

Cosmological Constraints on Active and Sterile Neutrinos

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From Majorana to LHC: Workshop on the Origin of Neutrino Mass

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OUTLINE

THEORY: Effect of massive neutrinos and warm dark matter on the LSS/SSS

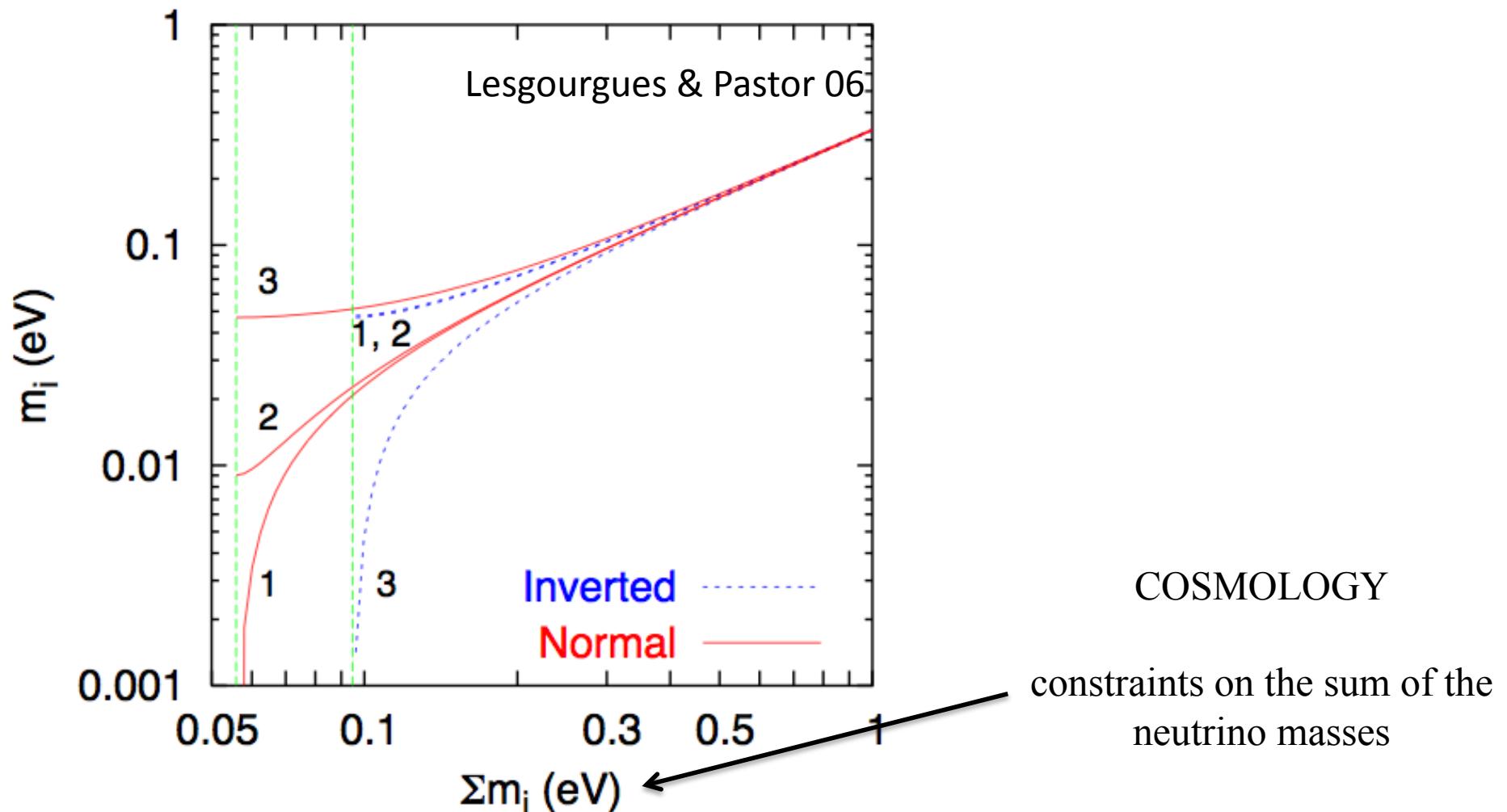
Matter Power Spectrum as traced by: galaxies
cluster number counts
weak lensing
intergalactic matter

TOOLS: Beyond linear theory with N-body/hydrodynamic simulations

DATA: State of the art observables at large and small scales

CONSTRAINTS: on neutrino masses and on coldness of cold dark matter

COSMOLOGICAL NEUTRINOS - I: WHAT TO START FROM



$$0.056 \text{ (} 0.095 \text{)} \text{ eV} \lesssim \sum_i m_i \lesssim 6 \text{ eV}$$

COSMOLOGICAL NEUTRINOS - II: FREE-STREAMING SCALE

Neutrino thermal
velocity

$$v_{\text{th}} \equiv \frac{\langle p \rangle}{m} \simeq \frac{3T_\nu}{m} = \frac{3T_\nu^0}{m} \left(\frac{a_0}{a} \right) \simeq 150(1+z) \left(\frac{1 \text{ eV}}{m} \right) \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

Neutrino free-streaming scale

$$k_{FS}(t) = \left(\frac{4\pi G \bar{\rho}(t) a^2(t)}{v_{\text{th}}^2(t)} \right)^{1/2}$$

Scale of non-relativistic transition

$$k_{\text{nr}} \simeq 0.018 \Omega_m^{1/2} \left(\frac{m}{1 \text{ eV}} \right)^{1/2} h \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

THREE
COSMIC
EPOCHS

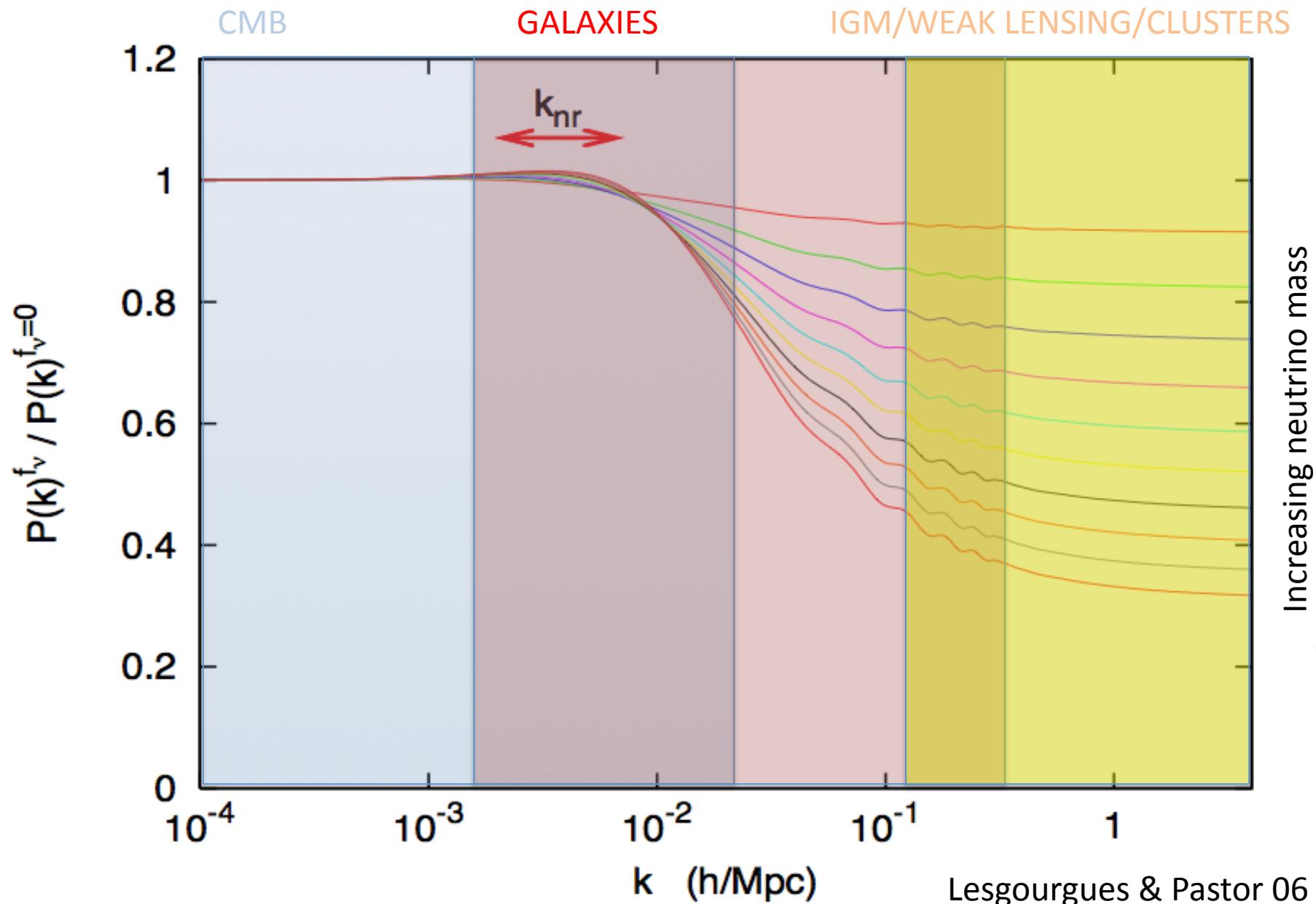
RADIATION ERA $z > 3400$

MATTER RADIATION $z < 3400$

NON-RELATIVISTIC TRANSITION $z \sim 500$

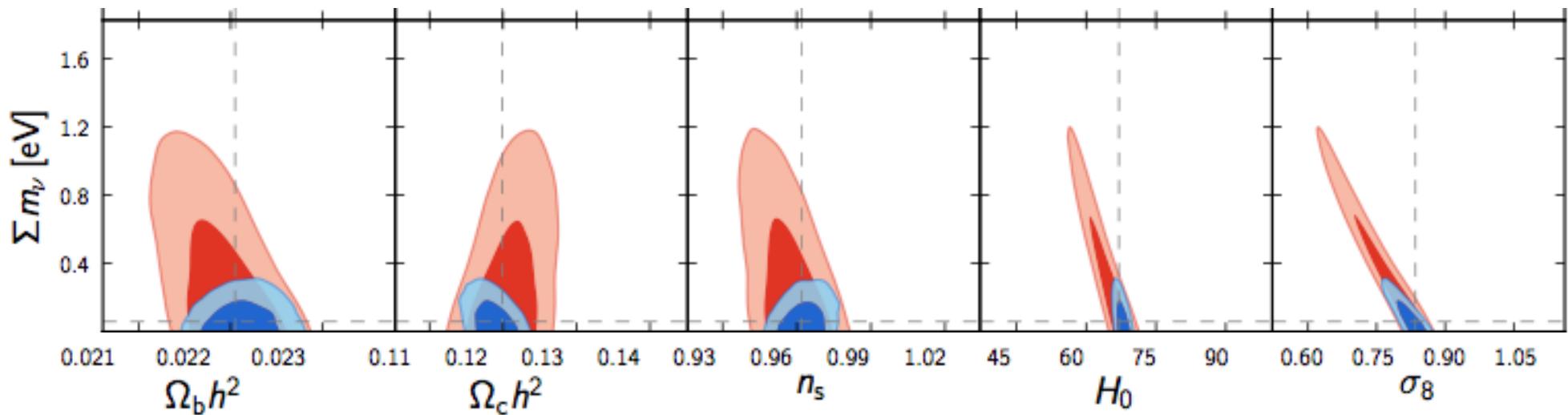
Below k_{nr} there is suppression in power at scales that are cosmologically important

COSMOLOGICAL NEUTRINOS - III: LINEAR MATTER POWER



CMB CONSTRAINTS on NEUTRINO MASS FROM PLANCK

Planck collaboration paper XVI



$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.247 \text{ eV}$ (2σ) from Planck + WMAP pol. + BAO

$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.93 \text{ eV}$ (2σ) from Planck + WMAP pol.

Main results:

Planck strongly improves constraints for neutrino masses

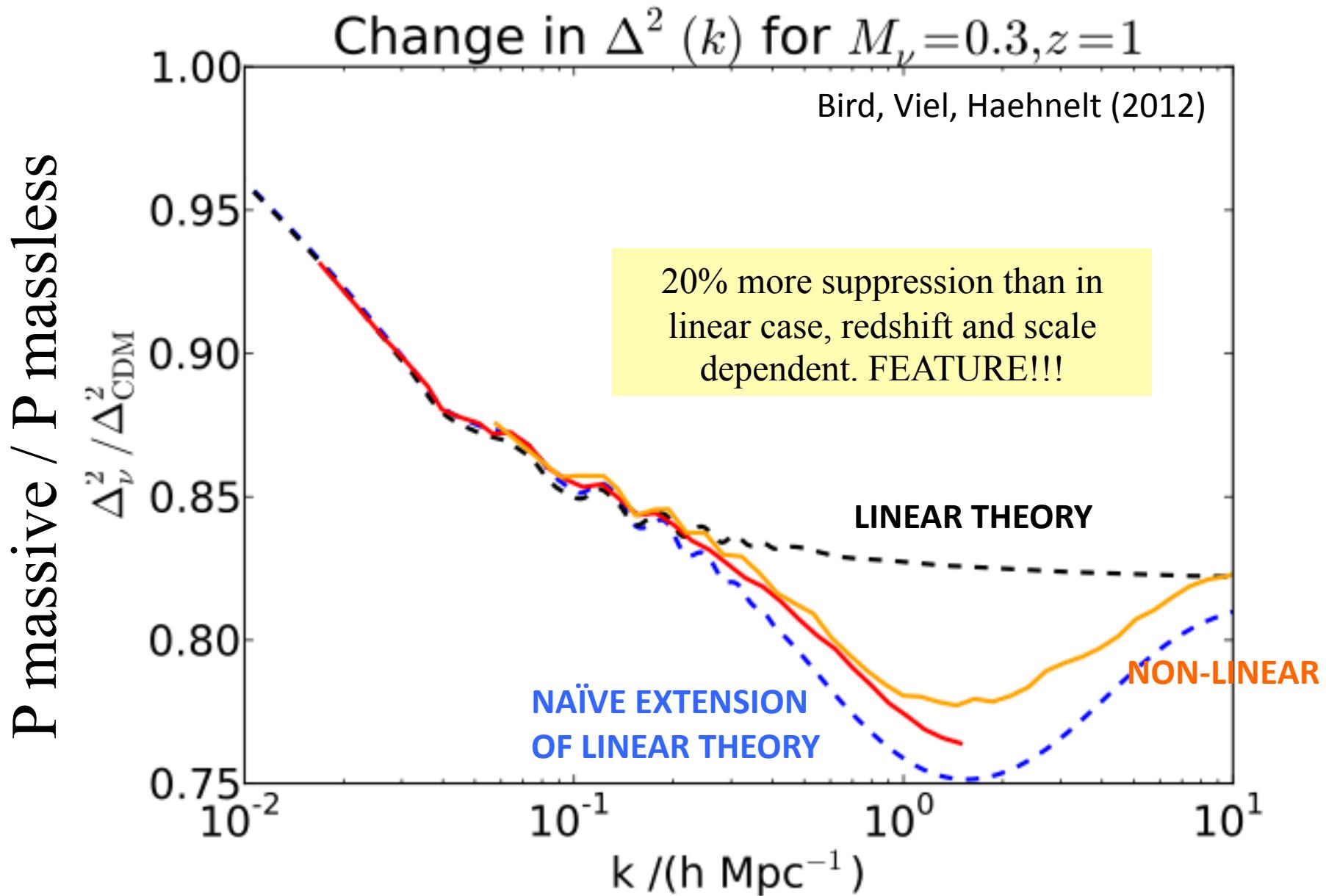
Planck TT spectrum prefers a lensing amplitude $A_L = 1.2$

Inclusion of lensing TTTT weakens the constraints by 20%

Best constraints when adding also highL experiments and it is 0.23 eV

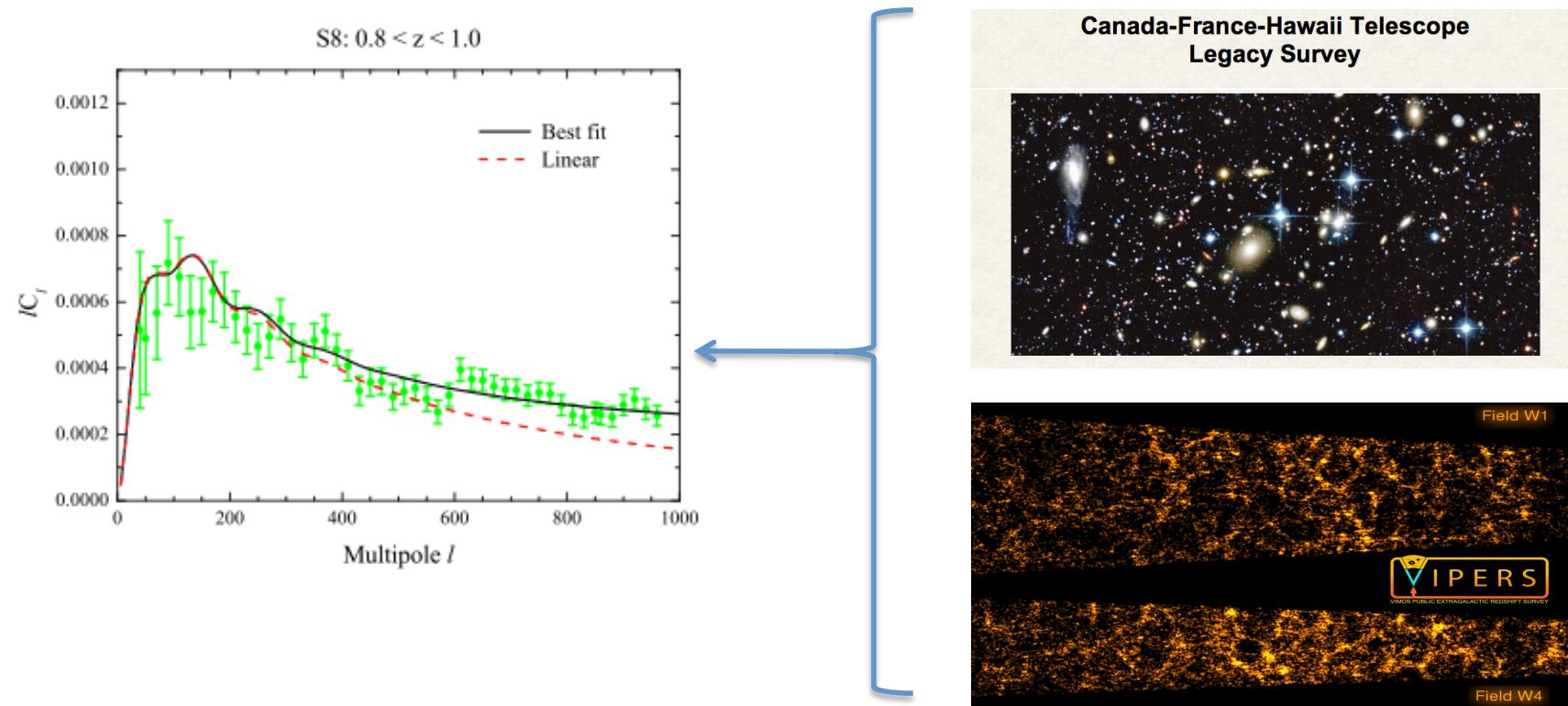
MASSIVE NEUTRINOS

COSMOLOGICAL NEUTRINOS : NON-LINEAR MATTER POWER



CONSTRAINTS on NEUTRINO MASSES USING NON-LINEARITIES

Xia, Granett, Viel, Bird, Guzzo+ 2012 JCAP, 06, 010

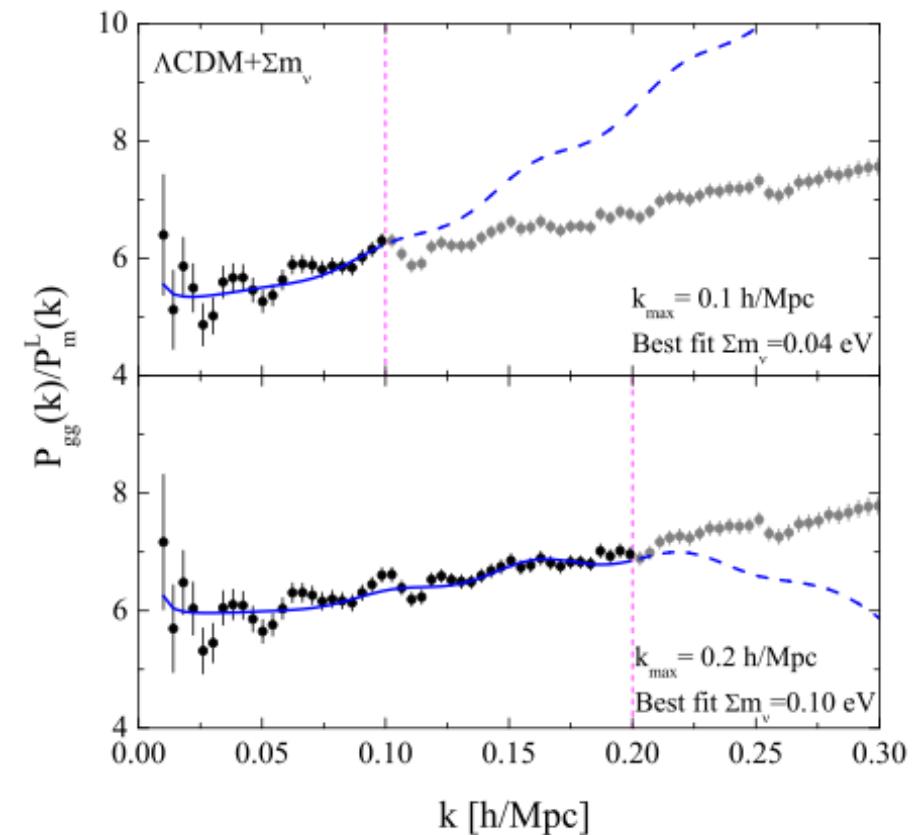
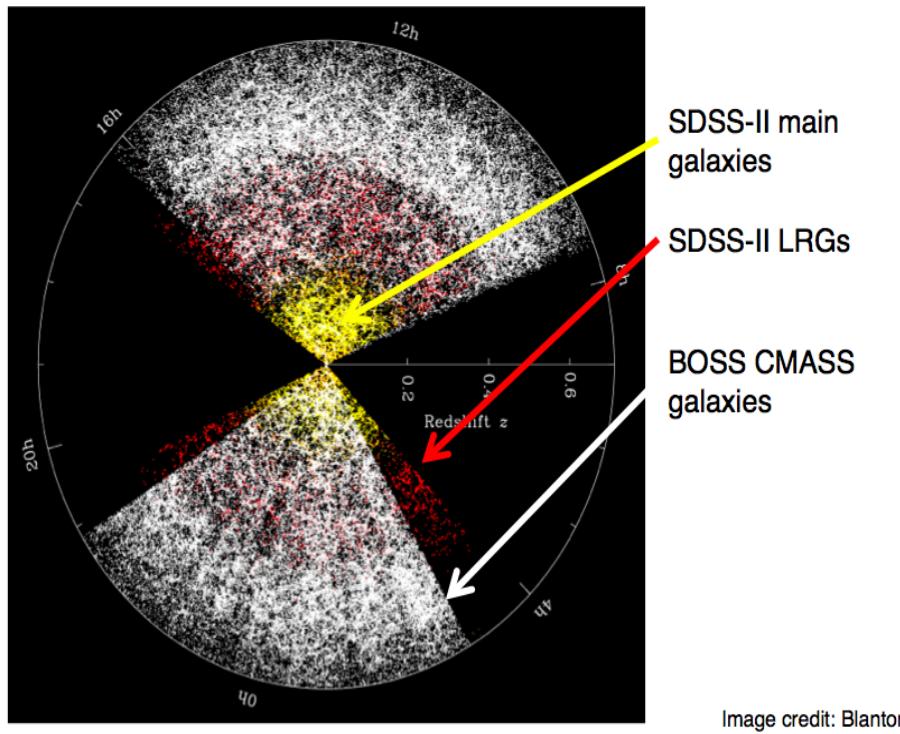


95% C.L. $\sum m_\nu$ [eV]	Without HST Prior		With HST Prior	
	$\ell_{\text{max}} = 630$	$\ell_{\text{max}} = 960$	$\ell_{\text{max}} = 630$	$\ell_{\text{max}} = 960$
WMAP7		1.17		0.50
WMAP7 + CFHTLS	0.64	0.43	0.41	0.29
WMAP7 + SDSS + CFHTLS	0.47	0.35	0.35	0.28

If using just linear 0.43eV – Improvement is about 20% when extending to non-linear 9

CONSTRAINTS ON MASSIVE NEUTRINOS FROM LSS CLUSTERING - I

Zhao et al. 13 using SDSS galaxy clustering sample



$$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.340 \text{ eV } (2\sigma)$$

Note the tricky bits:

- model relation between galaxies and matter (bias, which model of bias)
- model the signal in redshift space
- model neutrino induced non-linearities

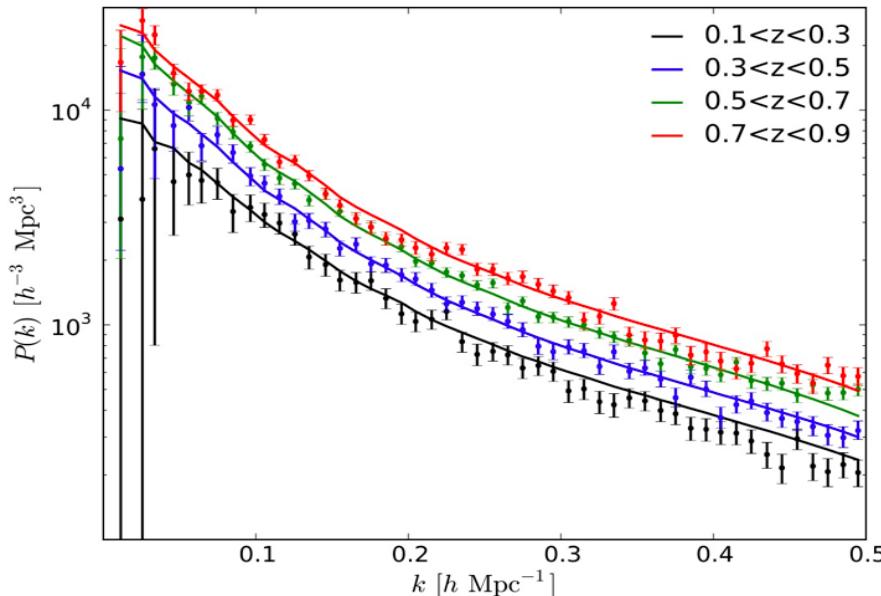
CONSTRAINTS ON MASSIVE NEUTRINOS FROM LSS CLUSTERING - II

Σm_ν [eV]	Reference	Galaxy data used
< 0.80 (0.81)	Saito et al. (2009)	3D power spectrum of SDSS-II LRG
< 0.51	Sanchez et al. (2012)	SDSS-III CMASS two-point correlation function combined with BAO of other surveys
< 0.26 (0.36)	de Putter et al. (2012)	SDSS-III DR8 LRG angular power spectrum (Aihara et al. 2011 ; Ho et al. 2012)
< 0.29 (0.41)	Xia et al. (2012)	Angular power spectrum of CFHTLS galaxy counts
< 0.48 (0.63)	Wang et al. (2012)	Weak lensing measurement of the CFHTLS-T0003 sample
< 0.32	Parkinson et al. (2012)	Angular power spectrum of WiggleZ galaxy counts
< 0.340 (0.821)	This work	SDSS-III CMASS 3D power spectrum combined with BAO of other surveys

VARIETY OF CONSTRAINTS FROM LSS GALAXY CLUSTERING

- In 10 years constraints greatly improved from 1.7 eV to 0.3 eV (conservative)
- Most aggressive constraints are below the 0.2 eV level
- Modelling bias is tricky (typically you marginalize over) and some systematics are uncertain
- If you complicate the minimal standard Λ CDM then constraints become much weaker (by a factor ~ 1.5)

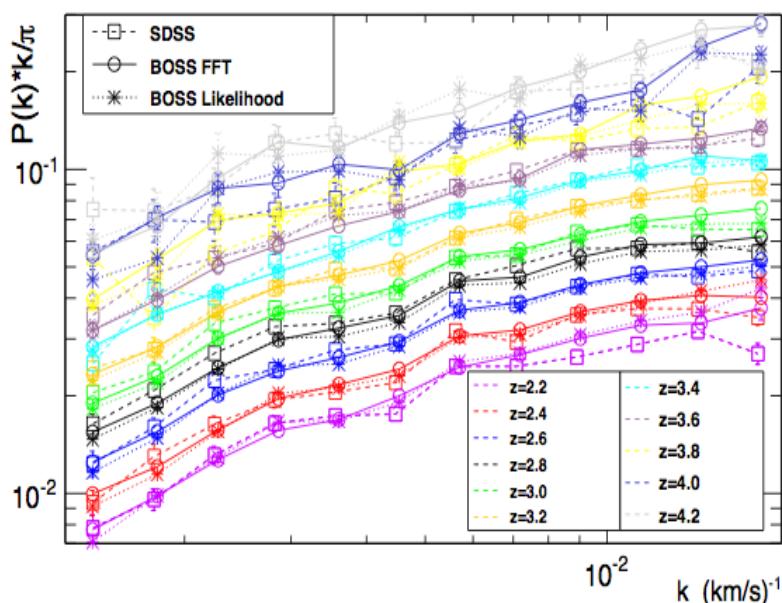
TIGHTEST LIMITS PUBLISHED SO FAR



WiggleZ survey + Planck + HST + BAO

$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.14 \text{ eV}$ (2σ C.L.)

Riemer-Sorensen et al. 13



Intergalactic Medium data + CMB

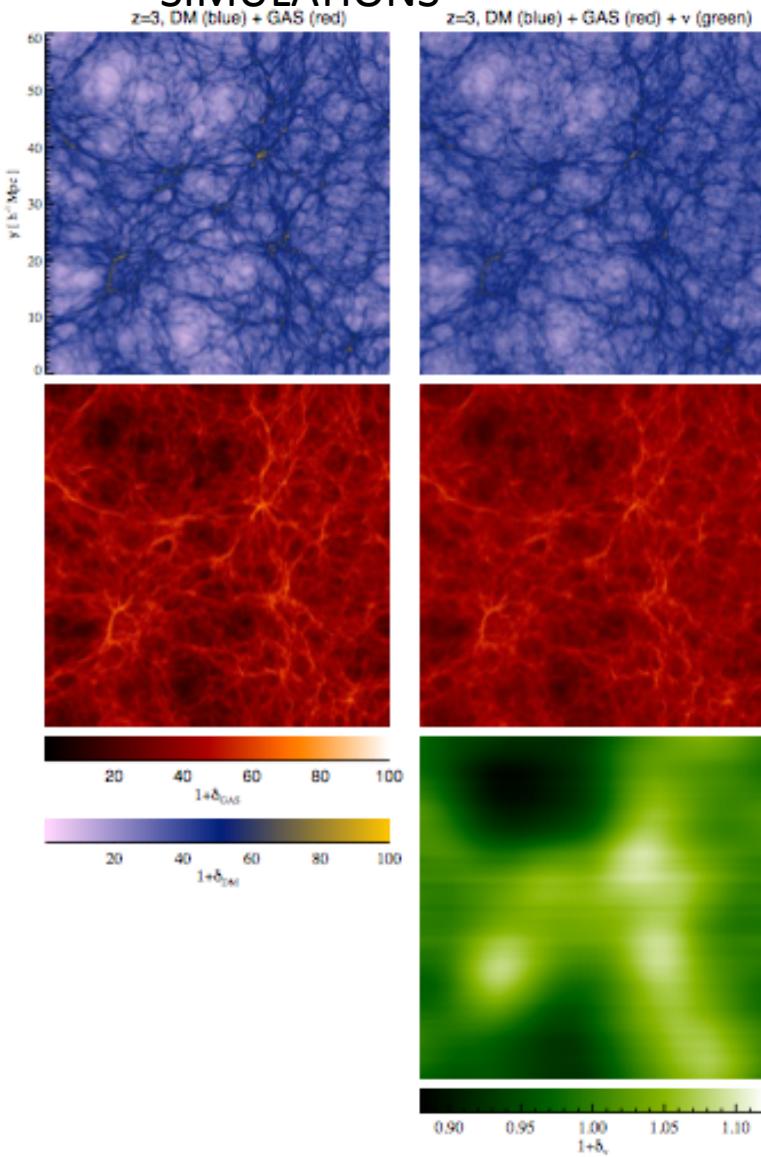
$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.17 \text{ eV}$ (2σ C.L.)

Seljak et al. 06

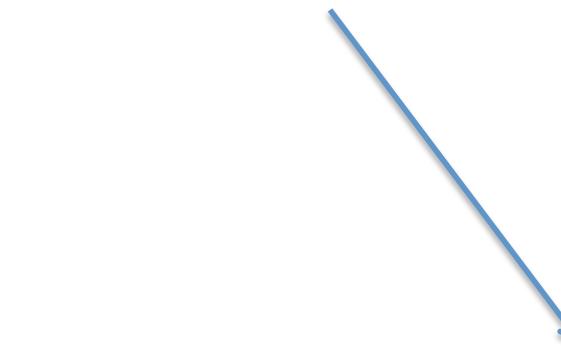
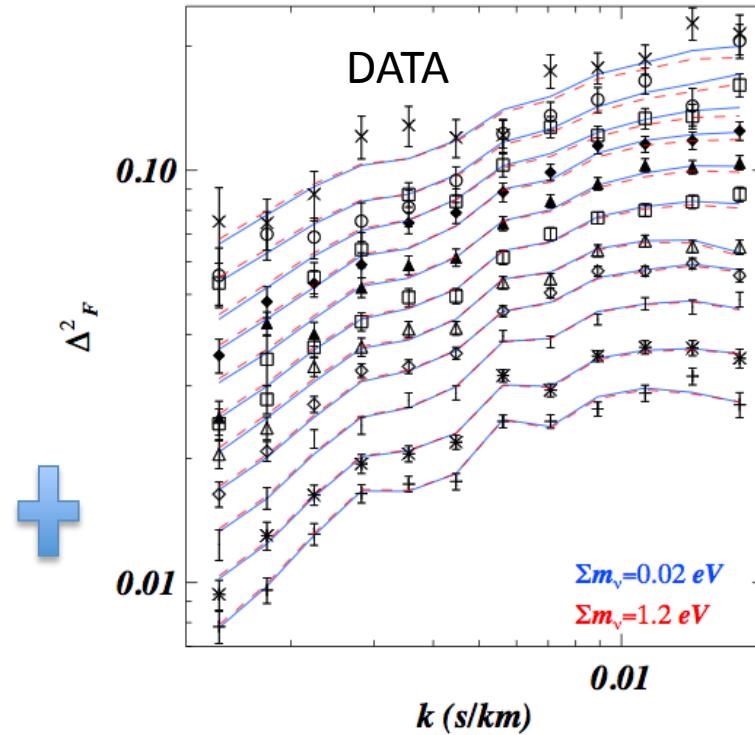
Viel, Haehnelt & Springel 2010
IGM alone $\Sigma m_\nu < 0.9 \text{ eV}$ (2σ C.L.)

NEUTRINOS IN THE IGM

SIMULATIONS

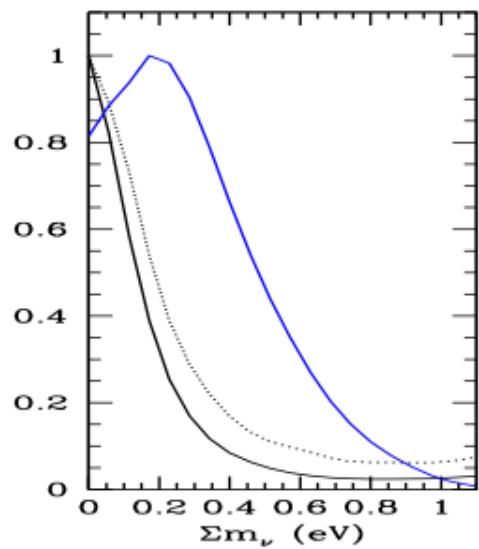


Viel, Haehnelt, Springel 2010



$$\Sigma m_\nu < 0.9 \text{ eV} (2\sigma)$$

CONSTRAINTS



THE BRIGHT FUTURE OF COSMOLOGICAL NEUTRINOS

FORECASTING-I

Carbone et al. 11

Euclid-like survey (comparison between different spectr. survey strategies)
Fisher Matrix approach
Clear detection of cosmological neutrinos if $M_\nu > 0.1$ eV
If masses are below then you need CMB priors

Carbone et al. 12

Euclid-like Cluster catalogue from number counts and power spectrum (photom.)
Fisher Matrix approach
 $\sigma(M_\nu) \sim 0.9$ eV (most conservative with varying w)
 $\sigma(M_\nu) \sim 0.08$ eV with Planck priors
 $\sigma(M_\nu) \sim 0.04$ eV with Planck priors and nuisance under control

Hamann et al. 13

Euclid-like photometric galaxy+cosmic shear
Monte Carlo Markov Chains
Minimum mass 0.06eV detected at the 1.5-2.5 σ level (marginalizing over galaxy bias)
Clustering + WL breaks degeneracies between neutrino mass, matter density and H0
Not sensitive to the exact spectrum of the masses

Basse et al. 13

Euclid-like galaxy power spectrum+cosmic shear+cluster number counts
 $\sigma(M_\nu) \sim 0.01$ eV (even when varying w!)

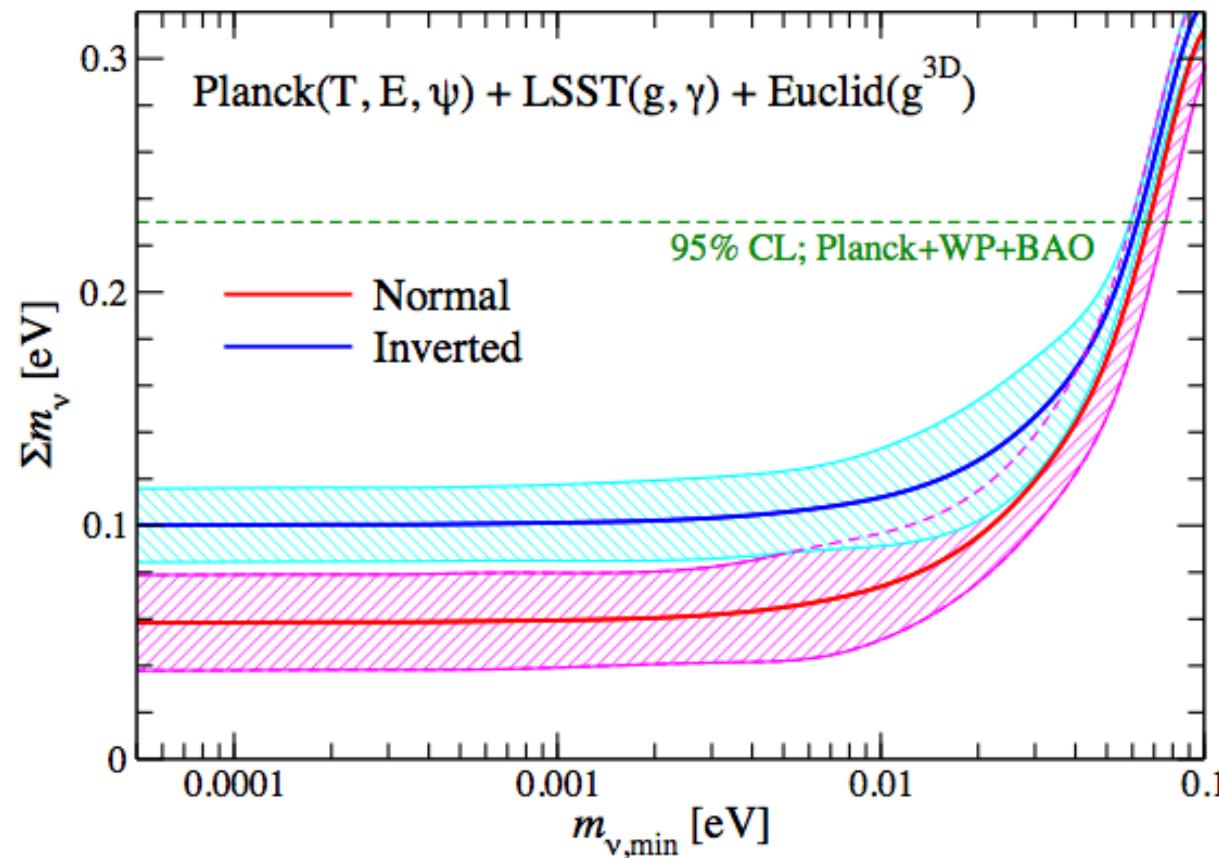
FORECASTING-II

Takeuchi & Kadota – today arXiv

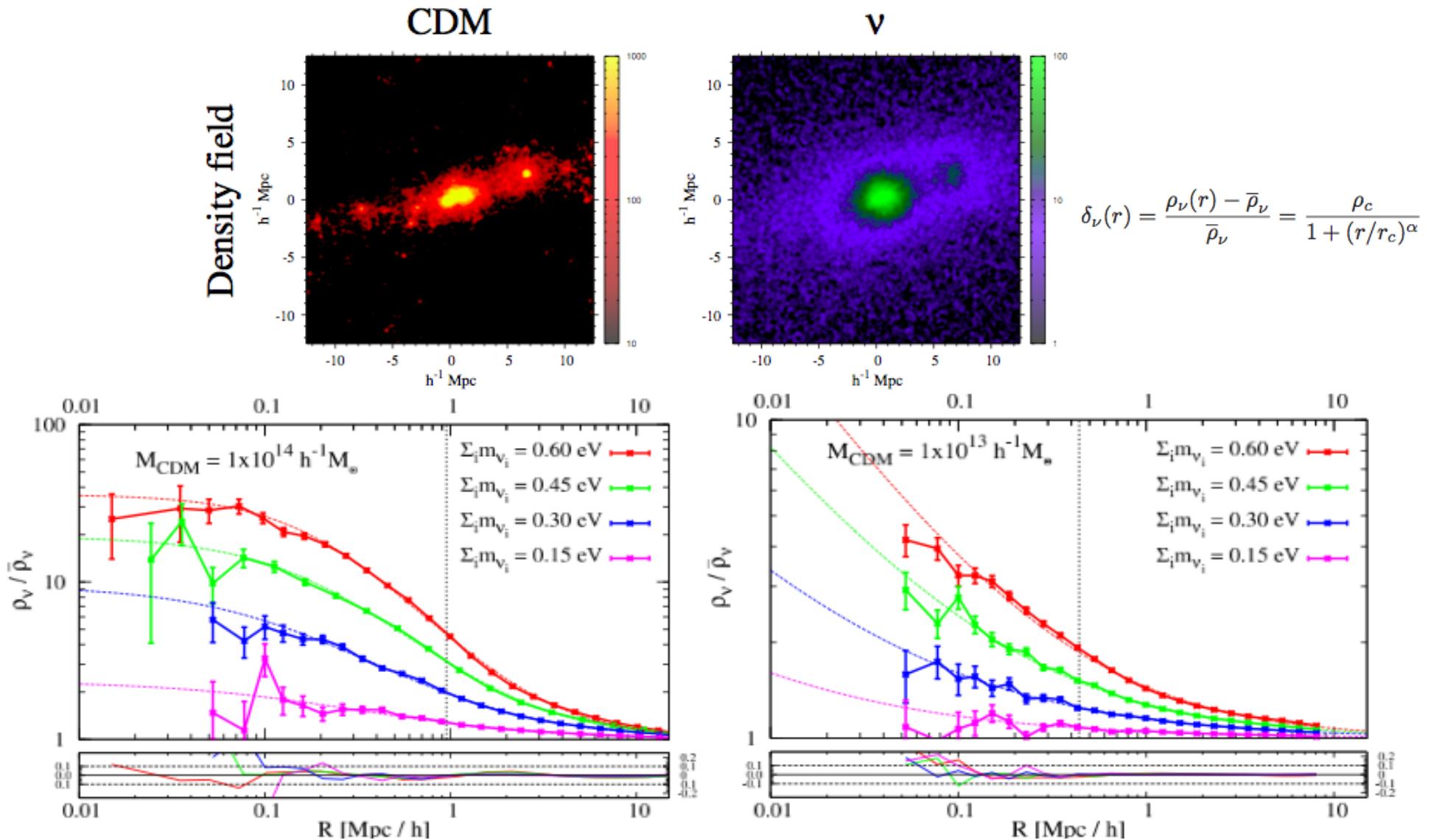
Euclid-like + LSST surveys + CMB + CMB lensing

Fisher Matrix approach

$$\sigma(M_\nu) \sim 0.02 \text{ eV}$$



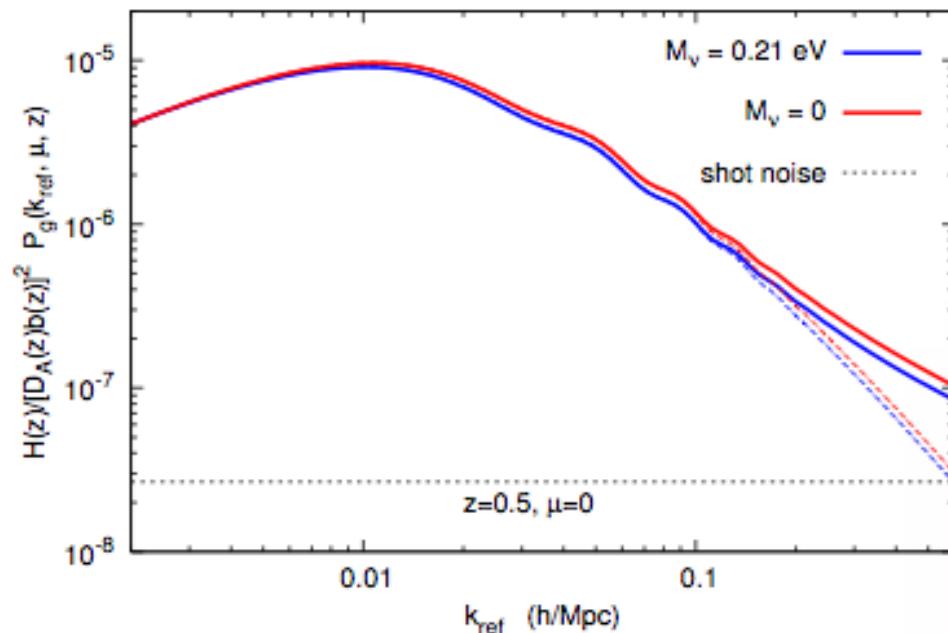
THE FUTURE: THE NEUTRINO HALO?



Villaescusa-Navarro, Bird, Garay, Viel, 2013, JCAP, 03, 019
 Marulli, Carbone, Viel+ 2011, MNRAS, 418, 346

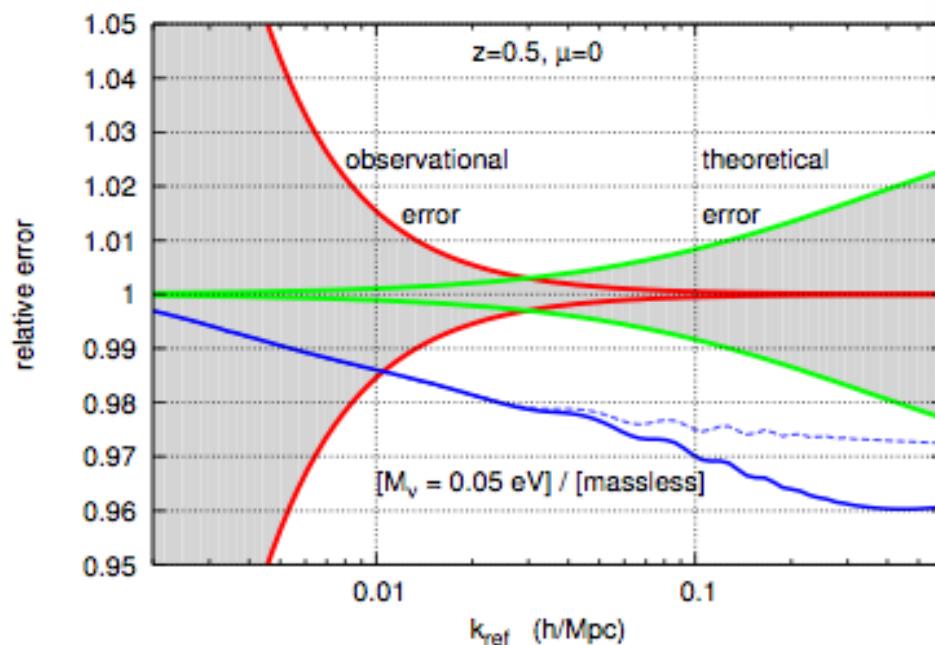
THE FUTURE: CLUSTERING FROM EUCLID GALAXIES and WEAK LENSING

Audren, Lesgourges, Bird, Haehnelt, Viel 13



Non-linearities

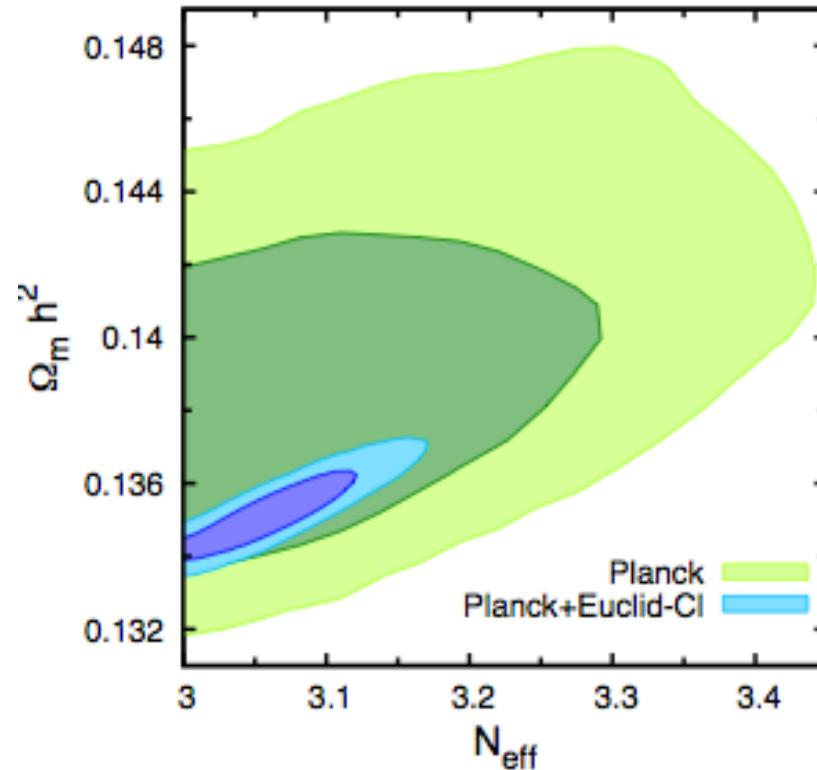
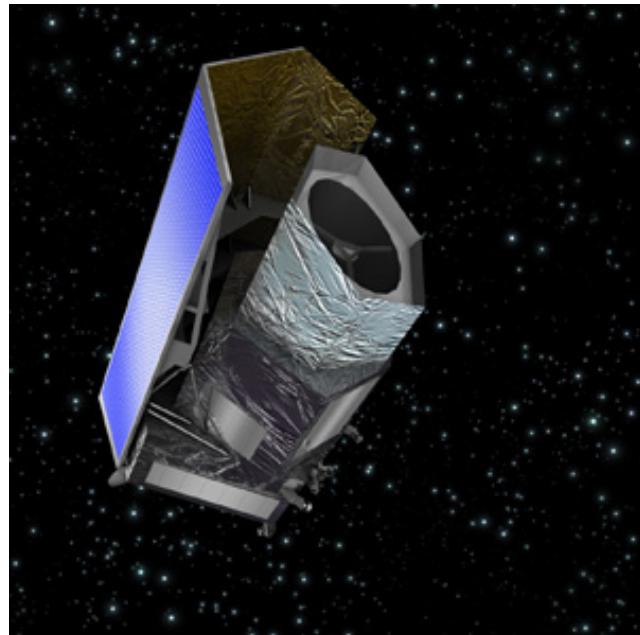
- $\sigma(M_\nu) = 18 \text{ meV} \rightarrow 5 \text{ meV}$ when going from 0.1 to 0.6 h/Mpc
- with conservative errors the improvement is modest
- with realistic error could be 20%



Need to be modelled accurately

THE FUTURE: CLUSTERING and NUMBER COUNTS FROM EUCLID CLUSTERS

Costanzi, Sartoris, Xia, Biviano, Borgani, Viel 13



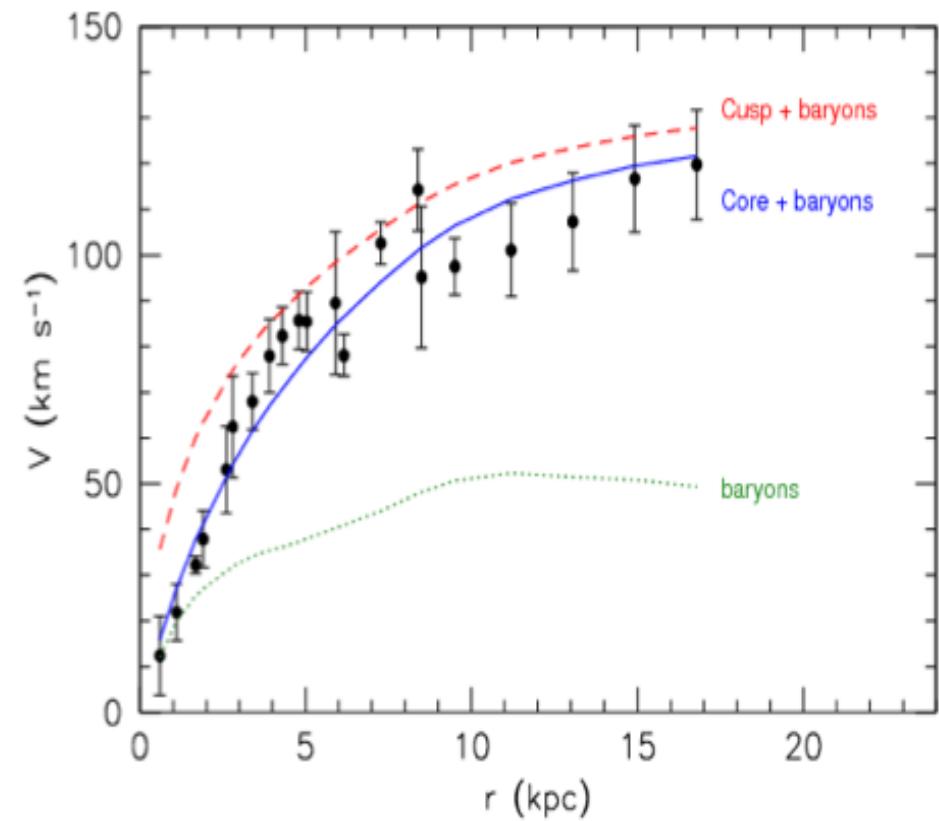
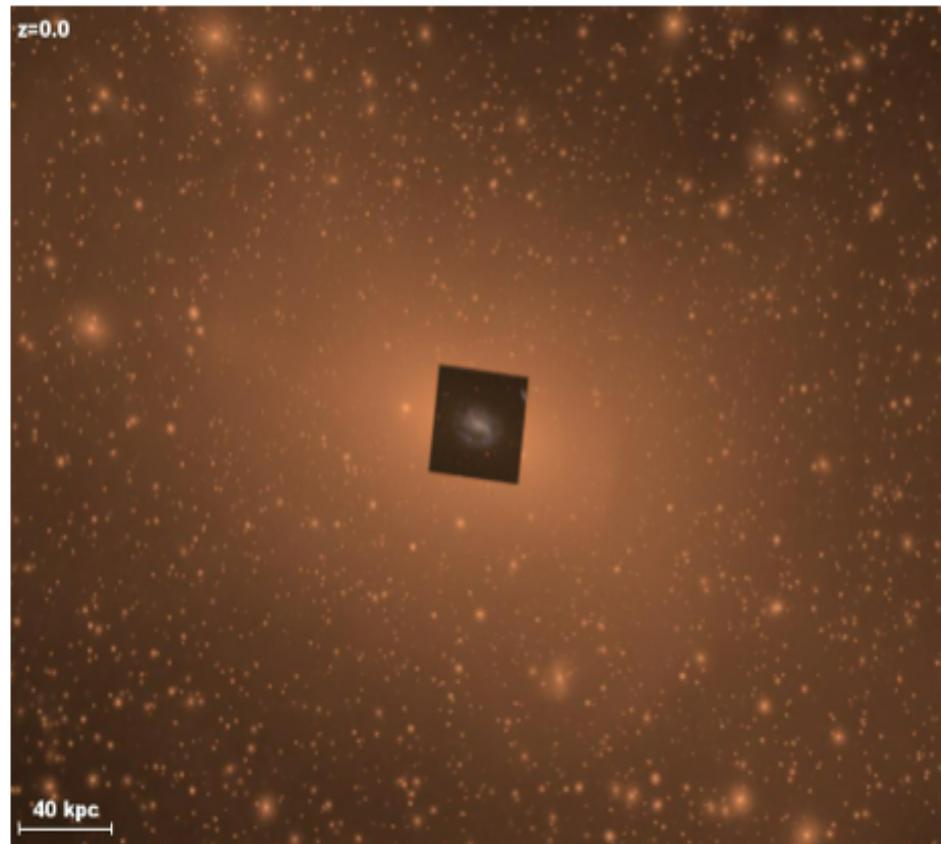
Model	Λ CDM + m_ν				
Data	Planck	P^{cl} -only	Euclid-Cl	Euclid-Cl+Planck	
$\sum m_\nu$ [eV]	68% CL	< 0.41	< 0.60	< 0.17	< 0.017
	95% CL	< 0.74	< 1.37	< 0.35	< 0.031

A photograph of a forest with many tall, thin trees, likely conifers, standing in a dense cluster. Sunlight filters down from the top of the image through the branches, creating bright rays and a warm glow. The forest floor is covered with green moss and some fallen leaves.

THE COLDNESS OF COLD DARK MATTER

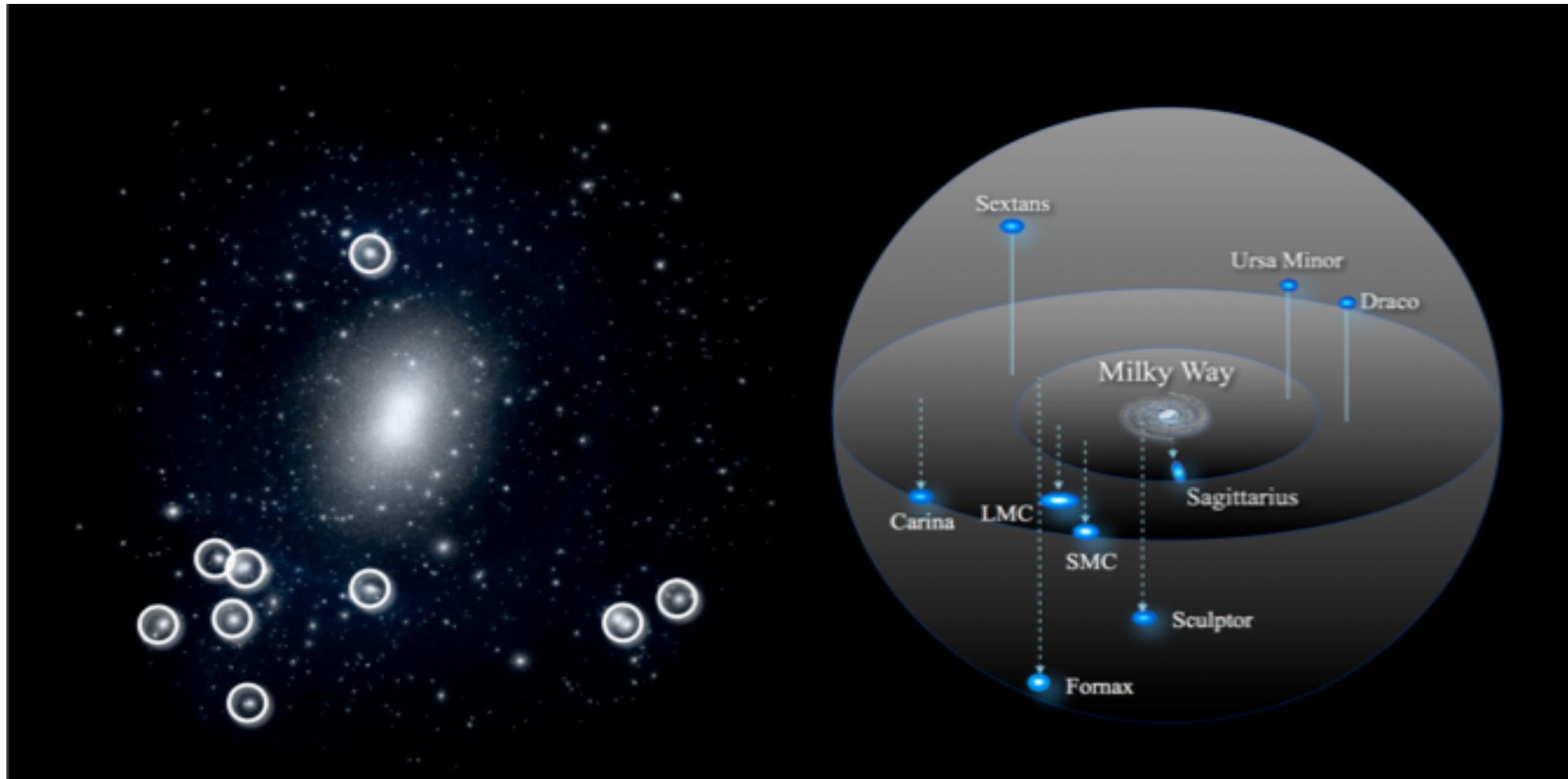
Viel, Becker, Bolton, Haehnelt, 2013, PRD, 88, 043502

THE SMALL-SCALE CRISIS OF Λ CDM: CUSP/CORE



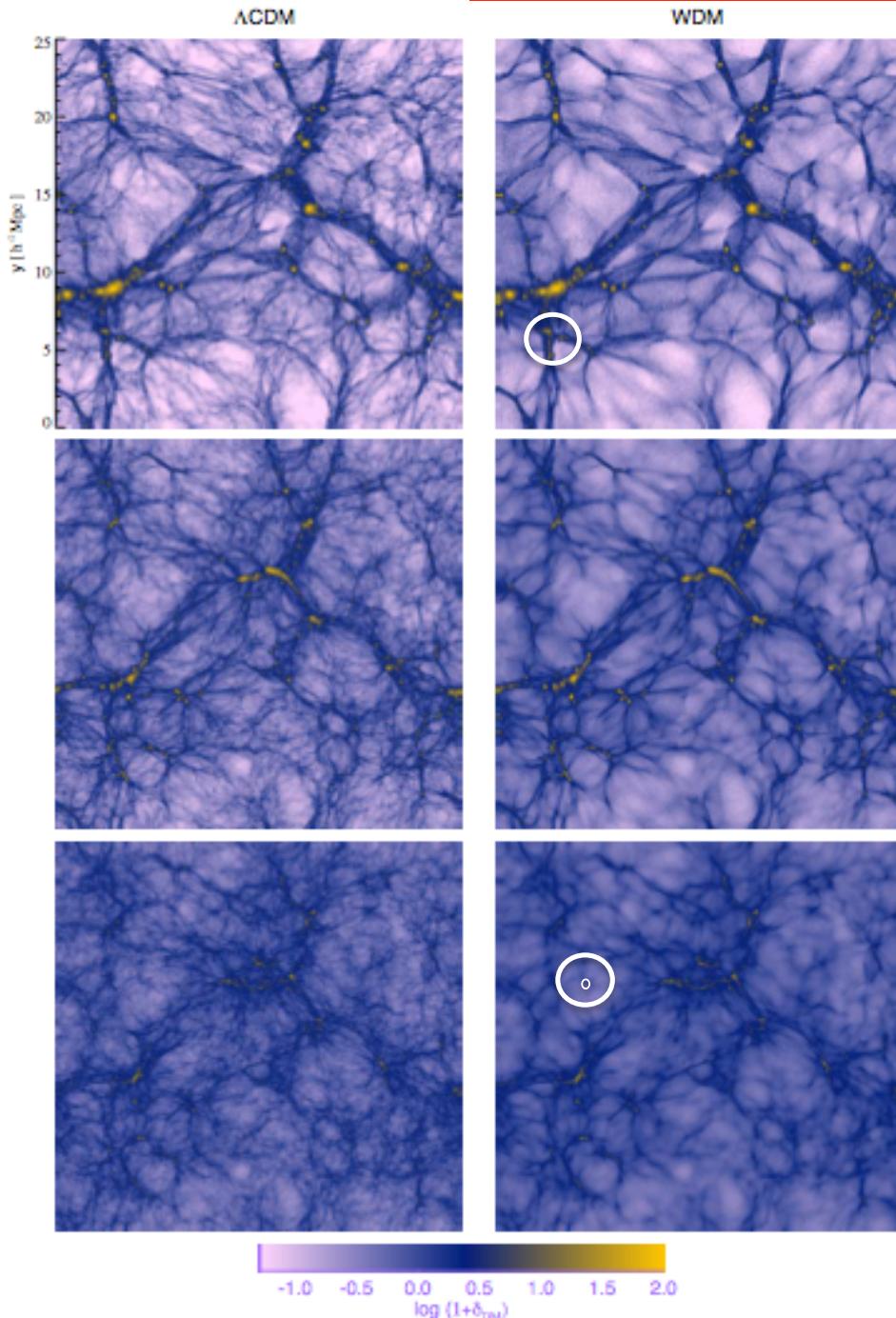
See recent Weinberg et al. [arXiv:1306.0913](https://arxiv.org/abs/1306.0913)

THE SMALL-SCALE CRISIS OF Λ CDM: TOO BIG TO FAIL



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THE COSMIC WEB in WDM/LCDM scenarios



$$z=0 \quad \frac{T_x}{T_\nu} = \left(\frac{10.75}{g_*(T_D)} \right)^{1/3} < 1$$

$$k_{\text{FS}} = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda_{\text{FS}}} \sim 5 \text{ Mpc}^{-1} \left(\frac{m_x}{1 \text{ keV}} \right) \left(\frac{T_\nu}{T_x} \right)$$

$$\omega_x = \Omega_x h^2 = \beta \left(\frac{m_x}{94 \text{ eV}} \right)$$

$$\beta = (T_x/T_\nu)^3$$

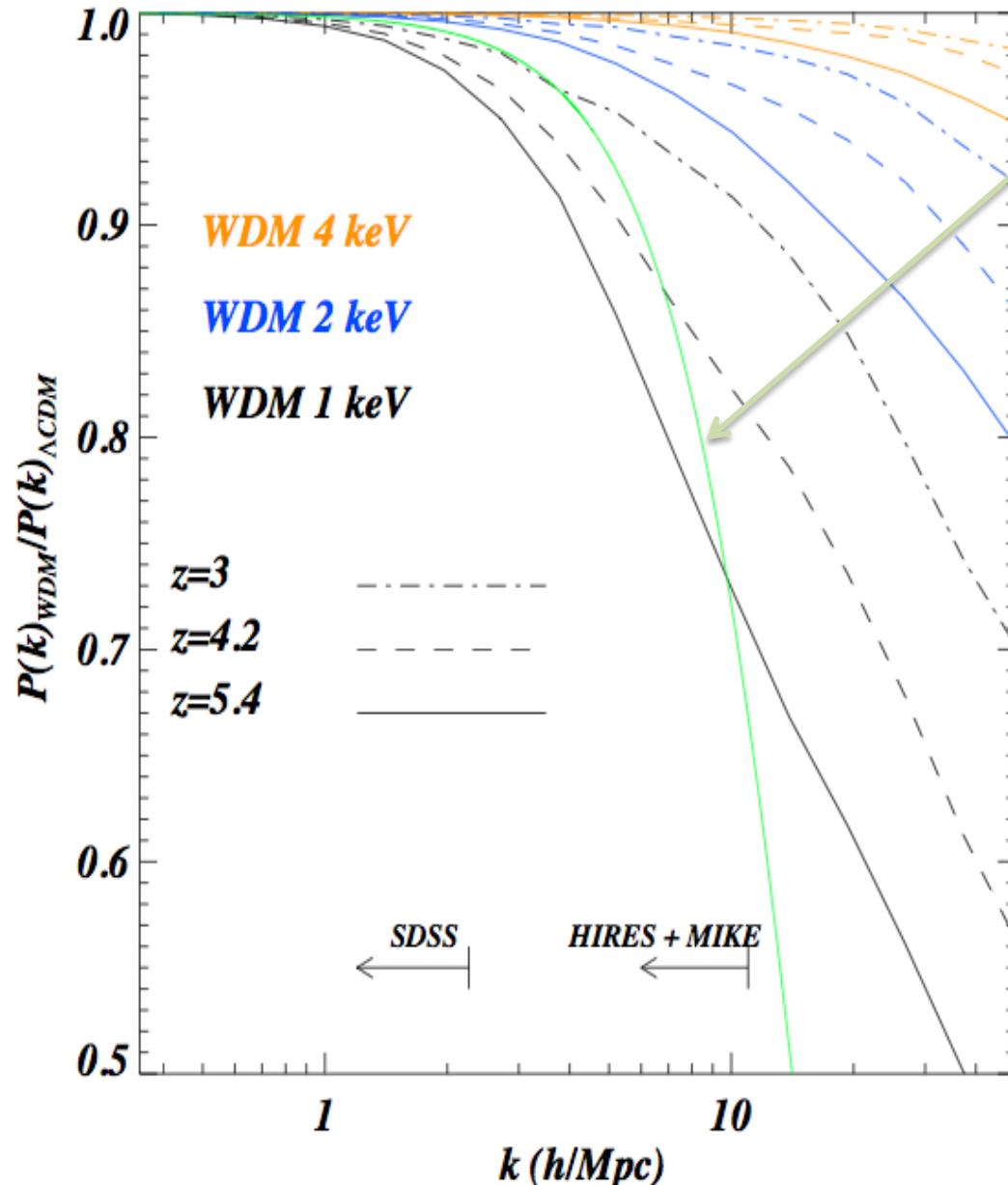
$z=2$

$$k_{\text{FS}} \sim 15.6 \frac{h}{\text{Mpc}} \left(\frac{m_{\text{WDM}}}{1 \text{ keV}} \right)^{4/3} \left(\frac{0.12}{\Omega_{\text{DM}} h^2} \right)^{1/3}$$

$z=5$

Viel, Markovic, Baldi & Weller 2013

THE WARM DARK MATTER CUTOFF IN THE MATTER DISTRIBUTION



Linear cutoff for WDM 2 keV

Linear cutoff is redshift independent

Fit to the non-linear cut-off

$$T_{\text{nl}}^2(k) \equiv P_{\text{WDM}}(k)/P_{\Lambda\text{CDM}}(k) = (1 + (\alpha k)^{\nu l})^{-s/\nu},$$
$$\alpha(m_{\text{WDM}}, z) = 0.0476 \left(\frac{1\text{keV}}{m_{\text{WDM}}}\right)^{1.85} \left(\frac{1+z}{2}\right)^{1.3},$$
$$\nu = 3, l = 0.6 \text{ and } s = 0.4.$$

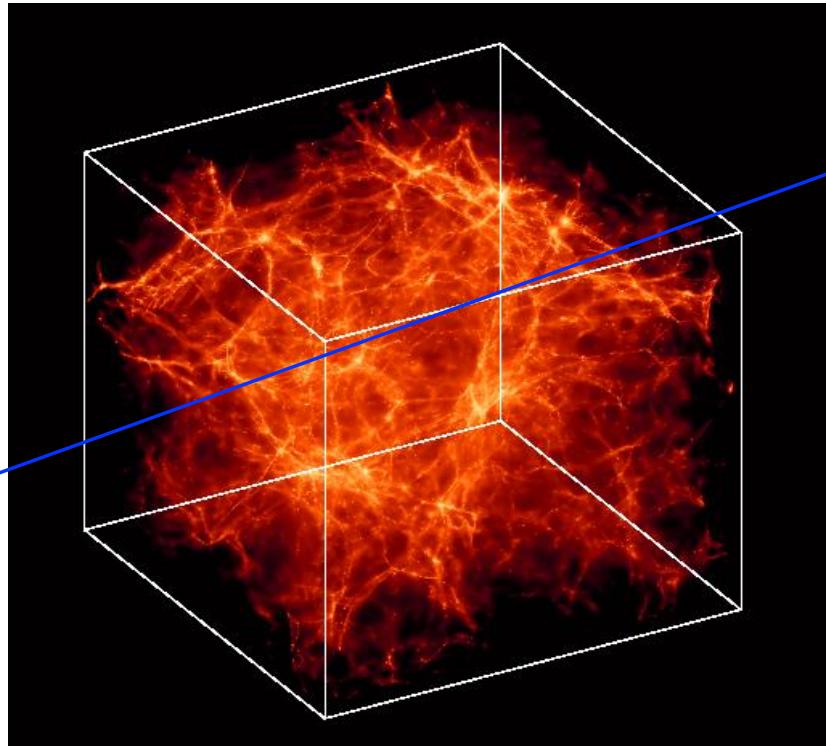
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IMPLICATIONS FOR STRUCTURE FORMATION

- Strong and weak lensing Markovic et al. 13/Faadely & Keeton 12
 - Galaxy formation Menci et al 13, Kang et al. 13
 - Reionization/First Stars Gao & Theuns 07
 - Dark Matter Haloes (mass functions) Pacucci et al. 13
 - Luminous matter properties Polisensky & Ricotti 11, Lovell et al. 09
 - Gamma-Ray Bursts De Souza et al. 13
 - HI in the local Universe Zavala et al. 09
 - Phase space density constraints Shi et al. 13
 - Radiative decays in the high-z universe Boyarsky et al. 13

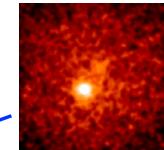
+ Lyman - α

The Intergalactic Medium: Theory vs. Observations



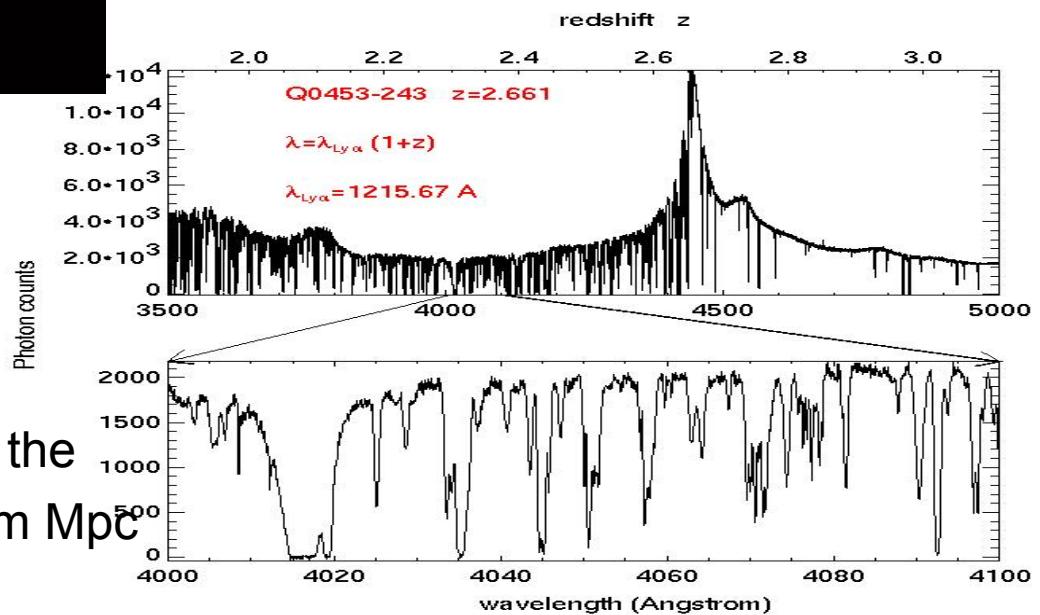
baryons as tracer of the dark matter density field

$$\delta_{\text{IGM}} \sim \delta_{\text{DM}} \quad \text{at scales larger than the Jeans length} \sim 1 \text{ com Mpc}$$
$$\tau \sim (\delta_{\text{IGM}})^{1.6} T^{-0.7}$$



80 % of the baryons at $z=3$
are in the **Lyman- α forest**

Bi & Davidsen (1997), Rauch (1998)



WHY LYMAN- α ???

1) ONE DIMENSIONAL

$$\langle \tilde{F}_k^2 \rangle = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int dk_x \int dk_y P(k_x, k_y, k) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_k^\infty P(y) y dy$$

e.g. Kaiser & Peacock 91

2) HIGH REDSHIFT

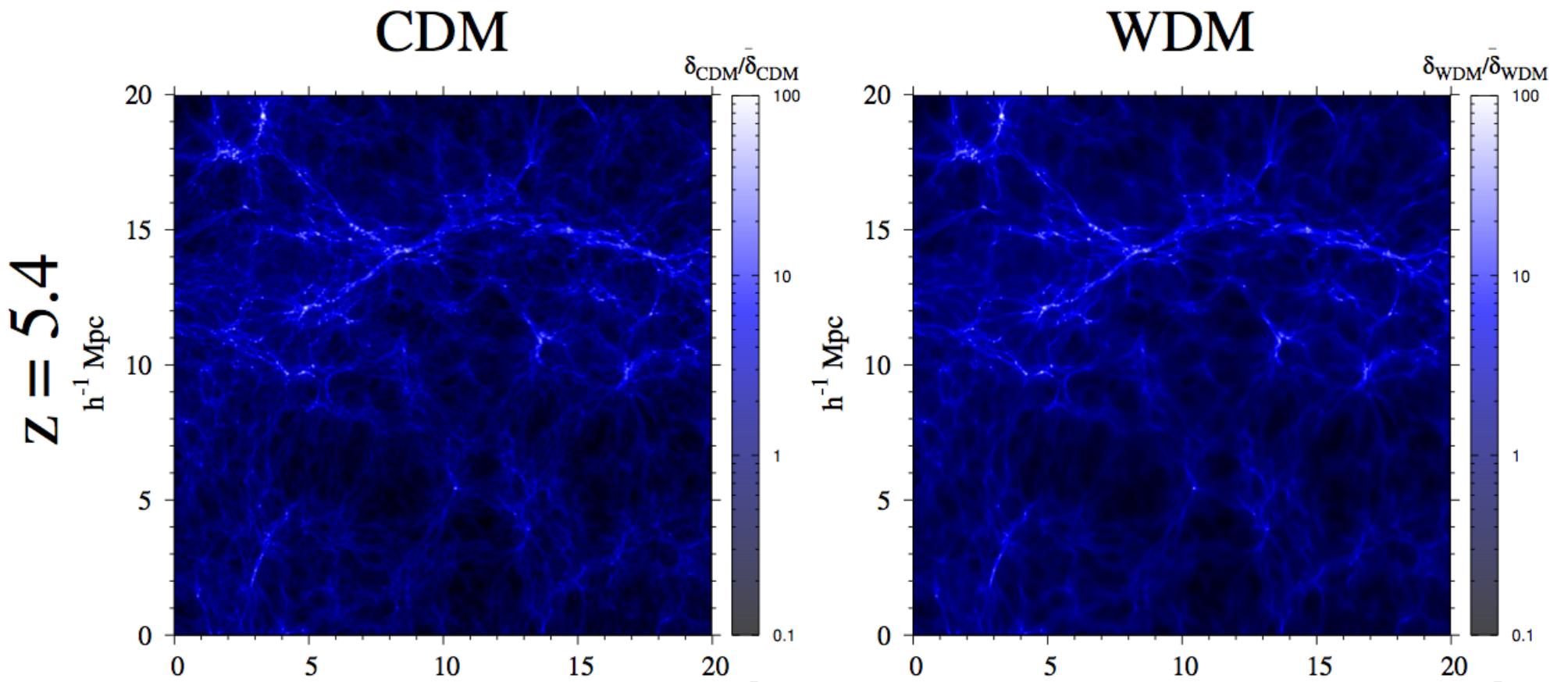
Where linear WDM cut-off is more prominent

...unfortunately non-linearities and thermal state of the IGM are quite important....

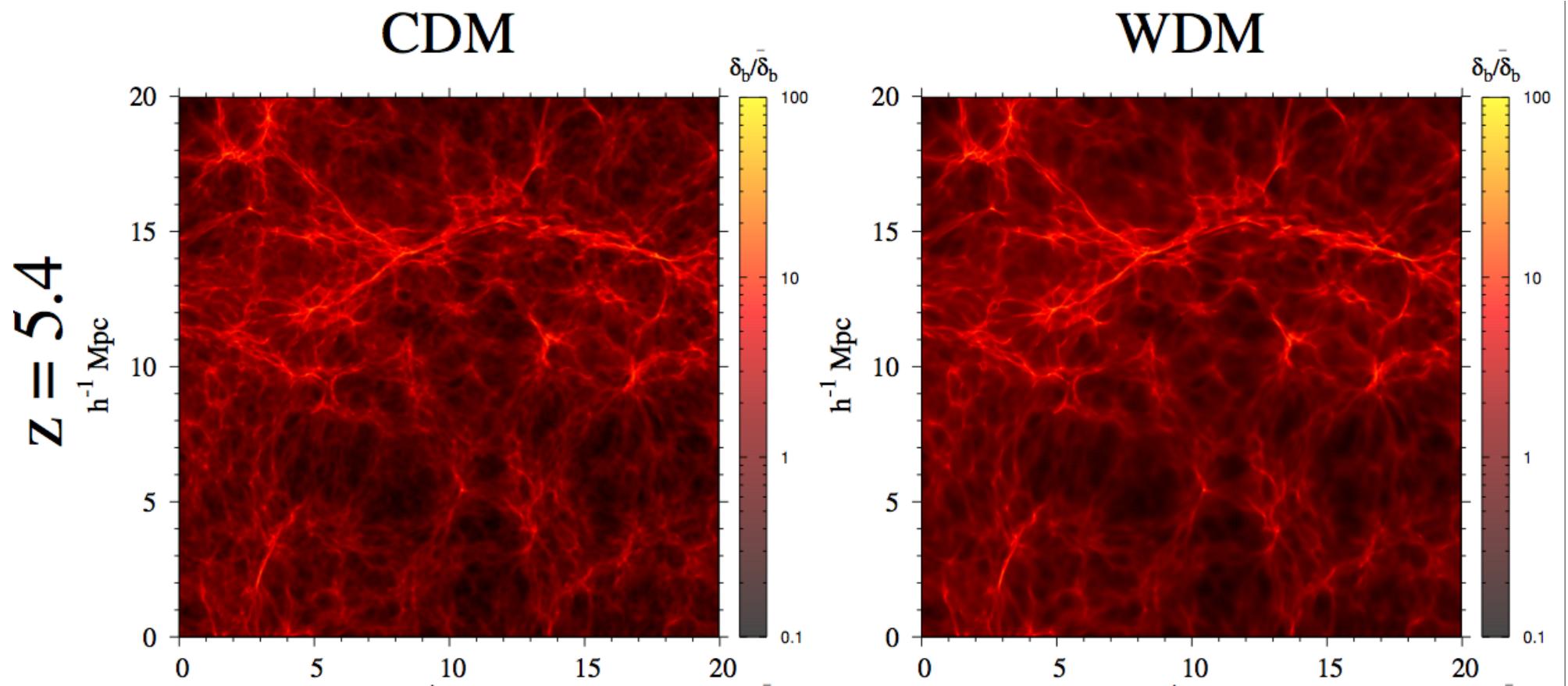
HISTORY OF WDM LYMAN- α BOUNDS

Narayanan et al.00	: $m > 0.75 \text{ keV}$	Nbody sims + 8 Keck spectra Marginalization over nuisance not done
Viel et al. 05	: $m > 0.55 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$	Hydro sims + 30 UVES/VLT spectra Effective bias method of Croft et al.02
Seljak et al. 06	: $m > 2.5 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$	Hydro Particle Mesh method + SDSS grid of simulation for likelihood
Viel et al. 06	: $m > 2 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$	Fully hydro+SDSS Not full grid of sims. but Taylor expans.
Viel et al. 08	: $m > 4.5 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$	SDSS+HIRES (55 QSOs spectra) Full hydro sims (Taylor expansion of the flux)
Boyarsky et al. 09	: $m > 2.2 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$	SDSS (frequentist+bayesian analysis) emphasis on mixed ColdWarmDM models

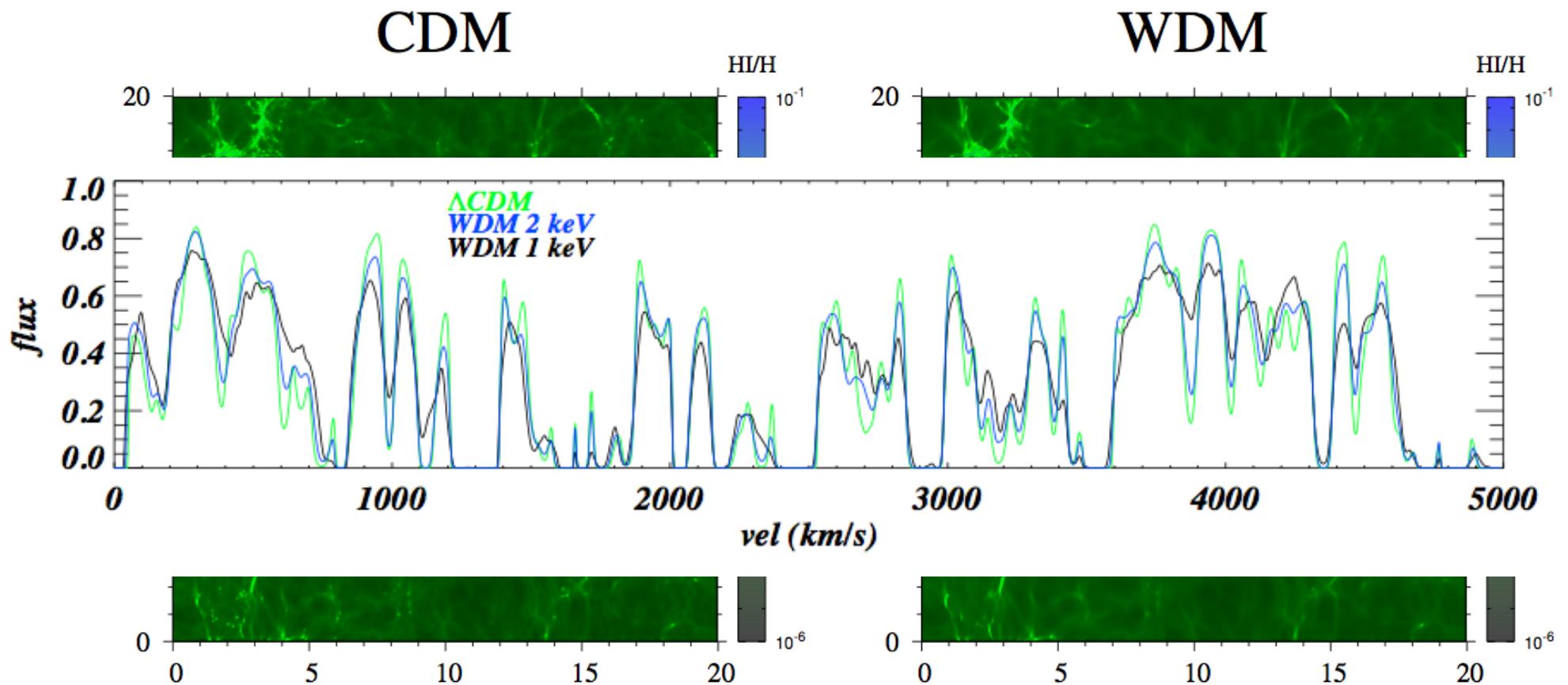
DARK MATTER DISTRIBUTION



GAS DISTRIBUTION



HI DISTRIBUTION



“Warm Dark Matter as a solution to the small scale crisis: new constraints from high redshift Lyman- α forest data” MV+ arXiv:1306.2314

DATA: 25 high resolution QSO spectra at $4.48 < z_{\text{em}} < 6.42$
from MIKE and HIRES spectrographs. Becker+ 2011

SIMULATIONS: Gadget-III runs: 20 and 60 Mpc/h and $(512^3, 786^3, 896^3)$

Cosmology parameters: σ_8 , n_s , Ω_m , H_0 , m_{WDM}

Astrophysical parameters: z_{reio} , UV fluctuations, T_0 , γ , $\langle F \rangle$

Nuisance: resolution, S/N, metals

METHOD: Monte Carlo Markov Chains likelihood estimator
+ **very conservative assumptions** for the continuum
fitting and error bars on the data

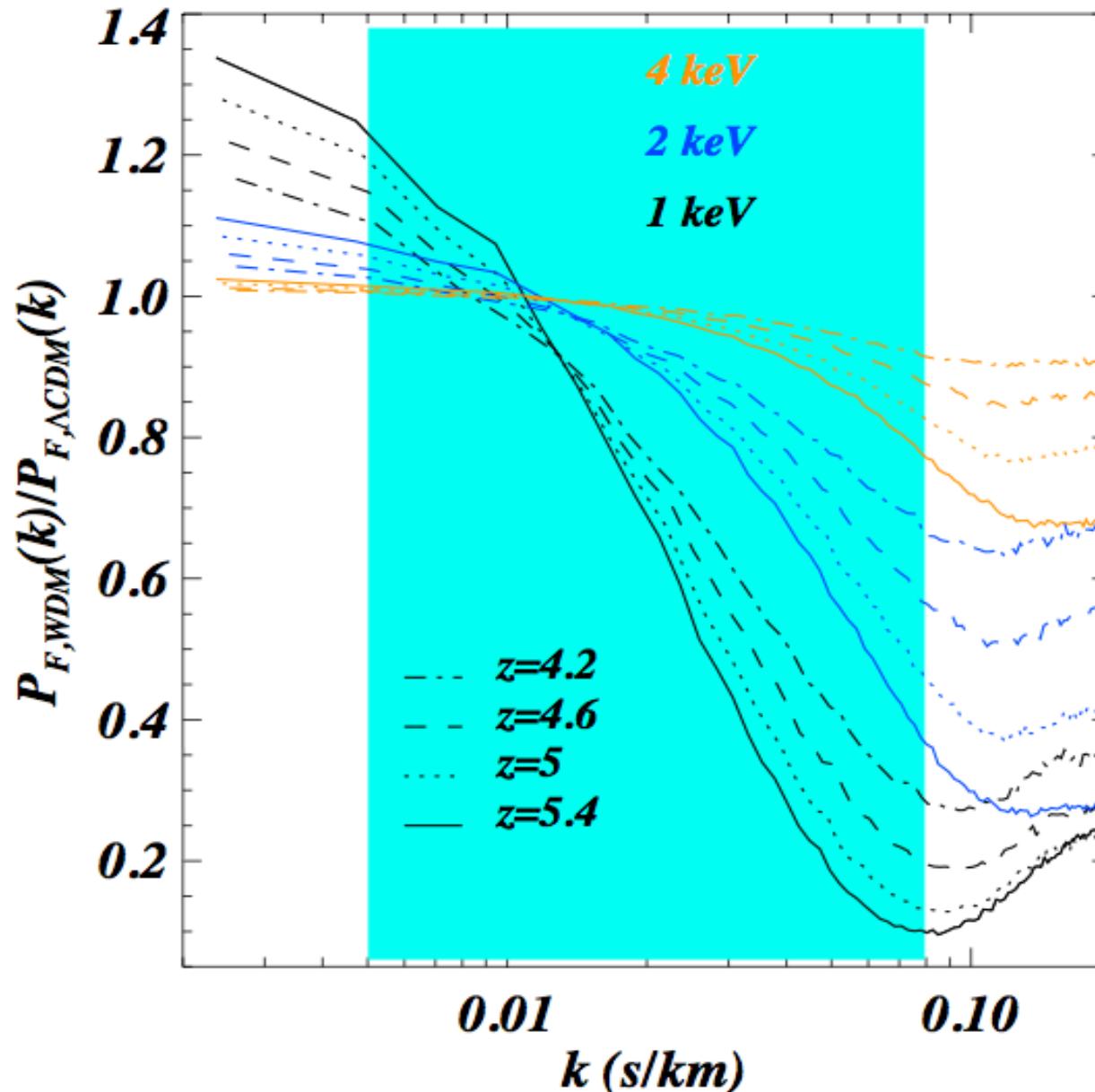
Parameter space: $m_{\text{WDM}}, T_0, \gamma, \langle F \rangle$ explored fully

Parameter space: $\sigma_8, n_s, \Omega_m, H_0$, UV explored with second order
Taylor expansion of the flux power

$$P_F(k, z; \mathbf{p}) = P_F(k, z; \mathbf{p}^0) + \sum_i^N \frac{\partial P_F(k, z; \mathbf{p}_i)}{\partial p_i} \Big|_{\mathbf{p}=\mathbf{p}^0} (p_i - p_i^0) + \text{second order}$$

THE HIGH REDSHIFT WDM CUTOFF

$$\delta_F = F/\langle F \rangle - 1$$



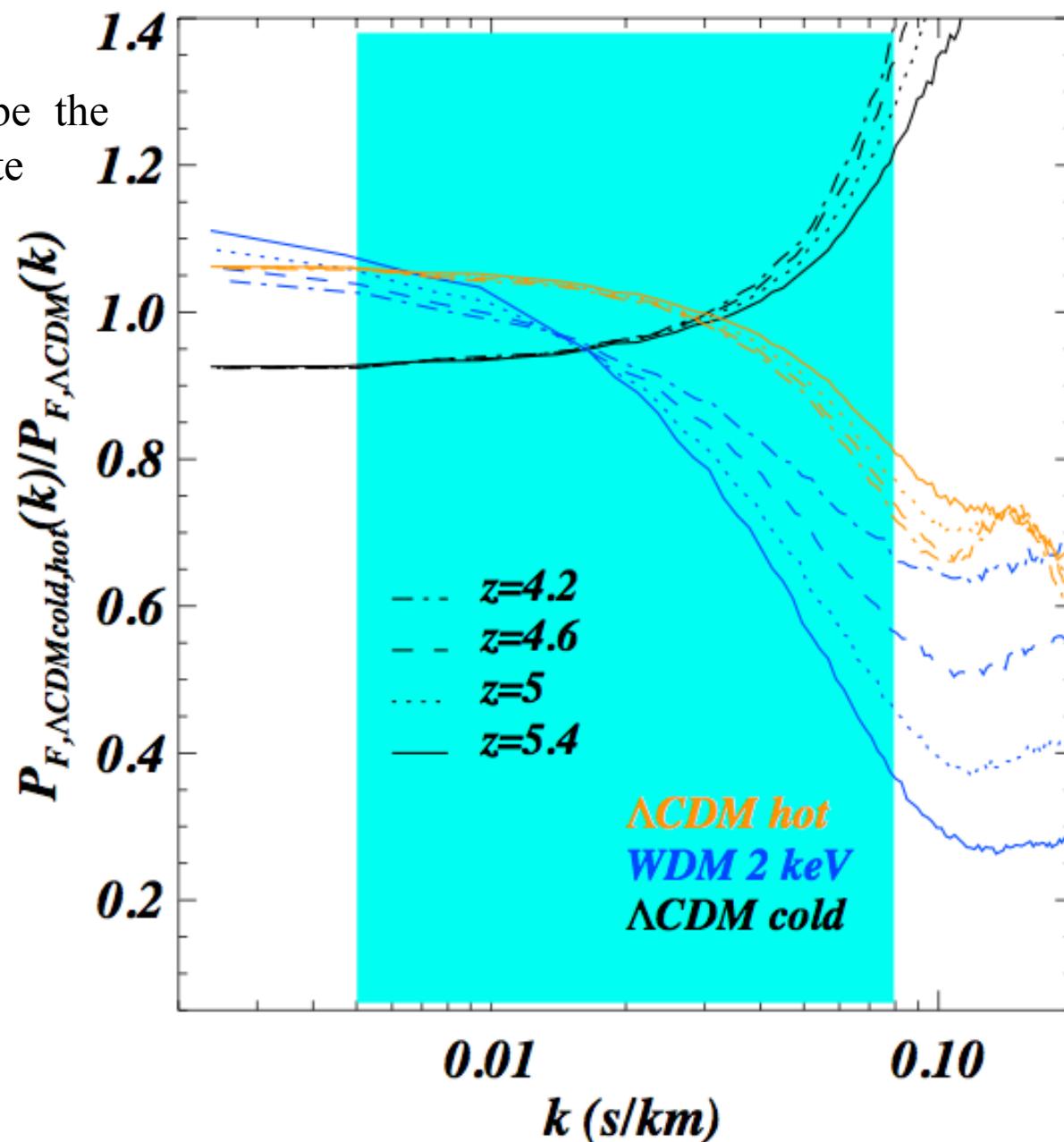
THE TEMPERATURE: T_0

$$T = T_0(1+\delta)^{\gamma-1}$$

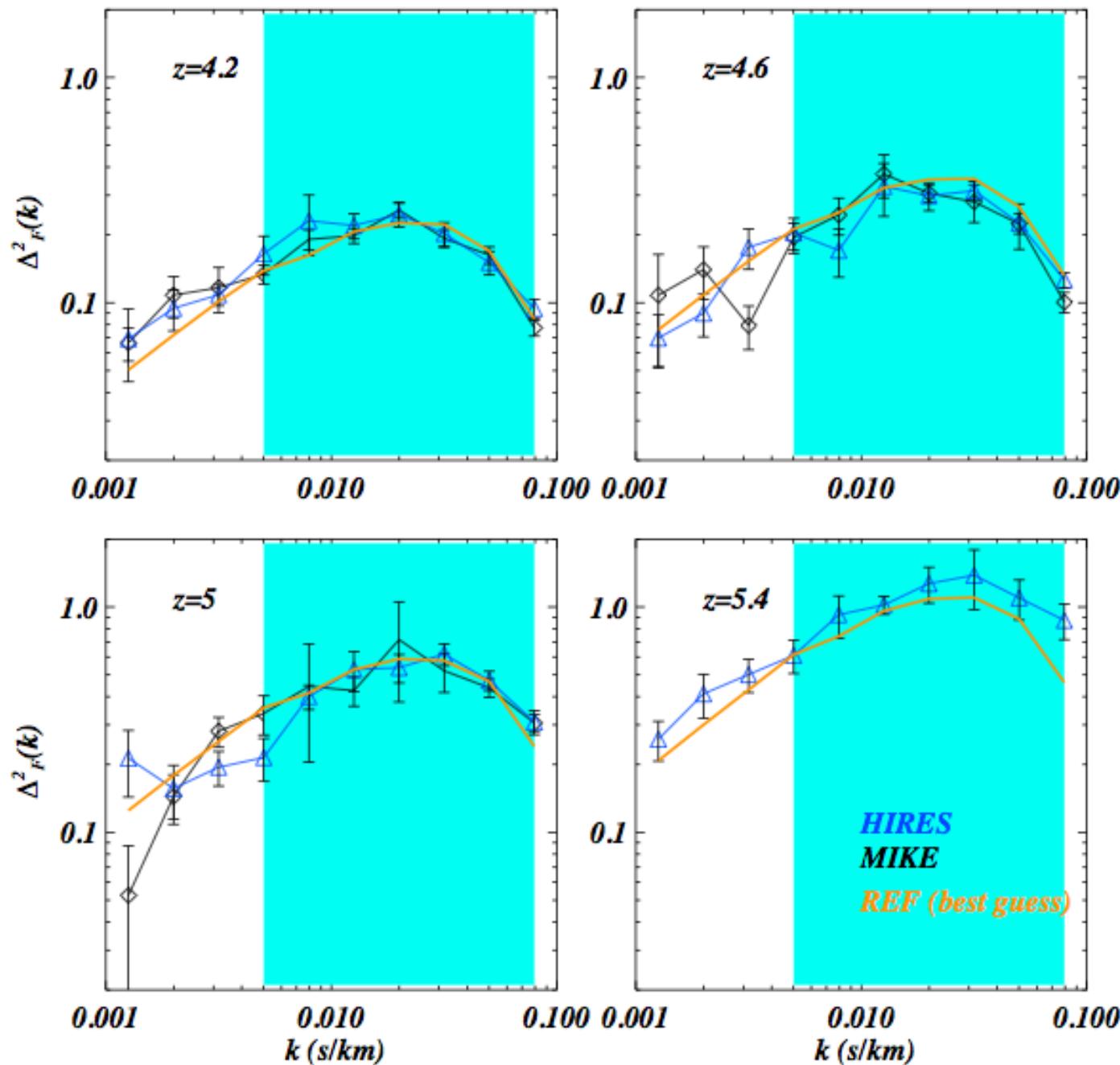
T_0 and γ describe the IGM thermal state

Hot + 3000 K
Cold - 3000 K

REF has 8300 K
at $z=4.6$

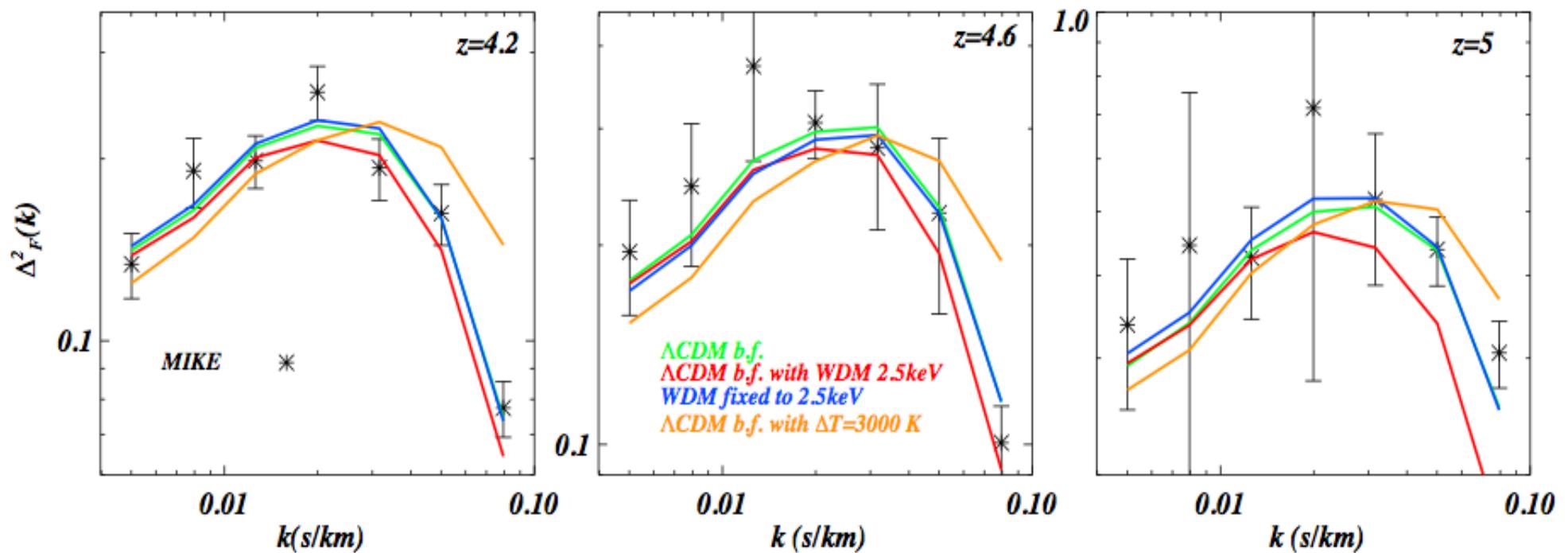


THE BEST GUESS MODEL

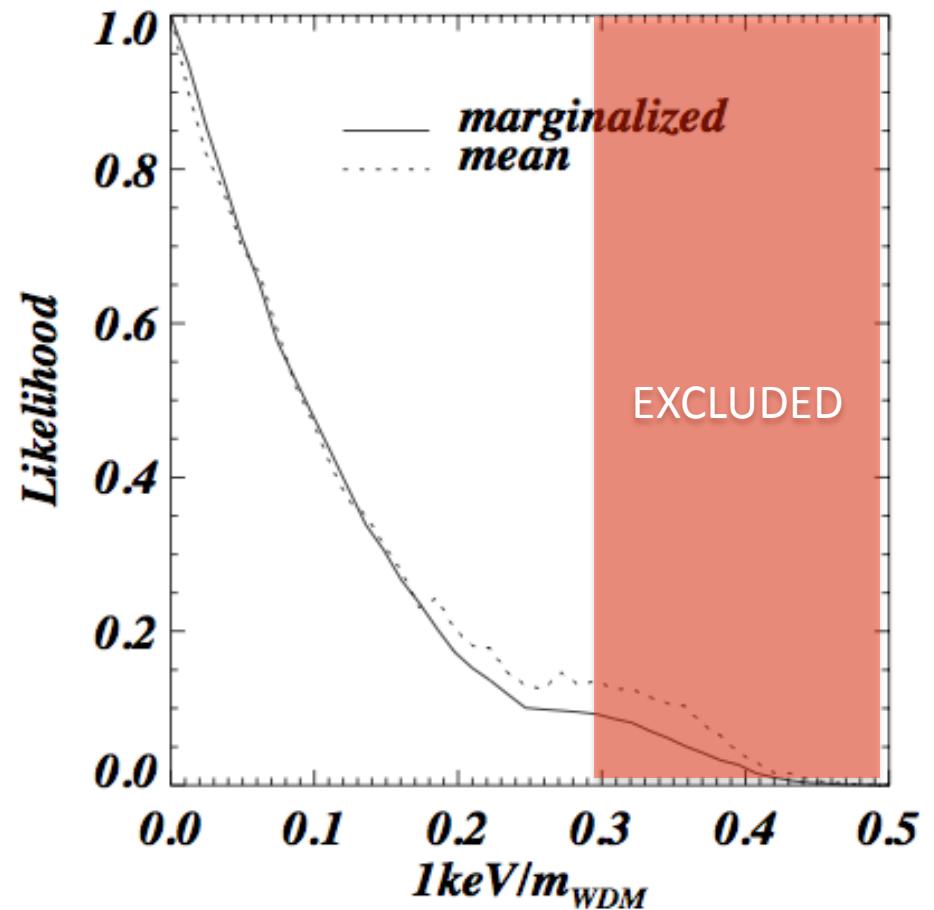


This is the starting point of the MCMC likelihood estimation cosmology close to Planck values

THE BEST FIT MODEL for MIKE



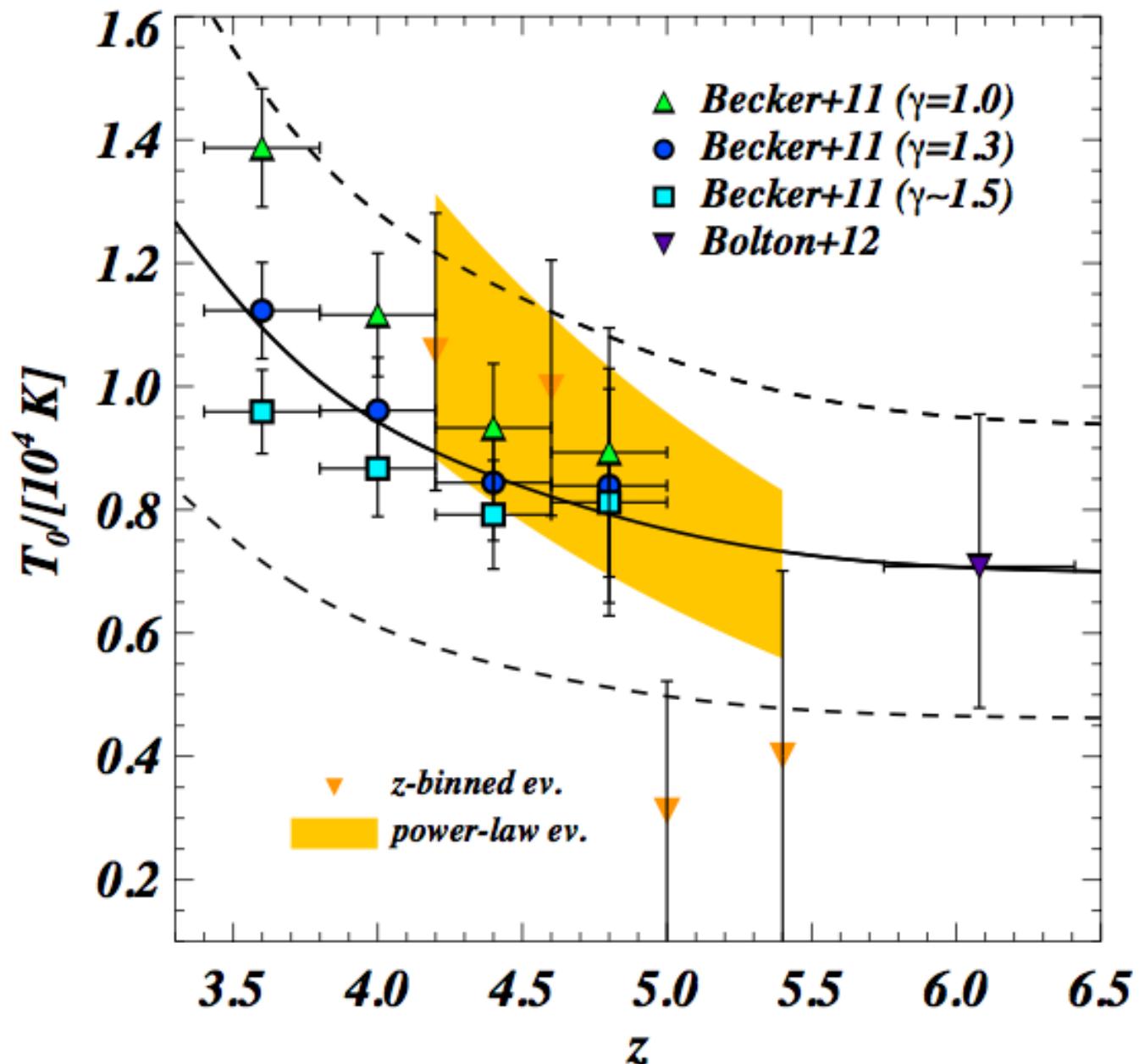
RESULTS FOR WDM MASS



$m > 3.3 \text{ keV} (2\sigma)$

RESULTS FOR TEMPERATURE

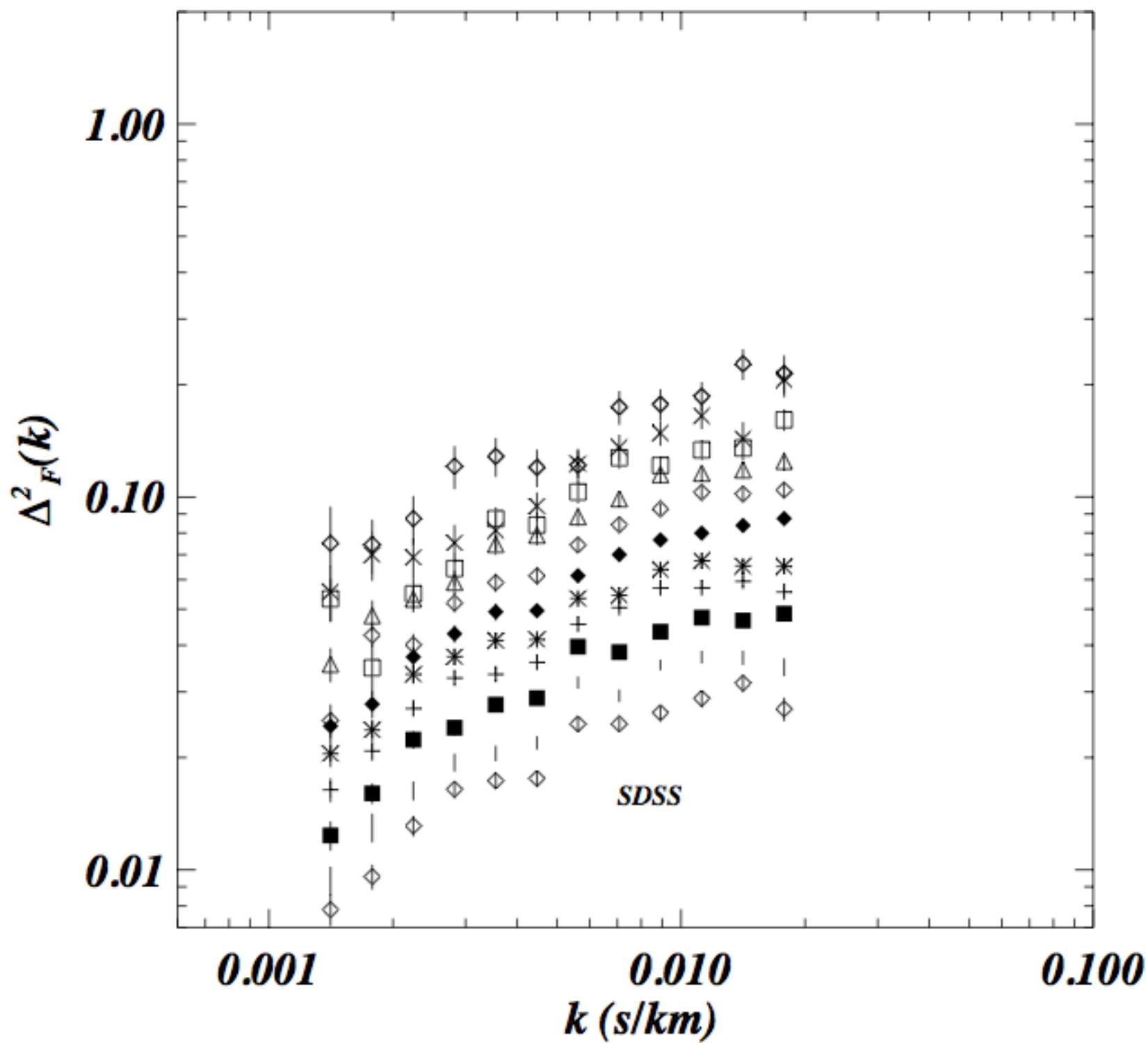
$$\gamma^A(z) = \gamma^A[(1+z)/5.5]^{\gamma_A^S} \quad T_0^A(z) = T_0^A[(1+z)/5.5]^{T_0^S}$$

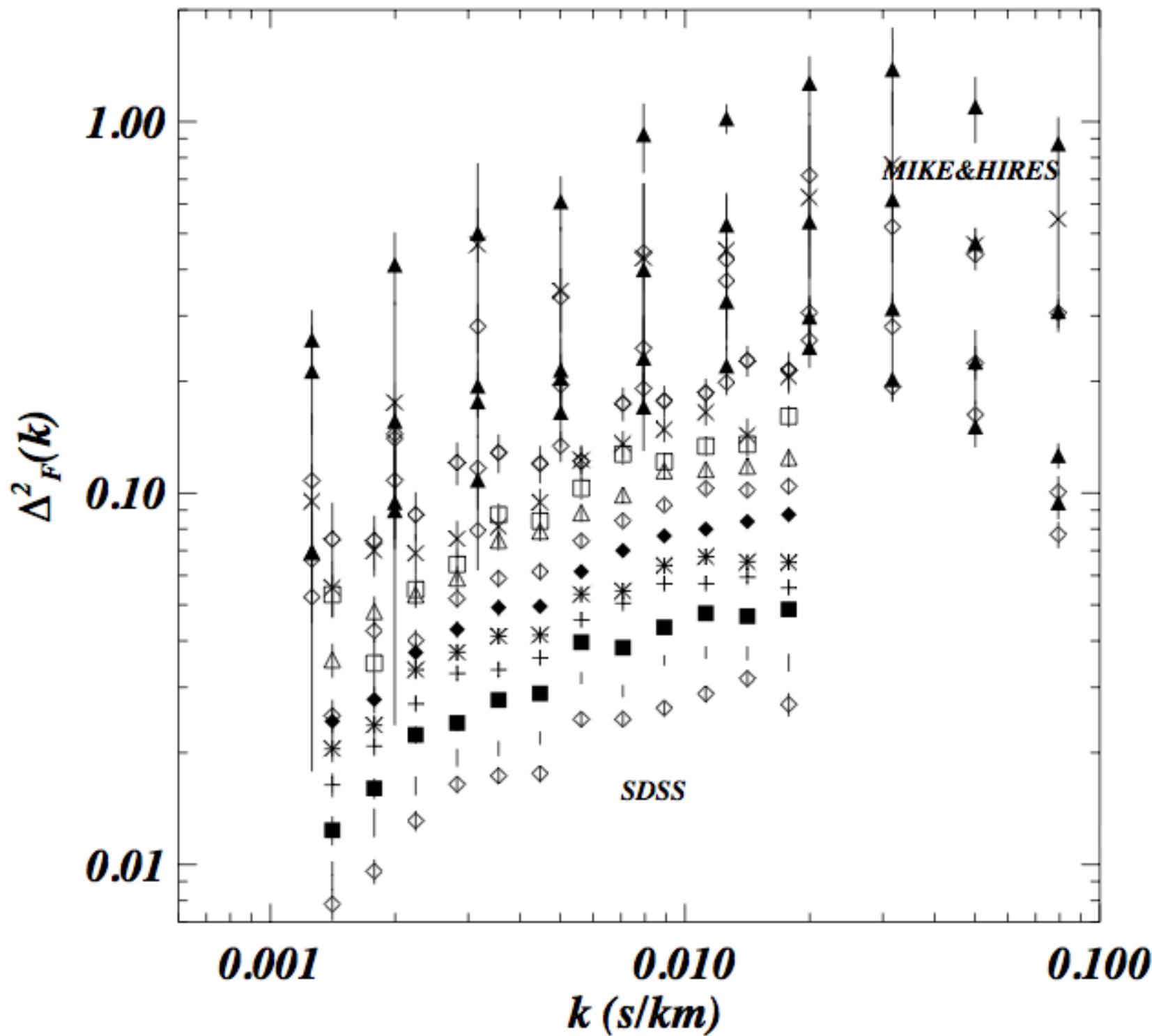


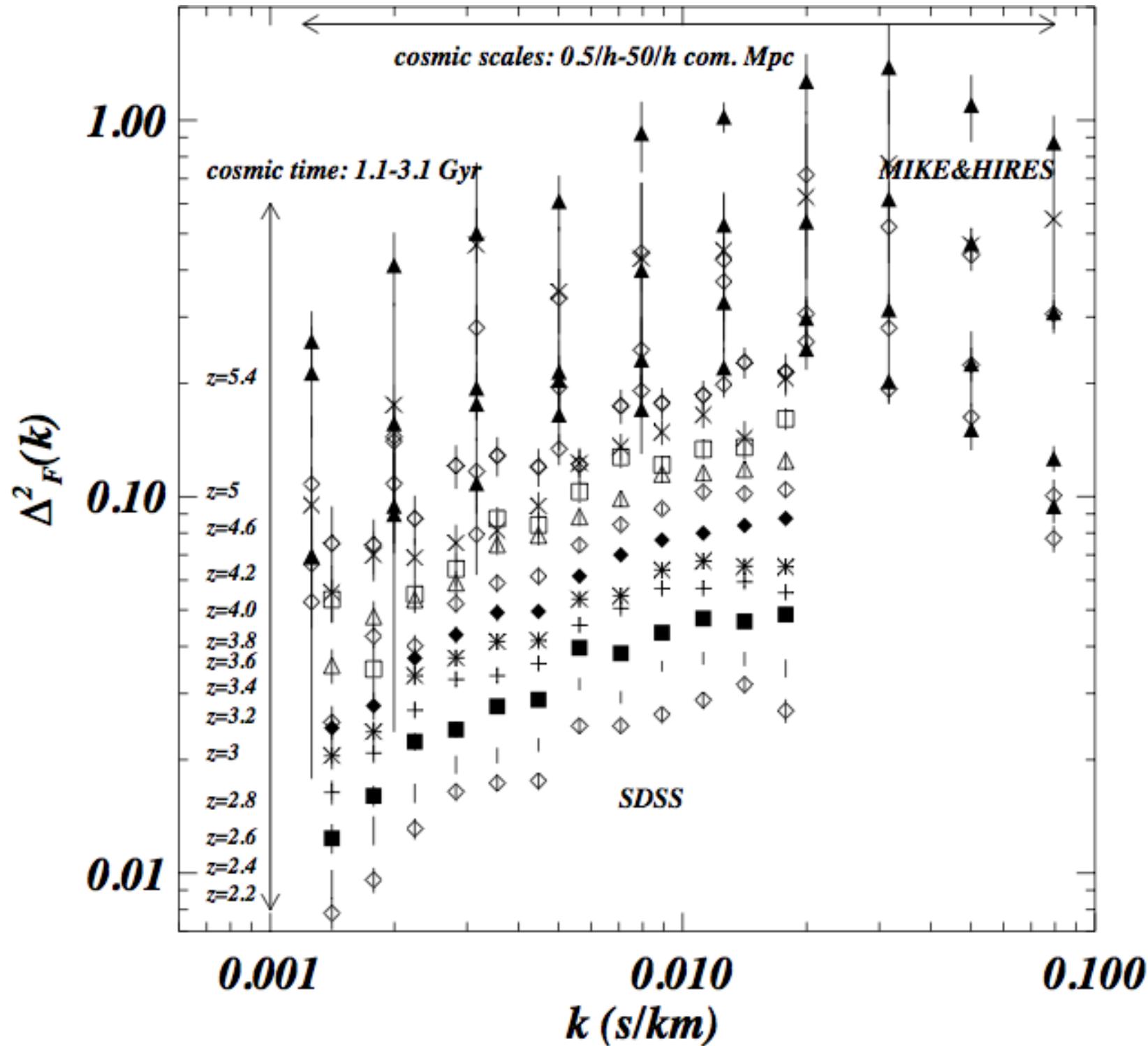
SDSS + MIKE + HIRES CONSTRAINTS

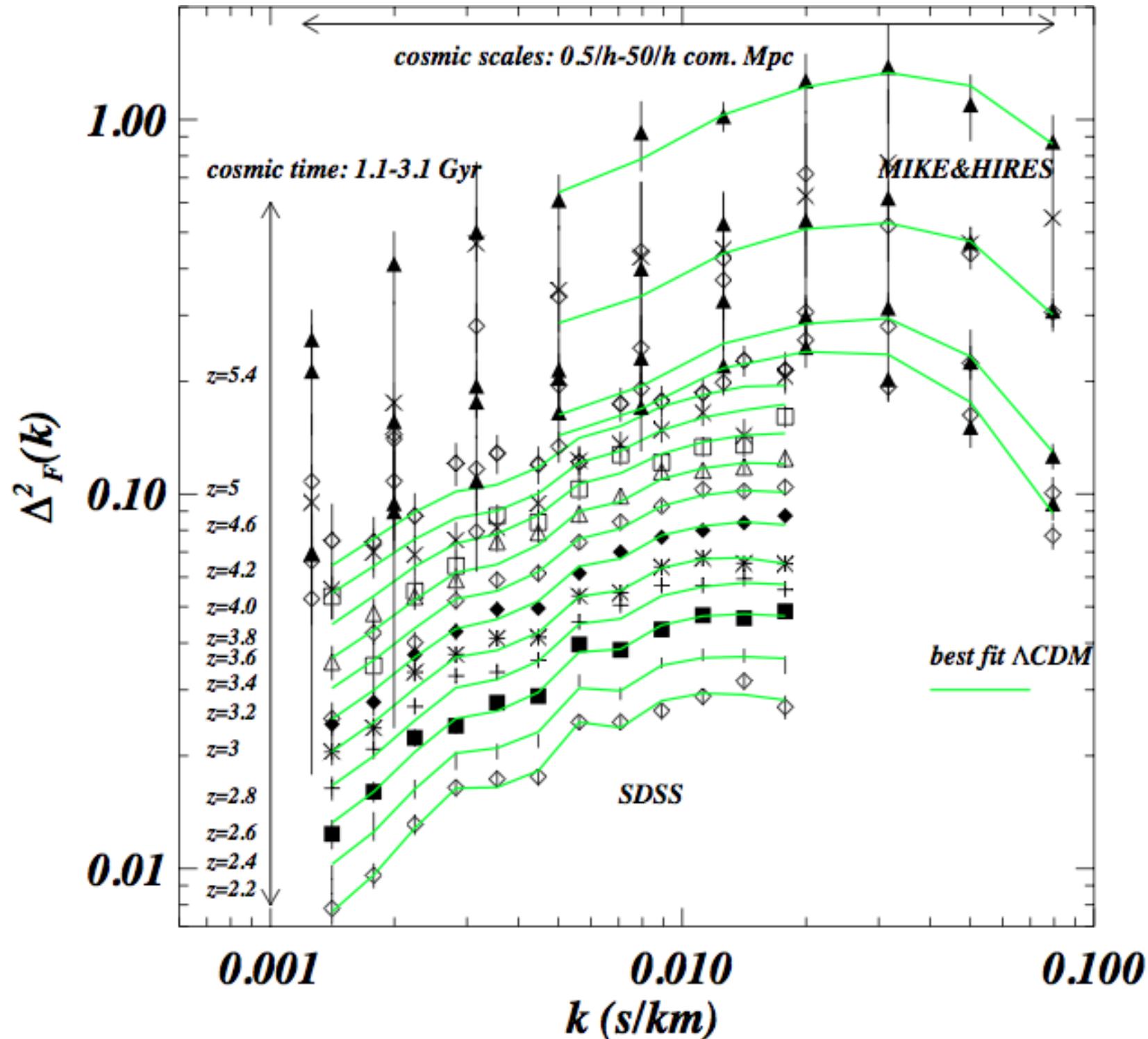
Joint likelihood analysis

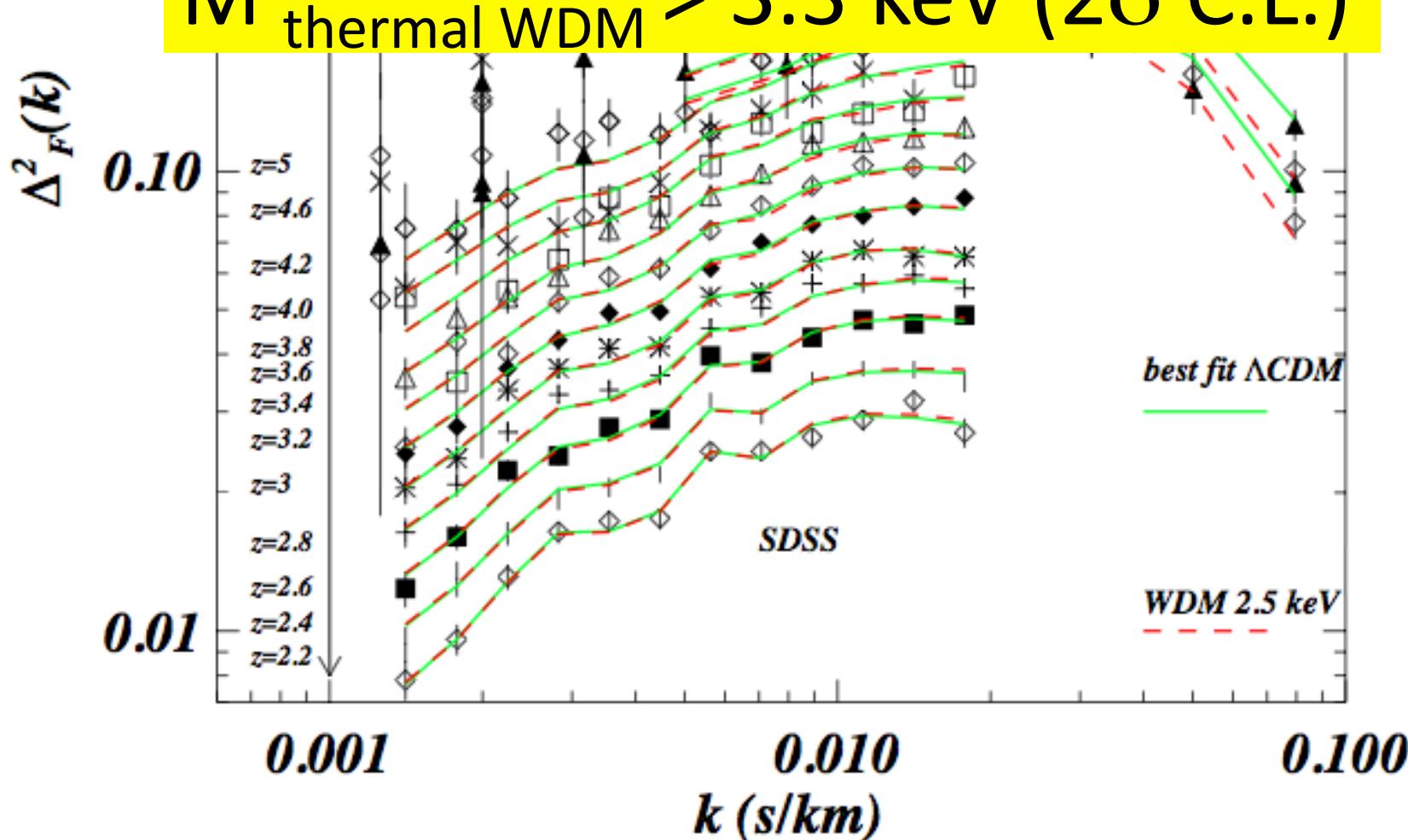
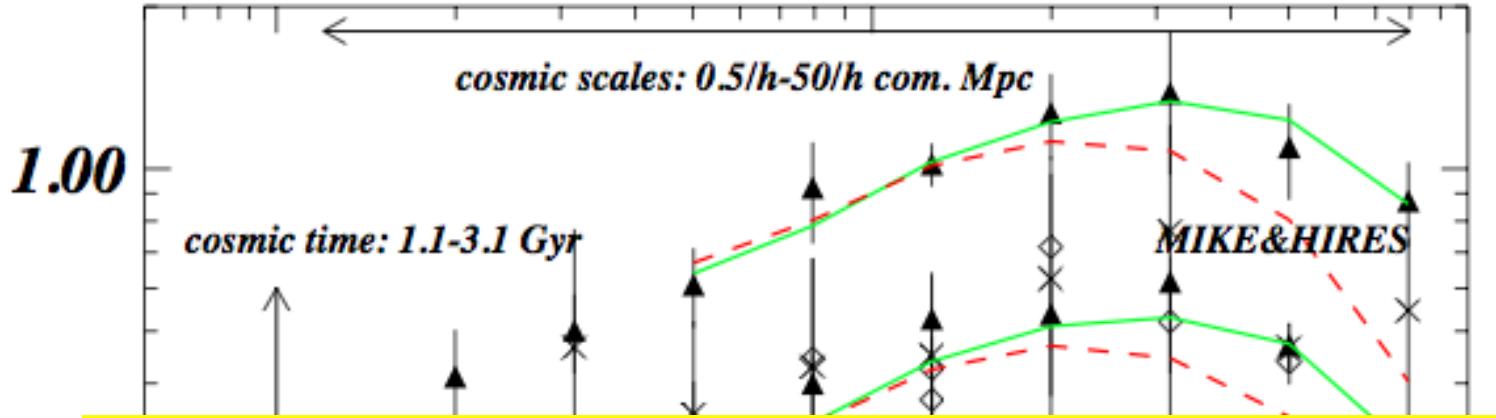
SDSS data from McDonald05,06 not BOSS



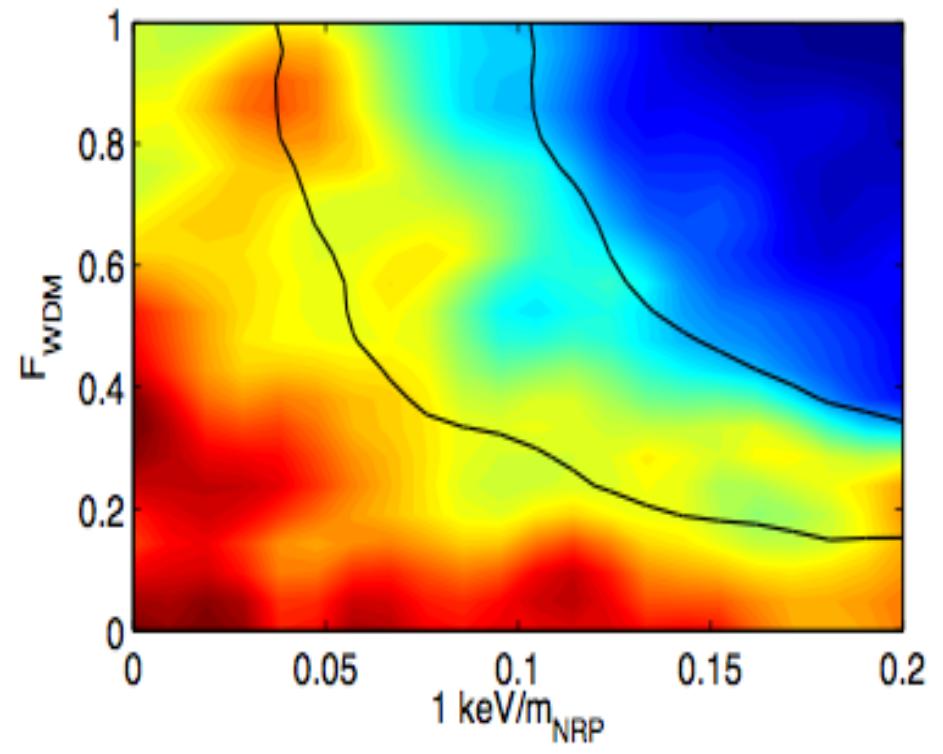
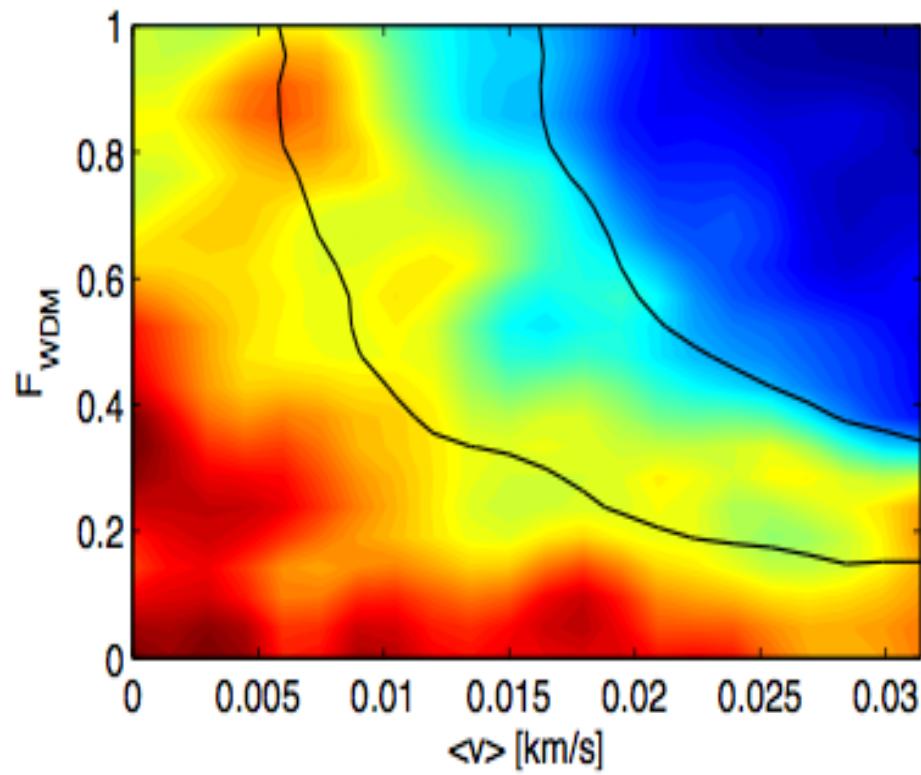








CONSTRAINTS FROM SDSS vs UVES SPECTRA



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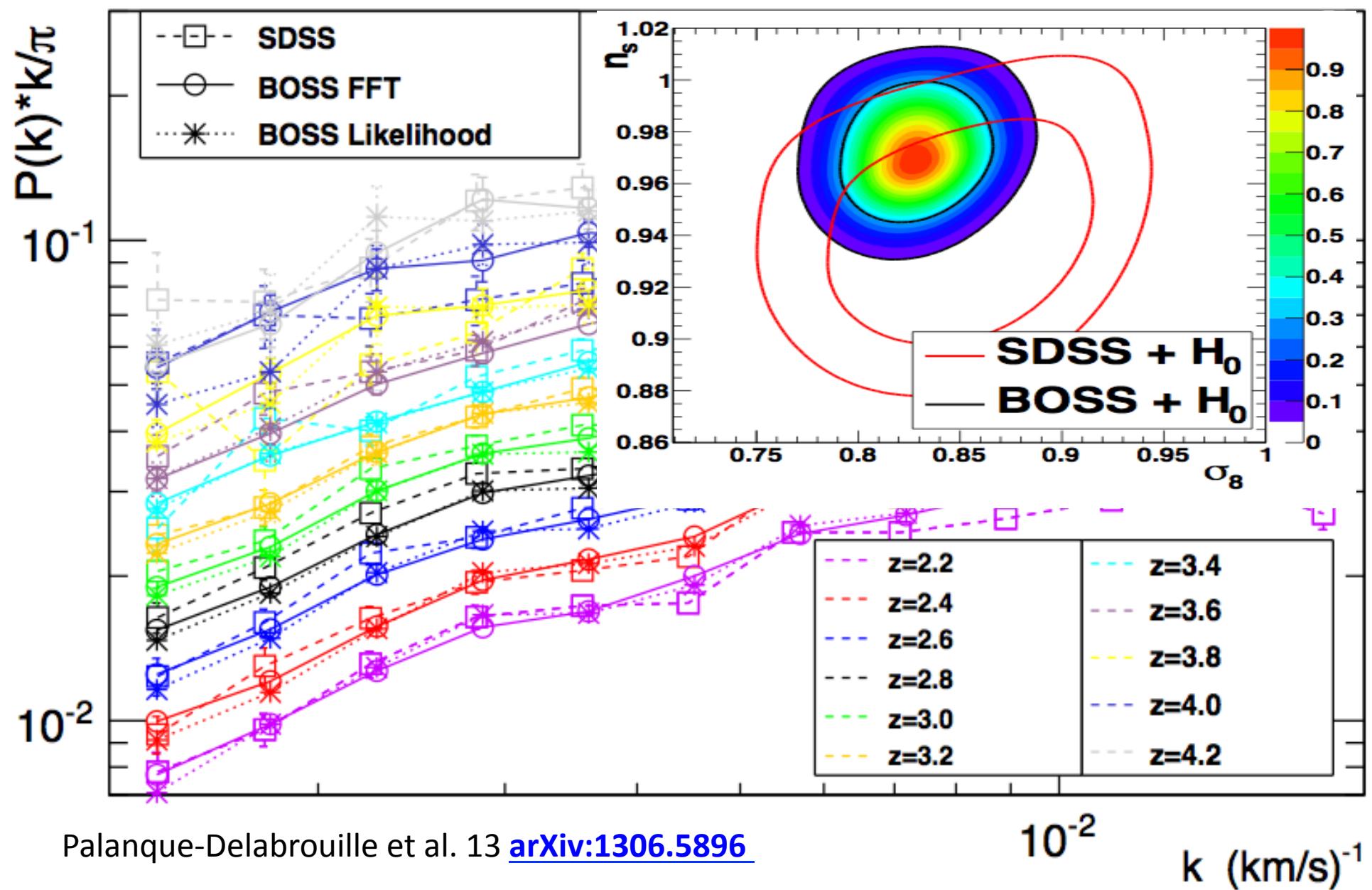
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1keV

2keV

1keV

The one-dimensional Ly α forest power spectrum from BOSS



CONCLUSIONS - NEUTRINOS

Neutrino non-linearities modelled in the matter power spectrum, correlation function, density distribution of haloes, peculiar velocities, redshift space distortions. NEW REGIME!

Galaxy clustering data give <0.3 eV (2 σ upper limit)

Forecasting for Euclid survey: 14 meV error is doable but need to model the power spectrum to higher precision (possibly subpercent) and with physical input on the scale dependence of the effect.
Very conservative 20-30 meV

CONCLUSIONS – WARM DARK MATTER

High redshift Lyman- α disfavours thermal relic models with masses that are typically chosen to solve the small-scale crisis of Λ CDM

Models with 1 keV are ruled out at 9σ
2 keV are ruled out at 4σ
2.5 keV are ruled out at 3σ
3.3 keV are ruled out at 2σ



- 1) free-streaming scale is $2 \times 10^8 M_\odot/h$
- 2) at scales $k=10 h/\text{Mpc}$ you cannot suppress more than 10% compared to Λ CDM

Of course they remain viable candidate for the Dark Matter (especially sterile neutrinos) but there are OBSERVATIONAL challenges