

MULTIMESSENGER ASTRONOMY

(ASTROPHYSICS AS A PROBE OF FUNDAMENTAL PHYSICS)

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What is Multimessenger Astronomy?

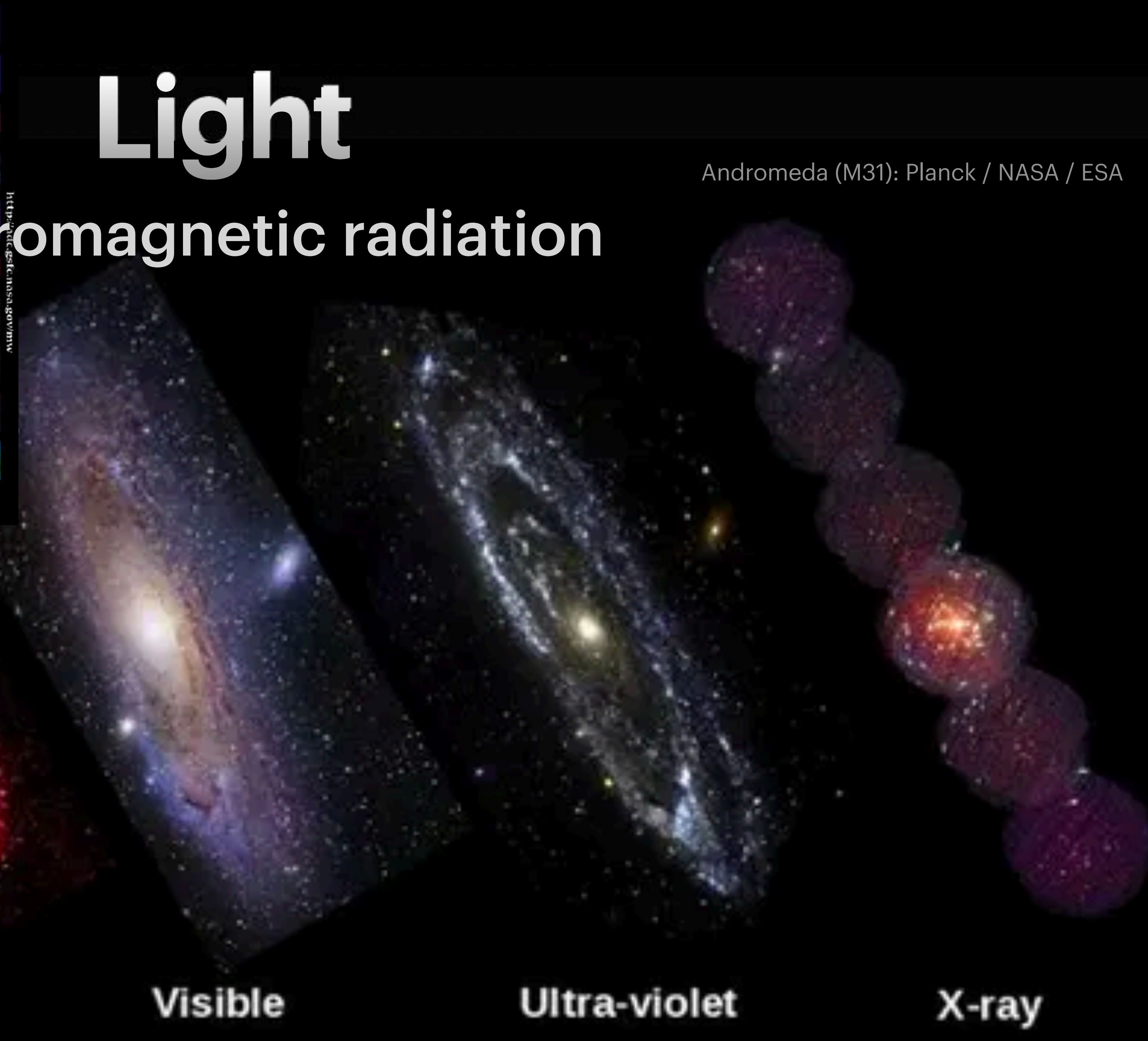
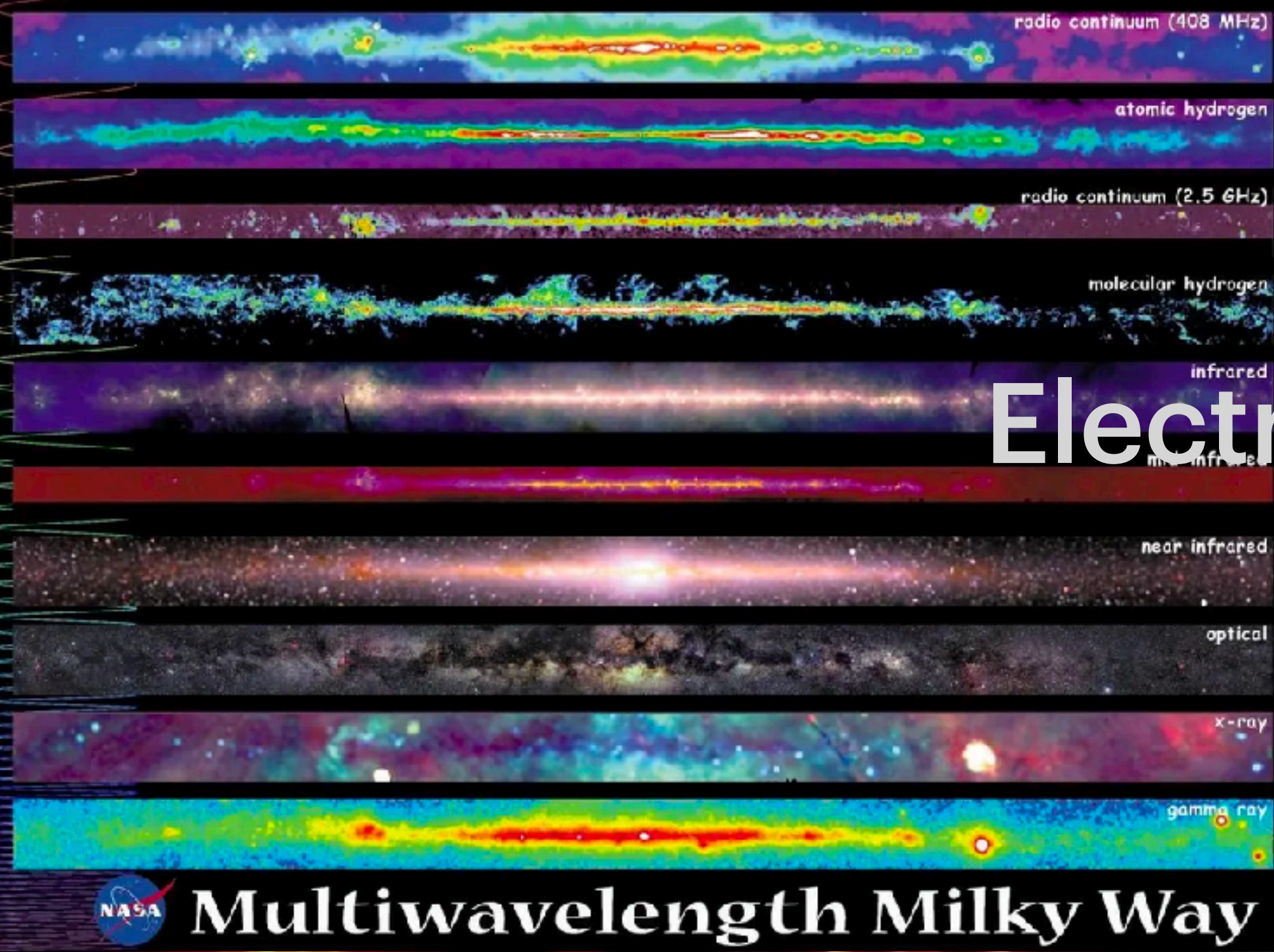
Whenever you have more than one **type** of observation of a source/feature.

“Messengers” include...

Light

Electromagnetic radiation

Andromeda (M31): Planck / NASA / ESA



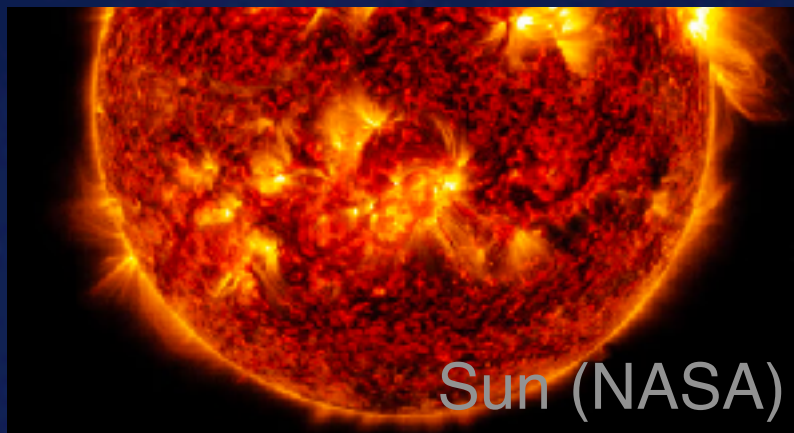
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Infrared

Visible

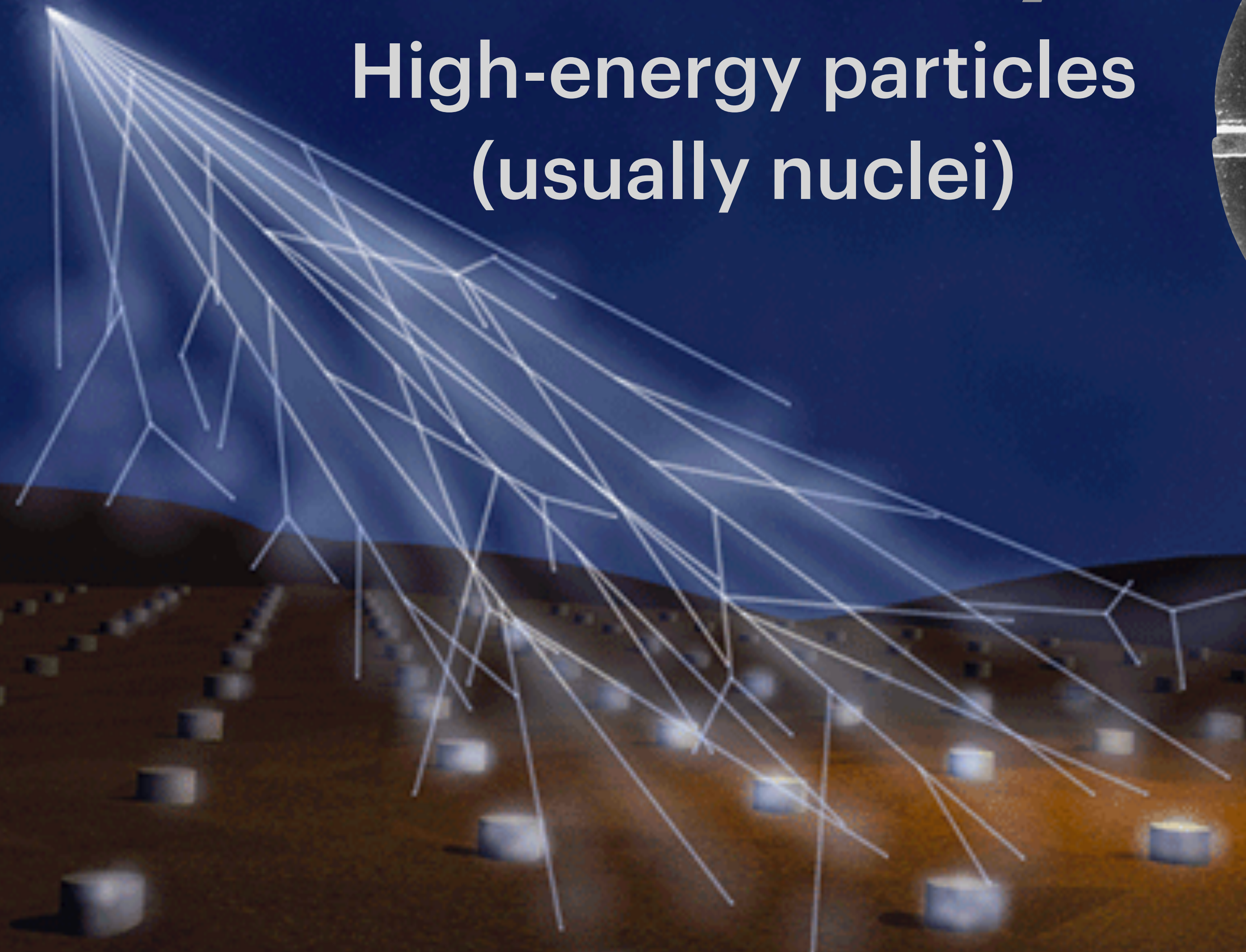
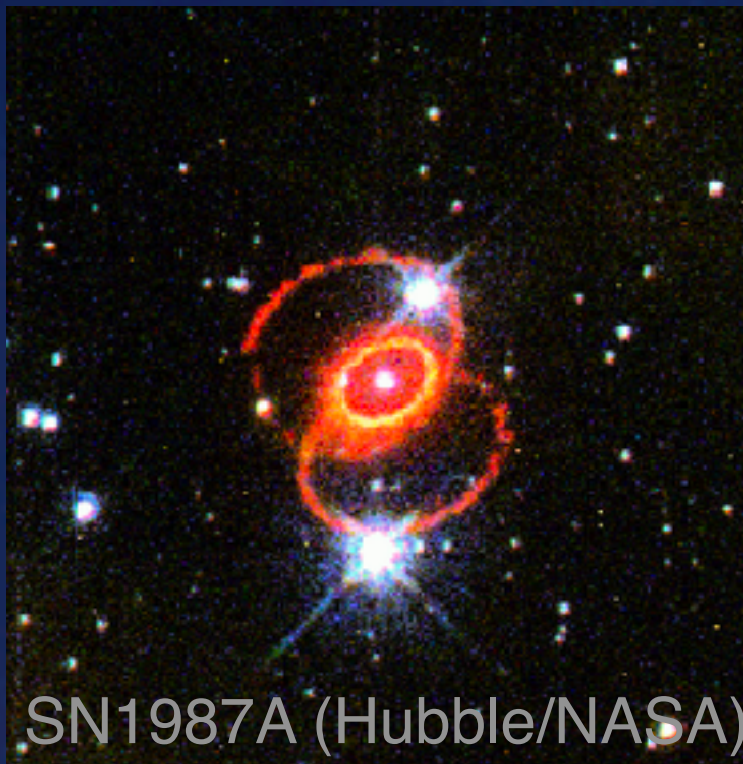
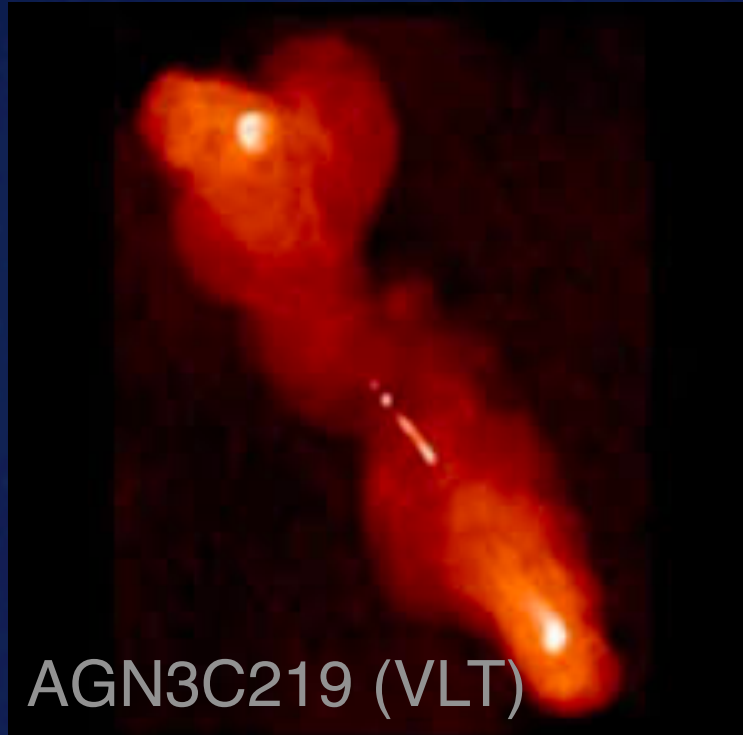
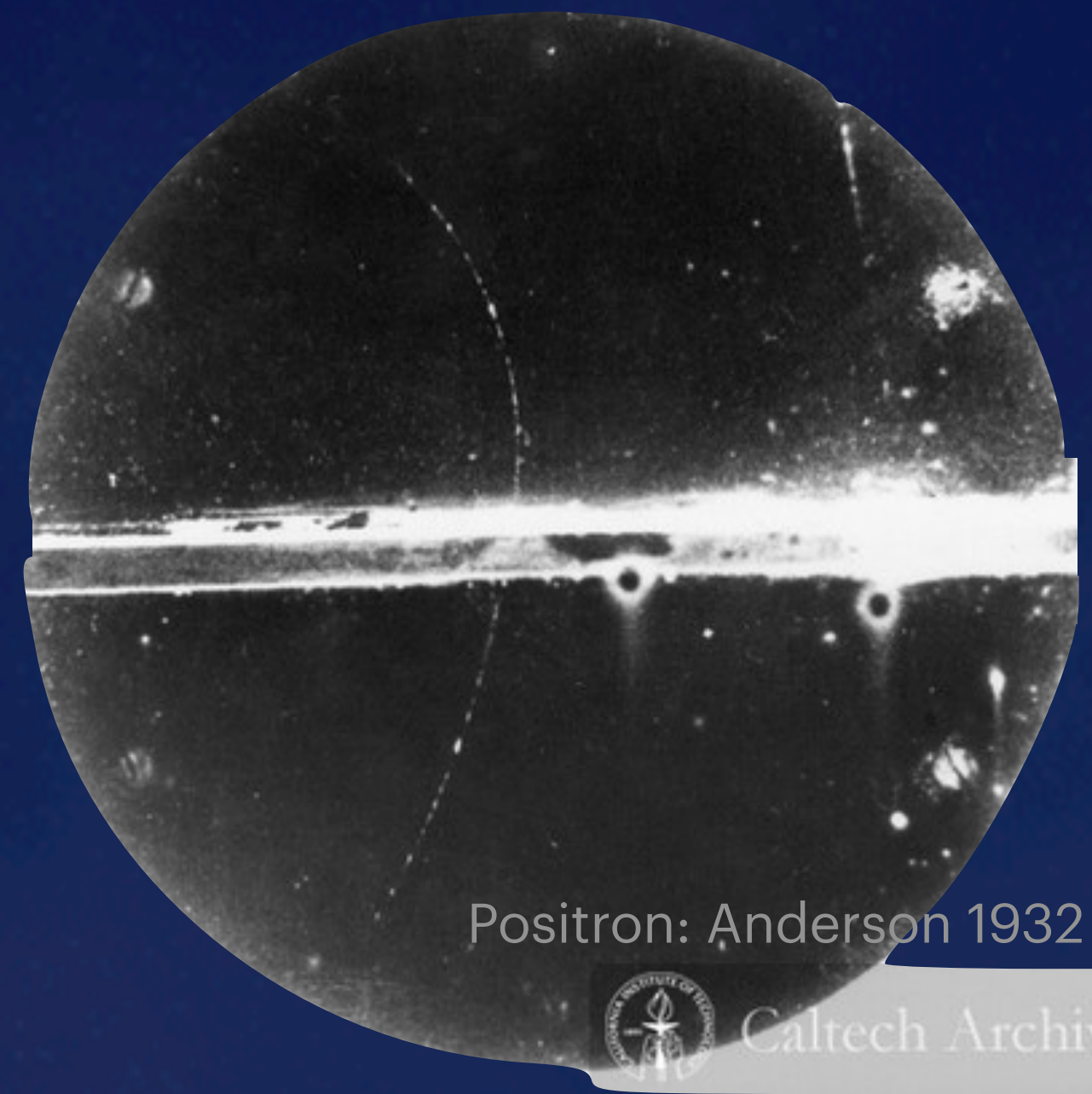
Ultra-violet

X-ray

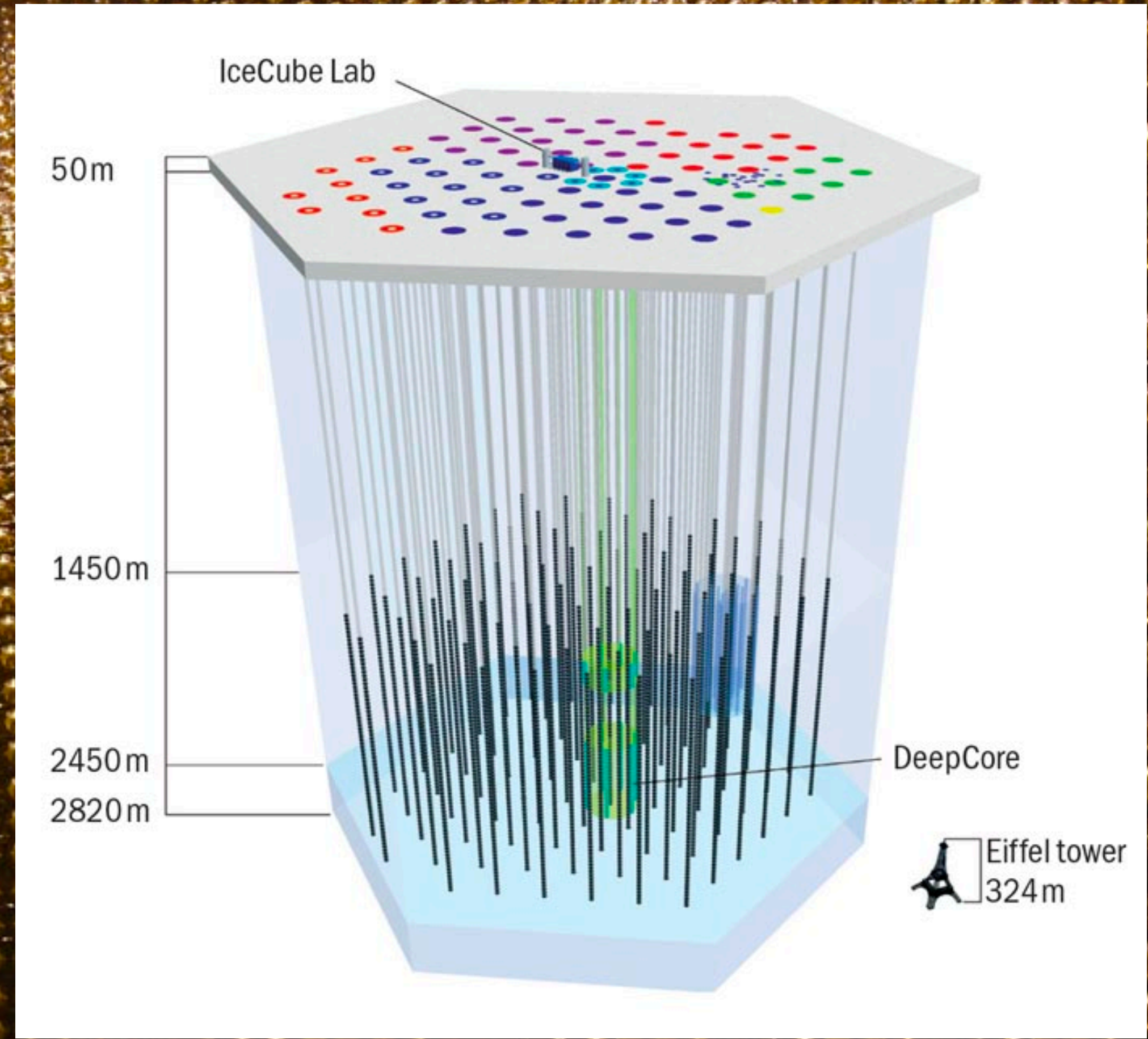
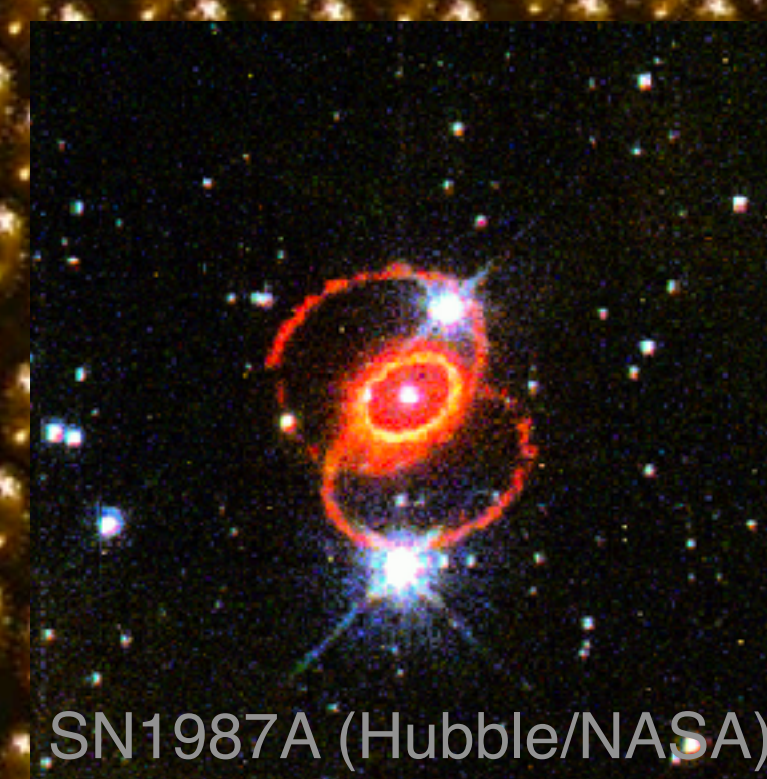
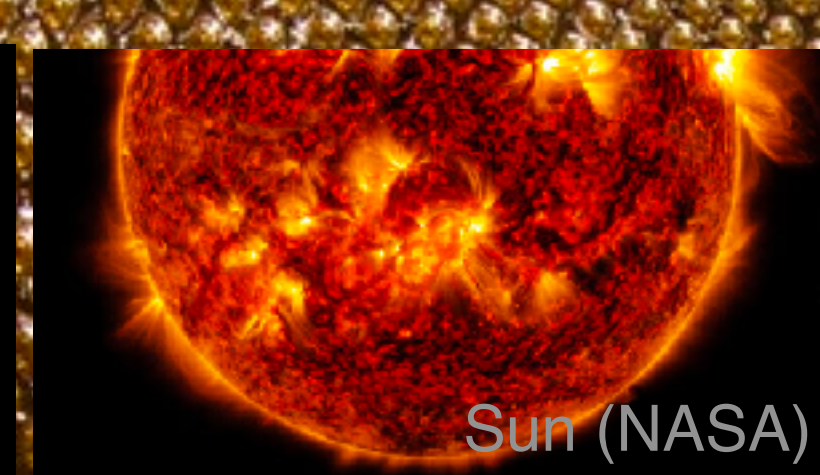
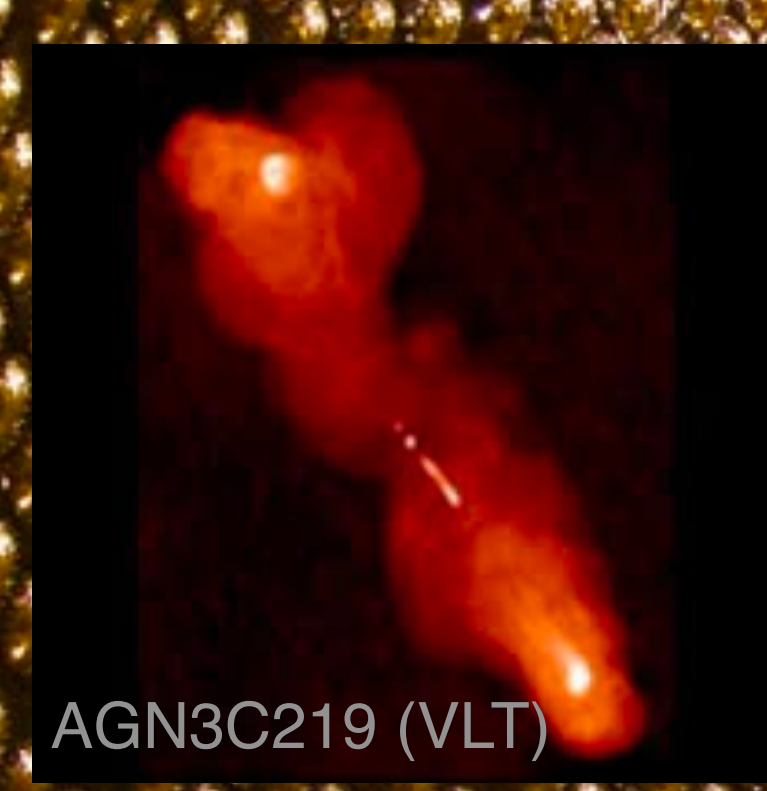


Cosmic Rays

High-energy particles
(usually nuclei)

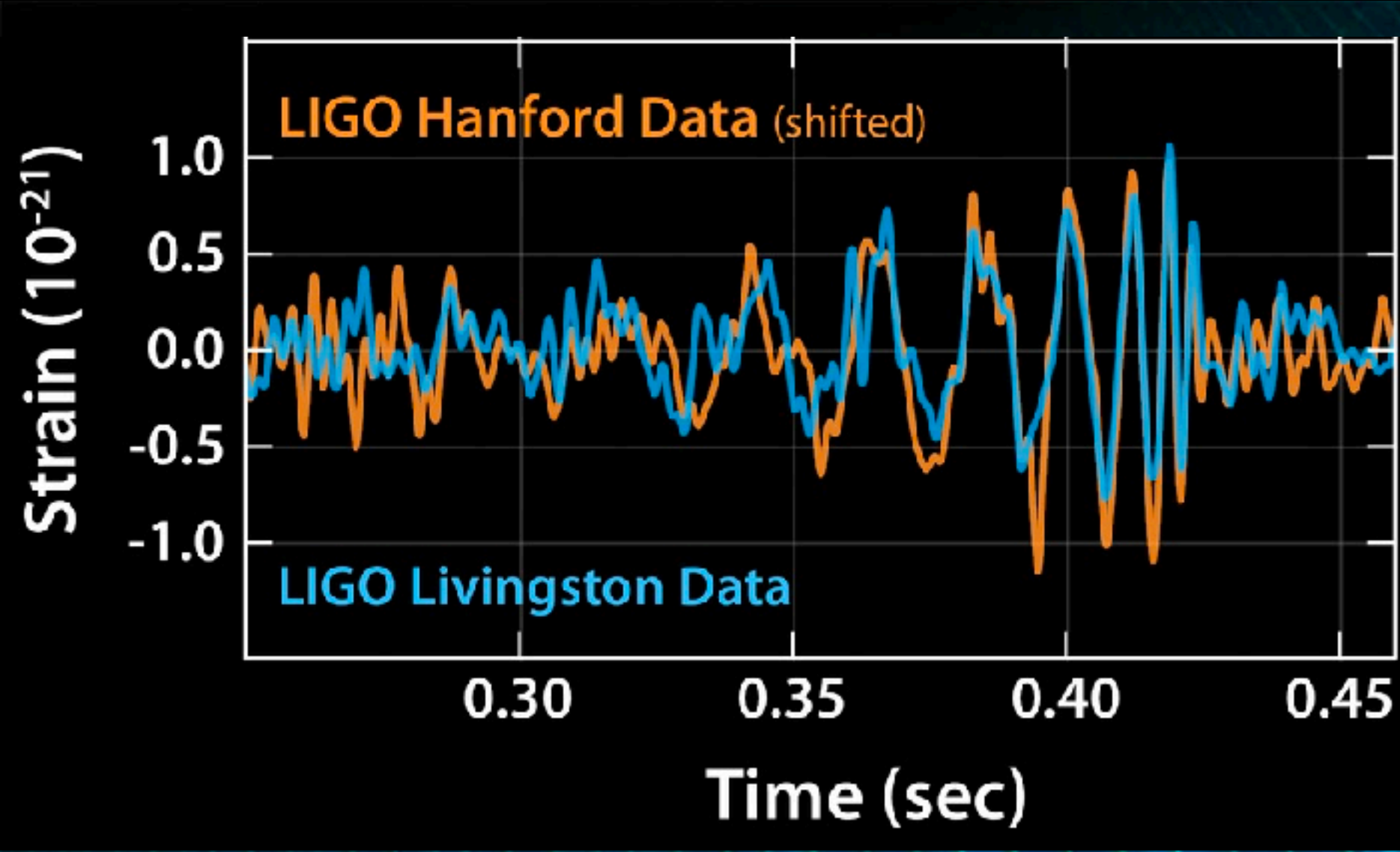


Charged particles, so cannot easily localise source



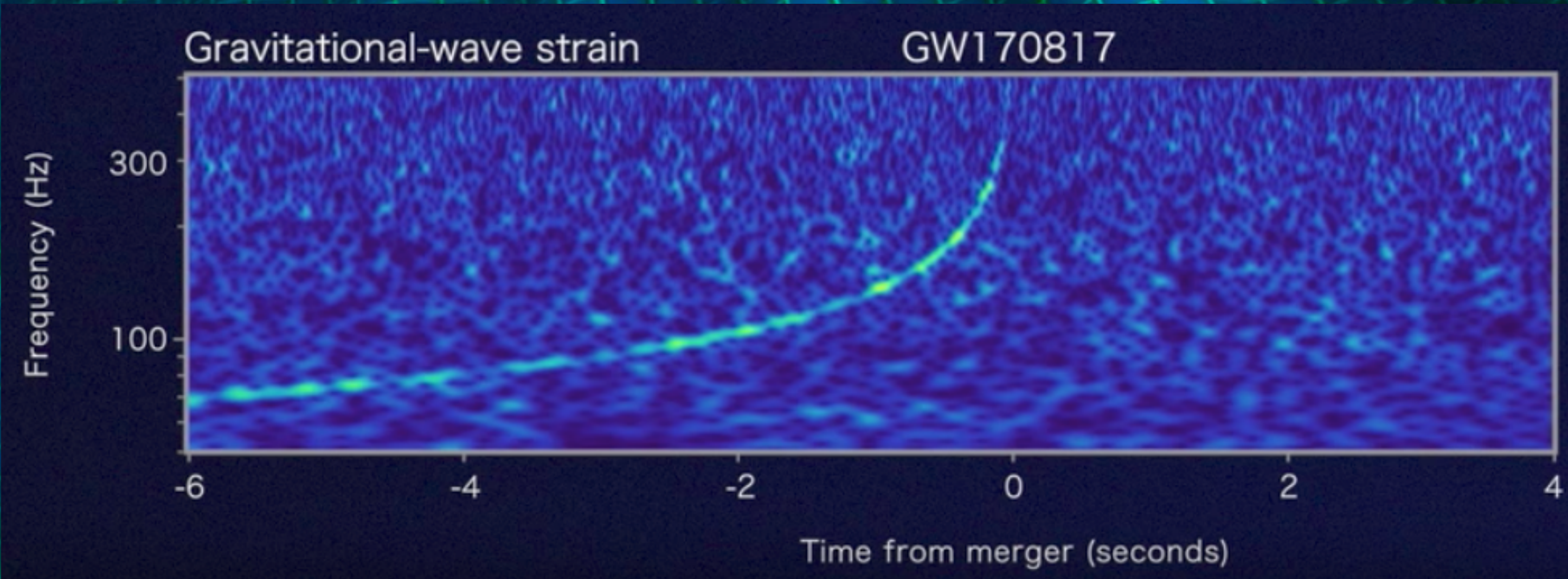
Neutrinos

Lightest massive particles



Gravitational Waves

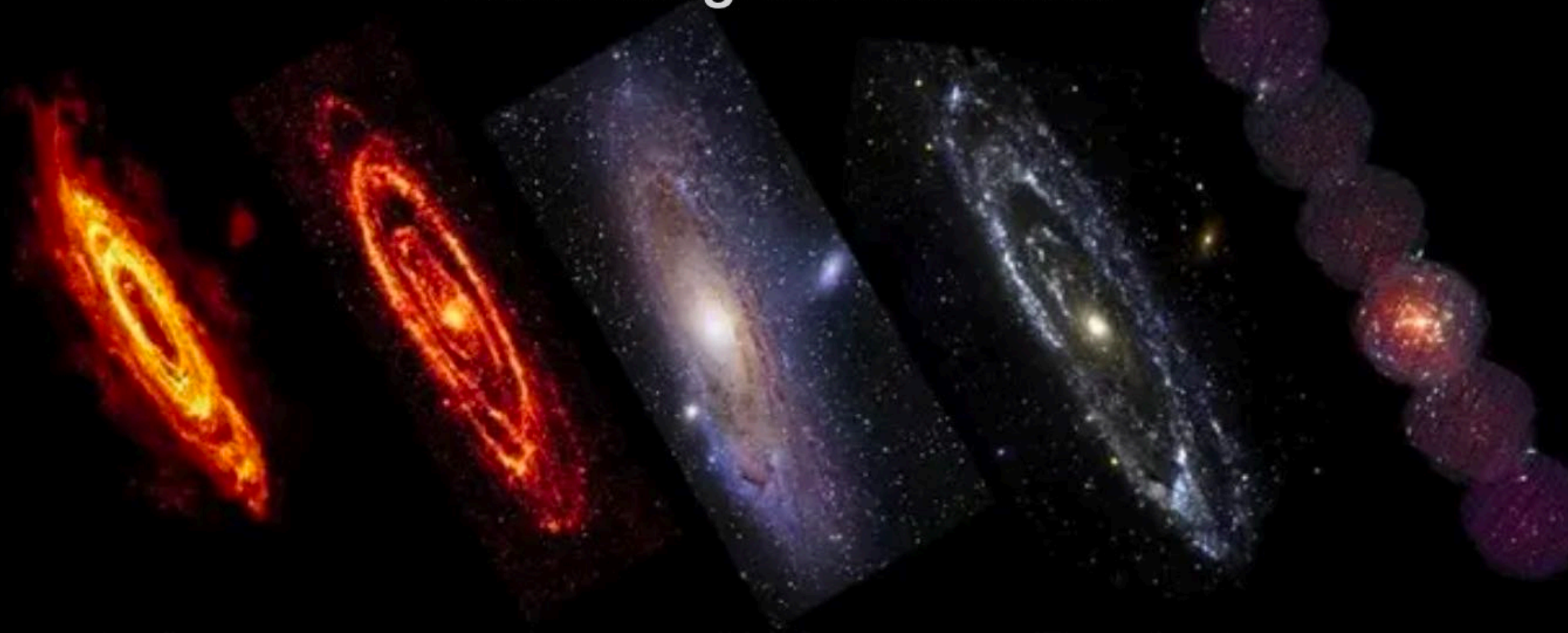
Ripples in spacetime



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Electromagnetic radiation

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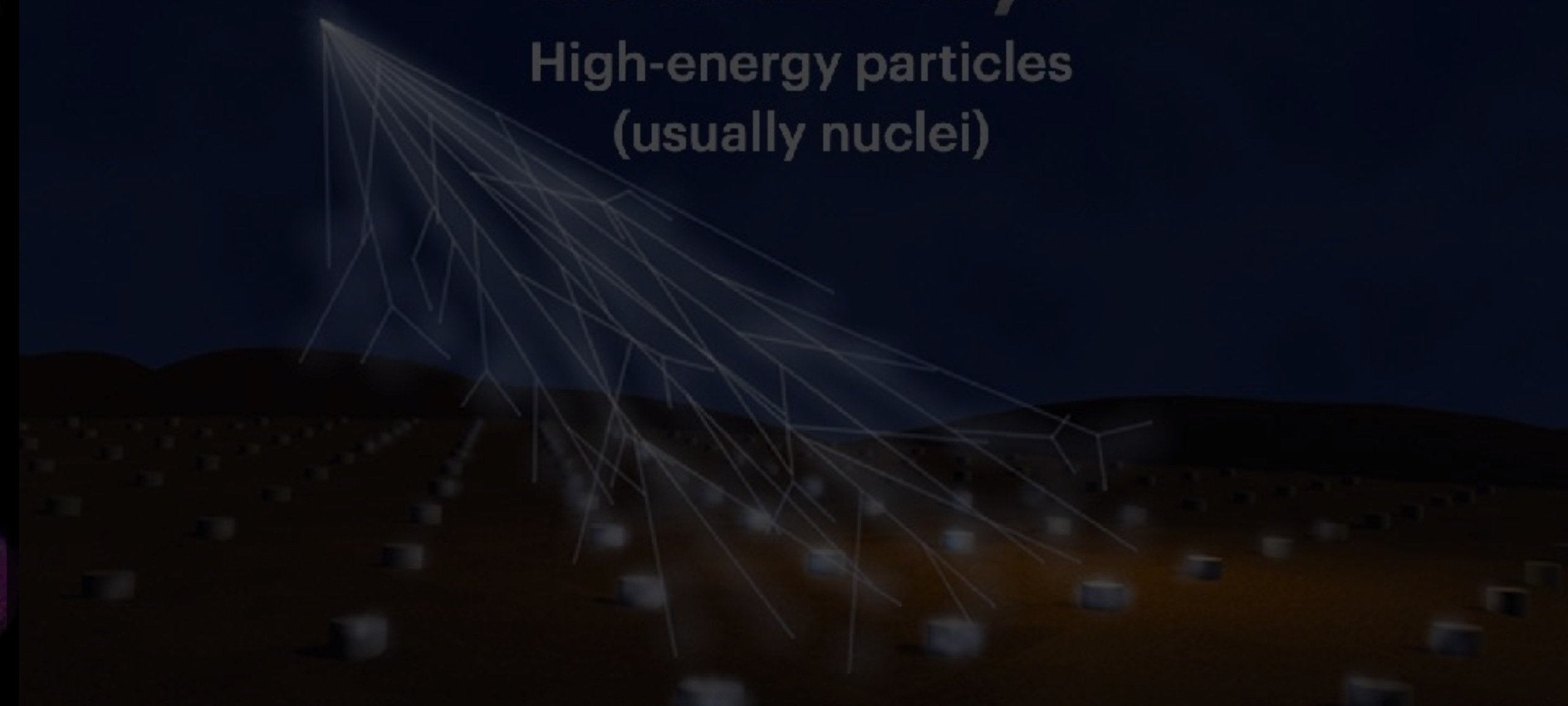
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Pierre Auger: ASPERA/G.Toma/A.Saito

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Hyper-Kamiokande (Kamioka Observatory 7-Inst. for Cosmic Ray Research / U Tokyo)

Australian Government
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OzGrav
ARC Centre of Excellence for Gravitational Wave Discovery

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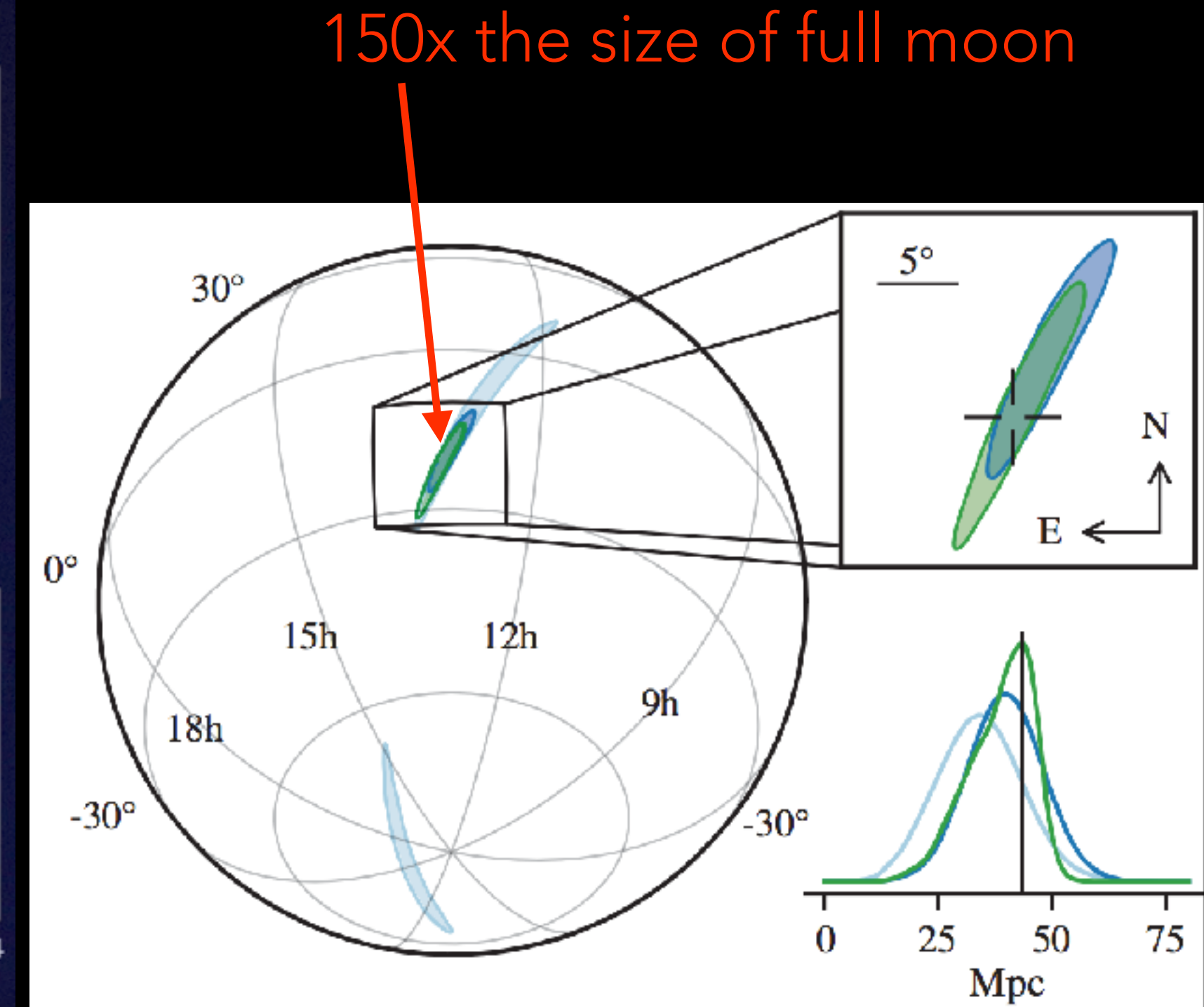
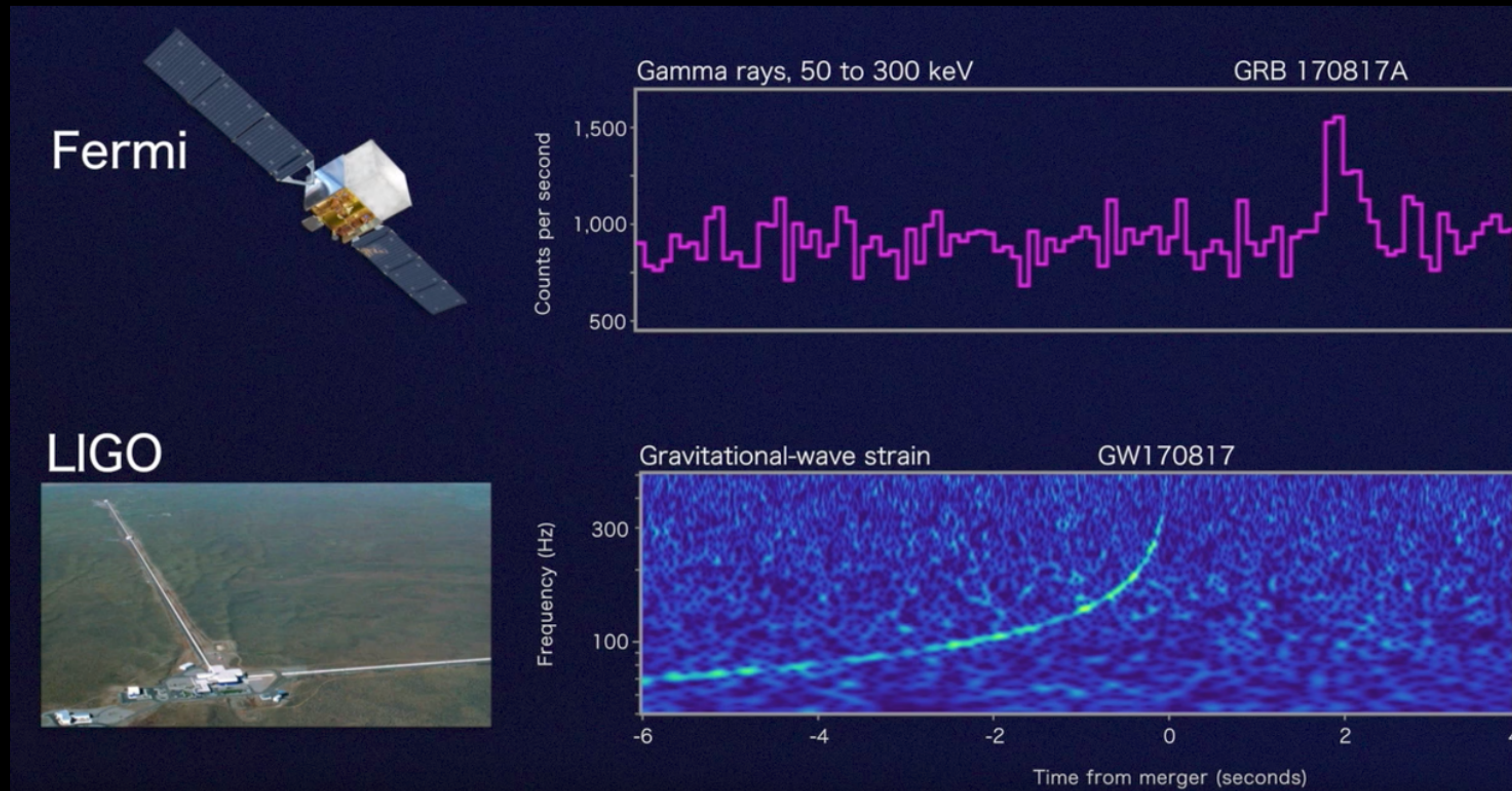
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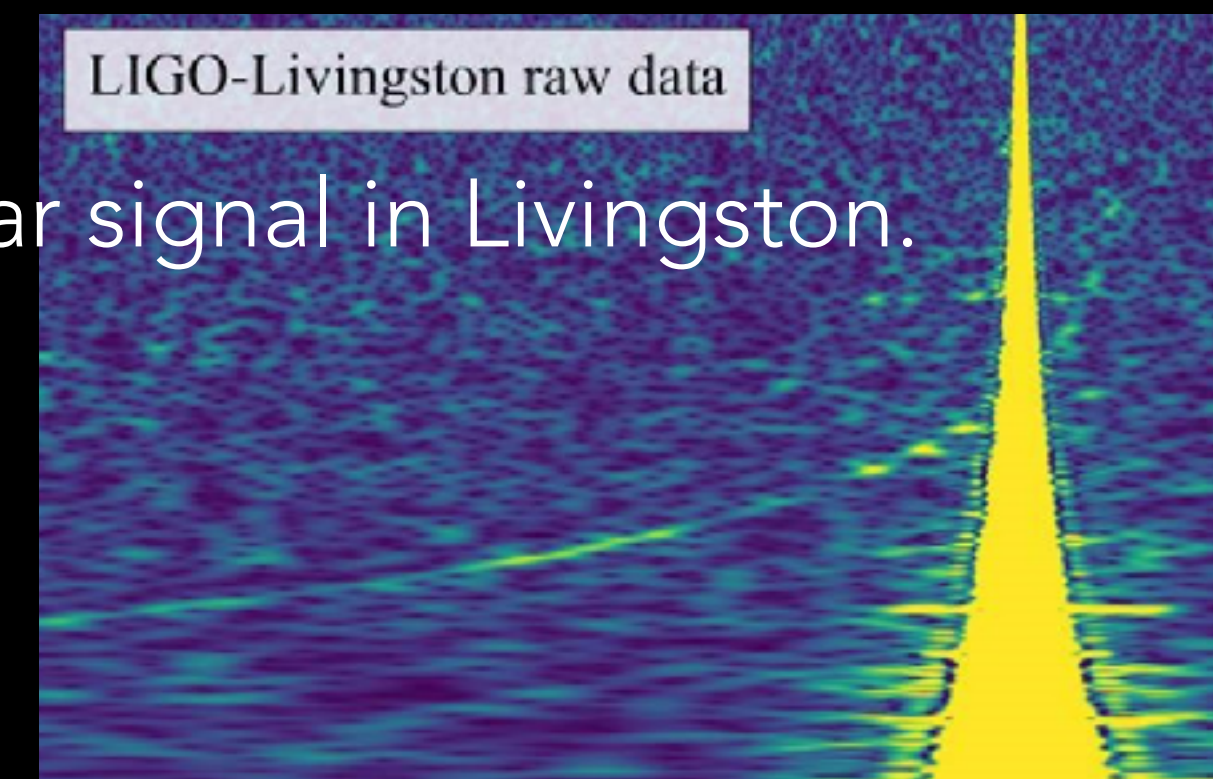
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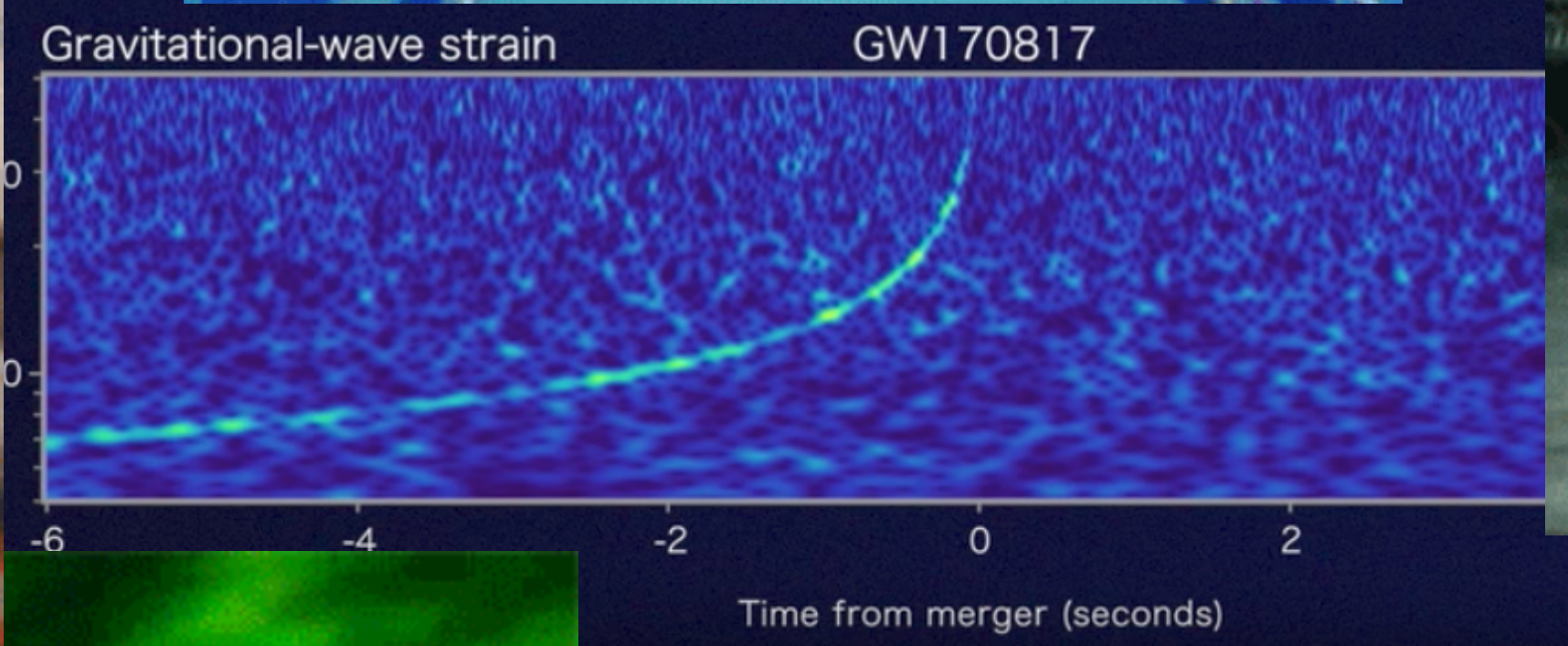
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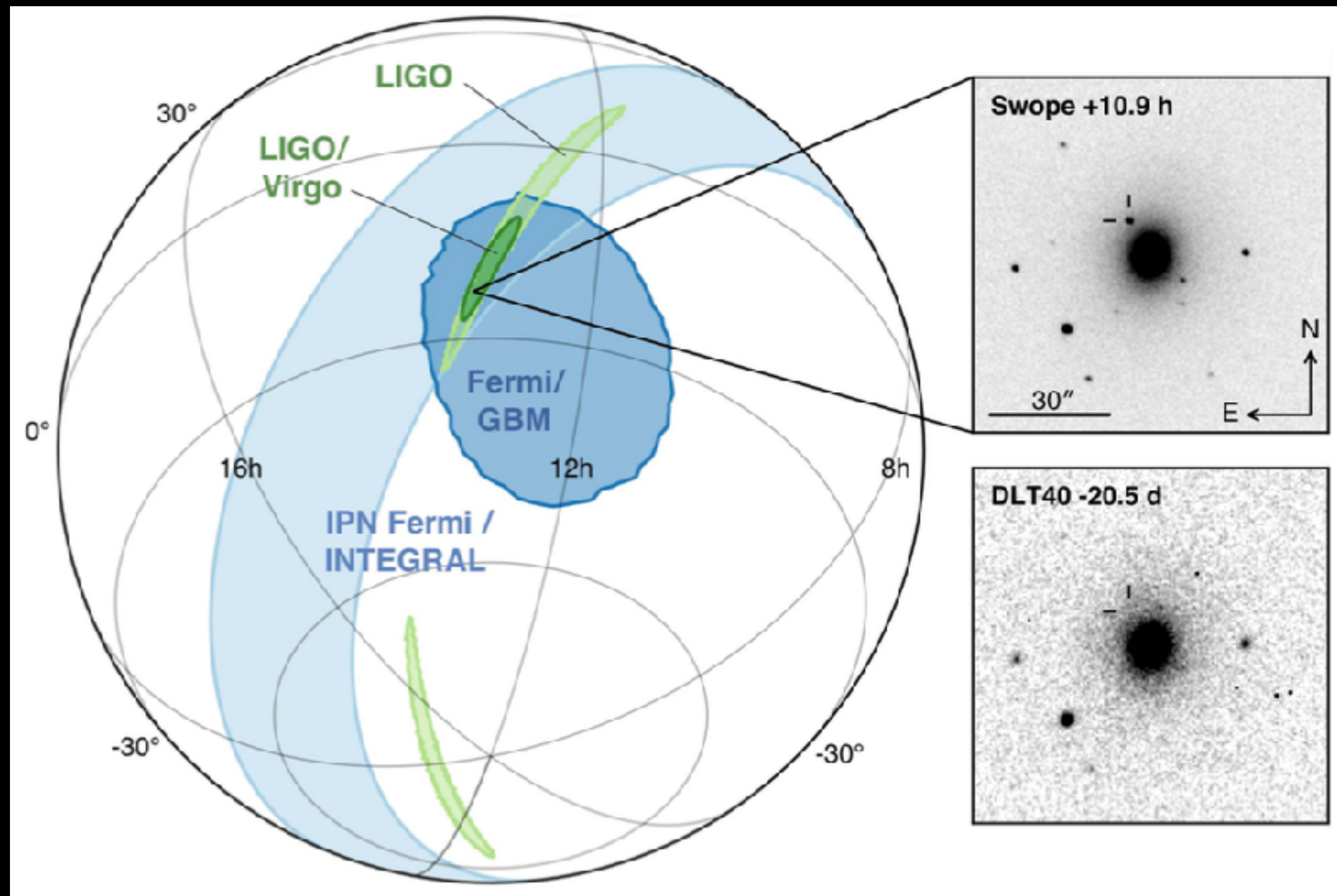
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- [100s] GRB170817a: **Detected by Fermi 2s** after coalescence. Announced 14s later.
- Knowledge of coincident GRB triggered visual inspection of LIGO Livingston -> Clear signal in Livingston.
- [40min] Highly significant binary event disseminated @13:21:42 UTC
- Virgo searched, detected (SNR=2).
- [5hr] approx sky map released @17:54:51 UTC
- [11hr] preliminary sky map released @ 23:54:40 UTC



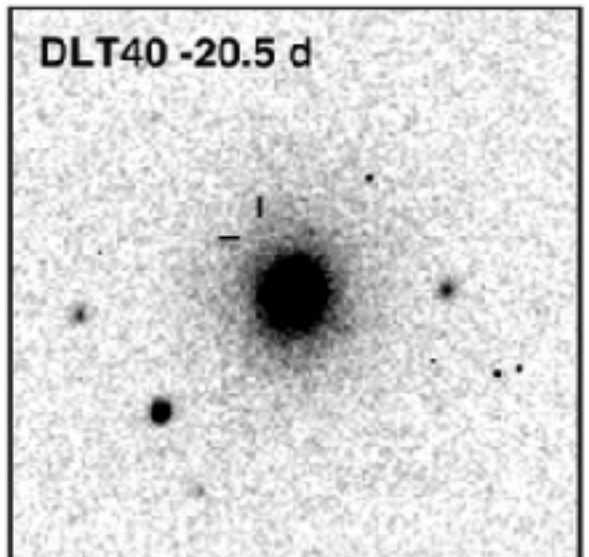
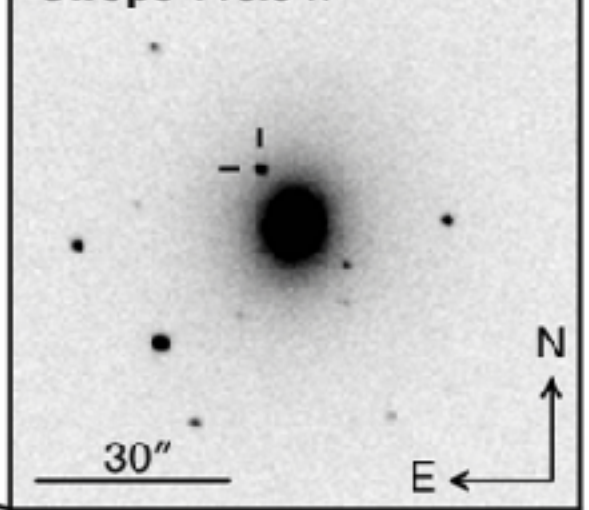
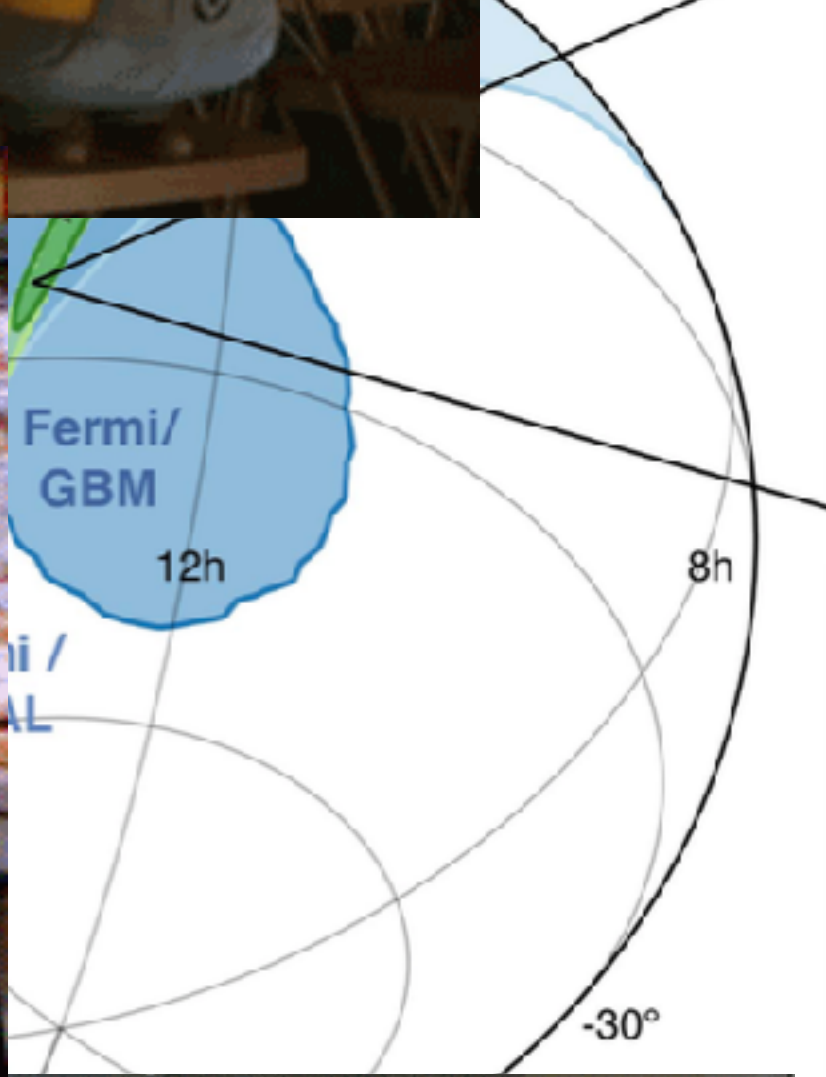
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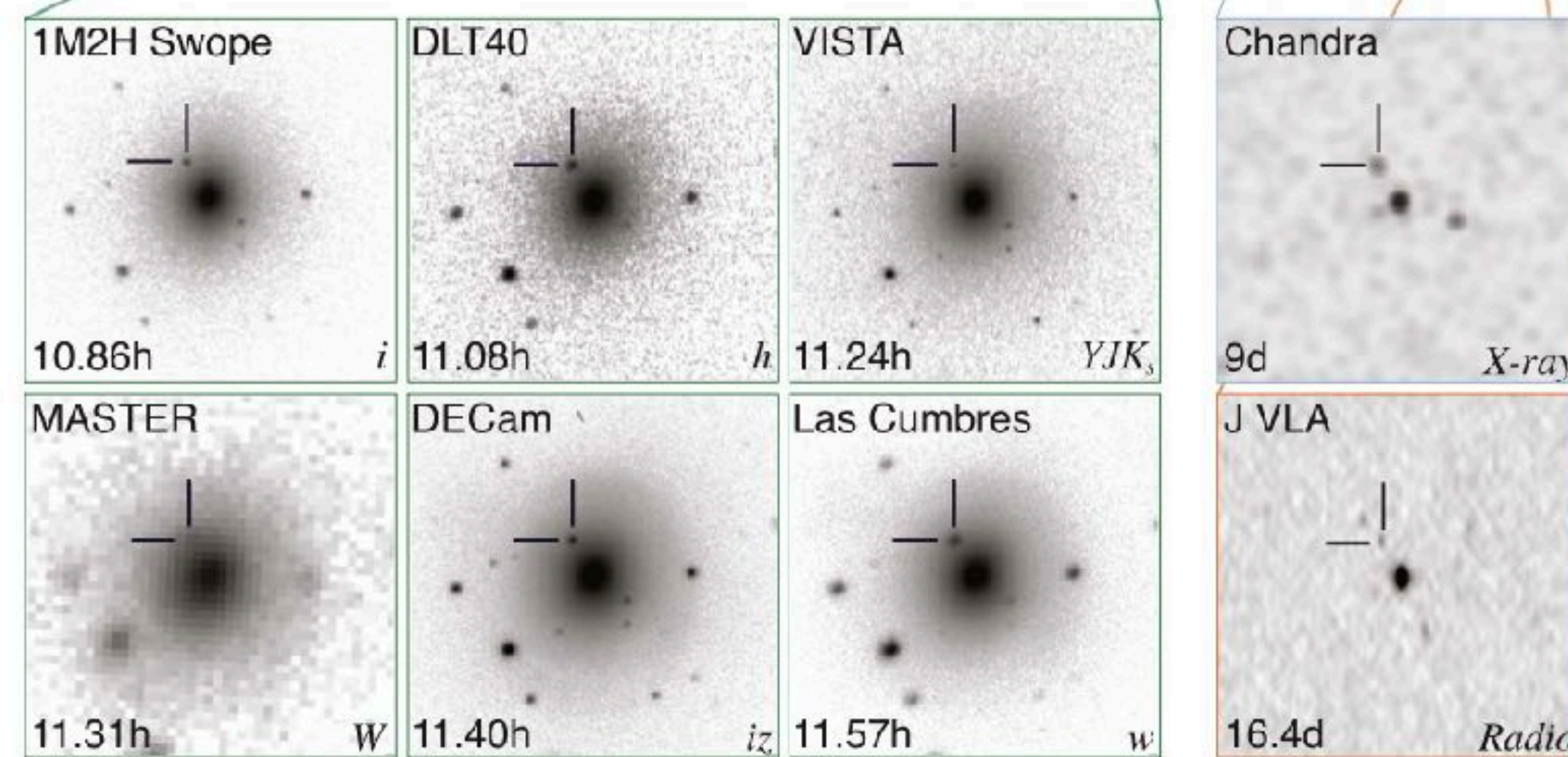
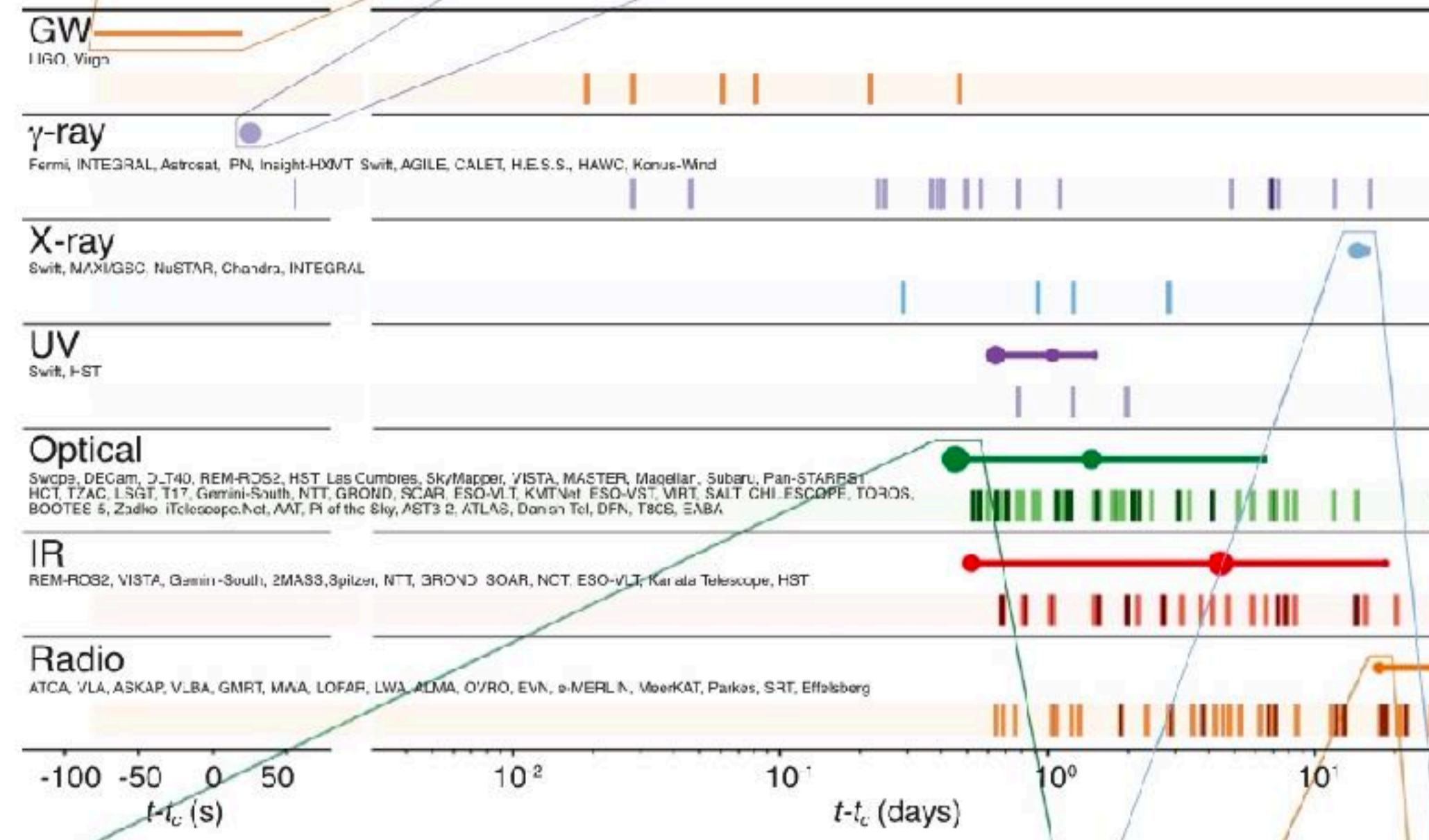
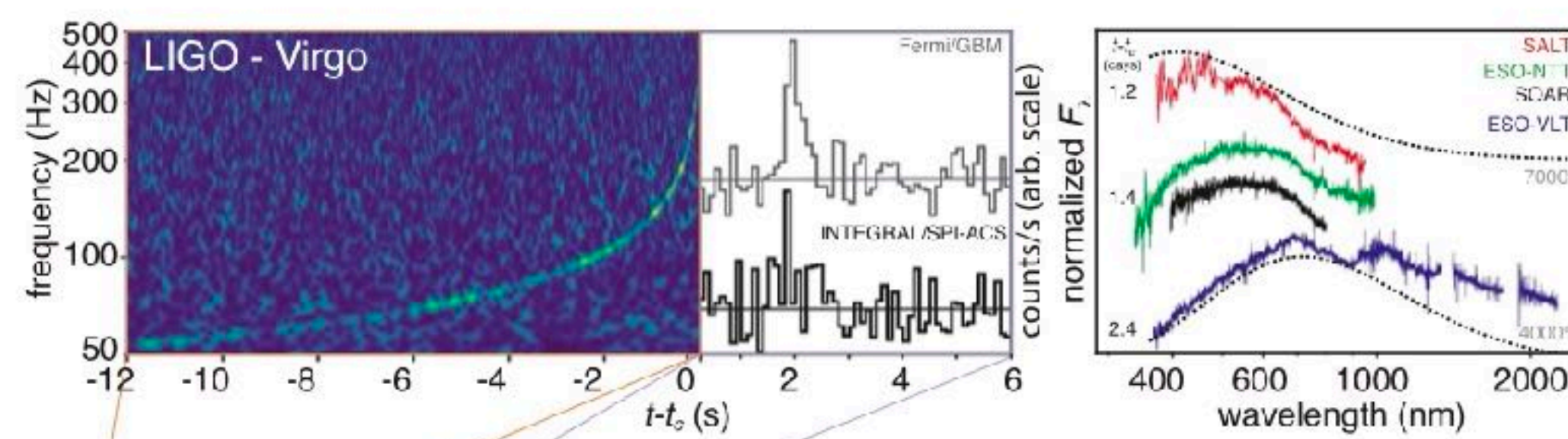


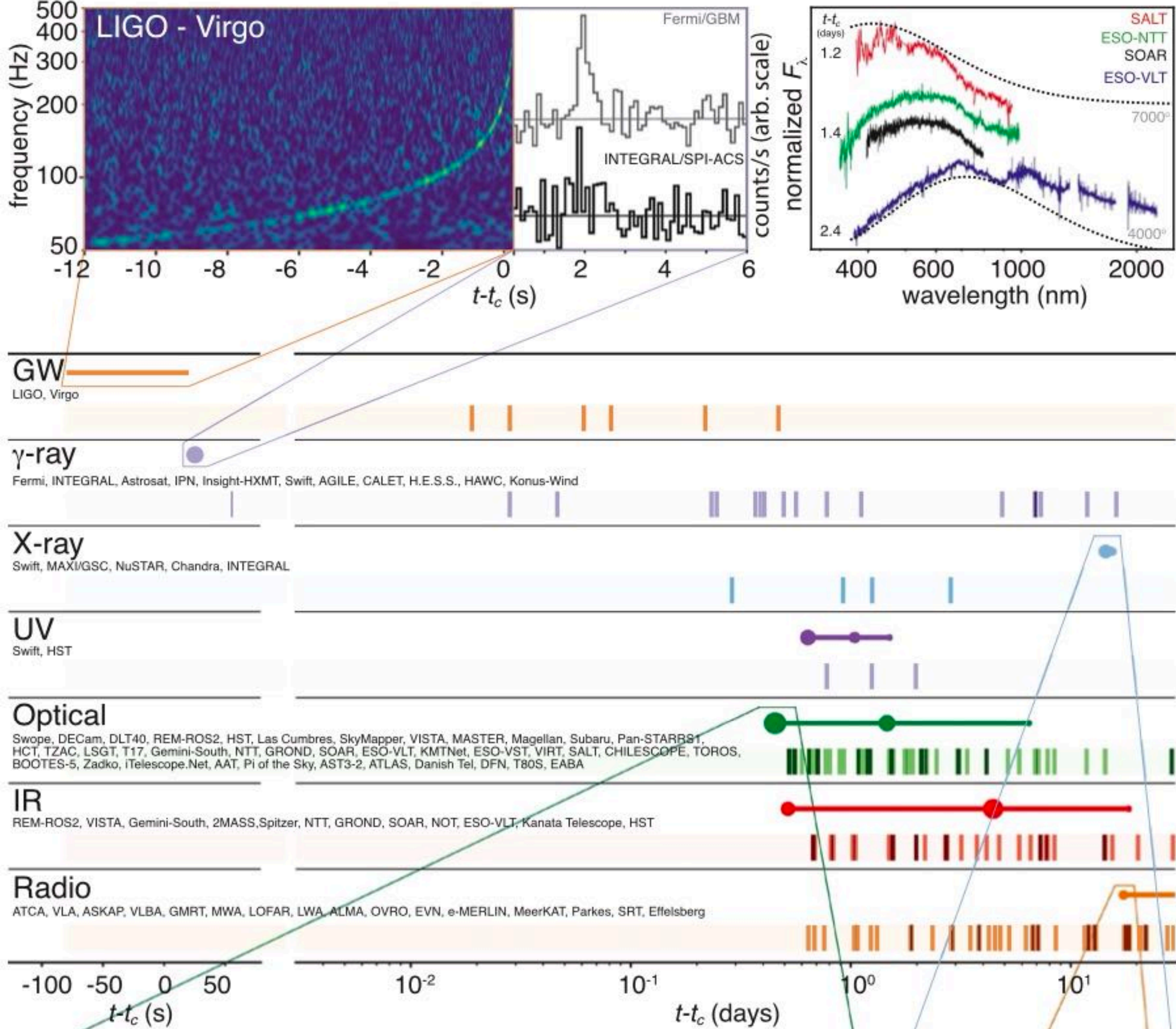
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UV

Swift, HST

Optical

Swope, DECam, DLT40, REM-ROS2, HST, Las Cumbres, SkyMapper, VISTA, MASTER, Magellan, Subaru, Pan-STARRS1, HCT, TZAC, LSGT, T17, Gemini-South, NTT, GROND, SOAR, ESO-VLT, KMTNet, ESO-VST, VIRT, SALT, CHILESCOPE, TOROS, BOOTES-5, Zadko, iTelescope.Net, AAT, Pi of the Sky, AST3-2, ATLAS, Danish Tel, DFN, T80S, EABA

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REM-ROS2, VISTA, Gemini-South, 2MASS, Spitzer, NTT, GROND, SOAR, NOT, ESO-VLT, Kanata Telescope, HST

Radio

ATCA, VLA, ASKAP, VLBA, GMRT, MWA, LOFAR, LWA, ALMA, OVRO, EVN, e-MERLIN, MeerKAT, Parkes, SRT, Effelsberg

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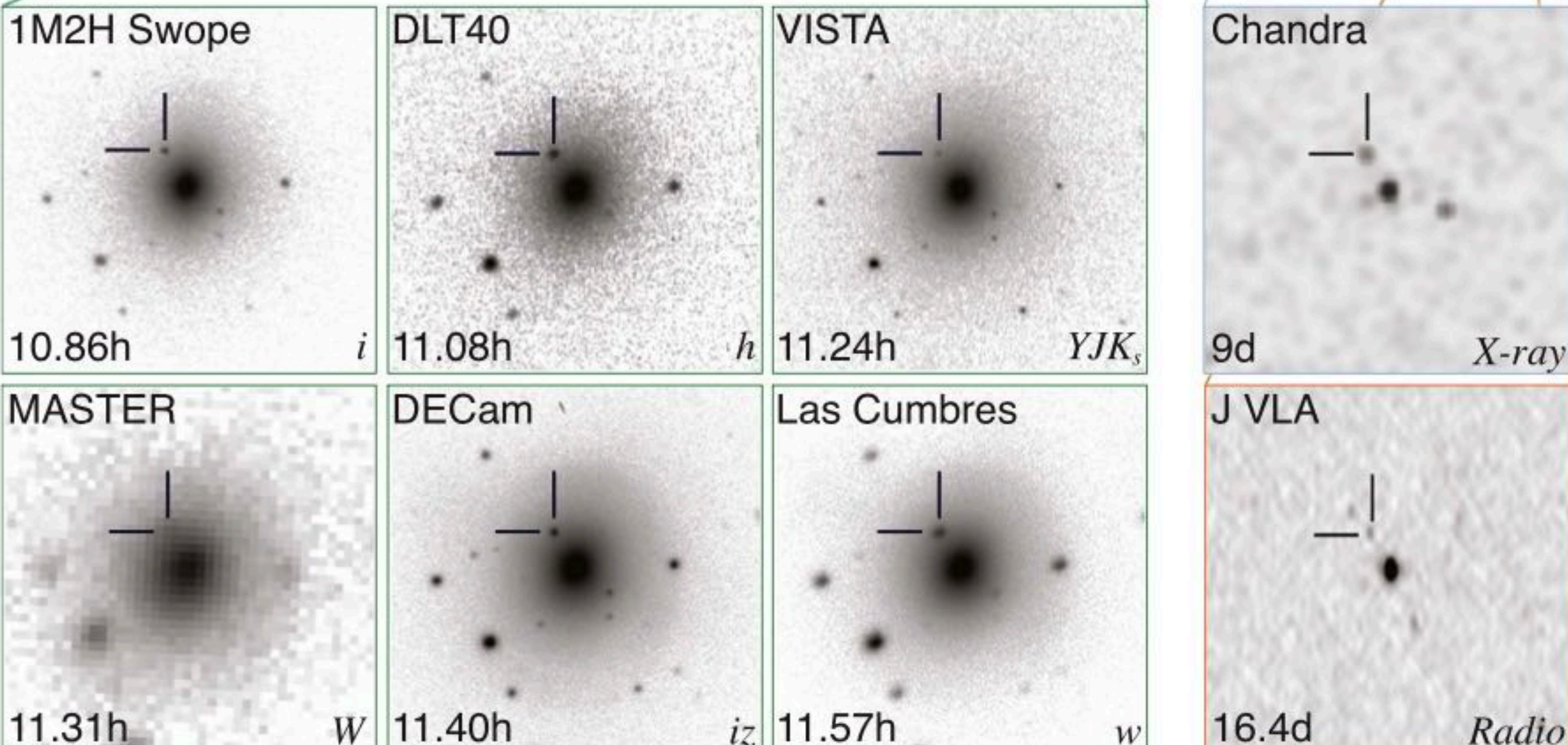
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Radio



Why all the excitement?

WHAT IS A NEUTRON STAR?

- Mass of the sun in the size of a city.
- Basically an enormous nucleus.
- 1 tsp weighs a billion tonnes
- Stiffest material we know of in the universe
- Magnetic fields $10^8 - 10^{15}$ x Earth's



INSIDE A NEUTRON STAR

A NASA mission will use X-ray spectroscopy to gather clues about the interior of neutron stars — the Universe's densest forms of matter.

Outer crust —
Atomic nuclei, free electrons

Inner crust —
Heavier atomic nuclei, free neutrons and electrons

Outer core —
Quantum liquid where neutrons, protons and electrons exist in a soup

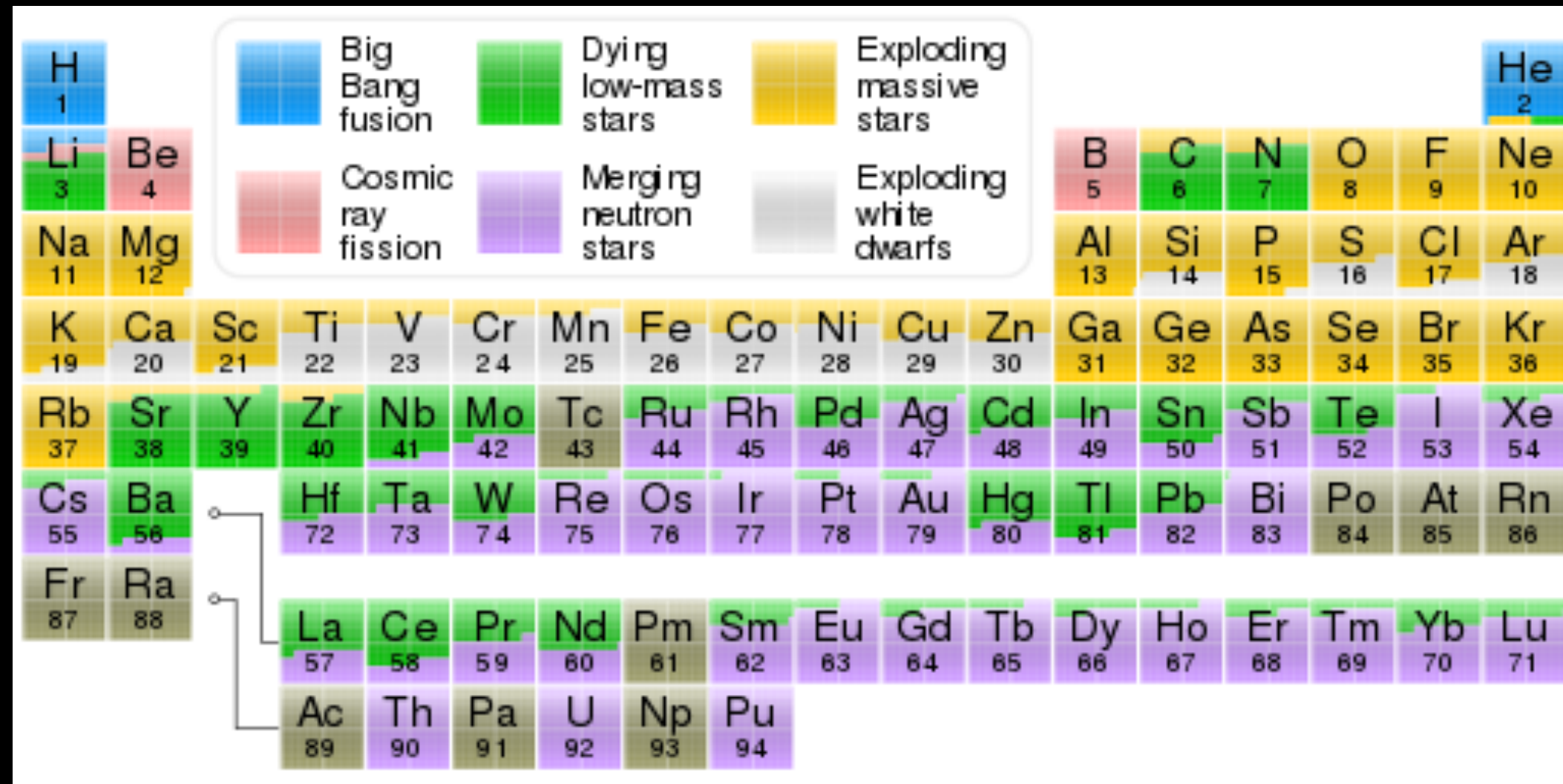
Inner core —
Unknown ultra-dense matter. Neutrons and protons may remain as particles, break down into their constituent quarks, or even become 'hyperons'.

Atmosphere —
Hydrogen, helium, carbon

Beam of X-rays coming from the neutron star's poles, which sweeps around as the star rotates.

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WHERE DID THE HEAVY ELEMENTS COME FROM?



Confirmed where most of the gold in the universe comes from!!

(1,300-10,000 x Earth Mass precious metals in this one)

HOW DOES NUCLEAR MATERIAL BEHAVE?

Also sensitive to point mass, spin, tidal dynamics.

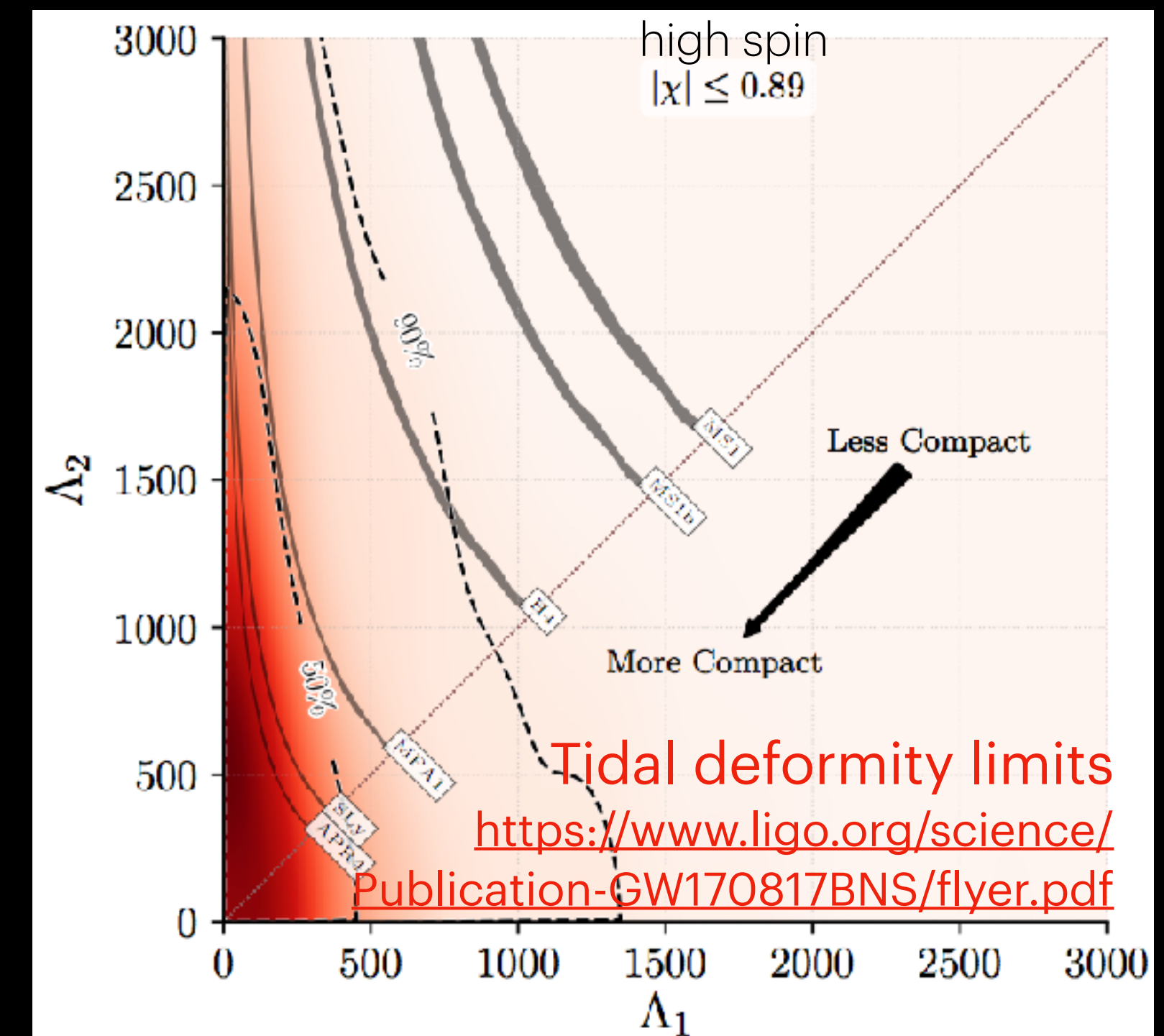
Thus sensitive to stiffness / size / equation of state of star.

GRAVITY TRAVELS AT THE SPEED OF LIGHT

1.7s difference over time since the dinosaurs (130Myr)

$$\Delta v_{\text{grav-light}} = 0c \begin{matrix} +7 \times 10^{-16}c \\ -3 \times 10^{-15}c \end{matrix}$$

Also no Lorentz violation and equivalence principle holds.

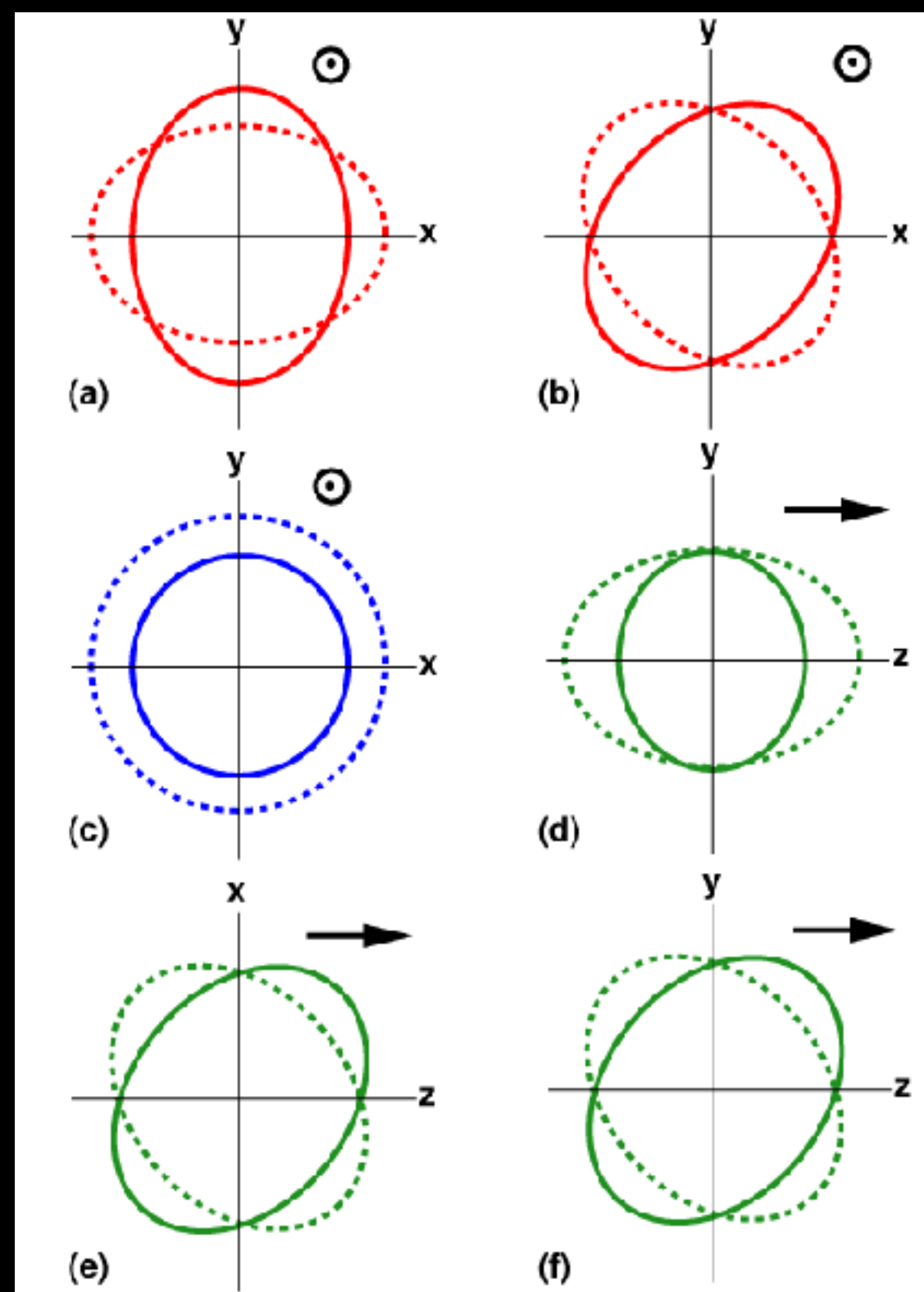


RULES OUT SOME NON-STANDARD GRAVITY THEORIES

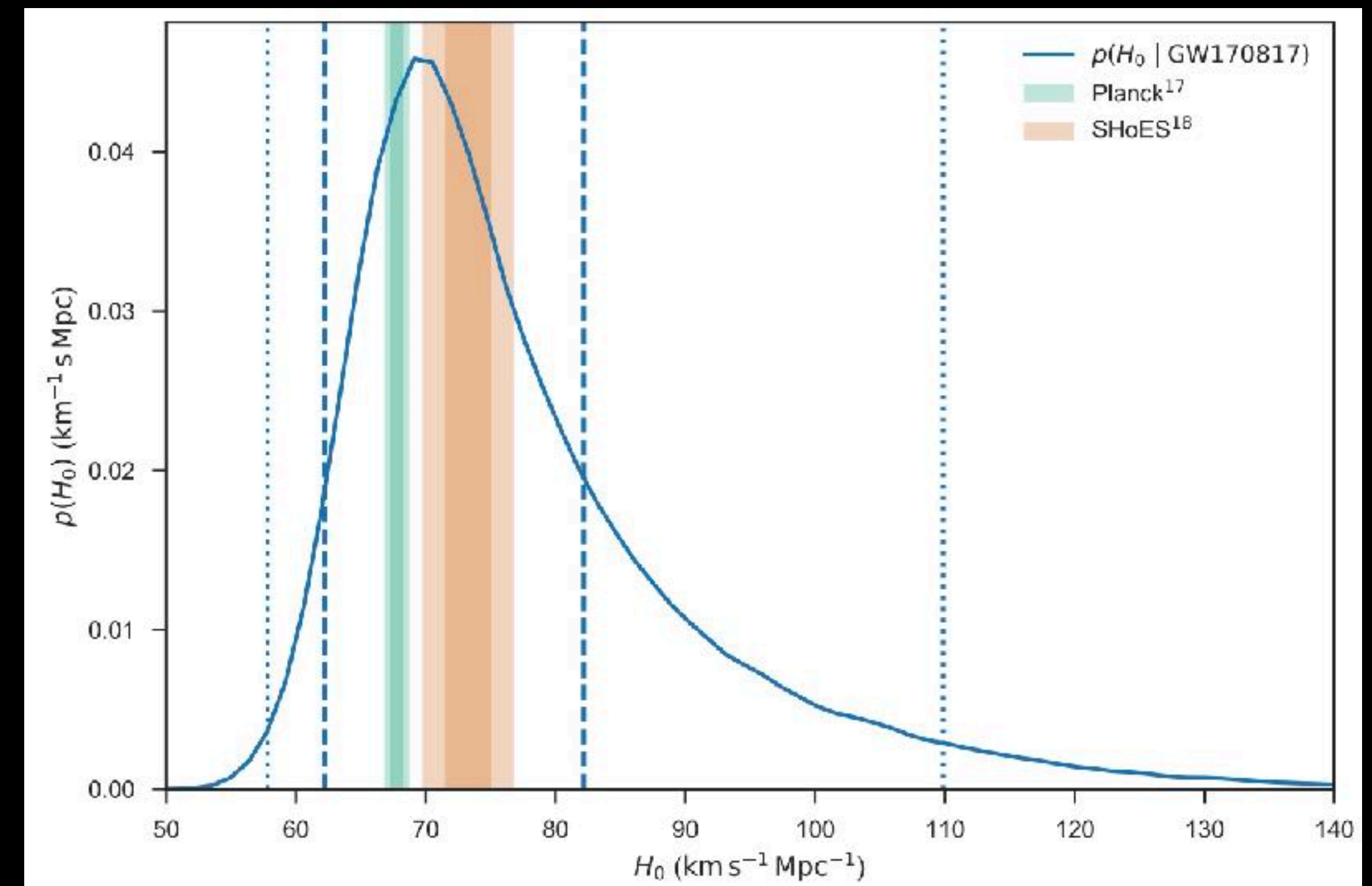
Permitted by GR

Forbidden by GR,
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theories of gravity

Polarization

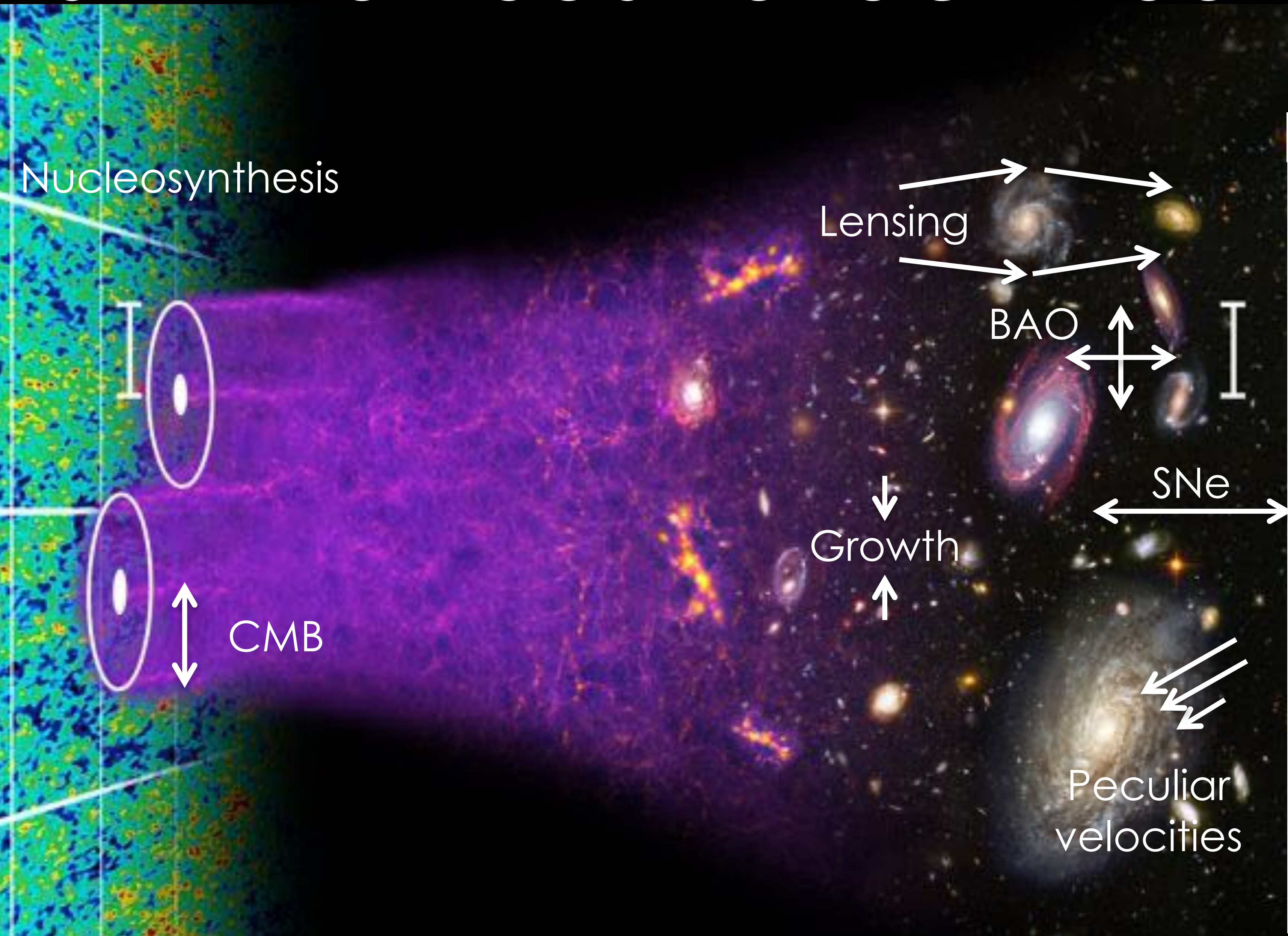


MEASURED EXPANSION RATE OF THE UNIVERSE



$$H_0 = 70.0 \pm {}^{12.0}_{8.0} \text{ km/s/Mpc}$$

STATE OF COSMOLOGY - CONCORDANCE(?)



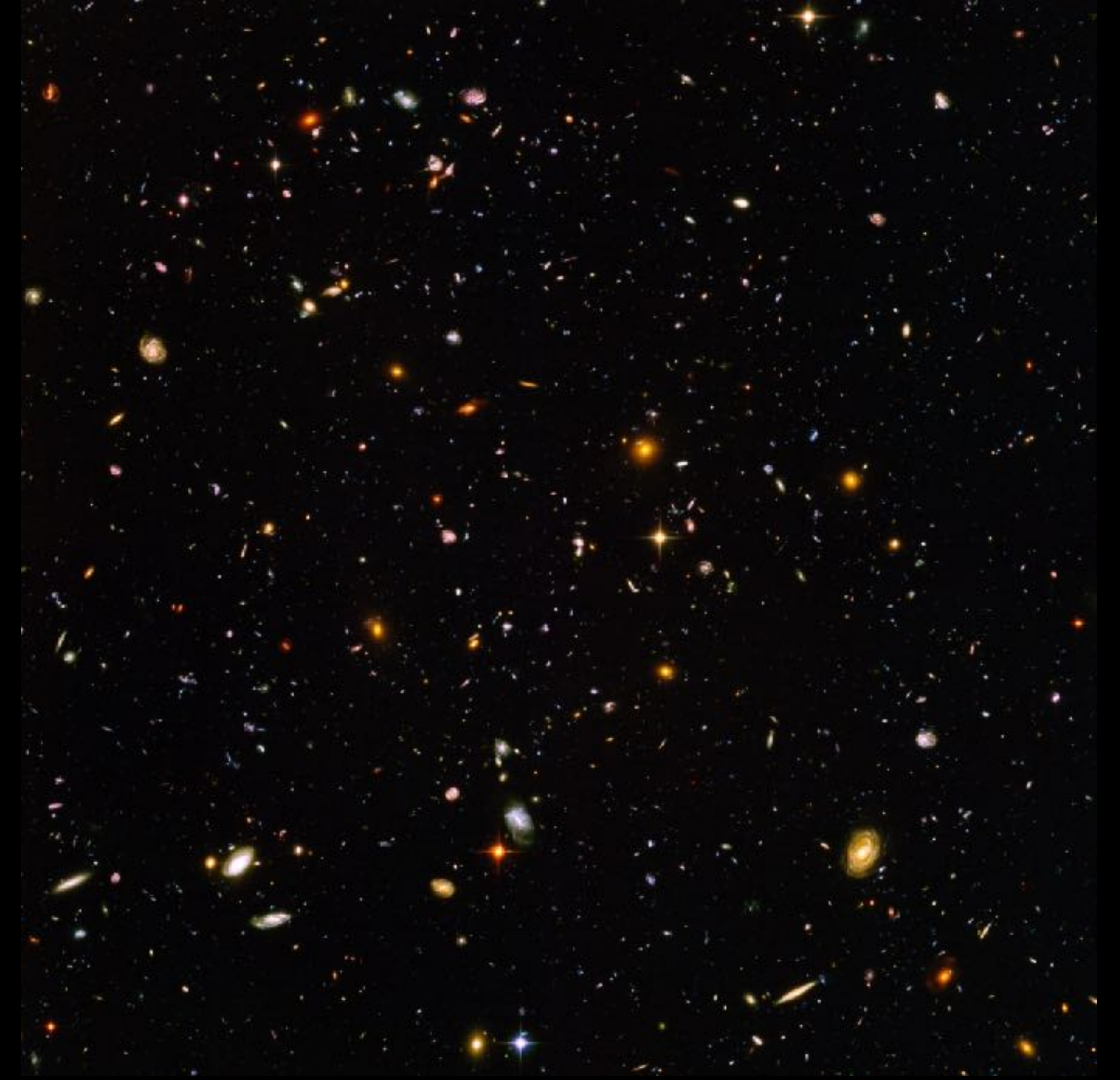
Planck 2018 (TT, TE, EE + lowE + lensing + BAO)

| Parameter | TT,TE,EE+lowE+lensing+BAO 68% limits |
|---|---|
| $\Omega_b h^2$ baryon density | 0.02242 \pm 0.00014 |
| $\Omega_c h^2$ cold dark matter | 0.11933 \pm 0.00091 |
| $100\theta_{MC}$ sound horizon scale | 1.04101 \pm 0.00029 |
| τ optical depth | 0.0561 \pm 0.0071 |
| $\ln(10^{10} A_s)$ initial amplitude | 3.047 \pm 0.014 |
| n_s initial slope | 0.9665 \pm 0.0038 |
| H_0 [km s ⁻¹ Mpc ⁻¹] | 67.66 \pm 0.42 |
| Ω_Λ cosmo const density | 0.6889 \pm 0.0056 |
| Ω_m matter density | 0.3111 \pm 0.0056 |
| $\Omega_m h^2$ | 0.14240 \pm 0.00087 |
| $\Omega_m h^3$ | 0.09635 \pm 0.00030 |
| σ_8 fluct'n amplitude | 0.8102 \pm 0.0060 |
| $S_8 \equiv \sigma_8 (\Omega_m / 0.3)^{0.5}$ | 0.825 \pm 0.011 |

Cosmological conundrums

Dark Matter

Dark Energy



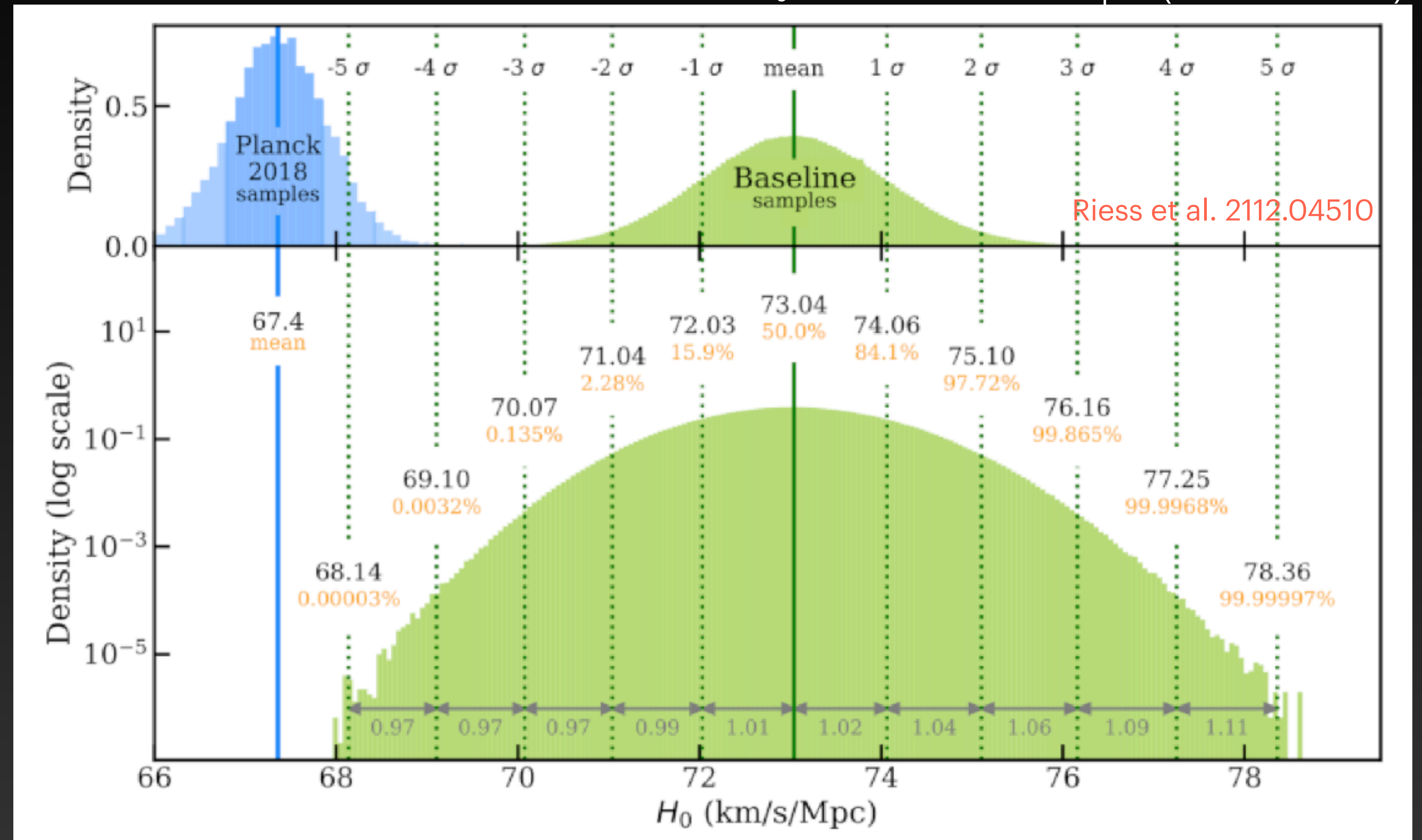
pulls, clumpy

pushes, smooth

Cosmological tensions

H₀ tension

H₀ = 73.04 ± 1.04 km s⁻¹ Mpc⁻¹ (Riess et al. 2022)



Expansion rate of the universe at present day

H_0

$$v = HD$$

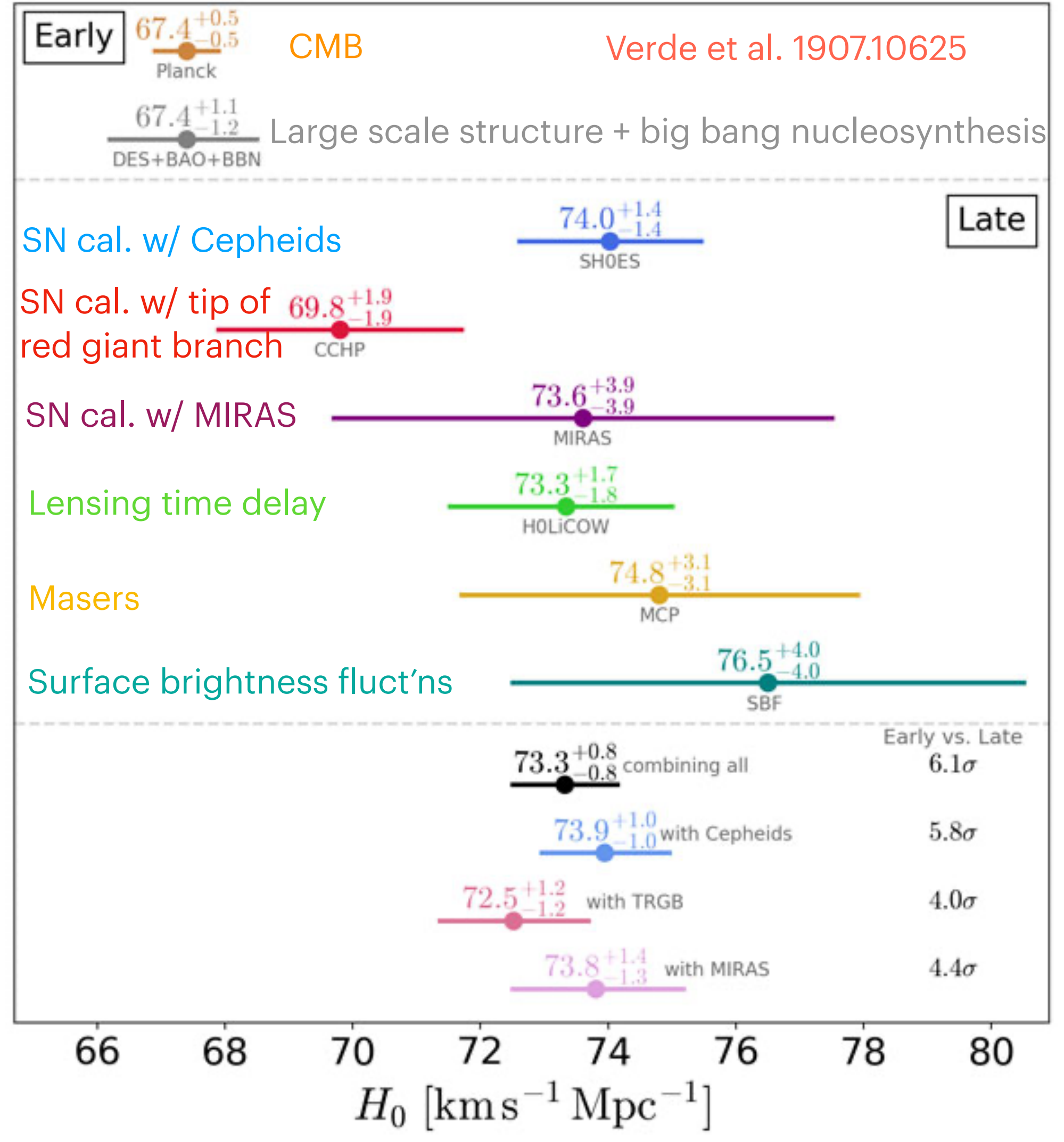
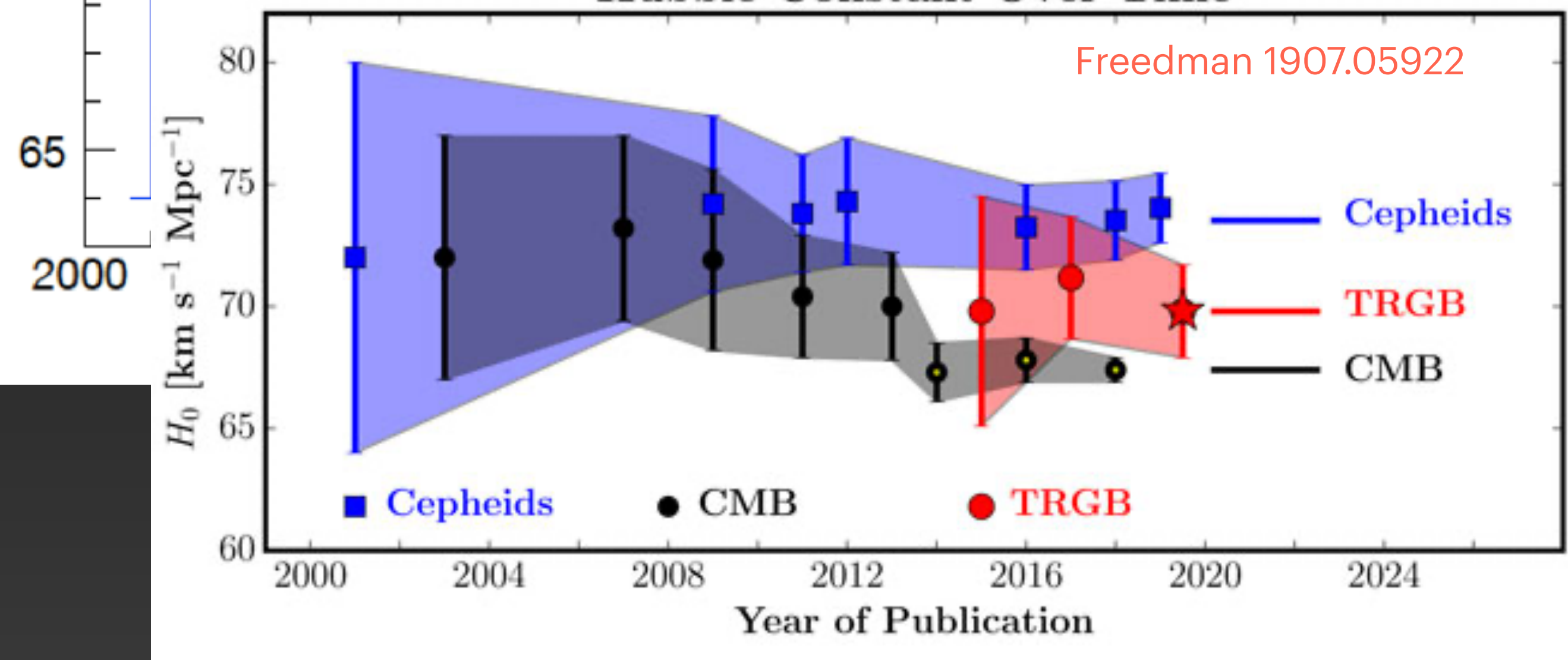
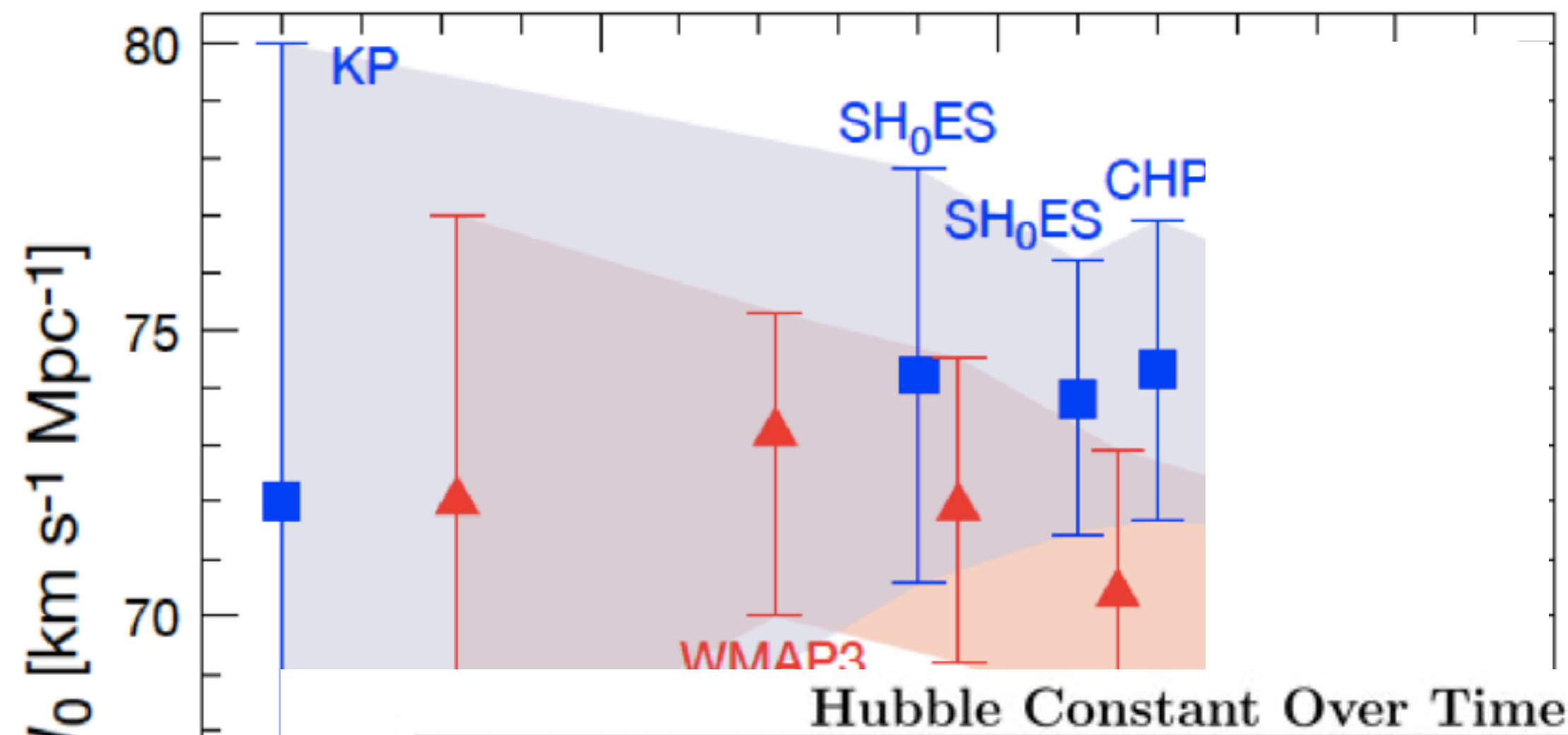
$$H \equiv \frac{\text{Rate of change of scalefactor}}{\text{scalefactor}}$$

$$v(t_0) = H_0 D_0$$

H₀ = Current expansion rate

Cosmological tensions

H₀ tension



$H_0 = 69.6 \pm 1.9 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ (Freedman et al. 2020)

Cosmological tensions

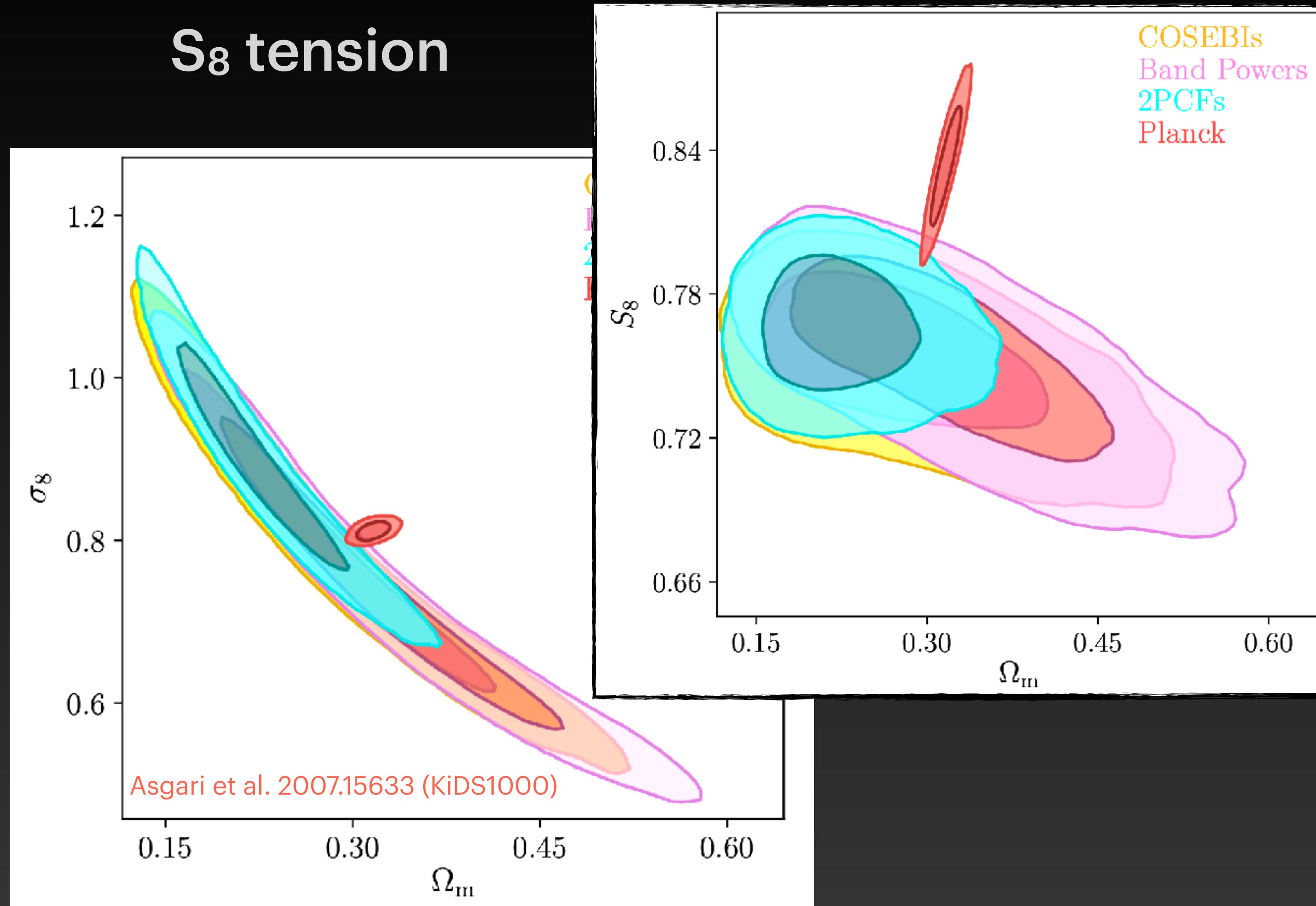
Amplitude of density fluctuations at present day

$$\sigma_8$$

1. measure density in spheres of 8 Mpc radius
2. calculate the dispersion

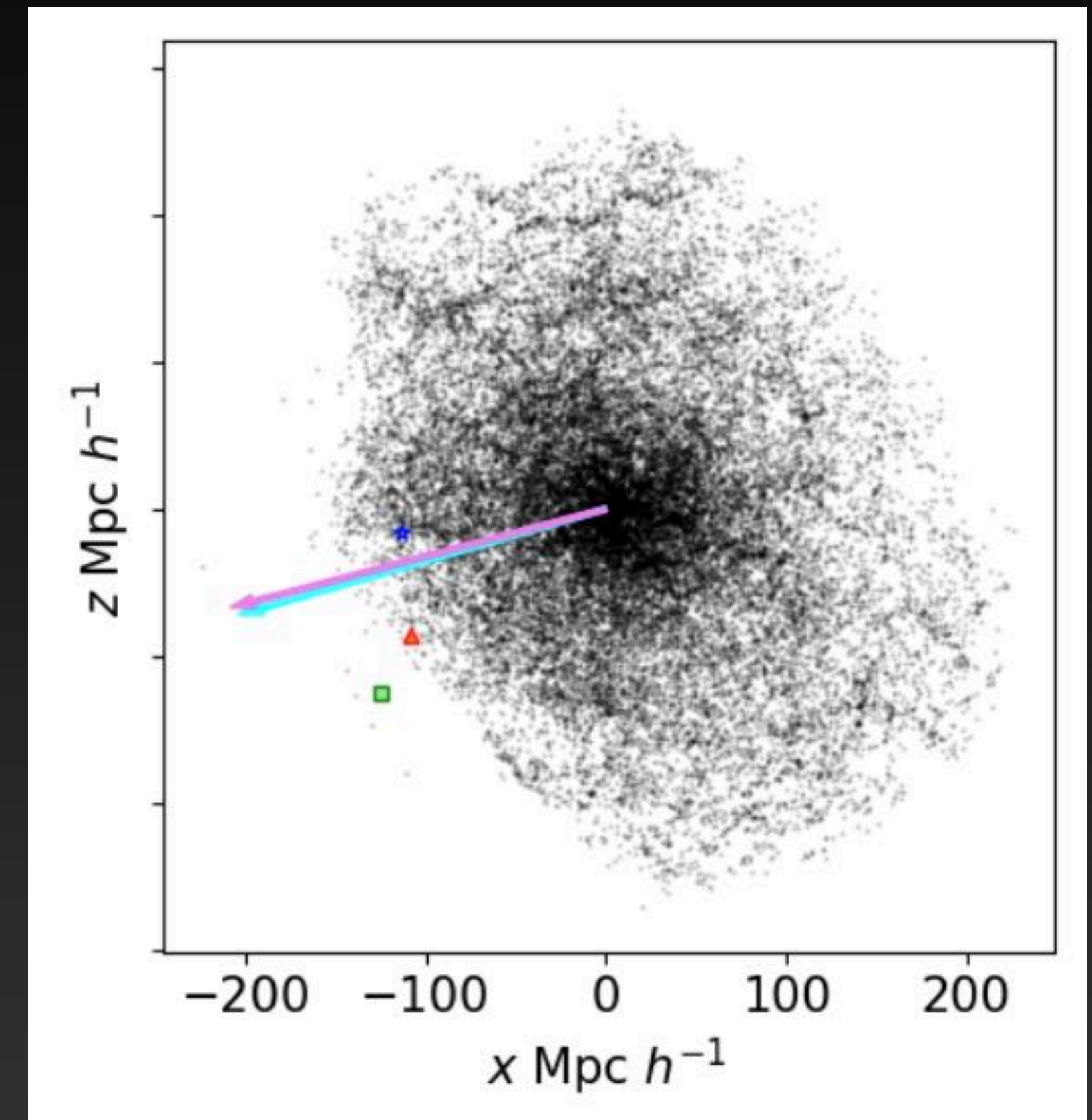
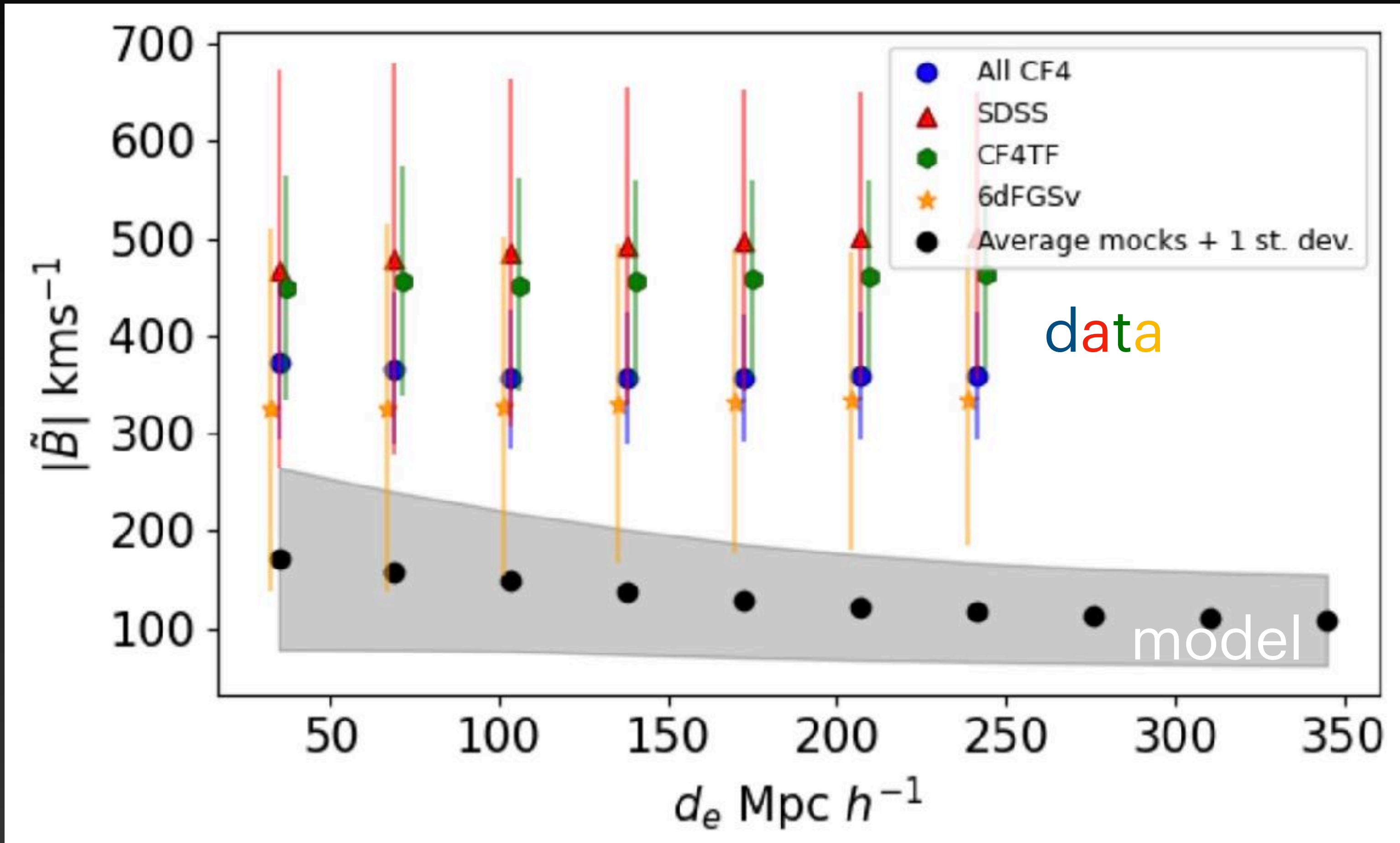


S_8 tension



Cosmological tensions

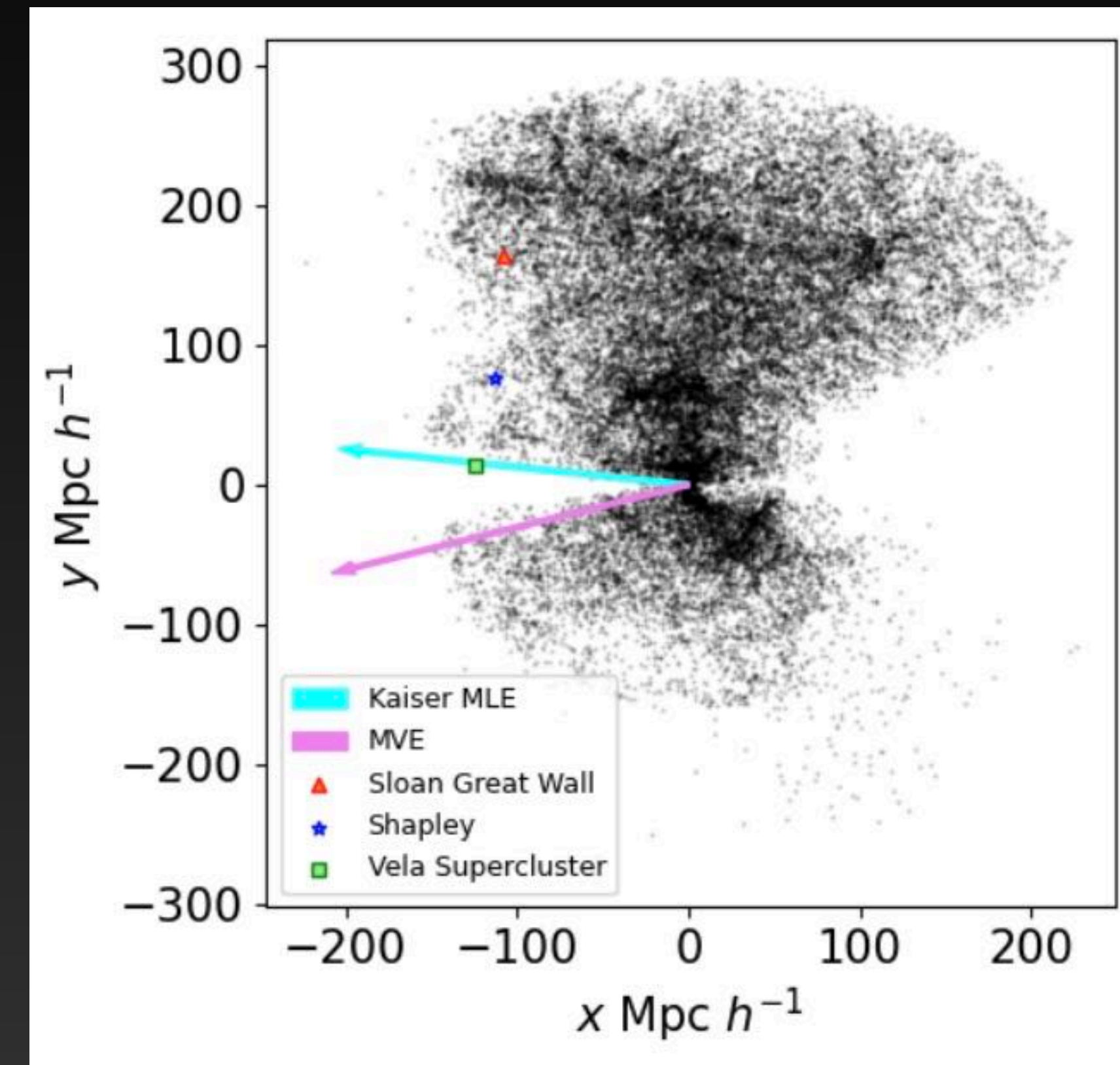
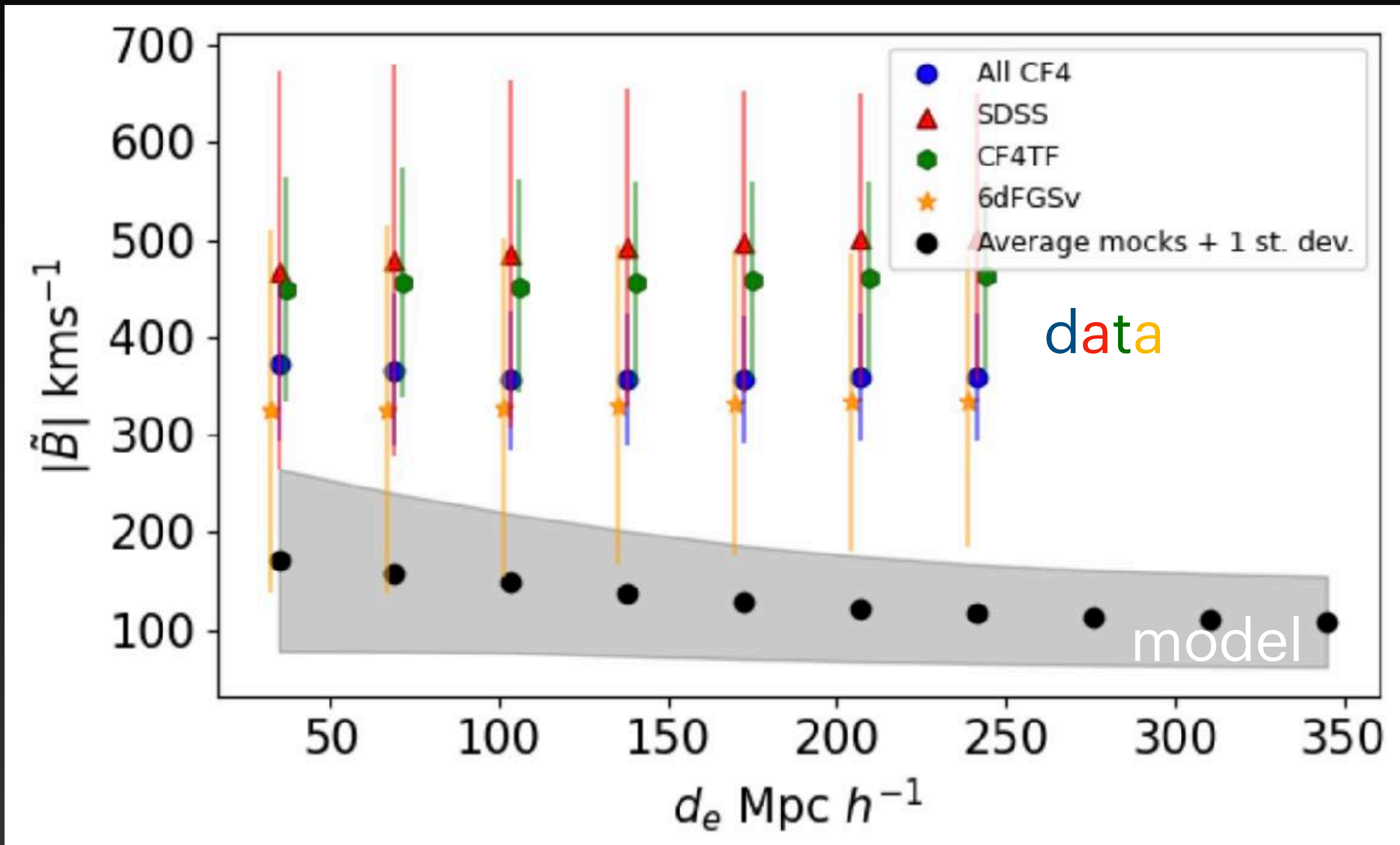
Bulk flow tension?



Whitford, Howlett, Davis 2023
(also see Watkins et al. 2023)

Cosmological tensions

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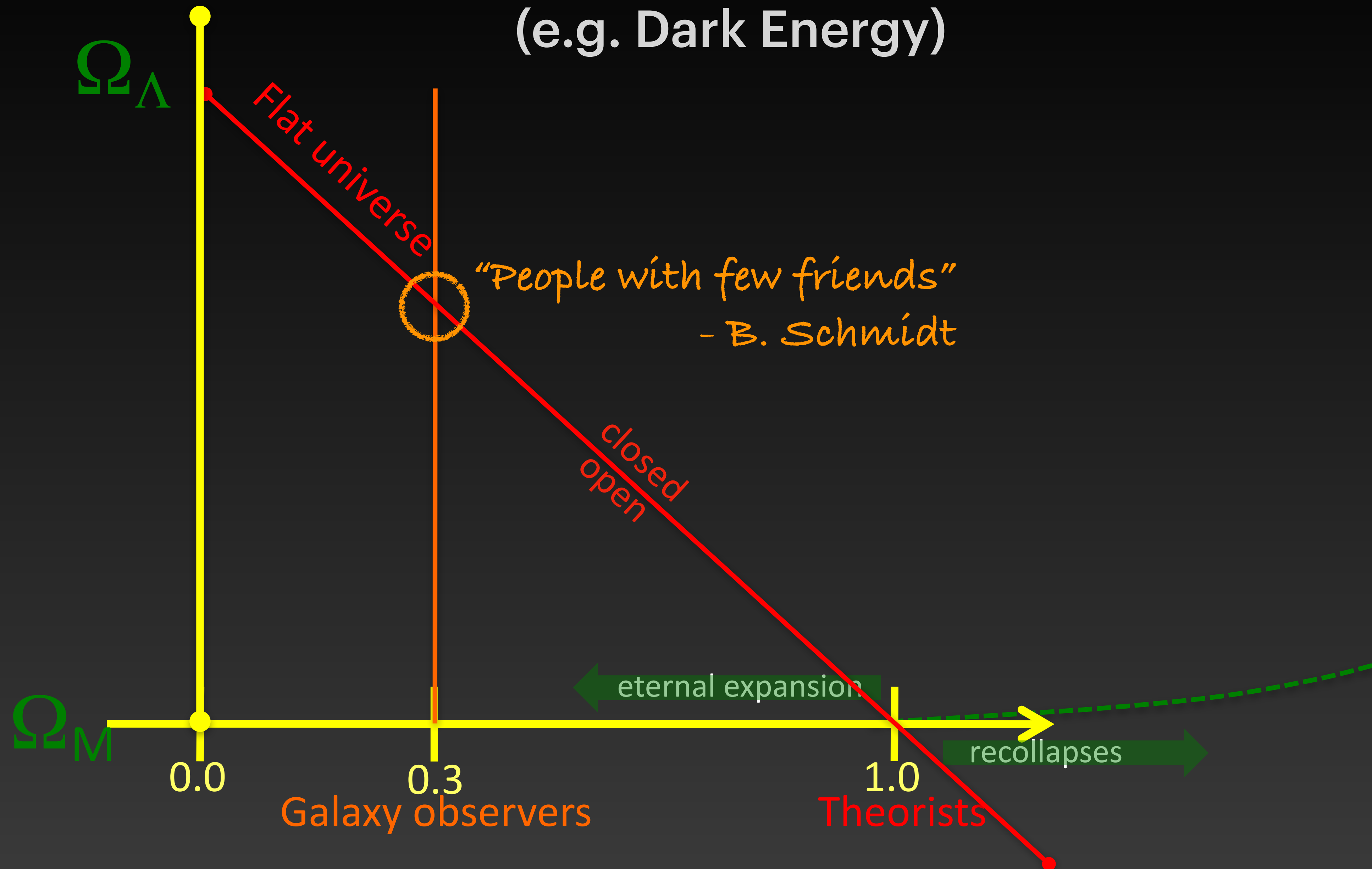
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Two papers saying $\Lambda \approx 0.8$ in 1990 and 1995

The cosmological constant and cold dark matter

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THE cold dark matter (CDM) model¹⁻⁴ for the formation distribution of galaxies in a universe with exactly the critical density is theoretically appealing and has proved to be durable but recent work⁵⁻⁸ suggests that there is more cosmological structure on very large scales ($l > 10 h^{-1}$ Mpc, where h is the Hubble constant H_0 in units of $100 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$) than simple versions of the CDM theory predict. We argue here that the successes of the CDM theory can be retained and the new observations accommodated in a spatially flat cosmology in which as much as 80% of the critical density is provided by a positive cosmological constant, which is dynamically equivalent to endowing the vacuum with a non-zero energy density. In such a universe, expansion was dominated by CDM until a recent epoch, but is now governed by the cosmological constant. As well as explaining large-scale structure, a cosmological constant can account for the lack of fluctuations in the microwave background and the large number of certain kinds of object found at high redshift.

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INTERPRETATION OF THE FAINT GALAXY NUMBER COUNTS IN THE K BAND

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ABSTRACT

Number counts of $K(2.2 \mu\text{m})$ -selected galaxies reaching to $K = 23$ mag are compared to model predictions which take into account the selection bias against high-redshift galaxies inherent in the methods used to detect faint galaxy images. Using a standard model for galaxy luminosity evolution with a constant comoving density of galaxies, we find that these number count data favor a flat, low-density $\Omega_0 \sim 0.2$ universe with a nonzero cosmological constant. We argue that the agreement with the model predictions for a low-density universe considerably diminishes any need to introduce a hypothetical population to explain the excess galaxies found in deep blue surveys.

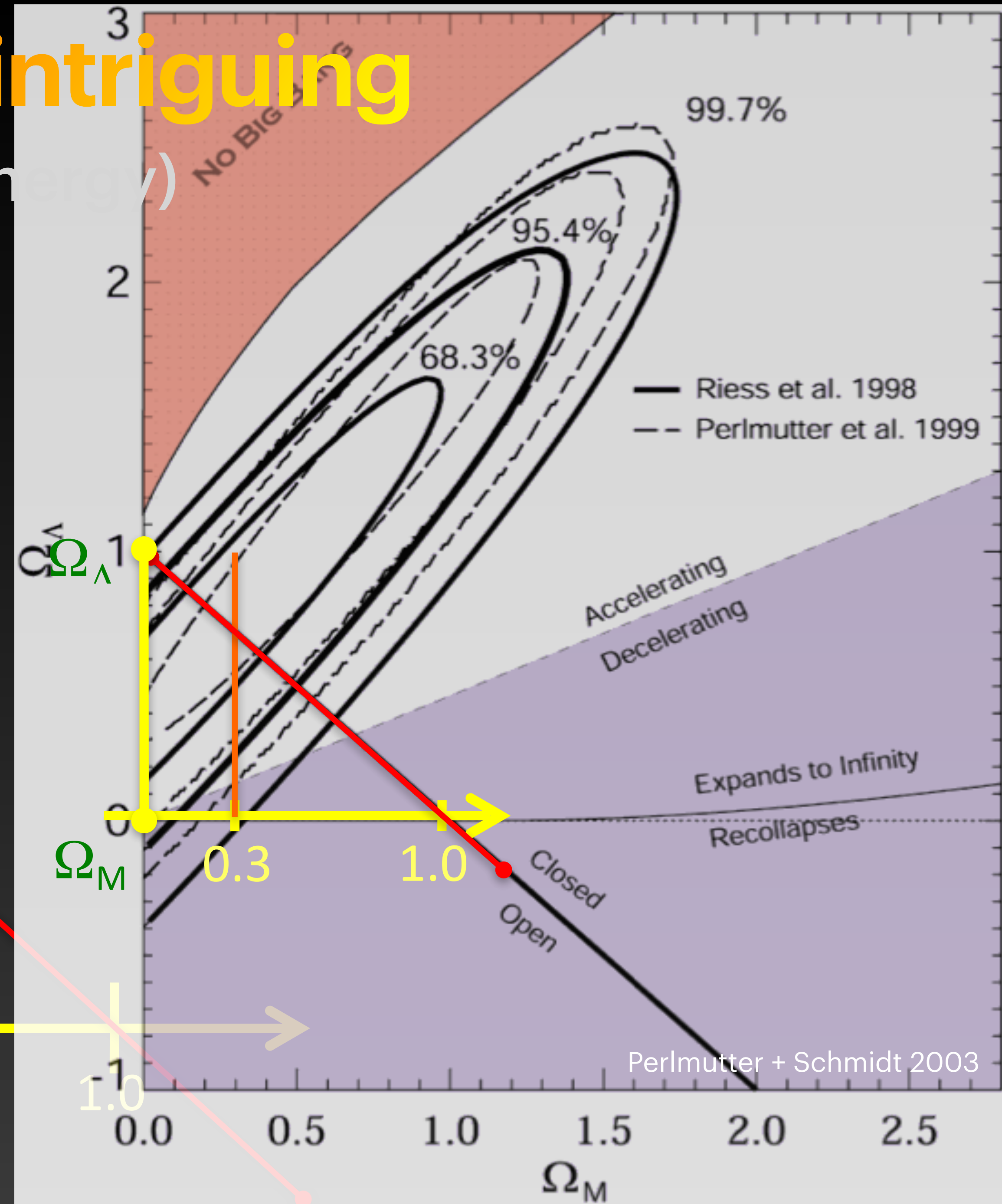
FIG. 1 The dots show estimates of the angular correlation function $w(\theta)$ for galaxies in the APM galaxy survey (see ref. 5 for details). These estimates have been scaled to the depth of the Lick galaxy catalogue where 1° corresponds to a spatial scale of $\sim 5h^{-1}$ Mpc. The dotted line shows the predictions of the $\Omega = 1$ CDM model (from ref. 5). The thin solid and dashed lines show the results of the linear theory for $\Omega_0 = 0.2$ scale-invariant CDM models with $h = 1$ and 0.75 , respectively. The thick solid line shows N -body results for $\Omega = 0.2$ and $h = 0.9$; the flattening of this curve at angular scales $\leq 0.1^\circ$ is an artefact of the resolution of the computer code, but the excess between 0.1° and 1° is real (see Fig. 2).

Tensions are intriguing

(e.g. Dark Energy)

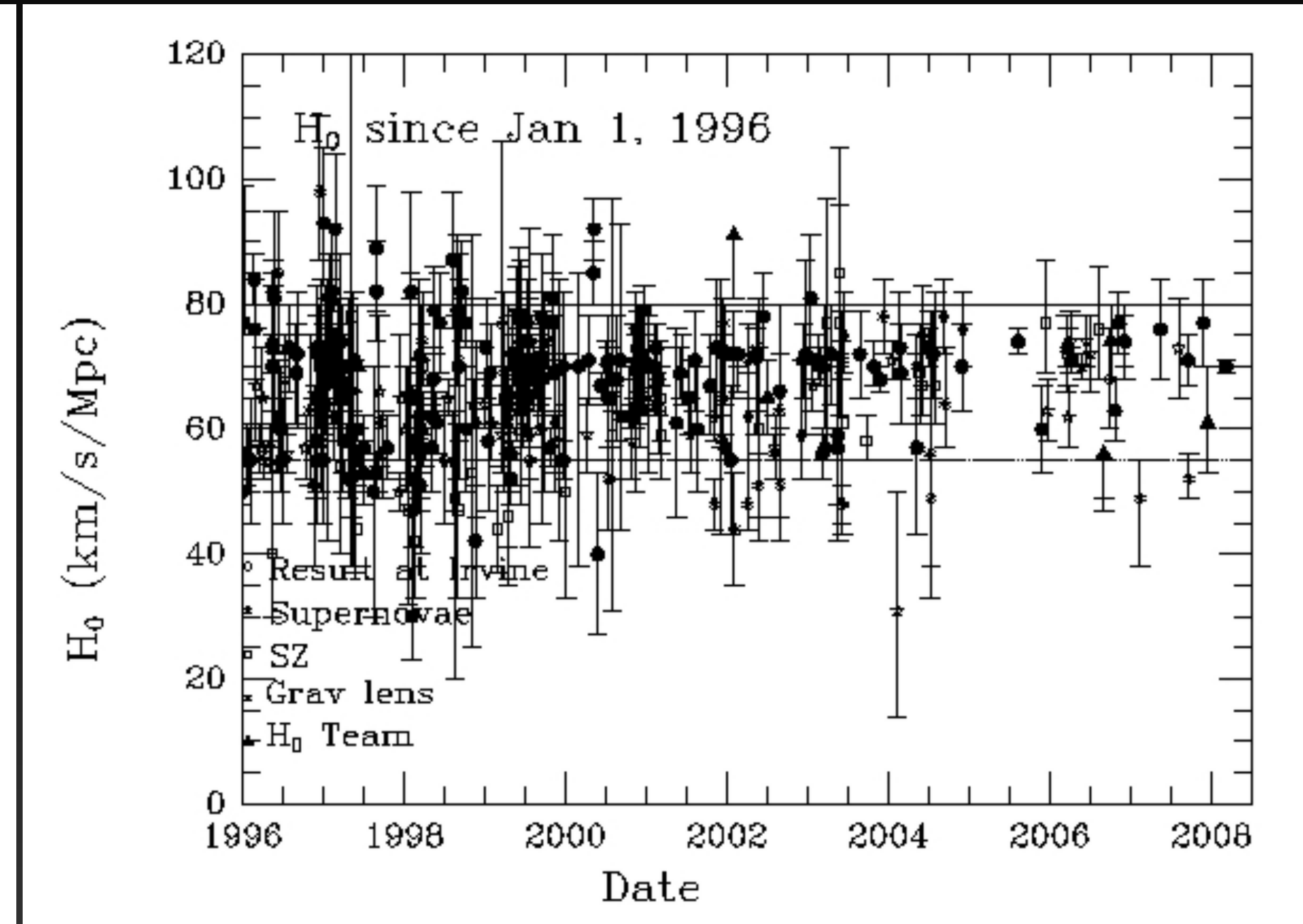
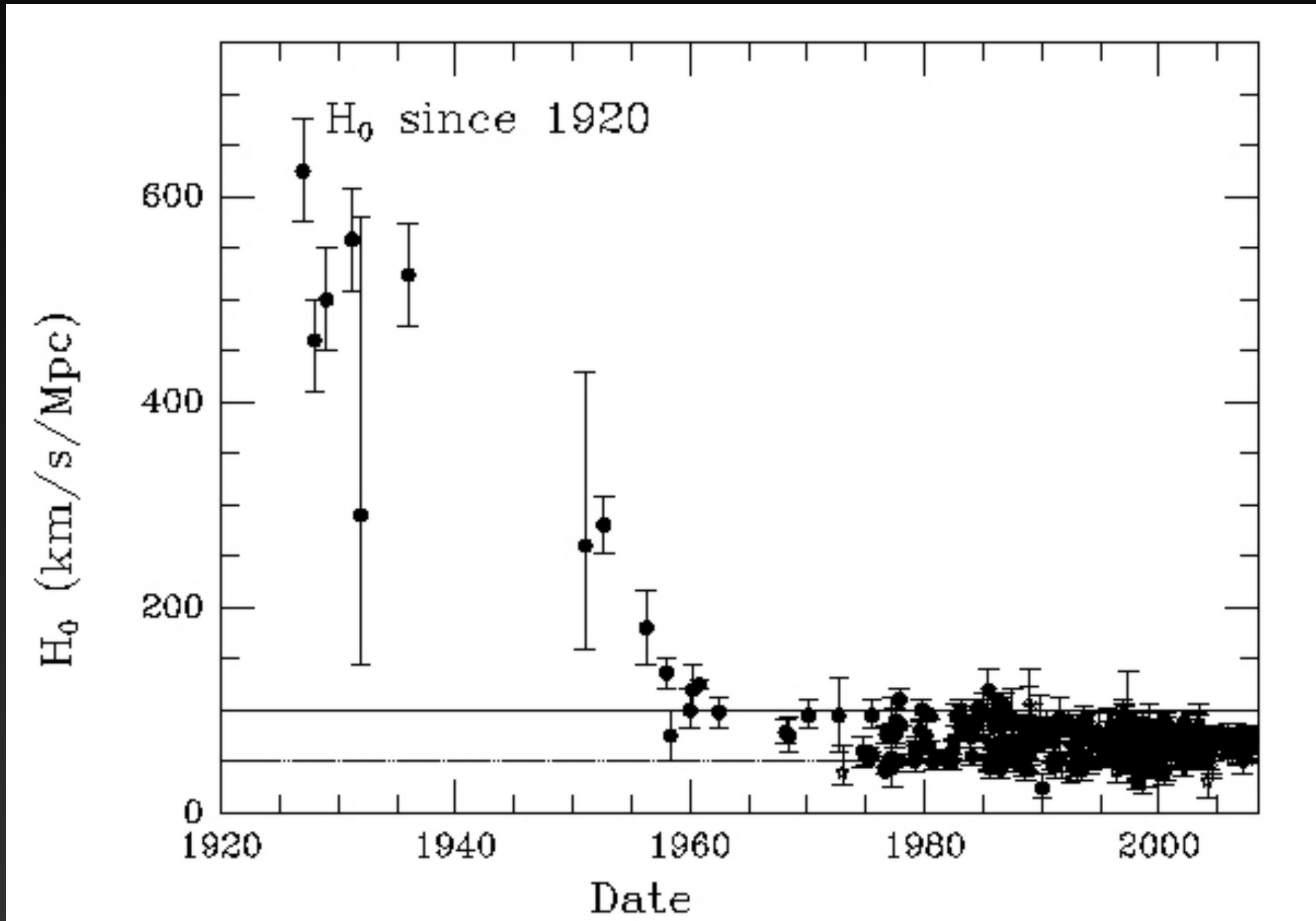


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But tensions can also just be systematic errors

(Optimists and their error bars)



Some suggested solutions...

(Results from a search of “tension” in
refereed astronomy papers on ADS
Jan-Jun 2022.)

- * **Quantum origin** of dark energy and the Hubble tension
- * Cosmological implications of $n_s \approx 1$ in light of the Hubble tension
- * Integral **F(R) gravity** and saddle point condition as a remedy for the H_0 -tension
- * **Interacting dark sectors** in anisotropic universe: Observational constraints and H_0 tension
- * The Hubble tension in the **non-flat Super- Λ CDM** model
- * Cosmology intertwined: A review of the particle physics, astrophysics, and cosmology associated with the cosmological tensions and anomalies
- * The Hubble Law: Its **Relational Justification** and the Hubble Tension
- * **Neutrino Mass Bounds** in the Era of Tension Cosmology
- * **Environment dependent electron mass** and the Hubble constant tension
- * **Decay of multiple dark matter particles** to dark radiation in different epochs does not alleviate the Hubble tension
- * Minimal dark energy: Key to **sterile neutrino** and Hubble constant tensions?
- * **Nonthermal neutrino-like hot dark matter** in light of the S8 tension
- * **Axion dark radiation**: Hubble tension and the Hyper-Kamiokande neutrino experiment
- * Realistic model of **dark atoms** to resolve the Hubble tension
- * On the kinematic cosmic dipole tension
- * **Mirror twin Higgs cosmology**: constraints and a possible resolution to the H_0 and S8 tensions
- * **Free-streaming and coupled dark radiation isocurvature perturbations**: constraints and application to the Hubble tension
- * Possible resolution of the Hubble tension with **Weyl invariant gravity**
- * Analyzing the Hubble tension through **hidden sector dynamics** in the early universe
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- * The S8 tension in light of updated redshift-space distortion data and PAge approximation
- * **Chameleon early dark energy** and the Hubble tension
- * Implications of the S8 tension for **decaying dark matter with warm decay products**
- * Cosmic expansion parametrization: Implication for curvature and H_0 tension
- * Easing the Hubble constant tension
- * **Surface tension of cosmic voids** as a possible source for dark energy
- * Can **varying the gravitational constant** alleviate the tensions?
- * **Varying fundamental constants** principal component analysis: additional hints about the Hubble tension
- * No-go guide for the Hubble tension: **Late-time solutions**
- * **Superhorizon Perturbations**: A Possible Explanation of the Hubble-Lemaître Tension and the Large-scale Anisotropy of the Universe

More suggested solutions...

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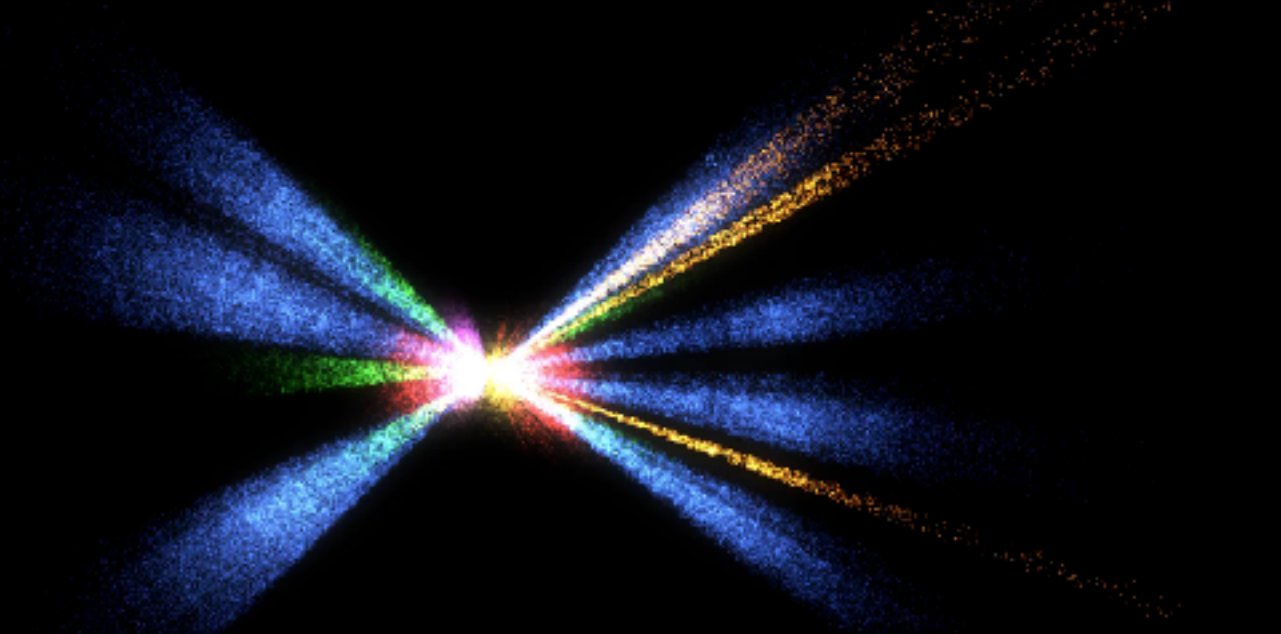
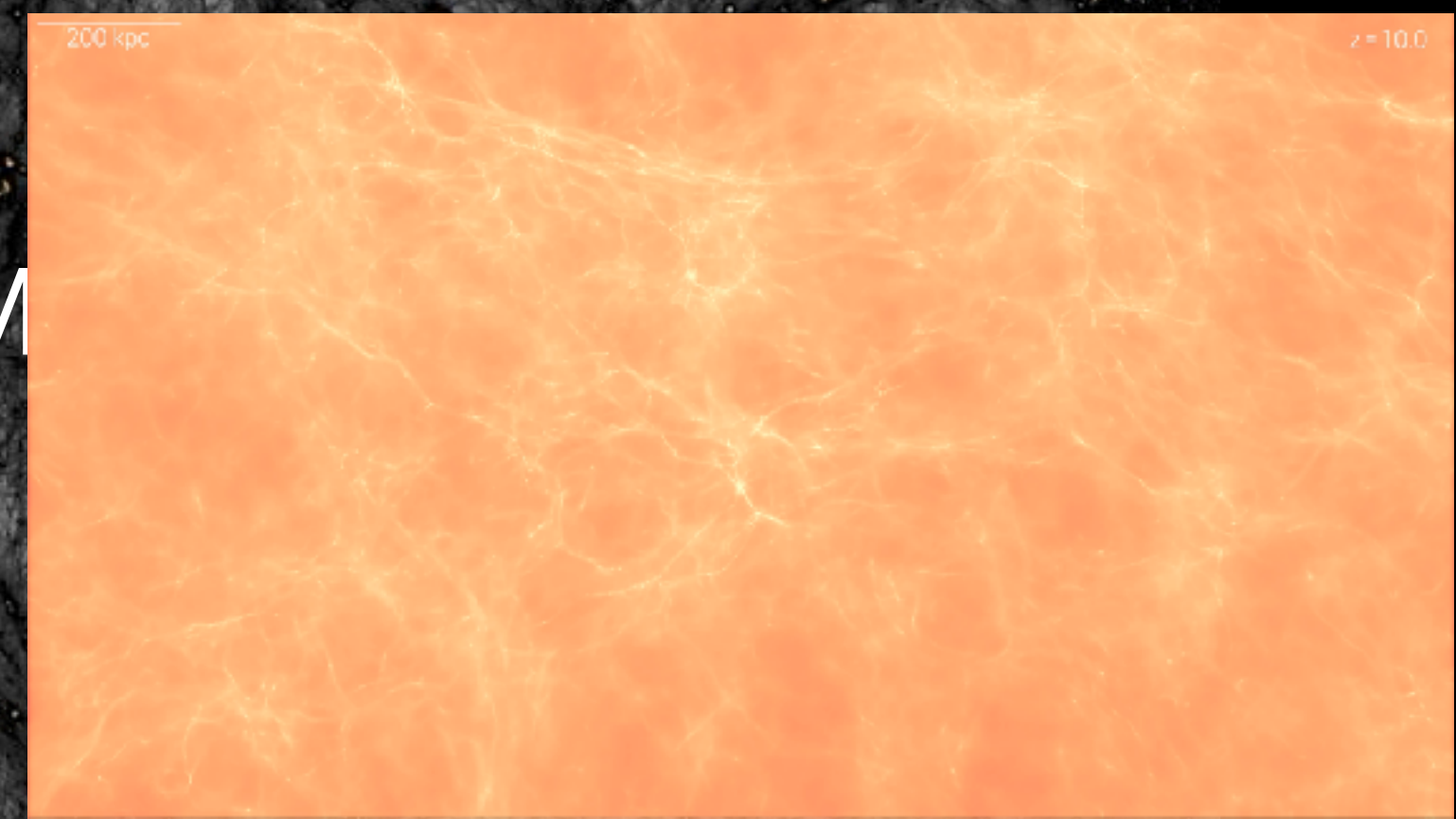
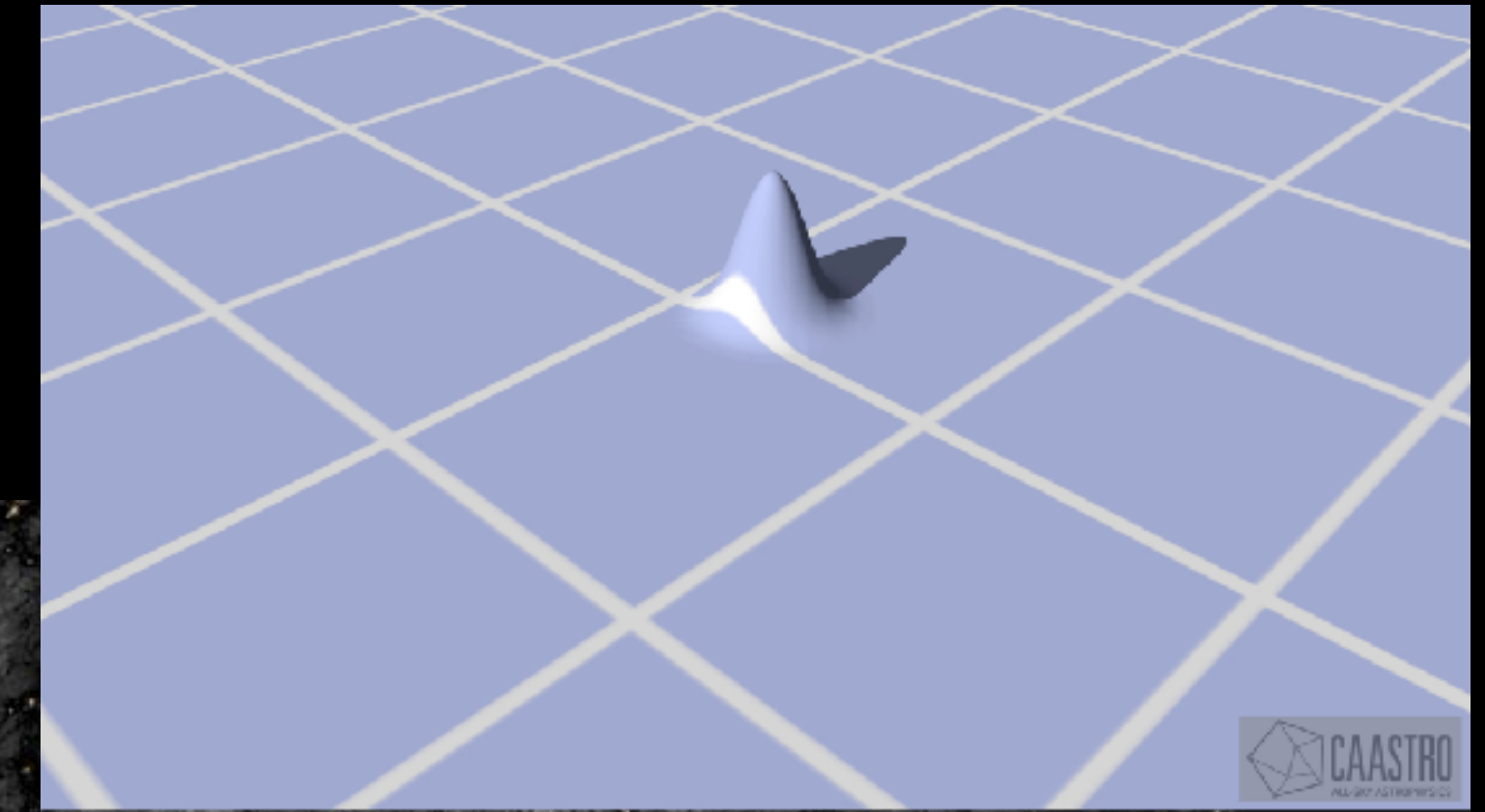
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- * The Hubble tension in the non-flat Super- Λ CDM model
- * Cosmology intertwined: A review of the particle physics, astrophysics, and cosmology associated with the cosmological tensions and anomalies
- * The Hubble Law: Its Relational Justification and the Hubble Tension
- * Neutrino Mass Bounds in the Era of Tension Cosmology
- * Environment dependent electron mass and the Hubble constant tension
- * Decay of multiple dark matter particles to dark radiation in different epochs does not alleviate the Hubble tension
- * Minimal dark energy: Key to sterile neutrino and Hubble constant tensions?
- * Nonthermal neutrino-like hot dark matter in light of the S8 tension
- * Axion dark radiation: Hubble tension and the Hyper-Kamiokande neutrino experiment
- * Realistic model of dark atoms to resolve the Hubble tension
- * On the kinematic cosmic dipole tension
- * Mirror twin Higgs cosmology: constraints and a possible resolution to the H0 and S8 tensions
- * Free-streaming and coupled dark radiation isocurvature perturbations: constraints and application to the Hubble tension
- * Possible resolution of the Hubble tension with Weyl invariant gravity
- * Analyzing the Hubble tension through hidden sector dynamics in the early universe
- * Brane world creation from flat or almost flat space in dynamical tension string theories
- * Exploring the Hubble Tension and Spatial Curvature from the Ages of Old Astrophysical Objects
- * The S8 tension in light of updated redshift-space distortion data and PAge approximation
- * Chameleon early dark energy and the Hubble tension
- * Implications of the S8 tension for decaying dark matter with warm decay products
- * Cosmic expansion parametrization: Implication for curvature and H0 tension
- * Easing the Hubble constant tension
- * Surface tension of cosmic voids as a possible source for dark energy
- * Can varying the gravitational constant alleviate the tensions?
- * Varying fundamental constants principal component analysis: additional hints about the Hubble tension
- * Gamma-ray flash in the interaction of a tightly focused single-cycle ultra-intense laser pulse with a solid target
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- * No-go guide for the Hubble tension: Late-time solutions
- * Planck limits on cosmic string tension using machine learning
- * Using our newest VLT-KMOS HII galaxies and other cosmic tracers to test the Lambda cold dark matter tension
- * Superhorizon Perturbations: A Possible Explanation of the Hubble-Lemaître Tension and the Large-scale Anisotropy of the Universe
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- * Relaxing cosmological tensions with a sign switching cosmological constant
- * Hubble tension or a transition of the Cepheid Smla calibrator parameters?
- * Gravitational lensing H0 tension from ultralight axion galactic cores
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- * Closing up the cluster tension?
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- * Relieve the H0 tension with a new coupled generalized three-form dark energy model
 - * Can the Hubble tension be resolved by bulk viscosity?
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 - * Hubble tension and absolute constraints on the local Hubble parameter
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 - * Assessing tension metrics with dark energy survey and Planck data
 - * Cosmology from weak lensing alone and implications for the Hubble tension
 - * Accounting for exotic matter and the extreme radial tension in Morris-Thorne wormholes of embedding class one
 - * Is there really a Hubble tension?
- * Satellites around Milky Way Analogs: Tension in the Number and Fraction of Quiescent Satellites Seen in Observations versus Simulations
 - * H0 tension without CMB data: Beyond the Λ CDM
- * Rapid transition of Geffat $z_t=0.01$ as a possible solution of the Hubble and growth tensions
 - * Strongly lensed cluster substructures are not in tension with Λ CDM
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 - * Relieving the H0 tension with a new interacting dark energy model
 - * In the realm of the Hubble tension-a review of solutions
 - * Resolving the dynamical mass tension of the massive binary 9 Sagittarii
- * Comparing early dark energy and extra radiation solutions to the Hubble tension with BBN
 - * Solving the Hubble tension without spoiling big bang nucleosynthesis
 - * Can scale-dependent cosmology alleviate the H0 tension?
 - * Dark energy as a critical phenomenon: a hint from Hubble tension
 - * The hubble tension as a hint of leptogenesis and neutrino mass generation
 - * Revisiting the tension between fast bars and the Λ CDM paradigm
- * All fundamental electrically charged thin shells in general relativity: From star shells to tension shell black holes, regular black holes, and beyond
 - * Running Hubble tension and a HO diagnostic
 - * Charged dark matter and the H0 tension
- * Towards mitigation of apparent tension between nuclear physics and astrophysical observations by improved modeling of neutron star matter
 - * Gravitational waves and dark radiation from dark phase transition: Connecting NANOGrav pulsar timing data and hubble tension
 - * Addressing H0 tension by means of ν CDM
 - * Can the quasi-molecular mechanism of recombination decrease the Hubble tension?
 - * Mergers of primordial black holes in extreme clusters and the H0 tension
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 - * High H0 Values from CMB E-mode Data: A Clue for Resolving the Hubble Tension?
 - * On the Hubble Constant Tension in the SNe Ia Pantheon Sample
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 - * When tension is just a fluctuation. How noisy data affect model comparison
- * Exploring an early dark energy solution to the Hubble tension with Planck and SPTPol data
 - * Early modified gravity in light of the H0 tension and LSS data
 - * H0 tension, swampland conjectures, and the epoch of fading dark matter
- * Cosmological constraints on late-Universe decaying dark matter as a solution to the H0 tension
 - * Curvature tension: Evidence for a closed universe

THEORETICAL EFFORTS FALL IN TWO MAIN GROUPS

Standard Model of Elementary Particles

| | three generations of matter (fermions) | | | interactions / force carriers (bosons) | |
|--------|--|--|--|--|---------------------------|
| | I | II | III | | |
| mass | $=2.2 \text{ MeV}/c^2$ | $=1.28 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ | $=173.1 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ | 0 | $=124.97 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ |
| charge | $\frac{2}{3}$ | $\frac{2}{3}$ | $\frac{2}{3}$ | 0 | 0 |
| spin | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | 0 |
| | u up | c charm | t top | g gluon | H higgs |
| | d down | s strange | b bottom | γ photon | |
| | e electron | μ muon | τ tau | Z Z boson | |
| | ν_e electron neutrino | ν_μ muon neutrino | ν_τ tau neutrino | W W boson | |

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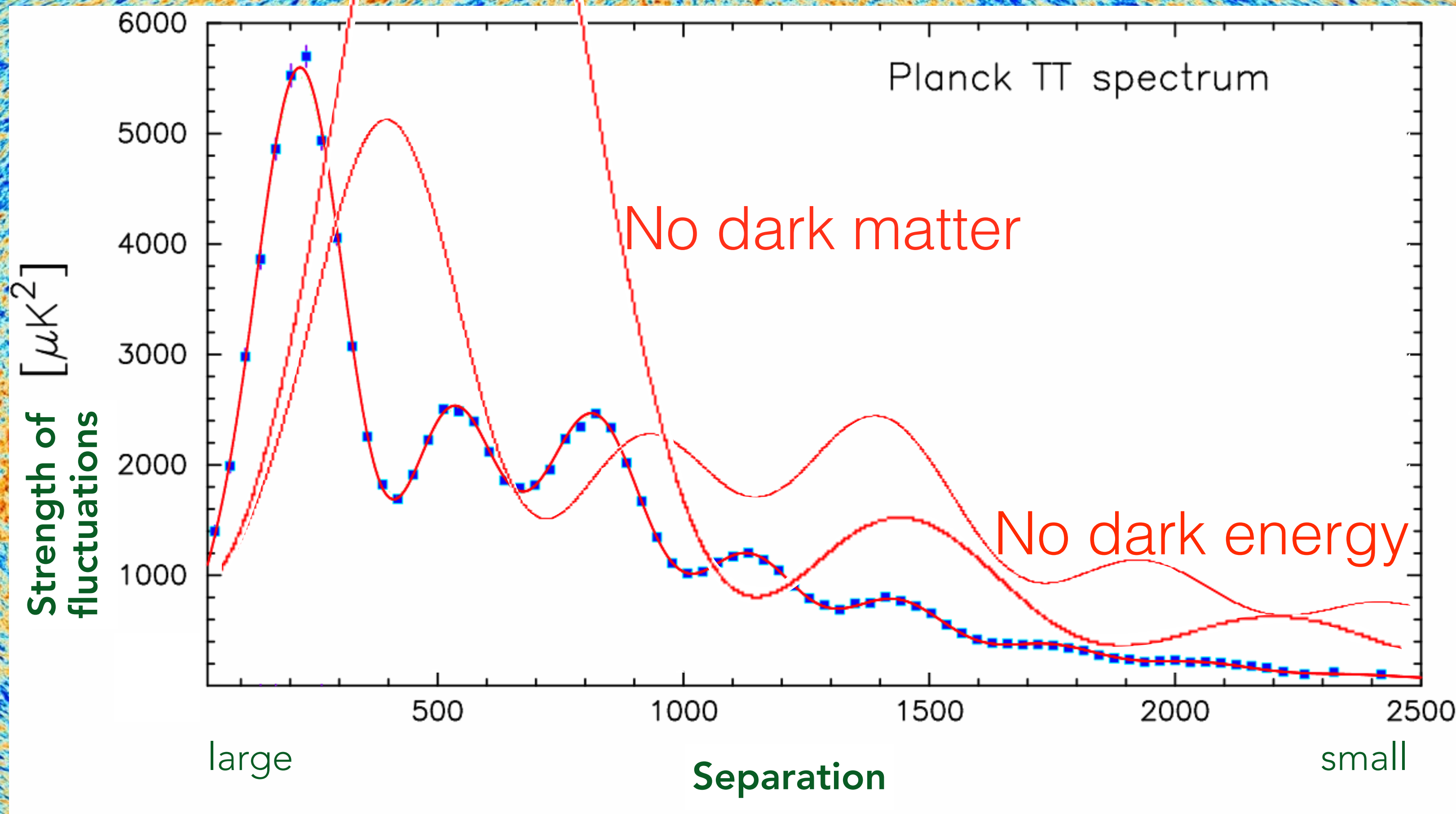
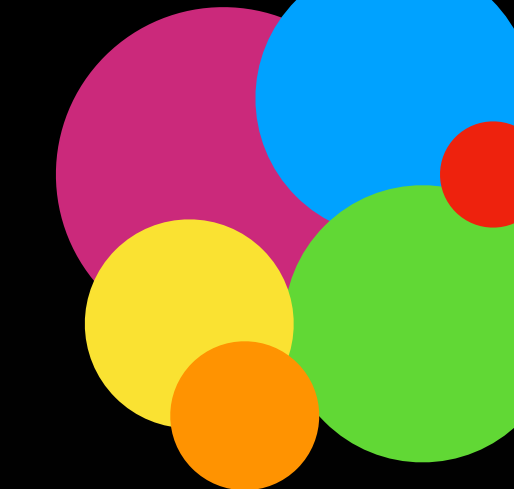


Need to explain dark matter, dark energy, and

Could the tension be systematics?

Let's look at the data...

CMB - A STANDARD RULER (AND MORE)



These are really complex analyses.

Nuisance parameters in CMB fit

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Table 16. Parameters and priors used for astrophysical foregrounds and instrumental modelling for the baseline likelihood.

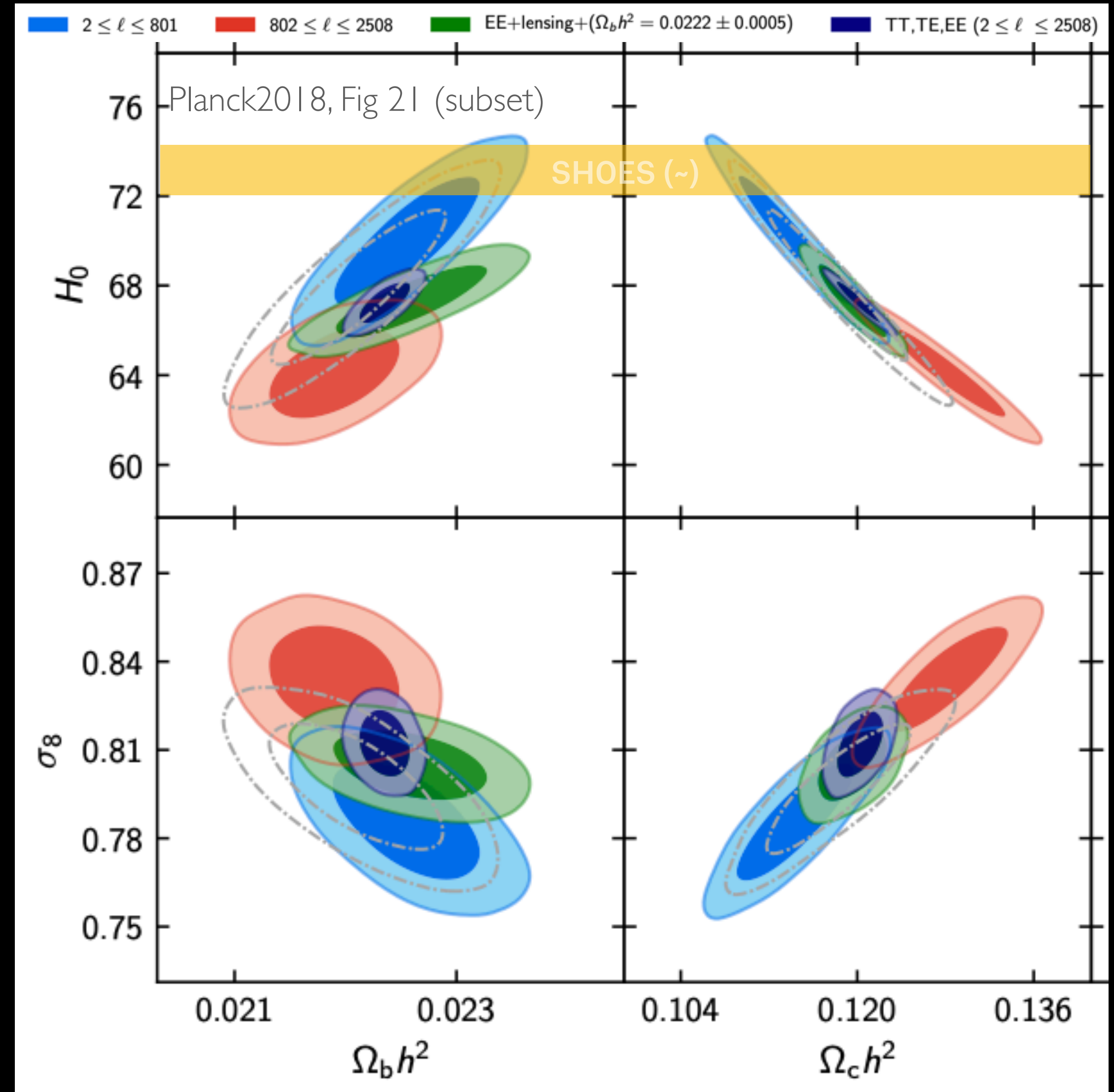
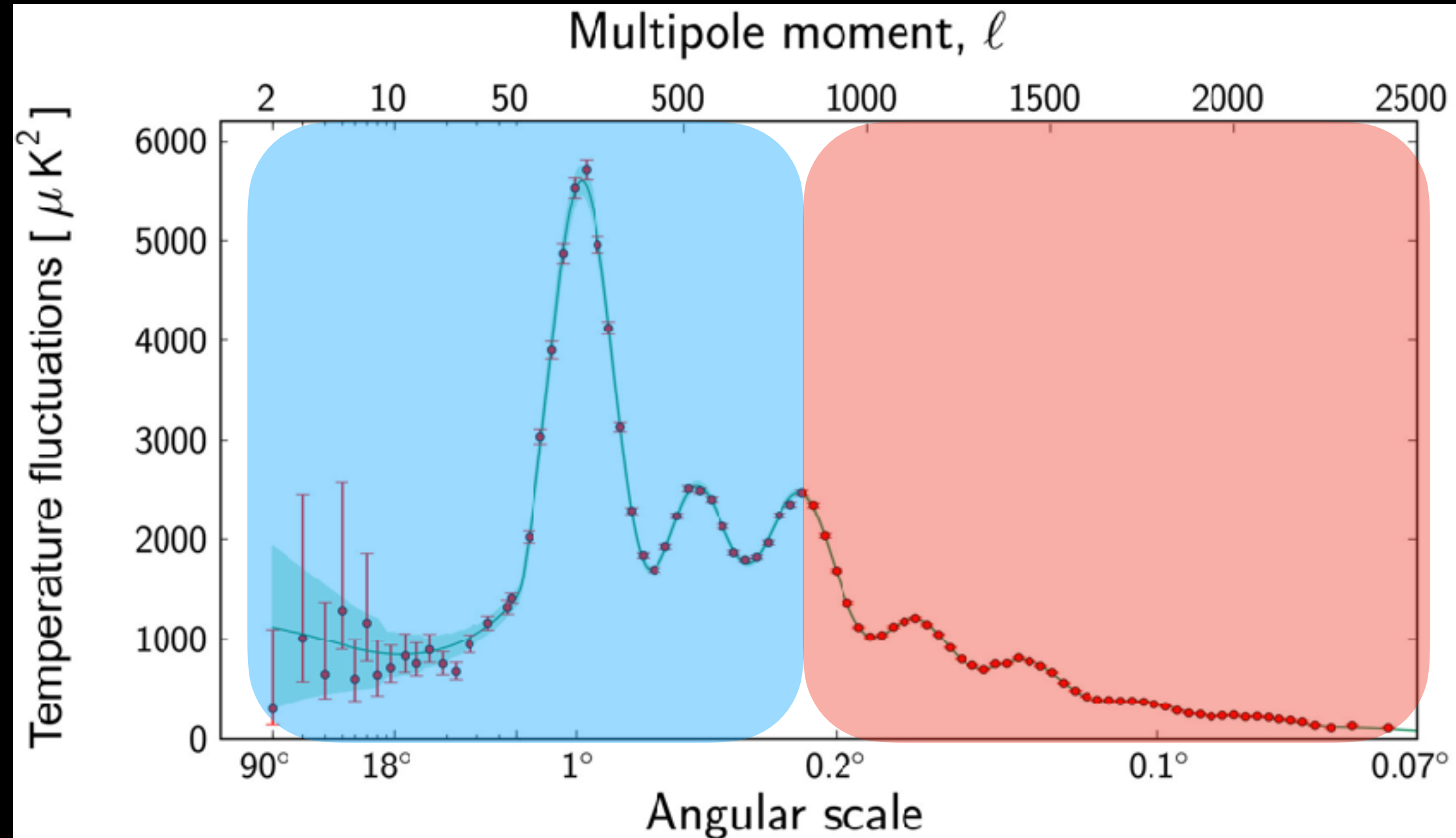
| Parameter | Prior range | Definition |
|--|-------------------------------------|---|
| A_{100}^{PS} | [0, 400] | Contribution of Poisson point-source power to $\mathcal{D}_{3000}^{100 \times 100}$ for <i>Planck</i> (in μK^2) |
| A_{143}^{PS} | [0, 400] | As for A_{100}^{PS} , but at 143×143 GHz |
| A_{217}^{PS} | [0, 400] | As for A_{100}^{PS} , but at 217×217 GHz |
| $A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{PS}}$ | [0, 400] | As for A_{100}^{PS} , but at 143×217 GHz |
| A_{217}^{CIB} | [0, 200] | Contribution of CIB power to \mathcal{D}_{3000}^{217} at the <i>Planck</i> CMB frequency for 217 GHz (in μK^2) |
| A^{tSZ} | [0, 10] | Contribution of tSZ to $\mathcal{D}_{3000}^{143 \times 143}$ at 143 GHz (in μK^2) |
| A^{kSZ} | [0, 10] | Contribution of kSZ to \mathcal{D}_{3000} (in μK^2) [We apply a joint tSZ-kSZ prior with $\mathcal{D}^{\text{kSZ}} + 1.6\mathcal{D}^{\text{tSZ}} = (9.5 \pm 3)\mu\text{K}^2$] |
| $\xi^{\text{tSZ} \times \text{CIB}}$ | [0, 1] | Correlation coefficient between the CIB and tSZ |
| A_{100}^{dustTT} | [0, 50] (8.6 ± 2) | Amplitude of Galactic dust power at $\ell = 200$ at 100 GHz (in μK^2) |
| A_{143}^{dustTT} | [0, 50] (10.6 ± 2) | As for A_{100}^{dustTT} , but at 143×143 GHz |
| $A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustTT}}$ | [0, 100] (23.5 ± 8.5) | As for A_{100}^{dustTT} , but at 143×217 GHz |
| A_{217}^{dustTT} | [0, 400] (91.9 ± 20) | As for A_{100}^{dustTT} , but at 217×217 GHz |
| c_{100} | [0, 3] (1.0002 ± 0.0007) | Power spectrum calibration at 100 GHz |
| c_{217} | [0, 3] (0.99805 ± 0.00065) | Power spectrum calibration at 217 GHz |
| y_{cal} | [0.9, 1.1] (1 ± 0.0025) | Absolute map calibration for <i>Planck</i> |

(30 nuisance parameters in this table)

| | | |
|--|----------------------------------|---|
| A_{100}^{dustEE} | 0.055 | Amplitude of Galactic dust power at $\ell = 500$ at 100 GHz (in μK^2) |
| $A_{100 \times 143}^{\text{dustEE}}$ | 0.040 | As for A_{100}^{dustEE} , but at 100×143 GHz |
| $A_{100 \times 217}^{\text{dustEE}}$ | 0.094 | As for A_{100}^{dustEE} , but at 100×217 GHz |
| A_{143}^{dustEE} | 0.086 | As for A_{100}^{dustEE} , but at 143×143 GHz |
| $A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustEE}}$ | 0.21 | As for A_{100}^{dustEE} , but at 143×217 GHz |
| A_{217}^{dustEE} | 0.70 | As for A_{100}^{dustEE} , but at 217×217 GHz |
| A_{100}^{dustTE} | [0, 10] (0.13 ± 0.042) | Amplitude of Galactic dust power at $\ell = 500$ at 100 GHz (in μK^2) |
| $A_{100 \times 143}^{\text{dustTE}}$ | [0, 10] (0.13 ± 0.036) | As for A_{100}^{dustTE} , but at 100×143 GHz |
| $A_{100 \times 217}^{\text{dustTE}}$ | [0, 10] (0.46 ± 0.09) | As for A_{100}^{dustTE} , but at 100×217 GHz |
| A_{143}^{dustTE} | [0, 10] (0.207 ± 0.072) | As for A_{100}^{dustTE} , but at 143×143 GHz |
| $A_{143 \times 217}^{\text{dustTE}}$ | [0, 10] (0.69 ± 0.09) | As for A_{100}^{dustTE} , but at 143×217 GHz |
| A_{217}^{dustTE} | [0, 10] (1.938 ± 0.54) | As for A_{100}^{dustTE} , but at 217×217 GHz |
| c_{EE100} | 1.021 | Polarization efficiency correction at 100×100 GHz (called c_{100}^{PP} in |
| c_{EE143} | 0.966 | As for c_{EE100} , but at 143×143 GHz |
| c_{EE217} | 1.04 | As for c_{EE100} , but at 217×217 GHz |

Notes. Uniform priors are given as ranges in square brackets, while Gaussian priors are given by their mean and standard deviation. We also give the fixed values of parameters that are not allowed to vary in the baseline likelihood.

INTERNAL TENSIONS



Low- z in tension with high- z ?

“there is a very good agreement between Planck and WMAP temperature maps on the scales observed by WMAP (Planck Collaboration I 2016; Huang et al. 2018), but an inconsistency with high multipoles could indicate either new physics beyond Λ CDM, or the presence of some unidentified systematics associated with the Planck data and/or the foreground model.”

“although some cosmological parameters differ by more than 2σ between < 800 and > 800 , accounting for the multi-dimensional parameter space including correlations between parameters, the shifts are at the 10% level and hence not especially unusual.”

“This is consistent with a statistical fluctuation pulling the low and high multipoles in opposite directions, so that their intersection is closer to the truth if Λ CDM is correct.” - Planck 2018 VI

Low multipoles in slight tension with high multipoles
(Temperature power spectrum)

CMB: MODEL EXTENSIONS

tensor to scalar ratio

running of the spectral index
($dn_s / d \ln k$)

amplitude of isocurvature fluctuations

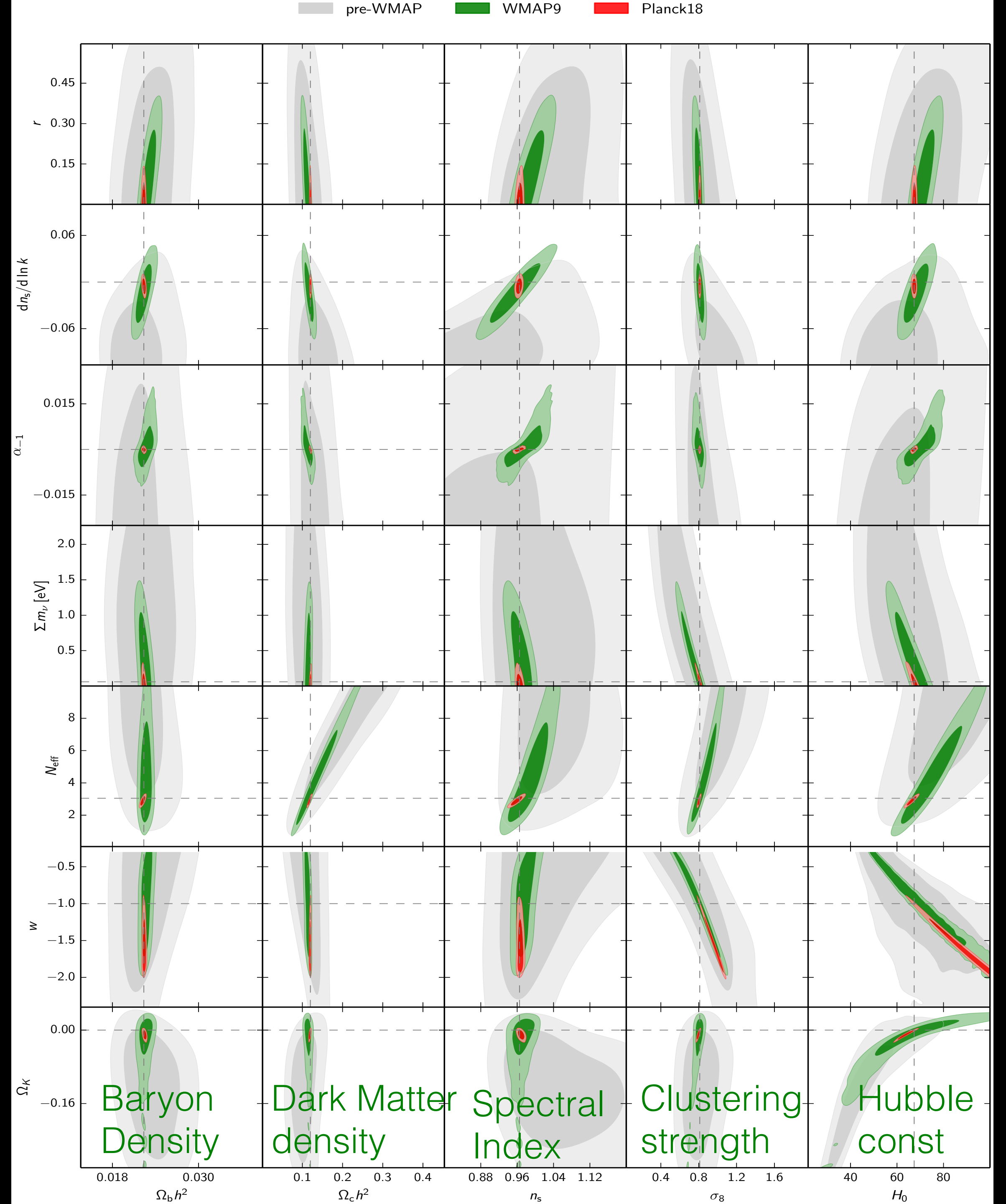
Mass of neutrinos

Extra neutrinos

Equation of state of dark energy

Curvature

Planck VI, 2018 (red)
WMAP (green)

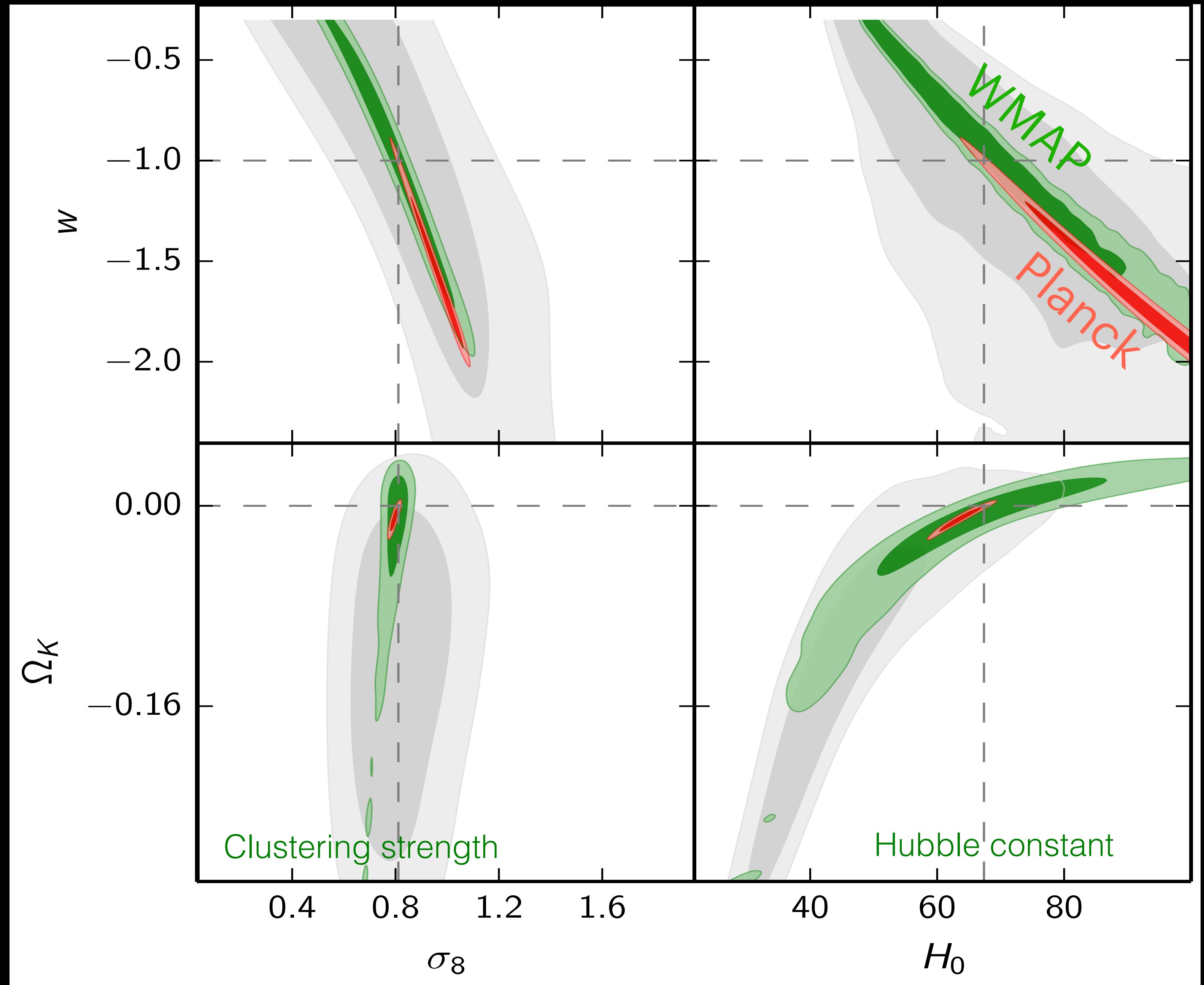


CMB: MODEL EXTENSIONS

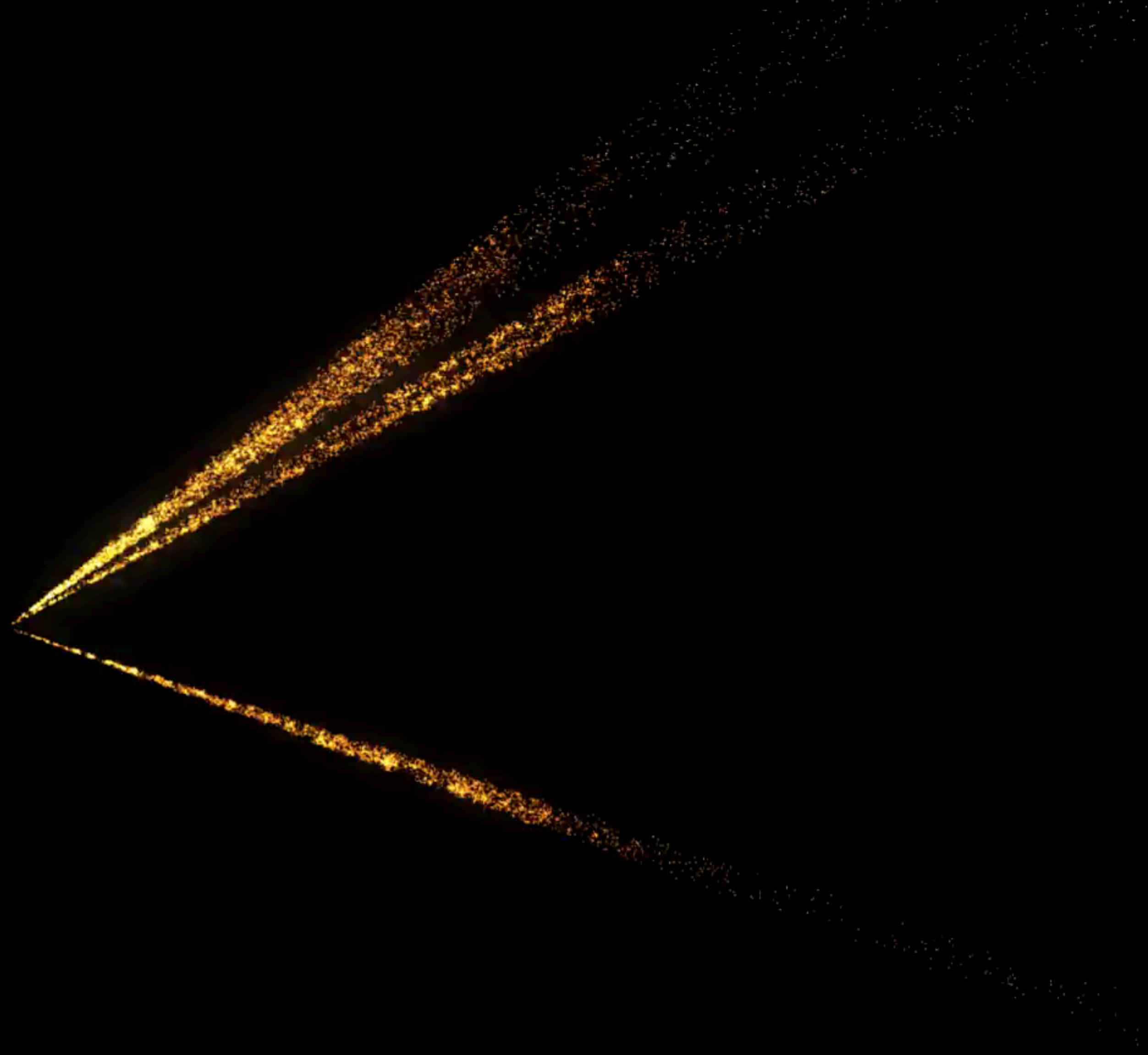
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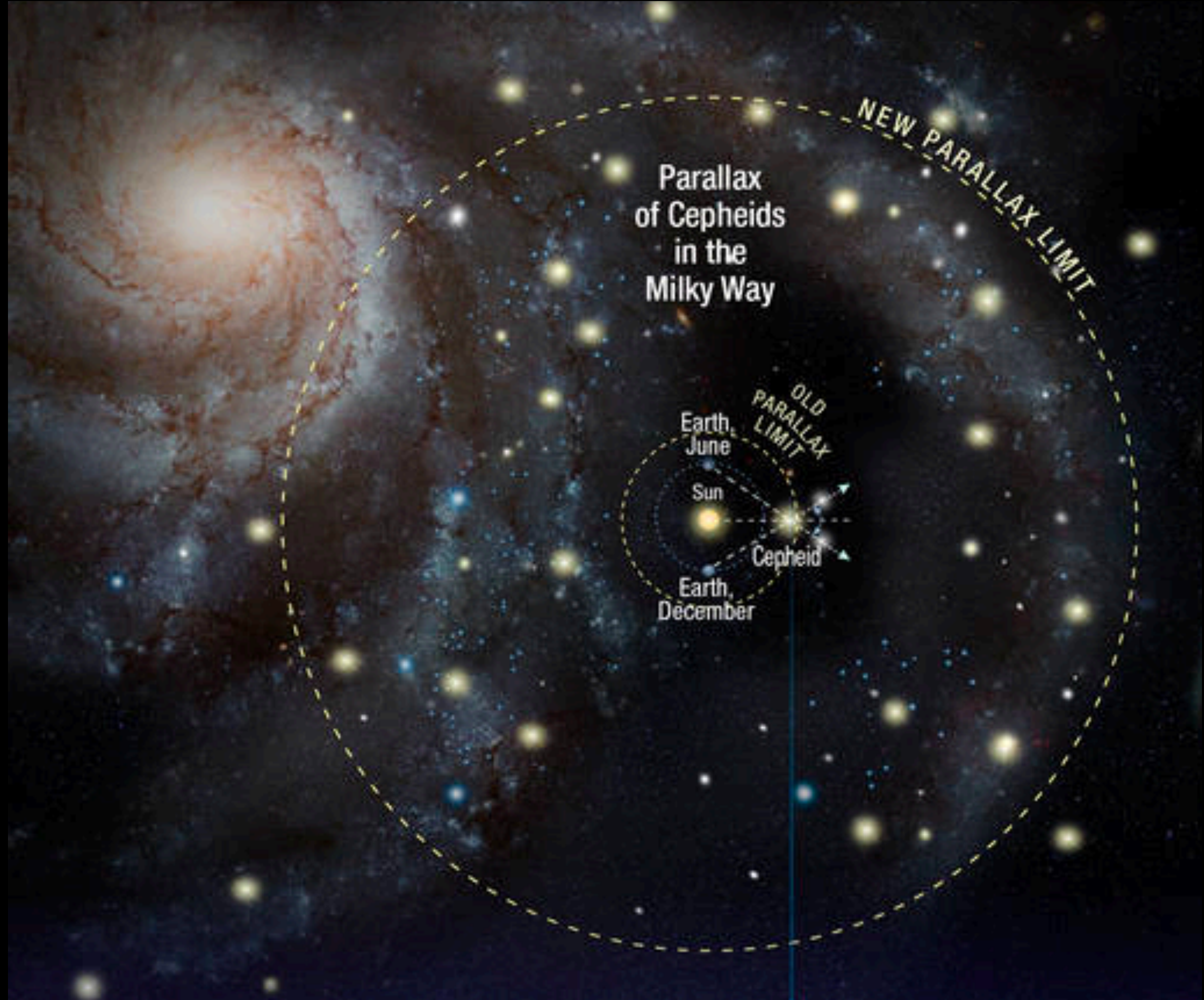
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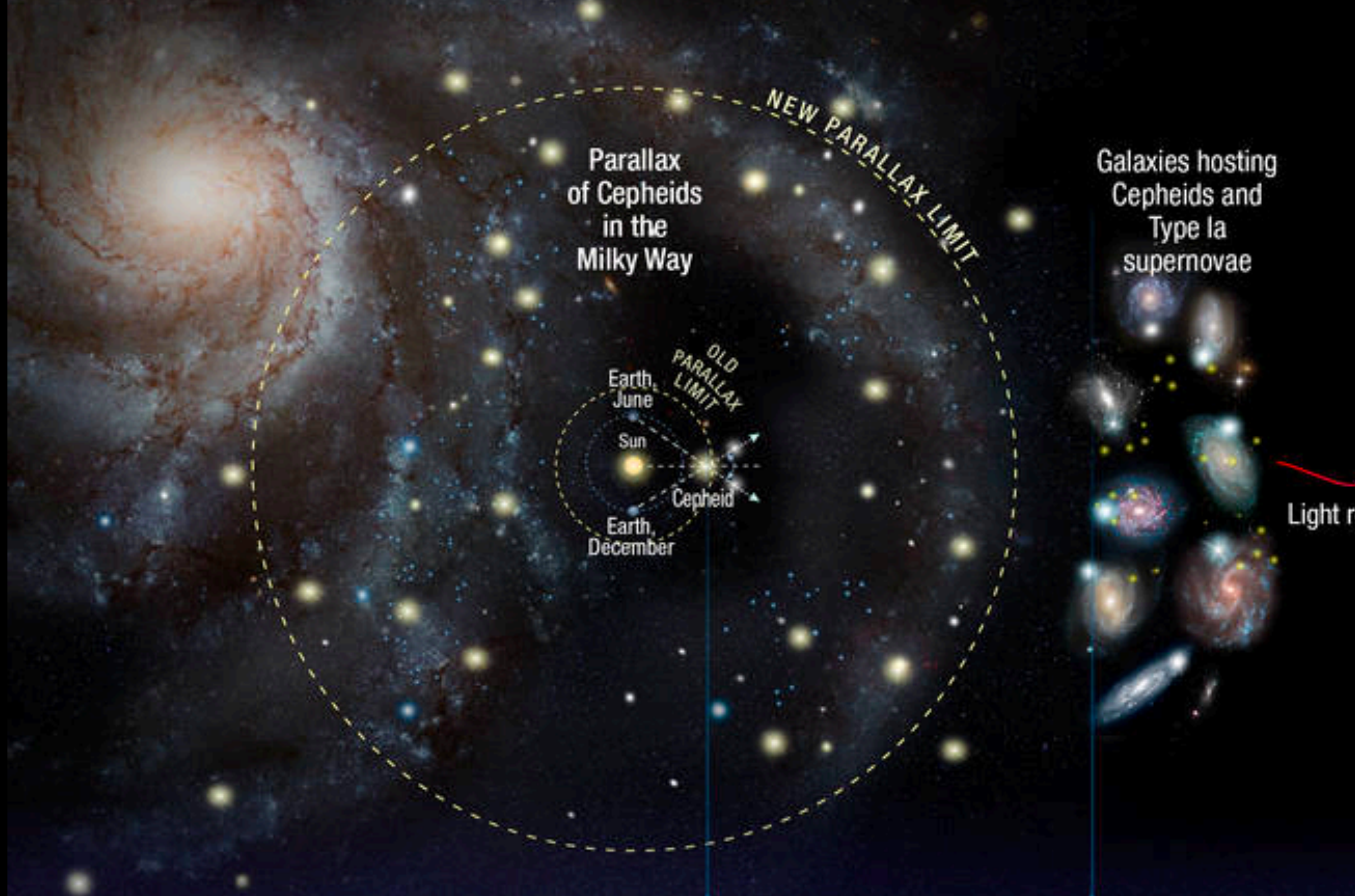
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TYPE IA SUPERNOVAE

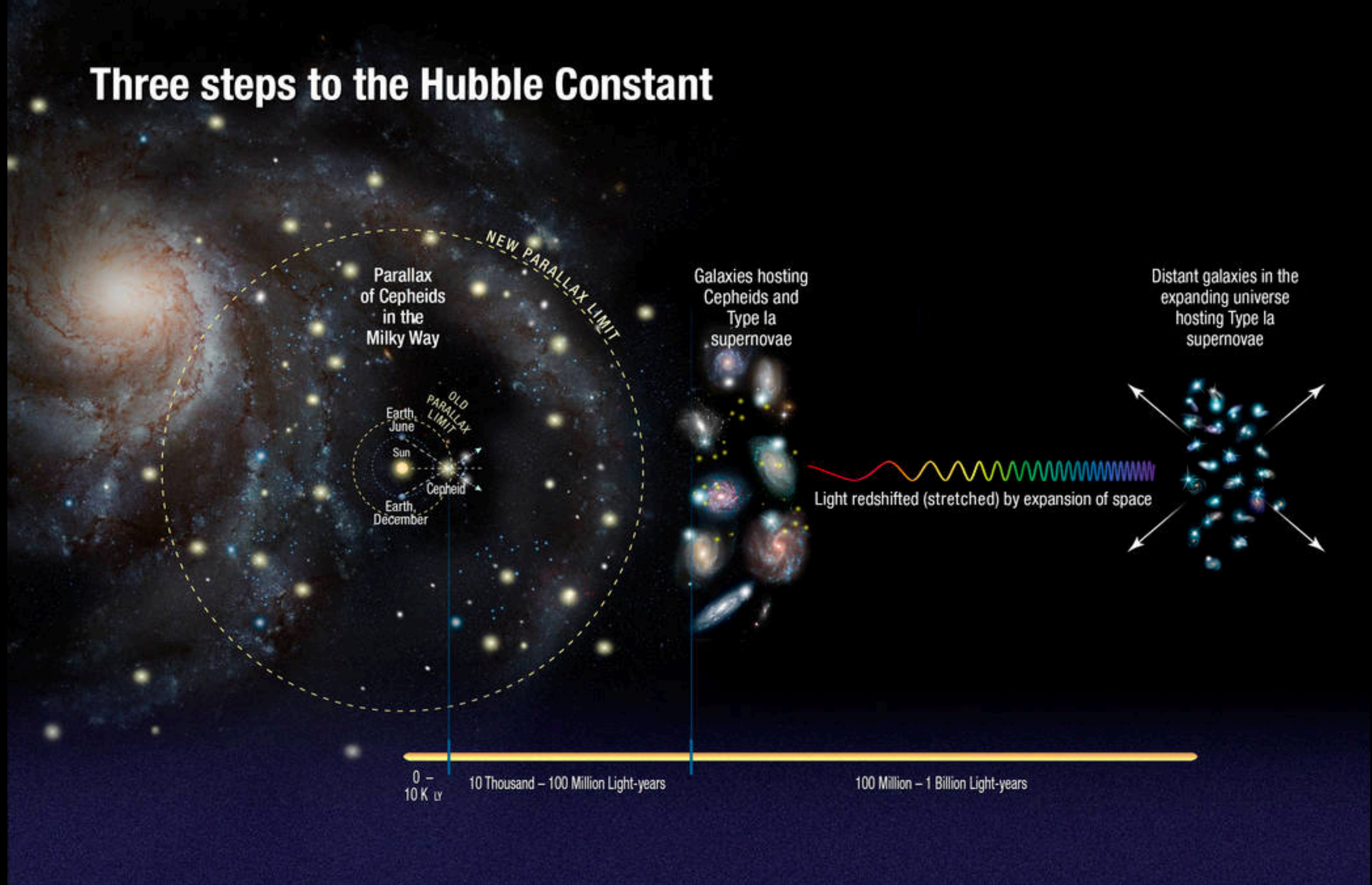






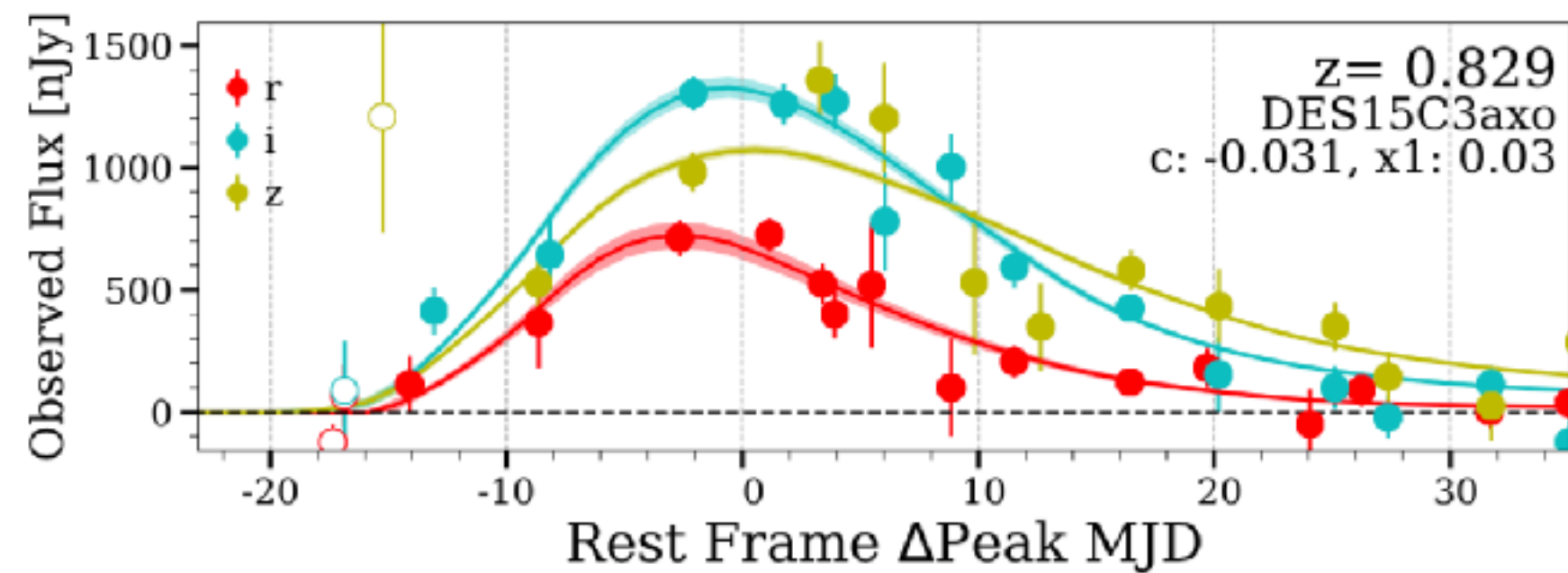
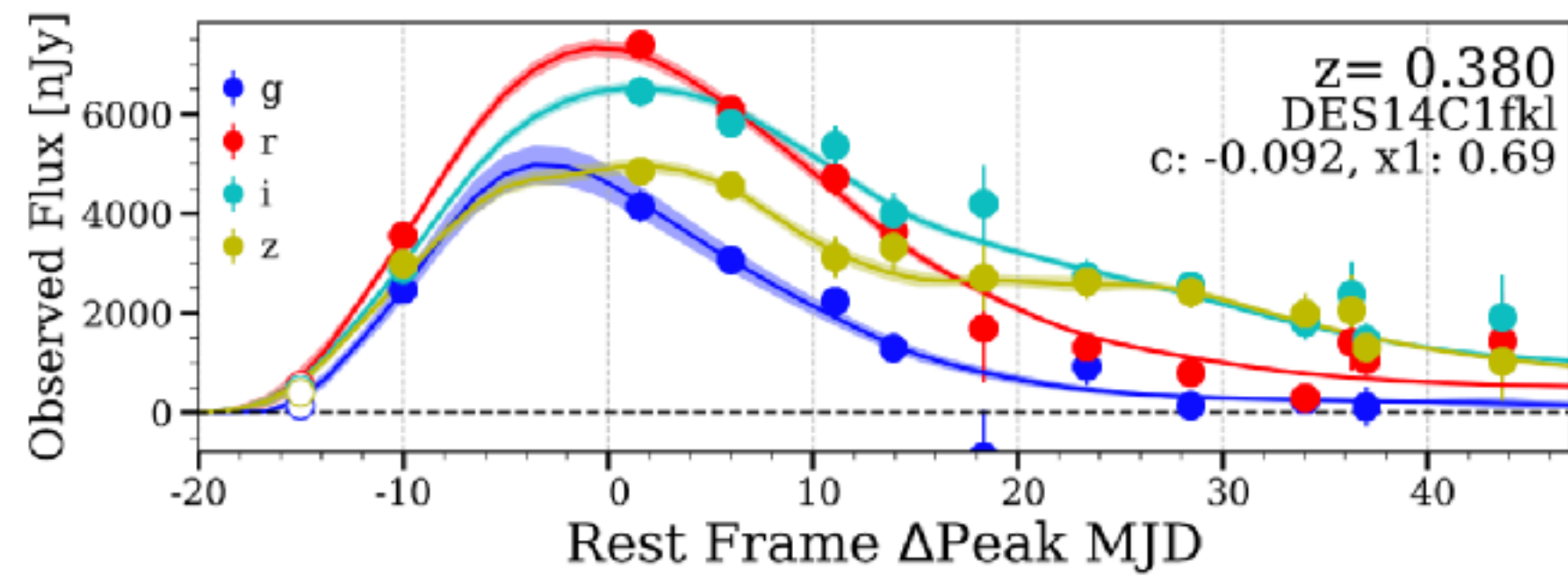
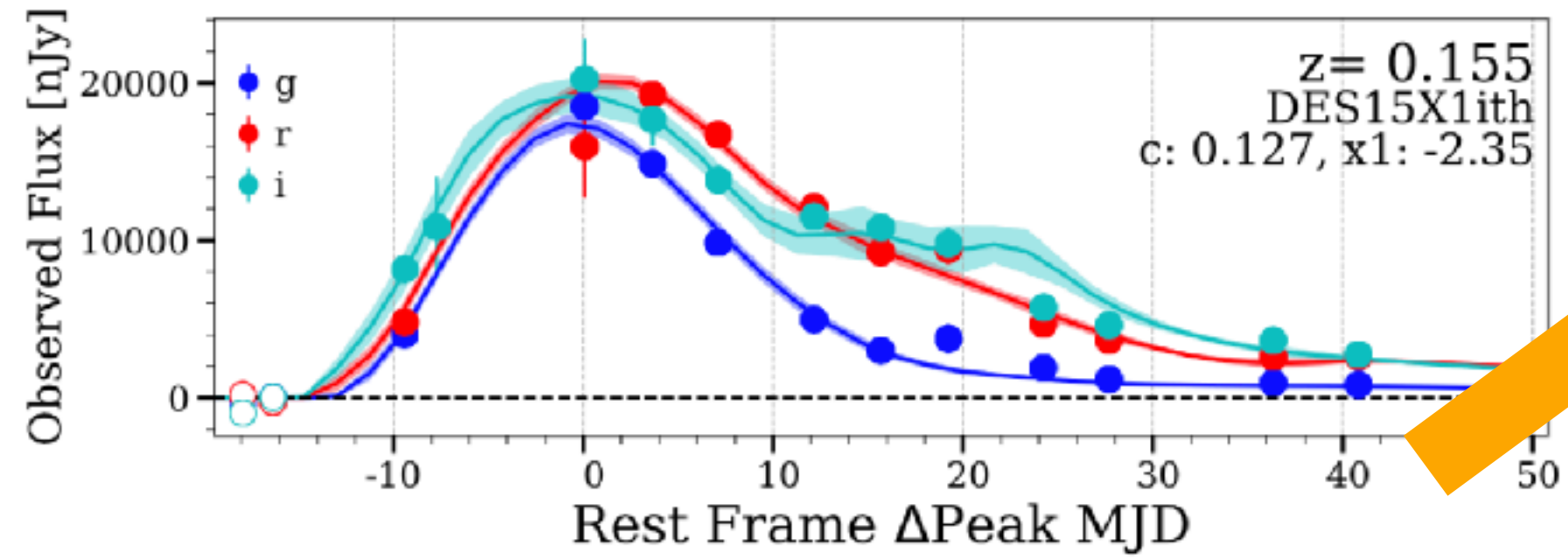


Three steps to the Hubble Constant



SUPERNOVA COSMOLOGY

Light curves (Brout et al. DES 2019)

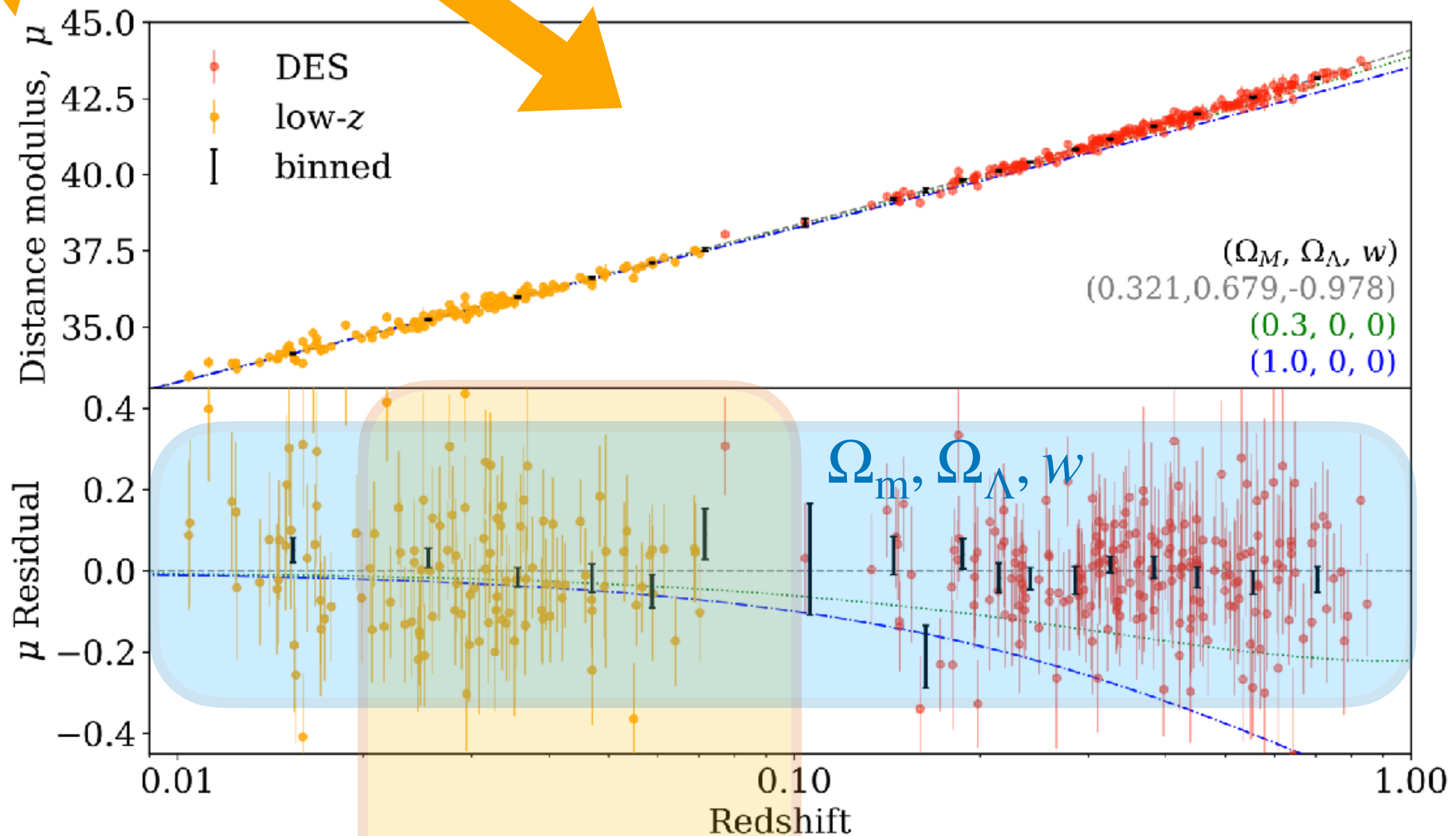


distance modulus: $\mu_B = m_B^* - M_B + \alpha x_1 - \beta C + \gamma G_{\text{host}} + \Delta\mu_{\text{bias}}$

apparent mag m_B^* abs mag M_B stretch scale αx_1 colour scale βC host scale γG_{host} host mass factor $\Delta\mu_{\text{bias}}$ malmquist + selection bias

derived from fit to SNIa light curve
can be constrained using cosmo fits

(Dark Energy Survey 2019)

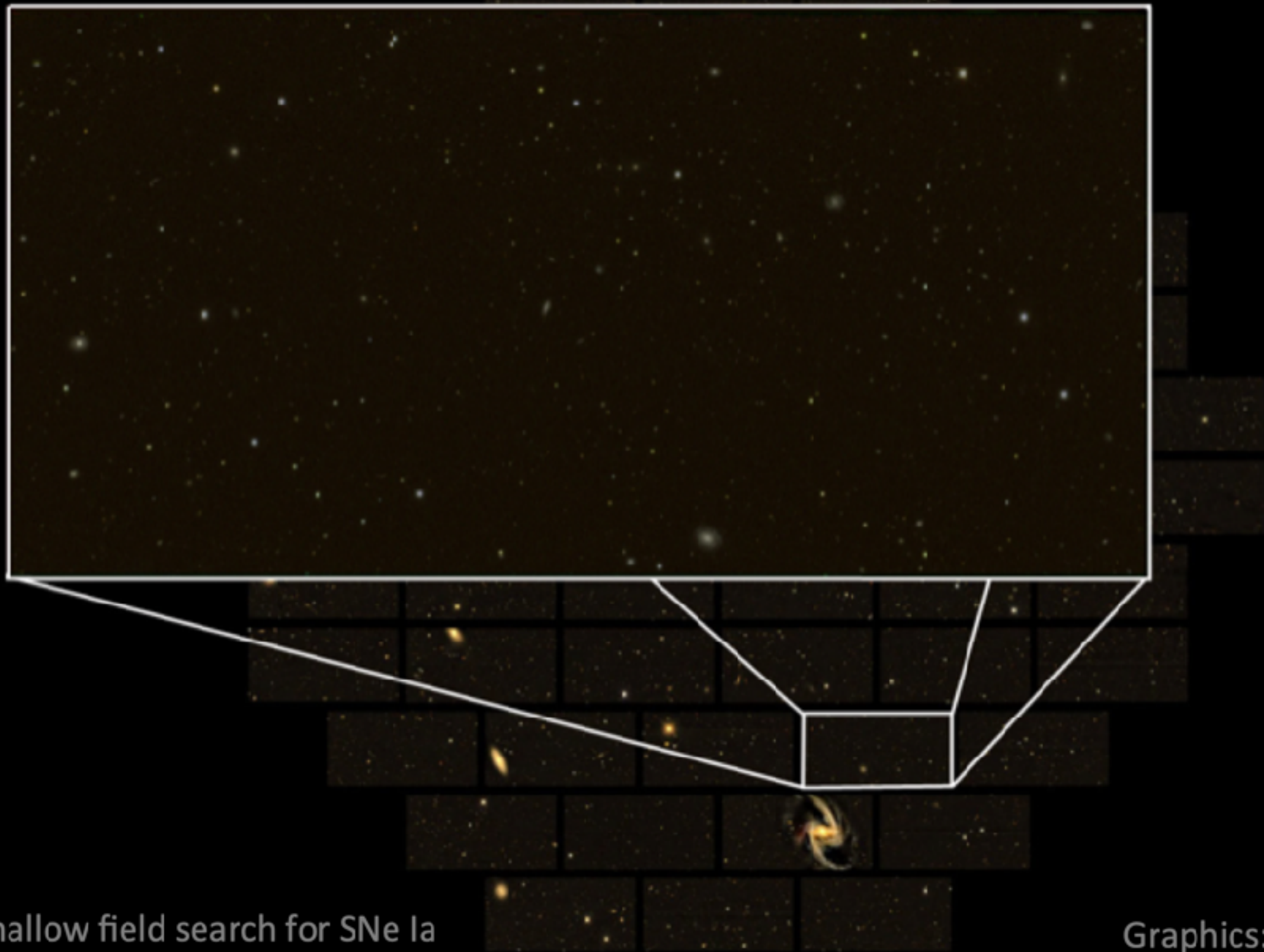


H_0 measurements

The role of gravitational waves

STANDARD CANDLES / SIRENS

Supernovae



Shallow field search for SNe Ia

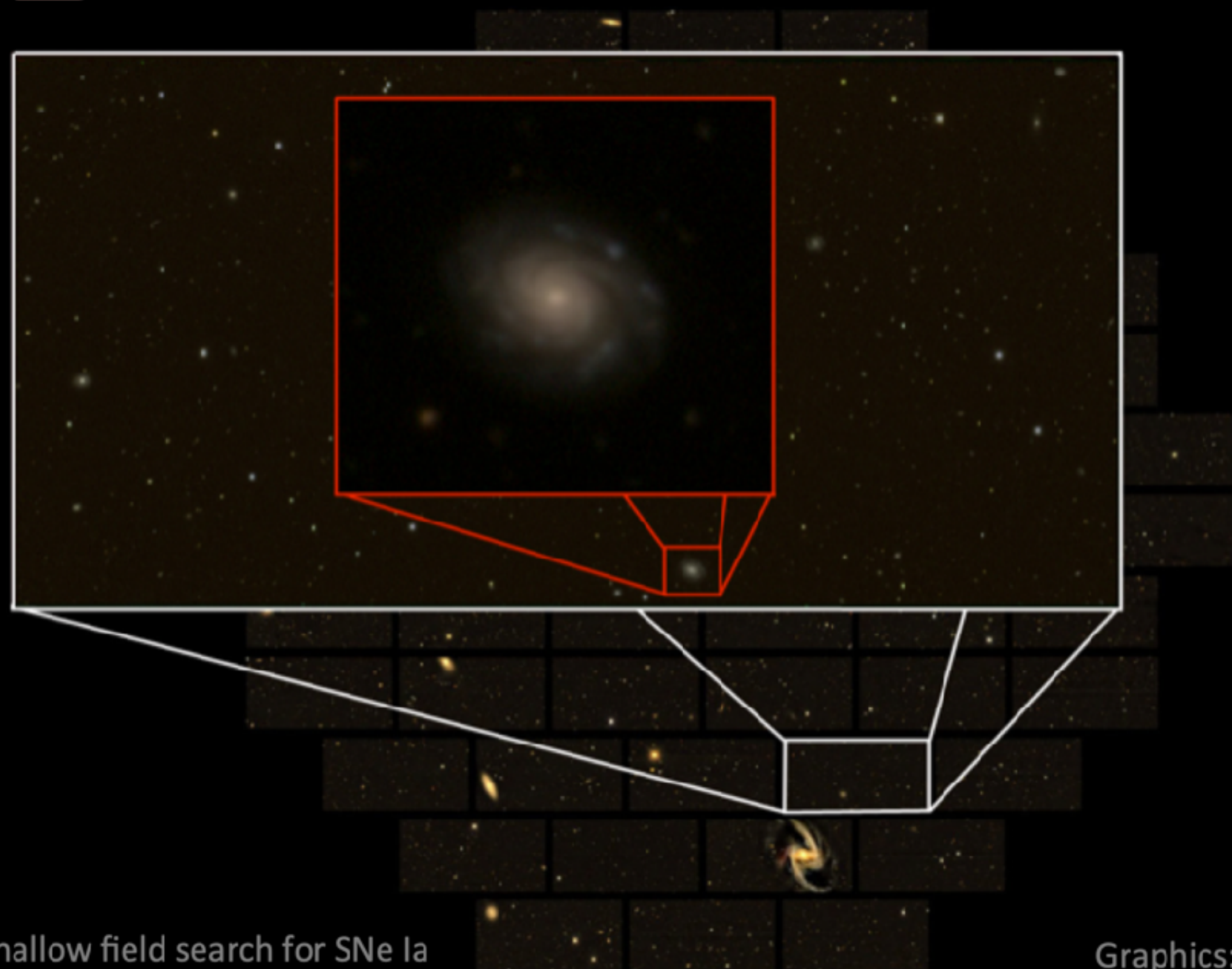
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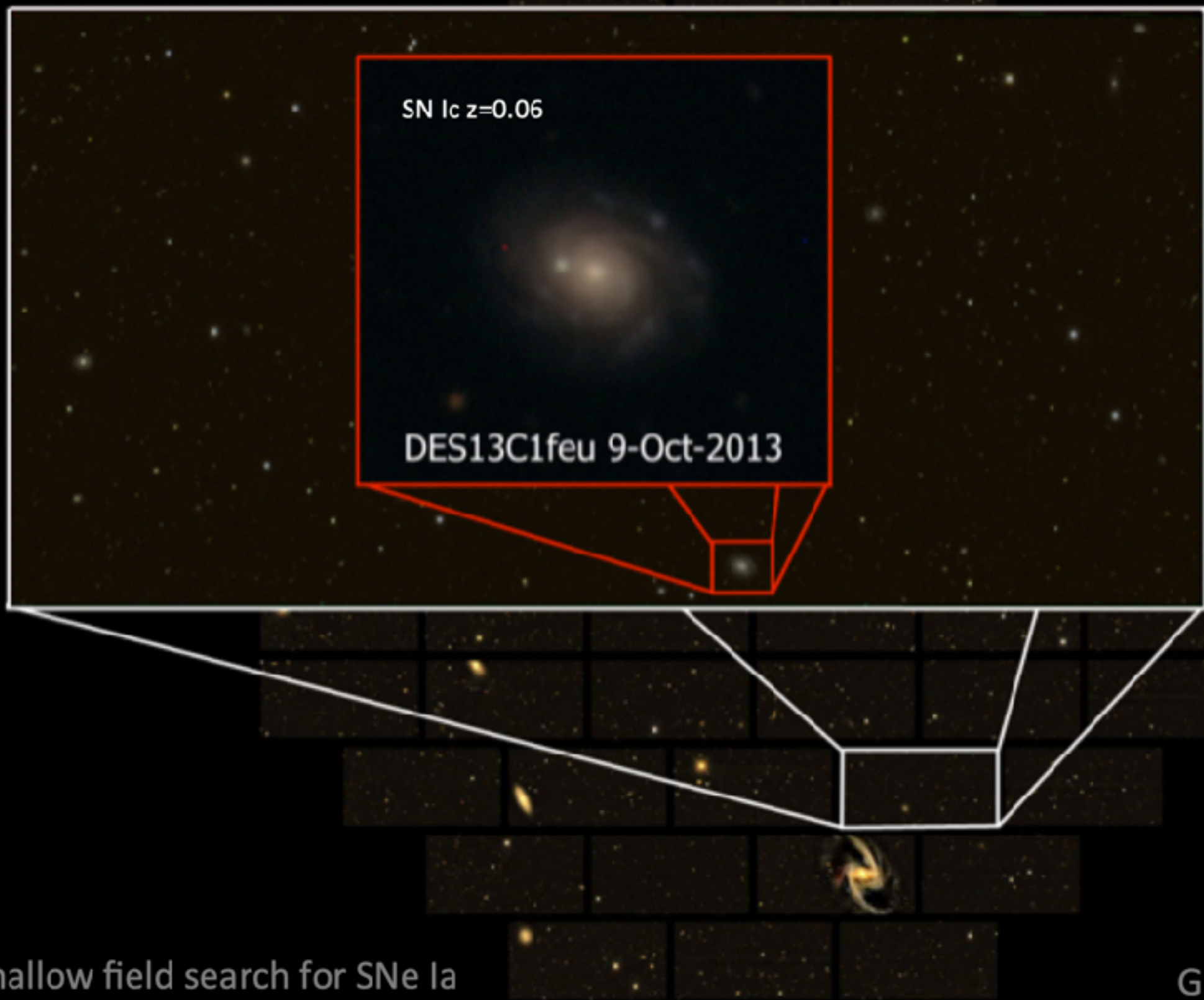
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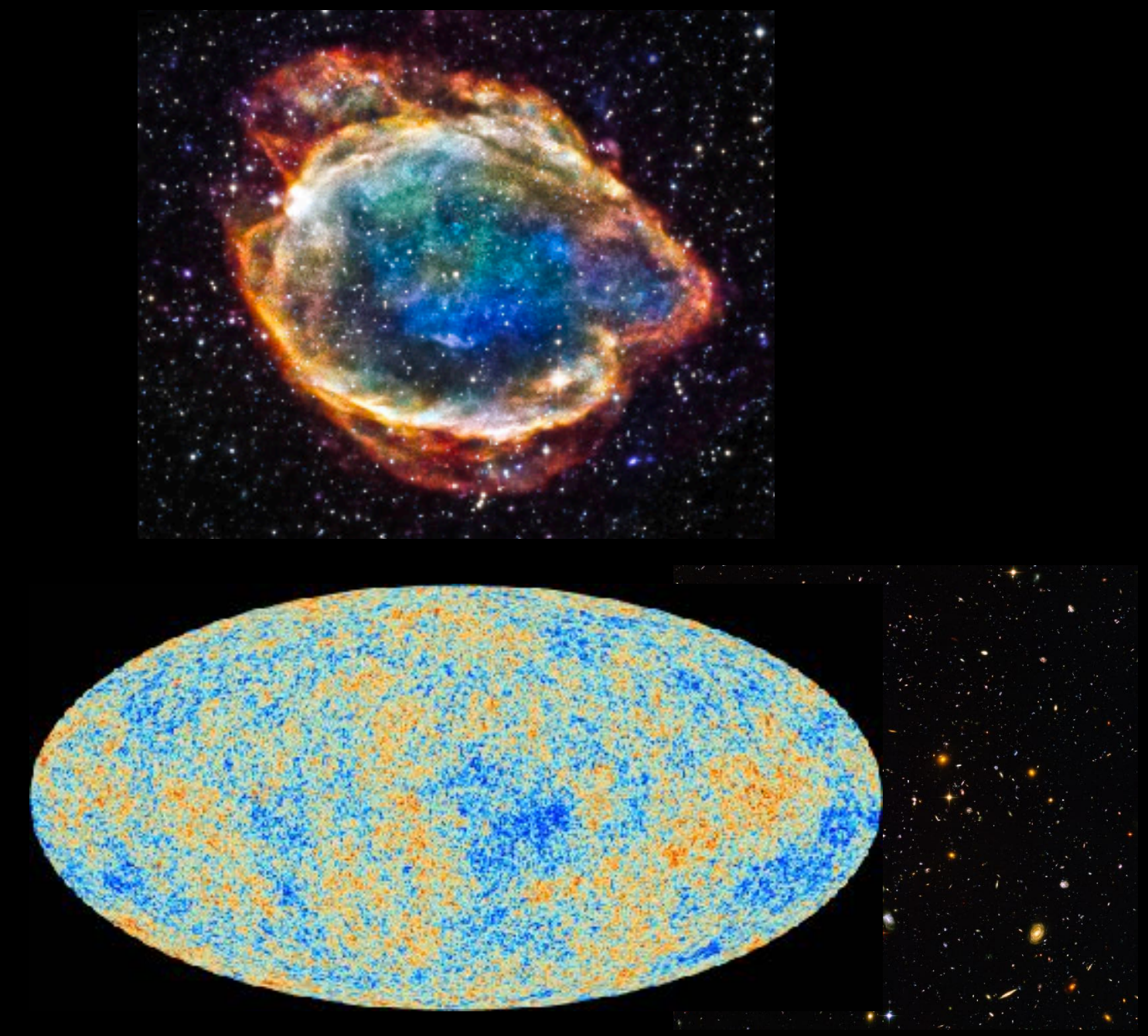
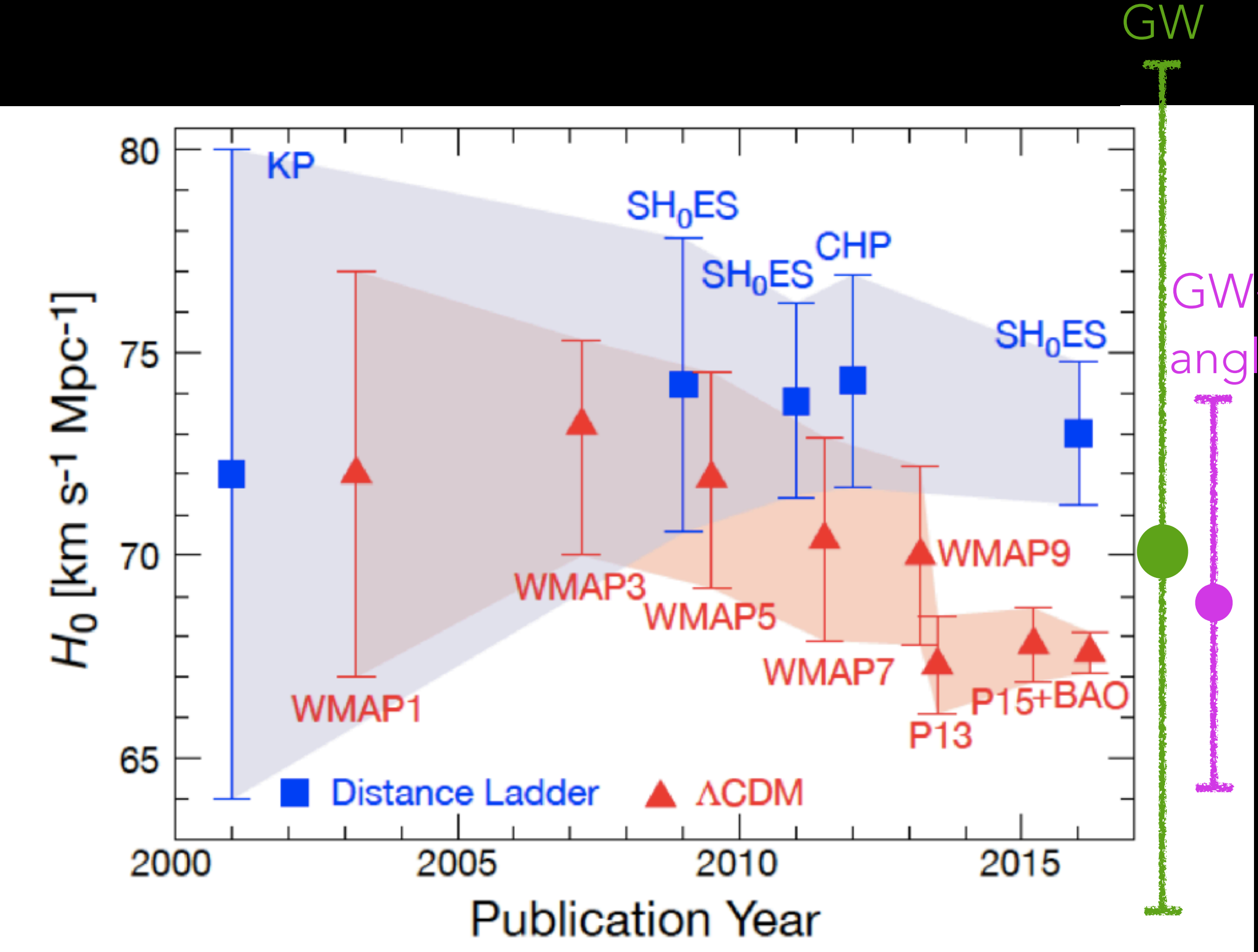
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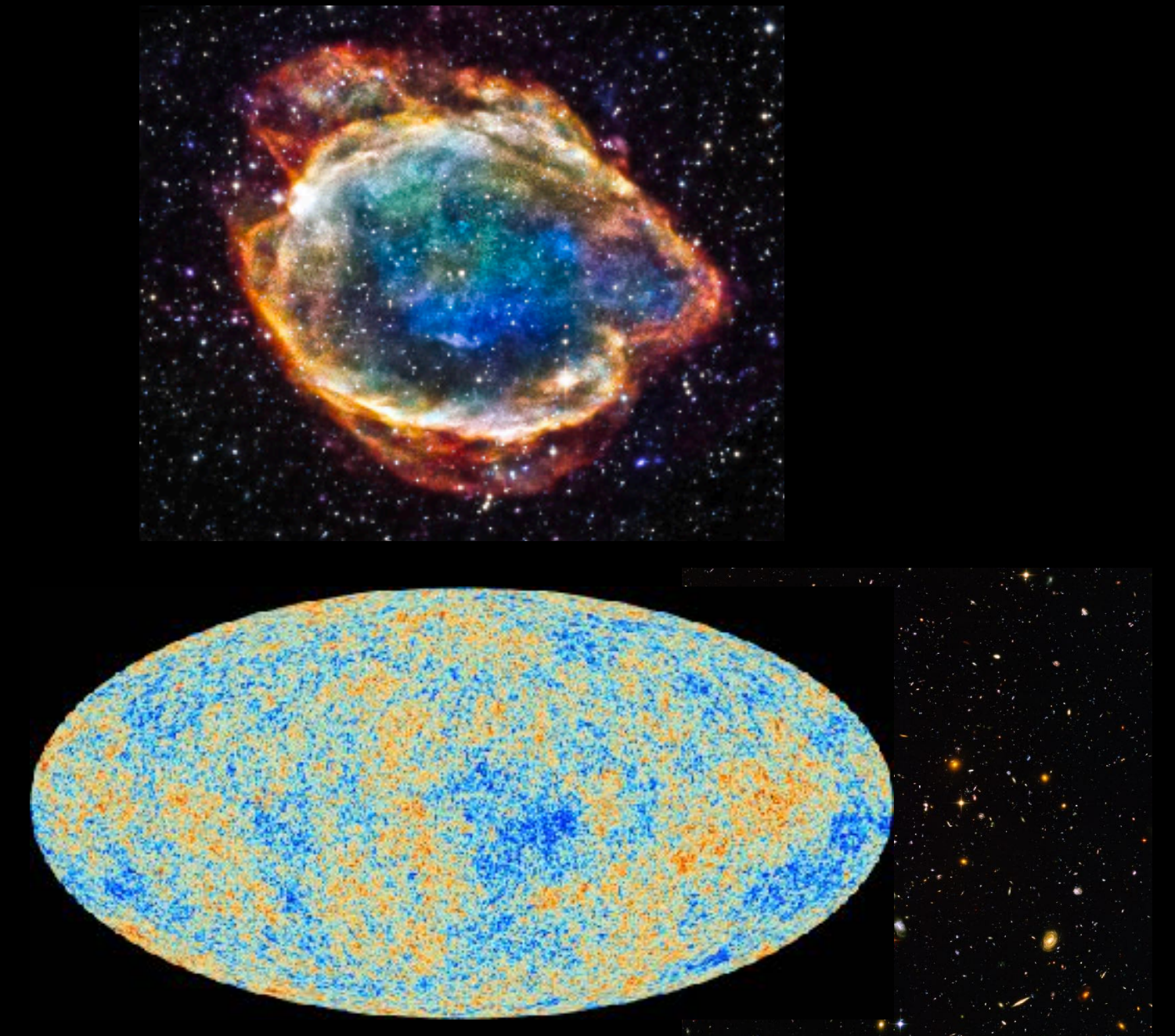
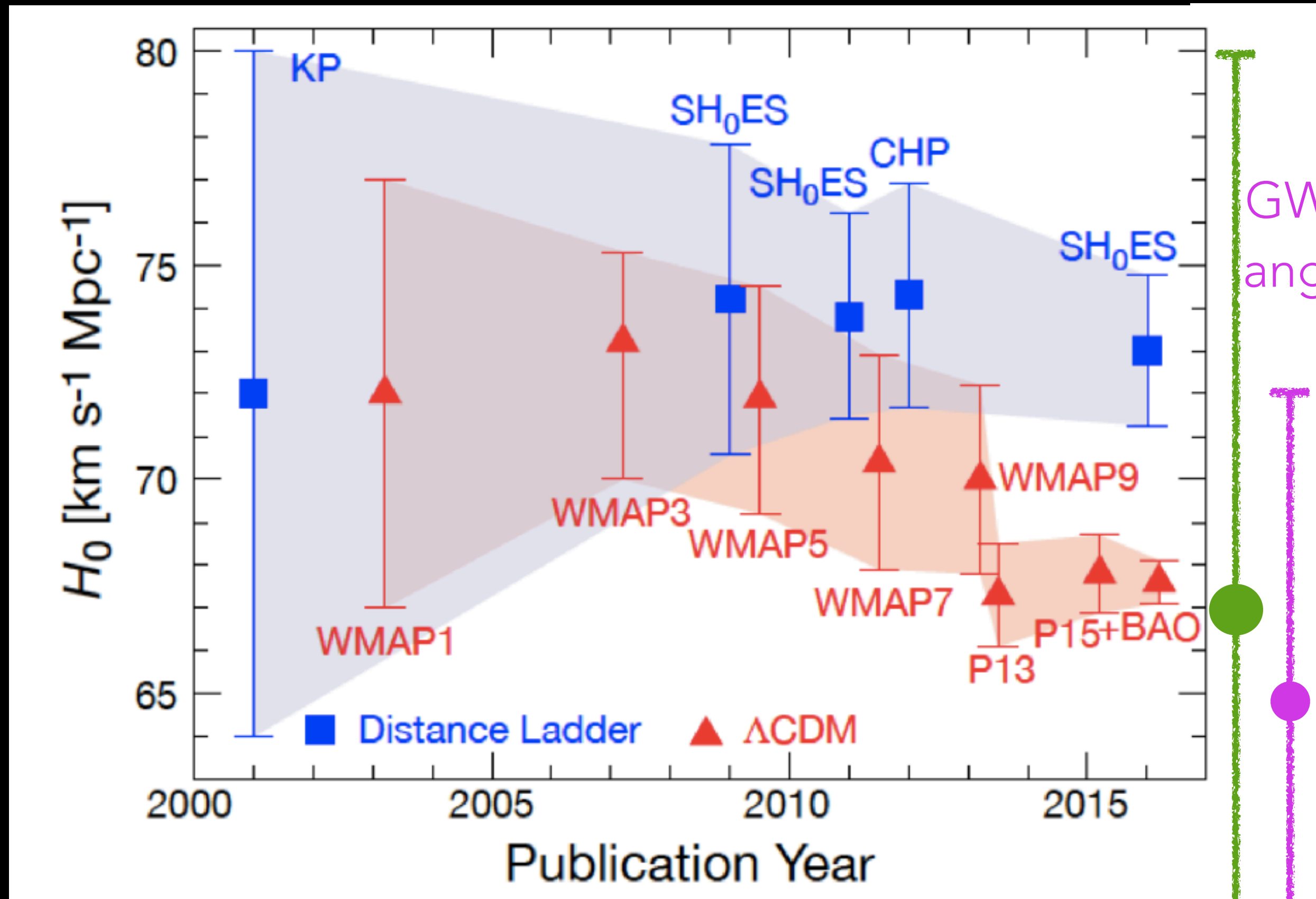
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Abbott et al. 2017 Hotokezaka et al. 2019

GRAVITATIONAL WAVES

GW



Howlett et al. 2020

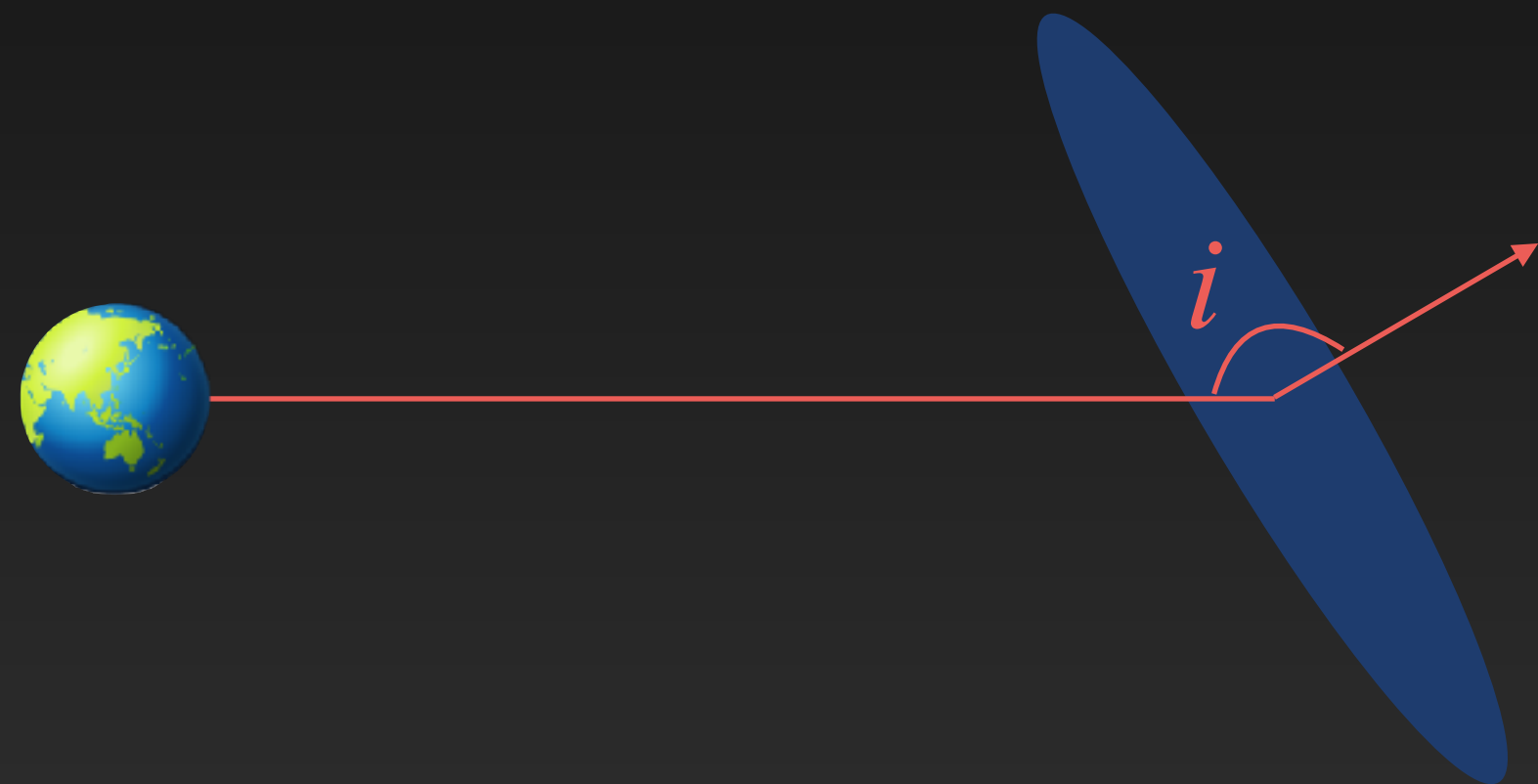
(improving peculiar velocities for Abbott 2017)

Howlett et al. 2020

(improving pec vel for Hotokezaka et al. 2019)

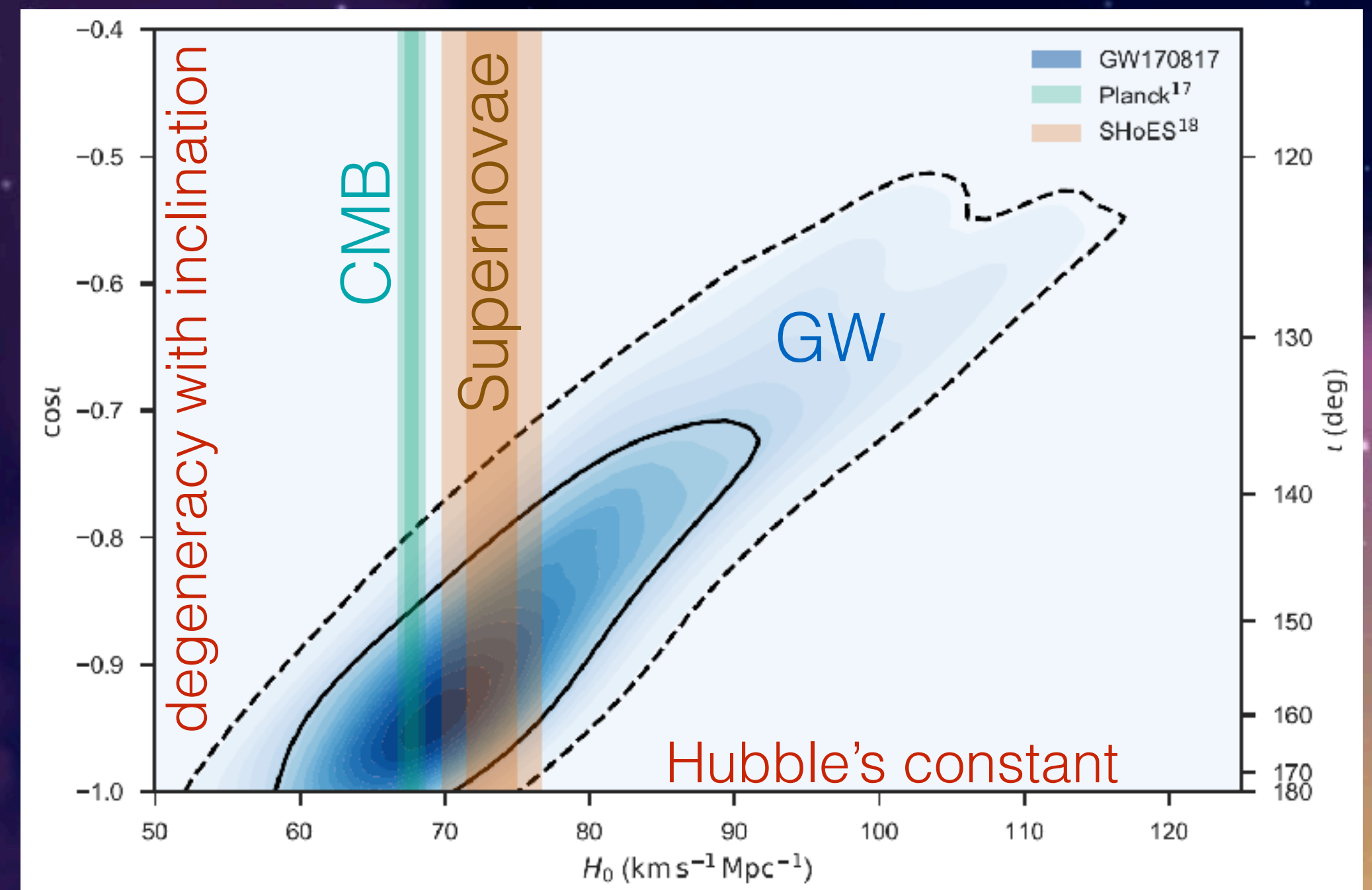
H_0 from gravitational waves: pec vel correction

$$D = 43.8^{+2.9}_{-6.9} \text{ Mpc} \quad (z \sim 0.01)$$



$$H_0 = 70^{+12}_{-8} \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

pec. vel. correction is $\sim 7 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$



Peculiar velocity correction:

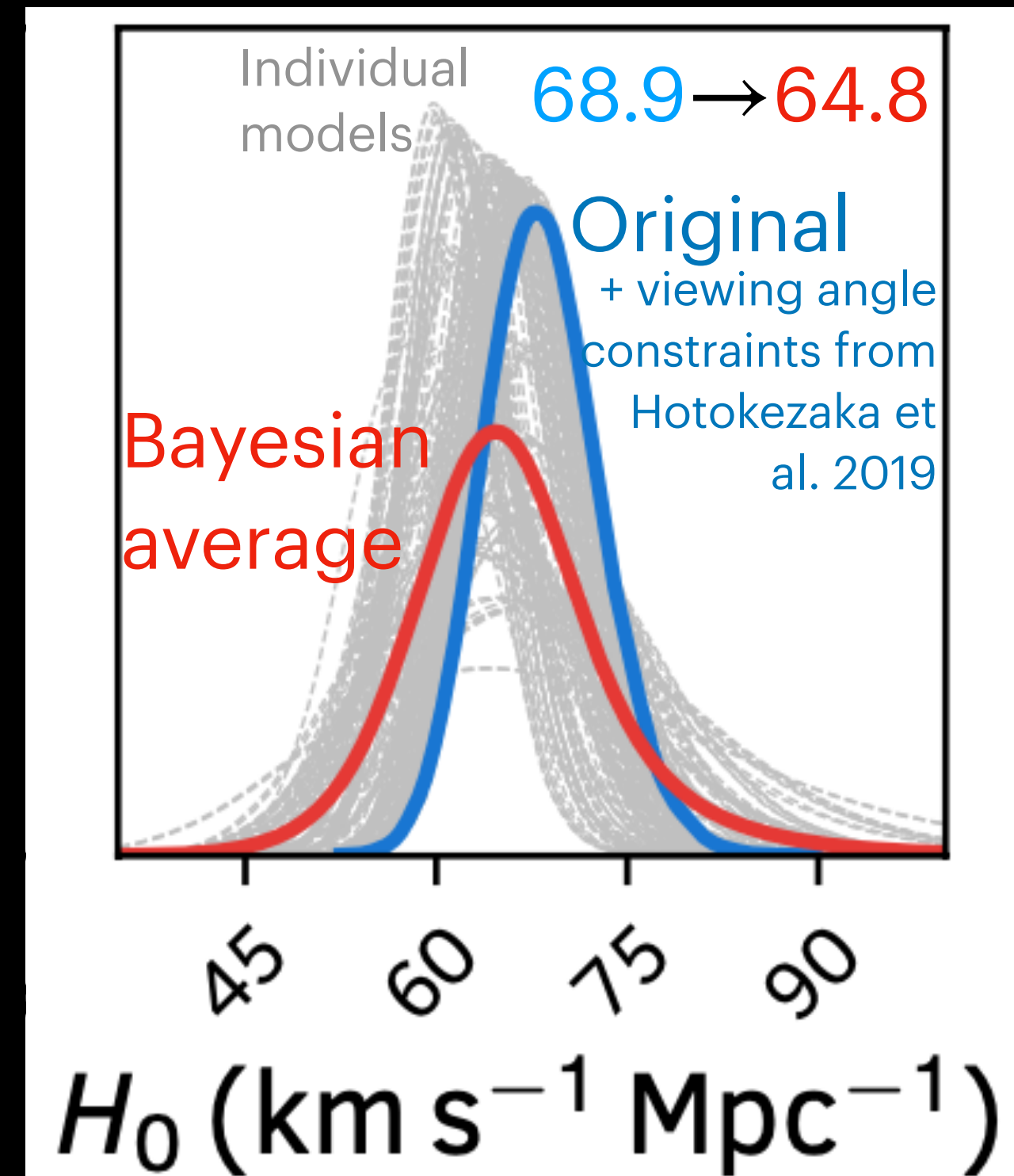
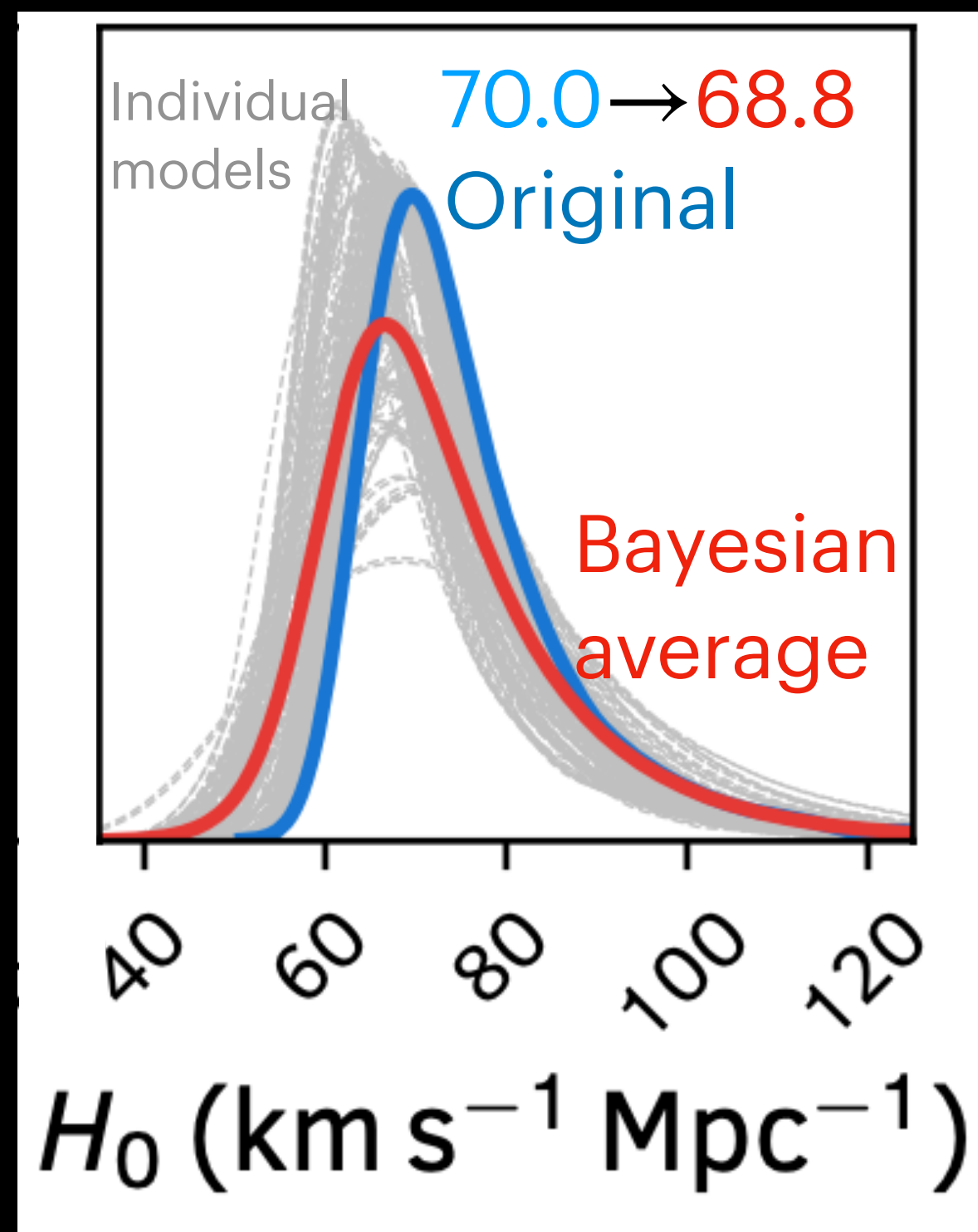
1. Assume it has the v_{tot} of the group $3327 \pm 72 \text{ km/s}$
Gives peak $H_0 \sim 76 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$
2. Measure $v_{\text{pec}} = 310 \pm 69 \text{ km/s}$ by mapping the velocity field (6dF; Springob et al. 2014)
3. Subtract v_{pec} to get $v_{\text{rec}} = 3017 \pm 166 \text{ km s}^{-1}$

Gives peak $H_0 \sim 69 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$

The importance of peculiar velocities

(When you don't have many measurements yet.)

The peculiar velocity correction applied to the first GW standard siren corresponded to a change in H_0 of **7km/s/Mpc**



A more thorough peculiar velocity analysis estimates a slightly lower H_0 (but still within errors)

H_0 Dropped by 0.3σ and 0.9σ

(See Howlett and Davis 1909.00587)



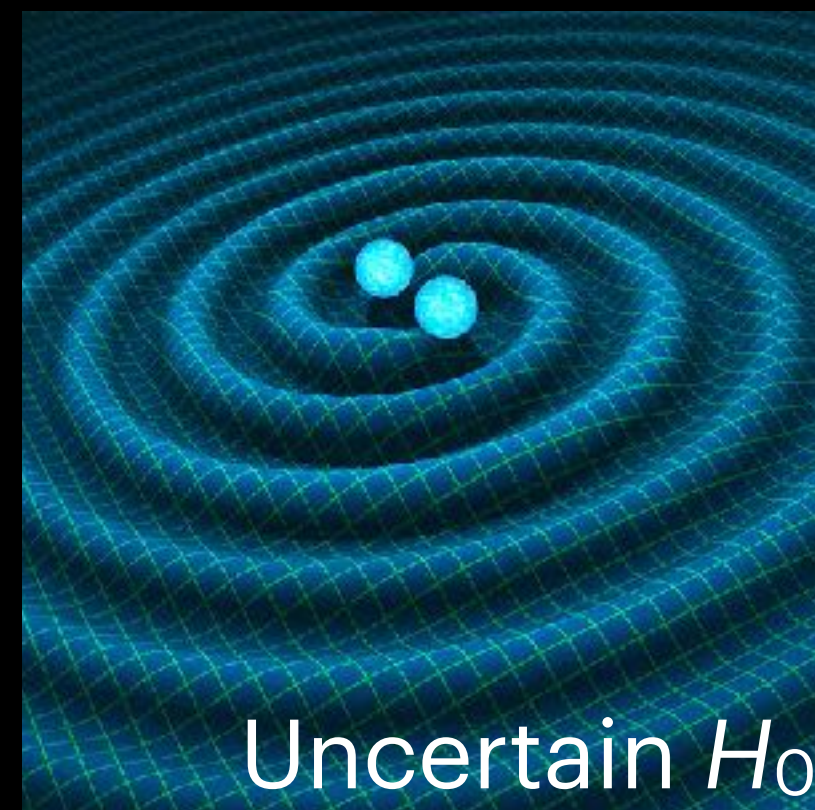
STANDARD CANDLES AND RULERS

$$\tilde{D} = \begin{cases} R_0 \sin(\chi) & \text{closed} \\ R_0 \chi & \text{flat} \\ R_0 \sinh(\chi) & \text{open} \end{cases}$$

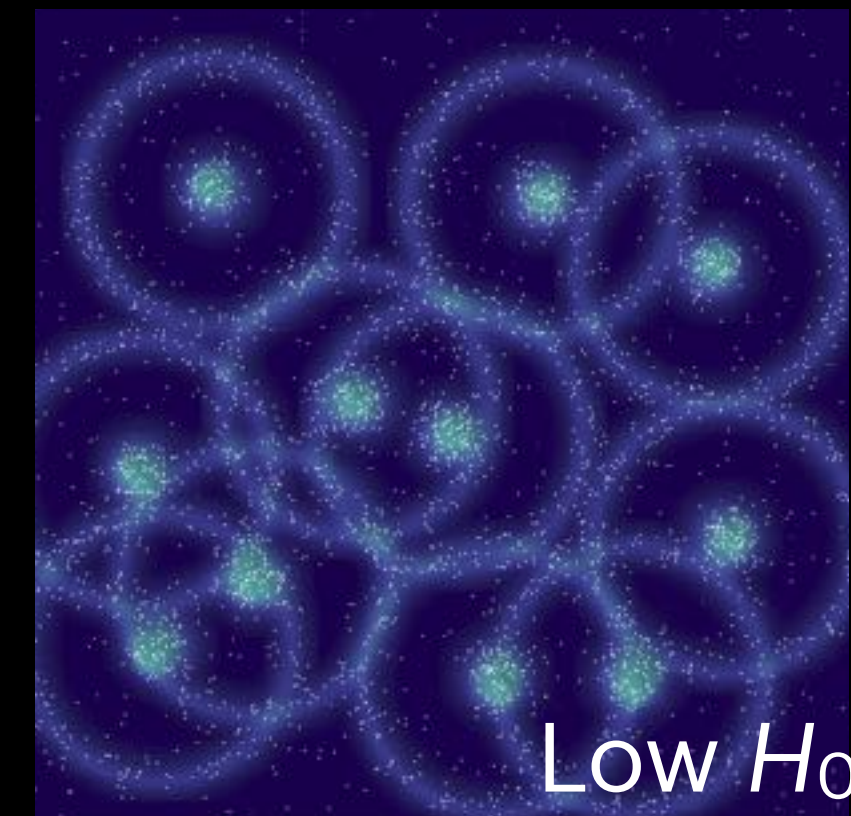
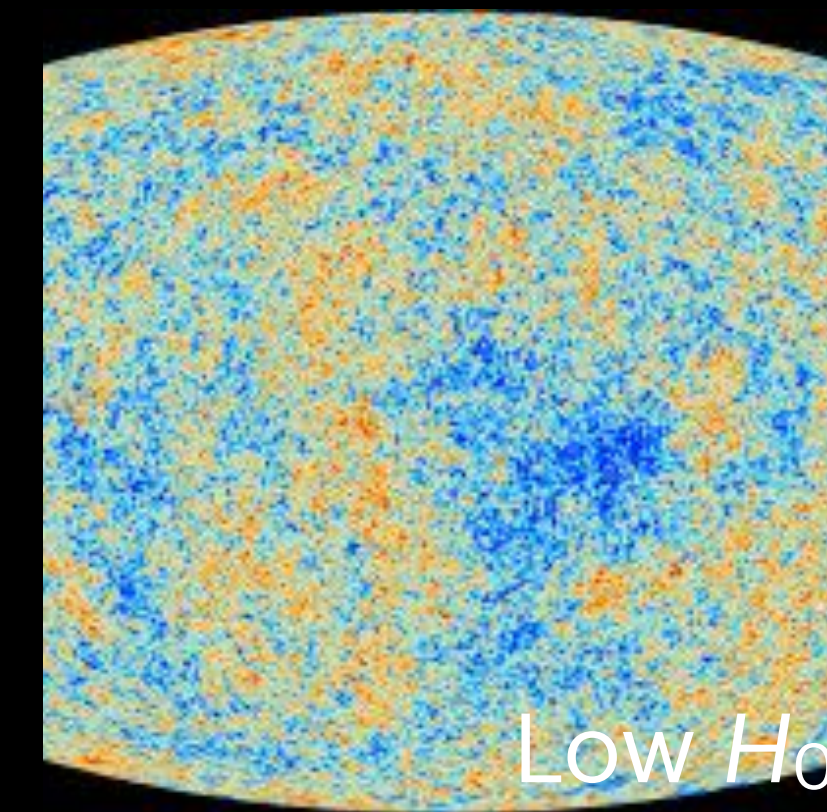
Candles

$$D_L = \tilde{D}(1+z)$$

Late
Universe
(nearby)



Rulers



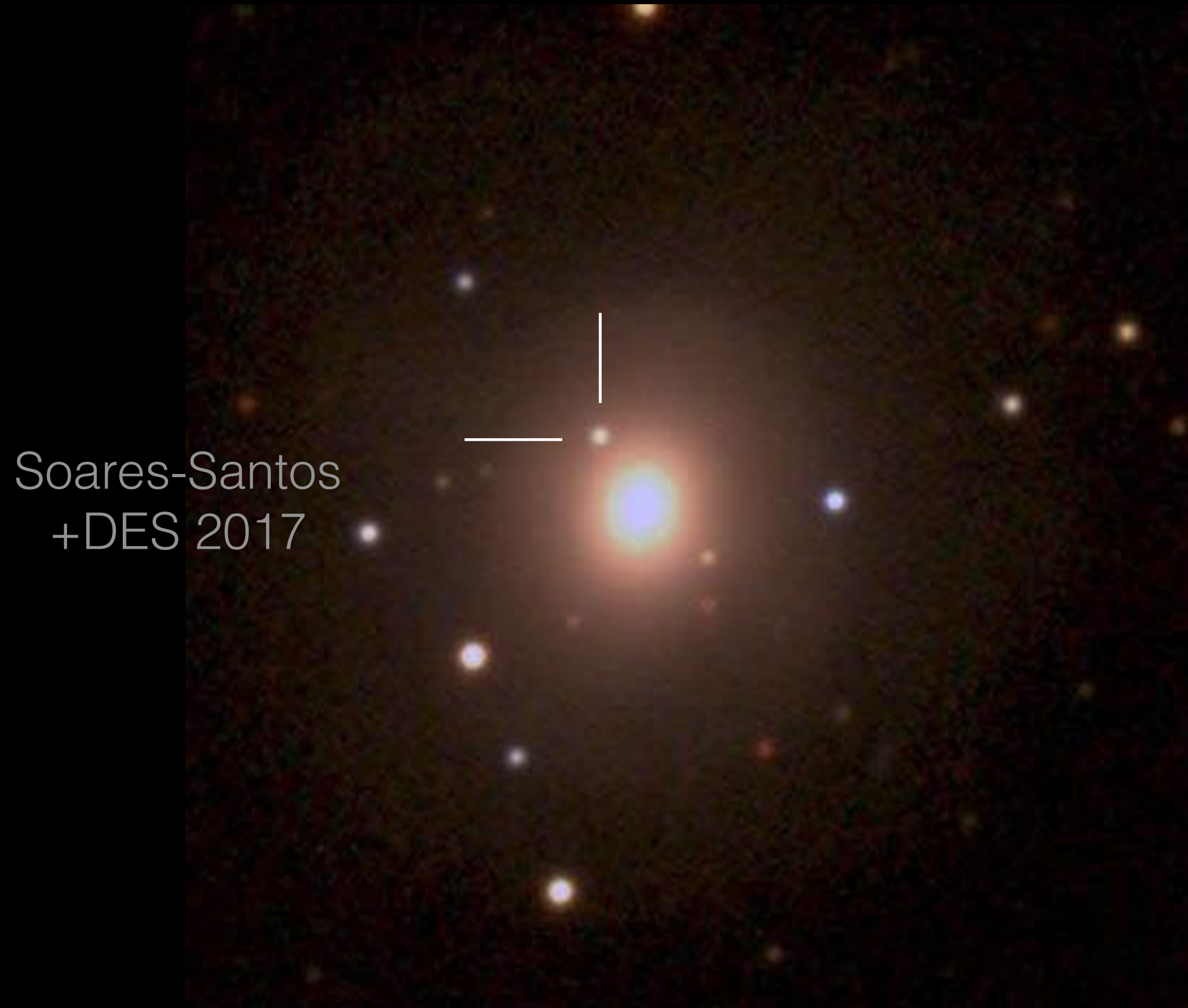
$$D_A = \tilde{D}/(1+z)$$

Early
Universe
(far)

Global
(indirect)

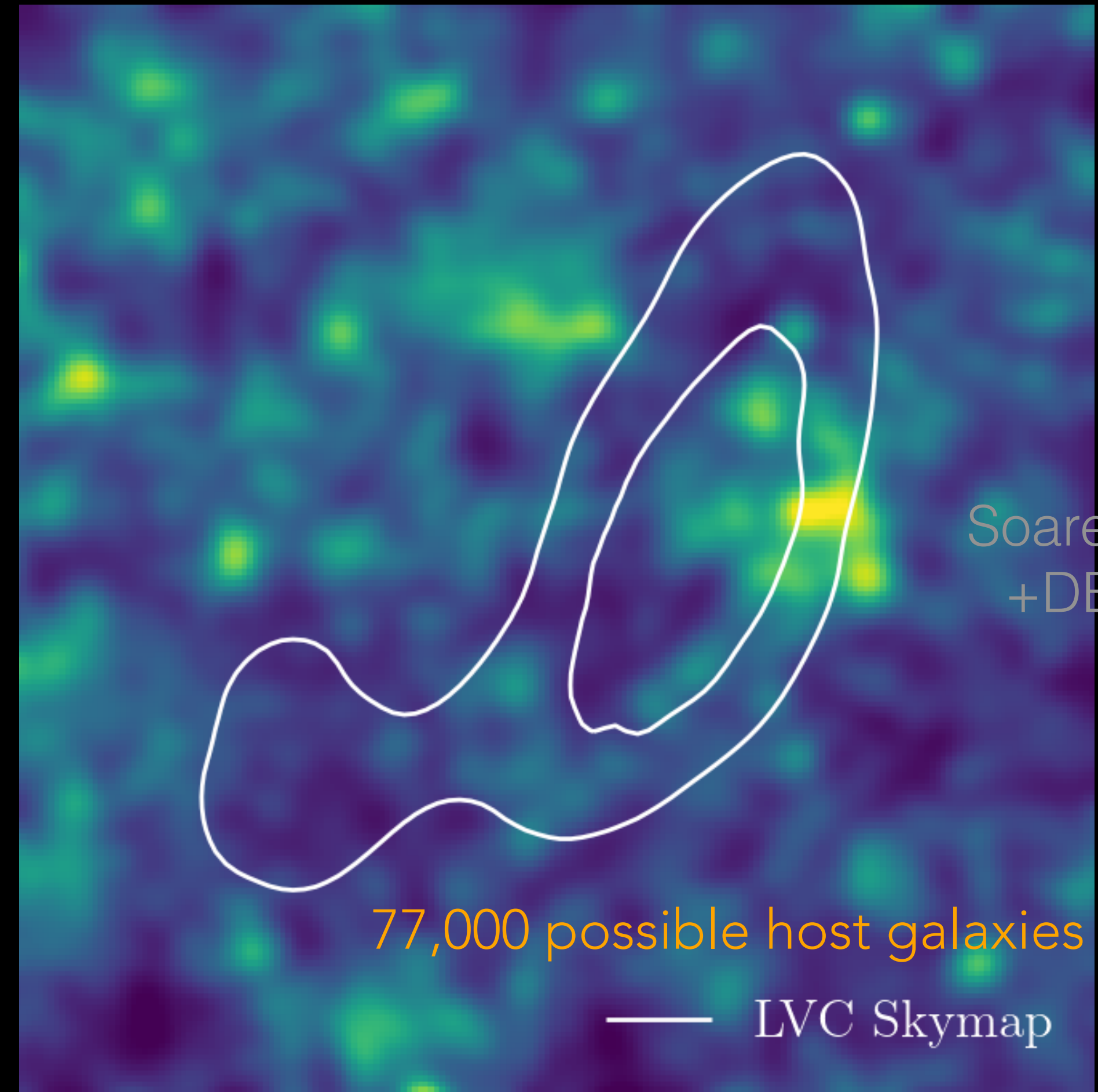
GRAVITATIONAL WAVES

Bright sirens



Known host galaxy

Dark sirens



Many possible host galaxies

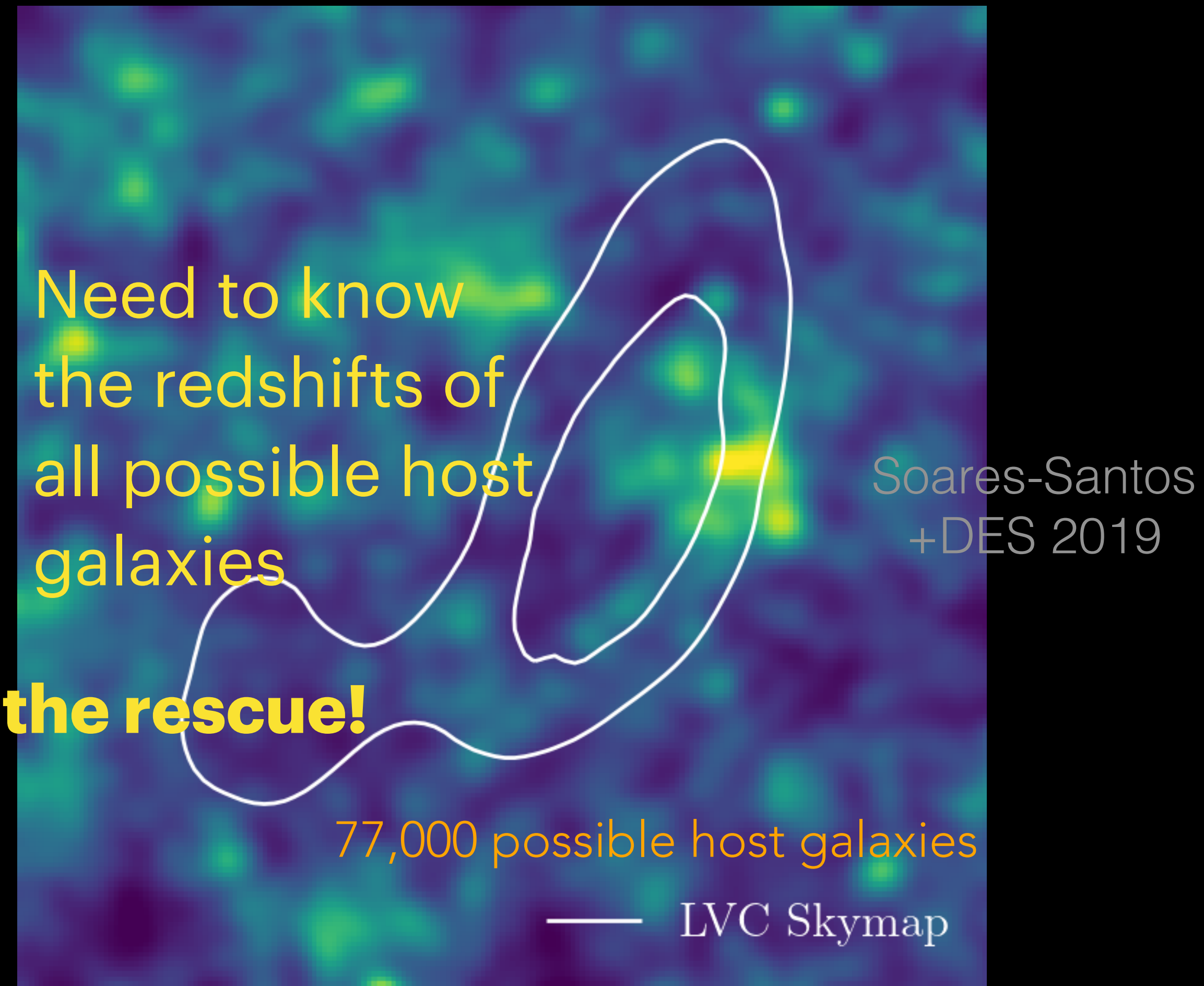
GRAVITATIONAL WAVES

Bright sirens



Known host galaxy

Dark sirens



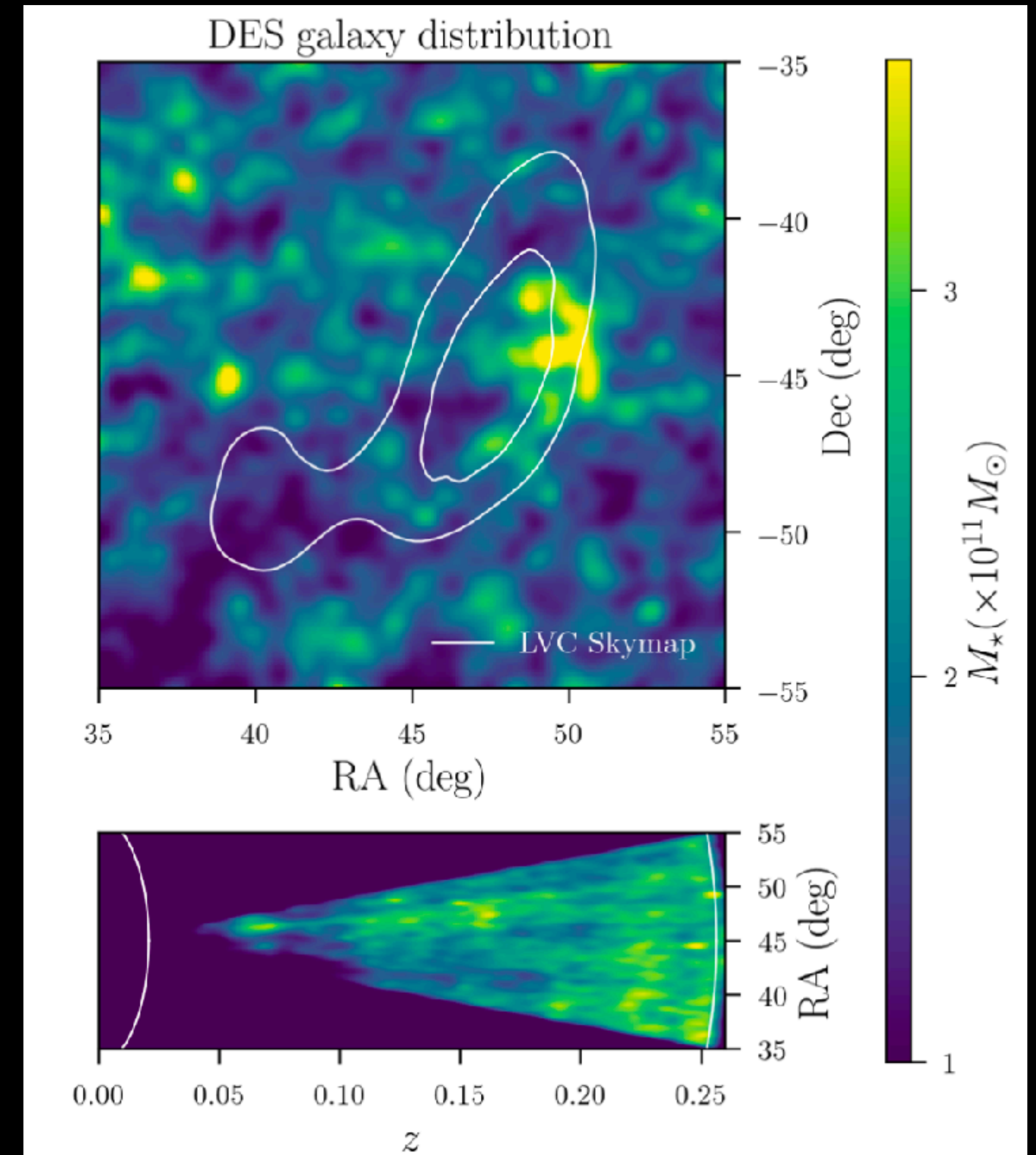
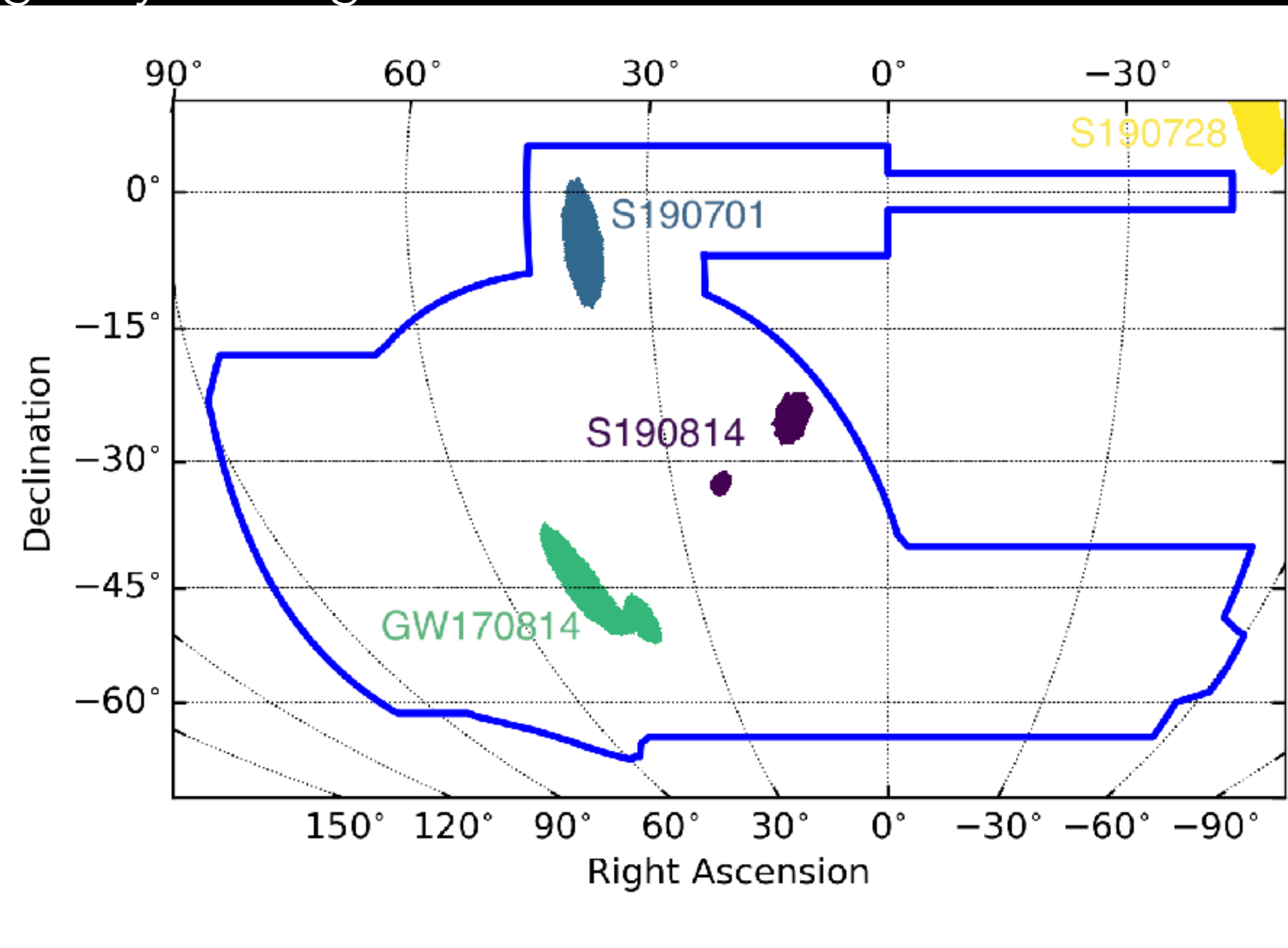
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Galaxy surveys to the rescue!

DARK SIREN MEASUREMENT

GW170814 - first well localised binary black hole
Falls in the middle of DES footprint - complete galaxy catalog

77,000 possible host galaxies

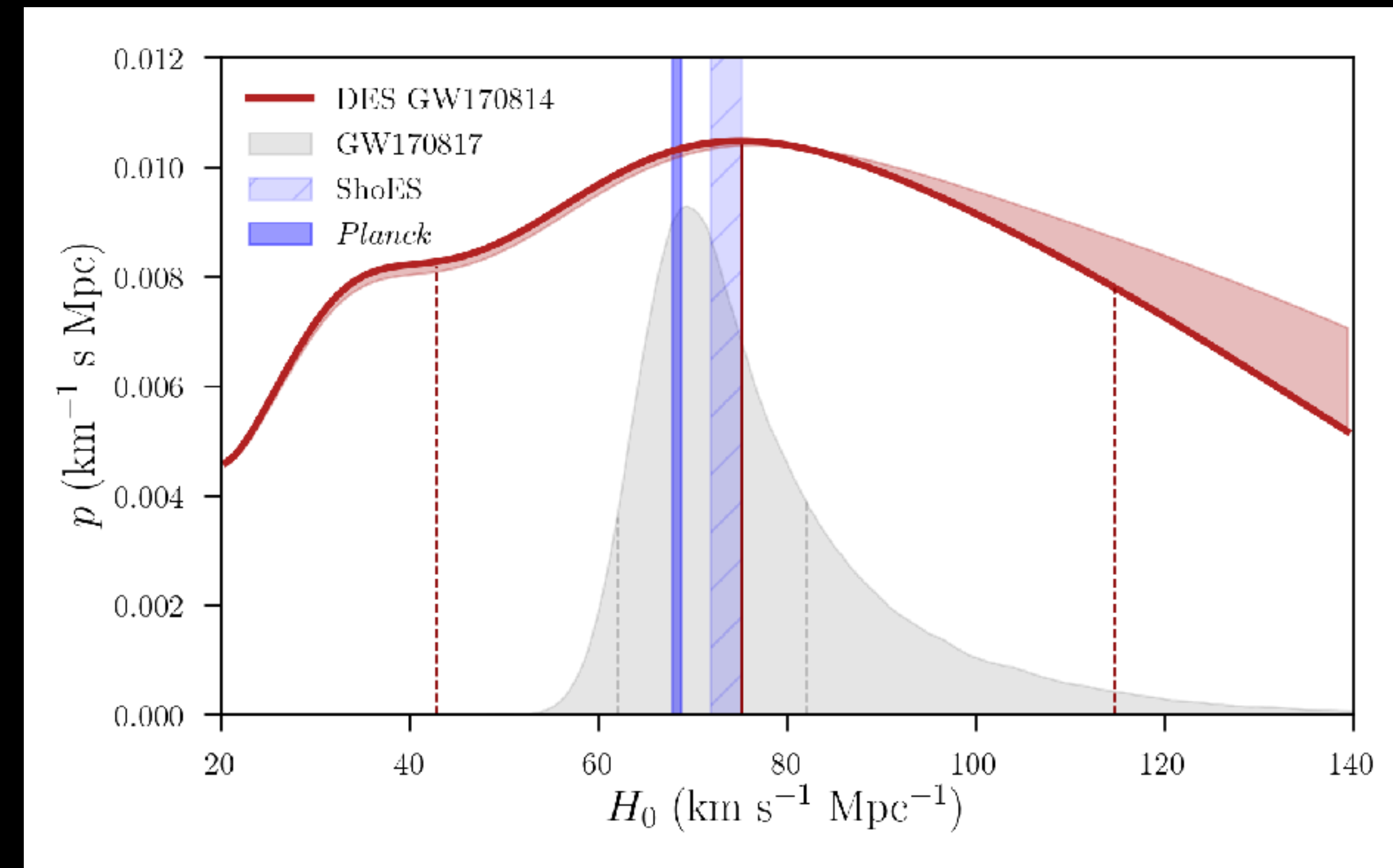
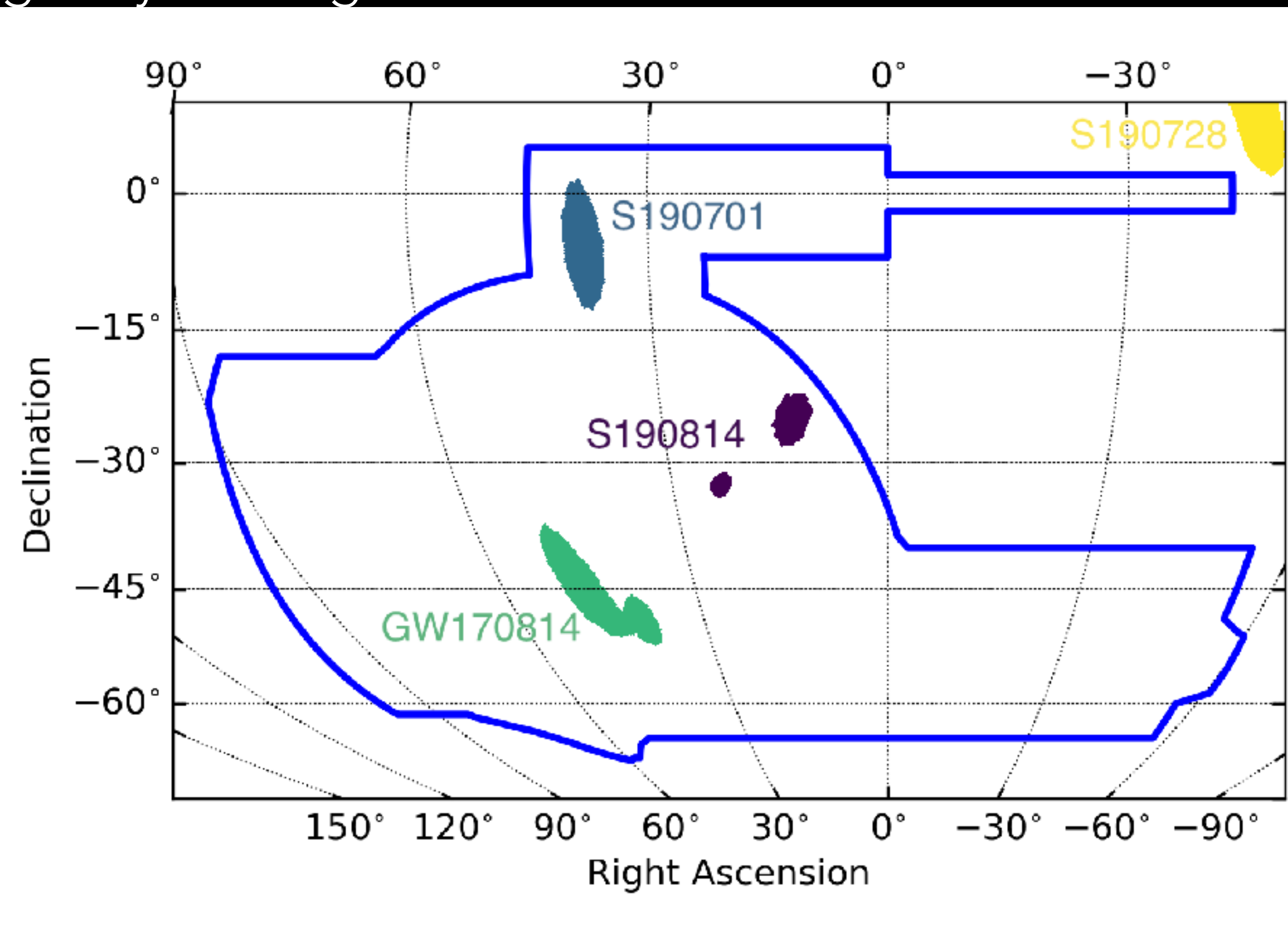


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First measurement of H_0 using a binary black hole

Soares-Santos et al. 2019 (DES & LVC)

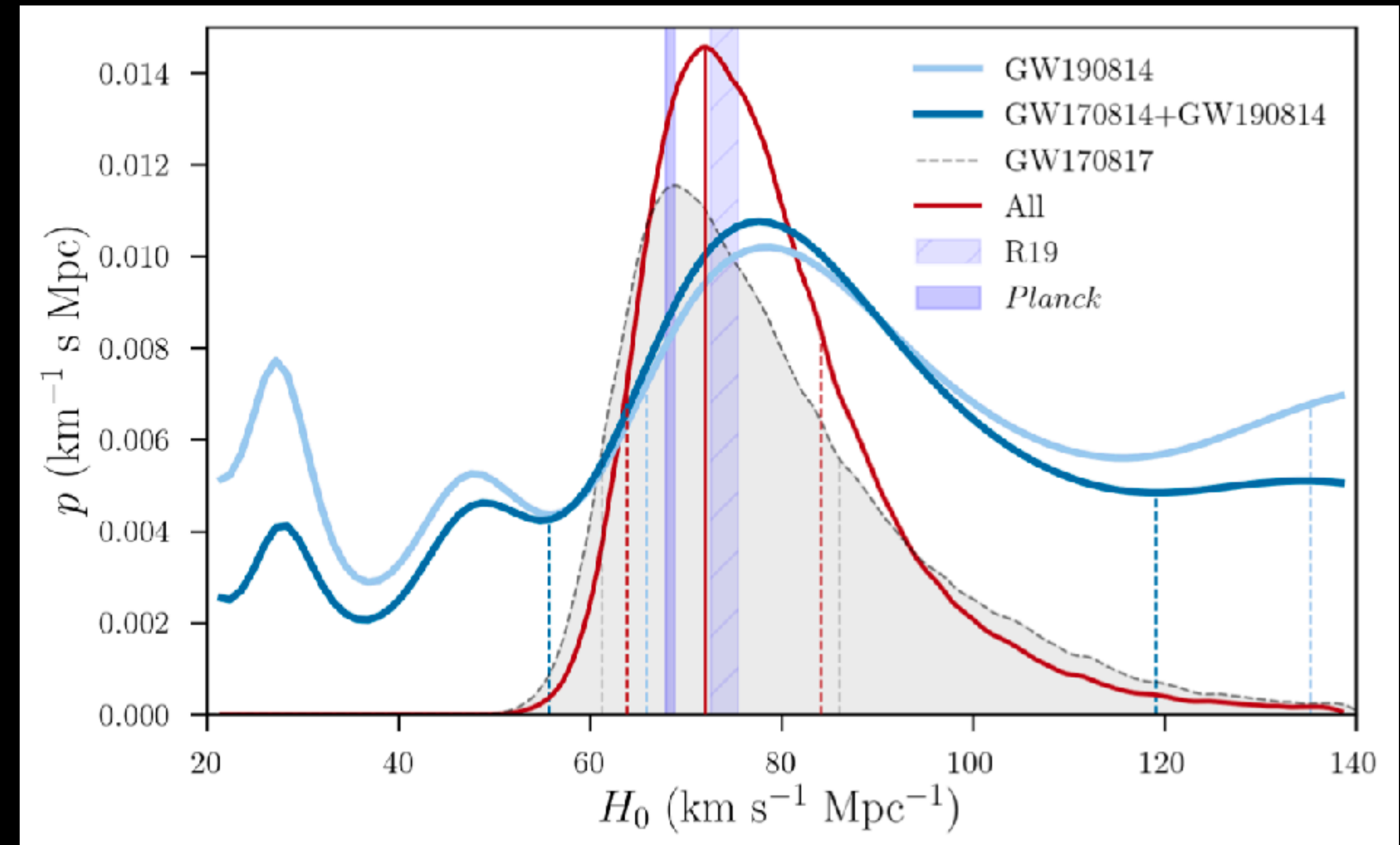
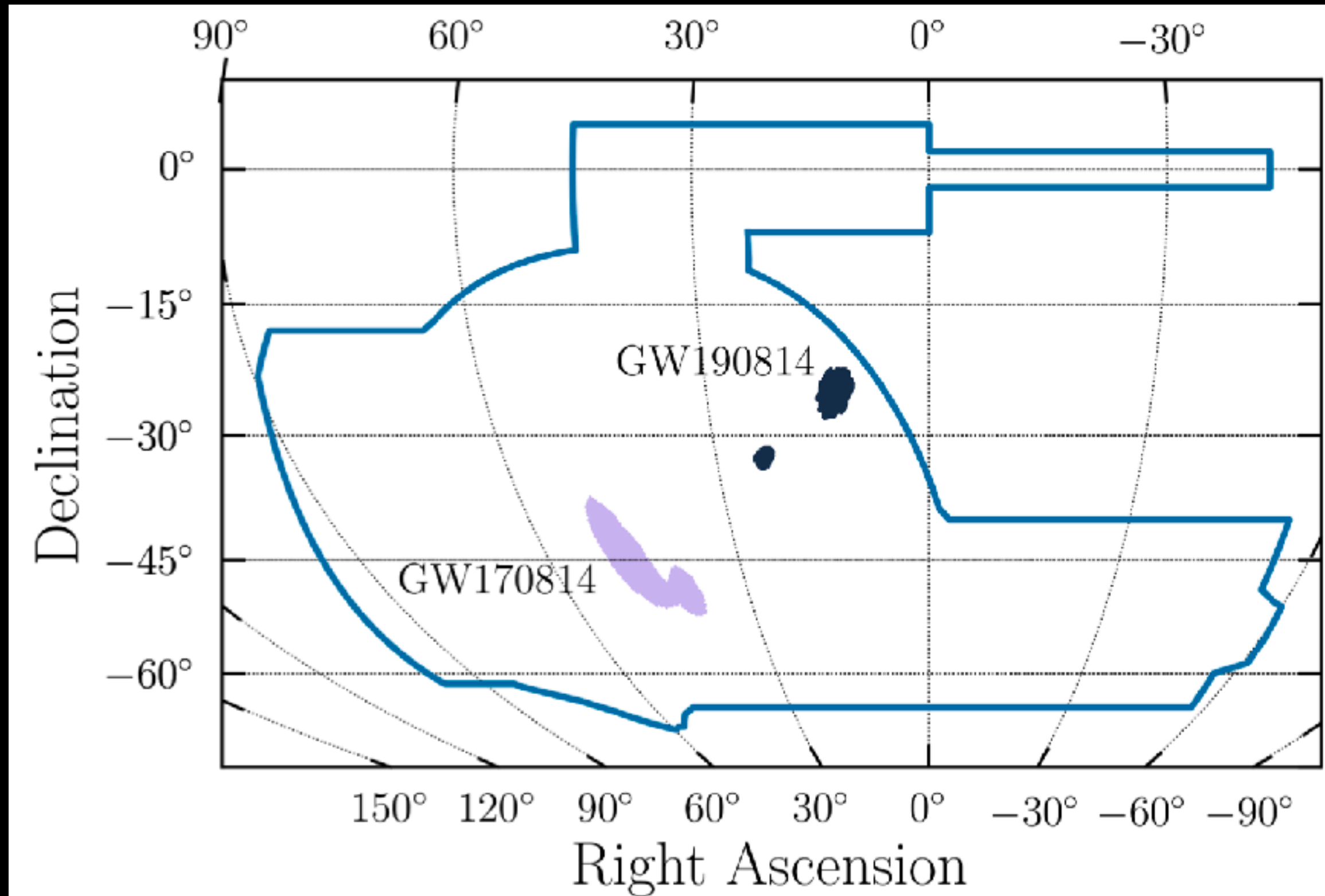


$$H_0 = 75.2^{+39.5}_{-32.4} \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

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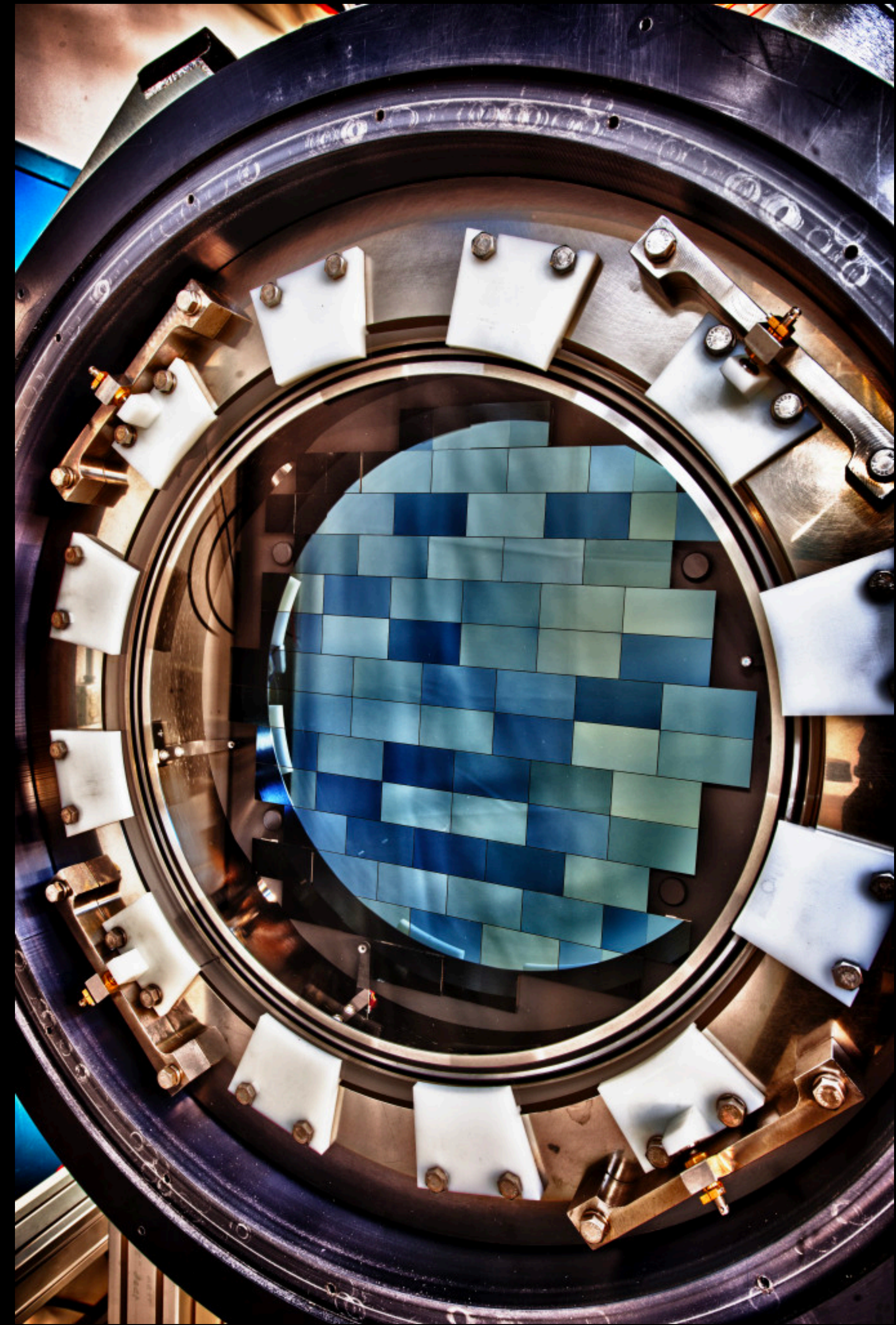
Palmese et al. 2020 added GW190814

Combining

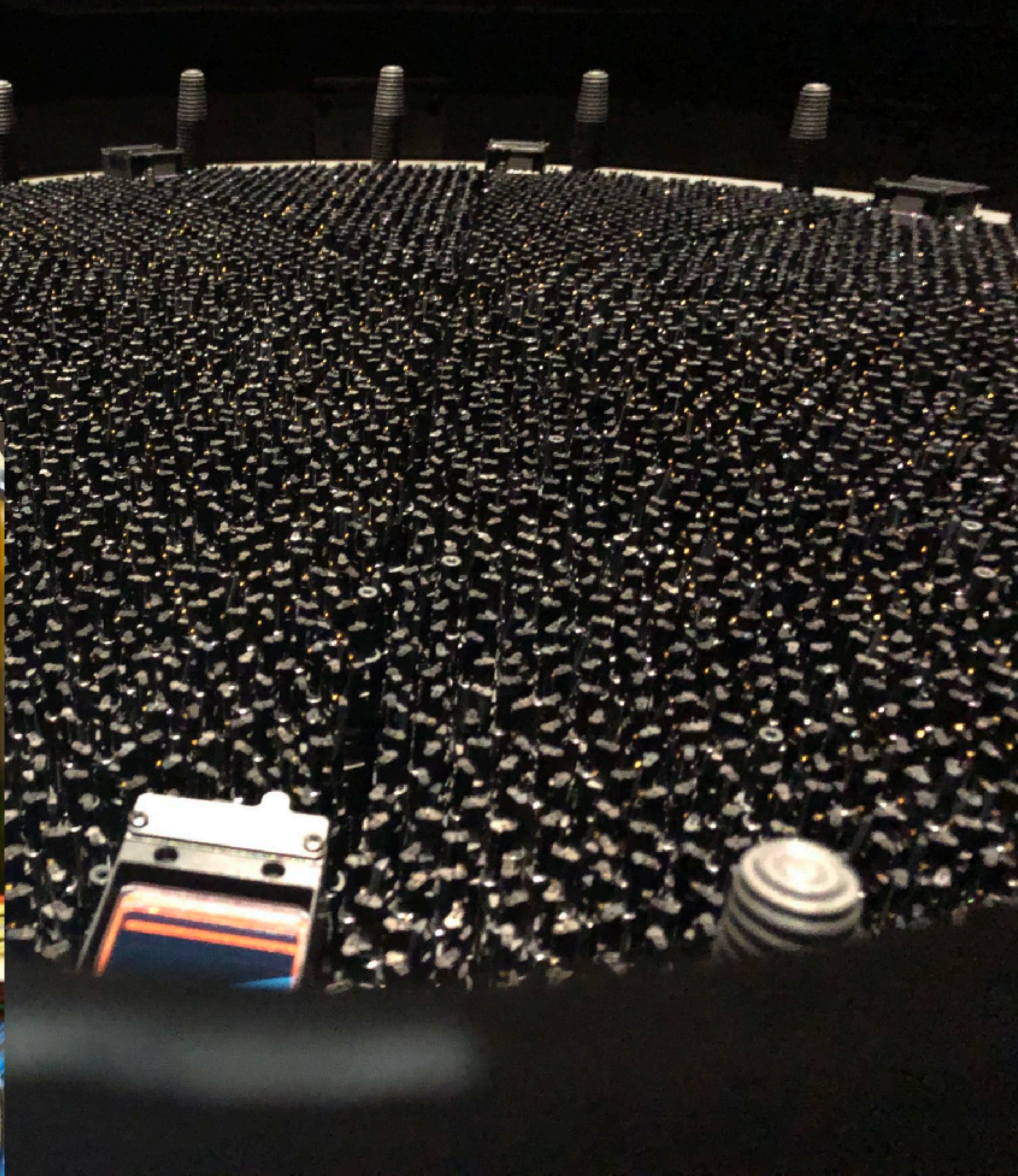
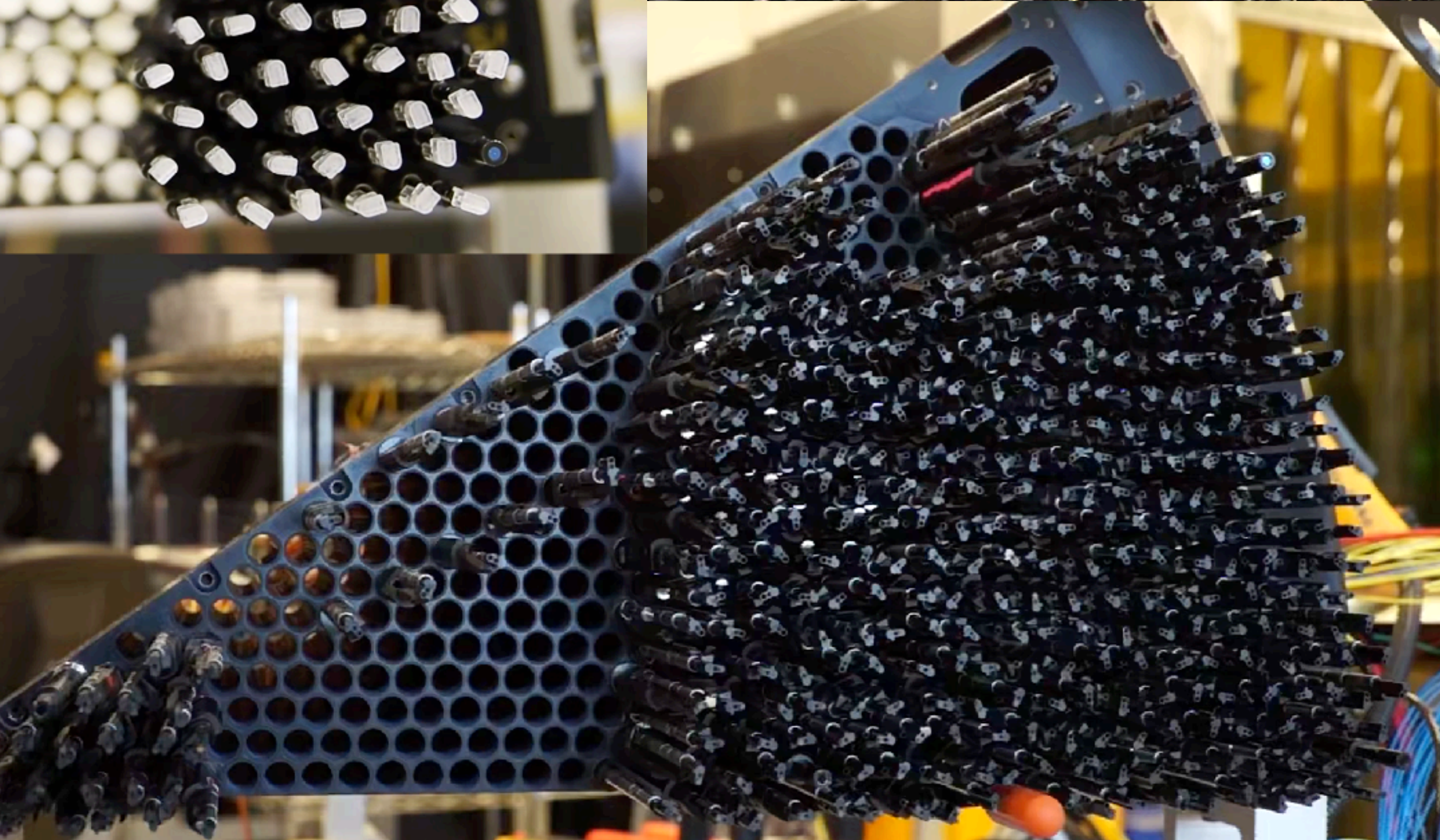


$$H_0 = 78^{+57}_{-13} \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

DARK ENERGY SURVEY (DES)



DARK ENERGY SPECTROSCOPIC INSTRUMENT (DESI)



Conclusions

- **Multimessenger** astrophysics has come of age, with **cosmic rays**, **neutrinos**, and **gravitational waves** all complementing traditional **electromagnetic** observations.
- **Tensions** are a great place to look for new physics... but these are complex analyses and we need to rule out systematic errors.
- **Gravitational waves** have the chance to replace supernovae as the gold standard low-redshift direct measurement of H_0 (and high- z too eventually)