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The in-class open-book Midterm Exam will be Thursday February 13.

The clustering of galaxies in the SDSS-III Baryon Oscillation Spectroscopic Survey: cosmological constraints from the full shape of the clustering wedges

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Cosmology from the CMASS $\xi_{\perp}(s)$ and $\xi_{\parallel}(s)$ 1213

Table 2. The marginalized 68 per cent constraints on the most relevant cosmological parameters of the extensions of the Λ CDM model analysed in Sections 5.1.2–5.2.3, obtained using different combinations of the data sets described in Section 2. A complete list of the constraints obtained in each case can be found in Appendix .

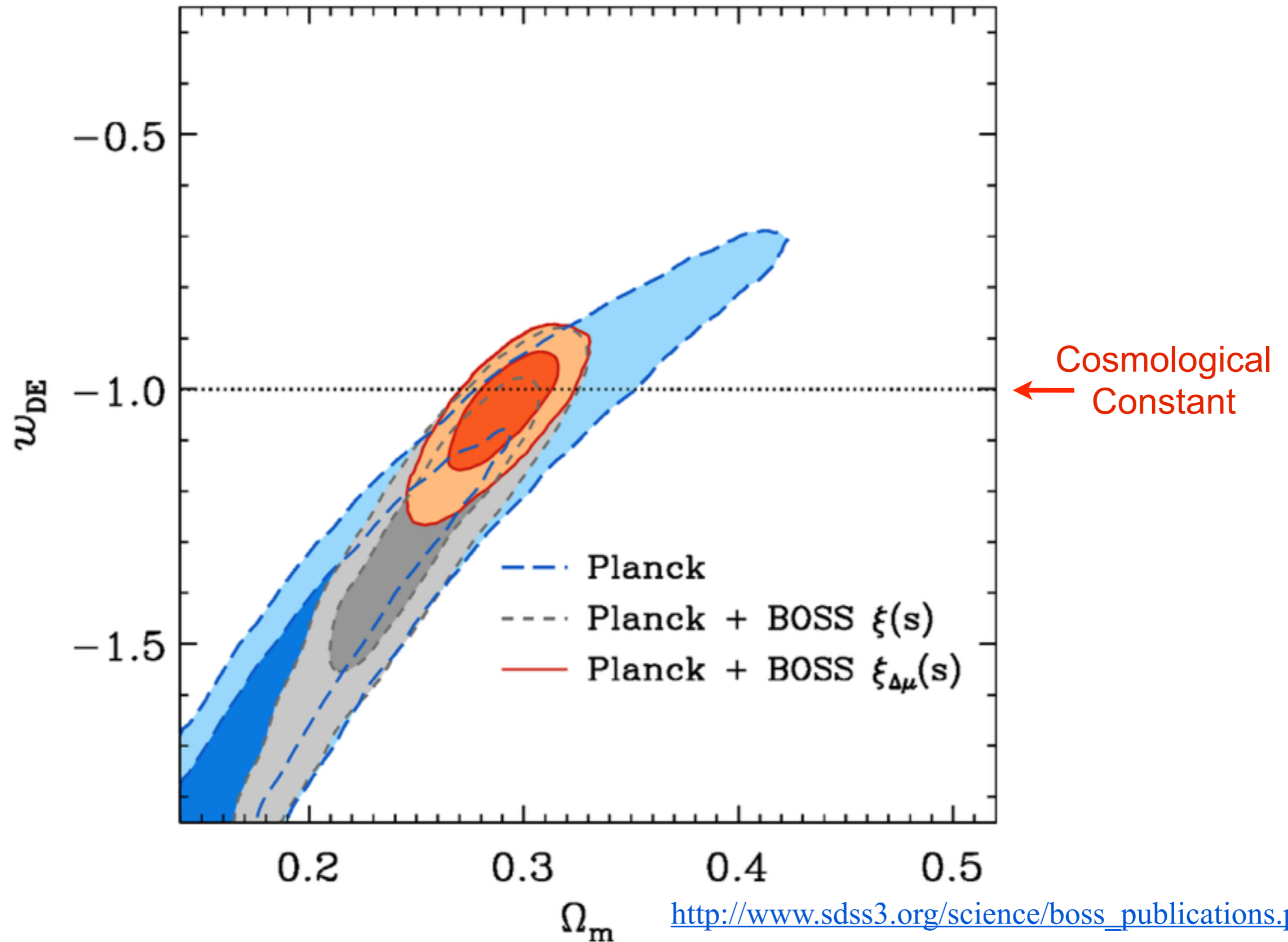
	CMB	CMB+ $\xi_0(s)$	CMB+($\xi_{\perp}(s), \xi_{\parallel}(s)$)	CMB+($\xi_{\perp}(s), \xi_{\parallel}(s)$) +BAO+SN
Non-flat models				
Ω_k	-1.118 ± 0.021	$-0.0033^{+0.0046}_{-0.0044}$	-0.0040 ± 0.0045	-0.0041 ± 0.0039
Ω_{DE}	0.690 ± 0.072	0.715 ± 0.0145	0.715 ± 0.015	0.721 ± 0.011
Ω_{m}	0.321 ± 0.093	0.288 ± 0.016	0.288 ± -0.016	0.283 ± 0.010
Massive neutrinos				
f_{ν}	<0.12 (95 per cent CL)	<0.054 (95 per cent CL)	<0.051 (95 per cent CL)	<0.043 (95 per cent CL)
$\sum m_{\nu}$	<1.6 eV (95 per cent CL)	<0.68 eV (95 per cent CL)	<0.62 eV (95 per cent CL)	<0.50 eV (95 per cent CL)
Ω_{m}	$0.385^{+0.069}_{-0.072}$	$0.302^{+0.021}_{-0.020}$	0.302 ± 0.018	0.291 ± 0.012
Constant dark energy equation of state				
w_{DE}	-1.14 ± 0.42	$-0.99^{+0.21}_{-0.20}$	-0.93 ± 0.11	-1.013 ± 0.064
Ω_{m}	0.26 ± 0.10	0.291 ± 0.042	0.299 ± 0.028	0.283 ± 0.012
Dark energy and curvature				
w_{DE}	$-0.89^{+0.44}_{-0.45}$	$-0.96^{+29}_{-0.28}$	-0.97 ± 0.16	-1.042 ± 0.068
Ω_k	$-0.022^{+0.027}_{-0.031}$	$0.0012^{+0.0091}_{-0.0077}$	$-0.0023^{+0.0061}_{-0.0060}$	-0.0047 ± 0.0042
Ω_{m}	$0.265^{+0.097}_{-0.094}$	$0.280^{+0.093}_{-0.083}$	0.297 ± 0.046	0.278 ± 0.013
Time-dependent dark energy equation of state				
w_0	$-1.01^{+0.56}_{-0.53}$	$-1.11^{+0.63}_{-0.60}$	$-0.96^{+0.40}_{-0.39}$	$-1.10^{+0.12}_{-0.12}$
w_a	$-0.4^{+1.1}_{-1.5}$	0.2 ± 1.0	$0.03^{+0.96}_{-0.97}$	0.31 ± 0.40
Ω_{m}	0.285 ± 0.015	0.296 ± 0.037	0.284 ± 0.011	0.282 ± 0.012

Planck Collaboration: Cosmological parameters

Parameter	<i>Planck</i> +WP		<i>Planck</i> +WP+BAO		<i>Planck</i> +WP+highL		<i>Planck</i> +WP+highL+BAO	
	Best fit	95% limits	Best fit	95% limits	Best fit	95% limits	Best fit	95% limits
Ω_K	-0.0105	$-0.037^{+0.043}_{-0.049}$	0.0000	$0.0000^{+0.0066}_{-0.0067}$	-0.0111	$-0.042^{+0.043}_{-0.048}$	0.0009	$-0.0005^{+0.0065}_{-0.0066}$
Σm_ν [eV]	0.022	< 0.933	0.002	< 0.247	0.023	< 0.663	0.000	< 0.230
N_{eff}	3.08	$3.51^{+0.80}_{-0.74}$	3.08	$3.40^{+0.59}_{-0.57}$	3.23	$3.36^{+0.68}_{-0.64}$	3.22	$3.30^{+0.54}_{-0.51}$
Y_P	0.2583	$0.283^{+0.045}_{-0.048}$	0.2736	$0.283^{+0.043}_{-0.045}$	0.2612	$0.266^{+0.040}_{-0.042}$	0.2615	$0.267^{+0.038}_{-0.040}$
$dn_s/d \ln k$	-0.0090	$-0.013^{+0.018}_{-0.018}$	-0.0102	$-0.013^{+0.018}_{-0.018}$	-0.0106	$-0.015^{+0.017}_{-0.017}$	-0.0103	$-0.014^{+0.016}_{-0.017}$
$r_{0.002}$	0.000	< 0.120	0.000	< 0.122	0.000	< 0.108	0.000	< 0.111
w	-1.20	$-1.49^{+0.65}_{-0.57}$	-1.076	$-1.13^{+0.24}_{-0.25}$	-1.20	$-1.51^{+0.62}_{-0.53}$	-1.109	$-1.13^{+0.23}_{-0.25}$

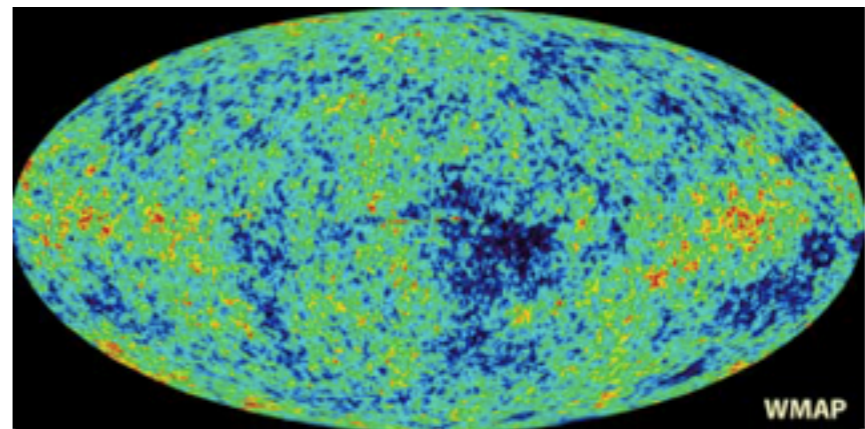
Table 10. Constraints on one-parameter extensions to the base Λ CDM model. Data combinations all include Planck combined with WMAP polarization, and results are shown for combinations with high- ℓ CMB data and BAO. Note that we quote 95% limits here.

Constraints in the Ω_m - w plane combining CMB data with BOSS clustering data



Brief History of the Universe

- Cosmic Inflation generates density fluctuations
- Symmetry breaking: more matter than antimatter
- All antimatter annihilates with almost all the matter (1s)
- Big Bang Nucleosynthesis makes light nuclei (10 min)
- Electrons and light nuclei combine to form atoms,
and the cosmic background
radiation fills the newly
transparent universe (380,000 yr)
- Galaxies and larger structures form (~1 Gyr)
- Carbon, oxygen, iron, ... are made in stars
- Earth-like planets form around 2nd generation stars
- Life somehow starts (~4 Gyr ago) and evolves on earth



Neutrino Decoupling and Big Bang Nucleosynthesis, Photon Decoupling, and WIMP Annihilation

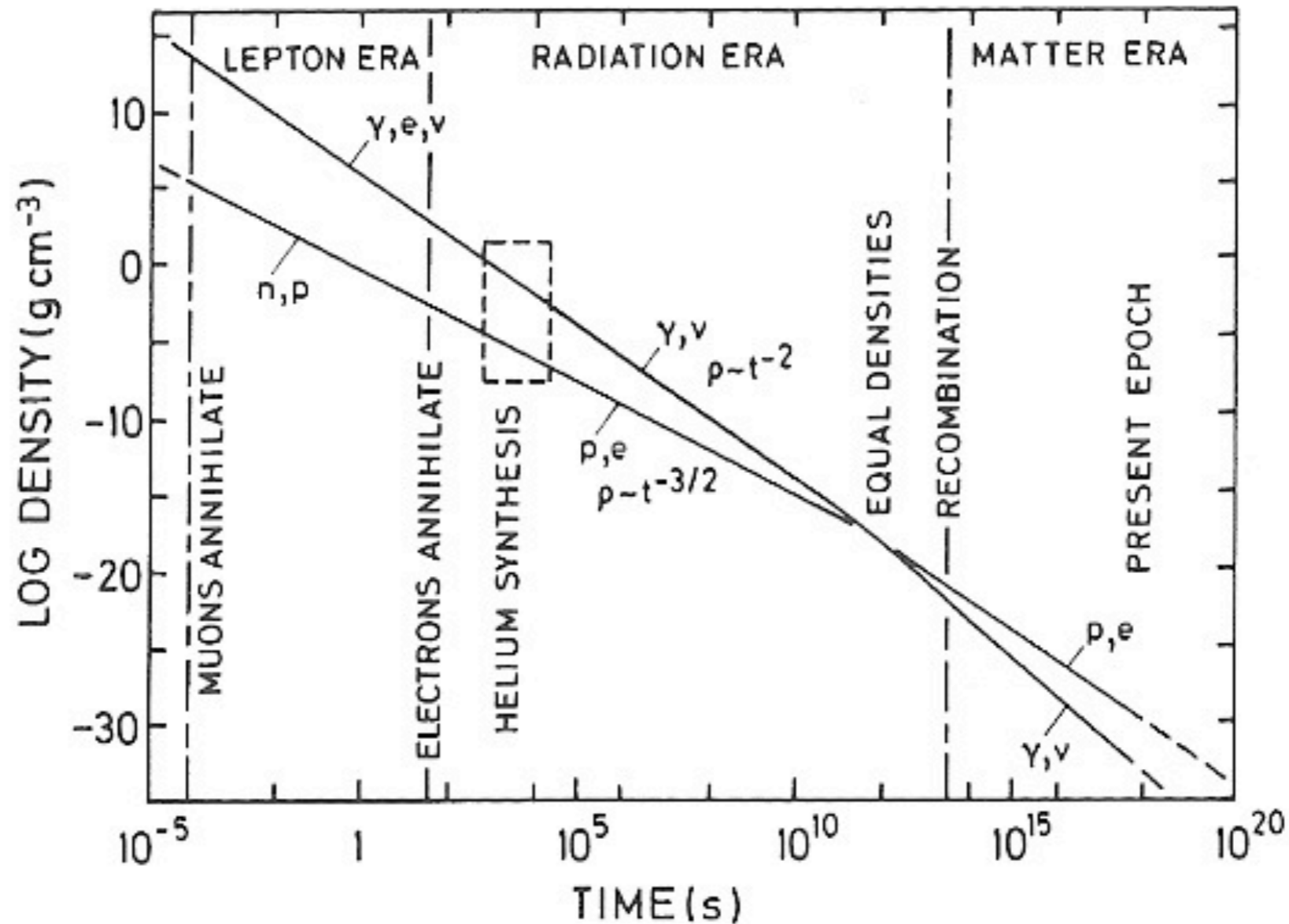


Fig. 3.1. The thermal history of the standard model. The densities of protons, electrons, photons, and neutrinos are shown at various stages of cosmological evolution [after Harrison (1973)]

Benchmark Model: Scale Factor vs. Time

Recall: Hubble time $H_0^{-1} = 13.97 h_{70}^{-1} \text{ Gyr}$

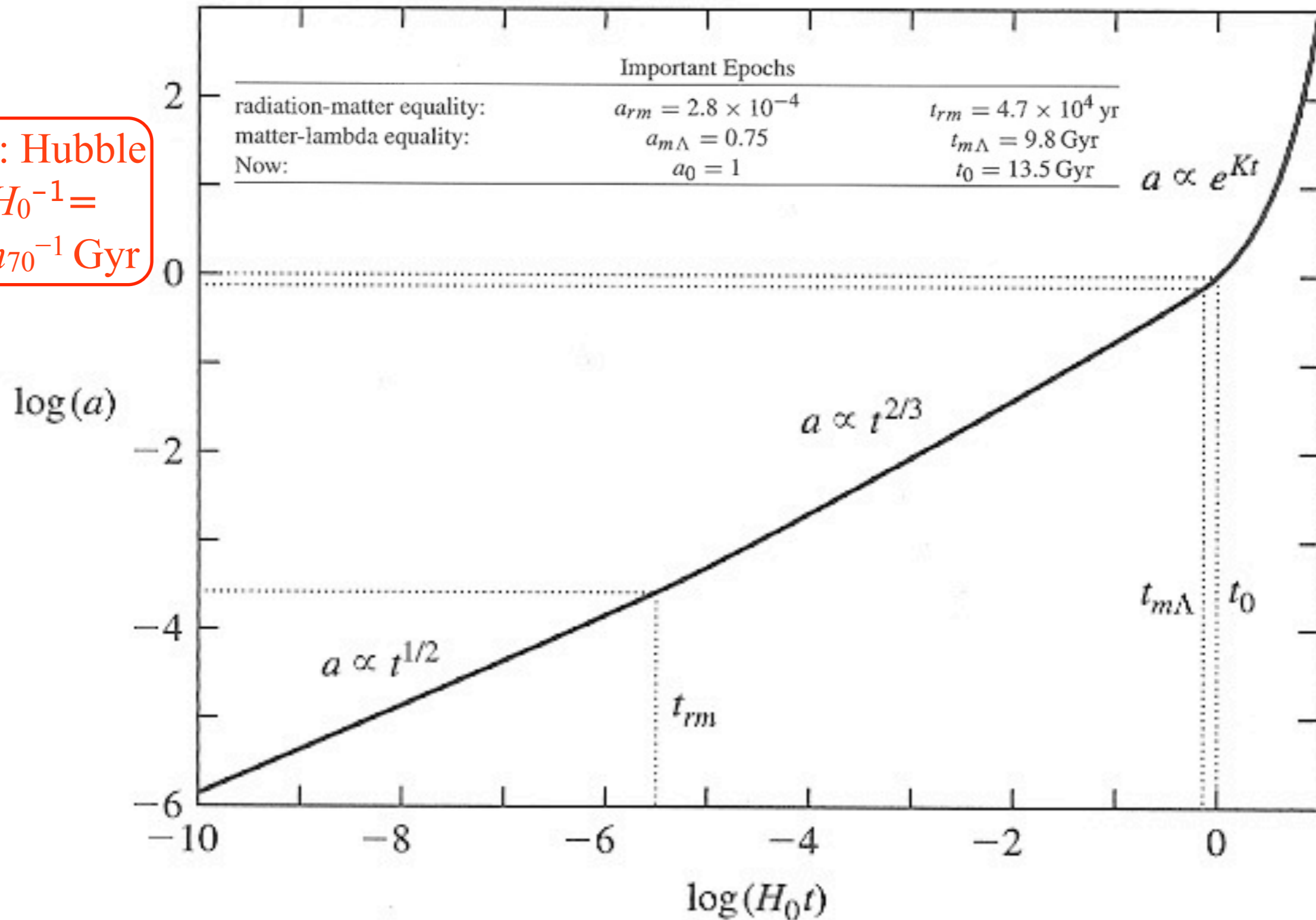


FIGURE 6.5 The scale factor a as a function of time t (measured in units of the Hubble time), computed for the Benchmark Model. The dotted lines indicate the time of radiation-matter equality, $a_{rm} = 2.8 \times 10^{-4}$, the time of matter-lambda equality, $a_{m\Lambda} = 0.75$, and the present moment, $a_0 = 1$.

Distances in the Expanding Universe: Ned Wright's Javascript Calculator

Enter values, hit a button

H_0
 Ω_M
 z

 Ω_{vac}

Open sets $\Omega_{vac} = 0$ giving an open Universe [if you entered $\Omega_M < 1$]

Flat sets $\Omega_{vac} = 1 - \Omega_M$ giving a flat Universe.

General uses the Ω_{vac} that you entered.

For $H_0 = 70$, $\Omega_M = 0.300$, $\Omega_{vac} = 0.700$, $z = 0.830$

- It is now 13.462 Gyr since the Big Bang.
- The age at redshift z was 6.489 Gyr.
- The light travel time was 6.974 Gyr.
- The comoving radial distance, which goes into Hubble's law, is 2868.9 Mpc or 9.357 Gly.
- The comoving volume within redshift z is 98.906 Gpc³.
- The angular size distance D_A is 1567.7 Mpc or 5.1131 Gly.
- This gives a scale of 7.600 kpc".
- The luminosity distance D_L is 5250.0 Mpc or 17.123 Gly.

$$\begin{aligned} H_0 D_L(z=0.83) \\ &= 17.123 / 13.97 \\ &= 1.23 \end{aligned}$$

1 Gly = 1,000,000,000 light years or 9.461×10^{26} cm.

1 Gyr = 1,000,000,000 years.

1 Mpc = 1,000,000 parsecs = 3.08568×10^{24} cm, or 3,261,566 light years.

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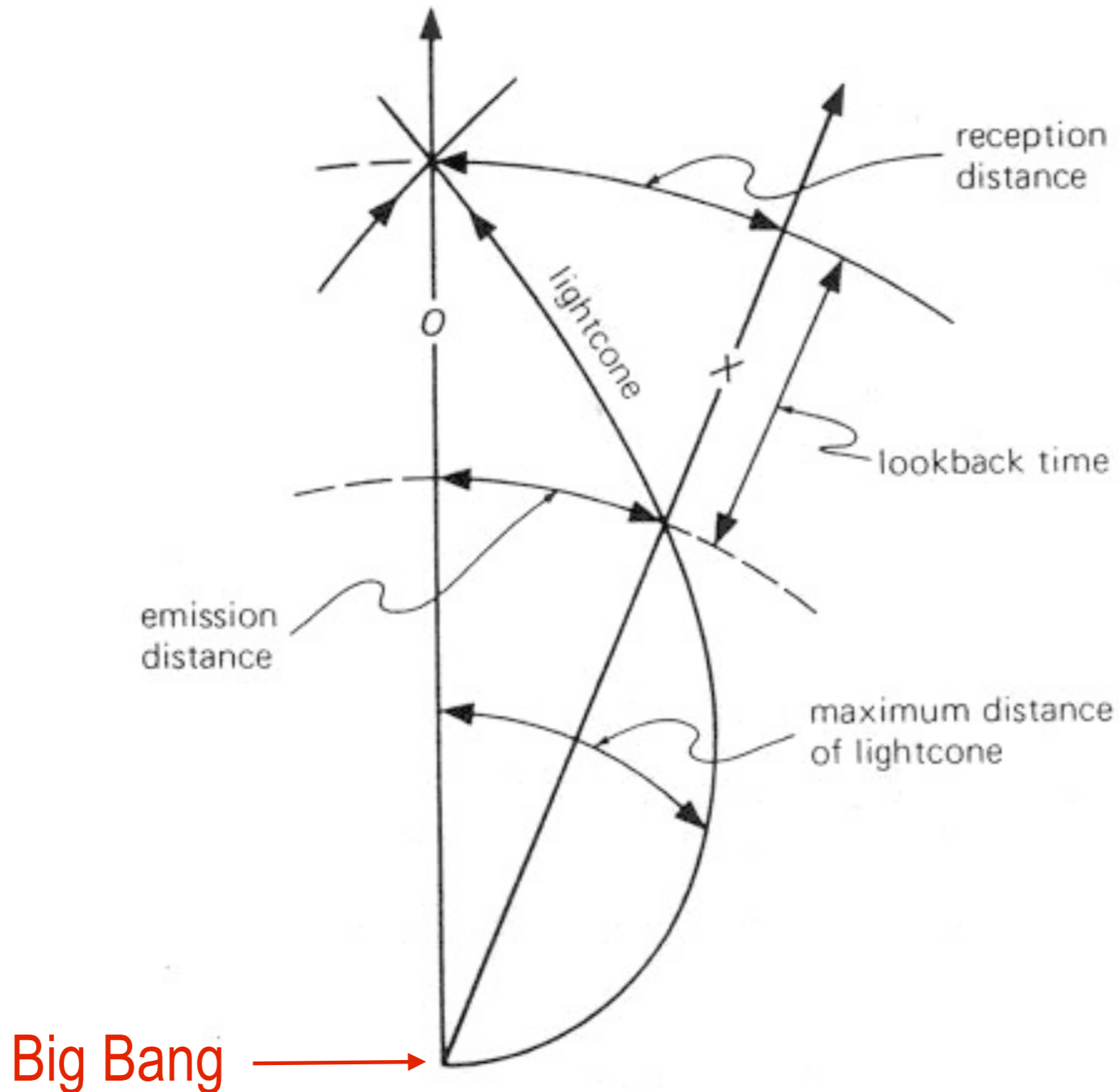
Web app

<http://www.astro.ucla.edu/~wright/CosmoCalc.html>

iPhone app

<http://itunes.apple.com/us/app/cosmocalc/id334569654?mt=8>

Picturing the History of the Universe: The Backward Lightcone



From E. Harrison, *Cosmology*
(Cambridge UP, 2000).

Our Particle Horizon

FRW: $ds^2 = -c^2 dt^2 + a(t)^2 [dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2\theta d\phi^2]$ for curvature $k=0$ so $\sqrt{g_{rr}} = a(t)$

Particle Horizon

$d_p(\text{horizon}) = (\text{physical distance at time } t_0) = a(t_0) r_p = r_p$

$$d_p(\text{horizon}) = \int_0^{r_{\text{horizon}}} dr = r_{\text{horizon}} = c \int_0^{t_0} dt/a = c \int_0^1 da/(a^2 H)$$

For E-dS, where $H = H_0 a^{-3/2}$,

$$r_{\text{horizon}} = \lim_{a_e \rightarrow 0} 2d_H (1 - a_e^{1/2}) = 2d_H =$$

$$= 8.58 h_{70}^{-1} \text{ Gpc} = 27.94 h_{70}^{-1} \text{ Glyr}$$

For the Benchmark Model with $h=0.70$,

$$r_{\text{horizon}} = 13.9 \text{ Gpc} = 45.2 \text{ Glyr.}$$

For the parameters of

WMAP5 $h = 0.70$, $\Omega_m = 0.28$, $k = 0$, $t_0 = 13.7 \text{ Gyr}$, $r_{\text{horizon}} = 14.3 \text{ Gpc} = 46.5 \text{ Glyr}$.

WMAP7 $h = 0.70$, $\Omega_m = 0.27$, $k = 0$, $t_0 = 13.9 \text{ Gyr}$, $r_{\text{horizon}} = 14.5 \text{ Gpc} = 47.1 \text{ Glyr}$.

Planck $h = 0.678$, $\Omega_m = 0.308$, $k = 0$, $t_0 = 13.8 \text{ Gyr}$, $r_{\text{horizon}} = 14.2 \text{ Gpc} = 46.2 \text{ Glyr}$.

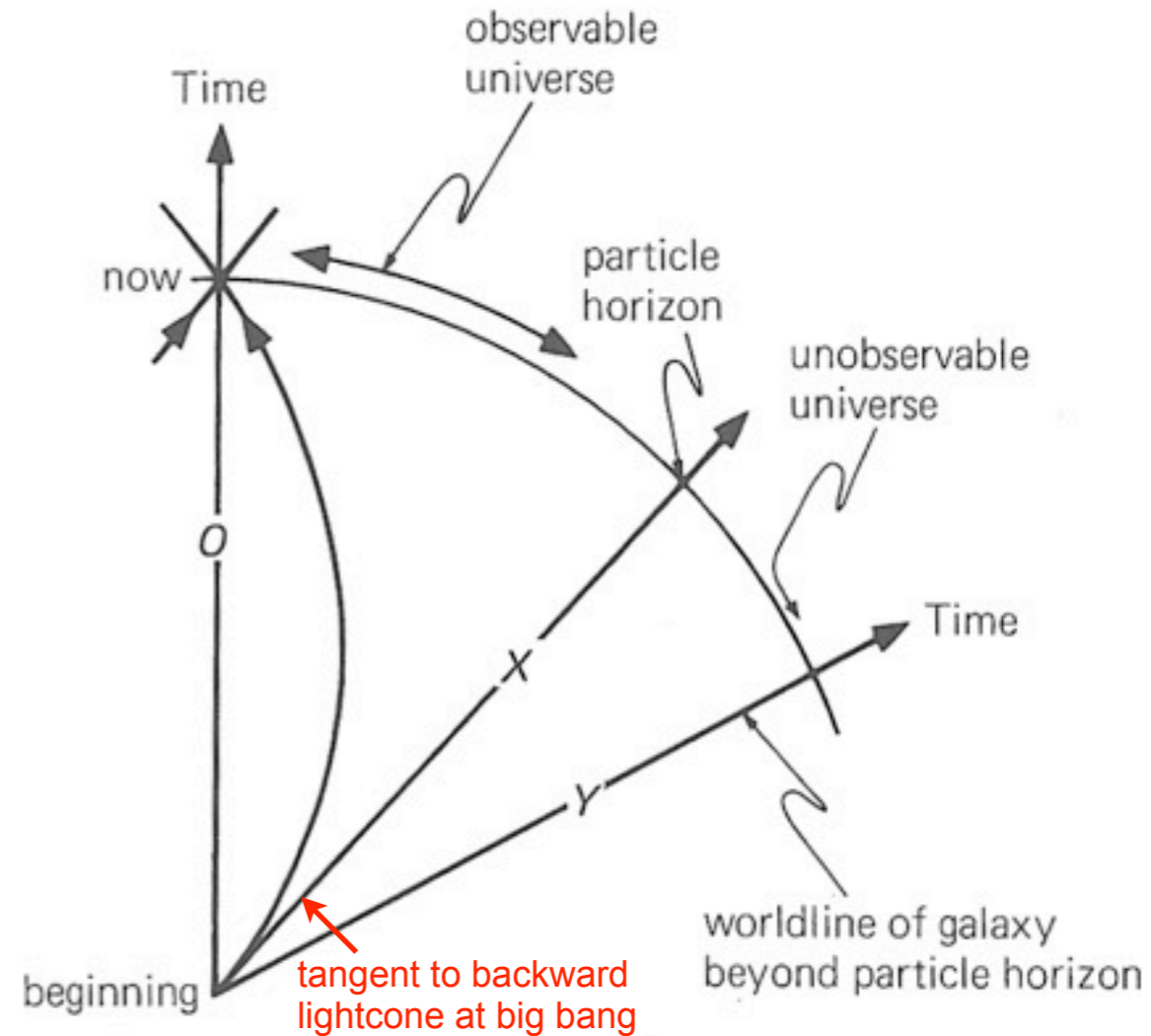


Figure 21.11. At the instant labeled "now" the particle horizon is at worldline X. In a big bang universe, all galaxies at the particle horizon have infinite redshift.

Distances in an Expanding Universe

Proper distance = physical distance = d_p

$$d_p(t_0) = (\text{physical distance at } t_0) = a(t_0) r_e = r_e$$

$\chi(t_e) =$ (comoving distance of galaxy emitting at time t_e) = r_e

$$\chi(t_e) = \int_0^{r_e} dr = r_e = c \int_{t_e}^{t_0} dt/a = c \int_{a_e}^1 da/(a^2 H)$$

because for light $adr = cdt$, so $dr = cdt/a$,

$$dt = (dt/da) da = (a dt/da) da/a = da/(aH)$$

$$d_p(t_e) = (\text{physical distance at } t_e) = a(t_e) r_e = a_e r_e$$

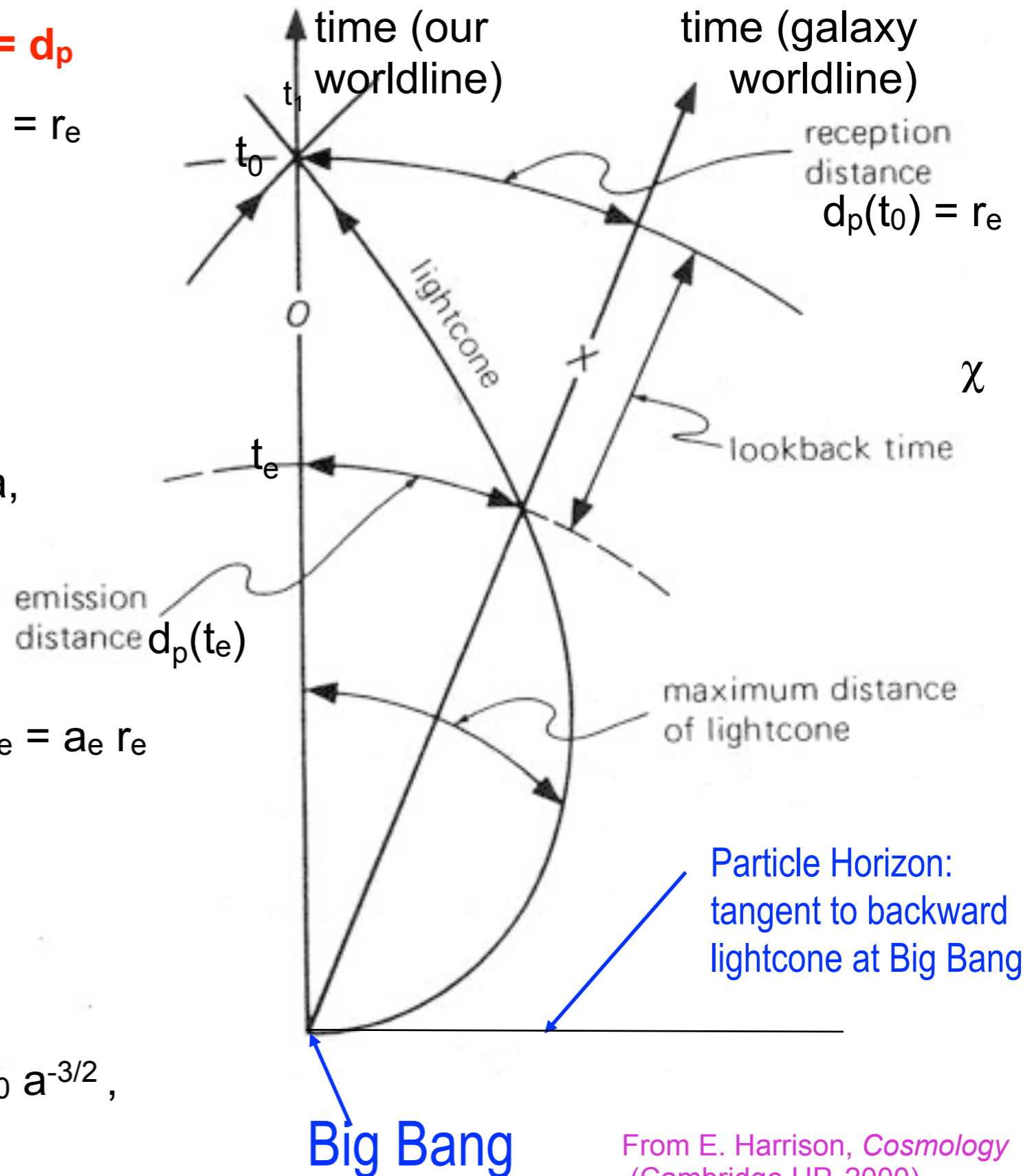
The Hubble radius $d_H \equiv c H_0^{-1} =$

$$= 4.29 h_{70}^{-1} \text{ Gpc} = 13.97 h_{70}^{-1} \text{ Glyr}$$

For E-dS ($\Omega_m = 1, \Omega_\Lambda = 0$), where $H = H_0 a^{-3/2}$,

$$\chi(t_e) = r_e = d_p(t_0) = 2d_H (1 - a_e^{1/2})$$

$$d_p(t_e) = 2d_H a_e (1 - a_e^{1/2})$$



From E. Harrison, *Cosmology* (Cambridge UP, 2000).

Distances in an Expanding Universe

Angular Diameter Distance

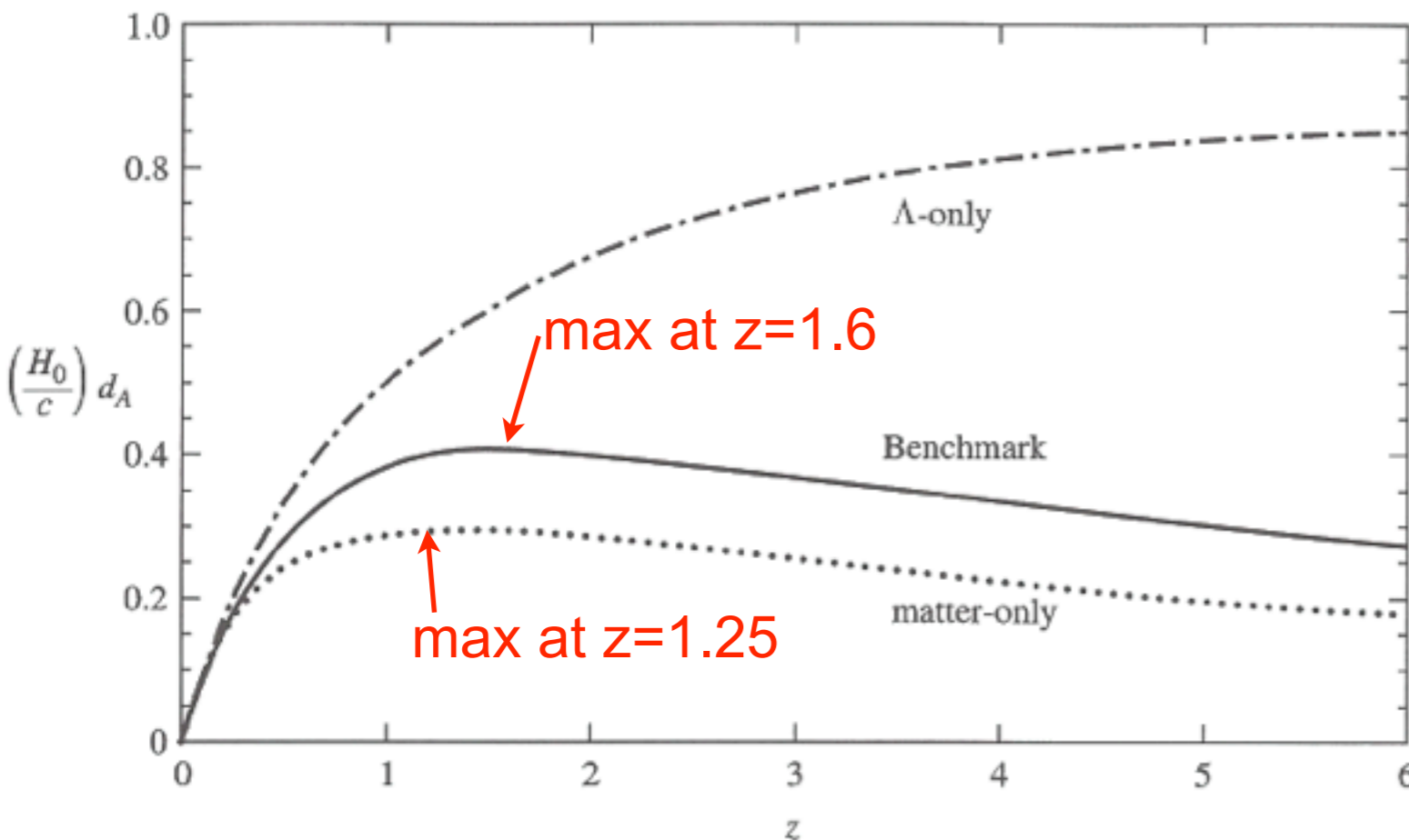
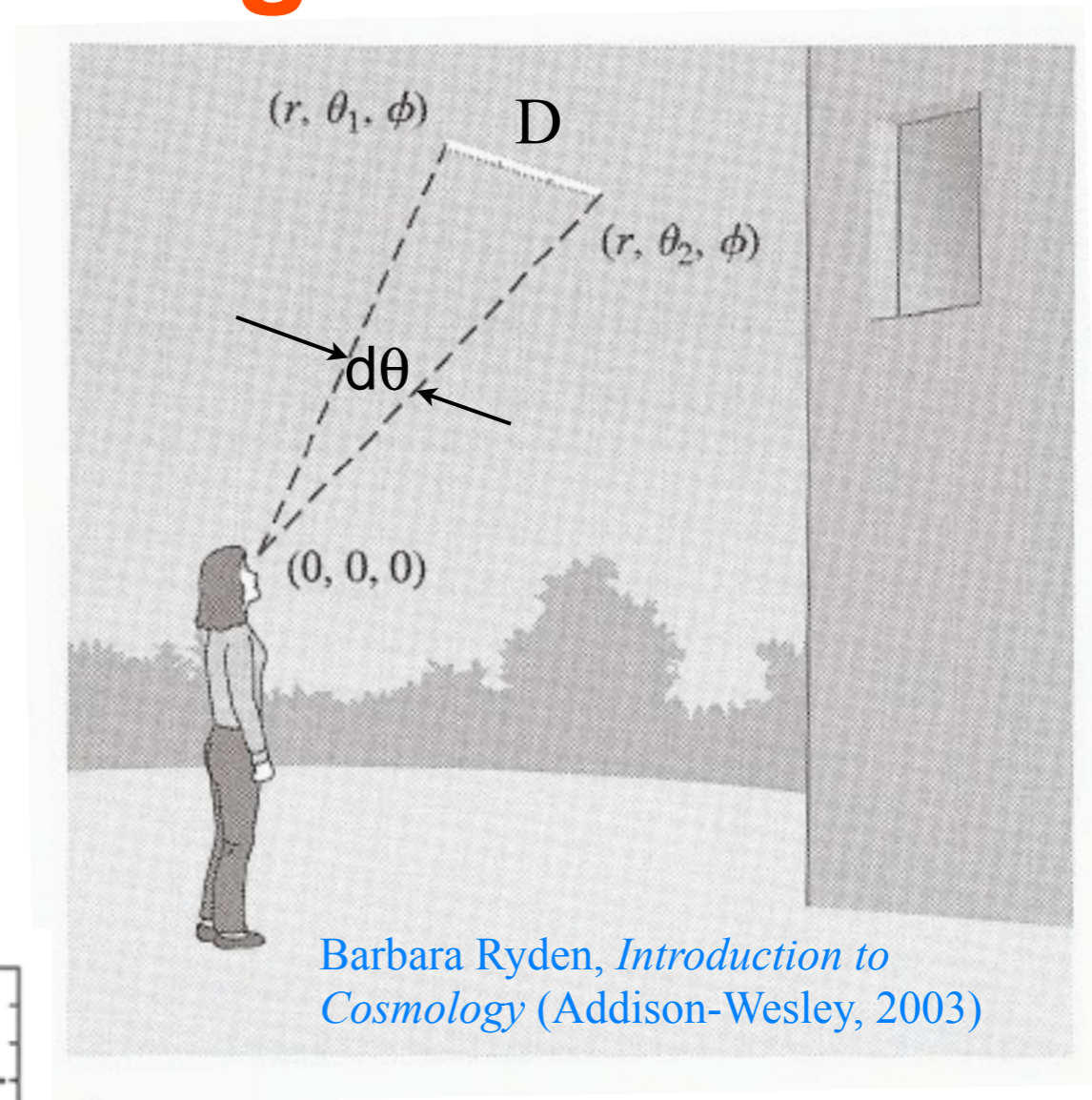
From the FRW metric, the distance D across a source at comoving distance $r = r_e$ which subtends an angle $d\theta = \theta_1 - \theta_2$ is

$$D = a(t) r d\theta, \text{ or } d\theta = D/[a(t) r].$$

The **angular diameter distance** d_A is defined by $d_A = D/d\theta$, so

$$d_A = a(t_e) r_e = r_e/(1+z_e) = d_p(t_e).$$

This has a maximum, and $d\theta$ a minimum.



For the Benchmark Model

redshift z $D \leftrightarrow 1 \text{ arcsec}$

0.1 1.8 kpc

0.2 3.3

0.5 6.1

1 8.0

2 8.4

3 7.7

4 7.0

6 5.7

Distances in an Expanding Universe

In Euclidean space, the **luminosity** L of a source at distance d is related to the **apparent luminosity** ℓ by $\ell = \text{Power} / \text{Area} = L / 4\pi d^2$

The **luminosity distance** d_L is defined by

$$d_L = (L / 4\pi\ell)^{1/2} .$$

Weinberg, *Cosmology*, pp. 31-32, shows that in FRW

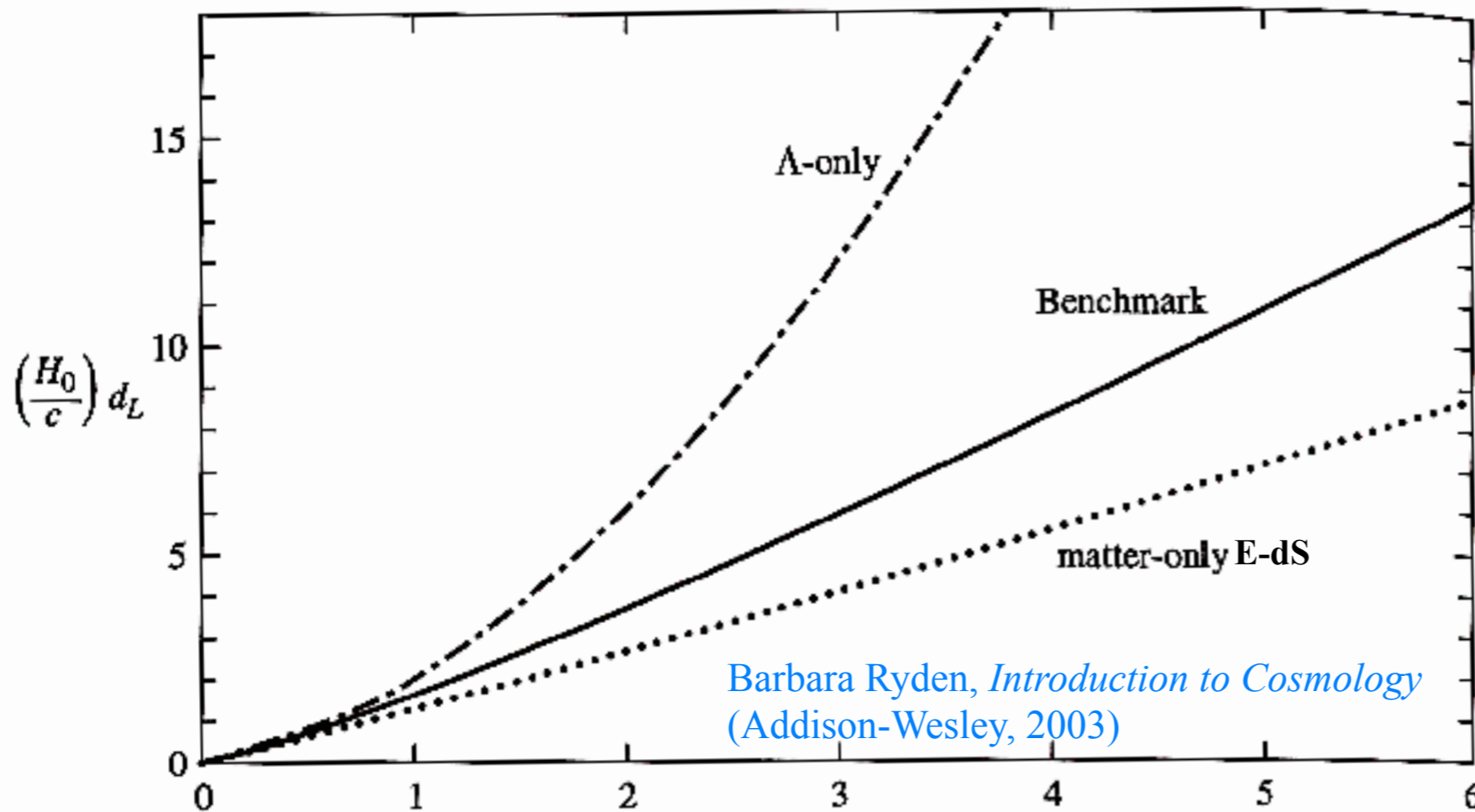
$$\begin{aligned} \ell &= \text{Power}/\text{Area} = L / 4\pi d_L^2 \\ &= L [a(t_1)/a(t_0)]^2 / [4\pi d_p(t_0)^2] = L a(t_1)^2 / 4\pi r_1^2 = L / 4\pi r_1^2 (1+z_1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$d_L = r_1/a(t_1) = r_1 (1+z_1) = d_p(t_0) (1+z_1) = d_A (1+z_1)^2$$

fraction of photons reaching unit area at t_0

(redshift of each photon)(delay in arrival)



Astronomers measure luminosity in magnitudes m or M , where $m(z)$ is the apparent (measured) magnitude of a source at redshift z and M is its absolute magnitude (what it would be at a distance of 10 pc). They quote distances using the *distance modulus*

$$m(z) - M = 5 \log_{10} d_L(z) + 25$$

Summary: Distances in an Expanding Universe

FRW: $ds^2 = -c^2 dt^2 + a(t)^2 [dr^2 + r^2 d\theta^2 + r^2 \sin^2\theta d\phi^2]$ for curvature $k=0$ so $\sqrt{g_{rr}} = a(t)$

$$\chi(t_1) = (\text{comoving distance at time } t_1) = \int_0^{r_1} dr = r_1 = \int_{t_1}^{t_0} dt/a$$

adding distances at time t_1

$$d(t_1) = (\text{physical distance at } t_1) = a(t_1) \chi(t_1) = a_1 r_1$$

$$\chi(t_1) = (\text{comoving distance at time } t_0) = r_1 \quad (\text{since } a(t_0) = 1)$$

$$d_p = (\text{physical distance at time } t_0) = a(t_0) r_p = r_p$$

From the FRW metric above, the distance D across a source at comoving distance r_1 which subtends an angle $d\theta$ is $D = a(t_1) r_1 d\theta$. The **angular diameter distance** d_A is defined by $d_A = D/d\theta$, so

$$d_A = a(t_1) r_1 = r_1 / (1+z_1)$$

In Euclidean space, the **luminosity** L of a source at distance d is related to the **apparent luminosity** ℓ by

$$\ell = \text{Power/Area} = L/4\pi d^2$$

$$\chi(t_1) = (\text{comoving distance at time } t_0) = r_p$$

so the **luminosity distance** d_L is defined by $d_L = (L/4\pi\ell)^{1/2}$.

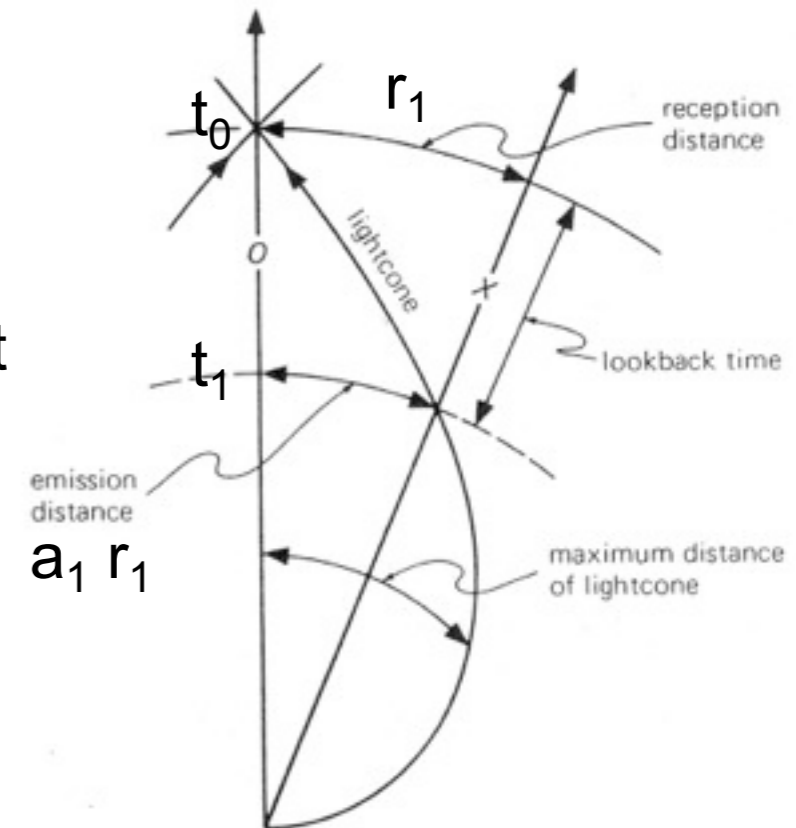
Weinberg, *Cosmology*, pp. 31-32, shows that in FRW

$$\ell = \text{Power/Area} = L [a(t_1)/a(t_0)]^2 [4\pi a(t_0)^2 r_1^2]^{-1} = L/4\pi d_L^2$$

Thus

$$d_L = r_1/a(t_1) = r_1 (1+z_1)$$

fraction of photons reaching unit area at t_0
(redshift of each photon)(delay in arrival)



Horizons

PARTICLE HORIZON

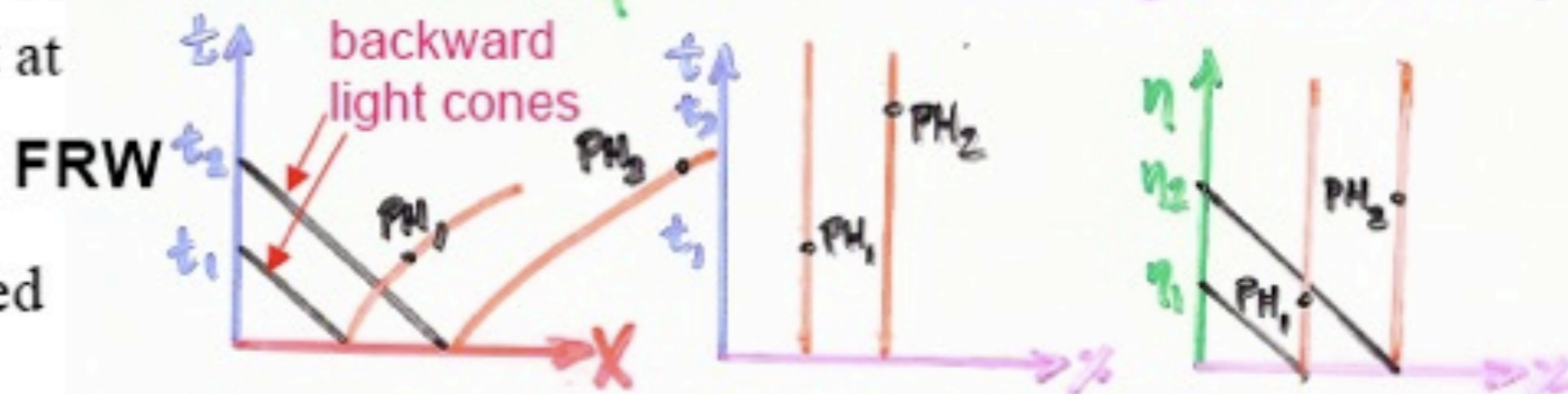
Spherical surface that at time t separates *worldlines* into observed vs. unobserved

$$ds^2 = dt^2 - dX^2 = dt^2 - R^2 dx^2 = R^2(d\eta^2 - dx^2)$$

conformal time

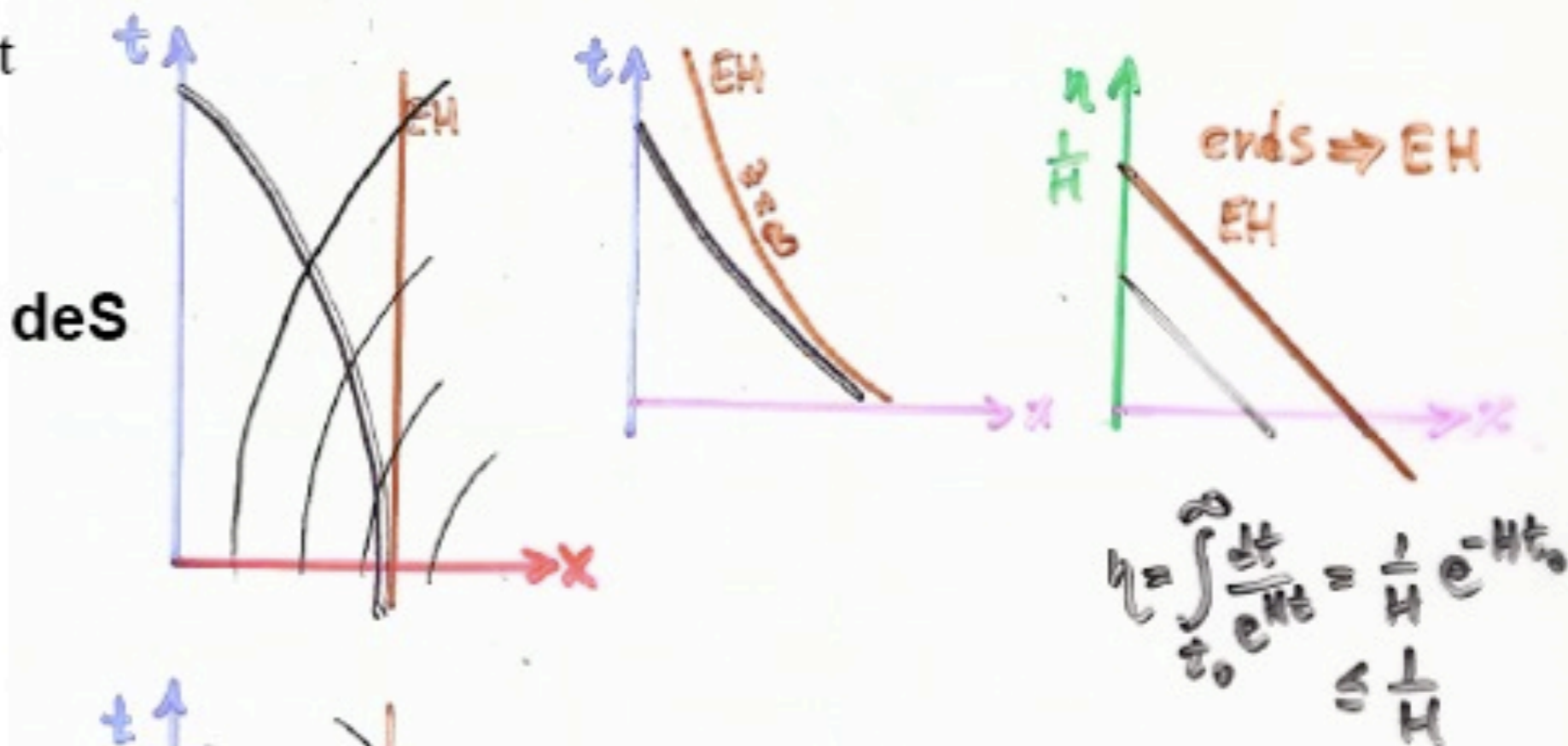
$$d\eta = dt/R$$

comoving coord. $dx = dX/R$

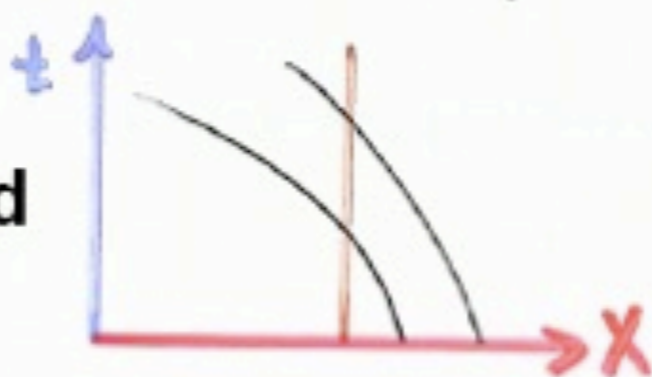


EVENT HORIZON

Backward lightcone that separates *events* that will someday be observed from those never observed

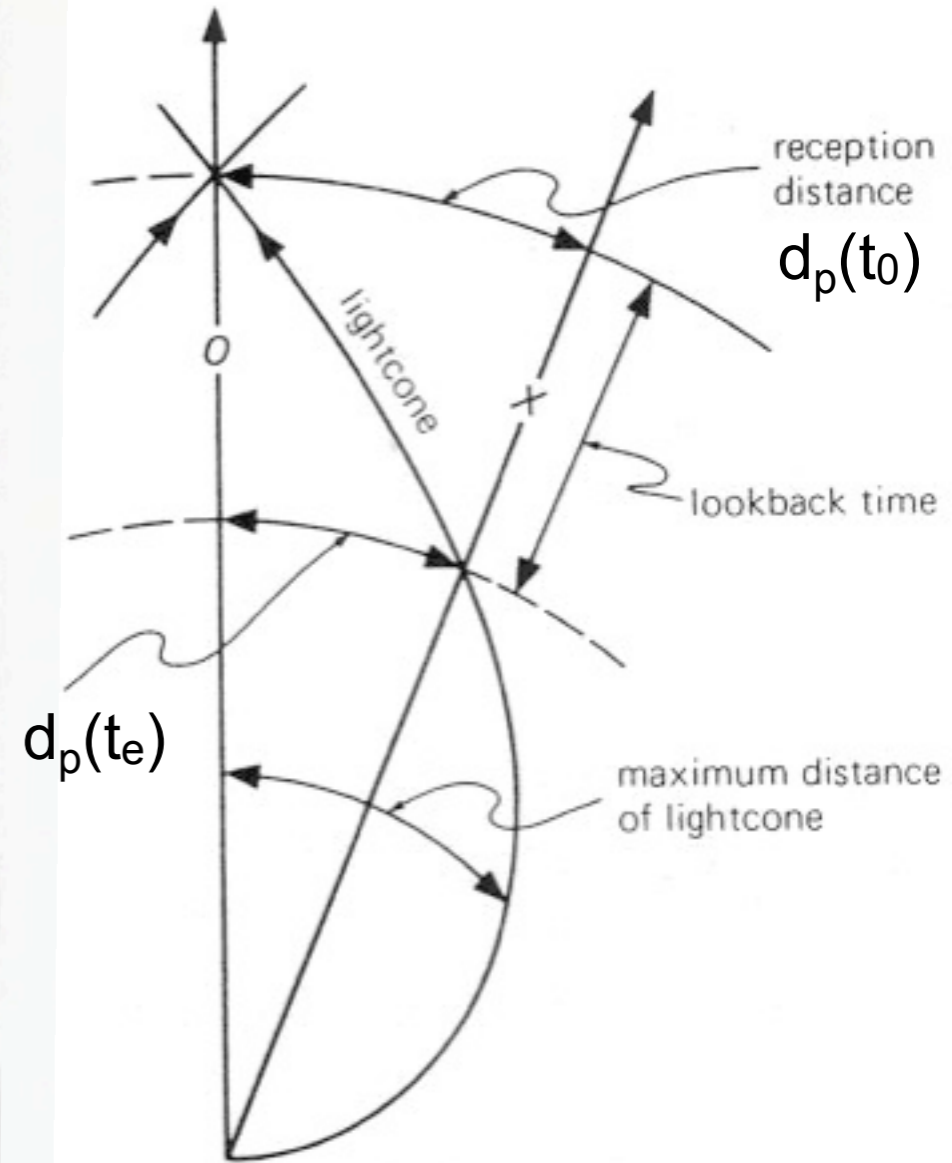
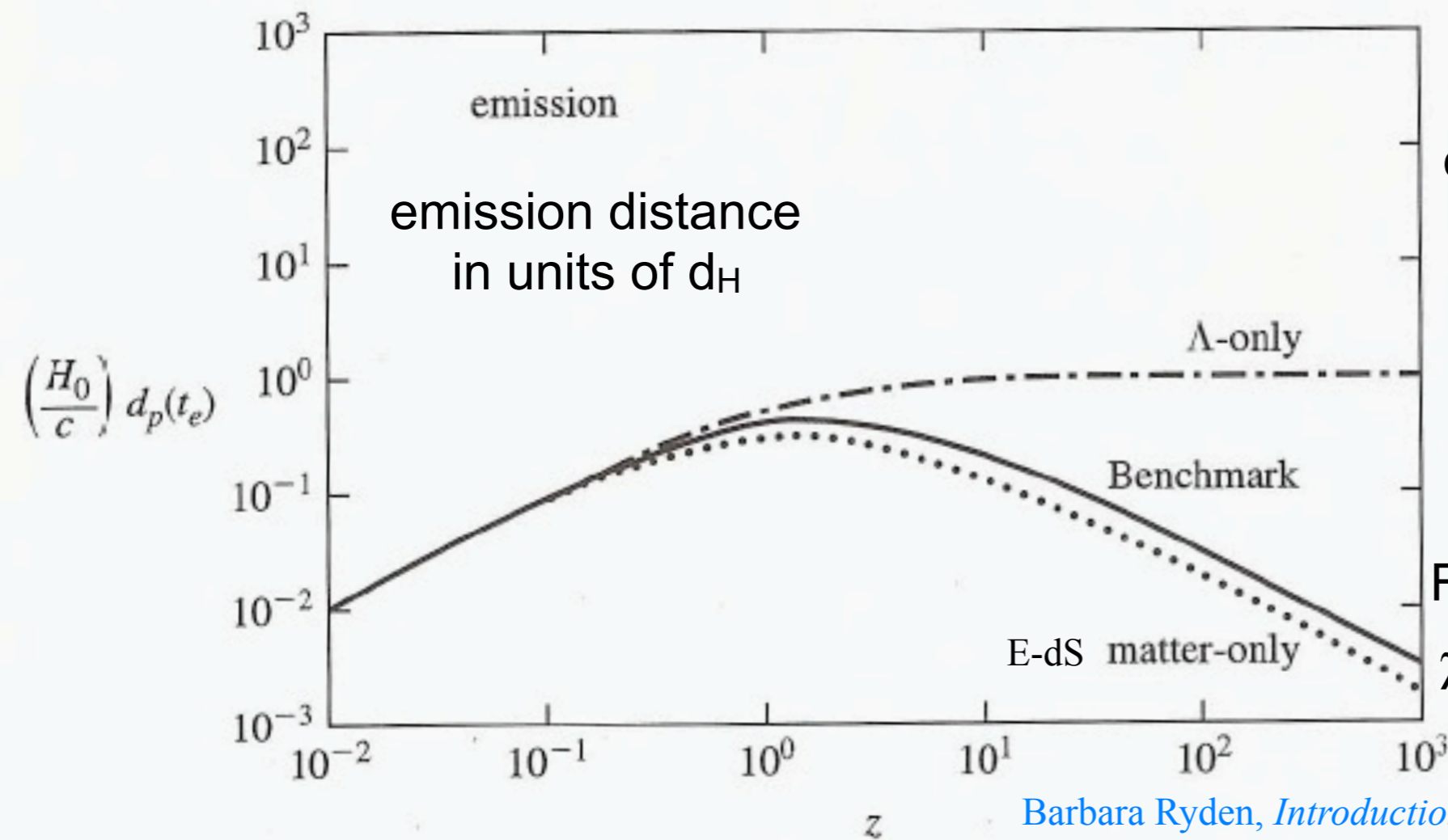
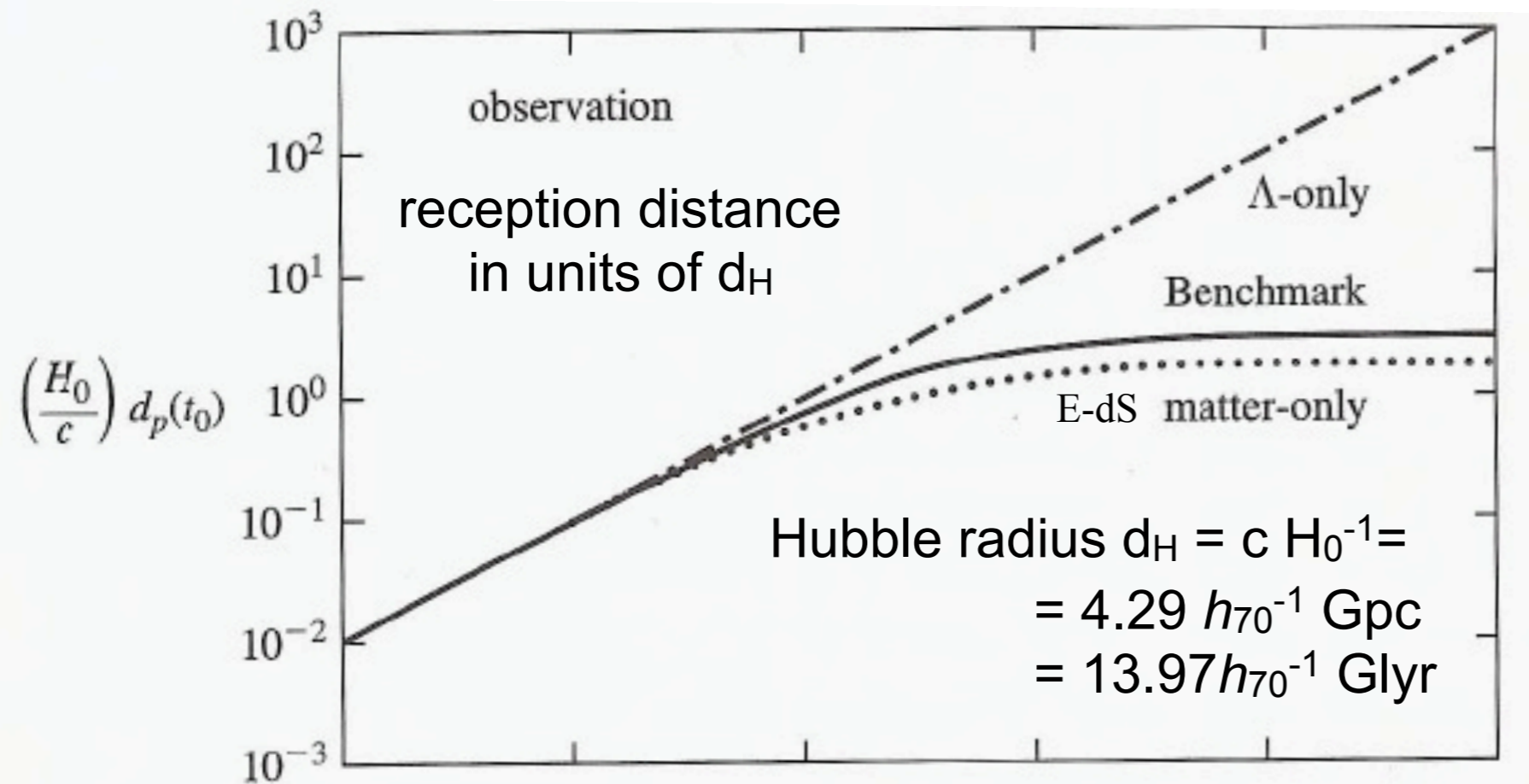


Schwarzschild



See Harrison, *Cosmology*
Rindler, *Relativity*

Distances in an Expanding Universe



For E-dS, where $H = H_0 a^{-3/2}$,

$$\chi(t_e) = r_e = d_p(t_0) = 2d_H (1 - a_e^{1/2})$$

$$d_p(t_e) = 2d_H a_e (1 - a_e^{1/2})$$

Distances in a Flat ($k=0$) Expanding Universe

$$\chi(t_1) = (\text{comoving distance at time } t_1) = r_1$$

$$d_A = a(t_1) r_1 = r_1 / (1+z_1)$$

$$d_L = r_1 / a(t_1) = r_1 (1+z_1)$$

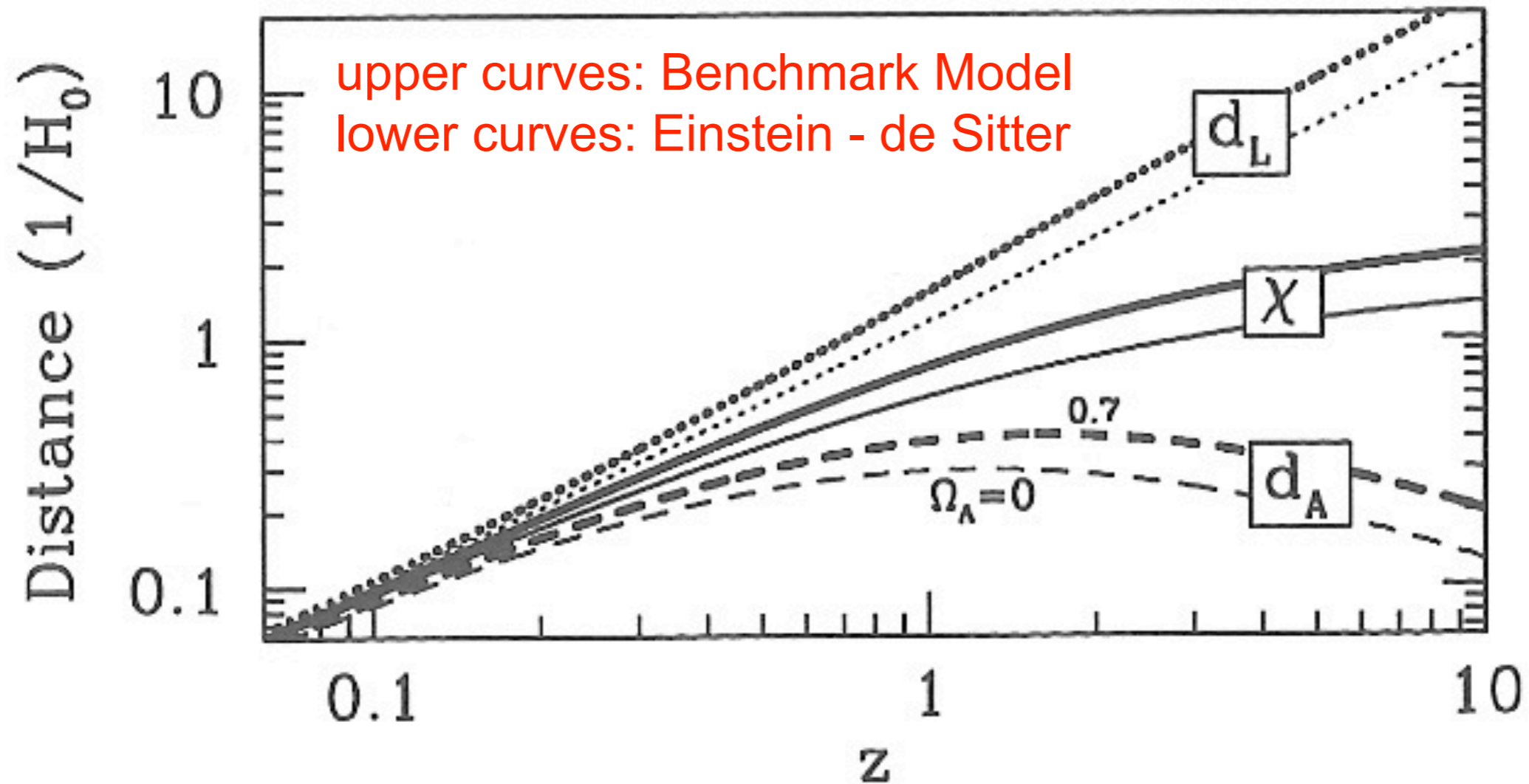


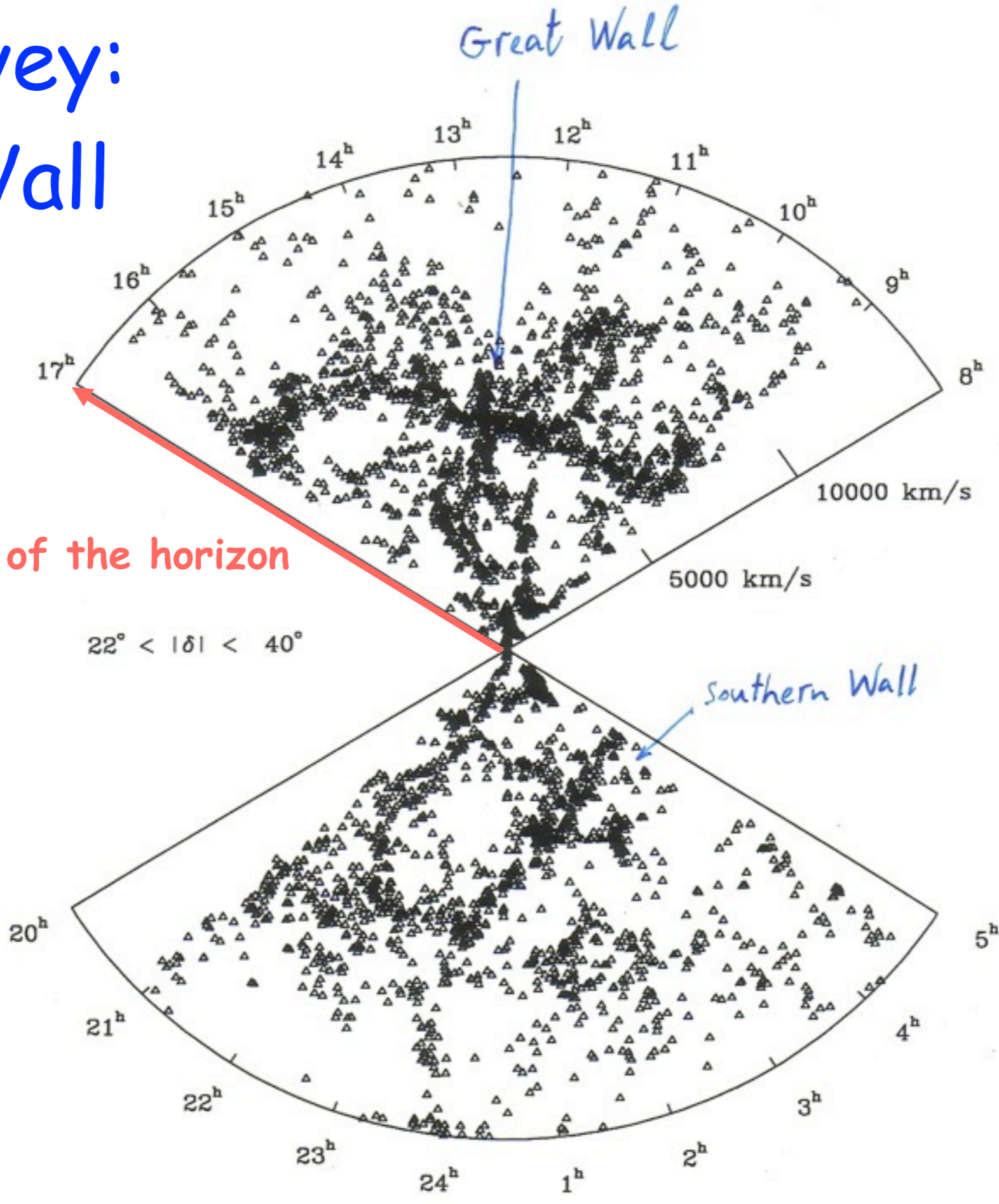
Figure 2.3. Three distance measures in a flat expanding universe. From top to bottom, the luminosity distance, the comoving distance, and the angular diameter distance. The pair of lines in each case is for a flat universe with matter only (light curves) and 70% cosmological constant Λ (heavy curves). In a Λ -dominated universe, distances out to fixed redshift are larger than in a matter-dominated universe.

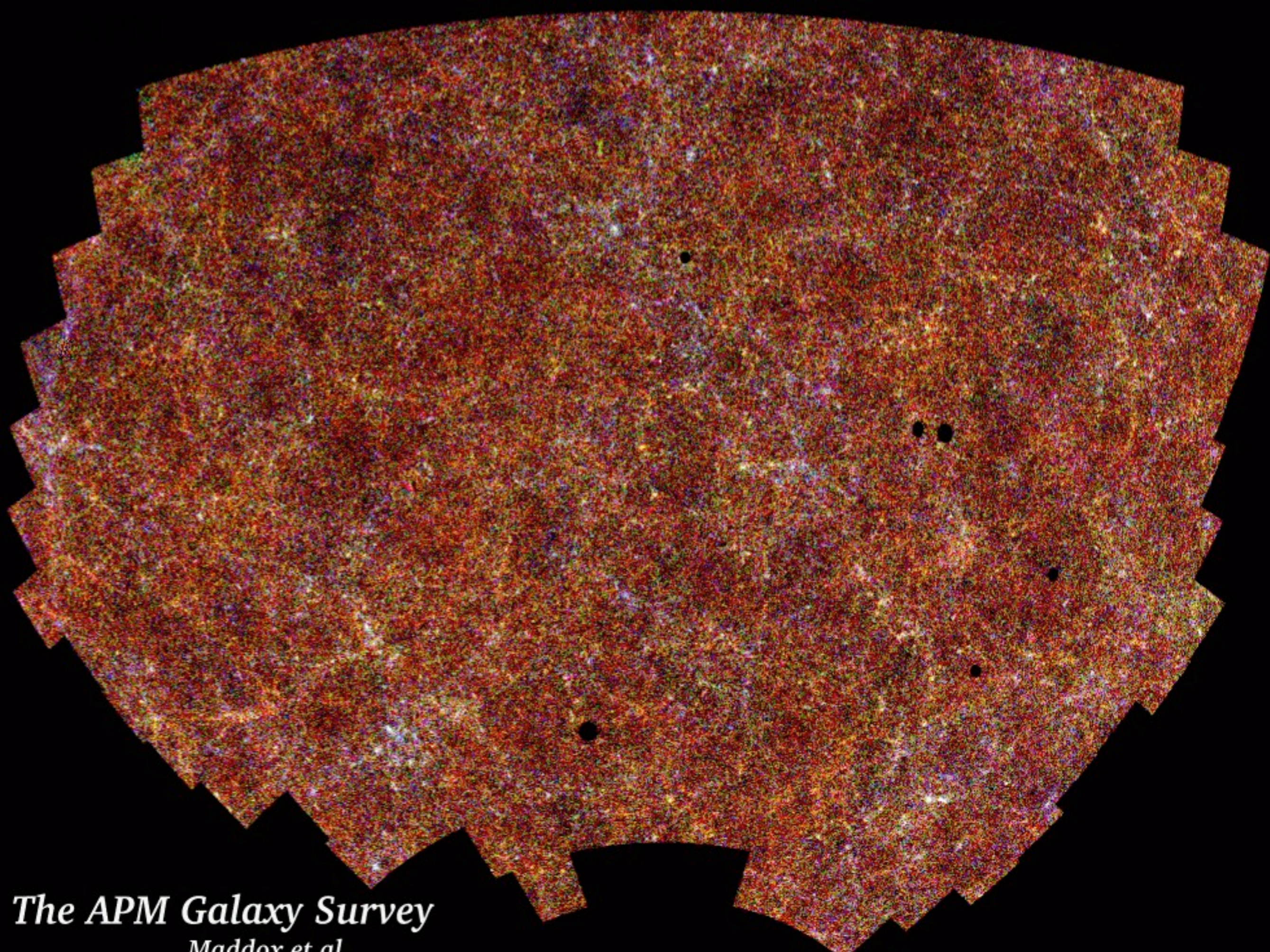
Mapping the large scale structure of the universe ...

Lick Survey
1M galaxies

North Galactic

CfA survey: Great Wall



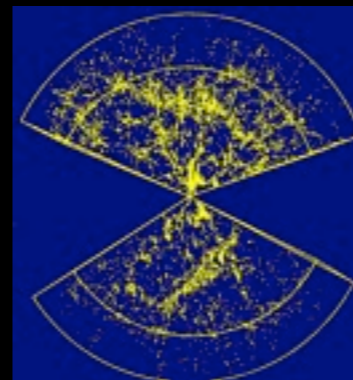


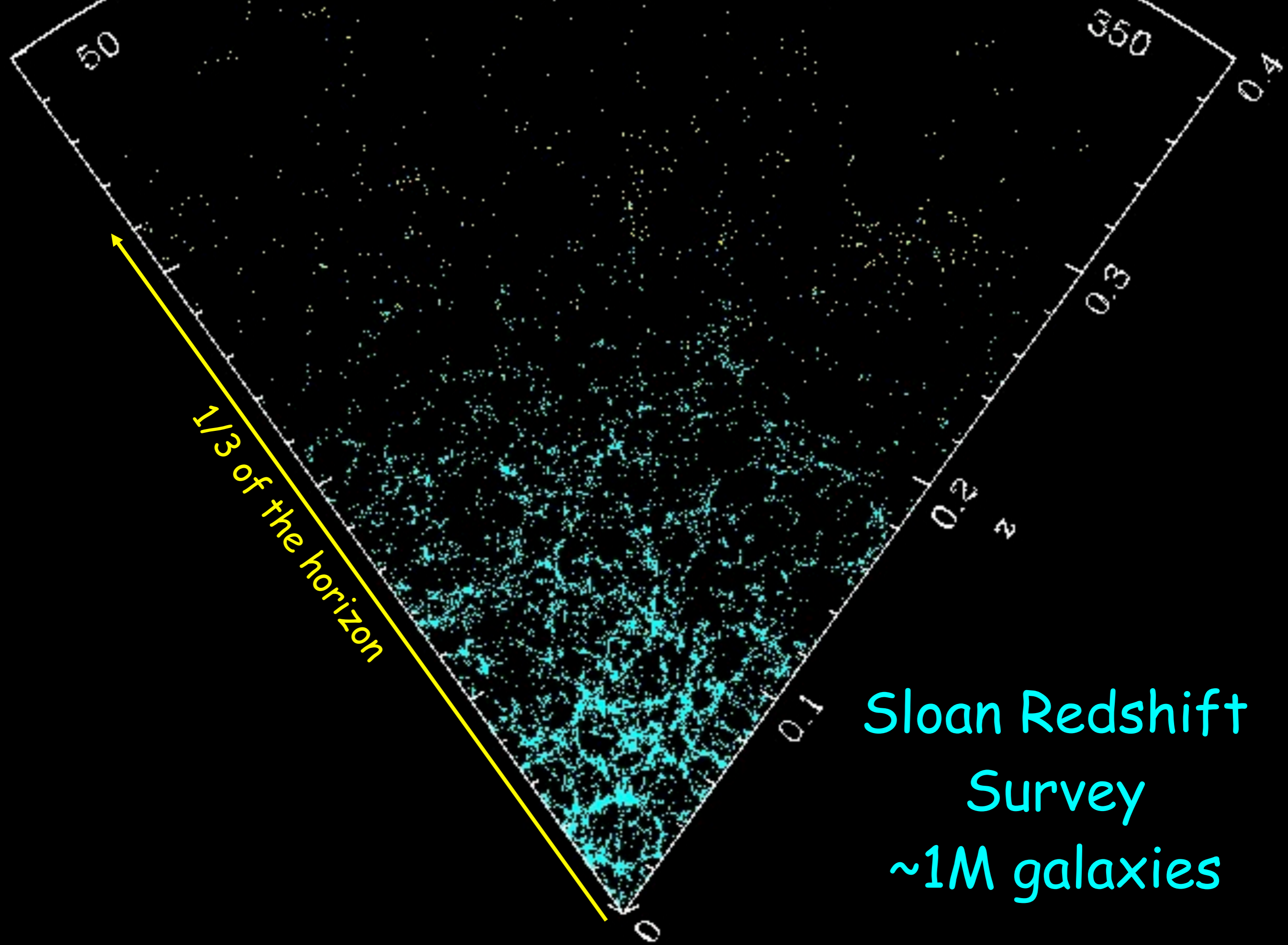
The APM Galaxy Survey
Maddox et al

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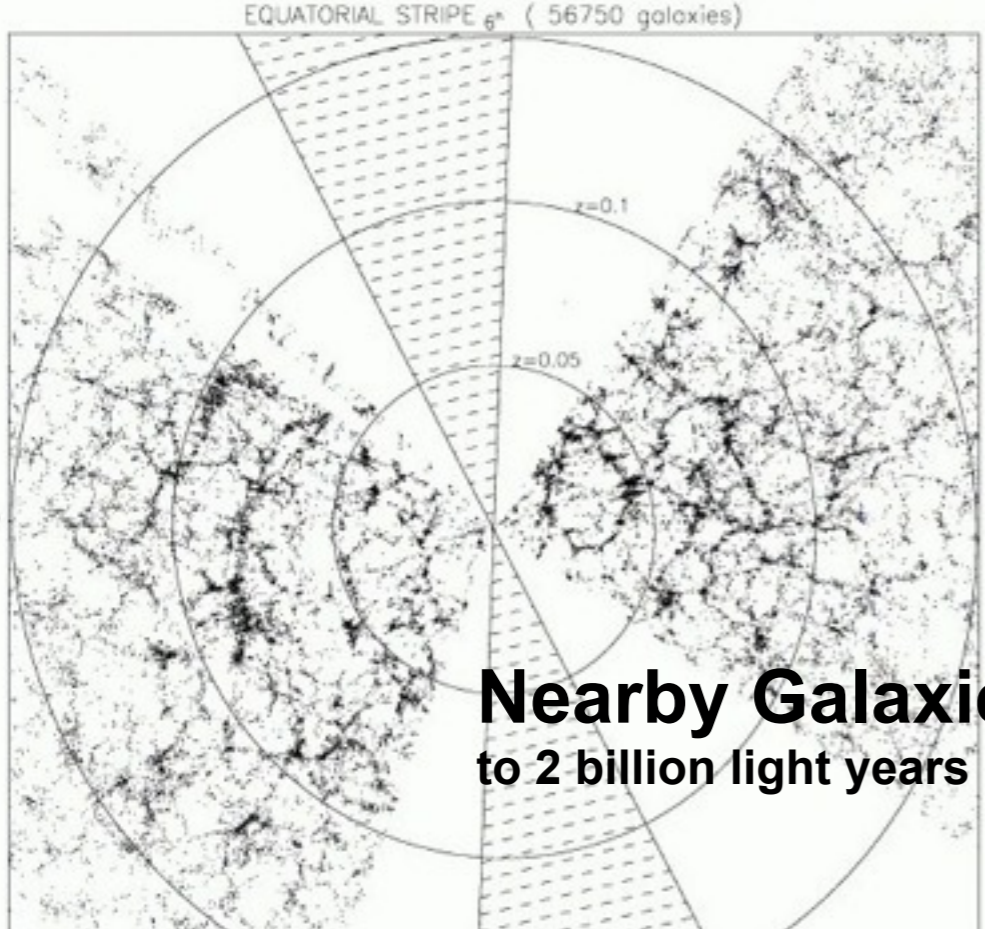
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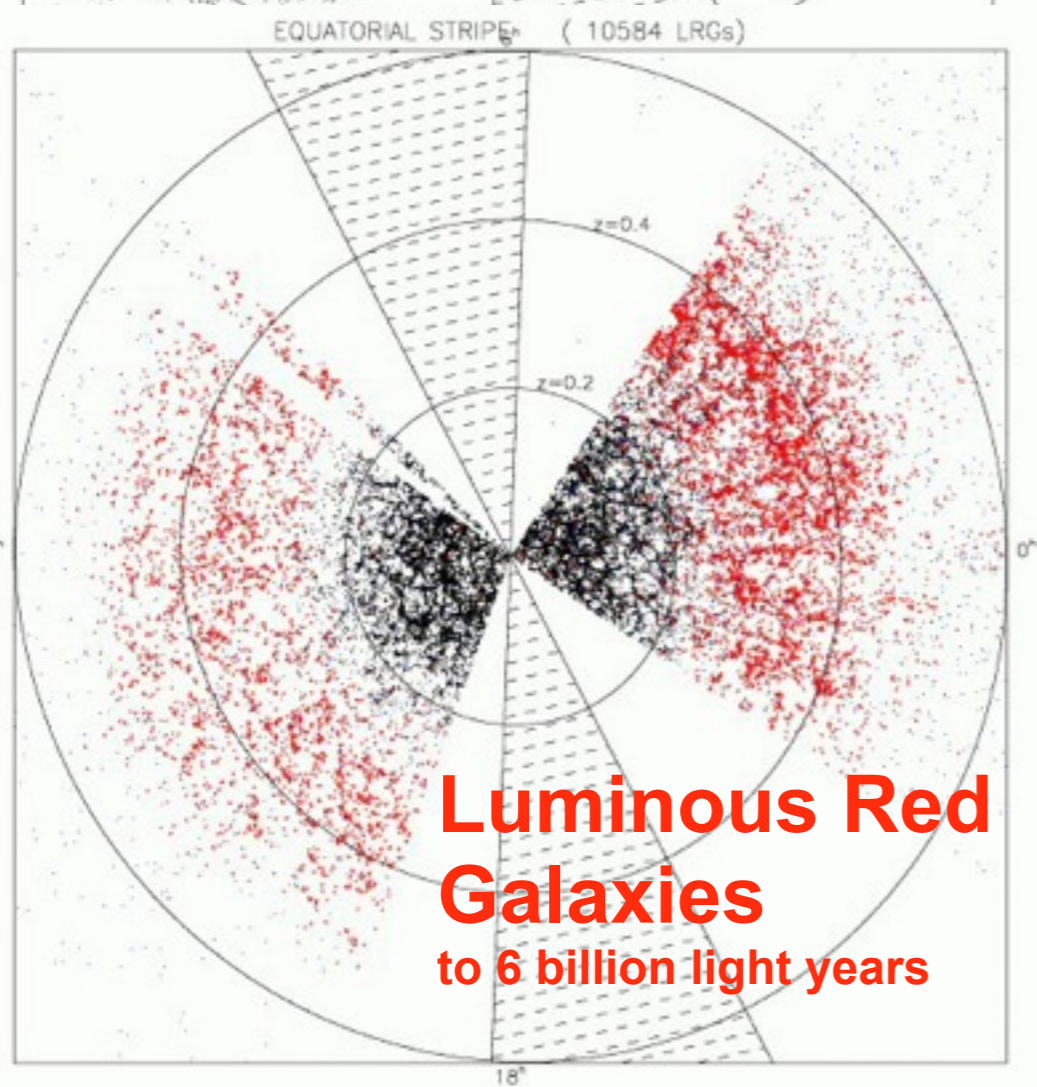


Sloan Redshift
Survey
~1M galaxies

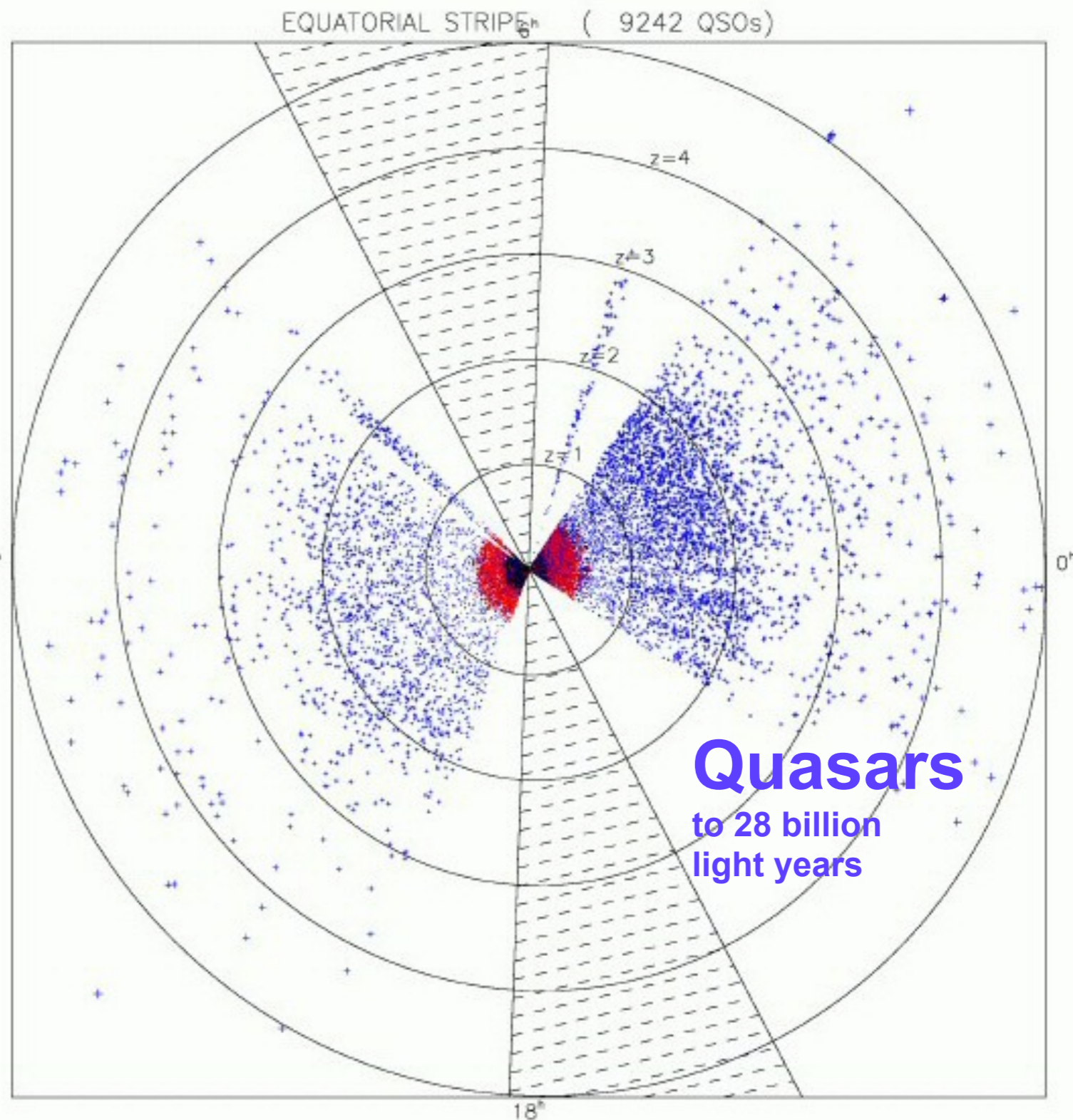
Mapping the Galaxies Sloan Digital Sky Survey



Nearby Galaxies
to 2 billion light years



Luminous Red Galaxies
to 6 billion light years

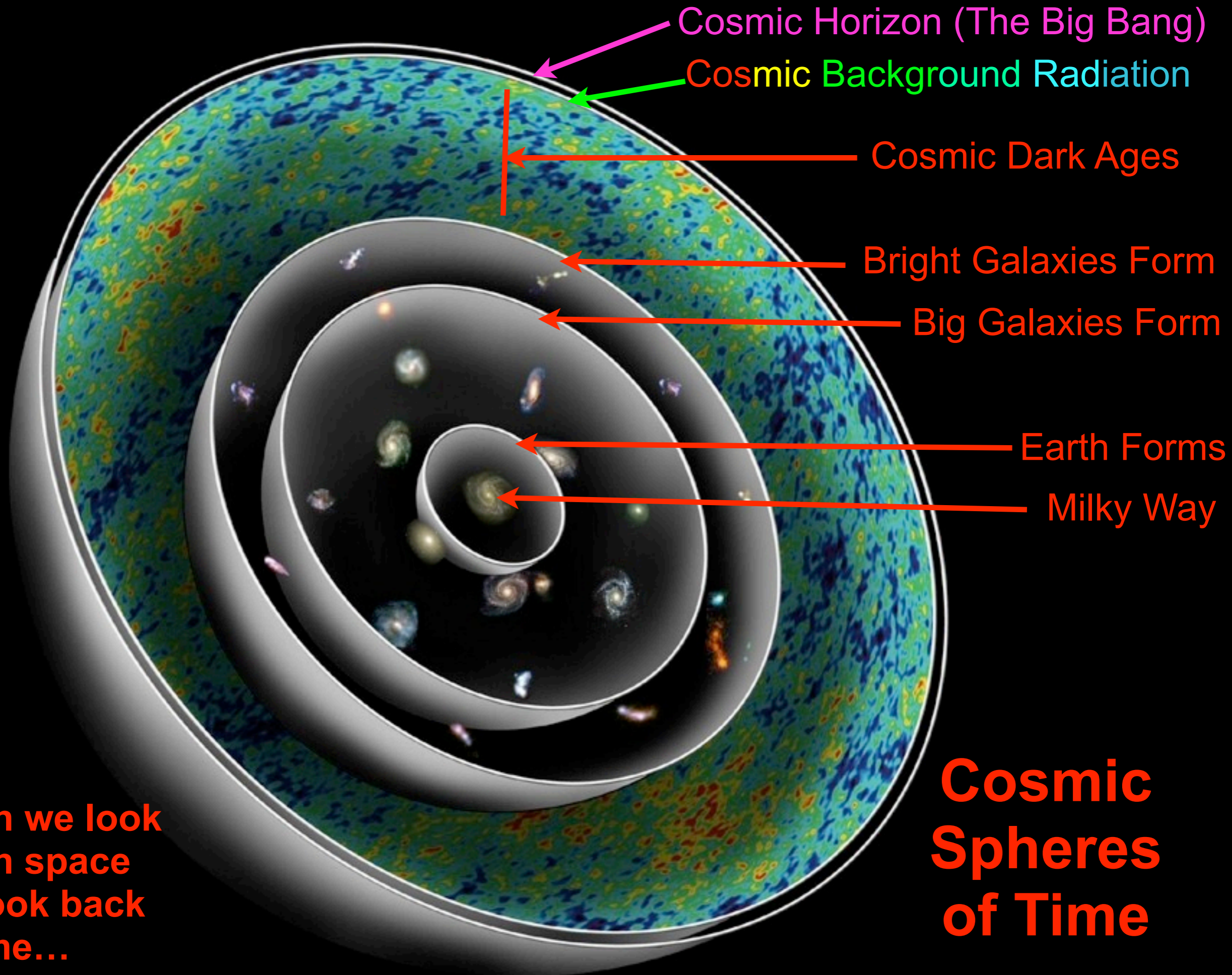


Quasars
to 28 billion light years

GALAXIES MAPPED BY THE SLOAN SURVEY

Data Release 4:

565,715 Galaxies & 76,403 Quasars



Cosmic Horizon (The Big Bang)

Cosmic Background Radiation

Cosmic Dark Ages

Bright Galaxies Form

Big Galaxies Form

Earth Forms

Milky Way

**Cosmic
Spheres
of Time**

**When we look
out in space
we look back
in time...**