

Modeling 21cm signal from protocluster regions at the epoch of reionization

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Introduction

- "Big Bang" → recombination ($z \simeq 1300$)
→ photon decoupling ($z \simeq 1100$)
- As the universe expands and cools ,
stellar objects are formed .
- The universe becomes ionized again.

Question

How did the Reionization occur ?
(What did reionize the universe ?)

How can we probe ?

Cosmic age

0.3Myr

1.0Gyr

13.8Gyr

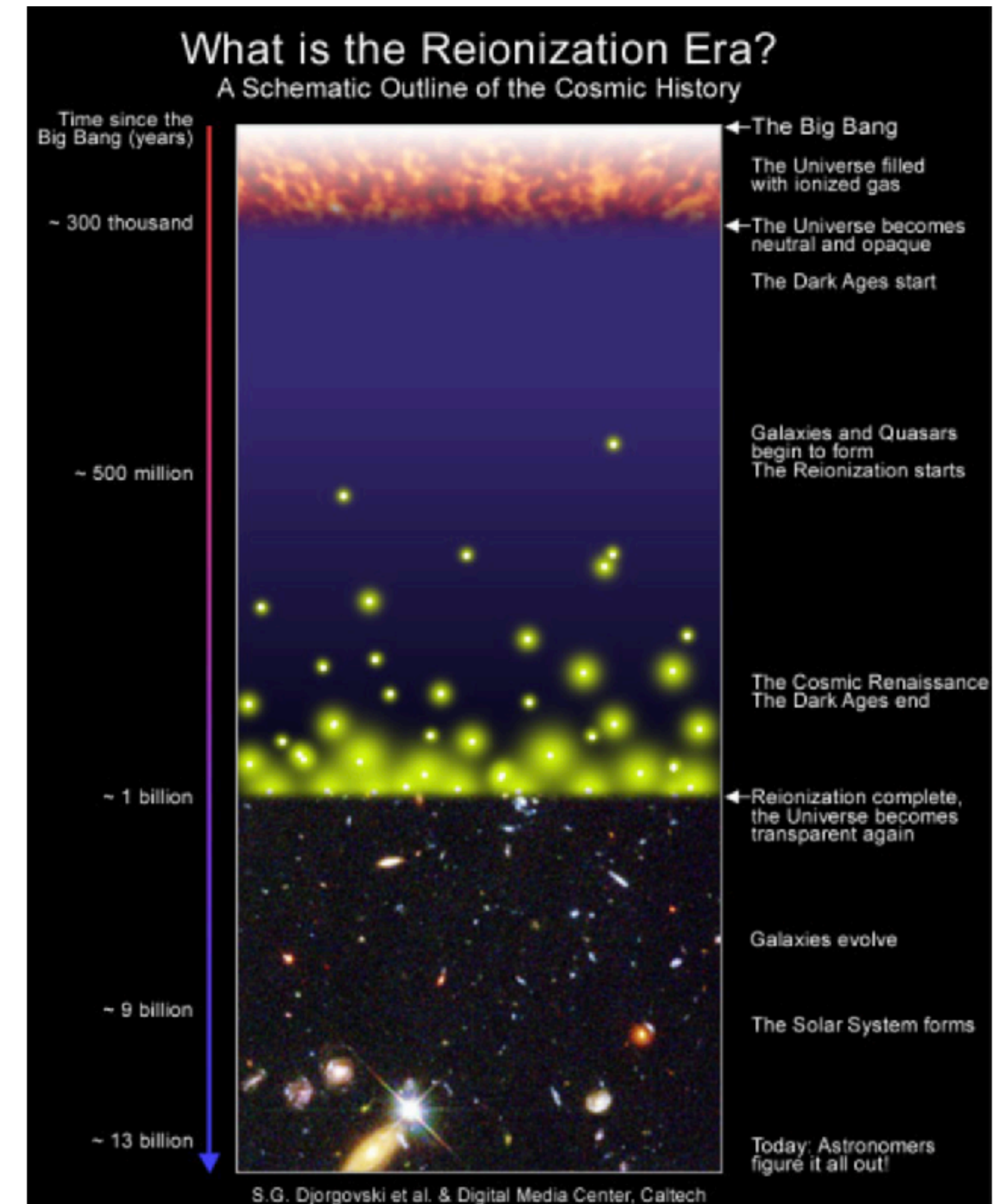
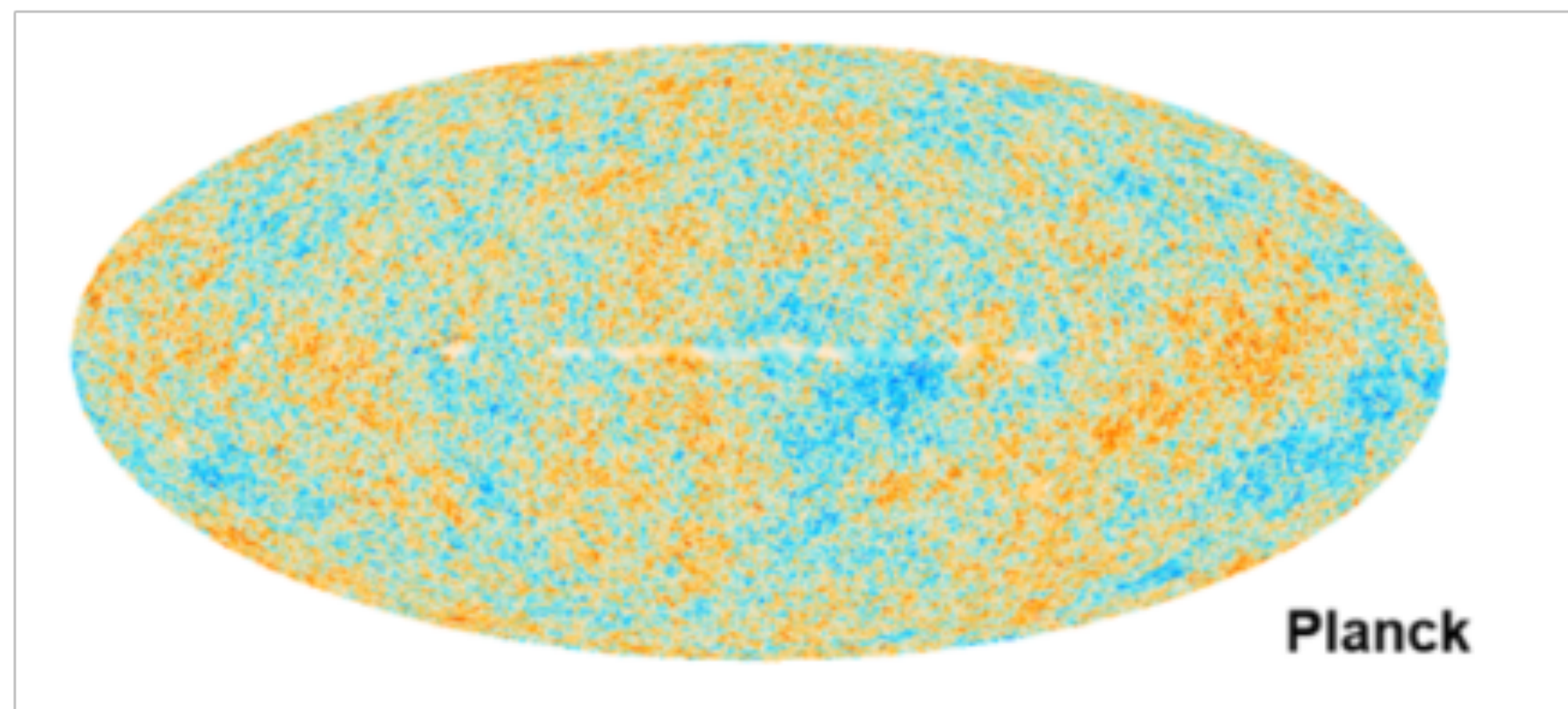


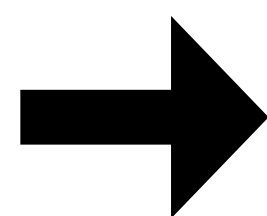
Image: Graphical representation of the history of the universe, by Djorgovski et al.

Introduction



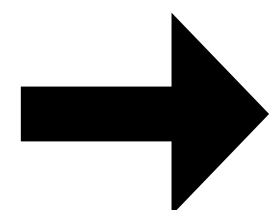
Two major constraints on the epoch of reionization

- Spectra of 19 quasars observed by SDSS show lack of Gunn-Peterson trough at $z \sim 6$



Imply that reionization ends at $z \sim 6$

- CMB photons were scattered by free electrons in IGM.



Suggests that reionization mostly starts at $z \sim 10$

(Fan et al., 2006)

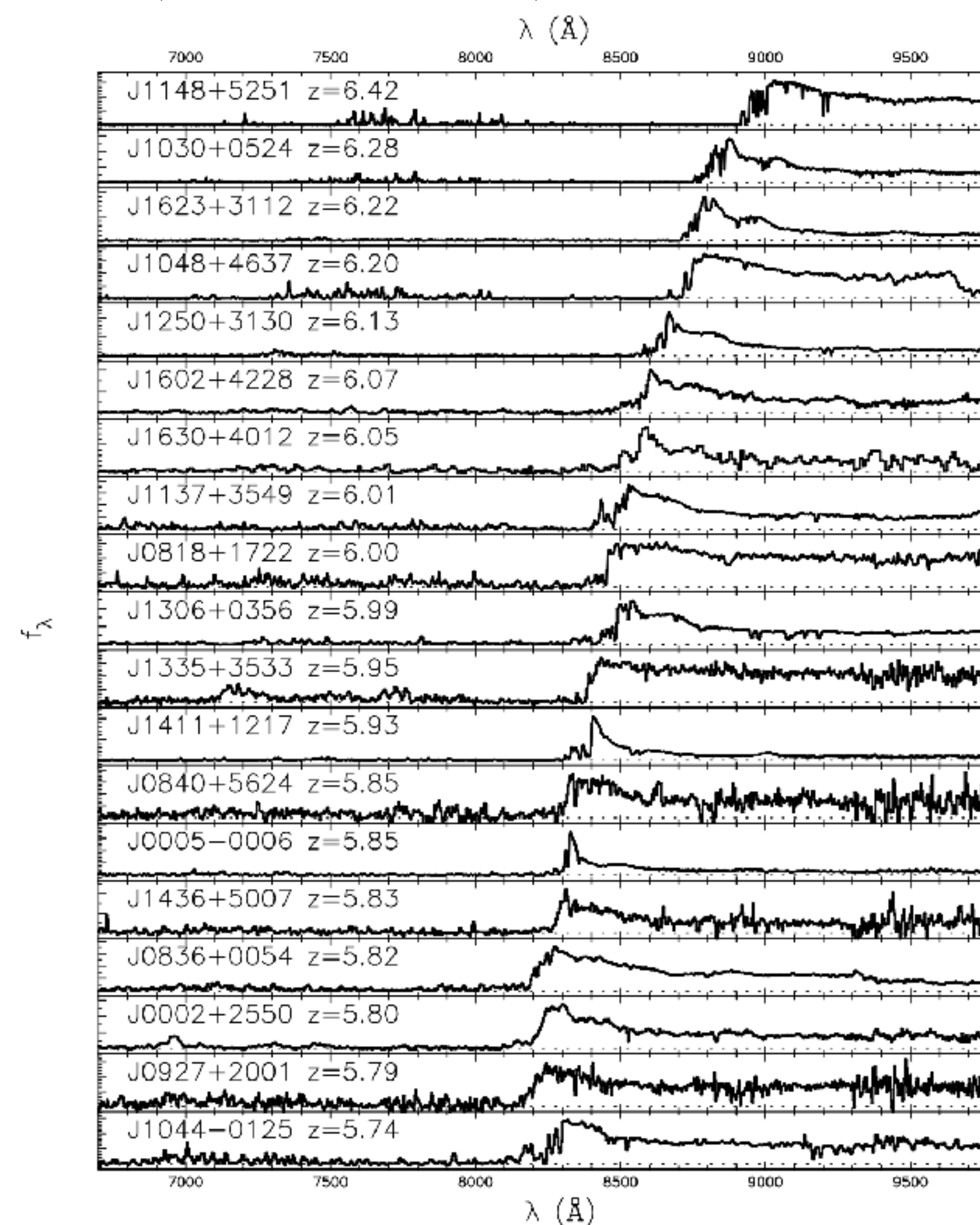
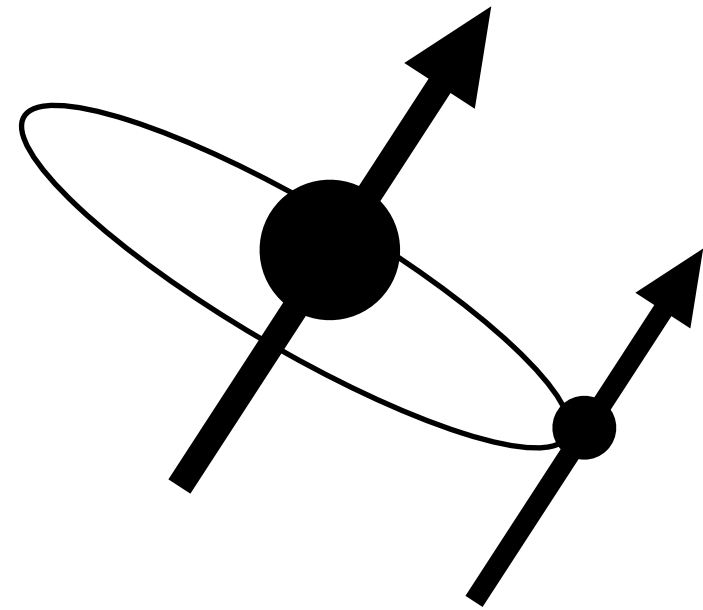


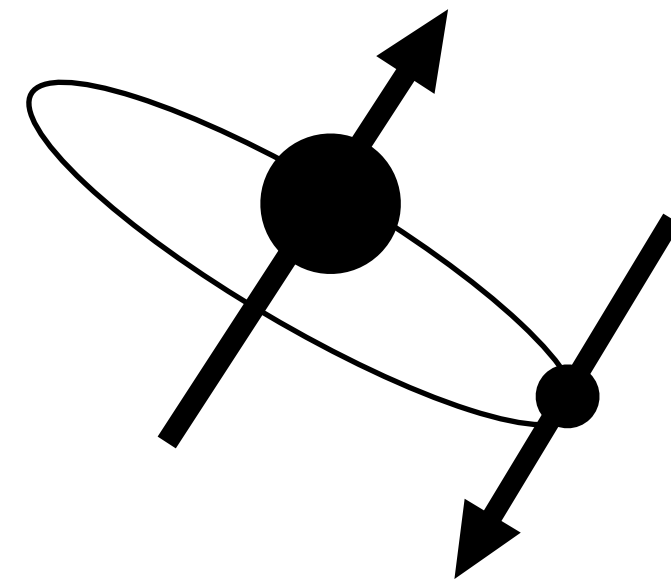
Fig. 1.— Spectra of our sample of nineteen SDSS quasars at $5.74 < z < 6.42$. Twelve of the spectra were taken with Keck/ESI, while the others were observed with the MMT/Red Channel and Kitt Peak 4-meter/MARS spectrographs. See Table 1 for detailed information.

Method

Neutral hydrogen spin flip



Parallel



Anti parallel

Energy difference corresponds

Wave length : $\lambda_{spinflip} = 21[\text{cm}]$

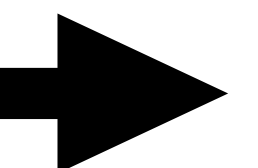
Frequency : $\nu_{spinflip} = 1.4 \times 10^9[\text{Hz}]$

We can define spin temperature T_s

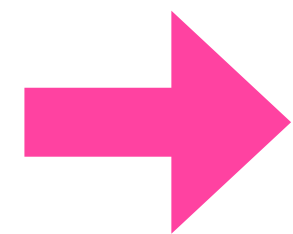
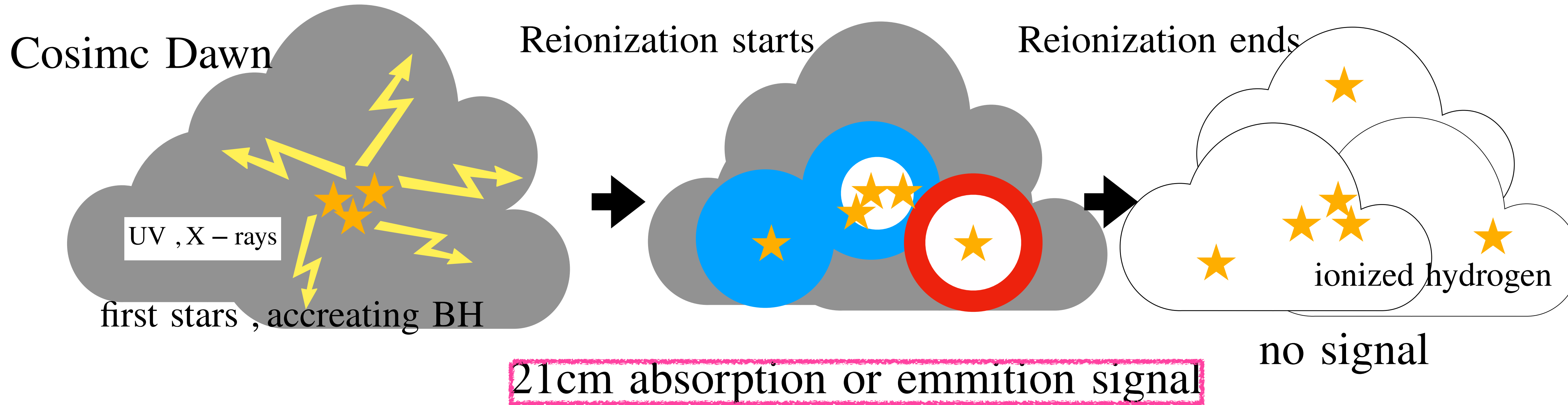
$$\frac{n_1}{n_0} \equiv 3 \exp\left(-\frac{h\nu_{spinflip}}{k_B T_s}\right)$$

n_1, n_0 is number density of neutral hydrogen spin parallel, antiparallel

Many neutral hydrogen in IGM during the epoch + Information about the signal's redshift



Introduction



The signal is sensitive to following questions .

What is the source of reionization ?

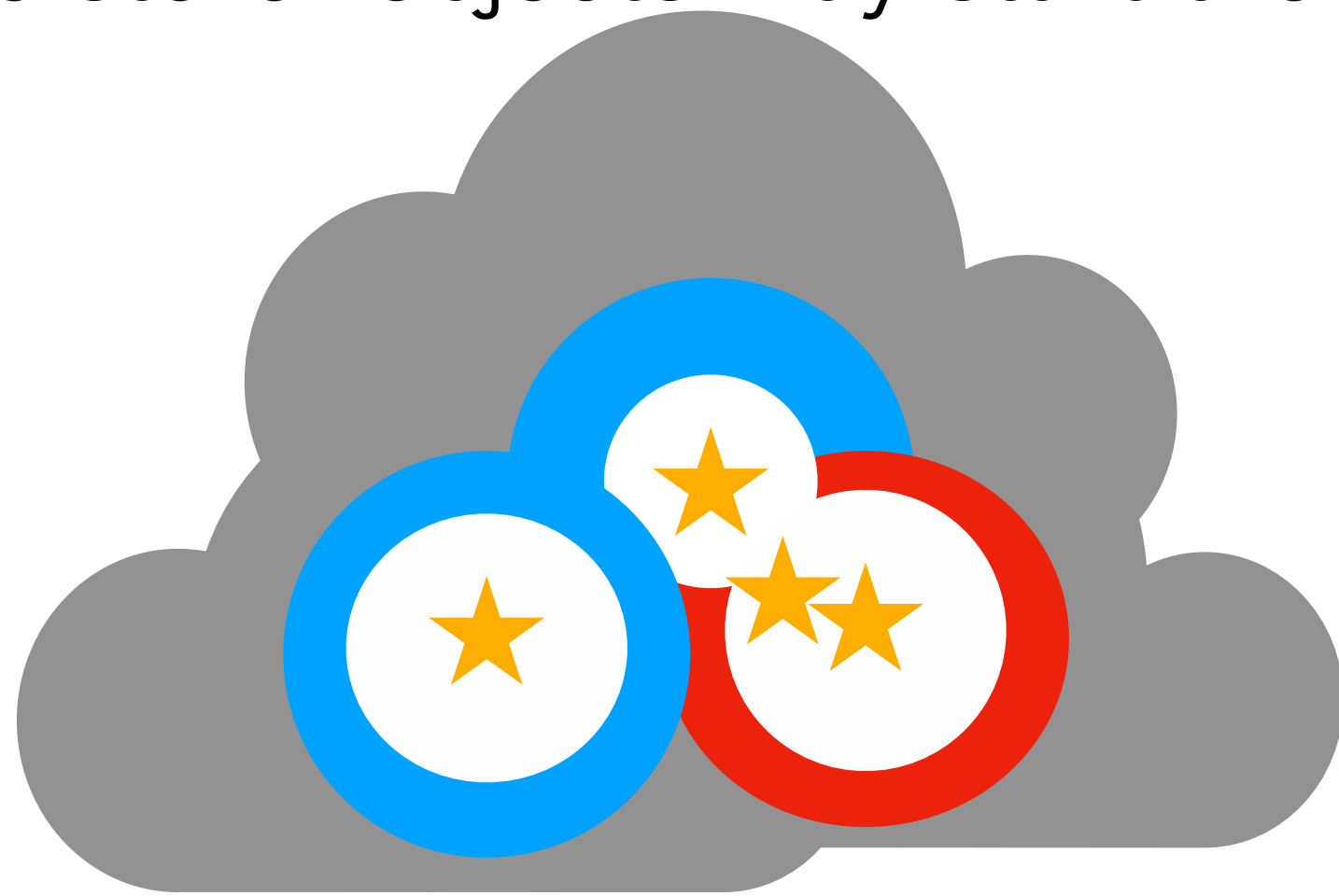
When was it made ?

Where did it appear?

Introduction

In cosmological scale , very high density region (protocluster region) could form steller objects earlier than the other regions.

These steller objects may start the reionization.

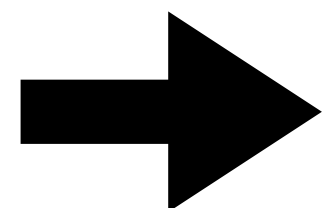


21cm signal feature depends on source spectra.

FOREVER22 cosmological hydrodynamics simulation's result (Yajima et al ., 2020)

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21cm signal calculation

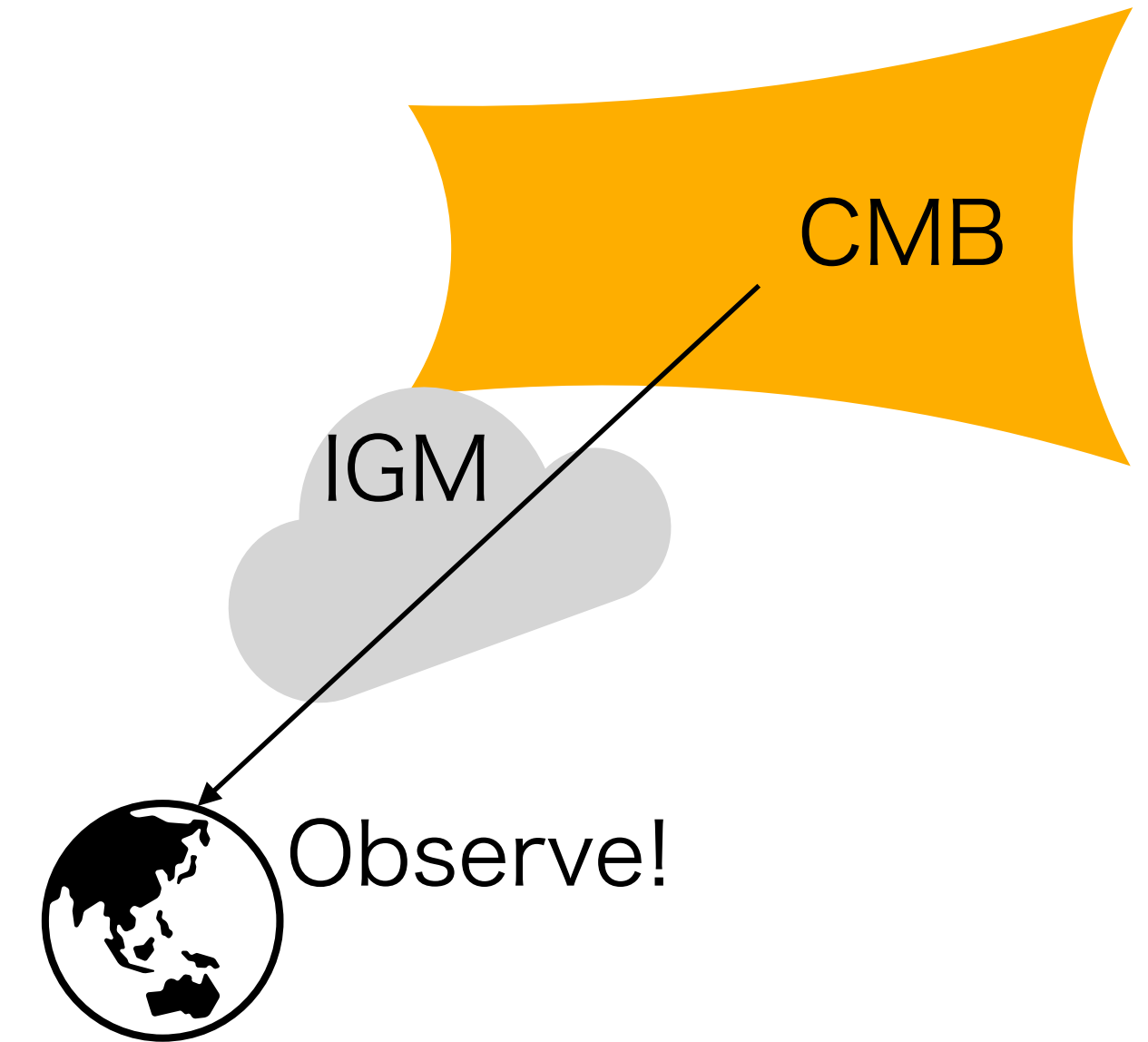


What is the relation between 21cm signal and star formation activity ?

Method

$$\delta T_b = \frac{T_\nu - T_{CMB}}{1 + z}$$

$$\approx 28.1(1 - x_{ion})(1 + \delta)(1 - \frac{T_{CMB}}{T_s})\sqrt{\frac{1 + z}{10}}[\text{mK}]$$



Here δ , x_{ion} are overdensity and ionizing fraction .

$$T_\nu(\tau_\nu) = T_{CMB}e^{-\tau_\nu} + T_s(1 - e^{-\tau_\nu}) .$$

This formula comes from radiative transfer of 21cm line,

$$\frac{dI_\nu}{ds} = \frac{\phi(\nu)h\nu}{4\pi}[n_1A_{10} - (n_0B_{01} - n_1B_{10})I_\nu], \quad \phi(\nu) \text{ is line profile .}$$

(Furlanetto et al., 2006)

Method

T_s is determined in equilibrium by

$$n_1(C_{10} + P_{10} + A_{10} + B_{10}I_{CMB}) = n_0(C_{01} + P_{01} + B_{01}I_{CMB}).$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} n_1/n_0 \text{ is spin parallel/anti parallel state number density} \\ C_{01} \text{ and } P_{01} \text{ are collisional and Ly}\alpha \text{ scattering excitation rate} \\ C_{10} \text{ and } P_{10} \text{ are collisional and Ly}\alpha \text{ scattering de - excitation rate} \\ A_{10}, B_{10,01} \text{ are Einstein A, B coefficients} \end{array} \right)$$

Using Rayleigh – Jeans approximation,

$$T_s^{-1} = \frac{T_{CMB}^{-1} + x_C T_K^{-1} + x_\alpha T_c^{-1}}{1 + x_C + x_\alpha}$$

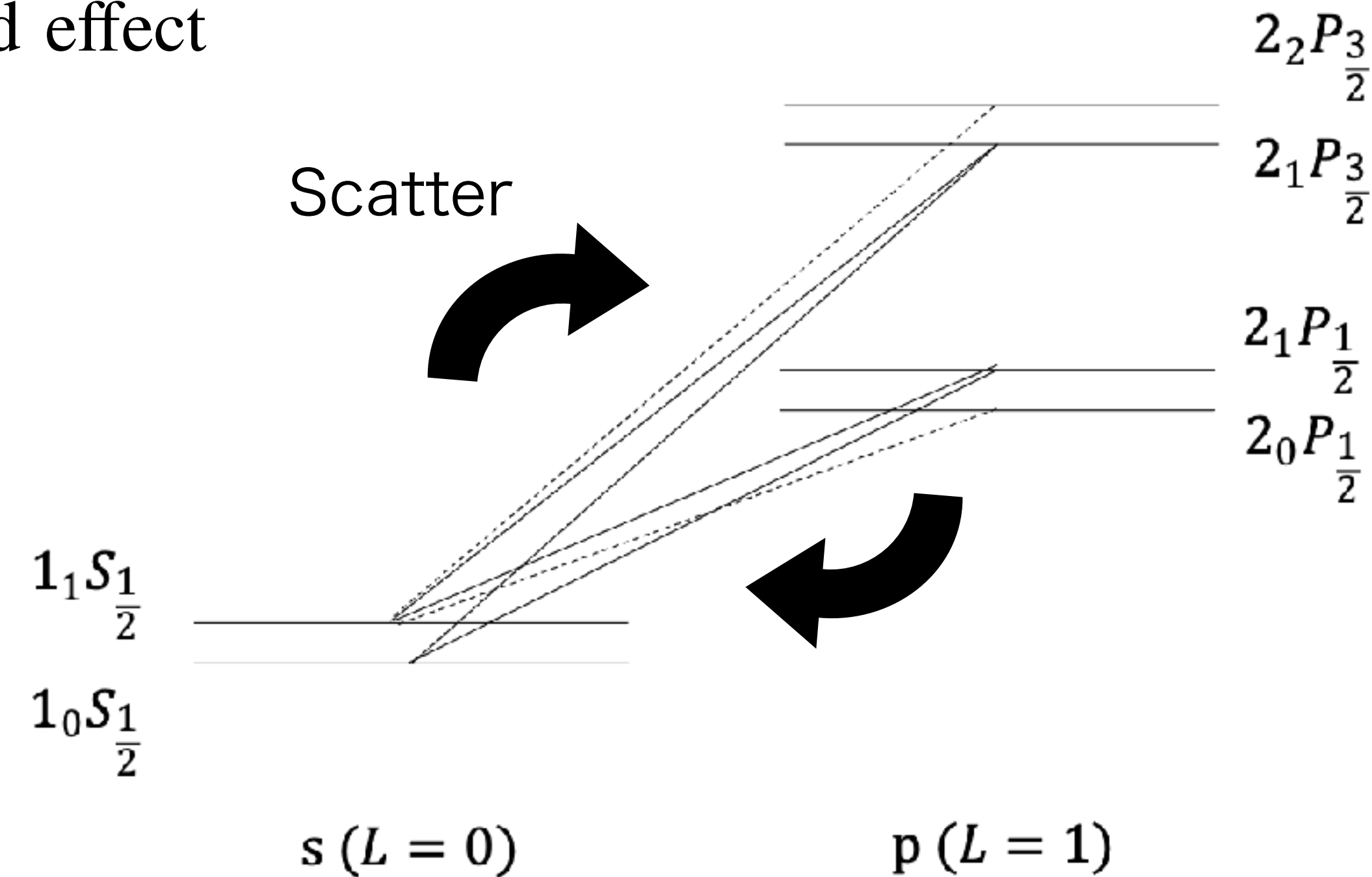
T_c is color temperature of Ly α
 T_K is gas kinetic temperature

Each T corresponds $\frac{n_1}{n_0}$ in equilibrium of temperature T.

(Furlanetto et al., 2006)

Method

Wouthythen – Field effect



$$x_\alpha = \frac{4P_\alpha h\nu_{\text{spinflip}}}{27A_0 T_{\text{CMB}}}$$

P_α is number of scatterings of $\text{Ly}\alpha$ per atom per second

$$T_s^{-1} = \frac{T_{\text{CMB}}^{-1} + x_C T_K^{-1} + x_\alpha T_c^{-1}}{1 + x_C + x_\alpha}$$

$(T_c \sim T_K)$

If x_α is large, $T_s \longrightarrow T_c$

Method

$\text{Ly}\alpha$ scattering number per atom is important.

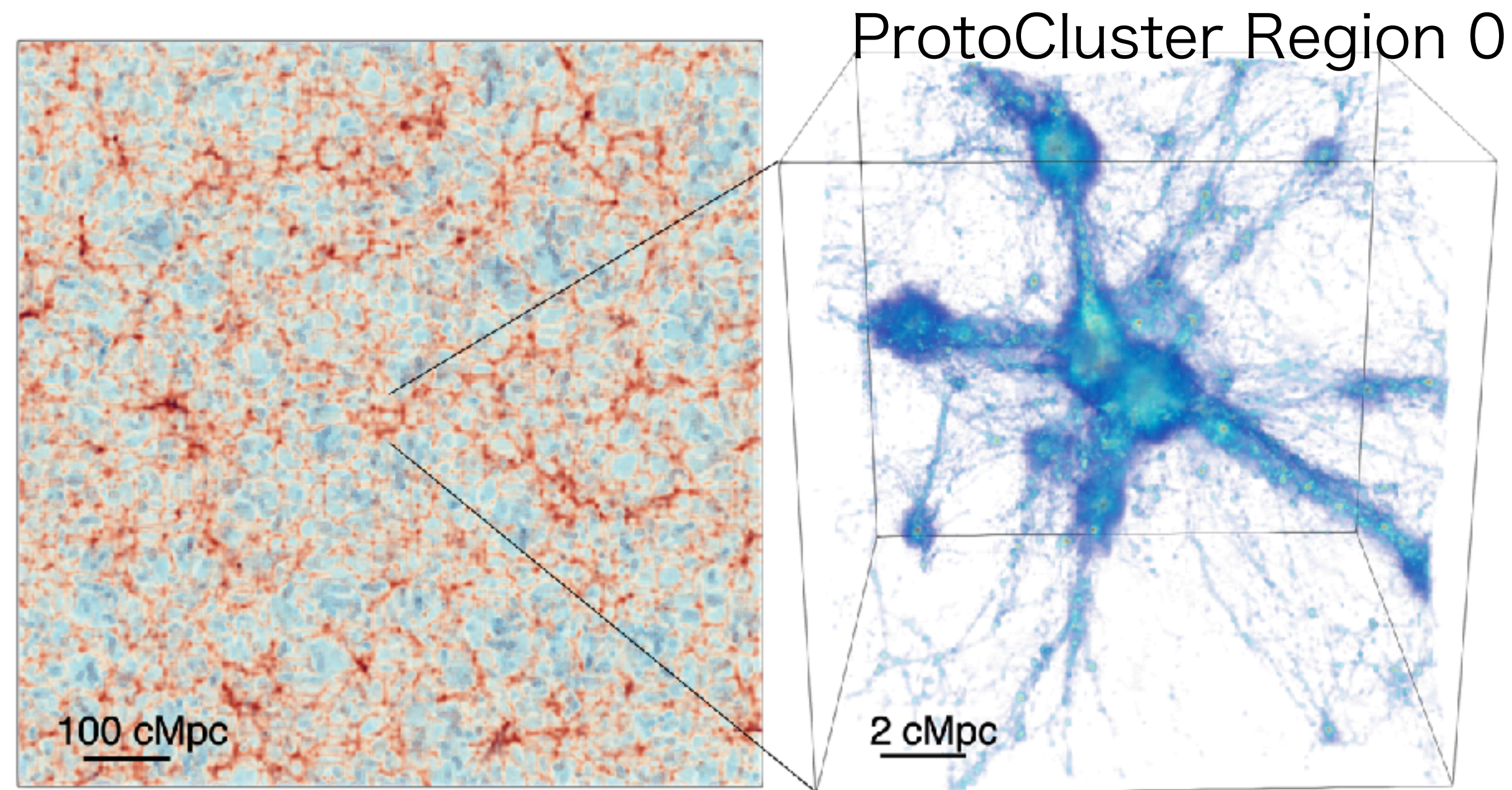
- Including cascade $\text{Ly}\alpha$ photons (Hirata ., 2006)
- Taking into $\text{Ly}\alpha$ scattering effect by boost factor per $\text{Ly}\alpha$ photon (Beak et al ., 2018)

$$N_{\text{scat}} = 8 \times 10^5 \frac{H(z = 10)}{H(z)}$$

- Optically thin approximation

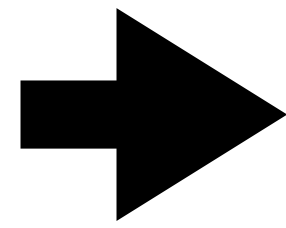
Method

The most massive halo in the simulation box



(Yajima et al . , 2020)

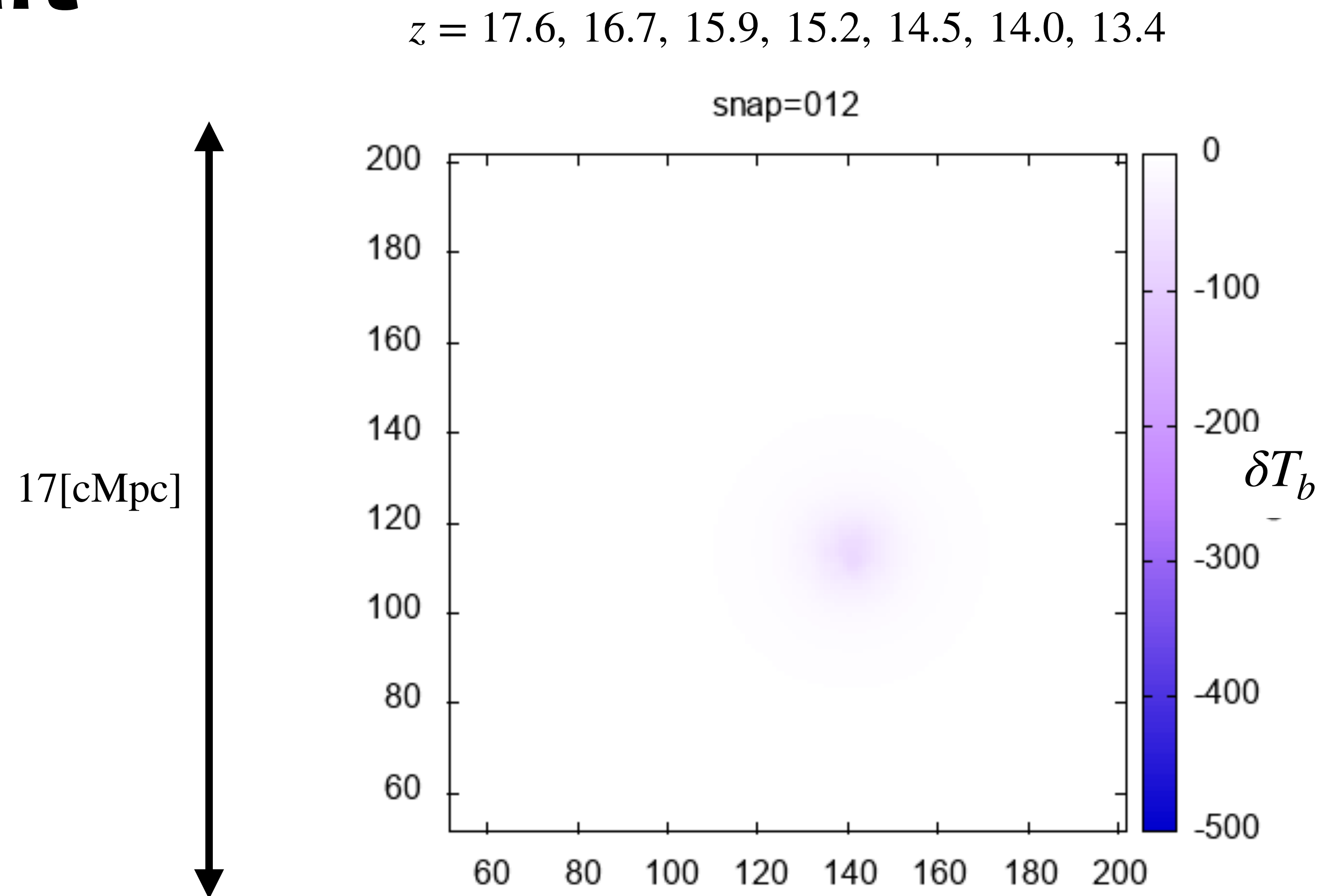
$z = 3$



Assign SPH gas particles and Haloes to 256^3 meshes.

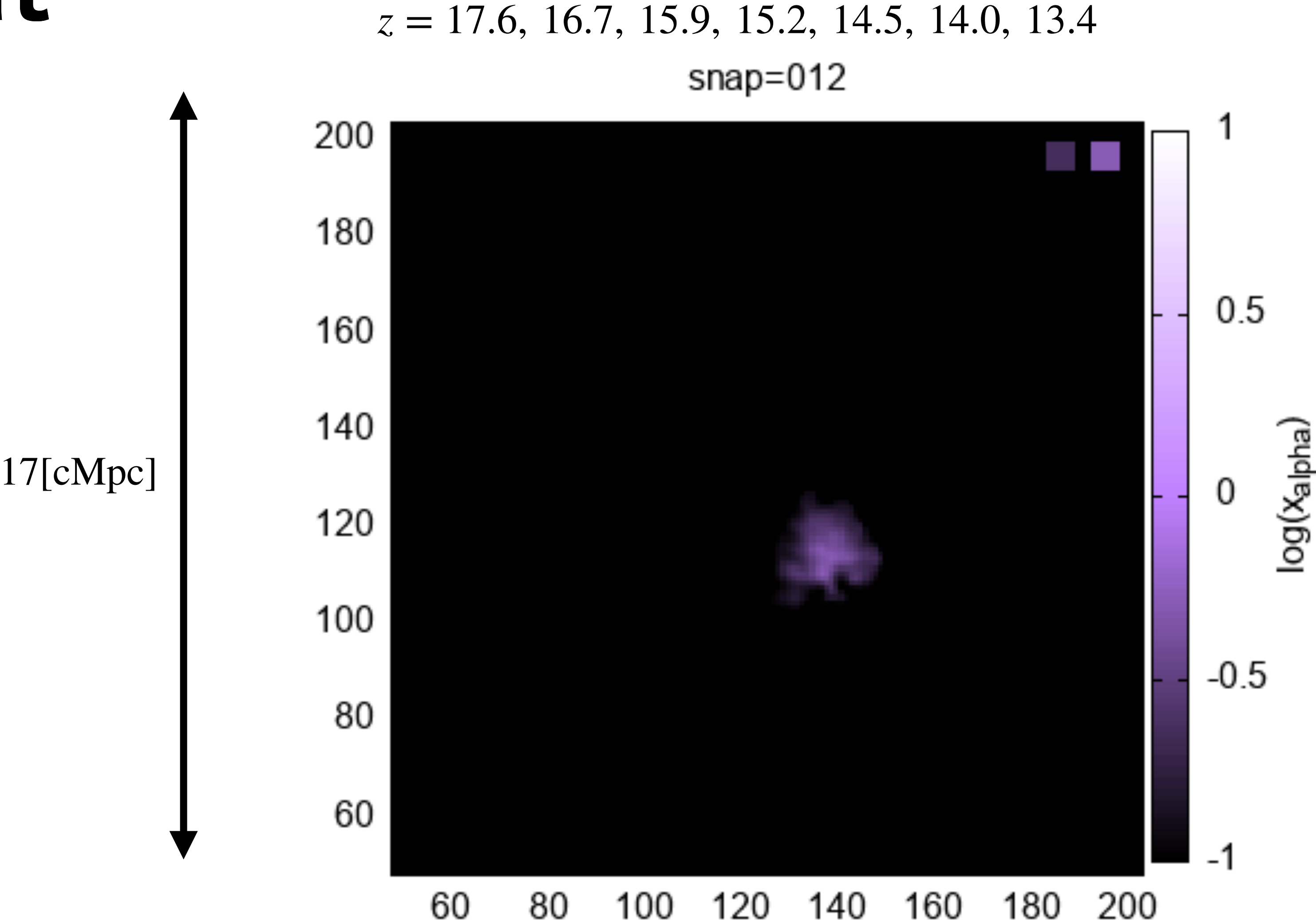
Set halo's UV radiation , $SFR(M_{sun}/yr) = 1.4 \times 10^{-28} L \nu (\text{erg s}^{-1} \text{Hz}^{-1})$ (Kenicutt 1998)

Result



$$\delta T_b = 28.1(1 + \delta)\left(1 - \frac{T_{CMB}}{T_s}\right)\sqrt{\frac{1+z}{10}}[\text{mK}]$$

Result

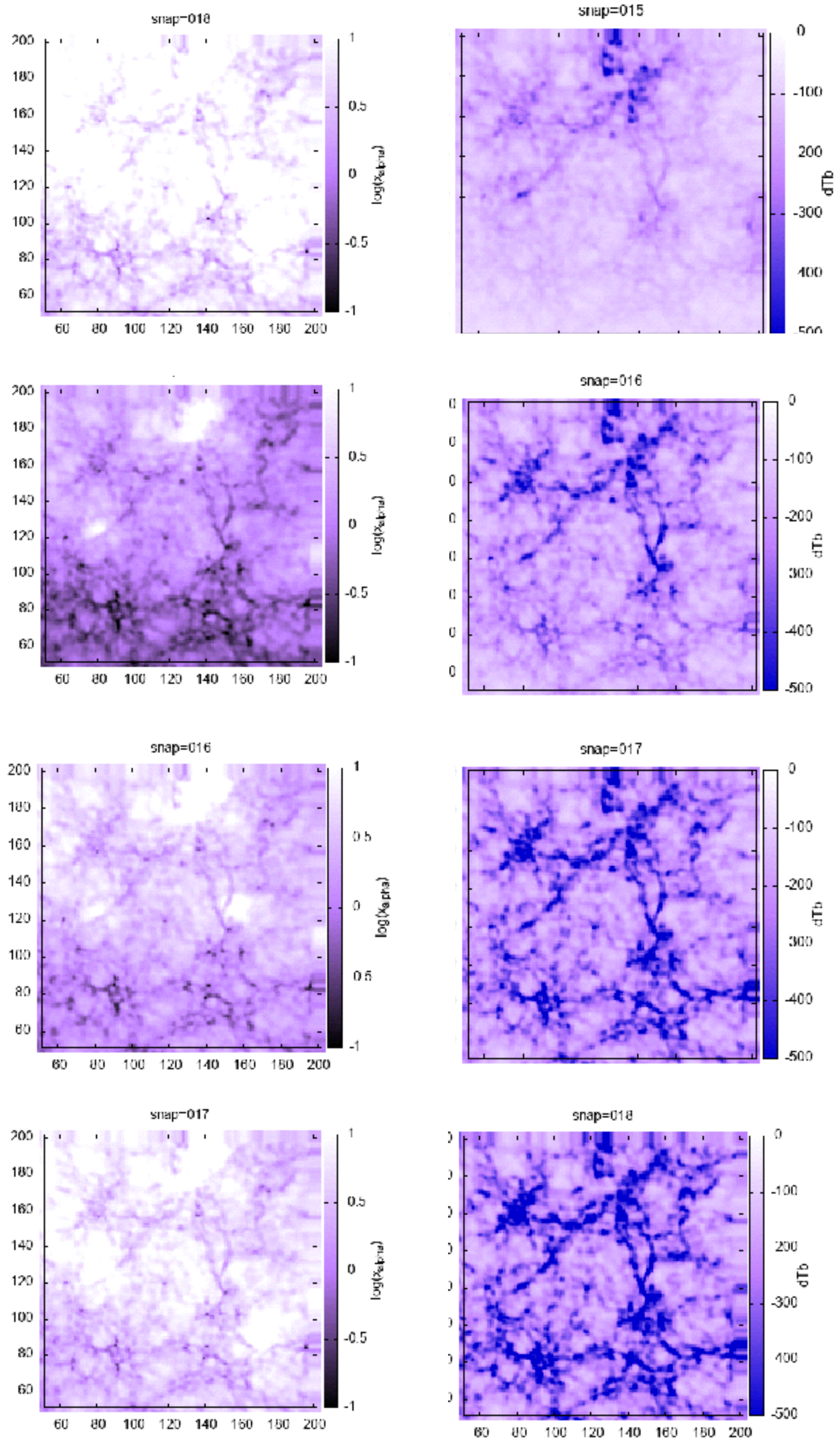
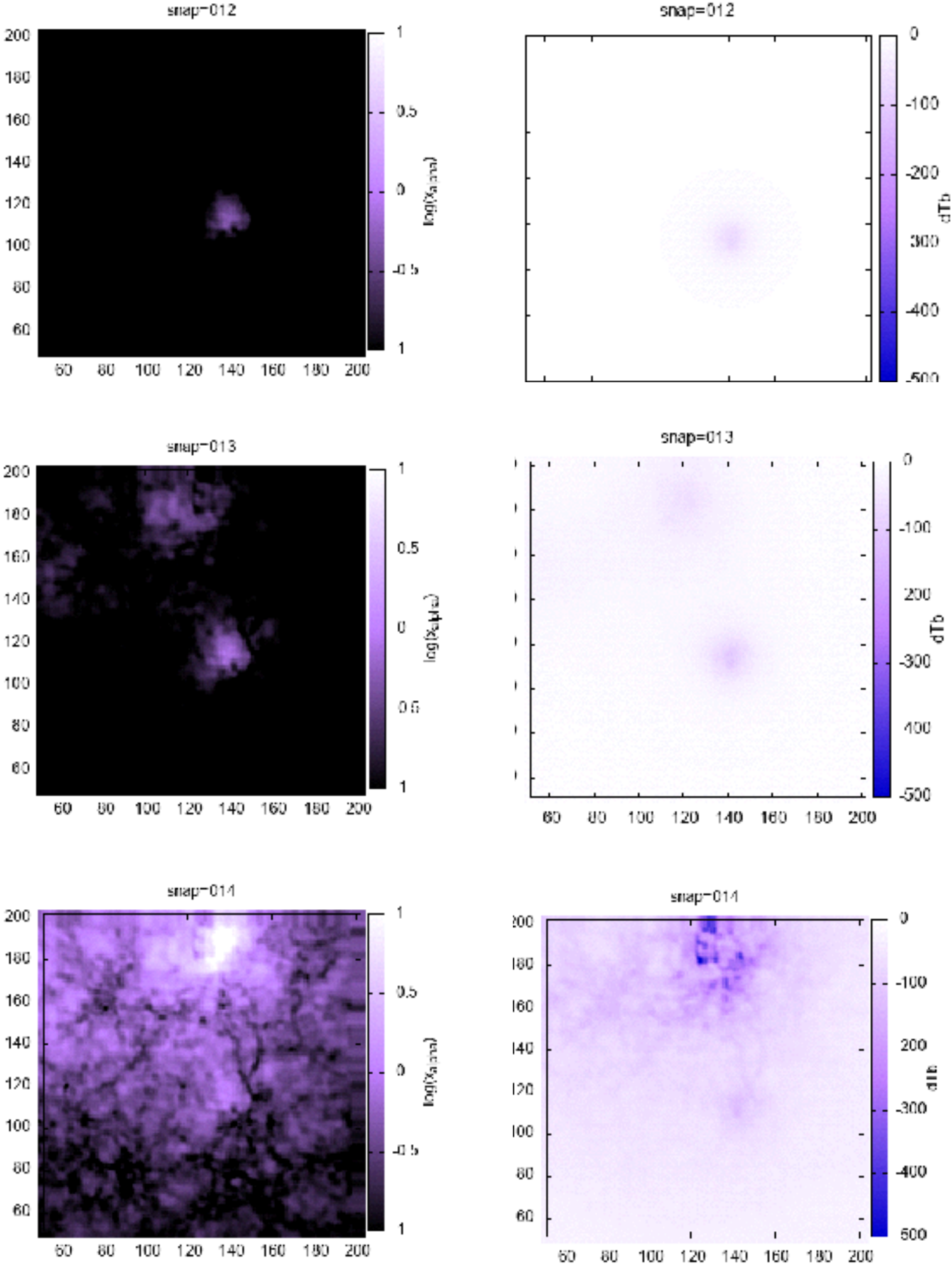


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Result

$\log x_\alpha$

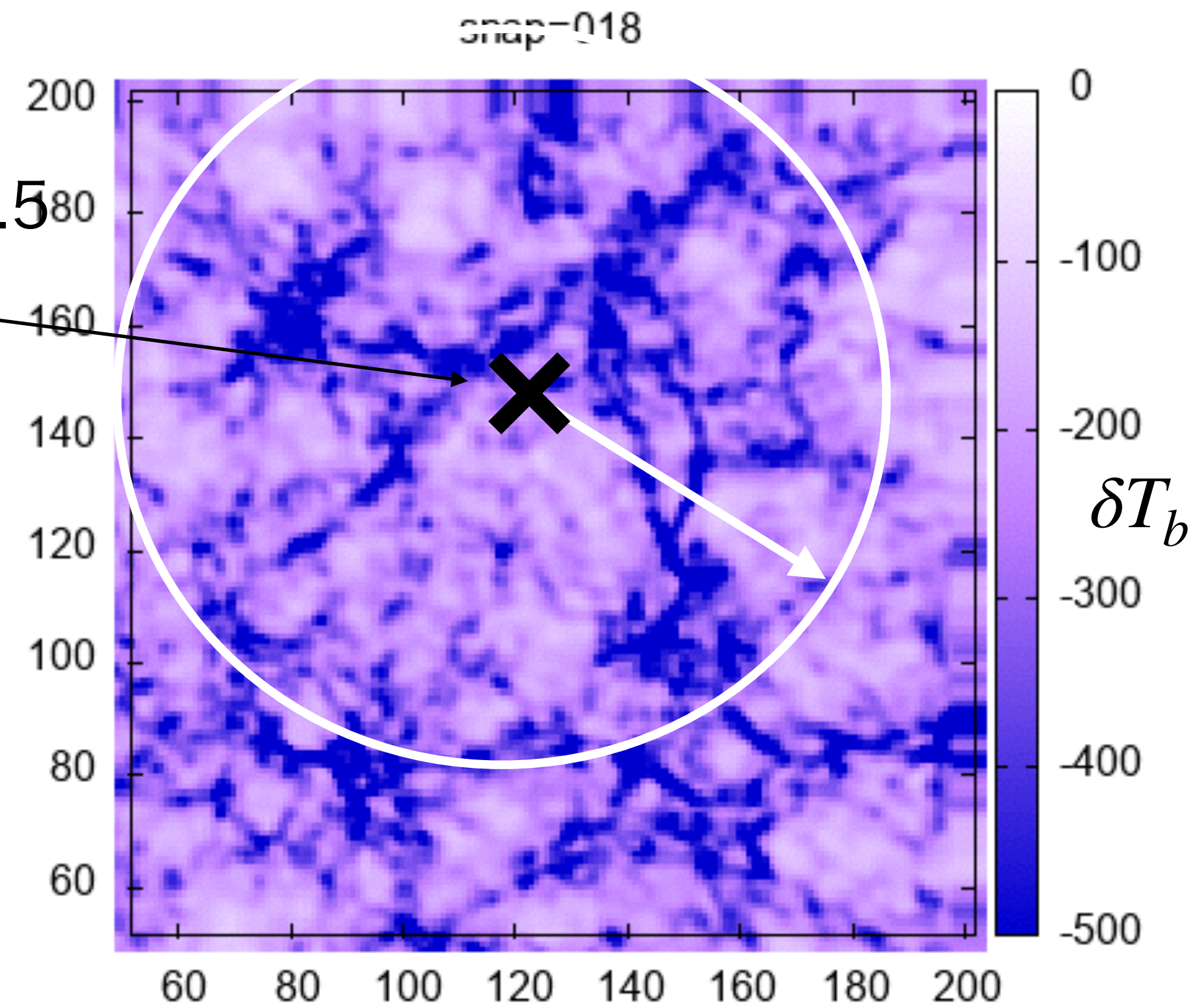
δT_b



Discussion

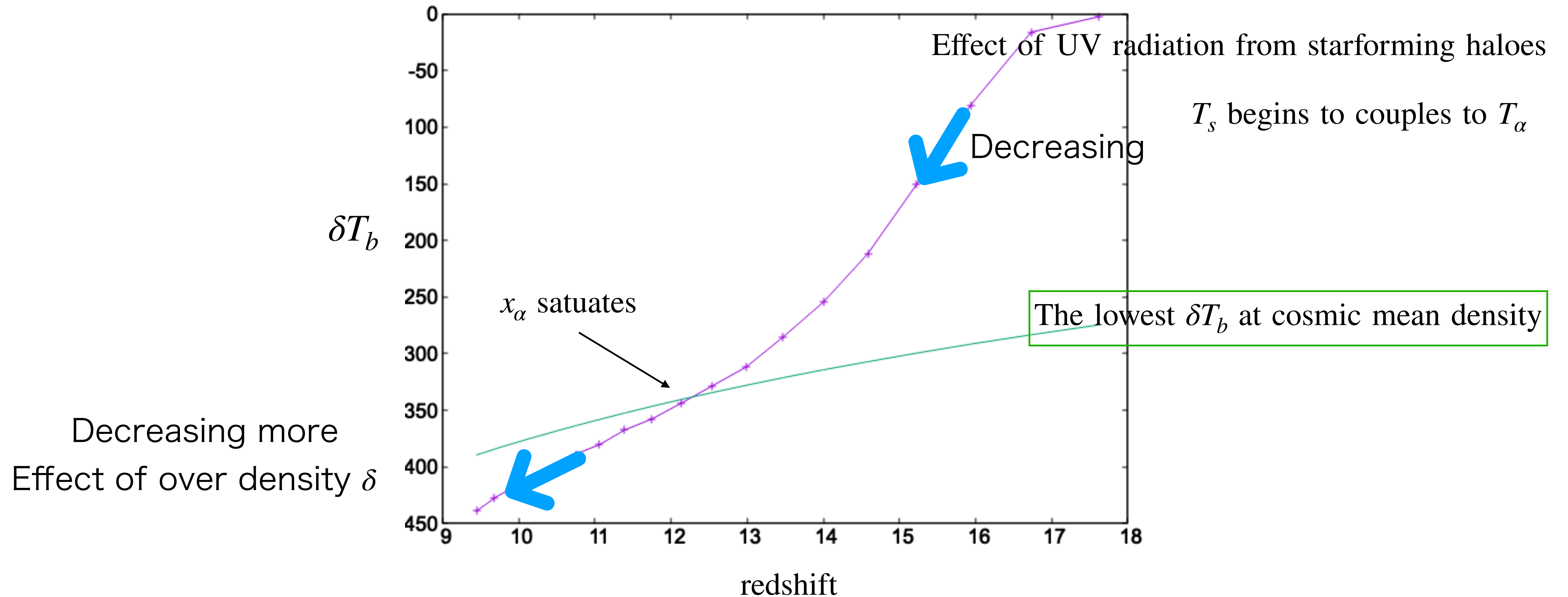
Center of haloes in map at $z=13.5$

$$R = \frac{10}{(1+z)} \text{Mpc}$$



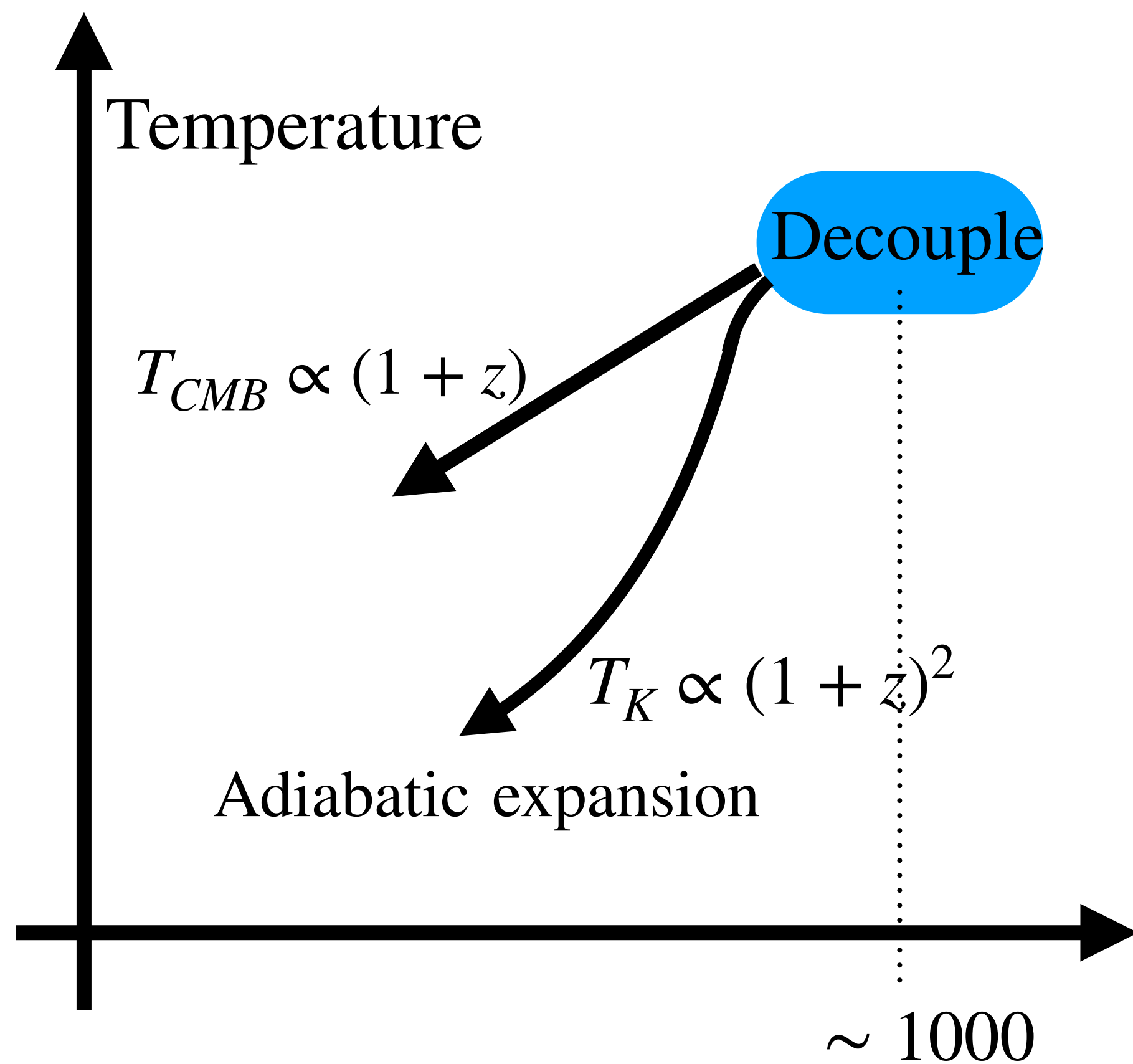
Consider radius R circle area's average value

Discussion



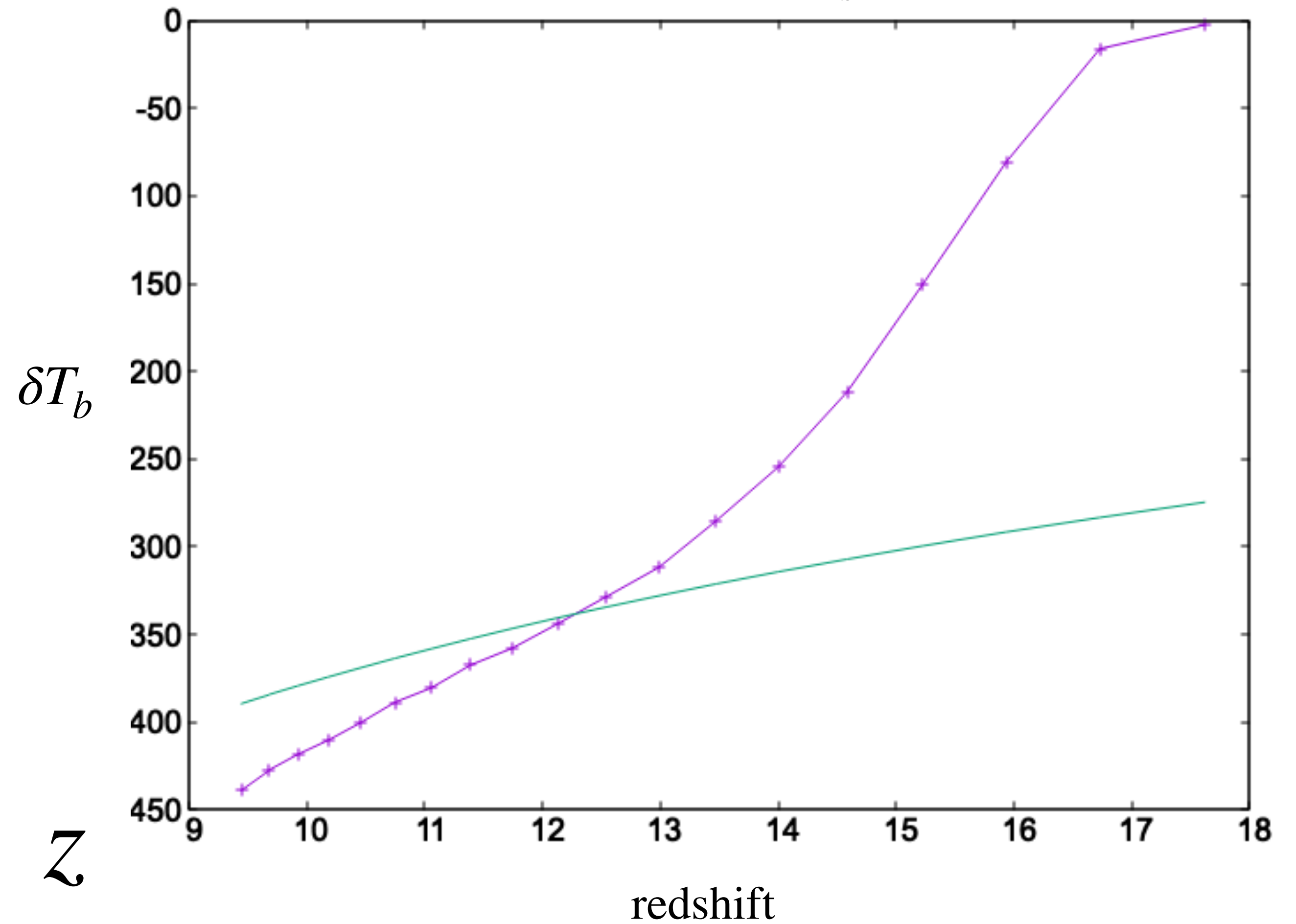
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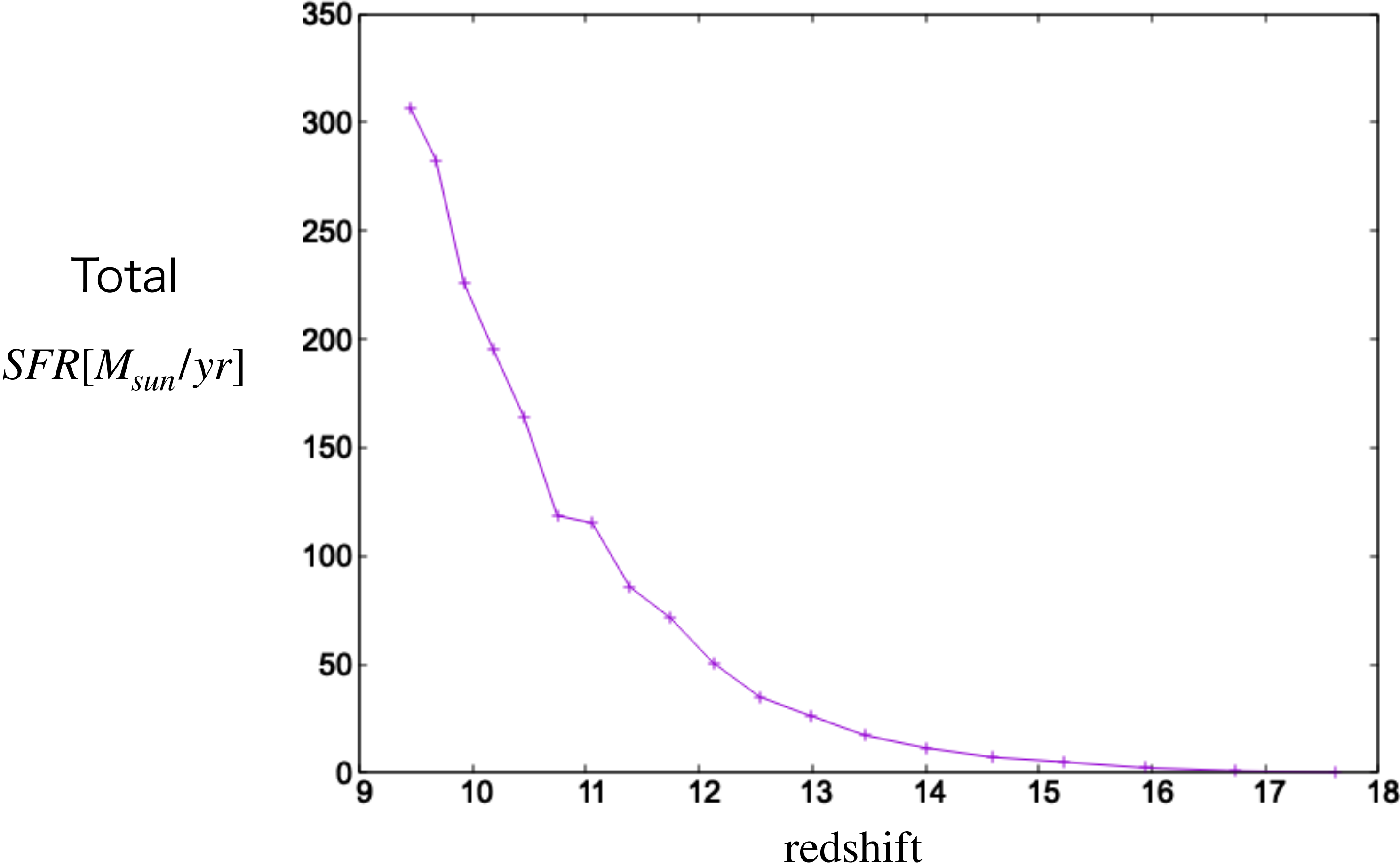


Thermal history of the universe

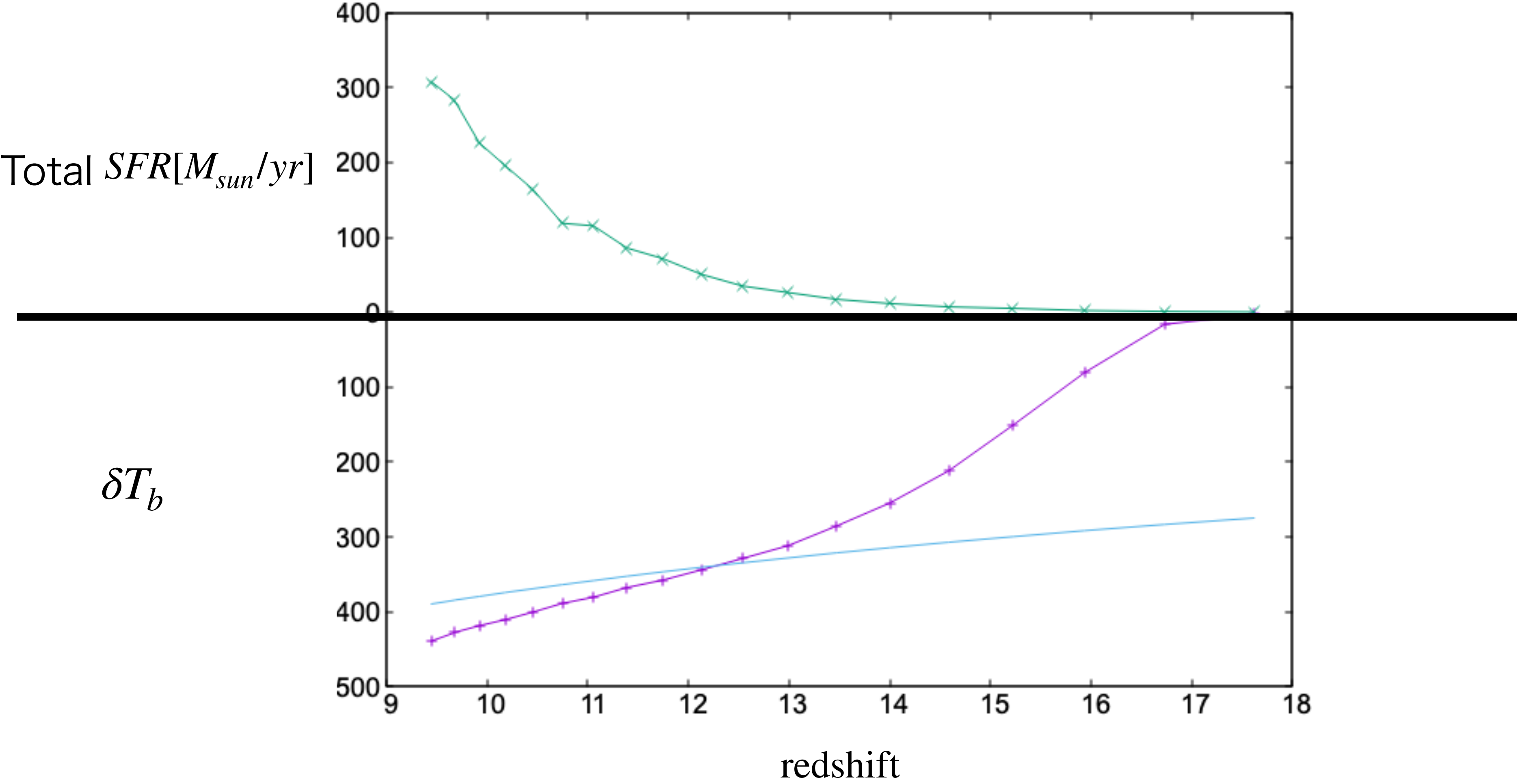
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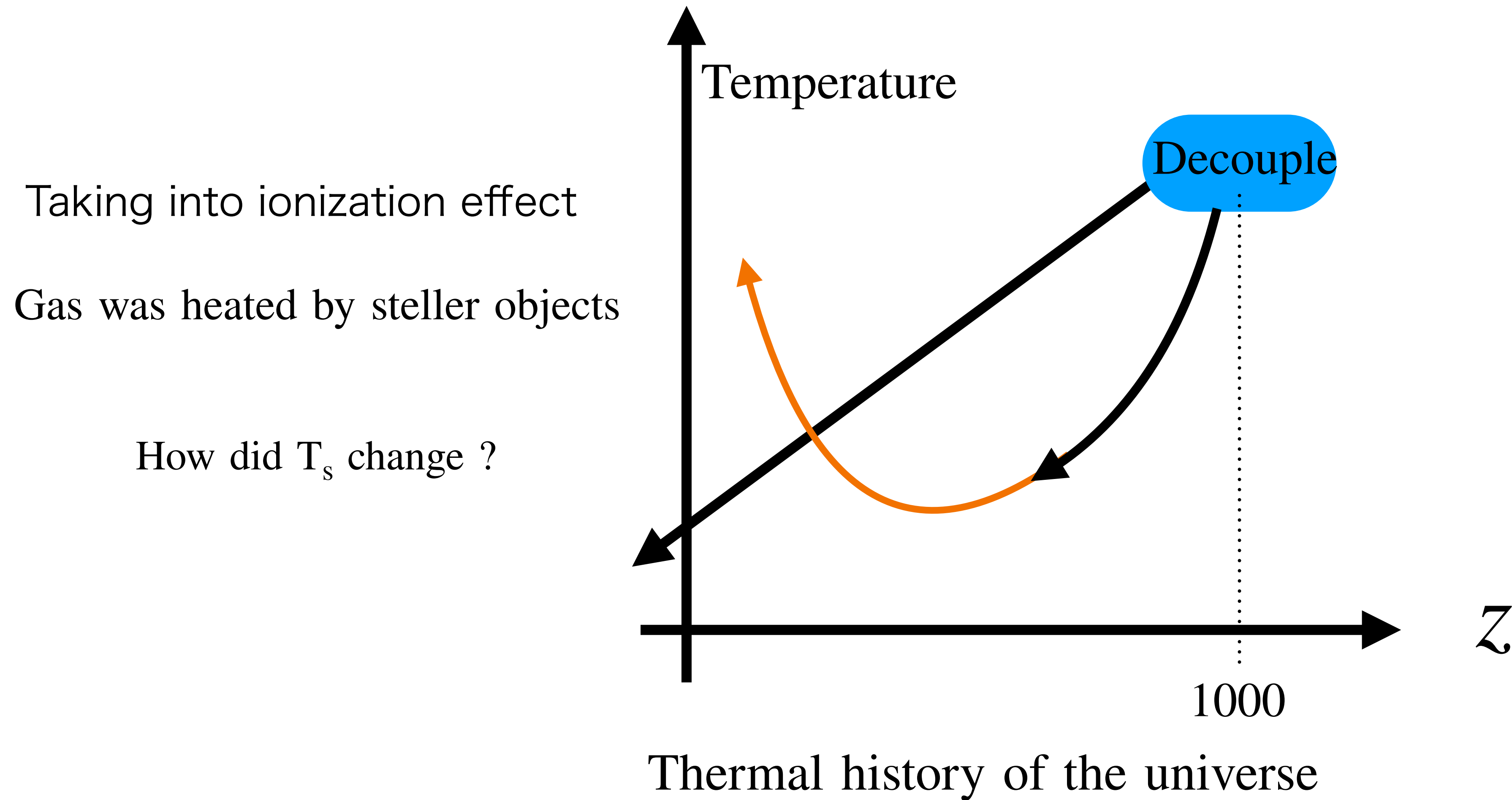
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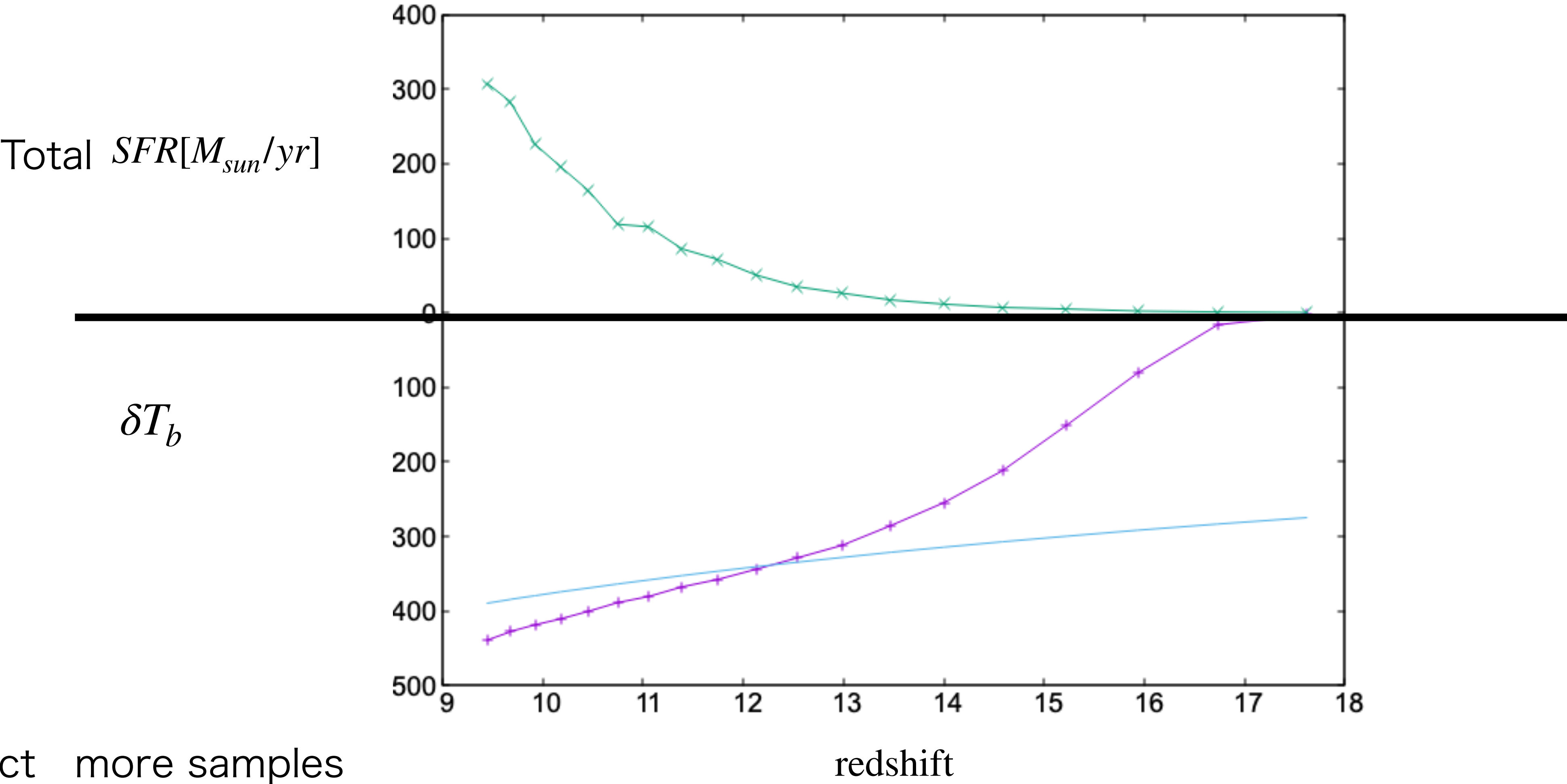
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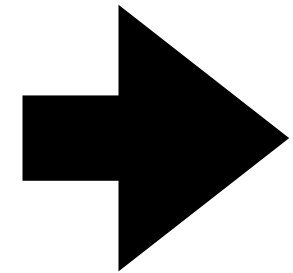
Future work2



Future work

Future work 1

Future work 2



- To understand the relation between 21cm signal and star formation ,evolution precisely.
- To make some limitation for first star and galaxy formation.