



# **Astrophysical investigations of Dark Matter**

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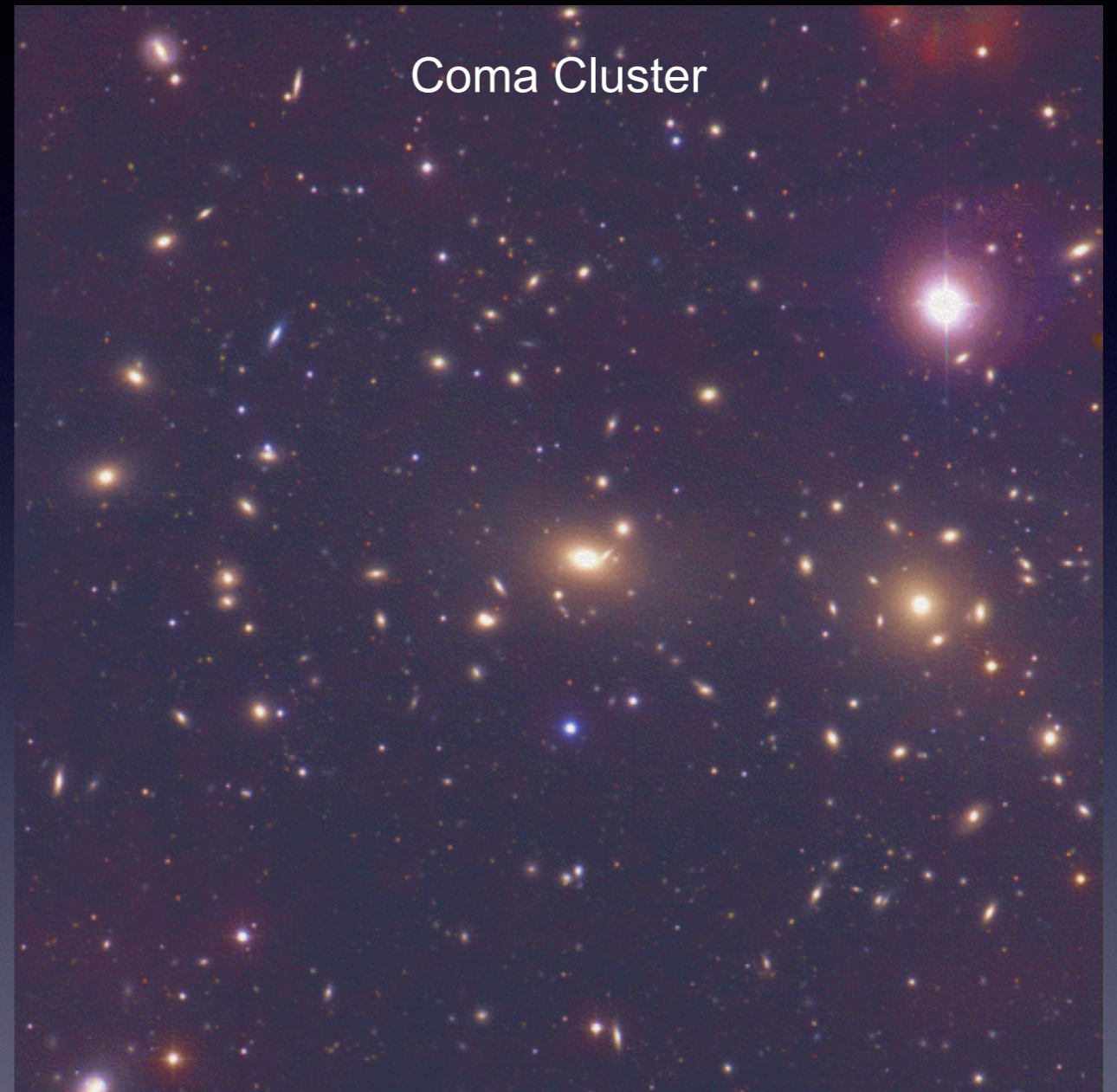
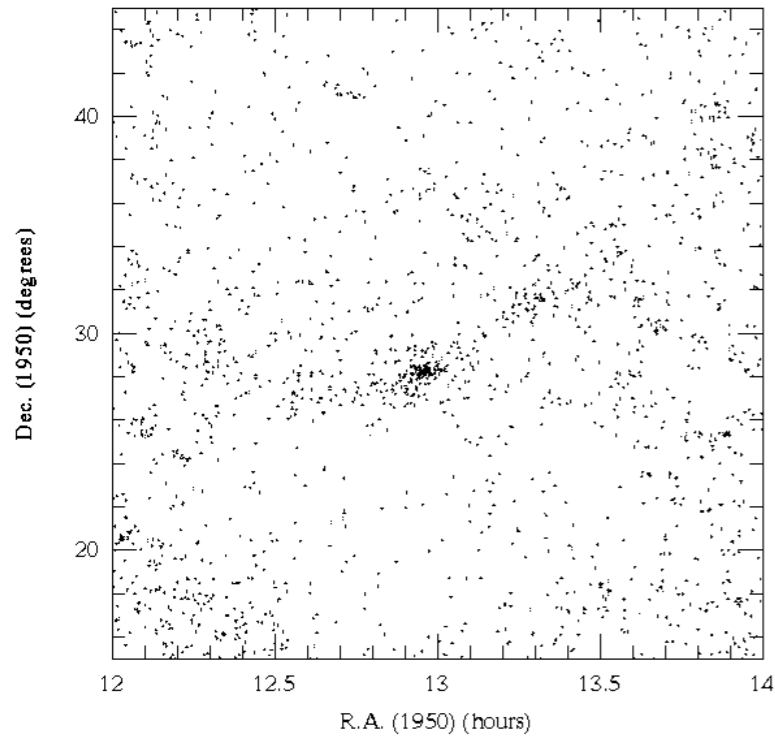
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# Discovery of Dark Matter

## Dynamics of cluster galaxies



Fritz Zwicky (1898-1974)



Zwicky applied the virial theorem to Coma:

$$2T+U=0 \rightarrow \frac{GM}{R} \approx \sigma_v^2$$

..and finds that  $M_{\text{cluster}} > 10 \sum_i M_{\text{gal}}$

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## Die Rotverschiebung von extragalaktischen Nebeln

von F. Zwicky.

(*Helv. Phys. Acta*, 6, No. 2, p. 110, 1933)

von Beobachtungen an leuchtender Materie abgeleitete<sup>1</sup>). Falls sich dies bewahrheiten sollte, würde sich also das überraschende Resultat ergeben, dass **dunkle Materie** in sehr viel grösserer Dichte vorhanden ist als leuchtende Materie.



Should this be confirmed, we would get the surprising result that **dark matter** is present in much greater amount than luminous matter.

Then published on ApJ in 1937

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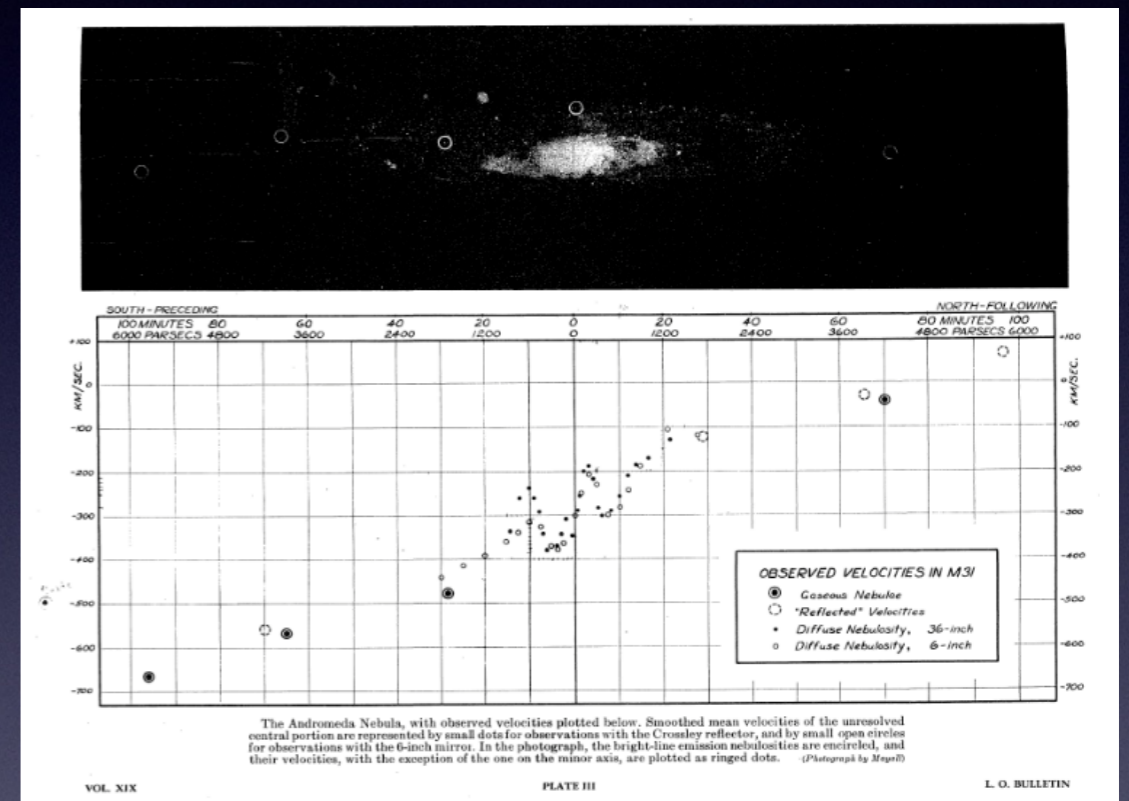
ON THE MASSES OF NEBULAE AND OF  
CLUSTERS OF NEBULAE

- Sinclair Smith (ApJ, 1936) also noted that in Virgo there was a mass mismatch: *“It is possible that both figures [cluster mass and lum. mass] are correct and and that the difference represents a great mass of intra-nebular material in the cluster”*

<sup>6</sup> F. Zwicky has pointed out (*Helv. Phys. Acta*, 6, No. 2, p. 110, 1933) that the velocity range in the Coma Cluster indicates non-luminous matter which is some four hundred times the amount of the observed luminous material.

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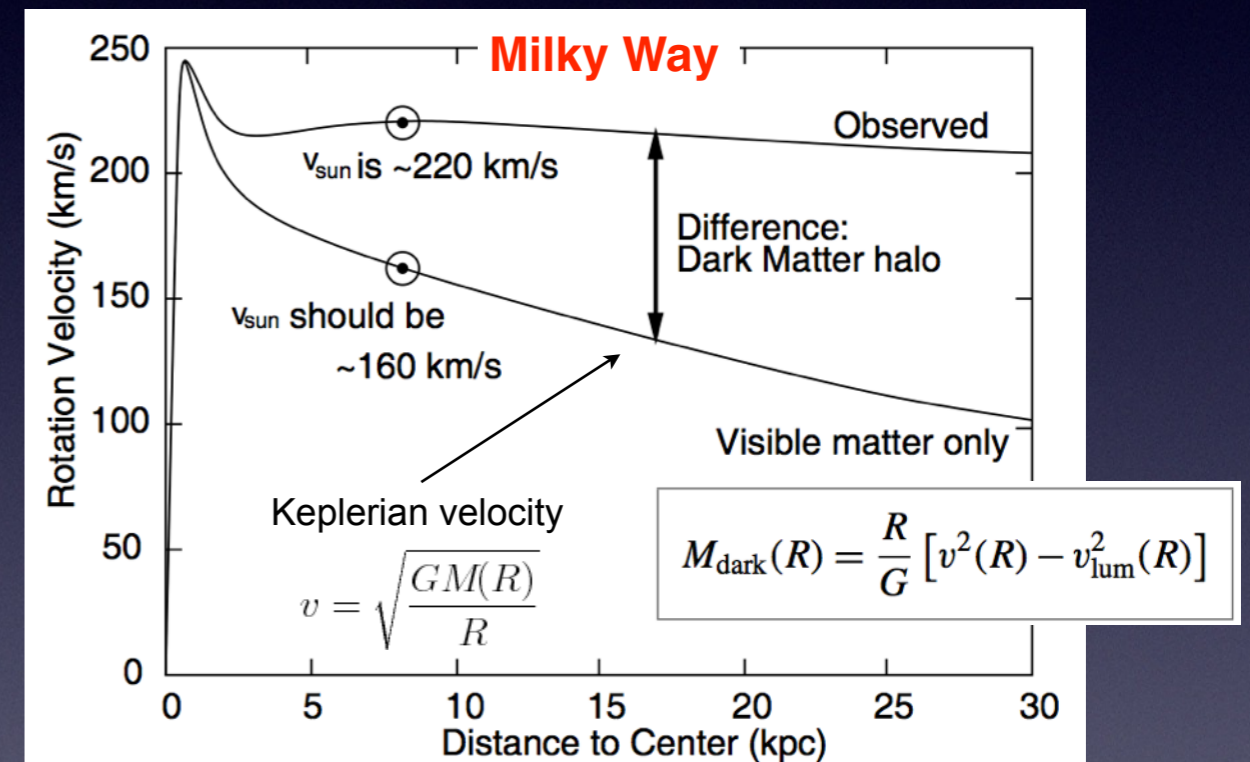
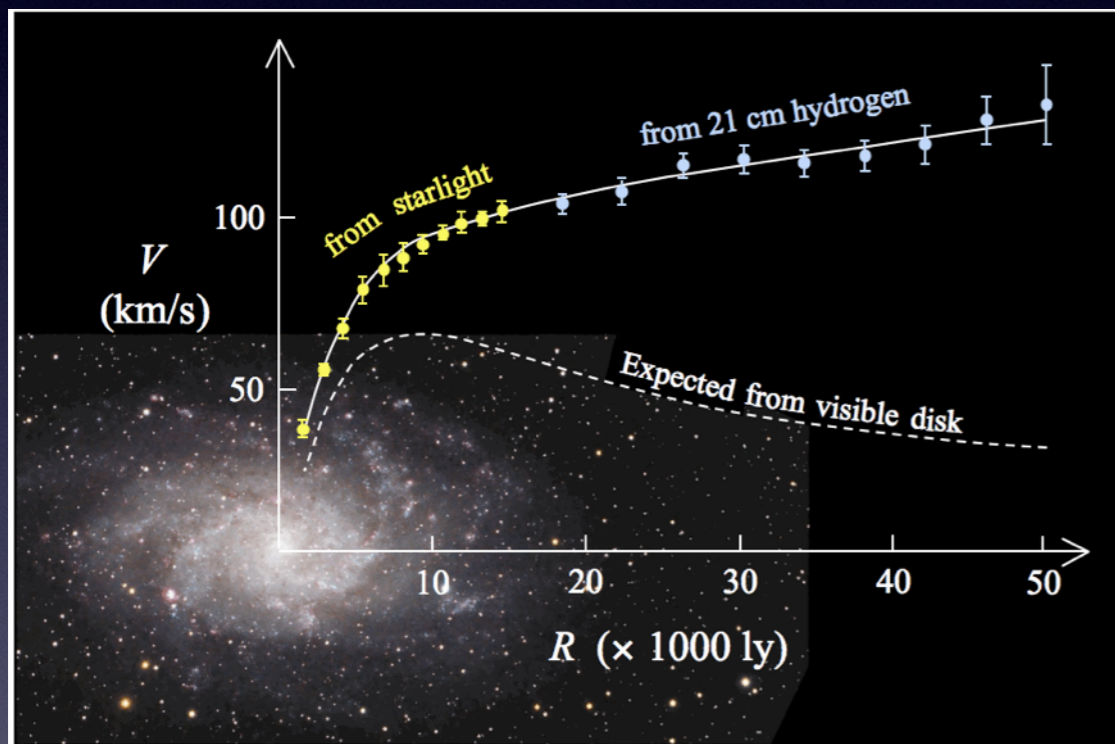
- Note that before Zwicky, Jacobus Kapteyn (Apj, 1922: “*First Attempt at a Theory of the Arrangement and Motion of the Sidereal System*”, had first used the term of dark matter (possibility of using stellar dynamics to weigh luminous+non-luminous matter)
- 1939: Babcock notes that M31 rotation curve remains flat at large radii: “*The obvious interpretation of the nearly constant velocity for 30’ outward is that a that a very great portion of the mass of the nebula must lie in the outer regions*”
- 1959: Kahn and Woltjer on Local Group scale: “*Local Group galaxies [M31, MW] can be dynamically stable only if it contains an appreciable amount of intergalactic matter... The Discrepancy seems to be well outside the observational errors*”
- However, this didn’t seem to be a big deal until the late seventies (Zwicky’s obituary doesn’t even mention DM..)



# Discovery of Dark Matter

## Galaxy rotation curves

- Rotationally supported systems (spiral galaxies): rotation curves (from the 70-80s): Lubin, Roberts, Bosma, Freeman, et al.



- From the 80s:  
DM becomes a key component on cosmological scale (Peebles and many others)

# Rotation curves in disk galaxies (exercise)

Disk galaxies have an exponential surface brightness profile:  $I(R) = I_0 \exp(-R/h)$

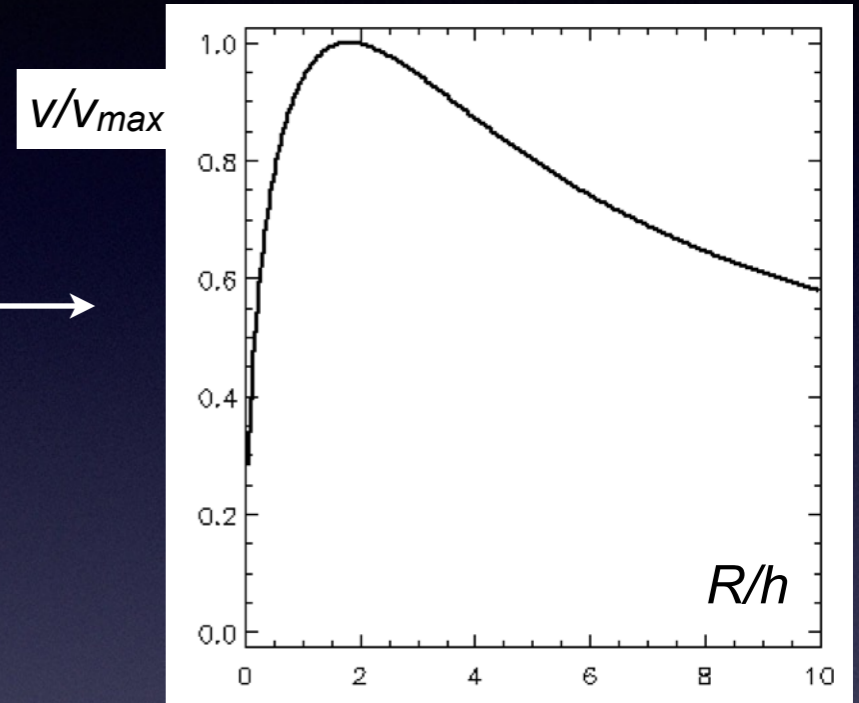
The mass of the luminous mass can be measured assuming a constant M/L ratio with radius. Then:

$$M_{lum}(R) \propto L(R) = \int_0^R 2\pi r I_0 e^{-r/h}$$

Prove that the circular velocity of the stars in the disk is:

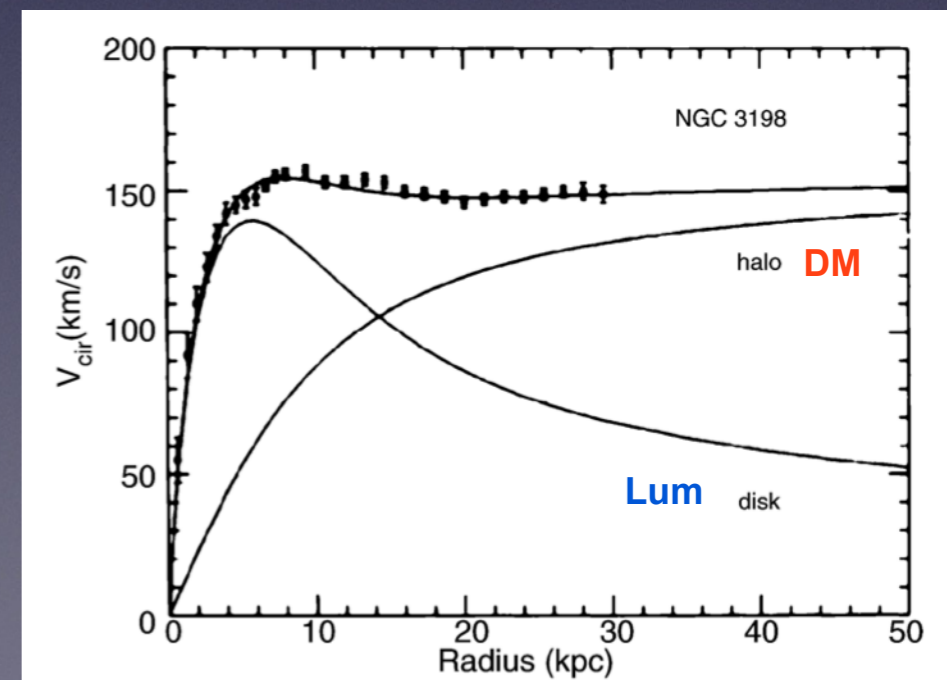
$$v^2 = \frac{GM_{lum}(R)}{R} = \dots (x = R/h) \dots \propto h(1/x - e^{-x}/x - e^{-x}) \quad \longrightarrow$$

Note:  $v_{max} \sim h^{1/2} \rightarrow L \sim h^2 \sim v_{max}^4 \rightarrow$  Tully-Fisher relation



## Dark matter:


- Dynamically dominant at large radii (fraction of 50% Sa/Sb galaxies, up to 90% in dwarf galaxies)
- Distribution more extended than gas and stars (up 50-100 kpc)
- Distribution can be studied with
  - ▶ kinematics (stars, gas, 21 cm HI, satellites)
  - ▶ gravitational lensing
  - ▶ X-ray observations of early type galaxies

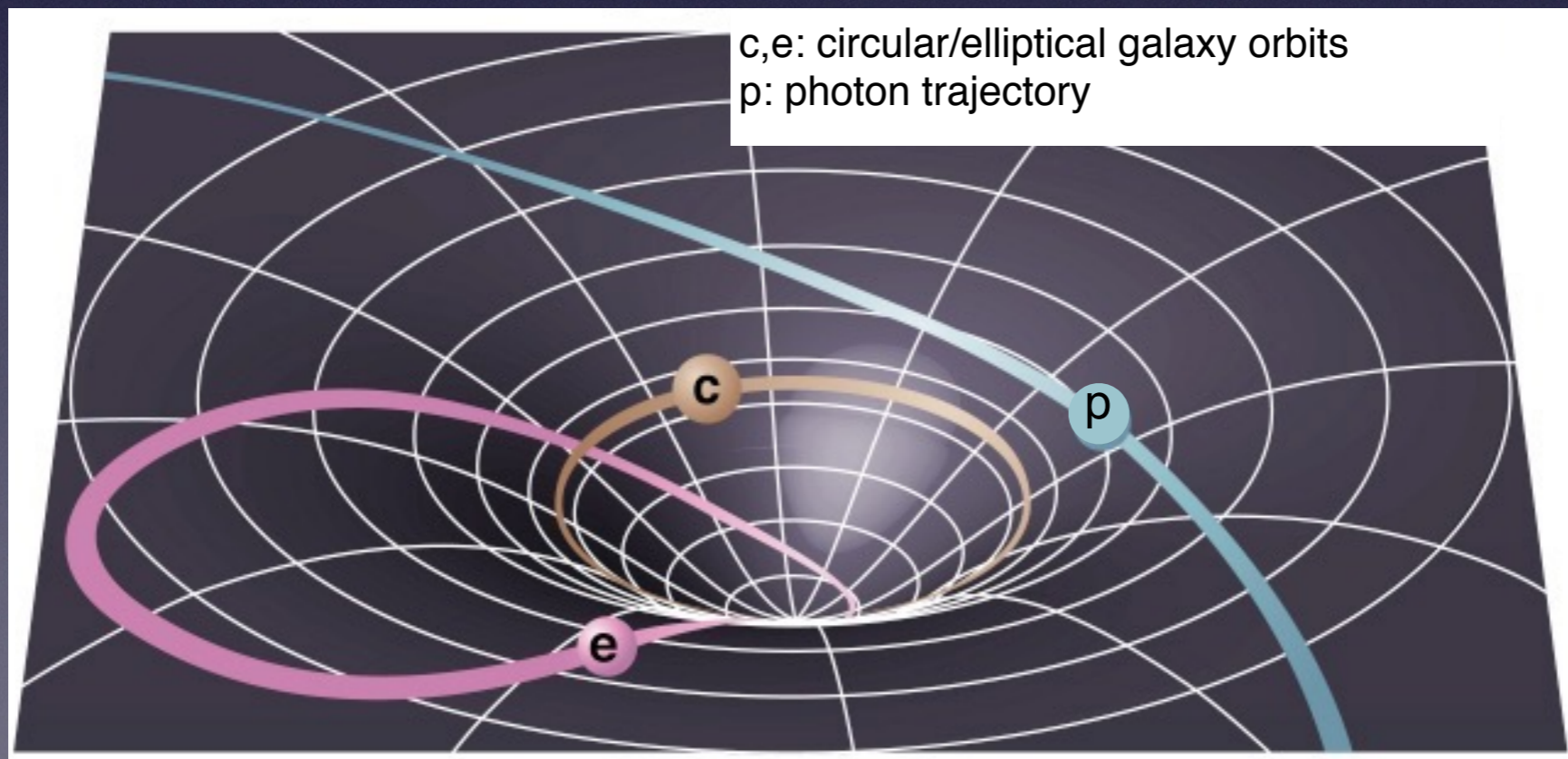


# How to measure total (DM) mass (from galaxies to clusters and the entire Universe)

There are essentially (only) two ways...

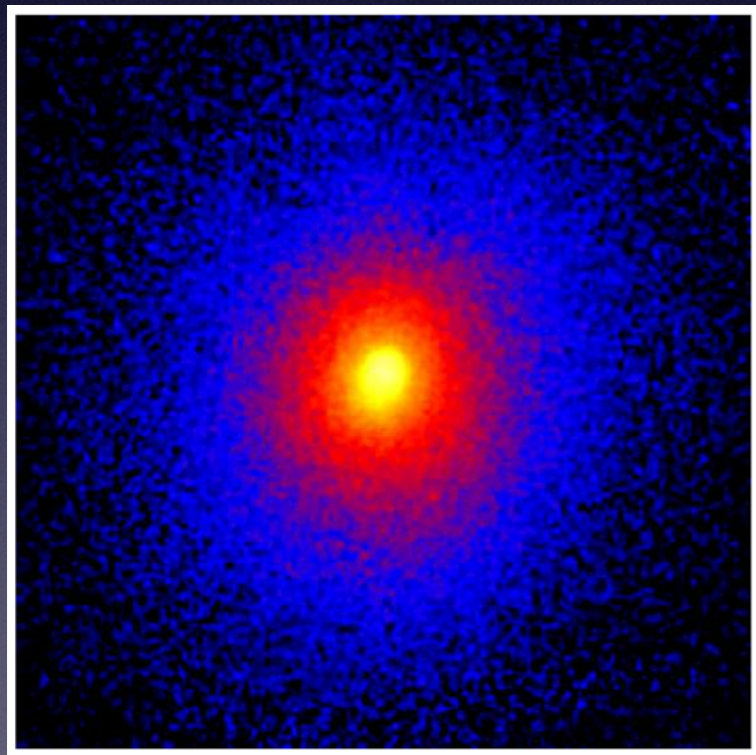
- Use the motion of matter (test particles: stars, galaxies, gas)
- Use the motion of light (gravitational lensing)

→ to probe space-time curvature  
mass distribution  GR

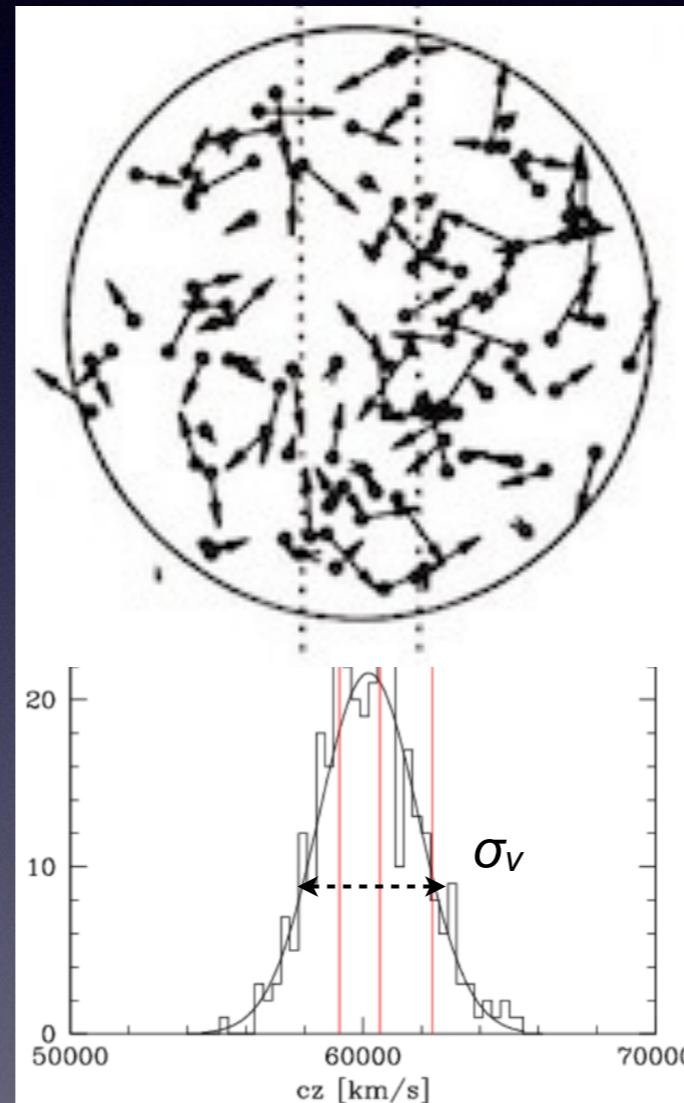


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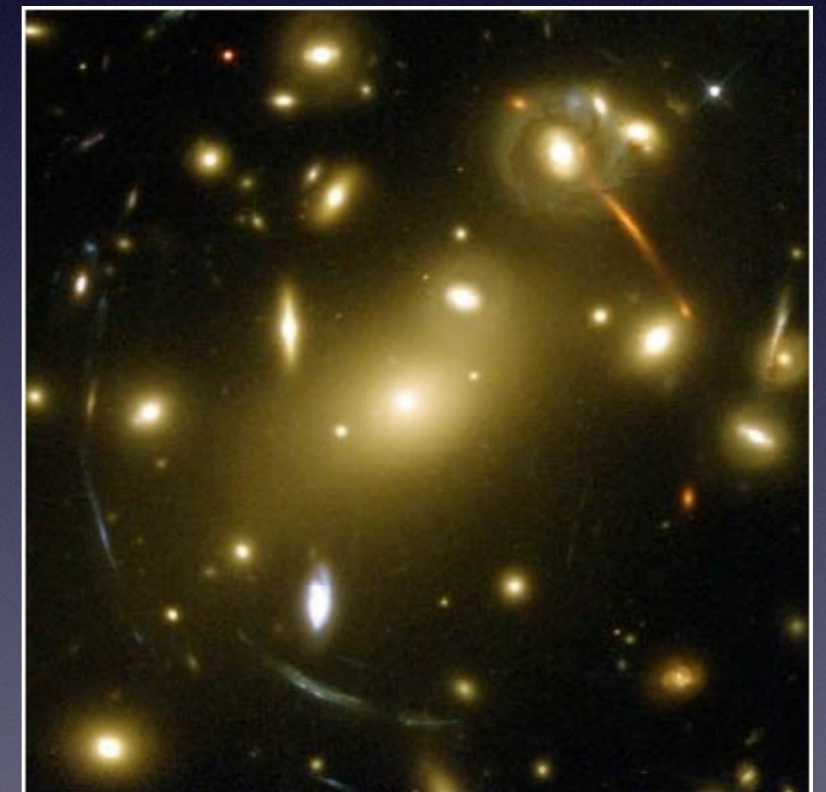
## For galaxy clusters



**X-ray hydrostatic equilibrium**  
(test particles: gas particles)



**Galaxy dynamics**  
(test particles: galaxies)

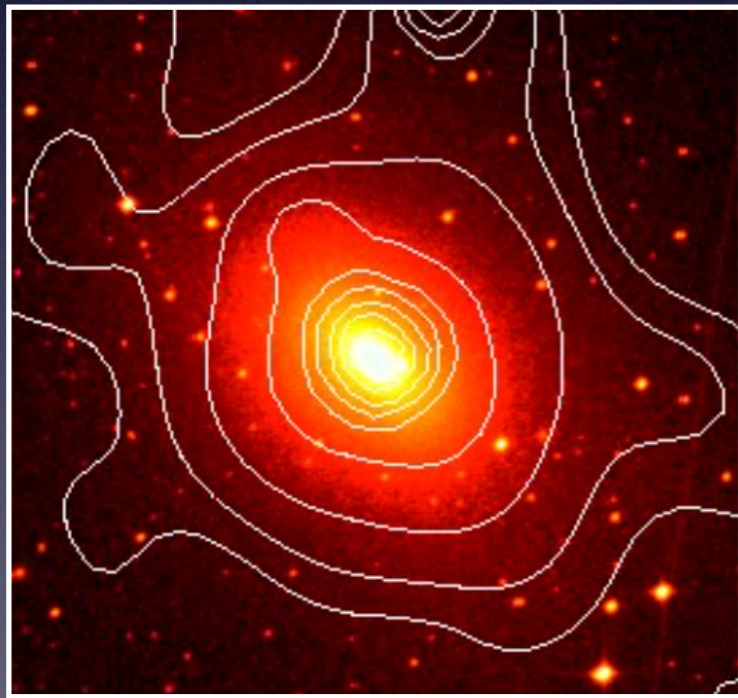


**Gravitational lensing**  
(test particles: photons)

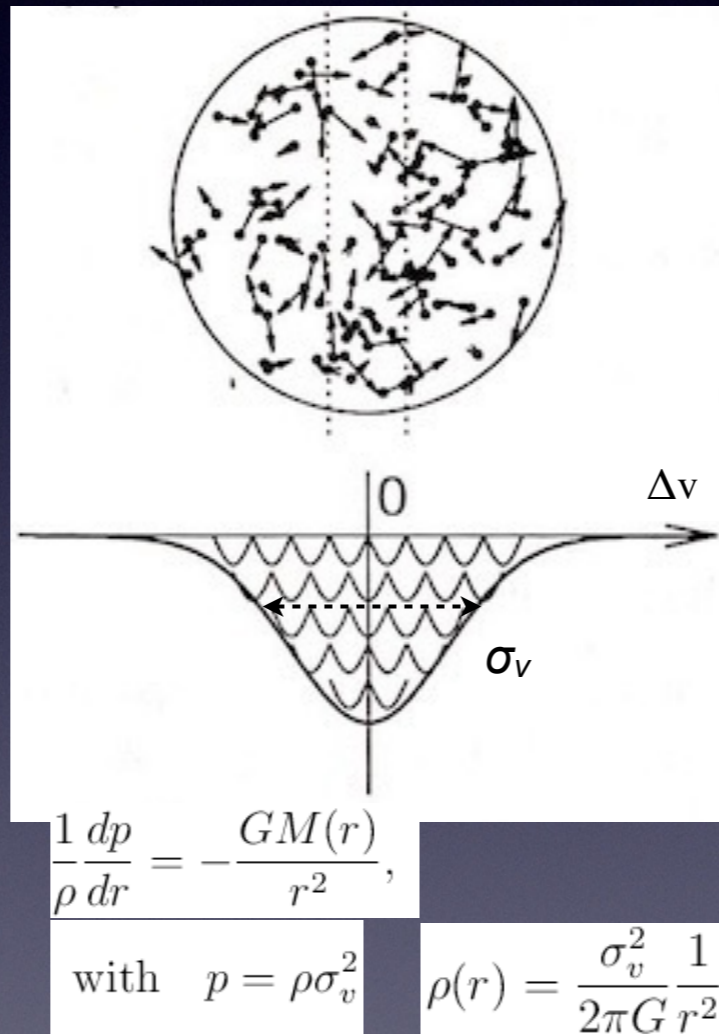


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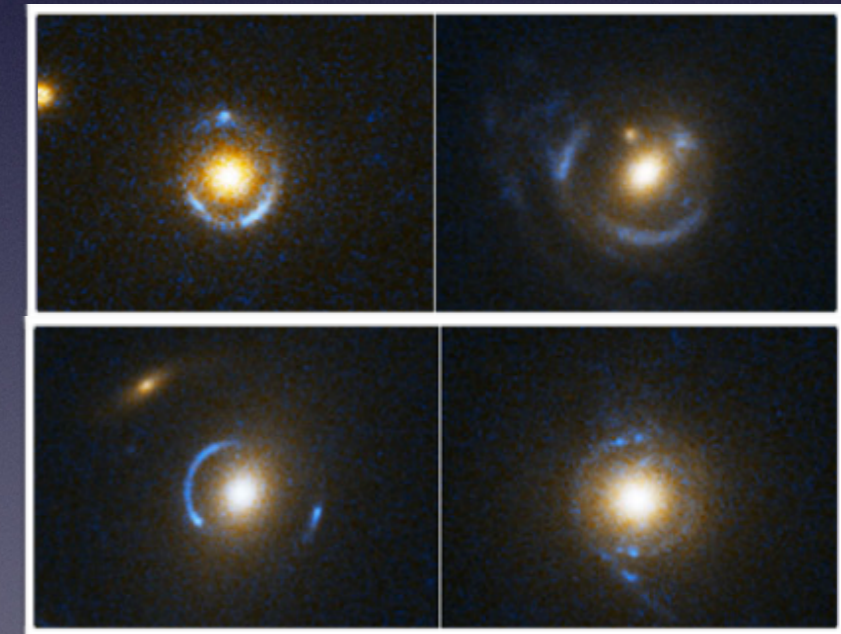
For spheroidal galaxies (pressure supported)



**X-ray**  
hydrostatic equilibrium  
(not as easy as in clusters)



**Internal stellar**  
velocity dispersion  
(from abs lines)



**Gravitational lensing**

# Total mass-energy density census at varying scales

How can we study the structure of the Universe ?

- We can probe it with observations at **three different levels** of density perturbations...

1. **universal background effects**: ( $\rho = \rho_{\text{backgr}}$ )  
(age, distances)
2. **linear perturbations** ( $\delta\rho/\rho \ll 1$ )  
(clustering on large scales, CMB)
3. **non-linear perturbations** ( $\delta\rho/\rho \gtrsim 1$ )  
(formation of collapsed objects, halo mass density profiles, structure of halos)

- **On cosmological scale, two complementary approaches...**

## ➔ **Probe universal geometry**

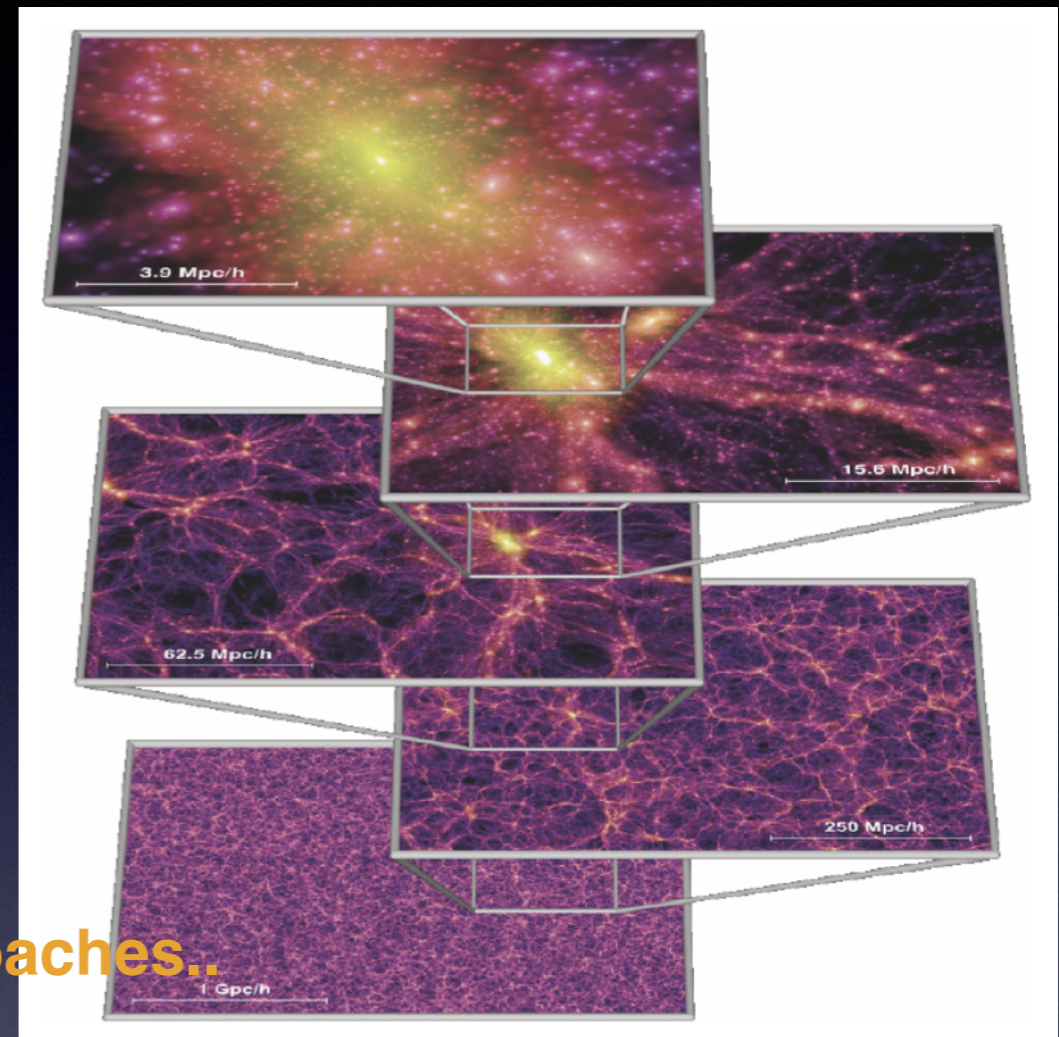
- standard candles (Type-Ia-SNe, GRBs?):  $\text{Flux} = \text{Luminosity} / (4 \pi d_L^2)$
- standard rulers (CMB, BAO):  $\text{Angular size} = \text{Physical size} / d_A^2$

## ➔ **Map in space and time the growth of density fluctuations:**

(evolution of cluster abundance, redshift space distortions, weak lensing tomography)

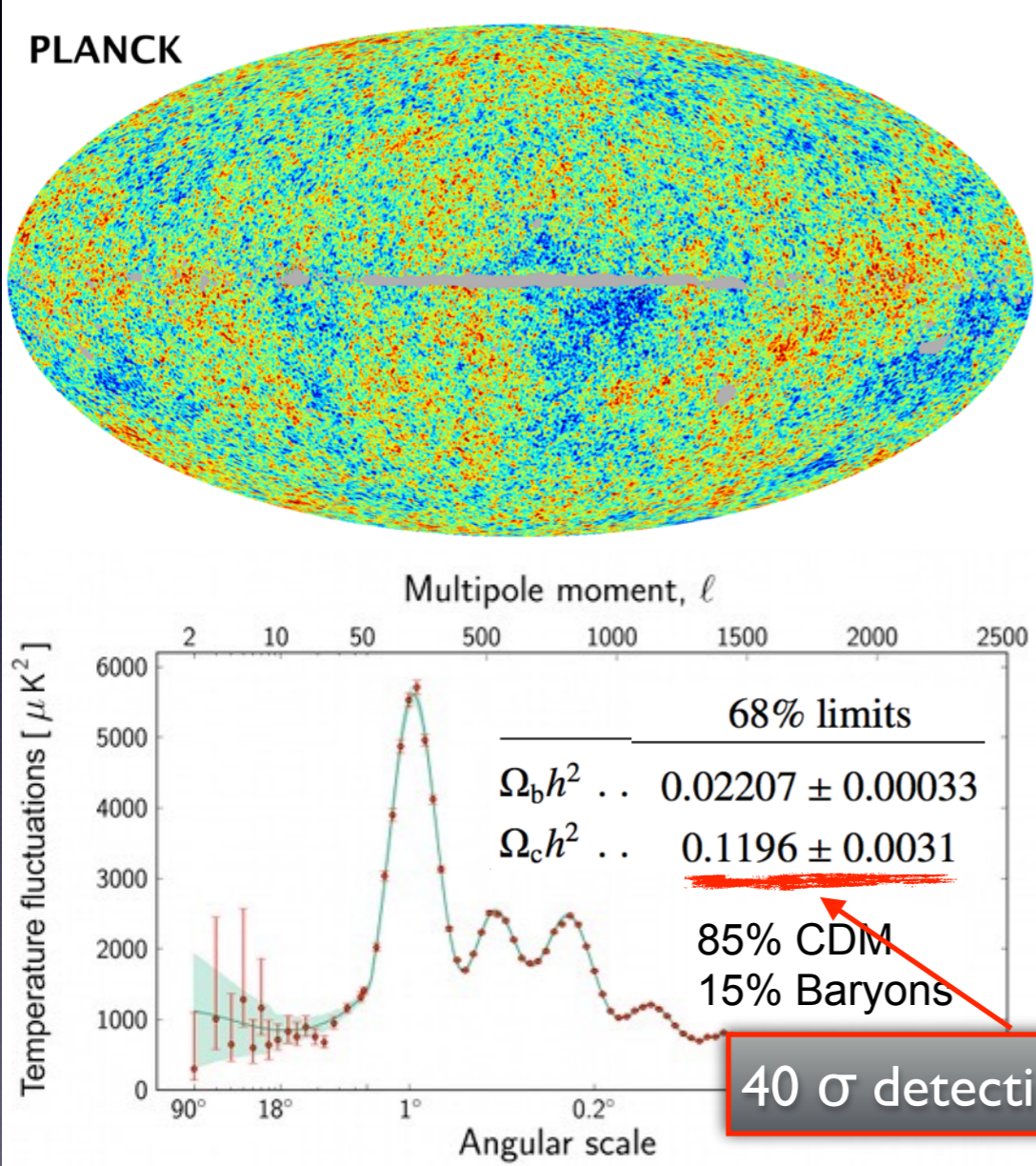
➔ **Crucial to disentangle extra  $\rho$  components from non-standard gravity**

➔ **Signature of new physics if they are not consistent**



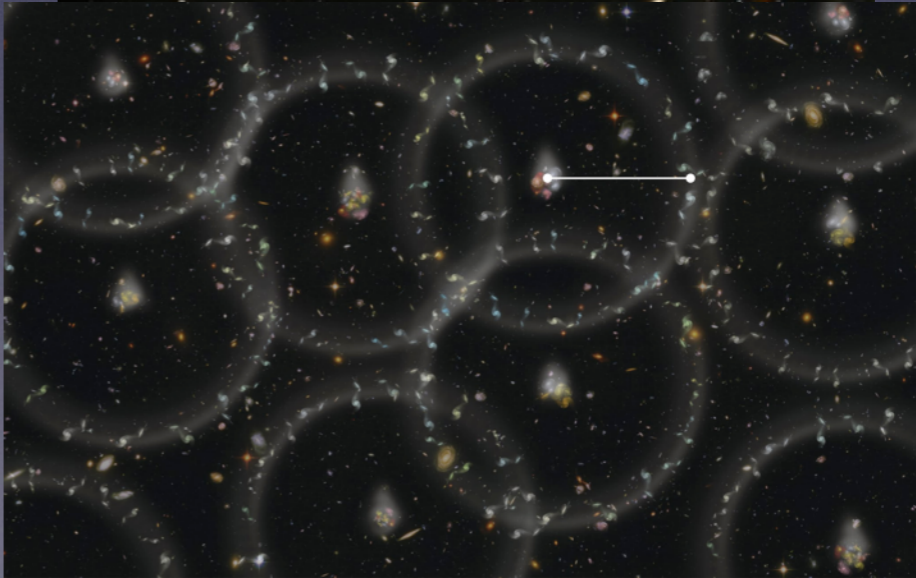
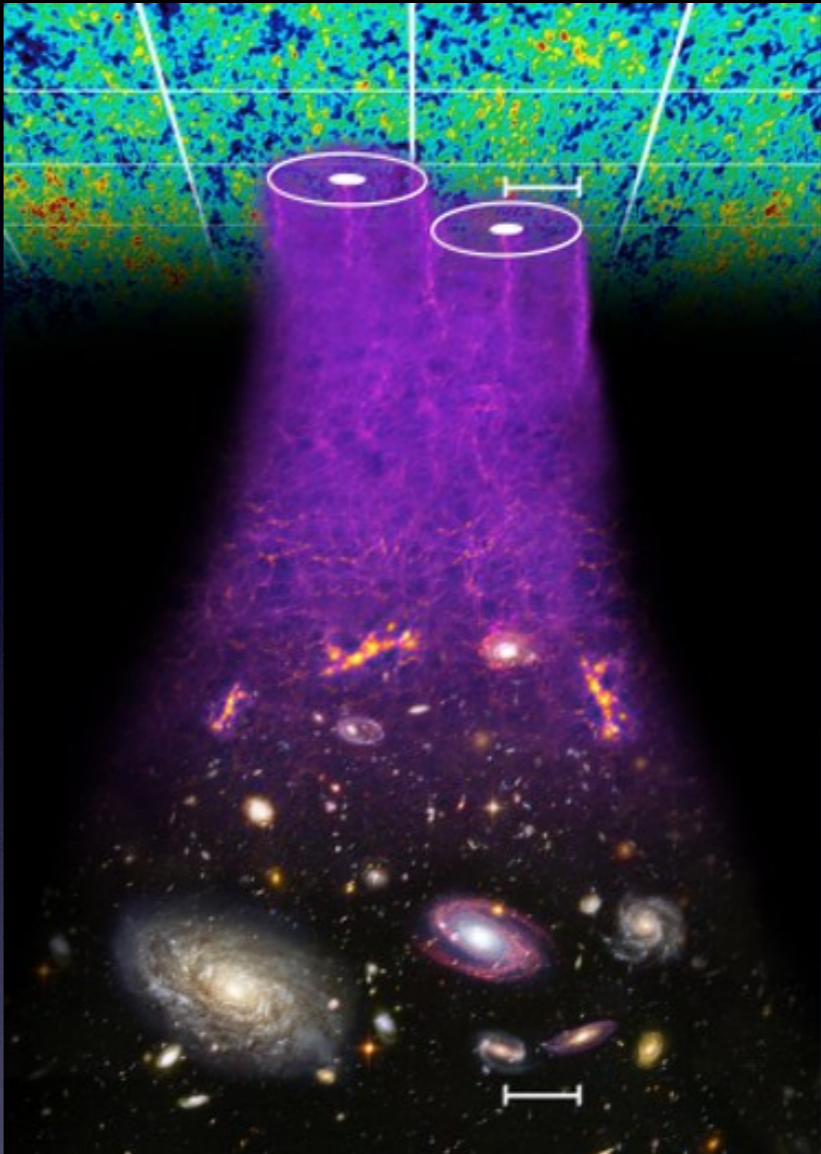
# Measuring the geometry of the Universe i.e. its matter content

## Cosmic Microwave Background



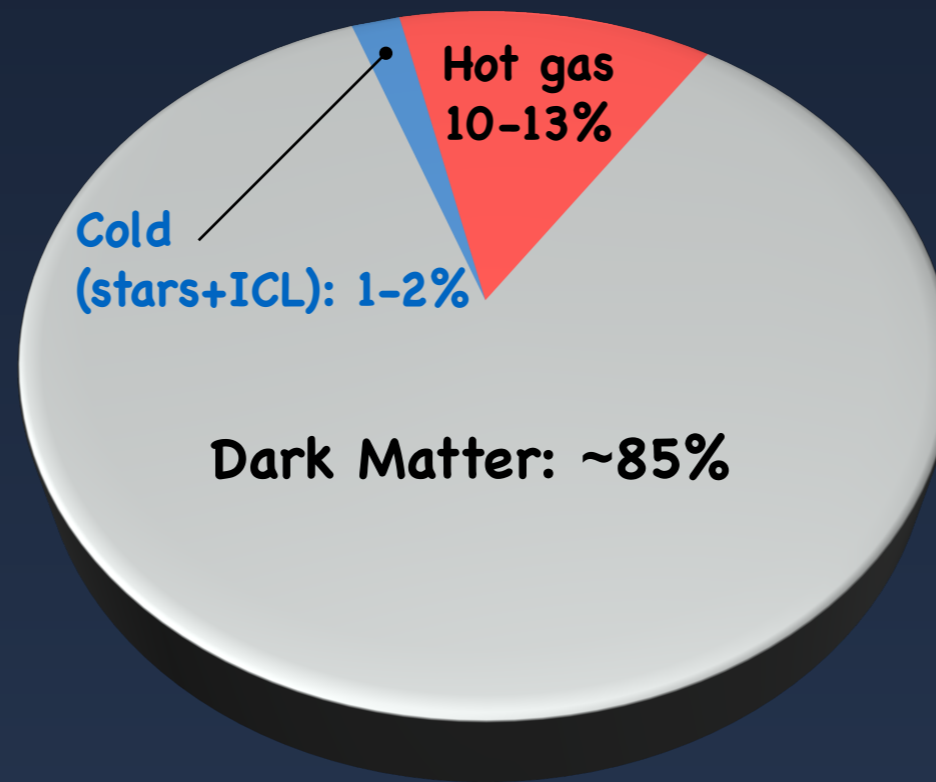
Sound horizon (standard rod)

## Baryonic Acoustic Oscillations



# Clusters are powerful probes of structure formation and cosmological models

1) Sensitive probes of the **dark sector** of the Universe (DM+DE)

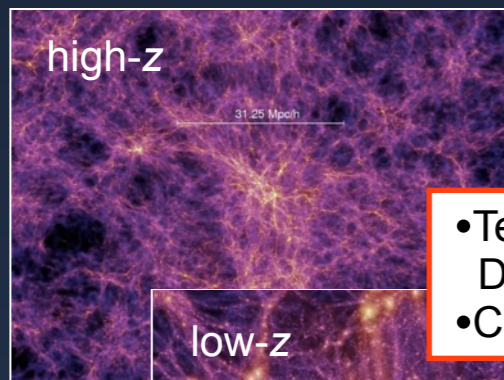


Cluster mass budget

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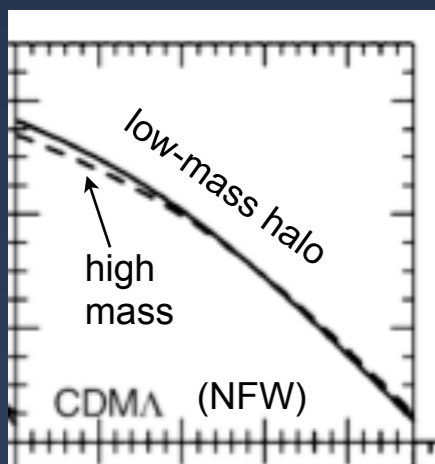
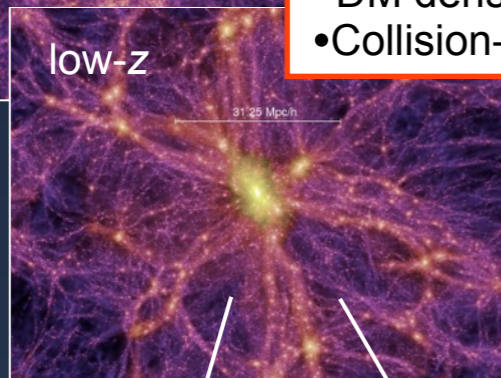
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Structure of DM halos ( $\approx 1$  Mpc scale)

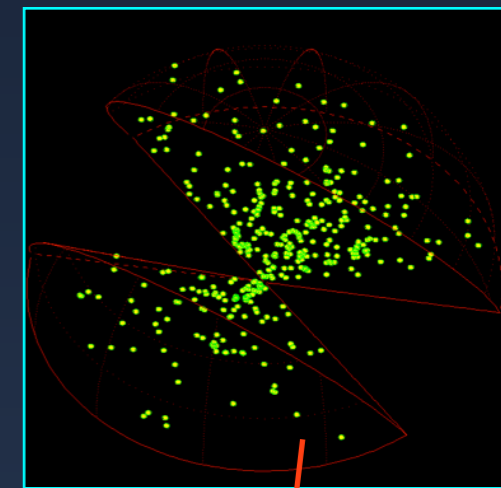
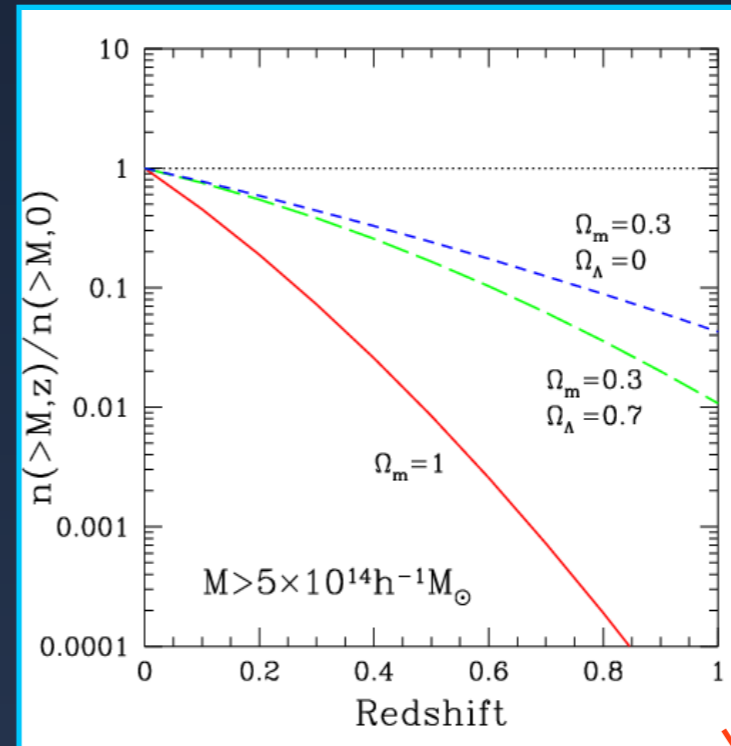


Millennium simulations (Springel et al. 2005)

- Test  $\Lambda$ CDM predictions on DM density profiles
- Collision-less nature of DM?

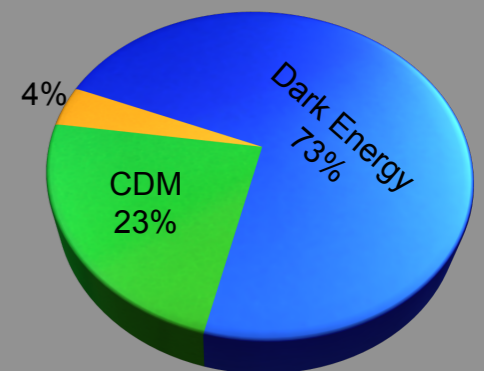


Mass function and distribution of DM halos ( $\sim$  Gpc scale)

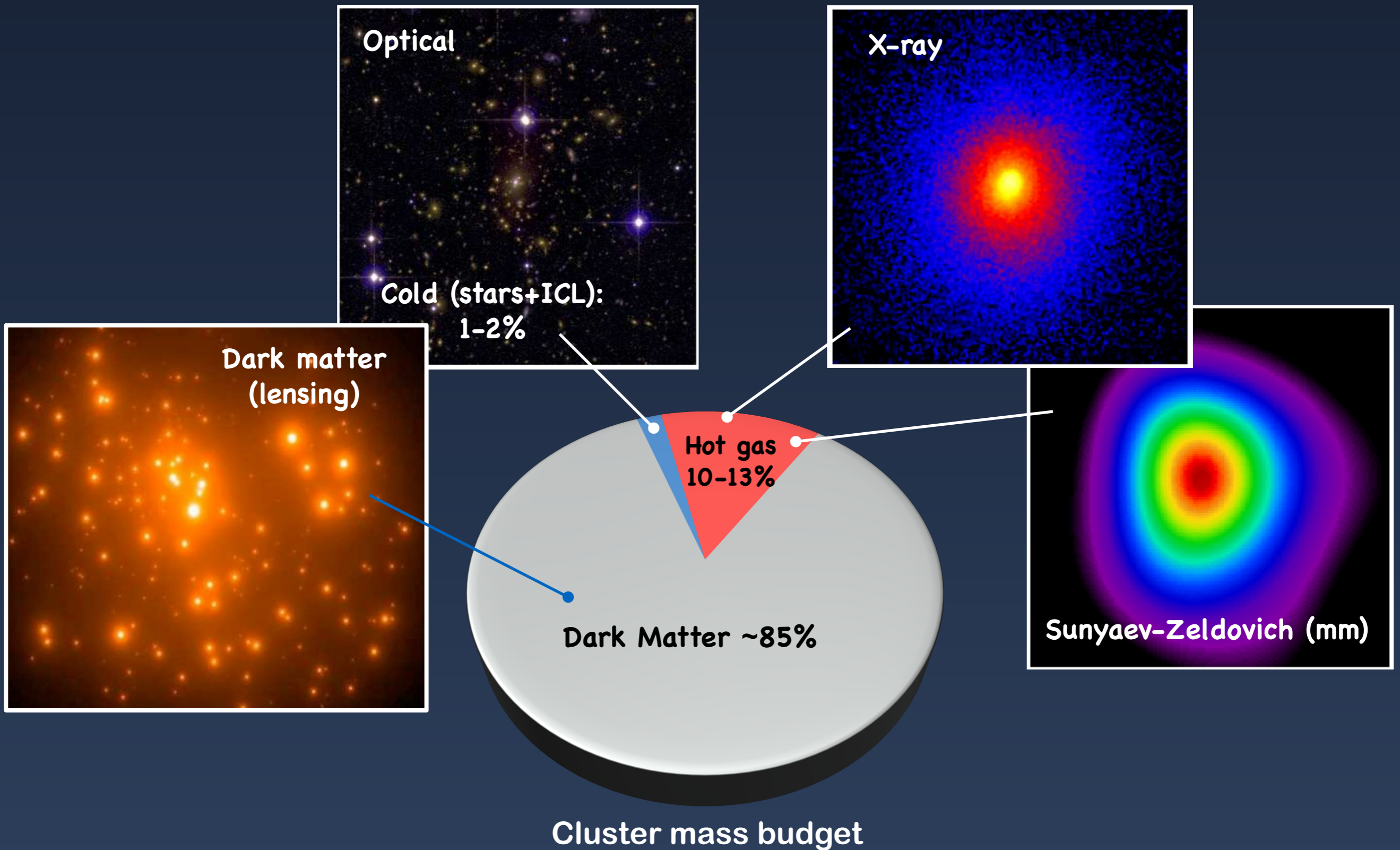


3D distribution

- .. depends on Geometry and Growth:
1. background Cosmology
  2. gravity law



# Clusters are sensitive probes of the dark matter and baryons (cold and hot phase) on large scales



# A simple/robust measurement of $\Omega_M$ (again using galaxy clusters)

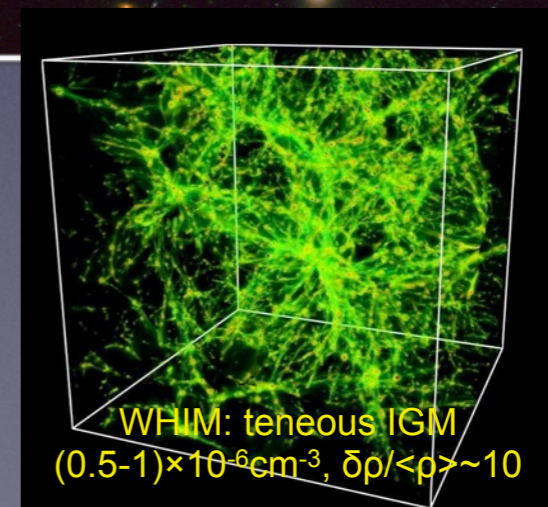
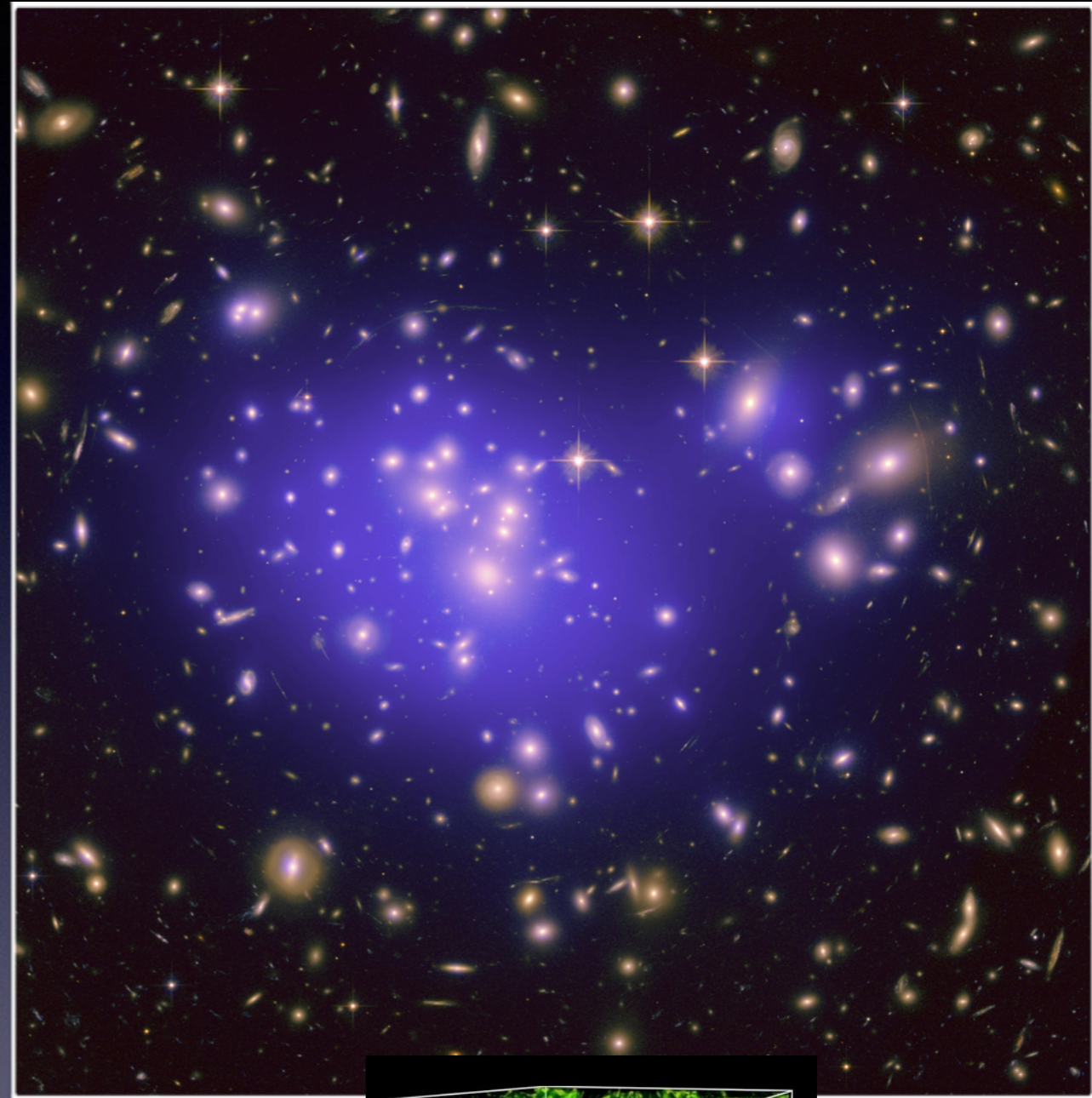
- The baryon fraction in clusters can be measured with high accuracy (gas + stars)
- If we have a robust universal measurement of  $\Omega_b$  (primordial nucleosynthesis, CMB peaks)
- Then  $\Omega_M$  can be readily measured (early 90's !)

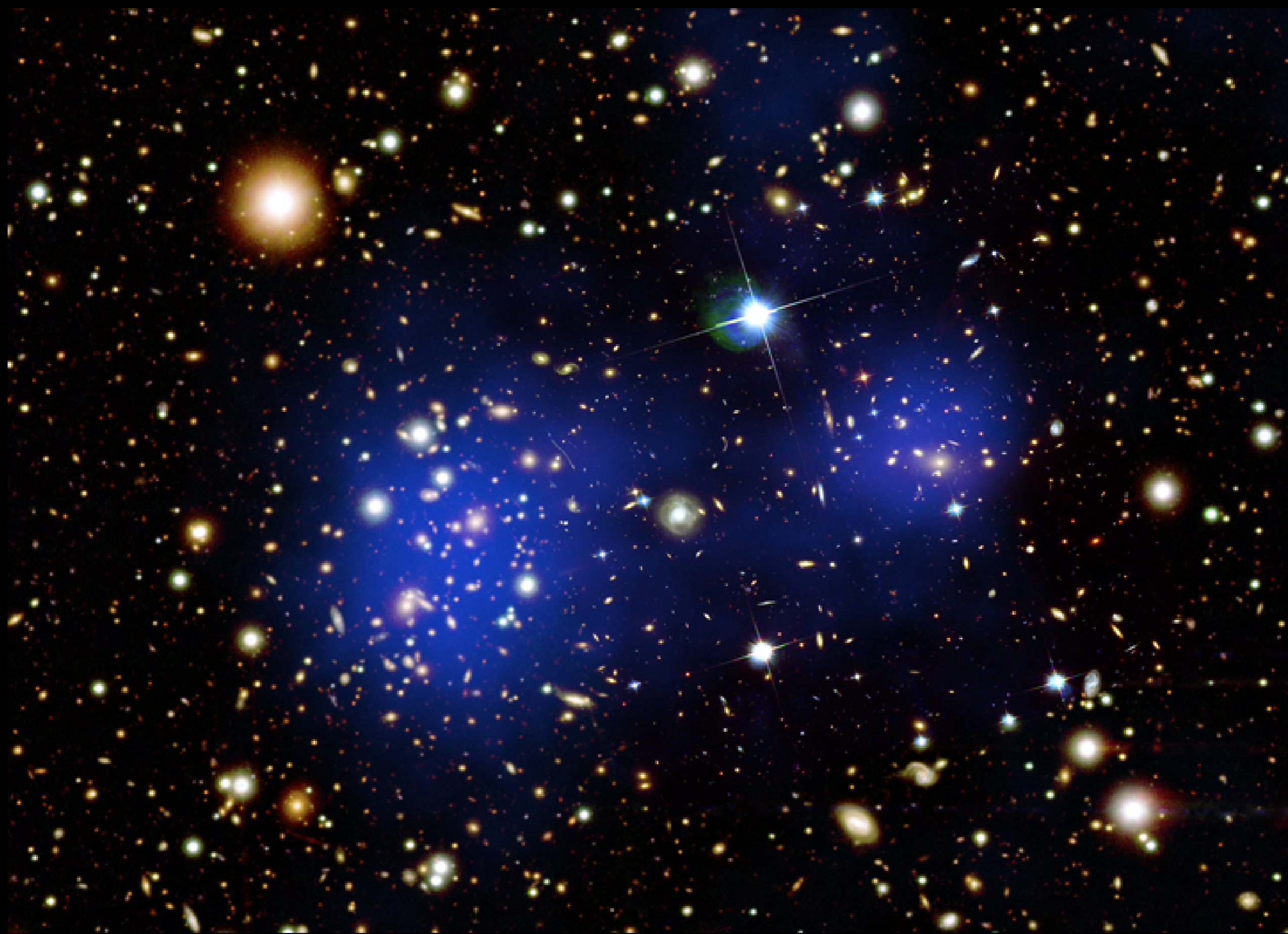
$$f_{\text{bar}} = \Omega_b / \Omega_M, \quad f_{\text{bar}} = f_{\text{gas}} + f_{\text{star}} \approx 0.15$$
$$\rightarrow \Omega_M = \Omega_b / f_{\text{bar}} (= 0.045/0.15) \approx 0.3$$

Note: by summing up all the visible baryons there is a significant fraction of "missing baryons" at  $z \sim 0$  (likely in filaments "WHIM")

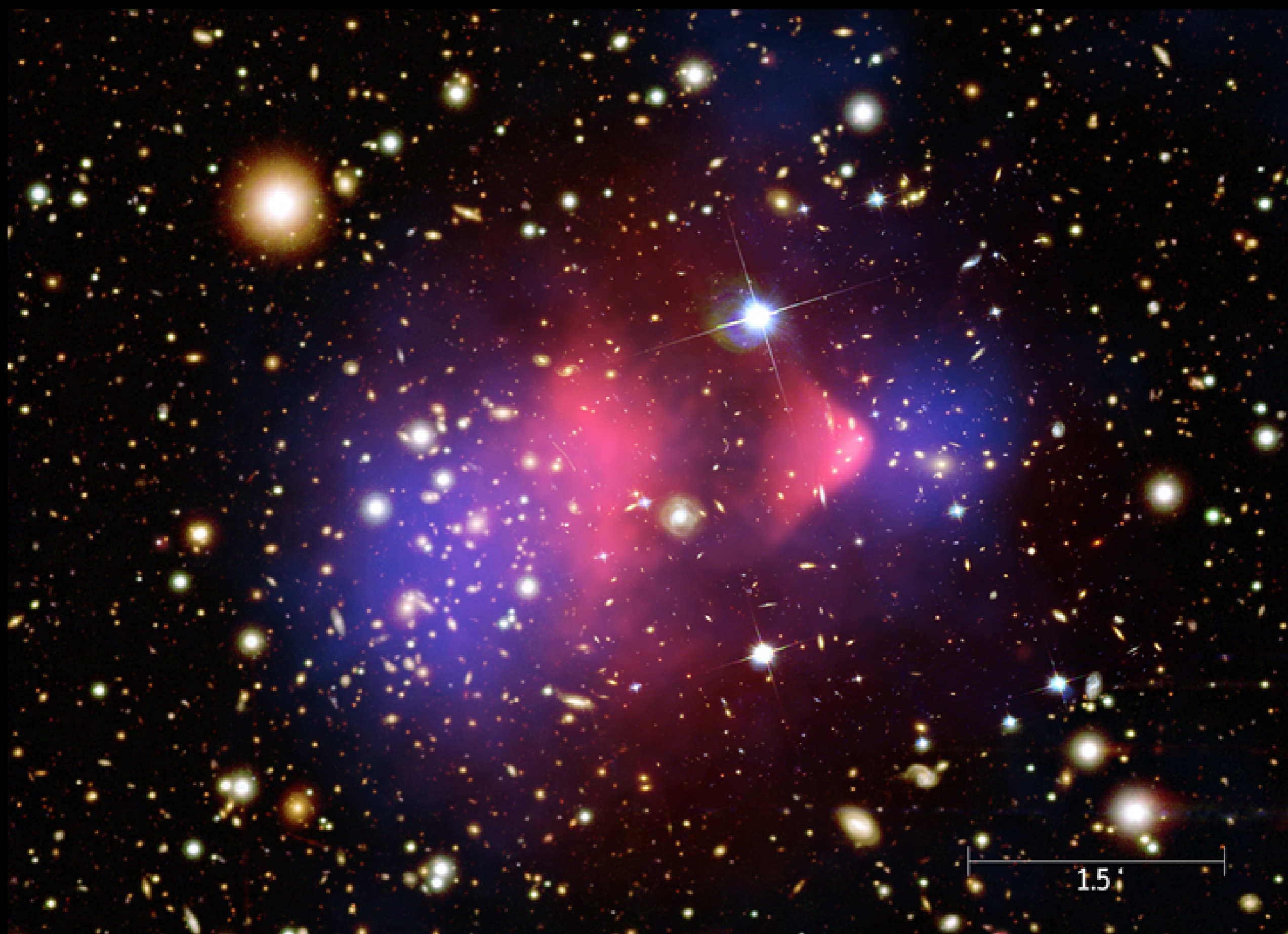
$$\Omega_b = 0.045 \pm 0.002 \quad (\text{for } h=0.7, \text{ from BBN \& CMB})$$

$$\Omega_{b,\text{obs}@ } z < 1} \approx \Omega_{\text{stars}} + \Omega_{\text{HI}} + \Omega_{\text{H2}} + \Omega_{\text{Xray,cl}} + \Omega_{\text{Ly}\alpha,\text{f}} \approx 0.02$$









# Mapping normal (baryonic) and dark matter in clusters

- The DM distribution closely follows the one of the galaxies (which behave as collisionless particles (unlike the gas). The lack of “dragging” for DM sets an upper limit to the self-interaction cross-section of DM particles

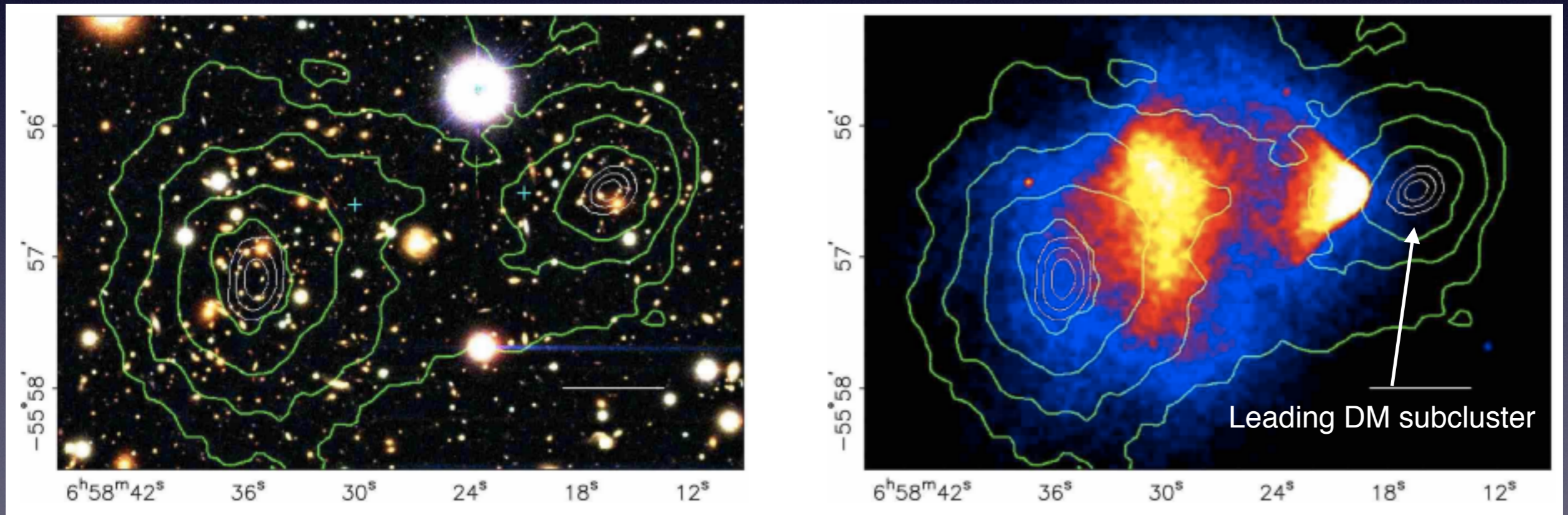
Gas-DM offset implies that subcluster’s scattering depth must be  $< 1$

$$\tau_s = \frac{\sigma}{m} \Sigma_s < 1$$

$$\Sigma_s \simeq 0.2 \text{ g cm}^{-2}$$

$$\frac{\sigma}{m} < 5 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$$

DM mass surface density of subcluster from lensing

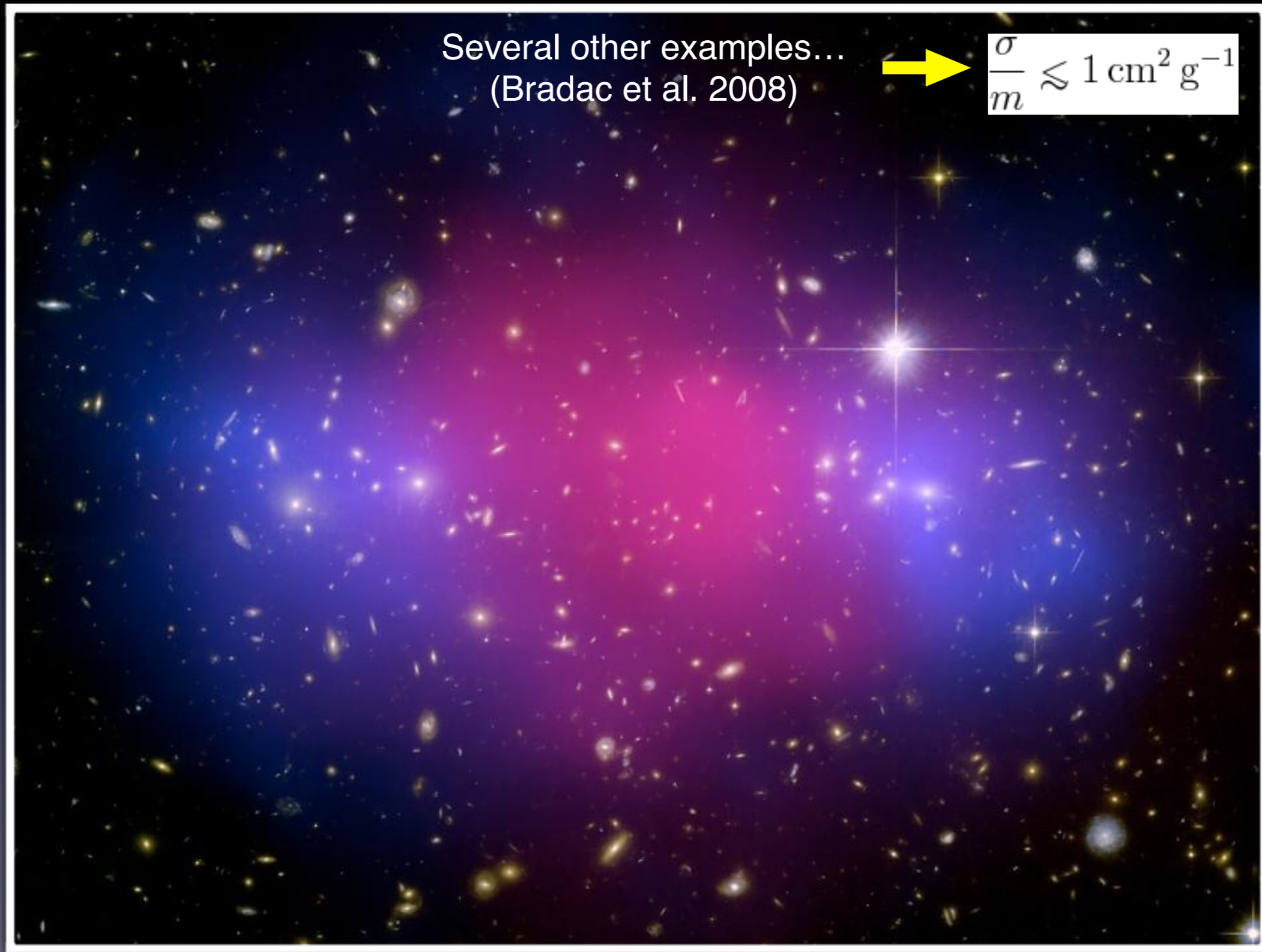


- Other independent methods used to constrain  $\sigma/m$ :

- High velocity of the leading DM subcluster (4500 km/s) ~ free fall velocity
- Survival of the DM subcluster

$$\frac{\sigma}{m} < (1 - 5) \text{ cm}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$$

# Mapping normal (baryonic) and dark matter in clusters



See also recent Harvey et al. Science (sample of “bullet” with HST and Chandra)  $\frac{\sigma}{m} < 0.5 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ g}^{-1}$

# Nature of DM particles ???

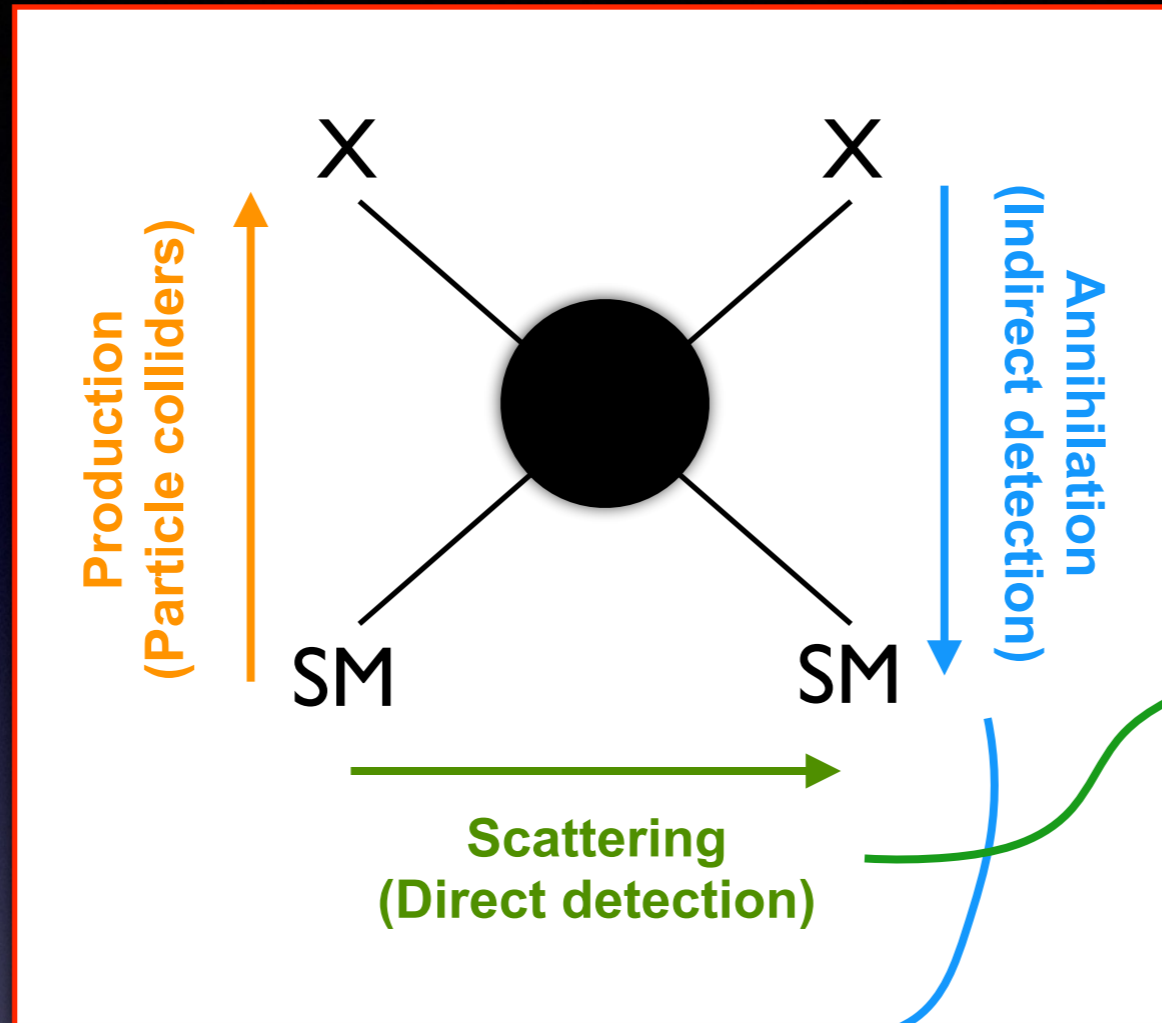
- Cannot be any of the particles we know in the SM
- Has to be neutral
- Has to be stable over Hubble time
- Has to be non relativistic at decoupling
- If thermally produced thermally in the early Universe their abundance must match the relic abundance (“WIMPS miracle”)
- The self-interaction cross section has to be small
- Cross-section and mass have to be within all the existent bounds..
- In principle, it doesn't have to be of just one type..

$$\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2 \sim \frac{3 \times 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3 \text{ s}^{-1}}{\langle \sigma v \rangle}$$

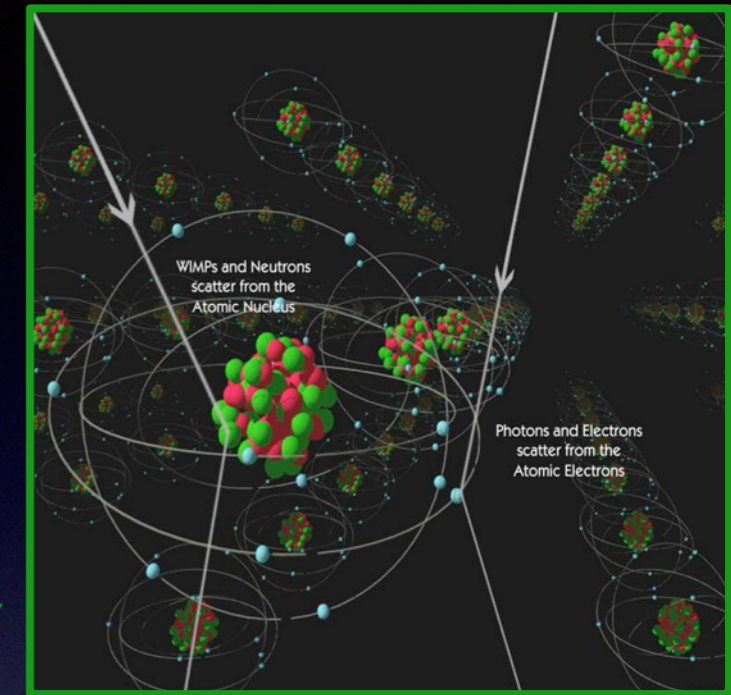
# Understanding the nature of Dark Matter



$m_X \lesssim 100 \text{ GeV}$



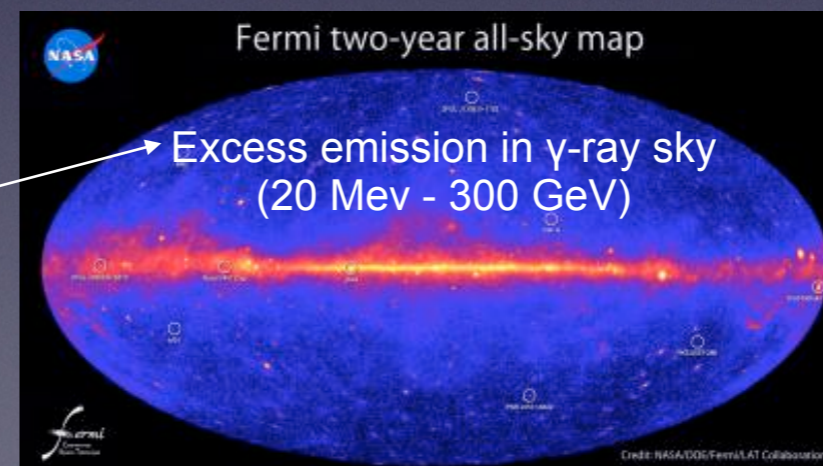
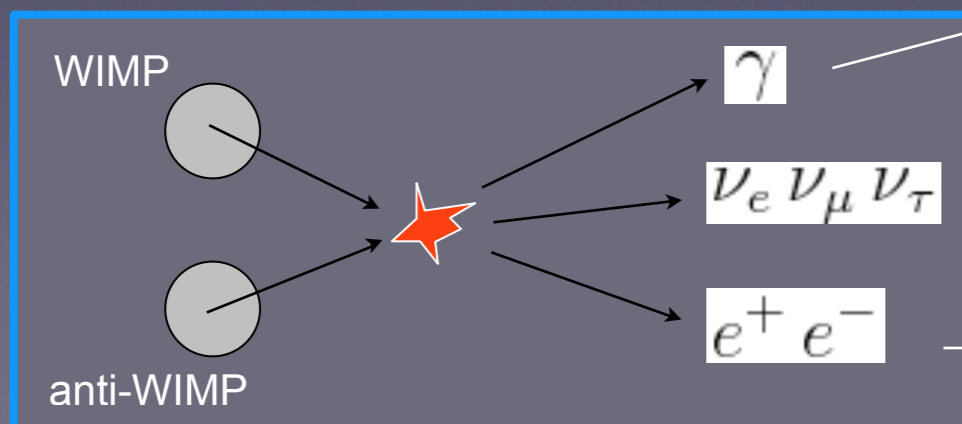
## Direct detection of DM



(e.g. CDMS, DAMA, XENON, underground experiments nucleus recoil from WIMP collision)

Detection of recoil energy via ionization (charges), scintillation (light) and heat (phonons)

## Indirect detection of DM (if WIMPs..)



## VHE CRs (CTA)

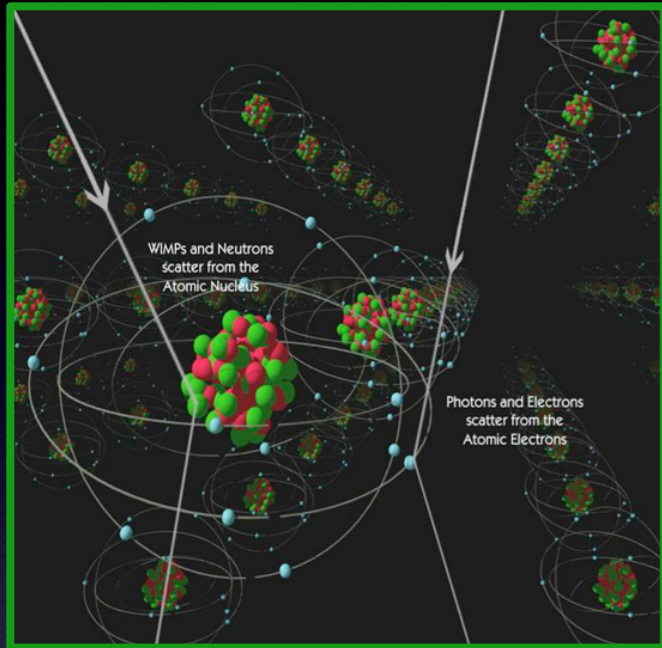


Spectrum of charged positrons and anti-protons (excess of CRs), e.g. Pamela, AMS (no info on source location)

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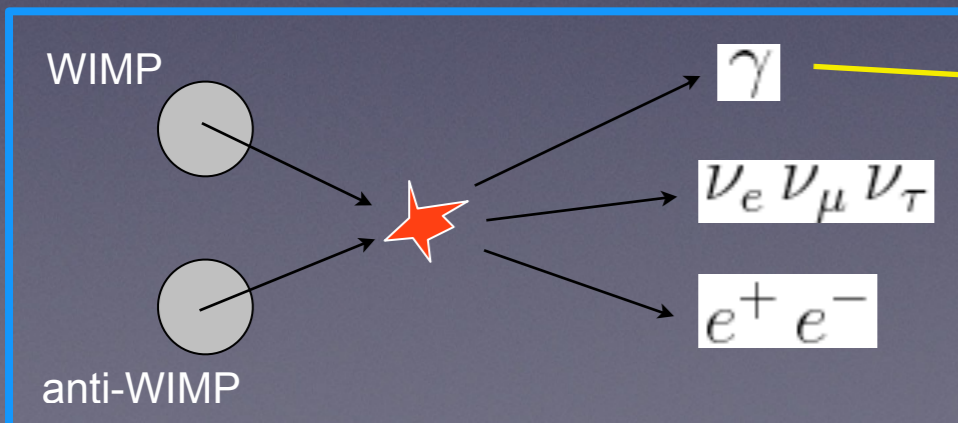
## Particle physics

### Direct detection of DM (underground experiments)

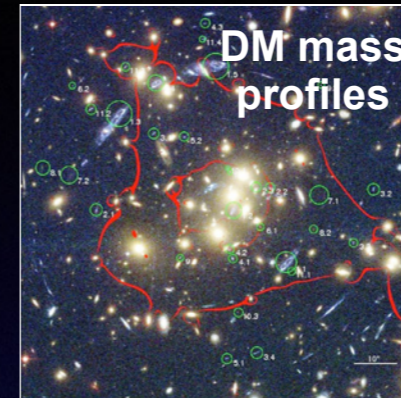
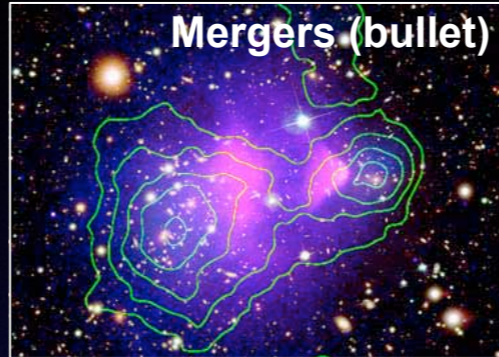


Accelerator experiments

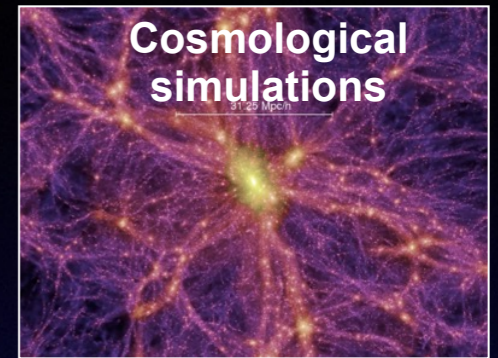
### Indirect detection of DM (if WIMPs..)



### Indirect clues on DM properties from Clusters



## Astronomy



Constraints on self-interacting DM

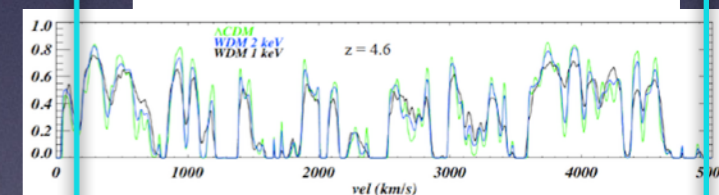
Dark Matter particle properties:  $M_X, \sigma_X, \sigma_{X\bar{X}}$   
+  
Beyond Standard Model

Cold vs Warm DM

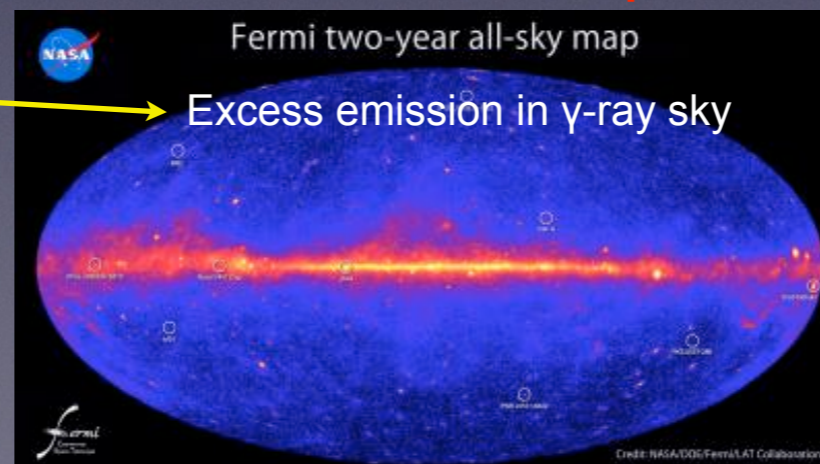


Substructure Milky Way satellites

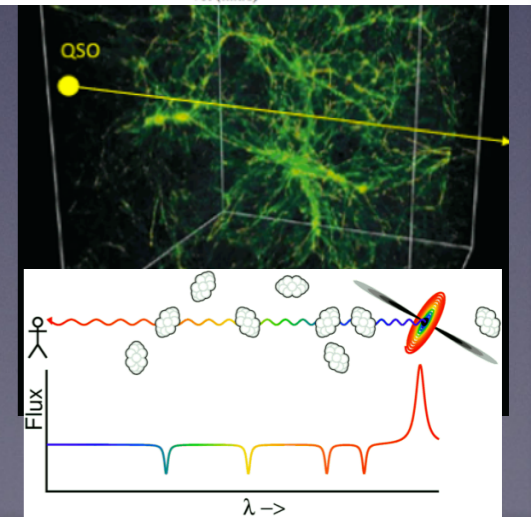
IGM small scale structure



## Astro-particle



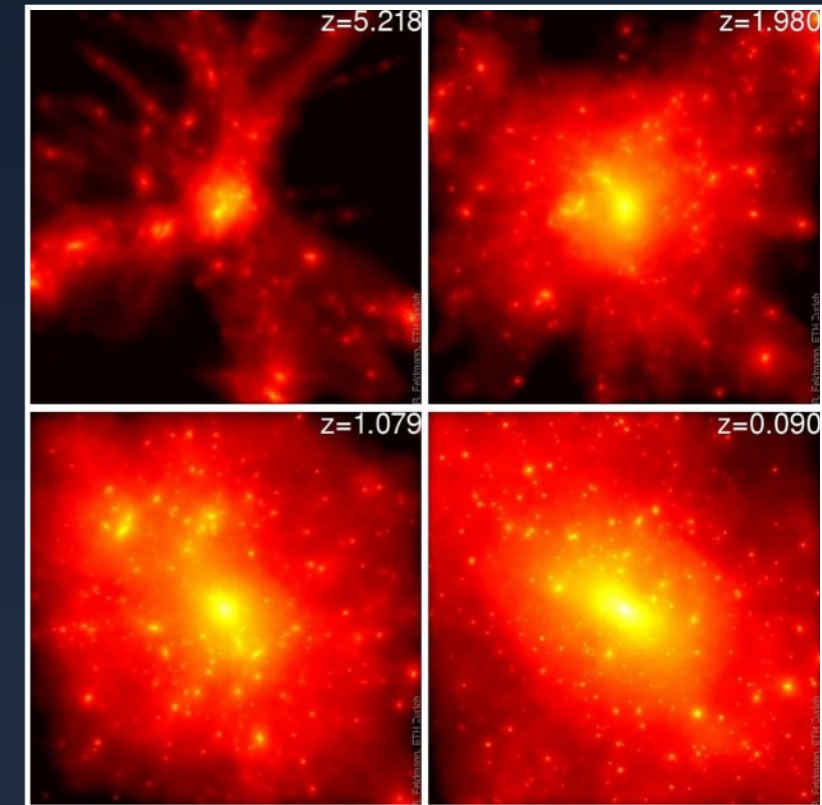
Excess emission in  $\gamma$ -ray sky



# $\Lambda$ CDM Predictions for DM Halos

## Hierarchical assembly of CDM halos predicts:

1. mass profiles with a (quasi) universal shape (gals  $\rightarrow$  CL)
2. prominent triaxial shapes
3. “cuspy” inner mass slopes ( $\beta \approx 1$ )
4. a large degree of substructure
5. halo radial structure result of mass assembly history



(e.g. Navarro+ 97, Duffy+ 08, Gao+ 2008, Bullock+ 11, Klypin+ 2011, Giocoli+ 2012, Bhattacharya+ 2011)

$$\rho(r) = \frac{\rho_S}{(r/r_S)^\beta (1 + r/r_S)^{(3-\beta)}}$$

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concentration parameter

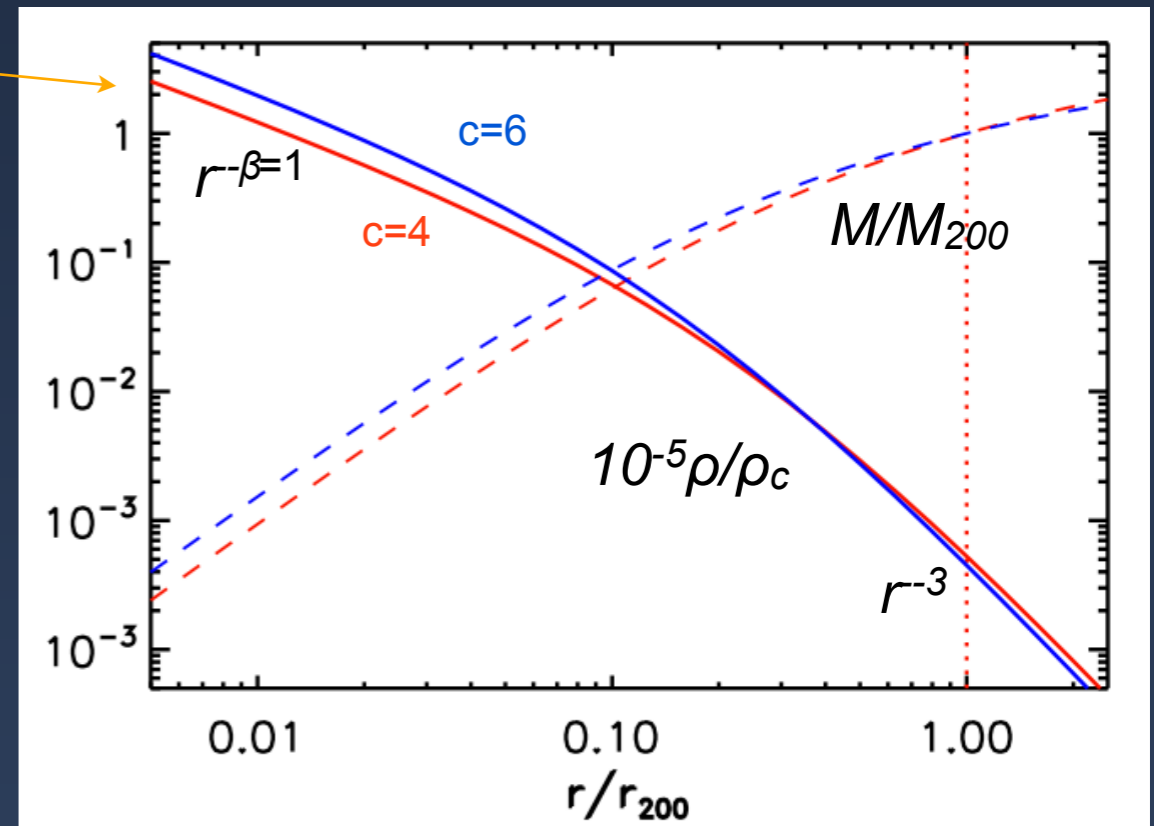
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$$c_{vir} \equiv r_{vir}(M_{vir}, z)/r_S(z_{vir})$$

(Duffy et al. 08)

$$\bar{c}_{vir} \approx c_0 (1+z)^{-A} \left( \frac{M_{vir}}{10^{15} M_{sun} / h} \right)^{-B}$$

gNFW



Simulations suggest shallow dependence ( $A, B \sim 0.1-0.3$ ) (Log  $M=14-15$ )

# $\Lambda$ CDM Predictions for DM Halos

## Highly debated issues

- Concentration-Mass relation:  $c(M,z)$
- DM & baryons distribution in the inner core: inner slope of  $\rho(r)$ 
  - ▶ DM particle physics or dynamical effects of baryons ?
- Degree of substructure of DM halos

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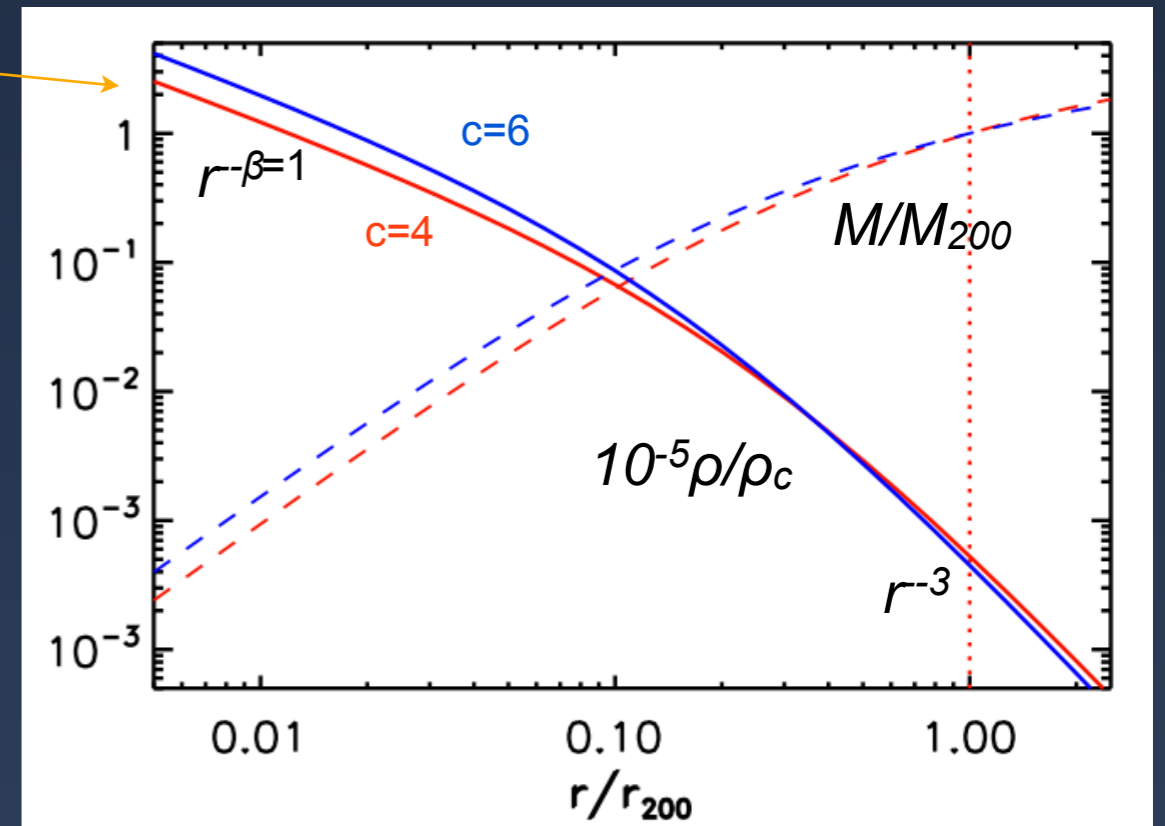
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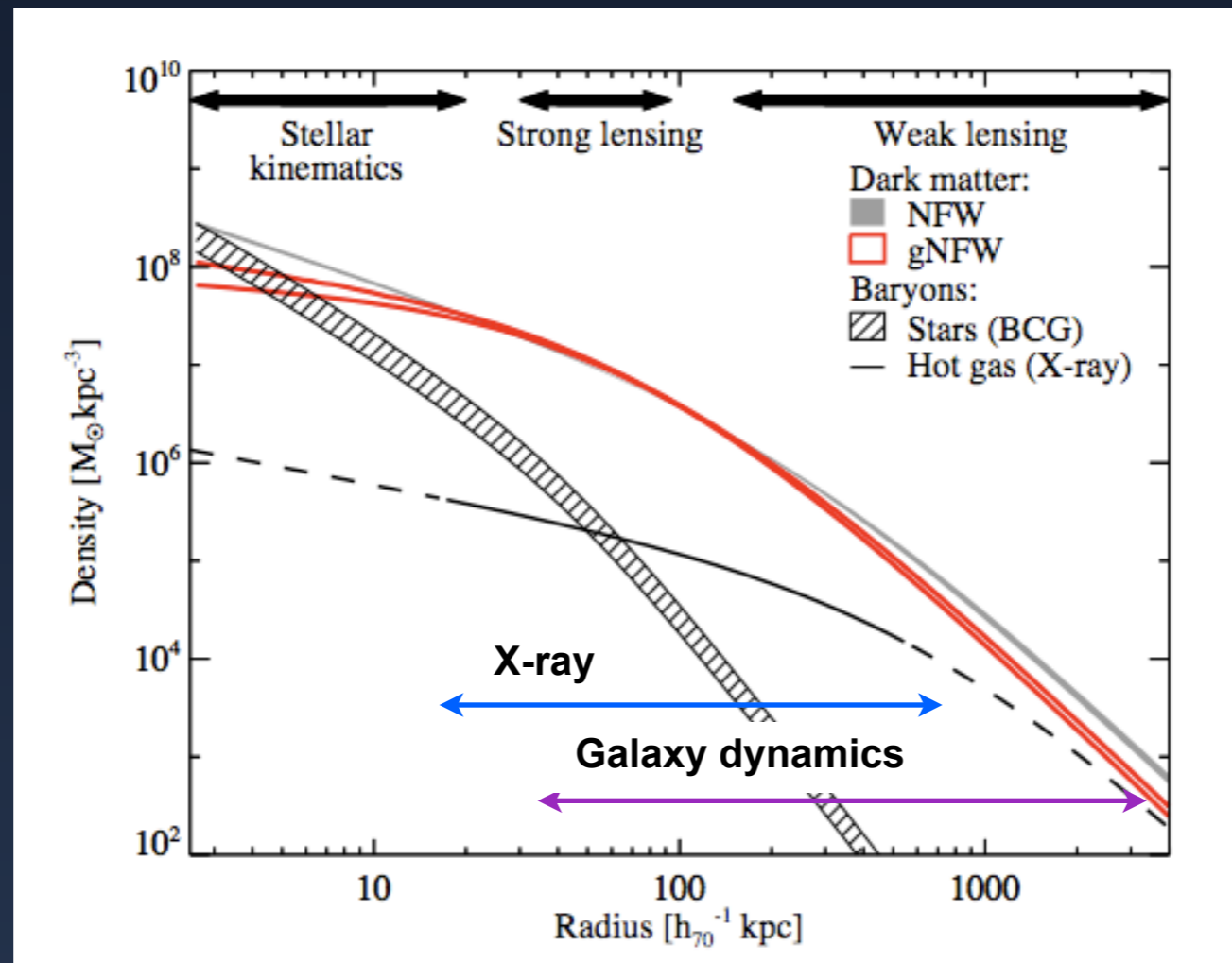
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# Measuring DM and Baryon mass density profiles in clusters



Newman et al. 09

- **Key:** use a variety of complementary probes
  - ▶ to cover 2-3 decades in scale in a complementary fashion
  - ▶ to mitigate systematics (different for each method)
    - Lensing: LSS projections, triaxiality
    - X-ray: deviation from hydrostatic equilibrium, non thermal support
    - Dynamics: deviation from equilibrium, substructures, projections

# X-ray hydrostatic mass for clusters

Balance of gravitational and pressure forces for the gas:

In spherical symmetry:

$$\frac{dP}{dr} = -\rho_{gas} \frac{d\Phi}{dr} = -\rho_{gas} \frac{GM(r)}{r^2}$$

Note: sound speed

$$c_s \approx \sqrt{\frac{P}{\rho_g}} = \sqrt{\frac{nk_B T}{\rho_g}} = \sqrt{\frac{k_B T}{\mu m_p}} \sim 1000 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

then the crossing time

$$t_{sc} = \frac{2R_A}{c_s} \sim 7 \times 10^8 \text{ yr}, \quad \gg T_{cluster} \Rightarrow \text{system in equilibrium}$$

If  $\mu$  is the mean molecular weight (avg mass of gas particle in units of proton mass), then  $\rho_g = n \langle m \rangle = n \mu m_p$ ; for fully ionized H  $\mu = 1/2$ ; for solar abundance  $\mu = 0.63$

Then for a gas with a mixture of elements:  $p = n k_B T = \rho_{gas} k_B T / \mu m_p$

The total mass profile of a cluster can be computed directly from X-ray observations (imaging and spectroscopy):  $T, dT/dr, d\rho_g/dr$

$$M(< r) = -\frac{r^2}{G\rho_{gas}} \frac{dP}{dr} = -\frac{kT}{G\mu m_p} r^2 \left( \frac{d \ln \rho_{gas}}{dr} + \frac{d \ln T}{dr} \right)$$

$$\frac{dp}{d\rho} = -\rho \frac{GM}{r^2}$$

$$\text{GAS } p_{gas} = \frac{\rho}{\mu m_p} kT$$

$$\text{DM } p_{DM} = \rho \sigma^2$$

$$\rho_{gas} \propto \rho_{DM}^\beta \quad \beta = \frac{\mu m_p \sigma^2}{kT}$$

# Dynamical mass for clusters

For a collisionless system of particles (CDM, galaxies) the equilibrium condition is given by the Jeans equation, which for a non-rotating spherically symmetric system, is:

$$M_J(< r) = -\frac{r\sigma_r^2}{G} \left[ \frac{d \ln v(r)}{d \ln r} + \frac{d \ln \sigma_r(r)^2}{d \ln r} + 2\beta(r) \right]$$

density profile
radial vel. dispersion profile
anisotropy profile

$$\beta = 1 - \frac{\sigma_t^2}{2\sigma_r^2}$$

is the orbit anisotropy parameter ( $\beta=0$  for isotropic velocity field) in terms of radial and tangential vel. disp. components

The observed quantities: projected density profile  $N(R)$  and line of sight vel. dispersion profile,  $\sigma_{\text{los}}(r)$ , need to be deprojected with Abel integrals, e.g.

$$v(r) = -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_r^\infty \frac{dN}{dR} \frac{dR}{\sqrt{R^2 - r^2}}$$

One can trade  $M(r)$  and  $\beta(r) \rightarrow$  “mass-anisotropy degeneracy“ which can be removed with an independent knowledge of  $M(r)$

E.g. MAPOSSt method (Mammon et al.): fit projected phase-space distribution of galaxies for a parametric description of  $M(r)$  obeying Jeans equilibrium (so  $r < R_{200}$ )

$\rightarrow$  fitting params:  $r_{200}$  (or  $M_{200}$ ), scale radius ( $r_s, r_{-2}$ ) and  $\beta(r)$

Analogy with X-ray hydrostatic mass

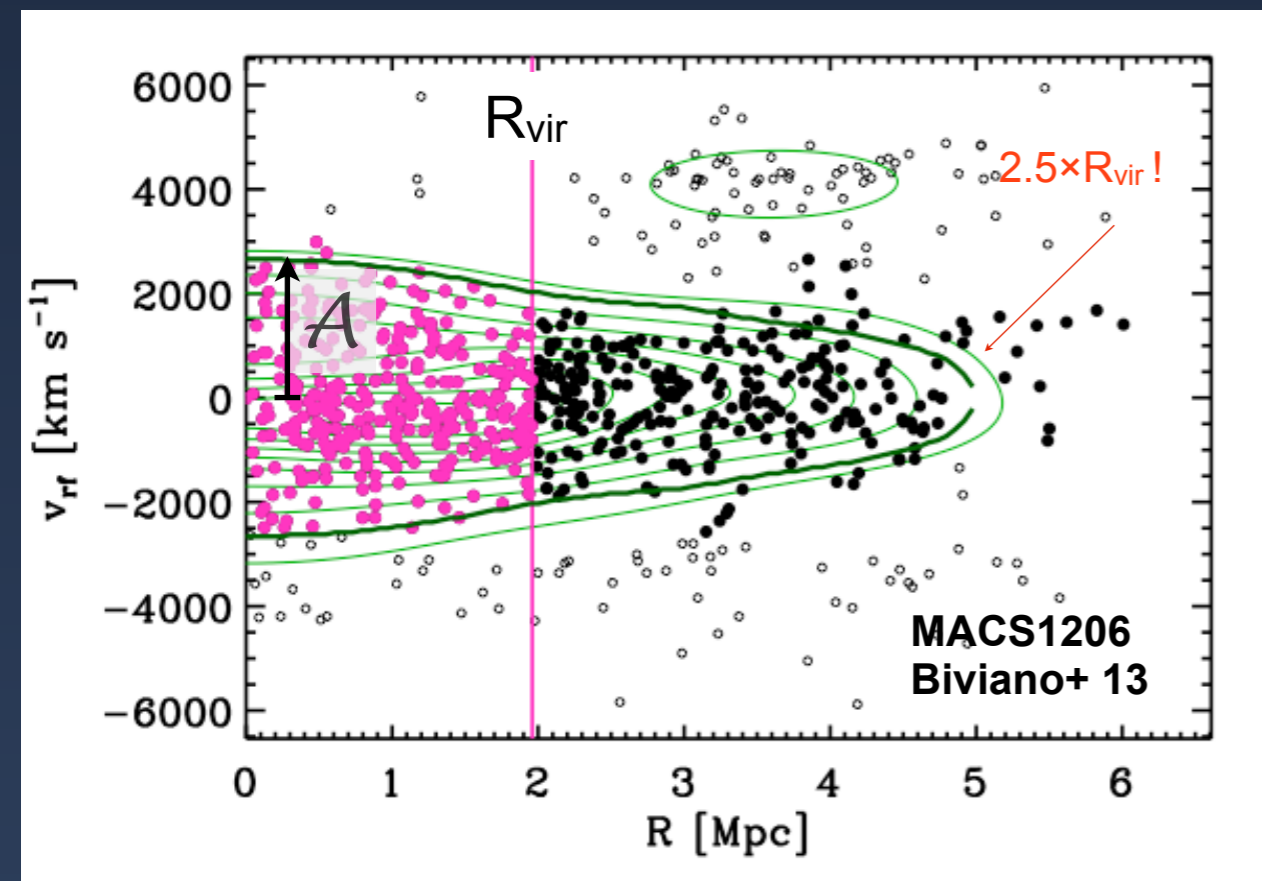
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$$\rho_{\text{gas}} = n \mu m_p$$

$$k_B T = \mu m_p \sigma^2$$

# Cluster mass profiles beyond the virial radius ?

- The Jeans equation can be applied only out to the virial radius ( $R_{200} \sim 1.5-2$  Mpc for massive clusters): dynamical equilibrium!
- X-ray based masses are often limited to  $R_{500}$  (SB limit) and require hydrostatic equilibrium
- Weak lensing can in principle be extended beyond  $R_{vir}$  but is limited by data depth/quality AND large-scale structure along the line of sight
- Kinematics of galaxies beyond  $R_{vir}$  can however still probe the cluster potential caustics/phase space method (Diaferio & Geller 2009)



Amplitude of the caustics  $\mathcal{A}(R)$  reflects escape velocity  
 $\rightarrow$  avg component along the l.o.s. of the  $v_{esc}$  at  $r=R$

$$v_{esc}^2(r) = -2\phi(r)$$

vel. anisotropy param.

$$\mathcal{A}^2(r) = \langle v_{esc,los}^2 \rangle \Rightarrow -2\phi(r) = \mathcal{A}^2(r)g(\beta)$$

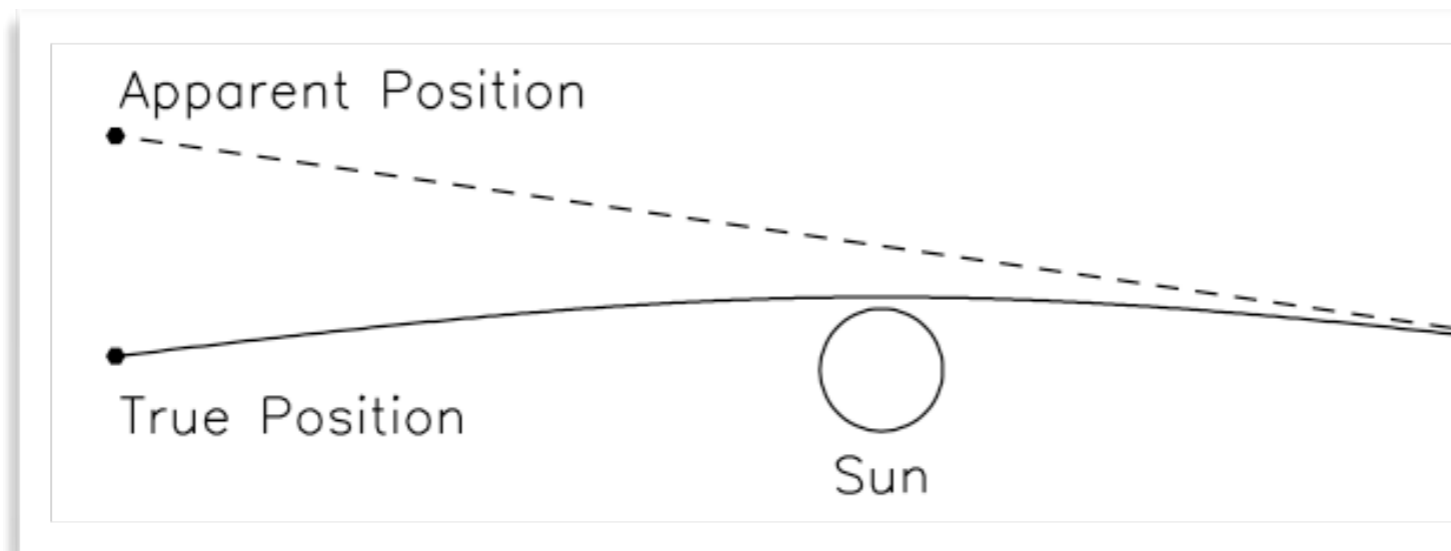
$$GM(< r) = \int_0^r \mathcal{A}^2(r)\mathcal{F}_\beta(r)dr \simeq \mathcal{F}_\beta \int_0^r \mathcal{A}^2(r)dr$$

- Does not require assumption of dynamical equilibrium
- All galaxies even beyond  $R_{vir}$  can be used
- $M(<R)$  can be determined at  $R > R_{vir}$  in a model indep. way, but systematics due to approximation on  $\mathcal{F}_\beta(r)$

# Gravitational Lensing: brief historical perspective

- Hypothesis of light deflection by Newtonian gravity goes back to Newton and Laplace, Soldner (1804) derives the classical deflection formula
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- Eddington (1919) confirms the deflection prediction of stars near the solar limb

$$\alpha = \frac{2GM}{c^2} \frac{1}{r}$$



**LIGHTS ALL ASKEW  
IN THE HEAVENS**

**Men of Science More or Less  
Agog Over Results of Eclipse  
Observations.**

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**EINSTEIN THEORY TRIUMPHS**

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**Stars Not Where They Seemed  
or Were Calculated to be,  
but Nobody Need Worry.**

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**No More in All the World Could  
Comprehend It, Said Einstein When  
His Daring Publishers Accepted It.**

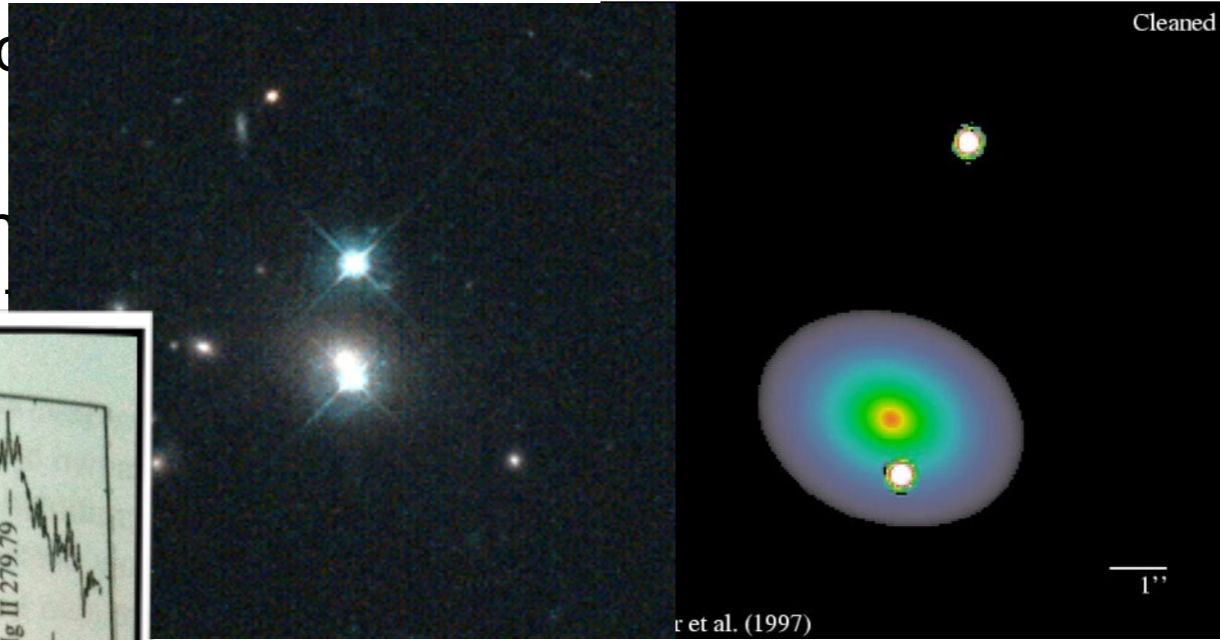
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- Chwolson (1926) conceives the possibility of multiple images ("fictitious stars") of stars by a lensing stars, and even rings in symmetric geometry
- Einstein (1936) considers the same possibility (also rings) and concludes there is no chance to observe the effect for stellar-mass lenses..
- Zwicky (1937) using his new galaxy mass estimates ( $\sim 4 \times 10^{11} M_{\odot}$ ) concluded:
  - lensing by galaxies can split images to large observable angles
  - this could be used to estimate galaxy masses
  - magnification can lead to access distant faint galaxies!
- Refsdal (1964): time delay from variability of multiple sources can be used to measure  $H_0$  (if an accurate mass model is available..)

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- Einstein (1915) using general relativity, a factor of 2 higher

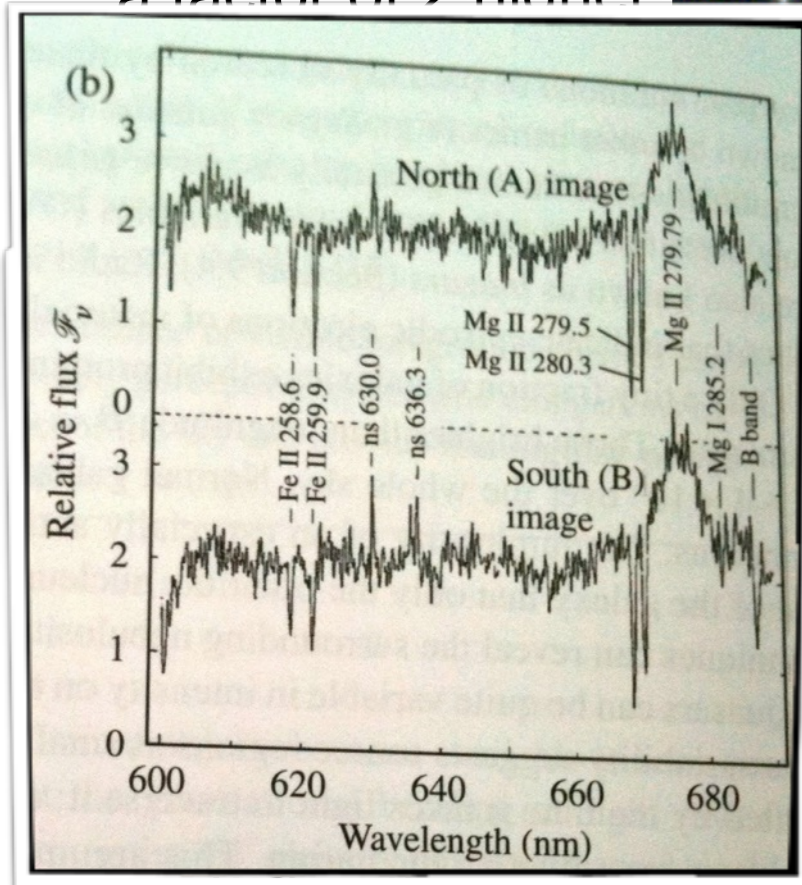


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$$\alpha = \frac{2GM}{c^2 r}$$

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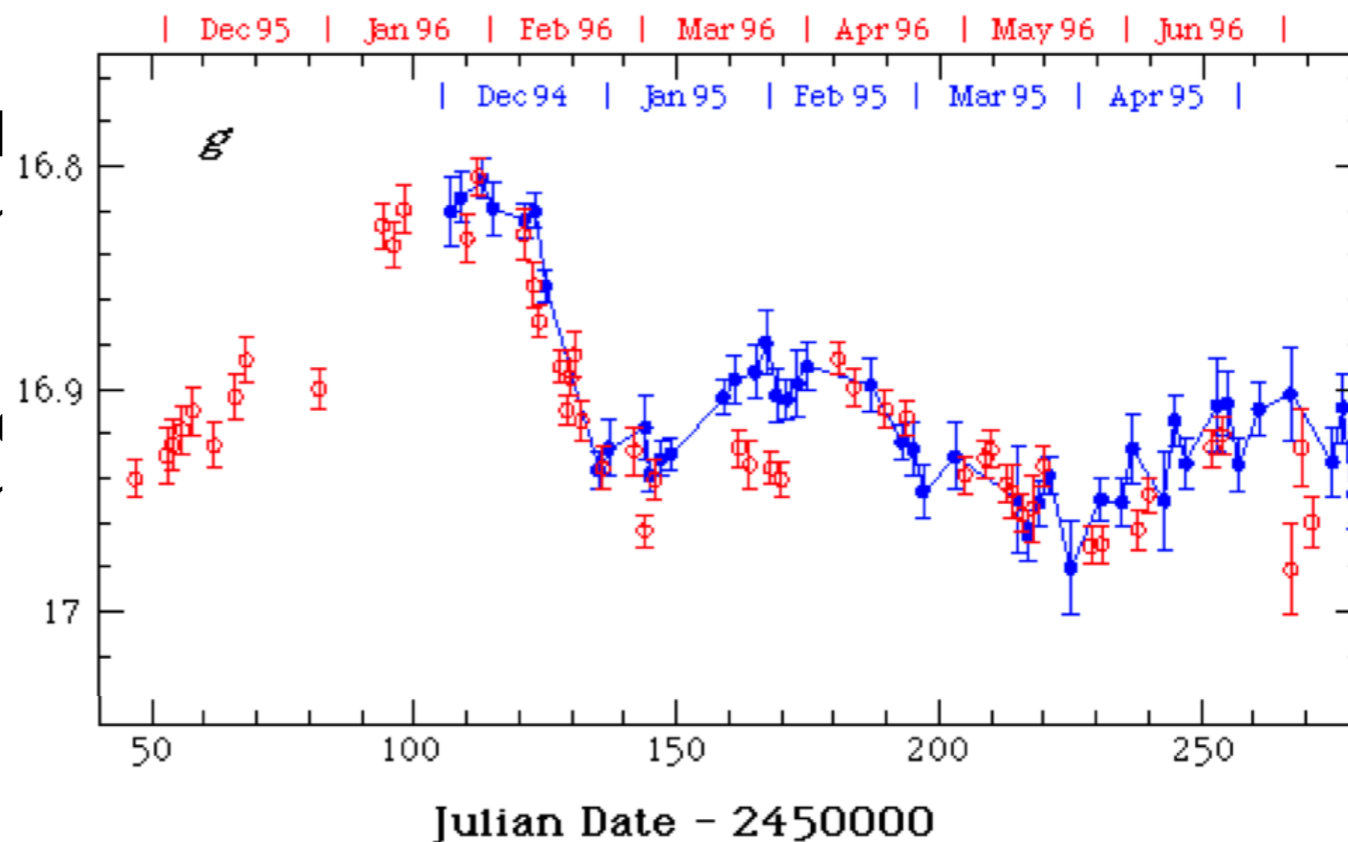
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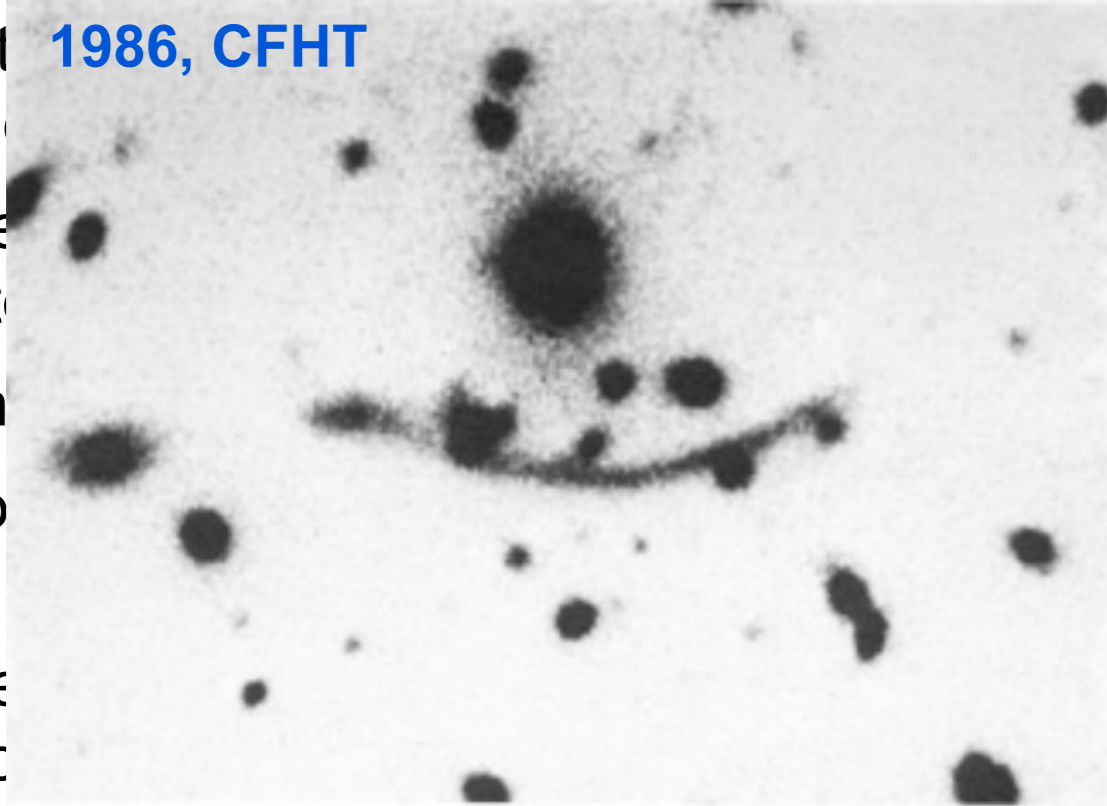
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# Gravitational Lensing: brief historical perspective

- Hypothesis of Laplace
- Einstein's prediction of a factor
- Eddington's prediction
- Chwolson's prediction of stars
- Einstein's prediction of chance

1986, CFHT



2009, HST



$$\alpha = \frac{2GM}{c^2} \frac{1}{r}$$

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Figure 2: The giant luminous arc in Abell 370. CFHT, 0'2/pixel, 10 min., seeing 0'7, November 25, 1986.

- Zwicky

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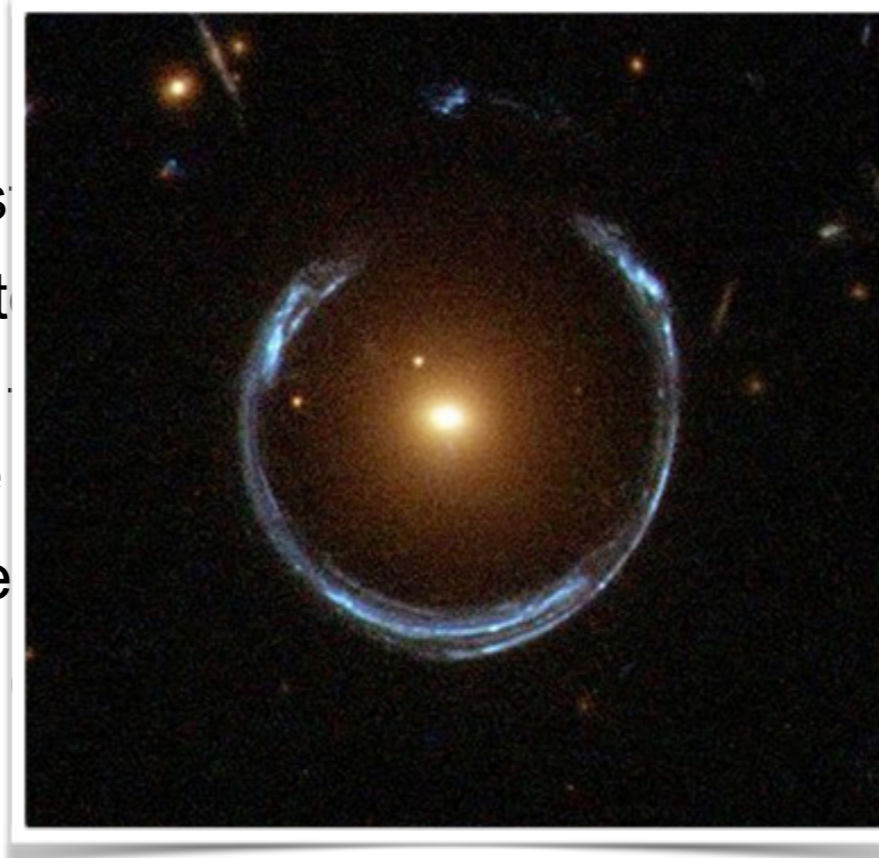
images ( $\sim 1 \times 11 M_{\odot}$ ) concluded:

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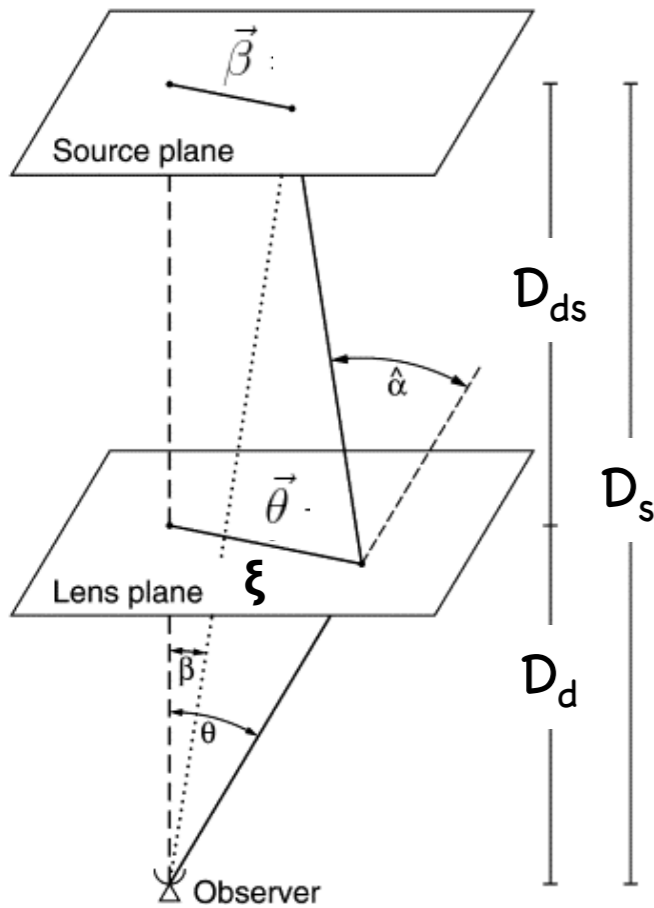
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7): right interpretation





# Lensing basics



- A lens is fully characterized by its surface mass density  $\Sigma(\theta)$ , or  $K(\theta) = \Sigma(\theta)/\Sigma_{cr}$  (convergence),  $\Sigma_{cr} = \frac{c^2 D_s}{4\pi G D_d D_{ds}}$

$$\vec{\beta} = \vec{\theta} - \vec{\alpha}(\vec{\theta})$$

Lensing equation

$$\vec{\alpha}(\vec{\theta}) = \vec{\nabla}\psi = \frac{1}{\pi} \int \kappa(\vec{\theta}') \frac{\vec{\theta} - \vec{\theta}'}{|\vec{\theta} - \vec{\theta}'|^2} d^2\theta'$$

deflection field

$$\alpha(\theta) := \frac{D_{ds}}{D_s} \hat{\alpha}(D_d \theta)$$

Sum of all deflections due to all mass elements  $dm = \Sigma ds = \Sigma d^2\xi$

$$\hat{\alpha}(\xi) = \frac{4G}{c^2} \int d^2\xi' \Sigma(\xi') \frac{\xi - \xi'}{|\xi - \xi'|^2}$$

$$\hat{\alpha} = \frac{4GM}{c^2 \xi} \text{ point-like mass}$$

**Einstein radius**  $\rightarrow$  scale of lensing/multiple images

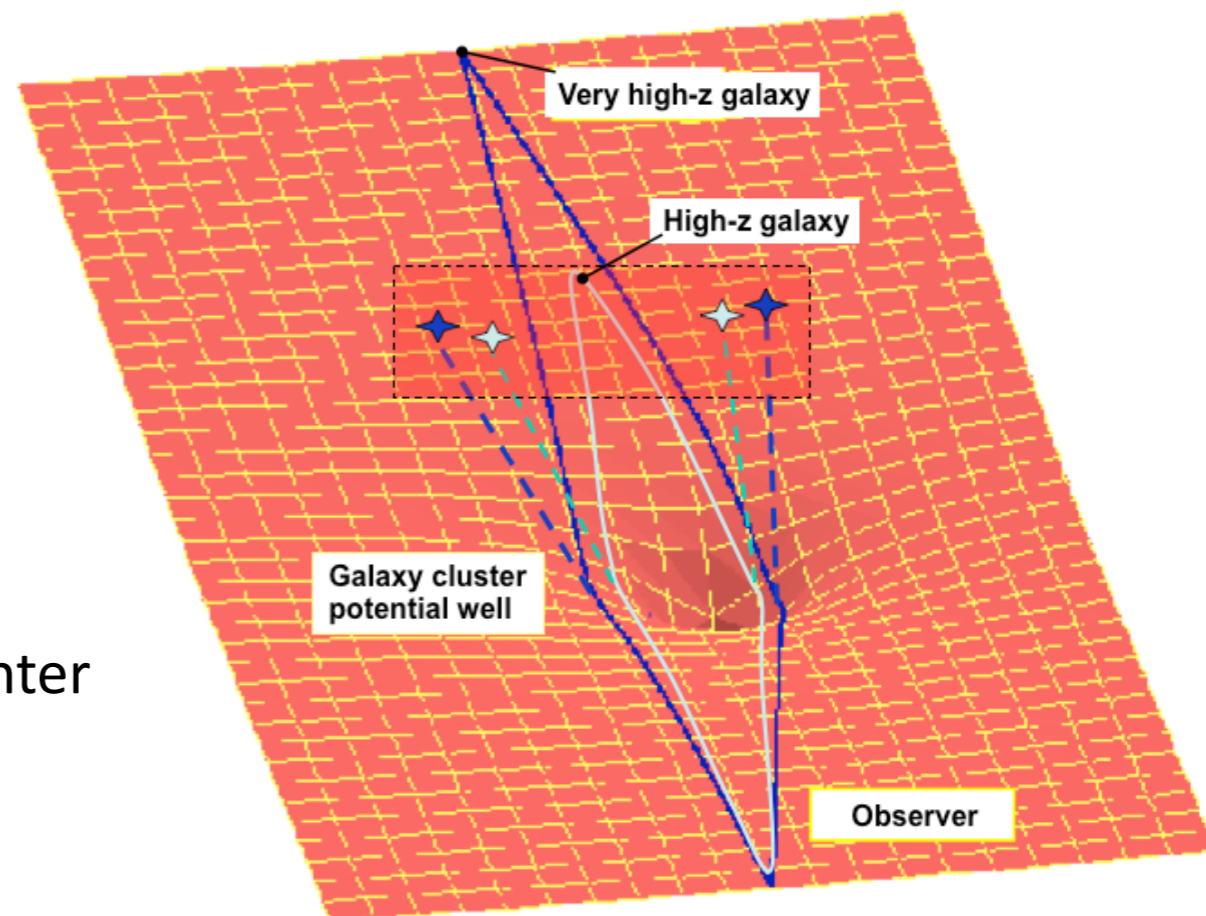
- For circularly symmetric (supercritical) lens with a mass profile  $M(\theta)$ , an on-axis ( $\beta=0$ ) source is imaged as ring with radius  $\theta_E$

$$\theta_E = \left[ \frac{4GM(\theta_E)}{c^2} \frac{D_{ds}}{D_d D_s} \right]^{1/2}$$

Lensing mapping involves:

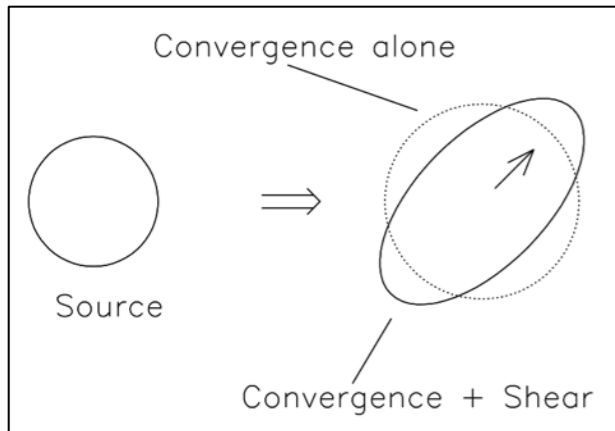
- Universal geometry ( $\Omega_M, \Omega_\Lambda$ )
- Lens geometry ( $z_L, z_S$ )
- Cluster mass distribution

- More distant galaxy is imaged further from cluster center
- Geometric lensing deflections can further constraint source redshift



# Convergence and Shear

*convergence* magnifies the image isotropically, the *shear* deforms it to an ellipse (anisotropic part of the lens mapping)



Jacobian matrix  $\mathcal{A}$  of the lens mapping

$$\vec{\beta} = \vec{\theta} - \vec{\alpha}(\vec{\theta})$$

$$\mathcal{A} \equiv \frac{\partial \vec{\beta}}{\partial \vec{\theta}} = \left( \delta_{ij} - \frac{\partial \alpha_i(\vec{\theta})}{\partial \theta_j} \right) = \left( \delta_{ij} - \frac{\partial^2 \psi(\vec{\theta})}{\partial \theta_i \partial \theta_j} \right)$$

$$\gamma = (\gamma_1^2 + \gamma_2^2)^{1/2}$$

magnitude of the shear

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{2} (\psi_{11} + \psi_{22})$$

*convergence* isotropic term

Under the transformation  $\beta = \mathcal{A} \theta$ , a circular object gains an ellipticity  $(a-b)/(a+b)$  of:

$$g = \gamma / (1 - \kappa) \quad (\text{reduced shear}), \quad \text{with magnification:}$$

$$\mu = \frac{F_I}{F_S} = \frac{\delta \theta^2}{\delta \beta^2} = \frac{1}{\det \mathcal{A}} = \frac{1}{(1 - \kappa)^2 - \gamma^2}$$

surface brightness is conserved, both galaxy fluxes and sizes are amplified

$$\det \mathcal{A}(\theta) = 0 \quad \rightarrow \text{critical curves}$$

## Mass-sheet degeneracy:

Any reconstruction method is insensitive to isotropic expansions of images

$\rightarrow$  the measured ellipticities are invariant under  $\mathcal{A} \rightarrow \lambda \mathcal{A}$

which leaves the reduced shear  $g$  invariant under the transformation:

$$(\kappa \rightarrow 1 - \lambda + \lambda \kappa)$$

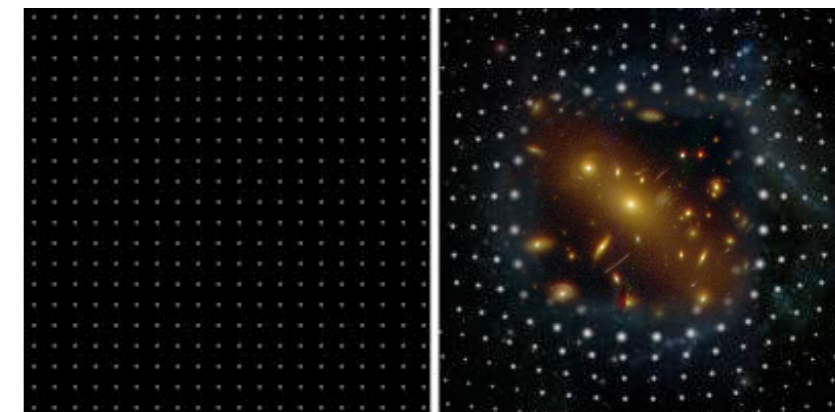
- can be removed by measuring independently the magnification, since

“magnification bias”, or *number counts depletion* :

$$\mu \propto \lambda^{-2}$$

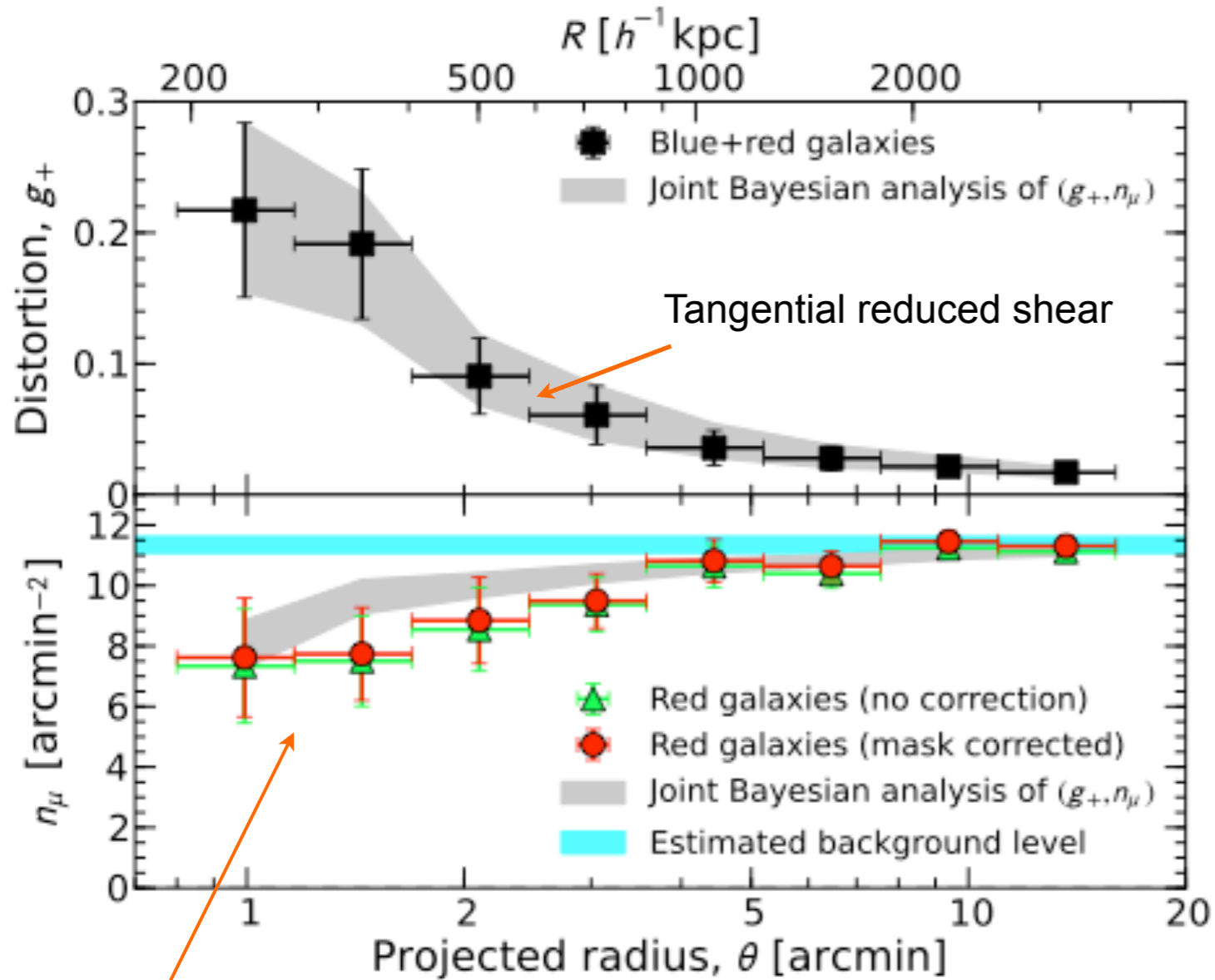
$$N'(m) = N_0(m) \mu^{2.5s-1} \quad s = \frac{d \log N(m)}{dm}$$

(Broadhurst et al. 95)



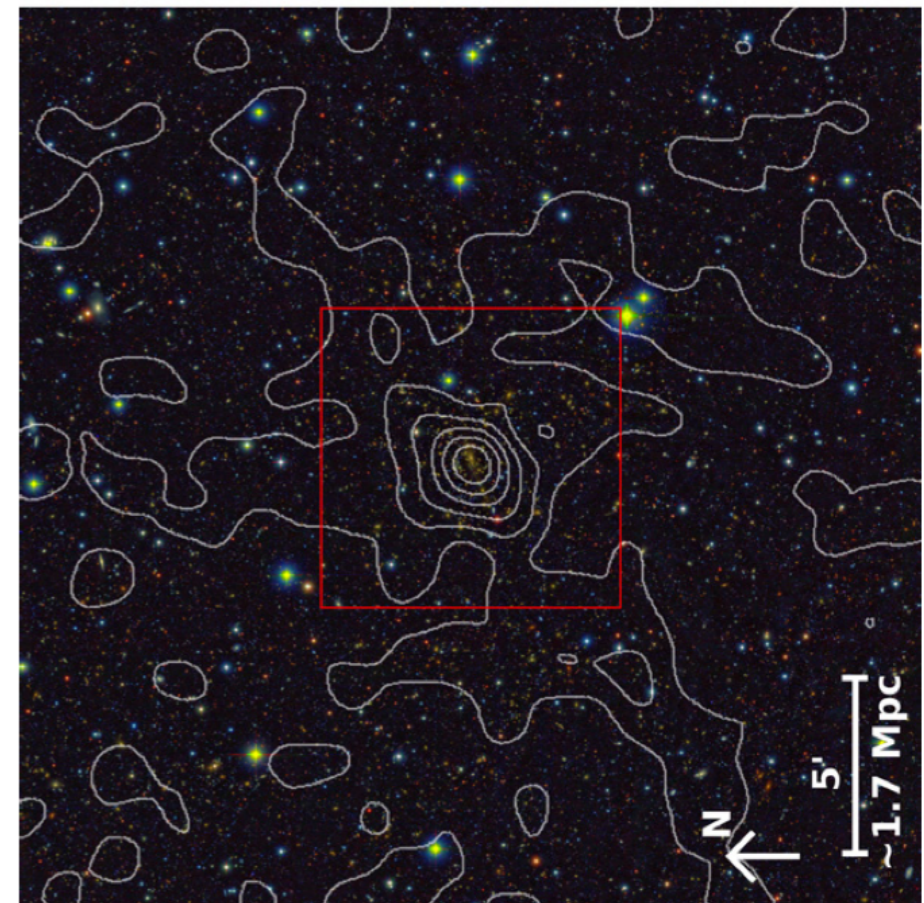
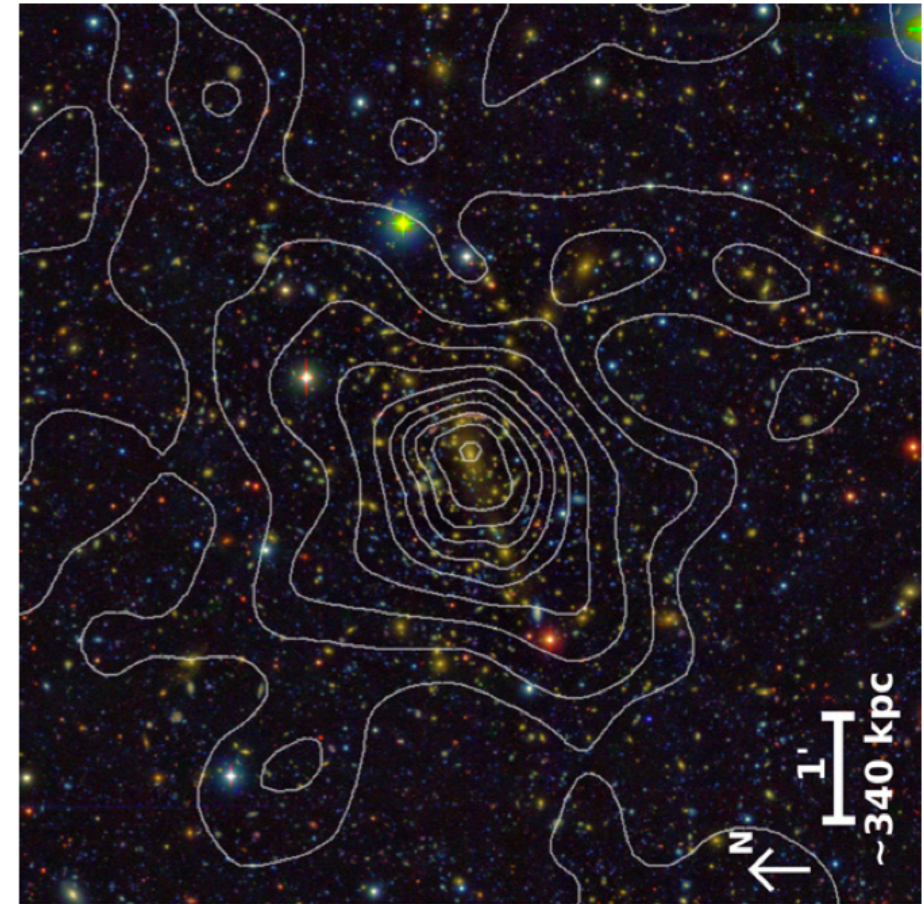
# Weak Lensing Analysis of MACS1206 Subaru imaging

(Umetsu et al. 2012)

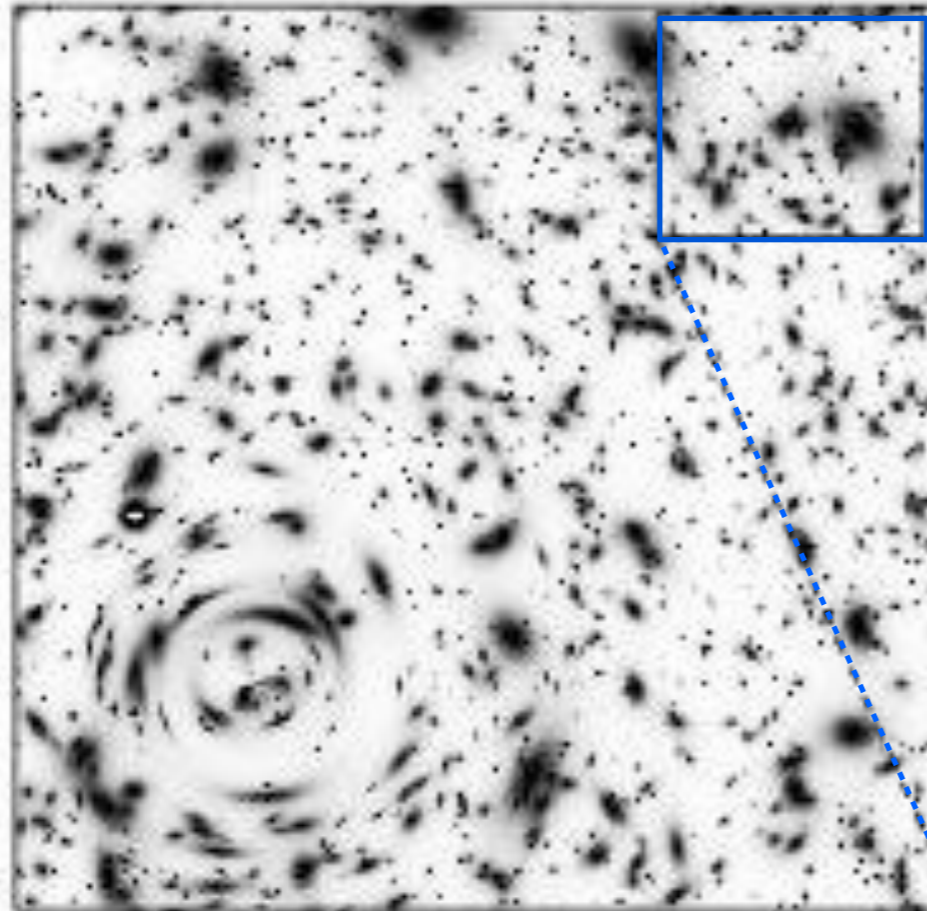


Number counts depletion  
("magnification bias")  
offers a model-independent way  
of removing the  
mass-sheet degeneracy

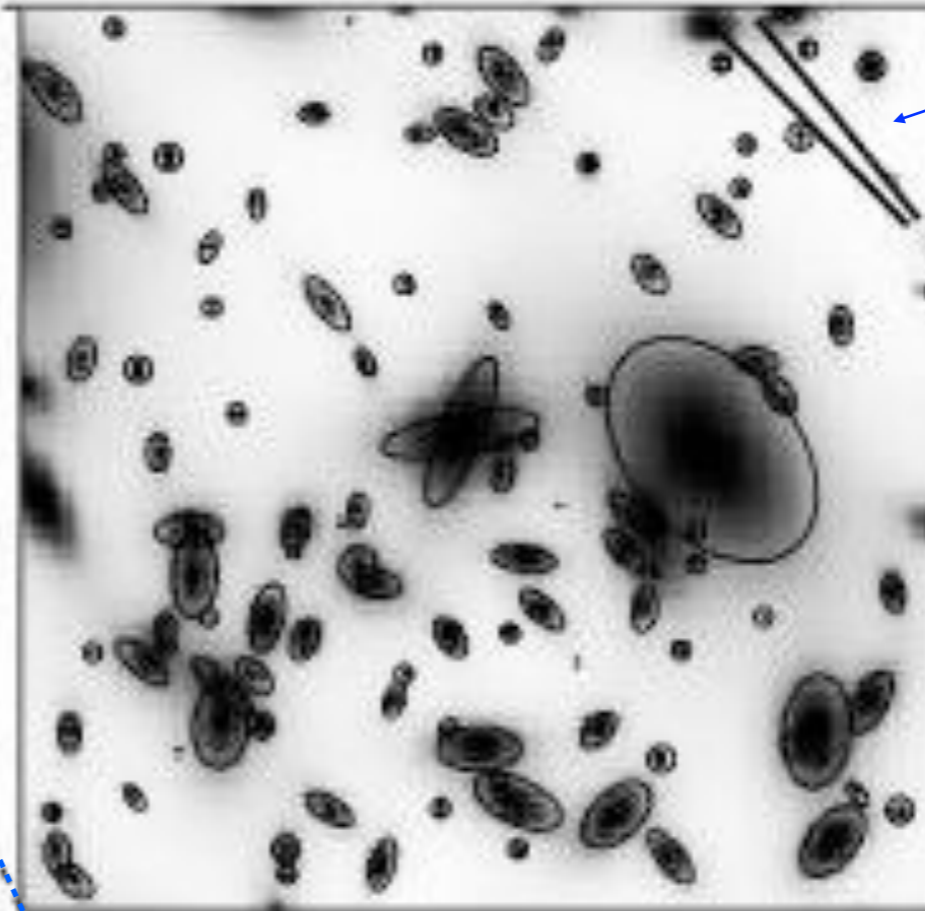
Mass contours



## Strong and Weak lensing from a cluster with projected surface mass density $K(\theta)$



Mellier 2001



Avg orientation  
of gals yields  
the "shear"

$$K(\theta) = \Sigma(\theta) / \Sigma_{\text{cr}}$$

$$\Sigma_{\text{cr}} = \frac{c^2 D_s}{4\pi G D_d D_{ds}}$$

Strong lensing regime:  $K(\theta) \gtrsim 1$

Giant arcs, multiple images.

Parametric and non-parametric techniques  
to invert the lensing equation,

$$\vec{\beta} = \vec{\theta} - \vec{\alpha}(\vec{\theta})$$

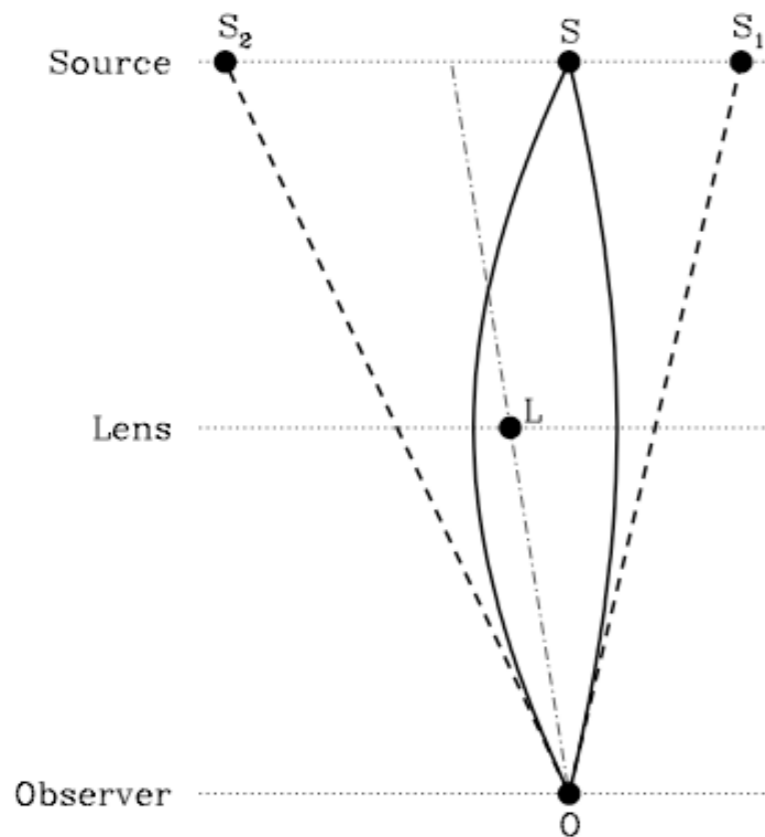
thus determining the deflection field and  
hence  $\Sigma(\theta)$ :

$$\vec{\alpha}(\vec{\theta}) = \vec{\nabla}\psi = \frac{1}{\pi} \int \kappa(\vec{\theta}') \frac{\vec{\theta} - \vec{\theta}'}{|\vec{\theta} - \vec{\theta}'|^2} d^2\theta'$$

Weak lensing regime:  $K(\theta) \ll 1$

From the statistical distortion of  
background galaxy shapes (averaged  
ellipticities)  $\rightarrow$  PSF corrected reduced shear  $\rightarrow K(\theta)$   
 $\rightarrow$  if the redshift distribution of the background  
galaxies is known the mass distribution  $\Sigma(\theta)$   
can be inverted up to a constant

# Time delay and the Hubble constant



$$(\vec{\theta} - \vec{\beta}) - \vec{\nabla}_{\theta} \psi = 0,$$

lens equation

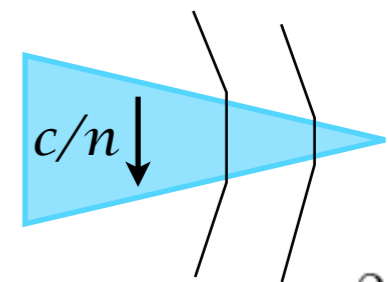
or

$$\vec{\nabla}_{\theta} \left( \frac{1}{2} (\vec{\theta} - \vec{\beta})^2 - \psi \right) = 0.$$

$$\vec{\nabla}^2 \psi = 2 \frac{\Sigma}{\Sigma_{\text{cr}}} \equiv 2\kappa$$

“Fermat” potential  $\phi(\theta, \beta)$

$$\tau(\vec{\theta}, \vec{\beta}) = \tau_{\text{geom}} + \tau_{\text{grav}} = \frac{1 + z_L}{c} \frac{D_L D_S}{D_{LS}} \left( \frac{1}{2} (\vec{\theta} - \vec{\beta})^2 - \psi(\theta) \right).$$

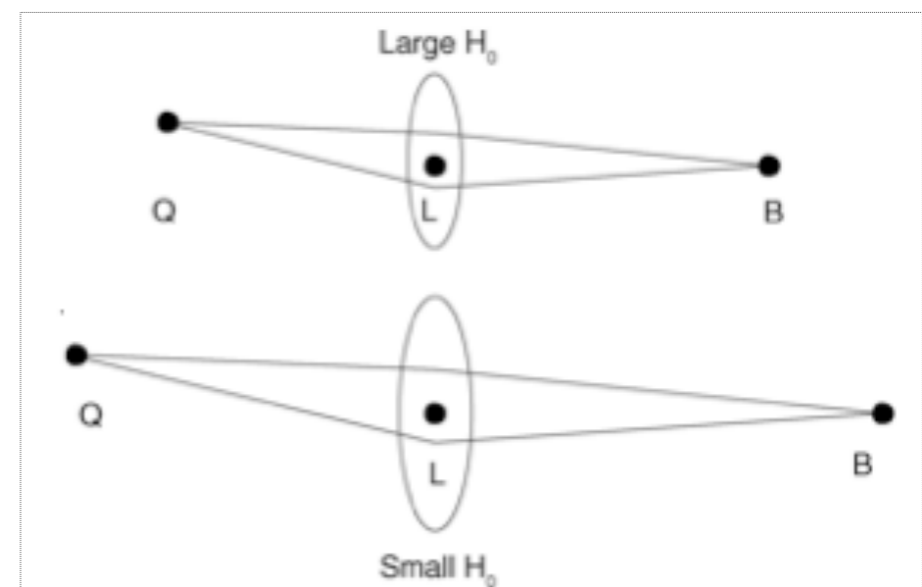


Masses bend passing light similarly to convex lenses.

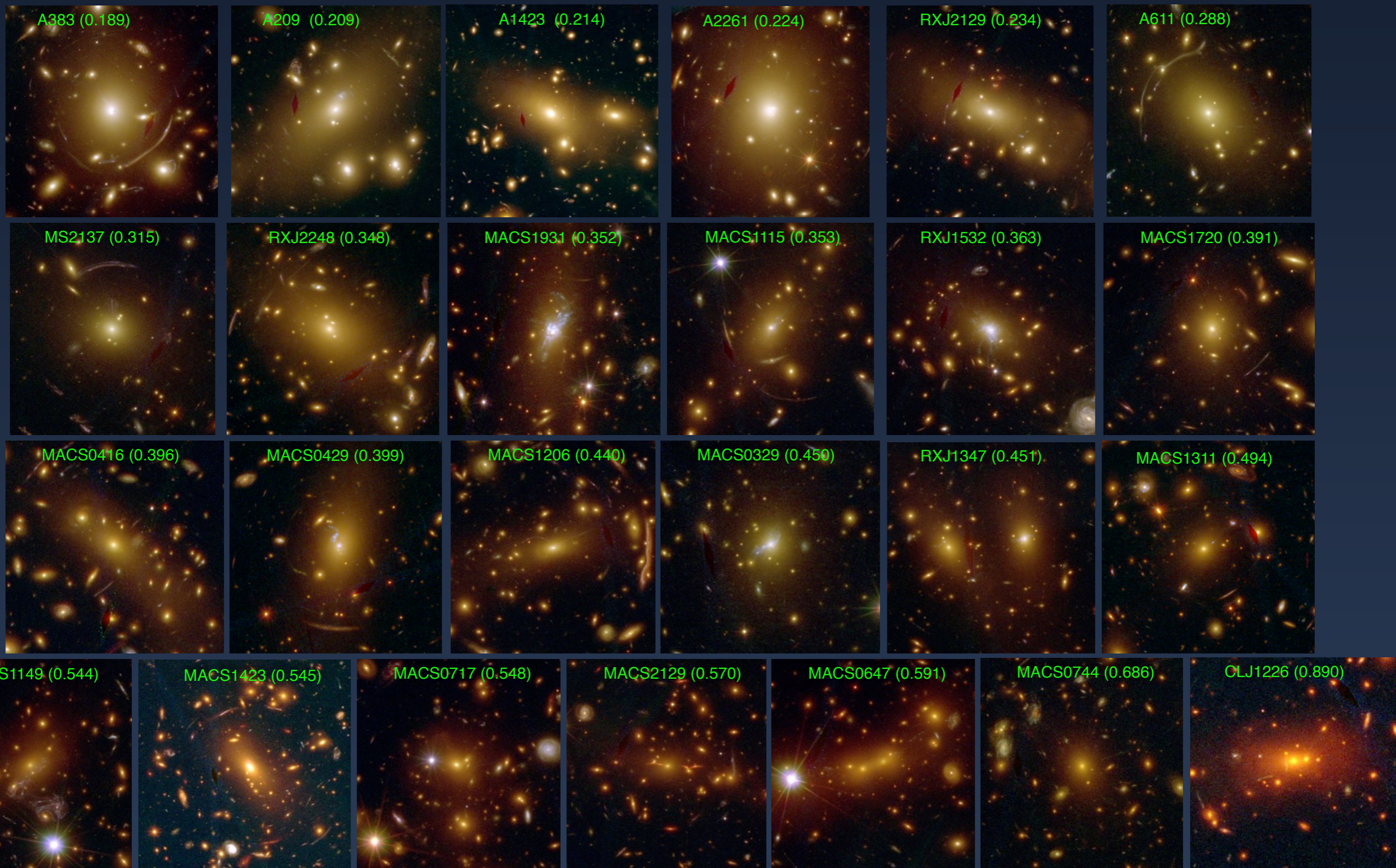
Fermat’s principle in gravitational lensing optics for a medium with an index of refraction  $n = 1 - \frac{2\Phi}{c^2} > 1$

Images occur where the  $\tau$  is extremal, i.e.  $\vec{\nabla}_{\theta} \tau = 0$ .

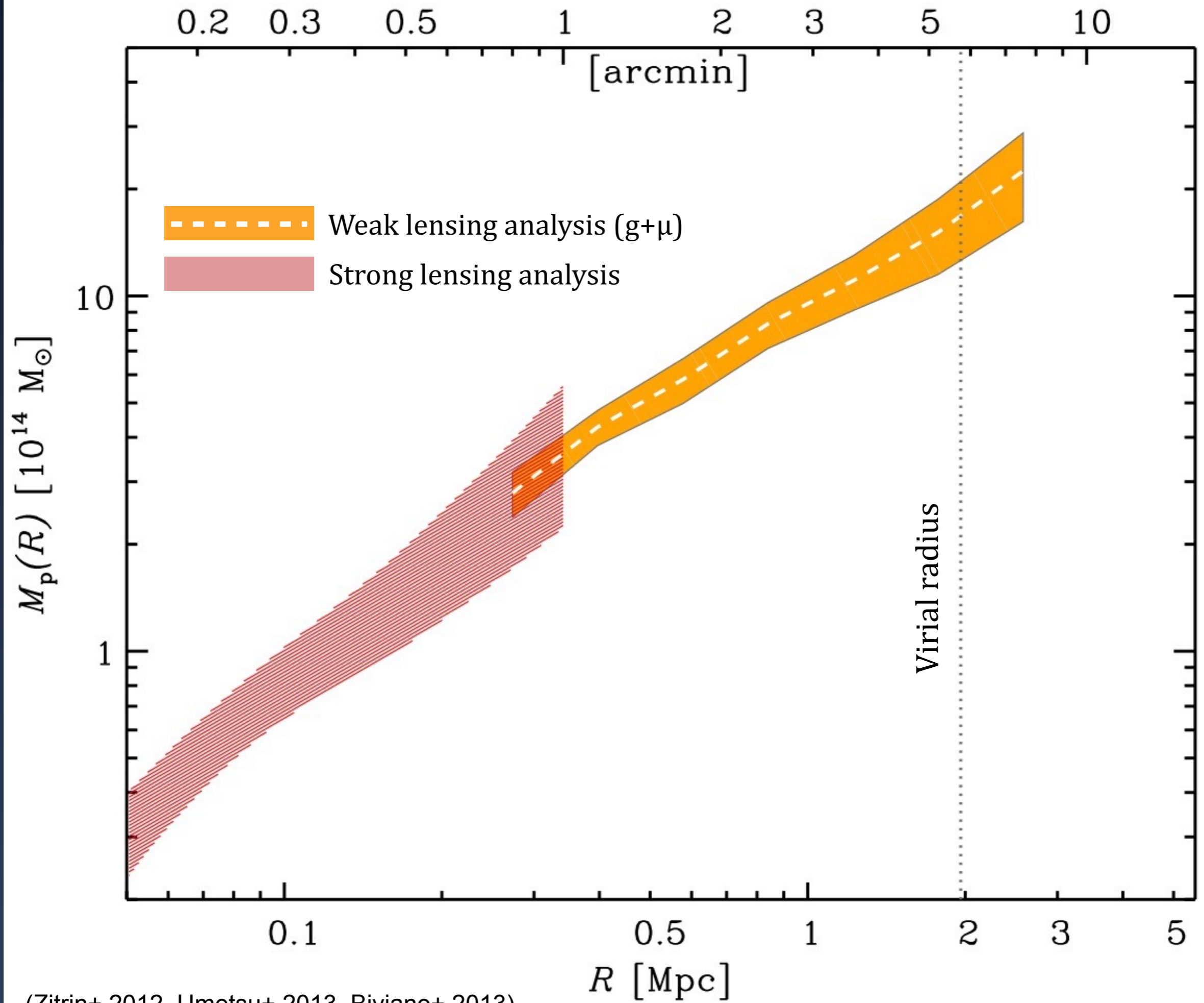
Time delay  $\sim H_0^{-1} \rightarrow$  if a robust model is available for the lensing potential,  $\psi(\vartheta)$ , then by monitoring the time delay of variable sources (QSOs)  $H_0$  can be measured in one step (Refsdal 1964).



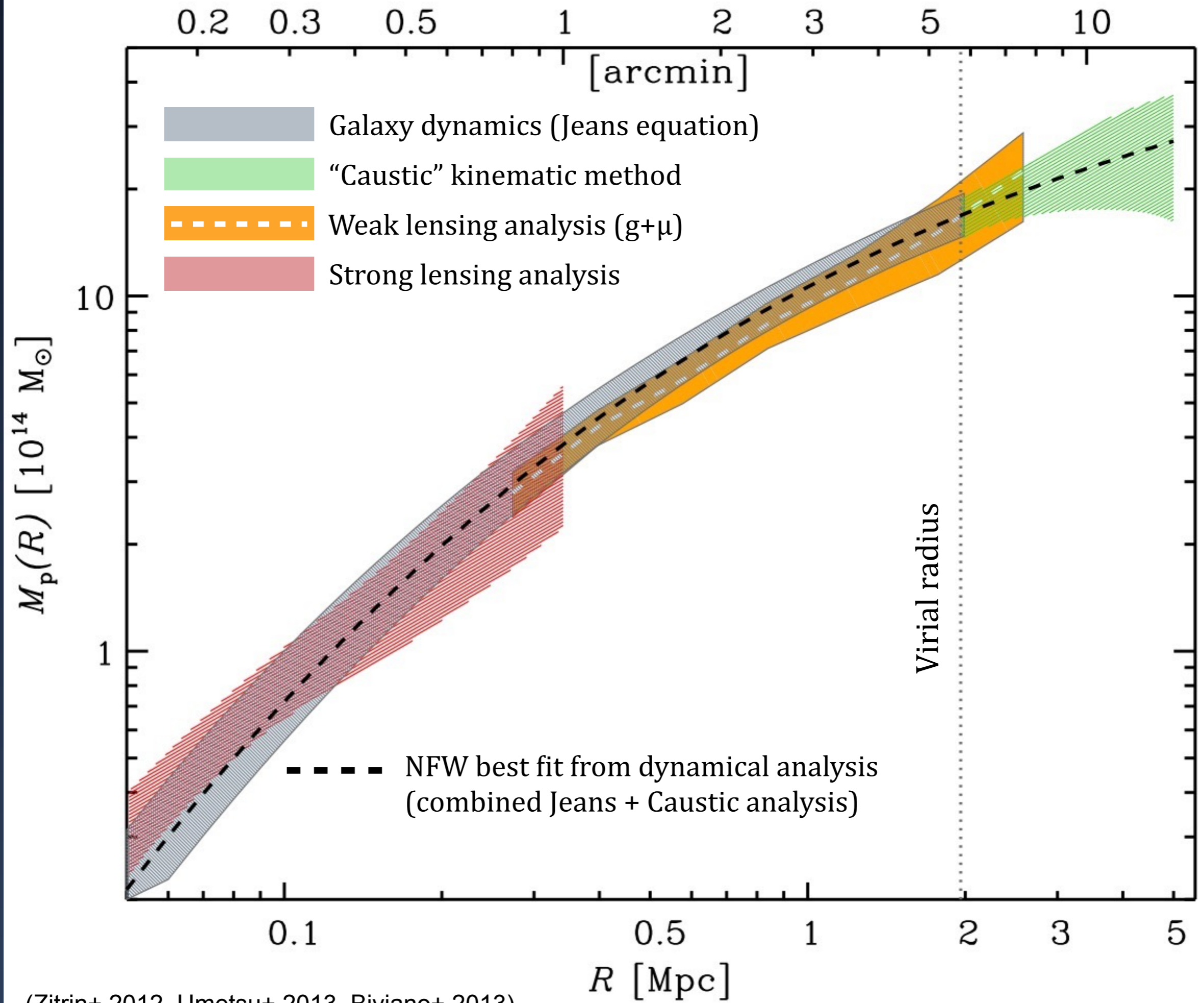
# CLASH Gallery: All 25 Clusters



All HST observations completed in July 2013. Data products in the STScI Archive.

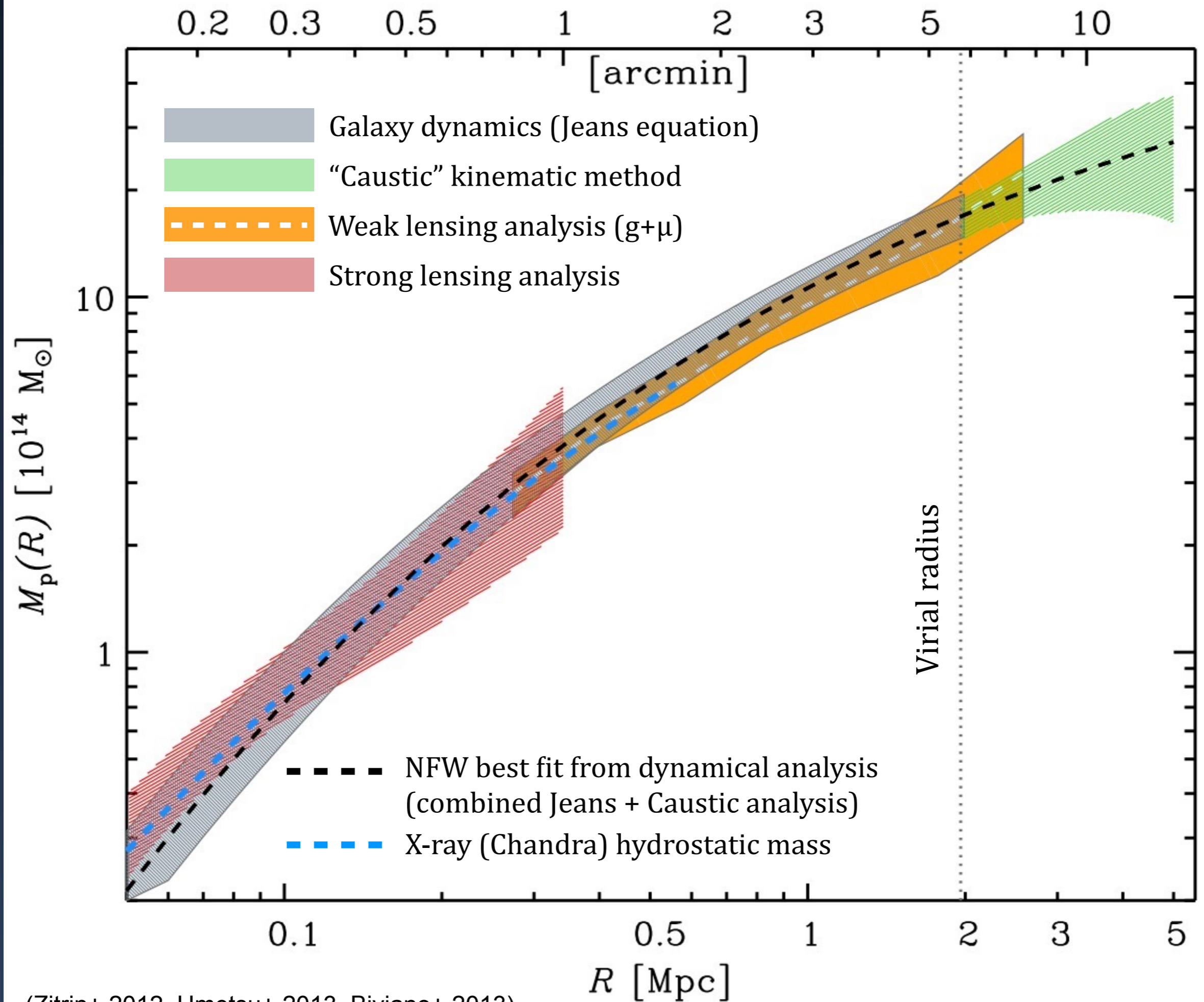


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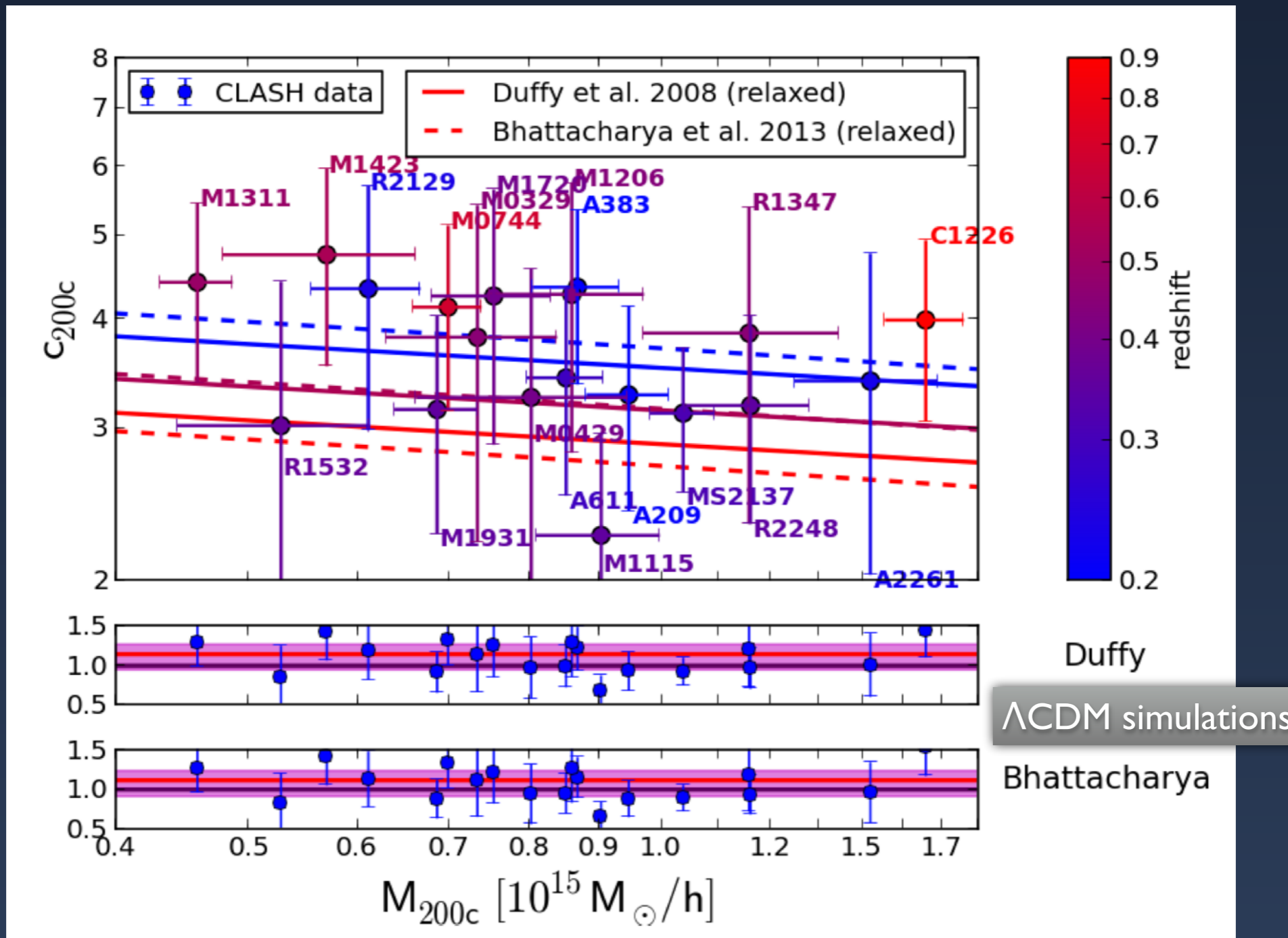


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# Concentration – Total Mass Relationship

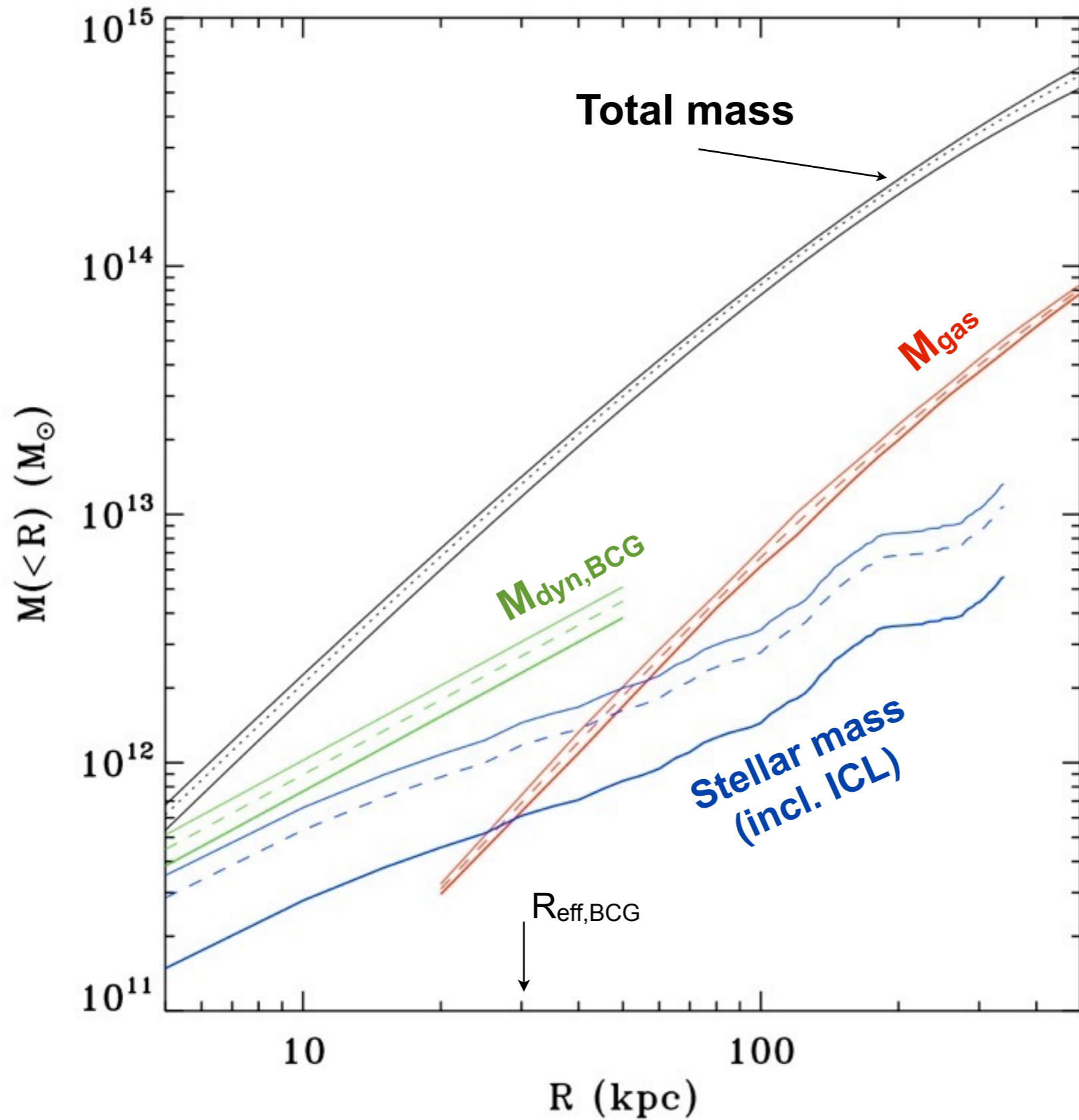
(J.Merten et al. ApJ, 2014)

NFW fits of weak & strong lensing profiles from 19 CLASH X-ray selected clusters

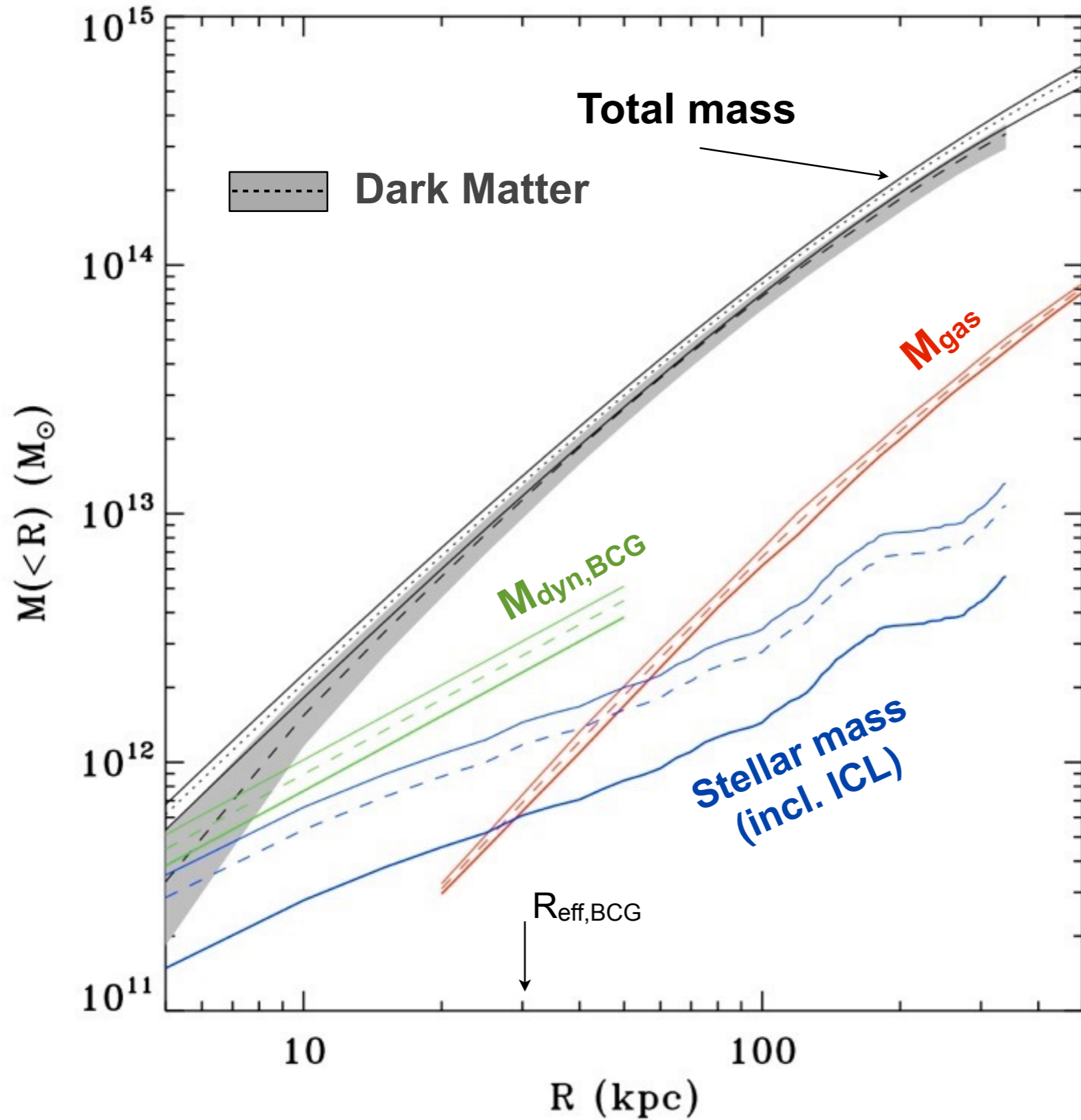


→ No significant tension with predicted c-M relation in  $\Lambda$ CDM

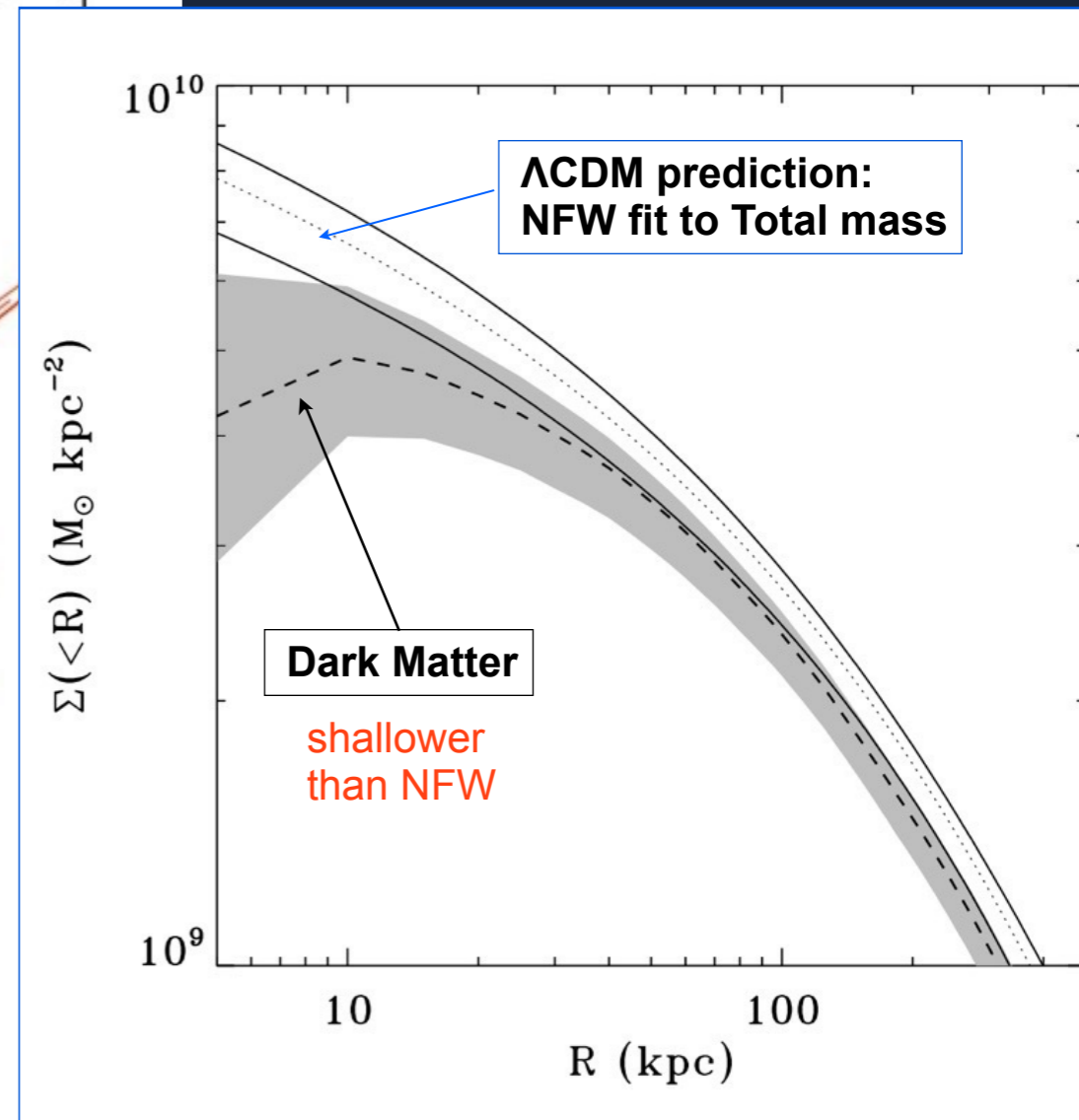
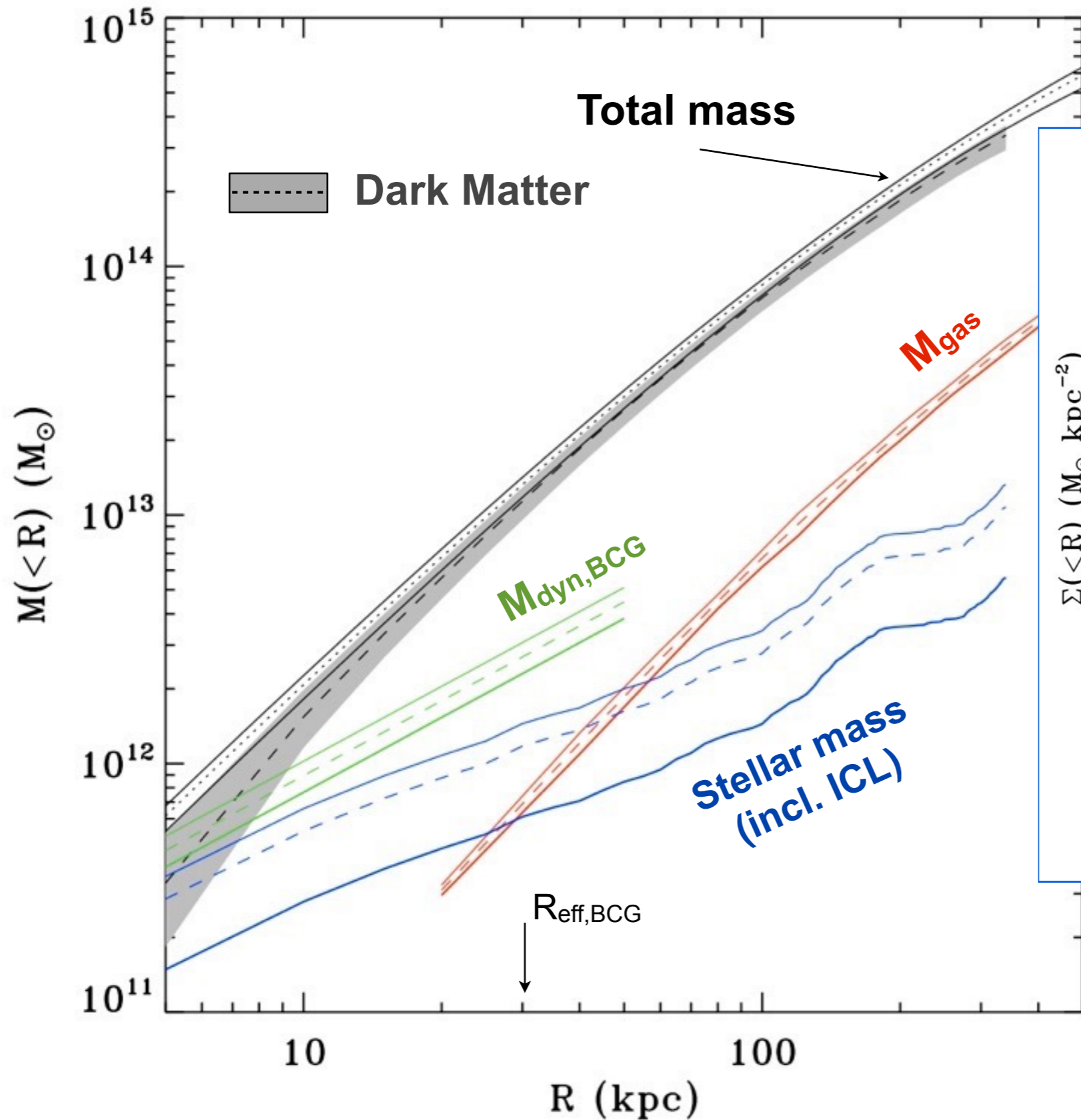
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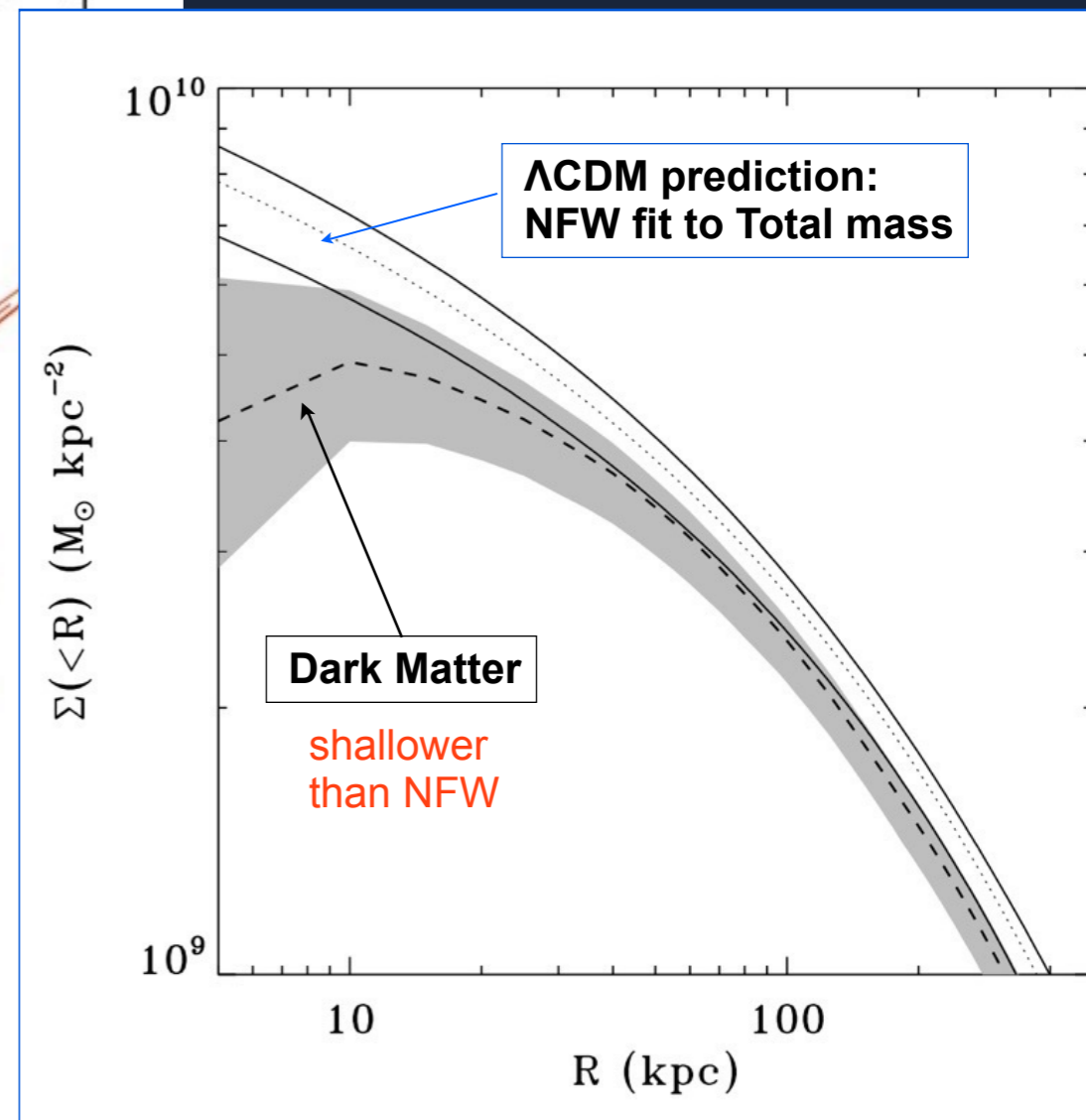
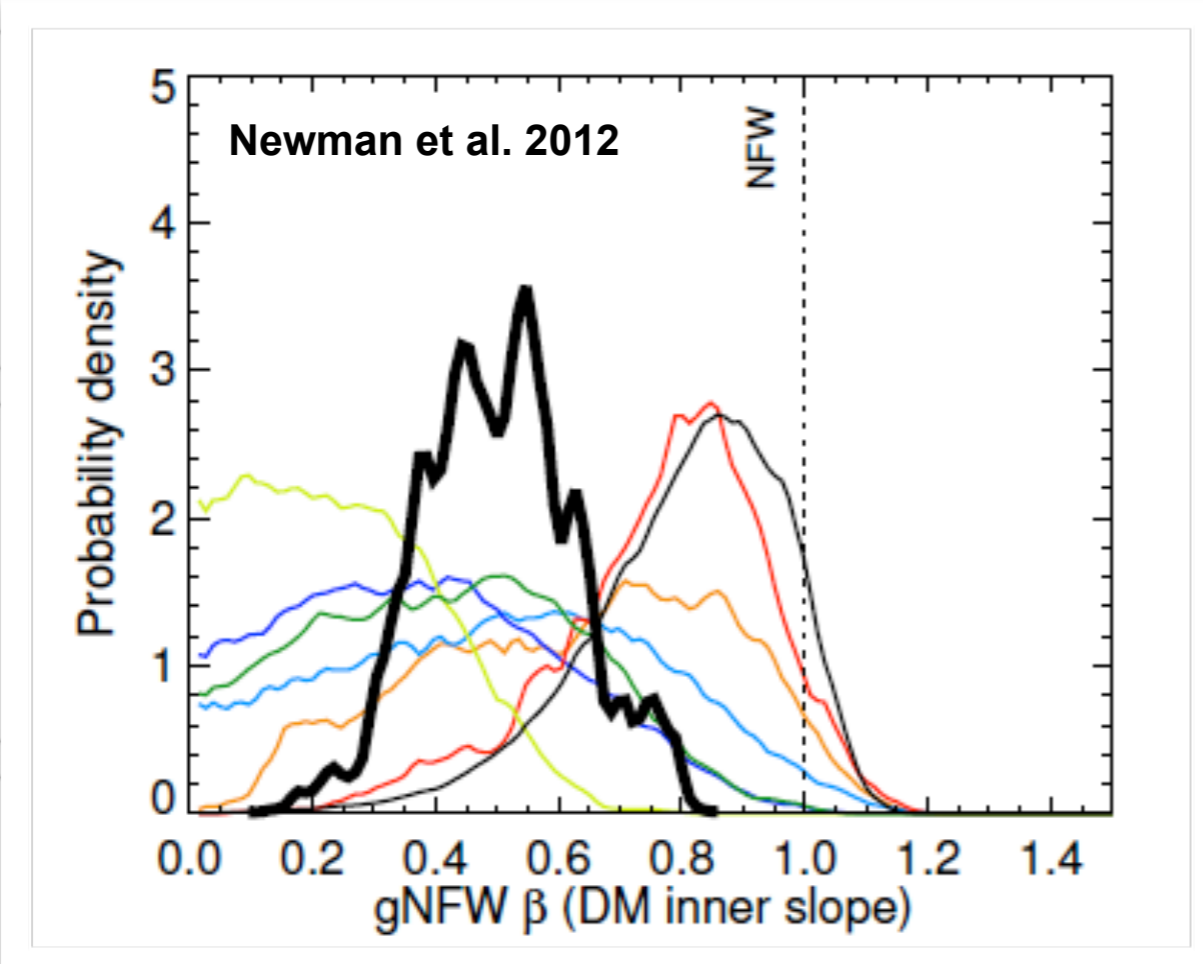
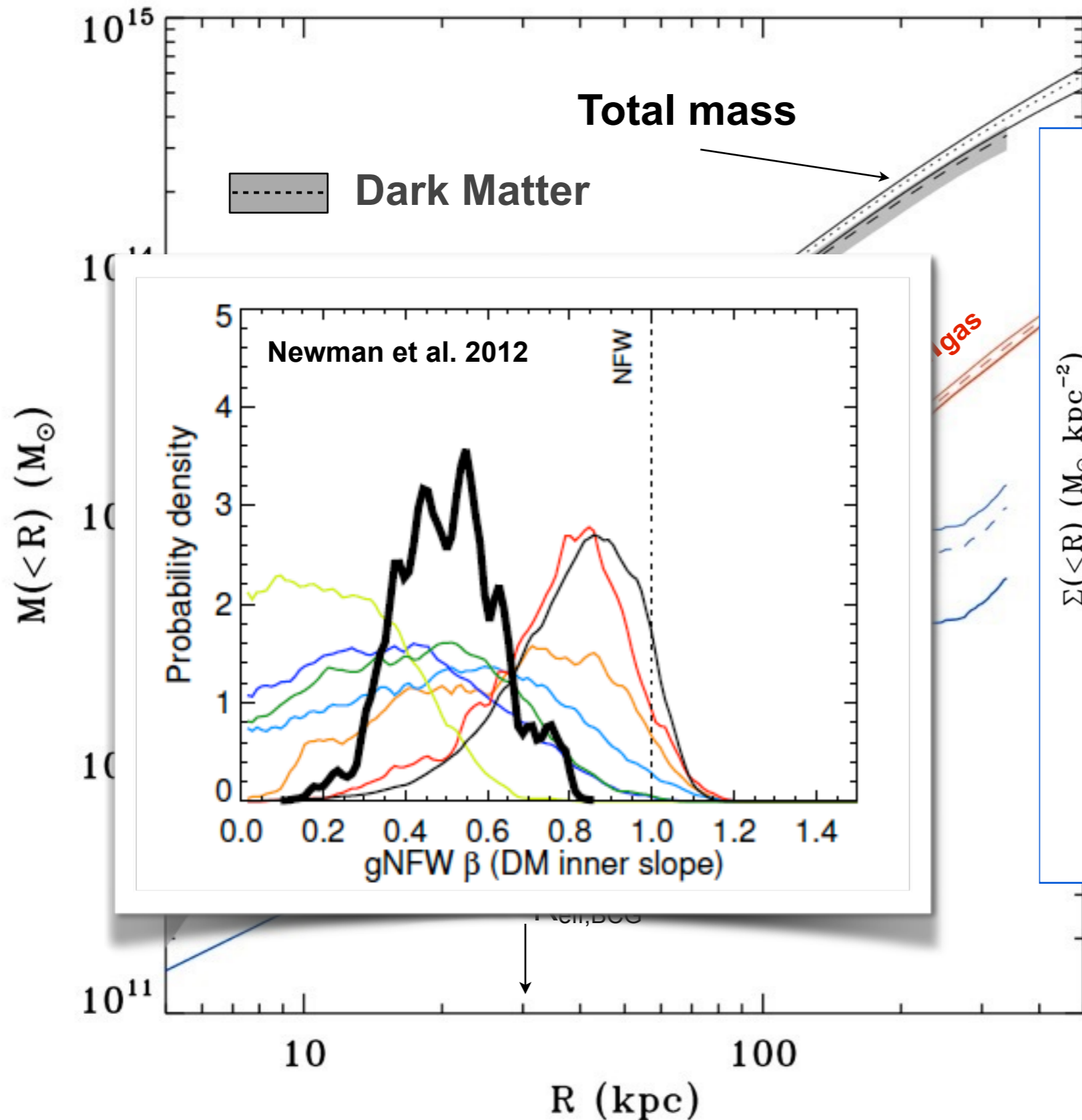


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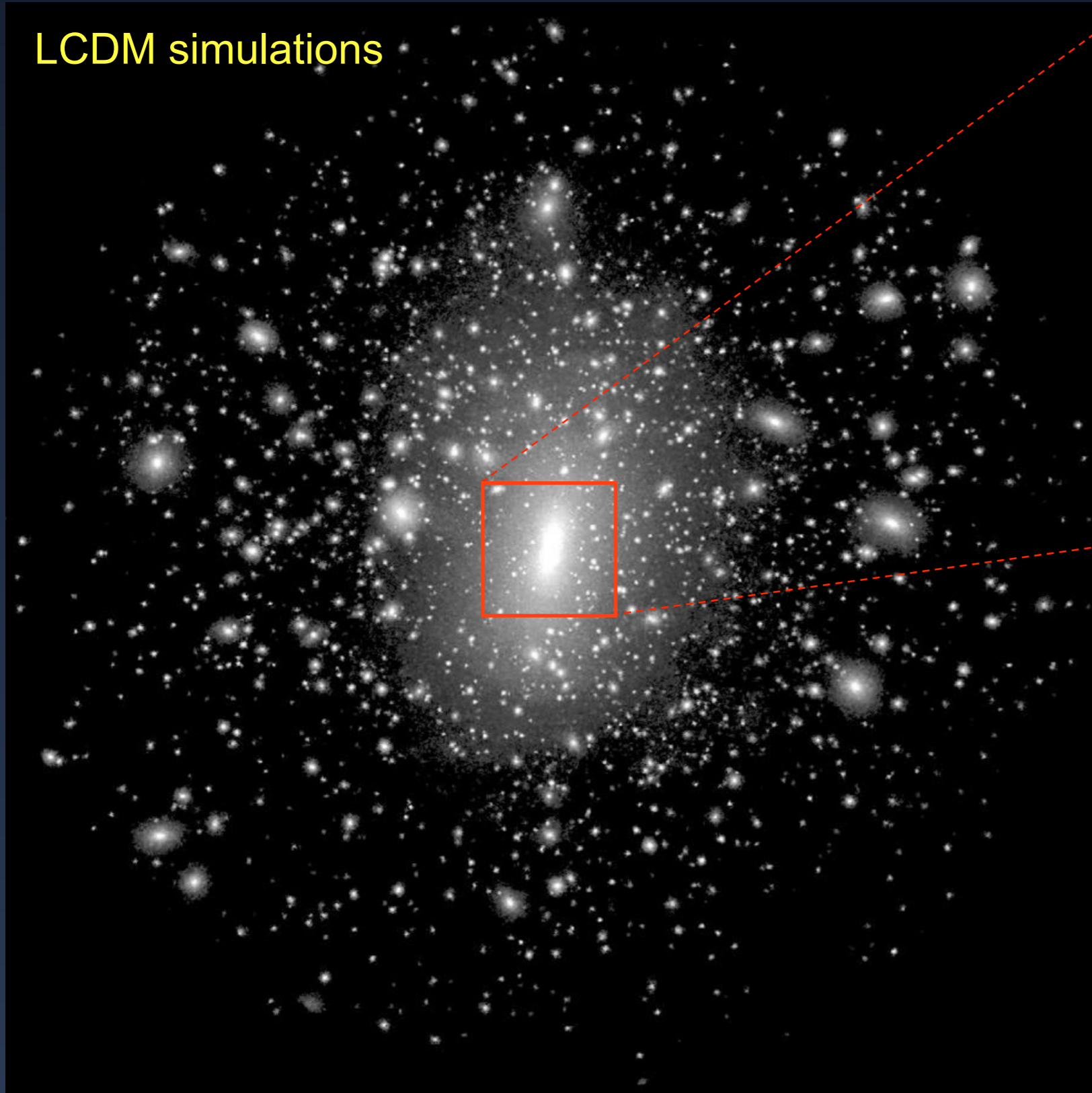


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In agreement with e.g.  
Sand et al. 2004,  
Newman et al. 2011,12

# Strong lensing can resolve dark matter halos !

LCDM simulations



Observations: A1689



Deep HST image of massive cluster

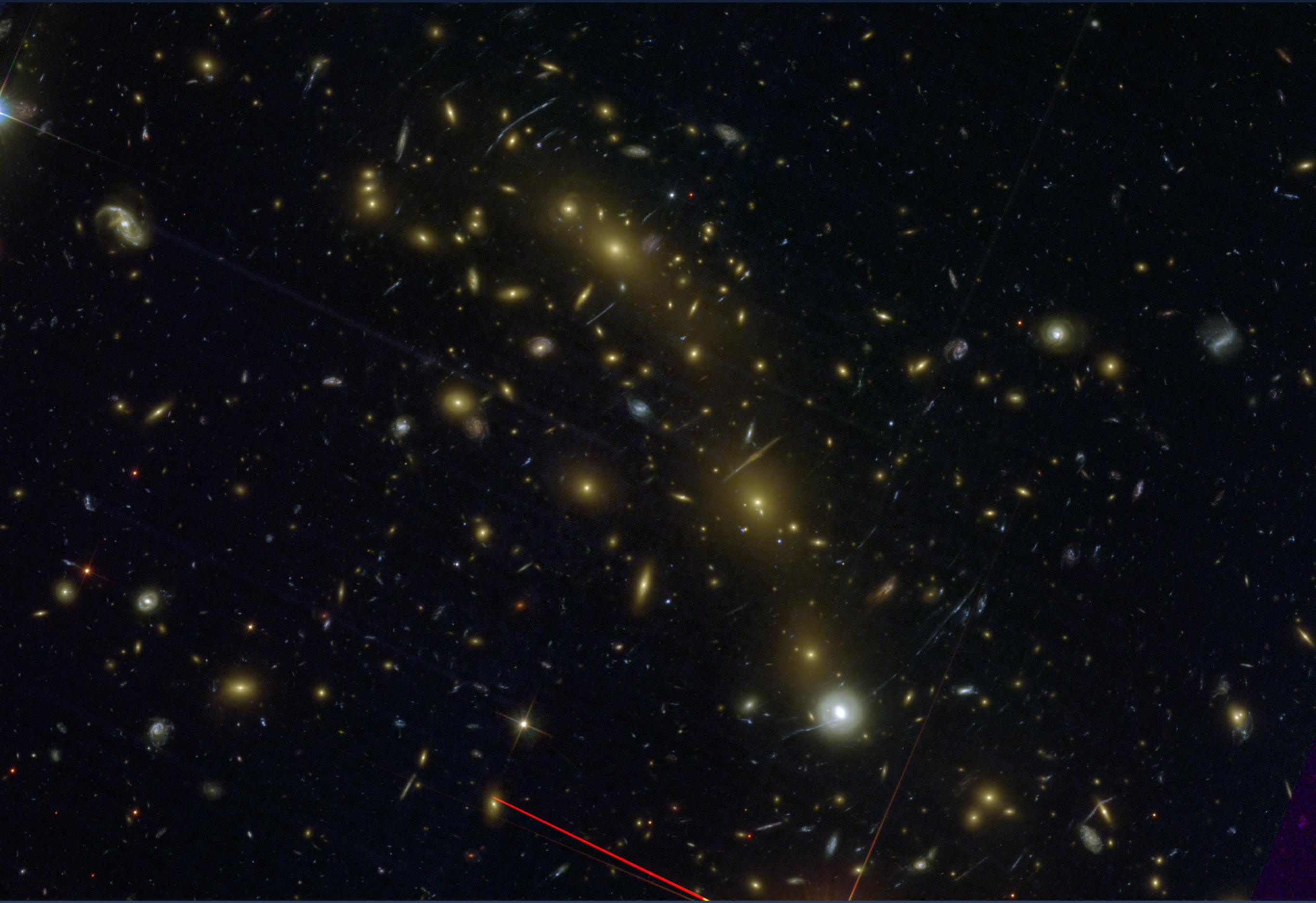


Reconstructed total mass with resolution

$$R \propto \frac{\theta_{\text{Einstein}}}{\sqrt{N_{\text{Arcs}}}}$$

Dark matter density distribution from a high resolution simulation of a massive cluster to the virial radius (Diemand et al. 2005)

# Detailed DM halo structure of MACS0416 ( $z=0.4$ )



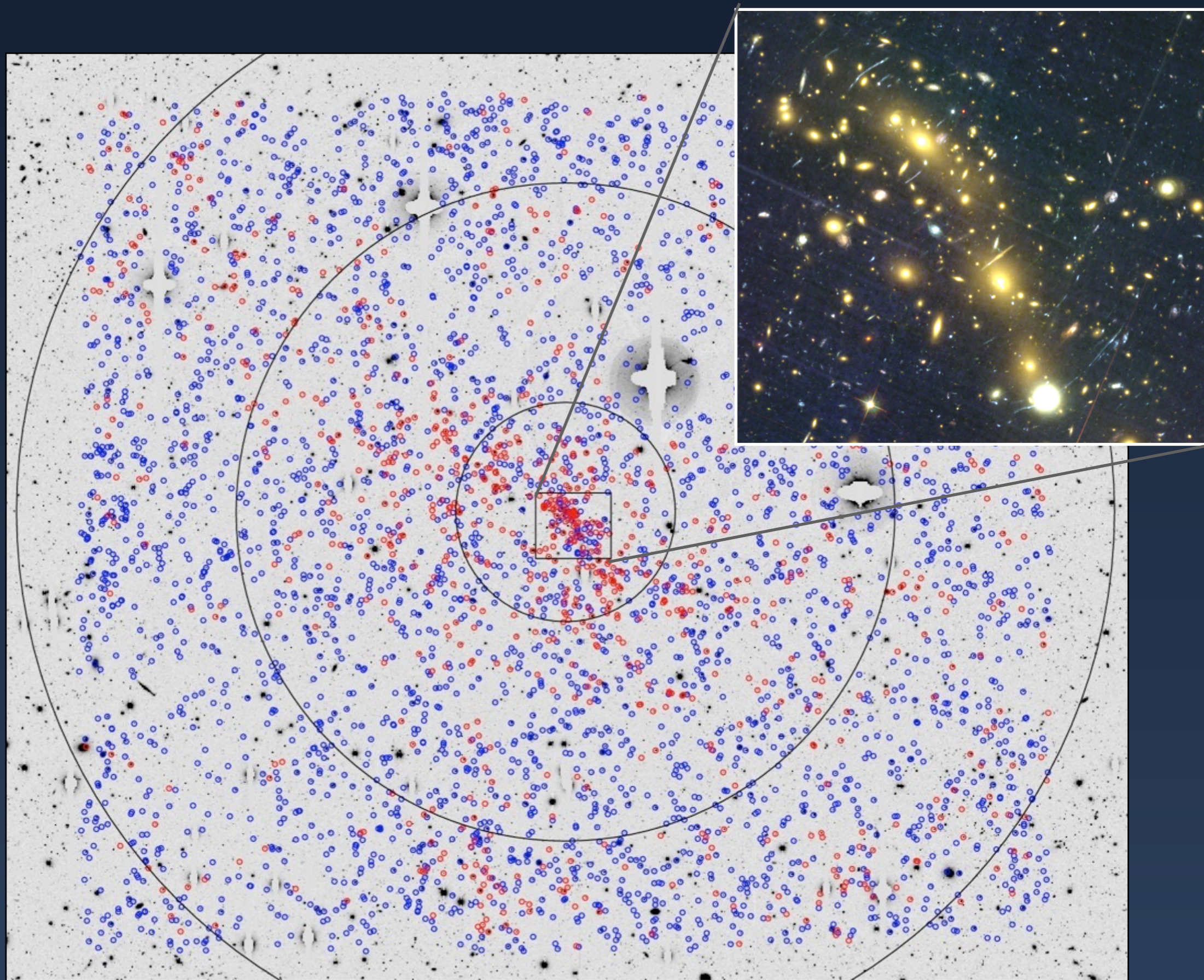
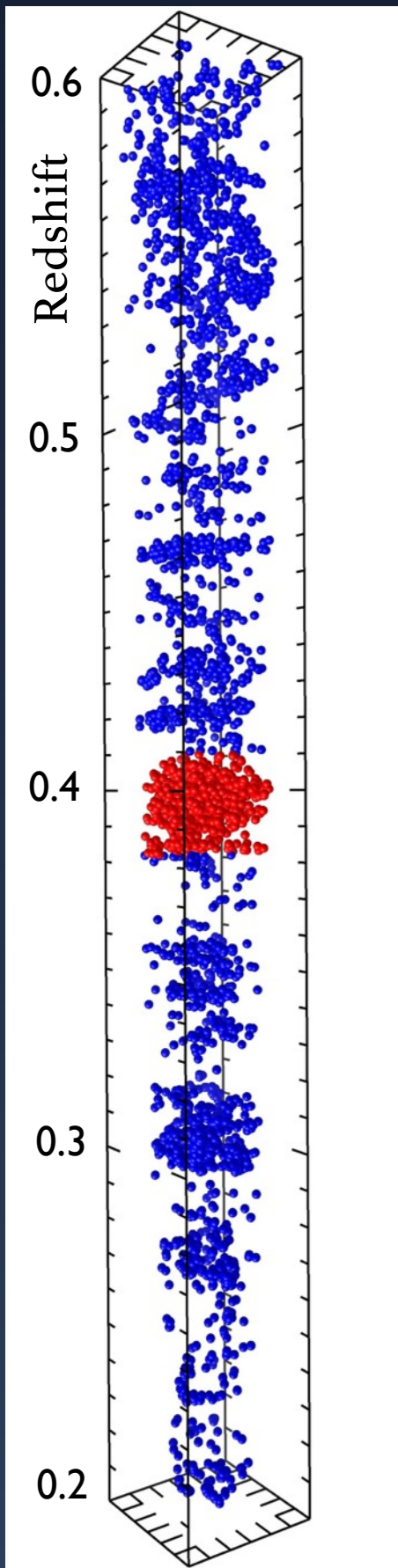


6 ( $z=0.4$ )

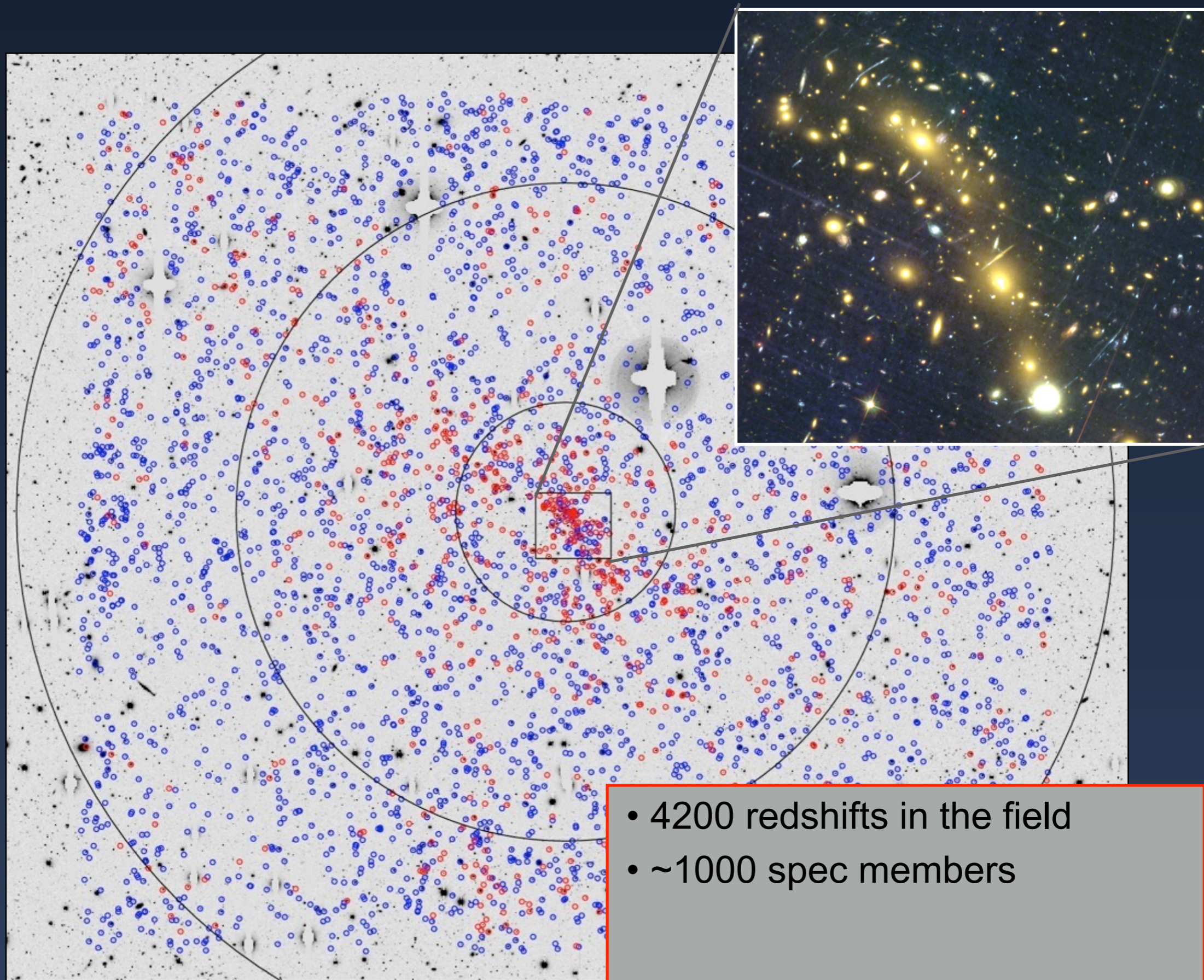
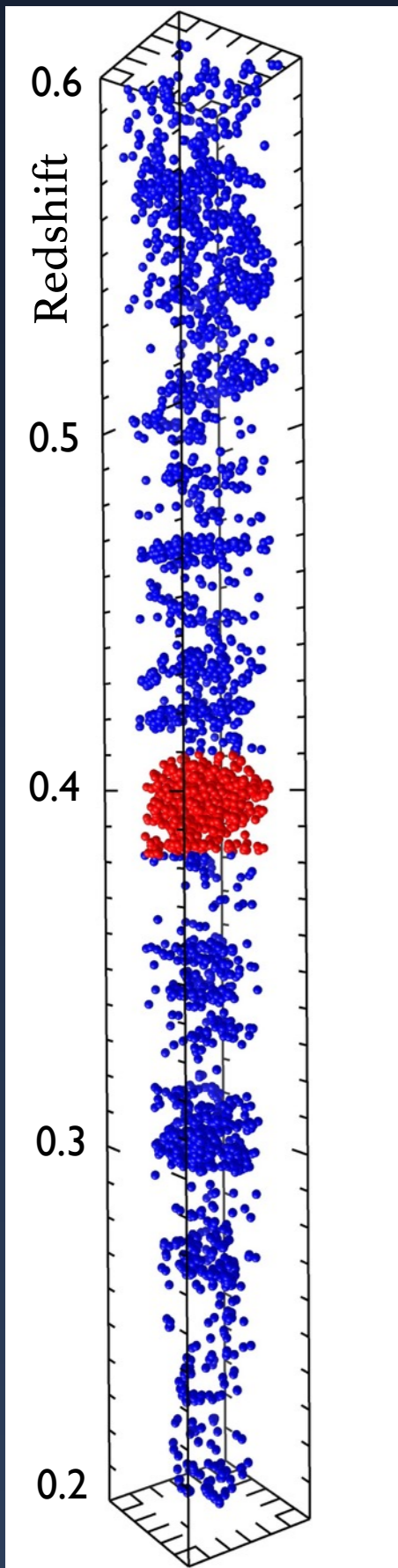




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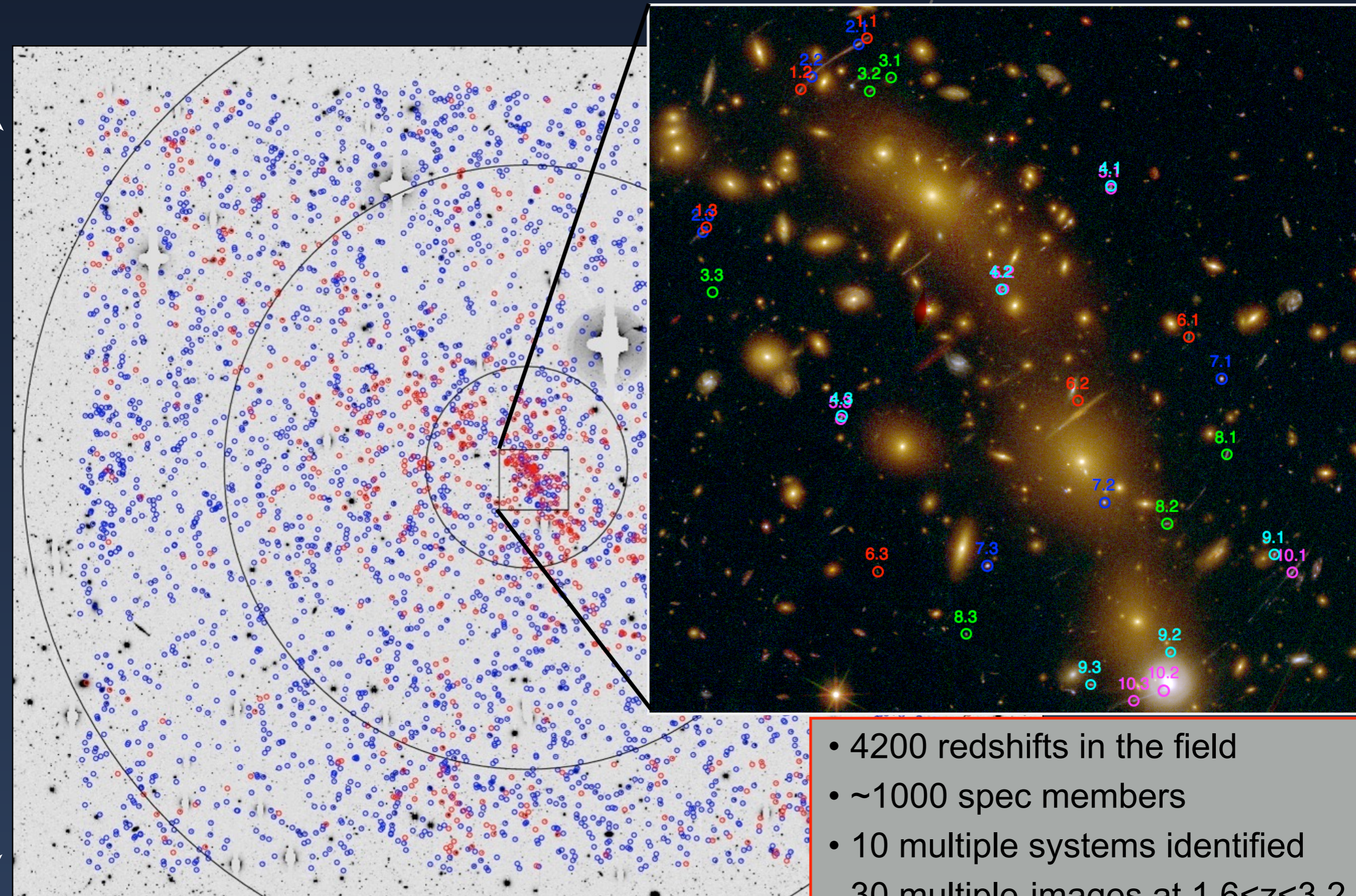


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- ~1000 spec members

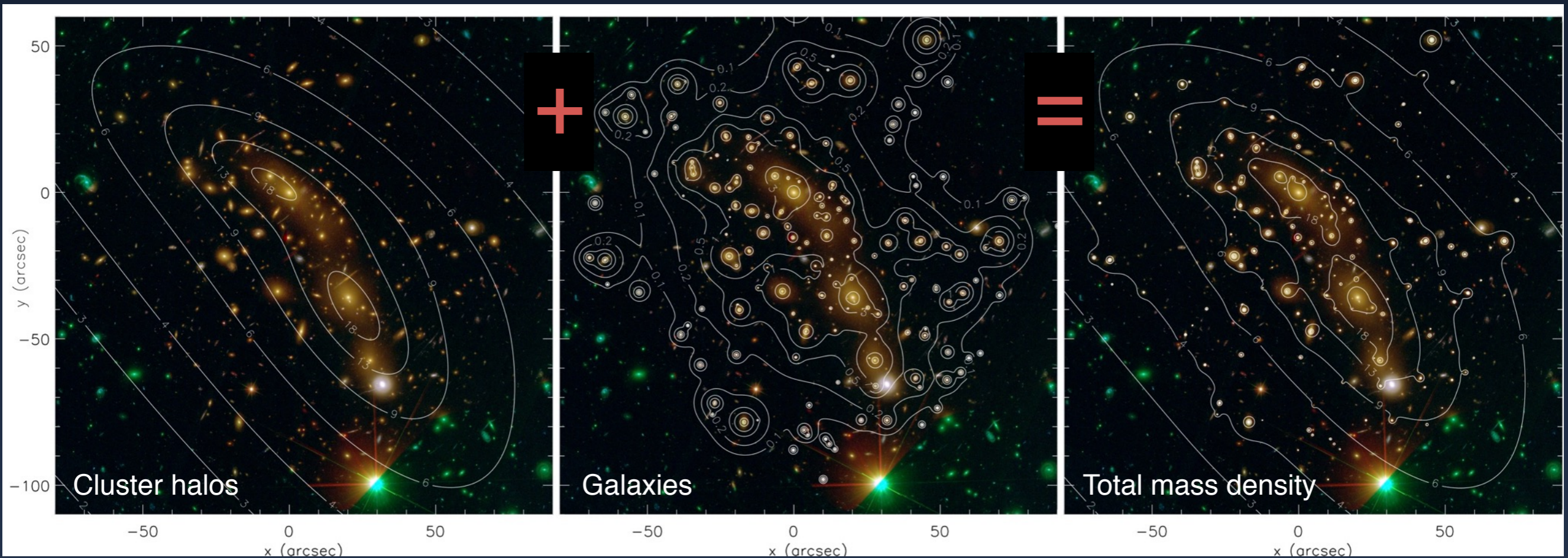
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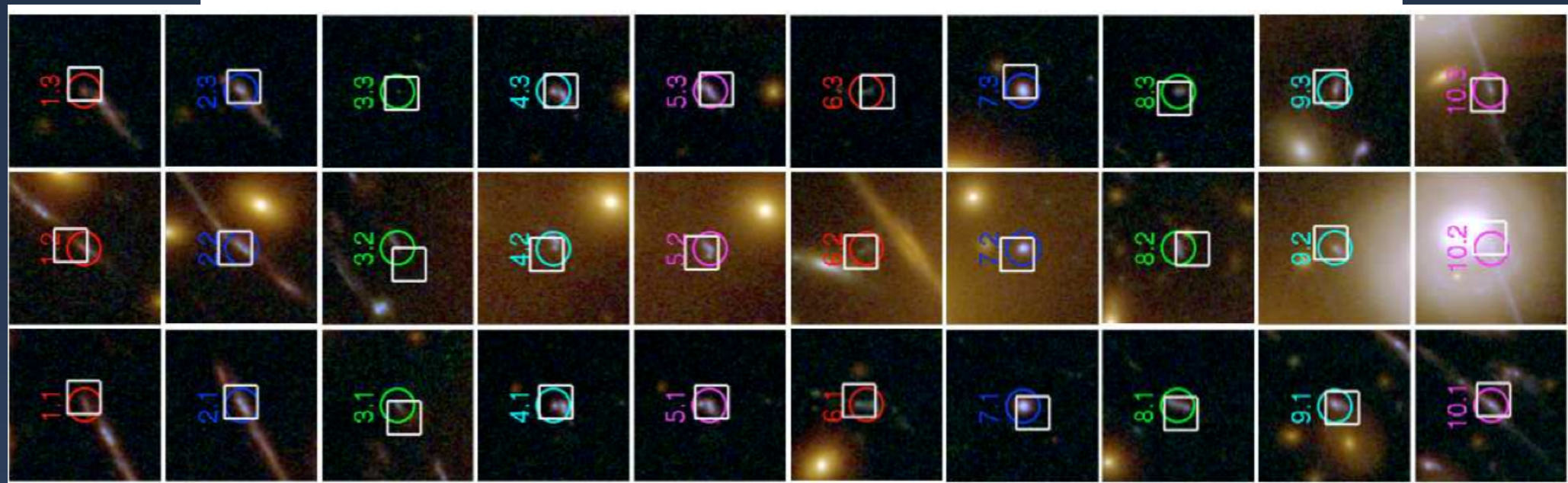
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- 10 multiple systems identified
- 30 multiple-images at  $1.6 < z < 3.2$

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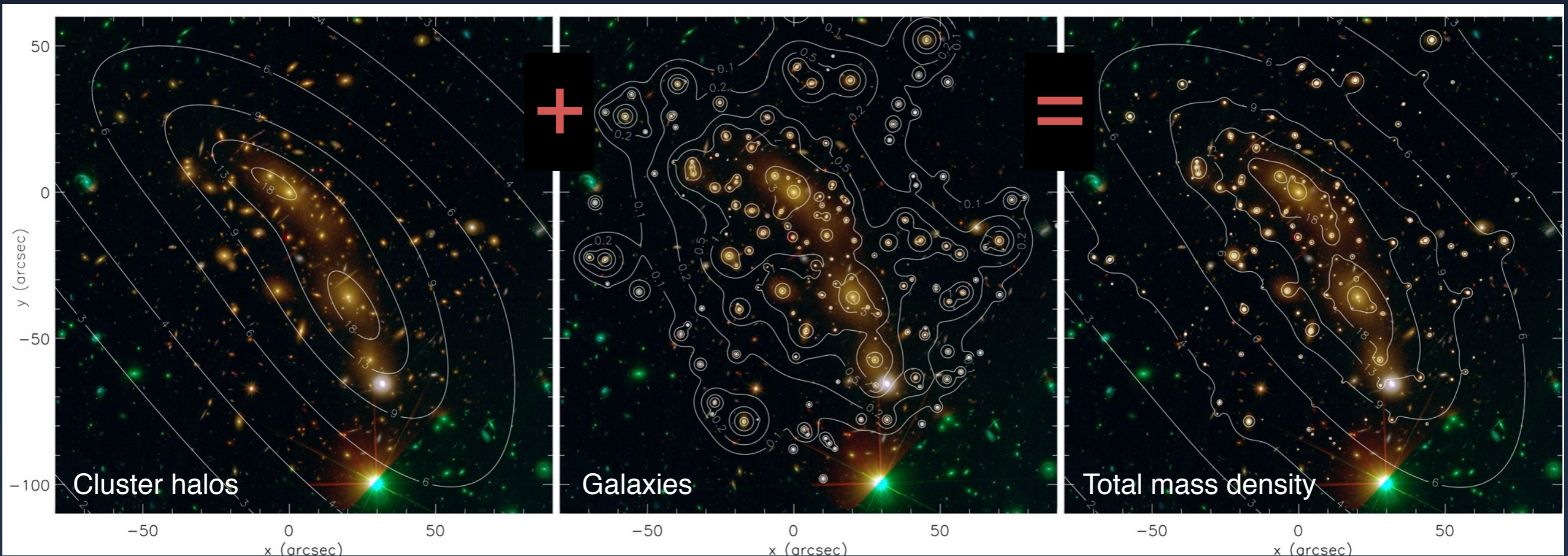


reproduce multiple image positions with  $\sim 0.3''$  rms accuracy



# Detailed DM halo structure of MACS0416

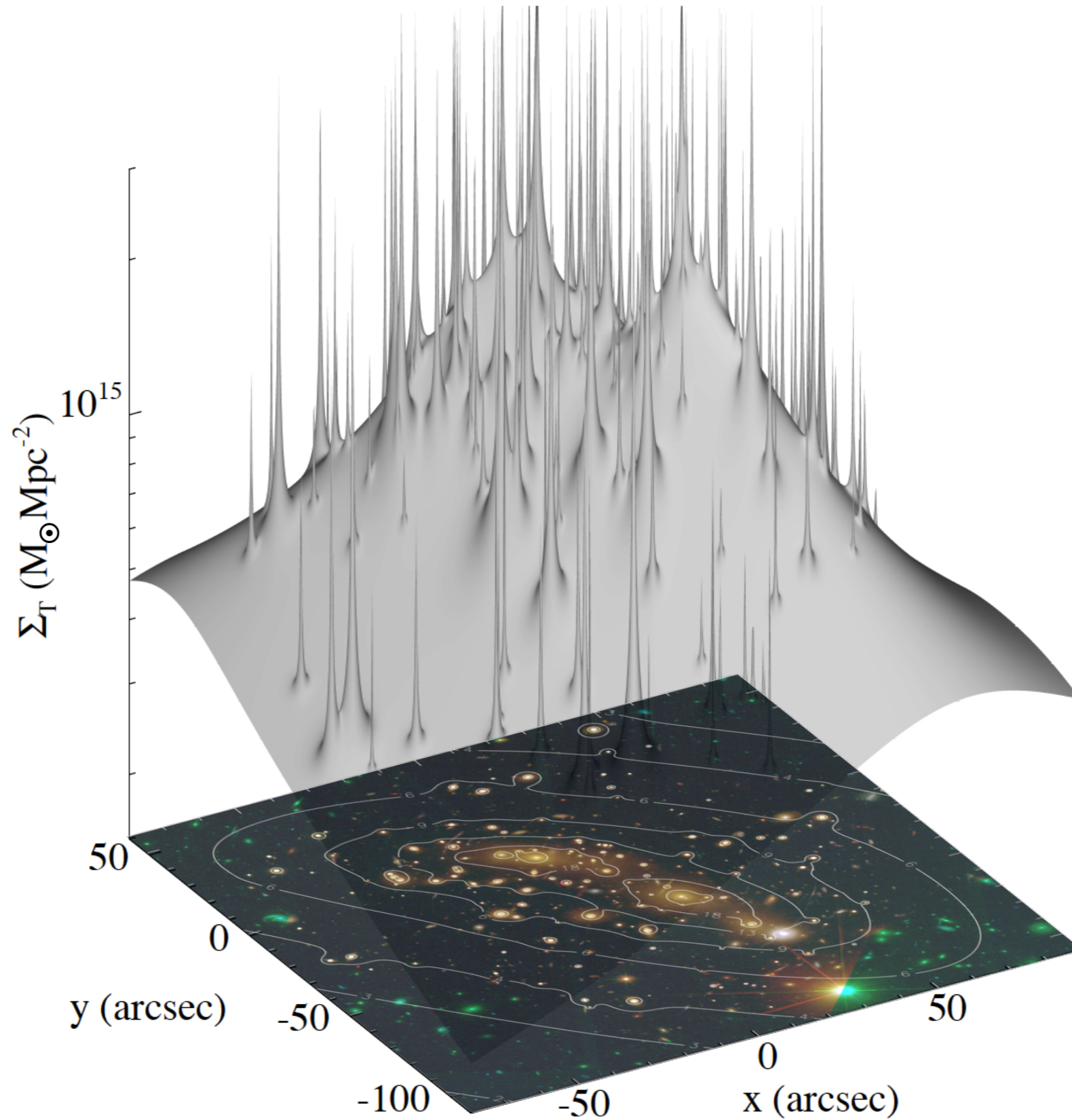
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Spectroscopic information of cluster and lensed galaxies is critical for accurate DM maps

# Resolving cluster mass distribution with strong lensing

(Grillo et al. astro-ph 1407.7866)



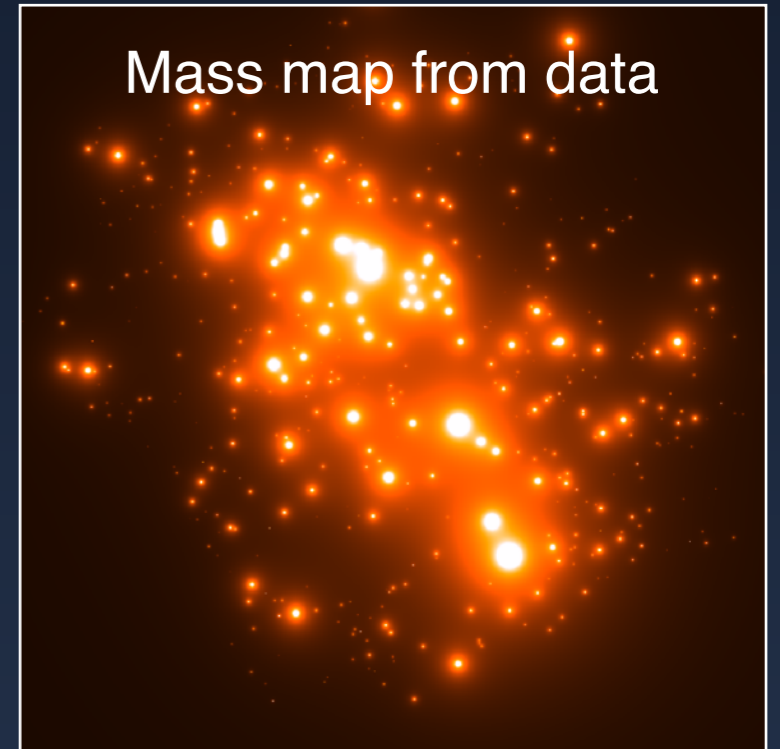
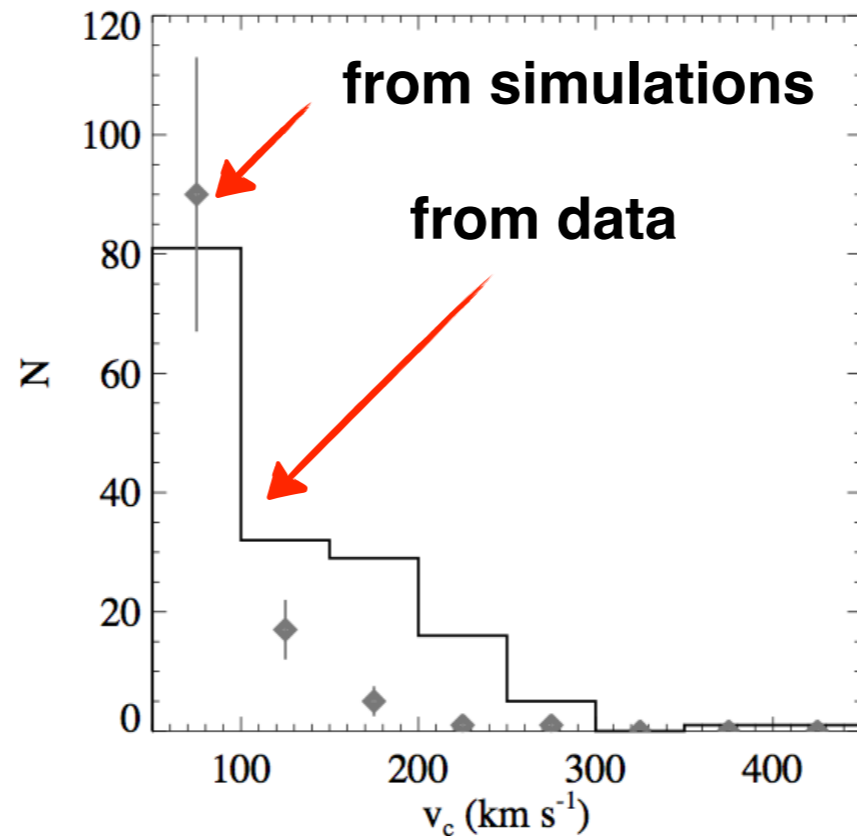
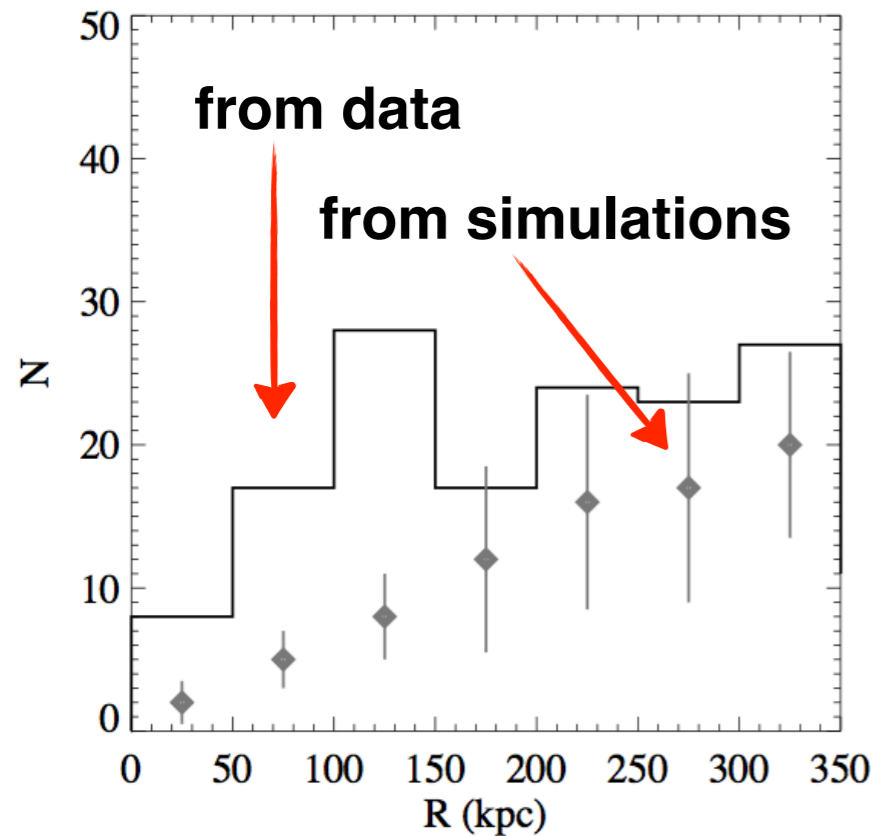


# DM halo structure: mass function of sub-halos

## Comparing with theoretical expectations

(Grillo et al. astro-ph 1407.7866)

### Distribution of sub-halos: observations vs simulations



Mass map from data

24 simulated clusters with similar masses (S.Borgani's group)



#### First results indicate:

there is a lack of massive sub-halos in N-body DM only simulations, mostly located in the central regions

- tidal stripping of massive sub-halos ?
- what's wrong with the DM only simulations ?

# Constraining the DM Equation of State

(Sartoris et al. 2014)

Testing whether DM is pressureless  $p=0$  (method proposed by Faber&Visser 2006)

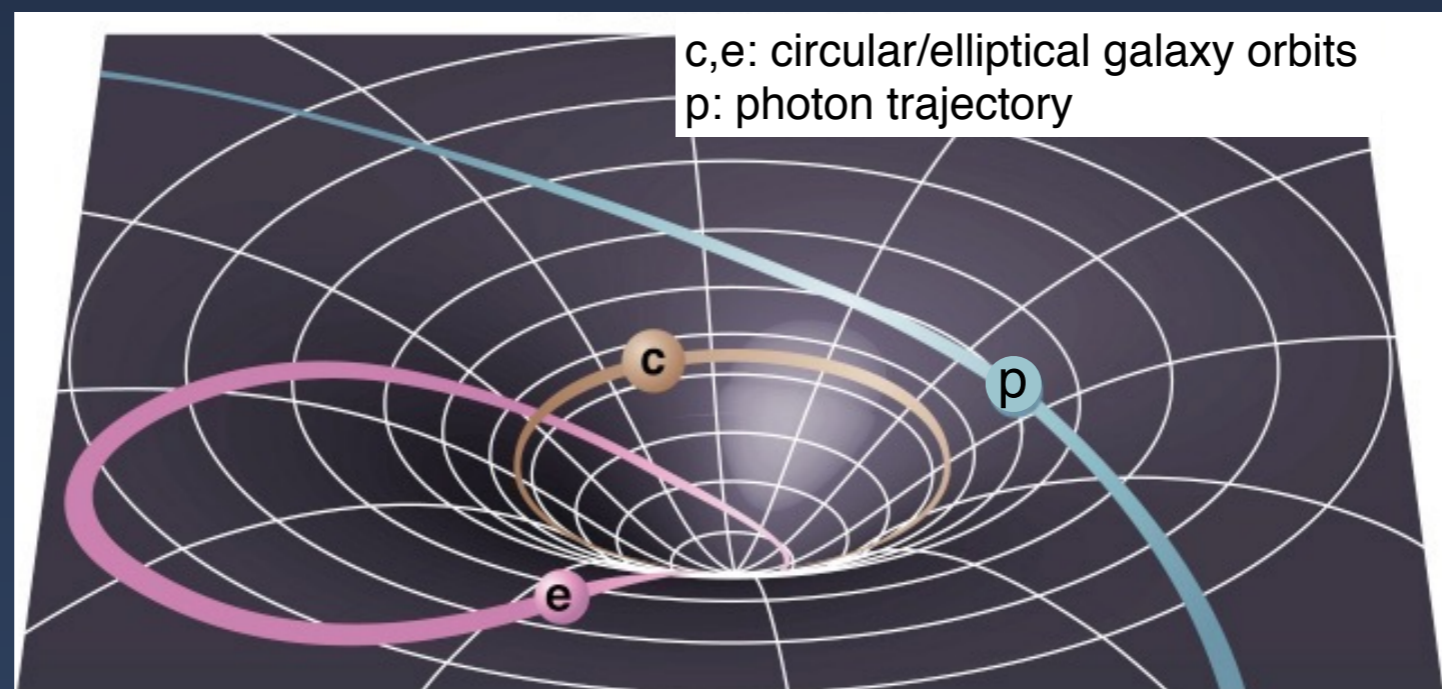
Made possible by our high-quality lensing and kinematic mass profiles for MACS1206, a “well relaxed cluster” with negligible systematics

- In GR, the cluster potential well  $\Phi$  is shaped by the whole mass-energy content of the clusters: density and pressure separately

$$ds^2 = -e^{2\Phi(r)/c^2} c^2 dt^2 + \left(1 - \frac{2Gm(r)}{c^2 r}\right)^{-1} dr^2 + r^2 d\Omega^2$$

Metric of space-time inside a static, spherically symmetric system

- Galaxies are non relativistic, their velocity distribution depends only on  $\Phi(r)$
- Light trajectories respond to both  $\Phi(r)$  and a relativistic term depending on  $m(r)$



# Constraining the DM Equation of State

(Sartoris et al. 2014)

- EoS parameter:  $w(r) = \frac{p_r(r) + 2p_t(r)}{3c^2\rho(r)}$
- $p_r(r)$ ,  $p_t(r)$ : radial and tangential pressure profiles fnc of  $m(r)$ ,  $\Phi(r)$  and their derivatives
- $\rho(r)$  is the density profile which depends on  $m(r)$ :  $\rho(r) = (1/4\pi) m'(r)/r^2$
- $m(r)$ ,  $\Phi(r)$  can be determined from independent determinations of  $m_{\text{kin}}(r)$  and  $m_{\text{lens}}(r)$

$$\nabla^2\Phi = \frac{4\pi G}{c^2} (c^2\rho + p_r + 2p_t)$$

$$m_k(r) = \frac{r^2}{G} \nabla\Phi(r)$$

in weak field approx

$$(2\Phi \ll c^2 \text{ and } 2mG/r \ll c^2)$$

Effective refraction index for lensing

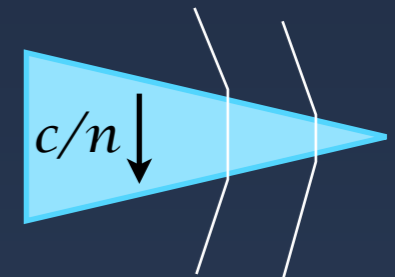
$$n = 1 - \frac{2\Phi_l}{c^2}$$

with:

$$2\Phi_l(r) = \Phi(r) + G \int \frac{m(r)}{r^2} dr$$



$$m_l(r) = \frac{r^2}{G} \Phi'_l(r) = \frac{r^2}{2G} \Phi'(r) + \frac{m(r)}{2} = \frac{m_k(r)}{2} + \frac{m(r)}{2}$$



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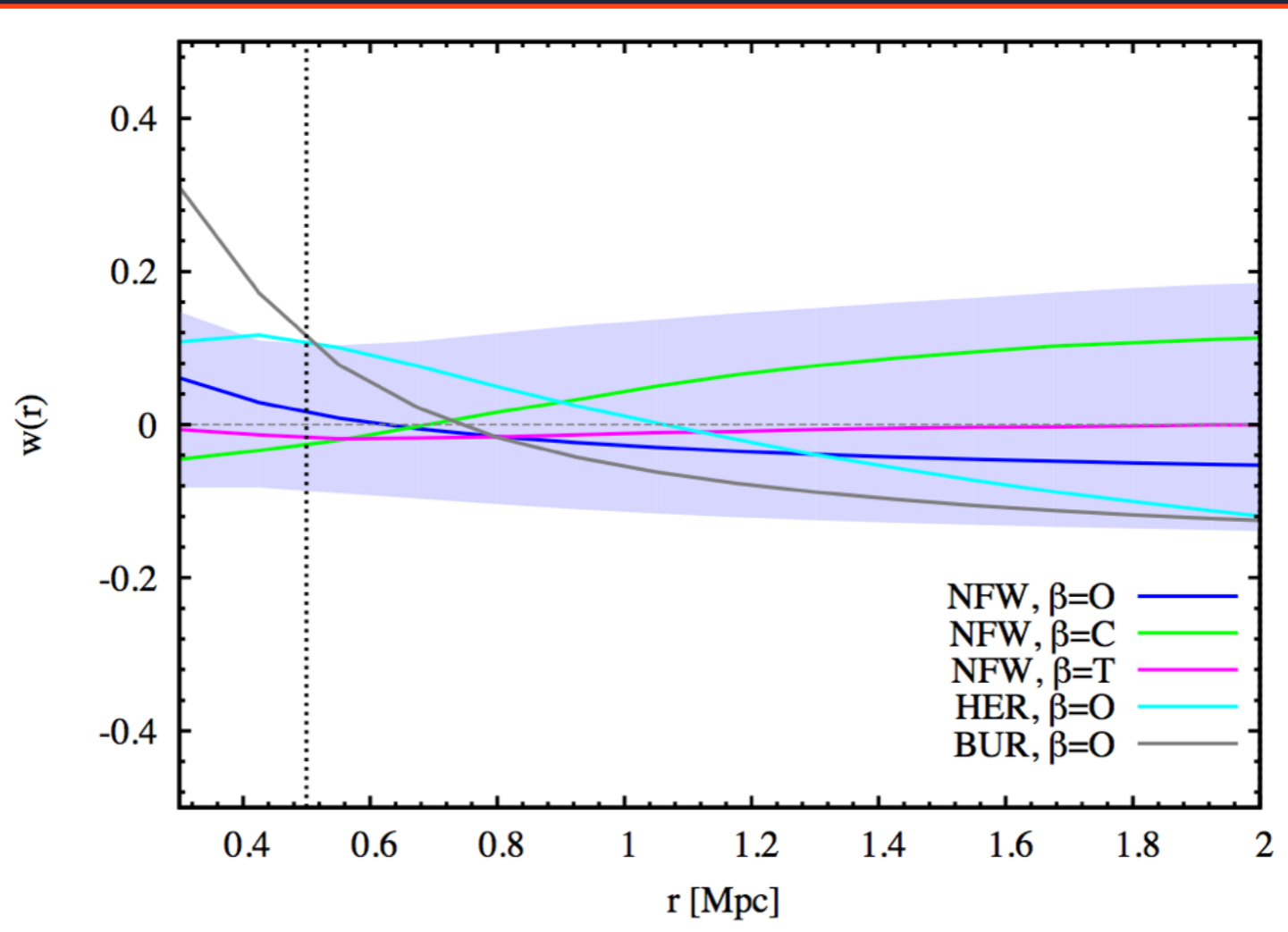
- $\rho(r)$  is the density

- $m(r)$ ,  $\Phi(r)$

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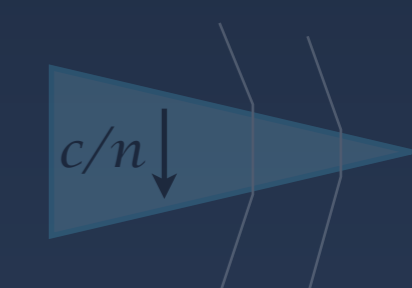
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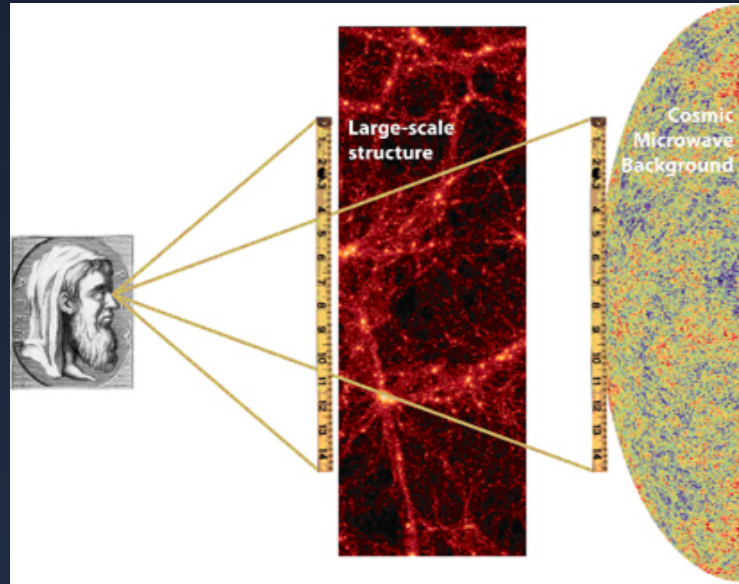
- For the cluster fluid, essentially DM (averaging over  $0.5 \text{ Mpc} - R_{\text{vir}} \approx 2 \text{ Mpc}$ ), we find:

$$w_{\text{DM}} = 0.00 \pm 0.15(\text{stat}) \pm 0.08(\text{syst})$$

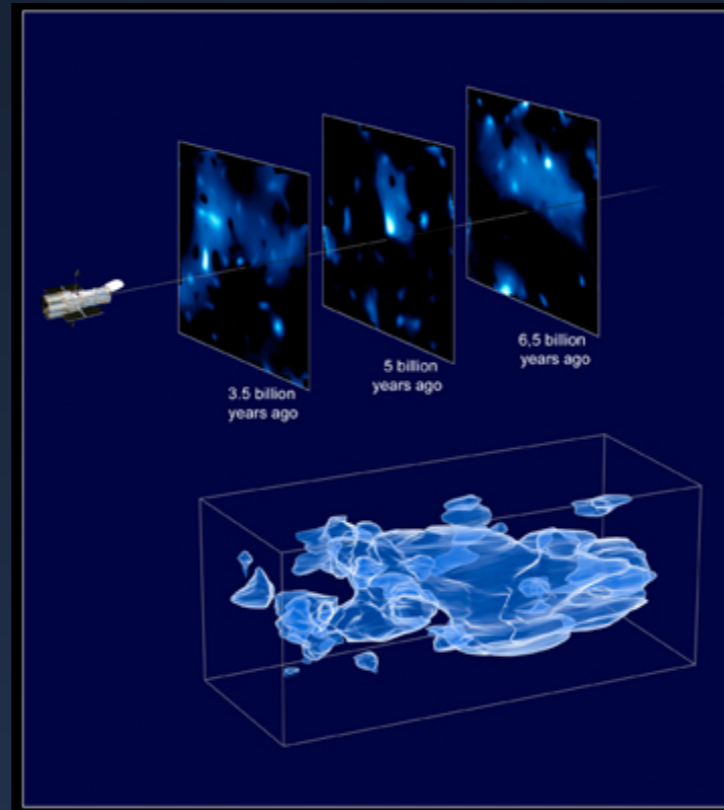
- Systematics will be better understood (and reduced?) when extended to 12 CLASH-VLT clusters

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Two primary cosmological probes:  
BAO ( $D_A$  and  $H$  at  $z=1-2$ ) +



WL tomography  
(matter power spectrum)

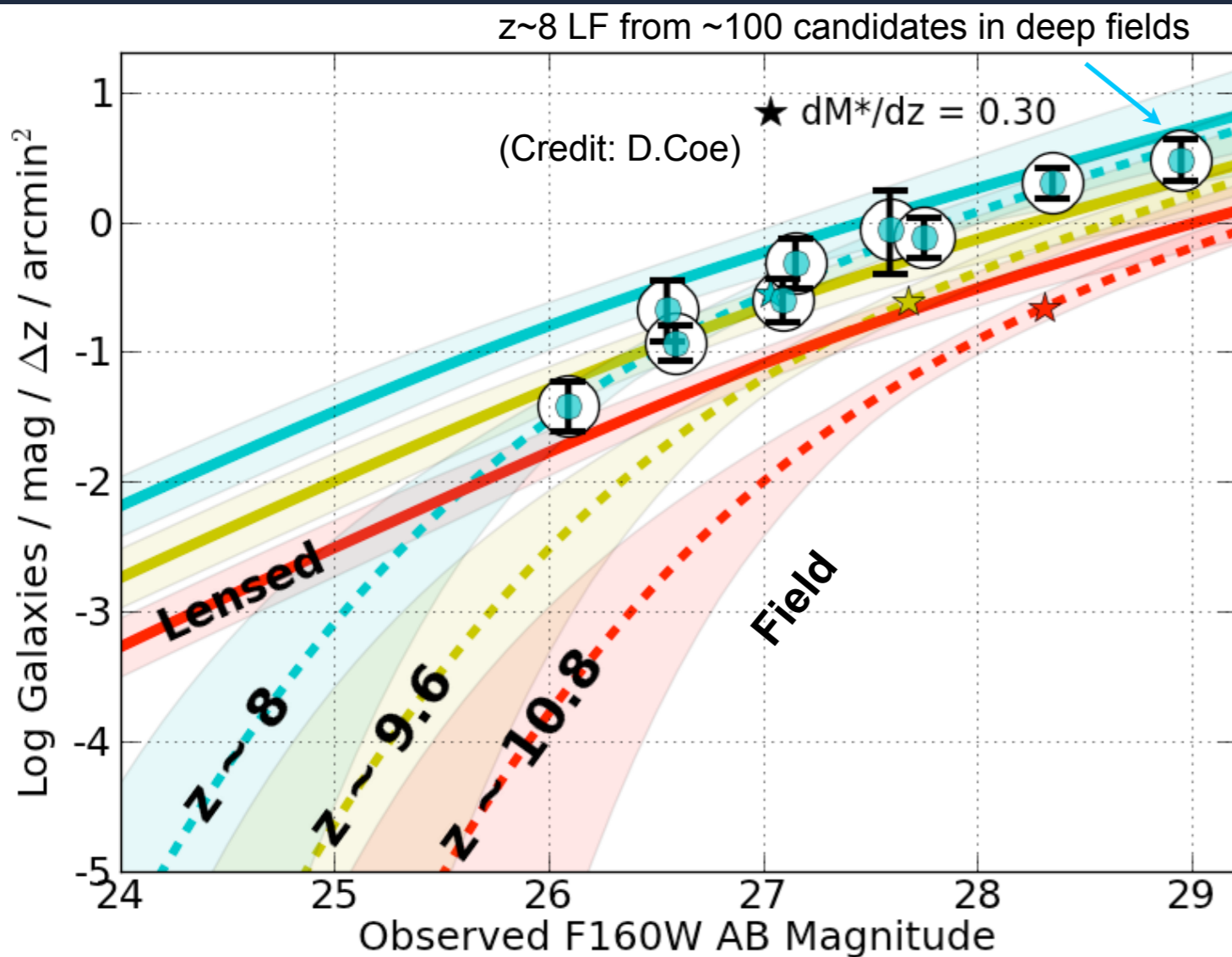
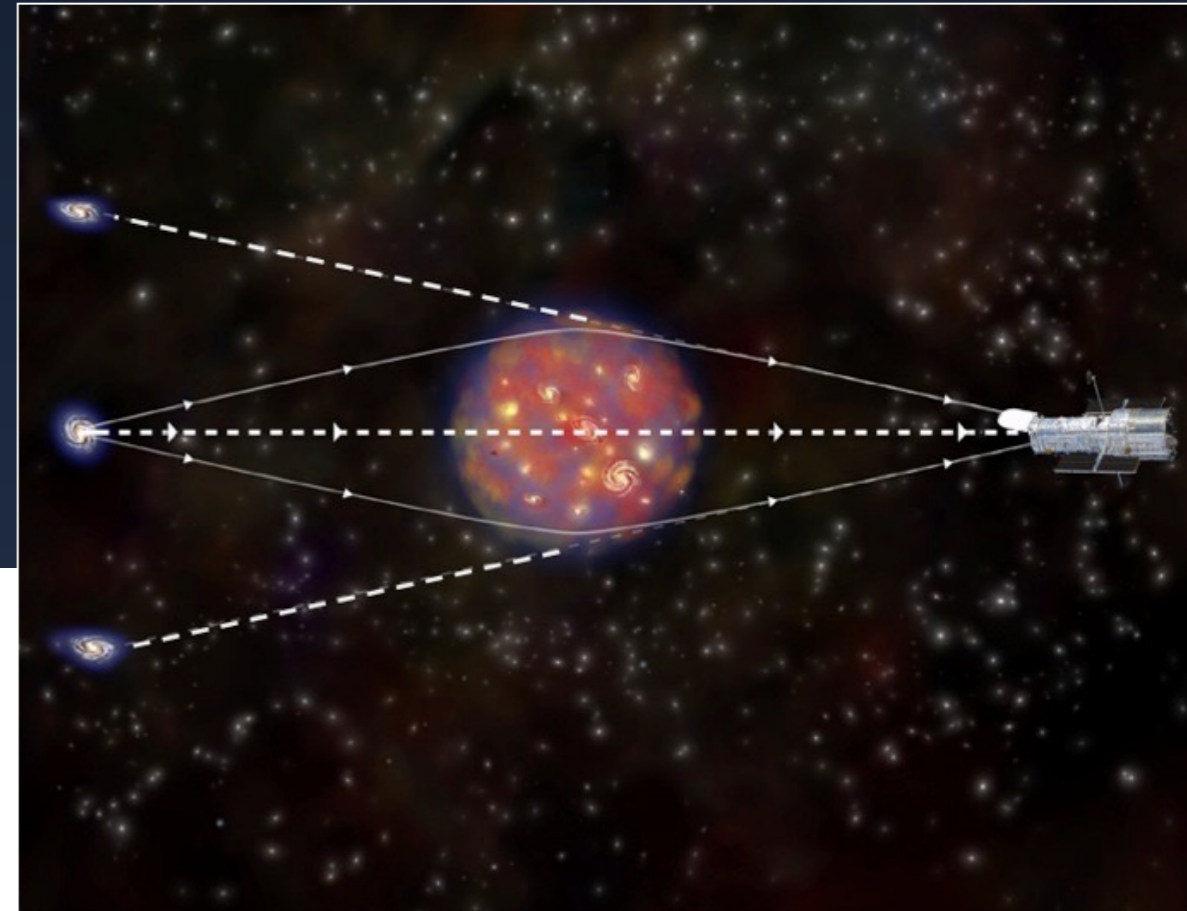


Cosmic shear: clumpiness of DM on different scales can be quantified statistically with correlation of shear signal along the l.o.s  
→ measure projected matter PS  
→ with photozs one can do tomography

- Imaging survey (opt + NIR) + slitless spectroscopic (NIR) survey ( $15,000 \text{ deg}^2$ )
- Exploits geometry (BAO) and growth (WL + RSD + clusters) as cosmological probes
  - 50 millions of spectra (mostly  $H\alpha$  em. lines at  $z\sim 1-2$ )
  - WL (cosmic shear) from optical channel (need photo-zs for lensing tomography)
  - $>10^5$  clusters (but mass calibration TBD)
- **Goals:**
  - $w_p$  at 1 %,  $w_a$  at 5% [varying  $w = w_p (a_p - a) w_a$ ]
  - distinguish modified gravity from dark energy (geometry and structure growth)
  - + Gaussianity of initial perturbation field, neutrino masses ( $\sum m_\nu$ )
  - + vast legacy science

# Galaxy Clusters as Cosmic Telescopes

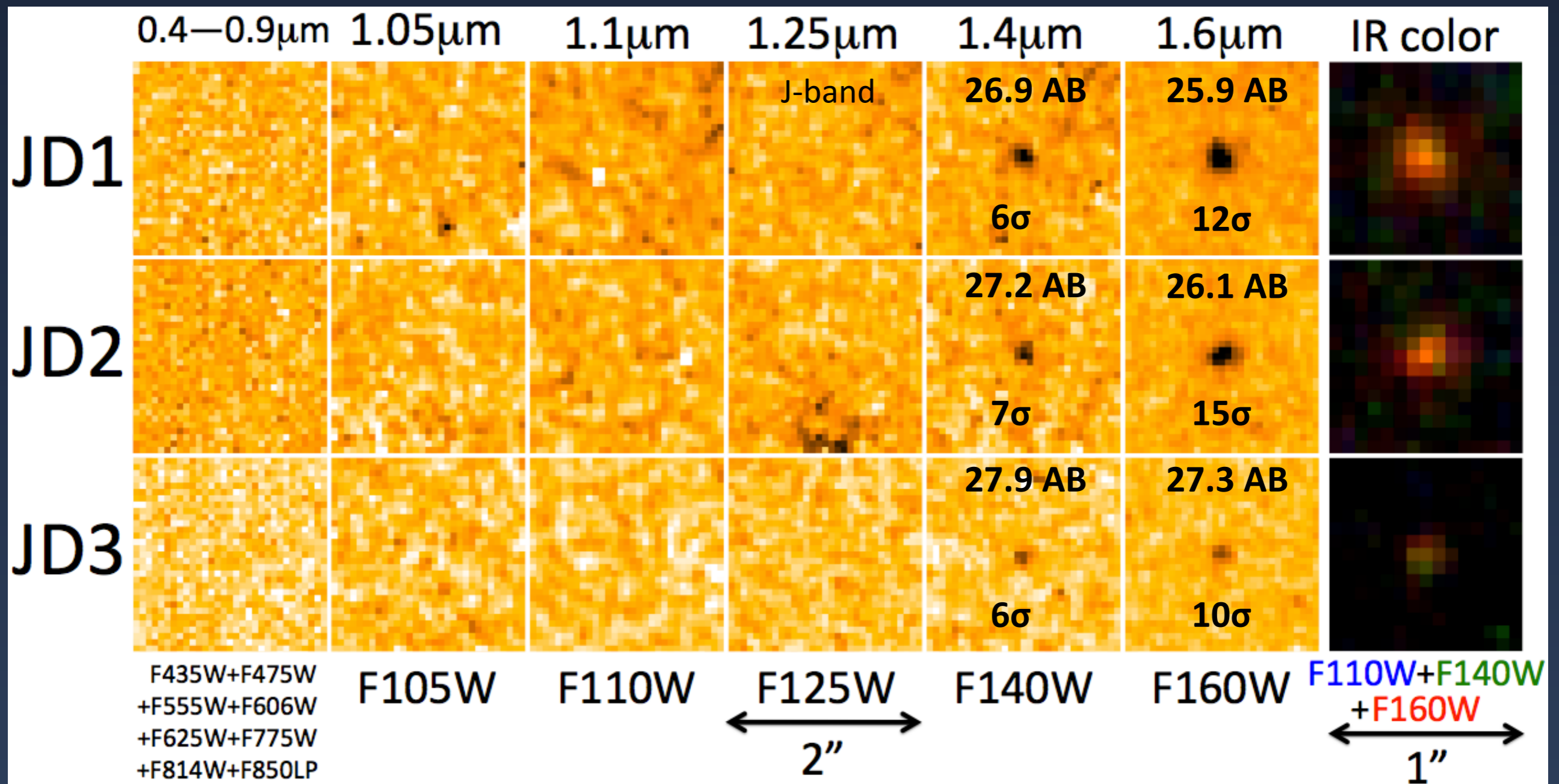
- Phenomenal progress over last 10 years driven by HST (ACS...WFC3/IR)
- Magnification ( $\mu \sim 3-100$ ) significantly increases discovery efficiency for galaxies at fainter mags or/ and higher redshifts, but also the volume shrinks by  $A_s \sim 1/\mu$



- Lensing amplification gives access to the sub- $L^*$  galaxy population at  $z > 6$ , in a complementary fashion to field studies (sensitive to  $L > \sim L^*$ )

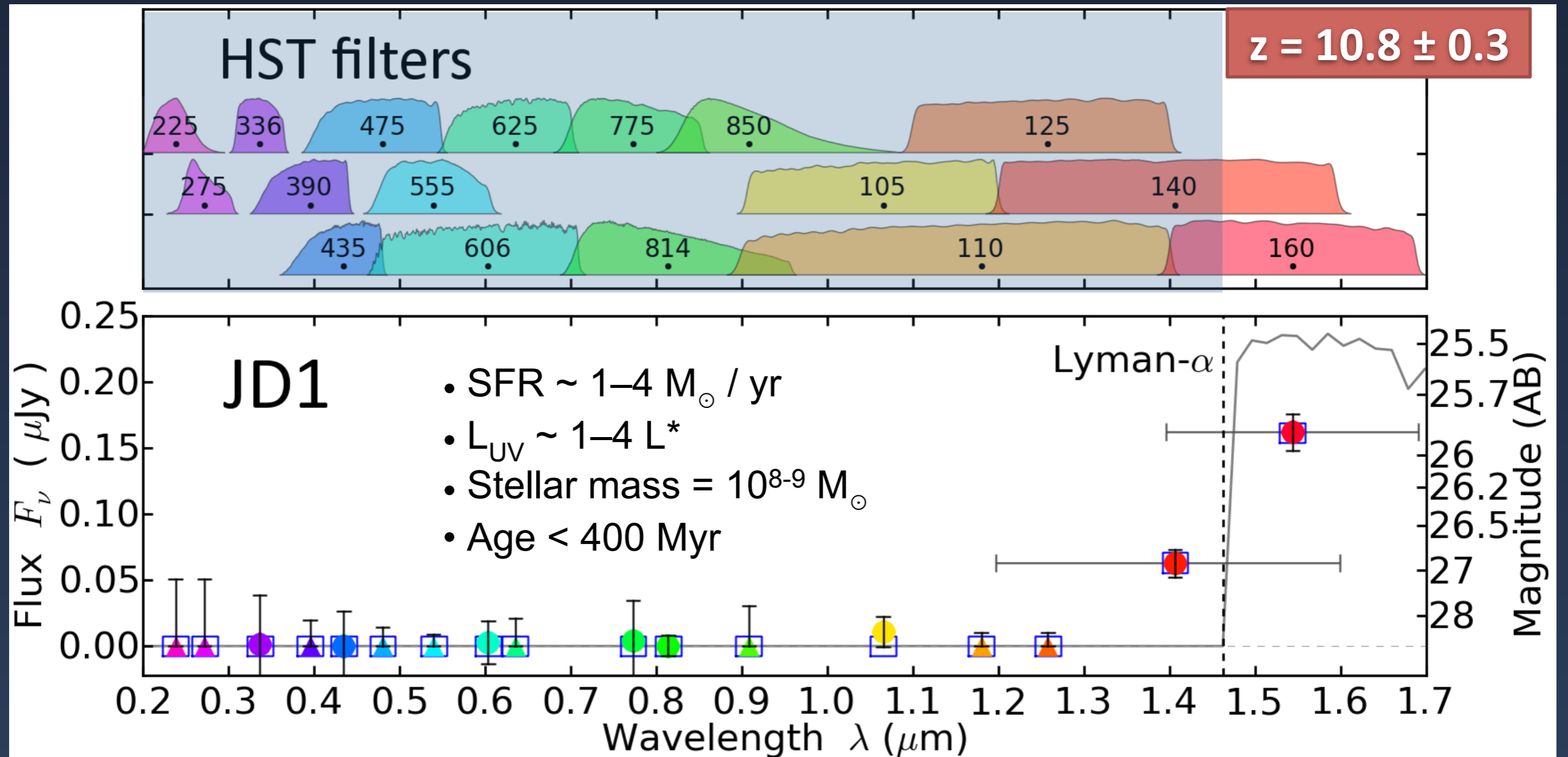
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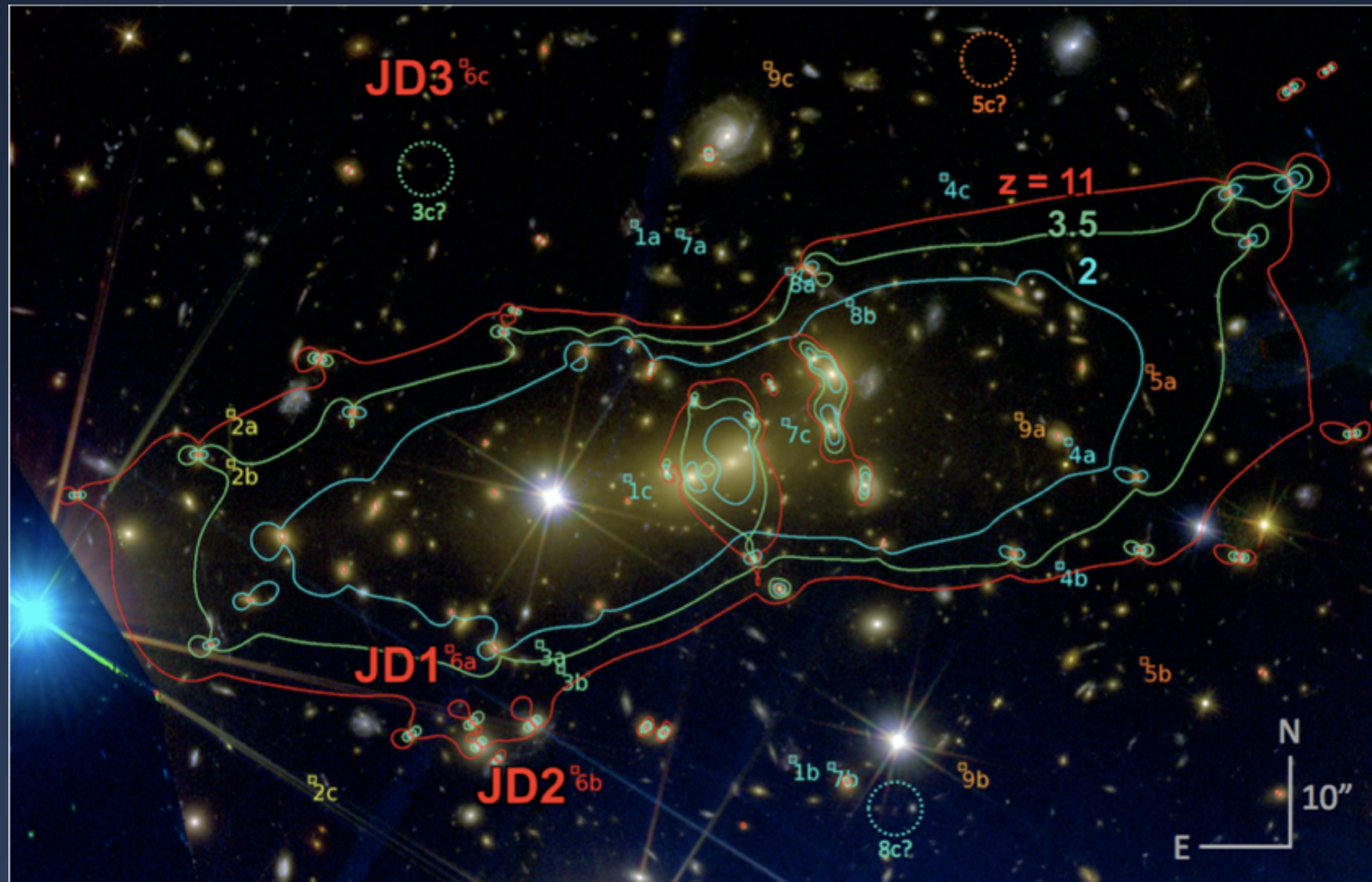
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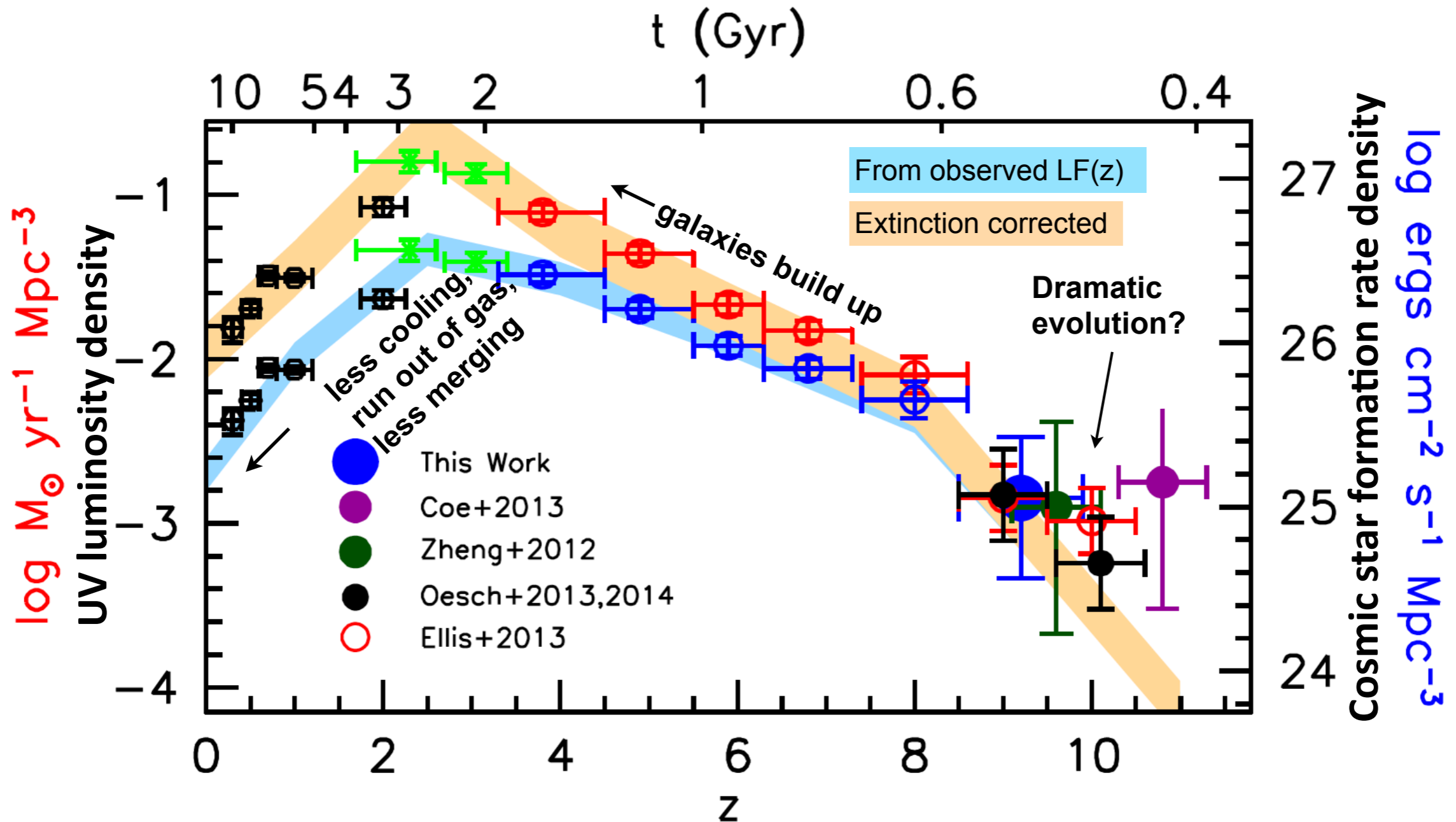
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## CLASH+Hubble Deep fields provide

- the first census of galaxies  $\sim 500$  Myr after the big bang
- first constraints on galaxy evolution at  $z > 8$
- ...but more observations are required to confirm/rule out a rapid growth with important implications for reionization

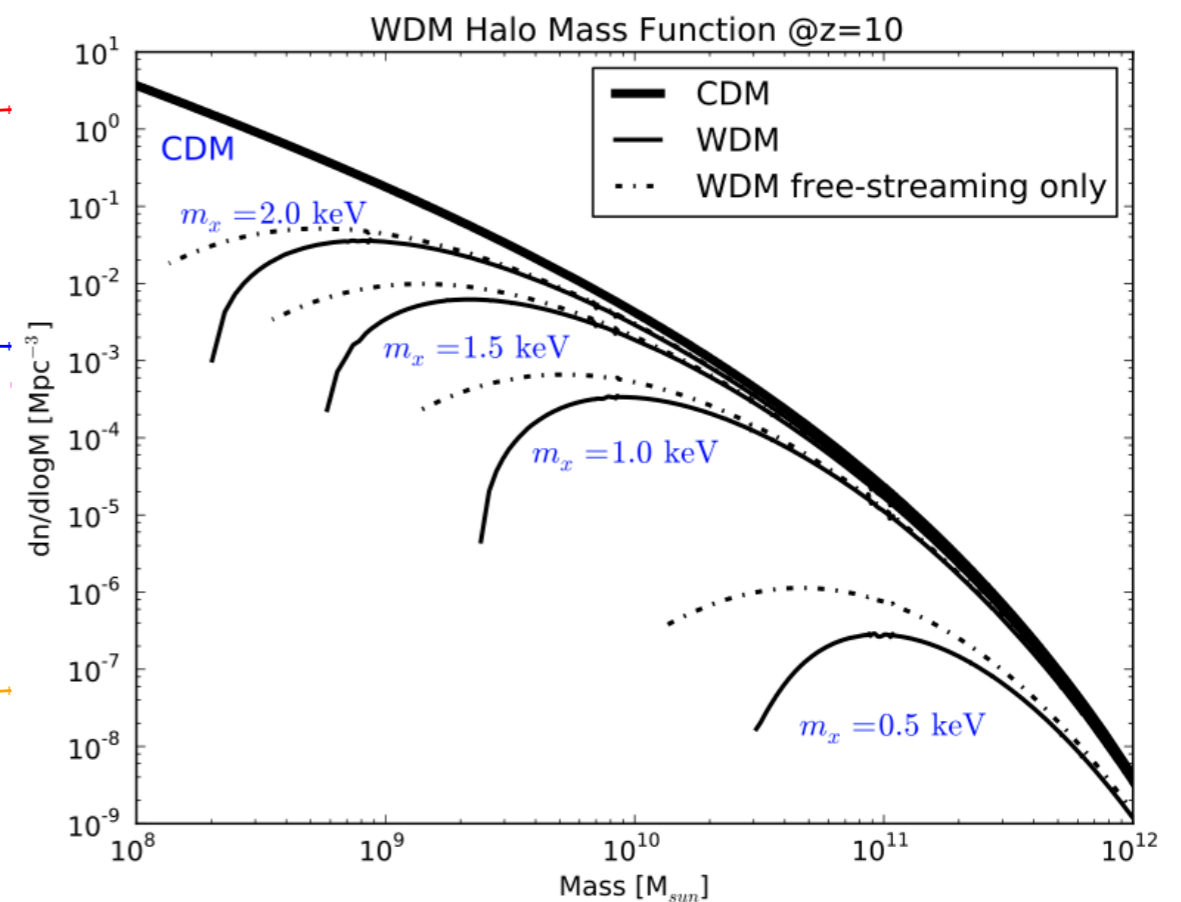
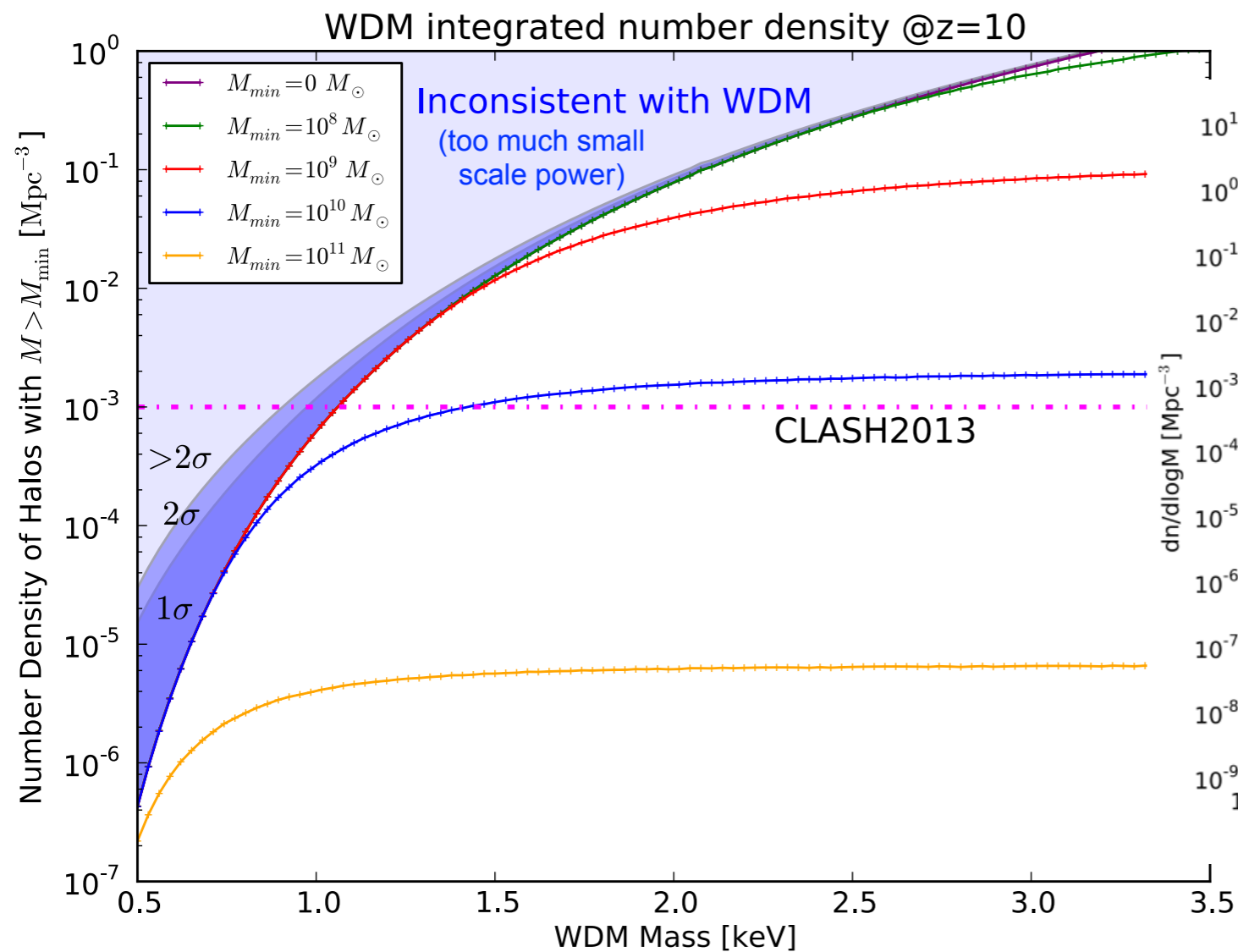


(Schiminovich+2005, Reddy&Steidel 2009, Oesch+ 2010, Bouwens+ 2007,11,12, Coe+2013)

# Independent constraints on the nature of DM from the number density of primordial galaxies

- Existence of galaxies at very high  $z$  implies significant primordial power on small scales (lower limit to the number density of collapsed DM halos)

Pacucci et al. (2013)

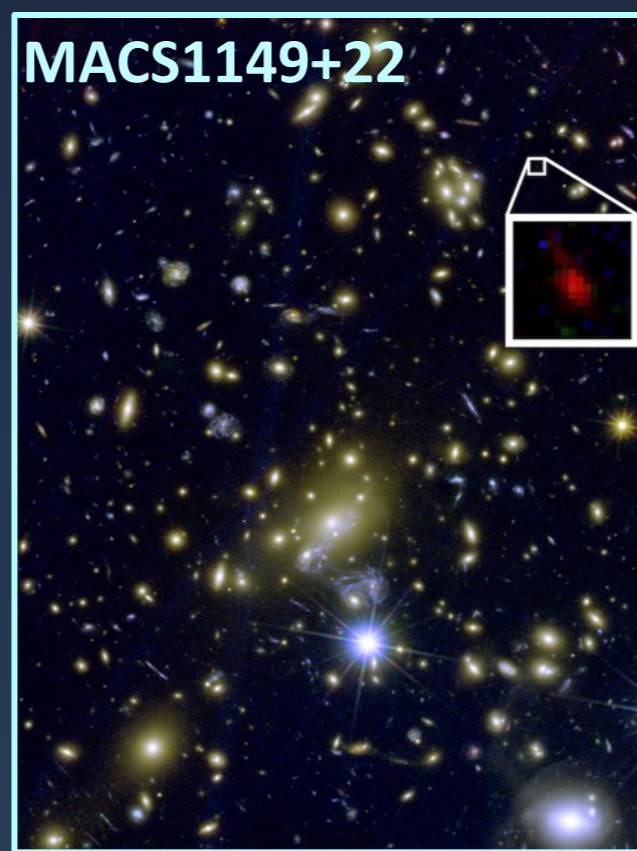
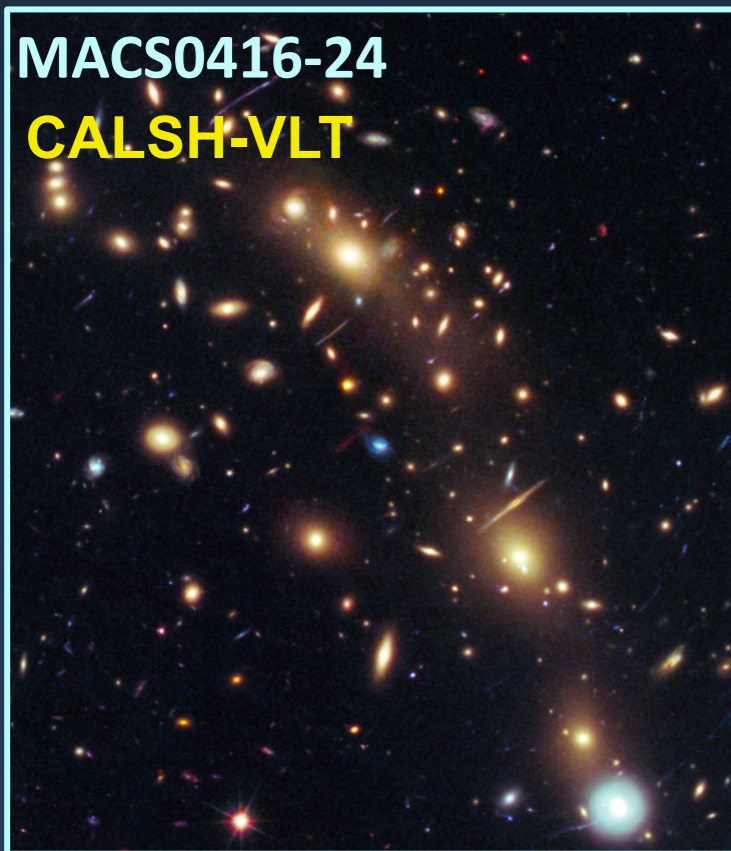
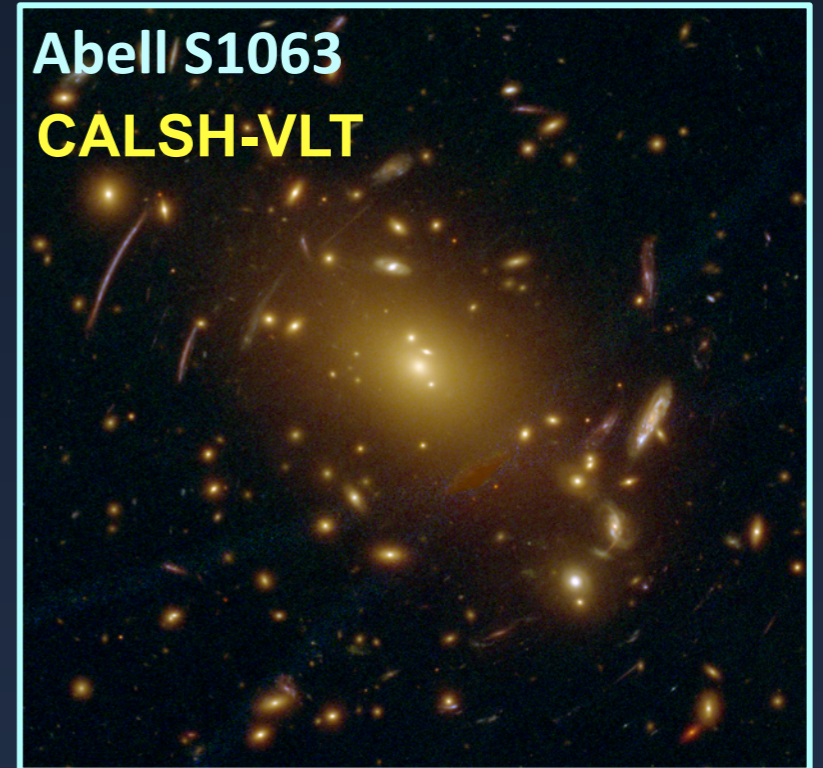
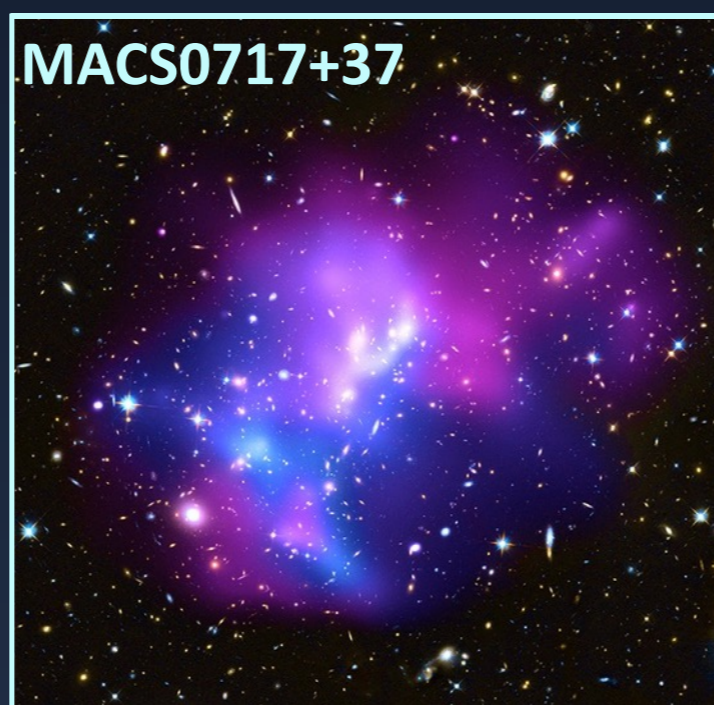


- Even only two galaxies at  $z \sim 10$  allow one to exclude WDM particles with  $m_x < 1$  keV
- Limit depends only on WDM halo mass function, not much on astrophysical modeling

# Nature of DM from astro-particles studies

- DM is not baryonic (from cluster mergers) but also indirectly from CMB
- DM is to large extent collisionless ( $\sigma/m$  upper limits from cluster mergers)
- DM is pressure-less and “cold”, possibly “warm” but not too “hot” (non-relativistic at decoupling)
- Observed power of small-scale structure suggests  $M_\chi > \sim 2 \text{ keV}$  (via free streaming scale)
- Large DM halo profiles match  $\Lambda$ CDM simulations, however significant deviations remain in the core and inner structure of the halos  
Improving maps of large DM halos should tell us whether deviations are simply due to baryonic physics
- No evidence yet (direct and indirect detection) that DM are WIMPs in the 100-1000 GeV scale. WIMPs match to thermal relic density ( $\Omega_M$ ): miracle or fluke? production at accelerators hailed as next big goal..
- Time to broaden our searches and ideas ?

# Next: The Frontier Fields

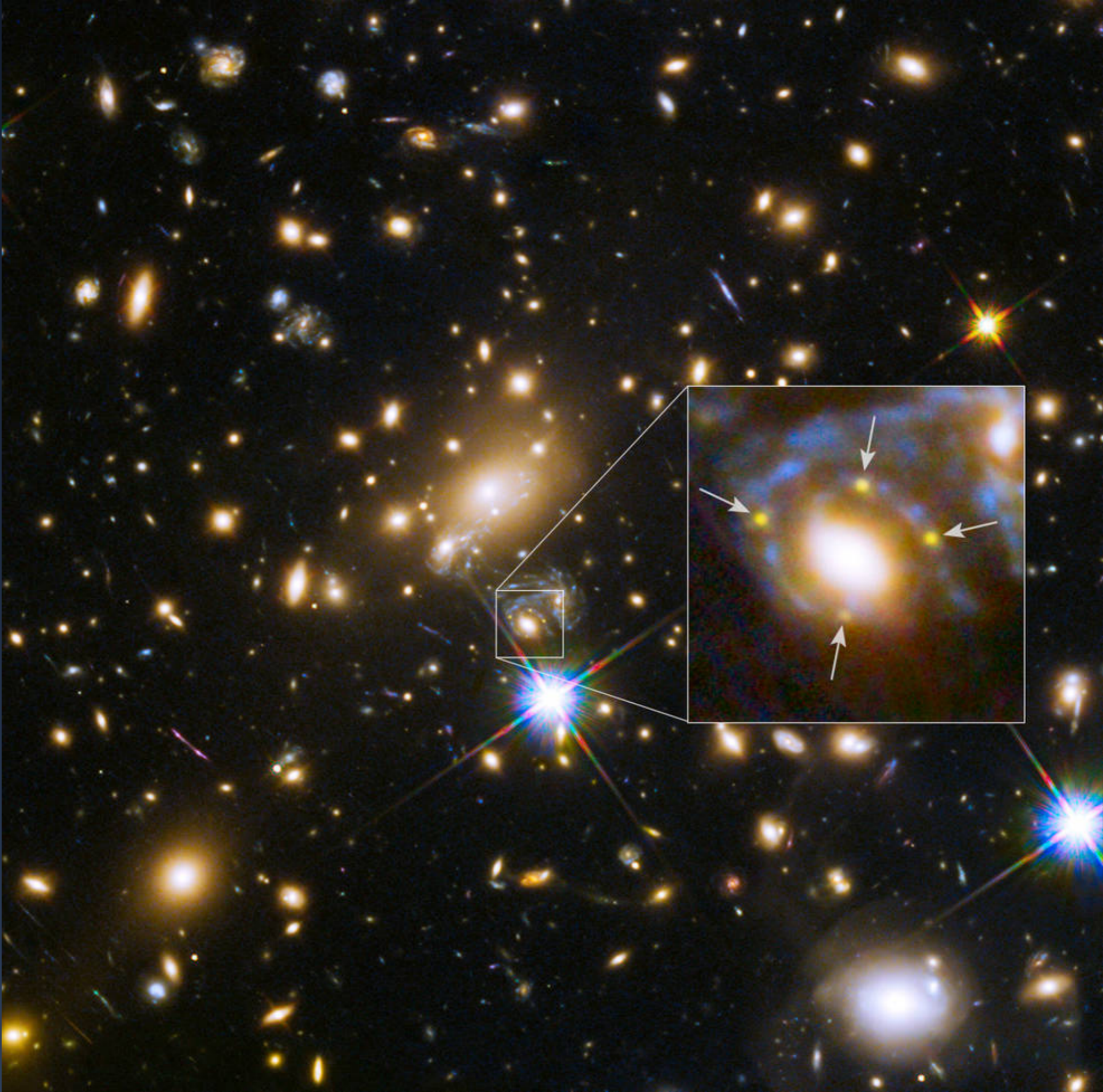


- 70 orbits ACS + 70 orbits WFC3/IR, 1.2 mag deeper than CLASH (Fall 2013 – Fall 2016)
- Chandra large program for deep X-ray observations on-going

See Kelly et al. 2014  
(astro-ph1411.6009)

and finally a multiply lensed SN...!

See Kelly  
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**A space-time mirror:  
we can observe the same cosmic movie 3 times..**

**Past:**  
16 years ago

**Future:**  
~6 months  
from now

**Present**

