



DARK ENERGY SPECTROSCOPIC INSTRUMENT

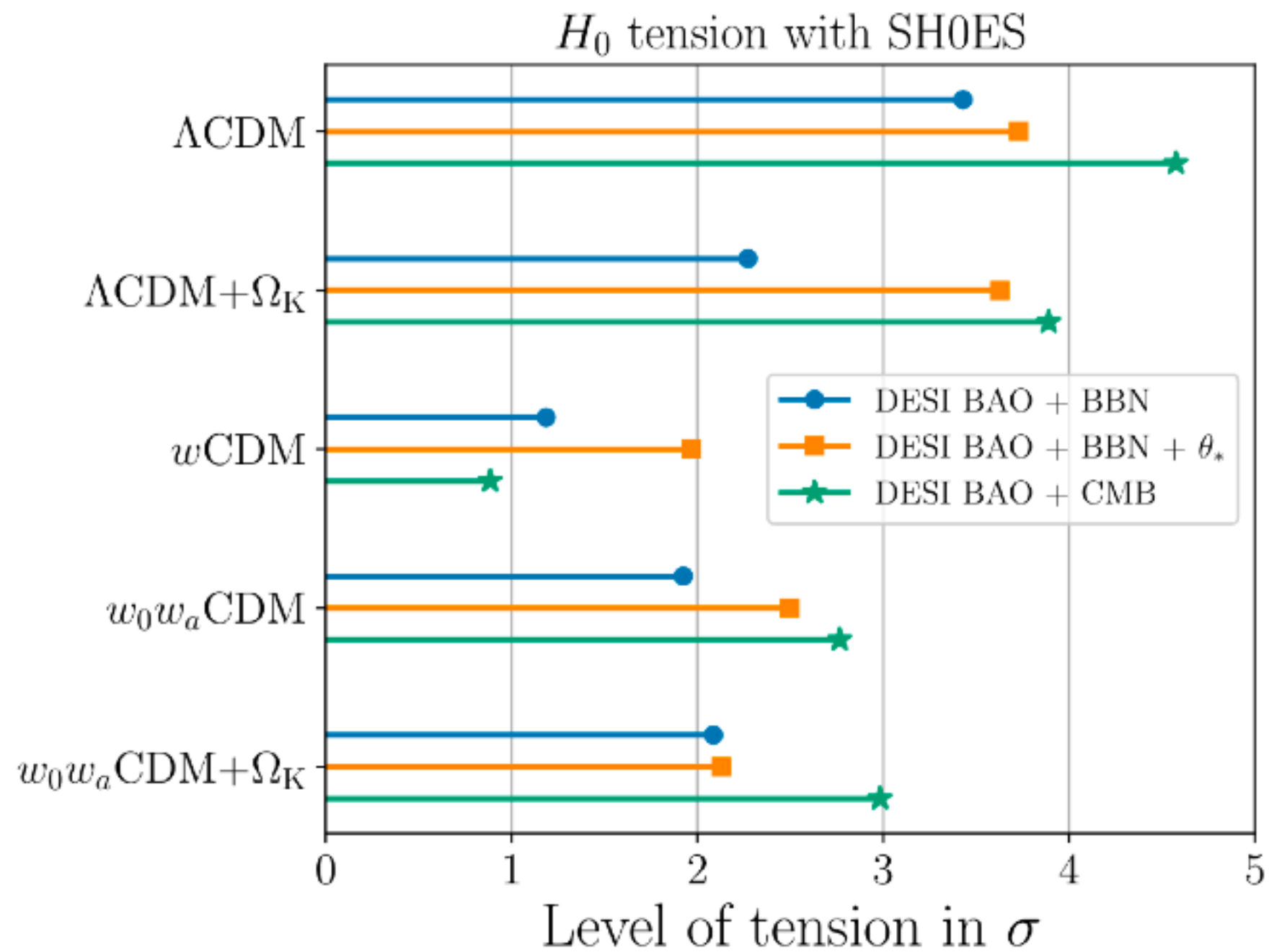
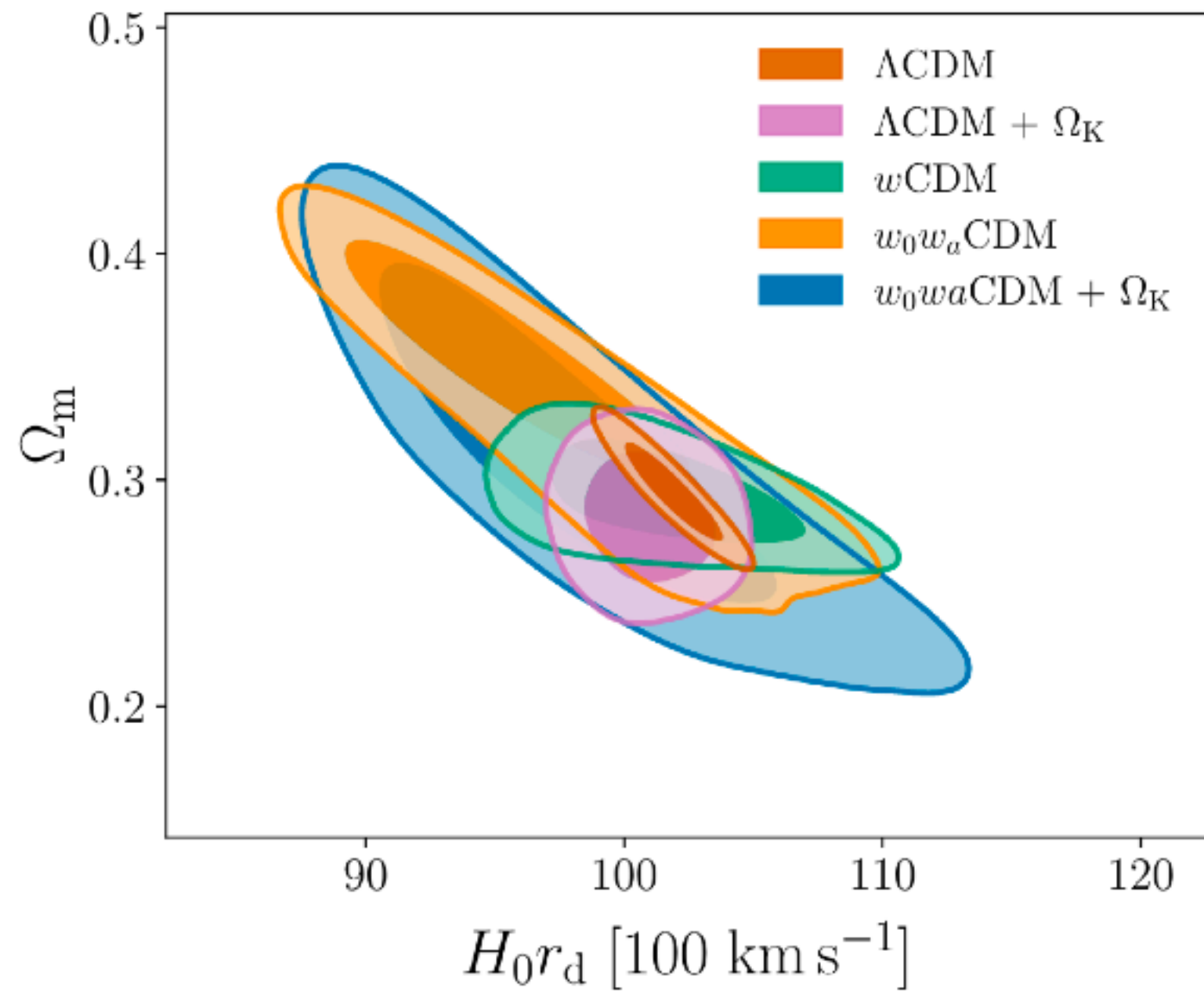
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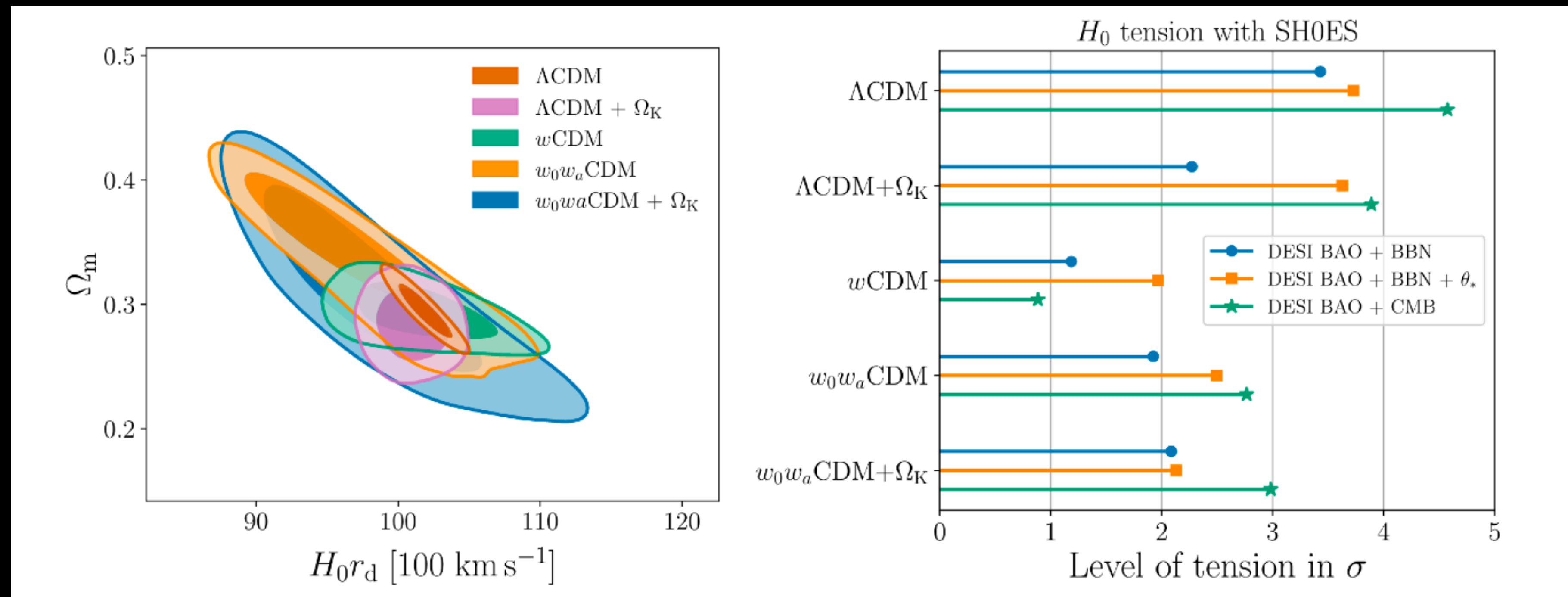
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Hubble tension?

- Extension models: modify the background geometry or late-time expansion history
- The calibration of the sound horizon using BBN relies on assumptions about the physics at the time of BBN: effective number of relativistic degrees of freedom, N_{eff}



Summary

- DESI + BBN (+ θ_*) constrains H_0 to $\sim 1\%$; 3.7σ tension w/ SH0ES
- DESI, in combination with CMB data, favors zero spatial curvature
- DESI is consistent with $w = -1$ when w assumed constant
- When w allowed to vary with time:
 - DESI combined with CMB: 2.6σ tension with $(w_0, w_a) = (-1, 0)$
 - Adding SN leads to **2.5, 3.5, 3.9 σ tension** with $(w_0, w_a) = (-1, 0)$.
(Discrepancy depends on the SN sample used)
 - Limit on $\sum m_\nu$ improves to < 0.072 eV(95 %, Λ CDM); < 0.195 eV(95 %, $w_0 w_a$ CDM)