



# Cosmological Analysis of South Pole Telescope-detected Galaxy Clusters

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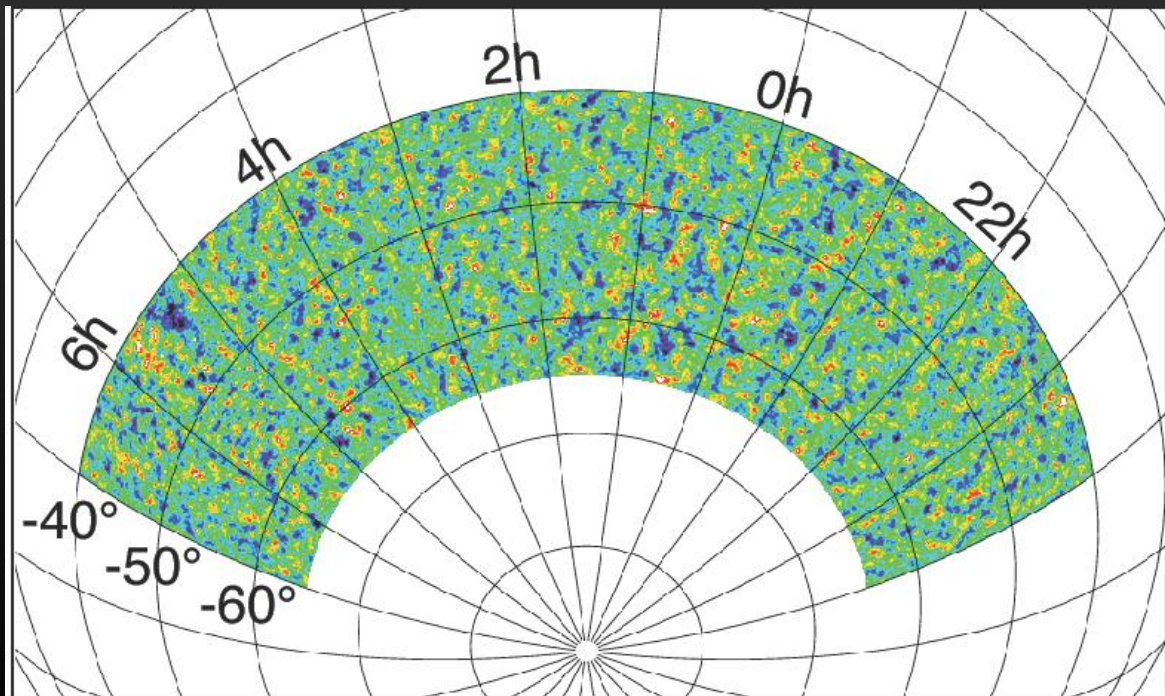
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# 2500 square-degree SPT-SZ survey

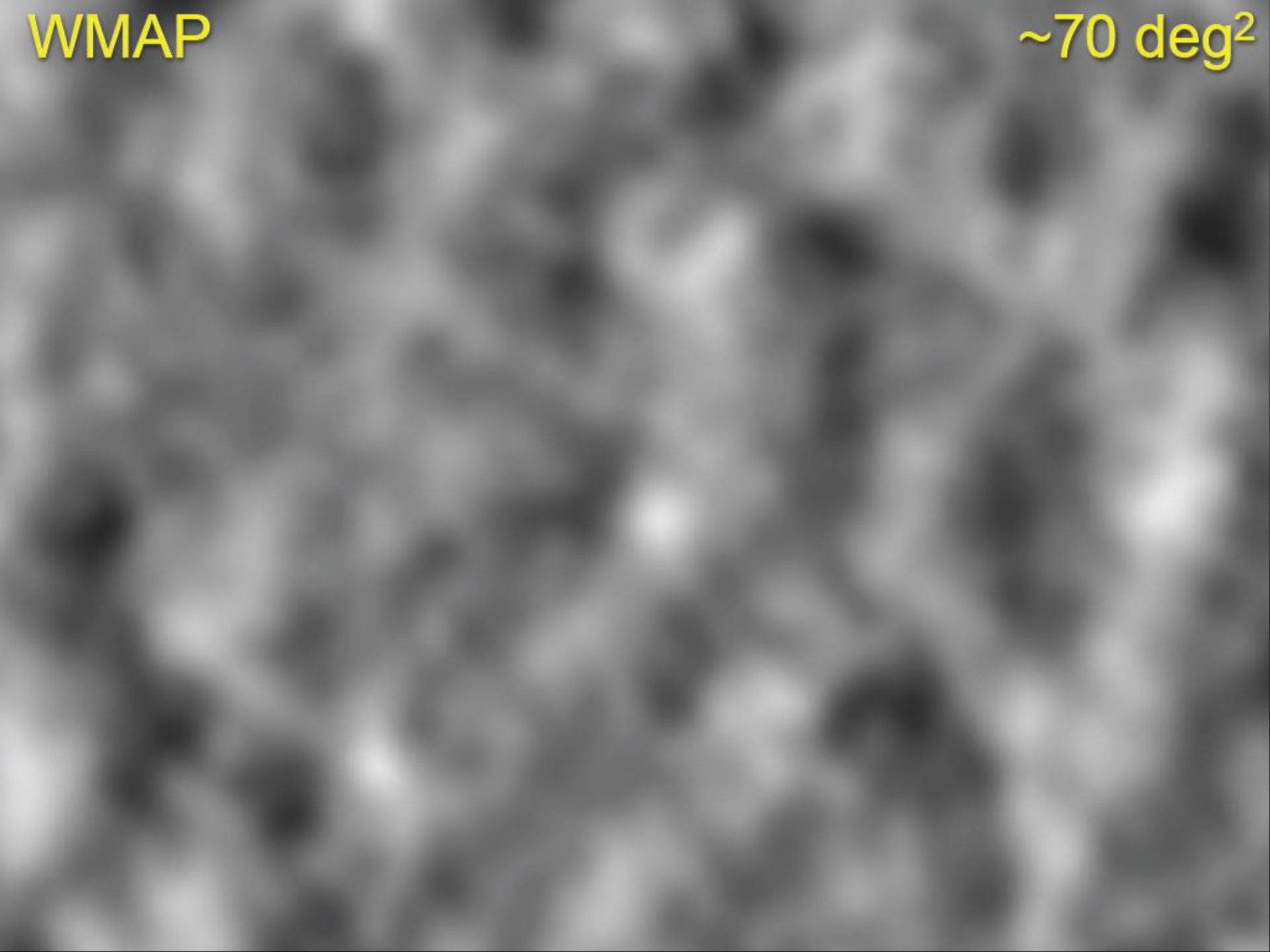
- 5 year survey (2007 to 2011)
- 95 GHz: 40  $\mu\text{K}$ -arcmin
- 150 GHz: 18  $\mu\text{K}$ -arcmin
- 220 GHz: 70  $\mu\text{K}$ -arcmin



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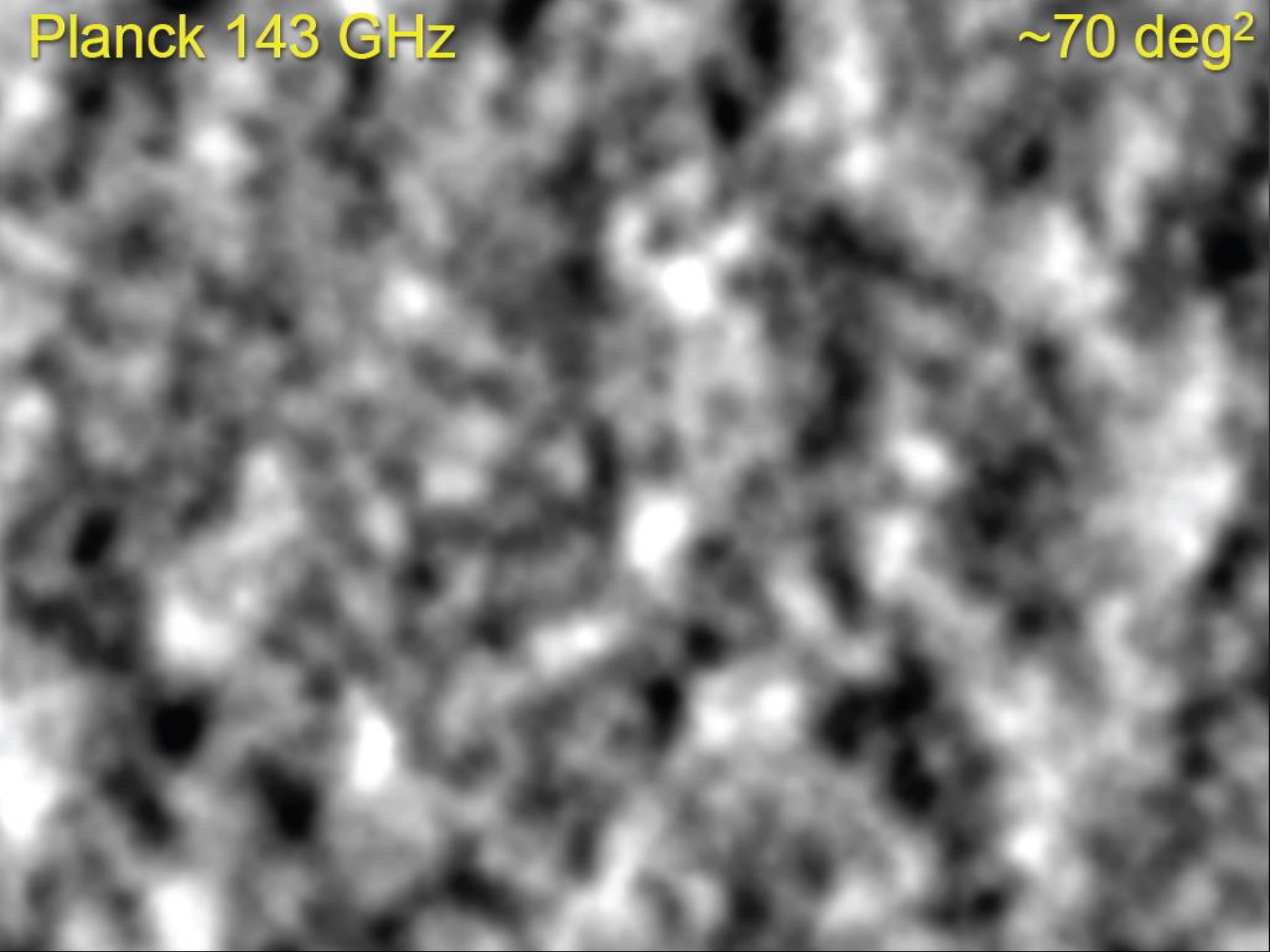
WMAP

$\sim 70 \text{ deg}^2$



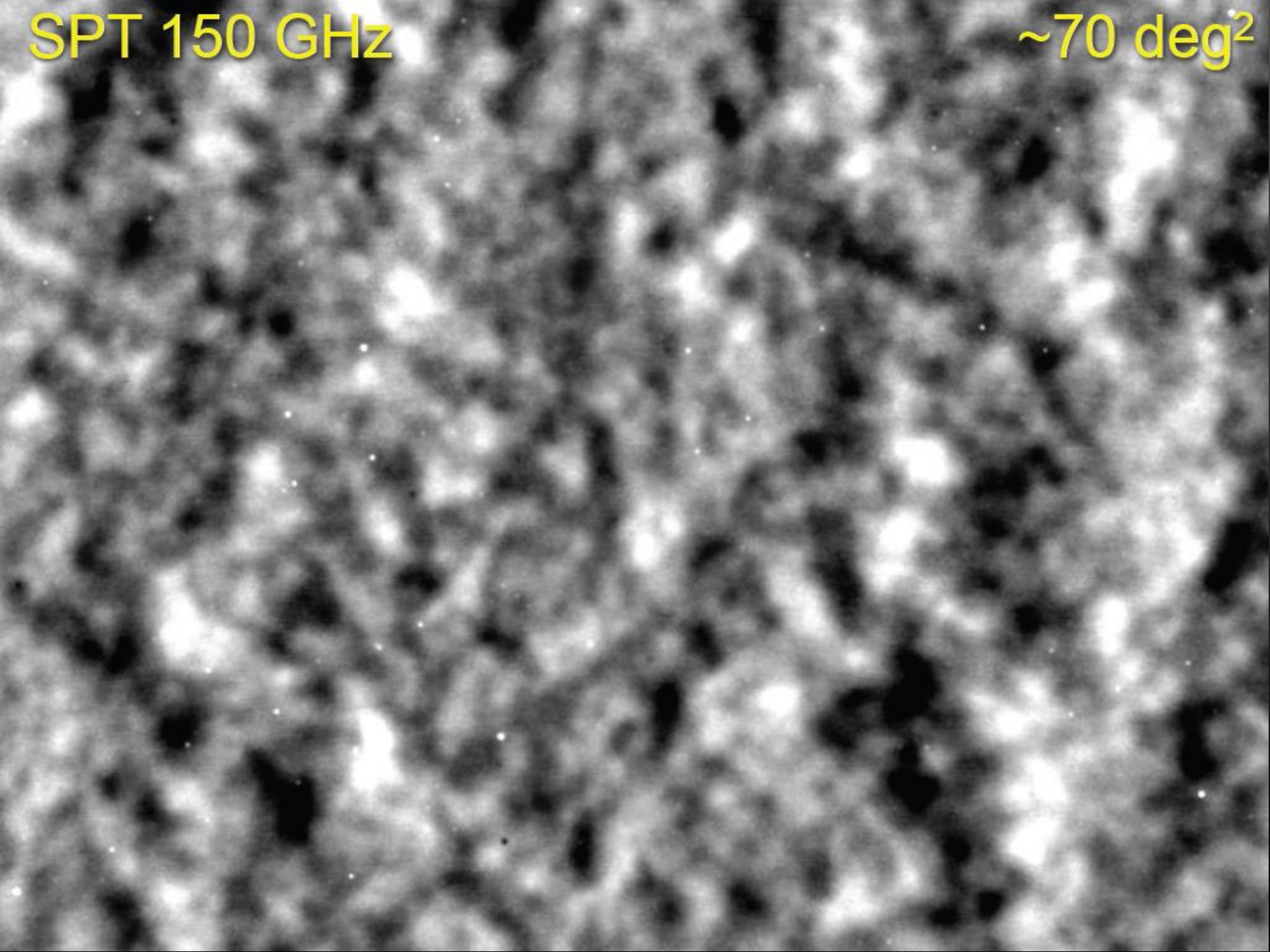
Planck 143 GHz

$\sim 70 \text{ deg}^2$



SPT 150 GHz

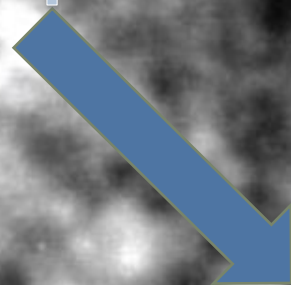
~70 deg<sup>2</sup>



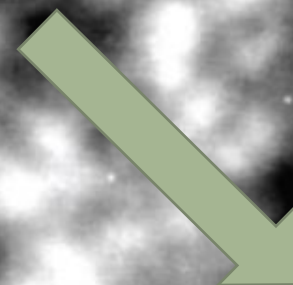
**SPT 150 GHz**

**~70 deg<sup>2</sup>**

**Primary CMB  
anisotropies**



**Point sources:  
AGN, lensed SMGs**

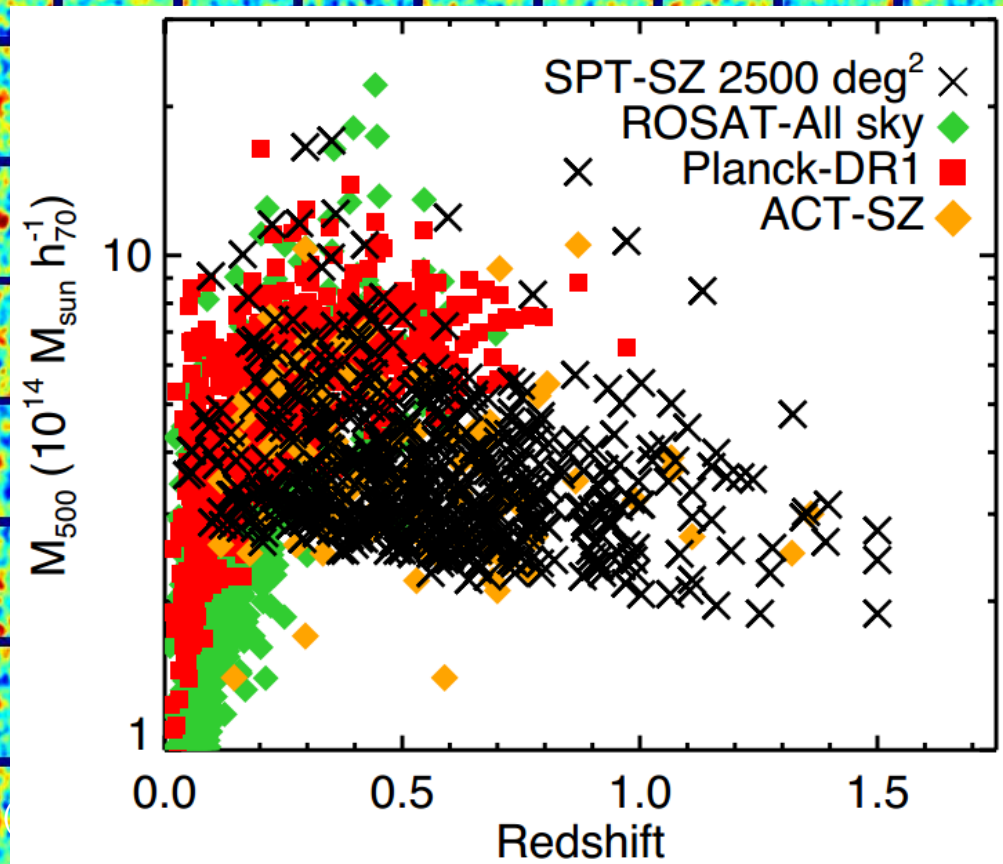


**Massive  
Galaxy Clusters**



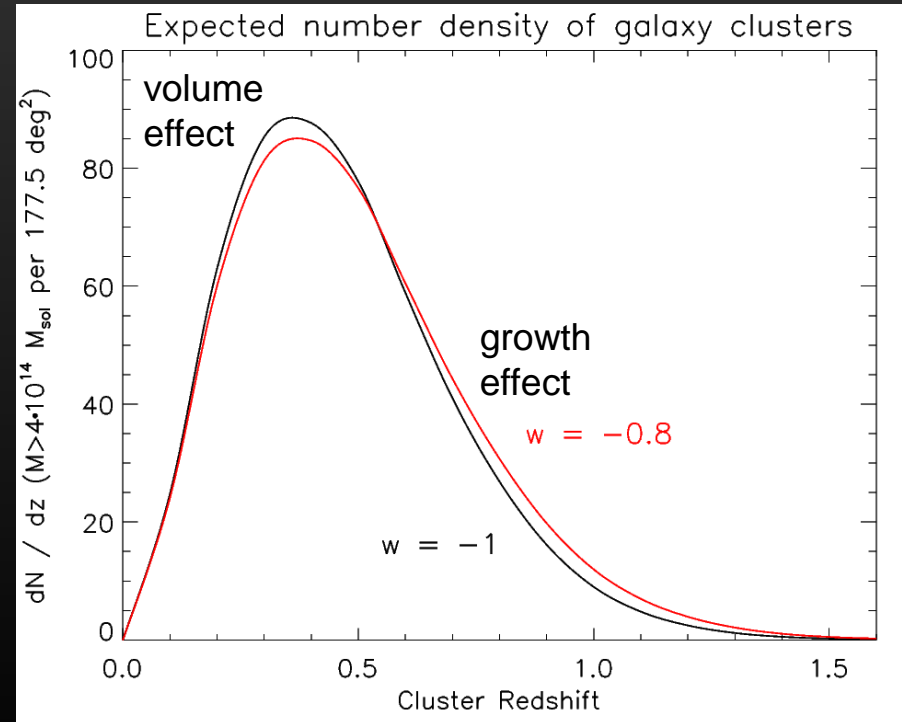
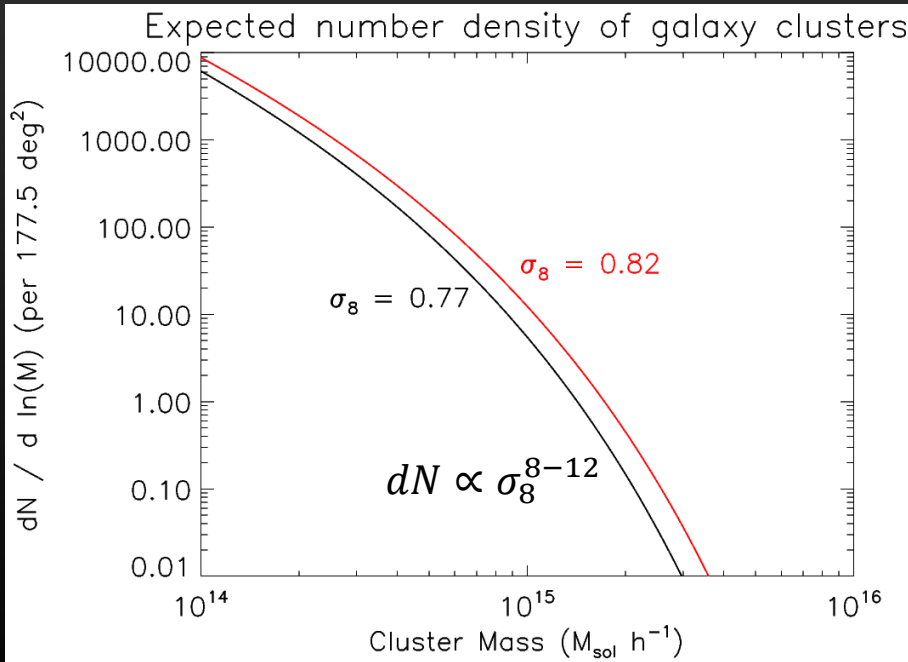
# Cluster Catalog

~400 clusters in  
cosmology sample  
(detected at  $>5\sigma$ )



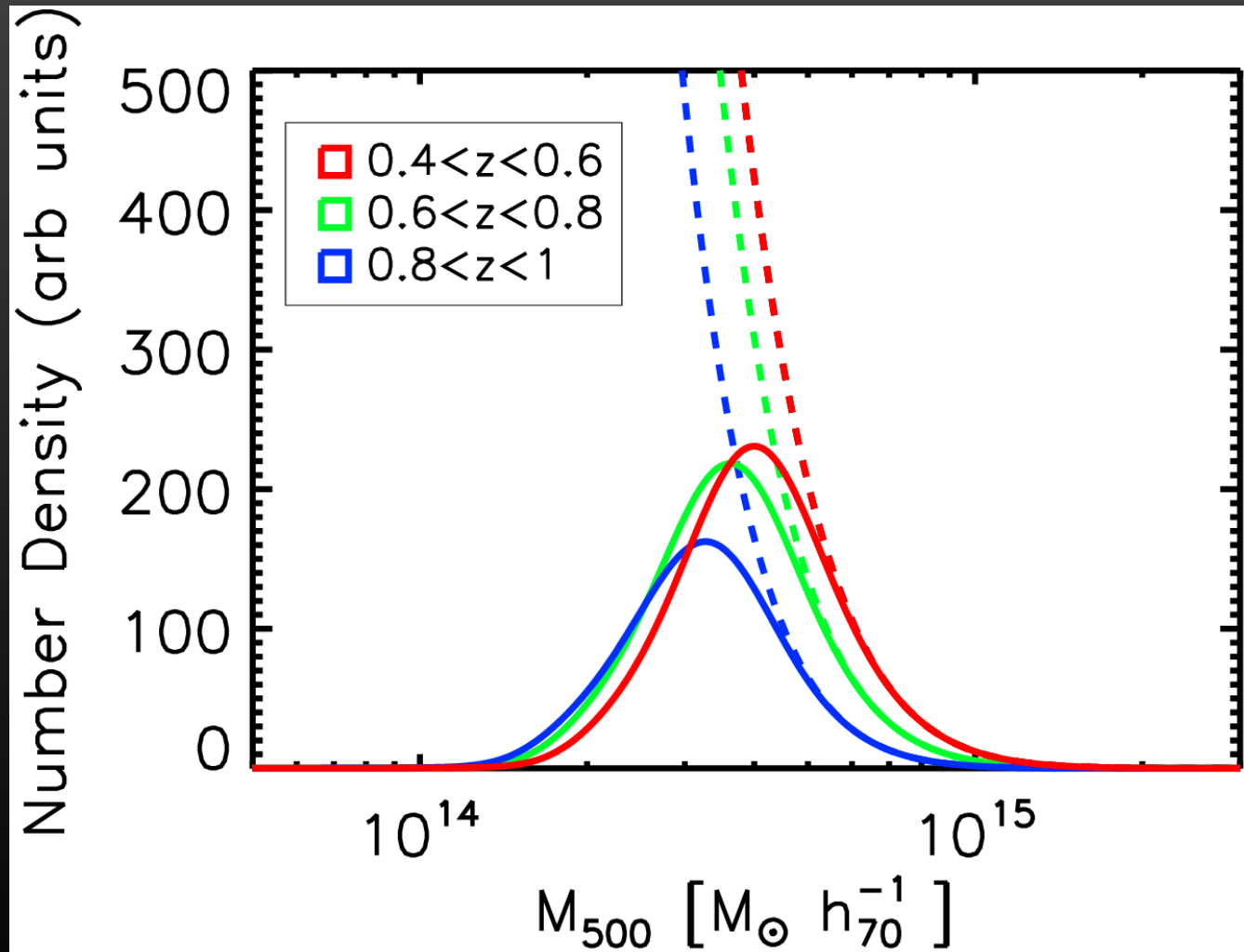
# Counting Galaxy Clusters

- Abundance as a function of mass and redshift (“mass function”) is robustly predicted from N-body simulations
- Mass function is extremely sensitive to cosmological parameters
  - $\Lambda$ CDM  $\sigma_8 (\Omega_M/0.27)^{0.3}$
  - Dark energy ( $w, w_a$ )
  - Neutrino Mass  $\sum m_\nu$



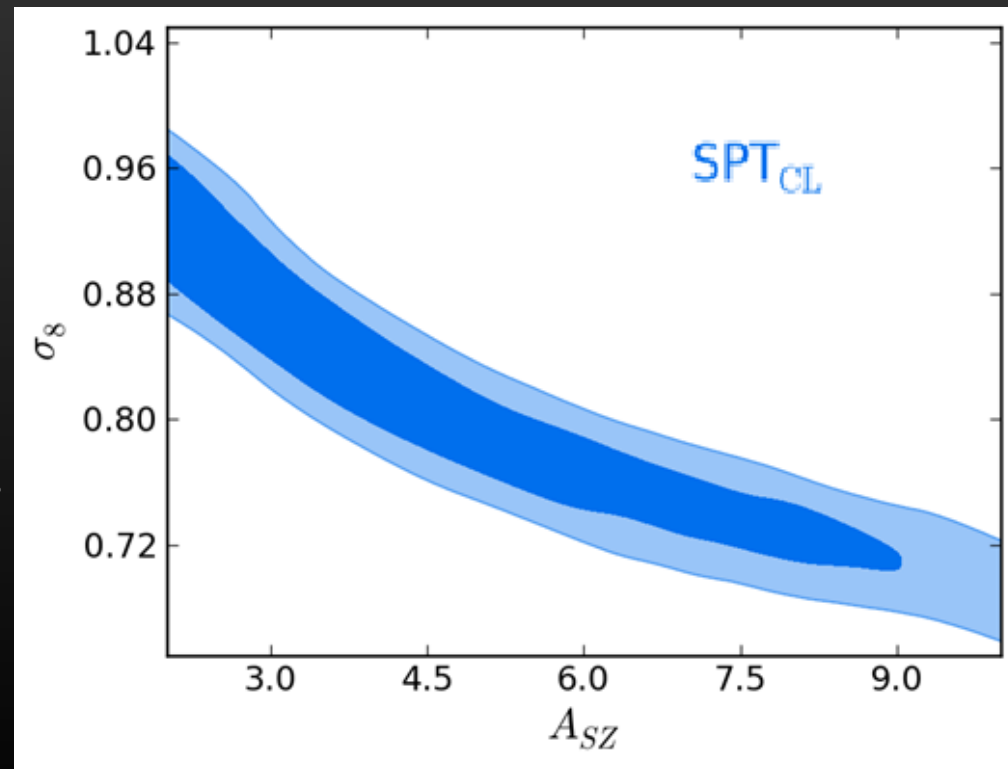


# Selection Function



# Mass Scale of the SPT-SZ Sample

- Statistical (Poisson) uncertainties are very good
  - Error on measured number counts:  $1/\sqrt{400}$
  - Implies 0.5% on  $\sigma_8$  (compare to 2% Planck measurement of  $0.829 \pm 0.14$  in  $\Lambda$ CDM)
  - Ability to break degeneracies in extensions to  $\Lambda$ CDM
- Systematics limited ->
- We assume a 30% error on SZ normalization from cosmo-OWLS simulations
- Dominates uncertainties on cosmological parameters
- Need for determining the mass scale from multi-wavelength follow-up



# Multi-wavelength mass measurements

Chandra



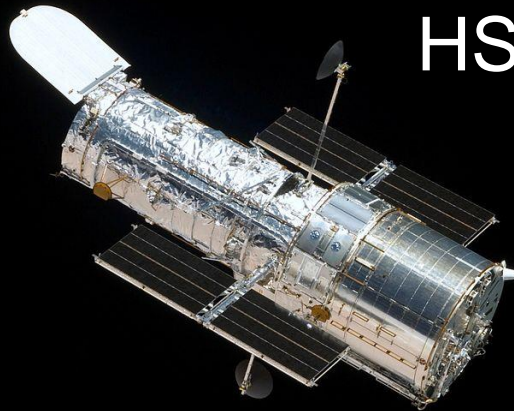
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Magellan



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HST



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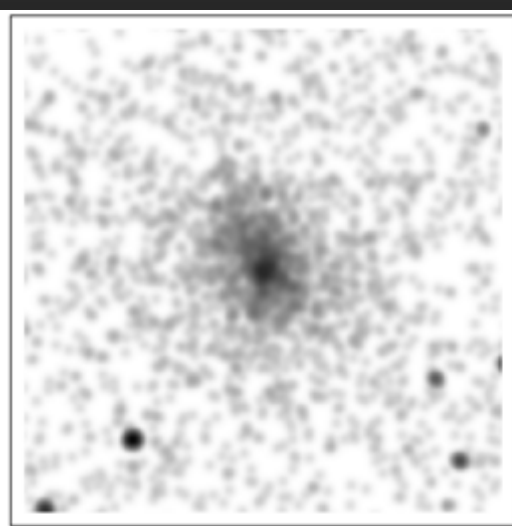
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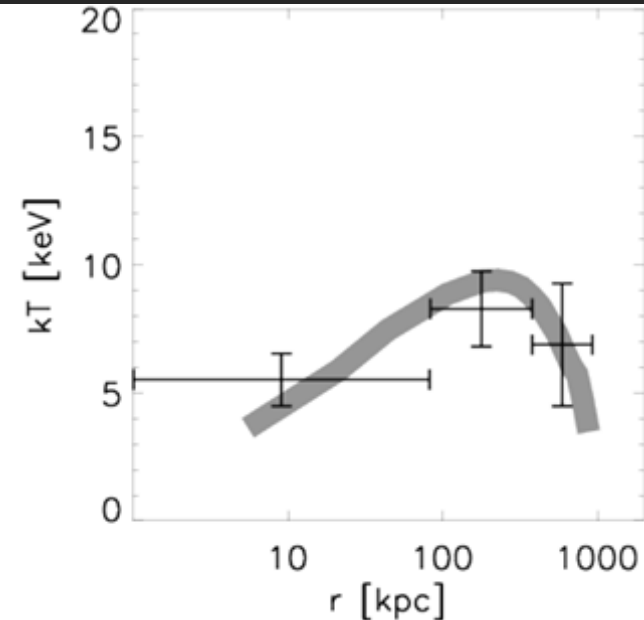
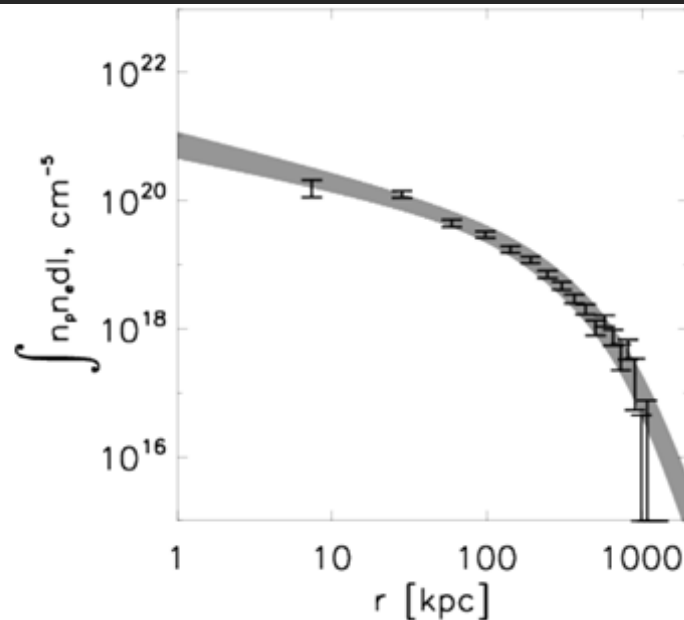
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# Chandra Observations

- Awarded 3.2 Ms of Chandra time
- ~90 clusters observed @ ~2k photons
- $Y_X = T_X \times M_{gas}$
- $Y_X - M$  relation determined through hydrostatic mass estimates at low redshift

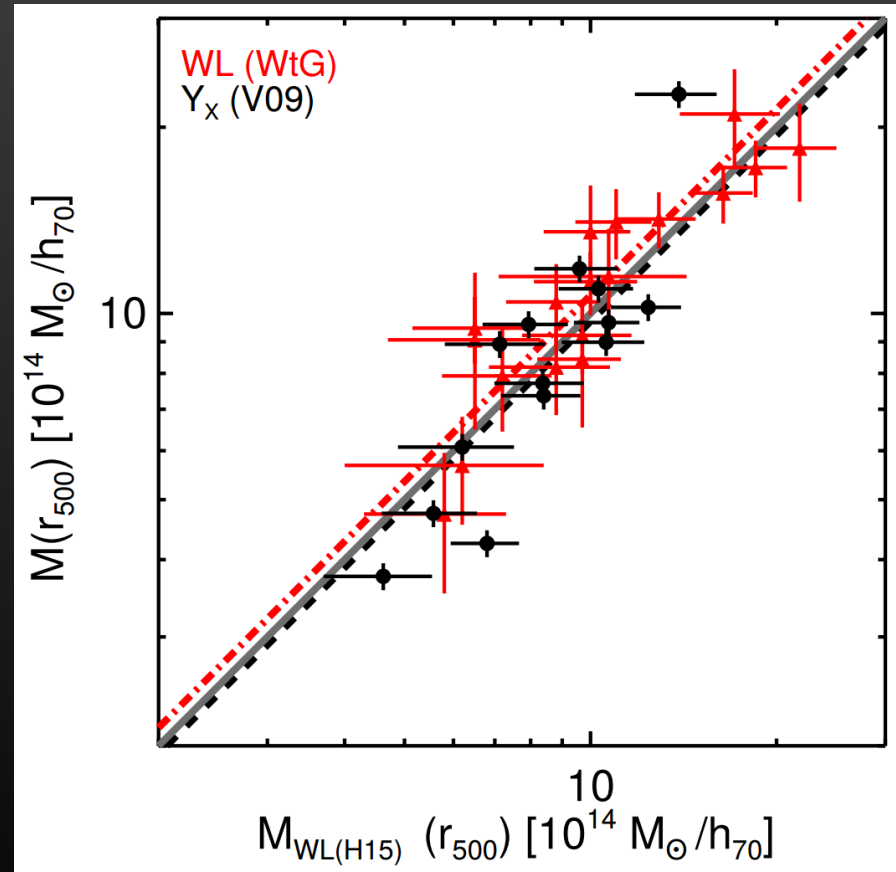


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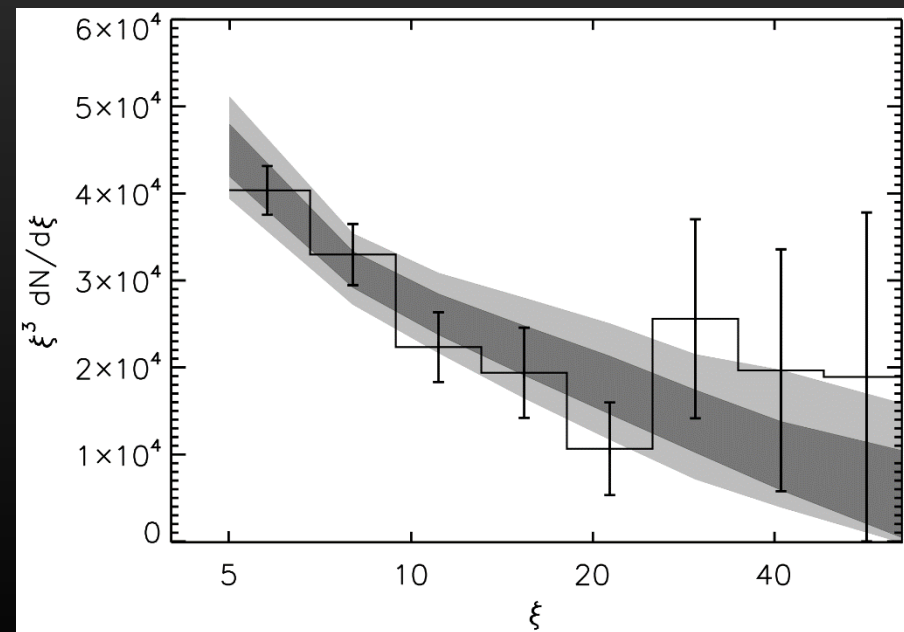
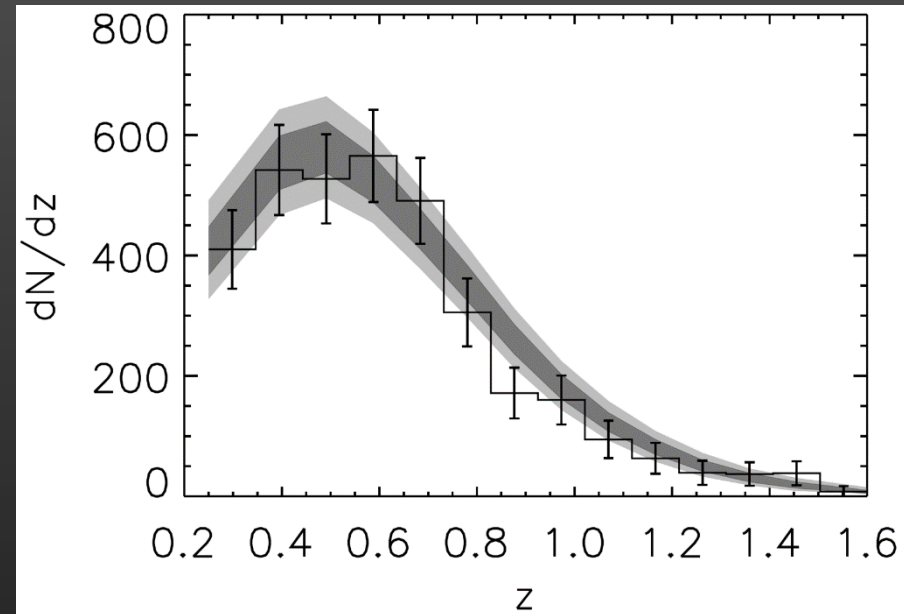
# Determining the Mass Scale

- Unlike previous SPT cluster cosmology results, we now rely purely on weak lensing observations
  - “hydrostatic mass bias” calibrates out
- Weak lensing data from Canadian Cluster Comparison Project (CCCP) and Weighing the Giants (WtG)

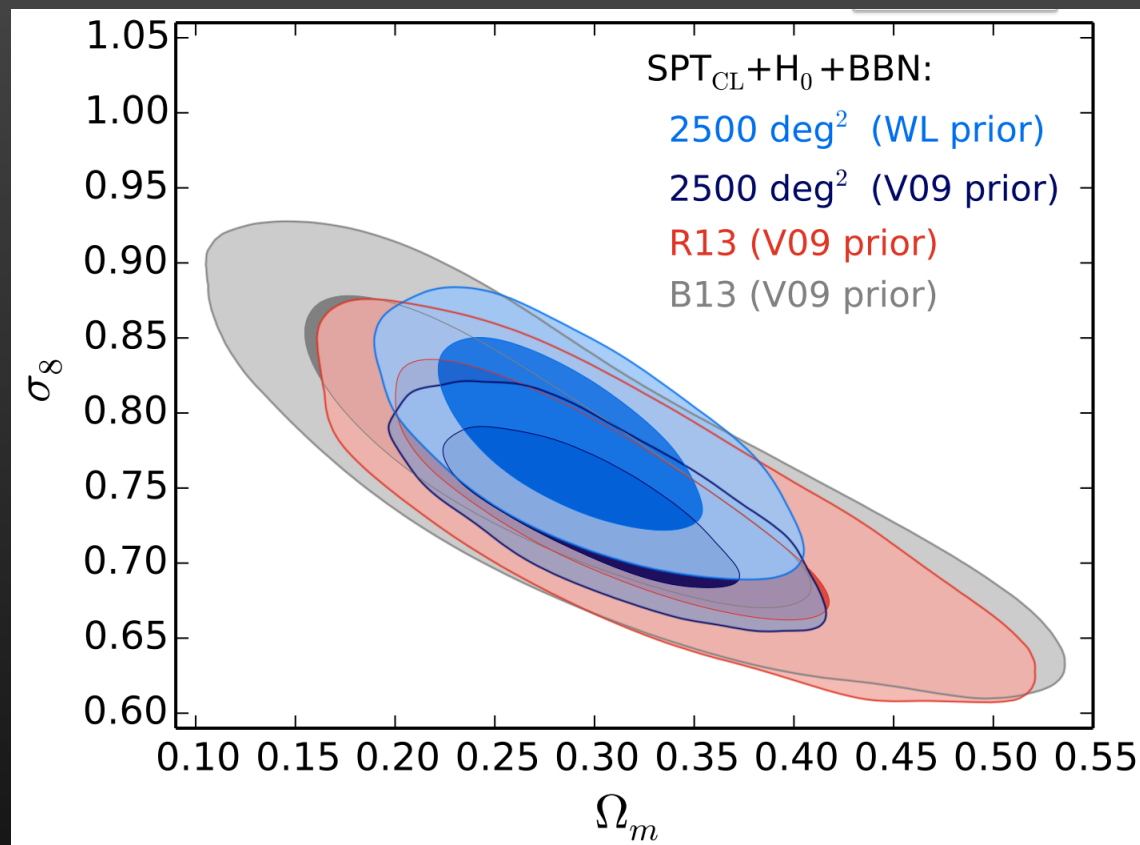


# Cosmological Analysis

- Explore cosmological parameter space using CosmoMC+cluster module
- Marginalize over nuisance parameters
  - Scaling of SZ signal with cluster mass & evolution with mass, redshift
  - Scaling of X-ray signal with cluster mass & evolution with mass, redshift
  - Intrinsic scatter in the scaling relations, including correlations
  - For SPT-SZ+Chandra, that's 9 nuisance parameters
- Bayesian likelihood code, fully taking into account selection effects, self-consistently and efficiently incorporating any number of mass proxies, including correlations



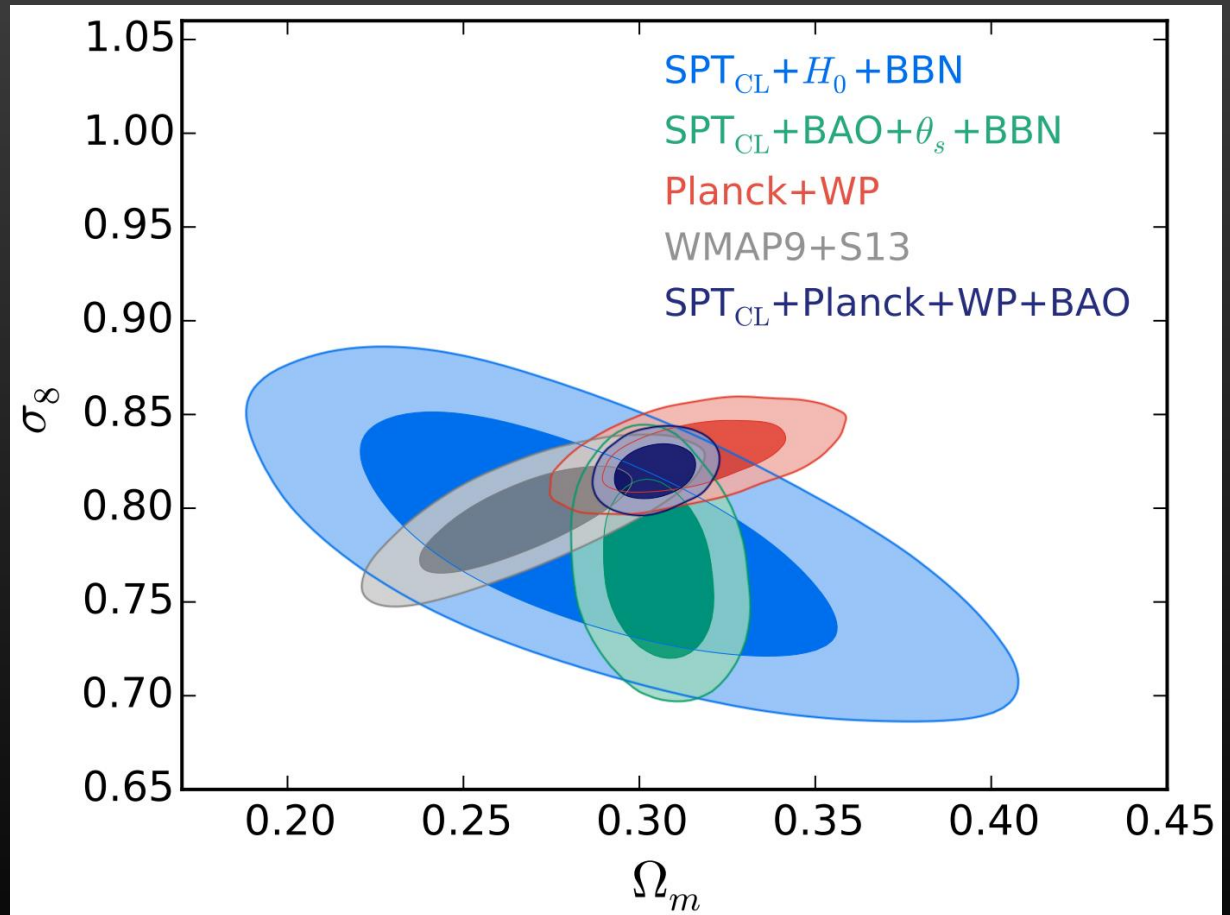
# Evolution of SPT Cluster Cosmology



- 178- $\rightarrow$ 720- $\rightarrow$ 2568 square degrees of the SPT-SZ survey
- 18- $\rightarrow$ 100- $\rightarrow$ 377 clusters
- 14- $\rightarrow$ 14- $\rightarrow$ 82 clusters with high-quality Chandra  $Y_x$
- Revisited mass scale relying purely on weak lensing

# $\Lambda$ CDM Results

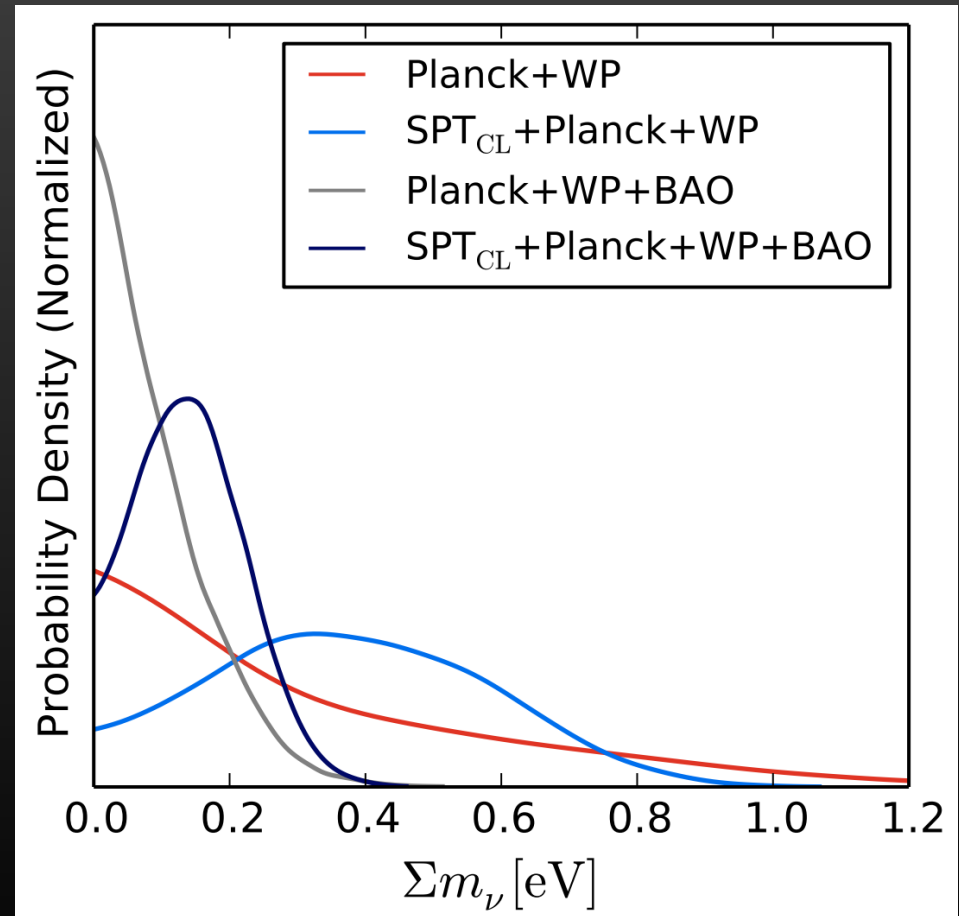
- Consistent with  $\Lambda$ CDM parameters from CMB power spectrum measurements





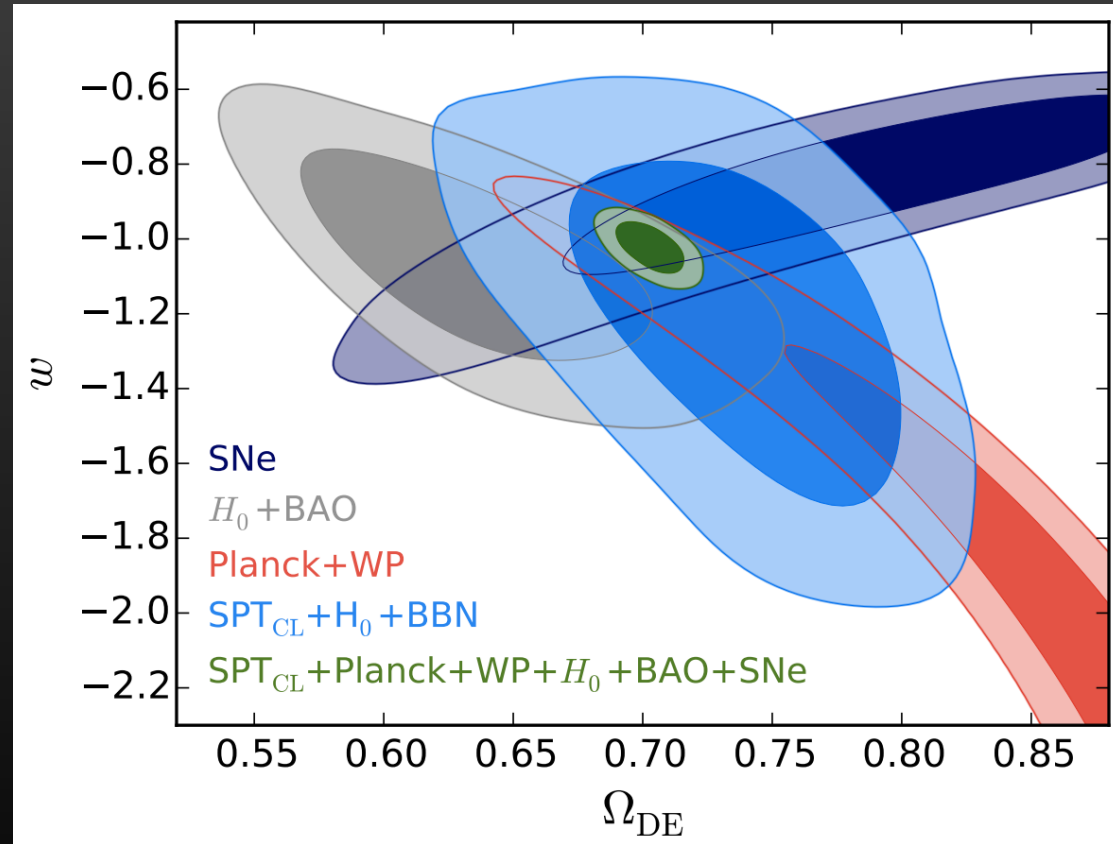
# Constraints on the Species-summed Neutrino Mass

- Addition of cluster count information causes the posterior to peak at positive values
- Consistent with minimal allowed value of  $\Sigma m_\nu = 0.06$  eV from atmospheric neutrino oscillation experiments



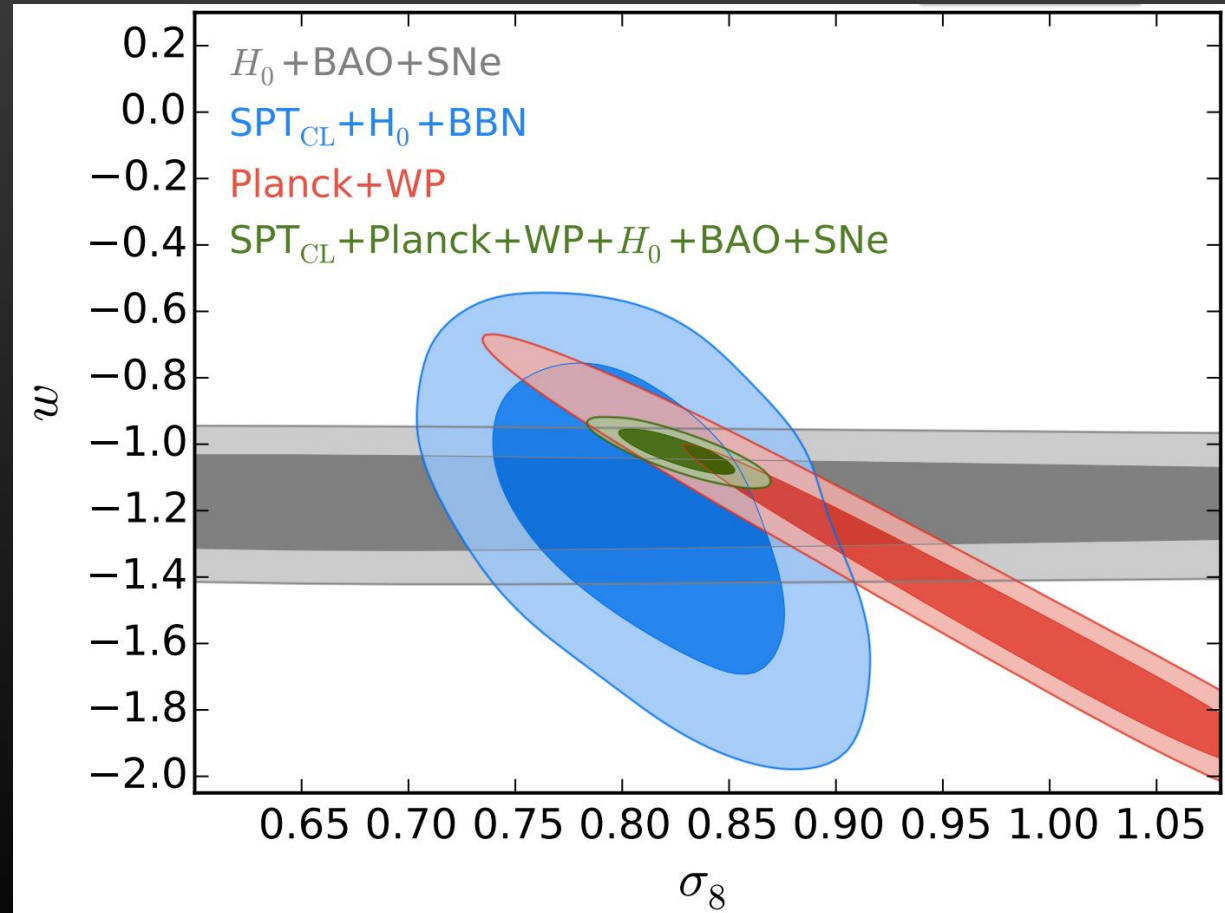
# Dark Energy

- Consistent with other probes
- Clusters are a growth-based probe, providing a powerful complementary probe of dark energy
- Consistent with  $\Lambda$ CDM where  $w = -1$

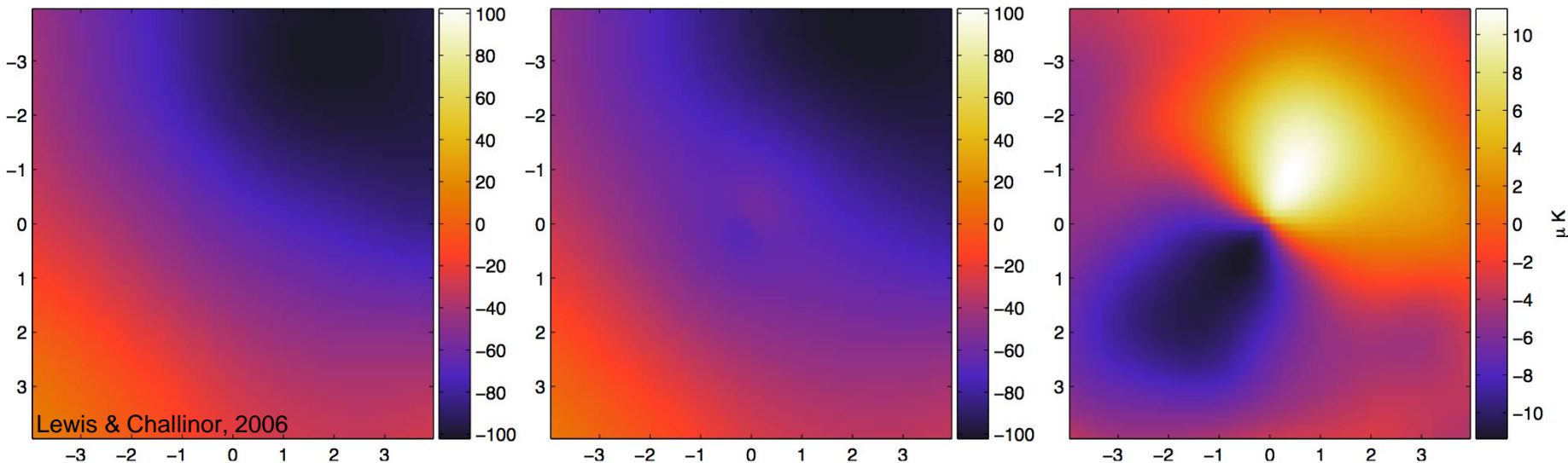


# Dark Energy

- When adding to other datasets, cluster counts improve  $w$  constraint primarily by breaking  $\sigma_8 - w$  degeneracy



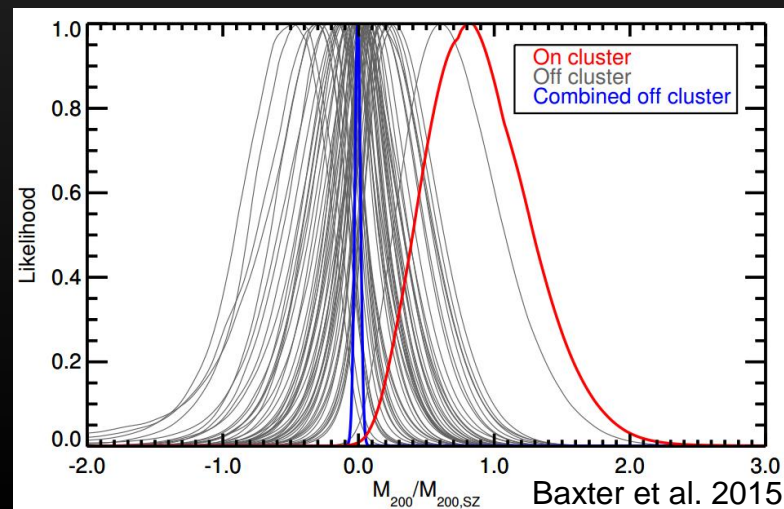
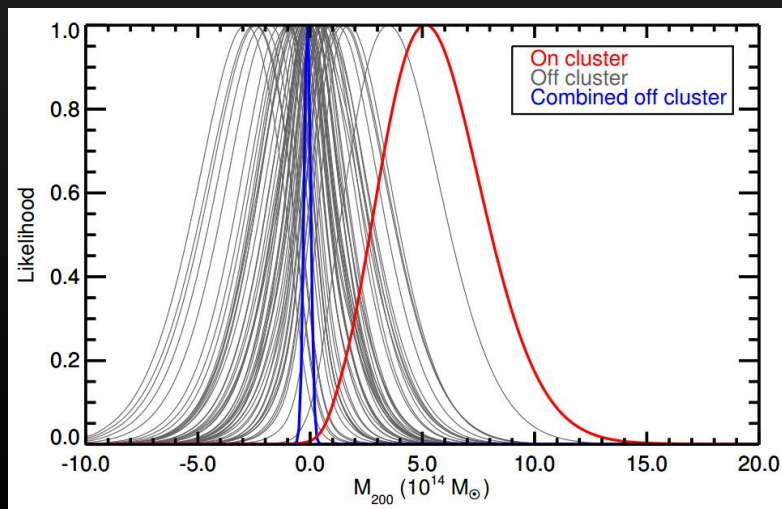
# Cluster Weak Lensing of the CMB



Unlensed CMB

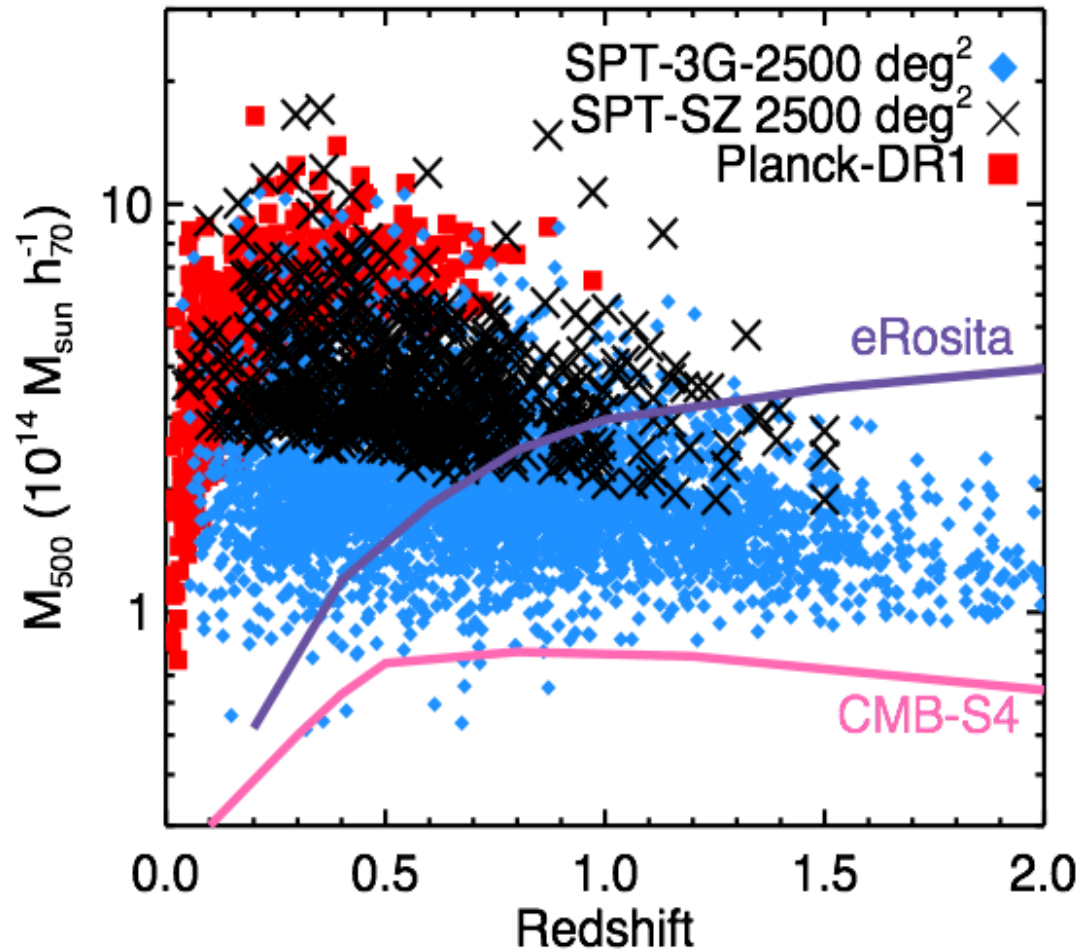
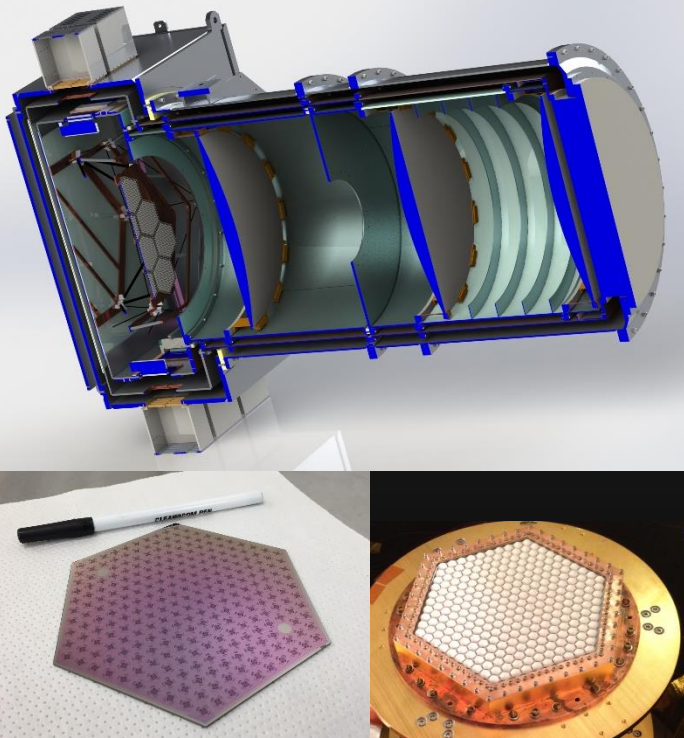
Lensed CMB

Difference



# SPT-3G

- ~10,000 clusters
- Lower mass threshold implies the sample will go out to much higher redshift
- Powerful constraints on the mass scale from CMB cluster lensing
- Deploying at the end of this year



# Summary

- 2500 square degree SPT-SZ sample  $\sim 400$  clusters, spanning  $0.1 < z < 1.5$
- Chandra  $Y_X$  mass calibration, recalibrated using optical weak lensing
- $\Lambda$ CDM constraints on  $\sigma_8$  and  $\Omega_m$  consistent with CMB measurements
- Neutrino mass constraints  $\Sigma m_\nu = 0.14 \pm 0.08$  eV consistent with minimum allowed value
- Dark energy constraints from cluster counts alone
- Exciting future ahead with SPT-3G which will find  $\sim 10,000$  clusters and will be able to weigh in on the mass scale with CMB cluster lensing