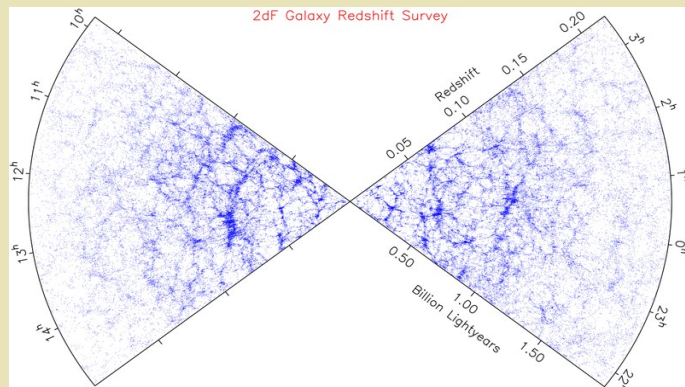
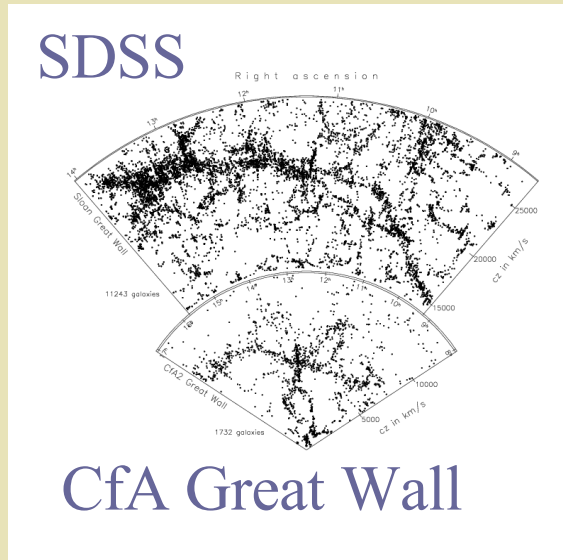


# Large Scale Structure in 2dF, SDSS, and beyond



2dFGRS

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# Cosmic Probes

## Observational data

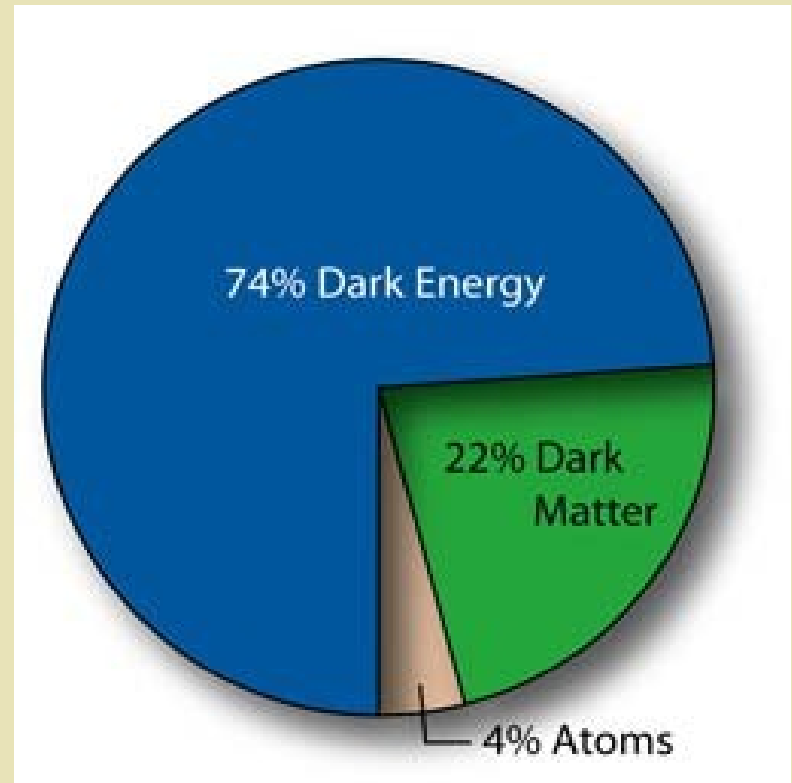
- ◆ Type Ia Supernovae
- ◆ Galaxy Clusters
- ◆ Cosmic Microwave Background
- ◆ Large Scale Structure
- ◆ Gravitational Lensing

## Physical effects:

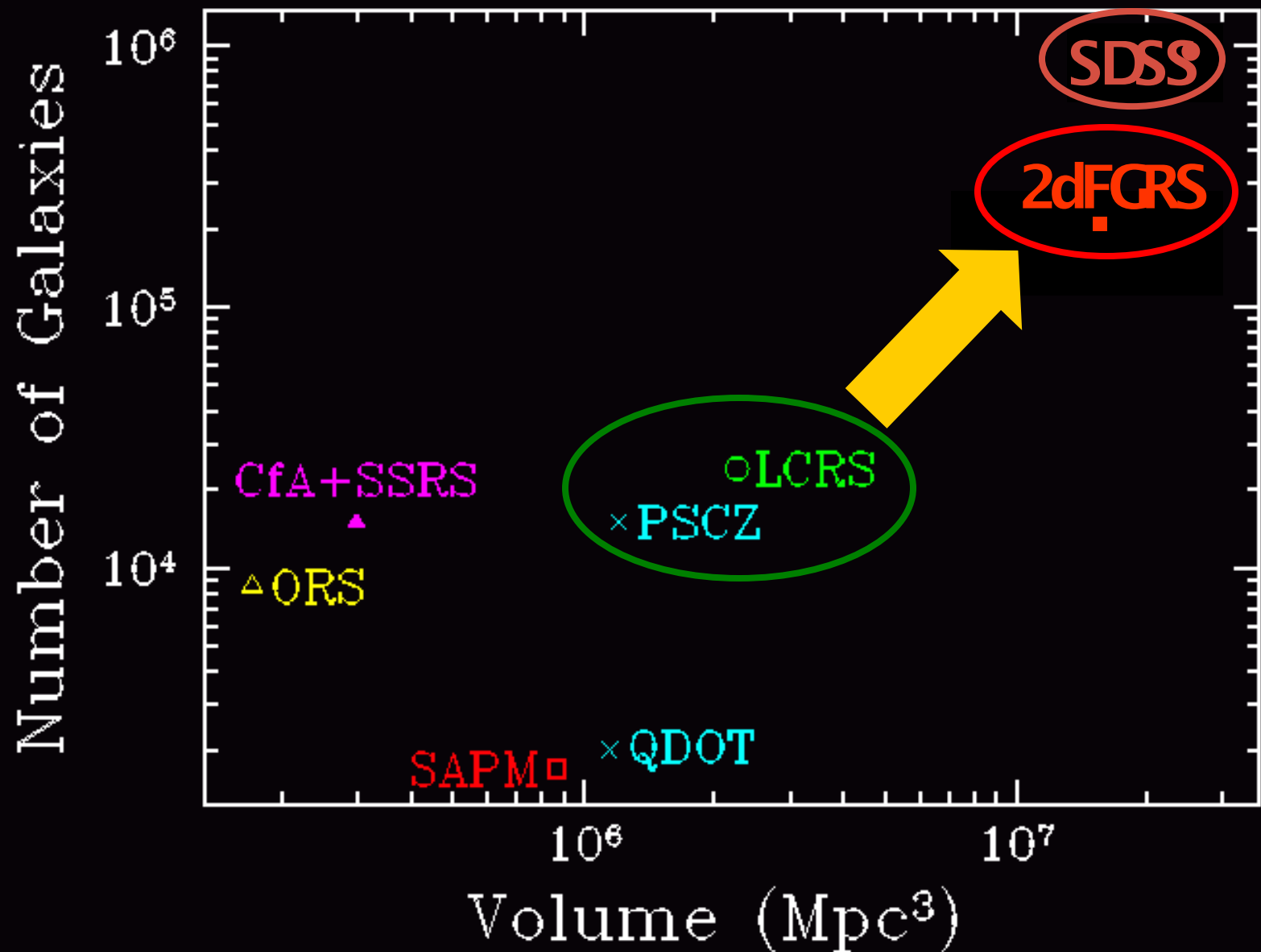
- ◆ Geometry
- ◆ Growth of Structure

Both depend on the Hubble expansion rate:

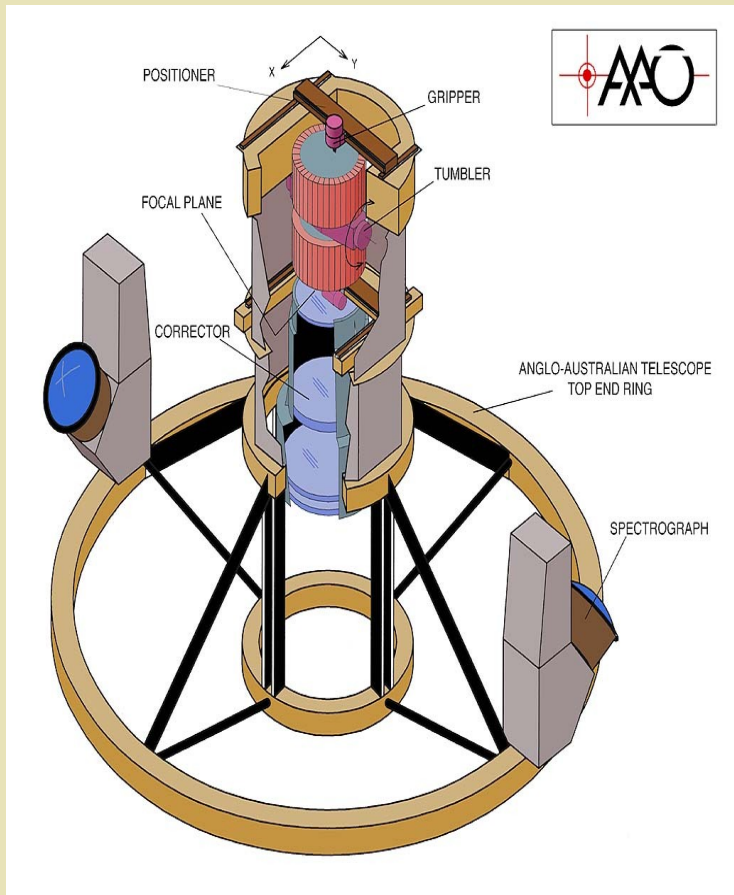
$$H^2(z) = H_0^2 \left[ g_M (1+z)^3 + g_{DE} (1+z)^{3(1+w)} \right] \quad (\text{flat})$$



# The evolution of redshift surveys



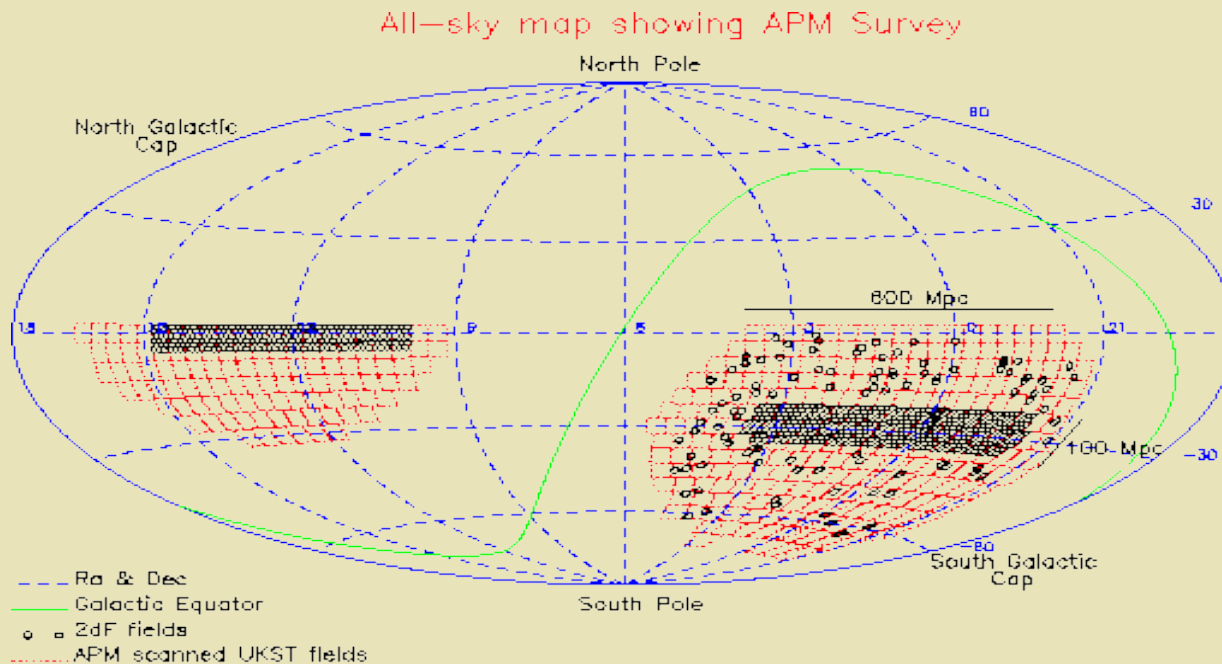
# The 2dF Redshift Machine



400 fibres in 2 deg Field



# Sky Coverage - 230k redshifts



# The 2dFGRS Team

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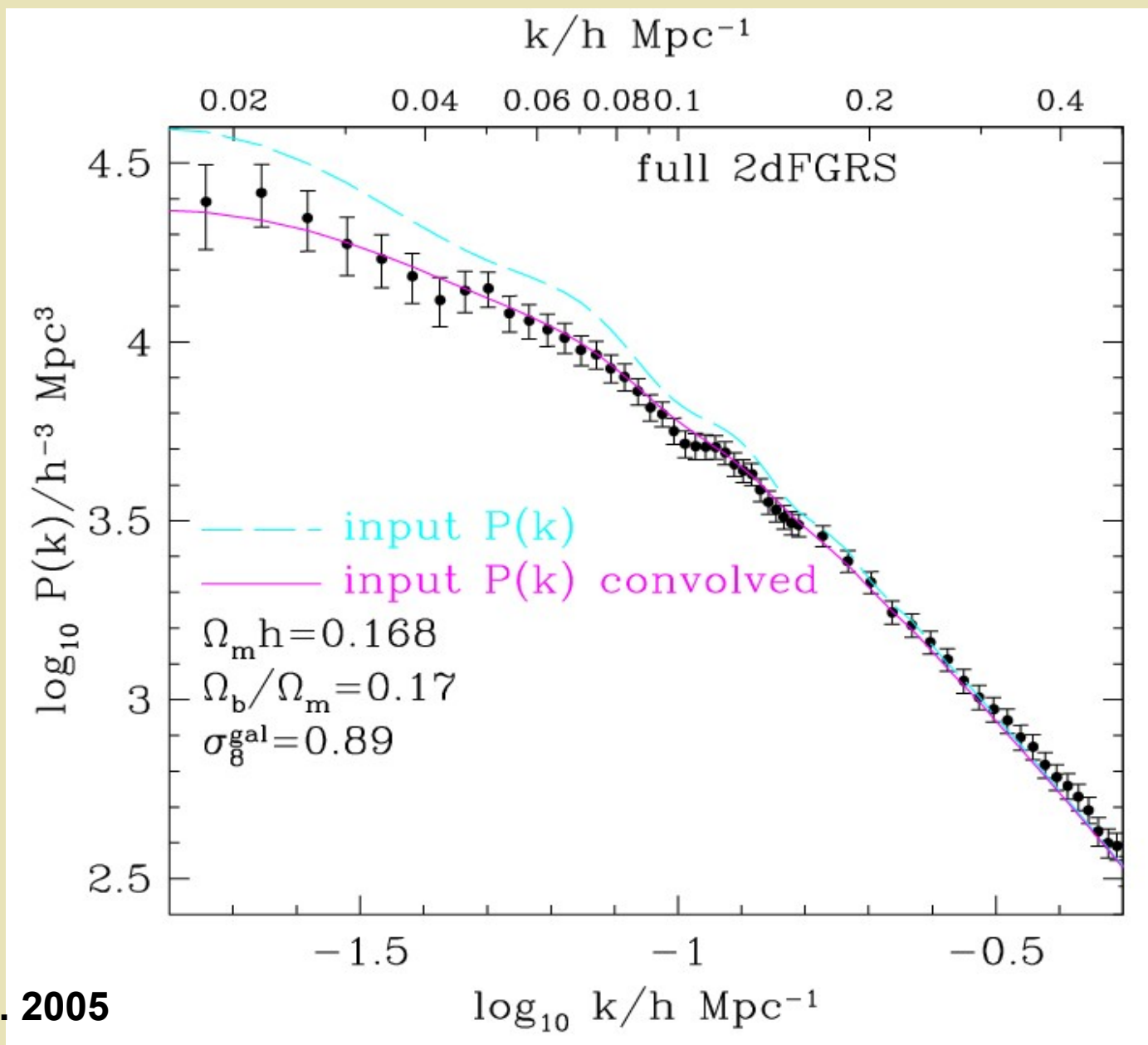
Peder Norberg  
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Will Percival  
(Edinburgh)

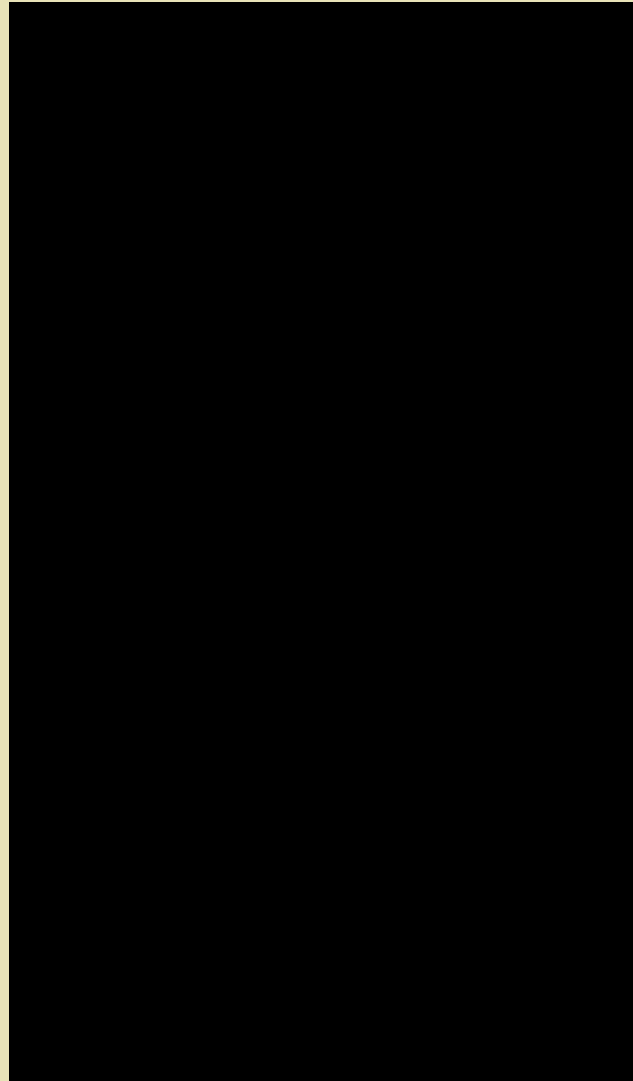
Bruce Peterson (ANU)

# The final 2dFGRS Power Spectrum



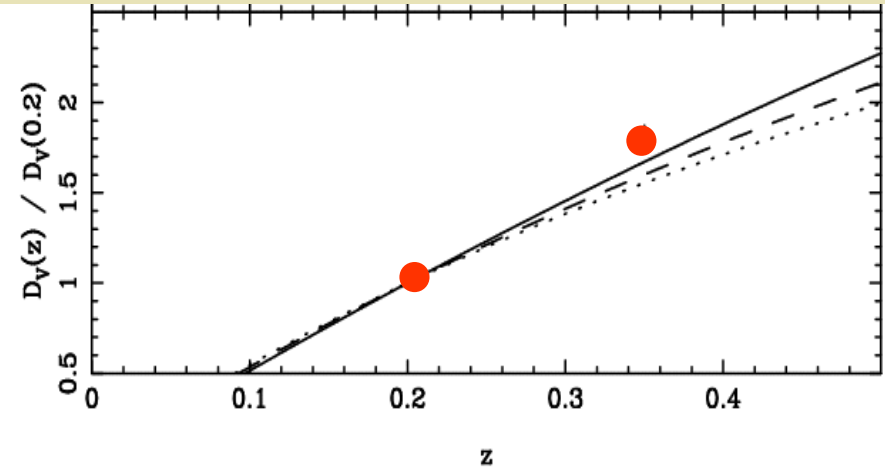
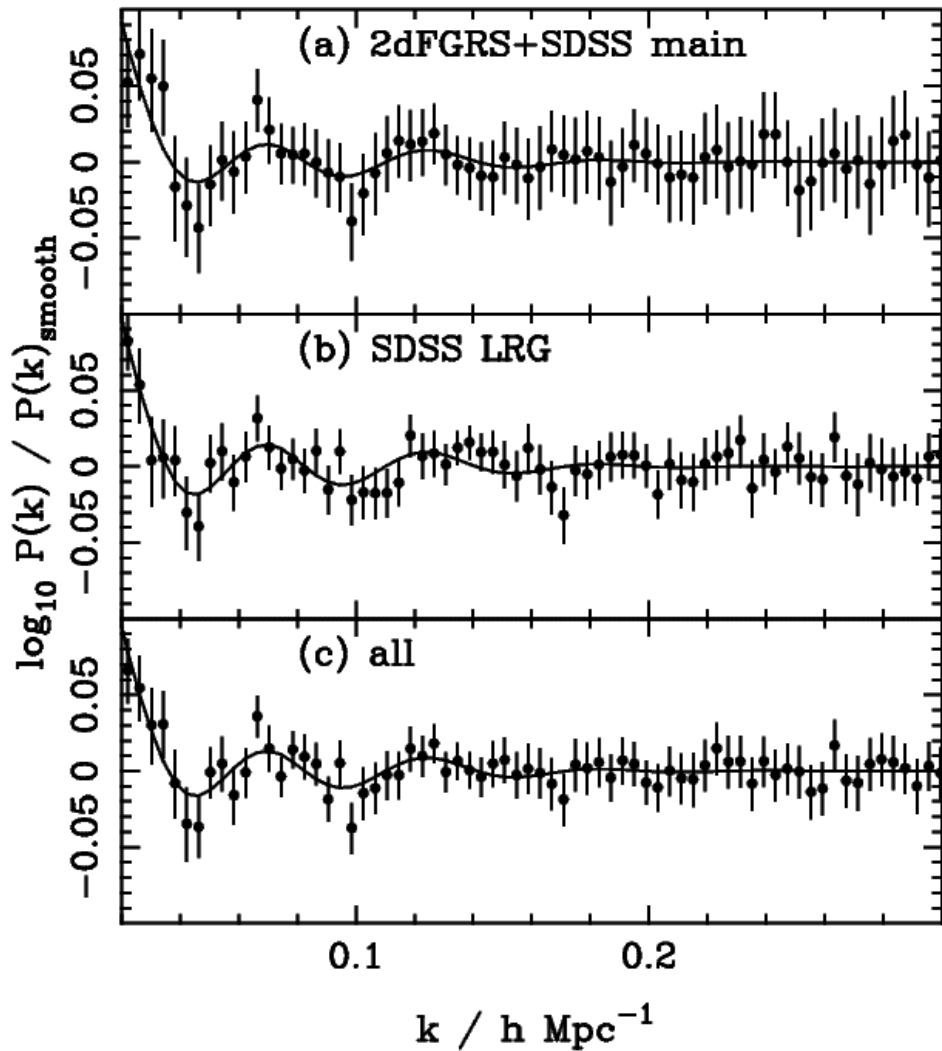
# Precision Cosmology from LSS?

## 2dF- SDSS 'tension'





# BAO from 2dF ad SDSS



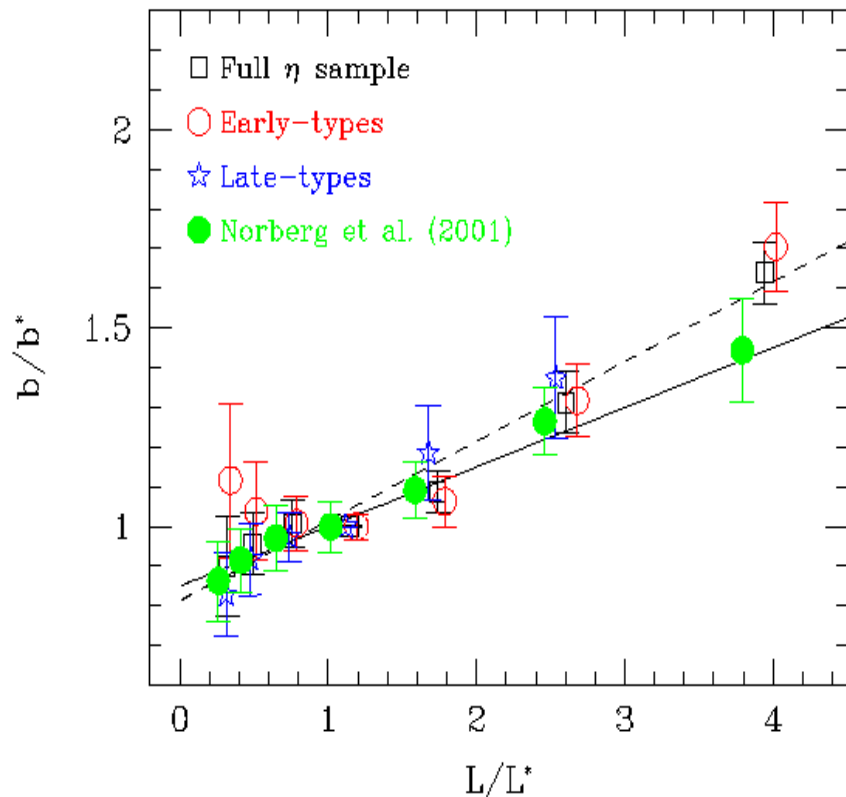
**2.4- $\sigma$  disagreement with  
cosmological constant?!**

**Percival et al. 2007**

**SDSS & 2dFGRS**

# Galaxy Biasing on small scales

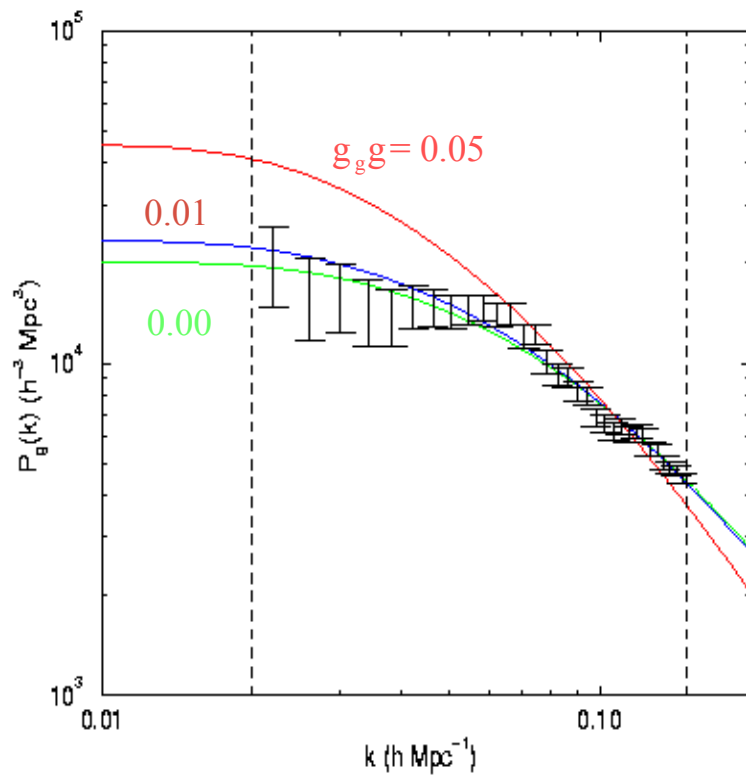
## Bias as function of Luminosity and Type



Norberg et al. , 2001, MNRAS in press (astro-ph/0112043)

- ◆ Luminosity segregation
- ◆ Spectral Types
- ◆ Stochastic bias detected (Wild et al.)
  
- ◆ cf. SDSS (Zehavi et al.)

# Weighing Neutrinos with 2dFGRS



Elgaroy, OL, & et al.,  
astro-ph/0204152, PRL

- ◆ Free streaming effect:  
 $\Omega_g / \Omega_m < 0.13$   
 Total  $\Sigma m_\nu < 1.8$  eV
- ◆  $R \propto 1/d^4 \Omega_g \propto \Omega_g^2$   
 $\Omega_g \propto$   
 (Oscillations)      (2dF)
- ◆ a Four-Component Universe ?

# Deriving Neutrino mass from Cosmology

Data	Authors	$M_{\text{g}} \Omega_{\text{g}} \square \square \quad m_{\text{j,b}}$
2dF (P01)	Elgaroy, OL et al.02	$< 1.8 \text{ eV}$
WMAP+LSS +SN...	Spergel et al. 06	$< 0.68 \text{ eV}$
2dF (C05)+CMB	Sanchez et al. 05	$< 1.2 \text{ eV}$
BAO+CMB+LSS +SN	Goobar et al. 06	$< 0.62 \text{ eV}$
Ly-g + SDSS+ WMAP+...	Seljak et al. 04	$< 0.17 \text{ eV}$
WMAP alone	Ichikawa et al. 04 Fukugita et al. 06	$< 2.0 \text{ eV}$

*All upper limits 95% CL, but different assumed priors !*

# Neutrino mass from KATRIN

- ◆ Next generation tritium beta decay spectrometer
- ◆ Sensitivity  $m_{\beta} < 0.2 \text{ eV}$  at 90% C.L.
- ◆  $5\sigma$  detection threshold at  $m_{\beta} = 0.35 \text{ eV}$



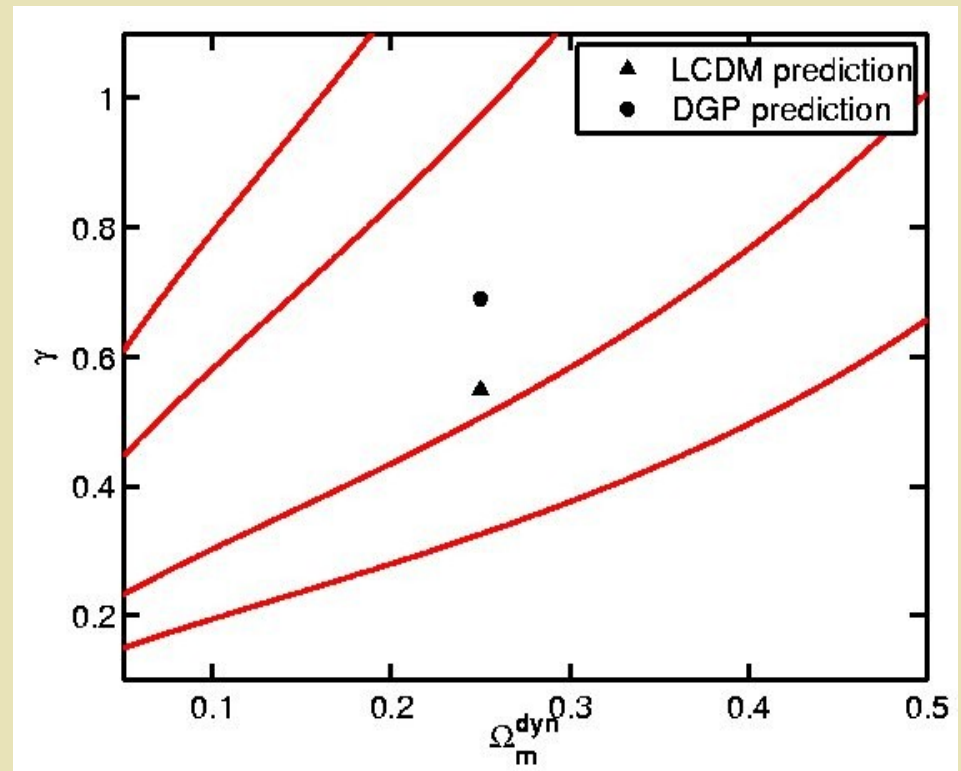
# Dark Energy or Modified Gravity?

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[Redacted] LCDM

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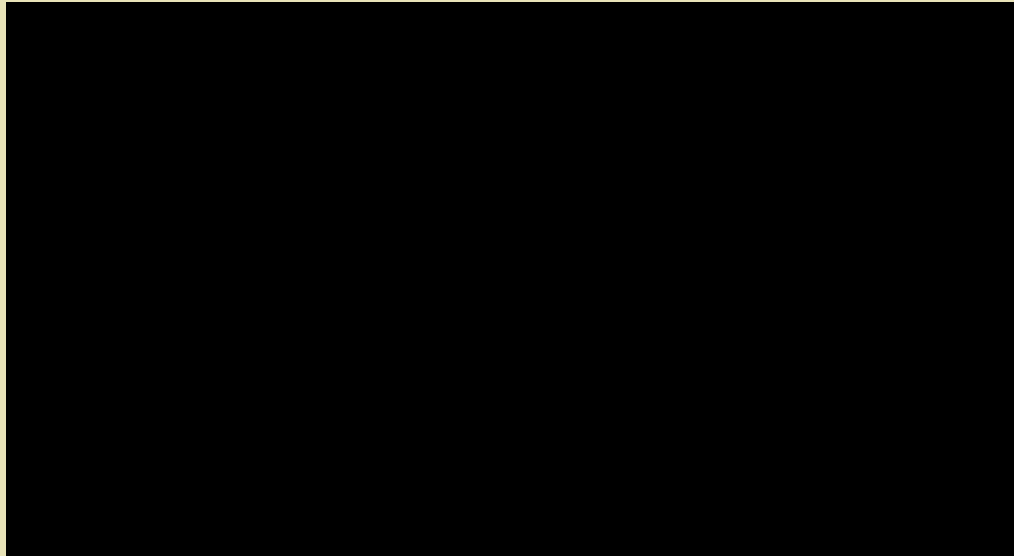


From low- $z$  SN Ia  
peculiar velocities

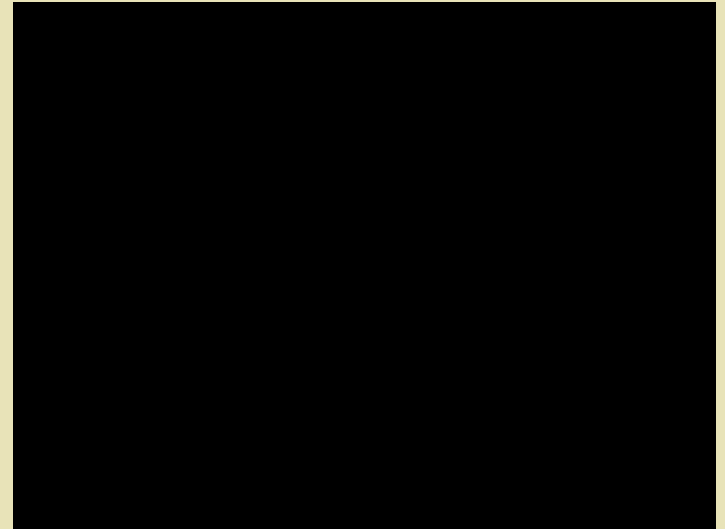
Abate & OL, arXiv:0805.3160

# Redshift distortion - the 2dF experience

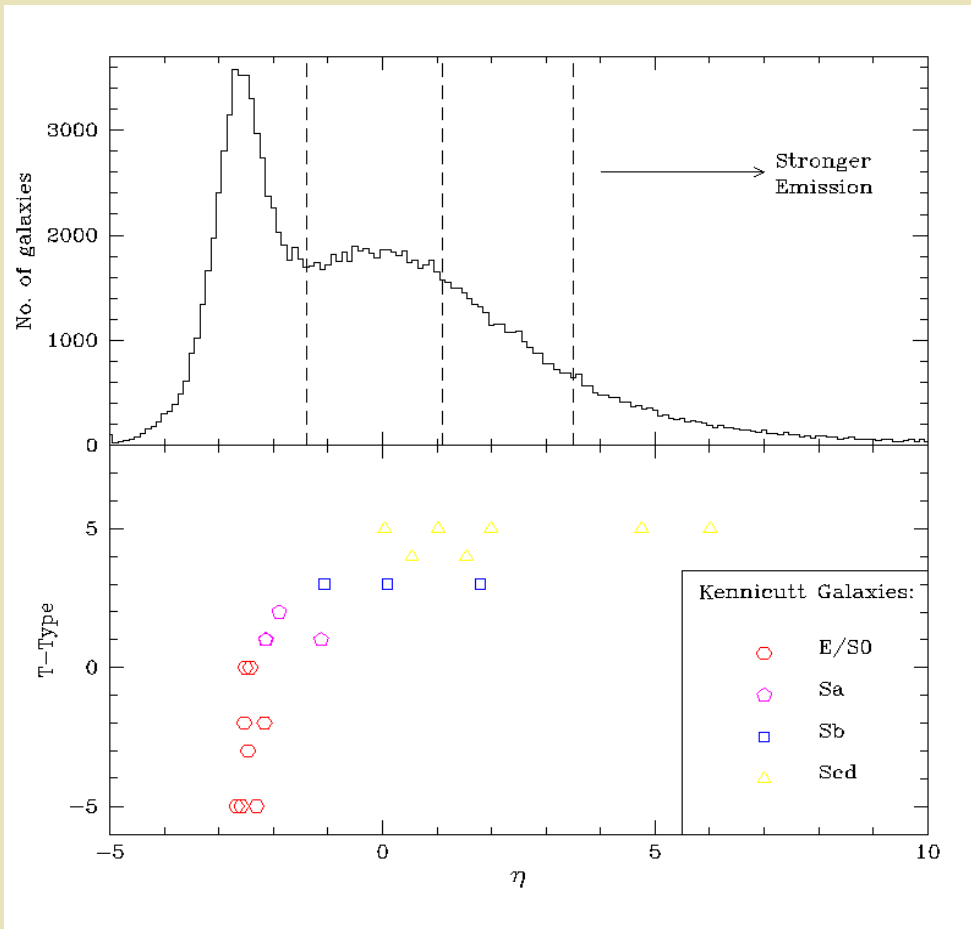
PCA: Red



Blue



# Bimodality in 2dF

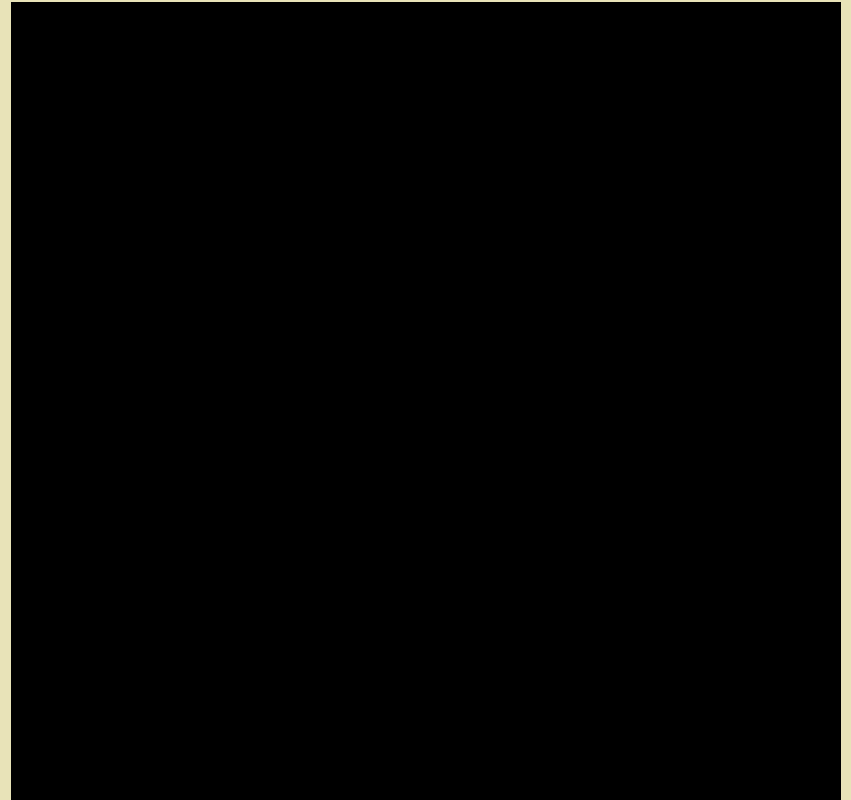


$$g = 0.5 pc_1 - pc_2$$

*Madgwick, OL et al. 2003*

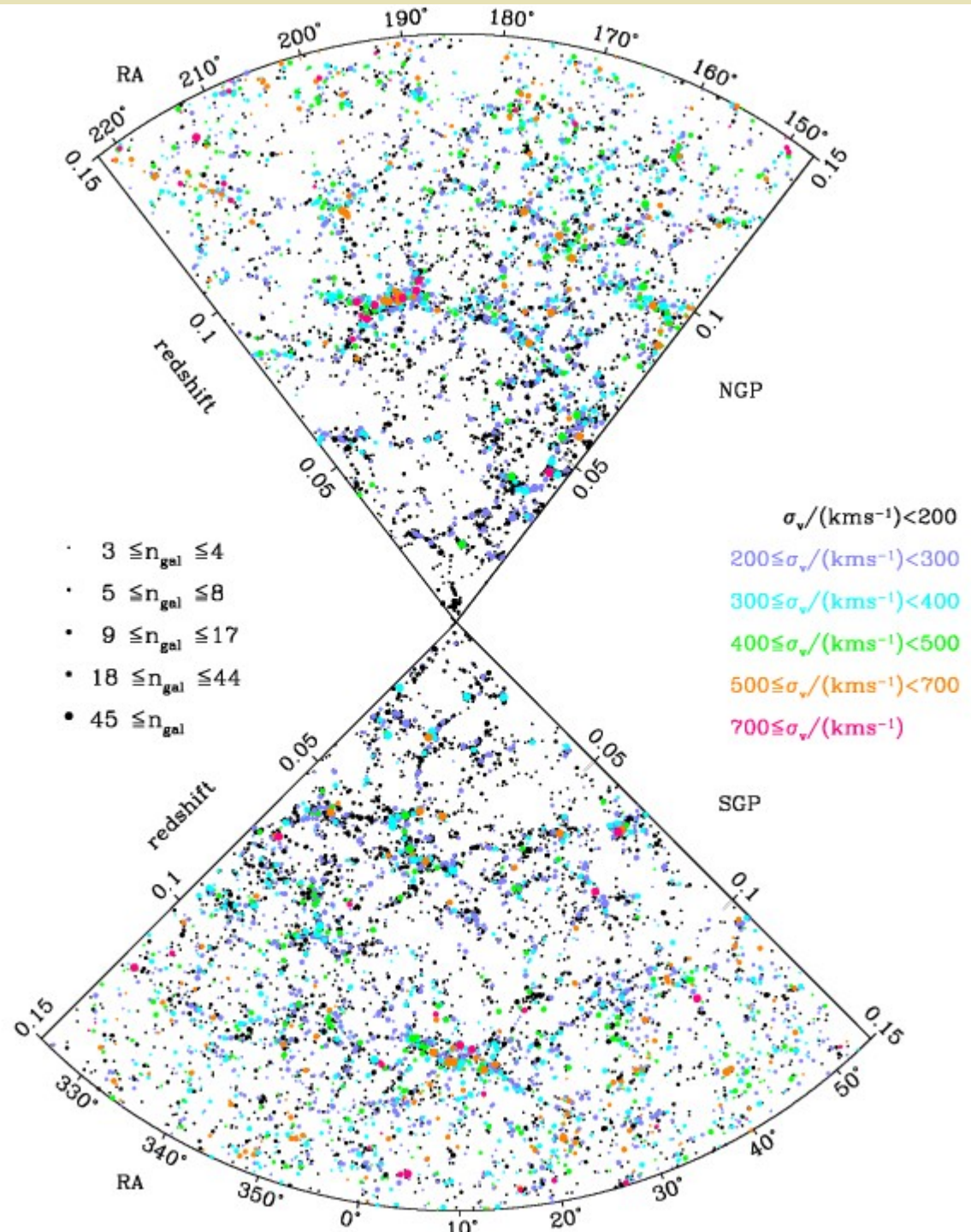


# Redshift Distortion as a test of Modified Gravity



Guzzo et al. 2008

# 2PIGG: Galaxy Groups in the 2dFGRS

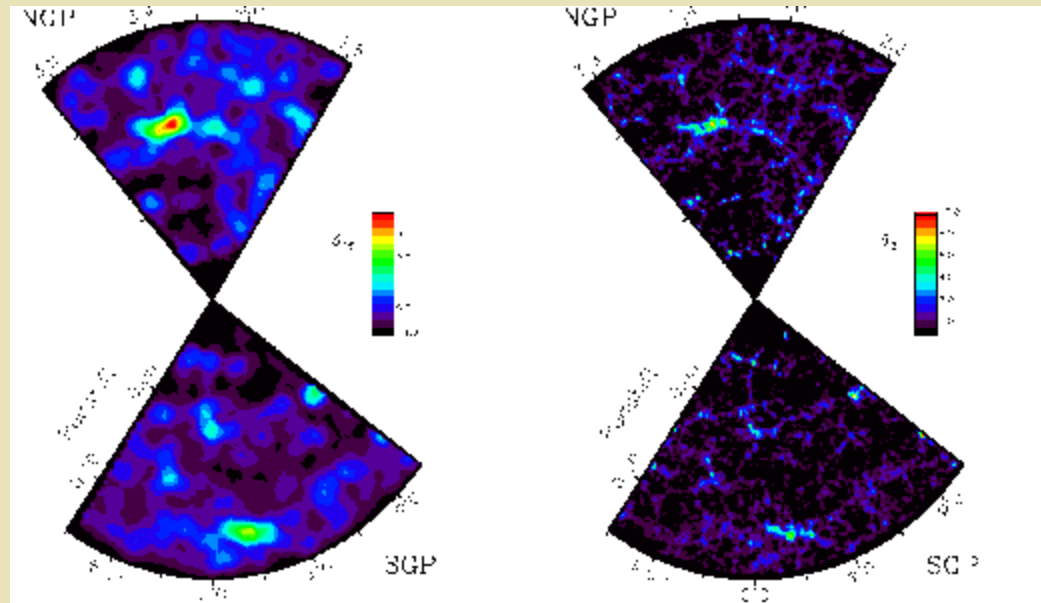


Eke et al., 2dFGRS 2003

# Are the 2d Superclusters ‘typical’?

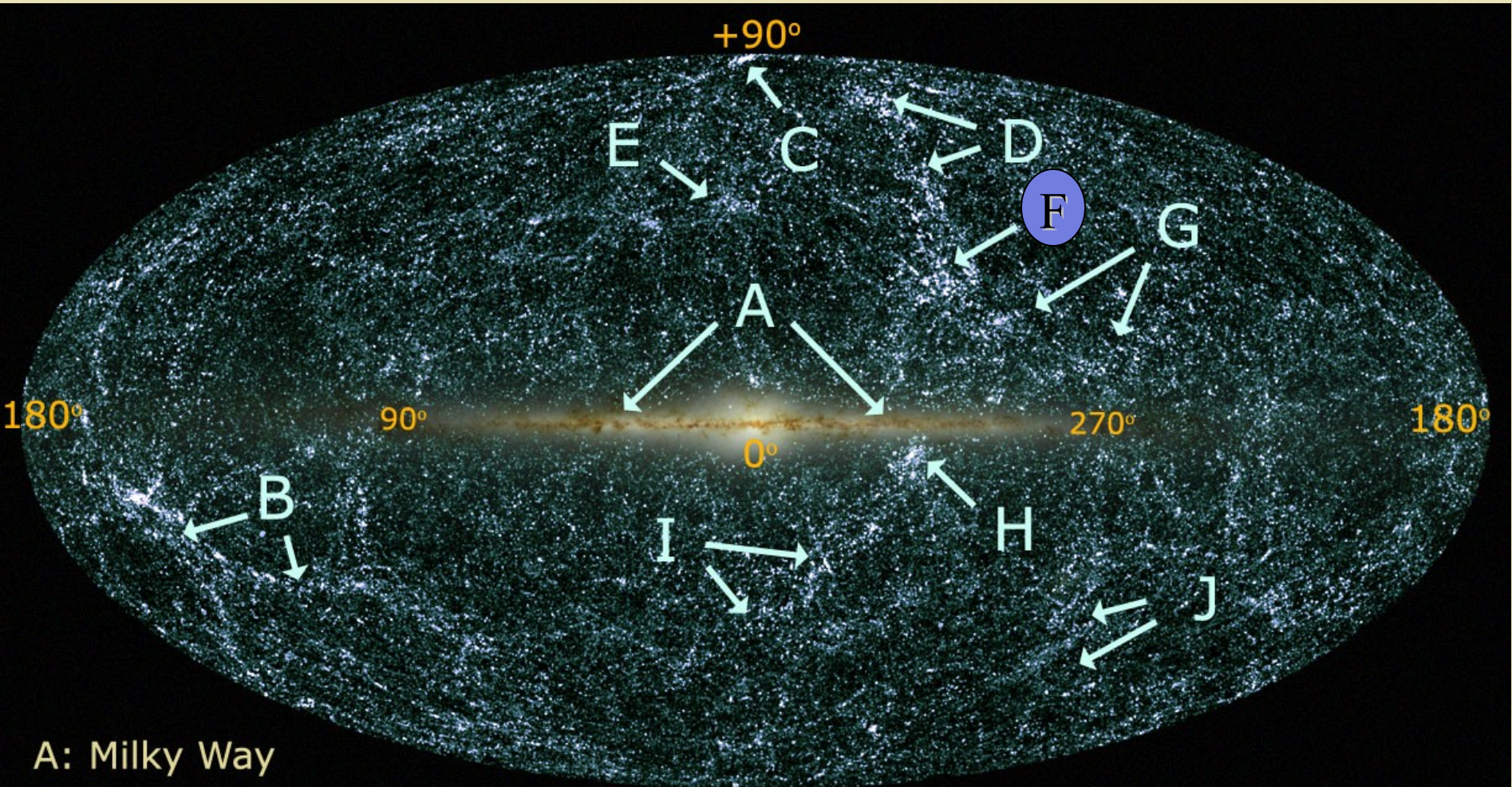
£ Abell  
clusters  
77 groups (>8)

1 □ Abell  
clusters  
1 □□ groups (>8)



*Baugh et al., Erdogdu et al.*

Note partial sky coverage:  
SDSS 10000 sq des; 2dF 2000 sq deg



A: Milky Way

B: Perseus-Pisces Supercluster

C: Coma Cluster

D: Virgo Cluster/Local Supercluster

E: Hercules Supercluster

F: Shapley Concentration/Abell 3558

-90°

G: Hydra-Centaurus Supercluster

H: "Great Attractor"/Abell 3627

I: Pavo-Indus Supercluster

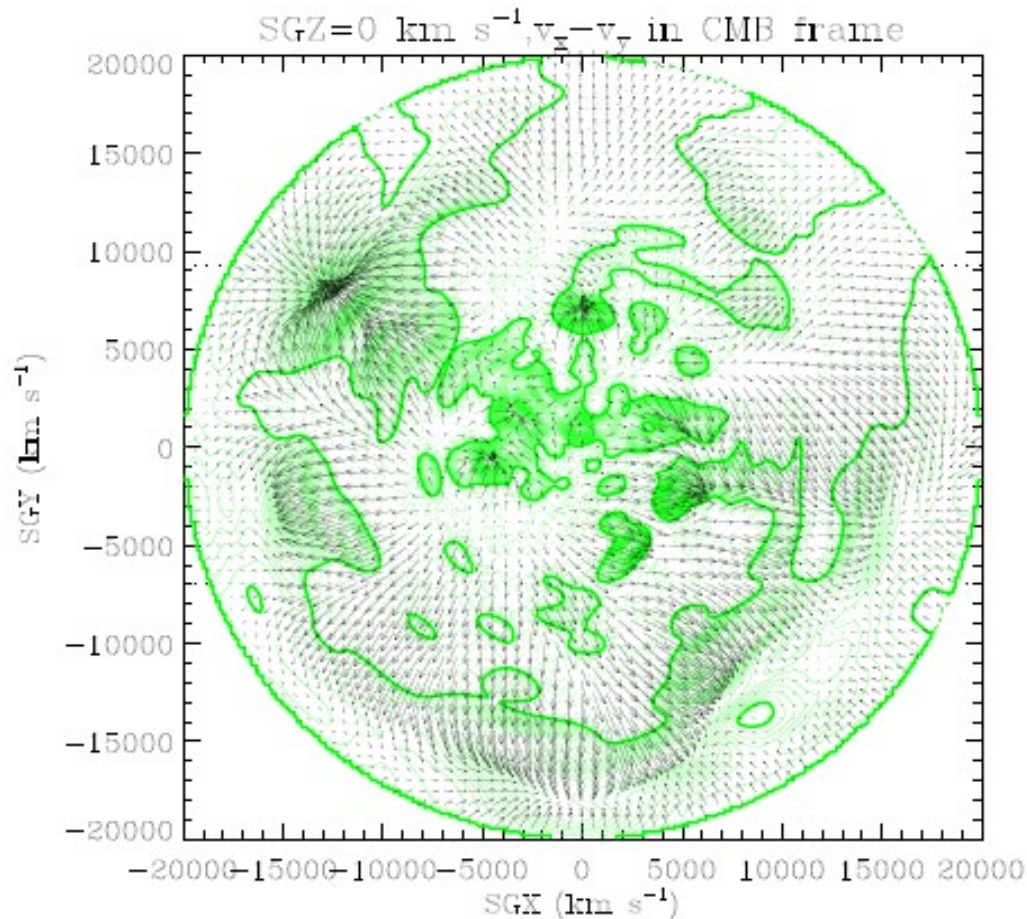
J: Horologium-Reticulum

Supercluster

2MASS Map

# Density and velocity fields from the 2MASS 25k Redshift Survey

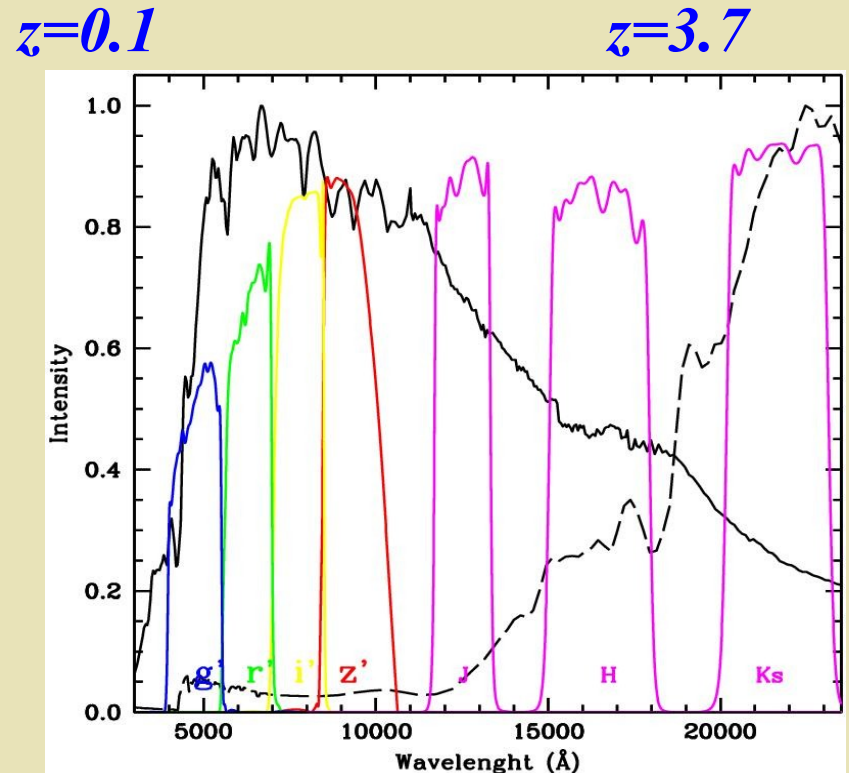
*Reconstructed Density and Velocity Fields from the 2MASS Redshift Survey*



Erdogdu, OL, Huchra et al  
2005

# Photometric redshifts

- ◆ Probe strong spectral features (e.g. 4000 break)

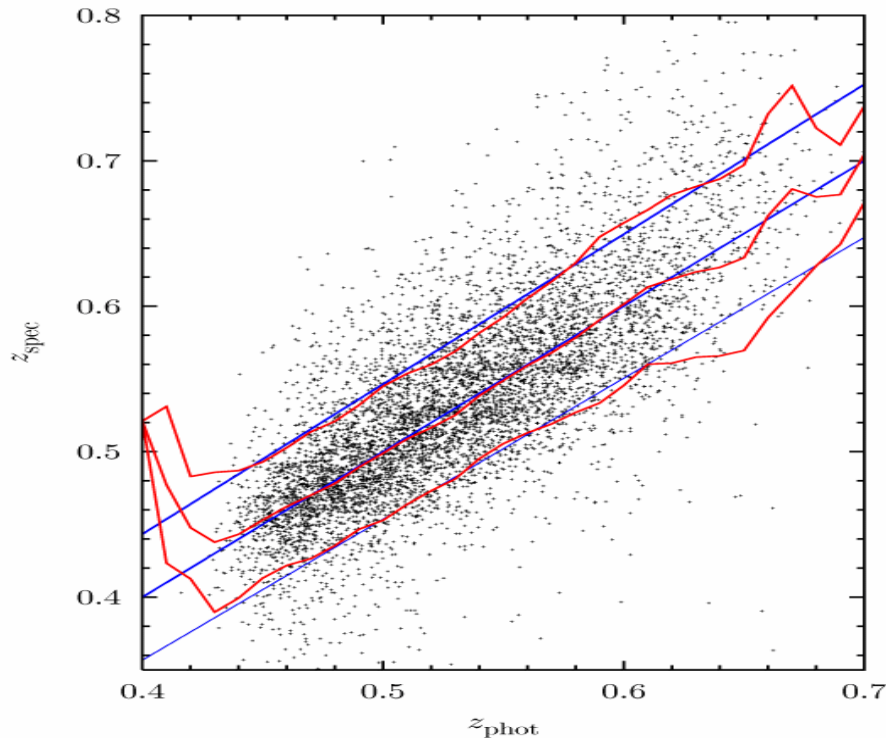


# MegaZ-LRG

\*Training on  $\sim 13,000$  2SLAQ

\*Generating with ANNz

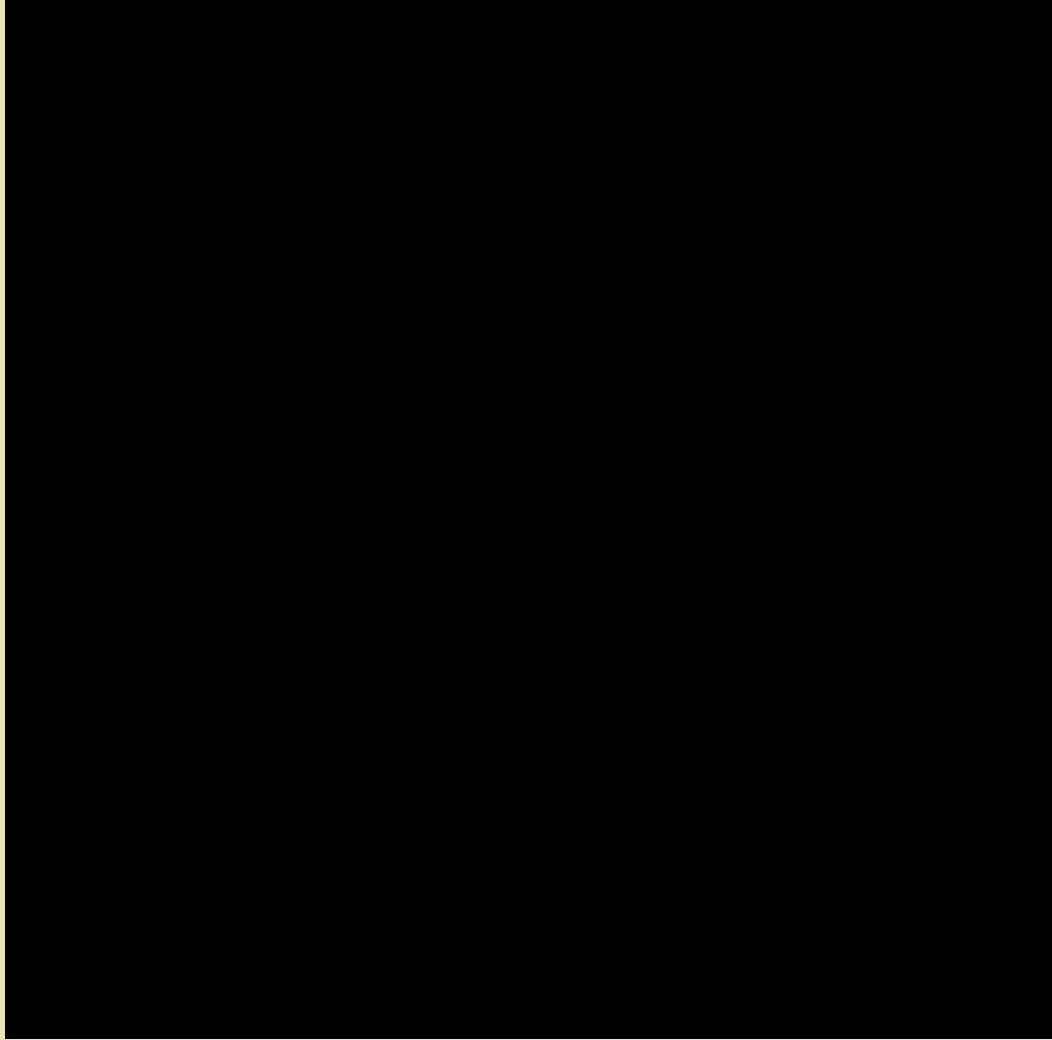
Photo-z for  $\sim 1,000,000$  LRGs  
over  $5,000 \text{ sq deg}$ ,  $2.5 \text{ (Gpc/h)}^3$



$$z = 0.046$$

Collister, OL et al. 2006

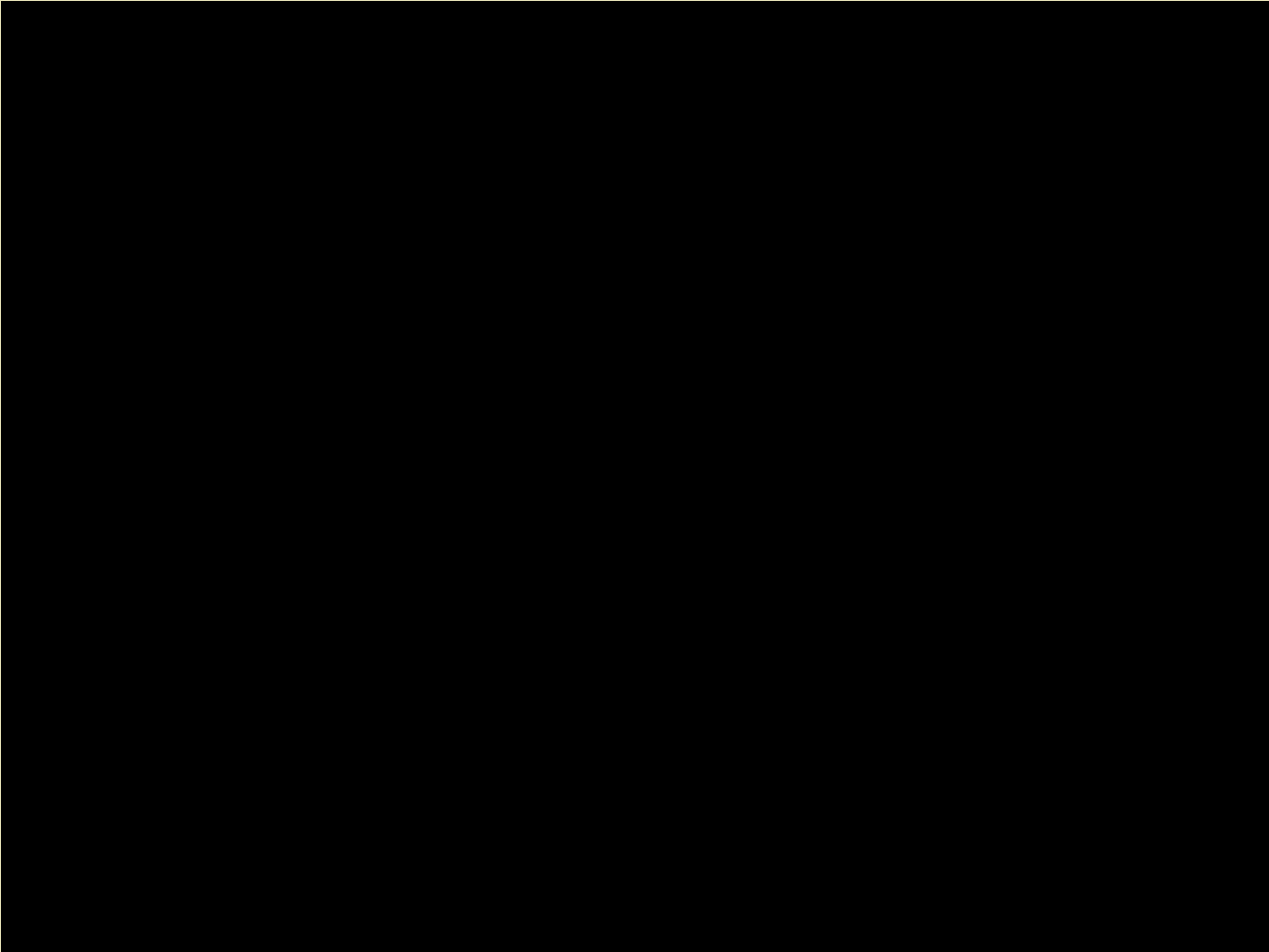
# LRG - photo-z code comparison



F. Abdalla, M. Banerji, OL, V. Rashkov, in prep

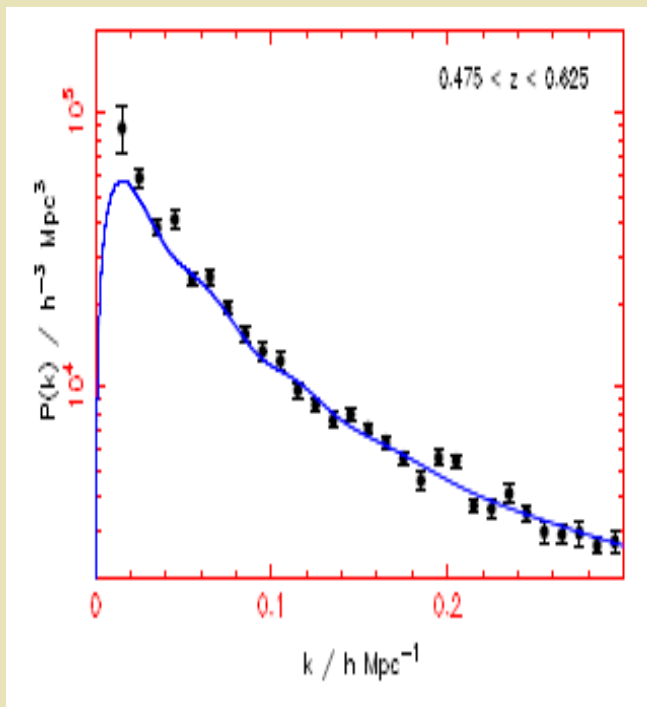


# Halo fit to MegaZ-LRG

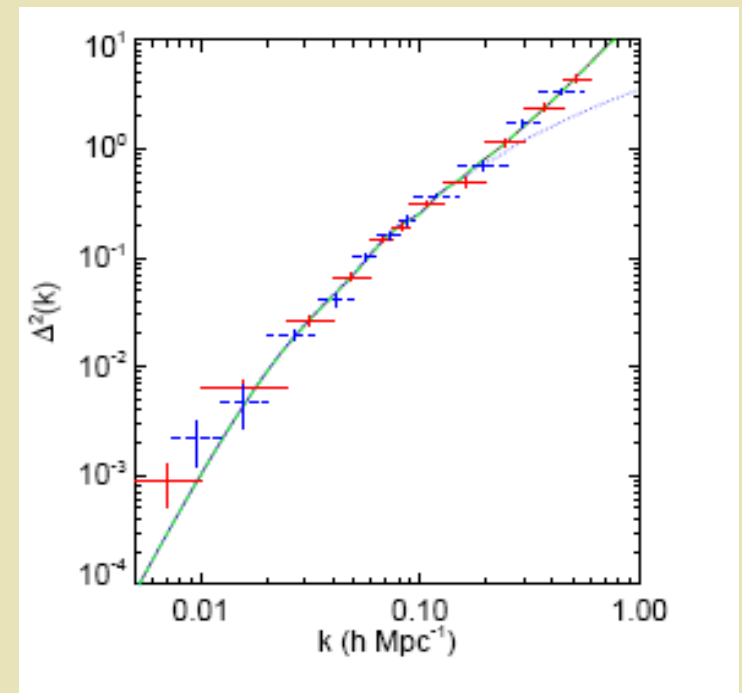


Blake, Collister & OL  
0704.3377

# LRGs: Excess Power on Large Scales?

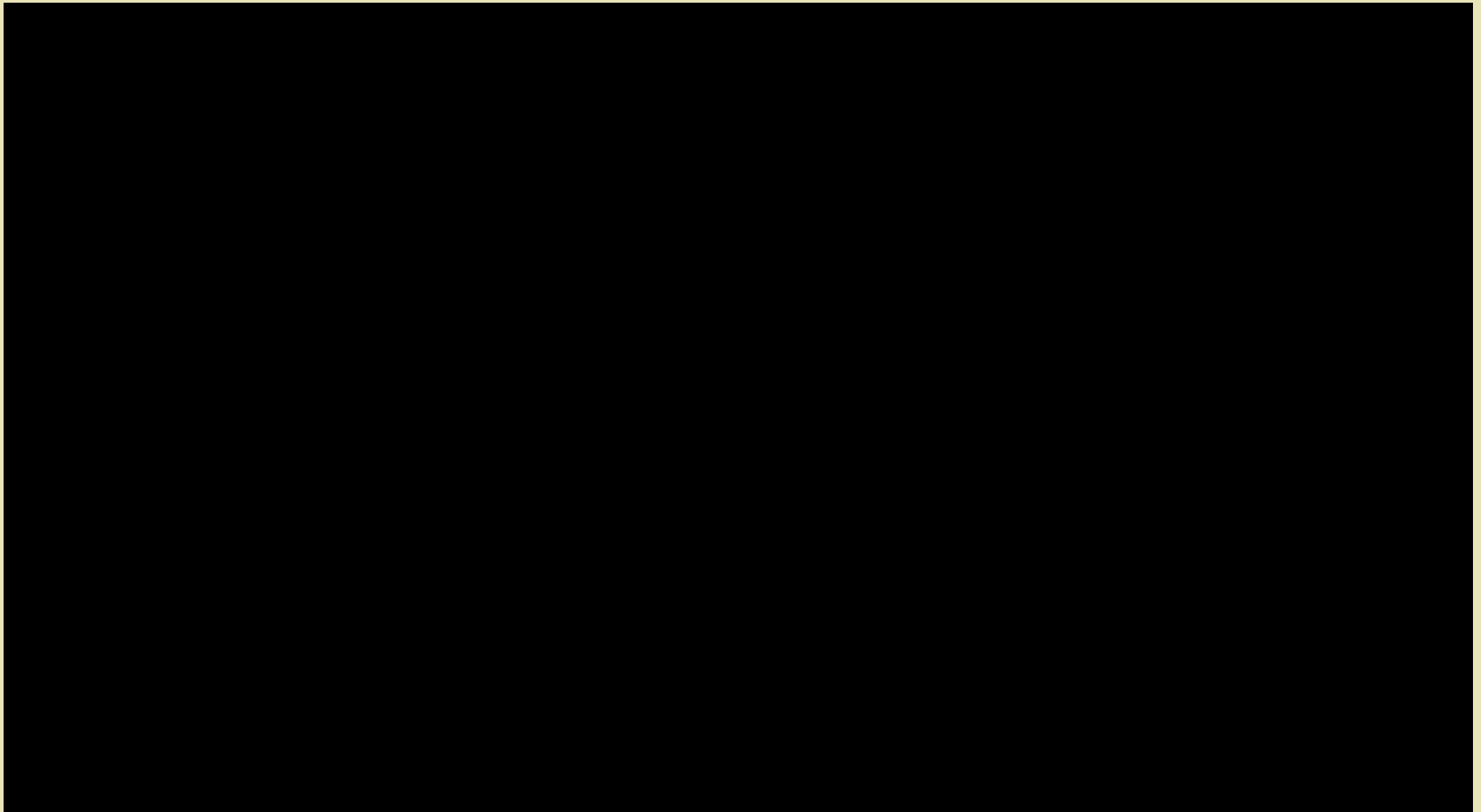


Blake et al. 06

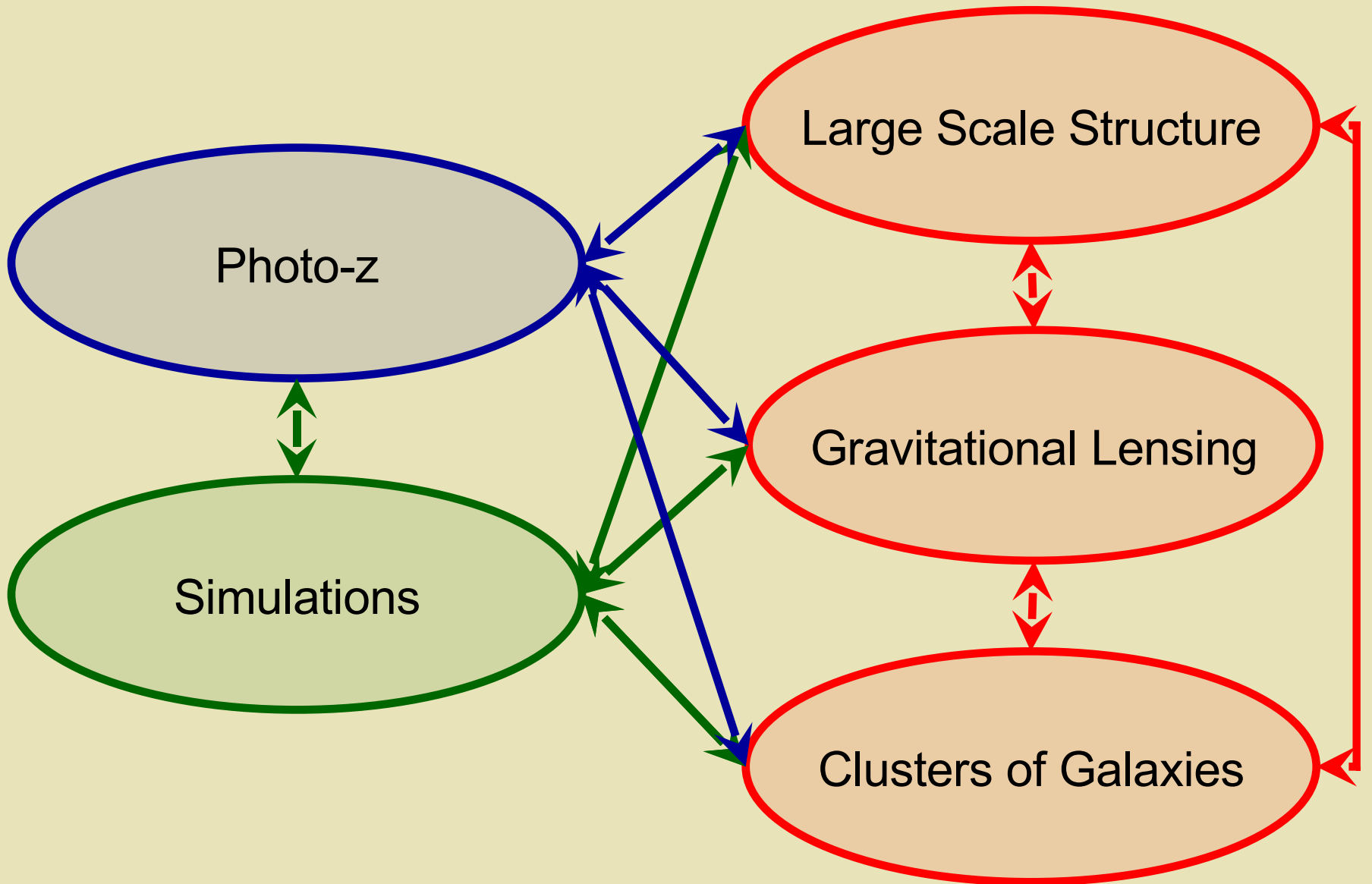


Padmanabhan et al. 06

# Planned photometric and spectroscopic surveys



# Photo-z / Cosmology Synergy



# Photo-z –Dark Energy cross talk

- ◆ Approximately, for a photo-z slice:

$$(g_w/w) = 5 (g_z/z) = 5 (g_z/z) N_s^{-1/2}$$

=> the target accuracy in  $w$

and photo-z scatter  $g_z$  dictate the number of required spectroscopic redshifts

$$N_s = 10^5 - 10^6$$

# The Dark Energy Survey

## 300 million galaxies

### starting 2011



# Euclid: Dune + Space

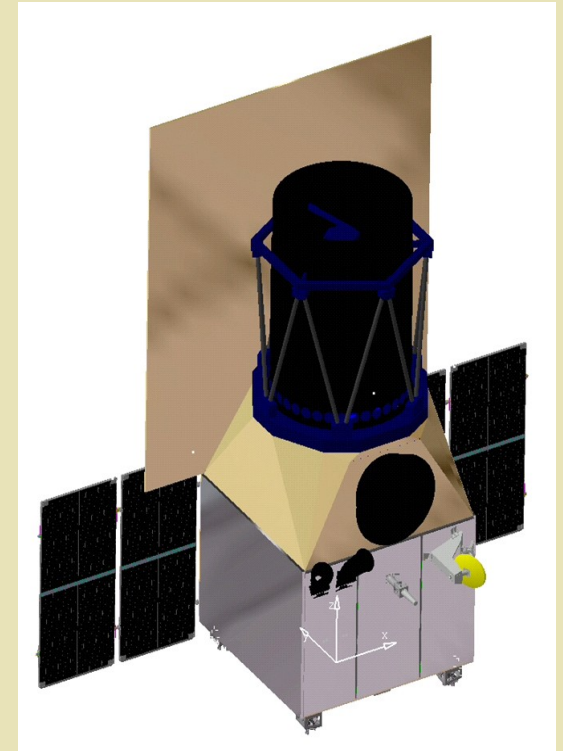
## ESA Cosmic Vision 2017

### Mission baseline (Dune):

- 1.2m telescope

### Surveys (3-year initial programme):

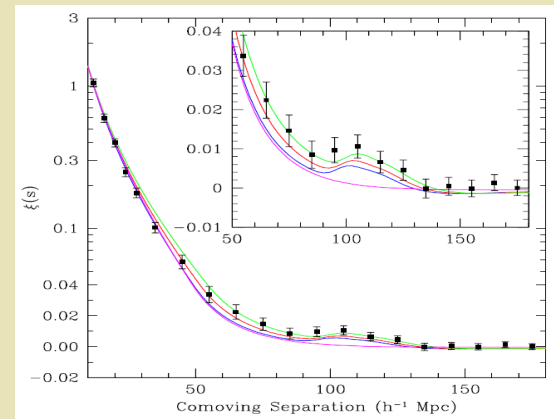
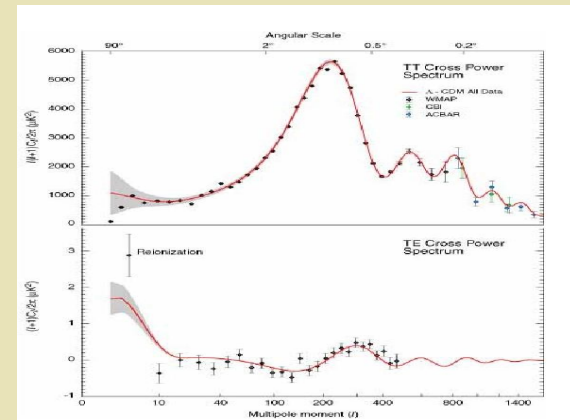
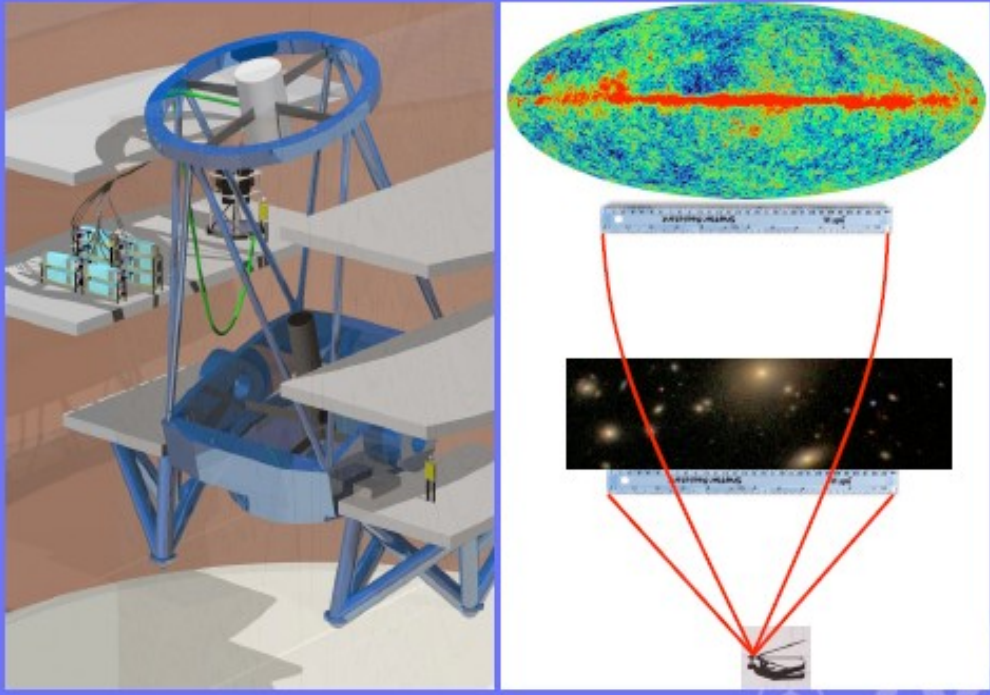
- WL survey: 20,000 deg<sup>2</sup> in 1 red broad band ( $<24.5$ ), 35 galaxies/amin<sup>2</sup> with median  $z \sim 1$ , ground based complement for photo- $z$ 's
- Near-IR survey (Y,J,H) from space



+ the spectroscopy (SPACE) for  $z < 2$

# WFMOS

WFMOS: a tool for probing dark energy





# Summary

- ◆ SDSS (main and LRG): both photometry & spectroscopy - a winning combination!
- ◆ LSS in 2dF and SDSS: agreement with  $\Lambda$ CDM, but some tension due to cross talk between cosmology & biasing (halo model). Both produced science not originally planned.
- ◆ SDSS and 2dF: wide field, but not whole sky (cf. 2MASS, Euclid)
- ◆ Next generation of (separate?) imaging and spectroscopy: current motivation is Dark Energy (but not only), photoz challenges
- ◆ SDSS and 2dF: started a new culture of big collaborations in Astronomy

The End

# 2dFGRS PhD students & collaborators

Spectral classification (PCA):

S. Folkes, S. Ronen, D. Madgwick

Biasing from 2dF+CMB: S. Bridleg

Neutrino mass: O. Elgaroy

Wiener Reconstruction: P. Erdogdu

Stochastic Biasing: V. Wild

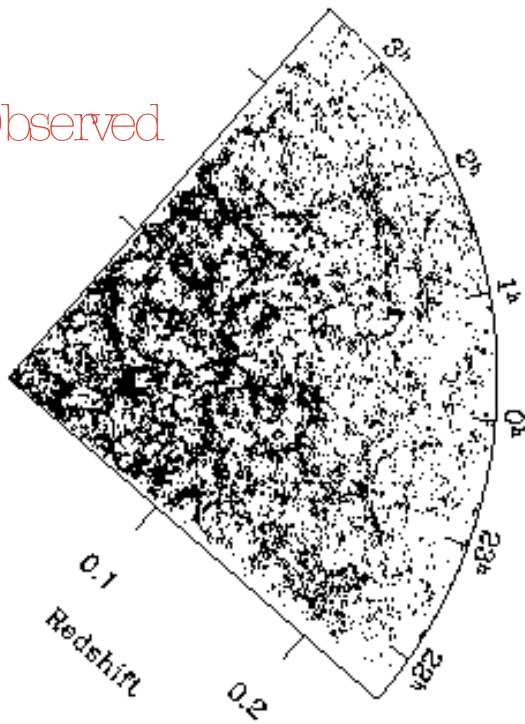
Testing the halo model: A. Collister



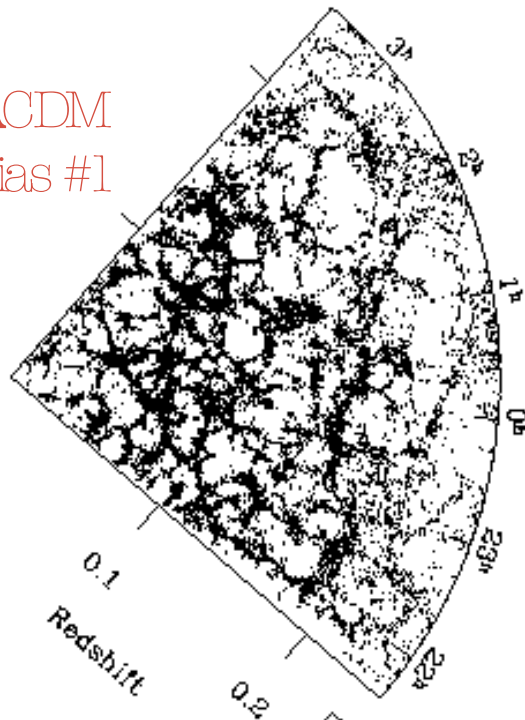
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# Cosmology by eye!

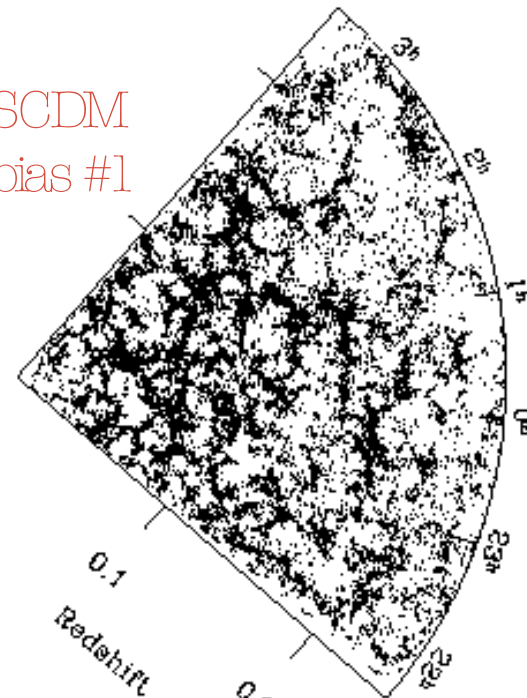
Observed



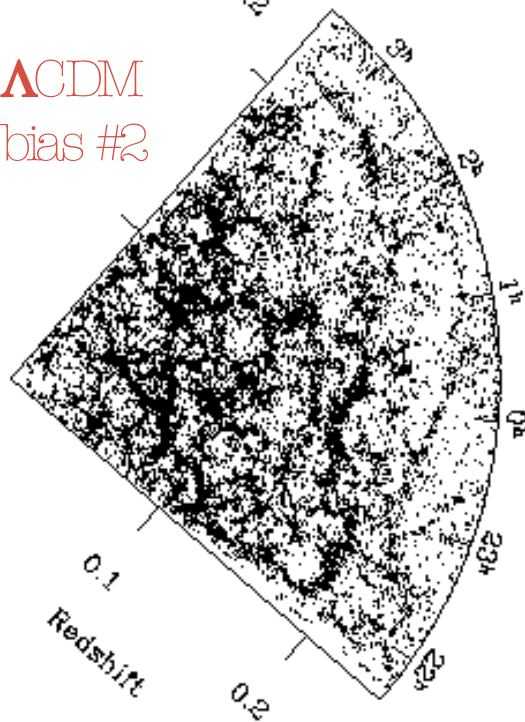
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bias #1



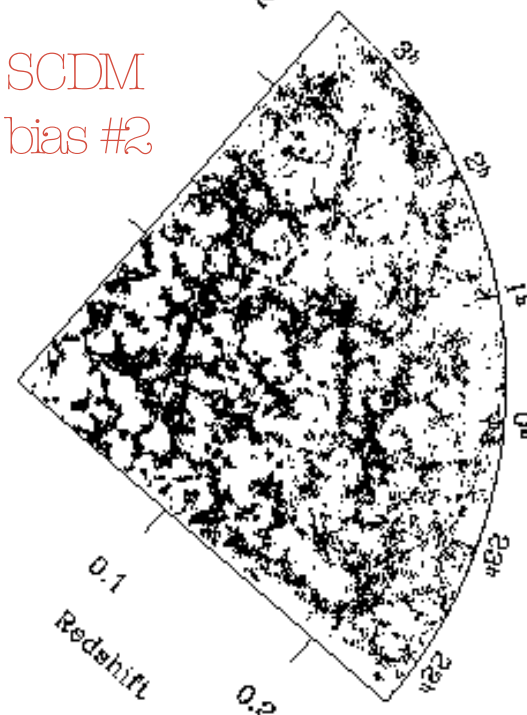
SCDM  
bias #1



$\Lambda$ CDM  
bias #2

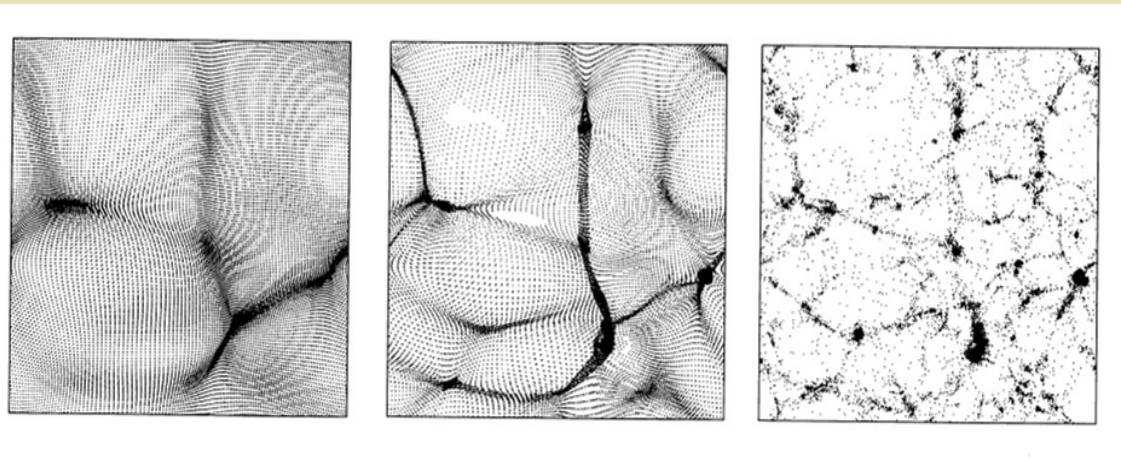


SCDM  
bias #2



Neutrinos decoupled when they were still relativistic, hence they wiped out structure on small scales

$$k > k_{nr} = 0.026 (m_b / 1 \text{ eV})^{1/2} b_m^{1/2} h/\text{Mpc}$$



*Lombi, Dodelson, & Row 1995*

CDM+HDM

WDM

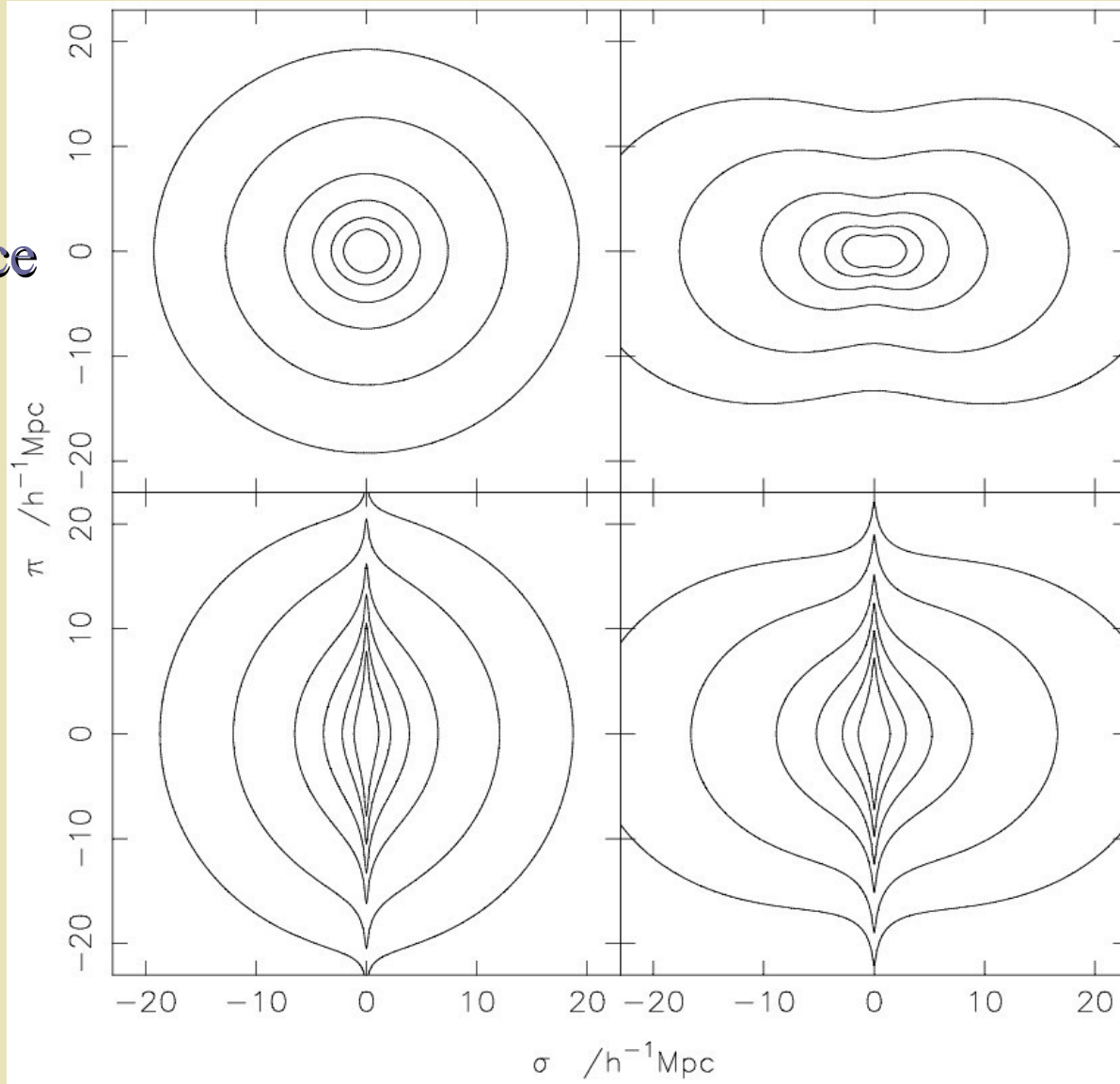
€ CDM

Massive neutrinos mimic a smaller source term

$$\ddot{\delta} + 2\frac{\dot{a}}{a}\dot{\delta} = 4\pi G\rho_0(1 - f_\nu)\delta$$

# Redshift Distortion

Real Space

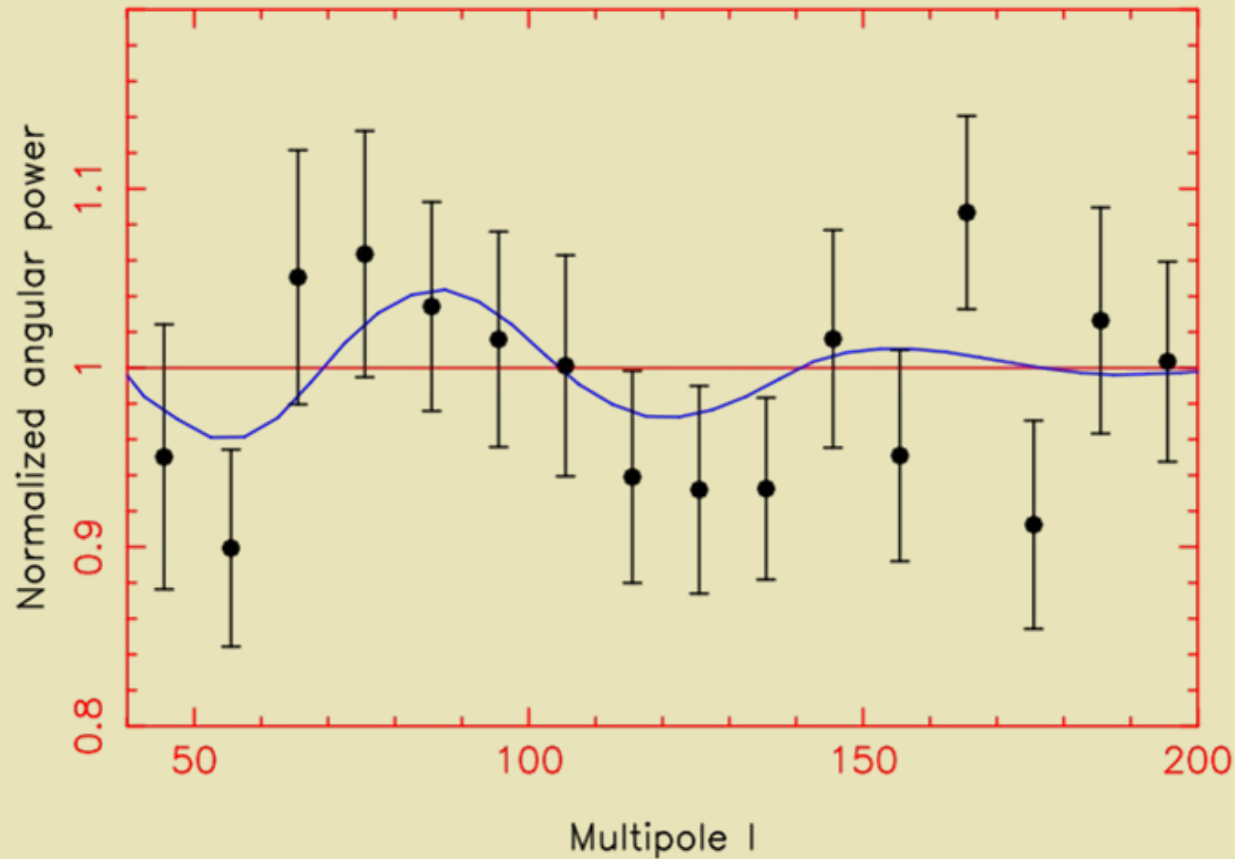


Linear  
collapse

FoG

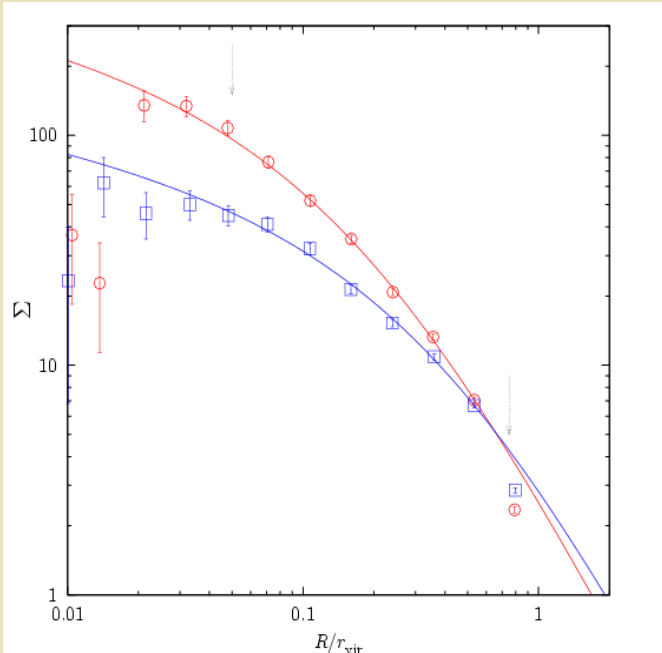
Linear+FoG

# Baryon oscillations



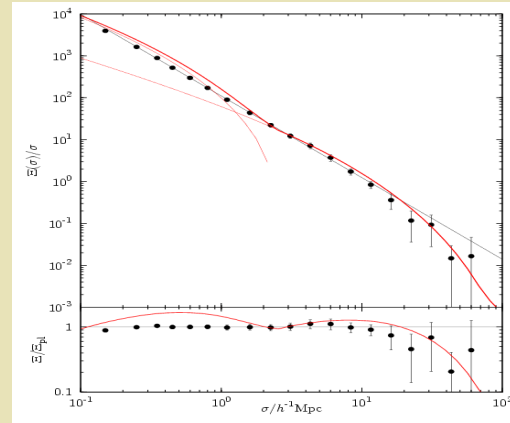
# The halo model

$$P(k) = P_{lin}(k) + P_{halo}(k)$$

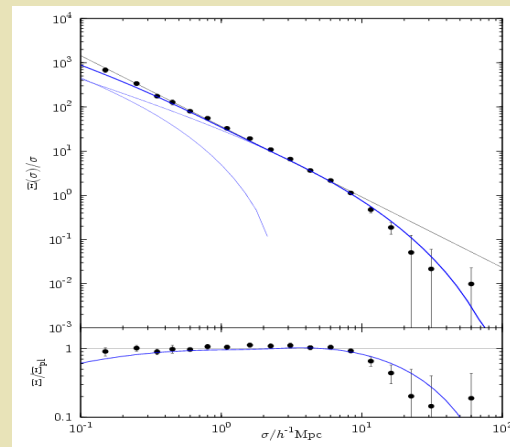


$$\langle N|M \rangle = (M/M_\odot)^\beta$$

for  $M > M_{cut}$



*Red galaxies*  
 $\beta = 1.05 \pm 0.19$   
 $C = 3.9 \pm 0.5$

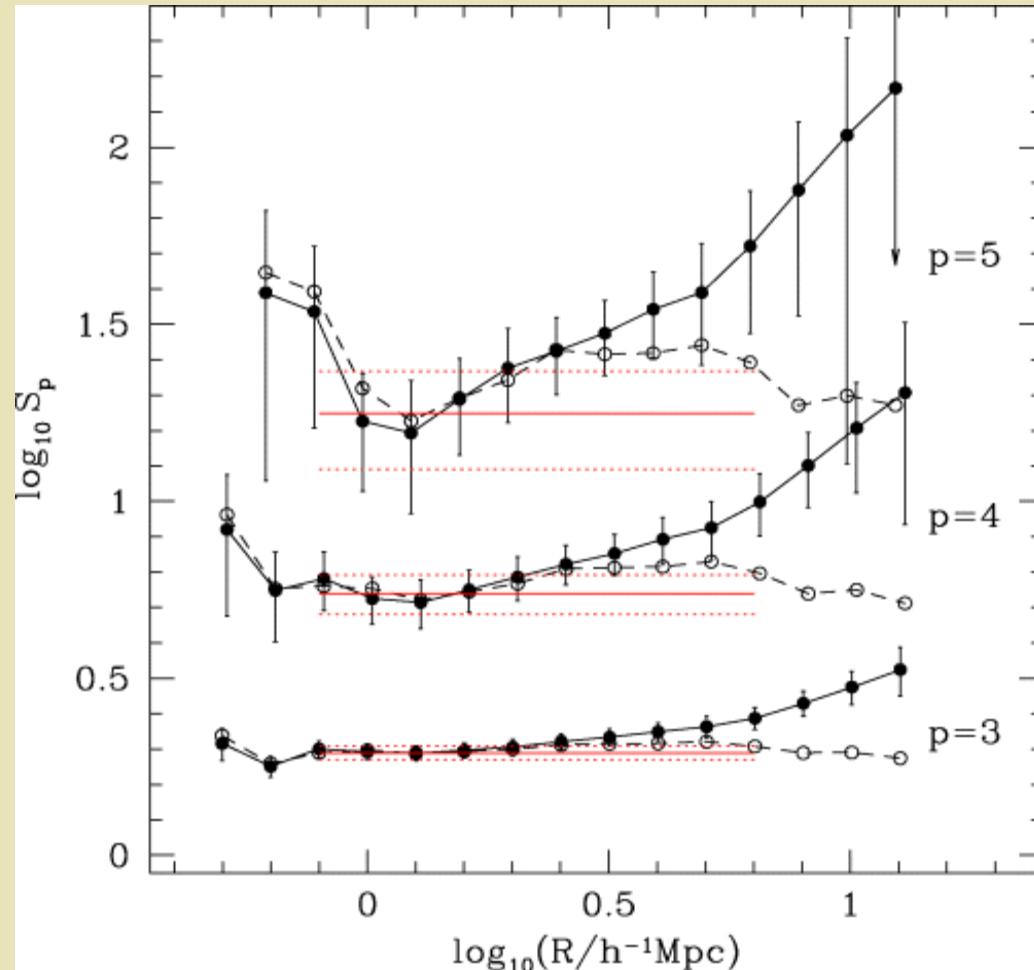


*Blue galaxies*  
 $\beta = 0.88 \pm 0.17$   
 $C = 1.3 \pm 0.2$



# The effect of the two SC on higher moments

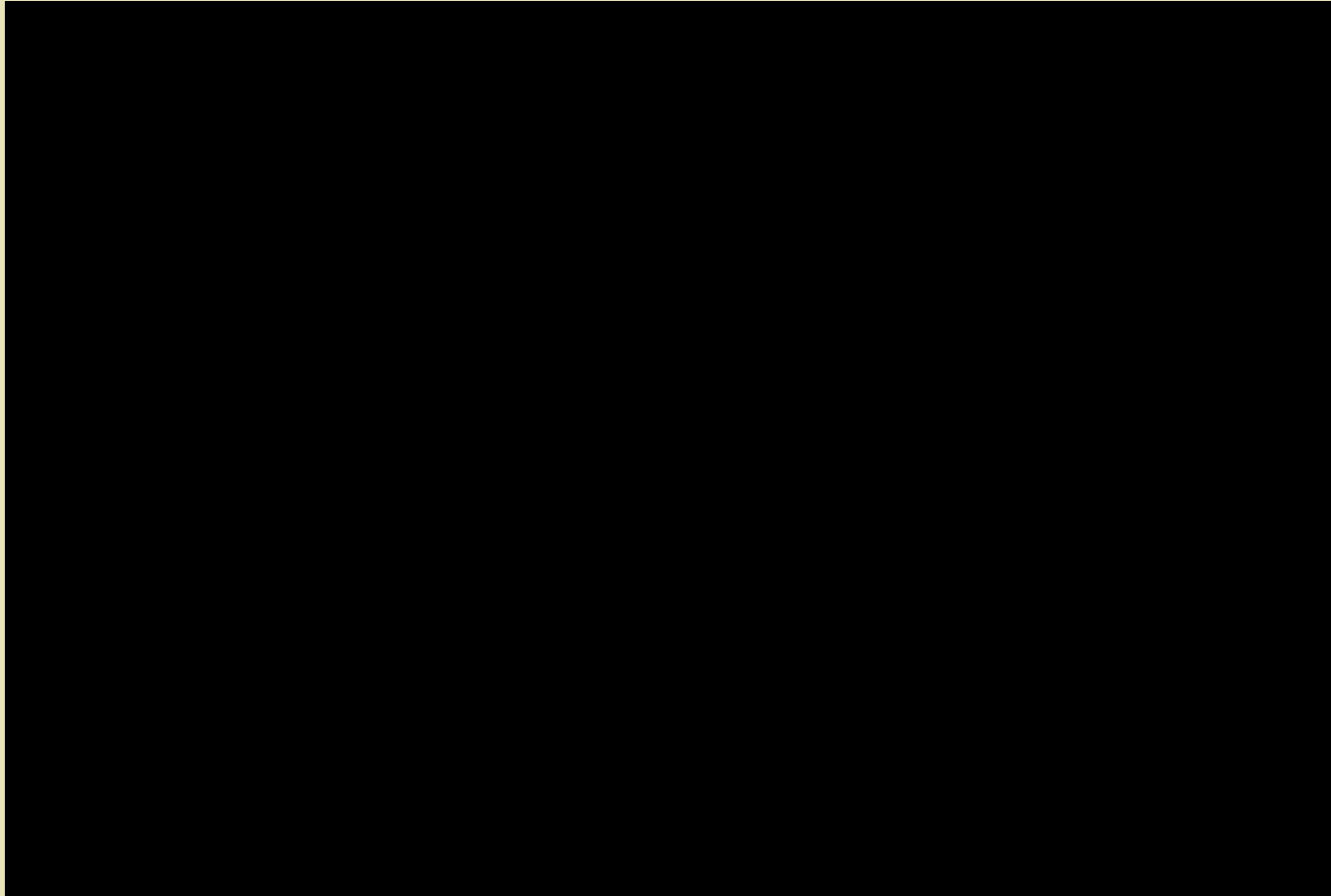
$$S_p = \frac{\langle \delta^p \rangle}{\langle \delta \rangle^{p-1}}$$



Baugh et al.

# Comology-halo parameters cross talk

(c-g, g-g, both)



# Wide Field Photometry

Survey	Diameter (m)	FOV (deg <sup>2</sup> )	Area (deg <sup>2</sup> )	start
CFHTLS	3.6	1	172	2003
KIDS (VST)	2.6	1	1700	2008
DES (NOAO)	4	2	5000	2009
HSC (Subaru)	8	2	2000?	2011
Pan-STARRS	1.8(x4)	7(N4)	30000	2007(12)
LSST	8	7	30000	2014

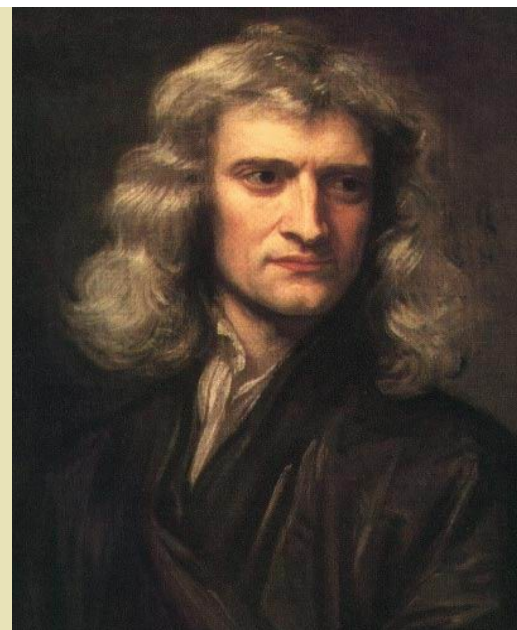
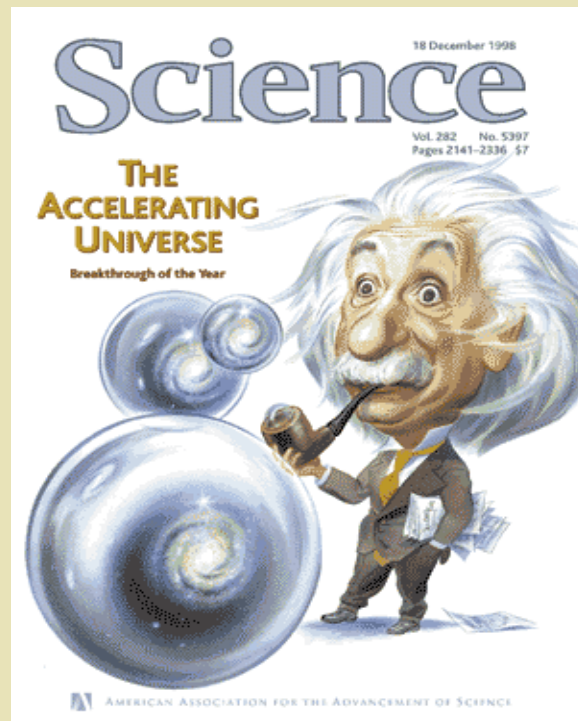
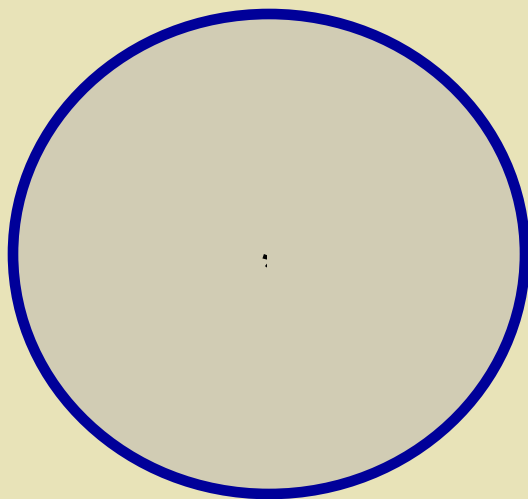
cf. Multi-Object Spectroscopy:

VLT/VIMOS, WFMOS, JWST, BOSS, HET-DEX

## Dark Energy: back to Newton?

$$F = -GM/r^2 + b/3 r$$

X



“I have now explained the two principle cases of attraction... which is very remarkable” - Newton, Principia