

The Interplay between Space- and Ground-Based BAO Studies

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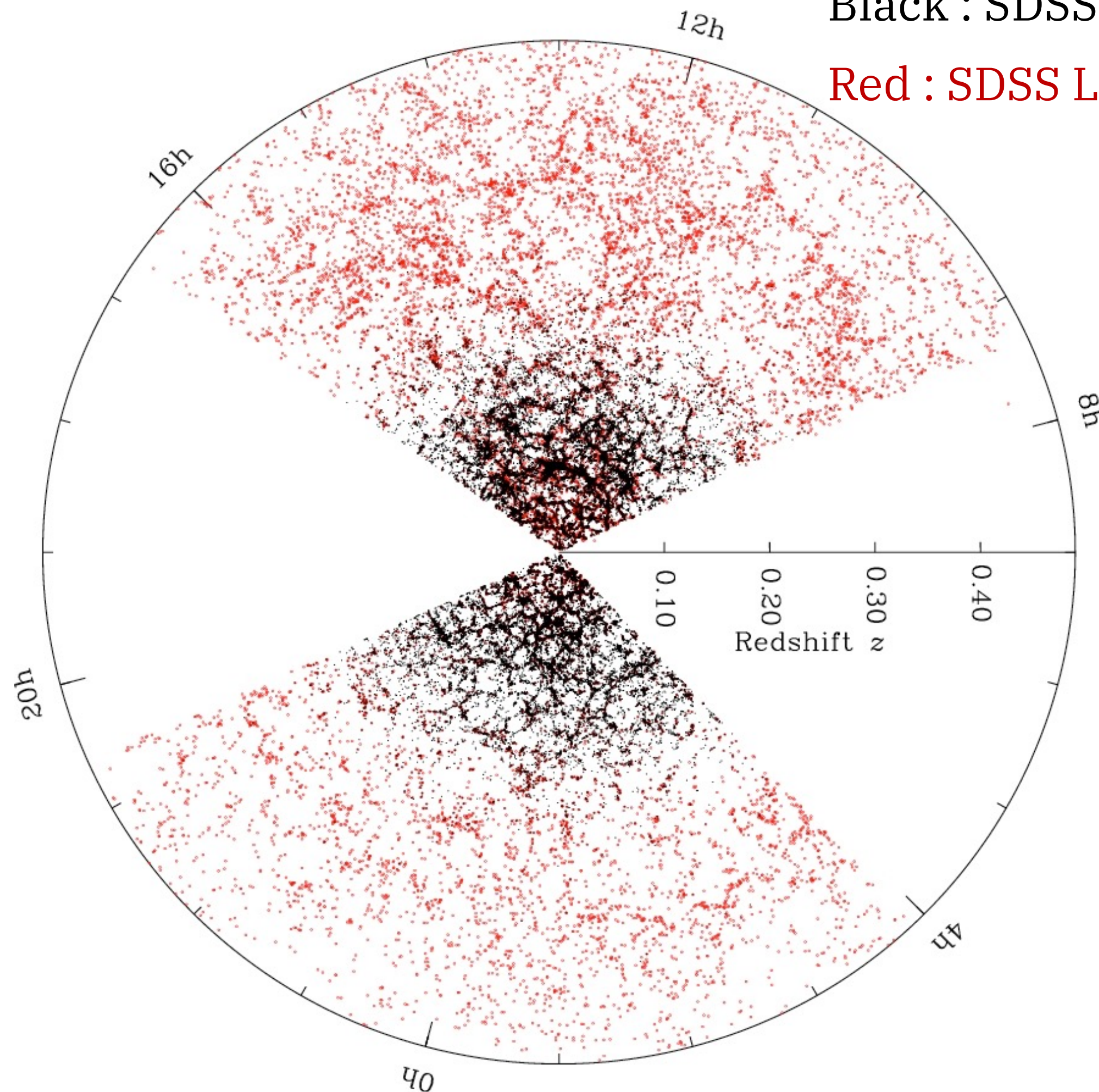
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LSS and galaxy distribution

Black : SDSS Main Galaxy Samples

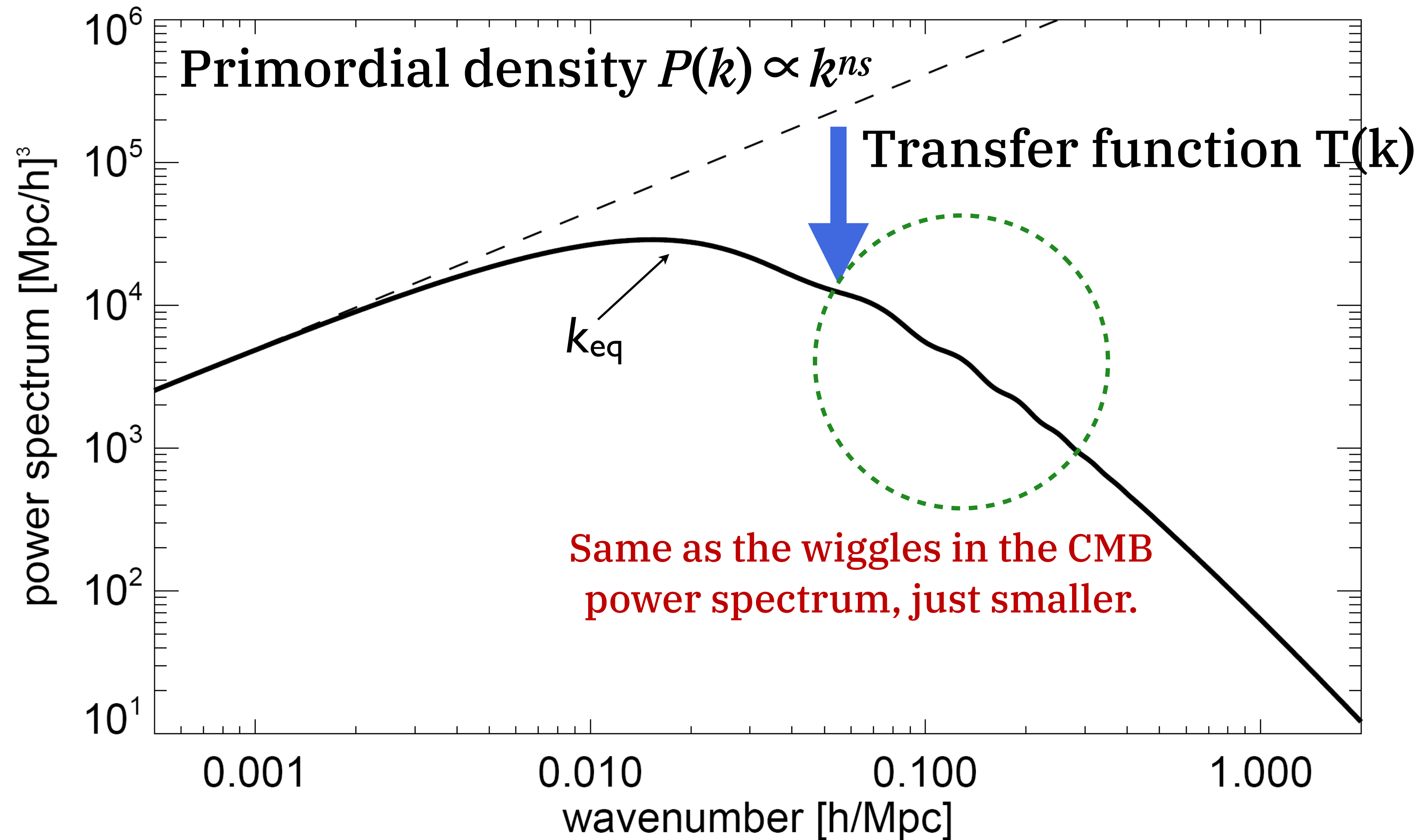
Red : SDSS Luminous Red Galaxies)



- Because of the large-scale structure of the Universe, galaxies are *not randomly* distributed.
- Q: How do we quantify/analyze deviation from the random
A: **correlation functions**
and **Fourier analysis**.

3degree around equator. figure credit: Michael Blanton

Baryon Acoustic Oscillation



Dark energy from BAO

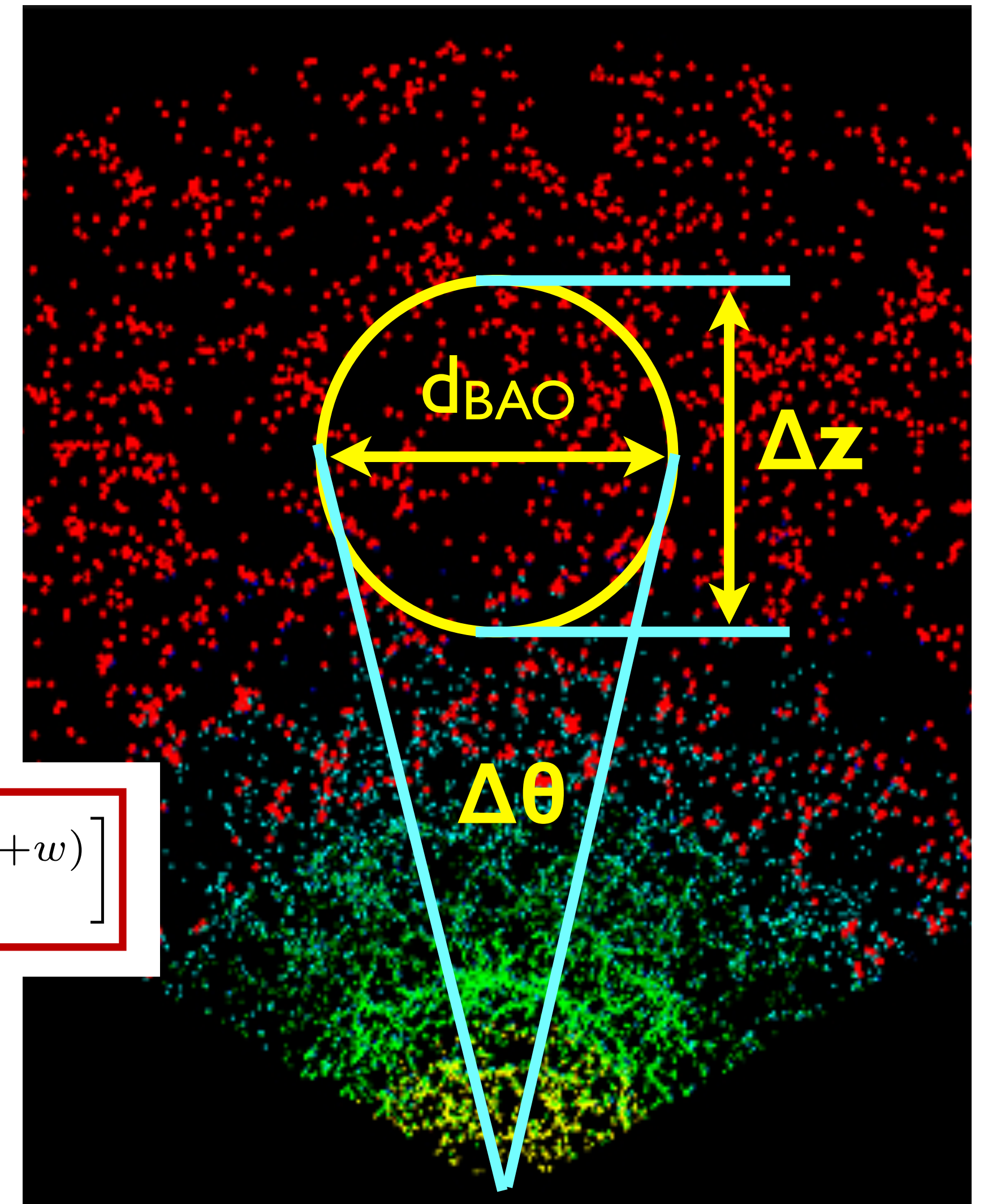
- The BAO length scale d_{BAO} is given by CMB.
- We can measure the angular diameter distance, $d_A(z)$ and Hubble parameter, $H(z)$:

$$d_{\text{BAO}} = d_A(z) \Delta\theta = c\Delta z / H(z)$$

- $d_A(z)$, $H(z)$ depend on dark energy!

$$H^2(z) = H_0^2 \left[\Omega_m (1+z)^3 + \Omega_K (1+z)^2 + \Omega_{\text{DE}} (1+z)^{3(1+w)} \right]$$

$$d_A(z) = \frac{\chi(z)}{1+z} \left[1 - \frac{k}{6} \frac{\chi^2(z)}{R^2} \right] \quad \chi(z) = c \int \frac{dz}{H(z)}$$



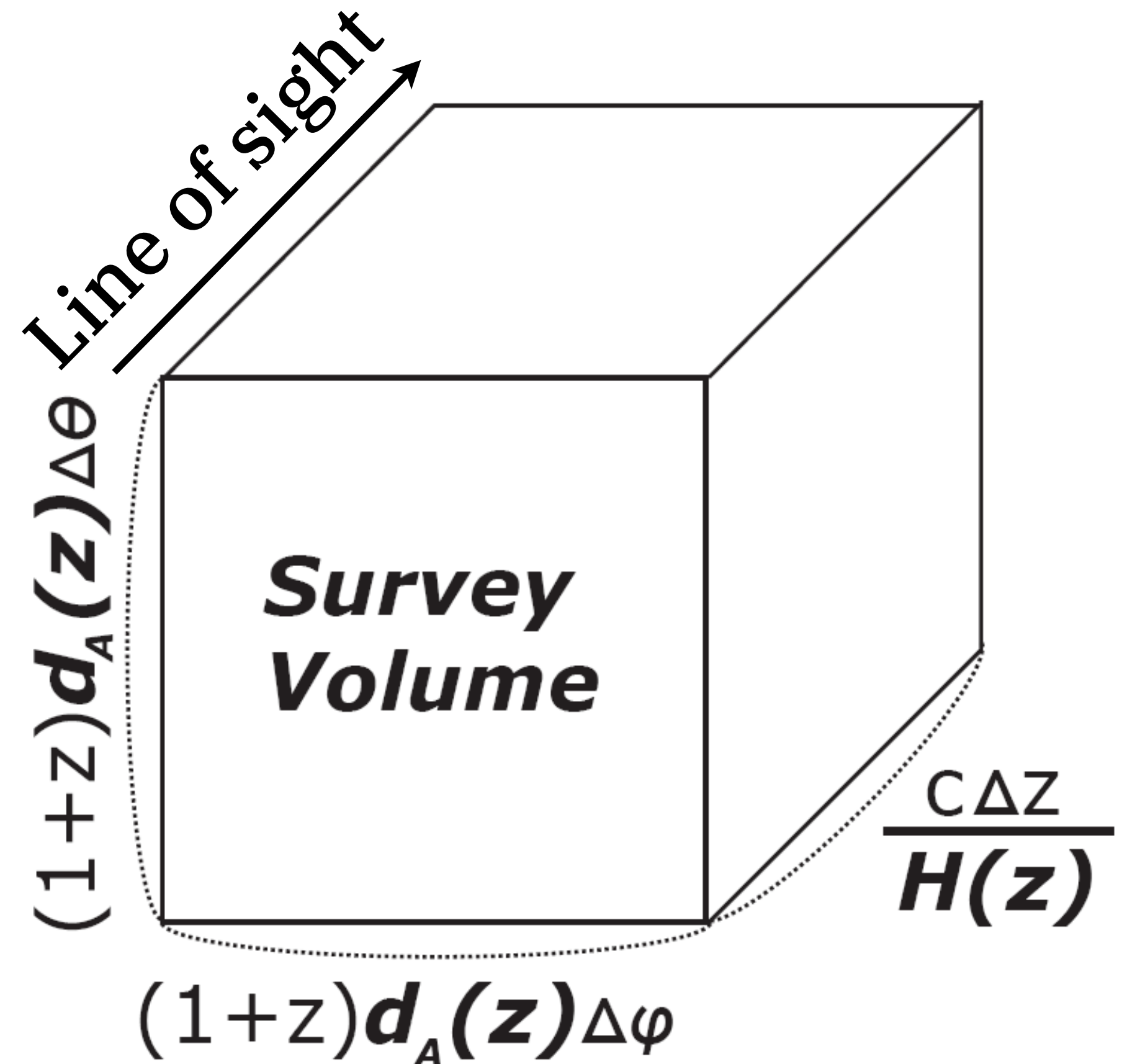
Beyond the BAO, full-shape of $P(k)$

- In galaxy surveys, we chart galaxies by (R.A., Dec., redshift)
- **Observed power spectrum** using a reference cosmology is **rescaled and shifted (in log scale)** relative to the **true power spectrum**!

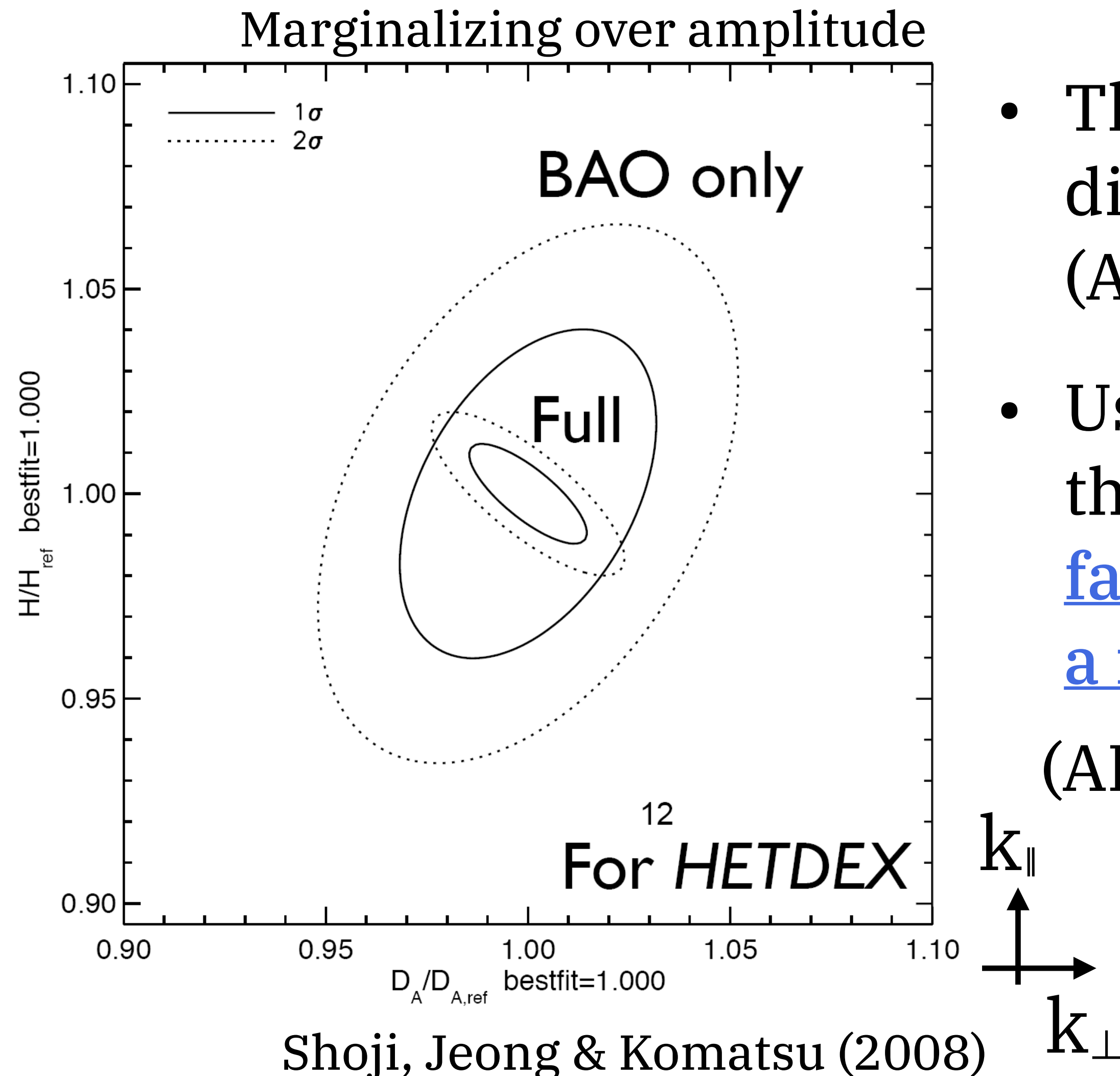
$$k_{\text{ref}\perp} \equiv \frac{D_A}{D_{A,\text{ref}}} k_{\perp}$$

$$k_{\text{ref}\parallel} \equiv \frac{H_{\text{ref}}}{H} k_{\parallel}$$

$$P_{\text{obs}}(k_{\text{ref}\perp}, k_{\text{ref}\parallel}) = \left(\frac{D_{A,\text{ref}}}{D_A} \right)^2 \left(\frac{H}{H_{\text{ref}}} \right) P_s^g(k_{\perp}, k_{\parallel})$$

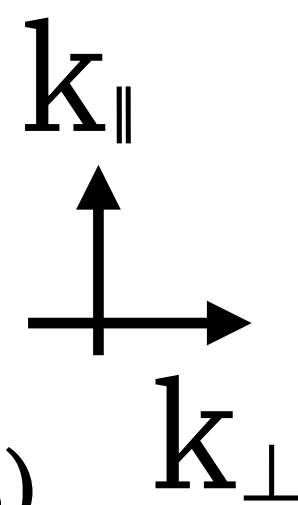


Improvement from full-shape $P(k)$



- The contour using the full shape inclines differently because of the Alcock-Paczynski (AP) test which is sensitive to $d_A H$.
- Using *full power spectrum* will improve upon the determination of both d_A and H by a factor of two, and the area of ellipse by about a factor of four!

(AP) test



Correct

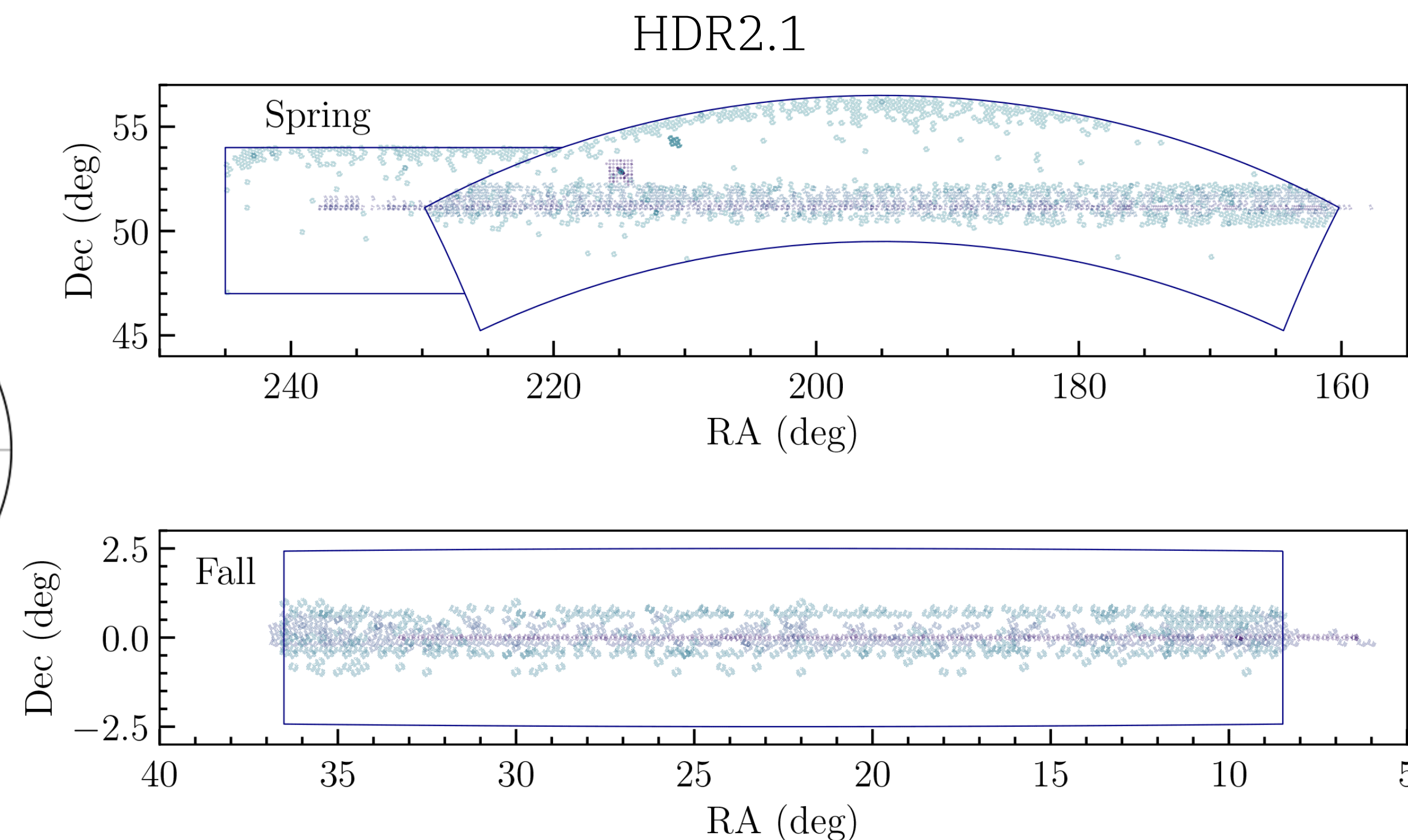
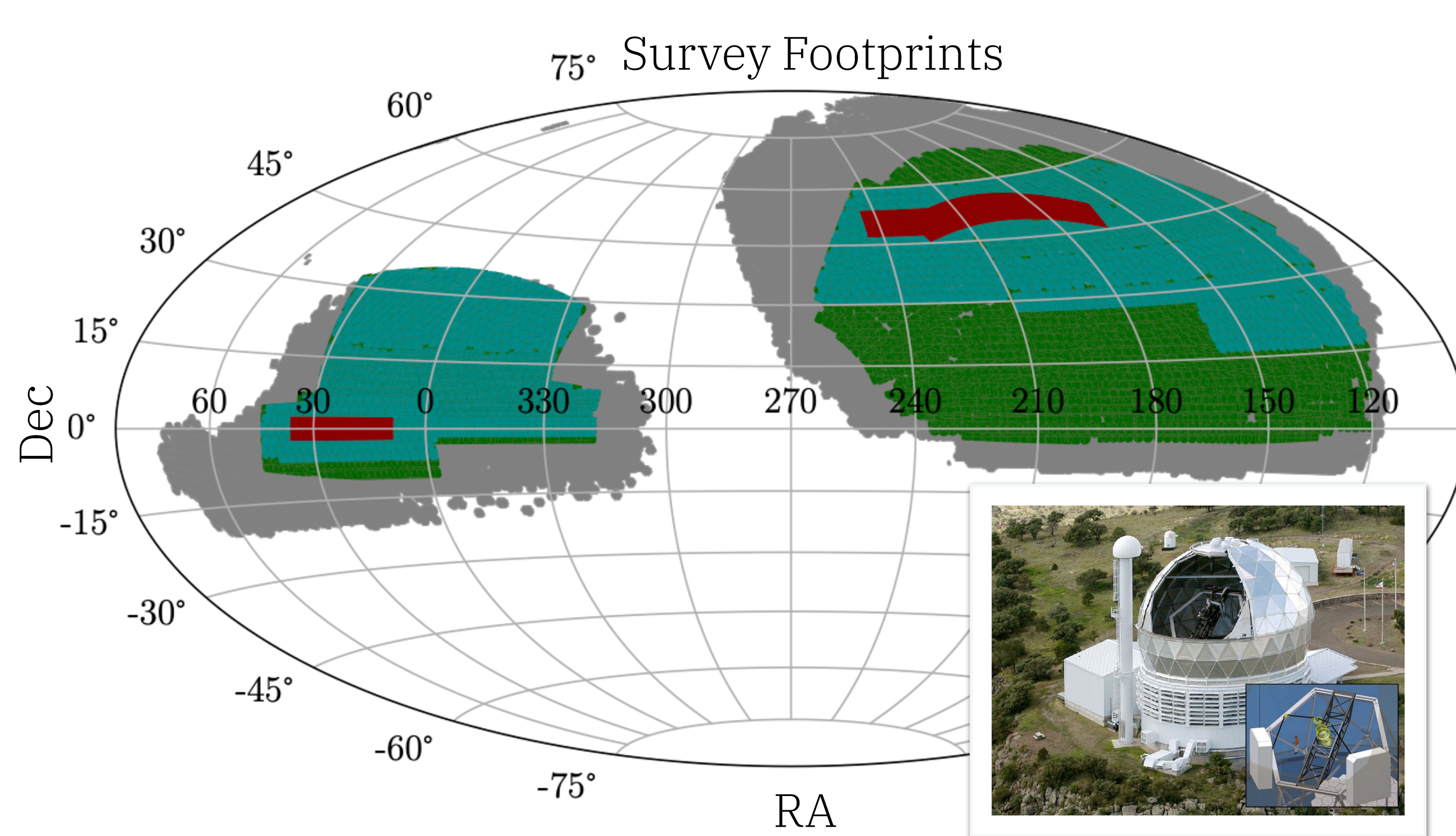
D_A up by 60%

H down
by 60%

D_A up by 60%
& H down by 60%

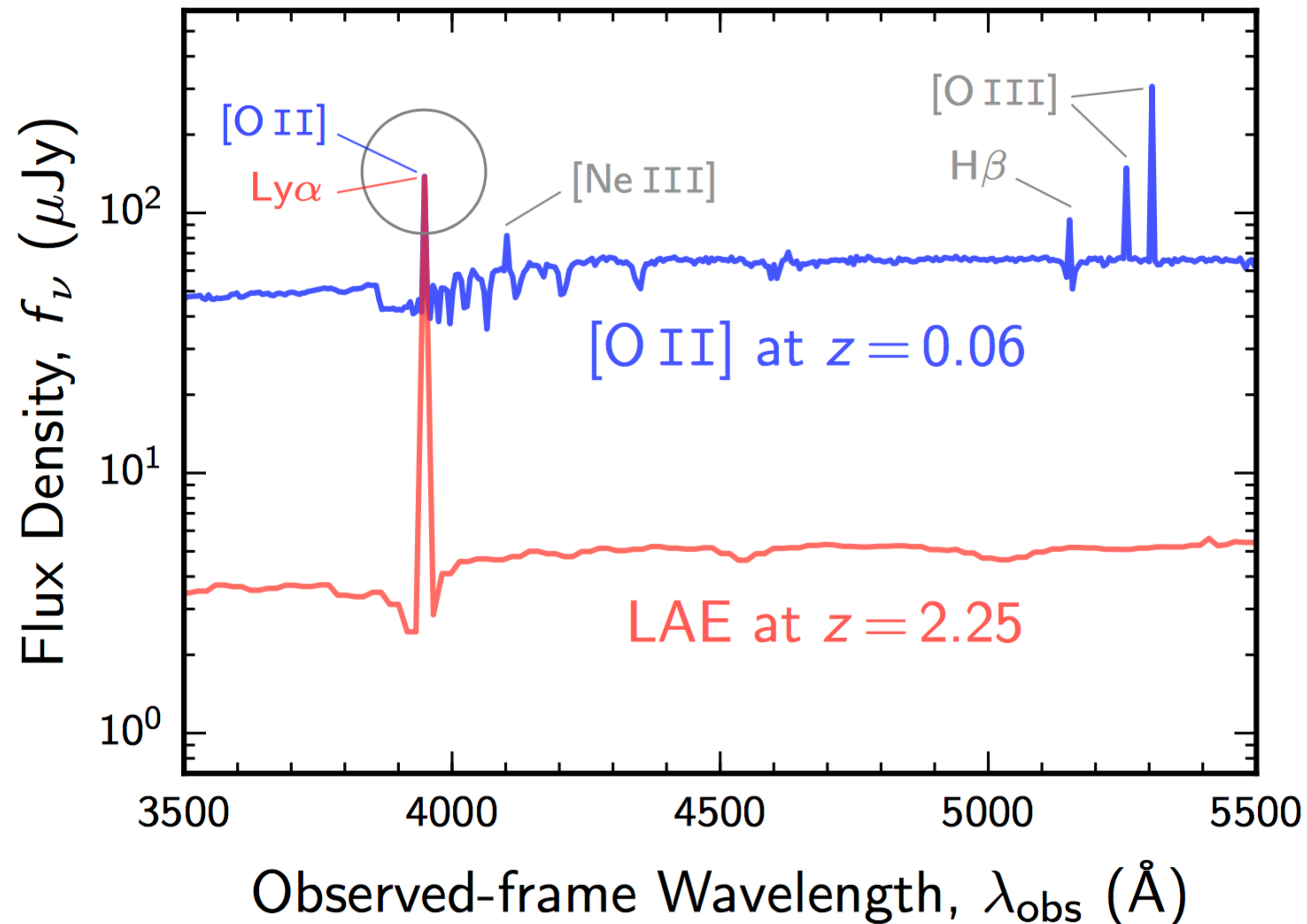


The HETDEX survey



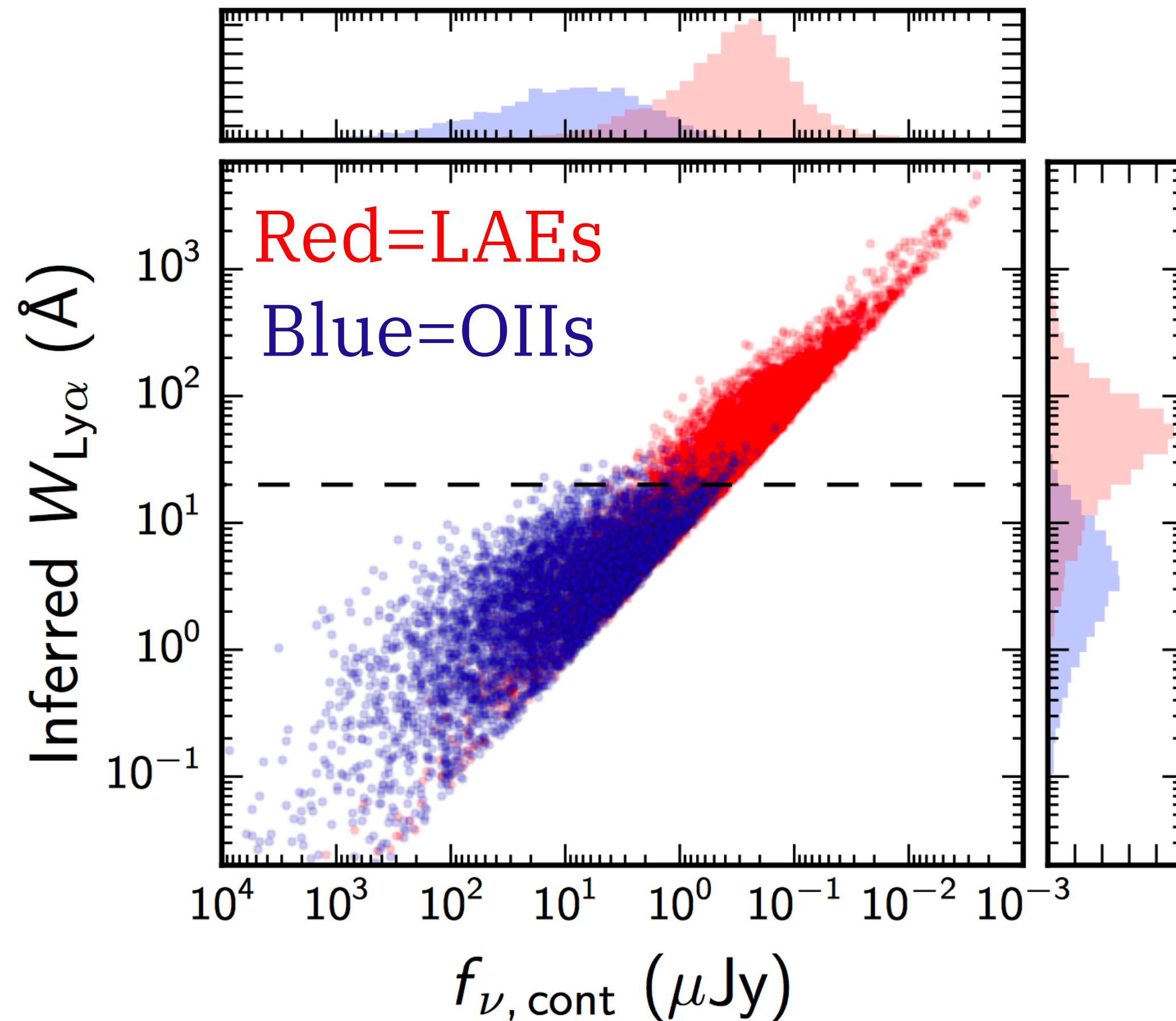
Hobby-Eberly Telescope Dark Energy Experiment is using
 10m HET to map the universe using 1.2M
 Lyman-alpha emitting galaxies (LAEs) in $z=1.9-3.5$ (540 °), 10 Gpc^3 .

LAE vs. [OII] $\lambda 3727$



- Because [OII] $\lambda 3727$ is a fairly *isolated* line.
- [OII] $\lambda 3727$ from low-redshift galaxies can be confused as LAEs.
- Key to distinguish them:
 - Equivalence width
 - Continuum flux

The separation is not perfect!



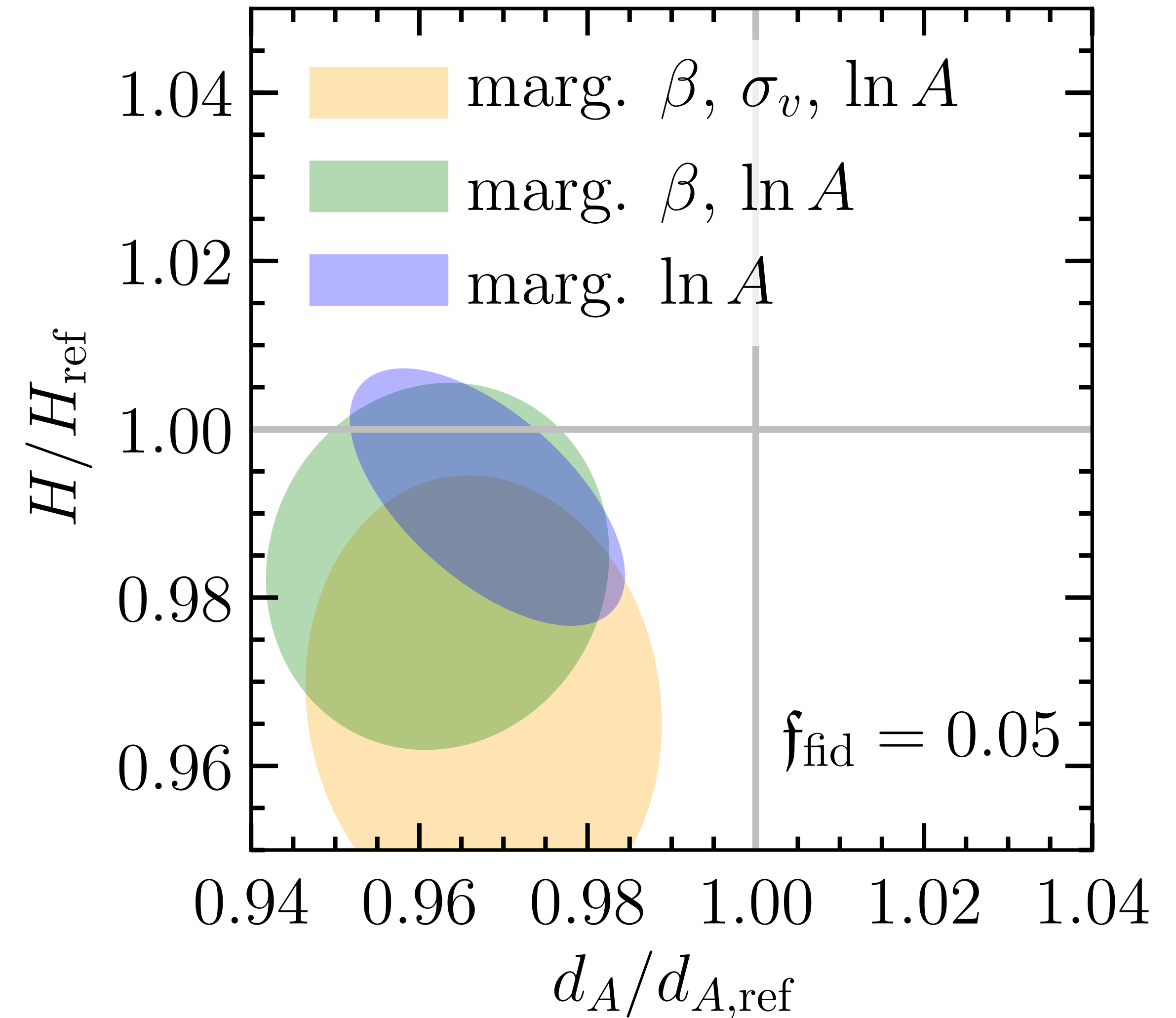
Leung+ 2016

- Can reduce the OIIe interloper fraction to 0.5%, at the expense of losing 6% of LAEs.
- 6% of LAEs = 60,000 LAEs!
- What happens if we ignore the interlopers?
- *Interloper bias!*

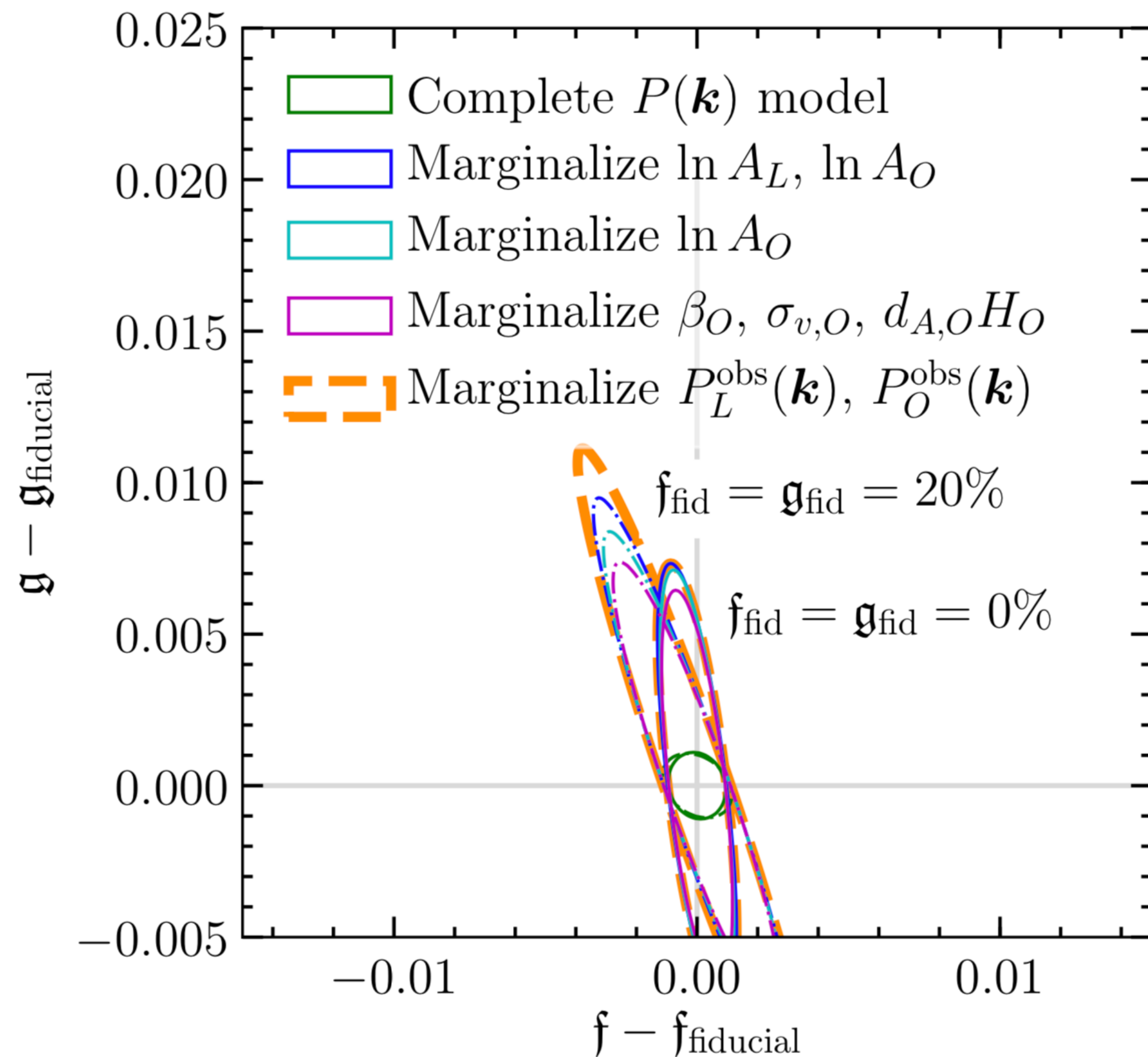
Interloper bias



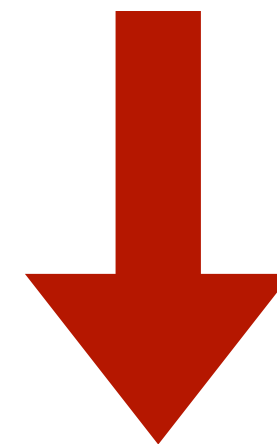
$$f = \frac{N_{\text{OII}}^{\text{interloper}}}{N_{\text{LAE}}^{\text{total}}}$$



f and g from cross spectrum

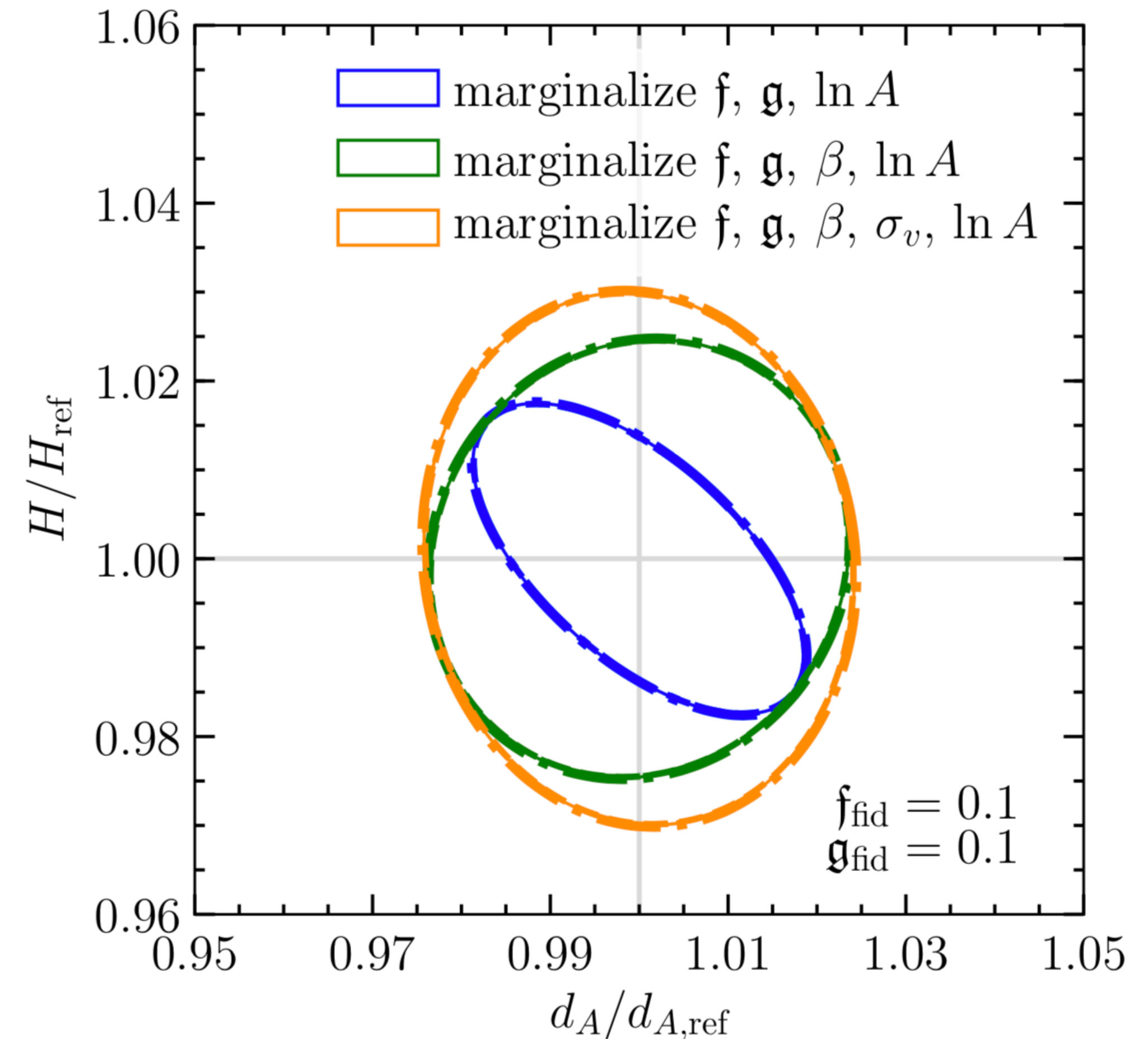
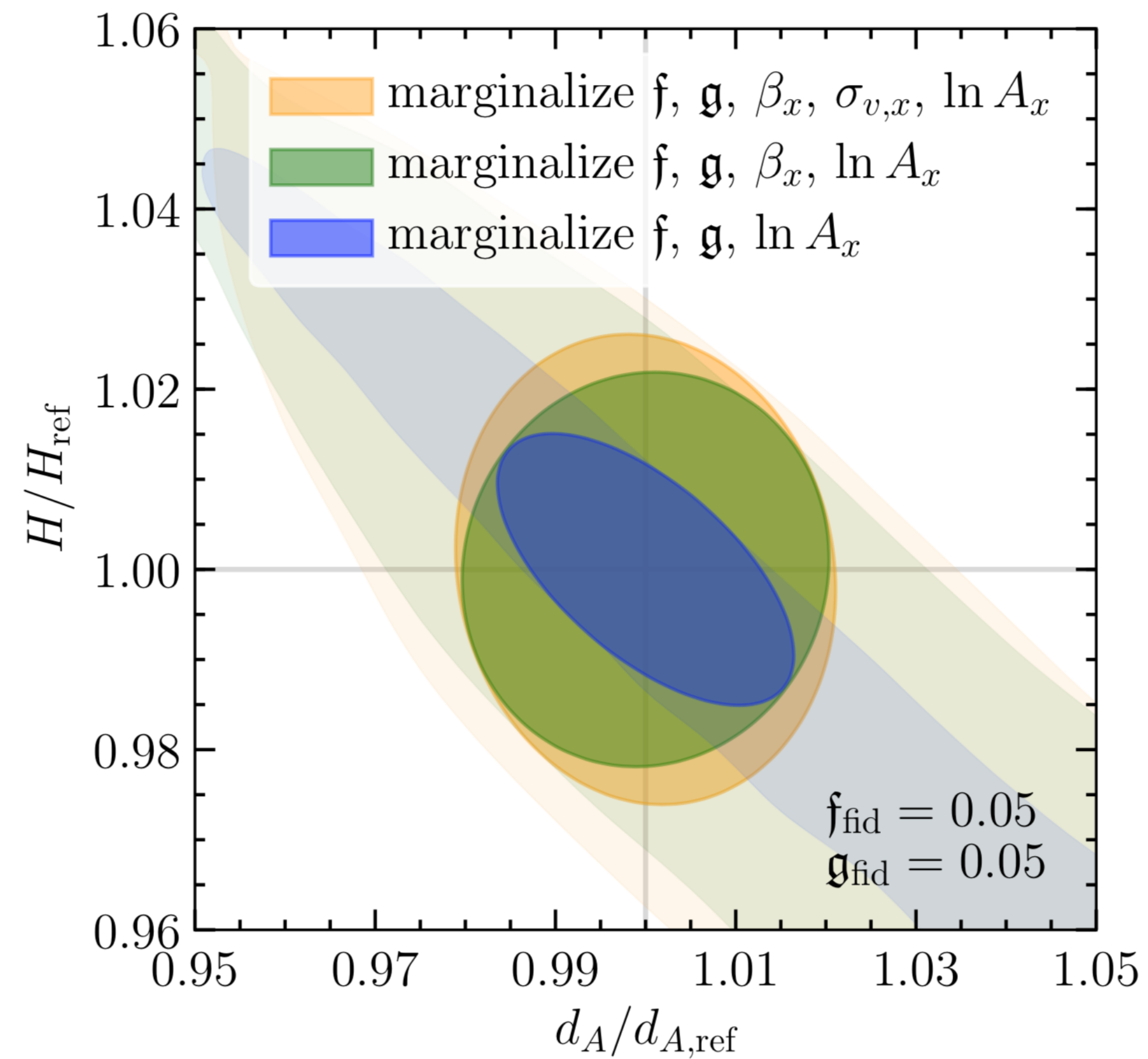


Ideal case



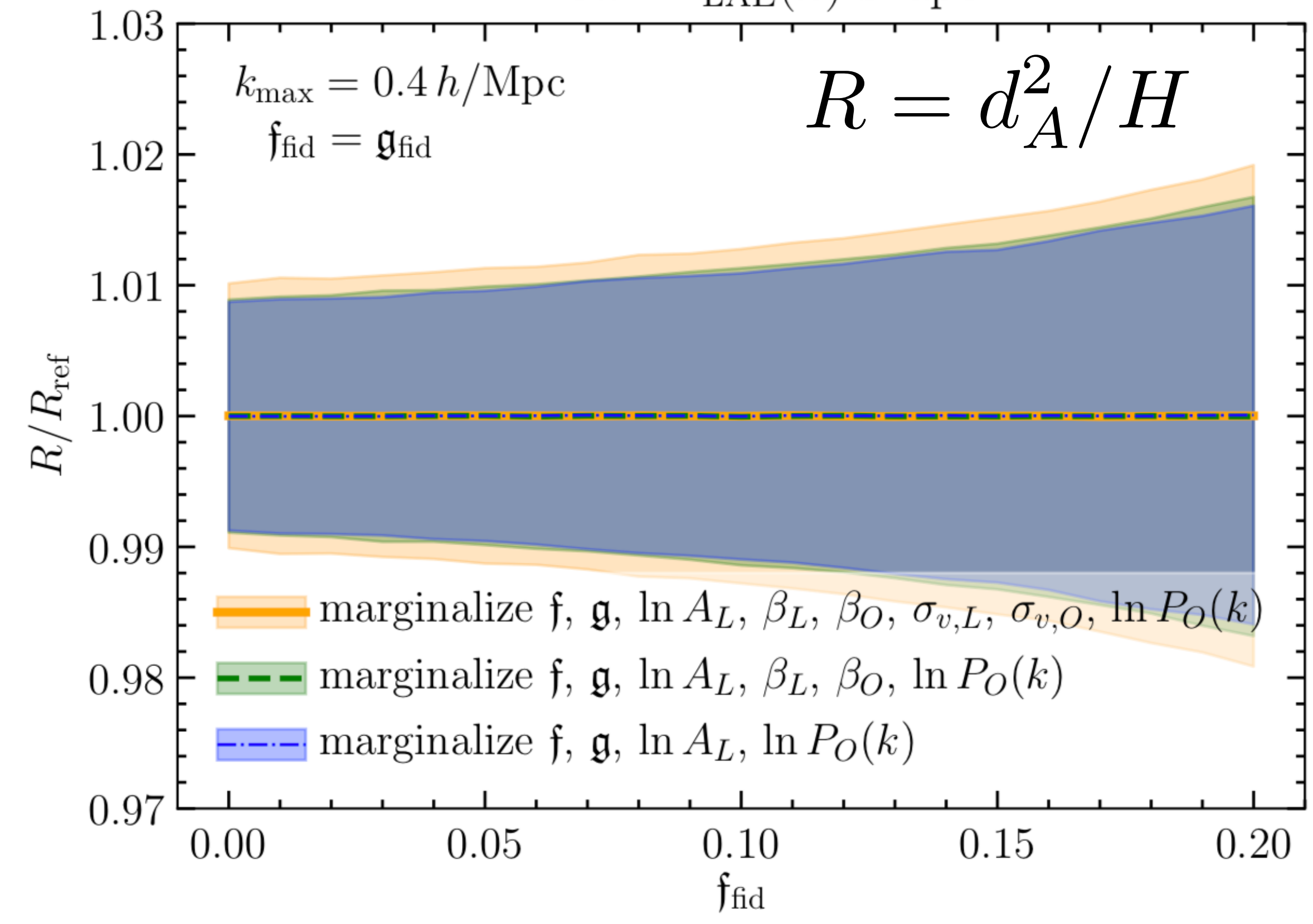
Worst case

Joint-analysis removes the bias!

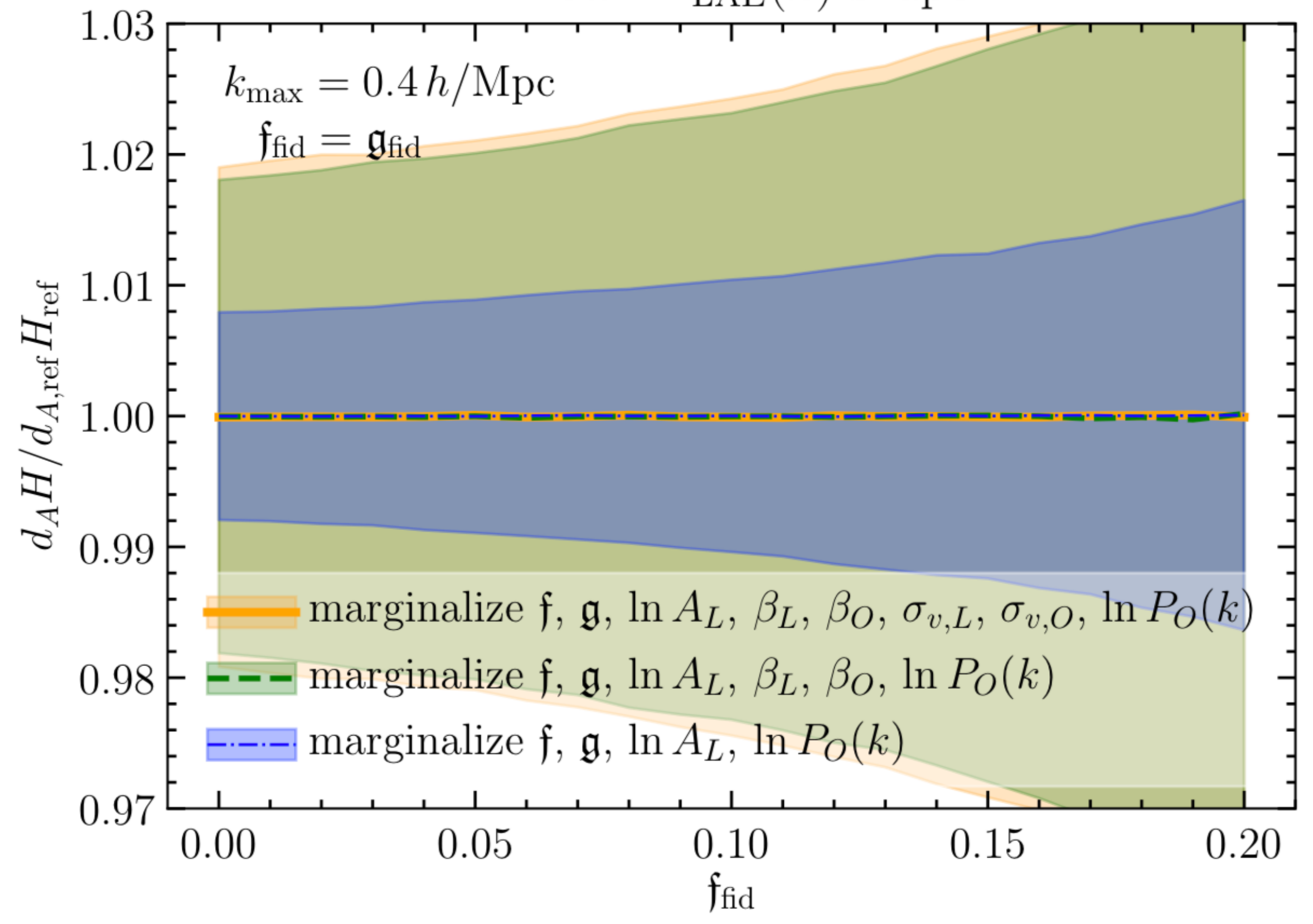


Of course, we pay (a little) price

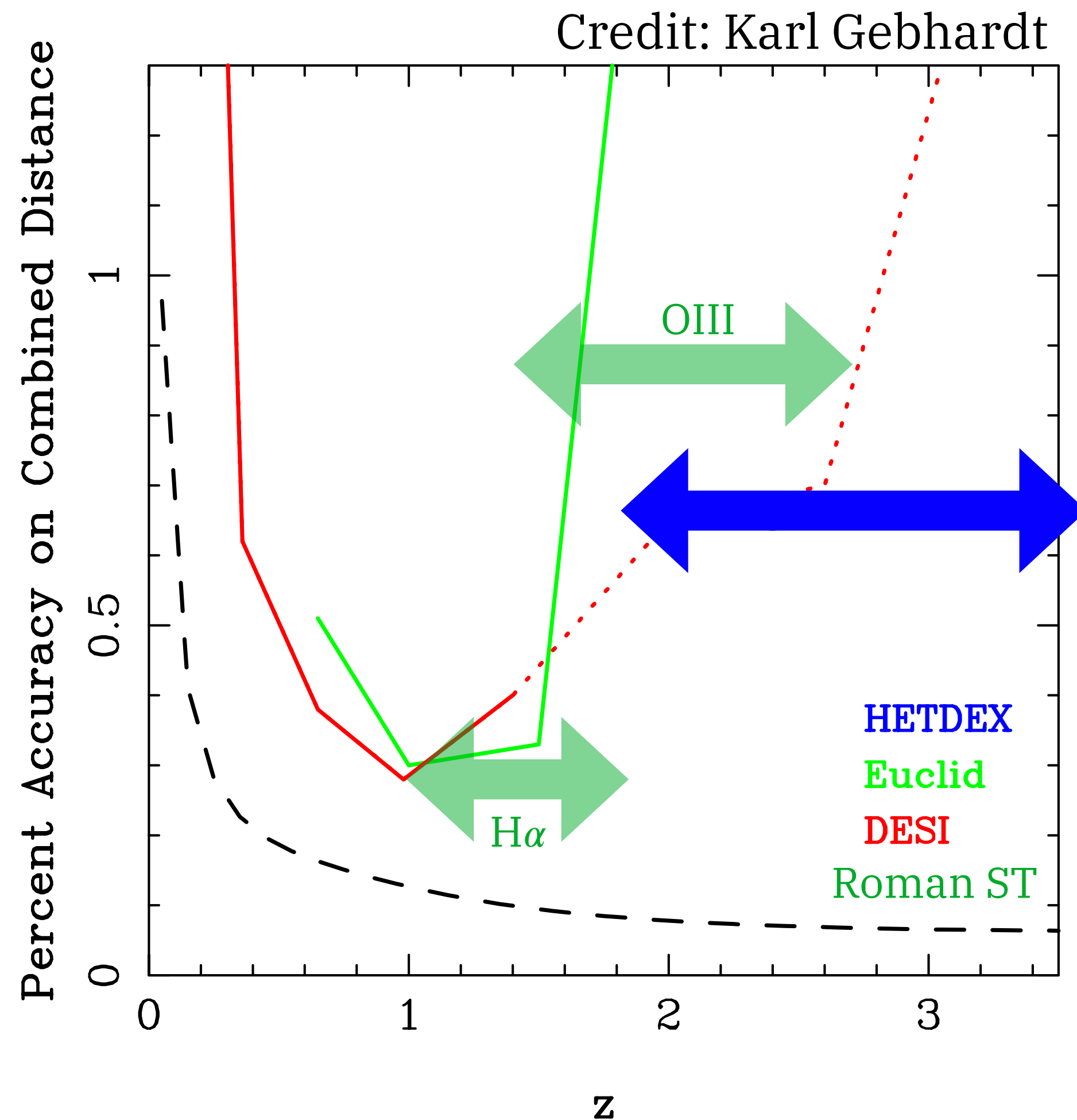
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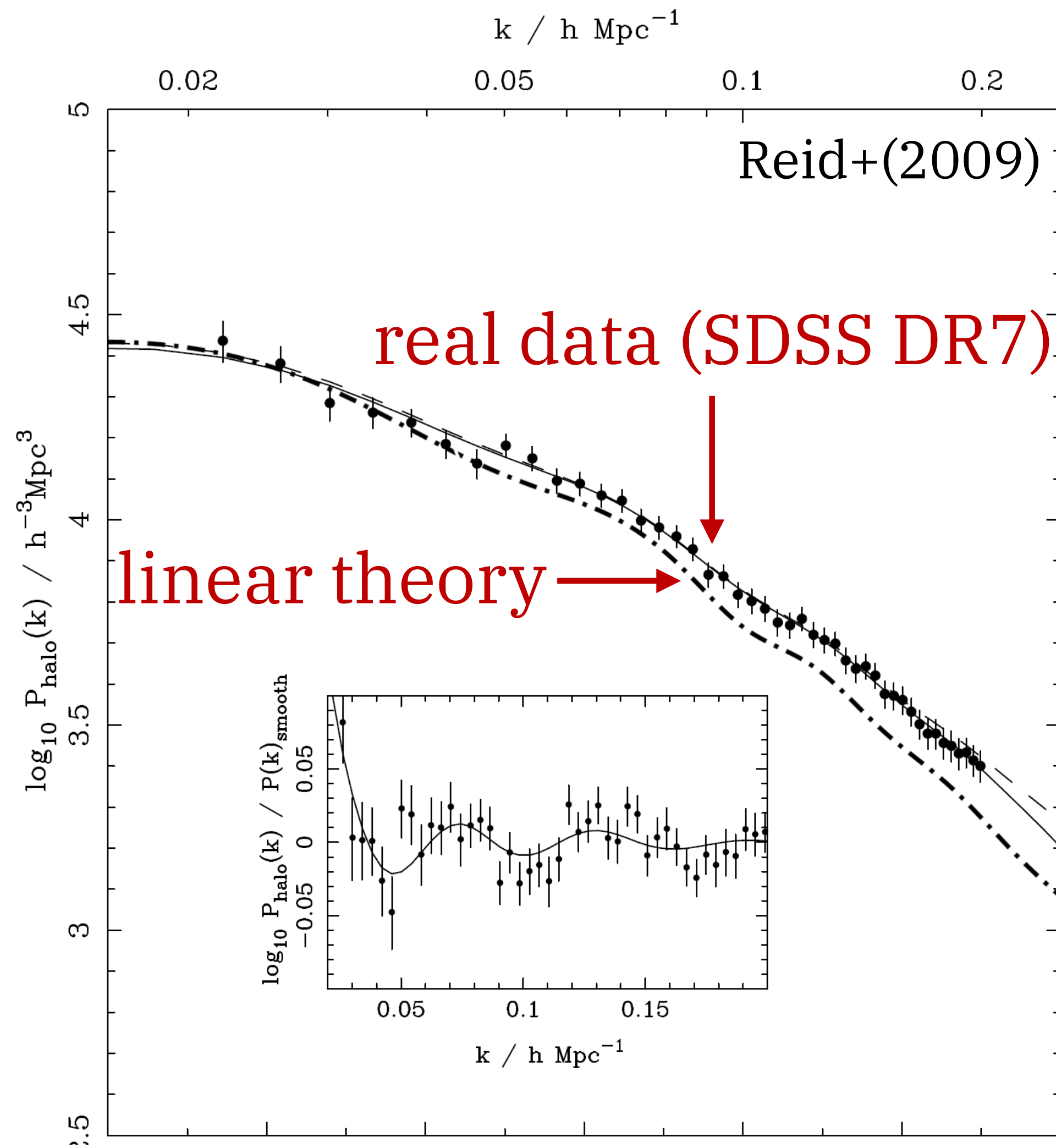
Projected dark energy constraints



- Complementary in redshift range!
- High-z surveys will be good for
 - Time evolution of dark energy
 - Dynamical test of dark energy
 - Curvature of the Universe
- Synergy for blind surveys:
line-identification (cross-matching; cross correlation; photometric information)

Backup slides

The challenge



- Three sources of non-linearities:
 - non-linear clustering of matter
 - non-linear bias
 - non-linear redshift space distortion
- BAO is popular b/c it is not very sensitive to nonlinearities
- To exploit the information in the galaxy power spectrum, we need to model the non-linearities!

Vishniac 1983; Fry 1984; Goroff+ 1986; Suto & Sasaki 1991; Makino+ 1992;
Jain & Bertschinger 1994; Scoccimarro & Frieman 1996

The tool: **S**tandard **P**erturbation **T**heory

- Completely *analytic perturbative solution* of the matter and density field satisfying following equation:

$$\dot{\delta} + \nabla \cdot [(1 + \delta) \mathbf{v}] = 0$$

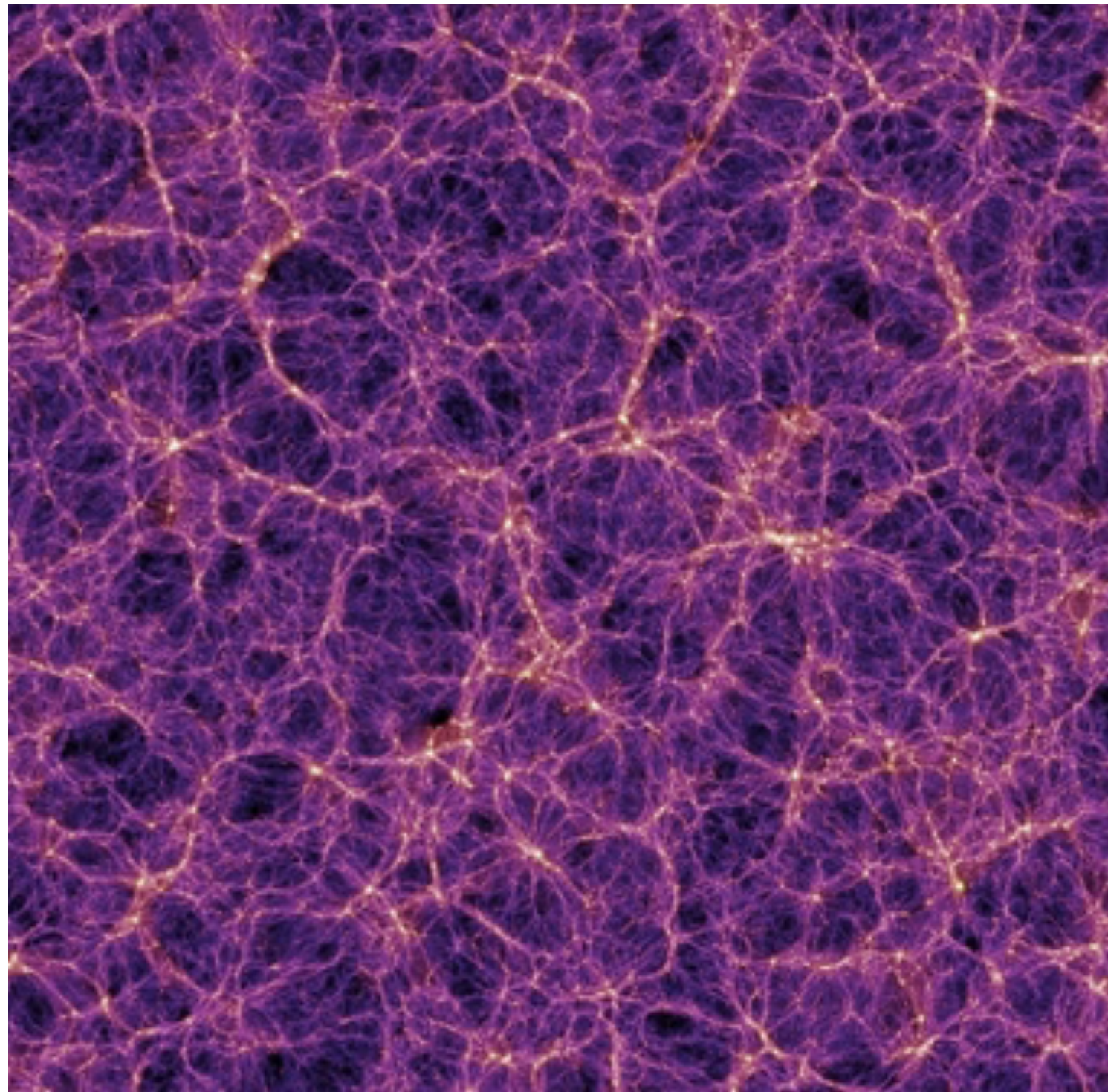
$$\dot{\mathbf{v}} + (\mathbf{v} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v} = -\frac{\dot{a}}{a} \mathbf{v} - \nabla \phi$$

$$\nabla^2 \phi = 4\pi G a^2 \bar{\rho} \delta$$

- The perturbation variable = linear density contrast: $\delta_L(k)$.

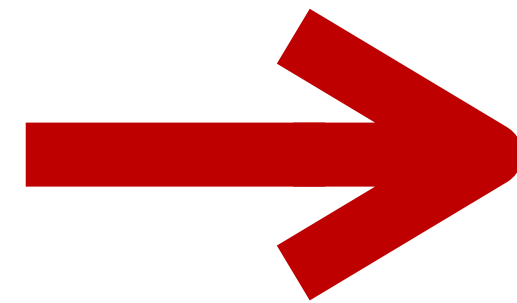
What is galaxy bias?

What we can predict from
perturbation theory



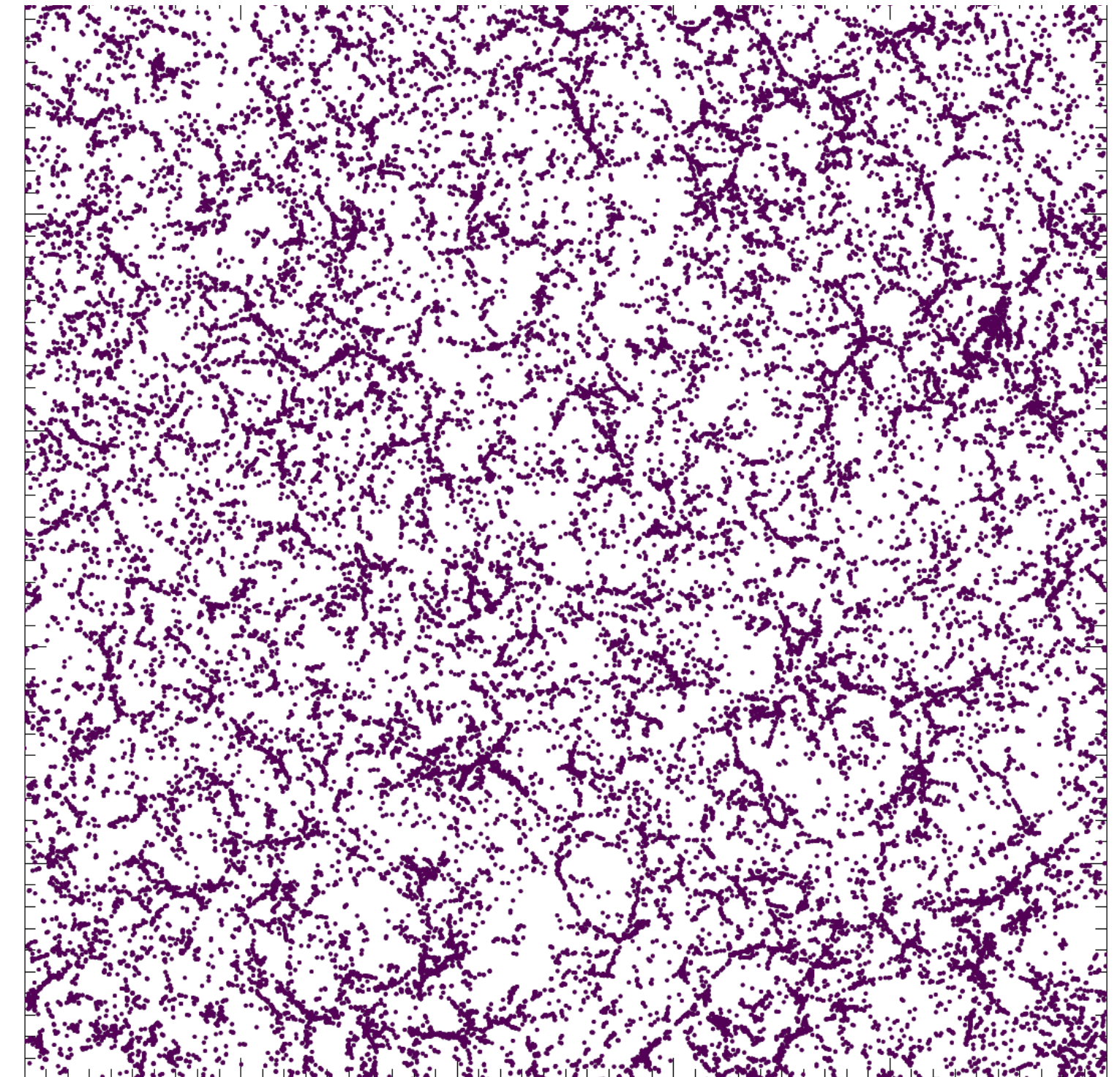
matter density: δ_m
Springel+ 2005

$$\delta_g(\mathbf{x}) = \mathcal{F}[\delta_m(\mathbf{x})]$$



- Halo formation
- Halo merger
- Gas cooling
- Fragmentation
- Star formation
- Feedback
- Accretion
- ...

What we observe
from galaxy surveys



galaxy density: δ_g
De Lucia+ 2007

All $P^{\text{N}}_{\text{onL}}^{\text{linear}} \text{O}_{\text{rder}}$ terms

- We have introduced tons of new parameters to 3rd order, but luckily *not all parameters contribute* to the nonlinear galaxy power spectrum, as some of them are *renormalized*:

$$\delta_{g,s} \Big|_{P^{\text{NLO}}} = \sum_{O \in \mathfrak{D}_{\text{tot}}} b_O O + \epsilon + \epsilon_\delta \delta + \epsilon_\eta \eta + b_\eta \left[\beta_{\nabla^2 \mathbf{v}} \nabla^2 \eta + \beta_{\partial_{\parallel}^2 \mathbf{v}} \partial_{\parallel}^2 \eta + \varepsilon_\eta \right] - u_{\parallel} \partial_{\parallel} \left[b_1 \delta + b_\eta \eta + b_{\Pi_{\parallel}^{[2]}} \Pi_{\parallel}^{[2]} \right]$$

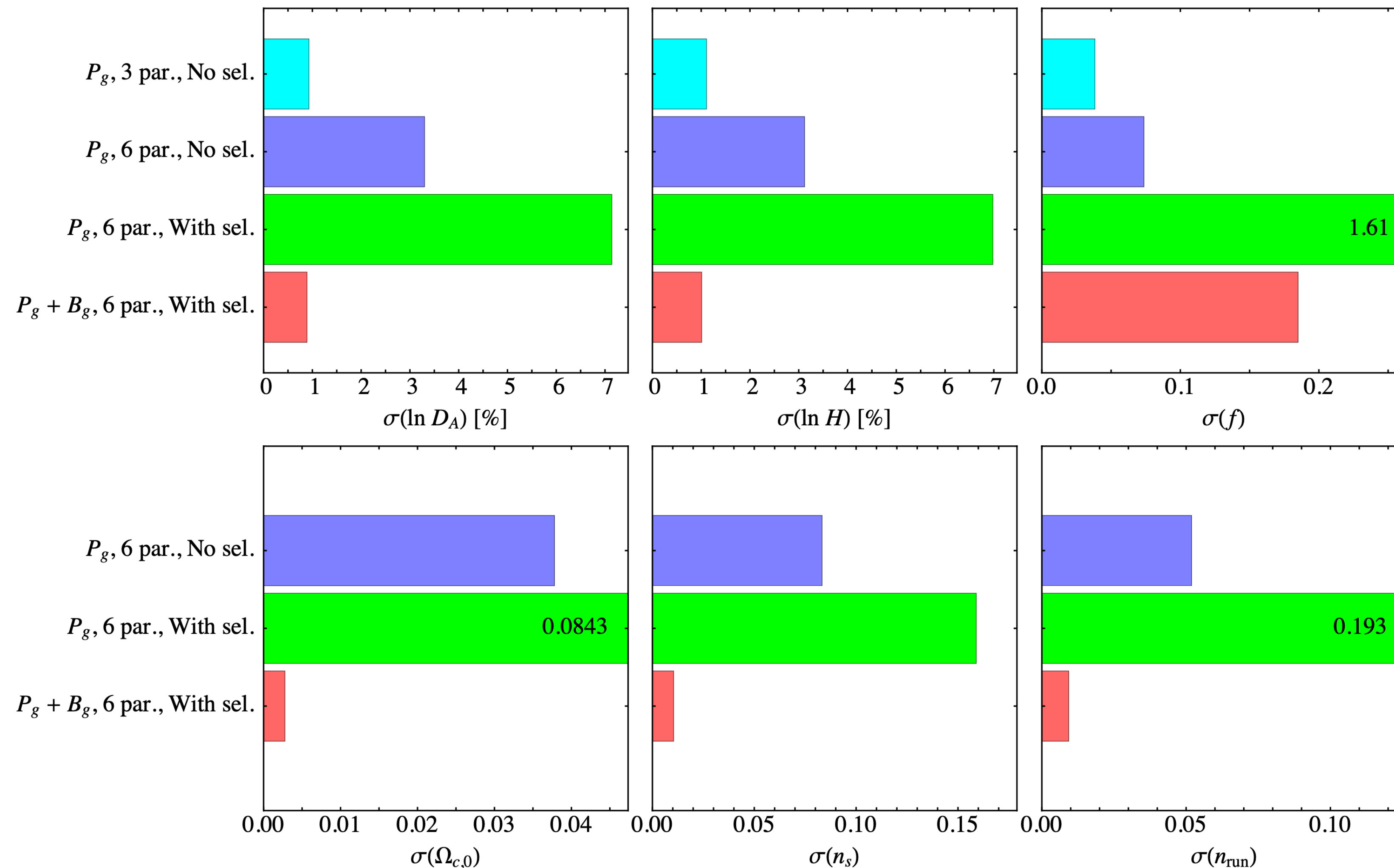
$$\mathfrak{D}_{\text{tot}} = \mathfrak{D}_1 \cup \mathfrak{D}_{\text{hd}} \cup \mathfrak{D}_2 \cup \mathfrak{D}_3$$

$$\mathfrak{D}_1 = \left\{ \delta, \eta \right\}; \quad \mathfrak{D}_{\text{hd}} = \left\{ \nabla^2 \delta \right\}$$

$$\mathfrak{D}_2 = \left\{ \delta^2, K^2, \delta\eta, \eta^2, (KK)_{\parallel}, \Pi_{\parallel}^{[2]} \right\}$$

$$\mathfrak{D}_3 = \left\{ O_{\text{td}}, \delta\Pi_{\parallel}^{[2]}, \eta\Pi_{\parallel}^{[2]}, (\Pi^{[2]}K)_{\parallel}, \Pi_{\parallel}^{[3]} \right\}$$

Cosmology with 22 (!!) parameters



- More nuisance parameters (selection bias) increase the uncertainties.
- Bispectrum measures the selection bias parameters.
- $f = \Omega_m^{0.55}$ can be an important test of GR!