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what are the degrees of freedom / parameters of the ultra early Universe? TBD

**TOPOGRAPHY of the
universe & our Hubble
patch bit of it** *in one (Bondian) slide
parameter space =
spacetime-space + field-space*
(aka superspace = gravity dof + all else) *supergravity, superstrings*

$V_{\text{eff}}(|\phi|, \text{angle}_1, \dots, \text{angle}_{n-1}) \dots d\phi_a K_{ab}(\phi) d\phi_b \dots M_P^2(\phi, {}^{(4)}R) \dots \text{fermions} \Rightarrow$
Standard Model of Particle Physics SMpp

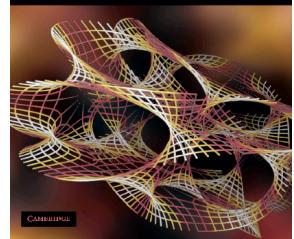
LHC goal BeyondSMpp, we search within the anomalous for the sub-dominant

CMB+LSS => Standard Model of Cosmology SMc=tilted Λ CDM, nearly scale invariant
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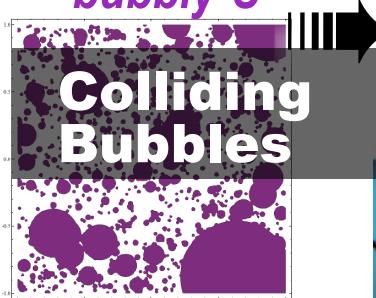
SuperWeb of ultra-Ultra Large Scale Structure of the Universe

a highly strained & stressed state in the universe at large (*very, very*), randomly simple in our Hubble patch, and highly entangled in the small to medium scale

Universe or Multiverse?
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quantum tunnels
= bubbly-U



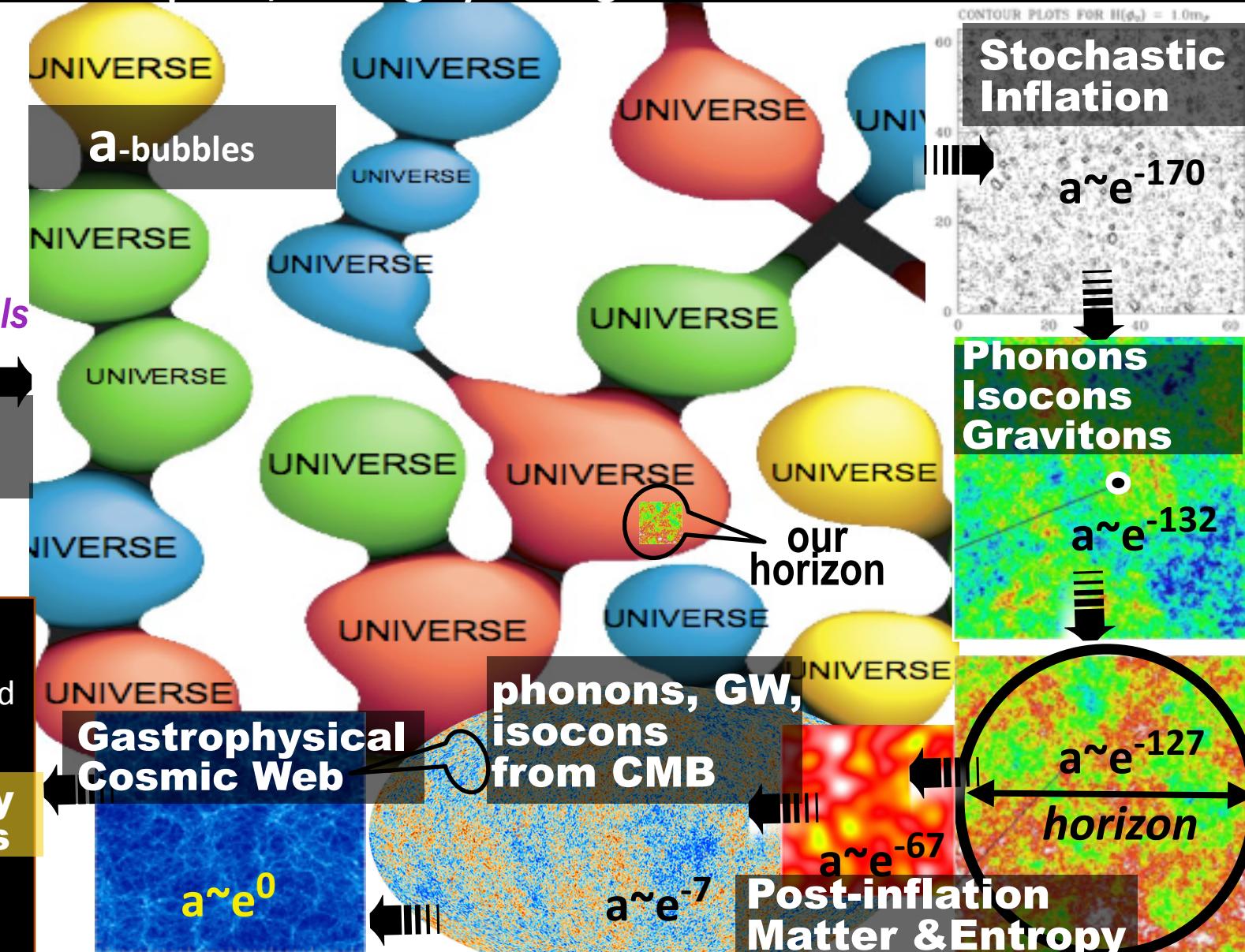
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a future DE-Void



Dark Energy Trajectories

$$a \sim e^{+++}$$



Bond & Efstathiou 80-15 what did we know (& do) when we began in ~80, cosmologically speaking?

80s Berkeley, 82-83 Cambridge, 81-85
Stanford, 84 Santa Barbara ITP, ..
90s, .. 00s, 10s

the great dragon of quantum gravity
breathed out the “initial conditions”
BSMpp - a Grand Unified Theory quest
a particle desert => SMpp dof +



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on Saturday ... December 1980

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COSMIC PARAMETERS THEN e.g.,

BBe1987 vary X in $x\Lambda$ CDM

Xtra power anomalies cf. sCDM => vary $kHeq$, $khot=mv$, mode, k_ζ , B/DM for $x\Lambda$ CDM, predict CMB (6deg, 5min); LSS cluster-cluster, cluster-galaxy, bulk flows, σ_8 : redshift of “galaxy formation”



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50mK cf 30mK COBE,

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PREDICTIONS FOR MODELS

Parameter	OBS	CDM	C40	VAC/C	OP/C	ISO/C	ISO/AD	HOT	HC	C + B	B + C	BCV	BCO	CDM + dec	$(CDM + \Lambda)_1$ $(k_w^{-1} = 300)$	$(CDM + X)_2$ $(k_w^{-1} = 200)$
Ω, Ω_b, H_0 -----	---	1, 0.1, 50	1, 0.1, 40	1, 0.03, 50	0.2, 0.03, 50	1, 0.1, 50	1, 0.1, 50	1, 0.1, 50	1, 0.1, 50	1, 0.2, 40	1, 0.5, 50	1, 0.1, 75	0.2, 0.1, 75	1, 1, 50	1, 0.1, 40	1, 0.1, 50
$\Omega_x(\Omega_b), \Omega_{vac}$ -----	---	0.9, 0	0.9, 0	0.17, 0.8	0.17, 0	0.9, 0	0.9, 0	(0.9), 0	0.5(0.4), 0	0.8, 0	0.5, 0	0.1, 0.8	0.1, 0	1, 0	0.9, 0	0.9, 0
b -----	---	1.7	1.8	1	1	1.7	1.7	0.53	1.7	1.8	1.7	1	1	1.7	1.8	1.7
t_0 (by) -----	GC: 14-22	13	17	22	17	13	13	13	13	17	13	14	11	13	17	13
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radically broken scale invariance \Rightarrow

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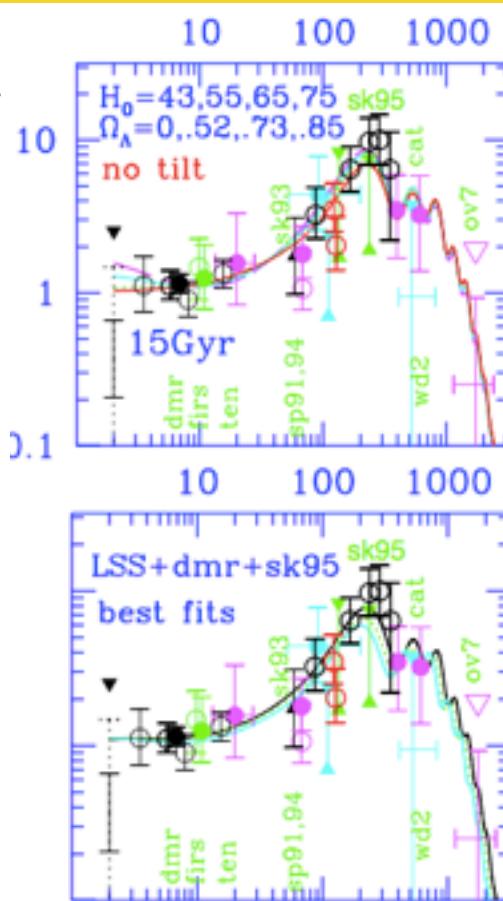
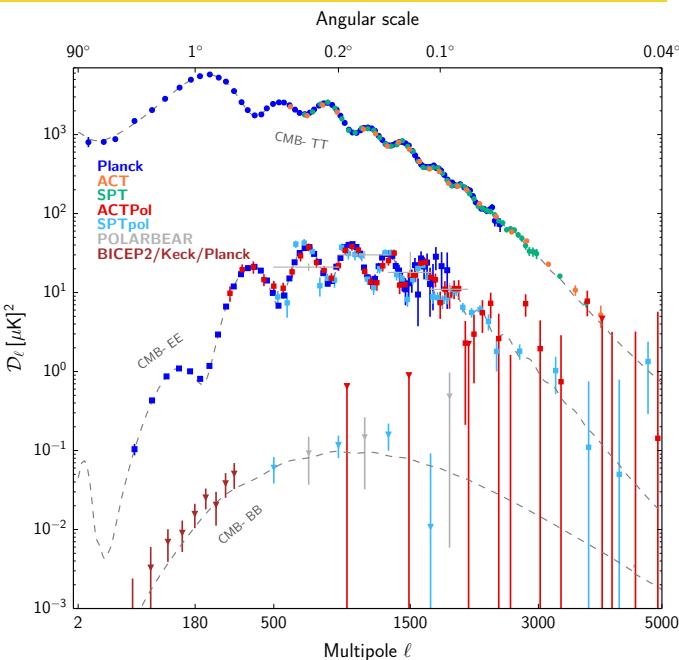
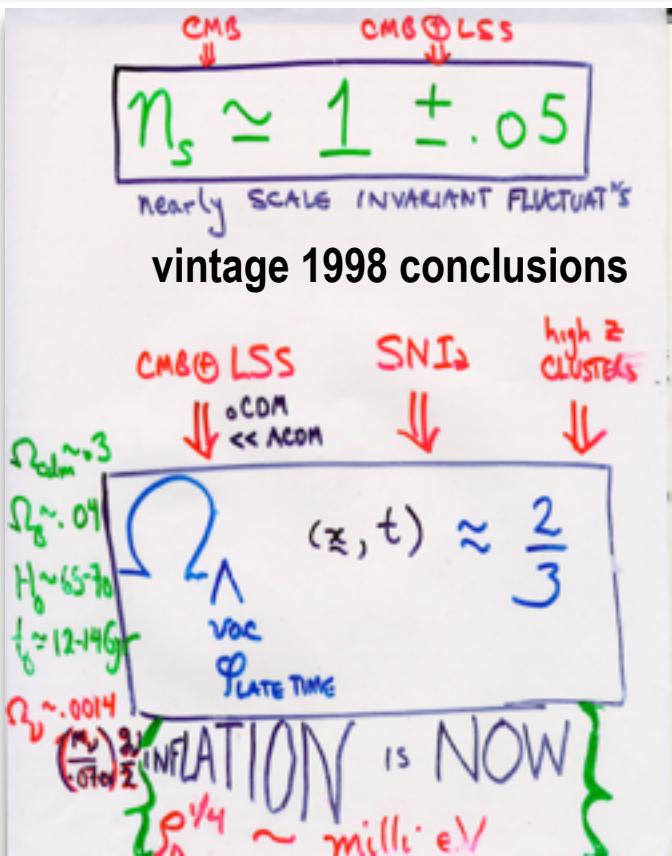
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$\sigma_8(R_g = 0.35)$...	---	2.9	2.4	2.7	2.7	1.6	2.5	2.0	1.3	2.2	1.9	2.4	2.4	6.8	2.2	2.7
z_g -----	---	3.7	2.9	2.3	4.0	1.3	3.1	1	1.1	2.5	2.0	1.3	2.0	13	2.6	3.4
$\sigma_8(R_{st} = 5)$ -----	---	0.42	0.39	0.75	0.75	0.43	0.42	1.4	0.44	0.40	0.44	0.72	0.72	0.47	0.41	0.43
$\langle v \rangle_c$ -----	---	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.7	3.1	3.1
$\xi_{gg}(20)$ -----	1.5	0.15	0.26	1.7	1.7	0.70	0.35	1.1	1.0	0.49	1.3	2.2	2.2	1.8	1.0	0.85
$\xi_{gg}(25)$ -----	1.0	0.08	0.15	1.2	1.2	0.42	0.21	0.45	0.51	0.31	0.93	1.7	1.7	0.92	0.83	0.68
$\xi_{gg}(30)$ -----	0.72	0.03	0.07	0.85	0.85	0.25	0.11	0.20	0.24	0.20	0.61	1.4	1.4	0.49	0.64	0.51
$\xi_{gg}(50)$ -----	0.29	-0.01*	-0.006*	0.24	0.24	0.02	-0.001*	-0.009*	-0.02*	0.04	0.23	0.59	0.59	0.16	0.28	0.21
$\xi_{gg}(100)$ -----	0.08	-0.002*	-0.003*	0.02	0.02	-0.003*	-0.003*	-0.009*	-0.009*	-0.007*	-0.01*	0.36	0.36	0.02	0.08	0.06
$\xi_{gg}(20)$ -----	0.49	0.13	0.17	0.57	0.57	0.32	0.19	0.96	0.44	0.23	0.50	0.76	0.76	0.70	0.39	0.32
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$\xi_{gg}(40)$ -----	0.14	-0.003	0.002	0.13	0.13	0.03	0.006	-0.001	0.02	0.03	0.13	0.26	0.26	0.09	0.12	0.10
$r(R_f = 3.2)$ -----	610 ± 50	136-654	134-650	166-797	157-752	172-824	148-709	594-2850	185-889	149-714	208-1000	232-1120	218-1050	293-1399	280-1331	241-1151
$r(R_f = 15)$ -----	599 ± 104	71-340	76-365	134-639	126-601	114-544	86-409	387-1850	124-587	95-450	154-735	206-987	194-928	244-1170	250-1190	202-970
$r(R_f = 25)$ -----	$53-250$	56-269	115-550	108-516	89-421	64-309	419-1350	91-435	71-342	119-573	186-894	174-839	215-1028	233-1106	185-882	
$r(R_f = 40)$ -----	970 ± 300	35-180	40-192	95-456	90-430	66-315	47-221	200-958	65-311	52-251	87-419	160-771	151-724	184-879	214-1016	165-787
$\Delta T/T (45)$ -----	<25	5	6	20	70	20	...	6	8	10	80
$\times 10^6 (6^\circ)$ -----	<48	7	8	20	40	60	30	20	8	8	15	25	50	40	72 (98)	40 (64)

inflation 1997/98

cf. inflation 2015

Grand Unified CMB Spectra

cf. Princeton@250 1997



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5.6 σ from 1

B+Jaffe'96, '98

$$\Omega_\Lambda \approx 2/3 \pm .07 + \text{LSS}$$

$$n_s =$$

$.98 \pm .07$
$.96 \pm .06$

$$\Omega_\Lambda = 0.691 \pm 0.006 \text{ PI5 XIII}$$

$$w_0: -1.02 \pm 0.08$$

$$\Omega_K: .0008 \pm 0.004$$

SMc=tilted Λ CDM

emerged via heterogeneous CMB+LSS, Boomerang, ..., WMAP,
Planck, .. (ACT/SPT,BICEP/KECK) (oh, and SN1a)

anomalies had also emerged, but “see no evil, here no evil, say no evil” aka look elsewhere - almost all LSS anomalies went away over time, but the Xtra power anomalies solved with LCDM. CMB anomalies persist, but at low multipoles

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2015 data release
papers: 20 Feb, > 4 Jun



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without deconstruction

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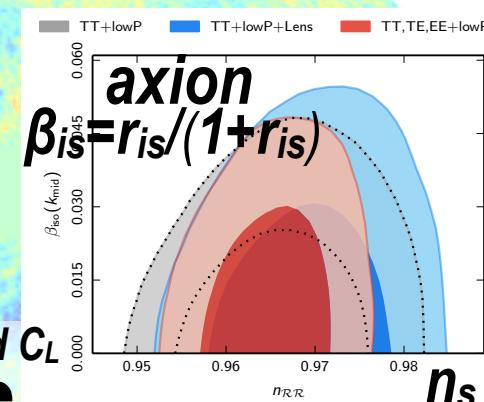
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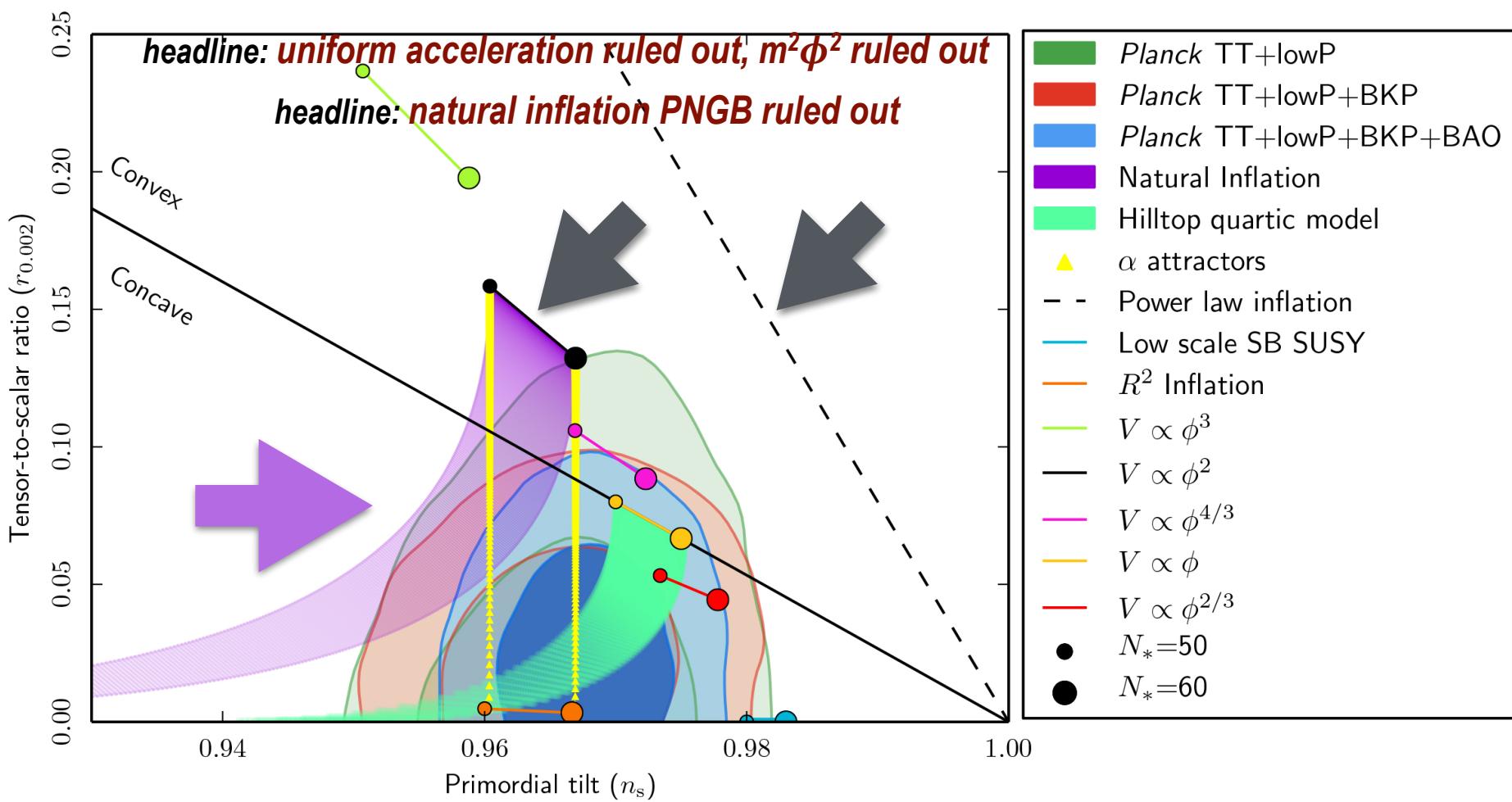
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key figure in WMAPn, Planck 2013, Planck 2015, ...

P15+BKP $r < 0.09$ uniform n_s

cf. $0 < r < .11$ 95%CL P15+BKP 12 knots
near-degeneracy broken by BB

cf. P15+TT,TE,EE loP $r < 0.10$ uniform n_s

cf. P15+loP+WMAP $r < 0.09$ uniform n_s

WMAP9 cleaned with 353 pol data

headline: conformally flattened potentials OK, includes R^2 inflation & Higgs inflation, α -attractors

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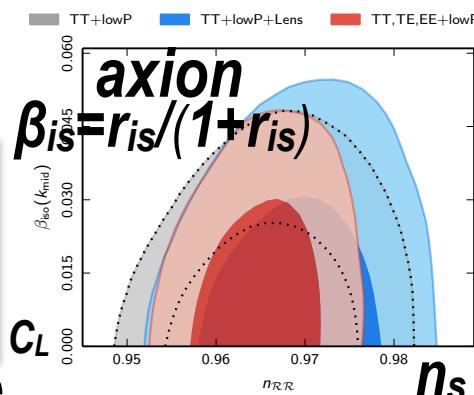
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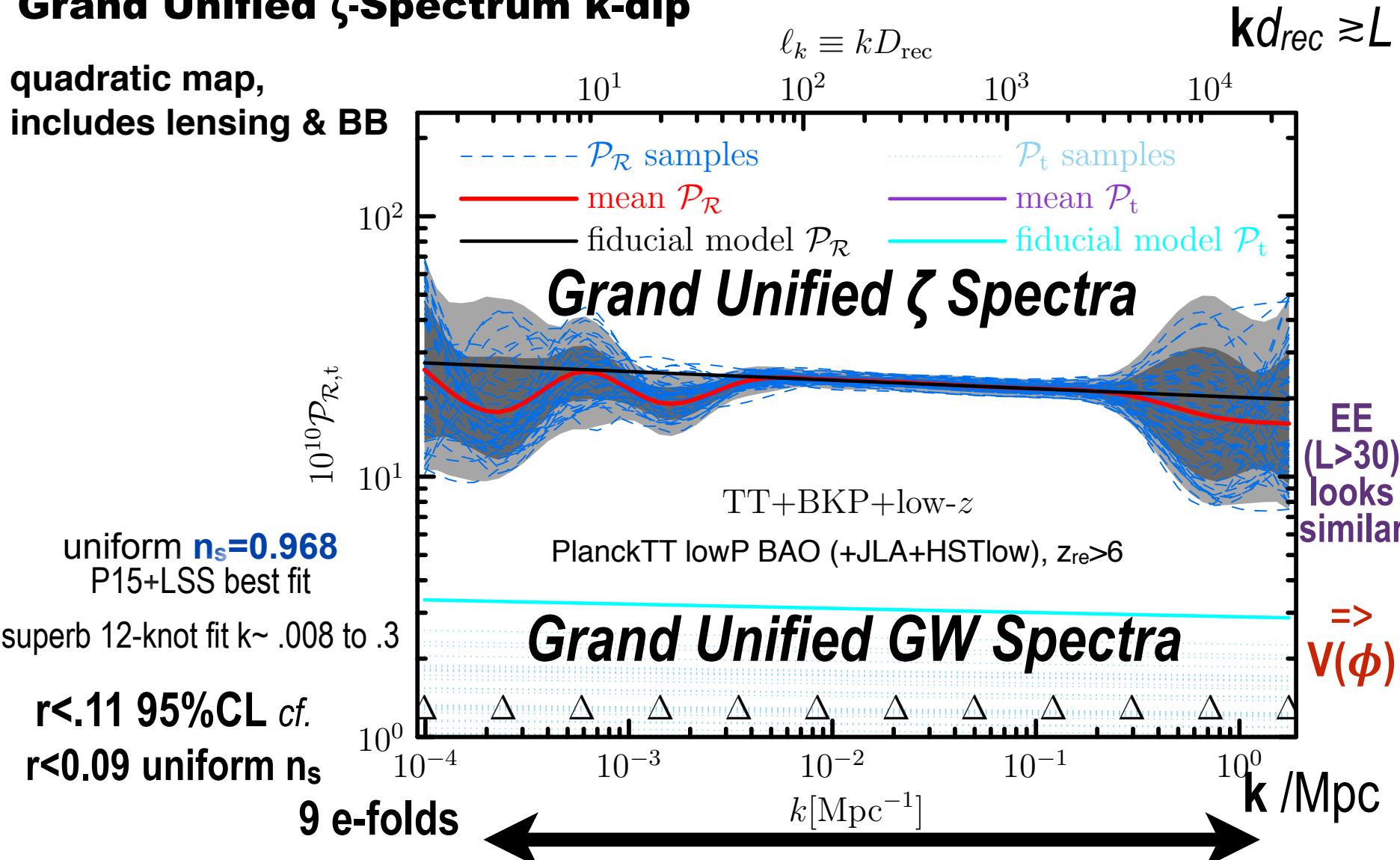
aka mapping early U sound/phonons

CMB TT power $L \sim 20-30$ dip =>
Grand Unified ζ -Spectrum k-dip

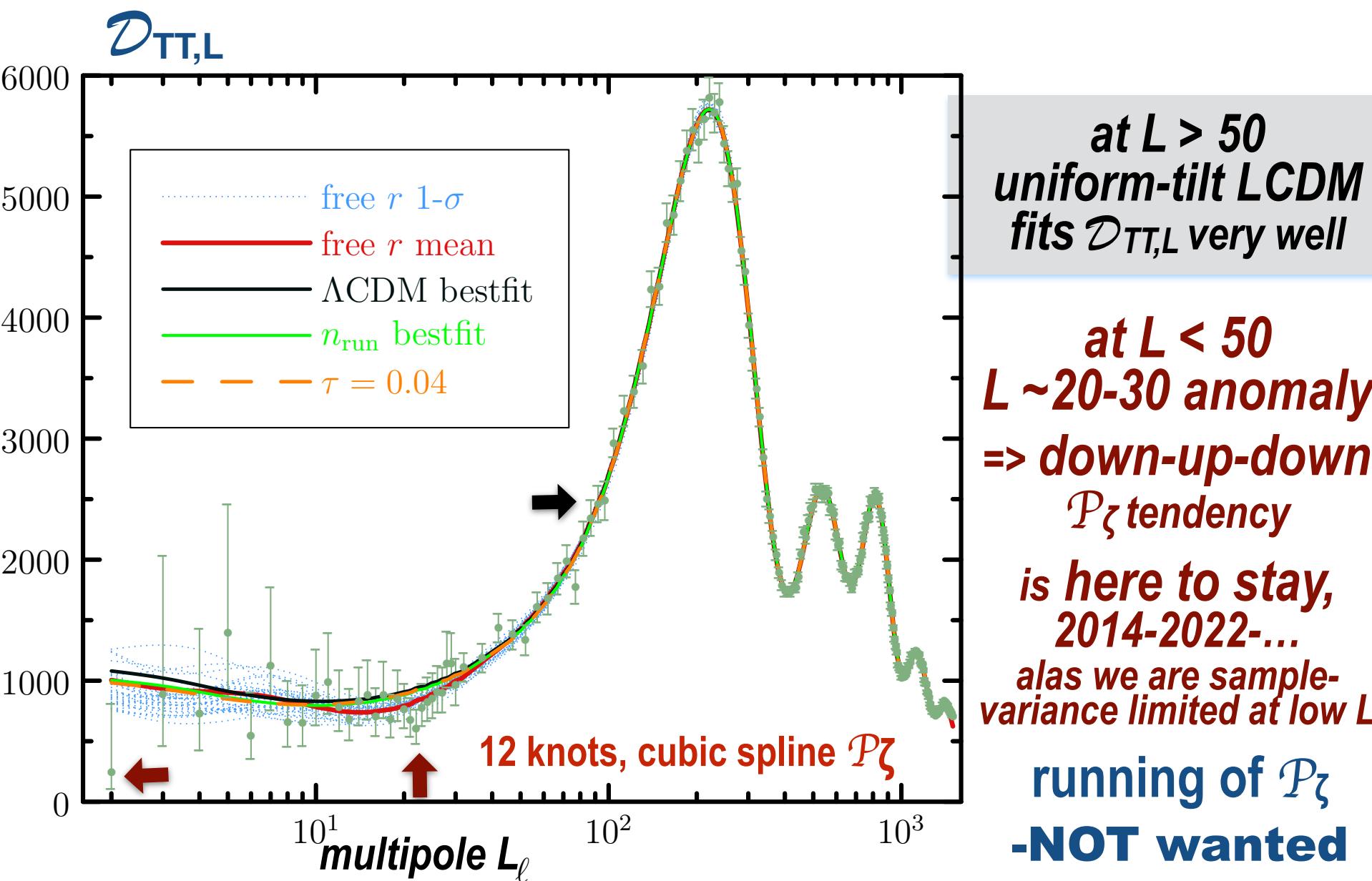
quadratic map,
includes lensing & BB

$$\ell_k \equiv kD_{\text{rec}}$$

$$kd_{\text{rec}} \gtrsim L$$

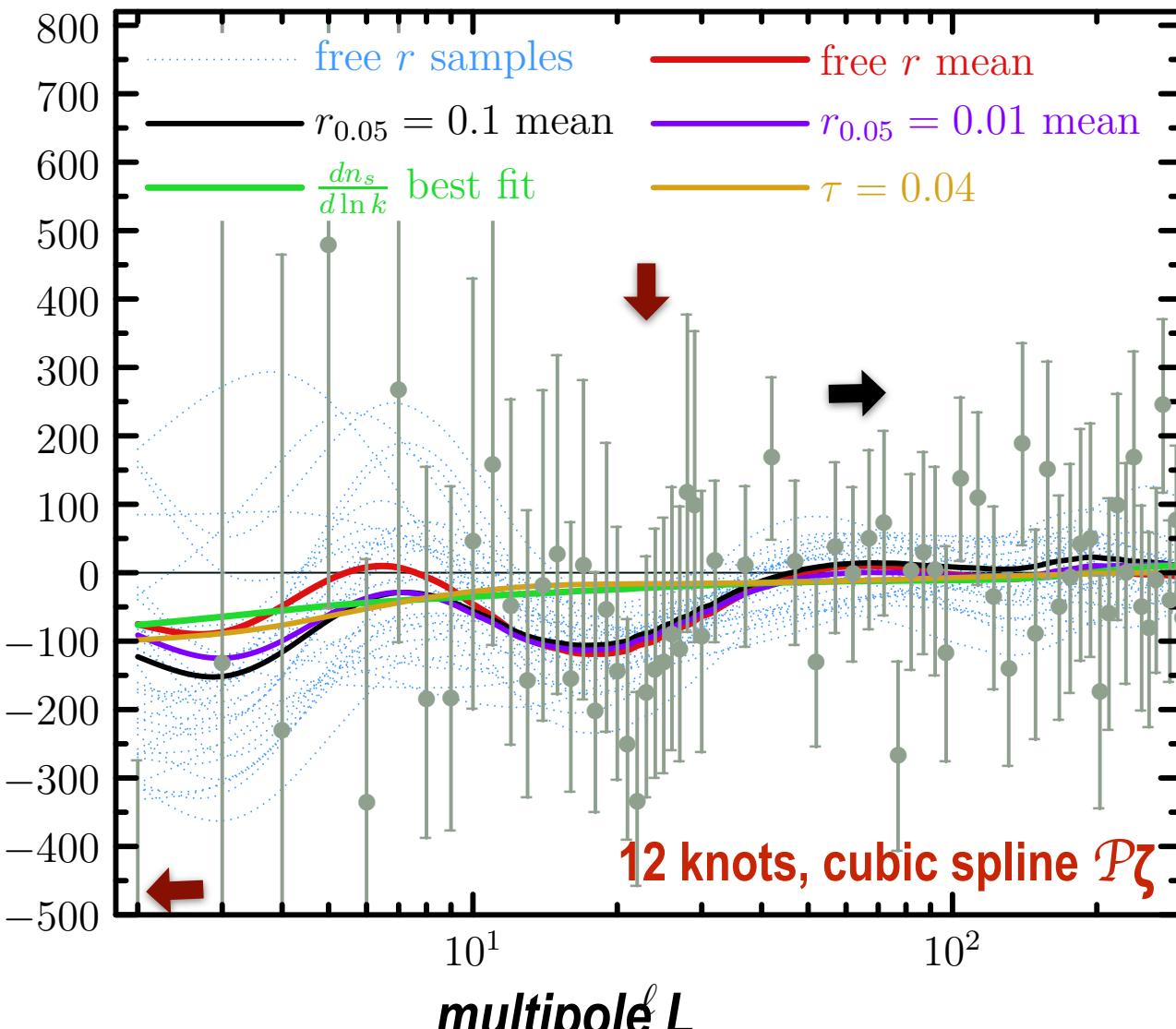


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 cf. Planck 2015 Commander Low L spectrum + Likelihood high L $\mathcal{D}_{\text{TT,L}}$



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 cf. *Planck* 2015 Commander Low L spectrum with Blackwell-Rao errors

$\Delta \mathcal{D}_{\text{TT,L}}$



at $L > 50$
uniform-tilt LCDM
 fits $\mathcal{D}_{\text{TT,L}}$ very well

at $L < 50$
 $L \sim 20-30$ anomaly
 \Rightarrow down-up-down
 $\mathcal{P}\zeta$ tendency
 is here to stay,
 2014-2022-...
 alas we are sample-
 variance limited at low L
 running of $\mathcal{P}\zeta$
-NOT wanted

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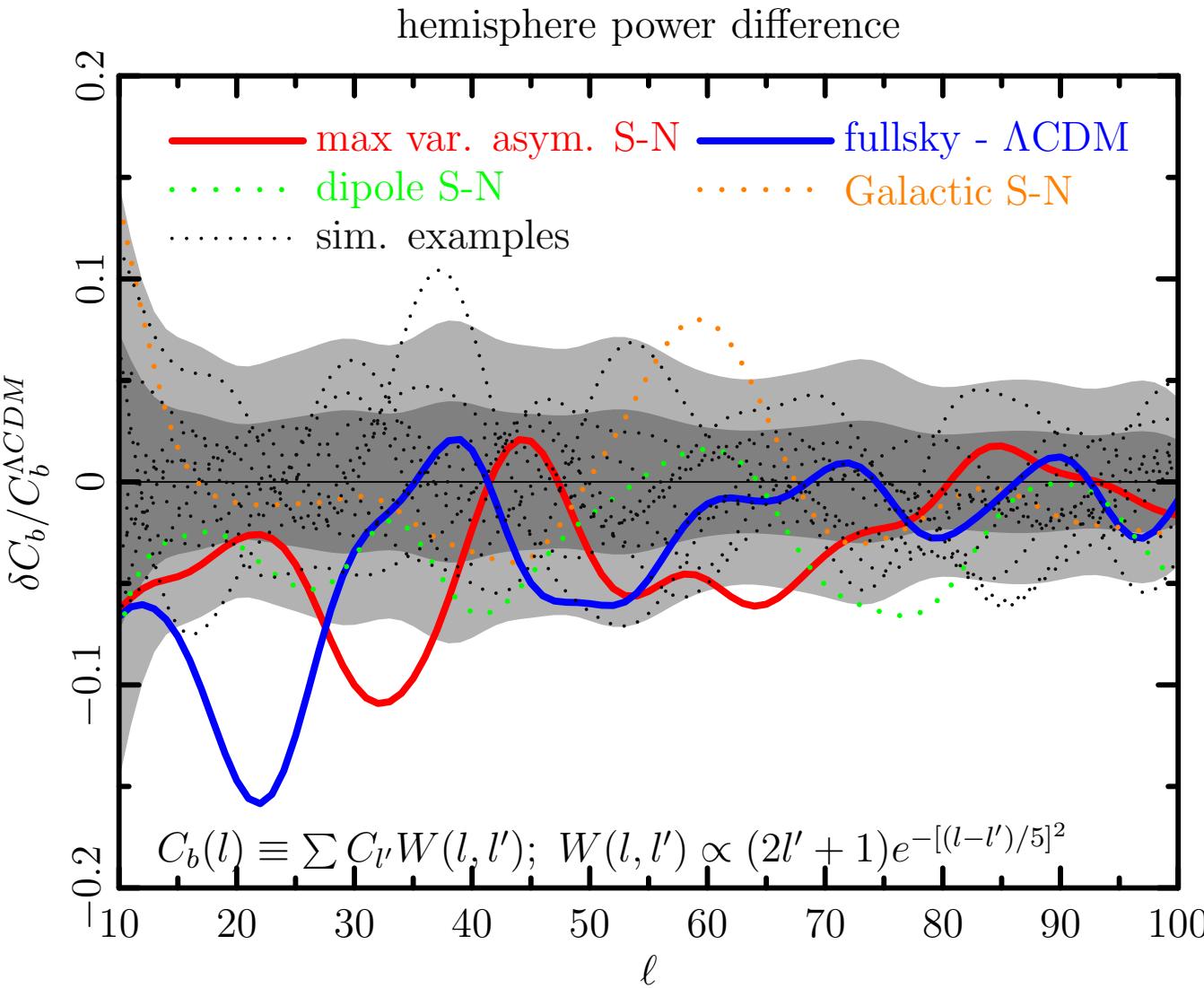
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*hemispherical max $\Delta C_L^{TT} \sim 7\% @ low L$ deconstructed into L bands
and compared with the full sky power dip anomaly at $L \sim 20-30$ in C_L^{TT}*



Will any Anomalies in the CMB turn into Subdominant Physics?

*sigh, Mother Nature puts her
Anomalies @ low L where sample
variance => tantalizing $\sim 2\sigma$'s?
if a GUTA then maybe >>2 σ ?*

*Planck 2013, 2015 cf. WMAP7,9 basic
verification. polarization aspects
coming, P15, only polarized
stackings of various sorts*

*B+Huang this summer, more
exploration of relations - instructive
mapping, - spatial and L -bands, but
nothing really compelling*

Beyond the Standard Model of cosmology? $\text{SMc} = \text{tilted}\Lambda\text{CDM+r } (\zeta, h_{+x})$

BSMC = SMc + primordial anomalies

$\sim 10,000,000 T/E$ modes = $t\Lambda\text{CDM}$, $\lesssim 500$ modes of anomaly

vast unexplored parts of the ζ -scape CMB is 2D

hope to use 3D **LSS** tomography $f_{\text{sky}} L_{\text{max}}^2 k_{\text{max}} d_{\text{max}}$

CMB TT power $L \sim 20-30$ dip =>

Grand Unified ζ -Spectrum k -dip

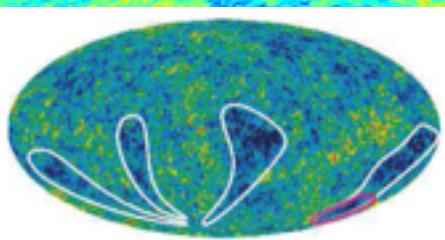
10^{+5} zeta

$\langle \zeta | T, E \rangle$

octupole/quadrupole alignment

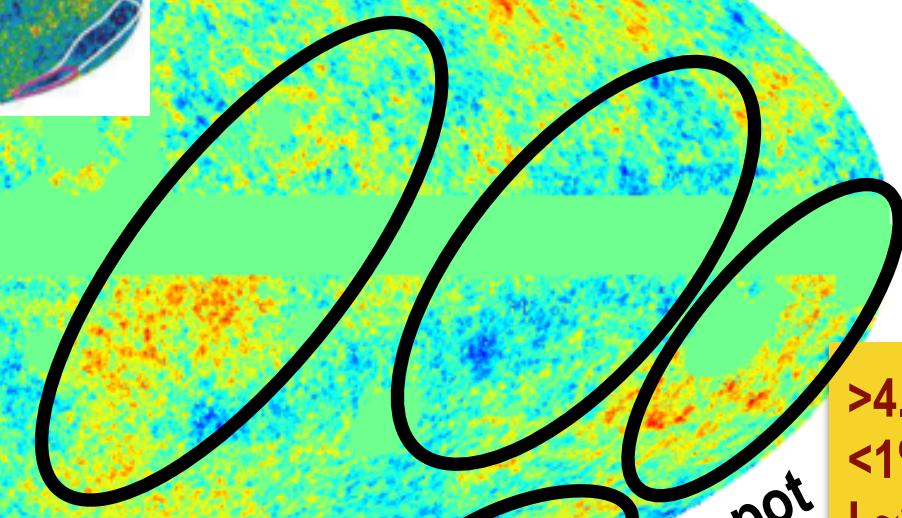
dipole modulation/asymmetry direction

hemisphere difference in TT power $\sim 7\%$ at low resolution



zero-ish $C(\theta) > 60^\circ$

sigh, Mother Nature puts her Anomalies @ low L where sample variance => tantalizing $\sim 2\sigma$'s?
if a GUTA then maybe $>> 2\sigma$?



$>4.5\sigma$
 $<1\%$
 $L \sim 20$
LSS void?

-35.0

+35.0

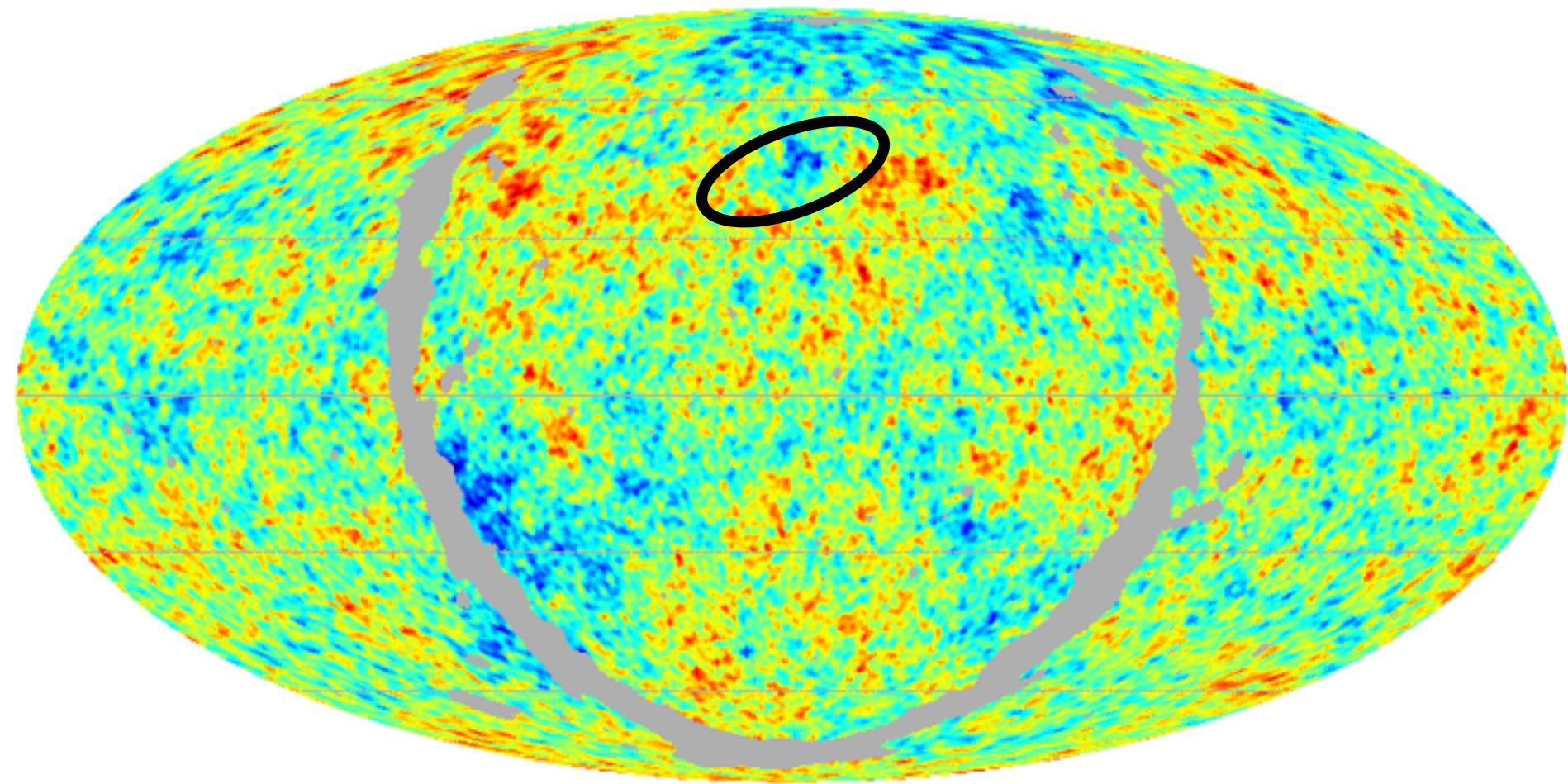
GUTA = Grand Unified Theory of Anomalies? TBD **intermittent?**

executive summary of Planck 2015 (+BICEP/KECK, ACT, SPT,...) **on inflation** *in one (high entropy Bondian) slide*

with deconstruction: WMAP cold spot anomaly

***2⁺ numbers encode our Hubble bit of the
Super-duper Web***

the rare cold spot

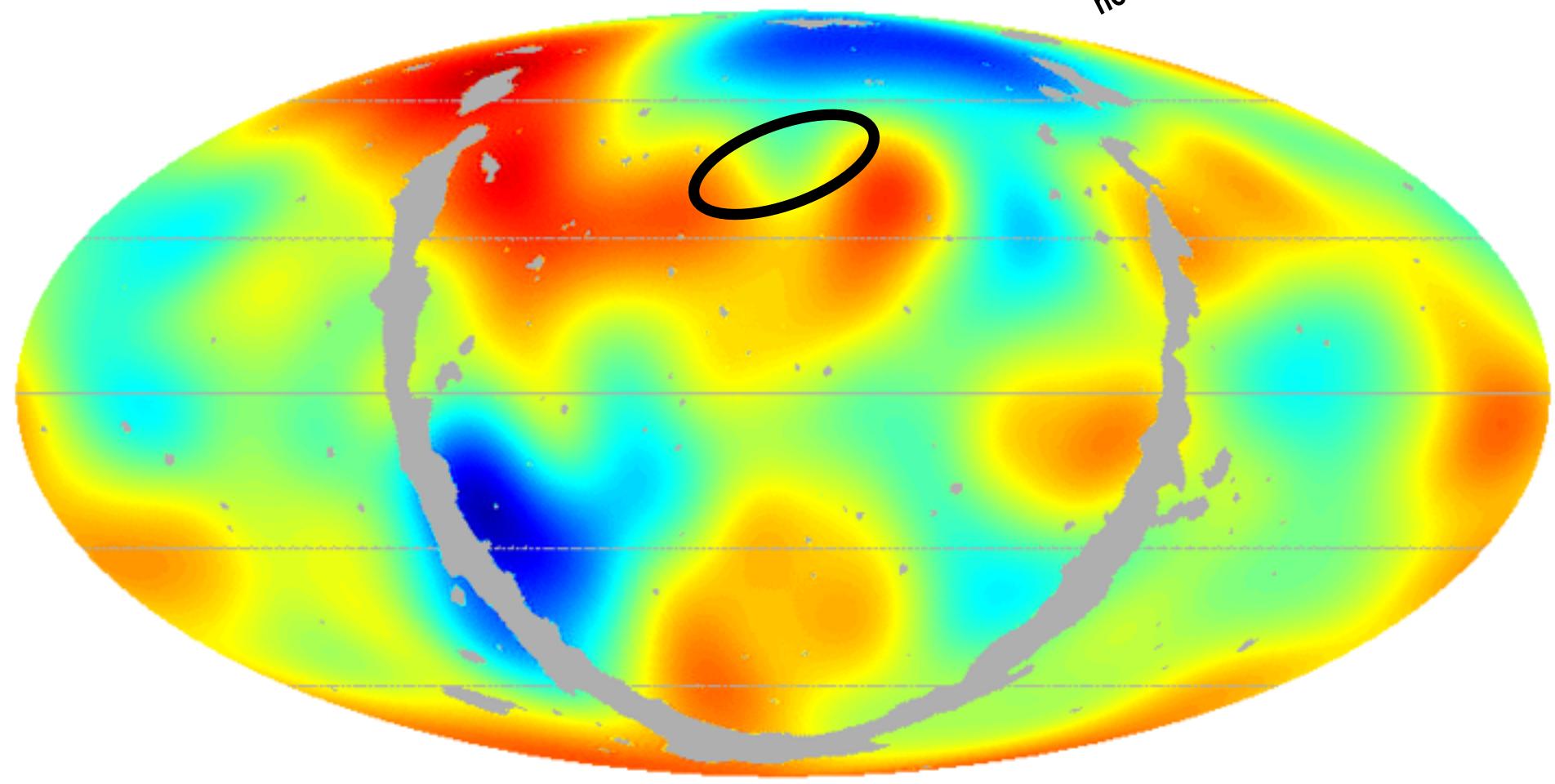


-303.

+264.

Gaussian smoothing l = 6 (FWHM 20.8deg)

no cold spot

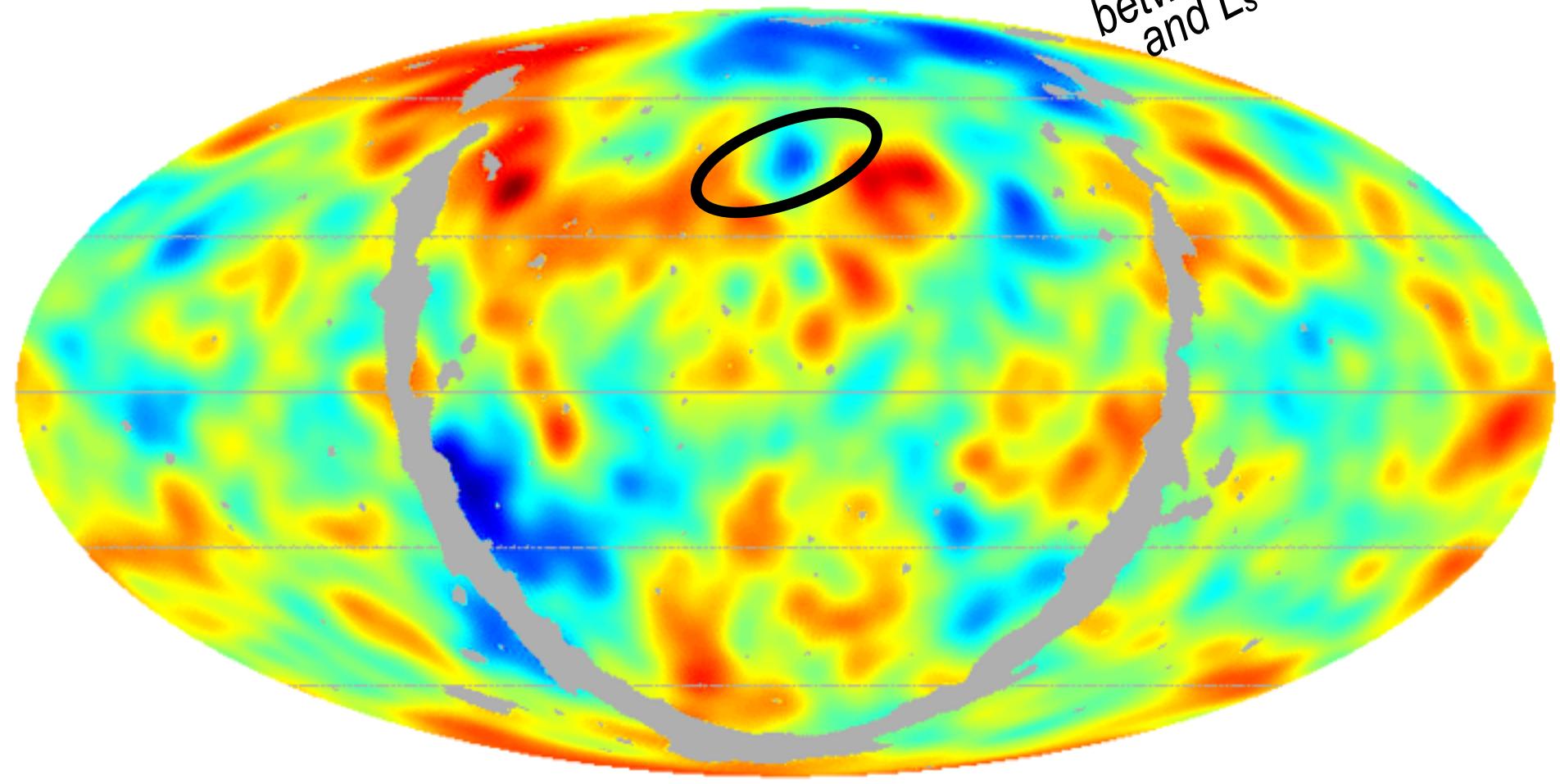


-101.

+72.6

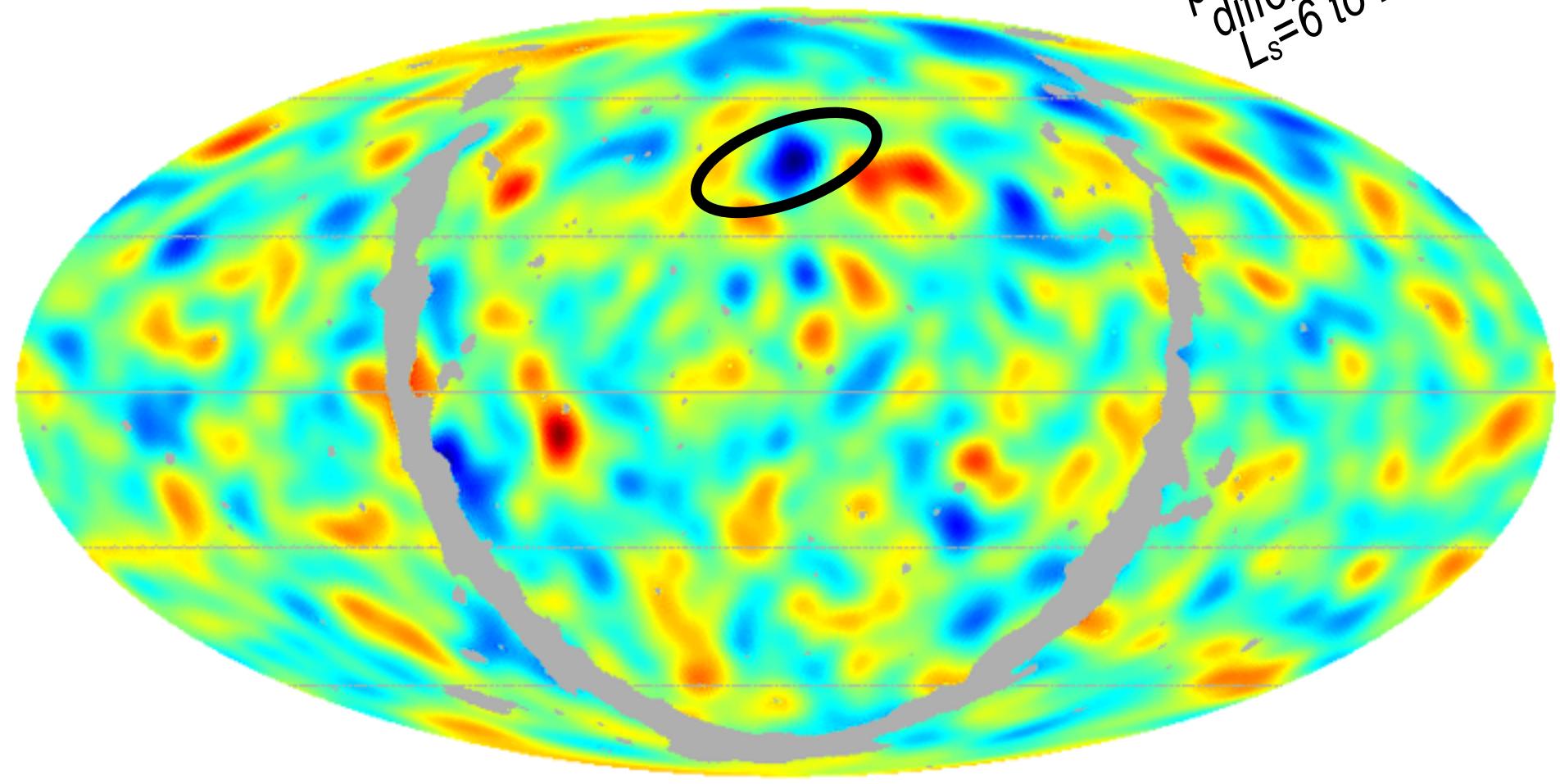
Gaussian smoothing $\ell = 20$ (FWHM 6.6deg)

cold spot
emerges
between $L_s=6$
and $L_s=20$



Difference map between $L_{\text{smooth}} = 20$ and $L_{\text{smooth}} = 6$

cold spot
prominent in the
difference map
 $L_s=6$ to $L_s=20$



-94.8

+90.4

$$W(\ell) = e^{-\frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{2(l_2+1/2)^2}} - e^{-\frac{\ell(\ell+1)}{2(l_1+1/2)^2}} (l_2 > l_1)$$

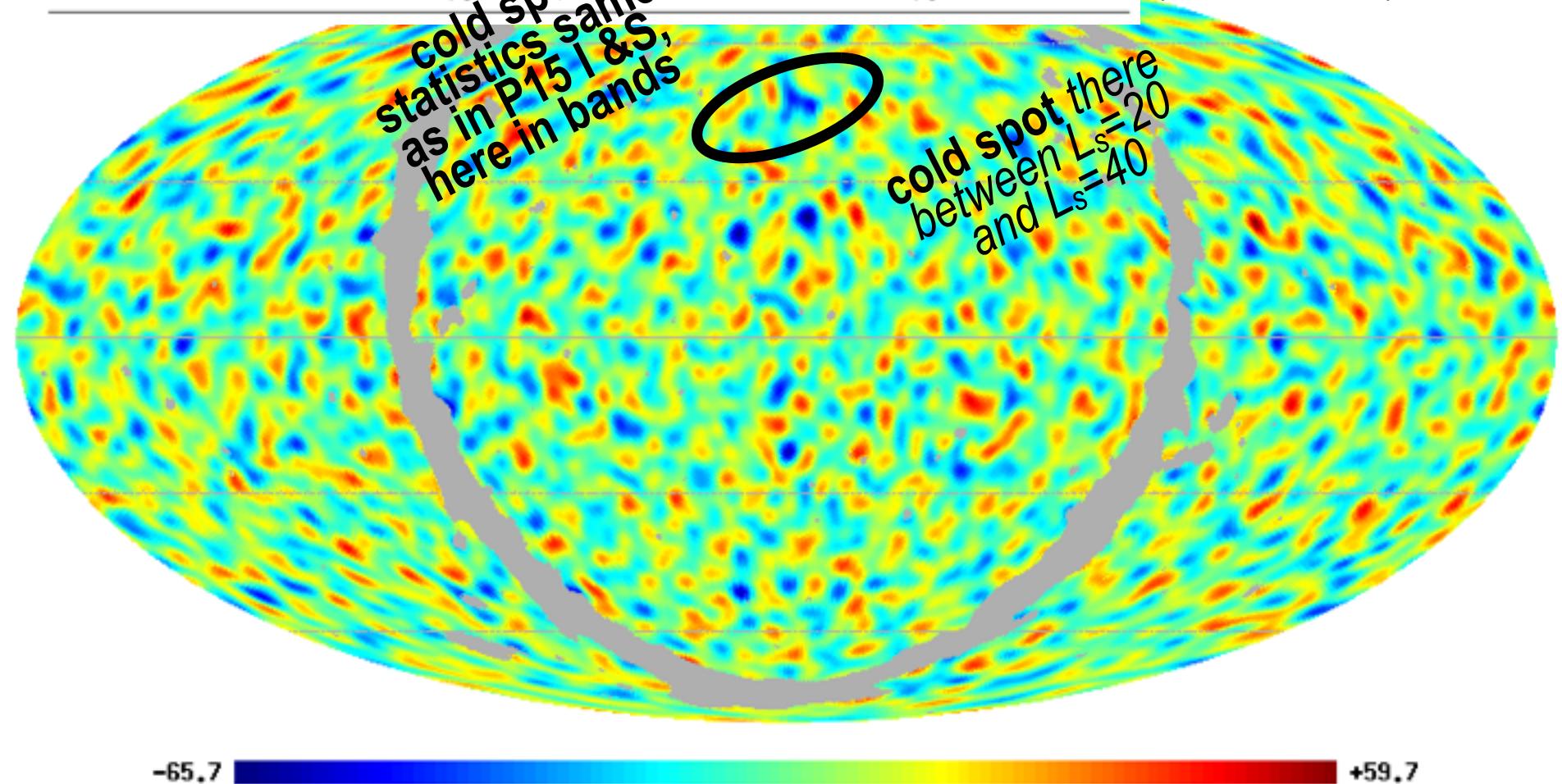
l_1	l_2	T_{cold}/σ_T	cold-spot p value	T_{hot}/σ_T	hot-spot p value
2	20	-3.5	29.9%	3.2	60.2%
4	20	-4.0	10.1%	3.9	13.9%
6	20	-4.5	2.0%	4.2	4.7%
8	20	-4.5	2.1%	4.3	4.5%
10	20	-4.5	3.0%	4.4	3.9%

tantalizing that the cold spot is the same L-band range as the L pspec dip, but all of our tools have not teased out a relation

B+Huang 2015

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e.g. low L constrained fields do not make a nice low-L cavity for the cold spot to be boosted up



Dick Bond, CITA & CIFAR @ gpe@60

what are the degrees of freedom / parameters of the ultra early Universe? TBD

**CARTOGRAPHY of the
universe & our Hubble
patch bit of it**

the ζ -LAND-scape from the **CMB**

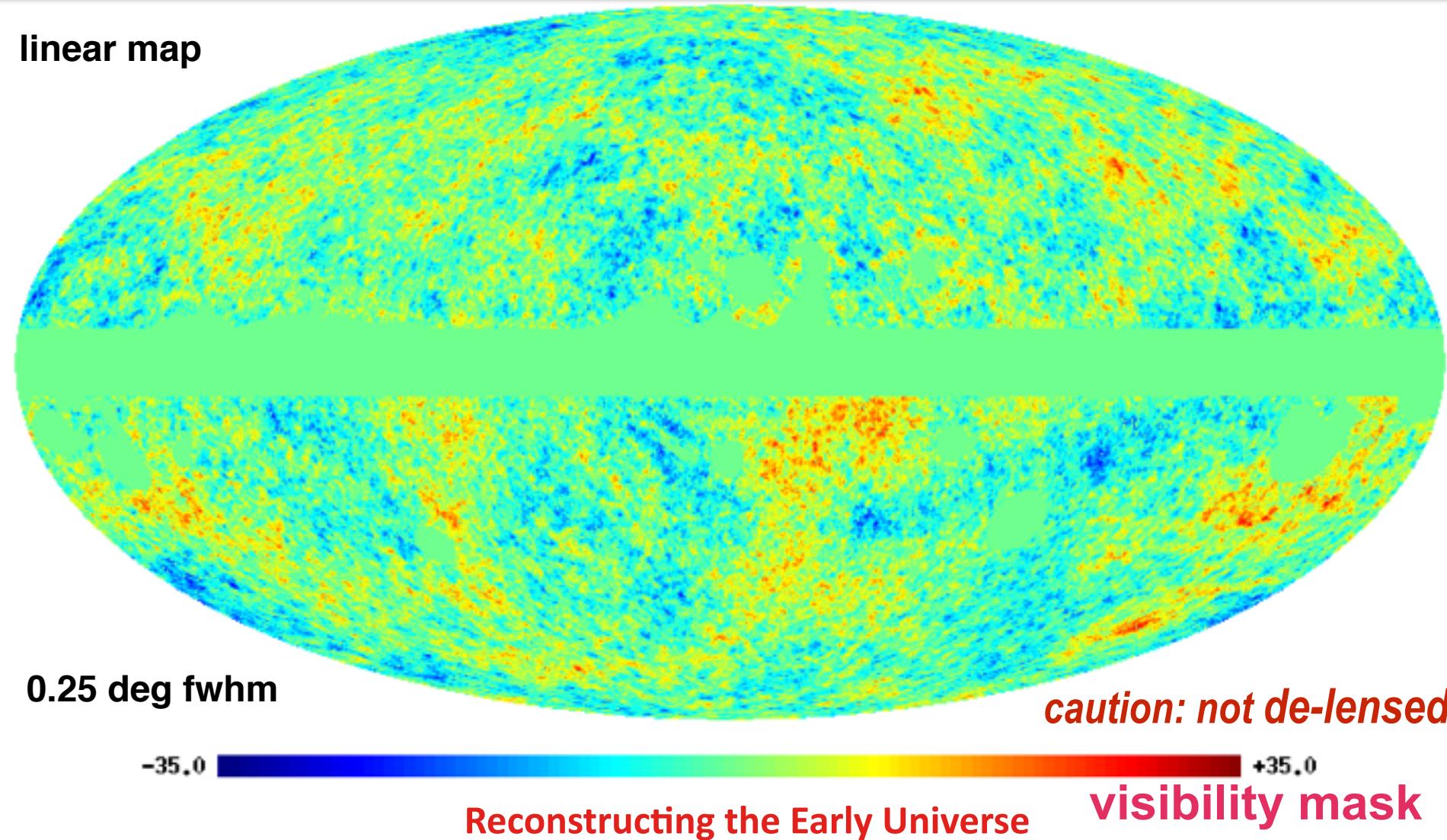
similar in philosophy to Roger Blandford's gpe@60 talk on Tuesday

allowed are fluctuations less noisy with E pol (extra mode/LM)

$\delta \text{visibility}(\text{distance}) < \zeta | \text{Temp, E pol} \rangle$ (angles, distance)

sb89, bb15 $\zeta_{NL} = \ln(\rho a^{3(1+w)}) / 3(1+w) \leq dE + pdV \sim dEntropy$ phonons / strain

linear map

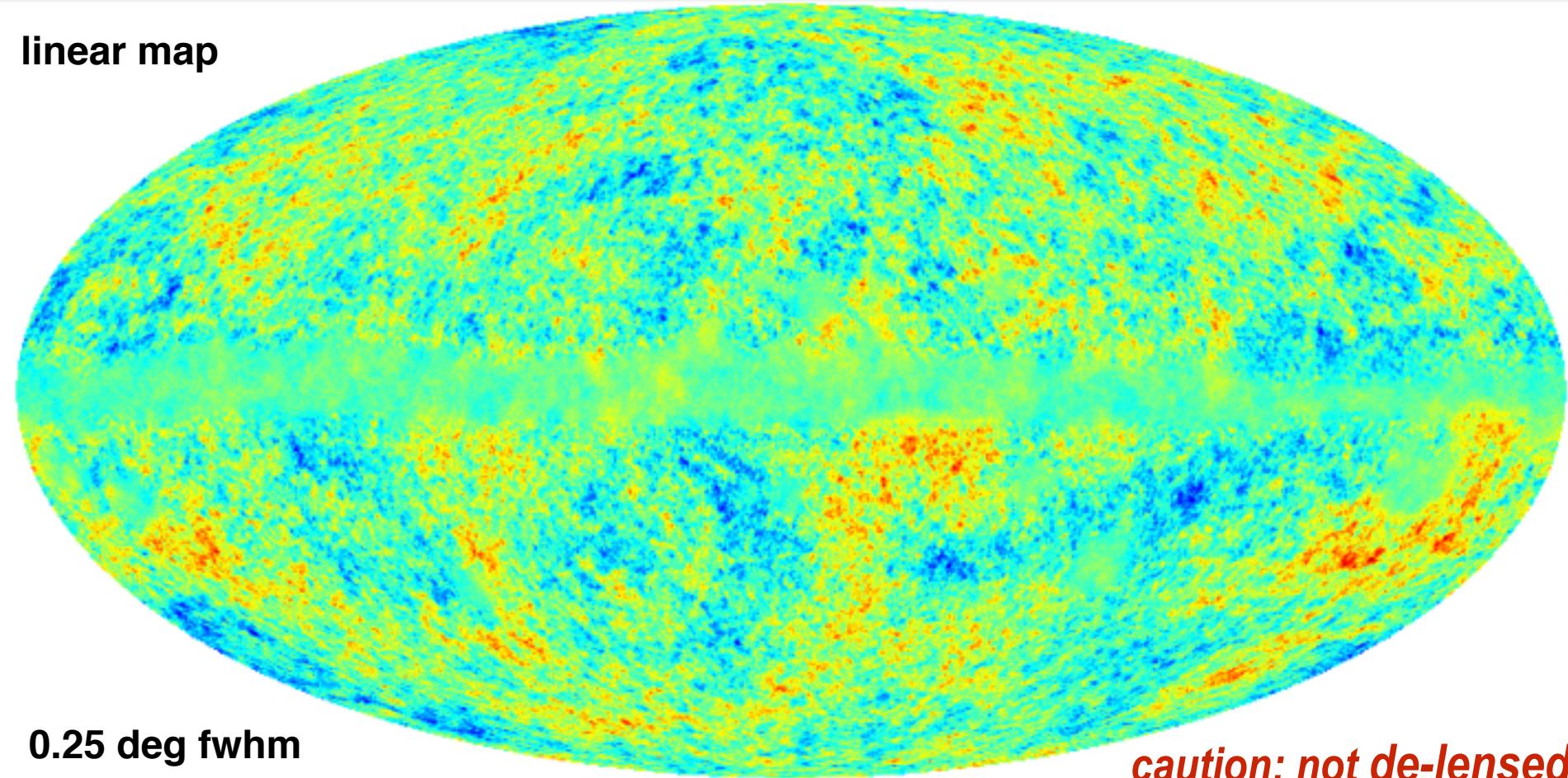


primordial scalar curvature map of the inflation epoch

$\int d\text{visibility}(\text{distance}) \langle \zeta | \text{Temp}, E \text{ pol} \rangle$ (angles, distance)

sb89, bb15 $\zeta_{NL} = \ln(\rho a^{3(1+w)})/3(1+w) \leq dE + pdV \sim d\text{Entropy}$ phonons / strain

linear map



0.25 deg fwhm

caution: not de-lensed

-35.0

+35.0

Reconstructing the Early Universe

visibility mask

SIMPLICITY

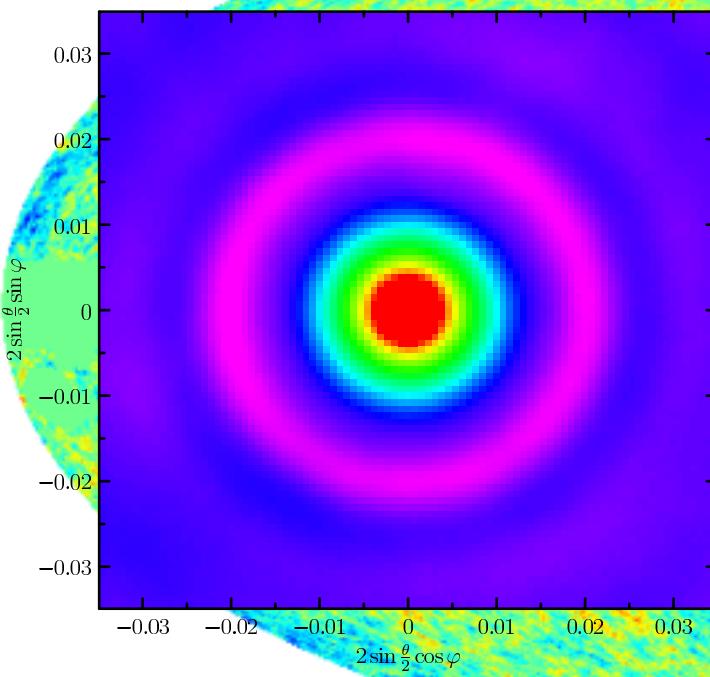
at $a \sim e^{-7} \sim 1/1100 \Rightarrow$

at $a \sim e^{-67-60} \sim 1/10^{30+25}$

stacked linear map aka
mean-field map

stacked
 $\langle \zeta_{dv} | \zeta_{dv-pk} \rangle$

20857 patches on ζ maxima, random orientation, threshold $\nu=0$



Planck2015 early U structure map

reveals primordial sound waves in matter

\Rightarrow learn contents & structure at 380000 yr, $a \sim e^{-7}$

\Rightarrow infer the sound structure far far earlier $a \sim e^{-67-60}$

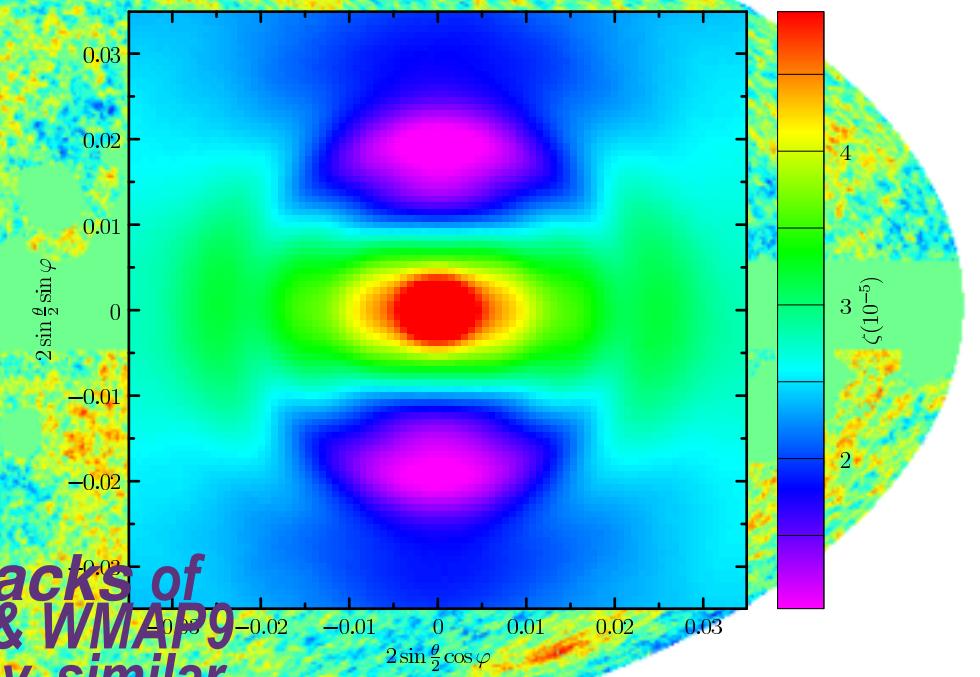
10^5 zeta

stacked

2⁺ numbers

$\langle \zeta_{dv} | \text{oriented } \zeta_{dv-pk} \rangle$

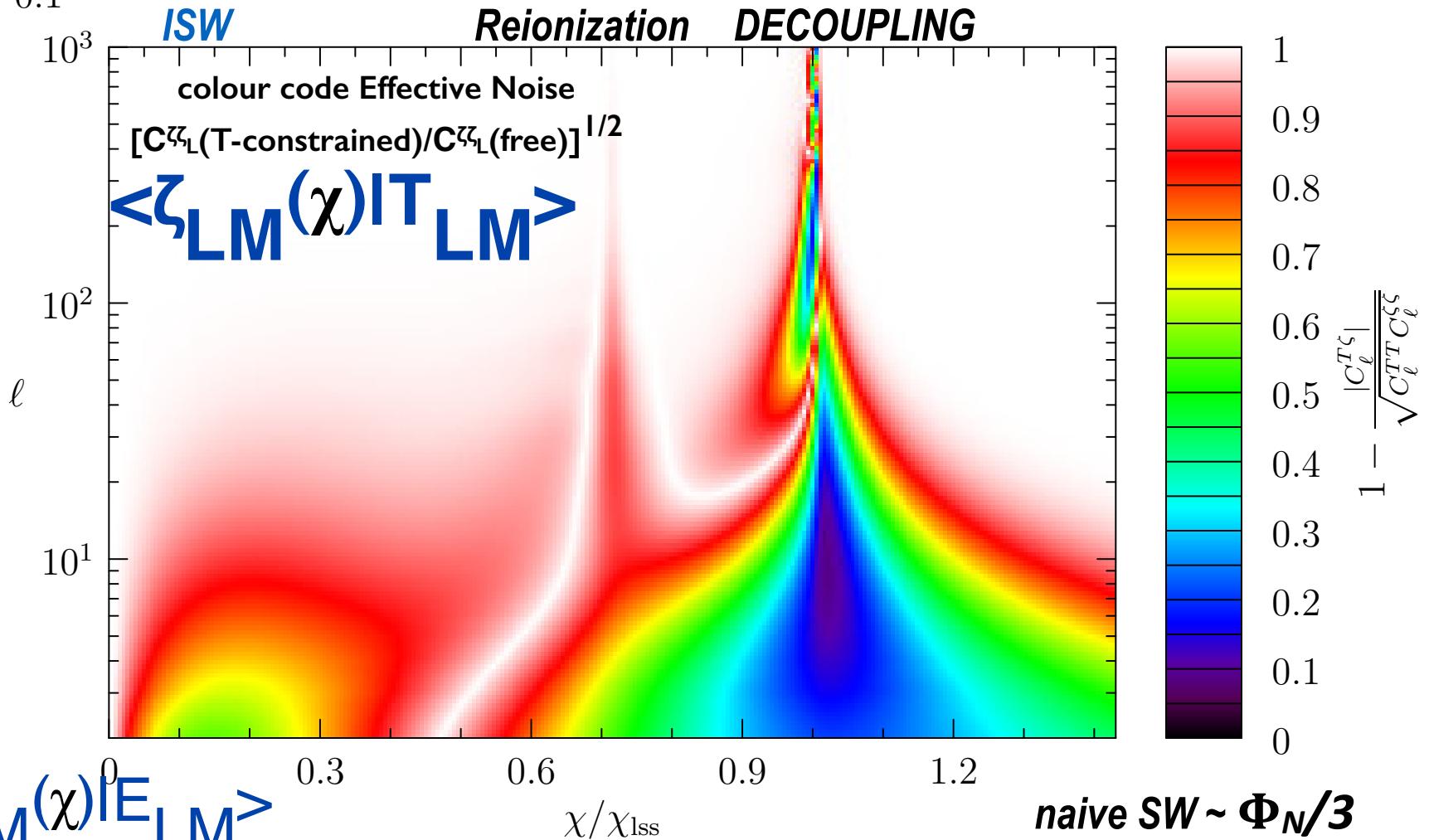
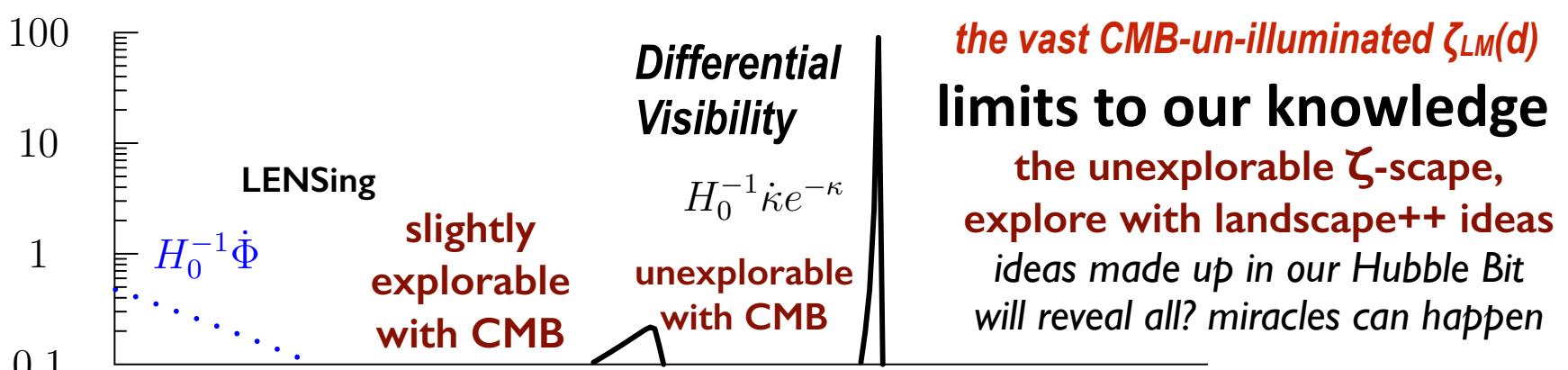
20854 patches on ζ maxima, oriented, threshold $\nu=0$

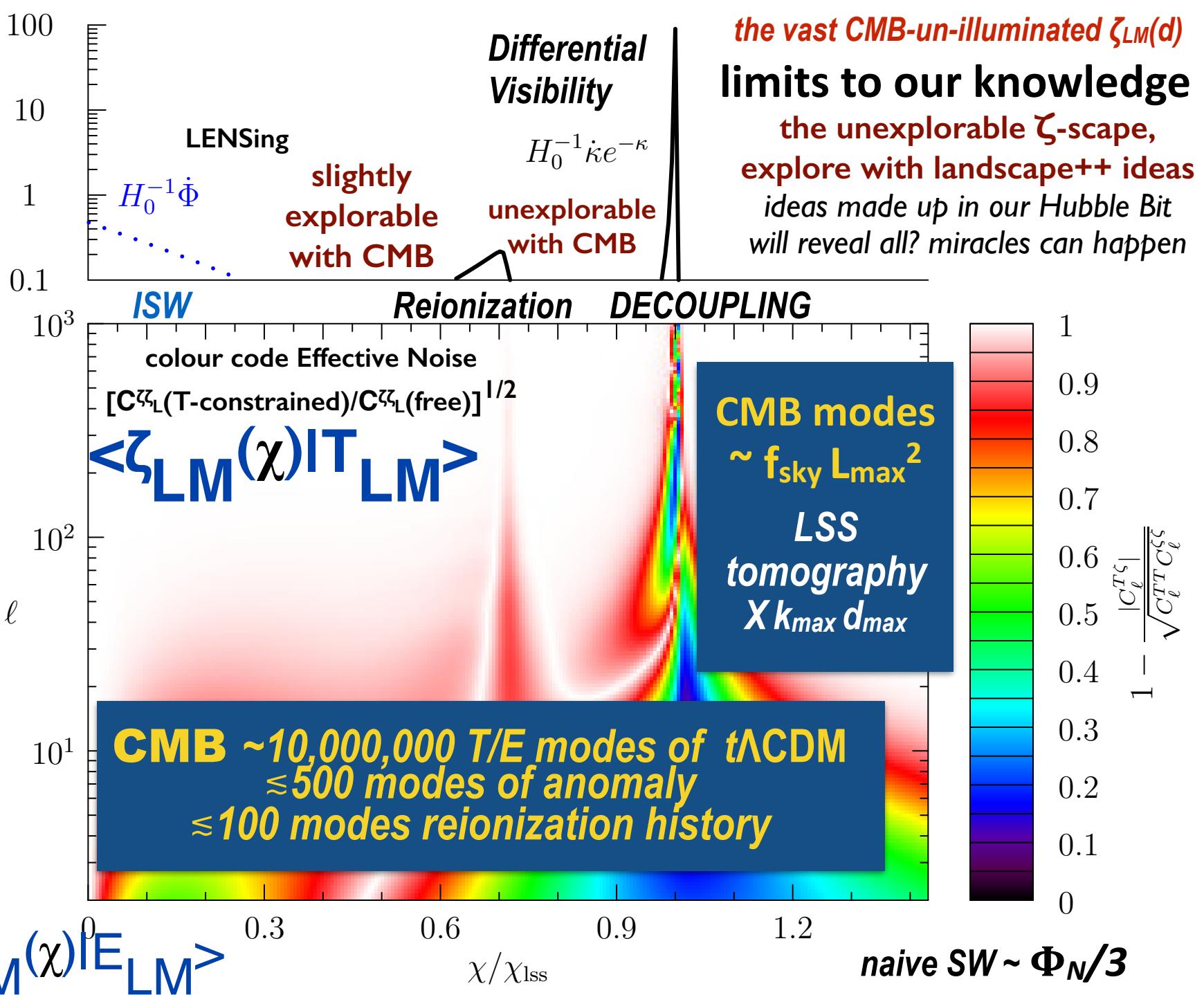


ζ stacks of
P13 & WMAP9
look v. similar
simulations
look v. similar

-35.0

+35.0





executive summary *of oft-expressed inflation controversies*

much ado about acceleration being unlikely (!?!)

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BSM of inflation:

there exists no SM of inflation, just (1) acceleration (2) acceleration/deceleration boundary (3) a shock-in-time *aka a Little Bang aka Let there be Heat /Light/ Baryons /.. SMpp ..*

=> search for the generic, for the natural (*in the technical sense*), for the protected multi-field **TOPOGRAPHY** is natural

*mother nature likes inflation now, likes Higgs “fundamental” scalars, likes collective modes & short scale modes, likes the humble in her $U \Rightarrow$ wide open theory prior on ENERGYinf, $r=T/S$, $ns(k)$, ..
=> avoid protagonist polemic. “unfalsifiable, not a theory, infinitely improbable, .., ns=.96-.97 since 1980, ..no r from superstring theory*

executive summary *of oft-expressed inflation controversies*

*Bond's own historical flow of inflation ideas,
generality & signatures to search for*

Beyond tilted Λ CDM & nearly scale-invariant slow-roll

$V(|\phi|, \text{angle}_1, \dots, \text{angle}_{n-1})$ potential “landscape” of Grand Unified Theories with multiple minima, which is ours? e.g., Gupta, Helen Quinn @ SLAC/SU 83/84, Linde much later; flows on potential surfaces. importance of angles & angular cf. radial flows
cf. axions: Peccei-Quinn/Weinberg 77; as CDM example hot/warm/cold - early 80s;
isocurvature axions eb86 ruled out!, bbks86, be87
early “axions” in natural inflation abffo92 - natural shift symmetry => monodromy as accelerating axion, Roulette inflation: hole radii (moduli) + imaginary partners, ..

SBB89 Designing Density Fluctuation Spectra in Inflation

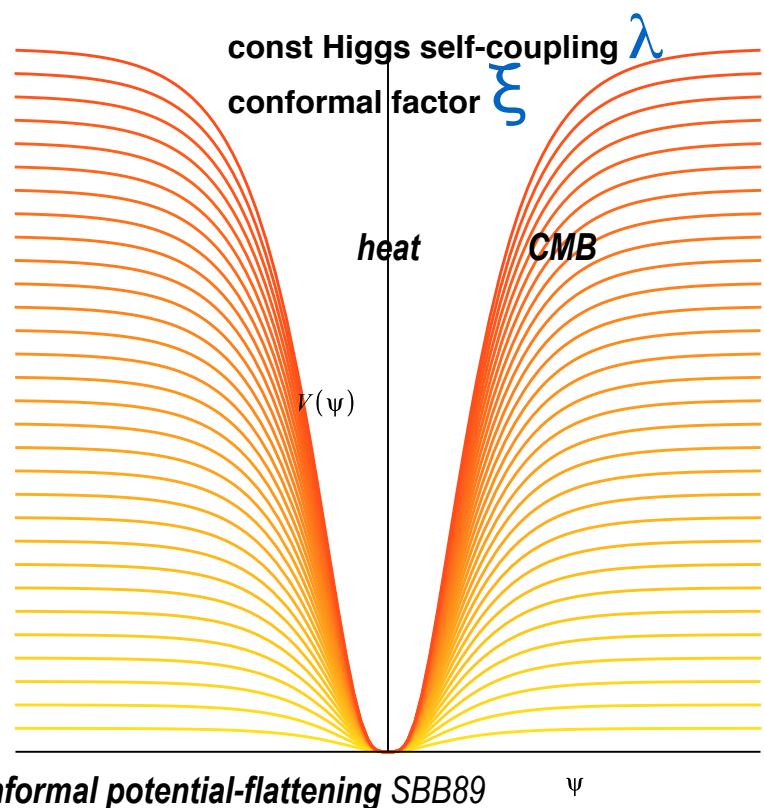
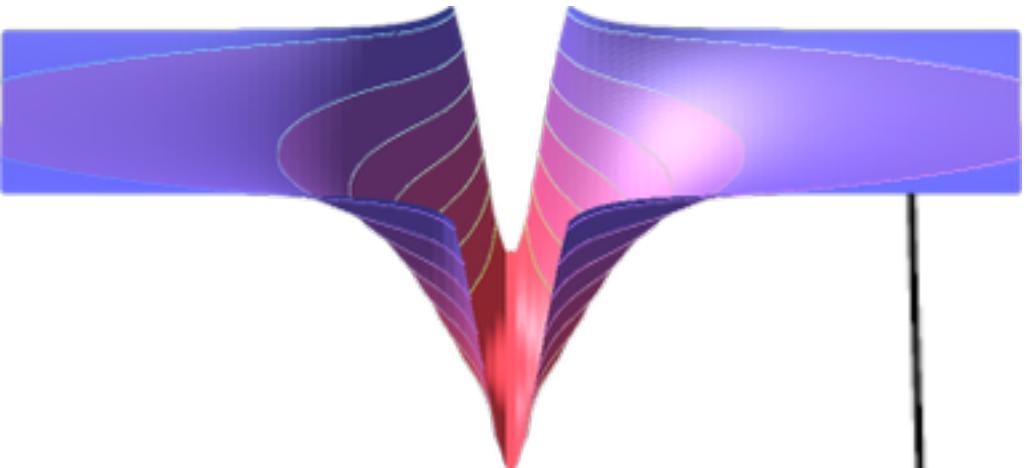
multi-field topography of $V_{\text{eff}} \dots d\phi_a K_{ab}(\phi) d\phi_b \dots M_P^2(\phi, {}^{(4)}R)$ dynamical Planck mass
Higgs inflation, conformally-flattened potentials in Einstein frame, Starobinsky R^2
mountains, valleys, plateaus, .. of ζ -power $\langle \delta P_\zeta | \delta H, \delta m^2_{ab}, \dots \rangle$, moguls, waterfalls,
 $\delta m^2 \leq 0$ “tachyonic instabilities”, non-Gaussianity via bifurcating trajectories

$\rho(\phi_b, \Pi_b, ln a) \Rightarrow$ coarse-grained $k \langle H \rangle$ Hamiltonian-density attractor $\rho(\phi_b) = 3M_P^2 H^2$
SB90,91 $d\phi_b / dln a = -M_P^2 \nabla_{\phi_b} \ln \rho$, a gradient / Morse flow a field superweb flow
<= Hamilton-Jacobi eqⁿ

“adiabatic” fluctuations along the Morse flow river valleys (phonons)
isocurvature directions \perp flow: basins, saddles, watersheds, valley-to-valley tunnels, ..
reduced action (Hamilton’s Principal function) $\sim H \sim \rho^{1/2}$

stochastic kicks $\delta \phi_b$ along the attractor & off ($\delta \Pi_b$ damps) = $\delta \zeta_{NL}$ entropy fine->coarse
kls94 entangled isocons as heating triggers => Lyapunov instability? $b^2 f h$ $\epsilon=1$ ballistics =>
caustics => bb shock-in-time entropy coarse->fine observable intermittent nG?

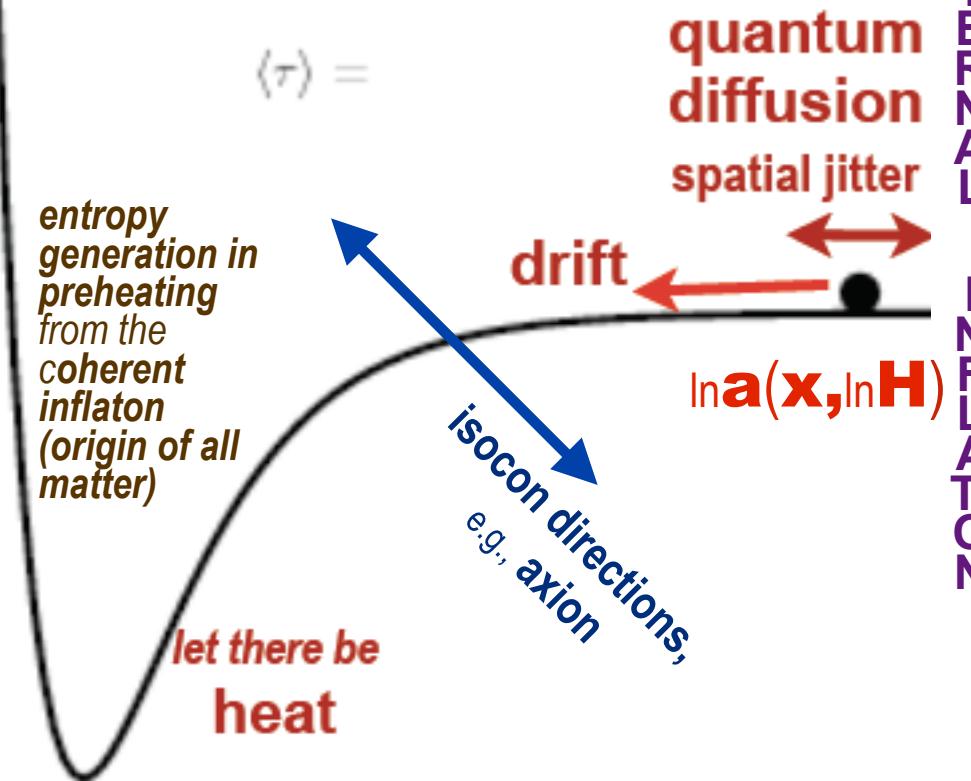
what is the inflaton's potential?



how was matter & entropy generated at the end of acceleration = inflation?

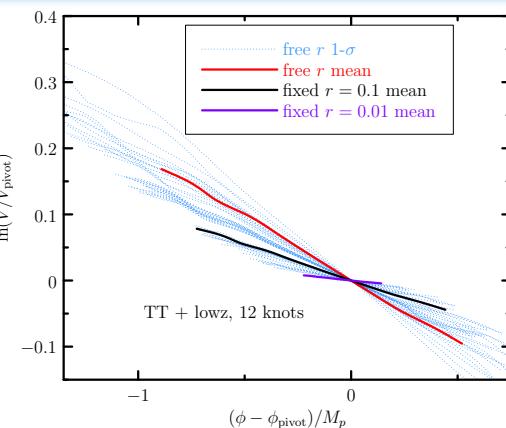
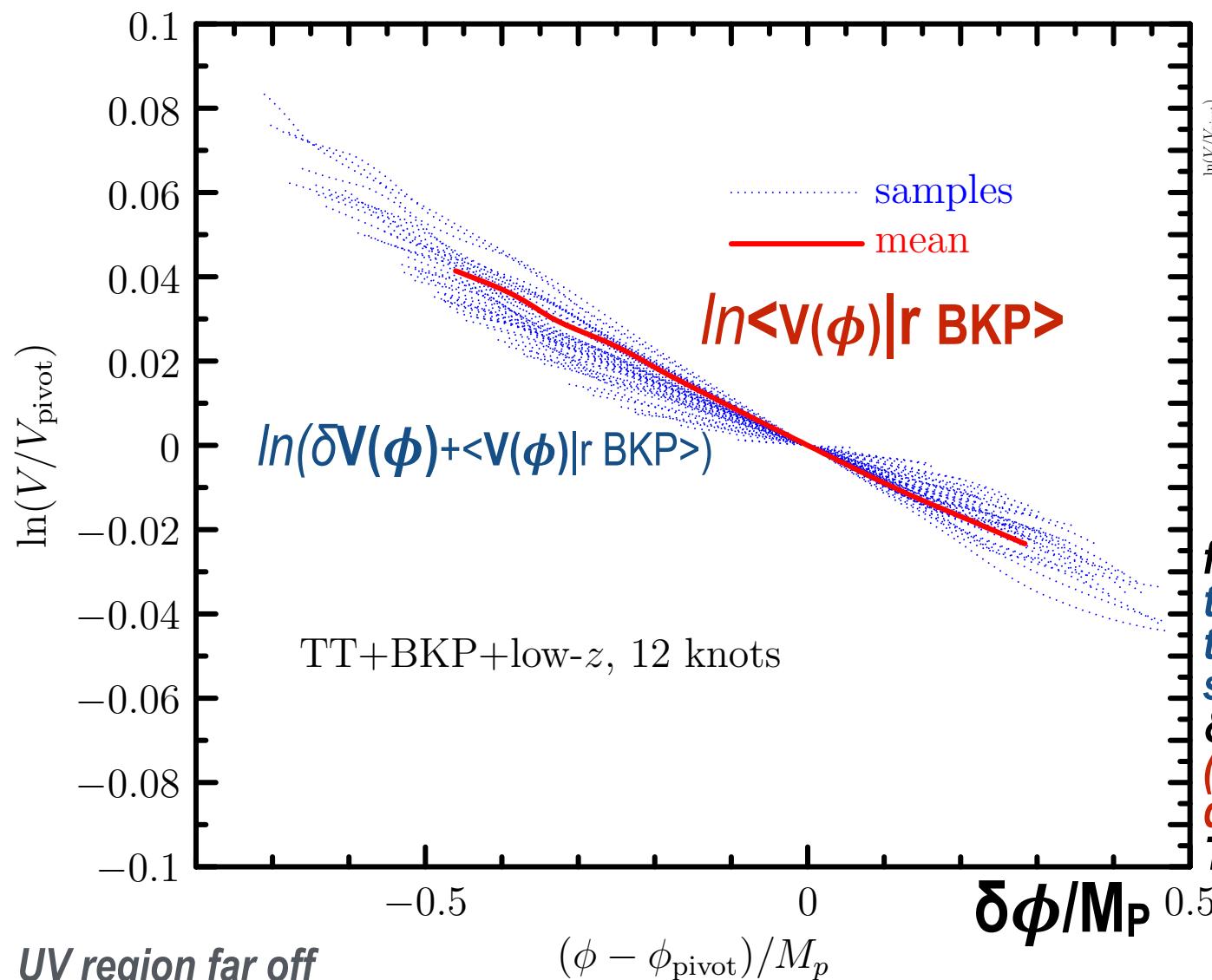
Relate it to the Higgs & standard model?

detecting $r \sim 0.05 \Rightarrow$
shape cannot be too flat



inflaton $V(\phi)$ -maps = $3M_P^2 H^2 (1-\epsilon/3)$ HJ eqn, $d\phi/M_P/d\ln a = \pm \sqrt{2\epsilon}$

along the gradient / Morse flow



fit into a UV-complete theory (ultra-high energy to the Planck scale)
strings, landscape, .. & IR-complete theory (post-inflation heating -> quark/gluon plasma)???

TBD

r to +0.02 Spider forecast

r to +0.003 AdvACTpol forecast w/ fgnds

executive summary *of* **inflation futures via CMB** **& large-volume LSS** **probes & limits to cosmic knowledge**

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Inflation features BSMi have not been found at $>2\sigma$ significance,
source of the GPE Planck-triste. my answer to George: its not nice
to tell mother nature what to do. bond-triste: bound by finite c , so confining.
**alas a 2-number A_s - n_s early universe so far,
simplest outcome but we want more, we are in
quest of the subdominant**

CMB restricts us to a **projected 2D ζ -scape.** we will
reconstruct phonon/isotropic-strain power, but the future may
look much the same as now for $\zeta \Rightarrow$ potential $\mathbf{V}(\phi) \Rightarrow$ acceleration $\mathbf{\epsilon}(a)$

r futures look bright (balloon, Stage 4, space) modulo the dirty MW
we will reconstruct graviton power
we will de-lens for consistency check: $r-n_t$ optimism *TBD*

we mock the LSS future end-to-end
we hope to probe the **3D ζ -scape** where **modes abound**
& success is possible modulo large scale mode control of
systematics \Rightarrow **non-Gaussianity at a much deeper**
level, to what must be there $f_{NL} < 1$? yes, maybe



Motto > 60: *Forever Young*

