

Title: Astrophysical and Cosmological consequences of recent and future kSZ measurements

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Abstract: <p>The kinetic Sunyaev-Zel'dovich effect is a direct probe of the distribution and velocity of electrons on cosmological scales. Recent progress in Cosmic Microwave Background observations allow statistical detections of this subtle effect originating from a number of different tracers populations. In my talk, I will review the observational status, highlight the consequences for astrophysics and cosmology and discuss future directions.</p>



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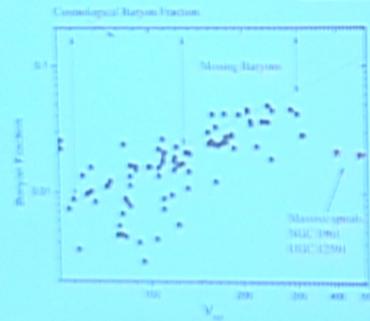
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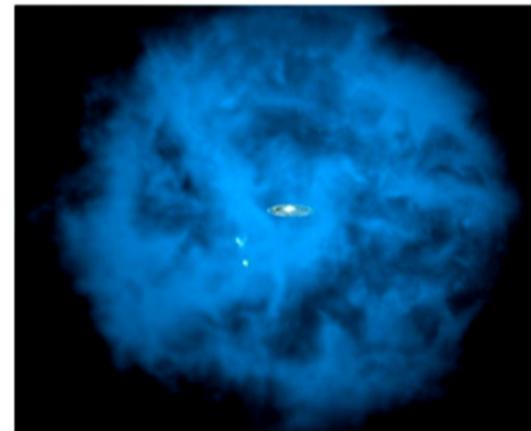
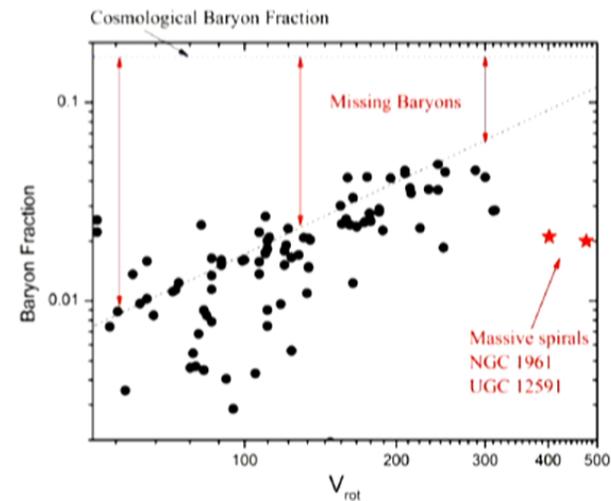
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# Cosmic velocities

■ Peculiar velocity  $\mathbf{v} = \frac{d\mathbf{x}}{d\eta} = \frac{d\mathbf{r}}{dt} - H(t)\mathbf{r}$

- Related to density (continuity eq):

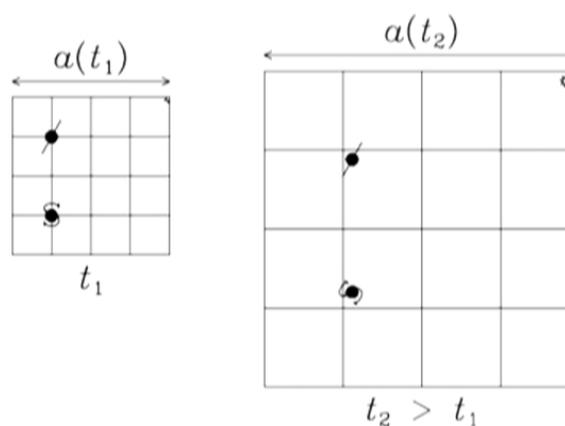
$$\dot{\delta} + \nabla \cdot [(1 + \delta)\mathbf{v}] = 0$$

- In linear theory:

$$\mathbf{v} \approx \frac{i\mathbf{k}}{k^2} \dot{\delta} = aH f_g \frac{i\mathbf{k}}{k^2} \delta$$

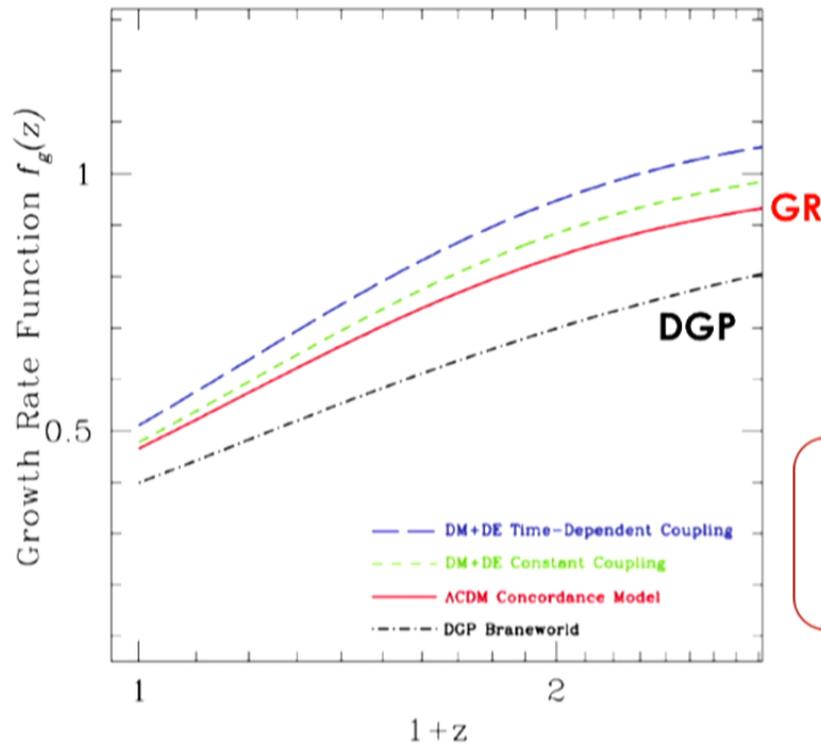
**Growth rate**  $f_g = \frac{d \ln \delta}{d \ln a} \approx [\Omega_m(z)]^\gamma$

$\gamma \approx 0.55$  in GR  
Linder (2005)



# Growth factor as a probe of GR

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$$\mathbf{v} \approx aH f_g \frac{i\mathbf{k}}{k^2} \delta$$

$$f_g = \frac{d \ln \delta}{d \ln a}$$

Growth factor:

- sensitive probe of gravity
- Cosmological information

Guzzo et al (2005)

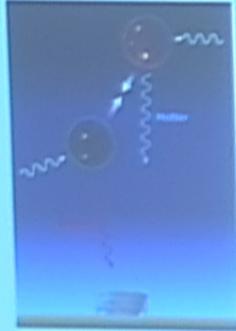
DGP: Lue et al (2004); DM+DE models: Di Porto et al (2007)

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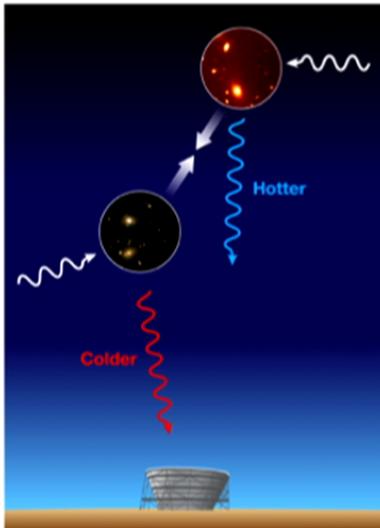
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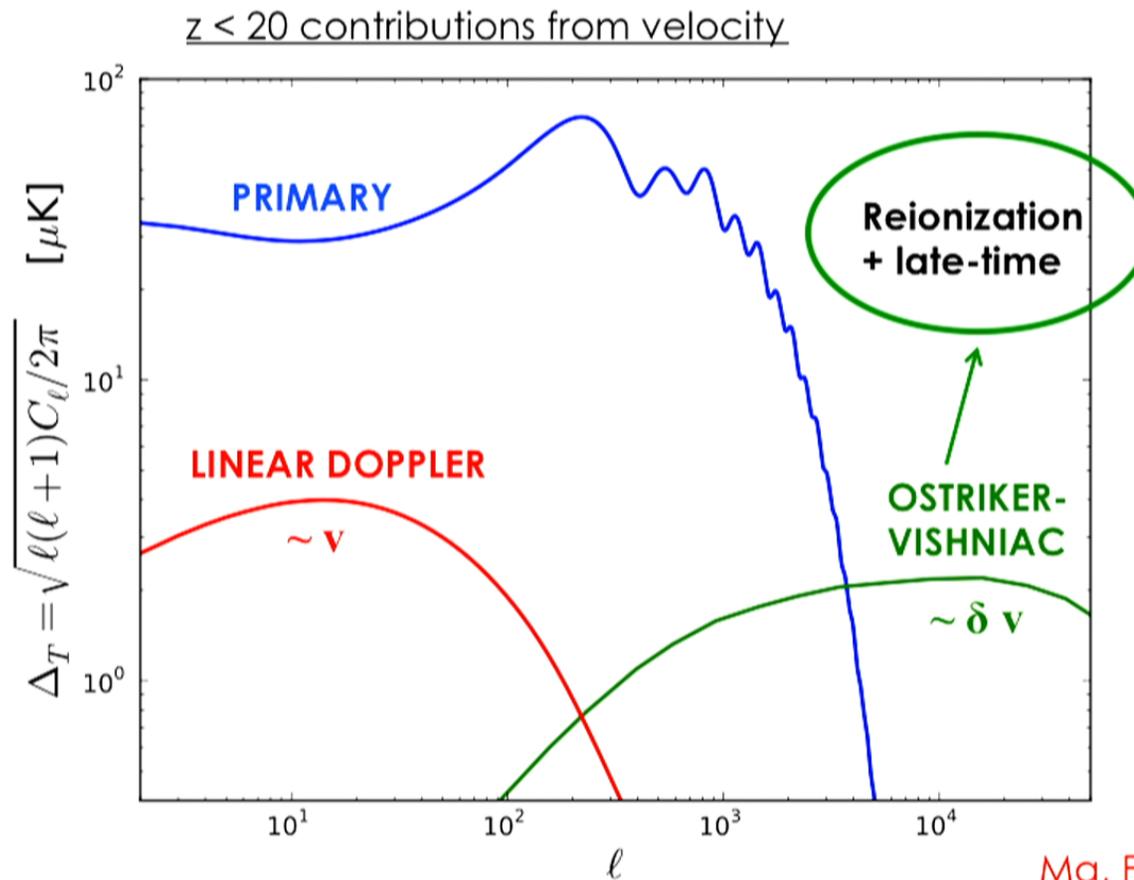
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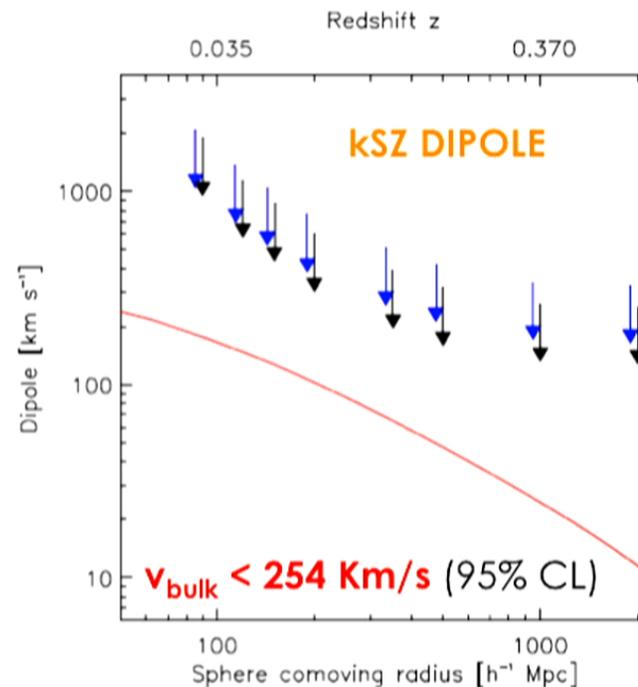
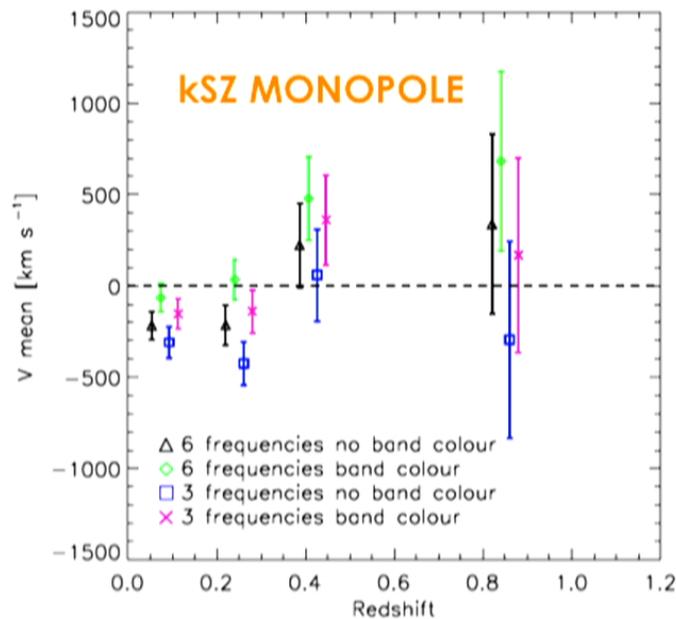


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Ma, Fry (2002)  
Hu, White (1996)

# Planck Intermediate Results XIII: Constraints on bulk flows and inhomogeneous universes

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Measure  $v_r = 72 \pm 60 \text{ Km/s}$

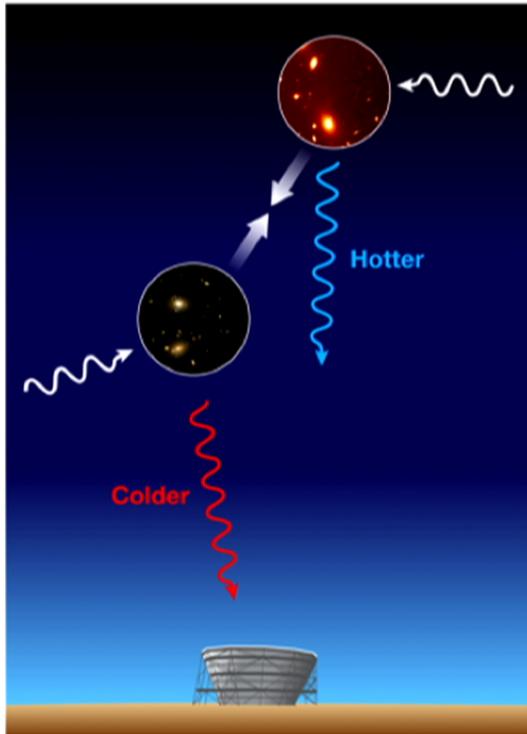
Need  $v_r \sim 10^4 \text{ Km/s}$  for void models

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# The first detection: galaxy pairs

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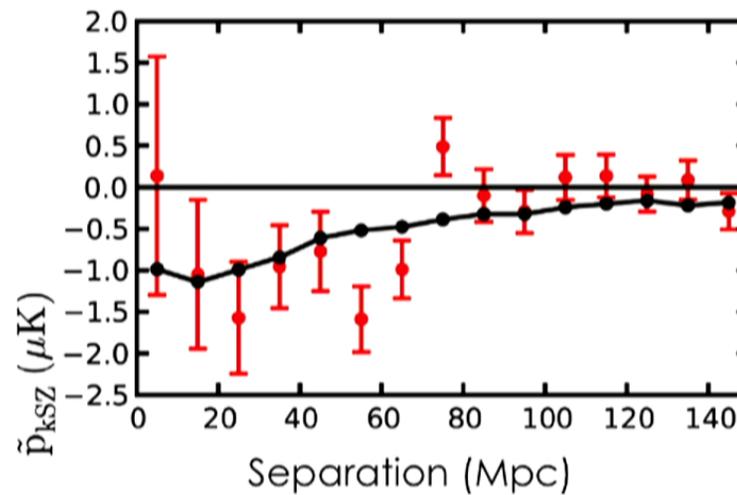


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$$p_{\text{pair}}(r) \equiv \langle (\mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{p}_j) \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij} \rangle$$

$$\tilde{p}_{\text{pair}}(r) = \frac{\sum_{i < j} (\mathbf{p}_i \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_i - \mathbf{p}_j \cdot \hat{\mathbf{r}}_j) c_{ij}}{\sum_{i < j} c_{ij}^2}$$

$$c_{ij} \equiv \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ij} \cdot \frac{\hat{\mathbf{r}}_i + \hat{\mathbf{r}}_j}{2}$$



Hand et al (2012)

# Direct detection – velocity reconstruction

$$T_{\text{CMB}} = T_{\text{primary}} + T_{\text{kSZ}} + T_{\text{noise}} + \dots$$

$$\langle T_{\text{CMB}} \delta_{\text{tr}} \rangle \approx 0 \quad \text{because of} \quad v_r \rightarrow -v_r$$

Cubic estimator

$$\mathcal{E} \sim \langle \delta_e \overset{\circ}{v_{\text{rec}}} T \rangle$$

$\sim \frac{k_z}{k^2} \delta$       and/or       $\frac{T}{\tau}$       Pairwise sum

Ho et al (2008)  
 Shao et al (2011)  
 SF, Smith (in prep)

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# Spectroscopic z regime

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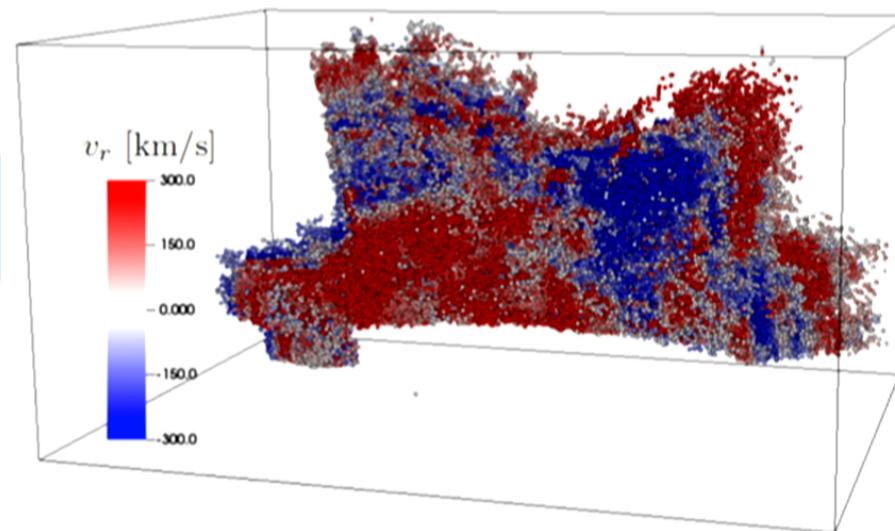
'Reconstruct'  $\mathbf{v} \approx aH f_g \frac{i\mathbf{k}}{k^2} \delta$

Build a noisy kSZ template  $\hat{T}_{\text{kSZ}} \sim \int d\eta (1 + \delta) \mathbf{v}_{\text{rec}} \cdot \hat{n}$

Compute  $\langle \underline{T}_{\text{CMB}} \hat{T}_{\text{kSZ}} \rangle$

BONUS:

Foreground contamination highly suppressed!

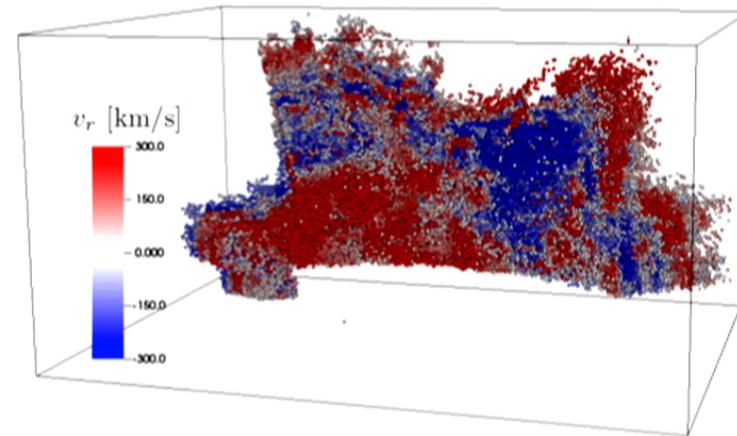
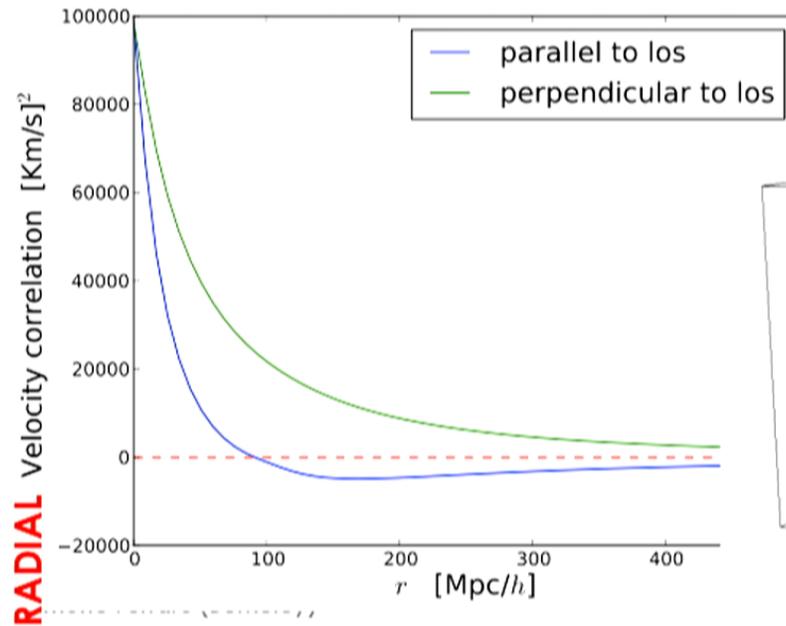


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$$\langle v_{\hat{n}}(0)v_{\hat{n}}(\mathbf{r}) \rangle = \psi_0(r) + \psi_2(r) \left( \frac{3}{2}(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{r})^2 - \frac{1}{2} \right)$$



# Correlation coefficient

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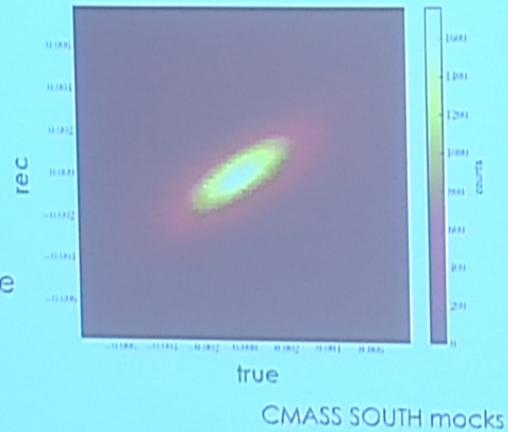
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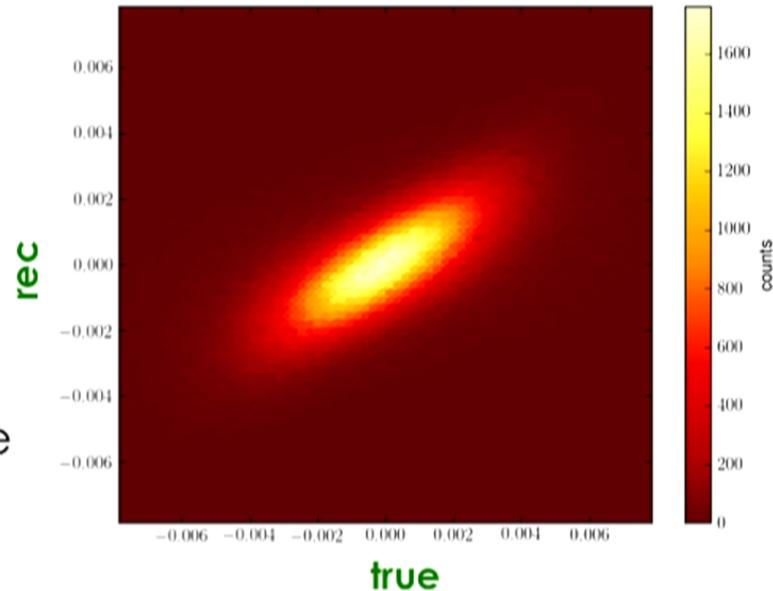
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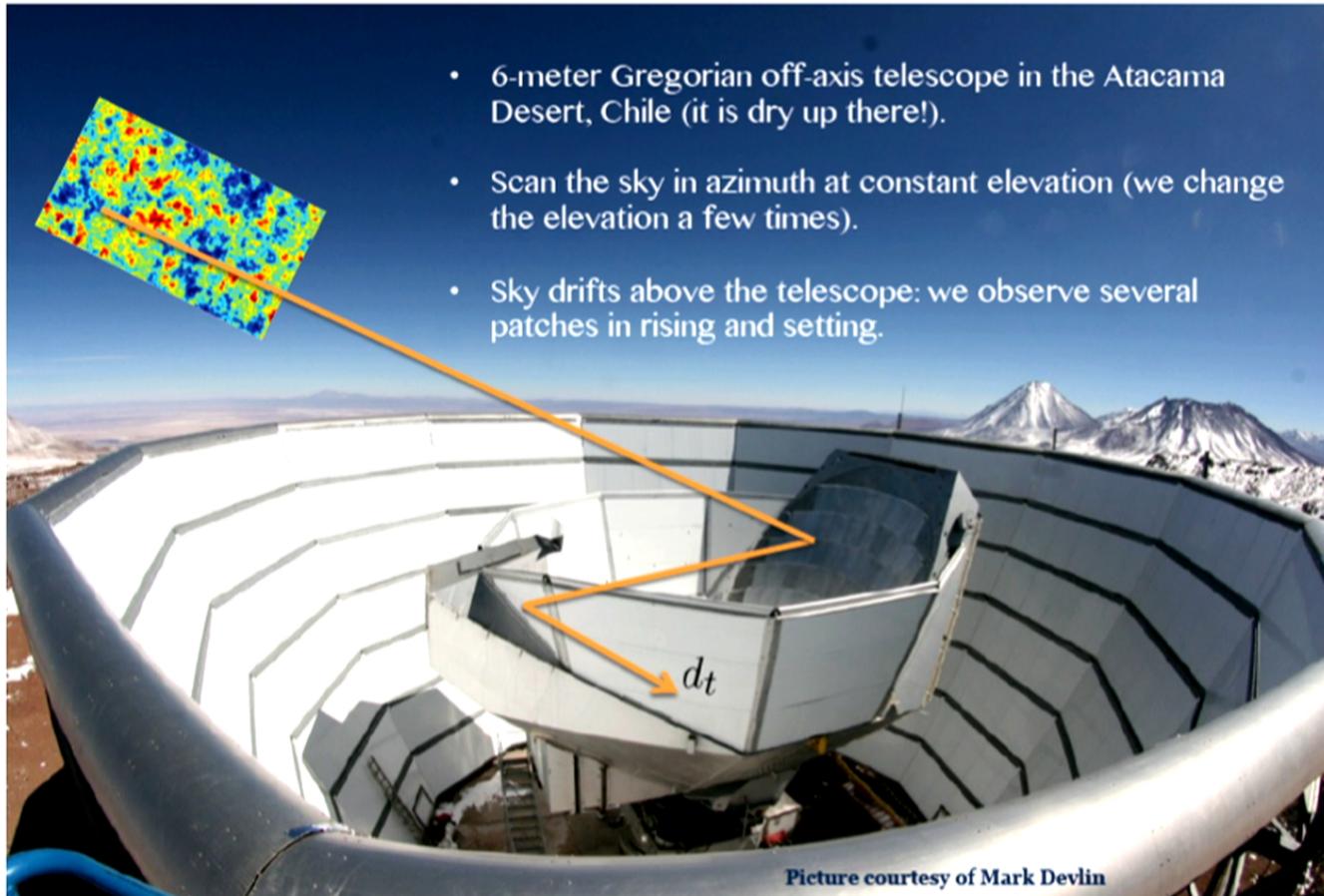
# Forecasts for 'Optimal' analysis

- Planck + 24000 clusters: S/N  $\sim 7.7$  on SDSS footprint (Li et al, 2014)
- ACTPol/SPTPol + BOSS Galaxies: S/N  $\sim 6$  for a 500 sq deg patch (about 30000 galaxies)
- ACTPol + MaxBCG: S/N  $\sim 5$  on every 500 sq deg patch
- Dependent on assumption about gas profile/distribution

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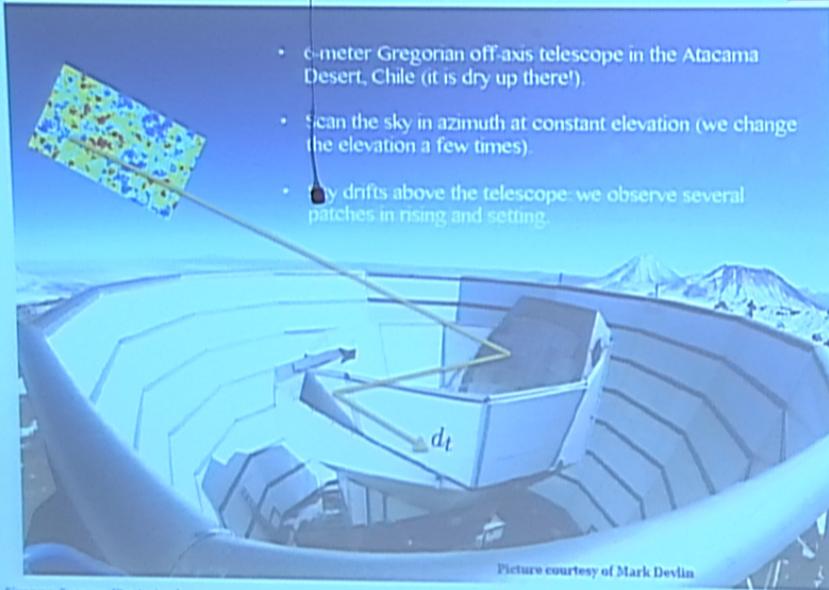
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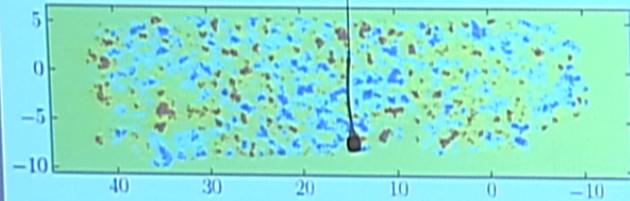


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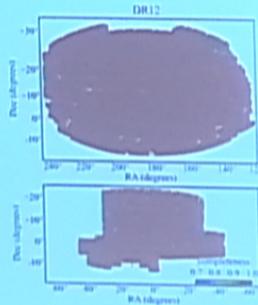
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# Example: ACTPol + CMASS

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Season 1+2 @  
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660 sq deg  
14  $\mu$  K-arcmin noise  
1.4 arcmin beam



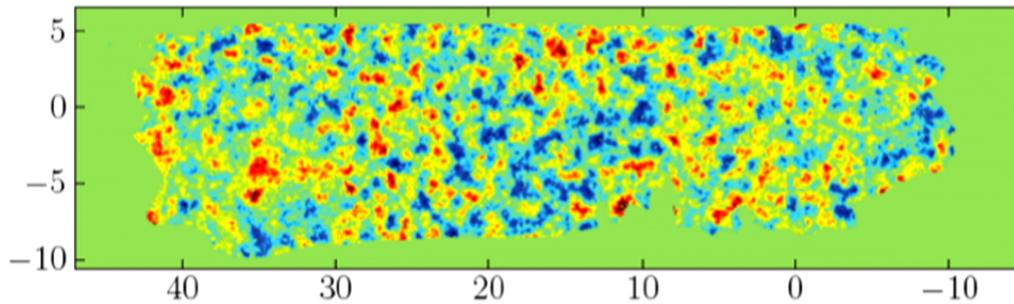
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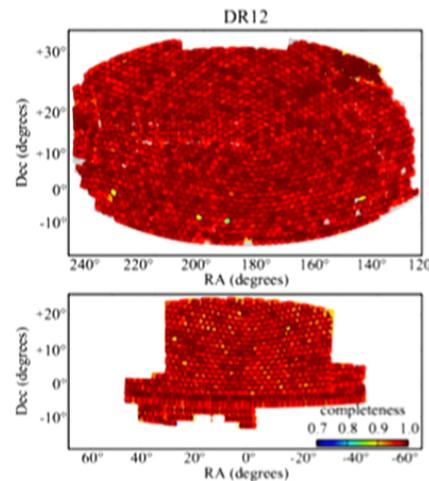
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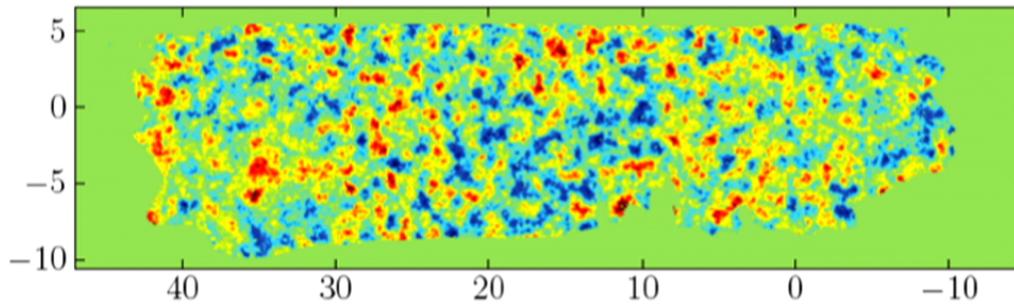
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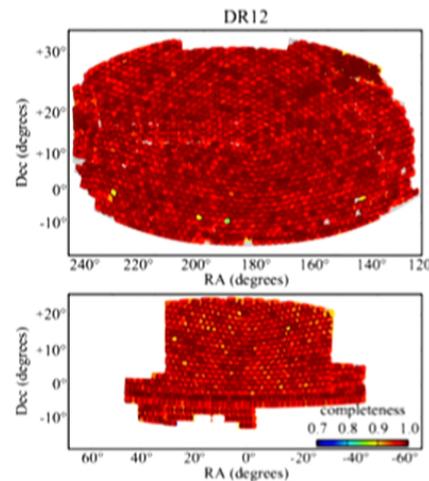
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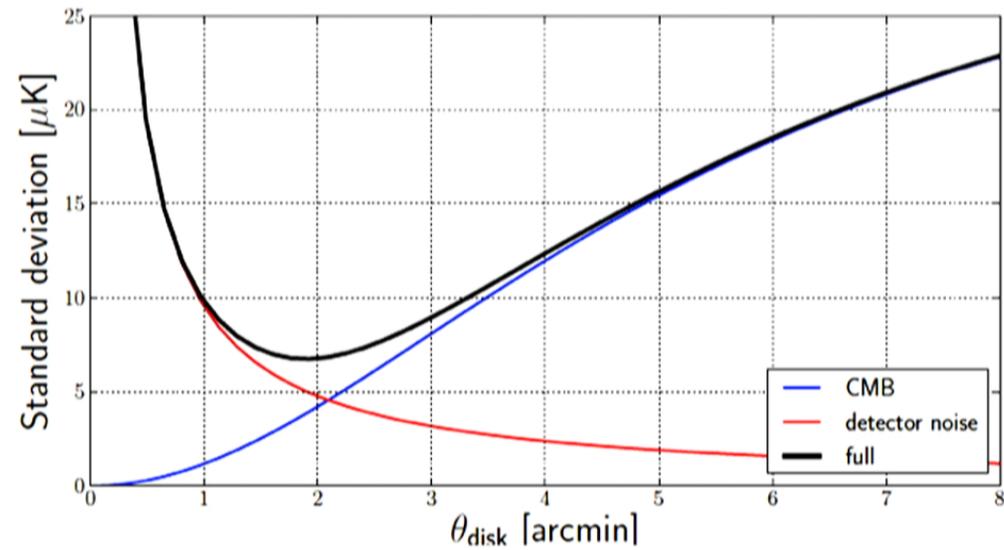
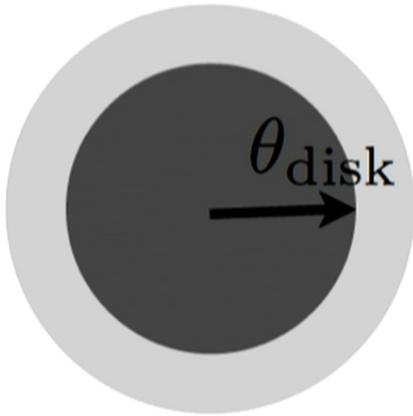
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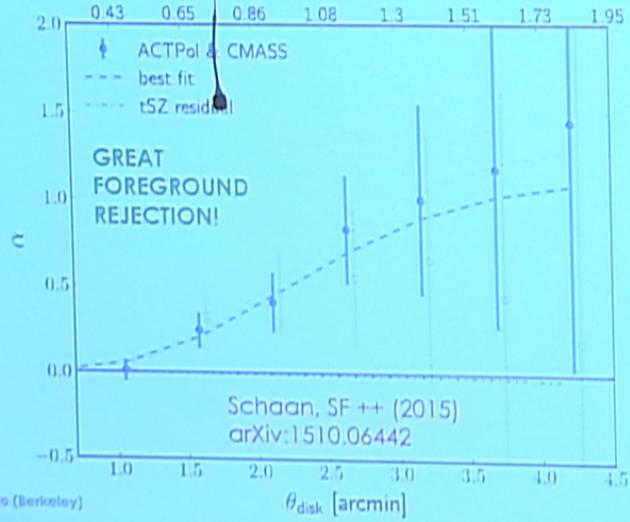
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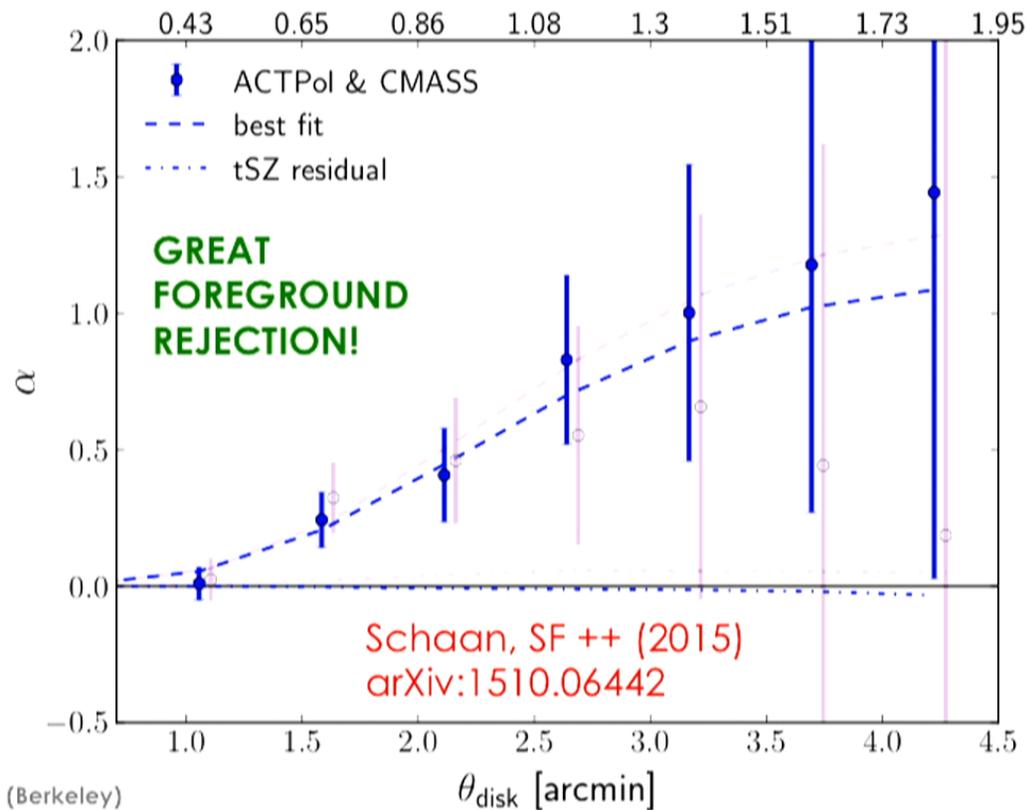
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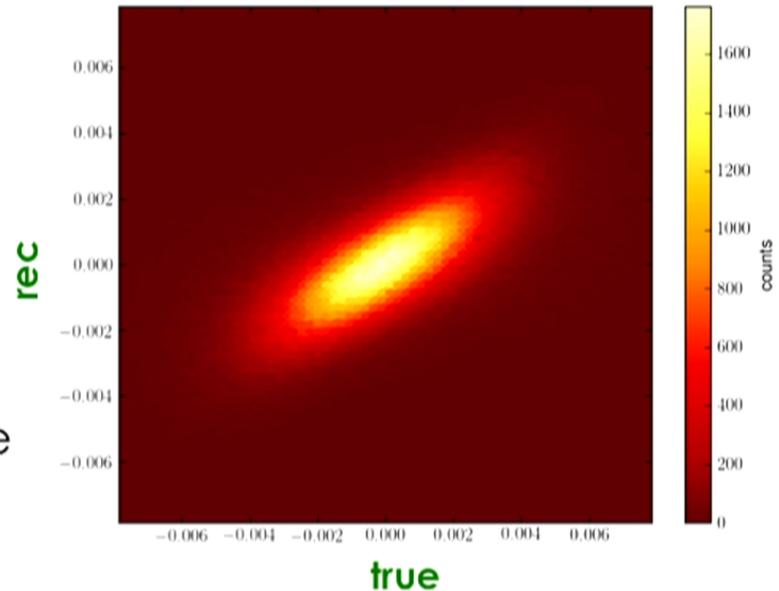
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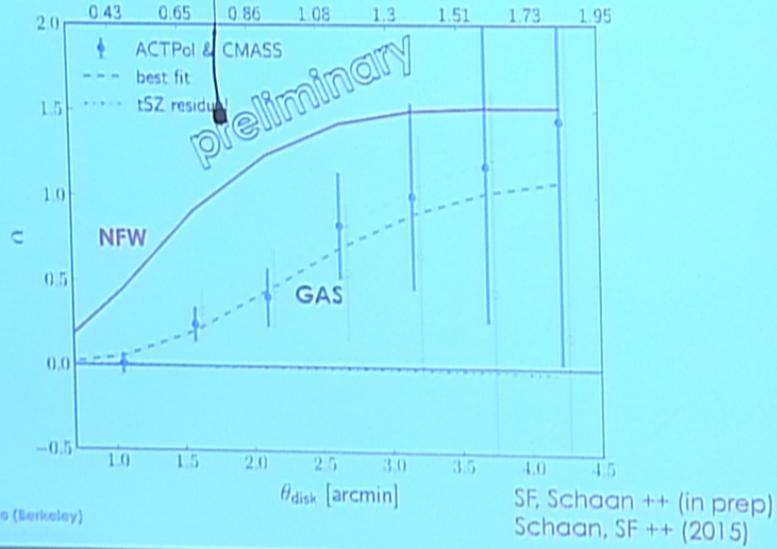
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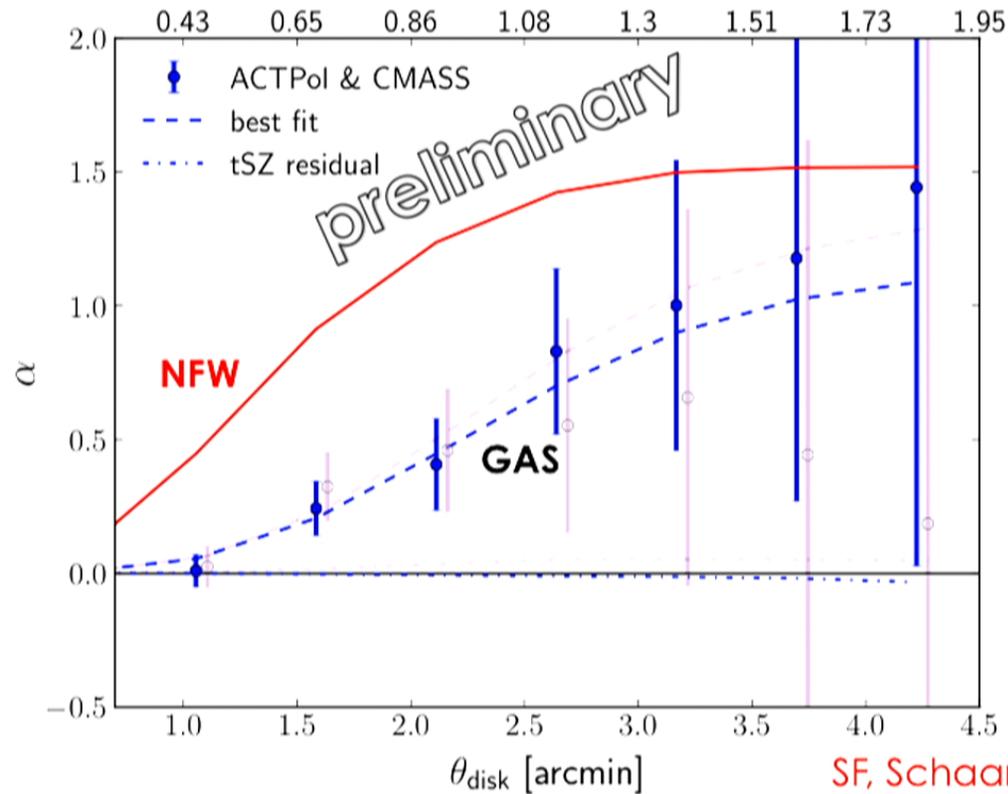


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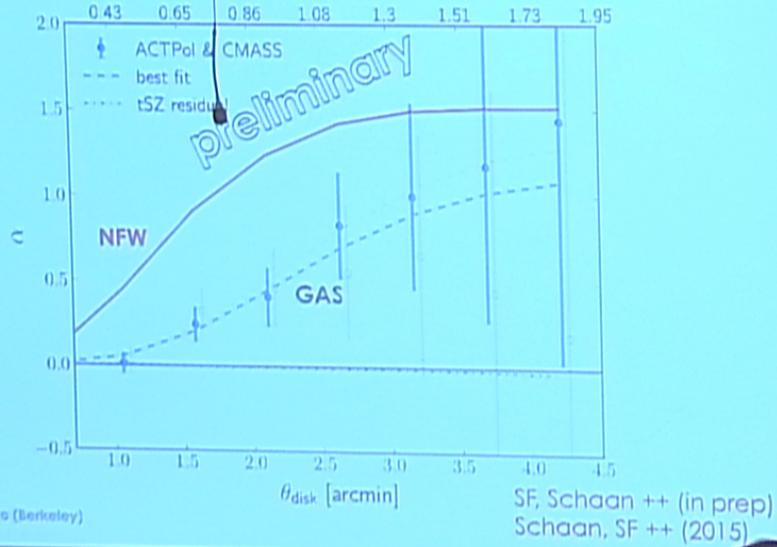
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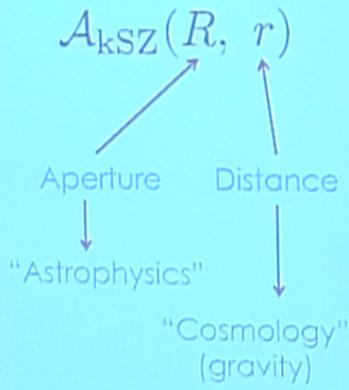
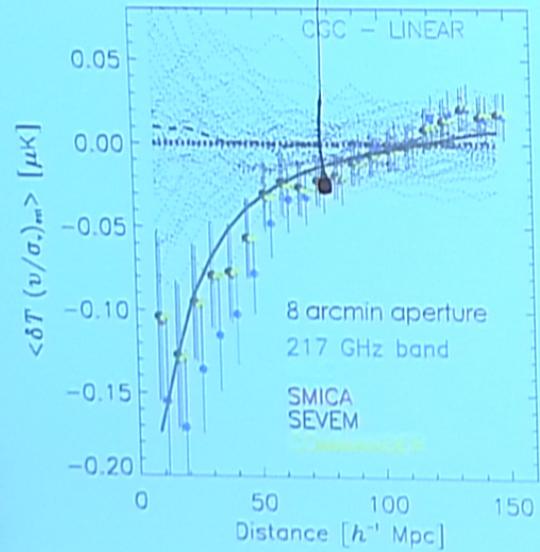
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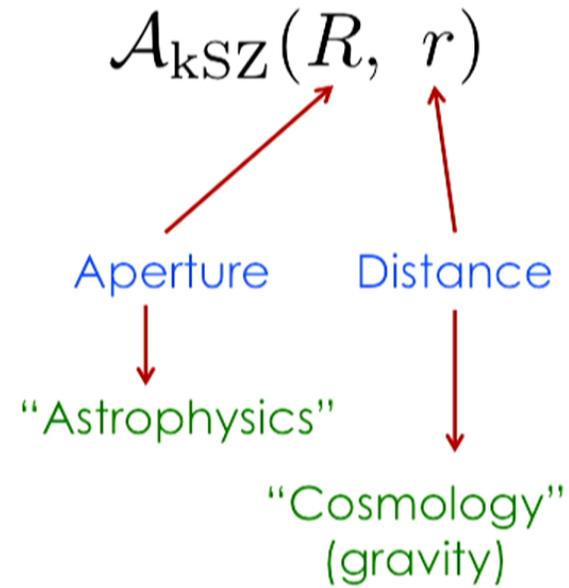
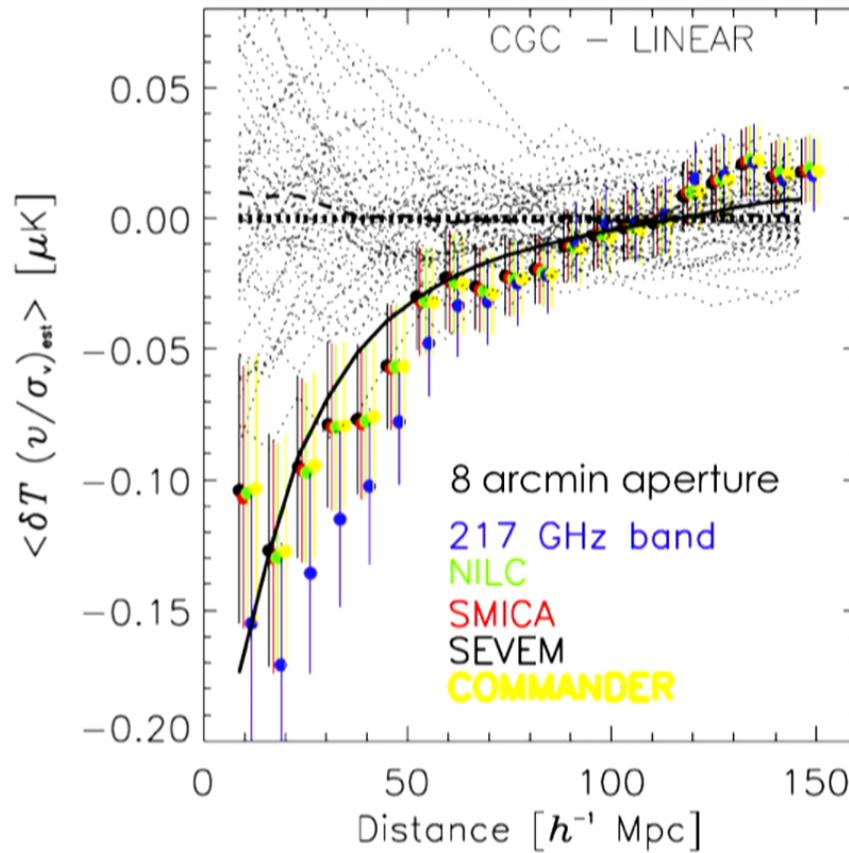
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# Measuring $f_{\text{free}}$ – possible systematics

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- Cluster miscentering and satellite galaxies
- tSZ contamination: mass cut and correction
- scatter in mass / error in mass
- cluster overlap (importance of the 2-halo term)
- velocity reconstruction

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## A different way (absent or poor redshifts)

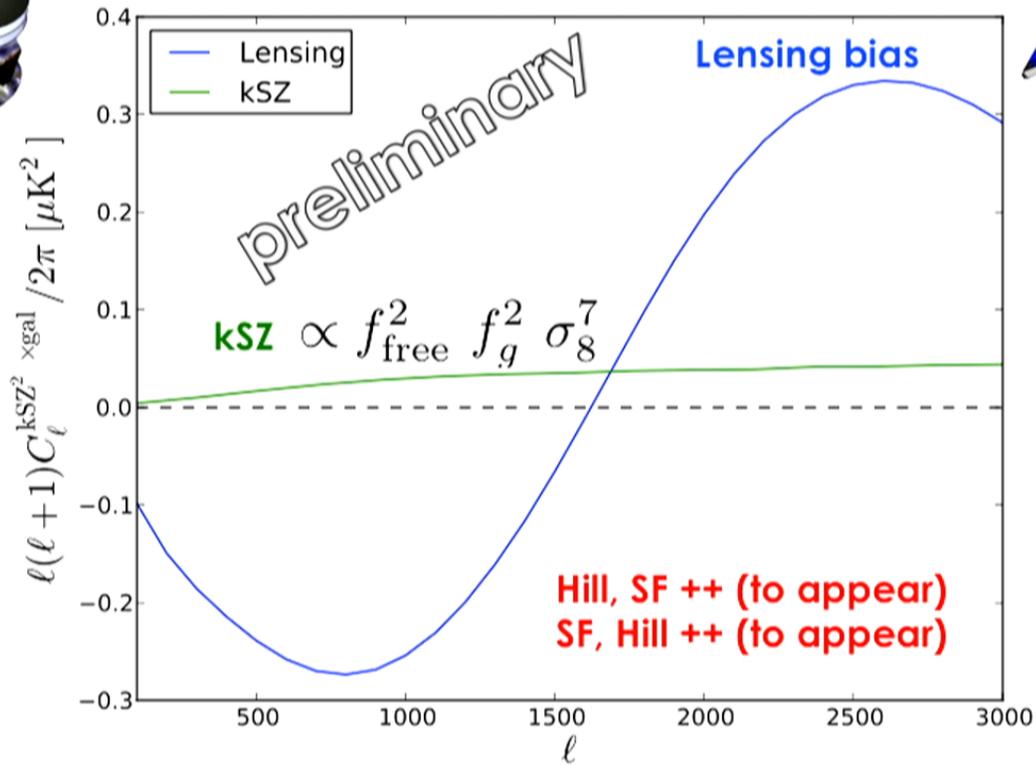
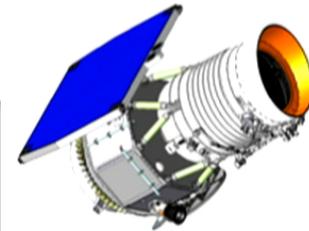
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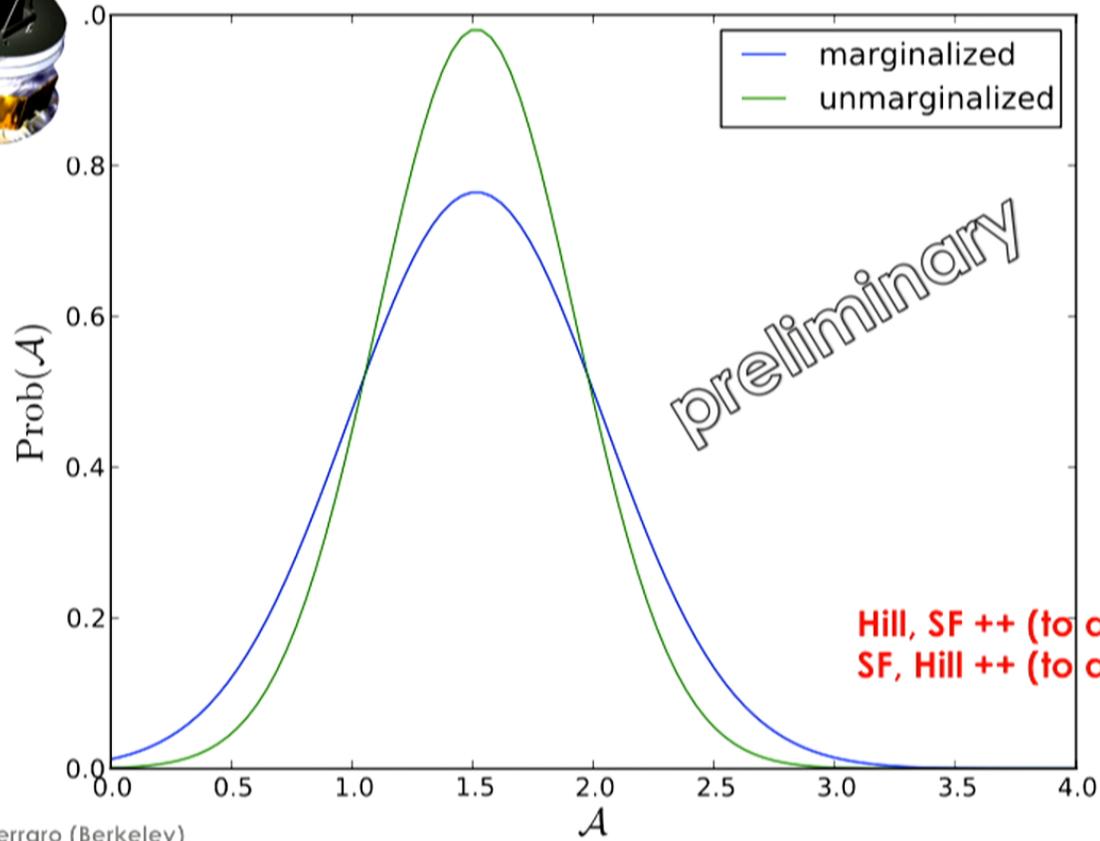
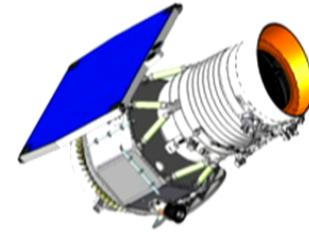
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# Conclusions

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- Kinetic Sunyaev-Zel'dovich effect measures the abundance and distribution of free electrons.
- Independent probe of growth of perturbation/initial conditions
- Can use as a probe of **reionization**
- Great improvement over the near future:
  - High resolution CMB on large areas of sky
  - PFS (~10M gal, 1400 sq deg,  $0.8 < z < 2.4$ )
  - DESI (20M gal, 14000 sq deg,  $z < 2$ )
  - Sphex? (300M gal, full sky,  $z < 1.5$ )

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Thank  
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