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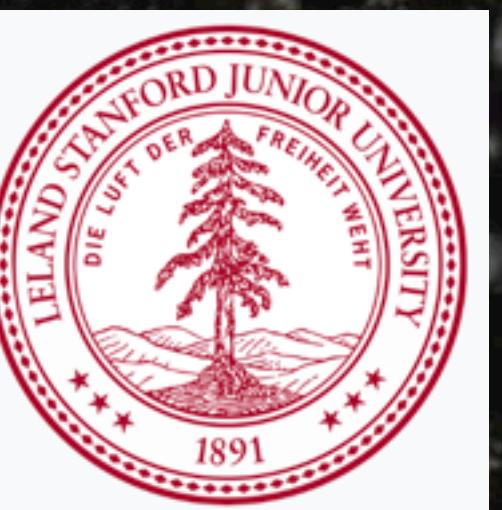
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galaxy maps

we are lucky

SDSS DR9

# the promise

- this map is sensitive to the Universe's contents, initial conditions, and interactions
- standard evolution -  $\Lambda$ CDM parameters like  $\Omega_m$ ,  $H_0$ , and  $\sigma_8$
- but also many other effects we've discussed

$$\mathcal{O} = \mathcal{O}_{\text{DM, gravity}} + \epsilon \mathcal{O}_{\text{BSM}}$$

# the method

summary statistics

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two point/power spectrum



$$\langle \delta(\vec{x}_1) \delta(\vec{x}_2) \rangle$$

$$P(k)$$

overdensity:  $\delta(\vec{x})$

three point/bispectrum



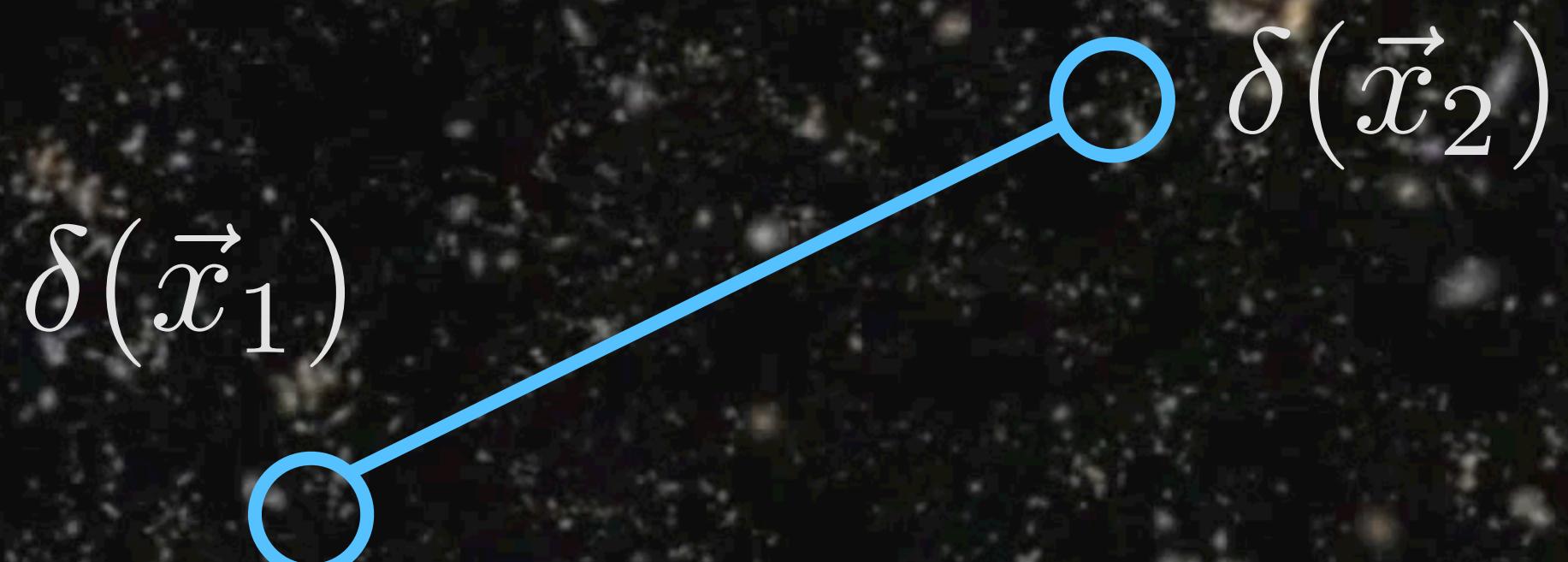
$$\langle \delta(\vec{x}_1) \delta(\vec{x}_2) \delta(\vec{x}_3) \rangle$$

$$B(k_1, k_2, k_3)$$

# the method

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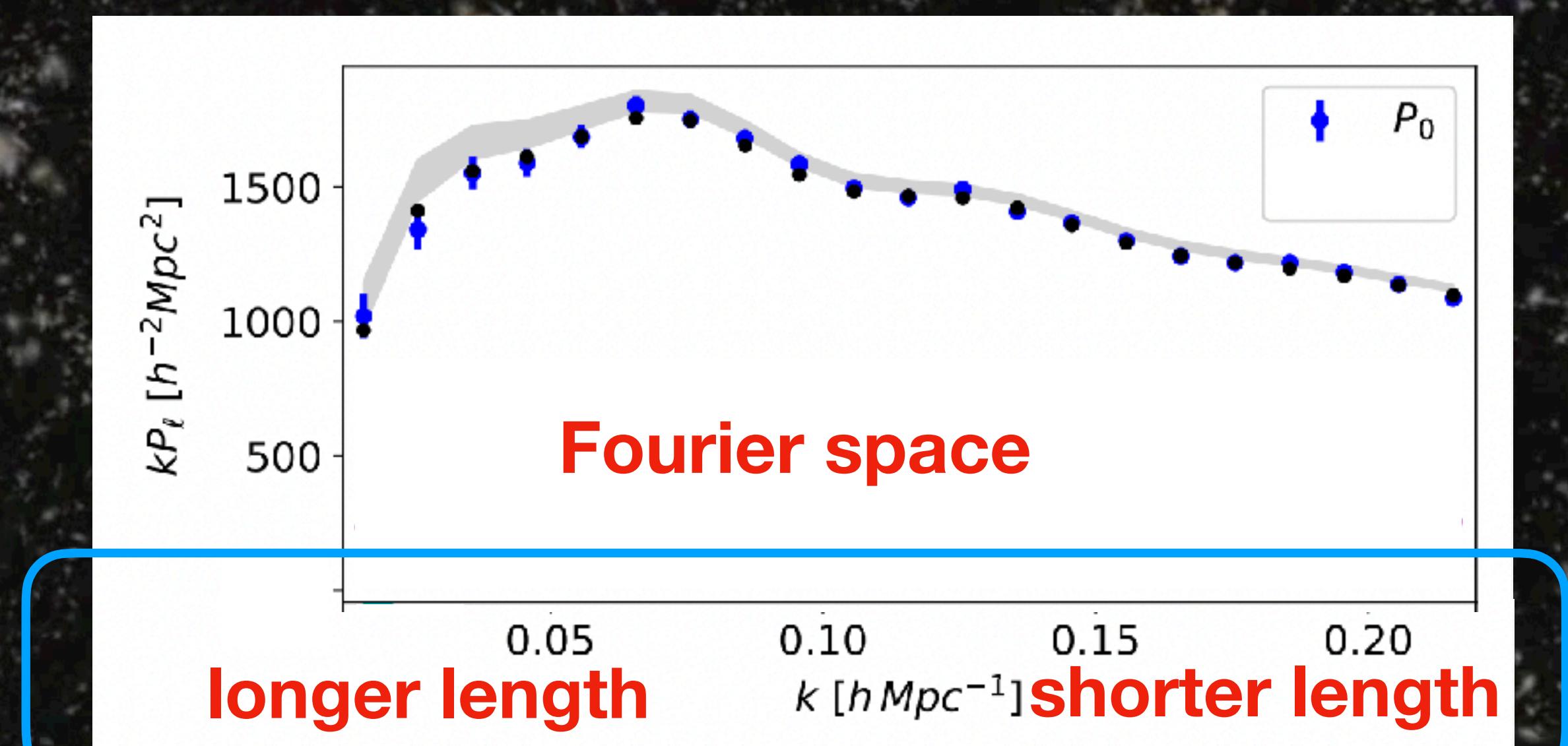
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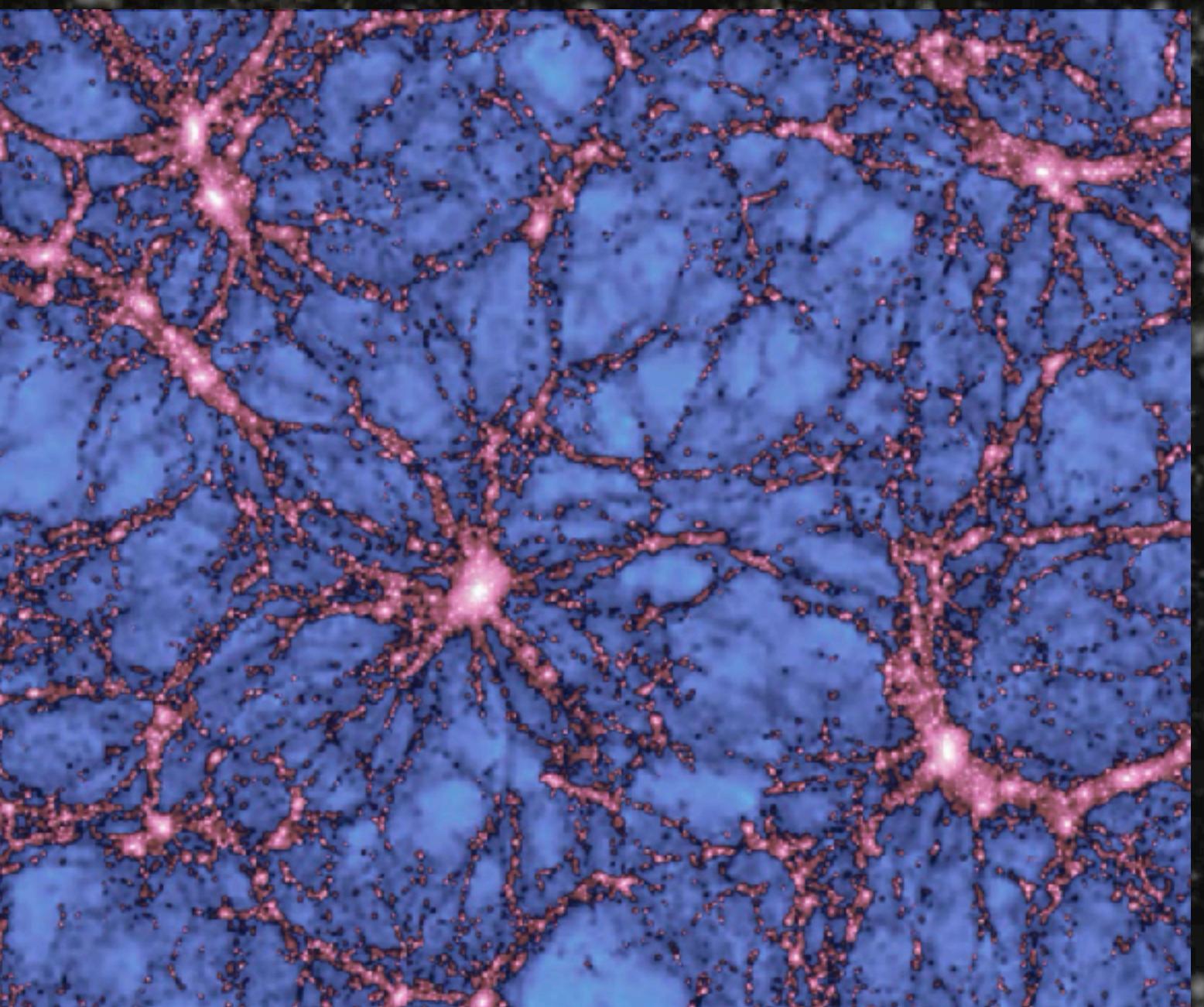
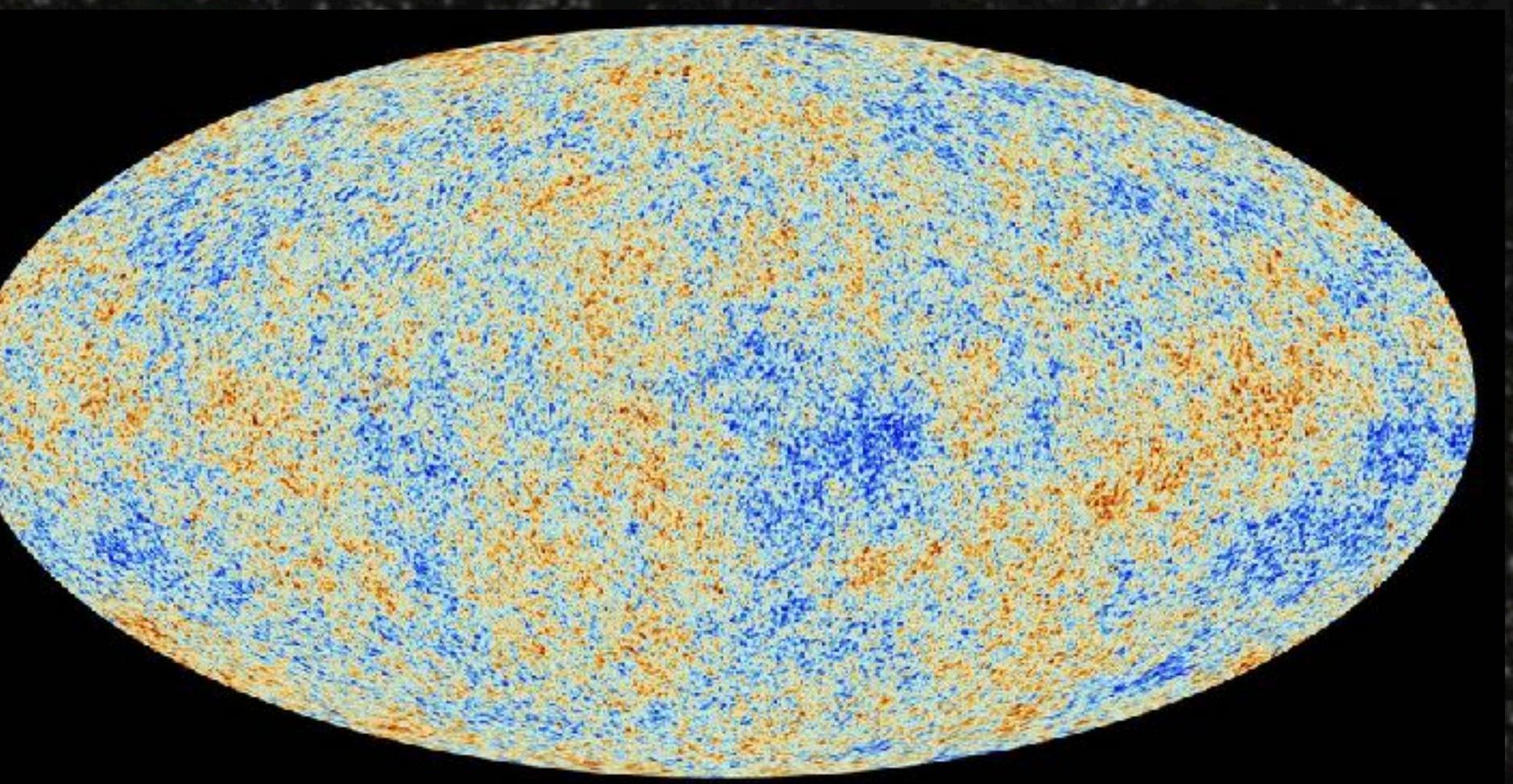
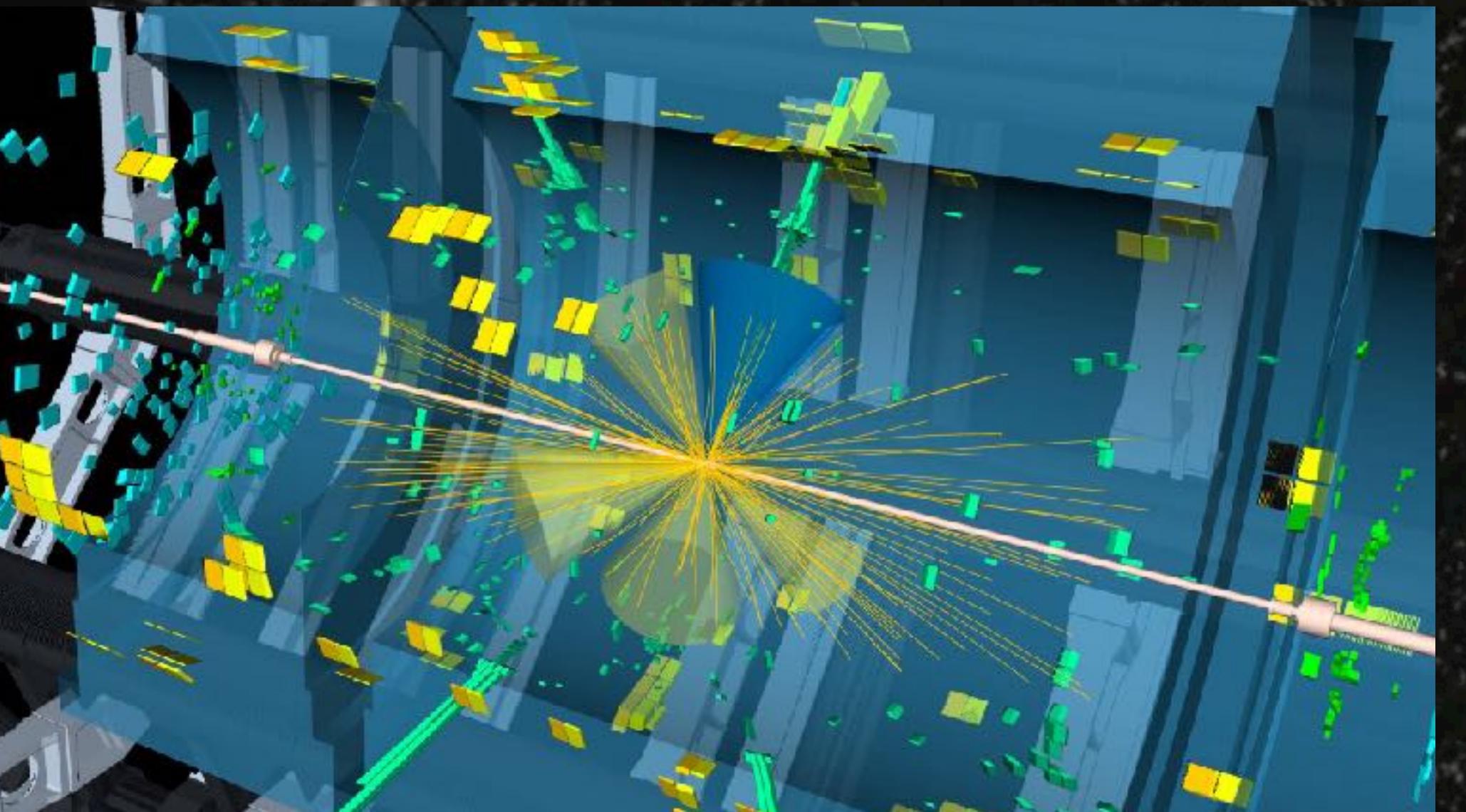
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overdensity:  $\delta(\vec{x})$



# the challenge

- CMB is linear - lucky again
- think how lucky we are that standard model is weakly coupled
- LSS is highly nonlinear on small scales



# the payoff

- but LSS is three-dimensional
- many more available modes

$$\text{error bars} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{N_{\text{modes}}}} \sim \frac{1}{\sqrt{V_{\text{survey}} k_{\text{max}}^3}}$$

- interesting point from McDonald and Roy 2009:
  - we pay about \$1,000 per mode for the  $\sim 10^6$  modes we have
  - so increasing  $k_{\text{max}}$  by a factor of 1.3 is essentially worth a billion dollars

largest  $k$ , smallest length at which we trust the theory

**next-generation surveys  
(DESI, Euclid, MegaMapper,  
PUMA, etc.) delivering data  
in the next 2-25 years**

$\Delta A \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \Delta \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)^3$  [ $\left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)^3 H_0^3$ ]  $\Delta b, \Delta b, \Delta b$   $\left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)$

$\rightarrow$   $\Delta A \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \Delta \Sigma \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \Delta b, \Delta b, \Delta b$

$\frac{\text{with } \Delta b \text{ part}}{(\pi \delta \pi \delta \pi \delta)}$

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \right)^5 \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \times \rightarrow \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \right) \right)^5 \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{\epsilon} \left[ A \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \sqrt{\left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right) \right) \right] \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)^3 \left[ \frac{1}{\epsilon} \left( \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon}, \frac{1}{\epsilon} \right)^3 \right]$$

EFT of LSS

# dark-matter clustering

Zel'dovich

Peebles

Blumenthal

Faber

Primack

Rees

Feldman

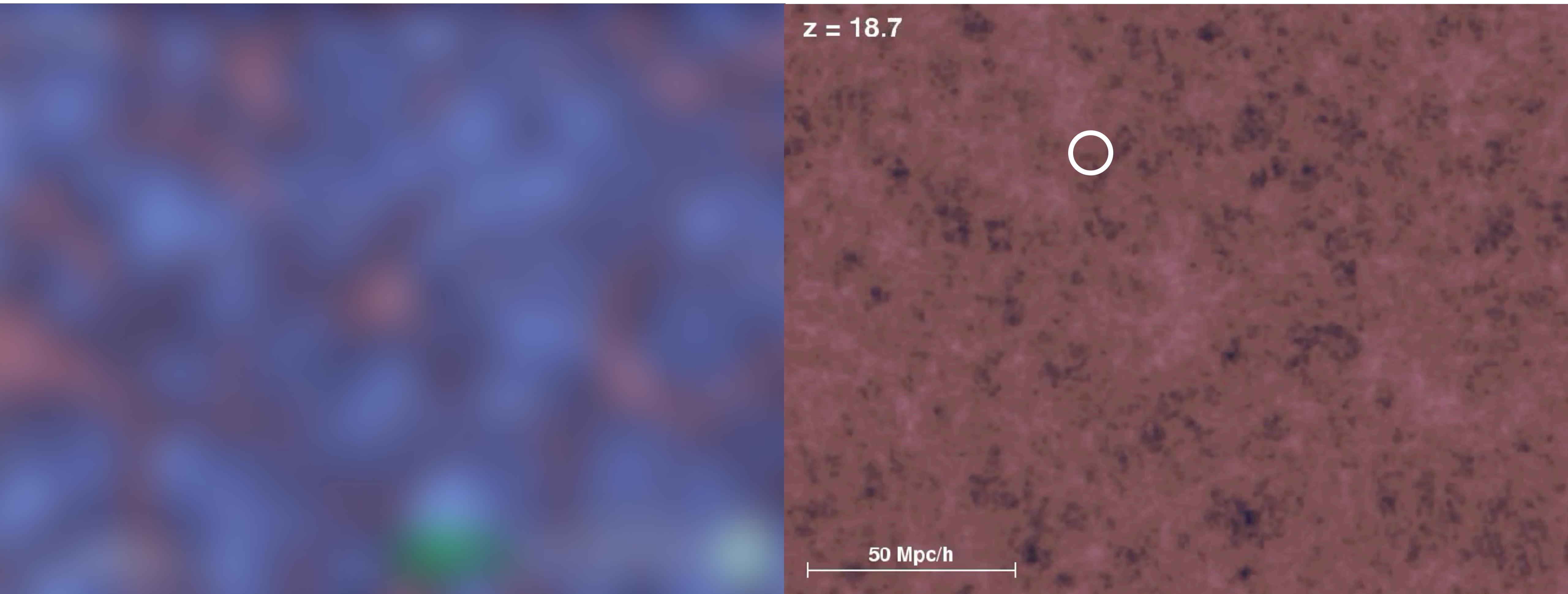
Kaiser

Peacock

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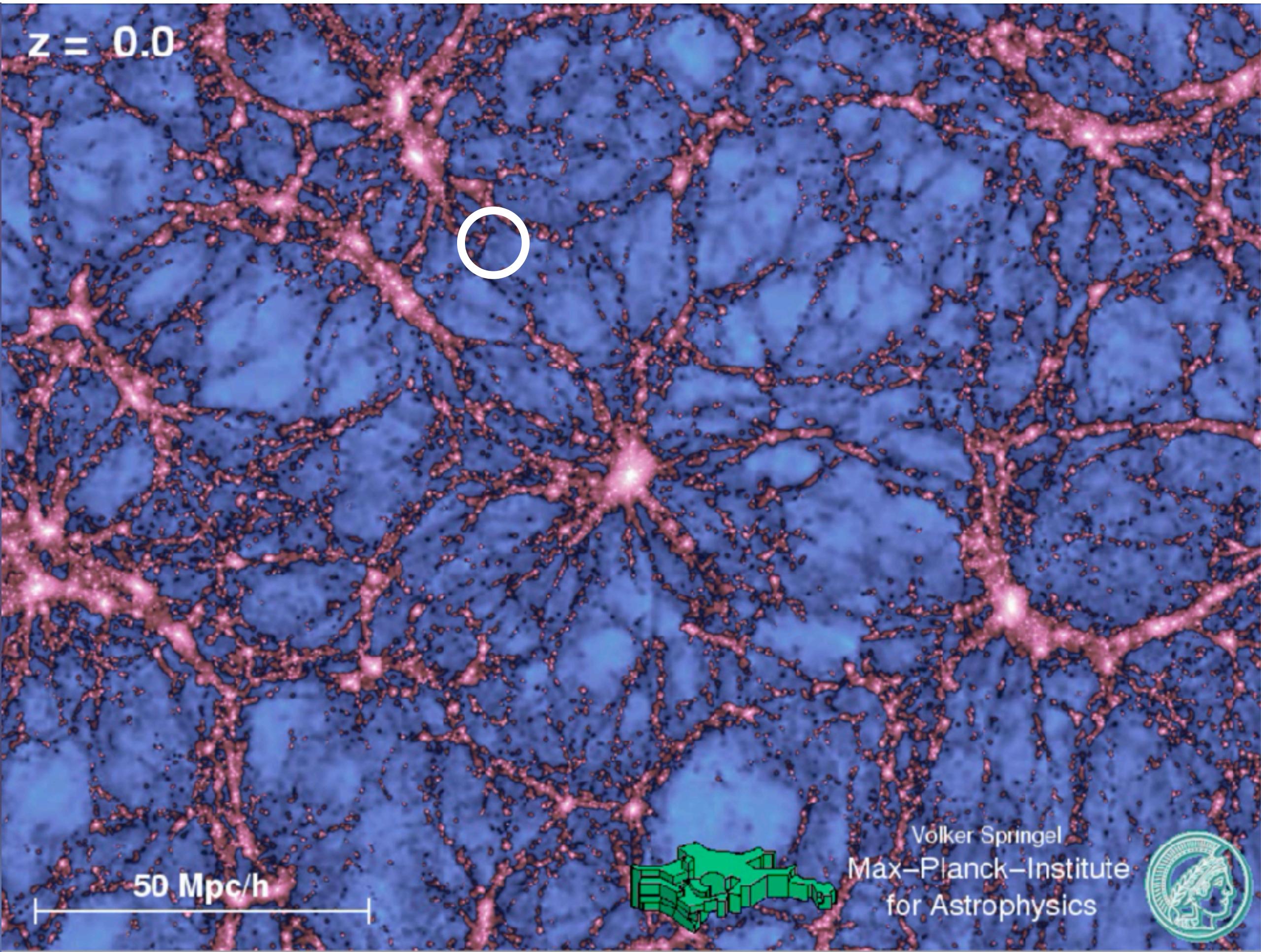
# effective field theory of LSS

- controlled, analytic, perturbative expansion
- how can small scales affect large scales?

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expanding universe:  $a(t)$

time scale:  $H = \dot{a}/a$

DM fluid variables:  $\delta, v^i$

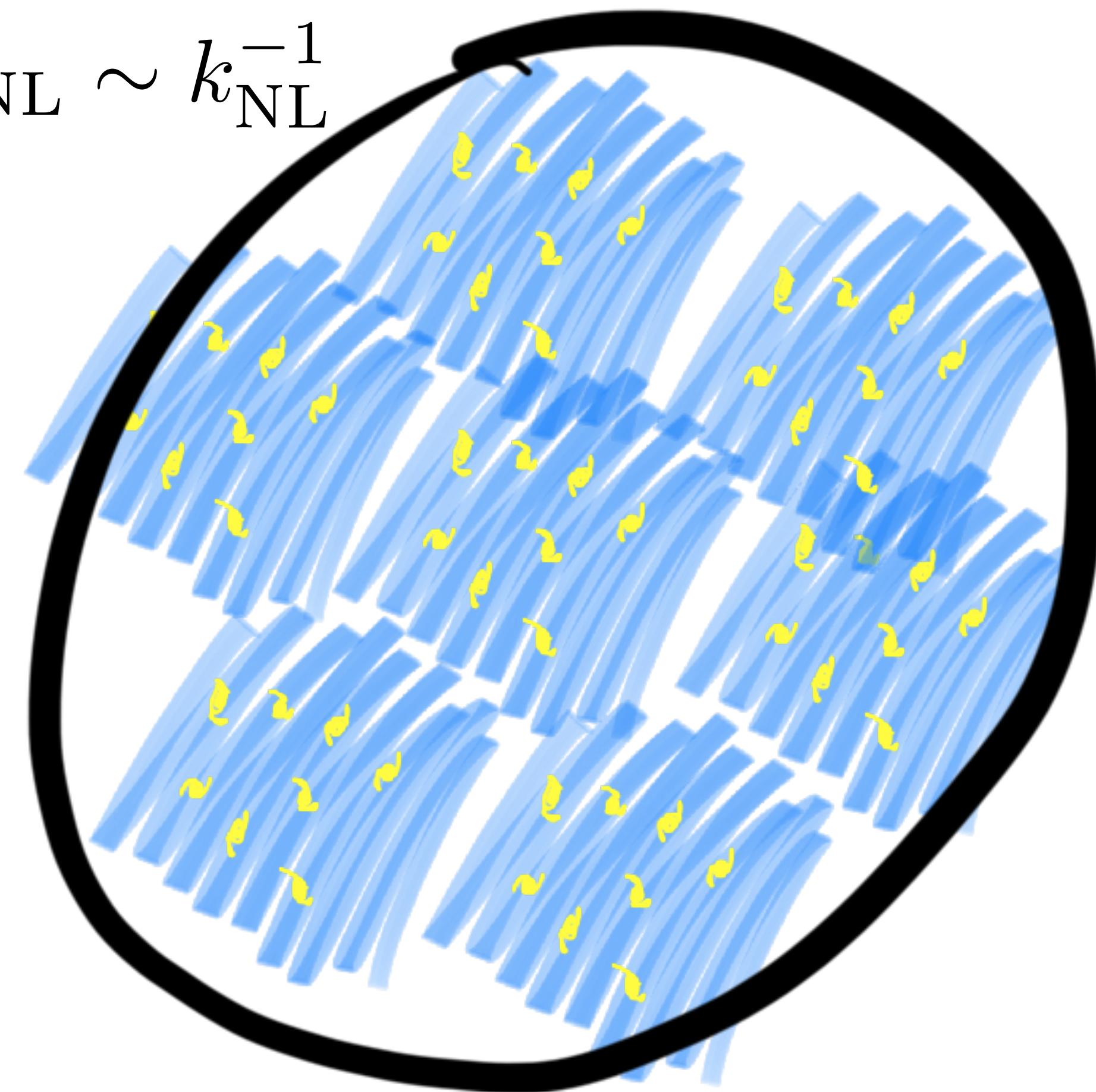
nonlinear scale

$$k_{\text{NL}}^{-1} \sim \frac{v}{aH}$$

EFT expansion param.

$$k/k_{\text{NL}} \lesssim 1$$

$$L_{\text{NL}} \sim k_{\text{NL}}^{-1}$$



$$L/L_{\text{NL}} \gtrsim 1$$

# effective field theory of LSS

equations of motion for dark matter

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## what do we actually solve?

**continuity**  $[\delta, v]$

**Euler**  $[\delta, v]$

perfect fluid

$$= 0$$

$$= \frac{\partial_i \partial_j}{k_{\text{NL}}^2} \tau_{\text{EFT}}^{ij}$$

EFT counterterms

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**what do we actually solve?**

EOM local for  $\pi_S$  and  $\pi_V^i$

$$\partial^2 \Phi = \frac{3}{2} \Omega_m \mathcal{H}^2 \delta$$

$$a \mathcal{H} \delta' + \frac{\pi_S}{\bar{\rho}} = 0,$$

$$\mathcal{H} \pi'_S + \frac{4\mathcal{H}}{a} \pi_S + \frac{3}{2a} \bar{\rho} \Omega_m \mathcal{H}^2 \delta = -\frac{\partial_i \partial_j}{a} \left( \frac{2}{3} \frac{\bar{\rho}}{\Omega_m \mathcal{H}^2} \left( \partial_i \Phi \partial_j \Phi - \frac{1}{2} \delta_{ij} (\partial \Phi)^2 \right) + \frac{\pi^i \pi^j}{\rho} + \tau^{ij} \right),$$

$$\mathcal{H} \pi_V'^i + 4 \frac{\mathcal{H}}{a} \pi_V^i = -\frac{\epsilon^{ijk}}{a} \partial_j \partial_l \left( \frac{2}{3} \frac{\bar{\rho}}{\Omega_m \mathcal{H}^2} \partial_k \Phi \partial_l \Phi + \frac{\pi^k \pi^l}{\rho} + \tau^{kl} \right)$$

**over and momentum density**

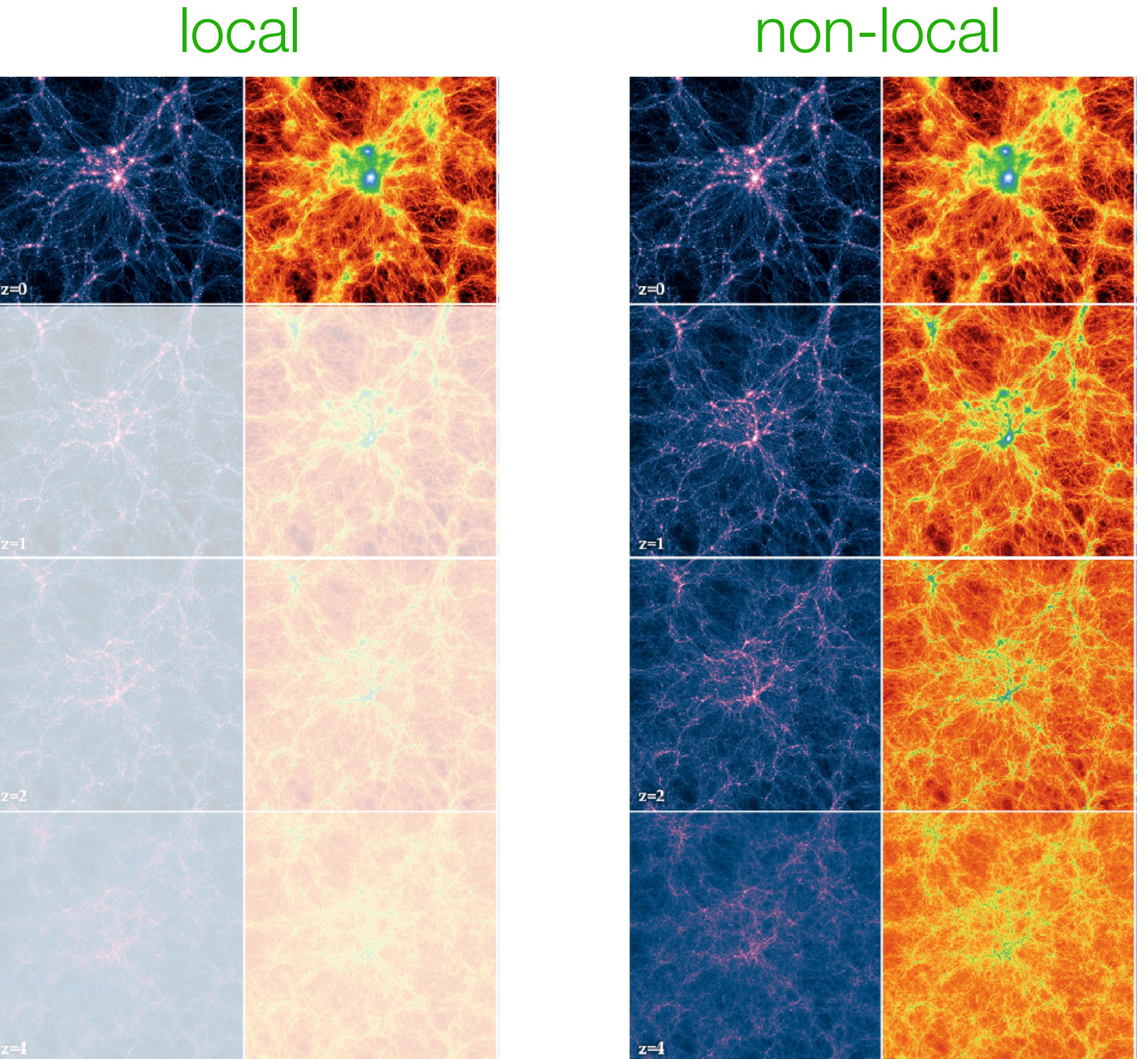
$$\begin{aligned} \delta(\vec{x}, a) &\equiv (\rho(\vec{x}, a) - \bar{\rho}(a)) / \bar{\rho}(a) & \pi_S &\equiv \partial_i \pi^i \\ \pi^i(\vec{x}, a) &\equiv \rho(\vec{x}, a) v^i(\vec{x}, a) & \pi_V^i &\equiv \epsilon^{ijk} \partial_j \pi^k, \\ \pi^i &= \frac{\partial_i}{\partial^2} \pi_S - \epsilon^{ijk} \frac{\partial^j}{\partial^2} \pi_V^k \end{aligned}$$

# non-local-in-time structure formation

the question

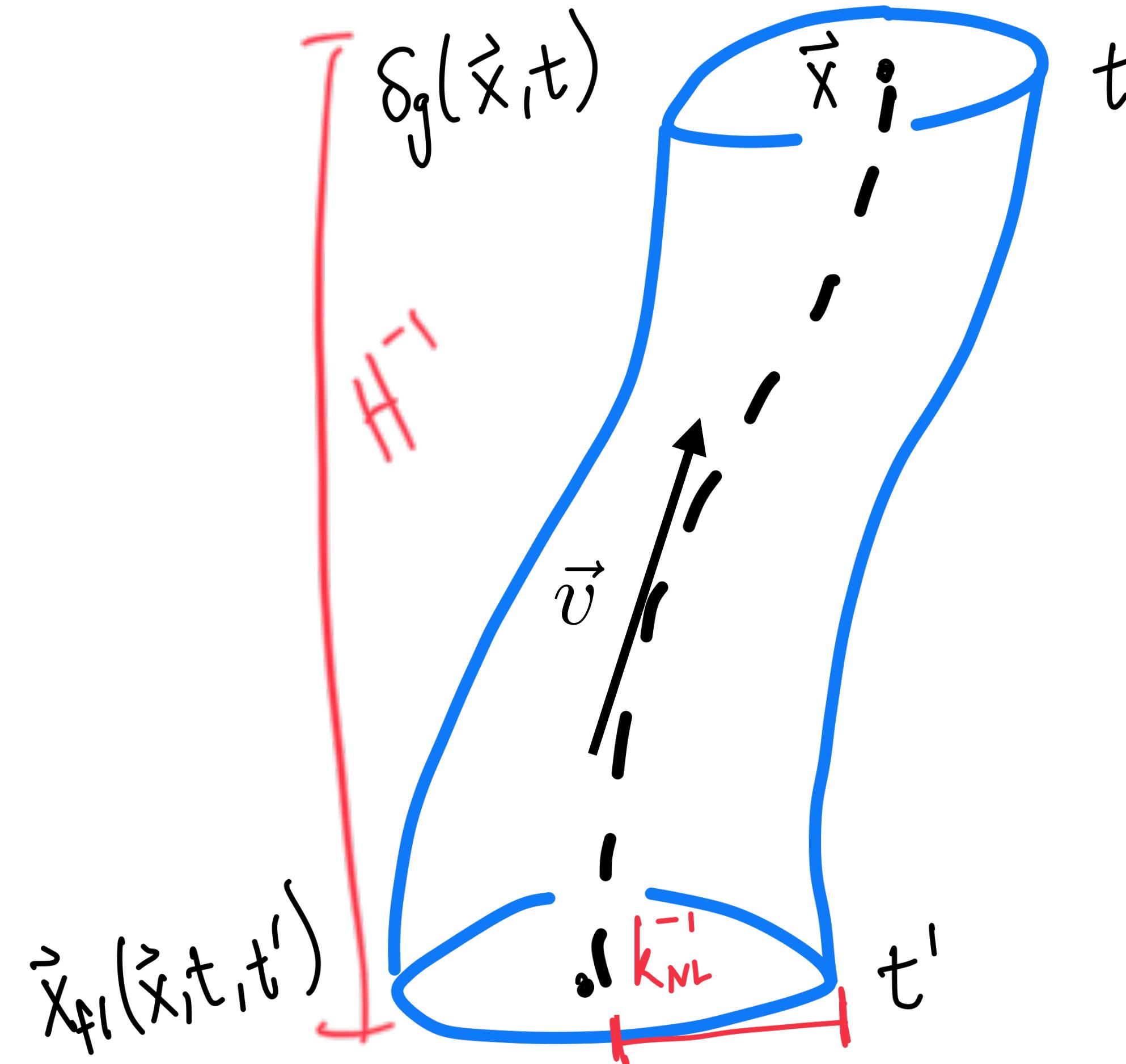
given two identical localized dark-matter configurations at a given time, will the same galaxies always form, or do we need to know the whole history of that configuration?

↑  
time



# non-local-in-time structure formation

$$\tau_{ij}(\vec{x}, t) = f_{\text{very complicated}} \left( \left\{ H, \Omega_m, \dots, m_{\text{dm}}, g_{\text{ew}}, \dots, \rho_{\text{dm}}, \partial_i v_{\text{dm}}^j, \dots \right\}_{\text{past tube } (\vec{x}, t)} \right)_{ij}$$



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Desjacques, Jeong,  
Schmidt 16

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$$\tau_{ij}(\vec{x}, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int_{\text{past tube } (\vec{x}, t)} d^4x_1 \dots \int_{\text{past tube } (\vec{x}, t)} d^4x_n \sum_{\text{all subsets } \{\mathcal{O}_1, \dots, \mathcal{O}_n\} \subset \{\mathcal{O}\}} \left\{ \frac{\delta^n f_{\text{very complicated}}(\{\mathcal{O}\}_{\text{past tube}})}{\delta \mathcal{O}_1(x_1) \dots \delta \mathcal{O}_n(x_n)} \Big|_0 \mathcal{O}_1(x_1) \dots \mathcal{O}_n(x_n) \right\}_{ij},$$

$$\frac{\delta^n f_{\text{very complicated}}(\{\mathcal{O}\}_{\text{past tube}})}{\delta \mathcal{O}_1(x_1) \dots \delta \mathcal{O}_n(x_n)} \Big|_0 \simeq \langle \frac{\delta^n f_{\text{very complicated}}(\{\mathcal{O}\}_{\text{past tube}})}{\delta \mathcal{O}_1(x_1) \dots \delta \mathcal{O}_n(x_n)} \Big|_0 \rangle + \epsilon_{1, \dots, n}(x_1, \dots, x_n).$$

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$$\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t') = \vec{x} + \int_t^{t'} \frac{dt_1}{a(t_1)} \vec{v}(\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_1), t_1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tau_{ij}(\vec{x}, t) &\simeq \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \int dt_1 \dots \int dt_n \sum_{\text{all subsets } \{\mathcal{O}_1, \dots, \mathcal{O}_n\} \subset \{\mathcal{O}\}} \\ &\quad \times \{(K_{1, \dots, n}(t, t_1, \dots, t_n) + \epsilon_{1, \dots, n}(t, (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_1), t_1), \dots, (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_n), t_n)) \\ &\quad + \frac{\partial}{k_{\text{NL}}} \epsilon_{1, \dots, n, \partial}(t, (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_1), t_1), \dots, (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_n), t_n)) + \dots) \\ &\quad \times \mathcal{O}_1(\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_1), t_1) \dots \mathcal{O}_n(\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t_n), t_n)\}_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

# non-local-in-time structure formation

$$\begin{aligned}
\tau_{ij}(\vec{x}, t) = & \frac{\Omega_m \mathcal{H}^2 \bar{\rho}}{k_{\text{NL}}^2} \sum_l \int_0^t dt' H(t') \left( c_{1,\mathcal{O}_l}(t, t') \mathcal{O}_{1,l}(\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t'), t')_{ij} + \right. \\
& + \int_0^t dt'' H(t'') \left( c_{2,\mathcal{O}_l}(t, t', t'') \mathcal{O}_{2,l}((\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t'), t'), (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t''), t''))_{ij} \right. \\
& \left. \left. + \int_0^t dt''' H(t''') c_{3,\mathcal{O}_l}(t, t', t'', t''') \mathcal{O}_{3,l}((\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t'), t'), (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t''), t''), (\vec{x}_{\text{fl}}(\vec{x}, t, t'''), t'''))_{ij} \right) \right) ,
\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{1,l} \in \left\{ r_{ij}, p_{ij}, \delta_{ij}^K \delta, \delta_{ij}^K \theta, \delta_{ij}^K \frac{\partial^2}{k_{\text{NL}}^2} \delta \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{O}_{2,l} \in & \left\{ \delta_{ij}^K \delta^2, \delta_{ij}^K \theta^2, \delta_{ij}^K \delta \theta, r_{ij} \delta, p_{ij} \delta, r_{ij} \theta, p_{ij} \theta, r_{ik} r_{kj}, p_{ik} p_{kj}, \right. \\
& \left. \frac{1}{2} (r_{ik} p_{kj} + r_{jk} p_{ki}), \text{Tr}(r^2) \delta_{ij}^K, \text{Tr}(p^2) \delta_{ij}^K, \text{Tr}(rp) \delta_{ij}^K \right\}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{3,l} \in \left\{ r_{ik} r_{km} r_{mj}, \text{Tr}(r^2) r_{ij}, \text{Tr}(r^3) \delta_{ij}^K, r_{ik} r_{kj} \delta, \text{Tr}(r^2) \delta \delta_{ij}^K, r_{ij} \delta^2, \delta^3 \delta_{ij}^K \right\}$$

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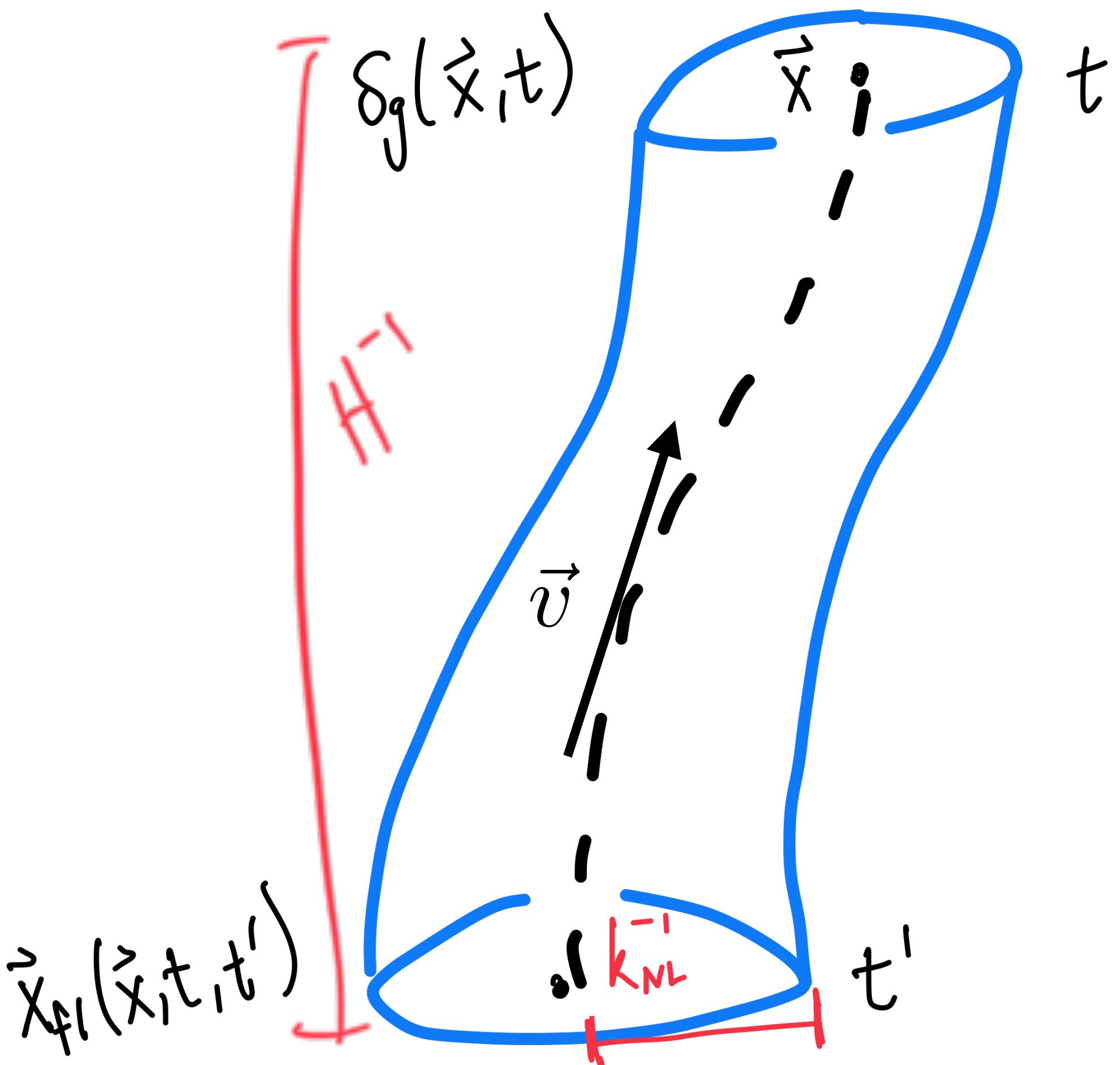
$$\tau_{(n)}^{ij}(\vec{x}, t) = \sum_{\Gamma \in \Gamma_n} c_\Gamma(t) [\mathbb{C}_\Gamma^{ij}]^{(n)}(\vec{x}, t)$$

**18 total at 3rd order;  
17 for local-in-time**

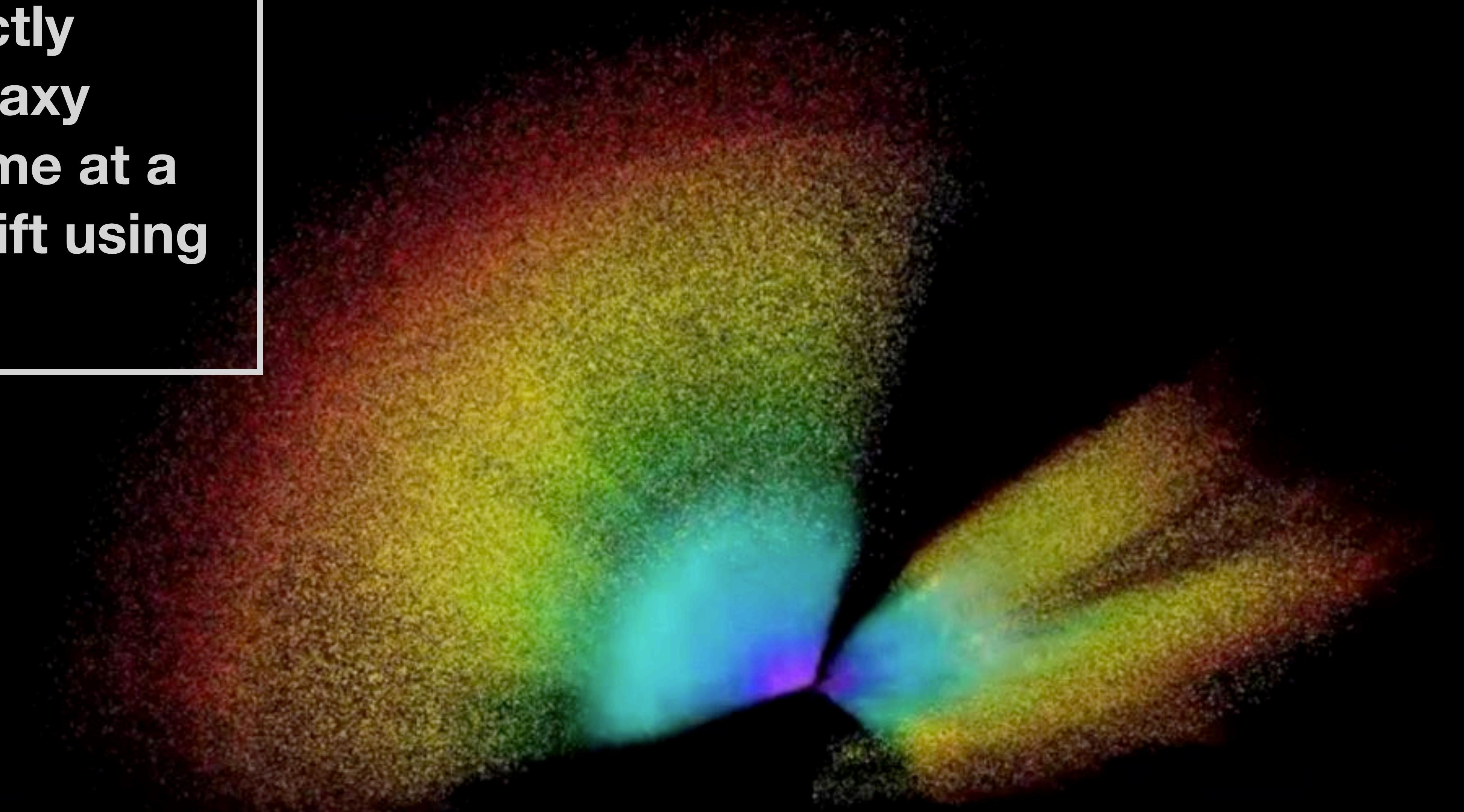
galaxy bias  
@ 5th order  
non-local: 29  
local: 26

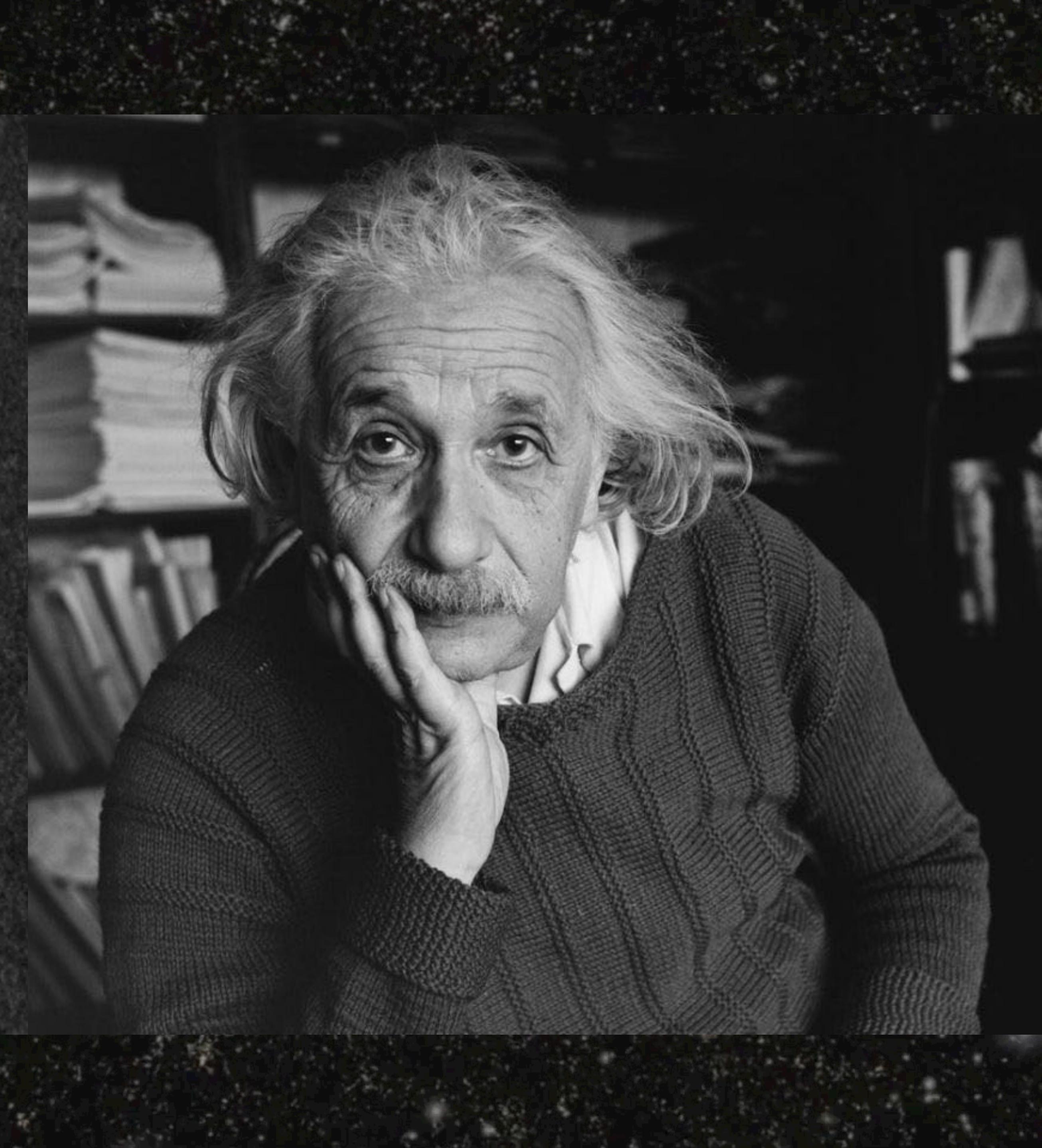
the galaxy-clustering signal at fifth order  
is sensitive to whether or not galaxies  
form on time scales of order Hubble

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**we can directly  
measure galaxy  
formation time at a  
single redshift using  
field theory.**





# solution of DM EOM

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**with  $\tau^{ij}$ , solve EOM for  $\delta$**

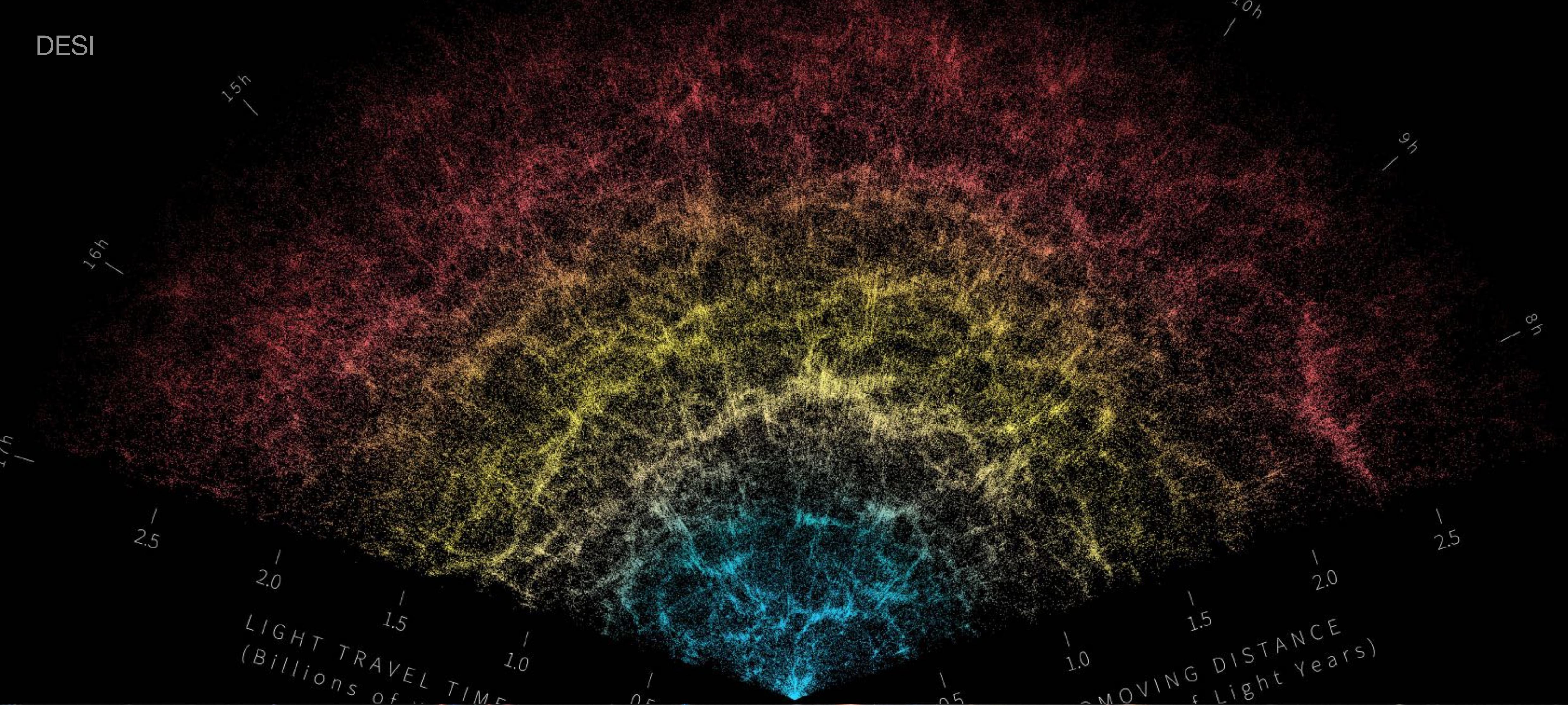
$$\begin{aligned}\delta_{\text{ct}}^{(3)}(a) = & \frac{D(a)^5 \partial_i \partial_j}{26} \left[ 3 \left( \frac{\partial_i \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(2)}}{\partial^2} \frac{\partial_j \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}}{\partial^2} + \frac{\partial_i \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}}{\partial^2} \frac{\partial_j \tilde{\delta}^{(2)}}{\partial^2} \right) \right. \\ & - \frac{3}{2} \delta_{ij} \left( \frac{\partial_k \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(2)}}{\partial^2} \frac{\partial_k \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}}{\partial^2} + \frac{\partial_k \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}}{\partial^2} \frac{\partial_k \tilde{\delta}^{(2)}}{\partial^2} \right) + 2 \left( \tilde{\pi}_{\text{ct},(2)}^i \tilde{\pi}_{(1)}^j + \tilde{\pi}_{\text{ct},(1)}^i \tilde{\pi}_{(2)}^j \right) \\ & \left. - 2 \tilde{\pi}_{\text{ct},(1)}^i \tilde{\pi}_{(1)}^j \tilde{\delta}^{(1)} - \tilde{\pi}_{(1)}^i \tilde{\pi}_{(1)}^j \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)} + \frac{1}{k_{\text{NL}}^2} \tilde{\tau}_{\text{ct},(3)}^{ij} \right],\end{aligned}$$

**lower-order counterterms  
must appear consistently**

**vorticity generated,  
contributes to DM at  
3rd order**

$$\omega_{(2)}^i \sim \epsilon^{ijk} \partial_j \partial_l \tau_{(2)}^{lk}$$

DESI



dark matter at two loops

# two-loop DM power spectrum

$$\langle \delta(\vec{k})\delta(\vec{k}') \rangle = (2\pi)^3 \delta_D(\vec{k} + \vec{k}') P(k)$$

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$$\delta = \delta_{\text{no-}ct} + \delta_{ct}$$

$$\delta_{\text{no-}ct} = \delta^{(1)} + \dots + \delta^{(5)}$$

$$\delta_{ct} = \delta_{ct}^{(1)} + \delta_{ct}^{(2)} + \delta_{ct}^{(3)}$$

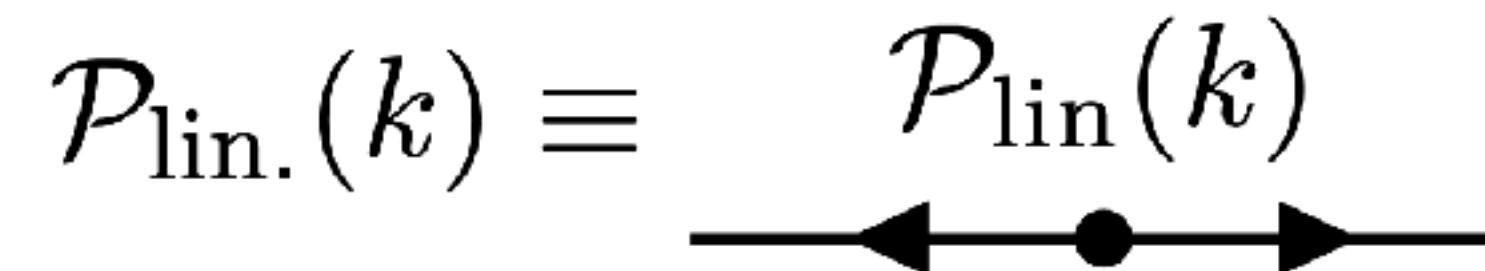
$$P(k) = P_{\text{no-}ct}(k) + P_{ct}(k)$$

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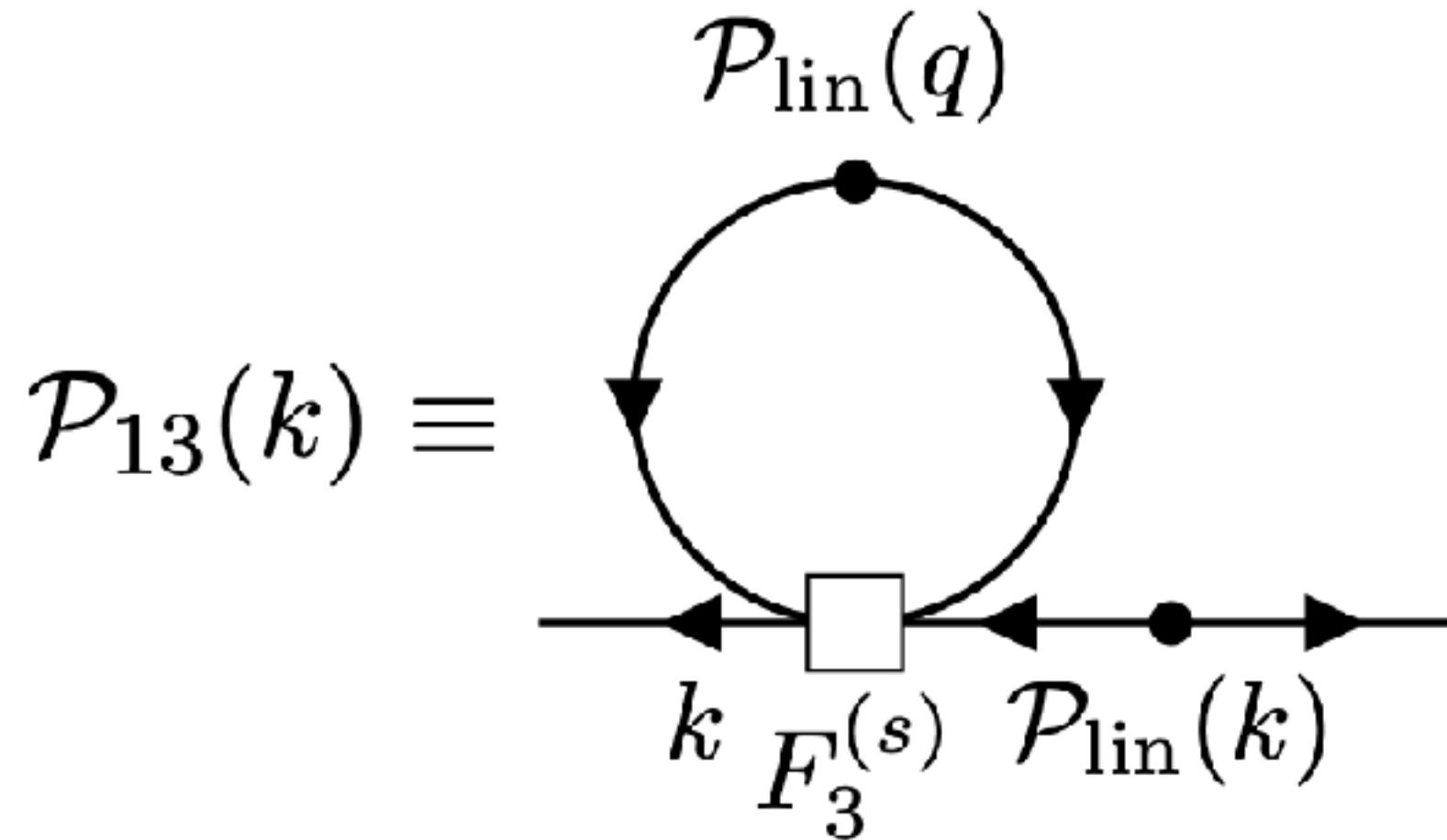
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$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{no-}ct}(k) = \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) + \mathcal{P}_{\text{1-loop}}(k) + \mathcal{P}_{\text{2-loop}}(k)$$

## linear power spectrum/propagator

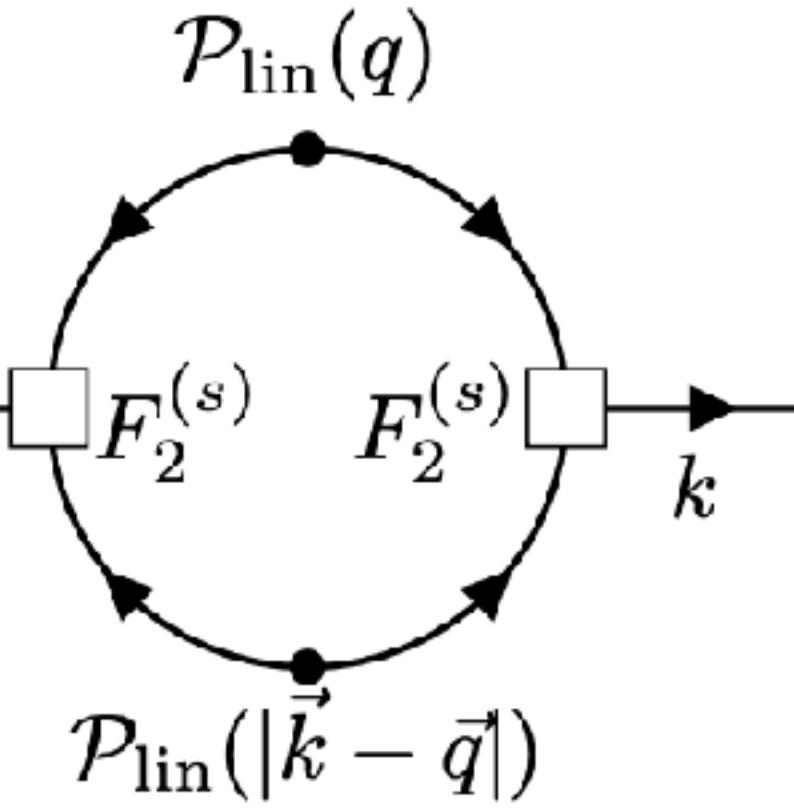


## one-loop power spectrum



$$p_{22}(\vec{k}, \vec{q}) = 2 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|) \left[ F_2(\vec{q}, \vec{k} - \vec{q}) \right]^2,$$

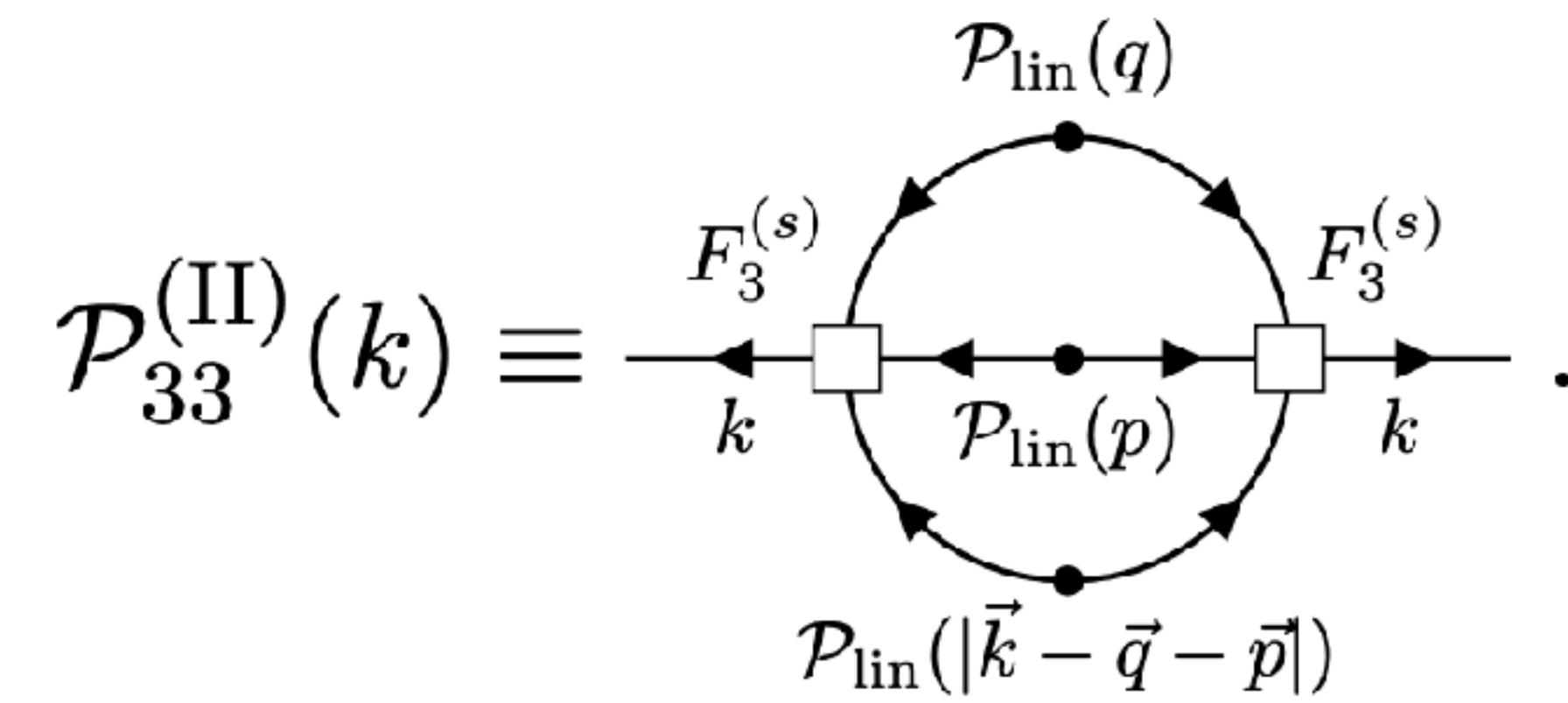
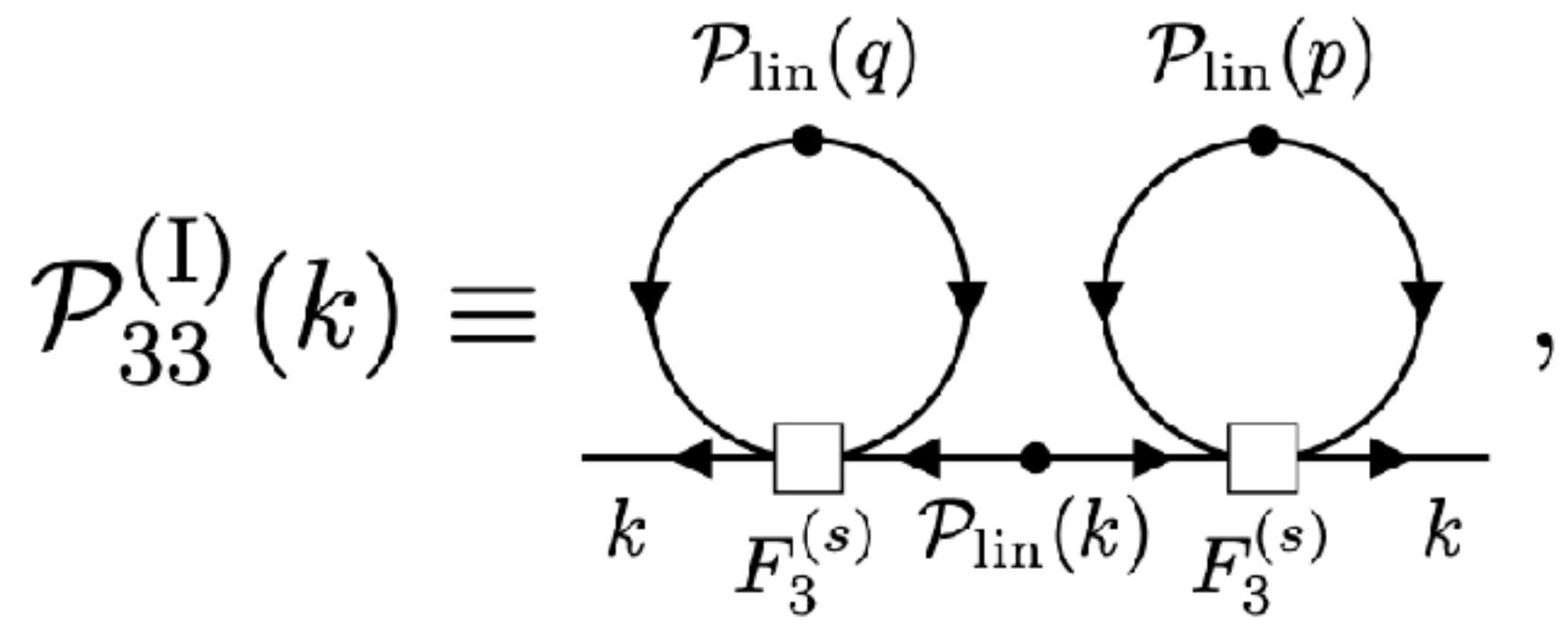
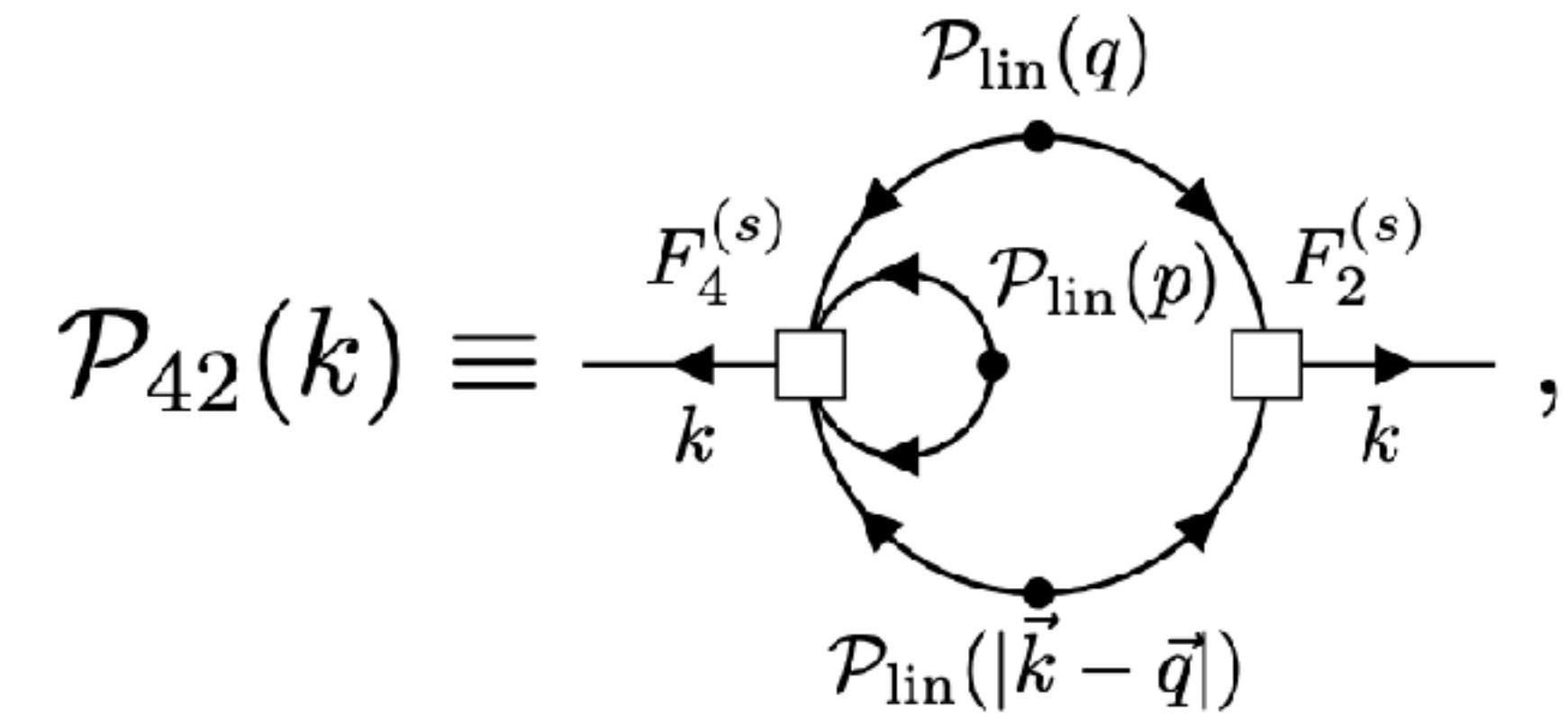
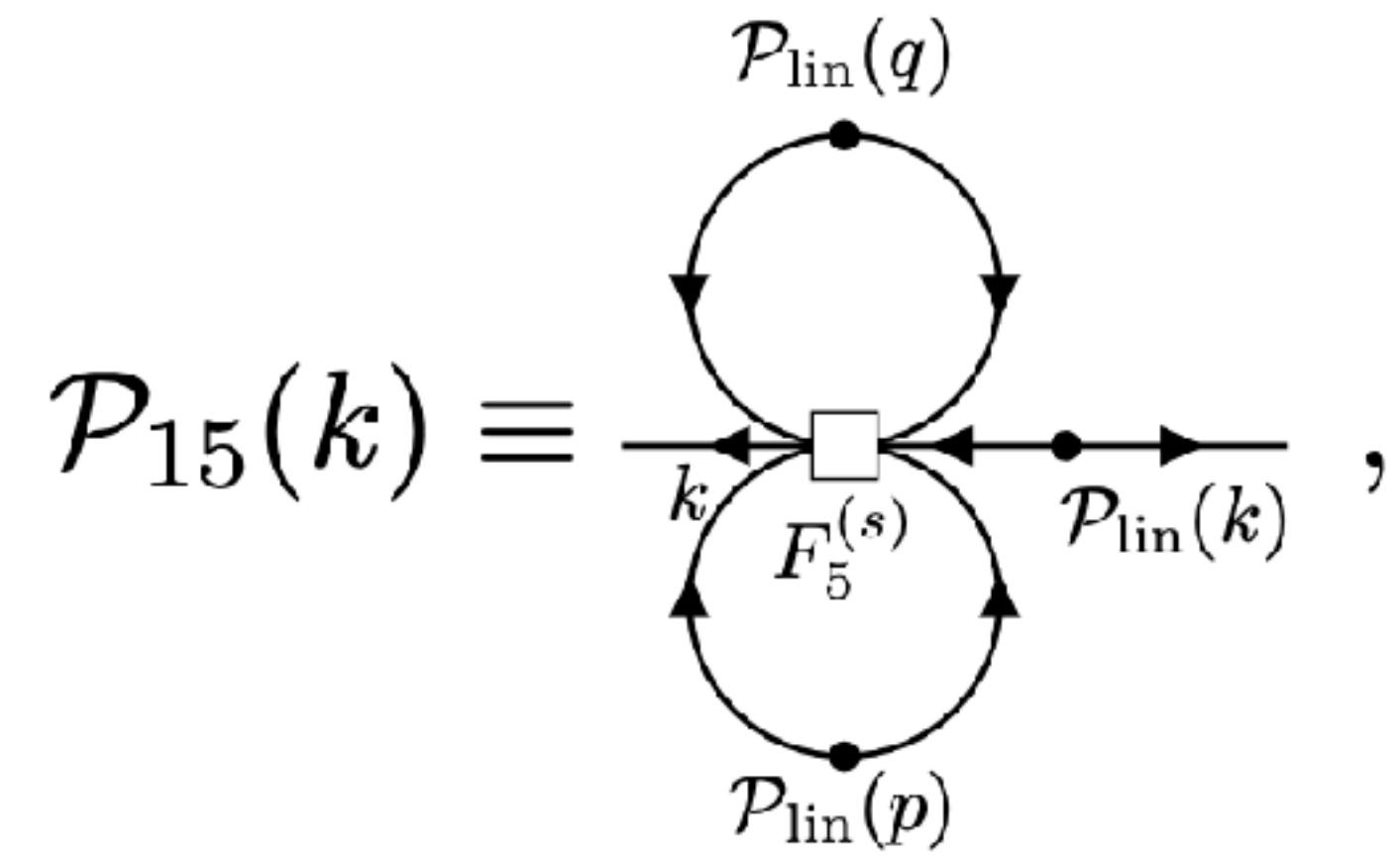
$$p_{13}(\vec{k}, \vec{q}) = 6 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) F_3(\vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{k}).$$



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$$p_{15}(\vec{k}, \vec{p}, \vec{q}) = 30 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p) F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}),$$

$$\begin{aligned} p_{42}(\vec{k}, \vec{p}, \vec{q}) &= 24 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|) \\ &\quad \times F_2(\vec{q}, \vec{k} - \vec{q}) F_4(-\vec{q}, \vec{q} - \vec{k}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}), \end{aligned}$$

$$p_{33}^{(\text{I})}(\vec{k}, \vec{p}, \vec{q}) = 9 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p) F_3(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}) F_3(-\vec{k}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}),$$

$$\begin{aligned} p_{33}^{(\text{II})}(\vec{k}, \vec{p}, \vec{q}) &= 6 \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(|\vec{k} - \vec{q} - \vec{p}|) \\ &\quad \times F_3(\vec{q}, \vec{p}, \vec{k} - \vec{q} - \vec{p}) F_3(-\vec{q}, -\vec{p}, -\vec{k} + \vec{q} + \vec{p}). \end{aligned}$$

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## counterterm diagrams

$$\mathcal{P}_{13}^{\text{ct}}(k, a) = 2D(a)^4 \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' ,$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{15}^{\text{ct}}(k, a) = 2D(a)^6 \left( \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(3)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' + \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\partial^2 \text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' \right) ,$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{33}^{\text{ct}}(k, a) = D(a)^6 \left( 2 \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(3)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' + \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' \right) ,$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{42}^{\text{ct}}(k, a) = 2D(a)^6 \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(2)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(2)}(\vec{k}') \rangle' ,$$

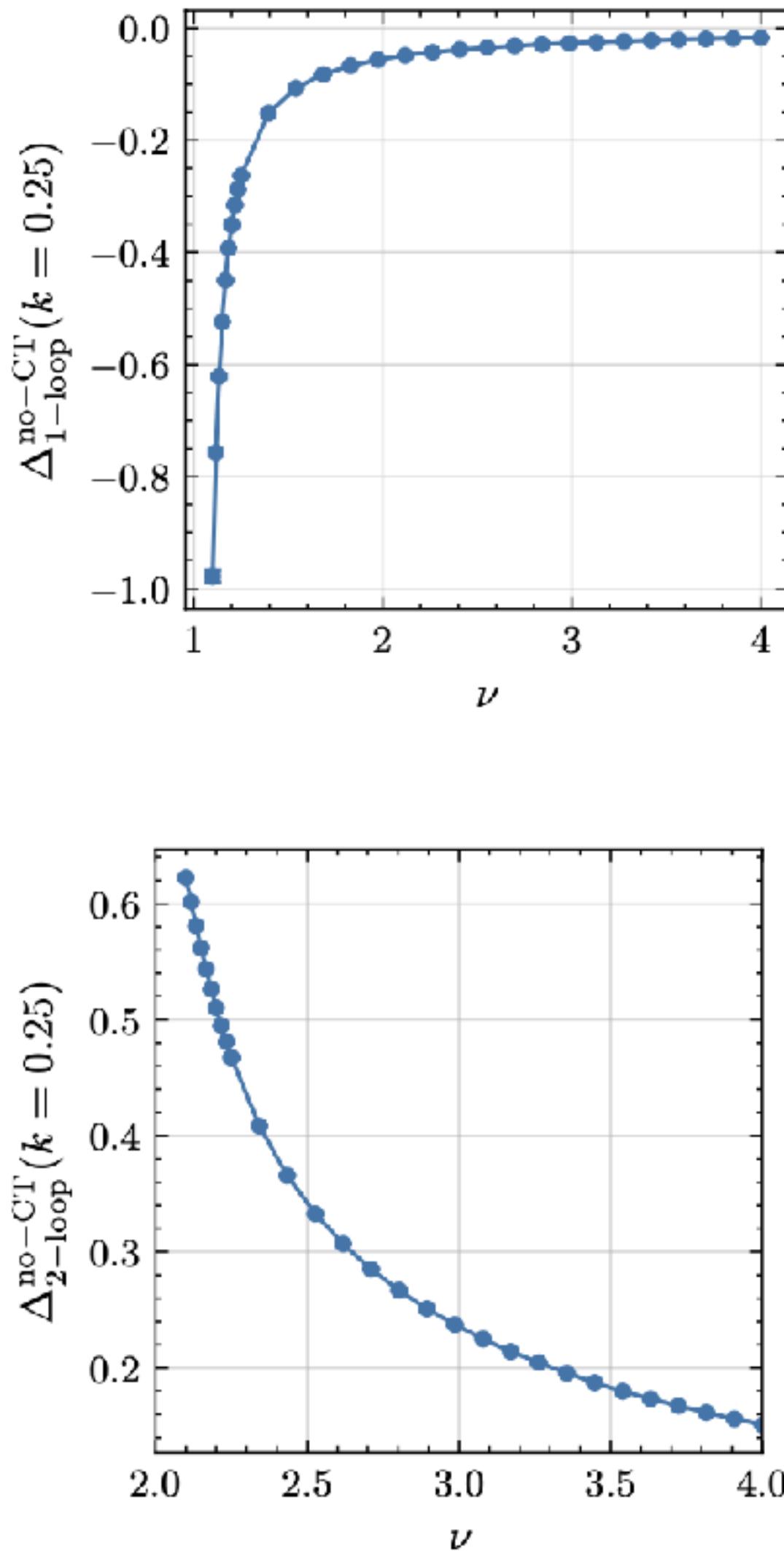
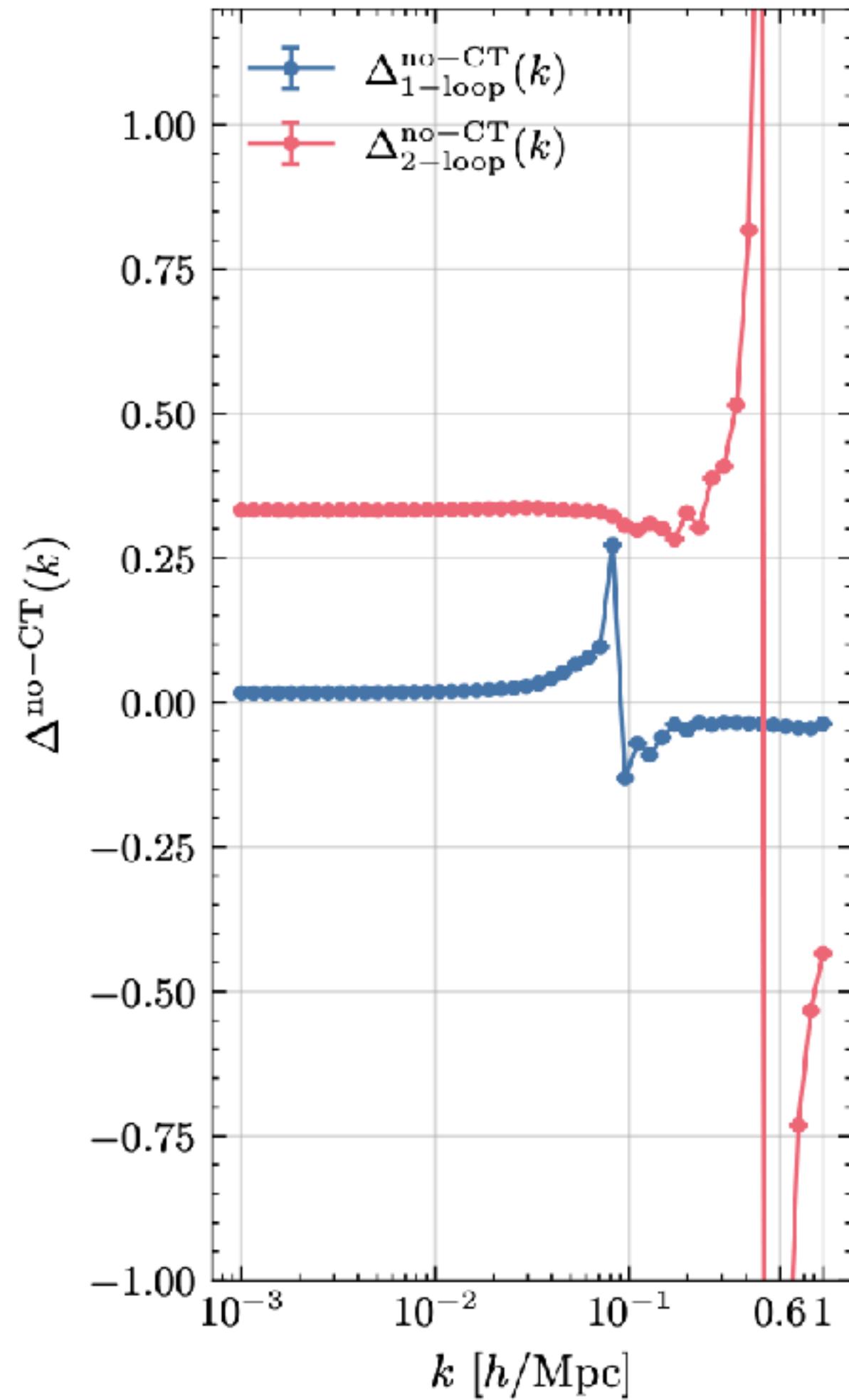
**in terms of 18  
EFT coefficients  
in  $\tau^{ij}$  we found  
before**

**after contractions, 8 independent EFT coefficients**

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## UV regulation and renormalization



measure contribution  
from UV

$$\Delta_{n\text{-loop}} = \frac{\int_{1.3}^{\infty} p_{n\text{-loop}}^{\text{no-ct}}}{\int_0^{\infty} p_{n\text{-loop}}^{\text{no-ct}}}$$

not UV divergent, but  
slightly UV dependent

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k; \nu) &= \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \theta(q_{UV} - k) \\ &+ \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q_{UV}) \left(\frac{q_{UV}}{k}\right)^{\nu} \theta(k - q_{UV}). \end{aligned}$$

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## UV regulation and renormalization one loop

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(q) \\ \text{---} \circ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \square \text{---} \quad \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(k) \\ k \quad F_3^{(s)} \end{array} = \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(q) \\ \text{---} \circ \text{---} \\ \text{---} \times \text{---} \quad \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(k) \\ k \quad F_3^{(s), \text{UV-reg.}} \end{array} + \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(q) \\ \text{---} \circ \text{---} \\ q_\infty \quad -q_\infty \\ k \quad \text{---} \quad \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(k) \\ \text{---} \quad 1 \quad \text{---} \\ F_3^{(s), \text{UV}} \end{array}$$

**UV regulated**      **UV limit**

$$\begin{array}{c} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(q) \\ \text{---} \circ \text{---} \\ q_\infty \quad -q_\infty \\ k \quad \text{---} \quad \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(k) \\ \text{---} \quad 1 \quad \text{---} \\ F_3^{(s), \text{UV}} \end{array} = C_{13}(M) k^2 \begin{array}{c} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin}}(k) \\ \text{---} \bullet \text{---} \end{array},$$

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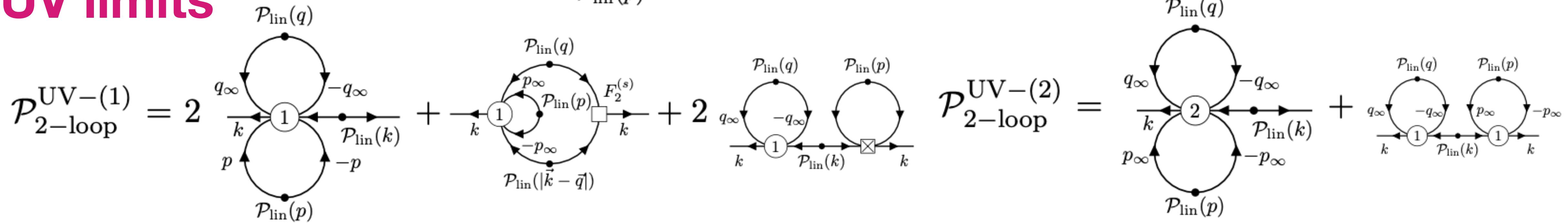
## UV regulation and renormalization

### two loops

$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{2-loop}} = \mathcal{P}_{\text{2-loop}}^{\text{UV-reg.}} + \mathcal{P}_{\text{2-loop}}^{\text{UV-}(1)} + \mathcal{P}_{\text{2-loop}}^{\text{UV-}(2)}$$

**regulated, locally  
UV finite**

**UV limits**



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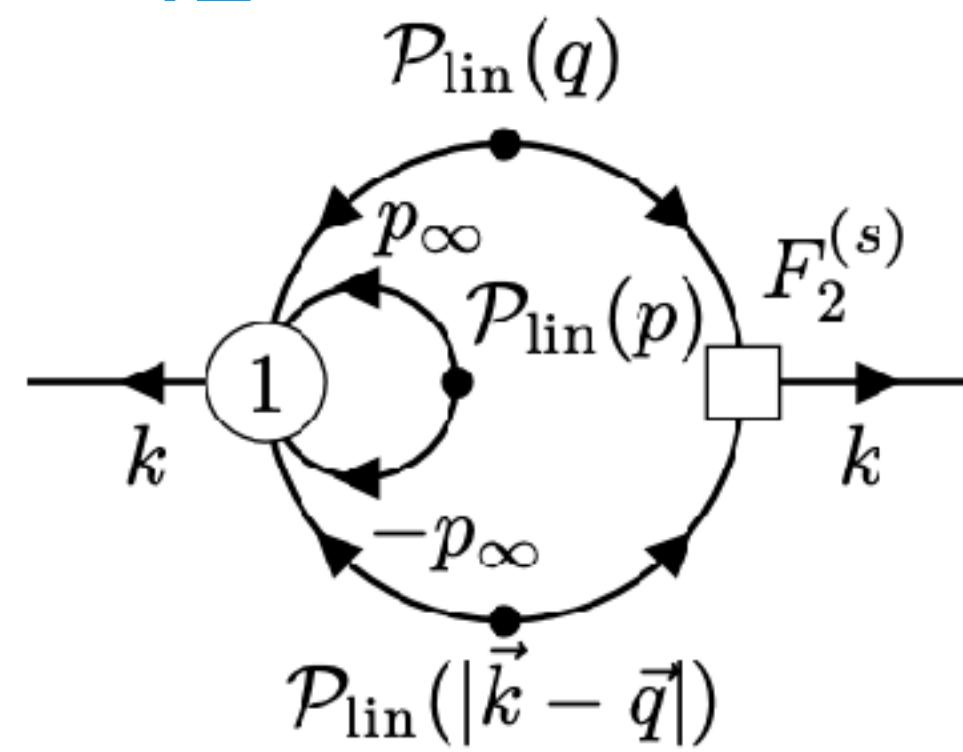
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## UV regulation and renormalization

### local UV subtractions in the integrand

$$p_{\text{2-loop}}^{\text{UV-reg}} = p_{\text{2-loop}} - \mathcal{R}_{1-\text{UV}}[p_{\text{2-loop}}] - \mathcal{R}_{2-\text{UV}}[p_{\text{2-loop}} - \mathcal{R}_{1-\text{UV}}[p_{\text{2-loop}}]]$$

$P_{42}$  eg.



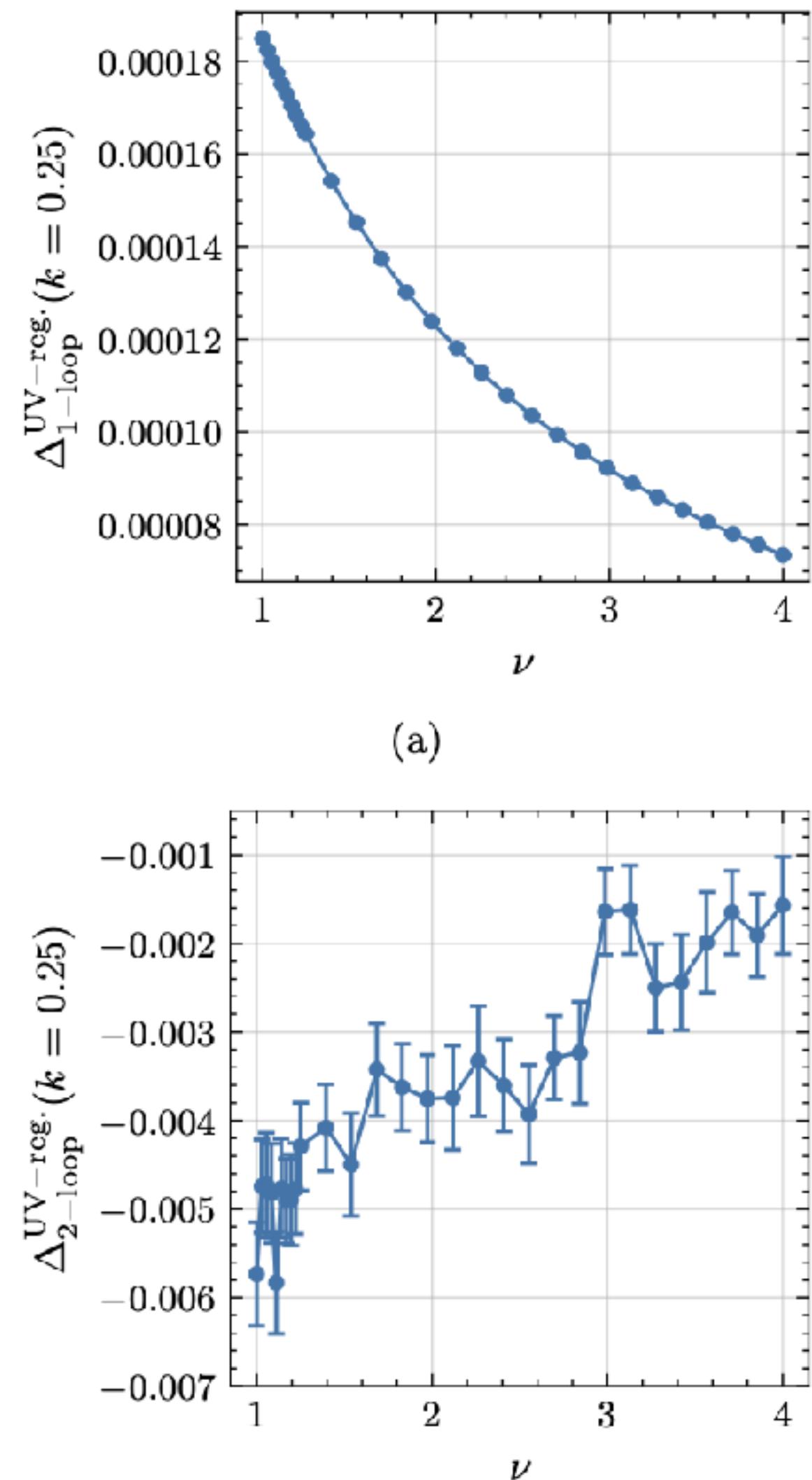
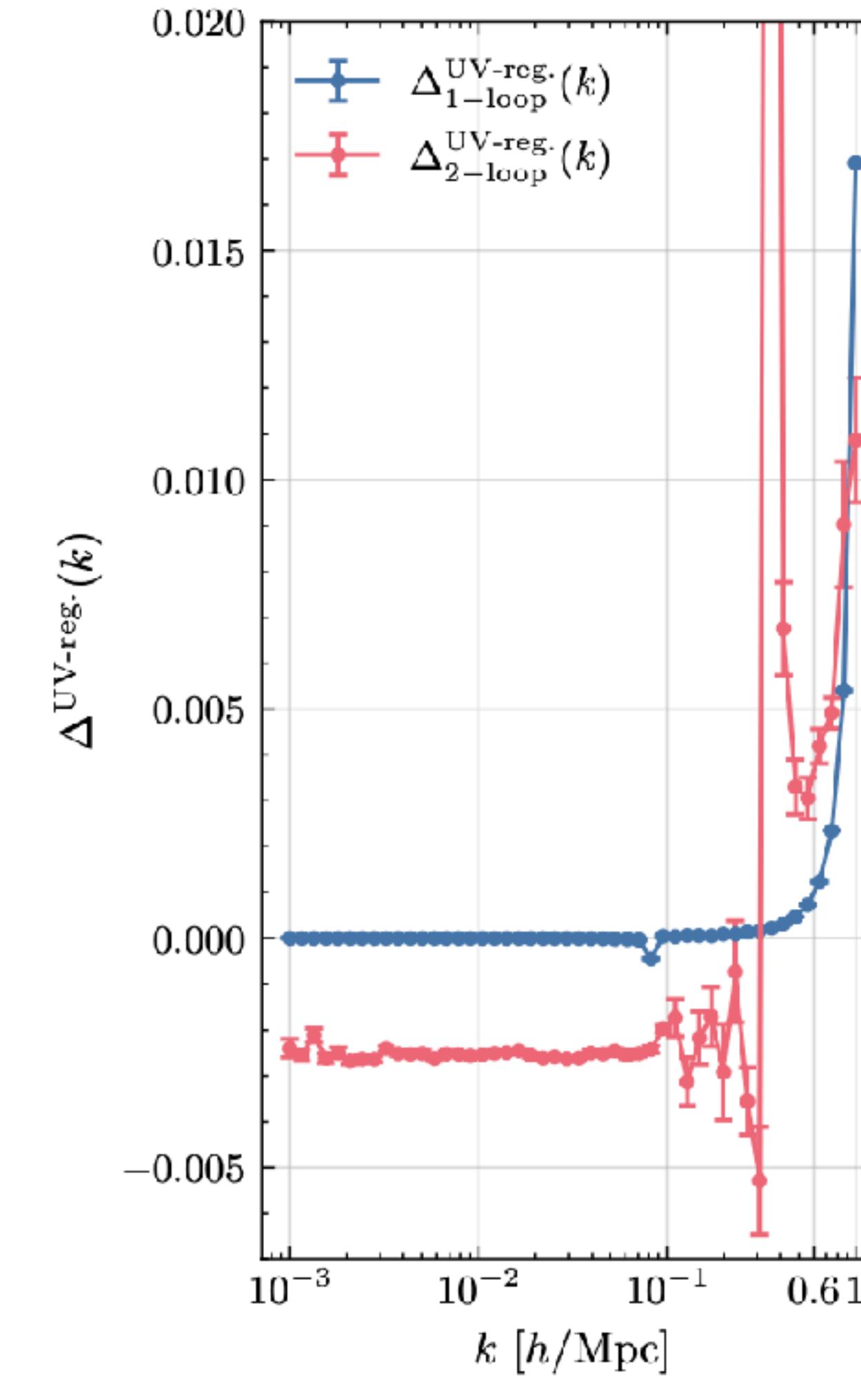
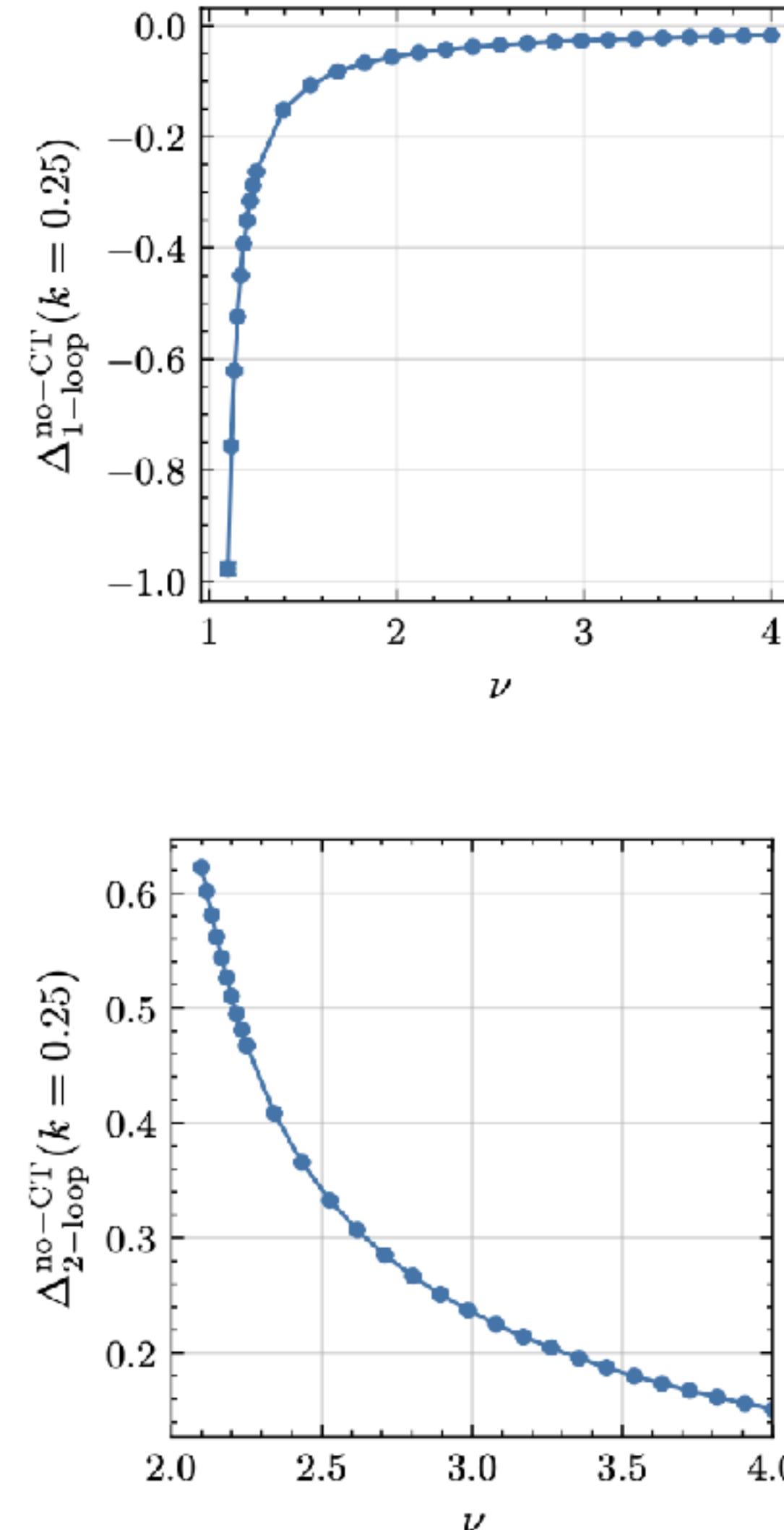
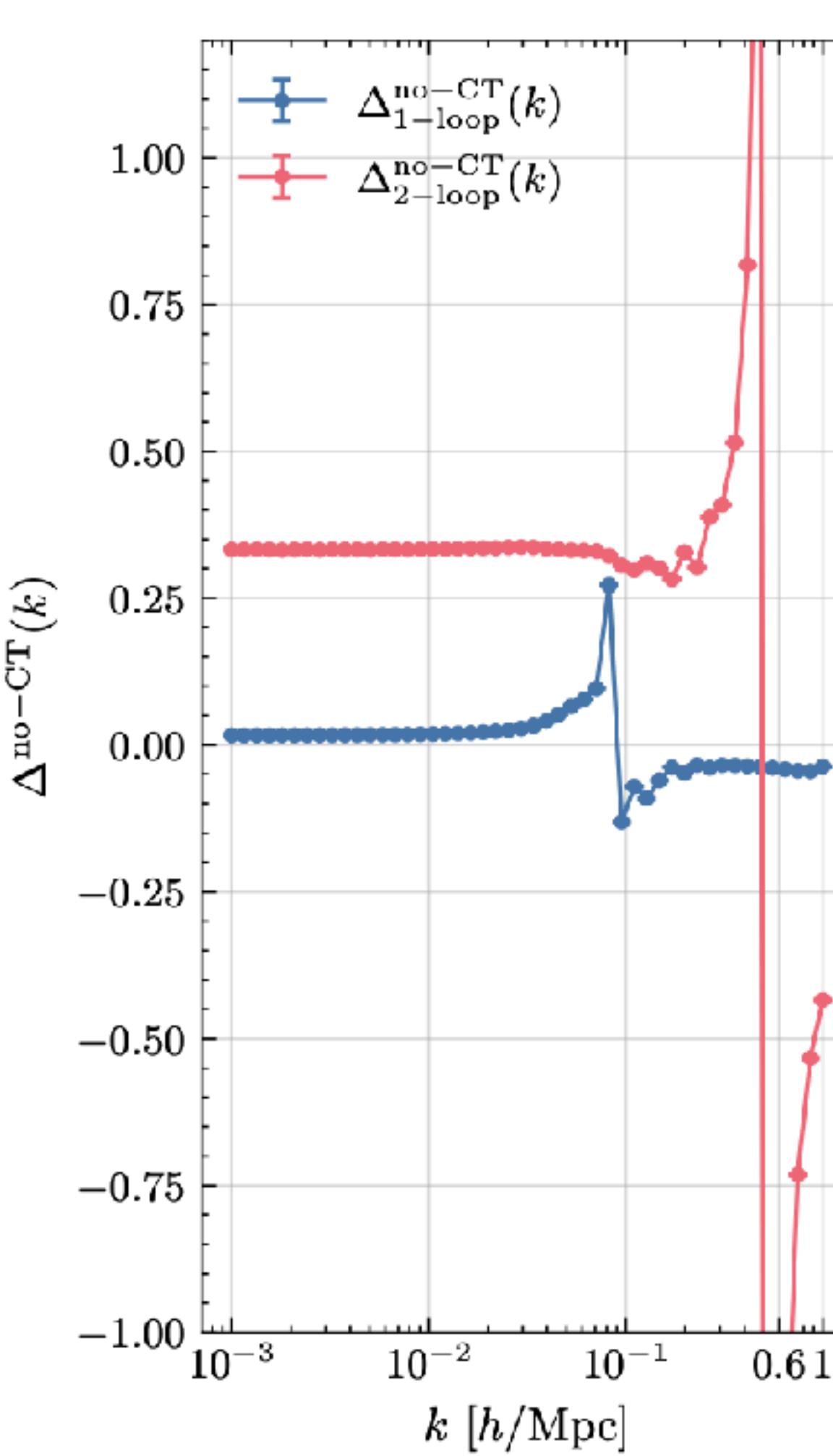
$$\begin{aligned} &= \left( \int_{\vec{p}} \frac{\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p)}{p^2} f_{\text{screen}}(p^2) \right) \int_{\vec{q}} \frac{\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|) F_2(\vec{q}, \vec{k} - \vec{q})}{169785 q^2 |\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2} \times \\ &\quad \times (48096 (\vec{k} \cdot \vec{q})^3 + (16892 k^2 - 48096 q^2) (\vec{k} \cdot \vec{q})^2 + \\ &\quad + (-32879 (k^2)^2 + 35744 q^2 k^2) (\vec{k} \cdot \vec{q}) - 25933 q^2 (k^2)^2 + 6176 (q^2)^2 k^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$f_{\text{screen}}(q^2) = \theta(q^2 - (0.6 h/\text{Mpc})^2)$$

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**UV sensitive**



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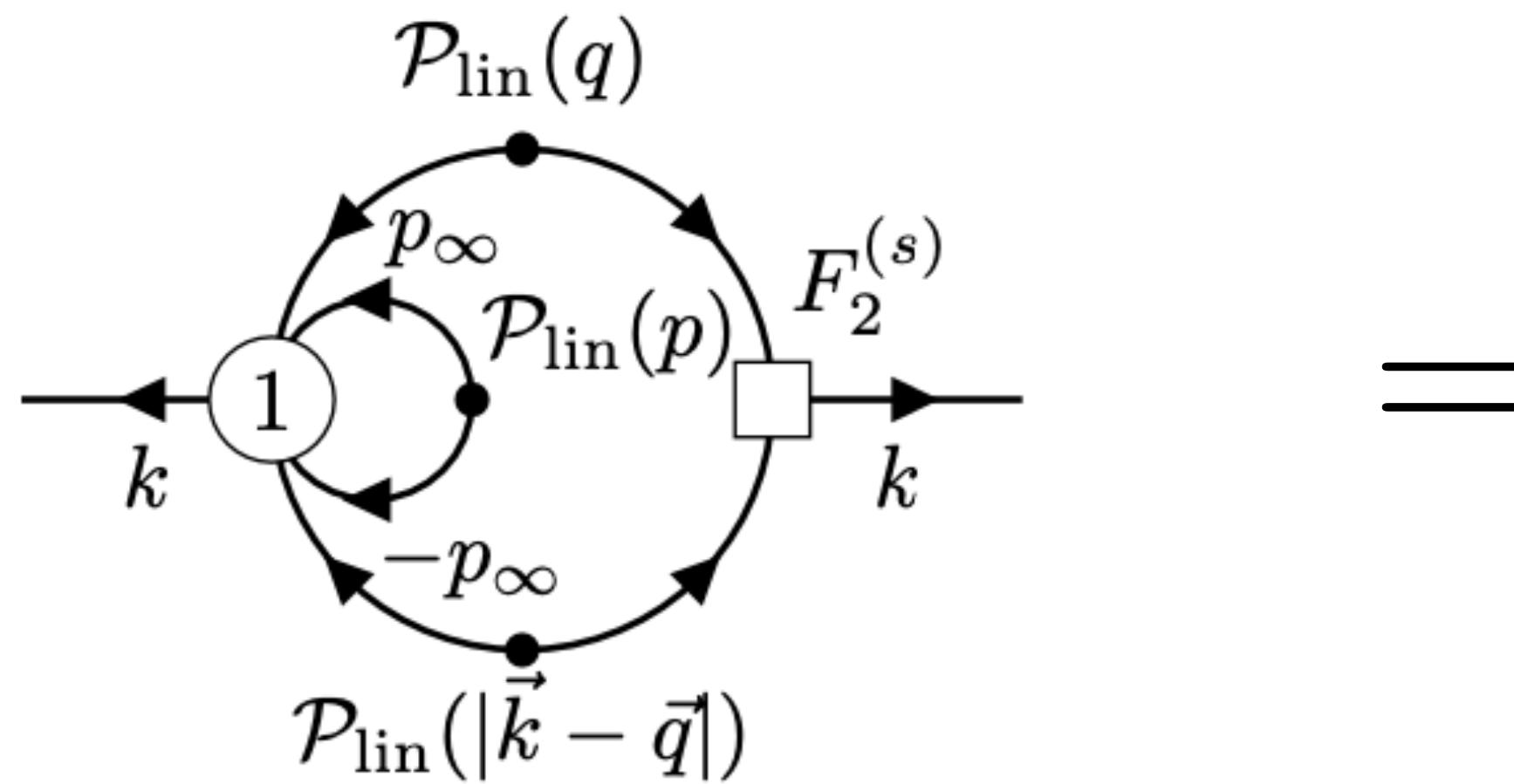
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## UV matching

**every UV divergence should be  
cancelled by an EFT counterterm**

eg. UV limit of  $P_{42}$

**determines 4 EFT  
coefficients in  $\delta_{ct}^{(2)}$**



$$2 \langle \tilde{\delta}_{ct}^{(2)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(2)}(\vec{k}') \rangle$$

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## UV matching

**every UV divergence should be cancelled by an EFT counterterm**

similarly for  $P_{15}$

**determines 4 EFT coefficients**

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{Diagram 1: Two-loop Feynman diagram for } P_{15} \text{ with two external lines } k \text{ and } p_\infty. \\ \text{Diagram 2: Two-loop Feynman diagram for } P_{15} \text{ with two external lines } q_\infty \text{ and } p. \\ \text{Diagram 3: Two-loop Feynman diagram for } P_{15} \text{ with two external lines } -q_\infty \text{ and } -p. \end{array} + 2 = 2 \left( \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\text{ct}}^{(3)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle + \langle \tilde{\delta}_{\partial^2 \text{ct}}^{(1)}(\vec{k}) \tilde{\delta}^{(1)}(\vec{k}') \rangle \right)$$

**all 8 EFT coefficients  
are necessary and  
sufficient to cancel UV**

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**importance of EFT counterterms**

**how many of the 8 are needed for data?**

$$\theta^i = \{c_{\delta,1}, c_{\delta,2}, c_{\delta^2,1}, c_{r\delta,1}, c_{\delta,3}, c_{r\delta,2}, c_{r\delta^2,1}, c_{\partial^2\delta,1}\}$$

$$F_{ij} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^i \partial \theta^j} \sum_{n,m} \mathcal{P}(k_n) C^{-1}(k_n, k_m) \mathcal{P}(k_m) \Big|_{\theta=0}$$

**diagonalizing**

$$D^{-1/2} \approx \{0.03, 0.08, 0.25, 14, 180, 590, 14000, 27000\}$$

**so a DESI-size survey would  
determine 3 parameters well**

**Fisher matrix,  
DESI-size covariance**

previous works have used only 3/4 EFT coefficients, tested UV sensitivity numerically (but integrals are actually convergent)

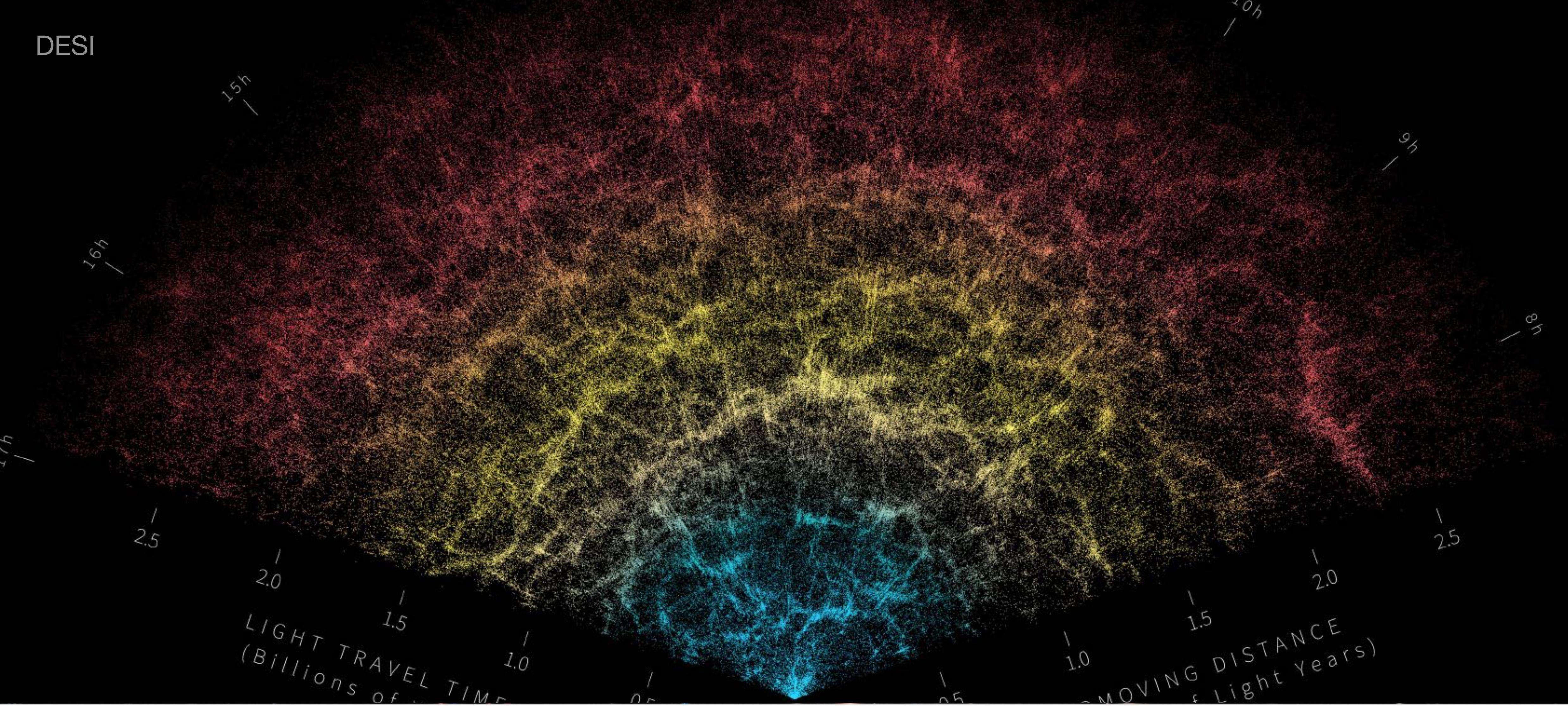
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# EFT counterterms

$P_{42}$  diagram  
~ 20x more terms  
than counterterms

DESI



integration

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## IR limits

**IR divergences cancel between diagrams  
because of the equiv. principle and Galilean  
invariance**

**but this can be a problem when numerically  
computing diagrams separately**

**particularly difficult when IR divergences are  
located at different points in integration  
domain**

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## IR limits

e.g.  $P_{22}$

divergence for  $\vec{q} \rightarrow 0$  and  $\vec{k} - \vec{q} \rightarrow 0$

can use partition of unity

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{P}_{22}(k) &= \int_{\vec{q}} p_{22}(\vec{q}, \vec{k}) = \int_{\vec{q}} \frac{p_{22}(\vec{q}, \vec{k}) (|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2)^2}{(q^2)^2 + (|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2)^2} + \int_{\vec{q}} \frac{p_{22}(\vec{q}, \vec{k}) (q^2)^2}{(q^2)^2 + (|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2)^2} \\ &= 2 \int_{\vec{q}} \frac{p_{22}(\vec{q}, \vec{k}) (|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2)^2}{(q^2)^2 + (|\vec{k} - \vec{q}|^2)^2}\end{aligned}$$

now only divergence for  $\vec{q} \rightarrow 0$ , which is actually numerically finite because of the integration measure

now we have IR and UV finite integrals at the level of the integrands

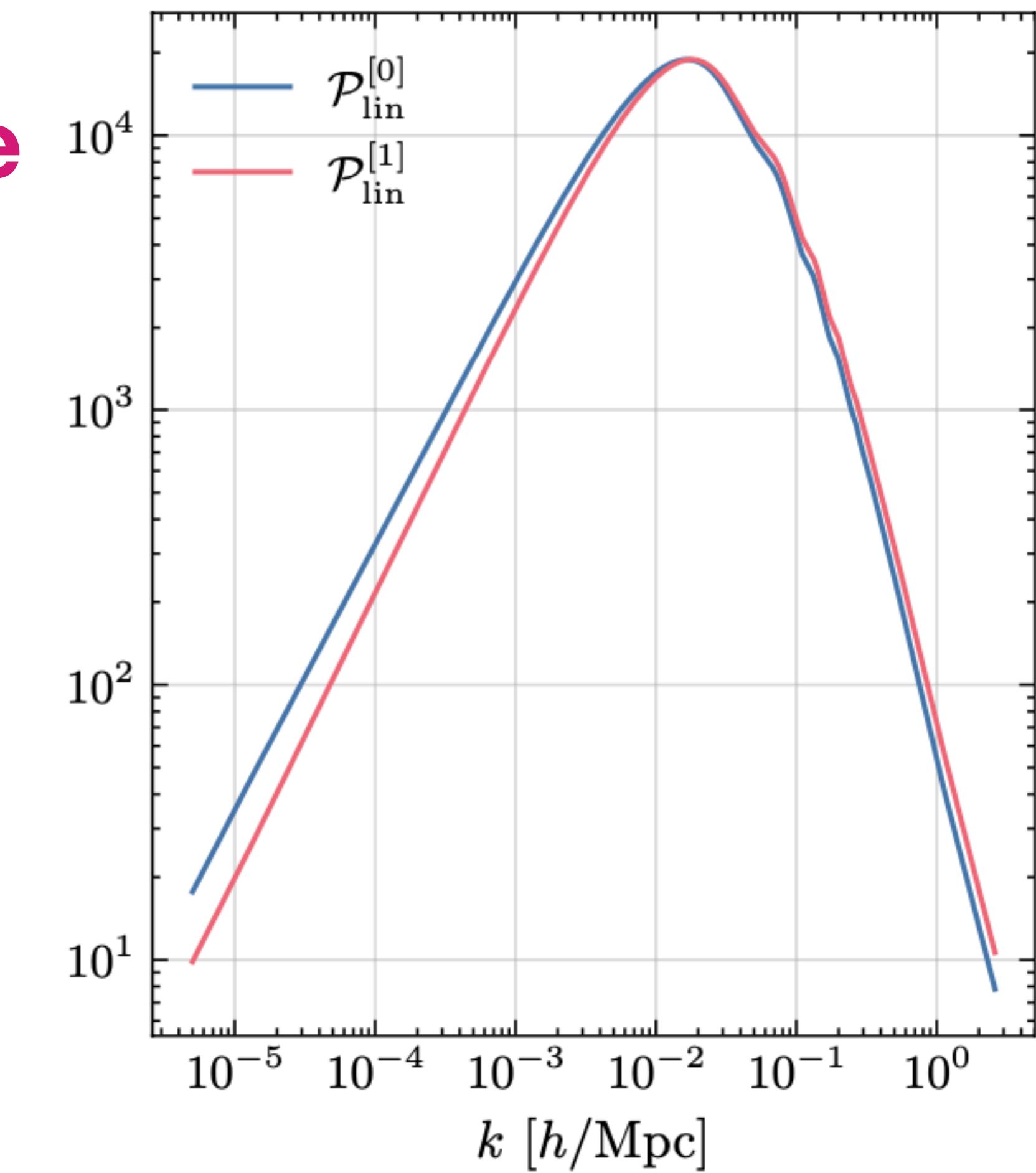
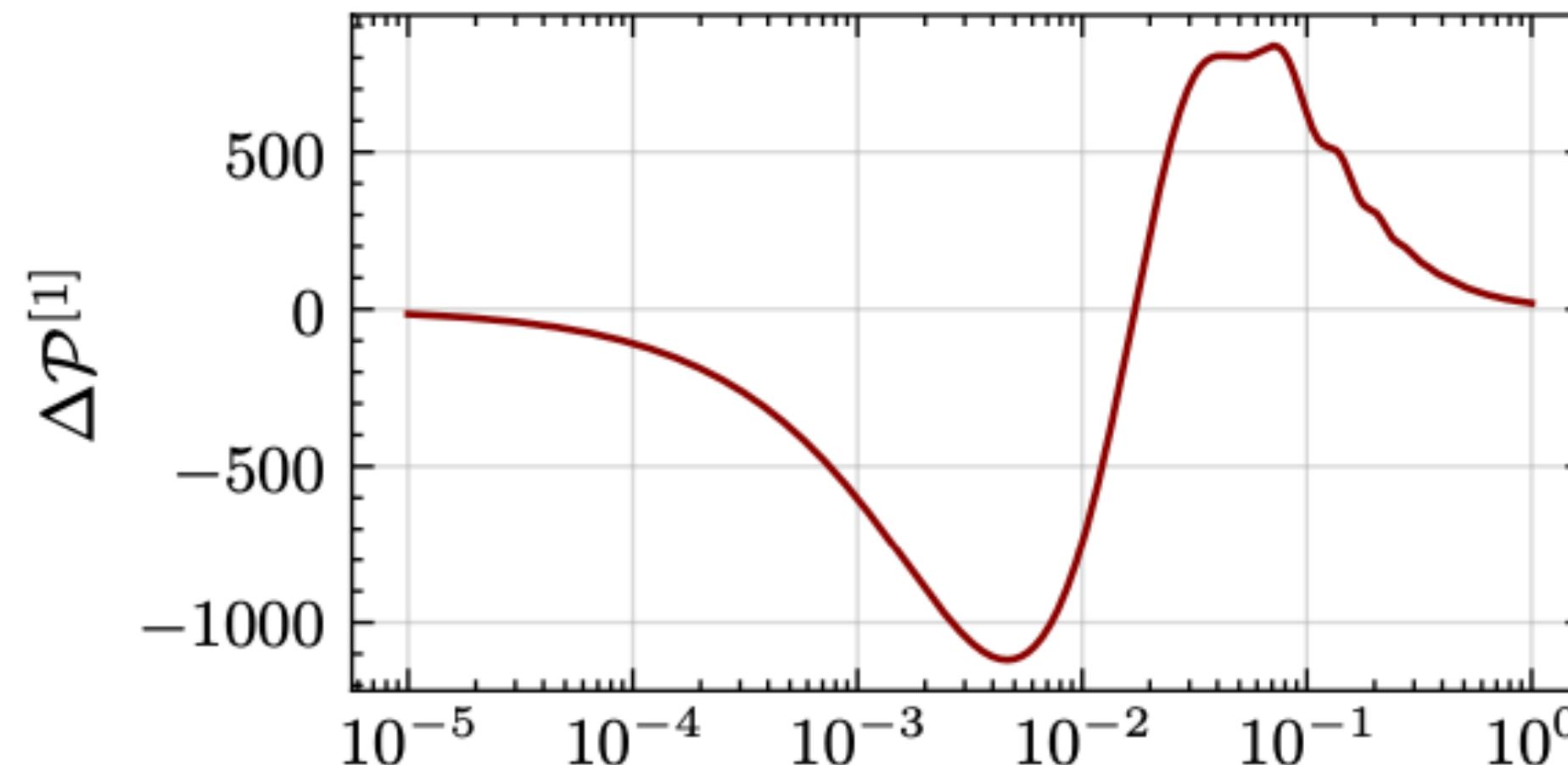
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## integration strategy

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- use Monte Carlo integration for a base cosmology and do loops numerically
- for a general cosmology, expand the difference in a convenient basis

$$\Delta \mathcal{P}^{[j]}(k) = \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{[j]}(k) - \mathcal{N}^{[j]} \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{[0]}(k)$$



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integration strategy

decompose each linear power  
spectrum difference

$$\Delta\mathcal{P}^{[j]}(k) = \sum_i c_i^{[j]} \frac{(k/k_0)^{\alpha_i}}{\left(1 + \frac{k^2 - k_{peak}^2}{k_{UV}^2}\right)^{\beta_i}}$$

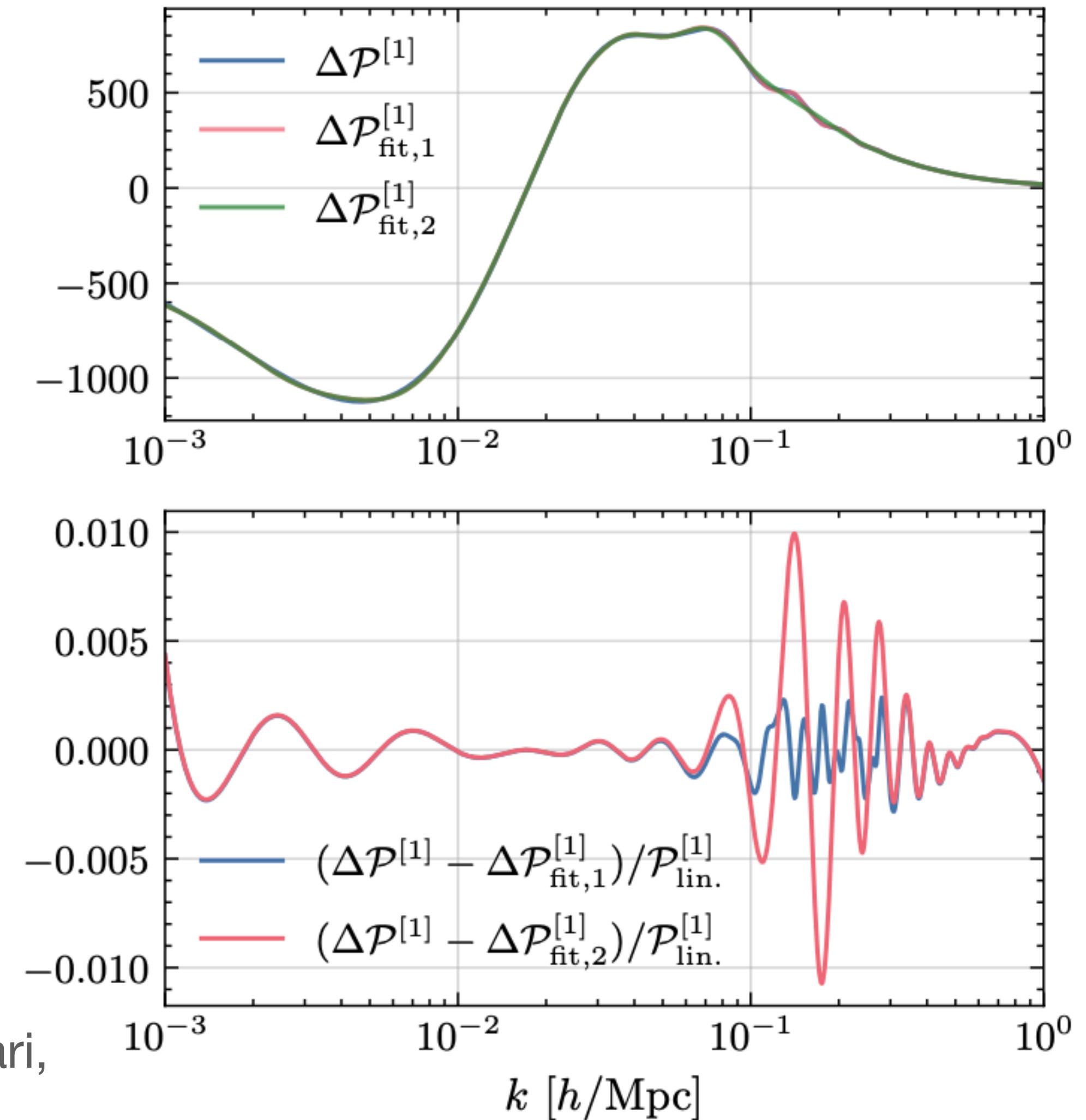
cosmology  
dependent

fixed basis,  
~20 functions

COBRA uses singular  
value decomposition

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## integration strategy

now plug into integrals, eg.  $P_{15}$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{P}_{15}(k) &\propto \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \int_{\vec{p}, \vec{q}} F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(p) \\ &= \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \int_{\vec{p}, \vec{q}} F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}) (\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{\text{Planck}}(q) + \Delta\mathcal{P}(q)) (\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{\text{Planck}}(p) + \Delta\mathcal{P}(p)) \\ &\approx \mathcal{P}^{\text{Planck}}(k) + 2\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \int_{\vec{p}, \vec{q}} F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}) \Delta\mathcal{P}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{\text{Planck}}(p) + \dots\end{aligned}$$

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## integration strategy

now plug into integrals, eg.  $P_{15}$

$$\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \int_{\vec{p}, \vec{q}} F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}) \Delta \mathcal{P}(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{\text{Planck}}(p) =$$

$$\sum_i c_i \boxed{\mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}(k) \int_{\vec{p}, \vec{q}} F_5(\vec{k}, \vec{q}, -\vec{q}, \vec{p}, -\vec{p}) f_i(q) \mathcal{P}_{\text{lin.}}^{\text{Planck}}(p)}$$

cosmology  
dependent

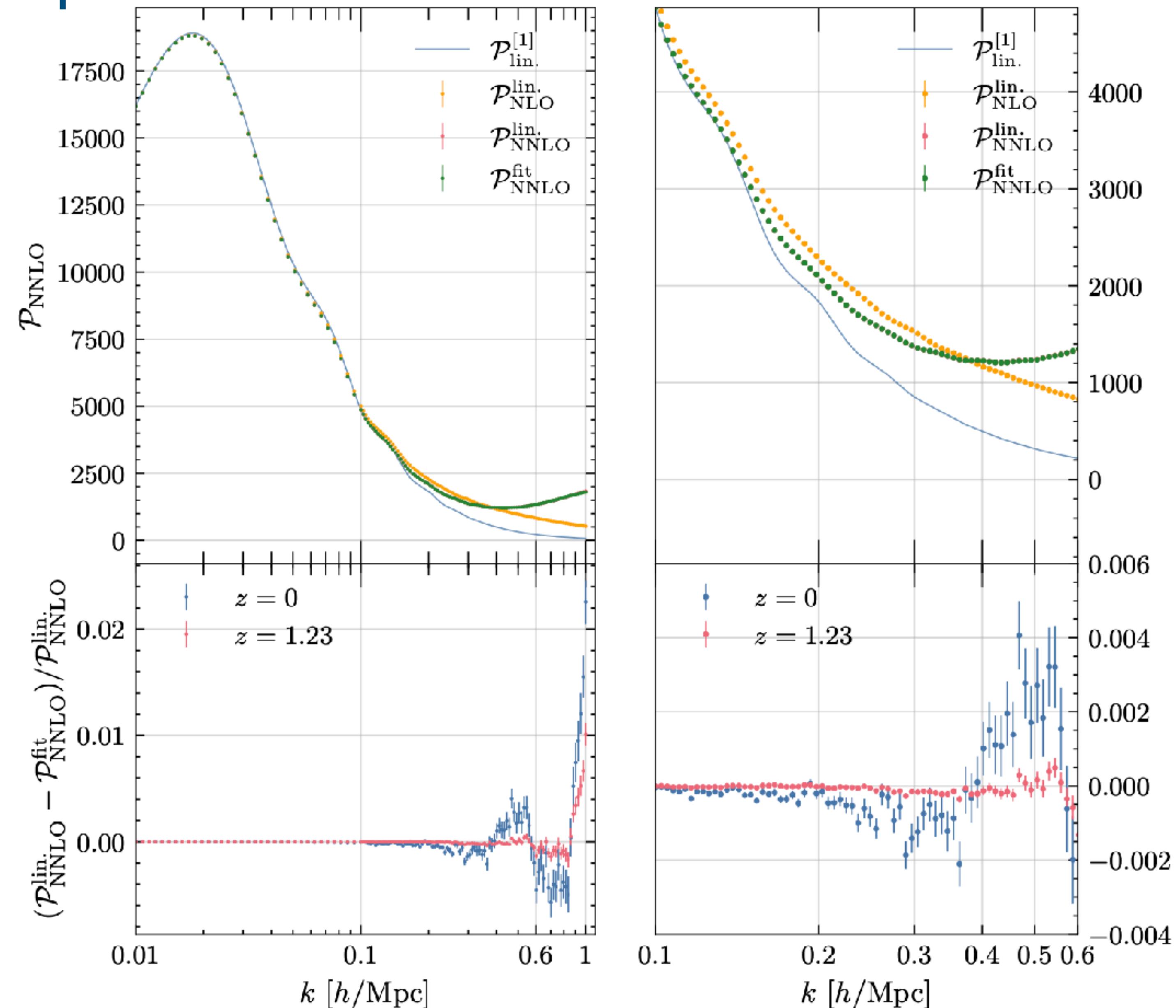
~ 3500 precomputed integrals total

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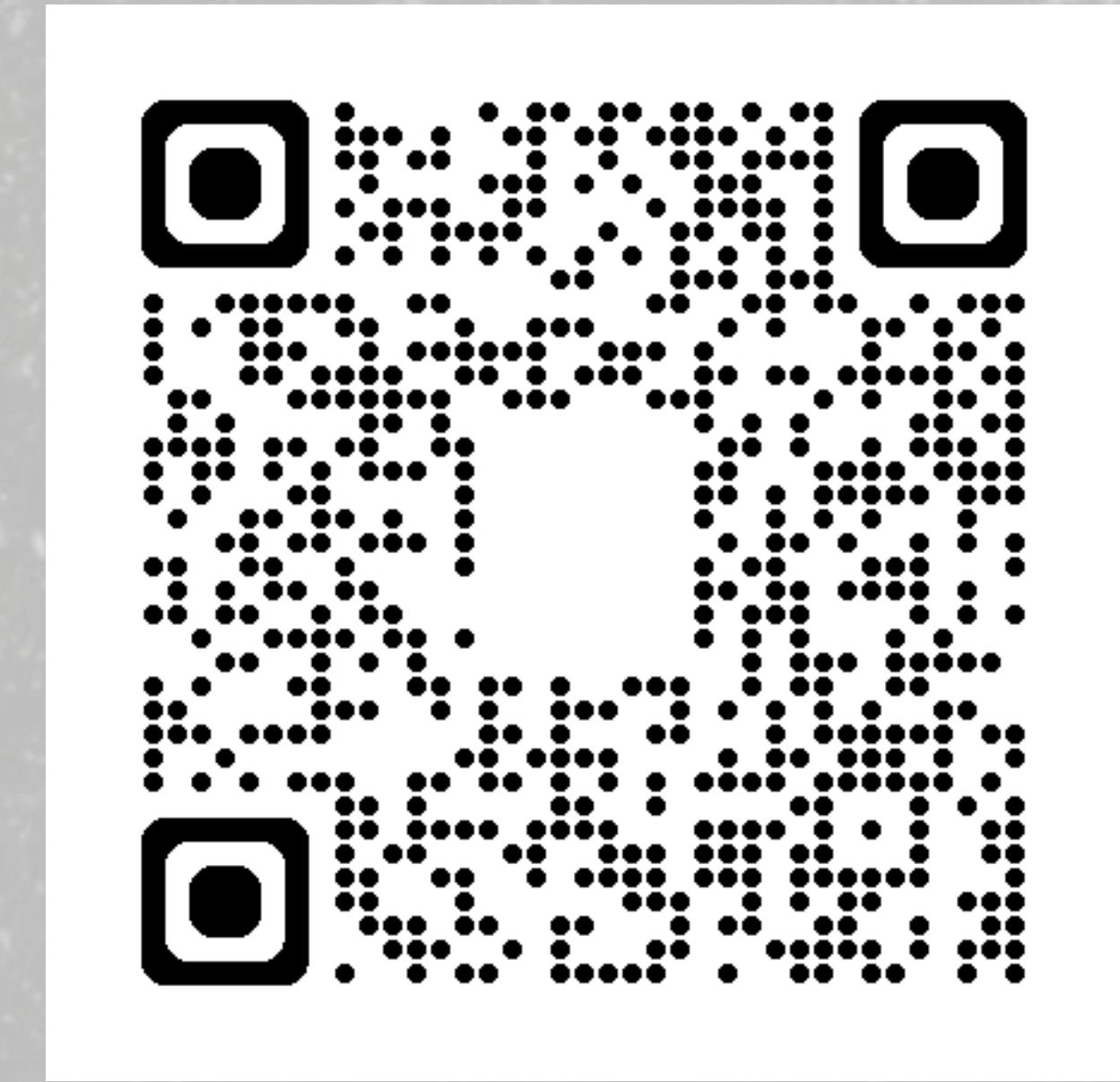
## results

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**Mathematica code to  
compute any  
cosmology and any EFT  
parameters in <1s**



exciting time for LSS!



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