

Title: Modified gravity getting to the one-point clustering statistics

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Abstract:

Gravitational collapse shaped the cosmic large-scale structure and created a plethora of different density environments. For optimally probing gravity with galaxy surveys like Euclid and Rubin LSST, we need to dissect different density environments that are lumped together in traditional two-point statistics. I will explain how the one-point probability distribution of dark matter densities can be predicted analytically including signatures of modified gravity that match with cosmological simulations for nDGP and f(R) gravity. I will provide an outlook on how those predictions can be translated to galaxy clustering and weak lensing and observables.

MODIFIED GRAVITY GETTING TO THE ONE-POINT CLUSTERING STATISTICS



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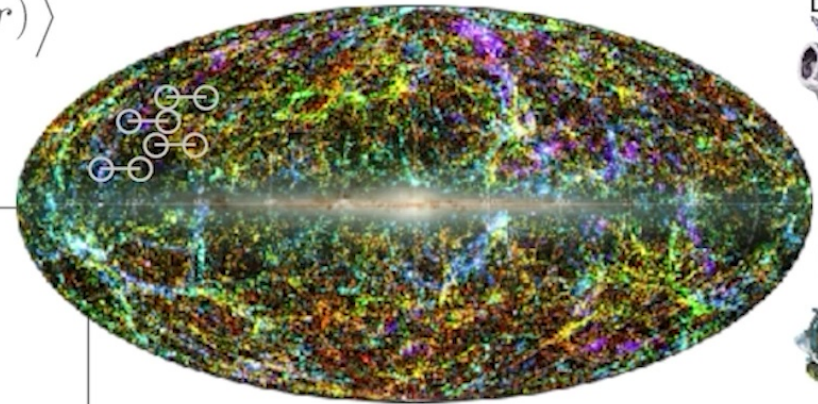
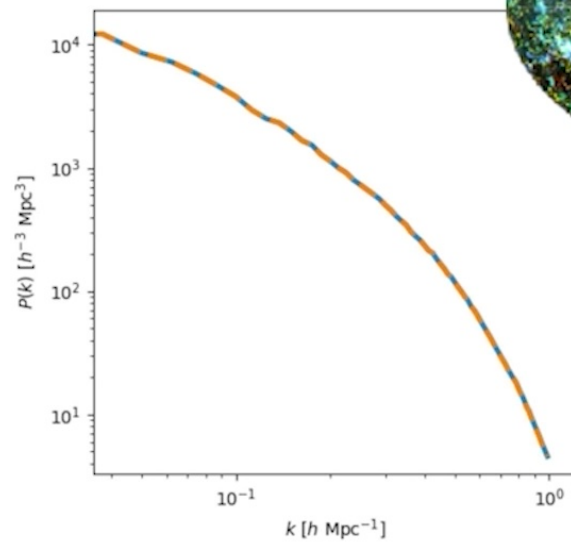


CLUSTERING STATISTICS

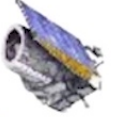
2-point correlation averages over all densities

$$\xi(r) = \langle \delta(\mathbf{x})\delta(\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{r}) \rangle$$

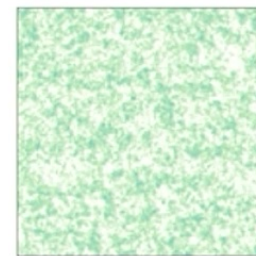
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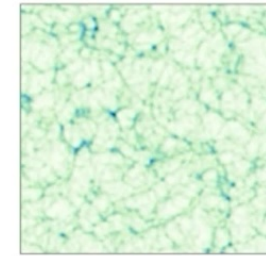
Euclid



Rubin LSST



Gaussian
Universe



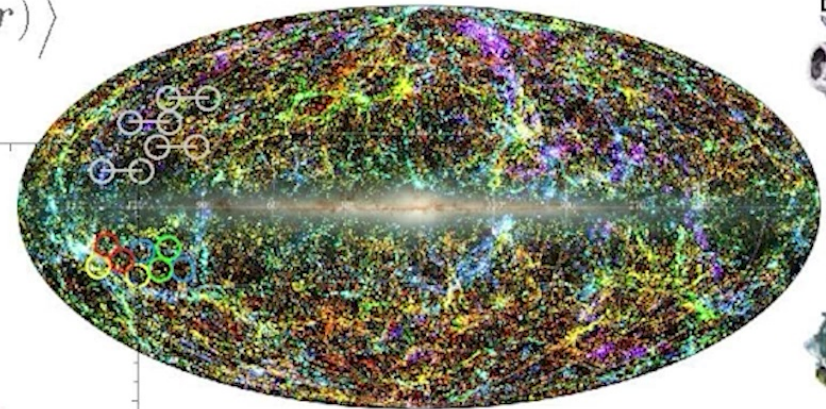
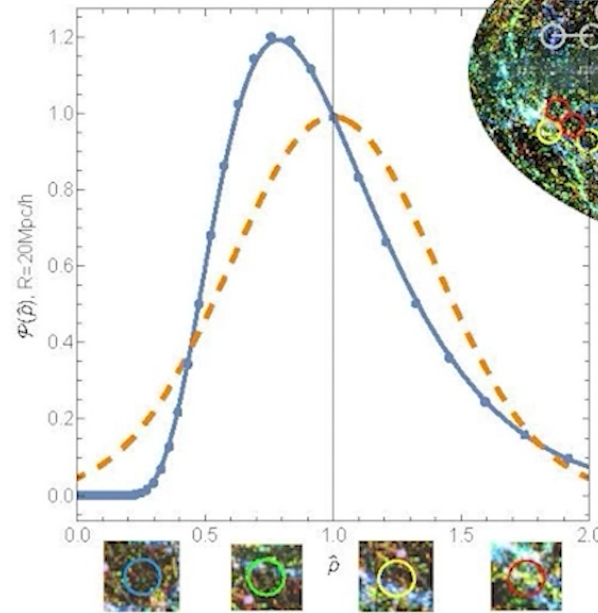
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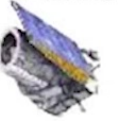
CLUSTERING STATISTICS

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Euclid



Rubin
LSST



beyond average 1-point
statistics split **density**
environments

$$\mathcal{P}_R(\delta) \propto \frac{\text{\#coloured cells}}{\text{\#all cells}}$$



ONE-POINT STATISTICS

Large-deviation statistics

most likely path dominates $\rho = 1 + \delta_{\text{NL}}$

spherical collapse

$$\mathcal{P}_{R,z}(\rho) \sim \exp \left[- \frac{\delta_L(\rho)^2}{2\sigma_L^2(z, r(R, \rho))} \frac{\sigma_L^2}{\sigma_{\text{NL}}^2} \right]$$

Bernardeau 94

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linear variance & growth

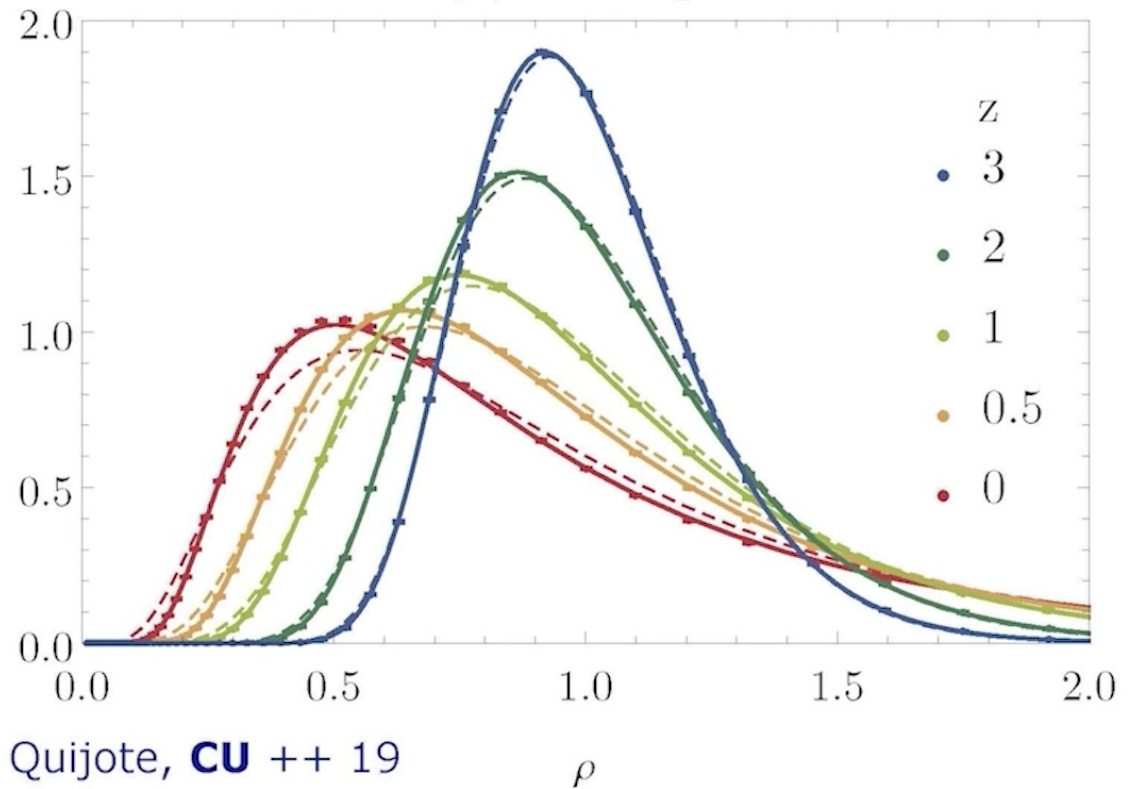
nonlinear variance



ONE-POINT STATISTICS

accurate PDF predictions beyond lognormal

$\mathcal{P}(\rho)$, $R=10$ Mpc/h

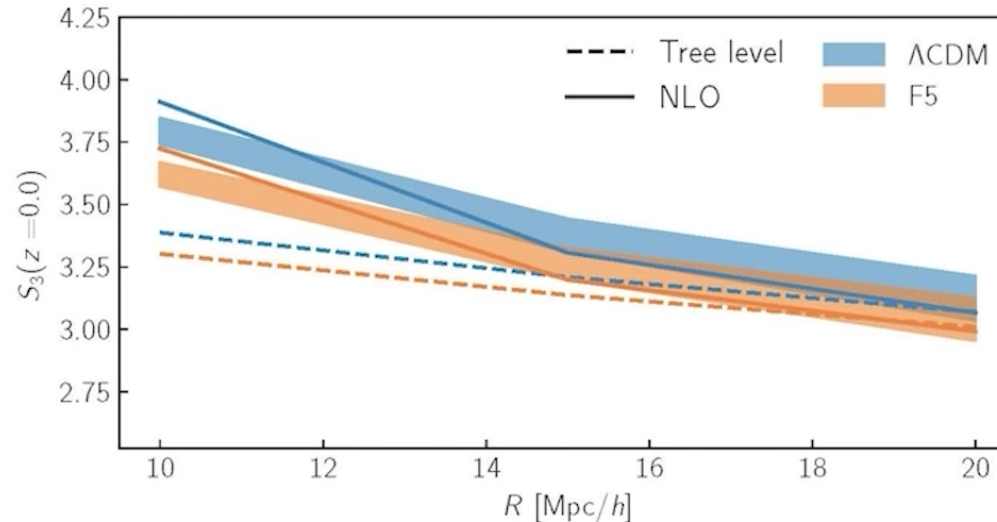


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modified gravity affects nonlinear structure

examples: **nDGP** & **f(R)**

reduced cumulants robust and predictable $S_3 = \frac{\langle \delta^3 \rangle}{\sigma^4}$



Matteo Cataneo



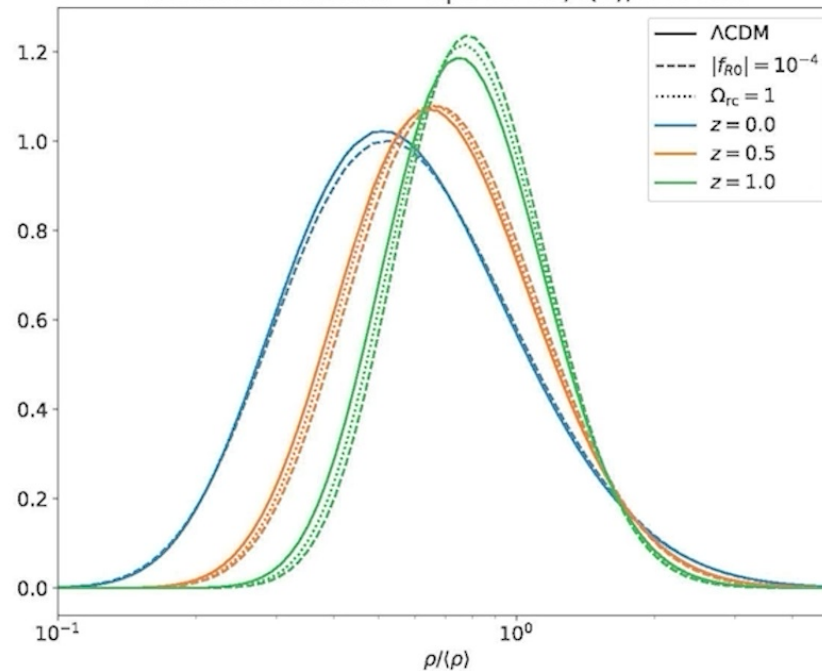
sims: Durham group

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modified gravity affects nonlinear structure
characteristic time & density dependence

Matter PDF on $10 h^{-1}$ Mpc for GR, $f(R)$, and DGP



github: [mcataneo/pyLDT-cosmo](https://github.com/mcataneo/pyLDT-cosmo)



Alex Gough

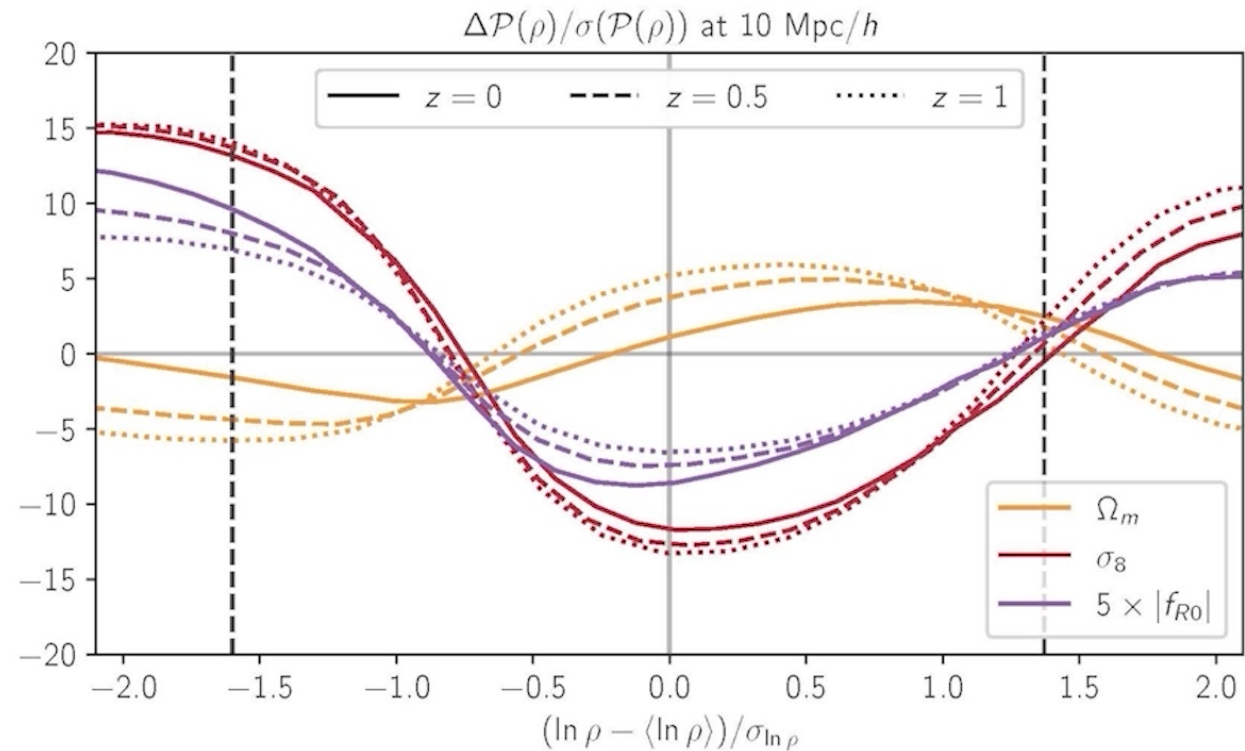
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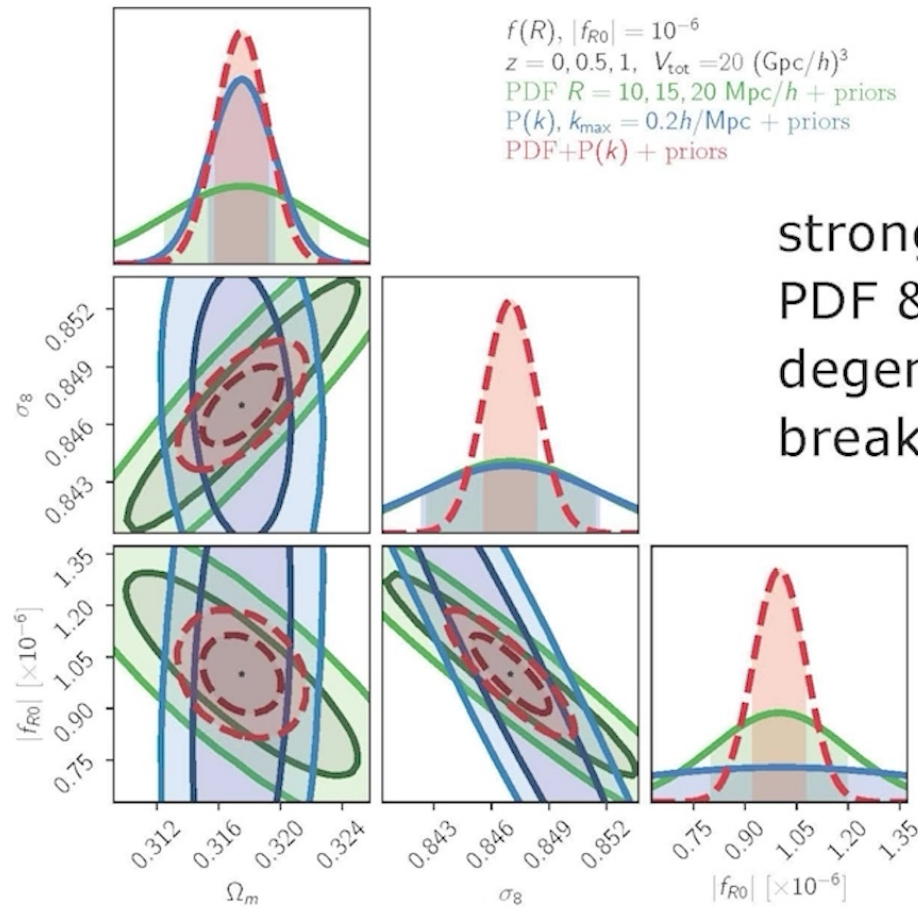


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stronger together:
PDF & P(k)
degeneracy
breaking

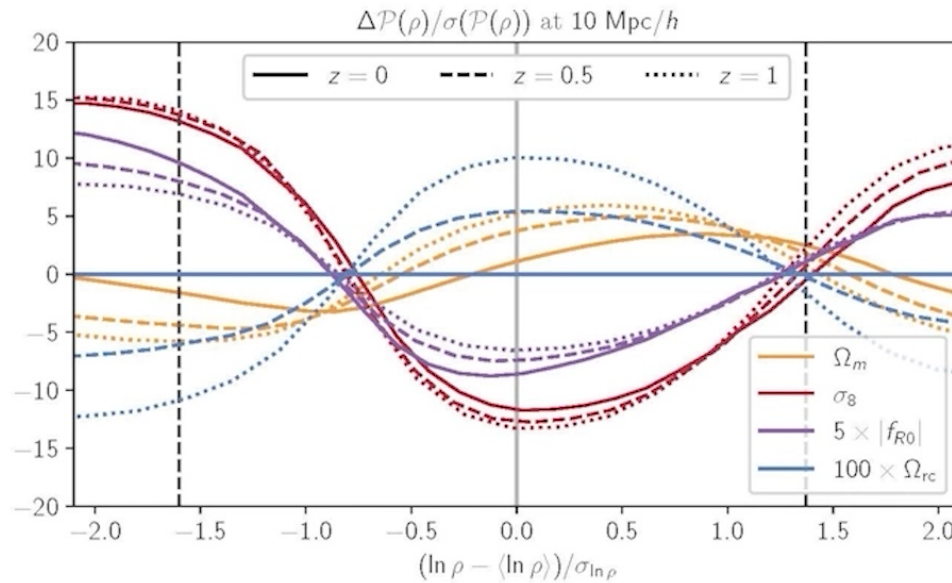
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stronger together: PDF & P(k) degeneracy breaking

	F6 detection	DGPw detection	
PDF, 3 scales + prior	5.15σ	1.17σ	matter field
$P(k)$, $k_{\max} = 0.2 h/\text{Mpc}$ + prior	2.01σ	2.42σ	
PDF + $P(k)$ + prior	13.40σ	5.19σ	



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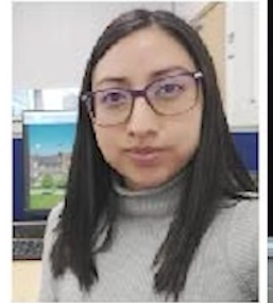


ONE-POINT TO OBSERVABLES

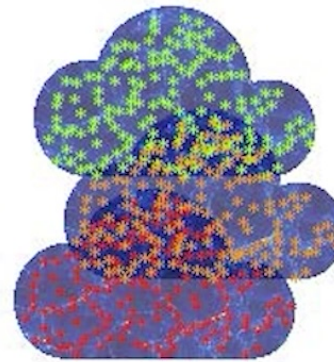
source galaxies



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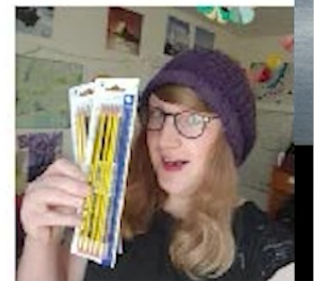


(dark)
matter



galaxies

PhD student
Beth Gould



galaxy shapes
convergence κ

galaxy counts
density δ_g



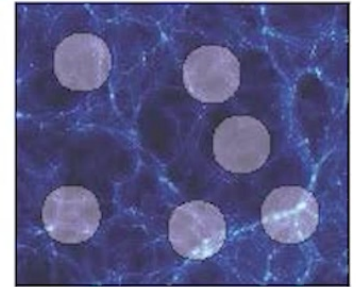
Euclid



MG GETTING TO THE ONE-POINT

Powerful non-Gaussian statistics

robust & accurate predictions
different density environments



Matter density PDF

Λ CDM, f_{NL} **CU**, Friedrich ++ 19, Friedrich, **CU** ++ 19
dark energy $w_{0,a}$ & MG, Ω_{rc} , f_{R0} Cataneo, **CU**++ 21

Real: weak lensing & galaxy counts PDF

lensing convergence: projection Boyle, **CU**++ 20
Castiblanco, **CU**++ 24
galaxies: galaxy bias & stochasticity Friedrich+(**CU**) + 21

