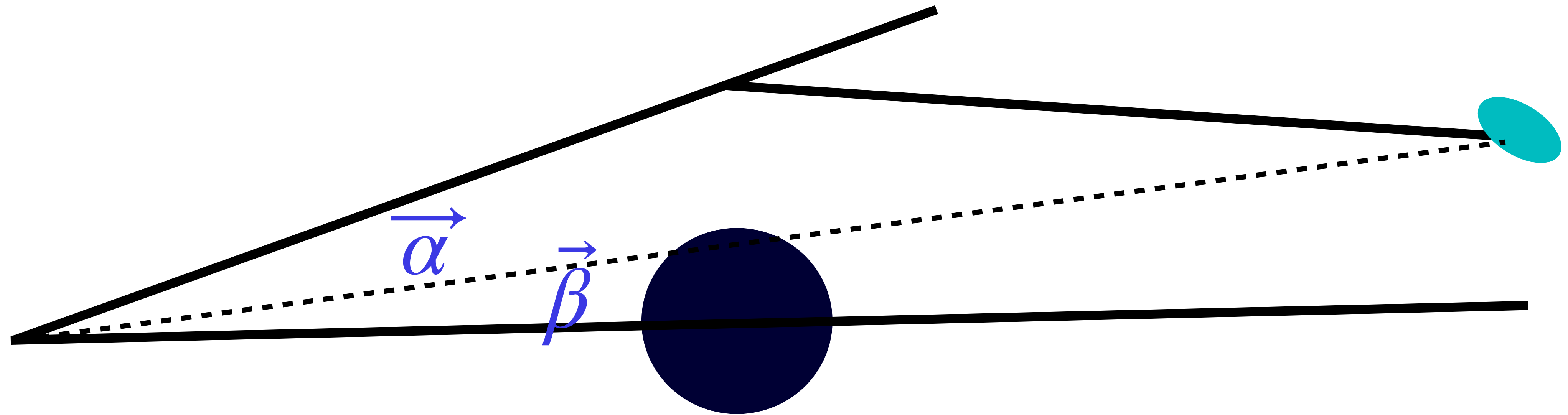


Scalars, Vectors and Spin-2 fields



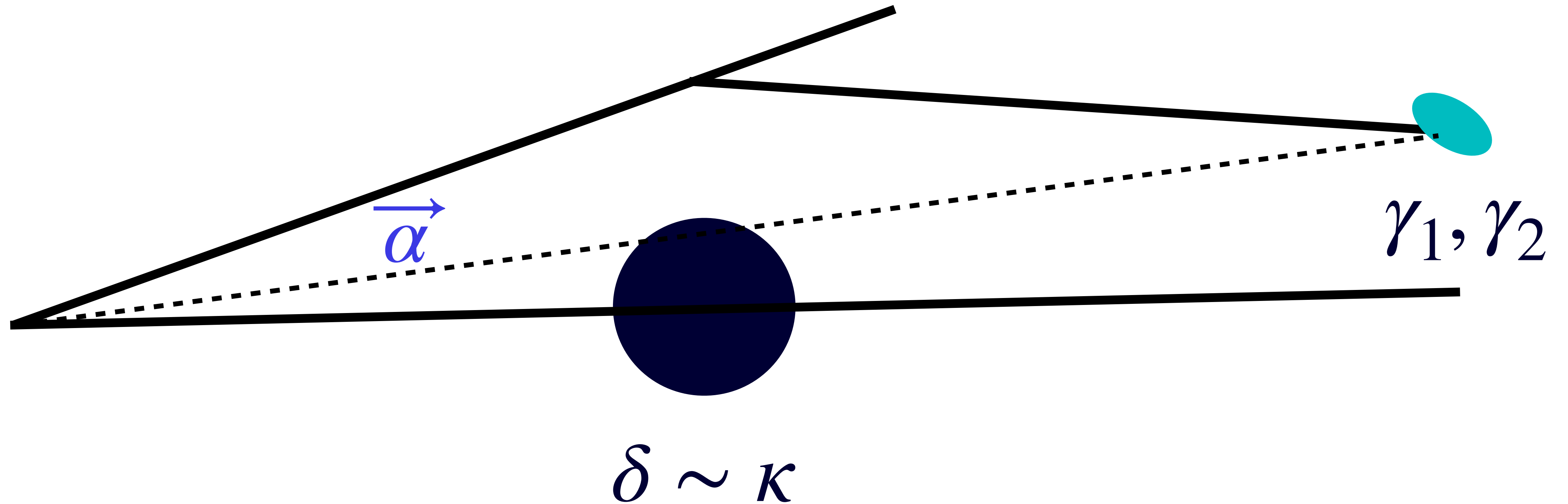
$$\vec{\theta} = \vec{\beta} + \vec{\alpha}$$

Lens

Source

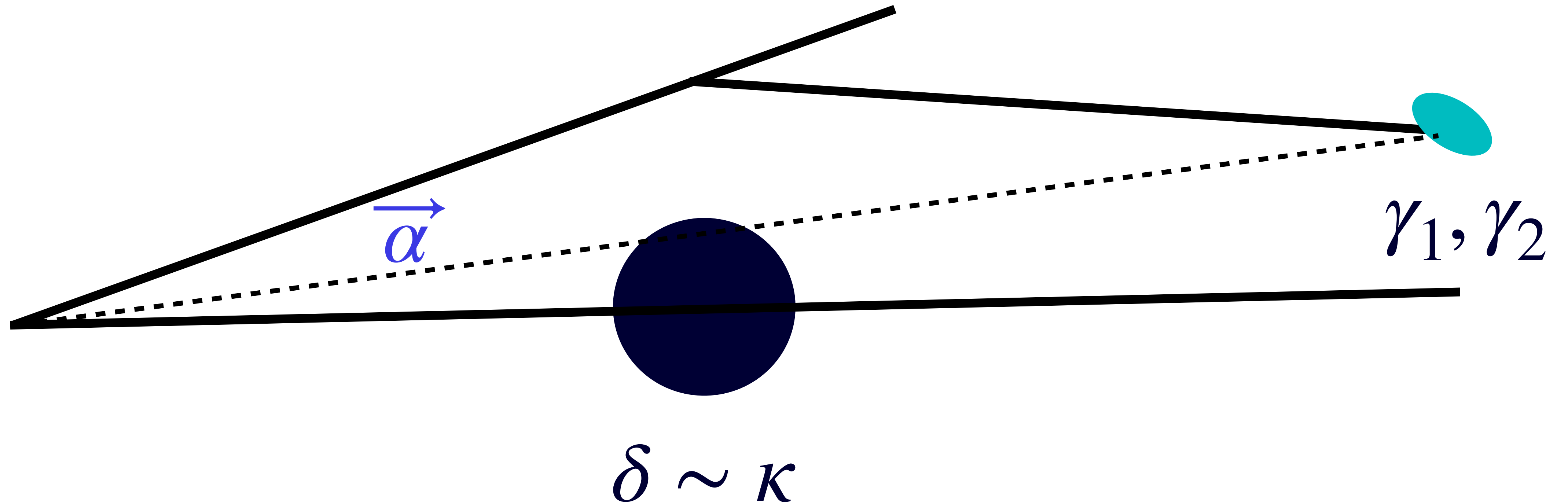
θ is the observed angle, β is the unlensed position, α is the deflection angle

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$\delta, \gamma_1, \gamma_2$ are all directly observable quantities, α is not (except statistically CMB lensing + magnification)

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However $\frac{d\delta}{dt} \neq 0$, therefore $\frac{d\alpha}{dt} \neq 0$

Scalars, Vectors and Spin-2 fields

With some physics we can write down 3-fields with respect to the gravitational potential (easiest in harmonic space)

- Scalar: $\delta(\vec{\ell}) = A\ell^2\Phi(\vec{\ell})$
- Vector: $\dot{\vec{\alpha}}(\vec{\ell}) = B\ell e^{i\phi_\ell}\Phi(\vec{\ell})$
- Spin-2: $\gamma = C\ell^2 e^{2i\phi_\ell}\Phi(\vec{\ell})$

$$\text{where } \phi_\ell = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\ell_2}{\ell_1} \right)$$

Power-spectra for these fields

- Scalar: $C^{\delta\delta}(\ell) = A^2 \ell^4 P_{\Phi}(\ell)$
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- Spin-2: $C_\ell^{\dot{\alpha}\gamma} = BC\ell^3 P_\Phi(\ell)$