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Abstract: In this talk, I will discuss two lines of research revolving around the study of weak gravitational lensing in our Universe. First, I will present a pipeline that has been in development to model the matter power spectrum from large to small scales, focusing on stage-IV photometric galaxy surveys. I will discuss the fundamental ingredients of this pipeline, the consistency checks performed to validate it, and how this new tool fares when performing a full Bayesian parameter estimation analysis with an LSST-like survey. In the second part of this talk, I will present a new and exciting methodology to study weakly-lensed gravitational waves in the wave-optics regime.

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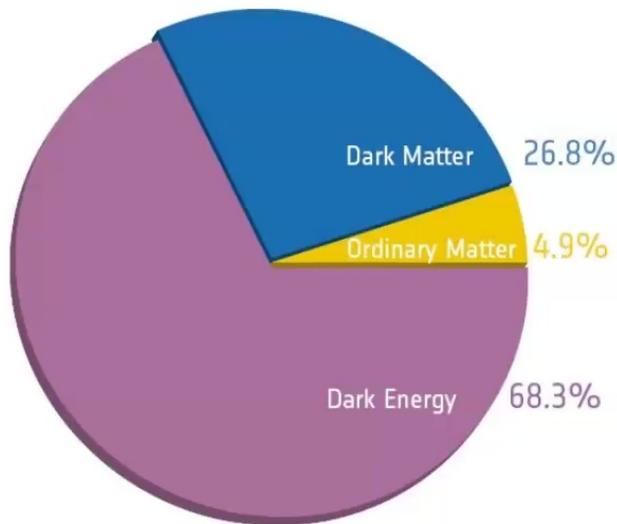


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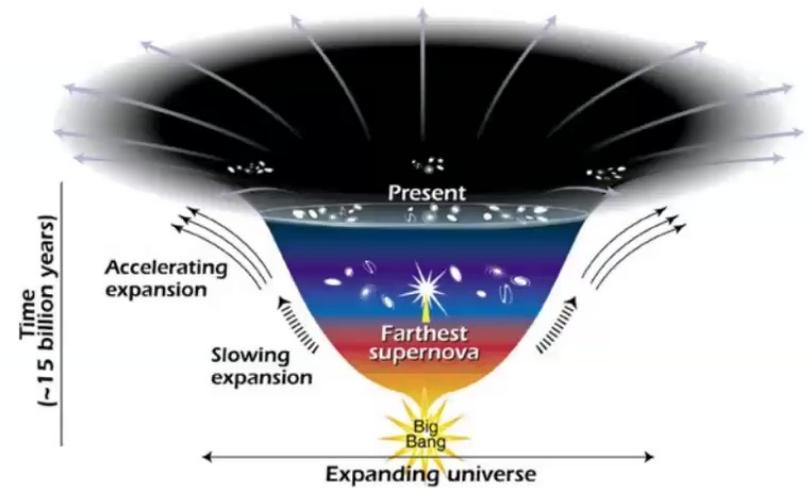


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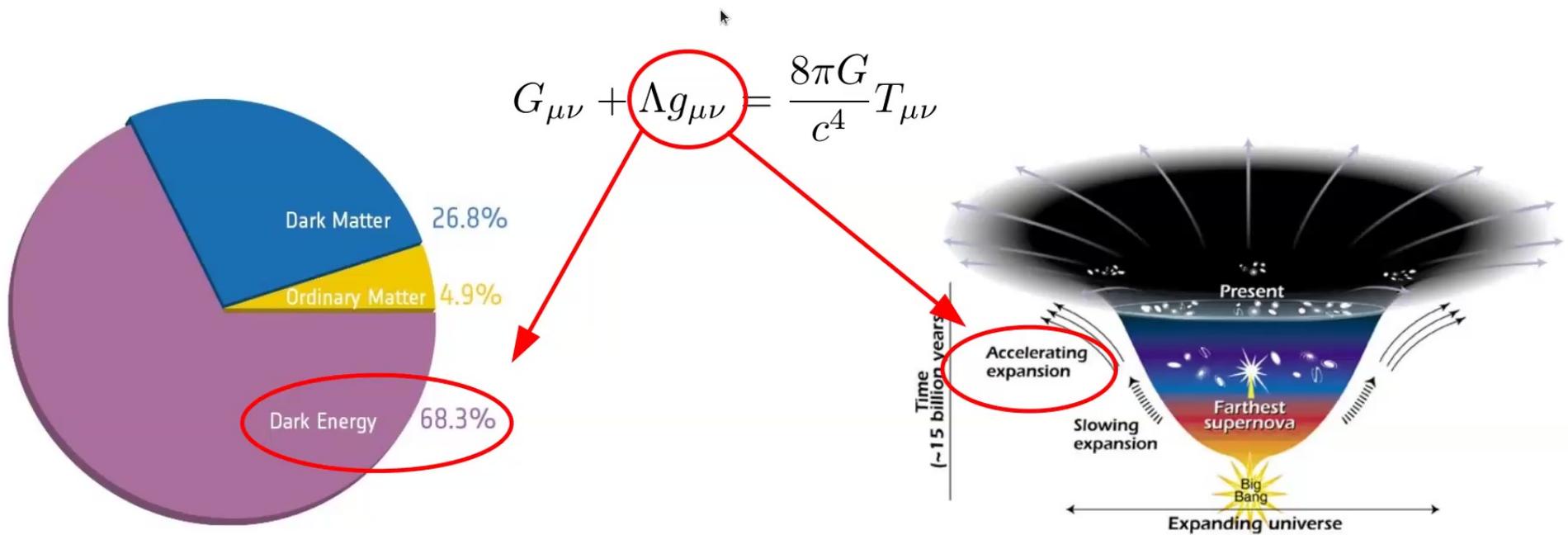


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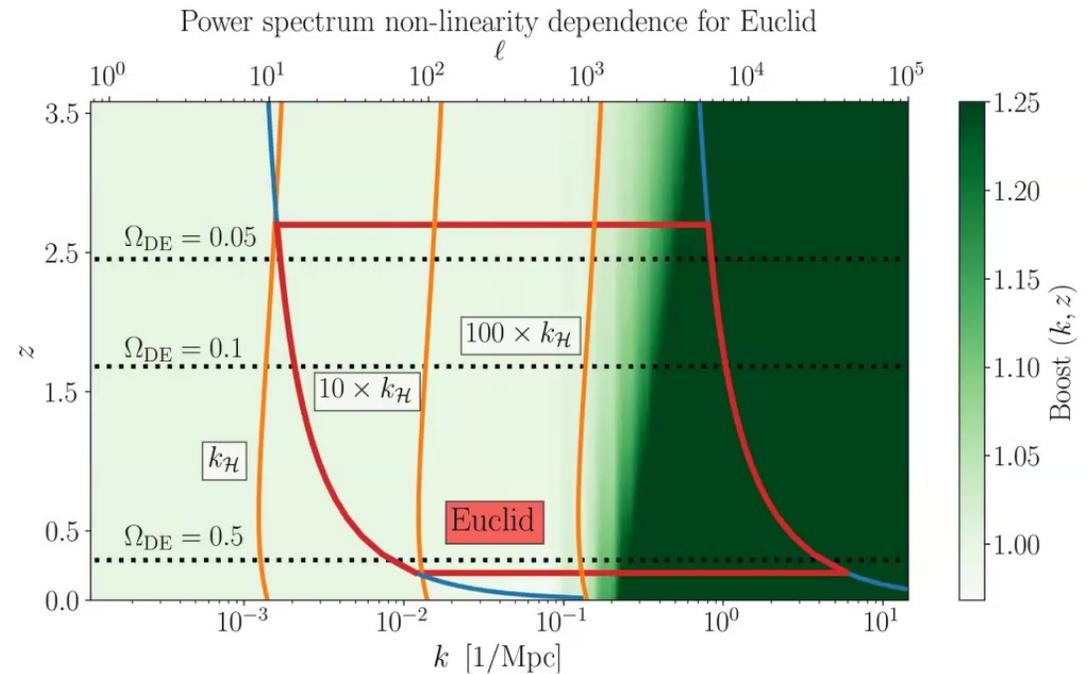
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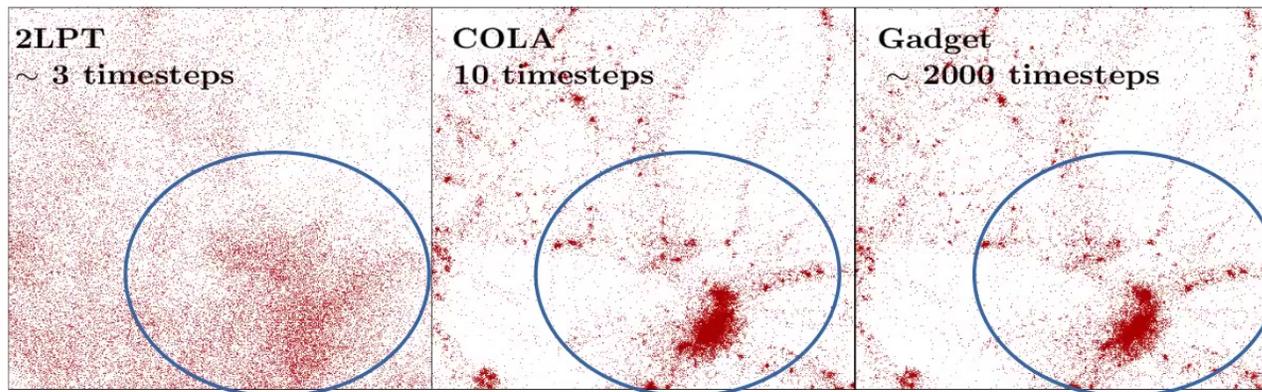


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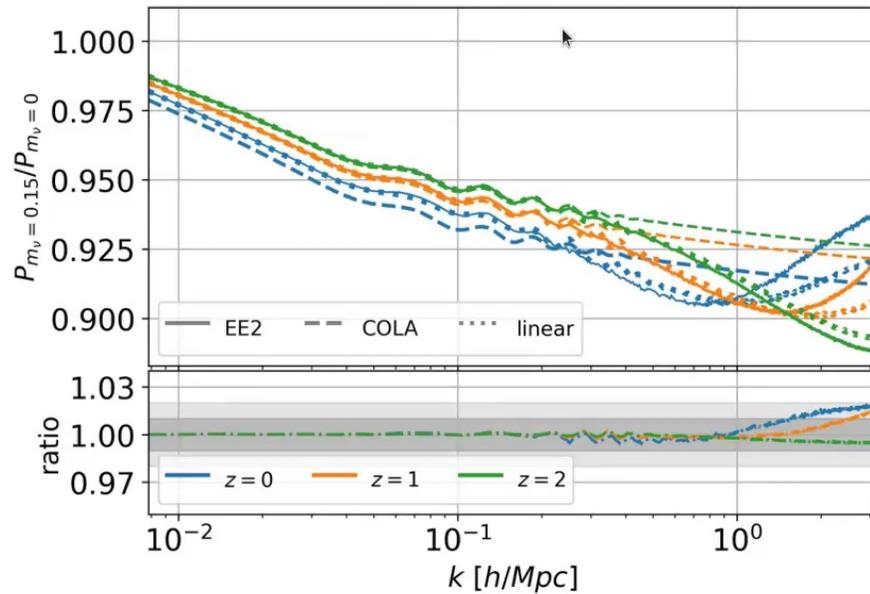
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✓ Examples of extensions to LCDM in COLA

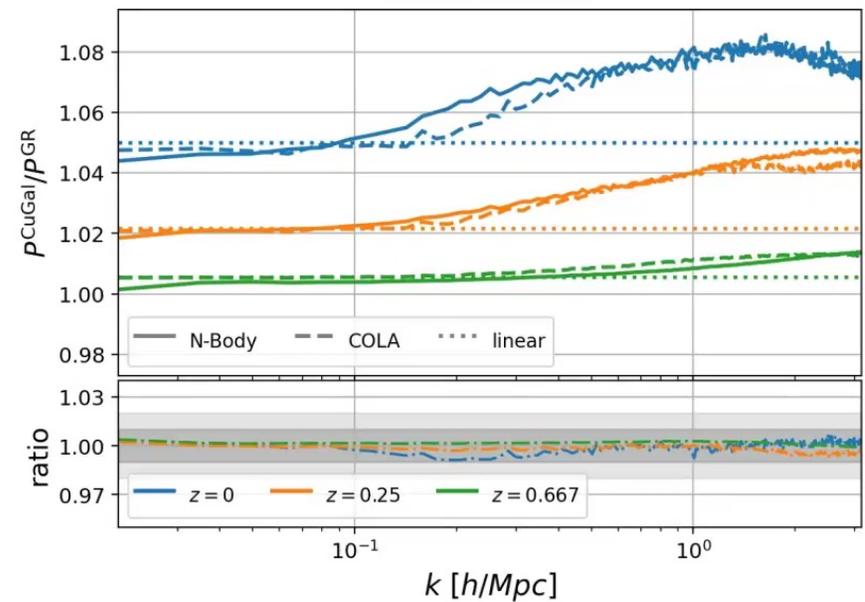
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Massive neutrinos



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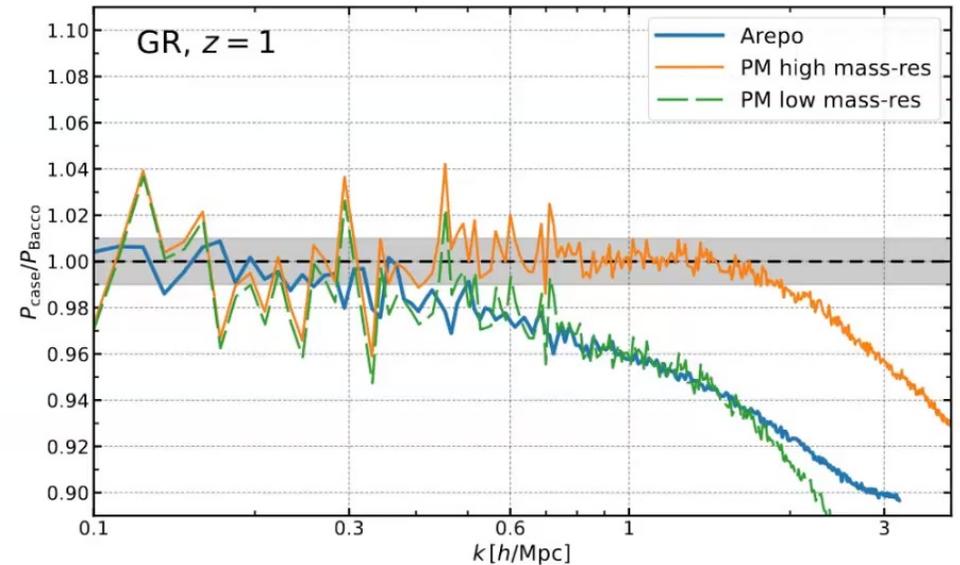
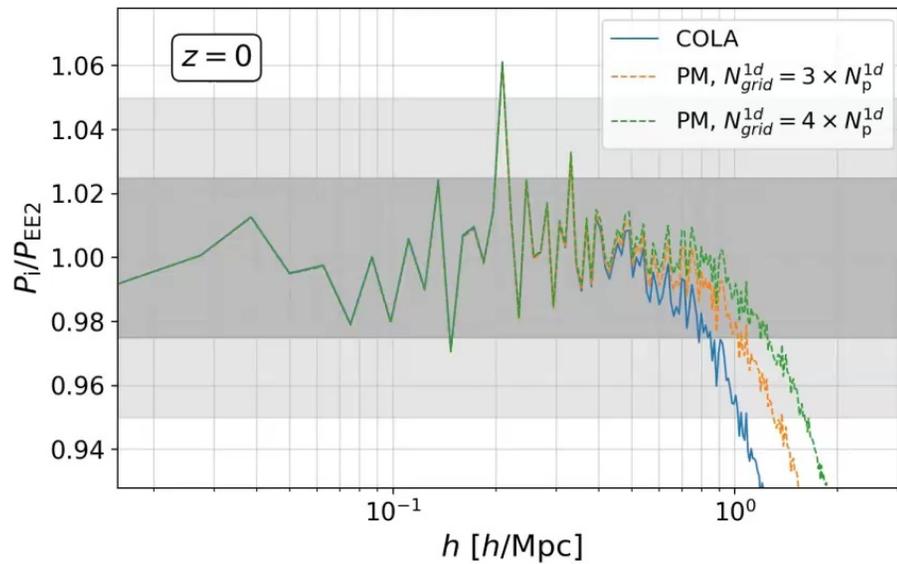
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✓ Validated and benchmarked



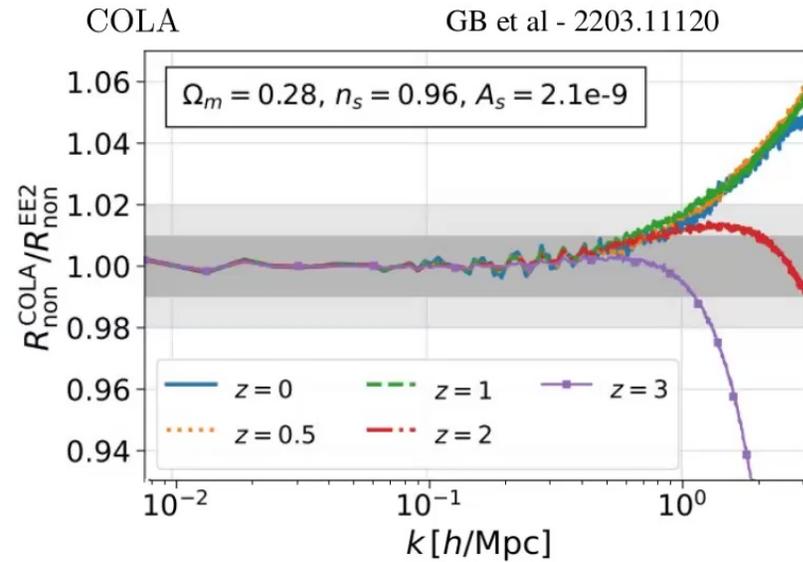
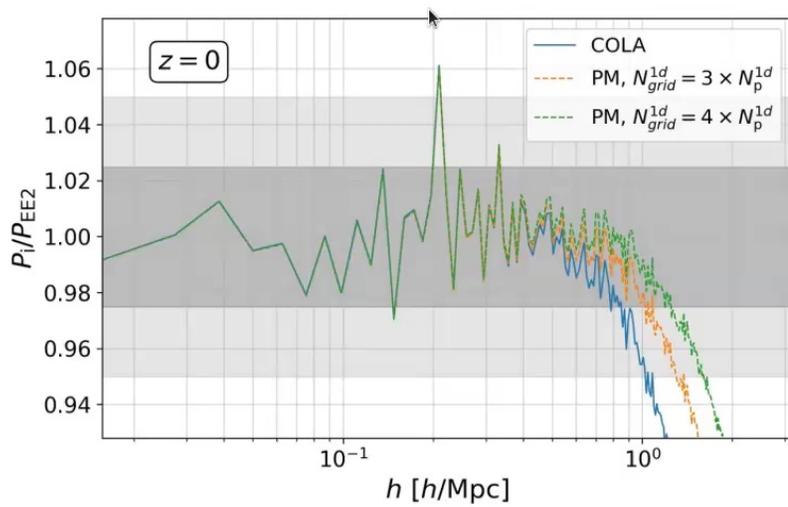
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 - I have shown examples of COLA for certain fixed cosmologies and theories.
 - To go further we need:
 - Construct a COLA-based emulator → w CDM (validation!)
 - Perform a full parameter estimation for a stage-IV survey

	Default-precision	High-precision
$N_{\text{particles}}$	1024^3	1024^3
L [Mpc/h]	1024	512
N_{mesh}	2048^3	3072^3
z_{initial}	19	19
ℓ_{force} [Mpc/h]	0.5	0.17

Parameter	Min.	Max.	Ref.
Ω_m	0.24	0.40	0.319
Ω_b	0.04	0.06	0.049
n_s	0.92	1.00	0.96
$A_s \times 10^{-9}$	1.7	2.5	2.1
h	0.61	0.73	0.67
w	-1.3	-0.7	-1.0

LSSTY1 – like survey

- ◆ Cosmic shear:

- Shear angular power spectrum:

$$C_{\kappa\kappa}^{ij}(\ell) = \int \frac{d\chi}{\chi^2} q_{\kappa}^i(\chi) q_{\kappa}^j(\chi) P_{\text{NL}} \left(k = \frac{\ell + 1/2}{\chi}, z(\chi) \right)$$

- 5 tomographic bins with source and lens galaxies drawn from:

$$n(z) \propto z^2 \exp[-(z/z_0)^\alpha]$$

$$(z_0, \alpha) = (0.191, 0.870)$$

- Different masks (scale cuts) per bin

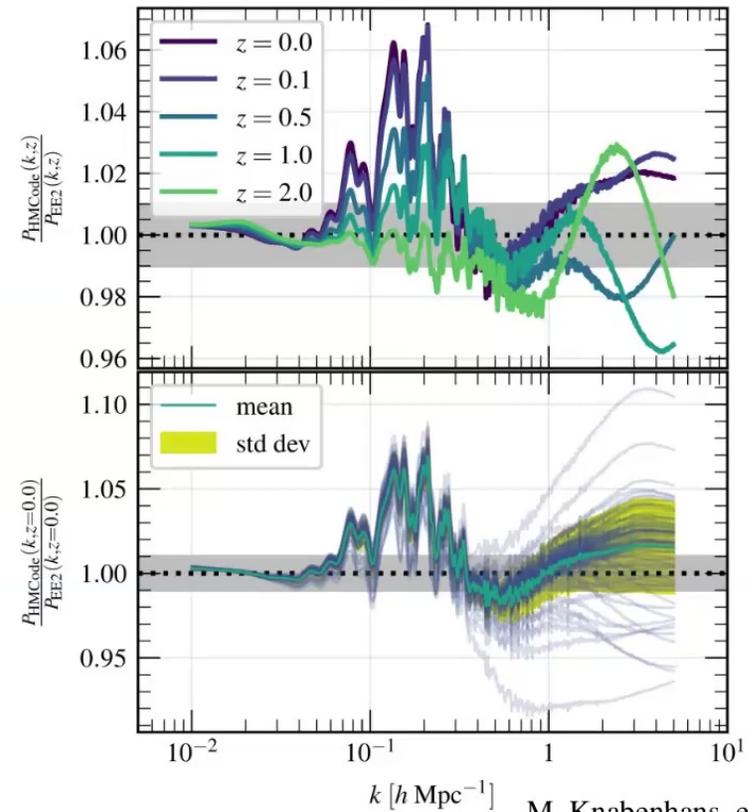
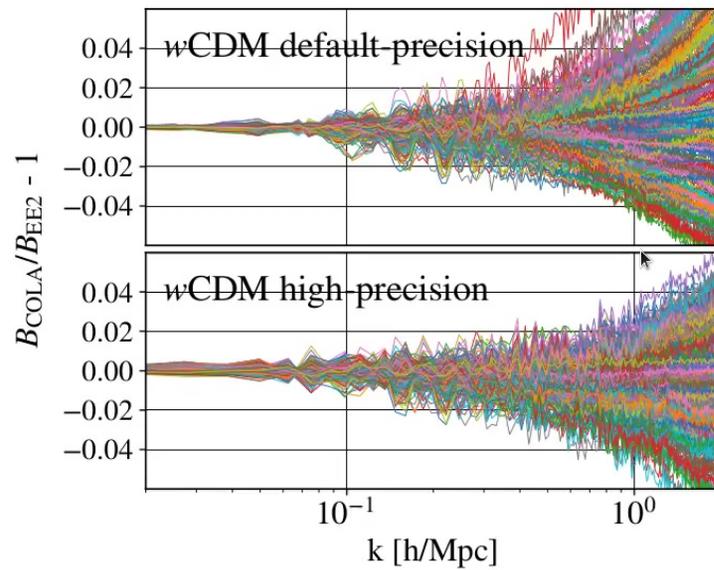
Parameter	Fiducial	Prior
Survey specifications		
Area	12300 deg ²	–
Shape noise per component	0.26	–
$n_{\text{eff}}^{\text{sources}}$	11.2 arcmin ⁻²	–
$n_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lens}}$	18 arcmin ⁻²	–
Photometric redshift offsets		
$\Delta z_{\text{source}}^i$	0	$\mathcal{N}[0, 0.02]$
Intrinsic alignment (NLA)		
A^1	0.7	$\mathcal{U}[-5, 5]$
η^1	-1.7	$\mathcal{U}[-5, 5]$
Shear calibration		
m^i	0	$\mathcal{N}[0, 0.005]$
Baryon PCA amplitude		
Q^1	3	$\mathcal{U}[0, 4]$
Q^2	0	$\mathcal{U}[-2.5, 2.5]$

	bin 0	bin 1	bin 2	bin 3	bin 4
M2	5.7	4.3	3.7	3.4	0.5
M3	2.9	2.1	1.9	1.7	0.2
M4	1.4	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.1

Maximum scale $k_{\text{max}}[h/Mpc]$

Emulator

- Comparison between COLA and HMCode:



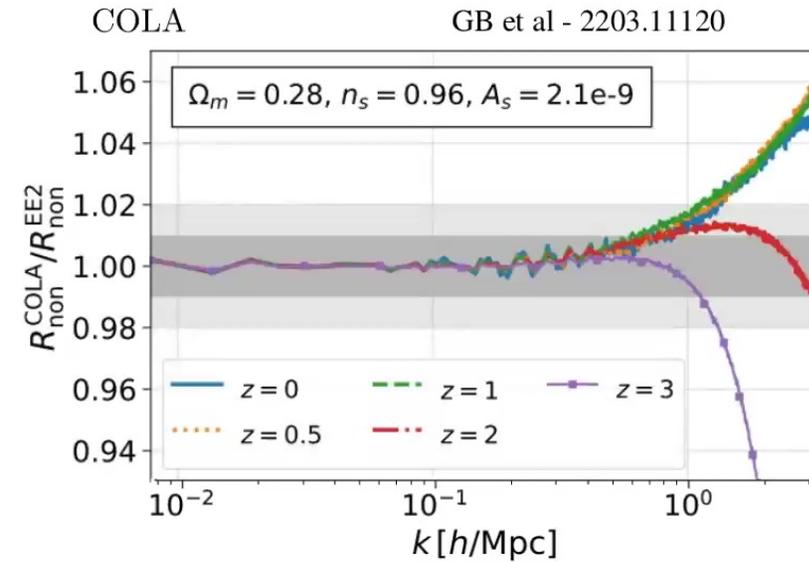
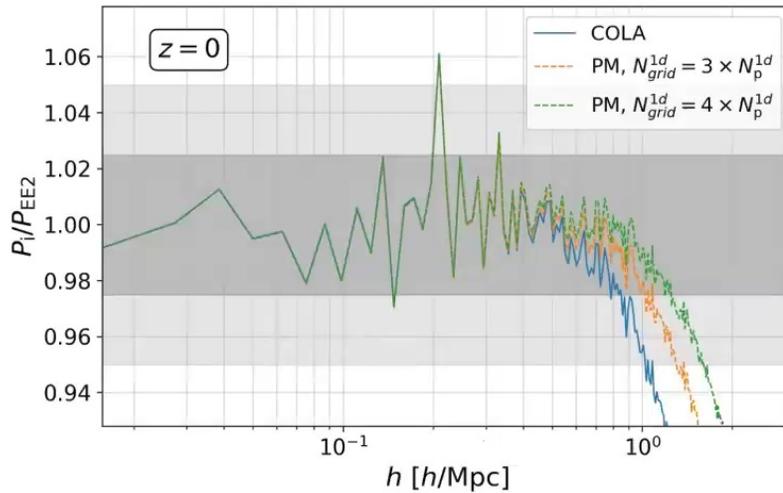
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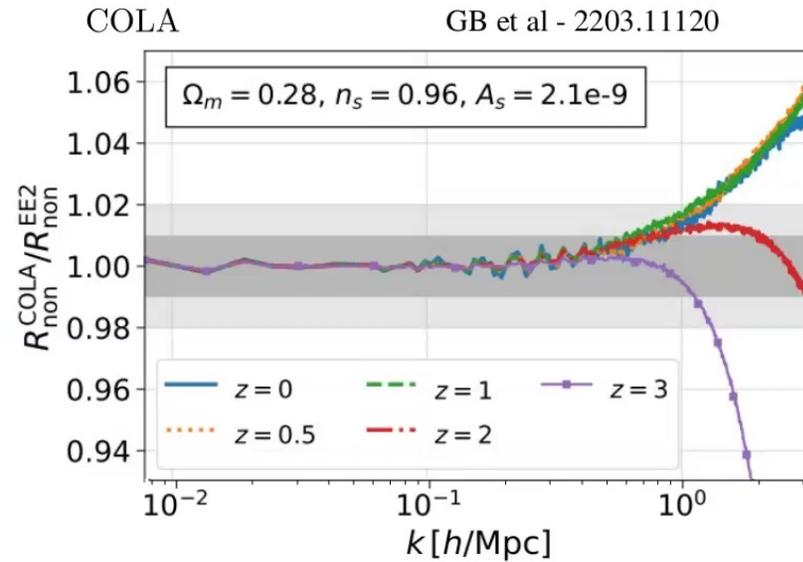
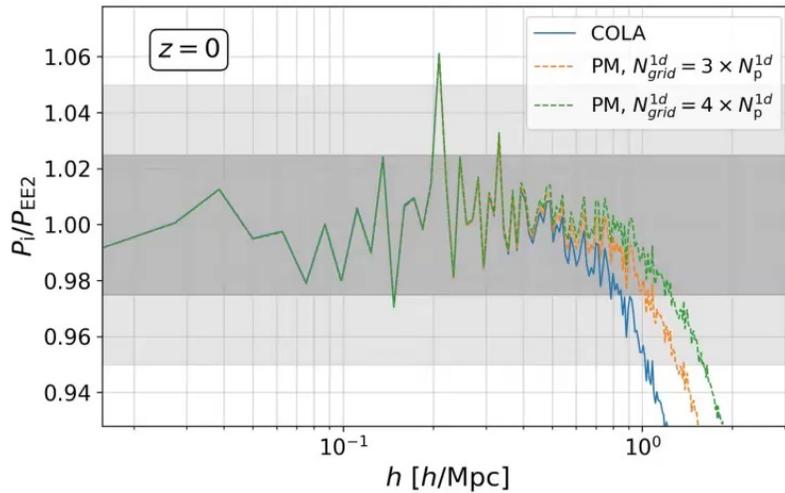


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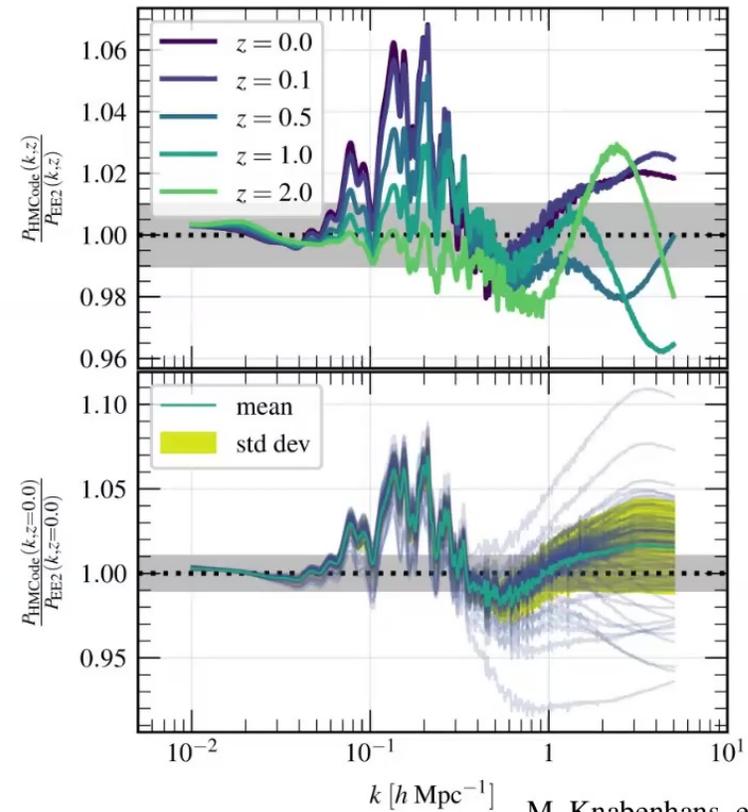
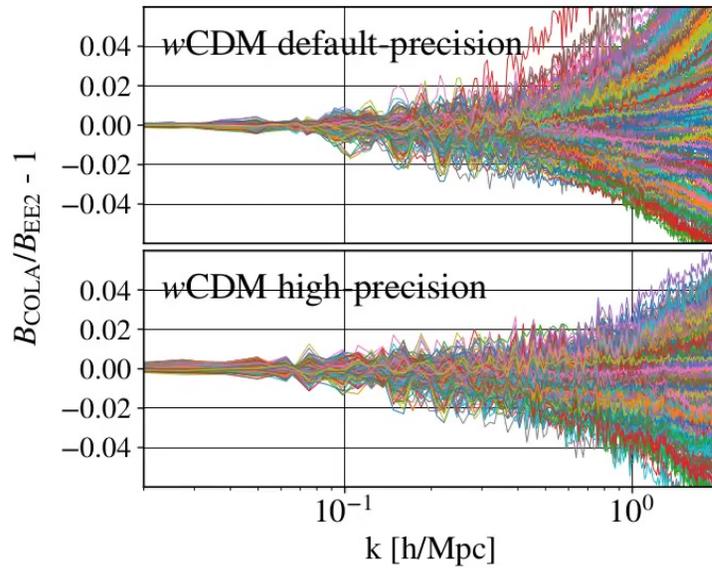
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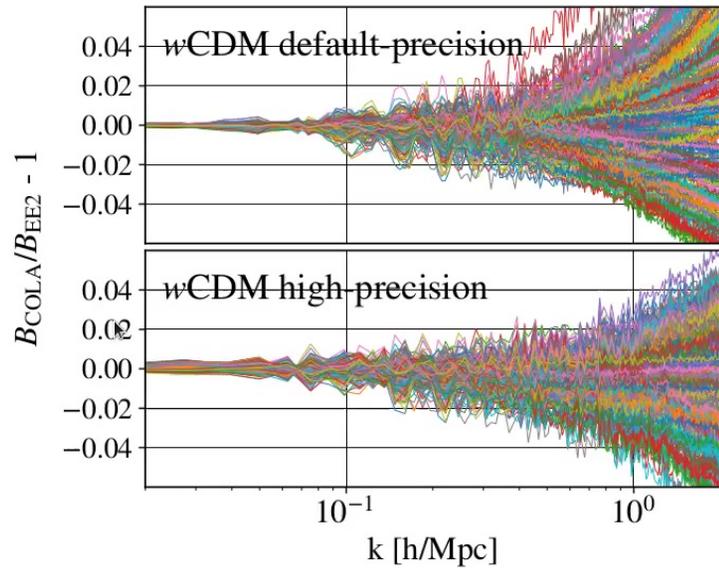


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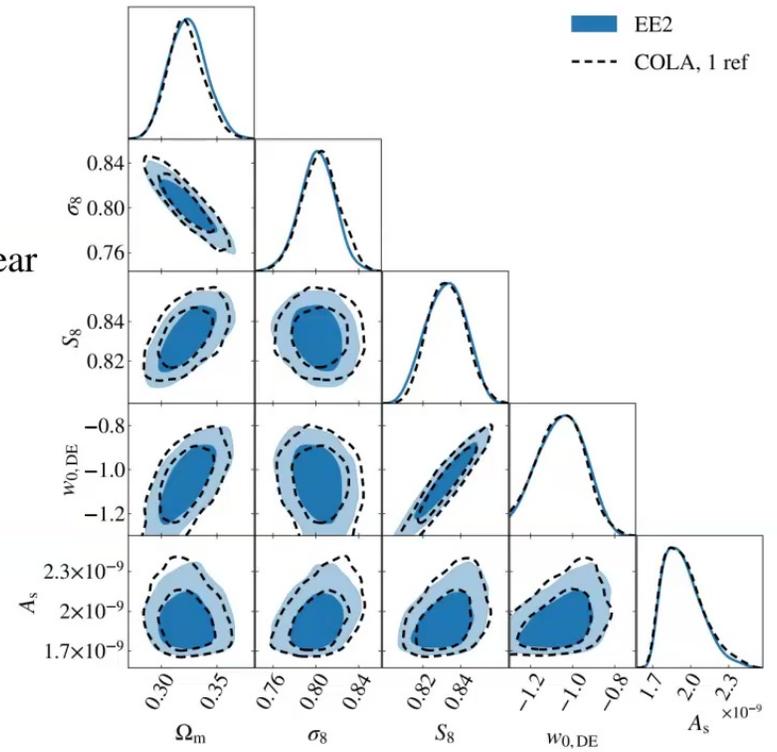
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Fiducial data vector: EE2 ref + M2 mask

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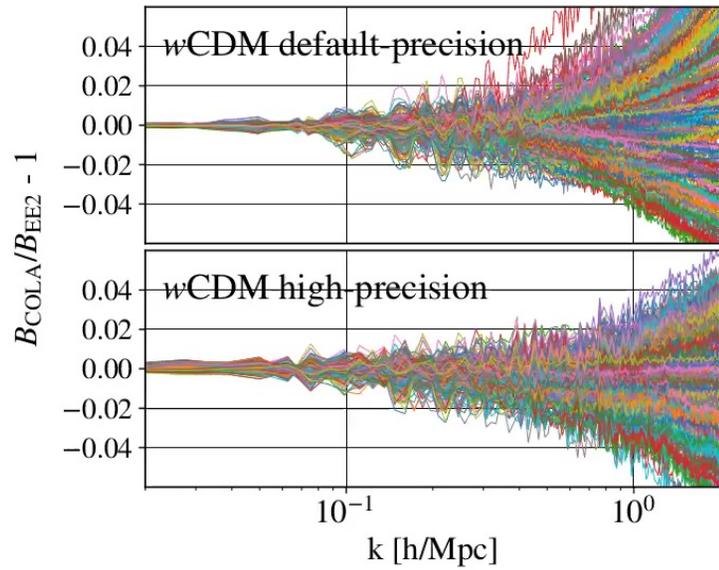


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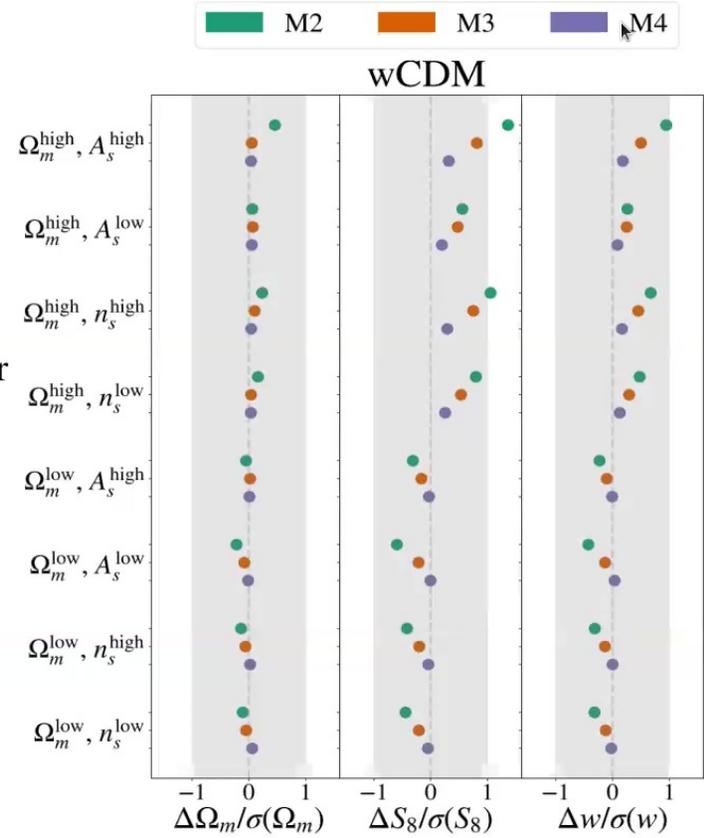


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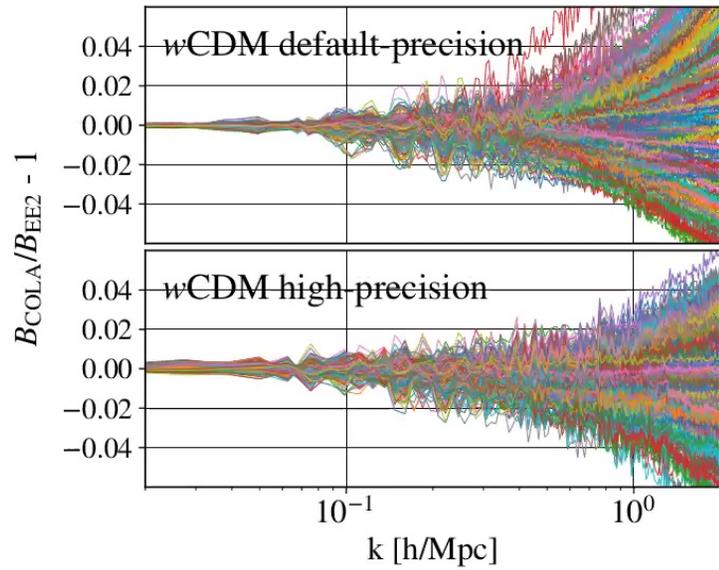


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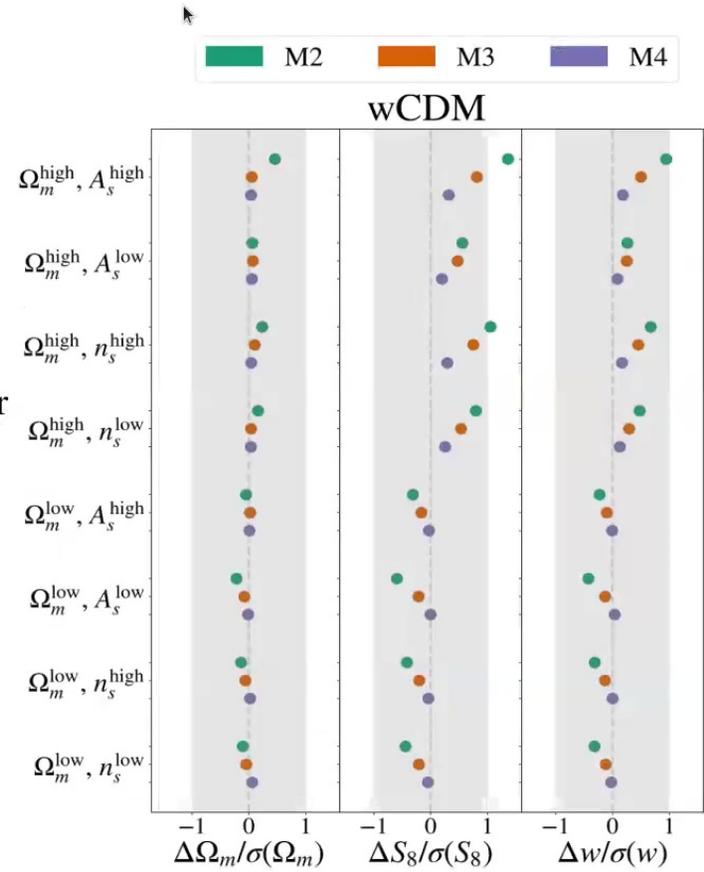


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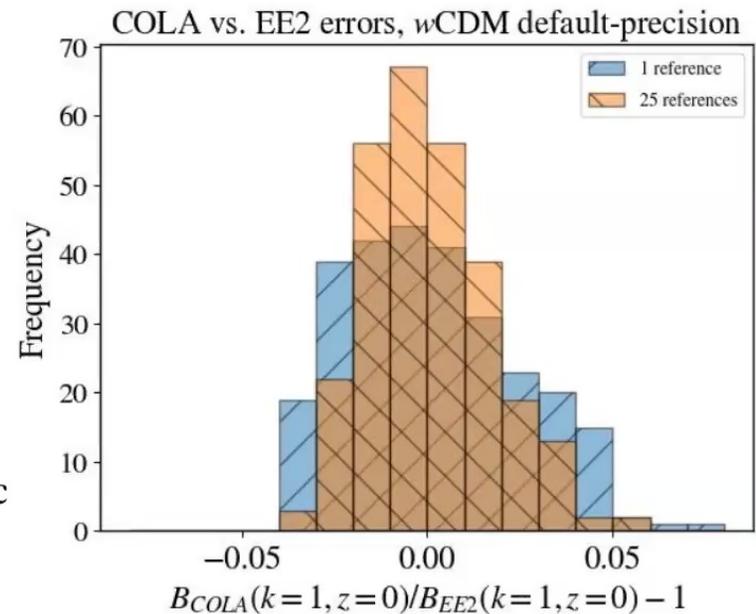


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 - Emulated boost has considerable scatter at high k
 - A possible solution is to increase the number of reference boosts:

$$B^{\text{case}} = B^{\text{ref}} \frac{R_{\text{non}}^{\text{case}}}{R_{\text{lin}}^{\text{case}}} \quad B^{\text{case}}(k, z) = \sum_{i=1}^{N_{\text{refs}}} w_i B_i^{\text{case}}(k, z)$$

- Increases the calibration process, reduces the distance between points to be emulated



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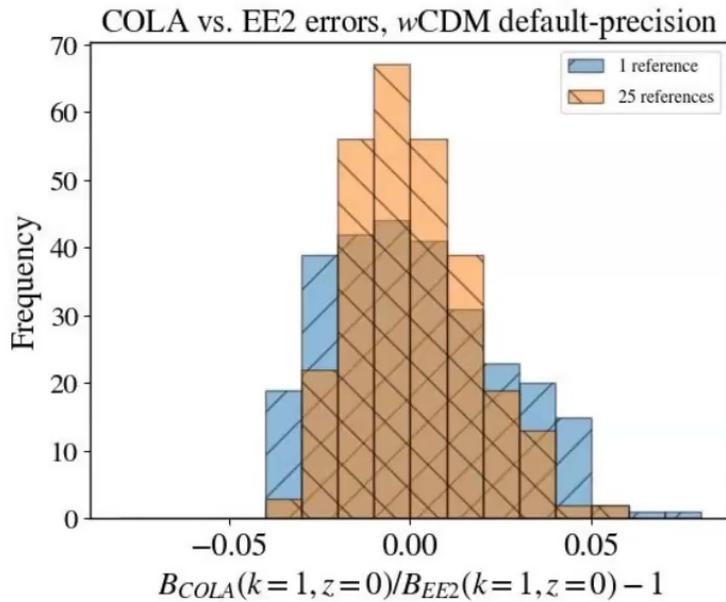


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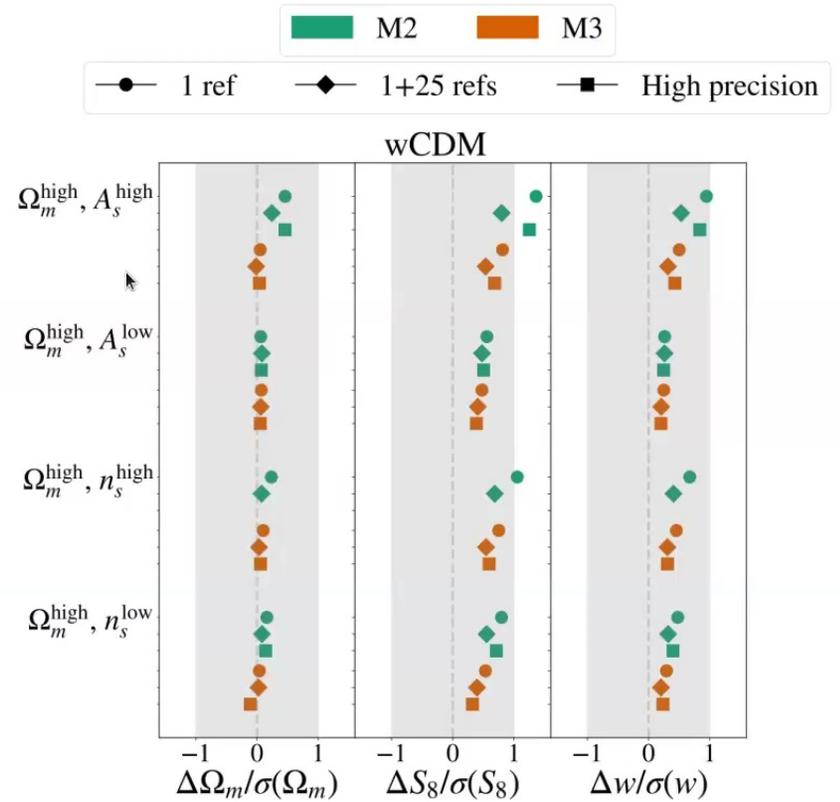


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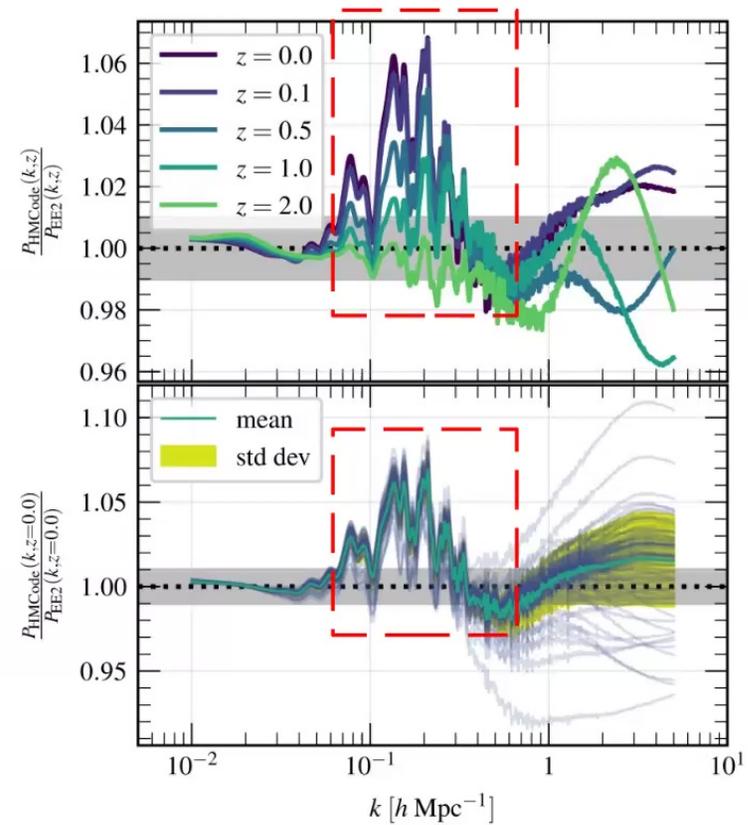
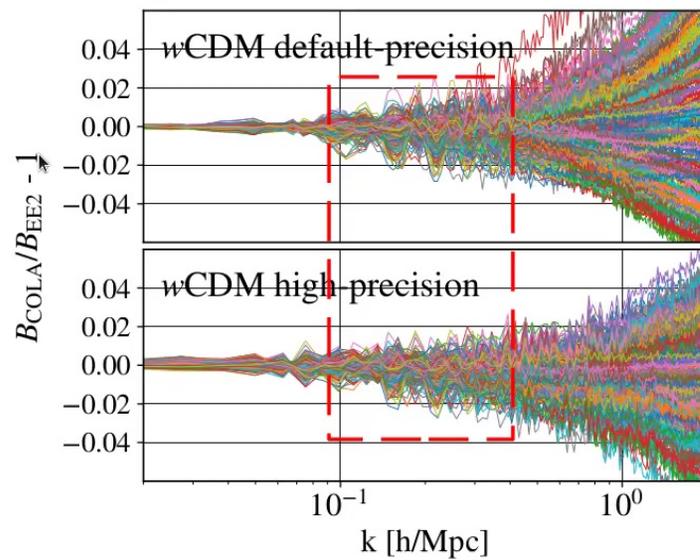


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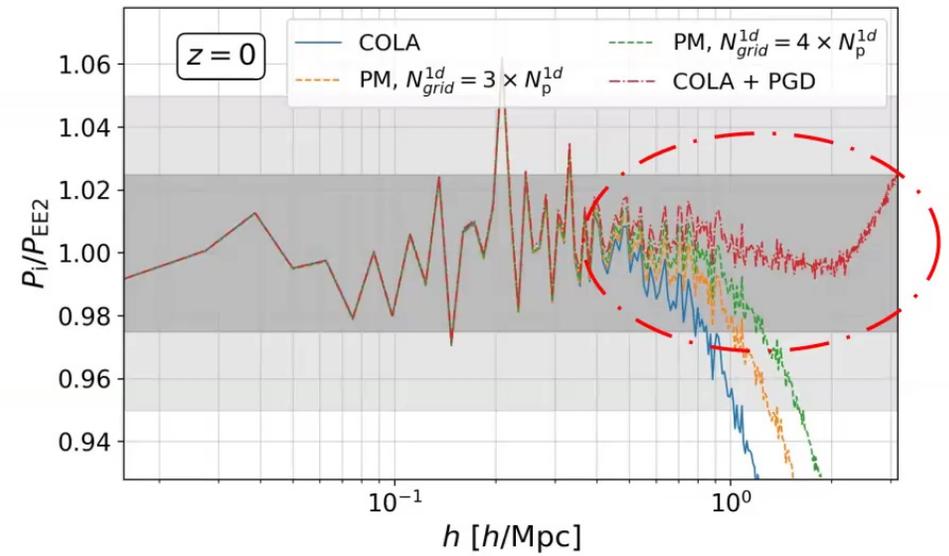
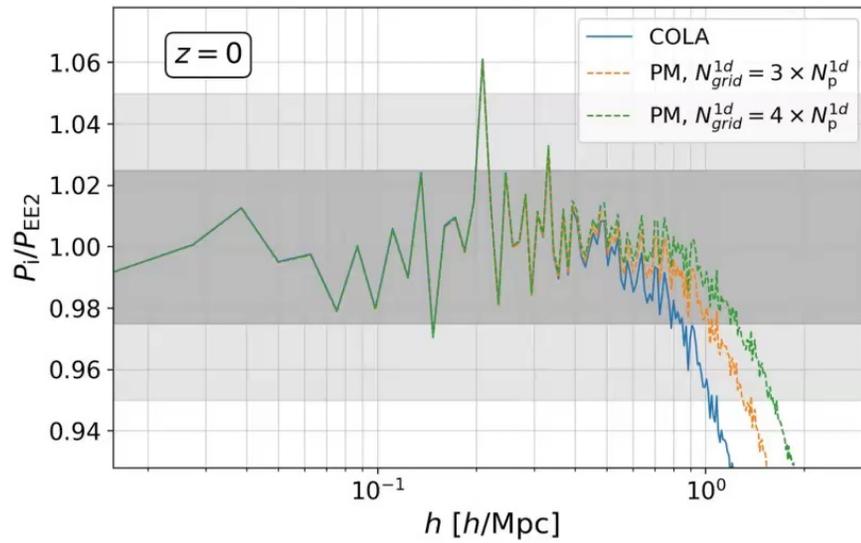
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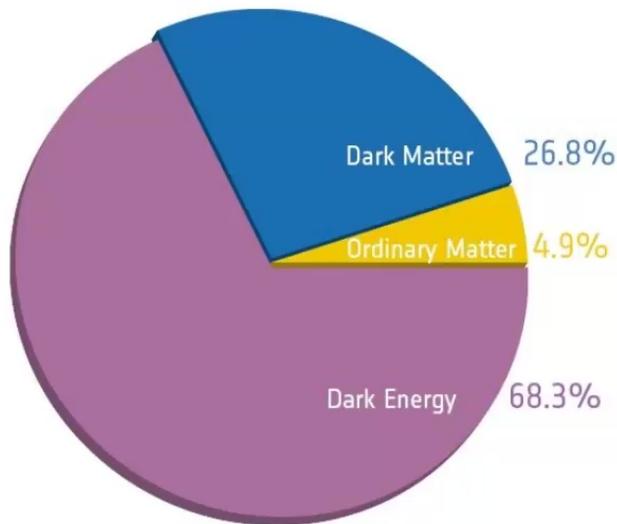
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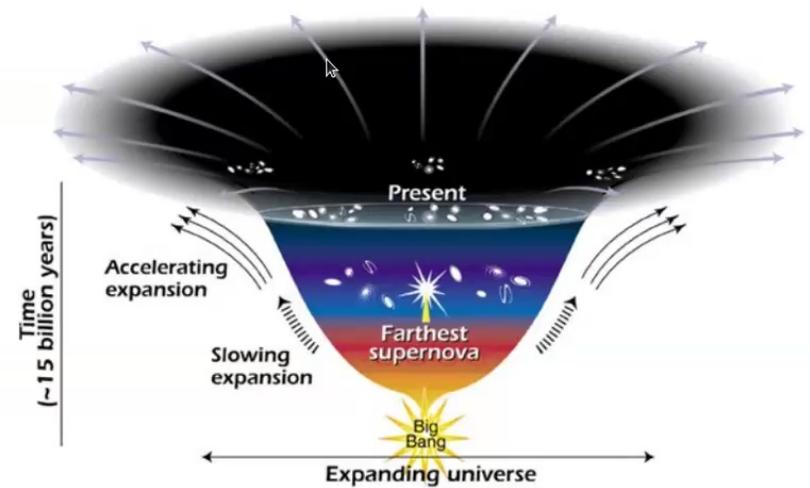


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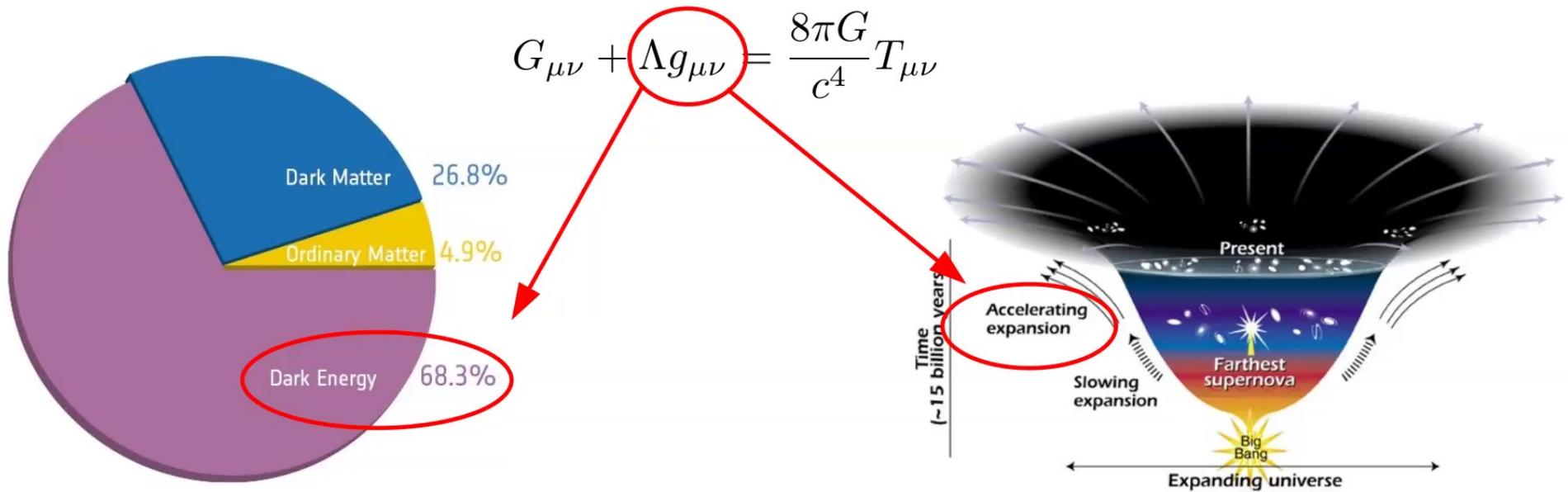


Conclusions

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 - ◆ Add baryonic effects → post processing, baryonification algorithms
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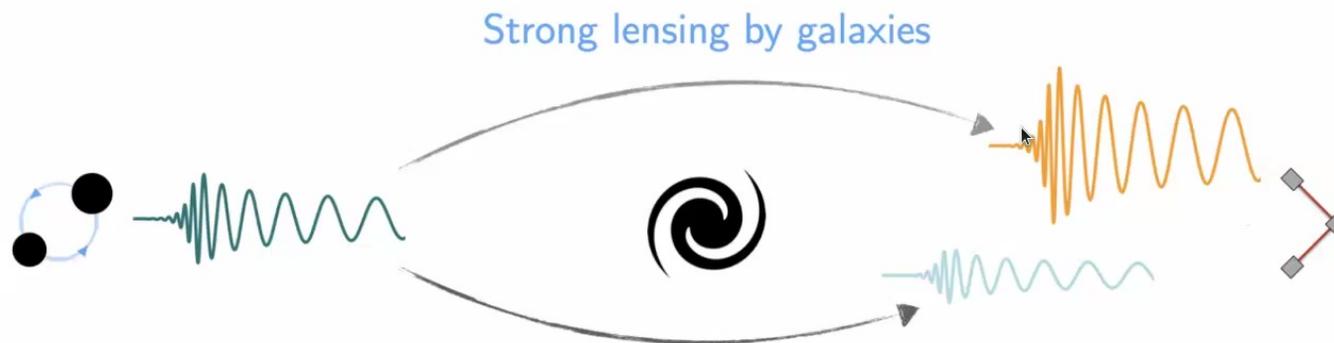
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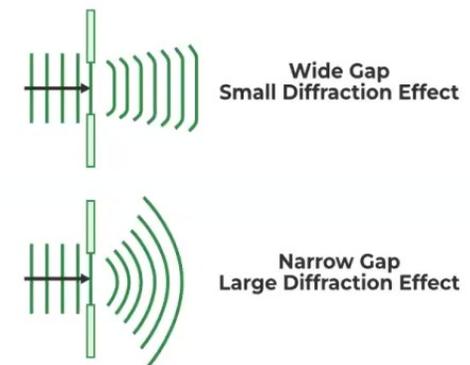


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- Propagation no longer obeys the geometrical optics expansion → Wave Optics Effects (diffraction, interference, ...)

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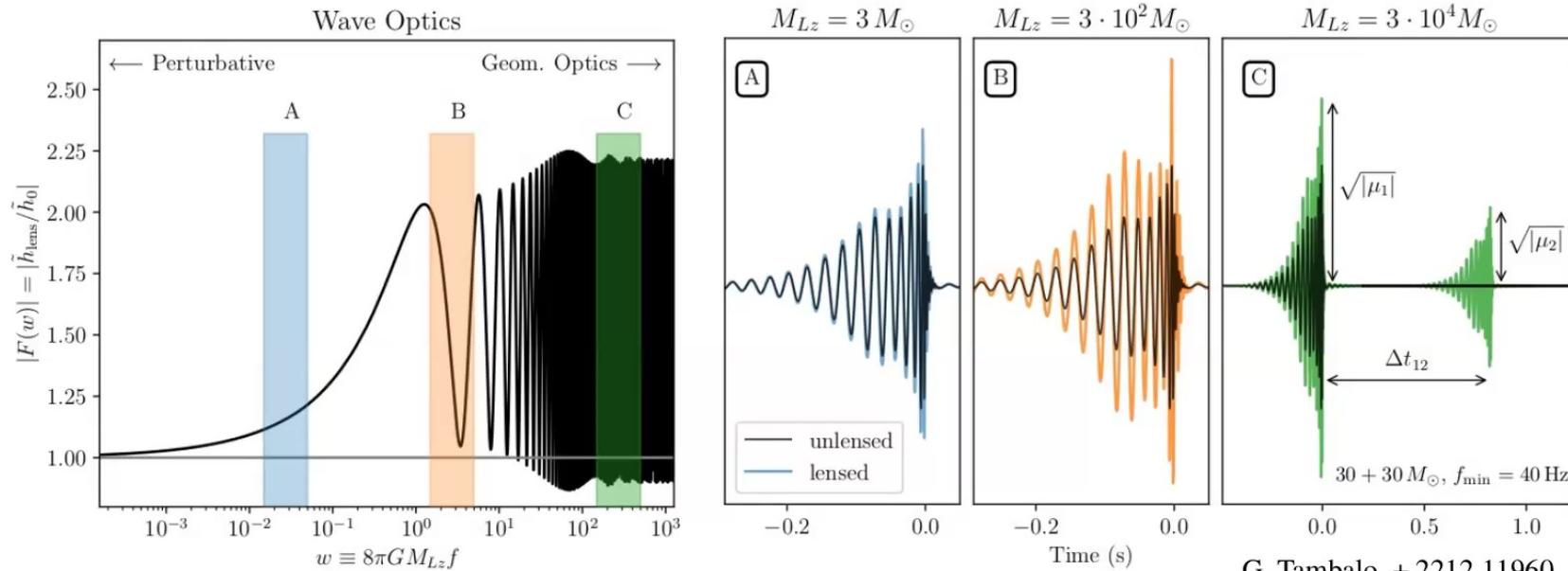
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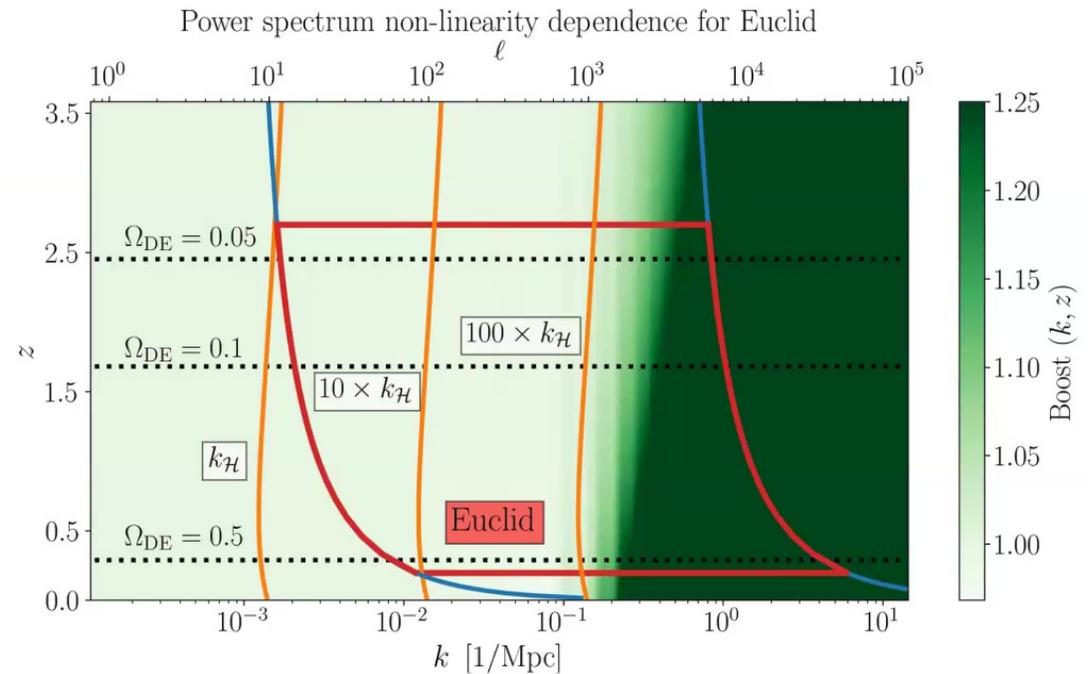
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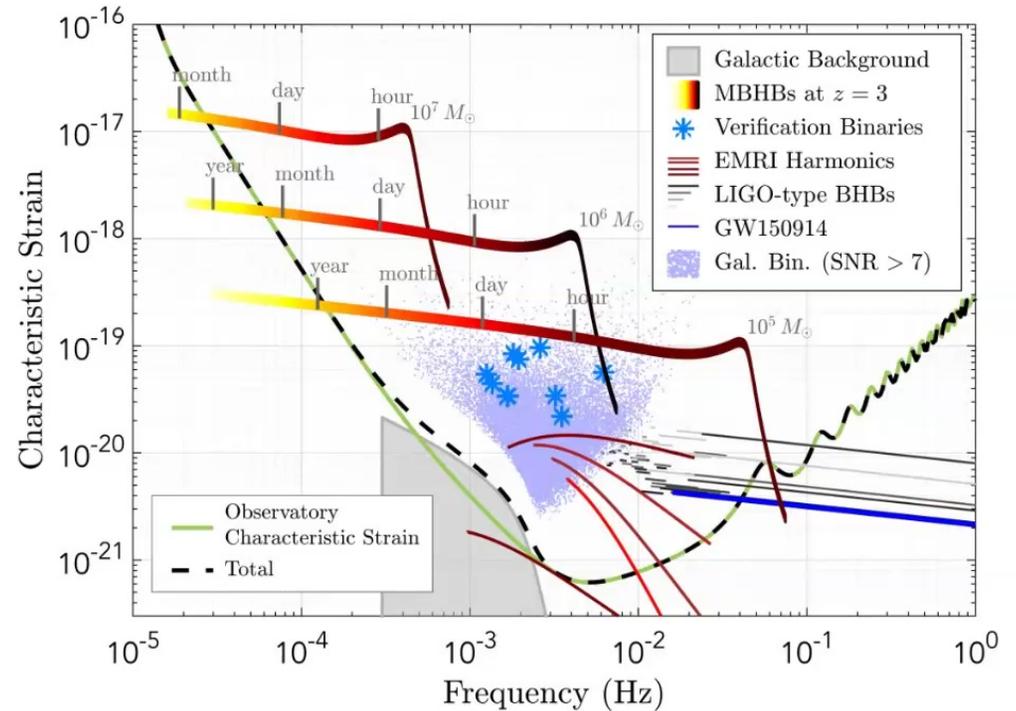
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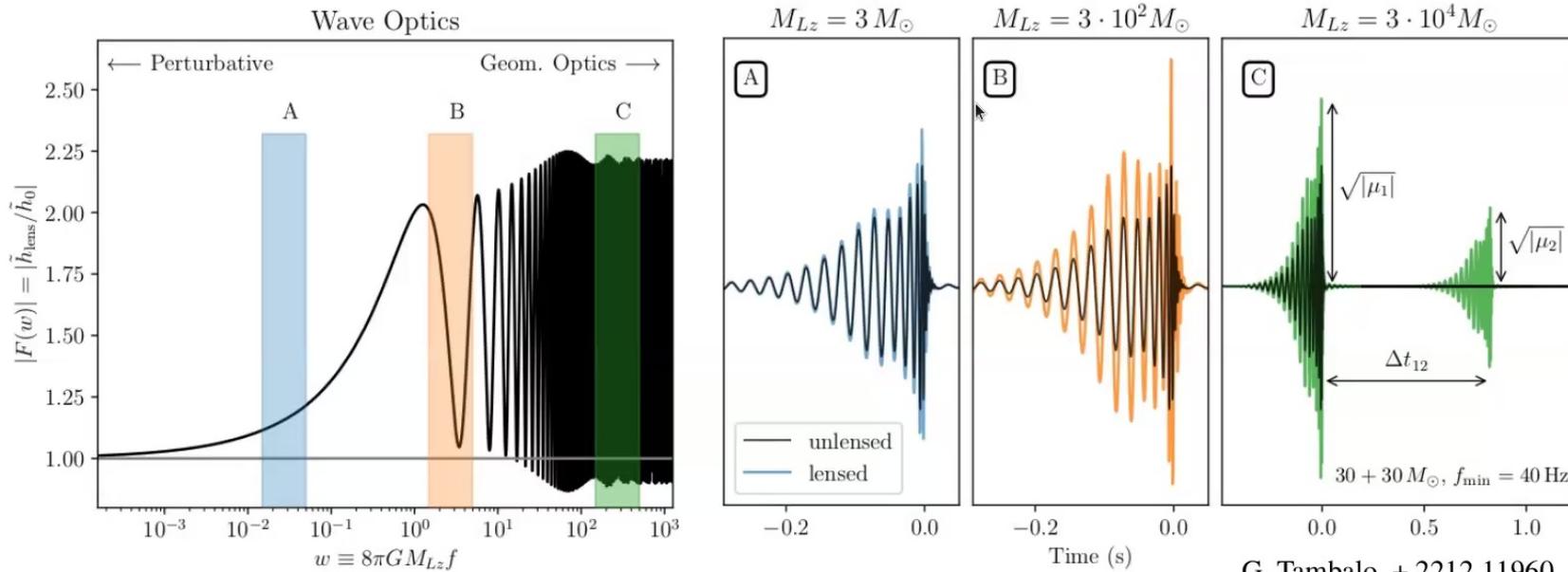
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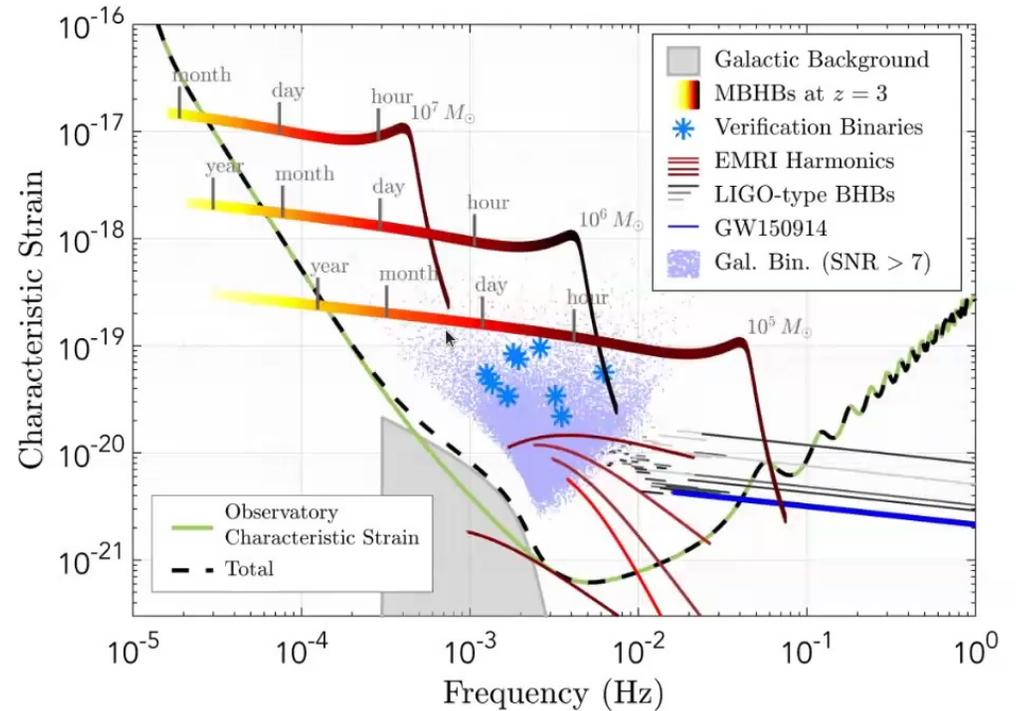
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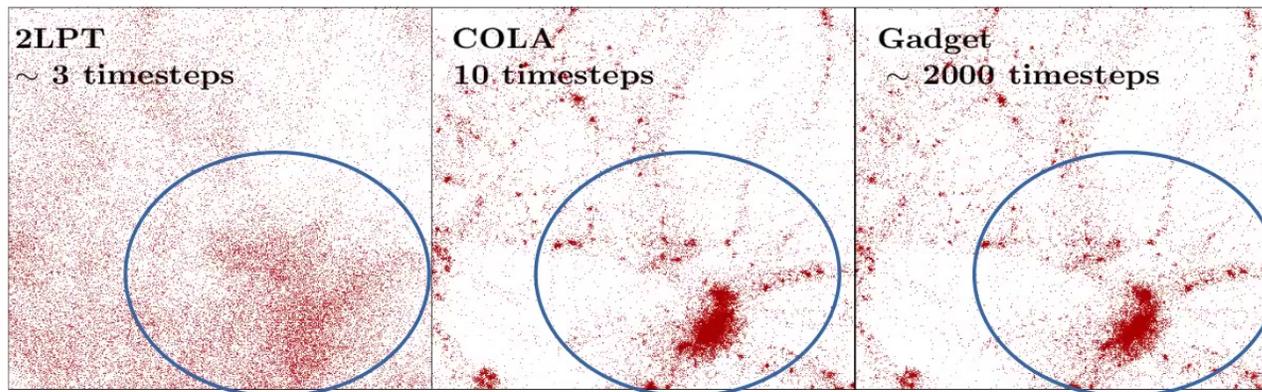
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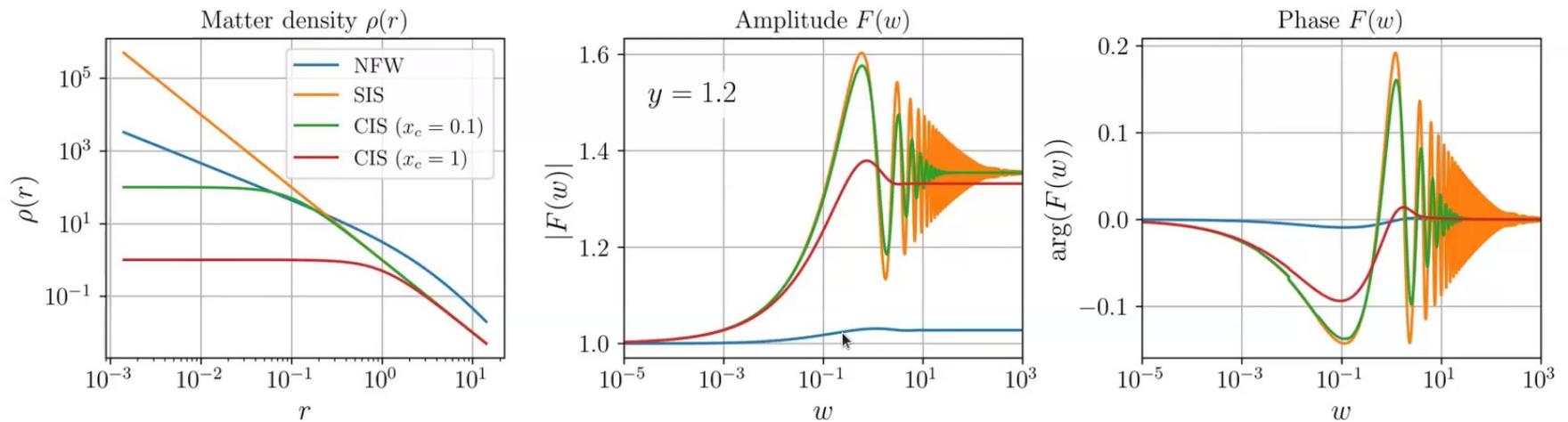


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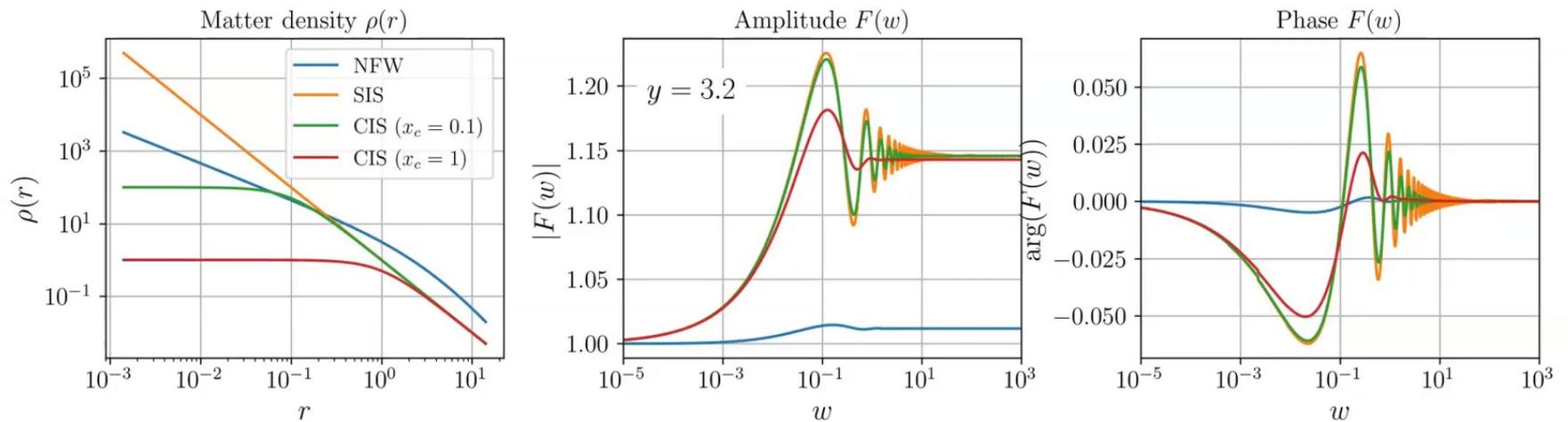
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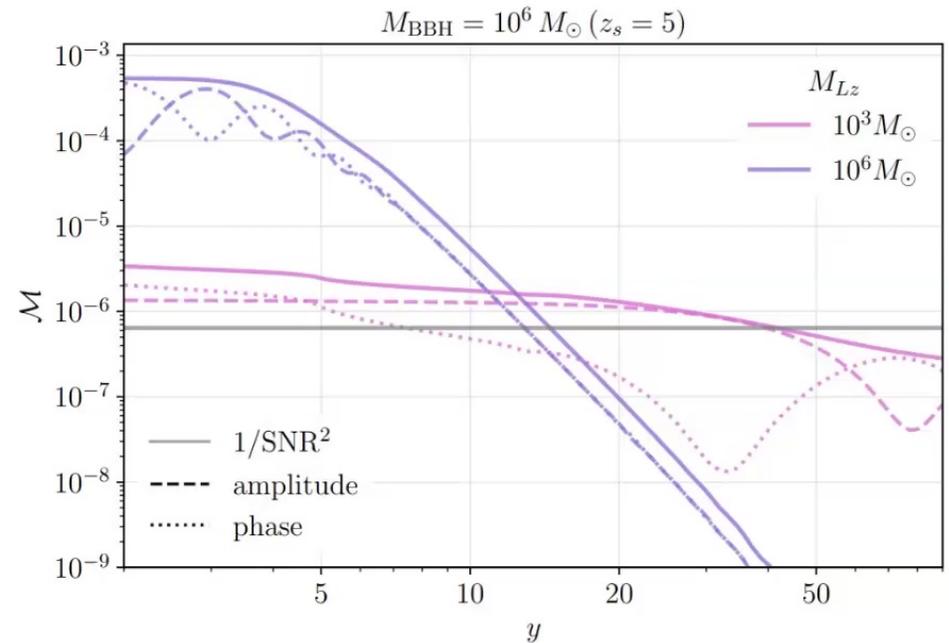
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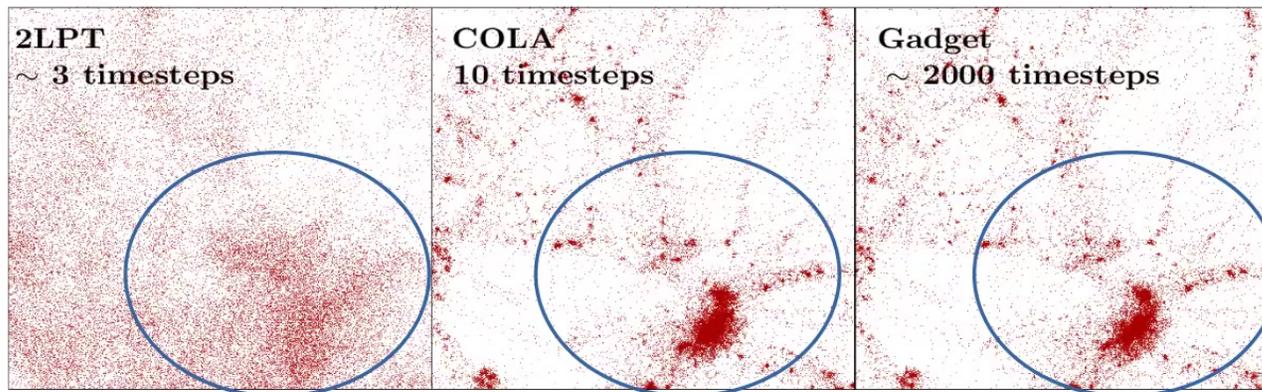
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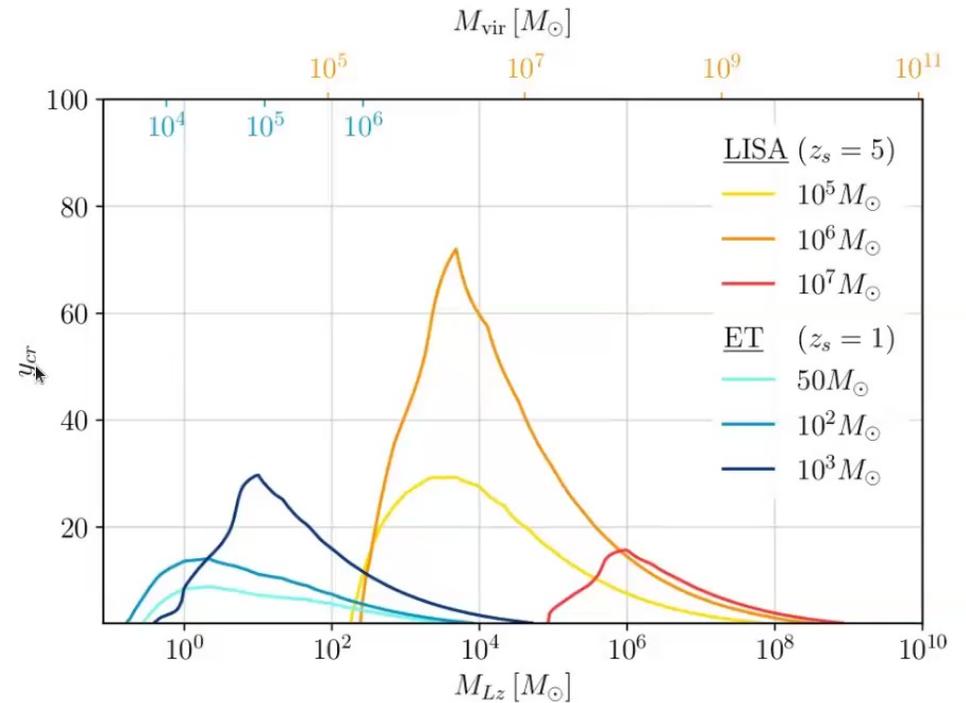
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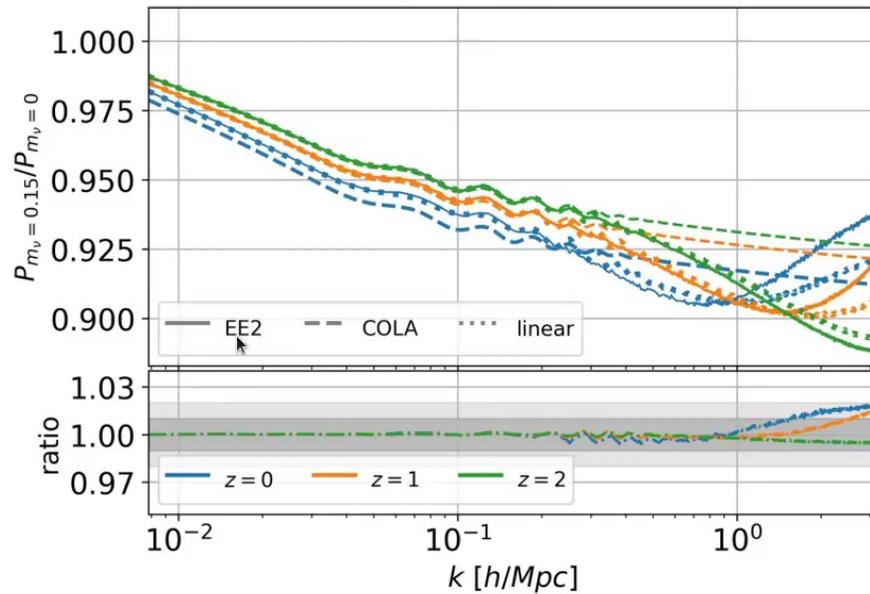
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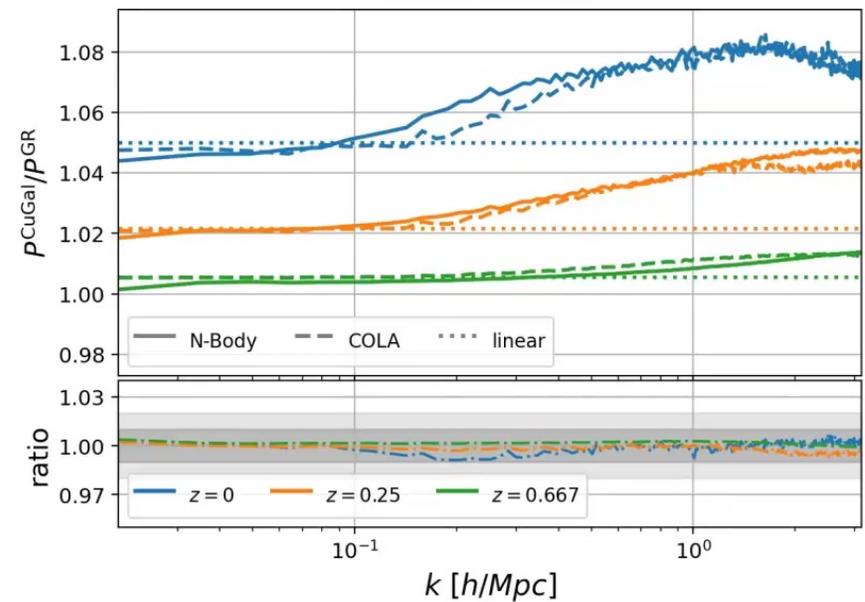
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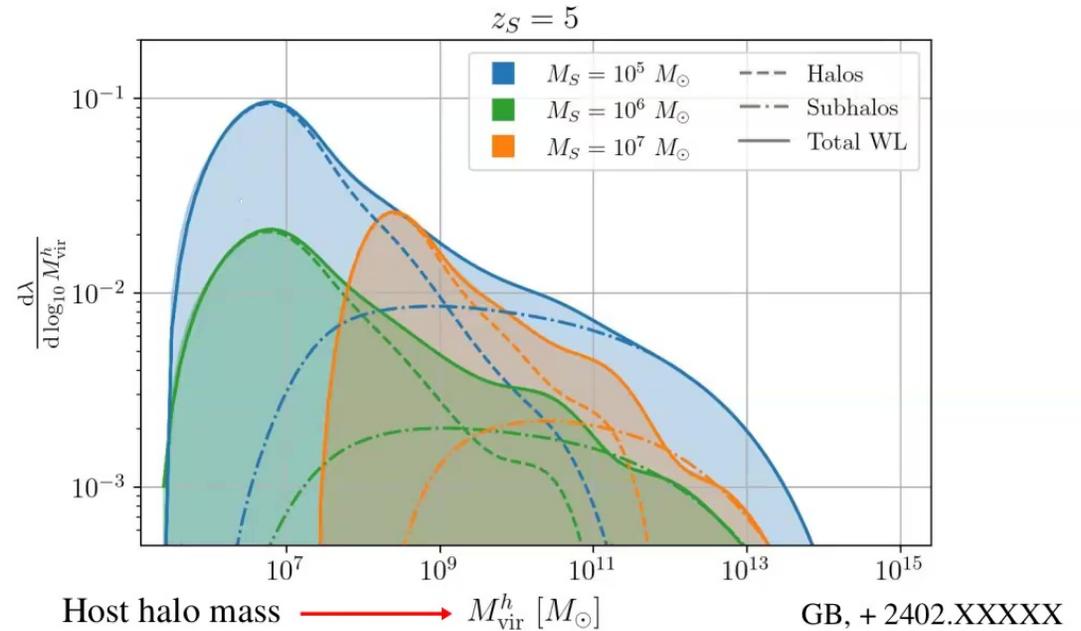


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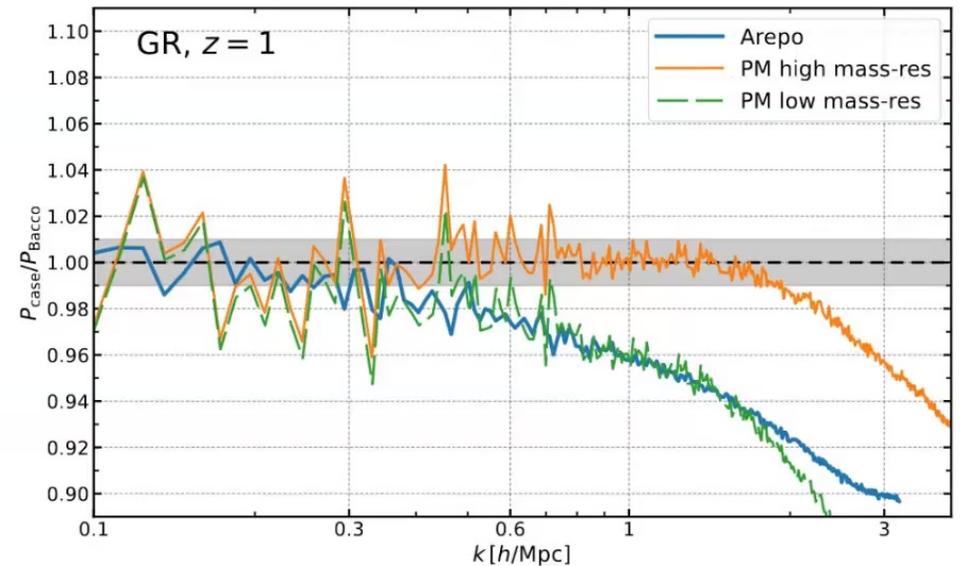
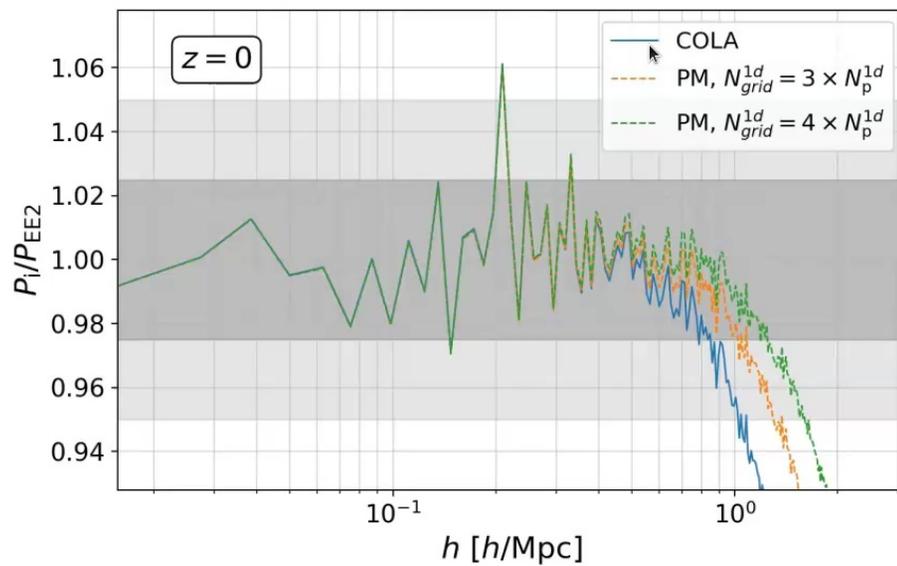
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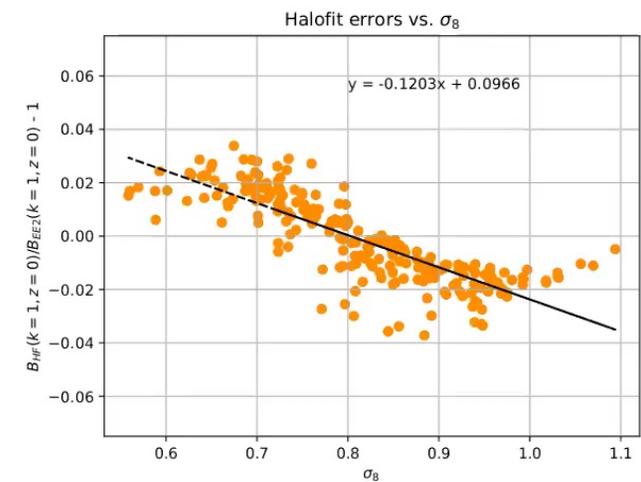
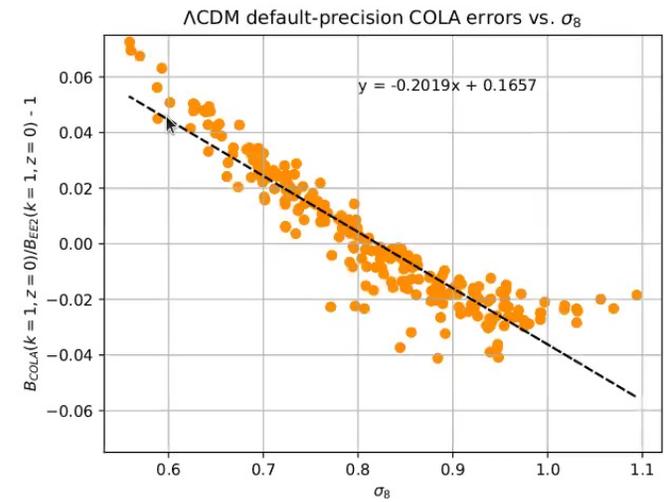


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nonlinear matter power spectrum emulator

omega_cold	0.23	0.4	$\Omega_{cb} = \Omega_{cdm} + \Omega_b$ (cdm+baryons)
omega_baryon	0.04	0.06	Ω_b
sigma8_cold	0.73	0.9	$\sigma_{8,cb}$ (cdm+baryons)
ns	0.92	1.01	n_s
hubble	0.6	0.8	$h = H_0/100$
neutrino_mass	0	0.4	$M_\nu = \sum m_{\nu,i}$ [eV]
w0	-1.15	-0.85	w_0
wa	-0.3	0.3	w_a
expfactor	0.4	1	$a = 1/(1+z)$

<https://baccoemu.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>



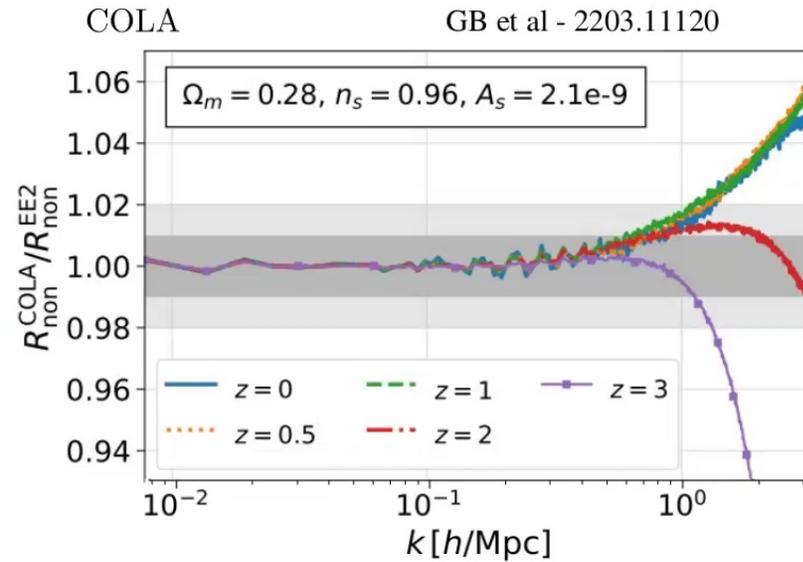
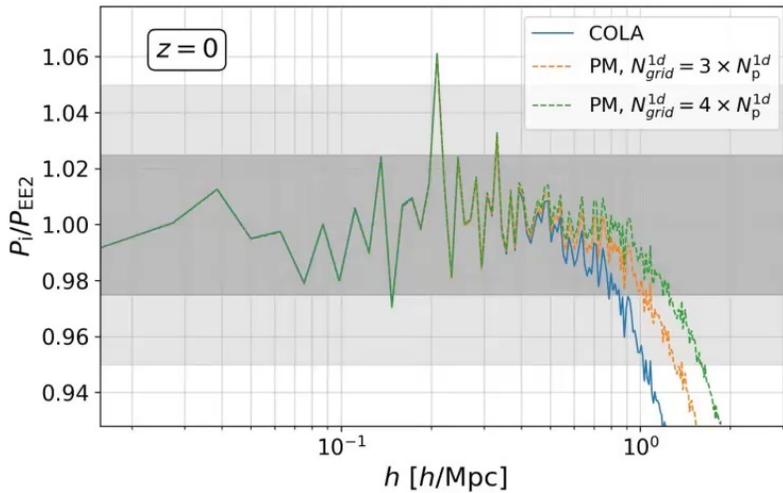
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EuclidEmulator2
COLA



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- ◆ Large scale structure cosmology → modelling of beyond- Λ CDM theories in the non-linear regime (small scales)
 - I have shown examples of COLA for certain fixed cosmologies and theories.
 - To go further we need:
 - Construct a COLA-based emulator → w CDM (validation!)
 - Perform a full parameter estimation for a stage-IV survey

	Default-precision	High-precision
$N_{\text{particles}}$	1024^3	1024^3
L [Mpc/h]	1024	512
N_{mesh}	2048^3	3072^3
z_{initial}	19	19
ℓ_{force} [Mpc/h]	0.5	0.17

Parameter	Min.	Max.	Ref.
Ω_{m}	0.24	0.40	0.319
Ω_{b}	0.04	0.06	0.049
n_s	0.92	1.00	0.96
$A_s \times 10^{-9}$	1.7	2.5	2.1
h	0.61	0.73	0.67
w	-1.3	-0.7	-1.0

LSSTY1 – like survey

- ◆ Cosmic shear:

- Shear angular power spectrum:

$$C_{\kappa\kappa}^{ij}(\ell) = \int \frac{d\chi}{\chi^2} q_{\kappa}^i(\chi) q_{\kappa}^j(\chi) P_{\text{NL}} \left(k = \frac{\ell + 1/2}{\chi}, z(\chi) \right)$$

- 5 tomographic bins with source and lens galaxies drawn from:

$$n(z) \propto z^2 \exp[-(z/z_0)^\alpha]$$

$$(z_0, \alpha) = (0.191, 0.870)$$

- Different masks (scale cuts) per bin

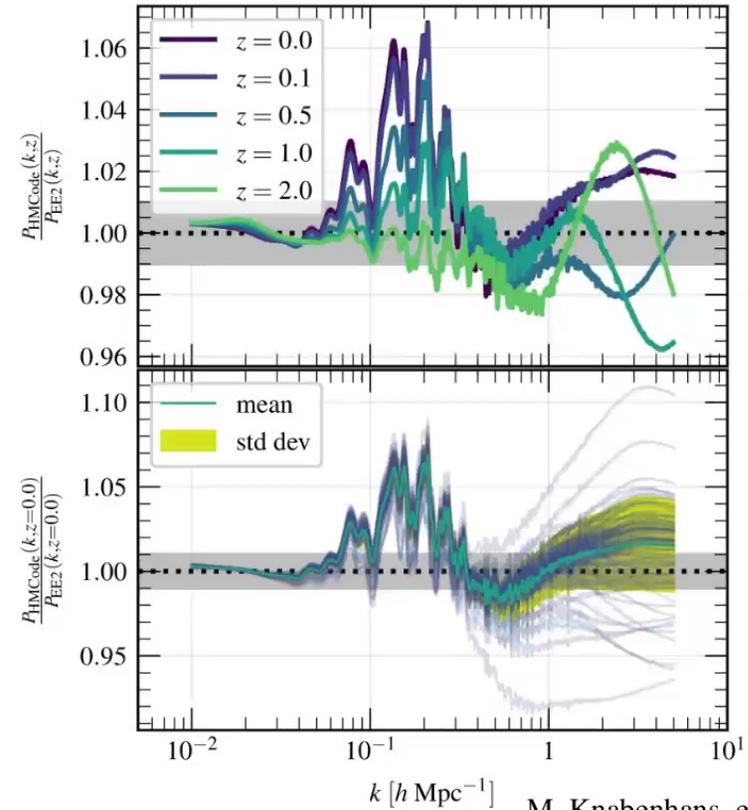
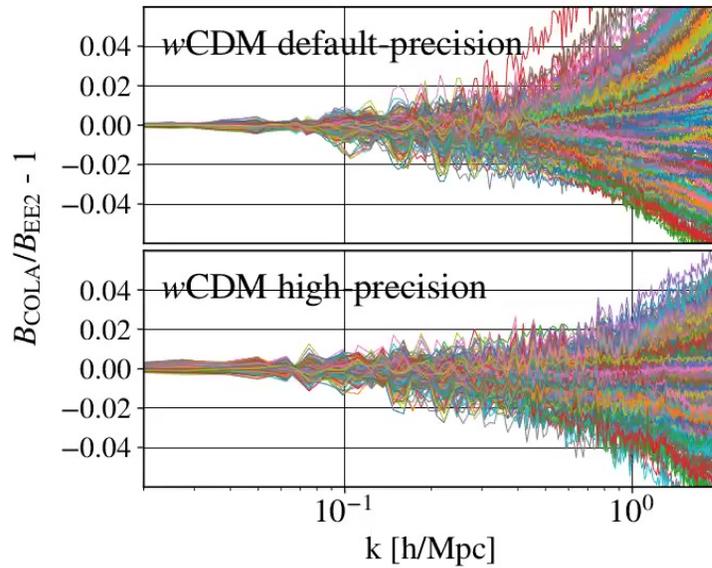
Parameter	Fiducial	Prior
Survey specifications		
Area	12300 deg ²	–
Shape noise per component	0.26	–
$n_{\text{eff}}^{\text{sources}}$	11.2 arcmin ⁻²	–
$n_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lens}}$	18 arcmin ⁻²	–
Photometric redshift offsets		
$\Delta z_{\text{source}}^i$	0	$\mathcal{N}[0, 0.02]$
Intrinsic alignment (NLA)		
A^1	0.7	$\mathcal{U}[-5, 5]$
η^1	-1.7	$\mathcal{U}[-5, 5]$
Shear calibration		
m^i	0	$\mathcal{N}[0, 0.005]$
Baryon PCA amplitude		
Q^1	3	$\mathcal{U}[0, 4]$
Q^2	0	$\mathcal{U}[-2.5, 2.5]$

	bin 0	bin 1	bin 2	bin 3	bin 4
M2	5.7	4.3	3.7	3.4	0.5
M3	2.9	2.1	1.9	1.7	0.2
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Maximum scale $k_{\text{max}}[h/Mpc]$

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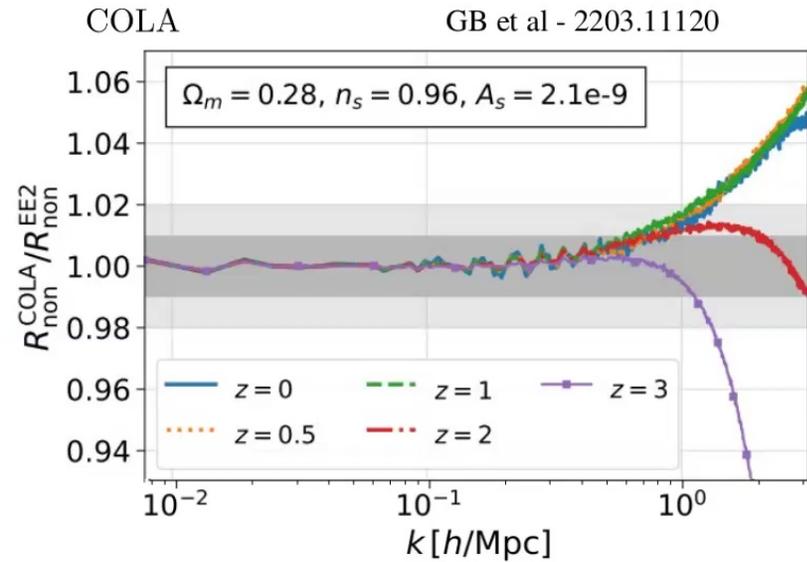
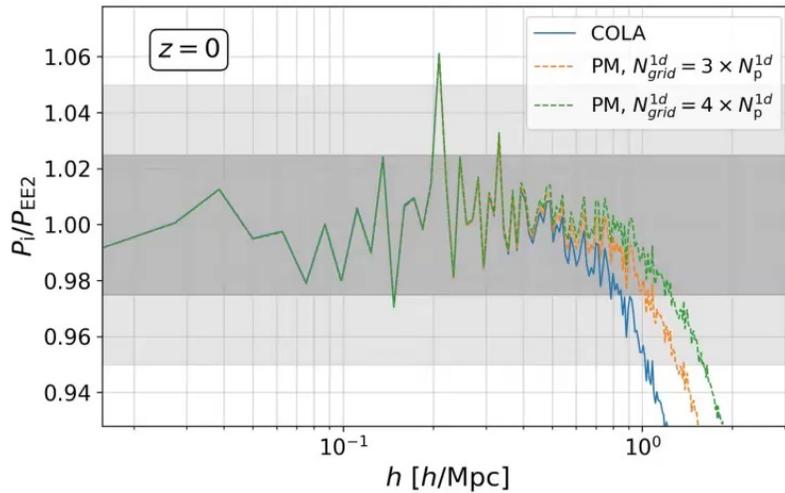
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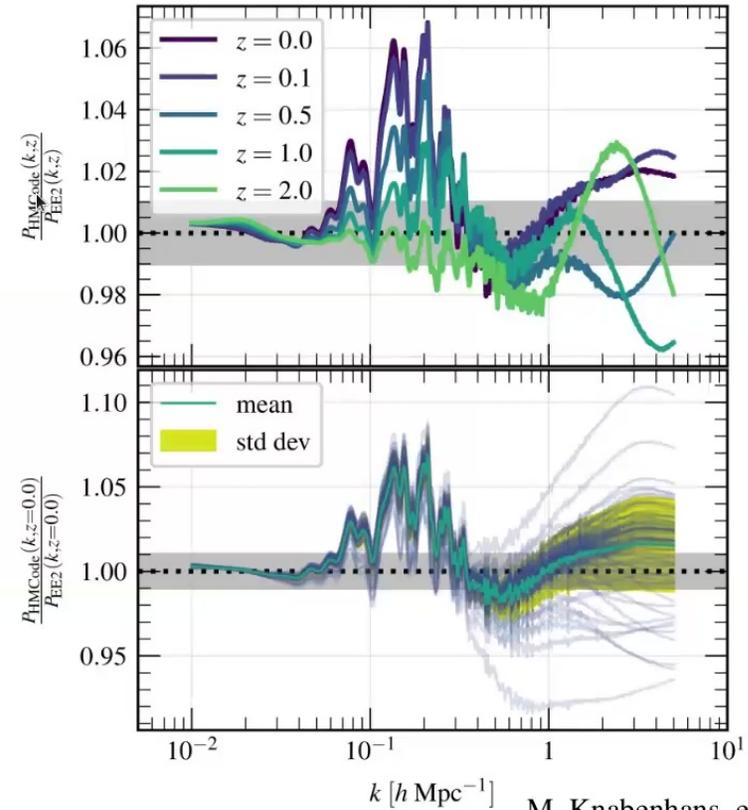
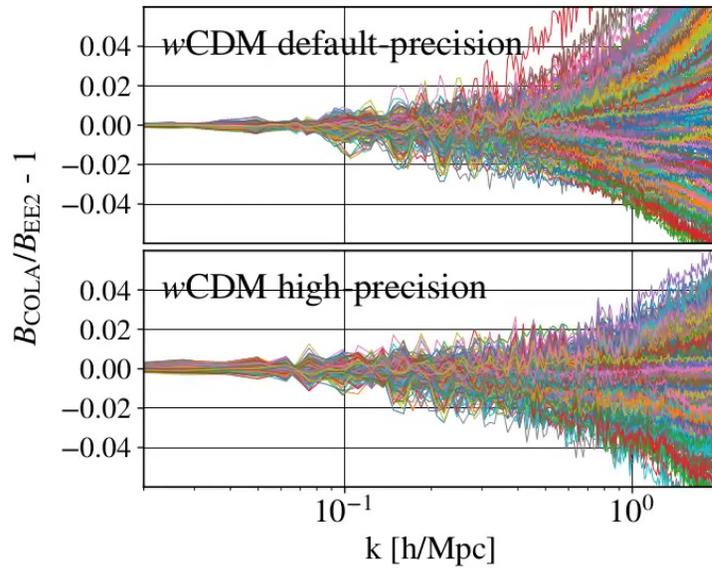
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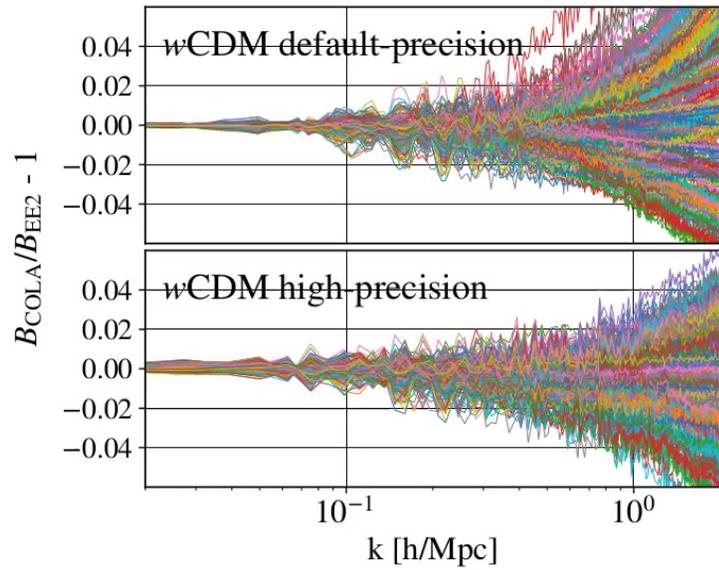


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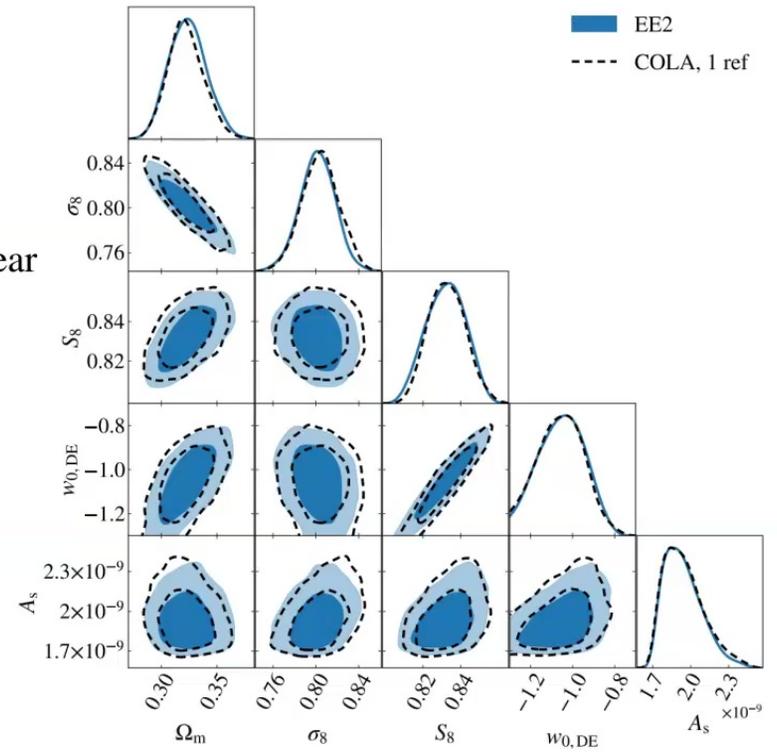
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Fiducial data vector: EE2 ref + M2 mask

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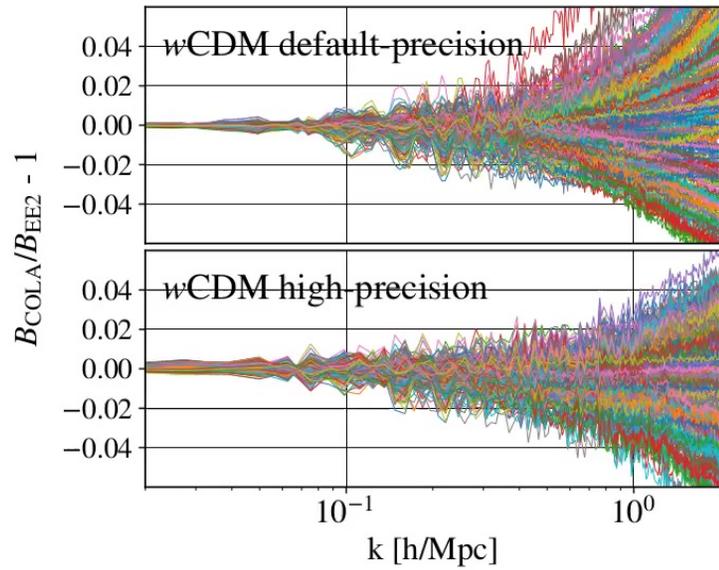


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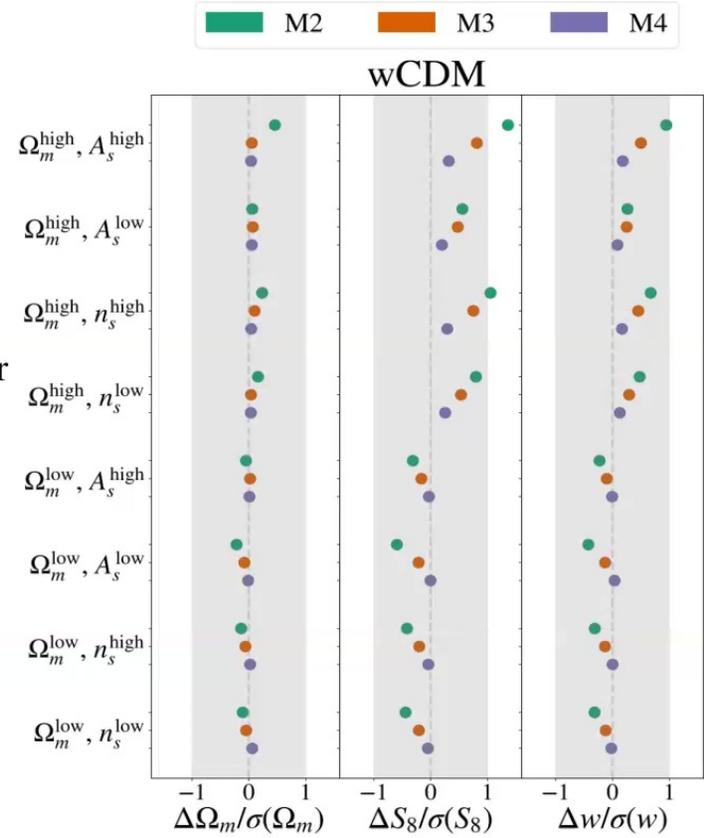


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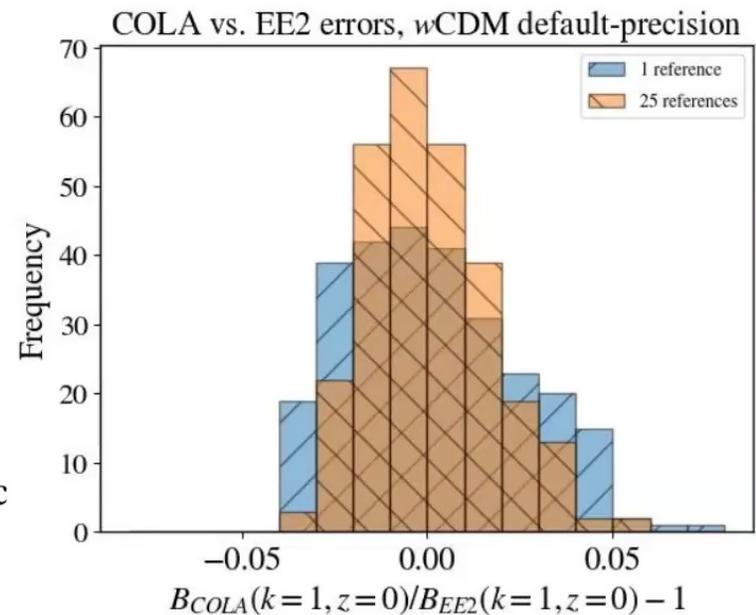


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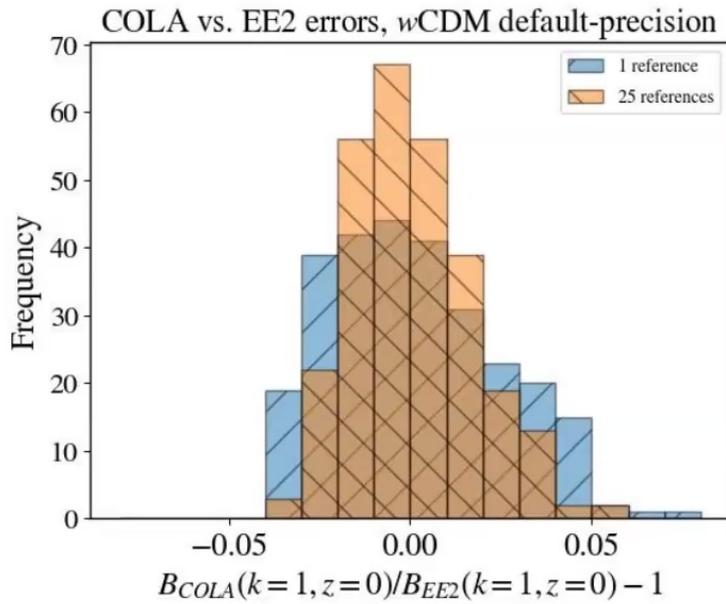
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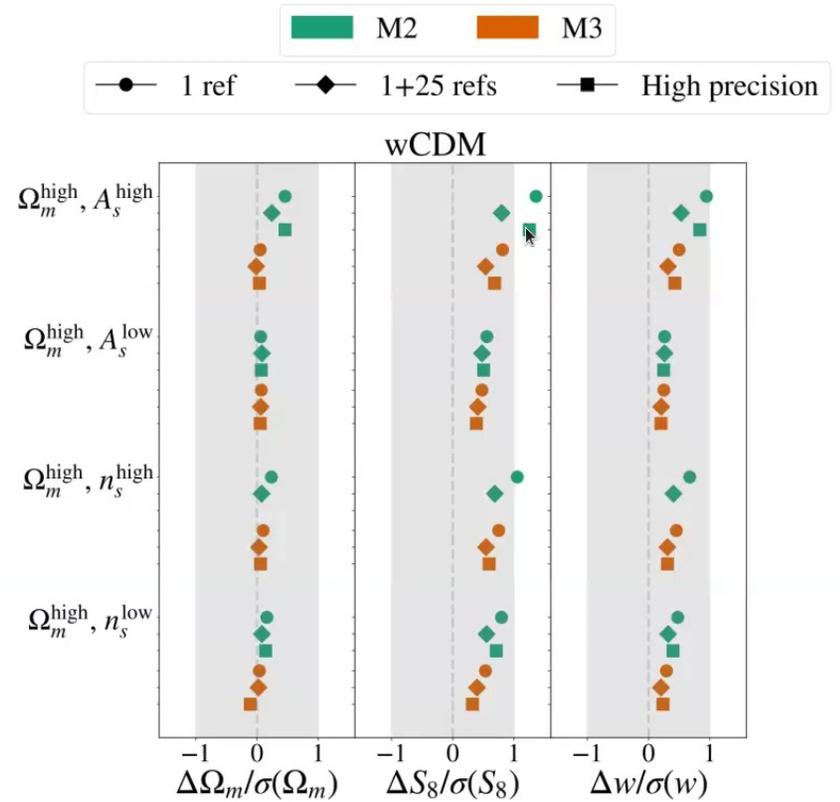


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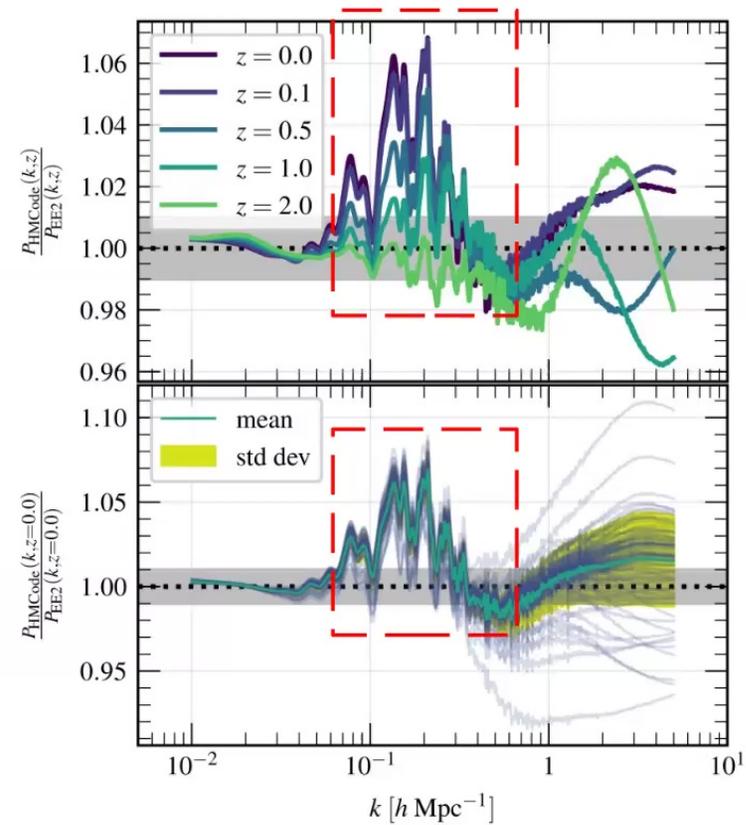
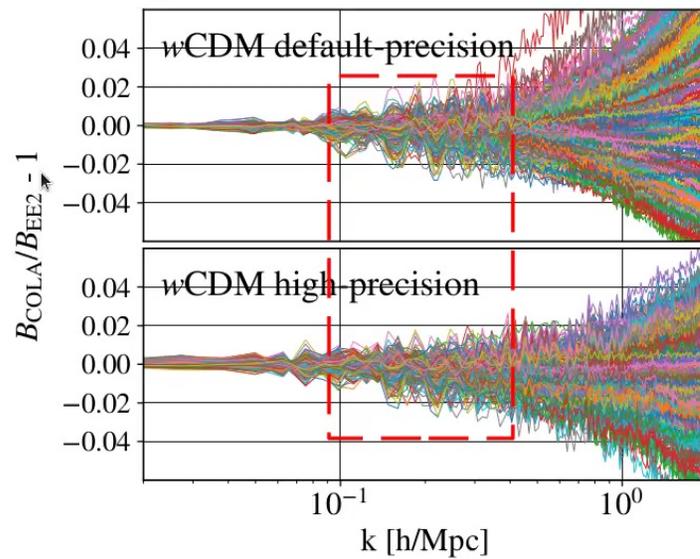


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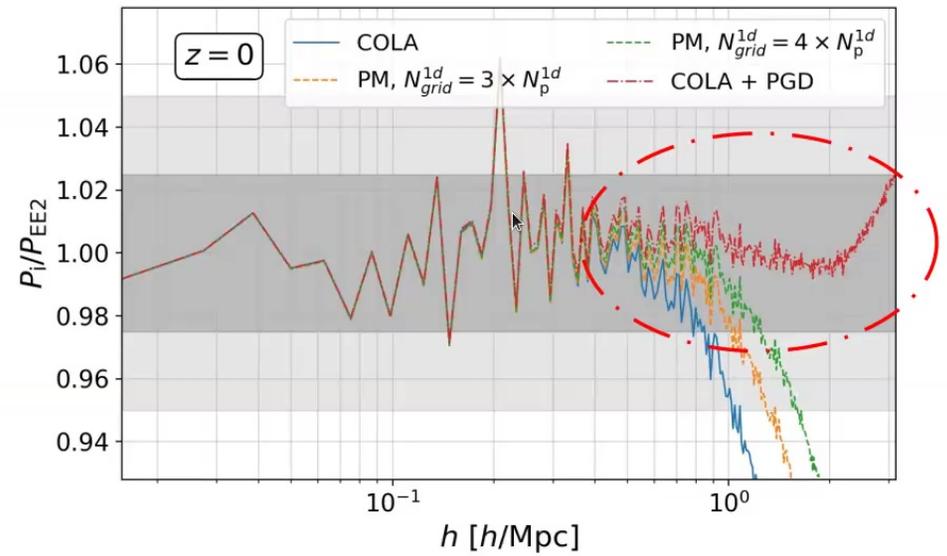
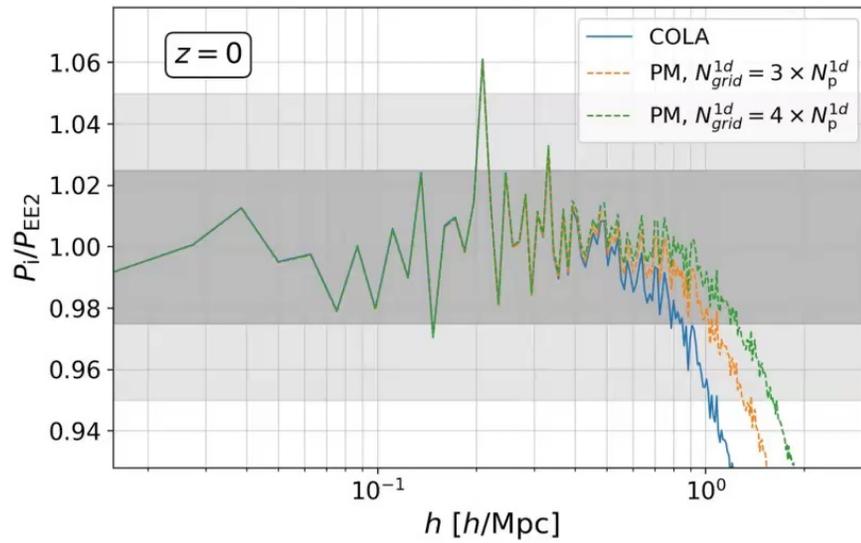
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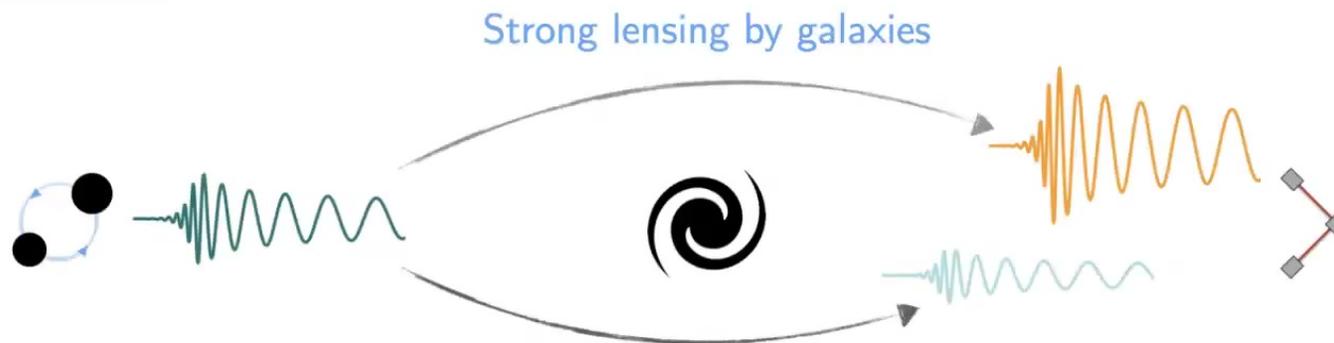


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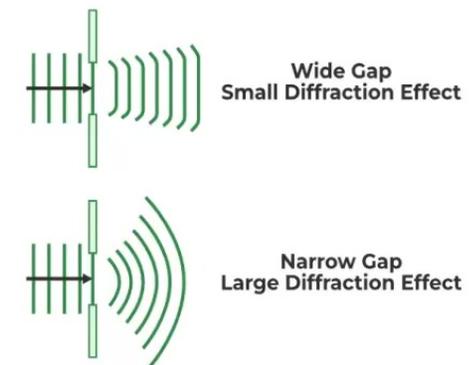
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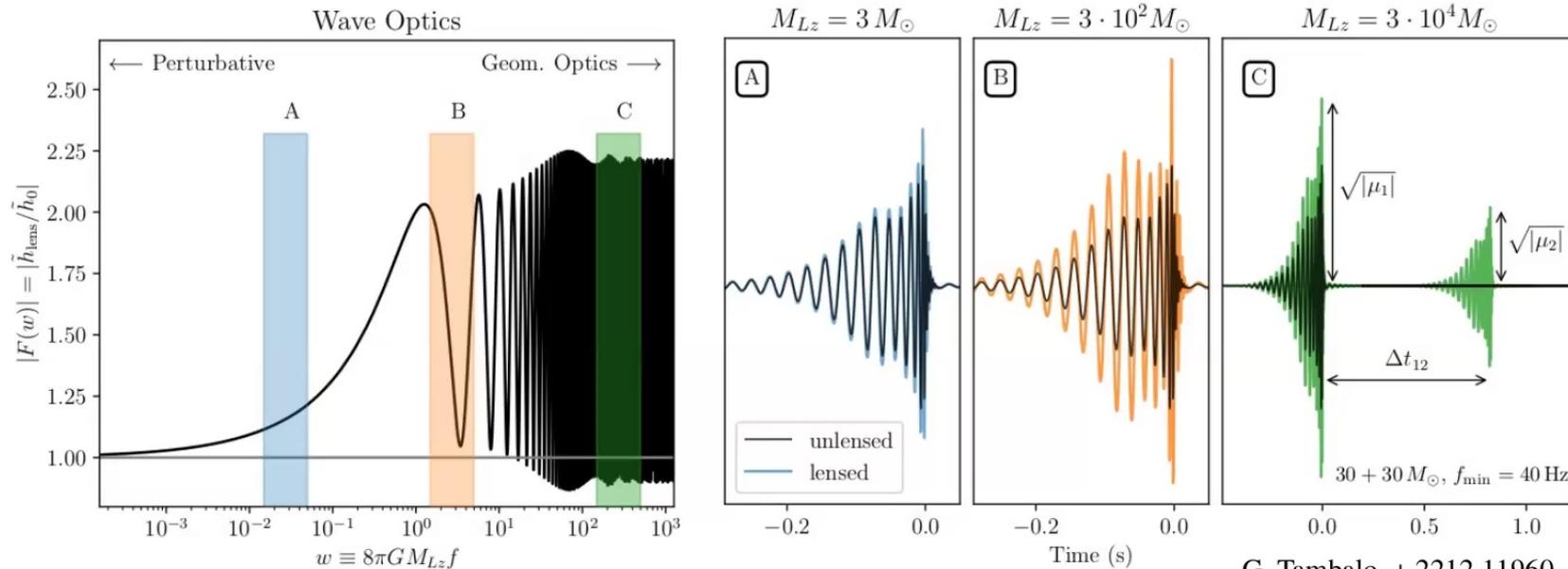
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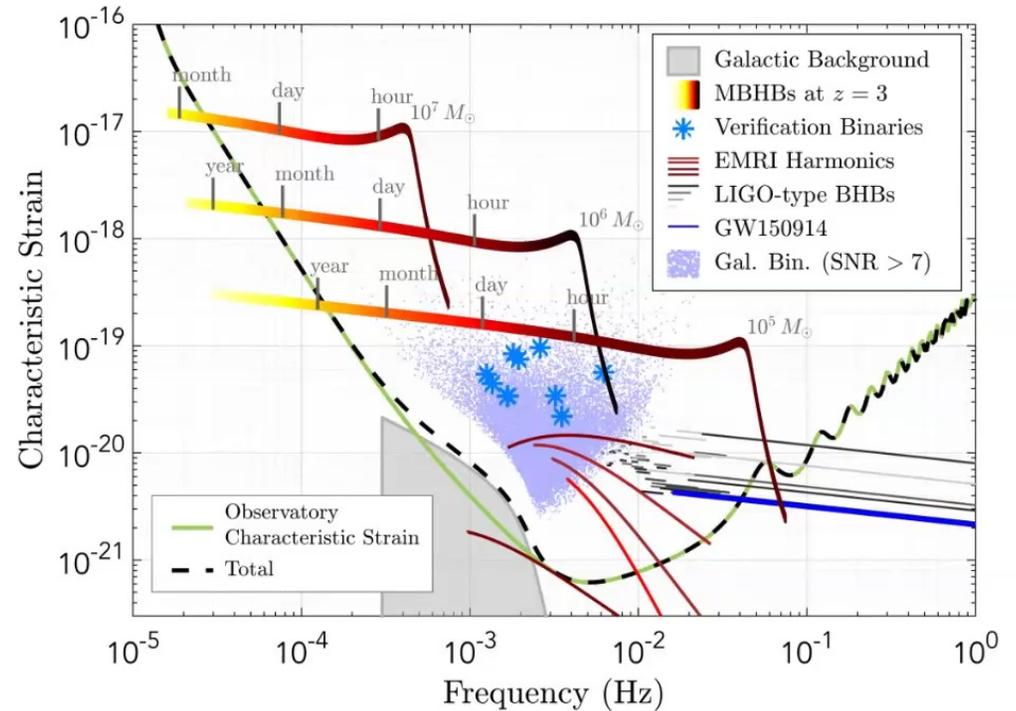
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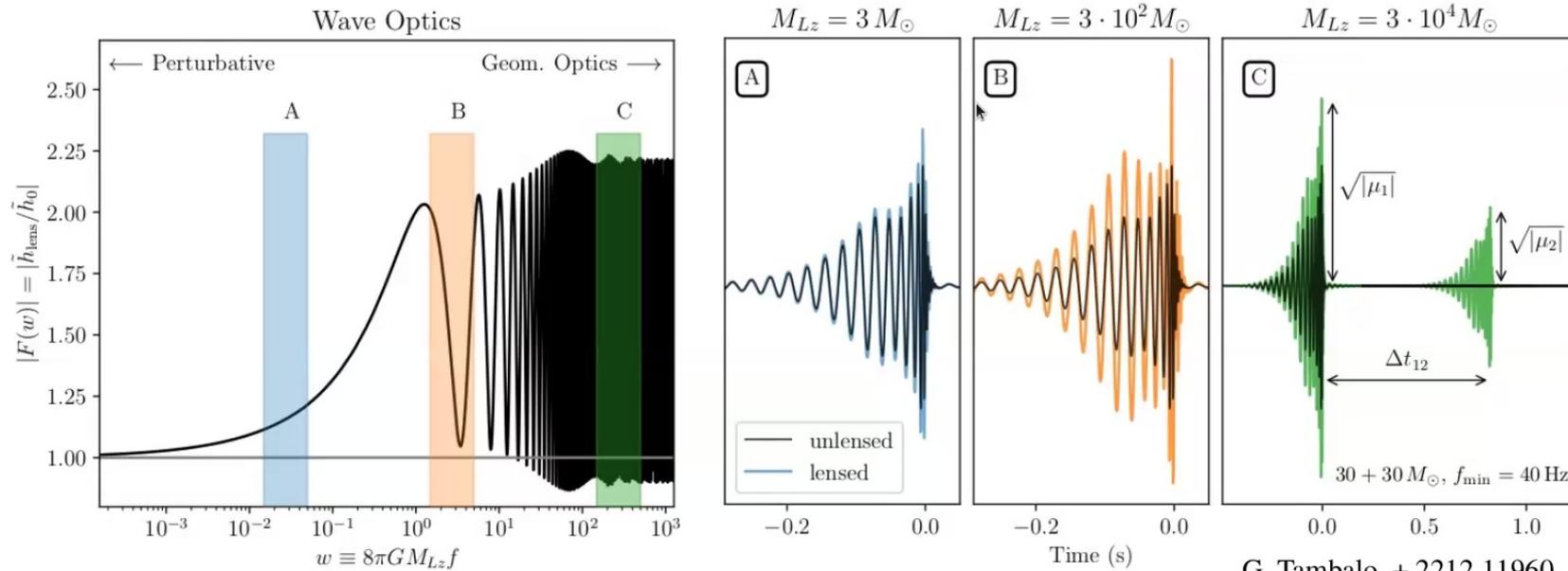


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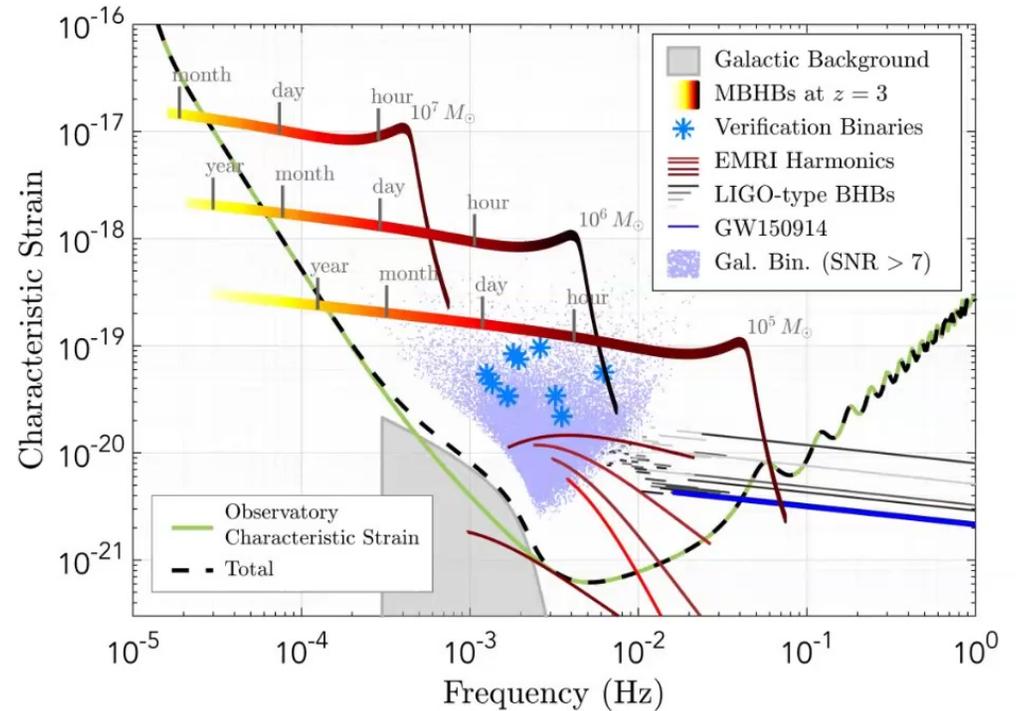
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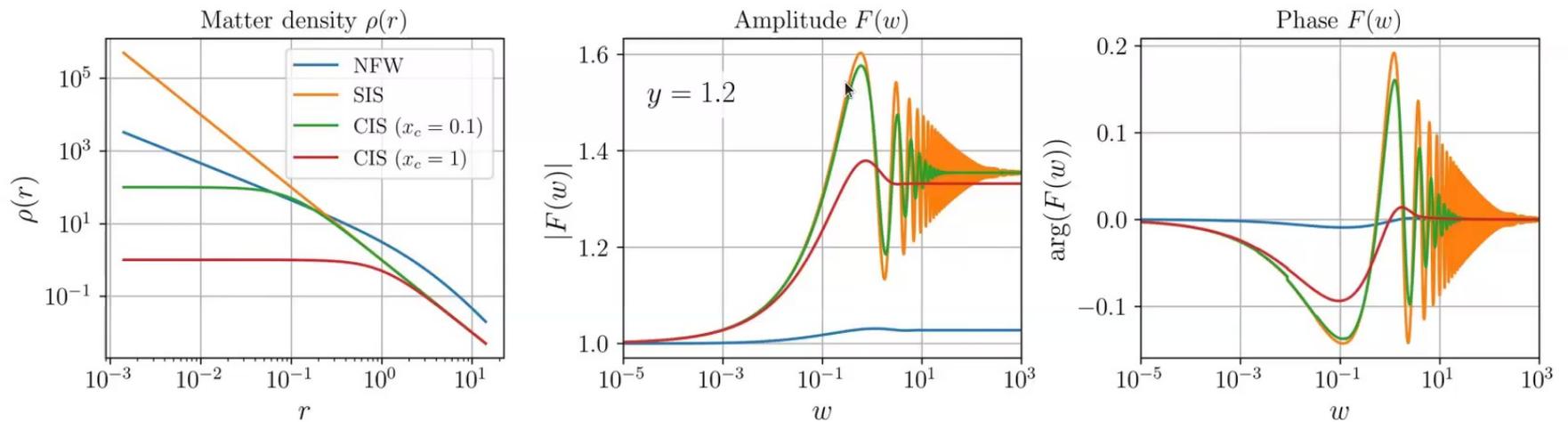


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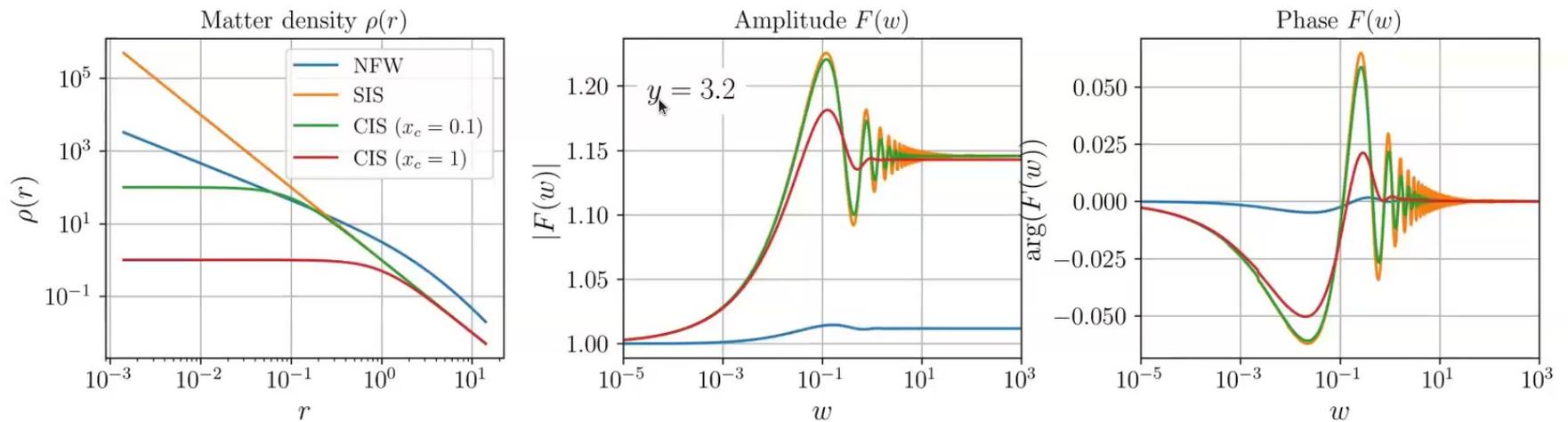
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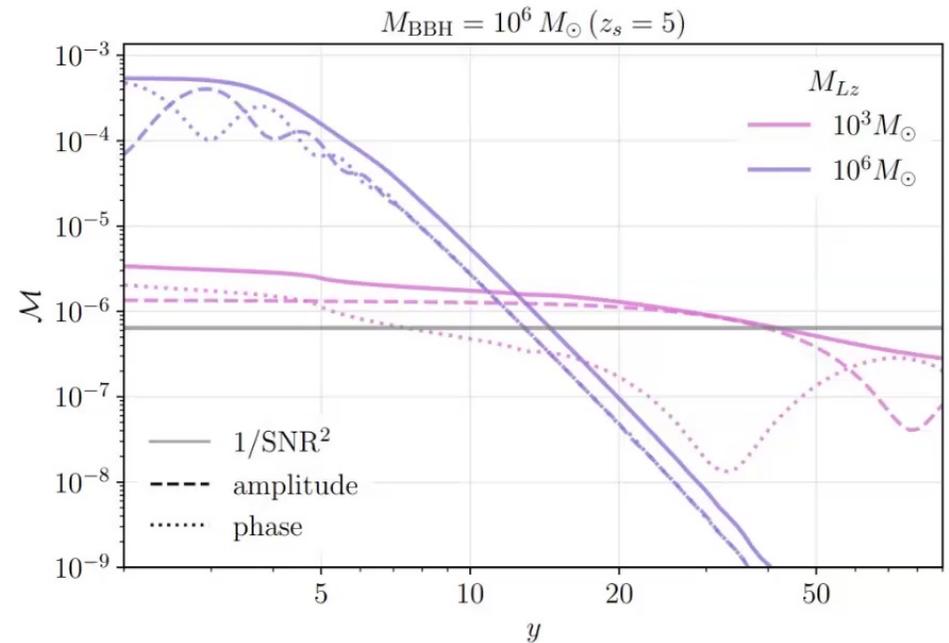
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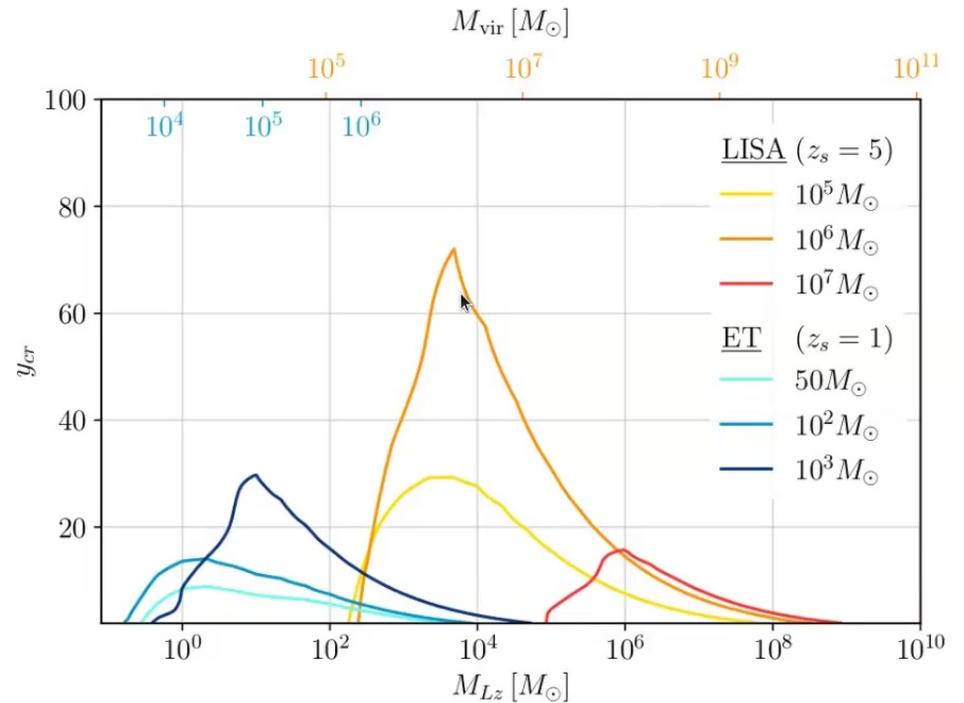
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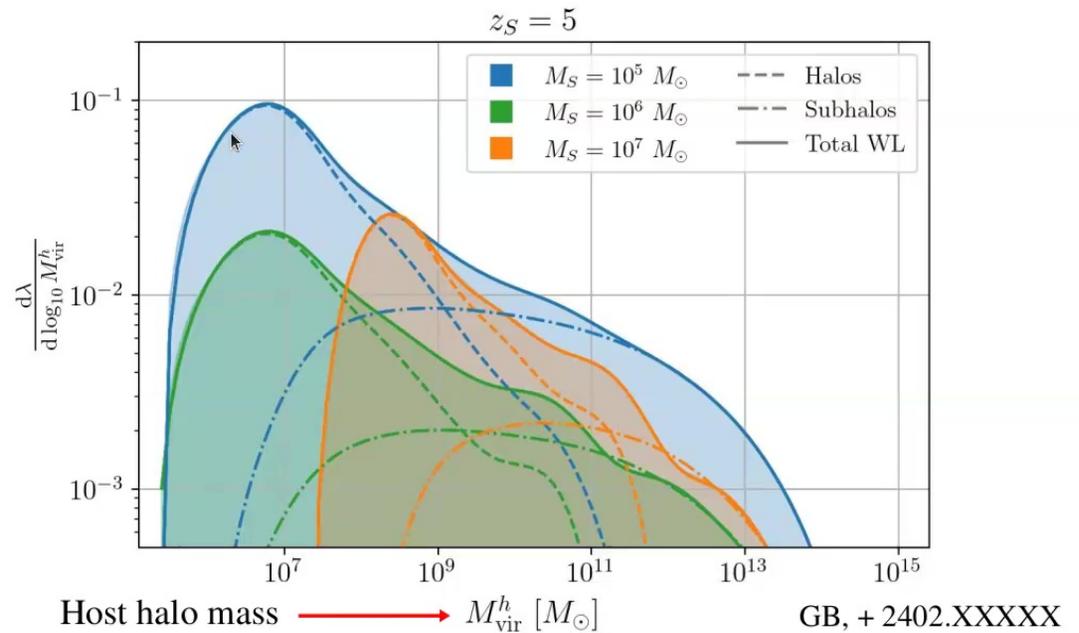
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