

WHAT IS THE
UNIVERSE
MADE OF?
DARK STUFF
MYSTERIOUS

The text is written in a bold, hand-drawn style. 'WHAT IS THE' and 'UNIVERSE' are in blue. 'MADE OF?' is in blue with a red question mark. 'DARK STUFF' is in dark brown/black. 'MYSTERIOUS' is in purple. There are several red question marks and arrows drawn around the text, suggesting a cycle or a path of inquiry.

DARK SIDE of the **UNIVERSE**

DARK MATTER: HOLDS THE
UNIVERSE TOGETHER.

70 YR DETECTIVE STORY
(ARREST IMMINENT?)

DARK ENERGY PUSHING
UNIVERSE APART. HAVEN'T
A CLUE AS TO WHAT IT IS!
STORY IS JUST BEGINNING

COSMIC RECIPE

Turner - 03

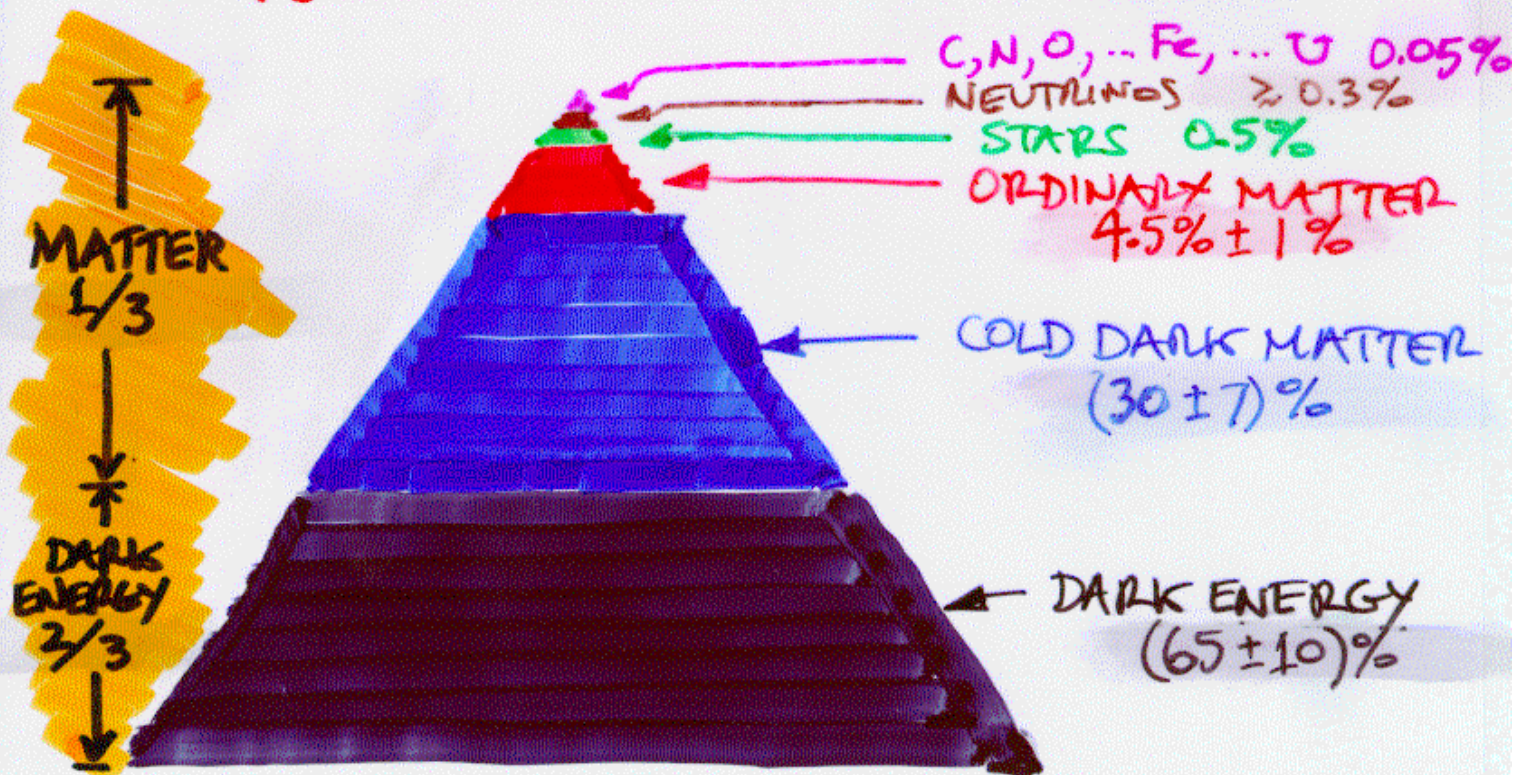
FLAT UNIVERSE



AVERAGE DENSITY

= CRITICAL DENSITY $\pm 6\%$

= $\frac{1}{3}$ DARK MATTER + $\frac{2}{3}$ DARK ENERGY



"COSMIC FOOD CHAIN"

DARK ENERGY

in the Universe

AS INTERESTING & MYSTERIOUS AS NEUTRINOS & JUST AS FUNDAMENTAL



UNIVERSE IS ACCELERATING:
TWO INDEPENDENT LINES OF EVIDENCE

ACCELERATION
DARK MATTER

$$q_0 = \frac{\Omega_0}{2} + \frac{3}{2} \sum w_i \Omega_i < 0 \Rightarrow w_x \Omega_x \leq -\frac{1}{3}$$

$w_i = p_i / \rho_i$



CAUSED BY DARK ENERGY:
FUNDAMENTAL & VERY IMPORTANT
BUT NOT UNDERSTOOD !!

NB: DARK MATTER $w \equiv p/\rho \approx 0$ (Nonrelativistic, clumpy)
DARK ENERGY $w_x \equiv p_x/\rho_x \leq -1/2$ (Relativistic, pushy)



COSMOLOGY OFFERS KEY TO
UNDERSTANDING NATURE OF
DARK ENERGY

ESPECIALLY SNe Ia
also galaxies + clusters

EVIDENCE FOR DARK ENERGY

DEFN: SMOOTH ENERGY COMPONENT WITH $p \leq -\rho/2$



"DIRECT"

SNe Ia

$$q_0 \equiv \frac{-(\ddot{R}/R)_0}{H_0^2} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_i (1+w_i) \Omega_i$$

$$= \frac{\Omega_0}{2} + \frac{3}{2} w_x \Omega_x$$

$$w_i \equiv \frac{p_i}{\rho_i}$$

SNe Ia $\Rightarrow q_0 < 0$

$\Rightarrow w_x \Omega_x < -\frac{1}{3}$



"INDIRECT"

$$\Omega_0 \approx 1 \pm 0.1 \quad \approx 0.35 \pm 0.1$$

CMB

clusters
etc

$\Omega_0 > \Omega_m + \text{structure formation}$

• $\Omega_x \approx \frac{2}{3}$

• MUST BE SMOOTH (NOT IN Ω_m)

• MUST HAVE NEGATIVE PRESSURE
(DO NOT INTERFERE W/ S.F.)

$$\Omega_x \approx 0.65 \pm 0.10 \quad w_x \leq -\frac{1}{2}$$



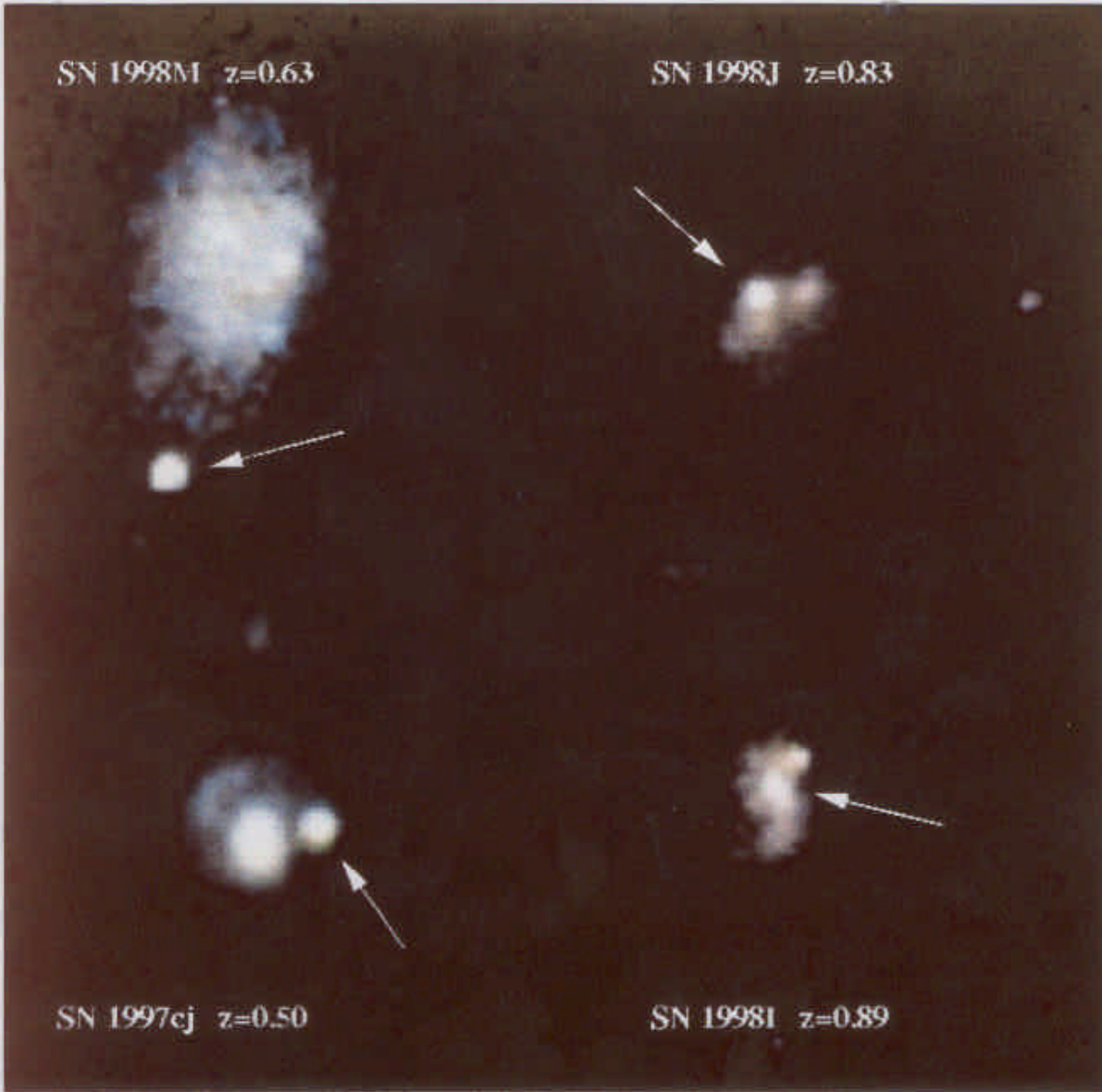
CONCORDANCE OF DIRECT
& INDIRECT

SN 1998M $z=0.63$

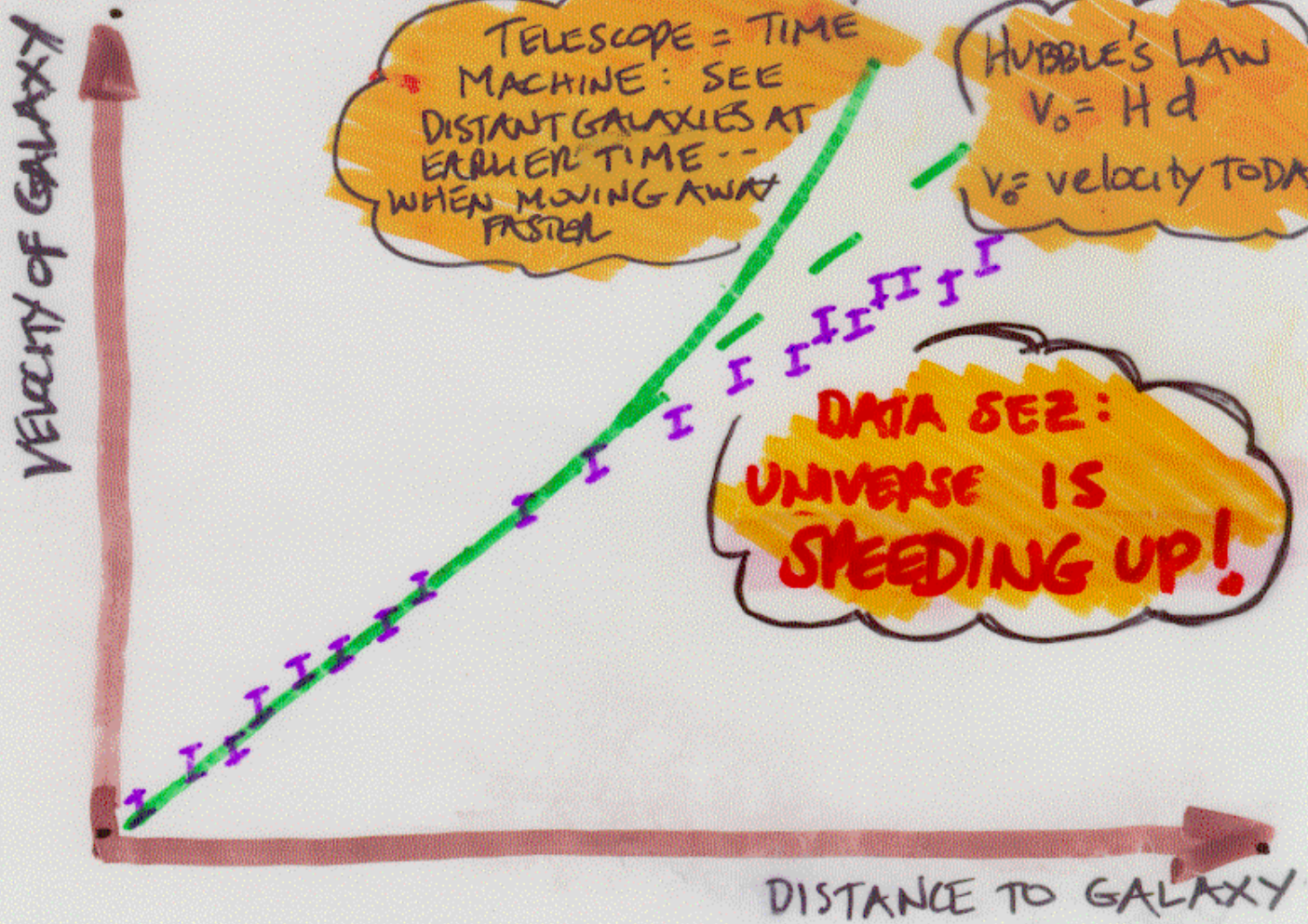
SN 1998J $z=0.83$

SN 1997ej $z=0.50$

SN 1998I $z=0.89$



IS THE UNIVERSE SLOWING DOWN?



UNIVERSE IS SPEEDING UP! ? # WHY?

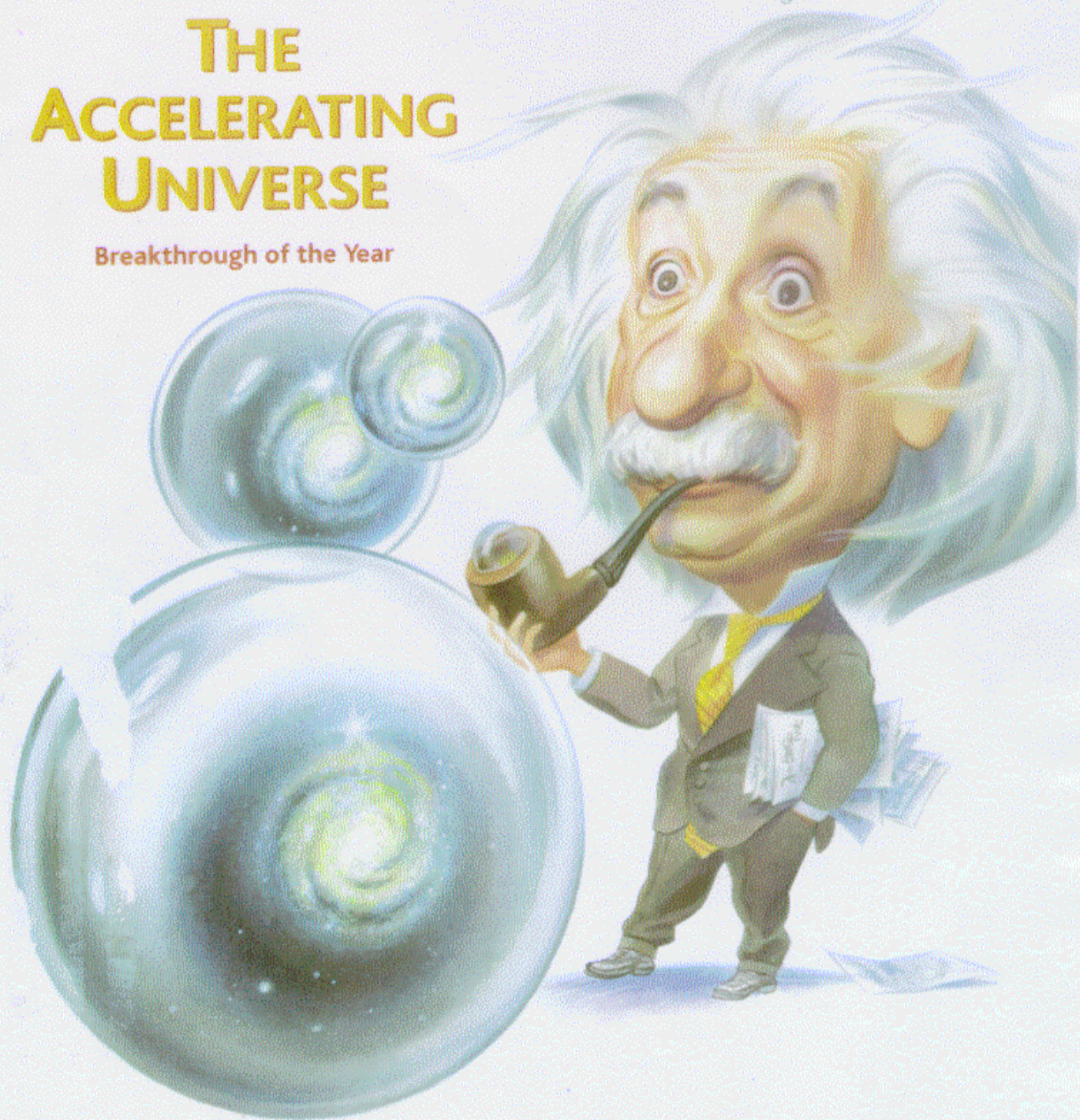
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THE ACCELERATING UNIVERSE

Breakthrough of the Year



AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE

Supernova Cosmology Project
Perlmutter *et al.* (1998)

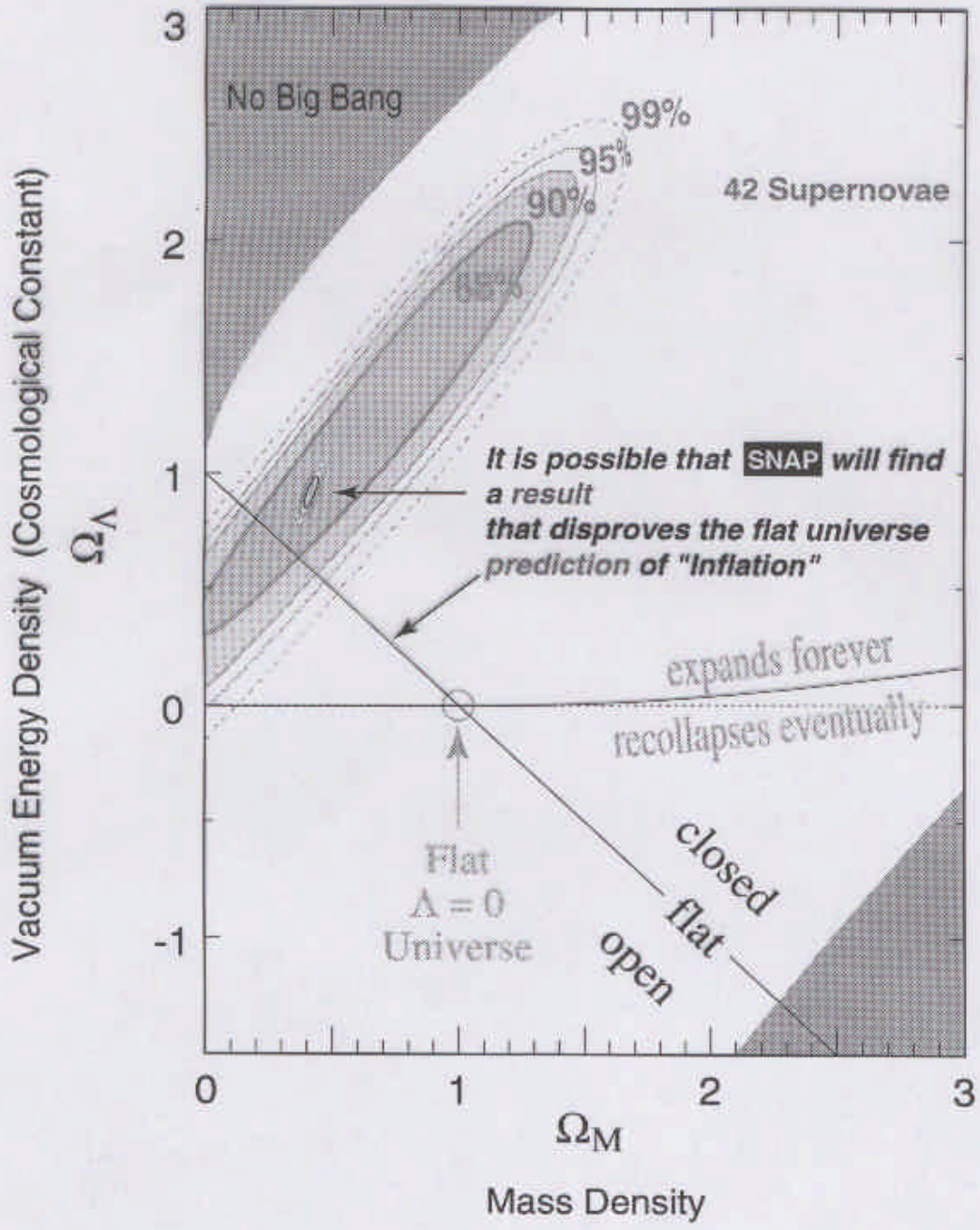
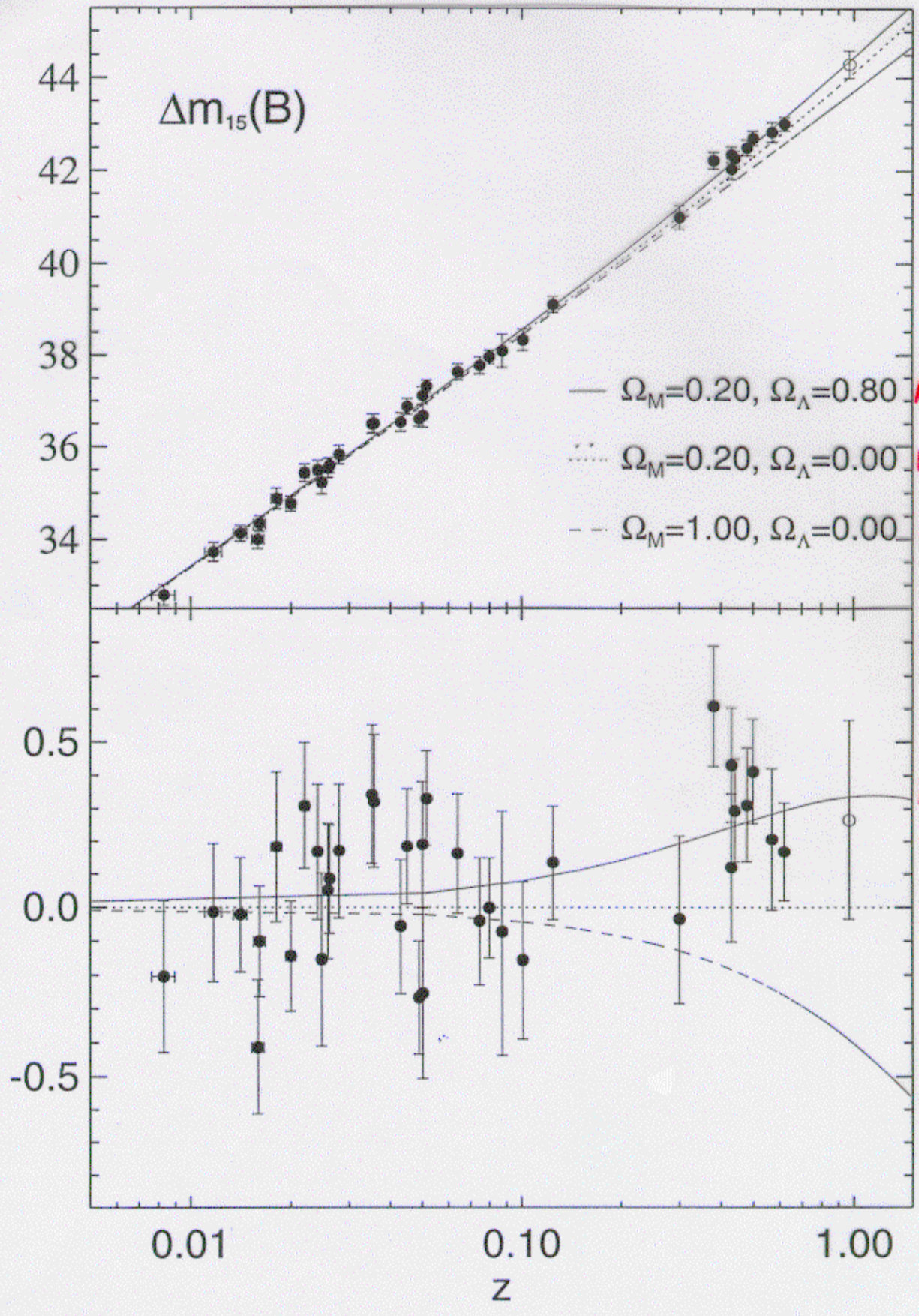


Figure 2: Constraints on Ω_M and Ω_Λ expected from the proposed experiment compared to current SN Ia constraints. This figure shows the case of a closed universe.

High Z SN Team

A. RIESS et al 98
A.J. in press (astro-ph/9805201)

$\Delta(m-M)$ (mag) - ph/9805201 15 M $\Delta m_{15}(B)$



— $\Omega_M=0.20, \Omega_\Lambda=0.80$ ACCELERATING
 $\Omega_M=0.20, \Omega_\Lambda=0.00$ LOW DENSITY
 - - - $\Omega_M=1.00, \Omega_\Lambda=0.00$ HIGH DENSITY

ACCELERATING UNIVERSE
 LOW DENSITY UNIVERSE
 HIGH DENSITY UNIVERSE

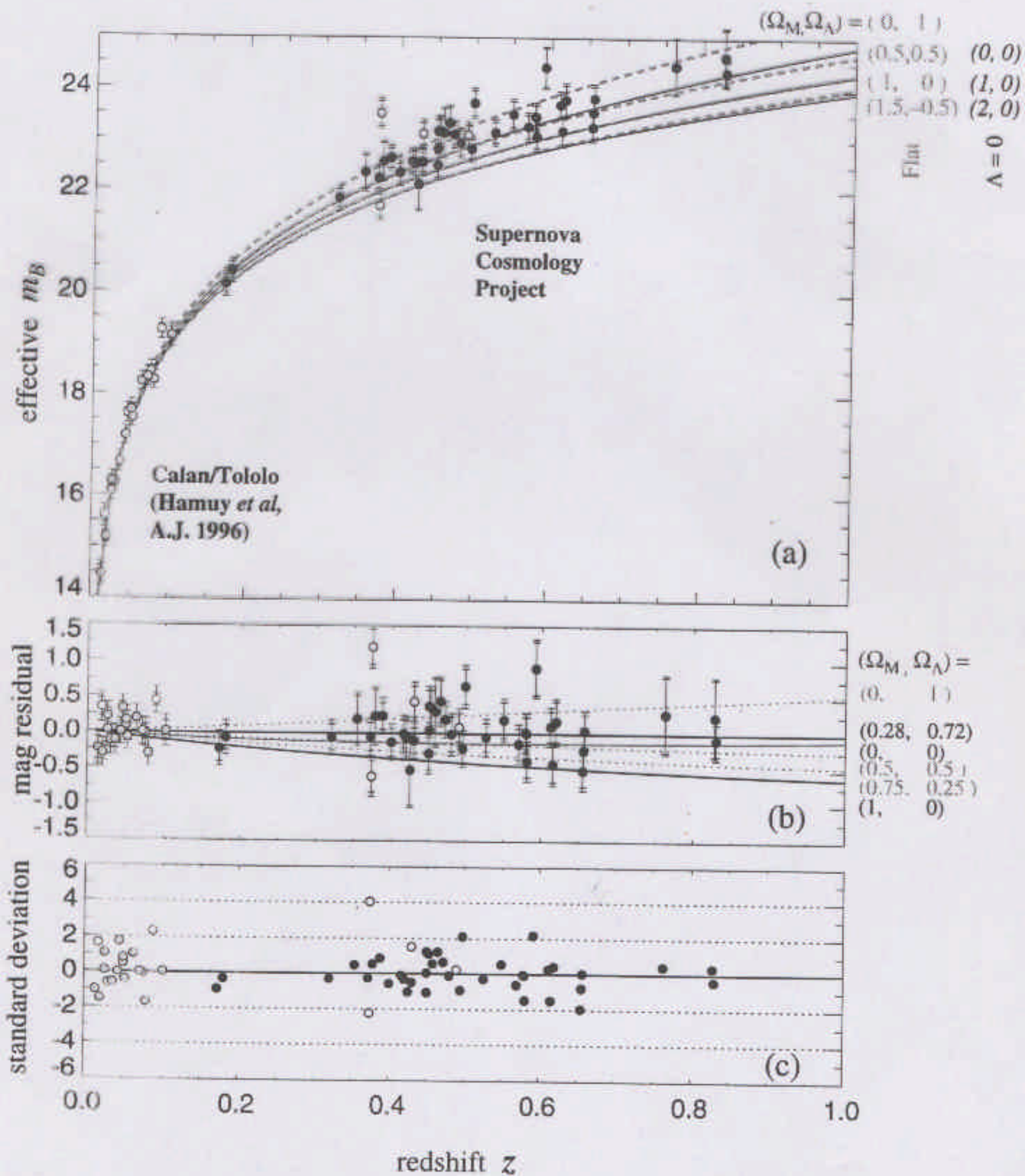


Fig. 2

CANDIDATES / REQUIREMENTS

REL. PARTICLES

$\omega = 1/3$
NO


VERY LIGHT PARTICLES
 $m \ll eV$

$\omega = 0$
NO

FRAGMENTED DEFECTS


E.G. STRINGS, WALLS
 $\omega = -1/3, 2/3$

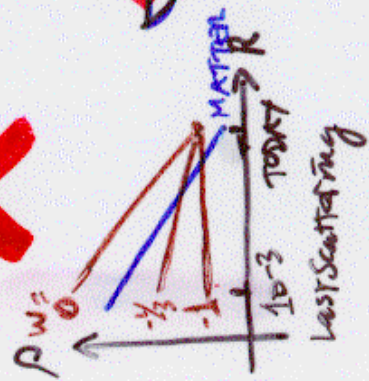
SCALAR FIELD

"EXPANDING Δ "


$\omega = -1 \rightarrow ?$
 evolves

Δ
 VACUUM ENERGY


 $\omega = -1$



M-dominated:
 $\delta\rho/\rho \propto R$

X-dominated:
 $\delta\rho/\rho \sim \text{const}$

★ HERE TODAY, GONE YESTERDAY!
 TO AVOID INTERFERENCE WITH GROWTH OF STRUCTURE

$\rho_{SM} \propto R^{-3(1+w)}$

EQN OF STATE: $w \equiv P/\rho$ \rightarrow $w \approx -1/3$

★ AGE FACTOR PRODUCED
 NO! BAD CBR

★ AGE FACTOR CHURCH $w \approx -1/3$

BOTTOM LINE: $w \approx -1/3$

SIMPLEST EXAMPLE Δ
 GOOD STARTING POINT

WORRIES:

Dust dims $z \sim 0.5$ SNe Ia

- DON'T SEE REDDENING, INCREASED DISPERSION
- NEED LOTS OF "GREY" DUST (UNSEEN)

Evolution dims $z \sim 0.5$ SNe Ia

- $z \sim 0.5$ & $z \sim 0.05$ SNe Ia LOOK THE SAME
- BURST OF METAL PRODUCTION, STAR FORMATION @ $z > 0.5$

Don't understand SNe Ia, Phillips relation

- CONSENSUS MODEL: THERMONUCLEAR DETONATION (RAPID DEFUSSION) OF $1-4 M_{\odot}$ WD (FORMED BY ACCRETION)

IN PROGRESS

More Spectra
IR
turnover at $z \sim 1.5$

Increase "local Sample"
More Spectra

More observations
More Theory

& Don't forget "CONFIRMING EVIDENCE"
IN ENERGY ASSTAYS

DARK ENERGY

AFFECTS EVOLUTION OF SCALE FACTOR

$$H^2 = \frac{8\pi G}{3} (\rho_M + \rho_X)$$

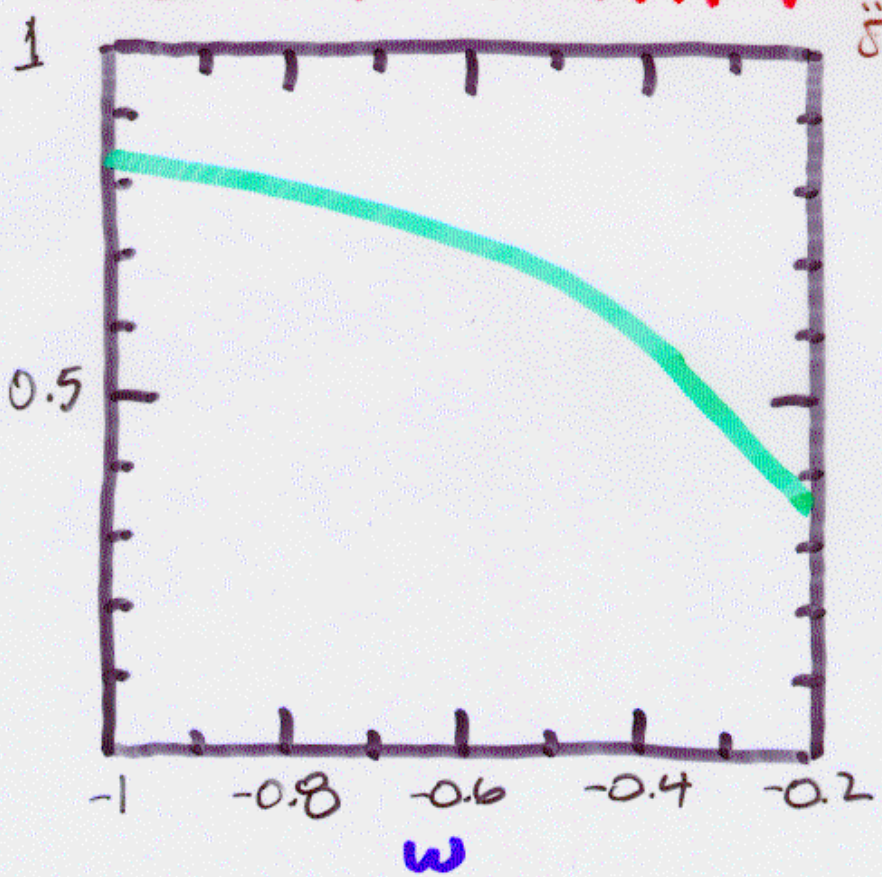
$$\rho_X = \rho_X(\text{today}) e^{3 \int (1+w(z)) d \ln z}$$

& LITTLE ELSE SINCE IT DOES CLUMP

DENSITY PERTURBATIONS

$$\ddot{\delta} + 2H\dot{\delta} - \frac{3}{2}H^2\Omega_M(z)\delta = 0$$

Growth Relative to EdS

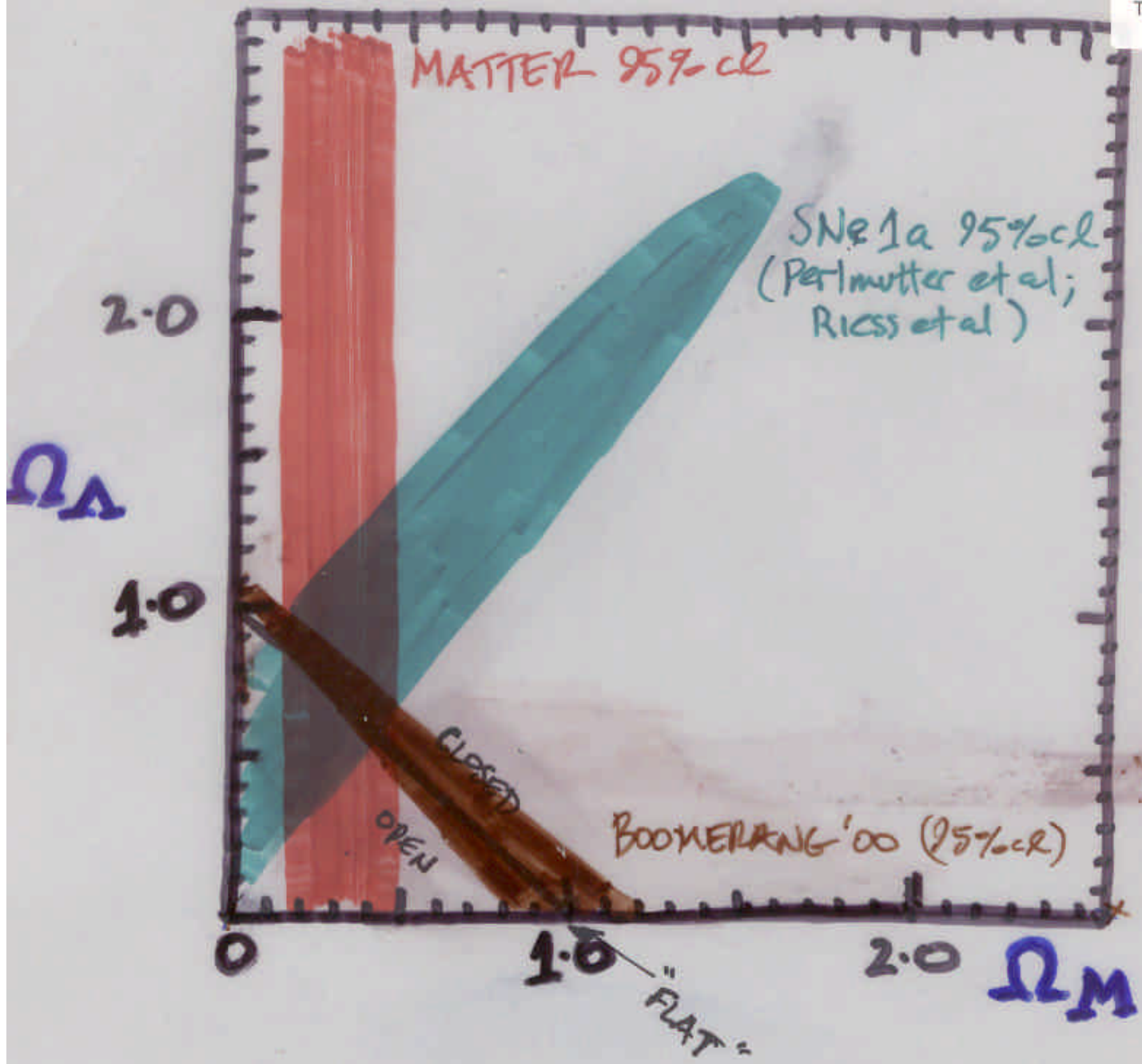


σ_8 normalization




$w \leq -1/3$

"THE BIG PICTURE"



ACCELERATING UNIVERSE



$$\rho + 3p < 0$$
 source of gravity
in GR



$$p_x \sim \frac{2}{3} \rho_{crit} \quad p_x < -\rho_x/3$$

POSSIBILITIES:

Einstein's COSMOLOGICAL CONST
(VACUUM ENERGY)

$$p = -\rho$$

TANGLED NETWORK OF
STRINGS

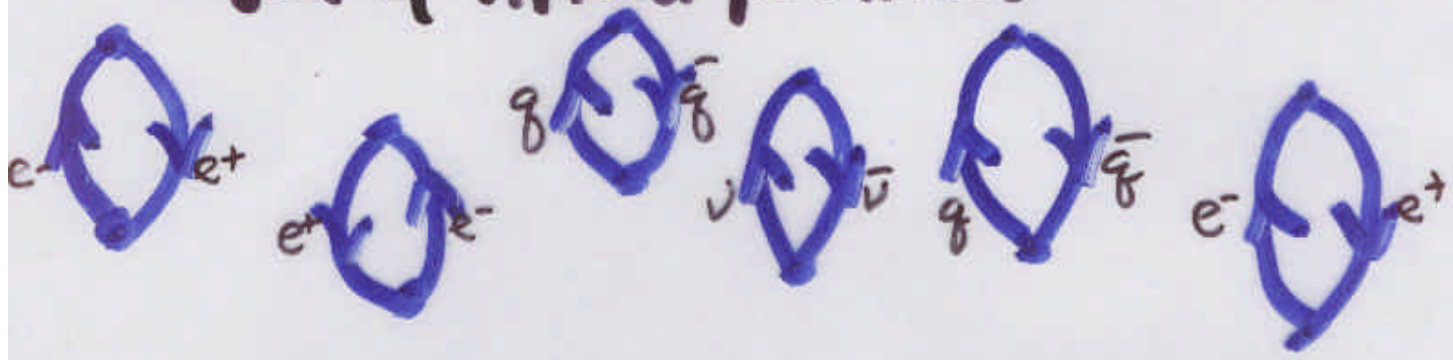
$$p = -\rho/3$$

ROLLING-SCALAR FIELD
AKA "QUINTESSENCE"

$$p = -\rho/3 \Rightarrow -\rho$$

QUANTUM VACUUM IS NOT EMPTY!

sea of virtual particles



Whose existence has been detected (shifting of atomic levels in H)

Quantum vacuum is elastic $p = -\rho$, but how much does it weigh?

theoretical estimates

50 $\Omega_{VAC} = \frac{\rho_{VAC}}{\rho_{crit}} = \infty$

80 $\Omega_{VAC} = 10^{122}$
cut off at m_{pl}

'84 $\Omega_{VAC} = 10^{55}$
SUST

'98 $\Omega_{VAC} \approx 0.6$?
Harvey; Silverstein-Harvey

?? $\Omega_{VAC} = 0$?
pre-98 "guess" of most particle theorists

Comments About Dark Energy

Science Times, 30 November 1999 (J. Glanz)

J. Harvey: Basically, people don't have a clue as to how to solve this problem.

S. Weinberg: Right now, not only for cosmology but for elementary particle theory, this is the bone in our throat.

F. Wilczek: ...maybe the most fundamentally mysterious thing in all of basic science.

E. Witten: ... would be number 1 on my list of things to figure out.

WHAT IF

Λ = 0 ?

BE CAREFUL WHAT YOU
WISH FOR !!

FUNNY

ENERGY

in the

UNIVERSE

MAY 1-3 1984

THE UNIVERSE IS
EMPTY & RESERVE

I STEPPED
IN X-MATTER

QUINTESSENCE --- BETTER
THAN PERRIER LIGHT!

IT'S CRAZY! -
AND IT WAS MY IDEA!



YOUTHFUL INDISCRETION

MST-WILCZEK '82
Nature 299, 633

DURING ITS EVOLUTION UNIVERSE
HAS UNDERGONE SERIES OF PHASE
TRANSITIONS (??, QCD, ELECTROWEAK, ??)
MAY HAVE GOTTEN TRAPPED IN
"FALSE" VACUUM



ROLLING SCALAR FIELD

(aka: decaying cosmological constant,
pseudo Nambu Goldstone boson, quintessence,
not there yet)

Bronstein 1933 (executed by Stalin)

Hill Schramm Fry 1986

Freeze et al 1987

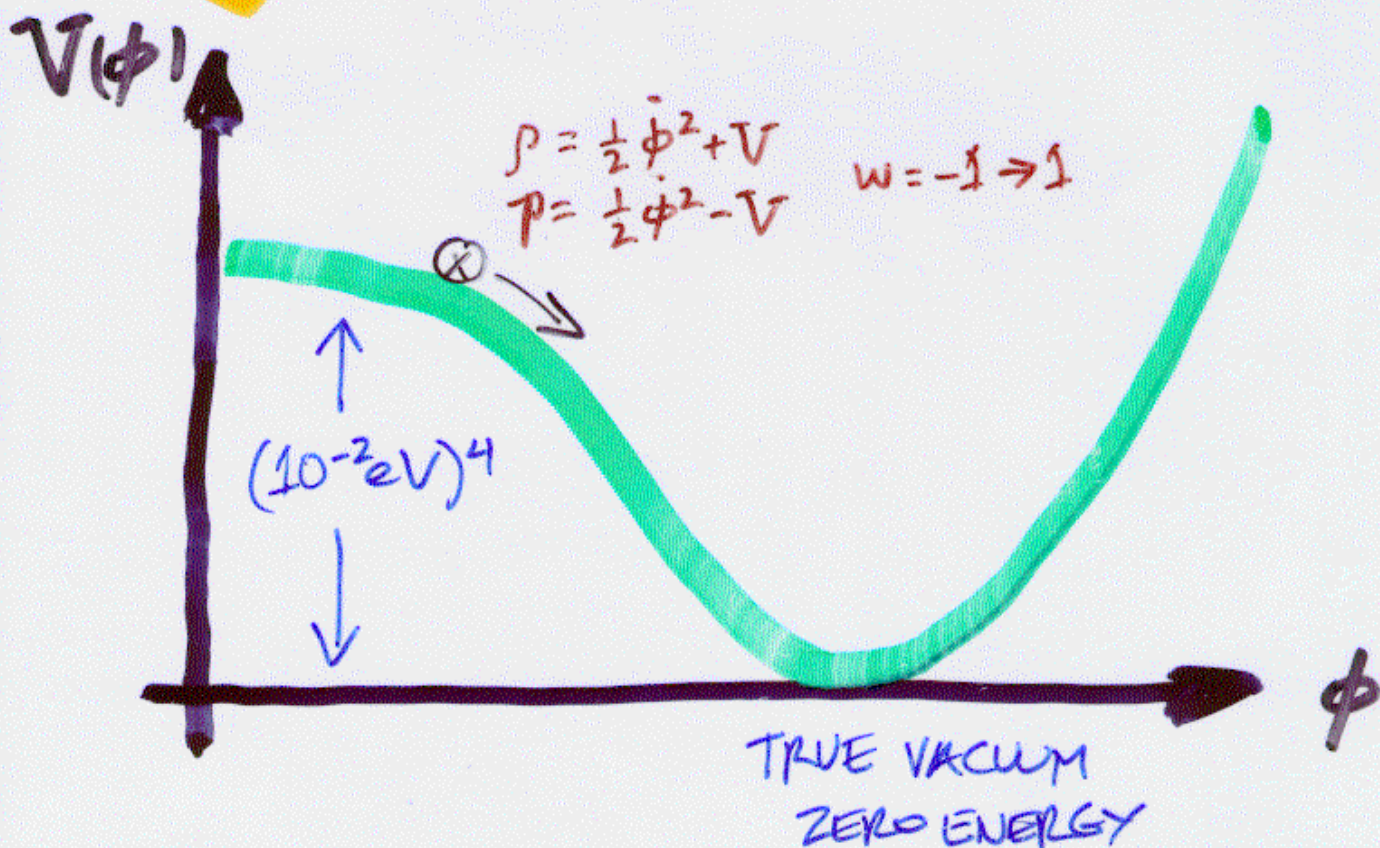
Reatra-Peebles 1988

Frieman et al 1995

Caldwell et al 1998

& others

A. GREENSPAN 1998: "... Brief Episodes
of Inflation Are Unavoidable."

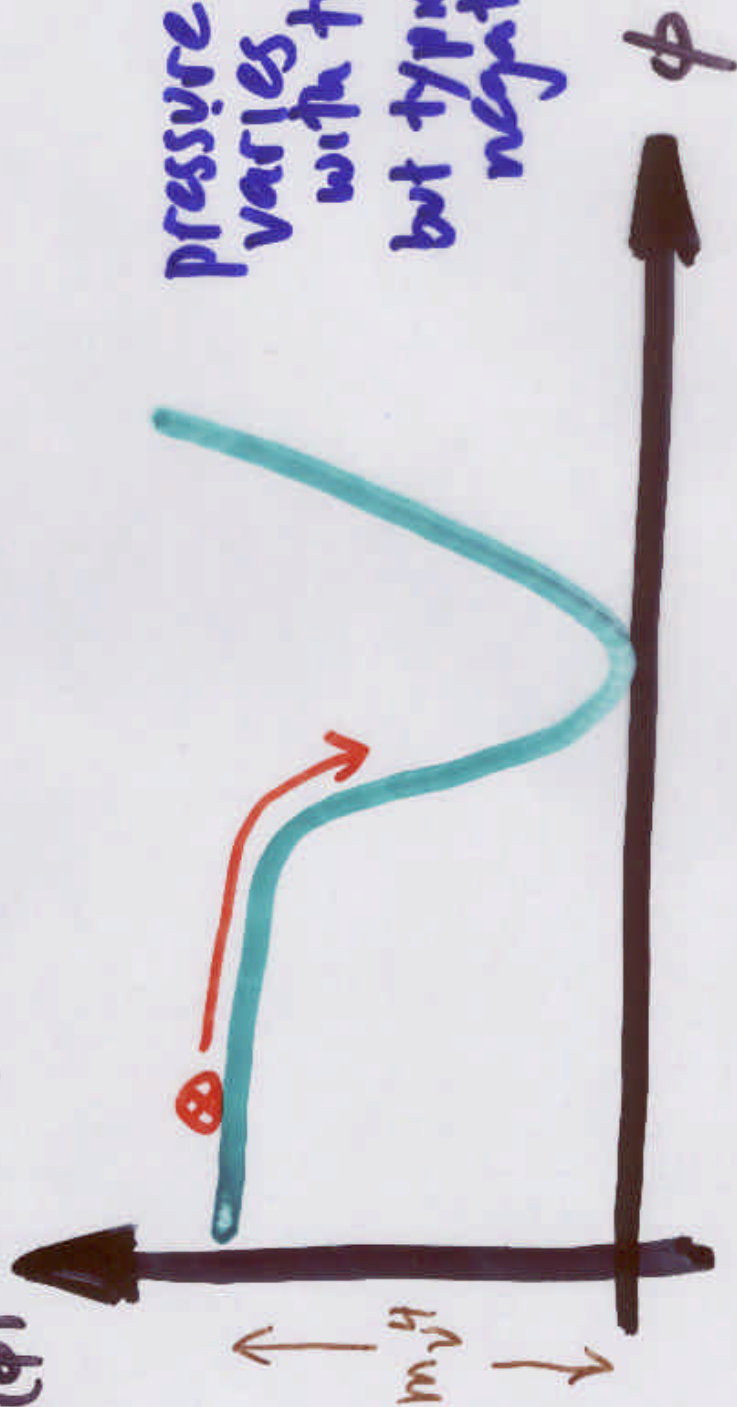


A BRIEF EPISODE OF INFLATION

(aka decaying cosmological constant, quintessence, rolling scalar field)

... mild episodes of inflation are unavoidable "A. GREENSPAN"

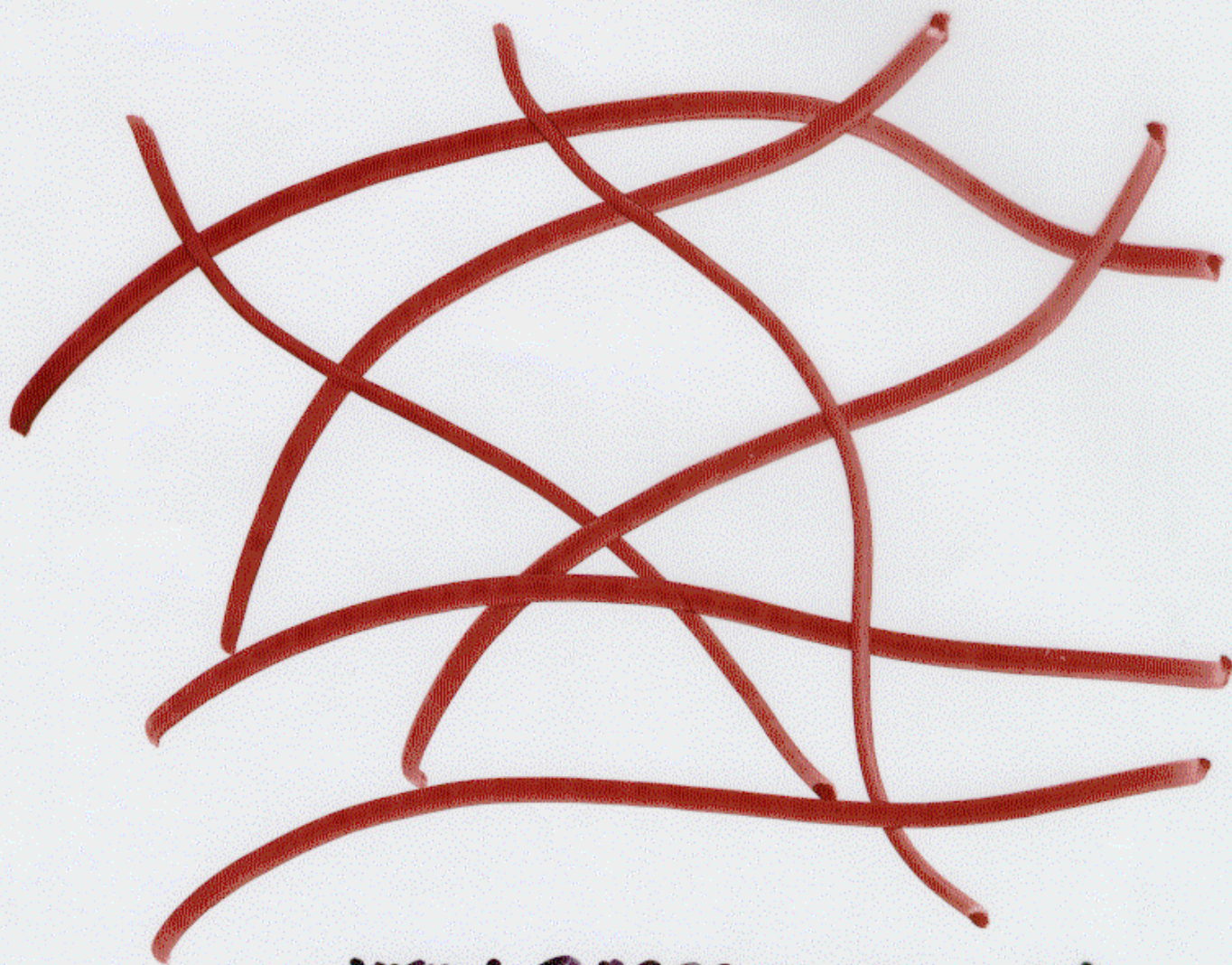
$V(\phi)$



NETWORK OF (FRUSTRATED) TOPOLOGICAL DEFECTS

EG STRING

A. Vilenkin '84
Pen-Spiegel '98



VERY ELASTIC: $\nu = -1/3$

IN GENERAL: $\nu = -N/3$

$$T_{\mu\nu} = \left(\begin{array}{c} \text{LARGE} \\ \text{NEGATIVE PRESSURE} \\ + \text{ANISOTROPIC} \\ \text{STRESS} \end{array} \right)$$

"SOLID DARK MATTER"

Bucher & Spergel
PRD60, 043505 (99)

"GENERALIZED DARK MATTER"

Hu: Astrophys. J.
506, 485 (90)



Joe's Model for Dark Energy

NANCY/KERRIGAN PROBLEM

WHY ME?

WHY NOW?

MYSTERIOUS, BUT CRUCIAL



THE DARK ENERGY

"DON'T HAVE A CLUE AS TO WHAT THE DARK ENERGY IS!"

PROBLEM

"RIGHT NOW, NOT ONLY PER COSMOLOGY BUT ALSO FOR ELEM. PART. THEORY, THIS IS THE BONE IN OUR THROAT" - S. WEINBERG

IT IS SMOOTH, HAS REPULSIVE GRAVITY, & IMPOSES FUND PHYSICS

CHARACTERIZE IT BY AS A STATE

$w_x \equiv P_x/\rho_x, w_x(t)$

TURNER-WHITE PMS 56, 4439 (9)

CANDIDATE	w	\dot{w}
COSMOLOGICAL CONSTANT (Λ)	-1	0
FRUSTRATED DEFECTS N=1 (string), 2 (walls)	$-N/3$	≈ 0
FALSE VACUUM STATE	-1	≈ 0
ROLLING SCALAR FIELD "QUINTESSENCE"	$-1 \rightarrow 1$	$= \frac{\frac{1}{2}\dot{\phi}^2 - V(\phi)}{\frac{1}{2}\dot{\phi}^2 + \bar{V}(\phi)}$
"THE BULK" BREAKDOWN OF FLW COSMOLOGY, ...	?	?

PROBING THE MYSTERIOUS DARK ENERGY

Perlmutter-White-MST
astro-ph/990152

$w_{eff} = \langle P_x/\rho_x \rangle$ $\Delta = -1$
STRINGS: $-1/3$

COMPLEMENTARITY

CONSISTENCY

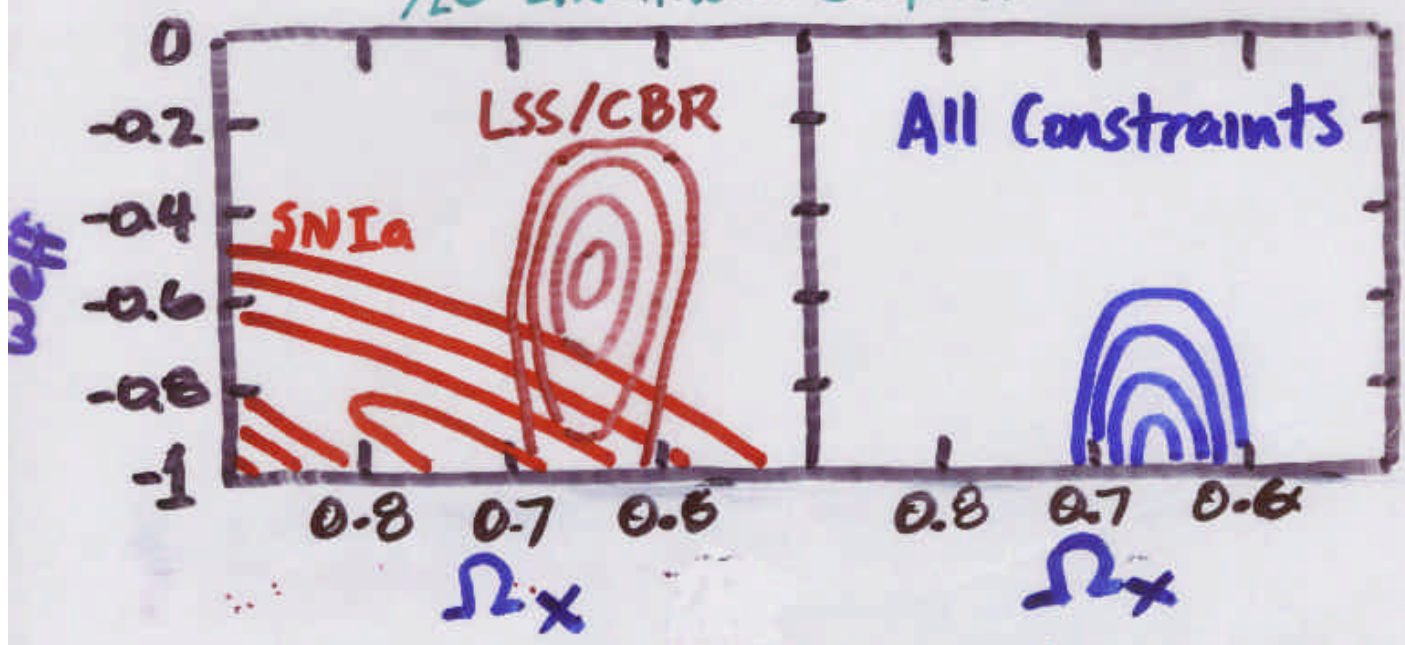
SN Ia

AGE OF UNIVERSE
GRAV. LENSING

LSS/CBR

Ω_M (direct measures)

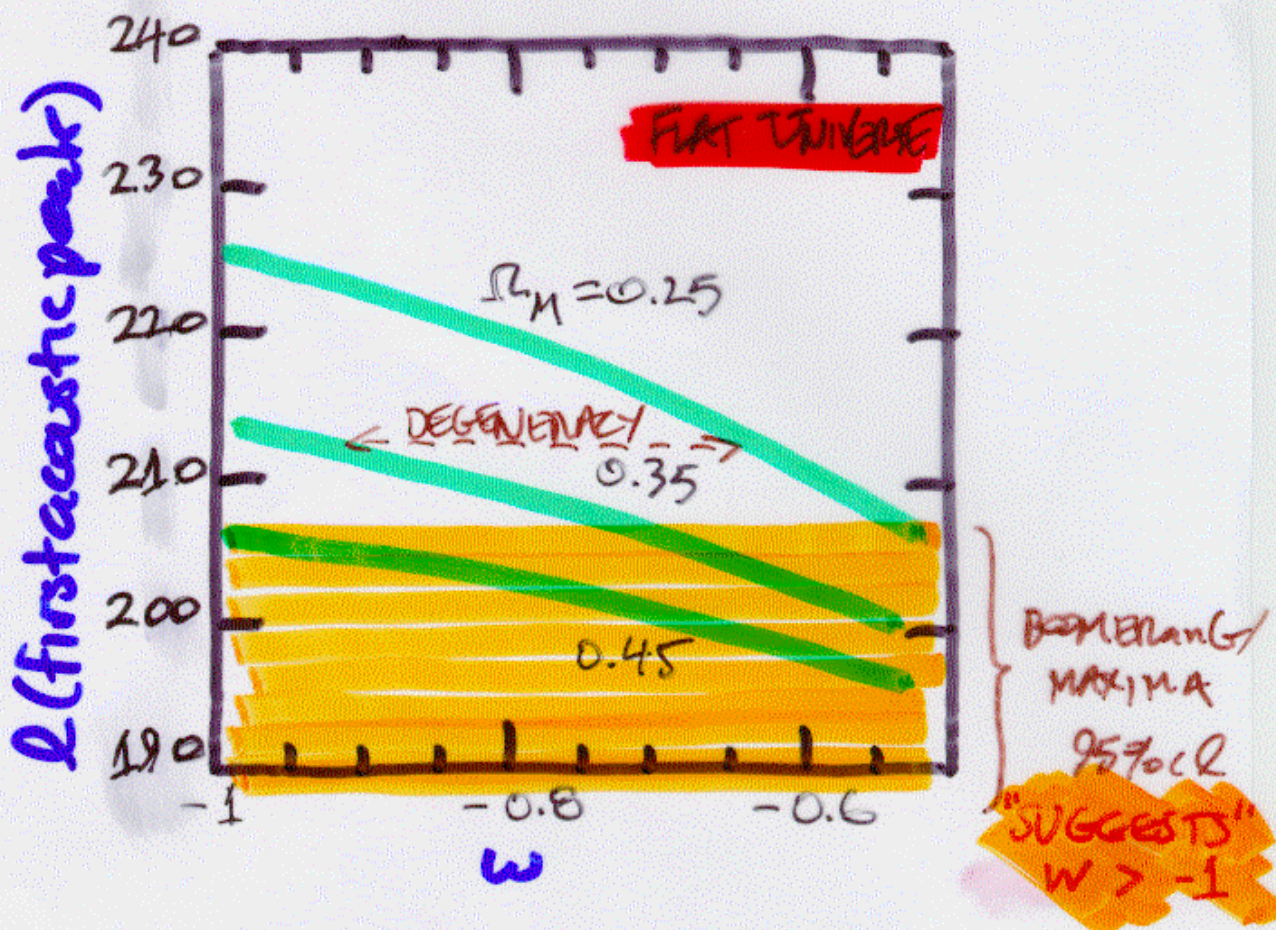
$1/2\sigma$ Likelihood Contours



AT 95% CL: $w_{eff} < -0.6$ $0.6 < \Omega_x < 0.7$

B: Also see, L. Wang et al astro-ph/9901388 for similar but different conclusions.

Pattern of CMB Anisotropy



ANGULAR POSITION OF "FEATURES"

$\propto 1/\text{distance to LSS}$

$$\int_0^{z=1100} \frac{dz}{H(z)} \equiv r(z=1100)$$

$\Omega_M - w$ degeneracy

CMB NEEDS HELP

SNe Ia CAN GET AT THE NATURE OF DARK ENERGY

SNe DETERMINING EXPANSION HISTORY THRU

$$d_L(z) = (1+z)r(z) \quad \text{"LUMINOSITY DISTANCE: } d_L = \left(\frac{L}{4\pi F}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$r(z) = \int_0^z \frac{dx}{H(x)} \quad H^2 = H_0^2 \left[\Omega_M(1+z)^3 + \Omega_X(1+z)^{3(1+w_X)} \right]$$

(k=0, w=const)

↑
DETERMINE FROM
SNe Ia DATA

$$= \frac{8\pi G}{3}(\rho_M + \rho_X) - \frac{k}{R^2}$$

RECONSTRUCT $w(z)$:

$$w_X(z) = -1 + \frac{1+z}{3} \frac{3H_0^2\Omega_M(1+z)^2 + 2(d^2r/dz^2)/(dr/dz)^3}{H_0^2\Omega_M(1+z)^3 - 1/(dr/dz)^2}$$

(k=0)

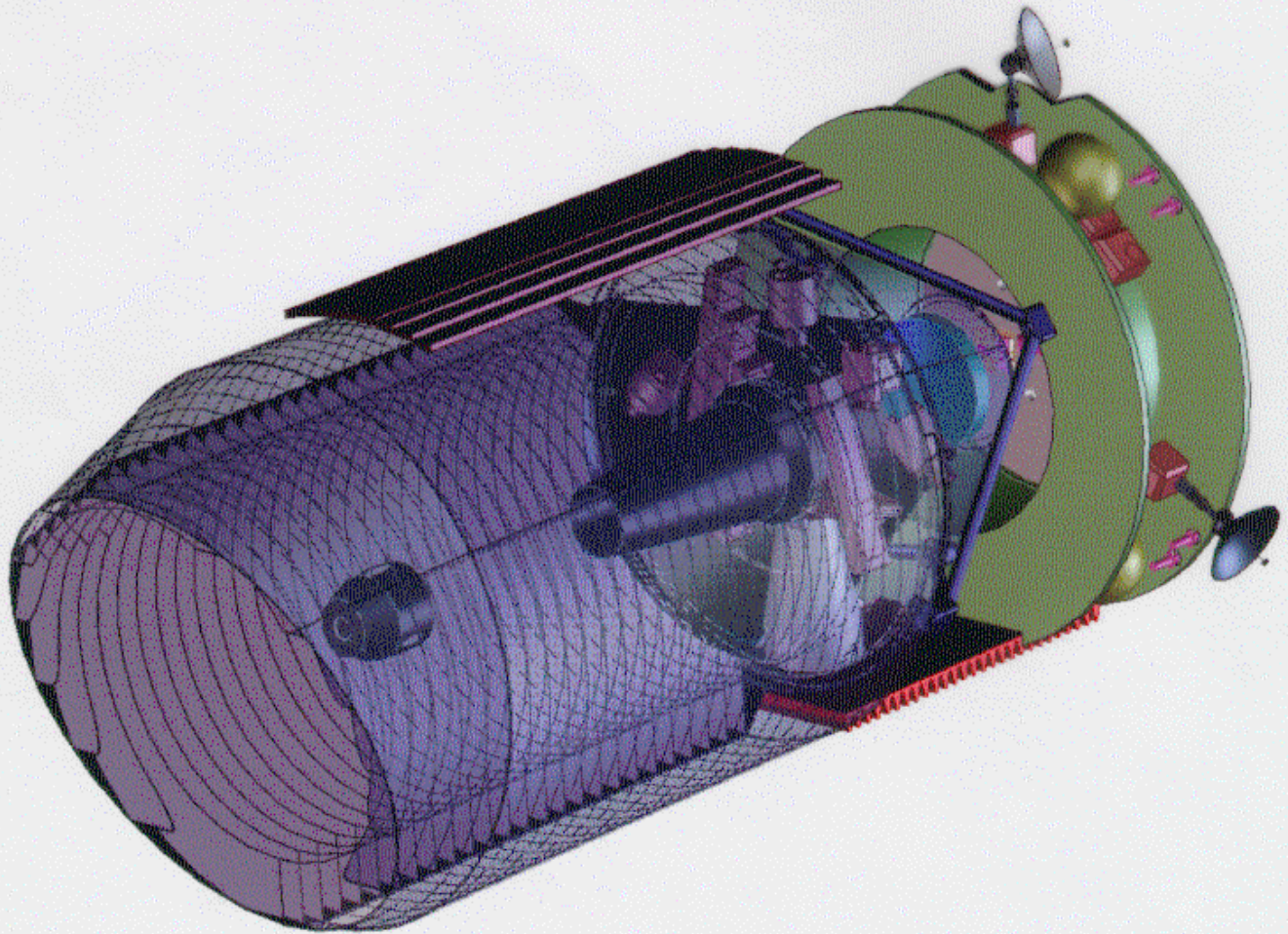
OR $V(\phi)$ FOR SCALAR FIELD MODEL:

$$V(\phi) = \frac{1}{8\pi G} \left[\frac{3}{(dr/dz)^2} + (1+z) \frac{d^2r/dz^2}{(dr/dz)^3} \right] - \frac{3\Omega_M H_0^2 (1+z)}{16\pi G}$$

NEED QUALITY DATA SET!

DEDICATED 2-meter SPACE TELESCOPE TO STUDY DARK ENERGY

SNAP SuperNova
Acceleration
Probe



~ 5000 SNIa $z \lesssim 1.7$!
"precision sample"

Theoretical Case for

D-REX

DARK-ENERGY Explorer

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Michael S. Turner
U. Chicago/Fermilab
12/1/99

- Strong Evidence for Dark Energy
 - smooth energy component with large negative pressure
- The Dark Energy Problem
 - don't have a clue to what it is, except that it involves fund physics
- SNe Ia Are the Best Probe
 - most powerful approach to getting at *the nature* of the dark energy



satellite overview

Instruments:

- **~2 m aperture telescope**
Can reach very distant SNe.
- **1 square degree mosaic camera, 1 billion pixels**
Efficiently studies large numbers of SNe.
- **3-channel spectroscopy, 0.3 μ m -- 1.7 μ m**
Detailed analysis of each SN.

Satellite:

Dedicated instrument.
Designed to repeatedly observe an area of sky.
Essentially no moving parts.

4-year construction cycle.
3-year operation for experiment
(lifetime open-ended).

SETTING AT THE COSMIC COMPARISONS DARK ENERGY

1) ASSUME Λ

	σ_{Ω_m}	σ_{Ω_b}	σ_{H_0}
MAP +	0.04	0.04	0.02
PLANCK +	0.02	0.03	0.005
D-REX	0.05	0.02	0.06

+ SDSS & POLARIZATION

COMPARABLE & COMPLEMENTARY

2) ASSUME

CONST w_x

	σ_{Ω_m}	σ_{w_x}
MAP +	0.9	2
PLANCK +	0.1	0.3
D-REX	0.02	0.05

D-REX WINS BY FACTOR OF 6

3) ASSUME

$w_x = w_0 + w'z$

	σ_{w_0}	$\sigma_{w'}$
D-REX	0.08	0.12

4) NON PARAMETRIC RECONSTRUCTION

⇒ SEE FIGS ←

NB: errors for D-REX scale as:
 $\sigma \propto (N/2200)^{-1/2} \sigma_{\text{sys}}$

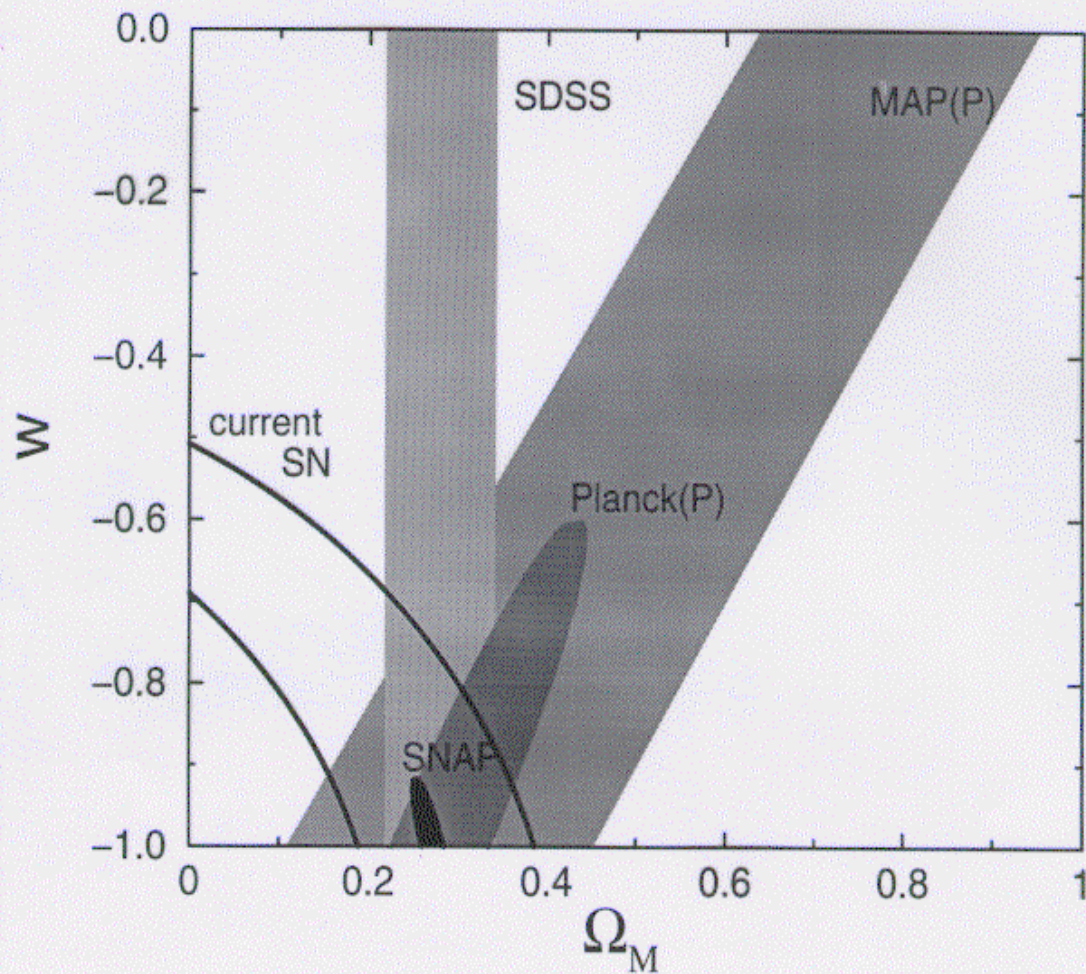
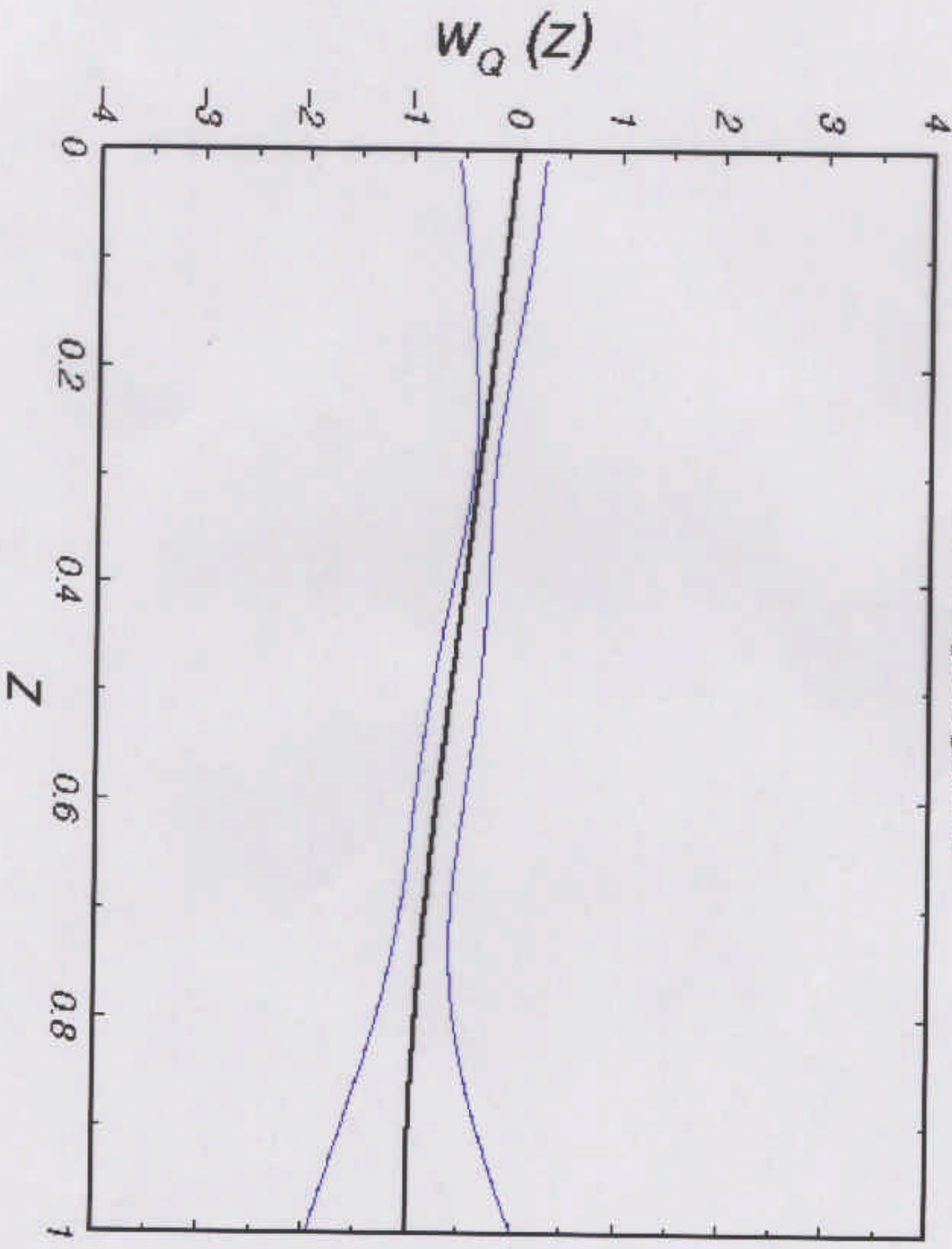


Figure 3: SNAP constraint on parameters Ω_M and w compared to those of MAP and Planck both with polarization information, and SDSS (MAP, Planck and SDSS constraints are from [?]). Also shown are the present constraints using a total of 54 SN. All constraints are $1-\sigma$ and include statistical uncertainties only. A flat universe is assumed, and fiducial values of the parameters are $\Omega_M = 1 - \Omega_{dark} = 0.28$, $w = -1$. MAP and SDSS constraint regions are obtained using a Fisher matrix analysis, while SNAP constraint is obtained using a Monte-Carlo simulation.

RECONSTRUCTING $w(z)$ w/D-REX

$\Delta m = 0.15$ per supernova



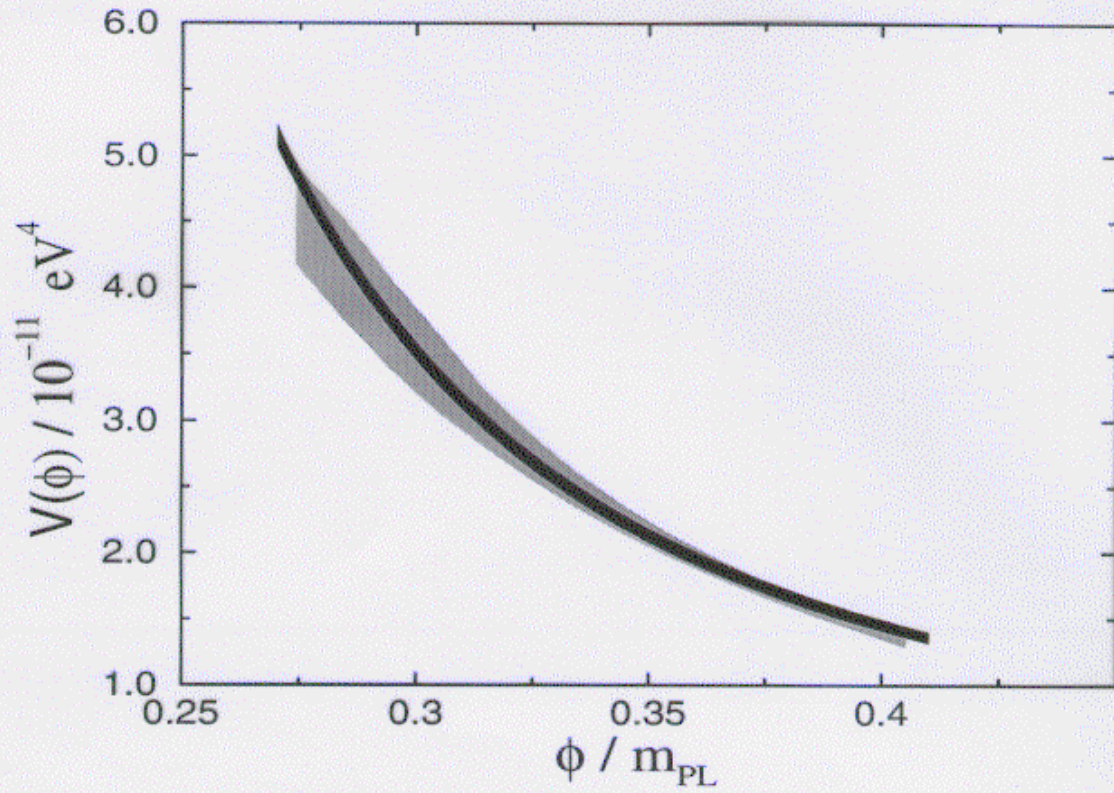
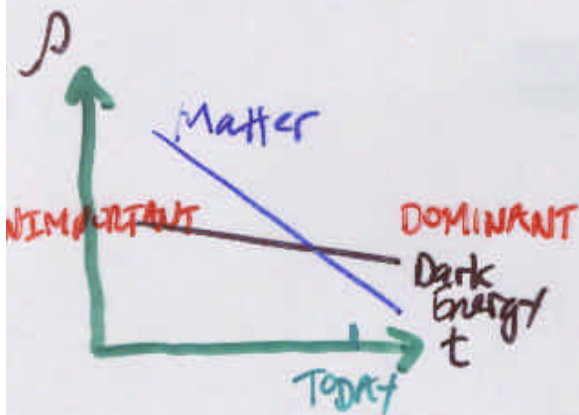


Figure 1: The 68% confidence interval for the reconstructed potential assuming SNAP's data set (shaded area) and the original potential (heavy line). The quintessence potential is $V = V_0 [\exp(m_{PL}/\phi) - 1]$ with $V_0 = 1.3 \times 10^{-12} (\text{eV})^4$ and $\Omega_{\text{dark}} = 0.52$. The simulated distance-redshift data were fit by a three-parameter Padé approximant. Note that, for the reconstruction, no *a priori* knowledge about the potential is needed.

KEY ADVANTAGE OF SNe Ia

CAN PROBE RECENT EXPANSION
HISTORY WELL



$$\rho_x / \rho_M = \frac{\Omega_x}{\Omega_M} (1+z)^{3w_x}$$

$$\approx \begin{cases} \text{TODAY} & \approx 1.5 \\ z=2 & \approx 0.05 \\ z=1000 & < 3 \times 10^{-5} \end{cases}$$

NB: CMB EPOCH

WHEN THE DARK
ENERGY IS DOMINANT

ANOTHER APPROACH: COUNTING STANDARDIZABLE OBJECTS

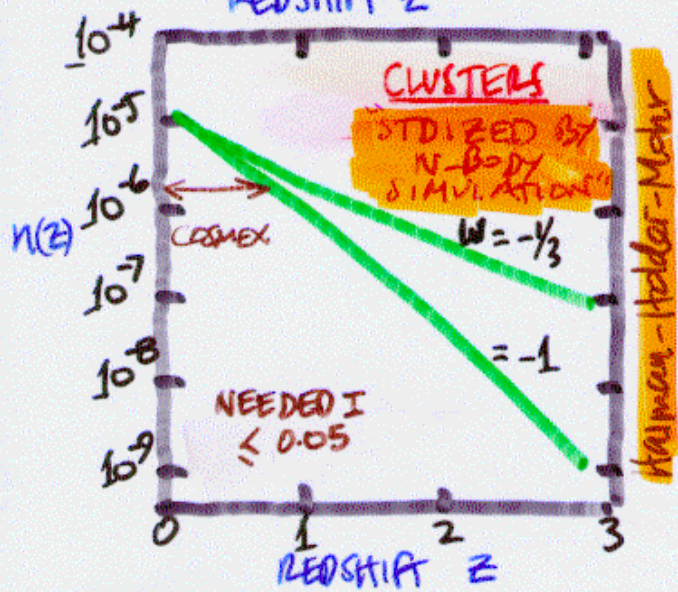
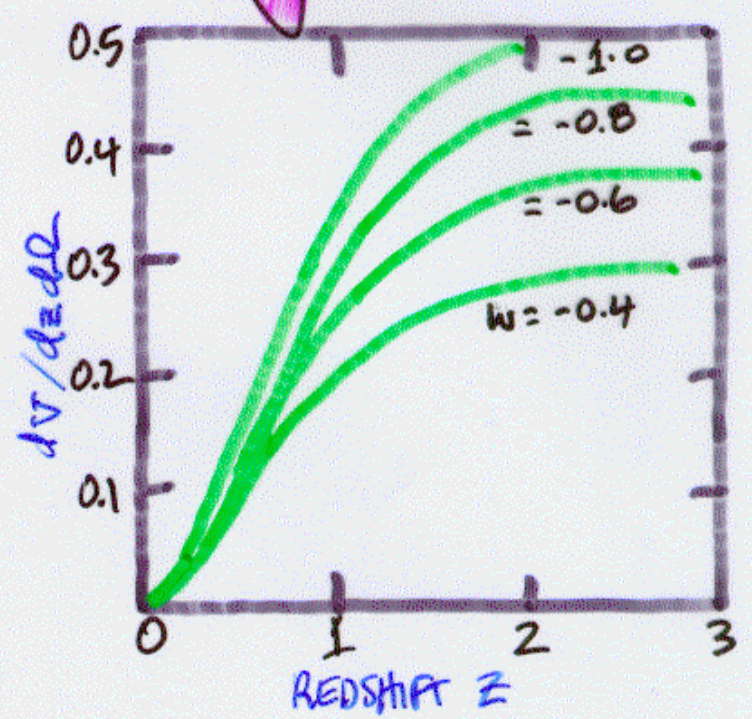
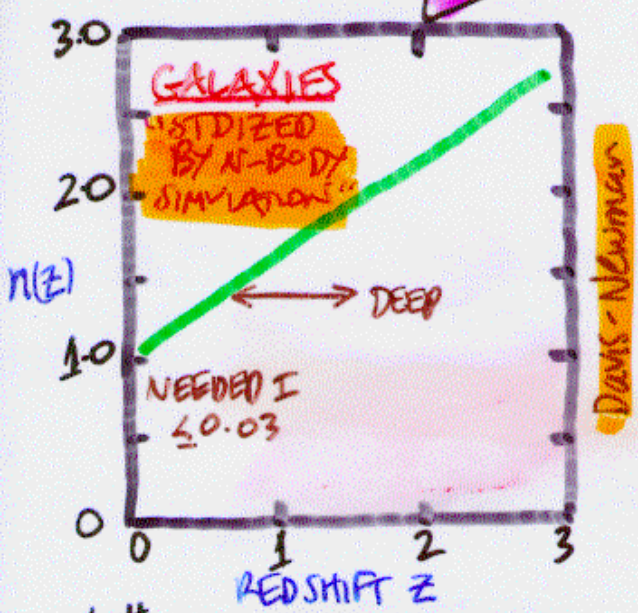
$$\frac{dn}{d\Omega dz} = n(z) \times \frac{dV}{d\Omega dz}$$

OBSERVABLE

ASTRO-PHYSICS "EVOLUTION"

VOLUME ELEMENT "COSMOLOGY"

$$= r(z)^2 / H(z)$$



KEY SYSTEMATIC:
EVOLUTION $n(z)$

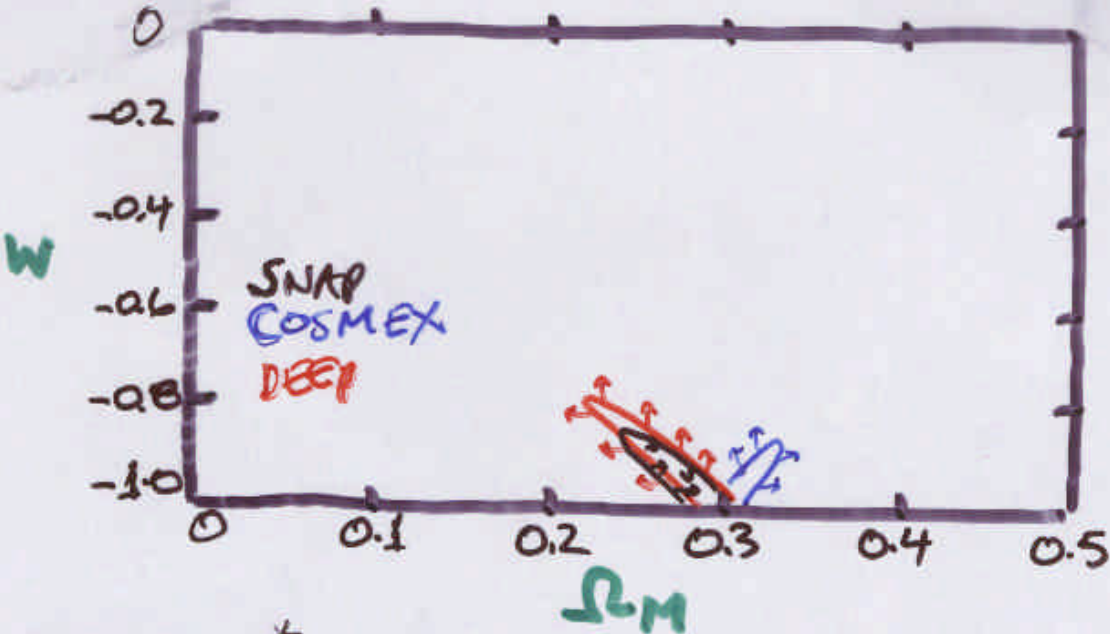
IE. STANDARDIZING THE OBJECTS

SNeIa v. COUNTING

NB: SNeIa include systematic $\Delta m = 0.15$; clusters + galaxies do not include systematics

SNAP: 1 yr + $\Delta m = 0.15$ "upper limit"

DEEP: 10^4 Galaxies, $z = 0.7-1.5$ requires $\Delta n/n \leq 0.03$ "lower limit"



* COSMEX: 10^4 clusters $z \rightarrow 1/2$ requires $\Delta n/n \leq 0.05$ "lower limit"

* SMCs PROPOSAL