

Massive Neutrinos and Structure Formation in the Universe

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Effect on the structure formation

Neutrinos are hot dark matter

1. Thermal equilibrium: free streaming

$$\ell \sim ct_{\{T \sim m_\nu\}}$$

damps fluctuations to this scale

Modify the power spectrum $P(k)$ at smaller scales

2. Gravitational potential decays plasma

Modify geometry & Integrated Sachs Wolfe effect

Modify the CMB harmonic pattern

constraints from ‘CMB alone’

Power spectrum :

$$P(k) = \int d^3x \xi(x) \exp(ikx)$$
$$\xi(|x - x'|) = \langle \delta\rho(x) \delta\rho(x') \rangle \bar{\rho}^{-2}$$

NB: They are the mass correlation

Effect from nu free streaming: perturbations damps

$$\lambda < 110 \text{ Mpc} (m_\nu / 1\text{eV})^{-1} \quad k > 0.03 \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$$

At smaller scales (larger k) damping is controlled by

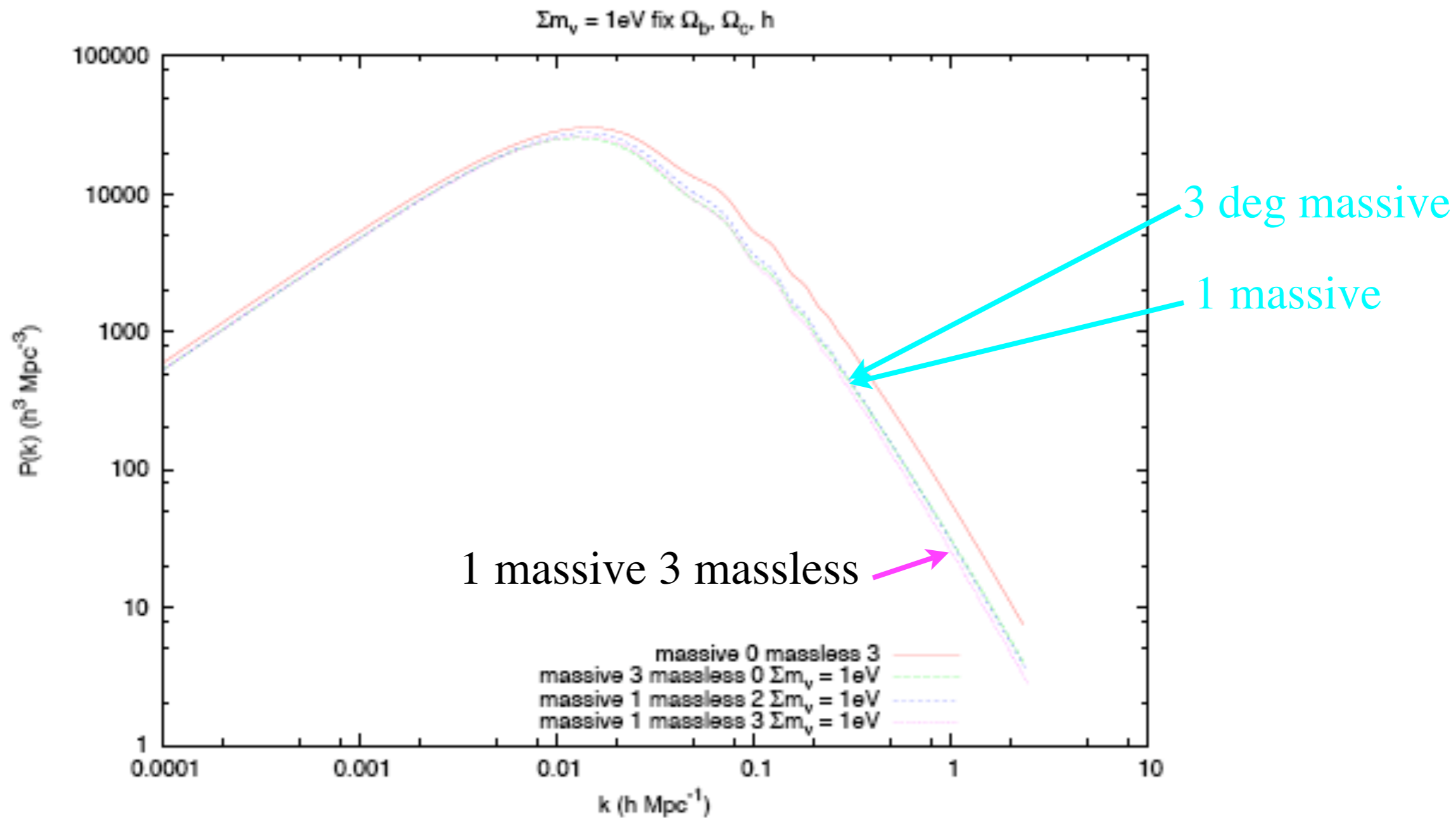
$$\Omega_\nu \quad (i.e. \sum m_\nu)$$

Either use

CMB as the pivot, or P(k) in wide range of k: 0.01-0.2

power spectrum $P(k)$

$$\sum m_\nu = 1\text{eV}$$



Sloan Digital Sky Survey: 2000-2008+

Mapping the Universe in the North
where not obscured by our Galaxy (1/2 of N. sky)

Design+instrumentation 1992-2000

Unique, yet most difficult feature:

wide field of view: 50x ordinary

First Light 1999 (photom)+2000 (spectro)

Output just as designed from the 1st night

Survey operation 2000-2005

95% of time observing throughout 5 yr

Survey extended (SDSS-II) 2005-2008 Ended!

photometry 250M objects (galaxies+stars)
spectroscopy (redshift) 1M galaxies+quasars

cf. CfA survey (approx 10years -1985) 2401 galaxies

z to 0.2 (ordinary galaxies) 0.4 (LRG)
5.4 (quasars)

produced omnipurpose data base

Example of the use (originally aimed)

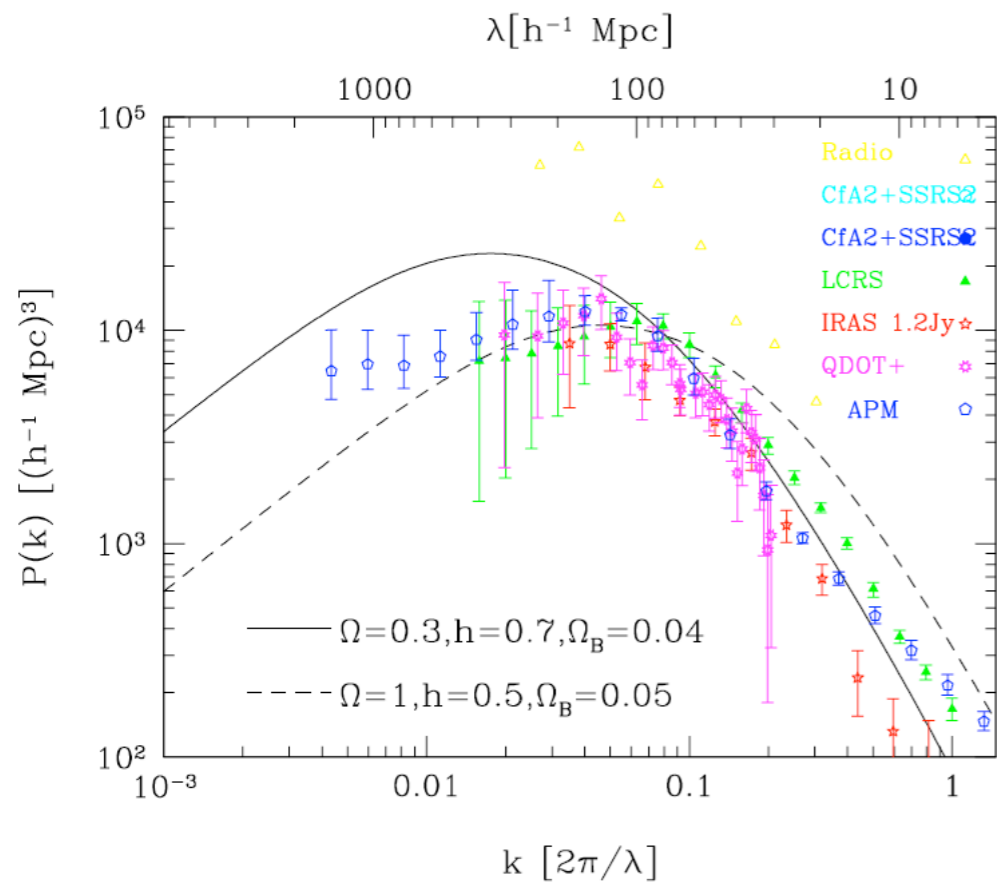
Two point correlation function of galaxies

z=0 fiducial of the universe

large-scale clustering (e.g., dark matter property)

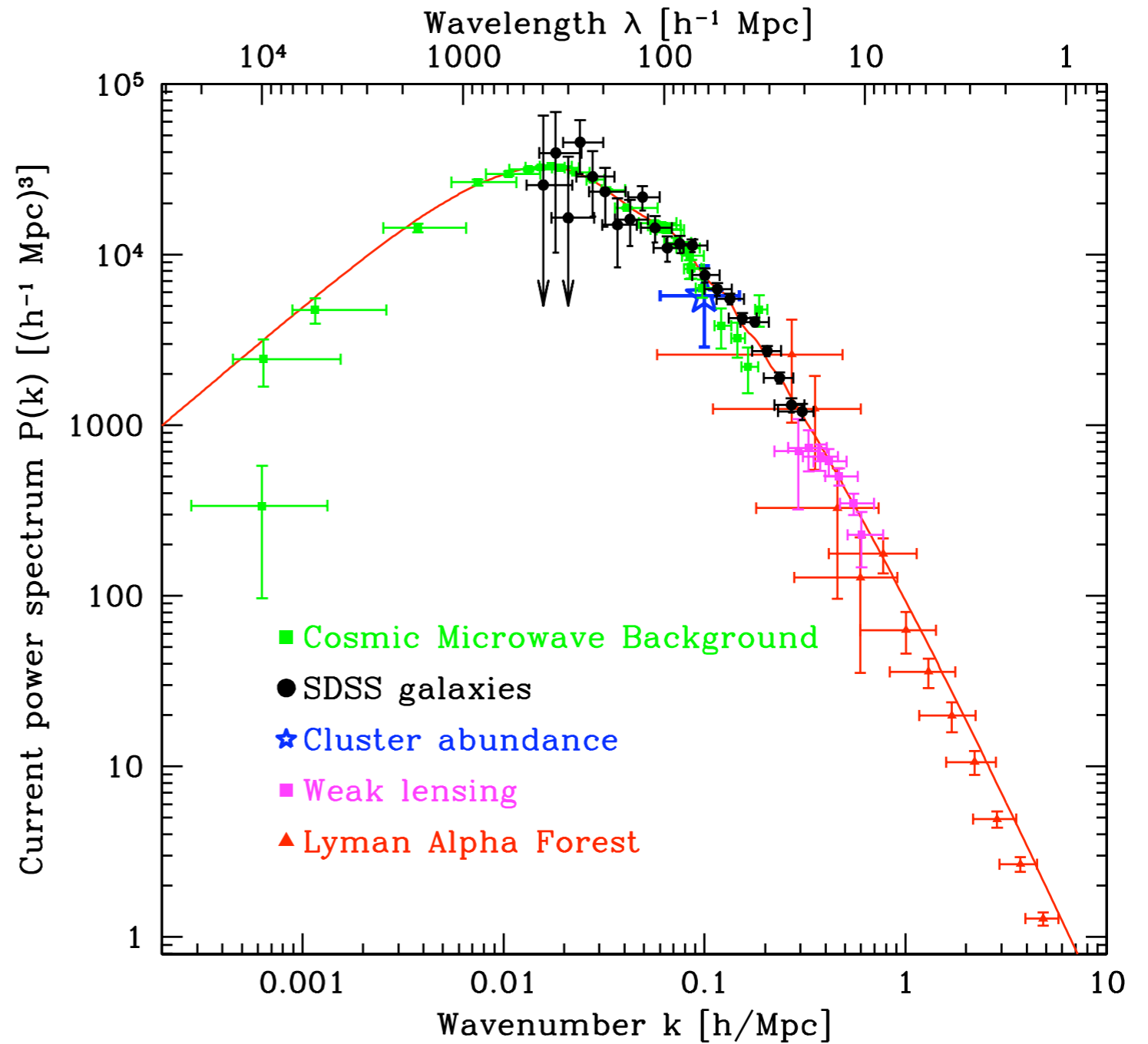
cosmological parameters

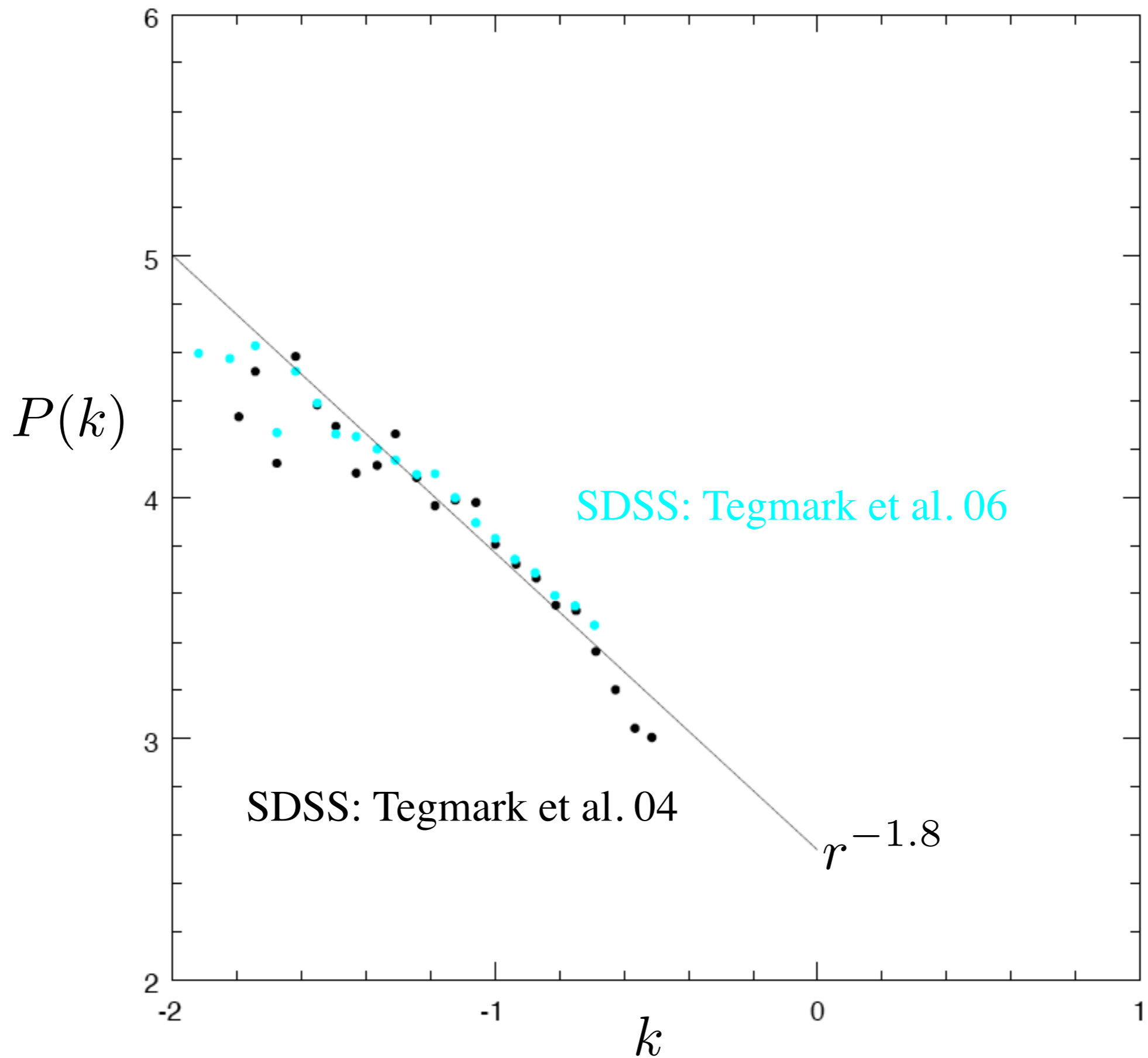
if they match with CMB at z=1100

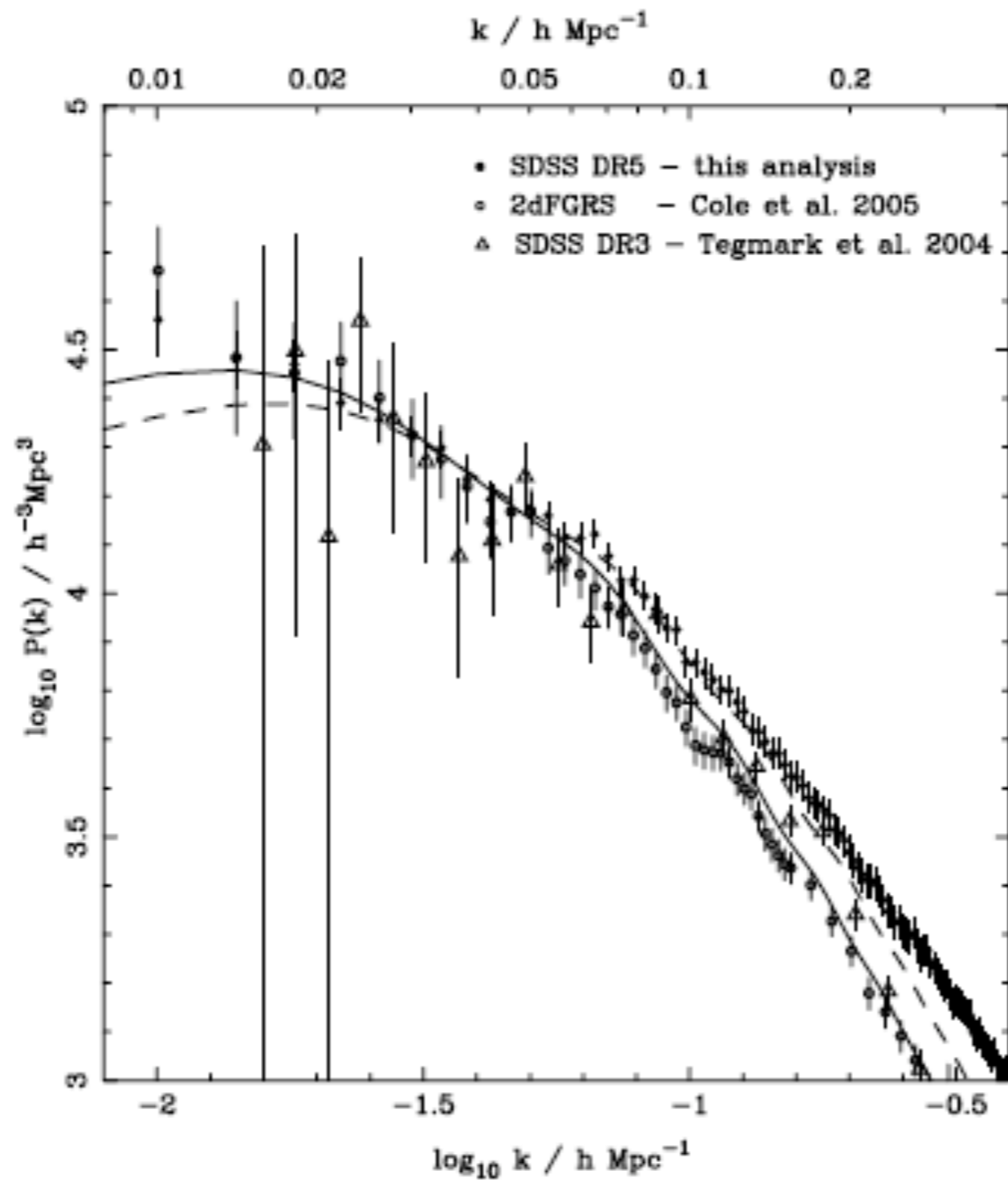


pre SDSS/2dFGRS

SDSS:
Tegmark et al. 2004







SDSS: Percival et al. 07

“Biasing”

Type of galaxies: morphologies

Some ‘practical problems’ in estimating $P(k)$ at a large k
problem of the algorithm: shouldn’t be difficult

Attempts to estimate the halo abundance

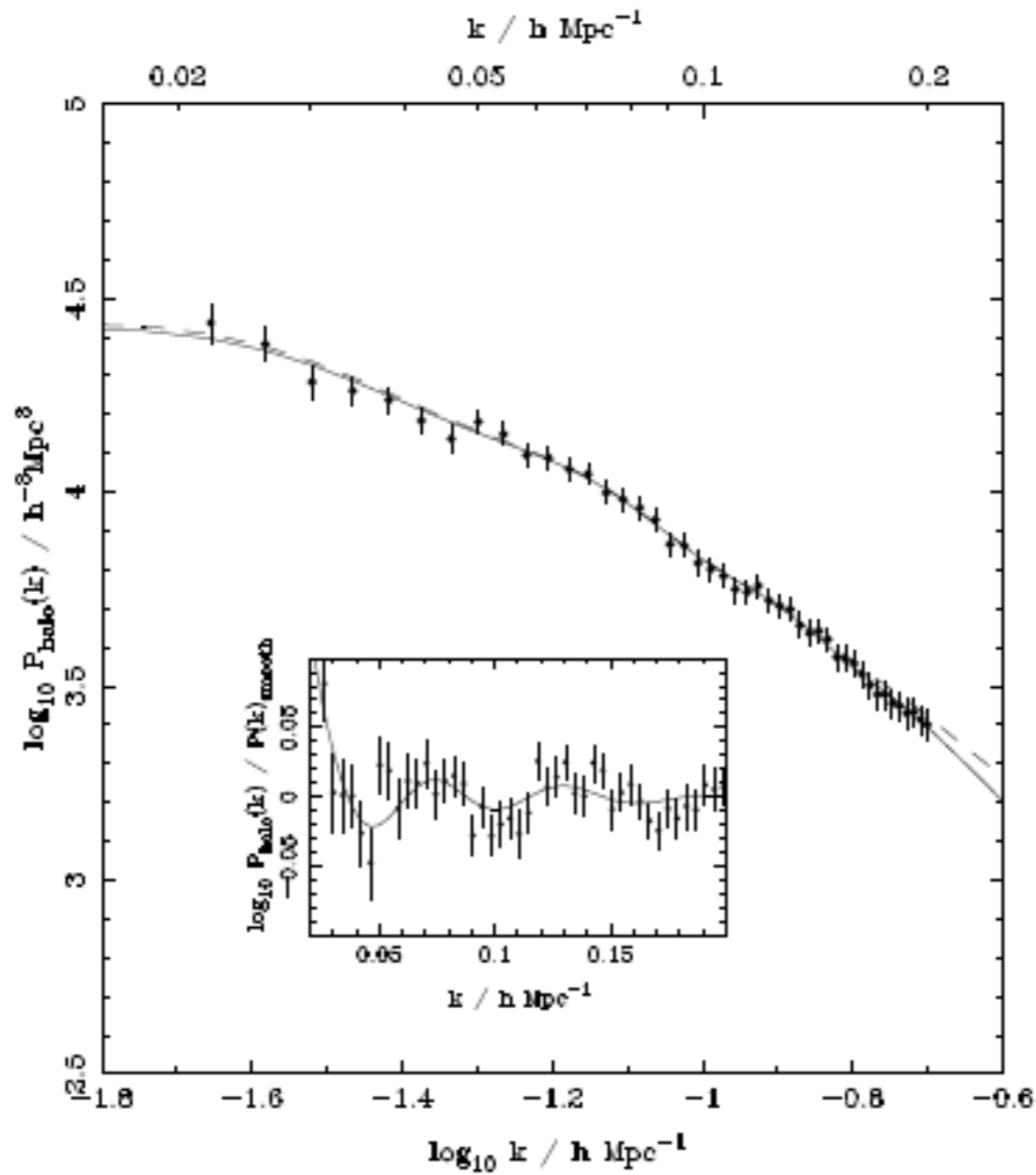
SDSS collaboration: Reid et al. 09

$$\sum m_\nu < 0.62\text{eV} \quad (95\%CL)$$

Use of Lyman alpha clouds: small scales

Can go to smaller scales, but severer model dependences

Difficult to unfold $P(k)$: problematic



halo power spectrum

SDSS: Reid et al. 09

$$\sum m_\nu < 0.62 \text{ eV at } 95\% \text{ C.L.}$$

SDSS: Reid et al. 2009
 using SDSS full data

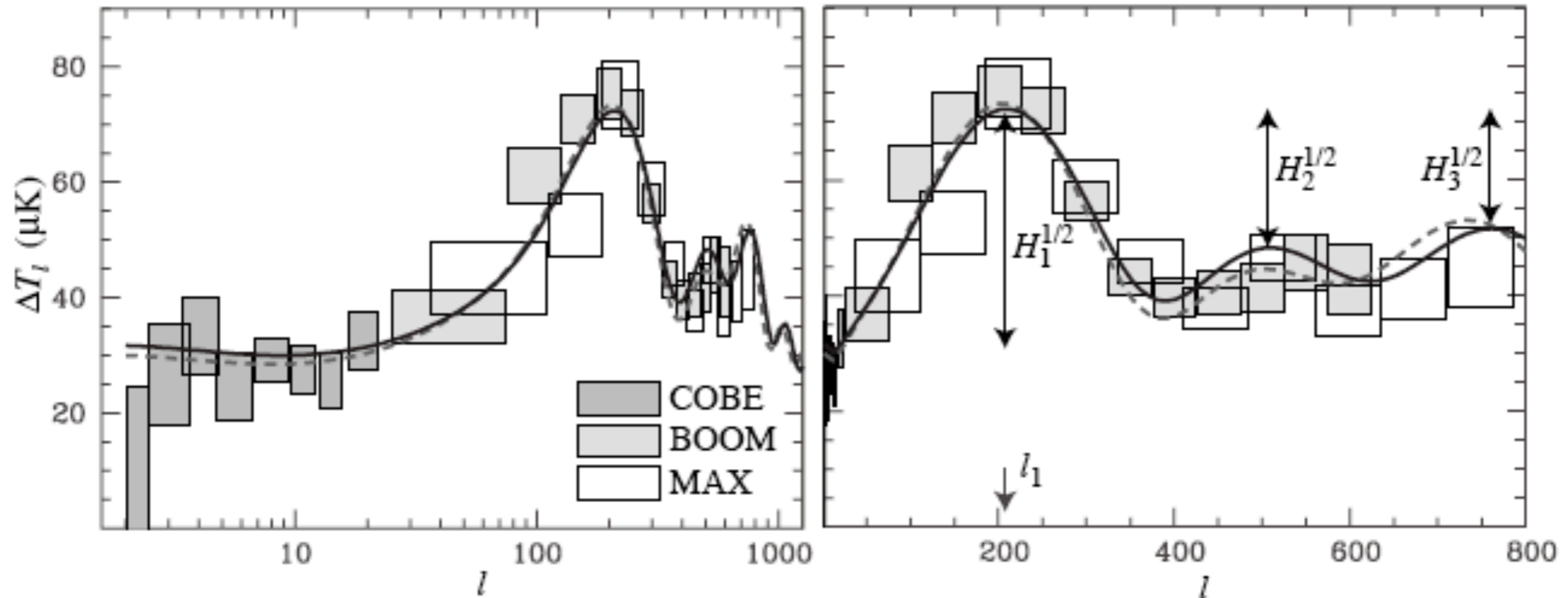
CMB harmonics

Parameters: $\Omega_m, \Omega_b, H_0, n_s, \tau, \sigma_8$

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HU ET AL.

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“Reduced CMB Observables”

ell_1: age

H_1

H_2: Omega_b

H_3: Omega_m

CMB: traces mass more faithfully, physics is simple

CMB indicators

Hu, MF, Zaldarriaga, Tegmark 2001

WMAP5 errors

ℓ_1	+/- 1	(0.5%)
$H_1 = (\Delta T_{\ell_1} / \Delta T_{10})^2$	+/- 0.35	(7%)
$H_2 = (\Delta T_{\ell_2} / \Delta T_{\ell_1})^2$	+/- 0.005	(1%)
$H_3 = (\Delta T_{\ell_3} / \Delta T_{\ell_1})^2$	+/- 0.01	(2%)

Decay of gravitational potential $r < r_{\text{free stream}}$

enhances C_ℓ at $\ell > \ell_{\text{nr}}$

Integrated Sachs Wolfe effect modified

$$l_m = l_A(m - \phi_m)$$

Ichikawa, MF, Kawasaki 05

Shiraishi, MF + 09

Do we understand physics of massive neutrino well?

Can find a 'mock' massless neutrino theory

Classify the effects and

Replace $\omega_m = \omega_m + \omega_\nu(NR)$

N_ν

h (to account for Λ change)

Find the response to m_ν

WMAP-5

WMAP

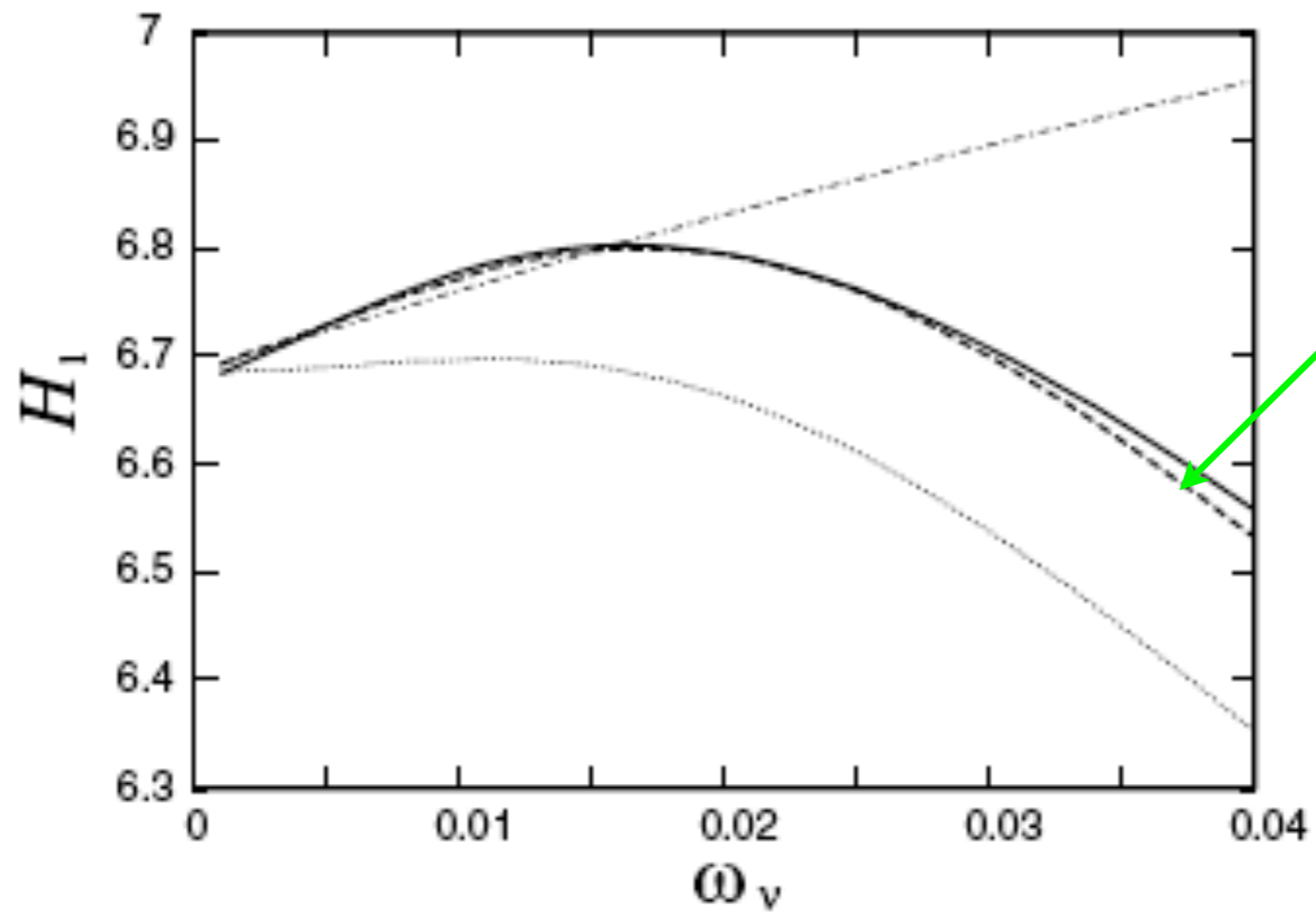
$$\sum m_\nu \leq 1.2\text{eV}$$

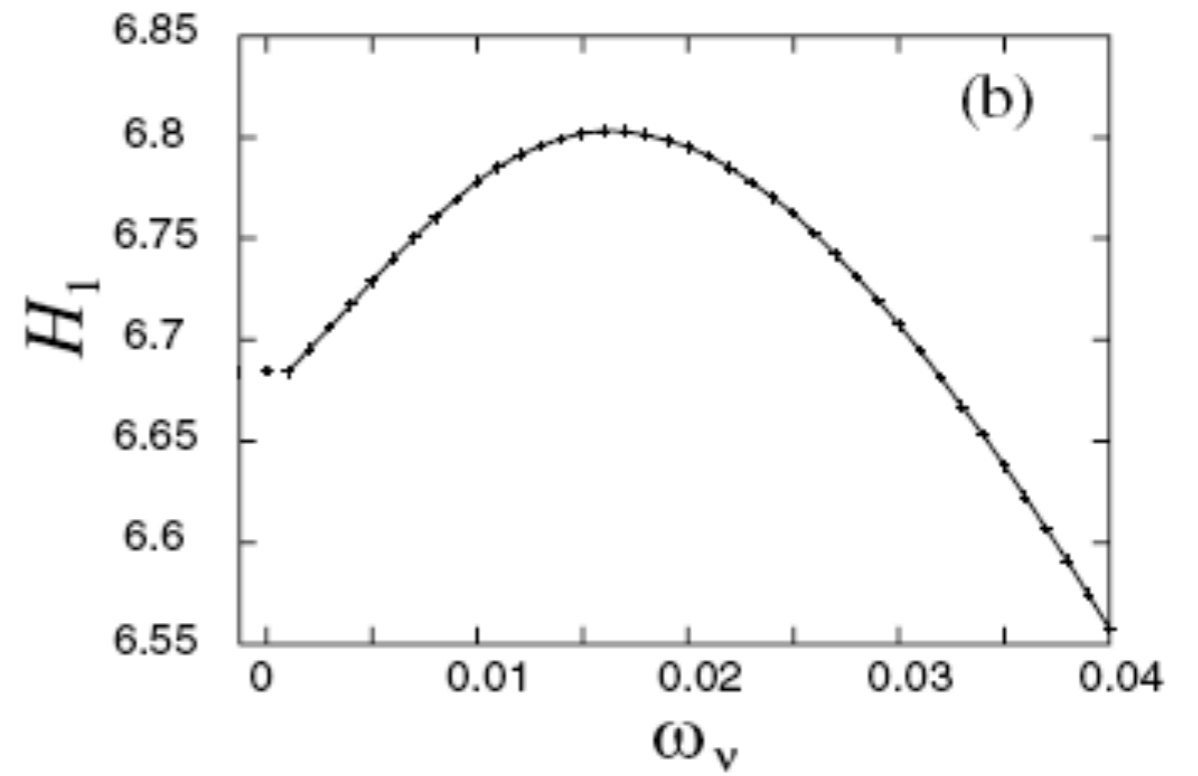
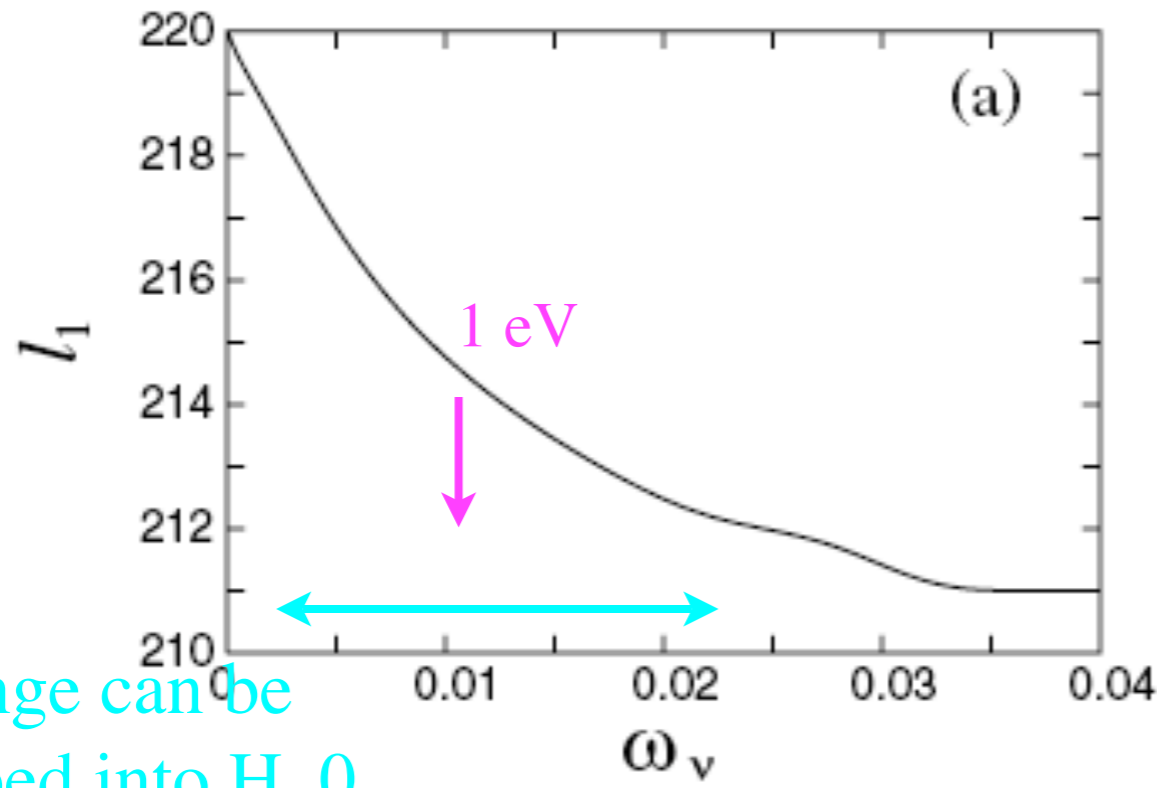
1.5eV

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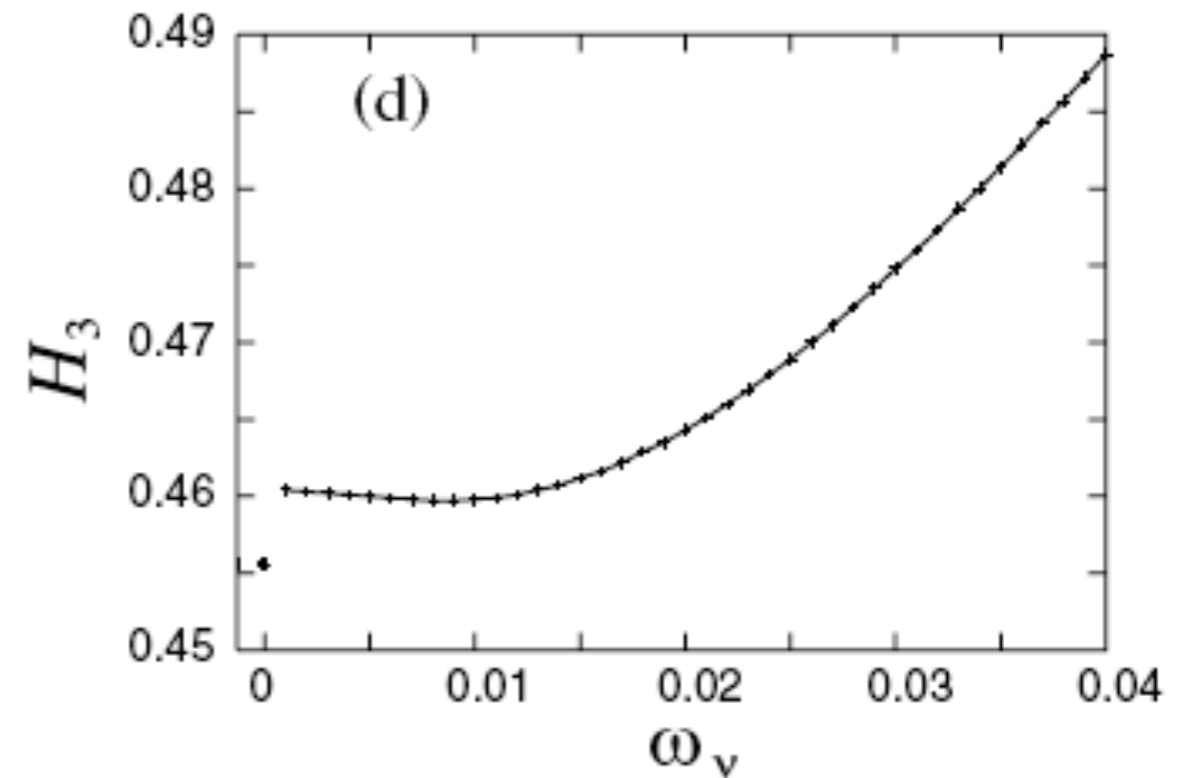
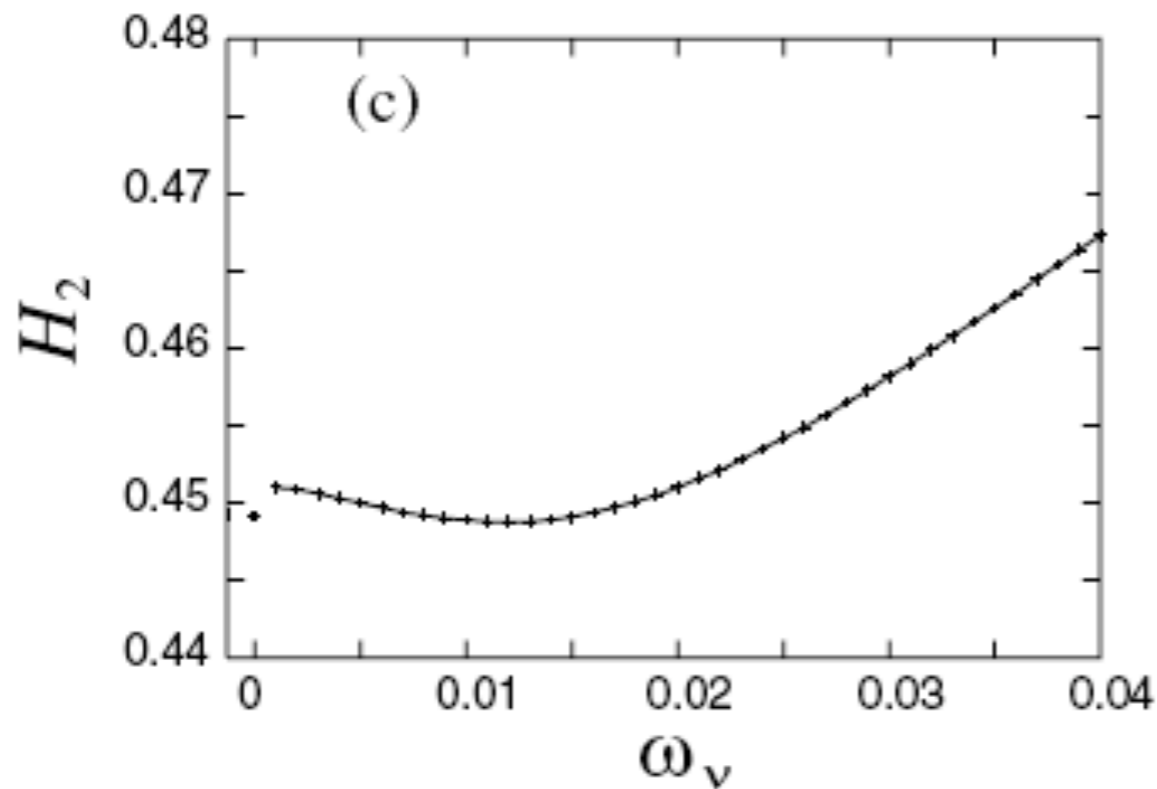
Shiraishi, MF + 09

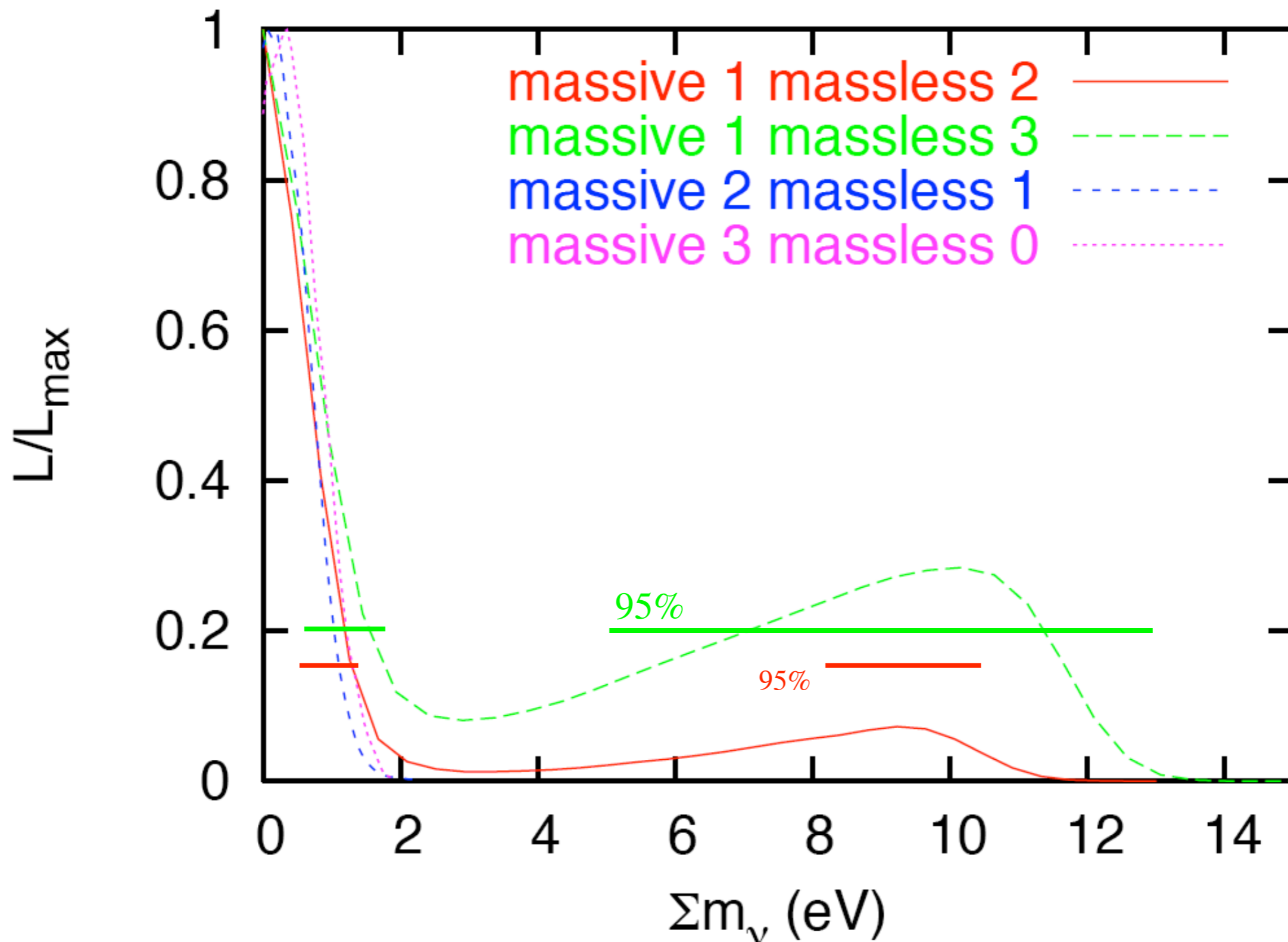
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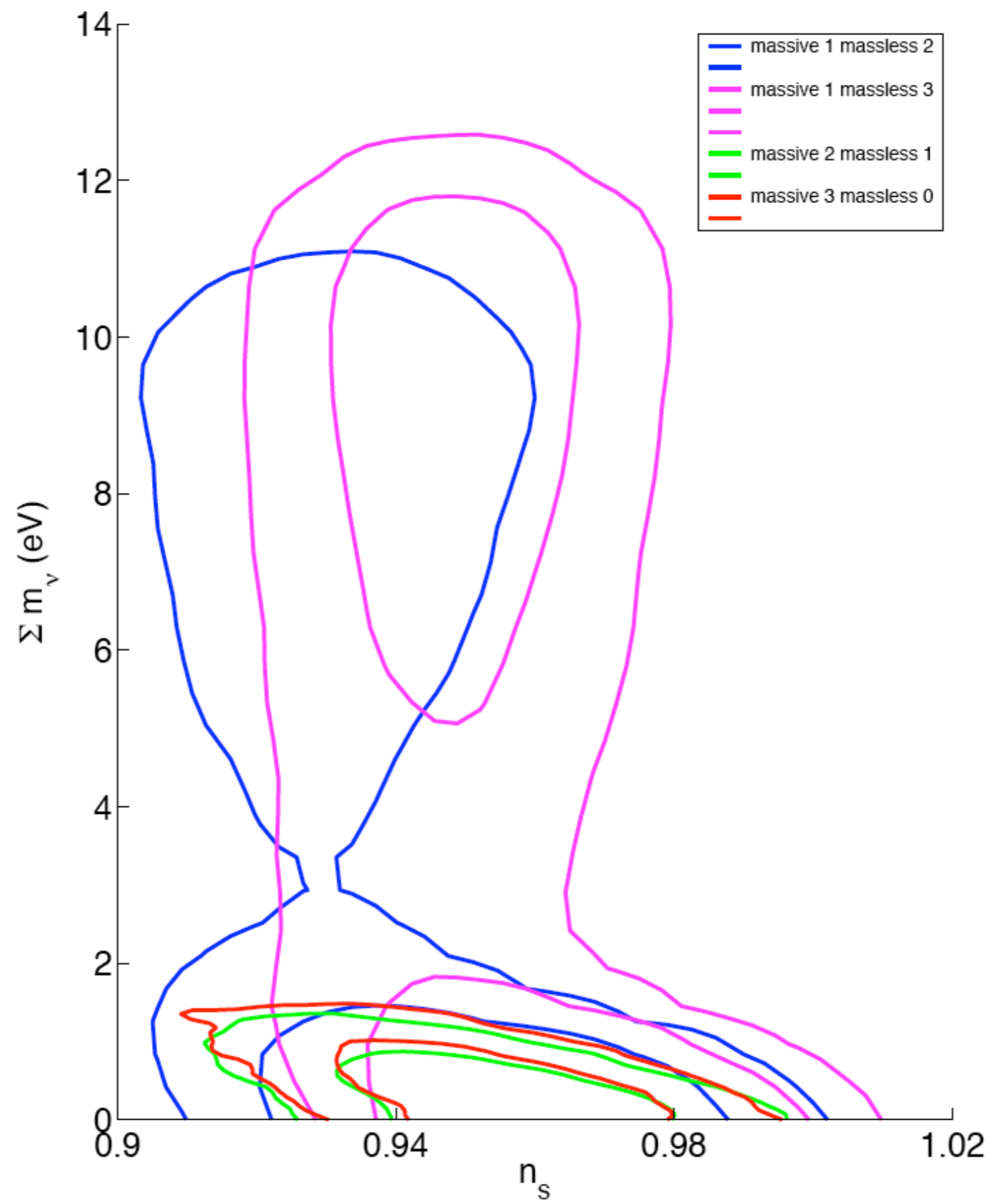


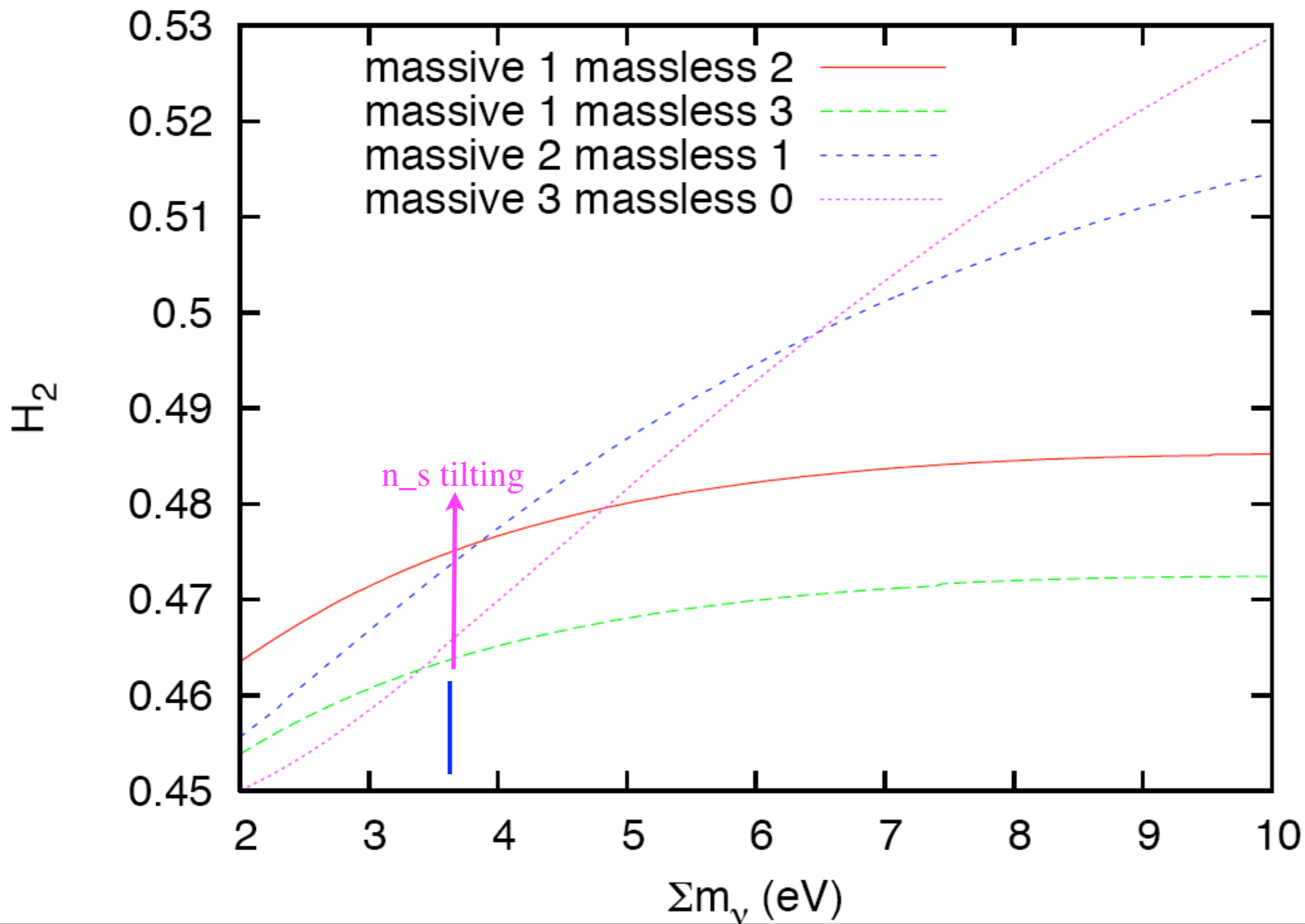


change can be absorbed into H_0

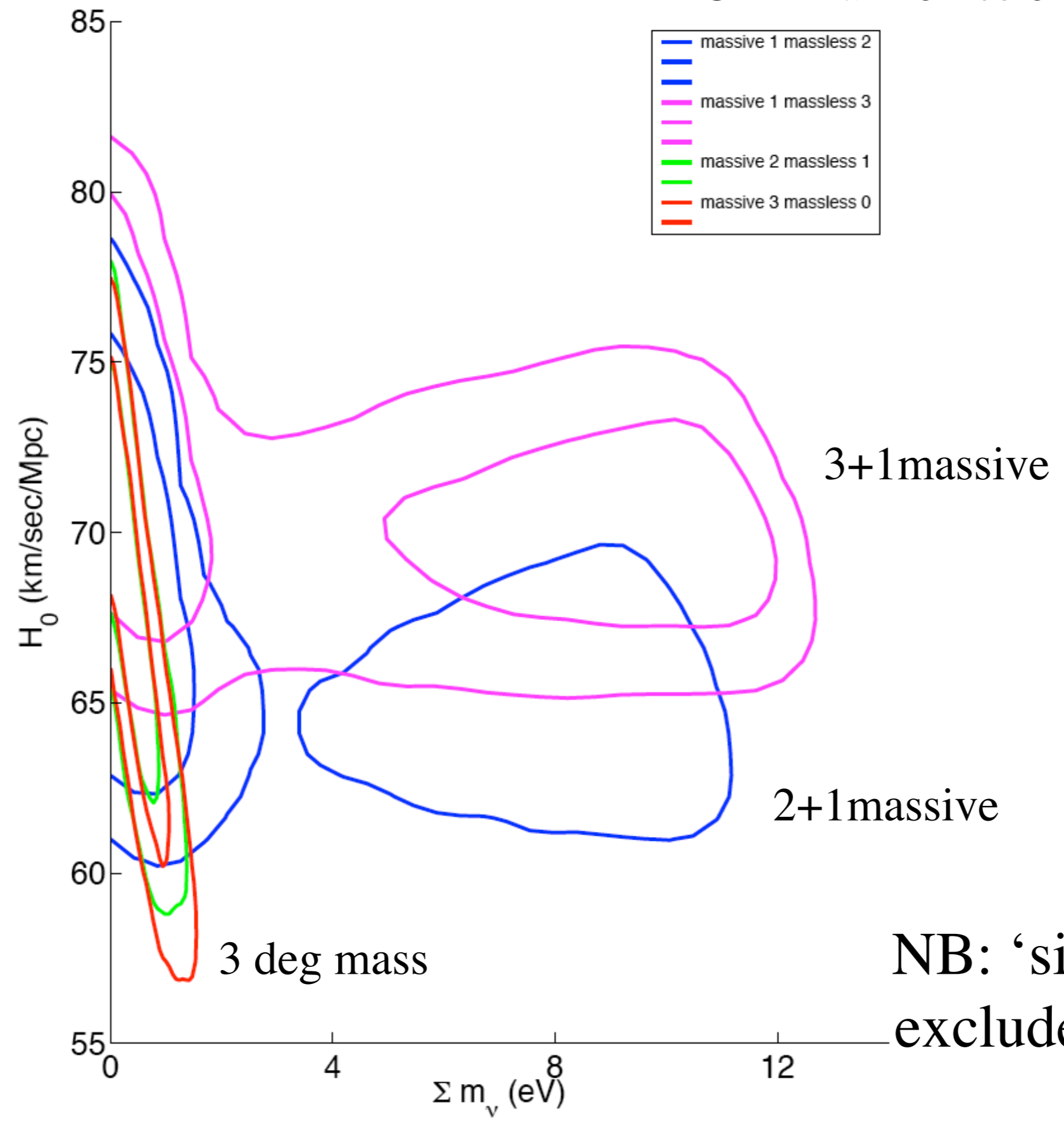


m_ν limits: CMB harmonics alone

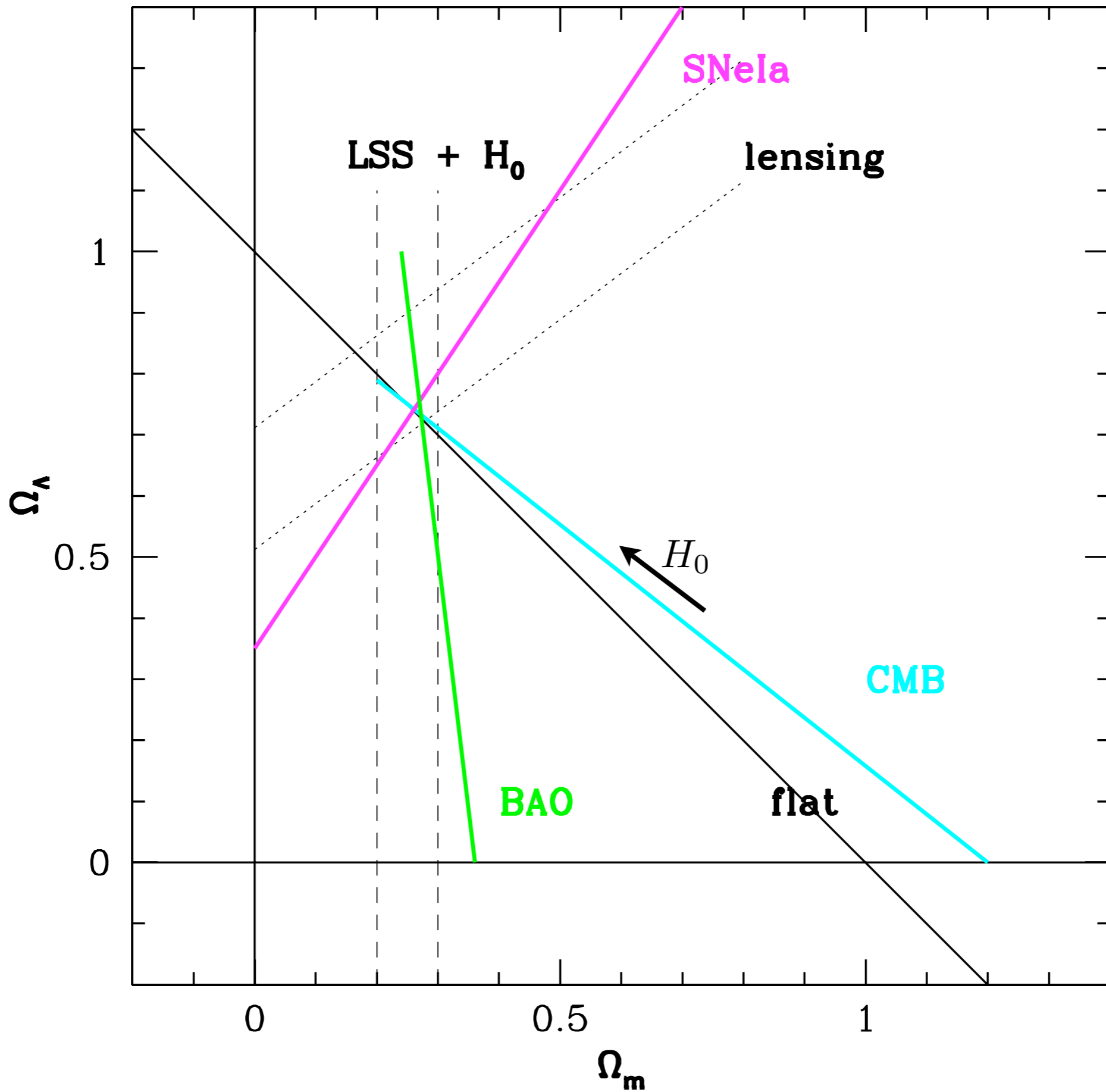




CMB harmonics only



NB: 'singular soln's are excluded if P(k) is used



Conclusions:

Constraints on the mass of neutrinos

Use of the power spectrum

Attempt: halo distribution $\sum m_\nu < 0.62\text{eV}$ (95%CL)

Use of CMB alone $\sum m_\nu < 1.2\text{eV}$ (95%CL)

Lower Hubble constant: $H_0 = 70 - 72 \rightarrow 62 - 72$

+ Ext. data to constrain $H_0 \rightarrow \sum m_\nu < 0.7\text{eV}$

Special case: 3 massless + 1 massive neutrinos ([Angus 09](#))

massive neutrino behaves as quasi-CDM: OK with CMB,
but excluded by P(k) unless gravity largely modified

Future:

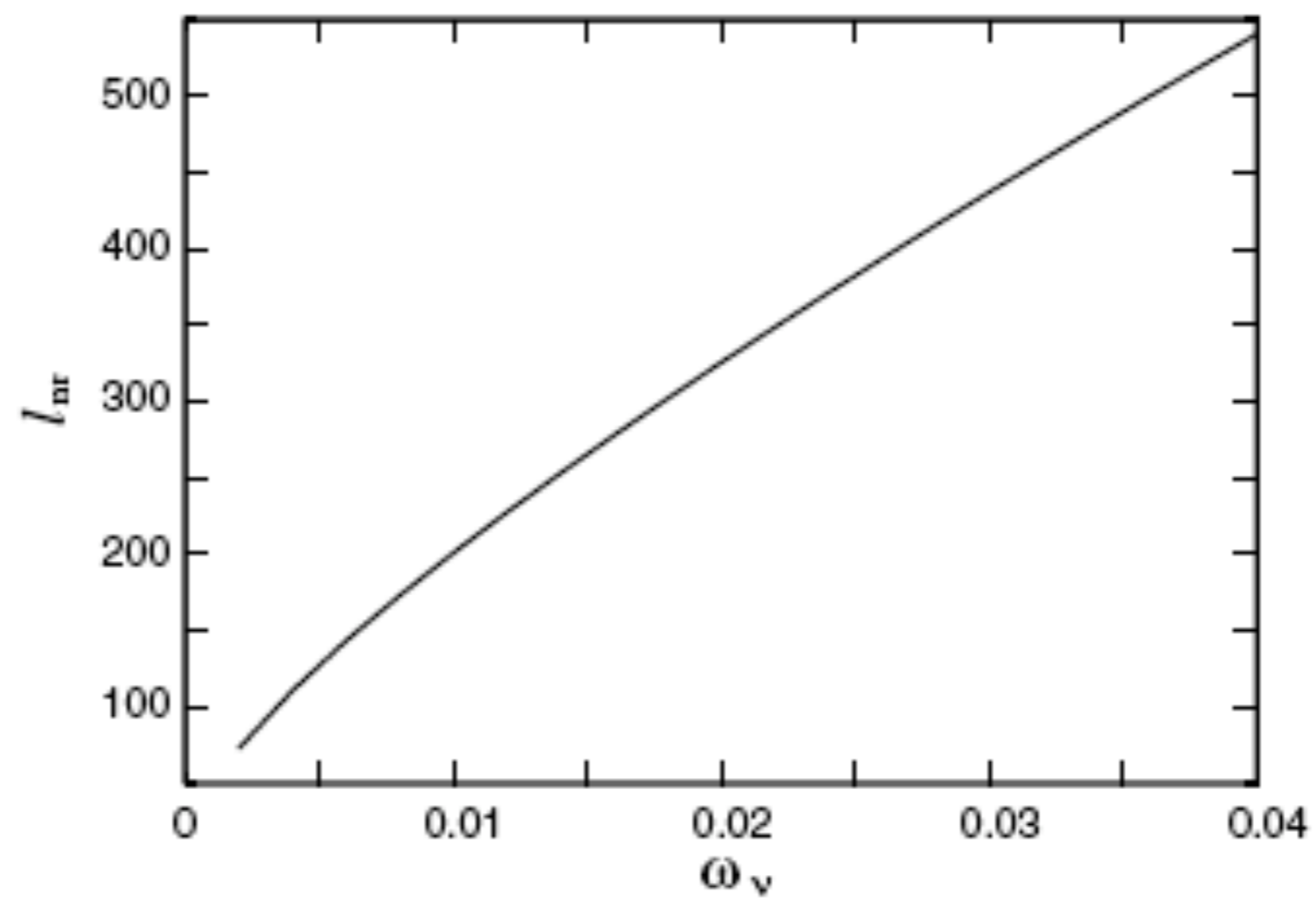
Verification of the halo model

Weak lensing for B mode polarisation ([Kaplinghat et al. 03](#))

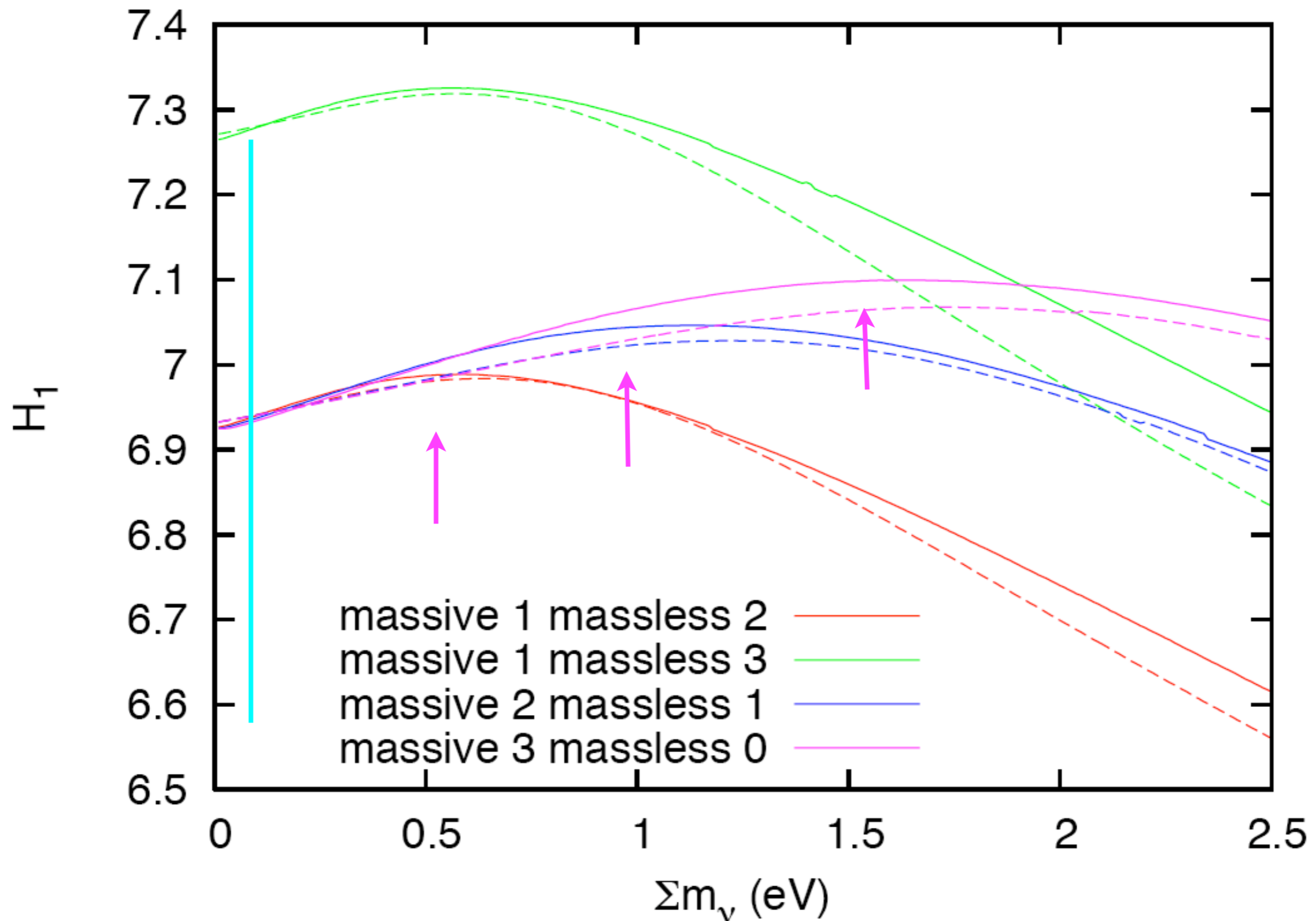
Too reach $\sum m_{\nu_i} \sim 0.05\text{eV}$ would not be too unrealistic

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H₁ takes a peak at $m_\nu = 0.5\text{eV}$ per nu



WMAP-3: Spergel et al. 2006

