

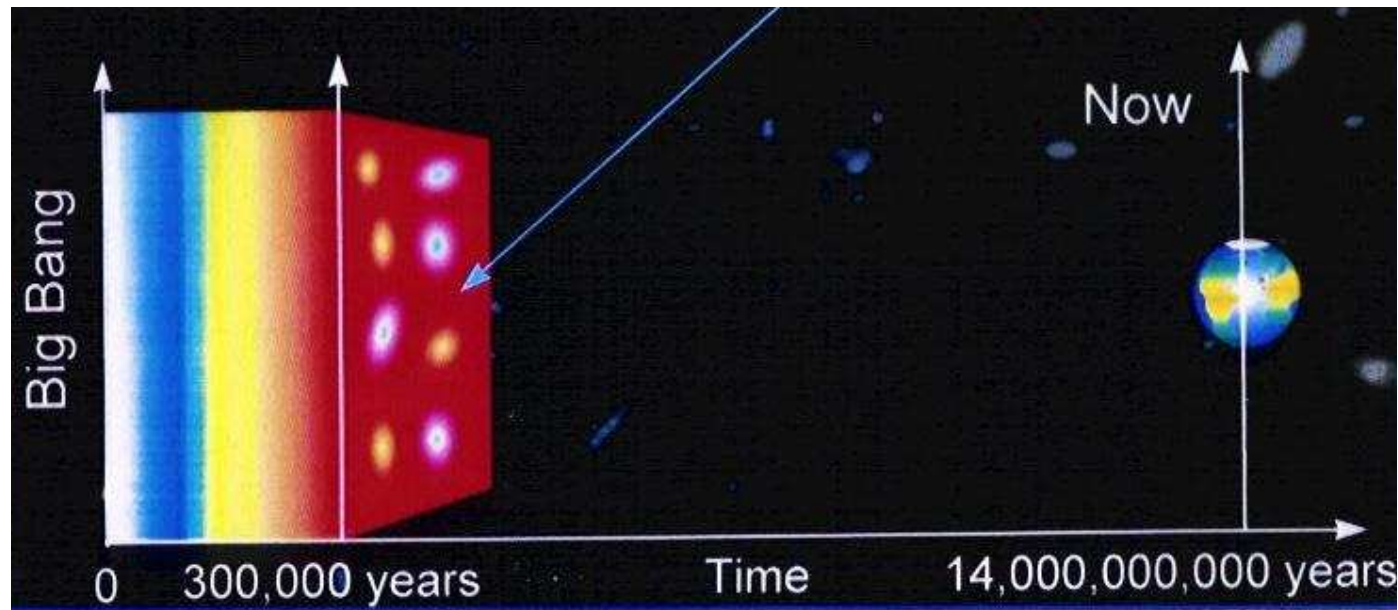
# CMB Observations and the Standard Model: A Status Report

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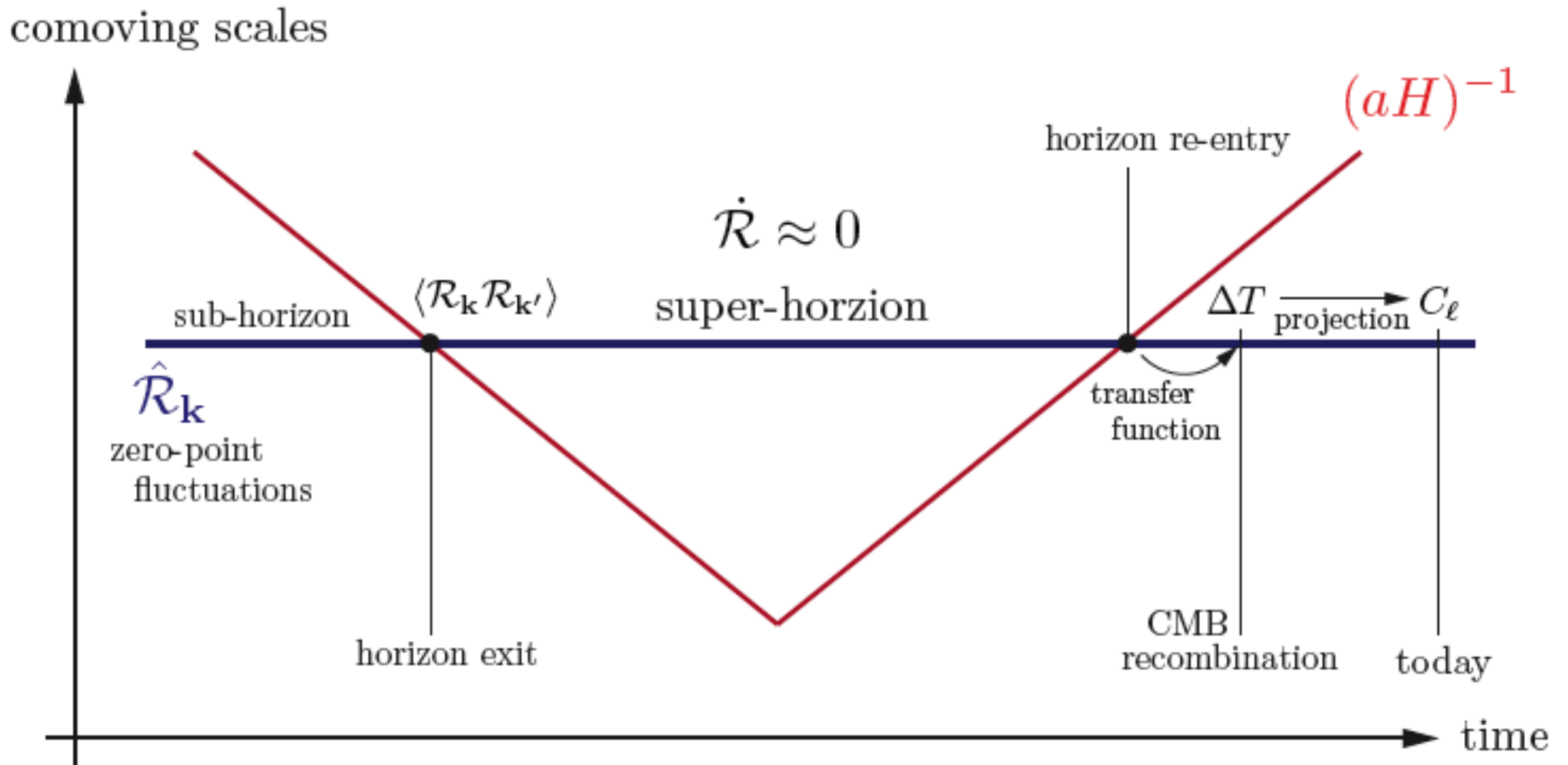
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# THE COSMIC MICROWAVE BACKGROUND



- The Cosmic Microwave Background (CMB) was emitted at about 300,000 years after the big bang and has been propagating to us ever since
- Think about 90% of the photons make it straight to us, telling us about the physics at the time of recombination
- Rest carry imprints of what has happened on the way
- But when emitted also has encoded in it information dating from about  $10^{-36}$  seconds after the big bang

# HOW THE PERTURBATIONS FROM INFLATION REACH US



(From lecture notes by George Efstathiou)

## THE PHOTON/BARYON FLUID

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- In terms of conformal time  $\eta = \int \frac{dt}{a(t)}$ , then using the continuity and Euler equations for the coupled photon/baryon fluid, we find, with  $\delta = \delta\rho_\gamma/\rho_\gamma$

$$\frac{1}{4}\ddot{\delta} + \frac{1}{4}\frac{HR}{1+R}\dot{\delta} + \frac{1}{4}k^2c_s^2\delta = F(\eta)$$

with a **driving term**  $F(\eta)$  (itself oscillatory) and

$$c_s^2 = \frac{P}{\rho} \approx \frac{P_\gamma}{\rho_\gamma + \rho_B} = \frac{1}{3(1+R(\eta))} = \text{squared sound speed}$$

where  $R \equiv 3\rho_B/(4\rho_\gamma)$

- Can see second term is basically Hubble drag
- So have a damped, forced, harmonic oscillator
- The forcing term itself will oscillate, due to the gravitational potential responding to the oscillations of the photon/baryon fluid, and we can attempt a **WKB solution** in terms of the slowly varying frequency  $kc_s(\eta)$



# THE PHOTON/BARYON FLUID

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- We find

$$\frac{1}{4}\delta_\gamma(\eta) = A(\eta) + B(\eta) \cos(kr_s(\eta)) + C(\eta) \sin(kr_s(\eta))$$

where the coefficients  $A$ ,  $B$  and  $C$  are meant to vary only slowly, and  $r_s(\eta)$  is called the **sound horizon**, and is meant to show the distance a disturbance in the fluid could have traveled since some early time:

$$r_s(\eta) = \int_0^\eta c_s(\eta) d\eta$$

- The initial condition linking  $\delta$  and the Newtonian gravitational potential at early times is

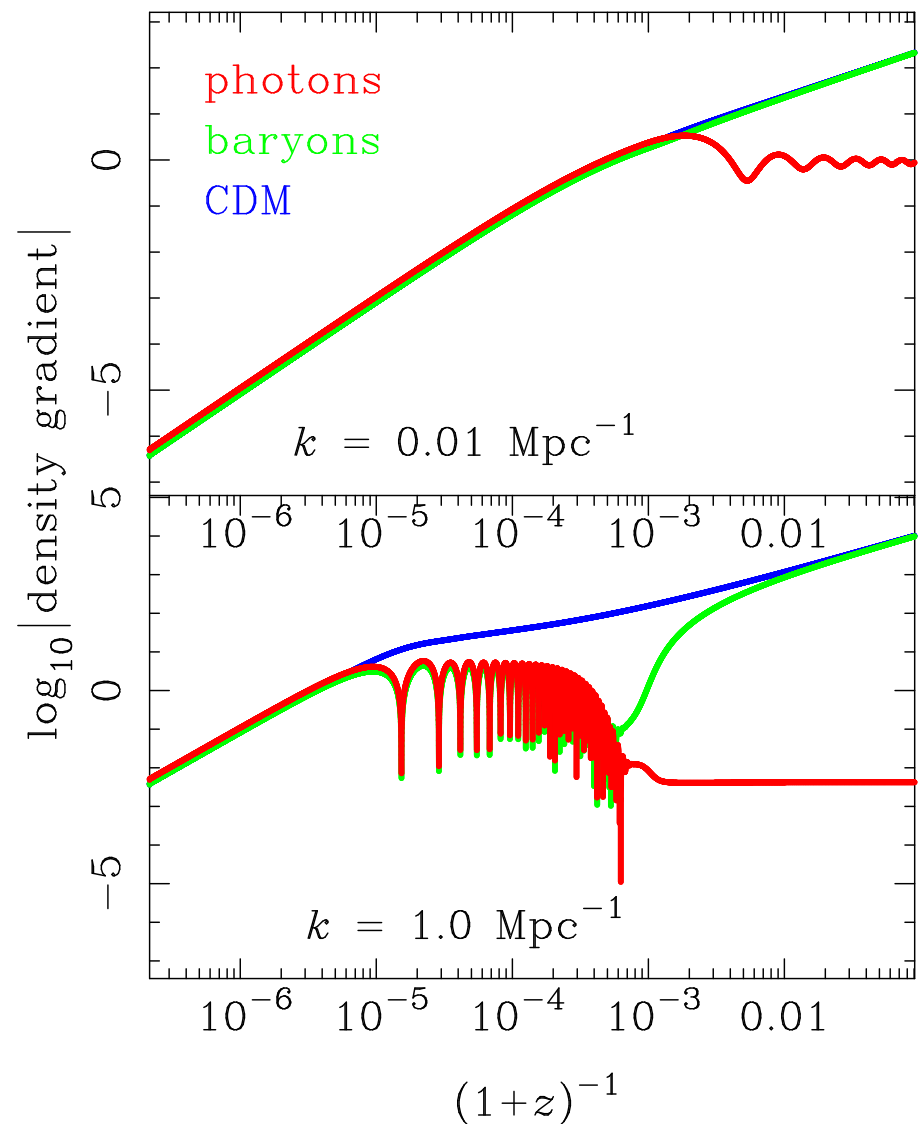
$$\delta(0) = -2\Phi(0)$$

and  $\delta$  remains roughly constant until horizon crossing

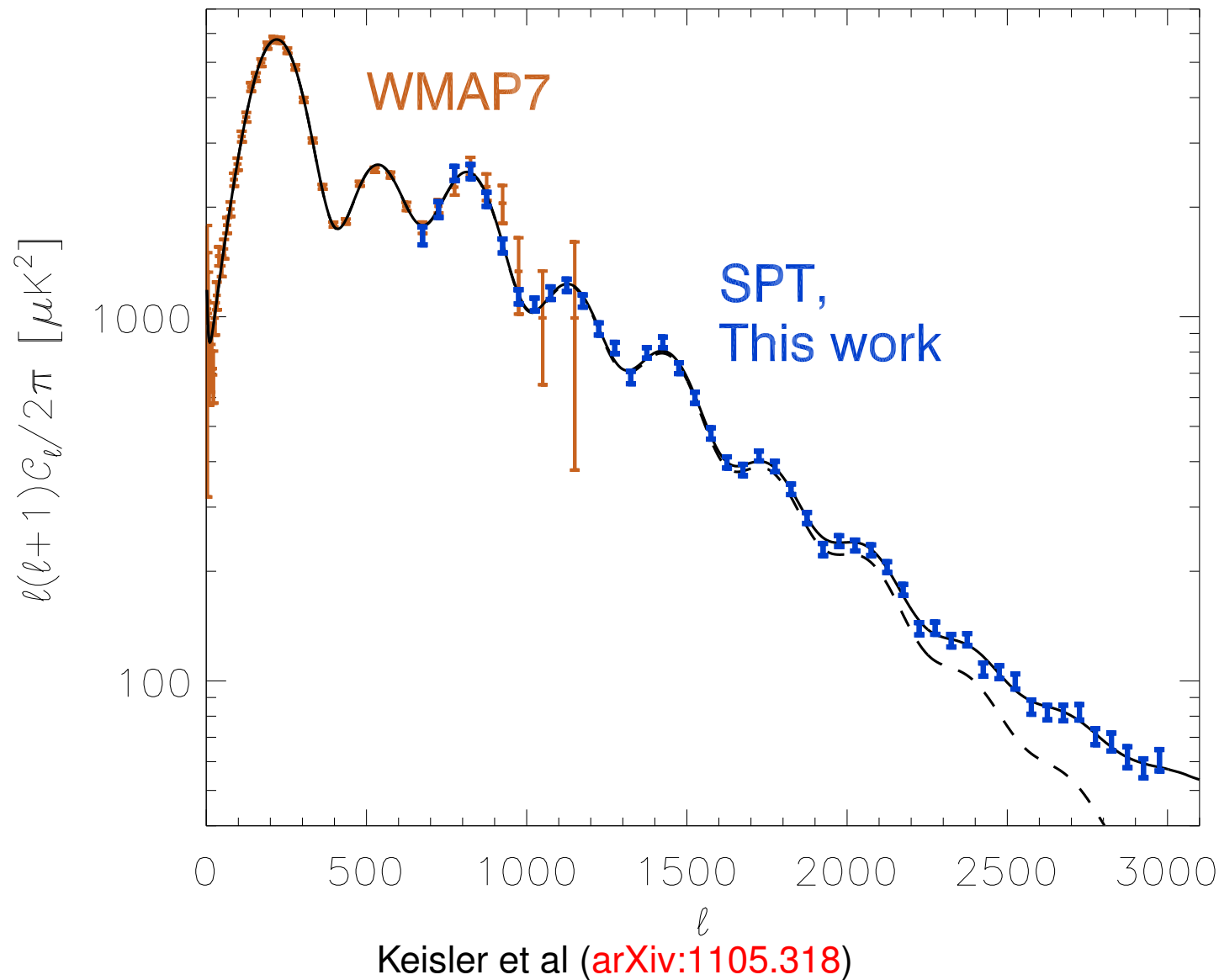
- So we see that it is the **cosine term** that is picked out and excited by the initial conditions
- This is what **phases things** up

## THE RESULTS

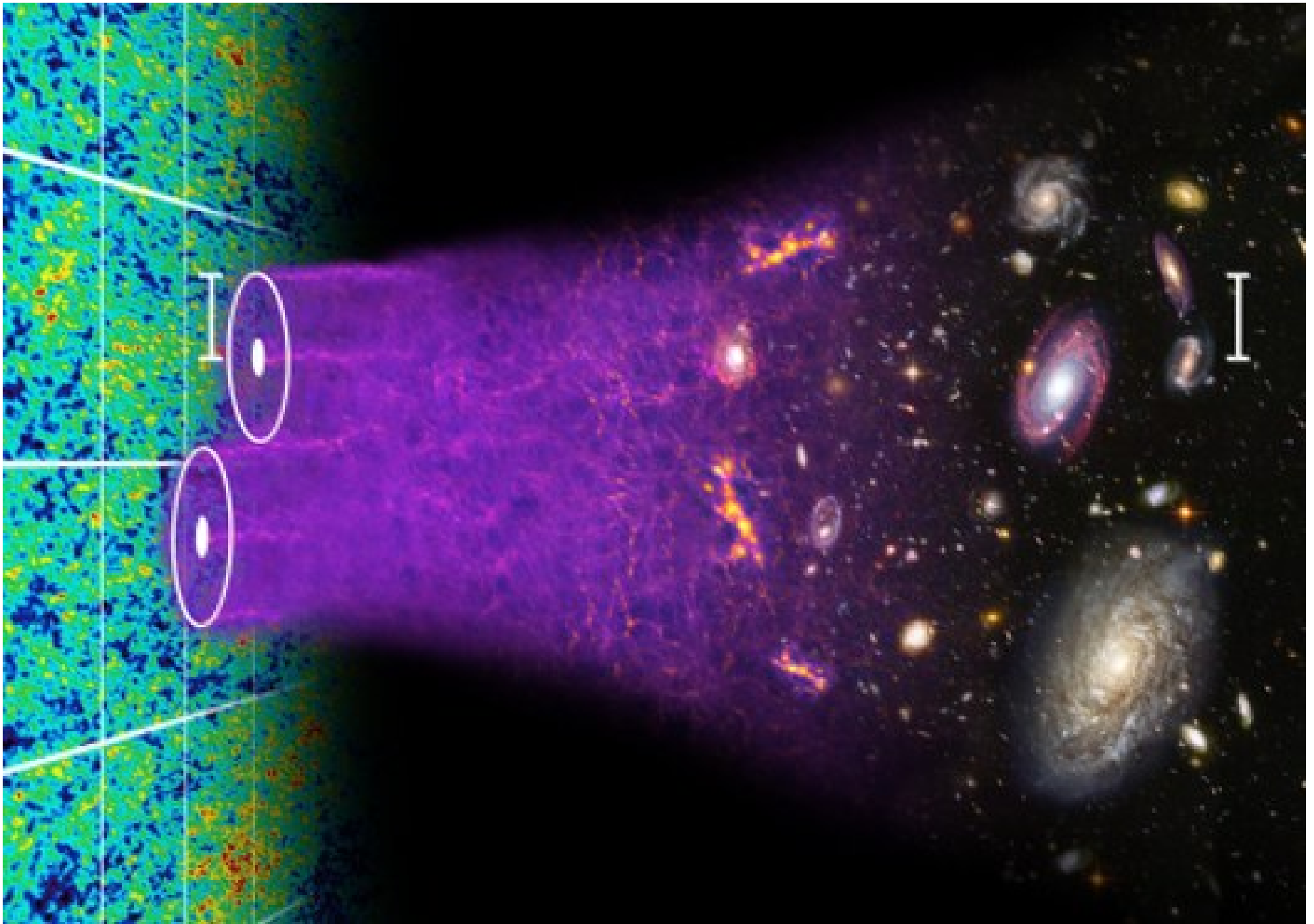
- $\delta_\gamma/4 \equiv \Delta T/T$  starts out constant  $\Rightarrow$  cosine oscillation about equilibrium point
- Modes with  $k \int_0^{\eta_*} c_s d\eta = n\pi$  are at extrema at last scattering  $\Rightarrow$  acoustic peaks in power spectrum
- As soon as decoupling of the photon/baryon fluid occurs, baryons fall into the potential wells created by the CDM
- Can calculate  $r_s$  at last scattering in standard model and find  $r_s(\eta_*) = 150 \text{ Mpc}$
- What does this picture lead to?



# LAST YEAR'S SPT POWER SPECTRUM RESULT



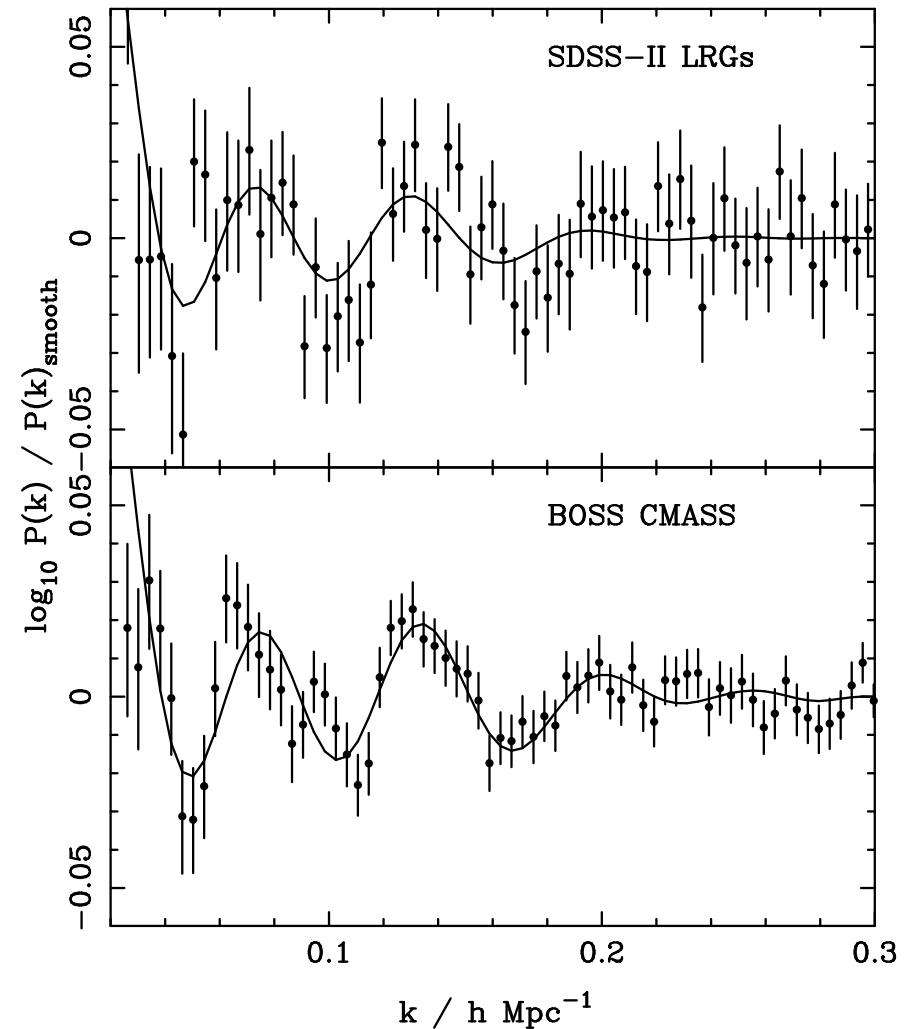
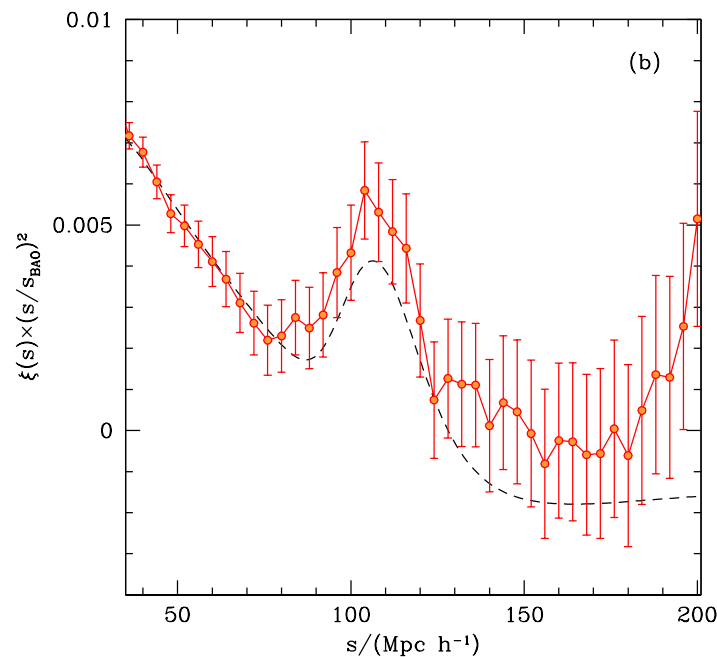
- Think one could now reasonably claim that 9 peaks have been measured in the CMB power spectrum!
- For the matter:



<http://www.sdss3.org/surveys/boss.php> (Chris Blake and Sam Moorfield)

# BAO RESULTS

- The baryon acoustic oscillations are getting quite spectacular in themselves
- At right are oscillations in the power spectrum of galaxy clustering from SDSS-II and then SDSSIII from Anderson et al. ([arXiv:1203.6954](#))
- Below shows two-point correlation function (essentially F.T. of power spectrum) of same data from ([Sanchez et al arXiv:1203.6616](#))



- Note  $150 \text{ Mpc} \approx 105 h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}$

# GRAVITY WAVES

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- Other important aspect for CMB is polarization and **gravity waves**
- Express the amplitude of these coming from inflation, relative to scalar modes from inflation, via their ratio  $r$  at some fiducial comoving wavenumber (typically low, e.g.  $k = 0.001 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ )
- Key point is that if we decompose CMB polarization vector field on sky into a **potential** part  $E$  and **curl** part  $B$  (both of which are rotationally invariant, unlike  $Q$  and  $U$  Stokes parameters), the only primordial source of  $B$  are gravity waves!
- What would a detection of primordial gravity waves tell us?
- Strong evidence that inflation happened
- Find

$$r = 0.008 \left( \frac{E_{\text{inf}}}{10^{16} \text{ GeV}} \right)^4$$

- Thus detectable gravity waves ( $r > 0.01$  say) would mean inflation occurred at the GUT scale
- We would then be accessing particle physics at a scale about at least  $10^{12}$  higher than those achievable at **LHC**

## SOME CURRENT/FUTURE CMB POLARISATION EXPERIMENTS

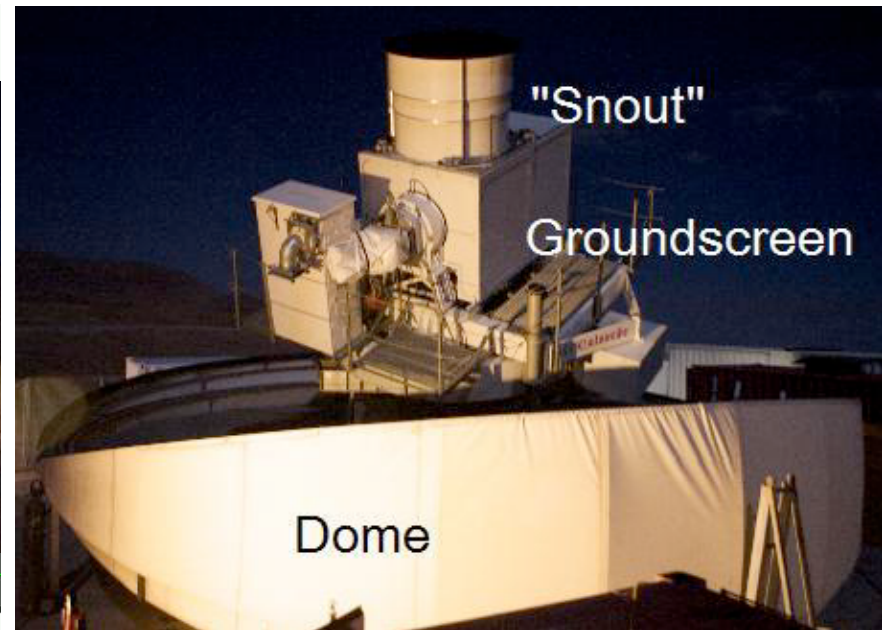
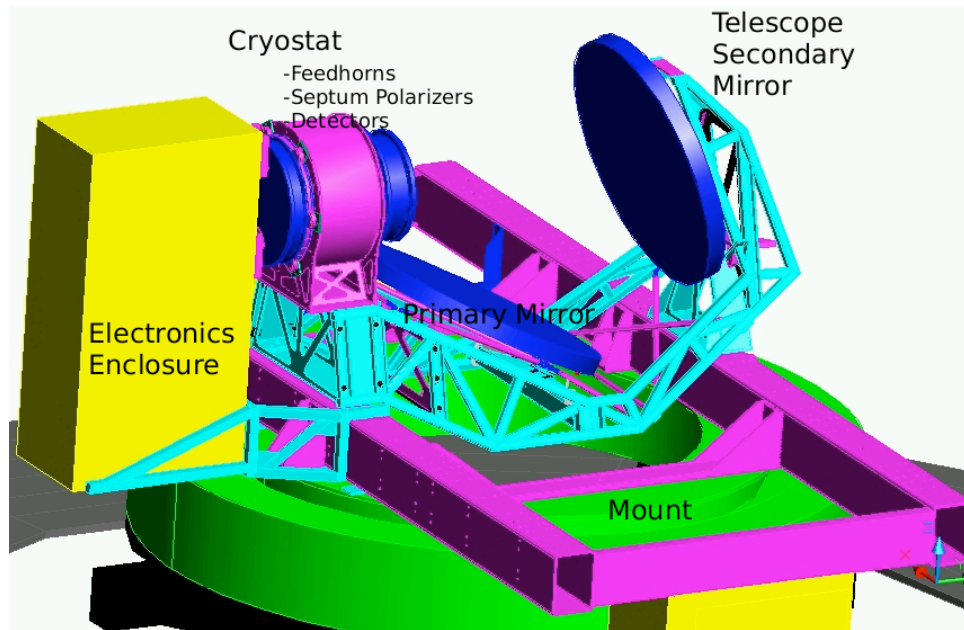
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Name	Type	Detectors	$\ell$ range	$r$ target	First Obs.
QUAD	ground	bolometer	$200 < \ell < 3000$		completed
BICEP	ground	bolometer	$50 < \ell < 300$	0.1	2007
BICEP2	ground	bolometer	$50 < \ell < 300$	0.05	2009
QUIET	ground	MMIC	$\ell < 1000$	0.05	2008
CLOVER	ground	bolometer	$20 < \ell < 600$	0.01	Cancelled
EBEX	balloon	bolometer	$20 < \ell < 1000$	0.03	2012
SPIDER	balloon	bolometer	$\ell < 100$	0.025	2013
CORE	space	bolometer	$\ell < 2000$	$1-5 \times 10^{-3}$	??
QUIJOTE	ground	MMIC	$\ell < 80$	0.1/0.05	2012
POLARBEAR	ground	bolometer	$20 < \ell < 2000$	0.05	?

Note:

- Paper on BICEP2 results expected imminently
- **SPIDER** — Spider delayed a year — first flight expected next year (Australia)
- **EBEX** — First southern hemisphere flight later this year(?) — some excitement recently when it was stolen in transit to the Palestine Texas balloon launch site!

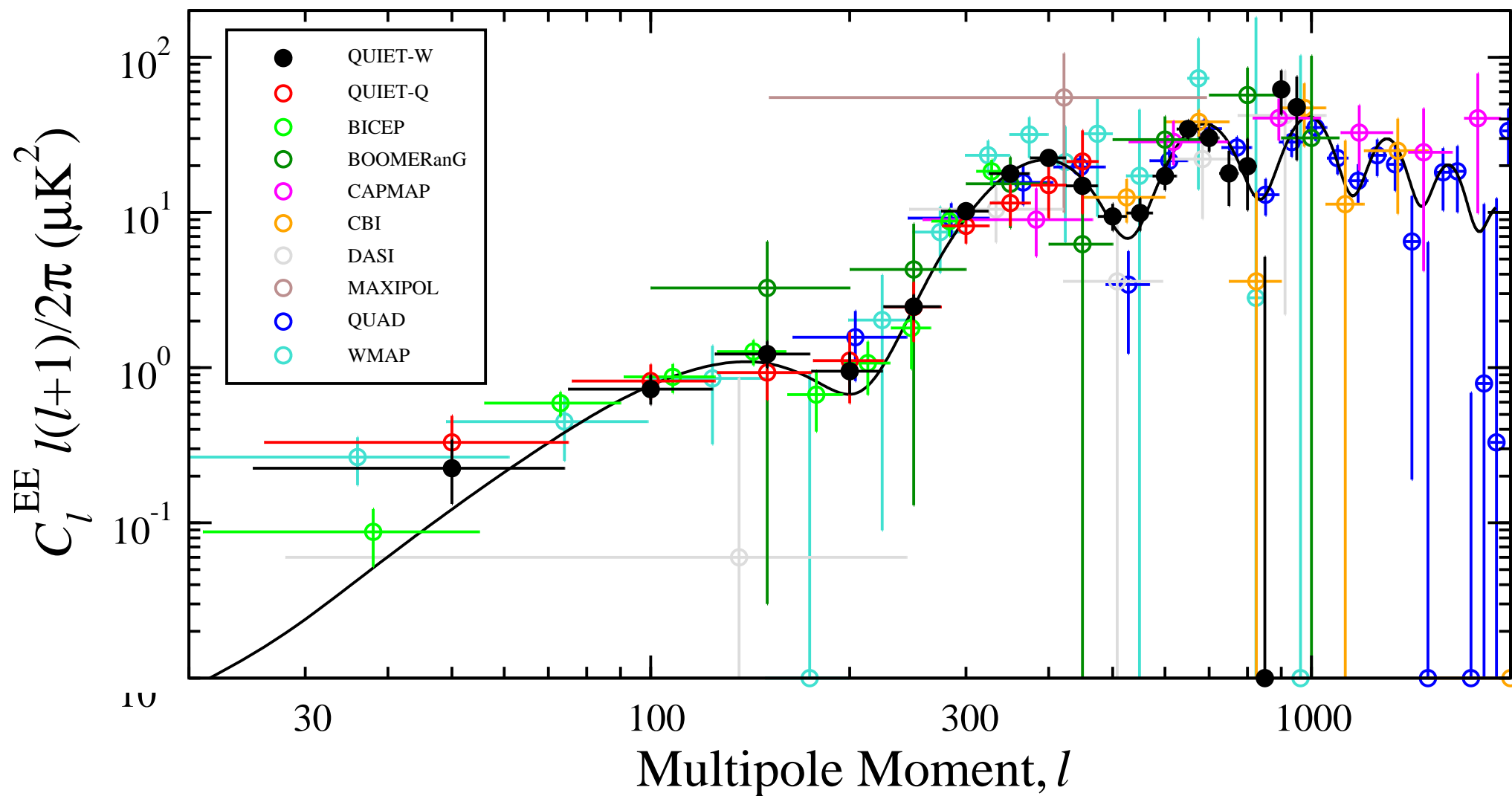
# QUIET



- Unlike most other current experiments uses **coherent** rather than bolometric techniques
- Feeds look at a 1.4 m primary — whole is mounted on old CBI mount in Chile
- Most of the visible exterior consists of groundscreens
- Last year ([arXiv:1012.3191](#), [Bischoff et al.](#)) reported polarization results at **43 GHz** (Q-band)
- Paper came out yesterday reporting on **95 GHz** (W-band) results! (Hear more from [Ingunn Wehus](#).)

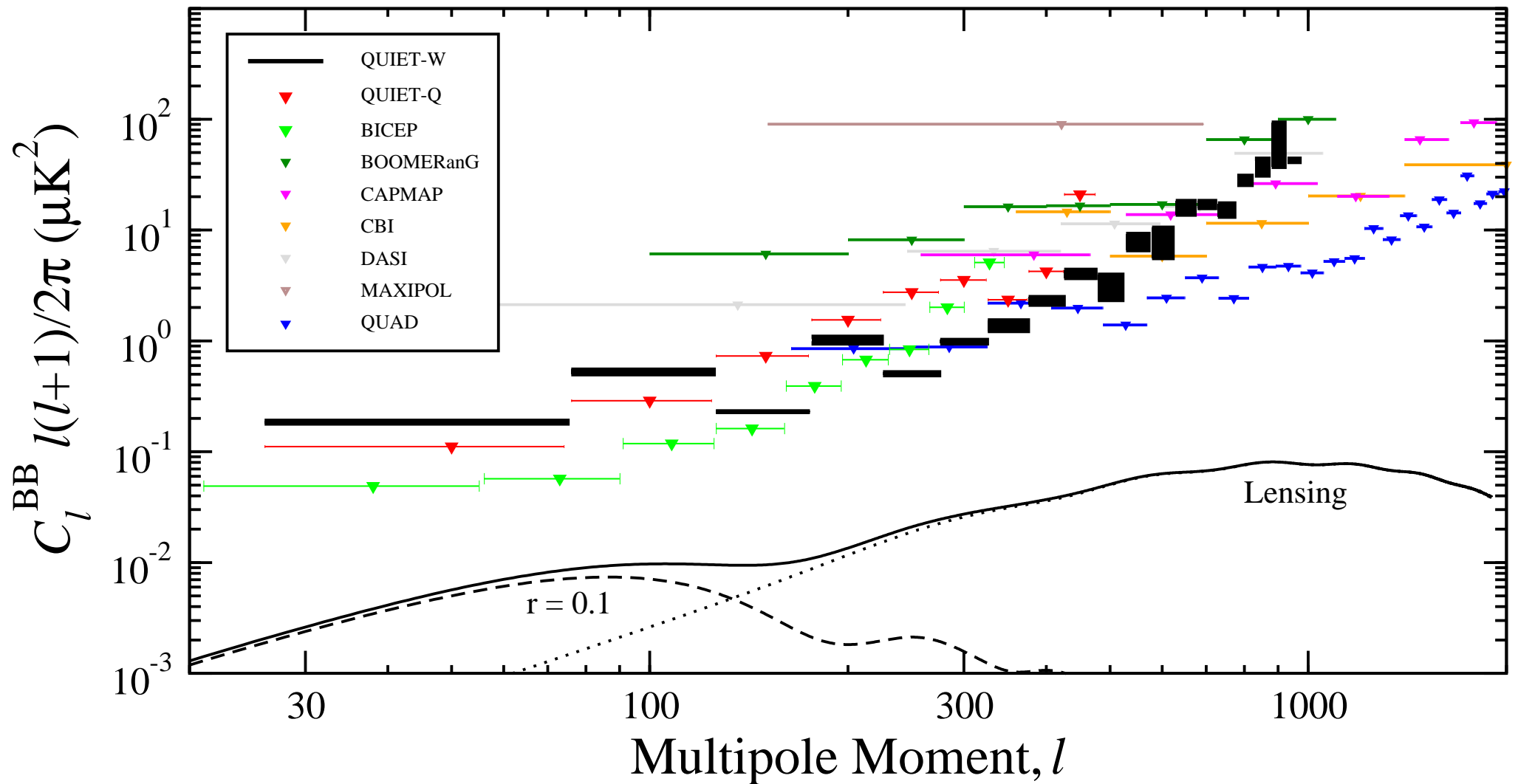


## QUIET EE RESULTS AT 90 GHz



From QUIET Collaboration [arXiv:1207.5034](https://arxiv.org/abs/1207.5034)

# QUIET BB RESULTS AT 90 GHz

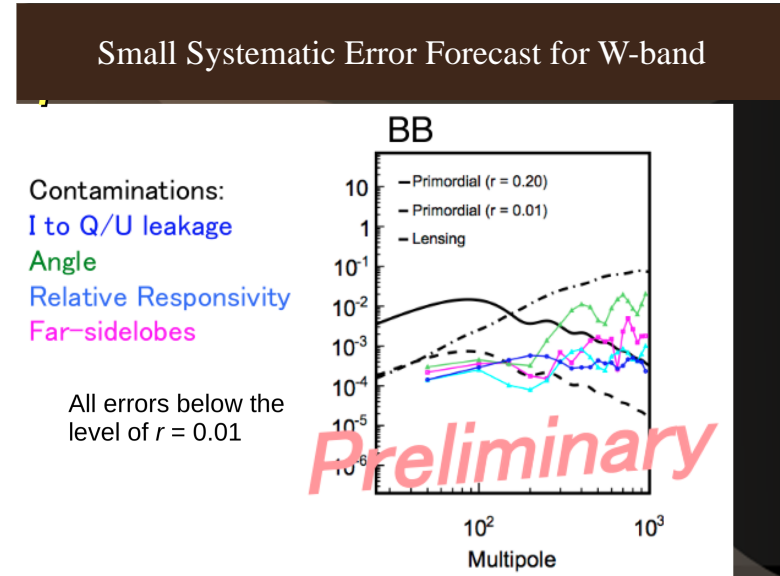


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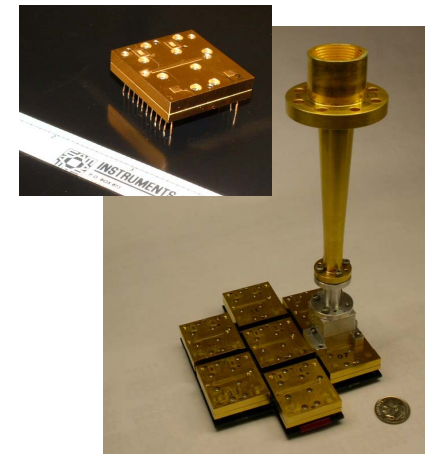
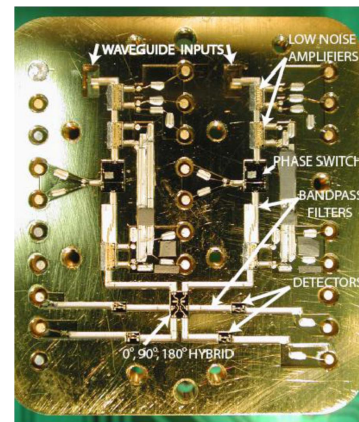
Direct  $r$  constraints are  $r \lesssim 2.7$  at 95% confidence.

# QUIET FUTURE

- Part of interest of results lies in quite different systematics expected for **bolometer** versus **coherent** detectors
- QUIET team believe they have the best control of these systematics in B-mode data, even if so far published constraints for  $r$  (previous one from Bischoff et al was  $< 0.9$ ) is not lower than from **BICEP** ( $< 0.73$ ) (Chiang et al 2010)
- Another part of interest lies in use of MMIC (**Monolithic microwave integrated circuit**) technology
- Prototype for QUIET Phase II proposal
- Plans are for a **499-element** 85-105 GHz Array, coupled with **10-element** 33-40 GHz Array and **3-element** 26.5-33 GHz Array to remove synchrotron



Radiometer on a chip



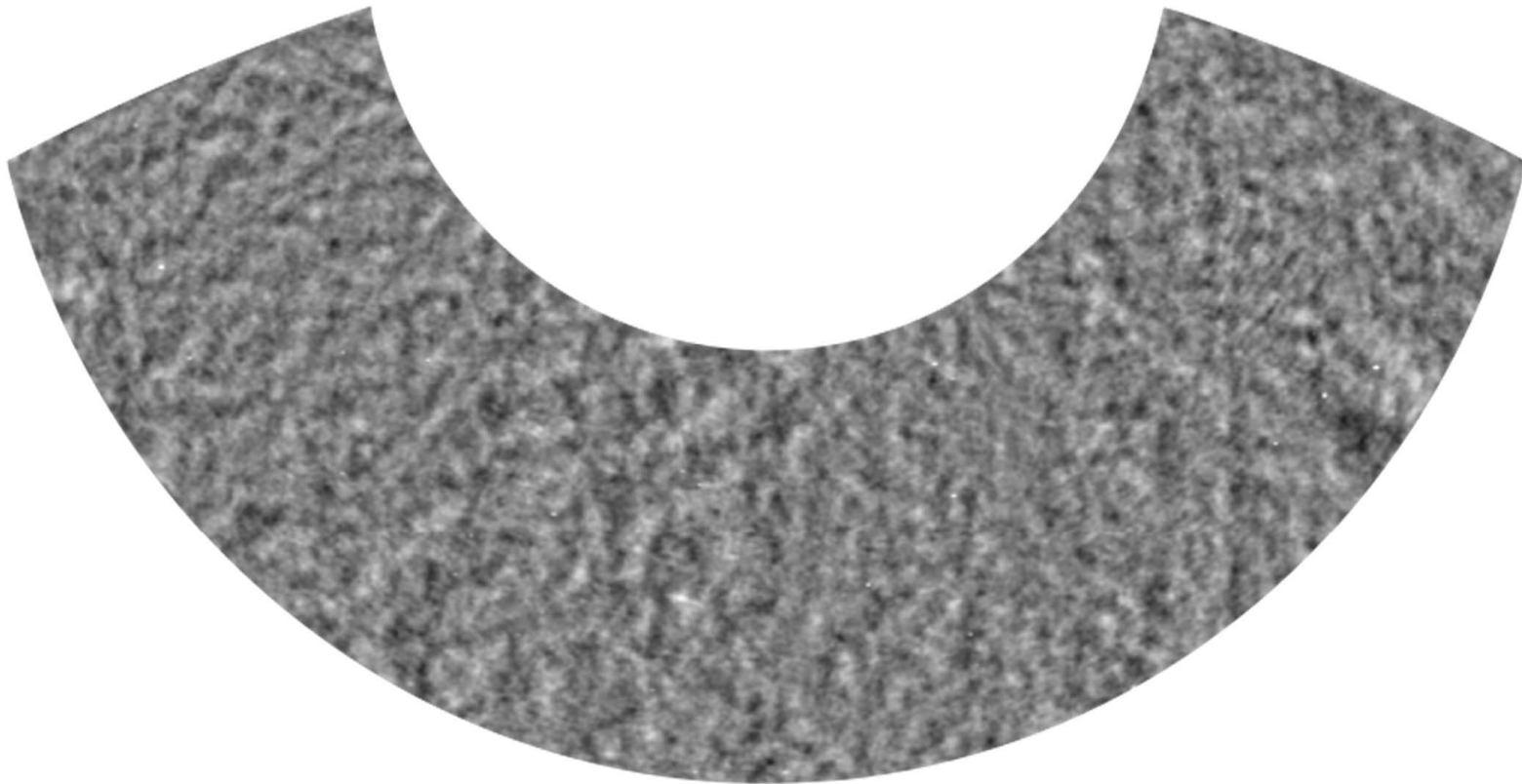
# THE SOUTH POLE TELESCOPE

- A stream of wonderful results at high  $\ell$  for both primordials and secondaries has been coming out from the South Pole Telescope (SPT) and Atacama Cosmology Telescope (ACT) over the last year
- Lyman Page will be talking about ACT results, so I'll concentrate here on the [South Pole Telescope](#) results
- Very impressive paper from Keisler et al ([arXiv:1105.318](#)) last year on high- $\ell$  power spectrum
- Used 790 square degrees of sky measured at 150 GHz

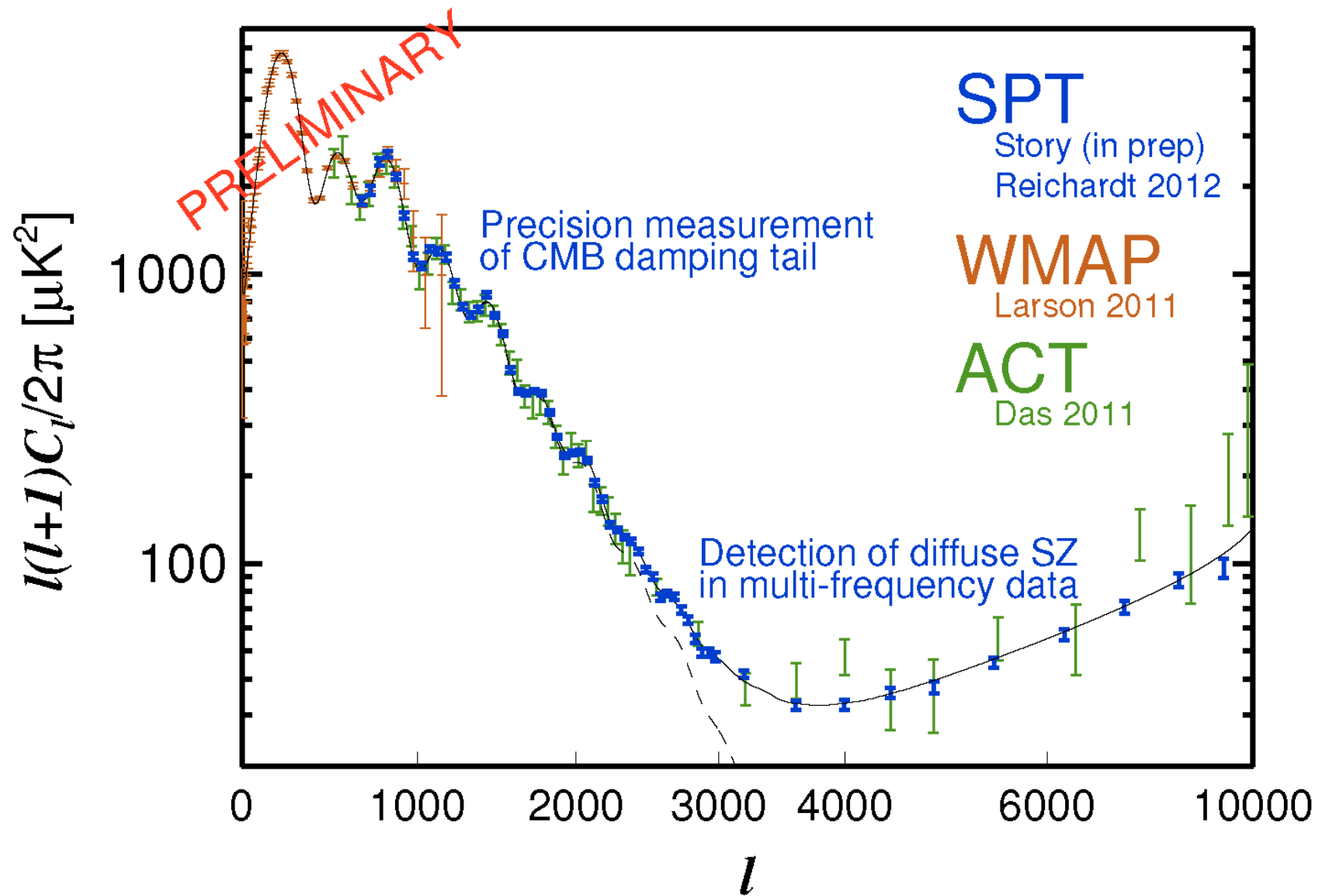


The SPT 5-year, 2500 deg<sup>2</sup> survey is  
now complete

1/16<sup>th</sup> of the sky at 2mm



Picture courtesy John Carlstrom and Bill Holzapfel

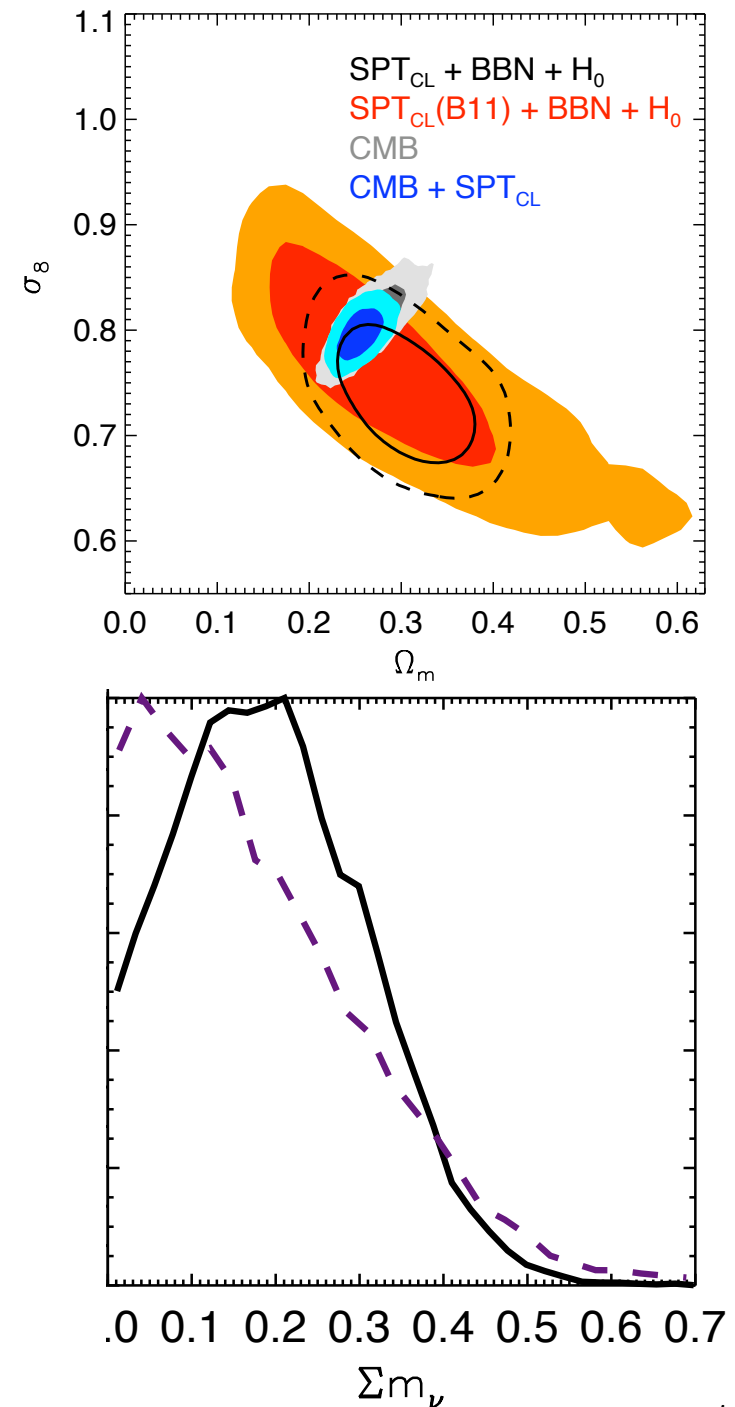


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# COSMOLOGICAL CONSTRAINTS FROM SPT CLUSTERS

- Reichardt et al ([arXiv:1203.5775](#)) have presented a catalogue of 224 clusters from Sunyaev-Zeldovich effect measurements in the first  $720 \text{ deg}^2$  survey (mainly at  $150 \text{ GHz}$  — subset also mapped at  $90 \text{ GHz}$ )
- 117 previously unknown clusters reported
- 100 clusters at high S/N used for cosmological constraints
- Interesting (and a common theme currently) that real problem is the **cluster mass calibration**
- This is what limits ability to constrain parameters — not current survey size or noise
- Neutrino result gives a  $\sim 1\sigma$  offset from zero:  $\Sigma m_\nu = 0.17 \pm 0.13 \text{ eV}$



# SPT LENSING RESULTS

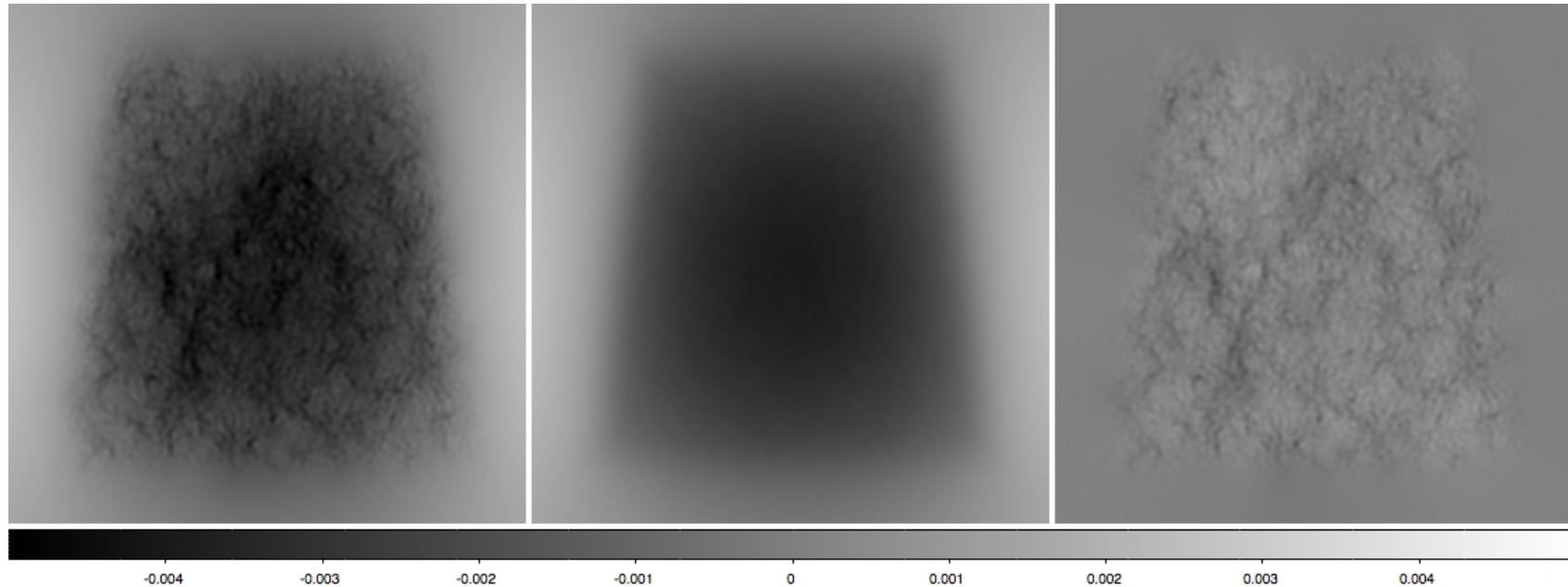
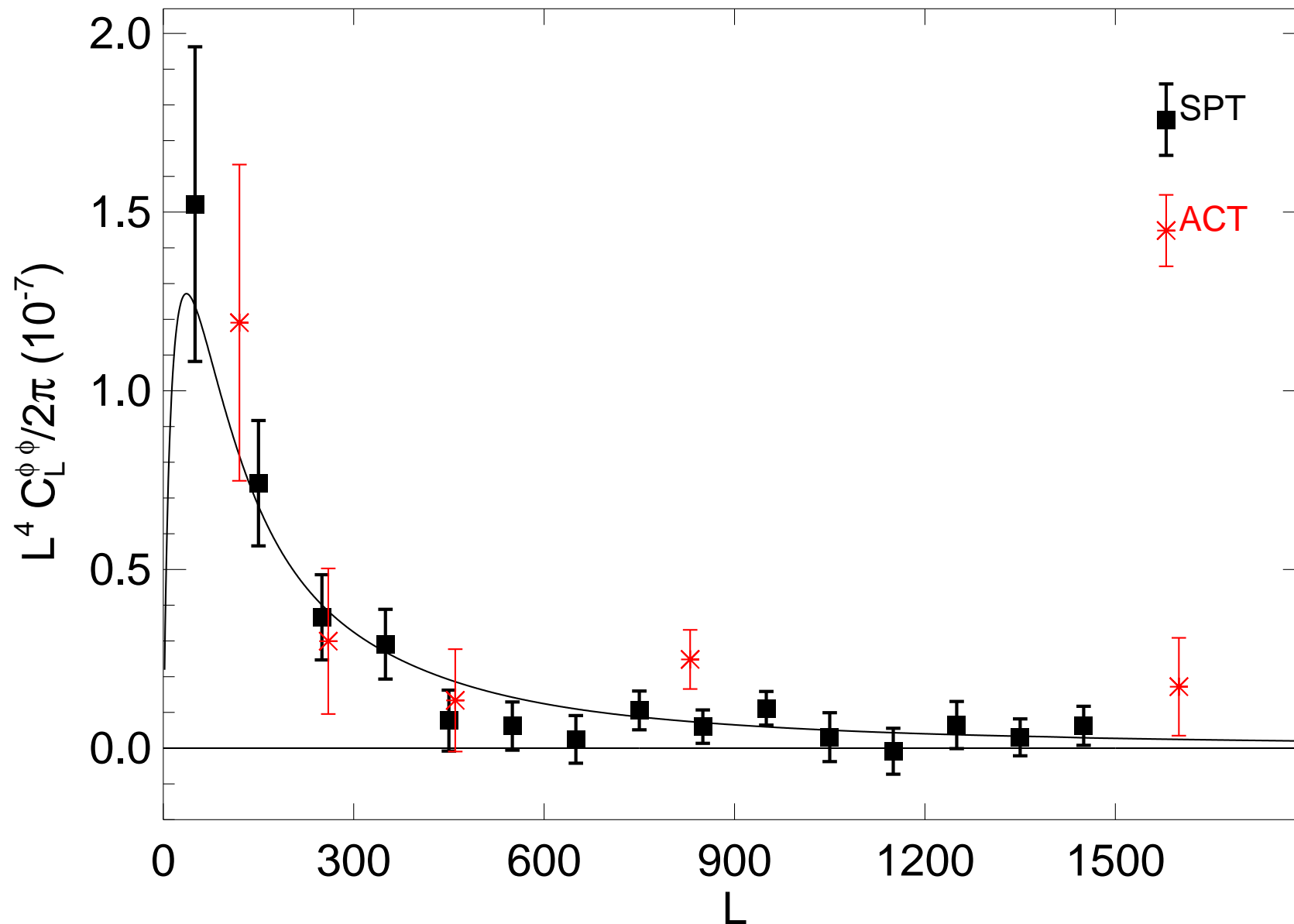


FIG. 1.— Impact of apodization: (left) reconstruction of lensing deflection for one of the SPT fields (RA5H30DEC-55); (middle) mean estimated deflection for 100 simulations, indicating the mean apodization feature; (right) resulting estimate of the deflection in the SPT field after subtracting the estimated apodization feature. All maps have the same greyscale ( $\pm 0.005$ ).

From van Engelen et al, [arXiv:1202.0546](#)

- SPT can now make maps of reconstructed lensing deflection
- Previous results (e.g. Keisler et al, [arXiv:1105.3182](#)) worked from effects on the peaks in primary CMB power spectrum (lensing tends to smooth these out)
- Here, one forms the **power spectrum of lensing itself**

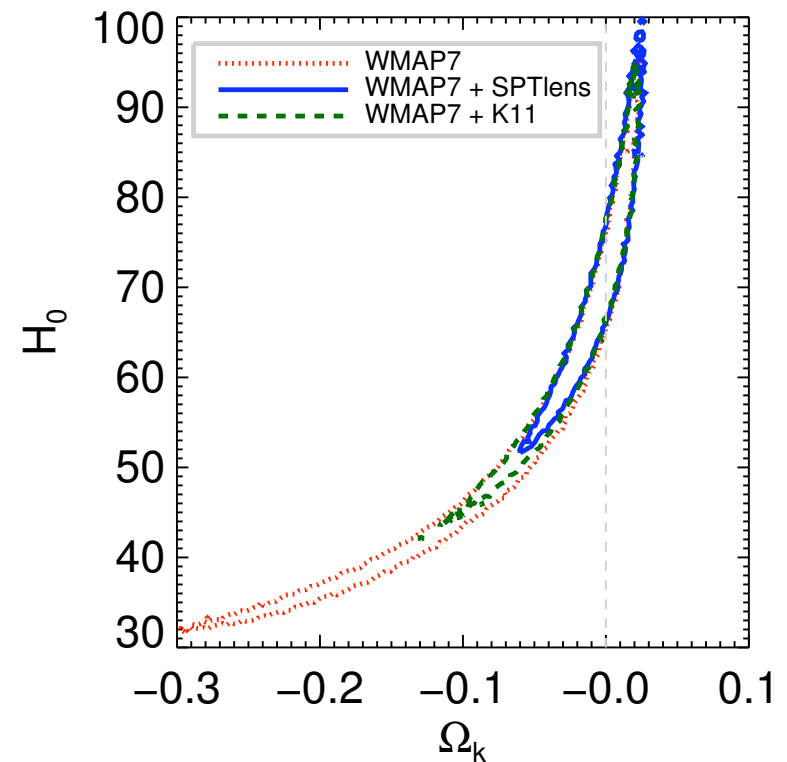




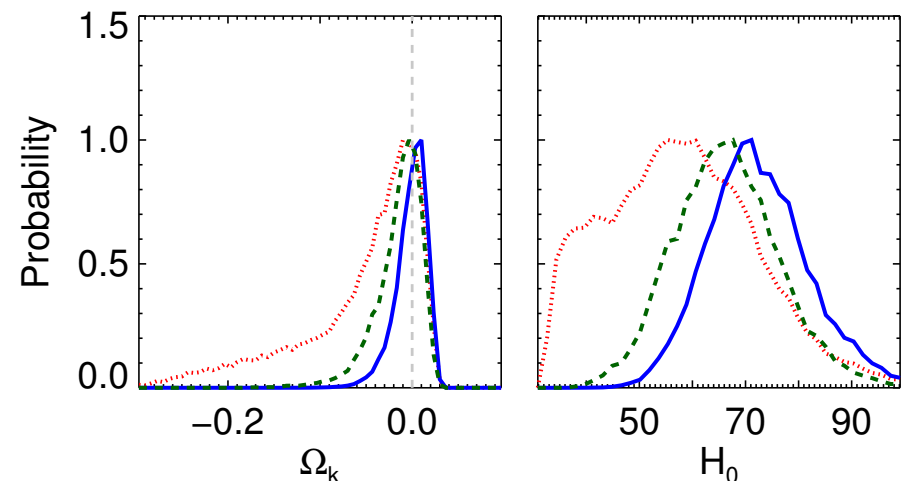
- The solid black line is not a fit but the prediction in a fiducial  $\Lambda$ CDM cosmology
- ACT points from Das et al ([arXiv:1103.2124](#))

# COSMOLOGICAL CONSTRAINTS FROM LENSING

- Clear that lensing power estimate is coming out in region it should (first ones from [ACBAR](#) were too high??)
- Most dramatic effect of including lensing data comes from effect on [curvature](#)
- The  $\Omega_\Lambda$ - $\Omega_k$  [angular diameter distance degeneracy](#) in standard CMB is broken by the fact the lensing data introduces information at a different distance (the late times where lensing is taking place)
- Error on 1d marginalised result on  $\Omega_k$  [using CMB data alone](#) is reduced by a factor 3.9 over WMAP7 alone
- WMAP7 (no extra data) gives  $\Omega_k = -0.0545 \pm 0.0670$ ; WMAP7 + SPT lensing result gives  $\Omega_k = -0.0014 \pm 0.0172$

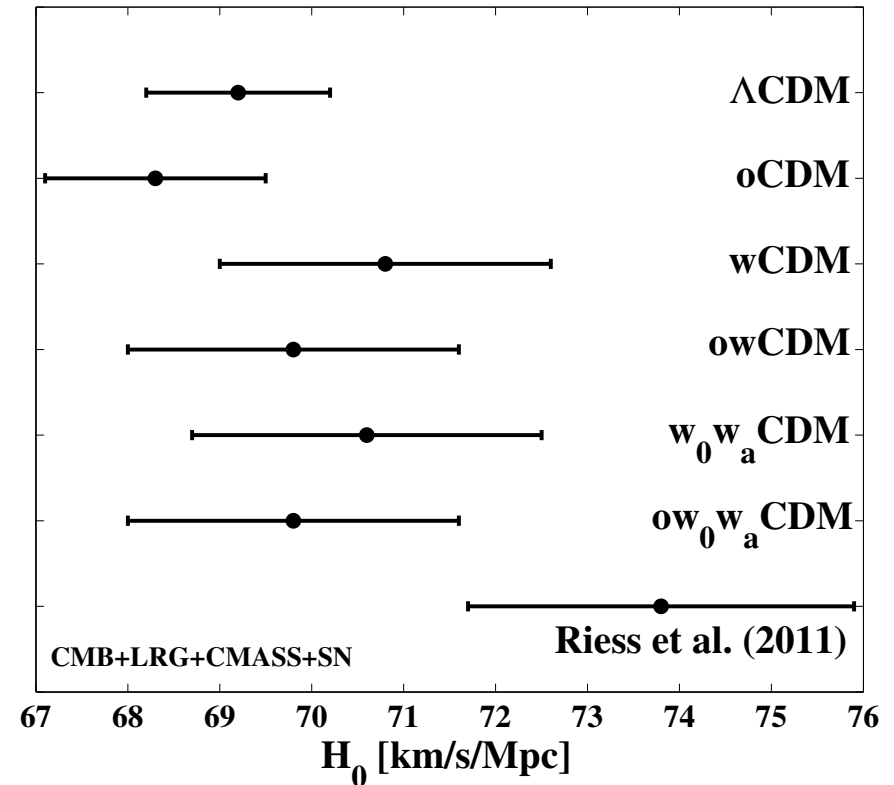


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## TENSION BUILDING UP AS REGARDS $H_0$ ?

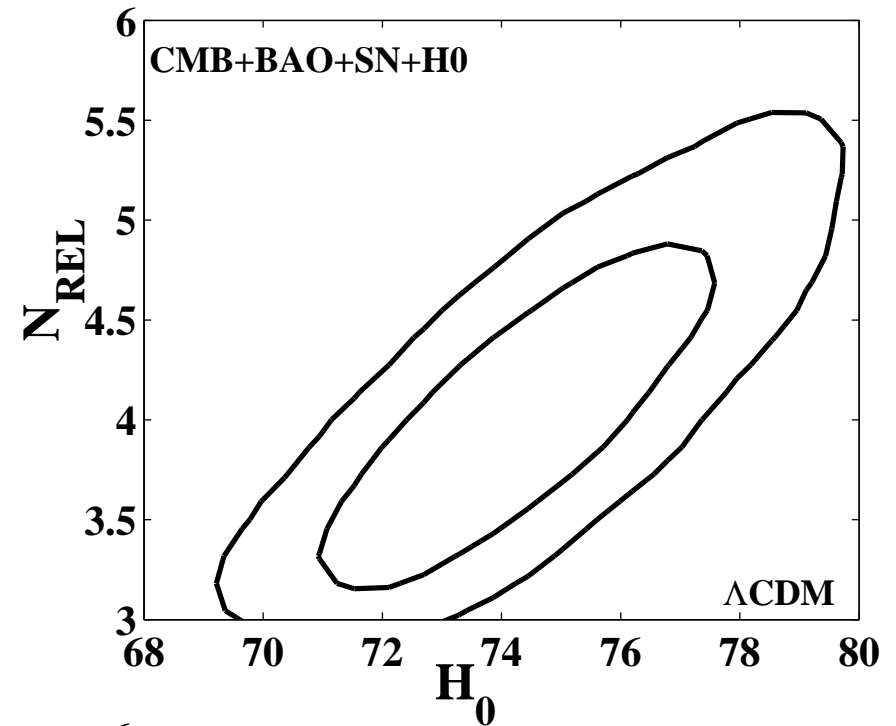
- Last year, Riess et al. (arXiv:1103.2976) gave an improved determination of the Hubble constant using the HST (Key project value of  $72 \pm 8 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$  was in Freedman et al 2001.)
- This uses the Wide Field Camera 3 to improve the local distance ladder measurements of Cepheids and their cross-calibration with SNe IA
- Riess et al value is  $73.8 \pm 2.4 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$
- BOSS values for different types of cosmological model are shown right



From Anderson et al (arXiv:1203.6954)

## TENSION BUILDING UP AS REGARDS $H_0$ ?

- They suggest the best way to bring the two into agreement is with a greater number of neutrino species ( $N_\nu = 4.26 \pm 0.56$ )



From Mehta et al ([arXiv:1202.0092](https://arxiv.org/abs/1202.0092))

## THE PRIMORDIAL POWER SPECTRUM

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- Inflation produces a primordial power spectrum expressed in terms of the local 3-space curvature:  $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k)$  ( $\mathcal{R}$  here is the same as the  $\zeta$  often used for curvature perturbations), which is constant after horizon exit (hence so convenient)
- This is then reprocessed after horizon entry and during recombination to give the  $C(\ell)$ s and baryon features we measure today
- Can we work back from the latter to get **primordial** spectrum?
- Have developed some new methods in Cambridge

# PRIMORDIAL POWER SPECTRUM RECONSTRUCTION

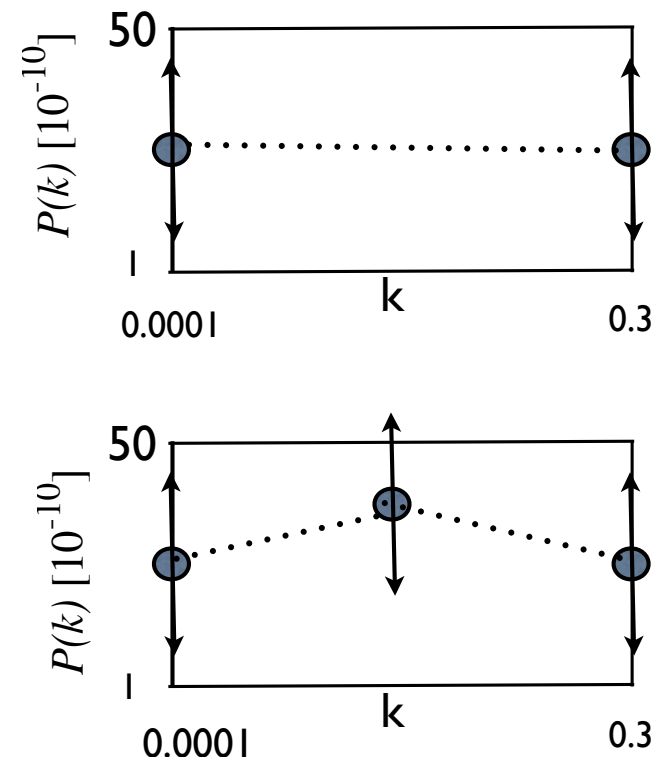
- The structure of the primordial spectrum  $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k)$  is determined using an **optimal model-free reconstruction**
- The reconstruction process is essentially the same as *binning*, however here we allow the **data to decide the level of complexity of the model** – the number of nodes and their optimum position – via the **Bayesian evidence**

We parameterise  $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k)$  with a specific number of bins, logarithmically spaced in  $k$ , and **varying** only each **amplitude**  $A_{S,k_i}$ .

The form of the power spectrum is described by

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k) = \begin{cases} A_{S,k_{\min}} & k \leq k_{\min} \\ A_{S,k_i} & k \in \{k_i\} \\ A_{S,k_{\max}} & k \geq k_{\max} \end{cases}$$

and with linear interpolation for  
 $k_{\min} \leq k_i < k < k_{i+1} \leq k_{\max}$ .



# PRIMORDIAL POWER SPECTRUM RECONSTRUCTION

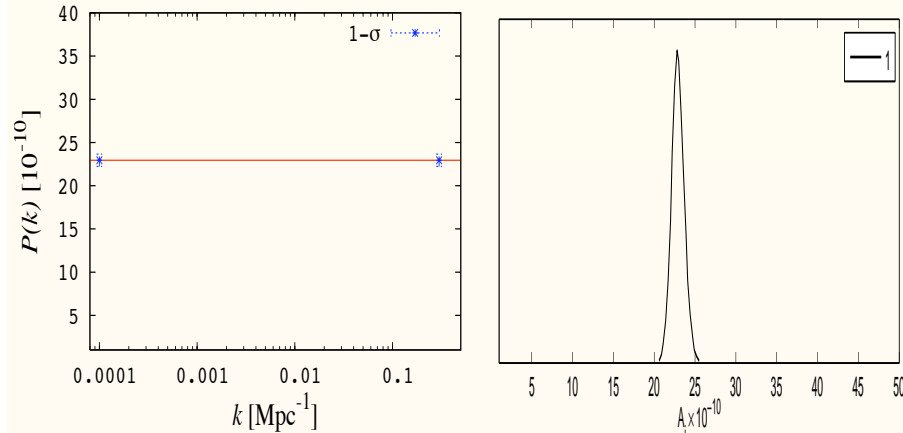
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- This work carried out in [Vazquez, Bridges, Hobson & Lasenby, JCAP, 06 \(2012\), 006 \(arXiv:1203.1252\)](#)
- Uses WMAP7, ACT, Supernovae (SCP), LRG power spectrum from SDSS DR7 and Riess et al. (2009) HST  $H_0$  prior
- Bayesian evidence calculated accurately using MULTINEST algorithm ([Feroz, Hobson & Bridges, arXiv:0809.3437](#))
- **Evidence** is essentially the average of the likelihood w.r.t. the prior, and automatically incorporates **Occam's razor** into Bayesian reasoning
- Can interpret directly as probability of a given model  $j$  relative to a base model  $i$  (normally take  $\ln$  of this ratio, and call this  $\mathcal{B}_{j,i}$ )
- Jefferies said:

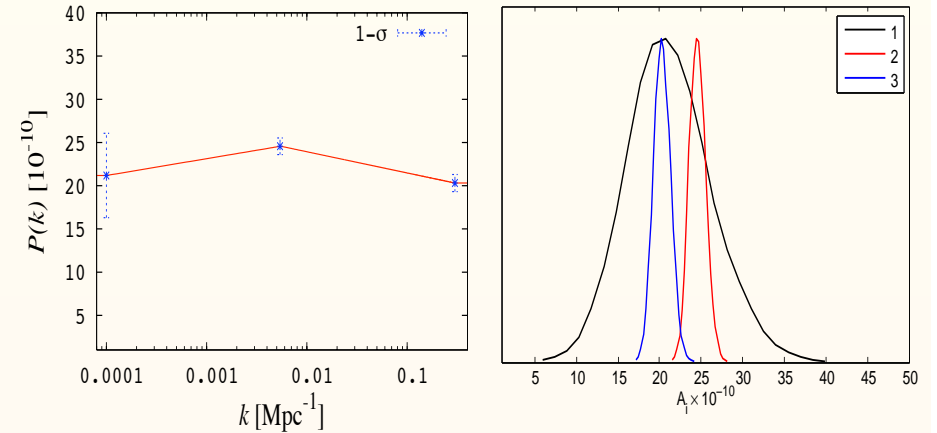
$ \mathcal{B}_{i,j} $	Probability	Strength
$< 1.0$	$< 0.750$	Inconclusive
1.0-2.5	0.923	Significant
2.5-5.0	0.993	Strong
$> 5.0$	$> 0.993$	Decisive

# RESULTS FOR HORIZONTALLY FIXED NODES

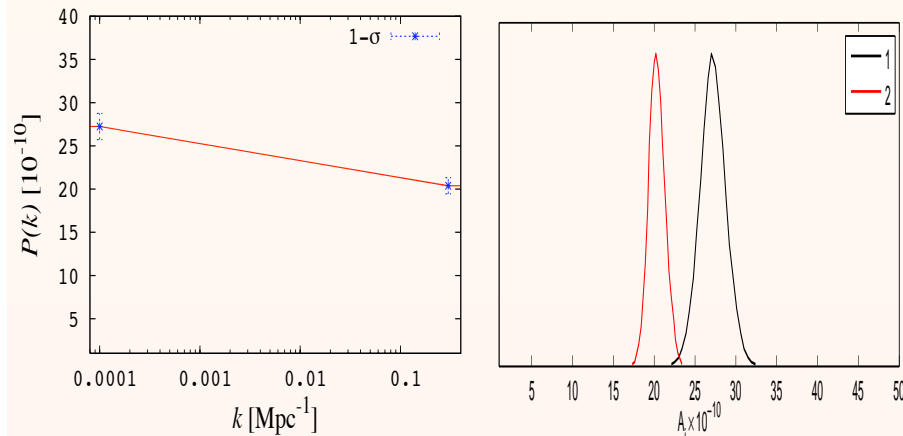
(a)  $\mathcal{B}_{1,1} = 0.00 \pm 0.30$



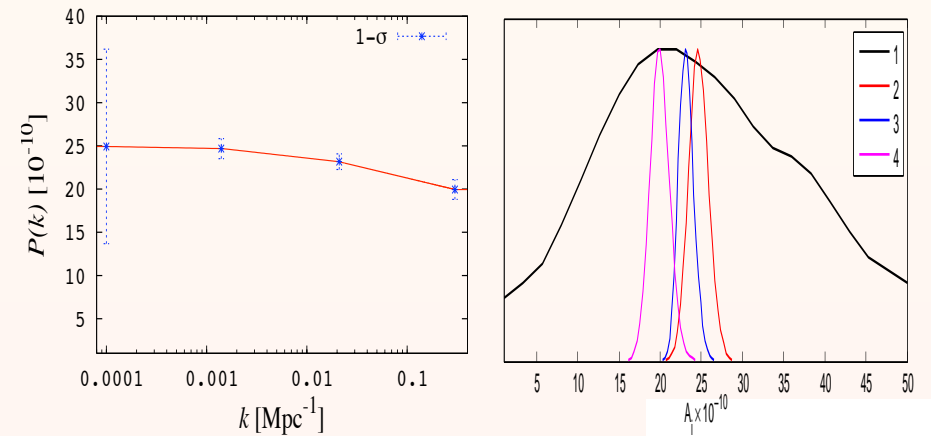
(c)  $\mathcal{B}_{3,1} = +2.75 \pm 0.30$



(b)  $\mathcal{B}_{2,1} = +2.93 \pm 0.30$



(d)  $\mathcal{B}_{4,1} = +0.67 \pm 0.30$



So here, simple slope (corresponding to an  $n_s \approx 0.95$ ) has highest evidence.  
(Harrison-Zeldovich model strongly rejected.)



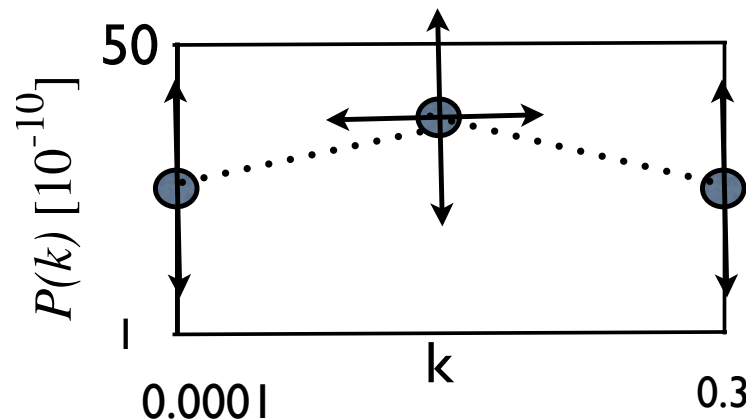
# ALLOWING FREEDOM TO LOCALISE FEATURES VIA NODE-PLACEMENT

- To localise features in  $k$ -space, we may consider moving either back or forth the internal  $k$ -nodes until we **find their optimal position**
- Place **internal additional 'nodes'** with the freedom to move around in both position  $k_i$  and amplitude  $A_{s,k_i}$

The spectrum is then described by

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k) = \begin{cases} A_{s,k_{\min}} & k \leq k_{\min} \\ A_{s,k_i} & k_{\min} < k_i < k_{i+1} < k_{\max} \\ A_{s,k_{\max}} & k \geq k_{\max} \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

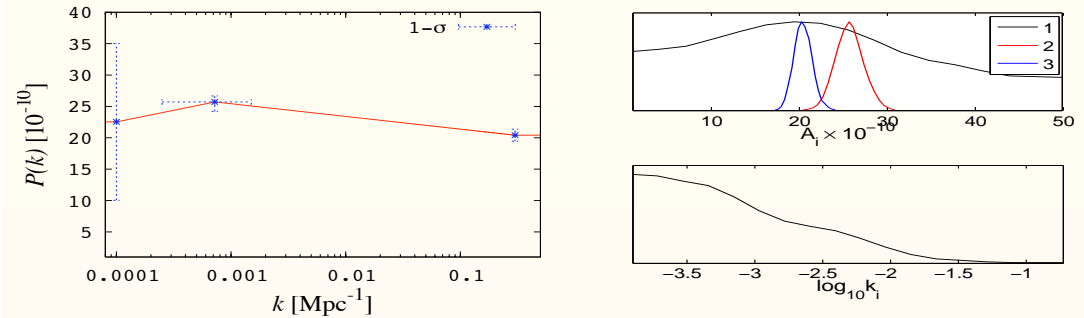
and with linear interpolation for  $k_{\min} \leq k_i \leq k_{\max}$ .



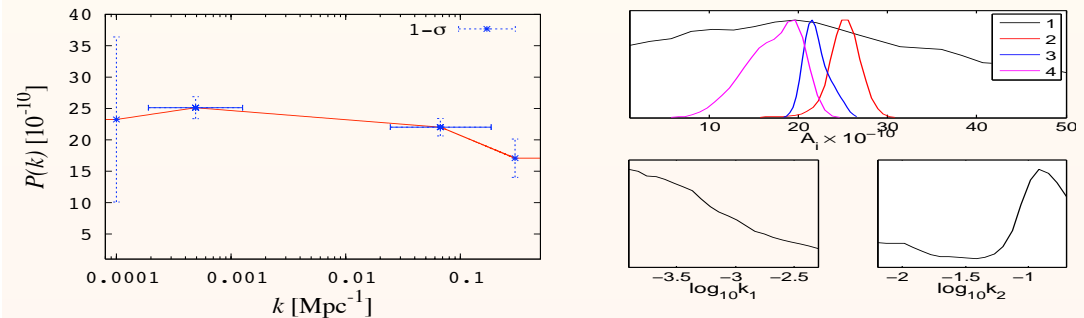
# RESULTS FOR FREE PLACEMENT OF INTERNAL NODES

- Here, **one** internal node (and two fixed external nodes) is optimal
- Evidence ratio says this model has a probability  $\exp(4.26) = 71$  times more likely than Harrison-Zeldovich, and  $\exp(4.26 - 2.93) = 3.8$  times more likely than two-node parametrisation (so significant on Jefferies scale)

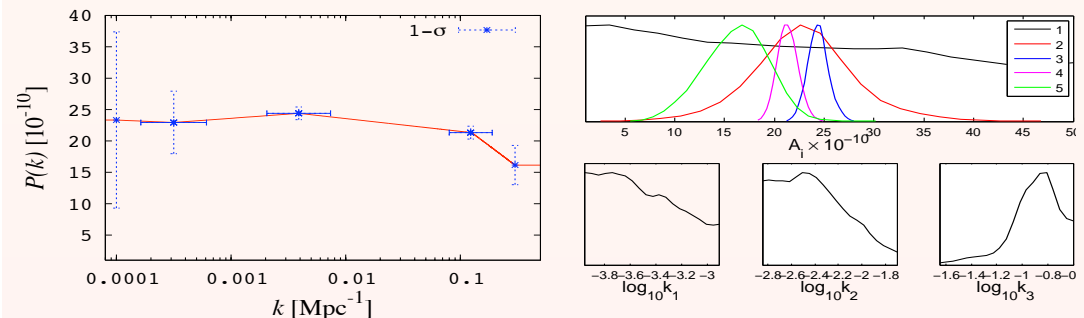
$$(k_1) \mathcal{B}_{k_1,1} = +4.26 \pm 0.30$$



$$(k_2) \mathcal{B}_{k_2,1} = +3.73 \pm 0.30$$



$$(k_3) \mathcal{B}_{k_3,1} = +3.49 \pm 0.30$$



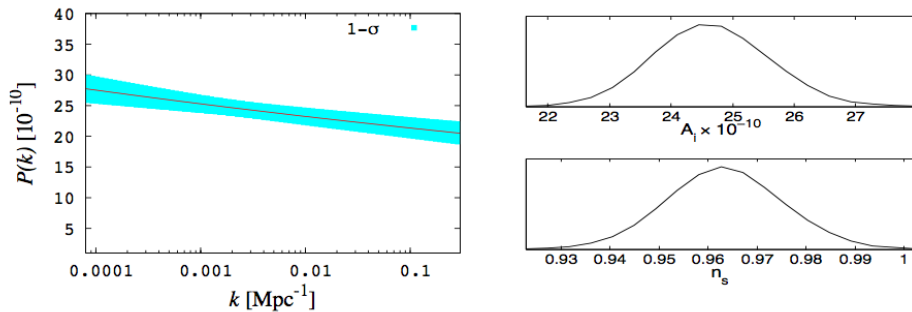
# RESULTS FOR POWER-LAW AND RUNNING SPECTRA

... for comparison

The **standard approach** assumes a power-law parameterisation in terms of a spectral amplitude  $A_S$  and a spectral index or tilt parameter  $n_S$ :

$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k) = A_S \left( \frac{k}{k_0} \right)^{n_S-1},$$

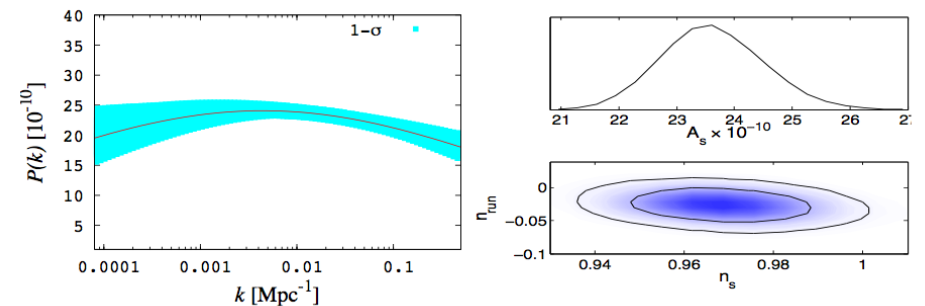
$$(n_S) \mathcal{B}_{n_S,1} = +3.25 \pm 0.30$$



Consider **possible deviations** from power-law by allowing the spectral index to vary as a function of scale  $n_S(k)$ :

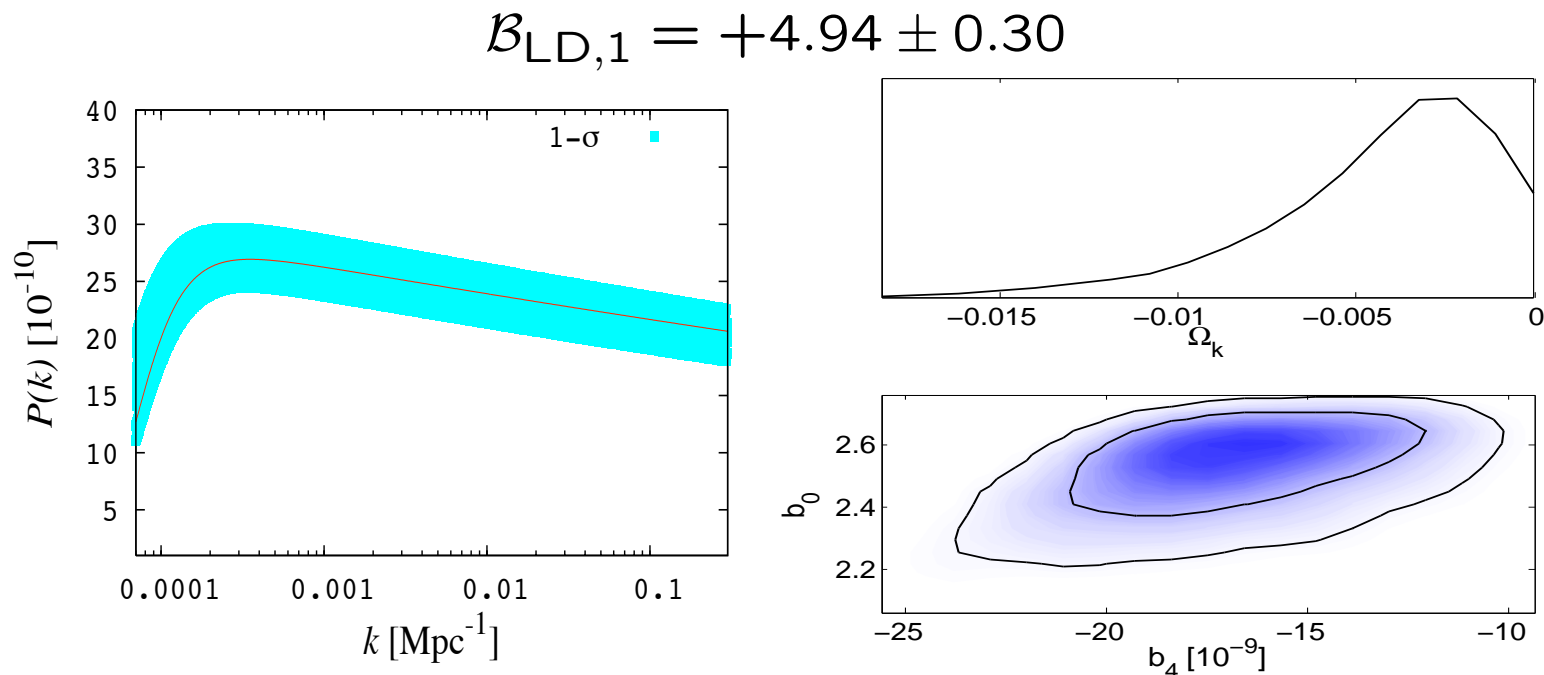
$$\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k) = A_S \left( \frac{k}{k_0} \right)^{n_S-1+\frac{1}{2} \ln\left(\frac{k}{k_0}\right) n_{\text{run}}},$$

$$(n_{\text{run}}) \mathcal{B}_{n_{\text{run}},1} = +2.06 \pm 0.30$$



## LASENBY & DORAN CLOSED UNIVERSE MODEL

- The LD model is based on the restriction of the **total conformal time** available in the entire history of a **closed Universe**.  $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k)$  depends upon  $\{b_0, b_4\}$
- Naturally incorporates an **exponential cut-off** on large scales  $\rightarrow$  possible explanation for the **lower-than-expected** CMB spectrum at low multipoles.
- On small scales,  $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}^{1/2}(k)$  and  $\ln k$  is **linear**,  $\rightarrow$  predicting a **reduced power** at large  $k$  as compared to a simple tilted spectrum ( $\ln \mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}^{1/2}(k)$  vs  $\ln k$  is linear).

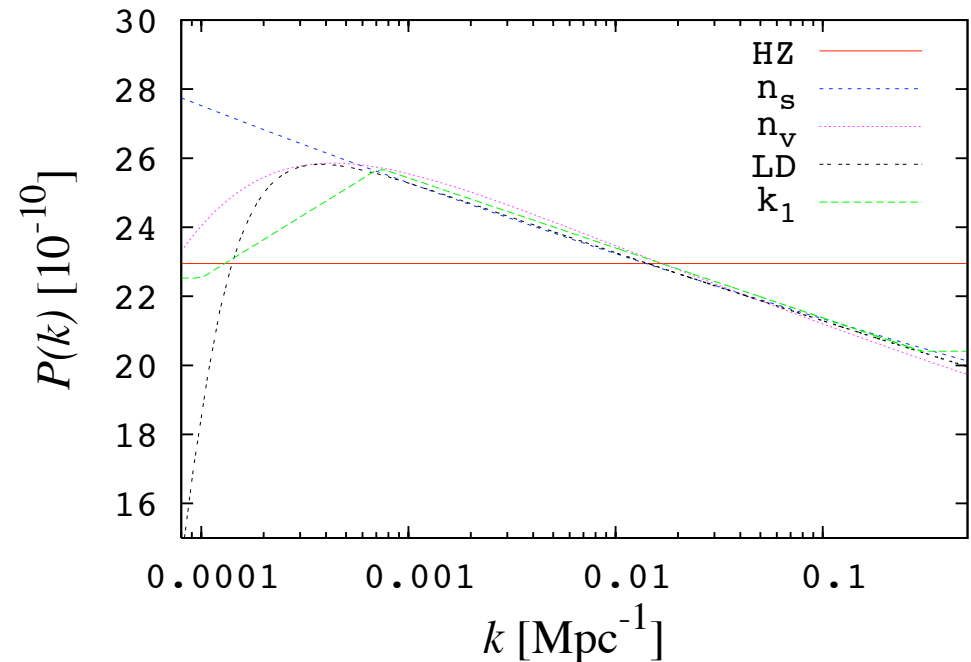


For further details see *A. Lasenby, C. Doran Phys.Rev.D., 71, 063502 (2005) and Vazquez, Lasenby, Bridges & Hobson (2011) (arXiv:1103.4619)*

## CONCLUSIONS ON $\mathcal{P}_{\mathcal{R}}(k)$

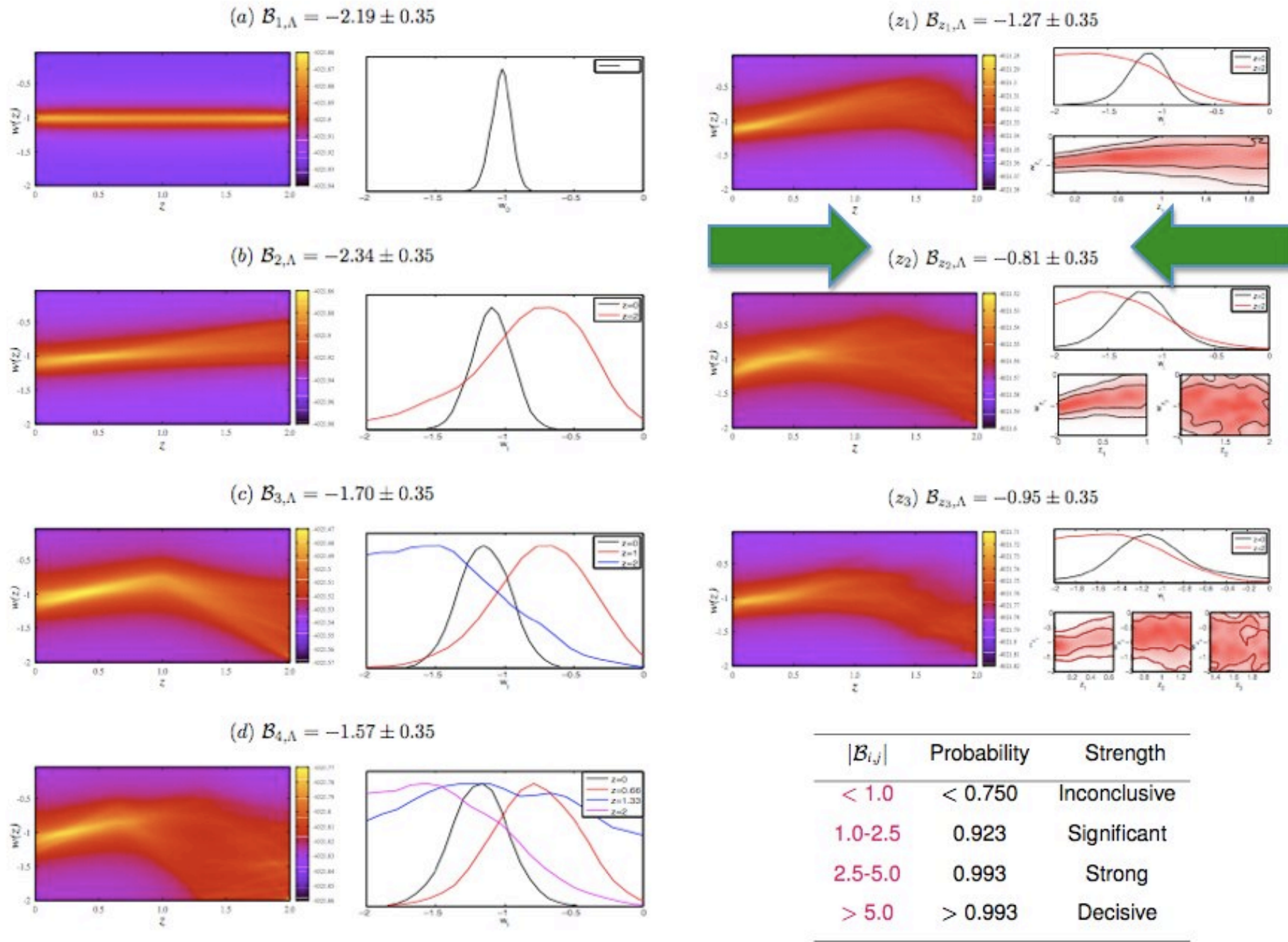
We fit an **optimal degree of structure** for the primordial spectrum using **Bayesian model selection** as our discriminating criterion.

Model	N <sub>par</sub>	$\chi^2_{\min}$	Bayes factor
HZ	8	0.0	$+0.0 \pm 0.3$
$n_s$	9	-8.6	$+3.3 \pm 0.3$
<b>LD</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>-9.4</b>	<b><math>+4.9 \pm 0.3</math></b>
$k_1$	11	-9.1	$+4.3 \pm 0.3$



- The presence of a **turn-over** at large scales and the **reduced power** at small scales are important in the selection of the best-fit model through its **Bayesian evidence**
- Note turnover on large scales happens not just in the L+D **closed universe** model, but anywhere we have initial **kinetic dominance** (e.g. several works by Sanchez, de Vega and Destri)
- We believe we have shown here that the data argues for this in a model independent way

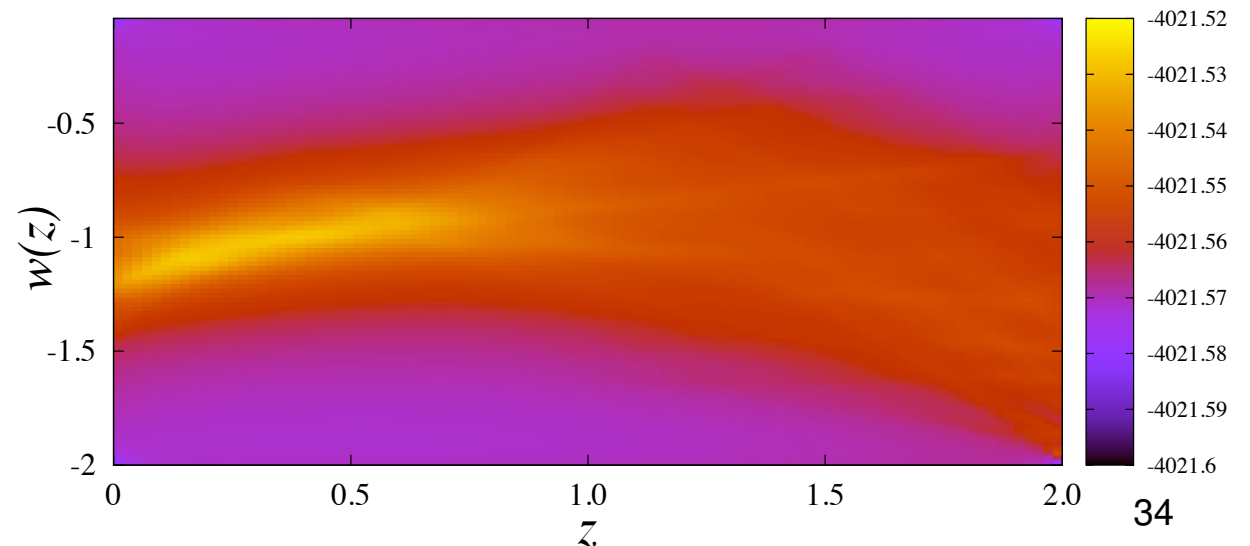
# APPLICATION OF THE SAME TECHNIQUES TO DARK ENERGY $w(z)$



# CONCLUSIONS FOR $w(z)$ RECONSTRUCTION

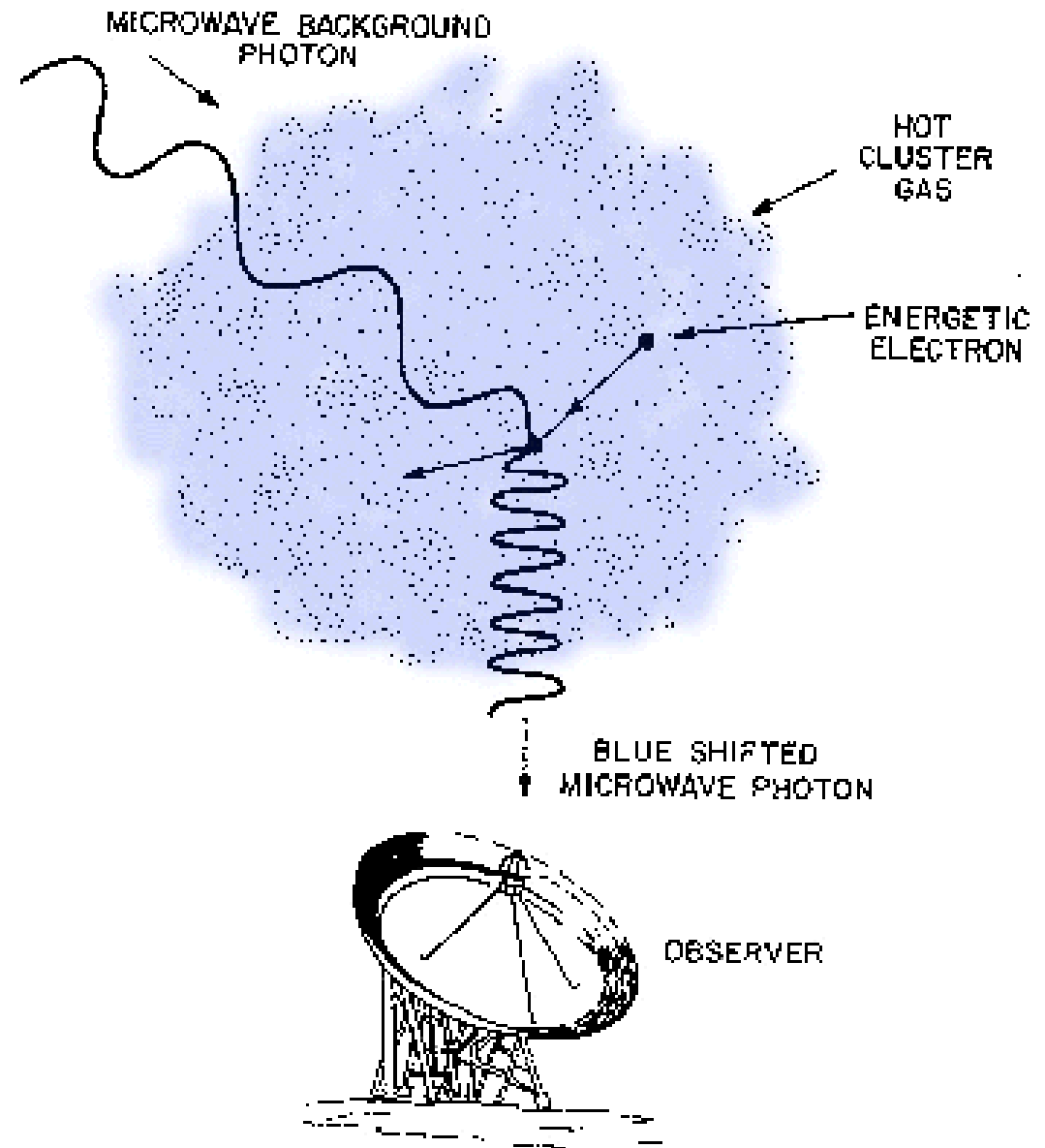
- Work reported here is in [Vazquez, Bridges, Hobson & Lasenby \(arXiv:1205.0847\)](#)
- Preferred model in terms of evidence is plain  $\Lambda$ , i.e.  $w = -1 = \text{const.}$
- All solutions seem to exhibit a preferred **temporal evolution**, however (at lower evidence)
- Besides  $\Lambda$ , the **preferred**  $w(z)$  has  $w \lesssim -1$  at the present time and a **small bump** located at  $z \sim 0.6 - 1.0$
- Data is quite well constrained near  $z \sim 0.3$  but poorly constrained from  $z \gtrsim 1$
- Some well-known parameterizations are disfavoured (**CPL** = Chevallier-Polarski-Linder parameterisation  $w(z) = w_0 + w_a z / (1 + z)$ ; **JBP** = Jassal-Bagla-Padmanabhan parameterisation  $w(z) = w_0 + w_a z / (1 + z)^2$ )

Model	N <sub>par</sub>	$\mathcal{B}_{i,\Lambda}$
$\Lambda$	-	$0.0 \pm 0.3$
CPL	+2	$-2.8 \pm 0.3$
JBP	+2	$-2.8 \pm 0.3$
(d)	+4	$-1.6 \pm 0.3$
$z_2$	+6	$-0.8 \pm 0.3$



# PROGRESS WITH THE SUNYAEV-ZELDOVICH EFFECT

- There's been a great deal of progress made on the SZ effect over the past year, both external to Planck, and in papers from Planck
- E.g. in first category, **SPT catalogue** already discussed, and also new aspects of the SZ effect itself
- Will discuss one of those here, then move on to **Planck**. So much material overall that will basically only be able to give a few highlights! (See also talk by Carlo Burigana)



(From astro.uchicago.edu.)



## FIRST DETECTION OF THE KINETIC SZ EFFECT

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- The Kinetic SZ effect is proportional to  $v_{\text{pec}}\tau$ , where  $\tau$  is the optical depth through the cluster,  $\int n_e \sigma_T dl$
- Meanwhile the thermal effect is proportional to the line integral of pressure through the cluster  $\int n_e \sigma_T (k_B T_e / m_e c^2) dl$
- So if we estimate the temperature from the virial theorem, i.e.  $k_B T_e \sim m_p GM/R$ , we find that the ratio of Kinetic to Thermal SZ effect is

$$\frac{\text{kSZ}}{\text{tSZ}} \approx \frac{m_e c^2}{m_p} \frac{(v_{\text{pec}}/c)}{GM/R}$$

- So assuming  $v_{\text{pec}}$  is set by Lambda CDM, and typically  $200 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ , we can see that the ratio is going to be smaller for clusters which have a large potential well, i.e. for more massive clusters, and biggest for small potential wells (e.g. groups of galaxies)
- So (putting numbers on this), for a cluster mass  $\sim 8 \times 10^{14} M_\odot$ ,  $\text{kSZ}/\text{tSZ} \sim v_{\text{pec}}/3500 \text{ km s}^{-1} \approx 6\%$ , while for a 'cluster' mass  $10^{13} M_\odot$ , expect effects about comparable

## FIRST DETECTION OF THE KINETIC SZ EFFECT

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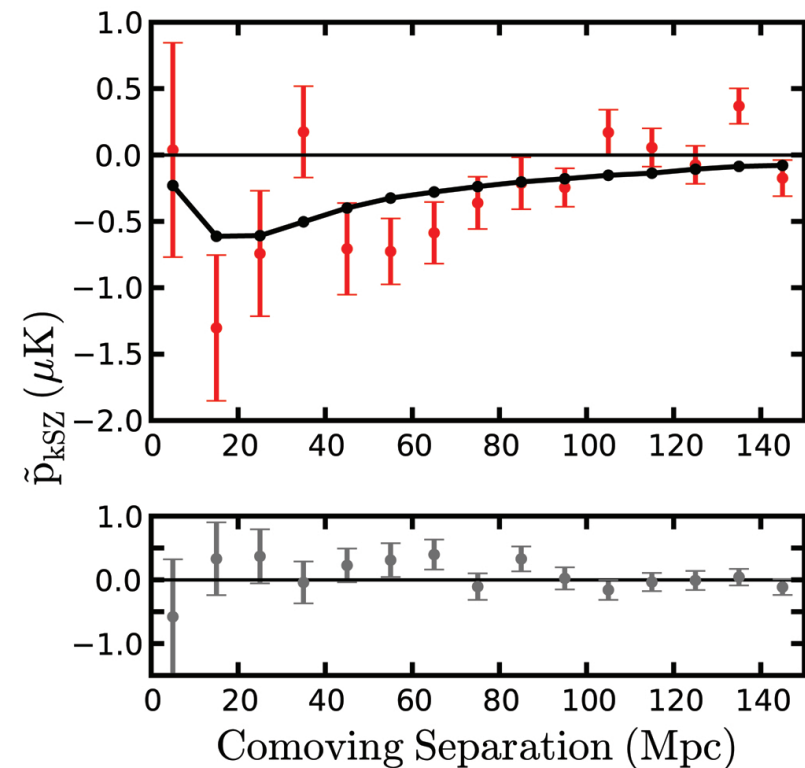
- So up to now, with observations concentrating on largest clusters, effect has never been seen
- Recently ACT (in [Hand et al, arXiv:1203.4219](#)) have made first detection of the effect statistically, by looking at [pairwise momentum statistic](#) at positions of a sample of galaxies in BOSS Data Release 9
- Statistic (if had 3d information) is

$$p_{\text{pair}}(r) = \langle (\mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{p}_j) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij} \rangle$$

- This should show an effect, since on average, under gravitational instability motions, clusters should show a mean motion towards each other

## FIRST DETECTION OF THE KINETIC SZ EFFECT

- ‘Momentum’ is measured by the kSZ and the thermal SZ automatically cancels out!
- So can just use the ‘bare’ ACT 148 GHz data at the cluster positions, without needing to separate out the two contributions
- So effect appears to be seen, at approx  $3.8\sigma$ , and is in line with expectations for Lambda CDM universes:  
 $\sim 2.2 \mu\text{K}$  for masses about  $10^{14} M_{\odot}$   
and  $\sim 0.9 \mu\text{K}$  for masses about  $10^{13} M_{\odot}$ , if  $v_{\text{pec}} \sim 200 \text{ km s}^{-1}$



From Hand et al, arXiv:1203.4219. Bottom panel shows same constructed with randomized positions

The scientific results presented today are a product of the Planck Collaboration, including individuals from more than 50 scientific institutes in Europe, the USA and Canada



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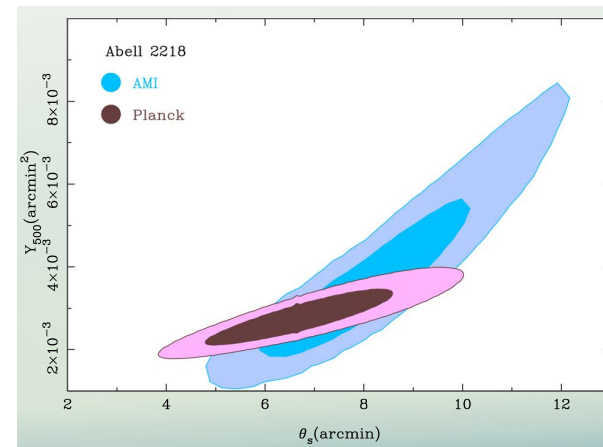


# AMI AND PLANCK OBSERVATIONS OF CLUSTERS

- AMI (**The Arcminute MicroKelvin Imager**) is a telescope for observing the Sunyaev-Zeldovich effect in clusters of galaxies
- Consists of two arrays (the Large and Small arrays) sited at Lord's Bridge near Cambridge, working at **15 GHz**
- Planck SZ constraints exhibit a degeneracy between derived SZ Compton-Y parameter and cluster size
- AMI's higher resolution can provide more accurate cluster positions & size estimates, and thus break this degeneracy
- Also being used for **verification** of new candidate detections from Planck

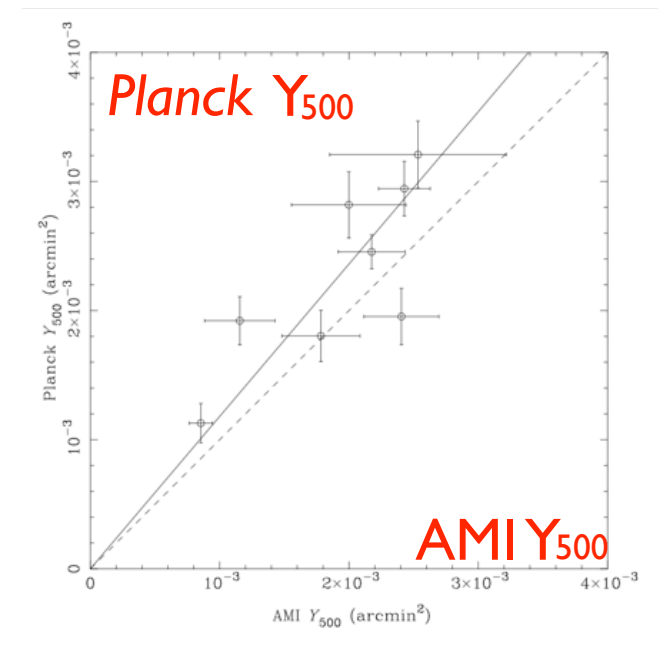


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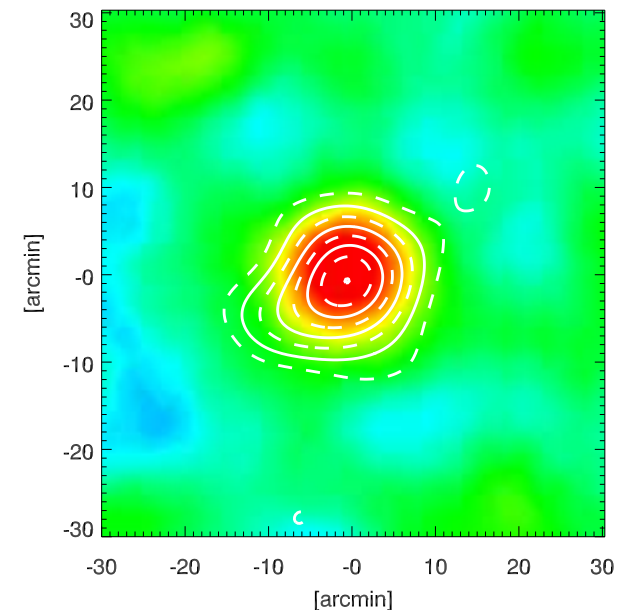


COMPARISON OF PLANCK AND AMI DATA  
FOR A KNOWN CLUSTER — **A2218**

- We have recently submitted a joint study of 11 clusters observed by both AMI and Planck ([arXiv:1204.1318](#))
- Sample includes two cool-core clusters, two newly-discovered Planck clusters, and has a fairly large spread in redshift ( $0.11 < z < 0.55$ )
- Good agreement on many individual clusters but on average, AMI finds clusters to be fainter and smaller than Planck. Currently investigating whether changing assumed form of **radial pressure profile** is key to understanding this
- (AMI also doing many other SZ observations, and also galactic object science, particular for **spinning dust** where AMI's frequency and resolution fills a unique niche.)



Comparison of Planck and AMI SZ amplitudes



AMI observations of the new Planck cluster  
PLCKESZ G139.59+24.19. Contours = AMI,

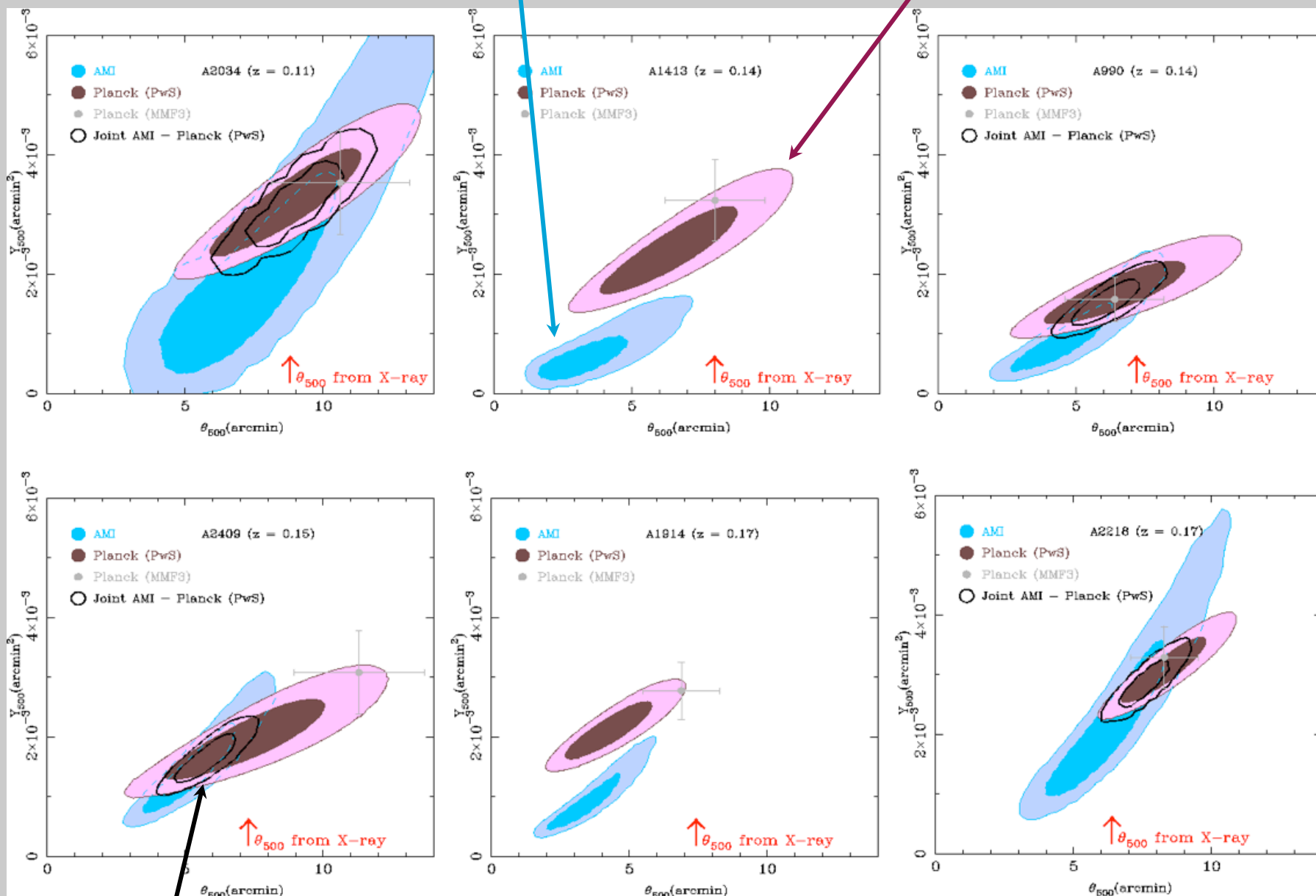
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# Results:

AMI constraints

Planck constraints

$Y_{500}$   
(arcmin<sup>2</sup>)



Joint constraints

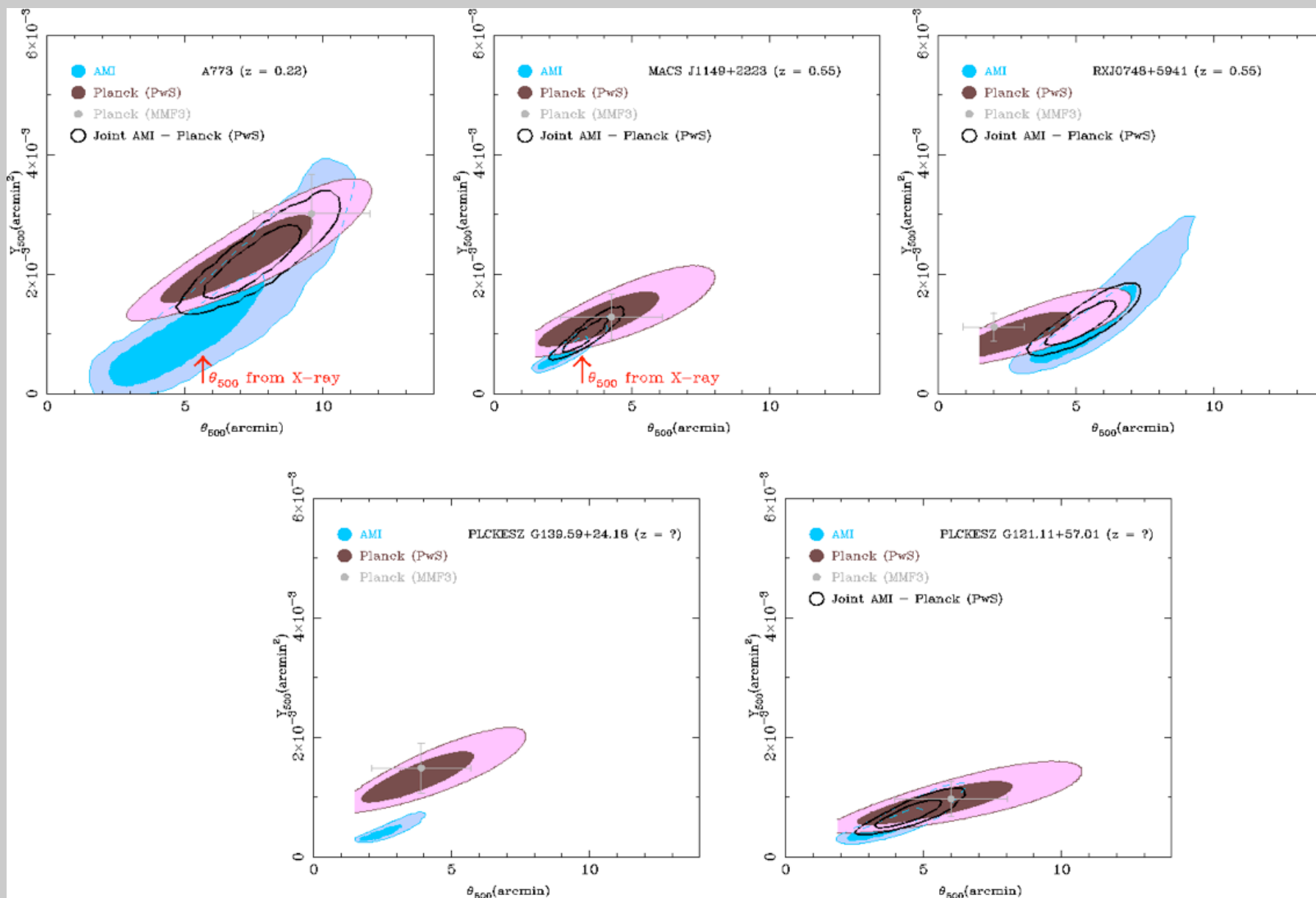
$\theta_{500}$  (arcmin)

# Results:

## AMI constraints

## Planck constraints

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## DIRECT RESULTS ON PRESSURE PROFILES FROM PLANCK

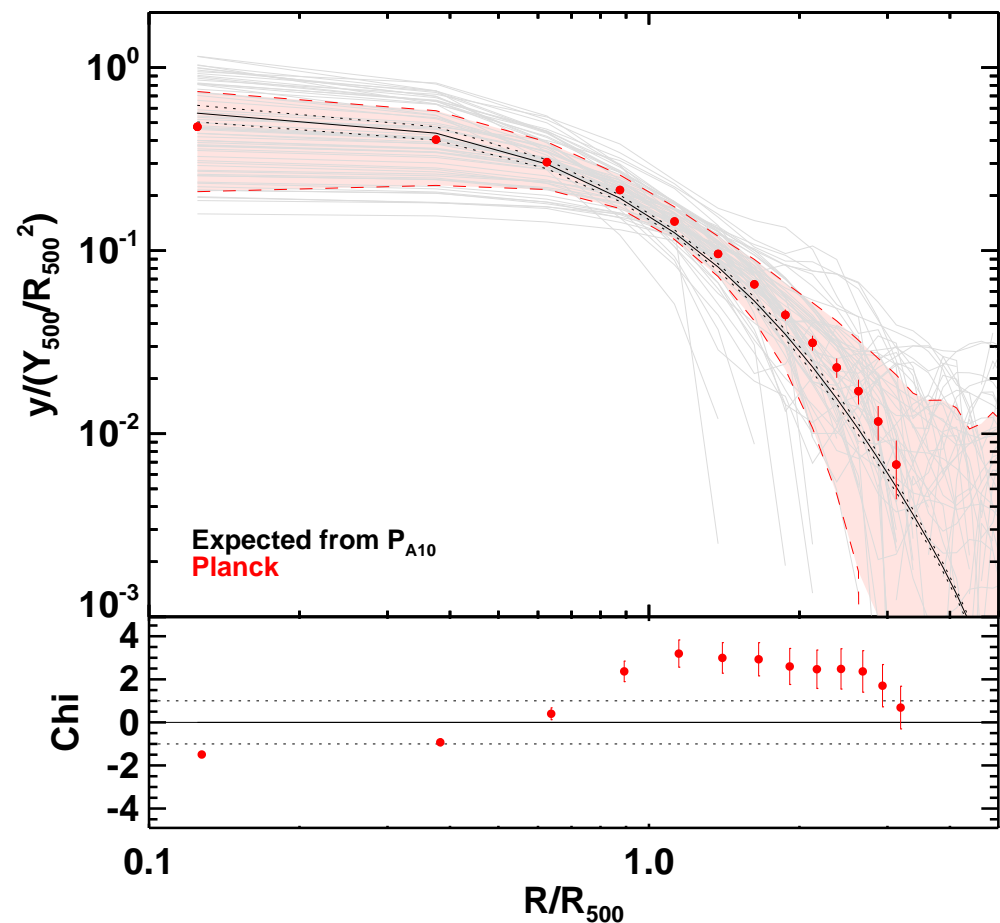
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- The pressure profile used in Planck analysis (matched in AMI analysis) so far has been the **Universal Pressure Profile** of Arnaud et al, (A&A, **517**, A92,(2010)) a GFW profile derived from X-ray observations and numerical simulations

$$P(r) = P_{500} \left( \frac{M_{500}}{3 \times 10^{14} M_{\odot}} \right)^{\alpha_P} \frac{P_0}{(c_{500}x)^{\gamma} (1 + (c_{500}x)^{\alpha})^{\frac{\beta-\gamma}{\alpha}}}$$

- A particular set of the concentration and shape parameters  $c_{500}, \alpha, \beta, \gamma$  etc., was derived by Arnaud et al.

- The evidence now from Planck and X-ray observations of 62 nearby clusters is that this profile **underpredicts** SZ effect in outer regions (main effect from  $\beta$  being too large)
- This would also potentially tie in with **AMI** results — Planck more sensitive to extended emission than AMI, so if UPP (used in the common analysis) is **not** the right profile, AMI would be thought to be giving on average too small results
- Work now proceeding on a larger sample of common clusters
- Many other wonderful Planck results on clusters, see e.g. <http://www.iasfbo.inaf.it/events/planck-2012/talks/pip> for several publically available talks



From Planck Intermediate Paper V: 'Pressure profiles of galaxy clusters from the Sunyaev-Zeldovich effect' [arXiv:1207.4061](https://arxiv.org/abs/1207.4061)

## CONCLUSIONS

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- B-mode searches still ongoing — some way to bridge gap to even largest values of  $r$  expected ( $\sim 0.1$ )
- Temperature power spectrum at small angular scales proving very interesting — also tie in with BAO — questions developing about  $H_0$  and number of neutrino species
- Secondaries (inc. SZ effect) rapidly developing — large SZ cluster catalogues, and larger to come (e.g. Planck at start of next year)
- Some new information about outer regions of clusters, and detailed astrophysics internally