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Cosmological Codes:

An Introduction to

Computational Cosmology

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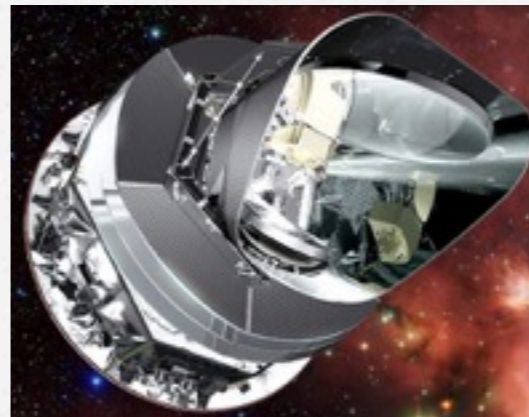


Outline:

- **Why we use need computer codes?**
- **Classification of Cosmological Codes**
- **CAMB code**
- **CosmoMC code**

WHY COMPUTER CODES?

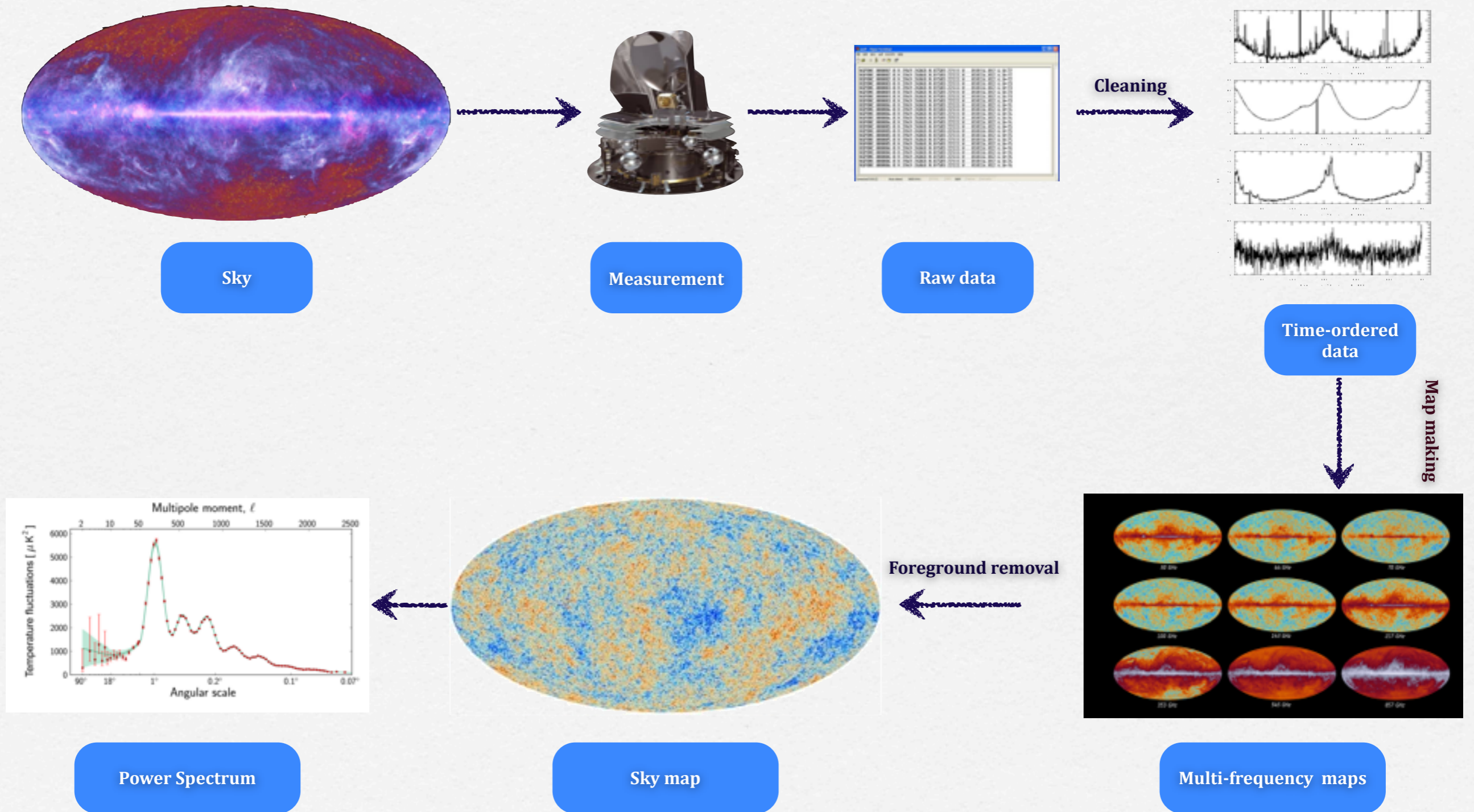
- Complexity of calculations
- Using observational data
- Time is valuable !



CLASSIFICATION

- **Map generation and processing codes**
- **Boltzmann codes**
- **Parameter estimator codes**

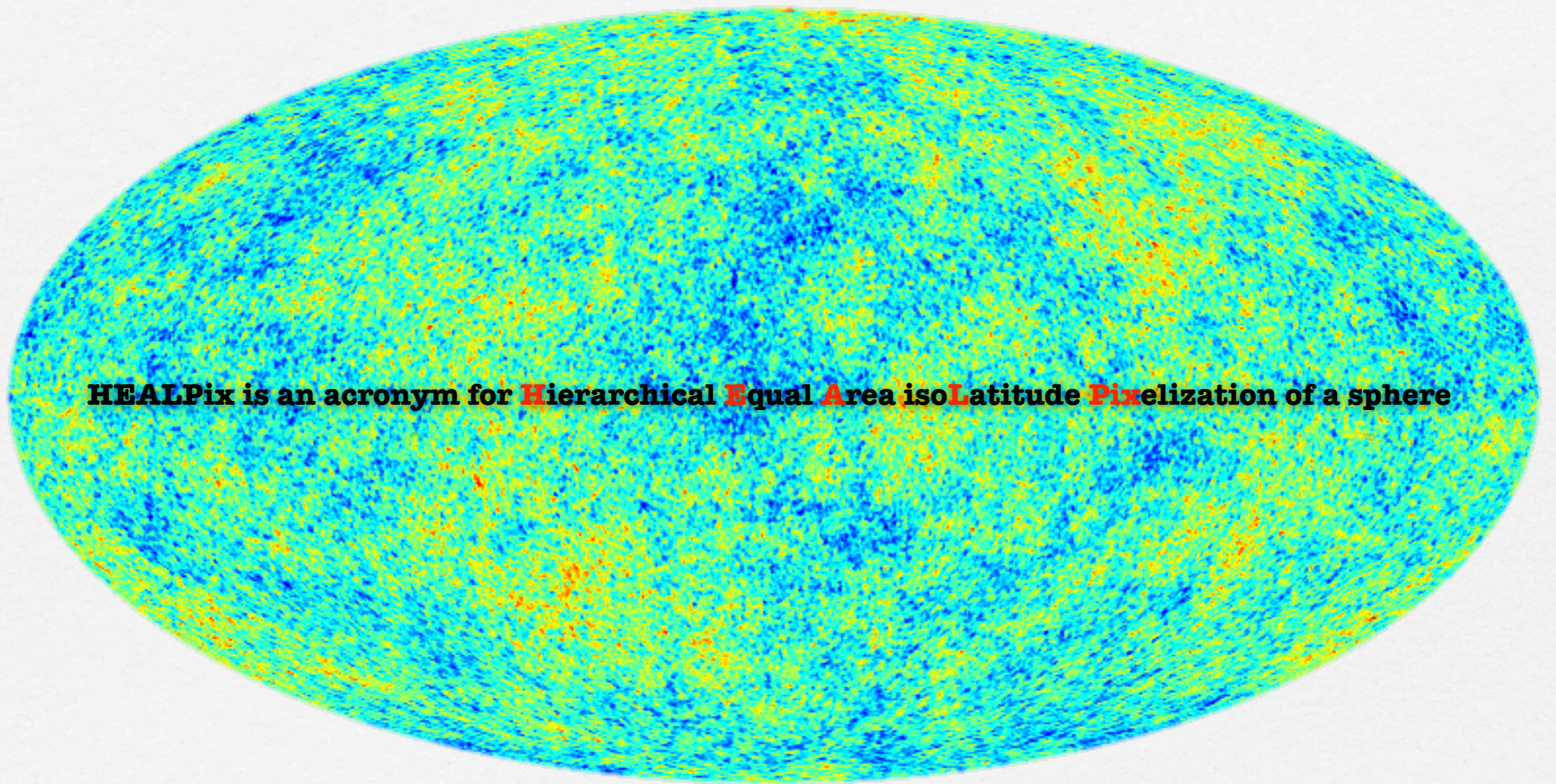
CMB DATA ANALYSIS



MAP GENERATION AND ANALYSIS

- **HEALPix**
- **GLESP**
- **Commander 2**
- **WeightMixer**

HEALPix



HEALPix is an acronym for **H**ierarchical **E**qual **A**rea **i**so**L**atitude **P**ixelization of a sphere

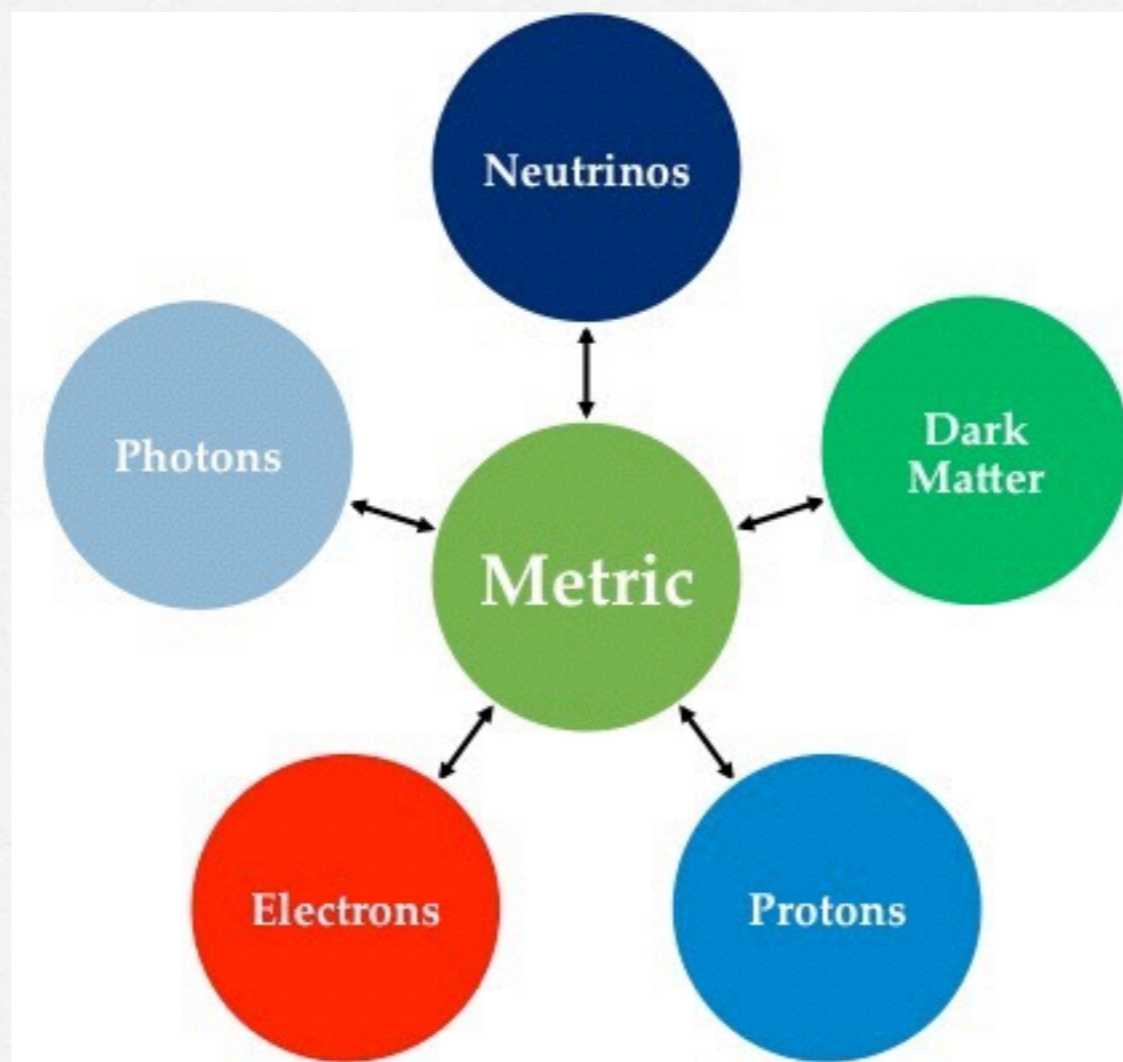
BOLTZMANN CODES

- **CAMB**
- **CMBEASY**
- **CLASS II**
- **CMBA_{ns}**
- **CosmoLib**
- **RECFAST**

INGREDIENTS FOR COSMIC SOUP

Boltzmann equation

$$\frac{df}{dt} = C[f]$$



REQUIRED PHYSICS

Einstein equ. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Psi \text{ Newtonian potential} \\ \Phi \text{ Spatial curvature} \end{array} \right.$

Boltzmann equ. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \Theta_T \text{ Photon temperature fluctuation} \\ \Theta_P \text{ Photon polarization fluctuation} \end{array} \right.$

Euler/continuity equ. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta_b, \delta_c \text{ Baryon, CDM density fluctuation} \\ v_b, v_c \text{ Baryon, CDM velocity fluctuation} \end{array} \right.$

EINSTEIN-BOLTZMANN EQUATIONS

Liouville term

Collision term

Einstein+Boltzmann equ.

$$1) \dot{\Theta}_T + ik\mu\Theta_T + \dot{\Phi} + ik\mu\Psi = -\dot{\tau}[\Theta_0 - \Theta + \mu v_b - \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{P}_2(\mu)\Pi]$$

$$2) \dot{\Theta}_P + ik\mu\Theta_P = -\dot{\tau}[-\Theta_P + \frac{1}{2}(1 - \mathcal{P}_2(\mu))\Pi]$$

$$\Pi = \Theta_{T2} + \Theta_{P2} + \Theta_{P0}$$

$$3) \dot{\mathcal{N}} + ik\mu\mathcal{N} + \dot{\Phi} + ik\mu\Psi = 0$$

Photon/Neutrinos

EB eqs. with fluid approximation
(Euler+continuity)

$$4) \dot{\delta}_c = -ikv_c - 3\dot{\Phi}$$

$$5) \dot{\delta}_b = -ikv_b - 3\dot{\Phi}$$

$$6) \dot{v}_c = -Hv_c - ik\Psi$$

$$7) \dot{v}_b = -Hv_b - ik\Psi + \frac{\dot{\tau}}{R}[v_b + 3i\Theta_1], \quad \frac{1}{R} \equiv \frac{4\rho_\gamma^{(0)}}{3\rho_b^{(0)}}$$

Baryon/CDM

EINSTEIN-BOLTZMANN EQUATIONS

Perturbed metric $ds^2 = -(1 + 2\Psi)dt^2 + a^2(t)(1 + 2\Phi)dx^2$

$$\begin{cases} 8) k^2\Phi + 3\frac{\dot{a}}{a}(\dot{\Phi} - \Psi\frac{\dot{a}}{a}) = 4\pi Ga^2[\rho_{CDM}\delta + \rho_b\delta_b + 4(\rho_\gamma\Theta_0 + \rho_\nu\mathcal{N}_0)] \\ 9) k^2(\Phi + \Psi) = -32\pi Ga^2(\rho_\gamma\Theta_2 + \rho_\nu\mathcal{N}_2) \end{cases}$$

Gravity

INITIAL CONDITION

$$\Theta_0 = \frac{1}{2}\Phi,$$

$$\delta = \delta_b = \frac{3}{2}\Phi,$$

$$\Theta_1 = -\frac{k}{6\mathcal{H}}\Phi,$$

$$v = v_b = \frac{k}{2\mathcal{H}}\Phi.$$

$$3\Theta_1 + v_b = 0$$

$$P_\Phi(k) = \frac{8\pi}{9k^3} \frac{H^2}{\epsilon m_{pl}^2} \Big|_{aH=k} \equiv \frac{50\pi^2}{9k^3} \left(\frac{k}{H_0}\right)^{n-1} \delta_H^2 \left(\frac{\Omega_m}{D_1(a=1)}\right)^2$$

HIERARCHY EQUATIONS

$$\Theta'_0 = -\frac{k}{\mathcal{H}}\Theta_1 - \Phi'$$

$$\Theta'_1 = \frac{k}{3\mathcal{H}}\Theta_0 - \frac{2k}{3\mathcal{H}}\Theta_2 + \frac{k}{3\mathcal{H}}\Psi + \tau' \left[\Theta_1 + \frac{1}{3}v_b \right]$$

$$\Theta'_l = \frac{lk}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}}\Theta_{l-1} - \frac{(l+1)k}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}}\Theta_{l+1} + \tau' \left[\Theta_l - \frac{1}{10}\Pi\delta_{l,2} \right], \quad (l \geq 2)$$

$$\Theta'_{P0} = -\frac{k}{\mathcal{H}}\Theta_1^P + \tau' \left[\Theta_0^P - \frac{1}{2}\Pi \right]$$

$$\Theta'_{Pl} = \frac{lk}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}}\Theta_{l-1}^P - \frac{(l+1)k}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}}\Theta_{l+1}^P + \tau' \left[\Theta_l^P - \frac{1}{10}\Pi\delta_{l,2} \right], \quad (l \geq 1)$$

HIERARCHY EQUATIONS

$$\mathcal{N}'_0 = -\frac{k}{\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{N}_1 - \Phi'$$

$$\mathcal{N}'_1 = \frac{k}{3\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{N}_0 - \frac{2k}{3\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{N}_2 + \frac{k}{3\mathcal{H}} \Psi$$

$$\mathcal{N}'_l = \frac{lk}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{N}_{l-1} - \frac{(l+1)k}{(2l+1)\mathcal{H}} \mathcal{N}_{l+1}, \quad (l \geq 2)$$

$$\delta' = \frac{k}{\mathcal{H}} v - 3\Phi'$$

$$v' = -v - \frac{k}{\mathcal{H}} \Psi$$

$$\delta'_b = \frac{k}{\mathcal{H}} v_b - 3\Phi'$$

$$v'_b = -v_b - \frac{k}{\mathcal{H}} \Psi + \tau' R(3\Theta_1 + v_b)$$

$$\Phi' = \Psi - \frac{k^2}{3\mathcal{H}^2} \Phi + \frac{H_0^2}{2\mathcal{H}^2} \left[\Omega_m a^{-1} \delta + \Omega_b a^{-1} \delta_b + 4\Omega_r a^{-2} \Theta_0 + 4\Omega_\nu a^{-2} \mathcal{N}_0 \right]$$

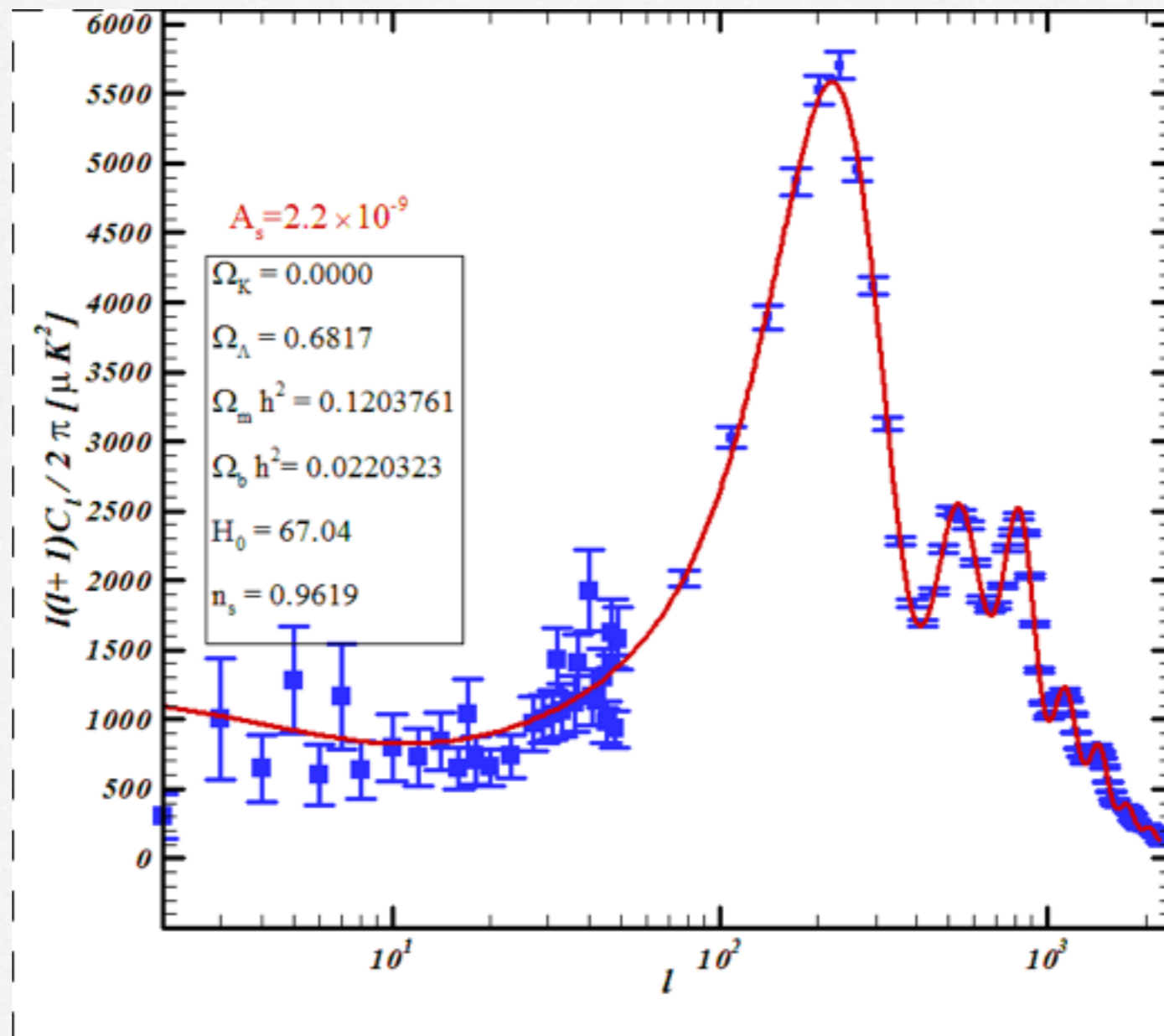
$$\Psi = -\Phi - \frac{12H_0^2}{k^2 a^2} \left[\Omega_r \Theta_2 + \Omega_\nu \mathcal{N}_2 \right]$$

CAMB

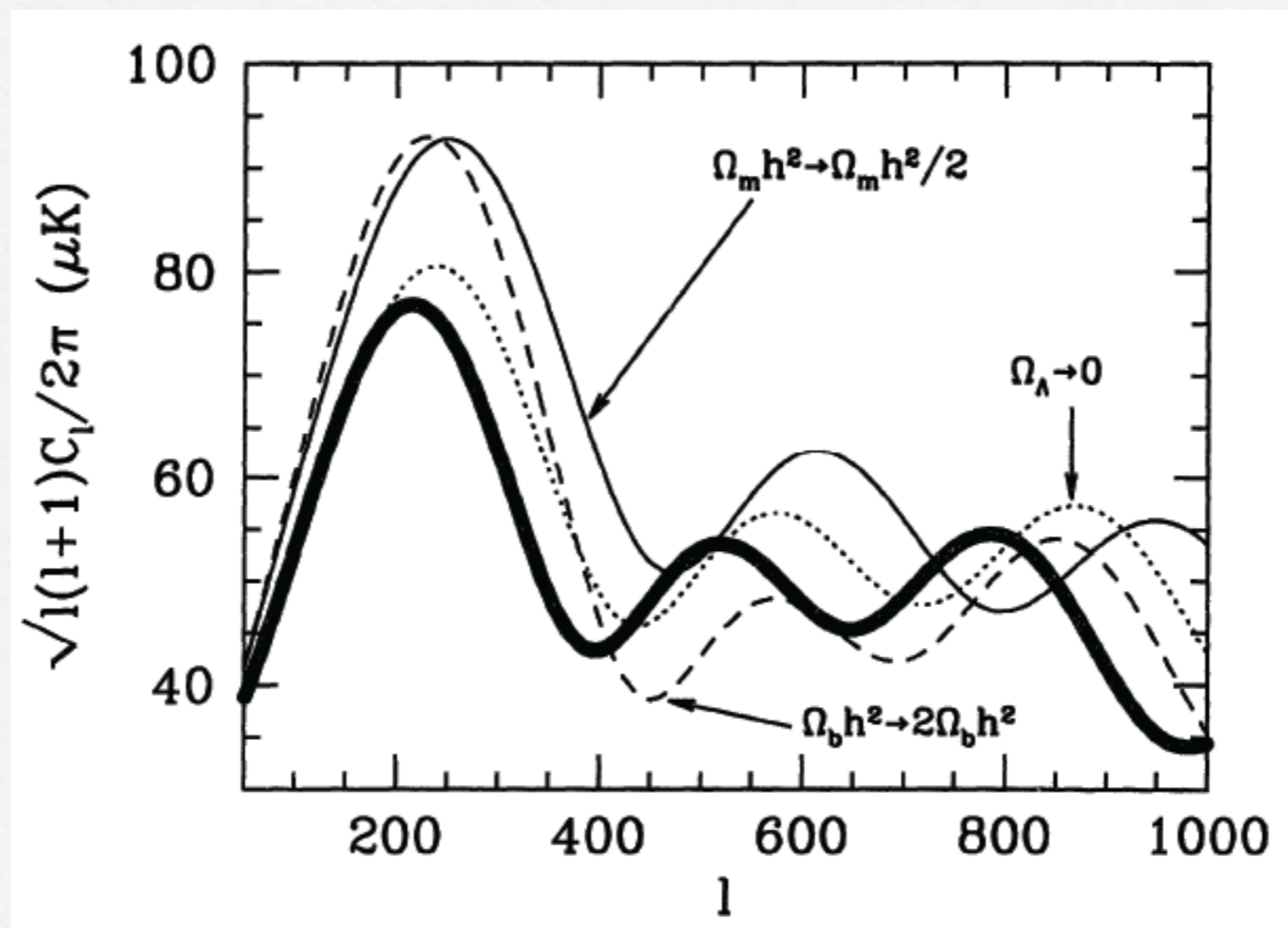
- **Code for Anisotropies in the Microwave Background**
- **Temperature power spectrum**
- **Curved and flat models**
- **Matter power spectrum**
- **Massive neutrino models**
- **Scalar, Tensor and vector perturbations**

$$l, C_{TT}, C_{EE}, C_{BB}, C_{TE}$$

TEMPERATURE POWER SPECTRUM



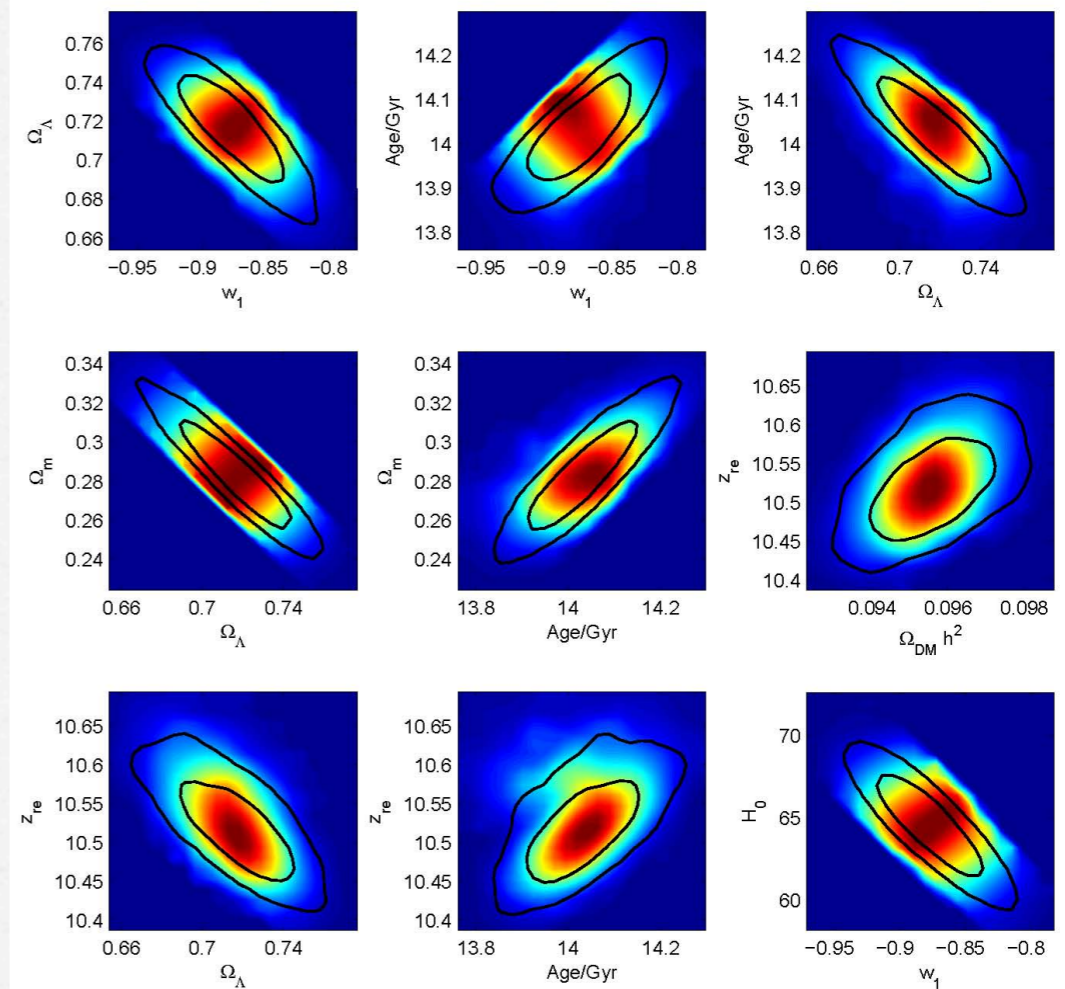
PARAMETERS EFFECTS



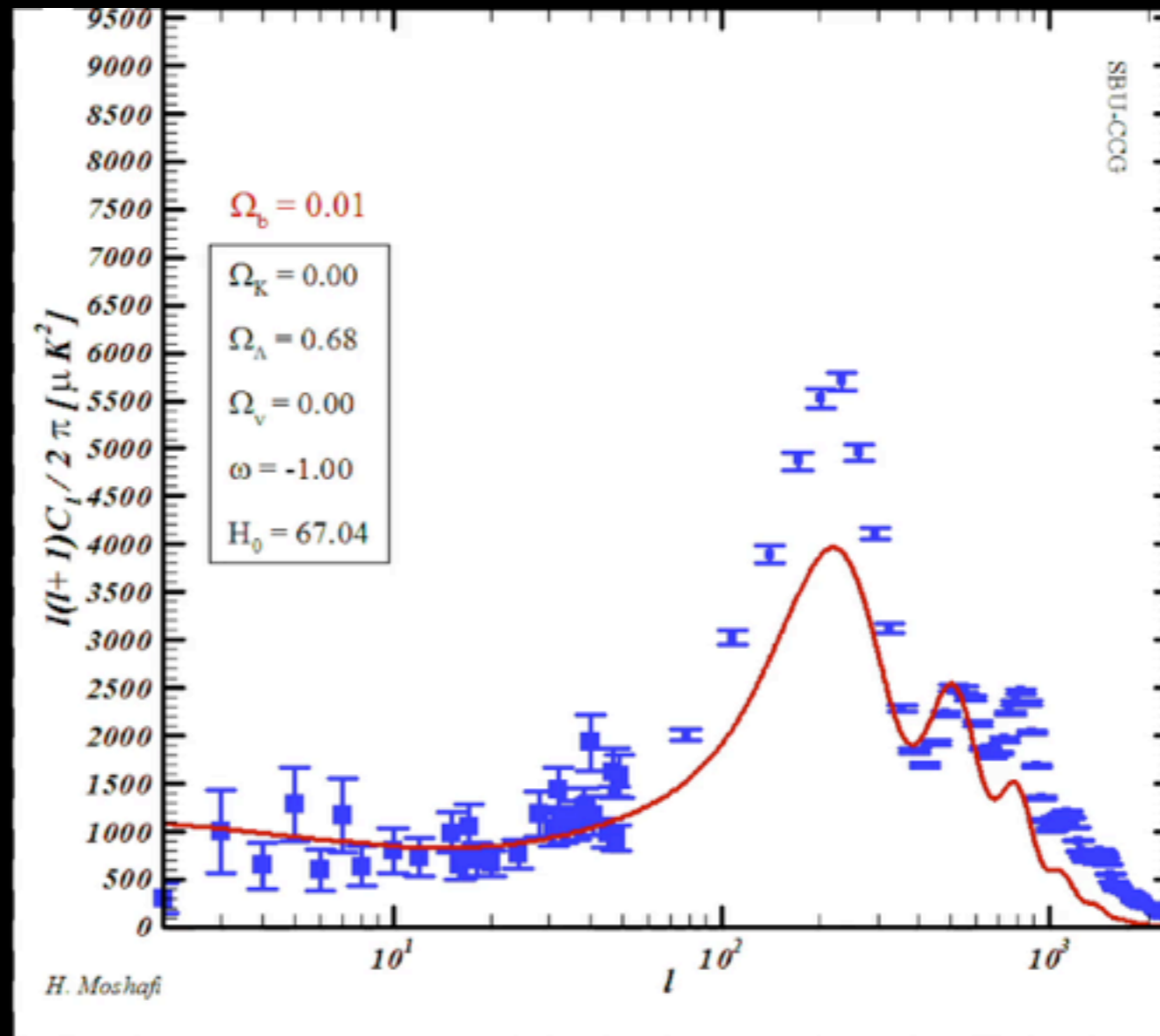
COSMOLOGICAL PARAMETER ESTIMATOR

- CosmoMC
- AnalyzeThis
- SCoPE

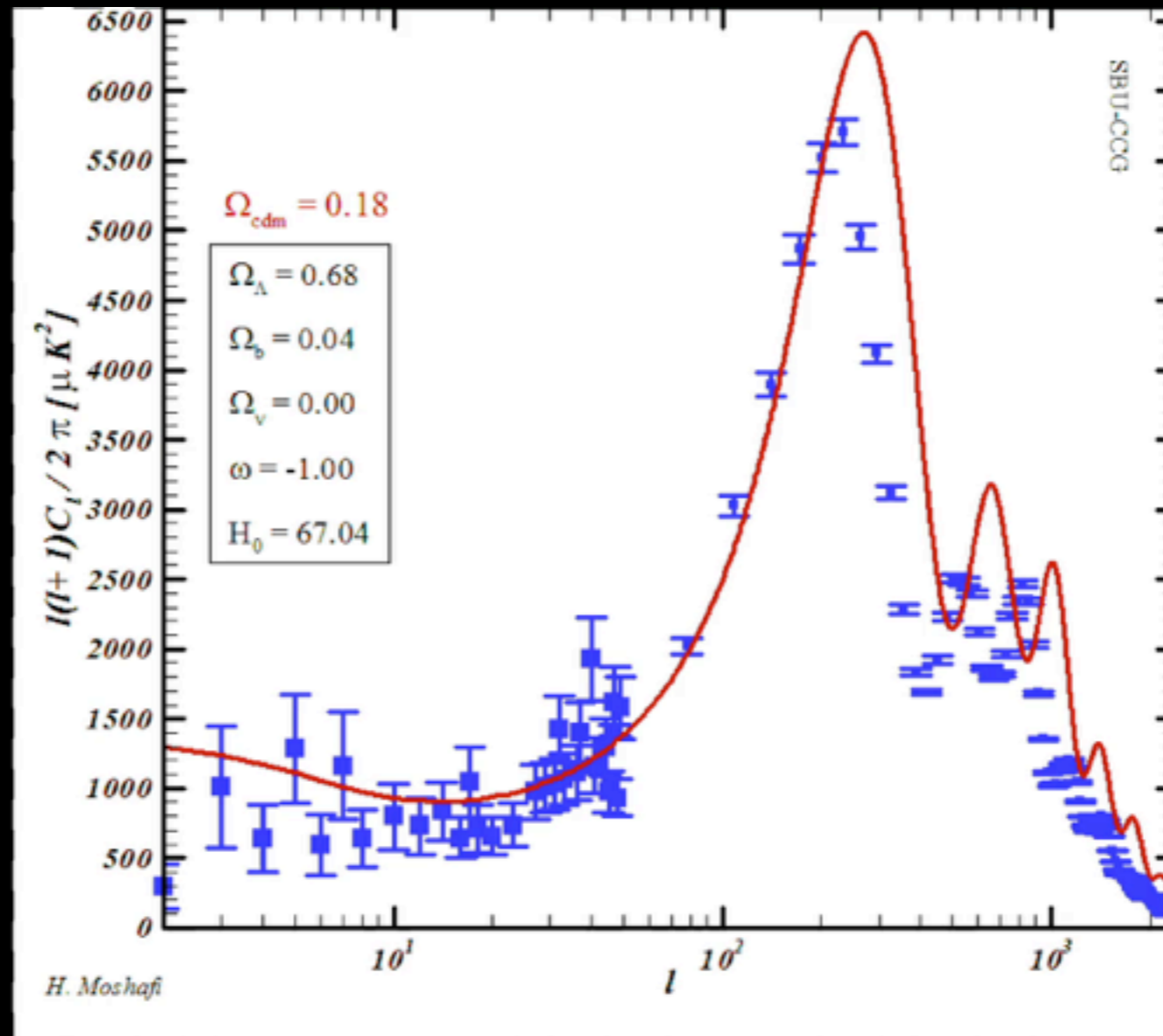
CMB+SN-contours



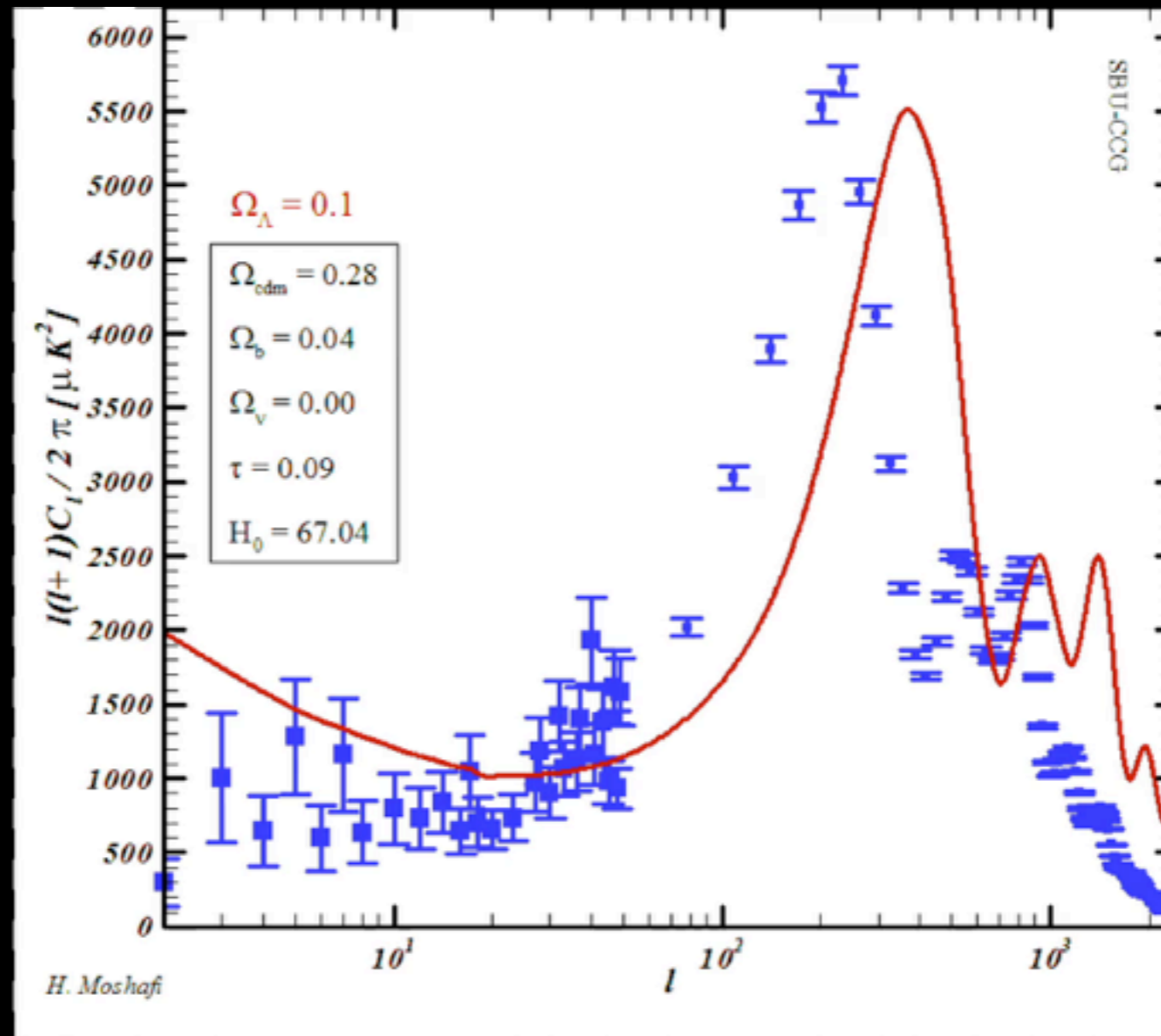
Power Spectrum



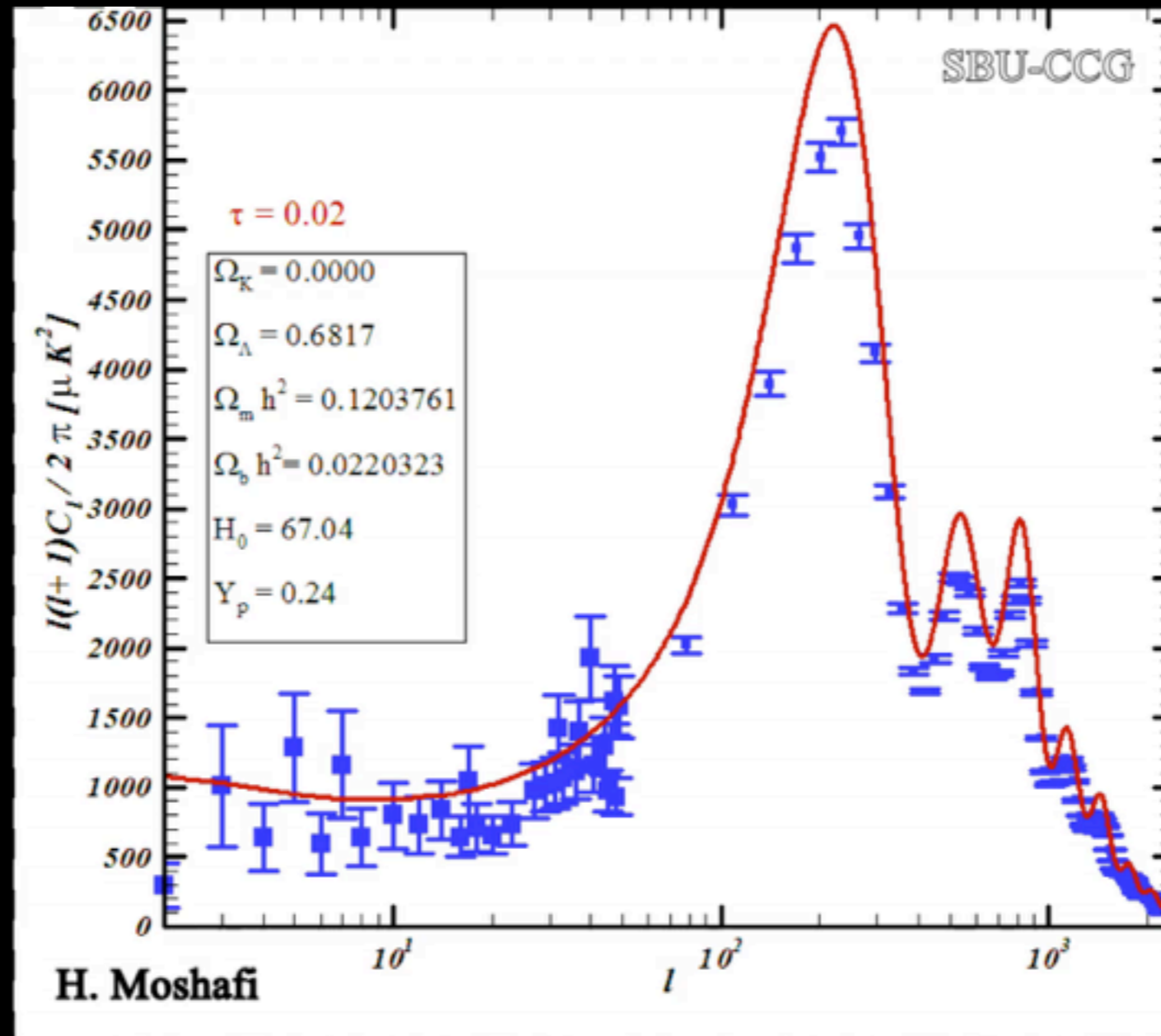
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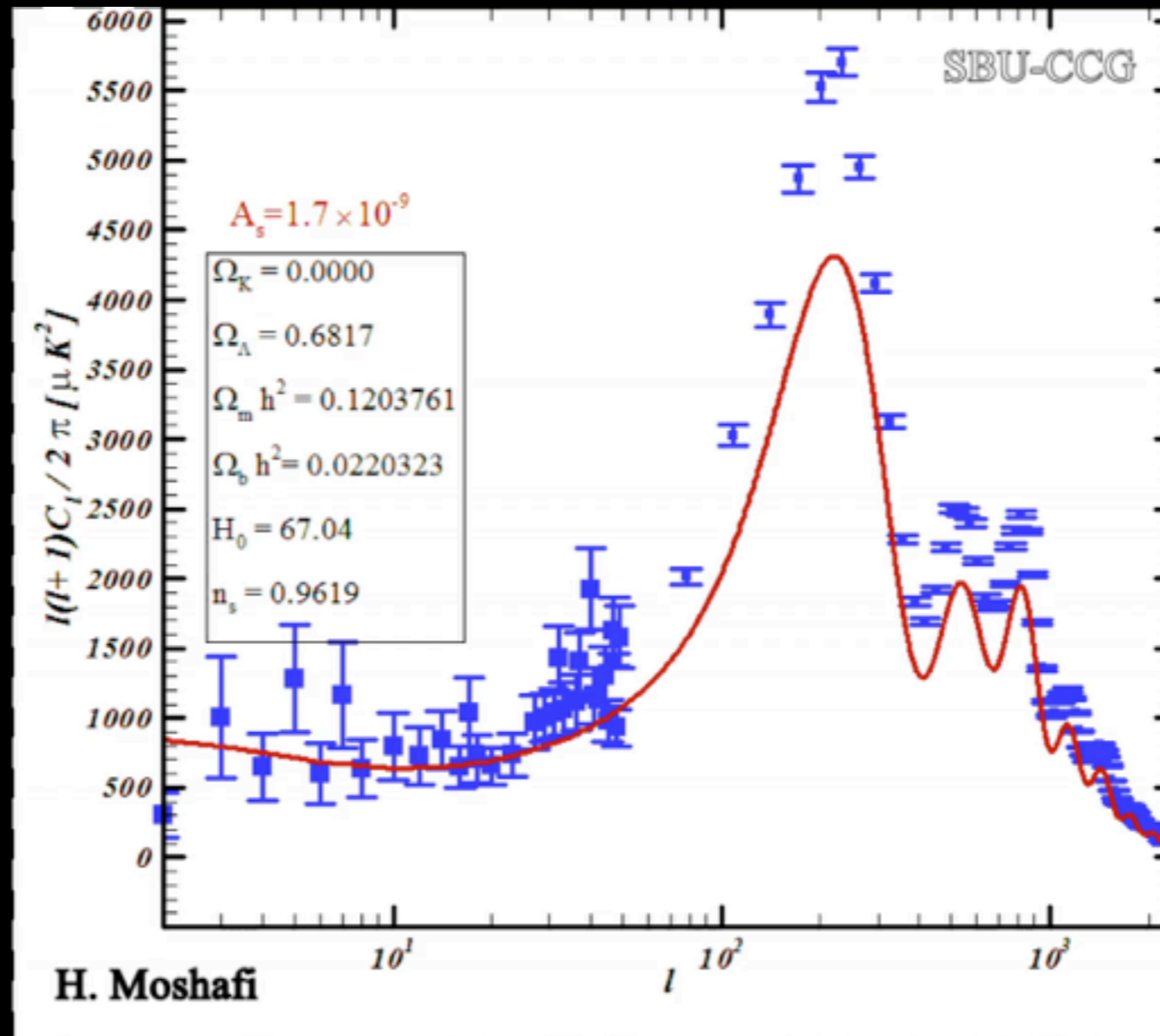
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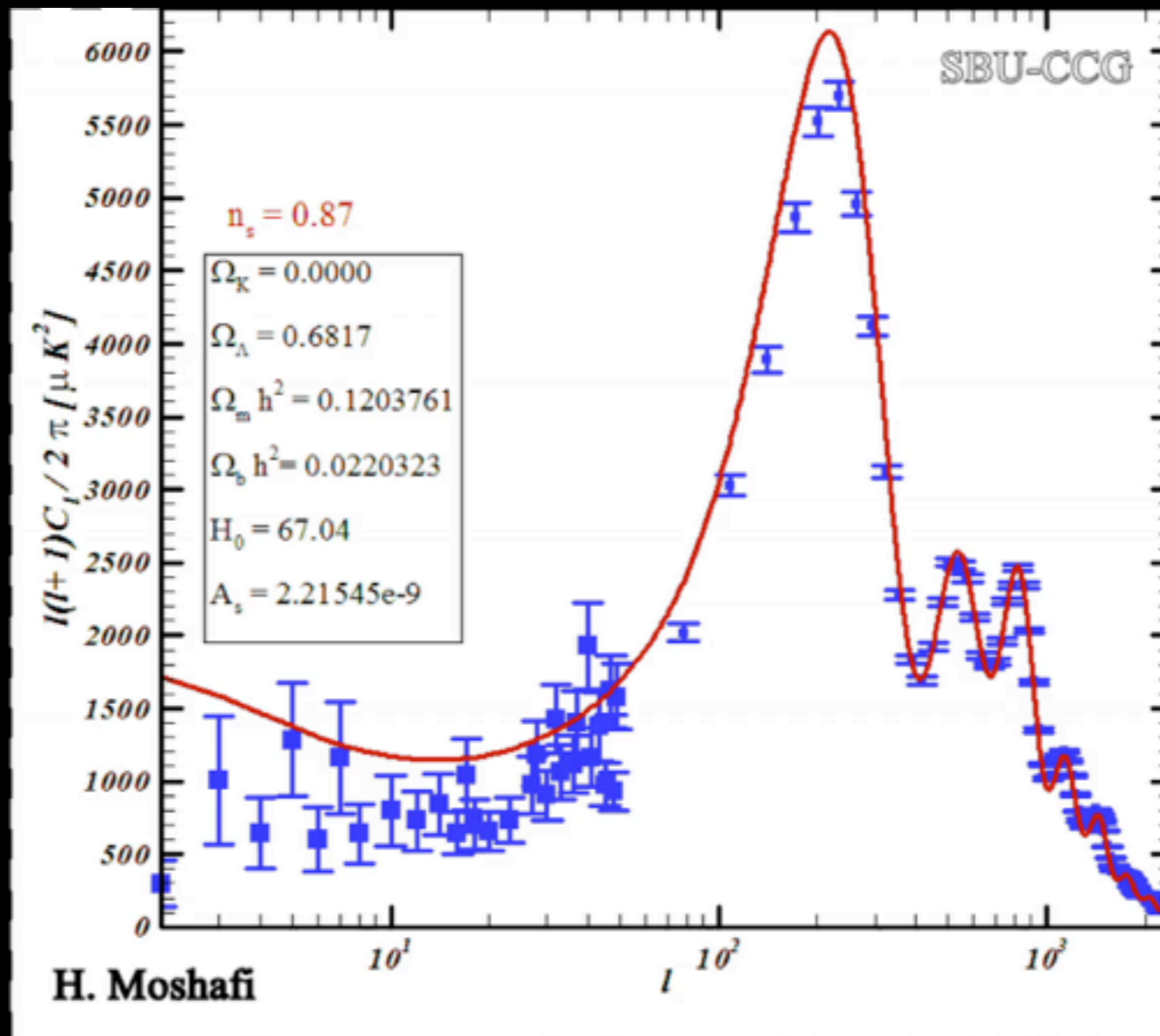
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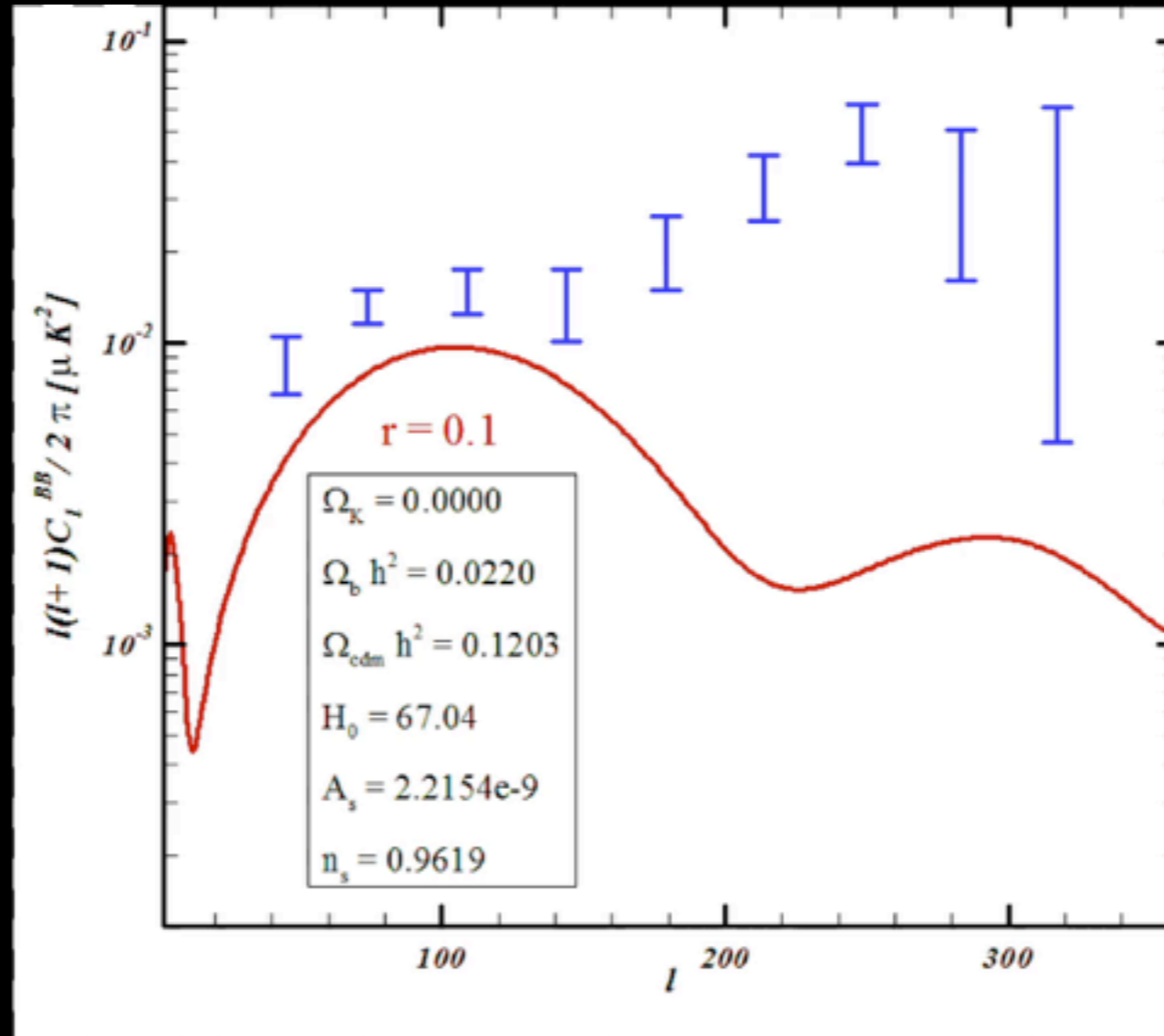
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COSMOLOGICAL MONTECARLO

CosmoMC is a Fortran 2008 Markov-Chain Monte-Carlo (MCMC) engine for exploring cosmological parameter space, together with Fortran and python code for analyzing Monte-Carlo samples and importance sampling. The code does brute force (but accurate) theoretical matter power spectrum and C_l calculations with CAMB.

Public Code: <http://cosmologist.info/cosmomc/>

MAXIMUM-LIKELIHOOD ESTIMATION

- **Method of estimating the parameters of a model**