

Title: Probing Fundamental Physics and Cosmic Structure with CCAT-prime

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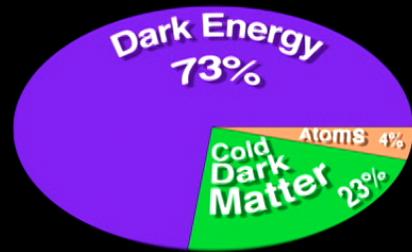
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Abstract: <p>Measurements of the cosmic microwave background (CMB) have proven to be a powerful probe of the physics of our&nbsp;universe. CMB observations are helping to address fundamental questions, such as the nature of dark energy and dark matter, and&nbsp;are being used to probe the physics of inflation at energies a trillion times higher than the Large Hadron Collider. Recent&nbsp;measurements led to several exciting first detections, including CMB lensing, massive galaxy clusters, the large-scale velocity field,&nbsp;and the "B-mode" component of the polarization field. These results have been enabled by the development of&nbsp;superconducting detectors and optics instrumentation, but we are now approaching the limits of current telescope facilities. Continuing&nbsp;advances in CMB research require greater sensitivity through major gains in optical throughput.<br />

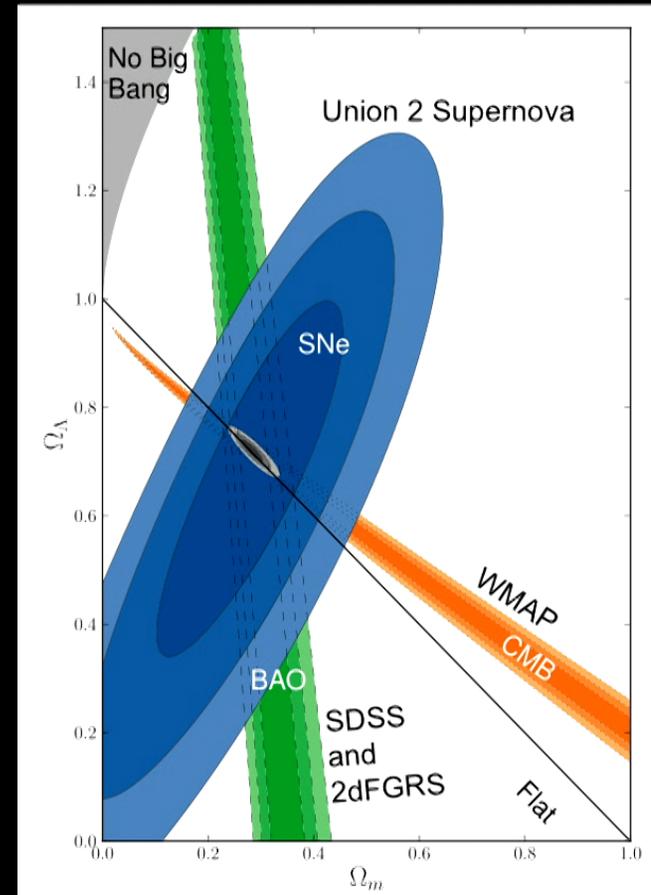
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The CCAT-prime extreme&nbsp;field-of-view&nbsp;submillimeter&nbsp;telescope on&nbsp;Cerro&nbsp;Chajnantor will meet this challenge. The six-meter aperture telescope is designed to observe between 350um - 3mm and is capable of mapping the CMB roughly 10x faster than current observatories, making it&nbsp;a potential platform for the next generation "Stage IV" CMB survey. The first light instrument will take advantage of the unique CCAT-prime capabilities and site to characterize the large-scale velocity field and CMB polarization. In addition, CCAT-prime will enable spectroscopic intensity mapping of [CII] from early stars and galaxies during reionization and low-redshift galactic ecology. The intensity mapping measurements can be cross-correlated with upcoming neutral hydrogen surveys, and this combination may eventually characterize primordial non-Gaussianities beyond the reach of CMB measurements to provide new insights into the high-energy physics of inflation.</p>

# Concordance Cosmology

- Universe is flat and dominated by dark energy and dark matter

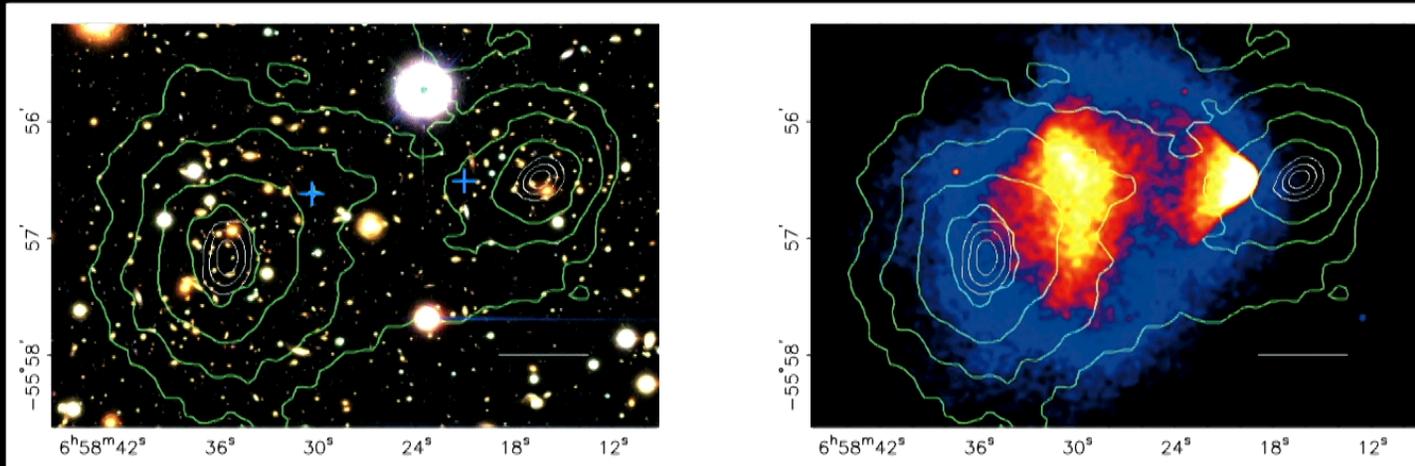


- $\Lambda$ CDM confirmation spans electromagnetic spectrum
- Data fits 6 parameter model



( Suzuki et al., arXiv:1105.3470, 2011 )

# Proof of Dark Matter



( Clowe et al., ApJ 648 2006 )

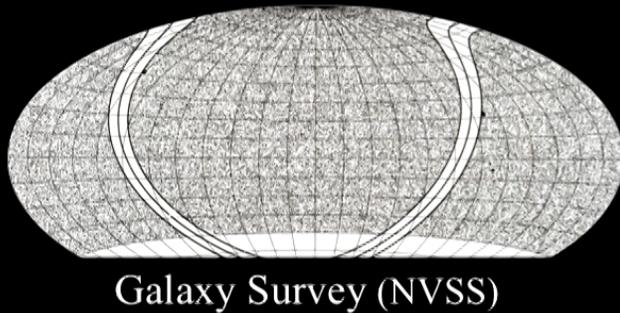
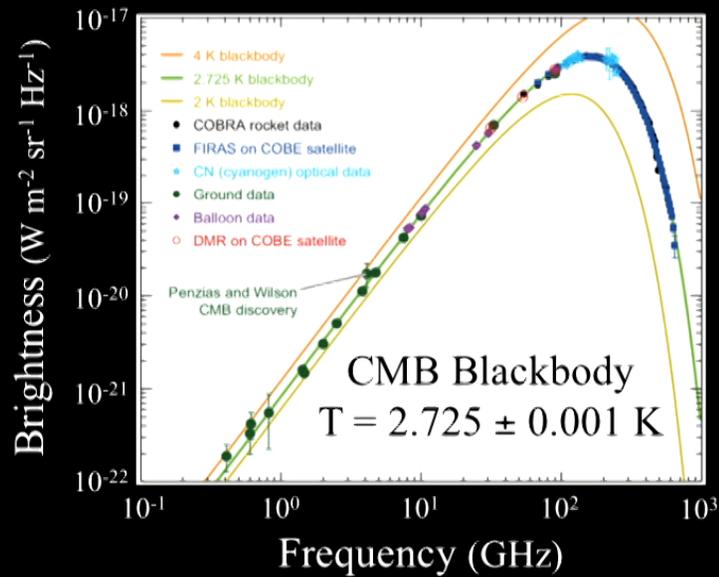
Bullet Cluster - a  $z = 0.3$  cluster merger

- Separation of masses:
  - Baryonic gas (X-ray)
  - Total mass (optical lensing)
- $8\sigma$  detection

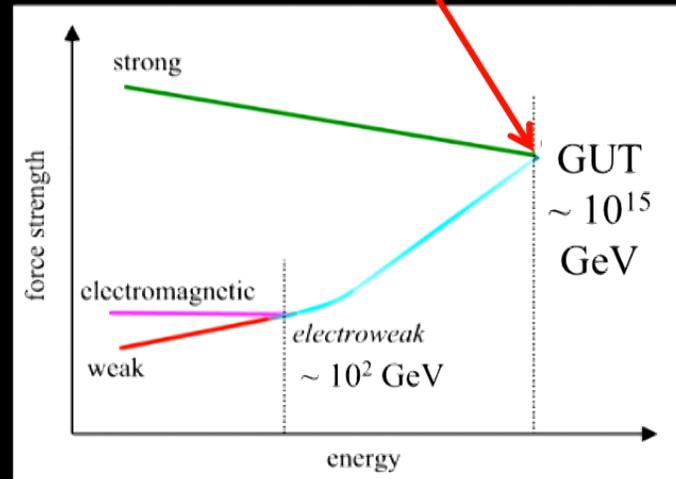
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# Homogeneous and Isotropic



- Large scale universe in causal contact
- Inflationary epoch
  - $< 10^{-30}$  s after big bang
  - Energy  $\sim$  grand unification



- Did inflation occur? Can we learn about GUT-scale physics from cosmology?
- What is the physics of dark energy?
- What are the properties of neutrinos?  
And what is the rest of the dark matter?
- How did the primordial fluctuations evolve into the structure around us today?

# CMB Anisotropies

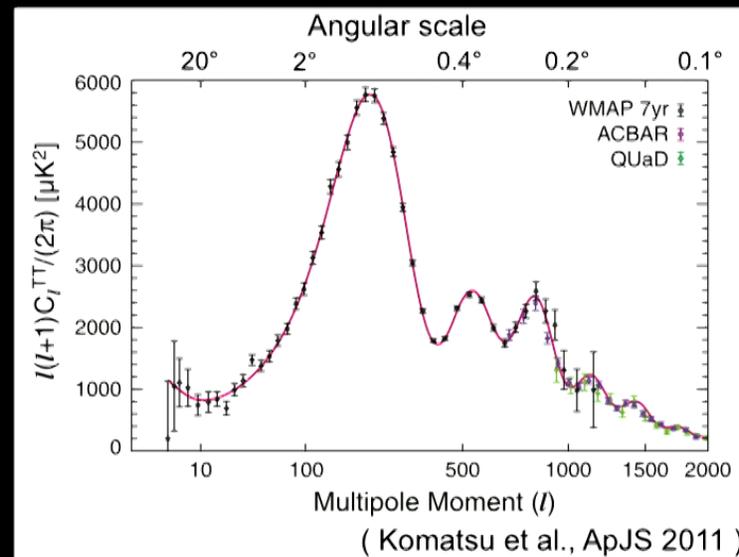
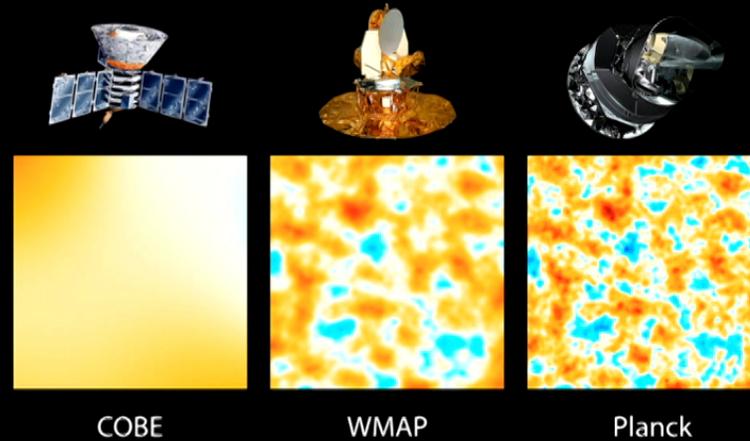
- Primordial CMB anisotropies imprint early universe physics

- Gaussian information is in power spectrum

$$\delta T(\theta, \varphi) = \sum_{l,m} a_{lm} Y_{lm}(\theta, \varphi)$$

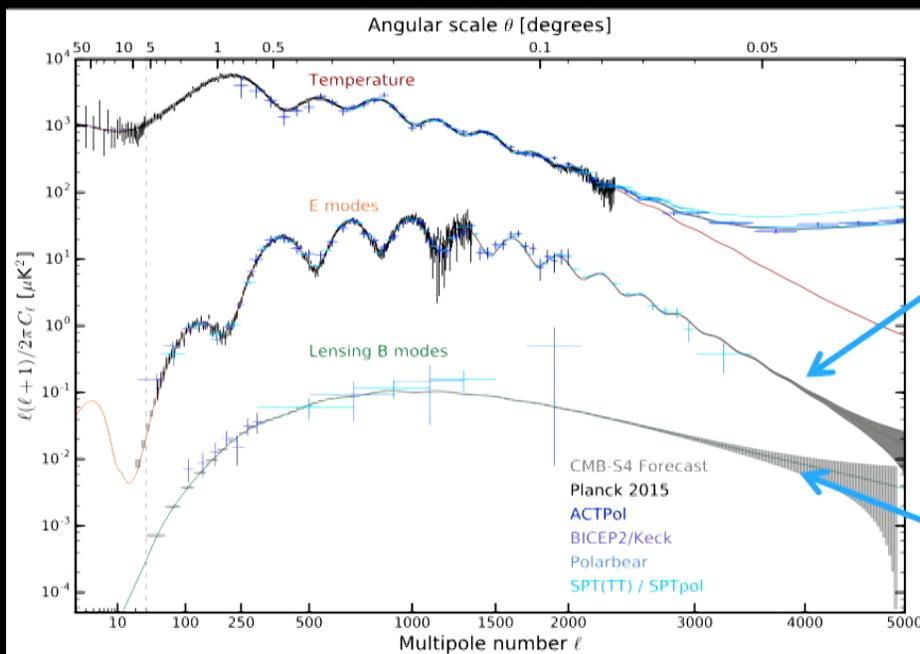
$$C_l = \frac{1}{2l+1} \sum_m |a_{lm}|^2$$

- 6 parameter model fit
  - $\Omega_m h^2, \Omega_b h^2, \Omega_\Lambda, \tau, n_s, \Delta_R^2$



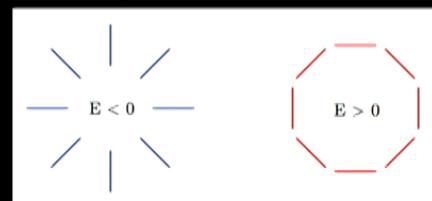
# Current CMB Survey Research

## Temperature & Polarization Power Spectra

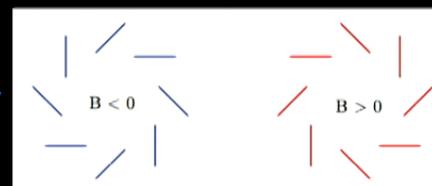


## Polarization Anisotropies

### Curl free 'E-modes'



### Divergence free 'B-modes'



**Polarbear – 2.5m**

**ACT – 6m**

**Keck – 0.3m**

**SPT – 10m**

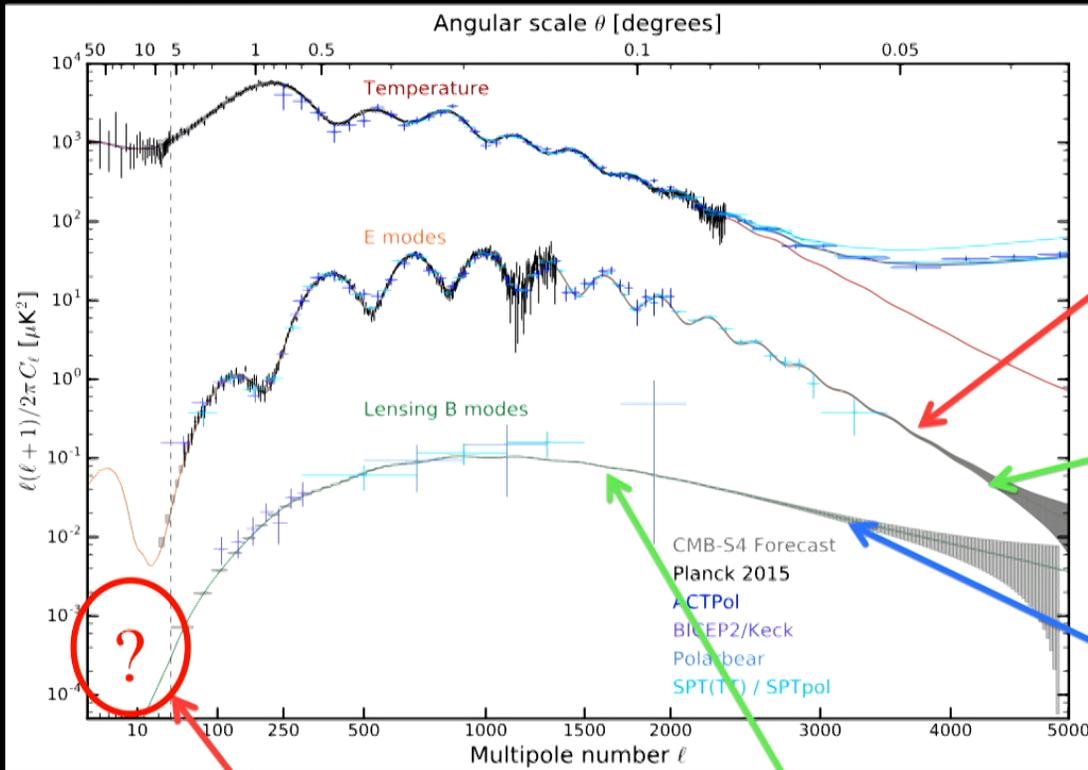
**Atacama:**



**South Pole:**



# Current CMB Survey Research



Inflationary potential,  
 $n_s$

Light relics ( $\nu$ , DM),  
 $N_{\text{eff}}$

Early  
Dark Energy

Smoking gun of inflation?  
 $r$

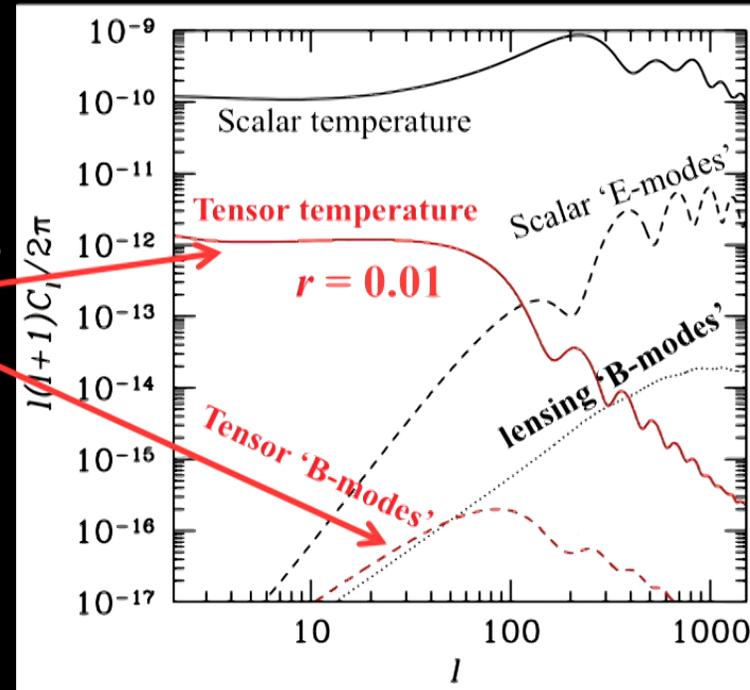
Neutrino mass sum,  
 $\Sigma m_\nu$

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# Signatures of Inflation: B-modes

- Inflationary models predict **primordial gravity waves**
- Gravity waves = tensor perturbations
  - Temp. and Pol. signatures
  - Amplitude:  $r = T/S$
- Energy scale of inflation

$$V^{1/4} = 1.04 \times 10^{16} \text{ GeV} \left( \frac{r_*}{0.01} \right)^{1/4}$$



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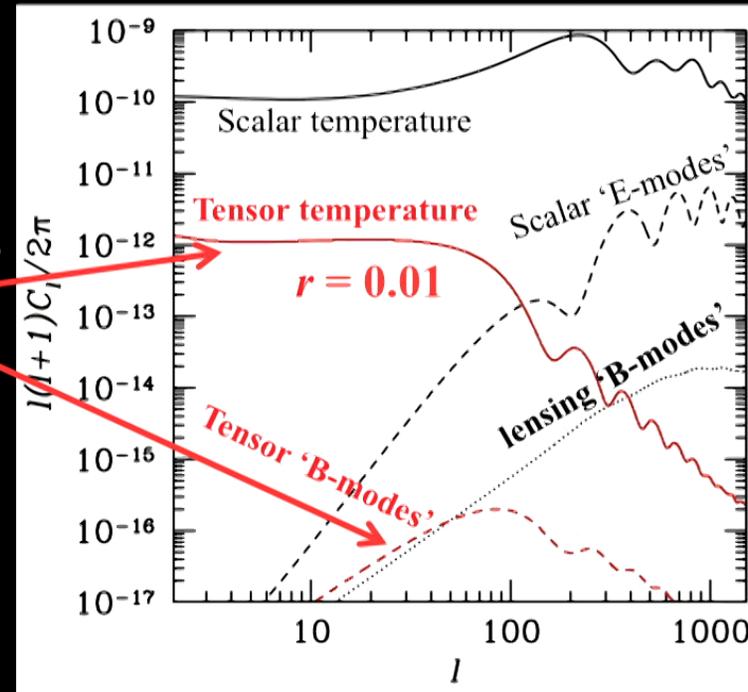
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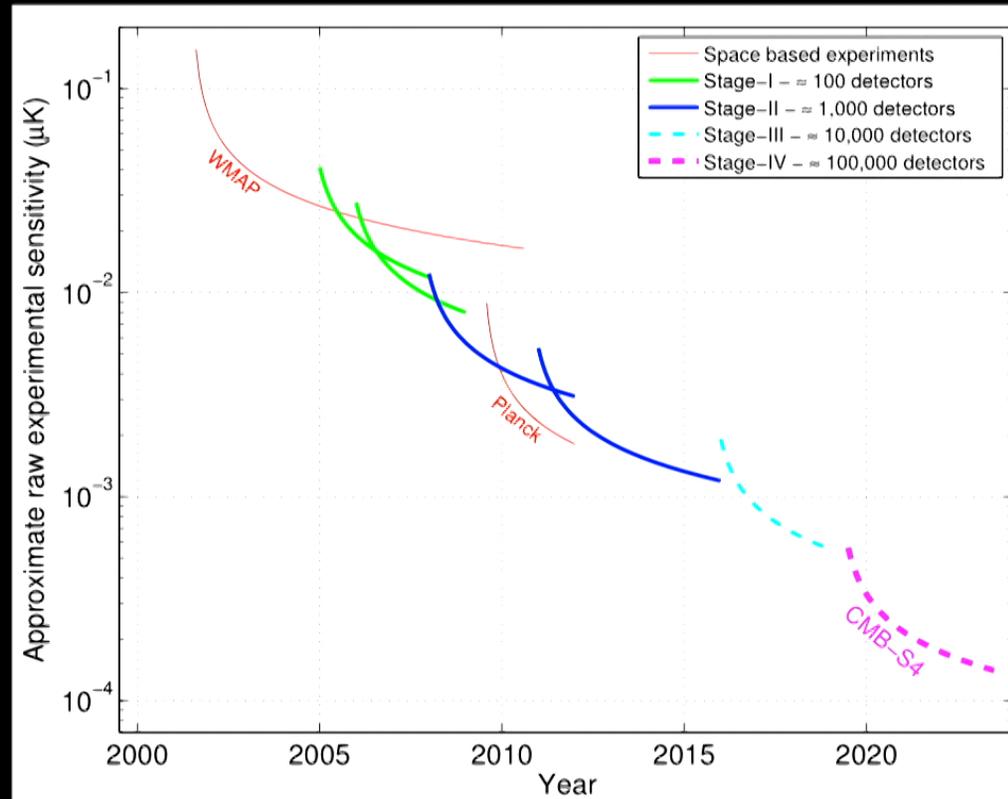
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**Higgs boson appears to be spin-0 => Scalar fields (like inflaton) exist!**

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# How can we get to $\sigma(r) < 0.001$ ?

## “Stage IV” CMB Survey



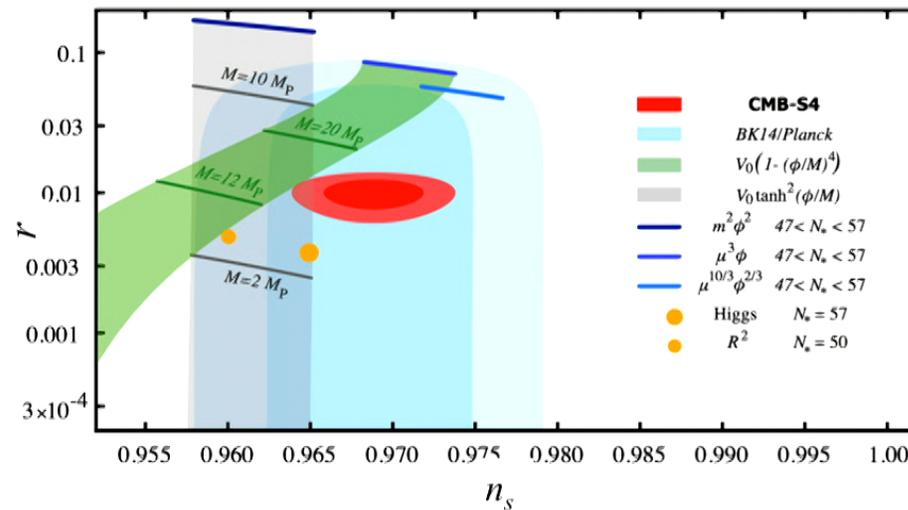
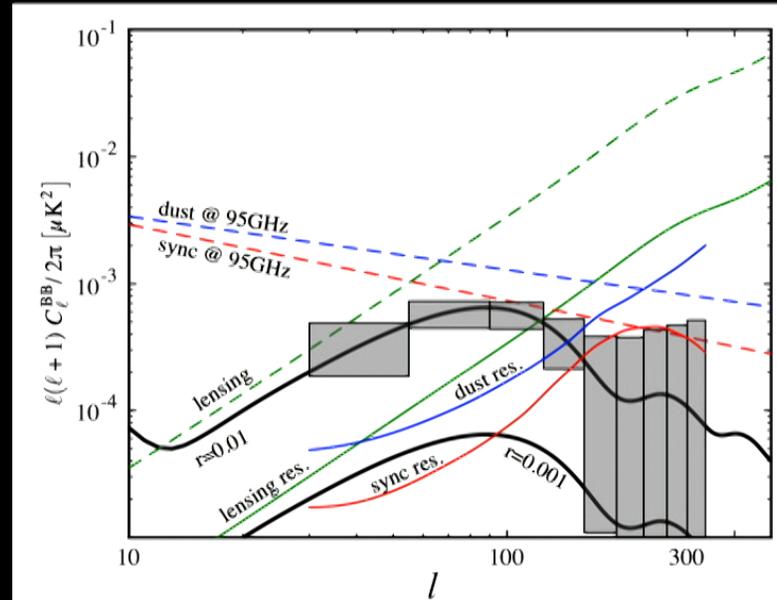
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# CMB-S4 Inflation Forecasts

- Must prevent false detections
- 8+ frequency bands to span foregrounds
- Resolution  $\sim$  arcmin for delensing
- Test large-field super-Planckian models

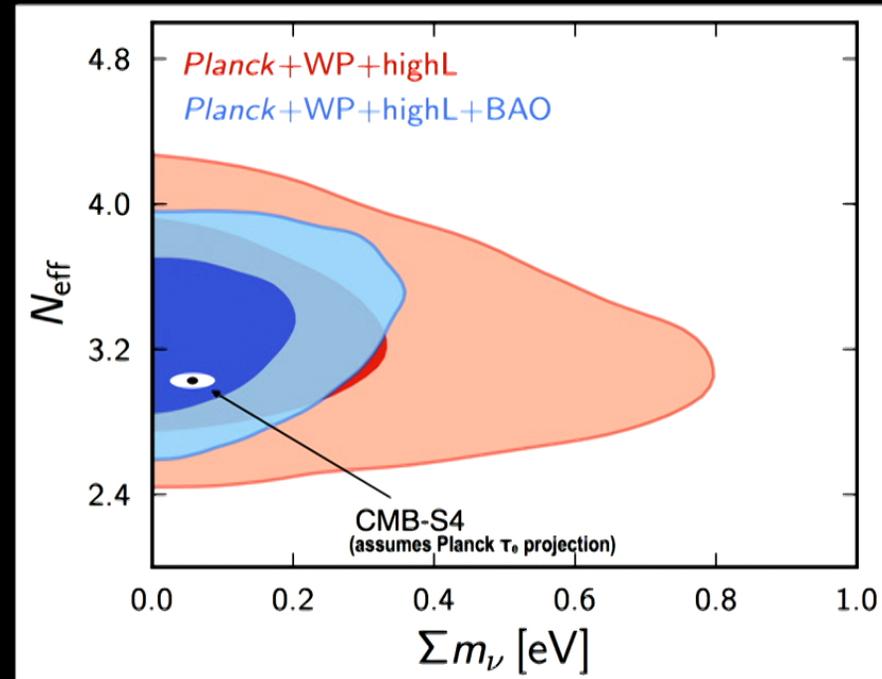
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# CMB-S4 Neutrino Forecasts

Clean neutrino probes: Lensing + BAO + CMB

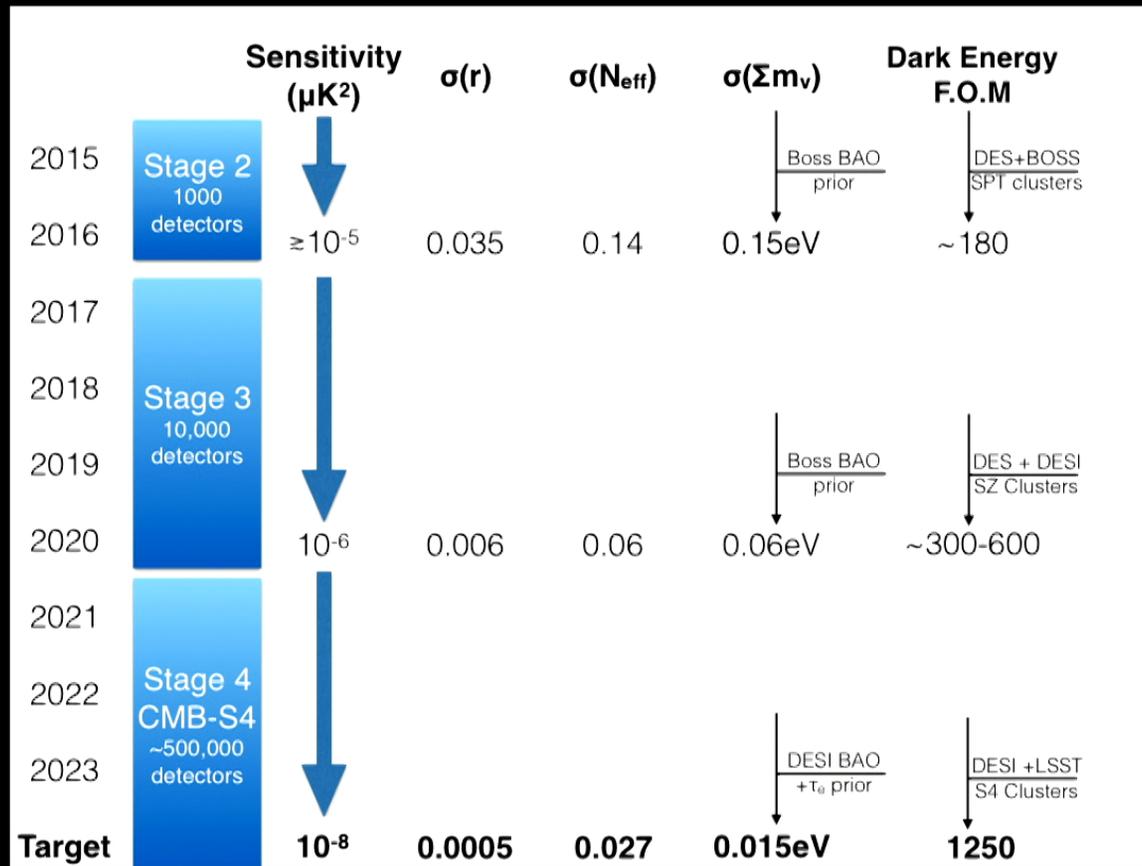
- Light relics add relativistic energy at early times,  $N_{\text{eff}}$ 
  - Sterile Neutrinos
  - Axions
  - ...
- Neutrino mass sum with BAO and  $\tau$



( Abazajian et al., arXiv:1309.5381 )

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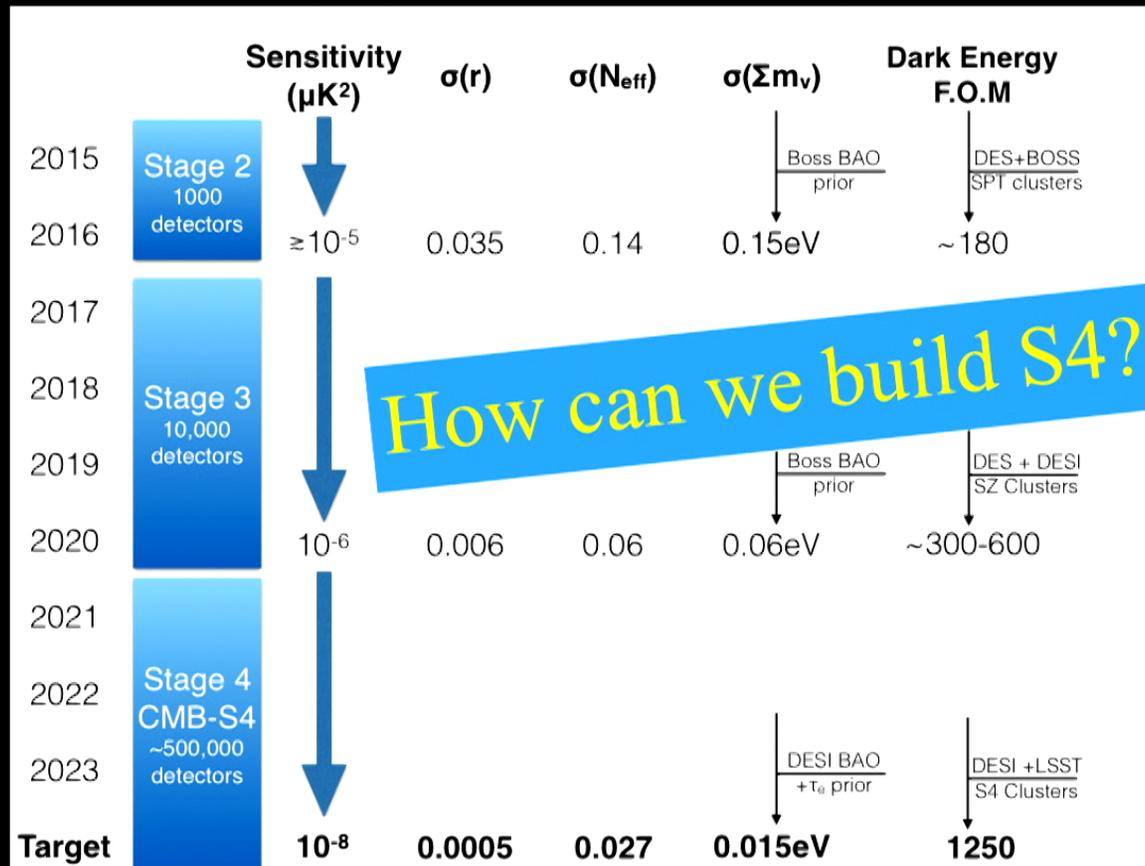
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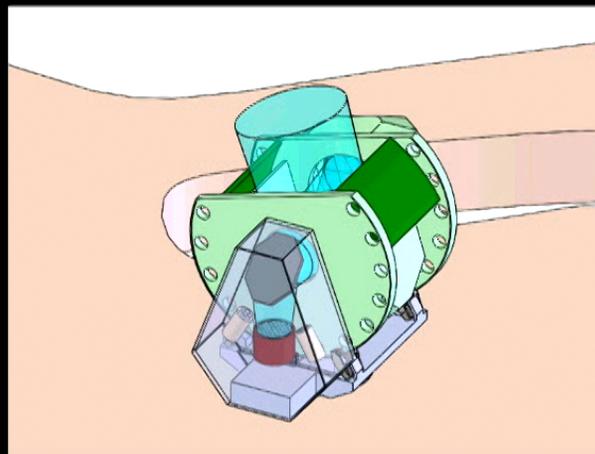
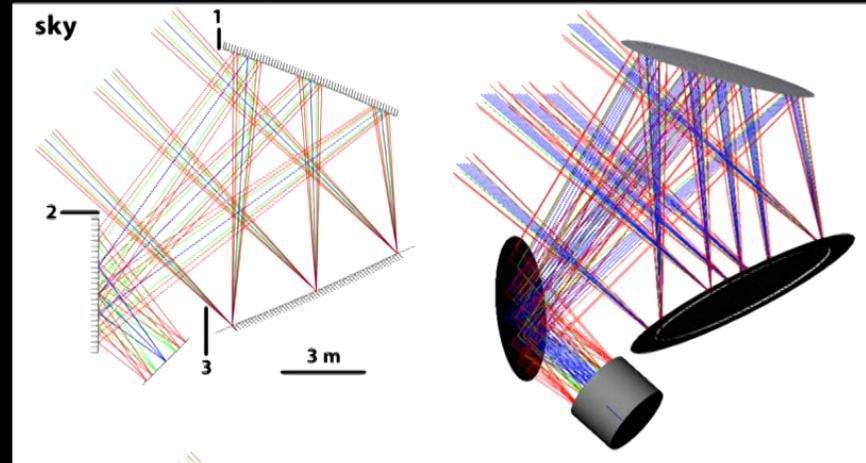


6m aperture crossed-  
Dragone design  
delivers a large, flat  
focal  $\sim 8$  degree plane

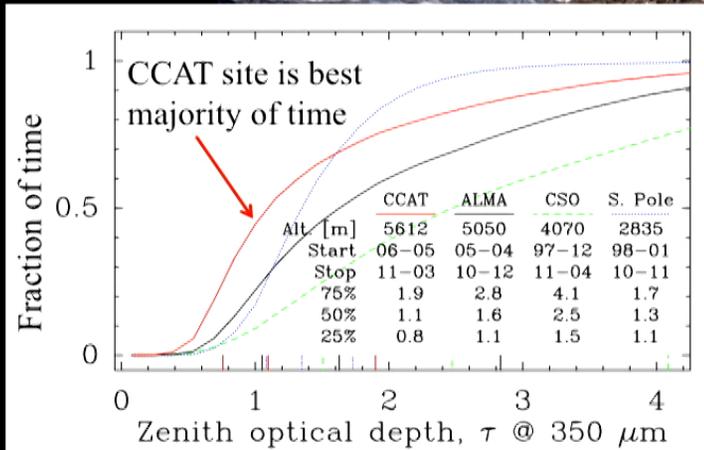
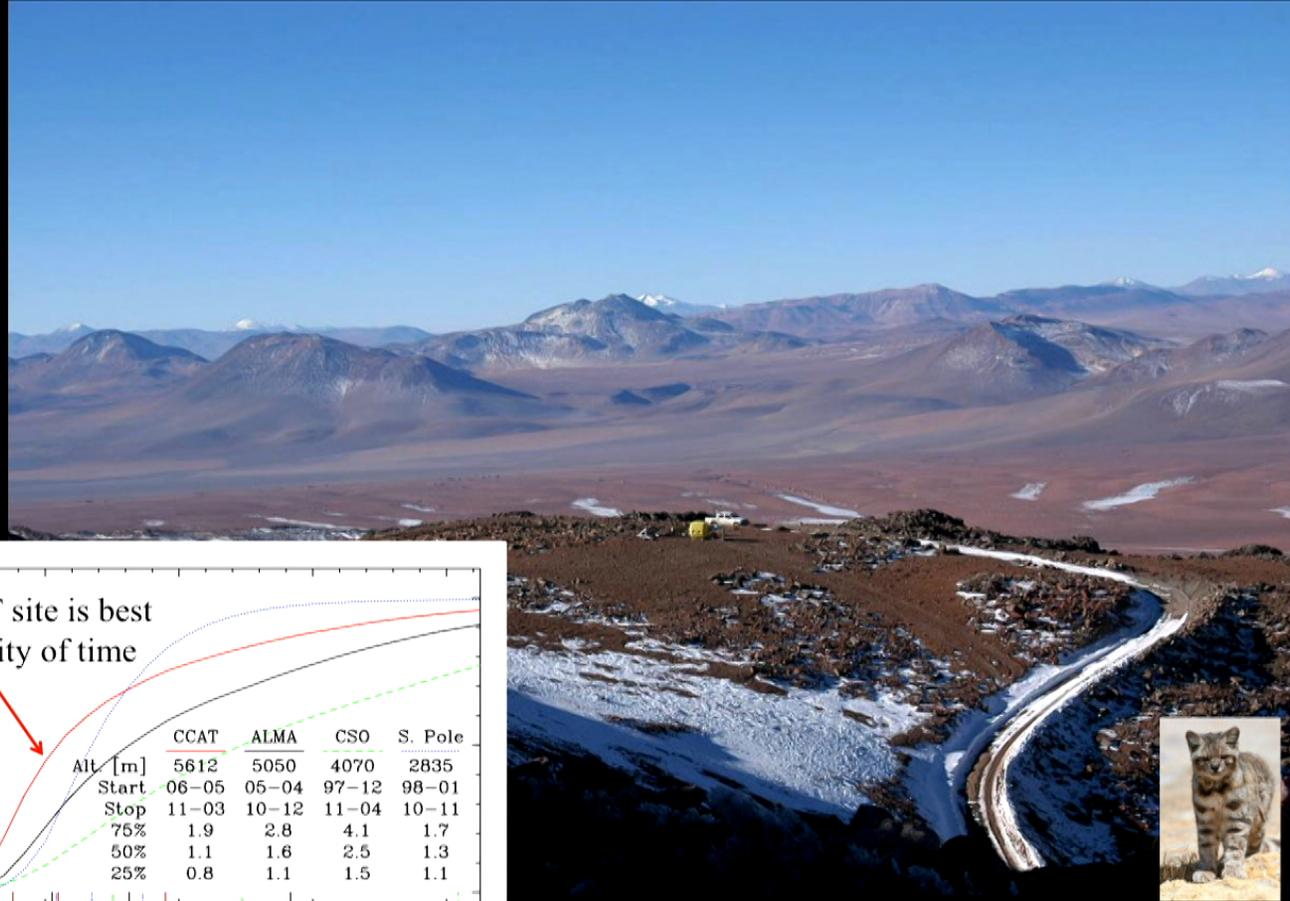
Can illuminate 10x  
more detectors than  
Stage III telescopes  
(Advanced ACTPol,  
SPT-3G, Polarbear2)

(Niernack, Applied Optics 2016)

**CCAT-prime consortium:  
Cornell, Cologne, Bonn, AUI  
Association of Canadian Universities**



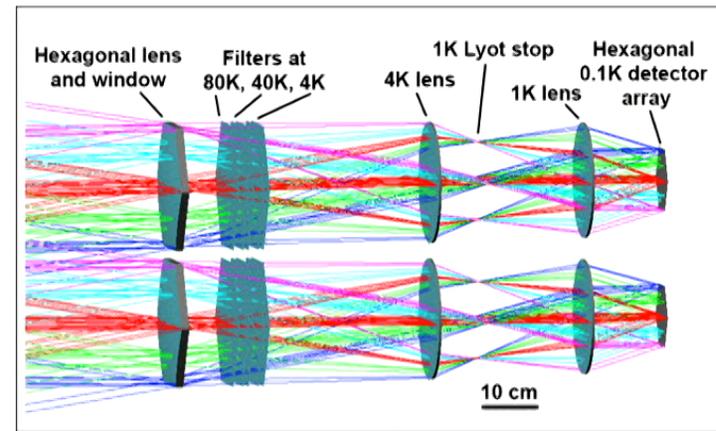
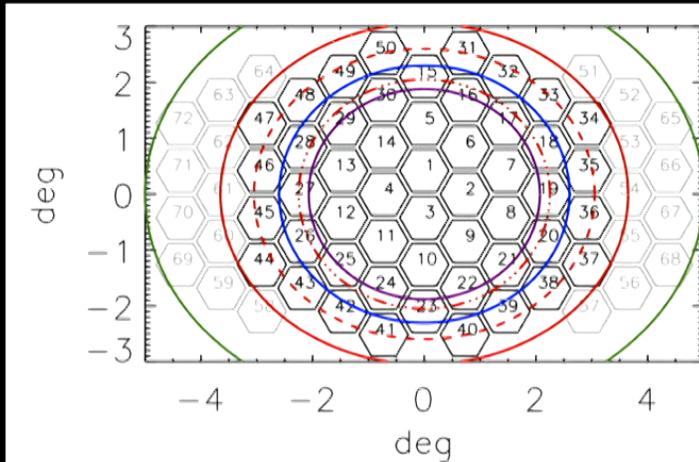
# CCAT-prime site: Cerro Chajnantor at 5600 m



(Radford & Peterson, arXiv:1602.08795)

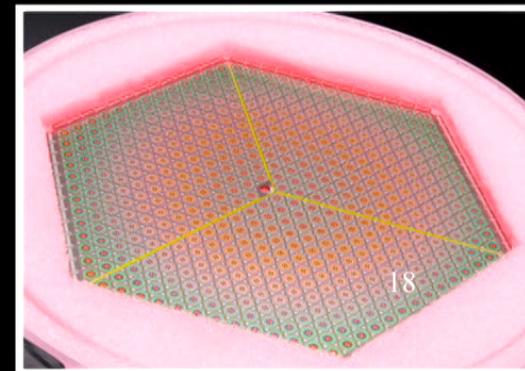


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Close-packed reimaging optics with 30 cm diameter optics tubes are well matched to 15 cm superconducting detector fabrication capabilities.

(Nimack, Applied Optics 2016)



Advanced ACTPol detector array

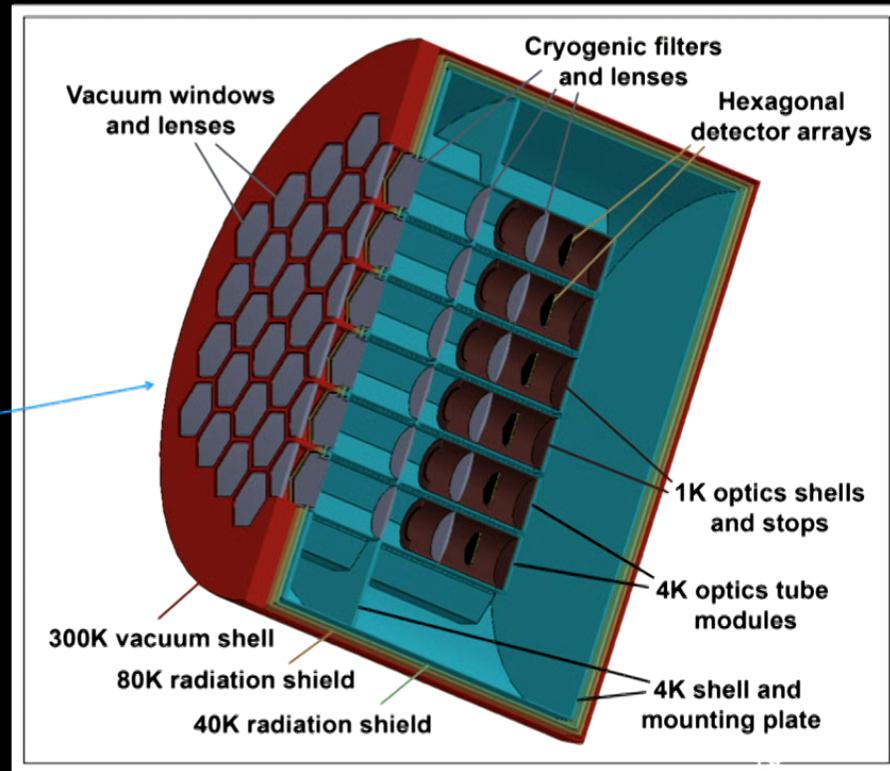
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Smaller scale instruments  
are natural for first light

Prototype receiver based  
on a 50 optics tube design

This instrument could  
illuminate  $> 10^5$  CMB  
detectors, and **map the  
CMB 10x faster** than  
Advanced ACTPol and  
SPT-3G



(Niemaek, Applied Optics 2016)

# Simons Observatory

- Next stage of ACT + Polarbear teams: plan to build one or two ~5m scale telescope that could also be used for CMB-S4
- Crossed-Dragone telescope design is a top candidate
- CCAT-prime science goals much broader due to collaboration interests and access to short wavelengths



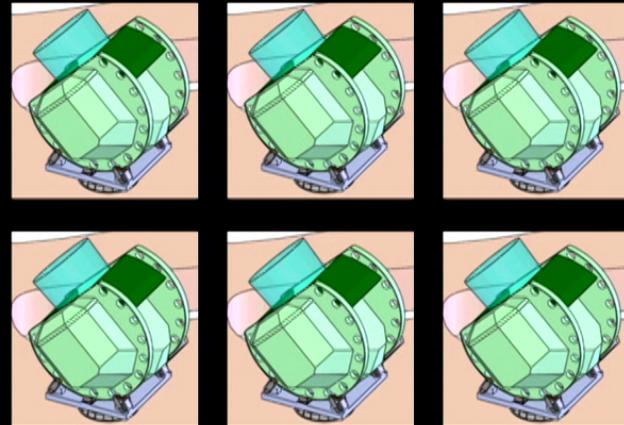
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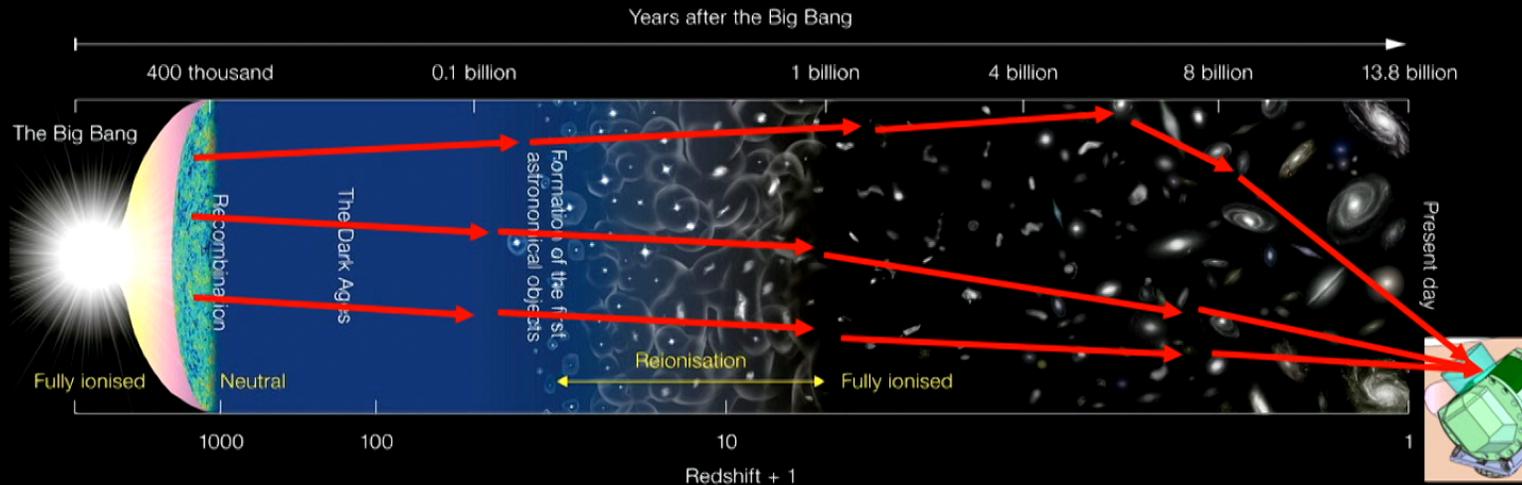
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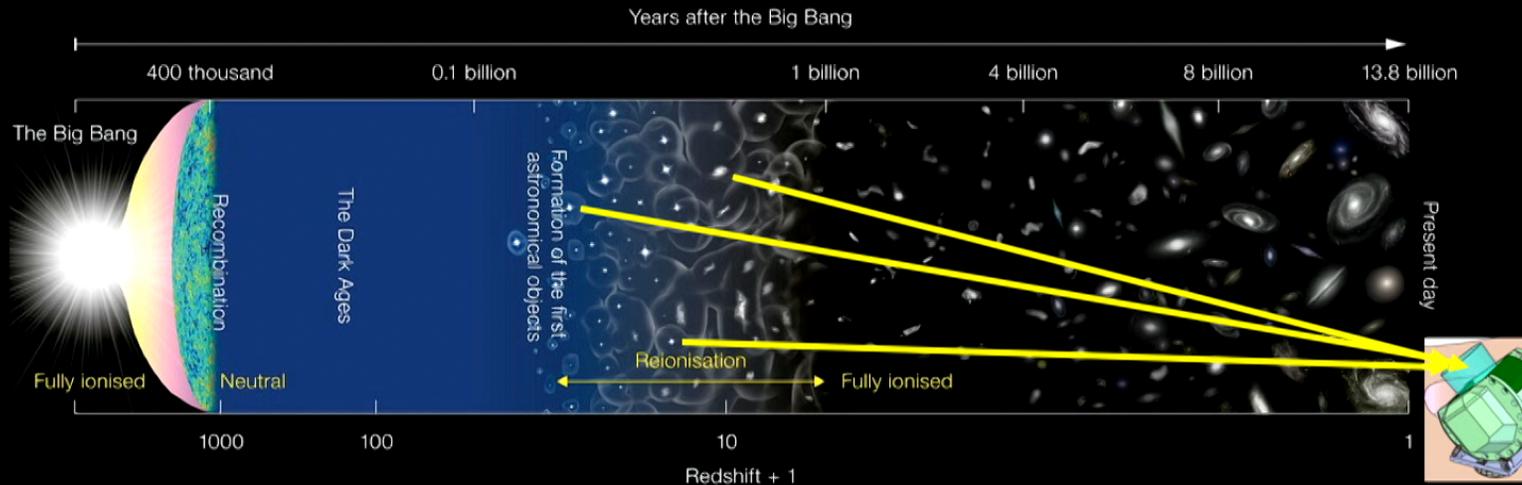


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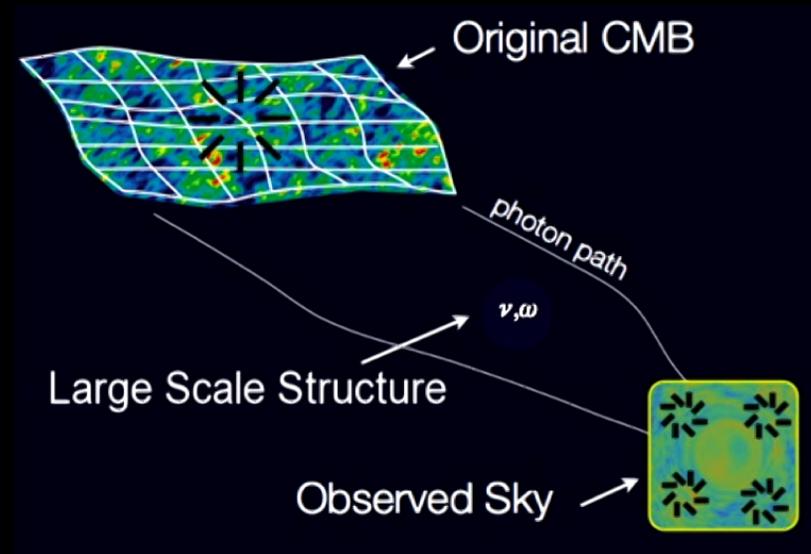
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- **Beyond CMB, 3D modes are needed to advance cosmology**

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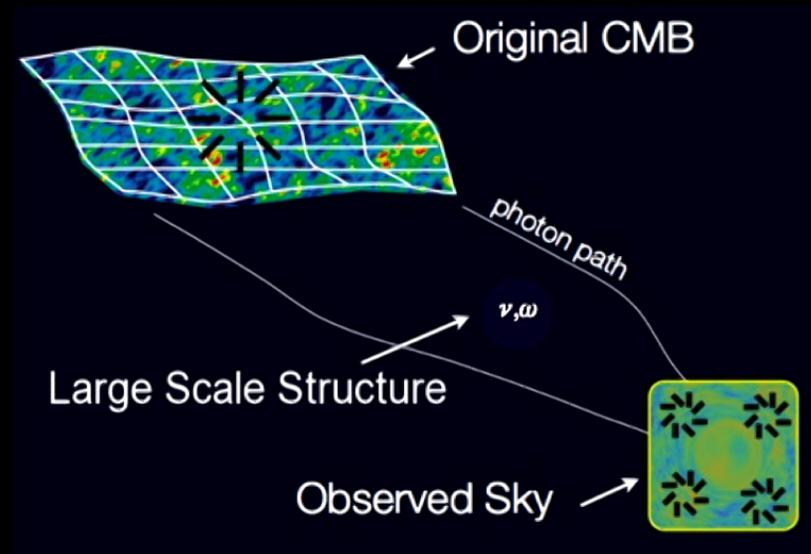


- **Constrain dark energy and map dark matter distribution**
- **Delens inflationary B-mode signal**

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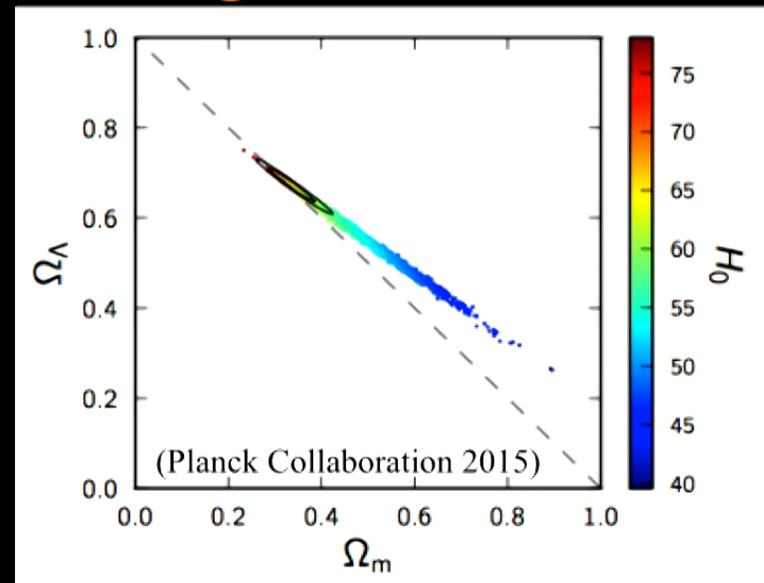
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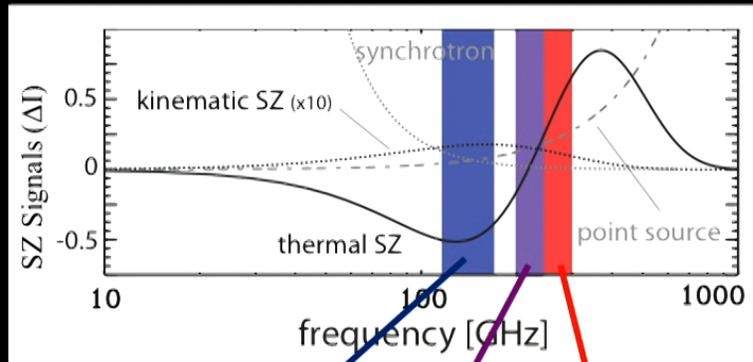
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# Sunyaev-Zel'dovich (SZ) Effects

- Compton scattering of CMB
- Redshift independent  
⇒ no  $1/r^2$  cluster selection bias
- Thermal SZ Spectral Signature
- Cosmology (with redshift & mass)



- Kinetic SZ from pairwise velocities – ACT & ACTPol + BOSS 2012/2016  
⇒ DE, gravity, neutrino constraints

( Mueller, De Bernardis, Bean, Niemack ApJ, PRD 2015 )

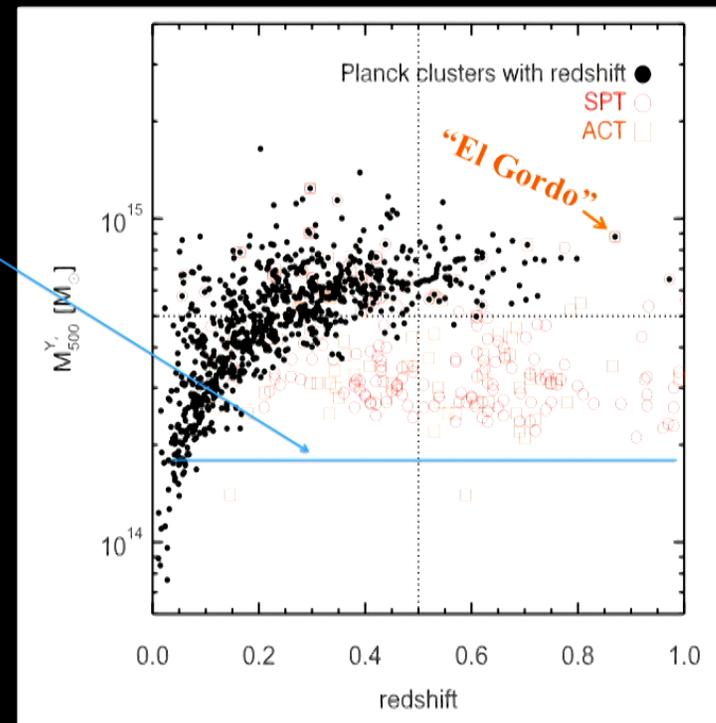
Planck + BOSS 2015

SPT + DES 2016

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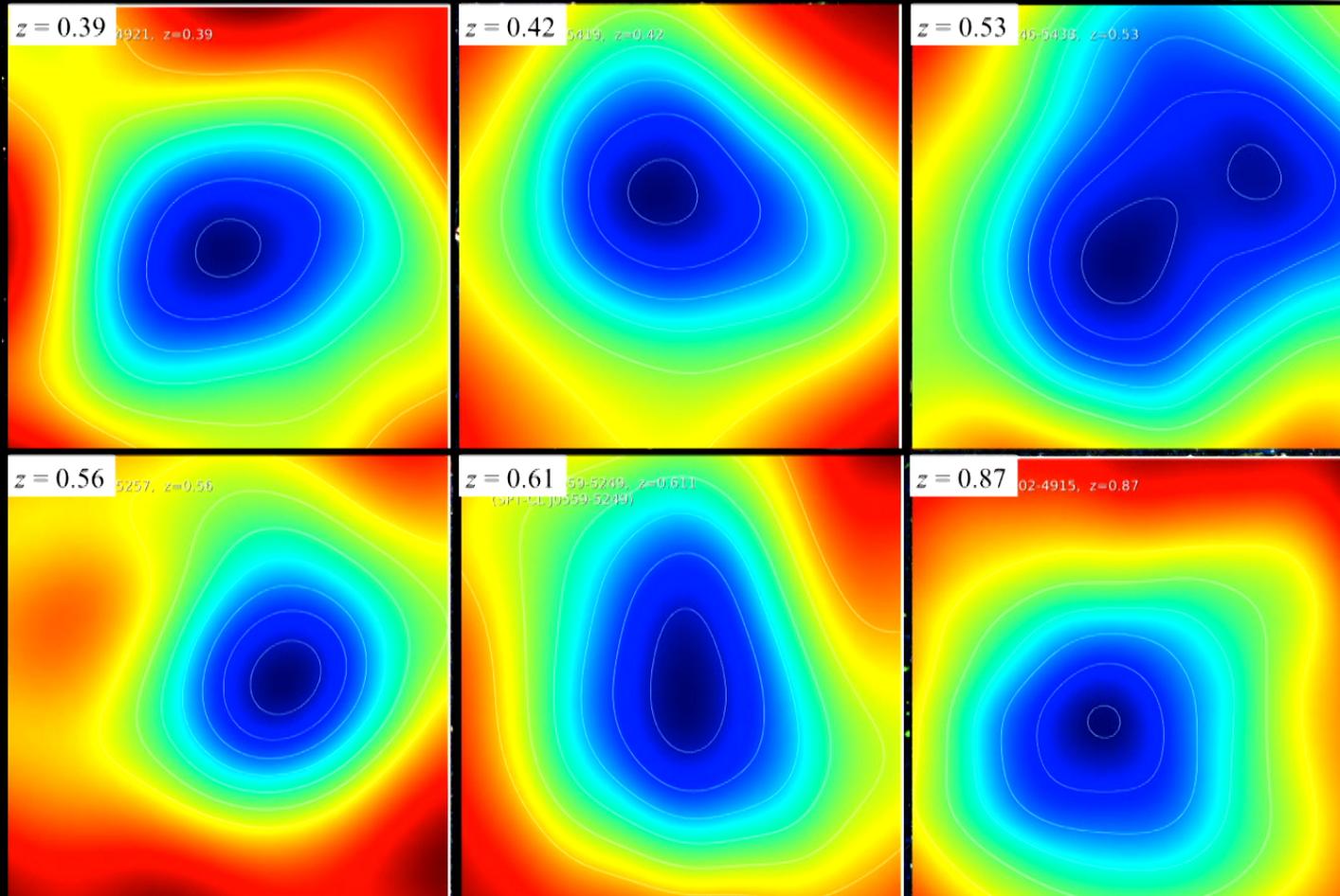
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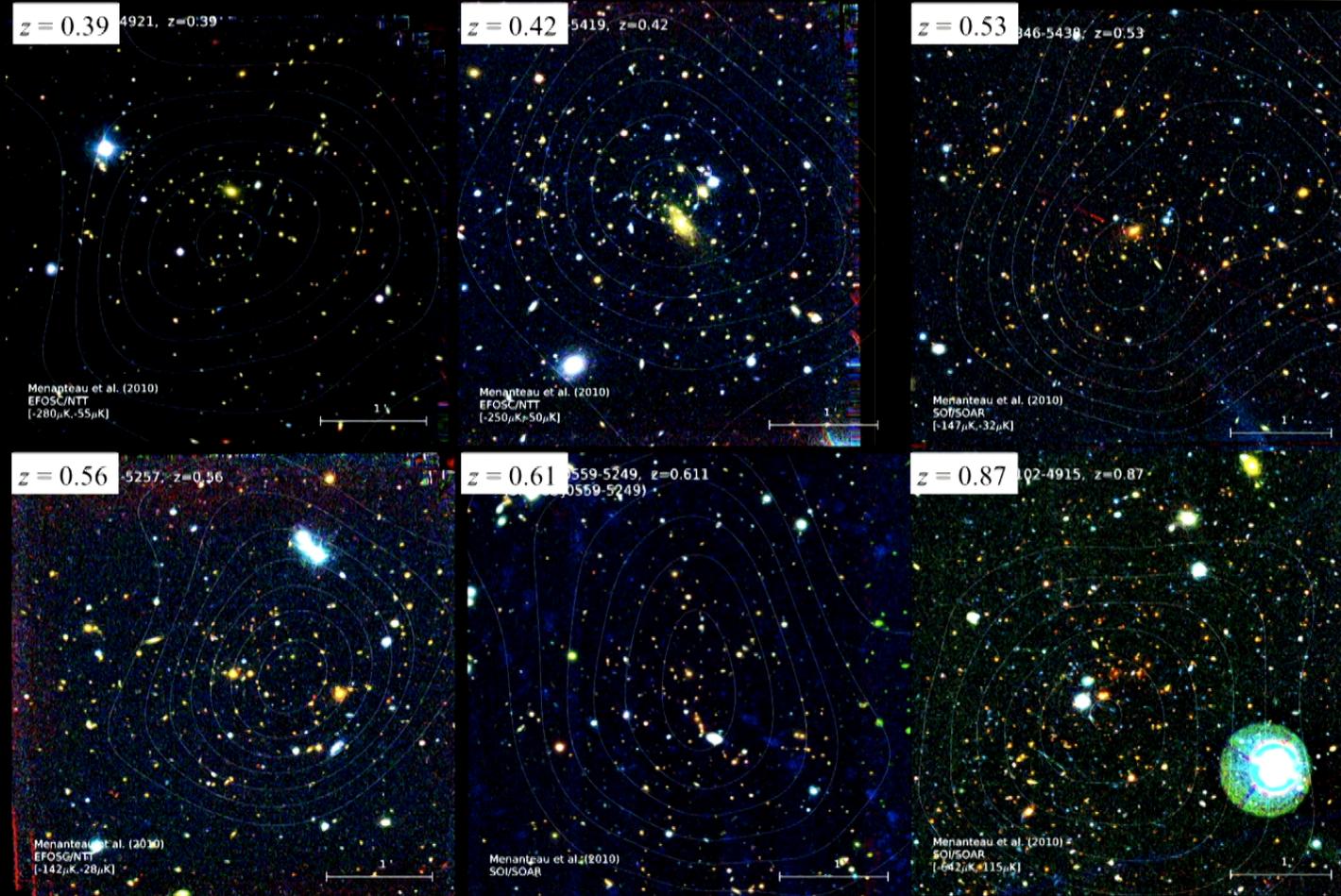
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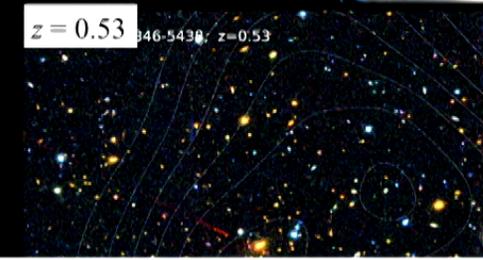
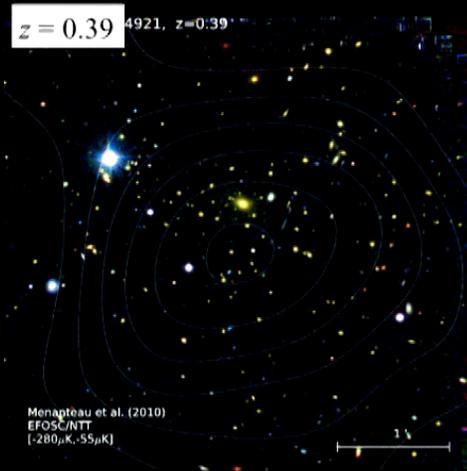
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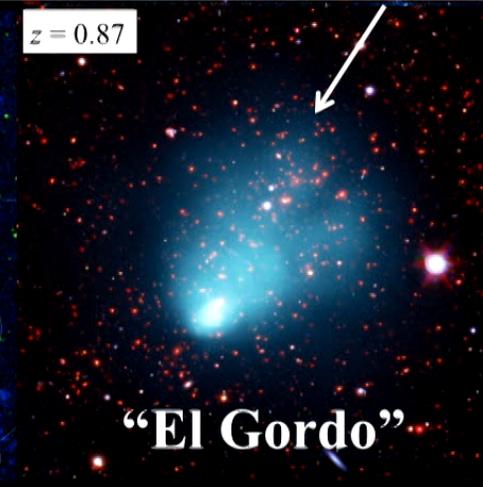
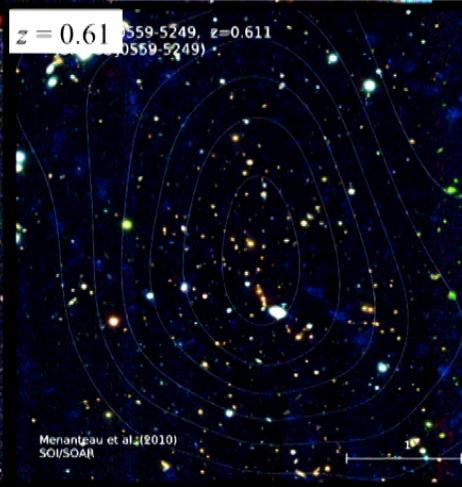
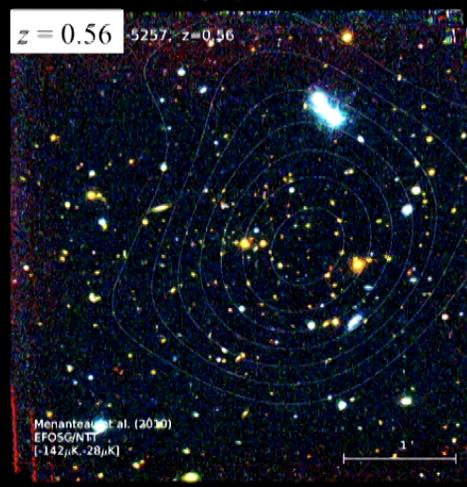
( Menanteu et al. ApJ 2010 )

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“El Gordo” is a high- $z$  analog of Bullet Cluster characterized with Chandra, optical, & radio

Massive clusters probe  $\Lambda$ CDM via growth of structure



“El Gordo”

( Menanteau et al. ApJ 2012 )



# light years

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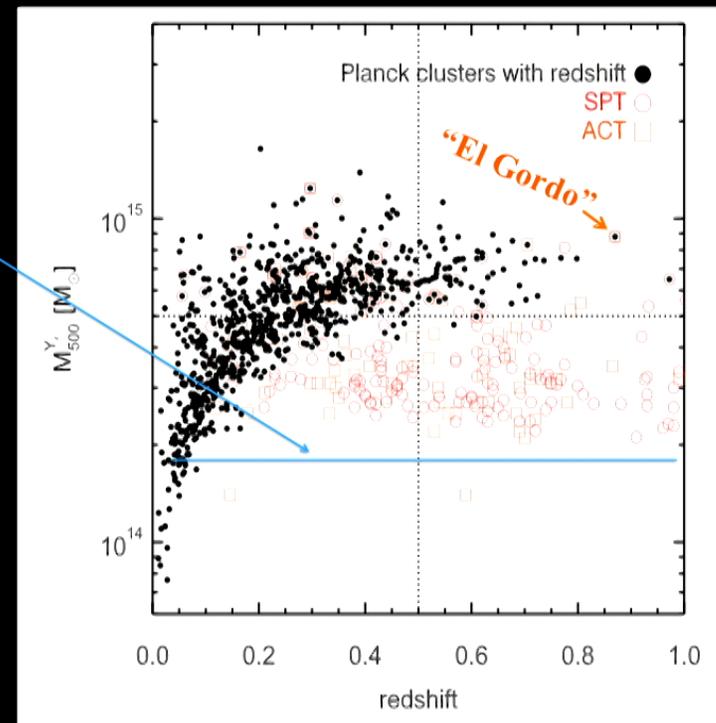


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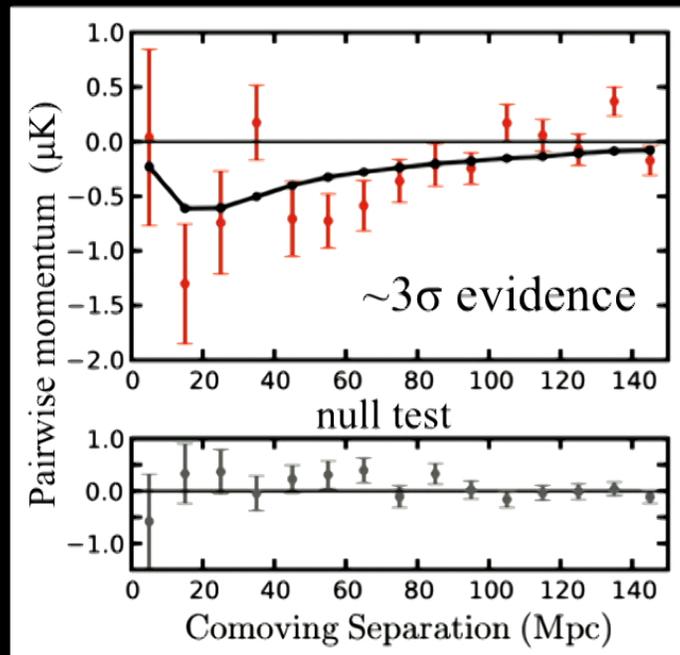


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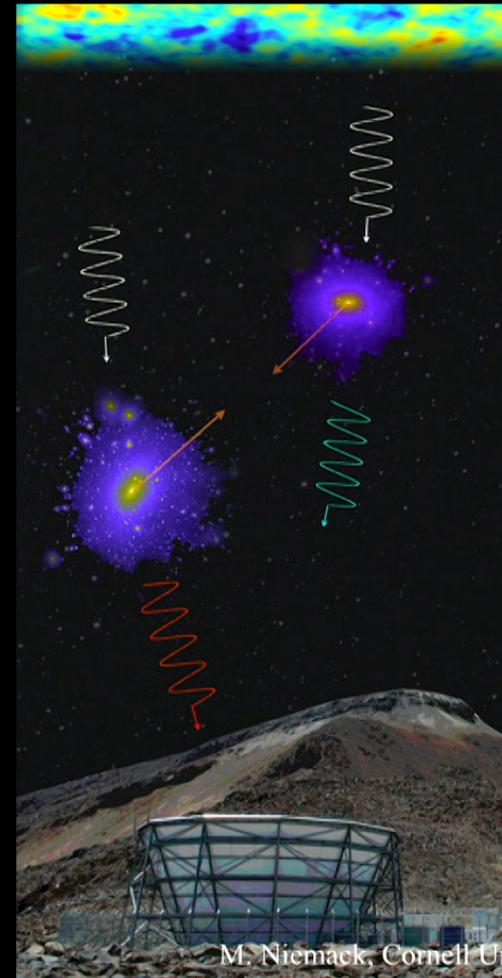
# First Evidence for Pairwise kSZ Effect



ACT data plus LRG redshifts from BOSS enables measure of momentum difference between proximate cluster pairs via kSZ



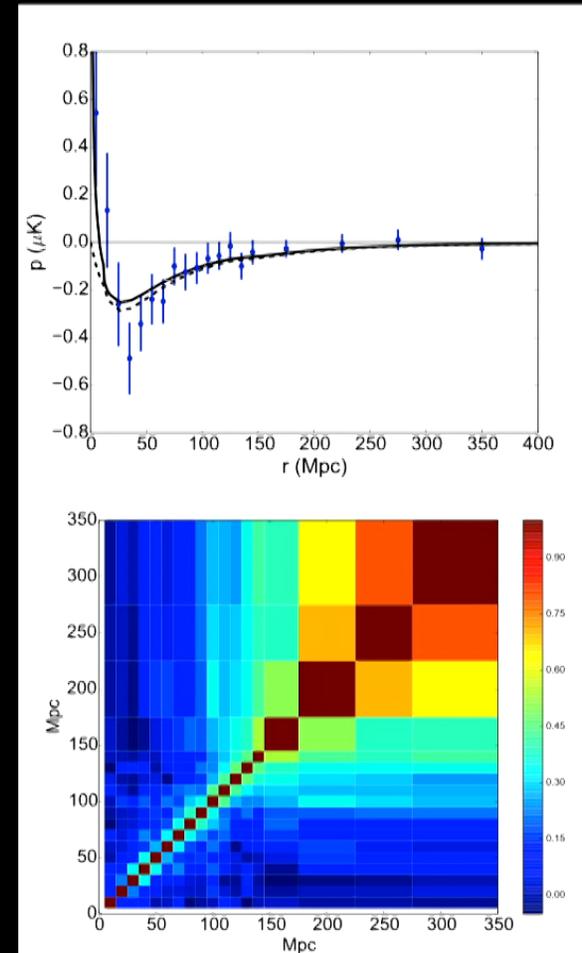
( Hand et al. PRL 2012 )



# Recent Pairwise kSZ Measurement



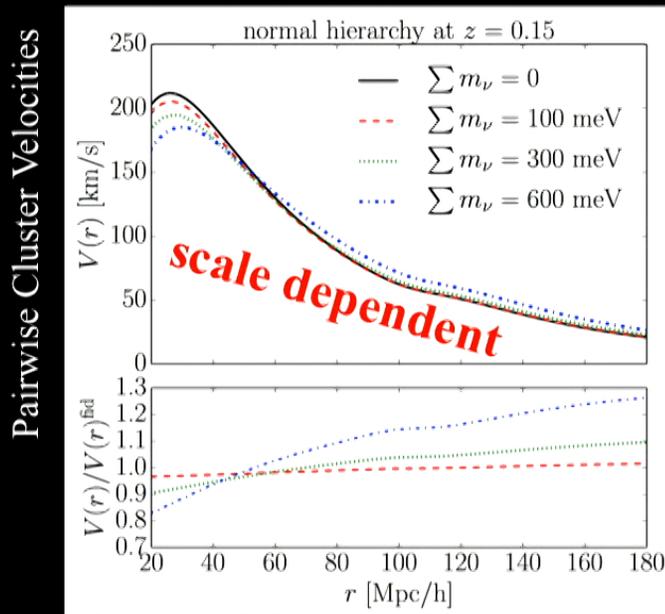
- 2 season ACTPol + BOSS  
( De Bernardis, et al. arXiv:1607.02139)
- Conservative statistical analysis  
=>  $4\sigma$  evidence
- 3 season ACTPol data has  $\sim 4x$   
larger area
- No direct kSZ measurements of  
clusters yet (only substructures)



# Pairwise kSZ Cosmology Forecasts

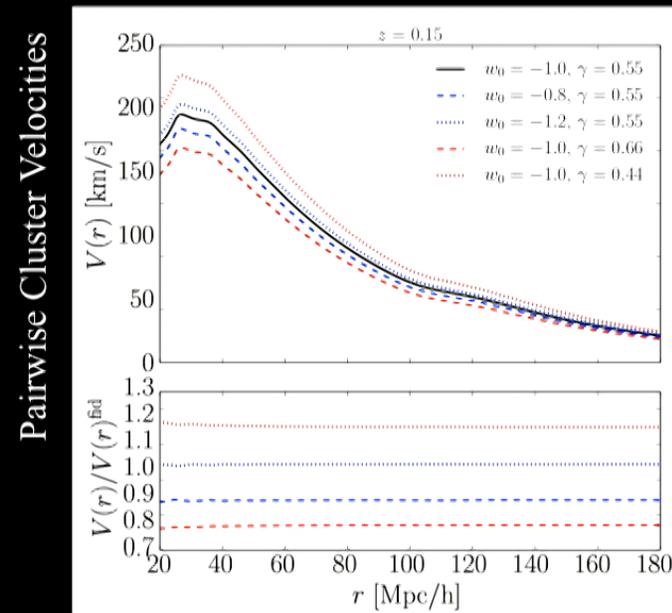
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## Neutrino Mass Sum



Cluster separation

## Dark Energy & Gravity



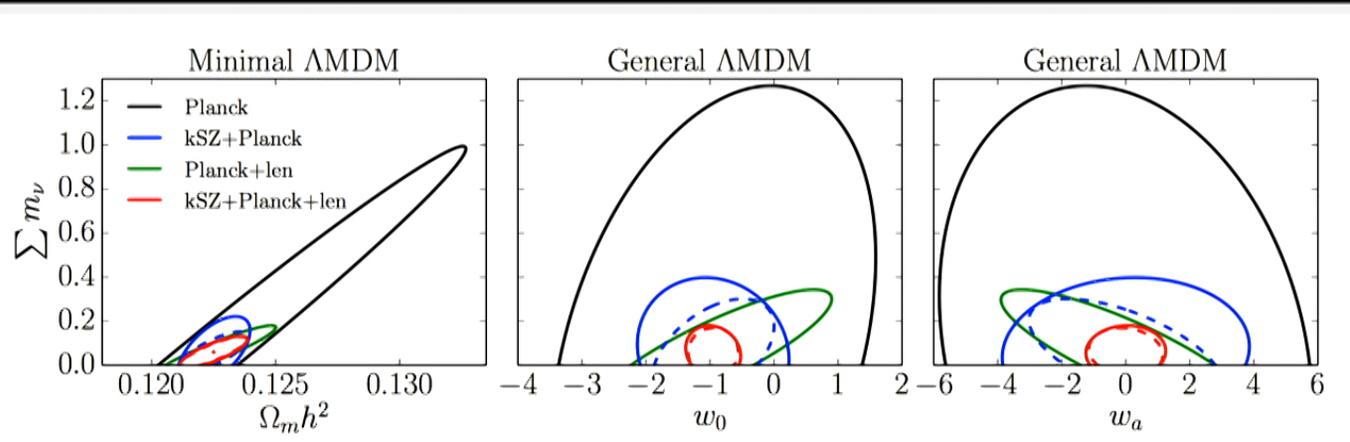
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Pairwise velocity amplitude scales with cluster optical depth

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Planck priors + Pairwise kSZ (from “Stage IV” CMB + DESI)

**conservative**

$$\sum m_\nu < 0.096 \text{ eV}$$

**optimistic**

$$\sum m_\nu < 0.033 \text{ eV}$$

Complementary constraints to lensing, BAO, etc.

Cluster optical depth measurements important for cosmology

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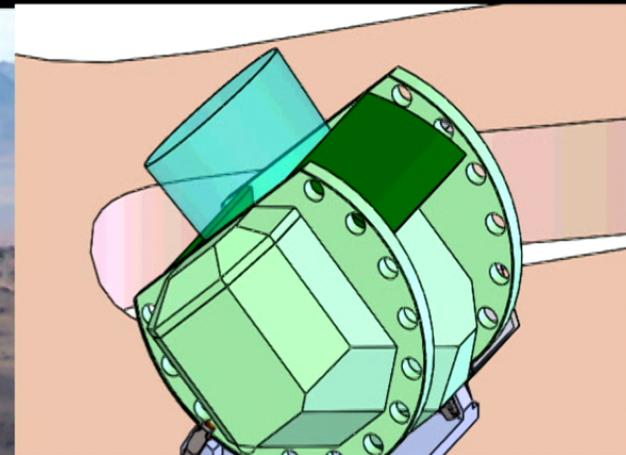
# CCAT-prime will probe transition between gravity and dark energy dominated regimes



- Direct velocity measurements of the most massive bound objects in the universe
- Constrain dark energy, gravity, and neutrinos



The first dedicated survey of galaxy cluster motions



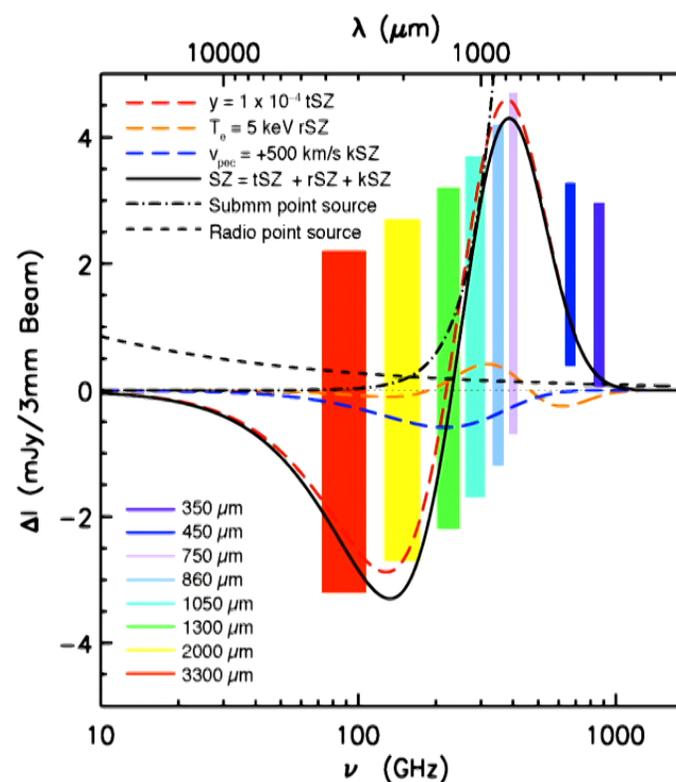
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CCAT-prime bands over SZ signatures

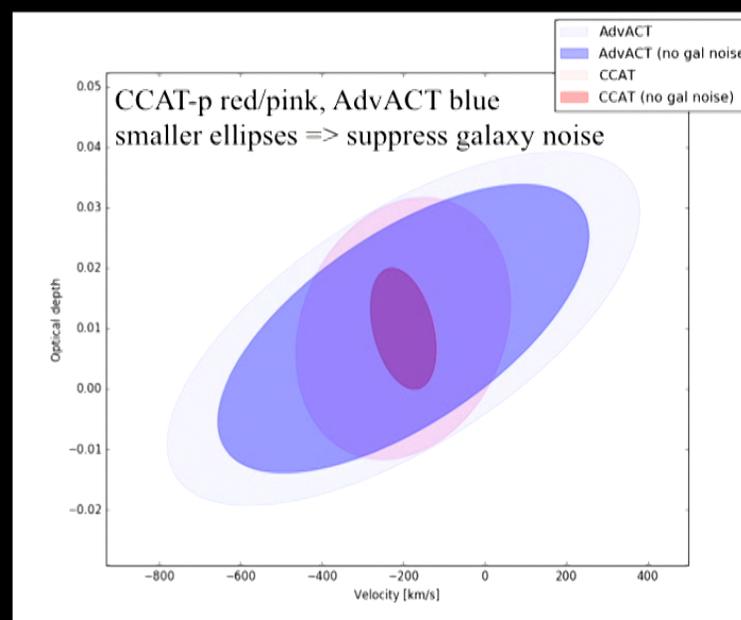


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**CCAT-prime velocity constraints appear much better than Advanced ACTPol**



Forecasts with F. de Bernardis and A. Mittal

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# First Light Instrument Concept



- f/3 telescope, f/1.5 receiver  
Maximize sensitivity of current detector arrays

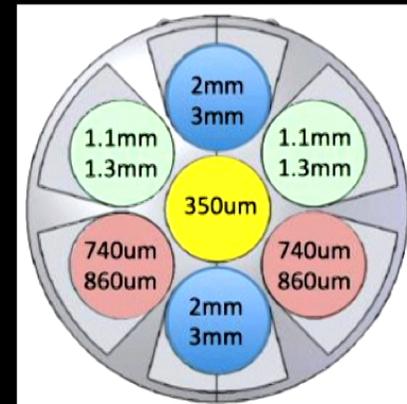
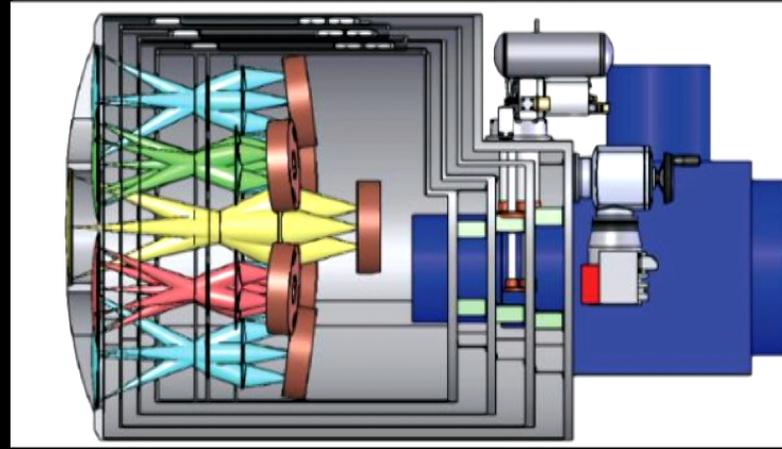
(e.g. Niemack 2016, arXiv:1511.04506)

- Seven sub-cameras

Forecasts assume:

- Cam1: 350  $\mu\text{m}$
- Cam2/3: 740 & 860  $\mu\text{m}$
- Cam4/5: 1.1 & 1.3 mm
- Cam6/7: 2 & 3 mm

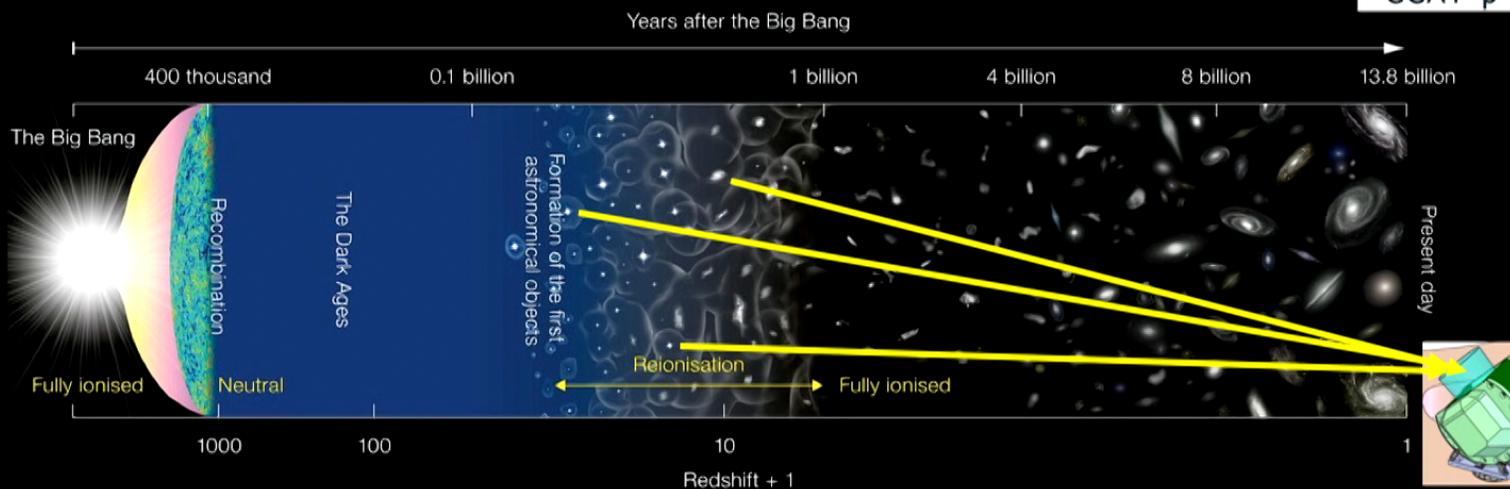
- Polarization detectors at long wavelengths  
=> CMB polarization to inform CMB-S4



# Polarized CMB and Dust Emission

- Polarized galactic dust foregrounds limit current constraints on Inflationary Gravity Waves (e.g. BICEP2)
- Planck measurements suggest several polarized dust bands are needed to detect B-modes with  $r \leq 0.01$   
( Planck intermediate results. XXII and XXXVIII 2015 )
- CCAT-prime SZ instrument with polarization detectors
  - => Unique niche in CMB community
  - => Improve constraints on inflation via foregrounds
  - => Understand galactic dust turbulent energy cascade  
( e.g. Caldwell, Hirata, Kamionkowski, arXiv:1608.08138 )

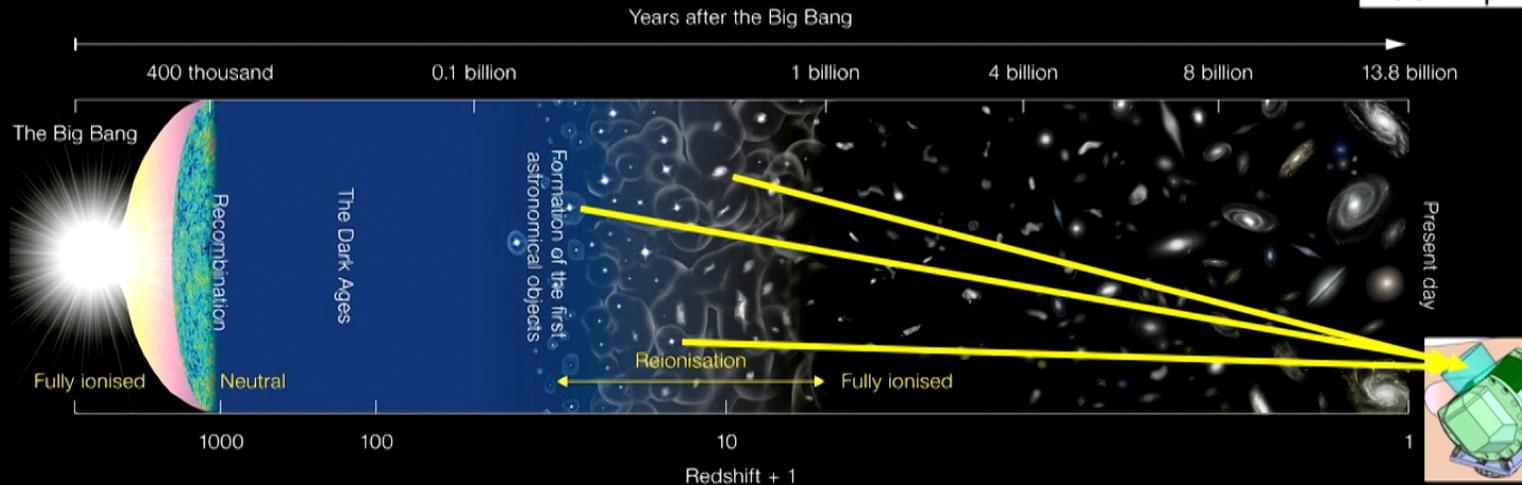
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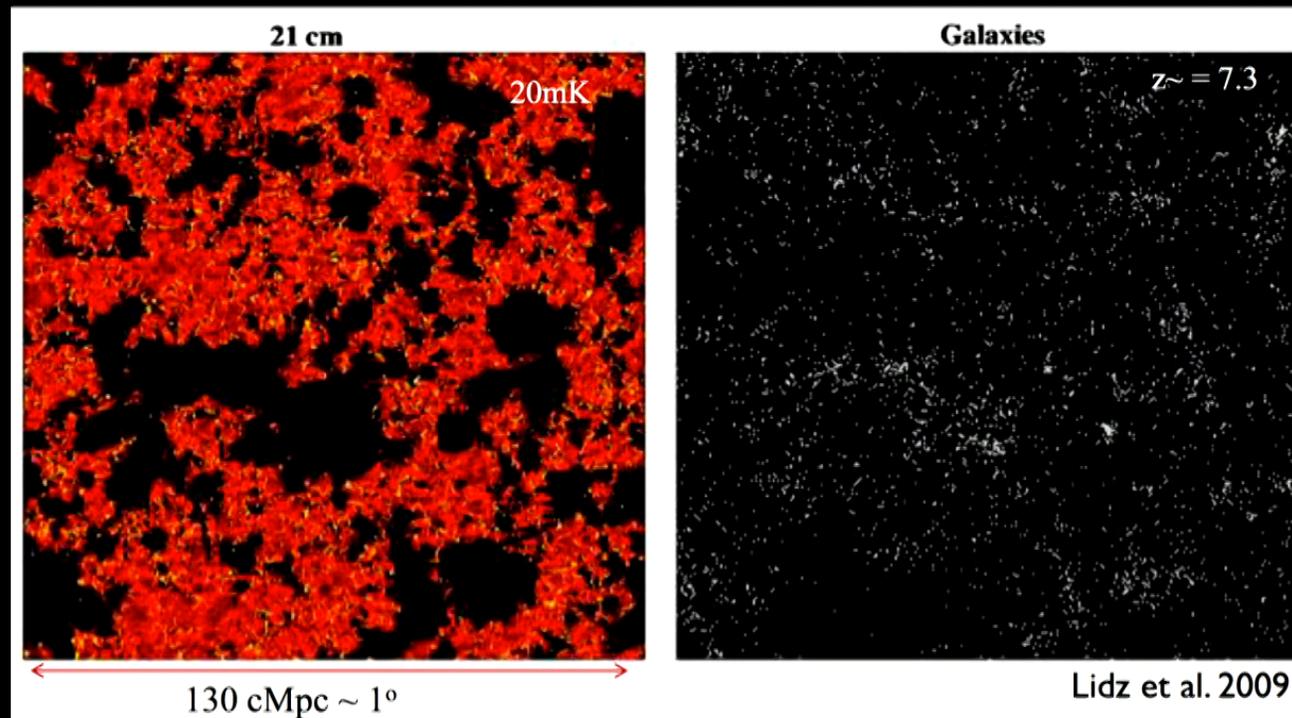
- How and when did the first stars and galaxies form?
- Carbon [CII] – brightest emission line in star forming galaxies

# Reionization with CII line



- CII emission at 158  $\mu\text{m}$   $\Rightarrow$  0.8 – 1.4 mm at  $z = 5 - 9$
- Detects inverse of 21-cm on large scales
- Recent progress: high- $z$  detections of CII with ALMA

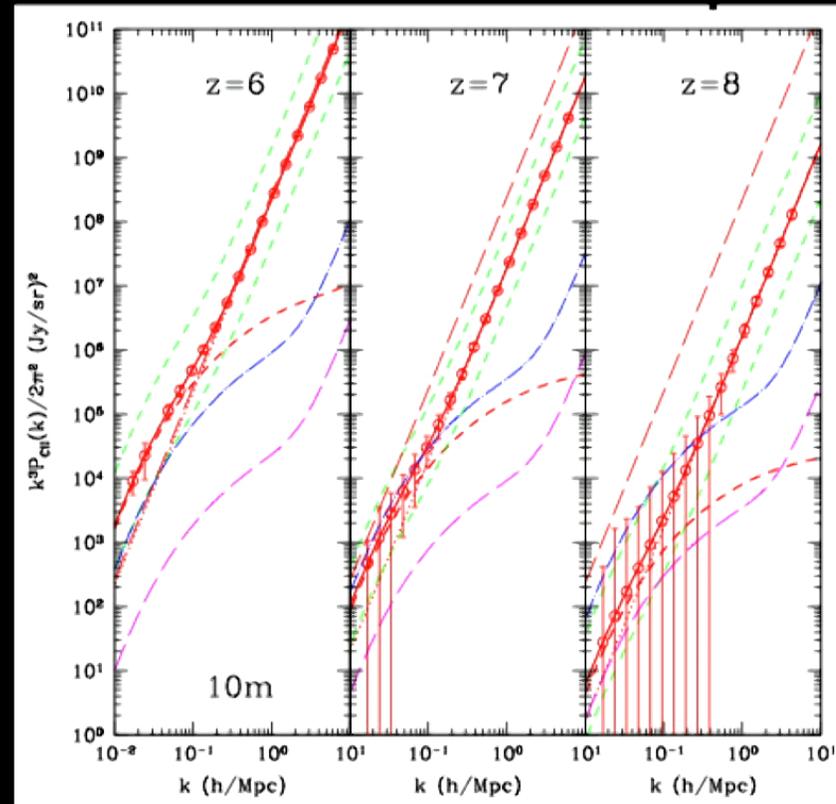
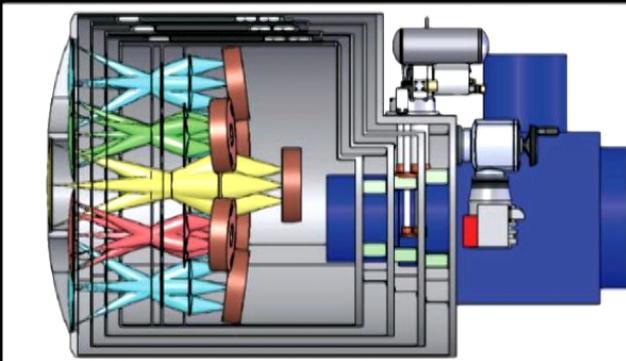
(e.g. Riechers et al. 2014, Capak et al. 2015)



# Testing Models of Reionization



- Strong constraints on star formation history and reionization
- CII measurements with spectroscopic upgrade to first light instrument



( Gong et al. ApJ 2012 )

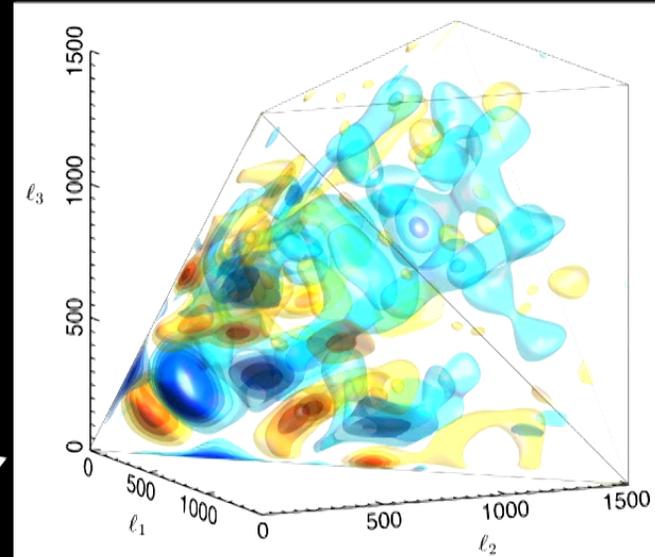
# One more Signature of Inflation: Non-Gaussianity

- Requires higher-order statistics:  
3-point function with  
dimensionless amplitude  $f_{\text{NL}}$

	$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{loc}} \lesssim 1$	$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{loc}} \gtrsim 1$
$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{eq, orth}} \lesssim 1$	Single-field slow-roll	Multi-field
$f_{\text{NL}}^{\text{eq, orth}} \gtrsim 1$	Single-field non-slow-roll	Multi-field

( CITA workshop review, arXiv:1412.4671 )

Natural Target:  $f_{\text{NL}} \sim 1$



( Planck Collaboration XVII 2015 )

- Planck measurements approaching  
CMB limits
- More modes needed to reach  $f_{\text{NL}} \sim 1$   
 $\Rightarrow$  large-scale structure

Type	Planck actual (forecast)
Local	$\sigma(f_{\text{NL}}) = 5$ (4.5)
Equilateral	$\sigma(f_{\text{NL}}) = 43$ (45.2)
Orthogonal	$\sigma(f_{\text{NL}}) = 21$ (21.9)

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# Next generation CII survey and Inflation



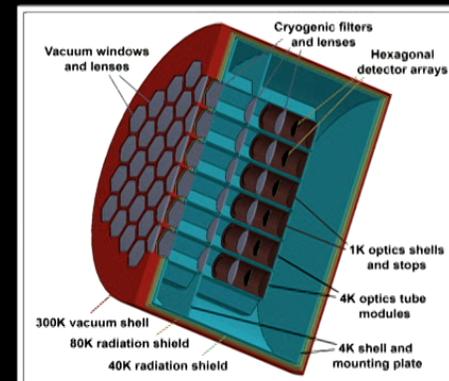
- Large volume spectroscopic surveys may achieve  $\sigma(f_{\text{NL}}) \leq 1$
- CII and 21-cm foregrounds and bias may improve with cross-correlations ( e.g. Gong et al. ApJ 2012 )

## SKA 21-cm $f_{\text{NL}}$ forecast

PNG type	$\sigma_{f_{\text{NL}}}$ (1 MHz)	$\sigma_{f_{\text{NL}}}$ (0.1 MHz)
Local	0.12	0.03
Equilateral	0.39	0.04
Orthogonal	0.29	0.03

( Munoz et al. arXiv:1506.04152 )

- CCAT-prime could eventually host  $\sim 10x$  larger CII spectrometer than previously considered
- Could this reionization probe constrain primordial non-Gaussianity?



# Summary and Status: CCAT-prime



- Significant advances in CMB probes of inflation, dark energy, and neutrinos require high-throughput telescopes
- CCAT-prime offers exciting new capabilities for CMB, galaxy cluster, intensity mapping, and more
- Telescope vendor selection in March 2017, with construction following board approval
- Additional participants welcome (at contribution)

