

The South Pole Telescope (SPT) cluster survey and its cosmological implications






Some Outstanding Questions

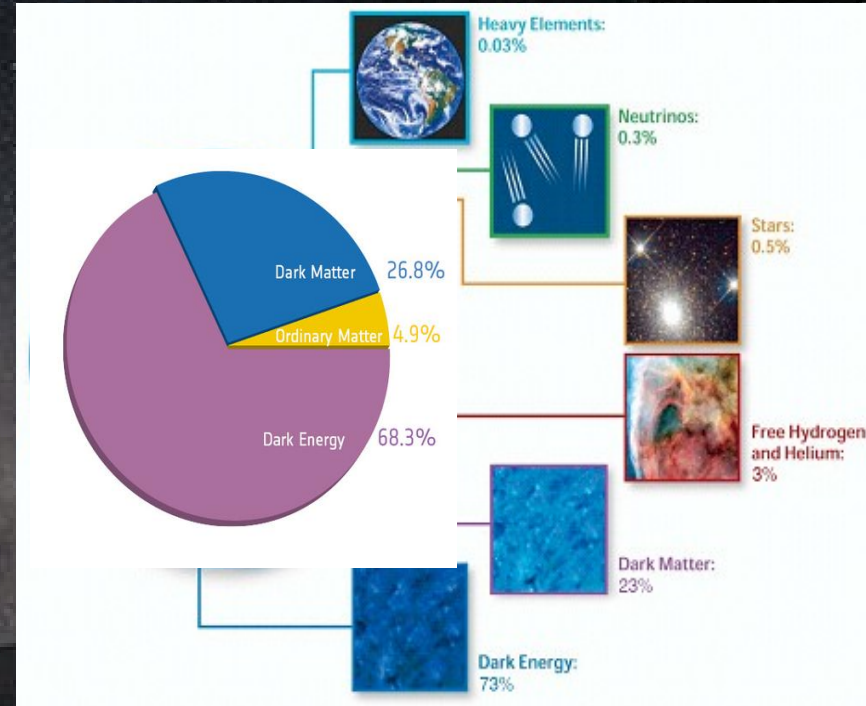
- What is the nature of Dark Matter?
- What is Dark Energy?
- How does gravity behave on large scales?
- What the sum of the neutrino masses?





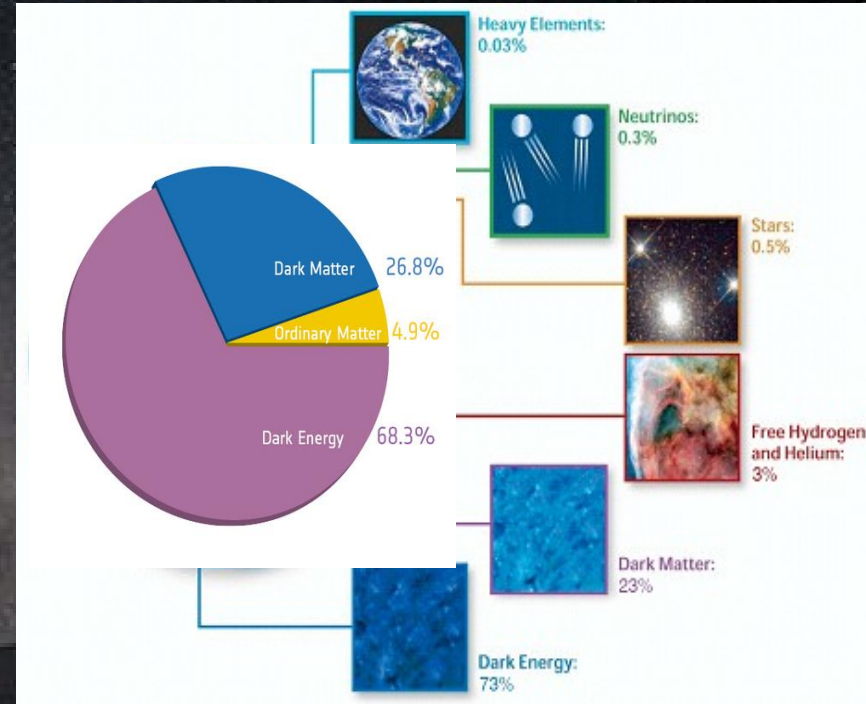
Geometry and Contents of the Universe

- General consensus is that several independent cosmological probes point towards a consistent model of flat LCDM
- A model where $\sim 70\%$ of the energy density is “dark energy” $\sim 25\%$ is “dark matter” and the rest is “normal matter” is consistent with all available data
- Understanding the root cause of the cosmic acceleration is the primary focus of observational cosmology today




Geometry and Contents of the Universe

- Dominant source of cosmological information is coming from primary CMB fluctuations at $z \sim 1100$
- Few $\lesssim 2\sigma$ tensions are present when combining CMB with local probes, e.g.:
 - H_0 (Riess et al. 2016)
 - Cosmic shear (KiDS, CFHTLens, DES)
 - Clusters (e.g., Planck 15)

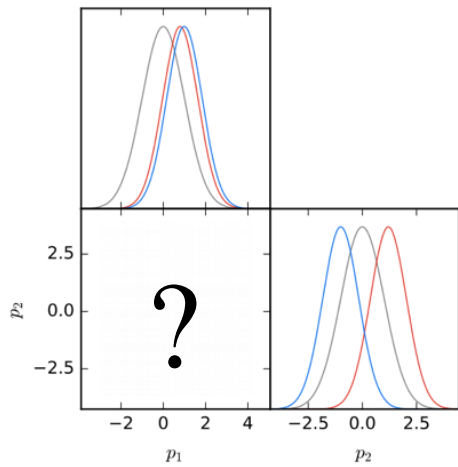




What do we mean by tensions?

- Is a model appropriate to describe the data?
 - Goodness of the fit test
 - For a model M with parameters θ , different data-sets/experiments should provide consistent posterior distributions of θ
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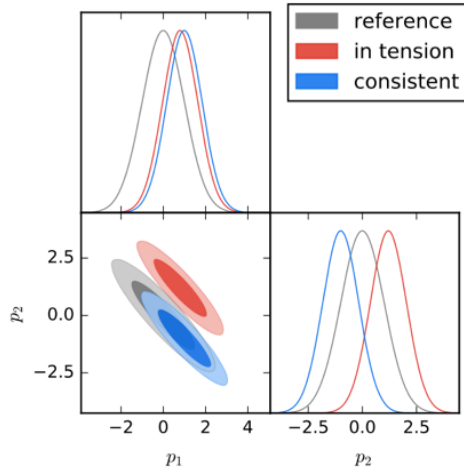
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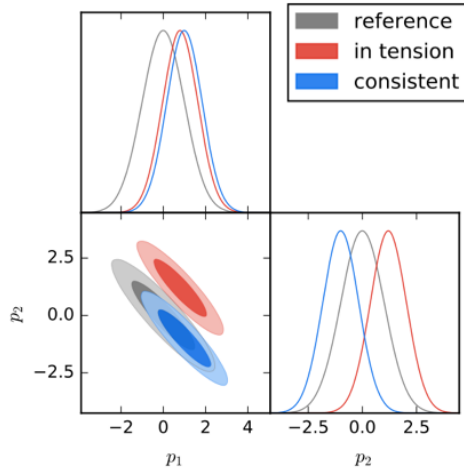


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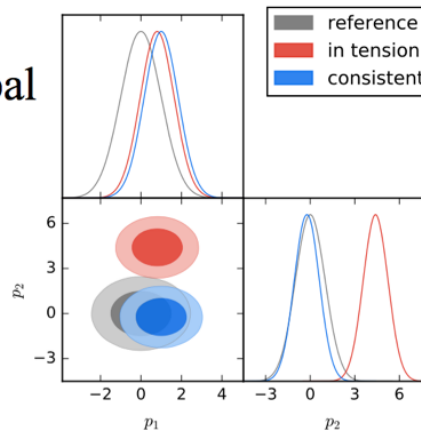
- Projections and marginalized distributions are often misleading!!

Consistency of data-sets



	KL	$\langle KL \rangle$	S	$\sigma(KL)$
red	14.5	0.51	14.0	0.43
blue	0.84	0.51	0.32	0.43

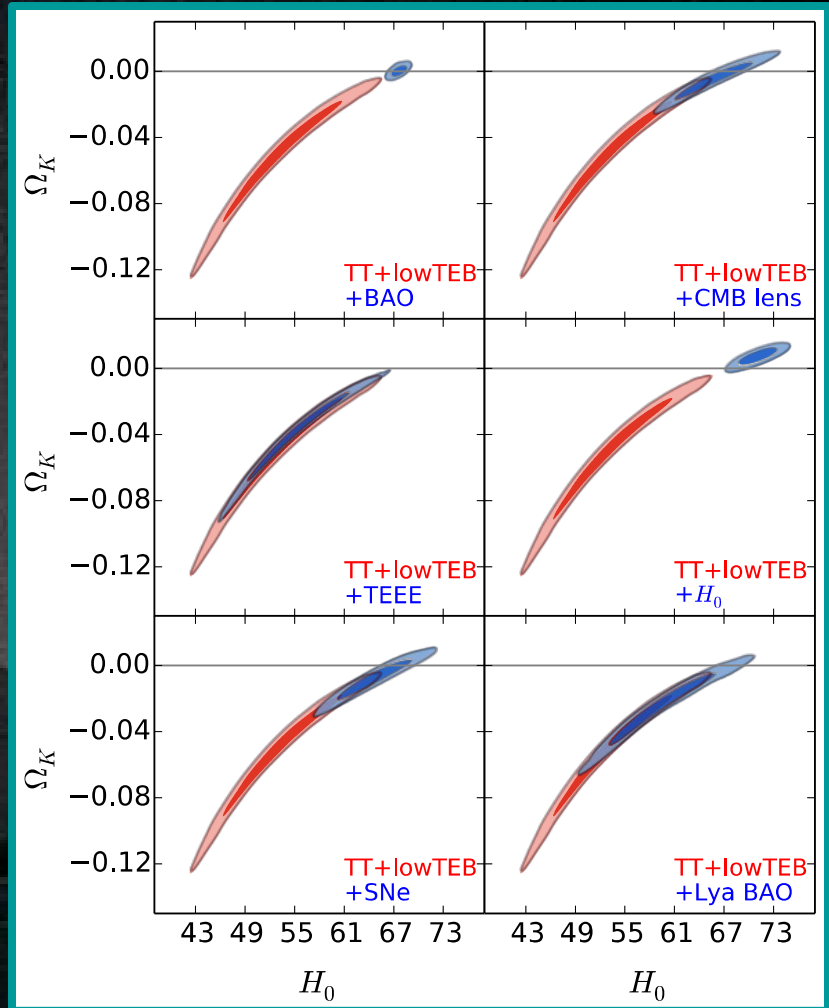
Mapping into Principal Components of prior



Surprise spots
“hidden” Tension

The example of flatness

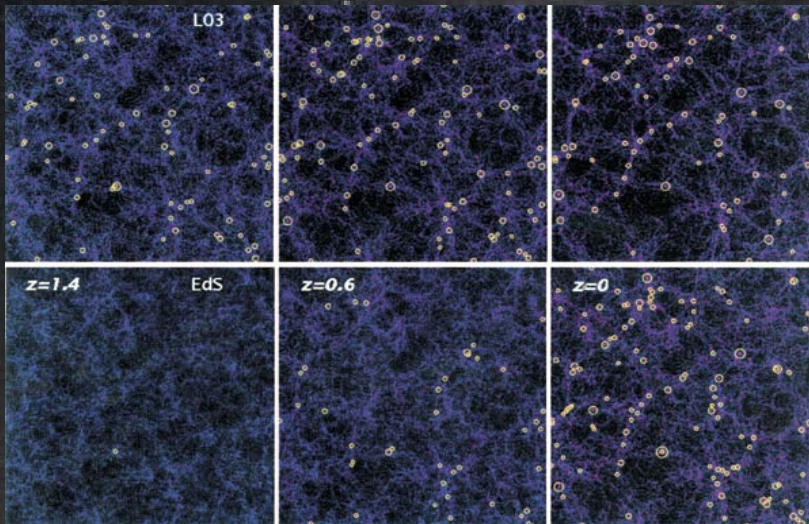
- For example considering flatness: $|\Omega_k| < 0.005$ (Planck++15)
- Also a related A_L 2σ tension between Planck TT + low TEB and Lensing constraints
- Consistency with non-CMB data?
- In curved LCDM there is 8σ surprise when adding H_0
- Planck prefers curved Universe at 2.7σ
- In curved LCDM model $>3\sigma$ surprises exist between Planck TT + low TEB and BAO, SNe, H_0 and CMB lensing
- **We focus on Galaxy Cluster as Cosmological probes**



Galaxy Clusters Are Powerful Cosmological Tools

- Sensitive to both geometry and growth of structures
- Complementary to geometrical probes as CMB, BAO, SNe

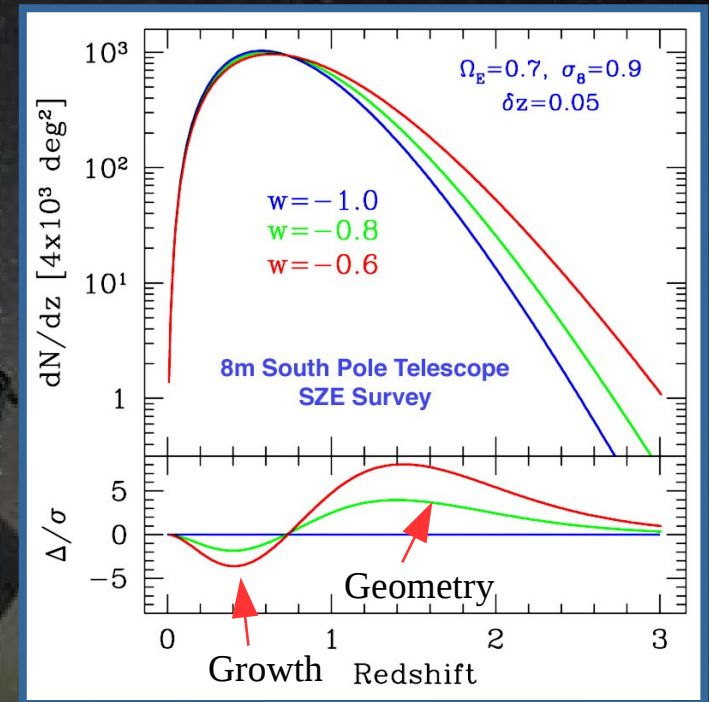
Λ CDM:



Borgani & Guzzo (2001)

EdS:
 $\Omega_\Lambda=0$

- Same distribution at redshift zero
- Completely different redshift evolution

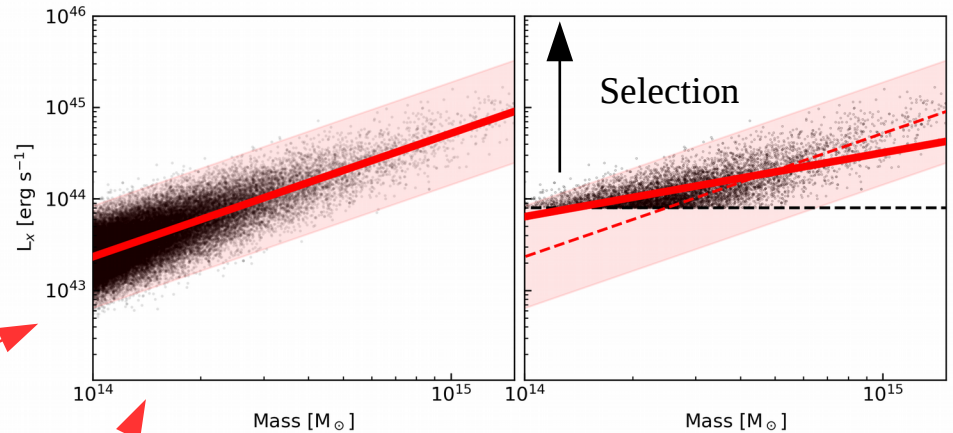


Redshift distribution is sensitive to distance-redshift relation and rate of structure growth

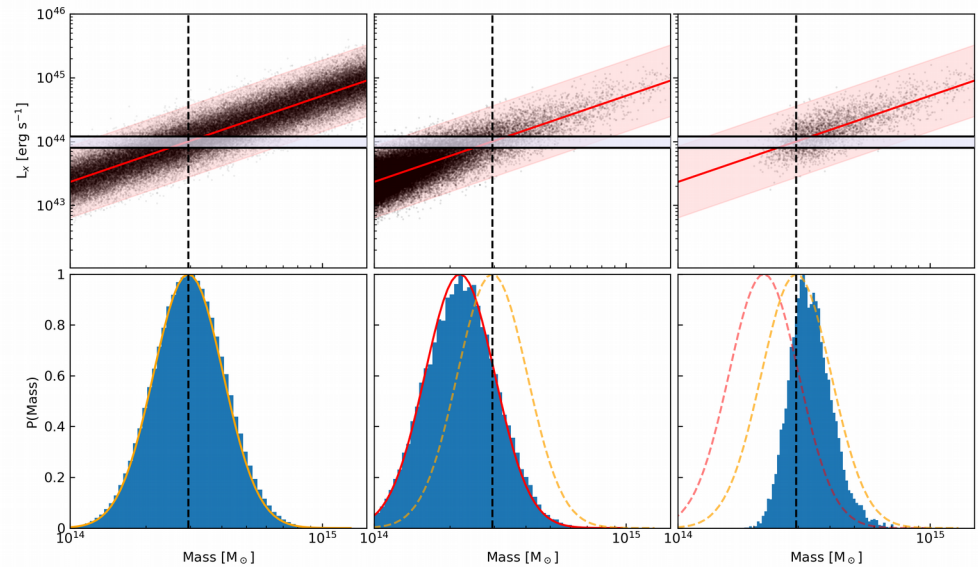
Credit: Joe Mohr

Cluster Cosmology

- Have a theory prediction for the Halo Abundances
- Find Galaxy Clusters
- Obtain redshifts (distance)
- Mass proxies
 - Scaling relations Astrophysics
 - Malmquist bias
 - Eddington bias
 - Selection



Cosmology



Cluster Surveys Provide a Rich Source of Information

Halo Redshift Distribution

Sensitive to volume-redshift relation and halo abundance evolution

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Geometry

Growth

Press & Schechter 72

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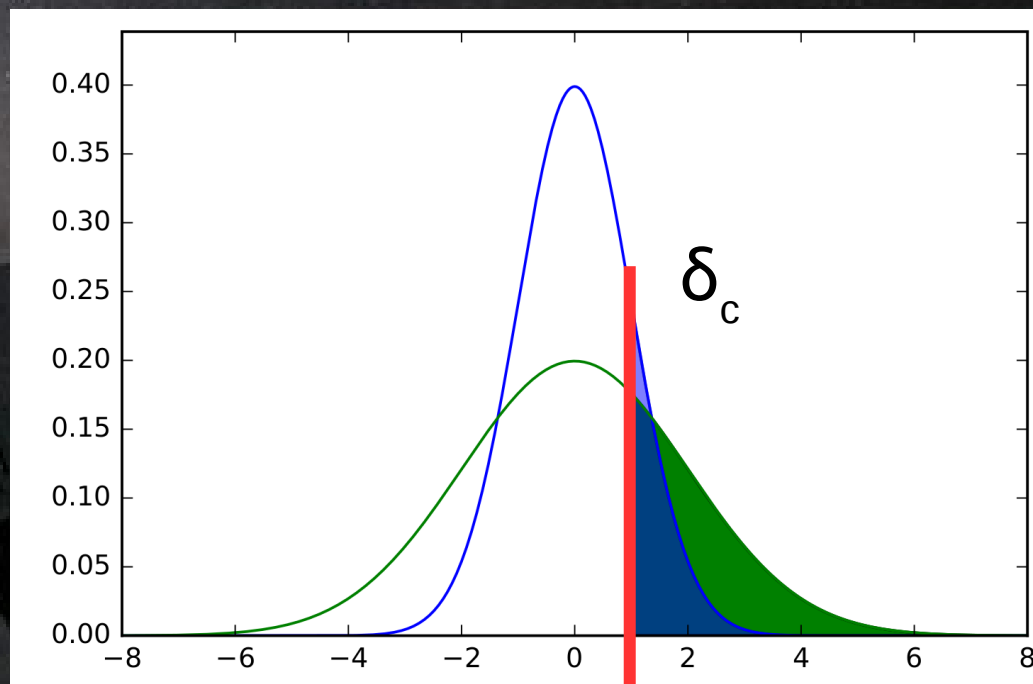
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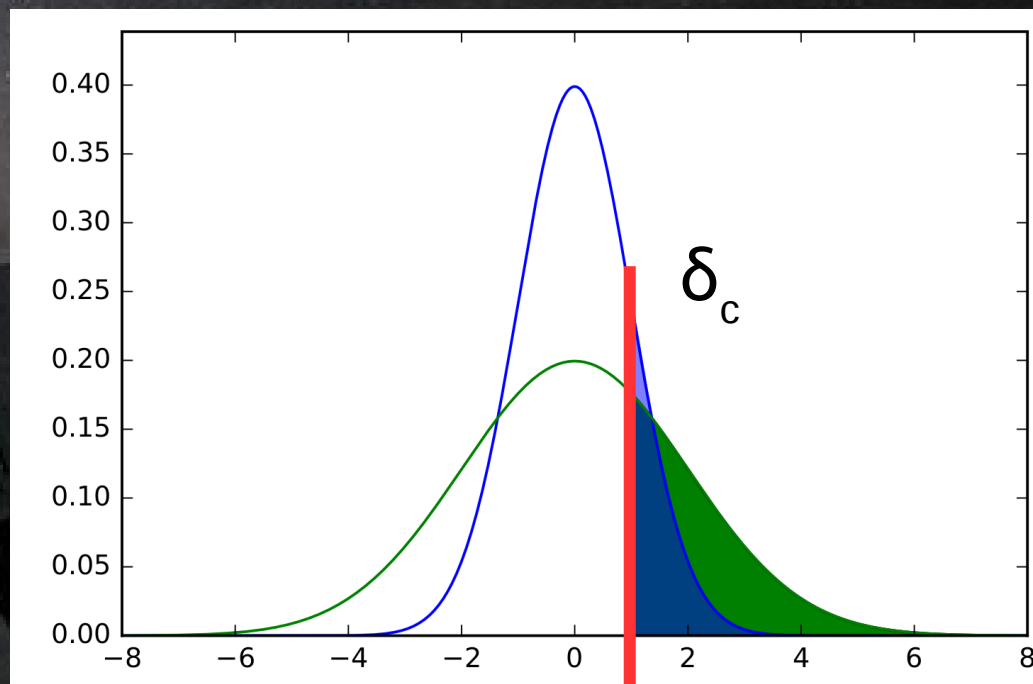
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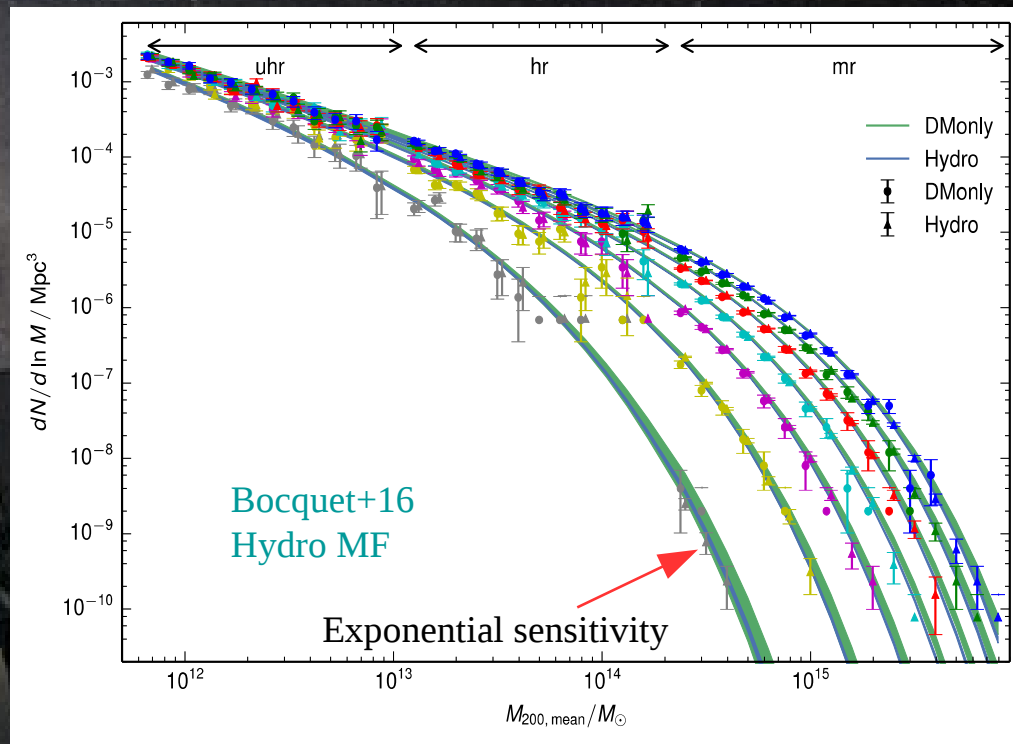
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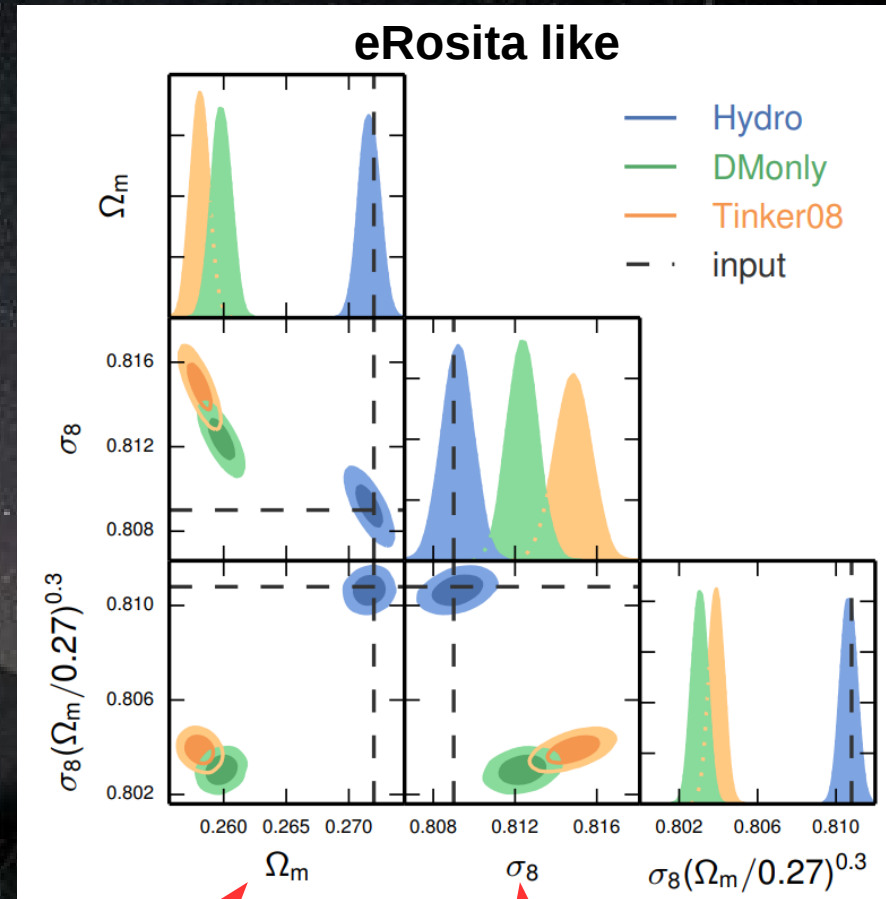
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Baryon Impact on Mass Function

Bocquet+16

- For massive cluster surveys like Planck and SPT there is no significant impact of baryon physics on the MF
- Of greater importance is the difference between the Tinker and the Bocquet mass functions!



Matter Density
Dominated by DM

Related to the amplitude
of the primordial fluctuations

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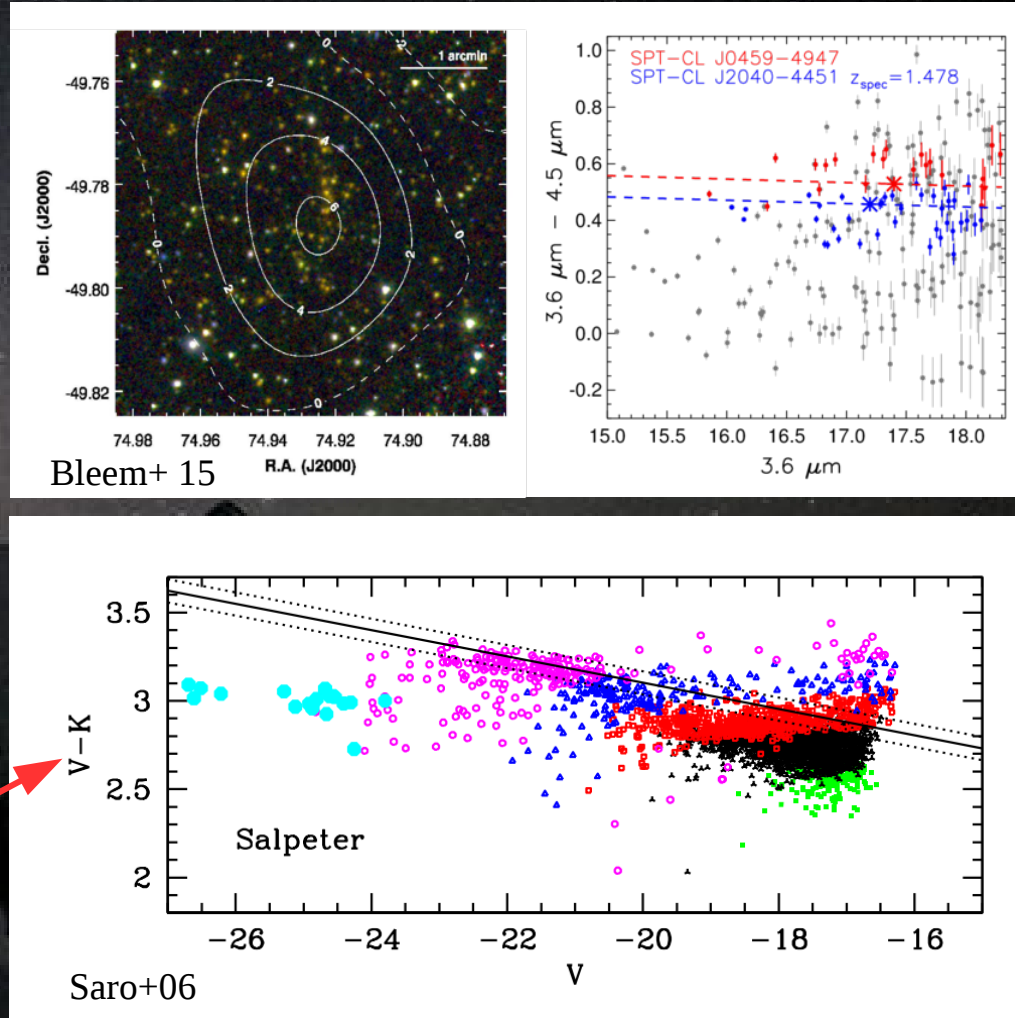
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\propto Ratio of luminosities in different bands





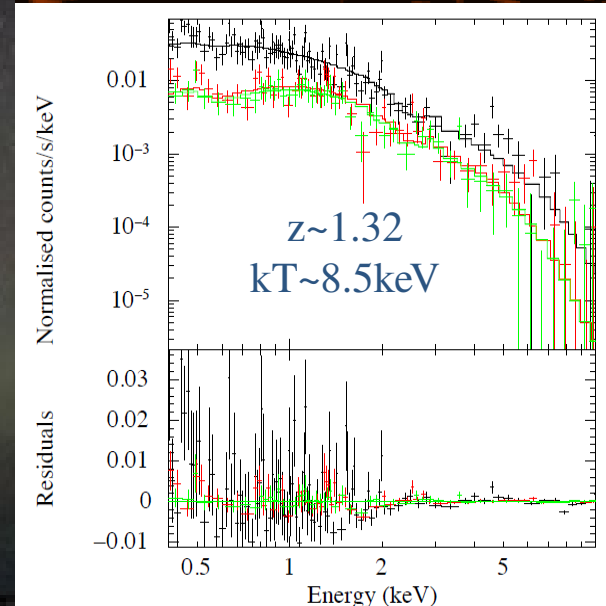
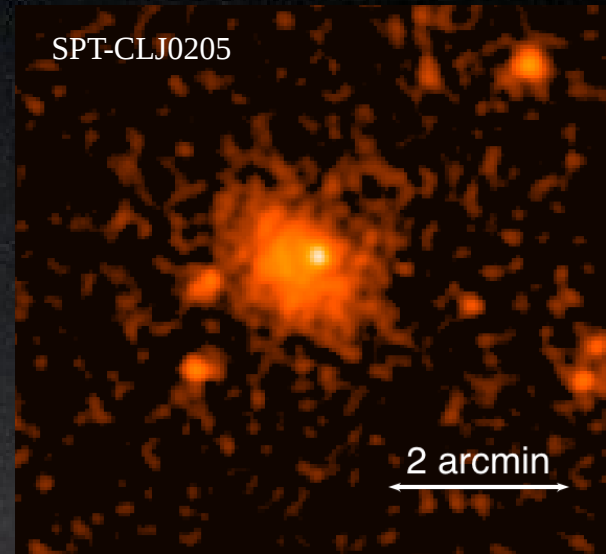
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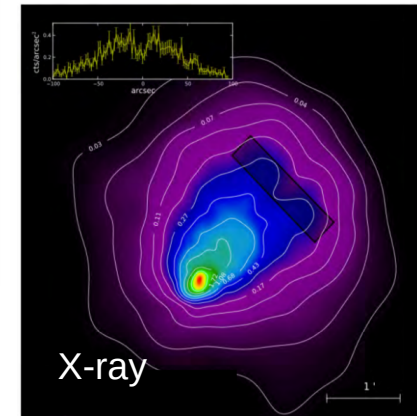
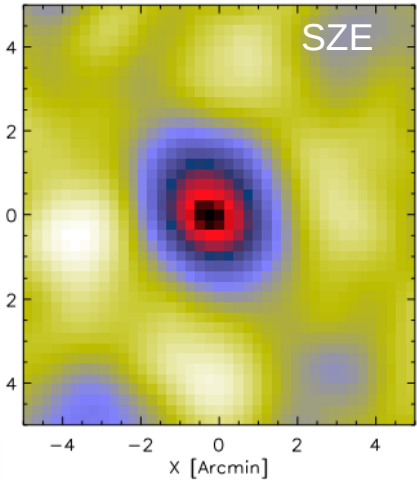
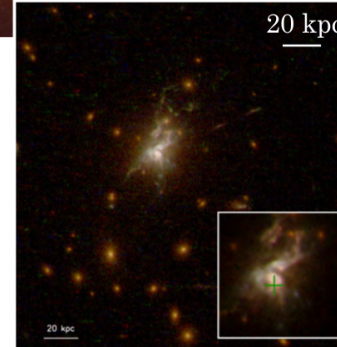
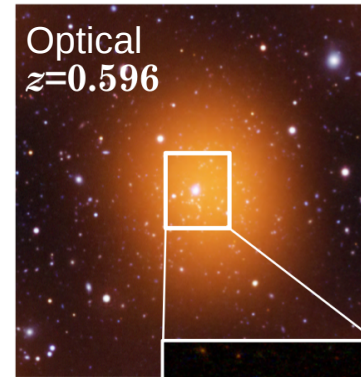
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- Light from galaxies
- Sunyaev-Zel’dovich Effect

SPT-CL J2344-4243: The “Phoenix Cluster”

McDonald+12



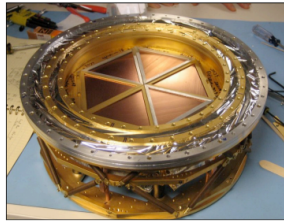
The South Pole Telescope (SPT)

10-meter
submm wave telescope

100 150 220 GHz and
1.6 1.2 1.0 arcmin resolution

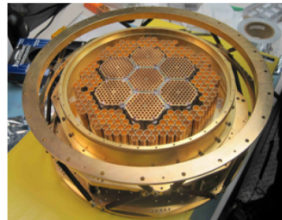
2007: SPT-SZ

960 detectors (UCB)
100, 150, 220 GHz



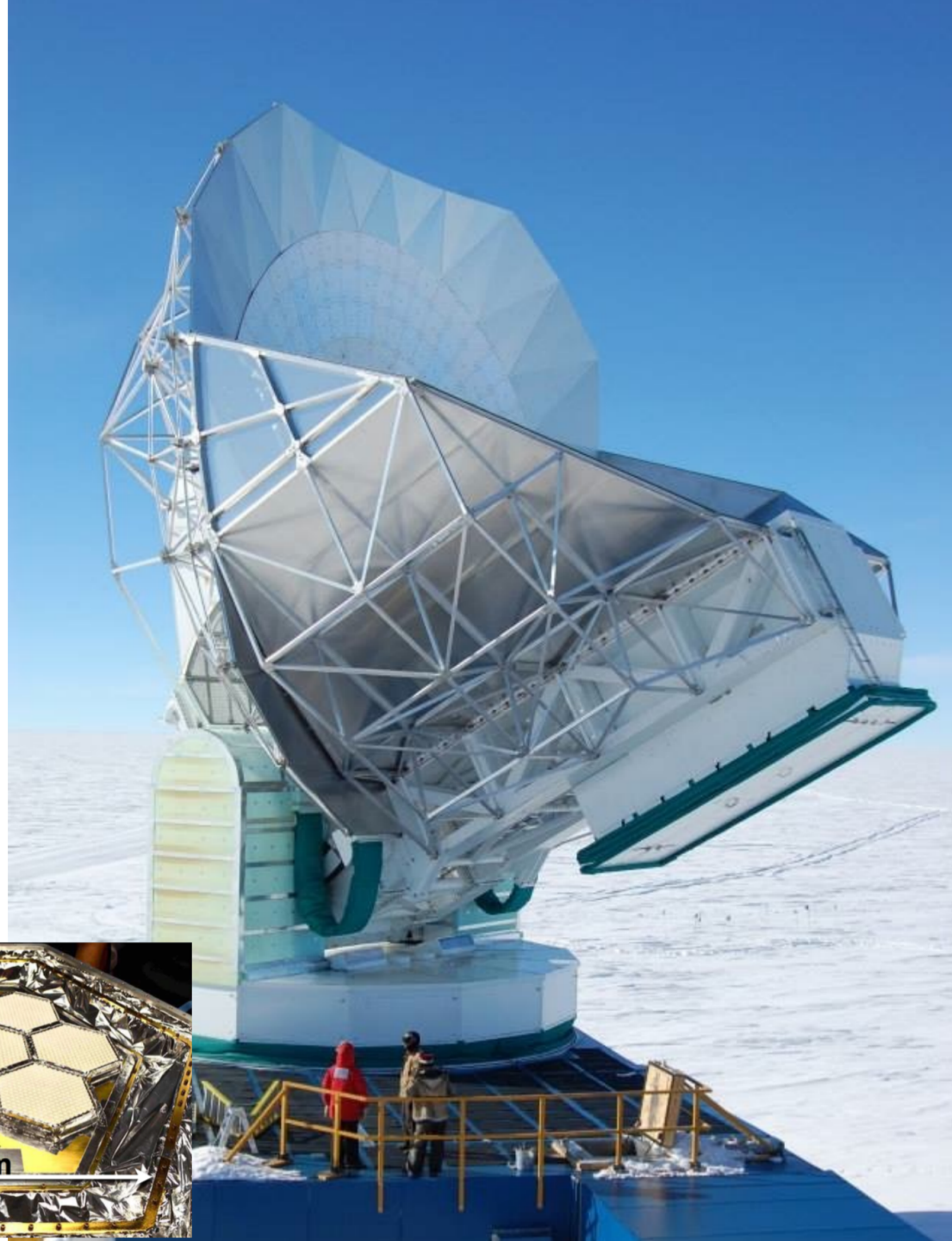
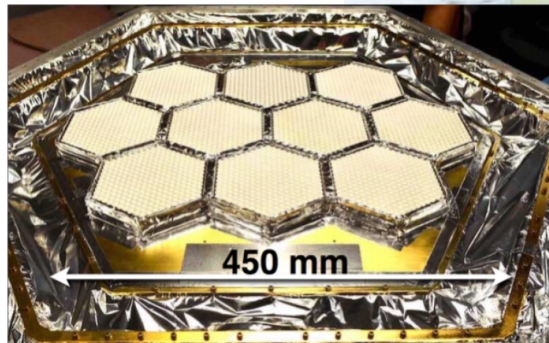
2012: SPTpol

1600 detectors
100, 150 GHz
+Polarization



2016: SPT-3G

16,000 detectors
100, 150, 220 GHz
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South Pole Telescope

Amundsen-Scott



Main Station

Keck

IceCube
counting house

BICEP & SPT

The South Pole Telescope Collaboration

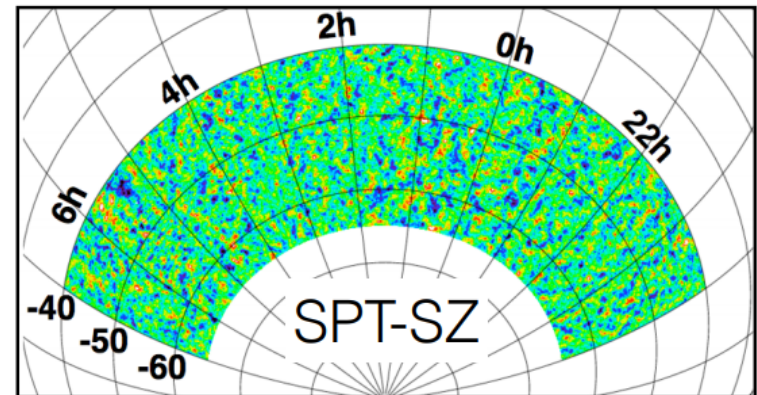
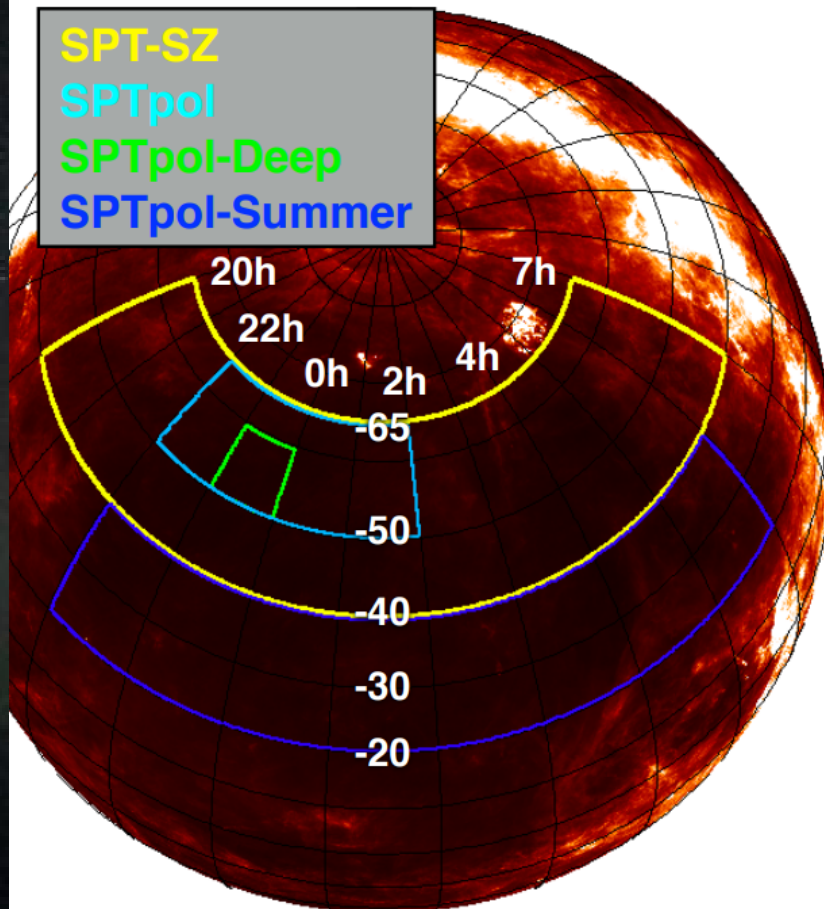


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SPT Survey

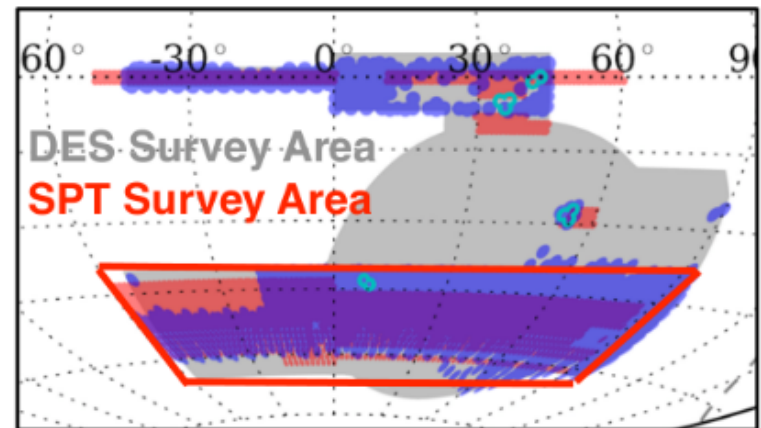
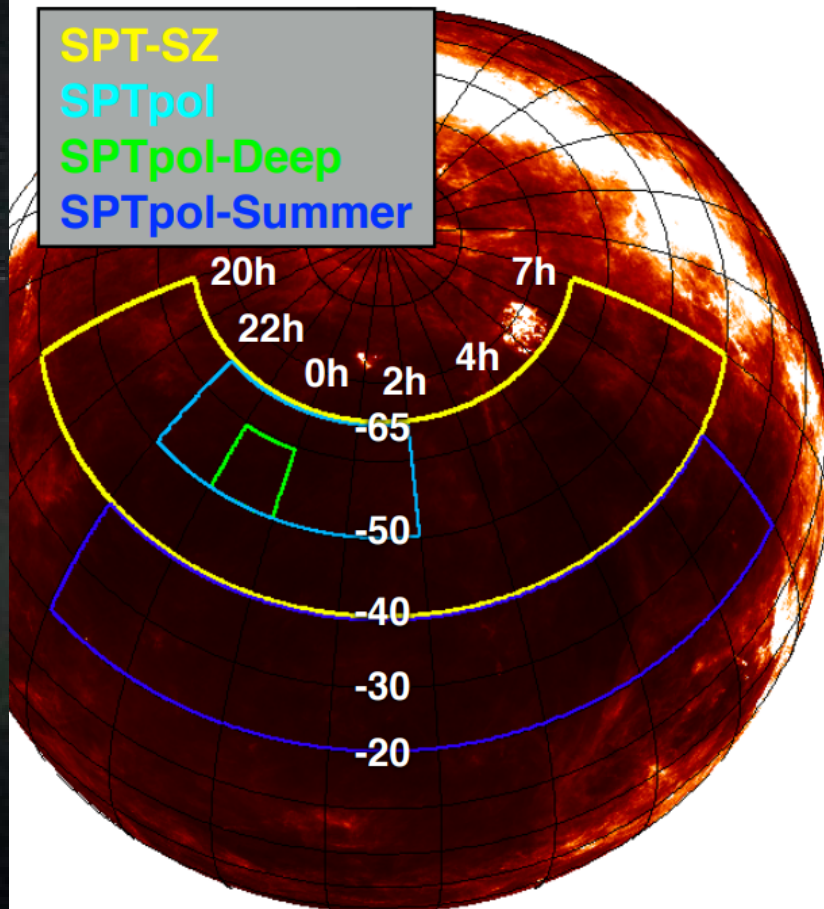
The SPT Surveys 5000 deg²



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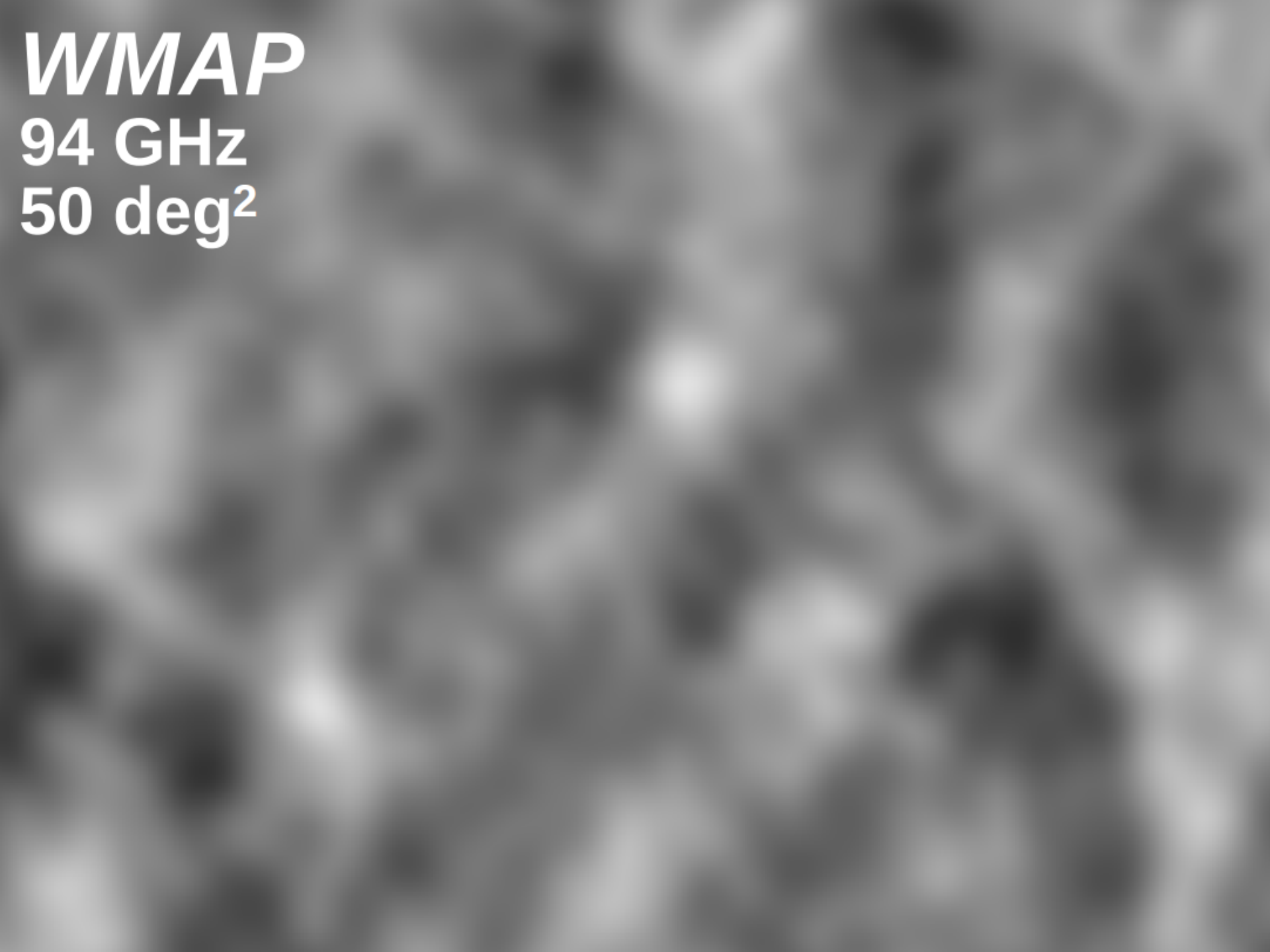
Complete overlap with DES survey
Saro+15, +16

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WMAP

94 GHz

50 deg²





Planck

143 GHz

50 deg²

2x finer angular
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7x deeper

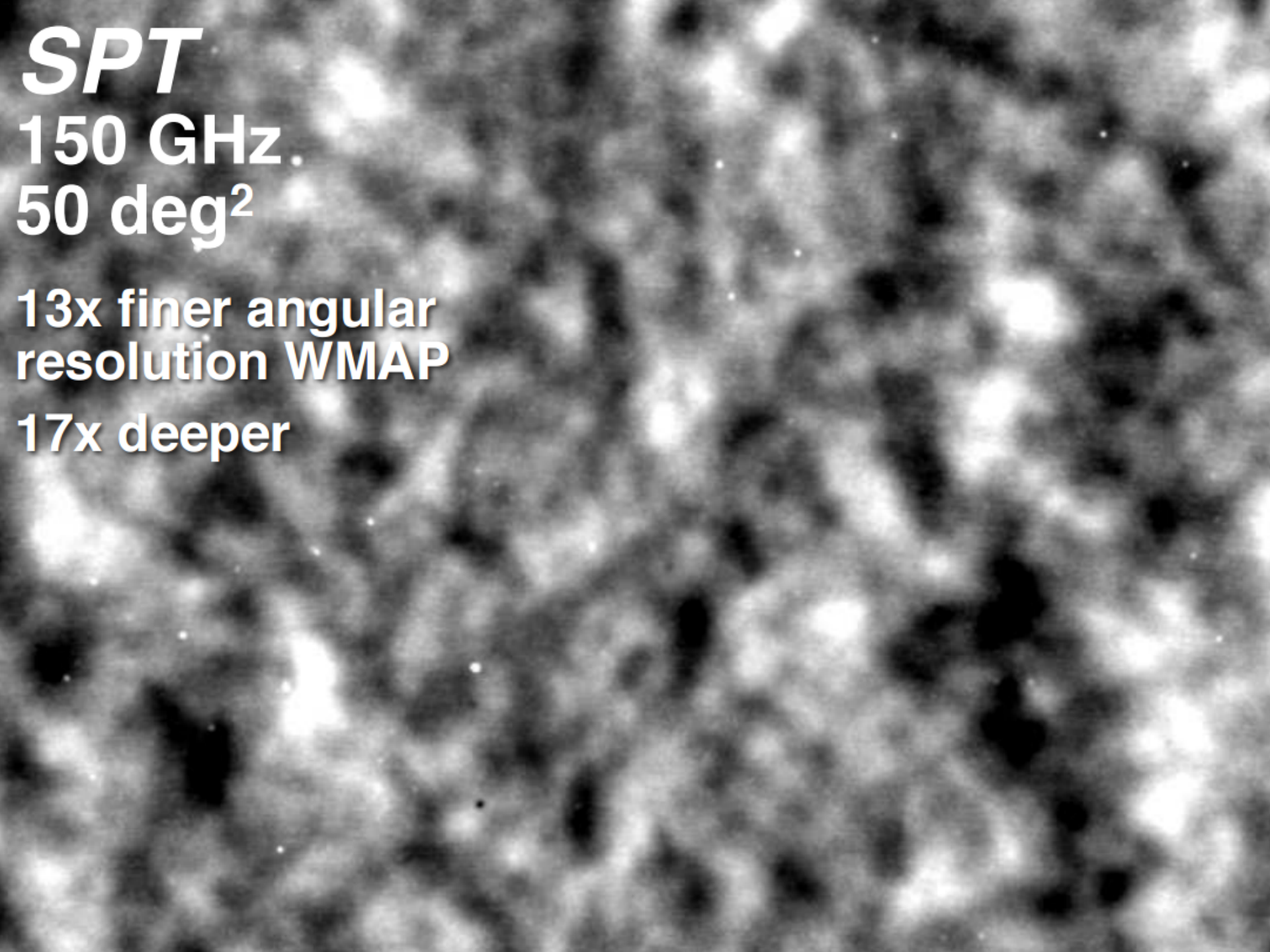
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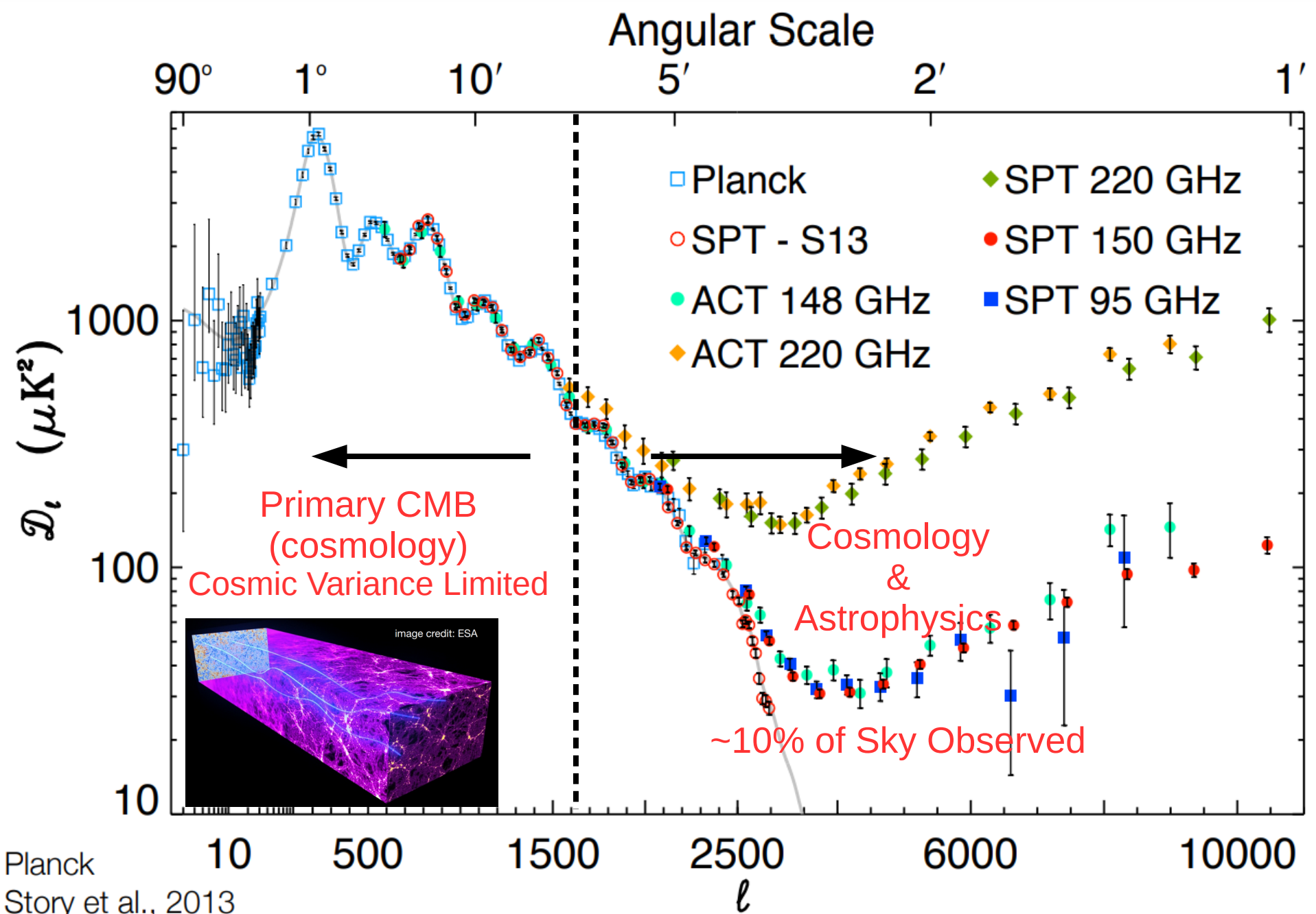
150 GHz.

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**13x finer angular
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17x deeper





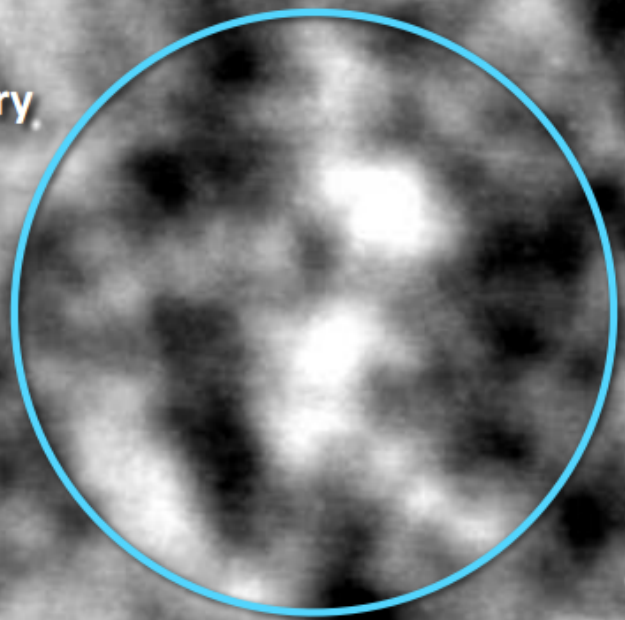
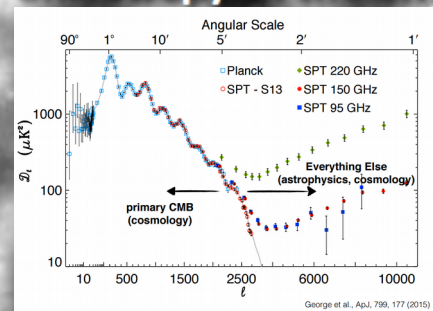
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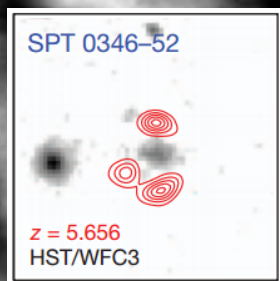
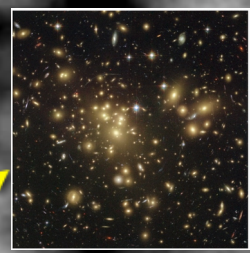
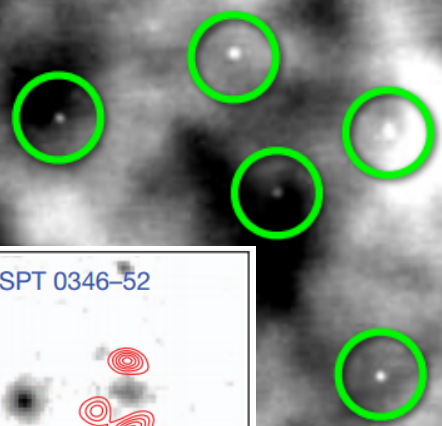
CMB Anisotropy

Primordial and secondary anisotropy in the CMB



Point Sources

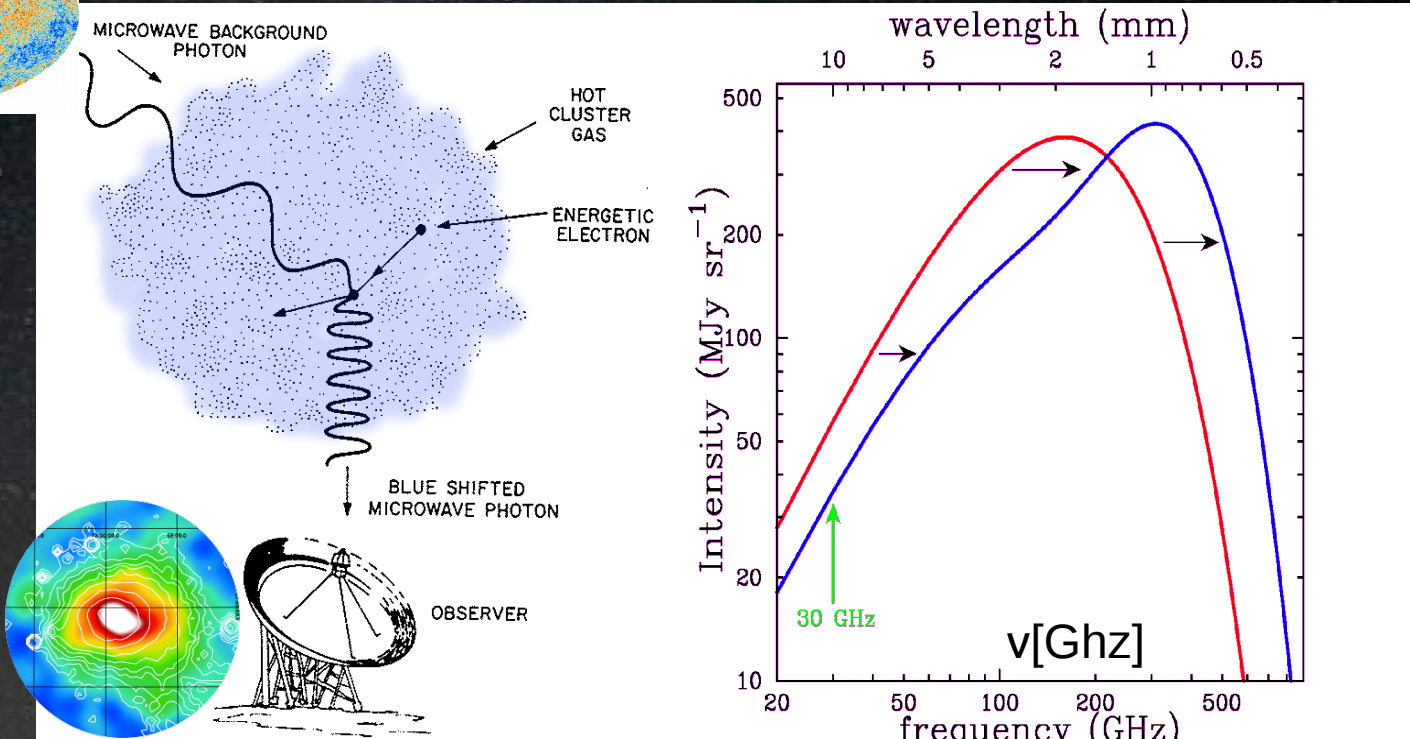
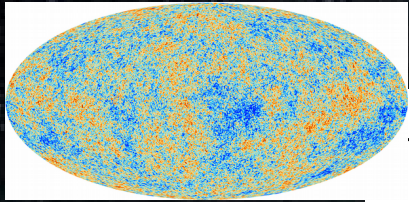
Active galactic nuclei, and the most distant, star-forming galaxies



Clusters of Galaxies

“Shadows” in the microwave background from clusters of galaxies

Clusters and the Sunyaev-Zel'dovich Effect



Adapted from L. Van Speybroeck Sunyaev & Zel'dovich 1970, 1972

Spectral Distortion of CMB – redshift independent!

Clusters and the Sunyaev-Zel'dovich Effect

The change of CMB temperature at the position of the the cluster due to the SZE can be expressed as:

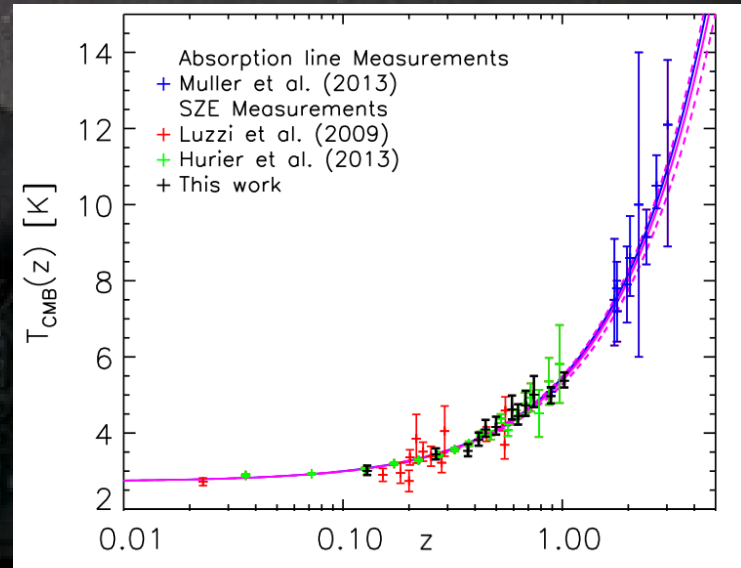
$$\frac{T(\hat{n}) - T_0}{T_0} = \int G(\nu) \frac{k_B T_e}{m_e c^2} d\tau = G(\nu) y_c$$

Where: $y_c = (k_B \sigma_T / m_e c^2) \int n_e T_e dl$, $G(x) = x \coth(x/2) - 4$ and $x \equiv h\nu / kT$

If the Universe expands adiabatically we have:

$$T(z) = T_0(1 + z) \quad \nu(z) = \nu_0(1 + z)$$
$$x = h\nu(z) / kT(z) \downarrow = h\nu_0 / kT_0 = x_0$$

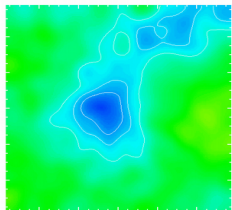
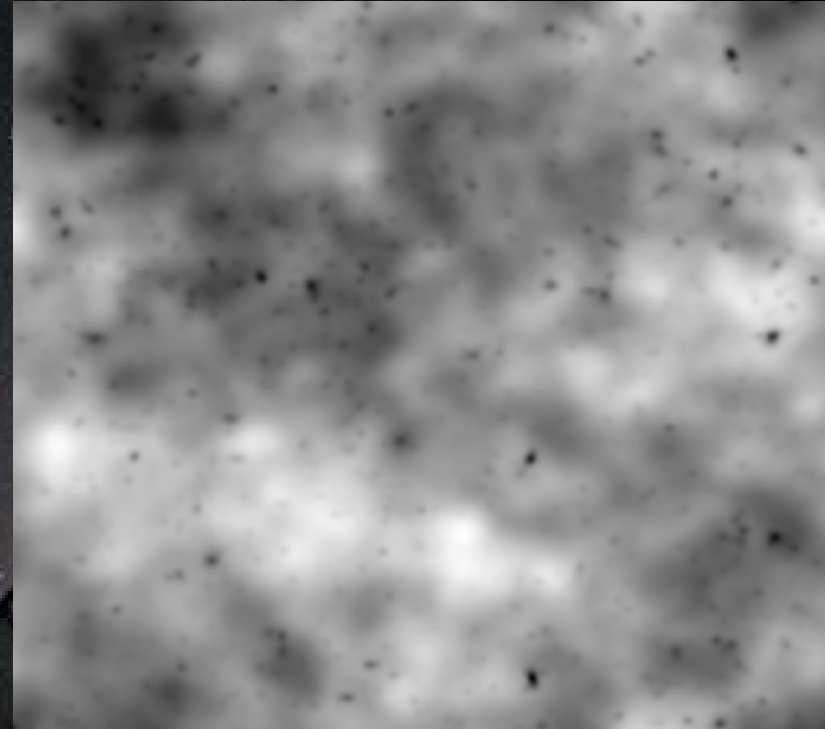
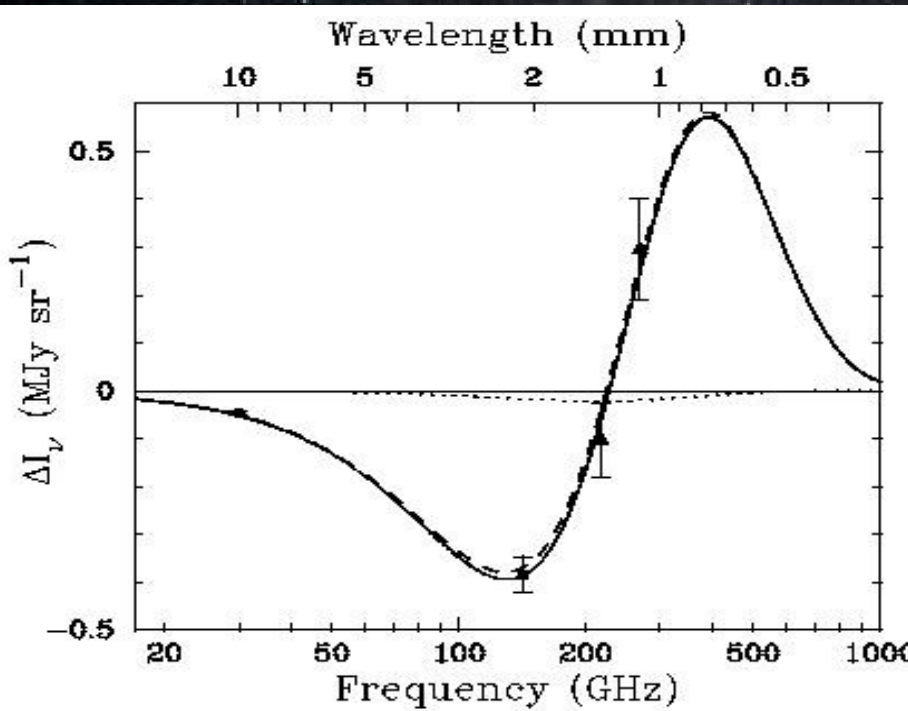
- Redshift independent \Leftrightarrow
Allows to test adiabatic
expansion of the Universe
Saro+14



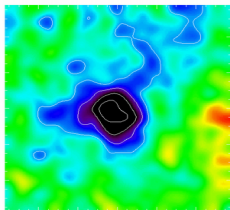
SZE Signature of Galaxy Clusters

Unique spectrum

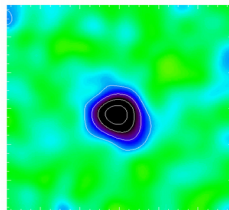
Unique angular scale



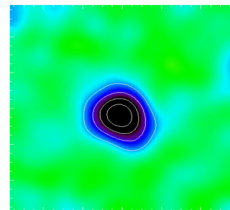
44 GHz



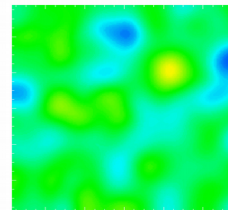
70 GHz



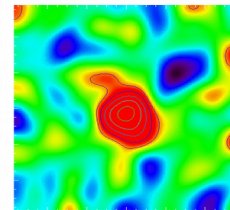
100 GHz



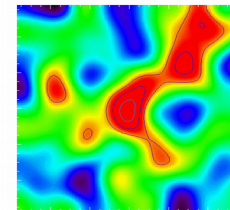
143 GHz



217 GHz

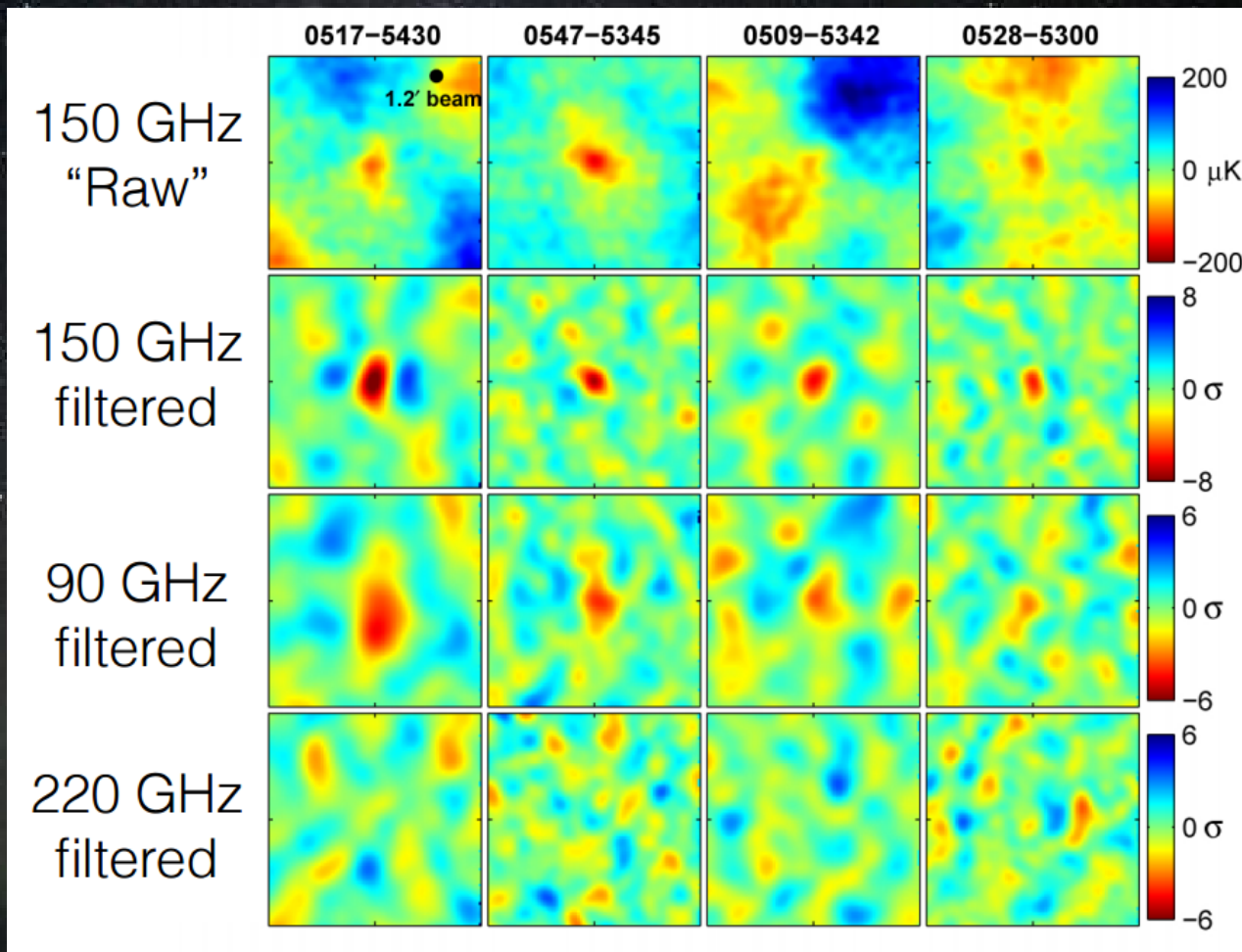


353 GHz



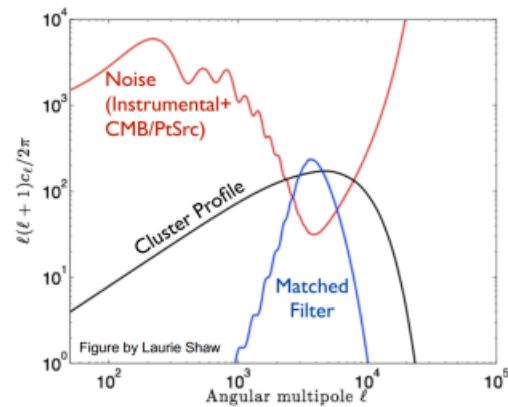
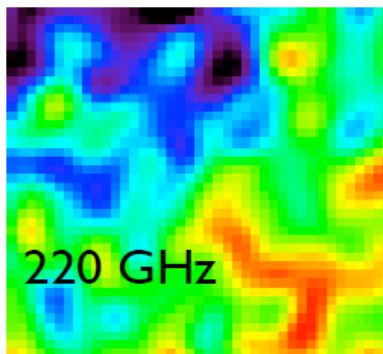
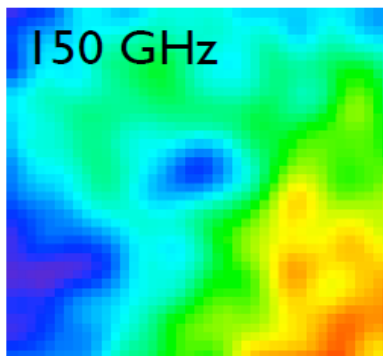
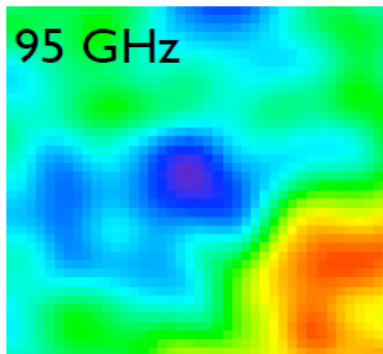
545 GHz

First “Blind” SZ detection : 2008!

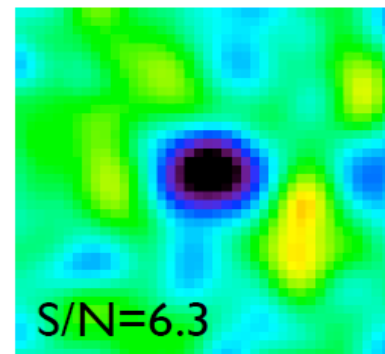


Finding a Cluster in SPT Maps

- Unique signature helps provide pure sample



Matched Filter

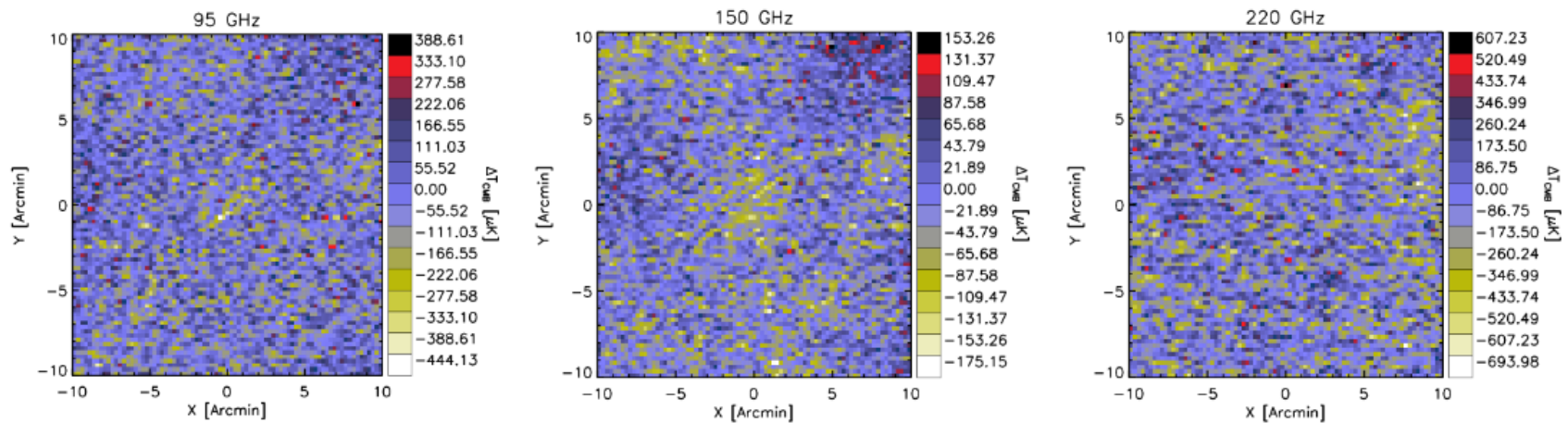


$$\psi(\vec{k}) = \frac{B(\vec{k})S(|\vec{k}|)}{B(\vec{k})^2 N_{\text{astro}}(|\vec{k}|) + N_{\text{noise}}(\vec{k})}$$
$$S(\vec{\theta}) = \Delta T_0 (1 + |\vec{\theta}|^2 / \theta_c^2)^{-1}$$

- Matched-filter multi-frequency cluster finder (Melin et al. 2006)

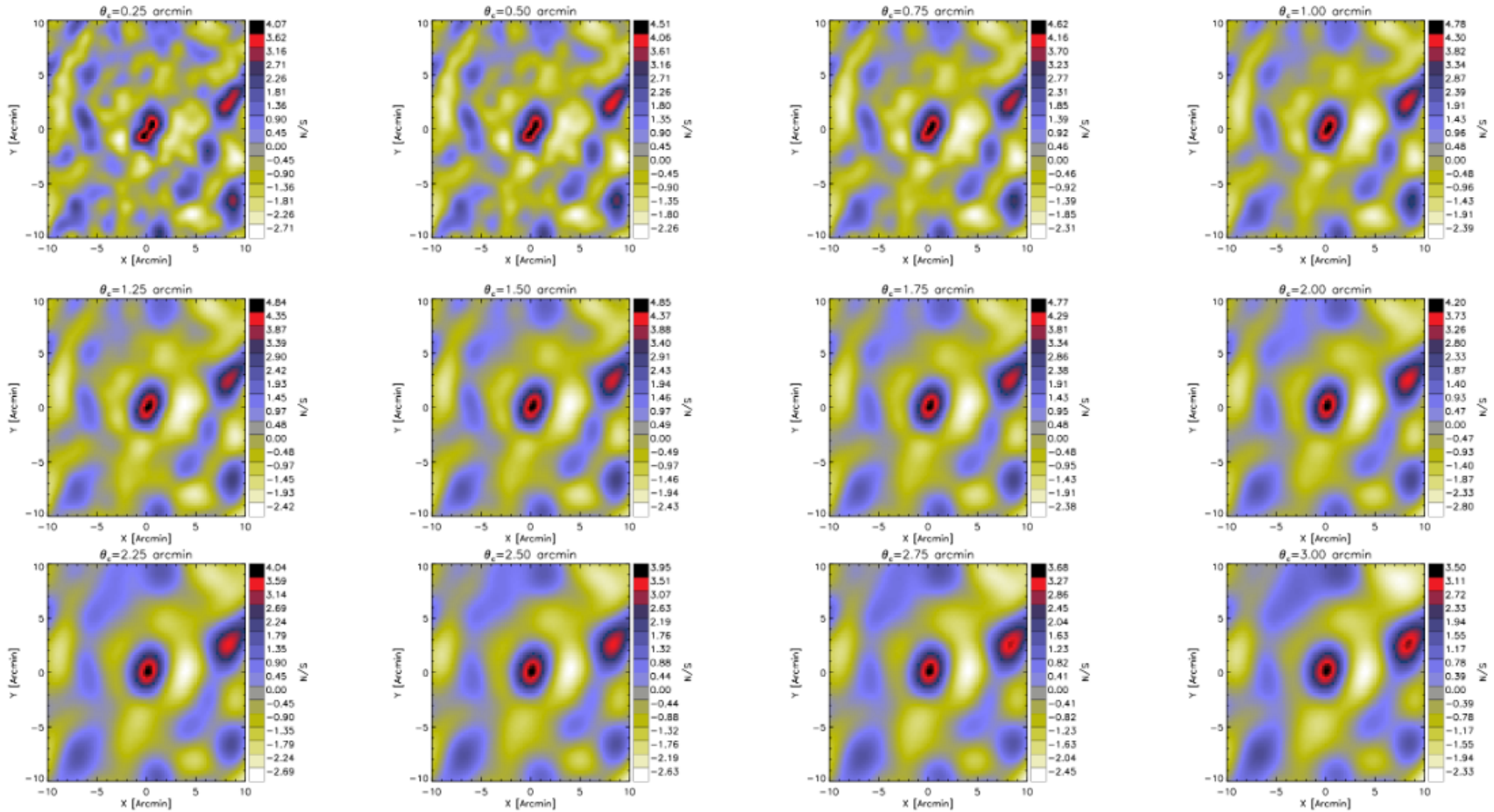
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SPT data



Finding a Cluster in SPT Maps

SPT filtered maps





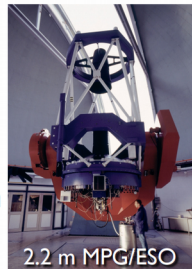
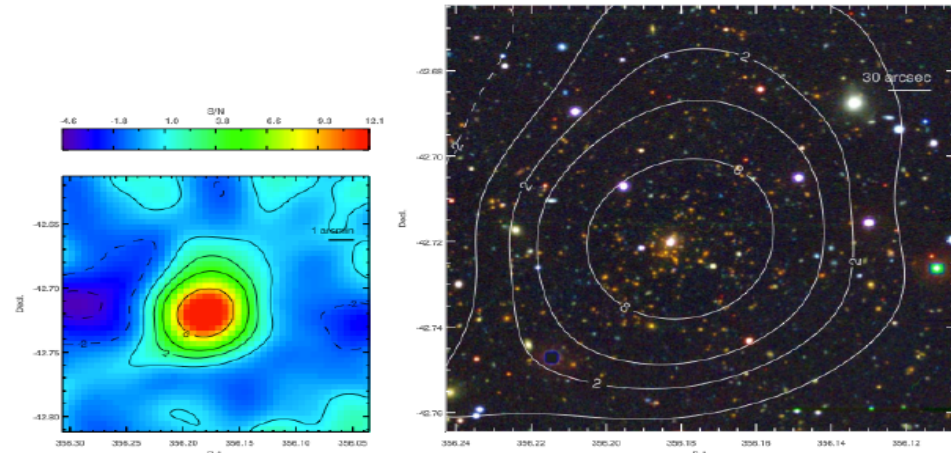
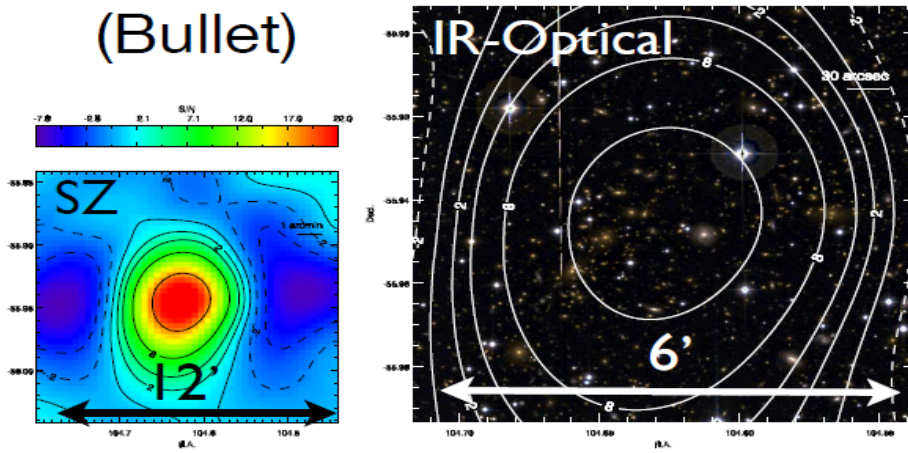
> 500 Clusters in SPT-SZ sample

Confirmation of Galaxy Population

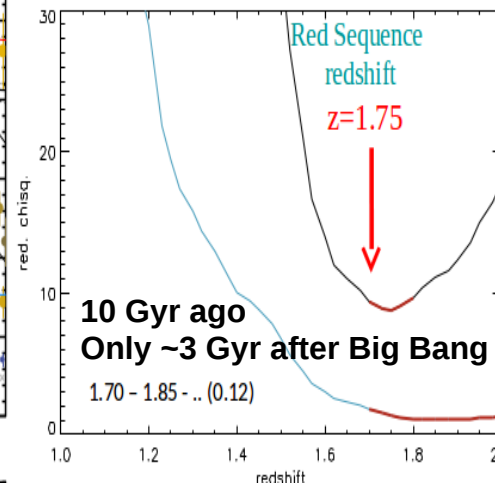
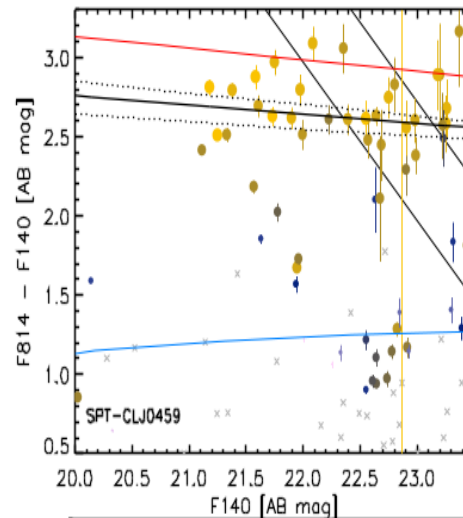
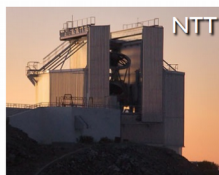
- Over the broad redshift range of the sample, we use optical and NIR imaging to probe for the galaxy population (**Strazzullo+**)

0658-5358 ($z=0.30$)
(Bullet)

2344-4243 ($z=0.62$)



Multiple-facility Imaging Campaign
for Cluster Confirmation



SPT-SZ Sample

Song+12, Bleem+15

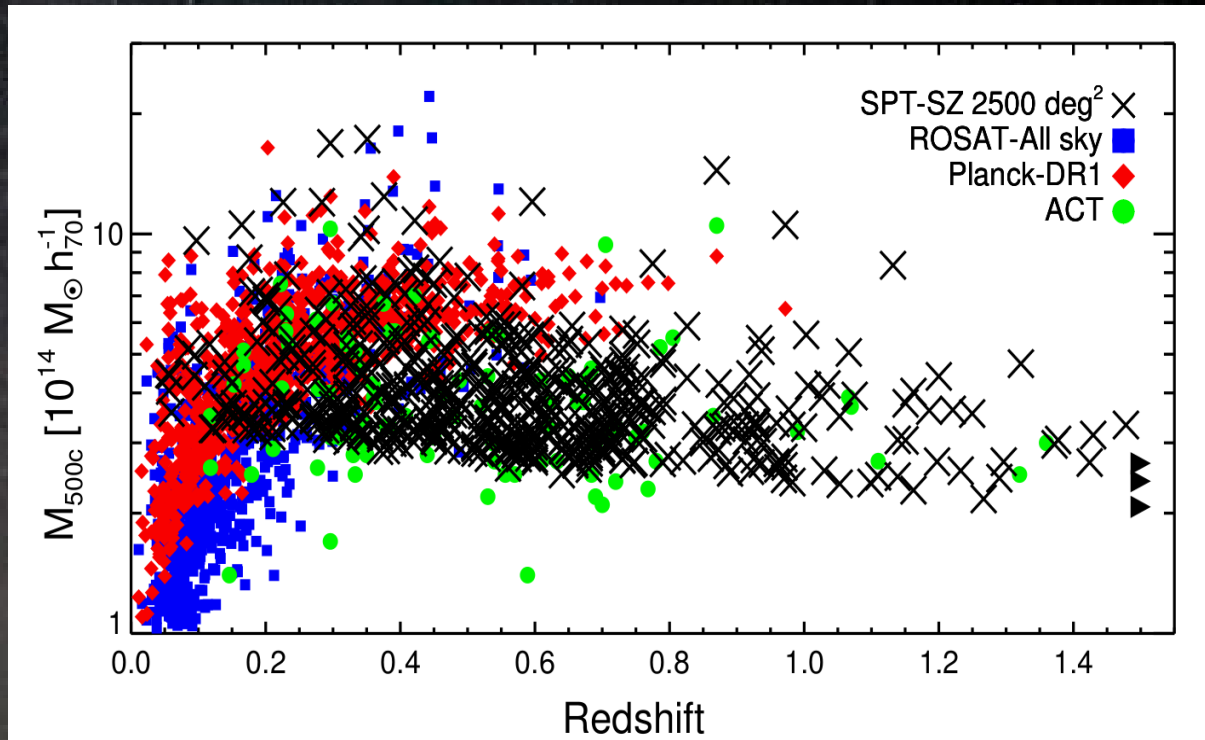
- 2500 deg² sample

- 516 at $\xi > 4.5$
 - 387 at $\xi > 5.0$
- Bleem+15

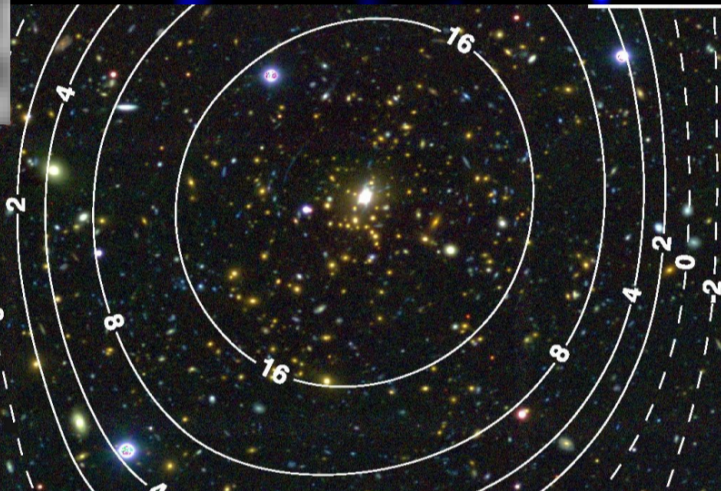
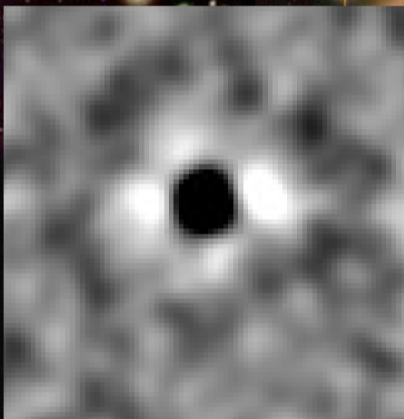
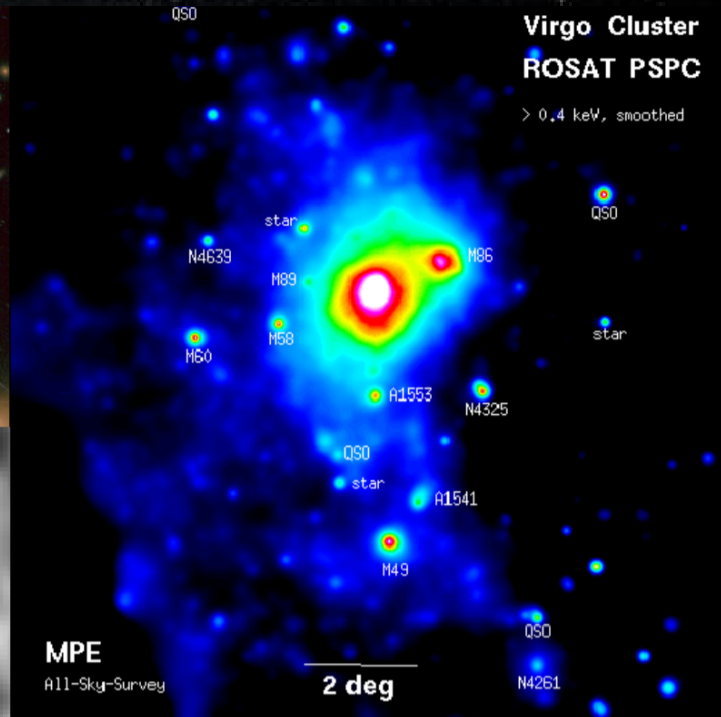
- High z subsample

- ~ 150 (80) > 0.8
 - ~ 70 (40) at $z > 1$
 - Max $z_{\text{spec}} = 1.47$
- Bayliss+13
- Highest phot-z
- Strazzullo+

- Clean sample with $M_{500} > 3 \times 10^{14} M_{\odot}$ to $z \sim 1.8$



What is the Mass of this objects?



Multi-wavelength Observations: Mass Calibration

- Multi-wavelength mass calibration campaign, including:

Thermodynamical properties

- X-ray with
 - Chandra
 - XMM



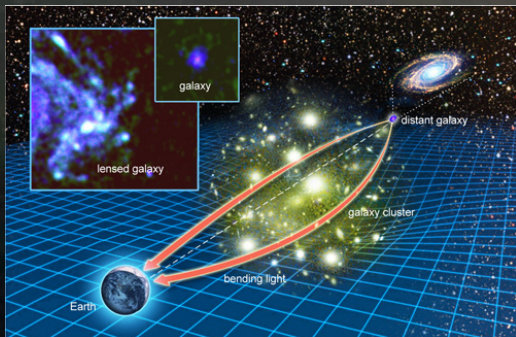
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Gravitational lensing from background galaxies

- Weak lensing from:
 - Magellan ($0.3 < z < 0.6$)
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Velocity Dispersion of Galaxies

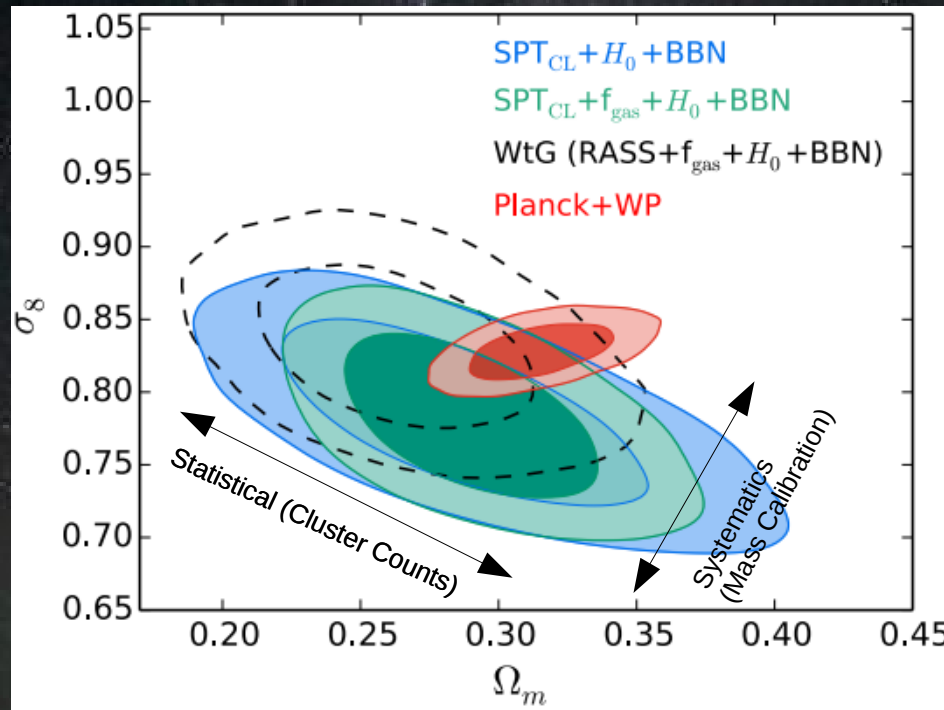
- Dynamical masses from
 - Gemini ($z < 0.8$)
 - VLT ($z > 0.8$)
 - Magellan ($z > 0.8$)



SPT Cluster Cosmology: Λ CDM

de Haan+16

- With pure sample, model for selection, and calibration, we can test cosmology:



- 387 SPT clusters
- Mass calibration
 - 82 X-ray Y_x s
 - WL prior on Y_x -mass
- 15 parameters
 - 6 cosmological
 - 4 SZ mass-obs
 - 4 X-ray Y_x mass-obs
 - 1 Correlated Scatter
- Tension?
 - Insignificant in Λ CDM
 - Insignificant in wCDM

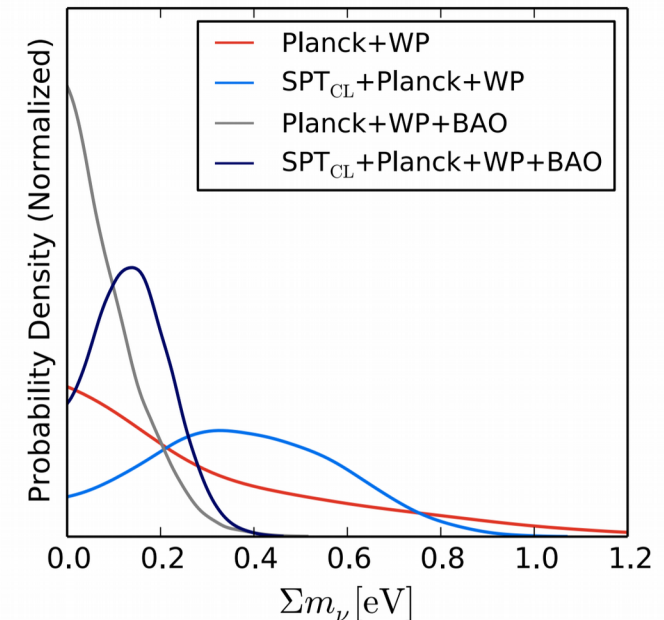
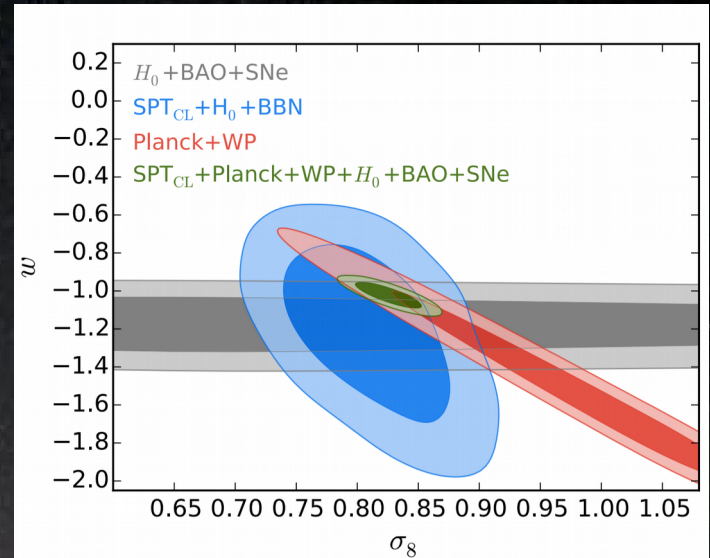
SPT Cluster Cosmology Constraints in good agreement with other probes within Λ CDM and wCDM models

$$\text{SPT-SZ: } w = -1.28 \pm 0.31 \quad \text{SPT-SZ++: } w = -1.023 \pm 0.042$$

SPT Cluster Cosmology: Extensions

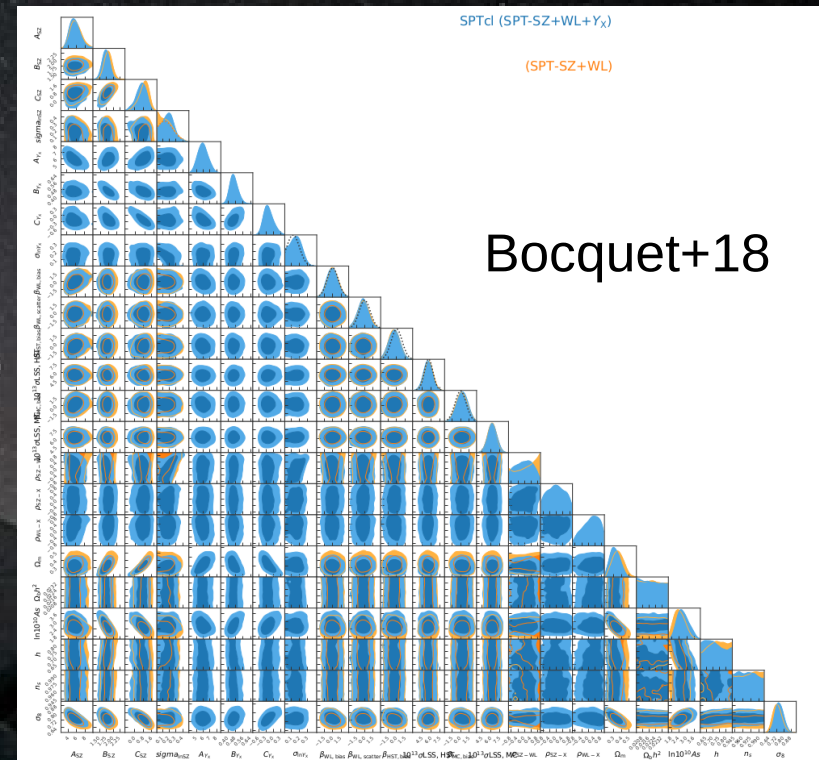
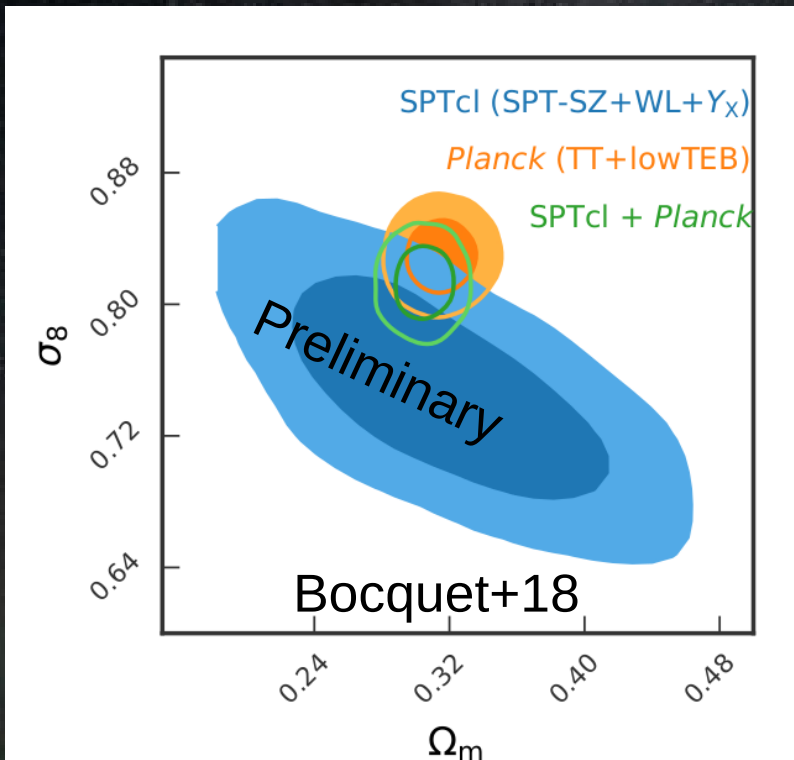
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- Clusters break degeneracies in other data-sets. Combination of Clusters, CMB, geometric probes:
 $w = -1.023 \pm 0.042$
- CMB strong degeneracy σ_8 - Σm_ν , so even modest σ_8 can improve constraints



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 - 32 WL
- 22 parameters

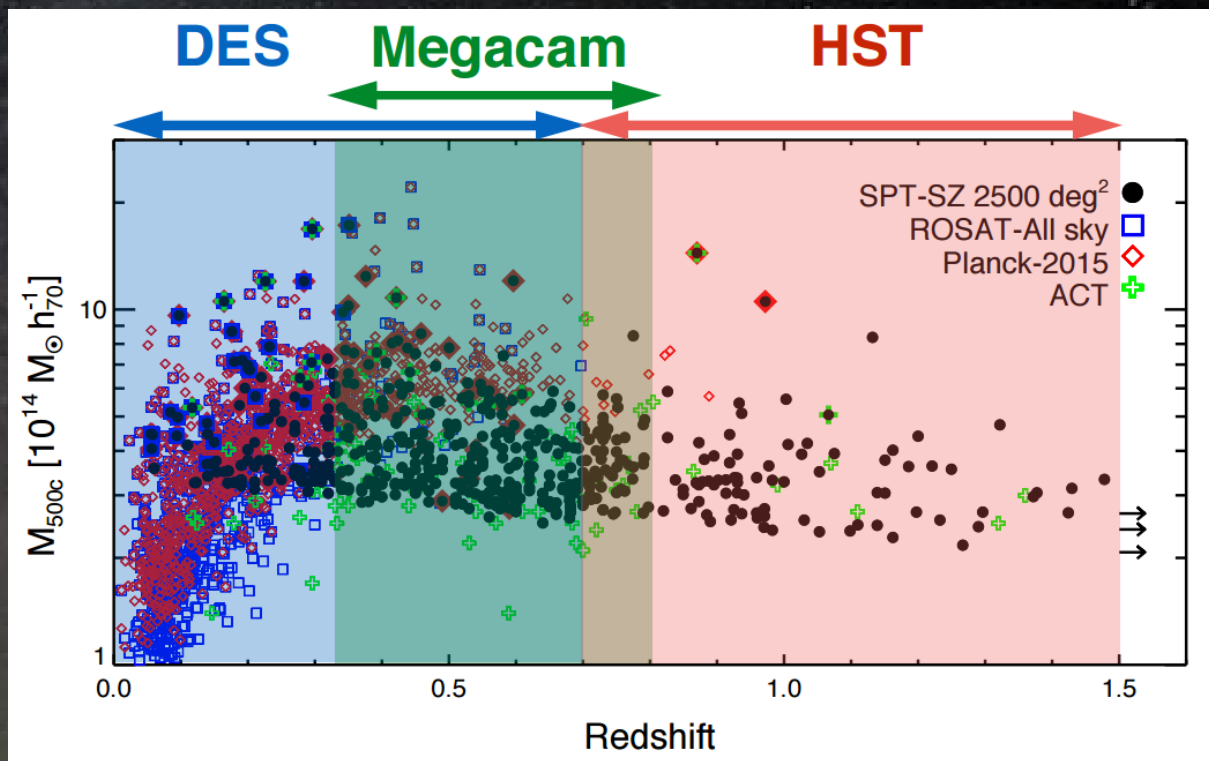


Future: More & More calibration

SPT Mass Calibration Ongoing

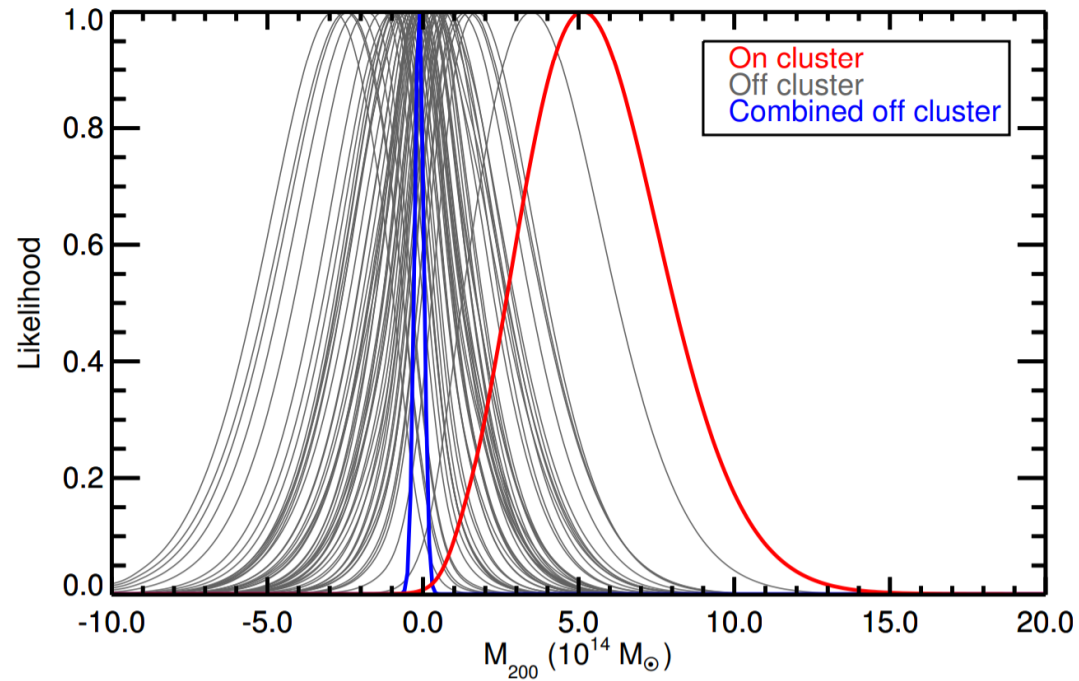
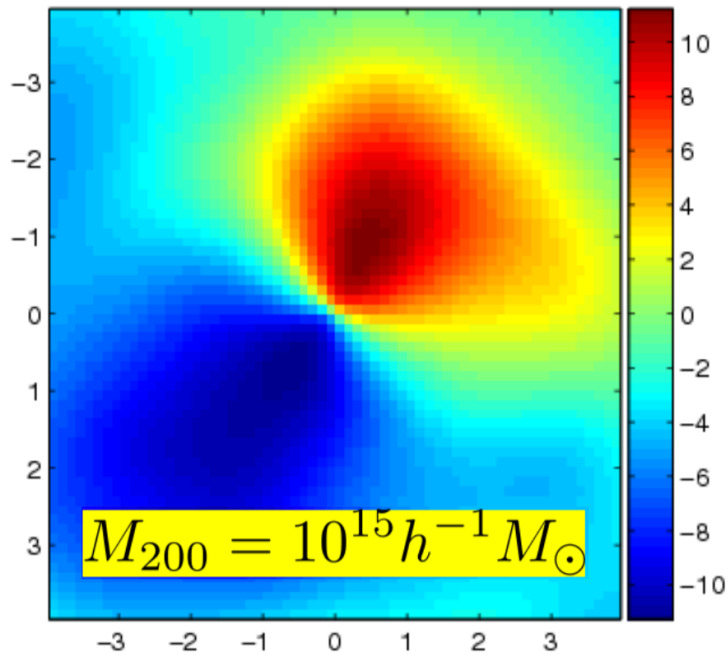
Direct mass calibration of clusters

- Dynamical masses:
 - **Bocquet+15:**
with dispersions
 - **Capasso+18:**
Jeans analysis
- Magnification masses:
 - **Chiu+16**
- Shear masses:
 - **Dietrich+18:** Magellan
HST imaging
 - **Schraback+18:** HST
VLT imaging
 - **Stern+18:**
DES imaging



CMB Cluster Lensing with SPT-SZ

Lensed-Unlensed



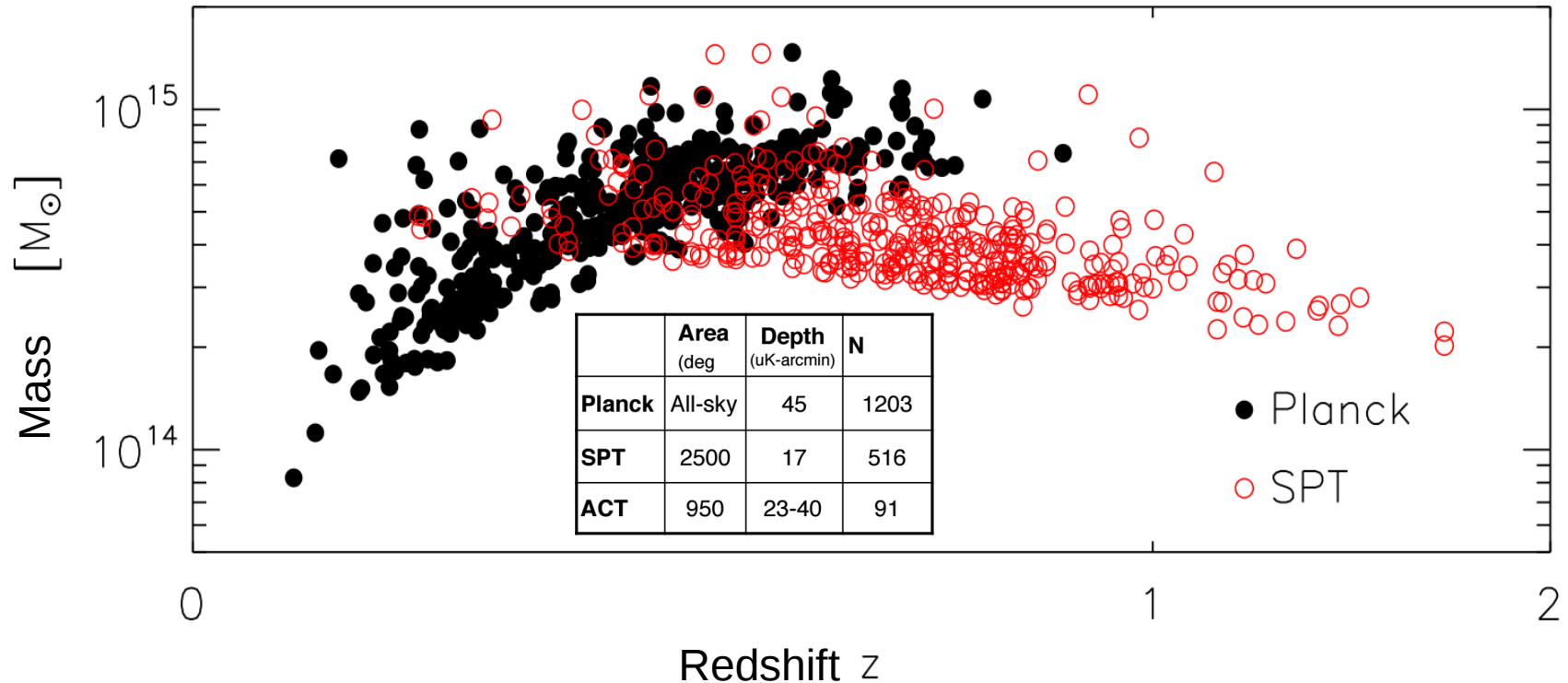
- A \sim few μ K “dimple” in the CMB caused by lensing of a $\sim 10^{15}$ solar mass cluster

- A 3.1σ detection of CMB lensing using ~ 500 clusters measured by SPT-SZ

Baxter et al. 2015, ApJ, 806, 247

Future: More & More clusters

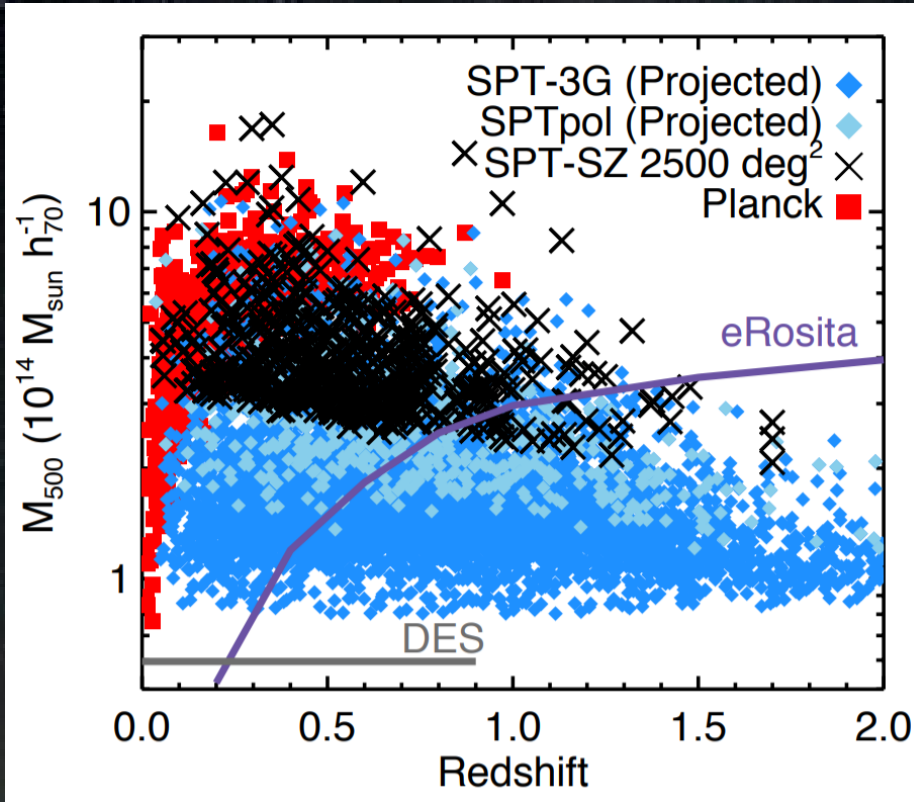
Planck & SPT



- As of today ~ 95% of SZE detected clusters by either Planck or SPT
- Cosmological samples almost equal number: 439 (Planck) vs 377 (SPT)

EXQUISITE COMPLEMENTARITY!!!

Future: More & More clusters



Deep CMB data also enables **CMB cluster lensing** as a competitive mass calibration tool for cluster DE science: SPT-3G: $\sigma(M) \sim 3\%$! CMB-S4: $\sigma(M) < \sim 0.1\%$!
Especially promising tool for cluster masses at $z > 1$

South Pole

- SPT-SZ/Pol: $N_{\text{clus}} \sim 1000$
- SPT-3G: $N_{\text{clust}} \sim 10000$

Chile

- CCAT-prime
- AdvACT
- Simon's array
- Simons's observatory

CMB S4:

- $N_{\text{clust}} \sim 100,000+$
- **DES: 10,000**
- **eRosita: 2019**
- **Euclid: 2021**



Summary

- SPT has found hundreds of massive galaxy clusters spanning a redshift range $0.05 < z < 1.7$.
- Clean, mass-limited selection leads to a fantastic sample for cosmological and astrophysical studies.
- Cosmological analysis consistent with other cluster studies & CMB Cosmology
- Better mass calibration required to tighten constraints (and work is ongoing!)
- (Near) future will provide huge samples of clusters with multi- λ observations (astrophysics & cosmology)

Thank you!

