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Abstract: In recent years, weak lensing of the cosmic microwave background (CMB) has emerged as a powerful tool to probe fundamental physics. The prime target of CMB lensing surveys is the lensing potential, which is reconstructed from observed CMB temperature T and polarization E and B fields. In this talk, I will show that the classic Hu-Okamoto (HO02) estimator used for the lensing potential reconstruction is not the absolute optimal lensing estimator that can be constructed out of quadratic combinations of T , E and B fields. Instead, I will derive the global-minimum-variance (GMV) lensing quadratic estimator and show explicitly that the HO02 estimator is suboptimal to the GMV estimator.

Rapidly expanding field of the line intensity mapping (LIM) promises to revolutionise our understanding of the galaxy formation and evolution. Although primarily a tool for galaxy astrophysics, LIM technique can be used as a cosmological probe and I will point out one such application in rest of the talk. I will show that a linear combination of lensing maps from the cosmic microwave background (CMB) and from line intensity maps (LIMs) allows to exactly null the low-redshift contribution to CMB lensing, and extract only the contribution from the Universe from/beyond reionization. This would provide a unique probe of the Dark Ages, complementary with 21 cm. I will quantify the interloper bias (which is a key hurdle to LIM techniques) to LIM lensing for the first time, and derive a "LIM-pair" estimator which nulls it exactly.

In the end, I will show some results for prospects of observing the Doppler boosted CIB emission and its applications.

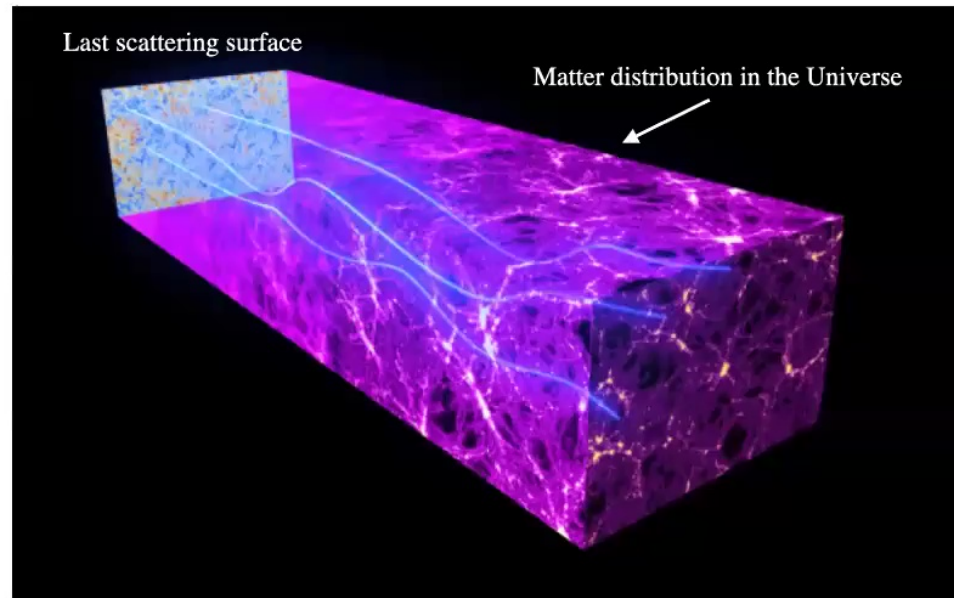
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Weak lensing of the CMB

- Distribution of the foreground matter fluctuations deflects CMB photons
- What we see is a distorted CMB map



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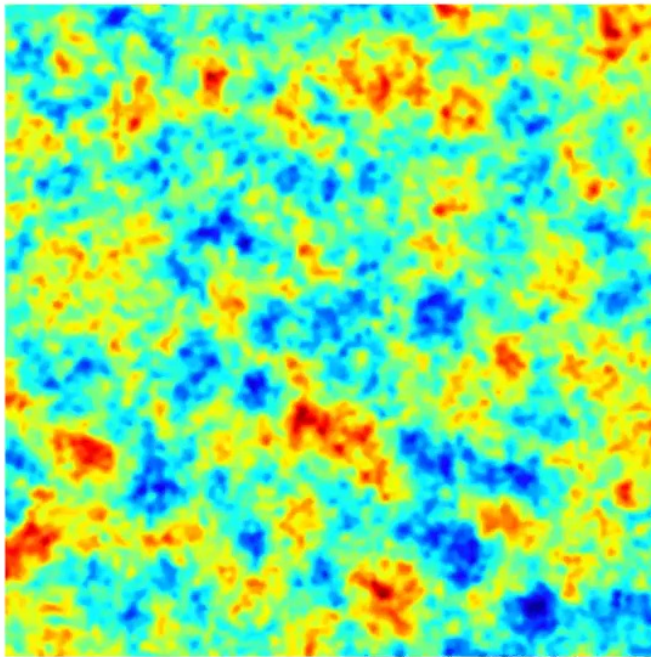
Weak lensing: globally optimal estimator

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Weak lensing of the CMB



credit: <https://www.earlyuniverse.org/neutrinos/>

$$T(\hat{n}) = T^0(\hat{n} + d)$$

lensed map unlensed map deflection angle

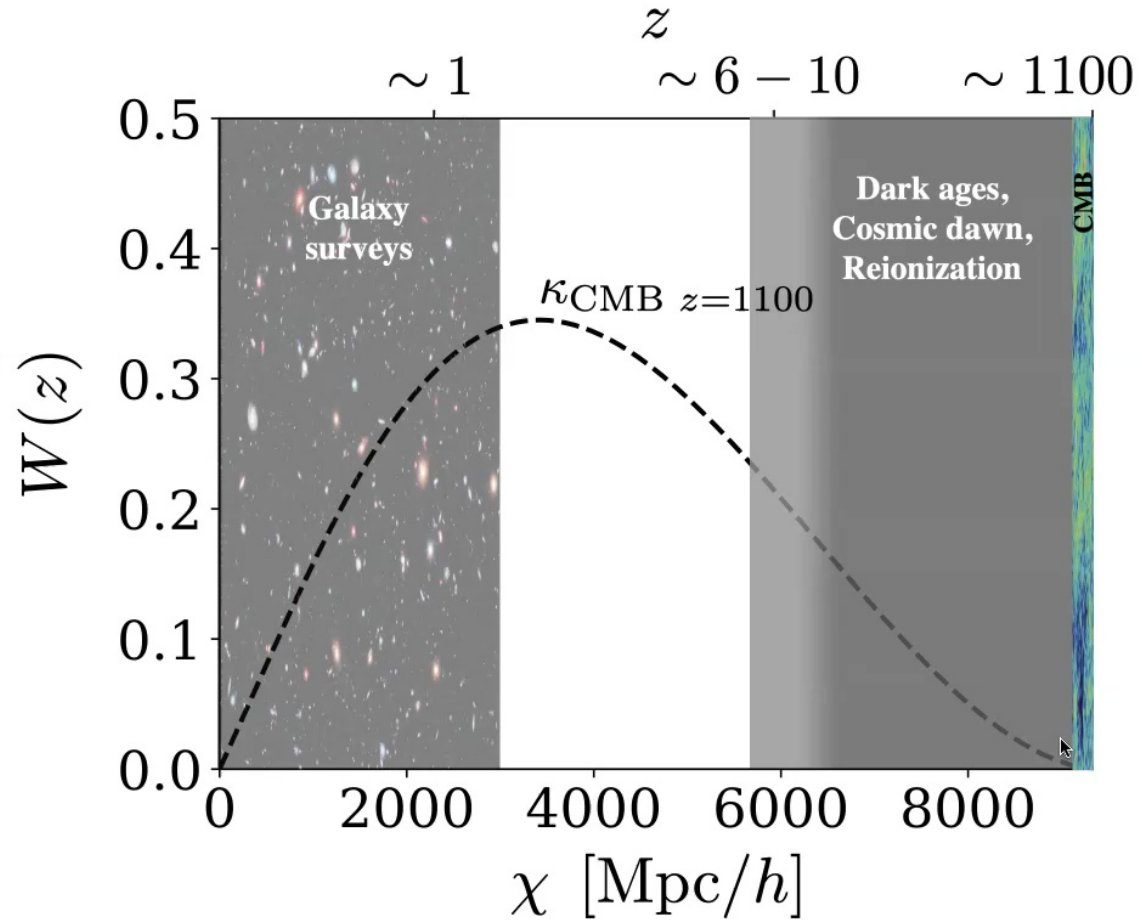
$$d = \nabla\phi \leftarrow \text{lensing potential}$$

$$\text{Reconstruction of } \phi \text{ (or } \kappa = \frac{1}{2}L(L + 1)\phi$$

Projected mass distribution along the line of sight
=> projected map of the matter in the Universe!

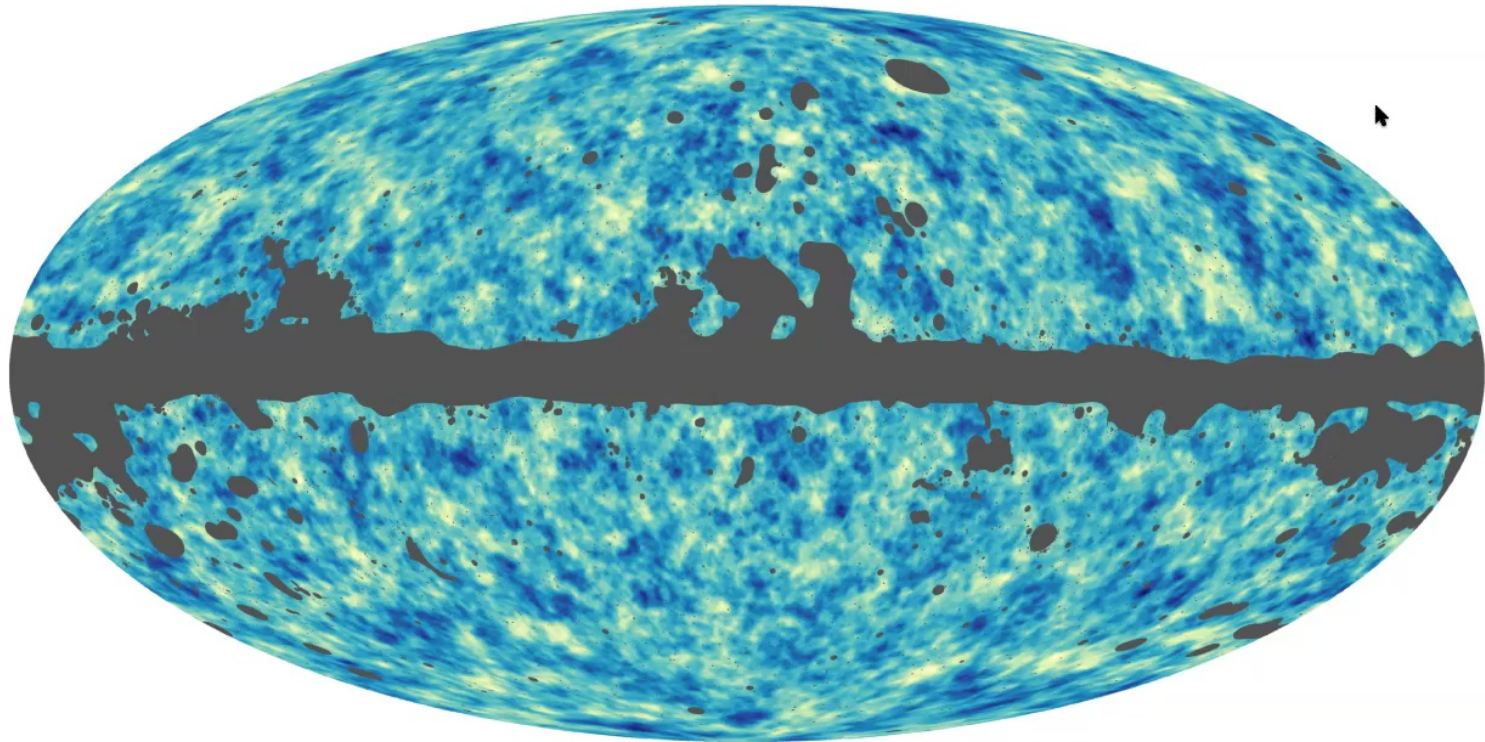
Reconstructing the density field with lensing

- κ probes projected mass density
- Reconstructing $\kappa \Rightarrow$ major cosmology goal of CMB experiments
- $\kappa = \frac{1}{2}L(L + 1)\phi$
↙
 Lensing potential



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Planck lensing reconstruction map



Planck 2018

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Quadratic estimators

$$\langle x^0(\mathbf{l})x^0(\mathbf{l}') \rangle \equiv (2\pi)^2 \delta(\mathbf{l} - \mathbf{l}') C_{\ell}^0 \xrightarrow[\text{lensing}]{\text{No}} \text{Different multipoles uncorrelated}$$

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Several Quadratic Estimators of the CMB weak lensing

- Hu and Okamoto (2002): HO02
- Okamoto and Hu (2003): OH03
- Global minimum variance estimator: GMV
- Suboptimal quadratic estimator: SQE

Used in the final data analysis

HO02

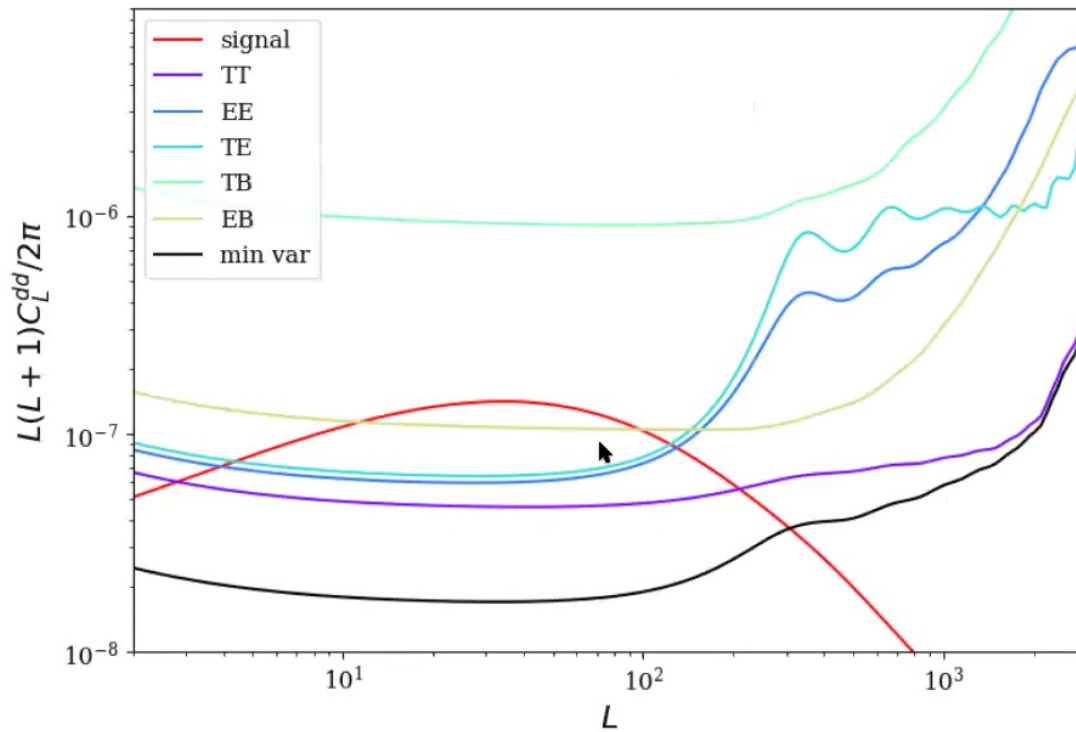
$$\hat{\phi}(\mathbf{L}) \propto \int_{\mathbf{l}_1 \neq \mathbf{l}_2} F_{XY}(\mathbf{l}_1, \mathbf{l}_2) X(\mathbf{l}_1) Y(\mathbf{l}_2)$$

- 5 minimum variance estimators: $\hat{\phi}_{TT}, \hat{\phi}_{EE}, \hat{\phi}_{TE}, \hat{\phi}_{TB}, \hat{\phi}_{EB}$
- Final estimator: minimum variance linear combination of individual estimators

$$\hat{\phi}_{HO02} = w_{TT}\hat{\phi}_{TT} + w_{EE}\hat{\phi}_{EE} + w_{TE}\hat{\phi}_{TE} + w_{TB}\hat{\phi}_{TB} + w_{EB}\hat{\phi}_{EB}$$

$$w_{TT} + w_{EE} + w_{TE} + w_{TB} + w_{EB} = 1$$

HO02: SO-like experiment



- Individual TT, EE, TE, TB, and EB estimators
- MV estimator out of combination of individual estimators
- Temperature dominated data

GMV

- HO02 consider the correlations between different XY pairs **after** integrating over l_1 and l_2
- GMV: Account for these correlations at each l_1 and l_2
- Less noisy than HO02 and best possible minimum variance quadratic estimator!

$$\phi_{mv} \propto \int \left(F_{TT}T(\mathbf{l})T(\mathbf{l}') + F_{EE}E(\mathbf{l})E(\mathbf{l}') + F_{TE}T(\mathbf{l})E(\mathbf{l}') + F_{TB}T(\mathbf{l})B(\mathbf{l}') + F_{EB}E(\mathbf{l})B(\mathbf{l}') \right)$$

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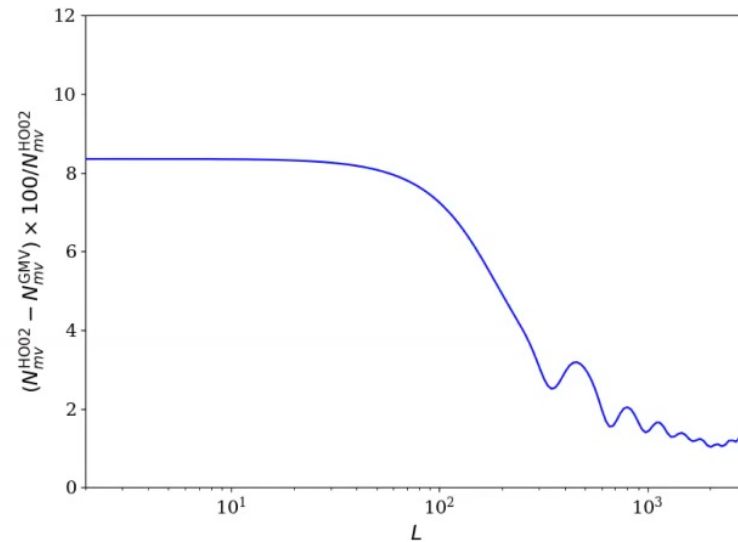
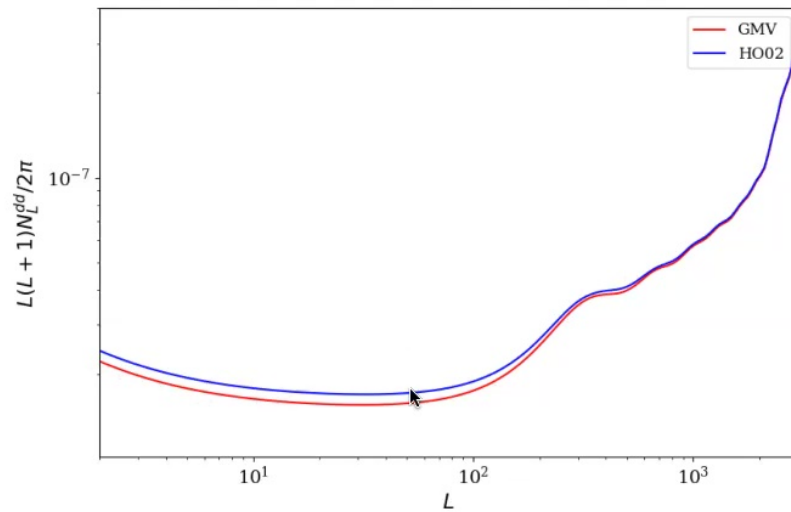
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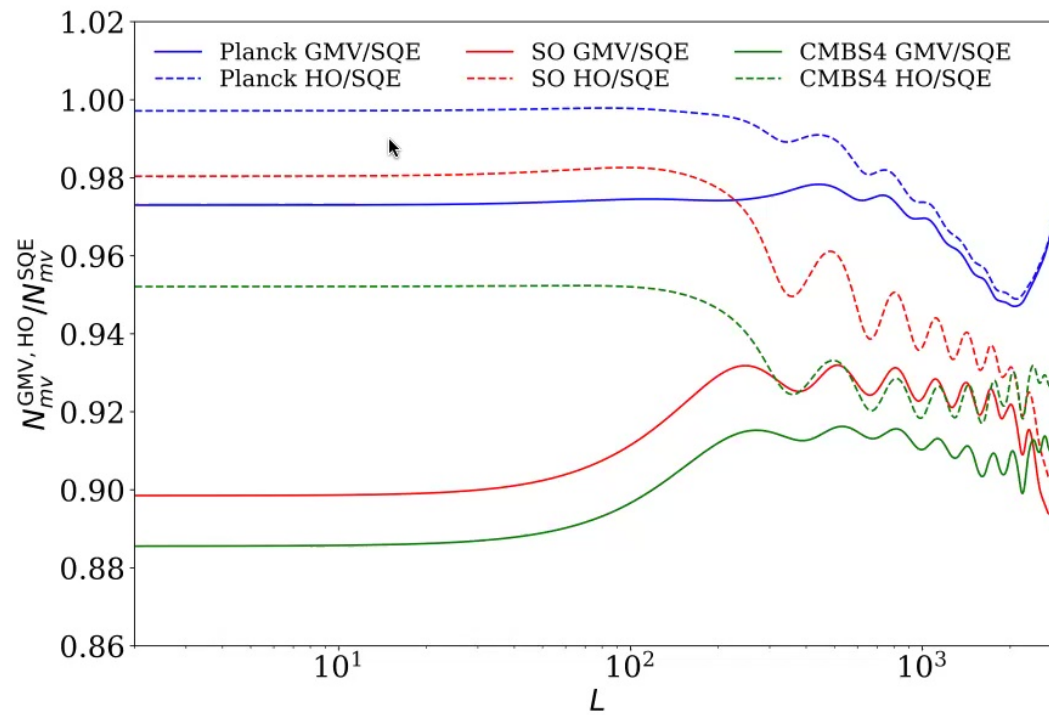
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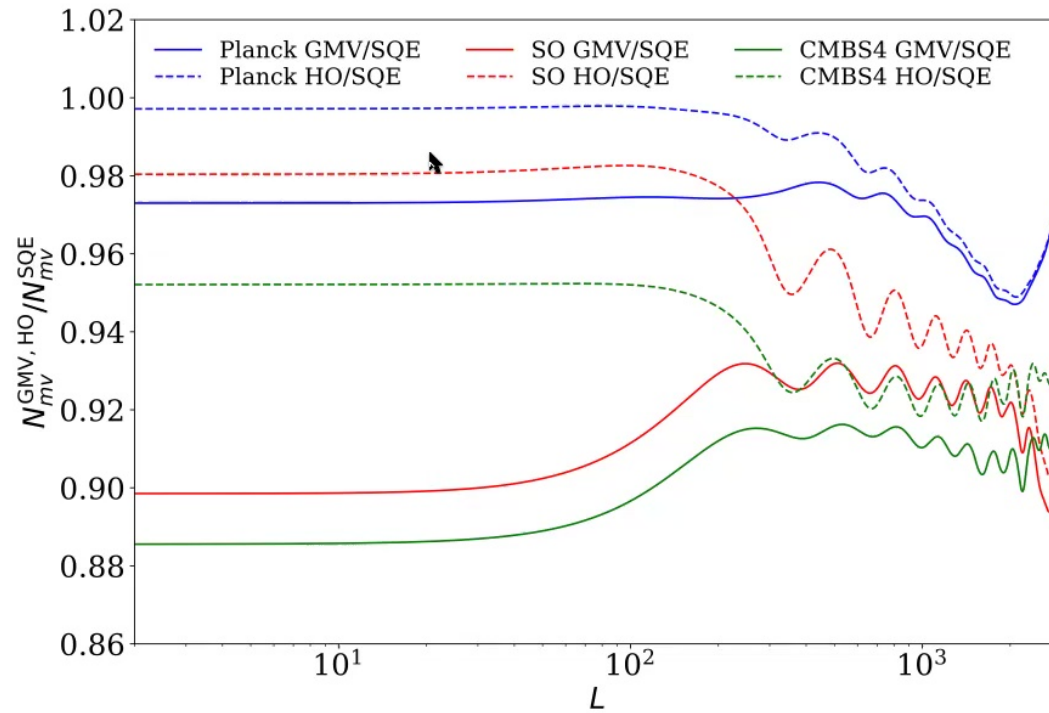


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Conclusions

- HO02 optimisation procedure does not lead to absolute minimum-variance QE
- GMV is the global minimum-variance QE
- Arguments applicable to full-sky as well
- Cross-correlation studies of lensing, delensing will benefit by smaller noise on reconstruction: GMV

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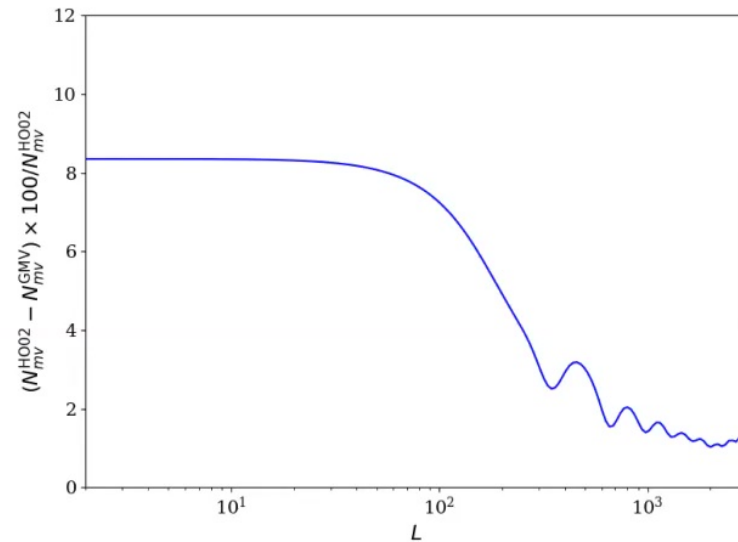
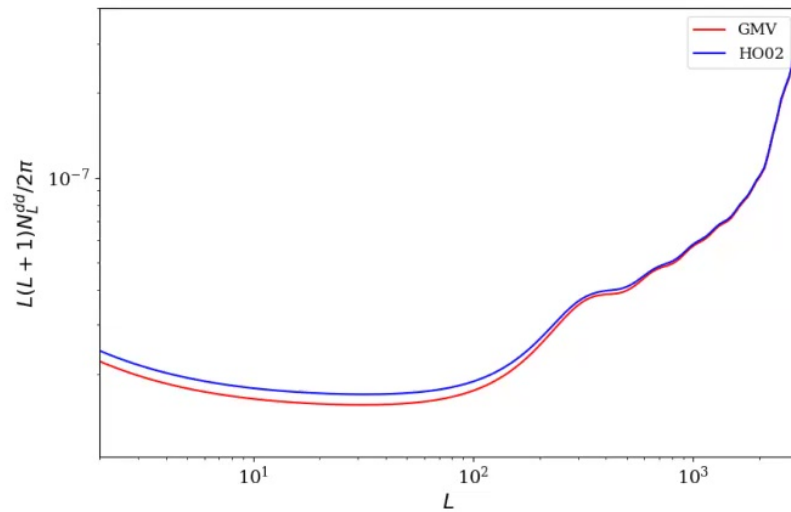
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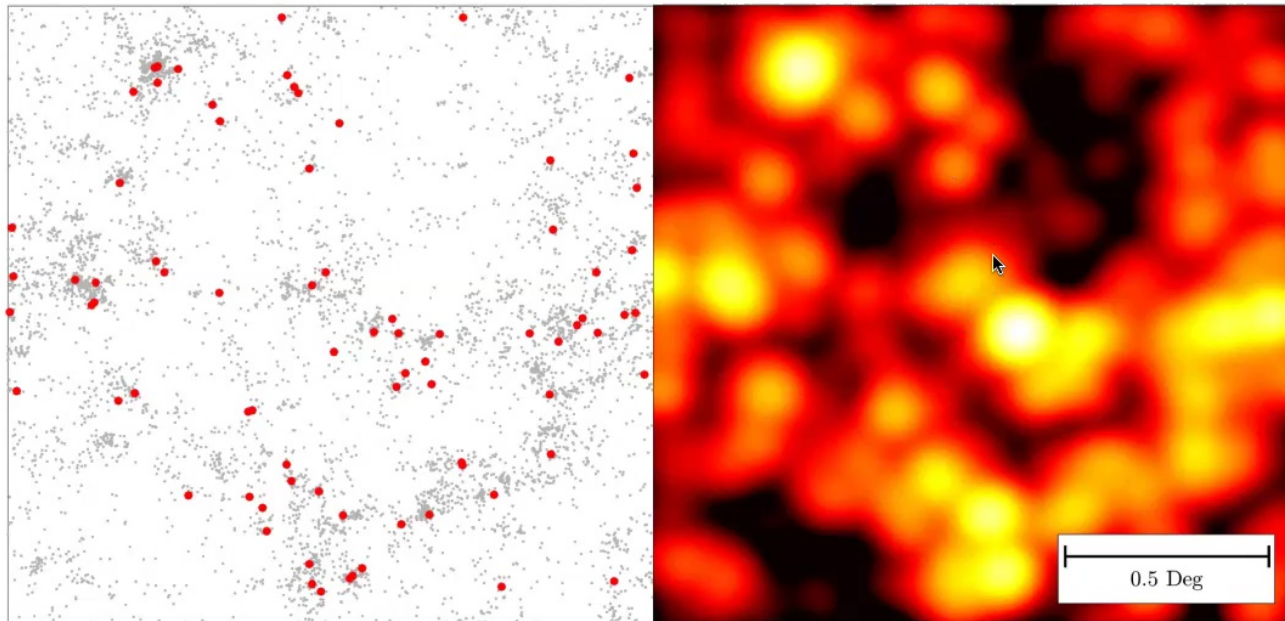
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Line intensity mapping

Measures **aggregate intensity** in large 2D pixels in multiple frequency bins



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Faint Galaxies

Bright Galaxies

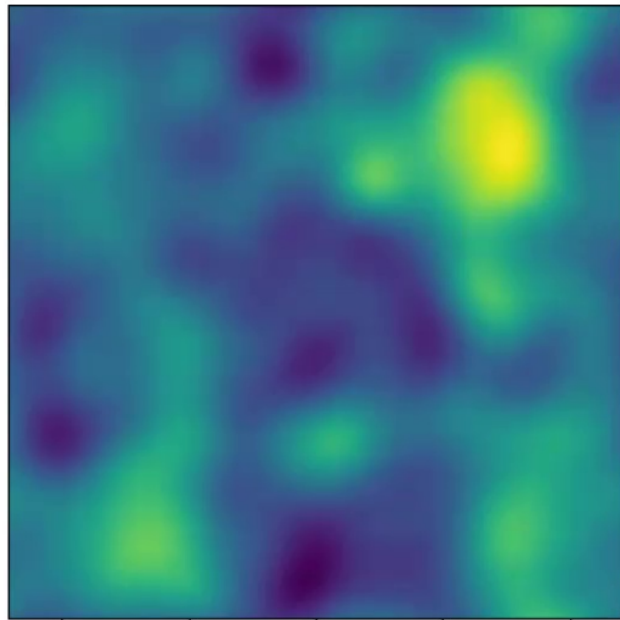
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Interlopers & continuum

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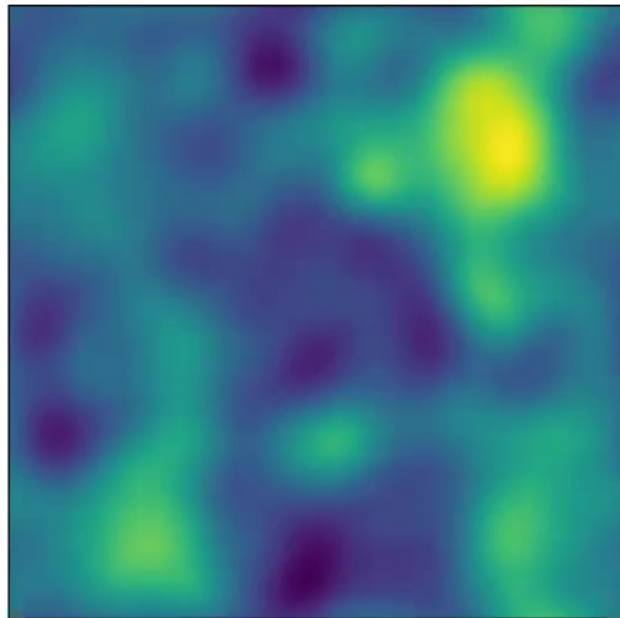


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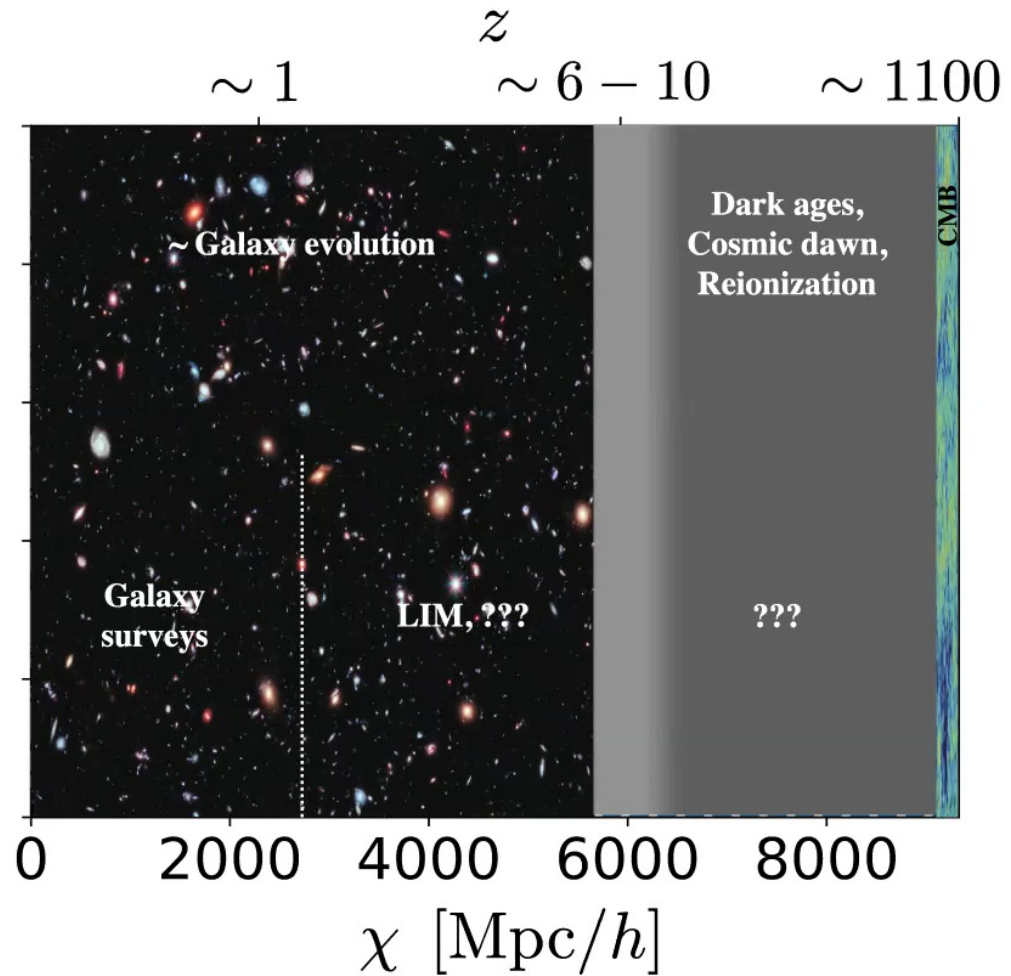
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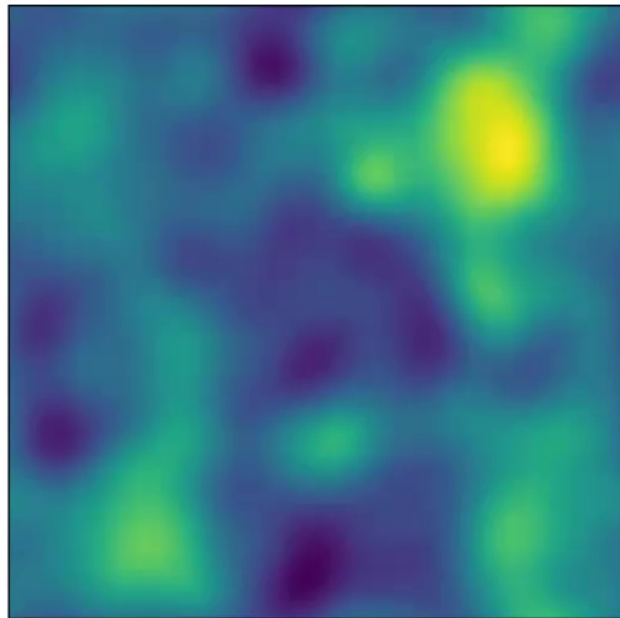
- Galaxy surveys: matter density field at $z < \sim 1.5$
- LIM at high redshifts?
 - * Continuum foregrounds render modes perpendicular to LOS $k_{\parallel} \simeq 0$ unusable for cosmology
- Constructing matter density field at $z > \sim 1.5$ quite difficult
- Cosmic dawn, dark ages even more difficult
- Some new probe?



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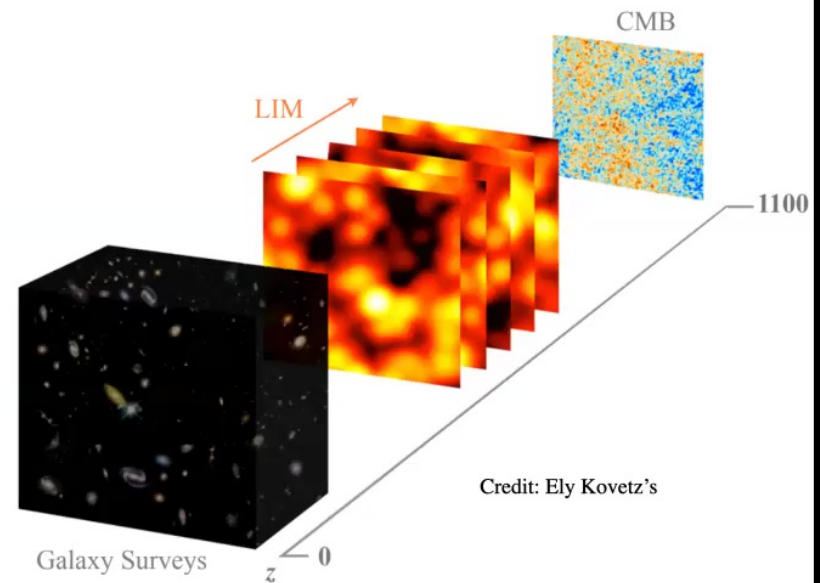
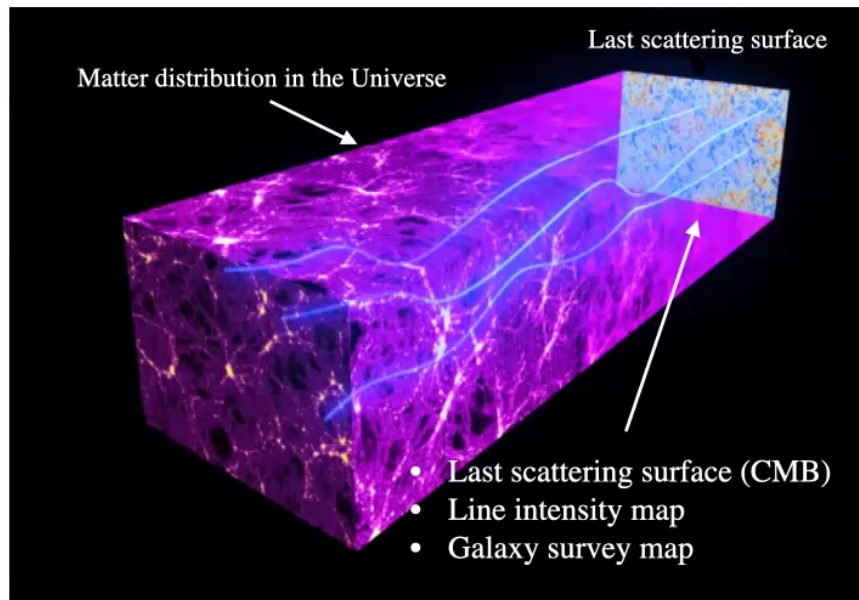


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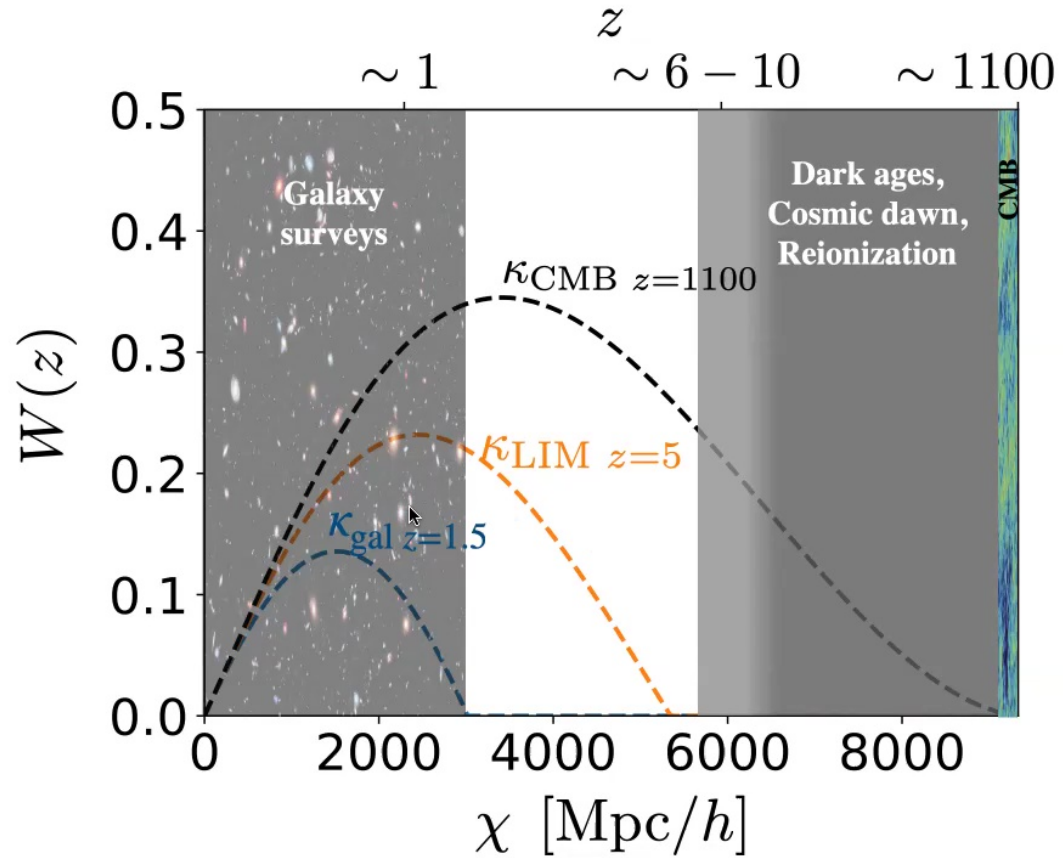
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Reconstructing the density field with lensing

- κ probes projected mass density



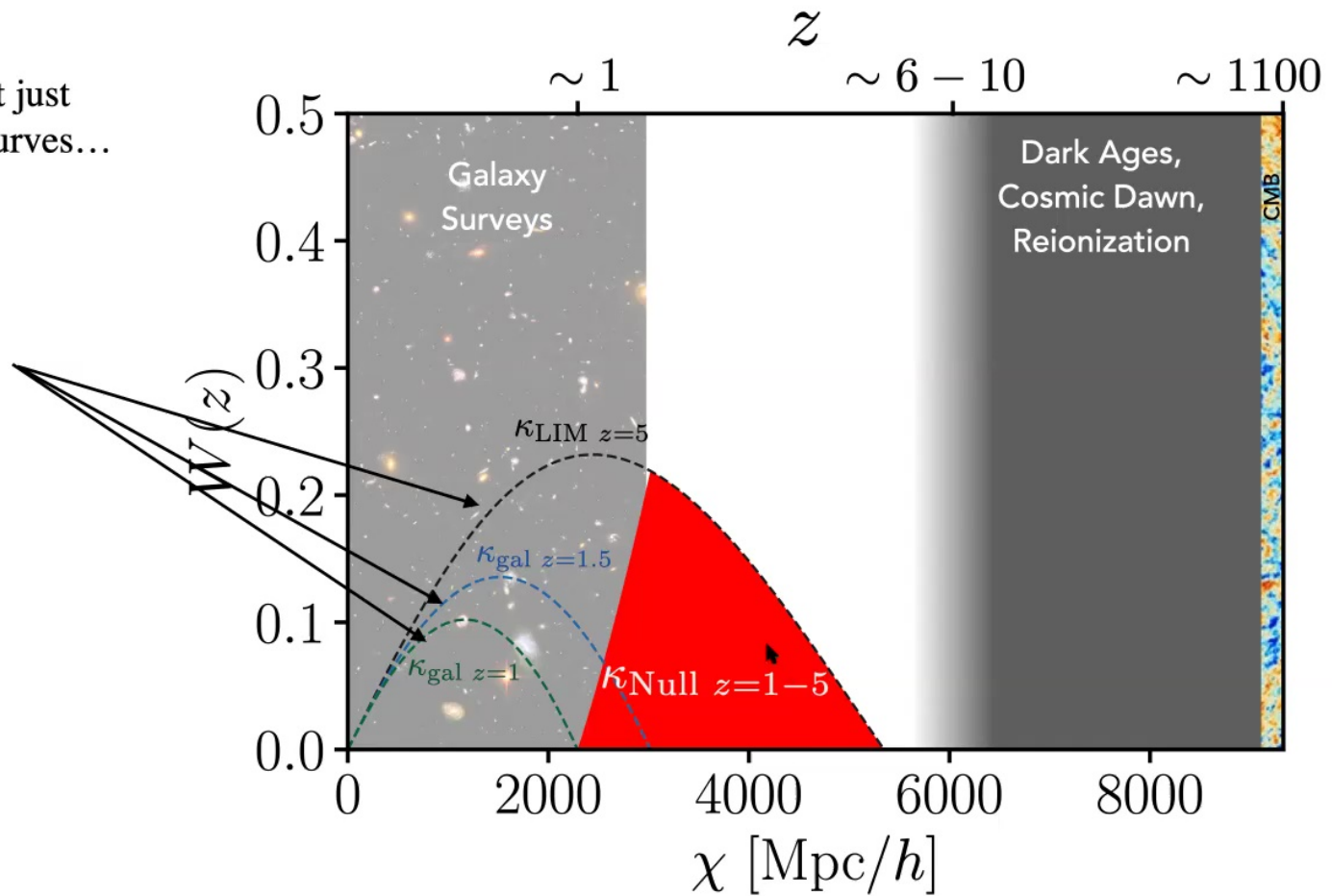
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But..

- How can we access the density field only for e.g. $1 < z < 5$?
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- Galaxy surveys too expensive and limited at high redshifts

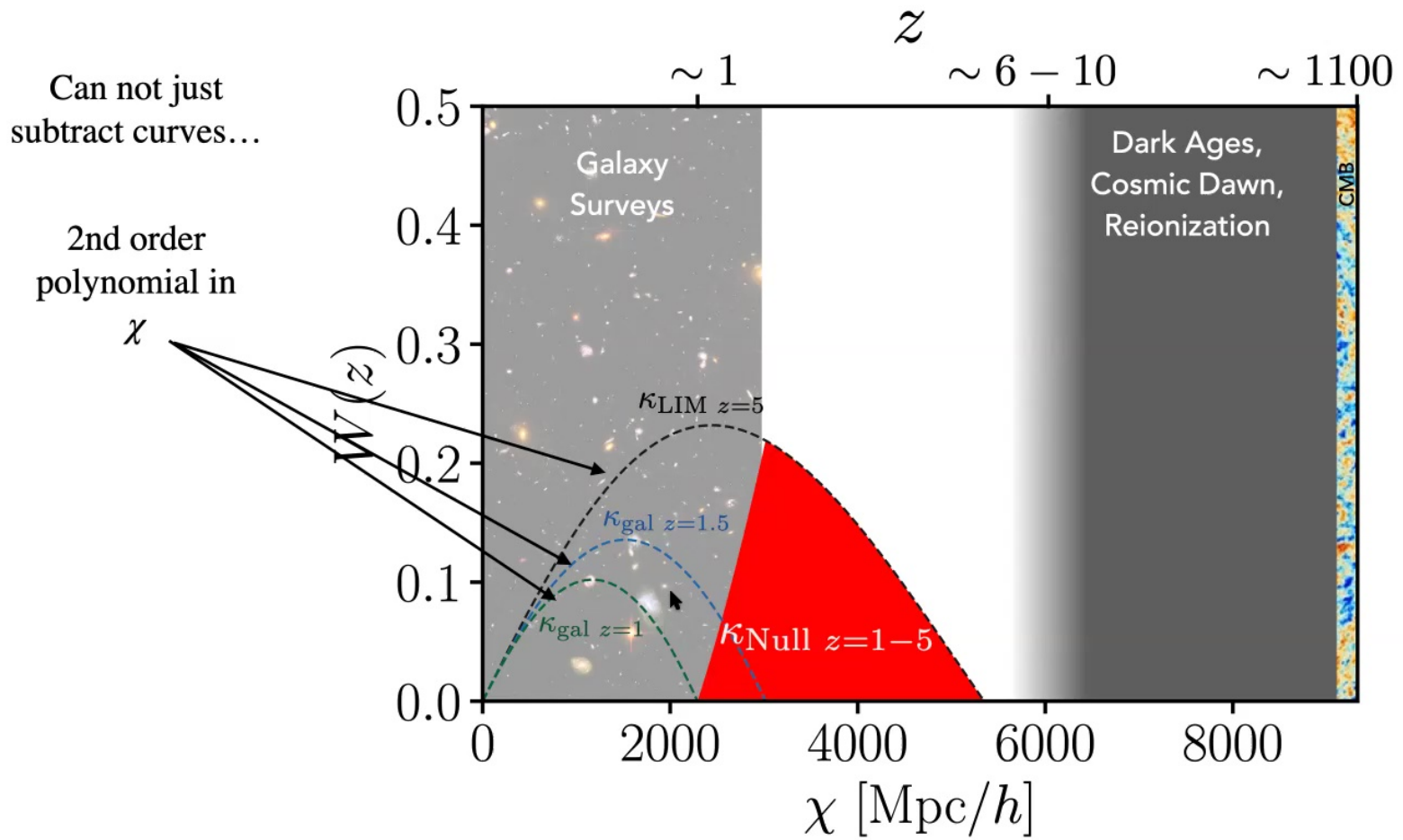
Nulling!

Can not just subtract curves...



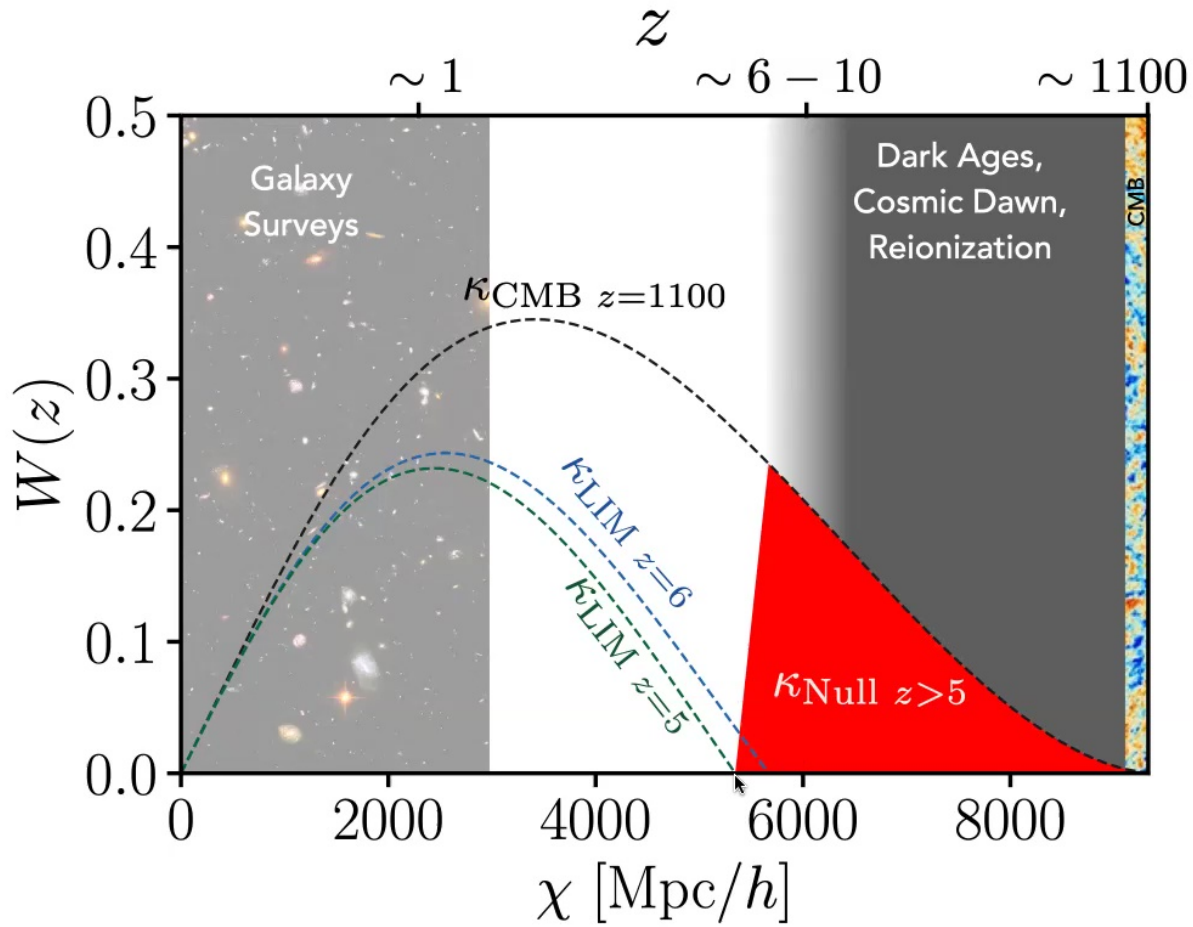
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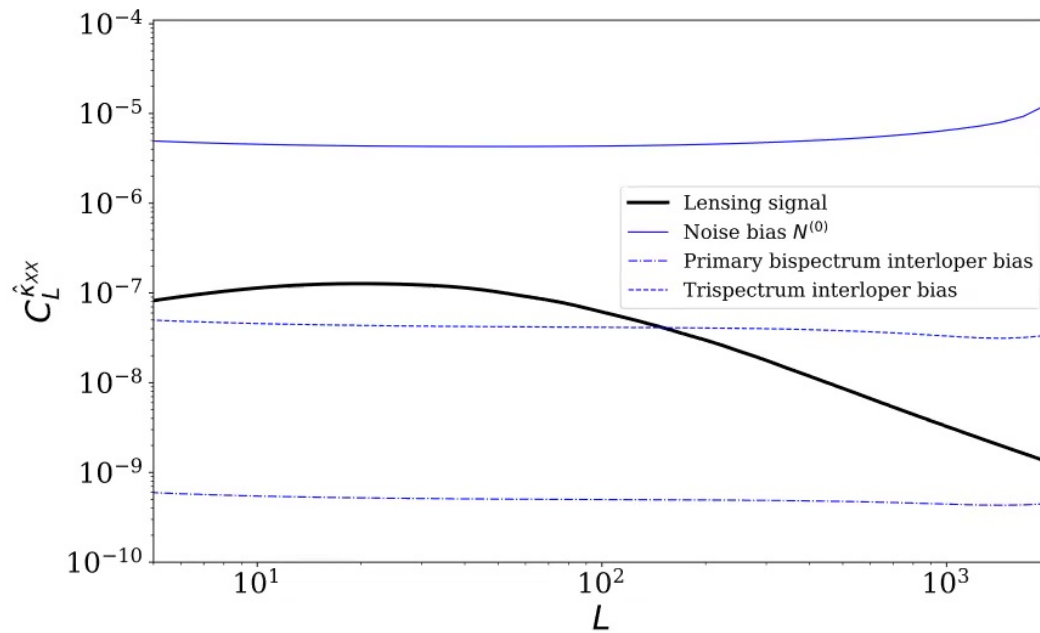


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LIM Lensing: issues!

- Non-linear nature of the LIM biases the inferred lensing from LIM
 - ➔ Bias hardened estimators (Foreman et al. 2018)
 - ➔ Modifying lensing weights to to down-weight mode combinations coupled through nonlinear effects (Schaan et al. 2018)
- Continuum foregrounds like CIB or the Milky Way
 - ➔ Avoided by discarding the 3D Fourier modes with low k_{\parallel}
- Interlopers?
 - ➔ Have not been addressed for LIM lensing
 - ➔ Bias the signal $\rightarrow C_L^{\kappa\kappa}$

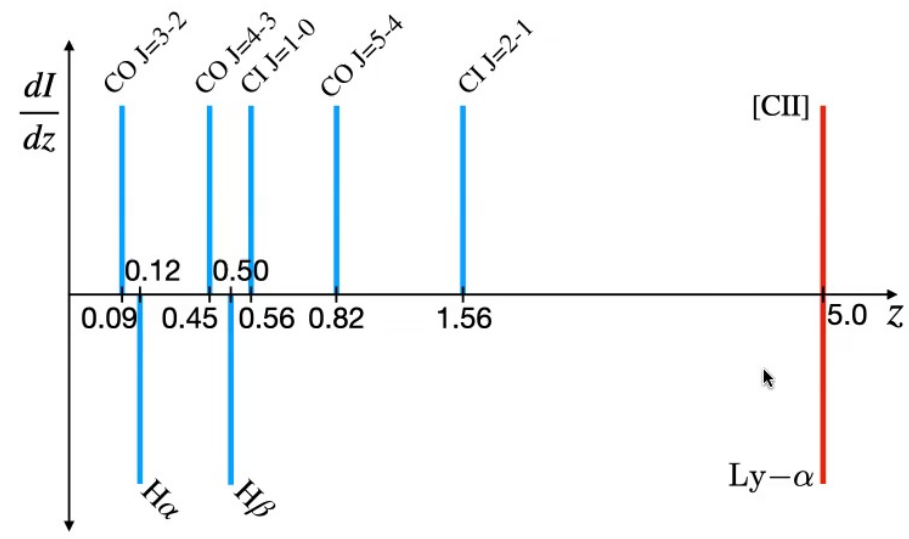
LIM Lensing



$$\mathbf{X} = Ly - \alpha \text{ at } z = 5$$

- Interloper contamination produces dominant non-Gaussian bias to lensing power spectrum
- Need a new estimator to get rid of the bias!

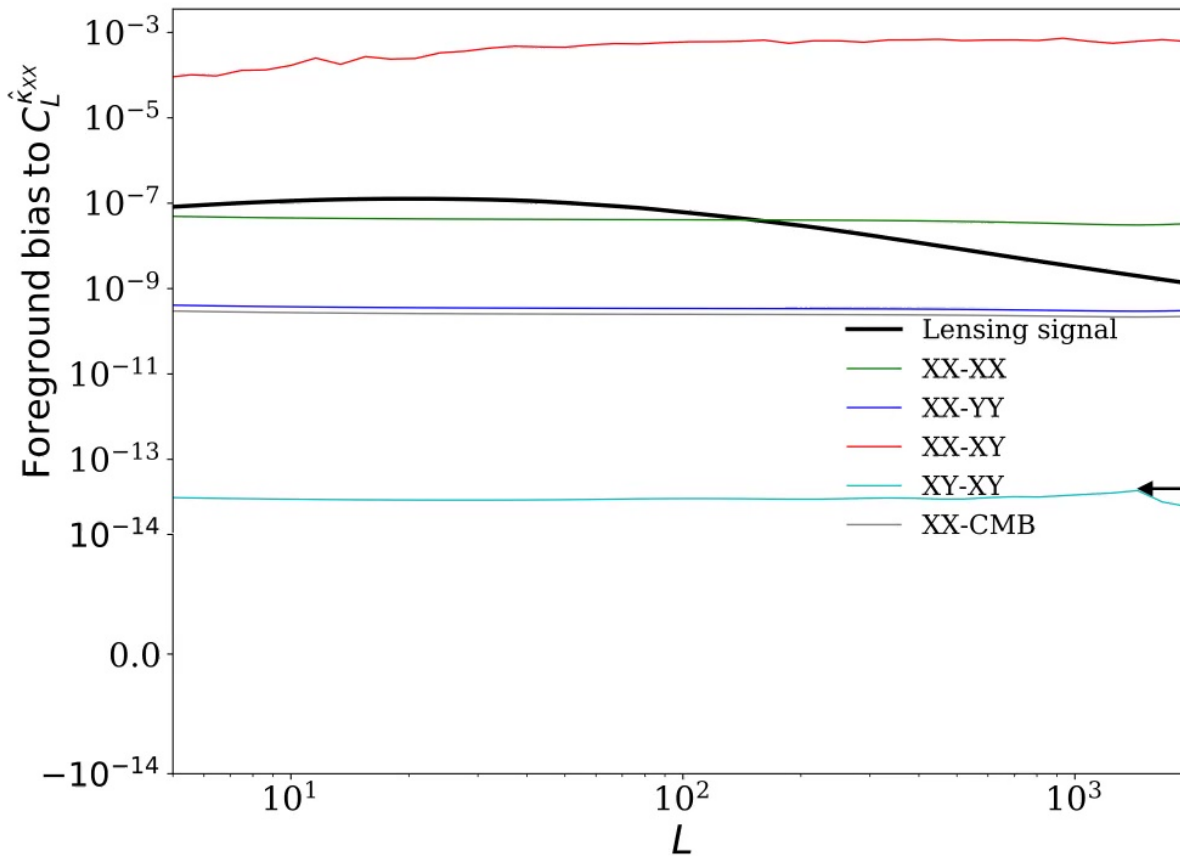
“LIM-pair” lensing!



- Choose two target lines at the same redshift
- Only condition: interlopers should not overlap in redshift!

$$\kappa_{XY} \rightarrow X, Y = [\text{CII}], \text{Ly}-\alpha, \dots$$

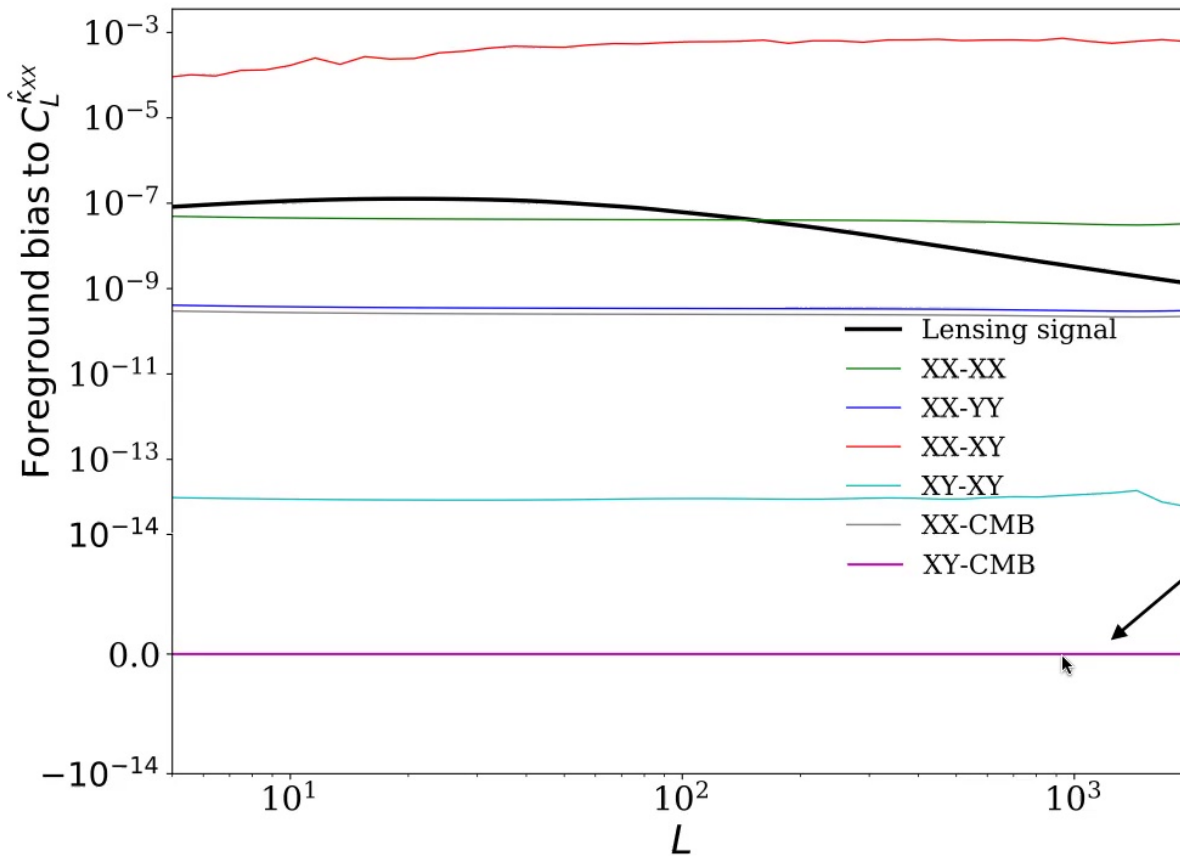
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XY is biased as well!
 ↓
 Secondary bispectrum bias

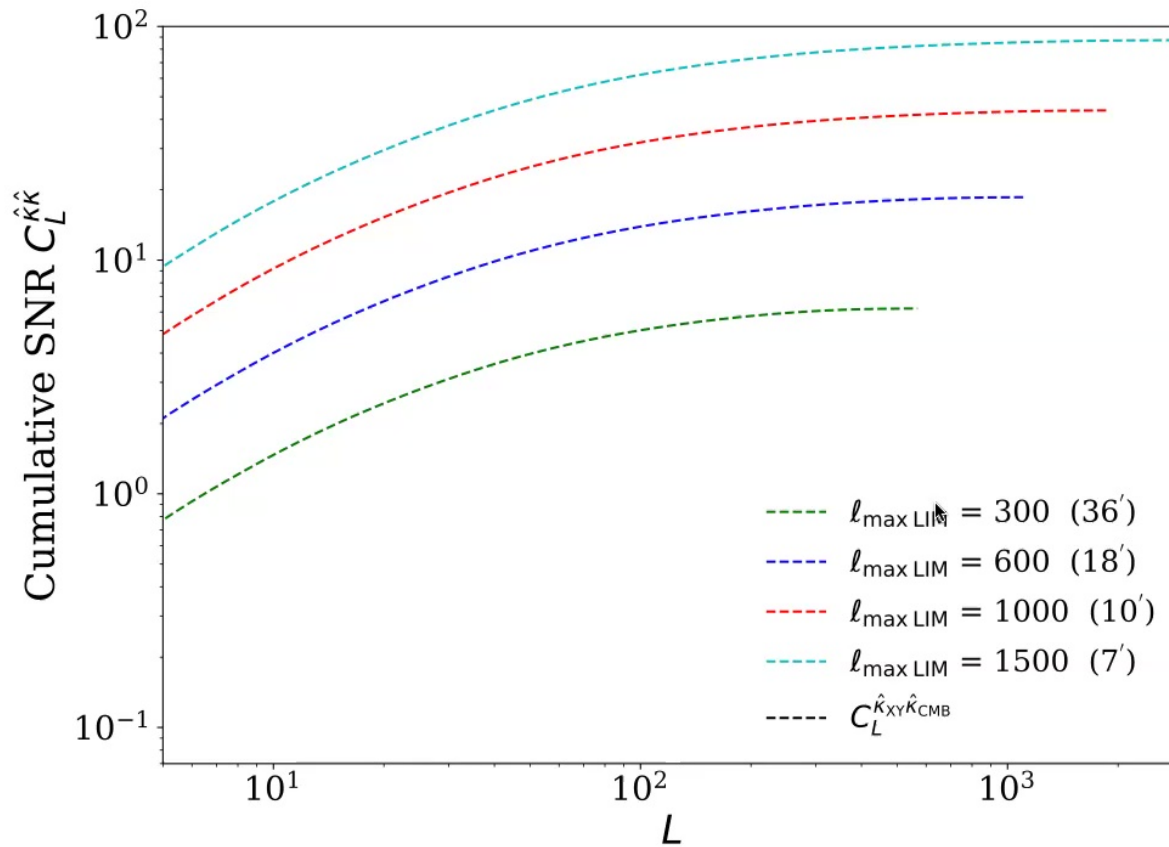
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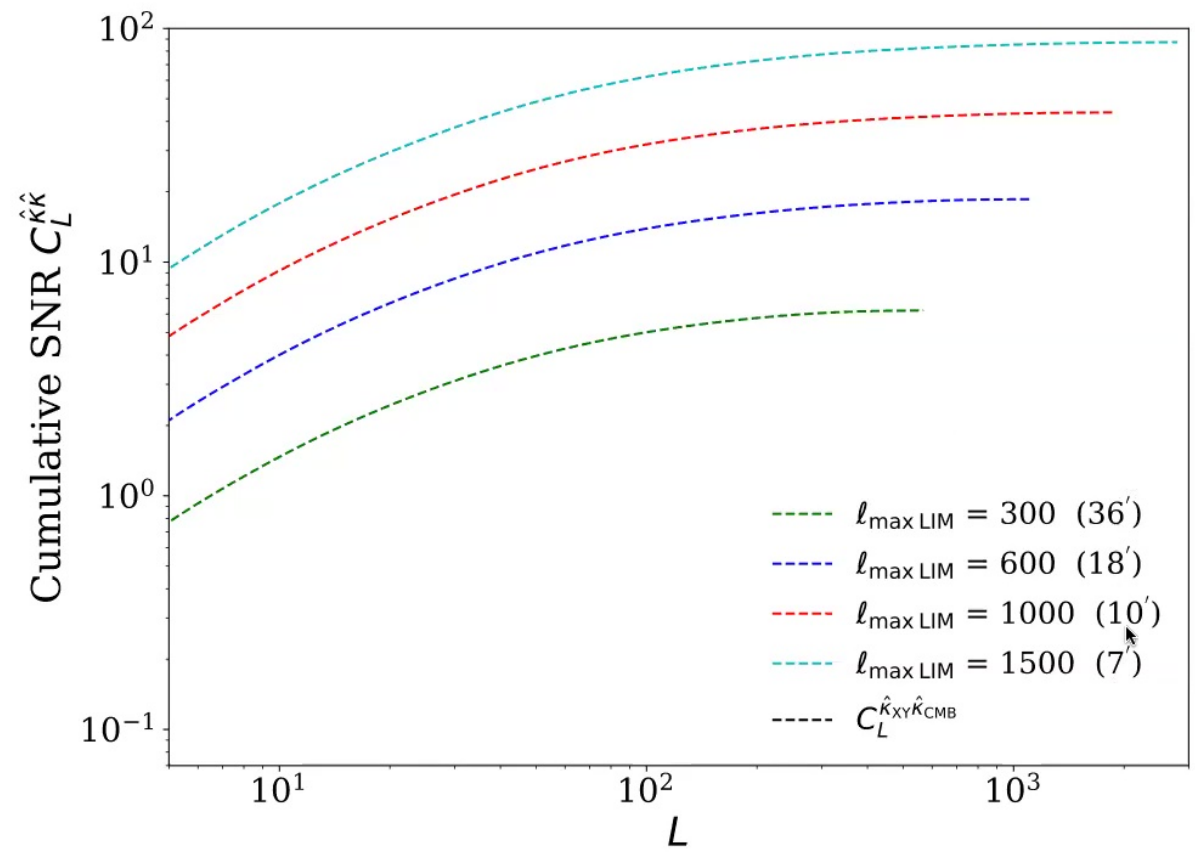
$\langle \hat{\kappa}_{XY} \hat{\kappa}_{\text{CMB}} \rangle$
Zero non-Gaussian
bias!

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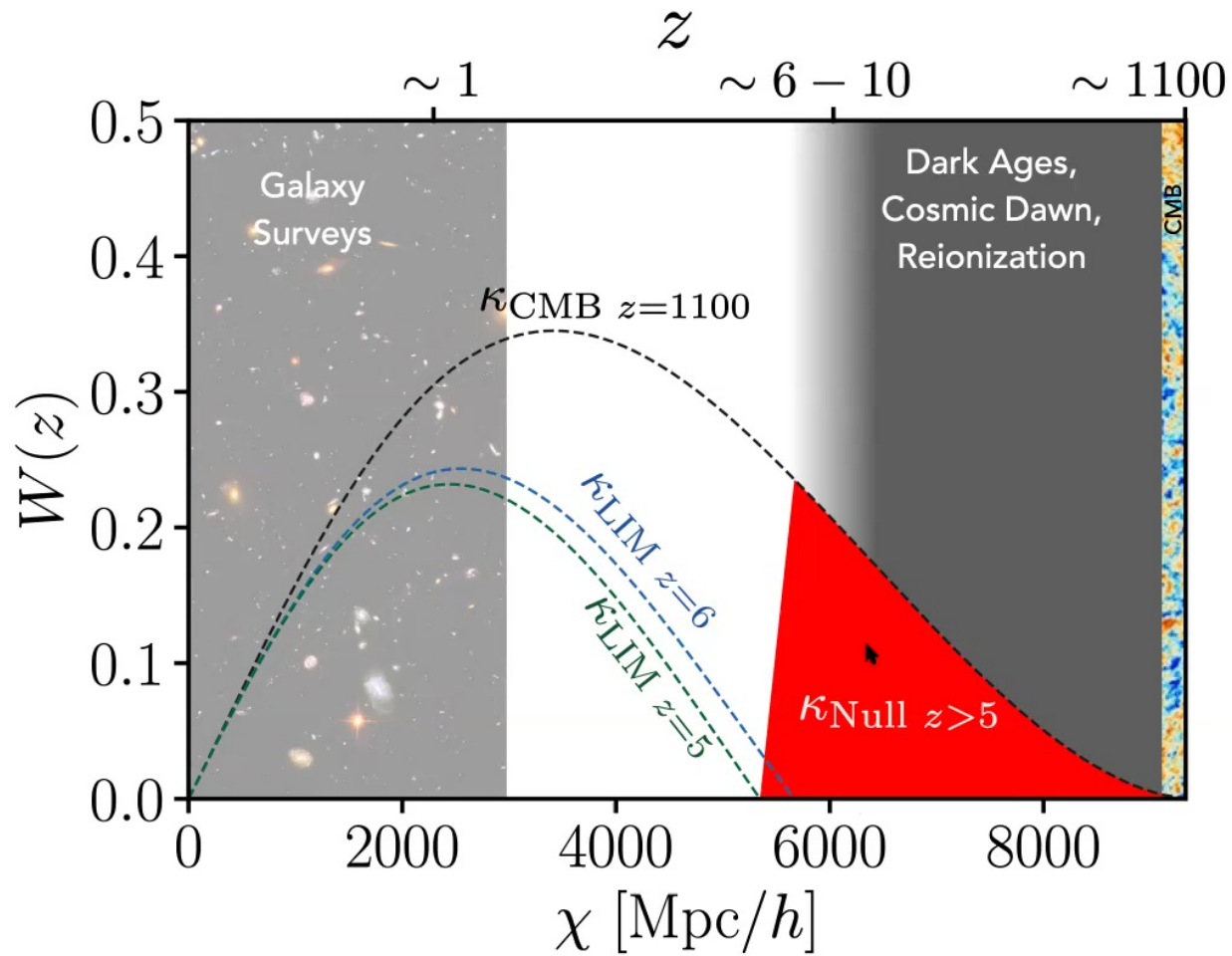
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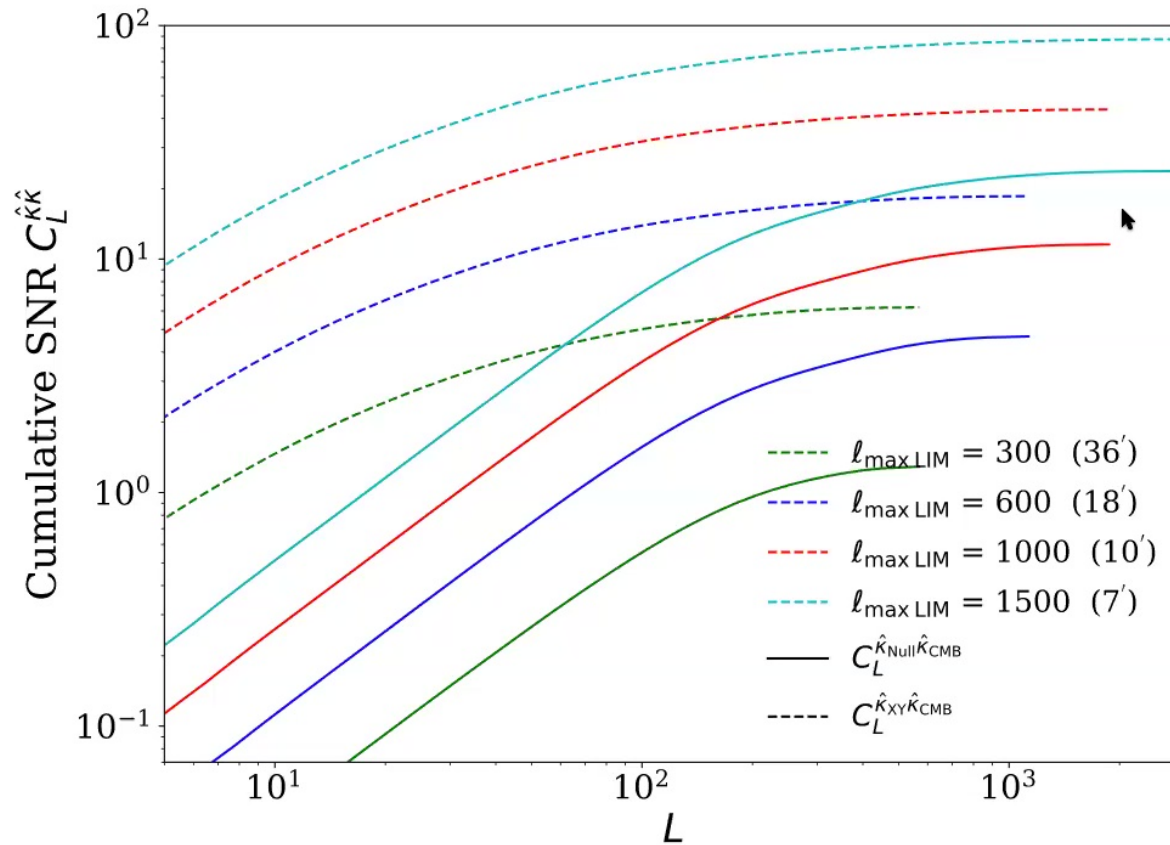
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Can we detect this? $C_L^{\hat{\kappa}_{\text{null}}\hat{\kappa}_{\text{CMB}}}$ Yes!



- $f_{\text{sky}} = 40\%$
- Would be possible to detect this signal well
- Angular resolution should not be an issue
- Probe of really high redshifts!

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Conclusions

- Non-Gaussian bias to LIM lensing from interlopers is quite high, quantified for the first time
- LIM pair estimator fixes it completely, independent of all the astrophysical uncertainties
- Nulling allows access to high redshift
- Combining with interloper cleaning techniques, the detection SNR will further increase
- $C_L^{\hat{\kappa}_{XY}\hat{\kappa}_{ZW}}$ very futuristic, but completely independent of the interloper bias as well independent of CMB!