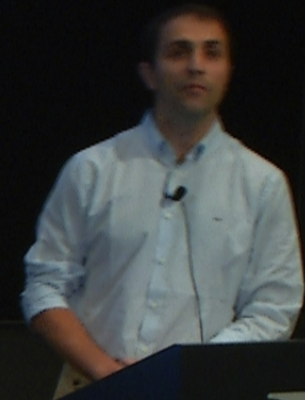
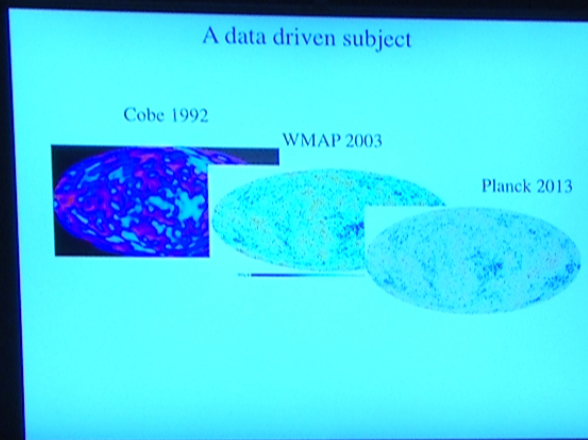


Title: The Effective Field Theory of Large Scale Structures

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Abstract: After the completion of the Planck satellite, the next most important experiments in cosmology will be about mapping the Large Scale Structures of the Universe. In order to continue to make progress in our understanding of the early universe, it is essential to develop a precise understanding of this system. The Effective Filed Theory of Large Scale Structures provides a novel framework to analytically compute the clustering of the Large Scale Structures in the weakly non-linear regime in a consistent and reliable way. The theory that describes the long wavelength fluctuations is obtained after integrating out the strongly-coupled, short-distance modes, and adding suitable operators that allow us to correctly reconstruct the effect of short distance fluctuations at long distances. By using techniques that originate in the particle physics context, a few observables have been computed so far, and the results are extremely promising. I will discuss the formalism, the main results so far, and the potential implications for next generation experiments.



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What can we do with them?

- Address Universal Question
 - How did everything begin?
 - High Energies \Rightarrow High Energy Physics
 - we learn about High Energy
 - we apply High Energy Physics techniques

How do we probe Inflation?

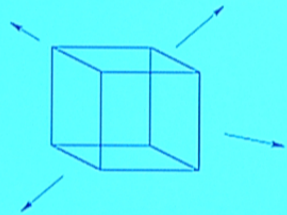
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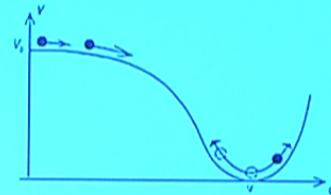
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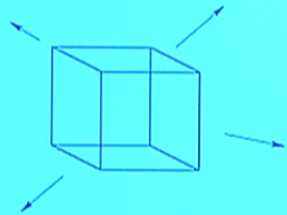
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What are we seeing?

- The only observable we are testing from the background solution is

$$\Omega_K \lesssim 3 \times 10^{-3}$$

- All the rest, comes from the fluctuations

- For the fluctuations

- they are primordial

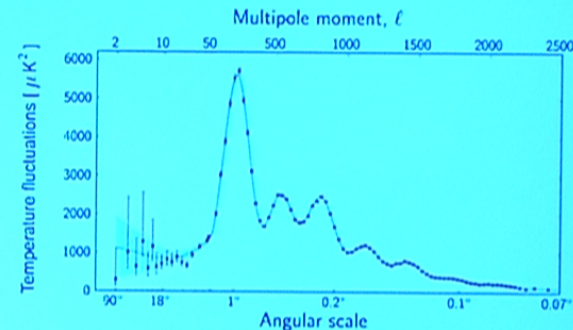
- they are scale invariant

- they have a tilt $n_s - 1 \simeq -0.04 \sim \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{N_e}\right)$

- they are quite gaussian

$$\text{NG} \sim \frac{\langle (\frac{\delta T}{T})^3 \rangle}{\langle (\frac{\delta T}{T})^2 \rangle^{3/2}} \lesssim 10^{-3}$$

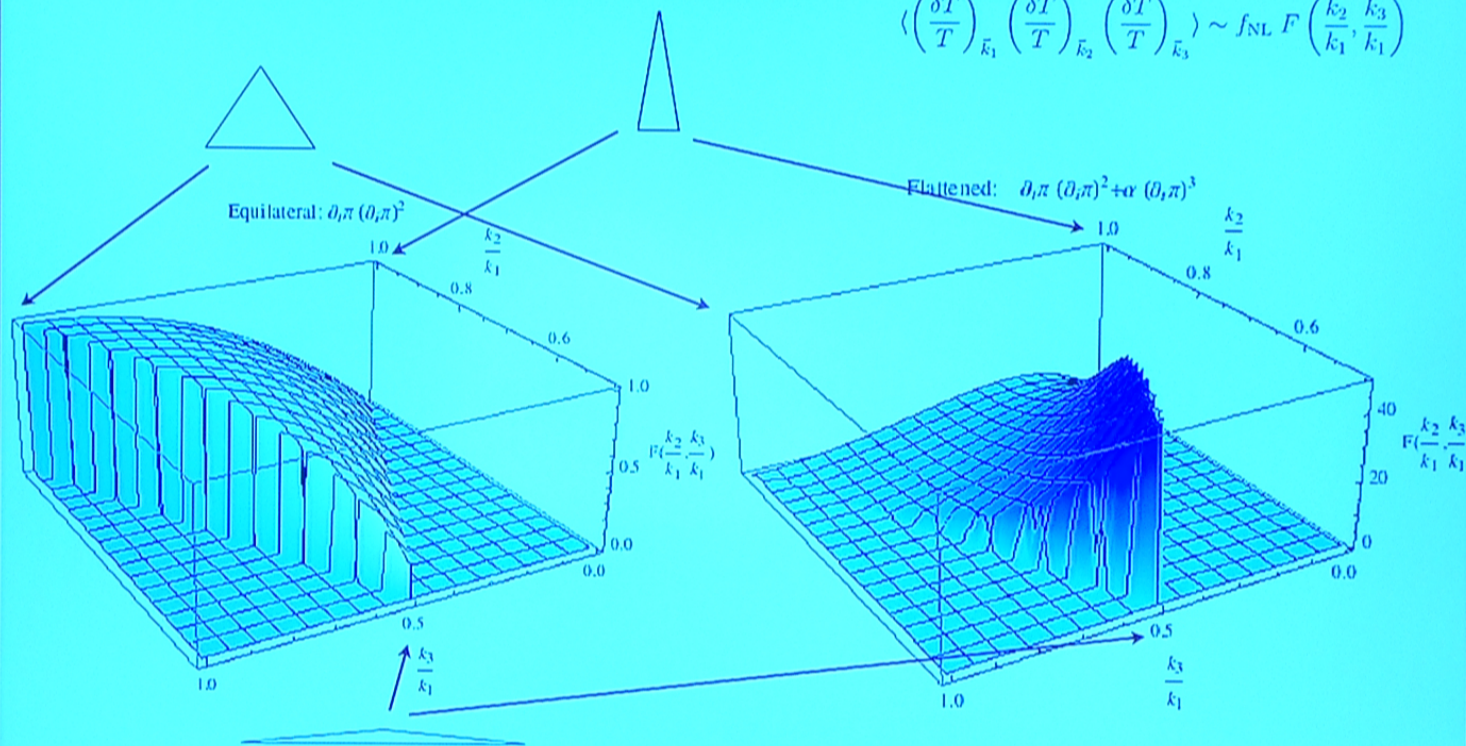
- Just 2 numbers
- Is this enough to conclude it is slow-roll Inflation? Indeed, there are other models
 - and in general, what is the dynamics of this inflaton?



Better Signals: Large non-Gaussianities

with Smith and Zaldarriaga,
JCAP2010

$$\left\langle \left(\frac{\delta T}{T} \right)_{\vec{k}_1} \left(\frac{\delta T}{T} \right)_{\vec{k}_2} \left(\frac{\delta T}{T} \right)_{\vec{k}_3} \right\rangle \sim f_{\text{NL}} F \left(\frac{k_2}{k_1}, \frac{k_3}{k_1} \right)$$

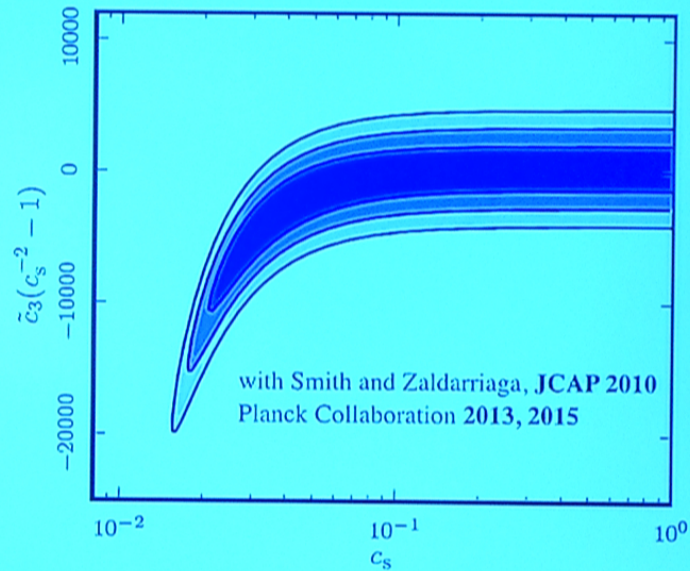
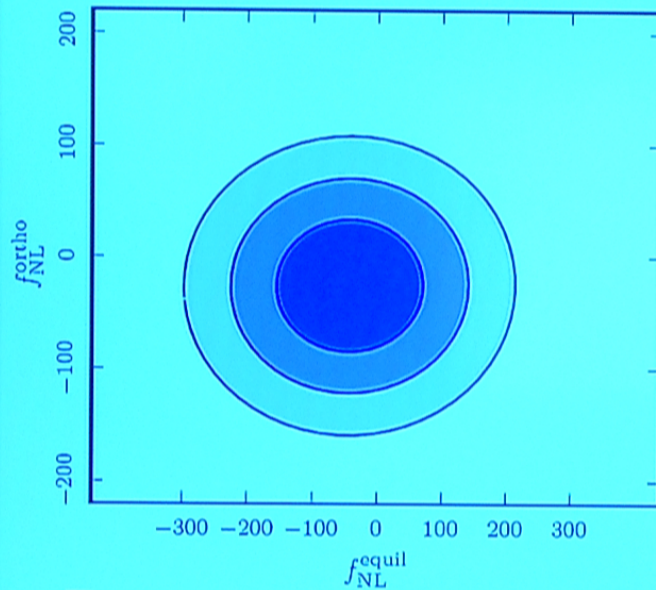


A function of two variables: like a scattering amplitude
With this, we could investigate the non-trivial dynamics

Limits in terms of parameters of a Lagrangian

$$S_\pi = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[\frac{\dot{H} M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{c_s^2} (\dot{\pi}^2 - c_s^2 (\partial_i \pi)^2) + \frac{\dot{H} M_{\text{Pl}}^2}{c_s^2} [\dot{\pi} (\partial_i \pi)^2 + \tilde{c}_3 \dot{\pi}^3] \right]$$

with Cheung, Creminelli, Fitzpatrick and Kaplan, **JHEP 2008**



with Smith and Zaldarriaga, **JCAP 2010**
Planck Collaboration **2013, 2015**

- These are contour plots of parameters of a fundamental Lagrangian
- Same as in particle accelerator Precision Electroweak Tests. see Barbieri, Giudice, Isidori, ...
- Thanks to the EFT: A qualitatively new (and superior) way to use the cosmological data

What has Planck done to theory?

- Planck improve limits wrt WMAP by a factor of ~ 3 .
- Since $NG \sim \frac{H^2}{\Lambda^2} \Rightarrow \Lambda^{\text{min,Planck}} \sim \sqrt{3} \Lambda^{\text{min,WMAP}}$
- Given the absence of known or nearby threshold, this is not much.
- Planck was great
 - but CMB did not have enough modes
- Planck was an opportunity for a detection, not much an opportunity to change the theory in absence of detection
 - We crossed the tilt-threshold (luckily WMAP had a tilt a 2.5σ , so we got to 6σ)
- On theory side, little changes
 - contrary for example to LHC, which was crossing thresholds
 - Any result from LHC is changing the theory

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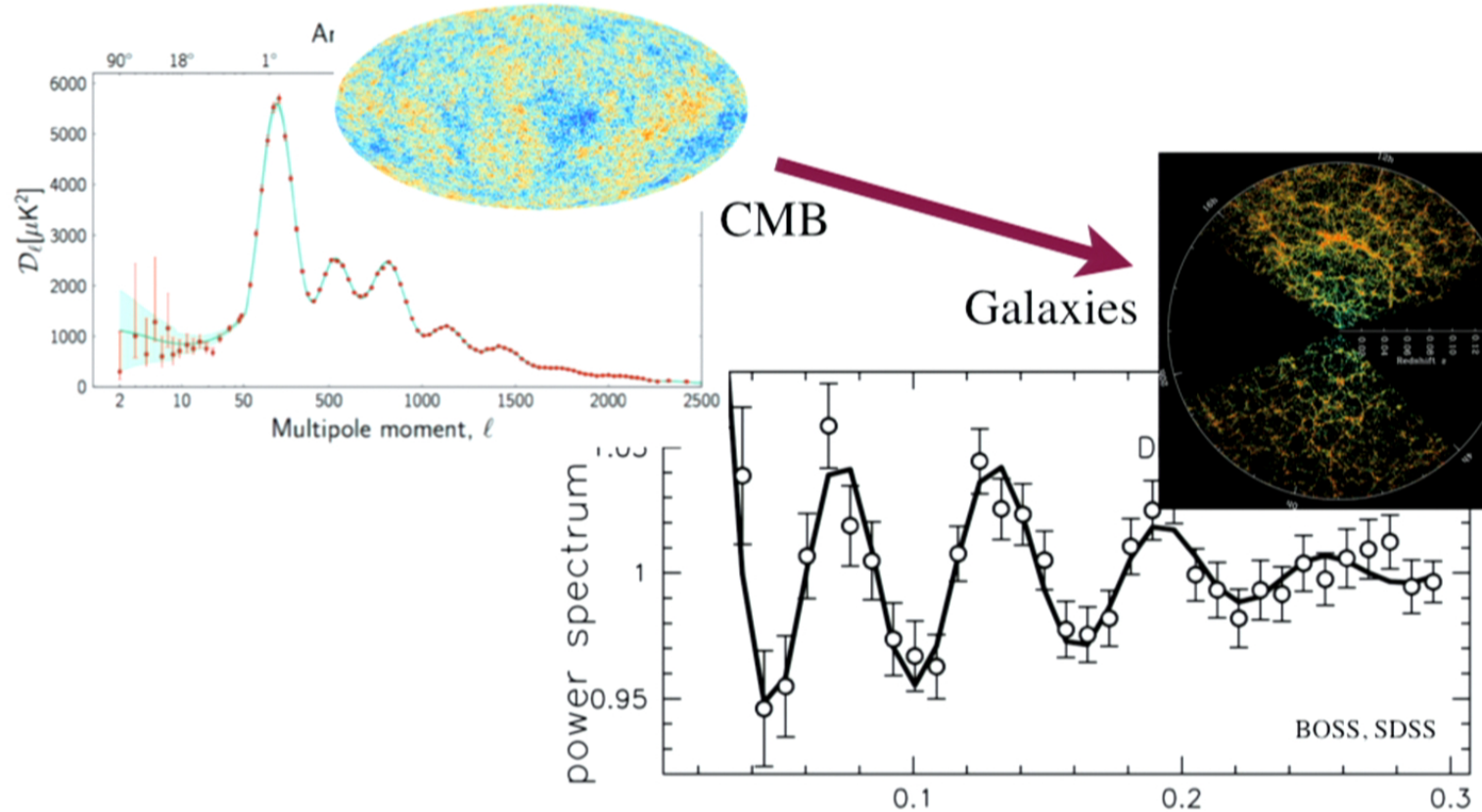
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Some things already done

- Baryon Acoustic Oscillations in Galaxies distribution



- But most new information is just about low-z universe k ($h \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$)
- Not much about early universe

What is next?

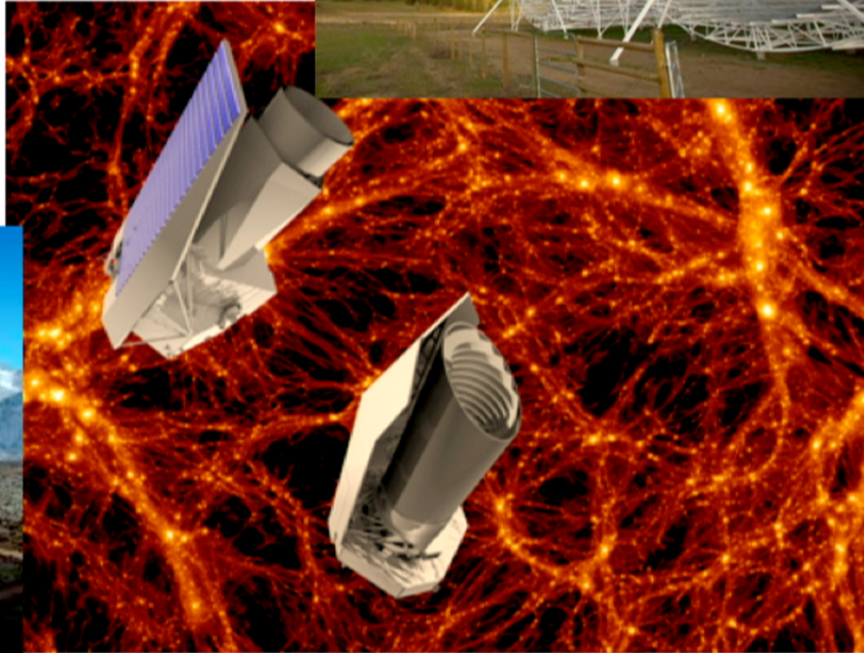
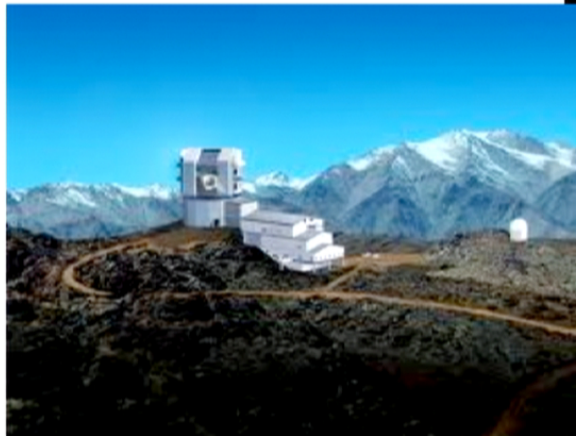
- Euclid, LSST and Chime are the next big missions: this is our only next chance

– we need to understand how many modes are available

$$\text{Number of modes} \sim \left(\frac{k_{\text{max}}}{k_{\text{min}}} \right)^3$$

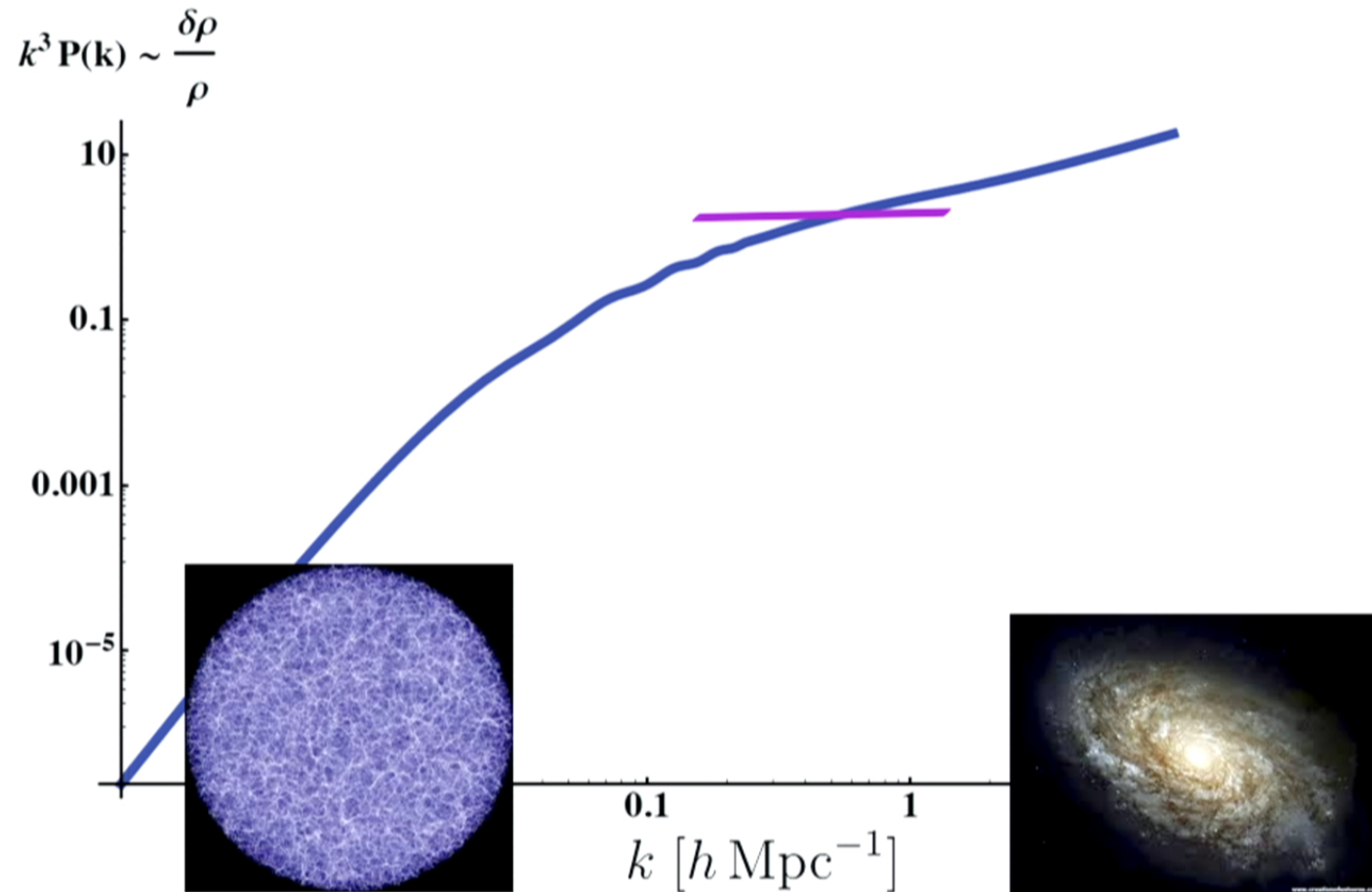
– Need to understand short distances

– Similar as from LEP to LHC



The EFTofLSS: A well defined perturbation theory

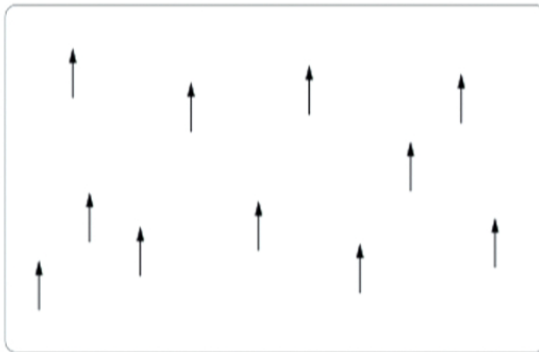
- Non-linearities at short scale



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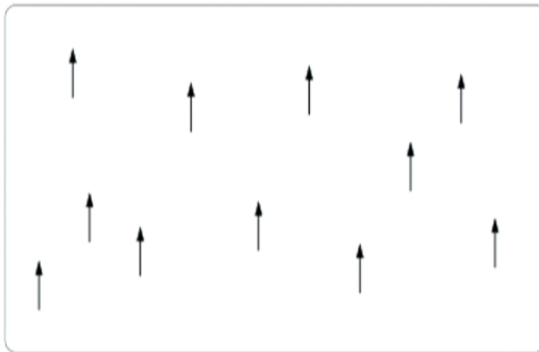
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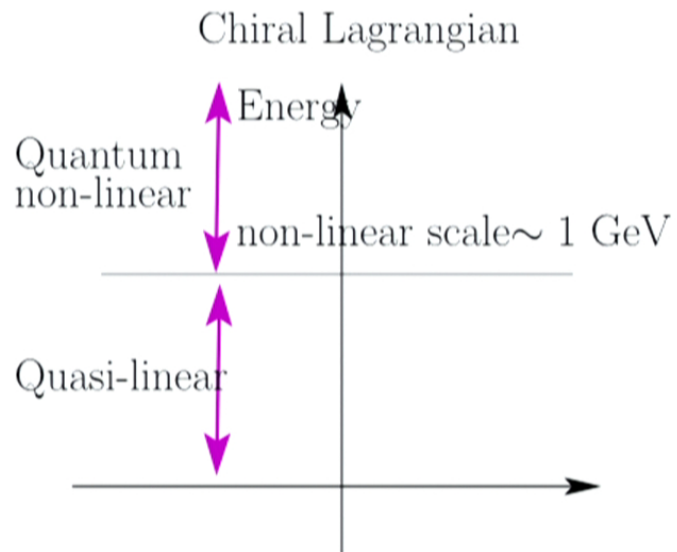


QCD Chiral Lagrangian Reminder

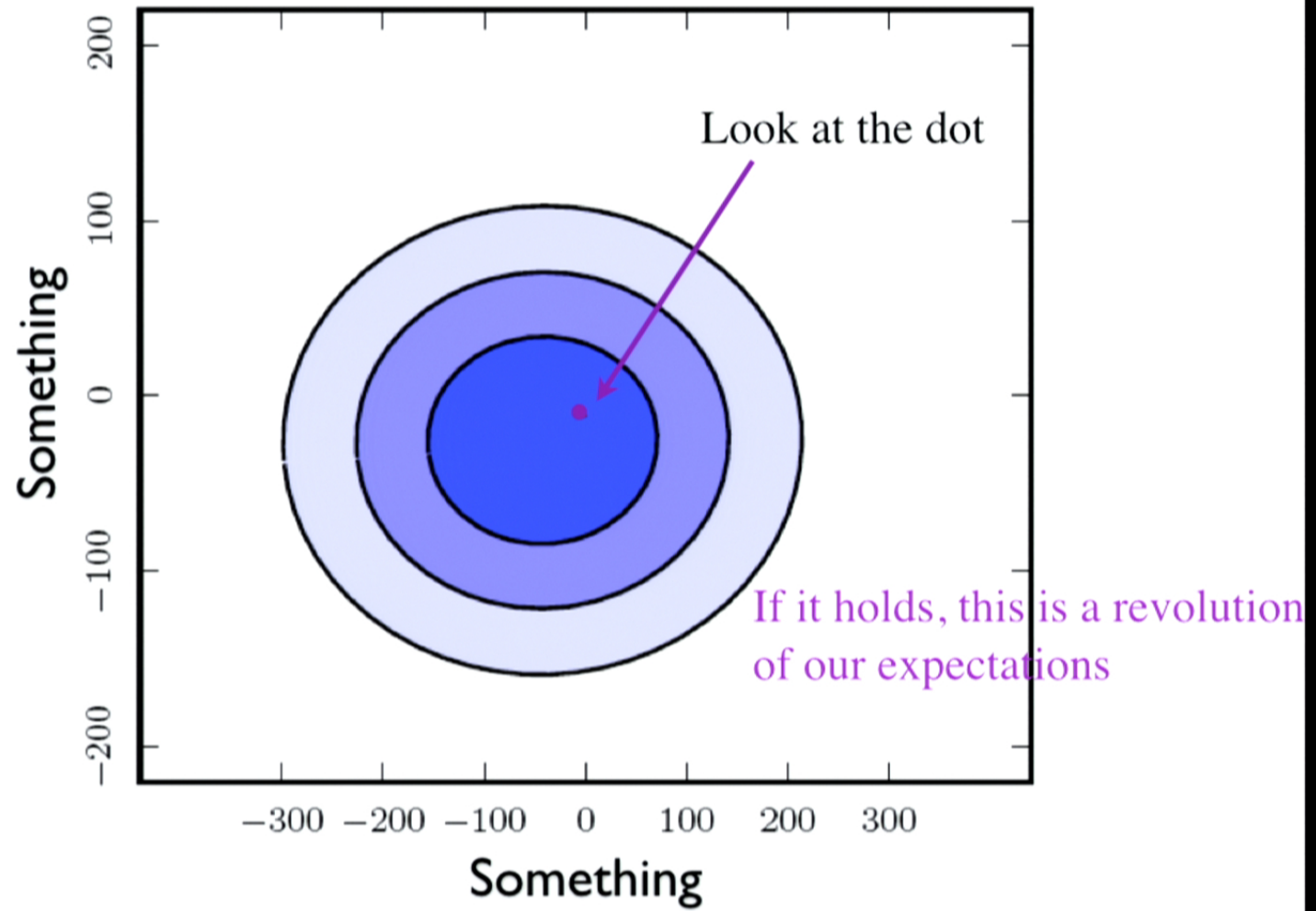
- Pions are described by

$$S = \int d^4x \left[(\partial\pi)^2 + \frac{1}{F_\pi^2} \pi^2 (\partial\pi)^2 + \frac{1}{\tilde{F}_\pi^2} (\partial\pi)^4 + \dots \right]$$

- For $m_\pi \lesssim E \lesssim 4\pi F_\pi$
- Perturbative expansion in $\frac{E}{4\pi F_\pi} \ll 1$

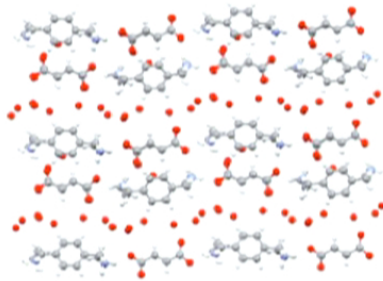


With this



The Theory of the Universe

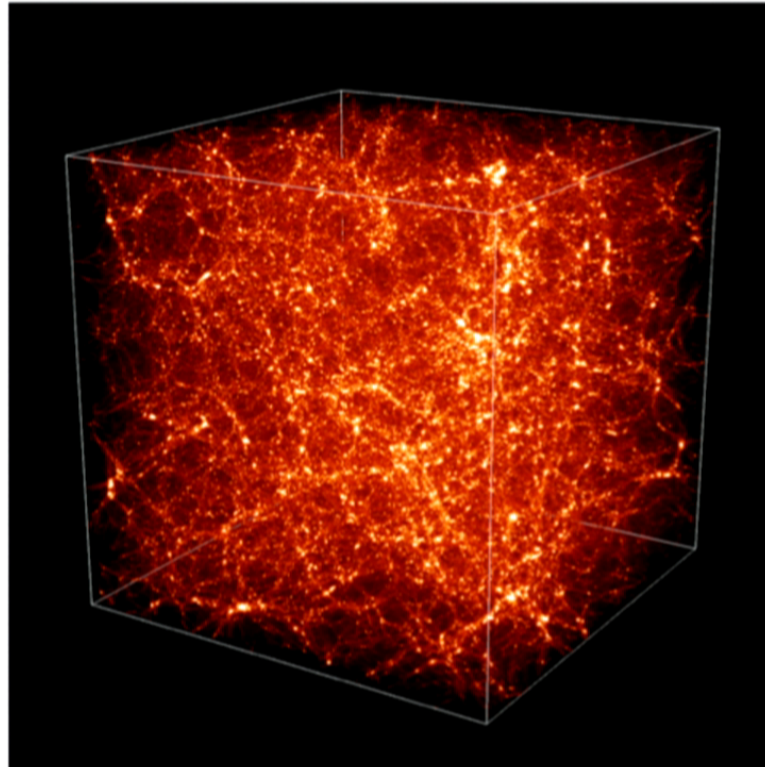
- Useful or not, this is the correct description of the long distance universe
 - as we describe water as a fluid, and not a set of molecules hitting each other



- similarly the universe *is* the system I am going to describe

Normal Approach: numerics

- Just simulate the full universe (such as water molecules to simulate ocean waves)



Why numerics are not enough

- they do not give the simple description of the system
 - In principle, we can simulate the clustering of dark matter with N-body sims
 - But
 - simulations with dark matter are very slow
 - systematic error of order 1%
- A. Schneider, R. Teyssier, ... V. Springel *et al.* **1503**
- we cannot simulate baryons: we can only `model' them
 - As a proof, SDSS stops analyzing data at low k



Numerics has been great

- Do not misunderstand me:
 - numerical simulations have provided some of the most beautiful history-making discoveries:
 - dark matter is cold
 - standard model neutrinos are not the dark matter
 - structures form from small to big
- But I believe, after these giants, we live in hard times
 - and to make further progress, high precision is required
 - N-body sims do not seem, to me, the only appropriate tool.

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with Porto and Zaldarriaga **JCAP1405**

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The Effective ~Fluid

– Equivalently

– In history of universe Dark Matter moves about $1/k_{\text{NL}} \sim 10 \text{ Mpc}$

– it is an effective fluid-like system with mean free path $\sim 1/k_{\text{NL}} \sim 10 \text{ Mpc}$

– it interacts with gravity so matter and momentum are conserved

• Skipping subtleties, the resulting equations are equivalent to fluid-like equations

$$\nabla^2 \Phi_l = H^2 \frac{\delta \rho_l}{\rho}$$

with Baumann, Nicolis and Zaldarriaga **JCAP 2012**

with Carrasco and Hertzberg **JHEP 2012**

with Porto and Zaldarriaga **JCAP1405**

$$\partial_t \rho_l + H \rho_l + \partial_i (\rho_l v_l^i) = 0$$

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– short distance physics appears as a non trivial stress tensor for the long-distance fluid

$$\tau_{ij} \sim \delta_{ij} \rho_{\text{short}} (v_{\text{short}}^2 + \Phi_{\text{short}})$$

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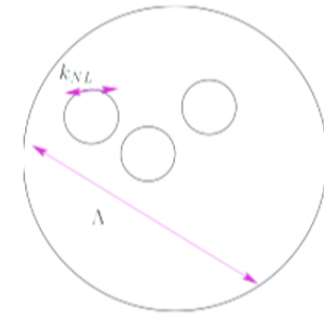
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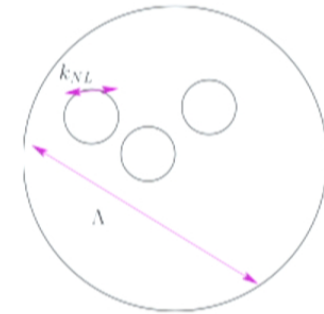
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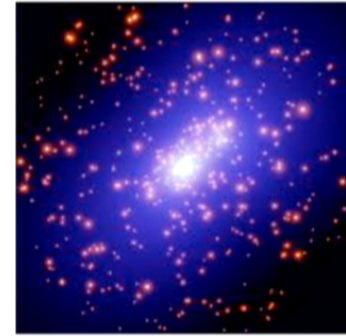
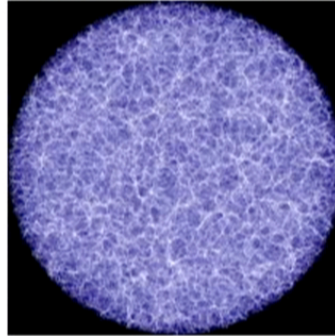
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A subtlety: non-locality in Time

This EFT is non-local in time

- For local EFT, we need hierarchy of scales.

–In space we are ok



–In time we are not ok: all modes evolve with time-scale of order Hubble



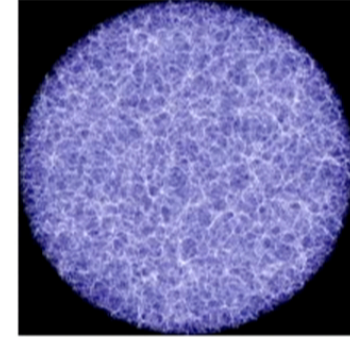
with Carrasco, Foreman and Green **1310**
Carroll, Leichenauer, Pollak **1310**
Mirbabahi, Schmidt, Zaldarriaga **1412**

- \Rightarrow The EFT is local in space, non-local in time

$$\langle \tau_{ij} \rangle_{\delta_l} \sim \int dt' K(t, t') \partial^2 \phi(x_{\text{fl}}, t')$$

A non-renormalization theorem

- Can the short distance non-linearities change completely the overall expansion rate of the universe, possibly leading to acceleration without Λ ?



- In terms of the short distance perturbation, the effective stress tensor reads
 $\tau_{00} \sim (\text{mass} + \text{kinetic energy} + \text{gravity potential energy})$
 $\tau_{ii} \sim (2 \text{ kinetic energy} + \text{gravity potential energy})$
- when objects virialize, induced pressure vanish $\langle \rho_S (2v_S^2 + \Phi_S) \rangle_{\text{virialized}} \rightarrow 0$
 –ultraviolet modes do not contribute (like in SUSY)
- More in detail, the backreaction is dominated by modes at the virialization scale

$$\tau_{l,ij} \sim \partial_t^2 (x^2 \tau_{l,00}) \sim \frac{H^2}{k_{\text{NL}}^2} \tau_{l,00} \sim 10^{-5} \tau_{l,00} \quad \Rightarrow \quad w_{\text{induced}} \sim 10^{-5}$$

with Baumann, Nicolis and Zaldarriaga **JCAP 2012**


Perturbation Theory within the EFT

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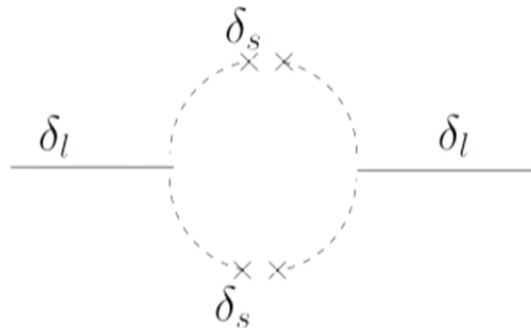
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Perturbation Theory within the EFT

- Since equations are non-linear, we obtain convolution integrals (loops)

$$\delta^{(n)} \sim \int \text{GreenFunction} \times \text{Source}^{(n)} [\delta^{(1)}, \delta^{(2)}, \dots, \delta^{(n-1)}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \delta^{(2)}(k_l) \sim \int d^3 k_s \delta^{(1)}(k_s) \delta^{(1)}(k_l - k_s) , \quad \Rightarrow \quad \langle \delta_l^2 \rangle \sim \int d^3 k_s \langle \delta_s^{(1)2} \rangle^2$$



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Consequences of non-locality in time

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- Perturbative Structure has a decoupled structure

$$\delta\rho(x, t') = D(t')\delta\rho(\vec{x})^{(1)}(t) + D(t')^2\delta\rho(\vec{x})^{(2)}(t) + \dots$$

- A few coefficients for each counterterm:

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- where $c_i(t) = \int dt' K(t, t') D(t')^i$

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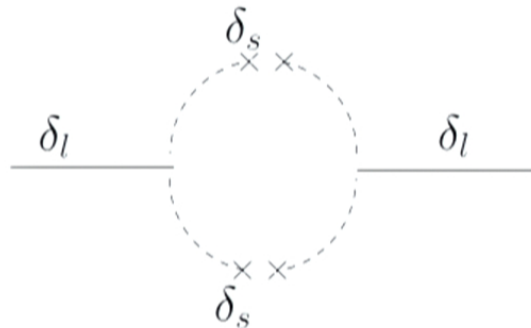
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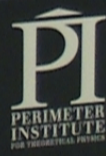
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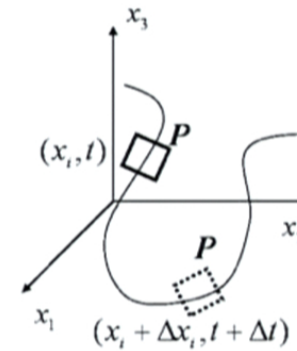
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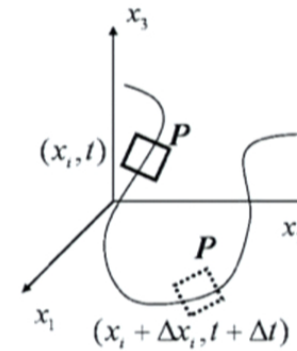
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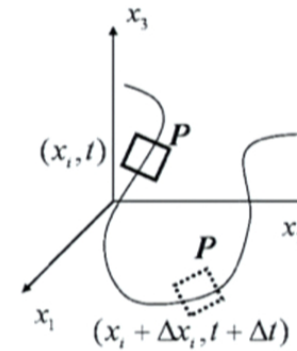
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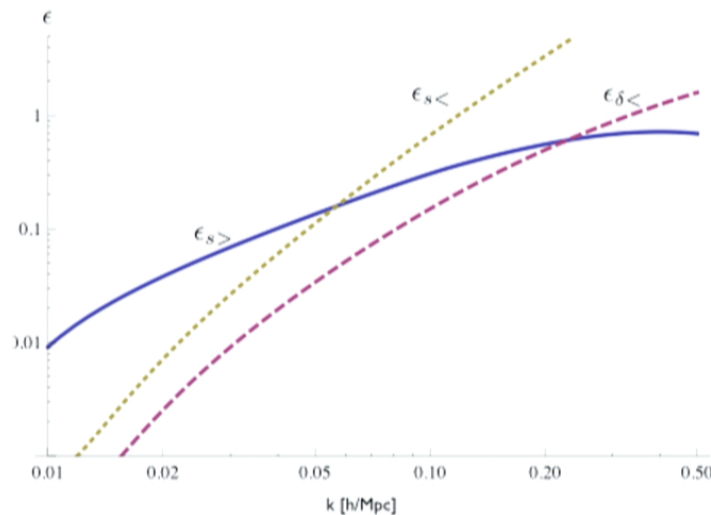
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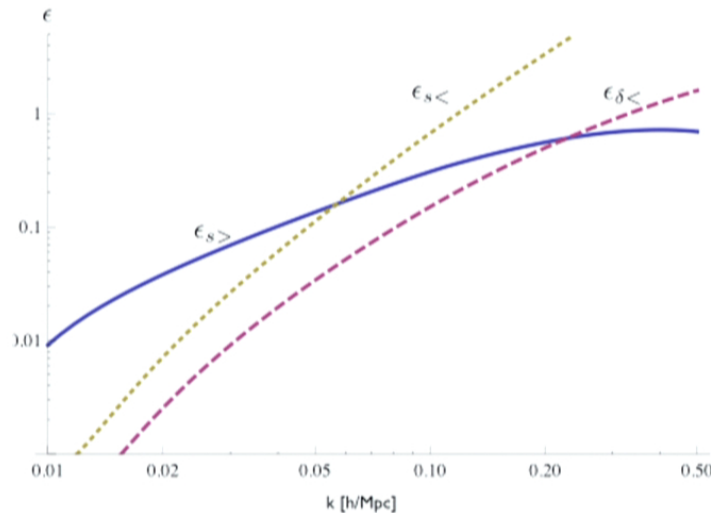
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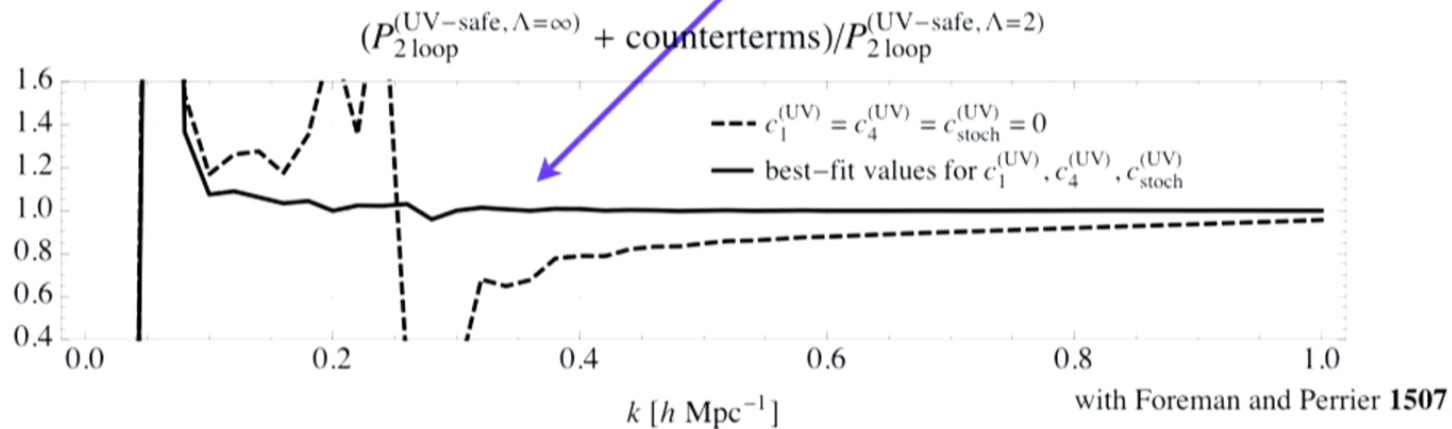
Results for Dark Matter

EFT of Large Scale Structures

- Loop contributions from non-linear modes give non-sense results: we need to correct for them: renormalization (make the calculation UV-insensitive)
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- At 2-loops, consider $\partial^2 \tau_{ij} \sim c_1 k^2 [\delta^2](k) + c_4 k^4 \delta(k)$



Estimate size of counterterms
by requiring cutoff independent result



- \Rightarrow At two-loops, with precise data, 3 counterterms are needed, and we estimate size
- The fact that this works is another proof that the EFTofLSS is correct

EFT of Large Scale Structures

with Foreman and Perrier 1507

- At 2-loops, we need speed of sound & quadratic & higher-derivative counterterm:

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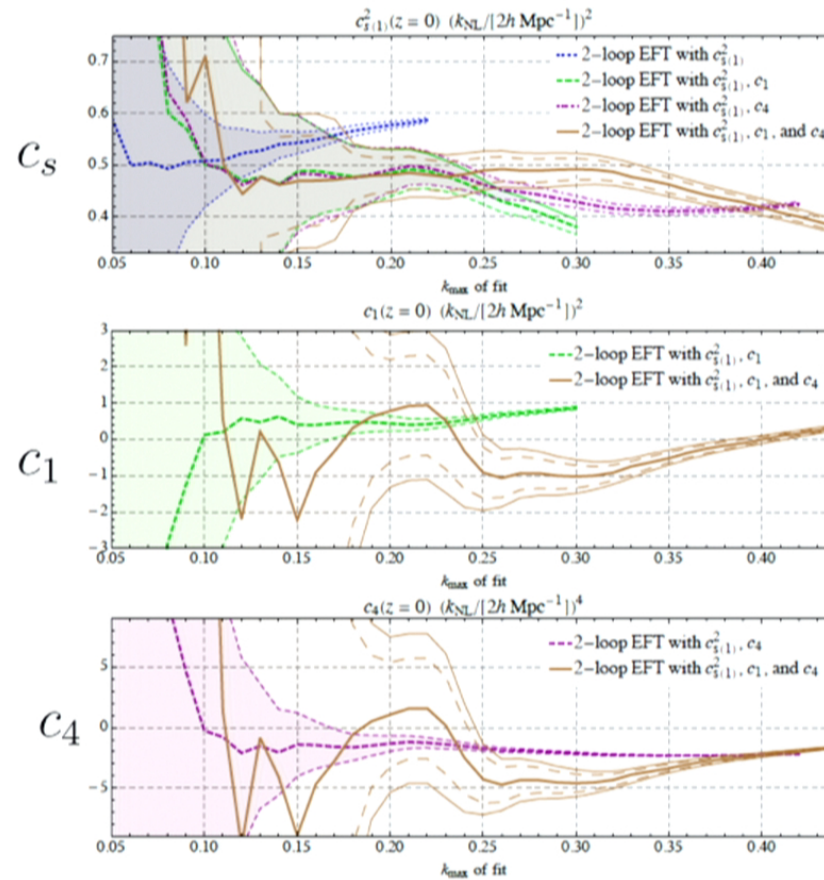
- How to choose for them?
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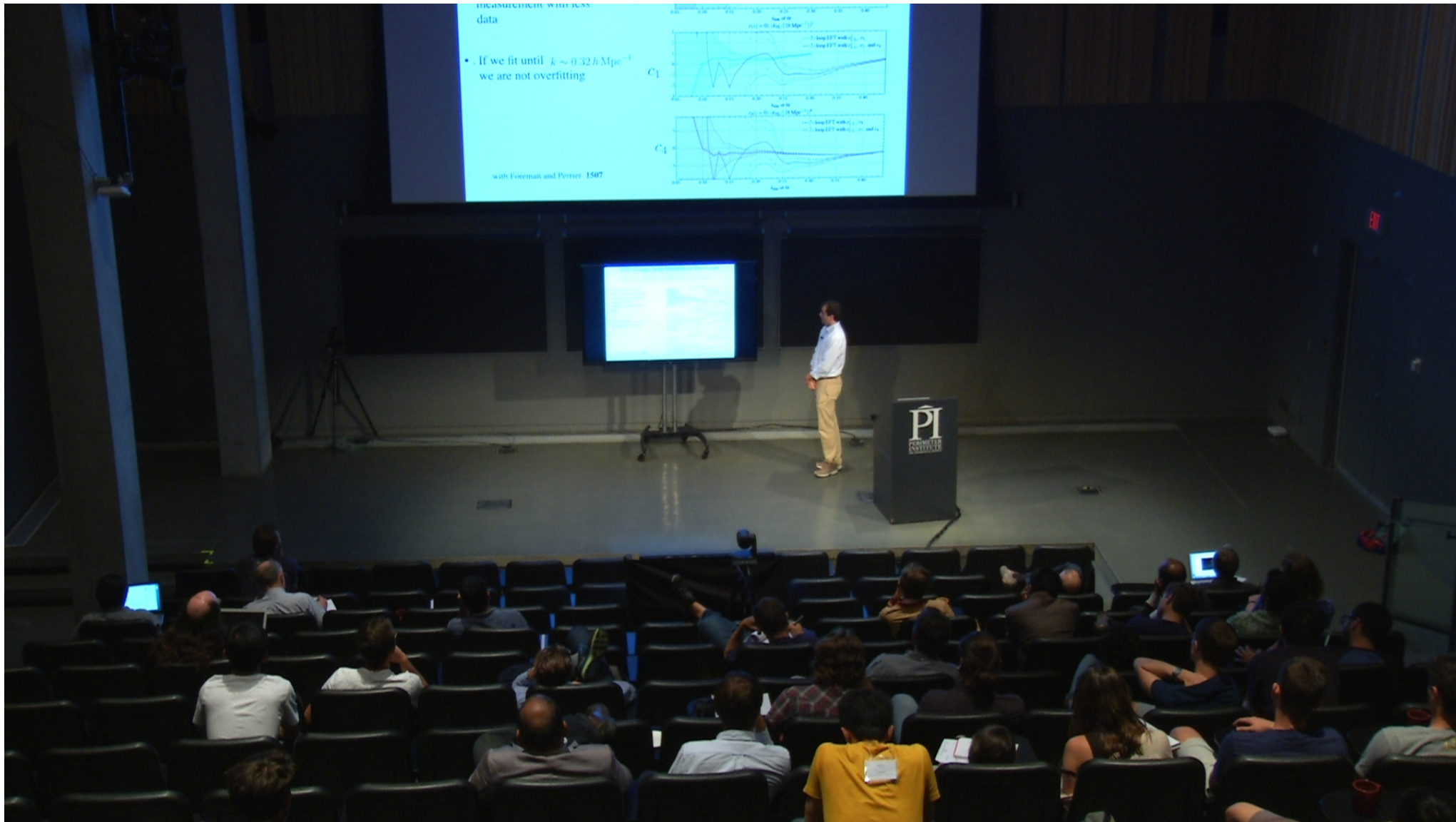
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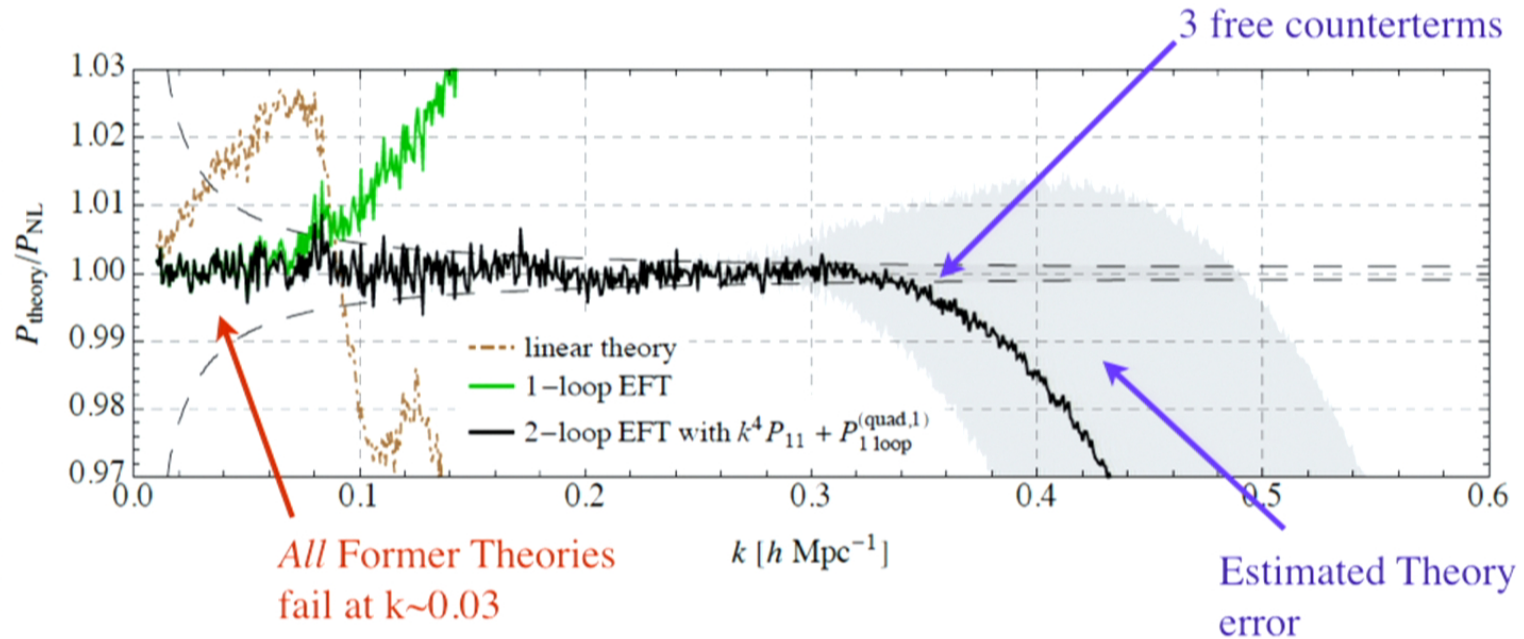
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- k-reach pushed to $k \sim 0.34 h \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$, cosmic variance $\sim 10^{-3}$

- Order by order improvement $\left(\frac{k}{k_{\text{NL}}}\right)^L$

- Huge gain wrt former theories

- Theory error estimated

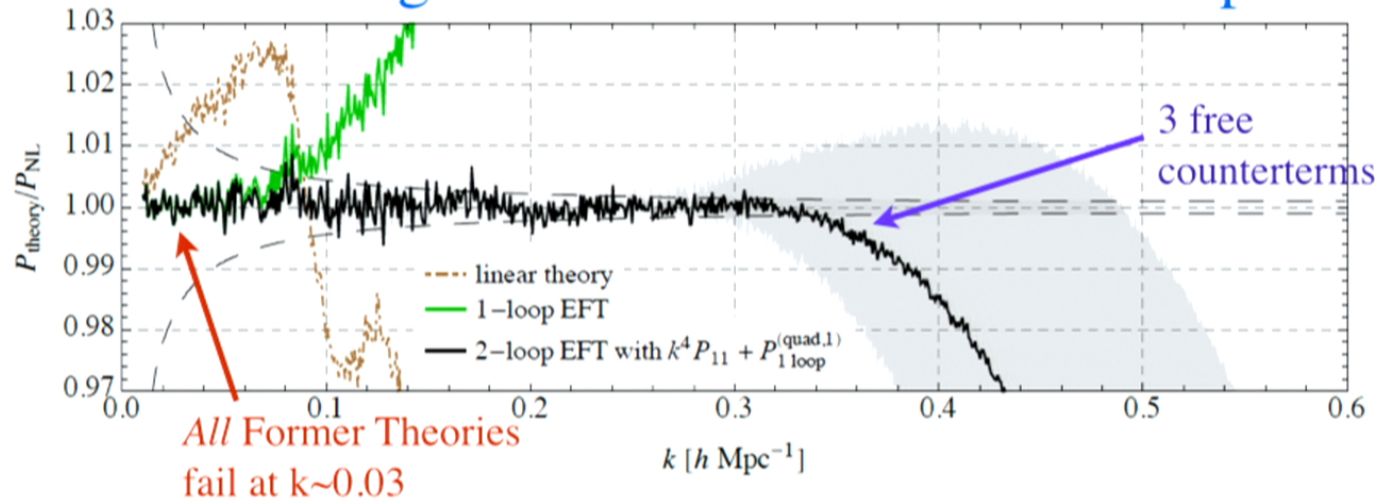
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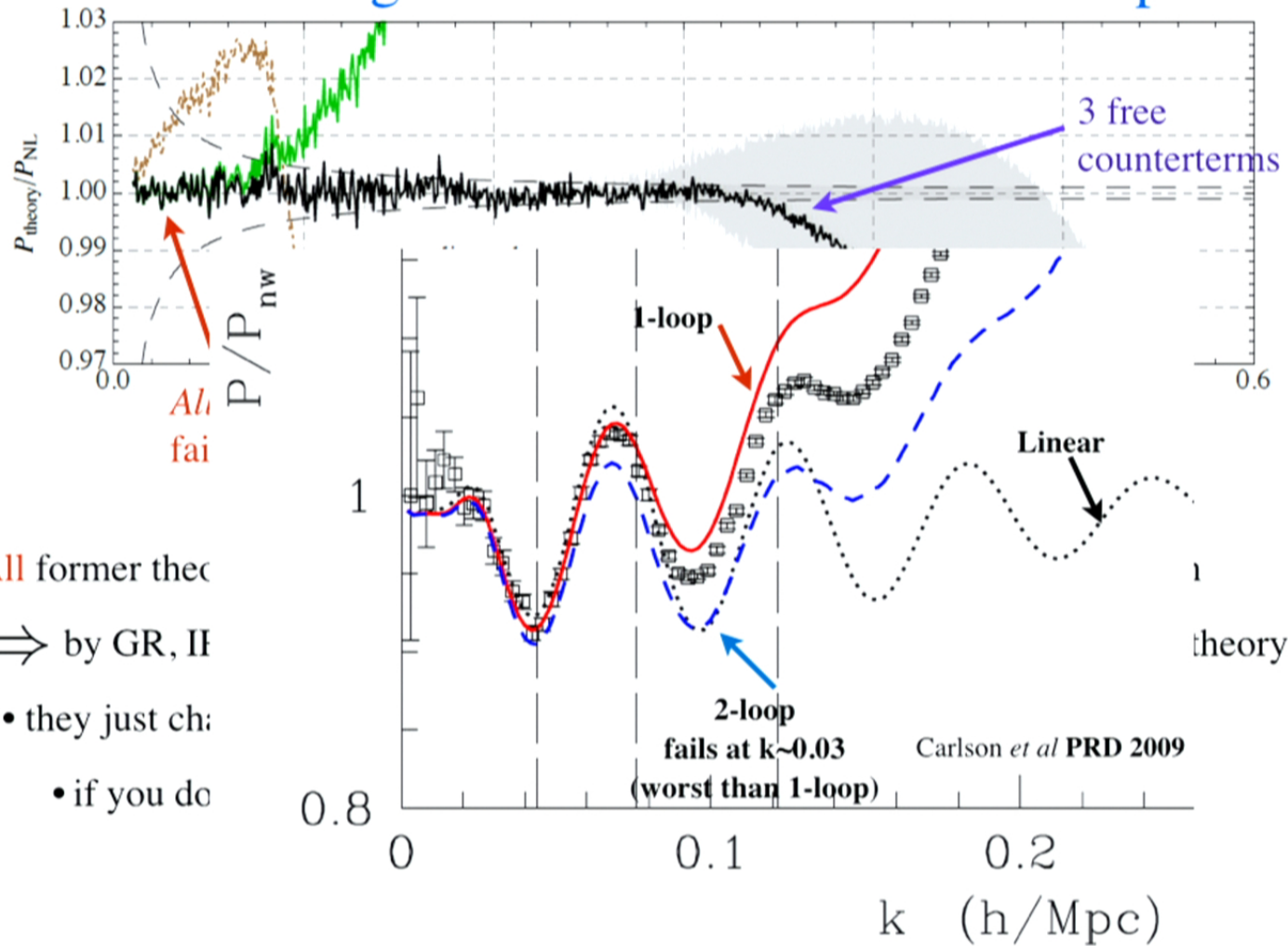
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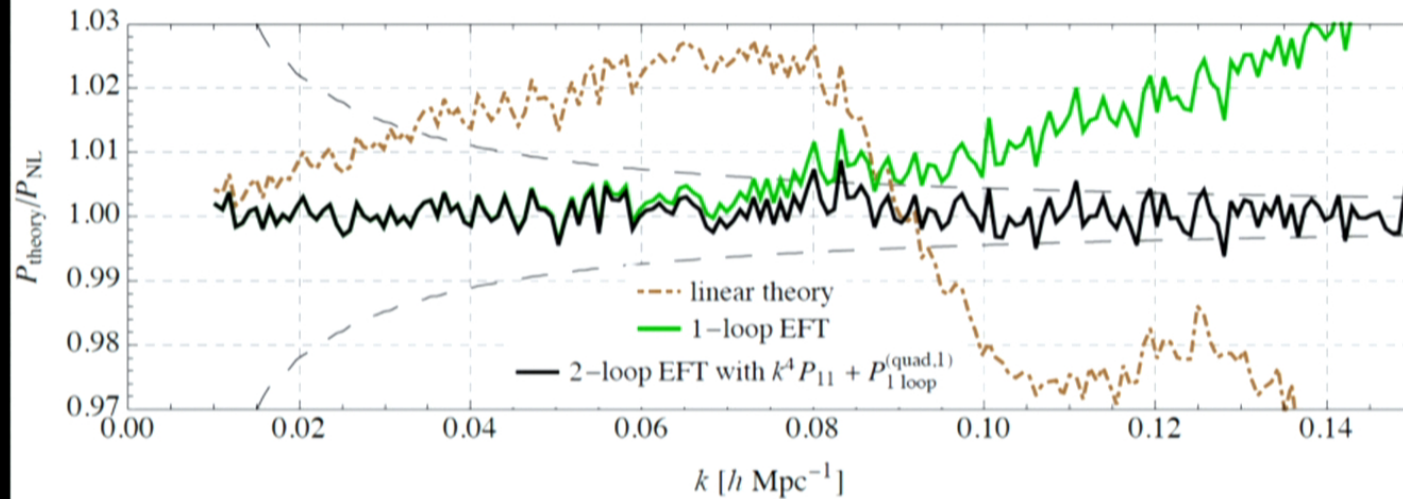
- All former theories, RPT, LPT,.... differ from SPT just by the IR-resummation
- \Rightarrow by GR, IR-modes cancel in $P(k)$, so cannot change broad k-reach of the theory
 - they just change the BAO, which are 2% oscillations in k-space
 - if you doubt this, please ask me questions

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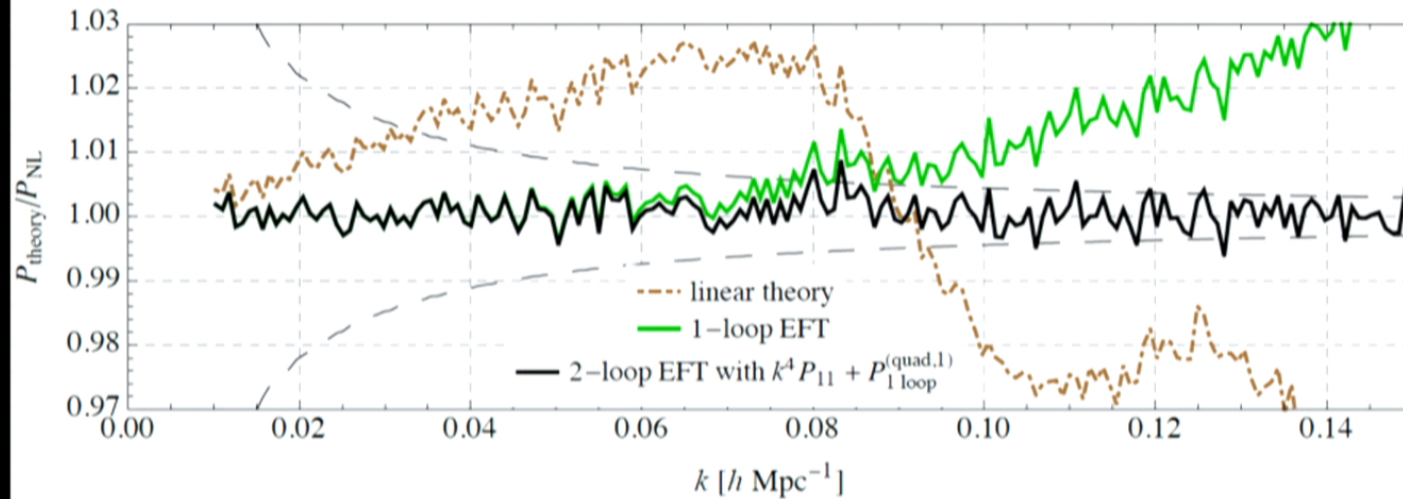
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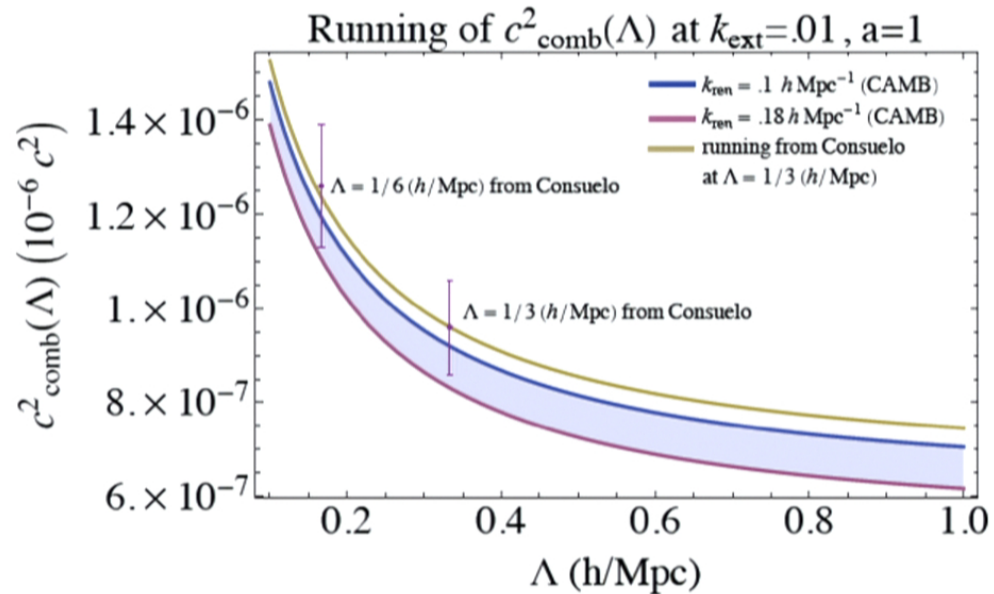
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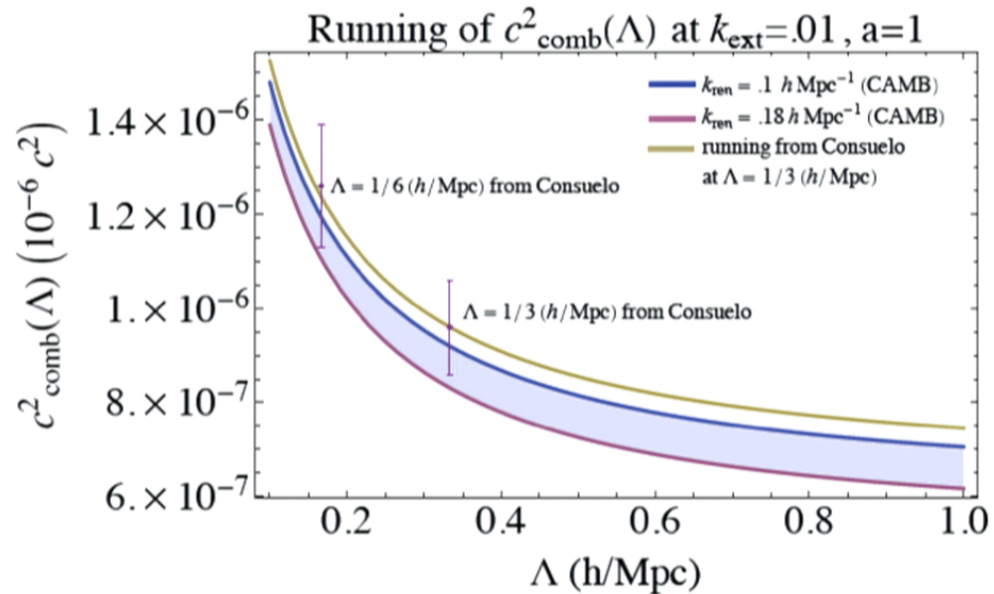
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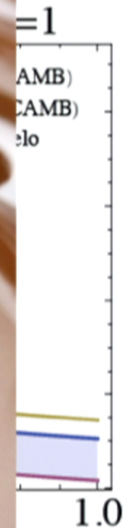
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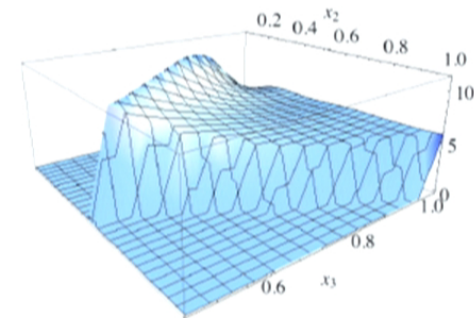
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- Since this is a theory and not a model
 - prediction for other observables from same parameters

– 3point function

- very non-trivial function of three variables!

with Angulo, Foreman and Schmittful **1406**
see also Baldauf et al. **1406**



– Momentum

- They all work as they should

with Carrasco, Foreman and Green **JCAP 1407**
Baldauf, Mercolli and Zaldarriaga **1507**

– Vorticity Spectrum

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- agrees with most accurate measurements in simulations

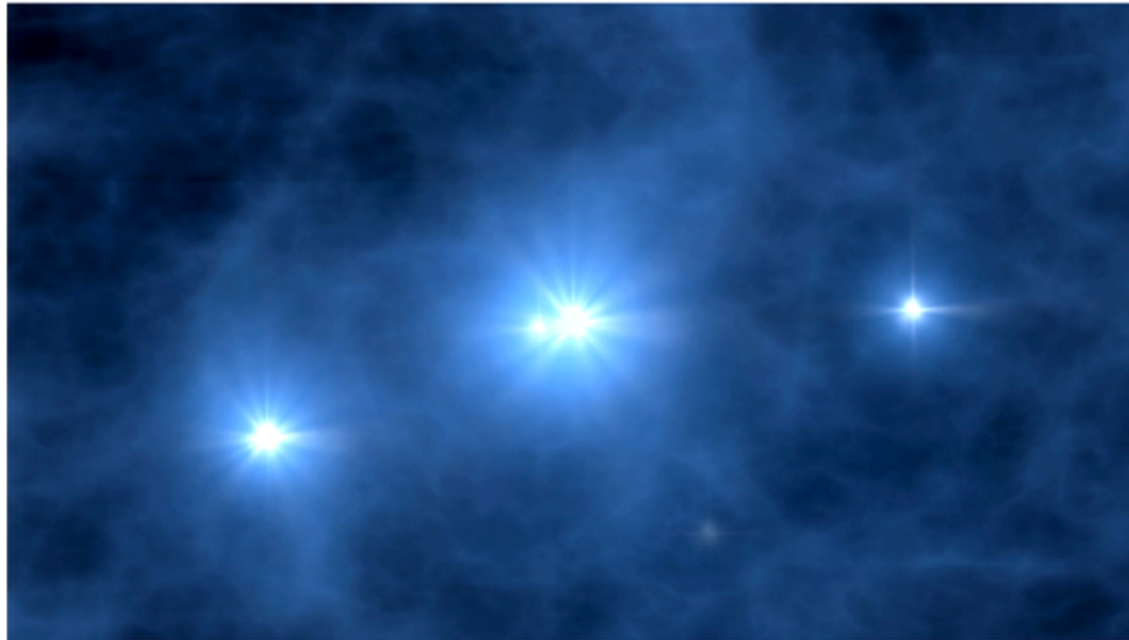
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Analytic Prediction of Baryon Effects

with Lewandowski and Perko **JCAP1502**

Baryonic effects

- When stars explode, baryons behave differently than dark matter



- They cannot be reliably simulated due to large range of scales

Baryons

- Main idea for EFT for dark matter:
 - since in history of universe Dark Matter moves about $1/k_{\text{NL}} \sim 10 \text{ Mpc}$
 - \Rightarrow it is an effective fluid-like system with mean free path $\sim 1/k_{\text{NL}}$
- Baryons heat due to star formation, but they do not move much:
 - indeed, from observations in clusters, we know that they move $1/k_{\text{NL}(B)} \sim 1/k_{\text{NL}} \sim 10 \text{ Mpc}$
 - \Rightarrow it is an effective fluid with similar mean free path
 - Universe with CDM+Baryons \Rightarrow EFTofLSS with 2 species

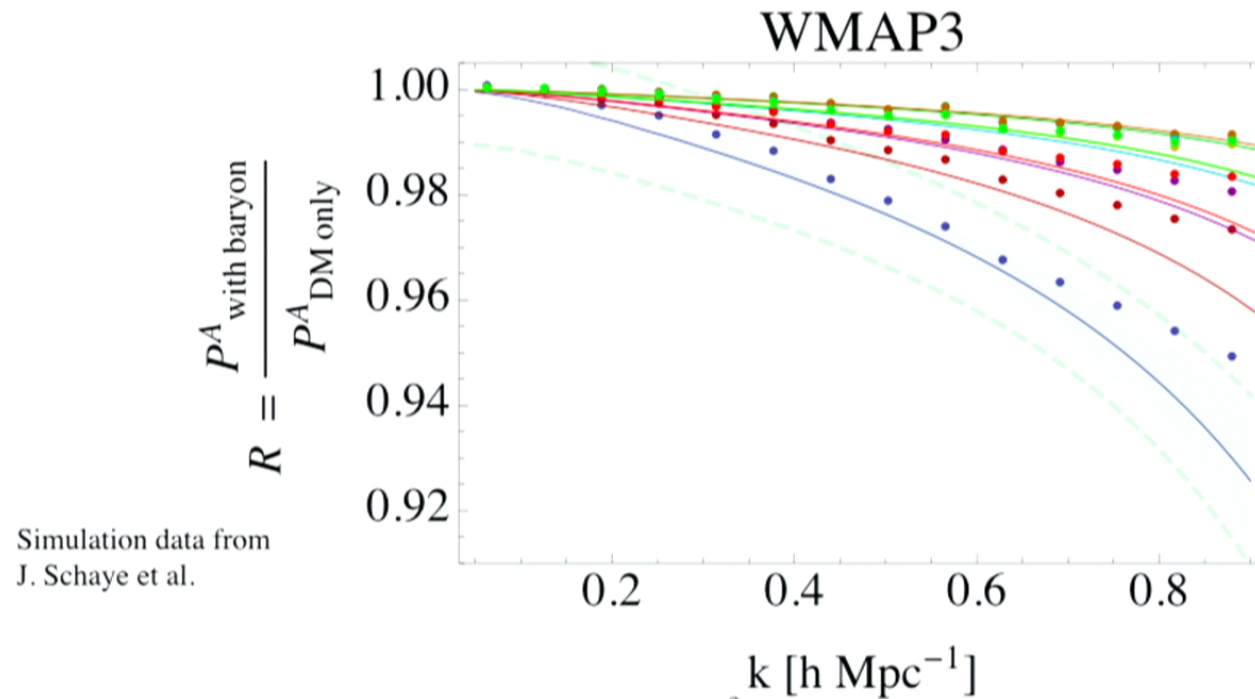
- The effective force on baryons: expand force in long-wavelength fields:

$$\partial^2 \tau_b + \partial \gamma_b \sim c_s^2 \partial^2 \delta_l + c_\star \partial^2 \delta_l + \dots$$

gravity-induced pressure

star formation-induced pressure

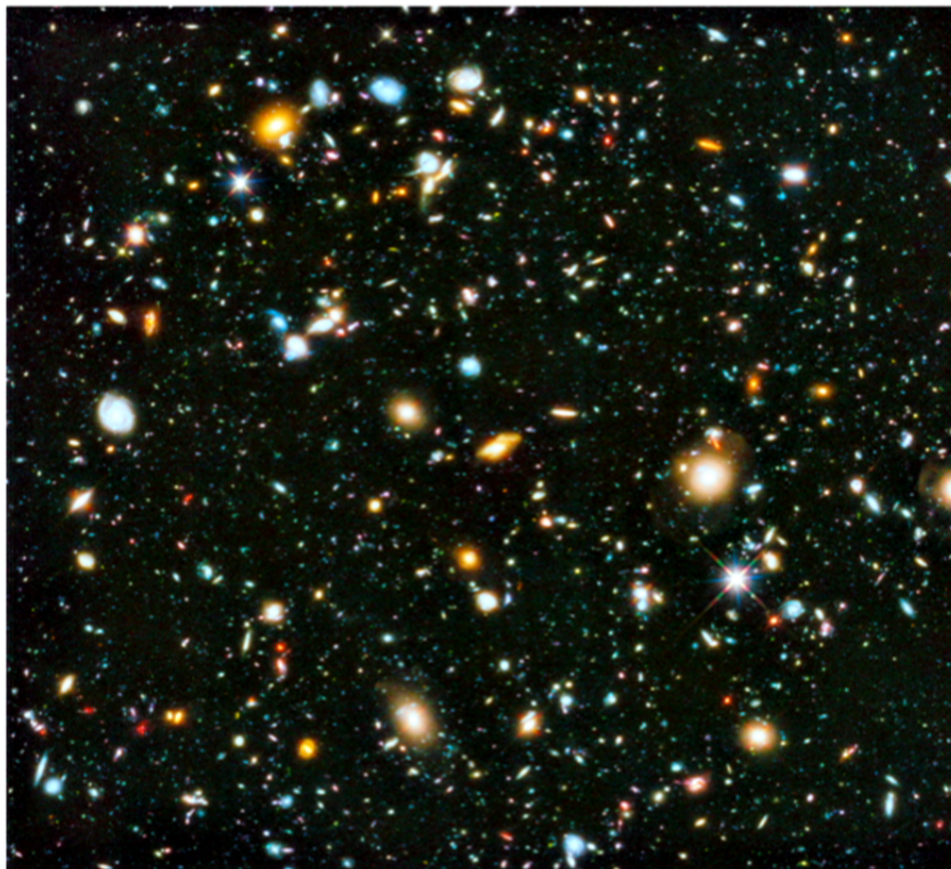
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– Analytic form of effect known: $\Delta P_b(k) \simeq c_\star^2 \left(\frac{k}{k_{\text{NL}}} \right)^2 P_{11}^A(k)$

– and it seems to work as expected

Galaxies Power and Bispectrum



Galaxies in the EFTofLSS

- Similar considerations apply to biased tracers:
 - Galaxy density depends on all long fields evaluated on past history on past path

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Senatore **1406**

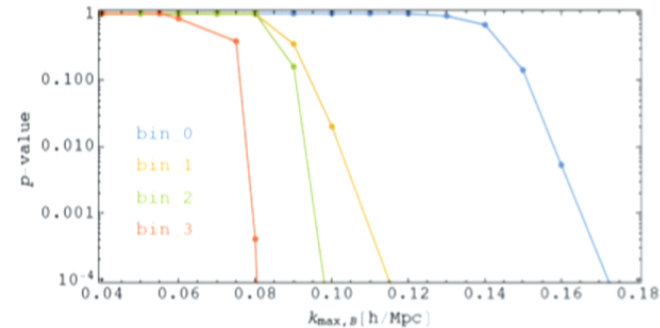
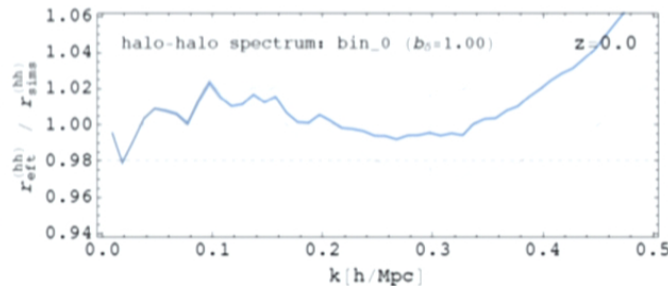
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- all terms allowed by symmetries
 - this generalizes and completes McDonald and Roy **0902**
 - this correctly parametrizes **assembly** bias
- Obtain only 7 parameters for
 - at 1-loop power spectrum
 - tree level bispectrum
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with Angulo, Fasiello, Vlah **1503**

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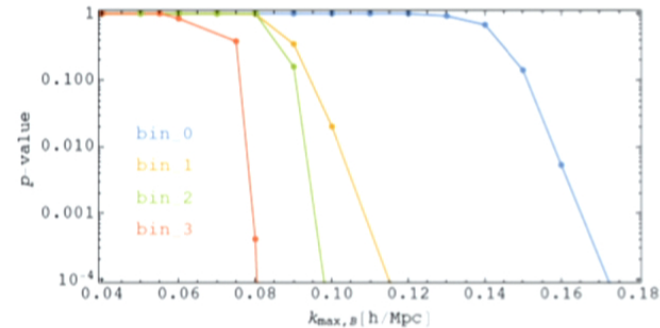
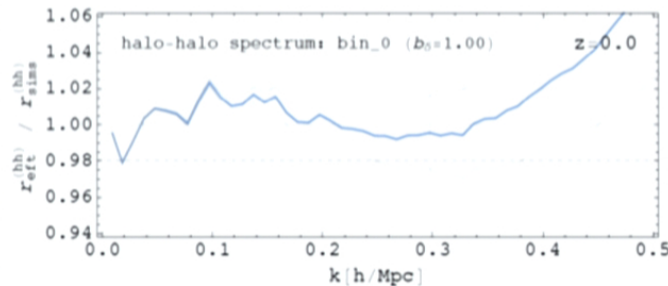
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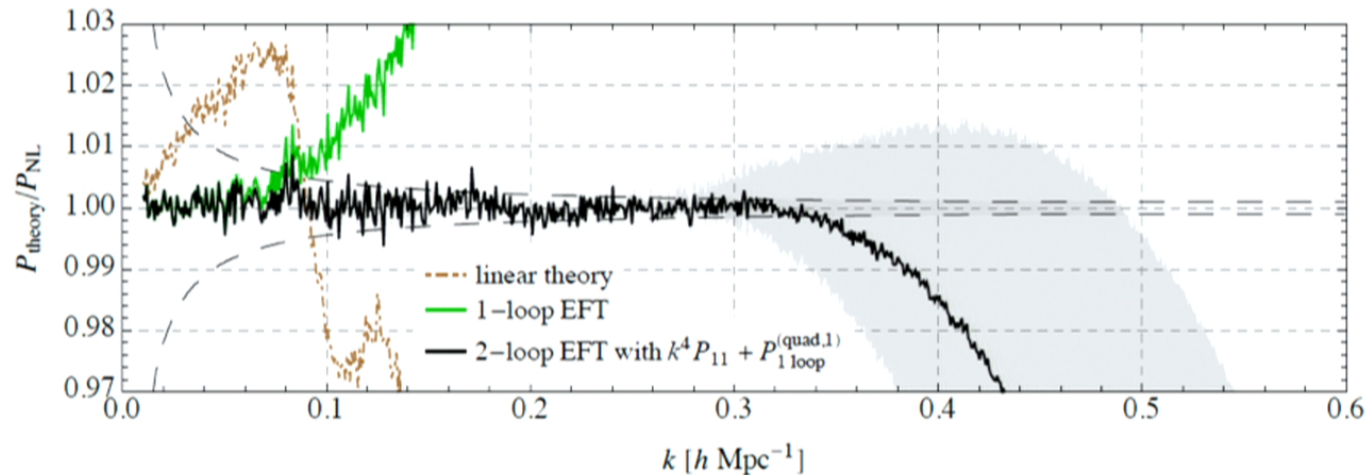
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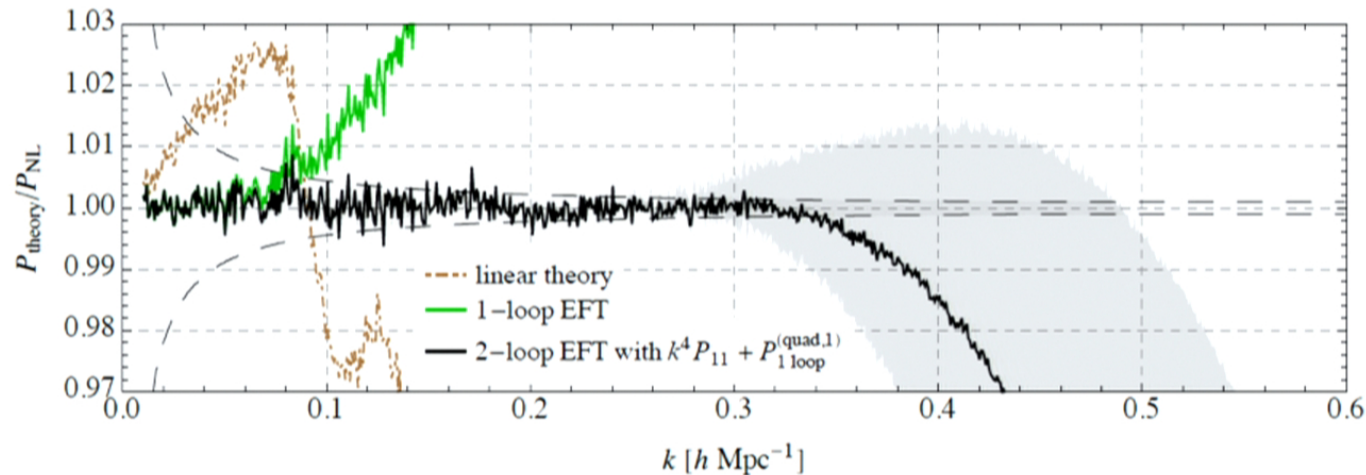
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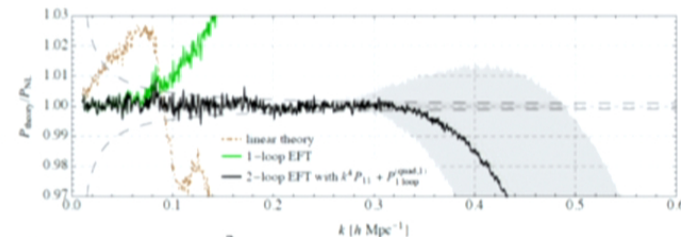
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Conclusions

- The EFTofLSS: a novel and powerful way to analytically describe Large Scale Structures
 - It describes something true, the real universe: many application for astrophysics
 - It uses novel techniques that come from particle physics
 - Loops, divergencies, counterterms, renormalization & non-ren., IR divergencies
 - Measurements in Simulations (lattice) and lattice-running
- Many calculations and verifications to do
- Huge opportunity for complementarity with simulations
 - Maybe do simulations focused to convey the EFT parameters?!
- If success continues, revolution in our expectations for next generation experiments
 - on primordial cosmology

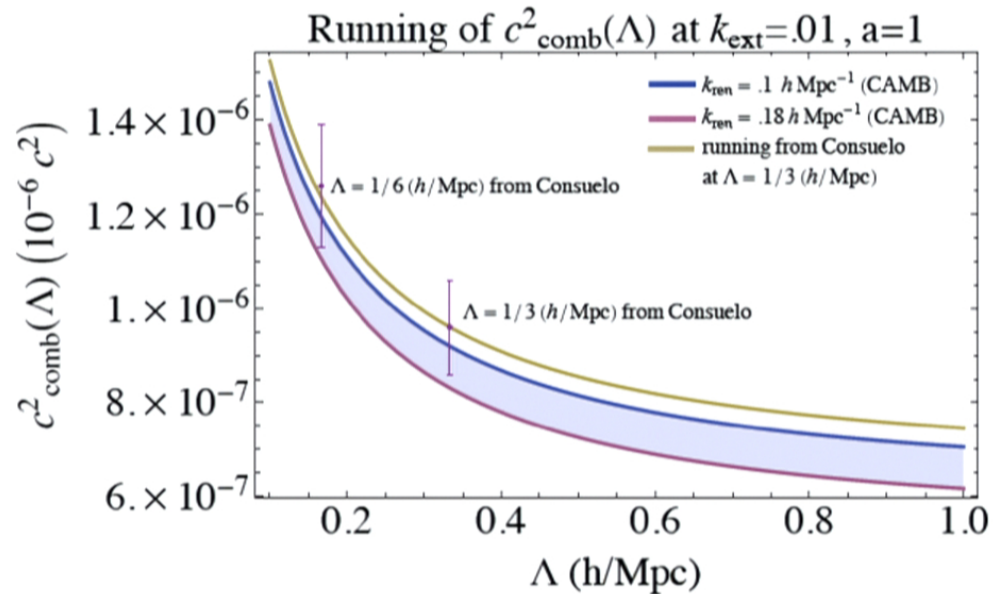


$$S_\pi = \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \left[M_{\text{Pl}}^2 \dot{H} (\dot{\pi}^2 - (\partial_i \pi)^2) + M_2^4 (\dot{\pi}^2 + \dot{\pi}^3 - \dot{\pi} (\partial_i \pi)^2) - M_3^4 \dot{\pi}^3 + \dots \right]$$

Measuring parameters from N-body sims.

- The EFT parameters can be measured from **small** N-body simulations, using UV theory
– similar to what happens in QCD: lattice sims
- We measure c_s using the dark matter particles:

$$\tau_{ij} \sim \sum_i m_i (v_i^2 + \phi_i)$$



- Lattice running
- Agreement with fitting from Power Spectrum directly

$$\frac{d c_s}{d \Lambda} = \frac{d}{d \Lambda} \int^{\Lambda} d^3 k P_{13}(k)$$

with Carrasco and Hertzberg **JHEP 2012**
see also McQuinn and White **1502**