

# Seeing the trees through the forest: star formation history with CIB cross-correlations

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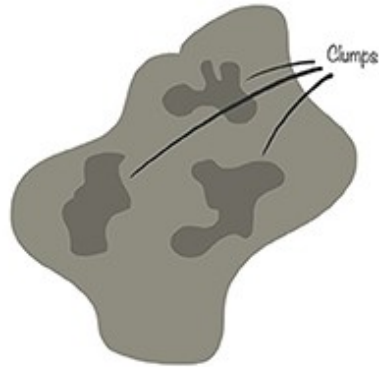
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# **Background: star formation**

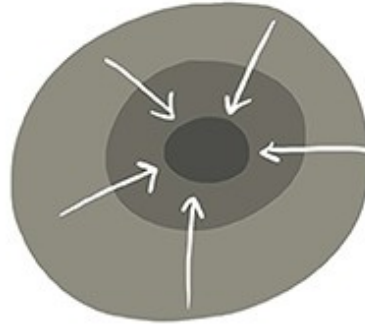
# How do stars form?

**A** Dark cloud



Size: 200,000 AU

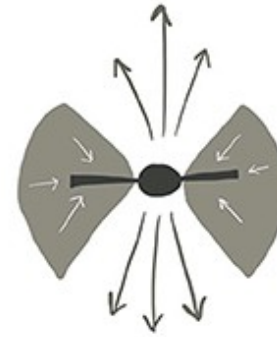
**B** Prestellar core



time = 0

Size: 10,000 AU

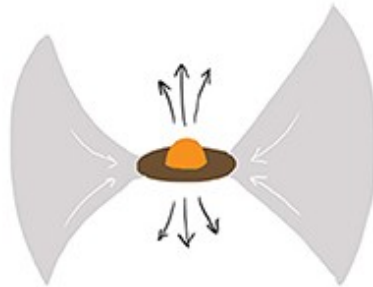
**C** Protostar



time = 10-100 thousand years

Size: 1,000 AU

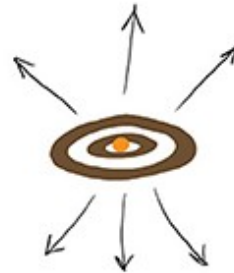
**D** T Tauri star



time = up to a million years

Size: 100 AU

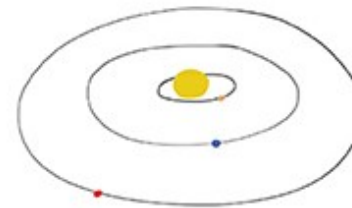
**E** Pre-main sequence star



time = up to 10 million years

Size: 100 AU

**F** Main sequence star



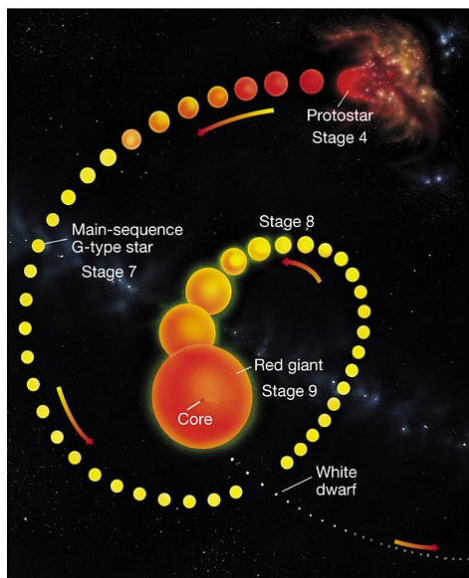
time = more than 10 million years

Size: 50 AU

# What can we learn from star formation?

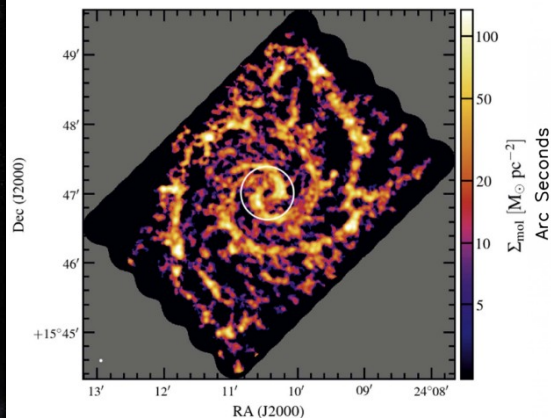
## Star and galaxy scales:

### stellar evolution



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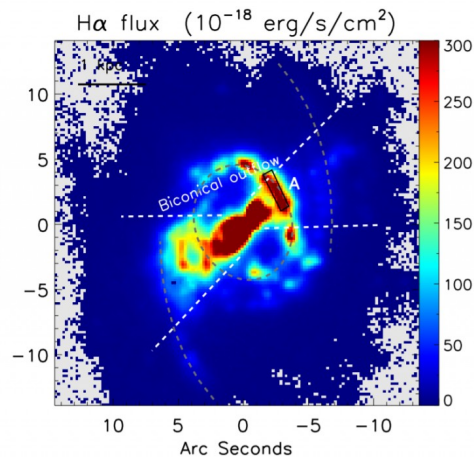
### Molecular clouds



(1a) NGC 628 at 120 pc resolution

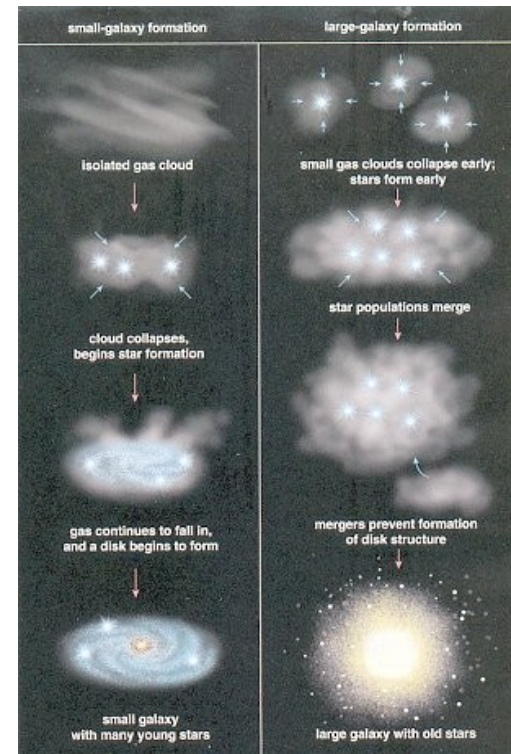
(Sun et al. 2020)

### AGN, SN feedback



(Shin et al. 2019)

### Galaxy evolution

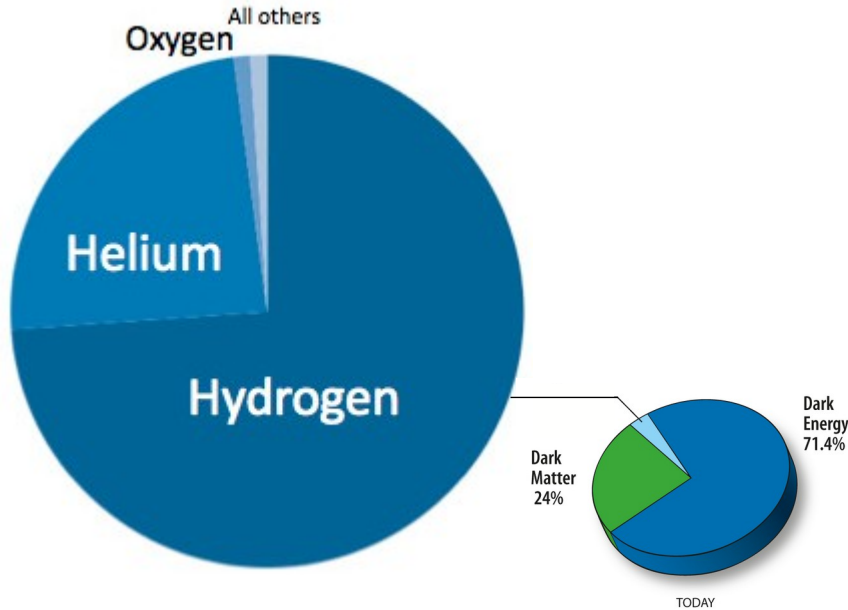


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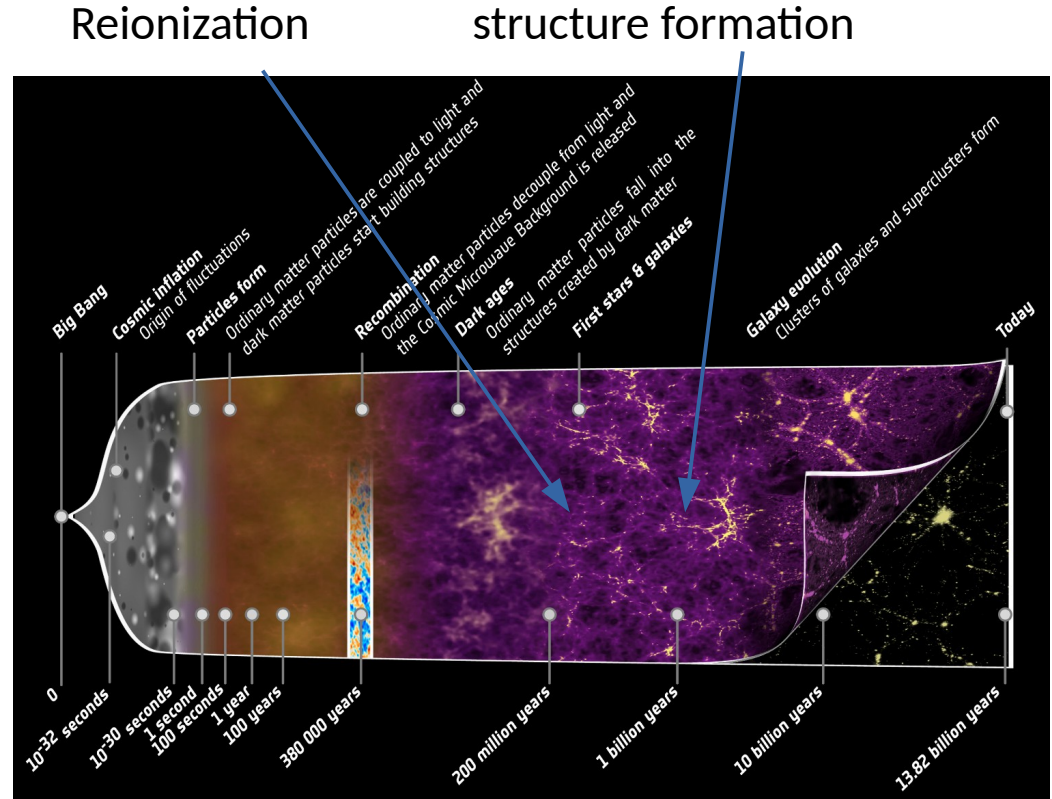
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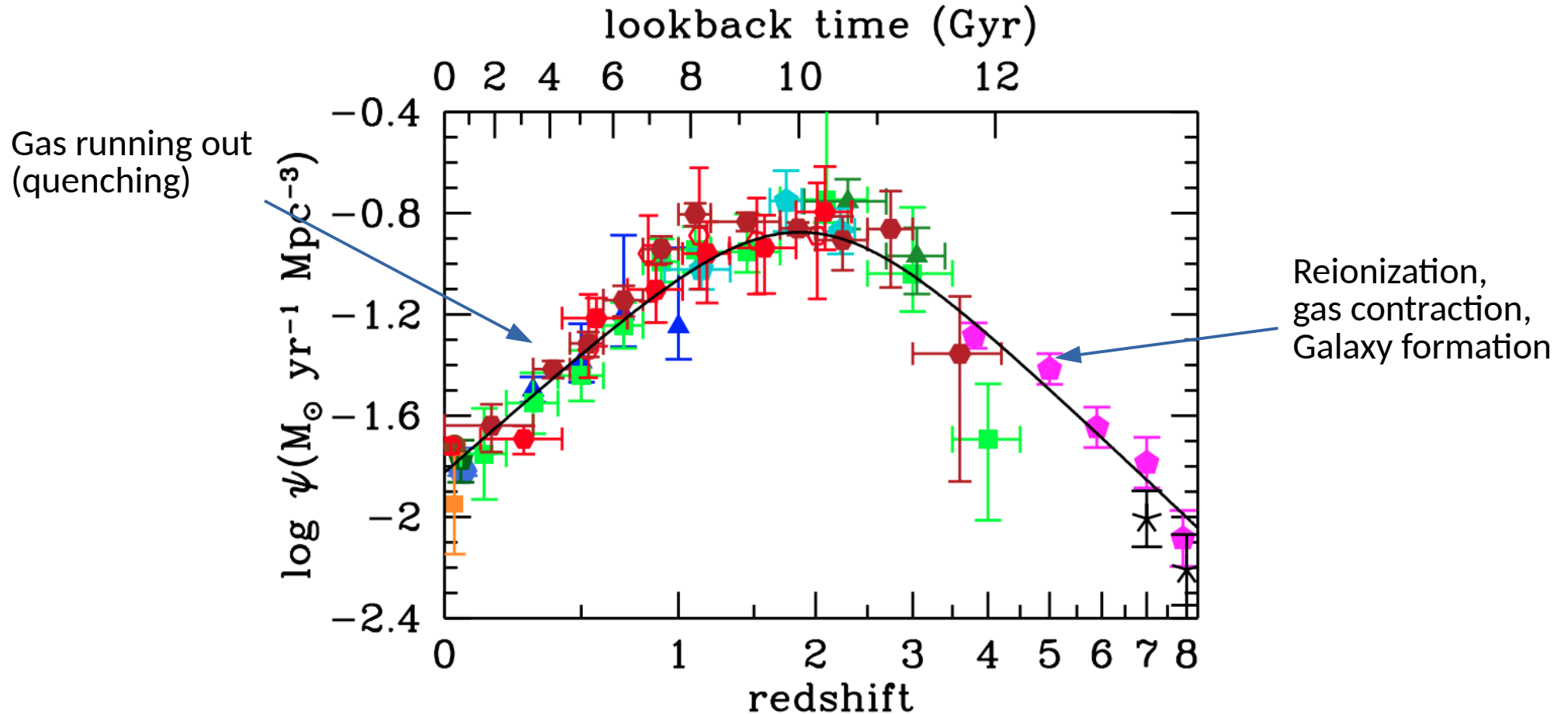
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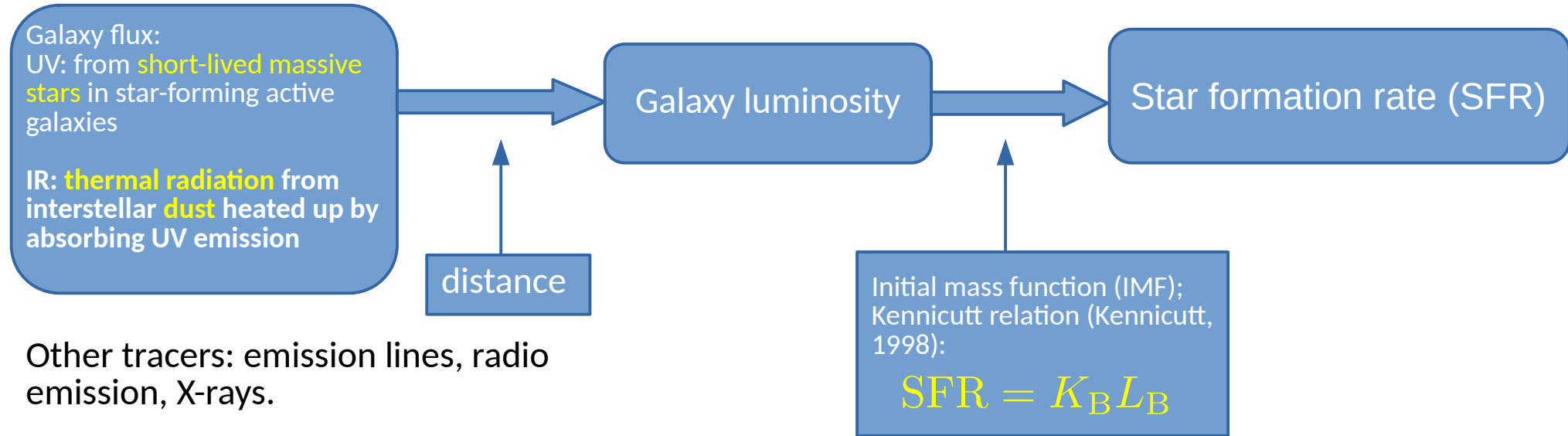
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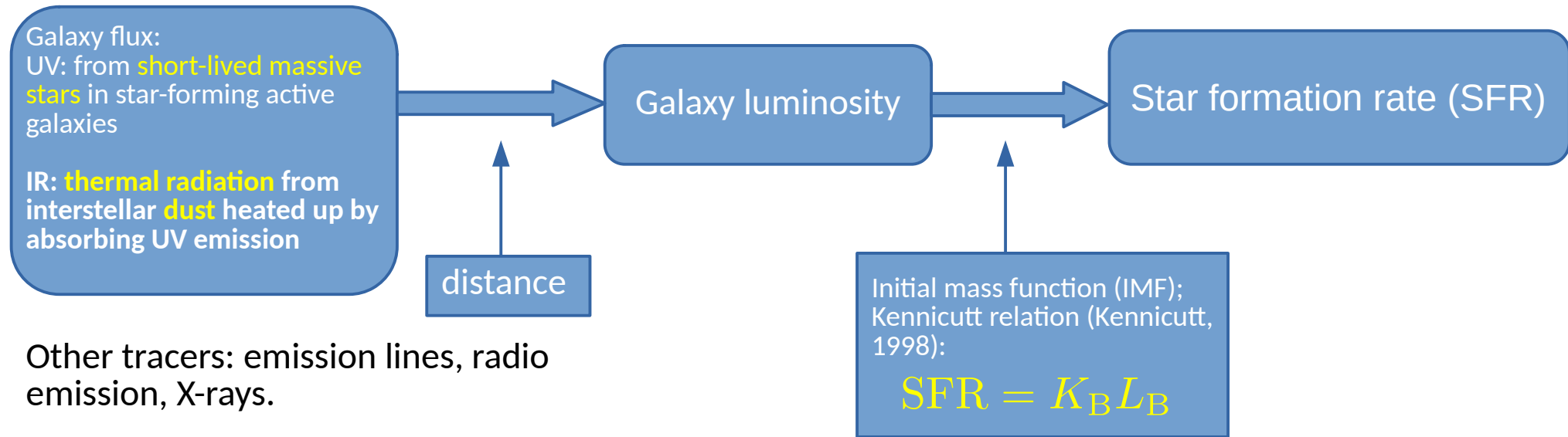
# Cosmic star formation history: an overview



# From light to SFR: multi-wavelength studies



# From light to SFR: multi-wavelength studies



**Potential limitation: selection bias? Incompleteness?**



# **Background: the cosmic infrared background**

# Infrared emission from star-forming regions

- Dust is heated up by new stars to a temperature of  $\sim 30$  K, and emits infrared emission



Intense star formation in the Westerhout 43 region.  
Credit: ESA/Herschel/PACS, SPIRE/Hi-GAL Project.

# The Cosmic Infrared Background

- What is the CIB?

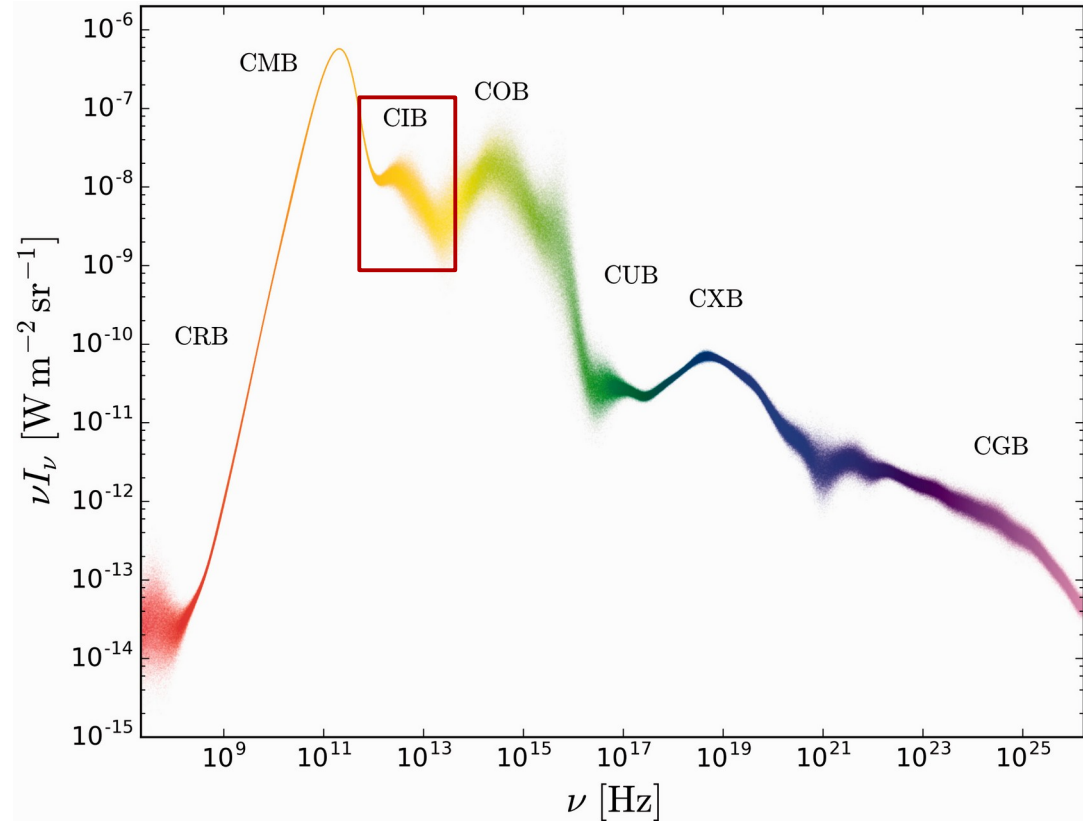
the **cumulative infrared emission** from all galaxies throughout cosmic history, first detected by COBE (Dwek et al. 1998)

- What generates the CIB?

The CIB is mainly generated by **dust thermal emission** from **star-forming galaxies** ( e.g., Le Floc'h et al. 2005; Lagache et al. 2005; Viero et al. 2009)

- What can we learn from the CIB?

Dust thermodynamics, star forming history, galaxy distribution...



Spectrum of cosmic backgrounds (Hill et al. 2018)

# The infrared sky is dominated by the Milky Way

2000 May 17



**The Far Infrared Sky**

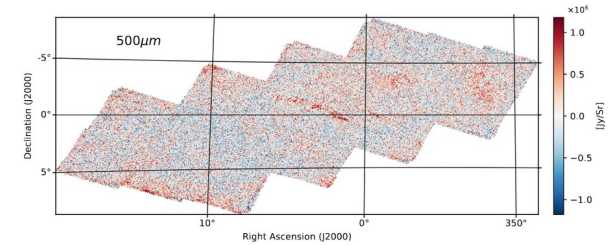
The infrared sky seen by COBE  
(<https://apod.nasa.gov/apod/ap000517.html>)

# How do we measure the CIB?

- **projecting IR flux** of all the galaxies detected by IR surveys (e.g. *Spitzer* (Dole et al. 2006) and *Herschel* (Berta et al. 2010))

- Clean from Galactic signal,
- high angular resolution,
- limited sky coverage,

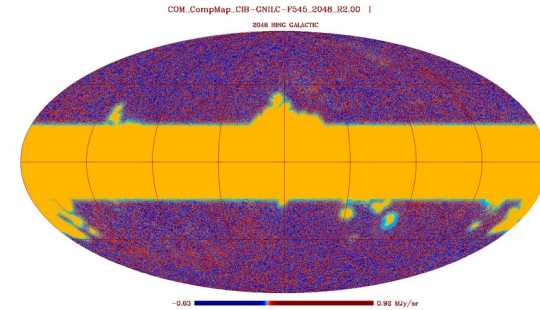
Herschel-SPIRE HeLMS maps at 500  $\mu\text{m}$  (Cao et al. 2020)



- **deprojecting Galactic IR signal** via internal linear composition (Planck Collaboration 2016)

- Large sky coverage
- Biased (Maniyar et al. 2018, Lenz et al. 2019)

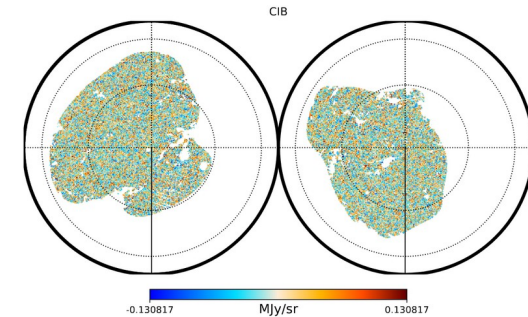
Planck GNILC CIB map at 545 GHz (IRSA/IPAC)



- **subtracting Galactic IR signal** with a template (Planck Collaboration 2014, Lenz et al. 2019)

- Unbiased and complete
- may contain Galactic residue
- Limited sky coverage

CIB map at 545 GHz (Lenz et al. 2019)



# CIB intensity

The projected CIB intensity map is an integral of IR emissions along the line of sight:

$$I_\nu(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \int d\chi a j_{(1+z)\nu}(\chi, \boldsymbol{\theta})$$

The CIB emission coefficient is connected to **SFR density** and **spectral energy distribution (SED)** of the dust (Maniyar et al. 2018):

$$j_{(1+z)\nu}(z) = \frac{\rho_{\text{SFR}}(z)(1+z)S_{\text{eff}}[(1+z)\nu, z]\chi^2}{K},$$

In the context of halo model, the SFR density is the average SFR over dark matter halos:

$$\rho_{\text{SFR}}(z) = \int dM \frac{dn}{dM} \text{SFR}(M, z)$$

# SFR-halo mass relation

SFR modeled as baryon accretion rate (BAR) times star-forming efficiency

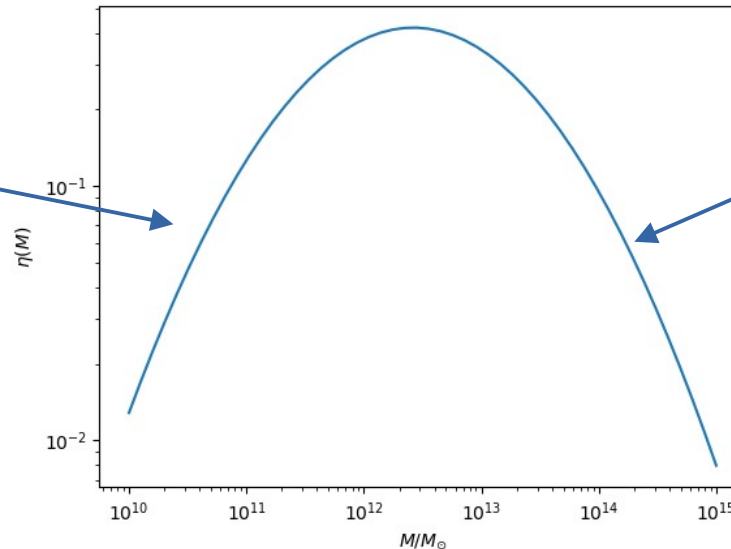
$$\text{SFR}(M, z) = \text{BAR}(M, z)\eta(M, z)$$

Generally speaking,  $\eta$  peaks at the halo mass  $\sim 10^{12} M_{\odot}$  (Bethemin et al. 2013)

Empirical model: lognormal (parametrized by peak SFR halo mass and width) (Maniyar, et al, 2021)

At lower mass end:

- insufficient gas to support star formation;
- supernovae feedback removes gas from the galaxy;

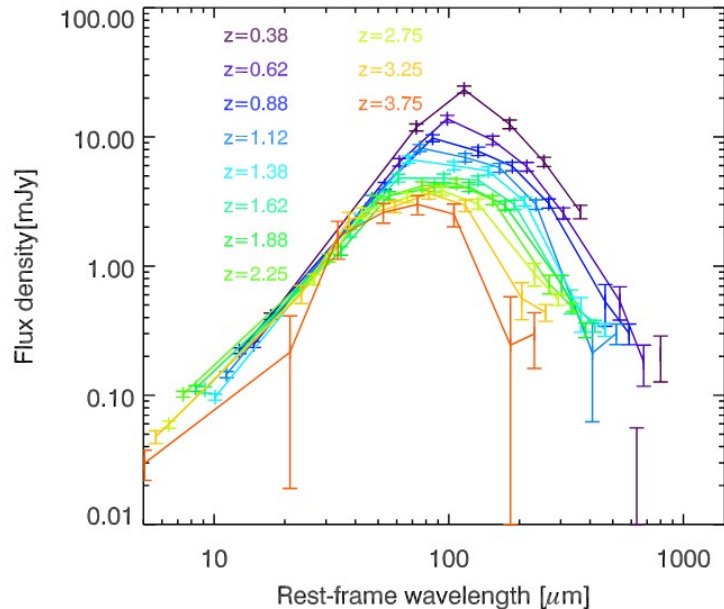


At higher mass:

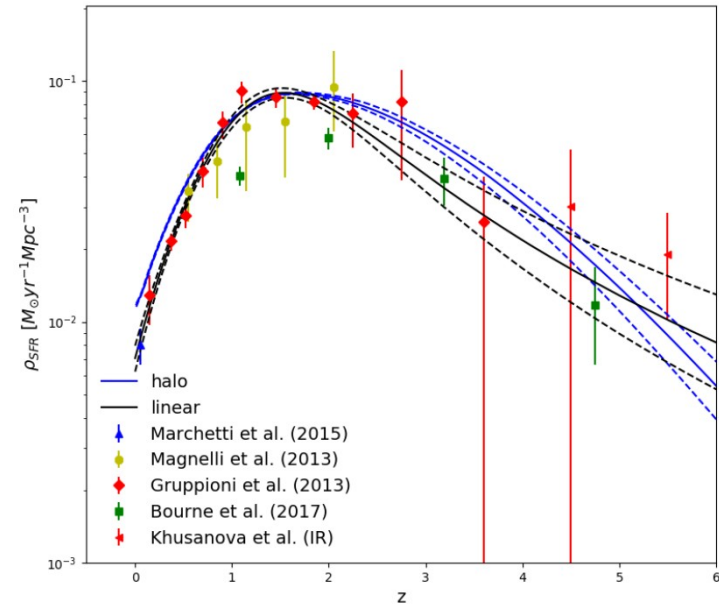
- AGN feedback;
- gas cooling time too long

# Ingredients of CIB model

- Spectral energy distribution (SED)
- Star formation rate (SFR)
- IR galaxy abundance: halo occupation distribution (HOD)



The SED of CIB from flux stacking (Bethérmin et al. 2015)



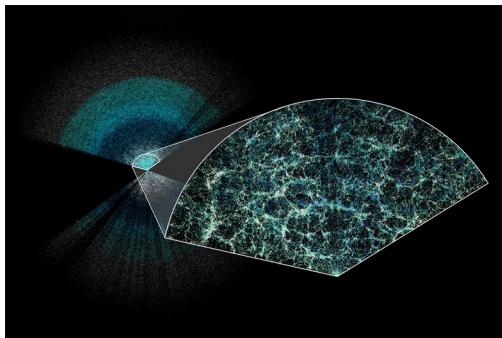
Star formation rate history from CIB power spectra (Maniyar et al. 2021)



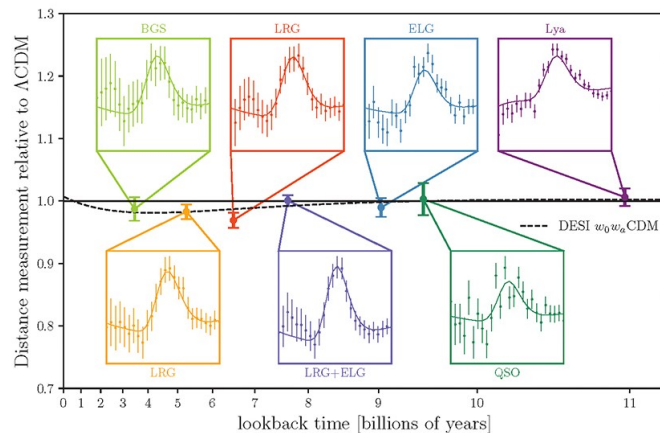
# Cosmic star formation history from KiDS x CIB cross-correlations

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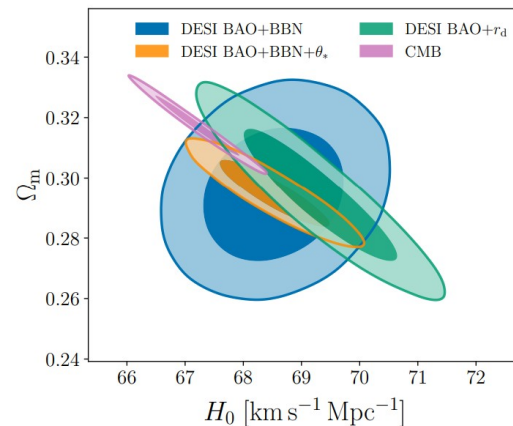
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The LSS of our Universe measured by DESI(Claire Lamman/DESI collaboration)



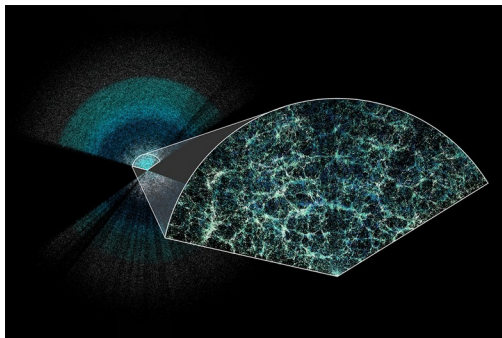
The **LSS statistics (correlation function)** of DESI galaxies (Credit: Arnaud de Mattia/DESI collaboration)



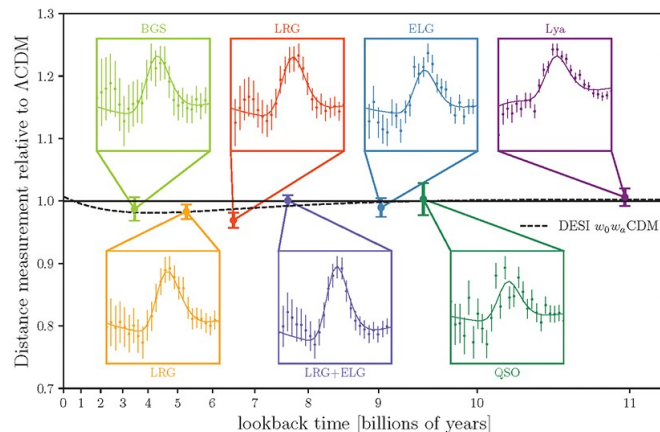
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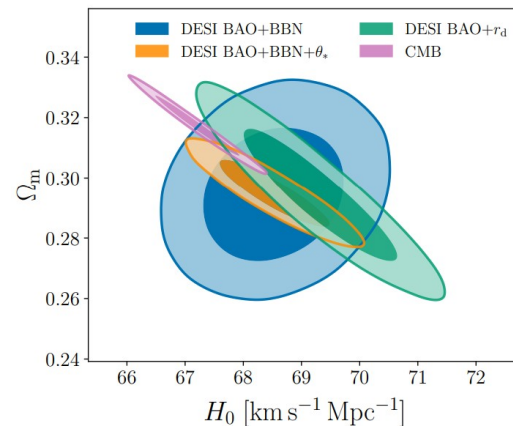
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Cosmologists use **large-scale structure statistics** to study the Universe as a whole.

**Can we use LSS statistics to study small scale physics, like star formation?**

# Tomographic CIB-galaxy cross-correlations

- Angular power spectra describes the **correlation amplitudes** on different angular scales.

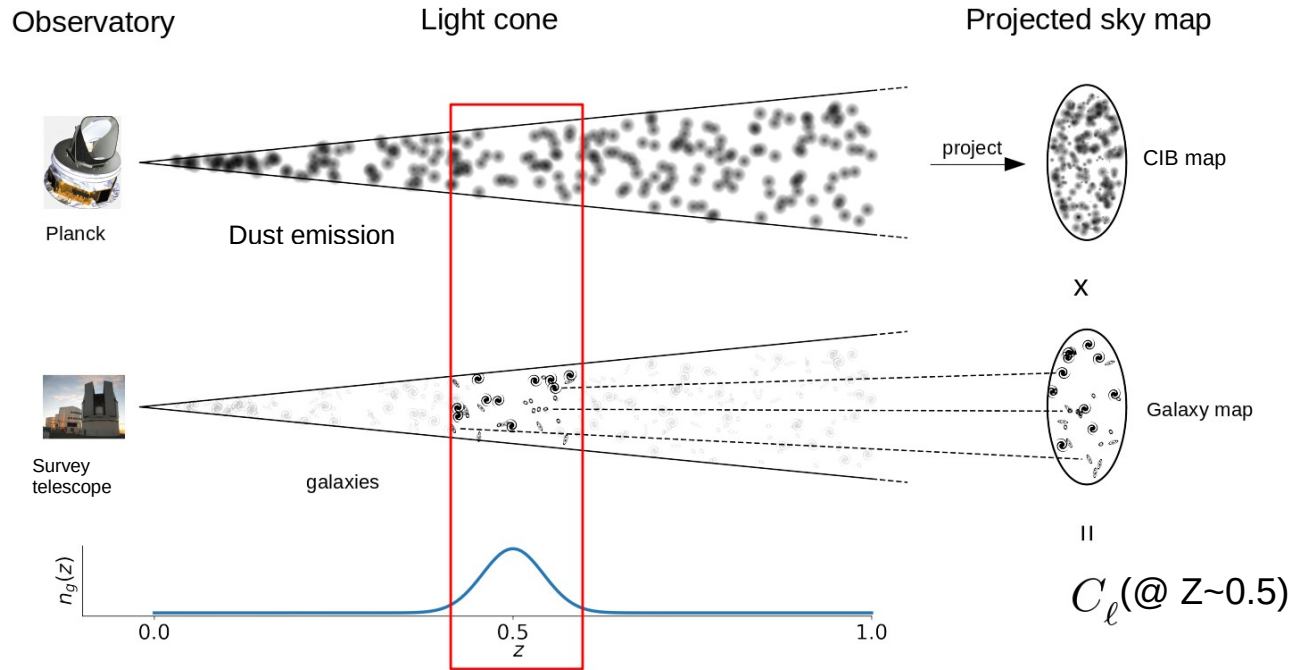
$$C_{\ell}^{ab} = \frac{1}{2\ell + 1} \sum_m a_{\ell m} b_{\ell m}^*$$

- Existing works:

- CIB power spectra (Planck2013 XXX);
- CIB x CMB lensing (Cao et al. 2020);
- CIB x tSZ (Planck2015 XXIII)

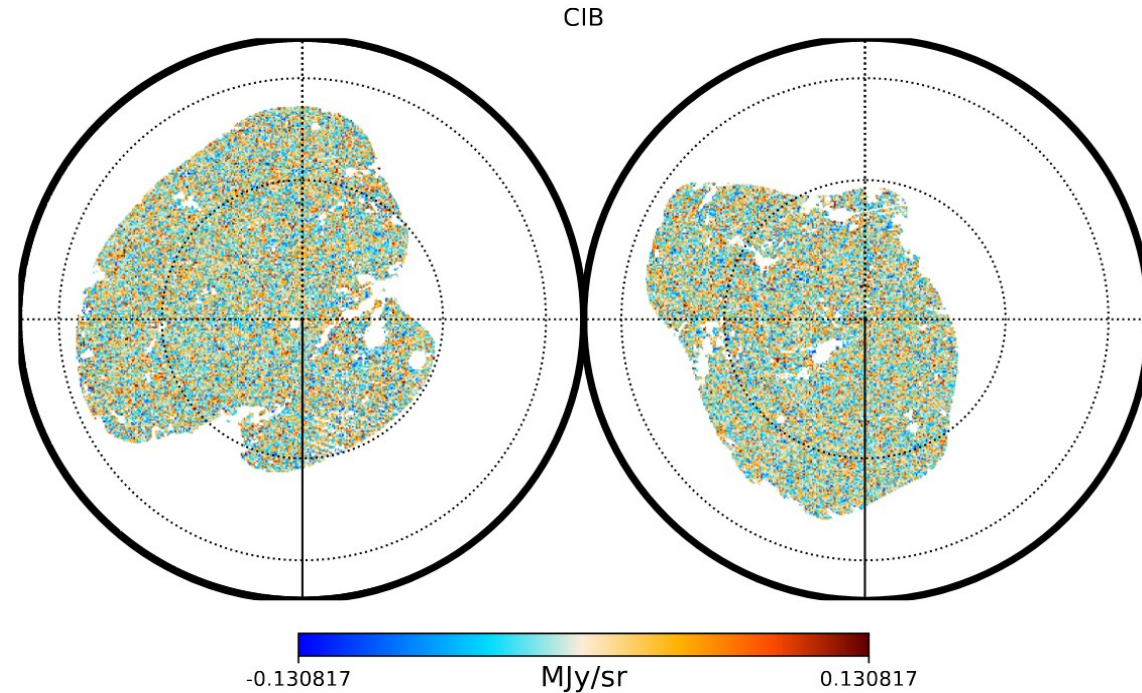
- Advantages of CIB x galaxy:

- galaxy position is relatively easier to measure
- higher S/N
- tracing SFR history better (through **tomographic CC**)
- obtaining CC for different types of galaxies



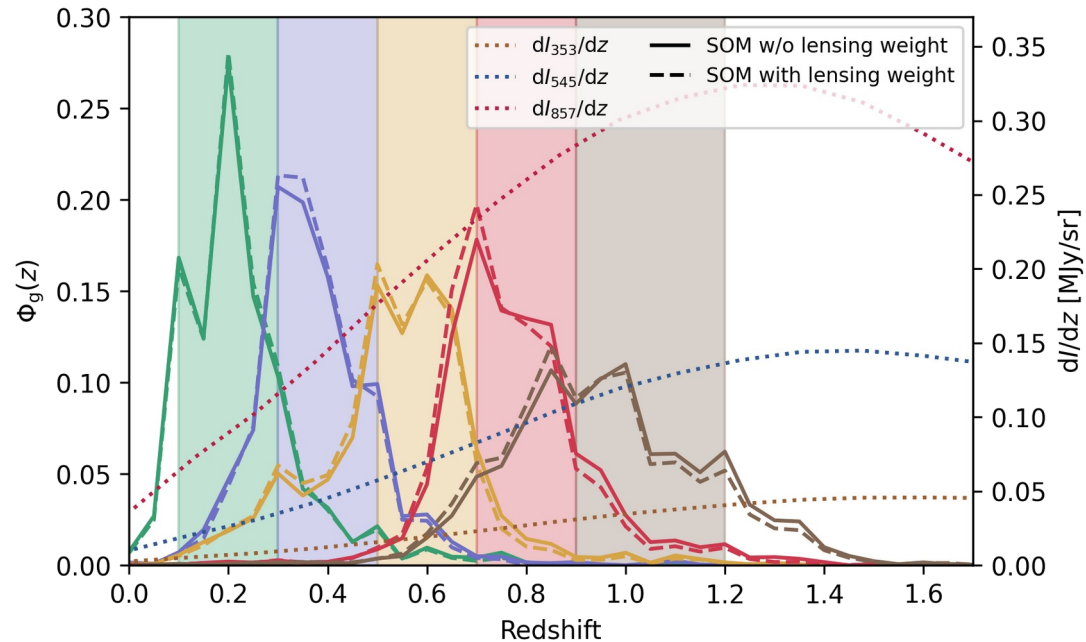
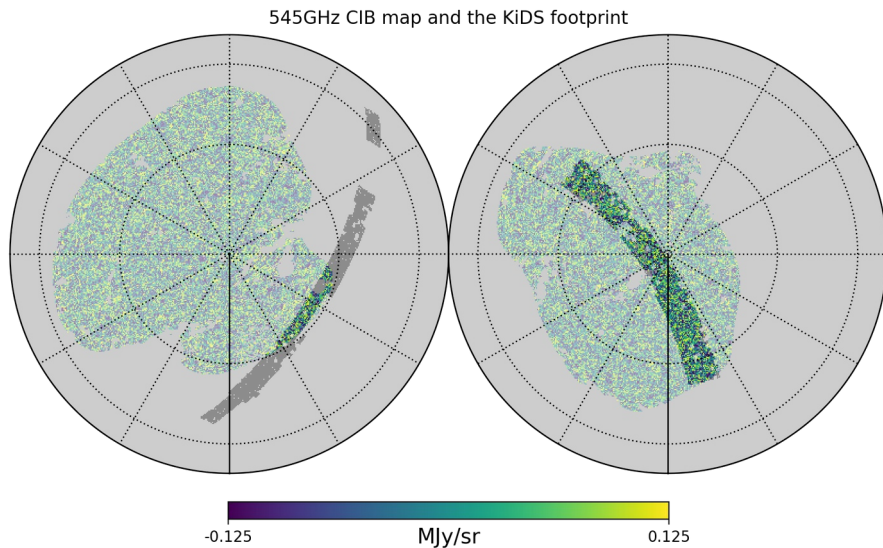
# CIB data

- CIB map (Lenz et al. 2019):
  - constructed from **Planck HFI sky maps**;
  - Galactic signal are removed with an HI template (threshold HI column density =  $2.0 \times 10^{20} \text{ cm}^{-2}$ )
  - CIB intensity maps in **353, 545, 857 GHz**
  - angular resolution: 5 arcmin
  - sky coverage **~25%**



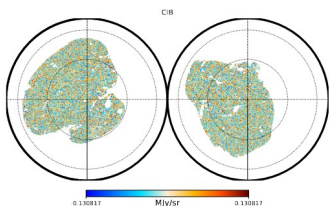
# Galaxy data: KiDS gold sample

- Sky coverage: 1006 deg<sup>2</sup> (~2.2%, overlapped ~1.4%) (Kuijken et al. 2019)
- 5 tomographic bins, redshift extending to 1.5 (Wright et al. 2020)
- ~~shape measured and calibrated for weak lensing cosmology (Heymans et al. 2021)~~



# Analysis pipeline

CIB maps (x3)



galaxy maps (x5)

×

$C_{\ell}^{g\nu}$

Systematics  
correction

(+ external SFRD  
measurements  
from multiwavelength  
surveys)

Covariance  
matrices

$p(\mathbf{D}|\mathbf{M})$

Model (SED fixed)

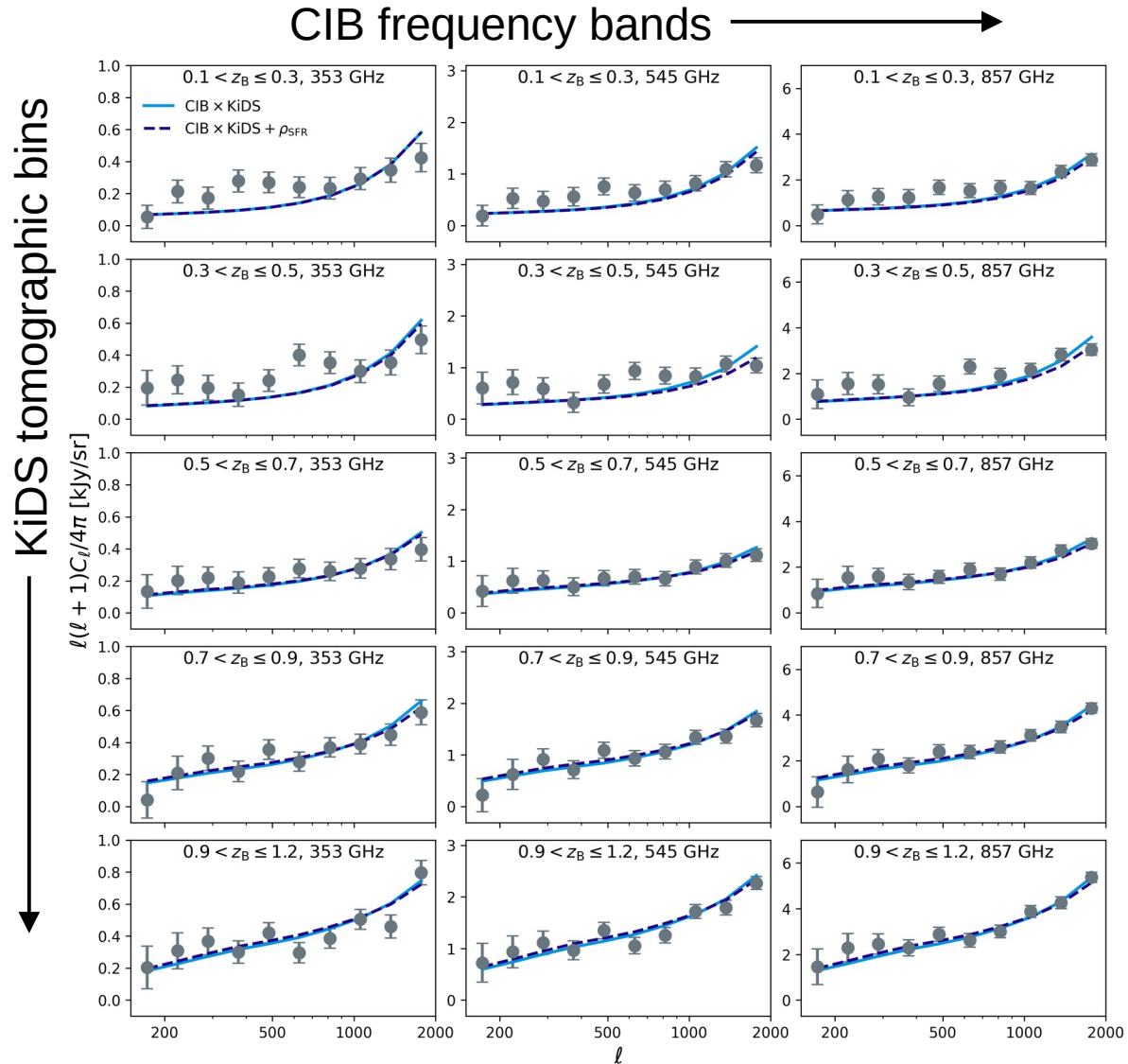
MCMC

**SFR parameters,**  
HOD parameters,  
Shot noise amplitudes

Masks, beams,  
pixel window  
function are  
corrected

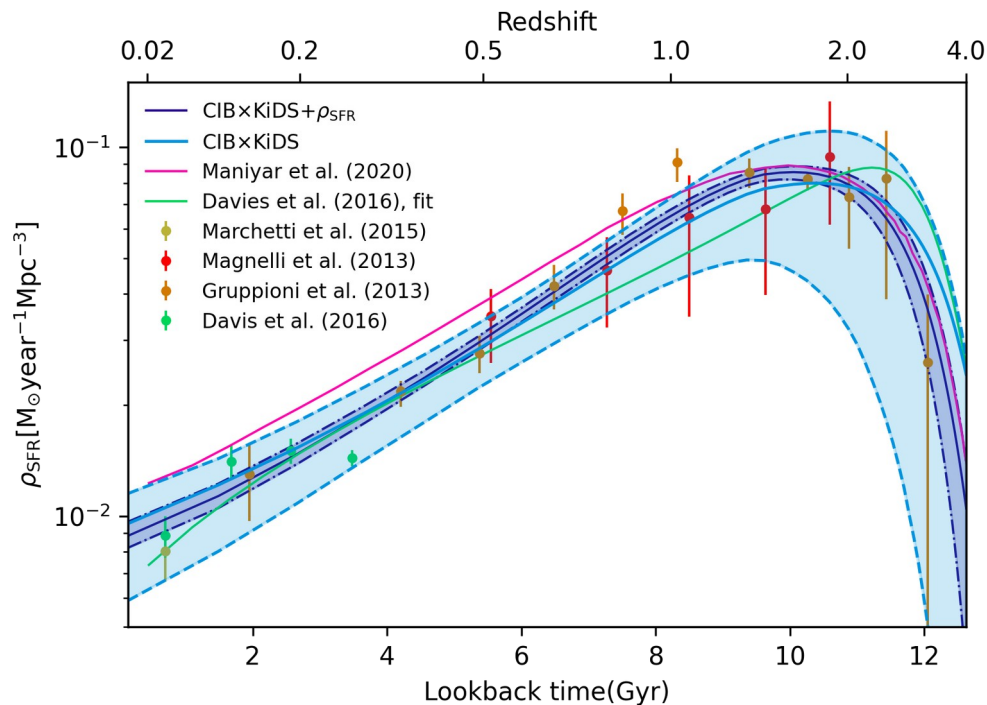
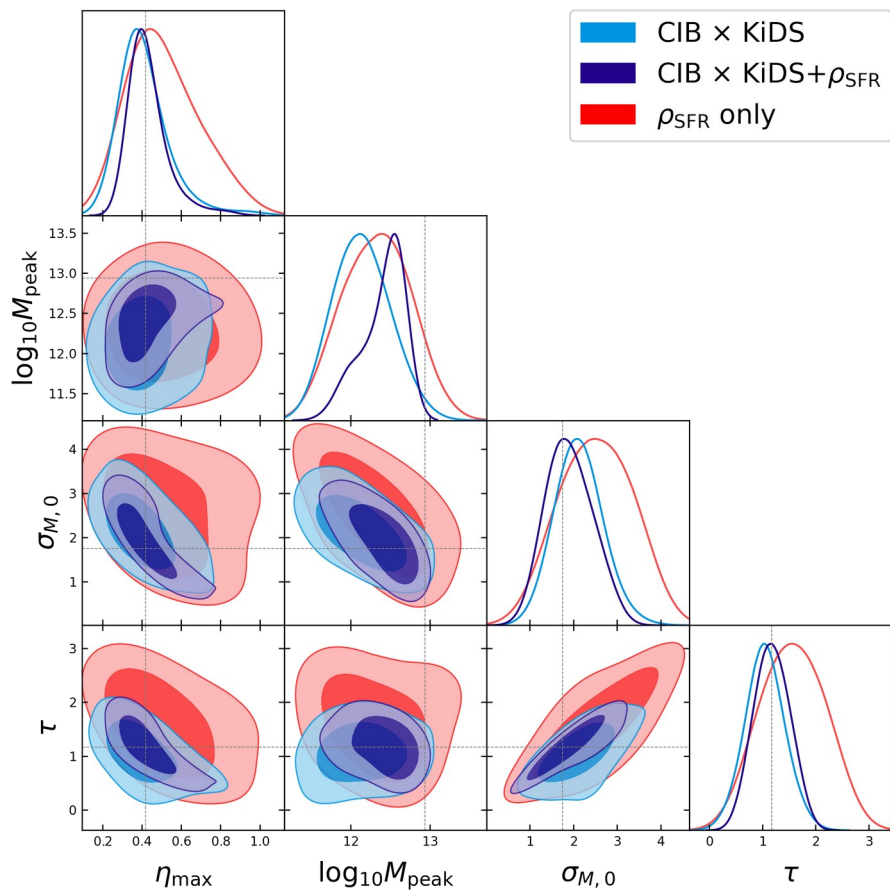
# KiDS-CIB cross-correlation measurements

- Tools:
  - Measurement: NaMaster (Alonso et al., 2019)
  - Analysis: PYCCL (Chisari et al., 2018);
- beam and mode coupling corrected;
- logarithmic  $\ell$  bin from 100 to 2000
- signal-to-noise: **43**



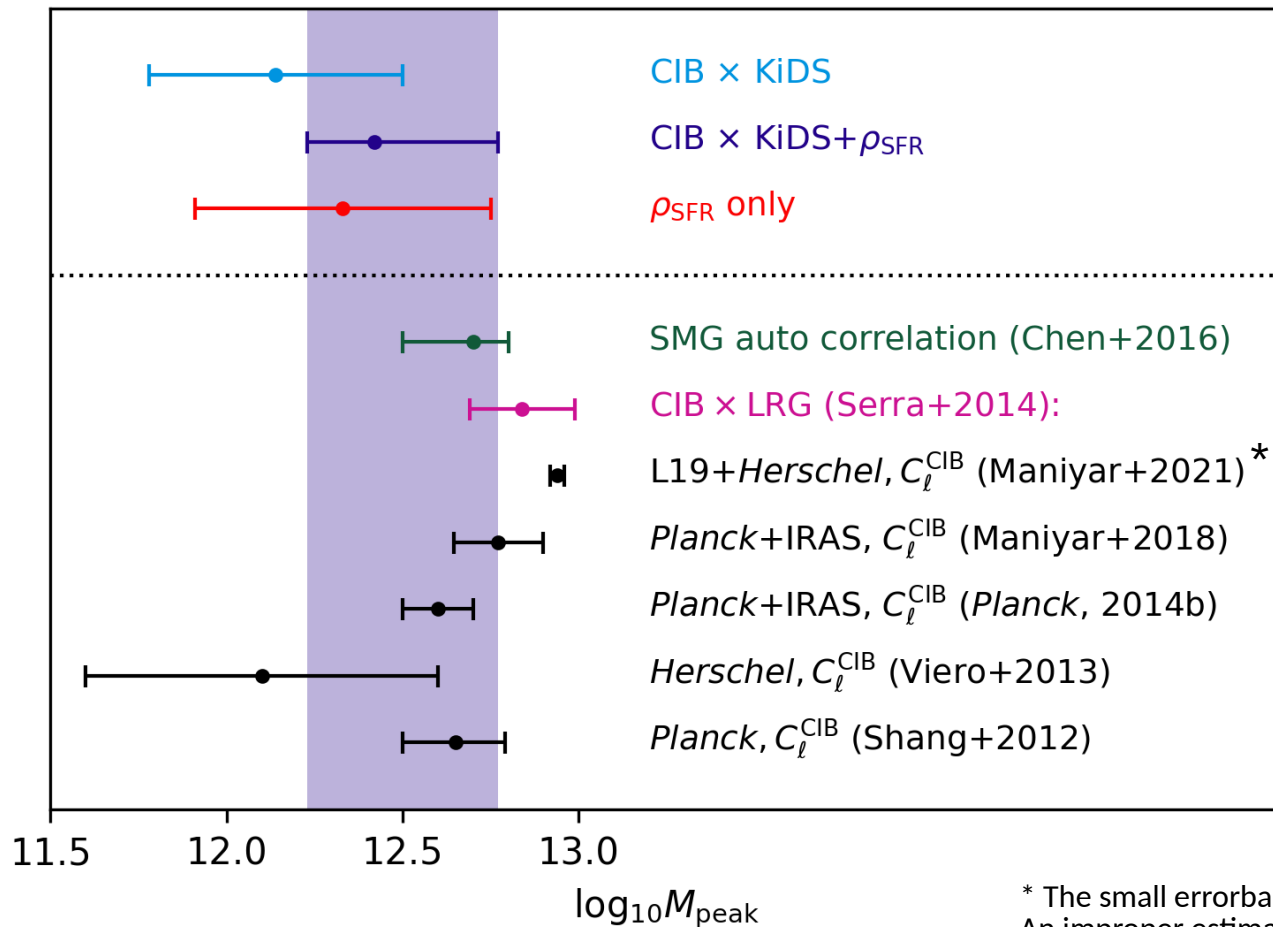


# Constrain the SFR with KiDS x CIB

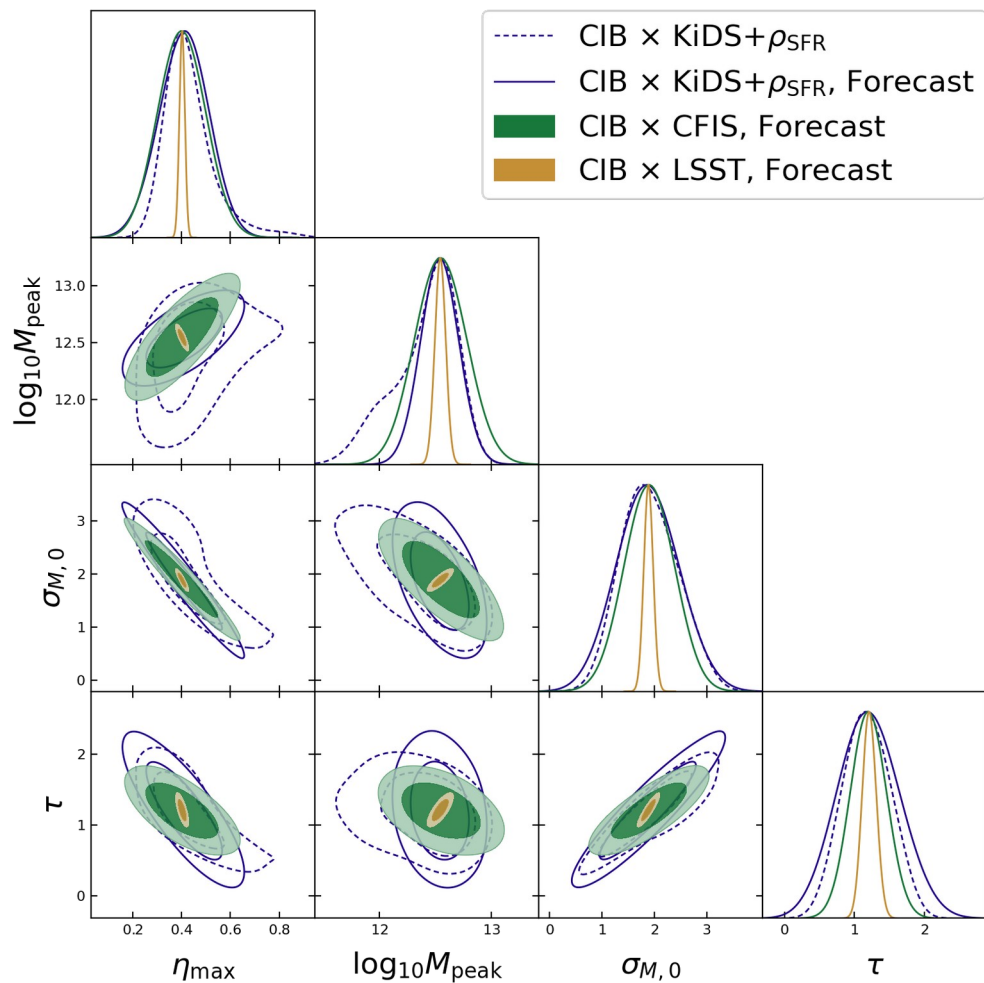


- Most of the parameters are **constrained**
- Three datasets give **consistent** constraints
- The constraints **agree** with multi-wavelength measurements

# Constraints of most-efficient halo mass



# Forecast for future surveys



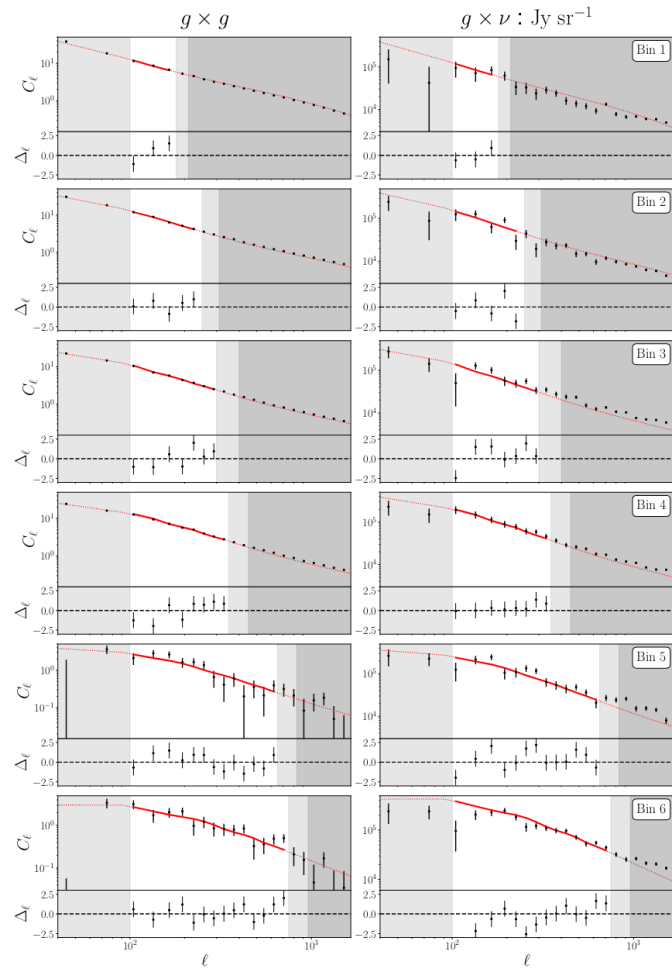
CFIS: Canada-France Imaging Survey  
- sky coverage: 3500 deg<sup>2</sup>;  
- redshift range: similar as KiDS

LSST:  
- sky coverage: 20000 deg<sup>2</sup>  
- redshift range: ~3

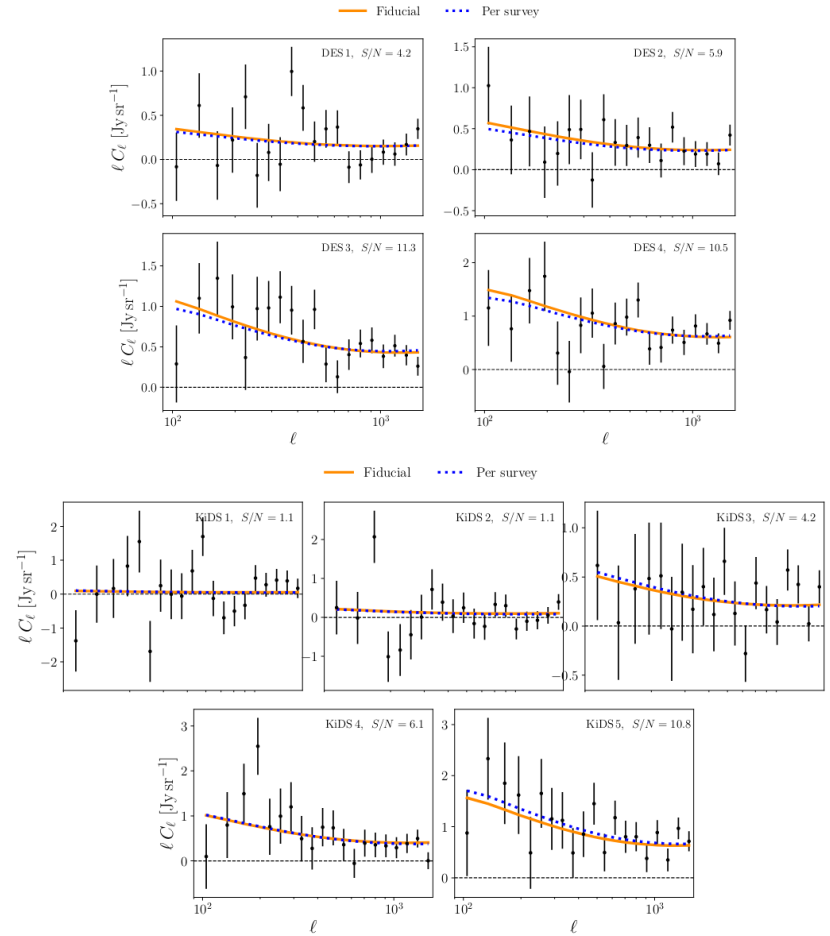
Forecast:  
- CFIS can reach similar constraining power as CIB x KiDS + SFRD;  
- Next generation surveys (including LSST, *Euclid*, and CSST) will improve the constraining a lot!

# **Other studies on CIB cross-correlations**

# SFR from other CIB cross-correlations

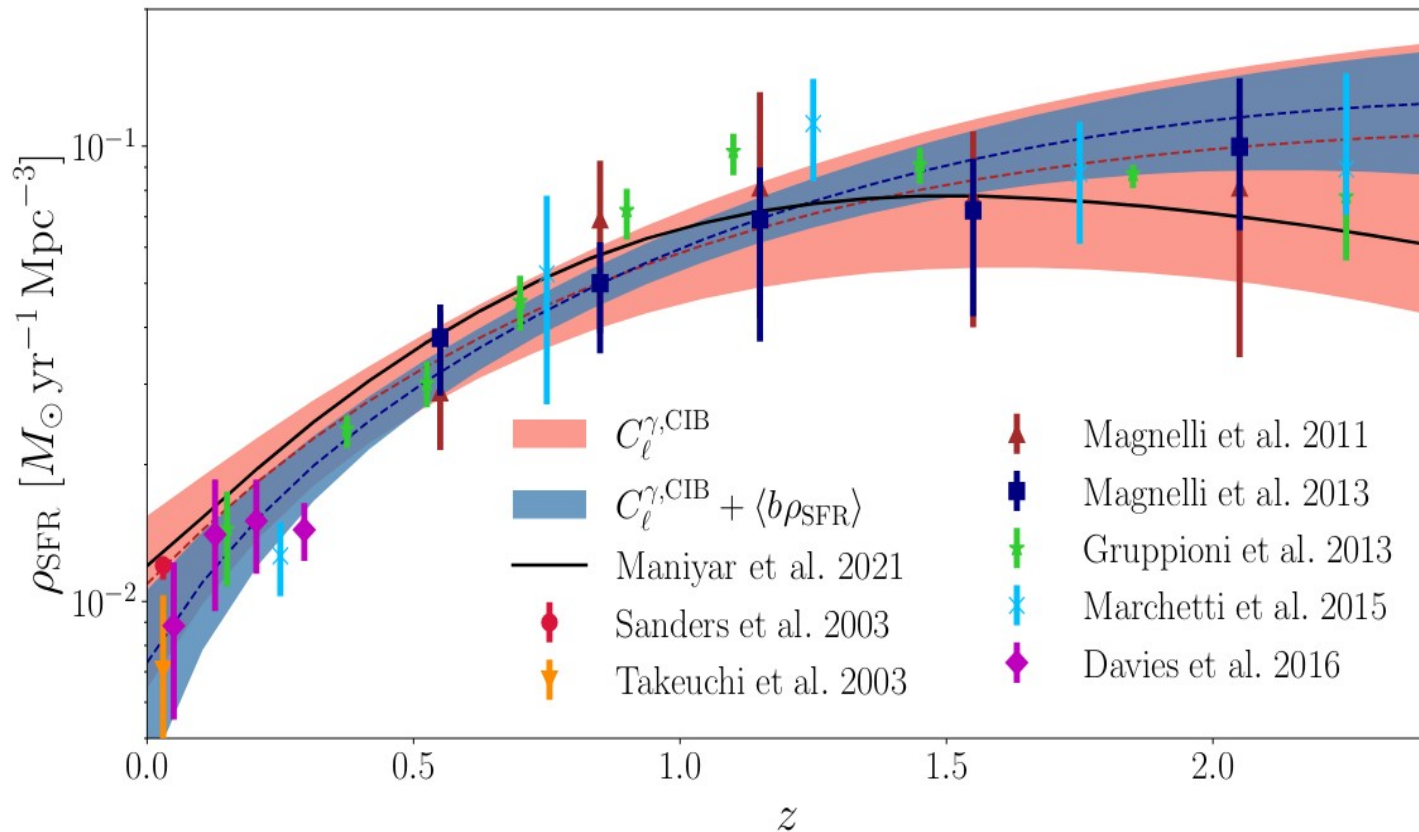


CIB x DELS, eBOSS galaxies (Jego+2022a)



CIB x shear (Jego+2022b)

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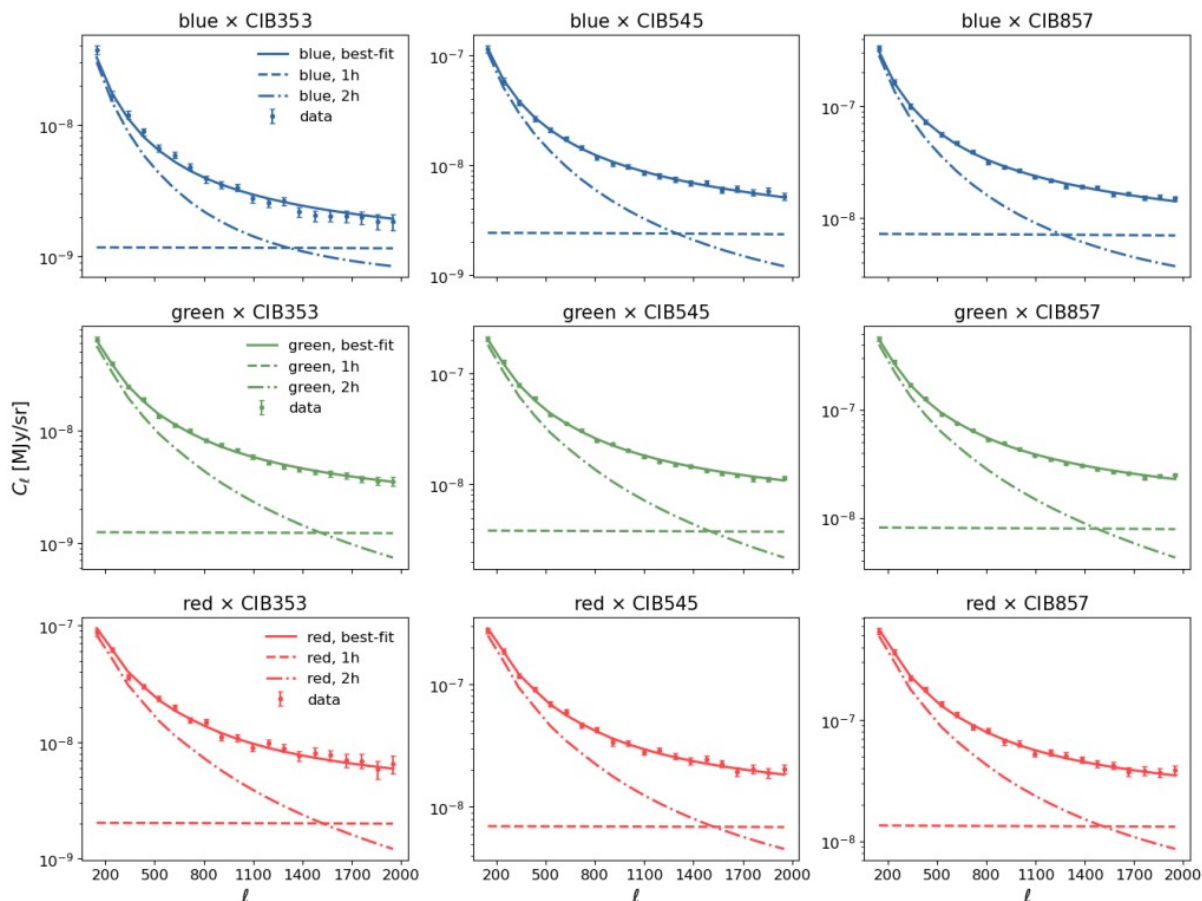
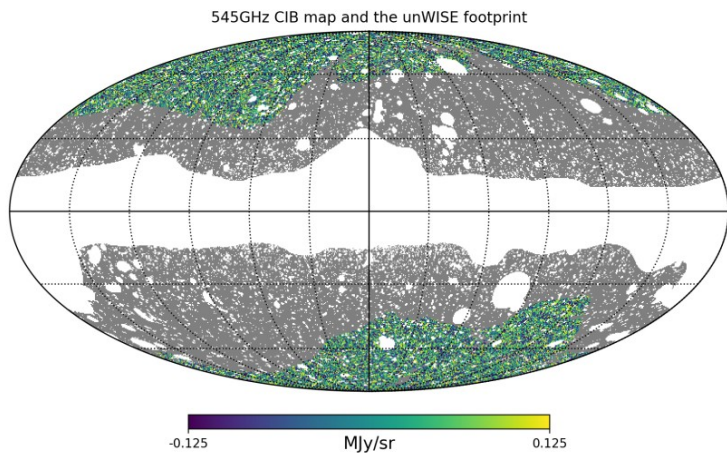


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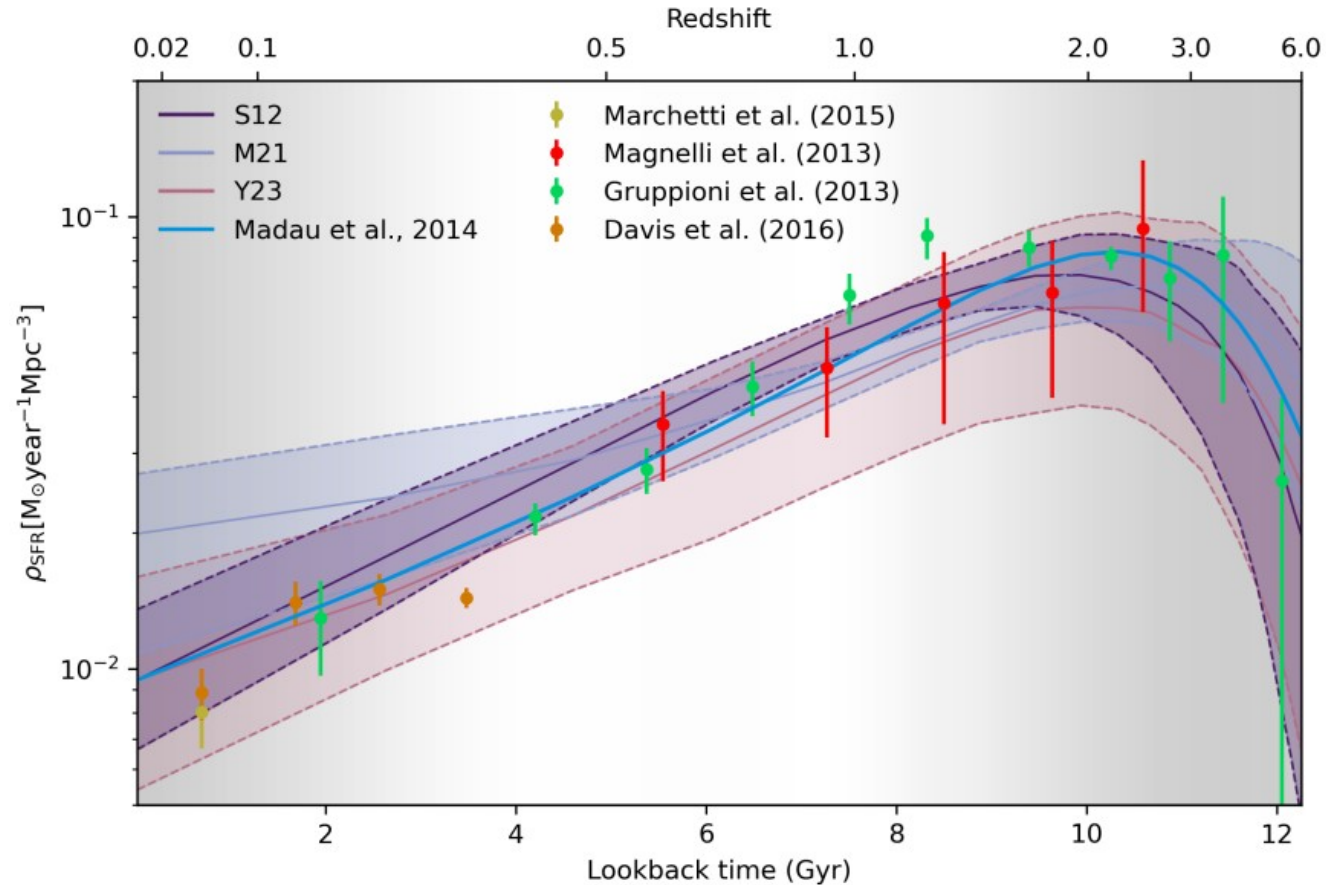
# CIB-unWISE galaxy cross-correlation

- Galaxy sample: unWISE sample (covering **54%** of the sky), 3 tomographic bins

- signal-to-noise: **194**



# Star formation Constraints from unWISE x CIB

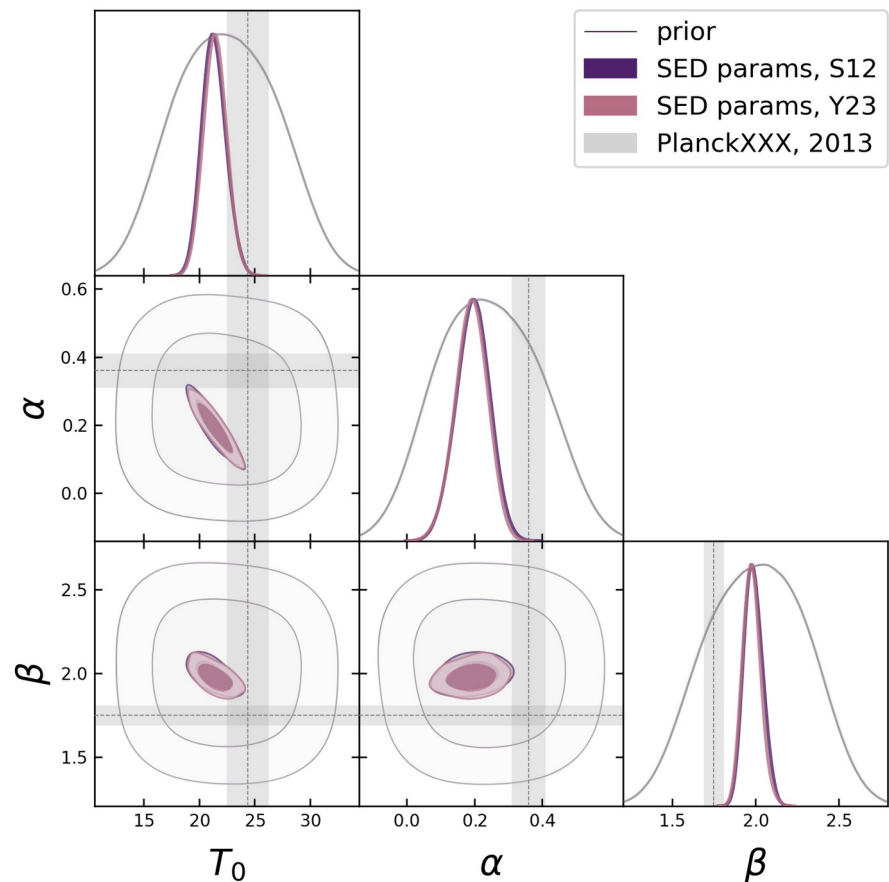
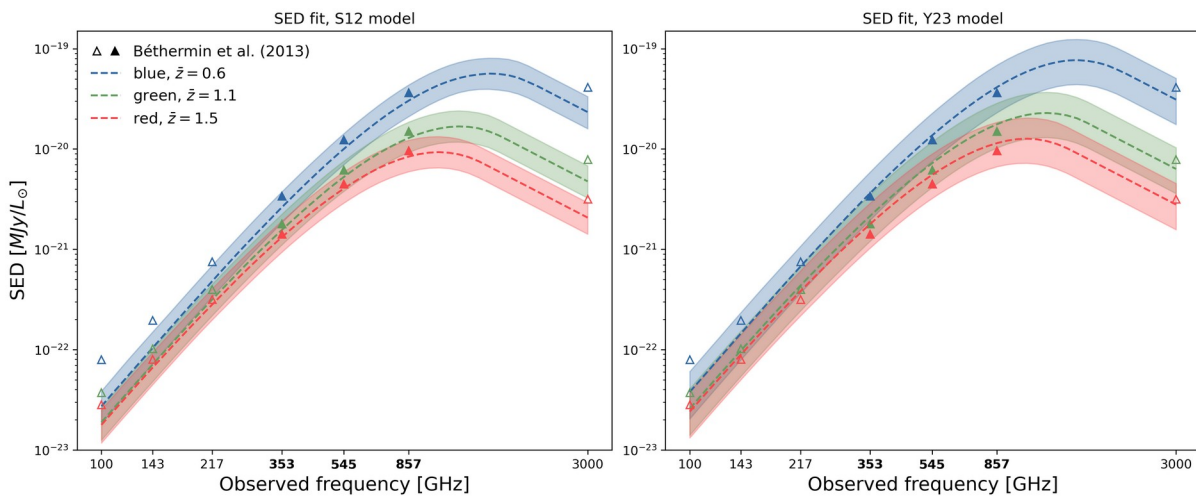




# Dust SED Constraints from unWISE x CIB

SED model: **gray-body spectrum**

Dust temperature **~21K**



# Conclusions and future prospects

- **We can study galaxy-scale physics by LSS statistics;**
- The CIB is **strongly correlated** with galaxy distribution;
- CIB-galaxy cross-correlation can be used to constrain cosmic star formation history and more;
- Consistencies between observations and models suggest that we are reaching a **converged picture** of IR-SFR related studies;
- Future galaxy surveys will provide more precise measurement of CIB cross-correlation, which might call for more sophisticated models (including feedback, quenching, galaxy type-dependent modeling, etc).

***Thank you for listening!***

# Back-up slides

# CIB intensity

The measured CIB intensity map (in MJy/sr) is an integral of IR emissions along the line of sight:

$$I_\nu(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \int d\chi a j_{(1+z)\nu}(\chi, \boldsymbol{\theta})$$

The IR emission coefficient at observed frequency is related to the IR luminosity via:

$$j_{(1+z)\nu}(z) = \int dL \frac{dn}{dL} \frac{L_{(1+z)\nu}(z)}{4\pi} = \int dM \frac{dn}{dM} \frac{L_{(1+z)\nu}(M, z)}{4\pi},$$

And the specific IR flux from a halo with mass  $M$  at redshift  $z$  is:

$$F_\nu(M, z) = \frac{L_{(1+z)\nu}(M, z)}{4\pi\chi^2(1+z)}$$

# Angular cross-correlation model

A sky map of fluctuation of the 'u' field is its projected spatial fluctuation:

$$u(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \int d\chi W^u(\chi) \delta_u(\boldsymbol{\theta}, z(\chi))$$

	Radial kernels:	Spatial fluctuations:
CIB intensity:	$W^{\text{CIB}}(\chi) = \frac{1}{1+z(\chi)}$	$j_\nu(\boldsymbol{\theta}, z)$
Galaxy count:	$W^g(\chi) = \frac{H(\chi)}{c} n_g(z(\chi))$	$\delta_g(\boldsymbol{\theta}, z)$

Limber approximation (valid for  $\ell > 10$ ):

$$C_\ell^{g\nu} = \int \frac{d\chi}{\chi^2} W^g(\chi) W^{\text{CIB}}(\chi) P_{g\nu} \left( k = \frac{\ell + 1/2}{\chi}, z(\chi) \right)$$

$$\langle \tilde{\delta}_g(\mathbf{k}, z) \tilde{j}_\nu(\mathbf{k}', z) \rangle = (2\pi)^3 P_{g\nu}(k, z) \delta^3(|\mathbf{k} - \mathbf{k}'|)$$

# CIB-SFR connections

The specific IR flux is the total IR luminosity times the spectral energy distribution (SED):

$$F_\nu(M, z) = L_{\text{IR}}(M, z) S_{\text{eff}}[(1+z)\nu, z],$$

The total IR luminosity is linked with the SFR via Kennicutt relation:

$$L_{\text{IR}}(M, z) = \text{SFR}(M, z) / K$$

Therefore, the IR emission coefficients can be modelled as:

$$j_{(1+z)\nu}(z) = \frac{\rho_{\text{SFR}}(z)(1+z)S_{\text{eff}}[(1+z)\nu, z] \chi^2}{K},$$

# CIB models used in unWISE x CIB

- The S12 model (Shang et al. 2012)
  - SFR history: given by a power law of  $(1+z)$ ;
  - SED: graybody (normalization factor fixed by introducing SFRD( $z=0$ ))
- The M21 model (Maniyar et al. 2021)
  - SFR history: BAR (fixed) x star forming efficiency (lognormal)
  - SED: fixed from IR flux stacking (Betherman et al. 2013, Betherman et al. 2015)
- The Y23 model
  - SFR history: BAR (fixed) x star forming efficiency (lognormal)
  - SED: graybody (normalization factor fixed by introducing SFRD( $z=0$ ))



# Halo model for CIB x galaxy

The 1- and 2-halo terms of galaxy-CIB power spectrum:

$$P_{g\nu,1h}(k) = \int_0^\infty dM \frac{dn}{dM} \langle \tilde{p}_g(k|M) \tilde{p}_\nu(k|M) \rangle$$

$$P_{g\nu,2h}(k) = \langle b_g \rangle(k) \langle b_\nu \rangle(k) P^{\text{lin}}(k)$$

$$\langle b_{g/\nu} \rangle(k) \equiv \int_0^\infty dM \frac{dn}{dM} b_h(M) \langle \tilde{p}_{g/\nu}(k|M) \rangle,$$

Cross-correlation of profiles in the 1-halo term

$$\begin{aligned} \langle p_g(k|M) p_\nu(k|M) \rangle &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \langle N_s(M) \rangle \langle L_{\nu,s}(M) \rangle p_{\text{NFW}}^2(k|M) \\ &\quad + \langle N_c(M) \rangle \langle L_{\nu,s}(M) \rangle p_{\text{NFW}}(k|M) \\ &\quad + \langle N_s(M) \rangle \langle L_{\nu,c}(M) \rangle p_{\text{NFW}}(k|M). \end{aligned}$$

# The halo occupation distribution (HOD)

Central and satellite galaxy counts:

$$\langle N_c(M) \rangle = \frac{1}{2} \left[ 1 + \operatorname{erf} \left( \frac{\ln(M/M_{\min})}{\sigma_{\ln M}} \right) \right]$$
$$\langle N_s(M) \rangle = N_c(M) \Theta(M - M_0) \left( \frac{M - M_0}{M_1} \right)^{\alpha_s},$$

SFR from central and satellite galaxies

$$\operatorname{SFR}_c(M) = \langle N_c(M) \rangle \times \operatorname{SFR}(M)$$

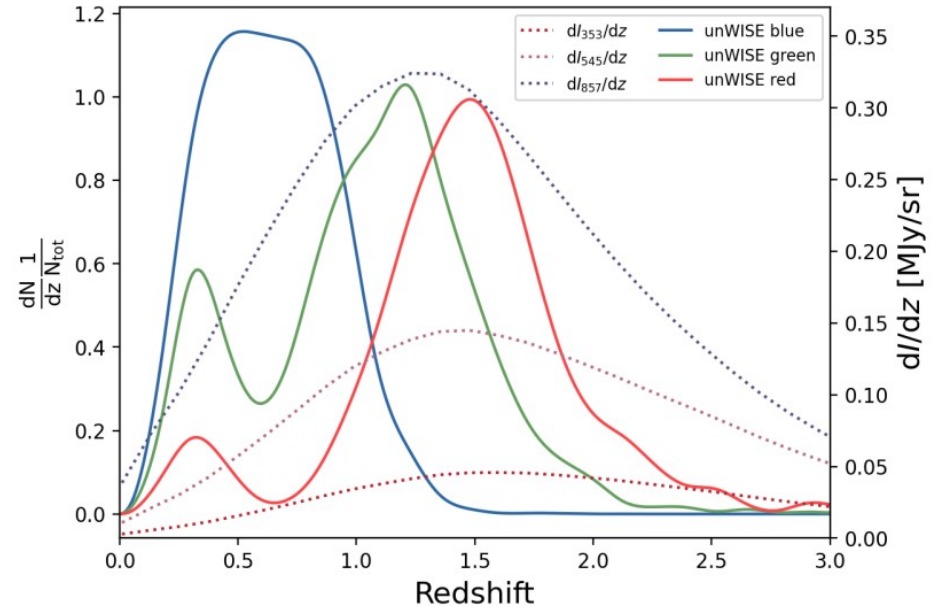
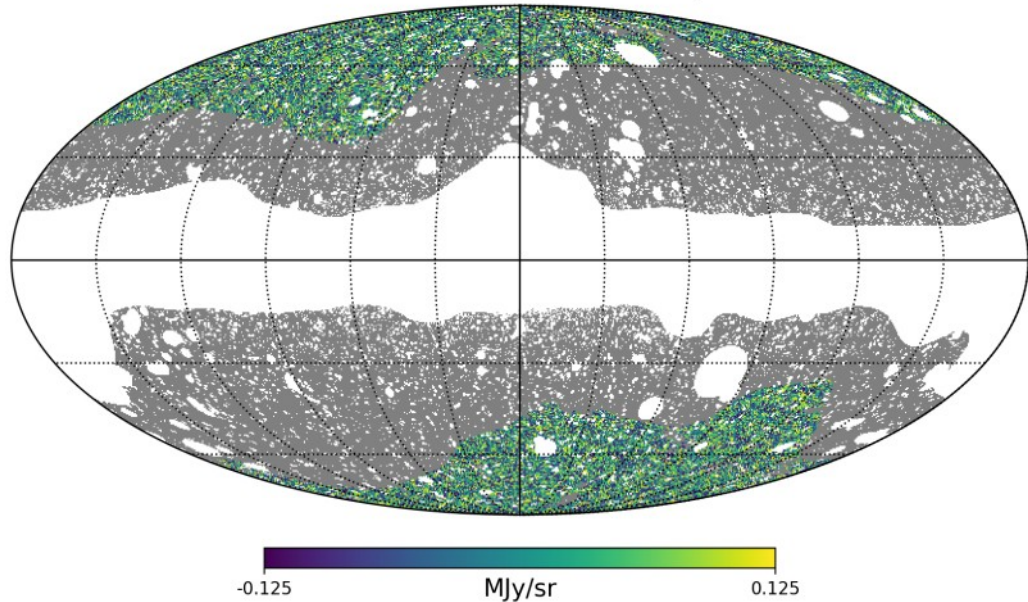
$$\operatorname{SFR}_s(M) = \int d \ln m \left( \frac{dN_{\text{sub}}}{d \ln m} \right) \operatorname{SFR}_s(m|M),$$

where  $\operatorname{SFR}_s(m|M) = \min \{ \operatorname{SFR}(m), m/M \times \operatorname{SFR}(M) \}$ .

# Galaxy data: unWISE catalog

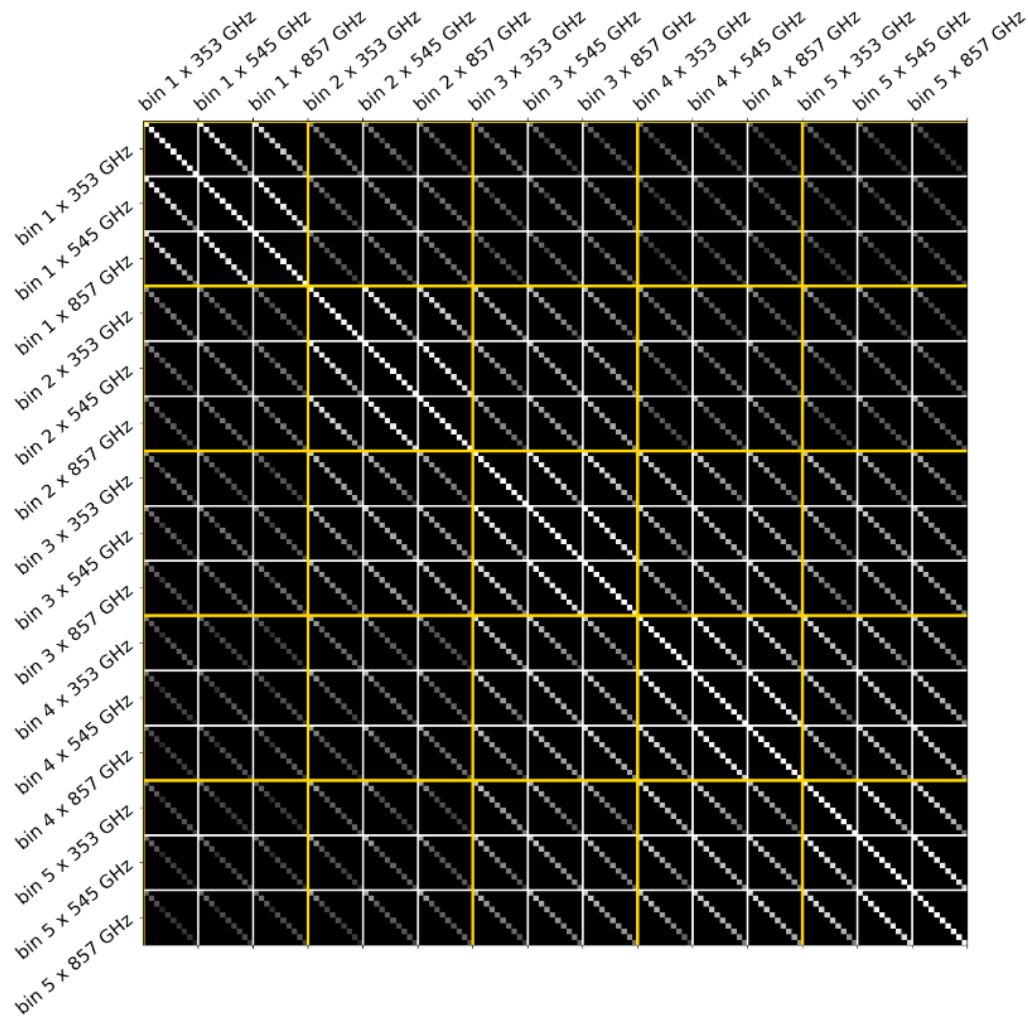
- Selected from the Wide Field Infrared Survey Explorer (WISE) satellite mission (Wright et al. 2010),
- Sky coverage:  $\sim 54\%$  (overlapped region  $\sim 10\%$ )
- 3 tomographic bins

545GHz CIB map and the unWISE footprint

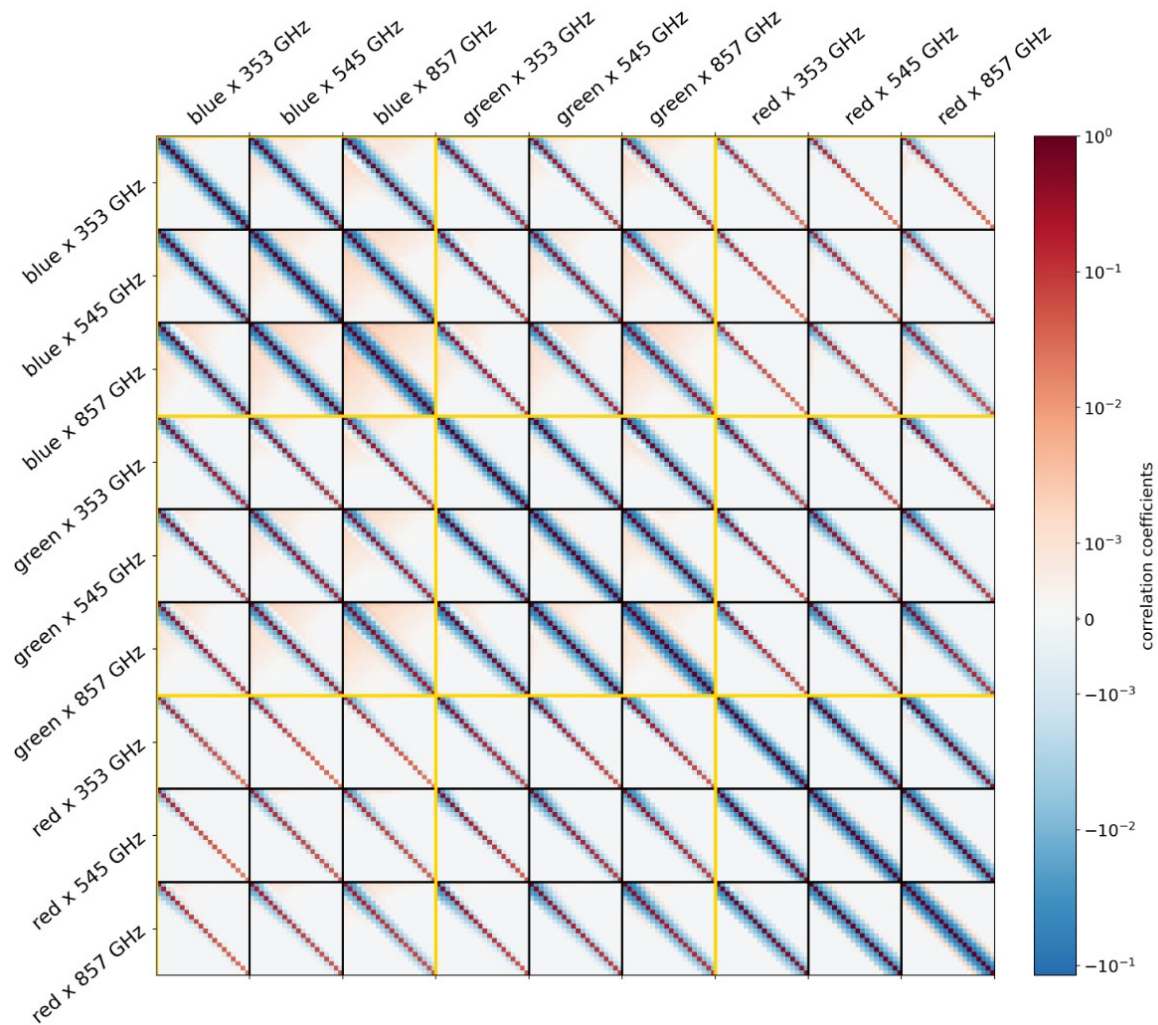


# Covariance Matrix (KiDS x CIB)

Covariance matrix includes  
Gaussian, non-Gaussian  
connected, and super  
sample covariance



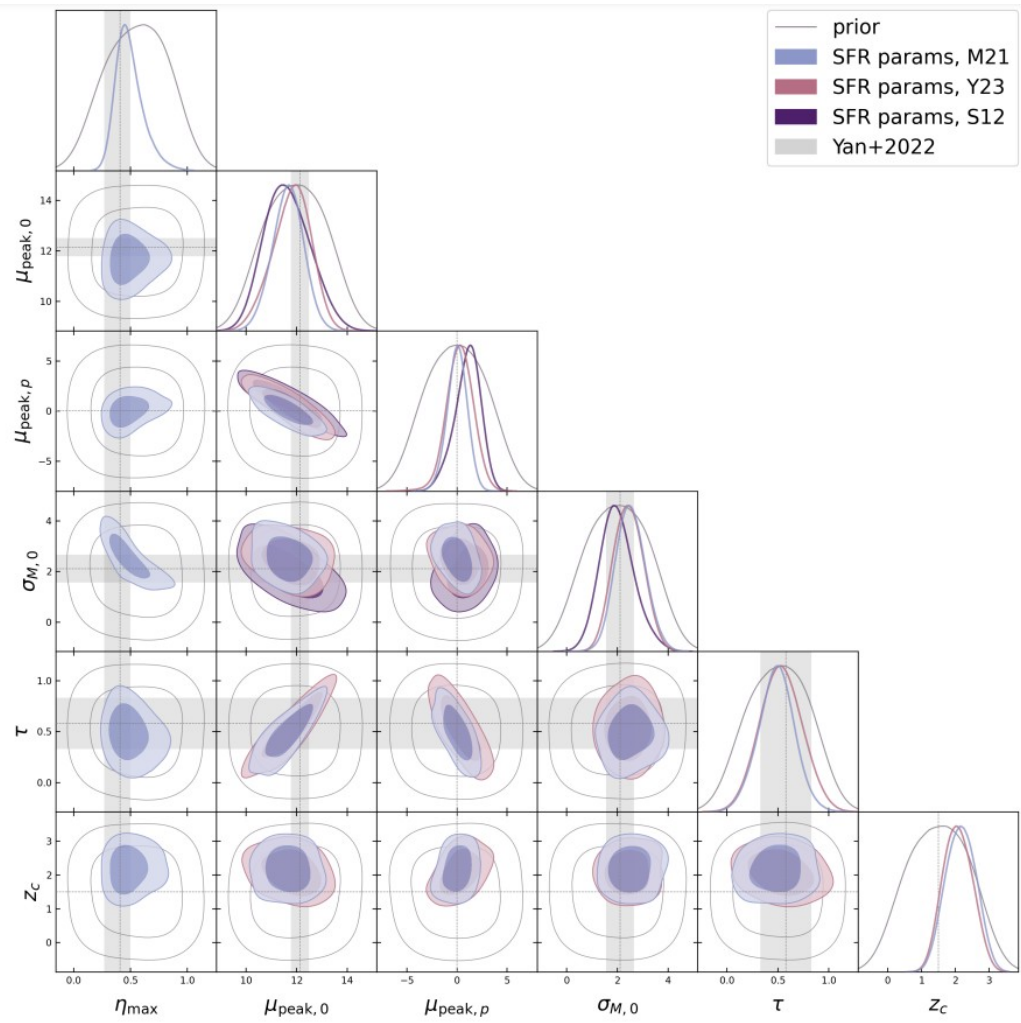
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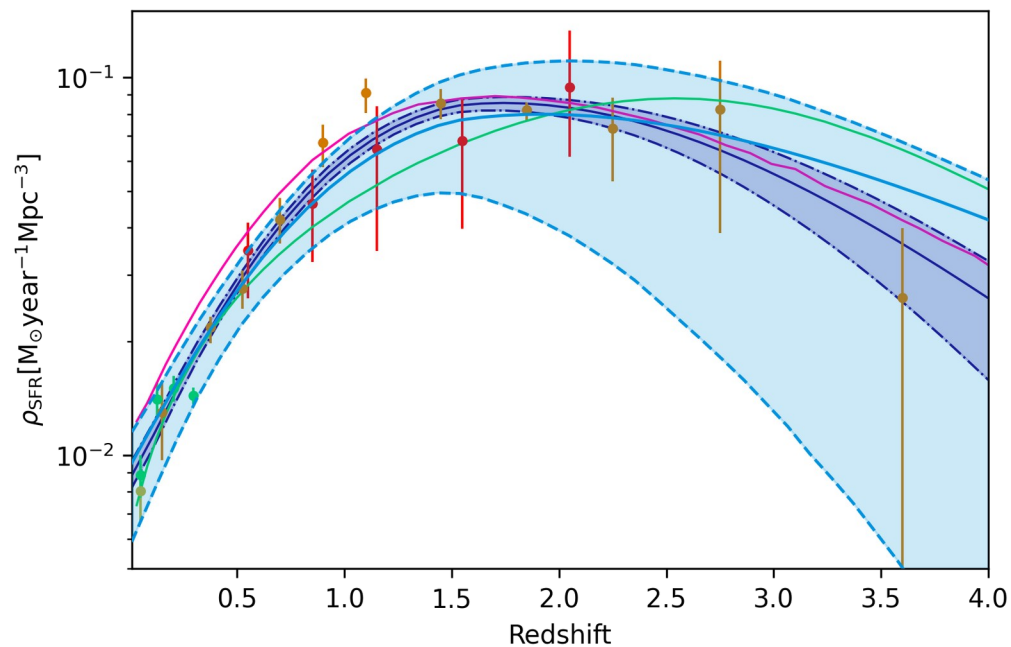
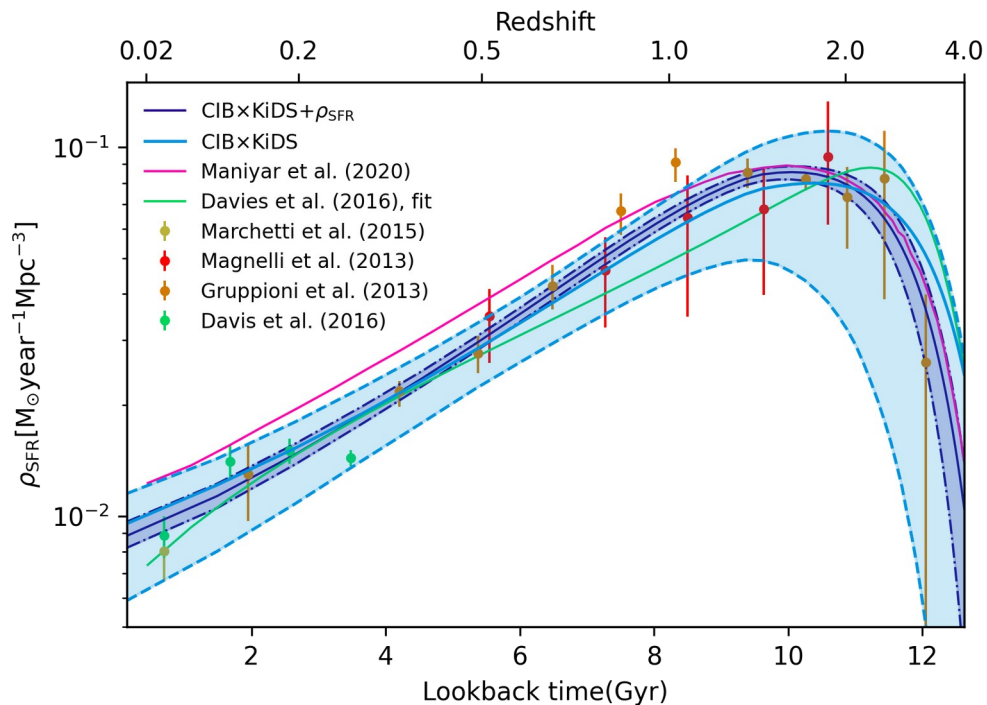
# Systematics considered

- Cosmic magnification;
- Redshift distribution uncertainty;
- CIB color-correction factor;
- one to two halo transition region smoothing (with HMCODE 2020);

# Constrain the SFR with unWISE x CIB



# SFR history Constraints

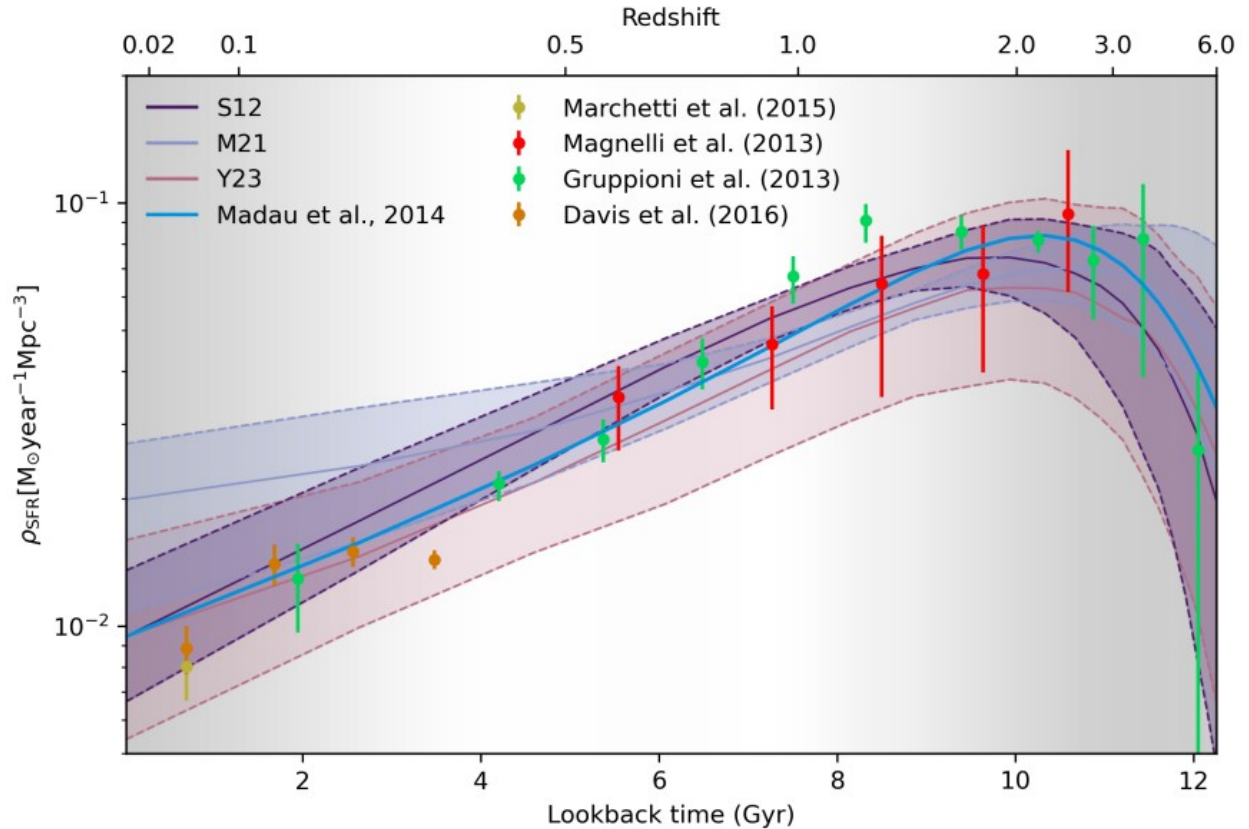




# SFR history Constraints from unWISE x CIB

S12, M21, and Y23 are three CIB models different in their SED and SFR parametrization inspired by previous studies

In this work, we assume a evolving  $M_{\text{peak}}$  in our model and find no significant redshift dependence.



# SED constraints from unWISE x CIB

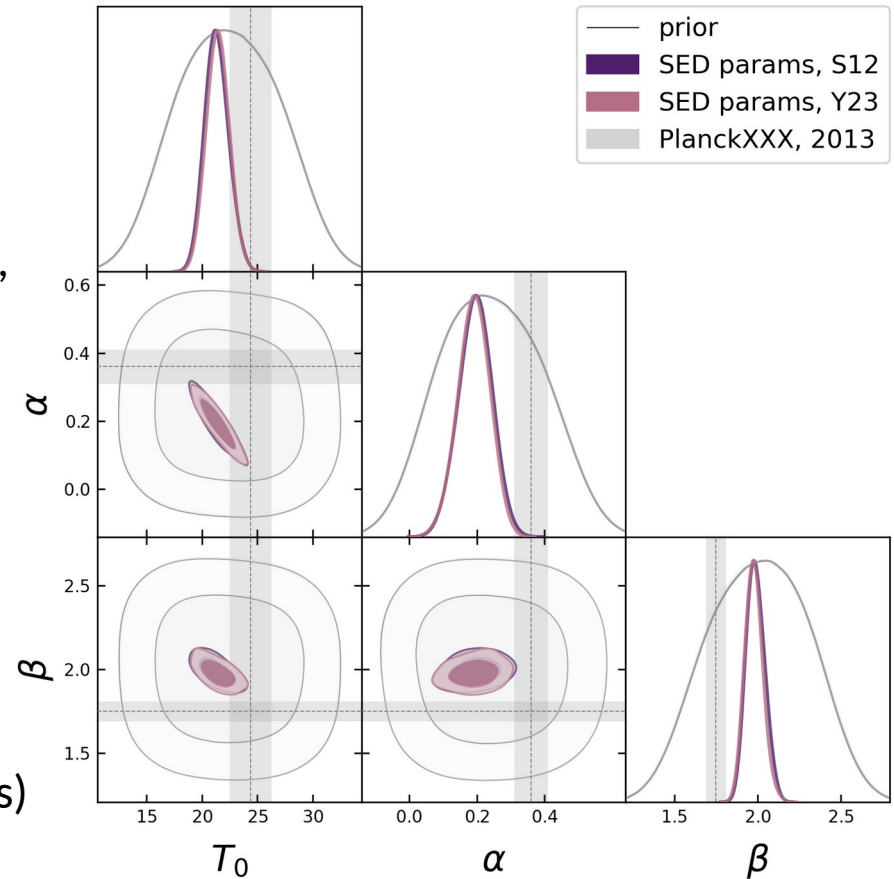
In the KiDS x CIB work, we **fixed the dust SED** as that measured from IR flux stacking (Bethsermin et al. 2013)

In this project, we try to constrain the SED with unWISE x CIB by assuming **a gray-body spectrum** (Shang et al. 2012, Planck XXX, 2013)

$$\Theta_{\text{eff}}(\nu', z) \propto \begin{cases} \nu'^{\beta} B_{\nu'}(T_d) & \nu' < \nu'_0 \\ \nu'^{-\gamma} & \nu' \geq \nu'_0, \end{cases}$$

Where  $\nu' = \nu(1+z)$  is the rest-frame frequency; dust temperature is modeled as  $T_d(z) = T_0(1+z)^{\alpha}$

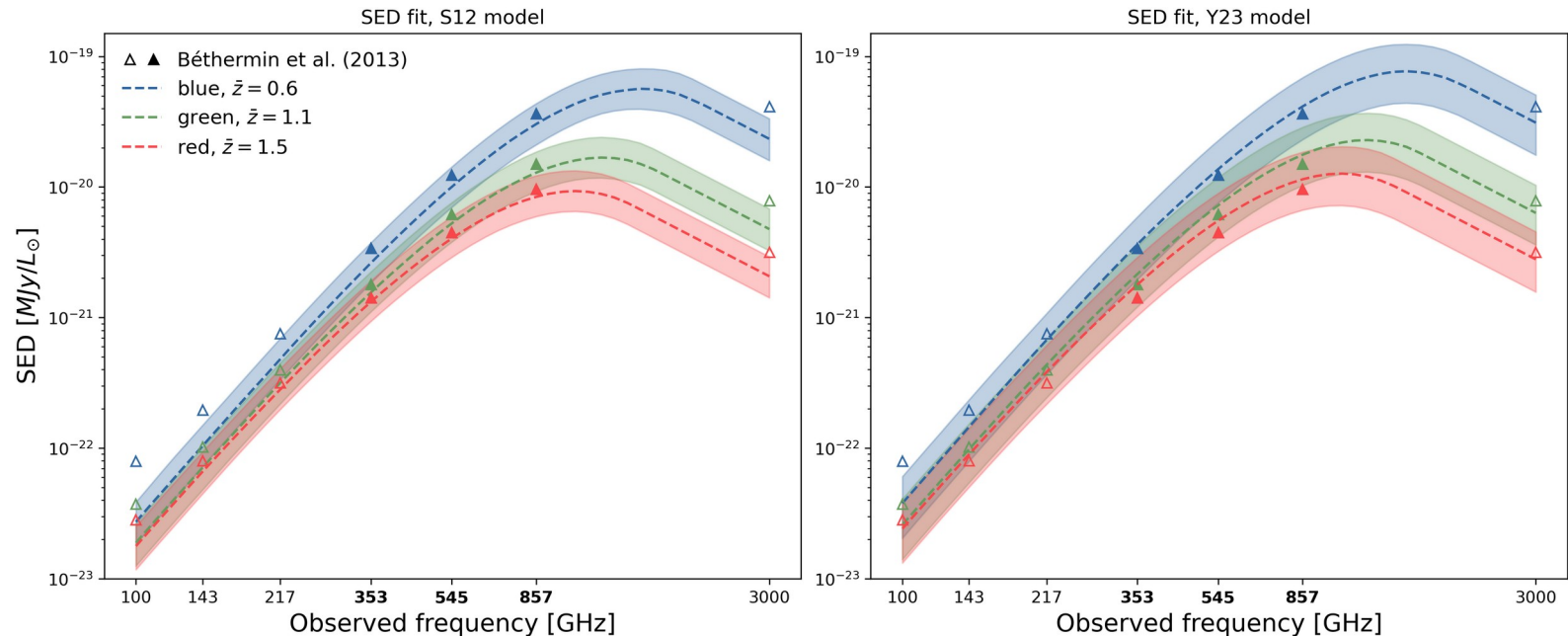
The connection frequency  $\nu'_0$  ensures the smoothness of two spectra (much higher than the Planck HFI frequencies)



# SED constraints from unWISE x CIB

The SED normalization parameter is completely degenerate with the SFR. We fix it by fixing the SFRD at  $z=0$  given by a synthesis of multiwavelength studies (Madau & Dickinson 2014)

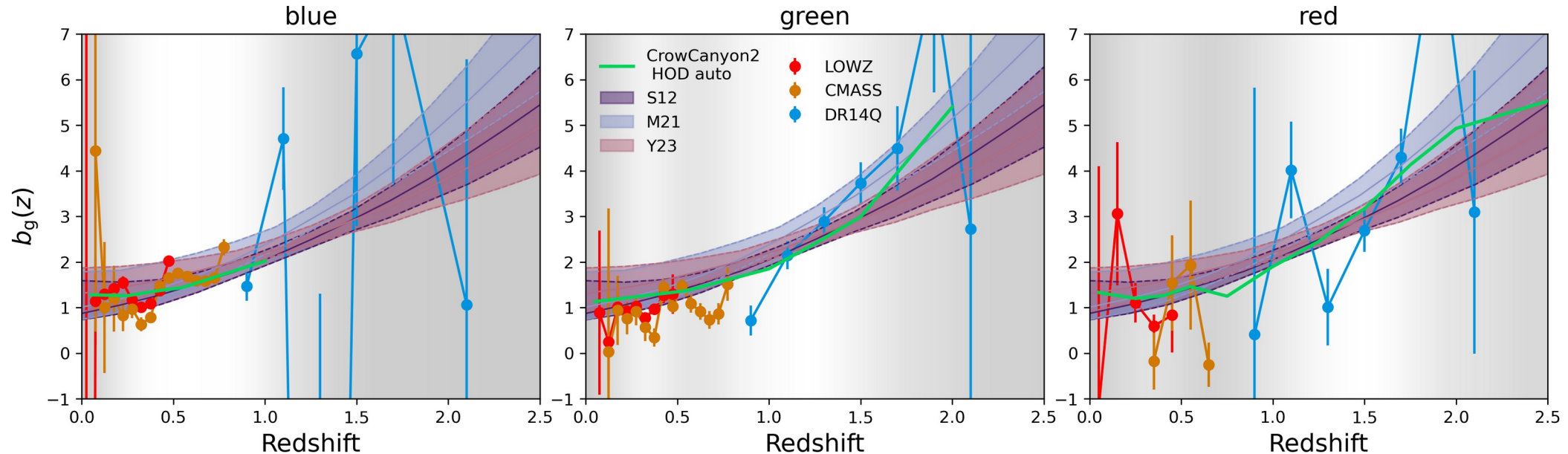
SED is constrained in agreement with IR flux stacking (Bethérmin et al. 2013) at our frequency bands



# Galaxy bias constraints from unWISE x CIB

Galaxy bias is derived from HOD parameters.

$$b_g(z) = \frac{1}{\bar{n}_g(z)} \int dM \frac{dn}{dM} b_h(M, z) [N_c(M, z) + N_s(M, z)],$$



# Constrain the HOD with unWISE x CIB

