

Cosmology with double-source-plane lenses

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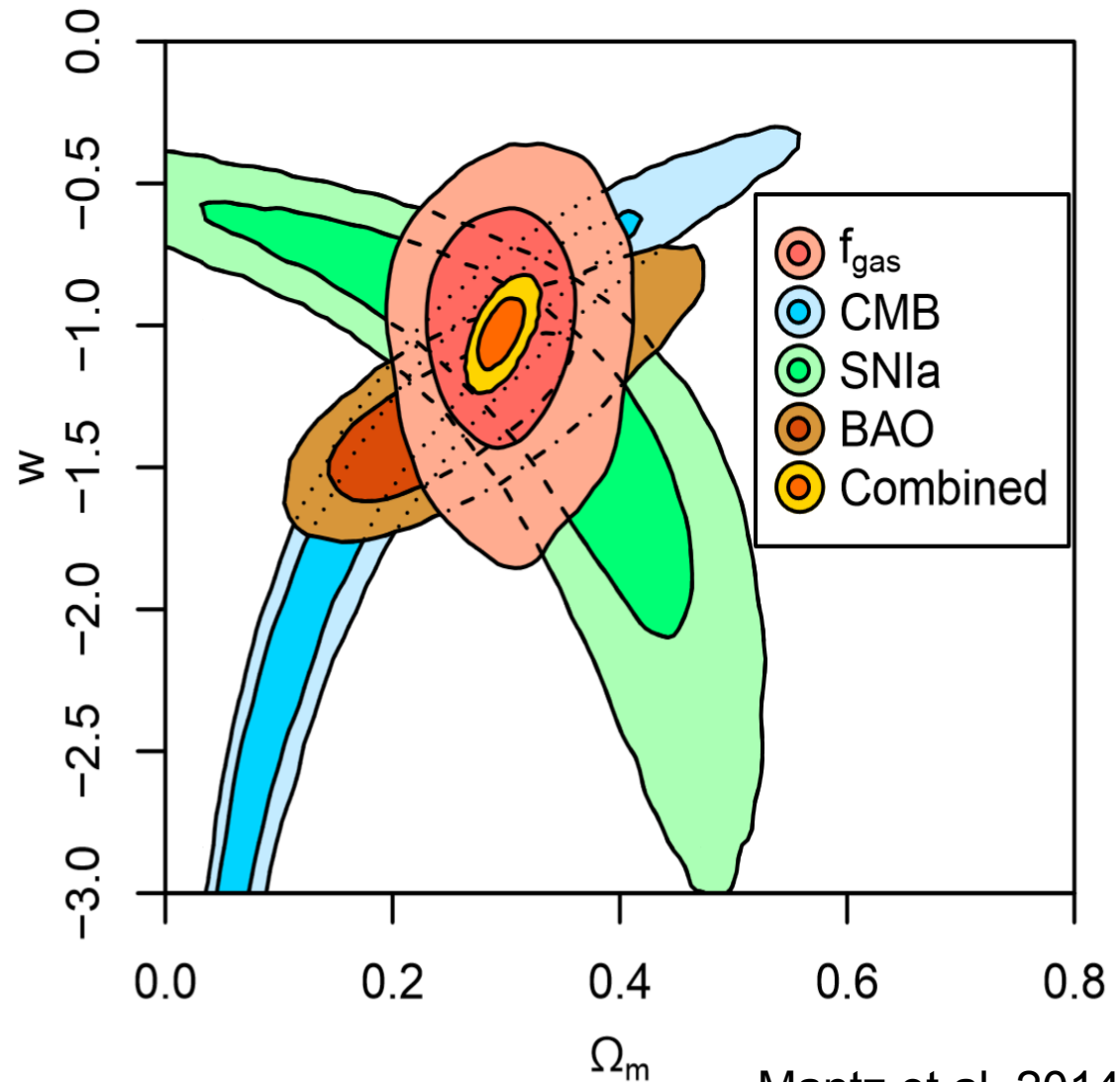
T. E. Collett & M. W. Auger (2014).
Cosmological constraints from the double source
plane lens SDSSJ0946+1006. *arXiv:1403.5278*



Few Probes of Dark Energy

Precise measurements

Systematics important



Mantz et al. 2014

$$\theta_E = \sqrt{\frac{GM(\theta_E)}{c^2} \frac{D_{ls}}{D_{ol}D_{os}}}$$

Uncertainty in the mass model makes cosmography hard

$$D_{ij} = \frac{c/H_0}{(1+z_j)} \int_{z_i}^{z_j} \frac{dz}{\Omega_M(1+z)^3 + (1-\Omega_M)(1+z)^{3(1+w)}}$$

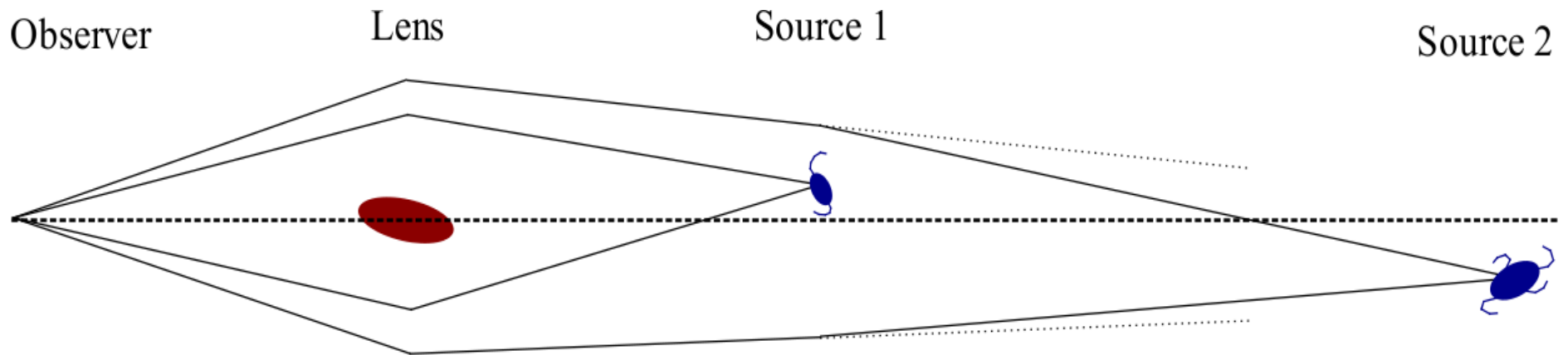
↑ Hubble constant
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Matter Density
+ can add a term for spatial curvature
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Dark Energy Equation of State

Double source plane strong lensing

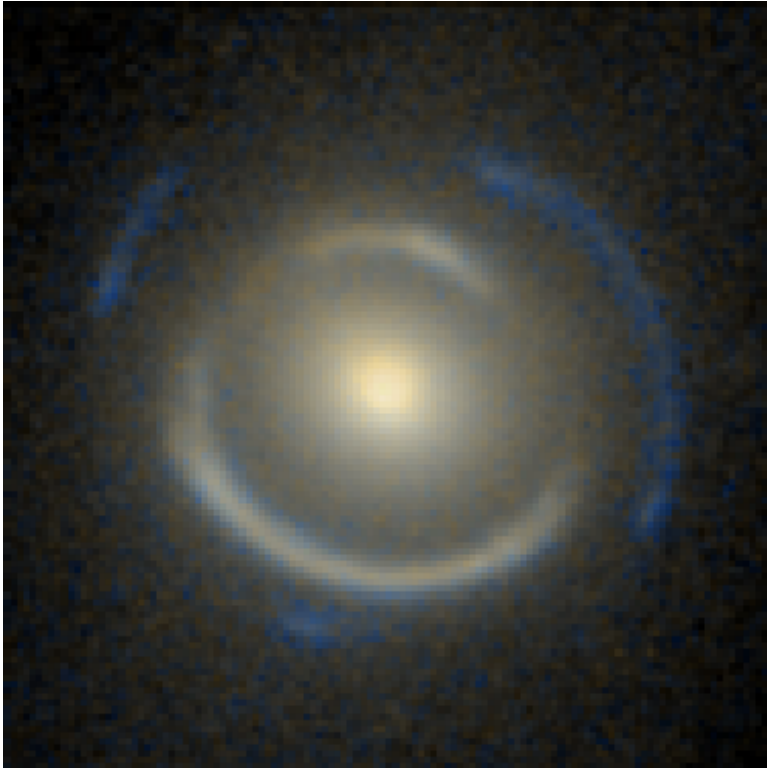
A gravitational lens system with two background sources, each at a different redshift.



RARE

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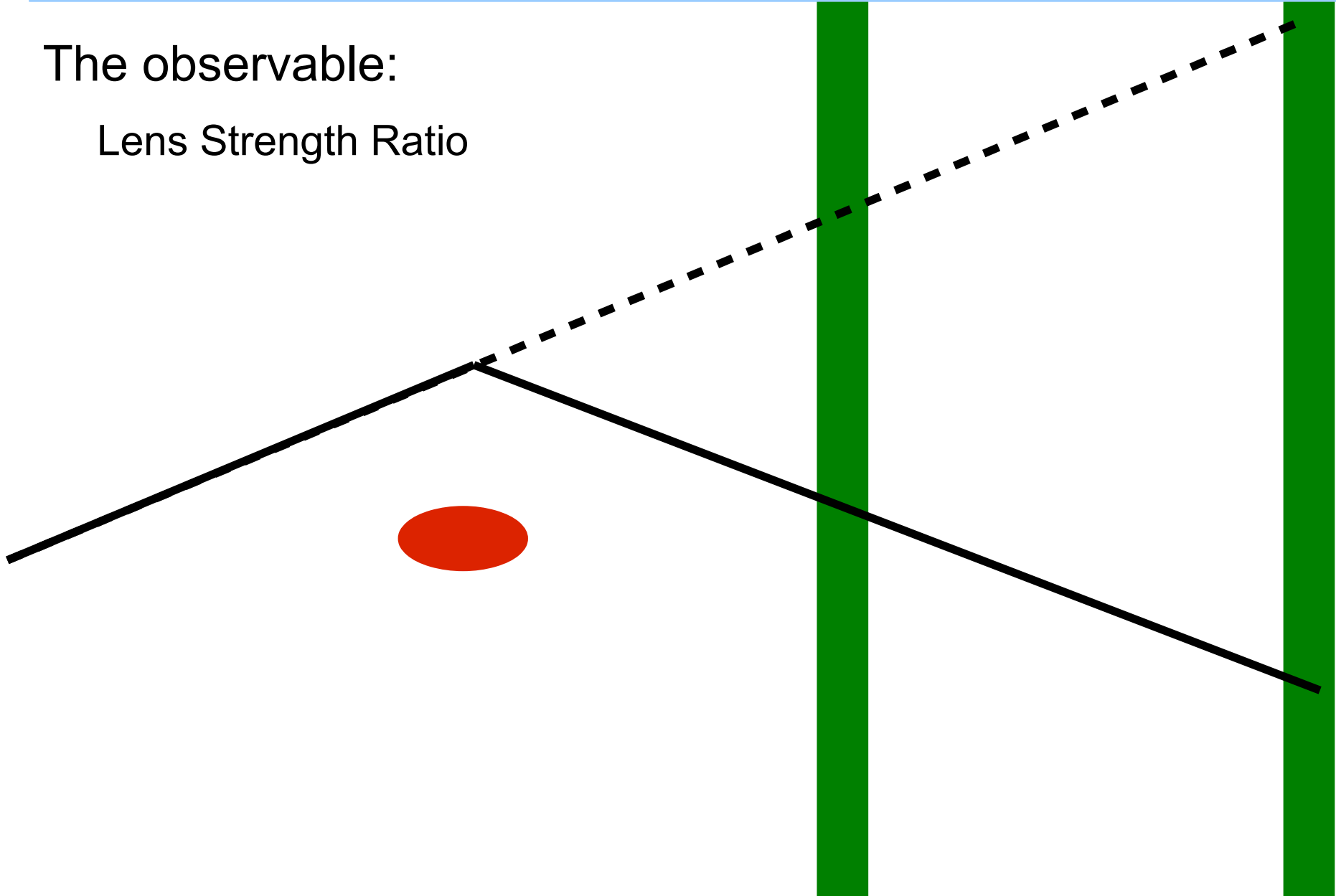
Lens Strength Ratio



Approximately the ratio of
Einstein radii

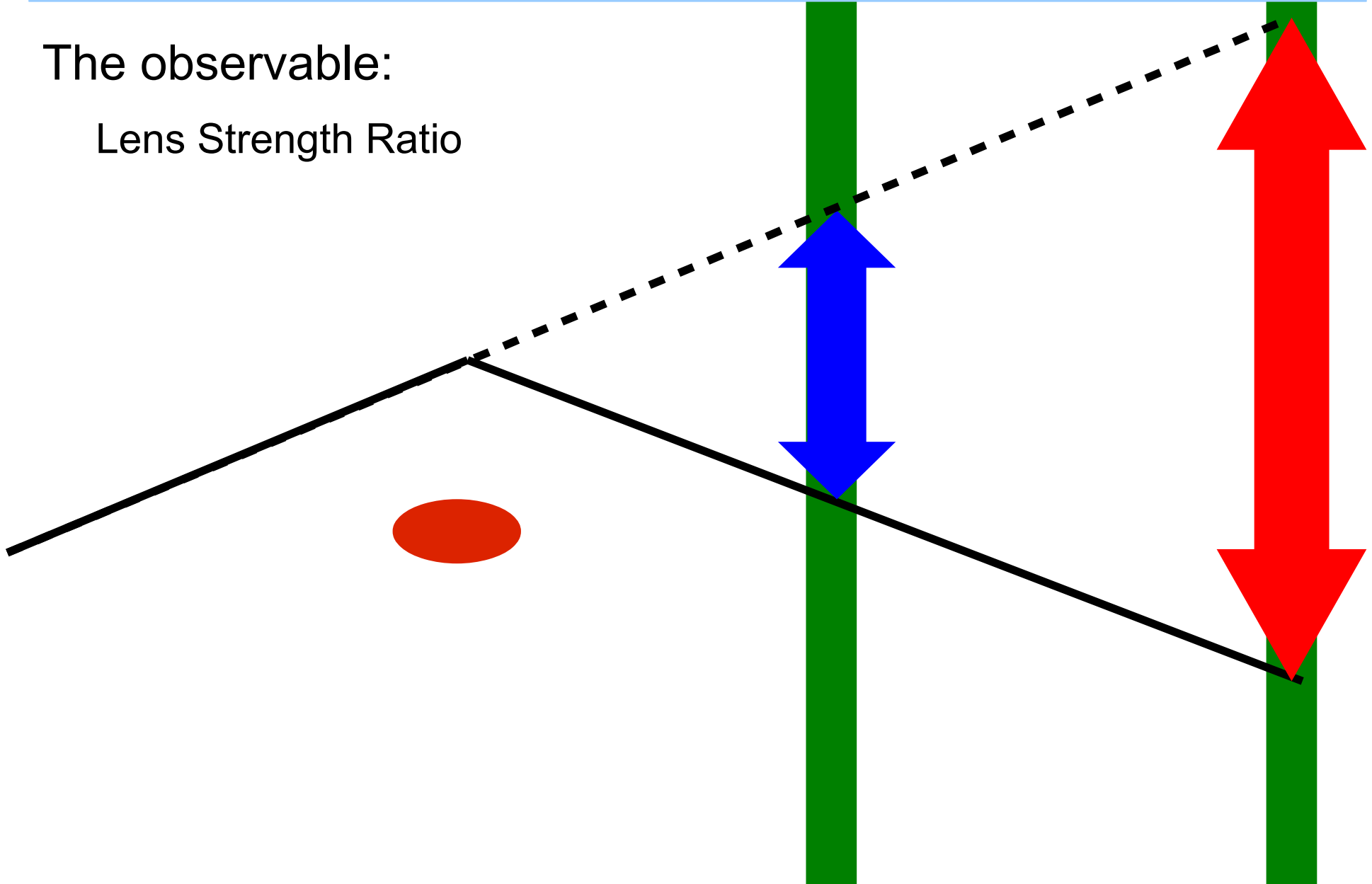
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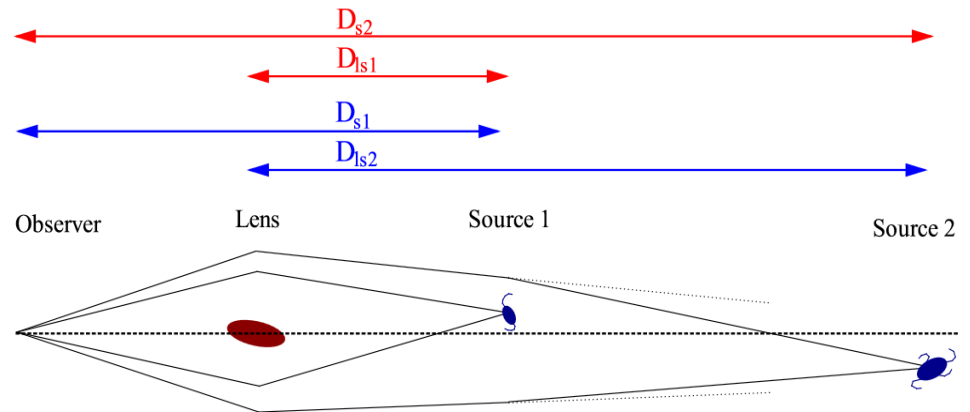
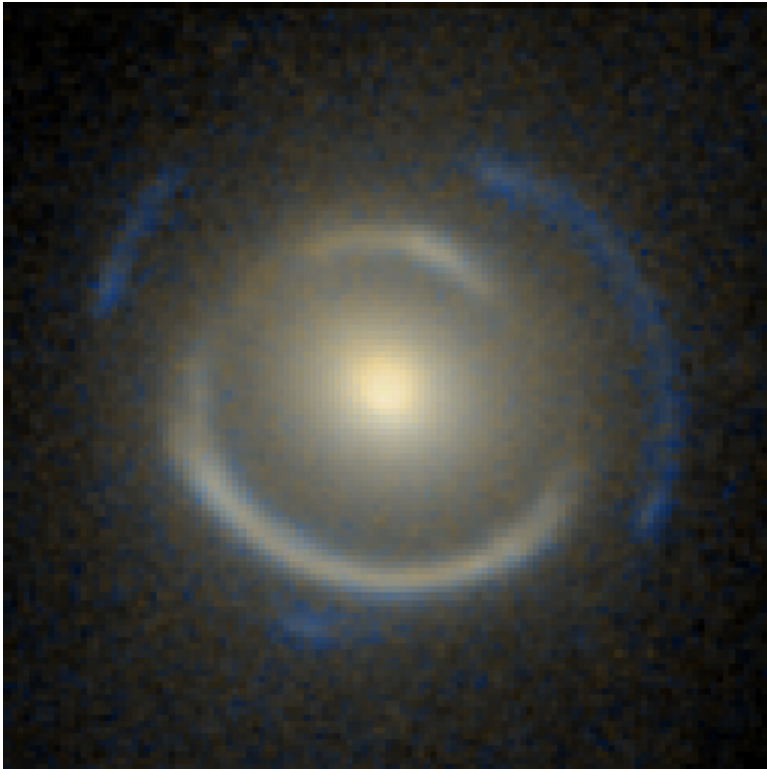
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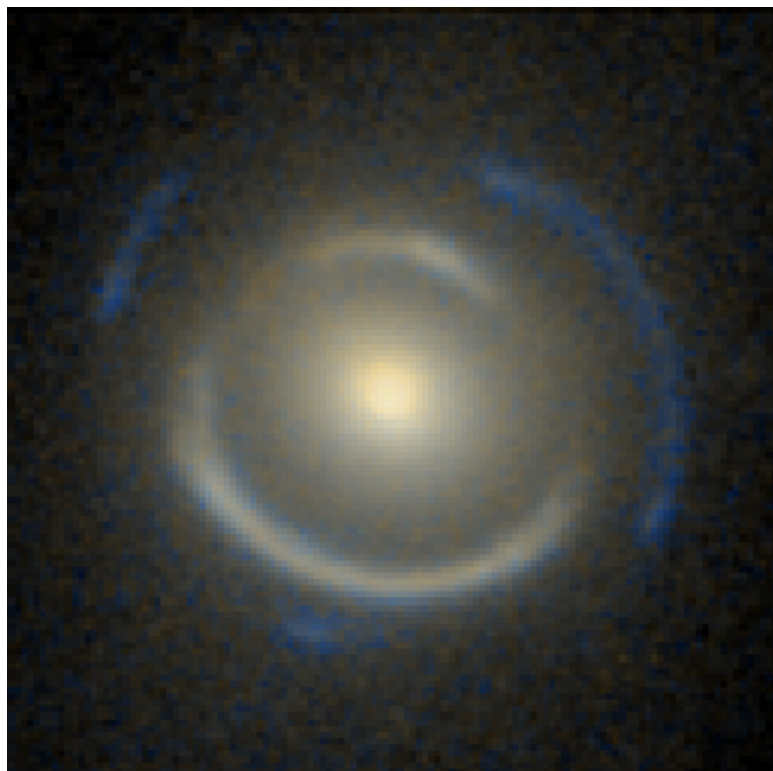
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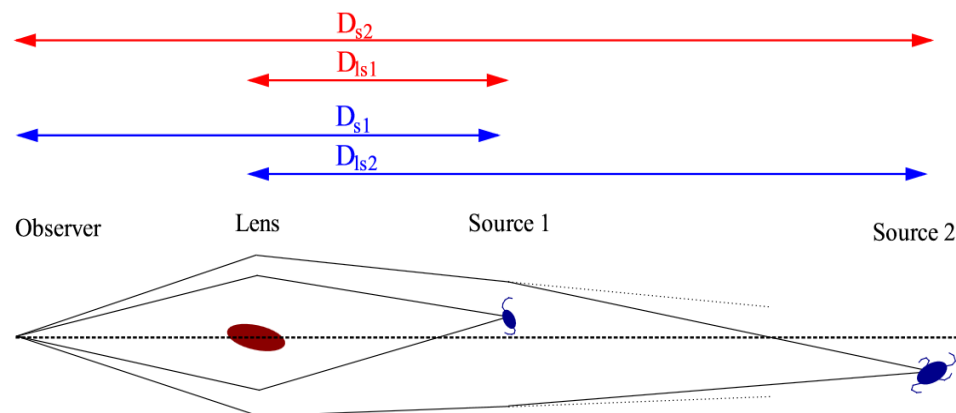
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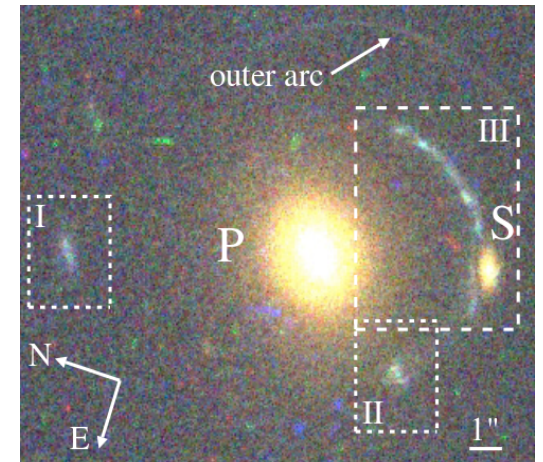
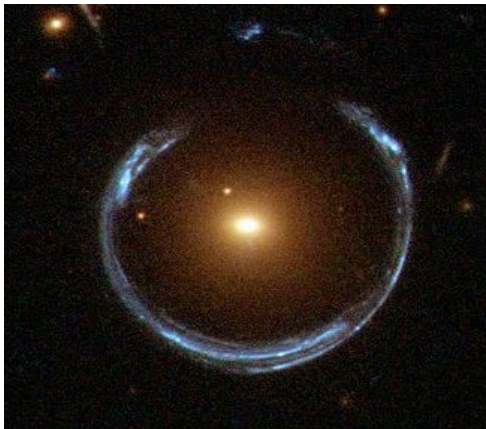
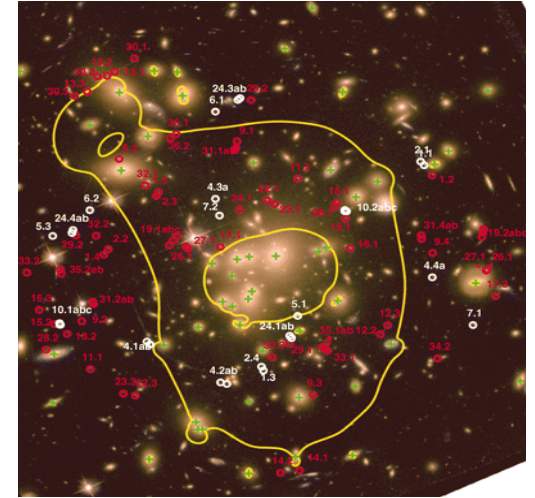
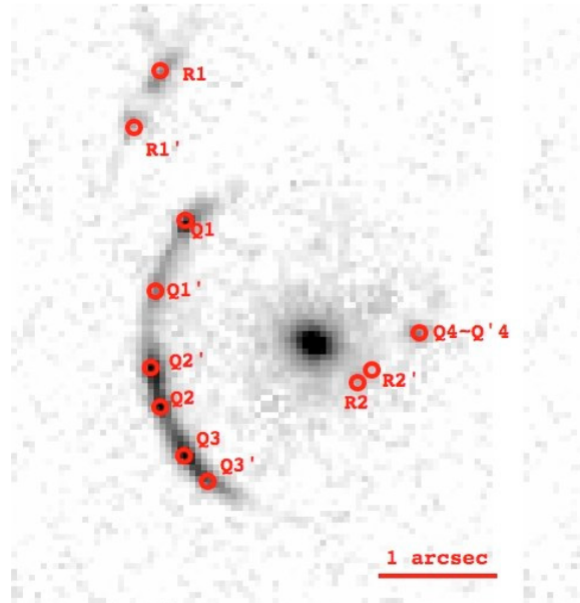
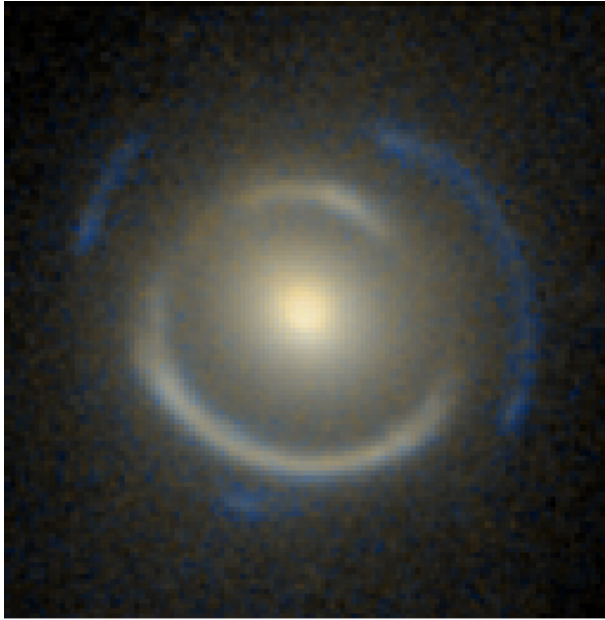


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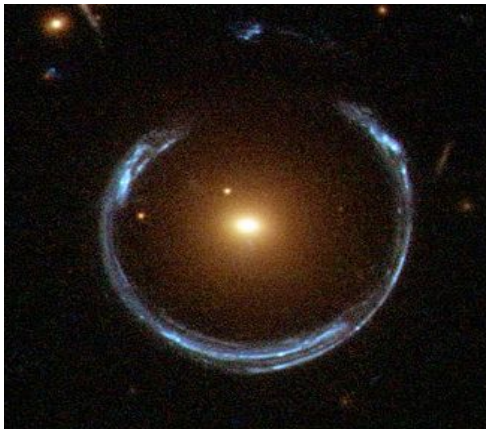
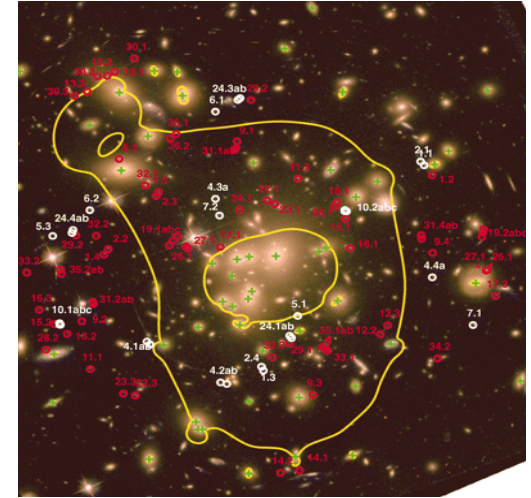
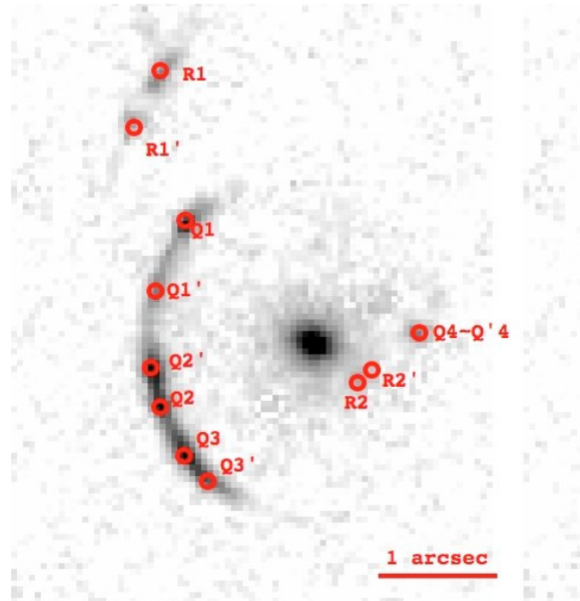
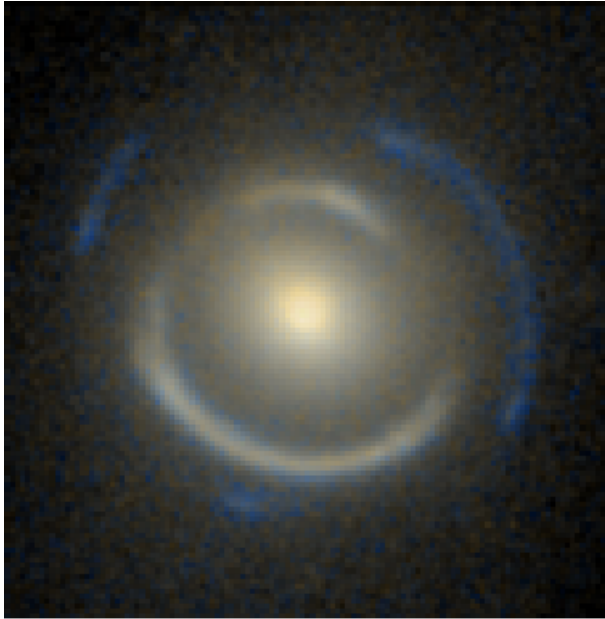
No dependence on the
Hubble constant!



Double source plane strong lensing

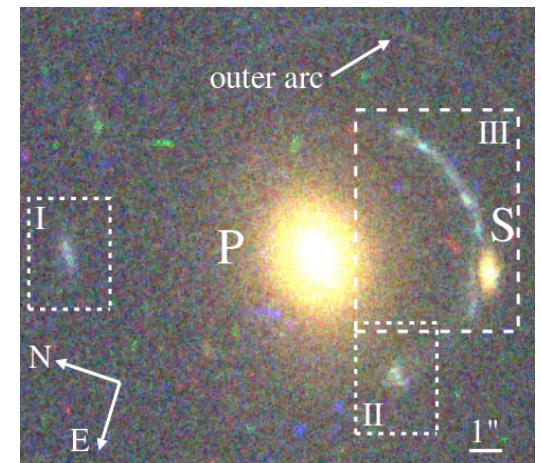


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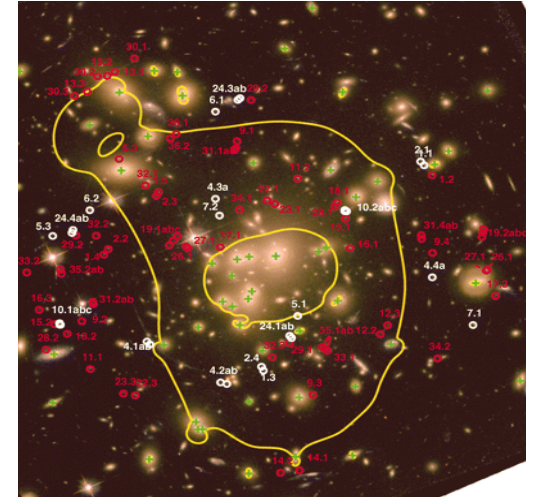
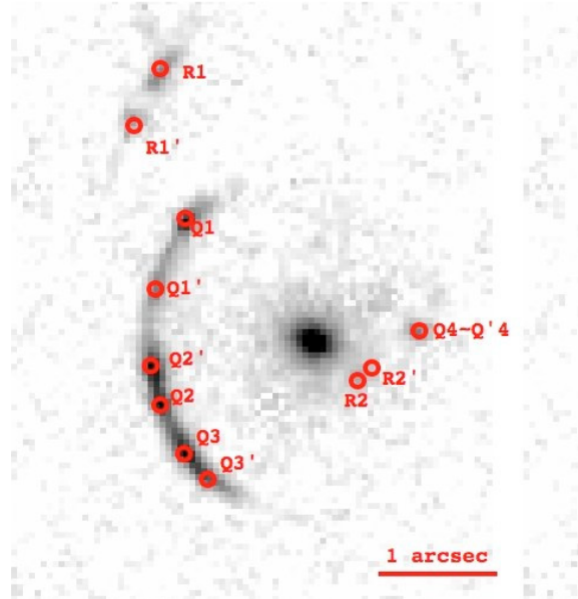
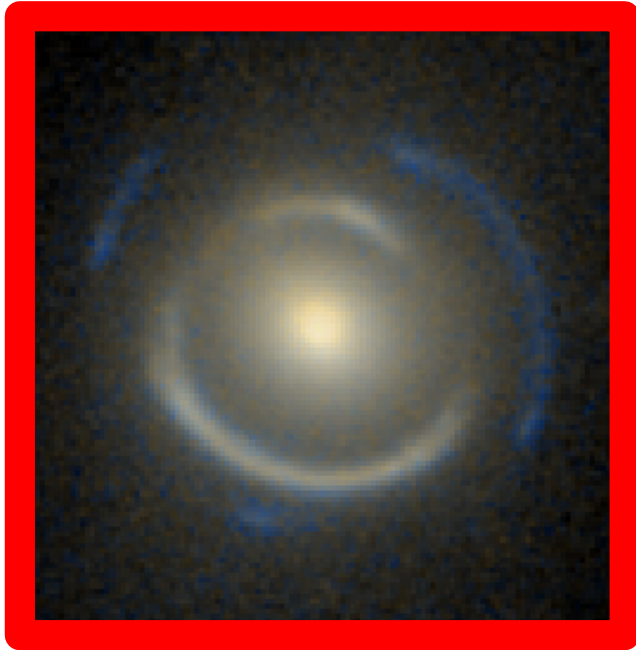


Cross section scales
rapidly with mass

$$\sigma \sim M^4$$

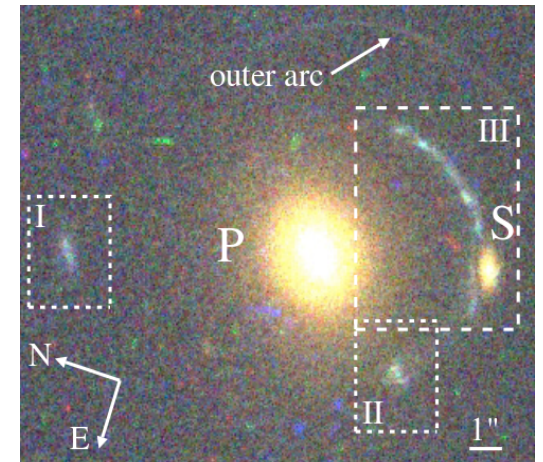


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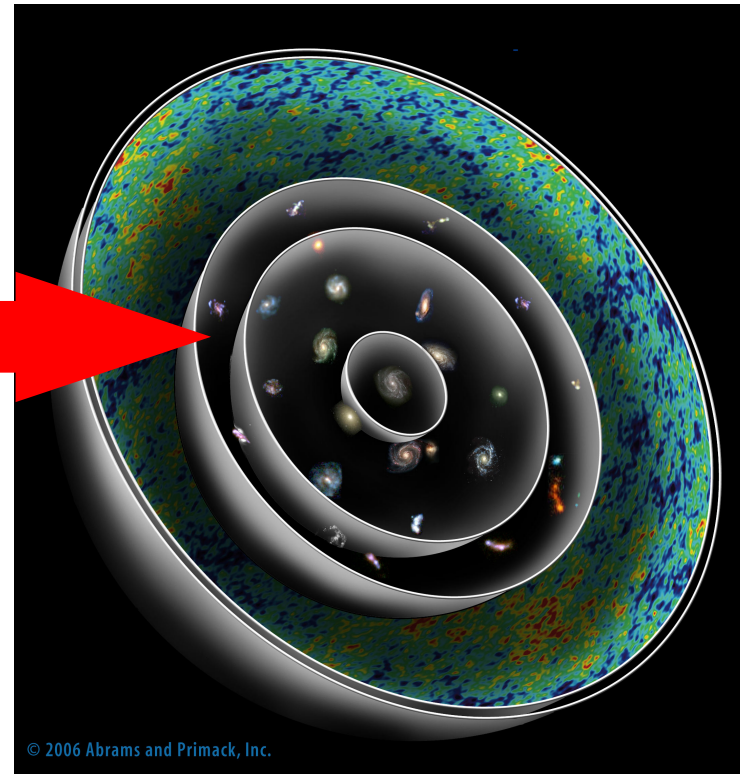
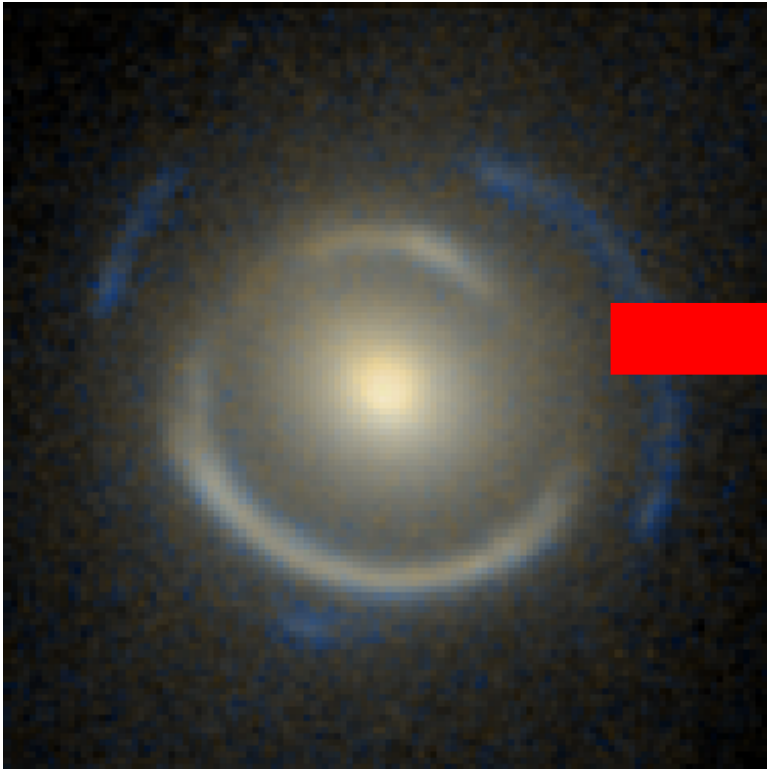


Cross section scales rapidly with mass

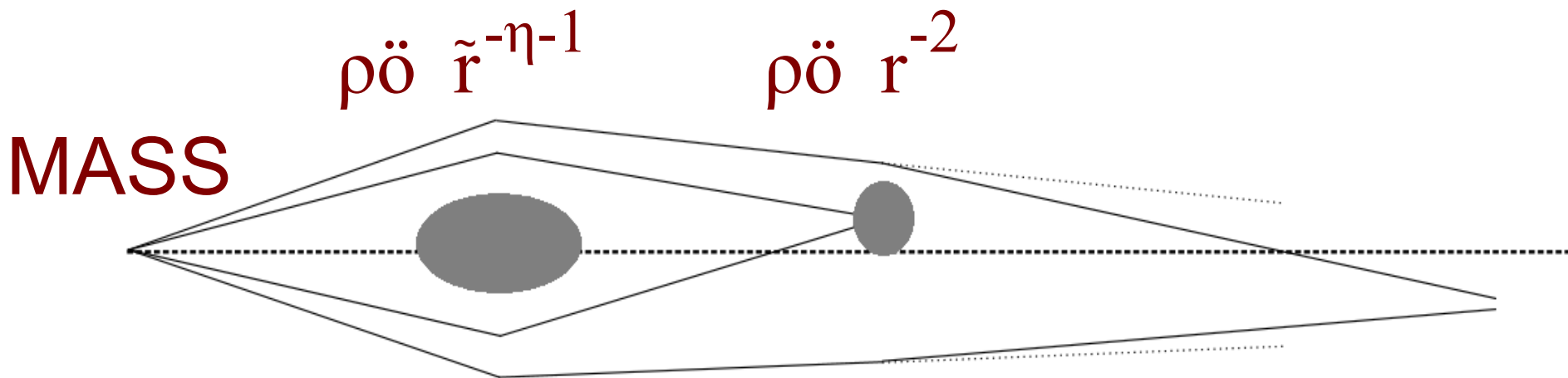
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What do we need to do?



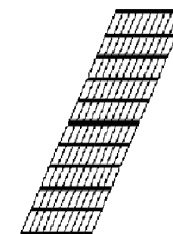
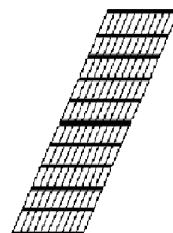
Lens modelling



LIGHT

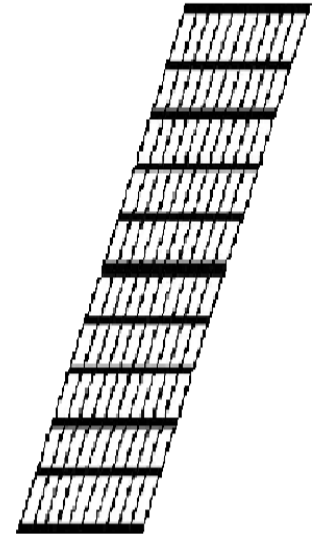
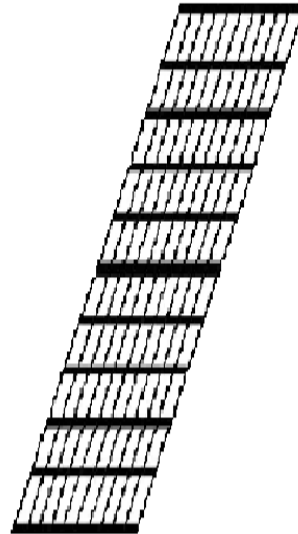
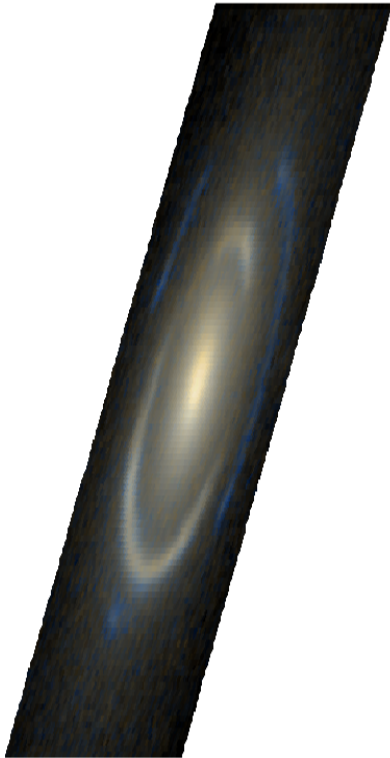


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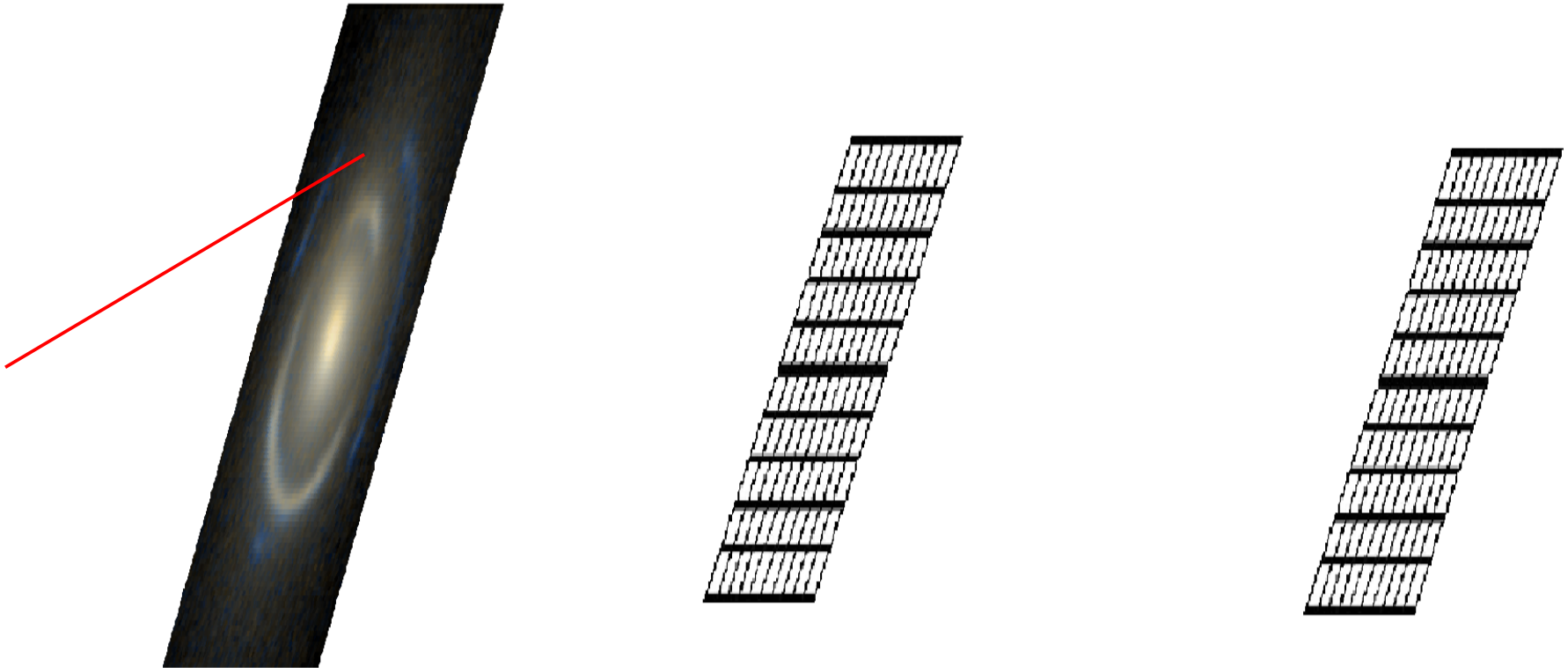


Regularized, Pixelated Sources

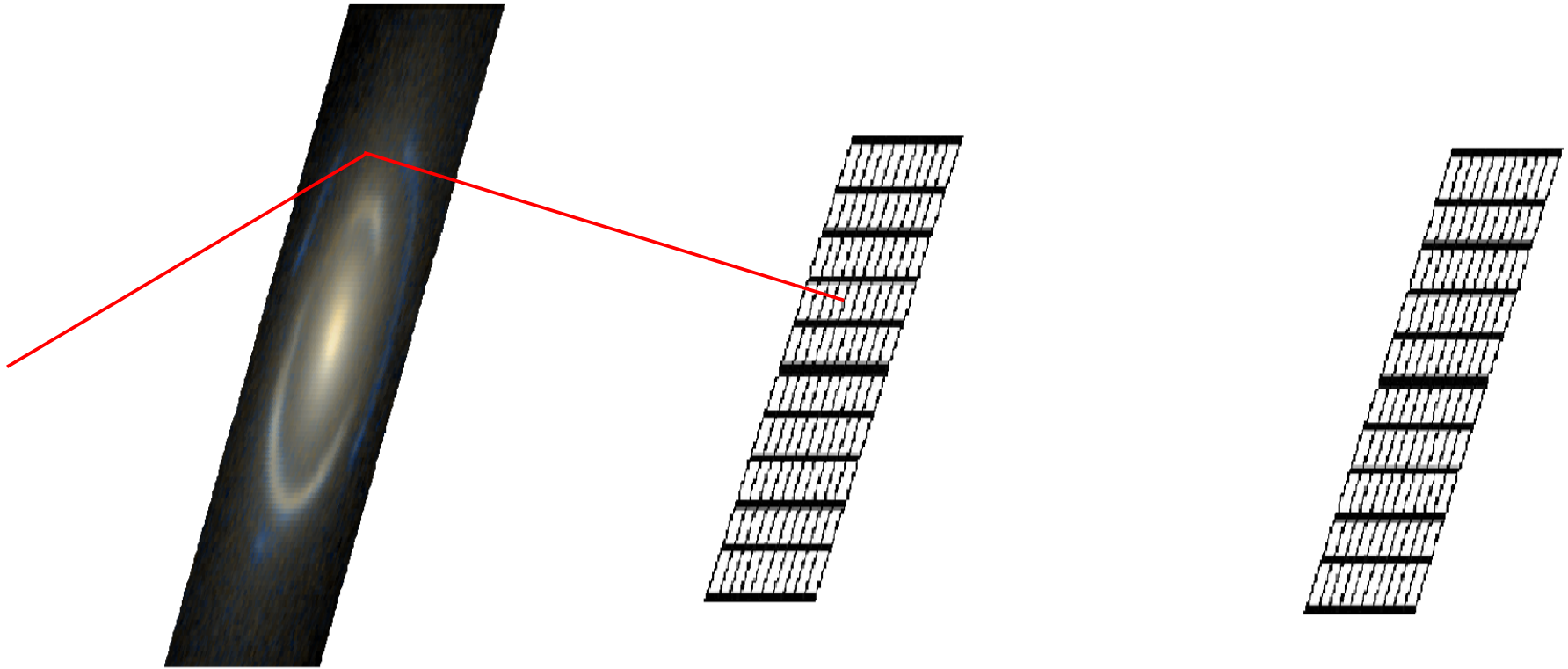
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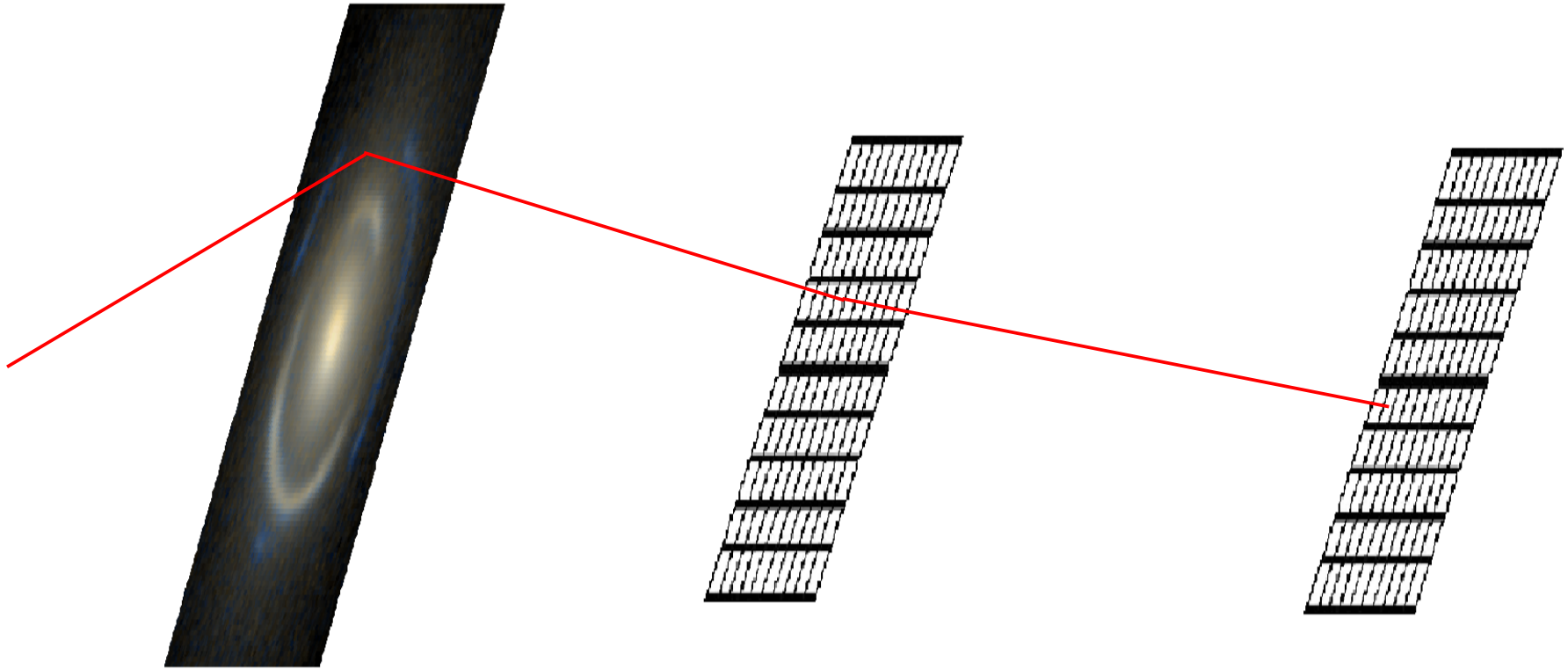
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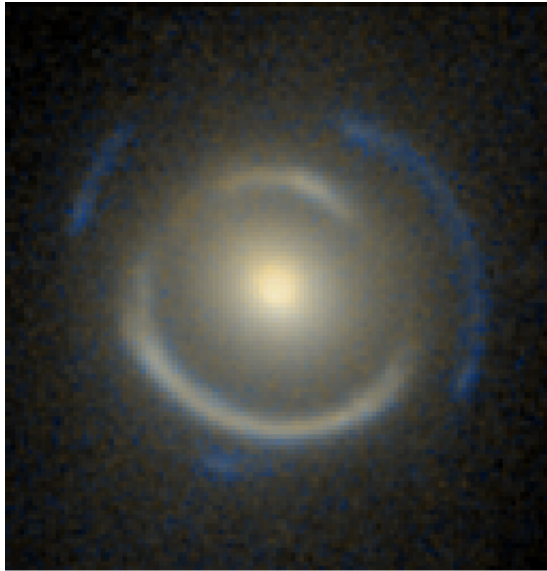
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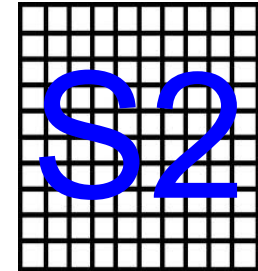
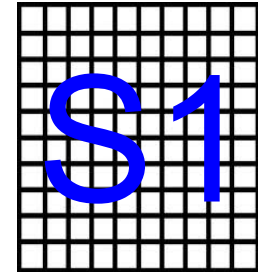
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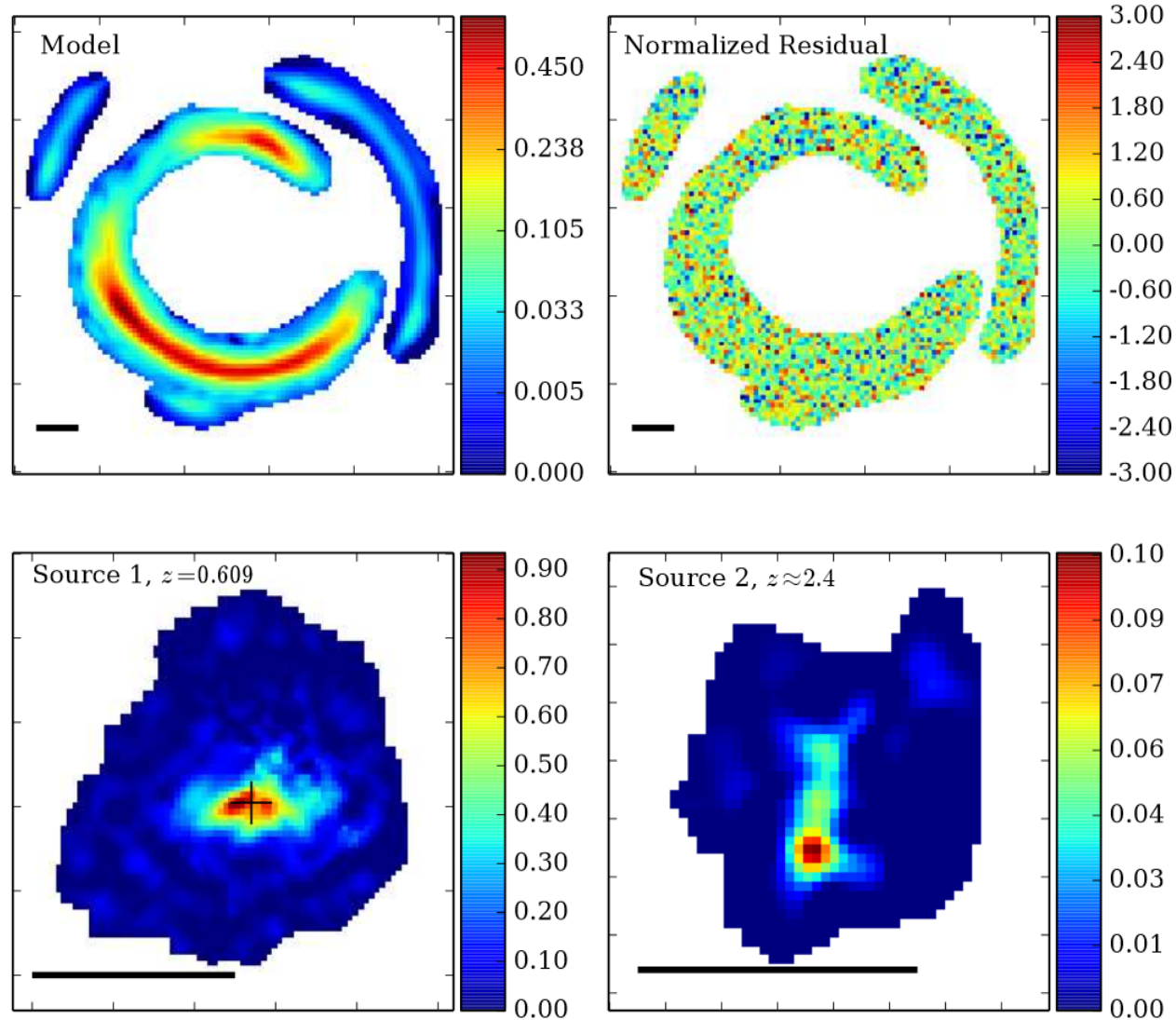
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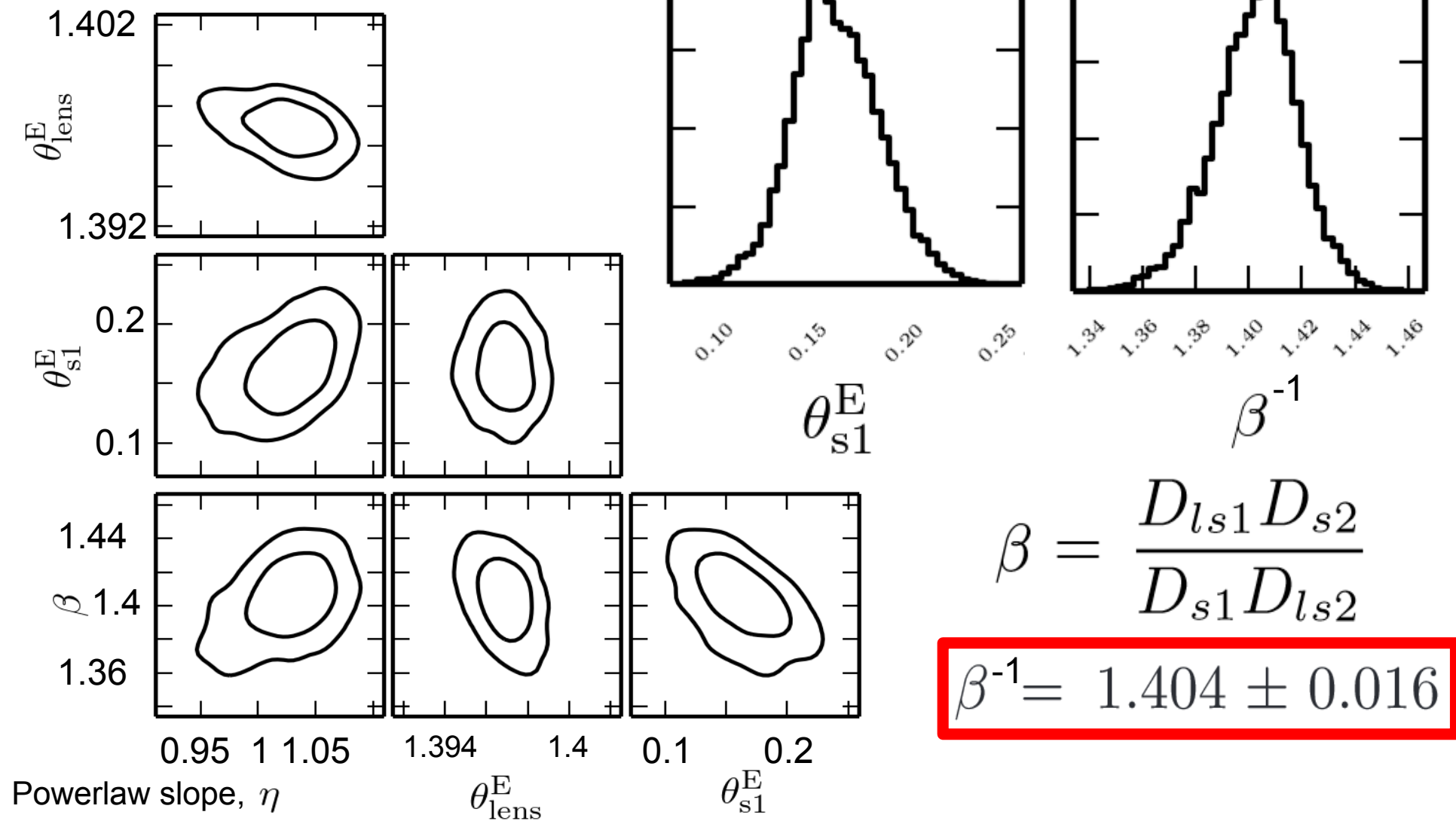
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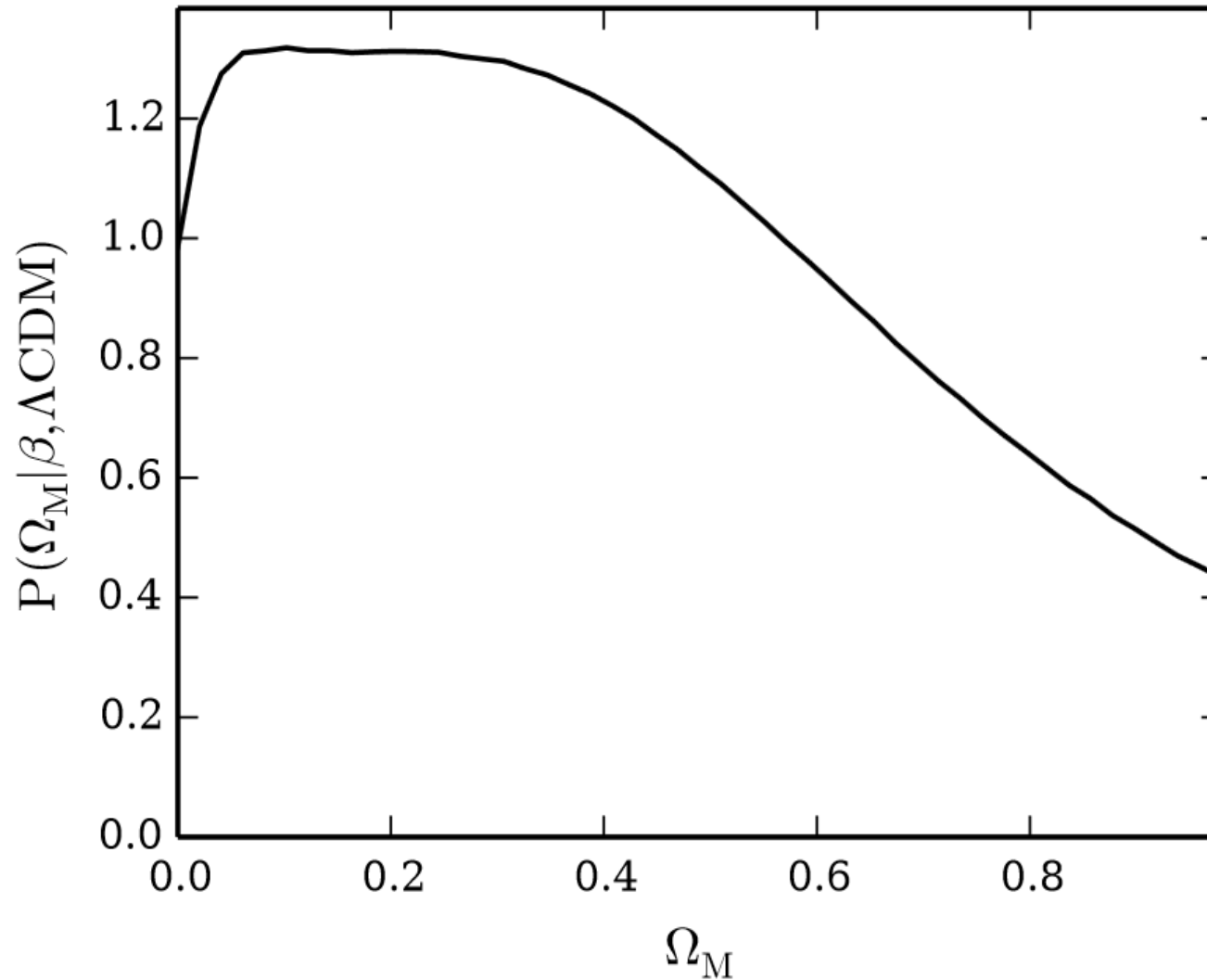
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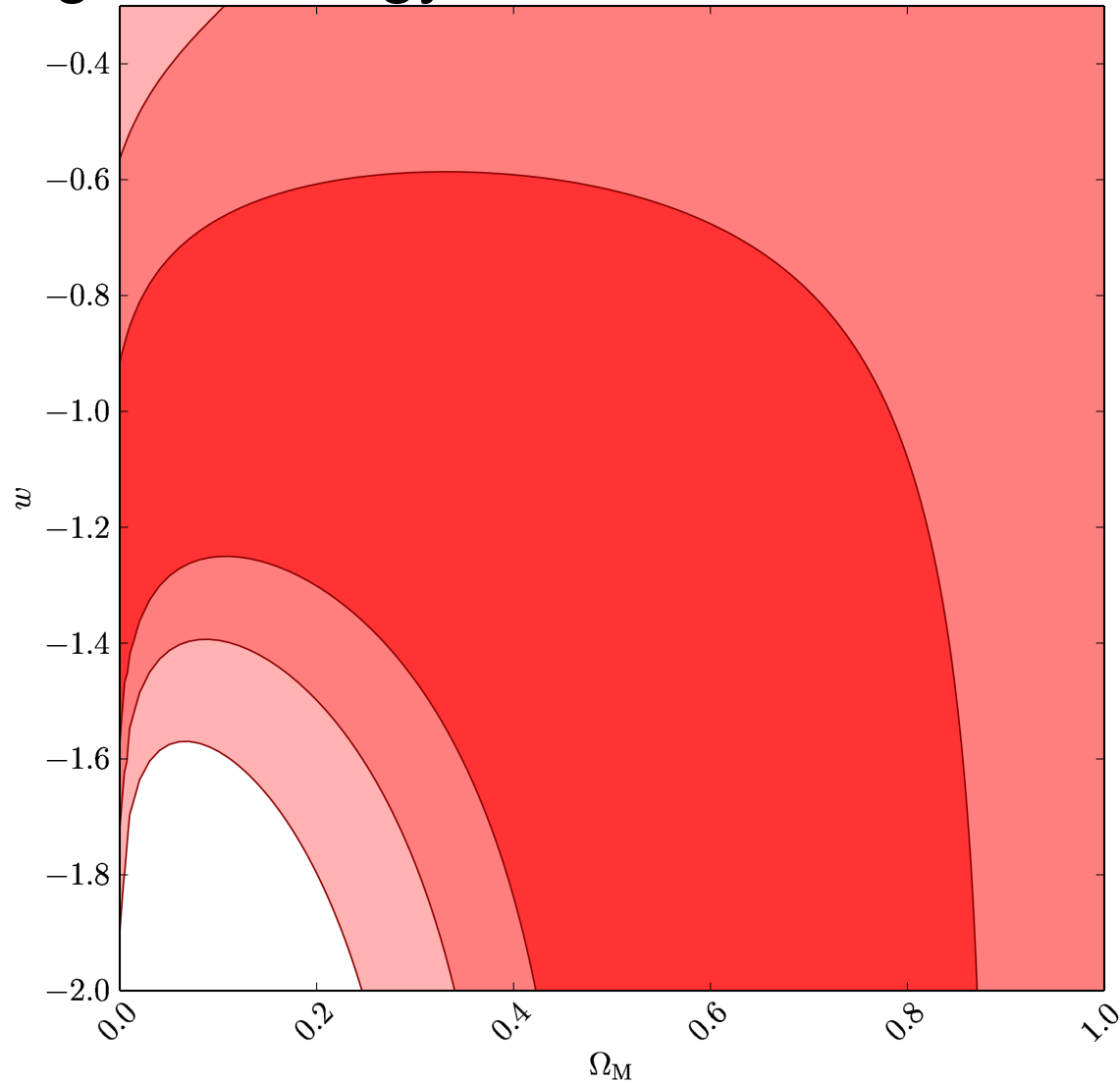
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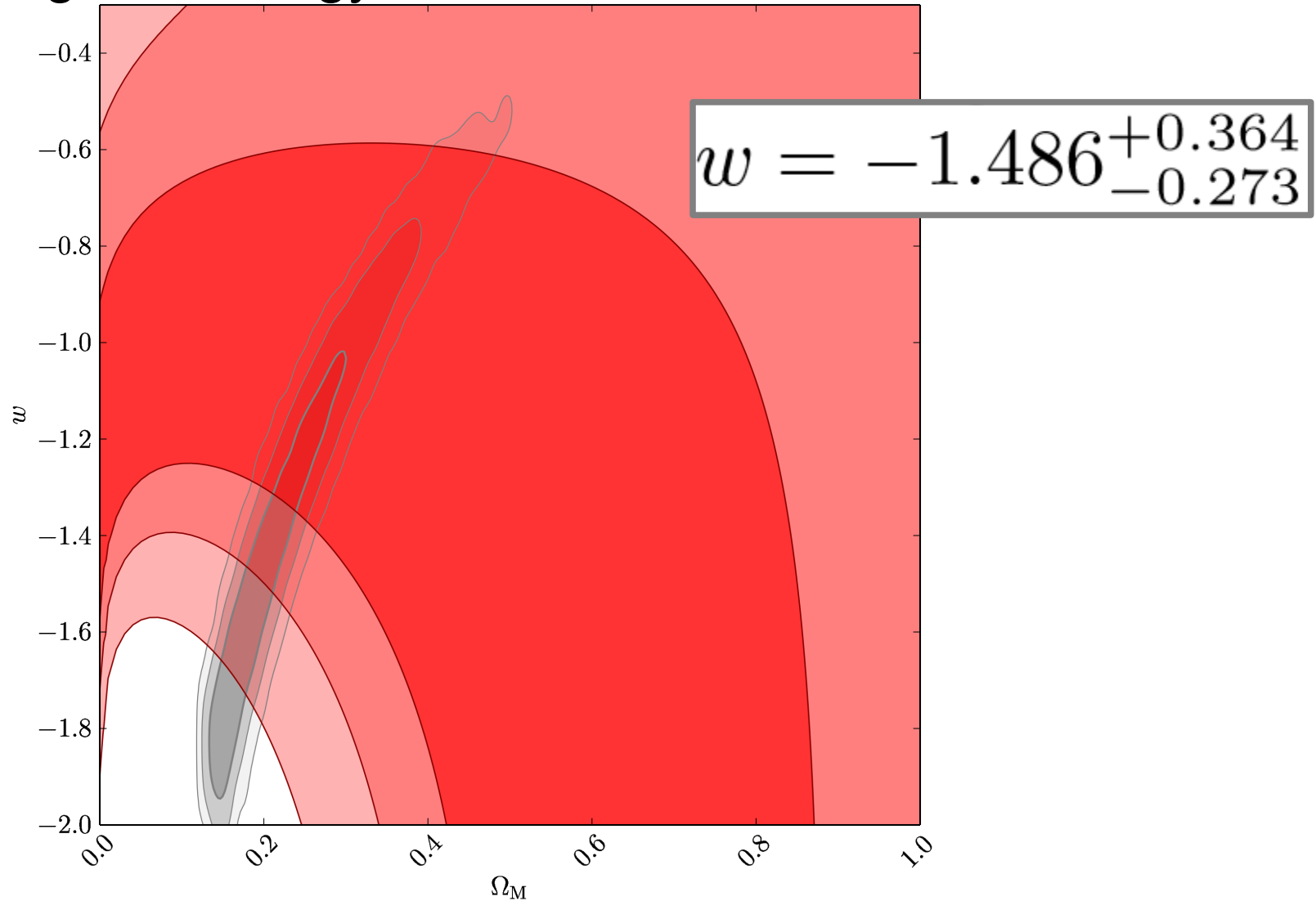
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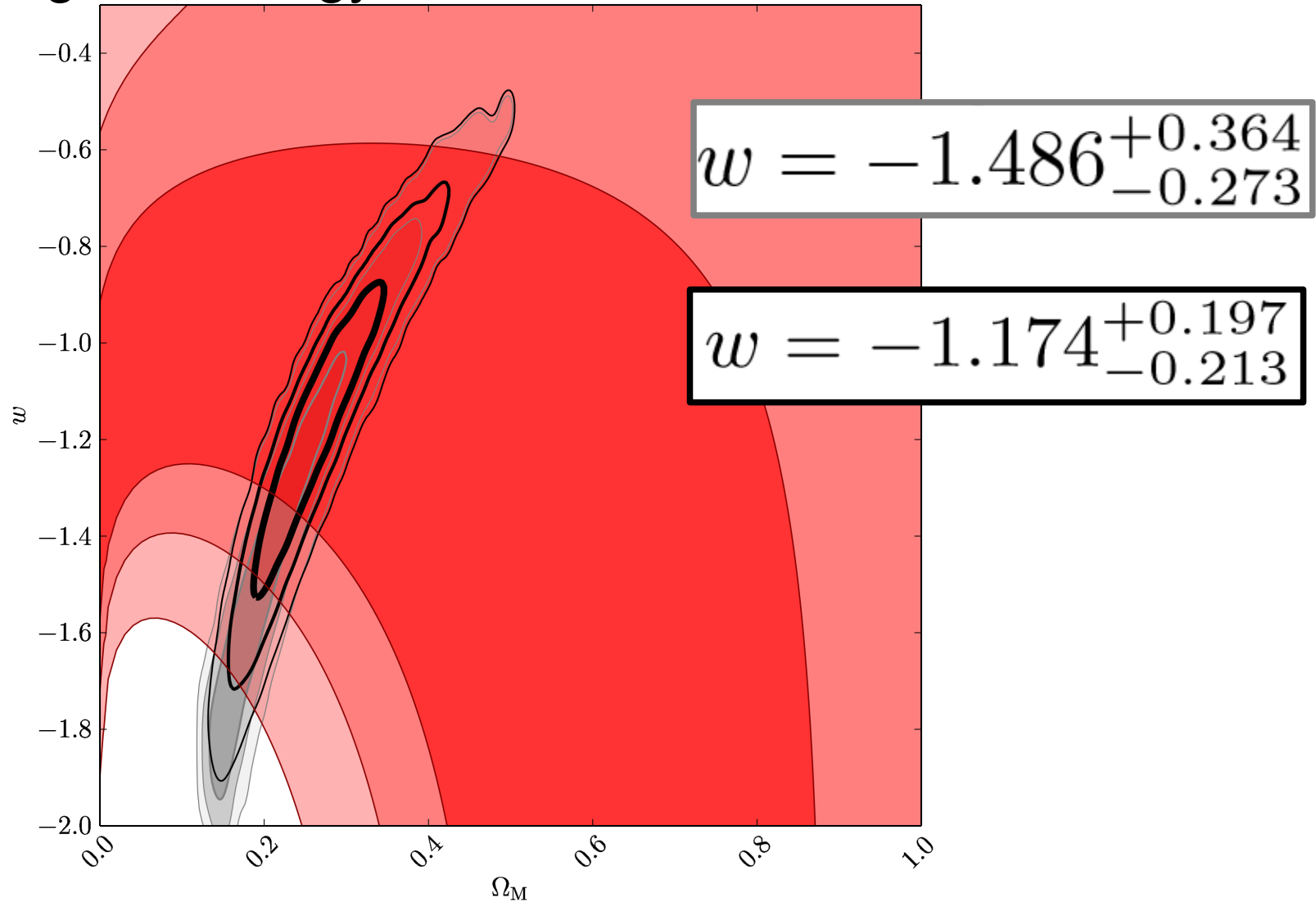
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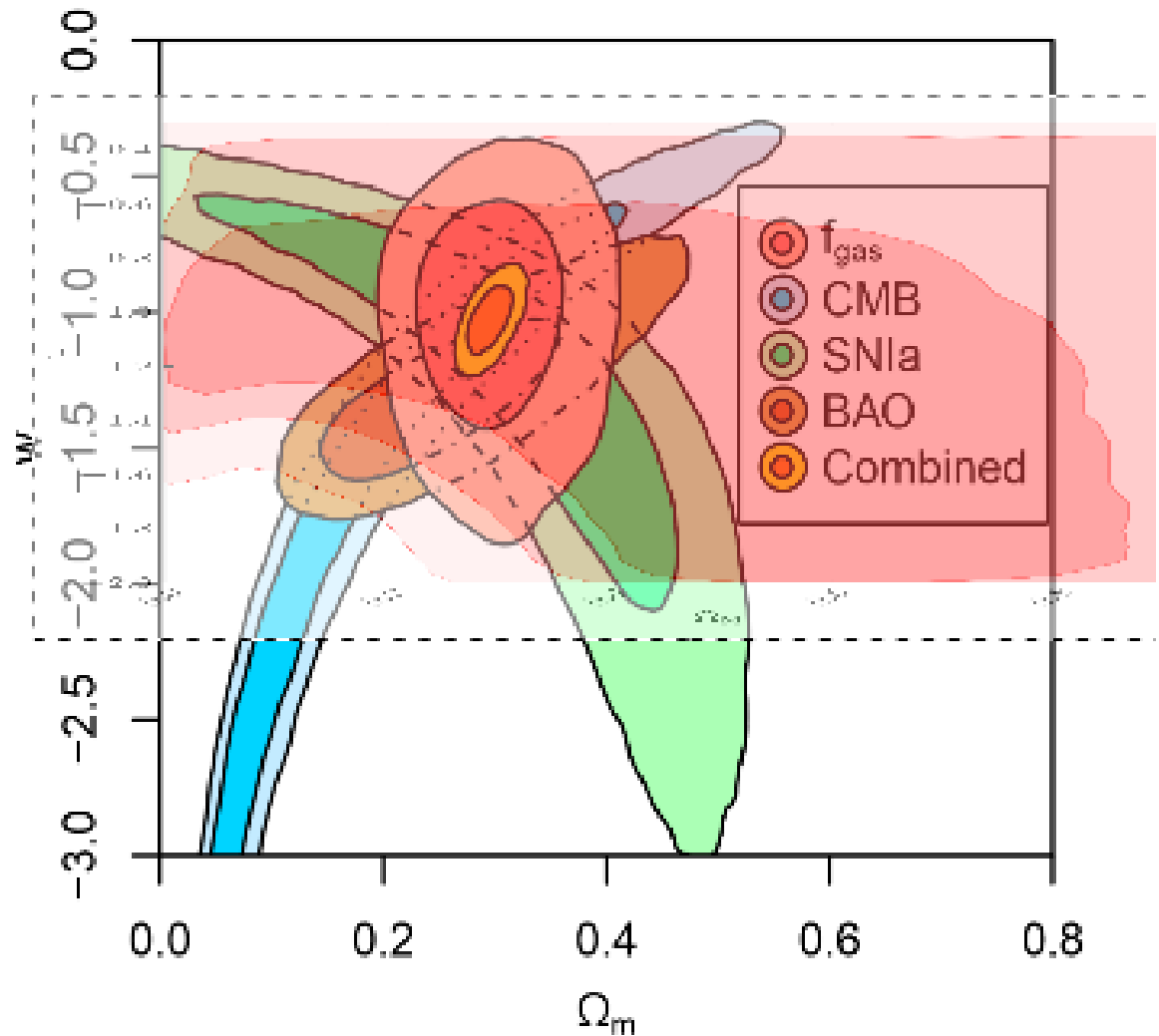
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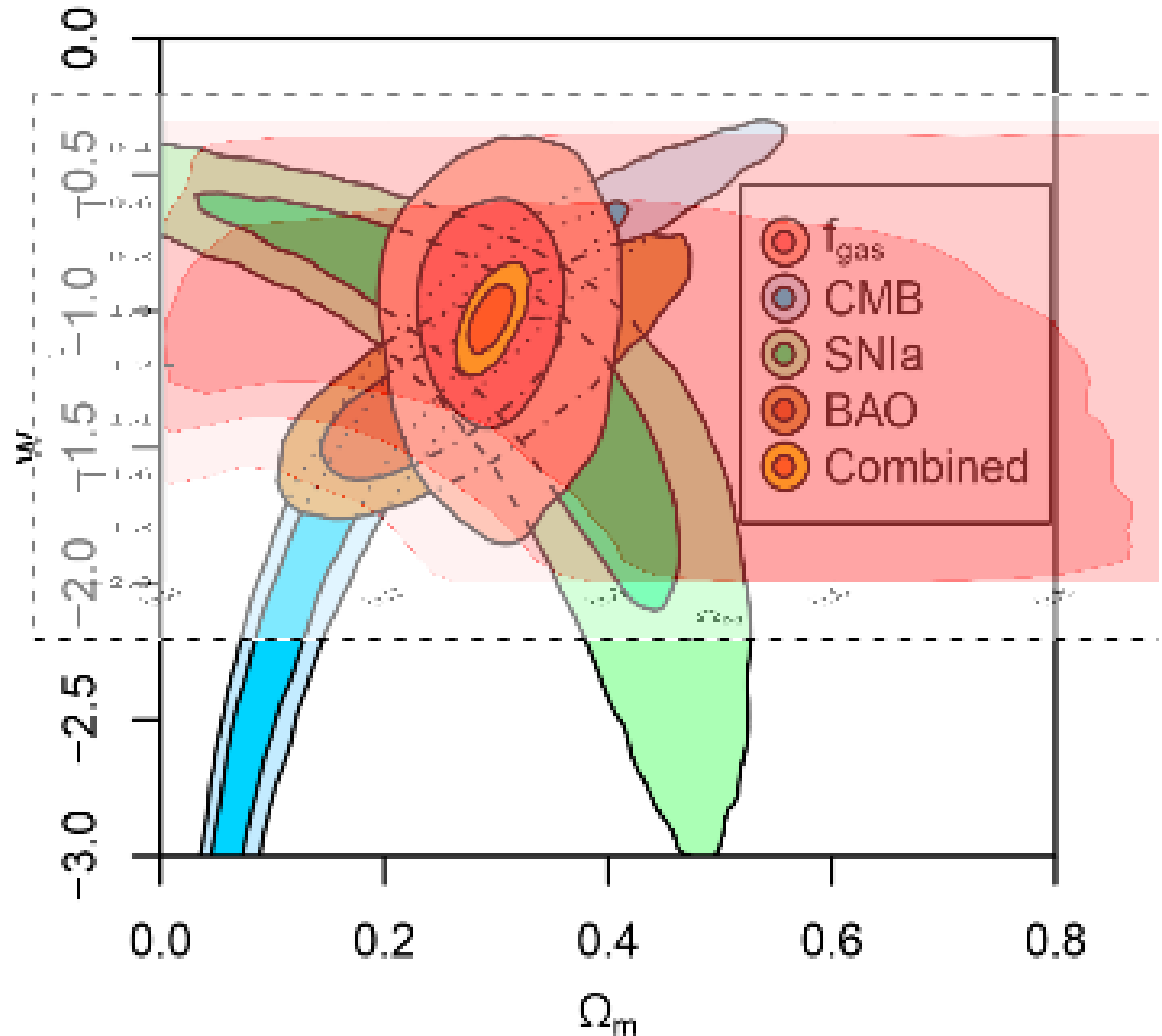
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J0946 + WMAP prior

$$w = -0.99^{+0.27}_{-0.25}$$



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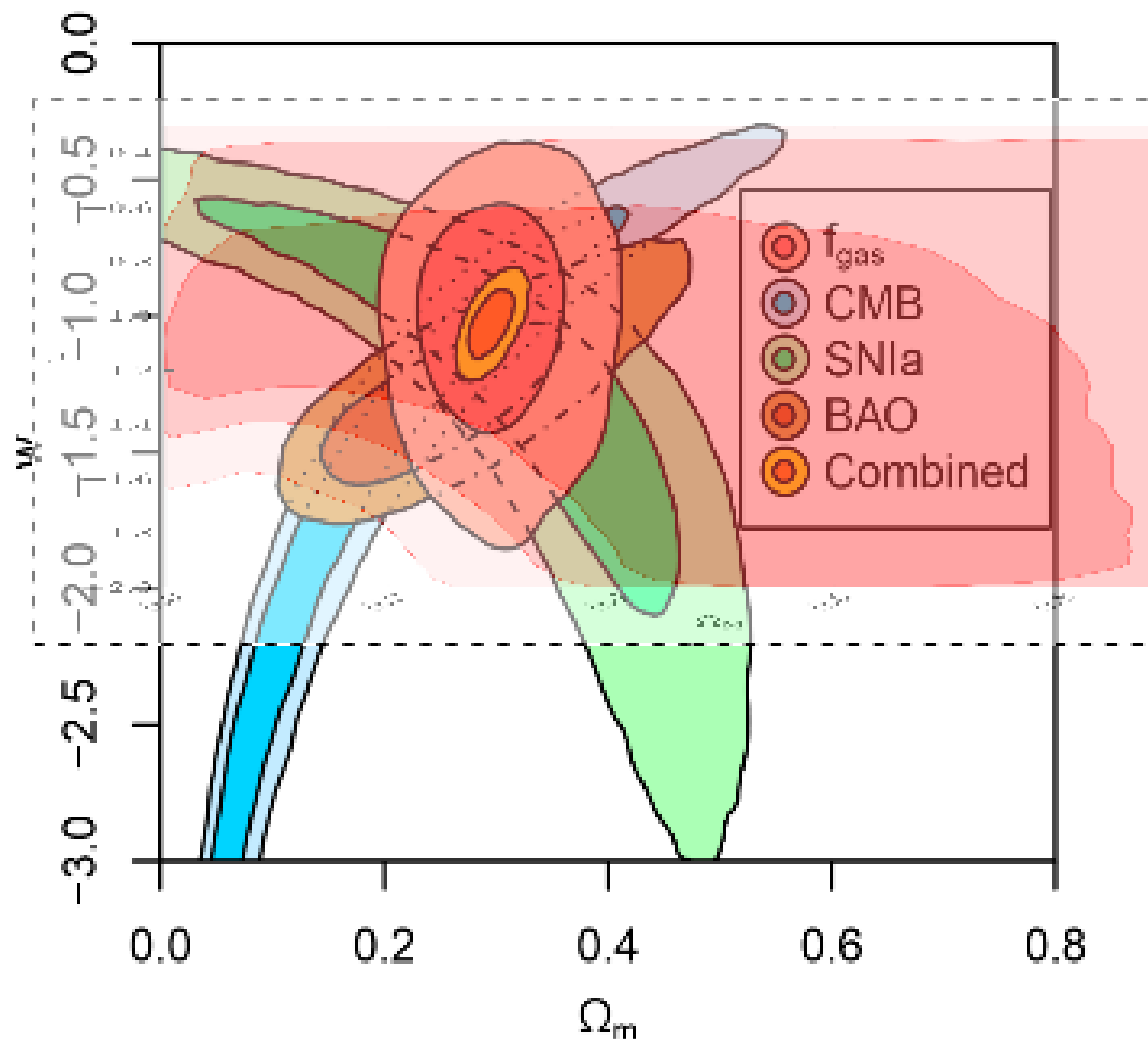
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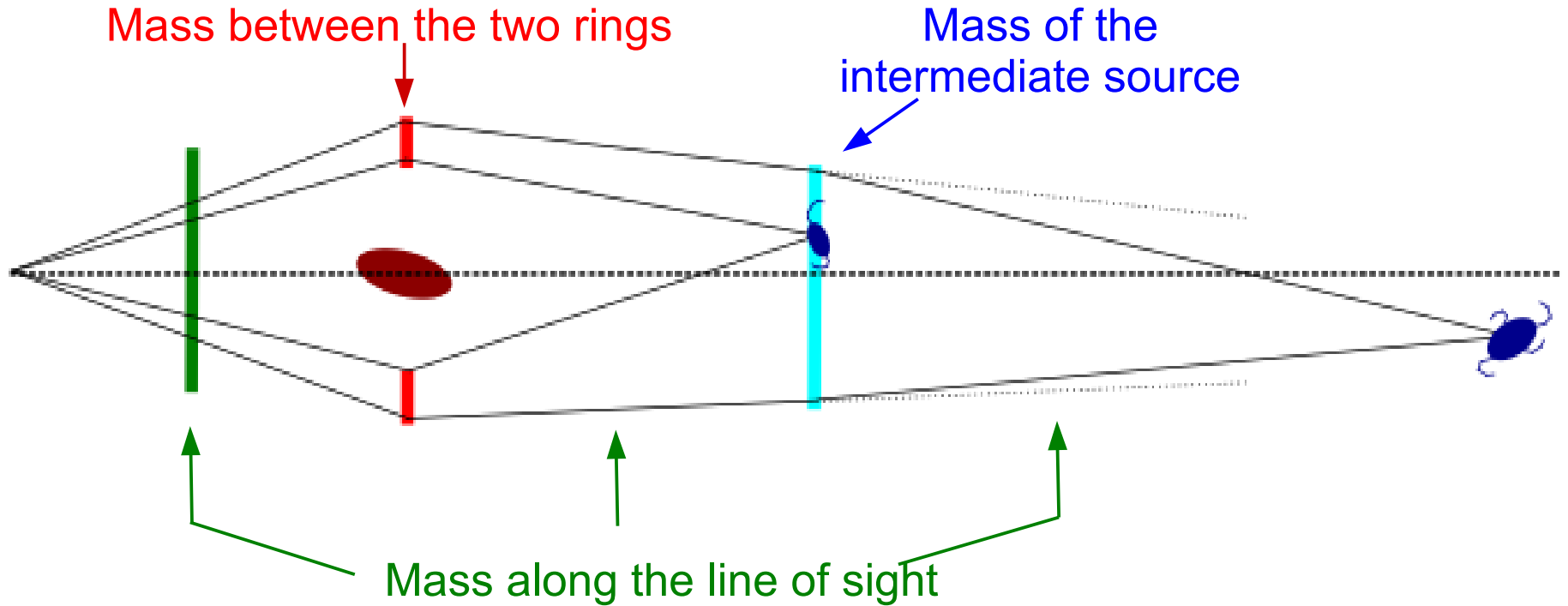
C. Heymans et al.

$$-1.05^{+0.33}_{-0.34} \text{ CFHTLenS + WMAP7}$$

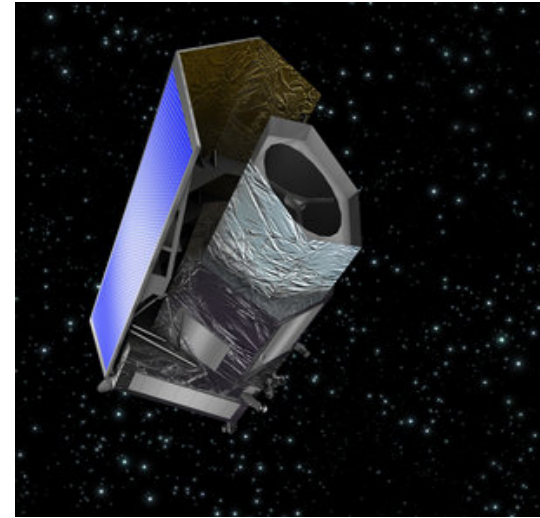
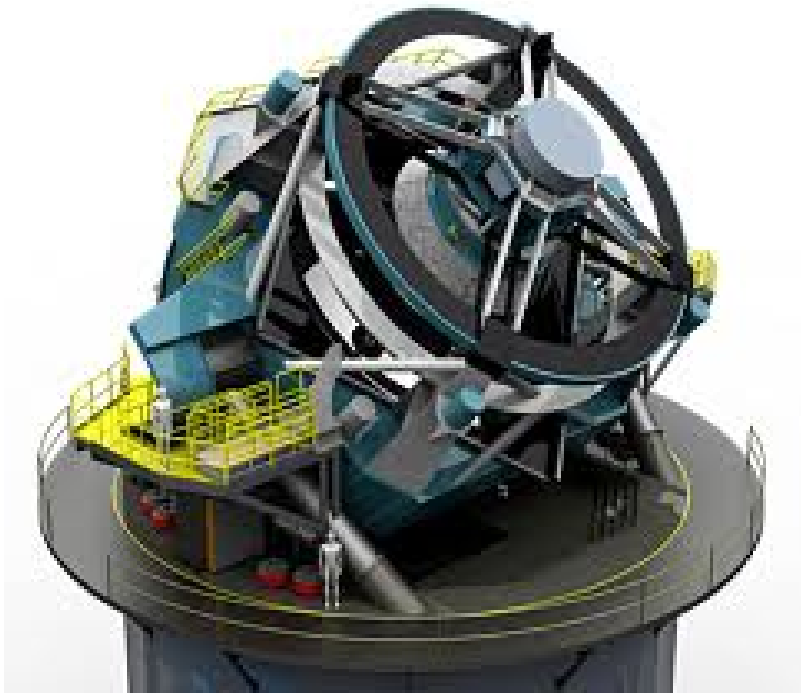
(2013, 68% CLs)



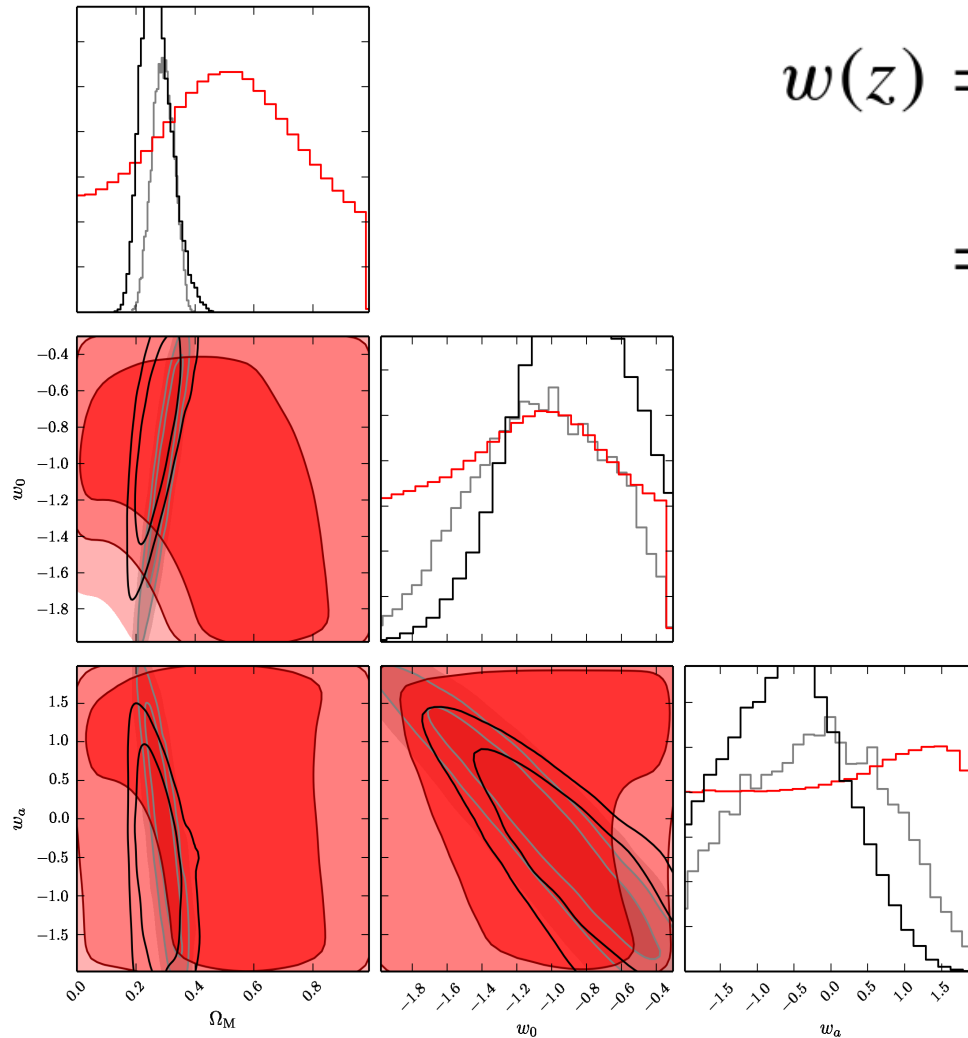
Systematics



The Future



Evolving Dark Energy

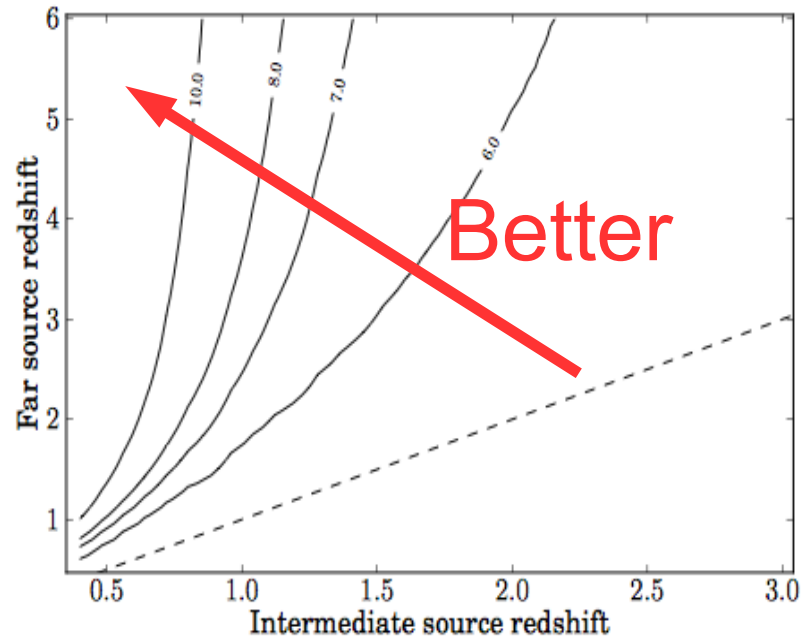


$$w(z) = w_0 + w_a(1 - a)$$

$$= w_0 + w_a \left(\frac{z}{1+z} \right)$$

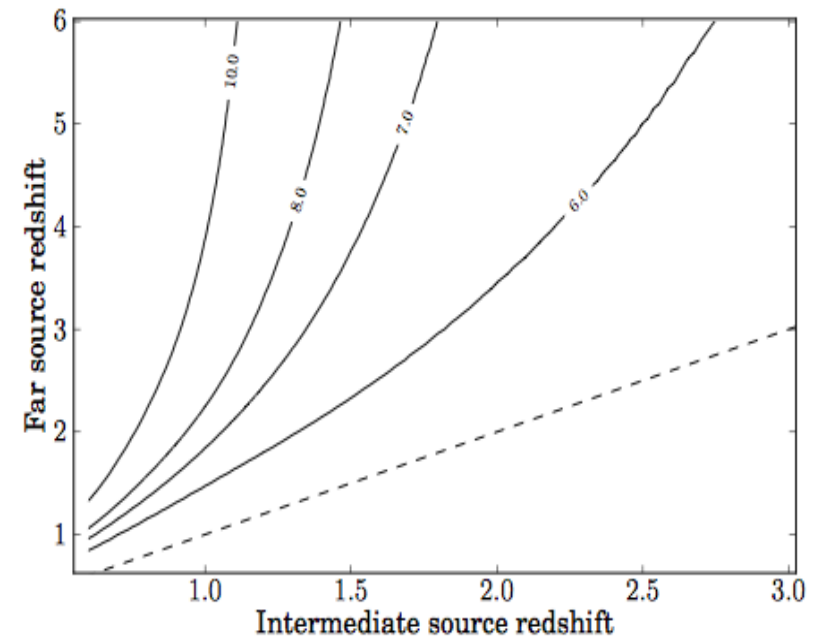
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FoM $\sim 1/(A95)$: Bigger is better



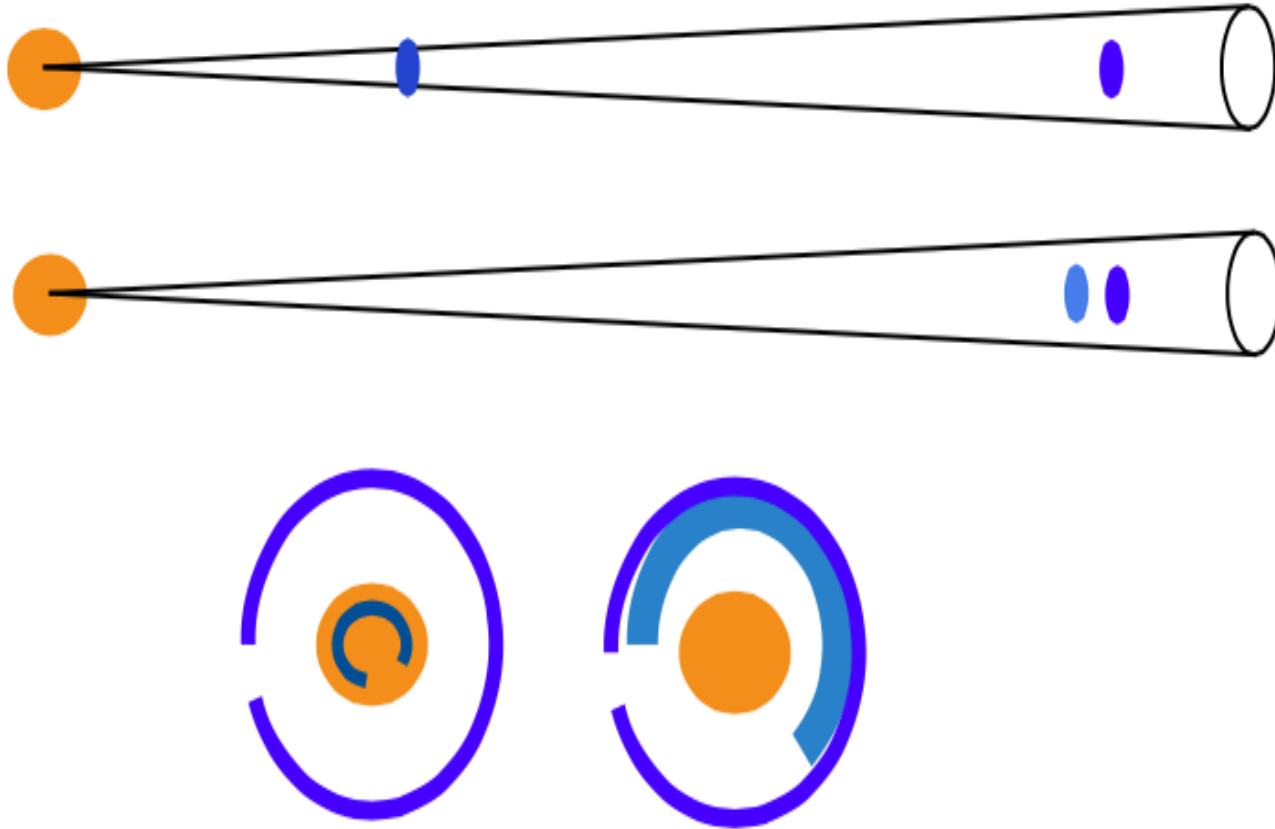
$Z_I=0.35$

1% measurement of beta
CMB prior

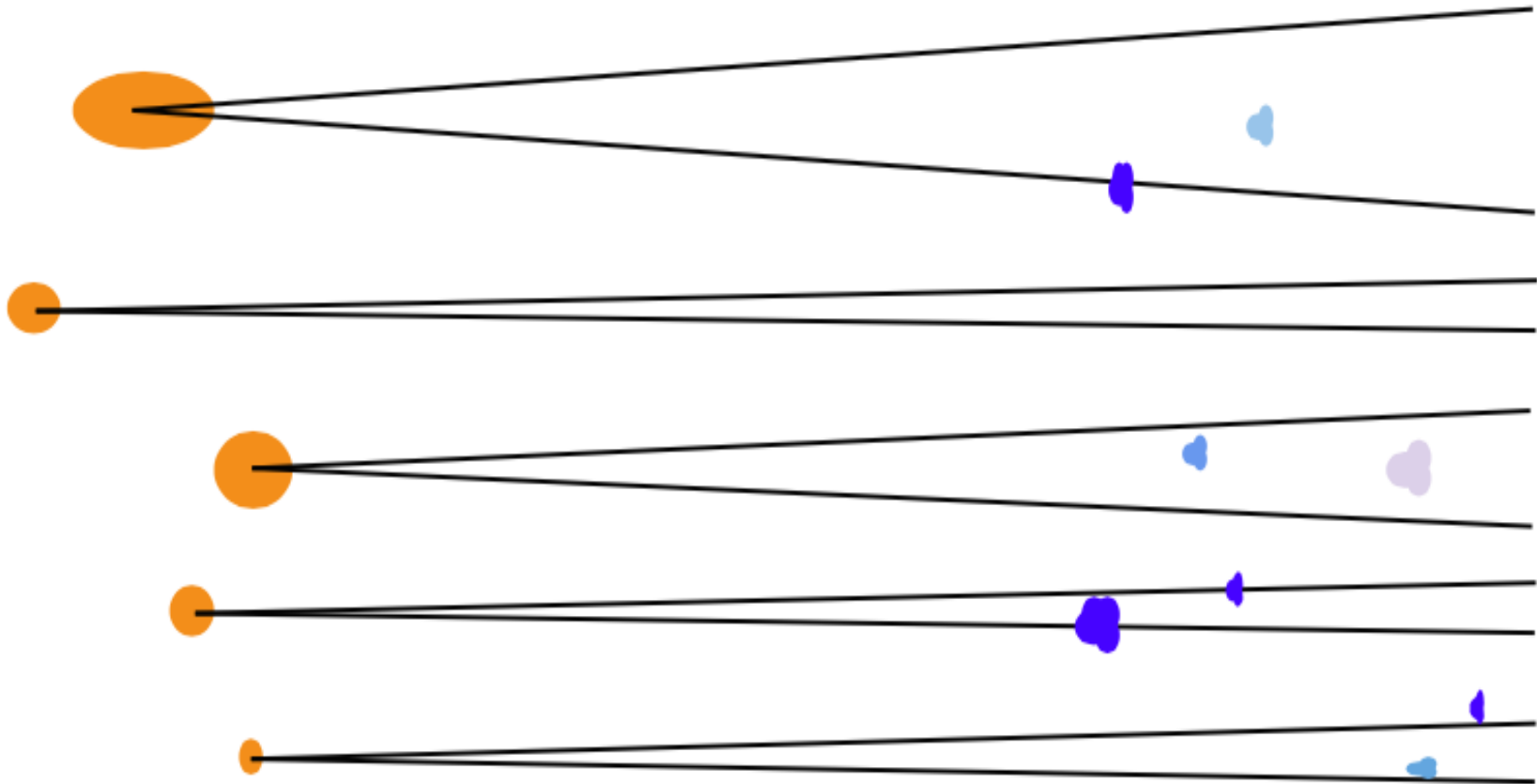


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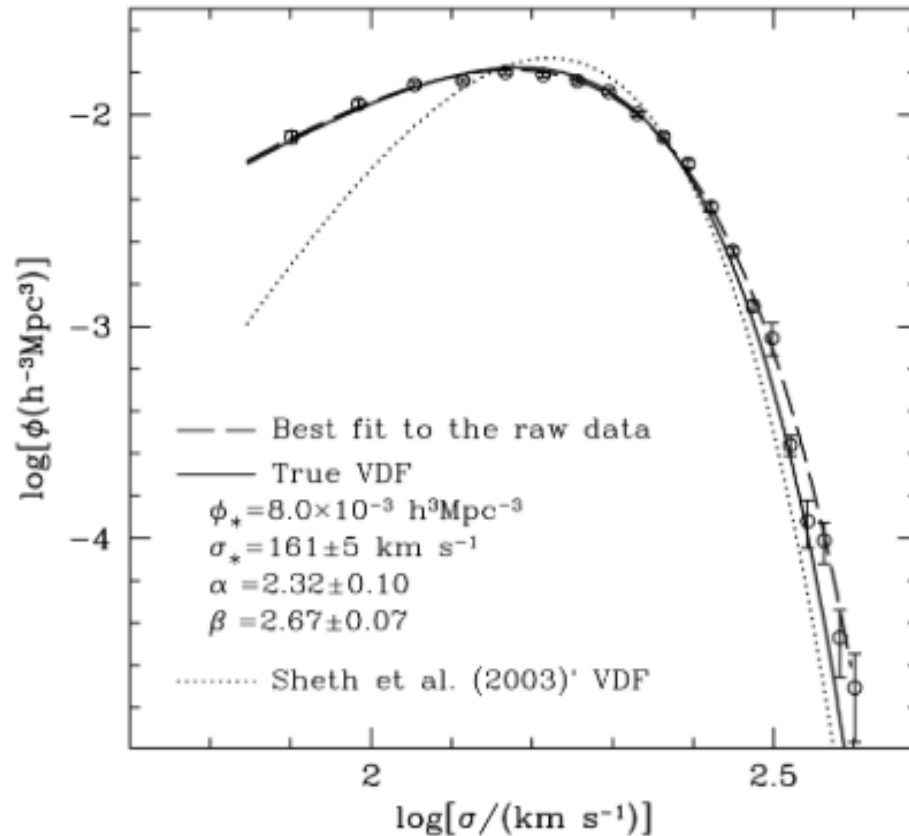
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Lens Population Forecasting



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Choi, Park & Vogeley 2007

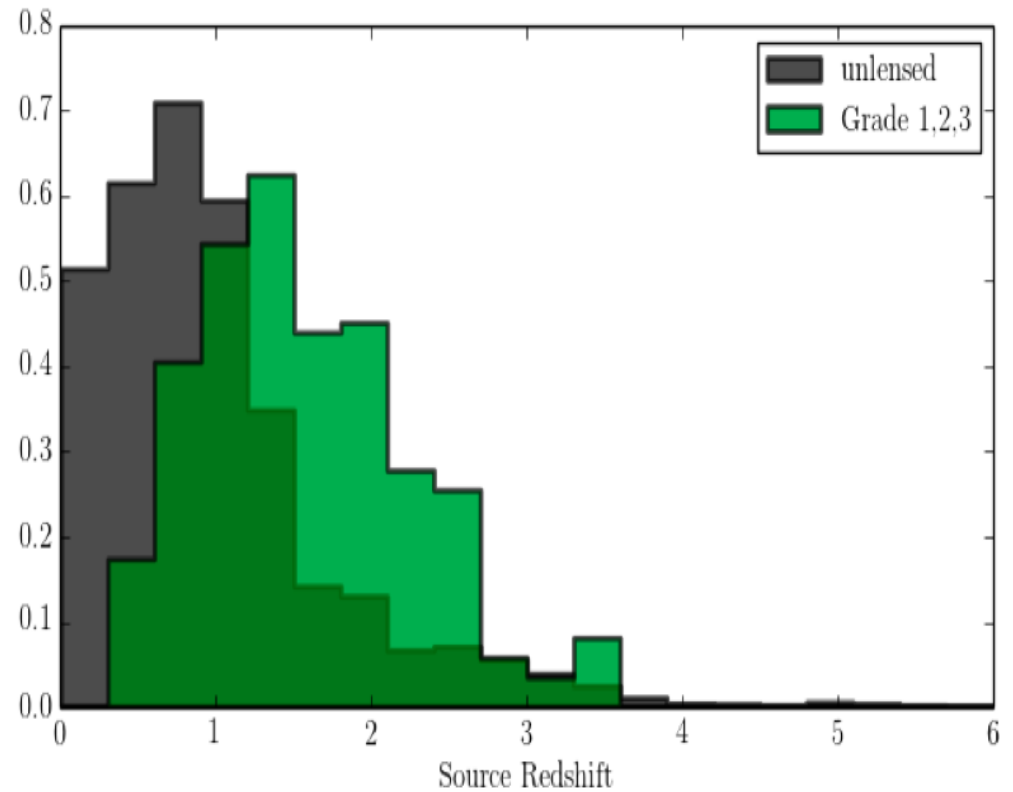
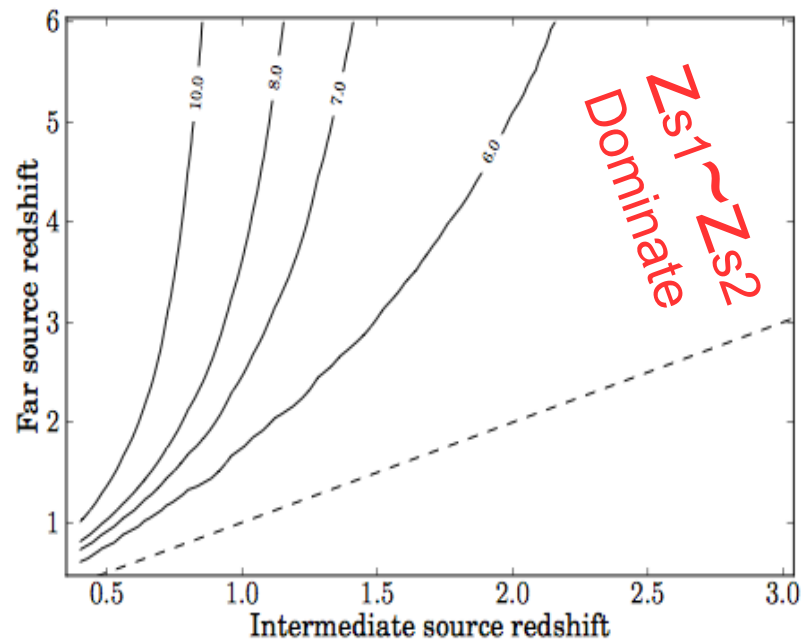
Deflectors:
SDSS

$P(\textit{griz}, z, r, \sigma, q)$

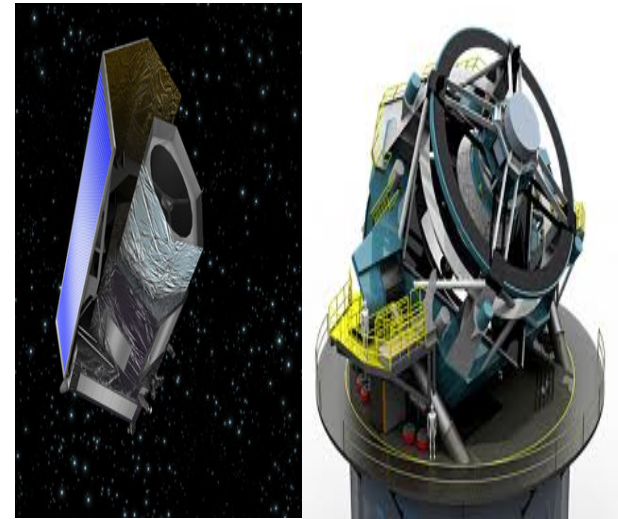
Sources:
Cosmos

$P(\textit{griz}, z, r)$

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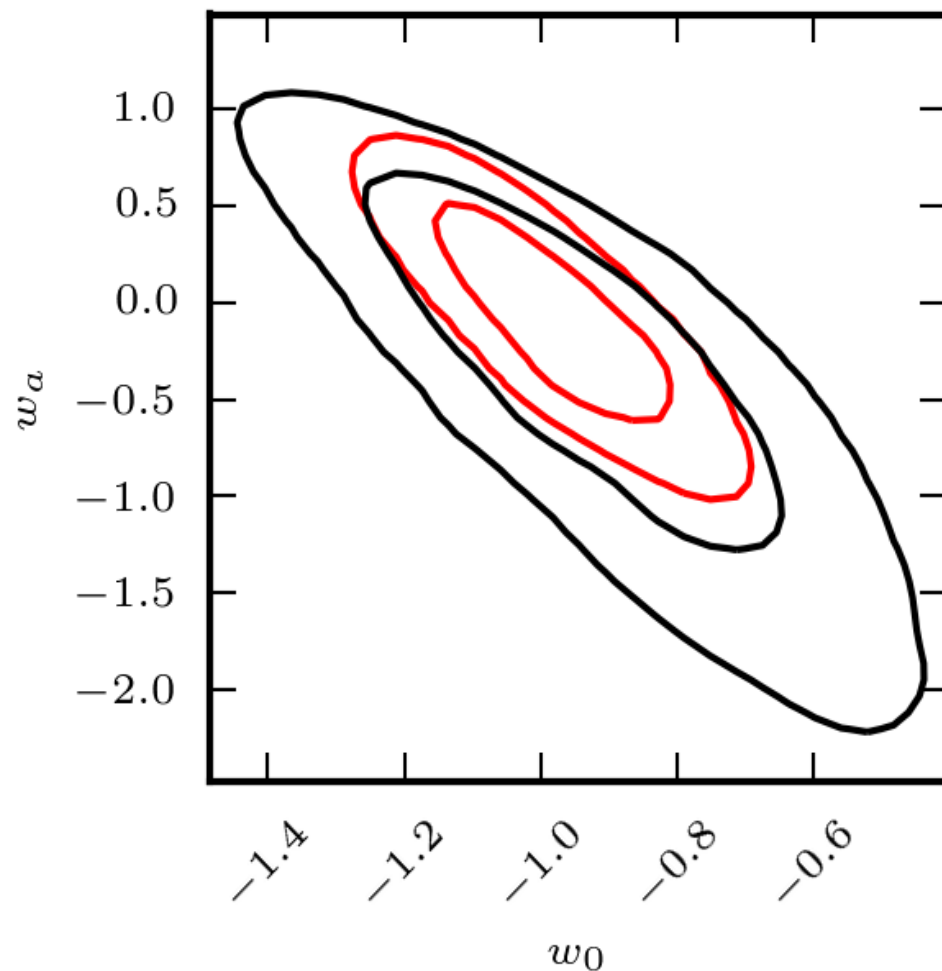
Euclid



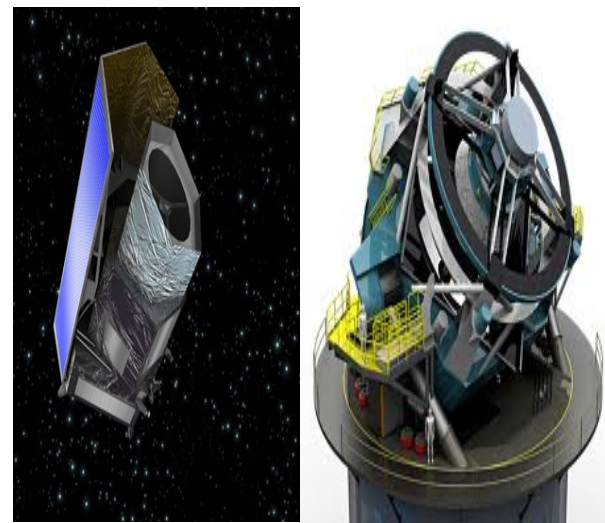
$\sim 10^5$ galaxy scale strong lenses
(based on COSMOS)

1 in 40-80 galaxy scale lenses will be
doubles (Gavazzi+ 2008)

Euclid



Collett+ in prep.



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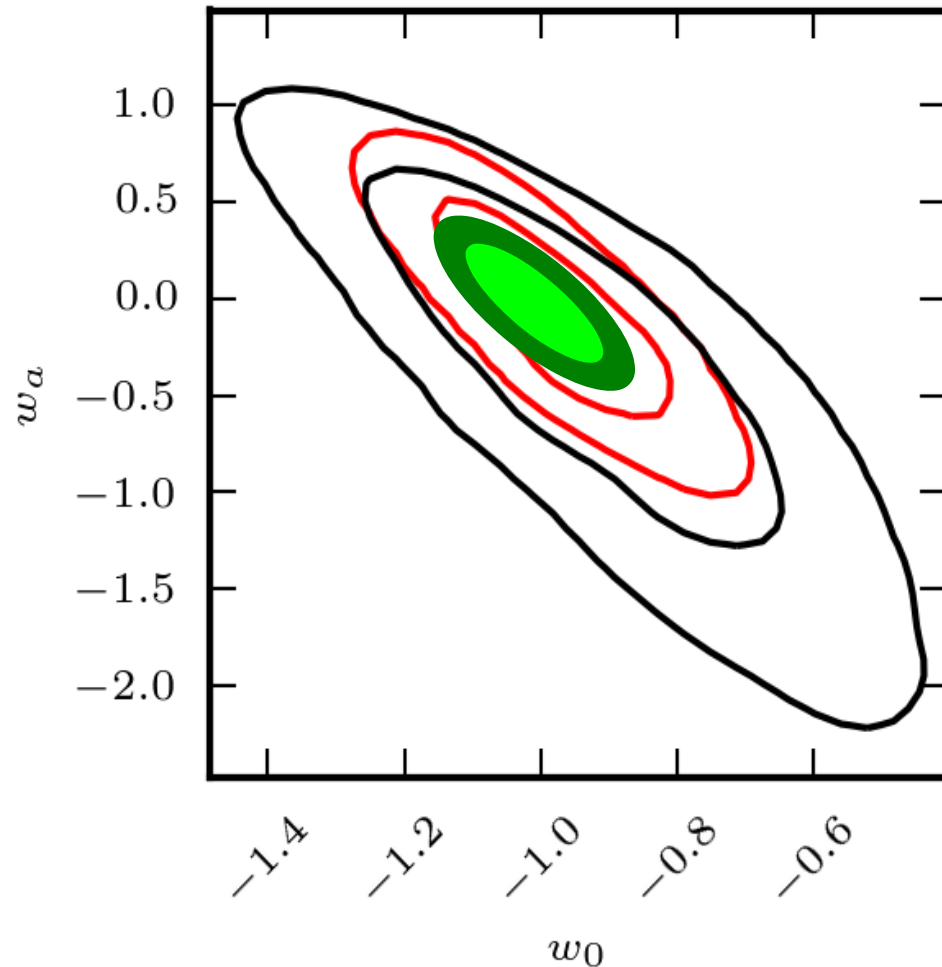
Red: 100 lenses, $\Omega_k \neq 0$

FoM = 38

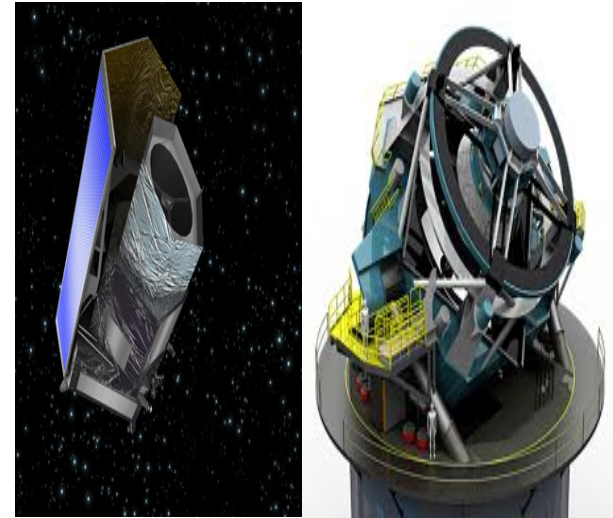
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(includes Planck prior)

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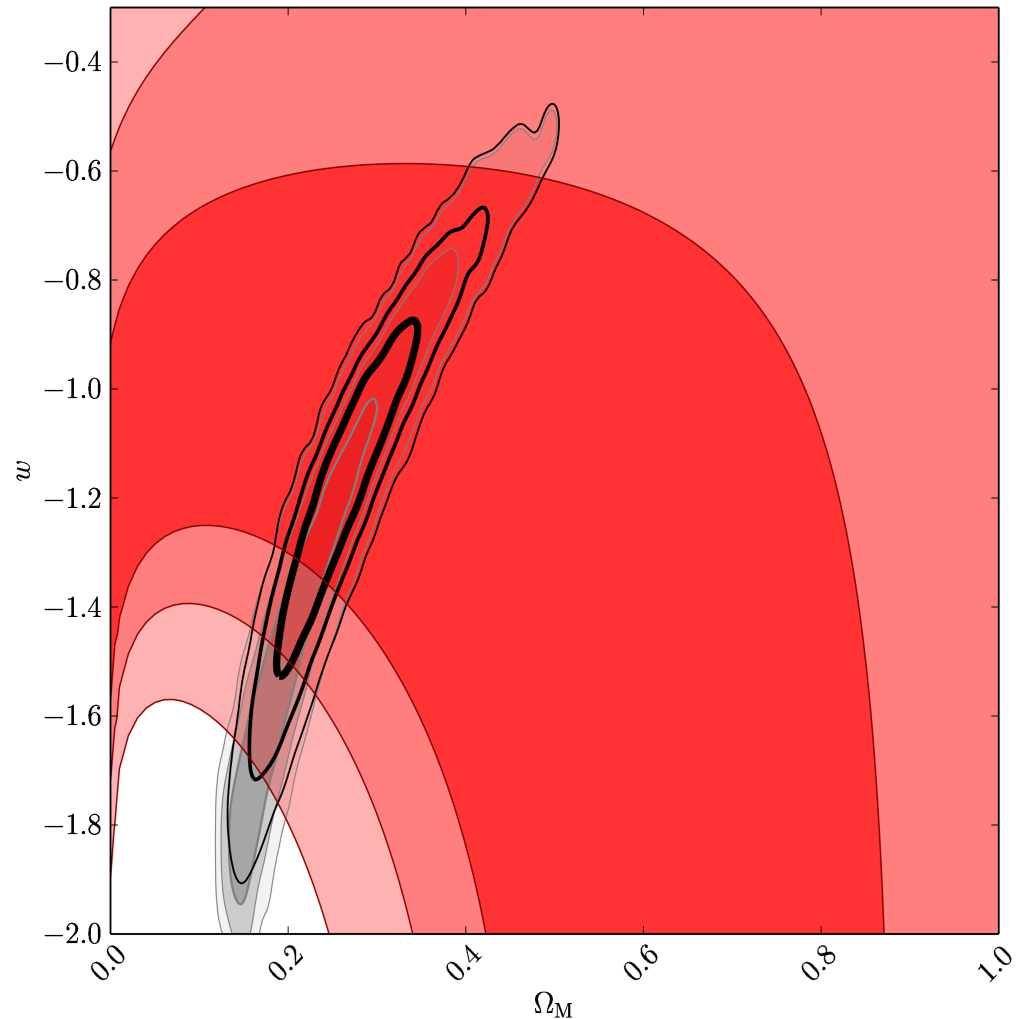
Summary

$$w = -1.174^{+0.197}_{-0.213}$$

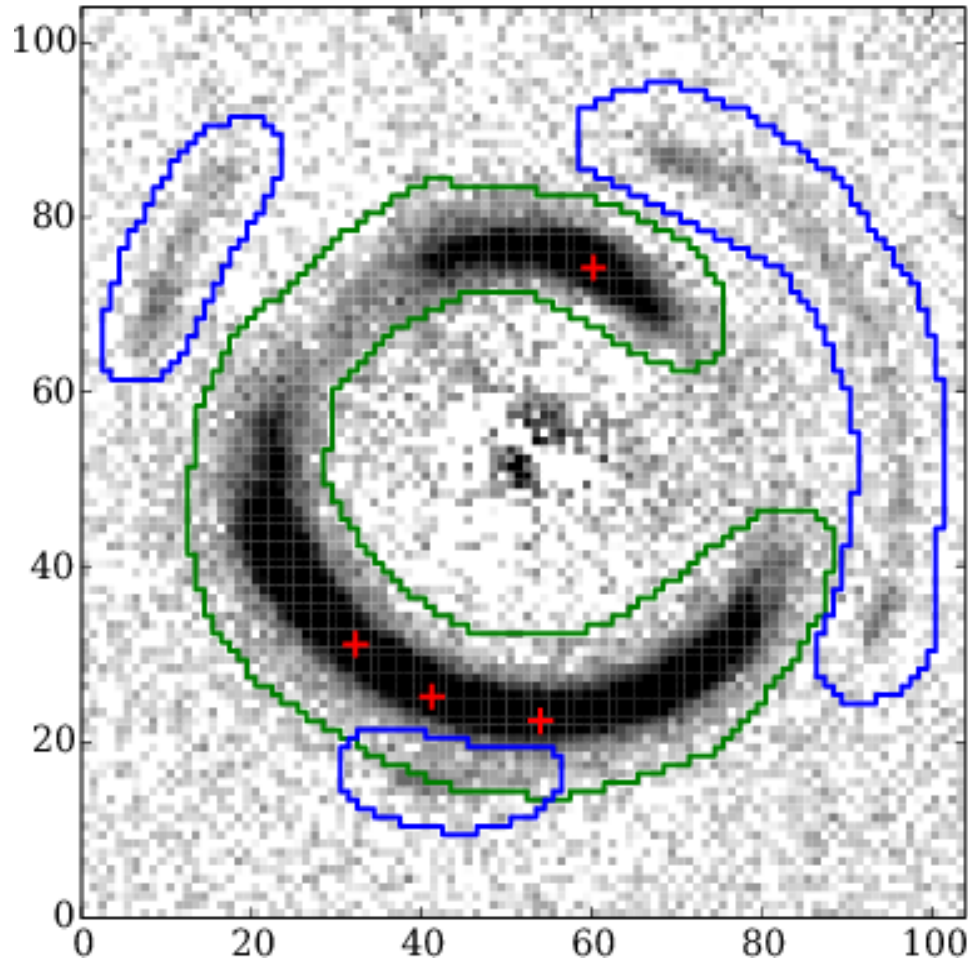
Independent systematic errors

Independent of Hubble constant

DPLSs will be competitive and complementary cosmological probes in the Euclid/LSST/SKA era



Idealizations



- Pre-subtract galaxy

- Source flux only in masked region

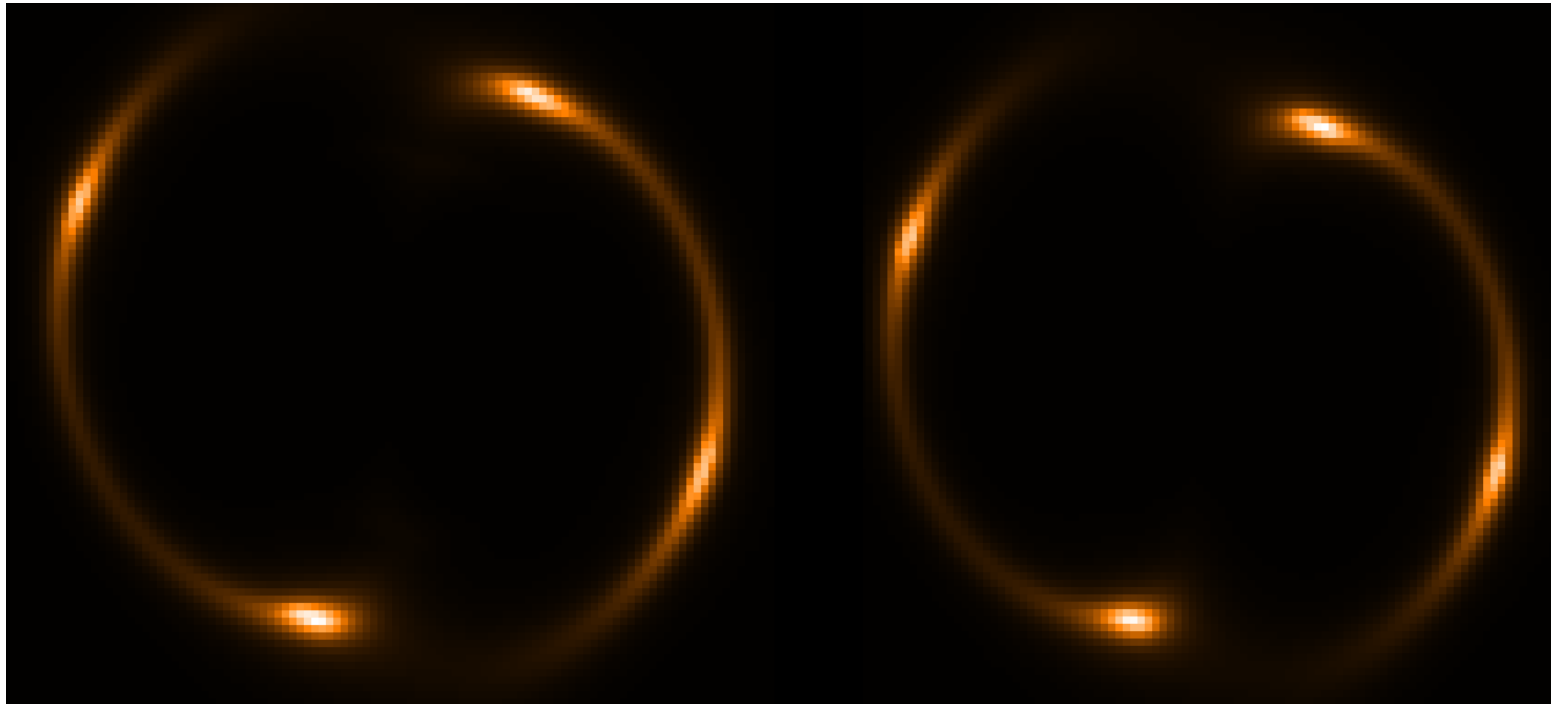
- Deterministic location of first source mass

- Curvature regularized sources

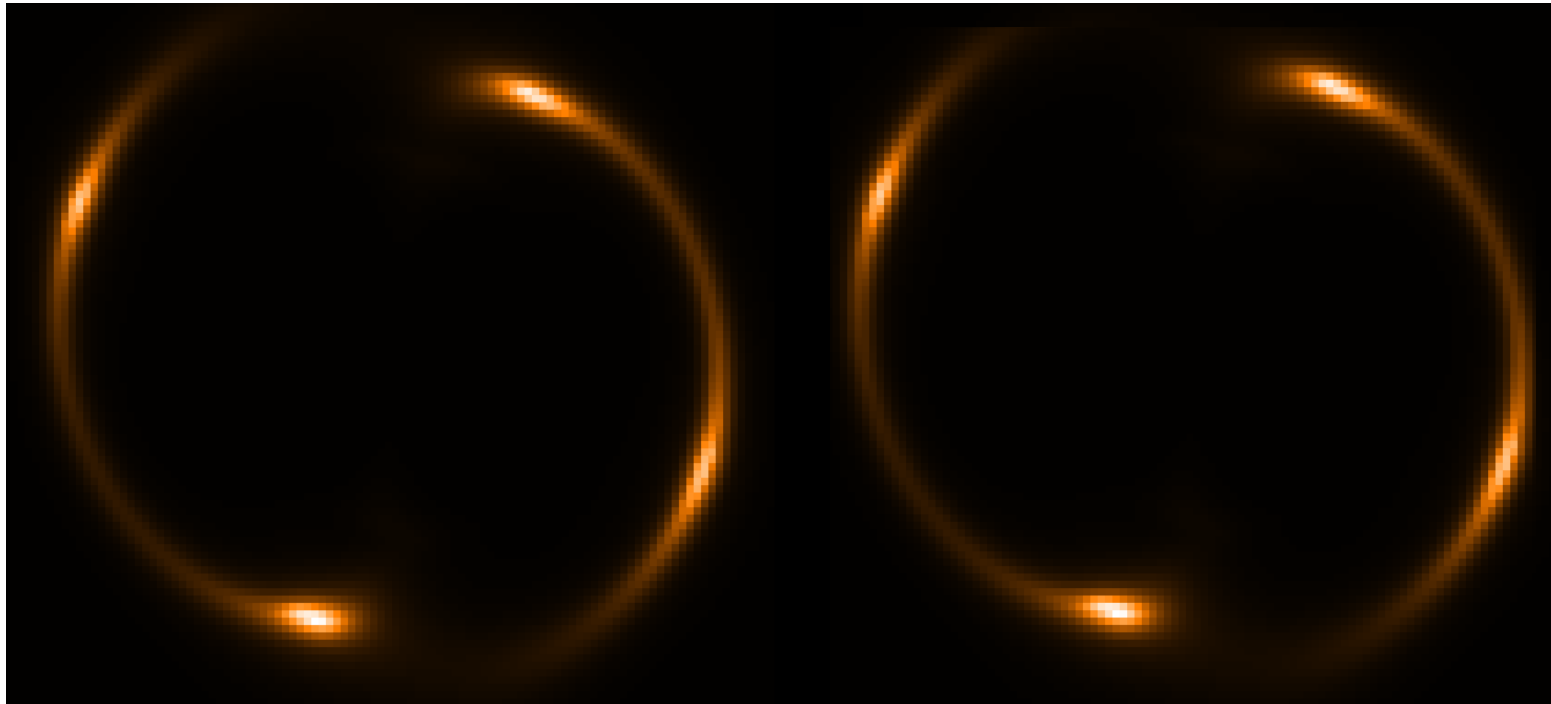
- Simple Mass models

- No line of sight lensing

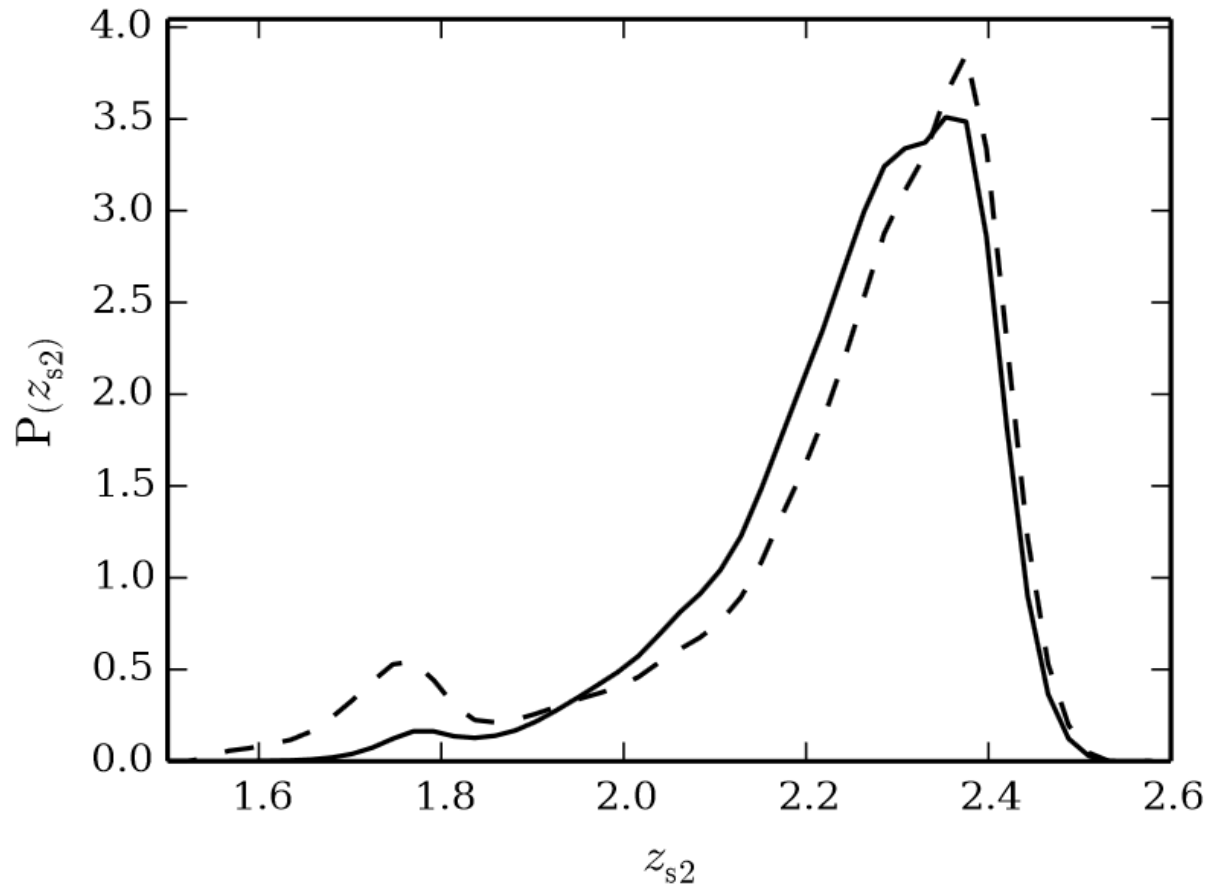
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Second Source Redshift



Exotic lenses with Euclid/LSST

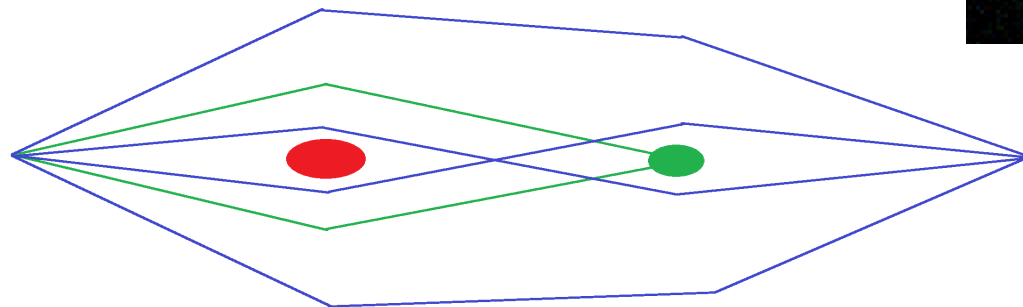
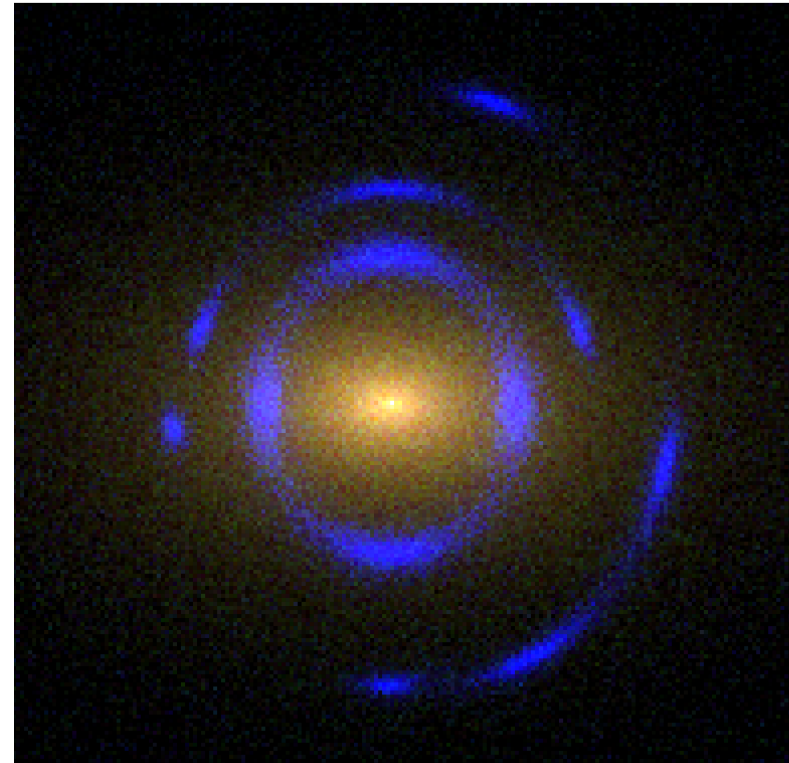
~ 40 lensed type Ia SNe

~ 30 DSPLs where one is an AGN

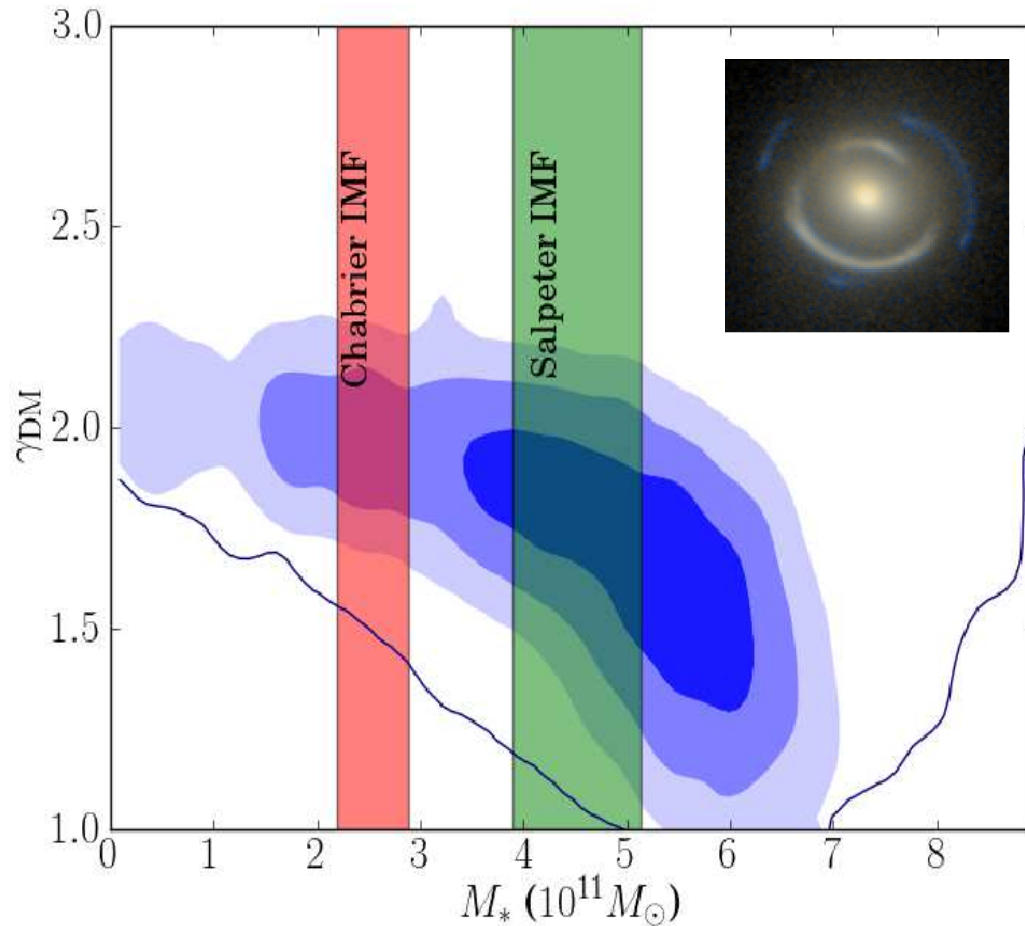
~ Triple source plane lenses?

~ Double time-delay systems?

*These numbers have big error-bars!



Three rings from two sources?



(Sonnenfeld+ 2012)

Profile of the Lens

Strong constraints on the mass profile

$$\rightarrow \gamma_{\text{TOT}} = 1.98 \pm 0.02 \pm 0.01$$

OR

$$\rightarrow \gamma_{\text{DM}} = 1.7 \pm 0.2$$

Using dynamics and both Einstein radii

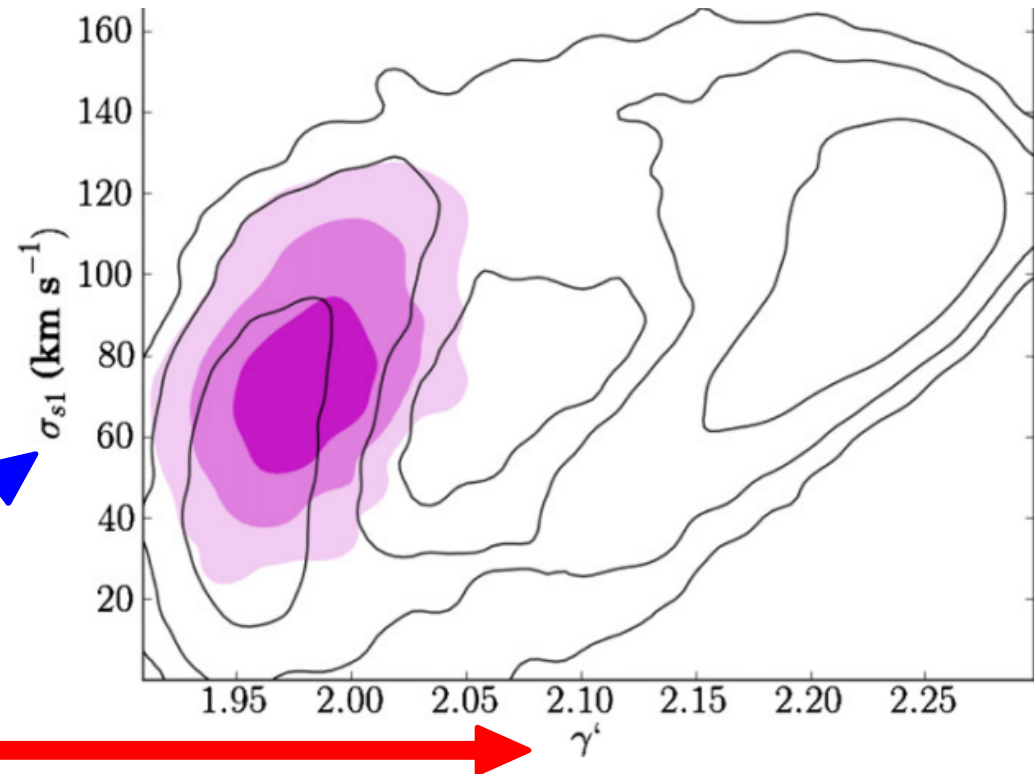
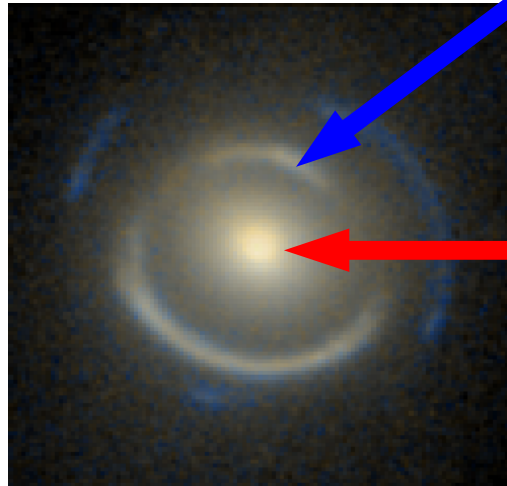
Perturbations by the intermediate source

If completely neglected:

LMC: $\sim 1\%$ systematic error on β

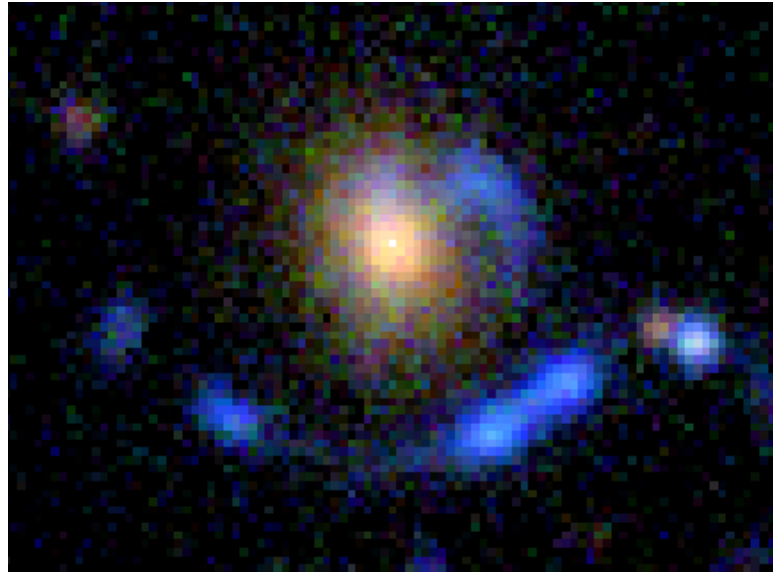
MW: $\sim 10\%$ systematic error on β

Effect is detectable: include in the lens model.



(Sonnenfeld+ 2012, Fixed cosmology, photometric z_{s2})

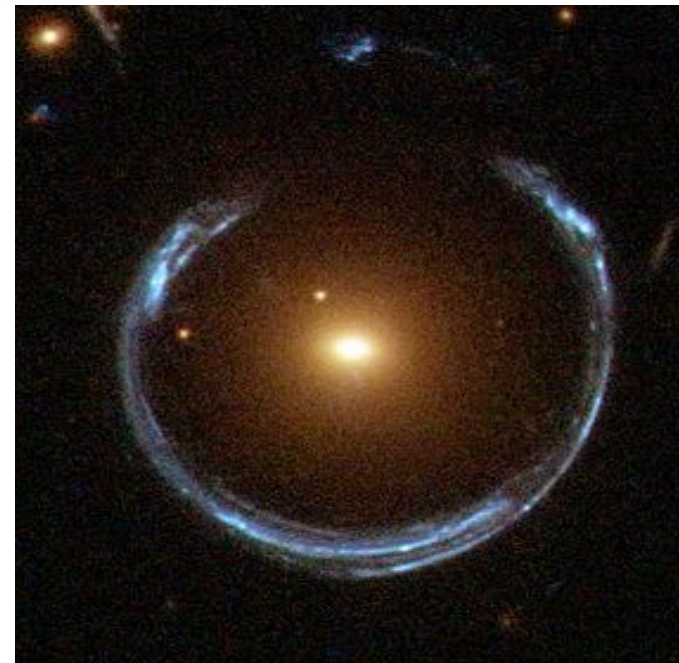
Finding more systems



Piggy-back on deep, large area surveys

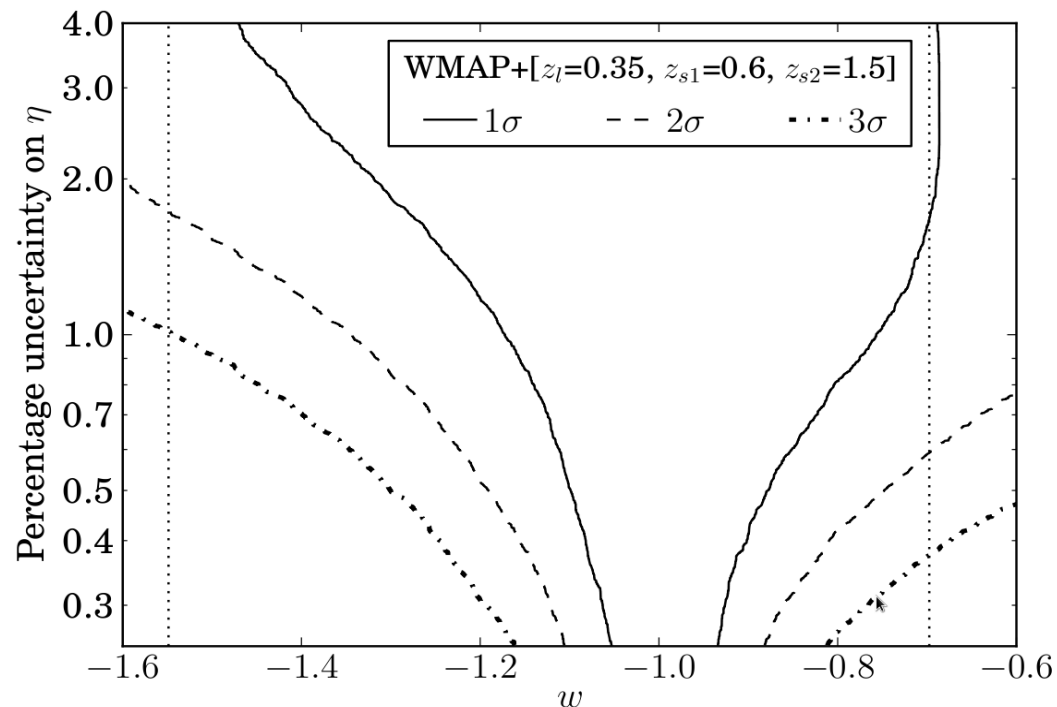
Target known lenses

Target the most massive galaxies



What if we can't measure the ratio of Einstein radii to 1%?

1. Compound lensing – the intermediate source has mass
2. The lens is an astrophysical object
3. Line of sight lensing may be significant



Constraints with 6 systems.

Pick the set of systems that provided the median constraints on w .

WMAP+6 systems is ~ 2.5 times better than WMAP+1.

WMAP+

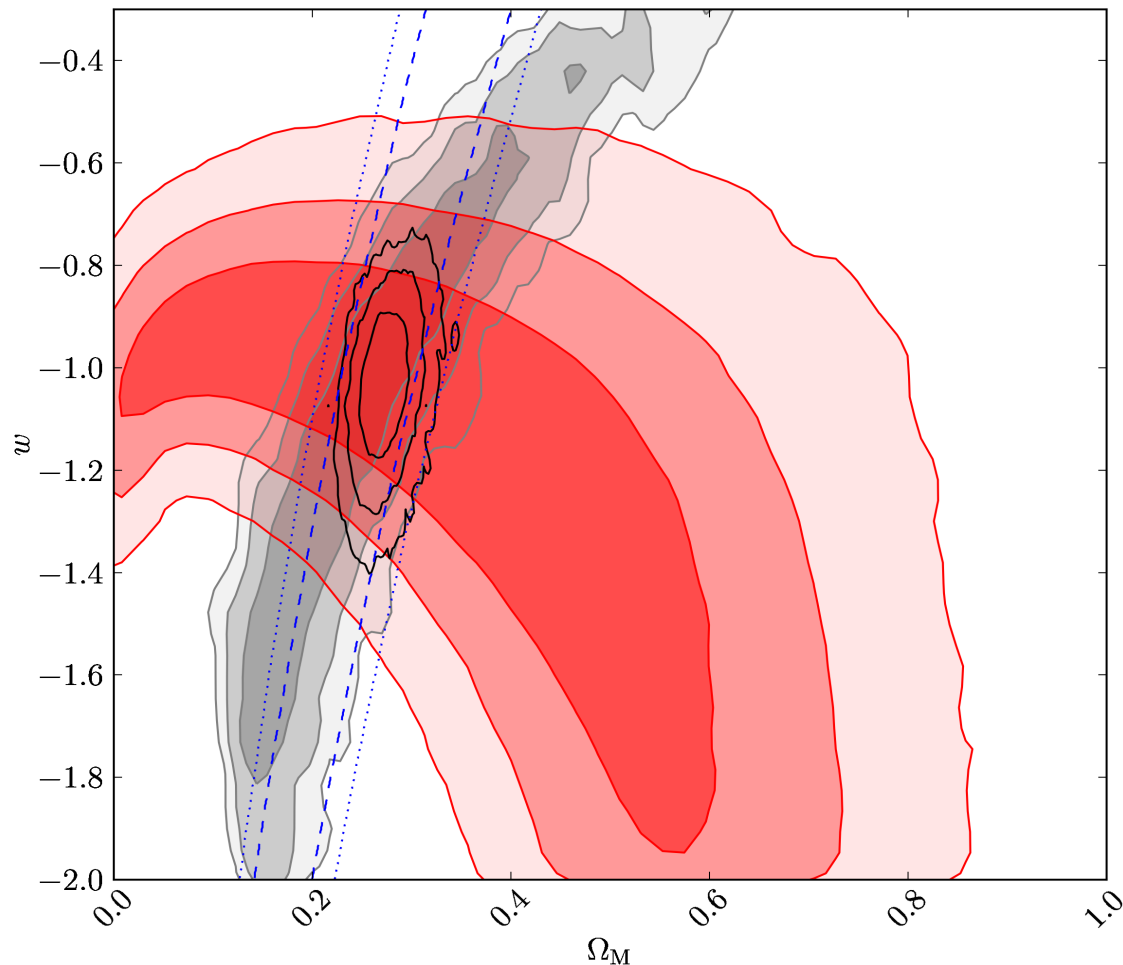
1 system $w_{\text{DE}} = -0.99 \pm 0.27$

6 systems $w_{\text{DE}} = -1.01 \pm 0.11$

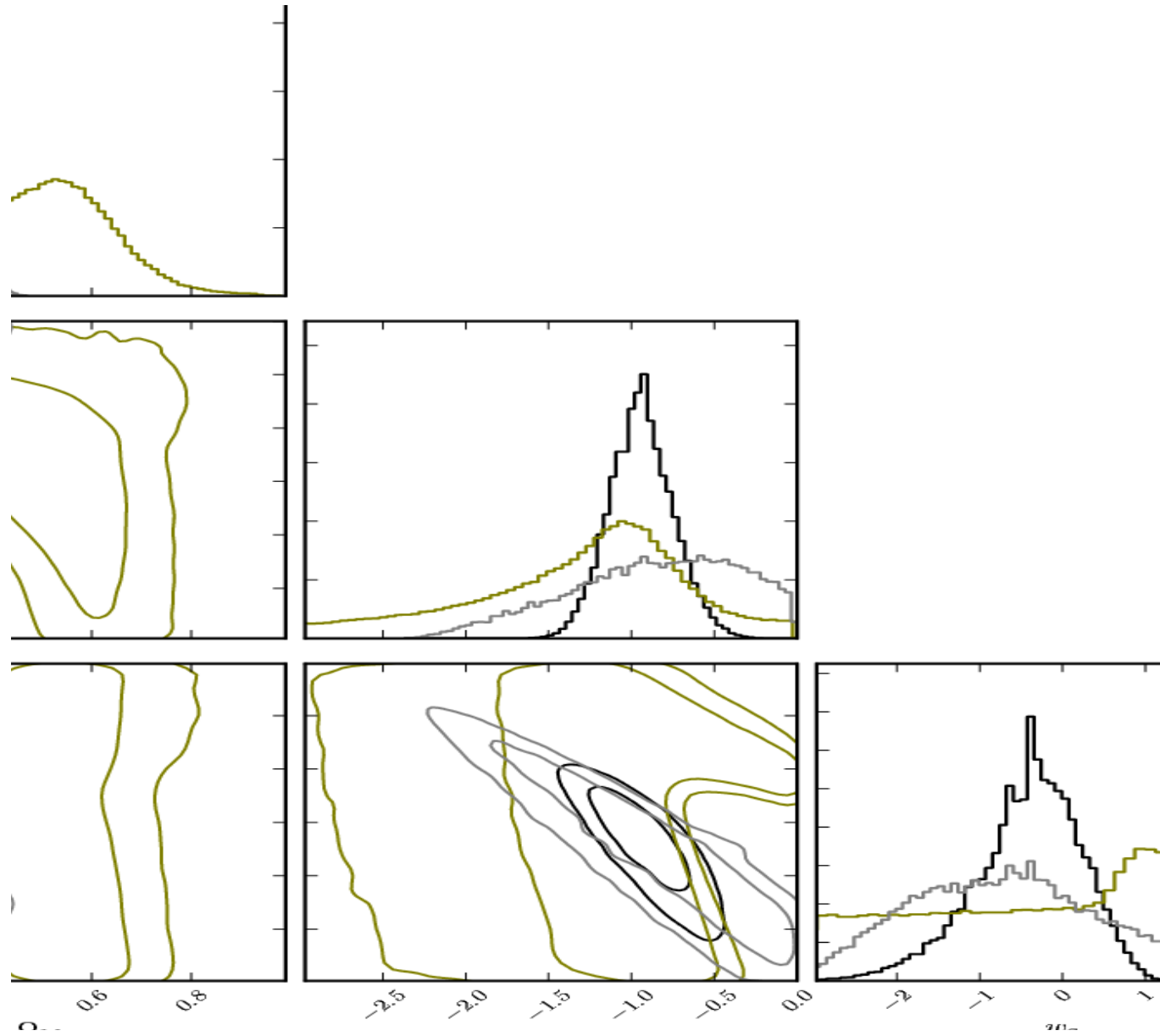
WMAP+BAO+Time Delay+

6 systems $w_{\text{DE}} = -1.04 \pm 0.09$

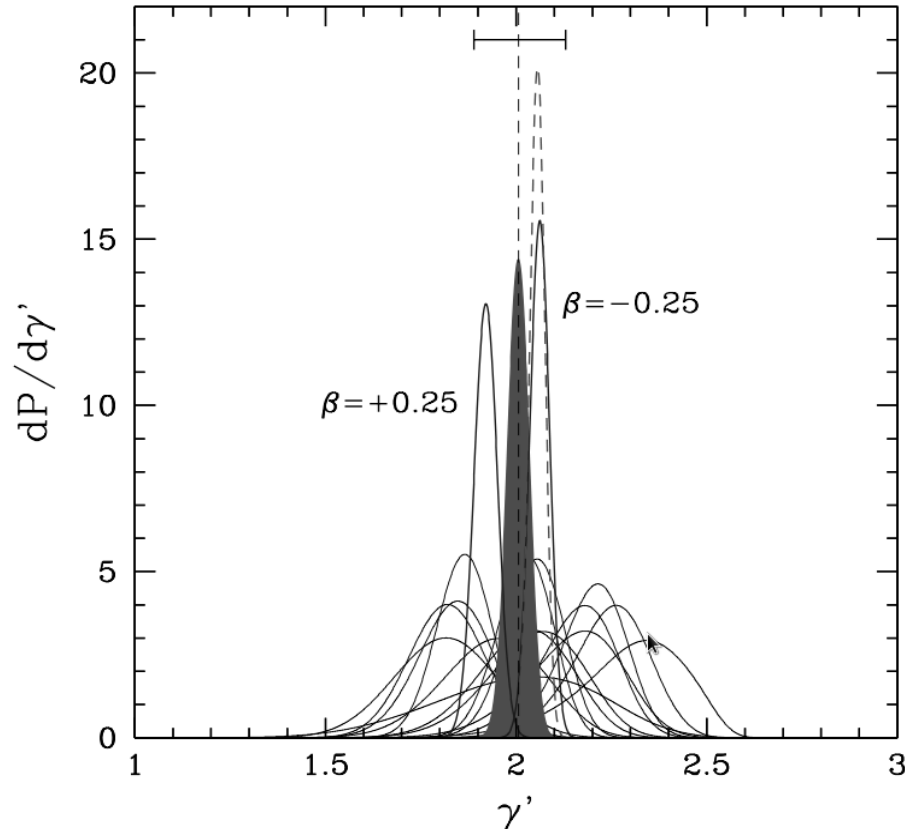
TABLE 3. The typical set of 6 DSPL 6 systems that gave the median w double source plane lenses in this reappeared ($z_1 = 0.227$, $z_s = 0.9$) excluded by the weighted selection system 2 or 4 are likely to play a



Planck+6



Probing the mass profile of galaxies



Combine Einstein Radius
with stellar dynamics

Fit a power-law:

$$\rho = \rho_0 r^{-\gamma'}$$

Lenses are approximately
isothermal ($\gamma' = 2$).

(Koopmans+ 2006)

$\gamma' = 2.078 \pm 0.027$ with an intrinsic scatter of 0.16 ± 0.02
(Auger+ 2010)