

Implications of cosmological observations on hot dark matter properties

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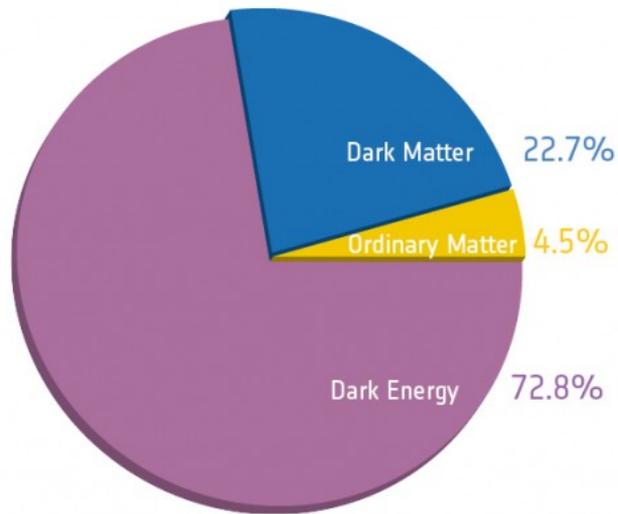


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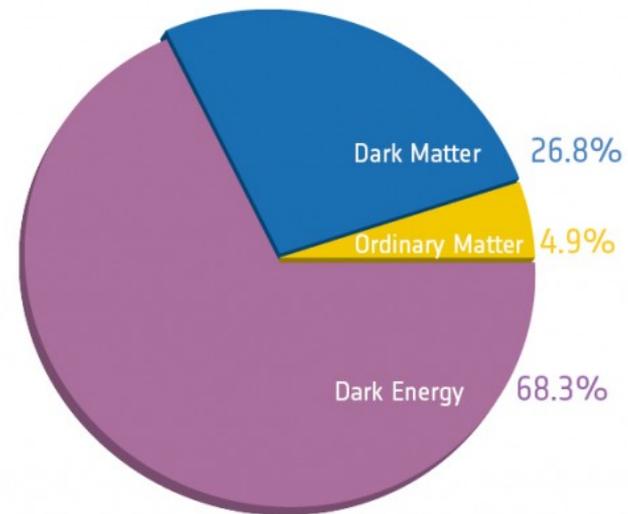


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Cosmic Neutrinos

- In the **standard cosmological model**, cosmic neutrinos are produced at high temperature in the early Universe by frequent weak interactions and they are maintained in thermal equilibrium with the e.m. plasma.

- Neutrinos decouple at $T \sim 1\text{MeV}$ ($n_\nu \sigma_\nu v \approx H$), keeping a spectrum as that of a relativistic species:

$$f_\nu(p) = \frac{1}{e^{p/T} + 1}$$

- $T_g \sim m_e$, $e^+ e^-$ annihilation heats the photons but not the decoupled neutrinos:

Temperature: $T_\nu = \left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{1/3} T_\gamma \rightarrow T_{\nu,0} = 1.945\text{K} \sim 1.676 \times 10^{-4}\text{eV}$

Number density: $n_\nu = \left(\frac{3}{11}\right) n_\gamma \rightarrow n_{\nu,0} \approx 56\text{cm}^{-3}$

Energy density: $\rho_\nu = \begin{cases} \frac{7\pi^2}{120} \left(\frac{4}{11}\right)^{1/3} T_\gamma^4 & \text{Massless} \\ m_\nu n_\nu & \text{Massive } m_\nu \gg T_\nu \end{cases}$

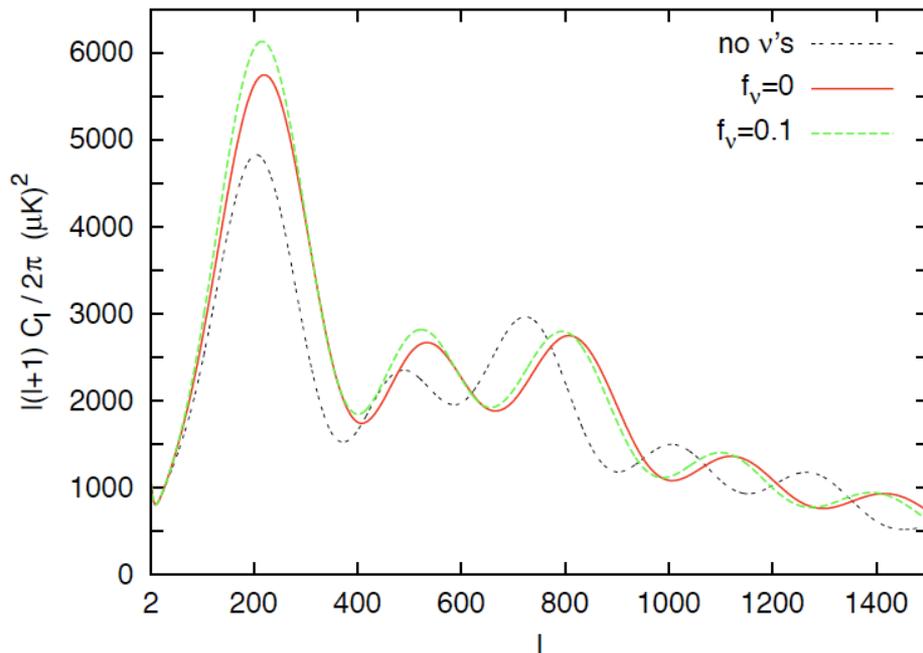
$$\Omega_\nu = \sum_\nu \frac{\rho_\nu}{\rho_c} = \frac{\sum_\nu m_\nu}{93.14 h^2 \text{ eV}}$$

Neutrino energy density parameter

Sub-eV massive neutrinos cosmological signatures

In the **standard cosmology** hot, thermal relics are identified with the **three light, active neutrino** flavours of the **Standard Model** of elementary particles.

- **CMB:** a) *Early Integrated Sachs Wolfe effect*. The transition from the relativistic to the non relativistic neutrino regime affect the decay of the gravitational potentials at decoupling period (especially near the first acoustic peak).
b) Suppression of lensing potential (with Planck). An increase of the neutrino mass suppresses clustering on scales smaller than the size of the horizon at the time of the non-relativistic transition, suppressing the lensing potential.



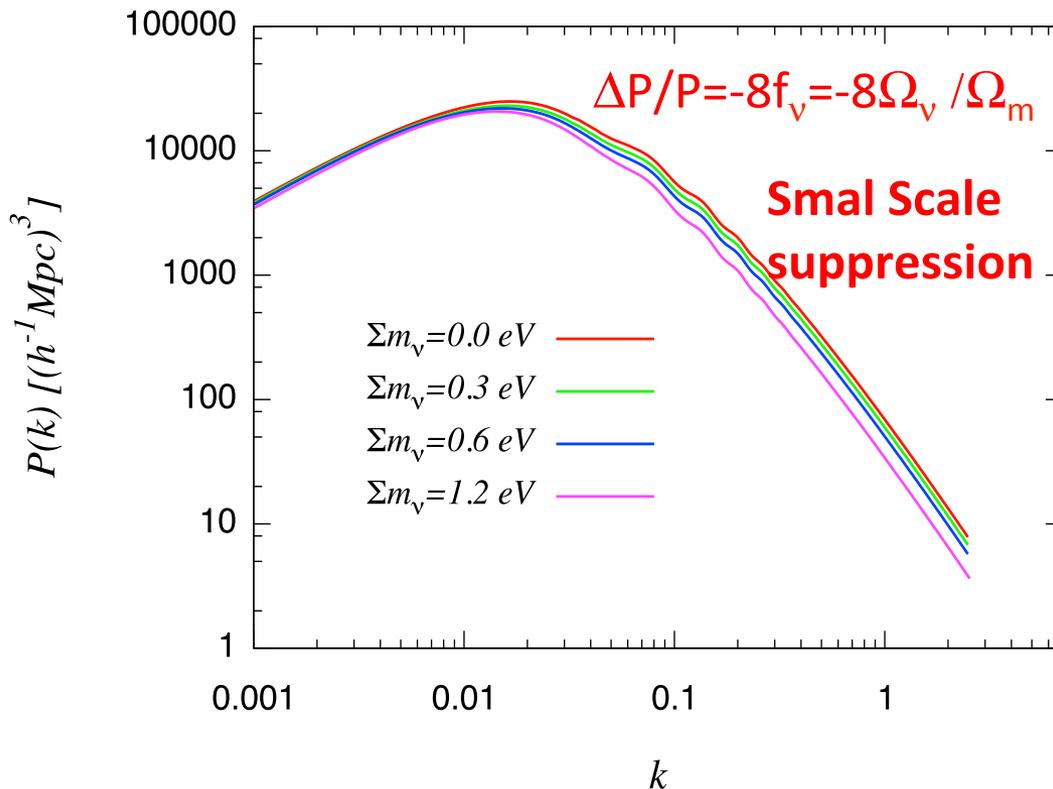
$$1 + z_{nr,\nu} \simeq 1890 \left(\frac{m_\nu}{1eV} \right)$$

$$f_\nu = \Omega_\nu / \Omega_m$$

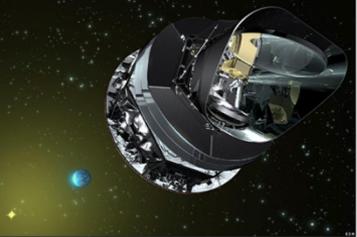
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- **LSS**: Suppression of structure formation on scales smaller than the free streaming scale when neutrinos turn non relativistic, affecting also the Baryon acoustic oscillation (BAO) scale which are the imprint on the matter distribution of the pressure-gravity competition in the baryon-photon fluid.

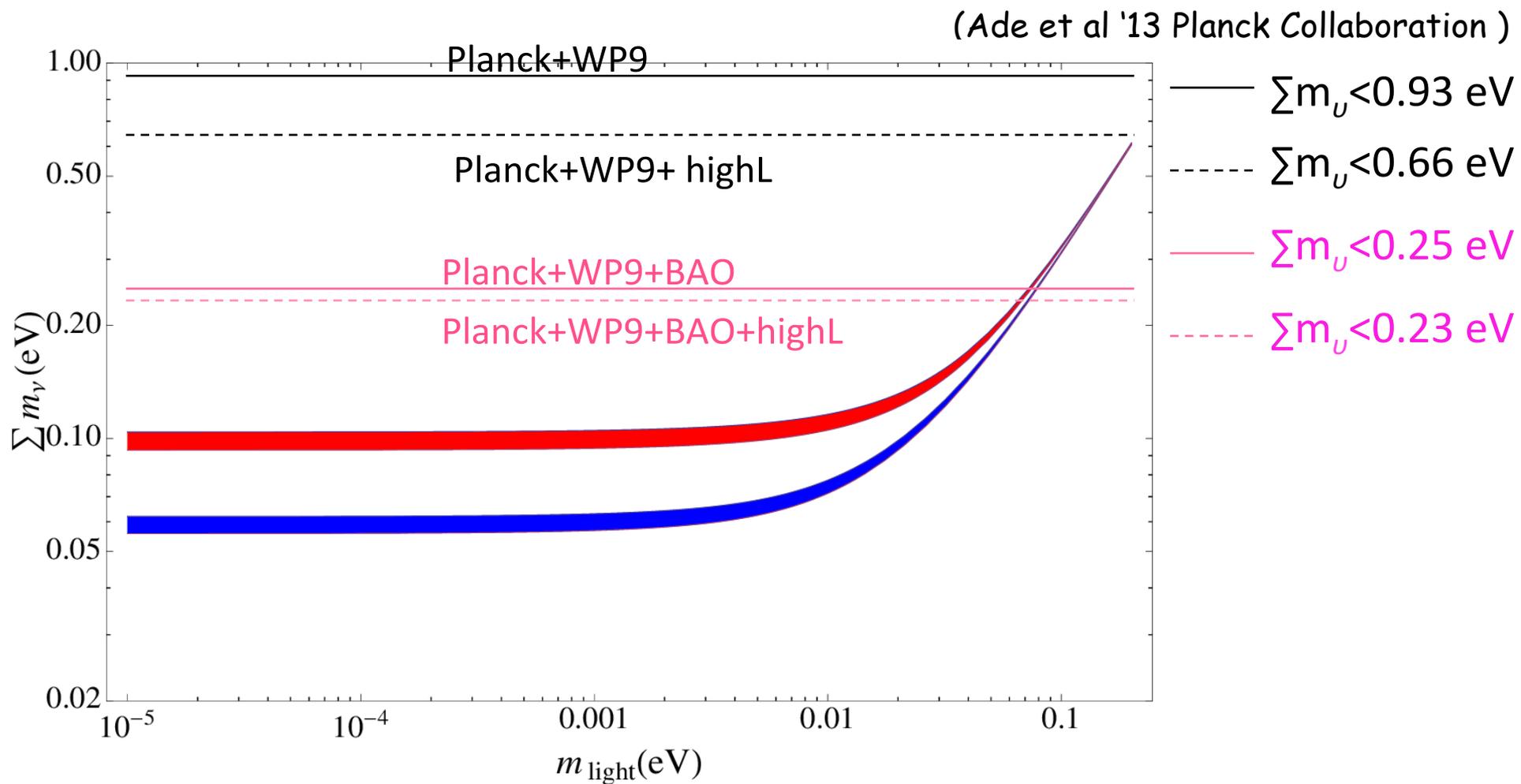
$$k_{fs,\nu}(z) \simeq 0.7 \left(\frac{m_\nu}{1\text{eV}} \right) \sqrt{\frac{\Omega_M}{1+z}} \text{ h Mpc}^{-1}$$



- **Large scales ($k < k_{fs}$)**
Neutrinos cluster and behave as cold dark matter: $\delta_\nu = \delta\rho / \delta\rho_c = \delta_{\text{cdm}} \sim a$.
- **Small scales ($k > k_{fs}$)**
Perturbations can not grow due to the large neutrino velocity dispersion
Matter power spectrum is suppressed.



2013 Planck state on neutrino mass 95% CL bounds



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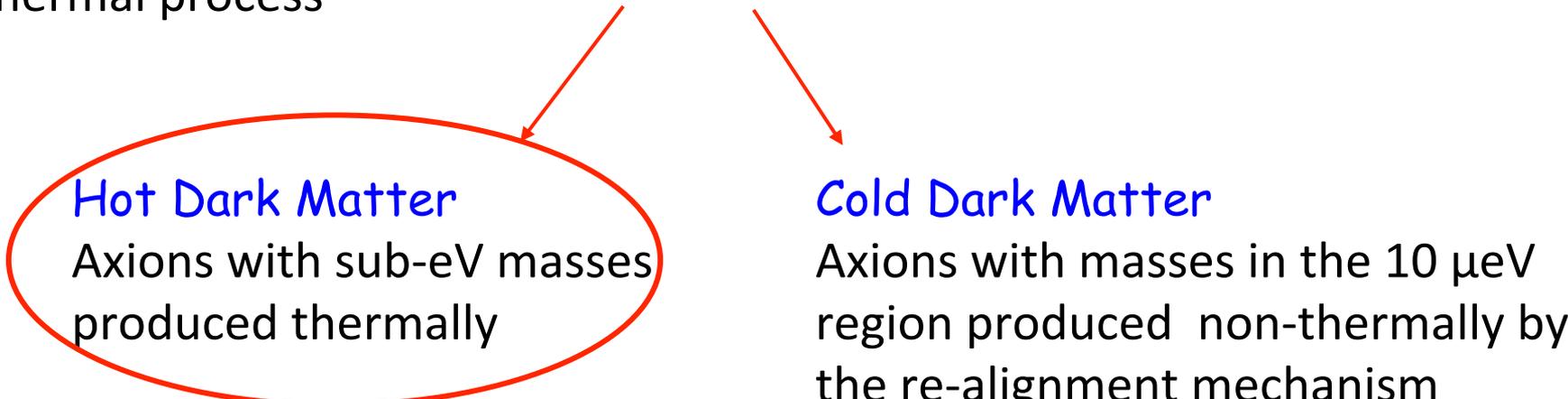
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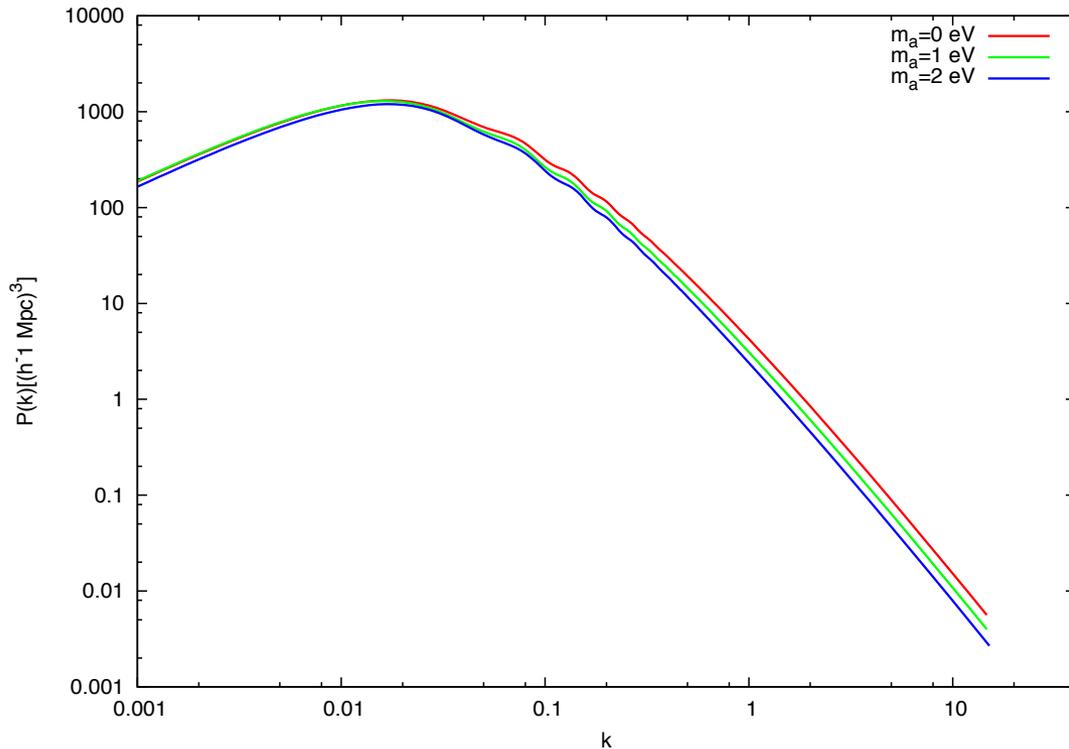
- ✓ For $f_a \leq 10^8$ GeV axions attain thermal equilibrium at the QCD phase transition or later, and contribute to the cosmic radiation density and subsequently to the cosmic hot dark matter along with massive neutrinos.
- ✓ Axions will remain in thermal equilibrium until the expansion rate of the universe, $H(T)$, becomes larger than their thermally averaged interaction rate.
- ✓ Axions decoupled in the early universe at a temperature T_D given by the usual freeze out condition for a thermal relic:

$$\Gamma(T_D) = H(T_D)$$

- ✓ From T_D we can compute the current axion number density, related to the present photon density:

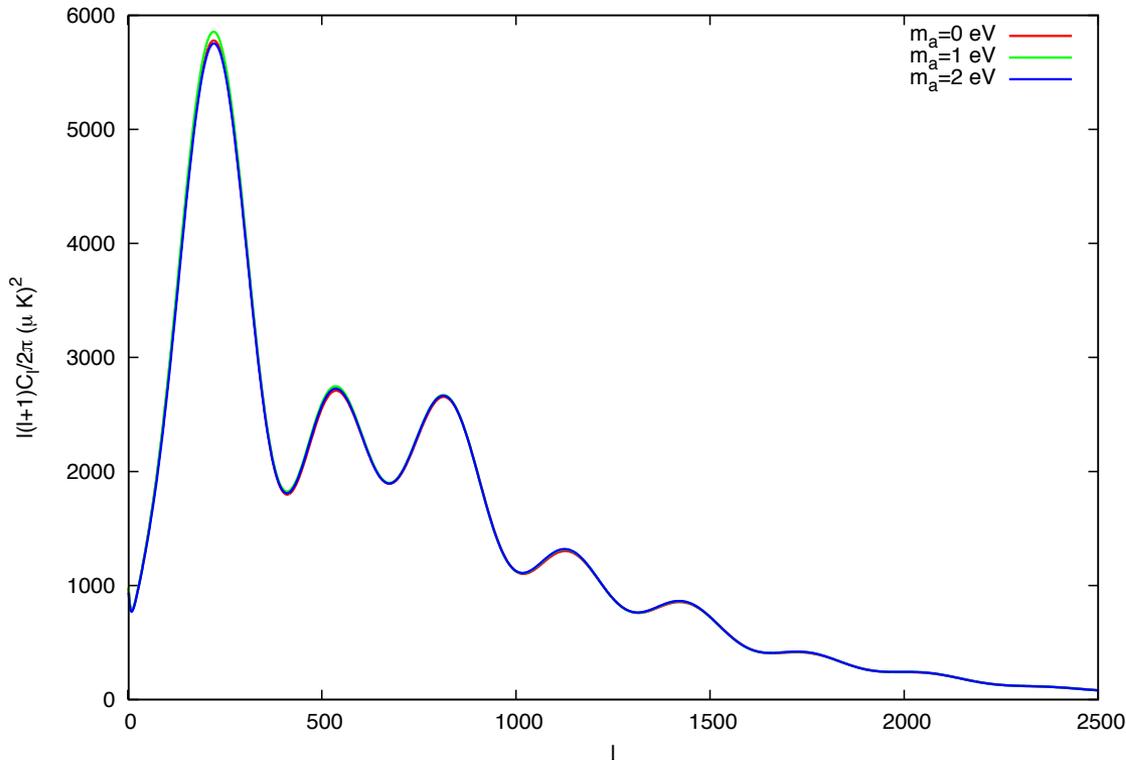
$$n_a = \frac{g_{\star S}(T_0)}{g_{\star S}(T_D)} \times \frac{n_\gamma}{2} \qquad g_{\star S}(T_0) = 3.91$$

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However, unlike neutrinos, axion HDM has **no substantial effect** on the CMB anisotropies.

Effective Number of Relativistic degrees of freedom N_{eff}

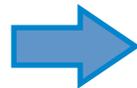
Radiation content of the Universe:

$$\Omega_r = \Omega_\nu + \Omega_\gamma = \left[1 + \frac{7}{8} \left(\frac{4}{11} \right)^{4/3} N_{\text{eff}} \right] \Omega_\gamma$$

Standard Scenario: $N_{\text{eff}} = 3.046$ after considering non instantaneous neutrino decoupling, neutrino oscillations and QED corrections.

(Mangano et al, PLB'01 & NPB'05)

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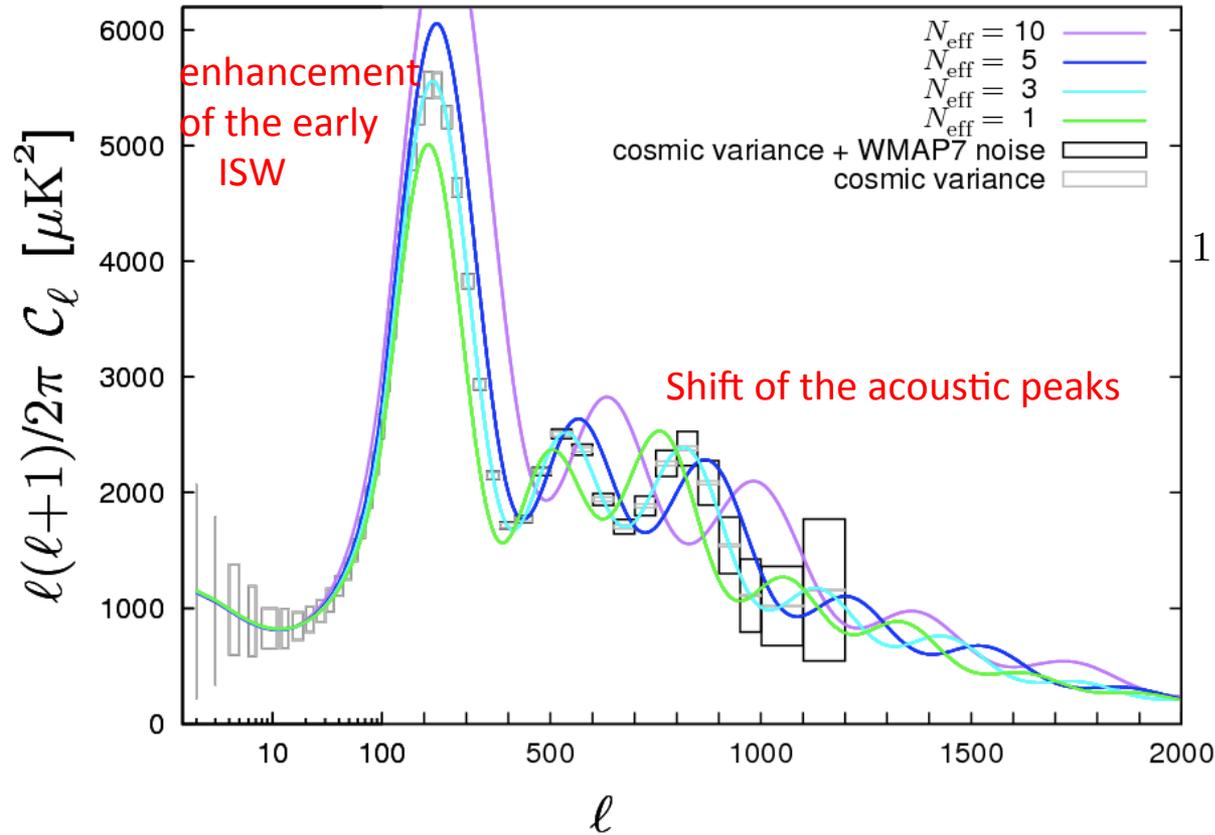
Extra relativistic component
(Dark Radiation)



Sterile neutrinos, thermal axions, extended dark sectors with light species (as in asymmetric dark matter models).

(Melchiorri et al PRD '07, Smith et al PRD '06, Calabrese et al PRD '11)

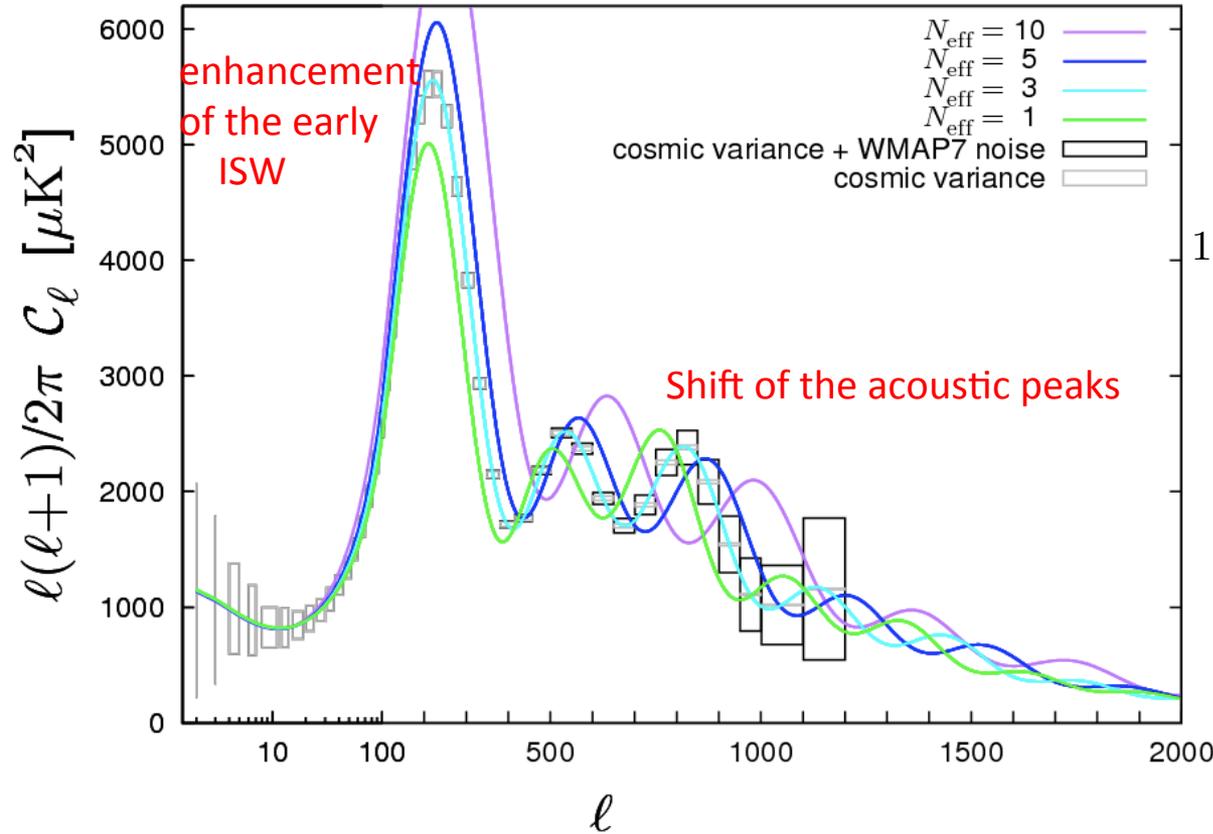
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Friedmann equation:

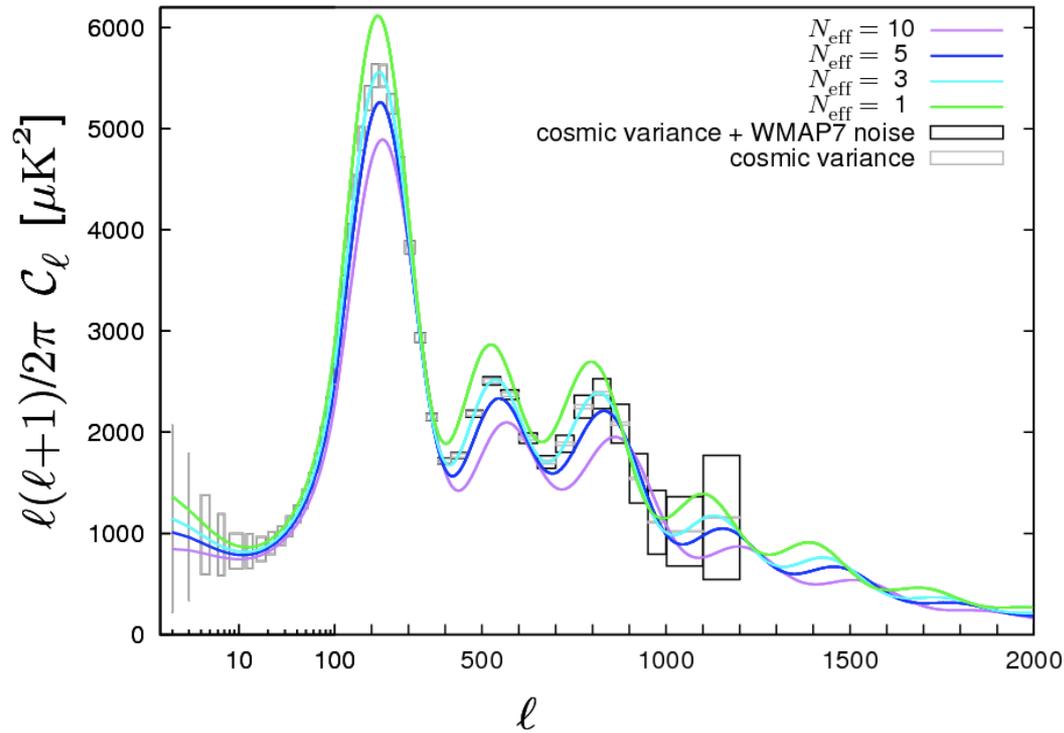
$$\left(\frac{H}{H_0}\right)^2 = \frac{\Omega_M}{a^3} + \frac{\Omega_\gamma}{a^4} + \frac{\Omega_\nu}{a^4} + \Omega_\Lambda + \frac{\Omega_{DR}}{a^4}$$

increase of the expansion rate H at recombination

$$r_s = \int_0^{t_*} c_s \frac{dt}{a} = \int_0^{a_*} \frac{c_s}{a^2} \frac{da}{H} \quad \downarrow$$

$$\theta_s = \frac{r_s}{D_A} \quad \downarrow \quad l = \frac{\pi}{\theta_s} \quad \uparrow$$

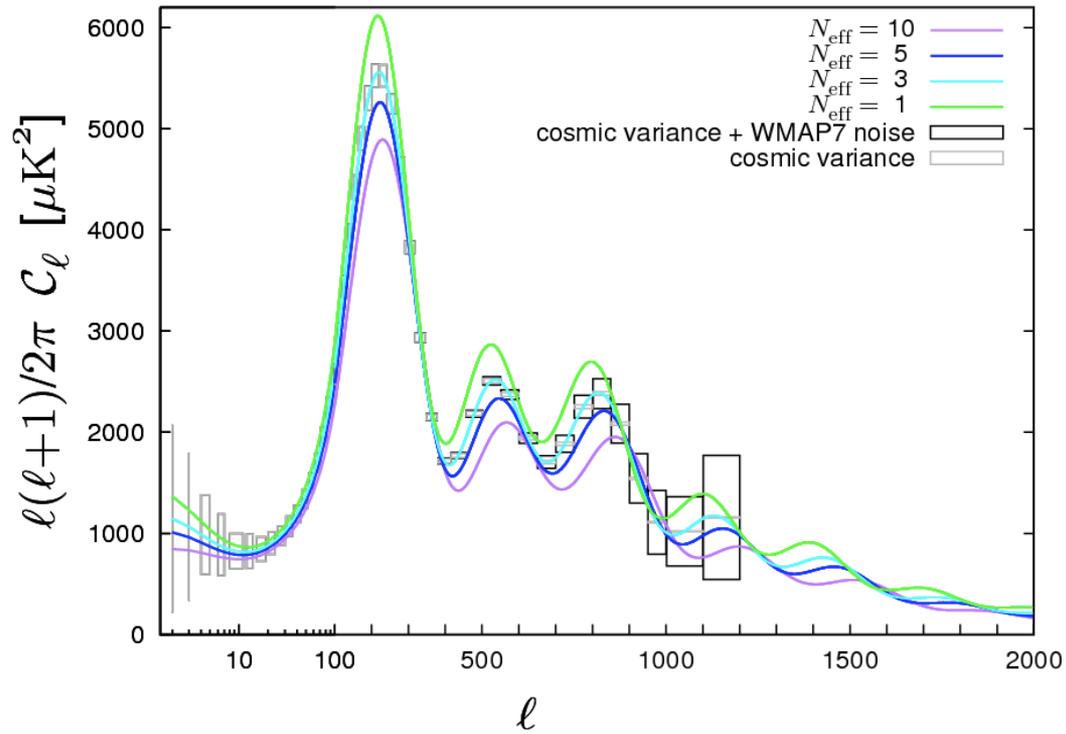
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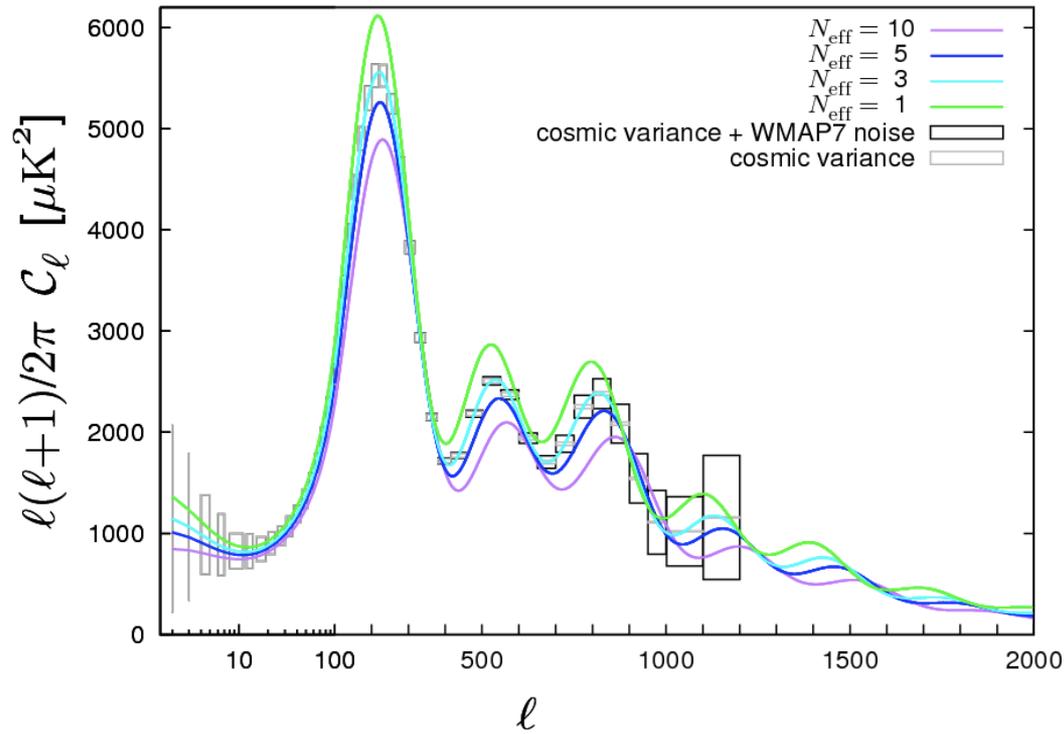
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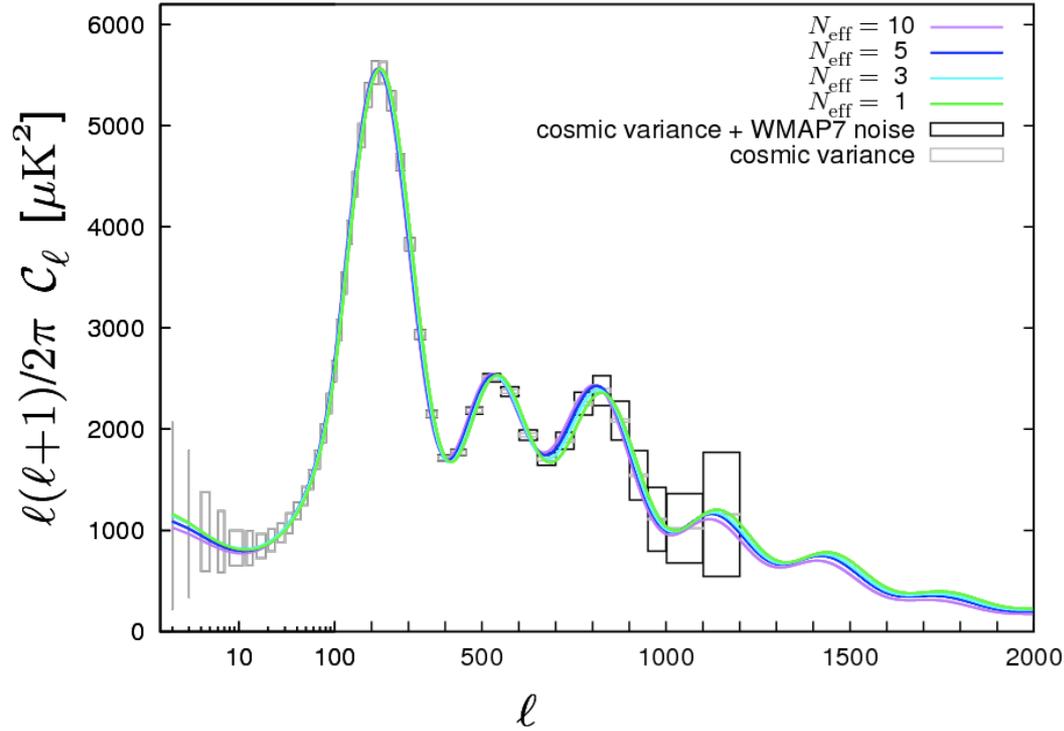


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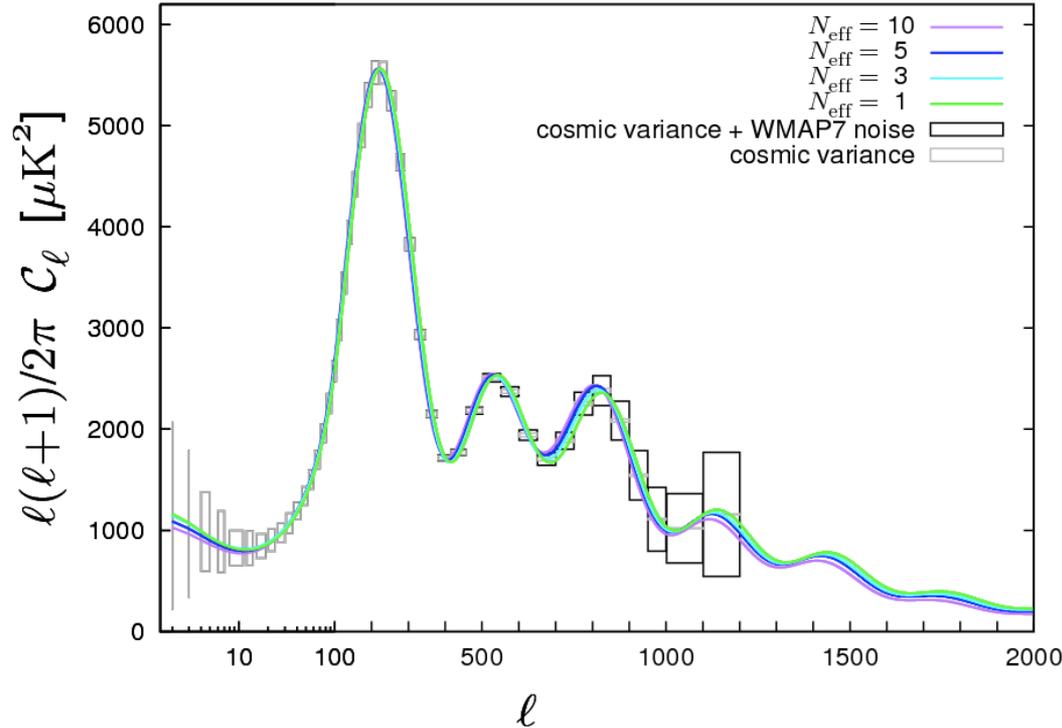
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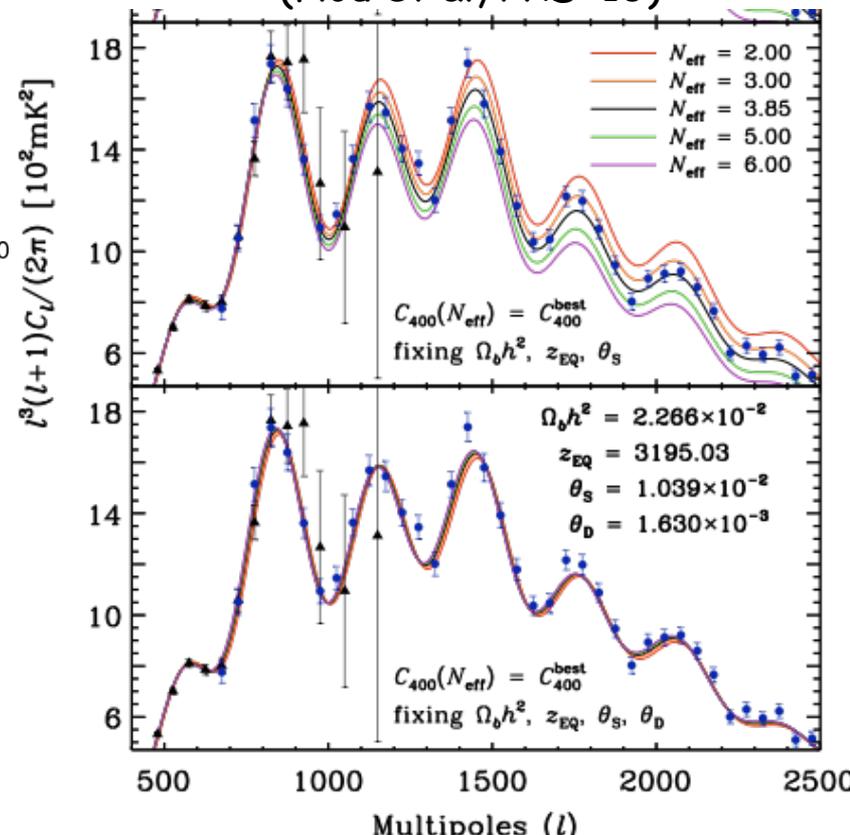
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(Hou et al, PRD '13)



Increase of the Silk damping:
Higher N_{eff} , higher $H(z)$,
modifying the photon
diffusion scale at recombination

$$r_d^2 \propto \int_0^{a_*} \frac{da}{a^3 \sigma_T n_e H}$$

Increasing the damping at high
multipoles.

N_{eff} Cosmological signatures: BBN

N_{eff} affects the expansion rate during BBN:

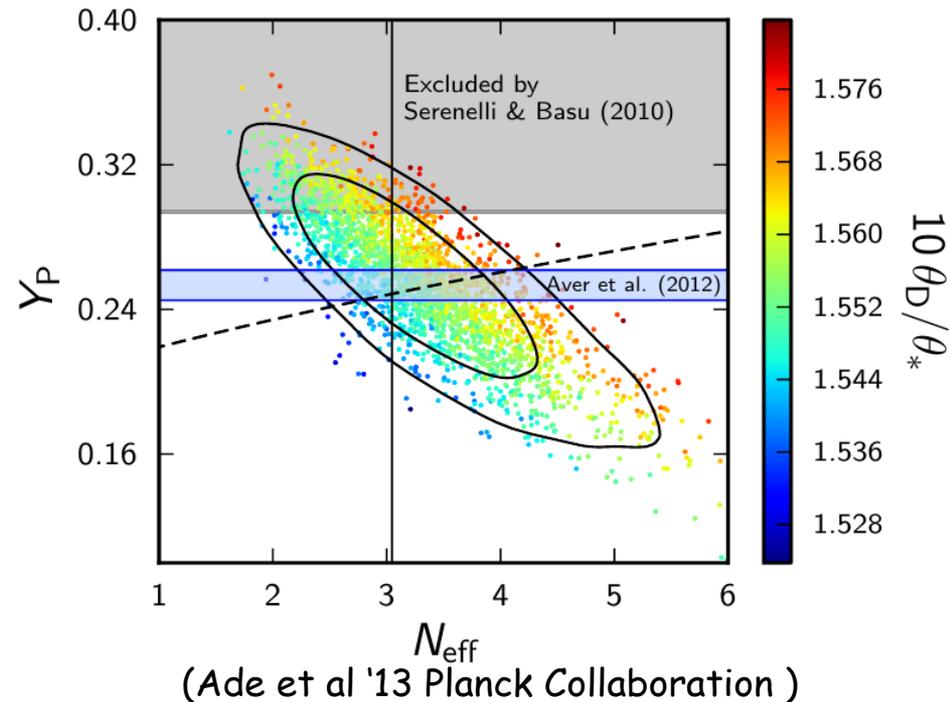
$$H = \sqrt{\frac{8\pi\rho_r}{3M_{Pl}^2}} \quad \rho_r = \left[1 + \frac{7}{8} \left(\frac{4}{11} \right)^{4/3} N_{\text{eff}} \right] \rho_\gamma$$

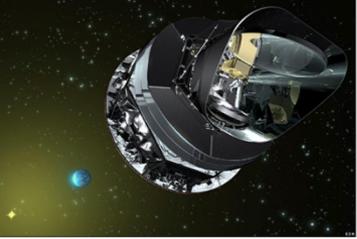
- 1-0.1 MeV: Particles in thermal equilibrium \longrightarrow lost of equilibrium \longrightarrow n/p freezes out at $T < 0.7 \text{ MeV}$ ($\Gamma_{np} \sim H$) \longrightarrow residual free neutrons β -decay
- 0.1-0.01 MeV Formation of the light elements starting from D

Larger N_{eff} , higher expansion rate, higher freeze out temperature, higher ^4He fraction:

$$n/p \approx e^{-\frac{m_n - m_p}{T_{\text{freeze}}}}$$

$$Y_P = \frac{2(n/p)}{1 + n/p}$$





2013 Planck state on N_{eff}

$$N_{\text{eff}} = 3.36^{+0.68}_{-0.64}$$

(95%, *Planck + WP + highL*)

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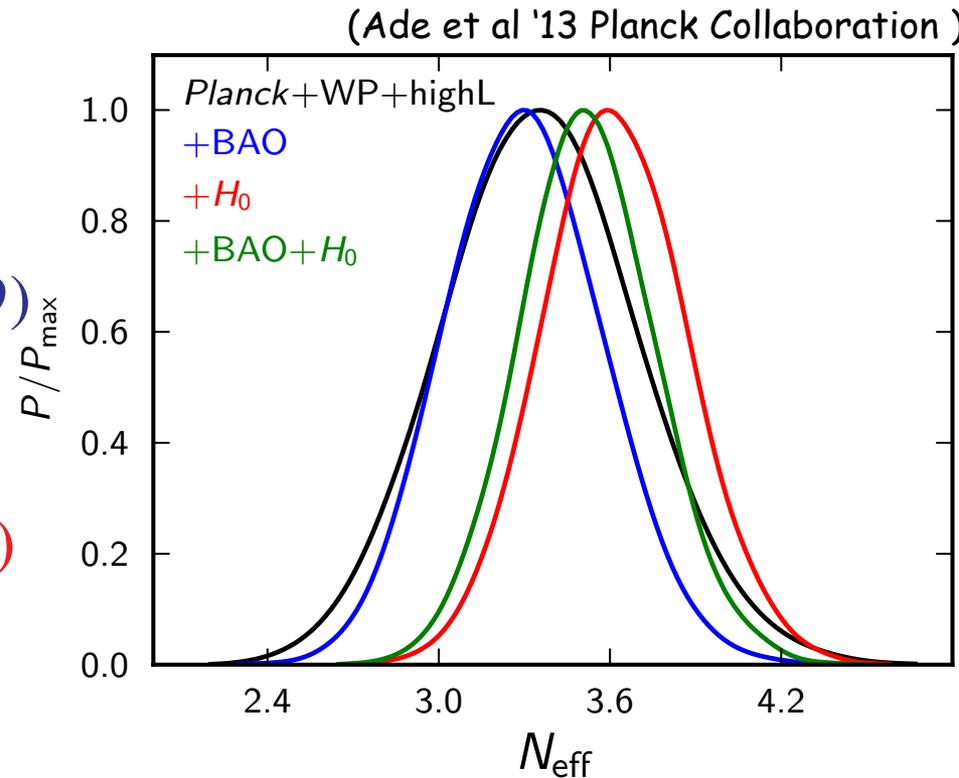
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$$N_{\text{eff}} = 3.62^{+0.50}_{-0.48}$$

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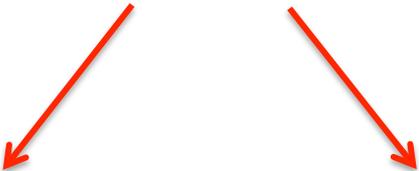
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These extra species



Have an associated free streaming scales, reducing the growth of matter fluctuations at small scales

Contribute to the effective number of relativistic degrees of freedom N_{eff}

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Data1

✓ CMB:

- Planck temperature anisotropies, including lensing potential
- WMAP 9-year polarization
- ACT and SPT measurements at small scales
- B-mode polarization measurements from BICEP2

✓ Large scale structure:

- SDSS Data Release 7
 - 6-degree Field Galaxy Survey
 - BOSS Data Release 11
 - WiggleZ survey (the full shape of the matter power spectrum and the geometrical BAO information)
- } Baryon Acoustic Oscillation (BAO) data

Data2

✓ Hubble constant measurements:

- Hubble Space Telescope

✓ σ_8 measurements:

- CFHTLenS survey
- Planck Sunyaev-Zeldovich cluster catalog

✓ Big Bang Nucleosynthesis light elements abundance:

$$(D/H)_p = (2.87 \pm 0.22) \times 10^{-5} \text{ [Iocco et al. PRD '09]}$$

$$(D/H)_p = (2.53 \pm 0.04) \times 10^{-5} \text{ [Cooke et al. arXiv:1308.3240]}$$

$$Y_p = 0.254 \pm 0.003 \text{ [Izotov et al. arXiv: 1308.2100]}$$

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4. Λ CDM model with 3 active massive neutrinos plus ΔN_{eff} massive sterile neutrino species:

$$\{\omega_b, \omega_c, \Theta_s, \tau, n_s, \log[10^{10} A_s], \sum m_\nu, N_{\text{eff}}, m_s^{\text{eff}}\}$$

$$m_s^{\text{eff}} = (T_s/T_\nu)^3 m_s = (\Delta N_{\text{eff}})^{3/4} m_s$$

$$\Delta N_{\text{eff}} = N_{\text{eff}} - 3.46 = (T_s/T_\nu)^4$$

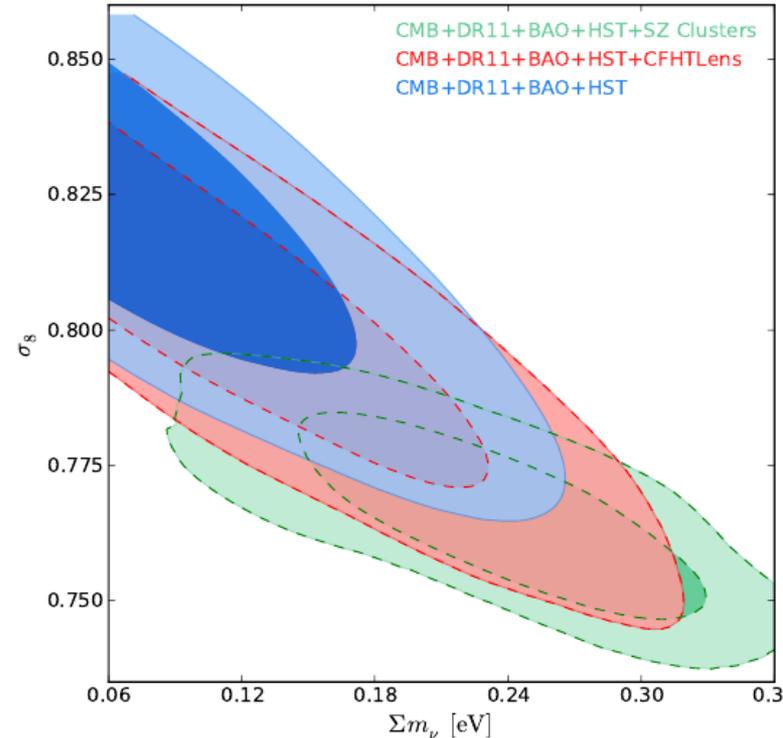
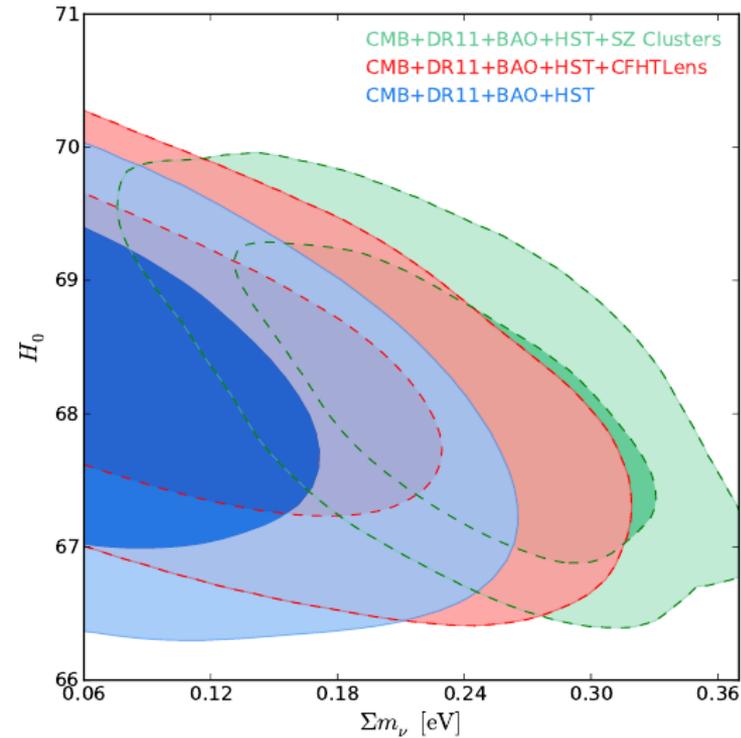
T_s, T_ν current temperature of the sterile and active neutrino species.
 m_s real mass of sterile neutrino species.

UNIFORM PRIORS for the cosmological parameters:

Parameter	Prior	
$\Omega_b h^2$	0.005 \rightarrow 0.1	
$\Omega_c h^2$	0.01 \rightarrow 0.99	
Θ_s	0.5 \rightarrow 10	N_{eff} priors
τ	0.01 \rightarrow 0.8	refer to the
n_s	0.9 \rightarrow 1.1	massless
$\ln(10^{10} A_s)$	2.7 \rightarrow 4	(massive) case
$\sum m_\nu$ [eV]	0.06 \rightarrow 3	
m_a [eV]	0.1 \rightarrow 3	
N_{eff}	0(3.046) \rightarrow 10	
m_s^{eff} [eV]	0 \rightarrow 3	

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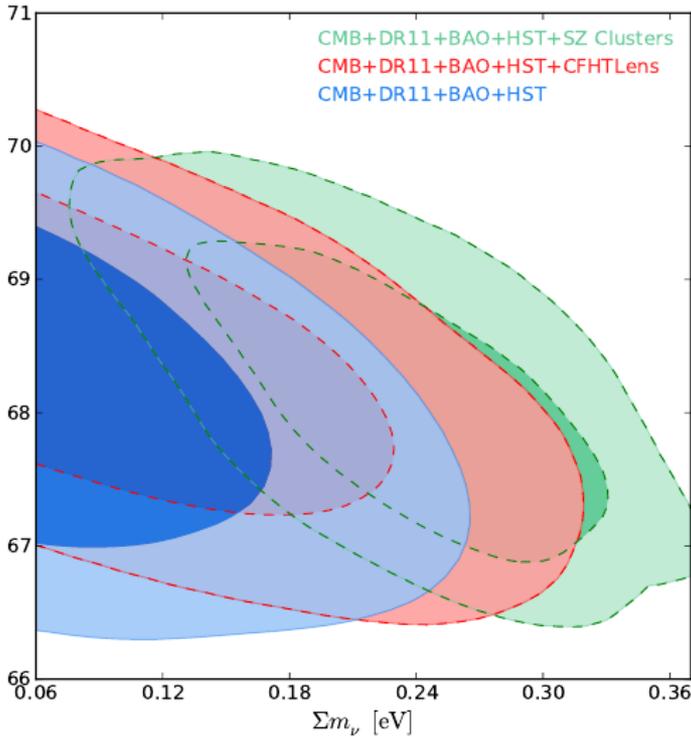


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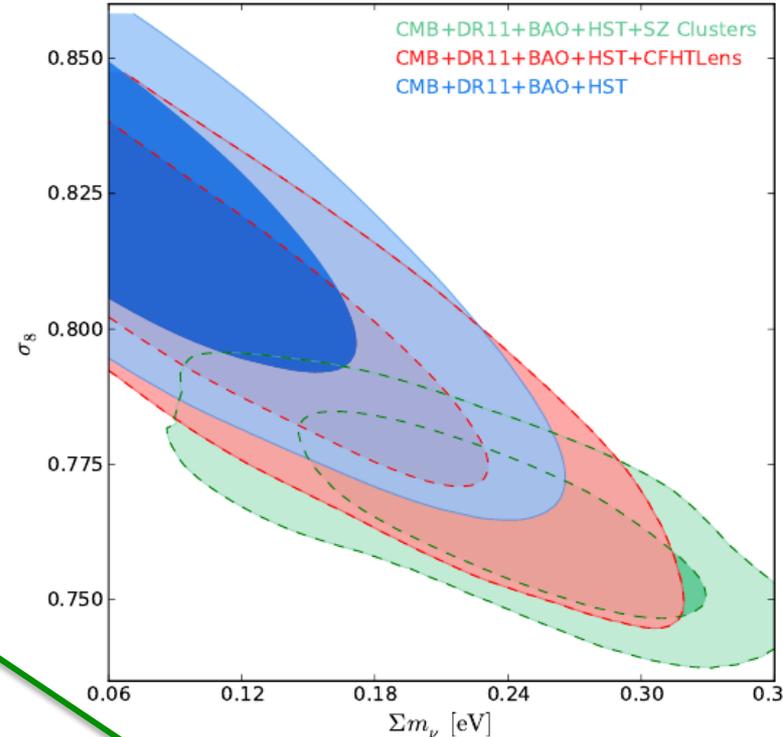
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CMB+DR11+BAO+HST+SZ Cluster: $\Sigma m_\nu = 0.23^{+0.10}_{-0.12}$ eV at 95% CL

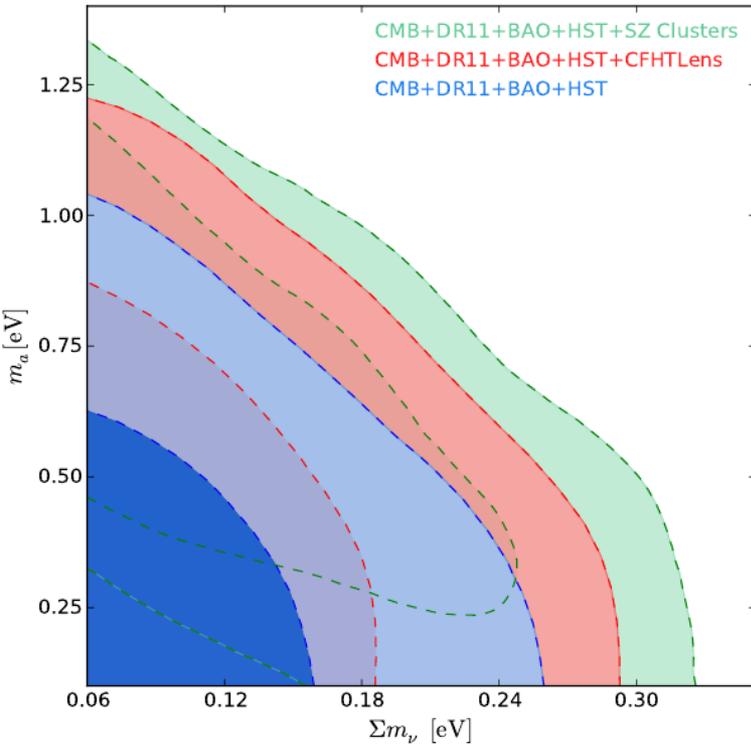
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The addition of the constraints on σ_8 and Ω_m from the **CFHTLens** survey **displaces** the **bounds** on the neutrino mass to **higher** values.

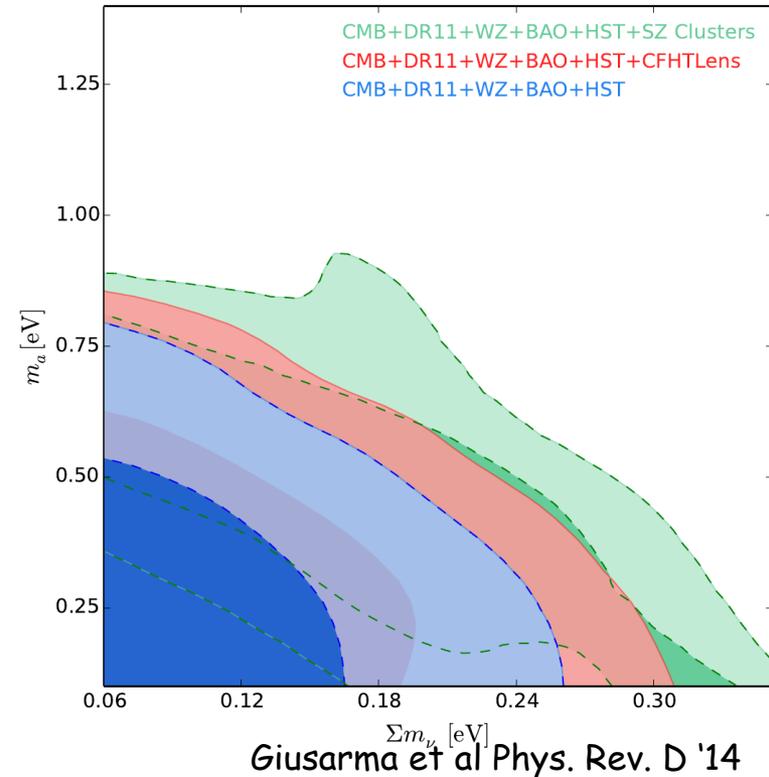
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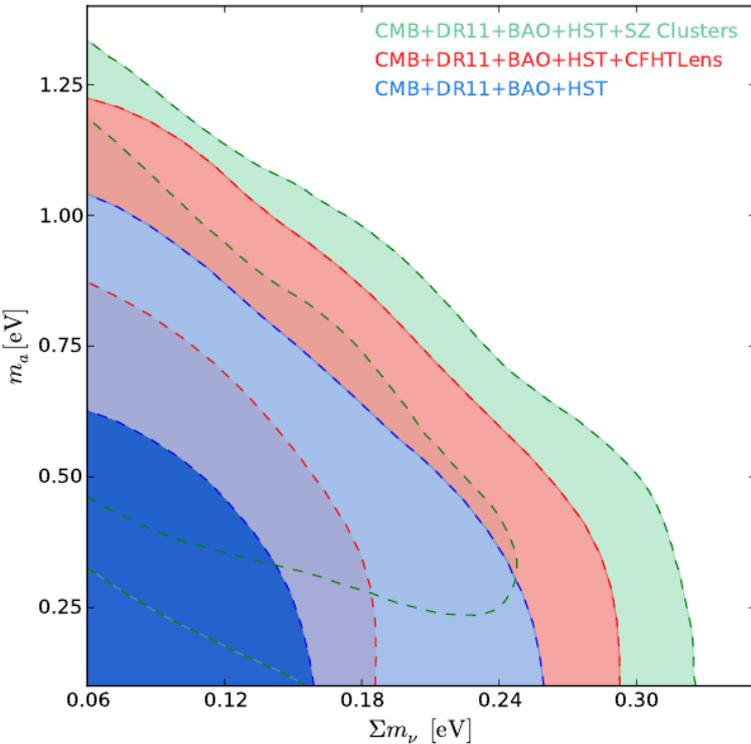


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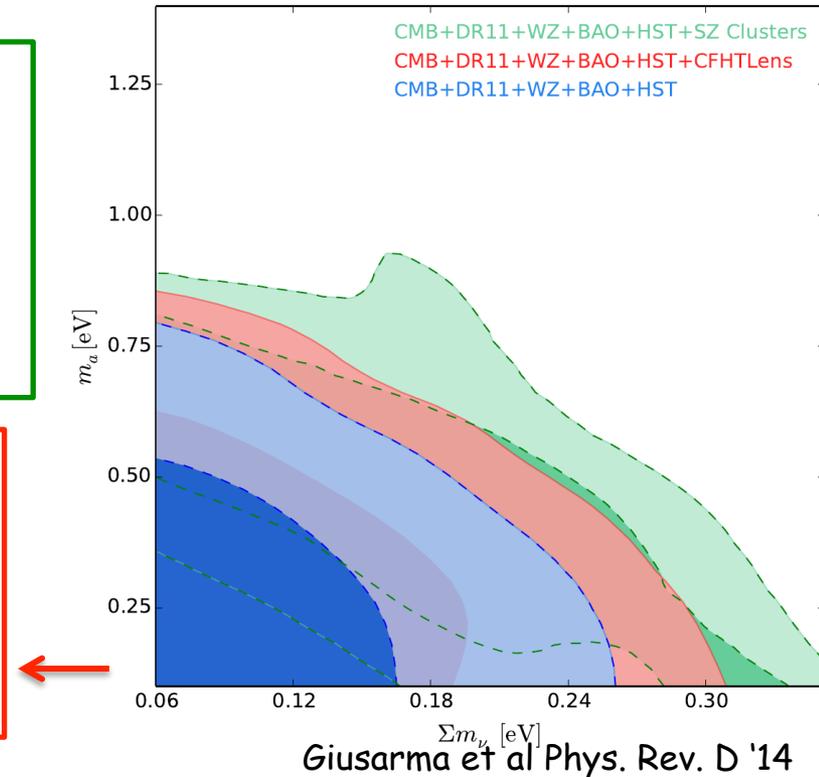
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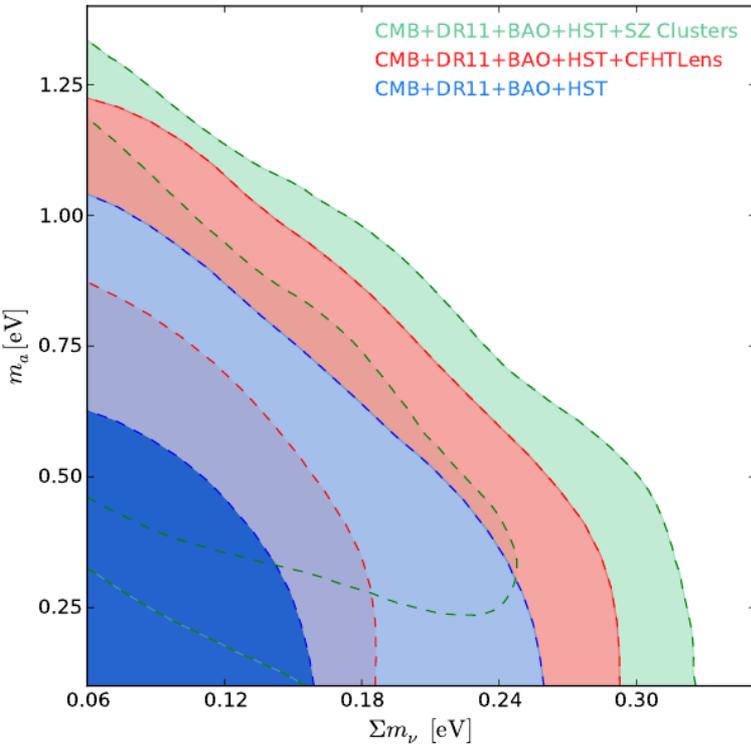


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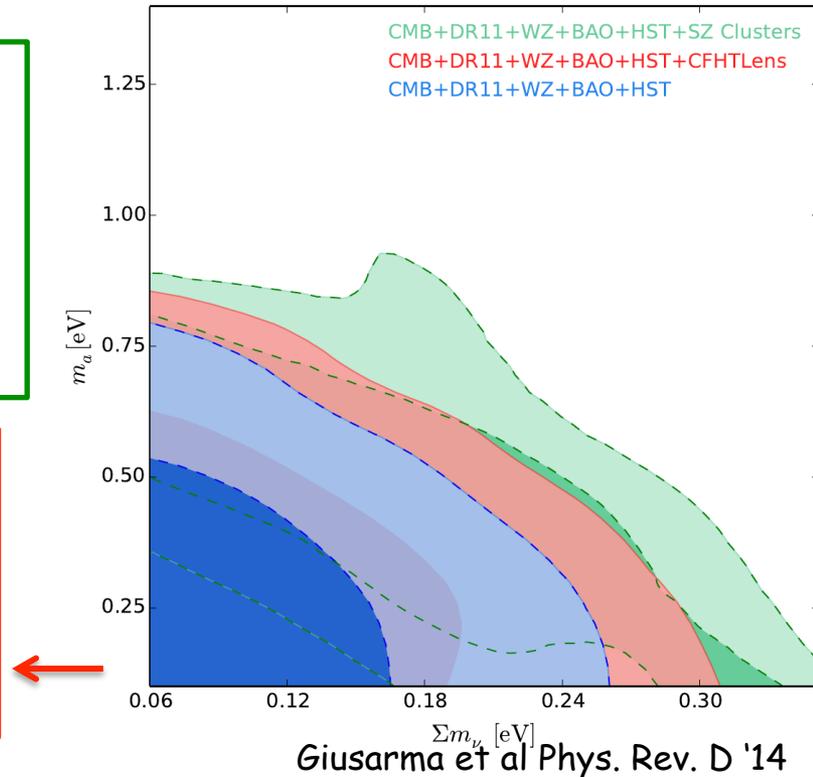
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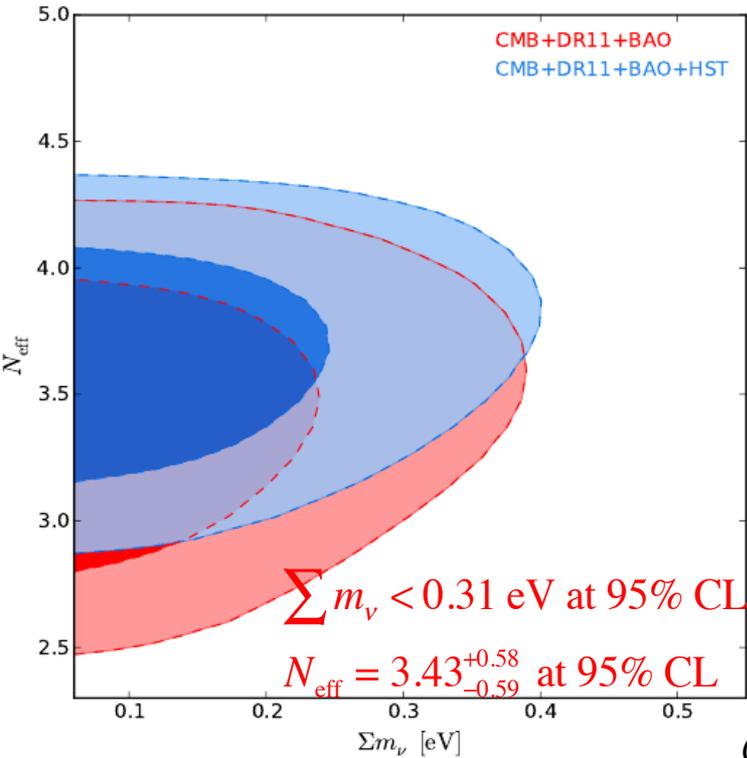
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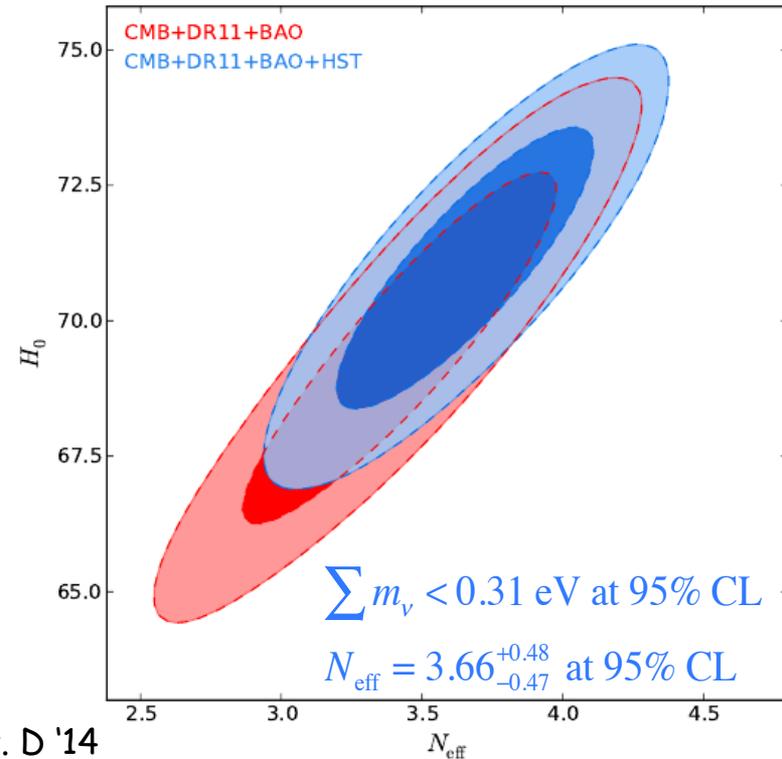
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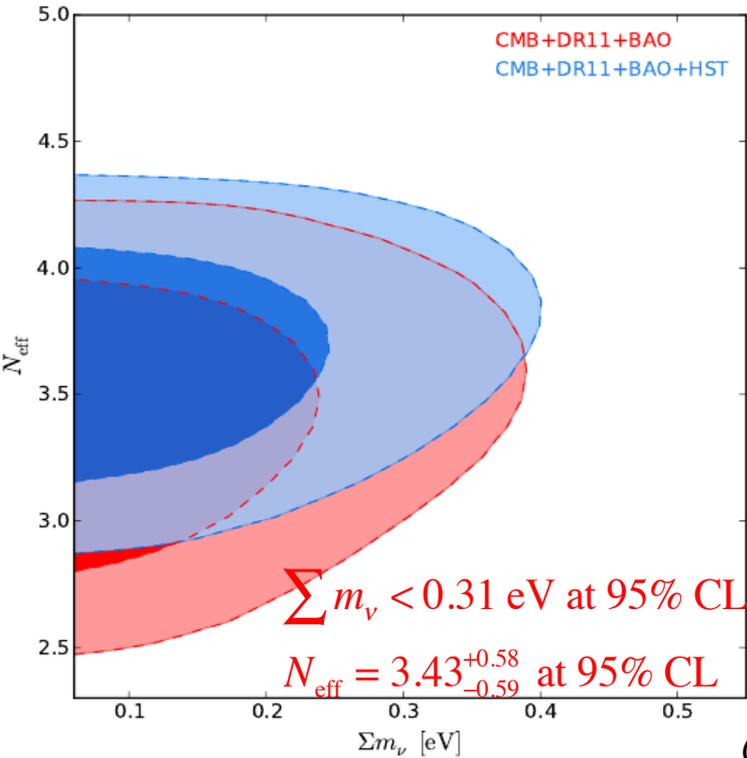


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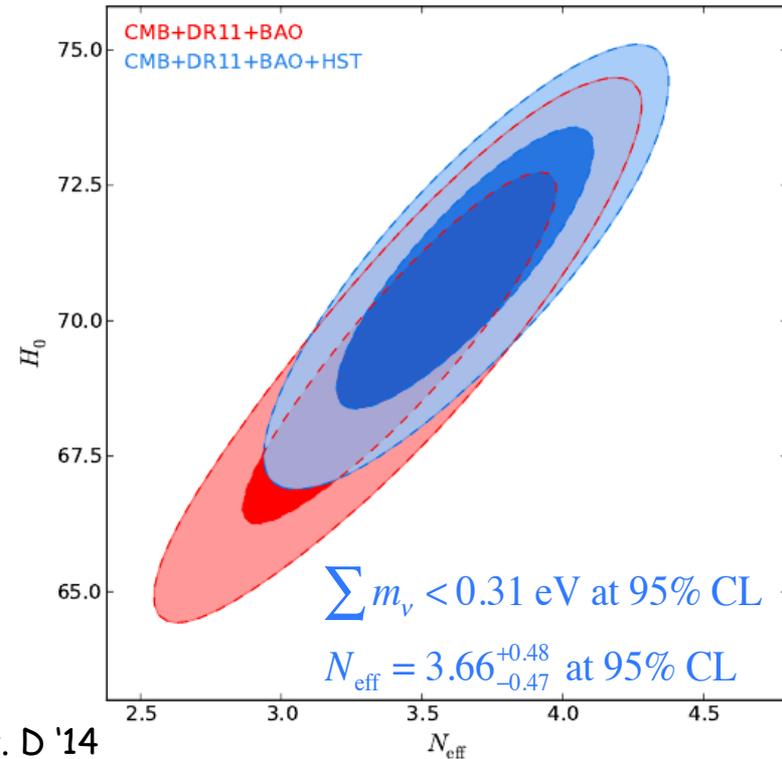
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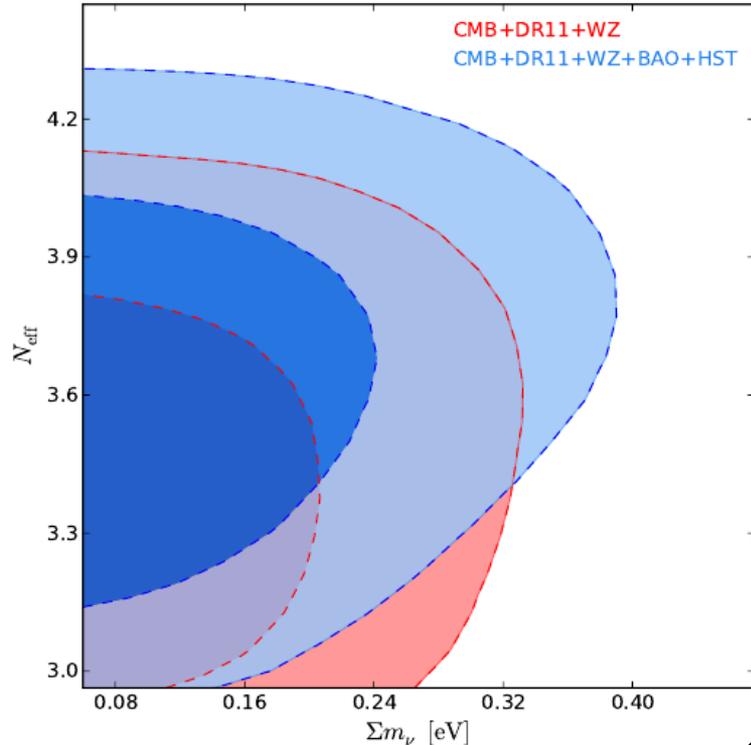
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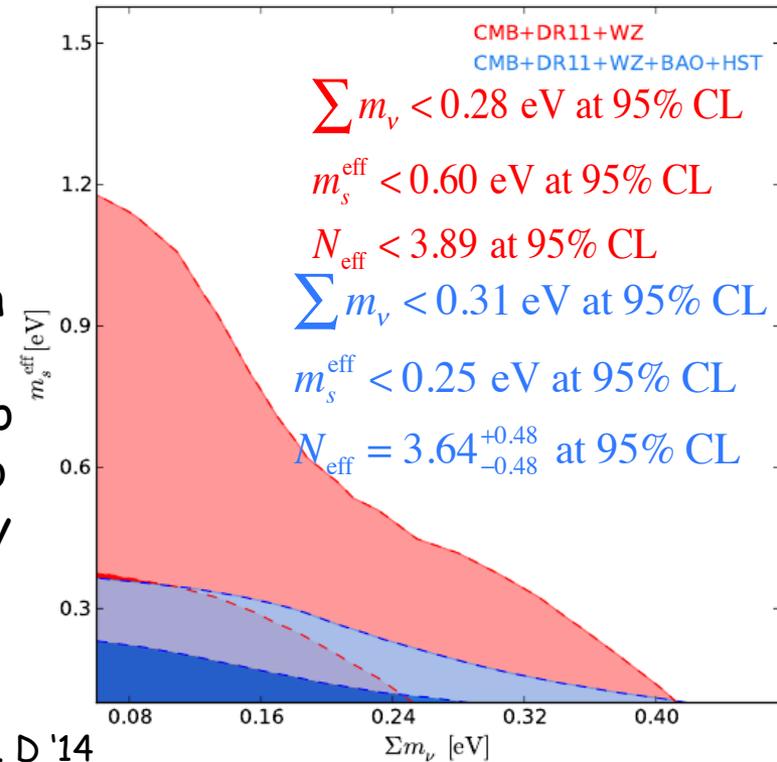
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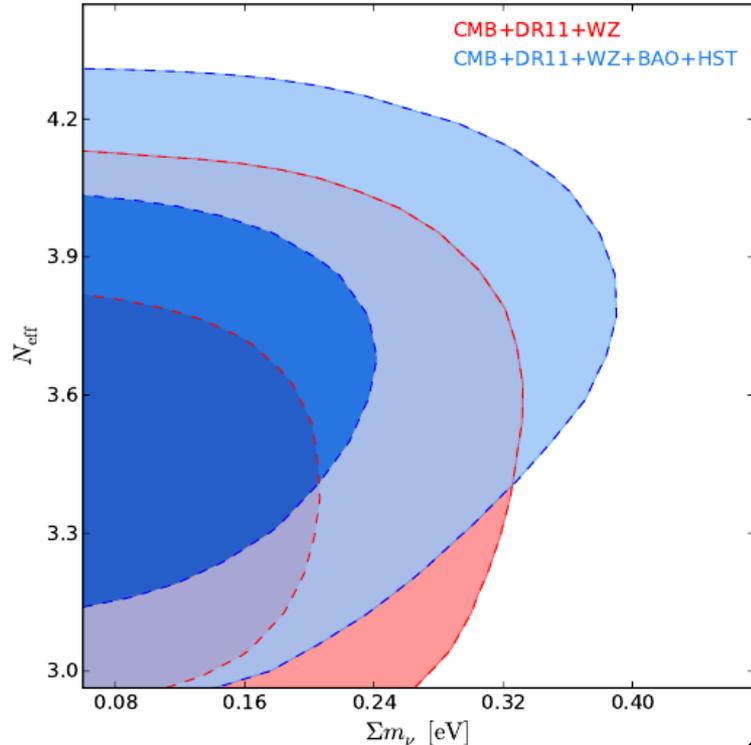
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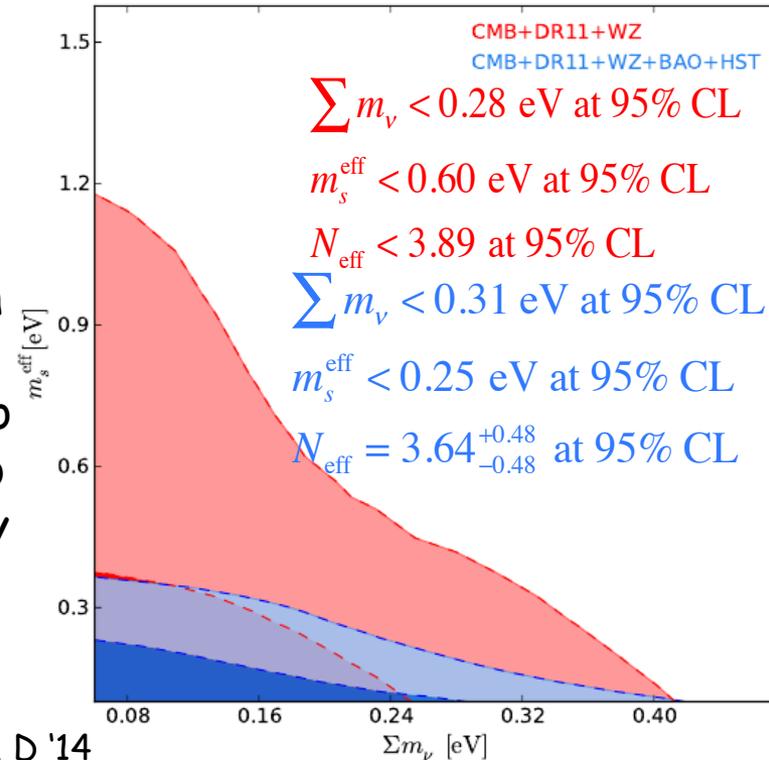
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○ Thermal axions

○ Relativistic degrees of freedom N_{eff}

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$$k_{11} = 0.35 \text{ Mpc}^{-1},$$

$$k_{12} = 10 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}.$$

- ✓ The PCHIP PPS is described by:

$$P_s(k) = P_0 \times \text{PCHIP}(k; P_{s,1}, \dots, P_{s,12})$$

$$P_0 = 2.36 \times 10^{-9} \quad \text{Larson et al Astr. J. Suppl. '11}$$

Data1

✓ CMB:

- Planck temperature anisotropies, including lensing potential
- WMAP 9-year polarization
- ACT and SPT measurements at small scales

✓ Large scale structure:

- SDSS Data Release 7
- 6-degree Field Galaxy Survey
- BOSS Data Release 11
- WiggleZ

Baryon Acoustic
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data

Data2

✓ Hubble constant measurements:

- Hubble Space Telescope: $H_0 = 70.6 \pm 3.3$ km/s/Mpc

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- Planck Sunyaev-Zeldovich cluster catalog:

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Cosmological models

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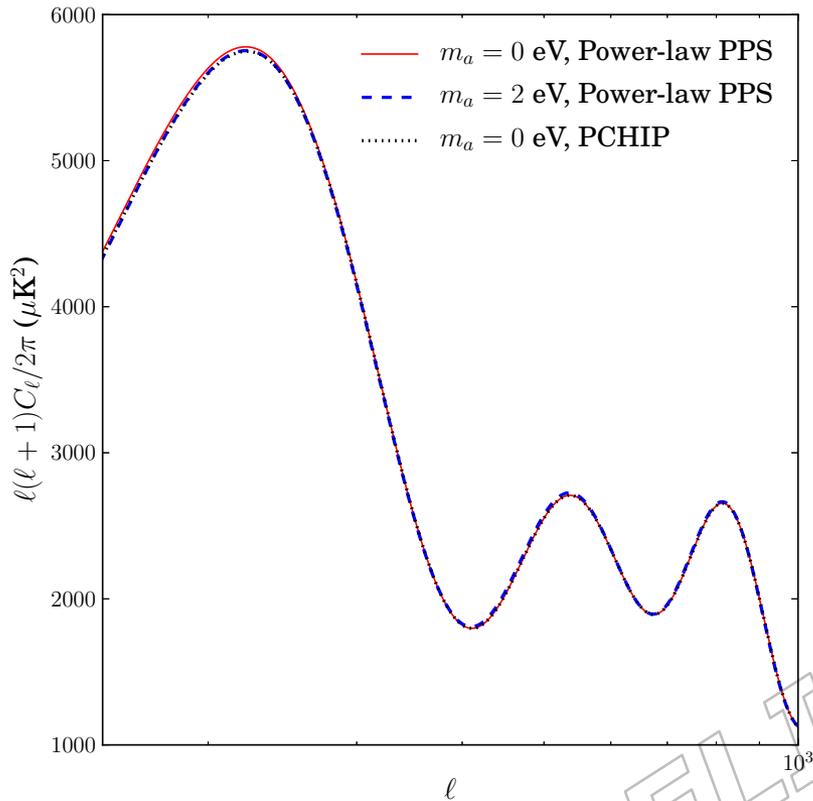
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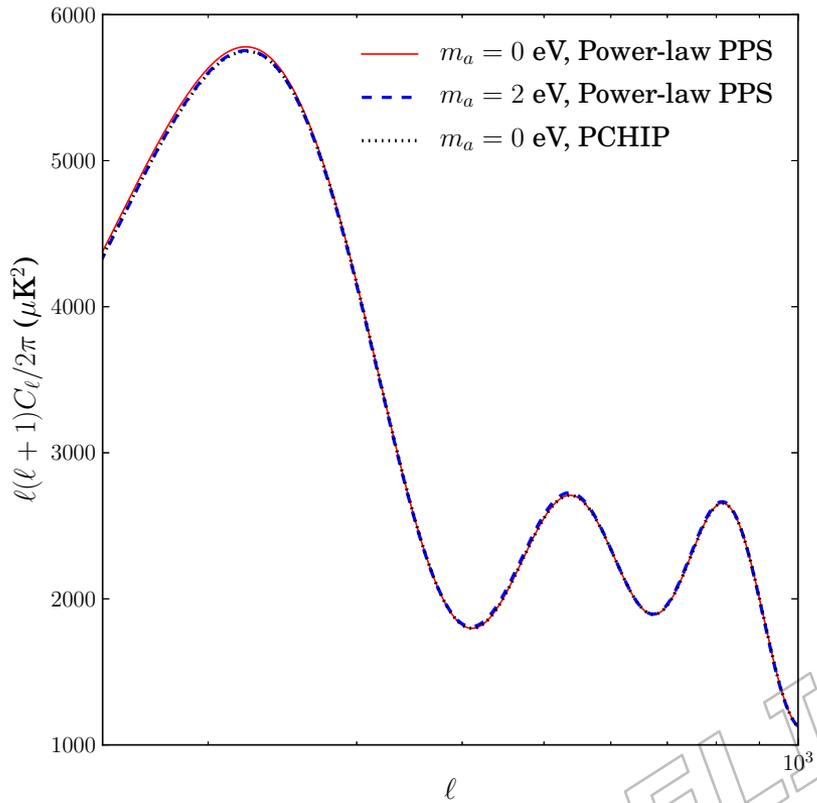
Parameter	Prior
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$\Omega_{\text{cdm}} h^2$	[0.001, 0.99]
θ_s	[0.5, 10]
τ	[0.01, 0.8]
n_s	[0.9, 1.1]
$\log[10^{10} A_s]$	[2.7, 4]
m_a	[0.1, 3]
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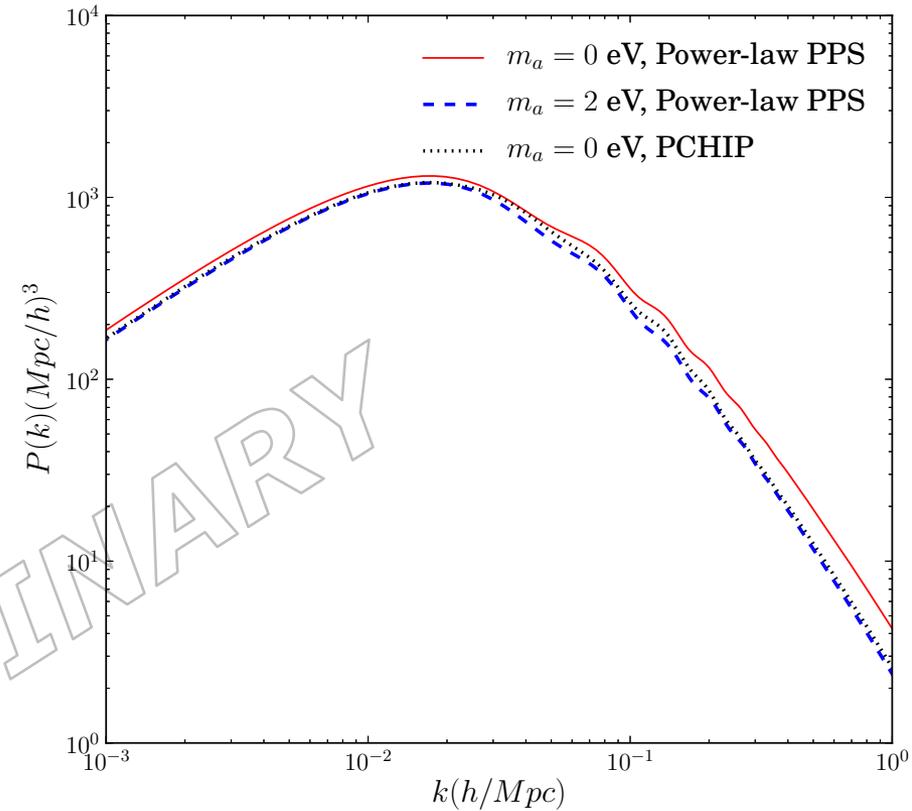


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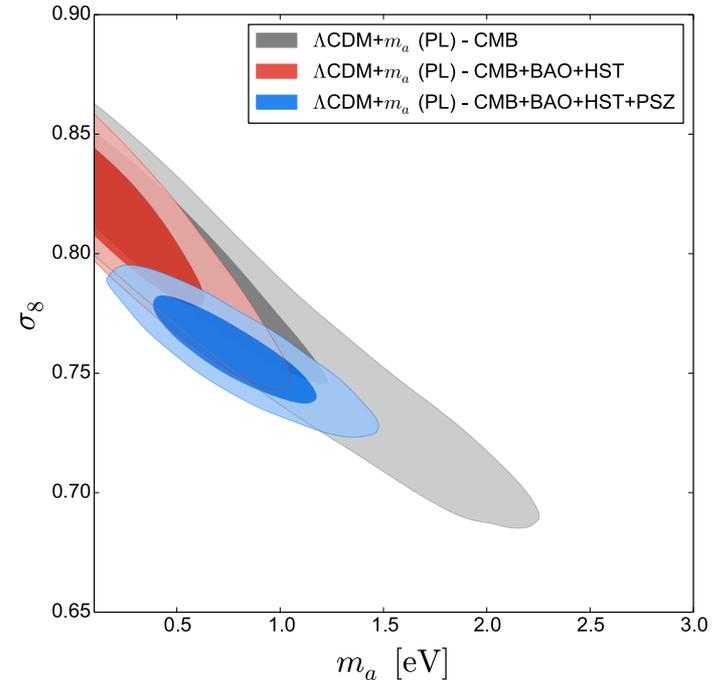
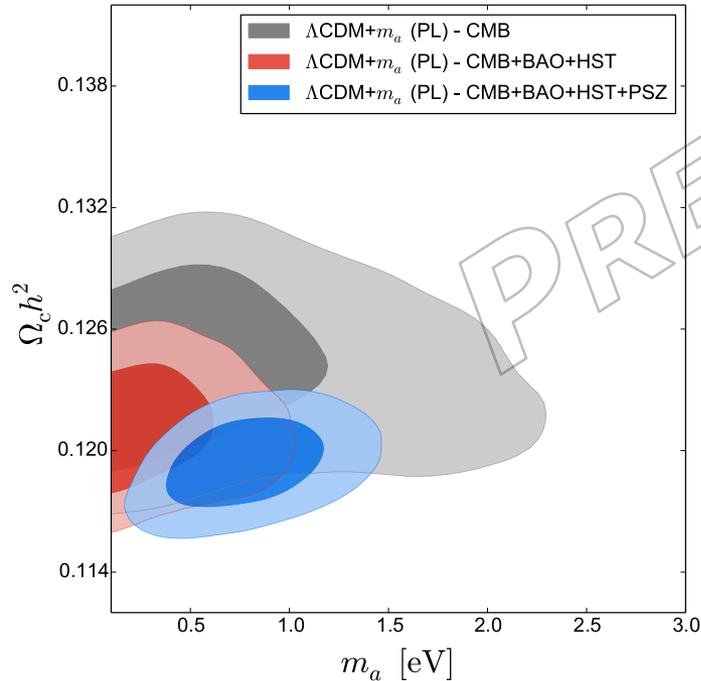
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m_a [eV]	< 1.82	< 1.58	< 0.85	< 0.83	< 1.15	$0.79^{+0.52}_{-0.50}$	
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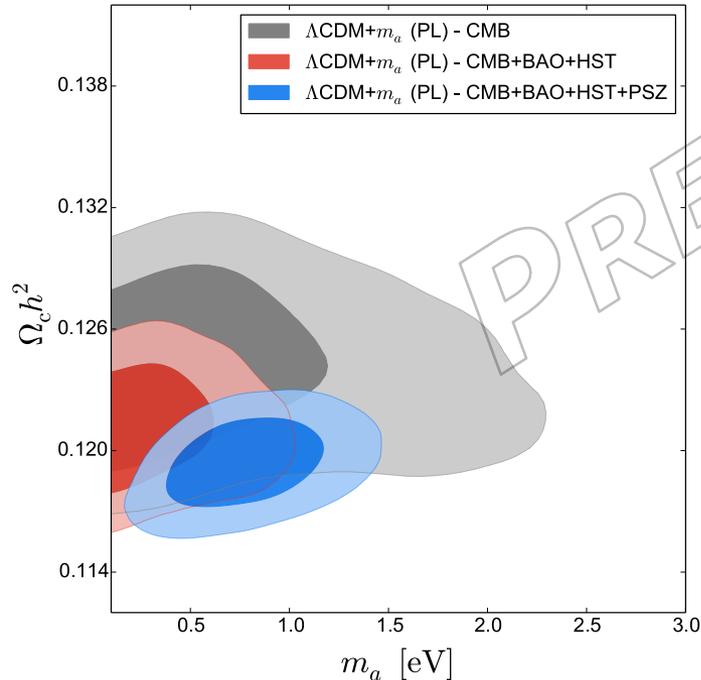
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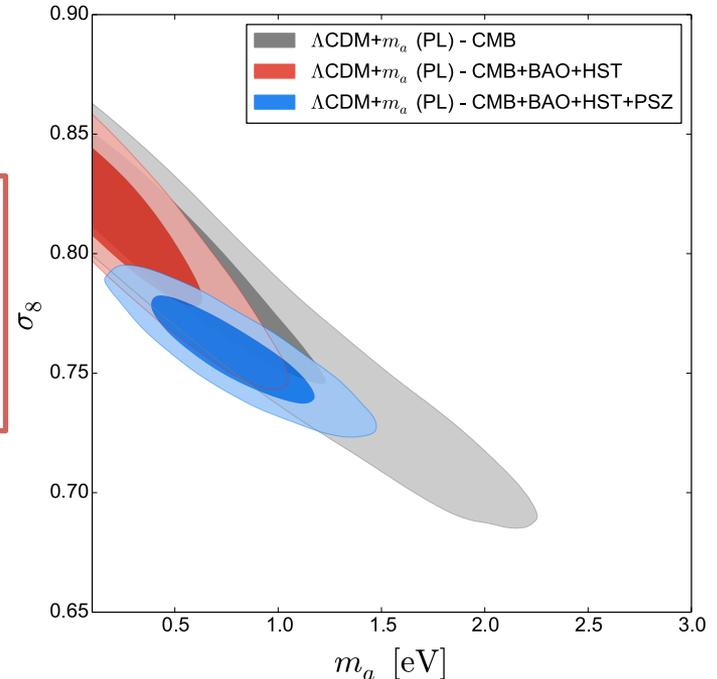
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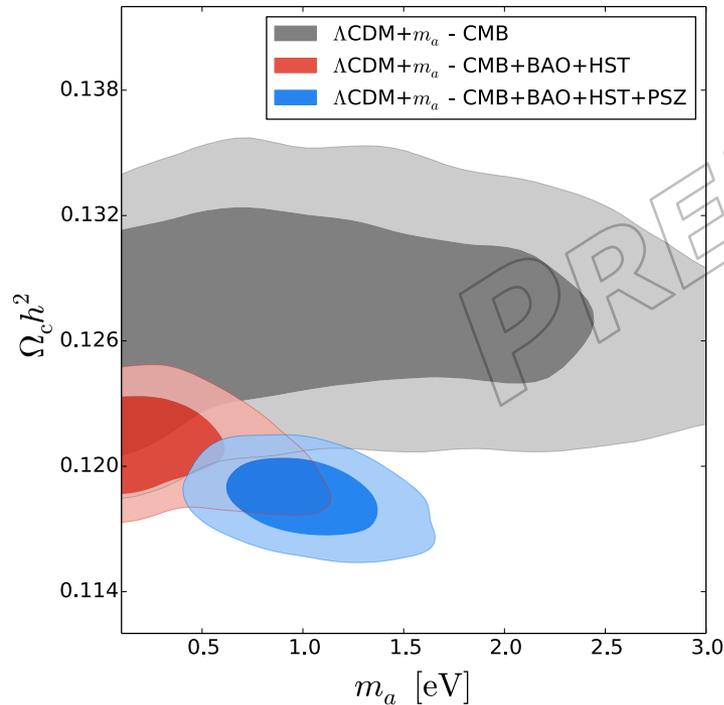
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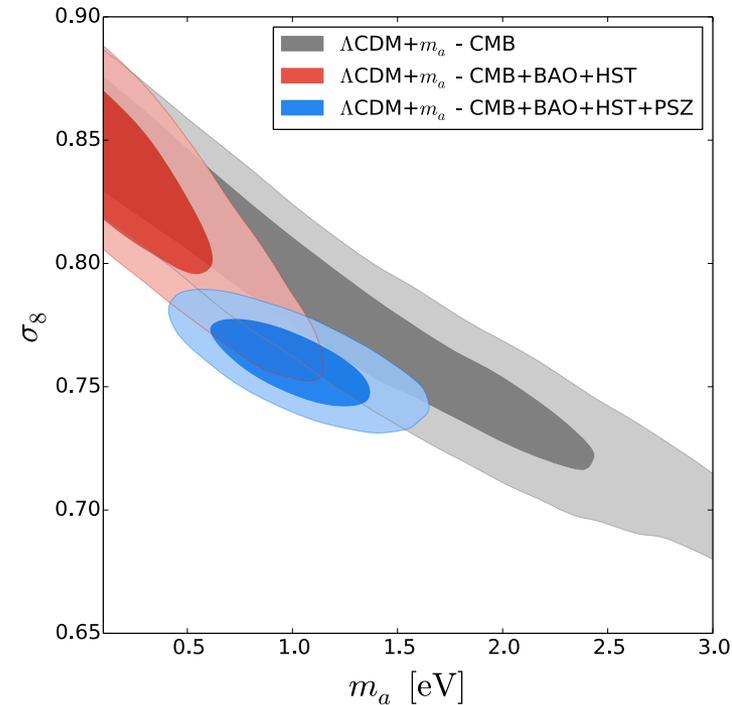
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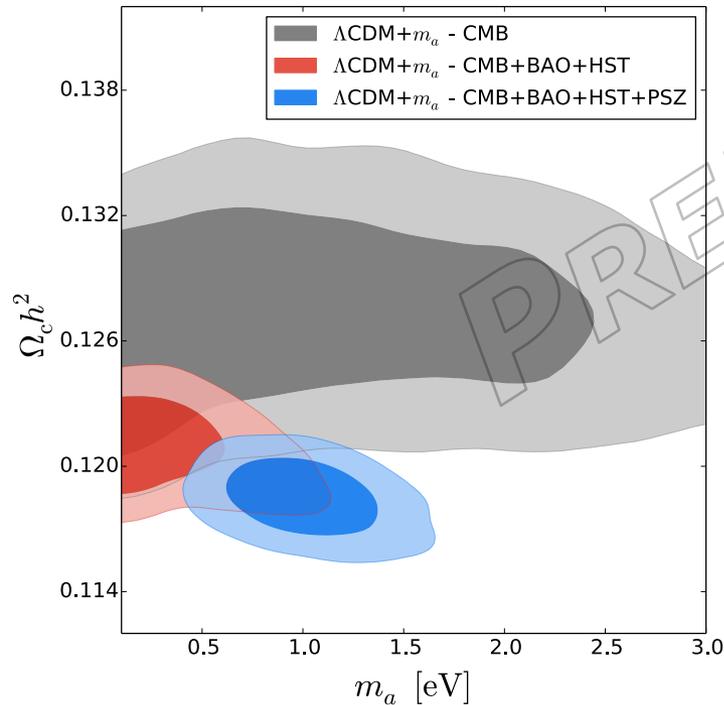
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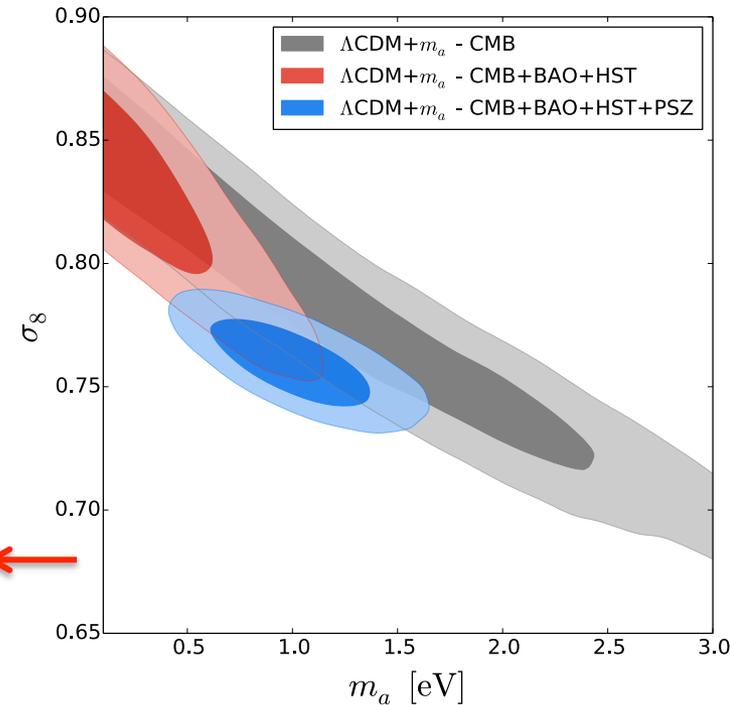
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$P_{s,3}$	$0.68^{+0.39}_{-0.36}$	$0.71^{+0.39}_{-0.39}$	$0.71^{+0.39}_{-0.37}$	$0.72^{+0.39}_{-0.38}$	$0.69^{+0.39}_{-0.37}$	$0.70^{+0.40}_{-0.38}$
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$P_{s,11}$	$1.25^{+0.30}_{-0.28}$	$1.24^{+0.32}_{-0.31}$	$1.23^{+0.31}_{-0.31}$	$1.24^{+0.31}_{-0.31}$	$1.22^{+0.30}_{-0.31}$	$1.22^{+0.32}_{-0.28}$
$P_{s,12}$	Unconstrained	Unconstrained	Unconstrained	Unconstrained	Unconstrained	Unconstrained

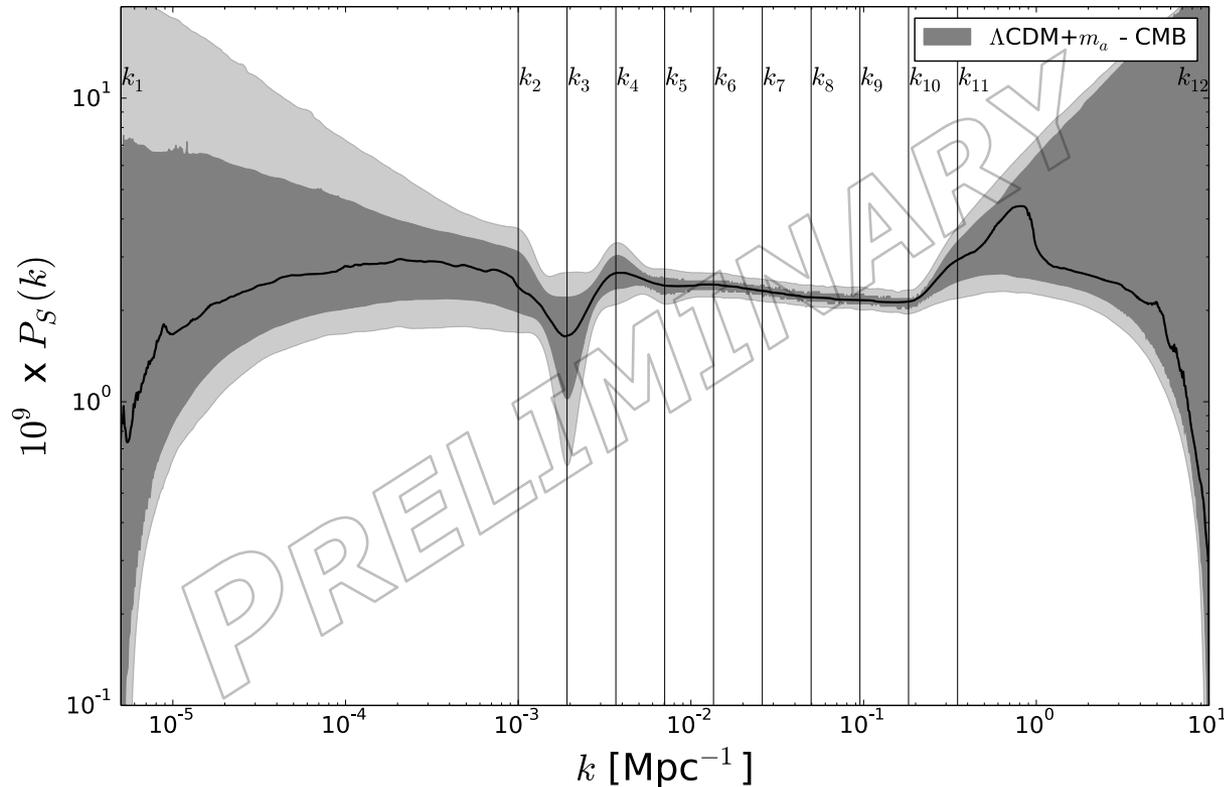
95% CL

PPS can be described by the power-law parametrization

Results(3)

2. Λ CDM model with PCHIP PPS:

68% and 95% CL allowed regions the PCHIP PPS in the Λ CDM model using CMB data only



Increase of the PPS at $k_{10} \approx 0.2 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$, necessary to compensate the effects of the thermal axion during the evolution of the Universe

Summary and Conclusions

- ✓ The **bounds** on hot dark matter properties ($\sum m_\nu$, m_a and N_{eff}) depend on the **combination of data sets and on the cosmological model**.
- ✓ Constraints on the masses of the different thermal relics in different scenarios using recent cosmological data
- ✓ In the minimal three active massive neutrino scenario we found that **CFHTLens** survey **displaces** the bound on neutrino masses to **higher value**. **Planck cluster data favours a non zero value on $\sum m_\nu$ and axion mass**
- ✓ In the scenario with thermal axions and active massive neutrino species we found that **only** considering the **Planck SZ cluster** data plus CMB+DR11+ BAO+HST there exists a **preference for axion mass** of 0.6 eV at the about 2.2σ and **only** combining Planck SZ cluster data with CMB+DR11+ WZ+HST there is an **evidence for neutrino mass** of 0.2 eV at about 3σ
- ✓ In a scenario with thermal axions and with a non-standard PPS we found a non zero value for the axion mass at about 4σ only considering the Planck SZ cluster data combined with CMB+ BAO+HST measurements.

Conclusions

- Constraints on the masses of the different thermal relics in different scenarios using the most recent cosmological data
- In the minimal three active massive neutrino scenario we found that CFHTLenS survey displaces the bound on neutrino masses to higher value. Planck cluster data favours a non zero value on $\sum m_\nu$ of about 0.3 eV at 4σ .
- In the scenario with thermal axions and active massive neutrino species we found that only considering the Planck SZ cluster data plus CMB+DR11+ BAO+HST there exists a preference for axion mass of 0.6 eV at the about 2.2σ and only combining Planck SZ cluster data with CMB+DR11+ WZ+HST there is an evidence for neutrino mass of 0.2 eV at about 3σ .
- In the scenario with massive neutrinos and ΔN_{eff} dark radiation species the bounds on $\sum m_\nu$ are less stringent. BBN constraints reduce both mean value and the errors on N_{eff} significantly.
- Considering B-mode polarization measurements by BICEP2 experiment +Planck+WP data, we found that an extra relativistic component could solve the tension between the two experiments on the amplitude of tensor mode.

Implications of cosmological observations on hot dark matter properties

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Planck constraints on H_0

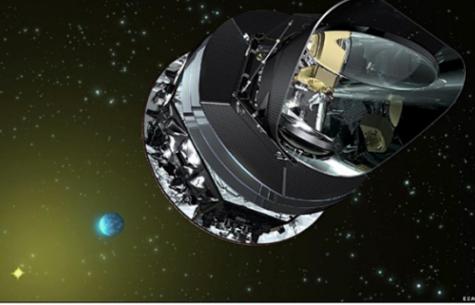
- No evidence for extra dark radiation from CMB measurements
- When others data sets are including there is a better agreement with $N_{\text{eff}}=3.046$
- In particular only with HST data we have an evidence for extra dark radiation at about 2.7σ . $N_{\text{eff}} = 3.73_{-0.51}^{+0.54}$ Planck+WP+HST
- This is due to the tension between Planck and HST on the value of the Hubble constant

$$H_0 = 67.3_{-1.1}^{+1.2} \text{ [km/s/Mpc]} \quad \text{Planck+WP} \quad \text{Under the assumption of } N_{\text{eff}}=3.046$$

$$H_0 = 73.8_{-2.4}^{+2.4} \text{ [km/s/Mpc]} \quad \text{HST (Riess et al)}$$

$$H_0 = 70.7_{-3.2}^{+3.0} \text{ [km/s/Mpc]} \quad \text{Planck+WP} \quad \text{If } N_{\text{eff}} \text{ free parameter}$$

Only when $N_{\text{eff}} > 3.046$, Planck and HST are compatible



Planck Results: $N_{\text{eff}} + \sum m_\nu$

- 3 Degenerate massive neutrinos
- Extra massless neutrinos

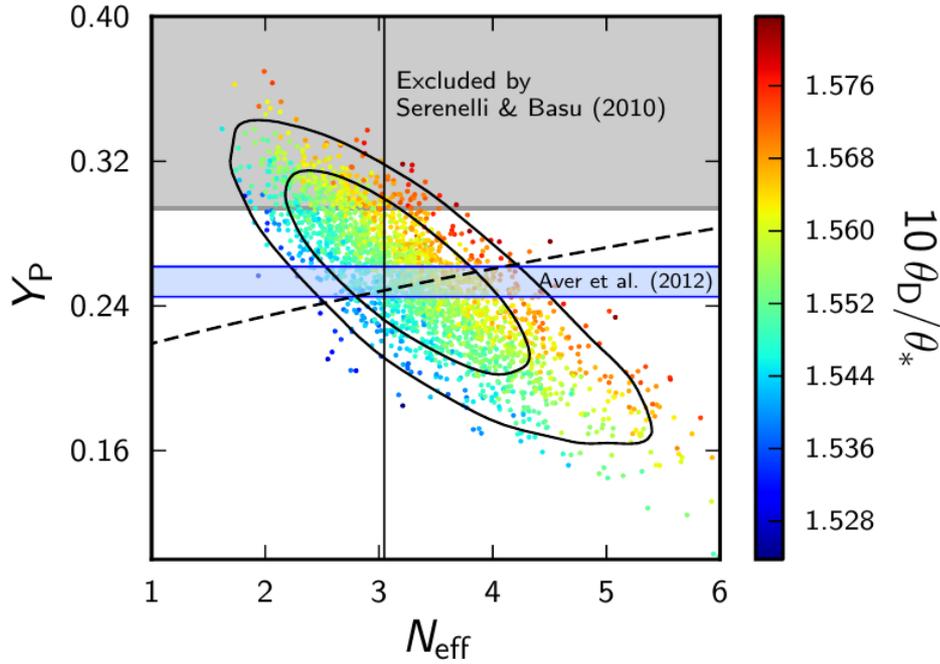
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} N_{\text{eff}} = 3.29^{+0.67}_{-0.64} \\ \sum m_\nu < 0.60 \text{ eV} \end{array} \right\} \text{(95\% Planck+WP} \\ \text{+highL)}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} N_{\text{eff}} = 3.29^{+0.54}_{-0.60} \\ \sum m_\nu < 0.28 \text{ eV} \end{array} \right\} \text{(95\% Planck+WP} \\ \text{+highL+BAO)}$$

- 3 active massive neutrinos ($\sum m_\nu = 0.06 \text{ eV}$)
- ΔN_{eff} massive sterile neutrinos with total mass $m_{\nu,s}$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} N_{\text{eff}} < 3.91 \\ m_{\nu,s} < 0.59 \text{ eV} \end{array} \right\} \text{(95\% Planck+WP} \\ \text{+highL)}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} N_{\text{eff}} < 3.80 \\ m_{\nu,s} < 0.42 \text{ eV} \end{array} \right\} \text{(95\% Planck+WP} \\ \text{+highL+BAO)}$$



N_{eff} increase, f_ν increase, we have to reduce Y_p

$$r_s \propto \frac{1}{H} = (1 - f_\nu)^{-0.25}$$

$$r_d \propto \frac{1}{n_e H} = (1 - Y_p)^{-0.5}$$

$$n_e \propto (1 - Y_p)$$

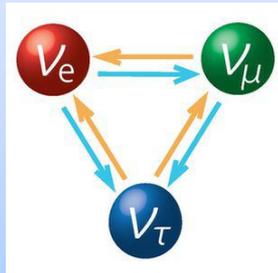
$$H^2 \propto \rho_r \approx (1 - f_\nu)$$

$$\frac{\theta_d}{\theta_s} = \frac{(1 - f_\nu)^{0.25}}{(1 - Y_p)^{0.5}}$$

Neutrino Mass Measurements

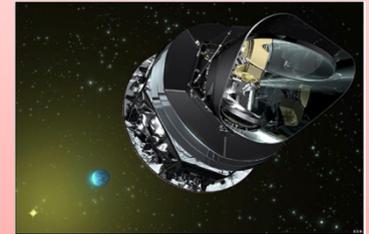
Neutrino Oscillations

- Sensitive to the mass differences
- Uses quantum mechanical effects
- Sources: Solar, atmospheric reactor



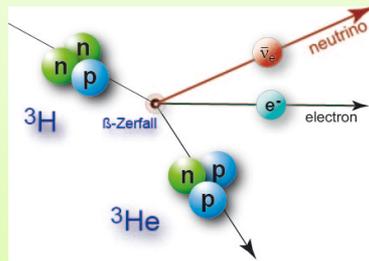
Cosmology

- Sensitive to the total neutrino mass
- Uses General Relativity
- Measured by satellites and ground-based observatories



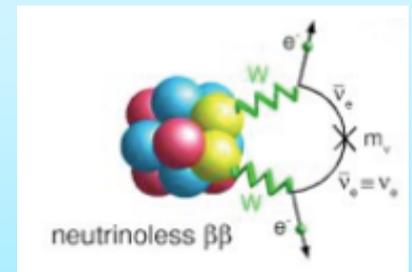
Single Beta Decay

- Sensitive to the absolute neutrino mass scale
- Uses conservation of energy
- Model independent



0ν Double Beta Decay

- Sensitive to the Majorana masses
- Uses decay
- Probes the nature of neutrinos

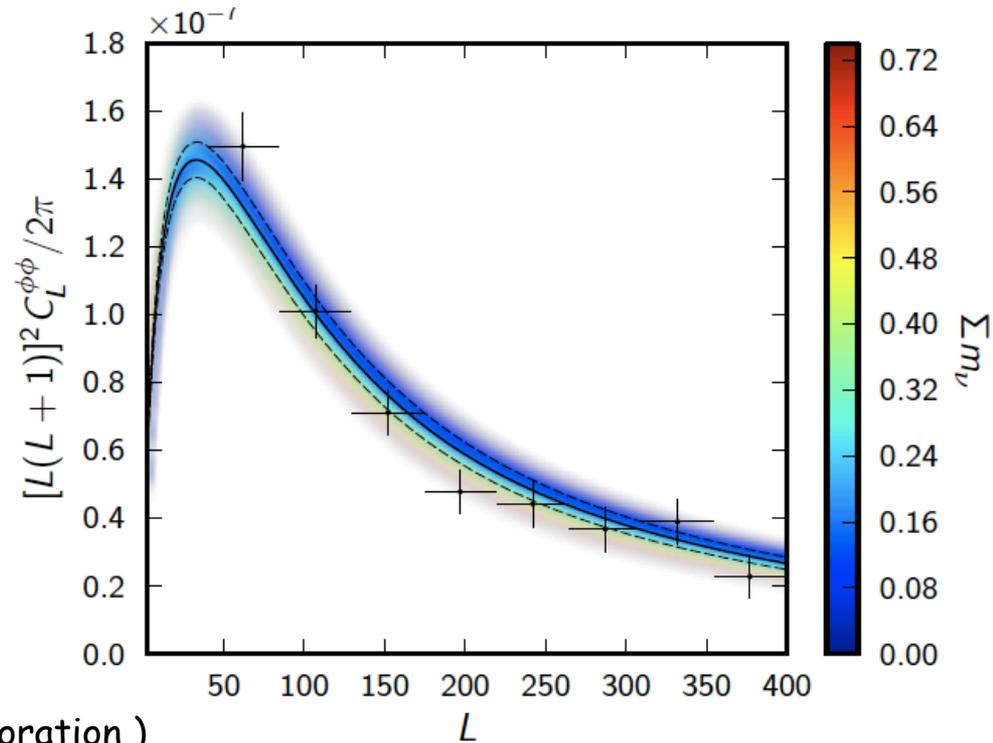


Lensing Potential

The trajectories of CMB photons are slightly deflected by matter fluctuations localized at $z \leq 3$. The deflection field is the difference between the direction \hat{n} in which photons have been emitted from LSS and the direction in which they are actually observed ($\hat{n} + \hat{d}(\hat{n})$).

$$\varphi(\hat{n}) = - \int_{\eta_{LS}}^{\eta_0} d\eta \frac{\chi(\eta_{LS}) - \chi(\eta)}{\chi(\eta)\chi(\eta_{LS})} (\varphi + \psi) \quad \text{Deflection}$$

The free streaming nature of the neutrino suppresses the power spectrum and the lensing potential that depends on the gravitational potential.



(Ade et al '13 Planck Collaboration)