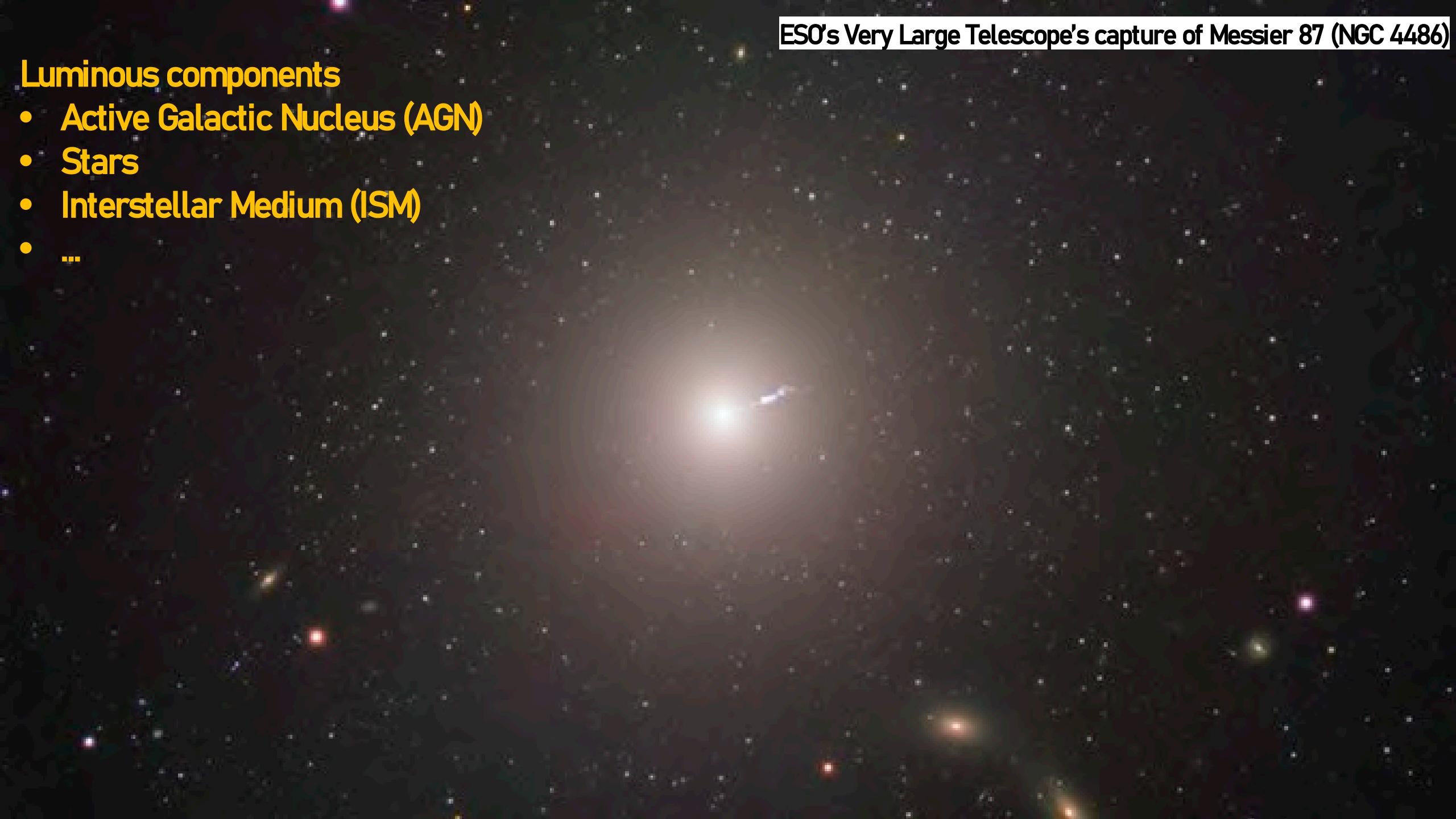




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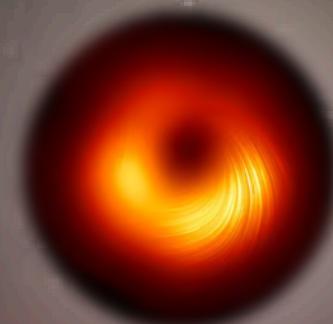
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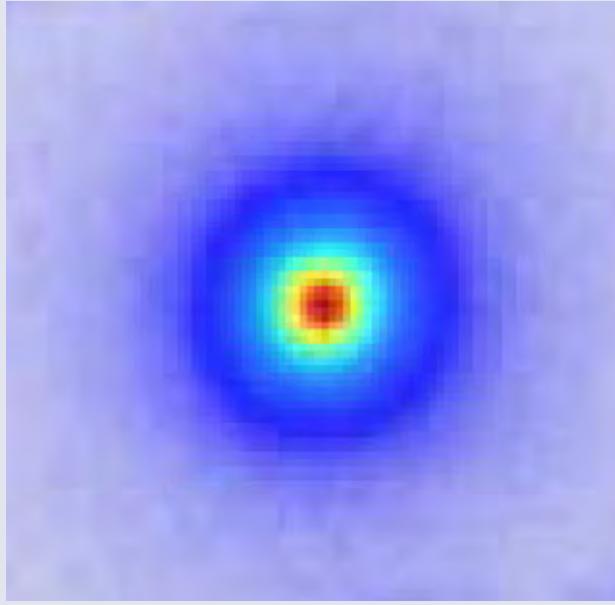
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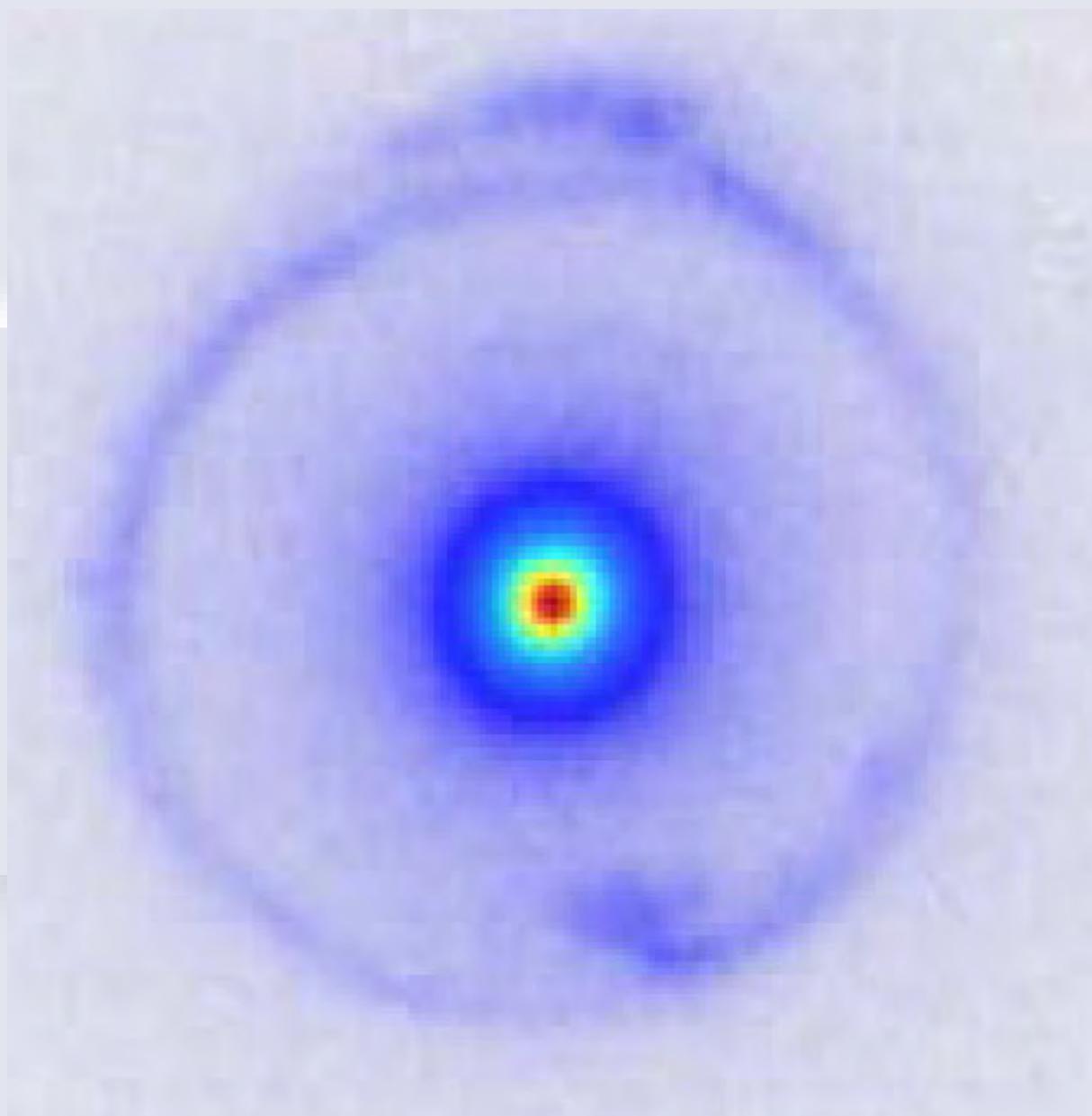
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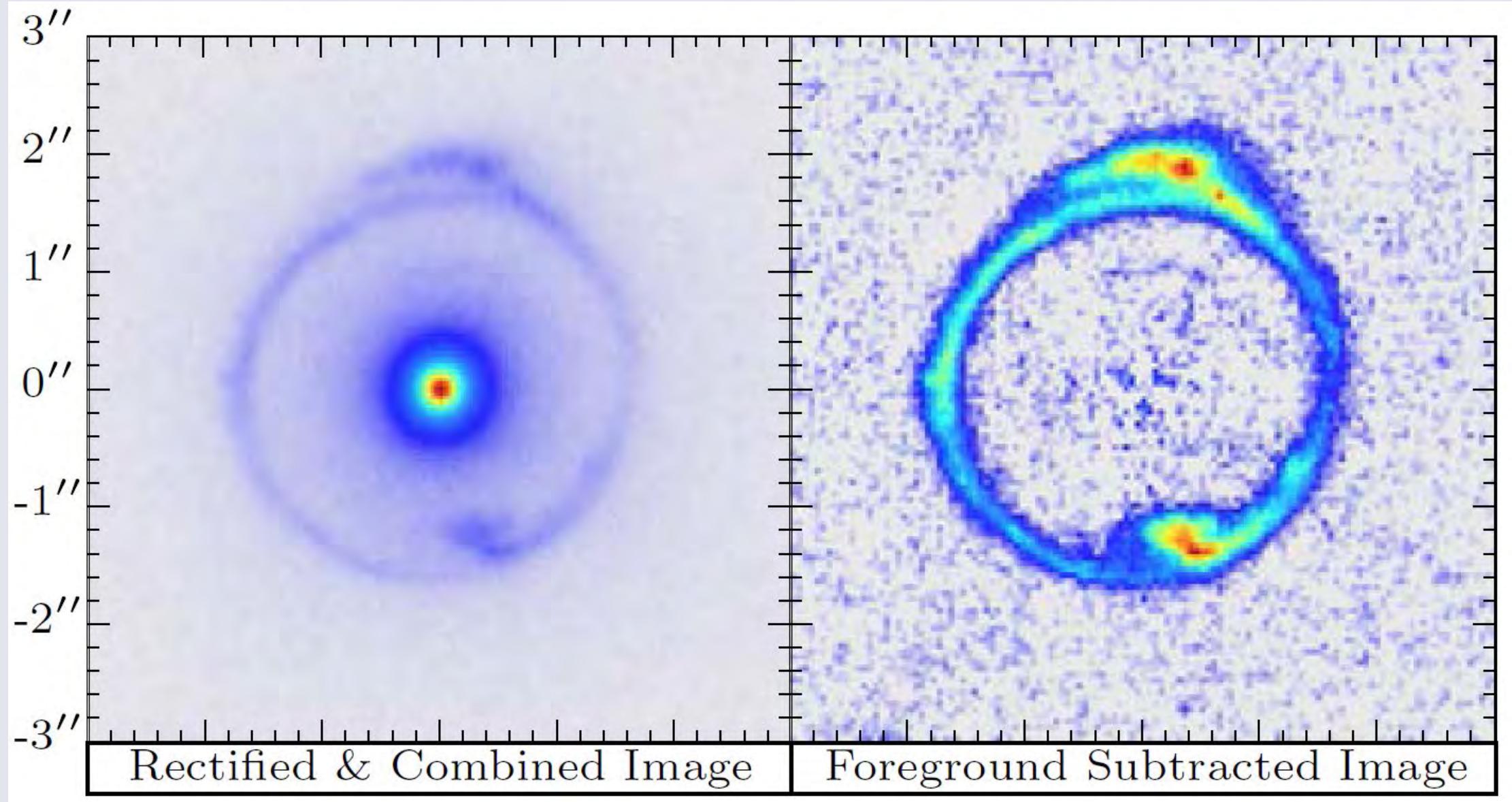
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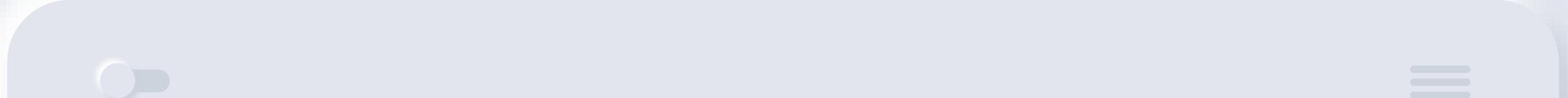
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# Redshift Evolution of Lensing Galaxy Density Slopes via Model-Independent Distance Ratios

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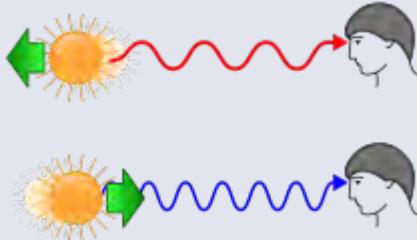
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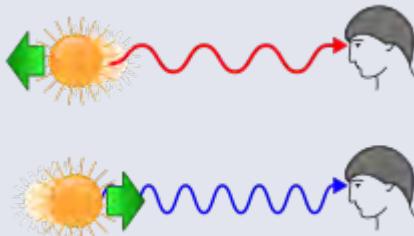
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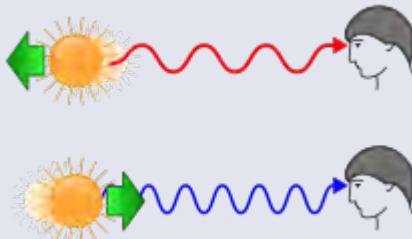
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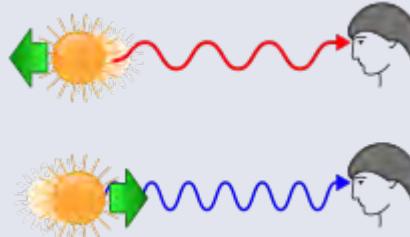
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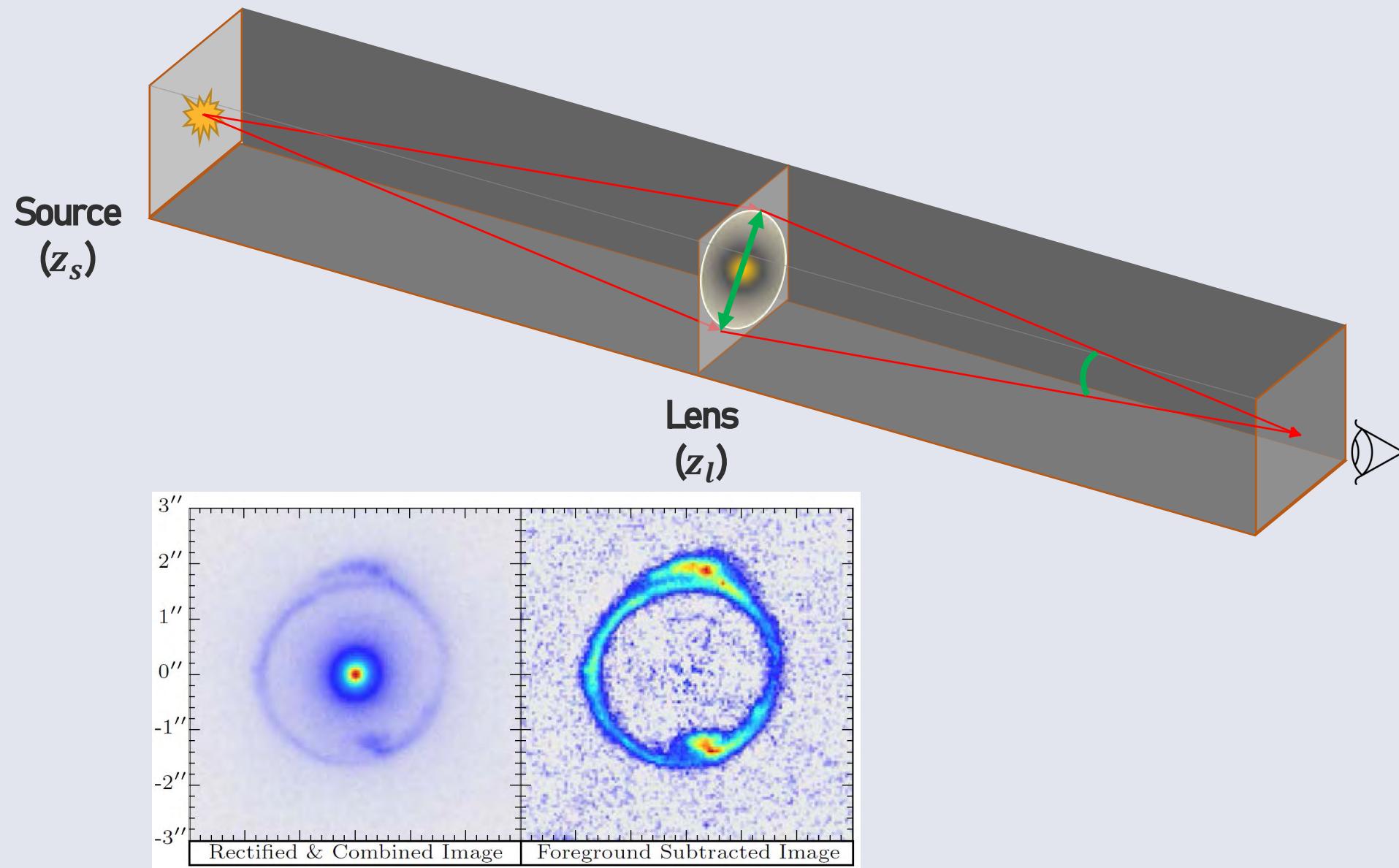
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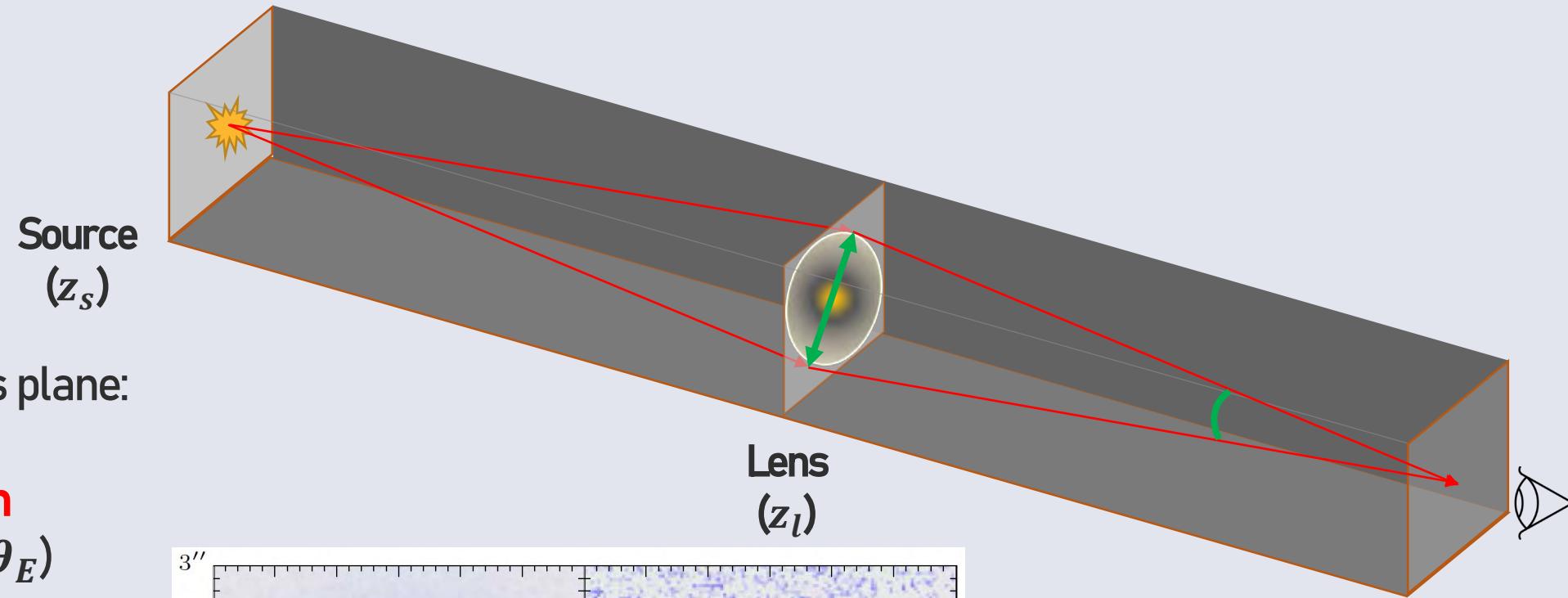
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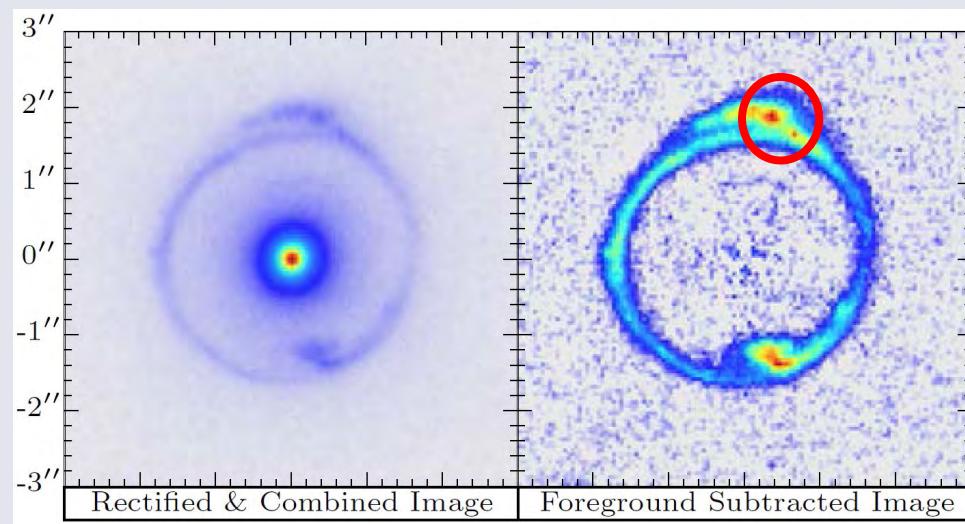


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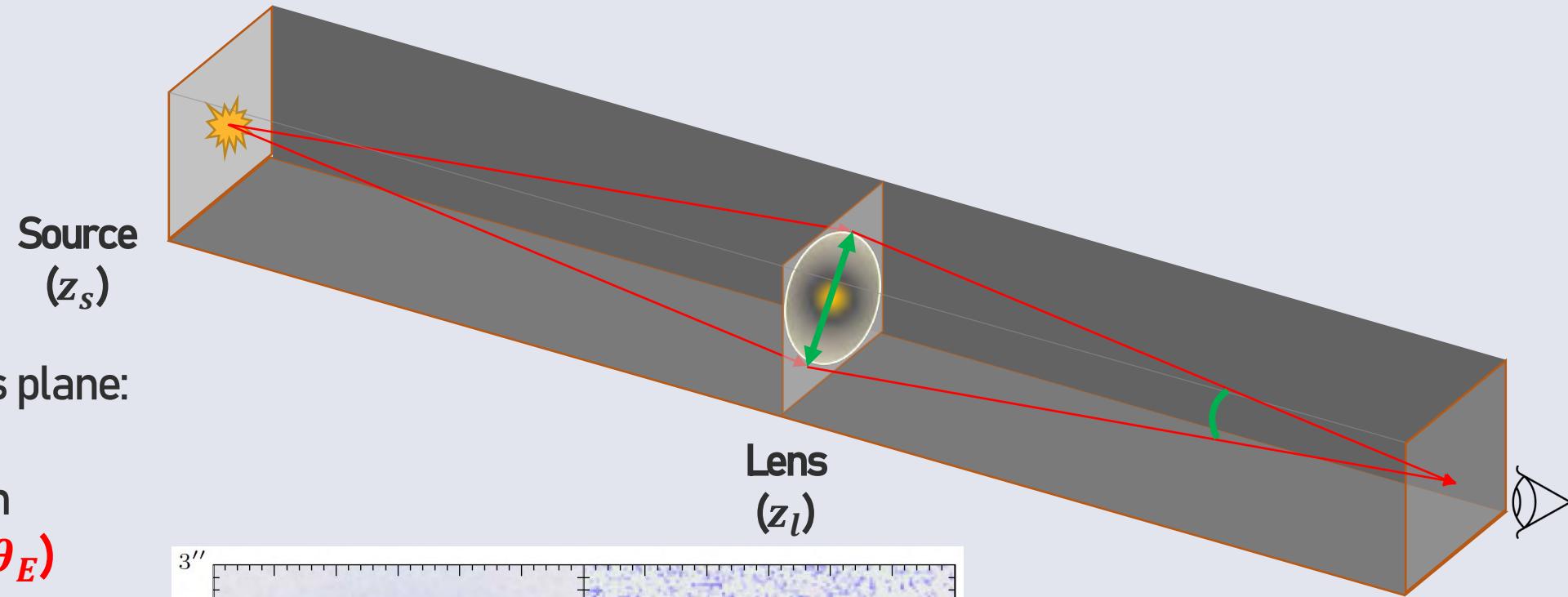
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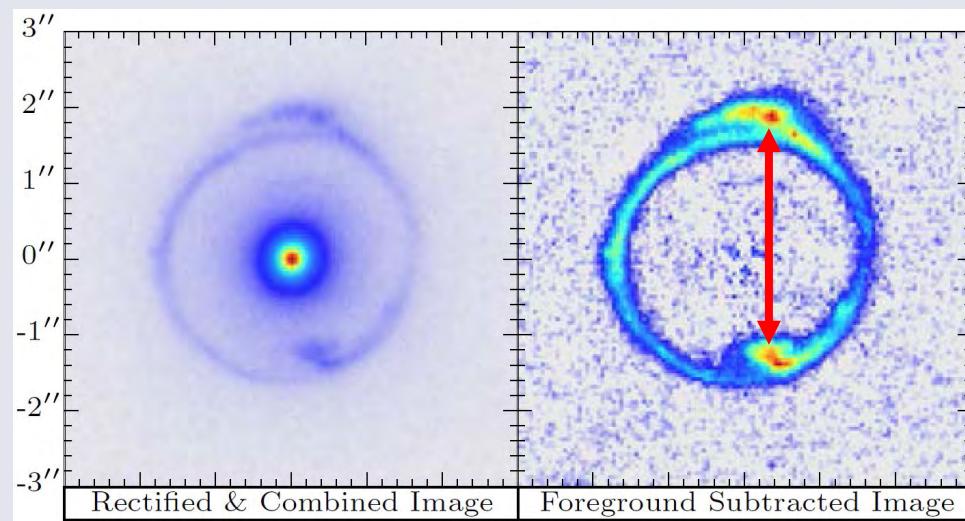


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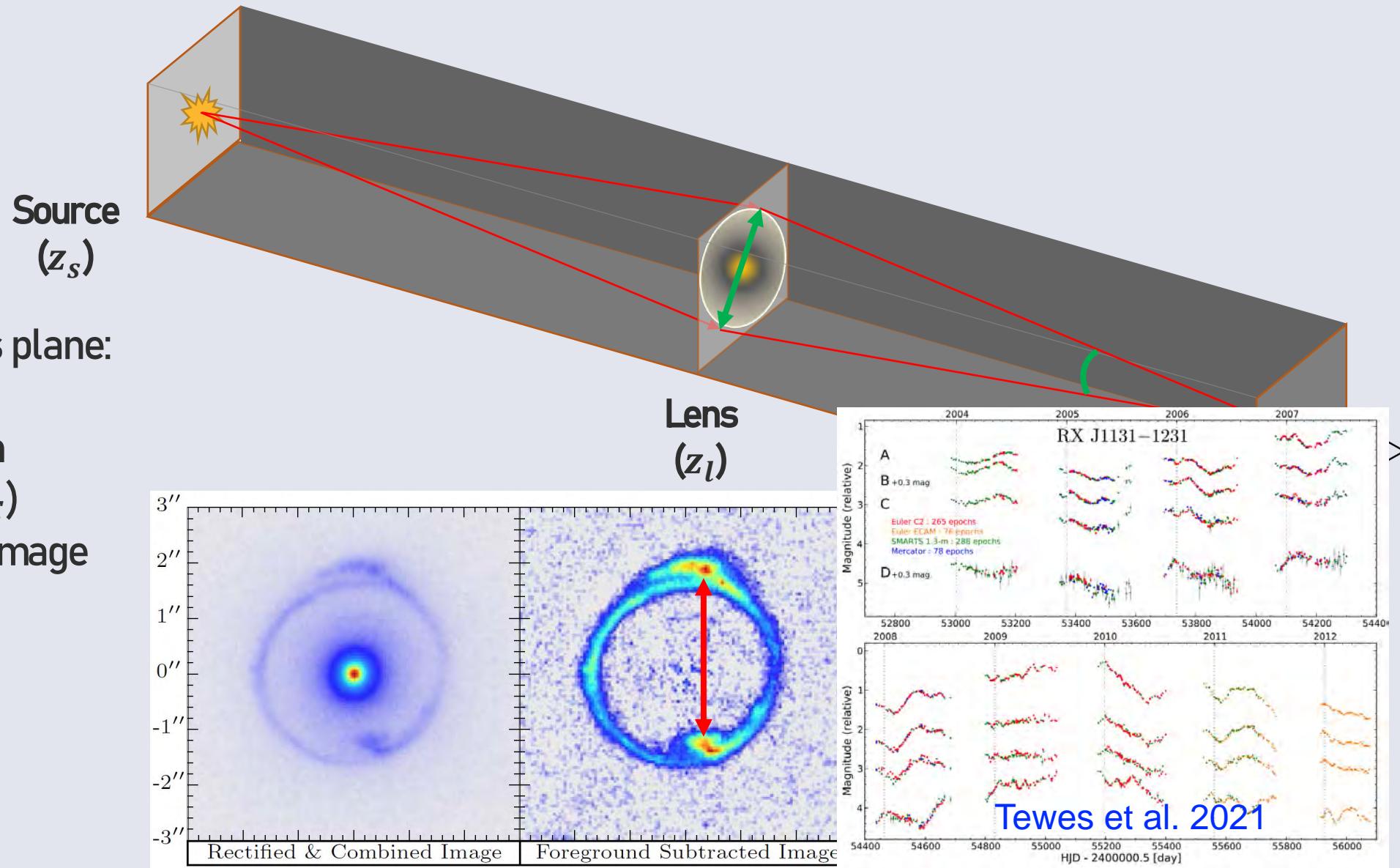
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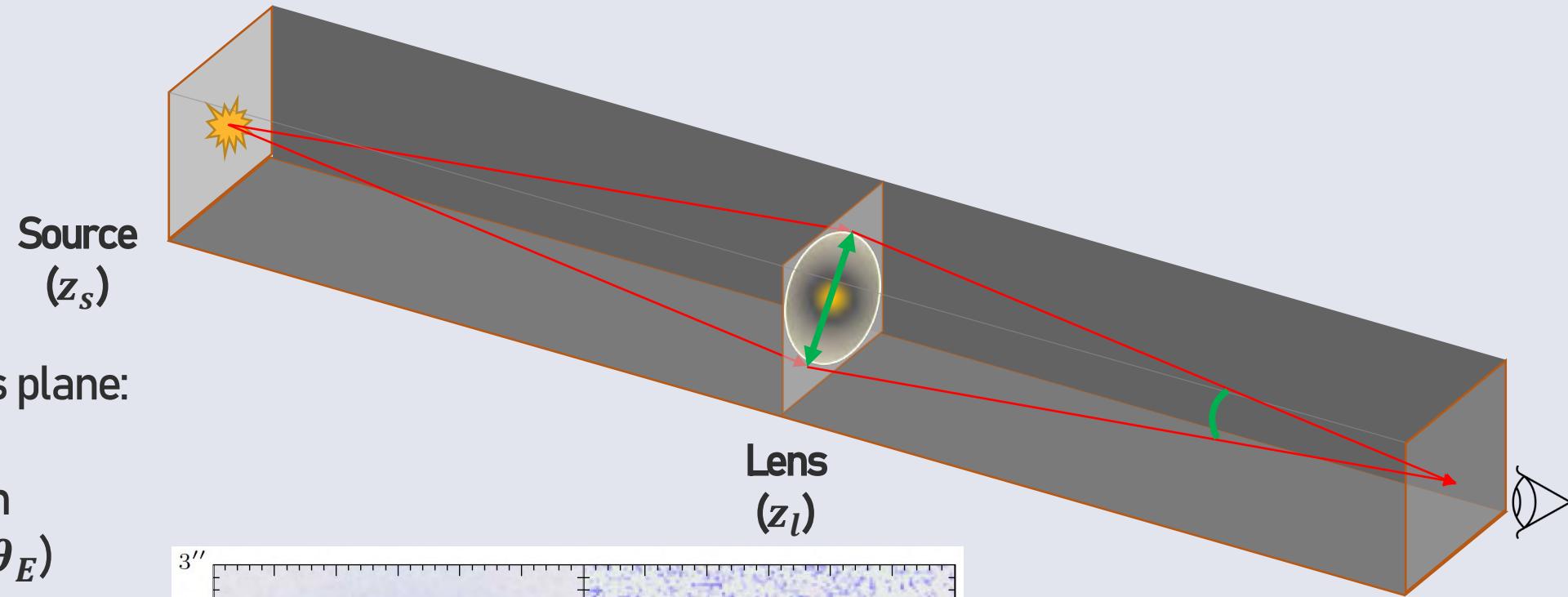
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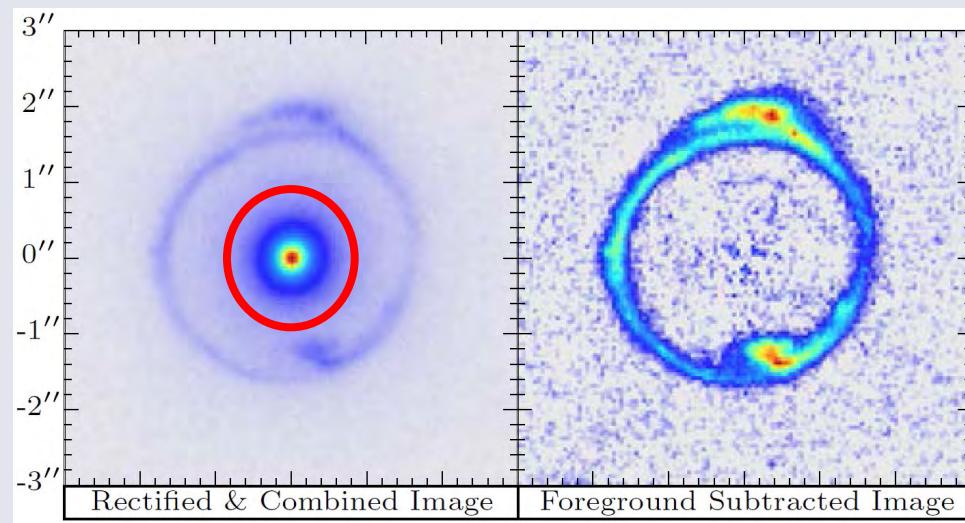


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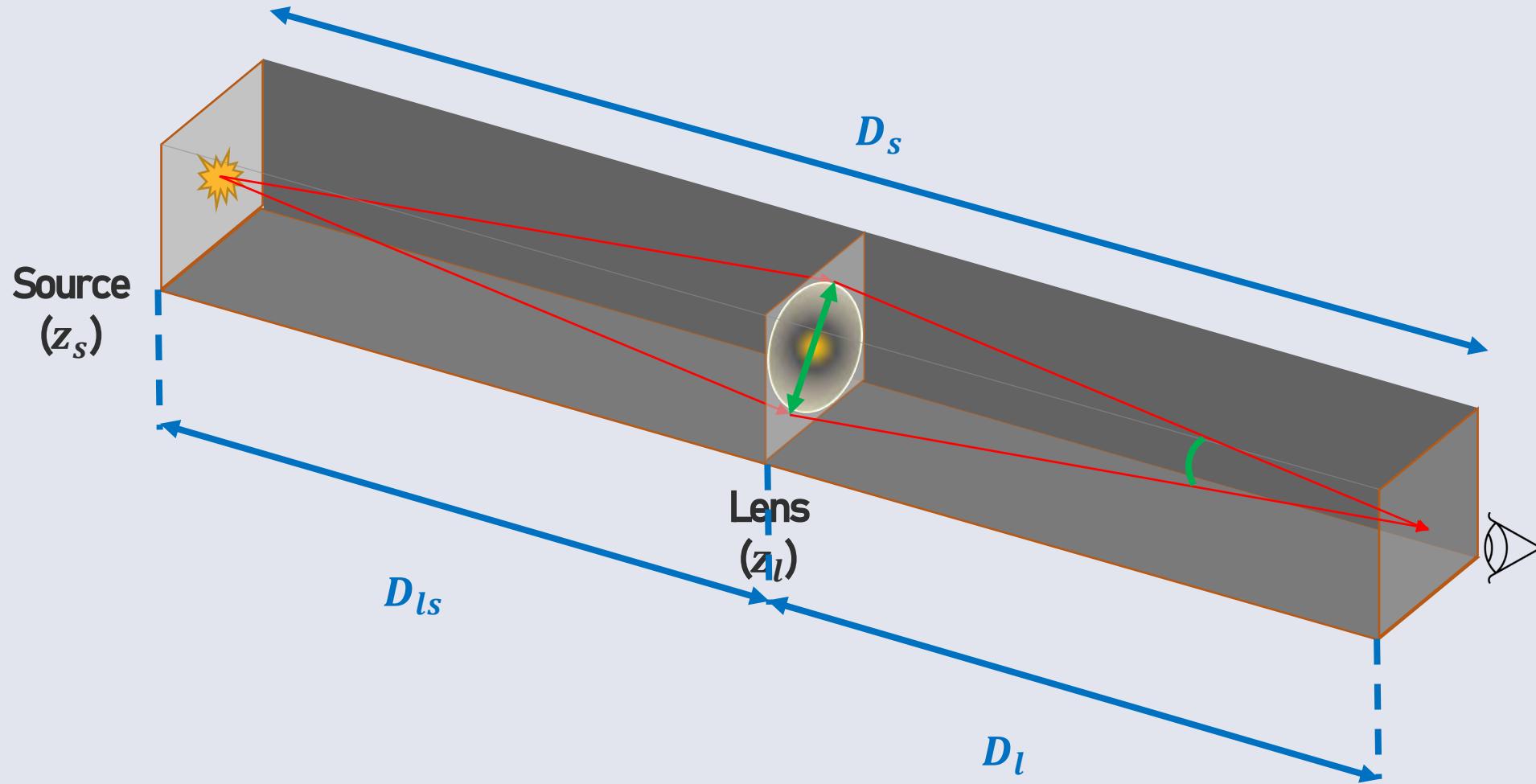
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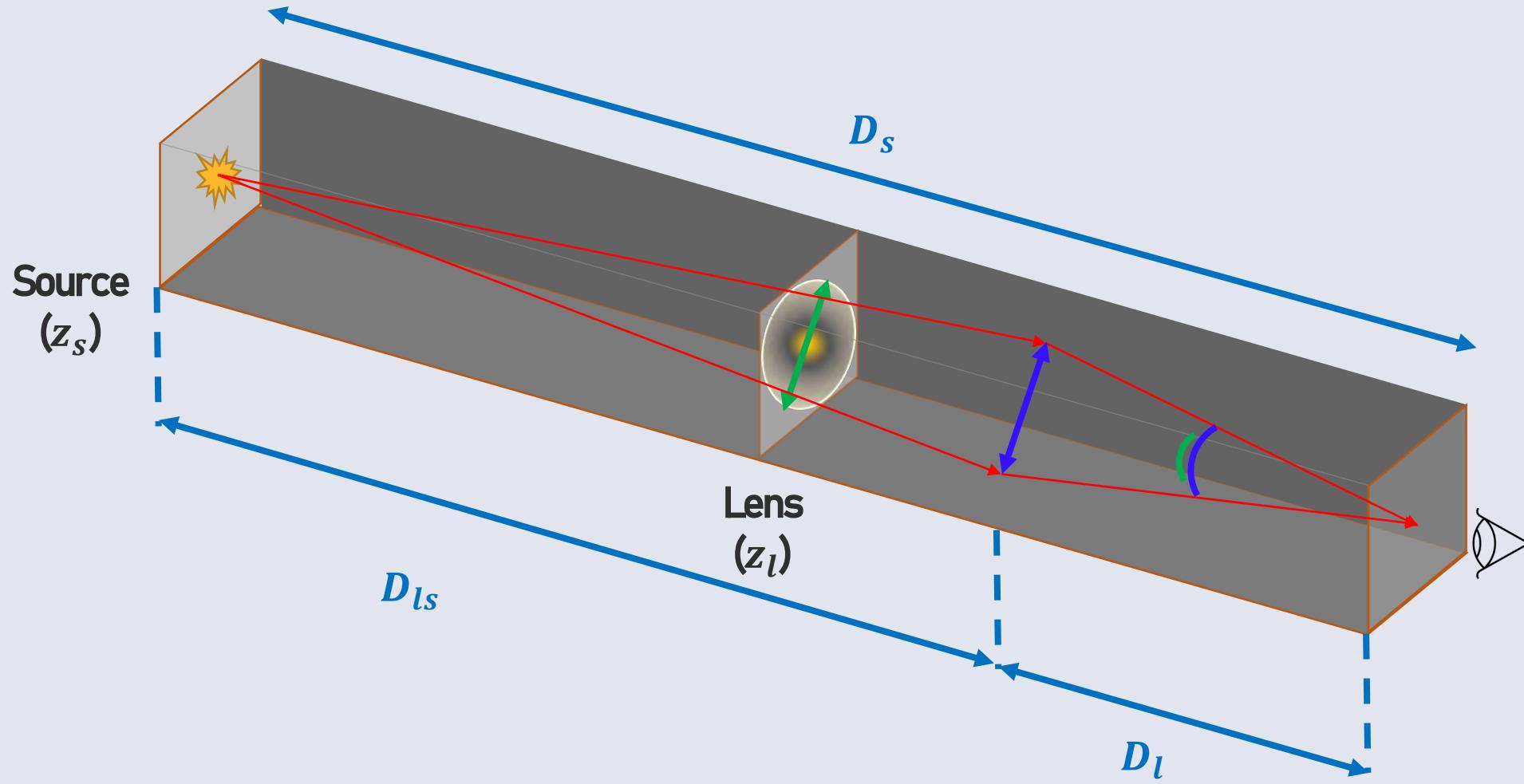
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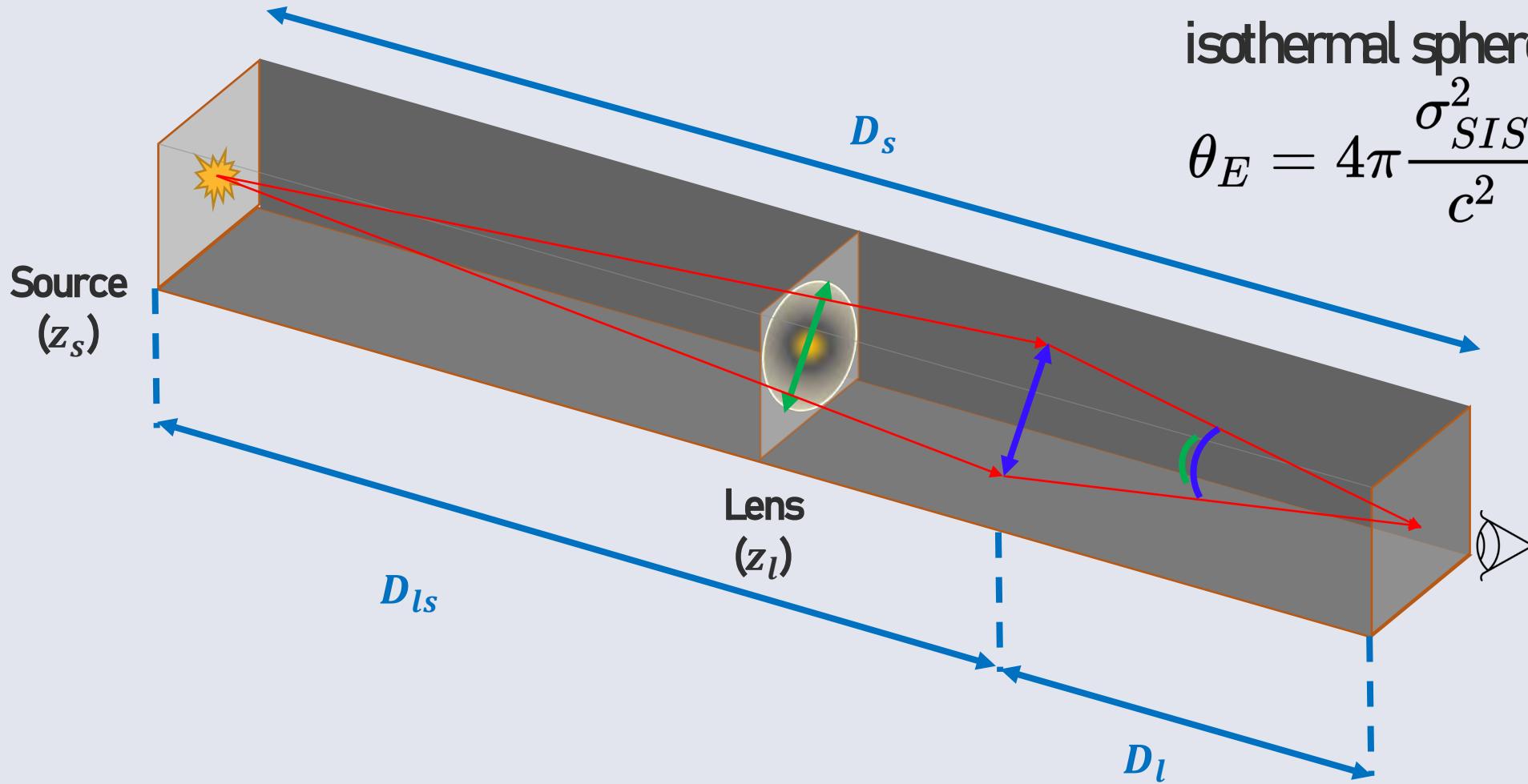
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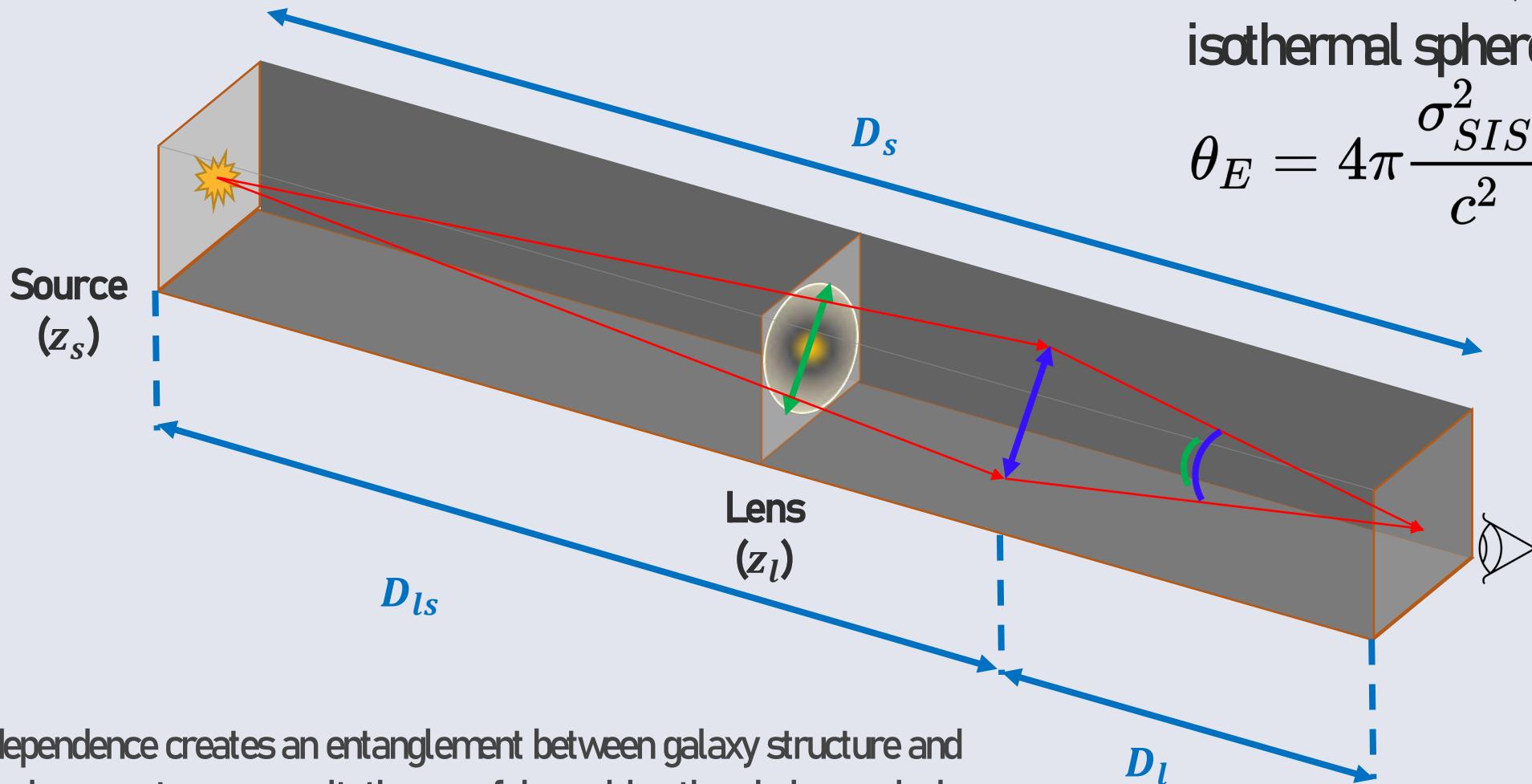
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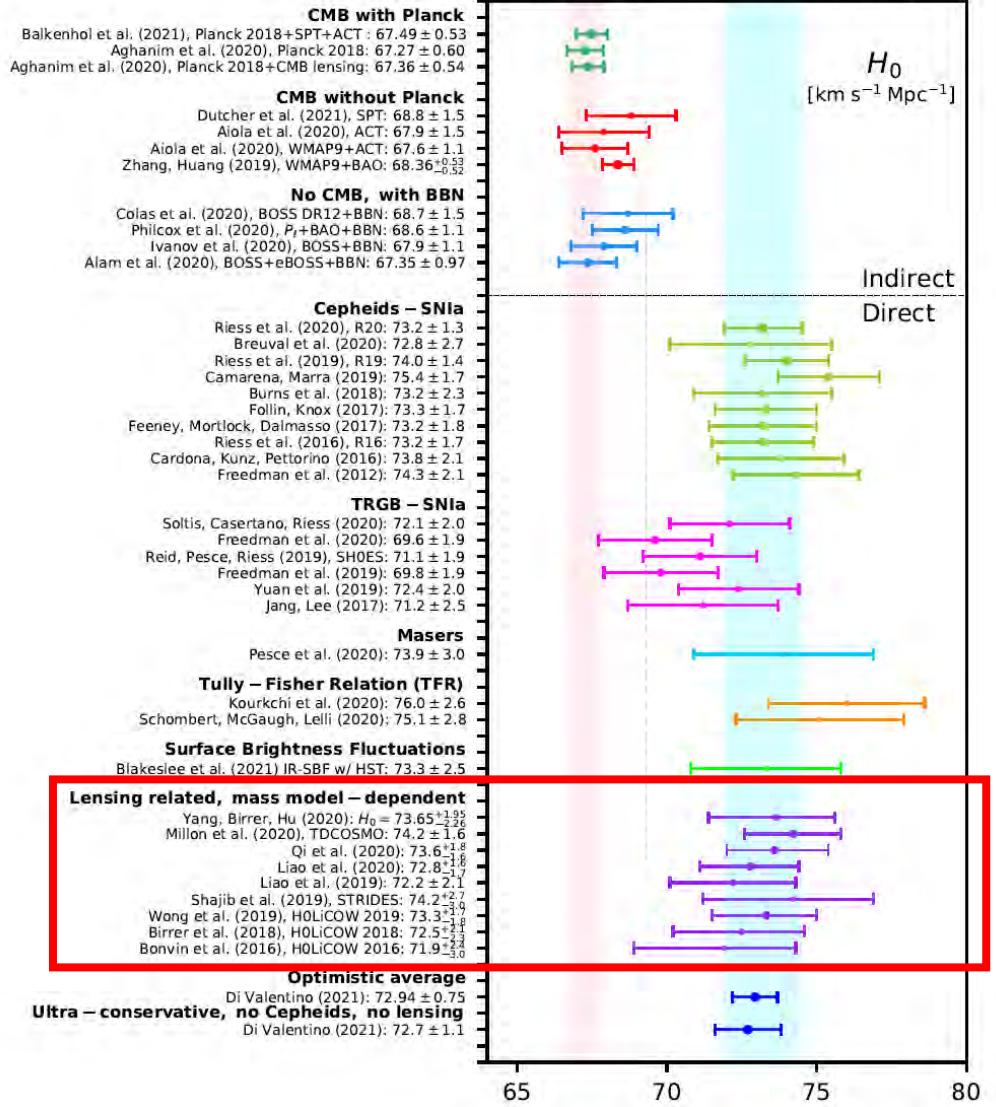
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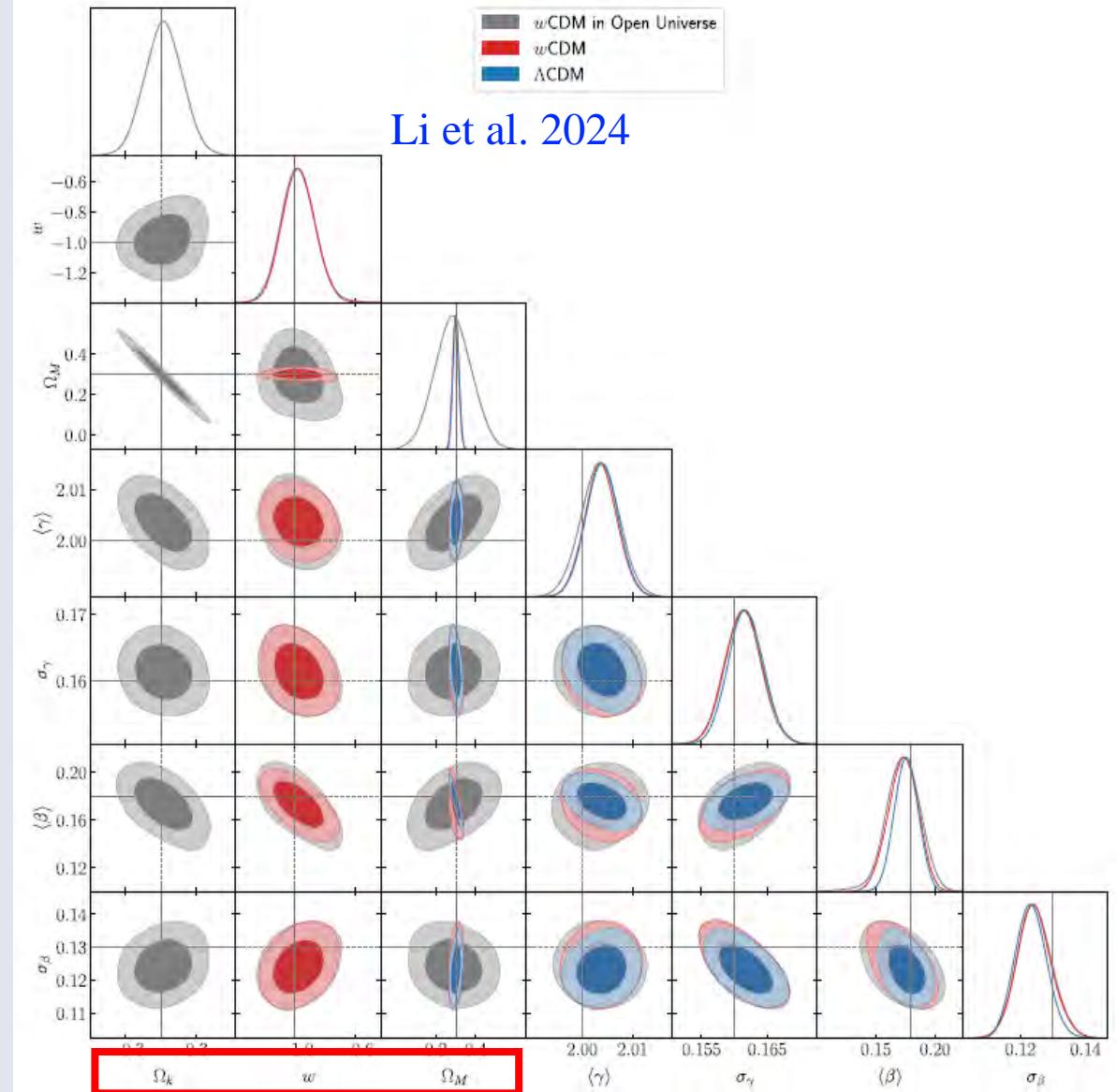
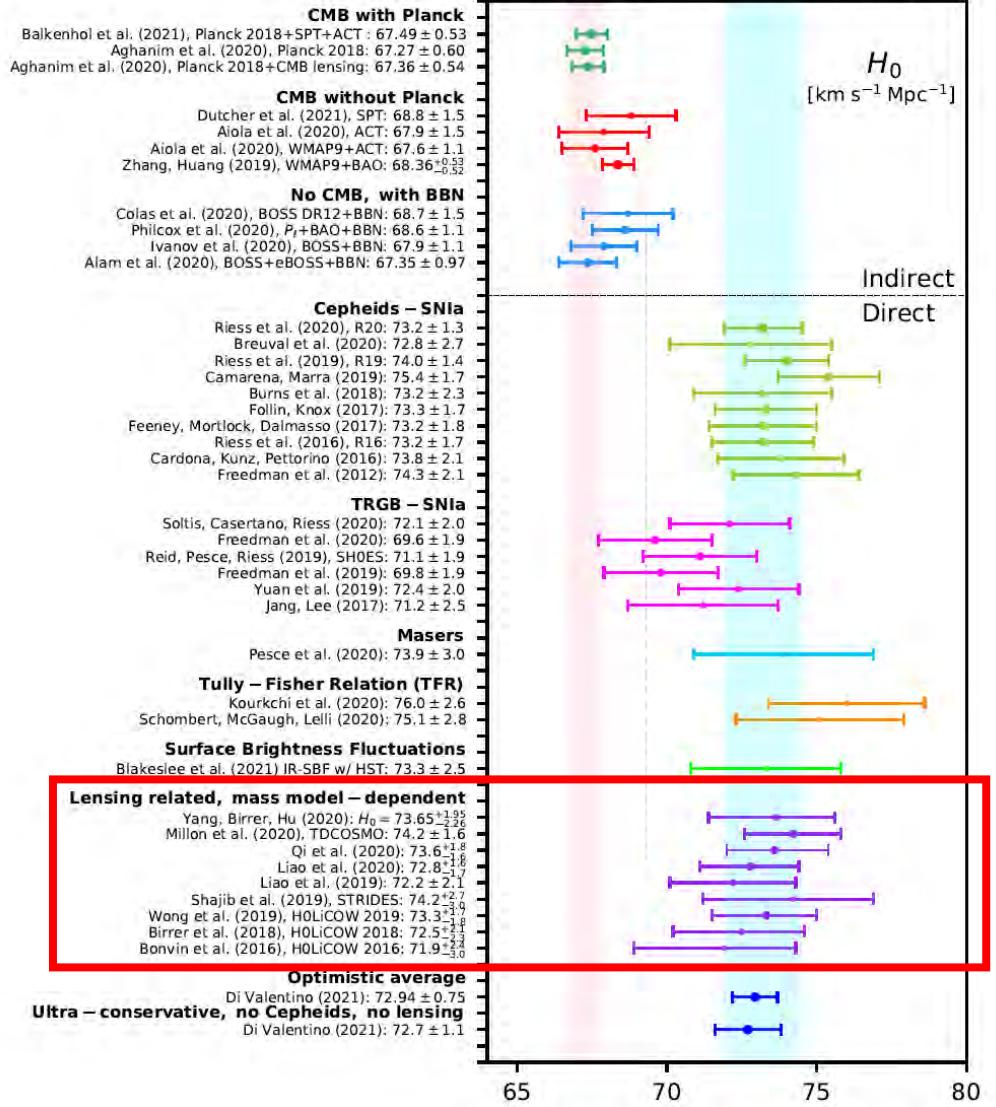
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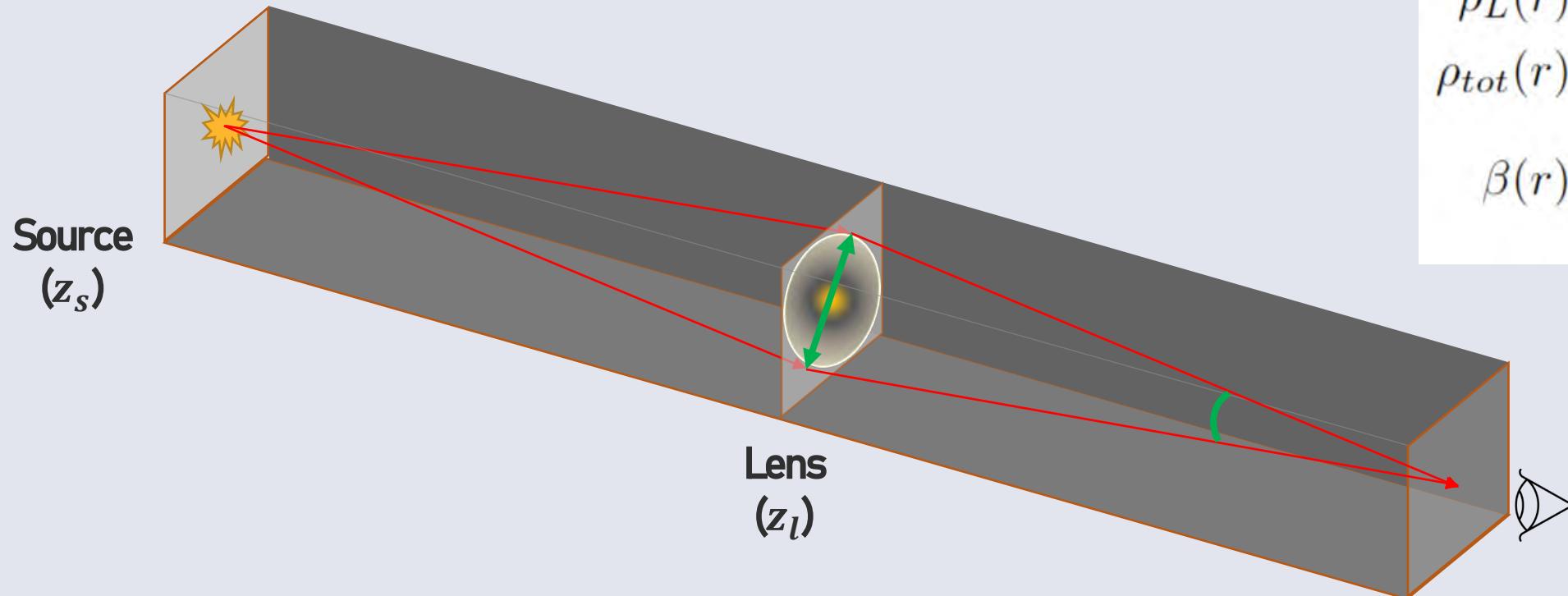
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## Lens model

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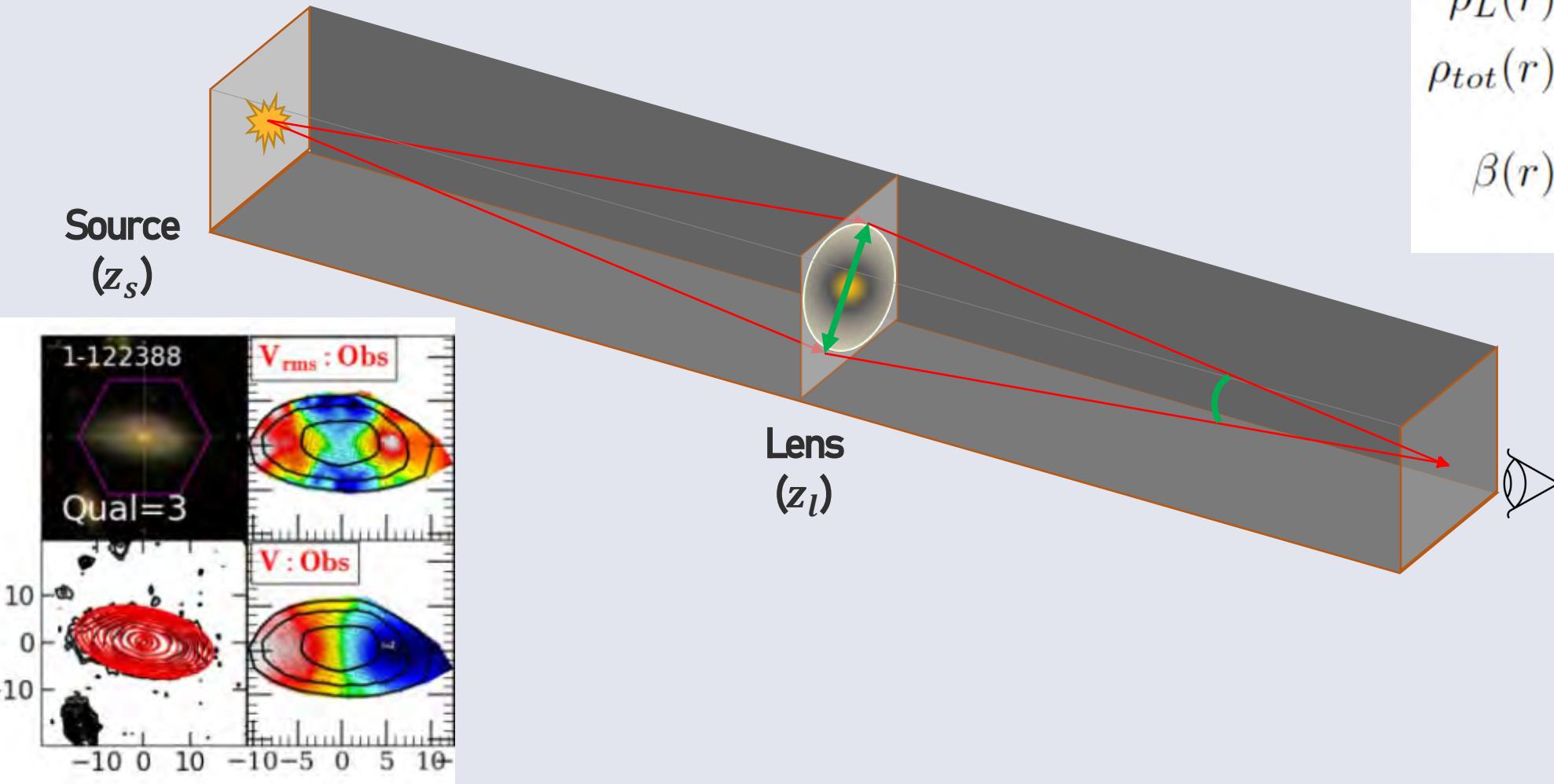
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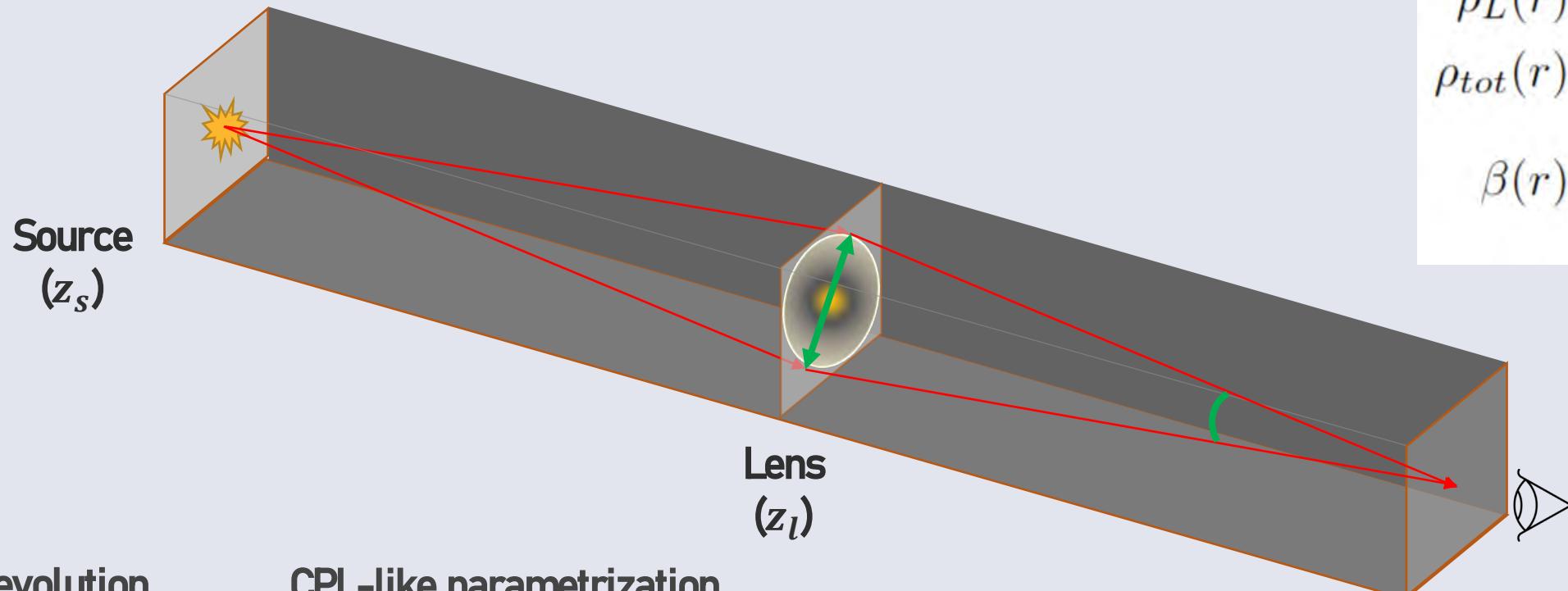
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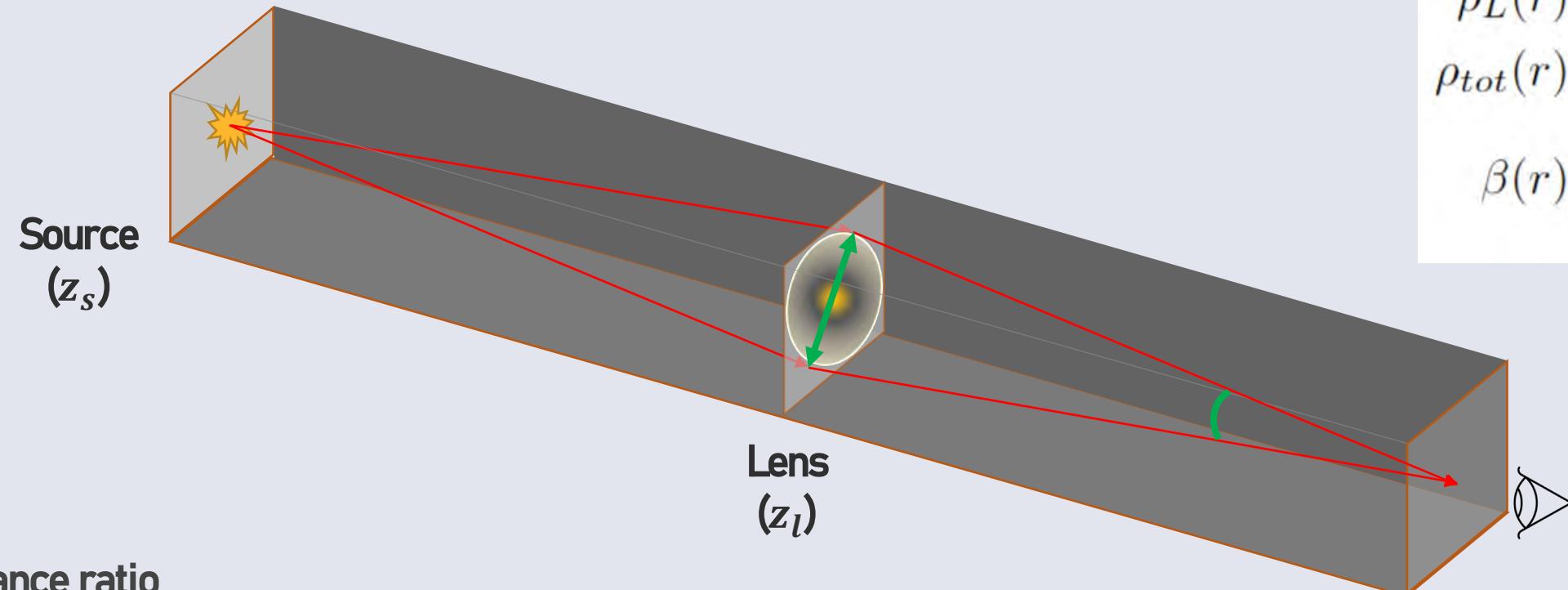
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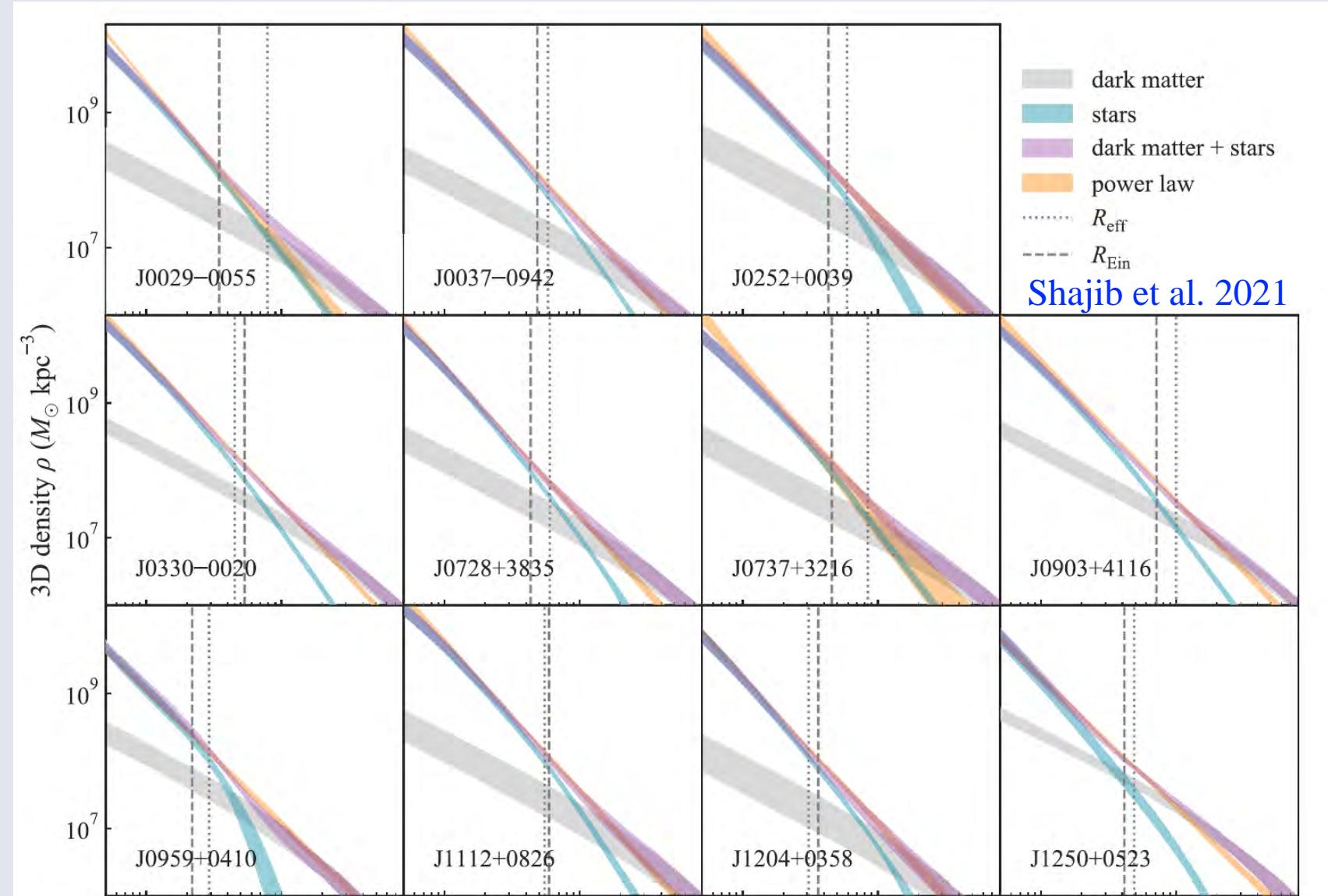


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# SPL model Applications

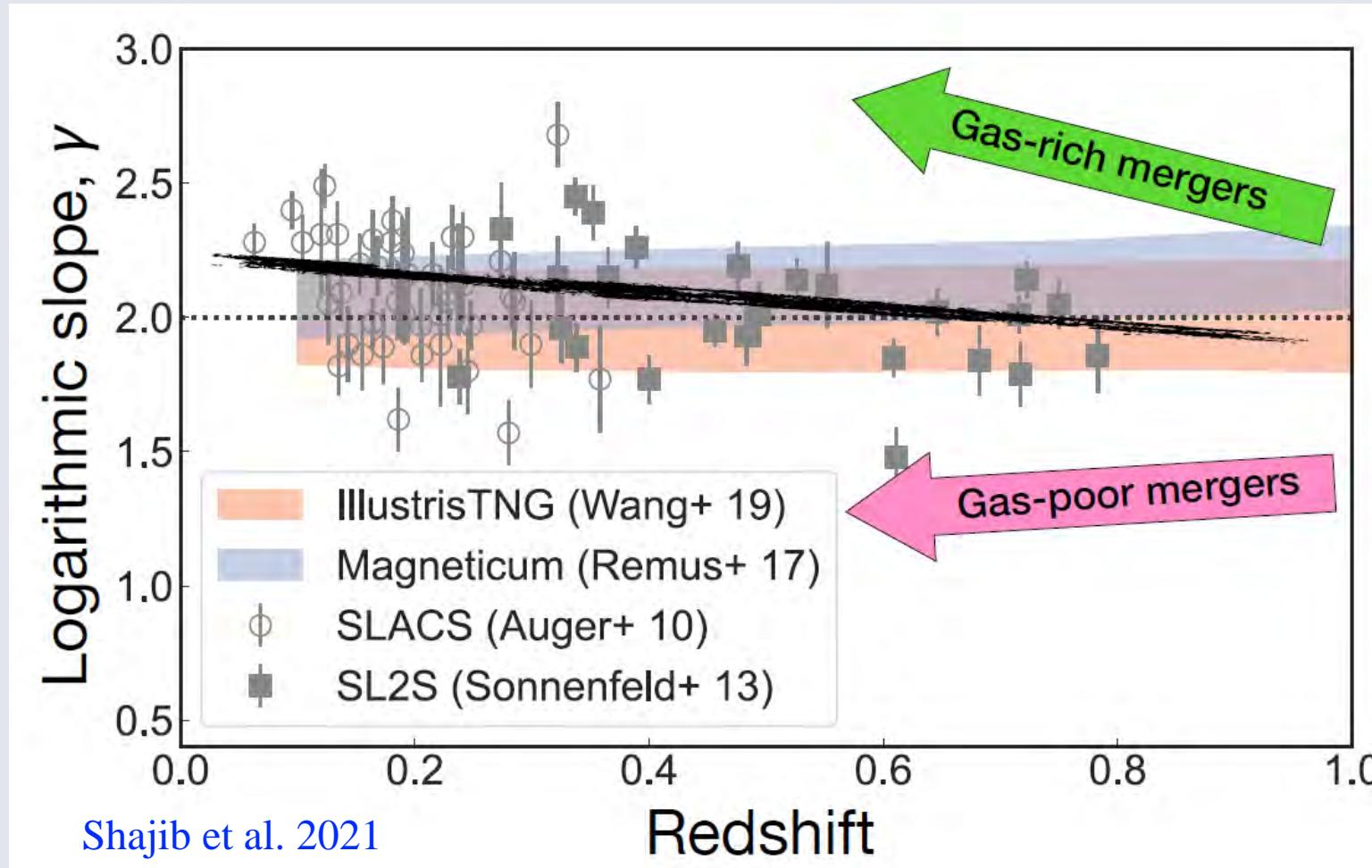
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| Galaxy evolution                                     | Exploring the Possible Evolution of the Mass Density Power-law Index of Strong Gravitational Lenses with a Model-independent Method   | Hu 2023  | Dali University  |
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| GR test & Post-Newtonian parameter                   | <p>Probing a scale dependent gravitational slip with galaxy strong lensing systems</p> <p>Direct Tests of General Relativity under Screening Effect with Galaxy-scale Strong Lensing Systems</p> <p>Direct Estimate of the Post-Newtonian Parameter and Cosmic Curvature from Galaxy-scale Strong Gravitational Lensing</p> <p>Galaxy-scale Test of General Relativity with Strong Gravitational Lensing</p>  | Guerrini & Mortsell 2024<br>Lian et al 2022<br>Wei et al 2022<br>Liu et al 2022  | Ecole Polytechnique, Palaiseau,<br>Beijing Normal University<br>Purple Mountain Observatory<br>Northeastern University   |
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| Dark matter  | <p>A new way to test the WIMP dark matter models</p> <p>Probing the dark matter density evolution law with large scale structures</p>   | Cheng et al 2021<br>Bora et al 2021  | Chongqing University of Posts and Telecommunications<br>Indian Institute of Technology   |
| Speed of light                                       | <p>Constraining a possible time-variation of the speed of light along with the fine-structure constant using strong gravitational lensing and Type Ia supernovae observations</p> <p>Consistency testing for invariance of the speed of light at different redshifts: the newest results from strong lensing and Type Ia supernovae observations</p>  | Colaco et al 2022<br>Liu et al 2021  | Federal University of Rio Grande do Norte<br>Beijing Normal University   |
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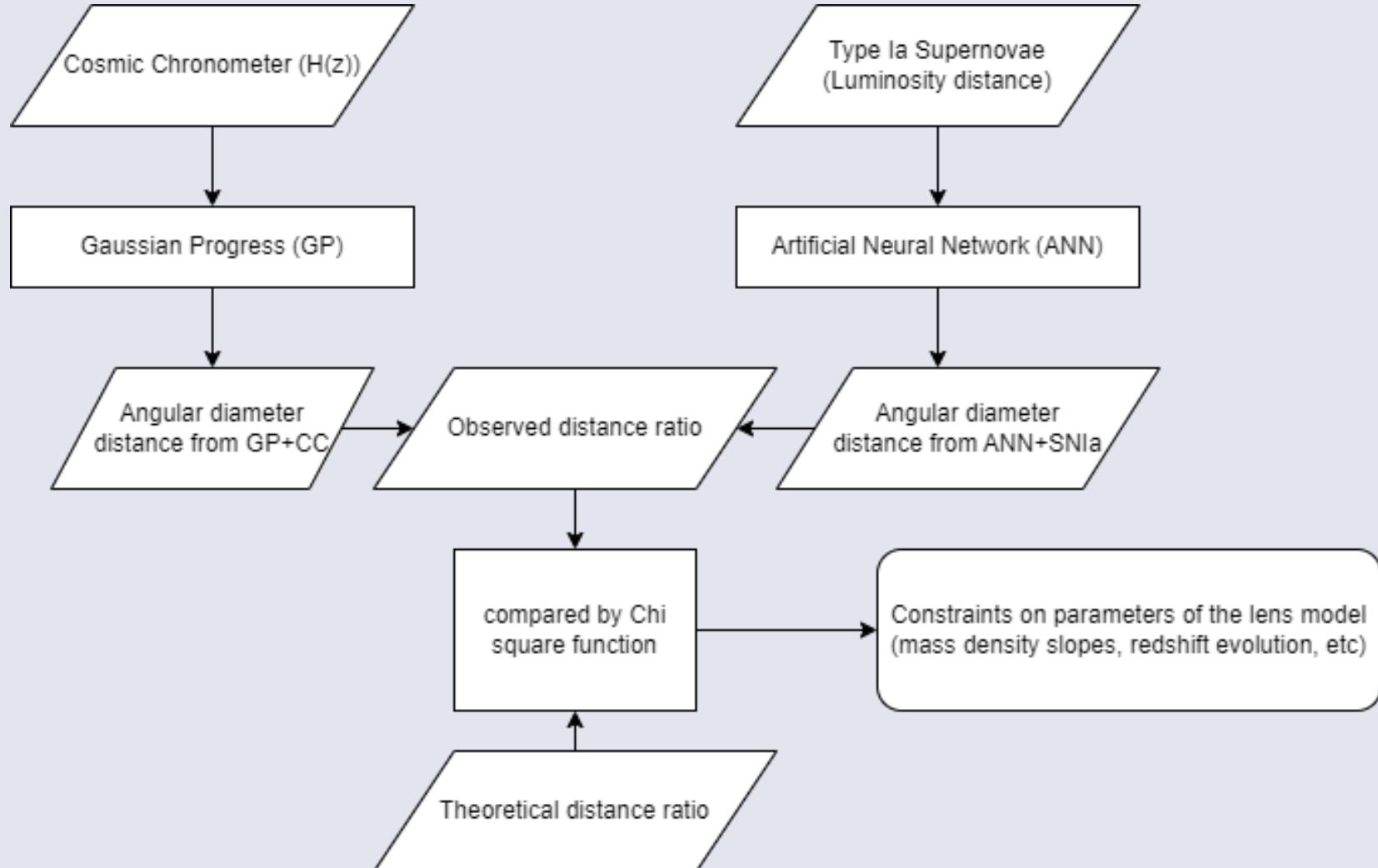


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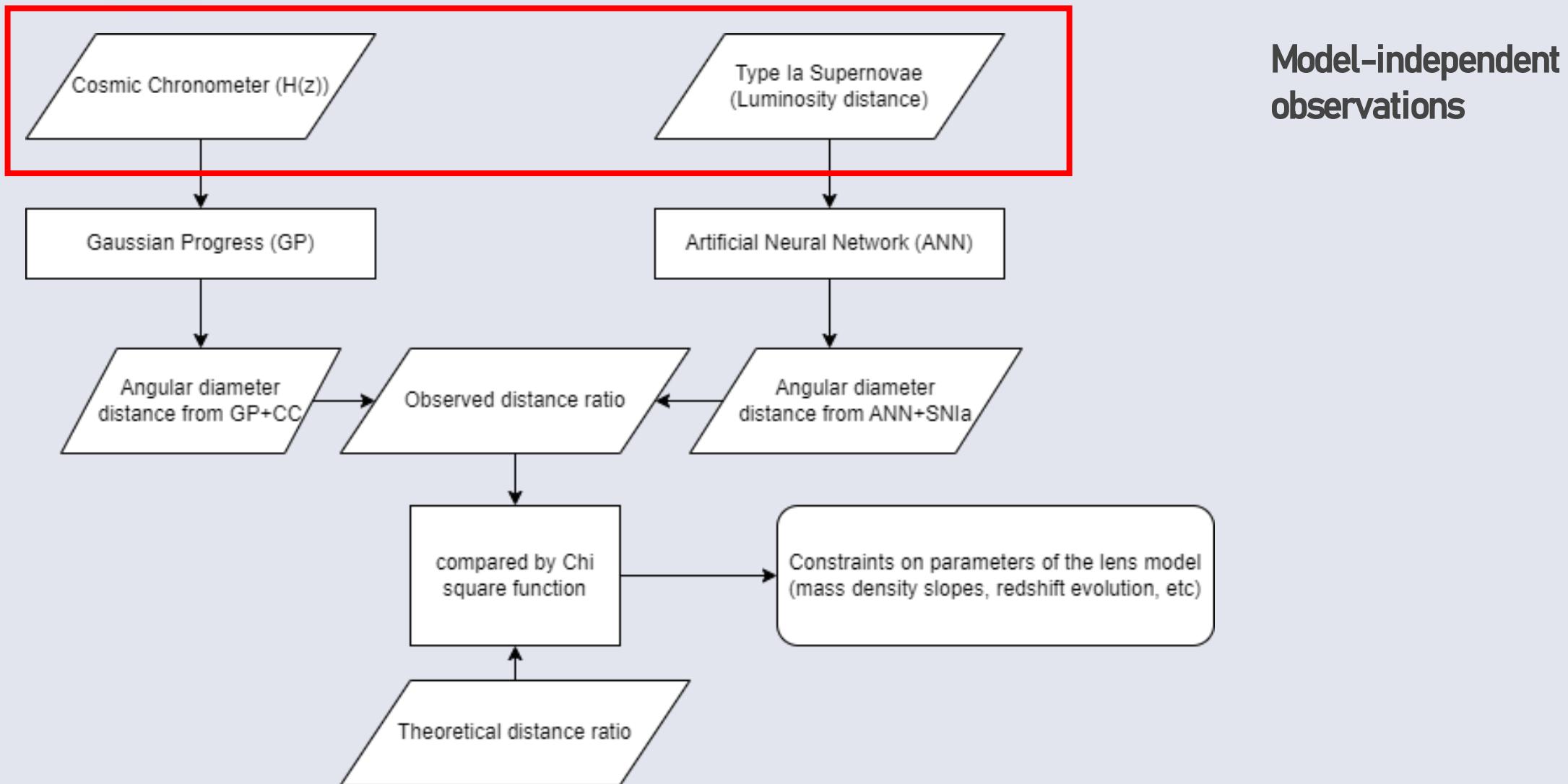
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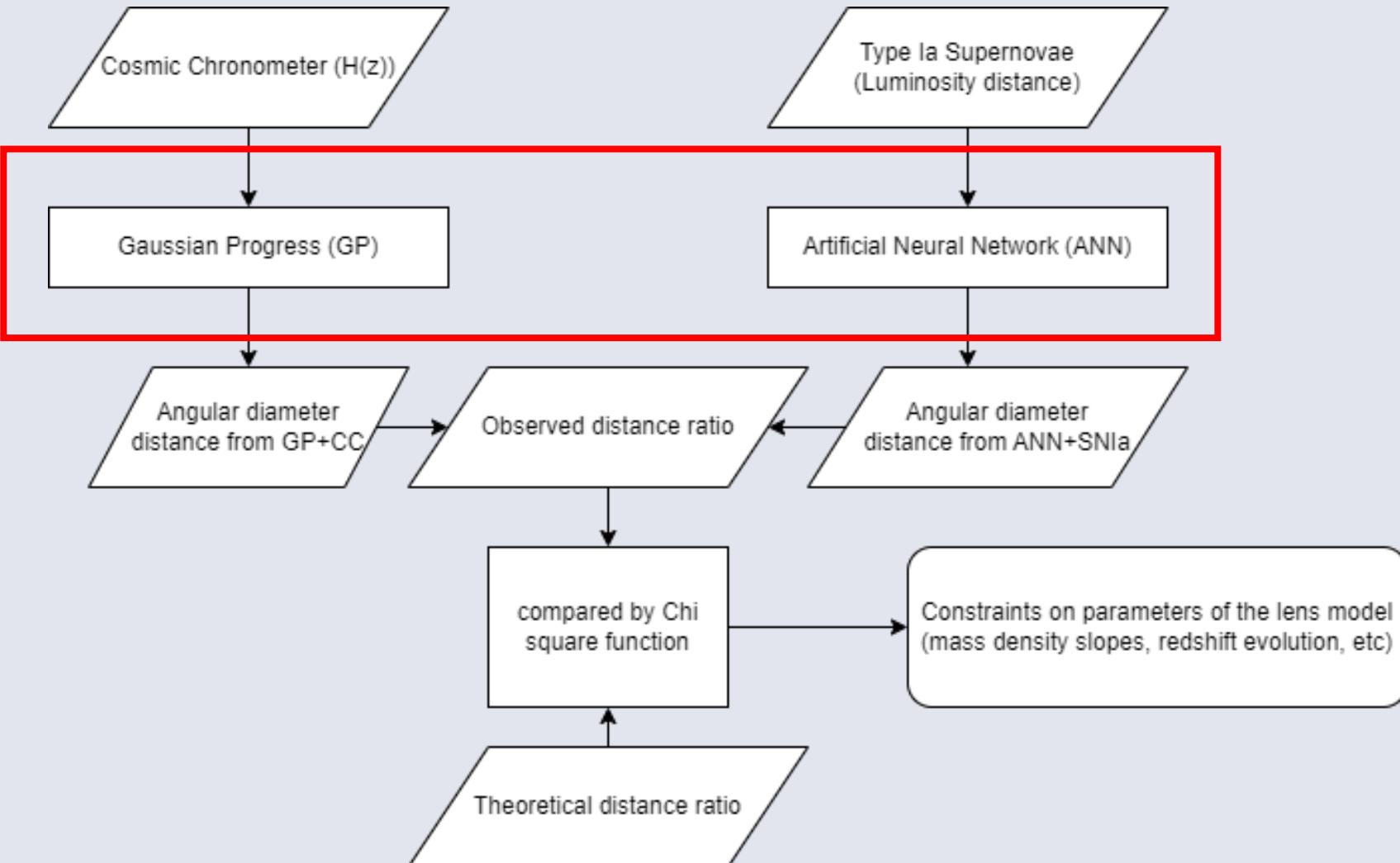
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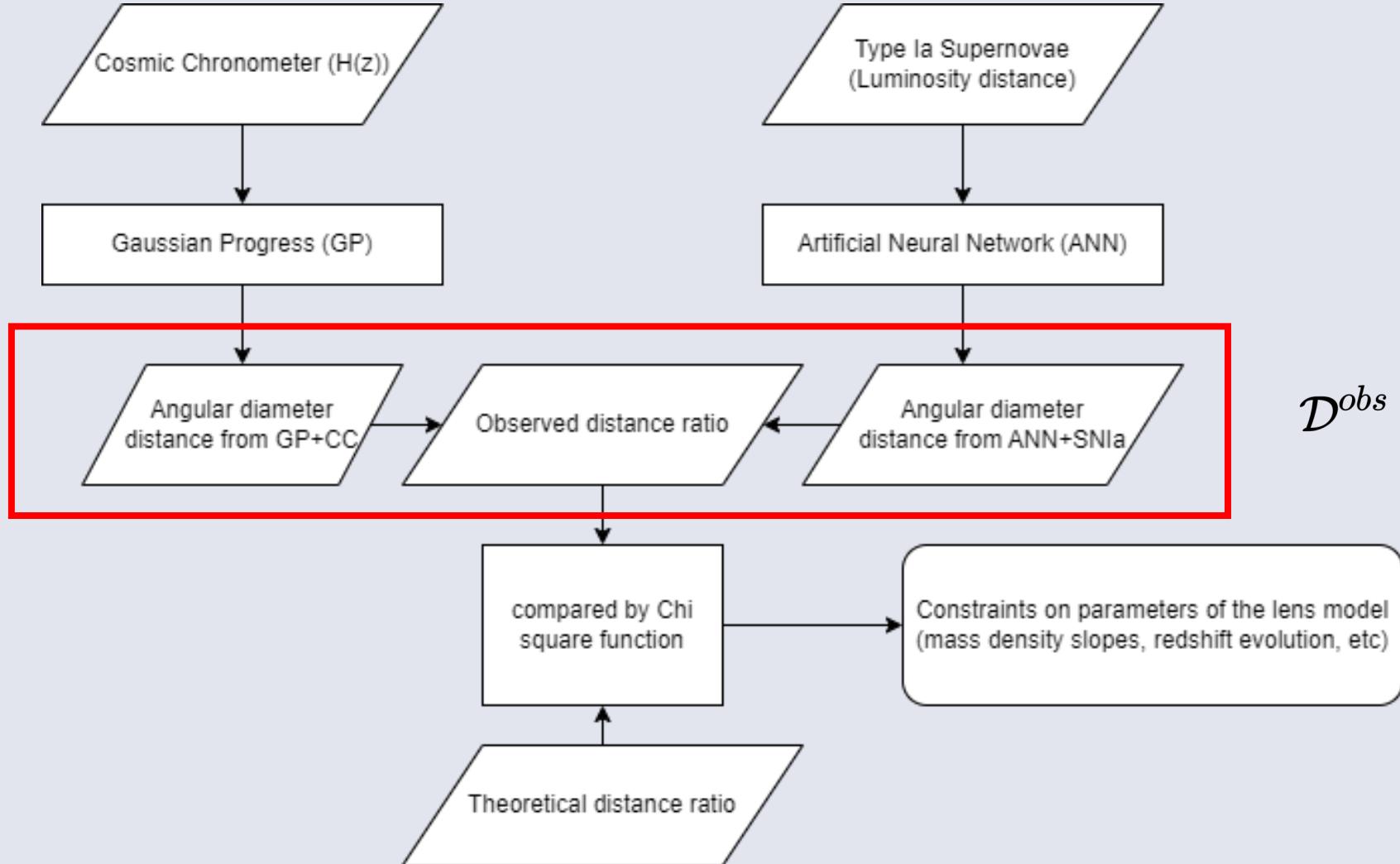


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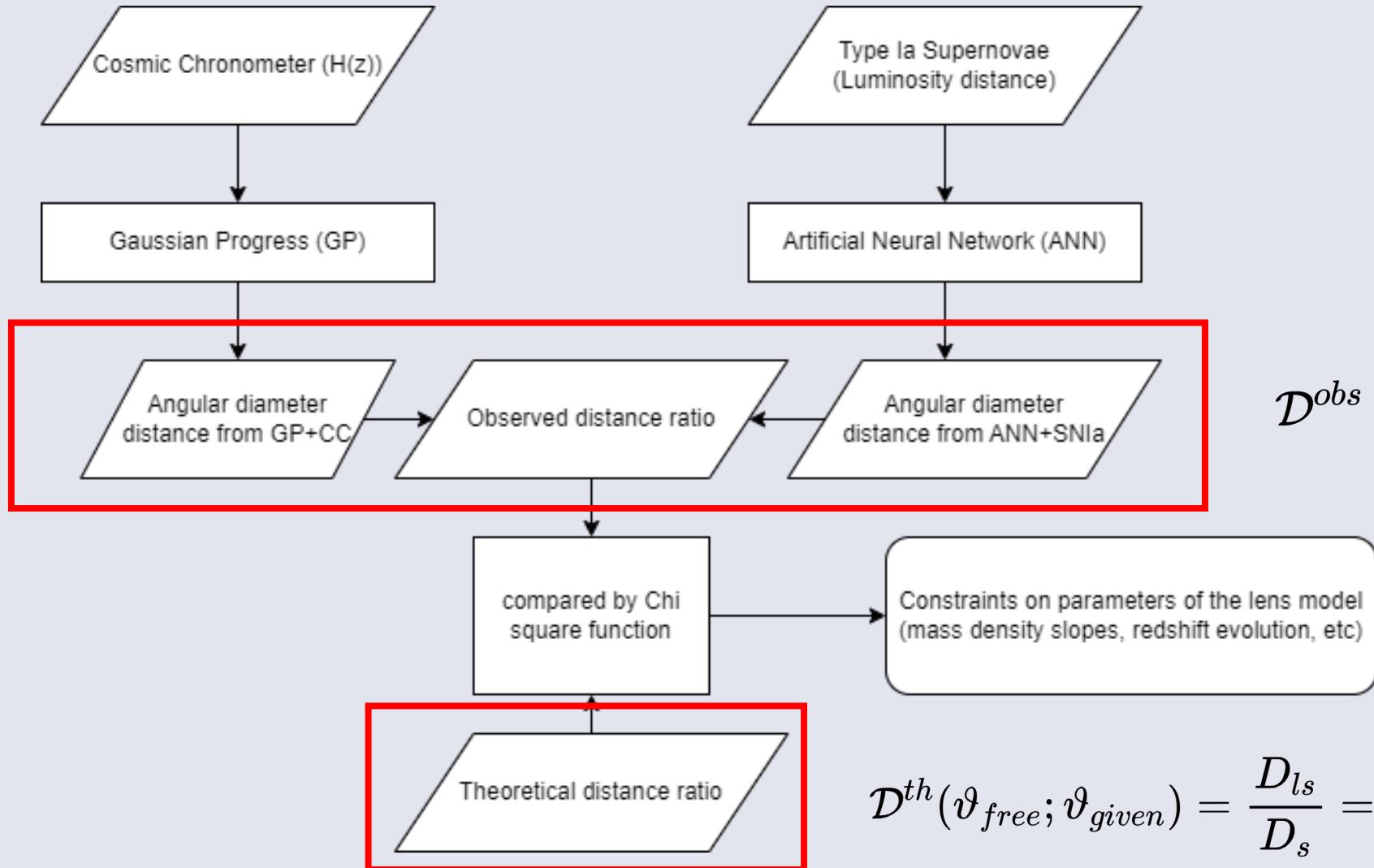
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# SGL data

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5 systems from the Lenses Structure & Dynamics (LSD) Survey

## 2. SL2S

26 systems from the Strong Lensing Legacy Survey (SL2S).

## 3. SLACS

57 systems from the Sloan Lens ACS Survey (SLACS).

## 4. S4TM

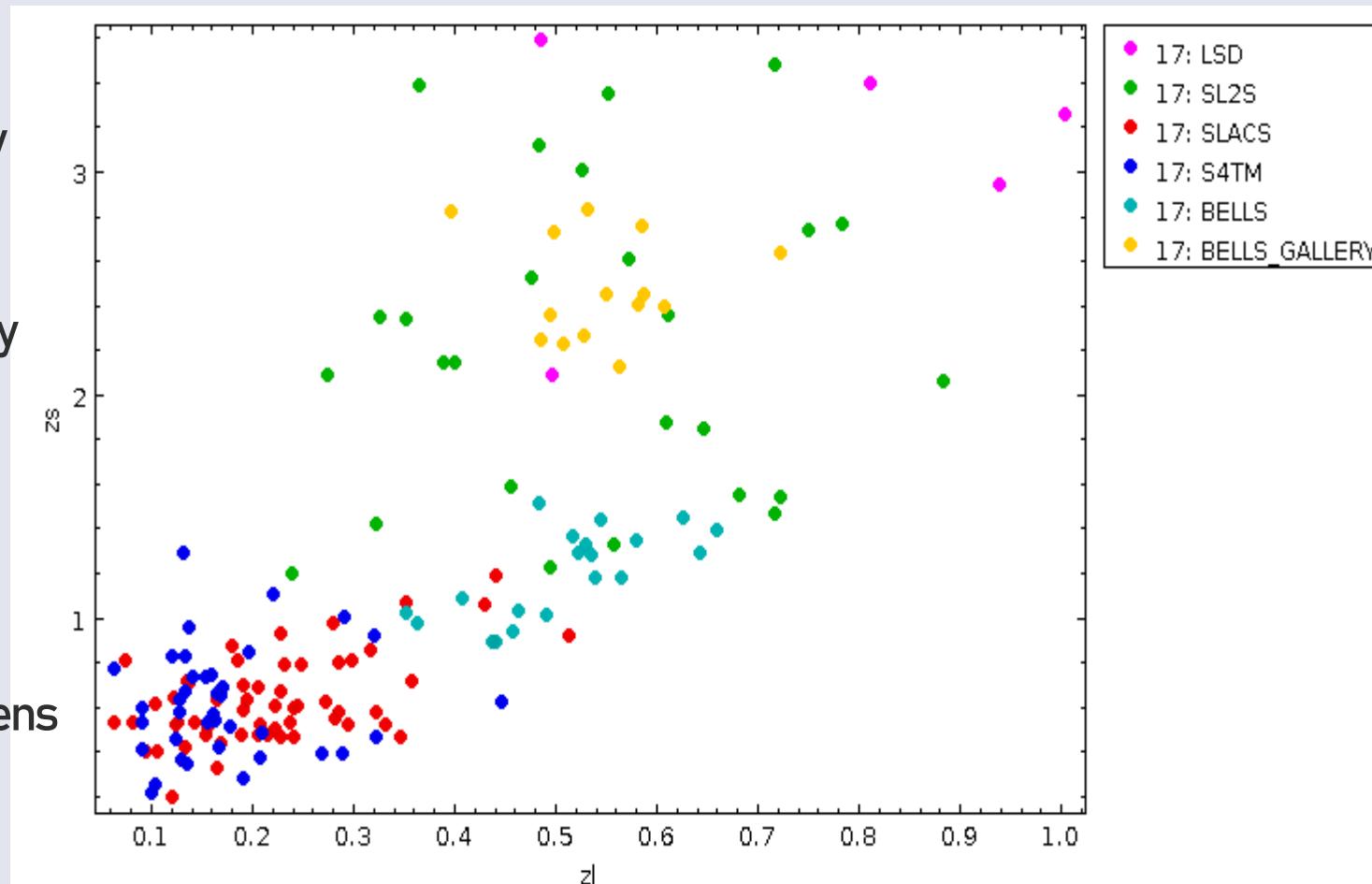
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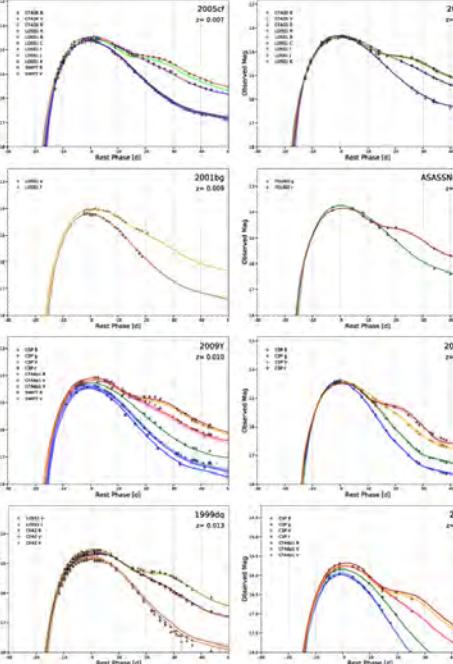
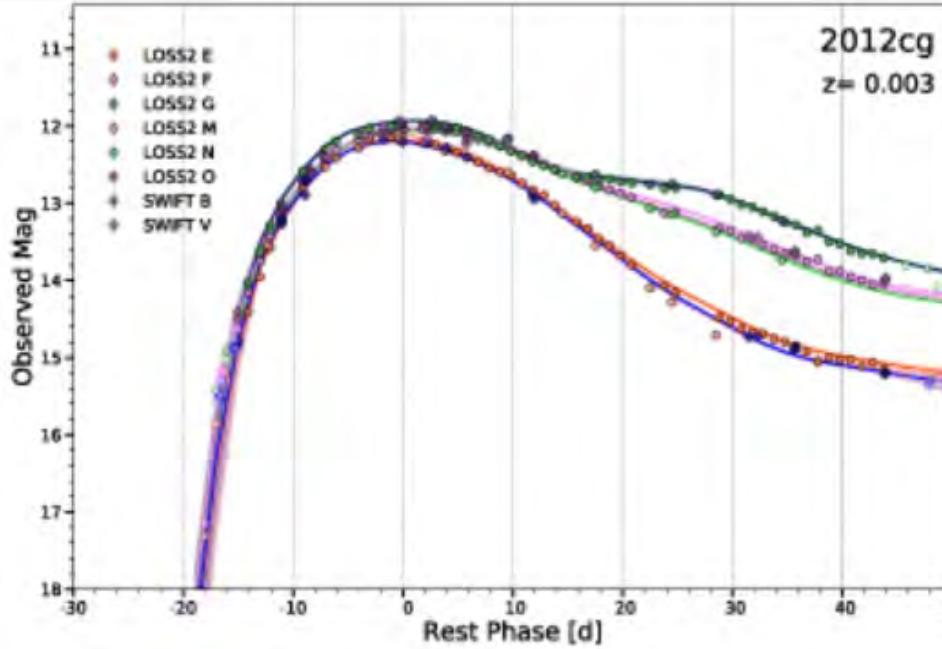
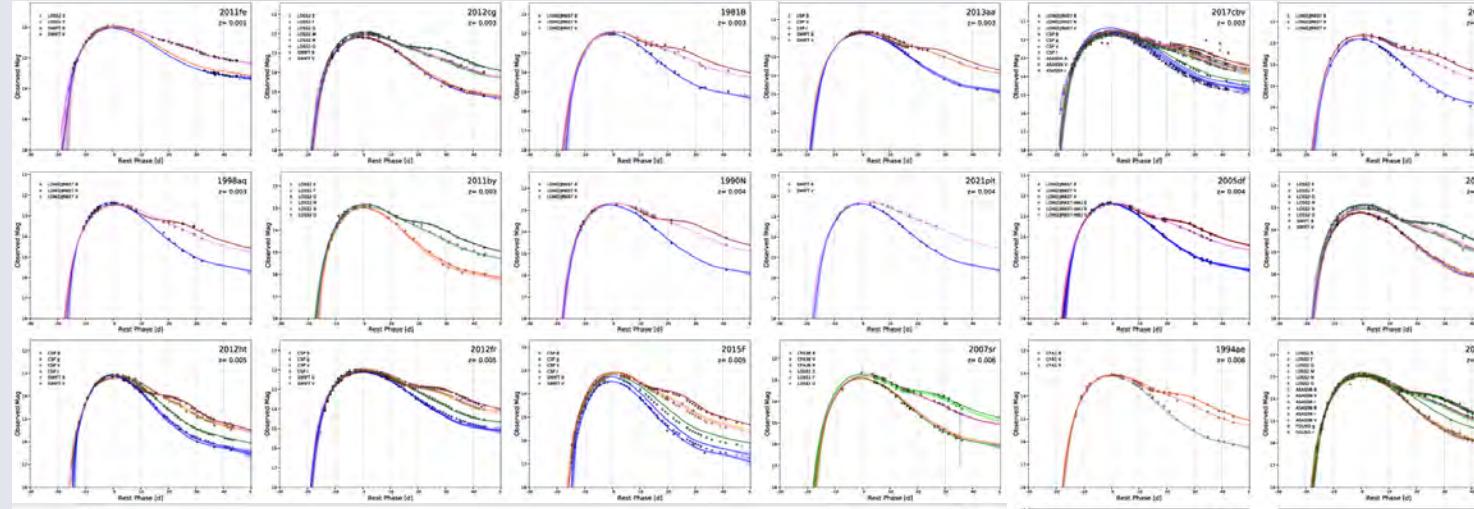
21 systems from the BOSS Emission-Line Lens Survey (BELLS).

## 6. BELLS GALLERY

14 systems from the BELLS for GALaxy-Ly EmitteR sYstems.



# Luminosity distance



Pantheon+

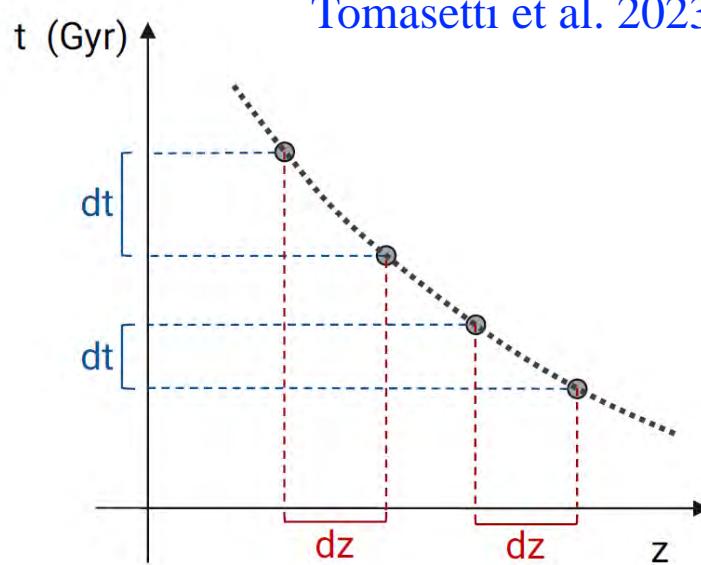
1550 spectroscopically confirmed Type Ia supernovae.

Scolnic et al. 2022

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# H(z) data



$$H(z) = \frac{\dot{a}}{a} = -\frac{1}{1+z} \frac{dz}{dt}$$

Jimenez & Loeb (2002)

spectroscopic redshift

can be traced with "chronometers"

**Cosmic Chronometers:** Passively evolving galaxies

They have rapidly accumulated mass typically within a brief period of less than 0.3 Gyr, predominantly at high redshifts ( $z > 2 \sim 3$ )

$$D_A(z) = \frac{1}{1+z} D_C(z) = \frac{1}{1+z} \int_0^z \frac{cdz'}{H(z')}$$

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# Distance reconstruction

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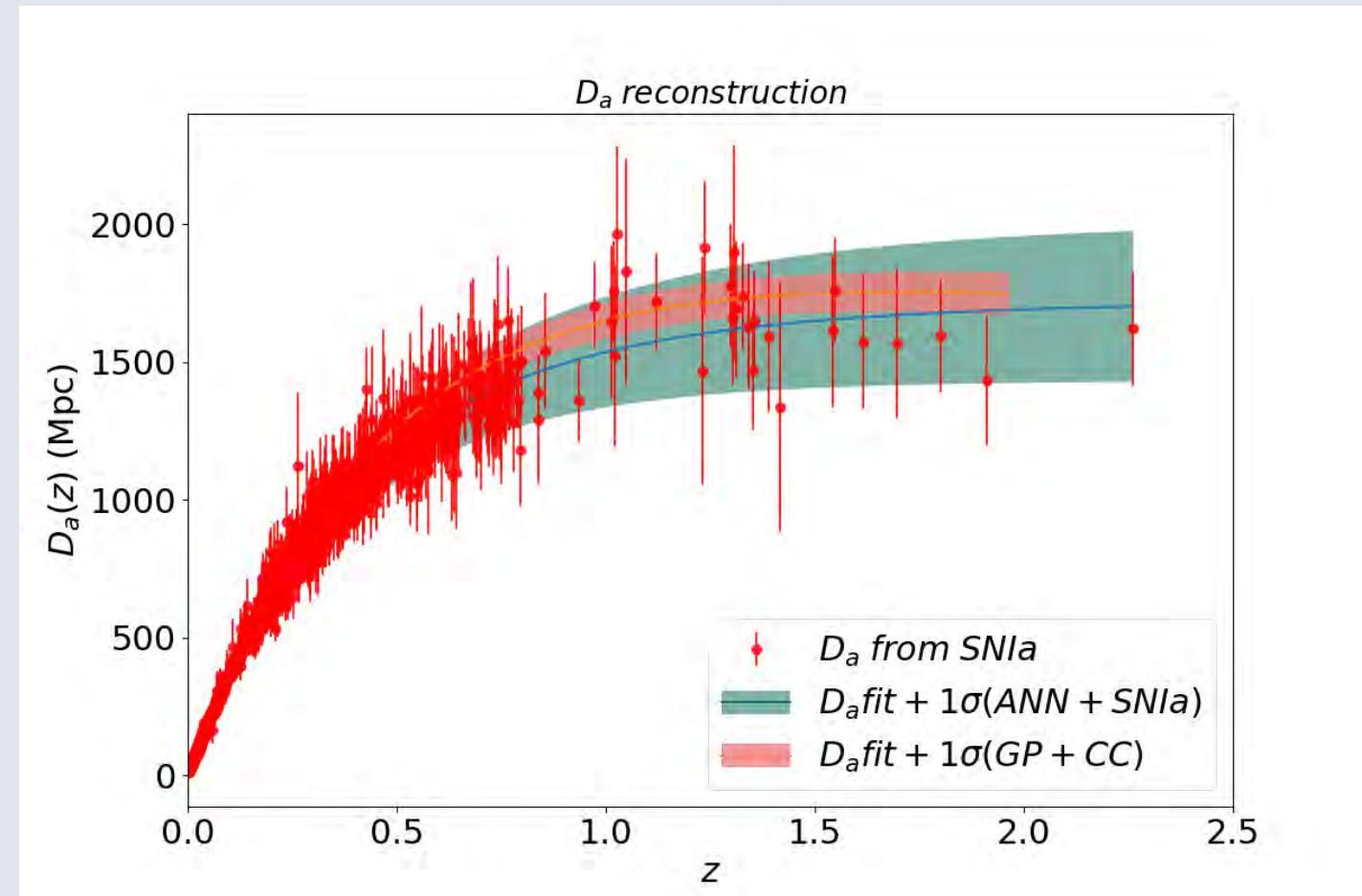
Assuming the given data and the points needed to be reconstructed following a joint Gaussian distribution

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y} \\ \mathbf{f} \end{bmatrix} \sim \mathcal{N} \left( \begin{bmatrix} \mu(\mathbf{Z}) \\ \mu(\mathbf{Z}_1) \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} K(\mathbf{Z}, \mathbf{Z}) & K(\mathbf{Z}, \mathbf{Z}_1) \\ K(\mathbf{Z}_1, \mathbf{Z}) & K(\mathbf{Z}_1, \mathbf{Z}_1) \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

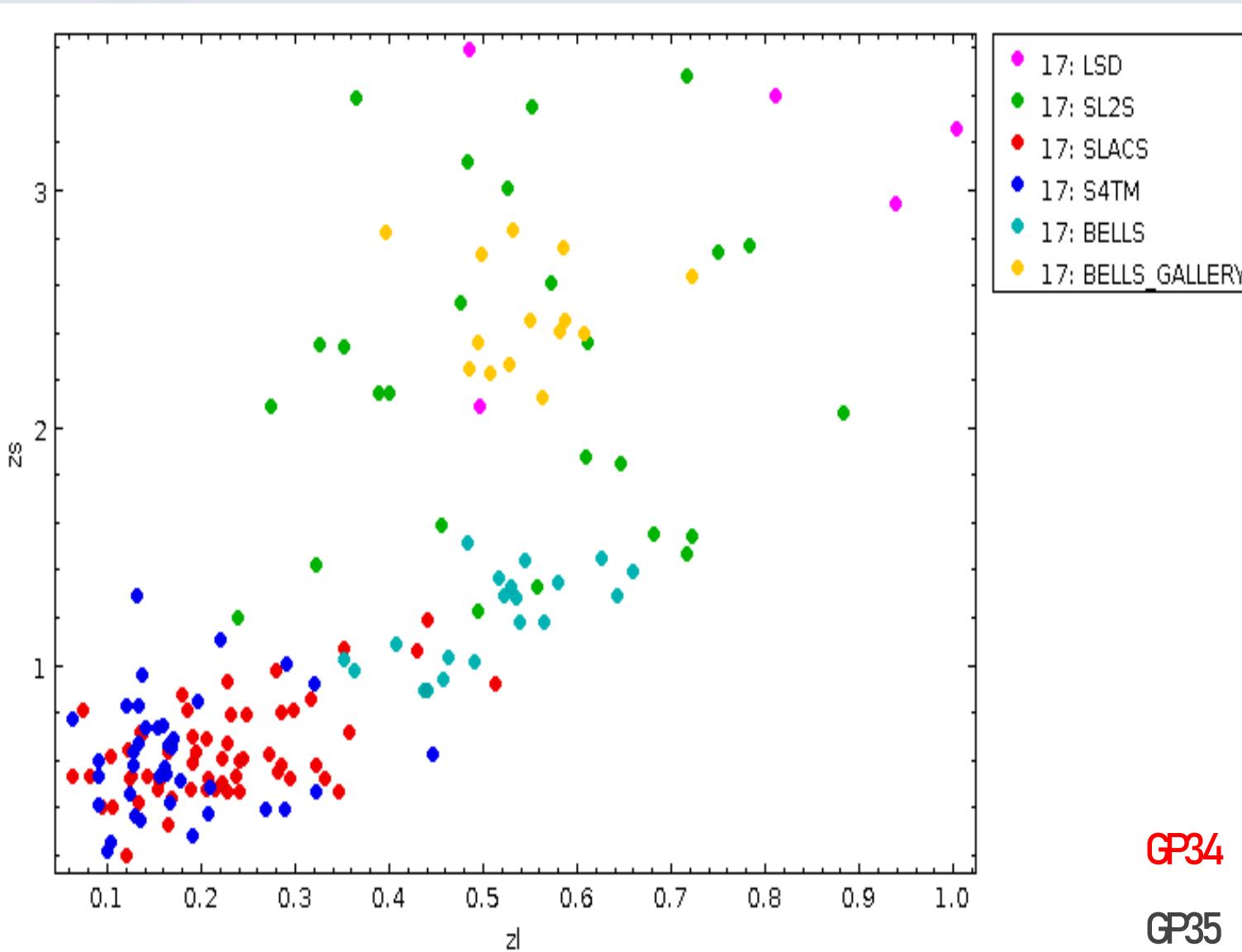
## Artificial Neural Network (ANN):

Non-linear mathematical function

Structured in layers and all the neurons from each layer are interconnected by weighted connections.



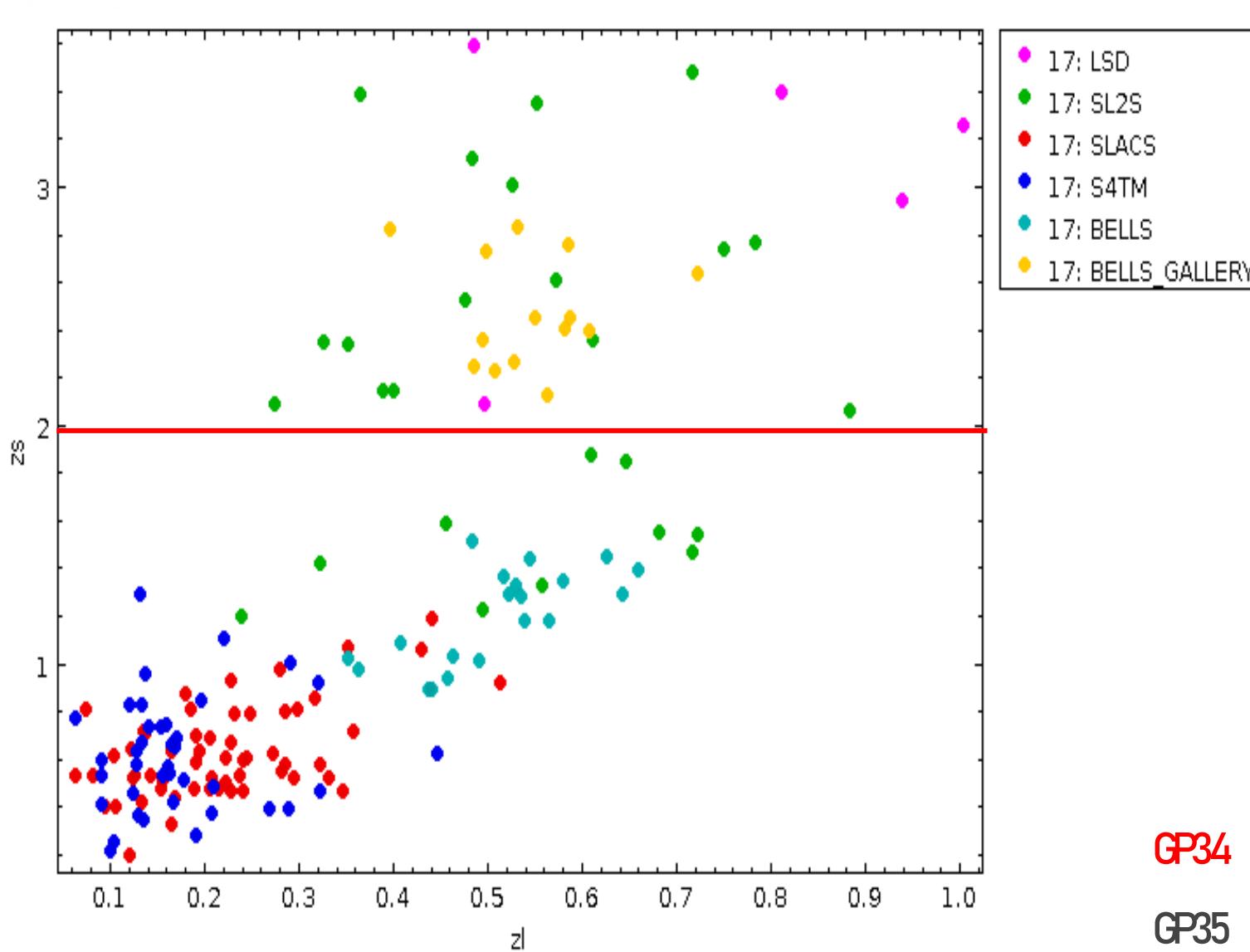
# H(z) data



GP34  
GP35

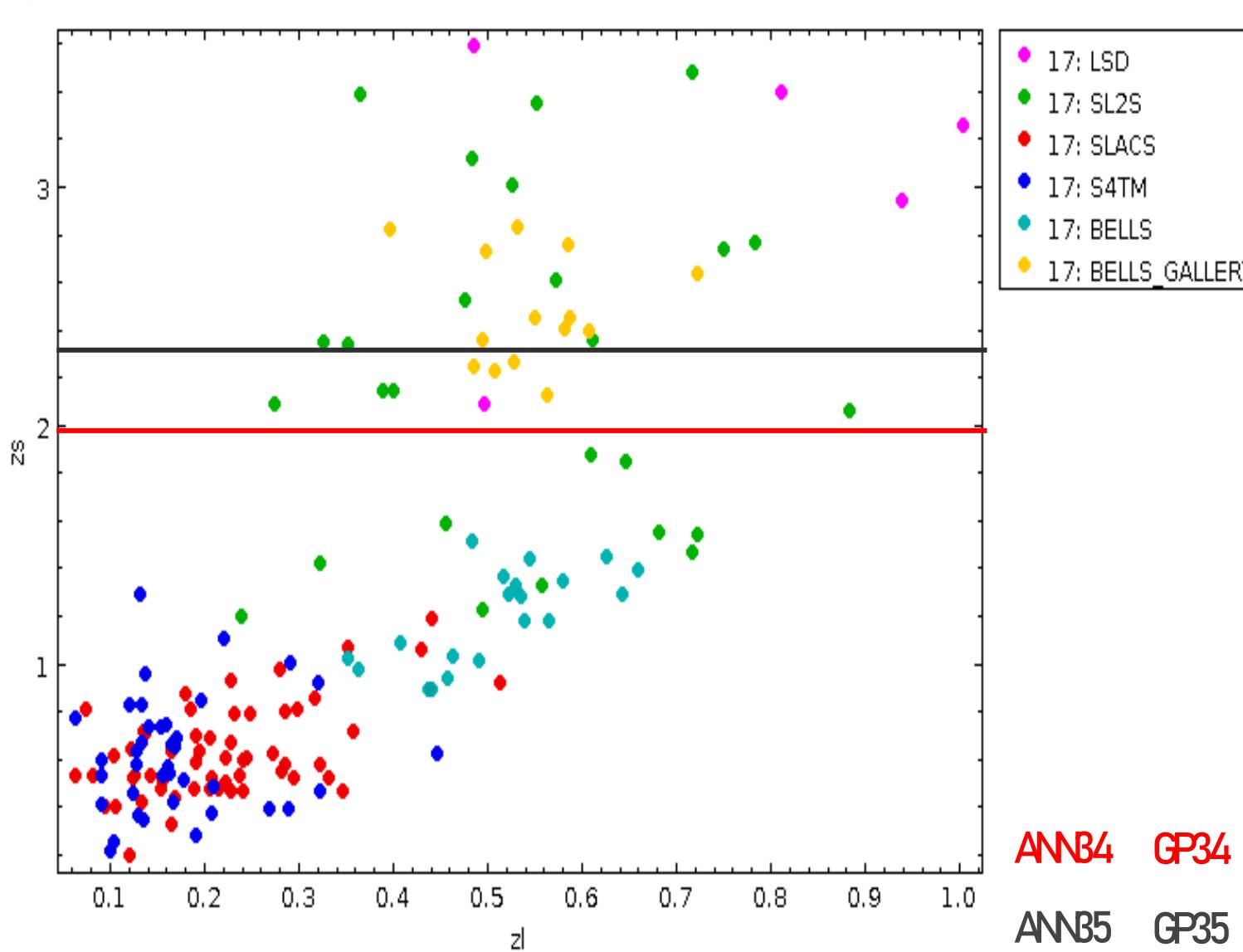
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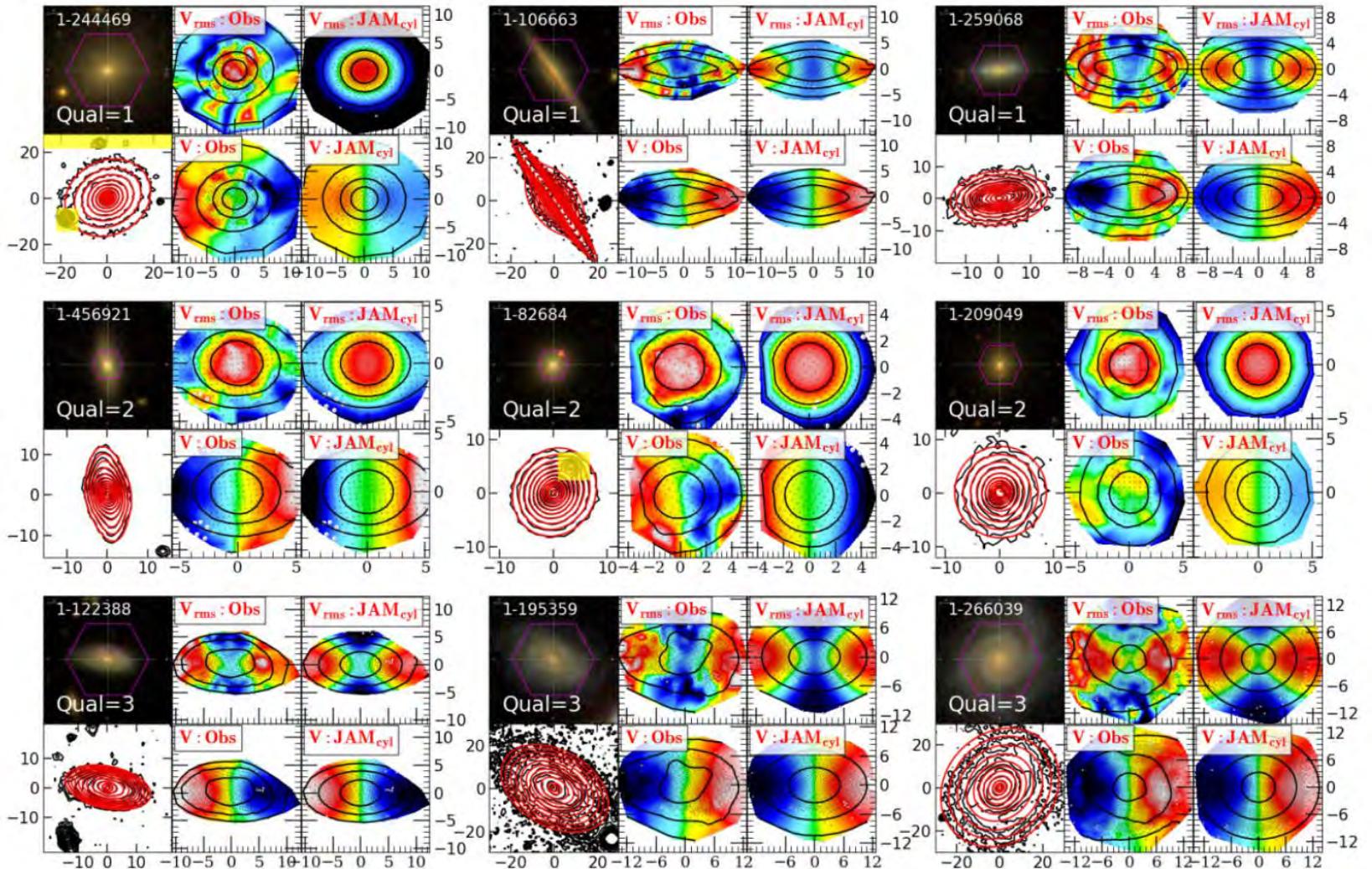
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# Anisotropy prior

Zhu et al. 2023



- Data from MaNGA survey (SDSS Data release 17)
- ~ 10,000 galaxies
- Observations based on integral field unit (IFU)
- Axisymmetric Jeans Anisotropic Modeling (JAM) method
- Different mass model: mass-follow-light, stellar mass + NFW, stellar mass + fixed NFW, stellar mass + general NFW

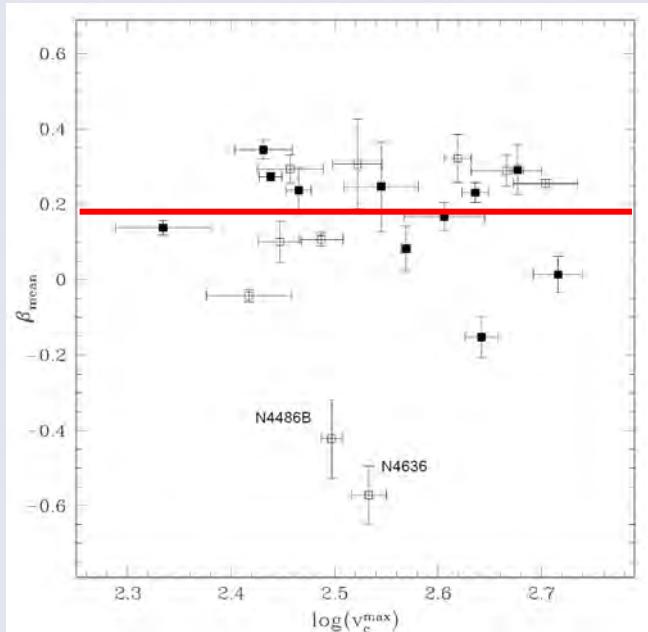
$$\rho_L(r) = \rho_L r^{-\delta}$$

$$\rho_{tot}(r) = \rho_{tot} r^{-\gamma}$$

$$\beta(r) = 1 - \frac{\langle \sigma_\theta^2 \rangle}{\langle \sigma_r^2 \rangle},$$

# Anisotropy prior

Gerhard et al. 2001

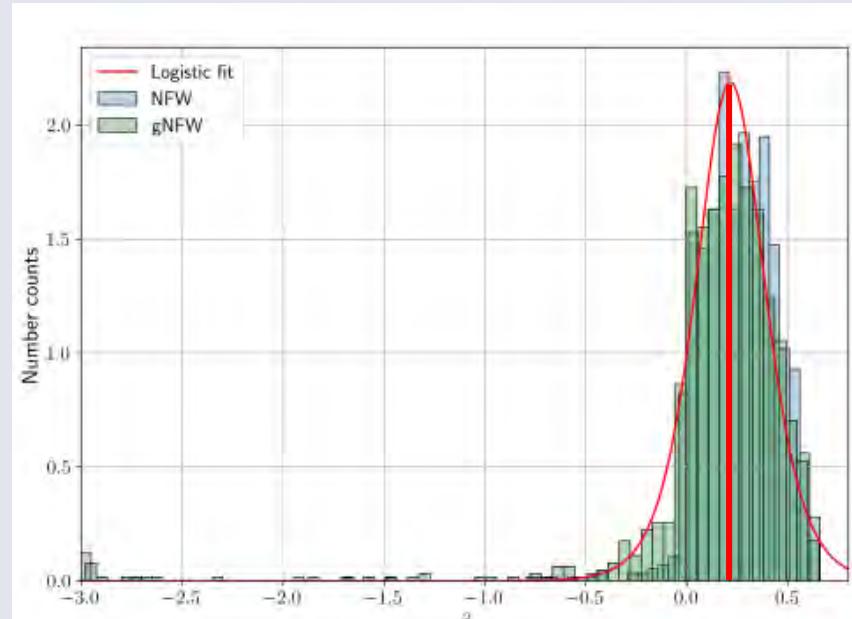


Gaussian Prior

$$N(0.18, 0.13^2)$$

Bolton et al. 2006

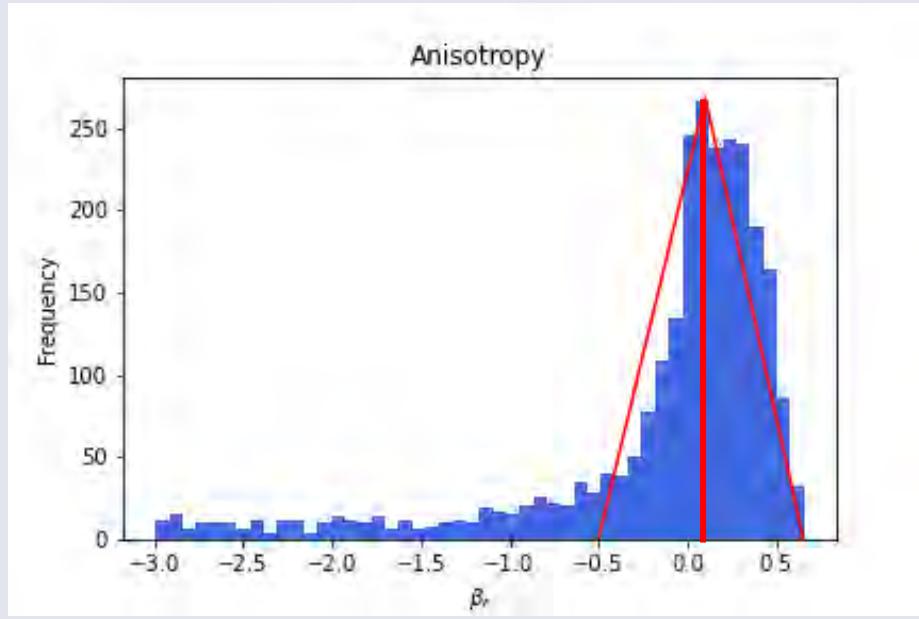
Guerrini et al. 2024



Gaussian Prior

$$N(0.22, 0.2^2)$$

$$|\beta_{NFW} - \beta_{gNFW}| < 0.05.$$



Triangular Prior

$$\text{Tri}(-0.5, 0.656, \text{mode}=0.102)$$

# Density slope constraints

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## 1. Single density slope model ( $\gamma = \delta$ )

Adopting a uniform logarithmic density distribution for both the total and luminous mass components.

1. Individual constraining
2. Fixed-bin approach

Grouping lenses by the redshift of the lensing objects within fixed-size bins.

3. Direct constraining

Considering a linear relationship between the total mass logarithmic slope and redshift  $\gamma_i = \gamma_0 + \gamma_s * z_l$ , as a universal characteristic of the sample.

## 2. General spherical power-law model ( $\gamma \neq \delta$ )

1. Non-evolving
2. Linear evolution or CPL-like evolution

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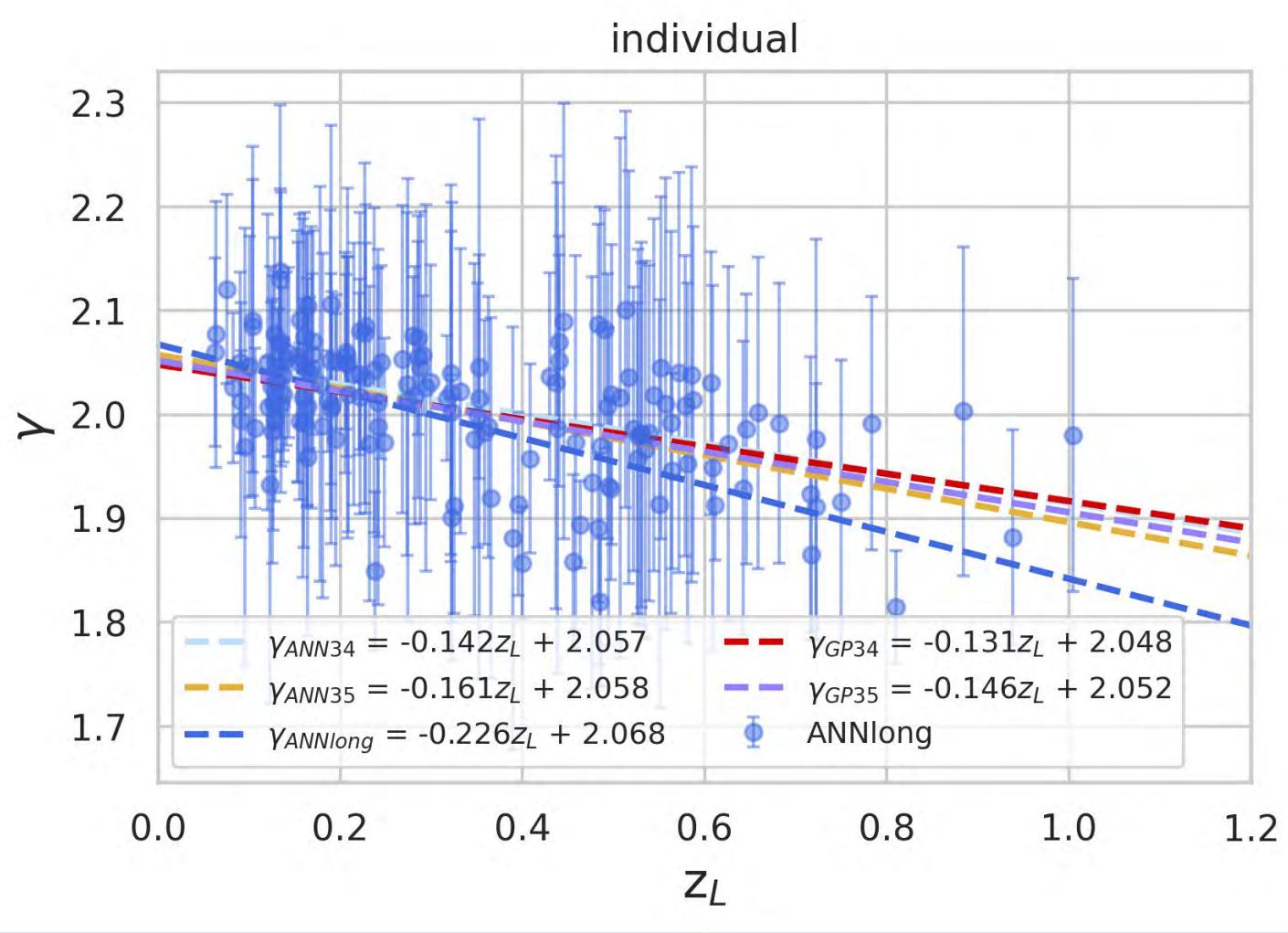
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## Results

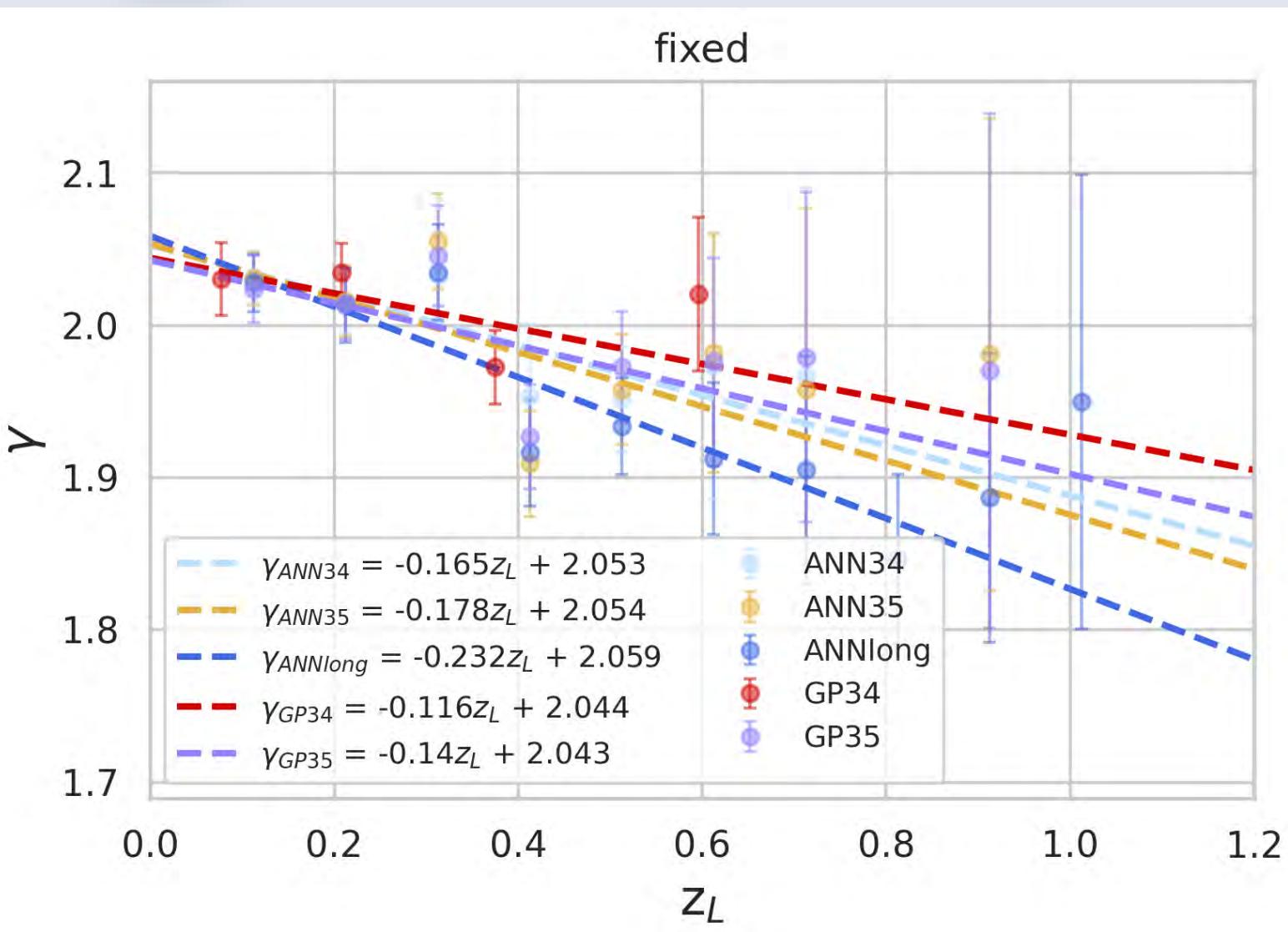
# Individual constraining

Single slope



- Despite considerable uncertainties, results show that both reconstruction combinations suggest the same negative evolution trend for the logarithmic density slope of lensing galaxies as the redshift increasing.

# Binning approach

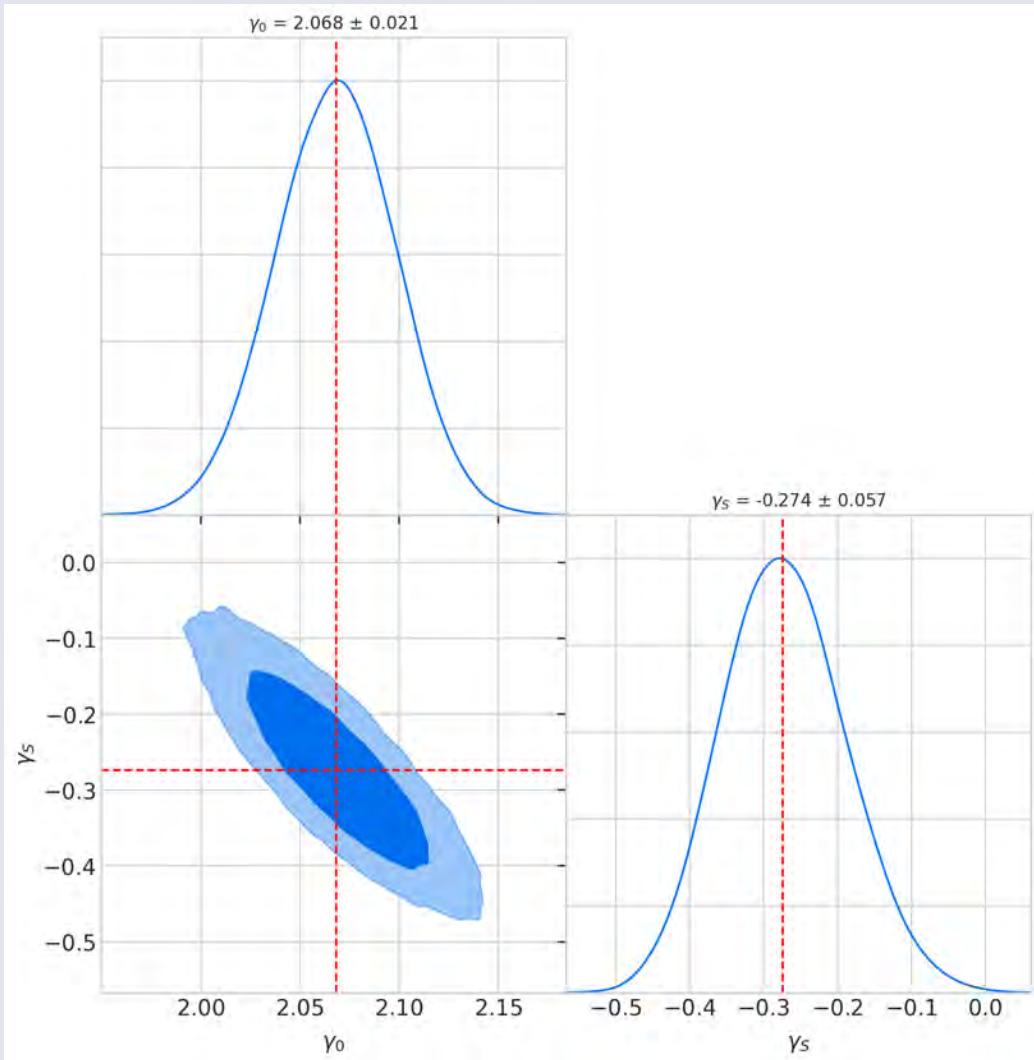


## Single slope

- Due to uneven occupation of bins, i.e. much less at higher  $z$ , **uncertainty increases** in these bins.
- The variation in results among different reconstruction combinations is more pronounced at higher redshifts.
- In general, results from **ANN+SNIIa** suggest a **slight steeper redshift evolution** than results from GP+CC.
- Compared to the individual constraining, the variation in the redshift evolution slope from ANN34 to ANN is **less significant** when using binning.

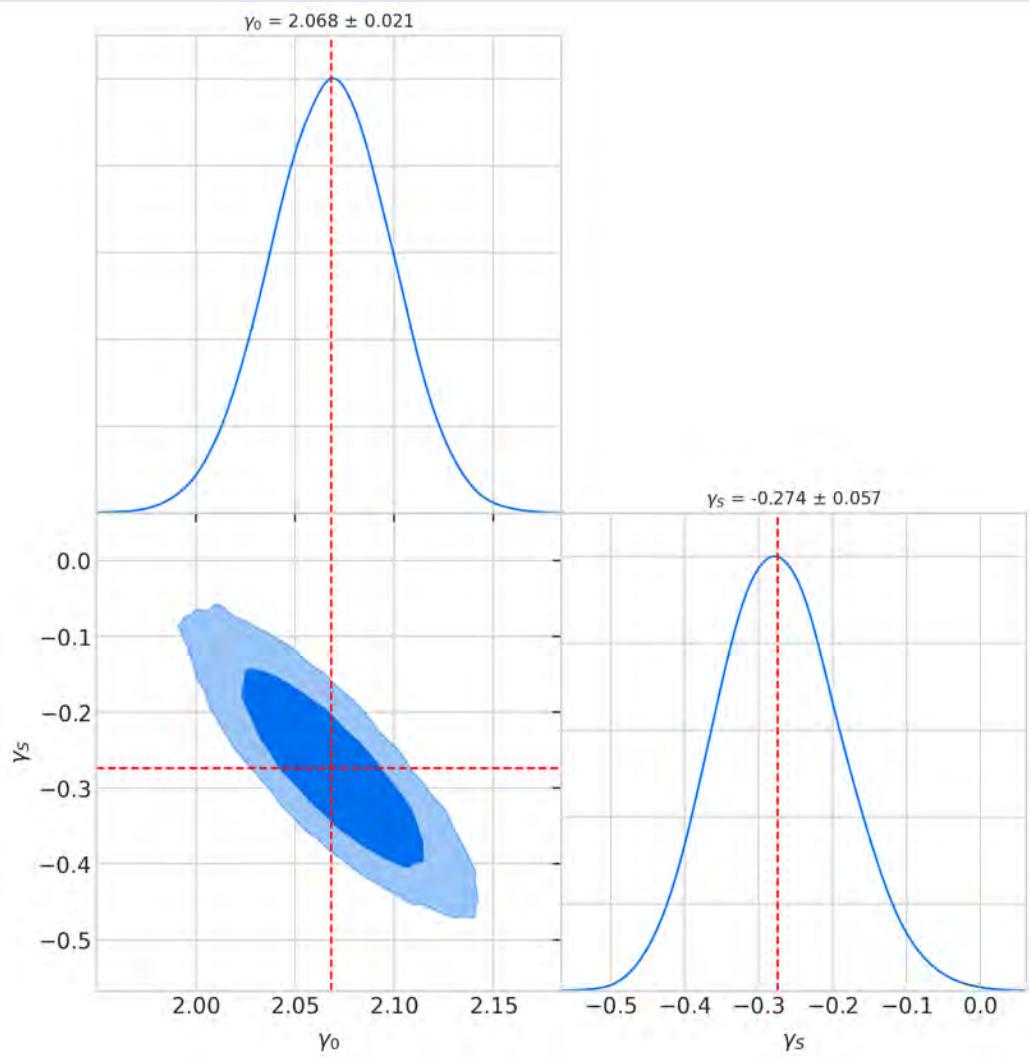
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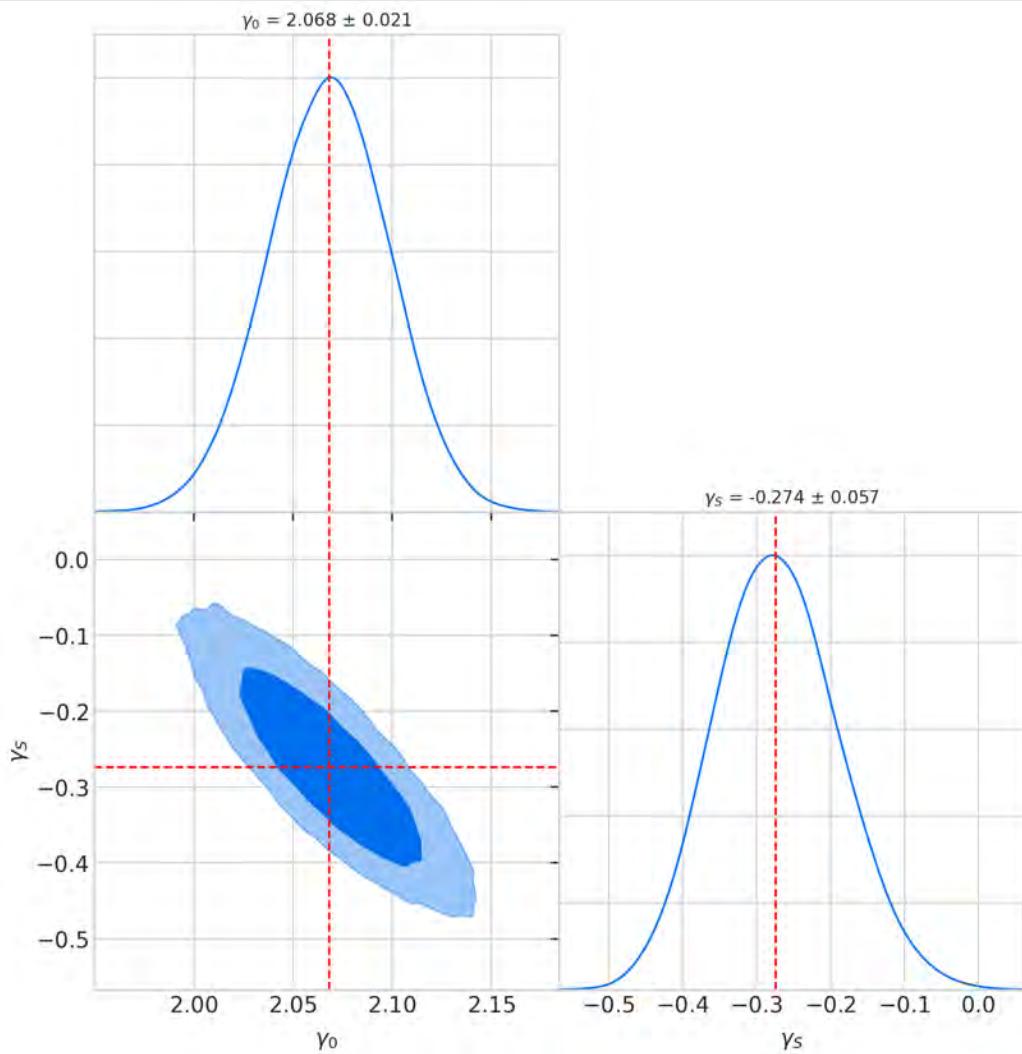


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| Fixed z bins    | $\gamma_0$                              | $2.044 \pm 0.015$  | $2.053 \pm 0.015$  | $2.059 \pm 0.015$  |
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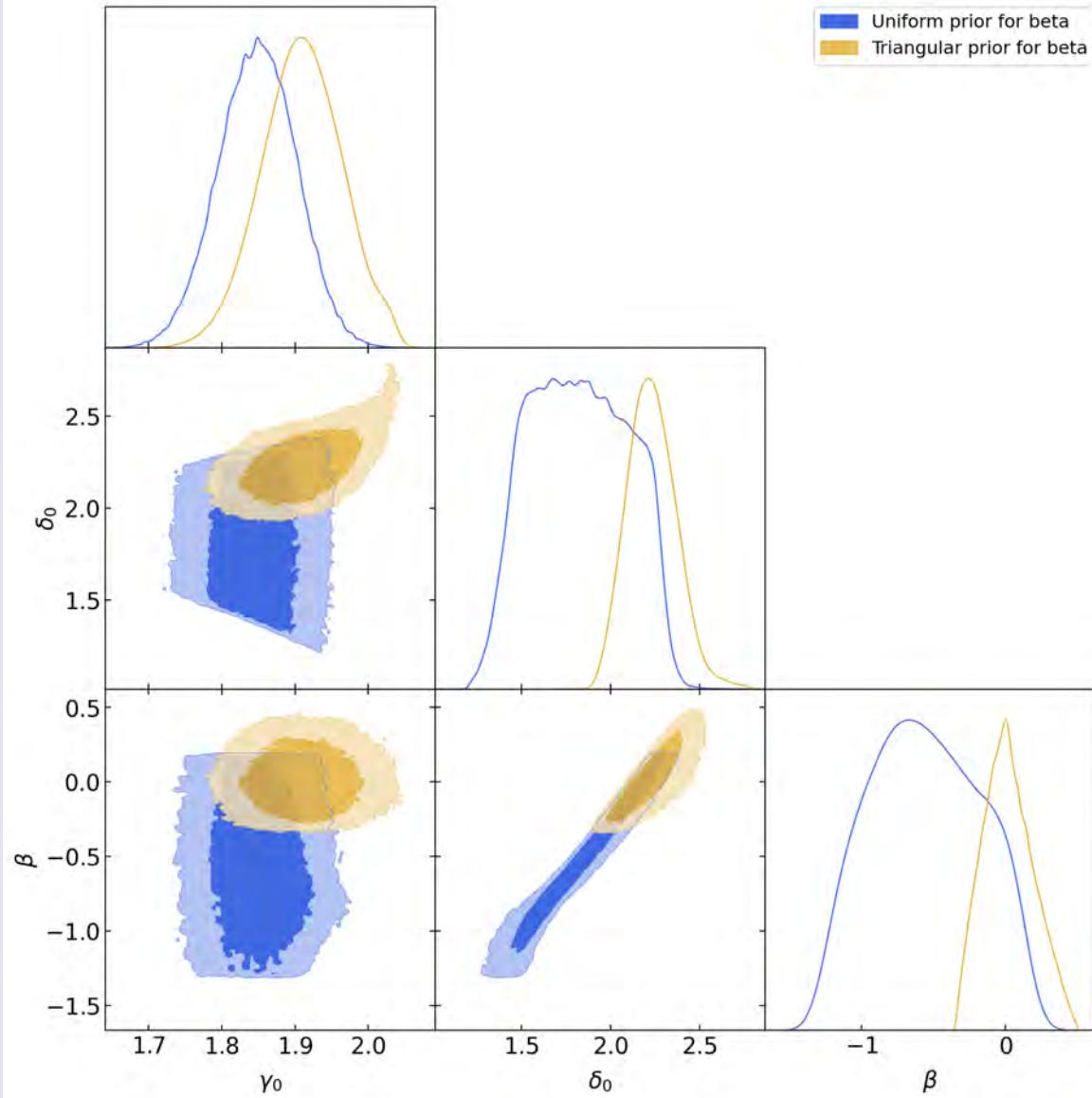
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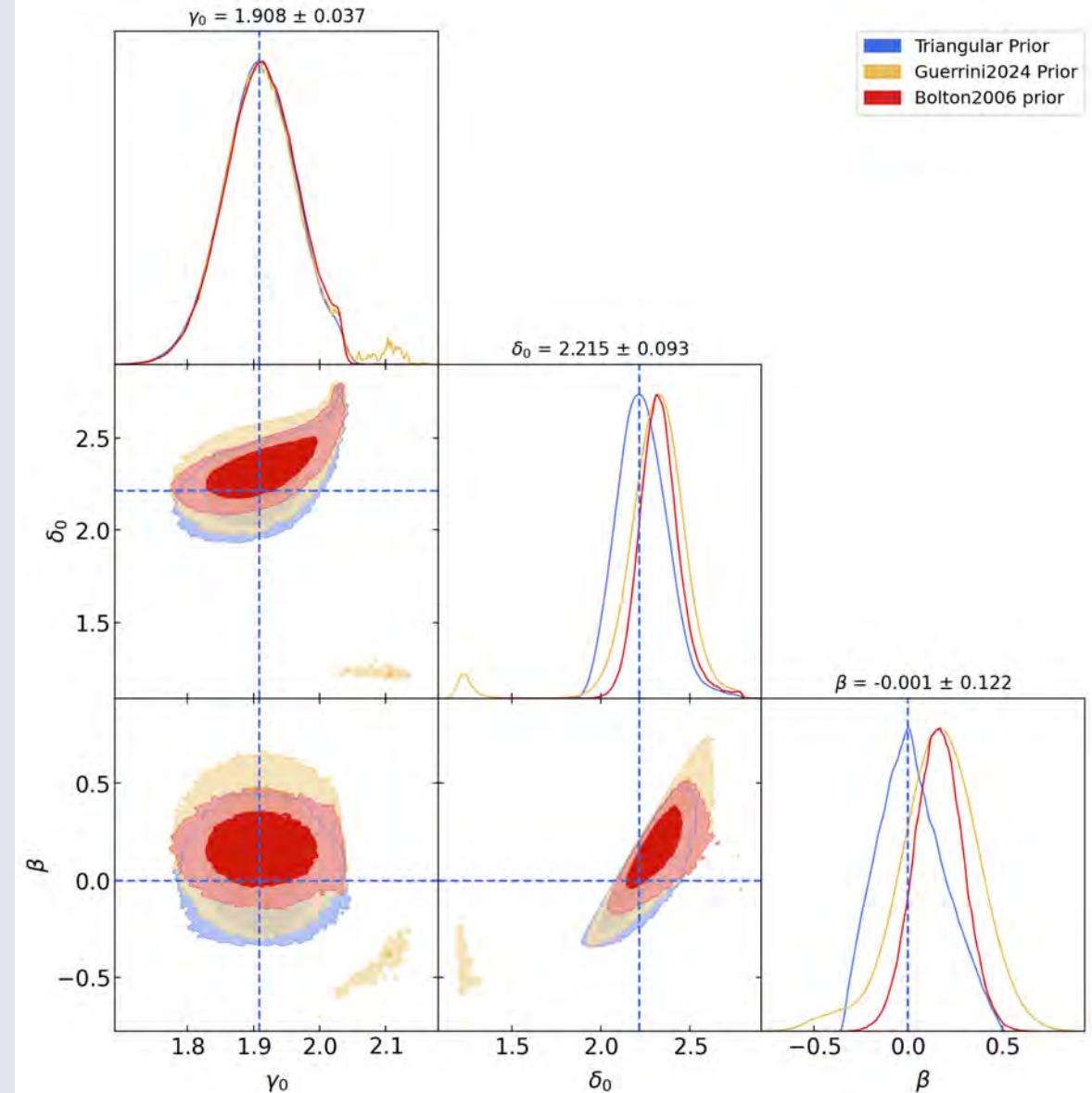
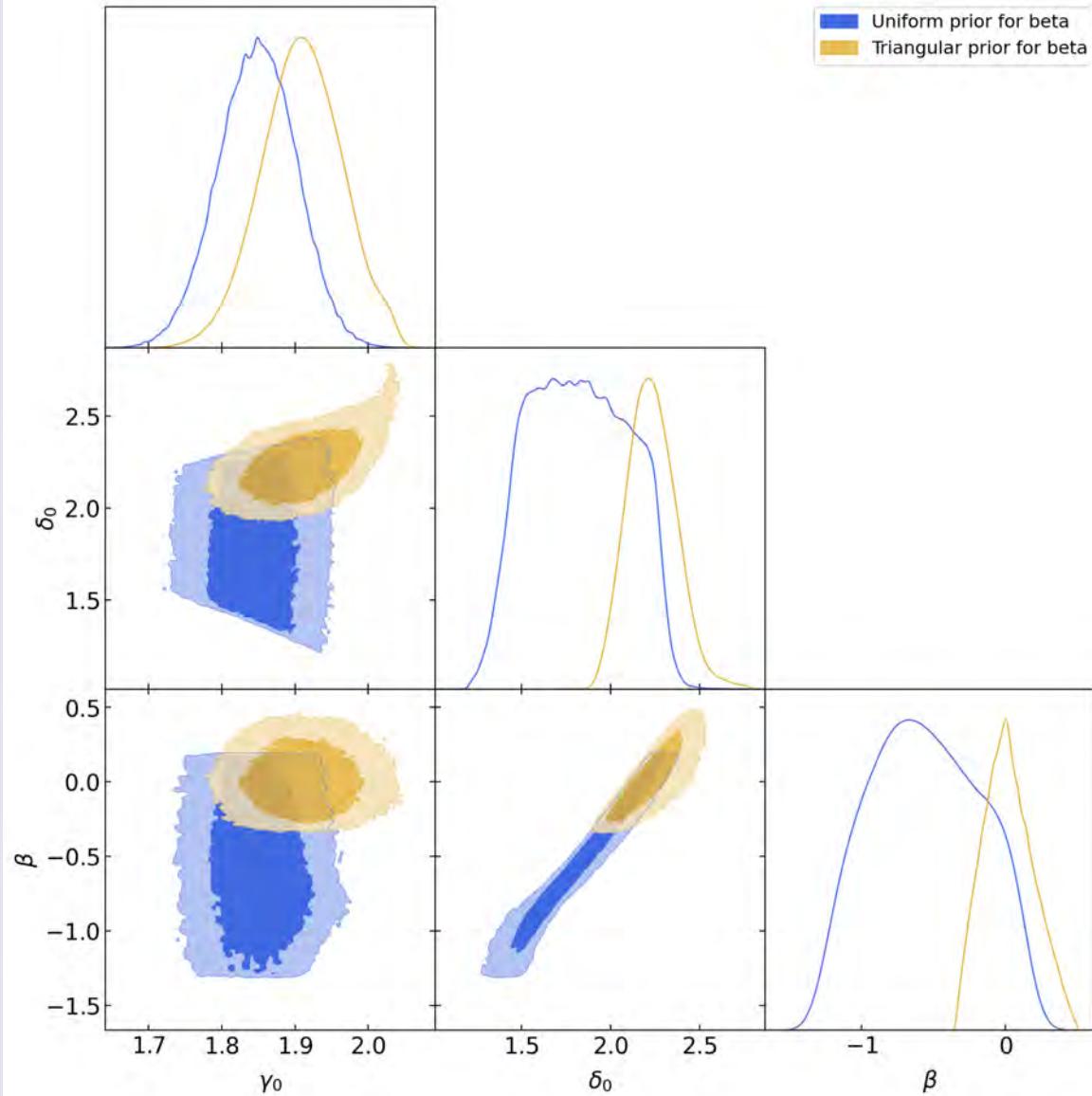
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- In the following constraints, we will only use the distance reconstruction from ANN+SNIA

# General SPL parameters

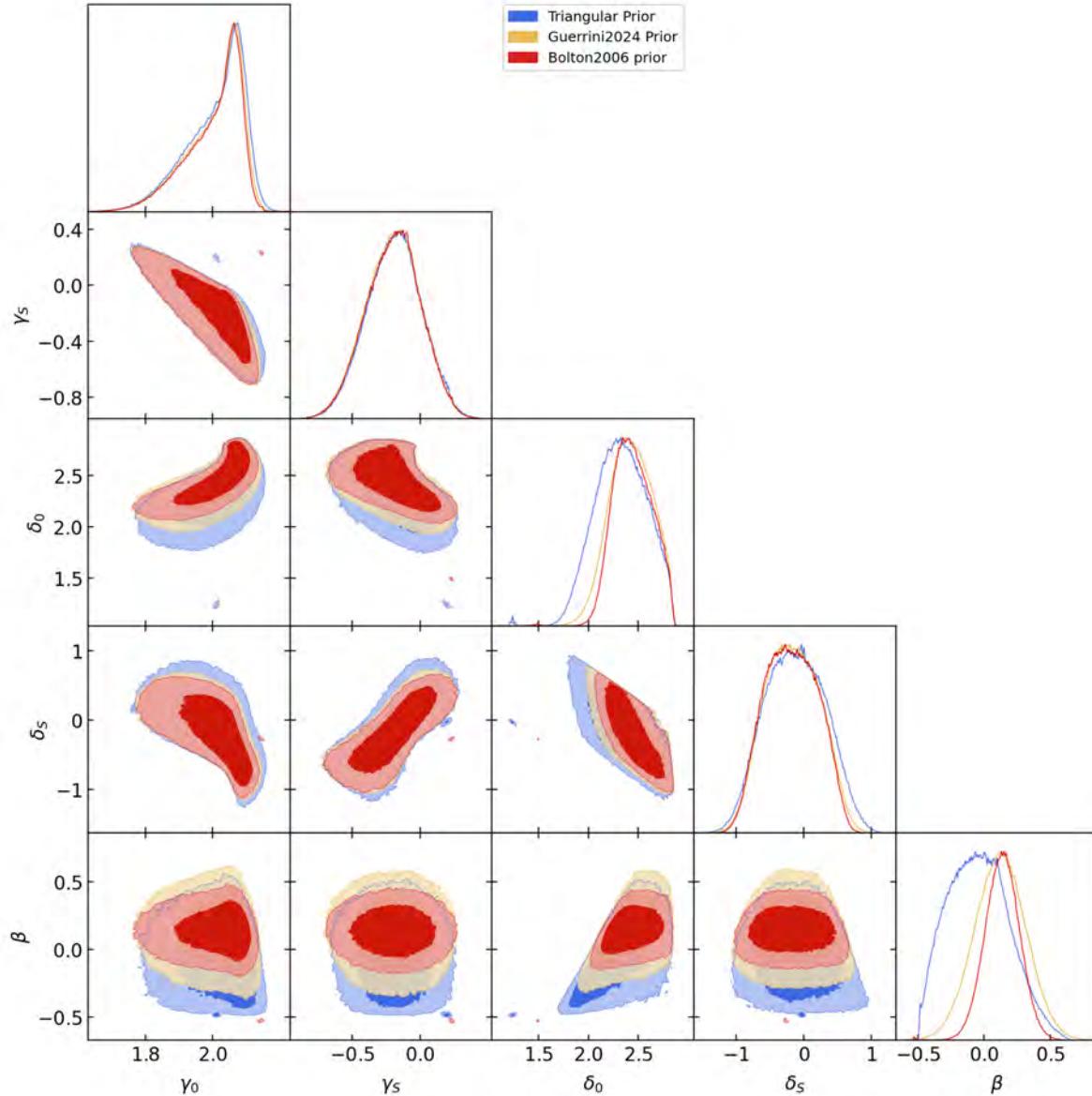


Breaking the degeneracy between density slope of luminous matter and the dynamical anisotropy.

# General SPL parameters



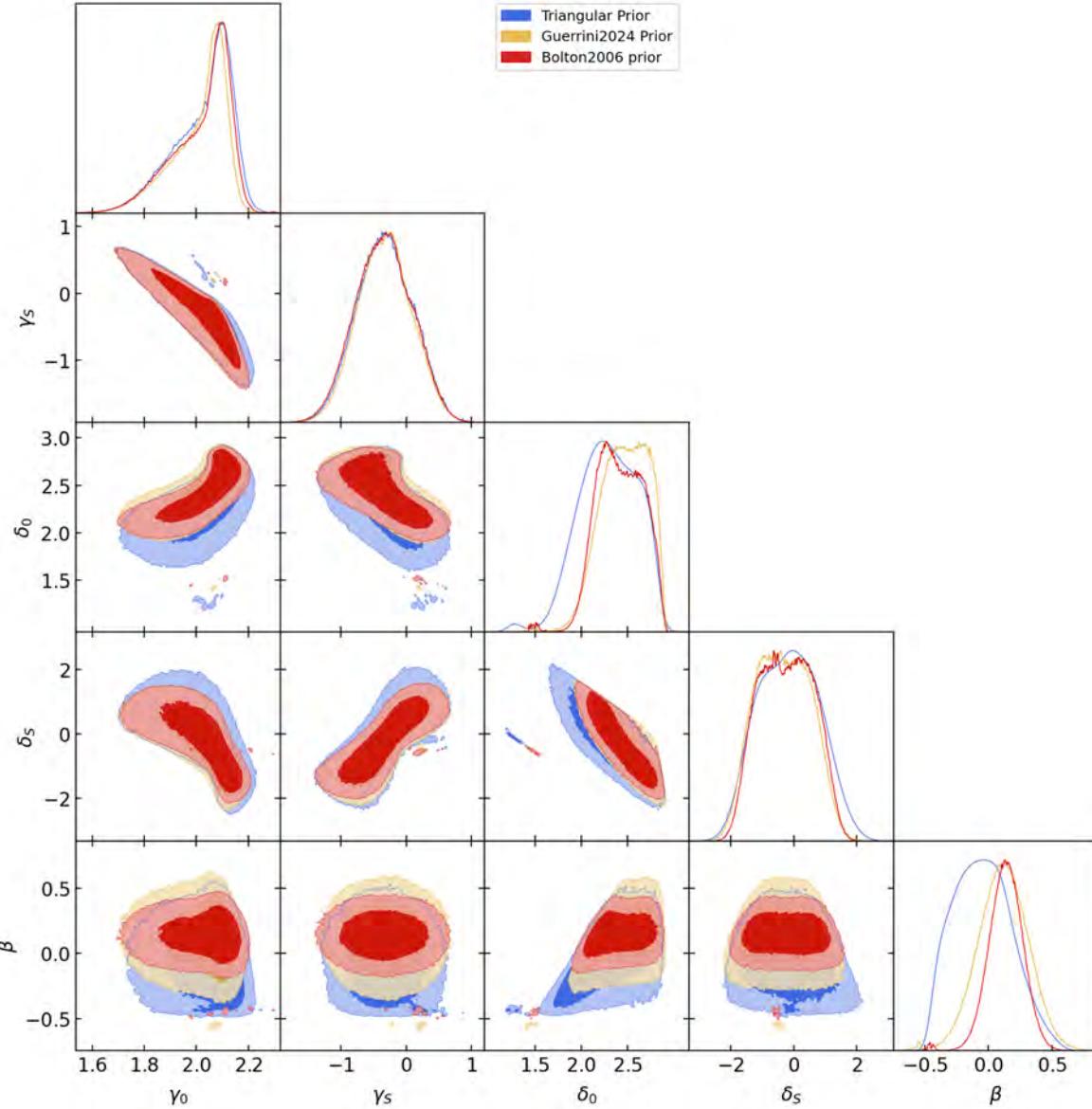
# General evolving SPL parameters



- The median value and the median absolute deviation recover the isothermal profile.
- The triangular prior works better.

| Evolution model         | $\beta$ prior  | parameters   | AIC   | BIC   |
|-------------------------|--|--|-------|-------|
| Linear z evolution      | Triangular prior<br>Tri(-0.5,0.656,mode=0.102)       | $\gamma_0 = 2.029 \pm 0.055$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.185 \pm 0.136$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.326 \pm 0.184$<br>$\delta_s = -0.128 \pm 0.324$<br>$\beta = -0.047 \pm 0.165$ | 121.0 | 136.1 |
|                         | Gaussian prior<br>$N(\mu = 0.22, \sigma^2 = 0.2^2)$  | $\gamma_0 = 2.027 \pm 0.052$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.193 \pm 0.137$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.424 \pm 0.153$<br>$\delta_s = -0.174 \pm 0.294$<br>$\beta = 0.122 \pm 0.130$  |       |       |
| Exponential z evolution | Gaussian prior<br>$N(\mu = 0.18, \sigma^2 = 0.13^2)$ | $\gamma_0 = 2.025 \pm 0.050$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.189 \pm 0.136$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.436 \pm 0.139$<br>$\delta_s = -0.187 \pm 0.291$<br>$\beta = 0.138 \pm 0.087$  | 133.7 | 148.7 |
|                         | Triangular prior<br>Tri(-0.5,0.656,mode=0.102)       | $\gamma_0 = 2.027 \pm 0.052$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.193 \pm 0.137$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.424 \pm 0.153$<br>$\delta_s = -0.174 \pm 0.294$<br>$\beta = 0.122 \pm 0.130$  |       |       |

# General evolving SPL parameters



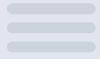
- The uncertainty of the luminous matter density slope constraint is larger than the linear evolution model.
- Gaussian prior performs better.

| Linear $a(z)$ evolution | Triangular prior<br>$Tri(-0.5, 0.656, mode=0.102)$   | $\gamma_0 = 2.054 \pm 0.071$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.333 \pm 0.294$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.299 \pm 0.234$<br>$\delta_s = -0.156 \pm 0.722$<br>$\beta = -0.053 \pm 0.166$ | 115.6 | 130.7 |
|-------------------------|--|--|-------|-------|
|                         | Gaussian prior<br>$N(\mu = 0.22, \sigma^2 = 0.2^2)$  | $\gamma_0 = 2.042 \pm 0.060$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.326 \pm 0.280$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.476 \pm 0.188$<br>$\delta_s = -0.348 \pm 0.658$<br>$\beta = 0.117 \pm 0.131$  | 113.3 | 128.3 |
|                         | Gaussian prior<br>$N(\mu = 0.18, \sigma^2 = 0.13^2)$ | $\gamma_0 = 2.052 \pm 0.067$<br>$\gamma_s = -0.343 \pm 0.298$<br>$\delta_0 = 2.410 \pm 0.187$<br>$\delta_s = -0.234 \pm 0.664$<br>$\beta = 0.138 \pm 0.087$  | 181.9 | 197.0 |

# Conclusions

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- Under the simple power-law model, the density slope of lensing galaxies shows a **negative evolution with increasing redshift**, indicating that the mass distribution becomes more concentrated over time.
- With an appropriate prior for the dynamical anisotropy of the lensing galaxies, we **recover a flatter density slope for total mass compared to luminous mass**, aligning well with detailed modeling results. However, neglecting the evolution of the density slope leads to deviations from the isothermal profile for total mass.
- When **considering various evolution models, the median value of the gamma posterior distribution supports the isothermal configuration**. The findings indicate a slight negative evolution with increasing redshift for the total mass density slope, consistent with constraints from individual lensing systems under the simple power-law model. Nonetheless, the non-evolving scenario remains plausible within 1 sigma uncertainty.



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