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# DECOUPLING THE INTEGRALS OF COSMOLOGICAL PERTURBATION THEORY

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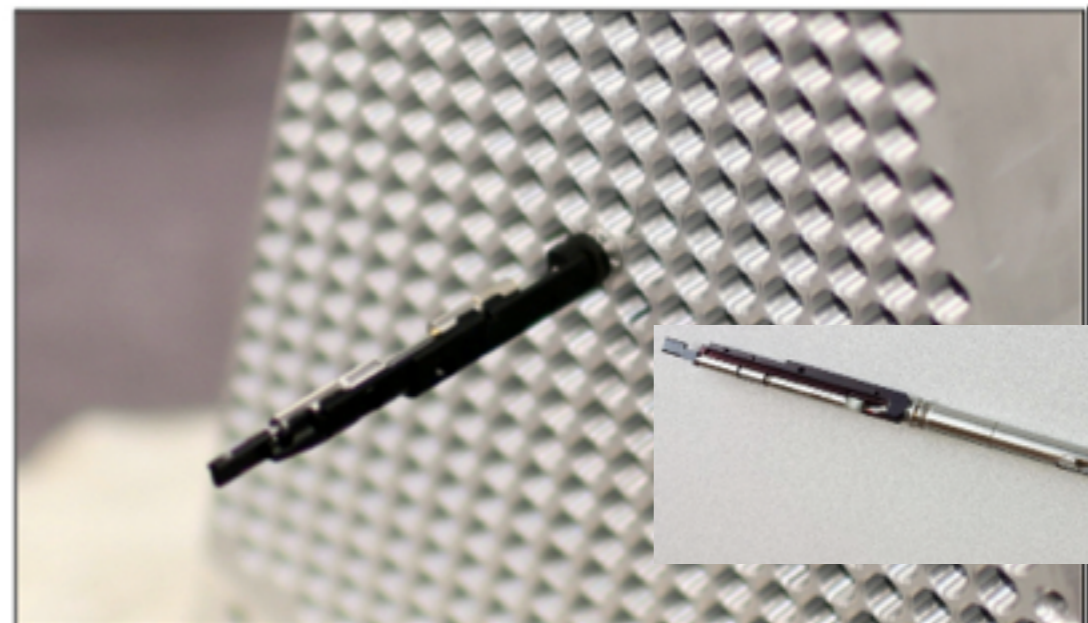
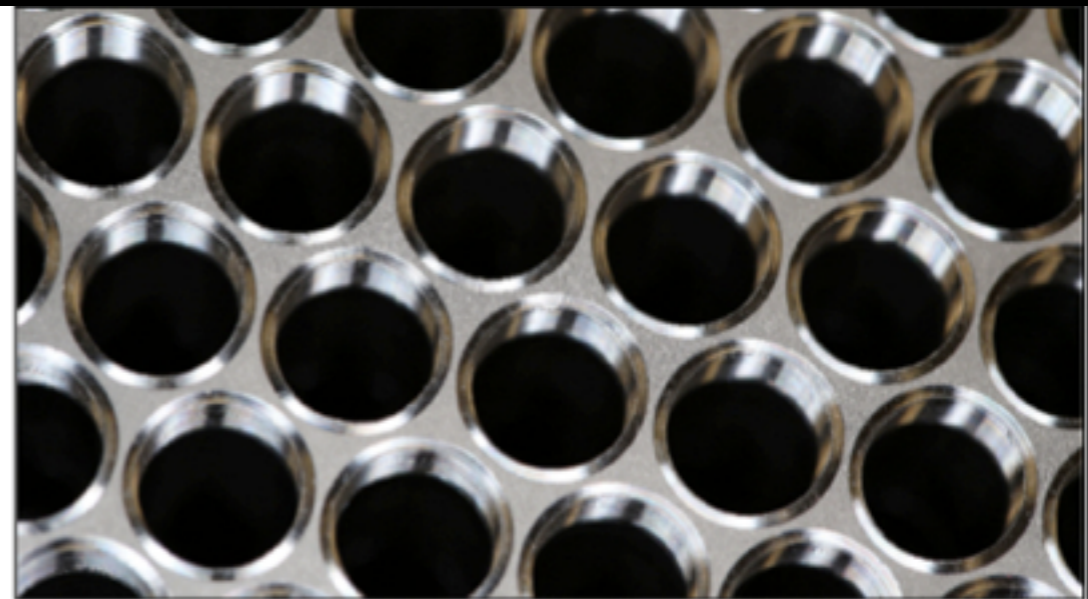
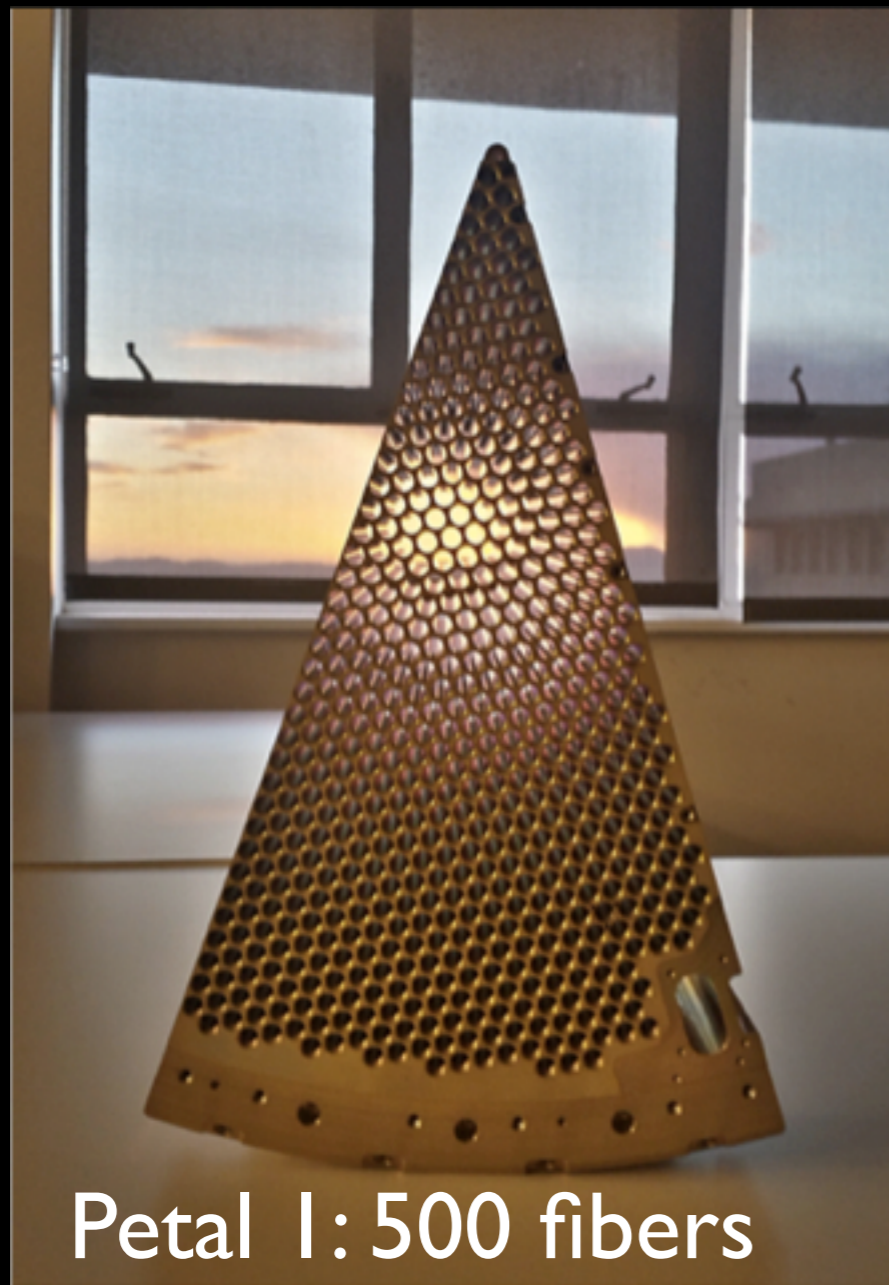
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SDSS BOSS:  $\sim 1$  M galaxies (to 2016)

DESI:  $\sim 30$  M galaxies, quasars (2019-2024)

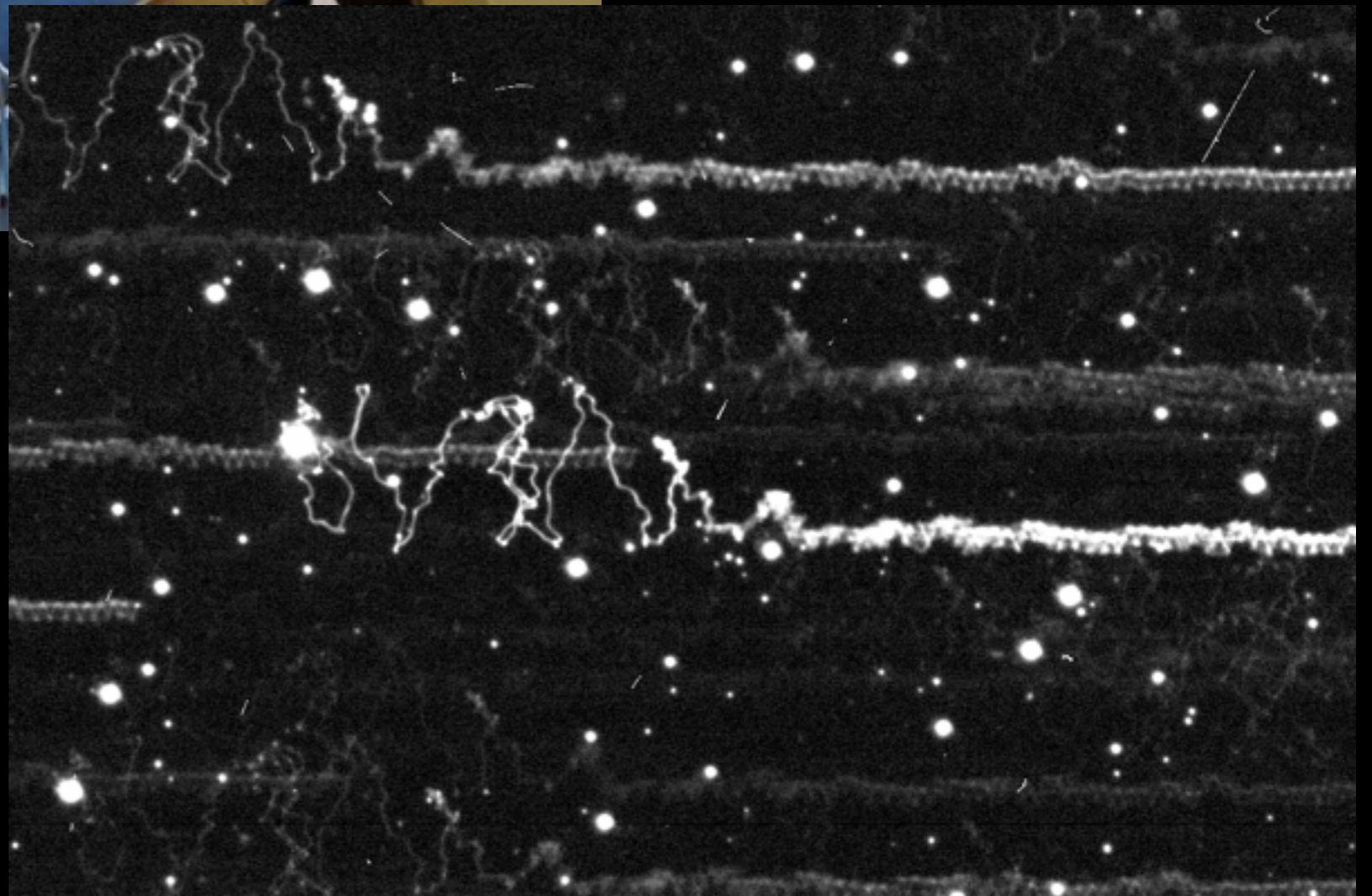
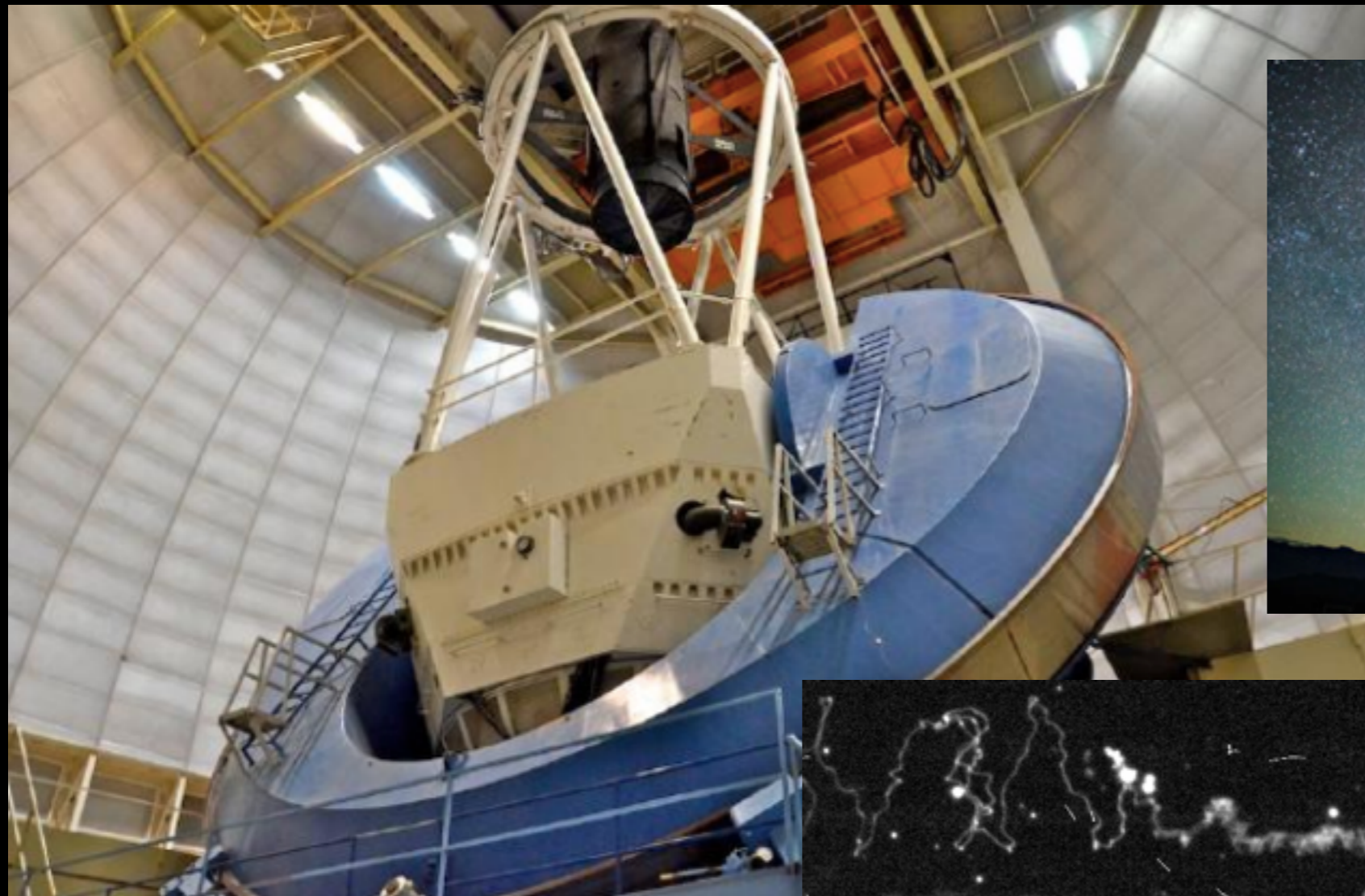


5k robotic positioners: reconfigure in  $\sim 1$  minute

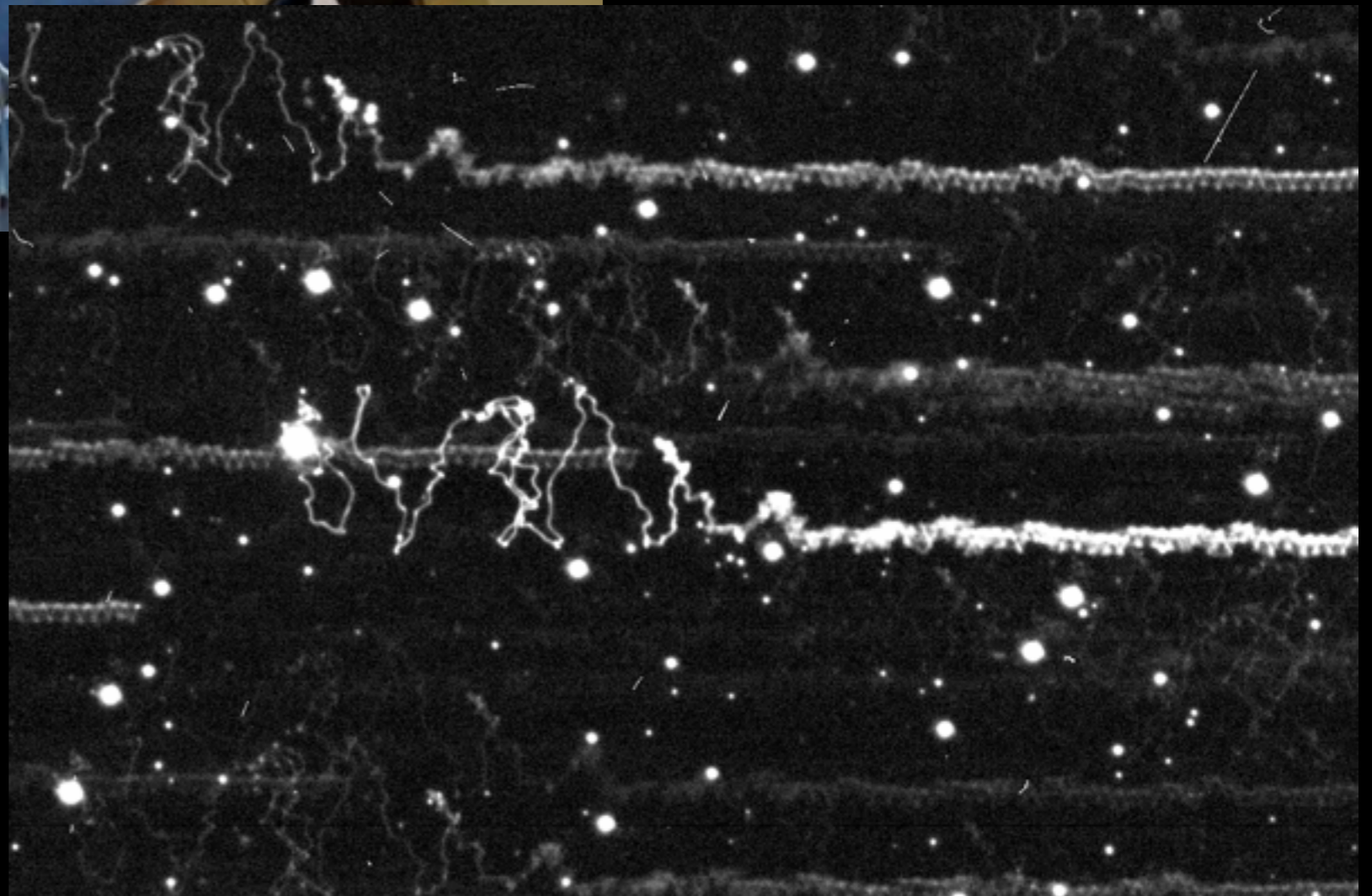
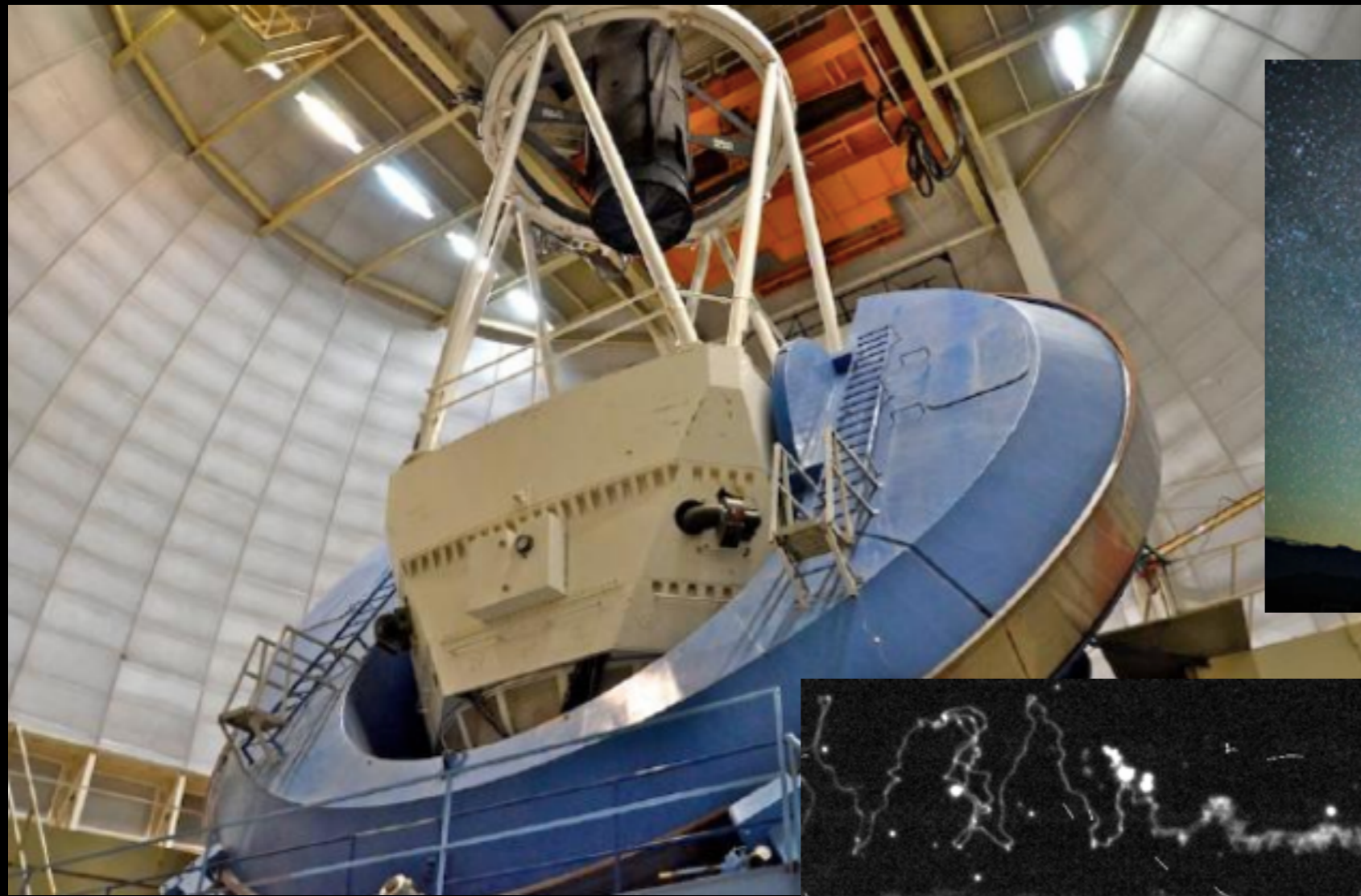




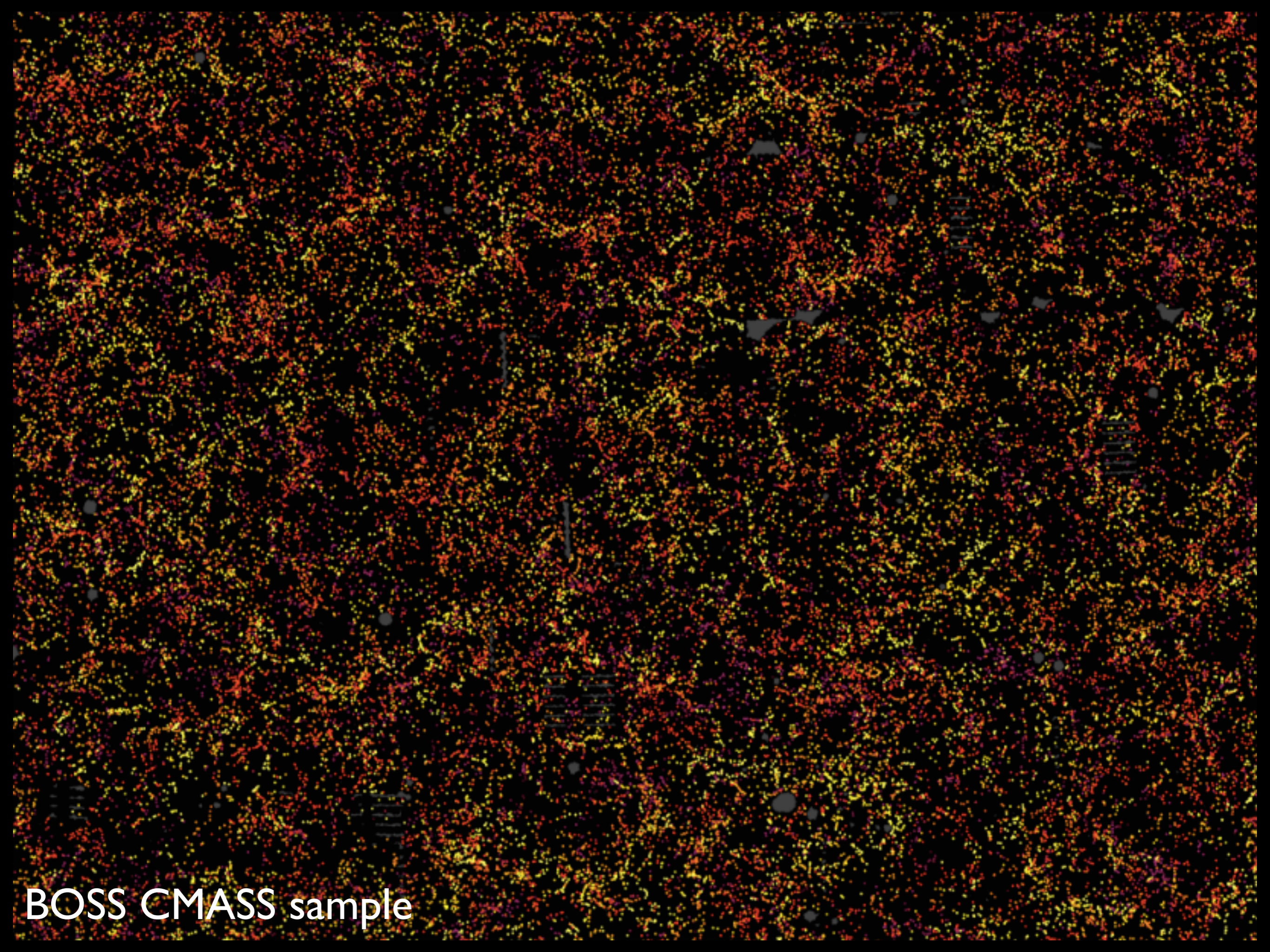












BOSS CMASS sample



Ultimate goal: *cosmological parameters*  
6 numbers, perhaps 8

Density of matter, baryons, & dark energy; dark  
energy  $w$ ,  $H_0$ ,  $n_s$ ,  $\sigma_8$ ;  $m_\nu$ ,  $r$

Test gravity and inflation

*To hold the Universe's origins and eventual fate all  
at once together in the mind*



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CMBFAST/  
CAMB/CLASS

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DESI,  
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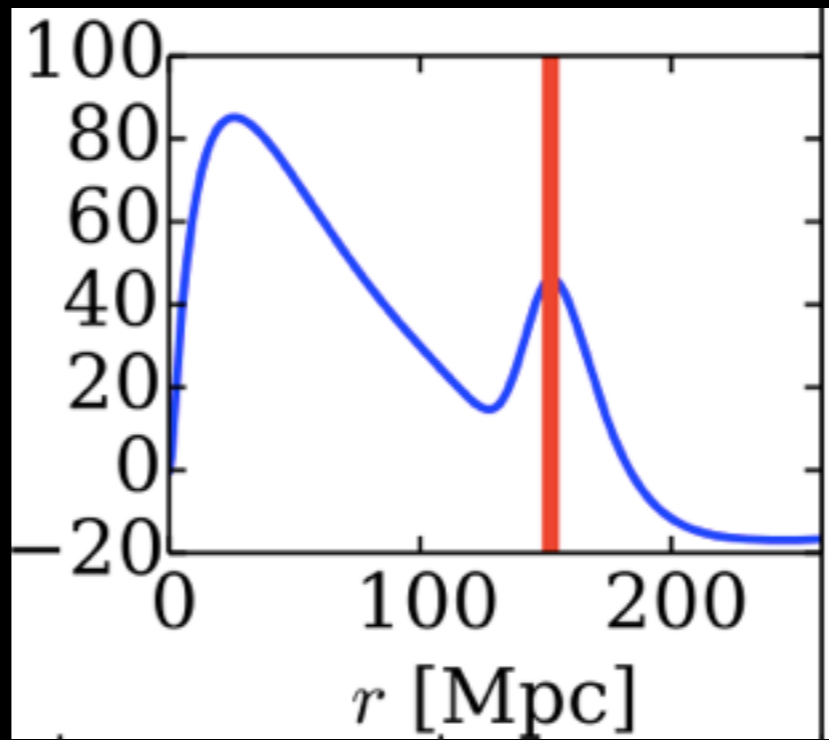
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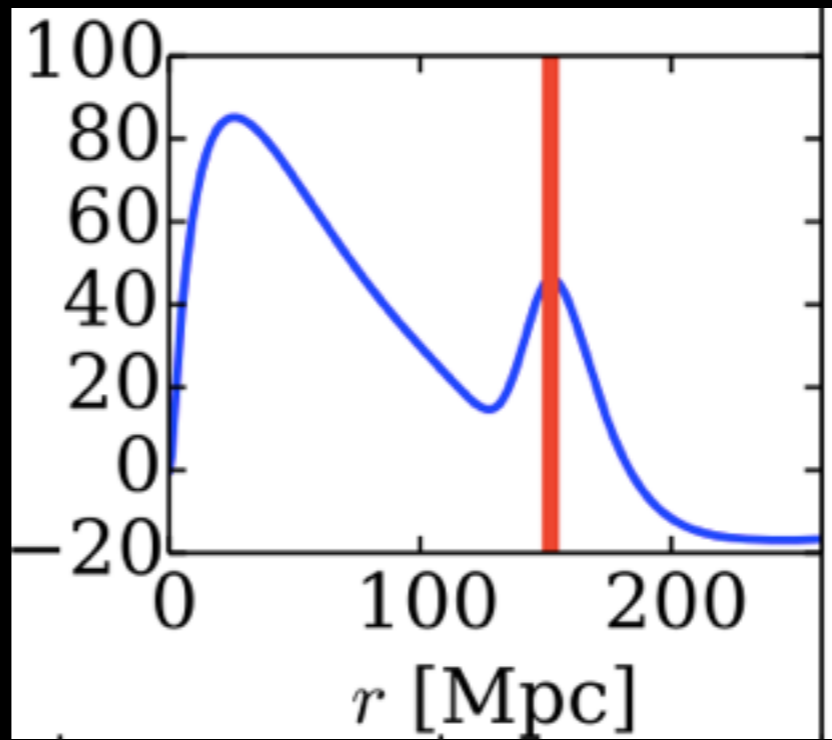


**homogeneous**



**isotropic**

meaning of **law**



**Correlation function/  
power spectrum**



**Perturbation theory:** observed statistics of galaxy clustering  $\rightarrow$  linear theory  $\rightarrow$  cosmological parameters

**Analyze DESI:** MCMC over millions of cosmo. parameter sets  $\rightarrow$  observable stats.

*Can we make PT faster?*



# COSMOLOGICAL PERTURBATION THEORY

**Focus on CDM, assume fluid, consider solely gravity**

**Mass conservation, momentum conservation, gravitational potential**

$$\dot{\delta} + \nabla \cdot [(1 + \delta)\vec{v}] = 0$$

$$\dot{\vec{v}} + (\vec{v} \cdot \nabla)\vec{v} = -\mathcal{H}\vec{v} - \nabla\phi$$

$$\nabla^2\phi = 4\pi G\bar{\rho}a^2\delta$$

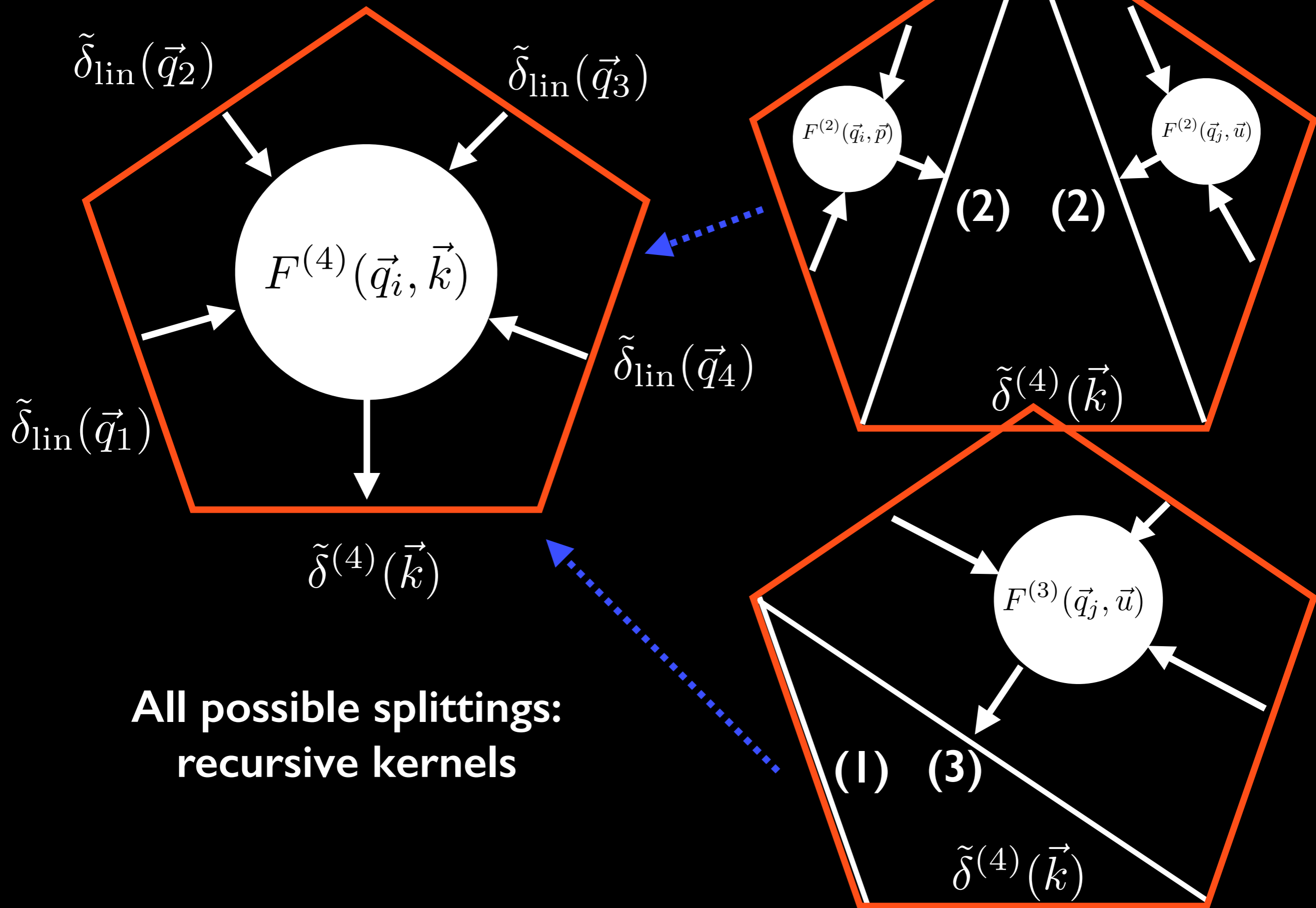
**Drop non-linear terms  $\rightarrow$  linear solution**

**Non-linear terms  $\rightarrow$  mode coupling**

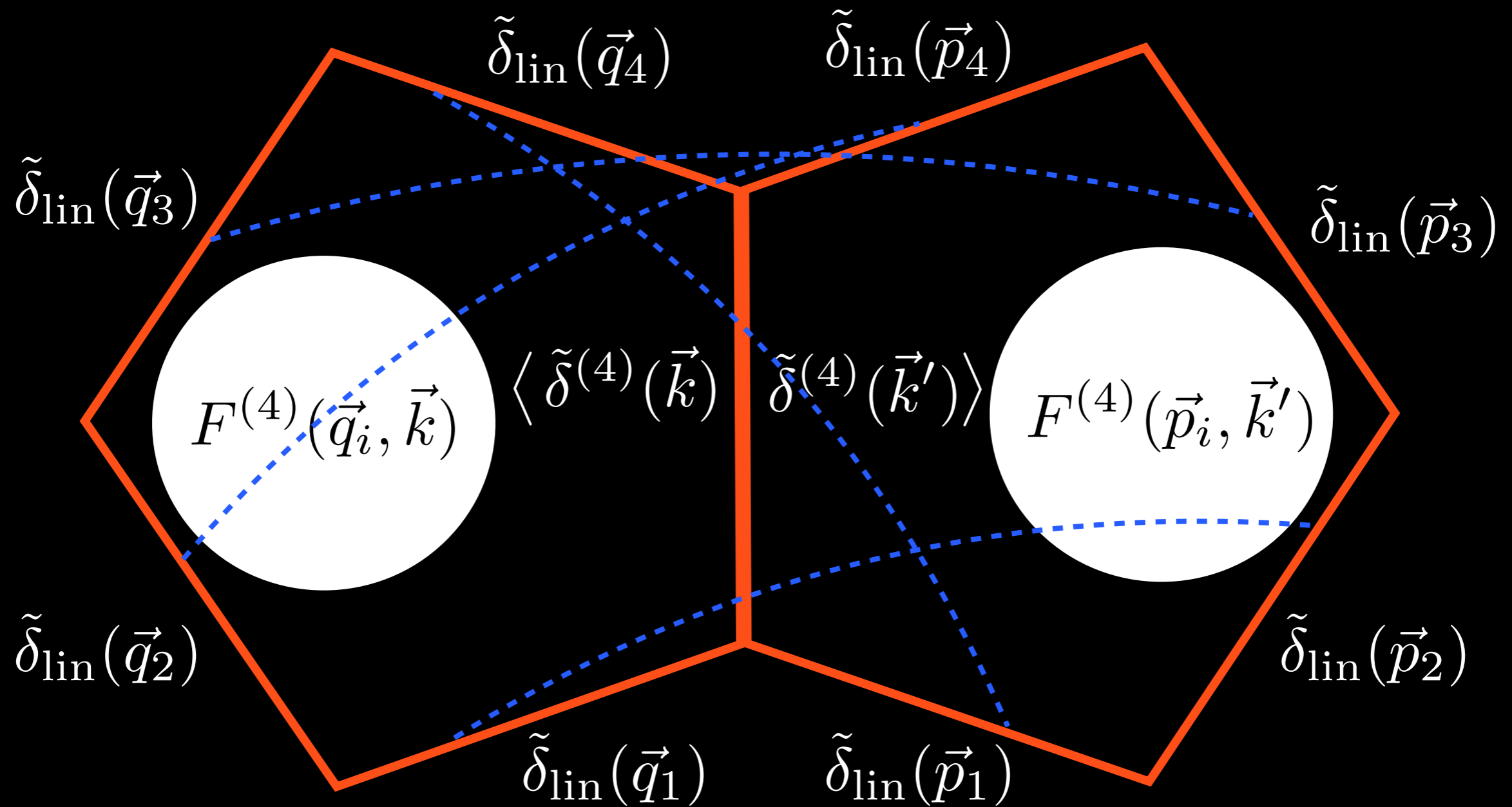
**Write in Fourier space, get recursion relation for kernels to integrate against to generate h.o. solutions from lower**



# Find h.o. density in terms of linear densities



Get non-linear density statistics in terms of those of linear density



All possible pairwise gluings of linear densities: “contractions”  
 → linear power spectra



# FOR INSTANCE

$$P_{\text{non-lin},1\text{-loop}}(k) = P_{\text{lin}}(k) + 2P_{13}(k) + P_{22}(k)$$

$$P_{\text{non-lin},2\text{-loop}}(k) = P_{\text{non-lin},1\text{-loop}}(k)$$

$$+ P_{15}(k) + 2P_{24}(k) + P_{33}(k)$$

# GIVES HI-D COUPLED INTEGRALS

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_{ij}(k) = & \sum_{\ell m} \frac{4\pi}{2\ell + 1} \int \frac{d\Omega_k}{4\pi} \int \frac{d^3 \vec{q}_1}{(2\pi)^3} \frac{d^3 \vec{q}_2}{(2\pi)^3} \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

2-loop  $\rightarrow$  6<sup>th</sup>  
 order: 15, 24, 33

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**Super computationally costly to compute loop corrections**  
**Denominators come from inverse nablas evaluated at non-linear momenta**



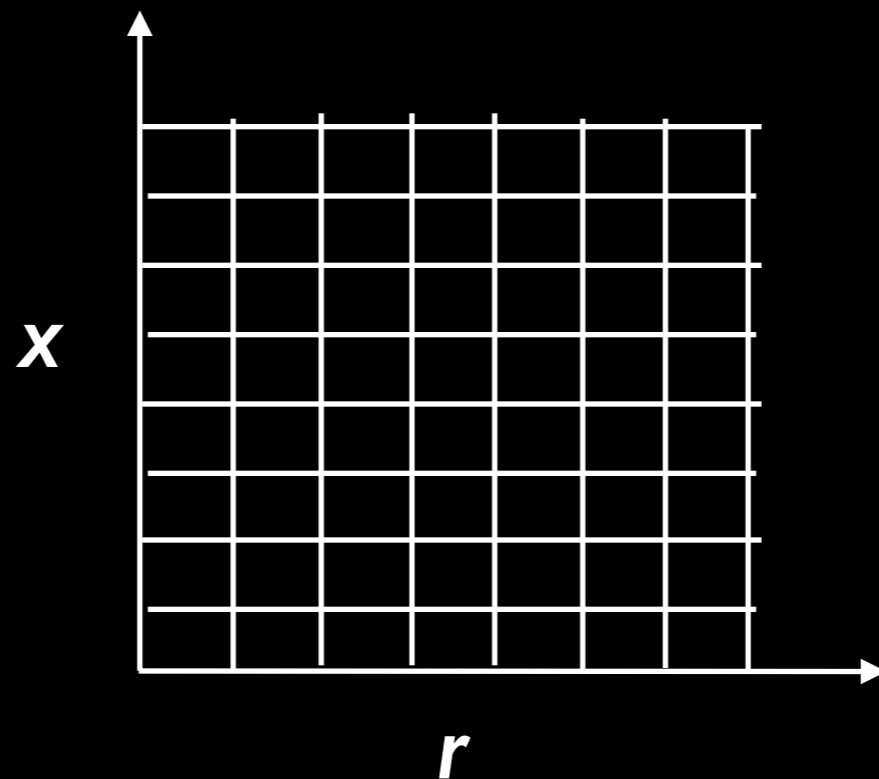
CAN WE . . .

**Evaluate this coupled 9-D integral as a series of nested 3-D convolutions?**

# WHY CONVOLUTIONS?

$$[f \star g](\vec{r}) = \int d^3 \vec{x} f(\vec{x}) g(\vec{x} + \vec{r})$$

Looks like a 3-D integral at every 3-D vector  $r$ :  $N^2$



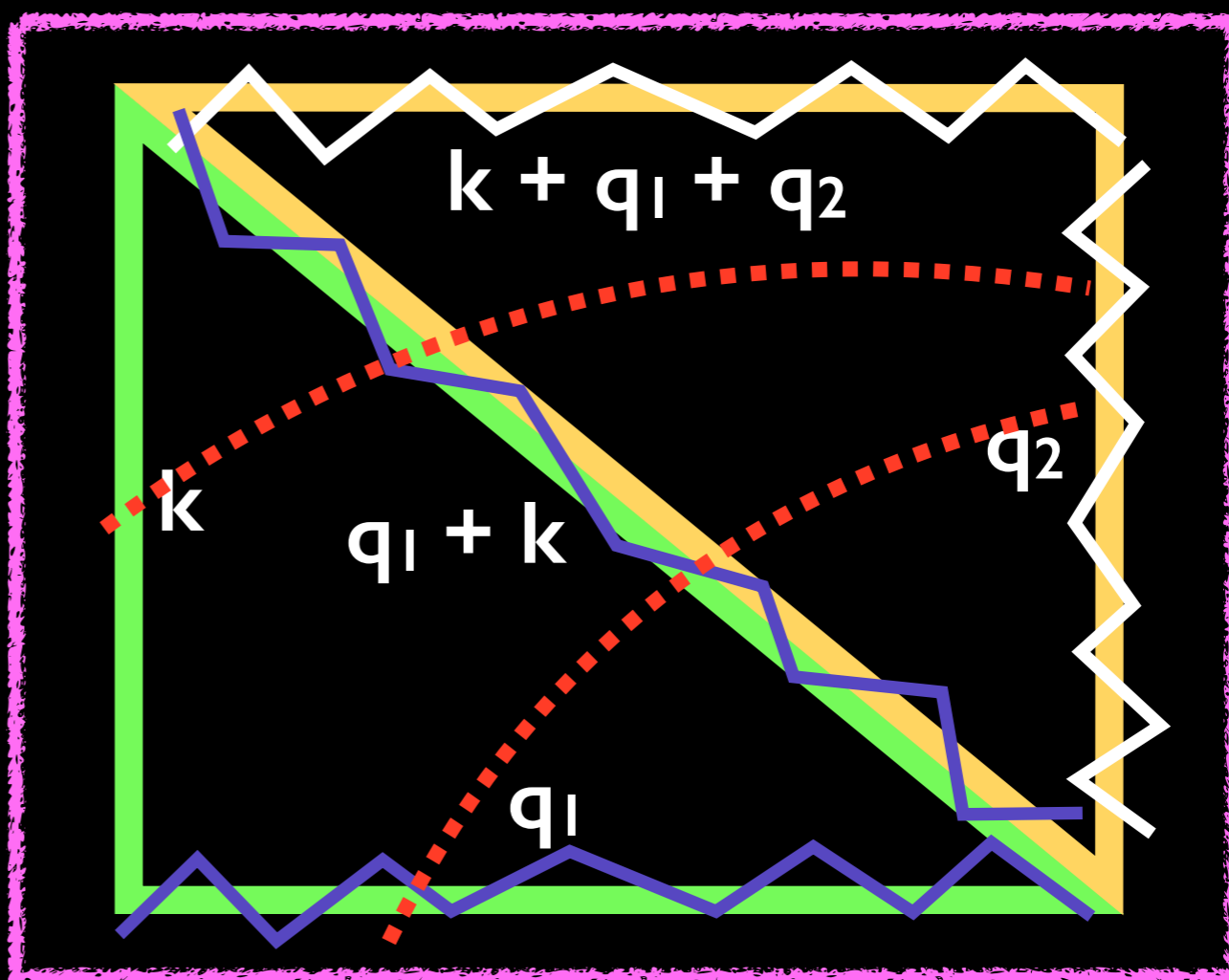
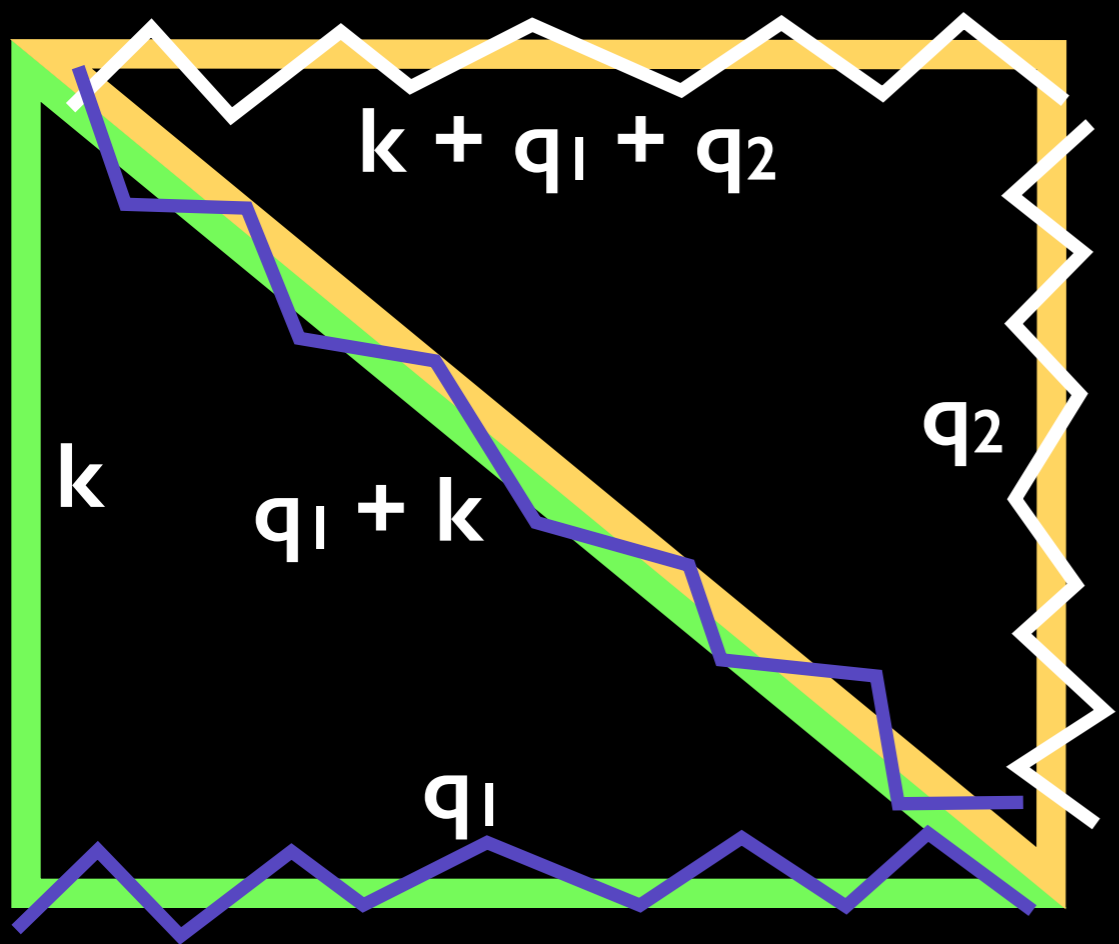
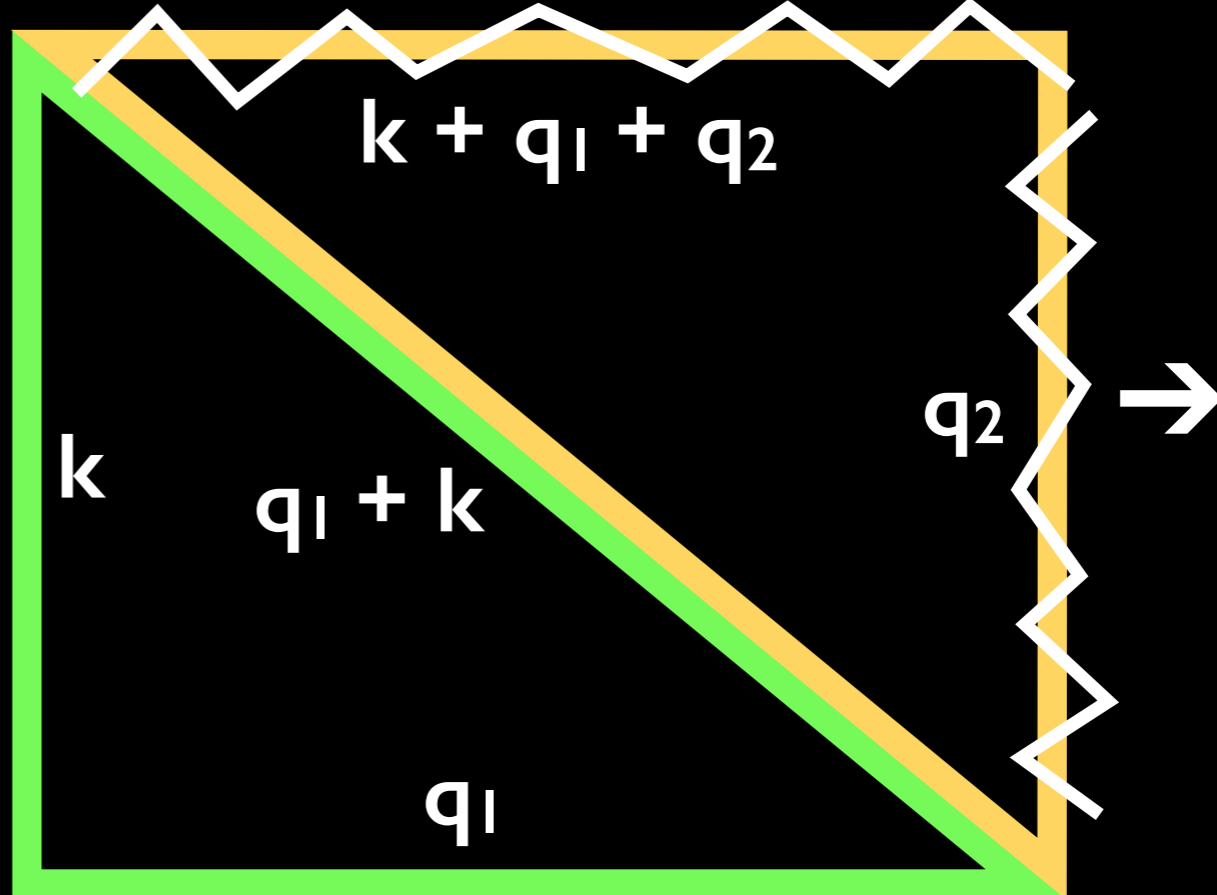
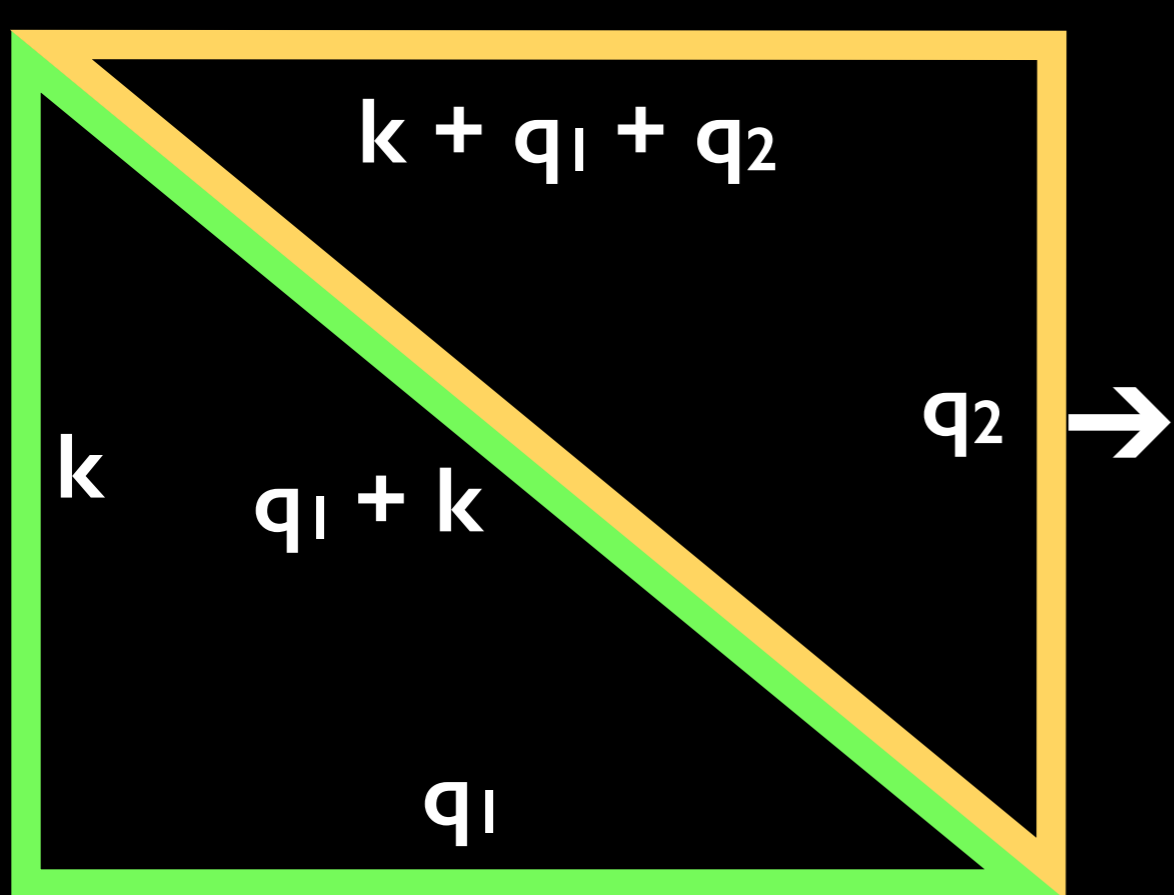
**Convolution Theorem: do this as a product in Fourier space,  
becomes  $N \log N$  instead of  $N^2$**



# FURTHER. . .

**Can we exploit the fact that the power spectrum is the only thing *not known* analytically, and it is isotropic, to . . .**

**reduce the 3-D convolutions to 1-D ones, to be done with  
FFTs?**



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**Inner: 15:** group  $q_1$  and  $k$  and convolve over  $q_2$  in  $q_2, q_2 + (k + q_1)$

**24:** convolve over  $q_2$  in  $q_2, q_2 + k$

**33:** same as 15

**Problem:** coupled denominators, boxed **red** for 15/33, **blue** for 24



# HOW DO WE FACTOR DENOMINATORS?

$$\frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^N}, \quad N = 2, 4$$

If  $N = 1$  could use a multipole expansion  
Generalization is Gegenbauer expansion

$$\frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^{2\lambda}} = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{p_{<}^{\ell}}{p_{>}^{\ell+2\lambda}} C_{\ell}^{(\lambda)}(\hat{p}_1 \cdot \hat{p}_2)$$

Use Gegenbauer polynomial addition theorem to separate into  $f(p_1)g(p_2)$ , turns out better to split into spherical harmonics using “mixed” addition theorem

But still a problem: radial term is only *formally* factored:  
have constraint  $p_1 < p_2$  or visa versa: “1/2-plane constraint”

# USING A DECOUPLING INTEGRAL

$$\frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} dx \, x [j_{\ell+1}(xp_1)j_{\ell}(xp_2) + j_{\ell+1}(xp_2)j_{\ell}(xp_1)]$$
$$= \frac{p_2^{\ell}}{p_1^{\ell+2}}, \quad p_1 > p_2, \quad \frac{p_1^{\ell}}{p_2^{\ell+2}}, \quad p_2 > p_1$$

Can prove using  $j_L j_L$  expansion for  $1/|p_1 + p_2|$ , comparing that with multipole expansion, and then using recursion relations for sBFs

This integral *truly* factorizes the problem, as it always enforces the “1/2-plane constraint”

Can now integrate over momentum magnitudes separately

**But the price is an extra integral over  $x$  at the end**

# INTEGRAL TO SUM IDENTITY

$$\int_0^\infty dx \, x [j_{\ell+1}(xp_1)j_\ell(xp_2) + j_{\ell+1}(xp_2)j_\ell(xp_1)]$$

$$= \sum_n n\epsilon_n \sqrt{p_1 p_2} [j_{\ell+1}(np_1)j_\ell(np_2) + j_{\ell+1}(np_2)j_\ell(np_1)]$$

$$\epsilon_n = 1/2, \quad n = 0, 1, \quad n > 0$$

**Eigenfunction expansion is thus**

$$\frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^2} = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n\epsilon_n \sum_{j=0}^{\ell} w_j^{\ell,1} \sum_{s=-j}^j \left[ \phi_{nljs}^{[2+]}(\vec{p}_1) \phi_{nljs}^{[2-]}(\vec{p}_2) \right. \\ \left. + \phi_{nljs}^{[2+]}(\vec{p}_2) \phi_{nljs}^{[2-]}(\vec{p}_1) \right]$$

$$\phi_{nljs}^{[2],+}(\vec{p}) = \sqrt{p} j_{\ell+1}(np) Y_{js}(\hat{p}), \quad \phi_{nljs}^{[2],-}(\vec{p}) = \sqrt{p} j_\ell(np) Y_{js}(\hat{p})$$



# HOW ABOUT INVERSE FOURTH POWER?

Could use  $\lambda = 2$  in 
$$\frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^{2\lambda}} = \sum_{\ell=0}^{\infty} \frac{p_{<}^{\ell}}{p_{>}^{\ell+2\lambda}} C_{\ell}^{(\lambda)}(\hat{p}_1 \cdot \hat{p}_2)$$

But would mean need difference of 4 in radial piece

No decoupling integral for that (and conjecture cannot find one given divergence props. of sBFs)

Instead:

$$\frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^4} = \frac{1}{2p_1 p_2} \frac{\partial}{\partial(\cos \theta_{12})} \left[ \frac{1}{|\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2|^2} \right]$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ C_{\ell}^{(\lambda)}(x) \right] = 2\lambda C_{\ell-1}^{(\lambda+1)}(x)$$

Leads to eigenfunction expansion for inverse 4th power

# RETURNING TO OUR FULL PROBLEM

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**We have now factorized the problem terms, so can incorporate them as additional factors on terms in just  $q_1$  and  $q_2$**

*Just left with 3-D convolutions of sBFs X power spectrum X power laws X spherical harmonics, do angular part analytically  
 → 1-D*

# SCHEMATICALLY . . .

$$I_{15} \rightarrow \sum \int r^2 dr f_{\ell\ell'\ell''}^n(N; N'; r) f_{LL'L''}^{n'}(N; N'; r)$$

$$f_{\ell\ell'\ell''}^n(N; N'; r) = \int q^2 dq q^N P_{\text{lin}}(q) j_{\ell}(Nq) j_{\ell'}(N'q) j_{\ell''}(qr)$$

**1-D is much much better than 9-D**



# NEXT STEPS

**Convergence**

**Implementation**

**Compare with other methods: Simonovic + 2017 power law approach; Fang & McEwen, Gebhardt & Jeong**

**N-body integrator?**

# SOLUTIONS IN TERMS OF INTEGRALS OF LINEAR FIELDS AGAINST KERNELS

$$\tilde{\delta}(\vec{k}, \tau) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2\pi)^{-3n} \int d^3 \vec{q}_1 \cdots d^3 \vec{q}_n (2\pi)^3 \delta_{\text{D}}^{[3]} \left( \vec{k} - \sum_{i=1}^n \vec{q}_i \right) \\ \times F_n^{(s)}(\vec{q}_i) \tilde{\delta}_{\text{lin}}(\vec{q}_1, \tau) \cdots \tilde{\delta}_{\text{lin}}(\vec{q}_n, \tau),$$

$$\tilde{\theta}(\vec{k}, \tau) = -f(\tau) \mathcal{H}(\tau) \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (2\pi)^{-3n} \int d^3 \vec{q}_1 \cdots d^3 \vec{q}_n \\ \times (2\pi)^3 \delta_{\text{D}}^{[3]} \left( \vec{k} - \sum_{i=1}^n \vec{q}_i \right) G_n^{(s)}(\vec{q}_i) \tilde{\delta}_{\text{lin}}(\vec{q}_1, \tau) \cdots \tilde{\delta}_{\text{lin}}(\vec{q}_n, \tau),$$

$$F_n(\vec{q}_i) = \sum_{m=1}^{n-1} \frac{G_m(\vec{q}_{\leq m})}{(2n+3)(n-1)} \left[ (2n+1) \frac{\vec{k} \cdot \vec{k}_1}{k_1^2} F_{n-m}(\vec{q}_{> m}) + \frac{k^2 (\vec{k}_1 \cdot \vec{k}_2)}{k_1^2 k_2^2} G_{n-m}(\vec{q}_{> m}) \right]$$

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**Sum over  $m$  represents all possible splittings of  $n^{\text{th}}$  order term into 2 lower order terms  $(n-m) \times m$**

**Terms in  $1/k$  come from inversion of nabla**