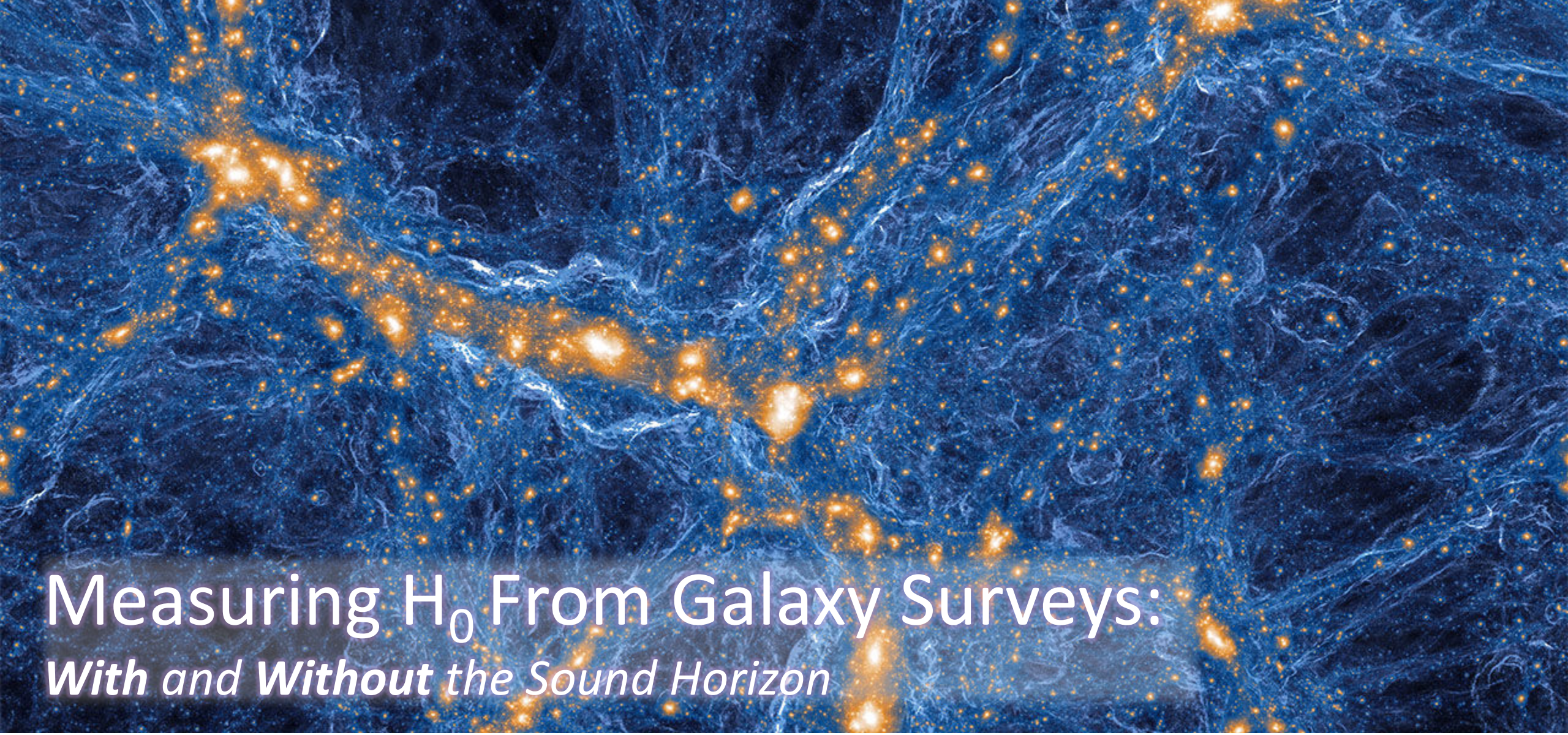

Measuring H_0 From Galaxy Surveys:

***With** and **Without** the Sound Horizon*

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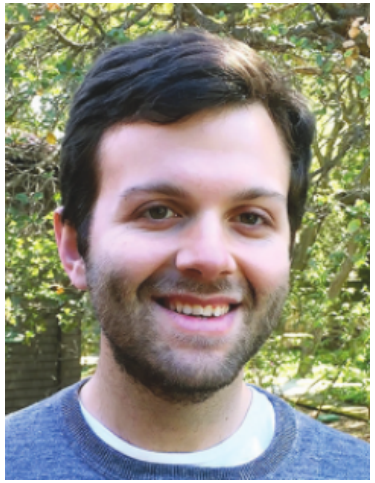

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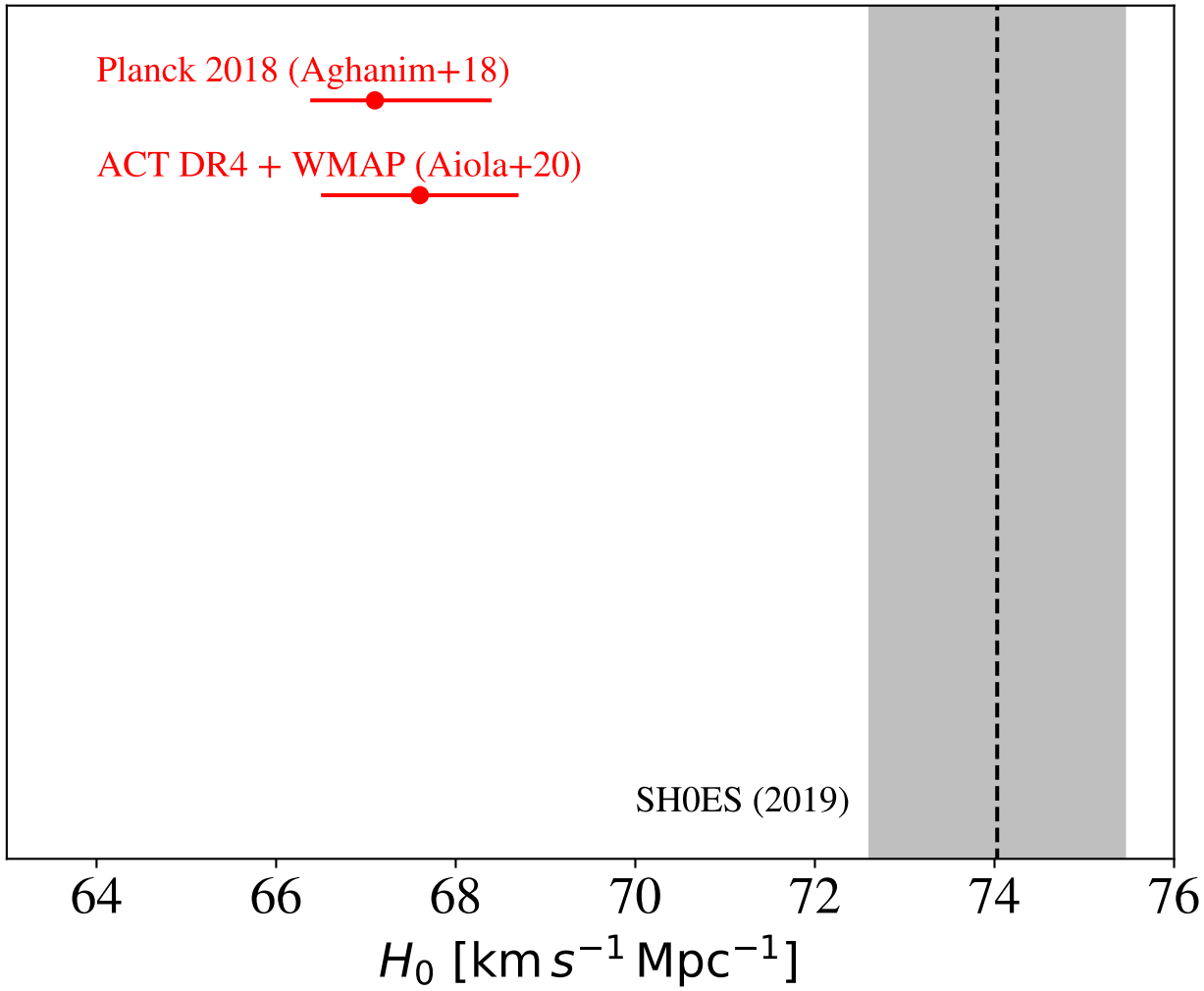

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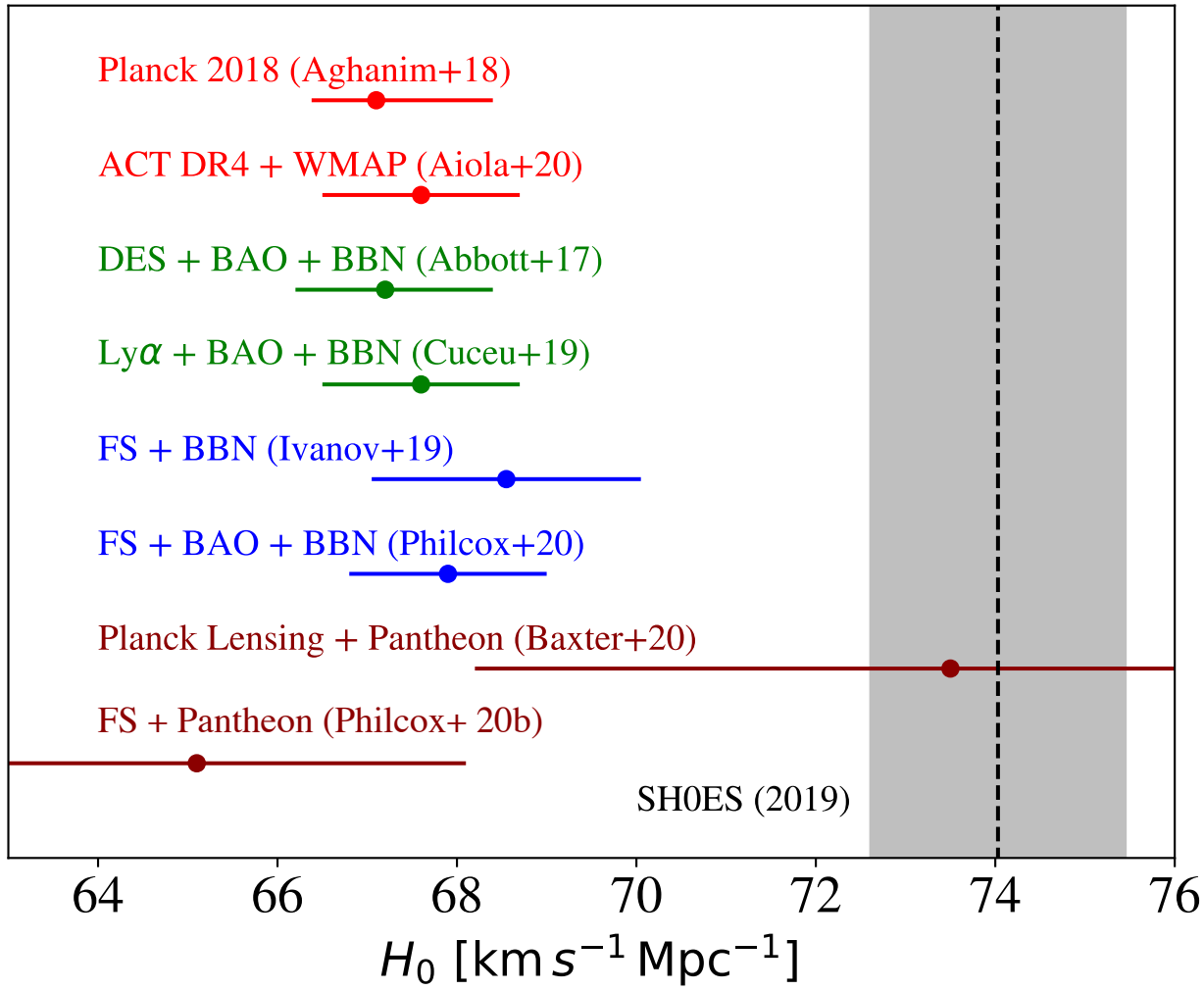

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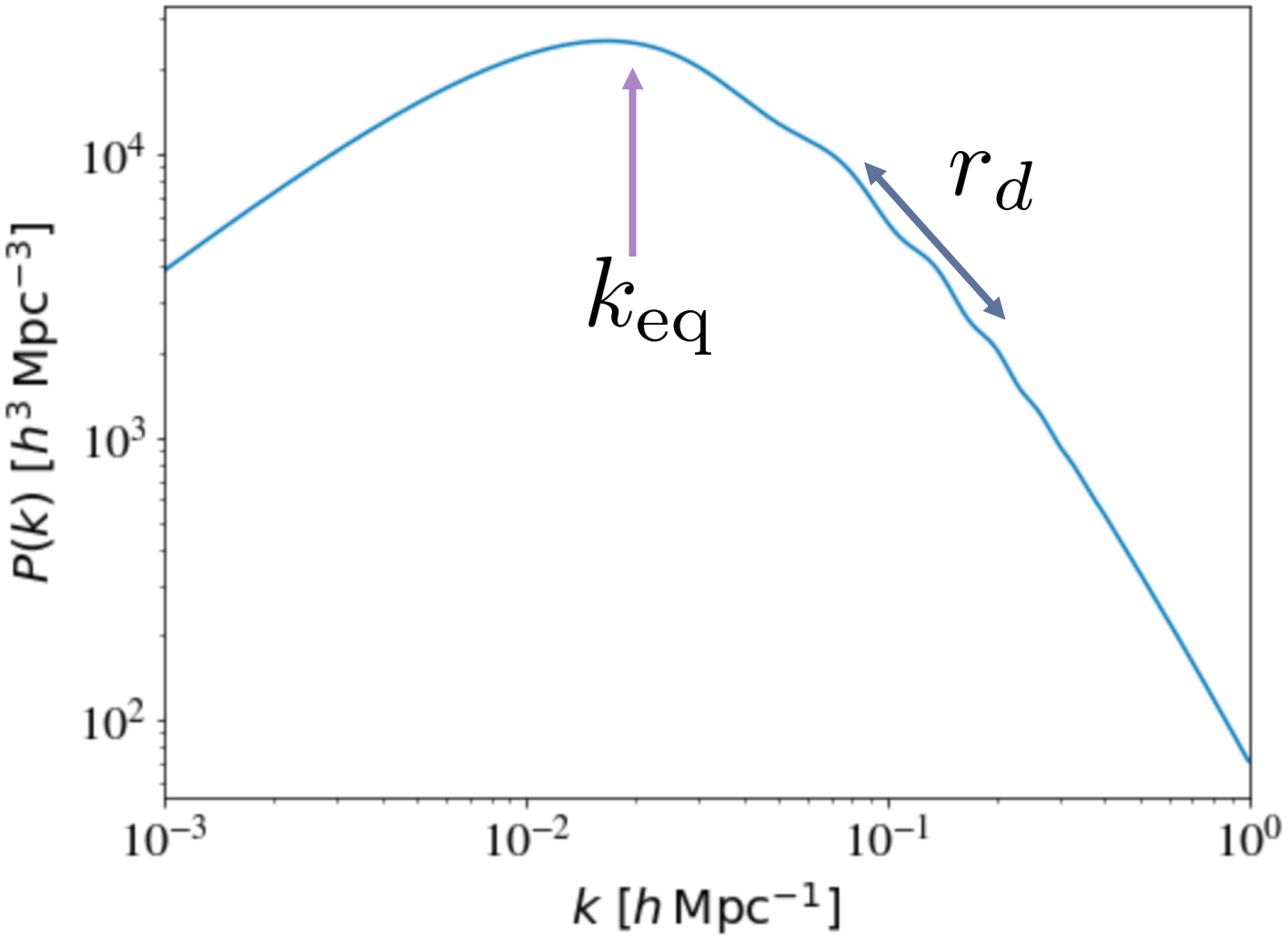

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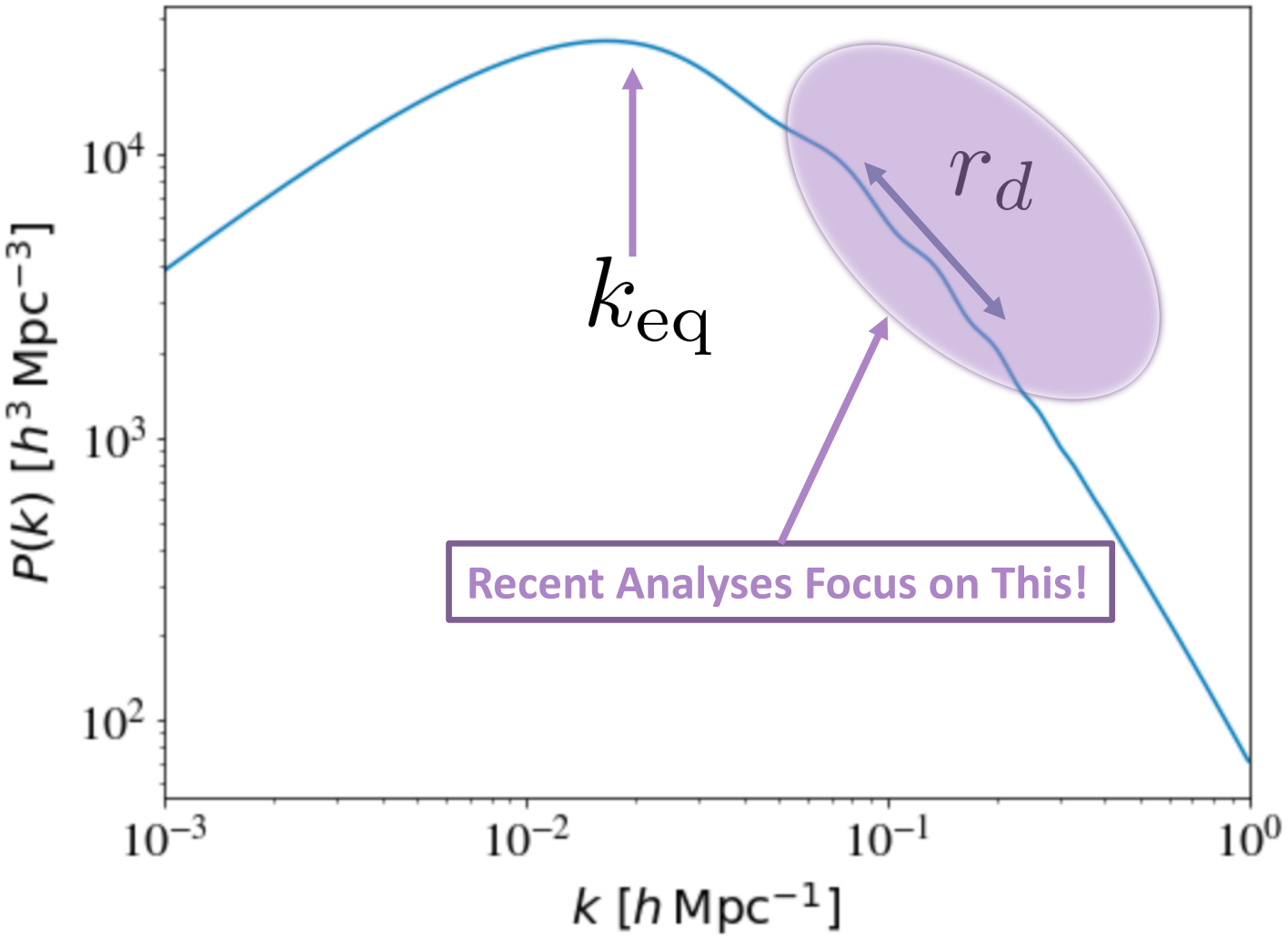

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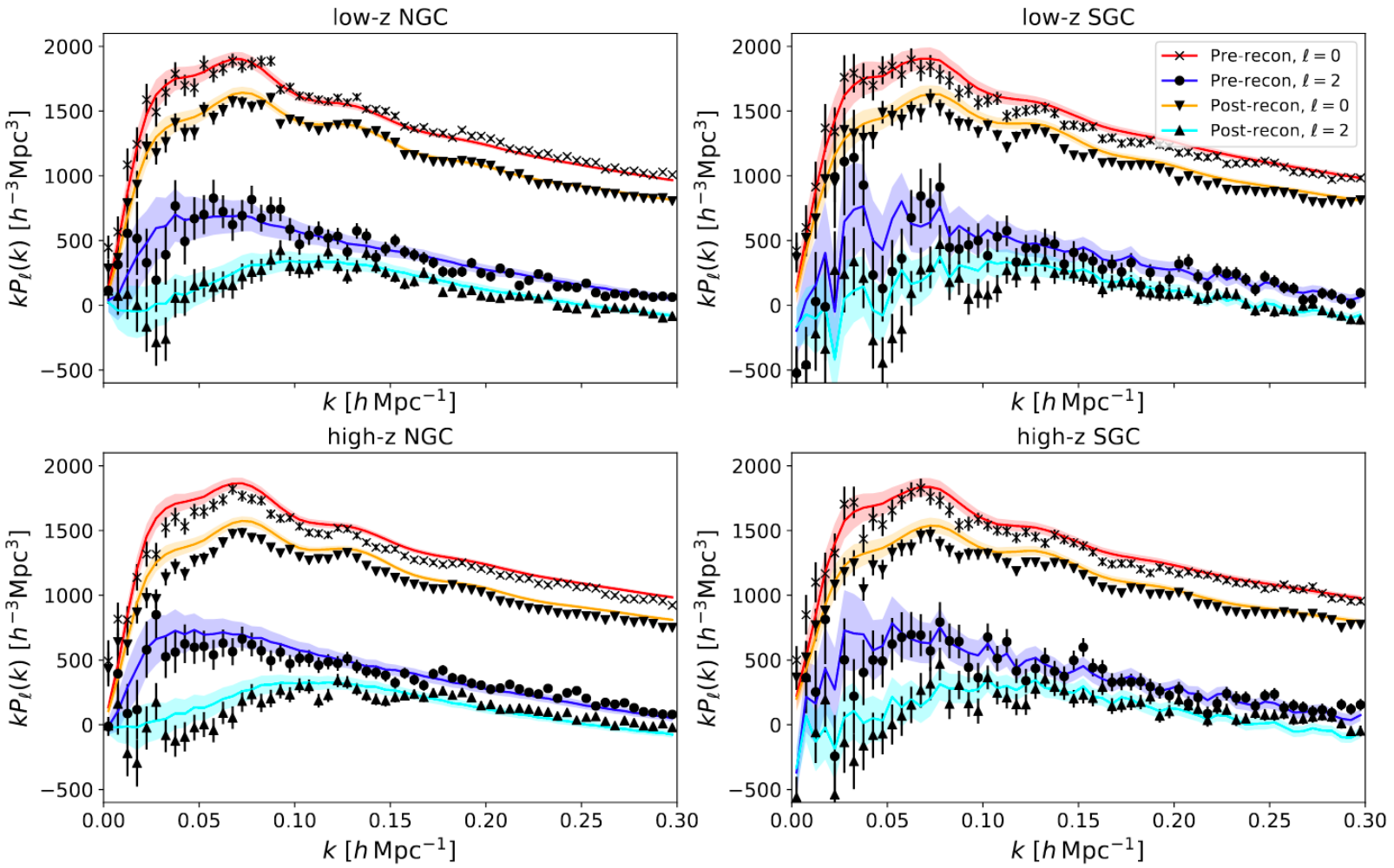

BOSS DR12 [Alam+16]

- Two sky **patches**: NGC + SGC
- Two **redshifts**: $\{0.38, 0.61\}$
- Total **volume** $5.8\ (h^{-1}\mathrm{Gpc})^3$
- **Much** more coming soon…

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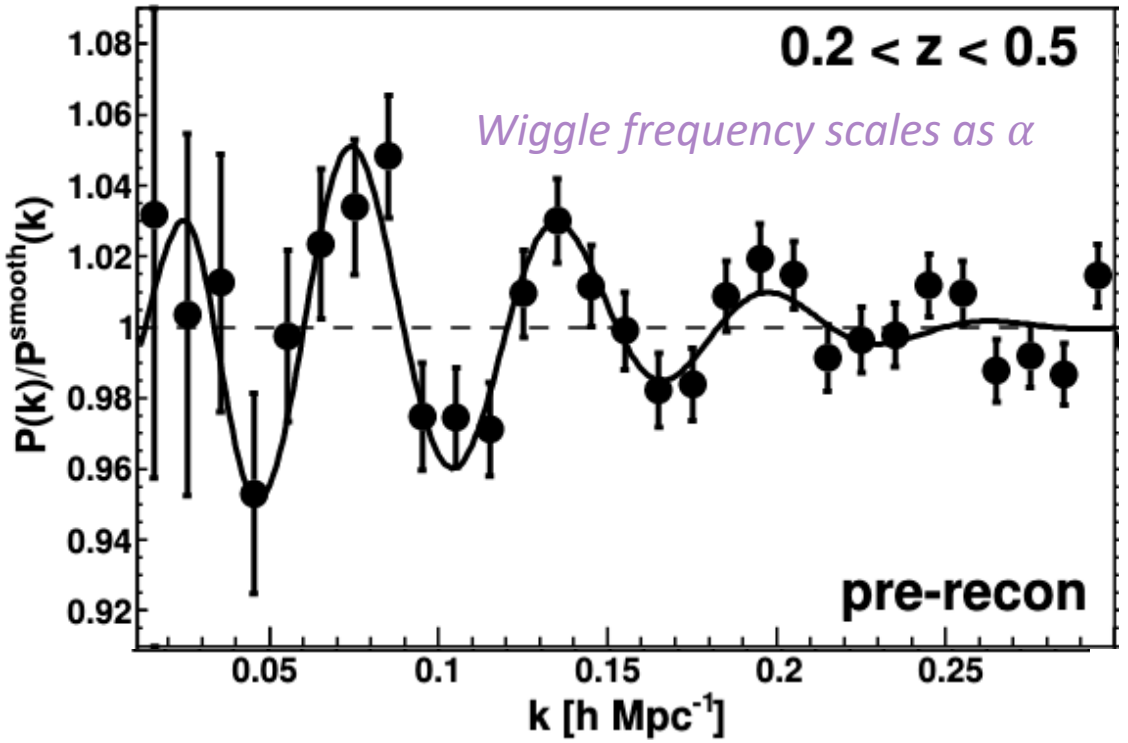

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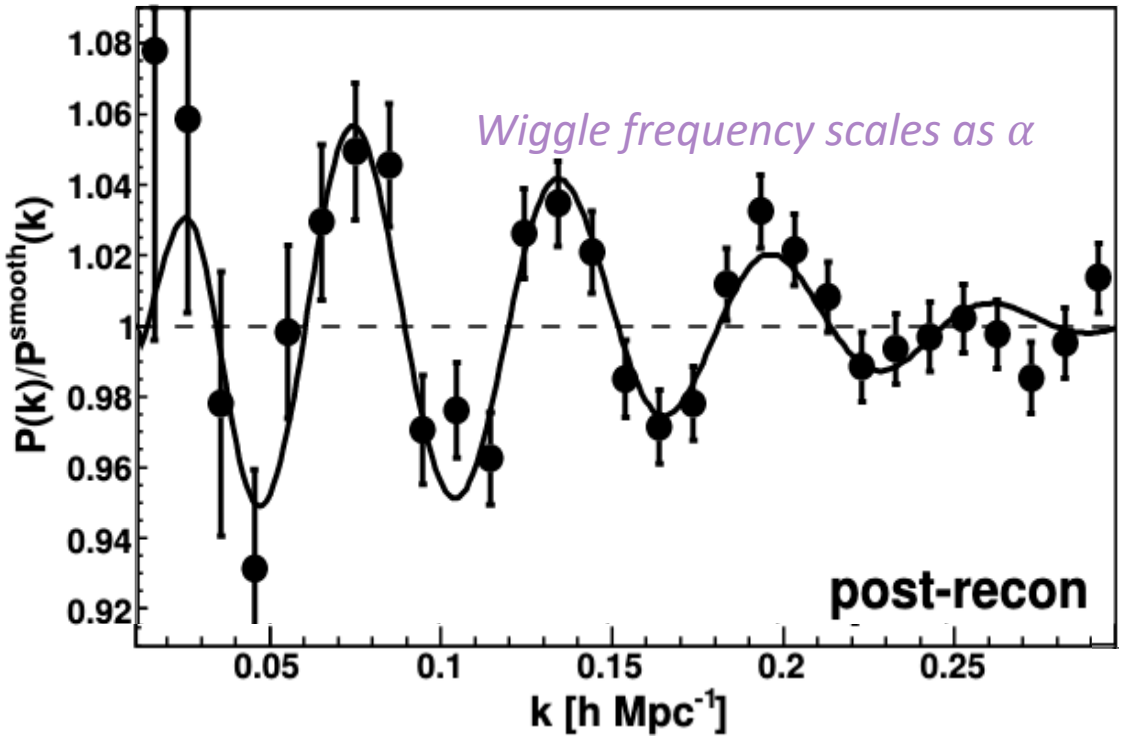

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Galaxy Surveys: Beyond the BAO

- Can we constrain cosmological information from **full shape** of the **unreconstructed** power spectrum?

- Model with the **Effective Field Theory of Large Scale Structure,** [Ivanov+19,20; d'Amico+19] including:
  - **One-loop** perturbation theory
  - Non-linear **bias**
  - **Stochastic** contributions (shot-noise)
  - UV **counterterms**
  - IR **resummation**

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Linear Theory 1-loop PT Shot-noise Counterterms

- This has been tested on **huge** volume simulations [Nishimichi+20]

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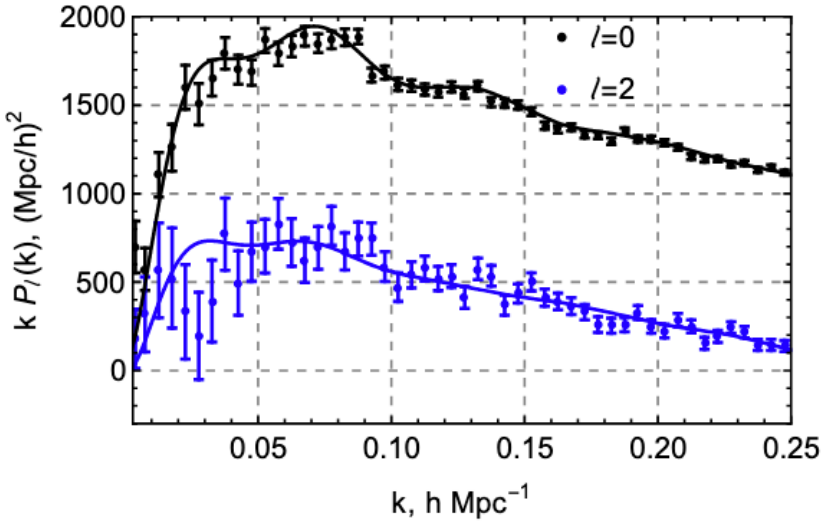

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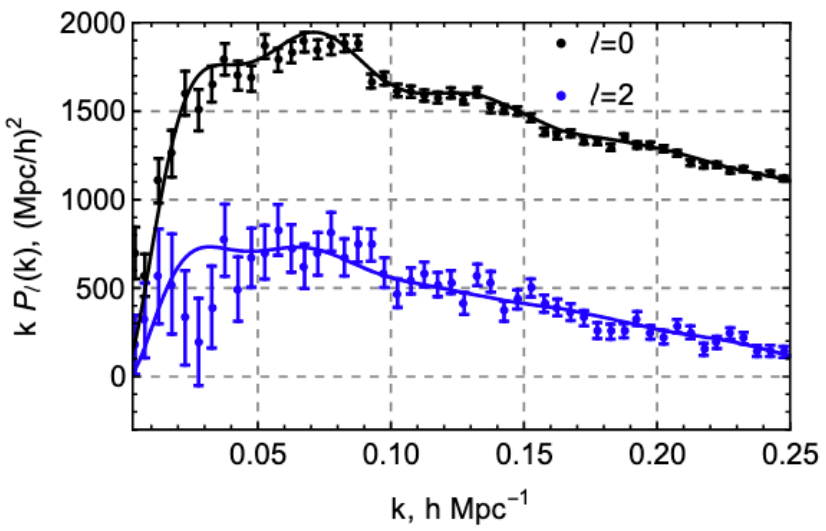

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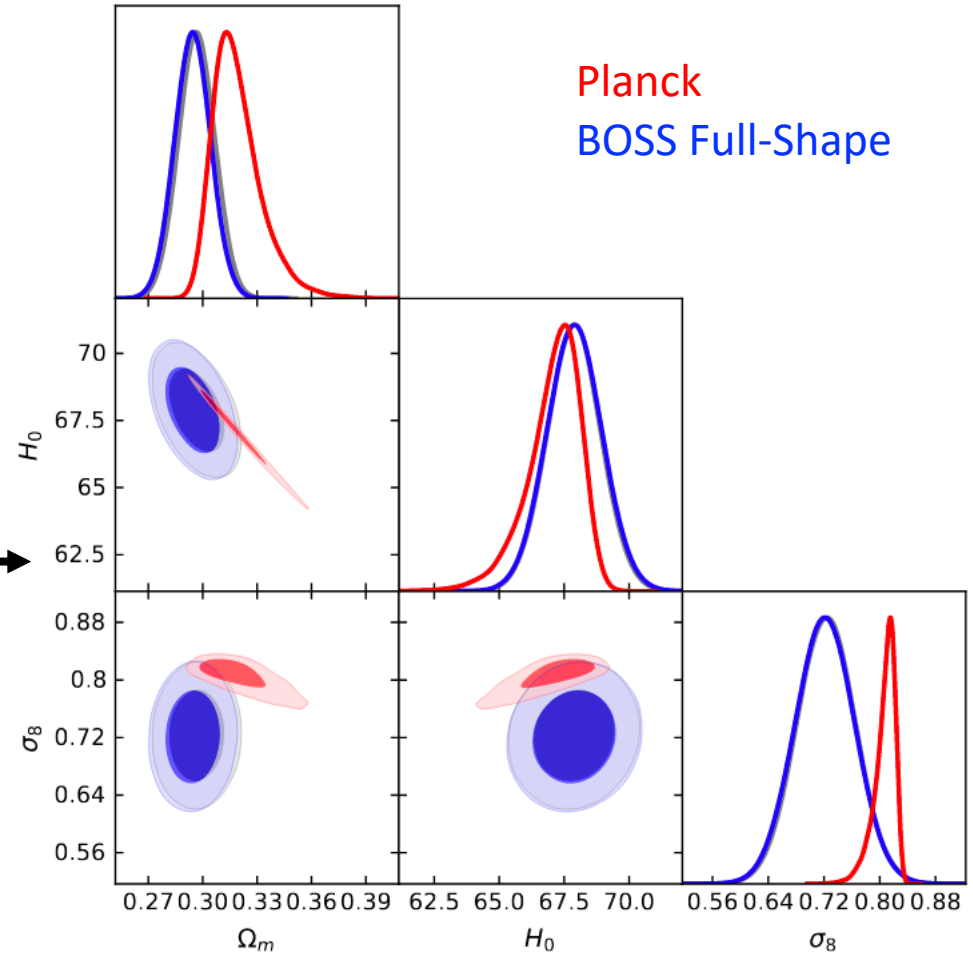

Including a BBN prior on ω_b

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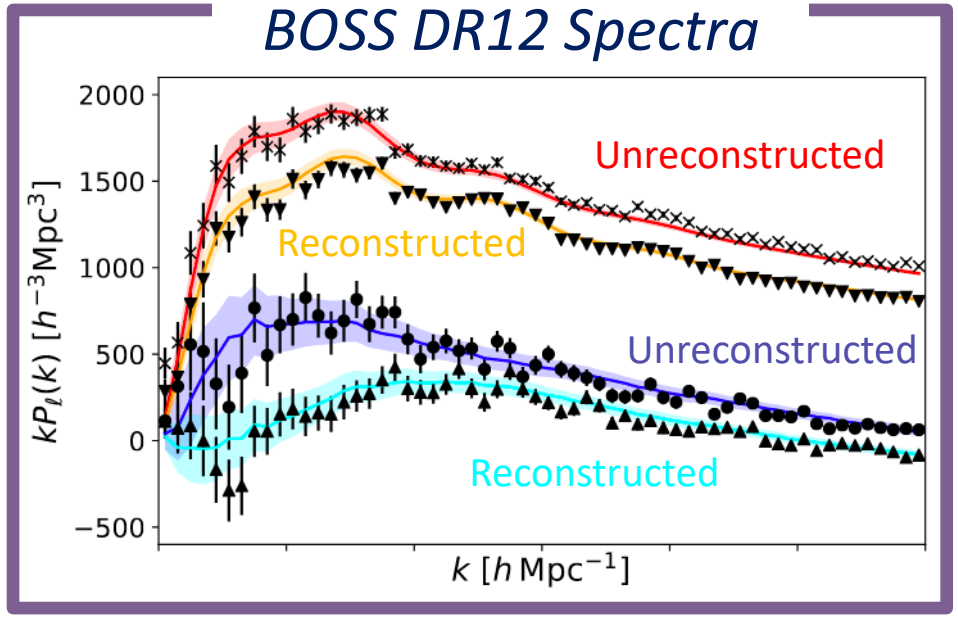

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- **Solution**:
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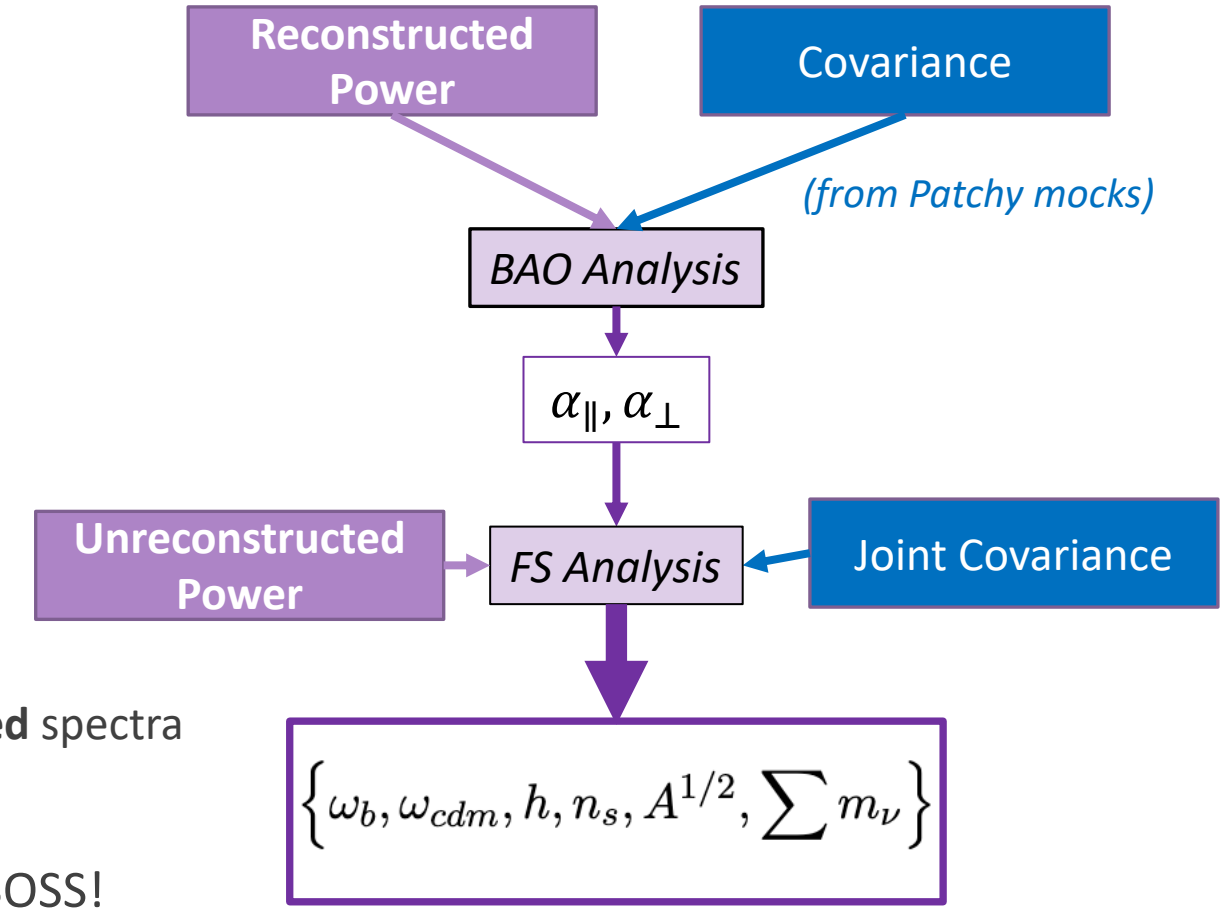
  2. Combine with **full-shape** likelihood for **unreconstructed** spectra
- This allows **more information** to be extracted from BOSS!



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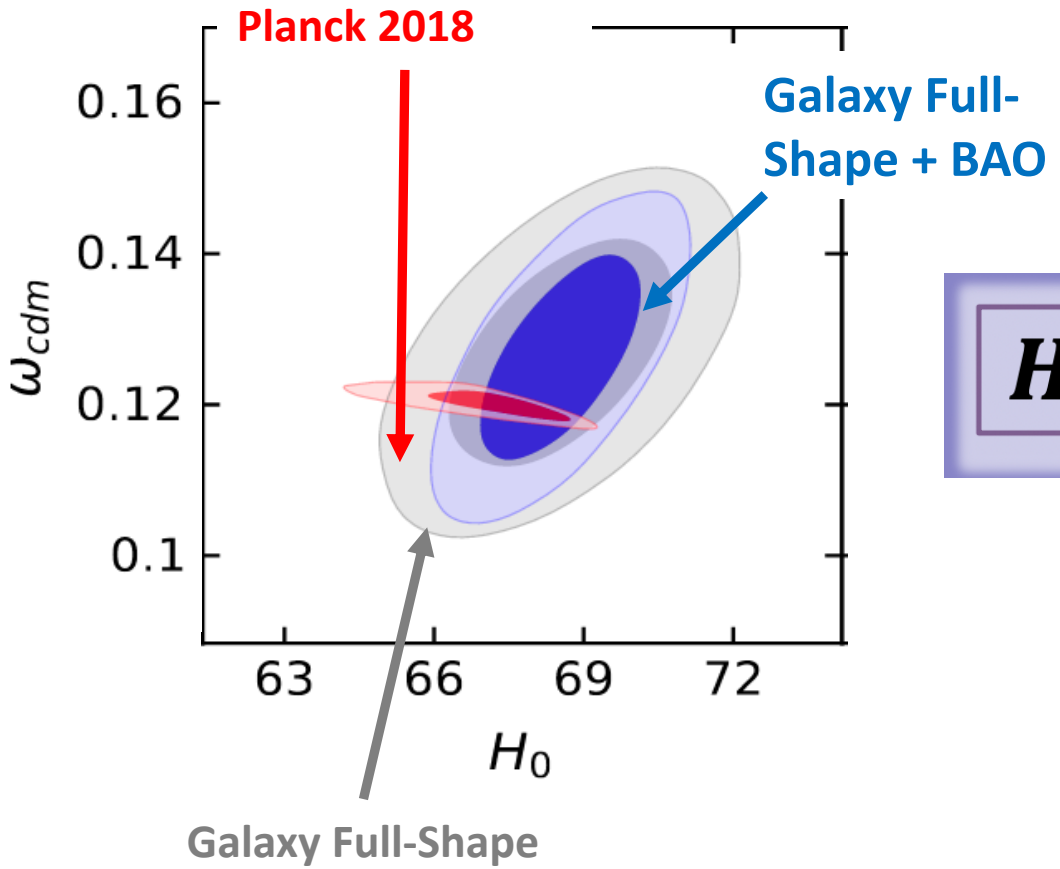

H_0	Full-Shape only	**Full-Shape + BAO**	Planck 2018
	68.55 ± 1.5	$\mathbf{67.9 \pm 1.1}$	$67.1^{+1.3}_{-0.72}$

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2. H_0 Without the Sound Horizon

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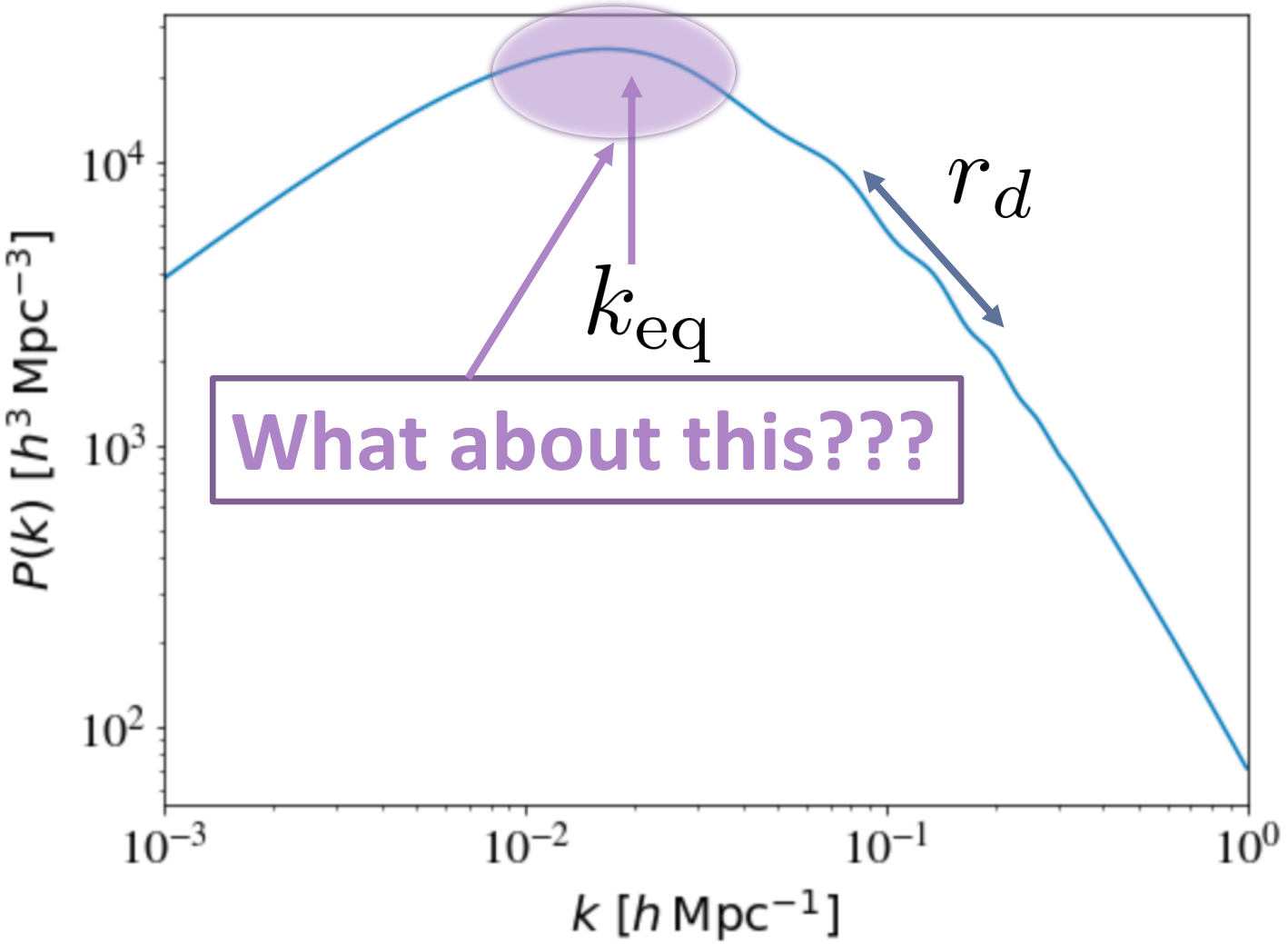

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- The **equality scale** acts contains H_0 information

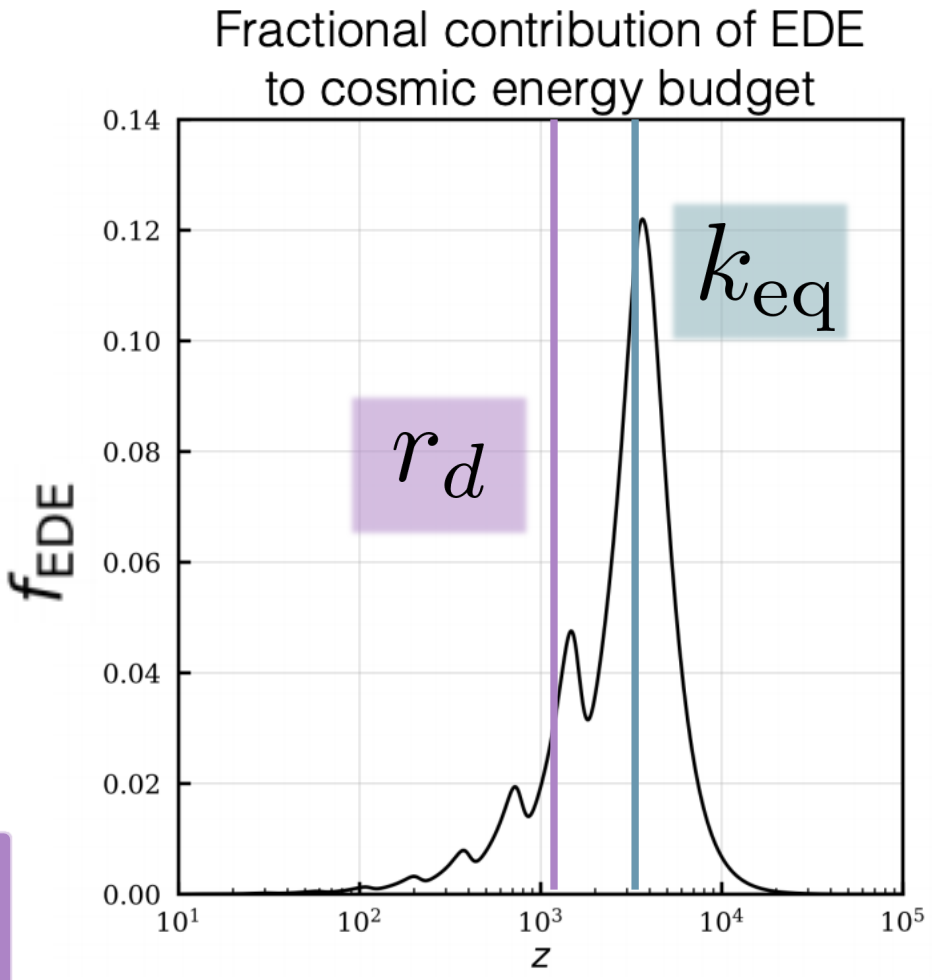
$$k_{\rm eq} \propto \Omega_{cb} H_0^2 T_{\rm CMB}^{-2}$$

- Measuring it in $h\ \mathrm{Mpc}^{-1}$ units probes $\boldsymbol{\Omega_{cb} H_0}$

- Given a probe of $\boldsymbol{\Omega_{cb}}$ (or Ω_m) we can **constrain** H_0!

- This is a measurement of H_0 at $z_{\rm eq} \sim 3600$, **much** before recombination at $z_d \sim 1100$

New physics at $z \sim 10^3$ should affect **BAO** and **equality** H_0 measurements **differently**



Baxter & Sherwin 2020, Hill+19,20

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- The **equality scale** was measured decades ago, through the **shape parameter** Γ [e.g. Percival+01]

- **Baxter & Sherwin** (2020) recently showed this could be measured from *Planck* lensing and Pantheon SNe, via

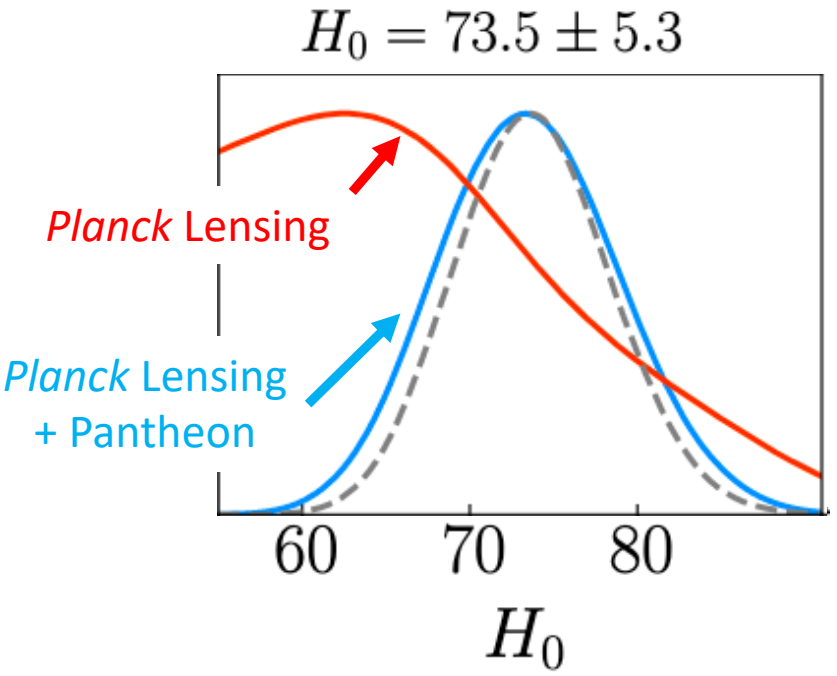
$$L_{\rm eq} \equiv k_{\rm eq}\chi_* \sim \Omega_m^{0.6} h$$

giving

$$H_0 = 73.5 \pm 5.3 \ {\rm km\ s^{-1}\ Mpc^{-1}}$$

independent of sound horizon physics

- Can we do the same for galaxy surveys?



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Extracting Equality

- We can't see the equality scale directly in BOSS.

- It can be probed from the power spectrum **shape**:

$$P_g(k > k_{\rm eq}) \approx b_1^2 A_s \left(c + \log \frac{k}{k_{\rm eq}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{k}{k_{\rm eq}}\right)^{n_s - 4}$$

- This is helped by knowledge of $b_1^2 A_s$ from **loops** and **redshift-space distortions**

- Adding information about Ω_m from **Pantheon** or **uncalibrated BAO** breaks the $\boldsymbol{\Omega_{cb} - H_0}$ **degeneracy**

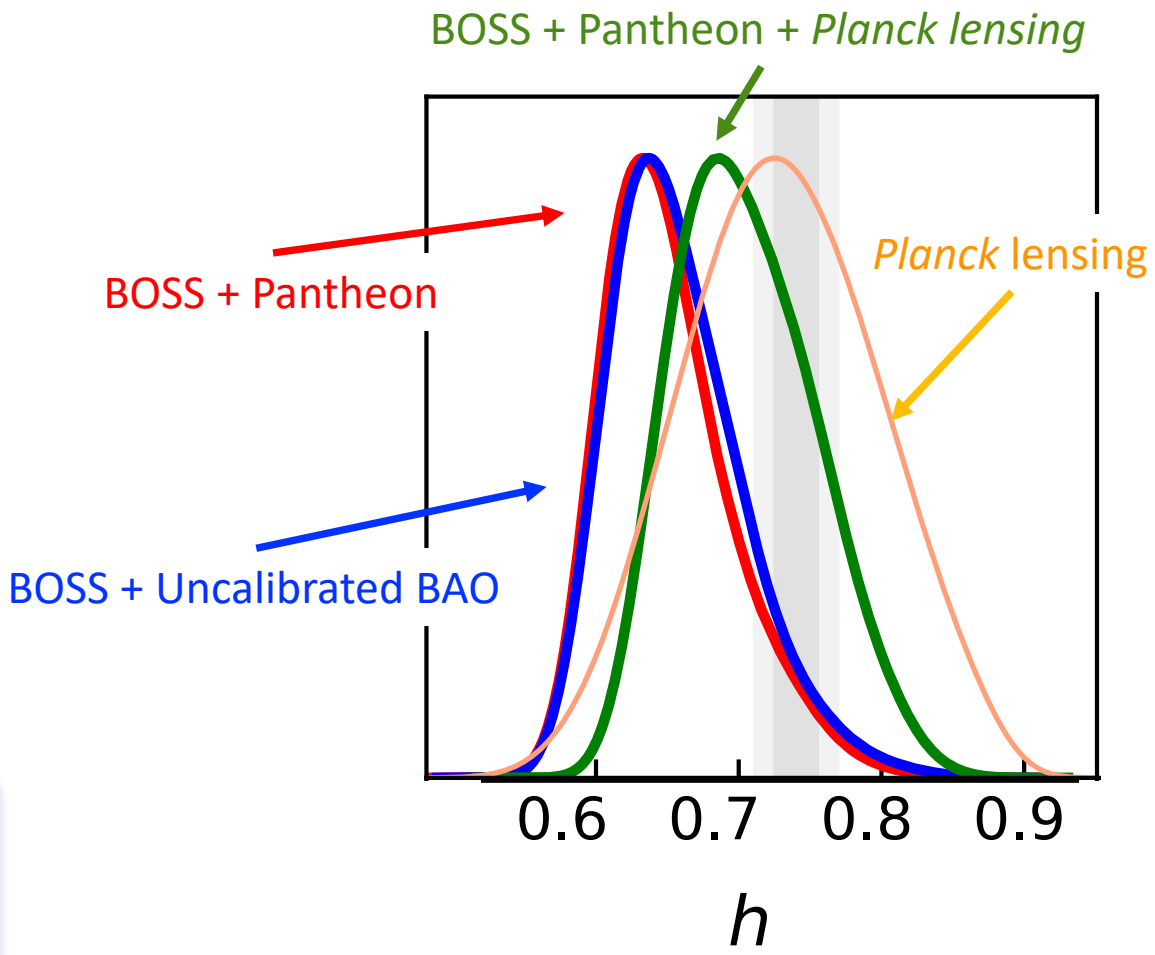
Ansatz: Analyzing the full-shape BOSS data **without** a restrictive prior on $\boldsymbol{\omega_b}$ will measure H_0 from the **equality scale**

H_0 Constraints from Equality

- MCMC results*:

Dataset	H_0 (mean $\pm 1\sigma$) $[\mathrm{km\ s^{-1}\ Mpc^{-1}}]$
BOSS + Pantheon	$65.1^{+3.0}_{-5.4}$
BOSS + Uncalibrated BAO	$65.6^{+3.4}_{-5.5}$
BOSS + Pantheon + Planck Lensing	$70.6^{+3.7}_{-5.1}$

95% of the baseline **BOSS + Pantheon** posterior is **below** the SH0ES best-fit, even without the **sound horizon**!



* $\{h, \omega_b, \omega_{cdm}, A_s, n_s, \sum m_\nu\}$ + 28 nuisance parameters are varied in the likelihood

Philcox+20, Baxter & Sherwin (2020)

Sound-Horizon Independence (I)

- Test on mock data:

  1. Matching BOSS DR12
  2. With suppressed **BAO wiggles**
  3. With 10x **less baryons**

- No significant change to H_0 constraints

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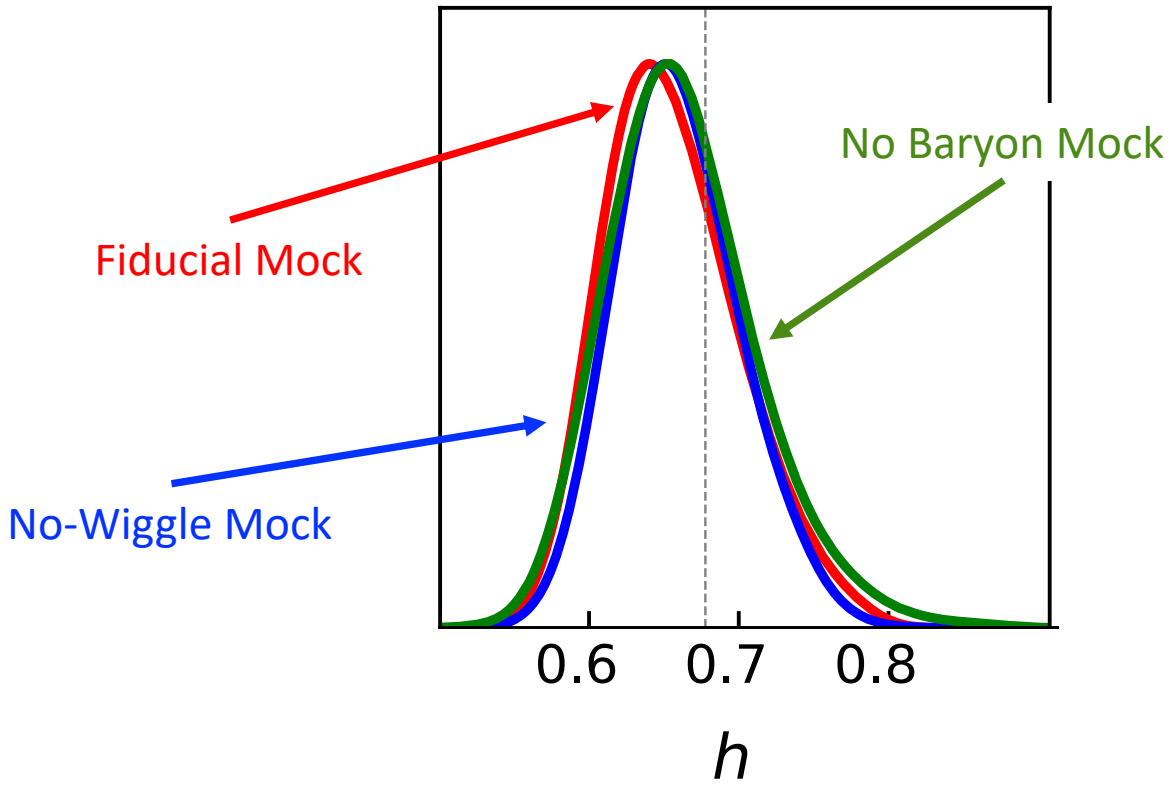

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Sound-Horizon Independence (II)

- Perform a **Fisher forecast** with an Eisenstein-Hu transfer function:

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  2. Marginalizing over r_d

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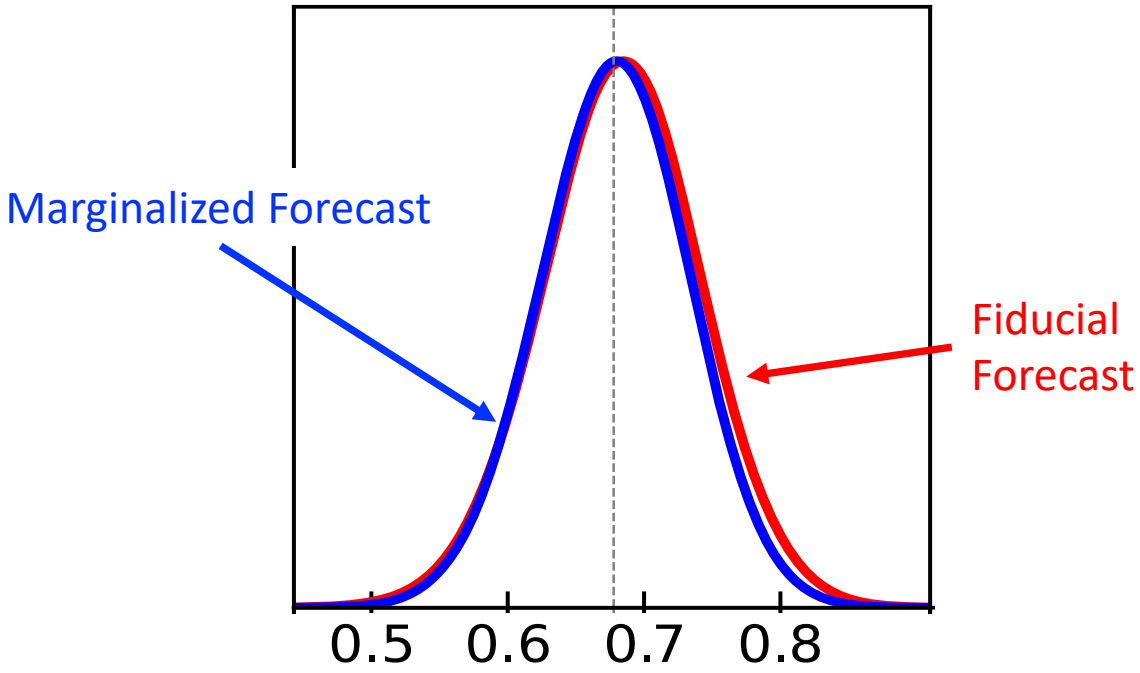

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Cosmological Implications

- **BAO Constraints:** Probe H_0 around $z \sim 1100$
- **Equality Constraints:** Probe H_0 around $z \sim 3600$

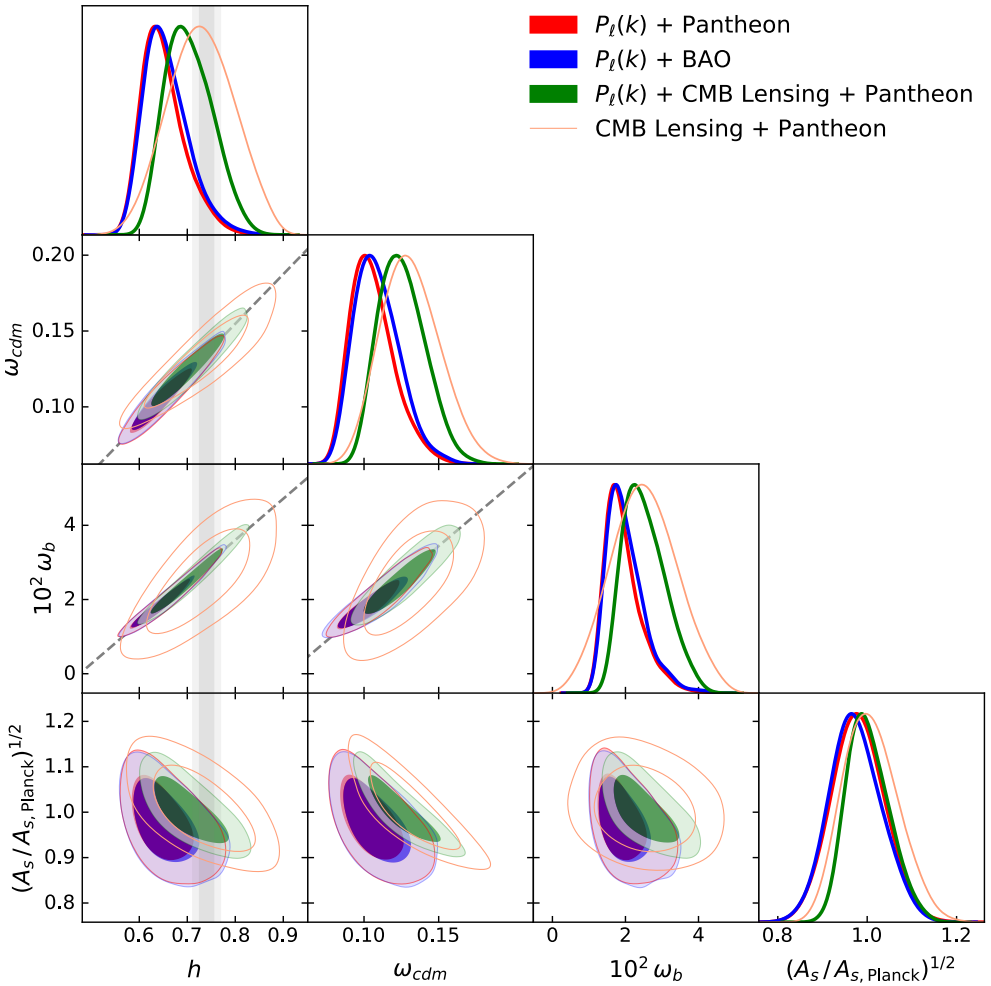
- Discrepancy of H_0 measurements could indicate **new physics** around recombination

- Consistency of H_0 measurements would make some **beyond-ΛCDM** solutions to the **Hubble tension** difficult

- A simple forecast for **Euclid** shows that

$$\sigma_{H_0} \sim 1.5 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

will soon be possible



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Conclusions

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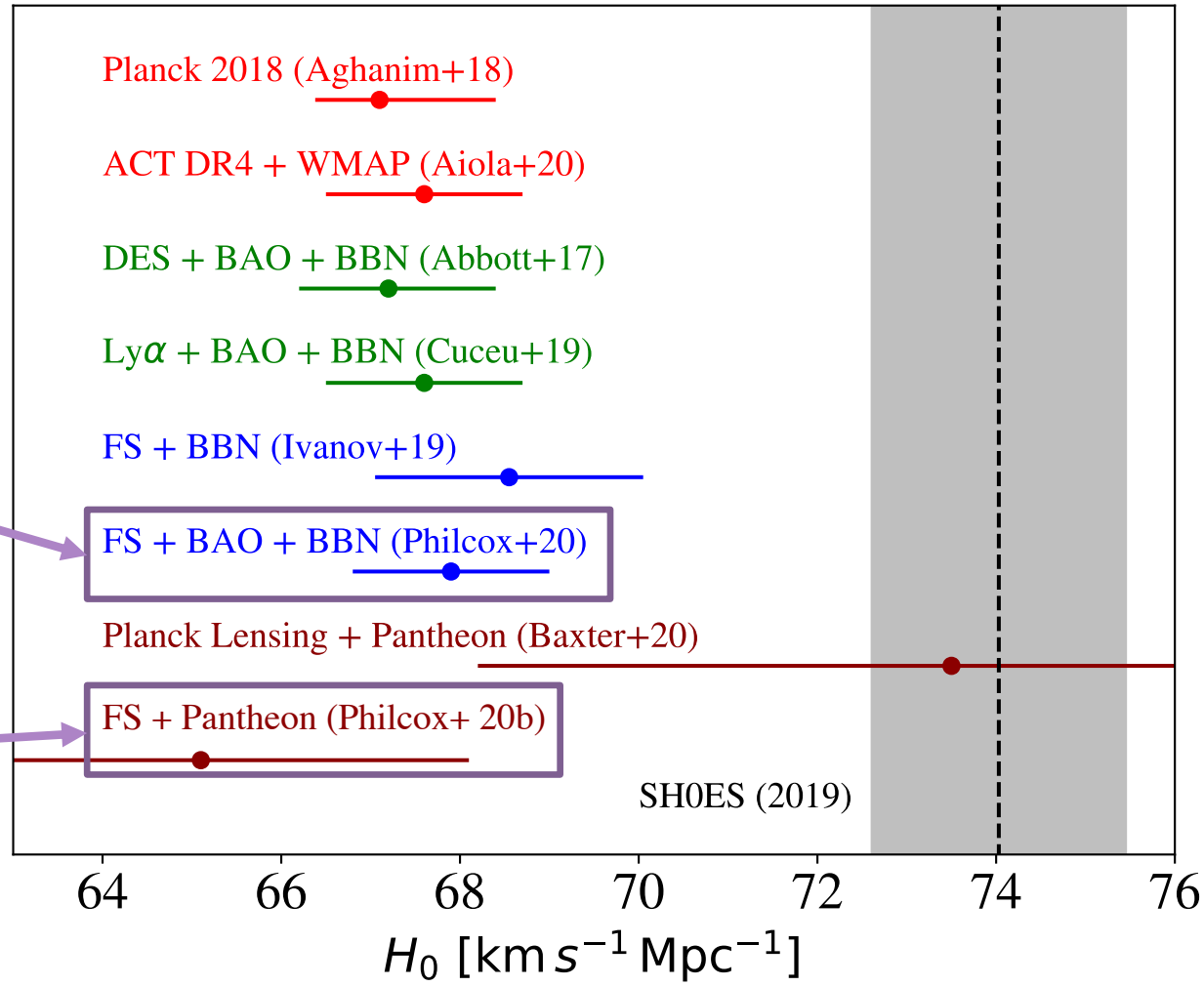

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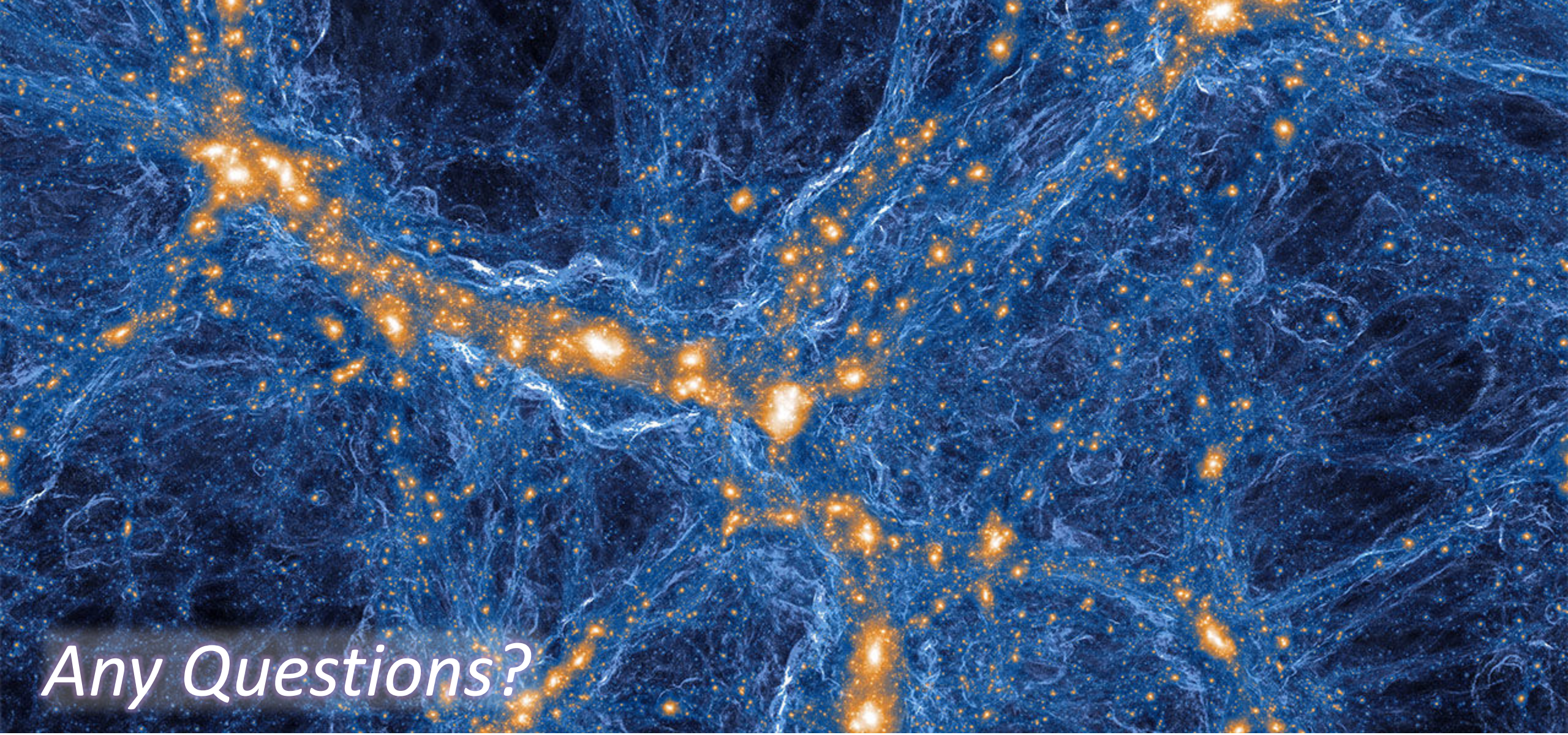

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