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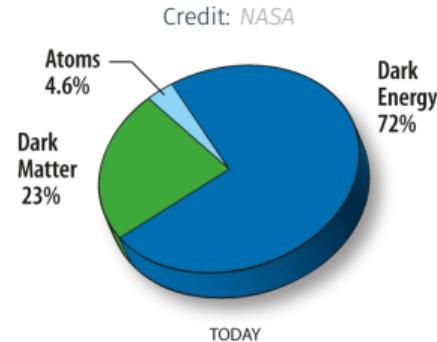
Constraining beyond Λ CDM models with 21cm intensity mapping forecast
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Introduction

Λ CDM model

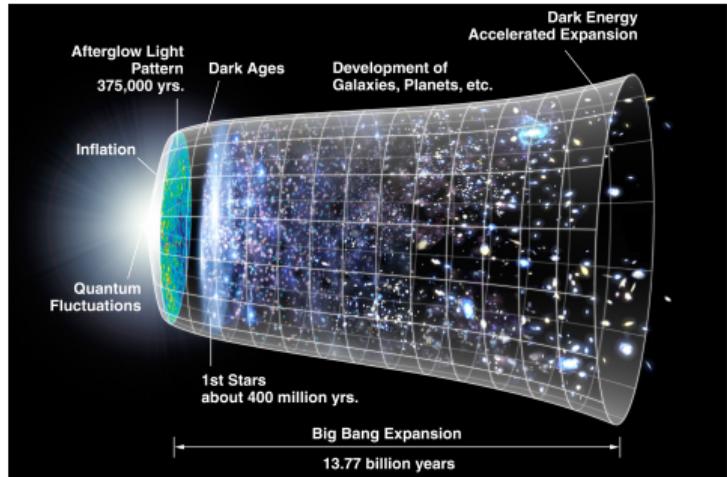


↪ COSMOLOGICAL CONSTANT Λ

$$p_\Lambda = -\rho_\Lambda$$

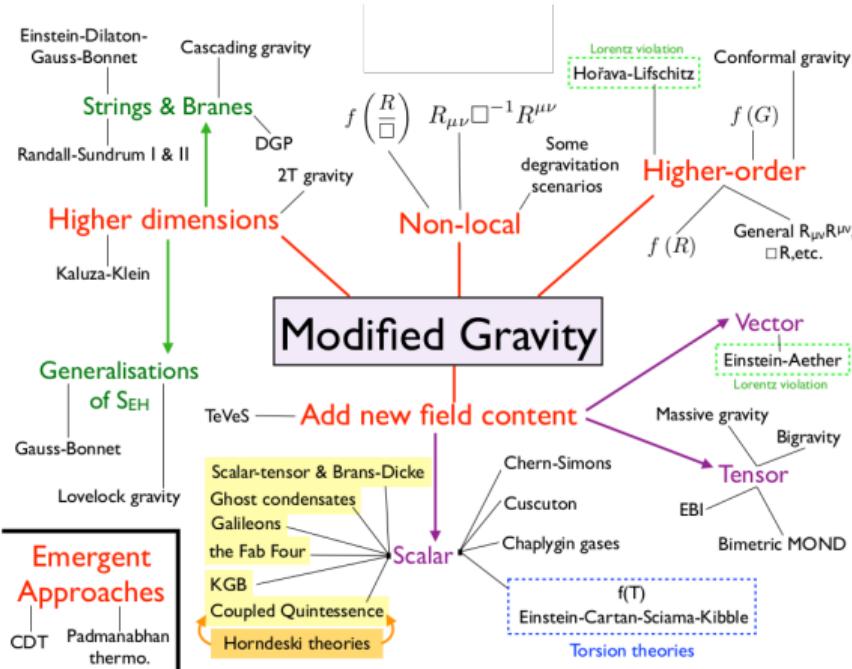
Is it enough?

- What are Dark Matter and Dark Energy?
- Tensions on $H_0, \sigma_8/S_8, A_L$
- Cosmological Constant problem
- Coincidence problem



Credit: NASA/WMAP Science Team

State-of-the-art



Bull et al., 2016

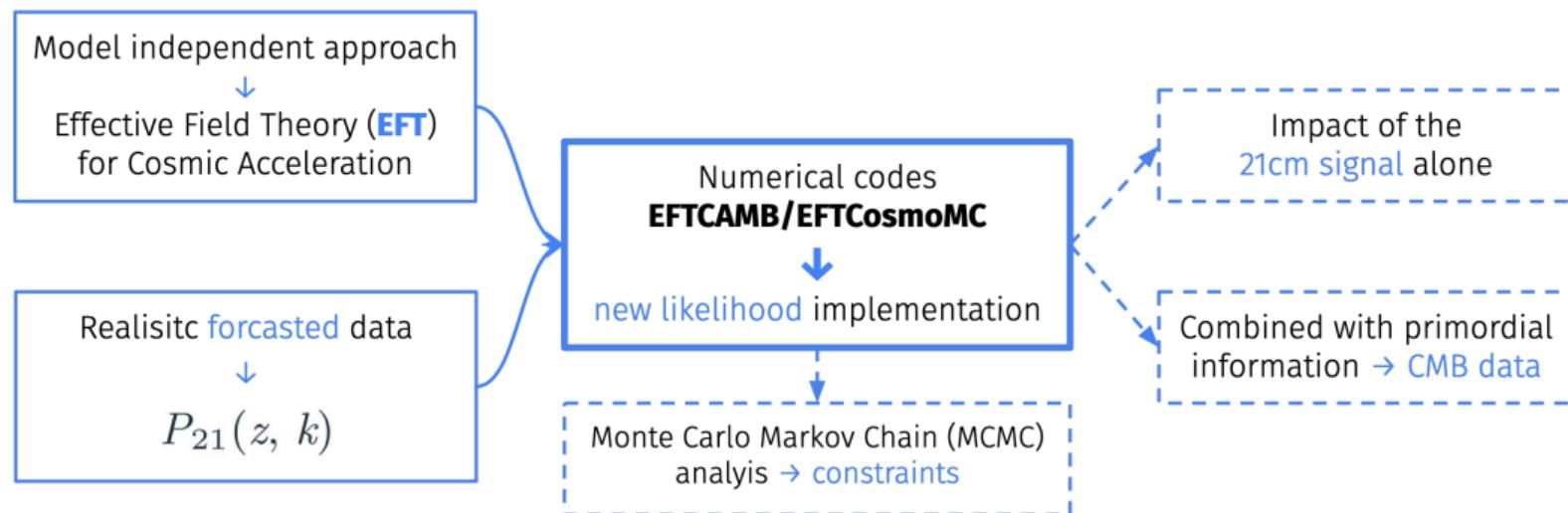
- All the results are broadly compatible with Λ CDM
- Future observations (*Euclid, SKAO, ...*) → improve constraints
- New observables → 21cm signal power spectrum

Overview

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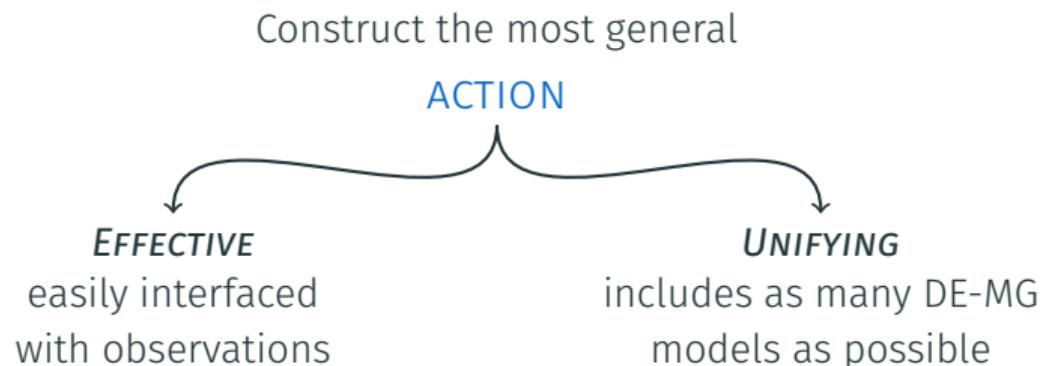
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Full EFT is described by 9 time-dependent **EFT functions**

- $\{\Omega^{\text{EFT}}, \Lambda, c\}$ first order \rightarrow also background evolution
- $\{M_2^4, \bar{M}_1^3, \bar{M}_2^2, \bar{M}_3^2, m_2^2, \hat{M}^2\}$ second order \rightarrow only perturbations
- ΛCDM limit \rightarrow all EFT functions are 0

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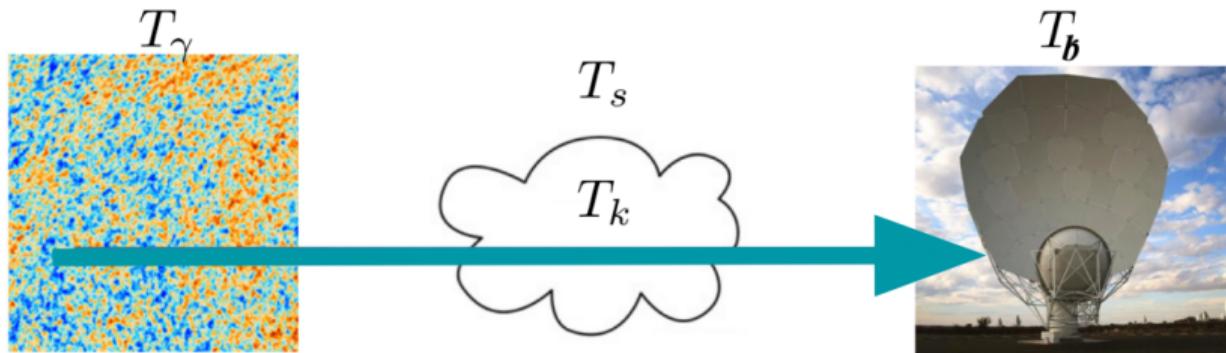
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→ Could a new observable such as $P_{21}(k, z)$ help constrain such models beyond Λ CDM?

21cm intensity mapping

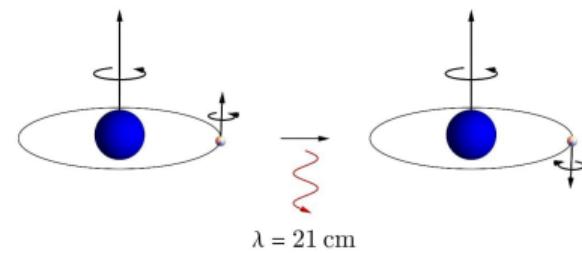
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3 fundamental temperatures:

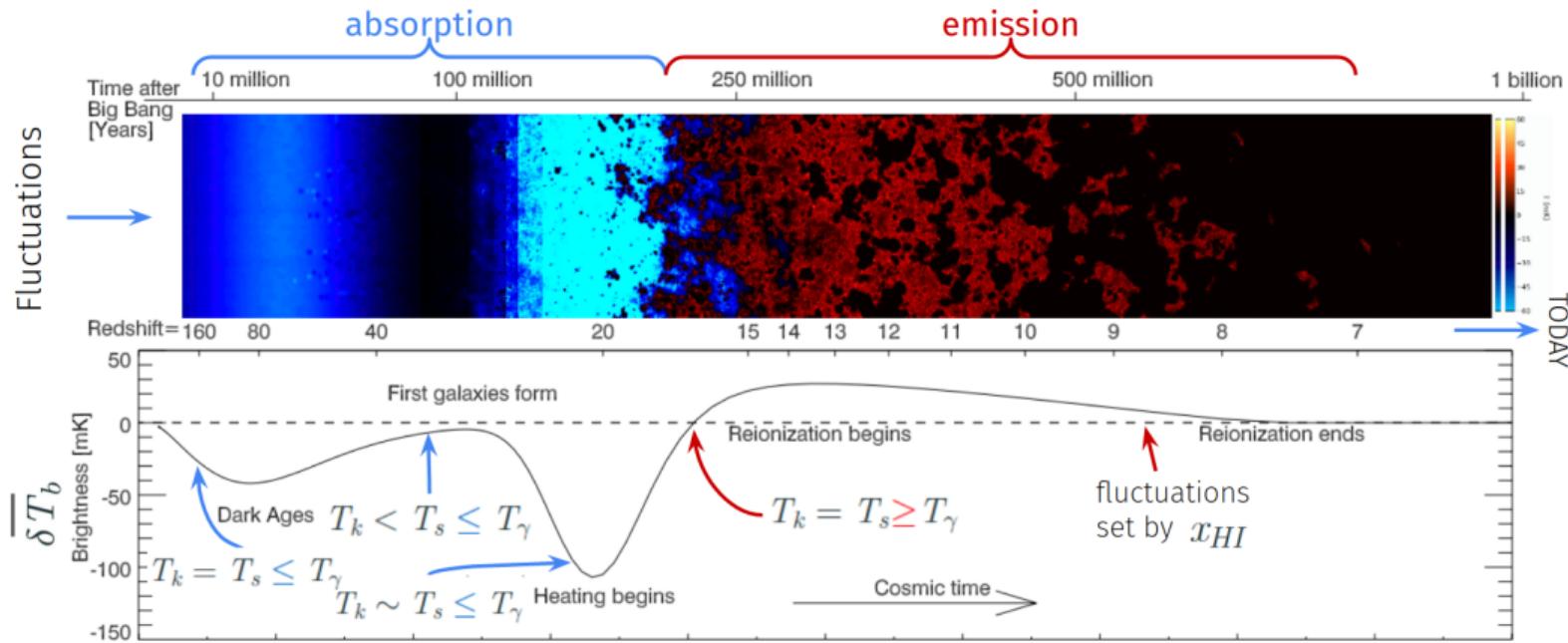
- T_γ the CMB temperature
- T_k the gas (IGM) temperature
- T_s the spin temperature → sets the population of the hyperfine level with respect to the ground state
→ T_b the brightness temperature

$$\frac{n_1}{n_0} = \frac{g_1}{g_0} e^{-h\nu_{21}/kT_s}$$



Evolution of the 21cm signal

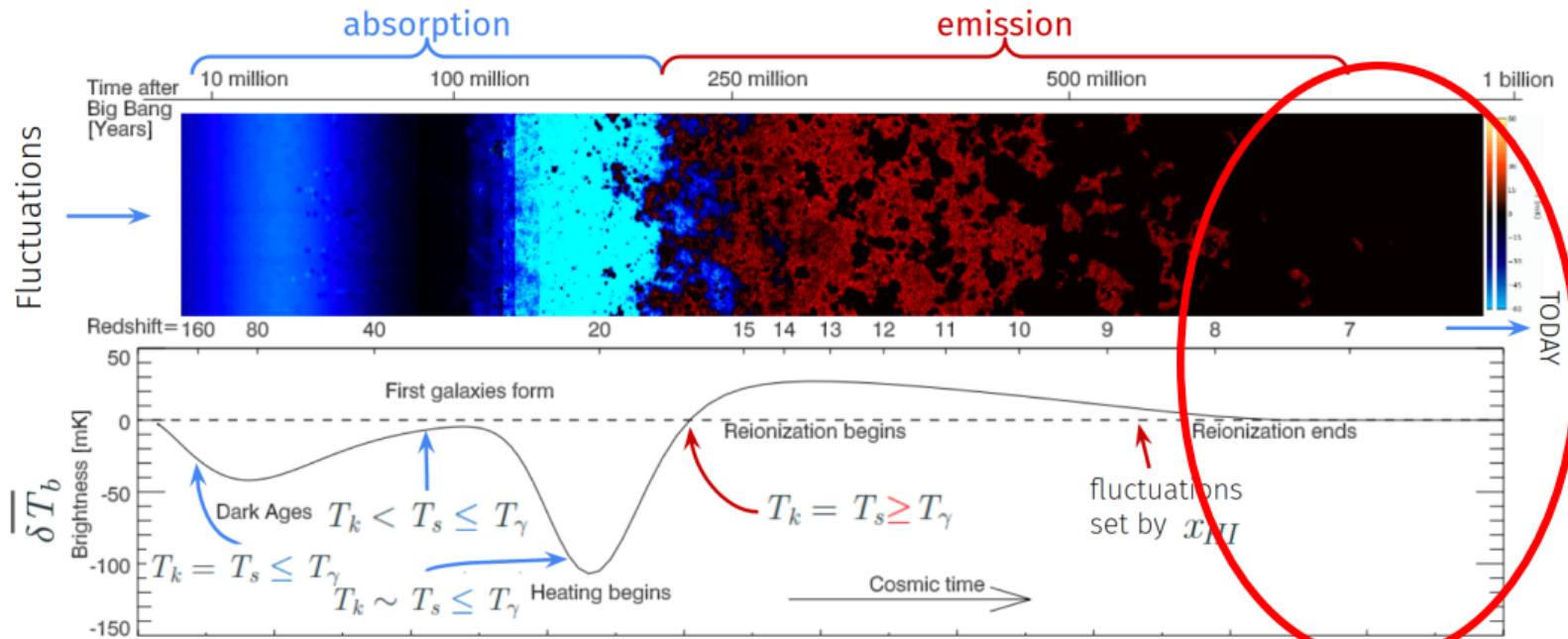
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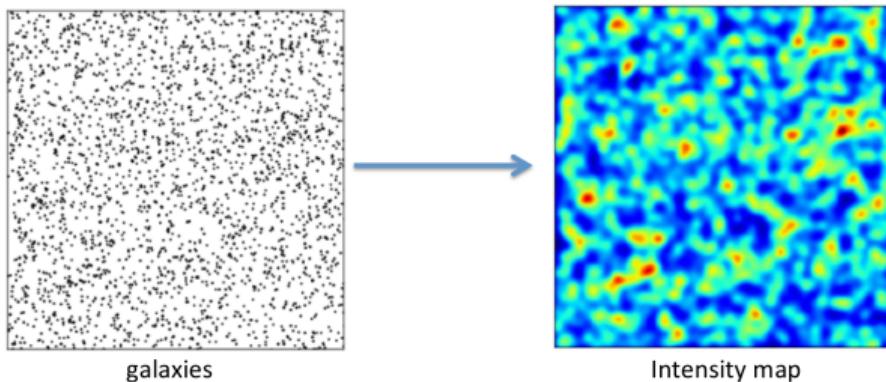
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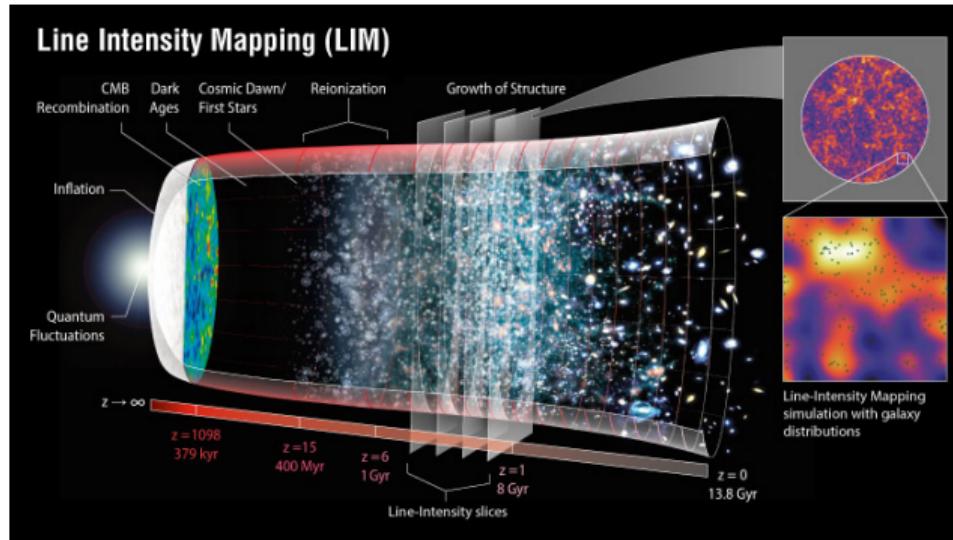
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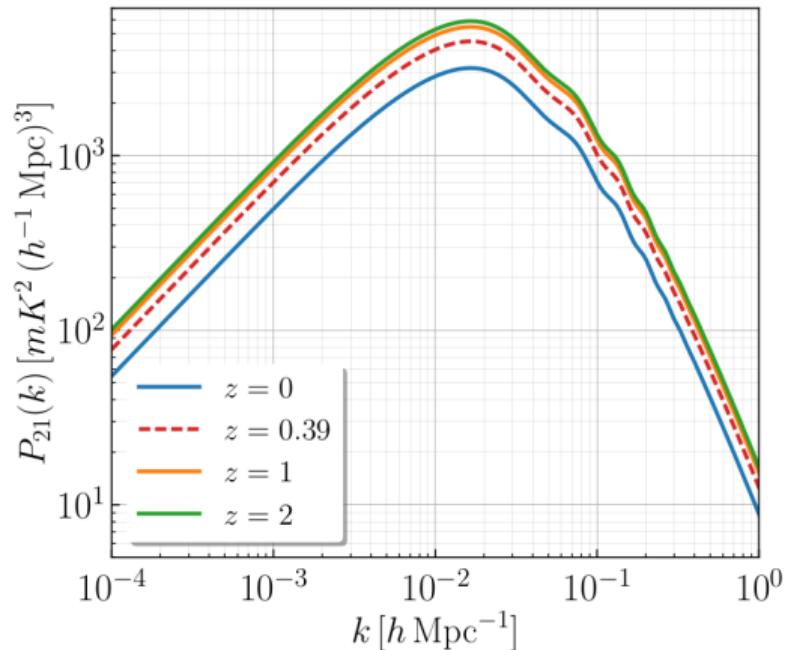
We can model it as²

$$P_{21}(z, k) = \bar{T}_b^2(z)(b_{\text{HI}}(z) + f(z))^2 P_m(z, k)$$

where

- $\bar{T}_b^2(z)$ is the mean brightness temperature
- $b_{\text{HI}}(z)$ is the HI bias
- $f(z)$ is the linear growth rate
- $P_m(z, k)$ is the matter power spectrum

→ in good agreement with hydro-dynamical simulation results (Villaescusa-Navarro et al., 2018)



²Kaiser, 1987, Bacon et al., 2019

Present and future instruments

Currently taking data (some examples):

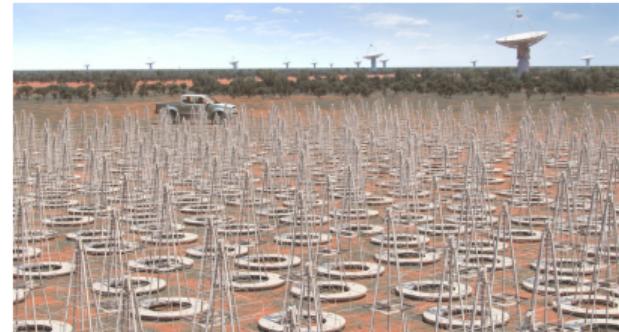
- CHIME (Canada) → interferometer array
- FAST (China) → single dish
- MeerKAT (South Africa) → single dish



The Square Kilometer Array Organization (SKAO):

- SKAO-MID: ~ 200 dishes (South Africa)
- SKAO-LOW: > 10^5 simple dipole antennas (Western Australia)

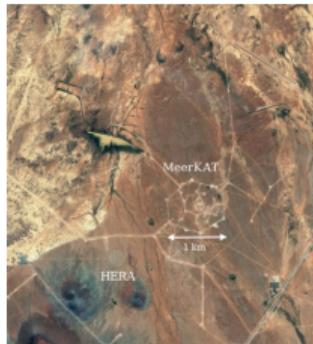
→ more dishes and possibly higher redshifts



Credit: www.skatelescope.org/

Intensity mapping with MeerKAT

Credit: www.sarao.ac.za



MeerKLASS (*Santos et al., 2017*)

- 4000 deg^2 , 4000 h
- IM for Cosmology
- Radio Continuum HI galaxies

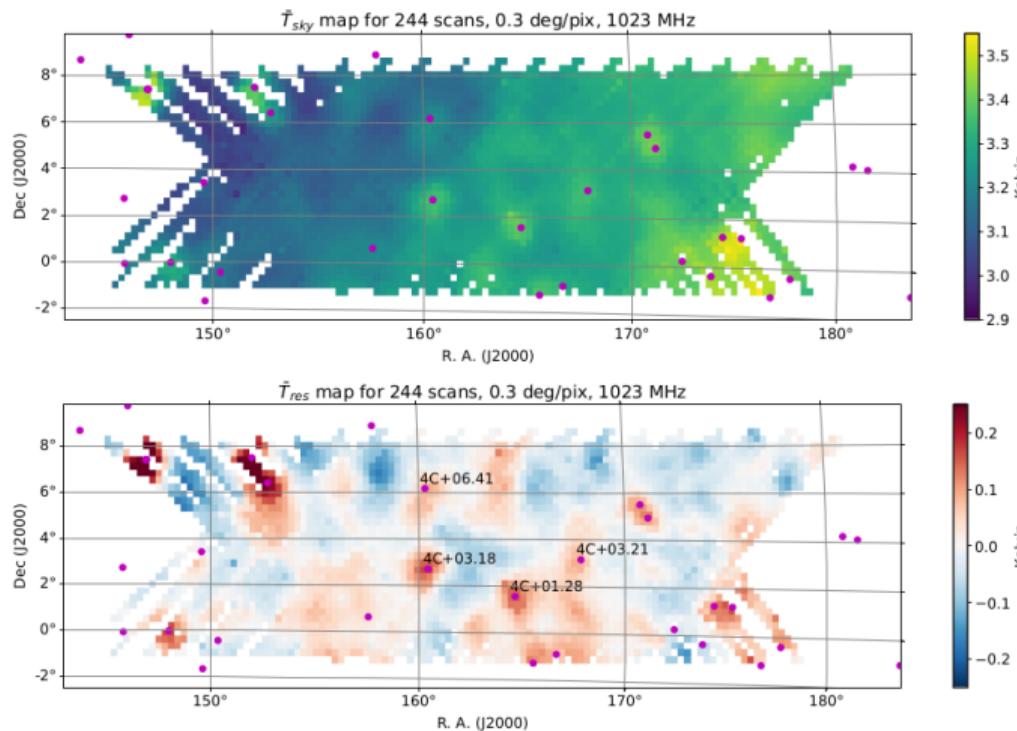
Science Verification Data (*Wang et al., 2021*)

Antennas	All 64 MeerKAT dishes
Observation mode	Single-dish
Frequency range	0.856-1.712 GHz

→ already taking data

→ we build a very realistic data set of future MeerKAT observations at $z = 0.39$

First results with MeerKAT



Wang et al., 2021

Likelihood implementation

Bayesian Likelihood estimation

Bayes theorem

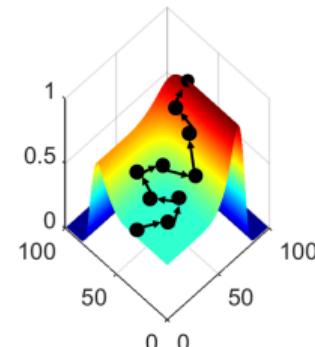
$$\mathcal{P}(\alpha|D) \propto \mathcal{L}(D|\alpha) \mathcal{P}(\alpha)$$

α set of parameters, D
set of observations

$\mathcal{L}(D|\alpha)$ LIKELIHOOD function → compute

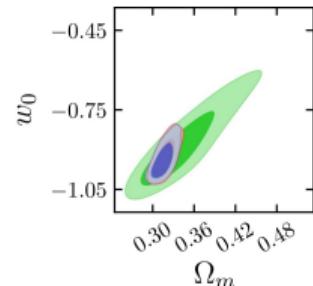
$\mathcal{P}(\alpha)$ PRIOR distribution → guess

$\mathcal{P}(\alpha|D)$ POSTERIOR distribution → sample

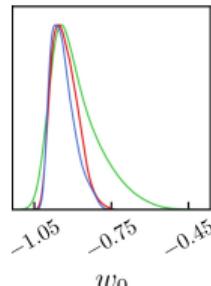


Monte-Carlo Markov-Chains
(MCMC) sampling

1. Confidence Regions (68%, 95%)



2. Marginalized posterior



3. Confidence levels (68%)

Parameter	Planck
Ω_m	$0.341^{+0.022}_{-0.043}$
w_0	$-0.892^{+0.055}_{-0.11}$

Ingredients to compute constraints from a new data set

To compute constraints on model parameters for a generic cosmological model we need:

- compute theoretical predictions $\alpha \rightarrow CAMB/EFTCAMB^3$
↪ model with $P_{21} \quad P_{21}(z, k) = \bar{T}_b^2(z)(b_{\text{HI}}(z) + f(z))^2 P_m(z, k)$
- observations $D \rightarrow$ construct a mock data set
- compute $\mathcal{L}(D|\alpha) \rightarrow$ multivariate Gaussian
- a MCMC code to sample the parameter space $\rightarrow CosmoMC/EFTComsoMC^4$

EFTCAMB/EFTComsoMC → new module twentyonepk.f90 (Fortran 2008 language)

³Hu et al., 2014a, Hu et al., 2014b

⁴Raveri et al., 2014

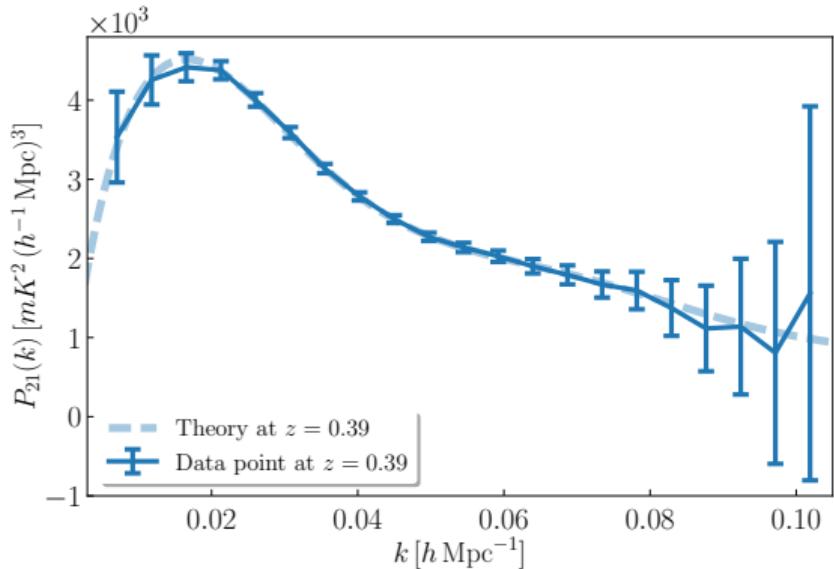
Mock data set

ERRORS

- assume MeerKAT observation
- 64 single dishes, 2000 deg² sky area
- at redshift $z = 0.39$

CENTRAL POINTS

- Λ CDM theory prediction randomly scattered

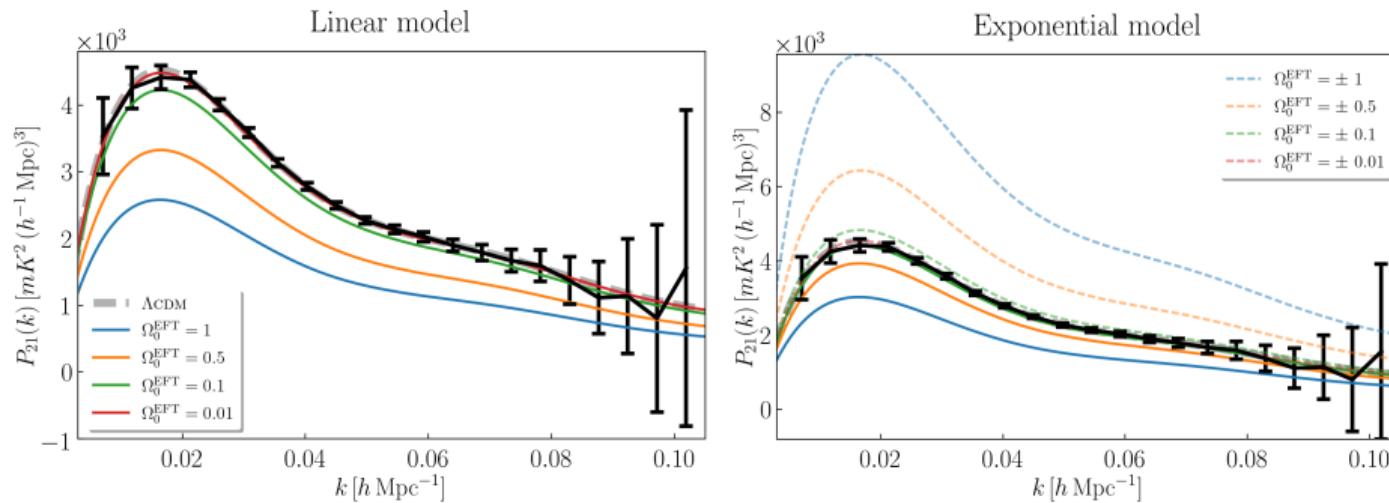


Results

Studied Models

We test the P_{21} likelihood in the following frameworks:

- reference Λ CDM constraints
- we study the effect of P_{21} alone and combined with CMB Planck data
- two different *pure EFT* models described only by the function $\Omega^{\text{EFT}}(a)$

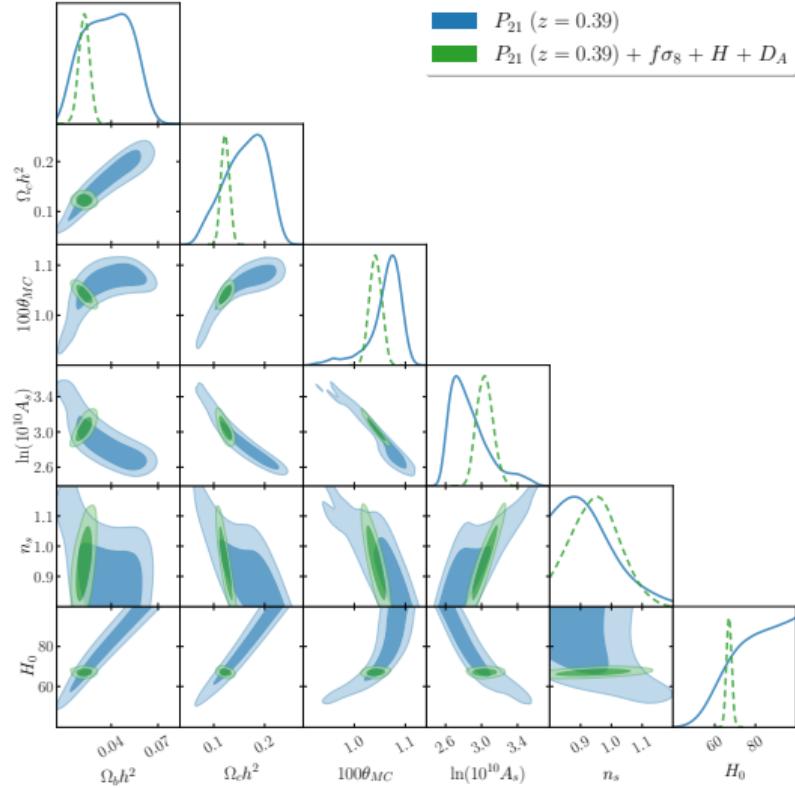


Data sets

Label	Description
Planck 2018	CMB data from Planck 2018 . ⁵ TT, TE, EE power spectra + low polarization (lowE) data + lensing
$P_{21} (z = 0.39)$	mock data set of MeerKAT forecast observations at redshift $z = 0.39$
$f\sigma_8 + H + D_A$	or background , additional background and structure formation mock data sets at $z = 0.39$ inferred from higher redshift IM forecast

⁵<http://pla.esac.esa.int/pla/#home>

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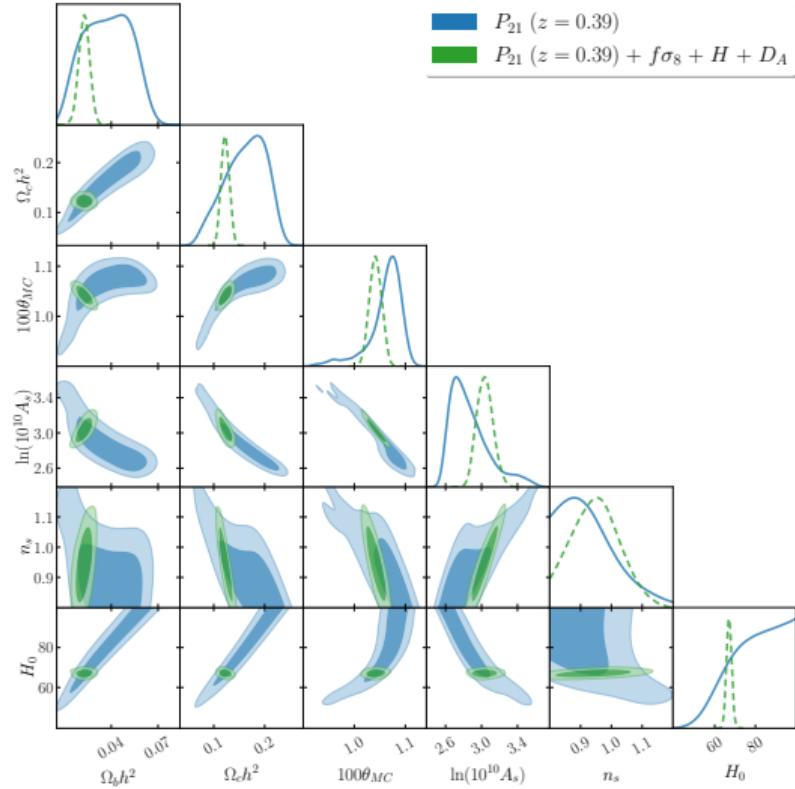


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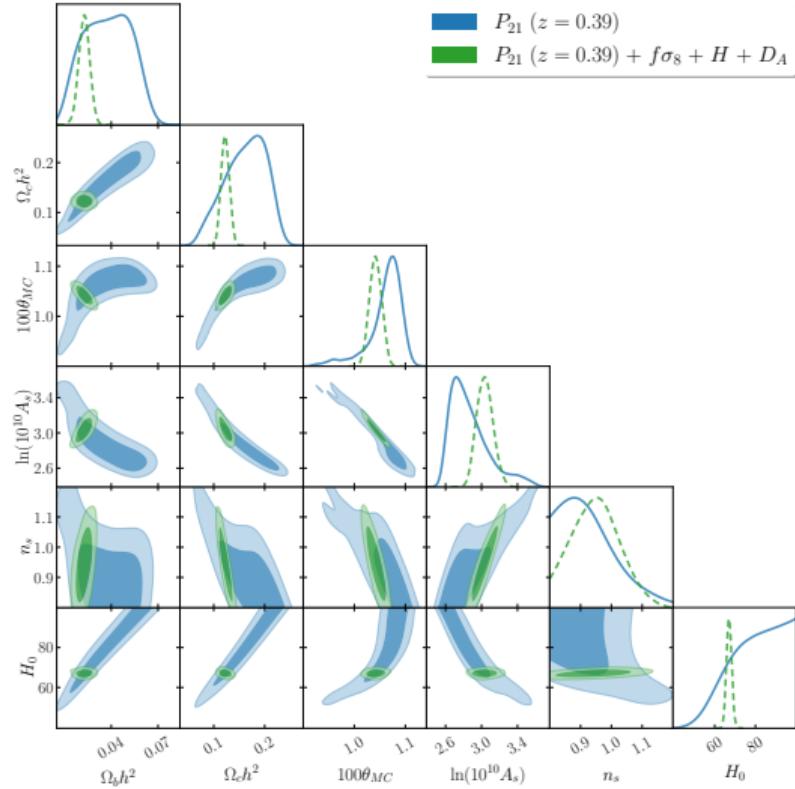


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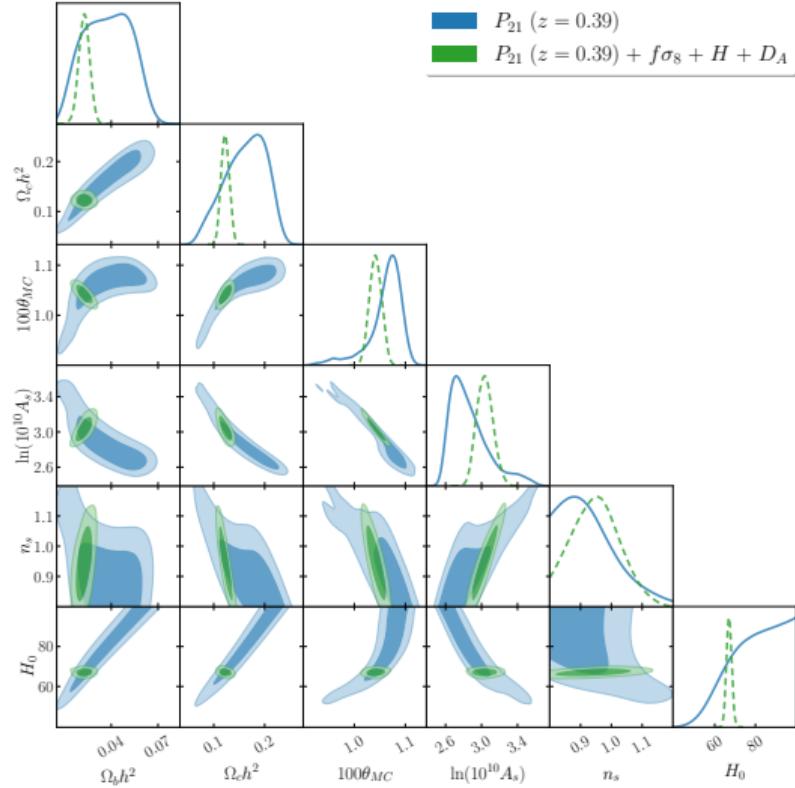


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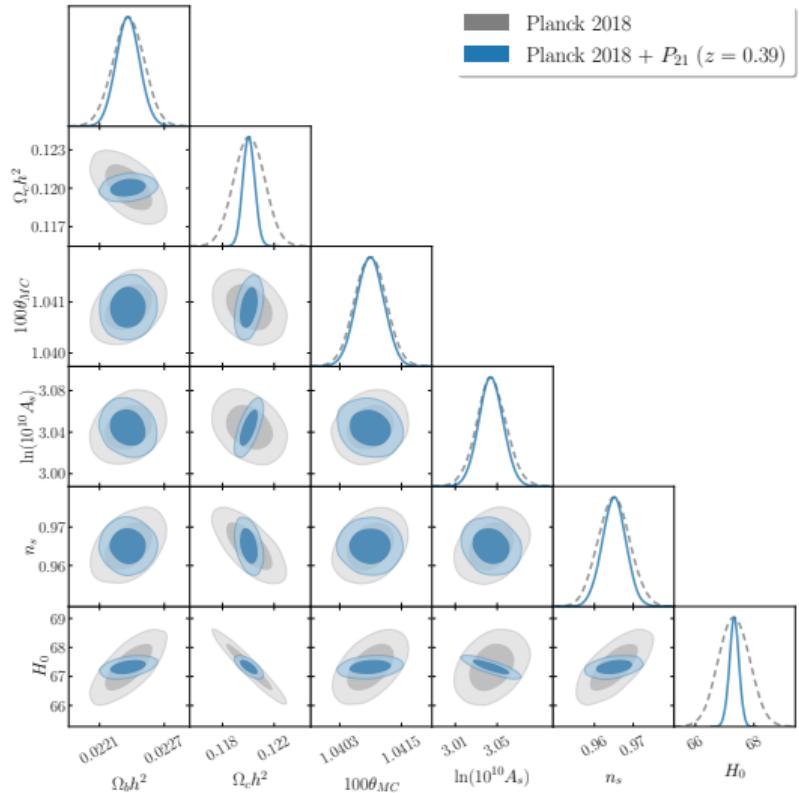


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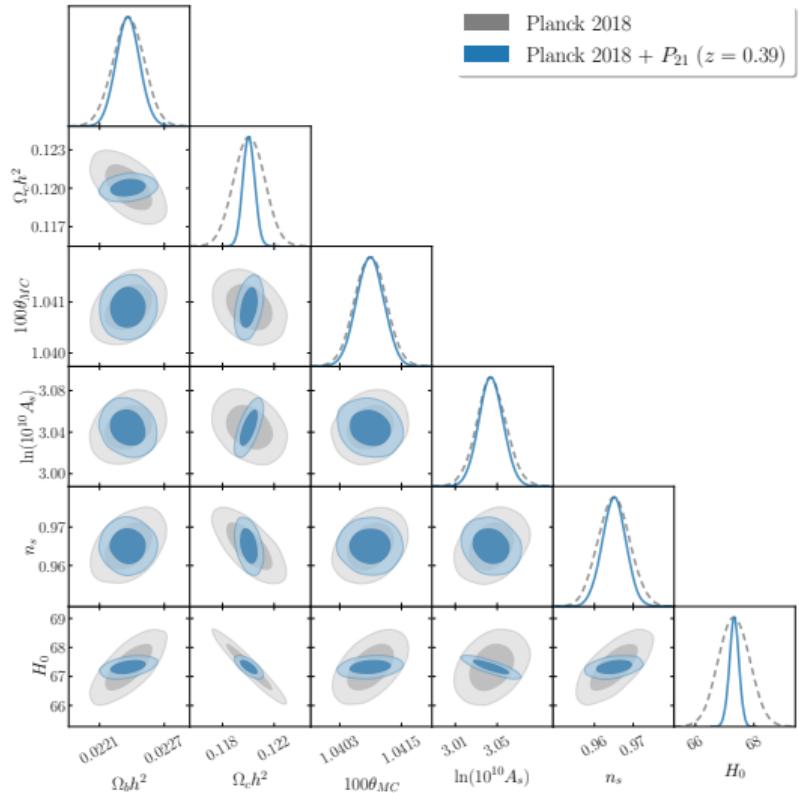


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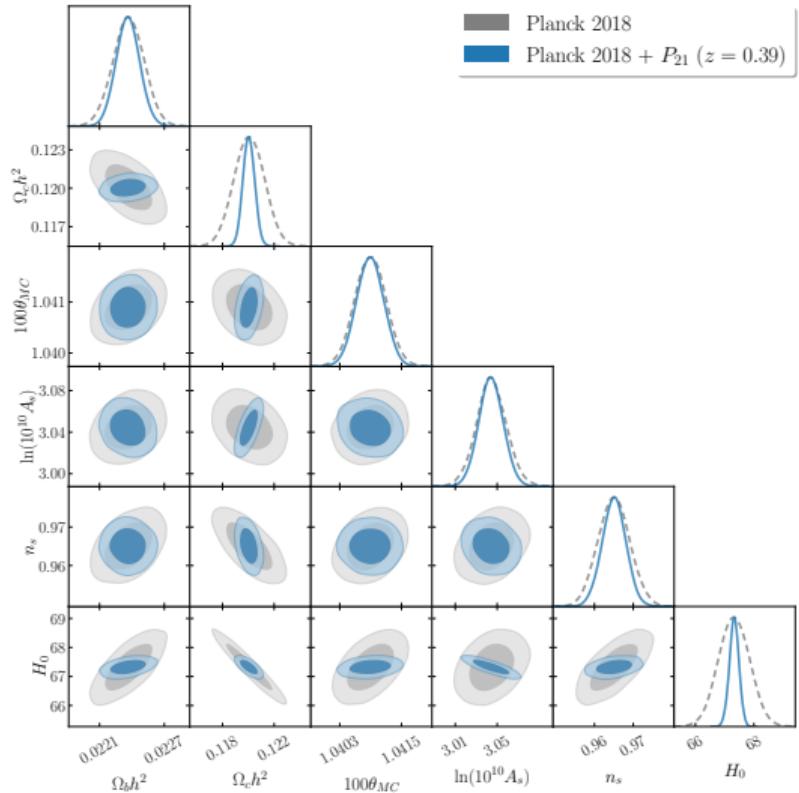


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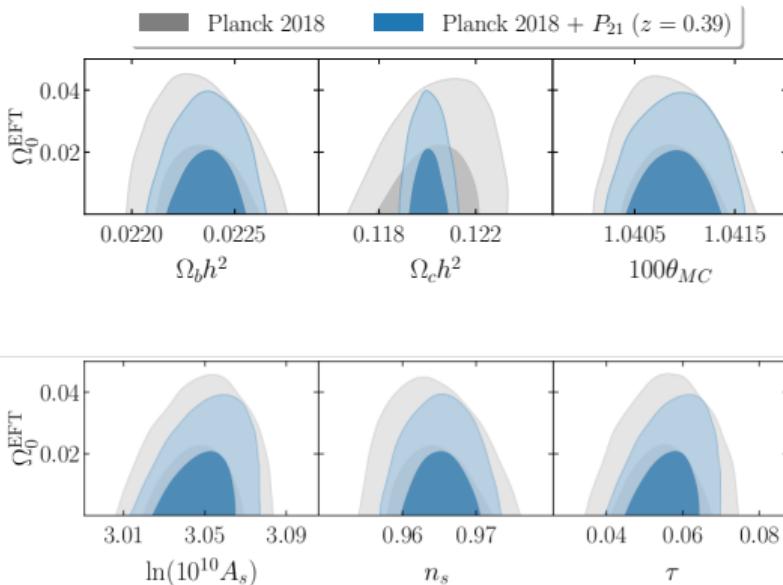


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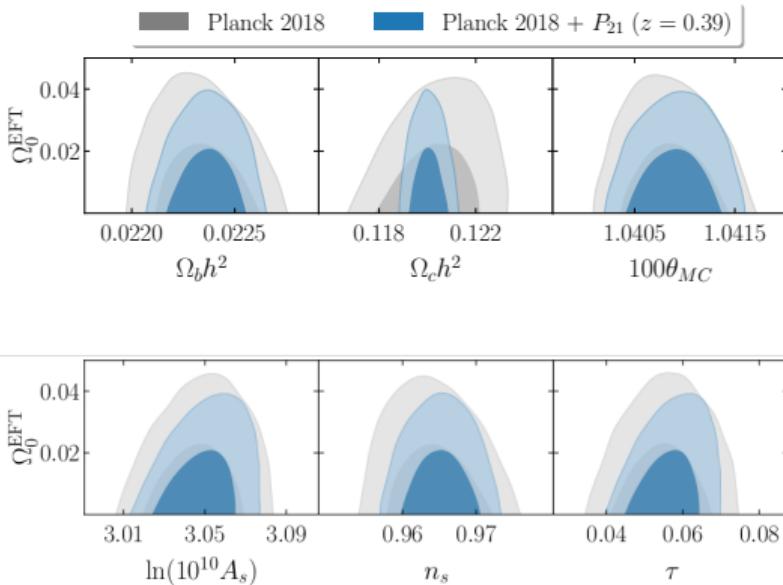


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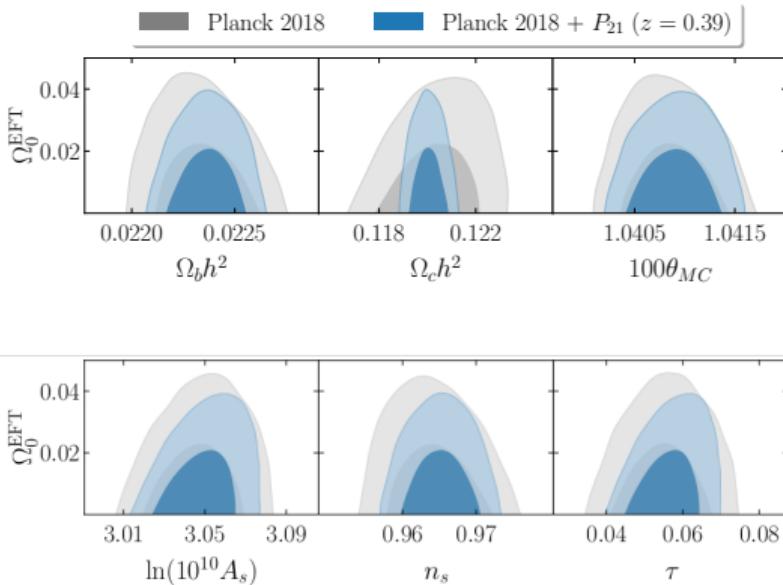


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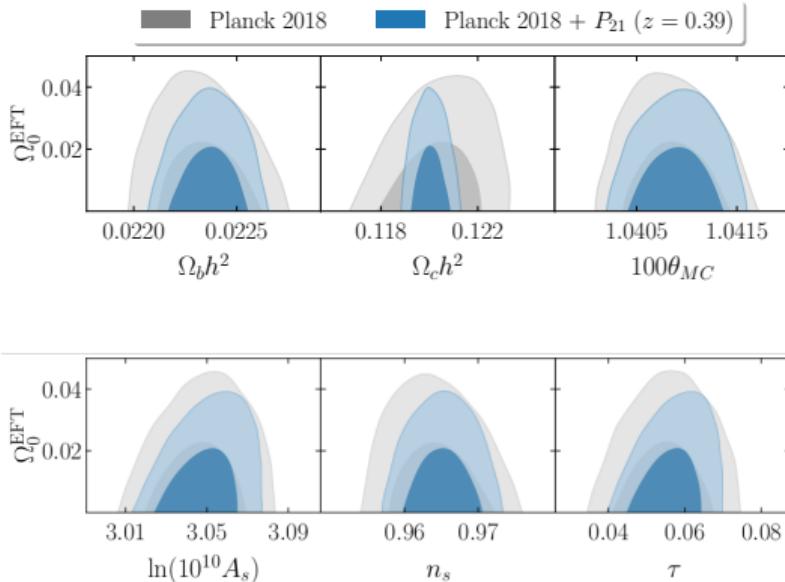


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The road ahead

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- Cross-correlation exploitation of intensity mapping and galaxy clustering observations
- extend the likelihood other beyond Λ CDM models, e.g. decaying dark matter