

The Multi-Probe Method

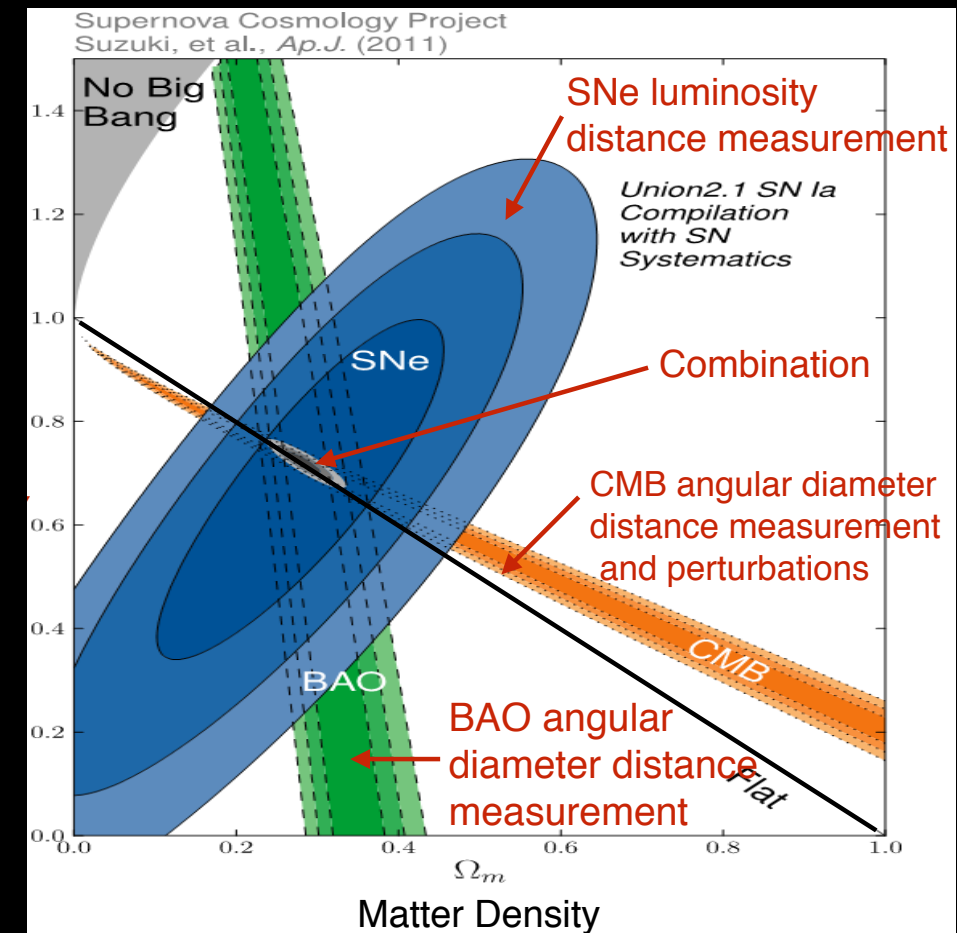
DES-Y1 results on behalf of the Dark Energy Survey Collaboration

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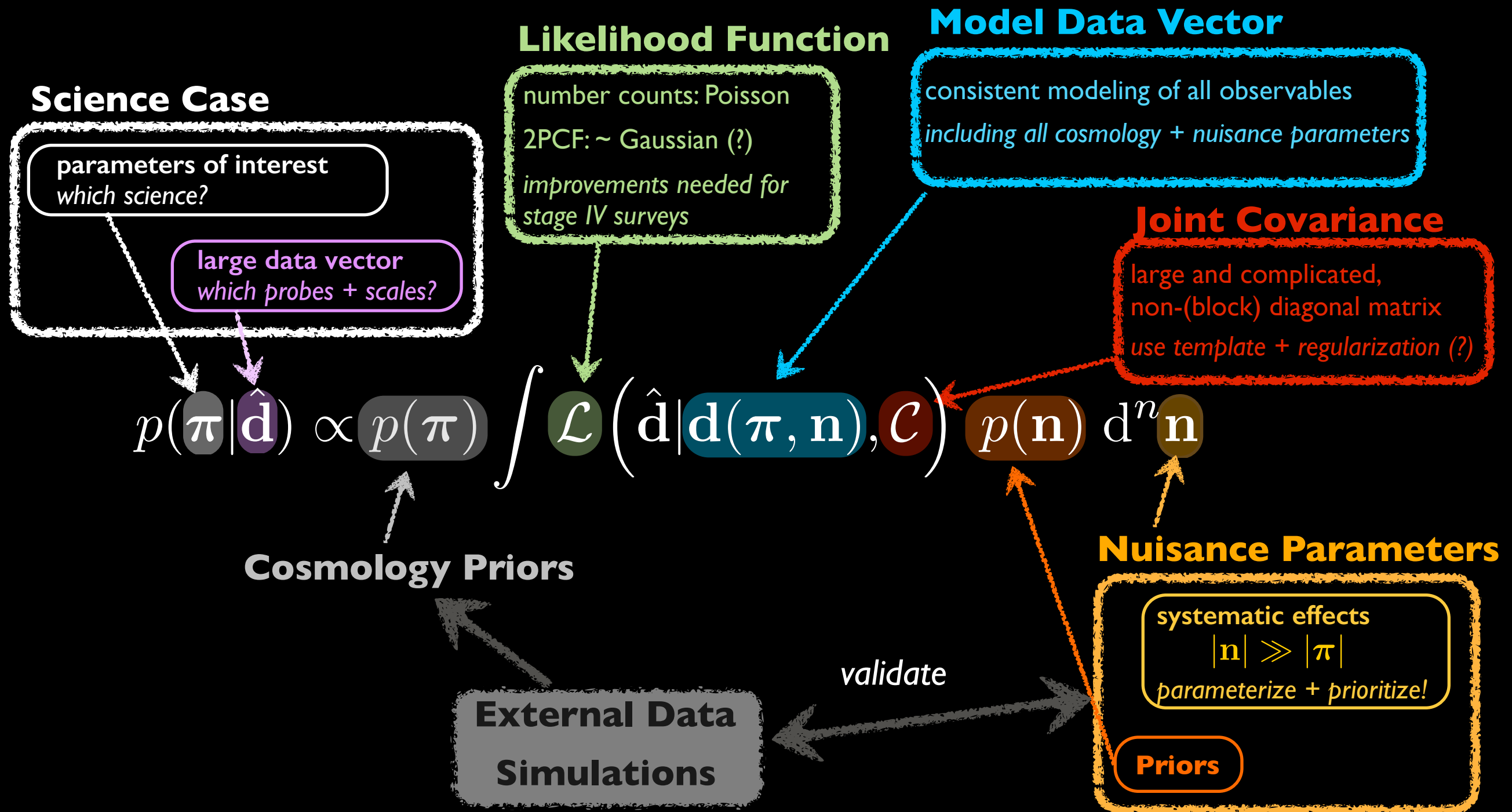
Berkeley Weak Lensing Workshop, January 2019

The Power of Combining Probes

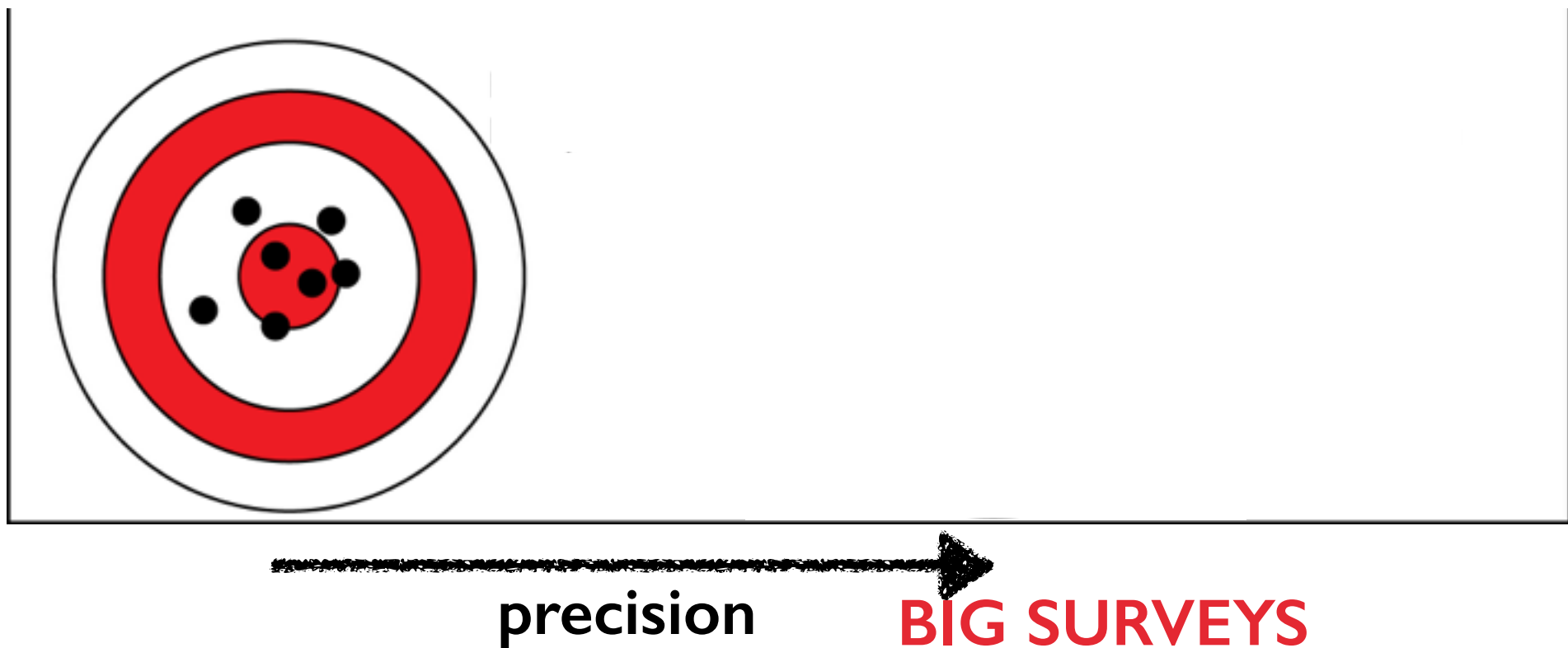
- Best constraints obtained by combining cosmological probes
 - independent probes: multiply likelihoods
 - Combining LSS probes (from same survey) requires more complicated analyses
 - clustering, clusters and WL probe same underlying density field, are correlated
 - correlated systematic effects
- → requires joint analysis



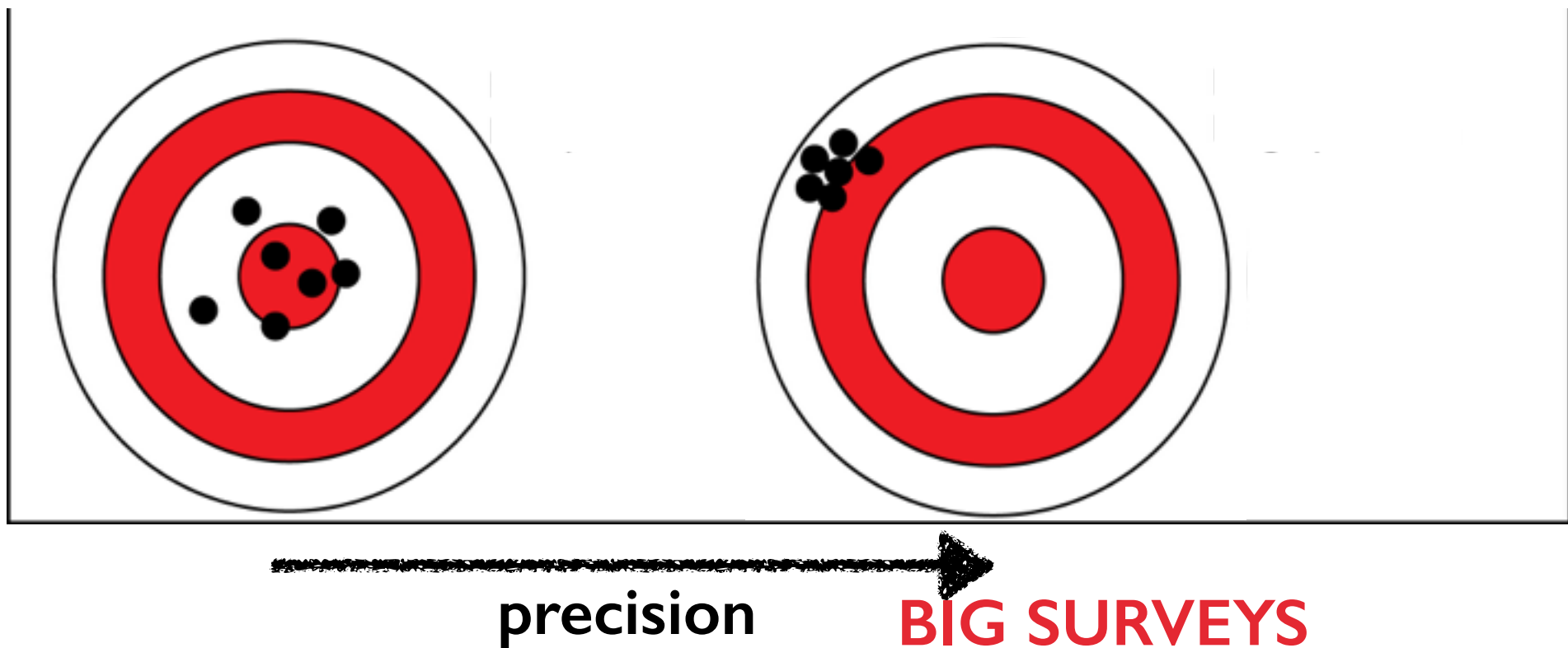
Joint Analysis Ingredients



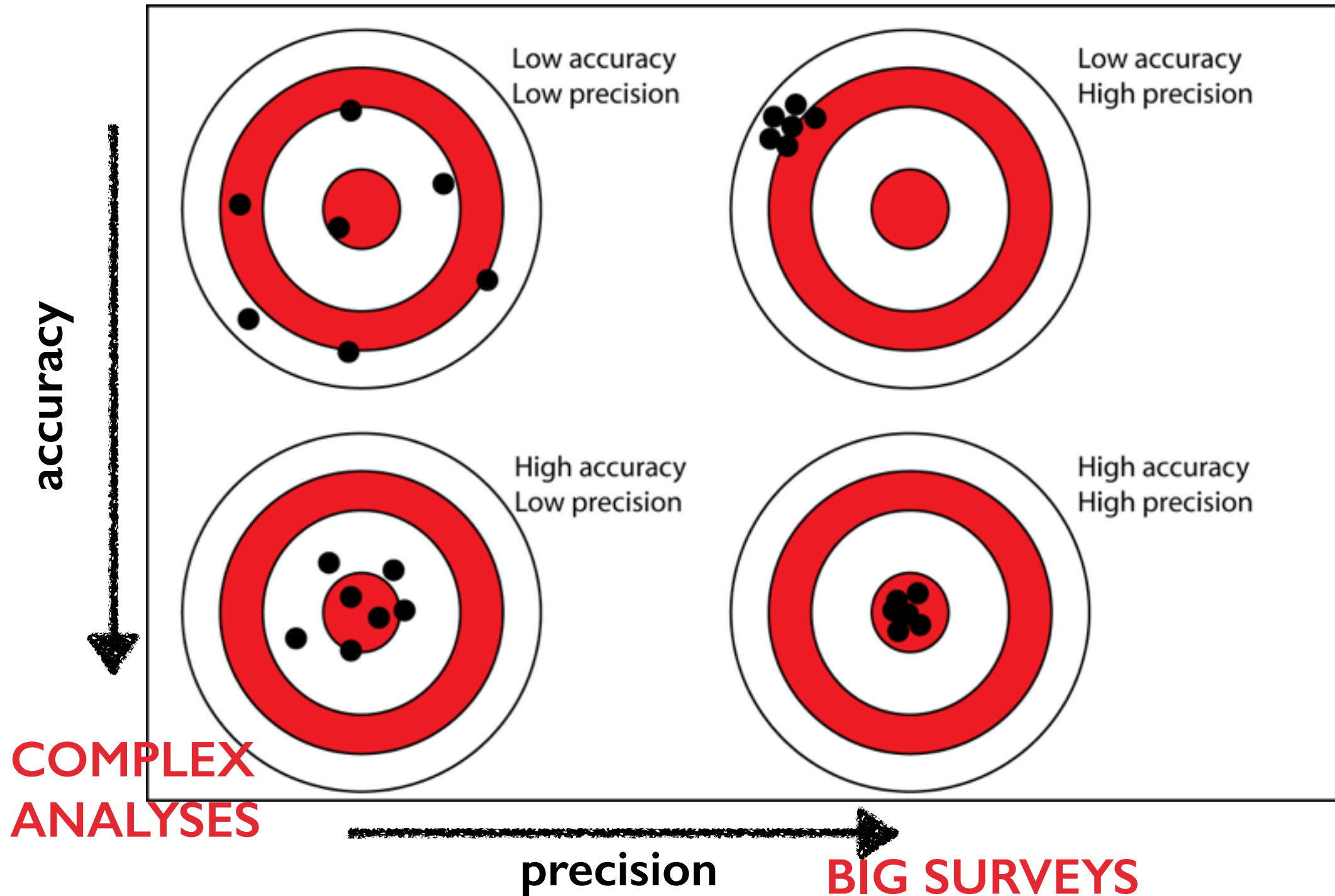
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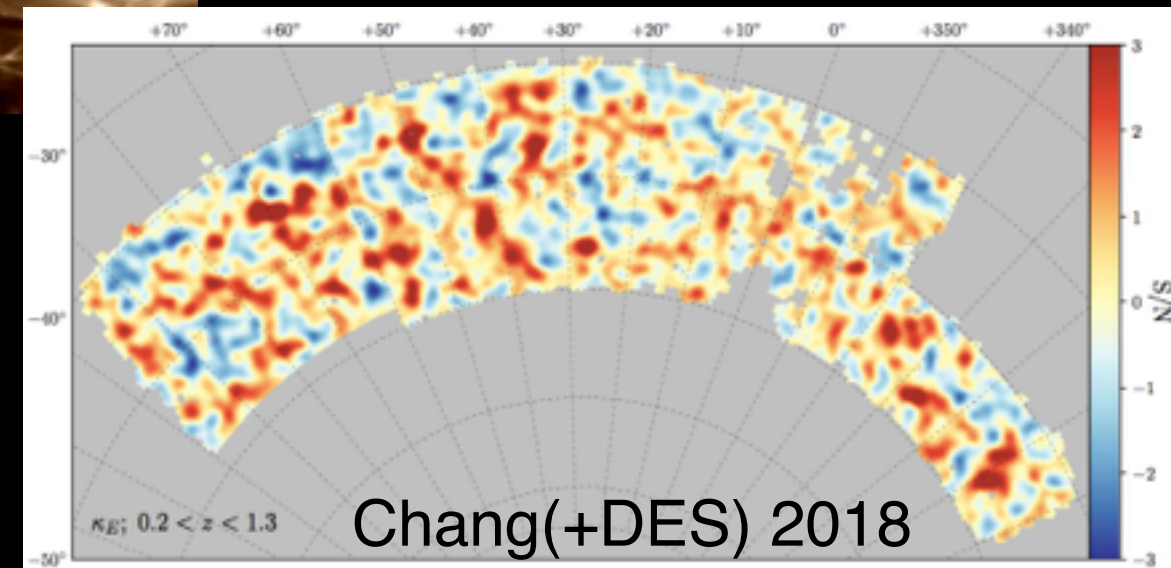
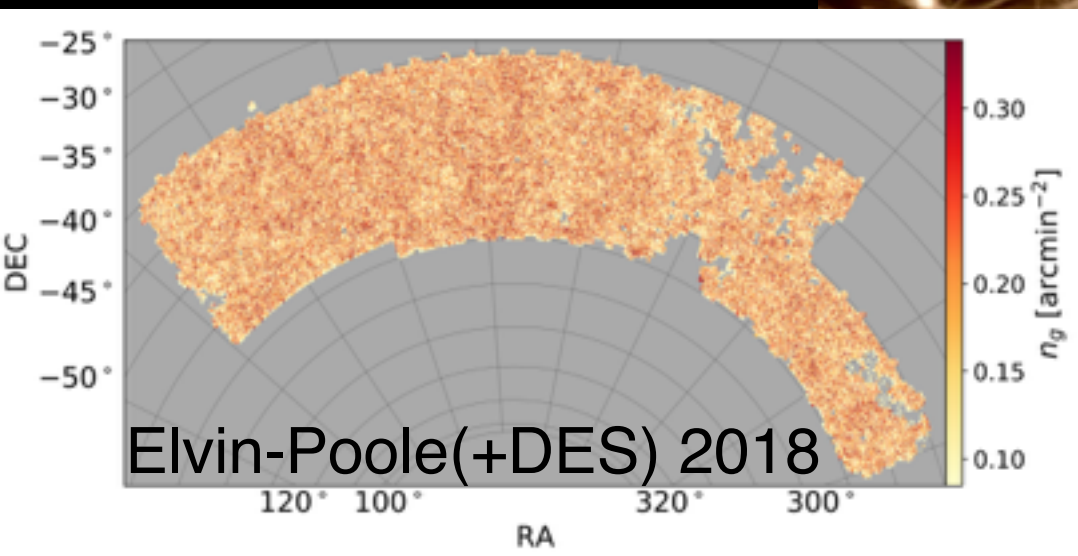
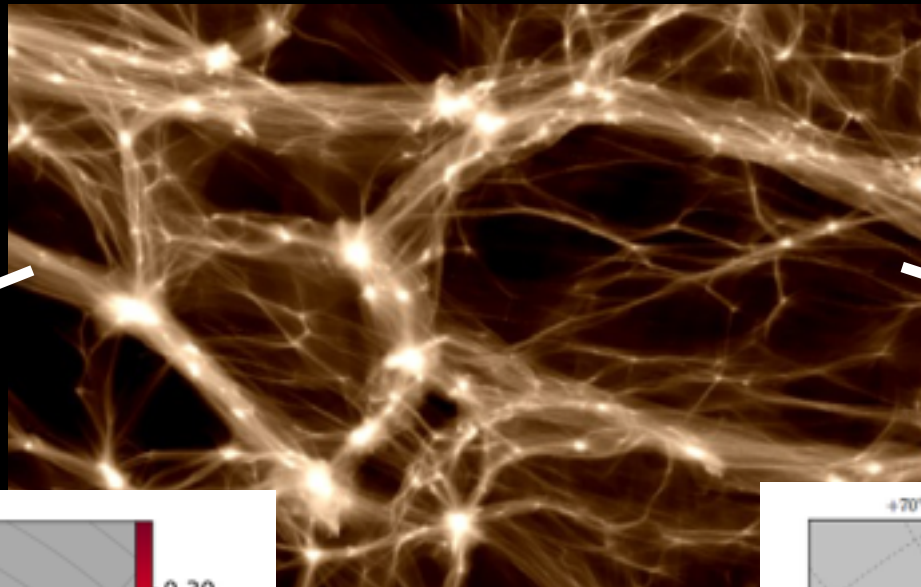


Multi-Probe Systematics

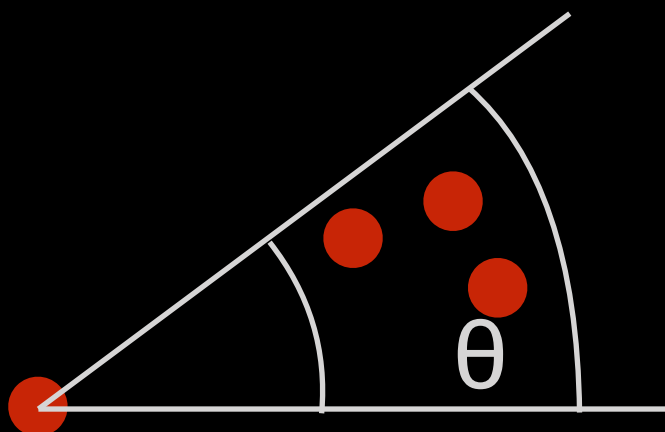
DES Aspirations

- “Precision cosmology”: excellent statistics - systematics limited
 - (and person-power limited!)
- Easy to come up with large list of systematics + nuisance parameters
 - galaxies: LF, bias (e.g., 5 HOD parameters + b_2 per z-bin,type)
 - cluster mass-observable relation: mean relation + scatter parameters
 - shear calibration, photo-z uncertainties, intrinsic alignments,...
 - Σ (poll among DES working groups) \sim 500-1000 parameters [2013 estimate]
- Self-calibration + marginalization
 - can be costly (computationally, constraining power)

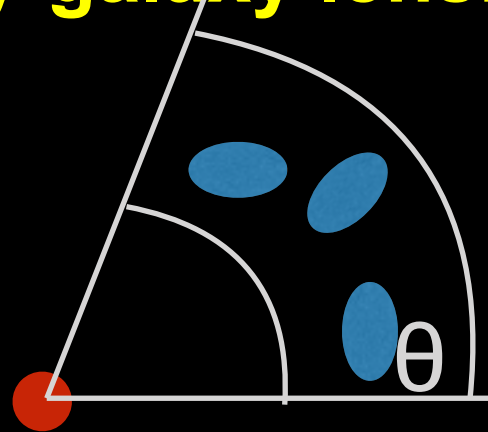
DES Year 1 Cosmology Analysis



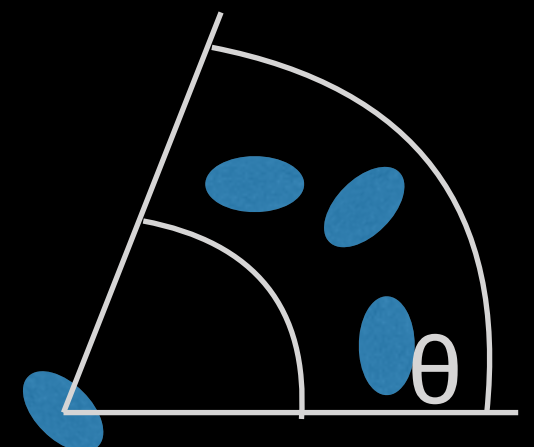
galaxies x galaxies:
angular clustering



galaxies x lensing:
galaxy-galaxy lensing



lensing x lensing:
cosmic shear



Combined Probes Systematics

DES-Y1 Reality

baseline systematics marginalization (20 parameters)

- **linear bias** of lens galaxies, per lens z-bin
- **lens galaxy photo-zs**, per lens z-bin
- **source galaxy photo-zs**, per source z-bin
- **multiplicative shear calibration**, per source z-bin
- **intrinsic alignments**, power-law/free amplitude per per source z-bin

-> this list is known to be incomplete

how much will **known, unaccounted-for** systematics bias Y1?

-> choice of parameterizations \neq universal truth

are these **parameterizations sufficiently flexible** for Y1?

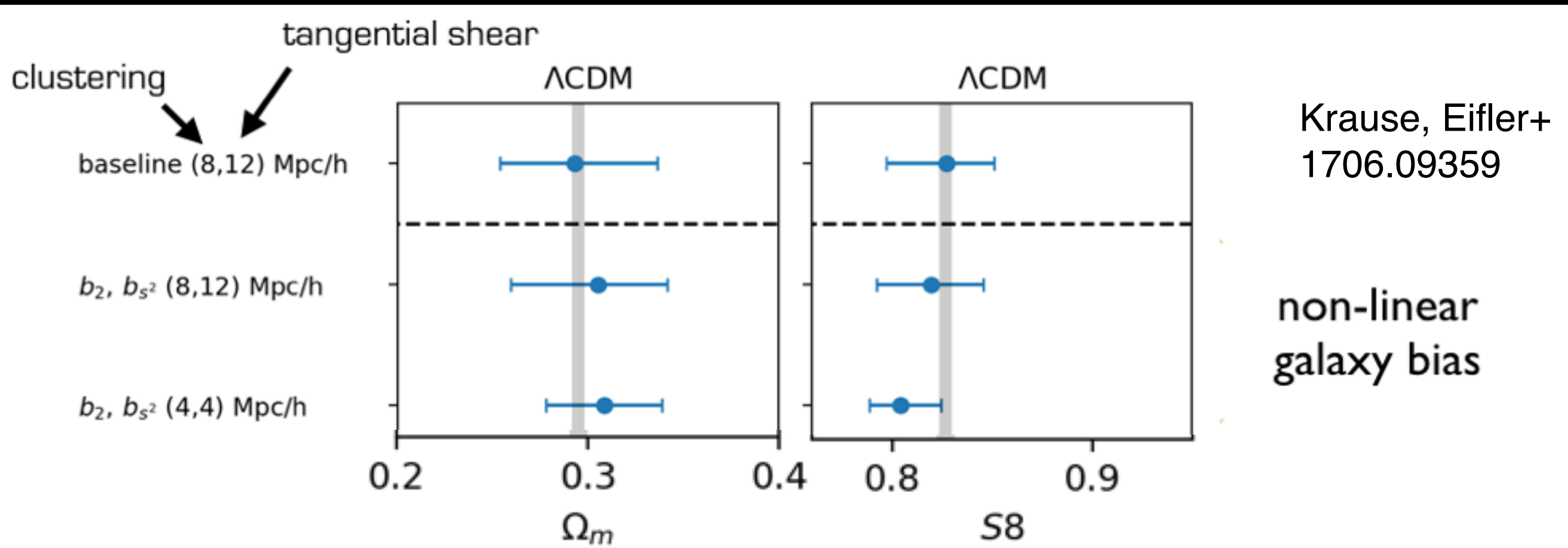
Systematics Mitigation

incomplete model - scale cuts

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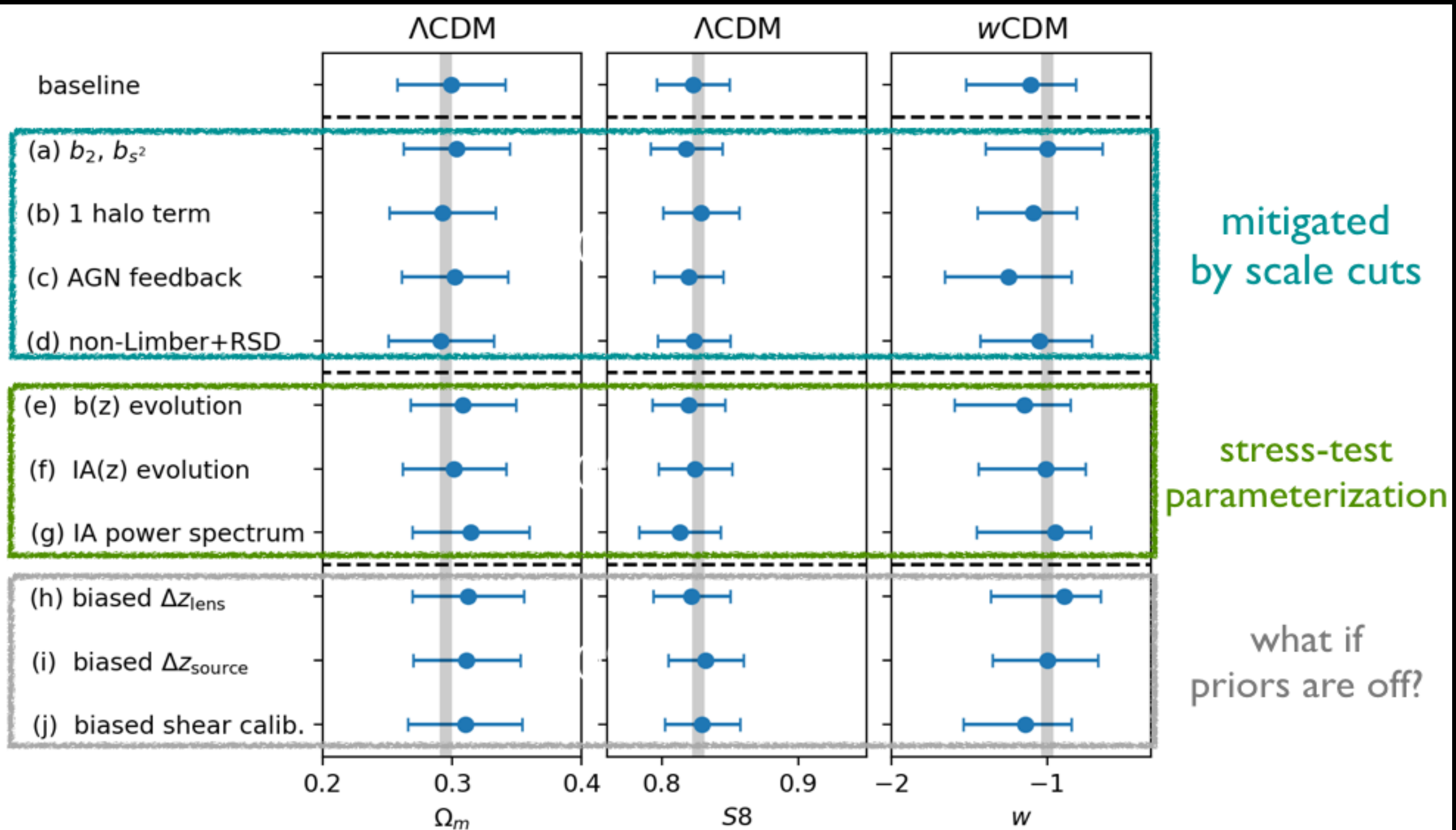
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Example: generate input 'data' incl. 2nd order galaxy bias
enhances clustering signal on small physical scales
determine scale cuts to minimize parameter biases



Systematics Mitigation

imperfect parameterizations



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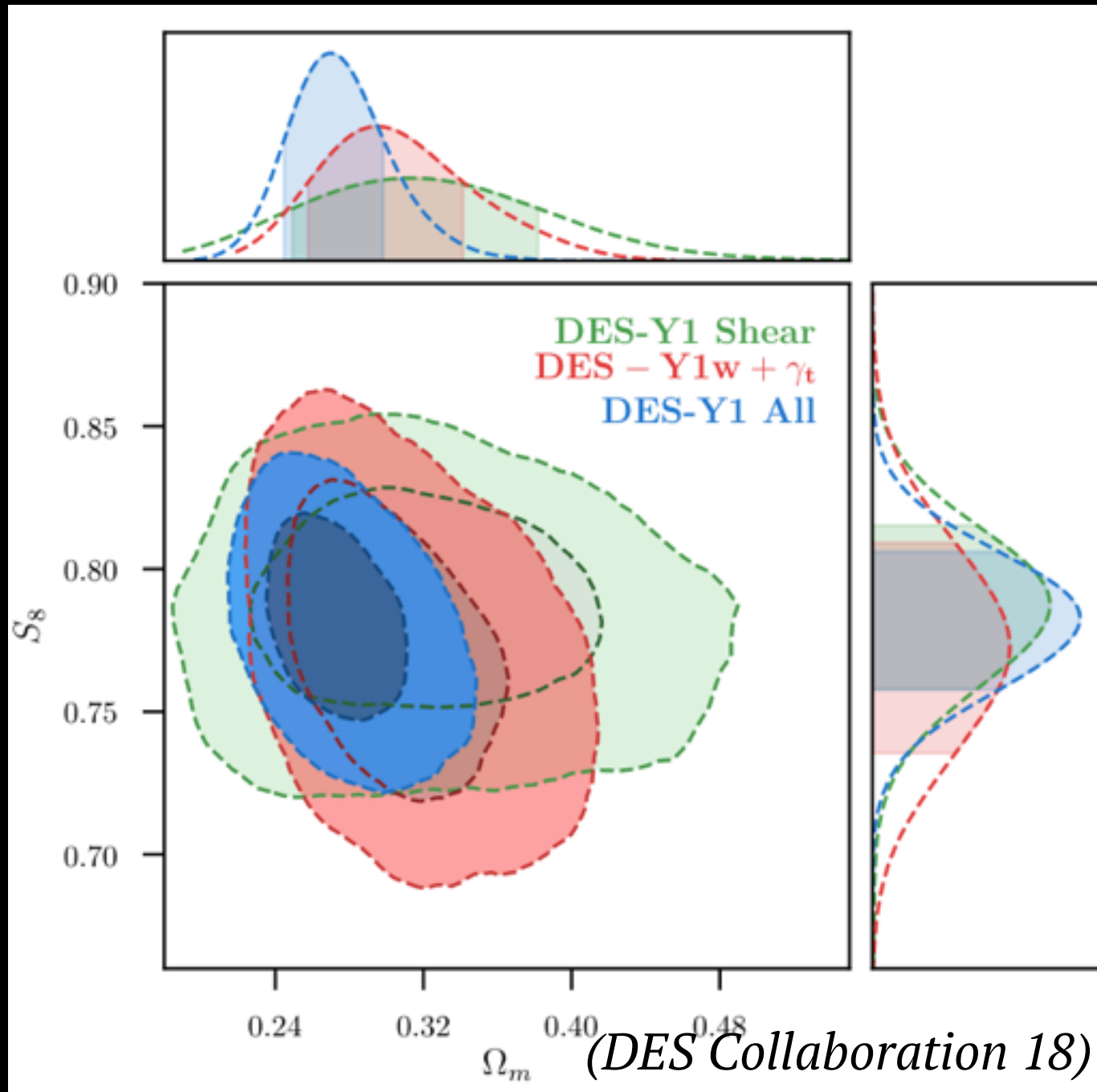
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Q: Consider consistency across probes null-test, or result?

DES Y1 Results: LCDM Multi-Probe Constraints

Amplitude of Structure Growth

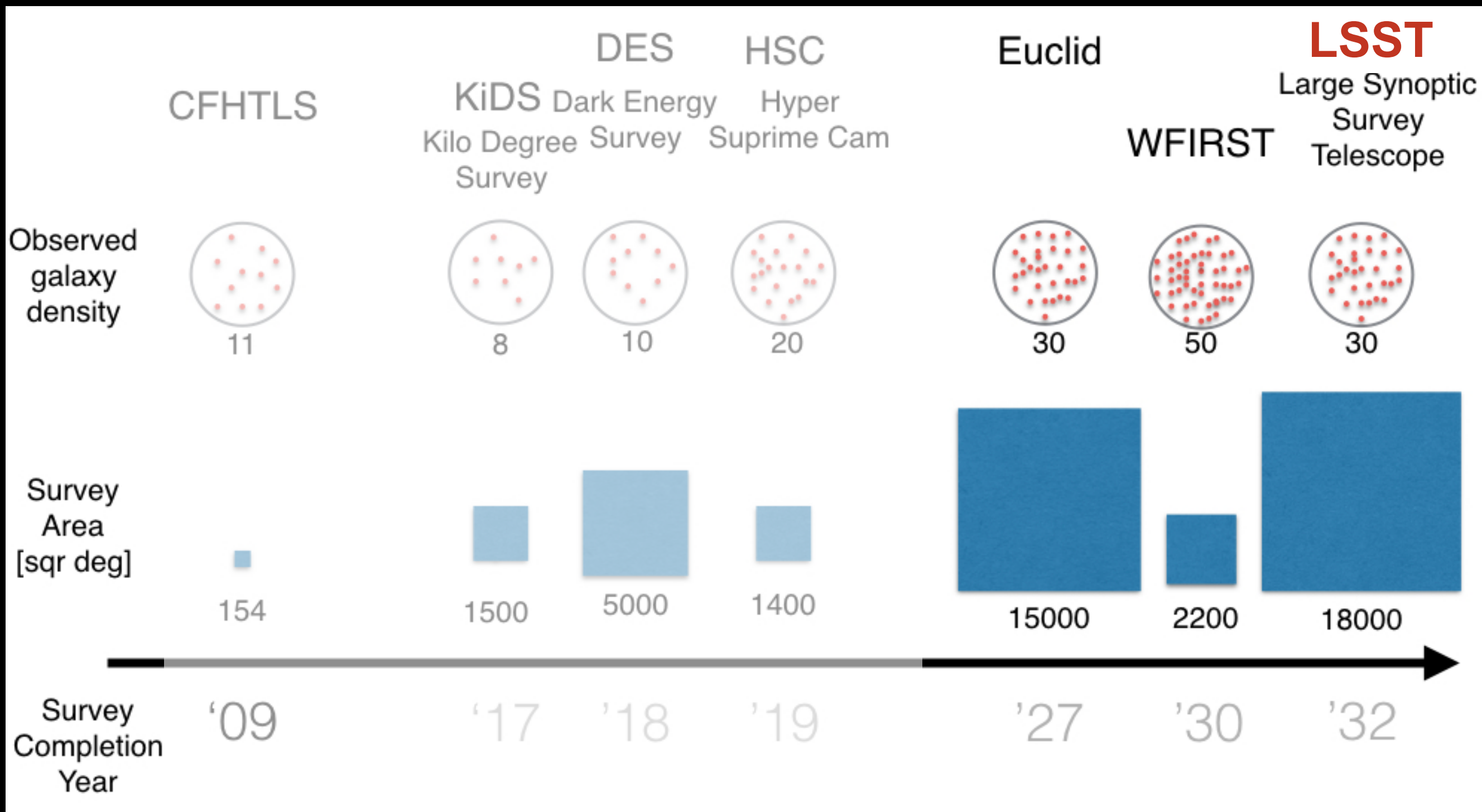


Matter Density

- DES-Y1 most stringent constraints from weak lensing to date
- marginalized 4 cosmology parameters, 10 clustering nuisance parameters, and 10 lensing nuisance parameters
- consistent (Bayes Factor $R = 583$) cosmology constraints from weak lensing and clustering in configuration space

-> Troxel's talk for detailed results

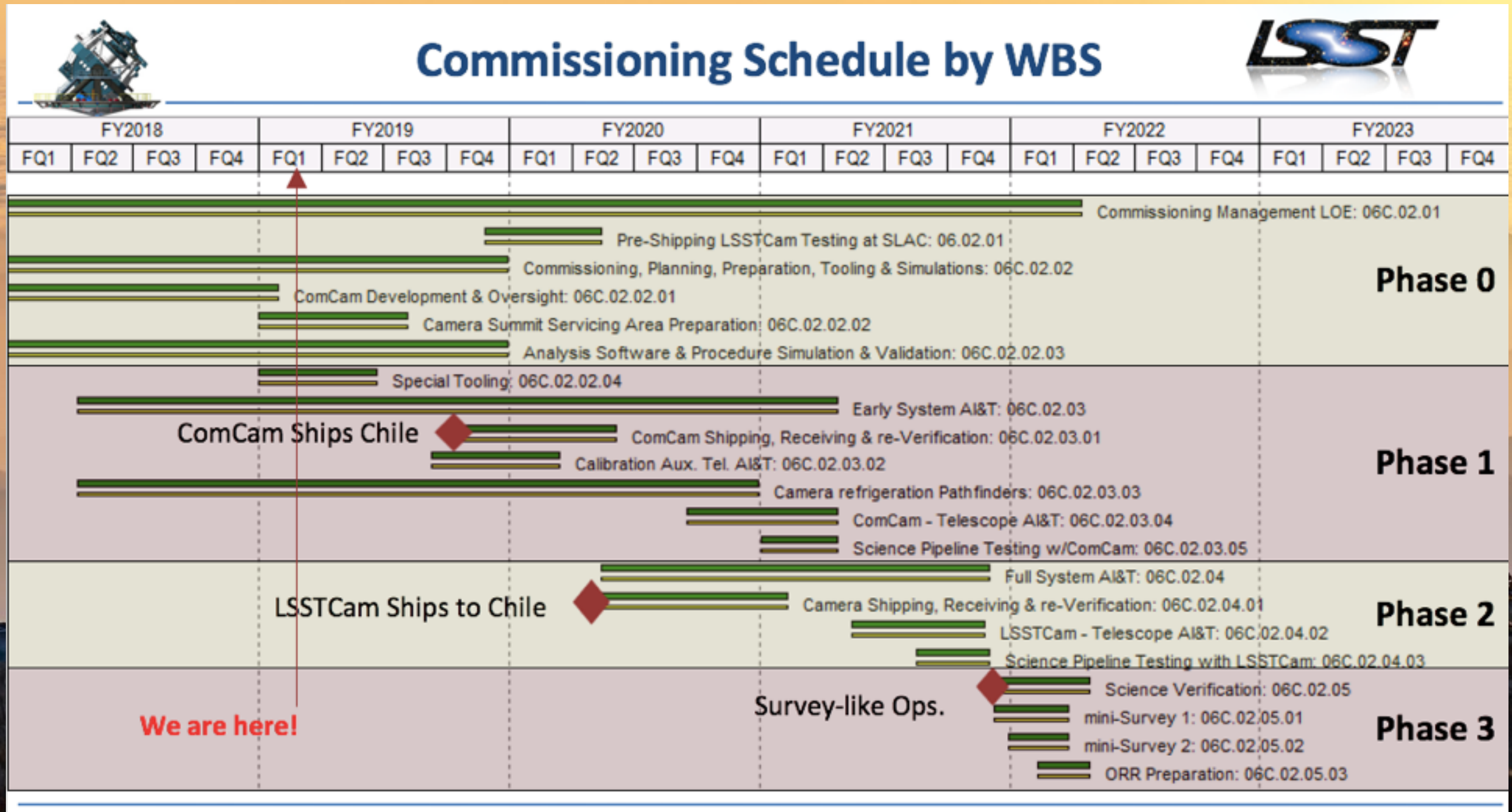
Photometric Cosmology Surveys



LSST!



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The LSST Dark Energy Science Collaboration



Prepare for and carry out cosmology analyses with the LSST survey

- 6 cosmology Science Working Groups (SWG)

Galaxy Clustering, Galaxy Clusters, Strong Lensing, Supernovae, Weak Lensing;
Theory & Joint Probes

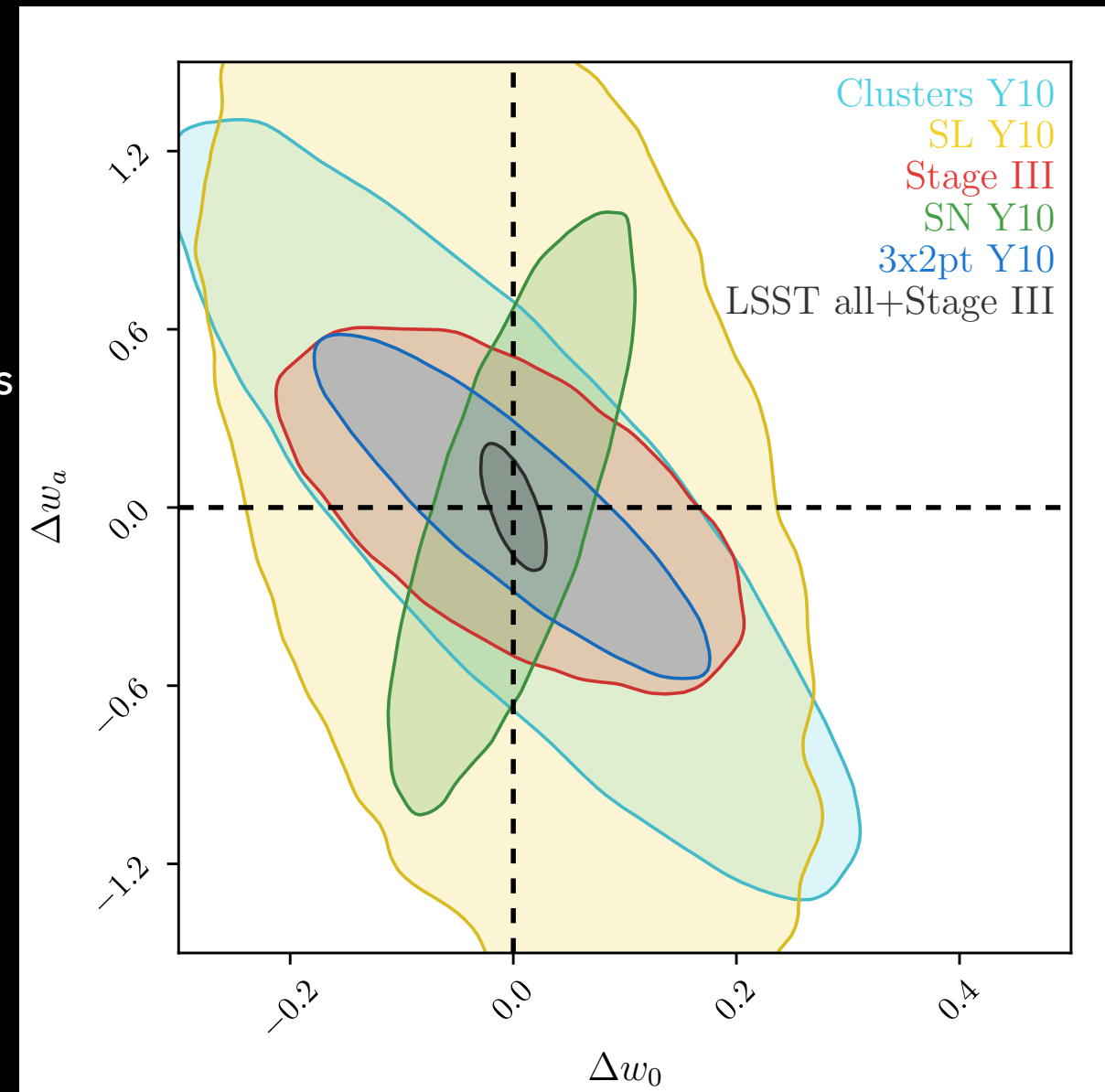
- “Enabling Analyses” WGs: understand LSST system + systematics

lots of work until first data, lots to learn from ongoing surveys!

The Power of Multi-Probe Analyses with LSST

1809.01669, incl. links to data products & Fisher Matrices

- first joint forecast by science collaboration since LSST Science Book (2009)
 - based on much more mature survey & analysis assumptions, understanding of systematics
- joint forecasts including cross-correlations (statistical & systematical)
- consider two classes of systematics
 - *self-calibrated*, e.g. galaxy bias, intrinsic alignments, cluster mass-observable relation
 - *externally calibrated*, e.g. photo-zs, shear calibration, photometric calibration



Preparing for *Known* Systematics

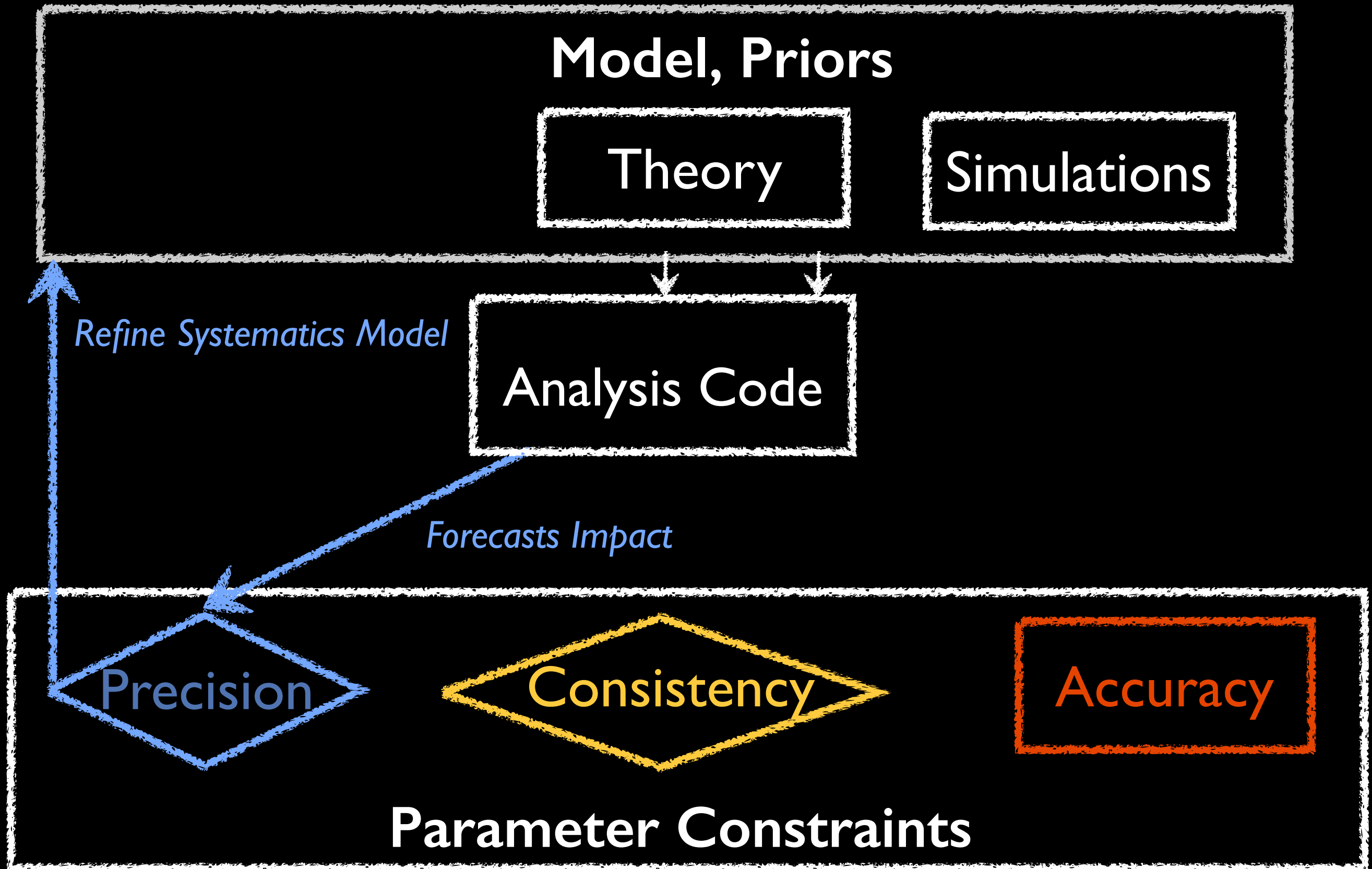
What's the dominant known systematic for LSST cosmology?

no one-fits-all answer, need to be more specific!

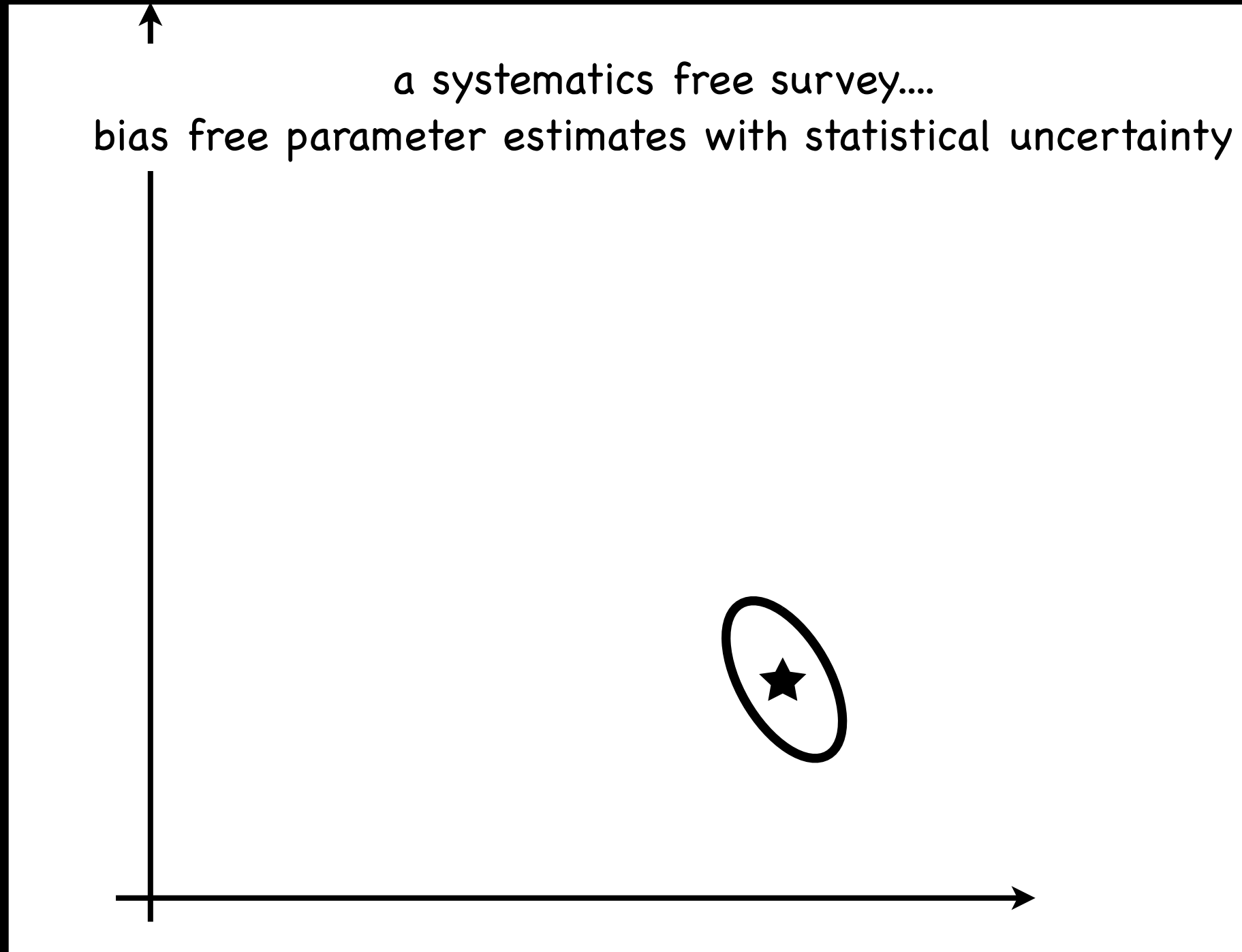
[answer will likely involve galaxy evolution]

- Specify data vector (probes + scales)
- Identify + model systematic effects
 - find consistent parameterization for all probes
- Constrain parameterization + priors on nuisance parameters
 - independent observations
 - other observables from same data set/ split data set

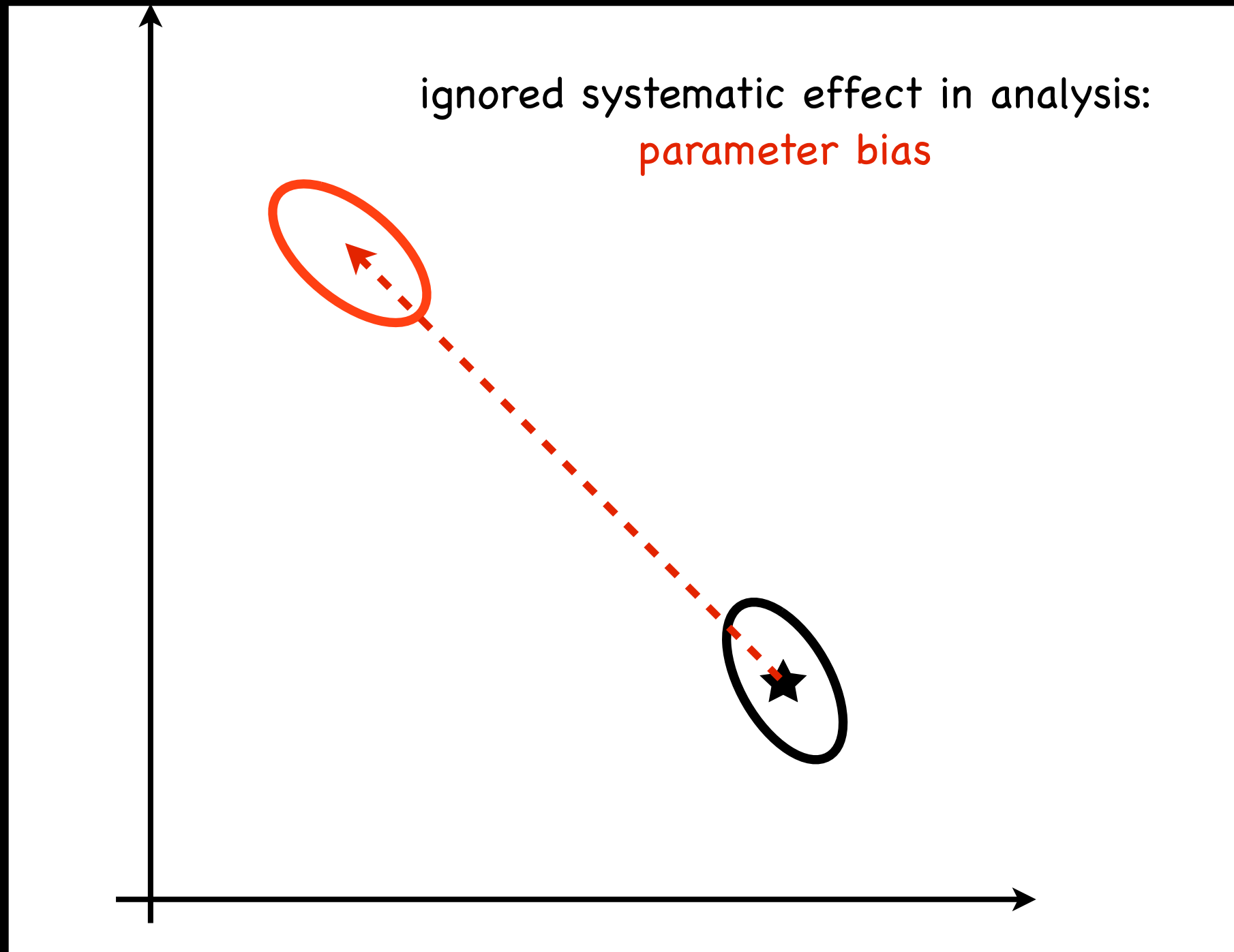
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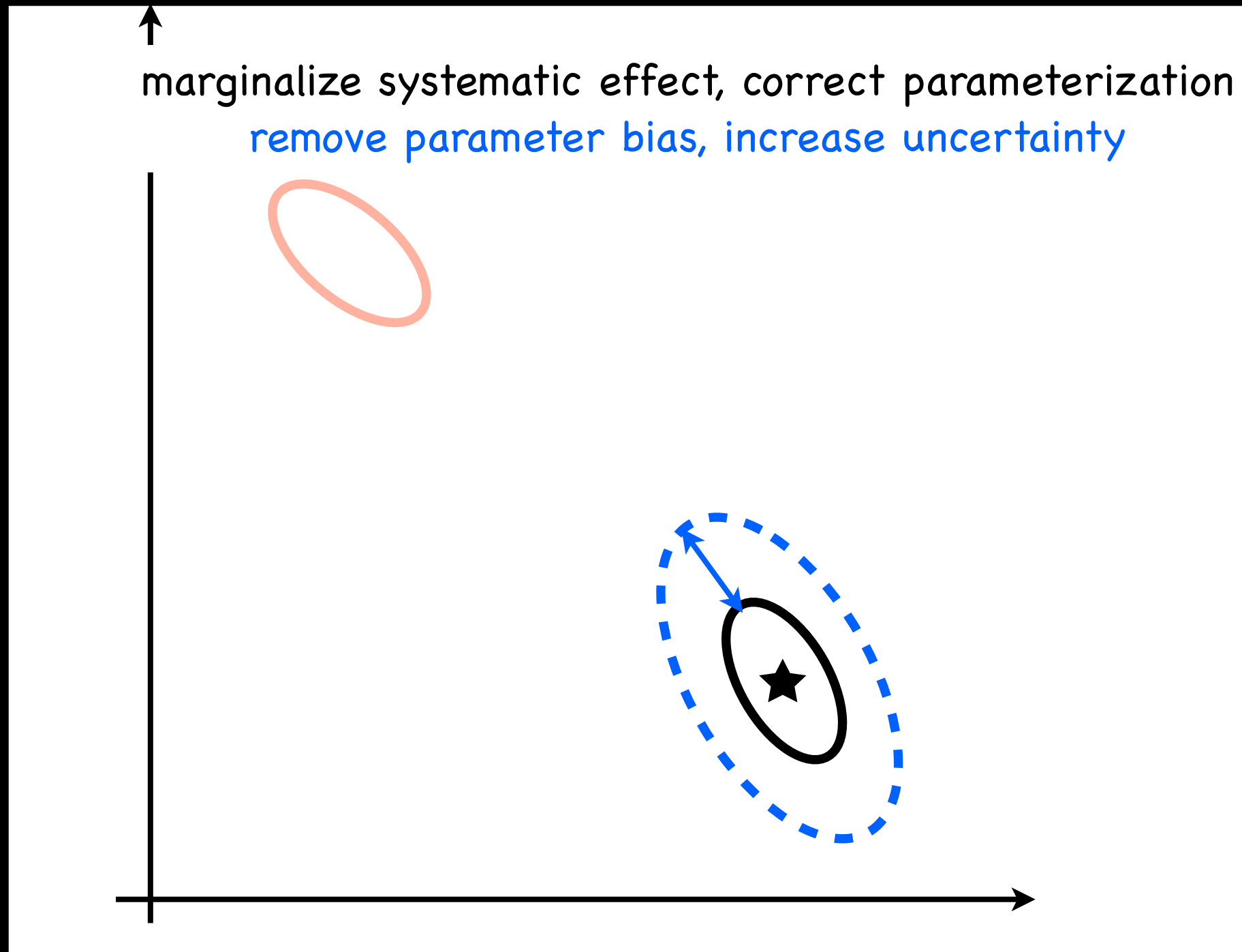
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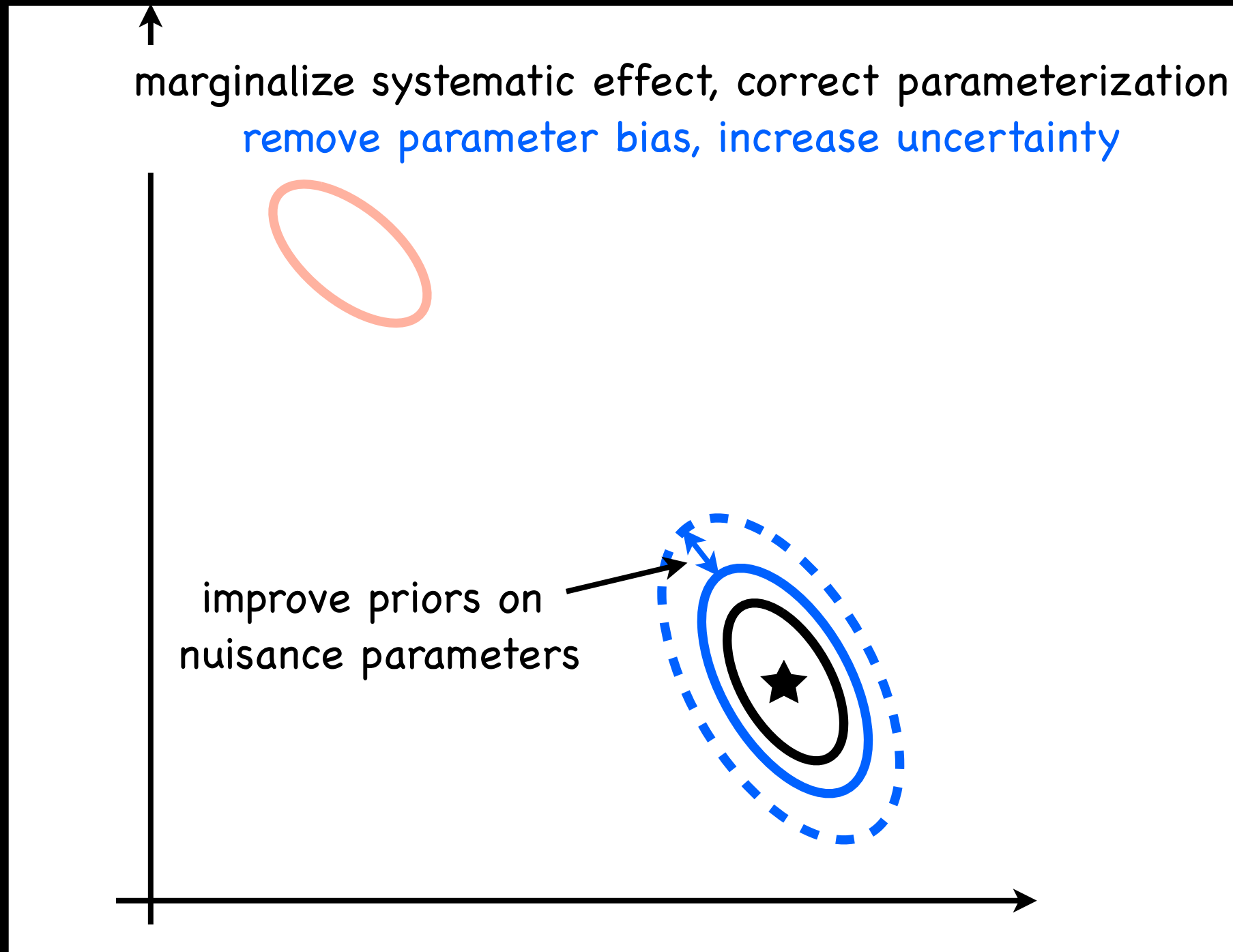
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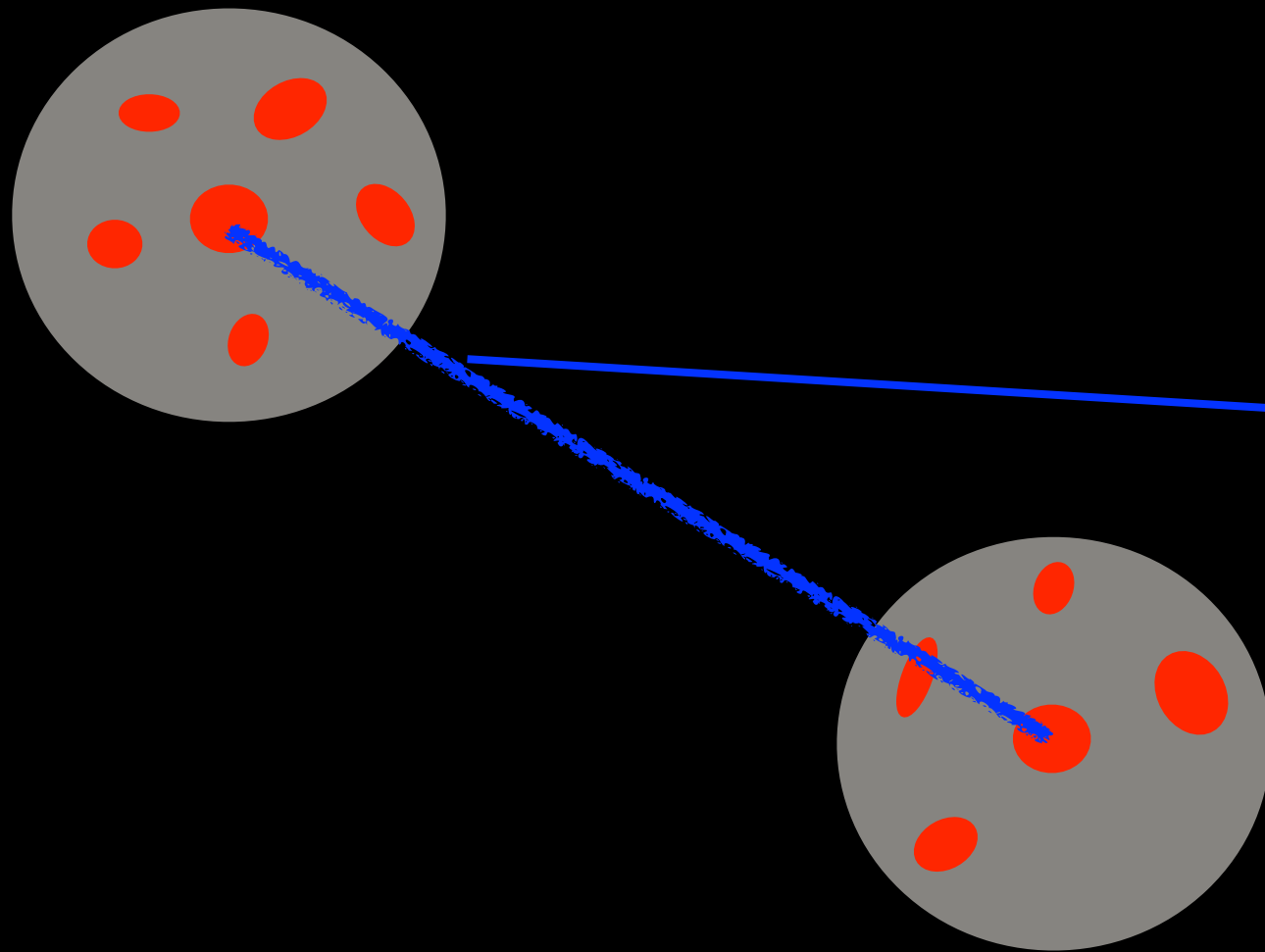


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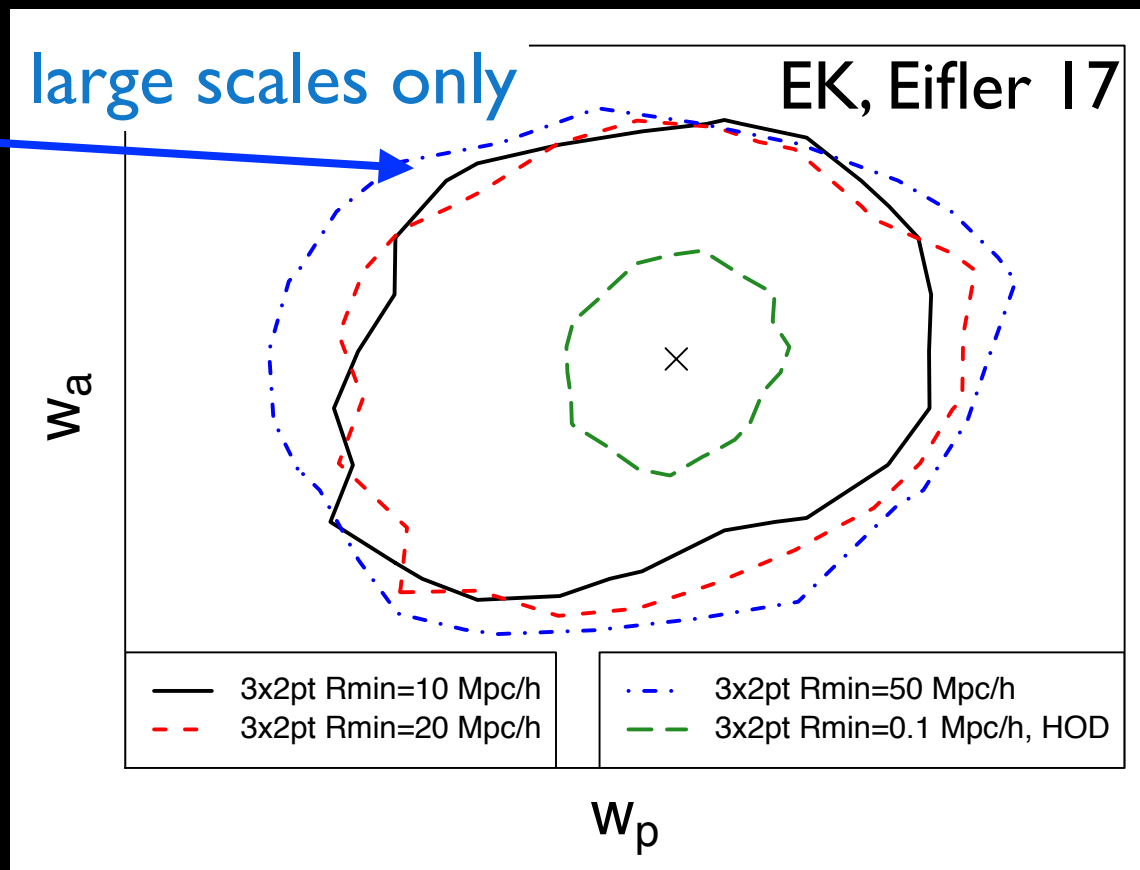
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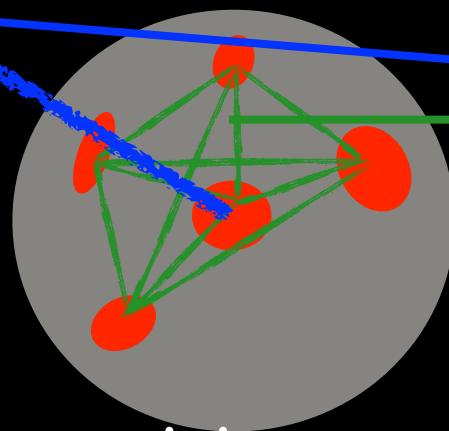
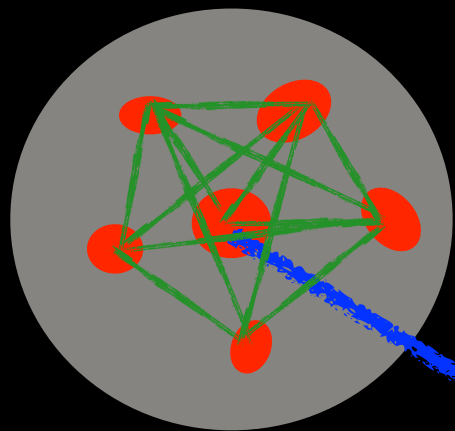


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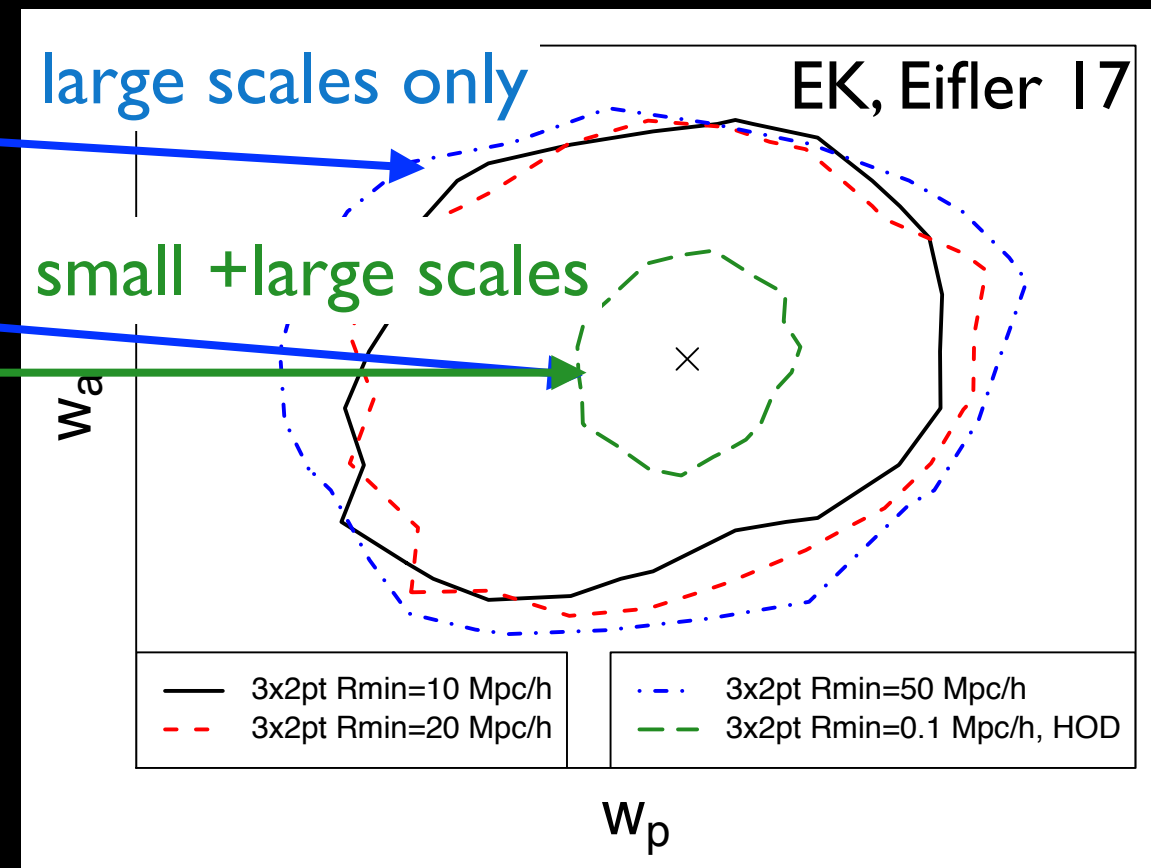
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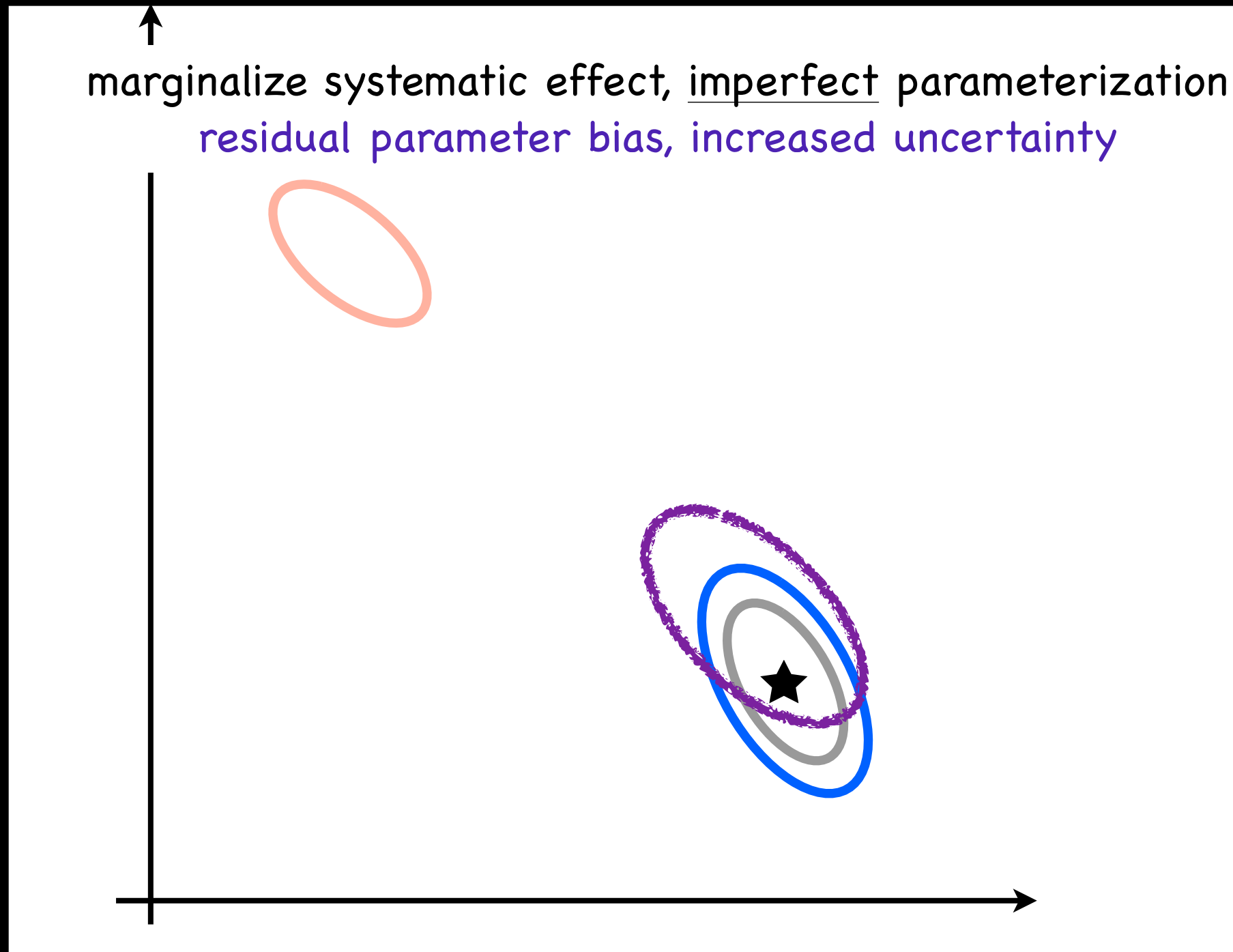


transformative gain in constraining power
(comparable to $f_{\text{sky}} > 1$ for large scales only)
iff small scales modeled accurately

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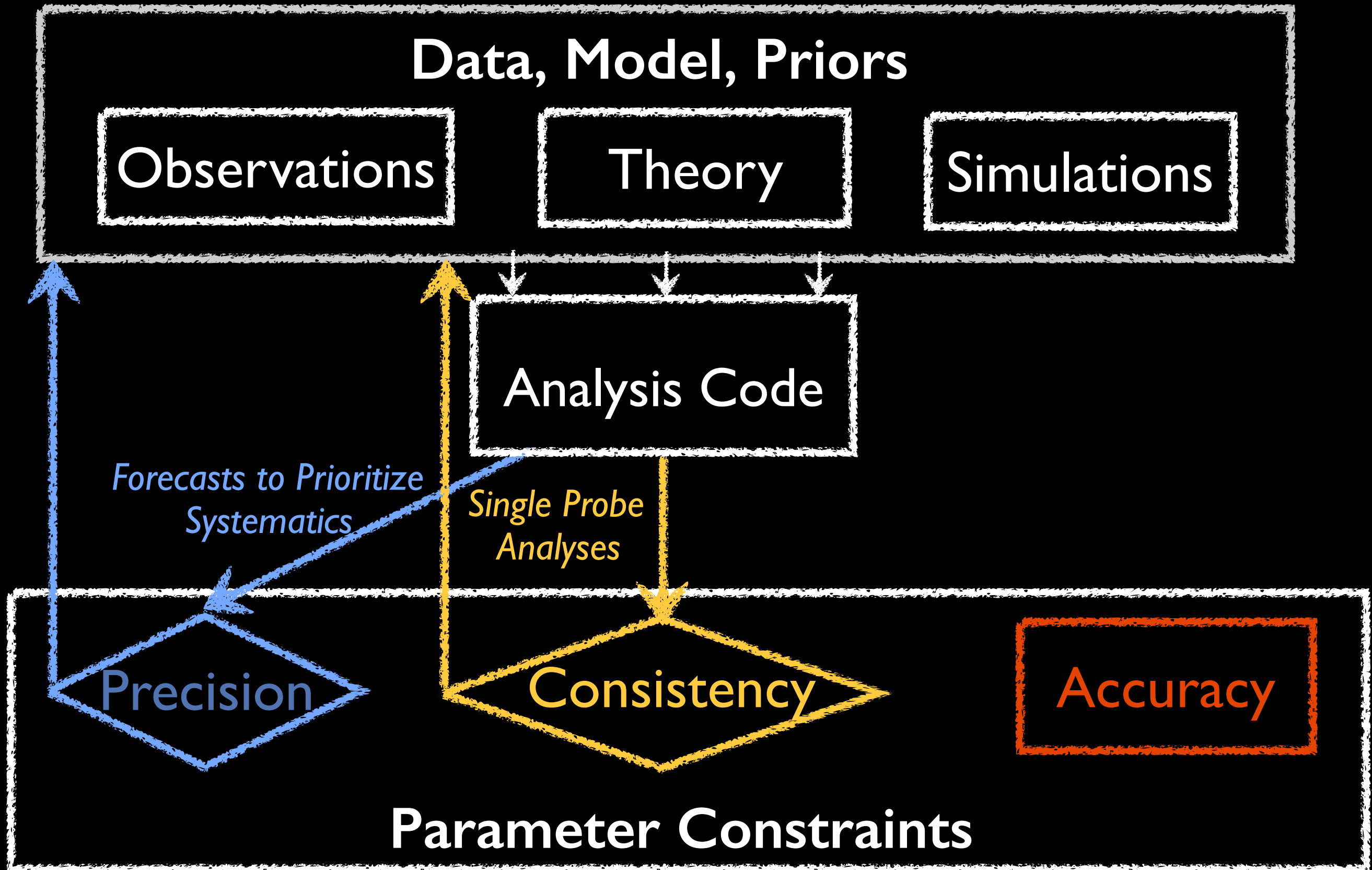


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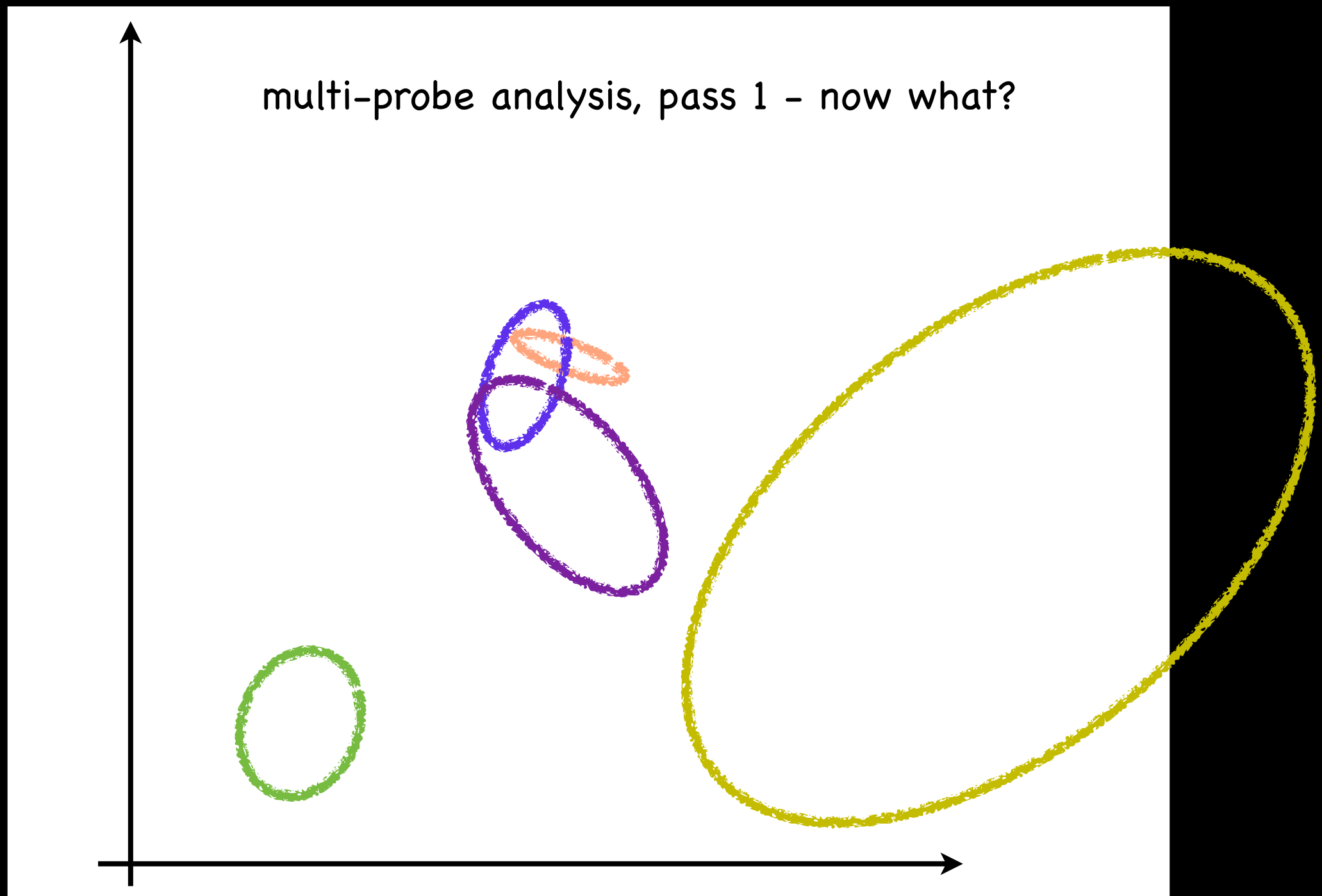


imperfect IA mitigation examples: EK+16b

Joint Analysis Plan

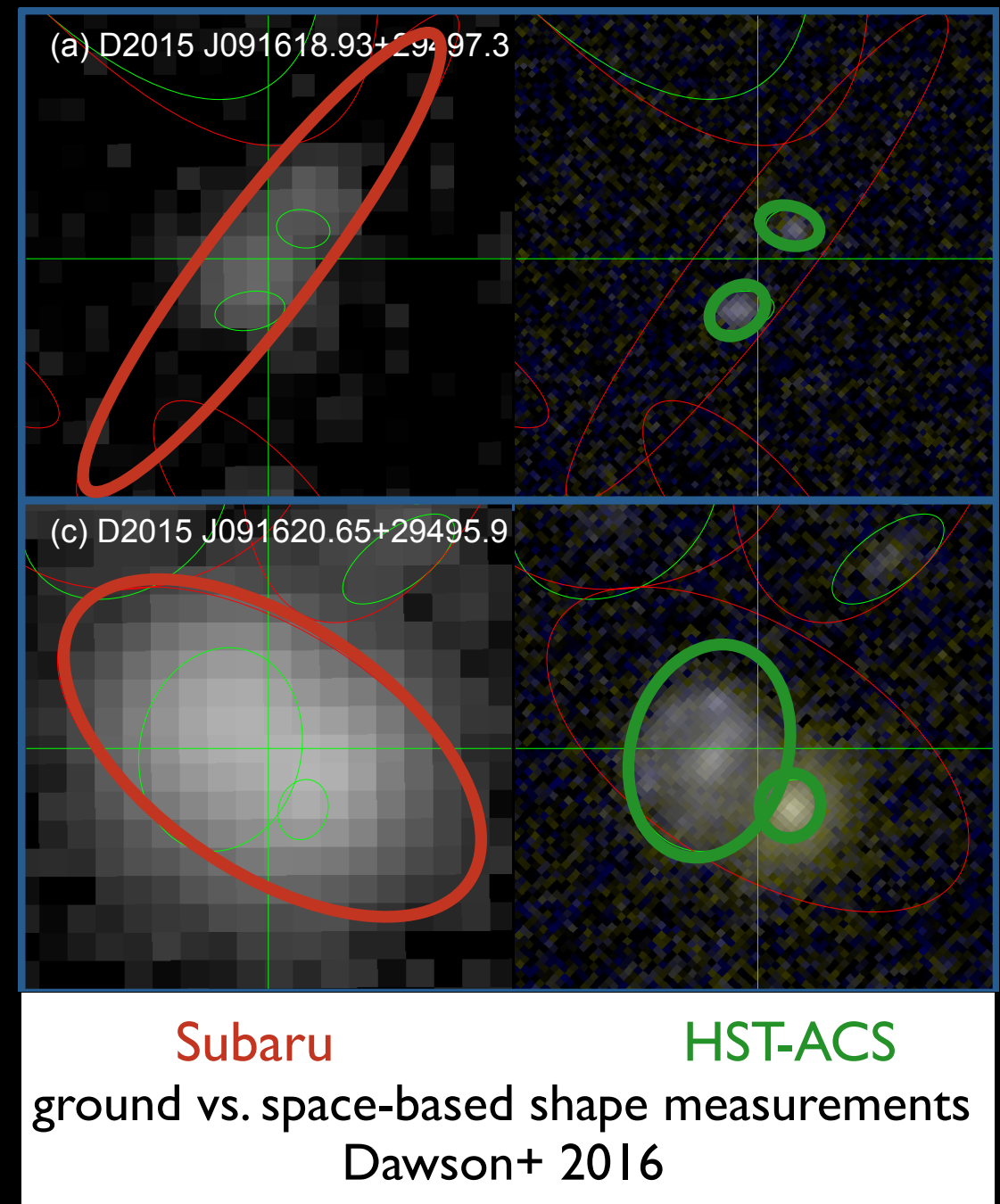


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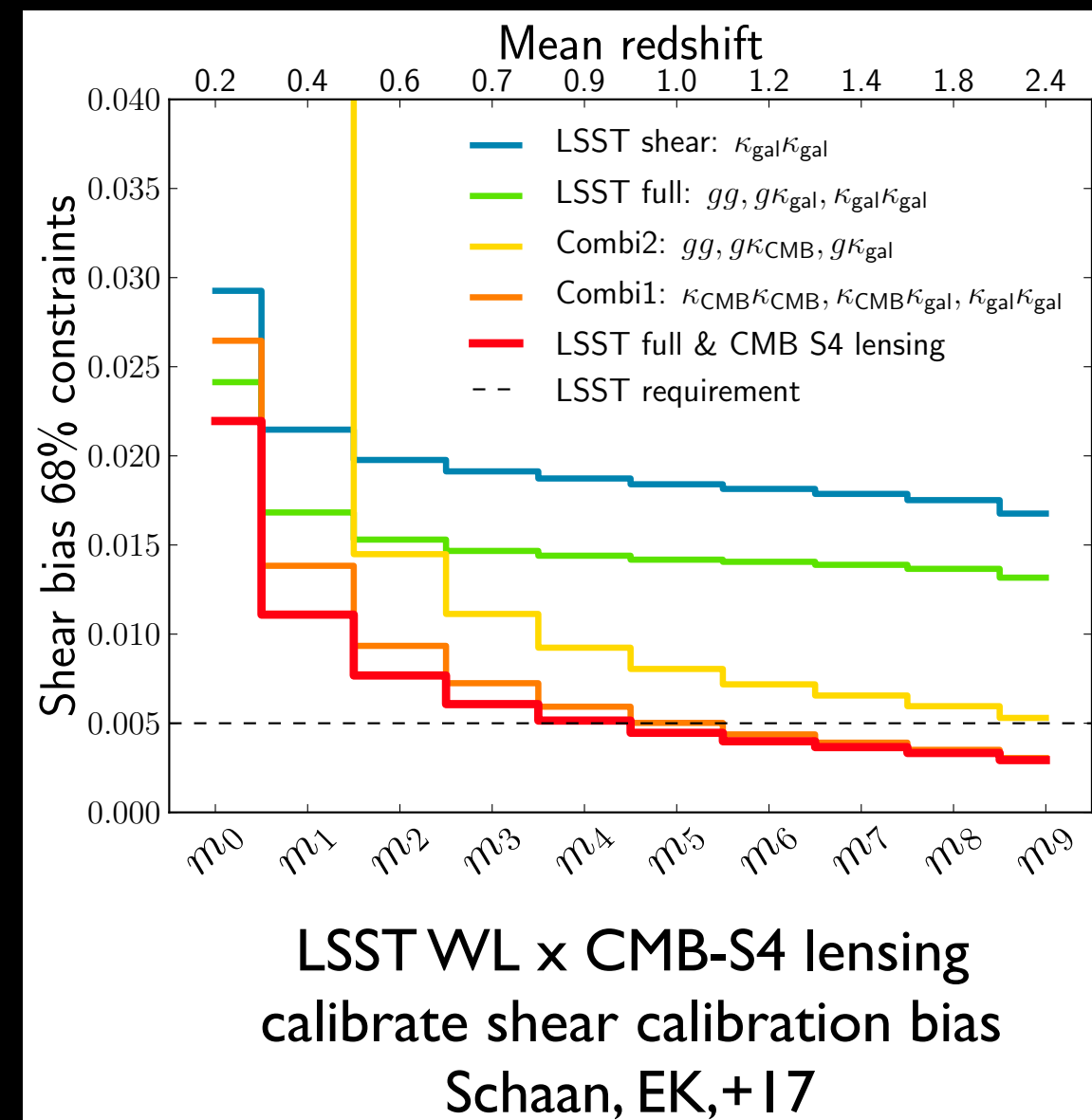
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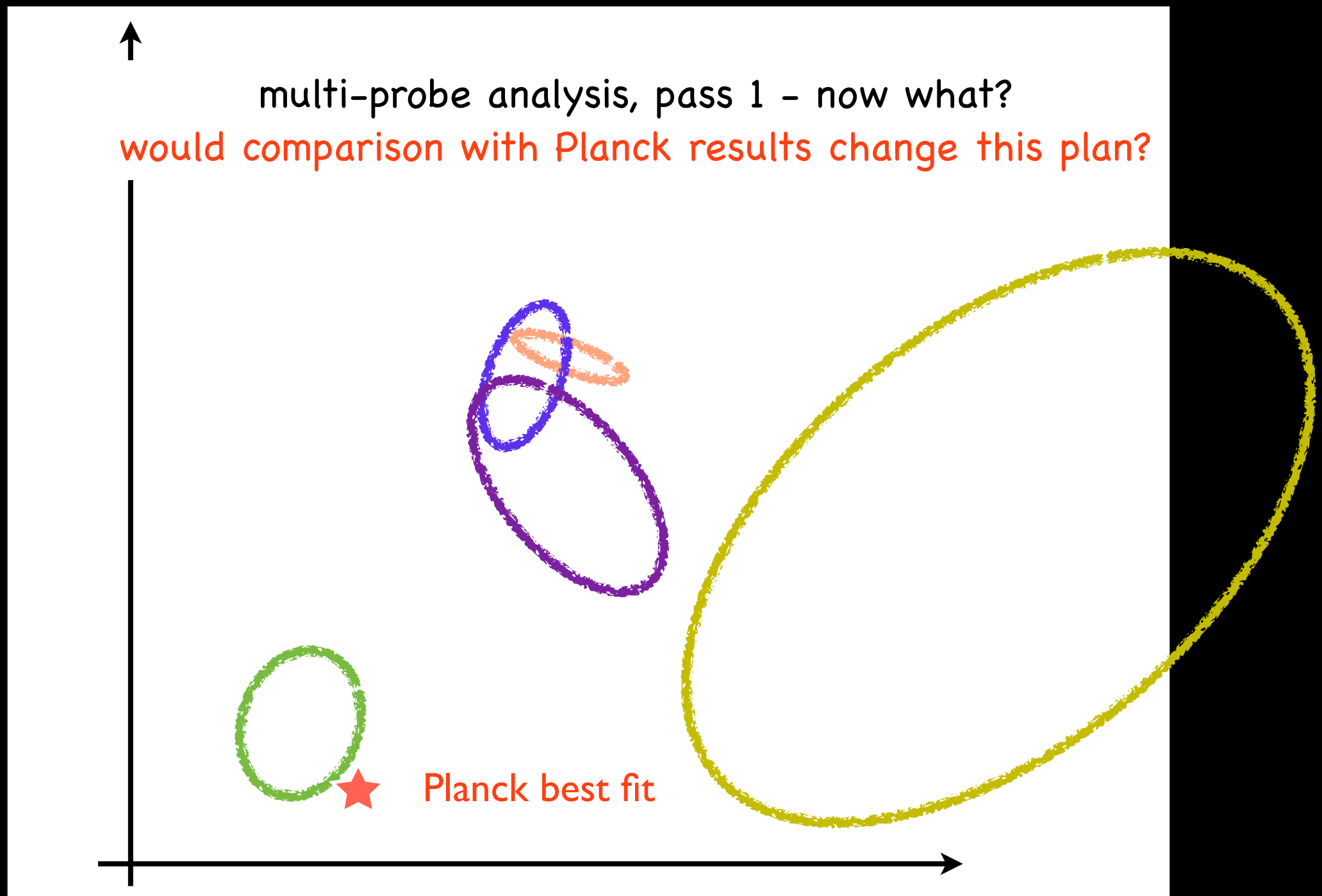


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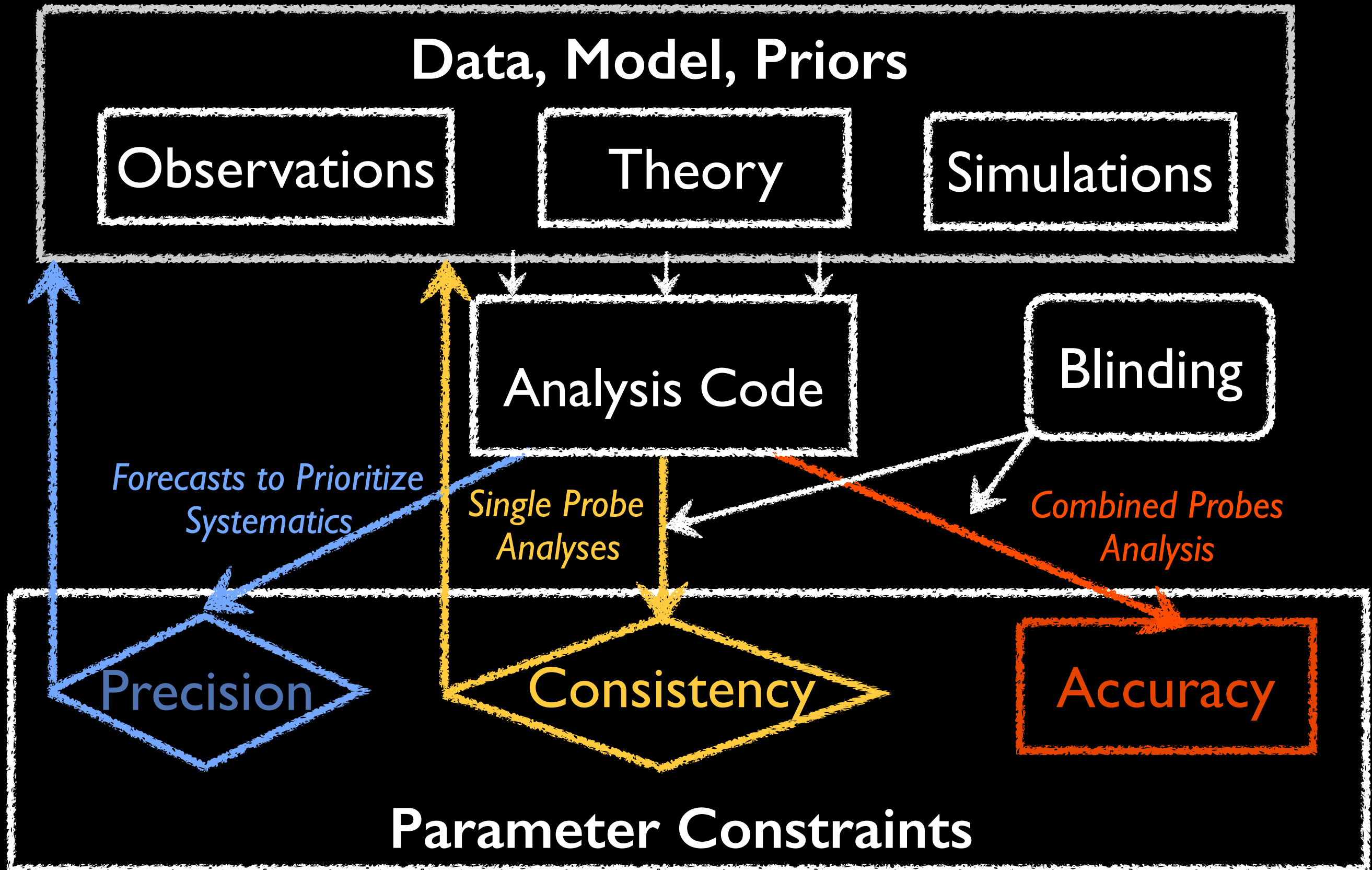
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- correlate with other surveys
 - compare to predicted cross-correlations
 - constrain uncorrelated systematics



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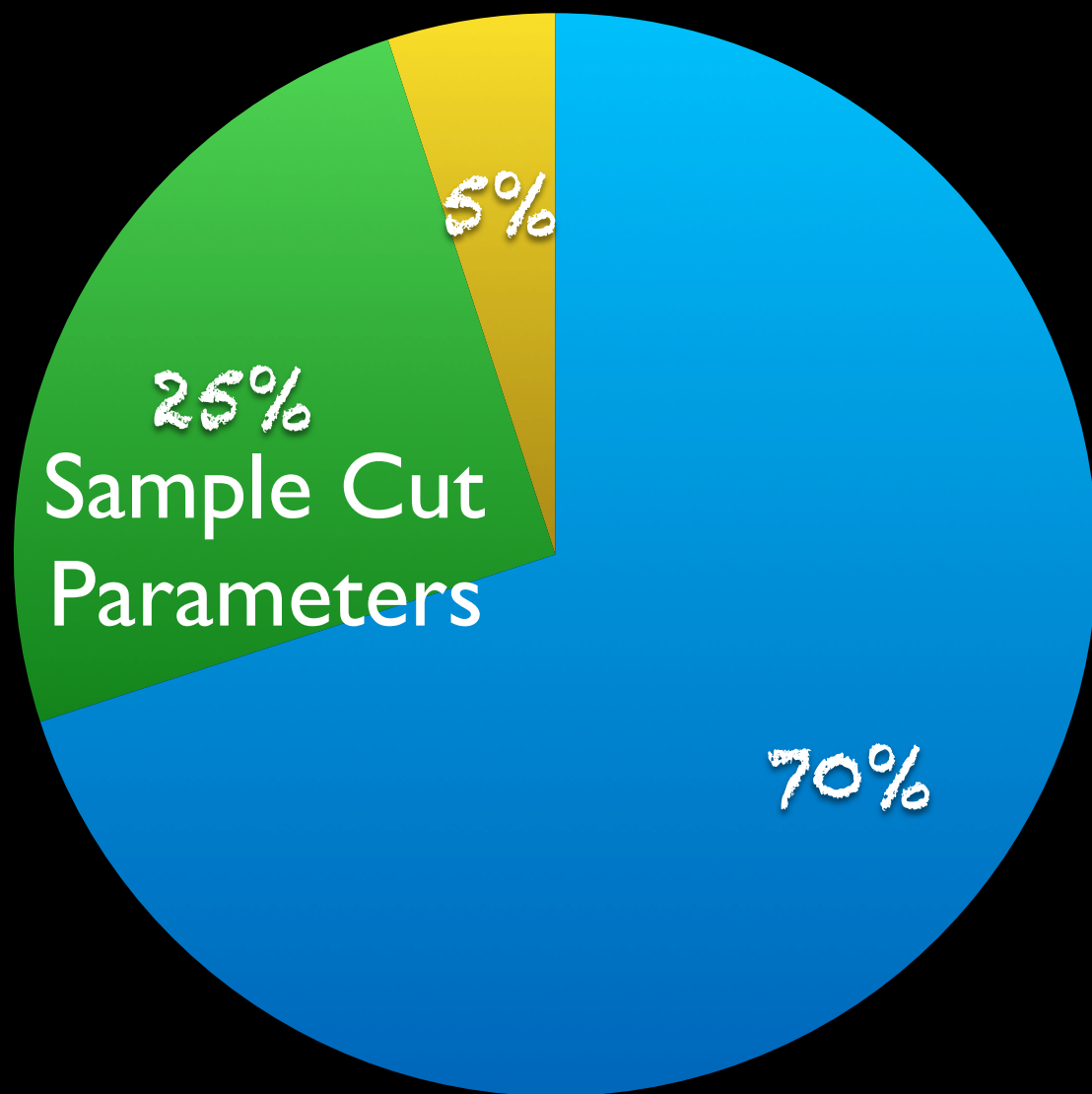


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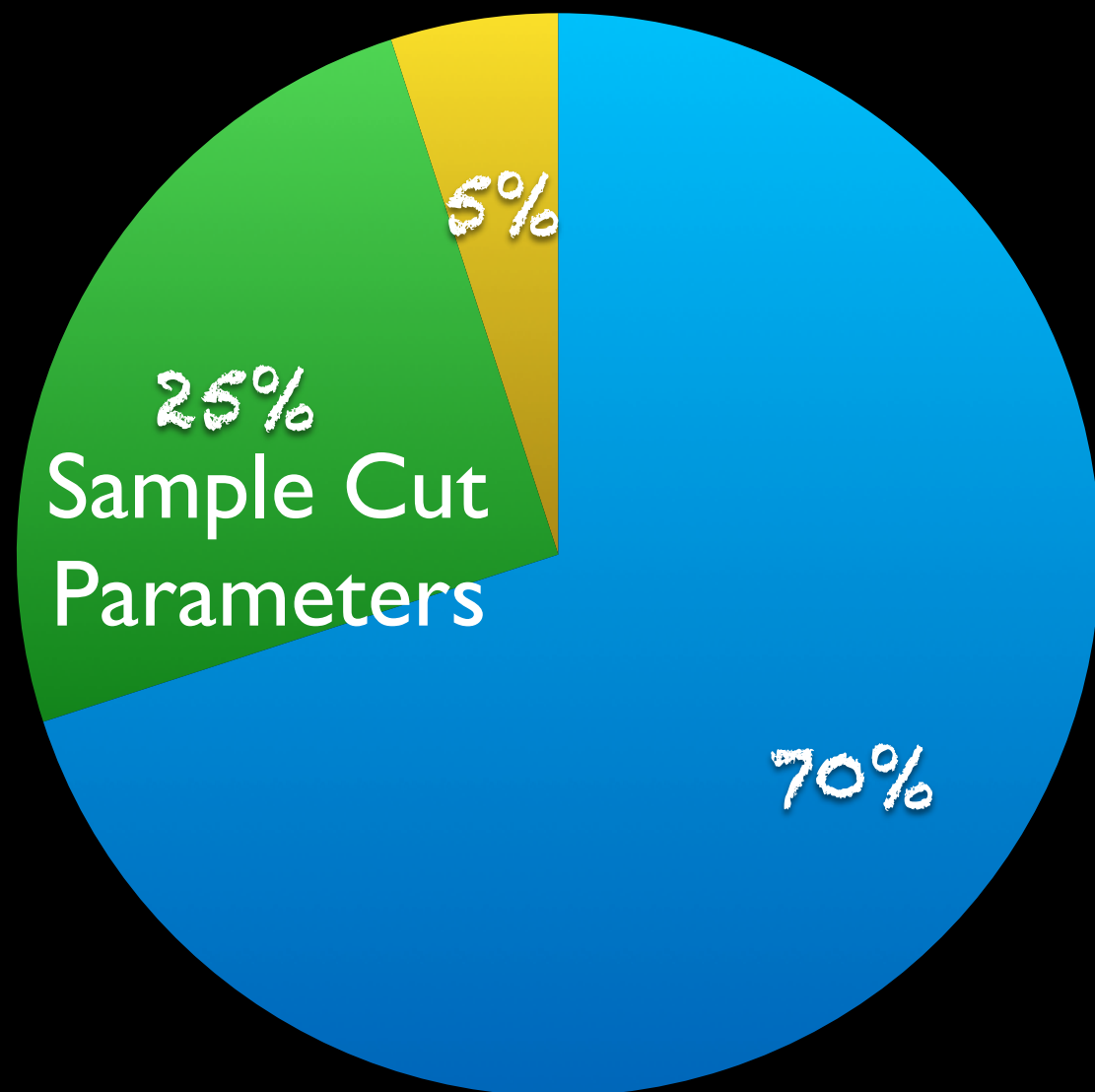


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sample cuts + systematics highly interconnected
→ 95% systematics...

Conclusions

- We're entering the decade of very large galaxy surveys
 - KiDS, DES, HSC, PFS -> DESI, LSST, Euclid, WFIRST,...
- Cosmological constraints soon to be systematics limited
- Combined Probes analyses enable accurate cosmology constraints
 - identify and understand systematics effects
 - maximize constraining power
- Need collaboration across surveys + wavelengths, plan for analysis frameworks to combine data from all surveys
- Let's get to work!
 - <http://www.lsst-desc.org/>