

# TESTING GRAVITY WITH REDSHIFT GALAXY SURVEYS

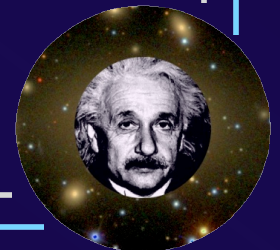
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# Outline

The expansion is accelerating

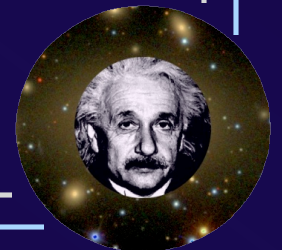
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Growth of structure is essential for the  
MoG/DE dilemma

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An observable test parameter for GR:  $\varepsilon$

Constraining  $\varepsilon$  with galaxy surveys

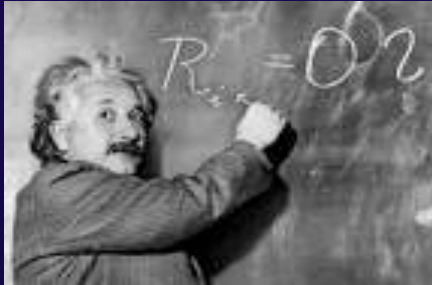


$$\mathcal{S} = \frac{1}{16\pi G} \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} R + \int d^4x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{L}_M$$

Variational  
principle

$$q = \frac{1}{2} \sum \Omega_i + 3 \sum w_i \Omega_i$$

$$1 = \Omega_k + \Omega_i$$



## NON-GR GRAVITY

Scalar-tensor theories, DGP

$$R \rightarrow f(R)$$

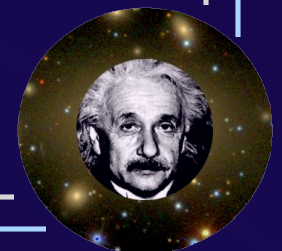
## GR + NEW INGREDIENT(S):

$$\Lambda = \langle 0 | \text{Fundamental Theory} | 0 \rangle$$

perfect fluid, variable  $w(z)$  : DE

CAN WE DISTINGUISH BETWEEN THEM?

ONE CAN BUILD ANY EXPANSION HISTORY  
→ NOT WITH DISTANCE ONLY : GROWTH



# GROWTH OF STRUCTURE IN GR + DE

two metric potentials  
 $\Phi, \Psi$

$$\delta G_{\mu\nu} = \delta T_{\mu\nu}$$

4 matter variables  
 $\delta, v, \delta p, \sigma$

density perturbation  
 $\delta = \delta\rho/\rho$

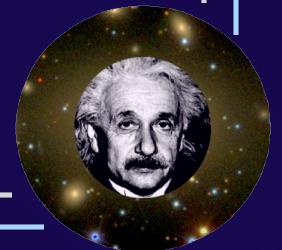
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stress

## SUB-HORIZON, LINEAR REGIME

	$\delta'_M$	$=$	$-\frac{k}{aH}v_M;$	continuity
<i>GR :</i>	$v'_M + v_M$	$=$	$\frac{k}{aH}\Psi;$	Euler
	$k^2\Phi$	$=$	$-4\pi G\rho_M a^2\delta_M;$	Poisson



# GROWTH OF STRUCTURE IN GR + smooth DE

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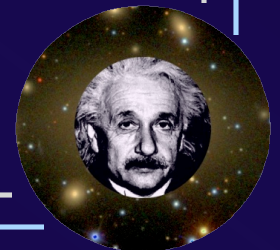
## SUB-HORIZON, LINEAR REGIME

assume  $\Phi = \Psi$ ;  $\delta_M(k, z) = \delta_M(k, z = \infty)D(k, z)$

$$D''(k, z) + \left(2 + \frac{H(z)'}{H(z)}\right)D'(k, z) - \frac{4\pi G}{H(z)^2}\rho_M(z)D(k, z) = 0$$

✓ ONCE  $H(z)$  IS KNOWN,  $D$  IS ALSO KNOWN

✓ NO SCALE DEPENDENCE:  $D(k, z) = D(z)$



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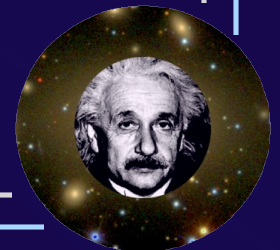
$$v'_M + v_M = \frac{k}{aH} \Psi; \quad //$$

$$k^2 \Phi = -4\pi G_{\text{eff}}(k, z) \rho_M a^2 \delta_M; \quad \text{new physics}$$

$$\Phi = -(1 + \eta(k, z)) \Psi; \quad \text{new physics}$$

IN  $f(R)$  CASE, NEW DOF SOURCED BY 4th ORDER GRAVITY

- Newton Constant becomes  $G_{\text{eff}}(k, z)$
- Nontrivial closure  $\Phi, \Psi$





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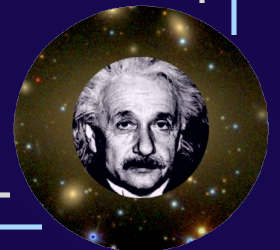
$$(\Phi - \Psi)/\Phi = 1 - \eta(k, z) = g(k, z); \quad \delta_M(k, z) = \delta_M(k, z = \infty) D(k, z)$$

$$D''(k, z) + \left(2 + \frac{H(z)'}{H(z)}\right) D'(k, z) - \frac{4\pi G_{\text{eff}}(k, z)}{H(z)^2} (g(k, z) - 1) \rho_M(z) D(k, z) = 0$$

- ✓ GROWTH ALSO DEPENDS ON  $G_{\text{eff}}(k, z)$  AND  $g(k, z)$
- ✓ POSSIBILITY OF A SCALE DEPENDENCE

GIVEN M<sub>0</sub>G THEORY, SPECIFIED BY  $H(z)$ ,  $g(k, z)$ ,  $G_{\text{eff}}(k, z)$   
CAN I BUILD A GR MODEL WITH SAME  $H(z)$ , GROWTH?

NO!

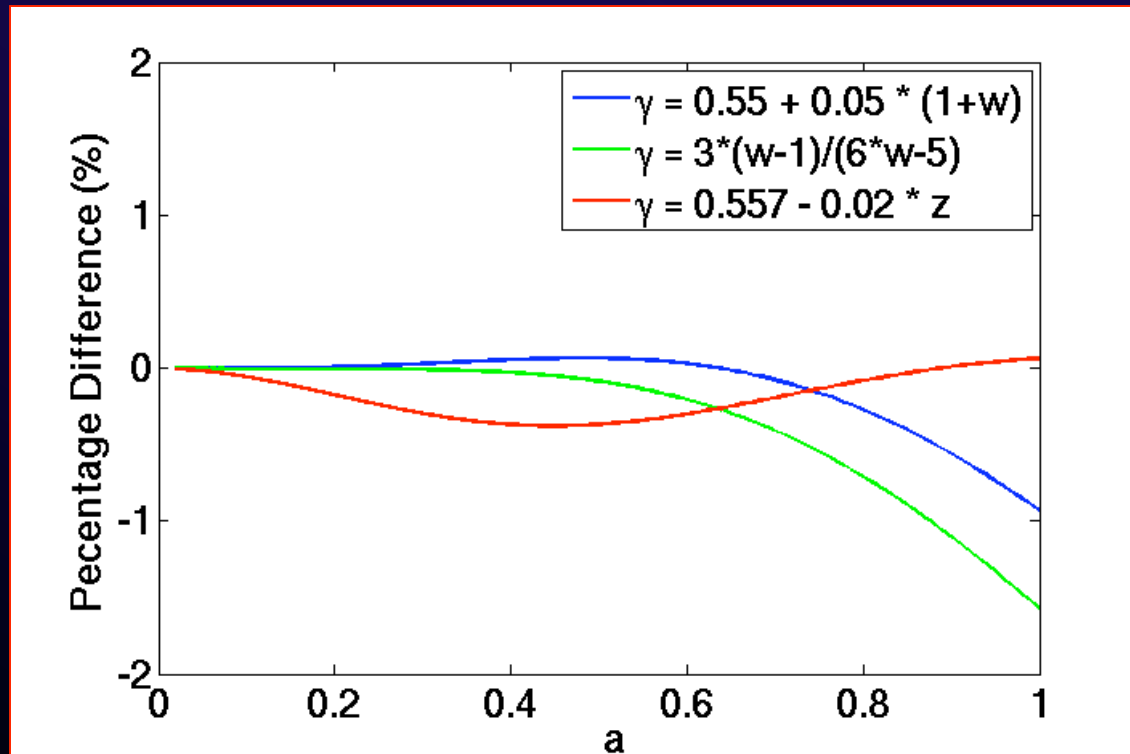


# A NULL TEST PARAMETER FOR GR

two “GR” ingredients:

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THE RELATION  $d \ln D(a) / d \ln a = \Omega_m(a)^\gamma$  HOLDS AT 0.5 %



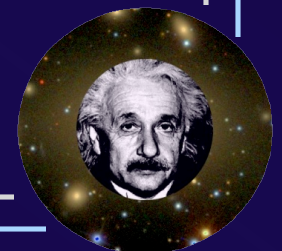
$\gamma$

either parameter  
or simple function  
of redshift

we use

Polarski & Gannouji 08

$$\gamma = \gamma_0 + \gamma' z$$





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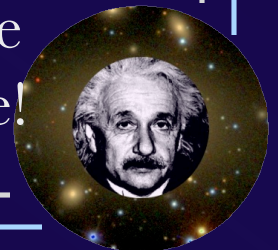
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$$\epsilon = \frac{a^{3\gamma} H(a)^{2\gamma}}{(\Omega_{m,0} H_0^2)^2} \frac{d \ln D}{d \ln a} - 1 = 0 \quad \text{in GR}$$

determined by the CMB  
at the 1.5% level by Planck

measuring this quantity  
allows to detect any  
deviation from GR  
both as absolute value  
and scale-dependence!



# MEASURING $\delta$ WITH REDSHIFT GALAXY SURVEYS

Known that they can measure growth... but it gets even better! :)

## LINEAR REDSHIFT DISTORTIONS

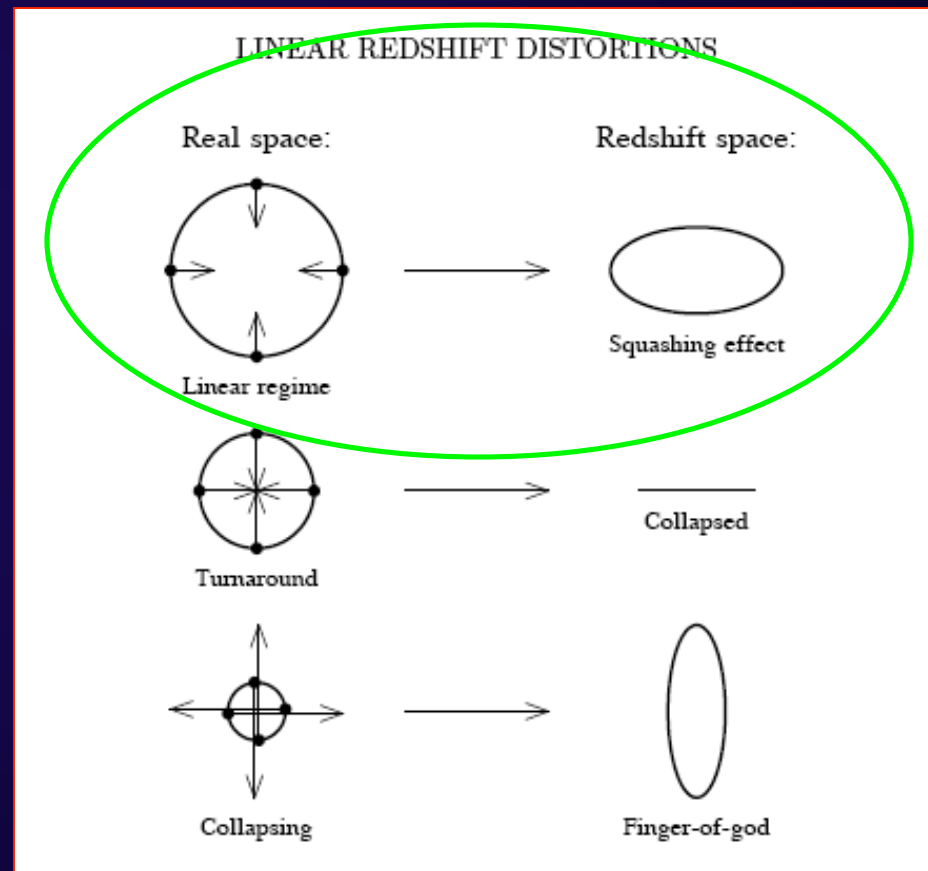
Measurements of galaxy  
power spectrum

in redshift space

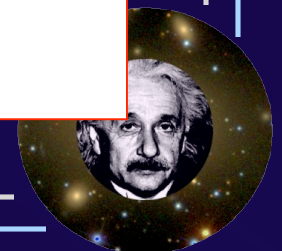
“remap” galaxies according  
to their peculiar velocities,  
which are interpreted as

Doppler shifts

$v$  is driven by  $\delta$   
via continuity  
equation



From Hamilton 97



# MEASURING $\mathcal{E}$ WITH REDSHIFT GALAXY SURVEYS

one can define  
linear redshift distortion  
parameter  $\beta$ :

$$\beta \delta_G + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_G = 0$$

“observations”

from EOMs for  $D$   
one has

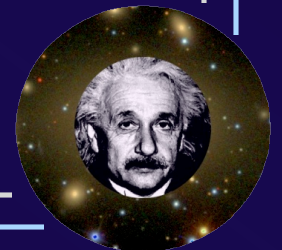
$$\frac{d \ln D}{d \ln a} \delta_M + \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v}_M = 0$$

“theory”

assumption of linear bias for  $\delta$ , no bias for  $\mathbf{v}$  gives

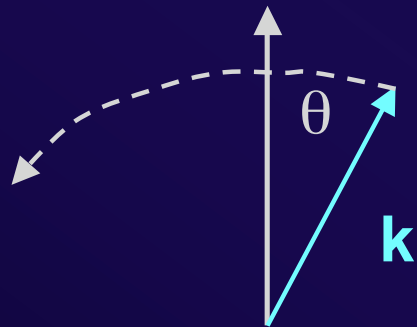
$$\frac{d \ln D}{d \ln a} = b \cdot \beta \Rightarrow \epsilon(k, a) = \frac{a^{3\gamma} H(a)^{2\gamma}}{(\Omega_{m,0} H_0^2)^2} \beta(k, a) \cdot b(a) - 1 = 0 \quad \text{in GR}$$

$\mathcal{E}$  now written entirely in terms of observables  
we assume all  $k$ -dependence in  $\beta$  in the following



# MEASUREMENT OF $\beta$ ...

Observe  $P^s(\mathbf{k})$ , where  $\mathbf{k}$  is a 2-component vector



Polar axis

$$P^s(\mathbf{k}) = (1 + \beta \mu_{\mathbf{k}}^2)^2 P(k); \quad \mu_{\mathbf{k}} = \cos \theta;$$

$P(k)$  = angle-averaged, real space

LINEAR KAISER EFFECT:

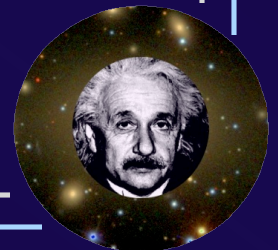
DISTORTION IS MAX ALONG **LINE OF SIGHT**

Integrating  
over  $\theta$ :

$$P^{s(0)}(k) = \int d\theta P_L^0(\cos \theta) P^s(\mathbf{k}) = \left(1 + \frac{2}{3}\beta + \frac{1}{5}\beta^2\right) P(k)$$

$$P^{s(2)}(k) = \int d\theta P_L^2(\cos \theta) P^s(\mathbf{k}) = \left(\frac{3}{7}\beta + \frac{4}{7}\beta^2\right) P(k)$$

$\beta$  is proportional to quadrupole to monopole ratio  
No need to pass through real space power spectra



## ... AND OF BIAS!

Via correlation with CMB lensing

$$\phi(\hat{\mathbf{n}}) = - \int d\eta \frac{d_A(\eta_0 - \eta)}{d_A(\eta_0)d_A(\eta)} [\Phi(d_A\hat{\mathbf{n}}, \eta) + \Psi(d_A\hat{\mathbf{n}}, \eta)]; \quad \kappa = \frac{1}{2} \nabla^2 \phi$$

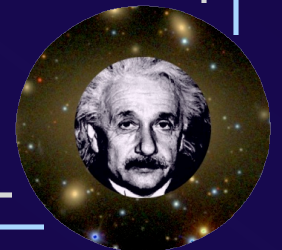
From CMB T and P field one can reconstruct the convergence field  $\kappa$  and its noise

Hu and Okamoto 01, Okamoto & Hu 02

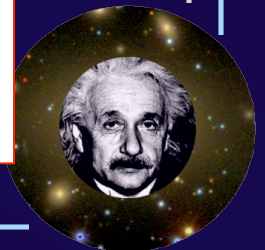
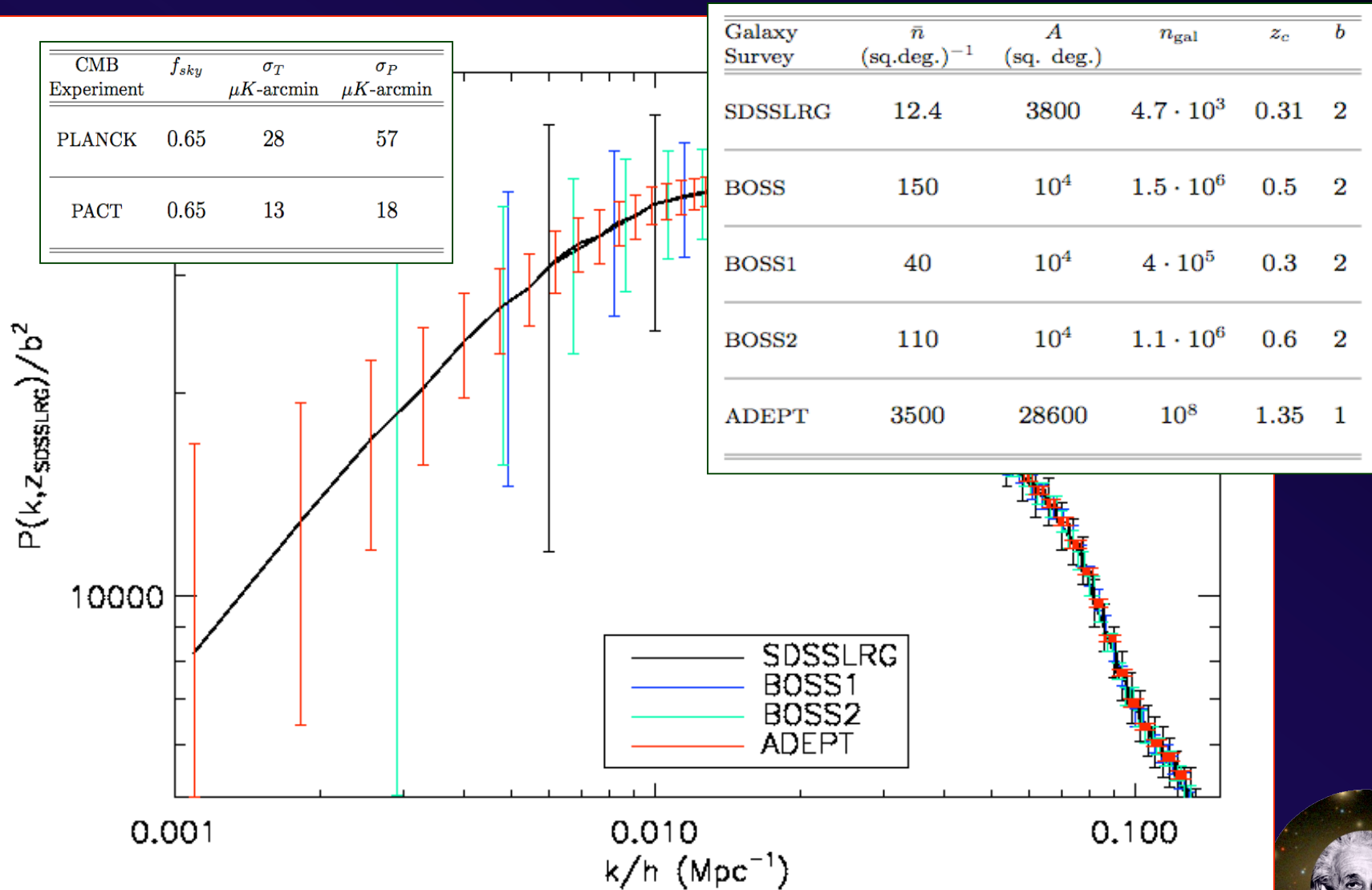
Given a projected galaxy number density map,  $\Sigma$ , I can measure

$$C_{\ell}^{\kappa-\Sigma} = \frac{3}{2} b \Omega_m H_0^2 \int d\eta \frac{W(\eta)}{a(\eta)} P\left(\frac{\ell}{d_A}, \eta\right) \frac{d_A(\eta_0 - \eta)}{d_A(\eta)d_A(\eta_0)}$$

Compare it to theory curve (fixed cosm)  $\rightarrow$  get b



# GALAXY SURVEYS AND CMB EXPERIMENTS

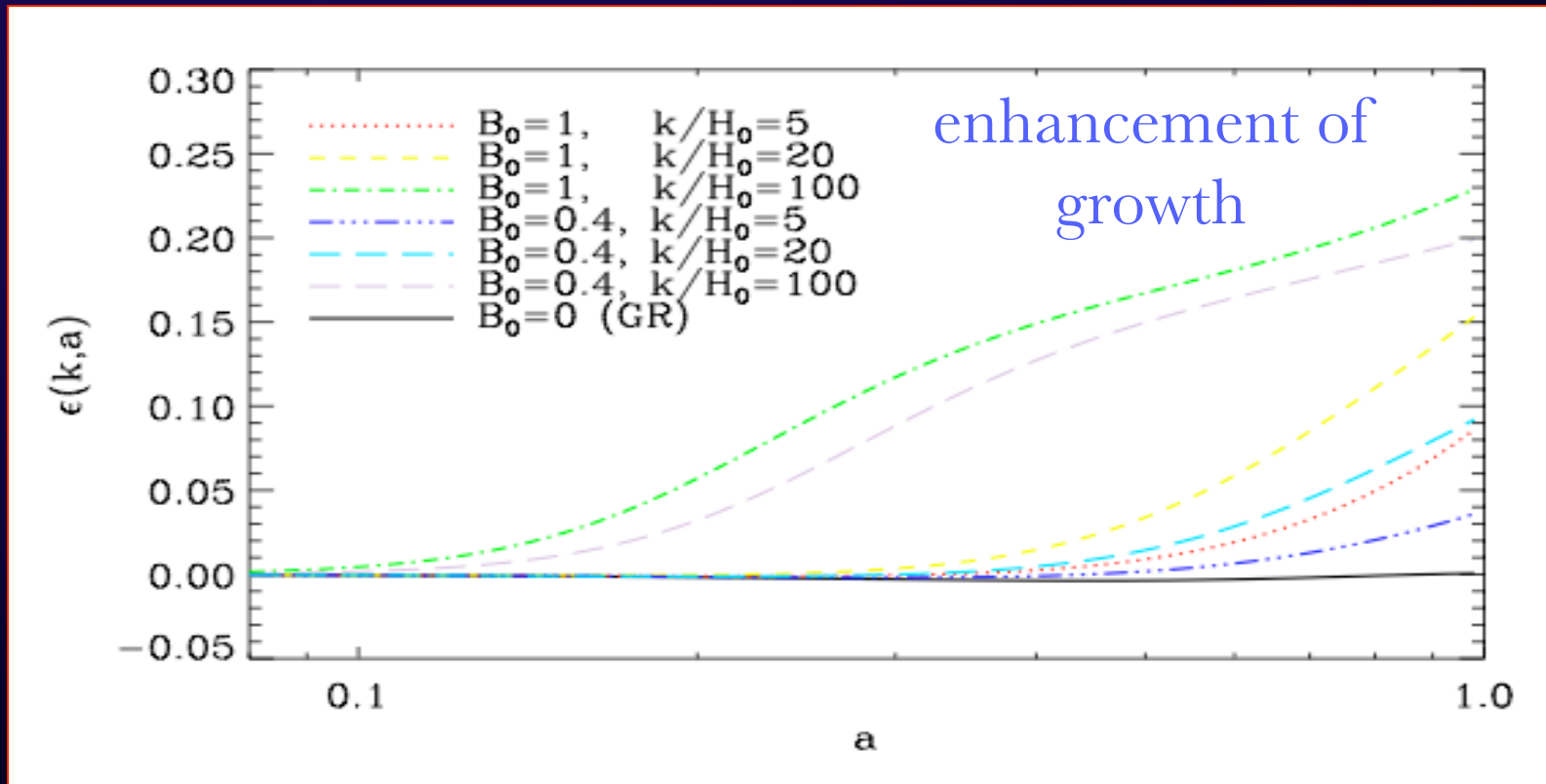




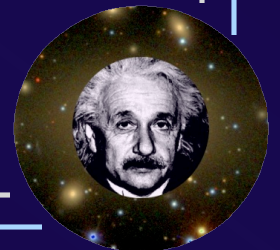
# $\epsilon(k,a)$ in $f(R)$ theories ( $\Lambda$ CDM background + $B_0$ )

$B_0 = \propto f_{RR}/(1+f_R)$  measures deviation from GR

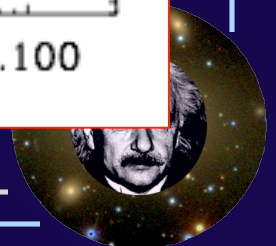
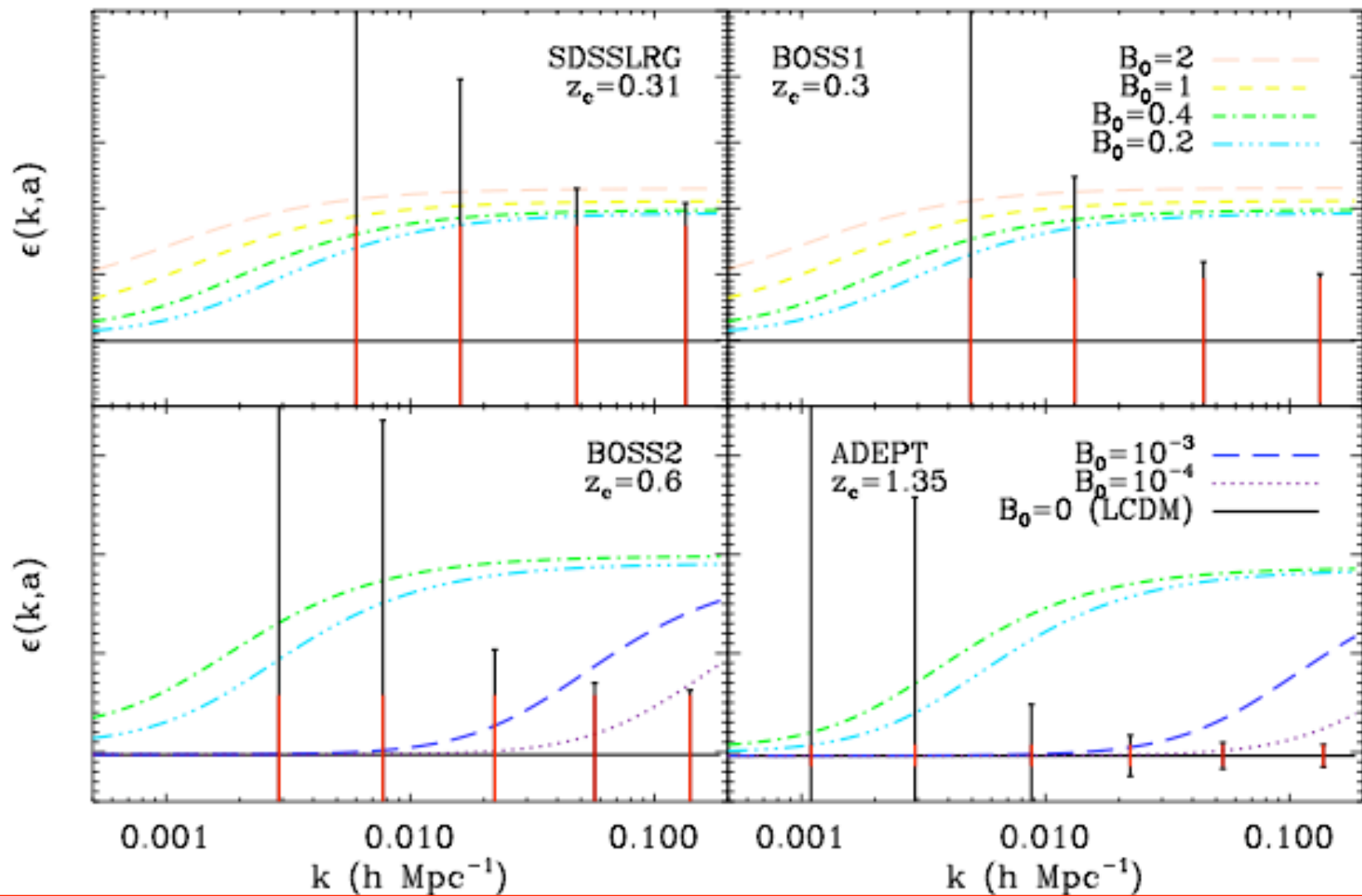
Song, Hu and Sawicki 07; Hu and Sawicki 07



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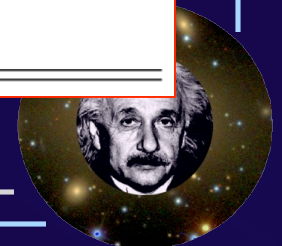


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COMBINATION OF SURVEYS	$z_c$	$\Delta b/b(\%)$	$\Delta\epsilon/\epsilon(\%)$ @ $k/h \simeq 0.02\text{Mpc}^{-1}$	$\Delta\epsilon/\epsilon(\%)$ @ $k/h \simeq 0.15\text{Mpc}^{-1}$
SDSSLRG+PLANCK	0.31	17.3	39.5	21.0
BOSS+PLANCK	0.5	5.0	9.3	5.5
BOSS1+PLANCK	0.3	9.3	$\simeq 22$	10.1
BOSS2+PLANCK	0.6	5.9	10.6	6.5
ADEPT+PACT	1.35	0.9	2.07	1.1



# SUMMARY, CONCLUSIONS, SPARE THOUGHTS

- ✓ Redshift surveys together with the CMB are an excellent probe of growth
- ✓ Good probes of growth are essential if we want to be able to discriminate between GR with smooth DE and MoG
- ✓ We have built a parameter test for GR that tests both the  $H(z)$ - $D(z)$  consistency and the scale dependence of MoG
- ✓ Even if our description is not totally general, many DE model are expected to have  $\epsilon$  close to the GR value
- ✓ As a result, any detection of a non-null  $\epsilon$  parameter would be a sign of exciting new physics

