

The Hubble Hunter's Guide

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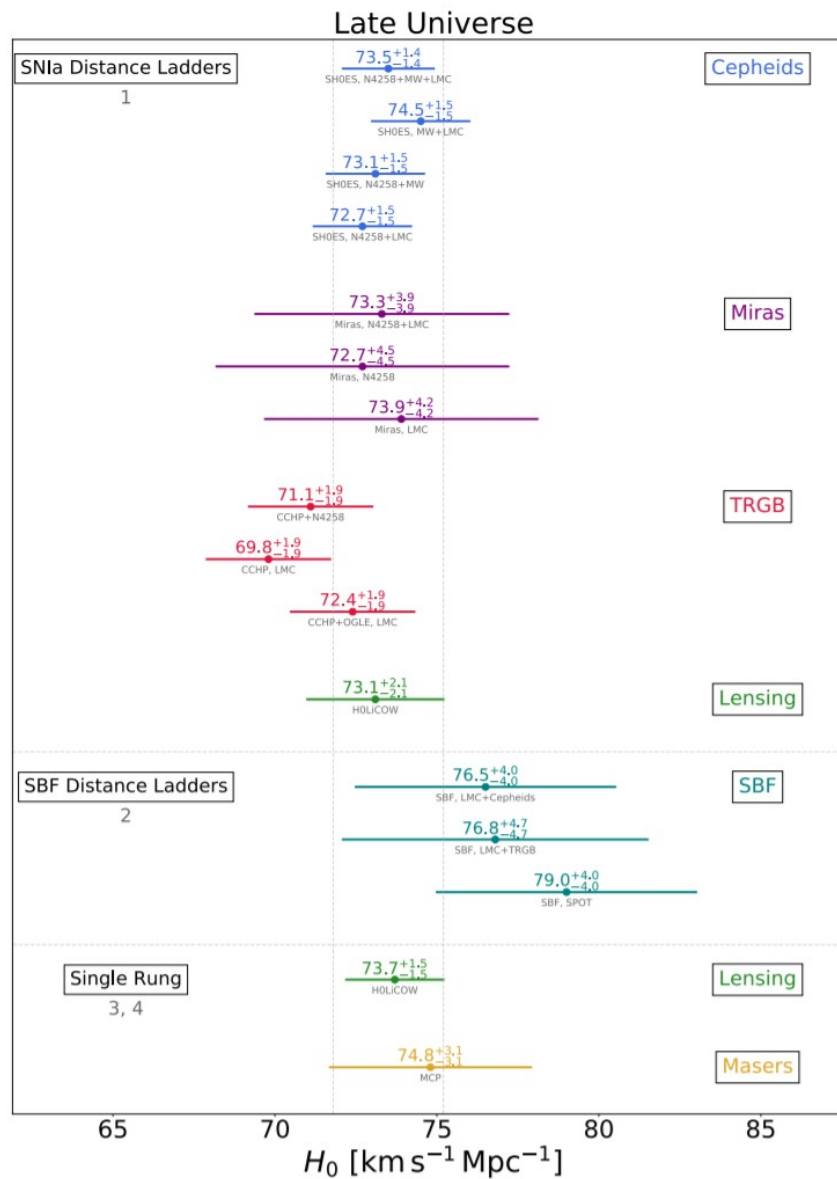


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Outline

- How to constrain H_0 from CMB observations
- What Planck told us about H_0
- **A guide for observers and theorists:** How do we resolve the tension cosmologically?

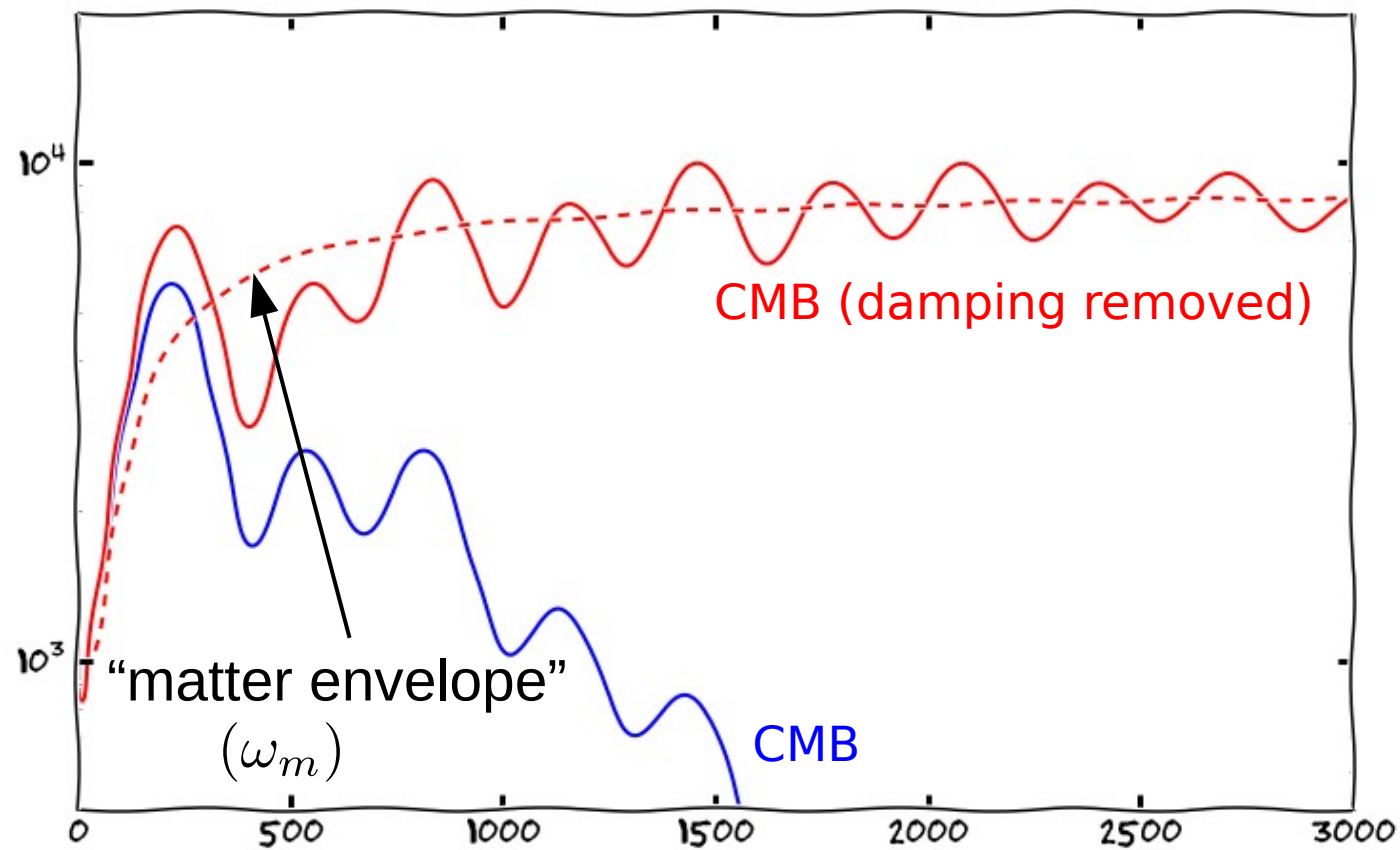


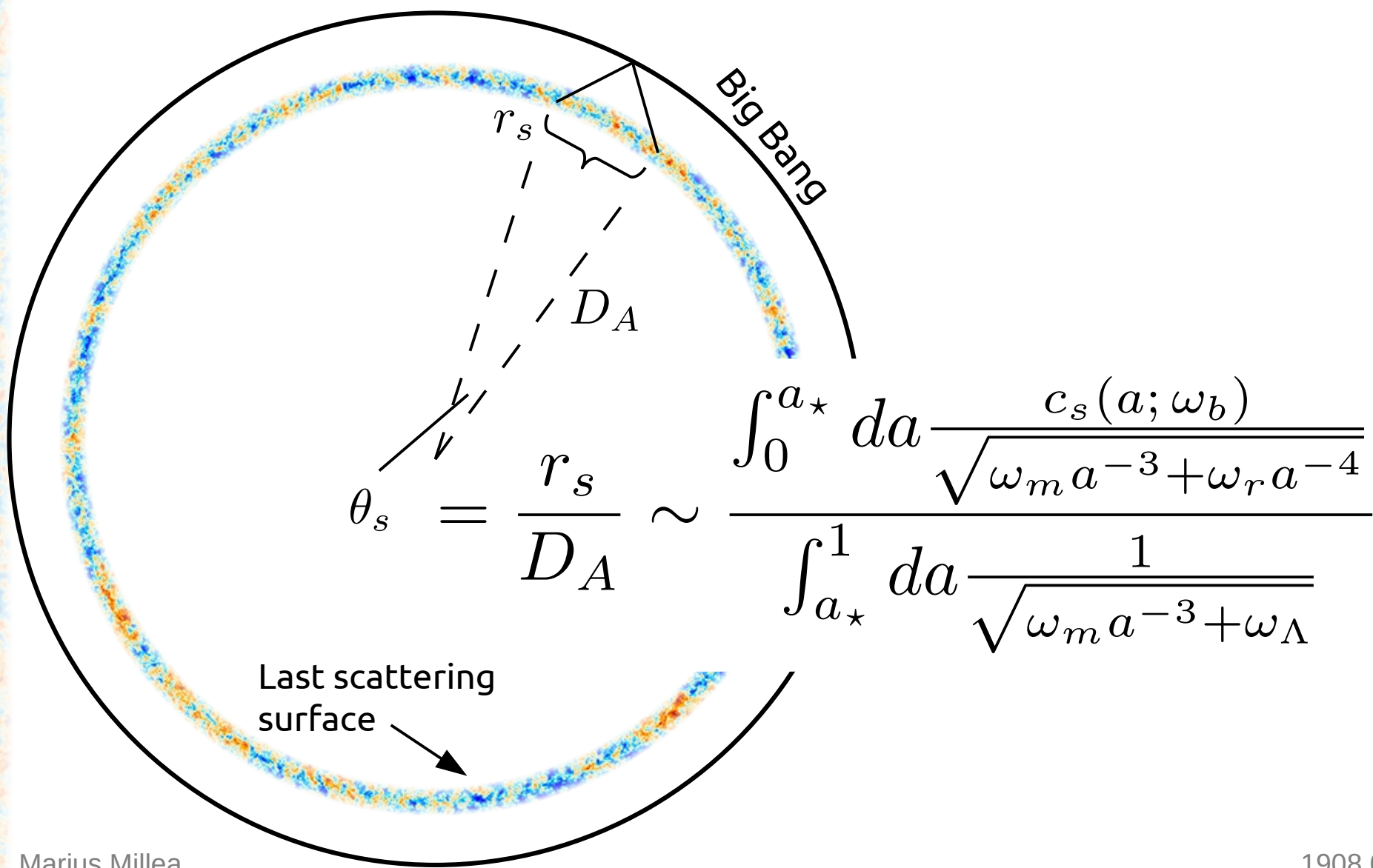


How to constrain H_0 from the CMB assuming Λ CDM?

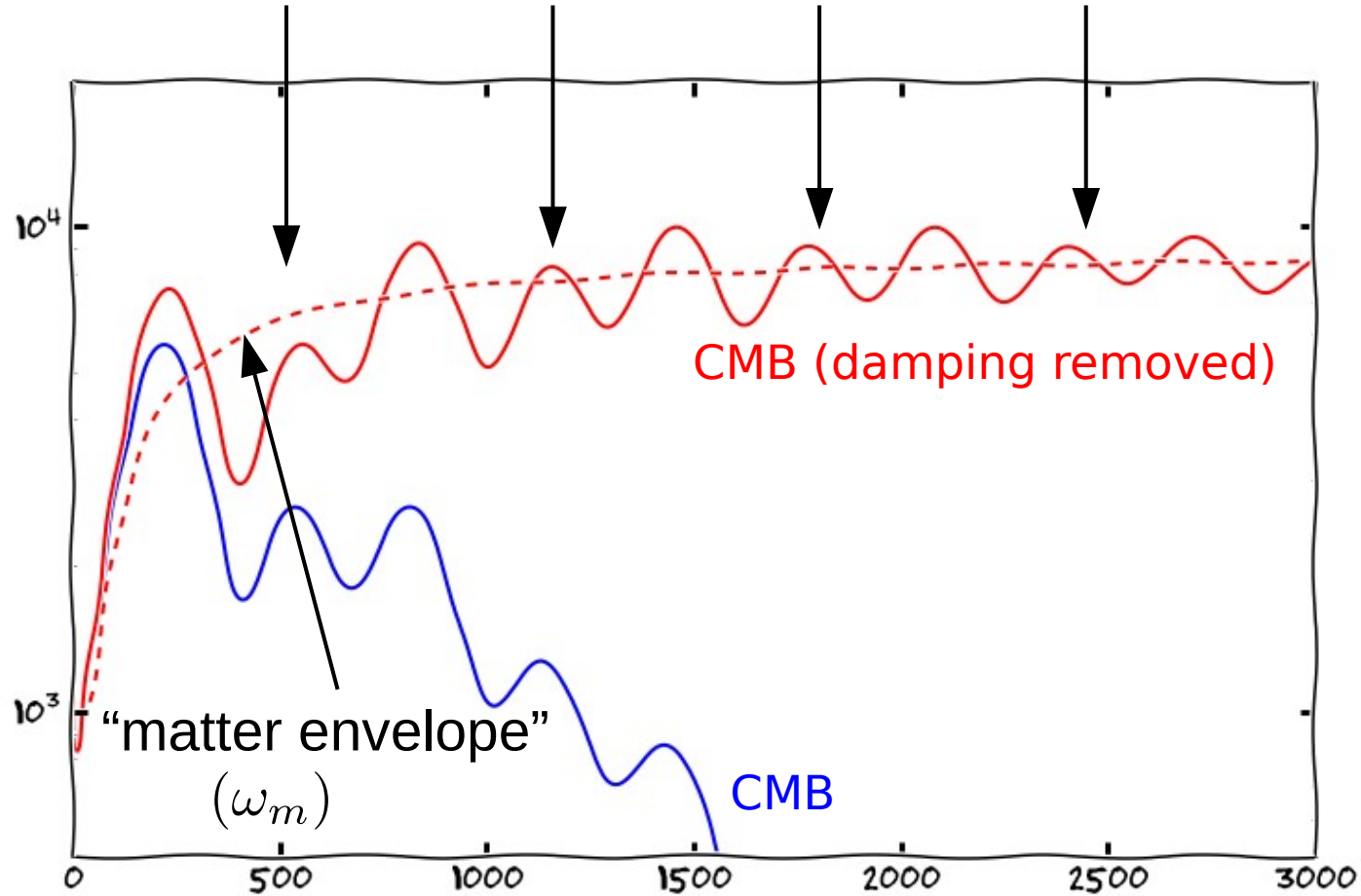
Friedmann equation: $H_0^2 \sim \omega_m + \omega_\Lambda$

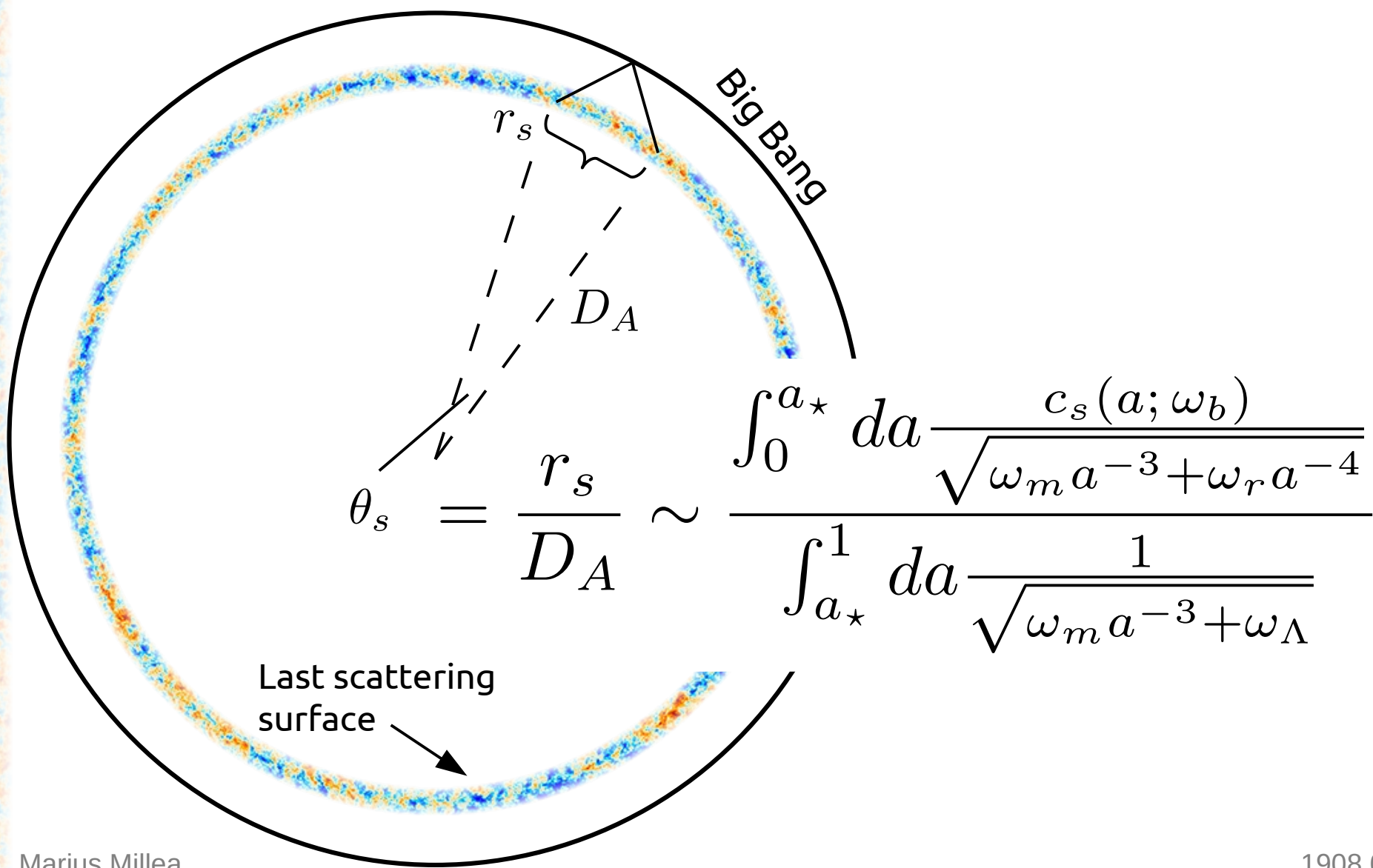
$$\omega_x = \Omega_x h^2 = \frac{\rho_x}{1.88 \cdot 10^{-26} \text{ kg/m}^3}$$



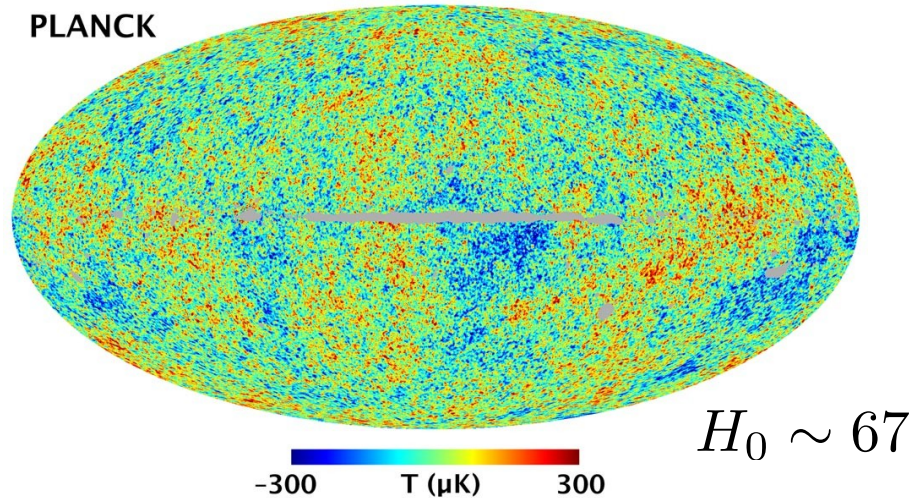
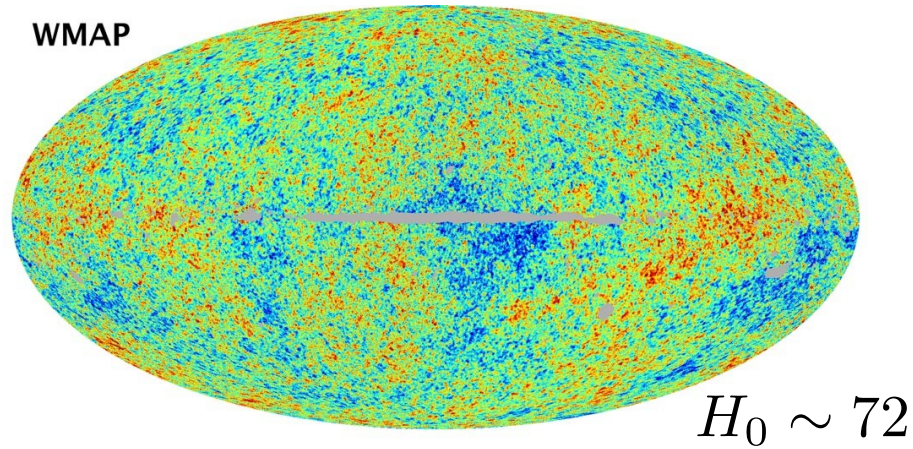


Even / odd peak height modulation (ω_b)

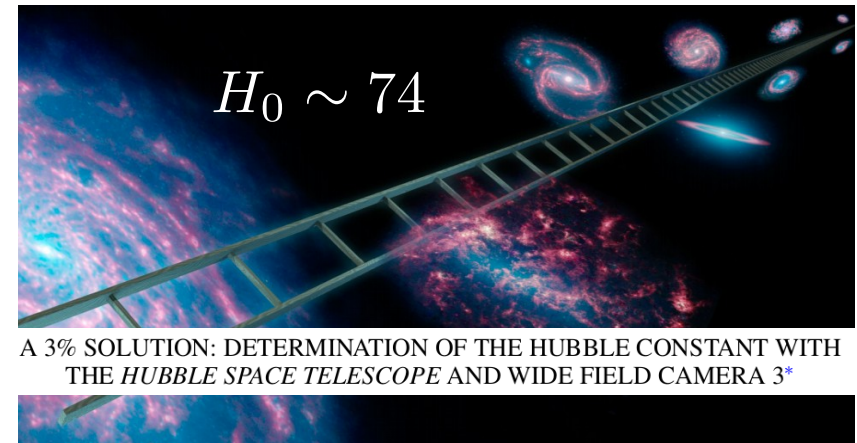
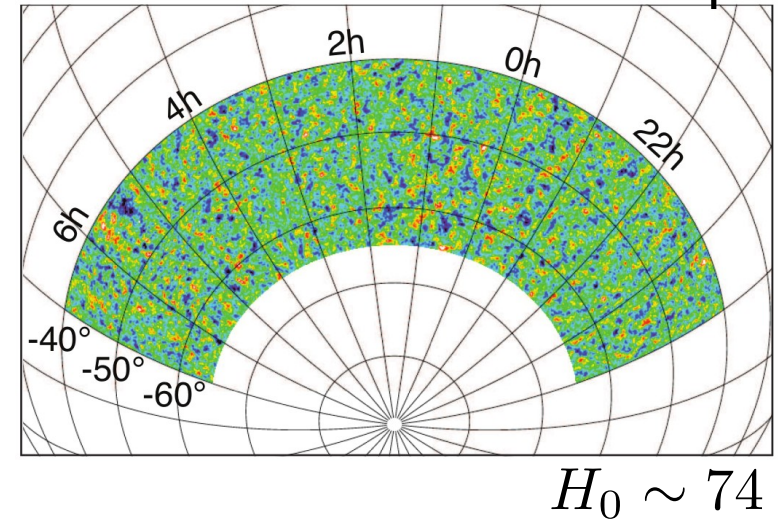




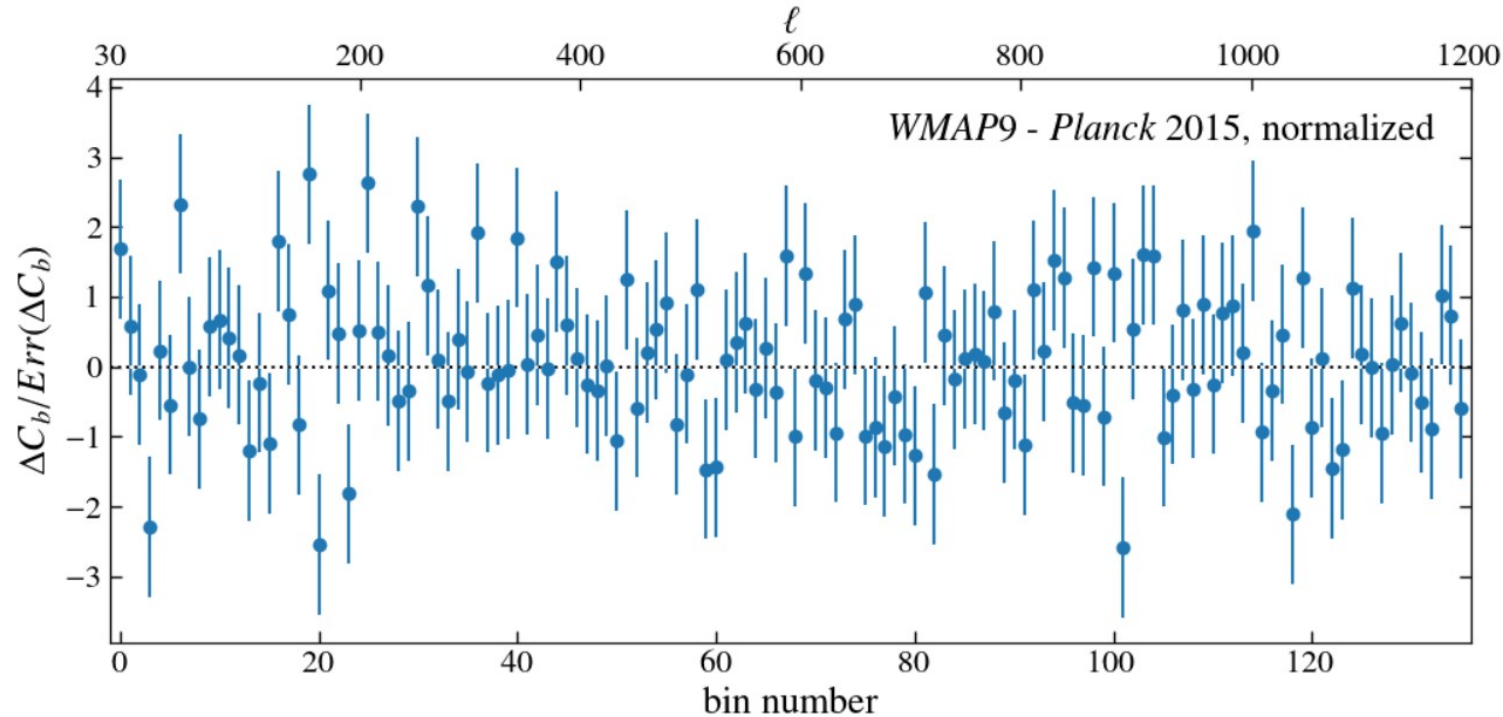
Circa 2014, Λ CDM was looking great...



+South Pole Telescope

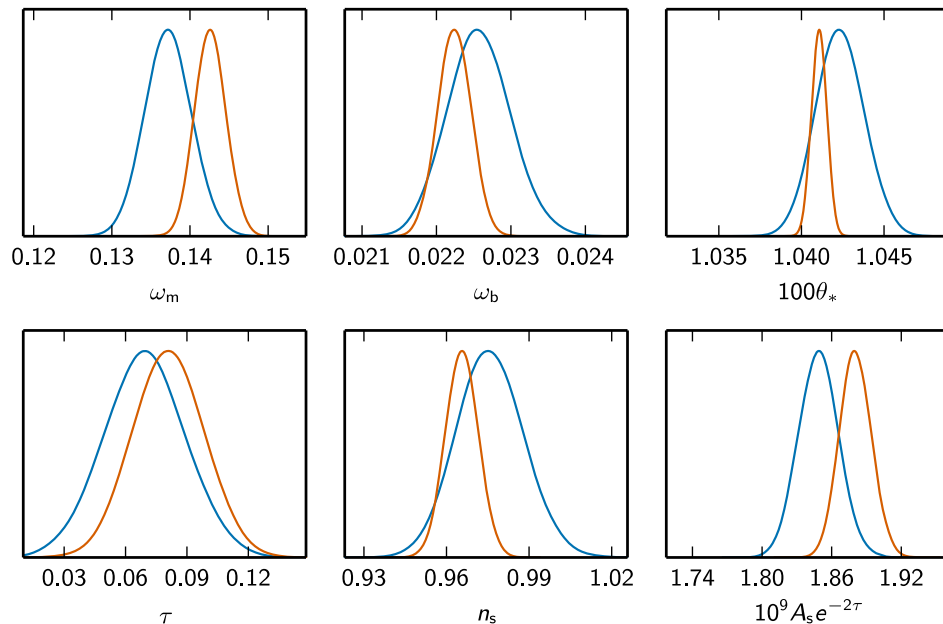


Great agreement between WMAP and Planck
on the scales which WMAP measured well.



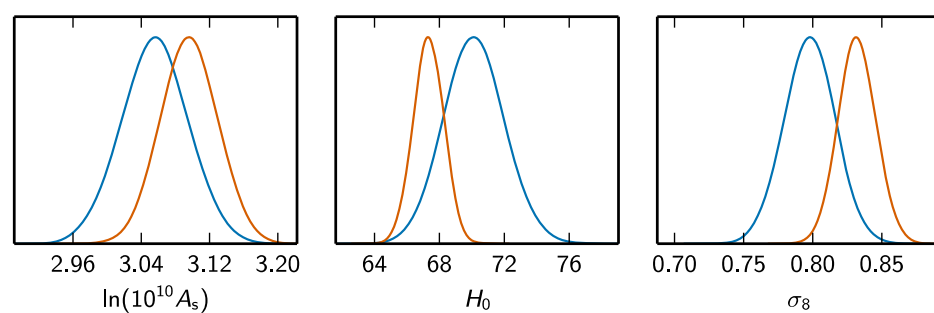
Huang, Addison, Weiland & Bennett (2018)

“Primary” 6
 Λ CDM parameters



Planck $\ell < 800$
 Planck $\ell < 2500$

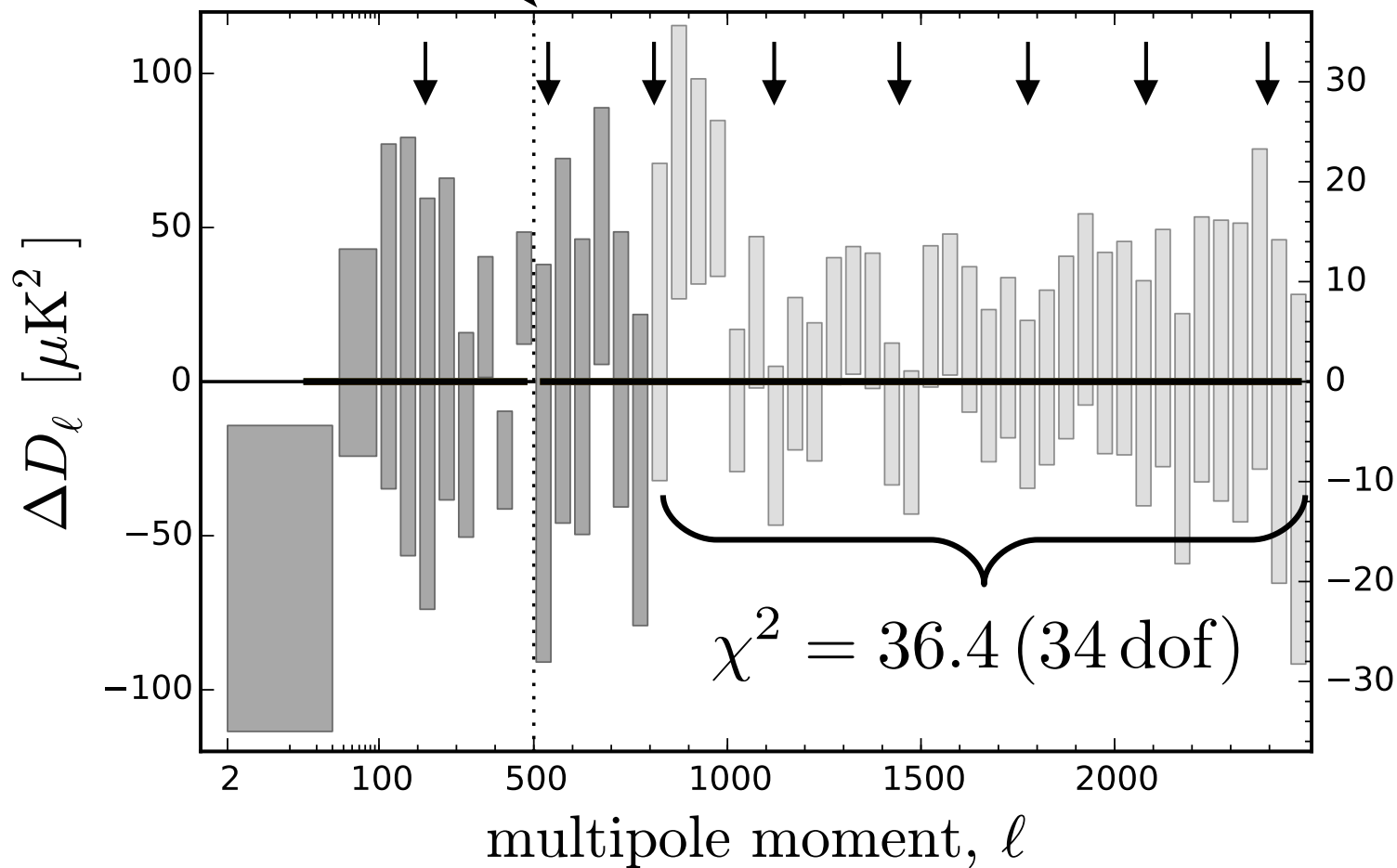
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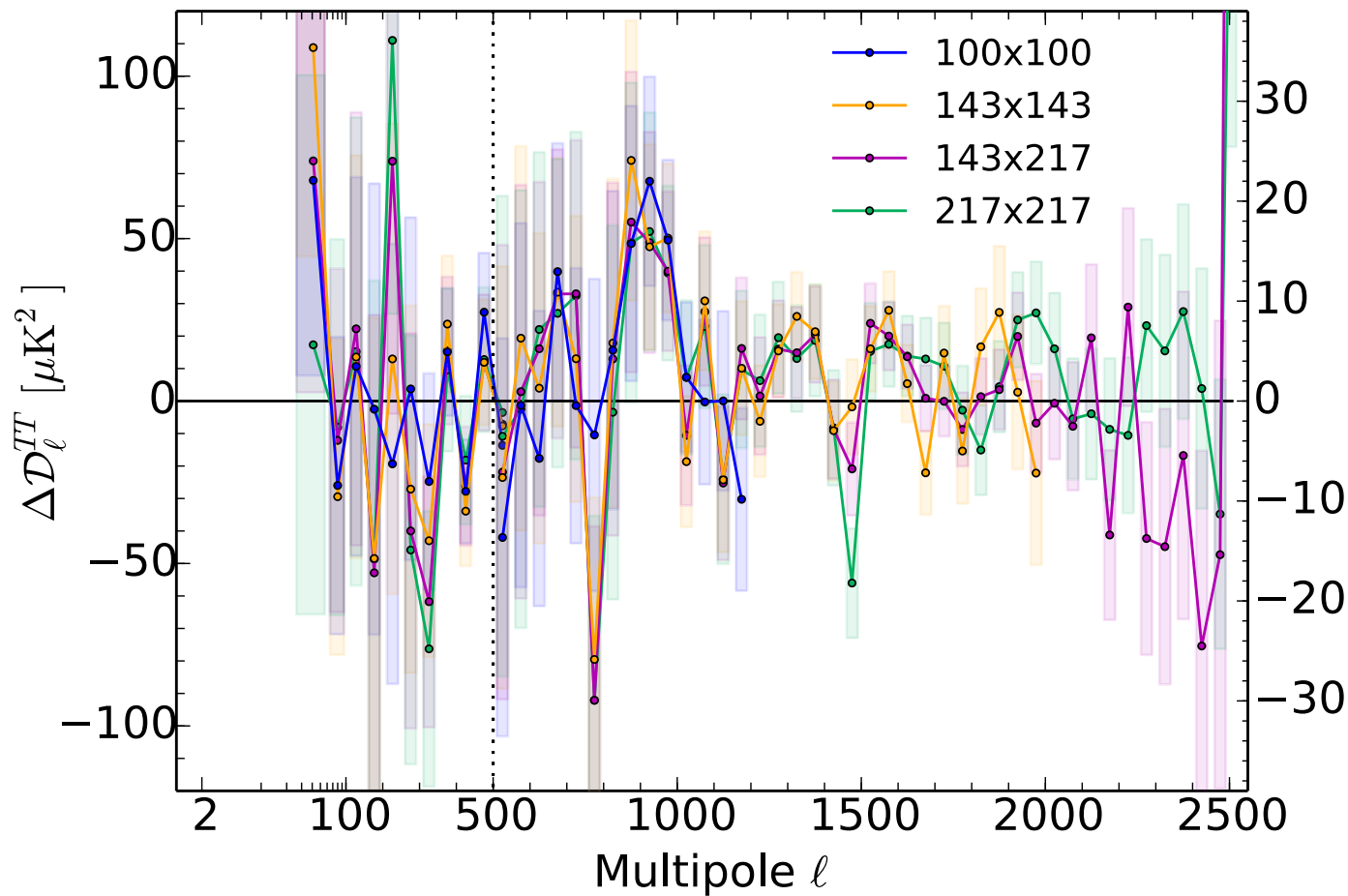
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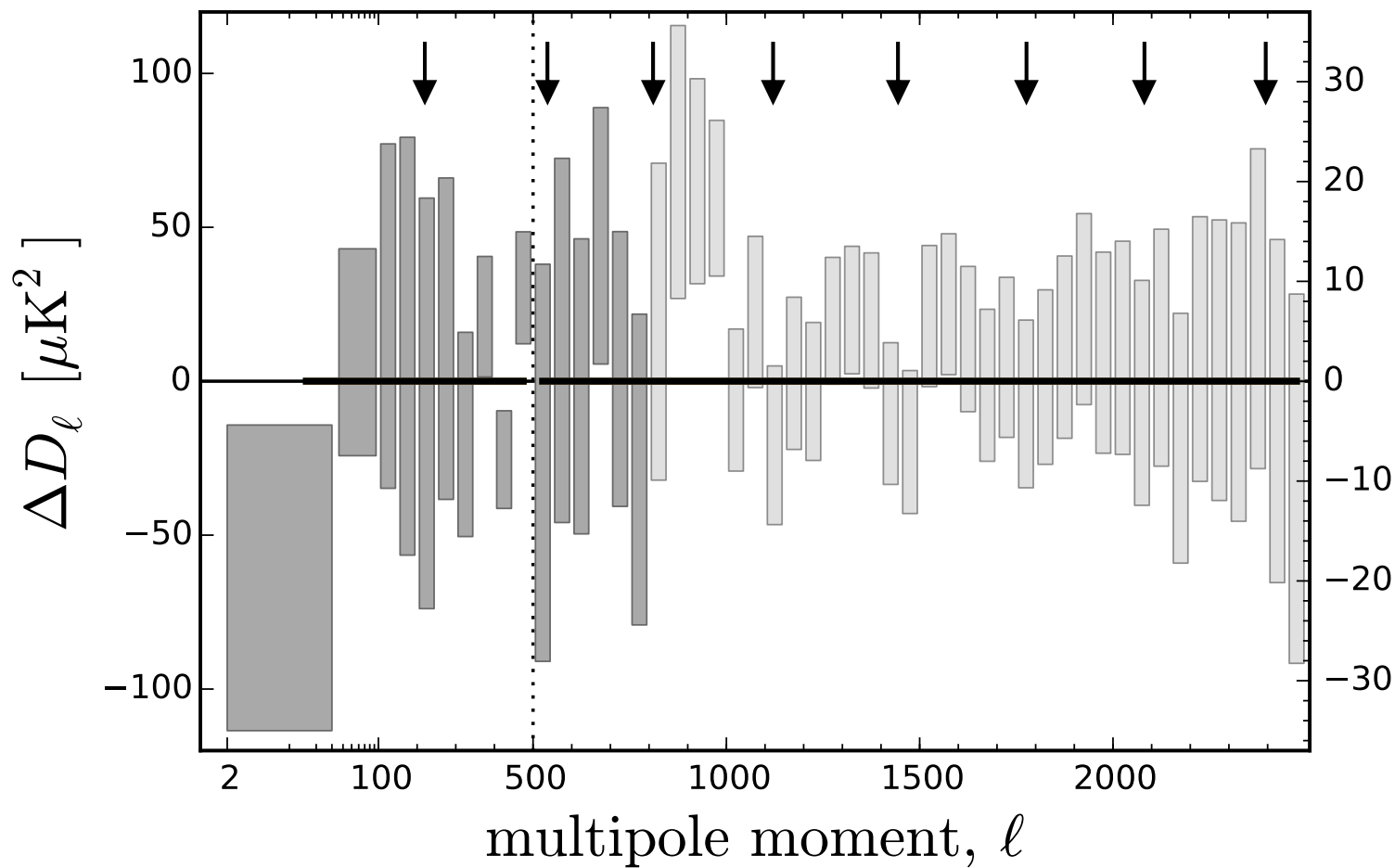
Note: y-scale change here

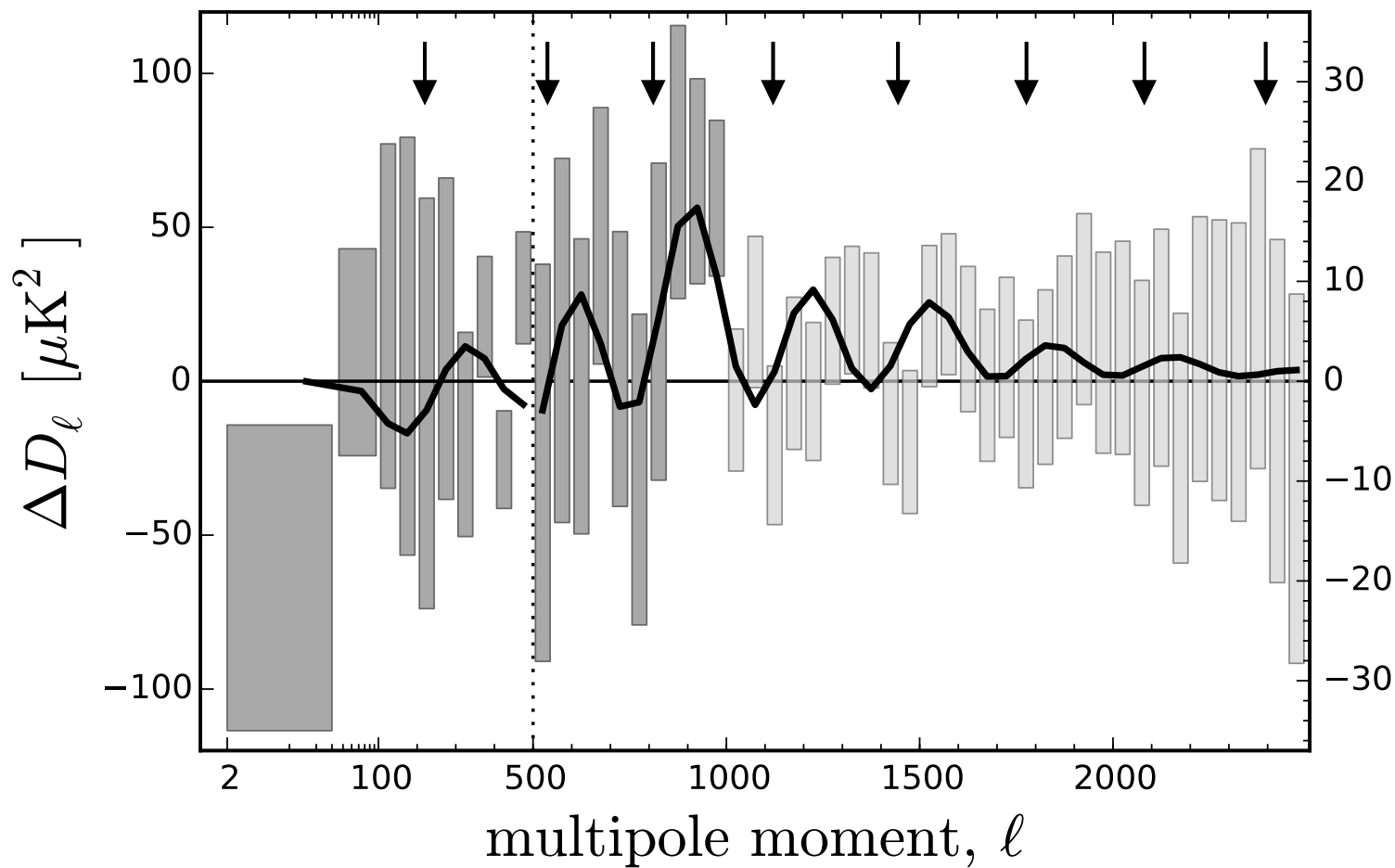
Arrows indicate CMB peaks

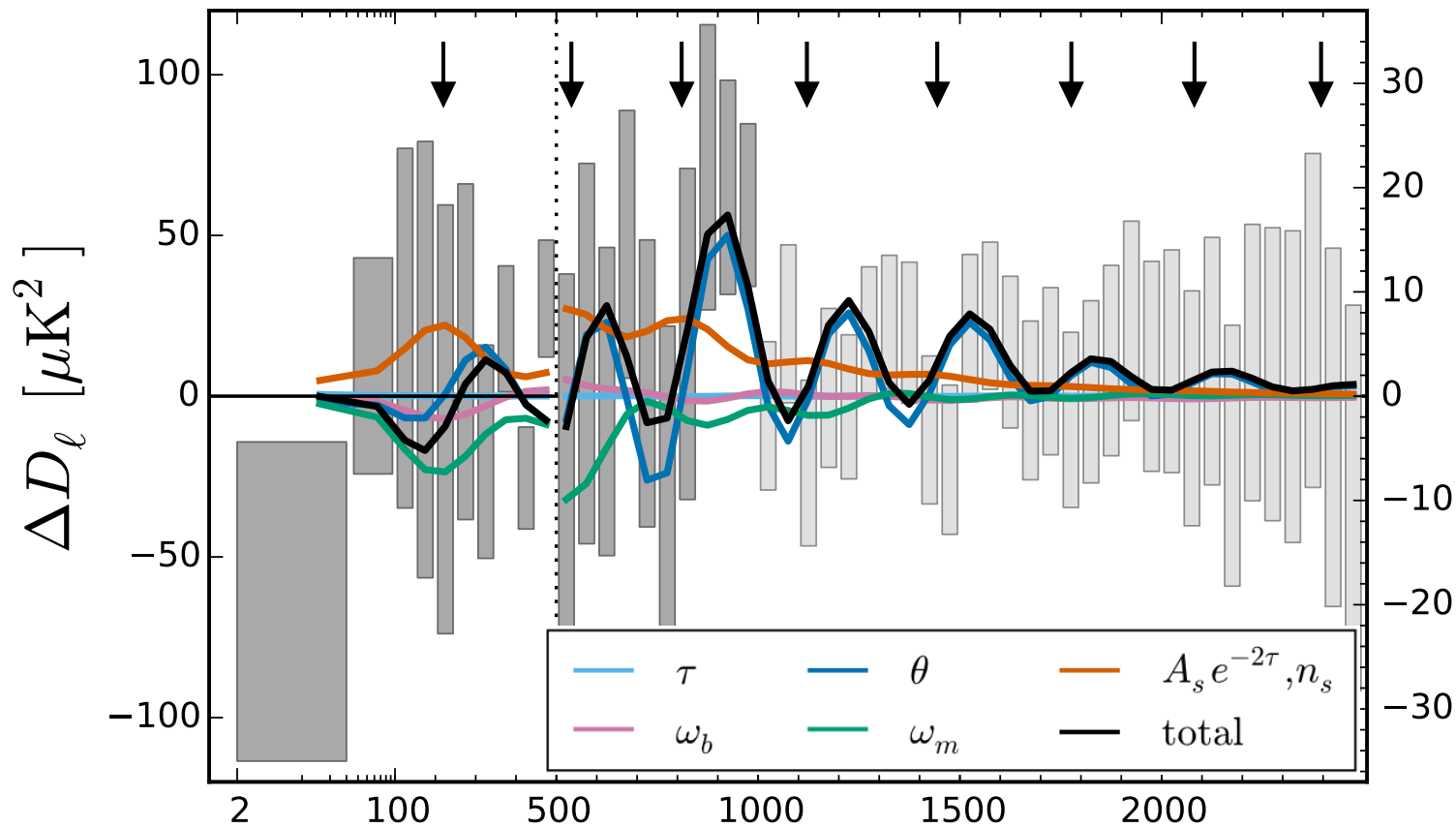


These features present in all Planck frequencies.

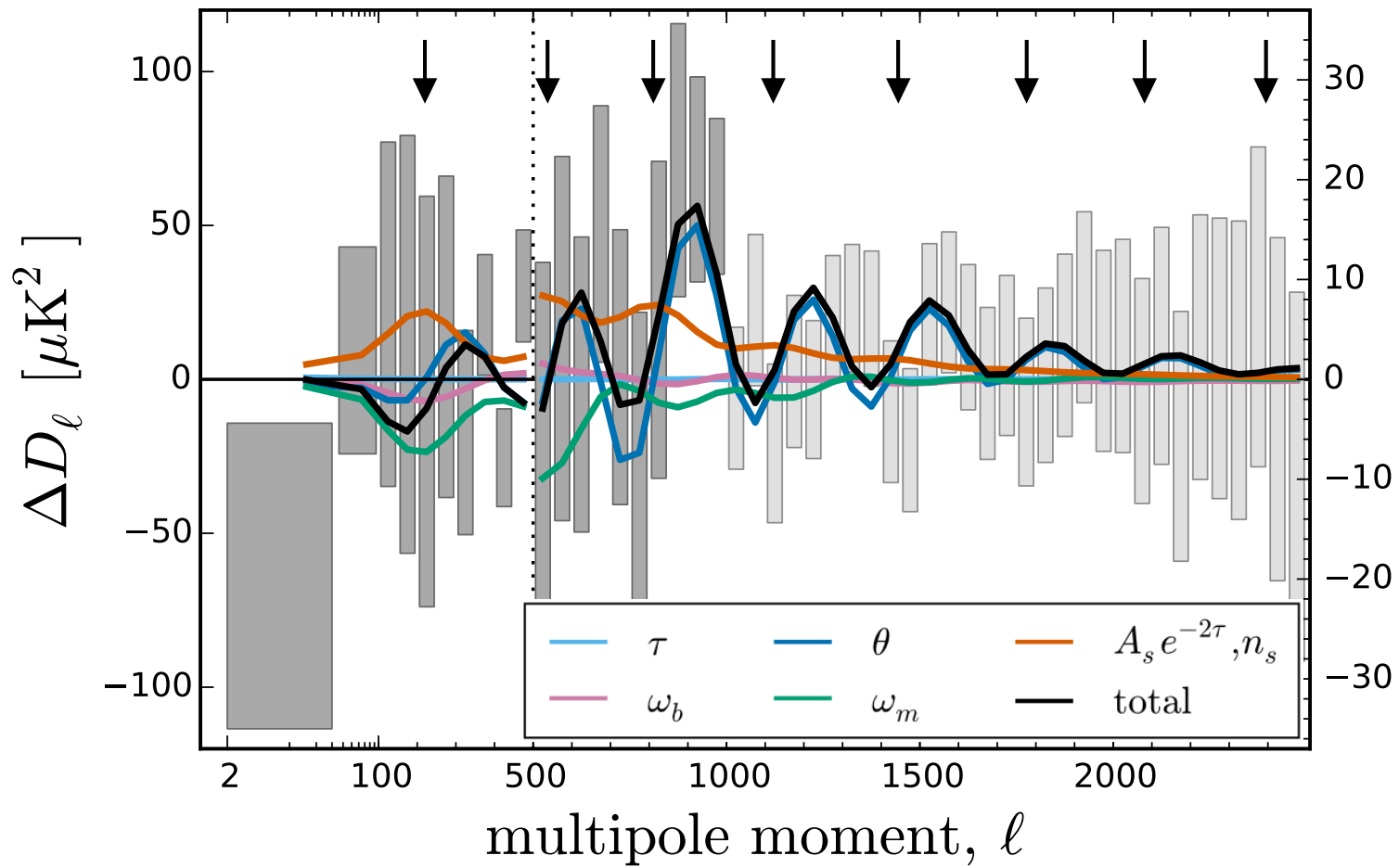


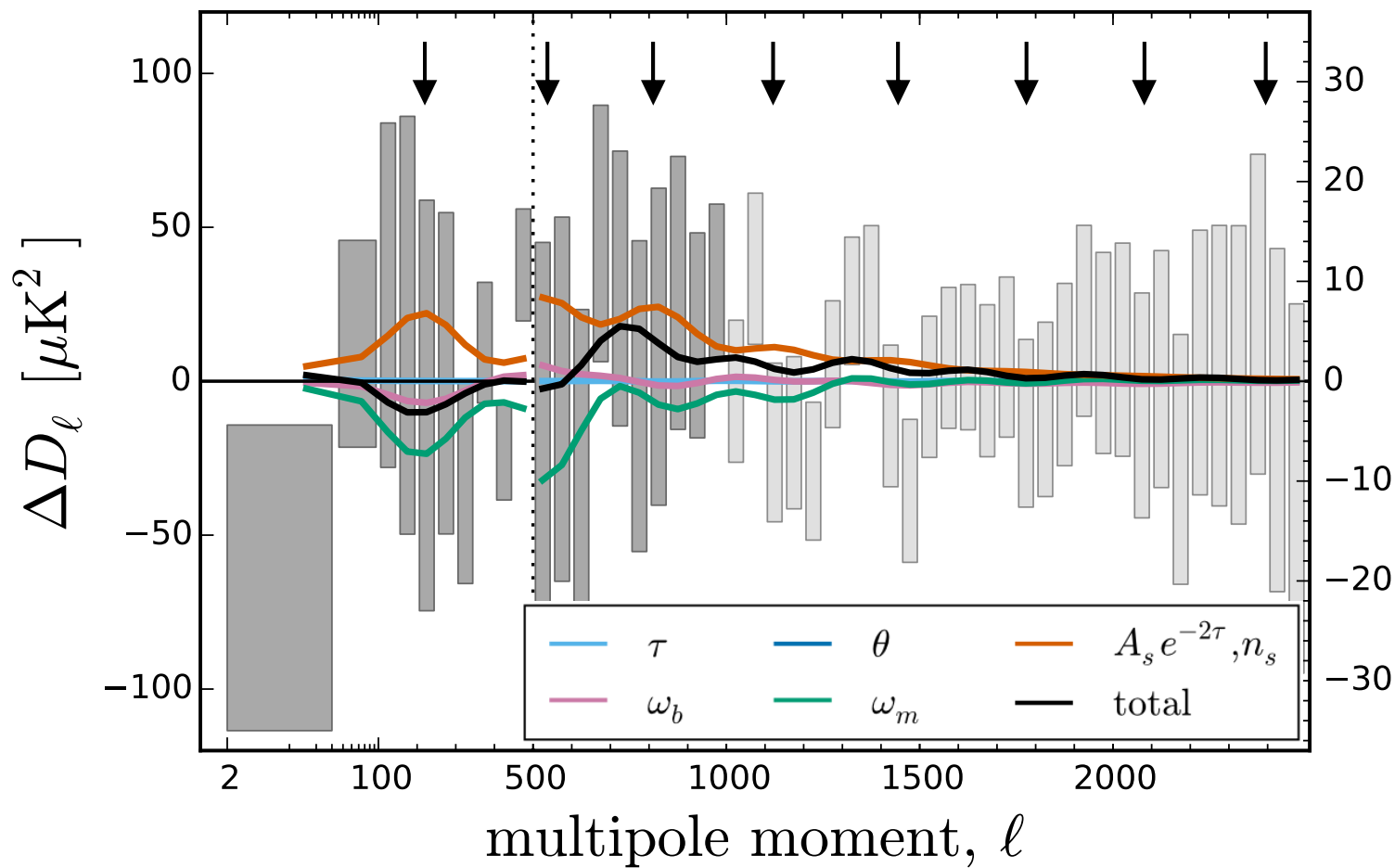


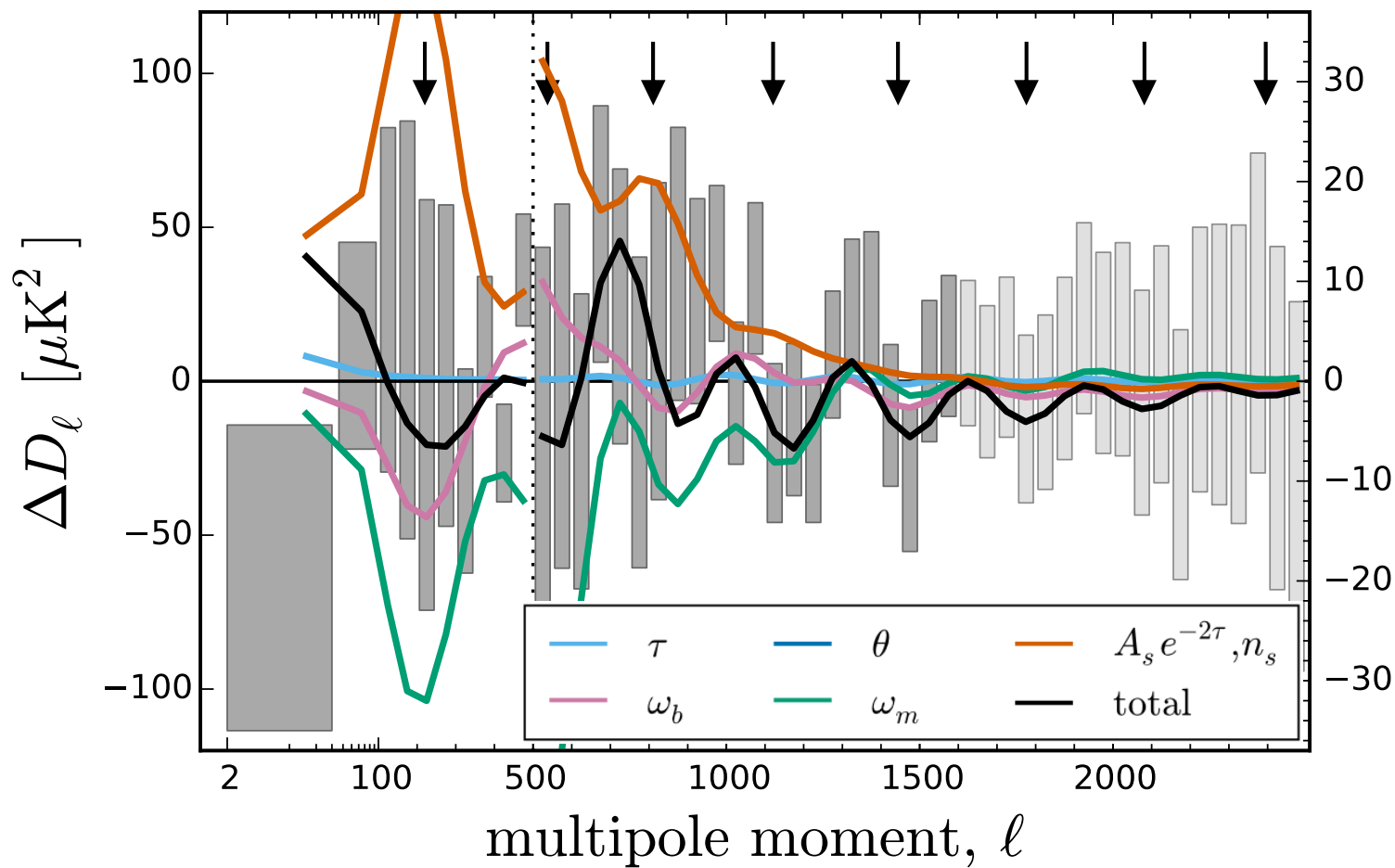


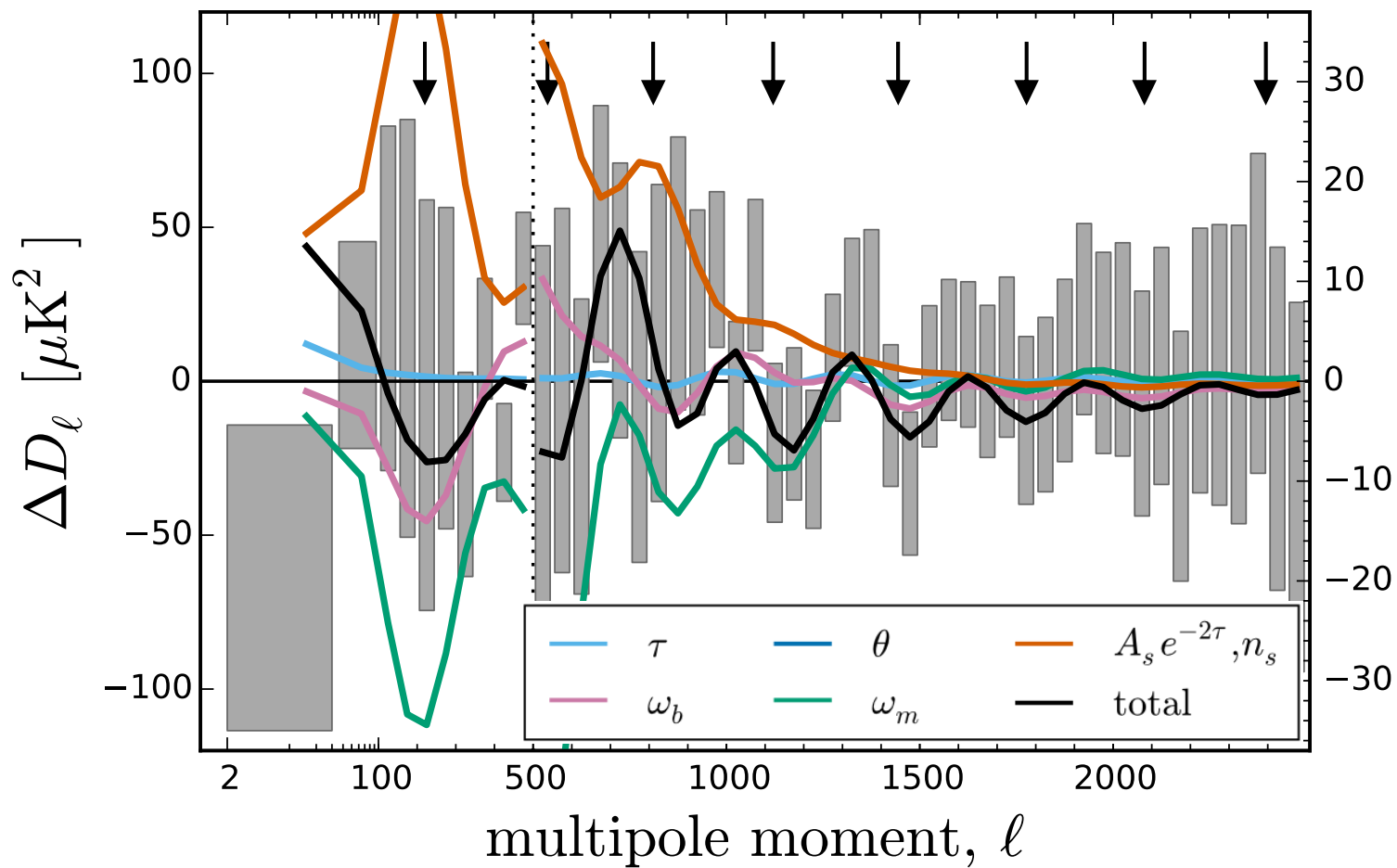


$$C_\ell = C_\ell^{\text{fid}} + \frac{dC_\ell}{dp_1} \Delta p_1 + \frac{dC_\ell}{dp_2} \Delta p_2 + \dots$$

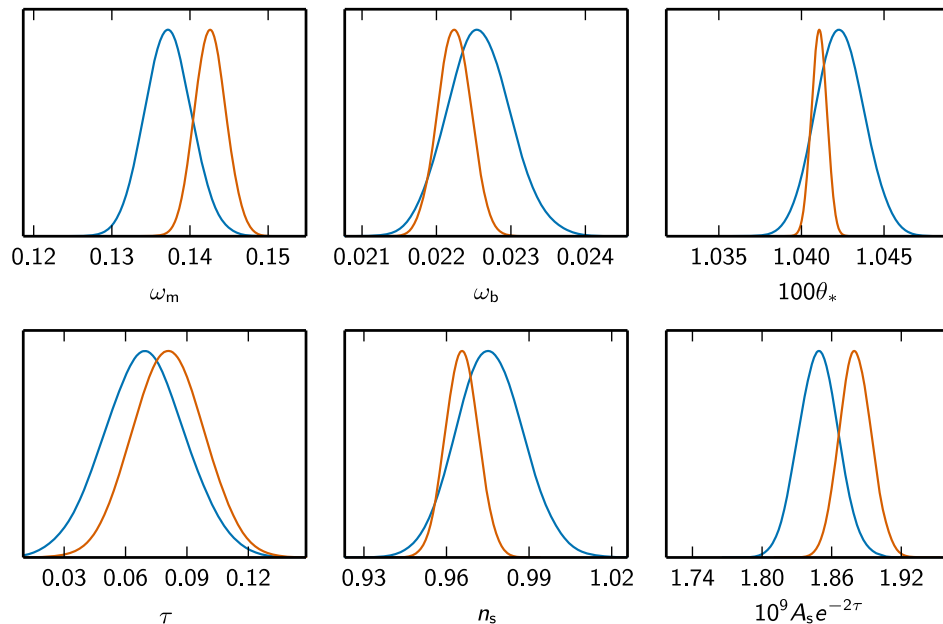






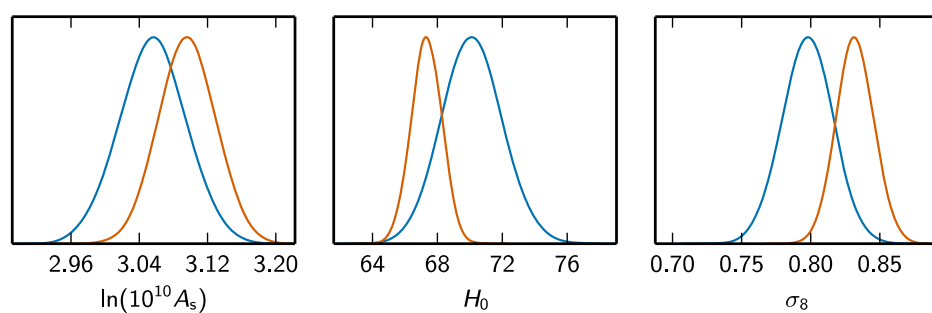


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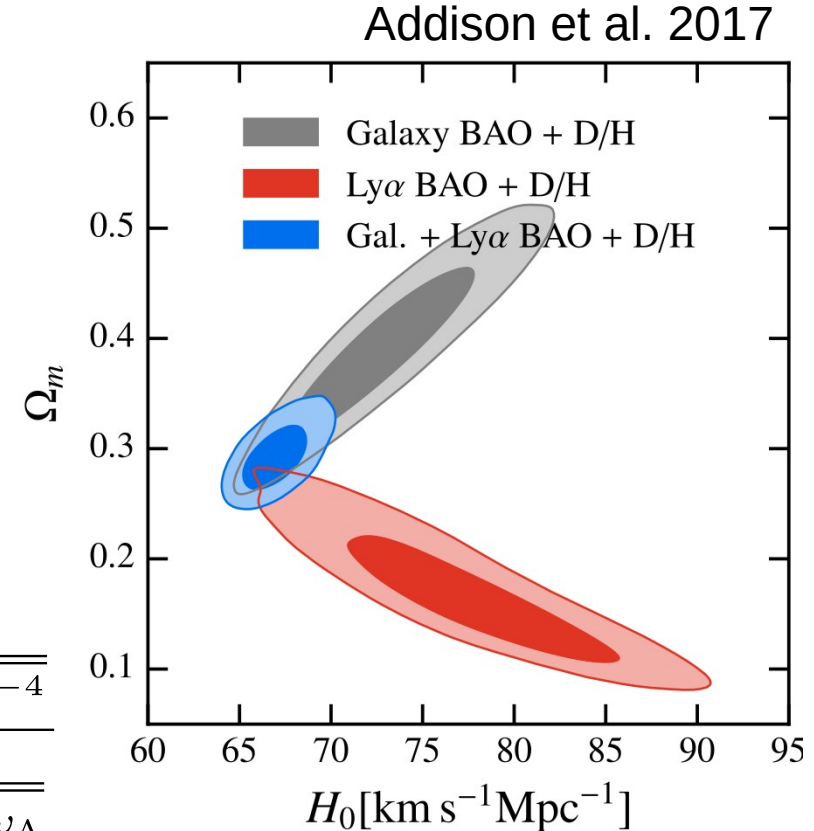
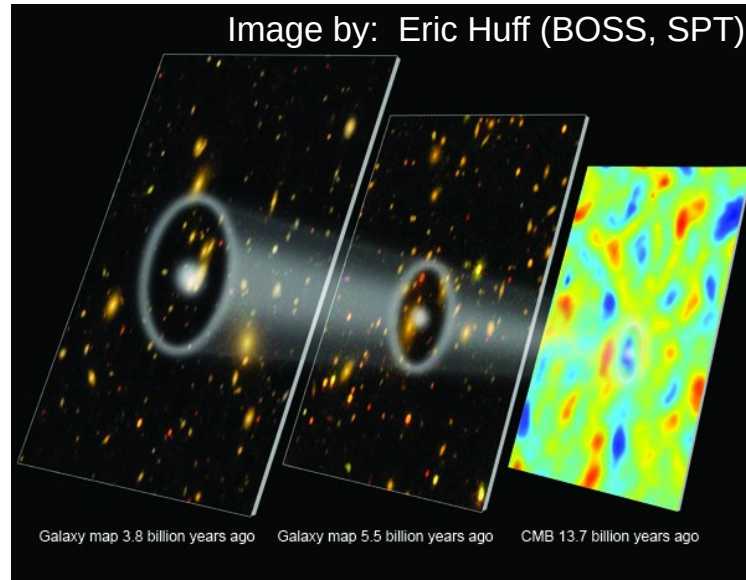
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It's not just the CMB which prefers a low value of H_0



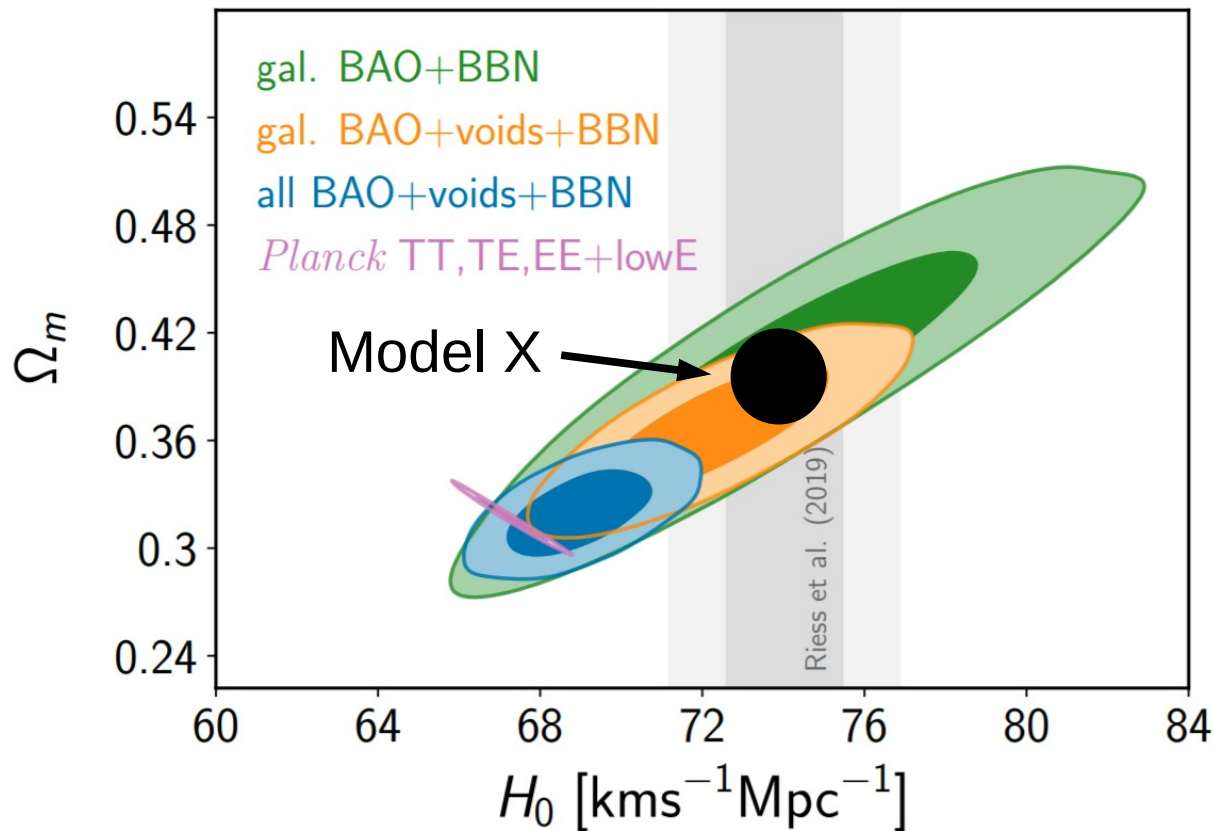
$$\theta_{\text{BAO}} = \frac{r_s}{D_A(a_{\text{BAO}})} \sim \frac{\int_{a^*}^1 da \frac{c_s(a; \omega_b)}{\sqrt{\omega_m a^{-3} + \omega_r a^{-4}}}}{\int_{a_{\text{BAO}}}^1 da \frac{1}{\sqrt{\omega_m a^{-3} + \omega_\Lambda}}}$$

BAO at many redshifts and line-of-sight vs. perpendicular breaks degeneracies and constrains the matter density, and therefore H_0 (when combined with baryon density)

Cosmic voids x galaxies pull towards higher H_0

Goal: model X...

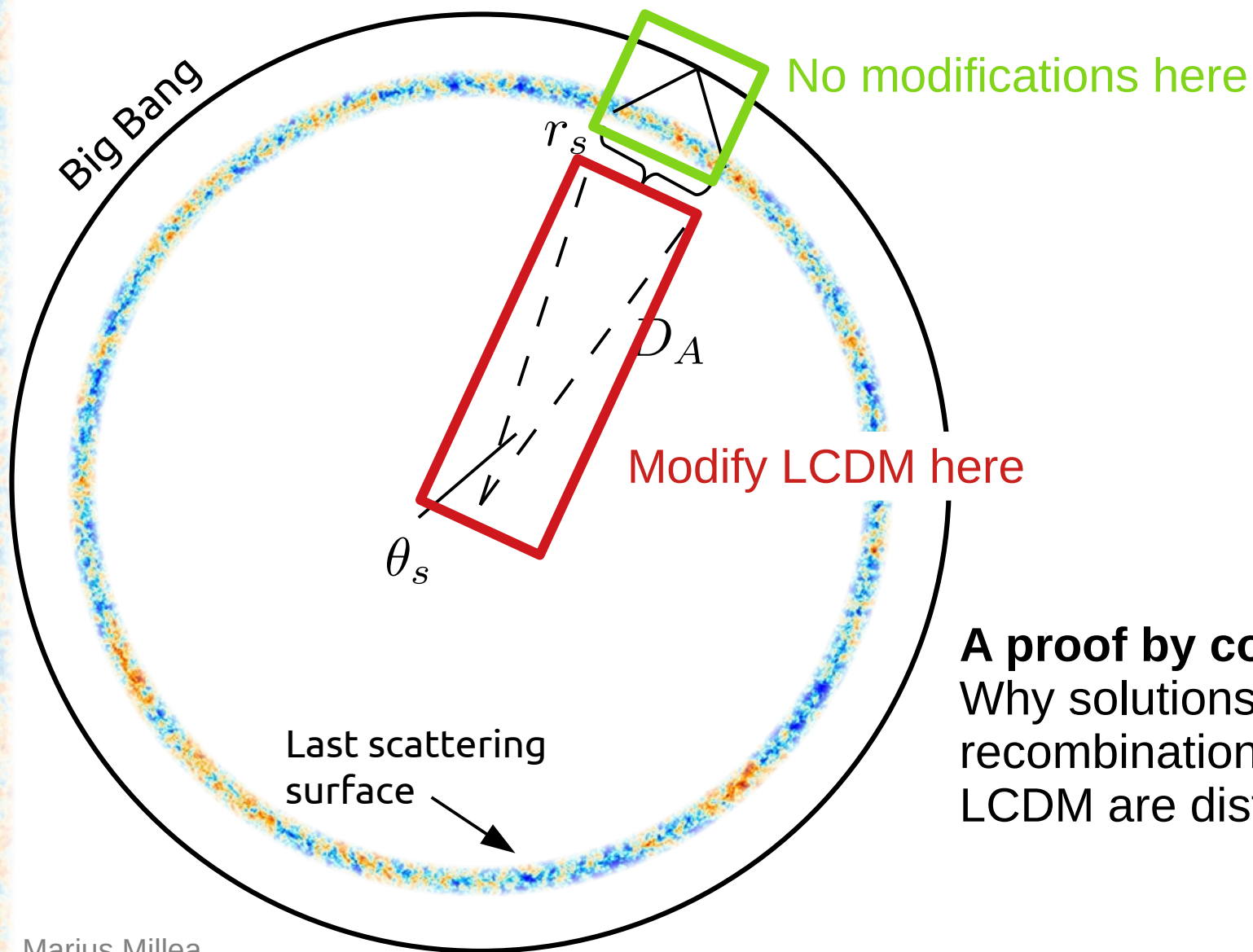
- Restores concordance
- Is compelling and beautiful
- Makes predictions...
- ...that are subsequently confirmed



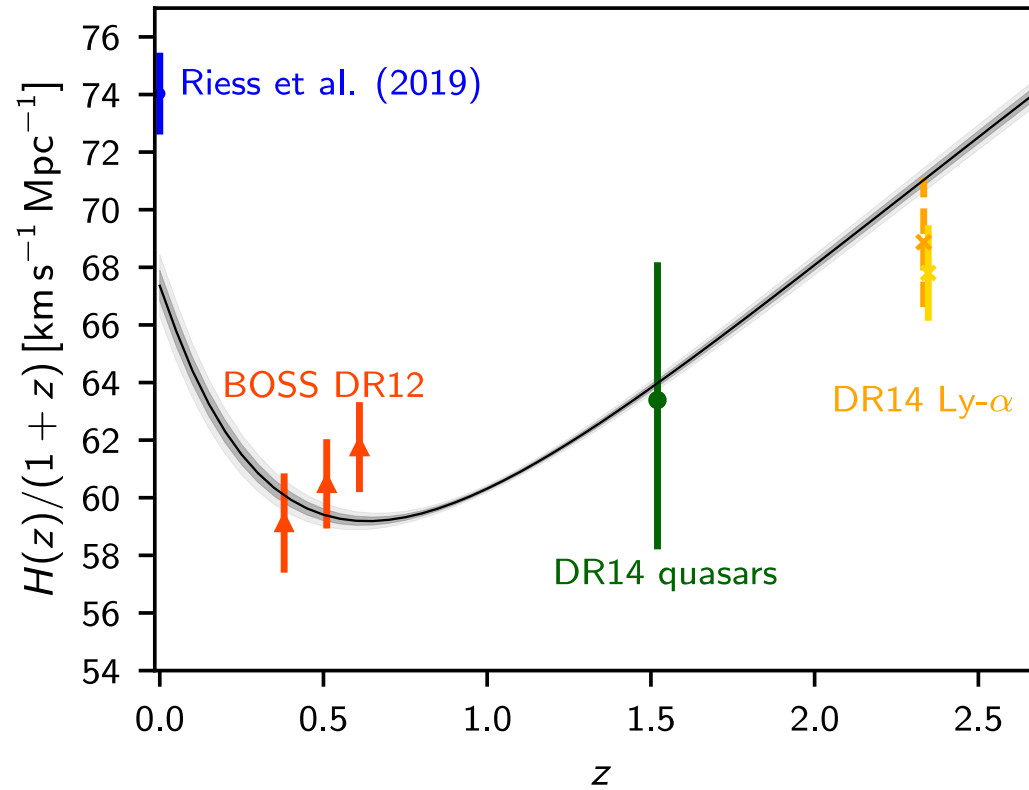
Nadathur et al. 2020



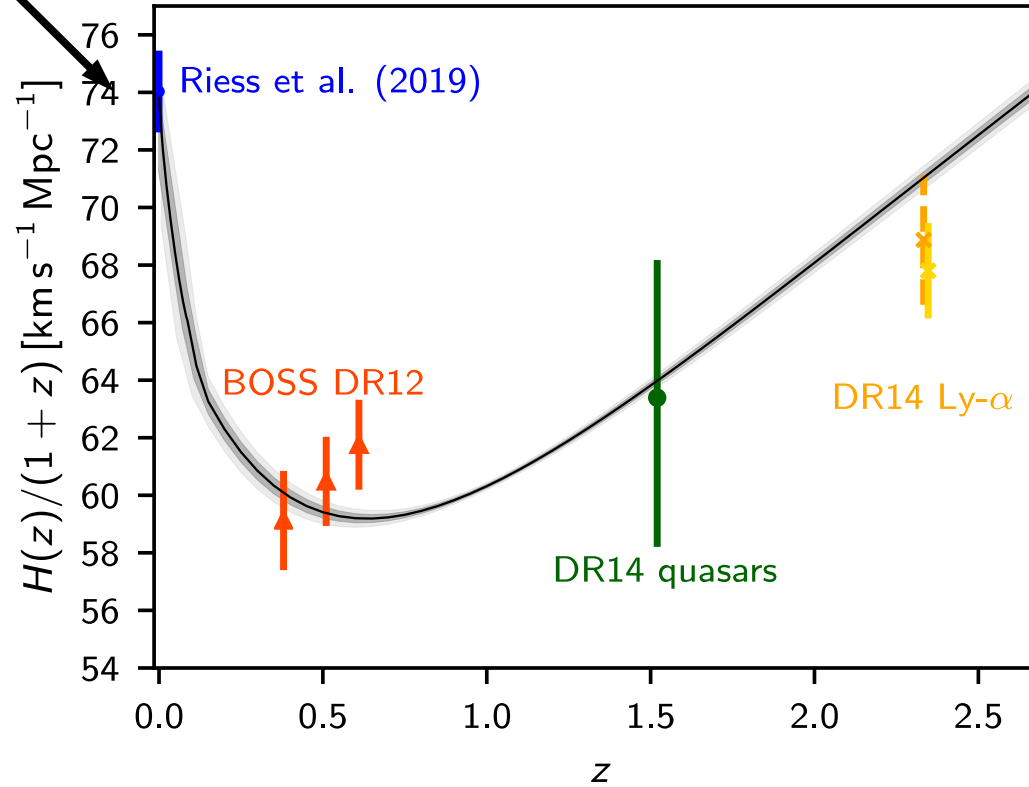
What can model X look like?

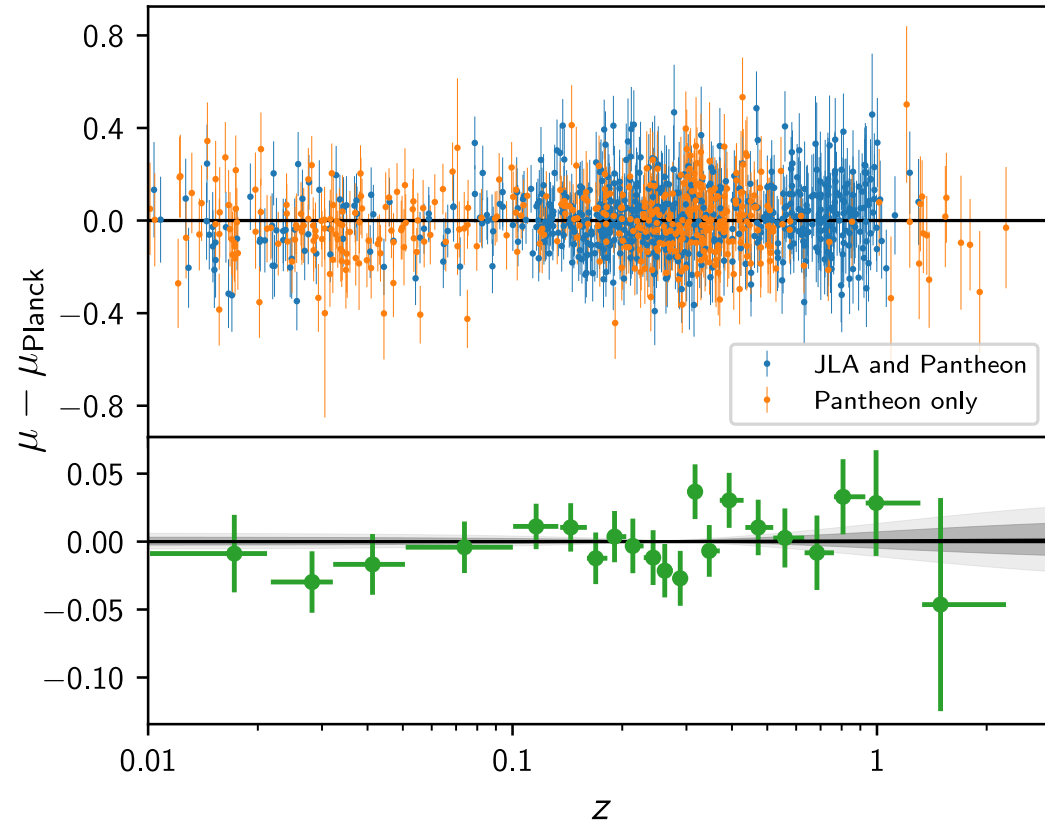
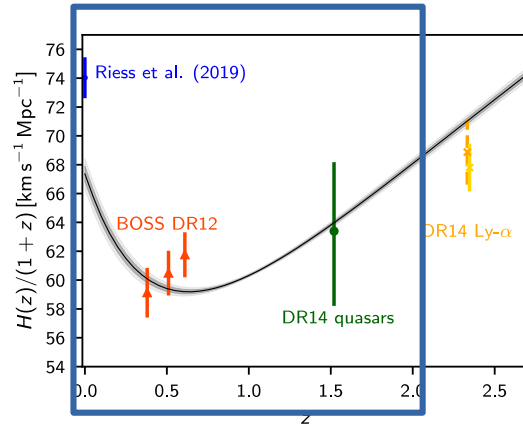


A proof by contradiction:
Why solutions with only post-recombination modification to LCDM are disfavored

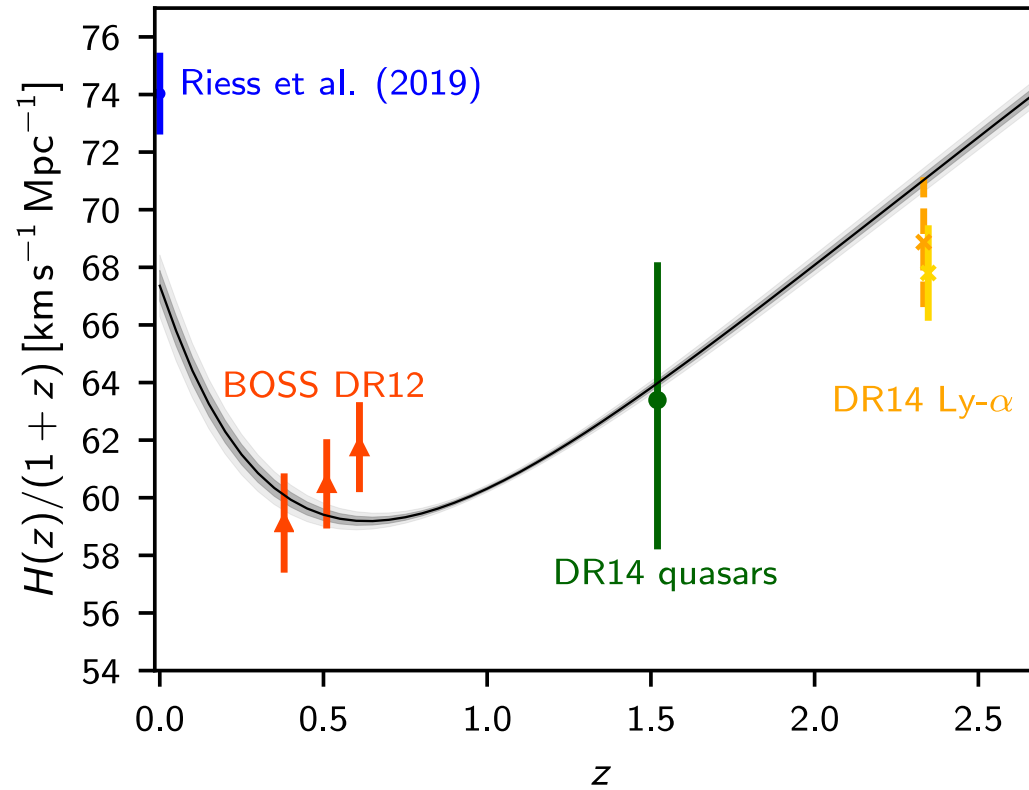


Why doesn't this work?

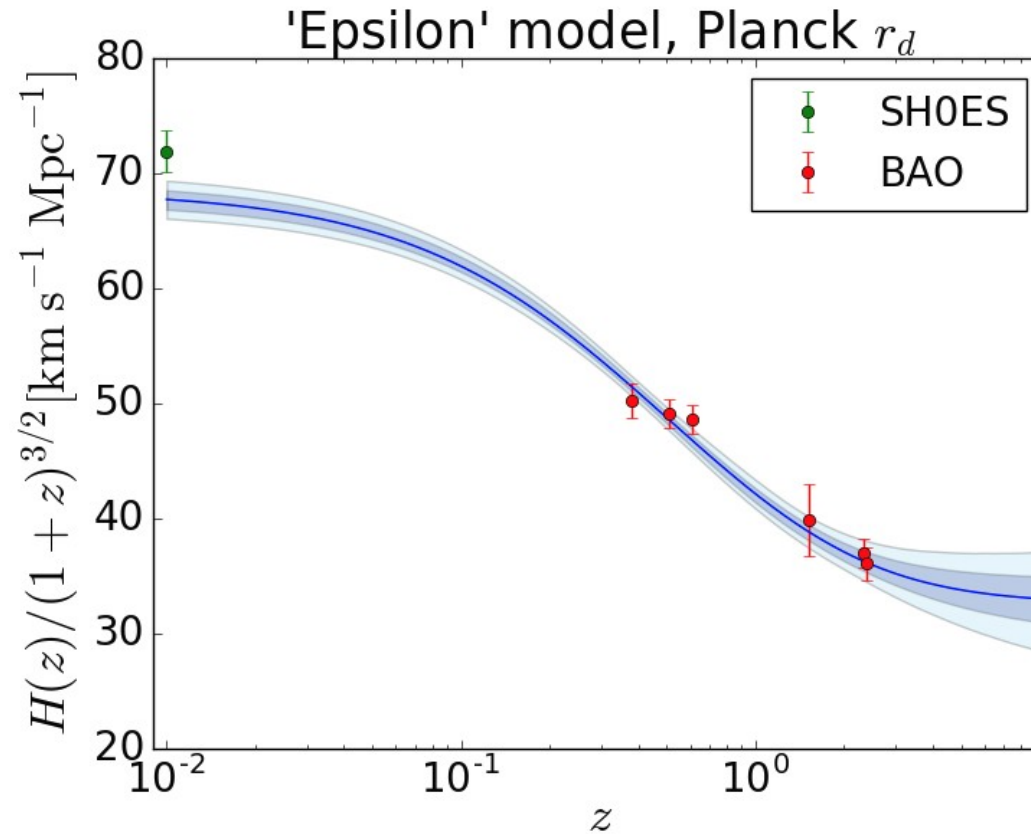




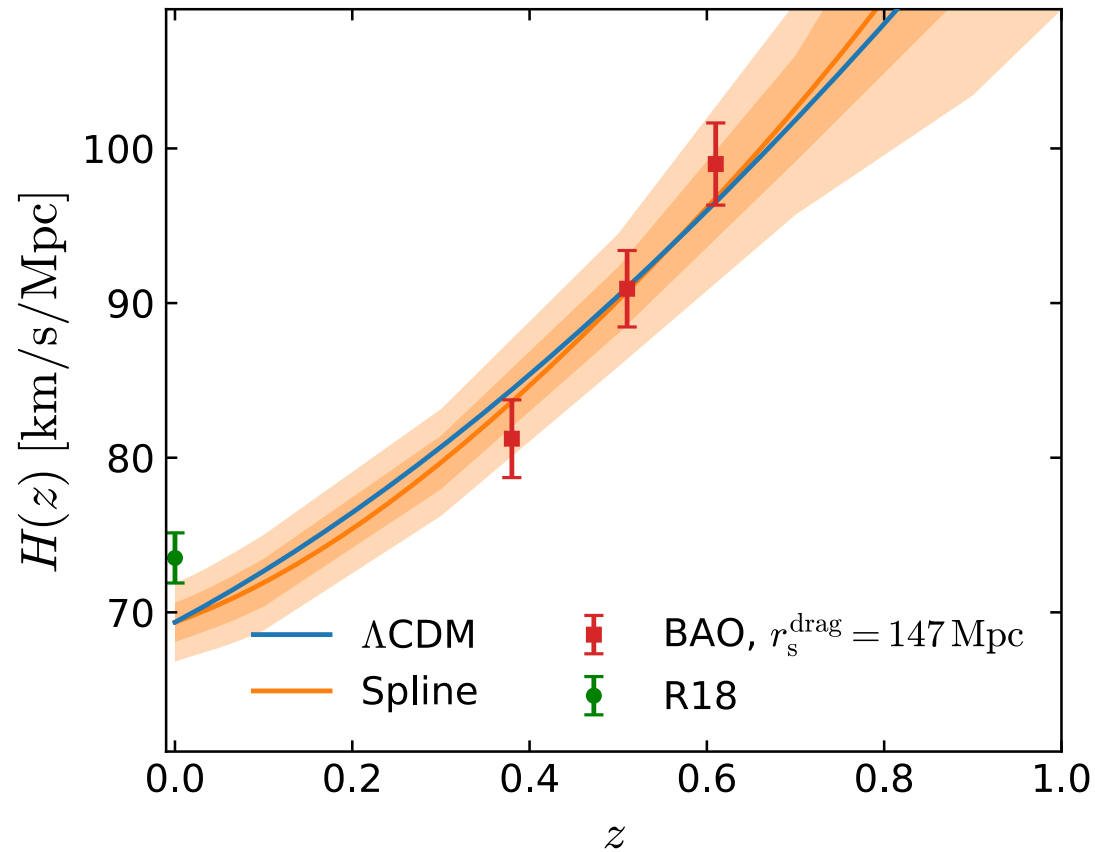
...because SNe don't allow a steep enough *slope*.



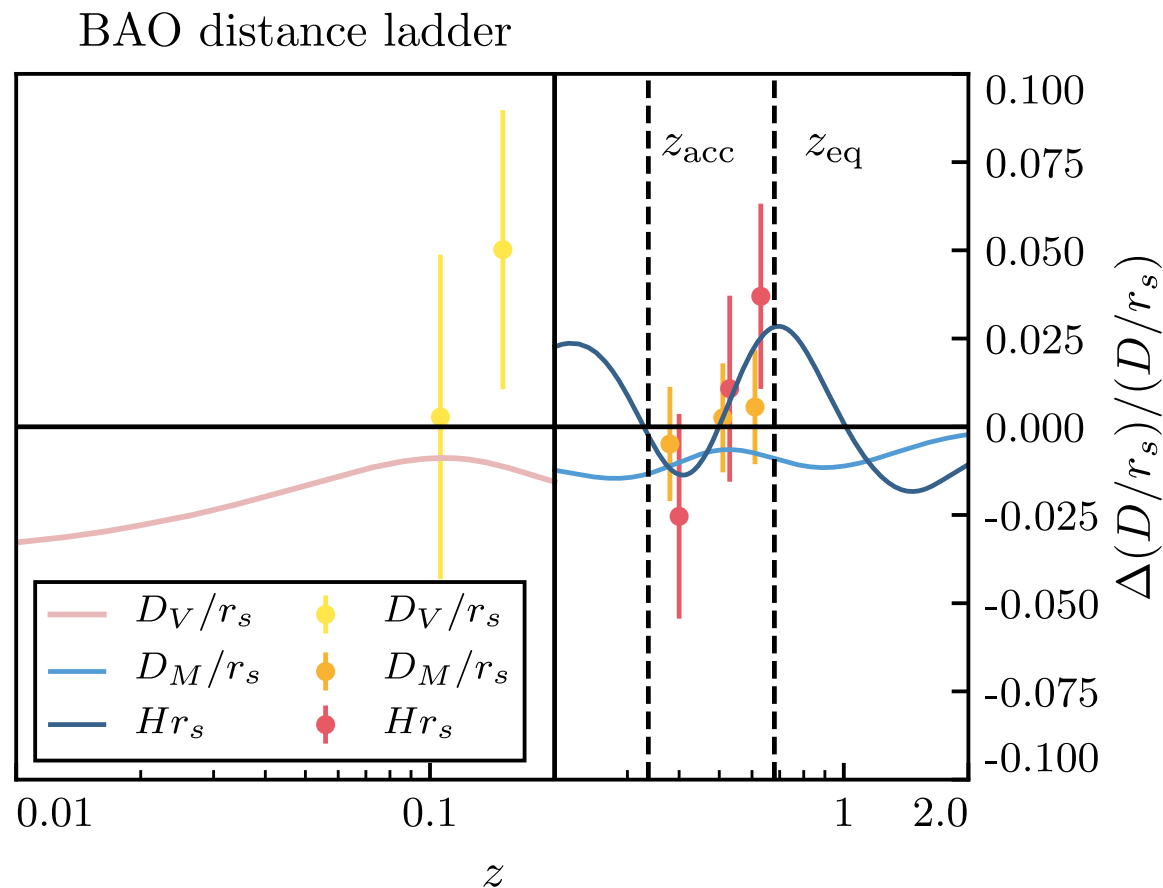
People have tried with fitting functions.



...or spline fits.

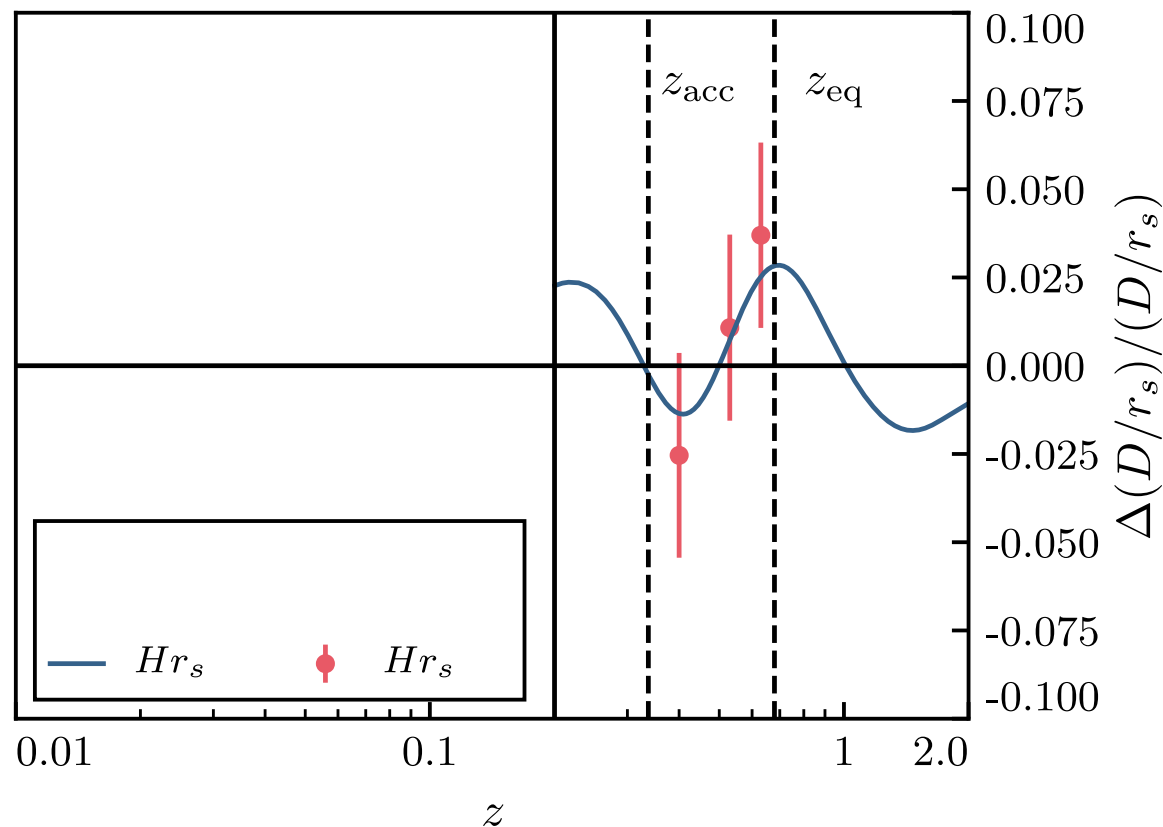


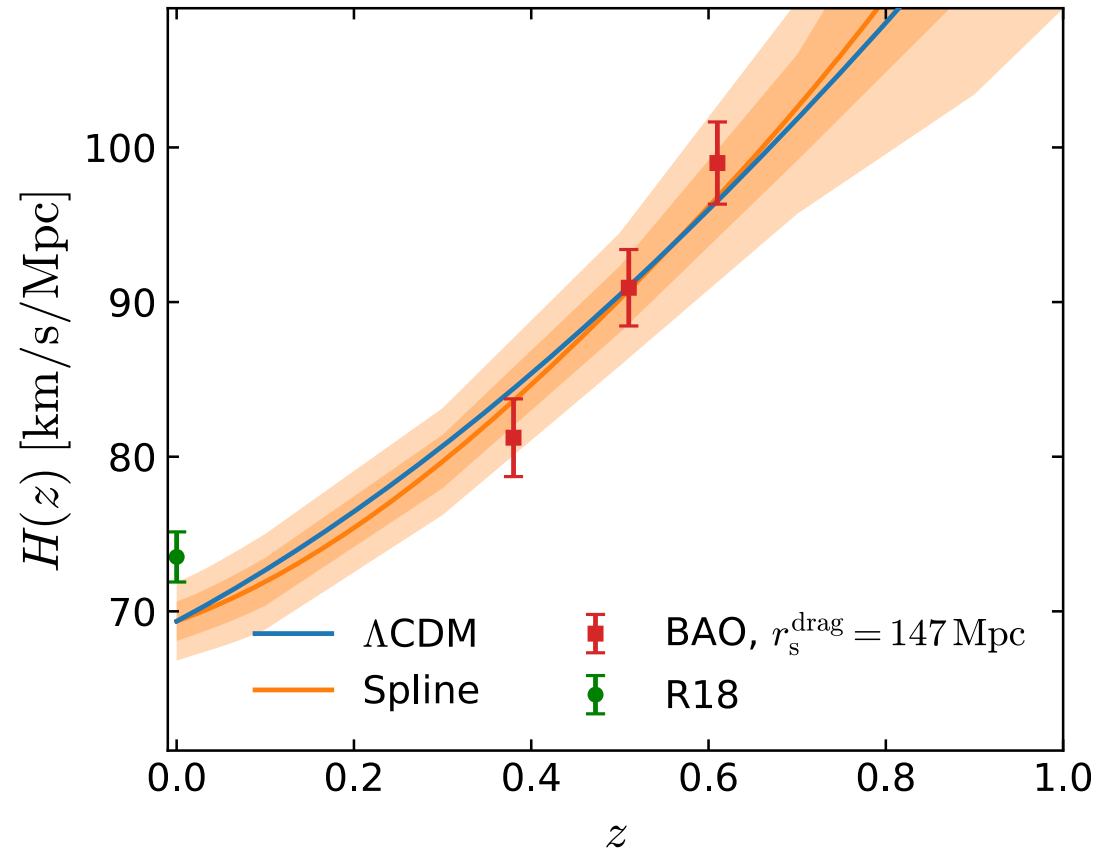
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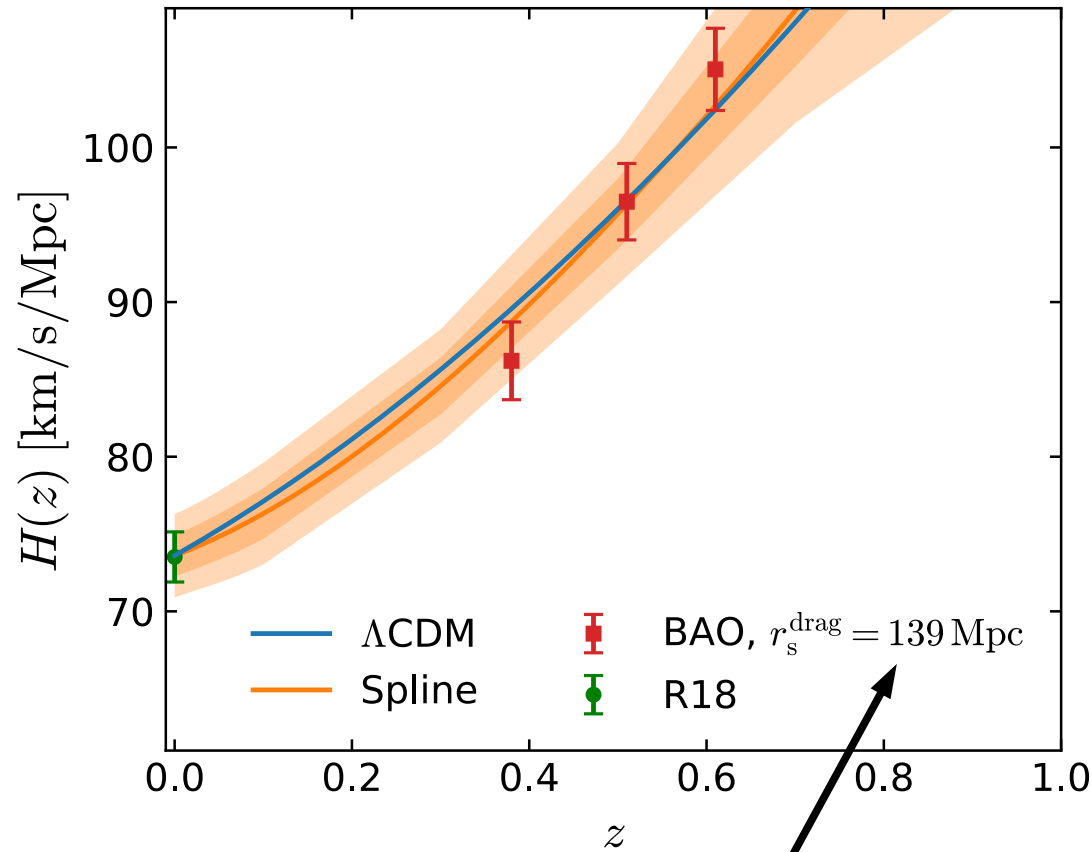


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BAO distance ladder







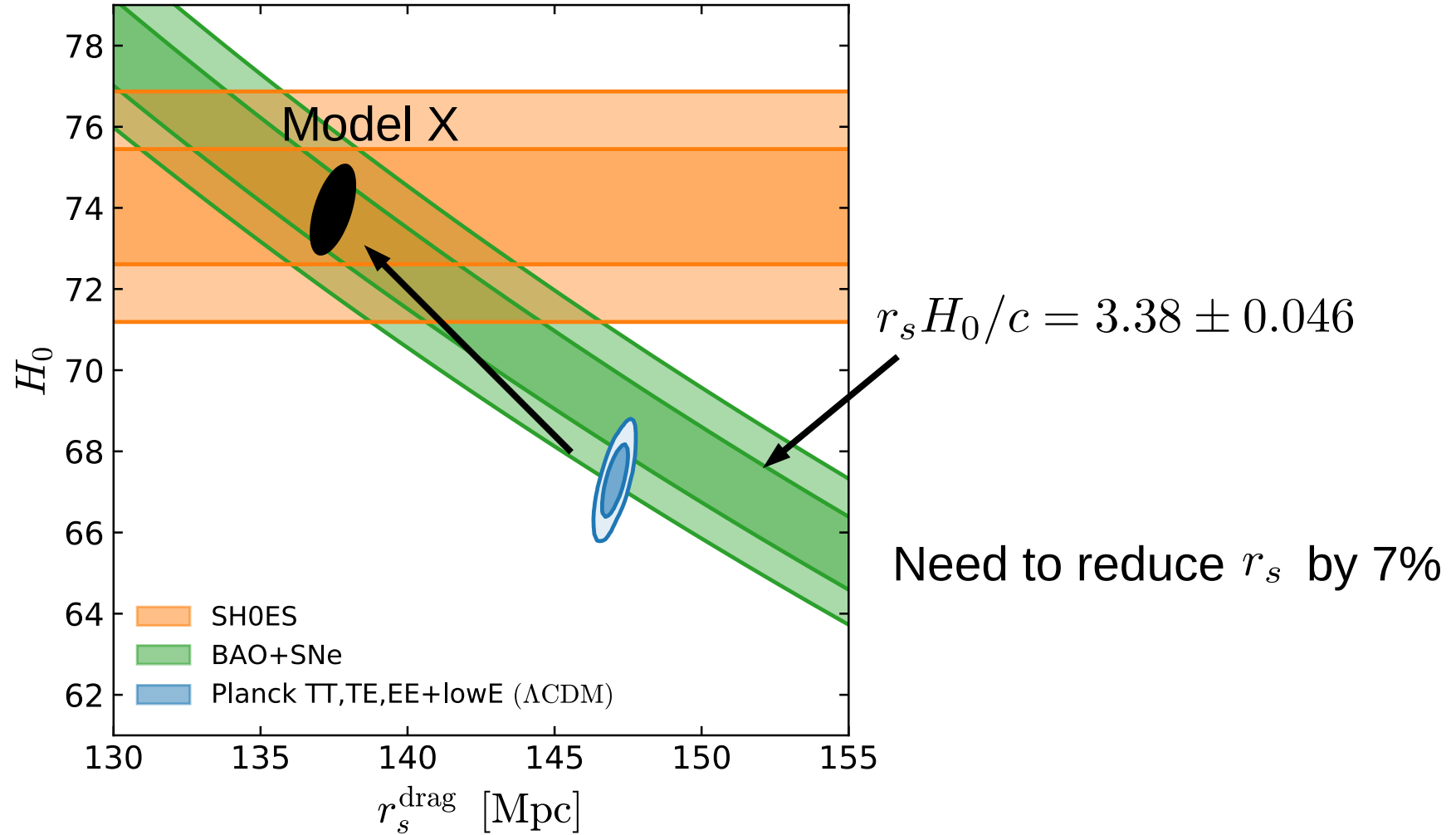
$$r_s = \int_z^{z+\Delta z} dz \frac{1}{H(z)}$$

$$\approx \frac{1}{H(z)} \Delta z$$

$$\Delta z_{\text{BAO}} = r_s H(z)$$

$$= r_s H_0$$

$$\times [H(z)/H_0]$$

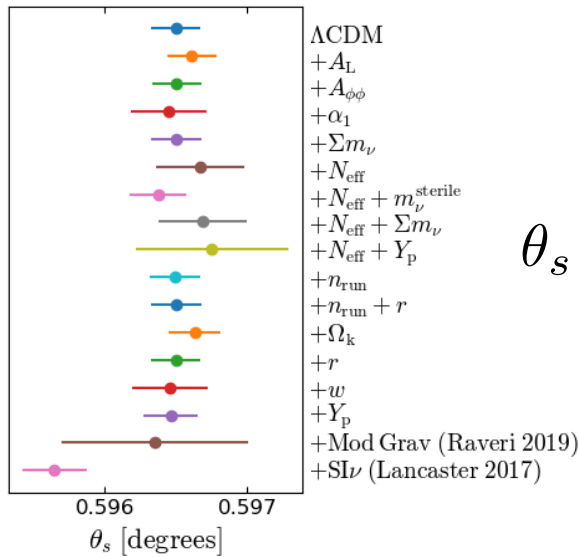


How do I reduce r_s by 7% in Λ CDM?

$$r_s = \int_{z^*}^{\infty} dz \frac{c_s(z)}{\sqrt{\omega_m(1+z)^3 + \omega_r(1+z)^4}}$$



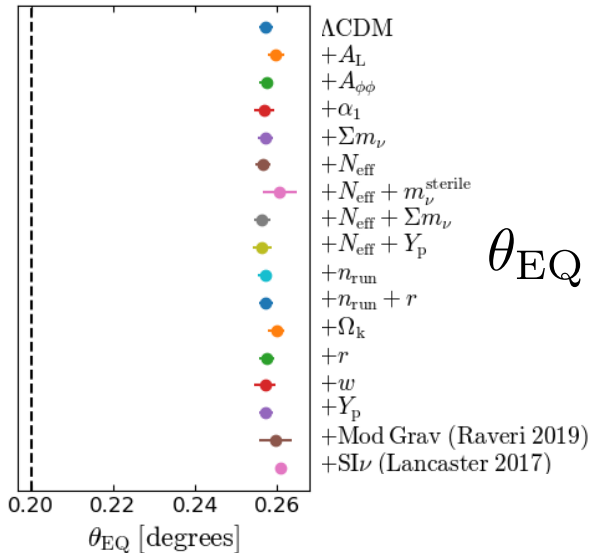
Increase ω_m by $\sim 30\%$.



This decreases by 7%.

$$\theta_s = \frac{r_s}{D_A} \quad r_s = \int_{z^*}^{\infty} dz \frac{c_s(z)}{\sqrt{\omega_m(1+z)^3 + \omega_r(1+z)^4}}$$

Have to decrease this by 7% too.



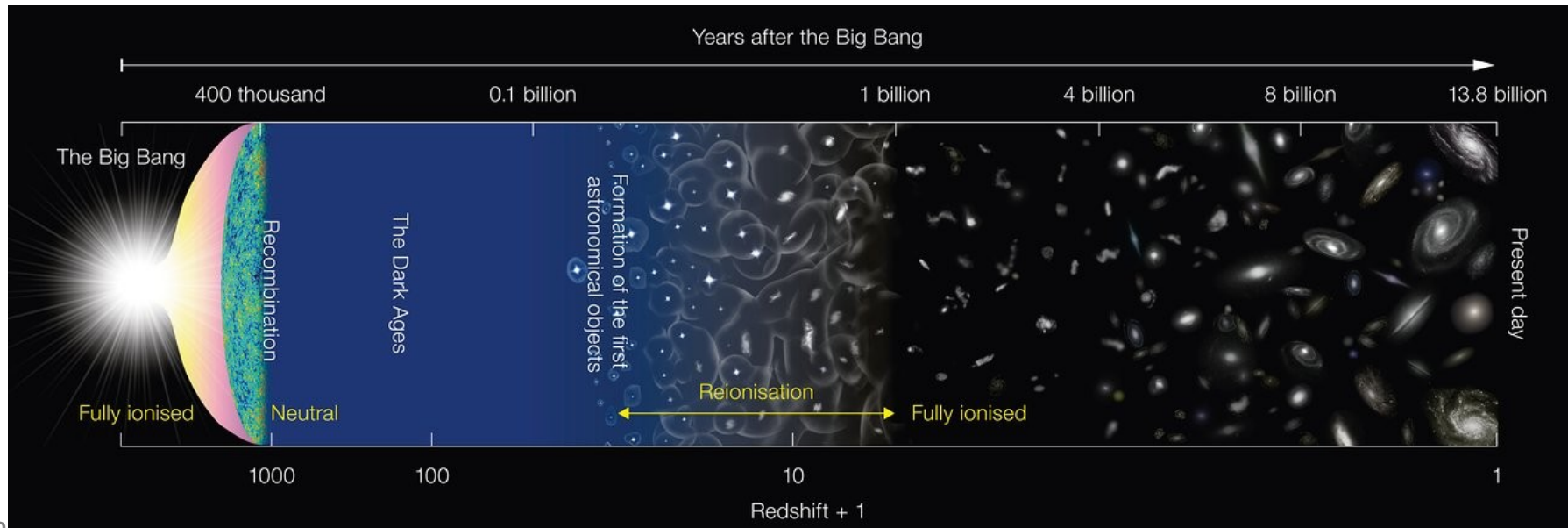
This decreases by ~30%.

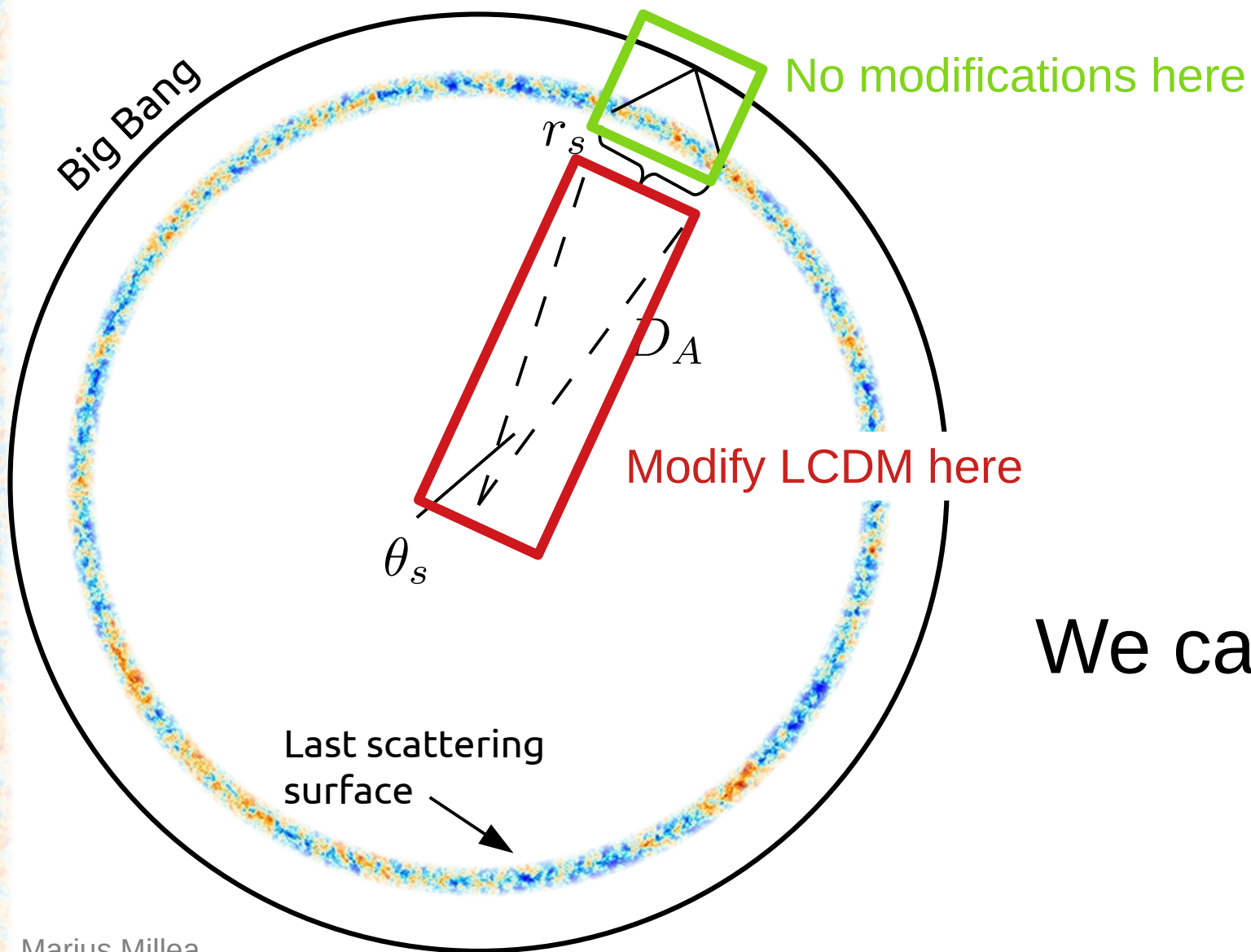
$$\theta_{\text{EQ}} = \frac{r_{\text{EQ}}}{D_A} \quad r_{\text{EQ}} = \int_{z^{\text{EQ}}}^{\infty} dz \frac{c_s(z)}{\sqrt{\omega_m(1+z)^3 + \omega_r(1+z)^4}}$$

This decreases by 7%.

What might confuse the CMB determination of θ_s^{EQ} ?

- Early/late-time ISW?
 - We can use only TE/EE which don't have ISW
- Reionization?
 - Would need even lower optical depth
- Lensing?
 - Reconstruction is very consistent with $A_\phi = 1$

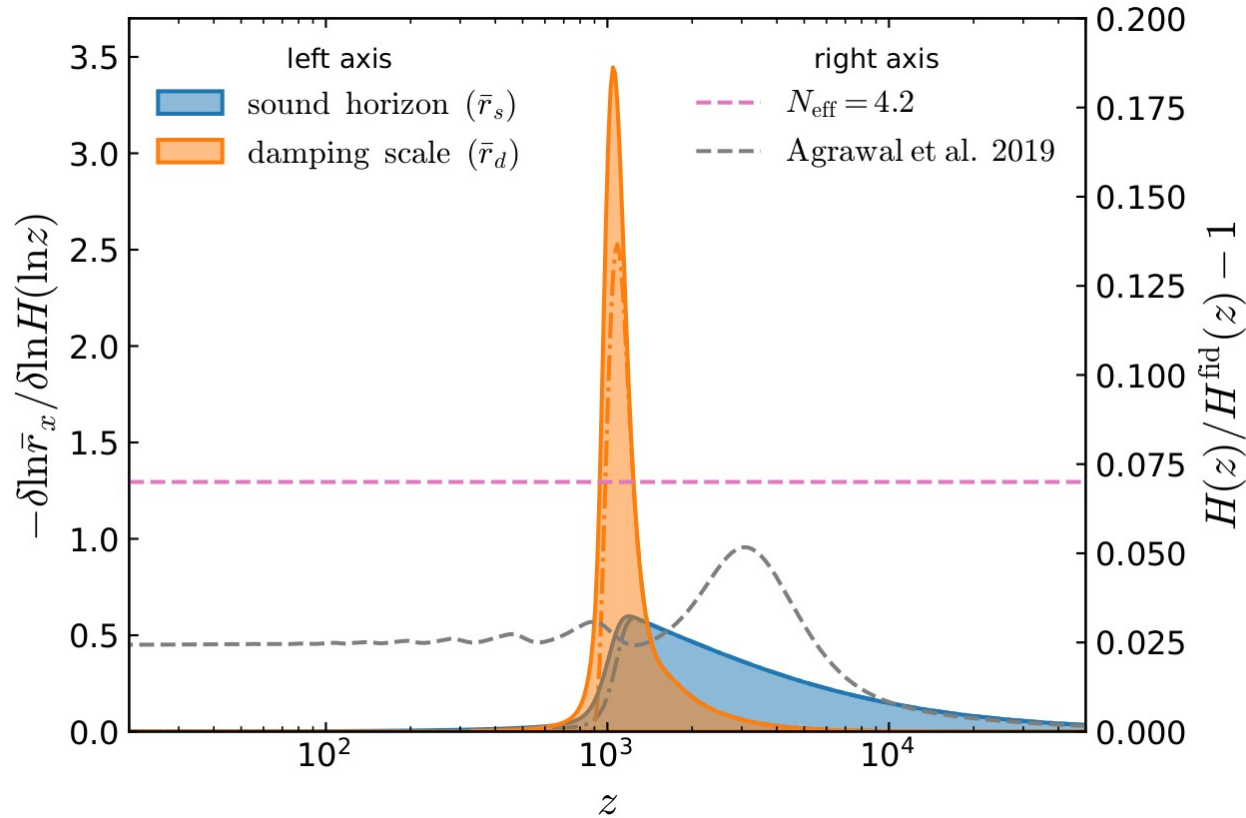




We can't do it!

- The Hubble tension \leftrightarrow the r_s tension
- Model independent low- z probes say r_s is 139
 \Rightarrow we have to lower the CMB value
- If Λ CDM in the early universe, must increase ω_m ,
but there's no way confuse the CMB enough to
allow that

Lowering r_s requires a careful adjustment of the expansion rate right near recombination:



E.g. self-interacting neutrinos, early dark energy, etc...
(Agrawal/Kreisch/Poulin/Smith et al... 2019, Lancaster et al. 2017,...)

Conclusion

- Models which resolve the tension should consider the CMB, BAO, SNe, local measurements, and look at both H_0 and r_s .
- The least disfavored solutions lower r_s by changing early universe physics
- More relevant data coming soon
 - eBOSS results
 - ACT CMB results, SPT-3G
 - Stage-4 CMB and galaxy surveys