

# Redshift-space distortions

# Coordinates

- ◆ Until now we have calculated  $\delta_{dm}(\mathbf{x}, \eta)$
- ◆ In Fourier space  $\delta_{dm}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) = \int d^3\mathbf{x} e^{i\mathbf{k}\cdot\mathbf{x}} \delta_{dm}(\mathbf{x}, \eta)$
- ◆ The **position** of a galaxy  $\mathbf{x}$  is given by its direction and its distance  $\mathbf{x} = (\mathbf{n}, r)$  with  $r = \eta_0 - \eta$
- ◆ In a survey we do not measure  $r$  but we measure the **redshift**  $z$
- ◆ We calculate the radial distance from the redshift.
- ◆ Photons travel on **null geodesics**

$$dr = -d\eta = -\frac{d\eta}{da} \frac{da}{dz} dz = \frac{1}{a'} \frac{1}{(1+z)^2} dz = \frac{a}{\mathcal{H}} dz$$

$1+z = \frac{a_0}{a} = \frac{1}{a}$

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- ◆ Radial distance  $r(z) = \int_0^z dz' \frac{1}{(1+z')\mathcal{H}(z')}$
- ◆ The relation depends on the **cosmology** (from SNe, CMB).
- ◆ **Problem**: the above relation between redshift and radial distance is only correct in a **homogeneous** universe, where the redshift is entirely due to the expansion of the universe:

$$1+z = \frac{1}{a}$$

- ◆ In a universe with **fluctuations**, the redshift is affected by other **effects**.



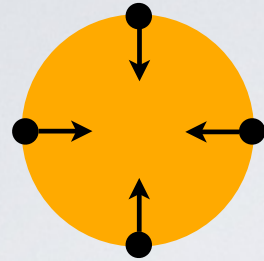
# Doppler effect

- ◆ **Inhomogeneous** universe: galaxies are attracted towards over-dense regions.
- ◆ The **motion** of galaxies with respect to us induces a **Doppler** shift.
- ◆ We use the relation  $r(z) = \int_0^z dz' \frac{1}{(1+z')\mathcal{H}(z')}$  and infer a slightly **wrong position**.
- ◆ Consequence: this changes the **observed large-scale structure**, e.g. the shape over-densities.

# Distortions

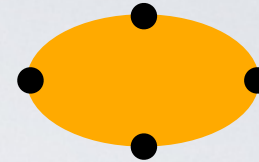
**Linear** regime: over-densities are **squeezed** along the line of sight.

Real space



Observer .

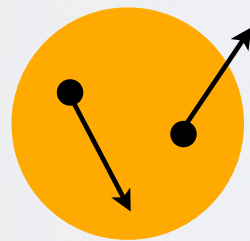
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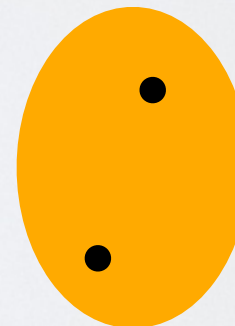
**Non-linear** regime: virialised objects (clusters) are **elongated**, fingers of god effect.

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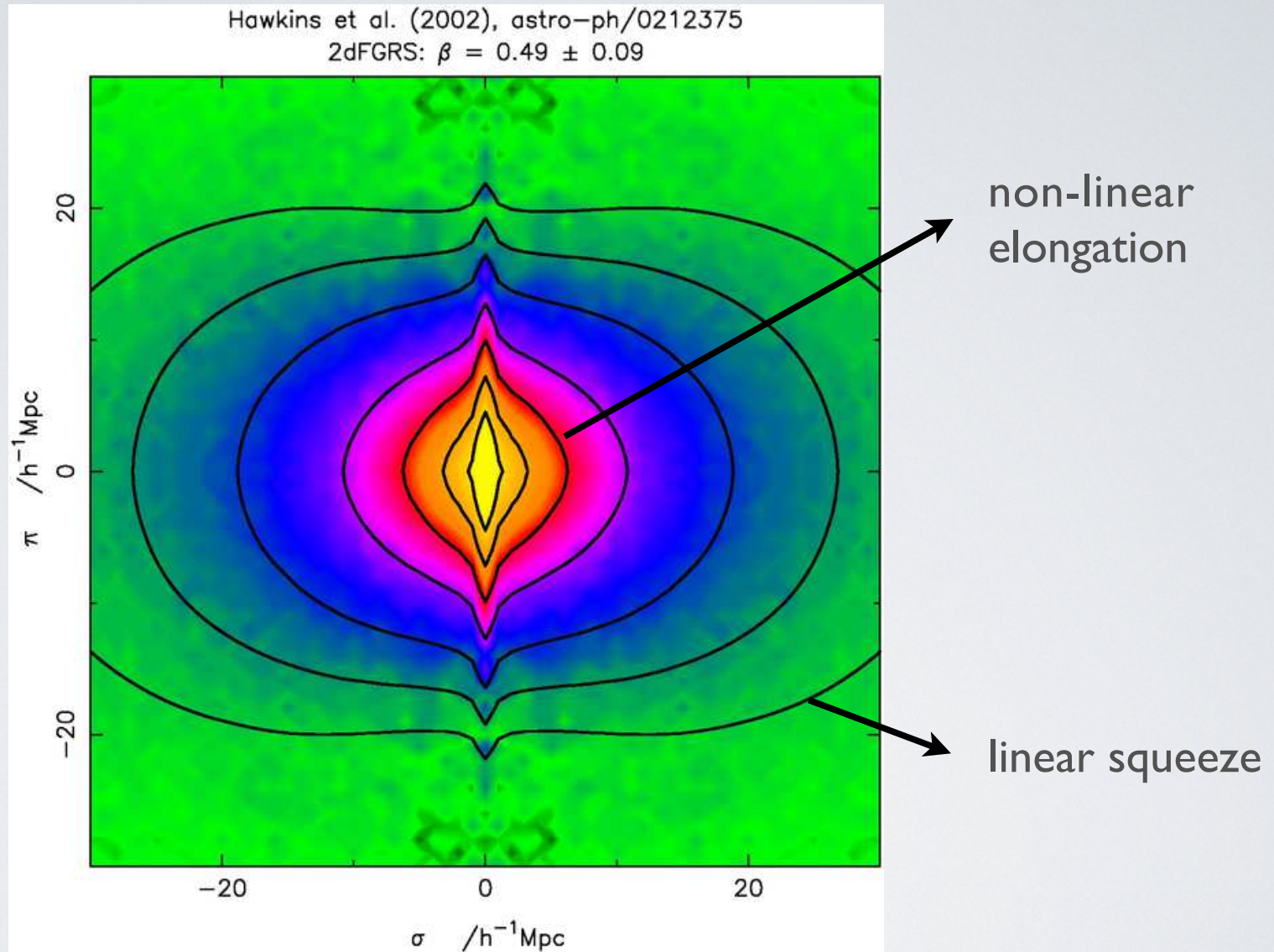
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# Contours





# Fingers of god



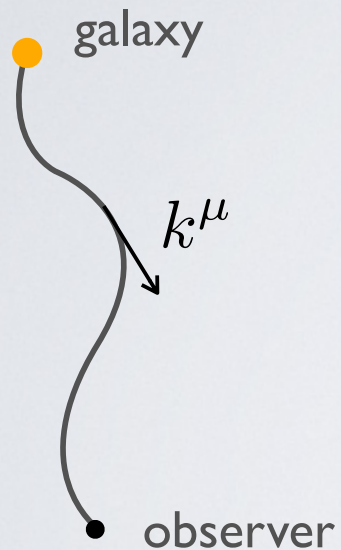
The **non-linear** effect can be seen by eyes.

The **linear** redshift-space distortion is statistically detectable in the correlation function.

Fingers of God in a portion of the Sloan Digital Sky Survey.  
Image from the Cosmus Open Source Science Outreach project.

# Redshift

$$1 + z = \frac{\nu_S}{\nu_O} = \frac{E_S}{E_O} = \frac{(k^\mu u_\mu)_S}{(k^\mu u_\mu)_O}$$



$k^\mu$  photon momentum

$u^\mu$  4-velocity of the source and observer



# Galaxy distribution

How do the redshift fluctuations affect the observation of  $\delta$ ?

We extract the number of galaxies per **volume element**.



Number of galaxies is **conserved**:  $\rho(\mathbf{x}_{\text{obs}}) d^3\mathbf{x}_{\text{obs}} = \rho(\mathbf{x}) d^3\mathbf{x}$

$$\bar{\rho}(1 + \delta_{\text{obs}}) d^3\mathbf{x}_{\text{obs}} = \bar{\rho}(1 + \delta) d^3\mathbf{x}$$

The change in  $\delta_{\text{obs}}$  is due to the change from  $\mathbf{x}$  to  $\mathbf{x}_{\text{obs}}$

Only the **radial coordinate** is affected by redshift perturbations

$$r_{\text{obs}} = r(z) = r(\bar{z} + \delta z) \simeq r(\bar{z}) + \frac{\partial r}{\partial \bar{z}} \delta z$$

# Galaxy over-density

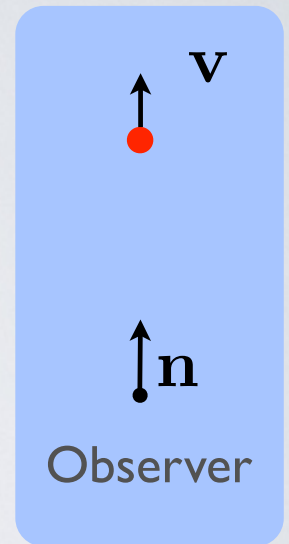
$$r_{\text{obs}} = r + \frac{\partial r}{\partial \bar{z}} \delta z \qquad \frac{\partial r}{\partial \bar{z}} = \frac{1}{(1 + \bar{z})\mathcal{H}}$$

We keep only the **Doppler** contribution:  $r_{\text{obs}} = r + \frac{1}{\mathcal{H}} \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{n}$

Jacobian: 
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Neglecting the second term:

$$(1 + \delta_{\text{obs}}) \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{\mathcal{H}} \partial_r (\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{n}) \right] d^3 \mathbf{x} = (1 + \delta) d^3 \mathbf{x}$$



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Kaiser (1987)

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We see a distorted distribution of galaxies because we are not able to measure distances directly. How problematic is that?

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# Interest of redshift distortions

Redshift distortions provides an opportunity to measure **peculiar velocities**. Galaxies move according to dark matter inhomogeneities → another way of mapping the matter distribution.

We already know the peculiar velocities from **conservation** equation:

$$\delta' = kv$$

- ◆ We want to **test** this equation
- ◆ Velocities measure directly the **evolution** of the density.  
More sensitive to modified gravity.
- ◆ Peculiar velocities are not sensitive to **bias**:

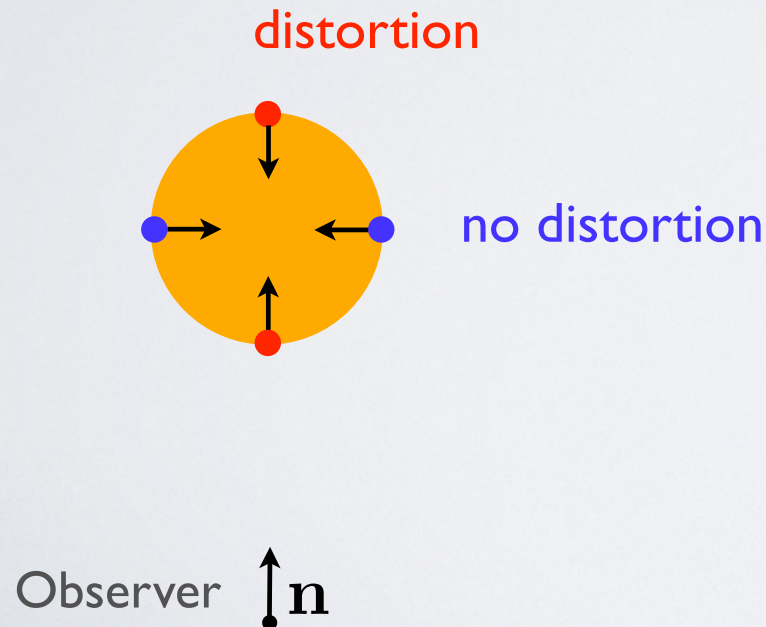
$$\delta = b \cdot \delta_{dm} \quad \text{but} \quad v = v_{dm}$$

# Anisotropy

How do we measure redshift distortions and separate velocities from density?

The velocity part is **anisotropic**  $\delta_{\text{obs}} = \delta - \frac{1}{\mathcal{H}} \partial_r (\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{n})$  <sup>line of sight</sup>

We expect differences along and transverse to the **line-of-sight**.



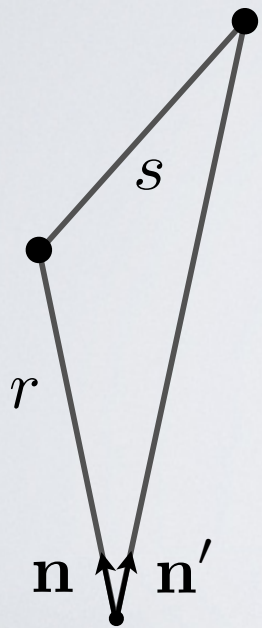
We can detect this anisotropy **statistically** in the correlation function.

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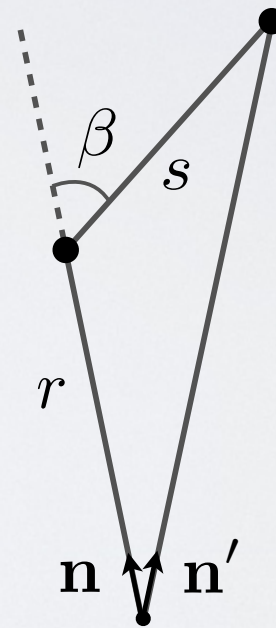


Depends on:

- ◆ separation
- ◆ distance of the pair

Observer

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Additional dependence  
on orientation:

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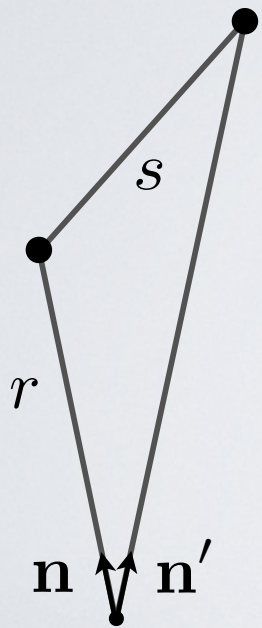


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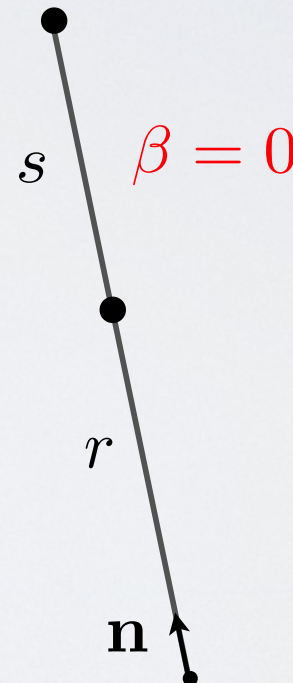


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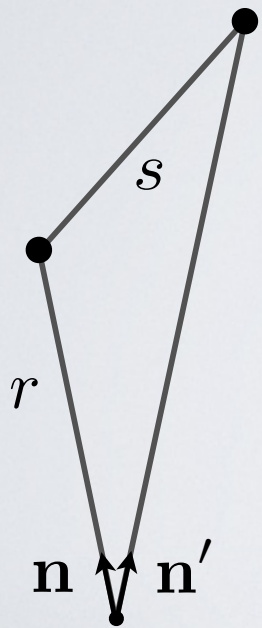
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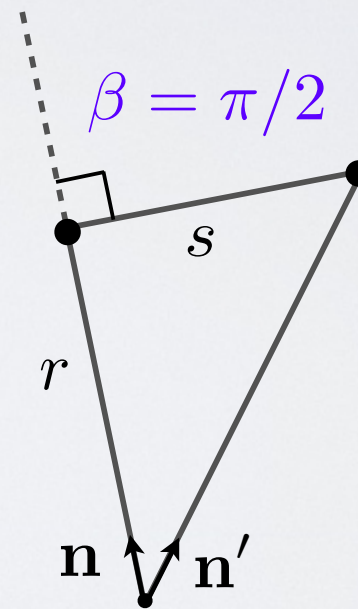


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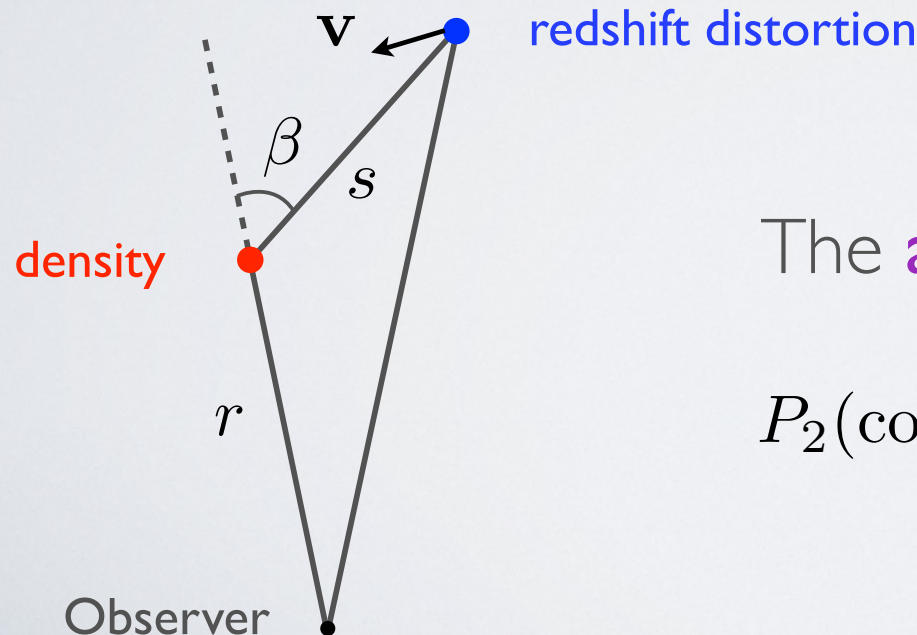
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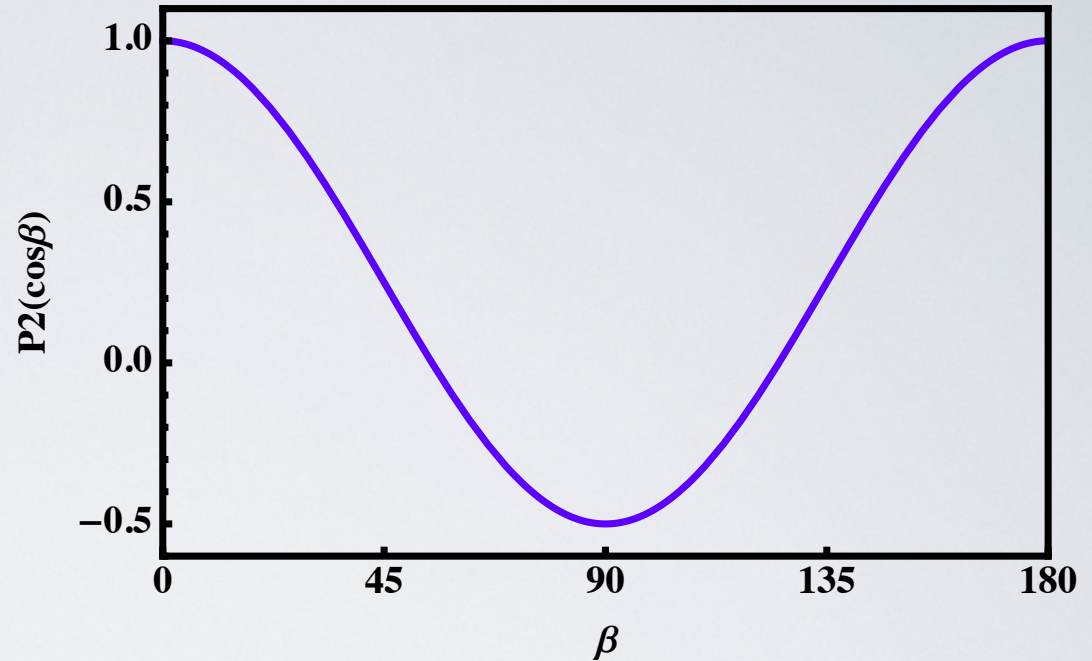
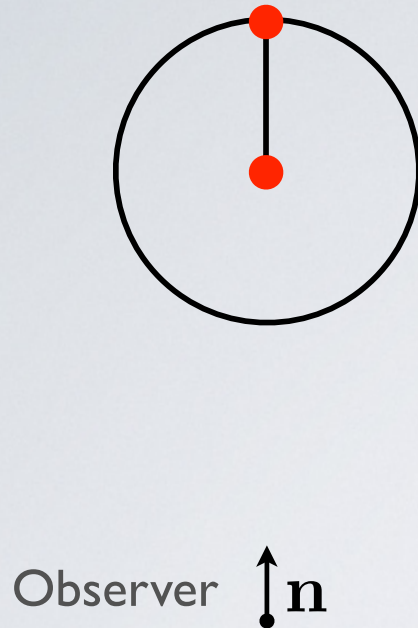
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The **angular dependence** is given by:

$$P_2(\cos \beta) = \frac{3}{2} \cos^2 \beta - \frac{1}{2}$$

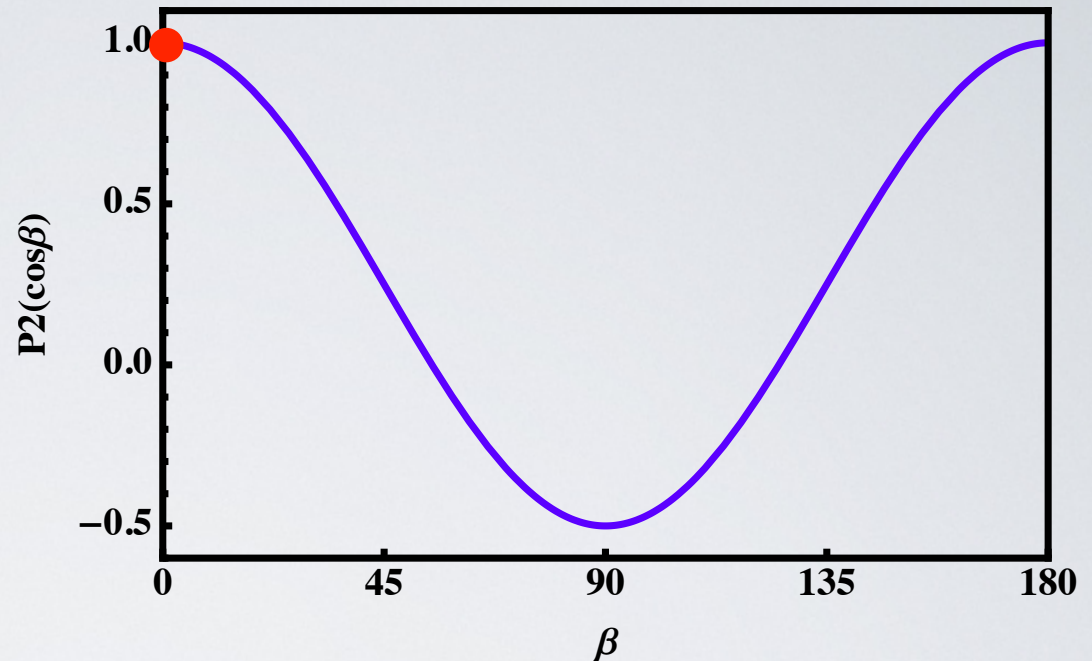
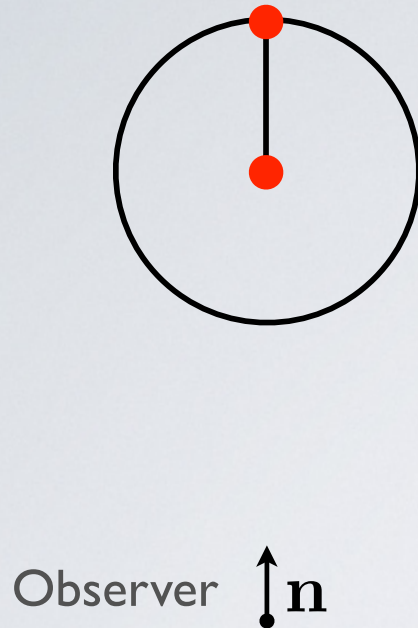
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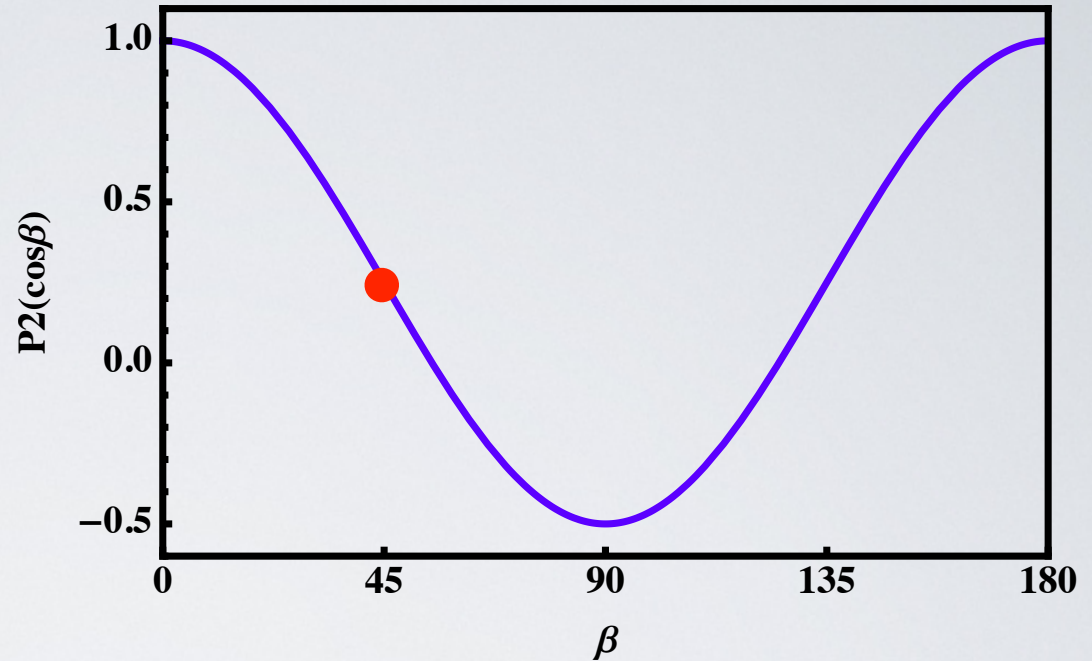
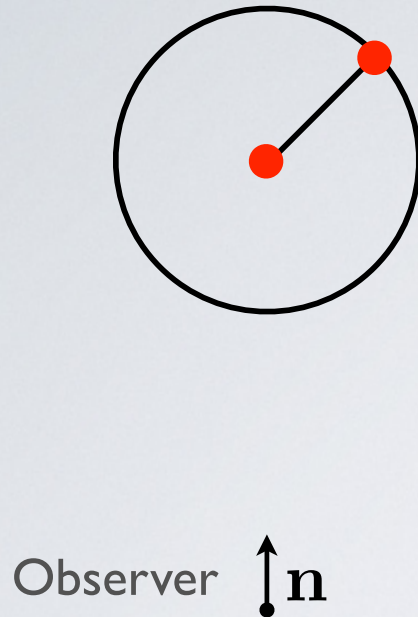


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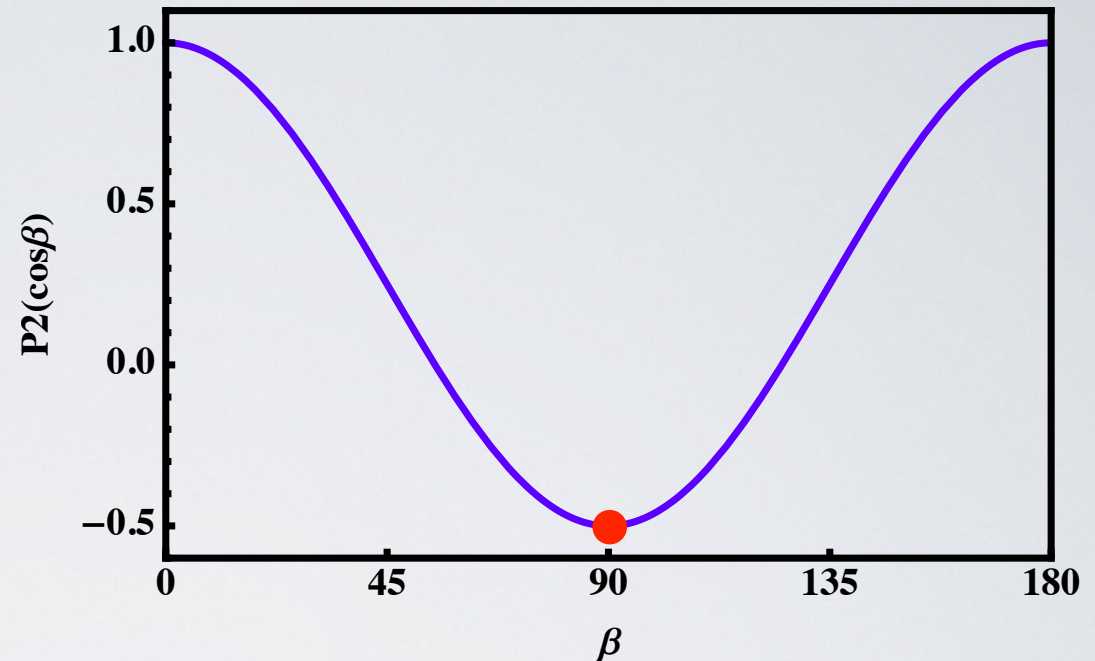
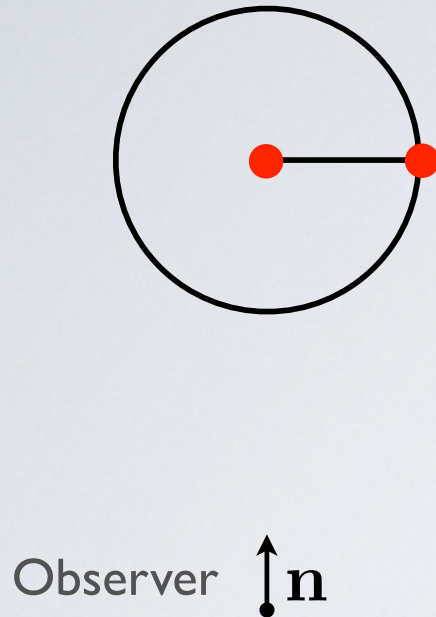
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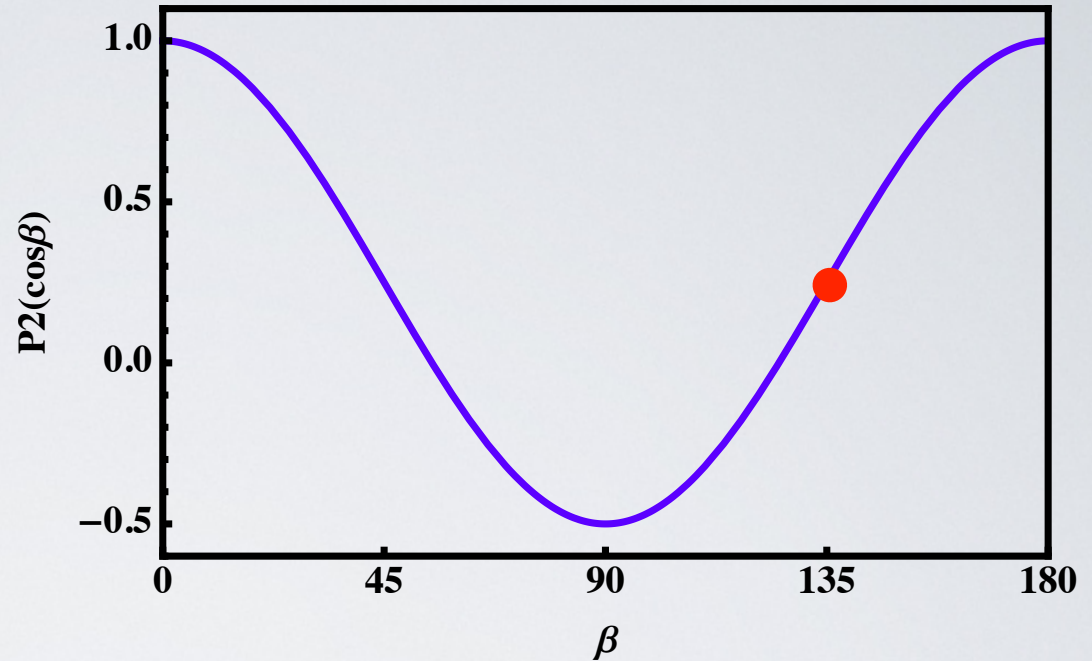
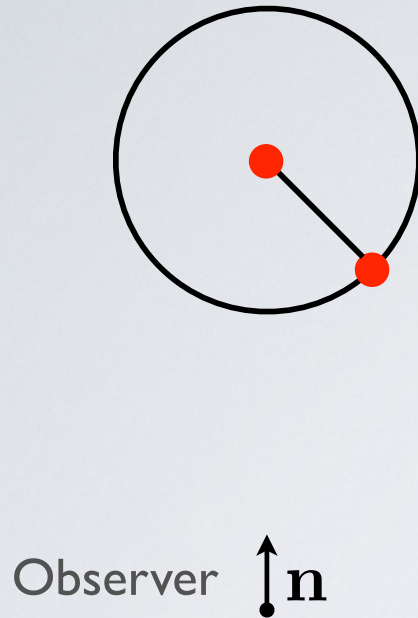
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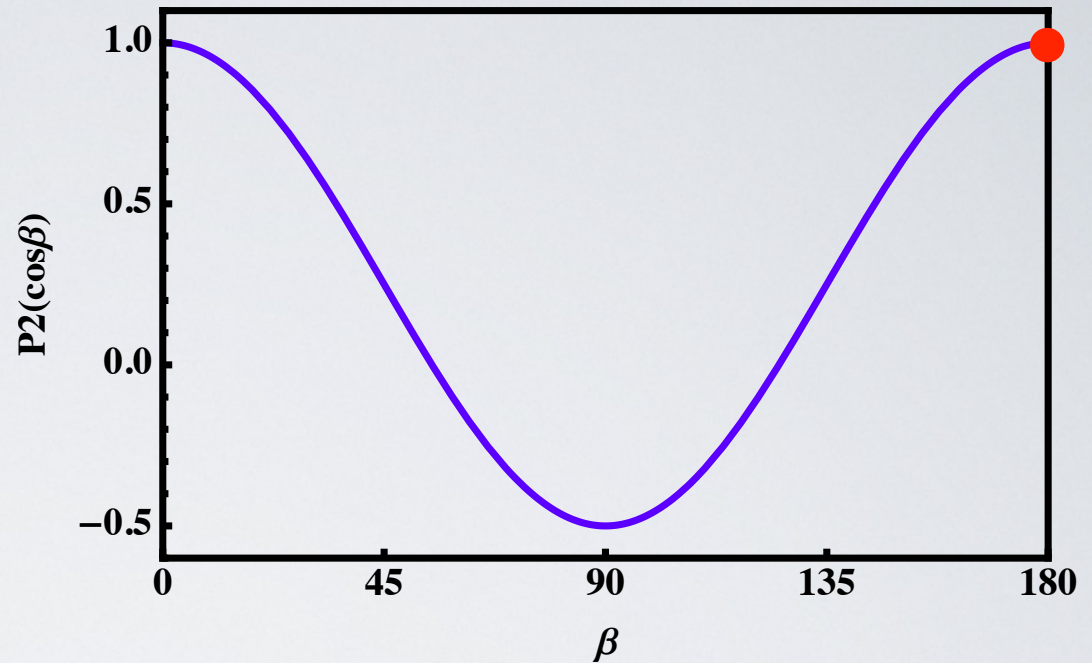
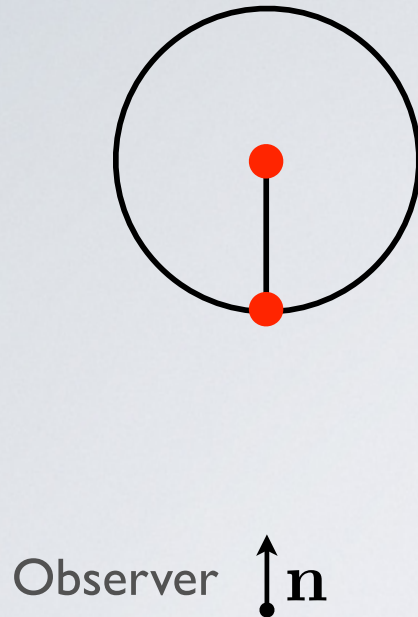


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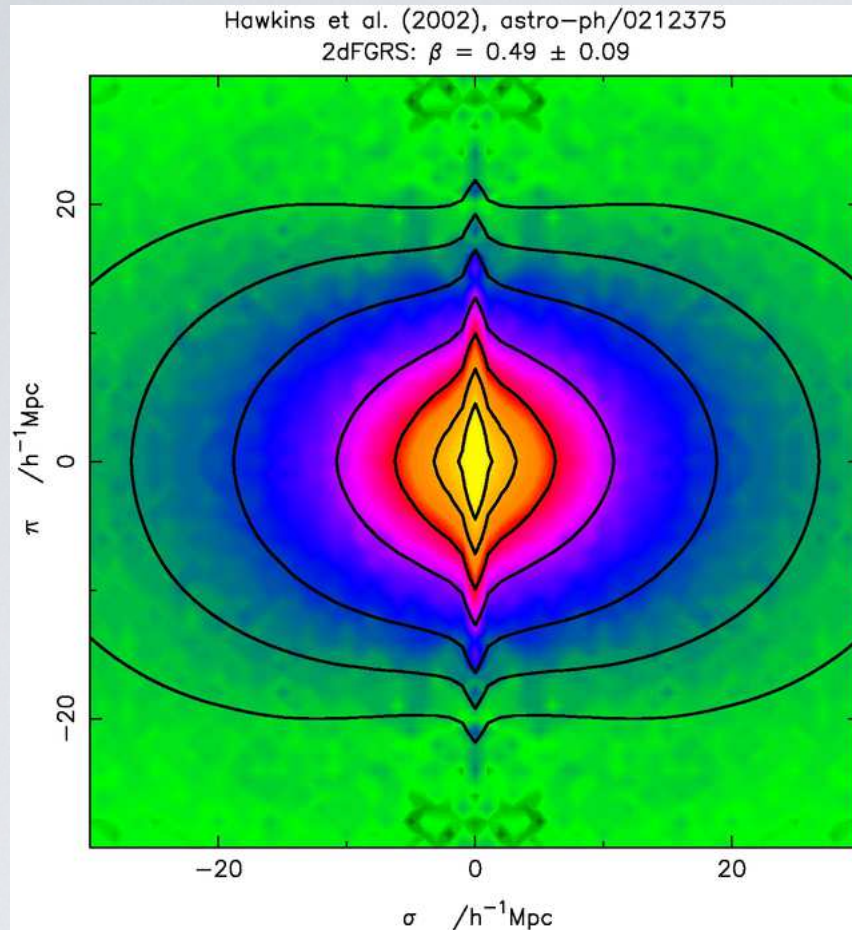
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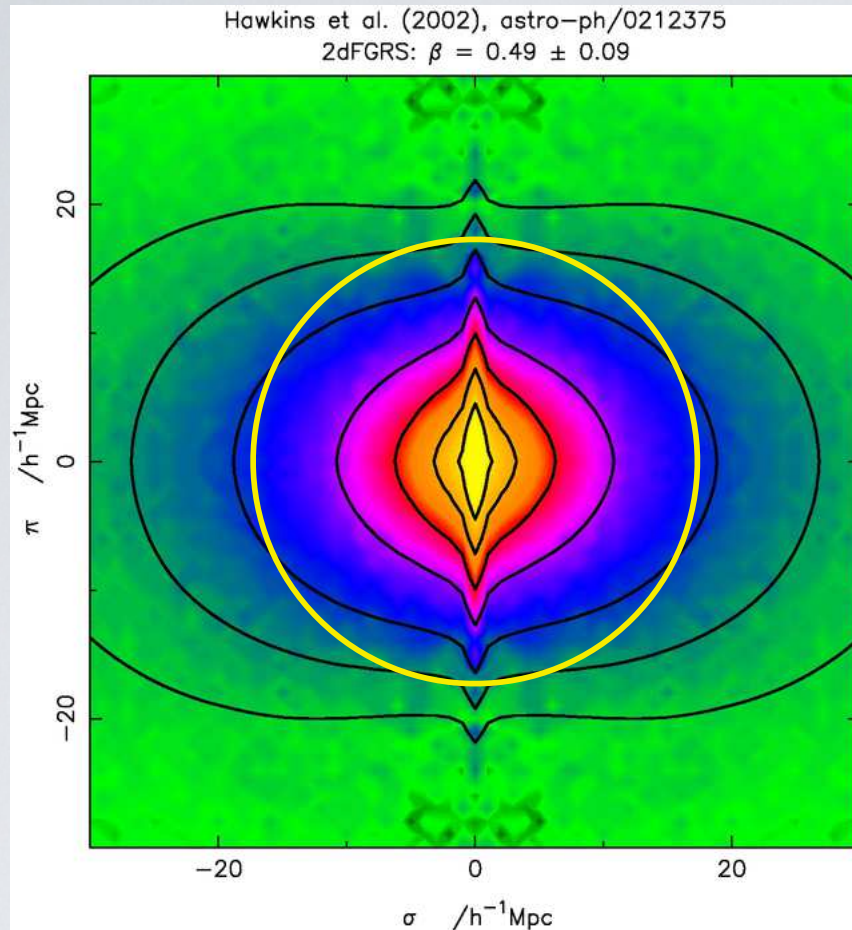


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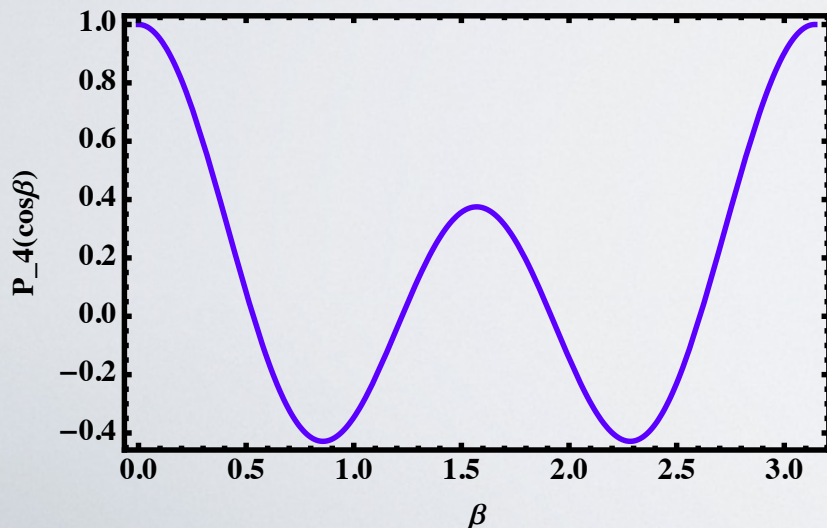
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Other terms: velocity-velocity correlations contribute to the quadrupole and generate an **hexadecapole**.

$$P_4(\cos \beta) = \frac{1}{8} [35 \cos^4 \beta - 30 \cos^2 \beta + 3]$$



Maximum at  $\beta = 0$  and  $\pi$

Velocity-density decreases monotonically.

Velocity-velocity have a complicated structure due to a combination of  $\cos^2 \beta$

# Multipoles extraction

How can we **separate** redshift distortions from density?

We can use the particular **angular dependence** of the terms.

We **average** over all orientations:  $\frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu \xi(s, r, \mu)$

$$\int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_2(\mu) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_4(\mu) = 0$$

→ extract the monopole

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- ◆ To extract the **quadrupole** we weight by  $P_2(\mu)$

$$\frac{5}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu \xi(s, r, \mu) P_2(\mu) = -D_1^2 \left( \frac{4f}{3} + \frac{4f^2}{7} \right) \mu_2(s)$$

- ◆ To extract the **hexadecapole** we weight by  $P_4(\mu)$

$$\frac{9}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu \xi(s, r, \mu) P_4(\mu) = D_1^2 \frac{8f^2}{35} \mu_4(s)$$

Measure  $f$

# Bias

Fluctuations in the number of **galaxies** are biased with respect to the **dark matter** fluctuations:  $\delta = b \cdot \delta_{dm}$

$$\xi = D_1^2 \left\{ \left( \textcolor{red}{b}^2 + \frac{2\textcolor{red}{b}f}{3} + \frac{f^2}{5} \right) \mu_0(s) - \left( \frac{4\textcolor{red}{b}f}{3} + \frac{4f^2}{7} \right) \mu_2(s) P_2(\cos \beta) + \frac{8f^2}{35} \mu_4(s) P_4(\cos \beta) \right\}$$

The monopole and quadrupole are affected by bias, but the hexadecapole is not. This reflects the fact that the **velocities** are **not biased**  $v = v_{dm}$

By measuring all multipoles we can measure both  $b$  and  $f$

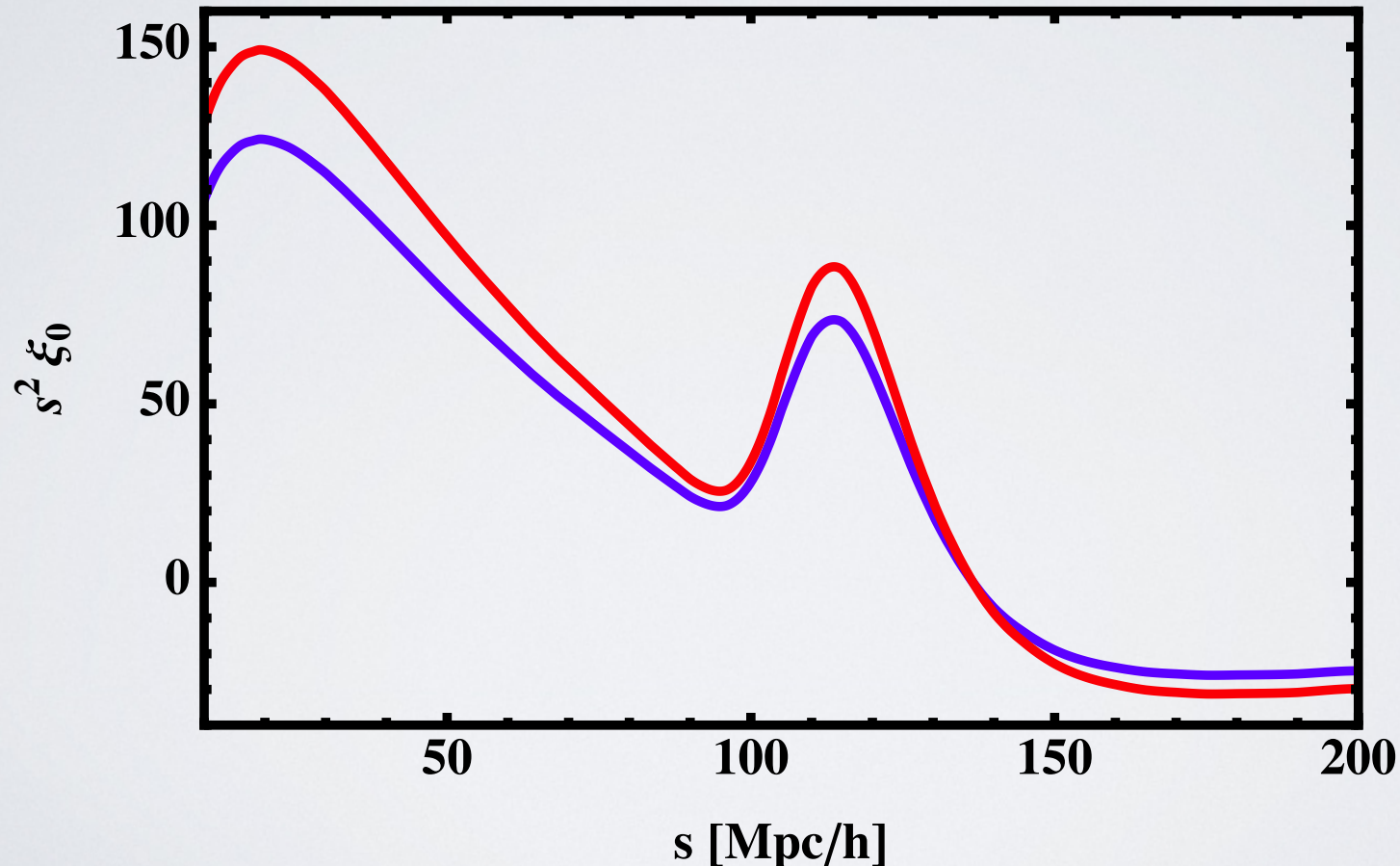
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without redshift distortions

$$\xi_0 = D_1^2 b^2 \mu_0(s)$$

with redshift distortions

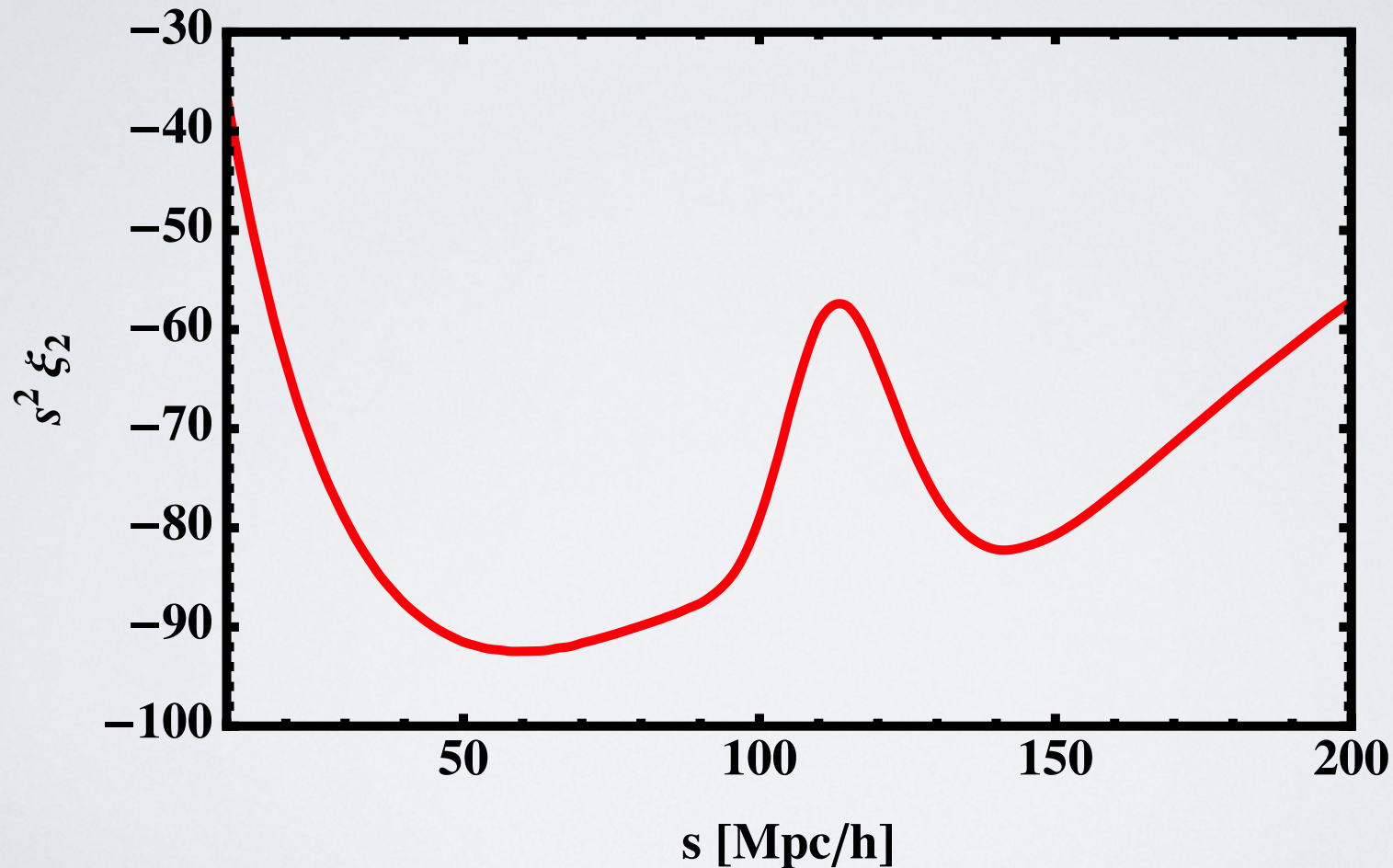
$$\xi_0 = D_1^2 \left( b^2 + \frac{2bf}{3} + \frac{f^2}{5} \right) \mu_0(s)$$





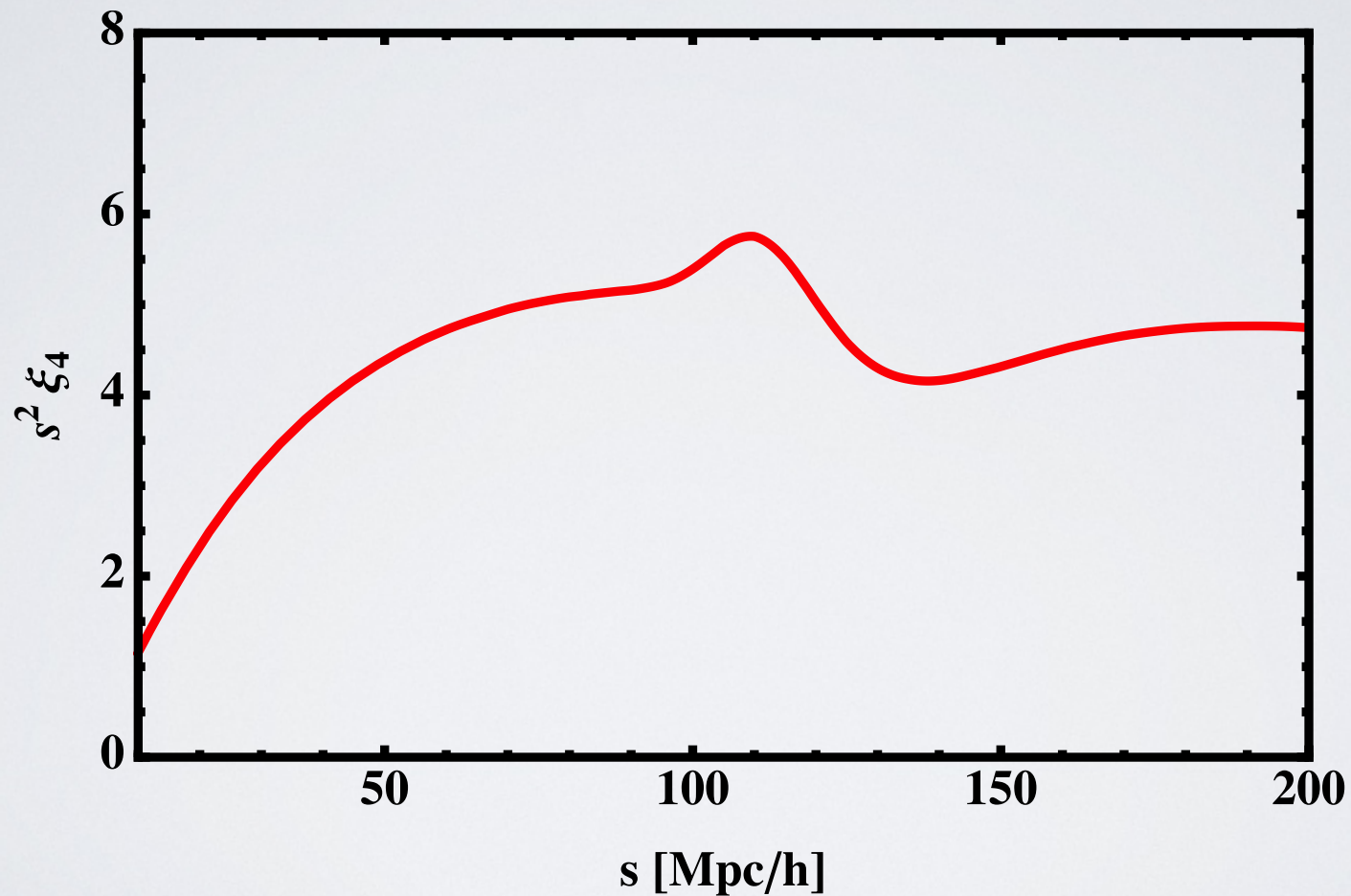
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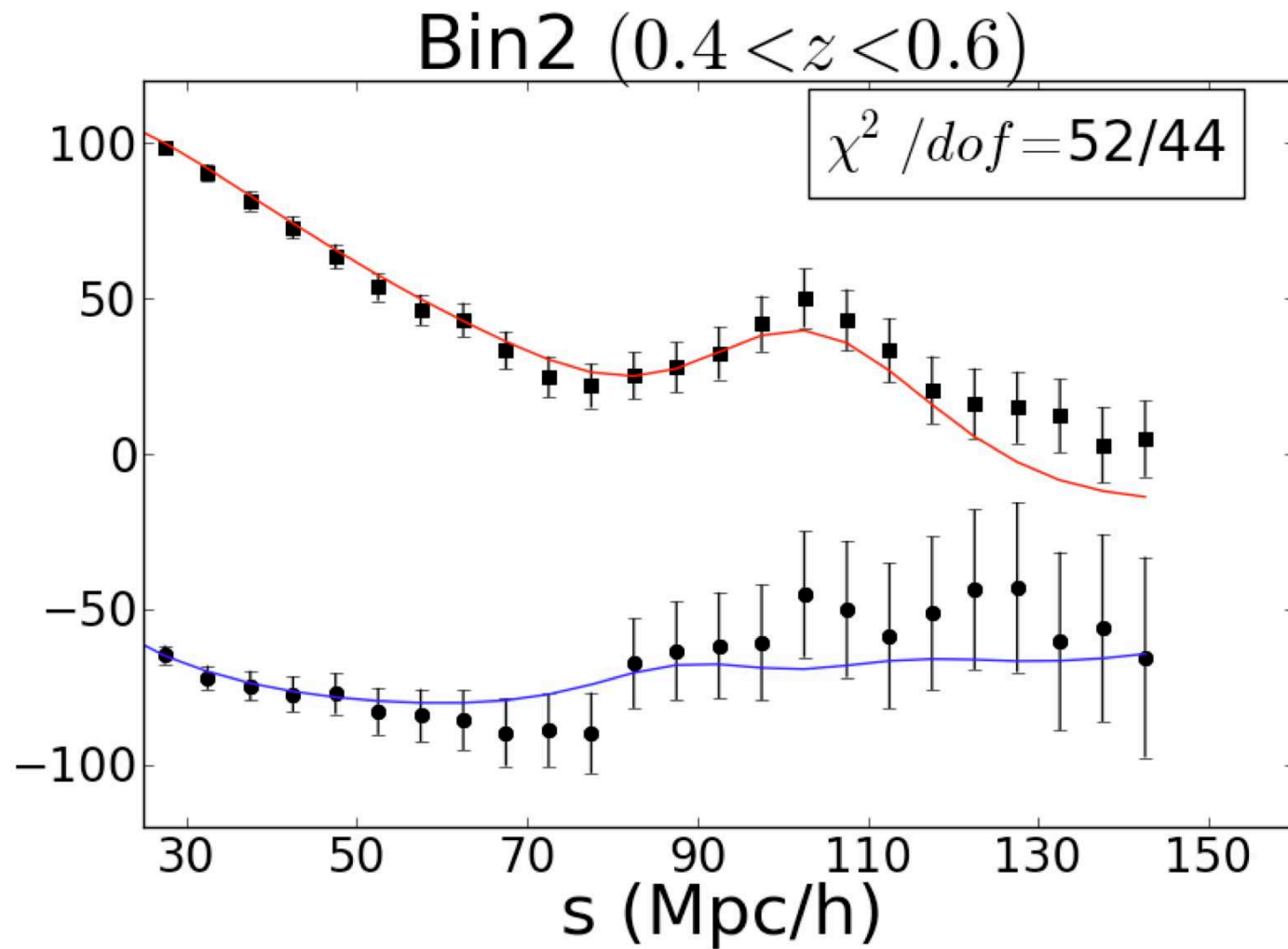
# Results: hexadecapole

$$\xi_4 = D_1^2 \frac{8f^2}{35} \mu_4(s)$$



# BOSS results

Satpathy et. al., arXiv:1607.03148





# Fourier space

Effect of redshift distortions on the **power spectrum**.

$$\delta_{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) = \left(1 + (\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{n})^2 f\right) \delta(\mathbf{k}, \eta) \quad P_{\delta}(k) \delta_D(\mathbf{k} + \mathbf{k}')$$

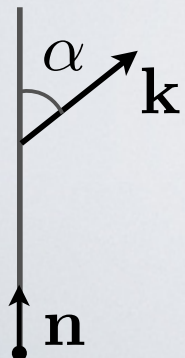
$$\langle \delta_{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{k}, \eta) \delta_{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{k}', \eta) \rangle = \left(1 + (\hat{\mathbf{k}} \cdot \mathbf{n})^2 f\right) \left(1 + (\hat{\mathbf{k}}' \cdot \mathbf{n}')^2 f\right) \langle \delta(\mathbf{k}, \eta) \delta(\mathbf{k}', \eta) \rangle$$

Distant observer approximation:  $\mathbf{n} = \mathbf{n}'$

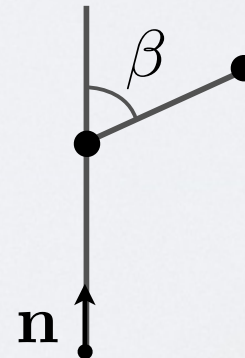
$$P_{\delta}^{\text{obs}}(k, \eta, \cos \alpha) = \left(1 + \cos^2(\alpha) f^2\right)^2 P_{\delta}(k, \eta) \quad \mathbf{n} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{k}} = \cos \alpha$$

Fourier space

Real space



Breaking of isotropy:  
the power spectrum  
depends on the direction  
of the Fourier mode.



Breaking of isotropy:  
the correlation function  
depends on the orientation  
of the pair.

# Multipole expansion

- ◆ We rewrite the cosine in terms of **Legendre polynomial** (orthogonal basis)

$$P_{\delta}^{\text{obs}}(k, \eta, \cos \alpha) = \left\{ 1 + \frac{2f}{3} + \frac{f^2}{5} + \left( \frac{4f}{3} + \frac{4f^2}{7} \right) P_2(\cos \alpha) + \frac{8f^2}{35} P_4(\cos \alpha) \right\} P_{\delta}(k, \eta)$$

- ◆ The density power spectrum **factorises out**.
- ◆ In the correlation function this was not the case: different dependence in the separation due to the spherical Bessel functions.

# Multipole extraction

## ◆ monopole

$$P_{\delta}^{\text{obs } 0}(k, \eta) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_{\delta}^{\text{obs}}(k, \eta, \mu) = \left(1 + \frac{2f}{3} + \frac{f^2}{5}\right) P_{\delta}(k, \eta)$$

## ◆ quadrupole

$$P_{\delta}^{\text{obs } 2}(k, \eta) = \frac{5}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_2(\mu) P_{\delta}^{\text{obs}}(k, \eta, \mu) = \left(\frac{4f}{3} + \frac{4f^2}{7}\right) P_{\delta}(k, \eta)$$

## ◆ hexadecapole

$$P_{\delta}^{\text{obs } 4}(k, \eta) = \frac{9}{2} \int_{-1}^1 d\mu P_4(\mu) P_{\delta}^{\text{obs}}(k, \eta, \mu) = \frac{8f^2}{35} P_{\delta}(k, \eta)$$

We can measure  $f\sigma_8$



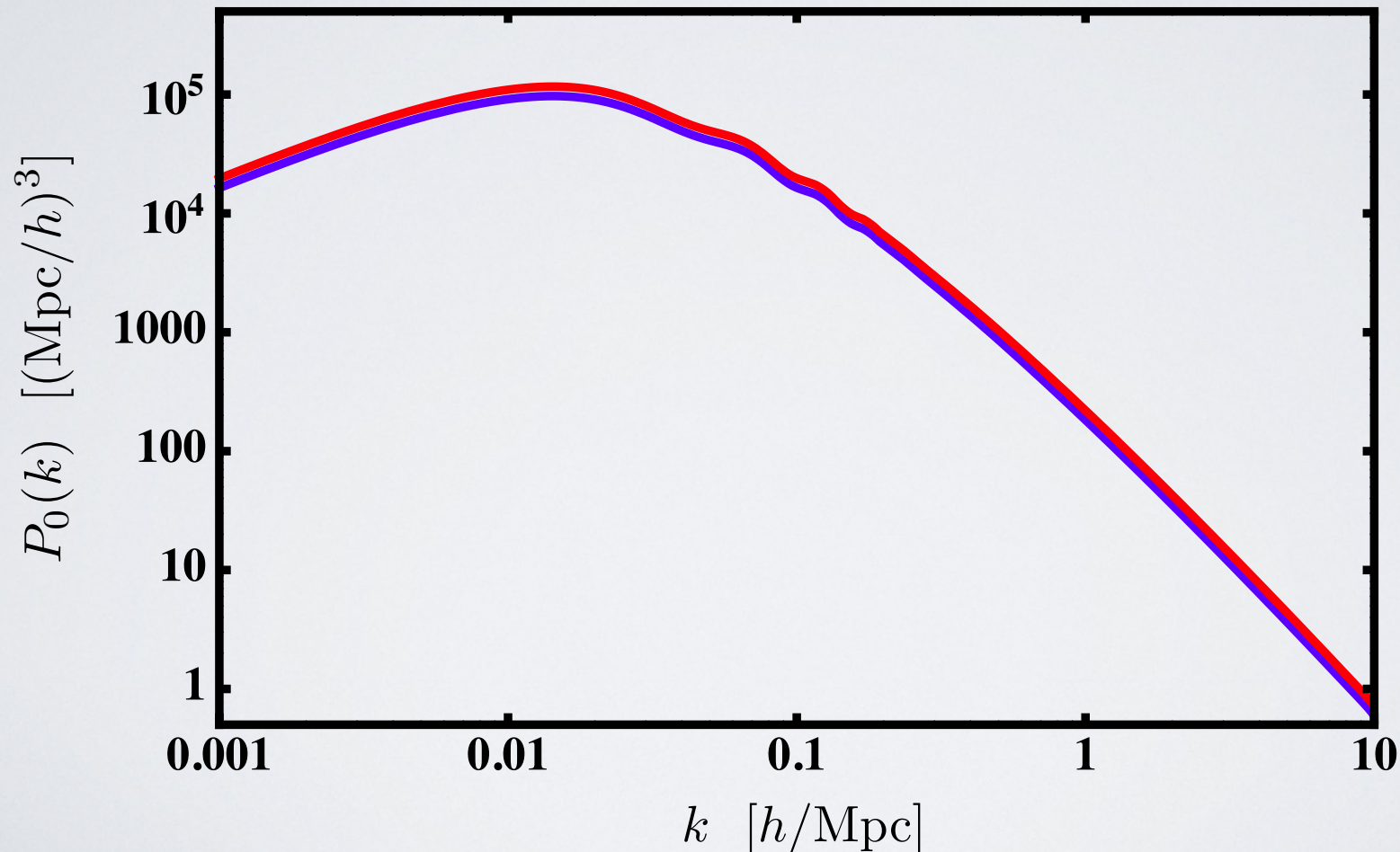
# Results: monopole

without redshift distortions

with redshift distortions

$$b^2 P_\delta(k, \eta)$$

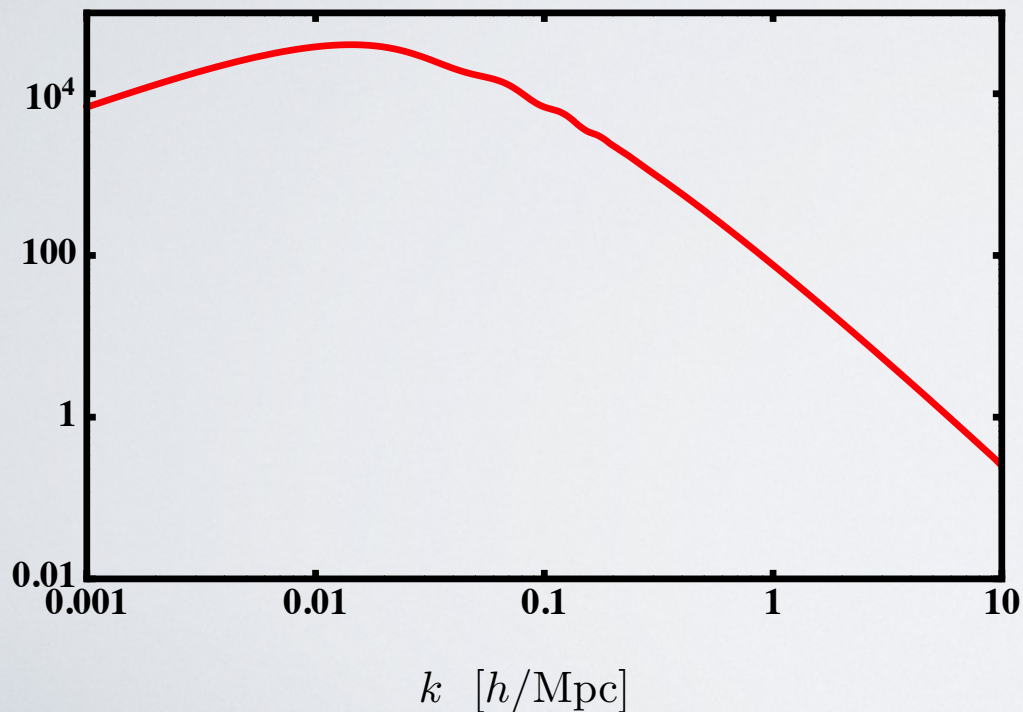
$$\left( b^2 + \frac{2bf}{3} + \frac{f^2}{5} \right) P_\delta(k, \eta)$$



# Results: quadrupole and hexadecapole

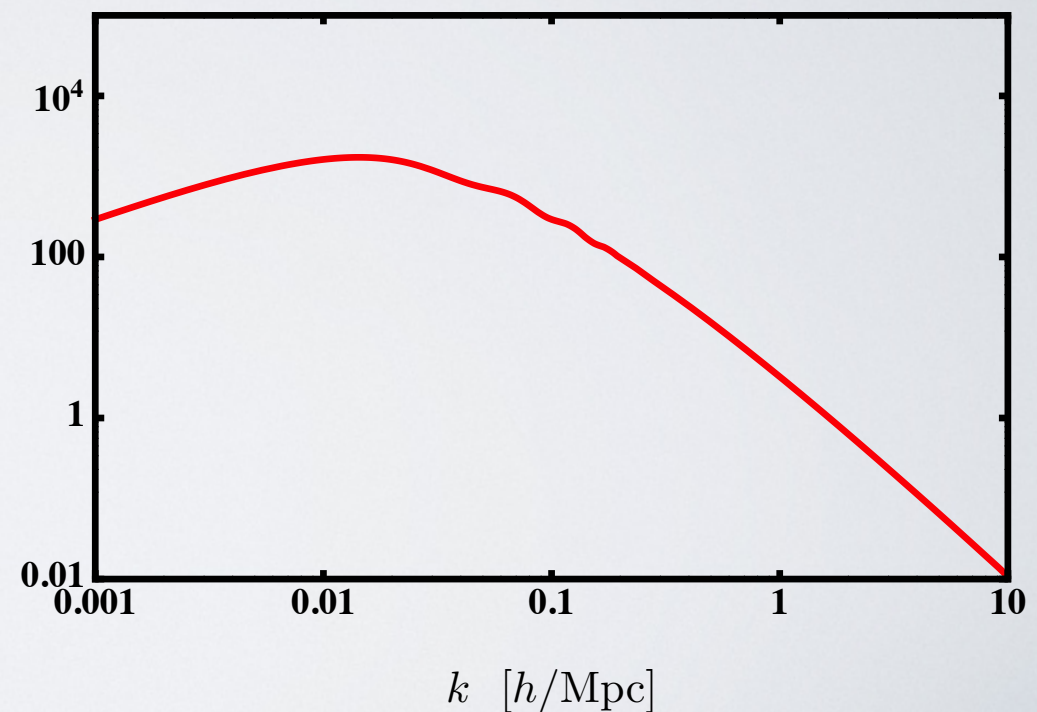
quadrupole

$$\left( \frac{4bf}{3} + \frac{4f^2}{7} \right) P_\delta(k, \eta)$$



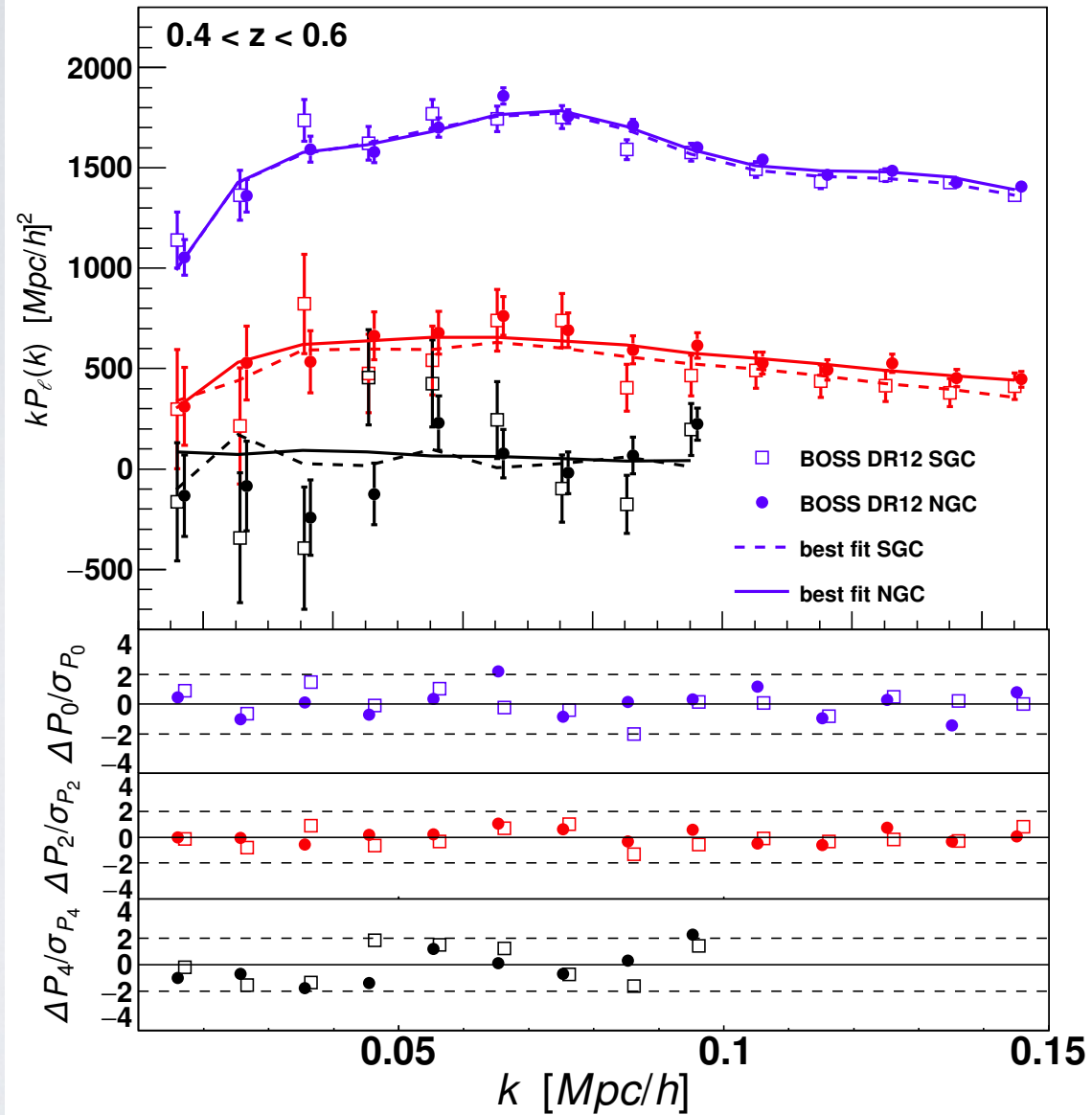
hexadecapole

$$\frac{8f^2}{35} P_\delta(k, \eta)$$



# BOSS results

F. Beutler et al, arXiv:1607.03150





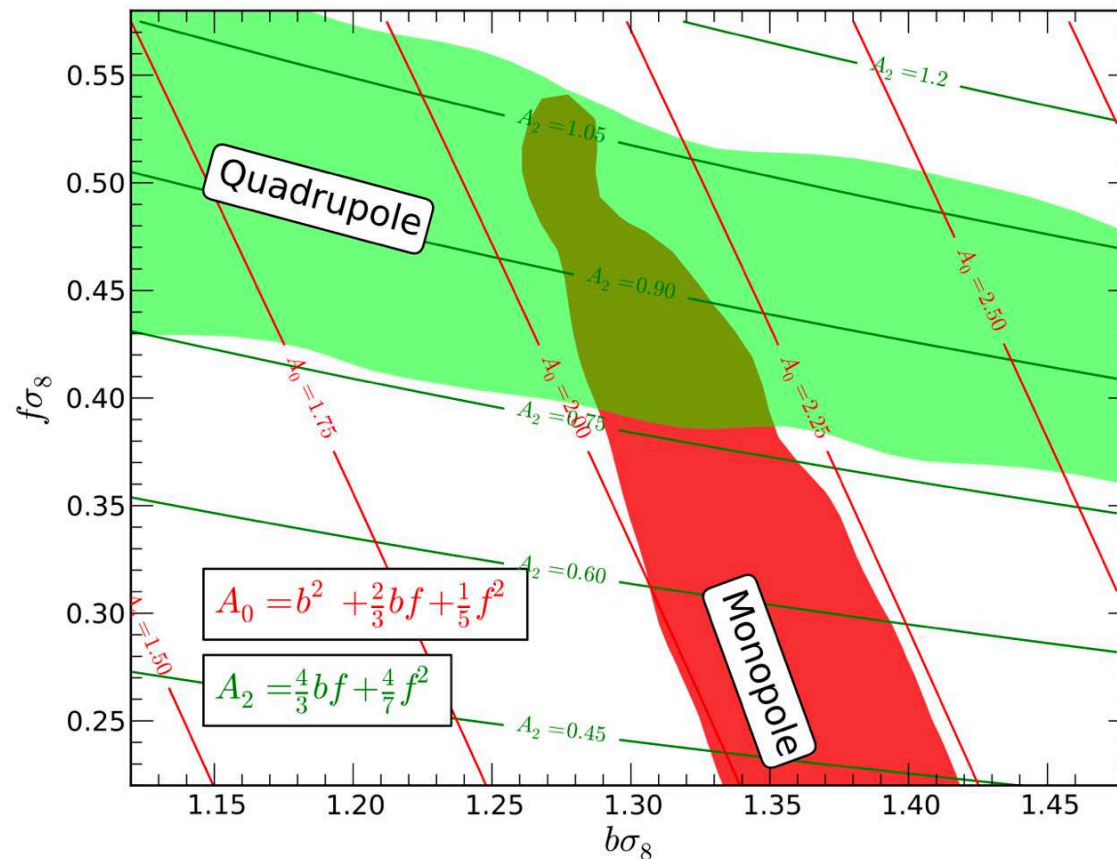
# Growth evolution

Which kind of **constraints** can we obtain from redshift distortions?

The monopole and quadrupole allow to measure  $f\sigma_8$  and  $b\sigma_8$

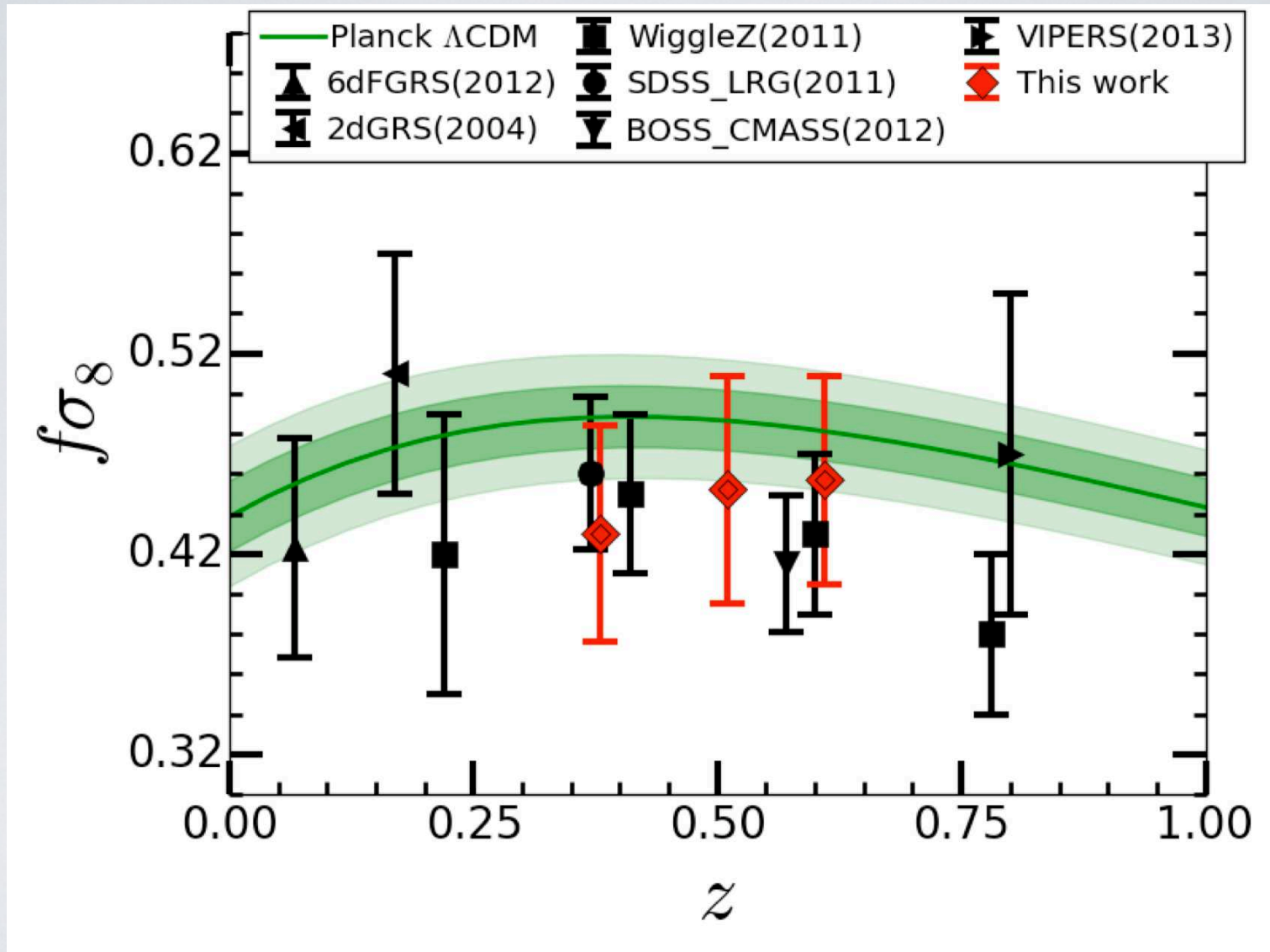
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L. Samushia et al, arXiv:1312.4899

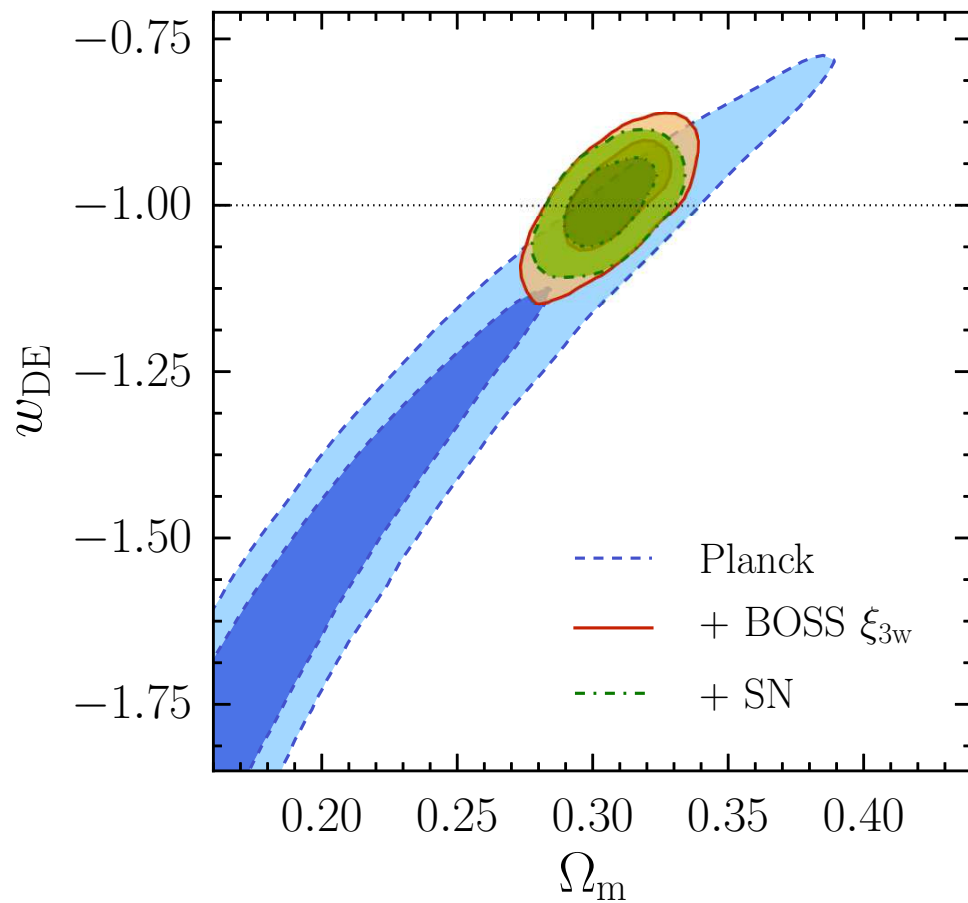


# Growth rate evolution

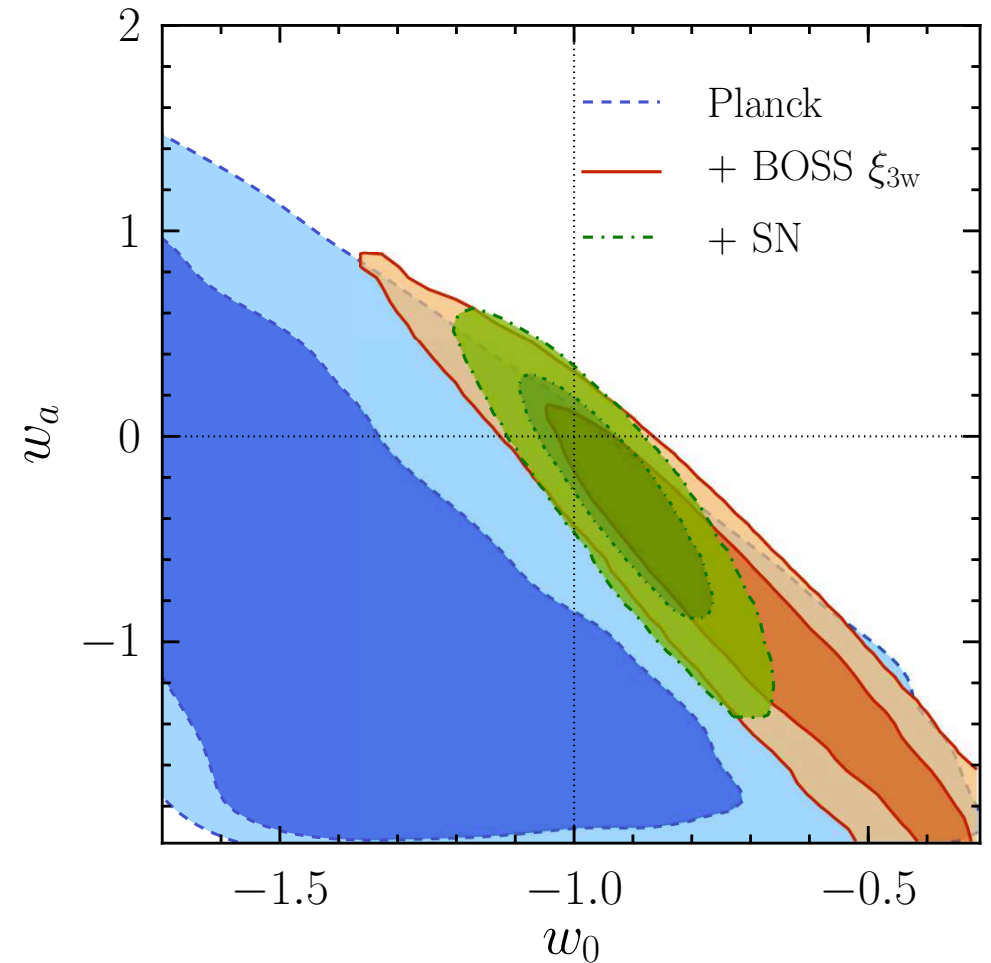
Satpathy et. al., arXiv:1607.03148



# Cosmological constraints



Sanchez et. al., arXiv:1607.03147



$$w = w_0 + w_a \frac{z}{1+z}$$



# Consistency of General Relativity

How can we quantify **deviations** from general relativity?

Useful **parameterisation**:  $f(a) = \Omega_m(a)^\gamma$       Peebles (1980)  
Wang and Steinhardt (1998)

In general relativity with a cosmological constant:  $\gamma = 0.55$

Observing a different values would mean a **deviation** from  $\Lambda$ CDM.

This is not a general parametrisation but it allows to test the **consistency** of general relativity.

# Consistency of General Relativity

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