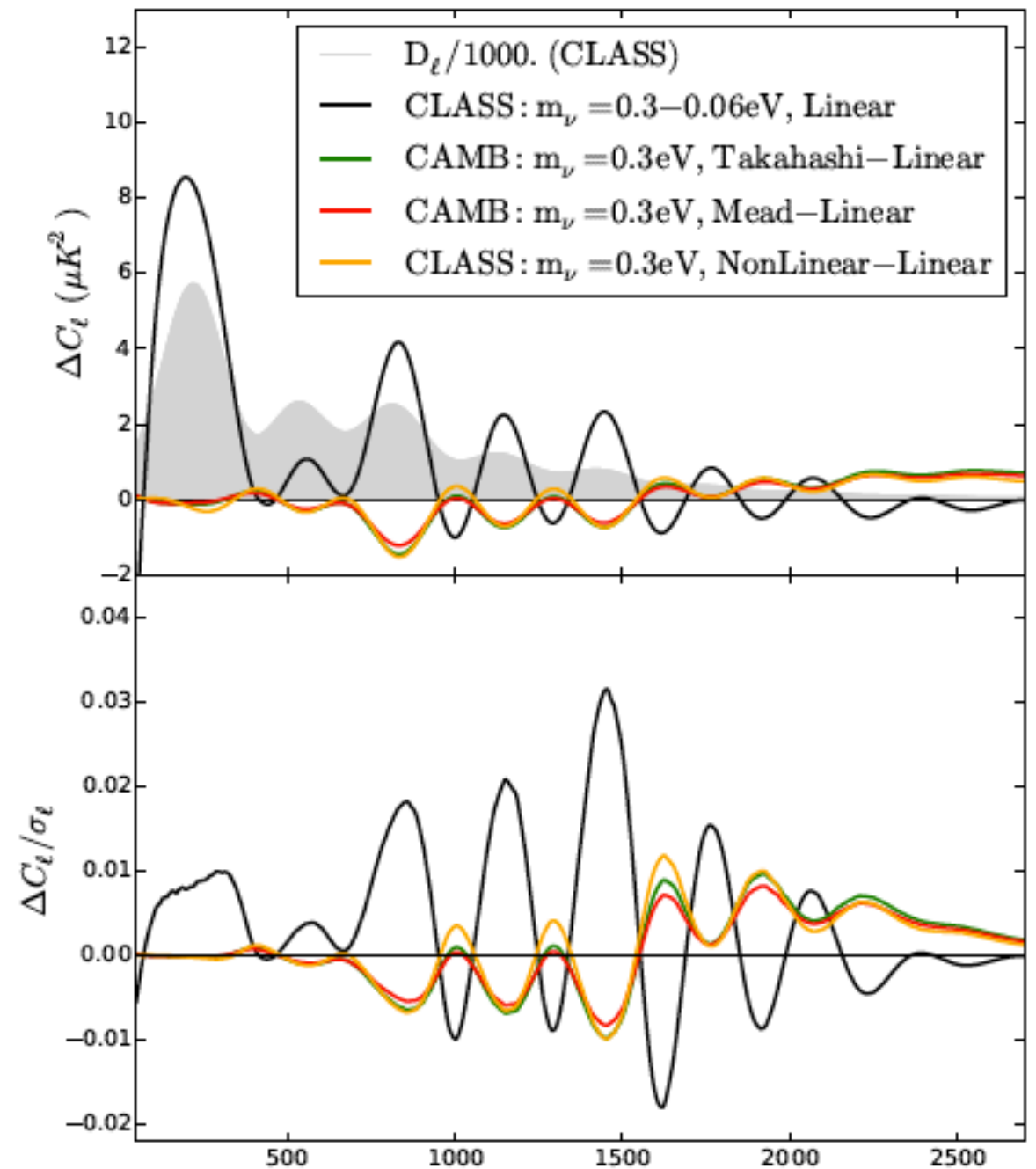
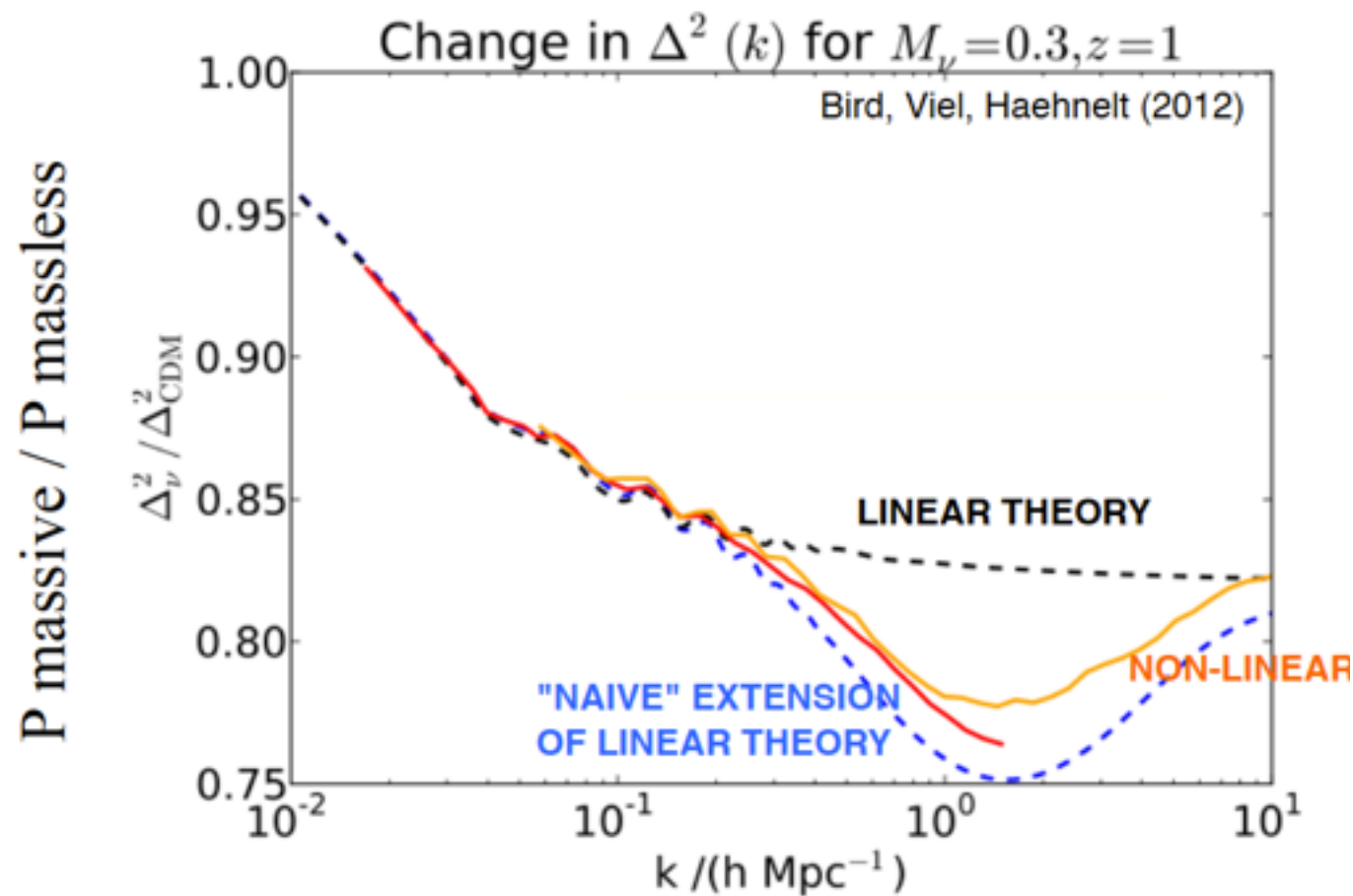
$$k_{\text{nr}} \simeq 0.018 \sqrt{\Omega_m \frac{m_\nu}{1\text{eV}}} h/\text{Mpc}$$

(Lesgourgues&Pastor 2006)

- different probes sensitive on different scales

Non-linear corrections

- precise constraints need/will need non-linear effect on the matter power spectrum

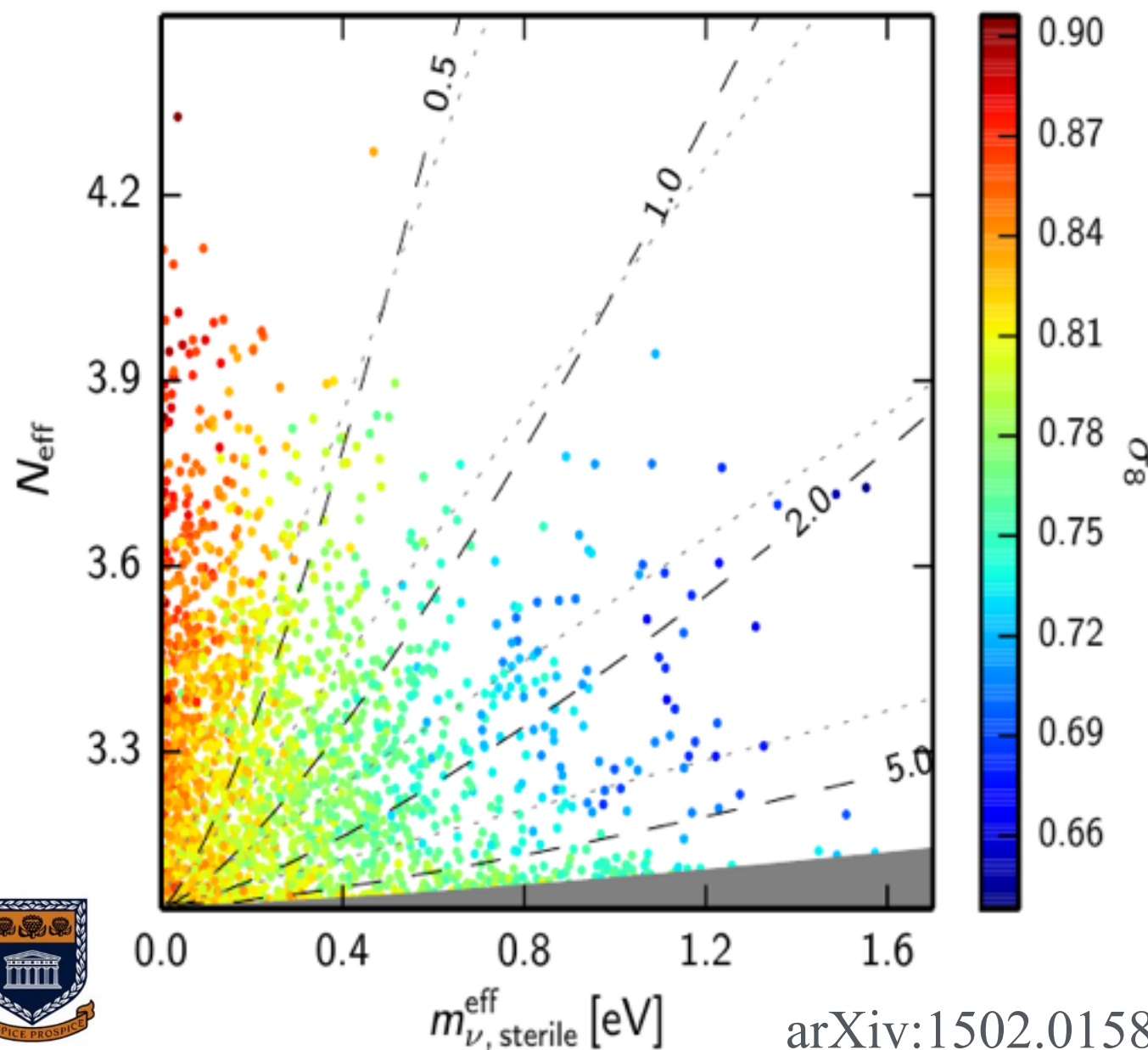


Couchot et al 2017 ℓ



Any evidence for eV sterile neutrinos?

Model: extra massive neutrino thermally distributed with arbitrary temperature T_s ($\Delta N_{\text{eff}} = (T_s/T_\nu)^4$)



$$m_{\nu, \text{sterile}}^{\text{eff}} = (\Delta N_{\text{eff}})^{3/4} m_{\text{sterile}}^{\text{thermal}}$$

- for low N_{eff} unconstrained within $\Omega_c h^2$
- for $m_{\text{sterile}}^{\text{thermal}} < 10$ eV
 $N_{\text{eff}} < 3.7$
 $m_{\nu, \text{sterile}}^{\text{eff}} < 0.52$ eV
not compatible with oscillation anomalies