

# Reionization

## In a State of Grace

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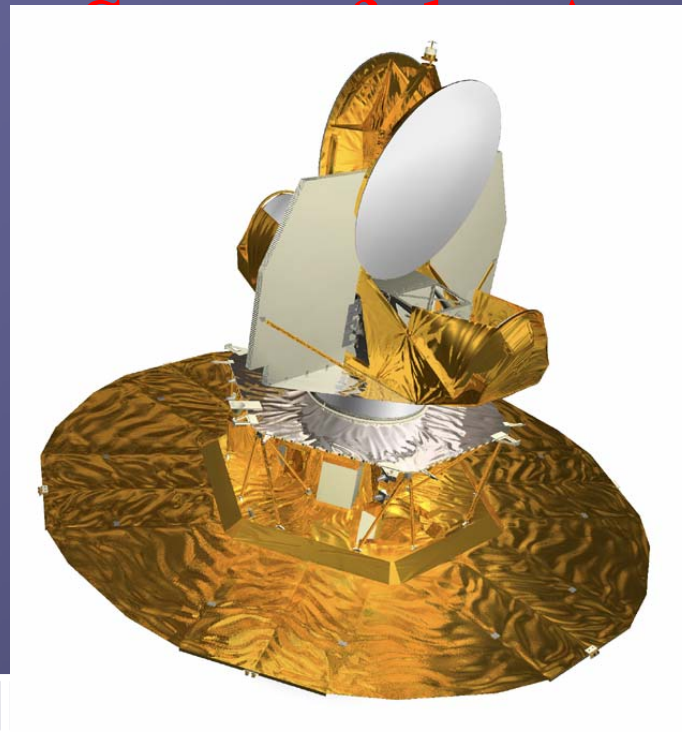
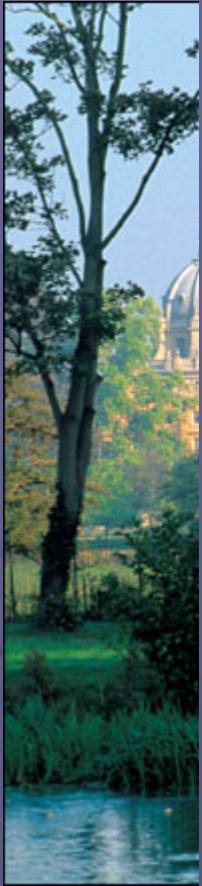
using the most modern or advanced techniques or methods; as good as it can be at the present time (Oxford Dictionary)

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# § 1. Early Reionization of the Universe

## WMAP

### ● Reionization

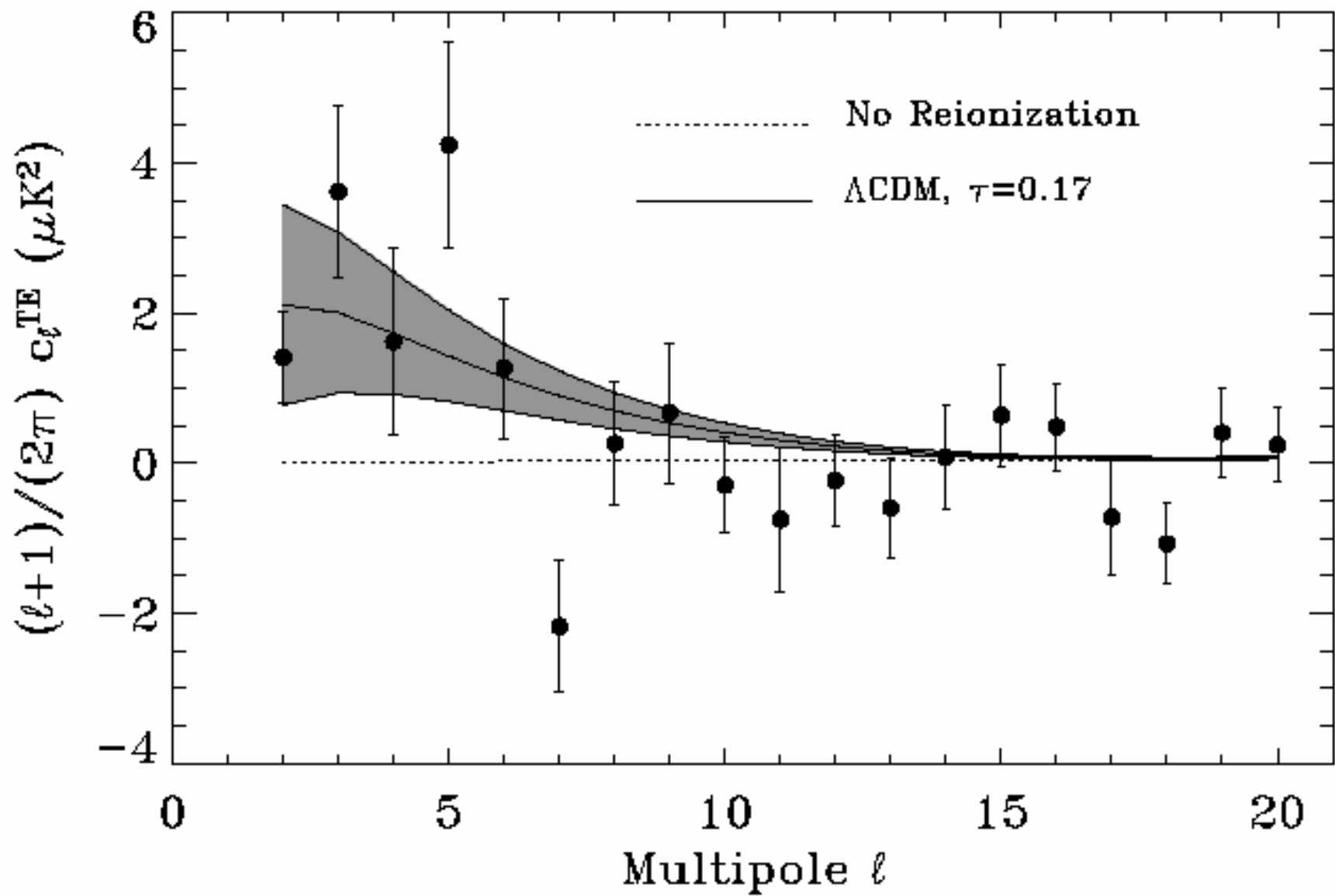
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- Corresponds to (best fitted WMAP parameters)

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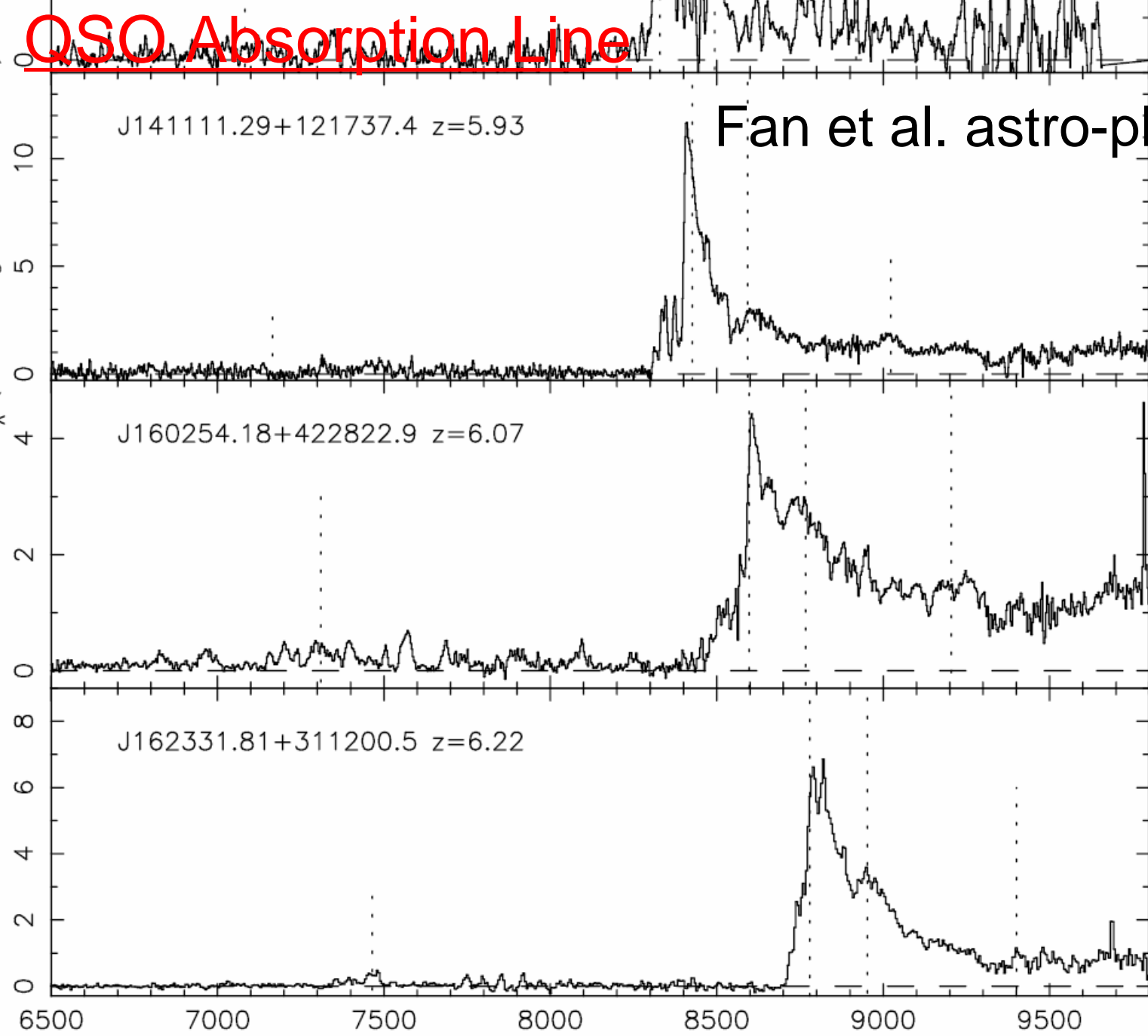
$z = 16.9$     HeI->HeII reionization

$z = 16.1$     all He reionize

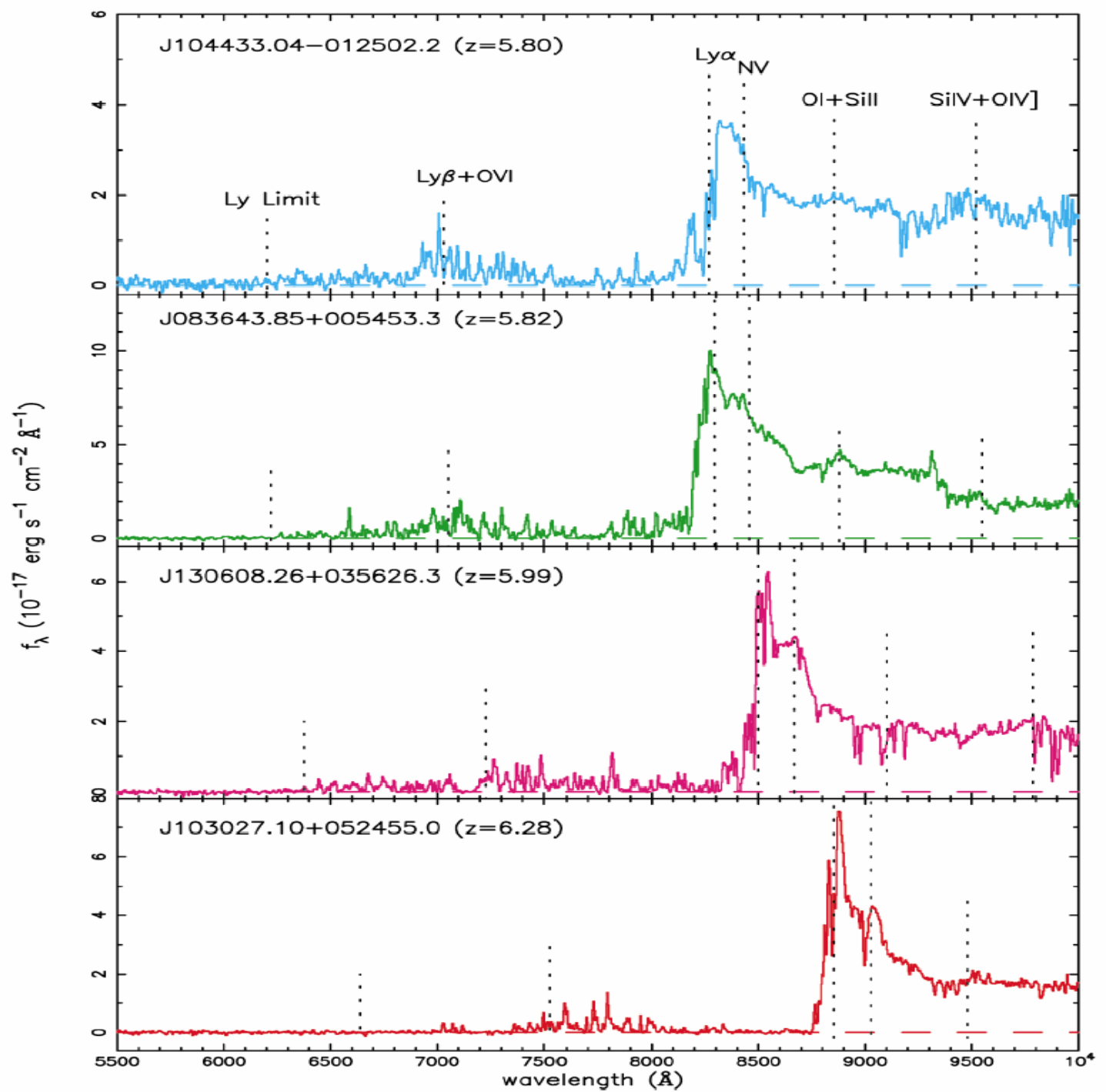


# QSO Absorption Line

Fan et al. astro-ph/0405138



Becker et  
al. AJ122,  
2850



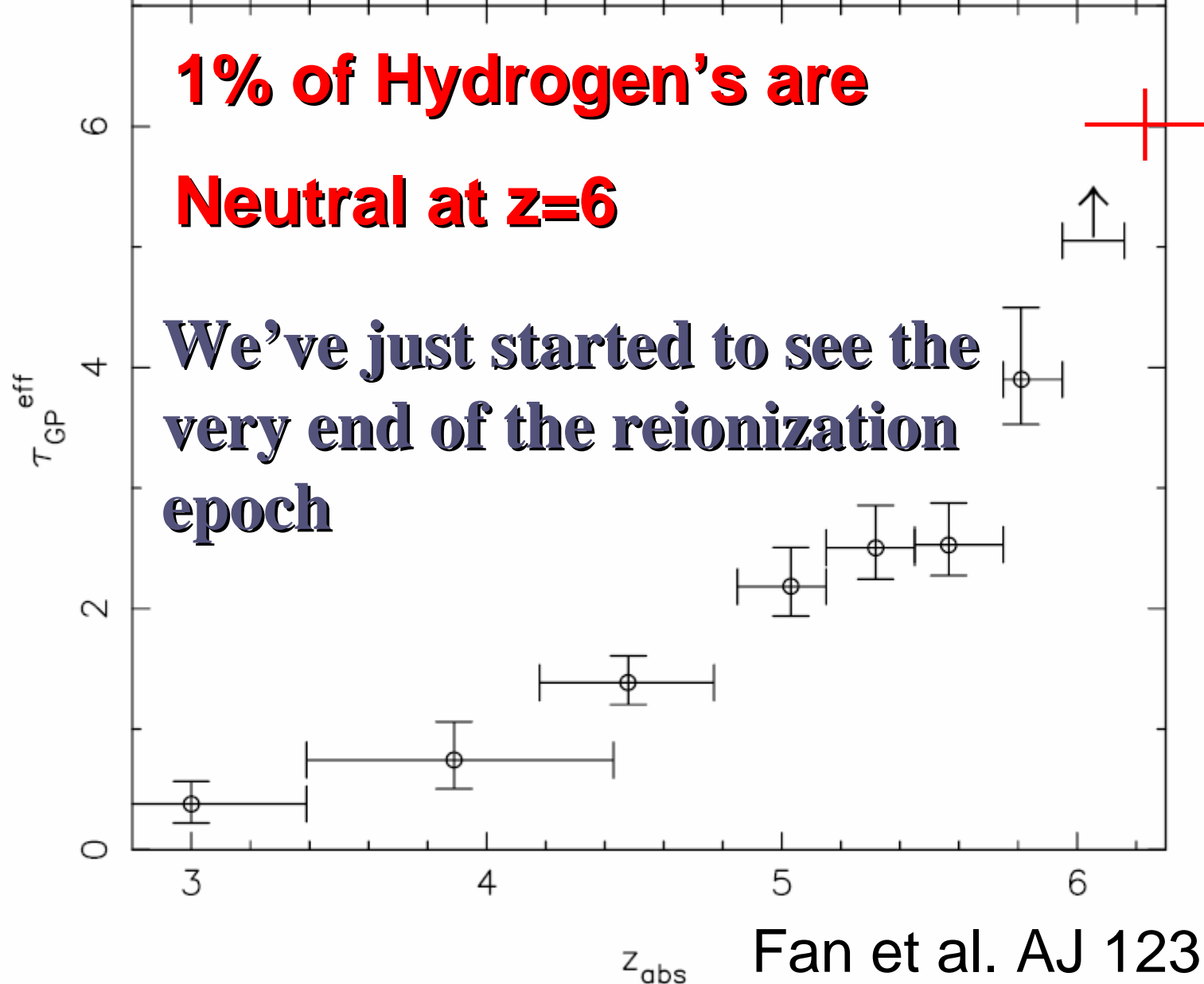


FIG. 1.—Evolution of Ly $\alpha$  absorption based on the observations of four quasars at  $z > 5.7$  in Fan et al. (2001c), Becker et al. (2001), and Paper III. The results at  $z_{\text{abs}} < 5.6$  are averaged over four lines of sight, and the error

# Reionization

What we have known so far are

● Complete by  $z \sim 6$

●  $\tau = 0.17$

We don't know yet

- How it occurs
- How long it takes
- How the ionized region evolves



# Questions:

1) Is it really possible to have  $\tau=0.17$ ?

● Standard method: CDM, only stars (no QSO)

- Benson, Nusser, Sugiyama, Lacey (**pre-WMAP**)

Semi-analytic galaxy formation + N-body

$\tau < 0.04$

- Fukugita & Kawasaki: assume Scalo IMF (**Post-WMAP**)

Maximum  $z_{\text{reio}} = 13.5$ , 100% Escape of Ionizing Photons

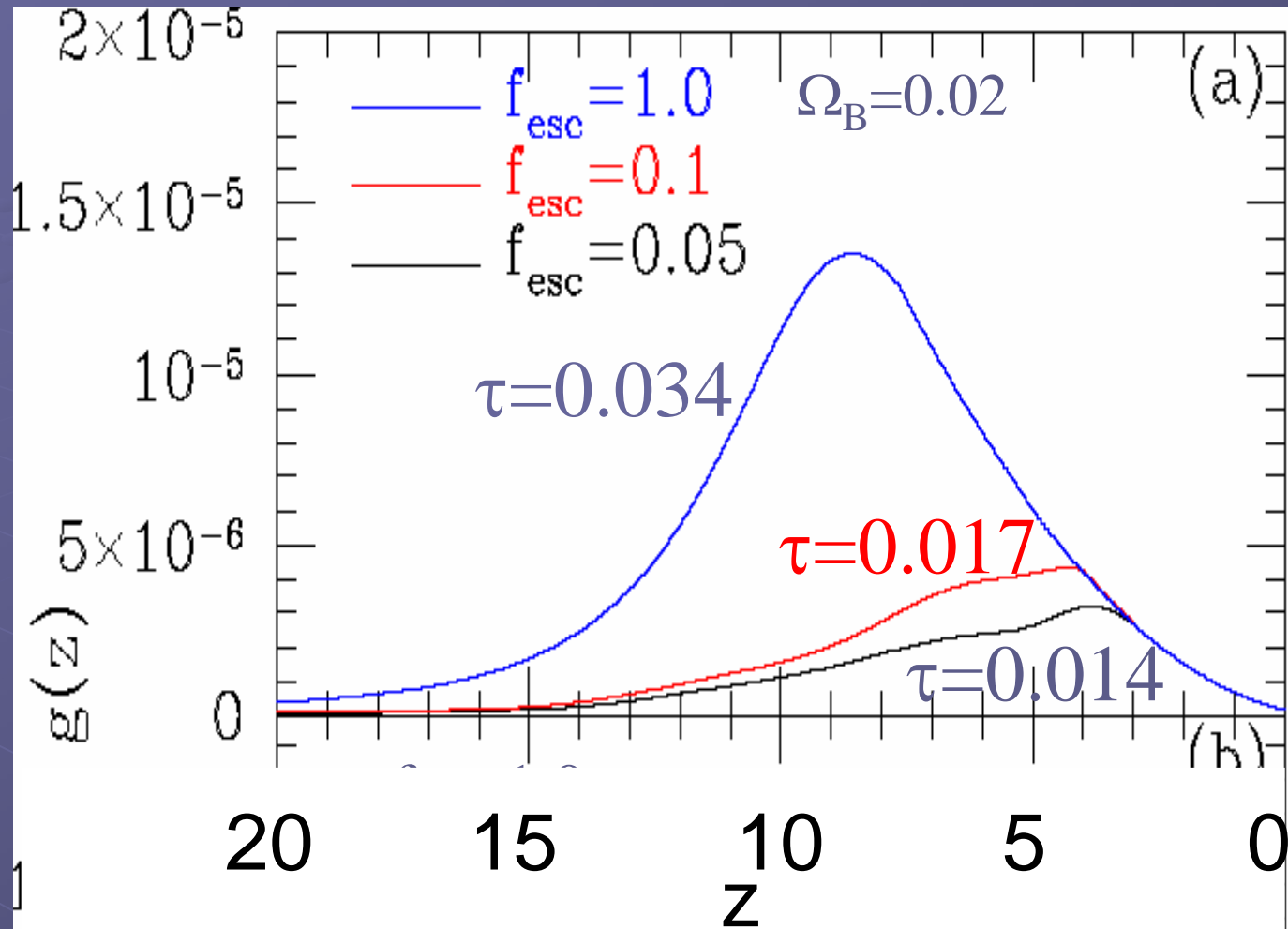
realistic  $z_{\text{reio}} = 10$

- Ciardi, Ferrara, White (**Post-WMAP**)

Scalo IMF+ moderate escape fraction:  $\tau=0.10$

Top Heavy IMF or high escape fraction for  $\tau=0.17$

# Visibility Function: peak corresponds to reionization epoch



Liu, Benson et al.

Any Papers which say, it is possible to have  
reionization with  $\tau=0.17$  **after WMAP** is,

**Suspicious**

# To have $\tau=0.17$

Assuming  $\Lambda$ CDM Cosmology

● Top Heavy IMF **Plausible! But Unknown!**

- H<sub>2</sub> Molecular Cooling, Accretion?

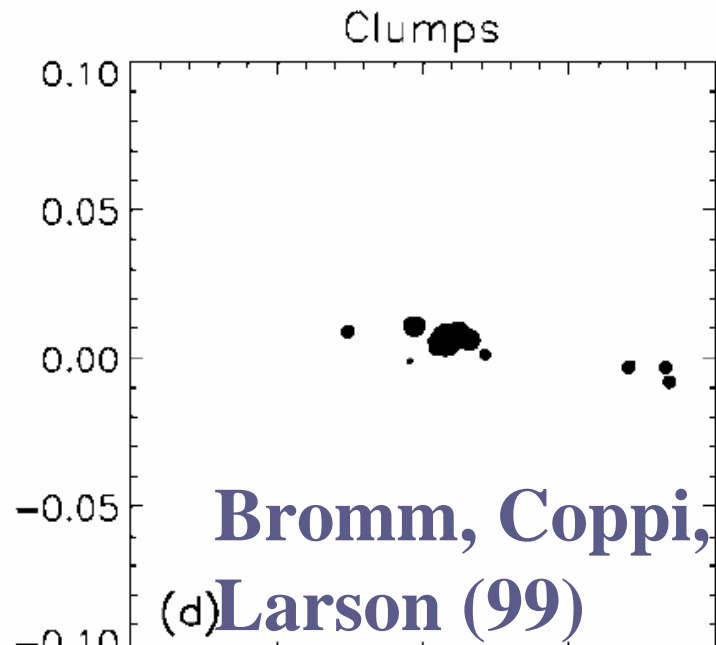
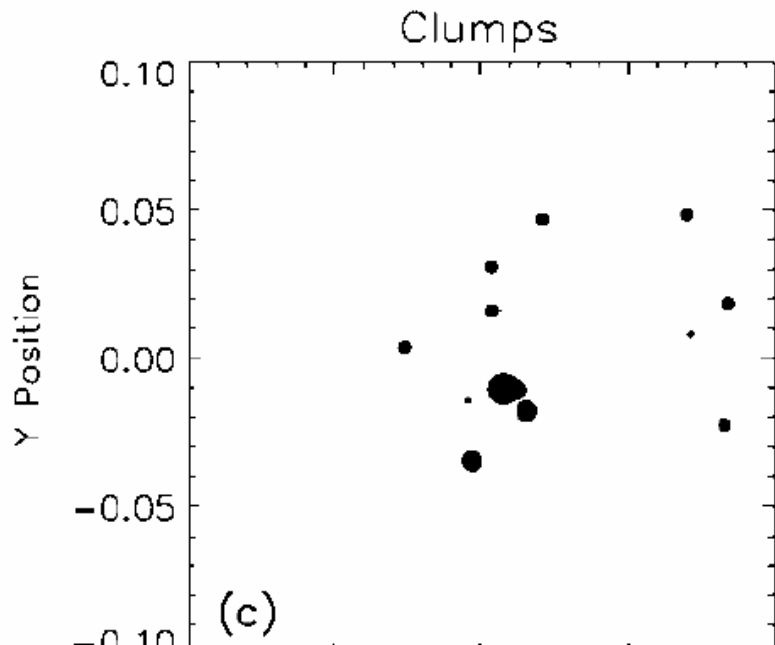
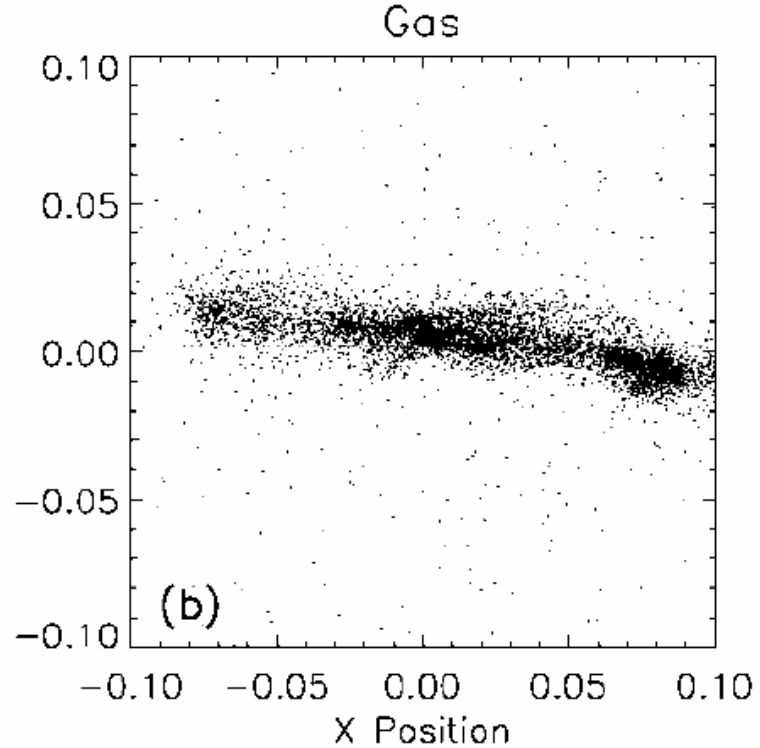
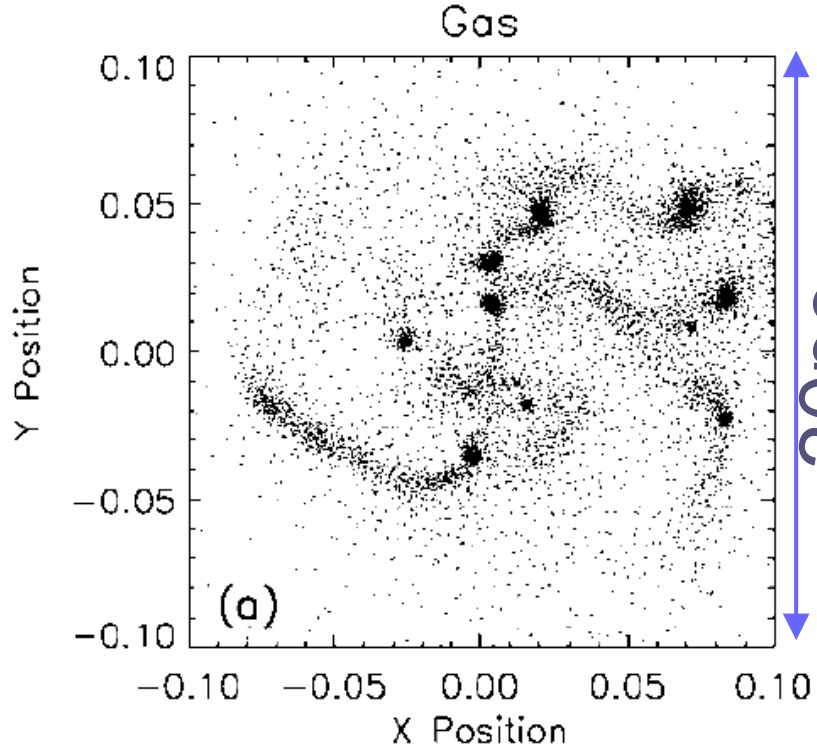
● Very Large Escape Fraction of Ionizing photons from the galaxy **Unknown!**

the lack of information: IMF, star formation efficiencies  
the effect of dust, complex gas inhomogeneity, gas dynamics, Shape of the (proto-)Galaxies



Something Exotic?

● Extra Power in the matter power spectrum

● Extra Ionizing Photons



*Mass Fraction*

-  *Metal Enrichment*
-  *White Dwarfs*

Nakamura,  
Umemura (01)

$1\sigma$

**Bi-modal**

**IMF**

$3\sigma$

$10^0$     $10^1$     $10^2$     $10^3$

*Stellar Mass ( $M_{\odot}$ )*



Yoshida et al. 2003

SFR [ $M_{\text{SUN}}\text{yr}^{-1}\text{Mpc}^{-3}$ ]

—□—  $M_* = 600$   
—●—  $M_* = 100$

$10^{-3}$   
 $10^{-4}$   
 $10^{-5}$   
 $10^{-6}$

Star Formation Rate  
of PopIII Stars

20 22 24 26 28 30 32  
redshift



## 2) When did the reionization take place?

### ● Reionization

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- Corresponds to (best fitted WMAP parameters)

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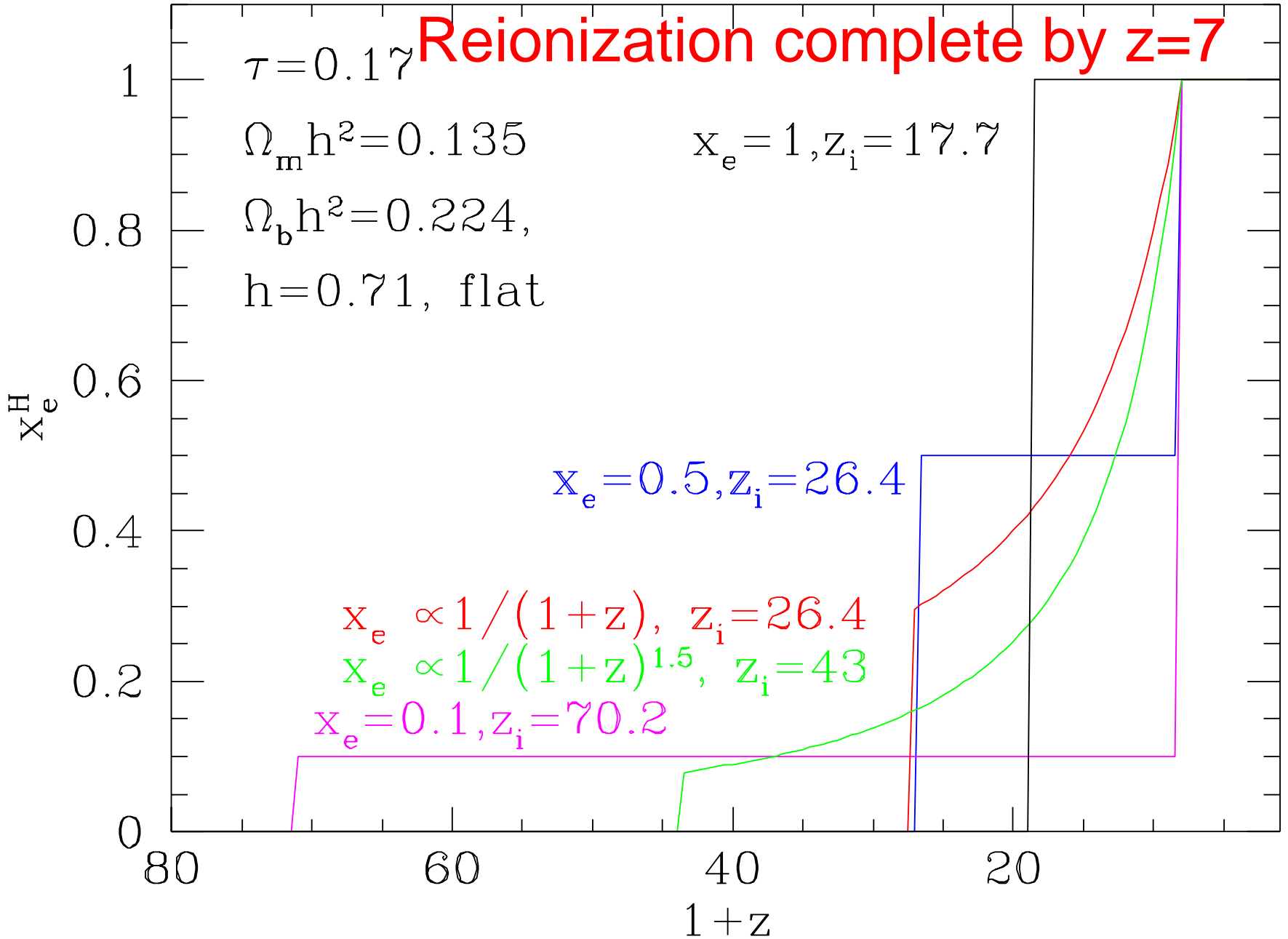
instantaneous reionization was assumed

Rather, gradual reionization is likely!

Consistent with SDSS QSOs



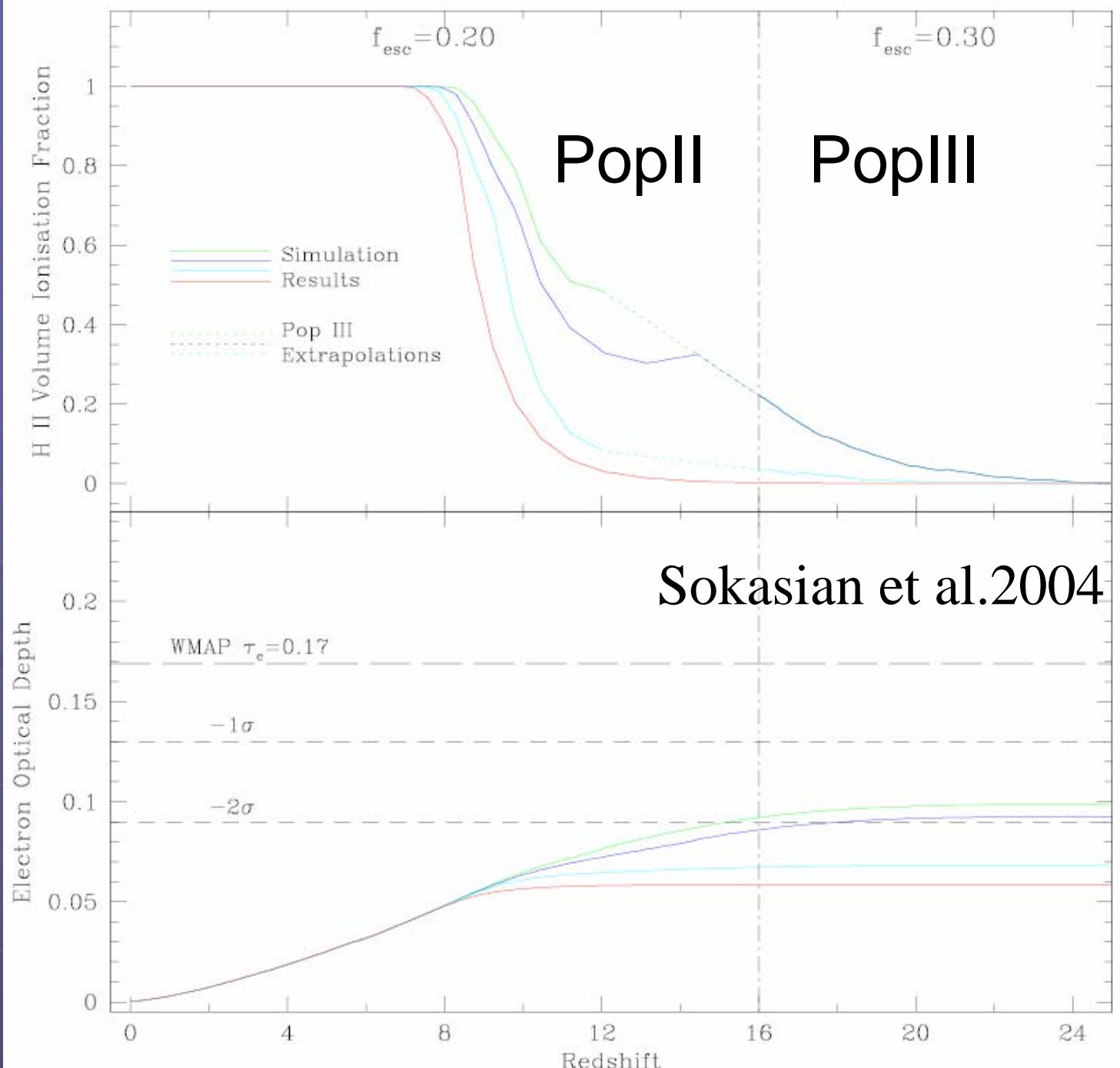
# Reionization complete by $z=7$



Optical Depth  $\tau$  Vol. frac. of Ionized H

Population II - 14.3 Mpc Box

Population III - 1.0 Mpc Box



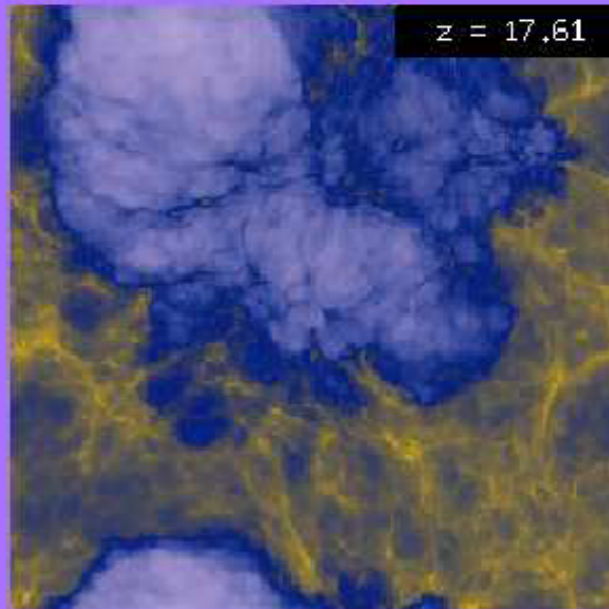
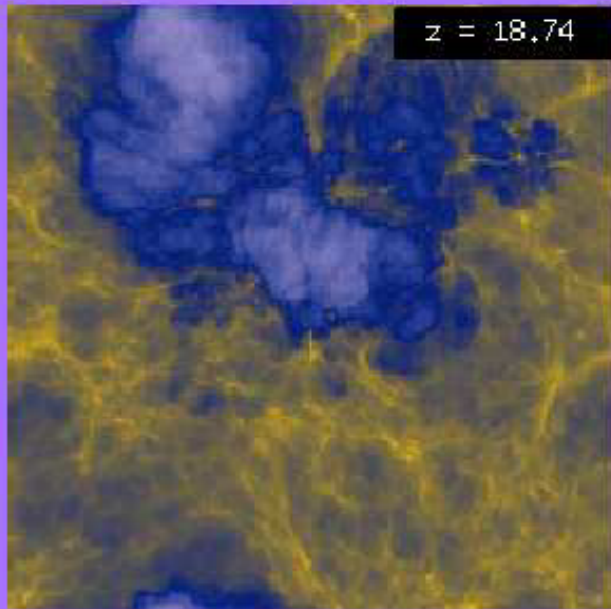
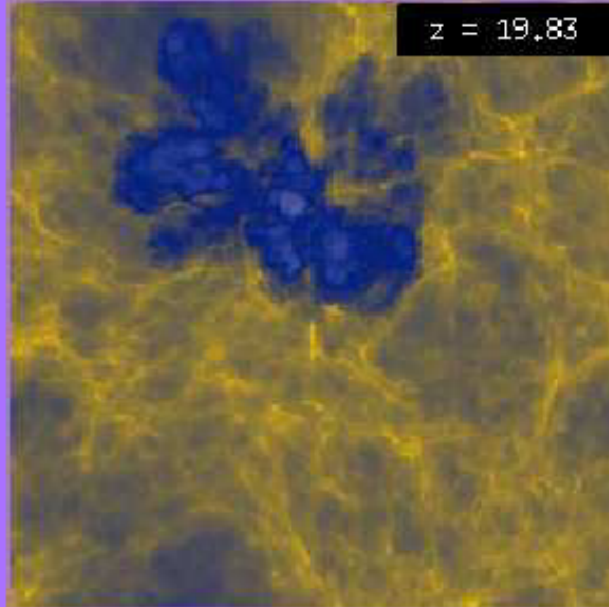
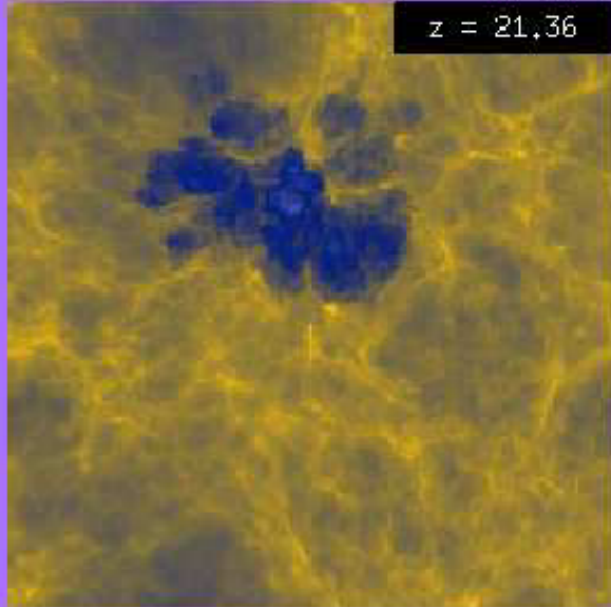
### 3) How does the ionized region evolve?

What we need are

- **High resolution 3D hydrodynamical simulations with radiative transfer**
- Inclusion of
  - All Chemical Processes
  - Feedback from SN, Stars (photo dissociation of  $H_2$ )
- Needed to know
  - IMF
  - Escape fraction of ionizing photons

People are busy: Gnedin 2000; Ciardi et al. 2000; Razoumov et al. 2002; Ciardi et al. 2003, Sokasian et al. 2003, 2004

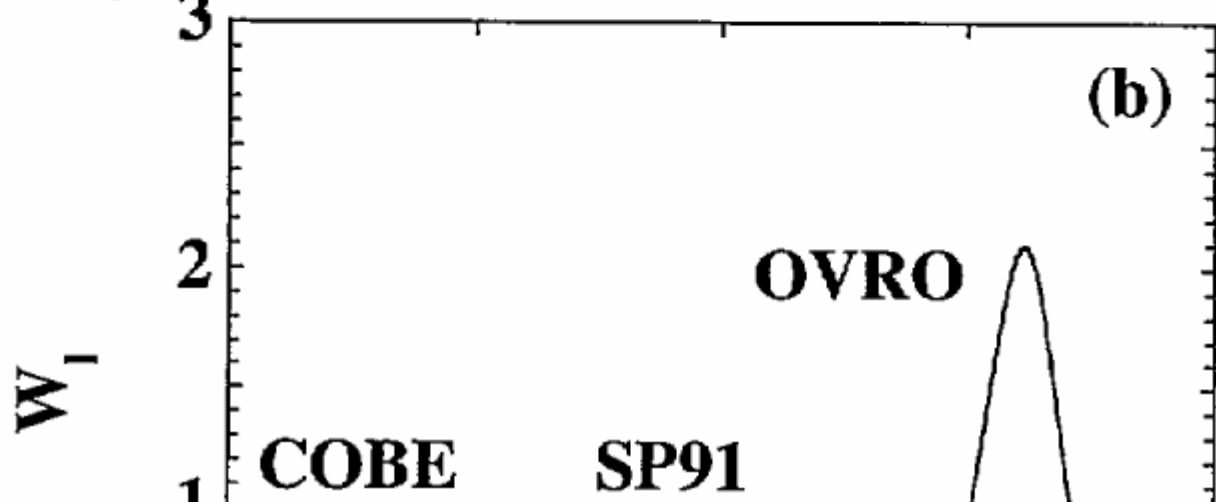
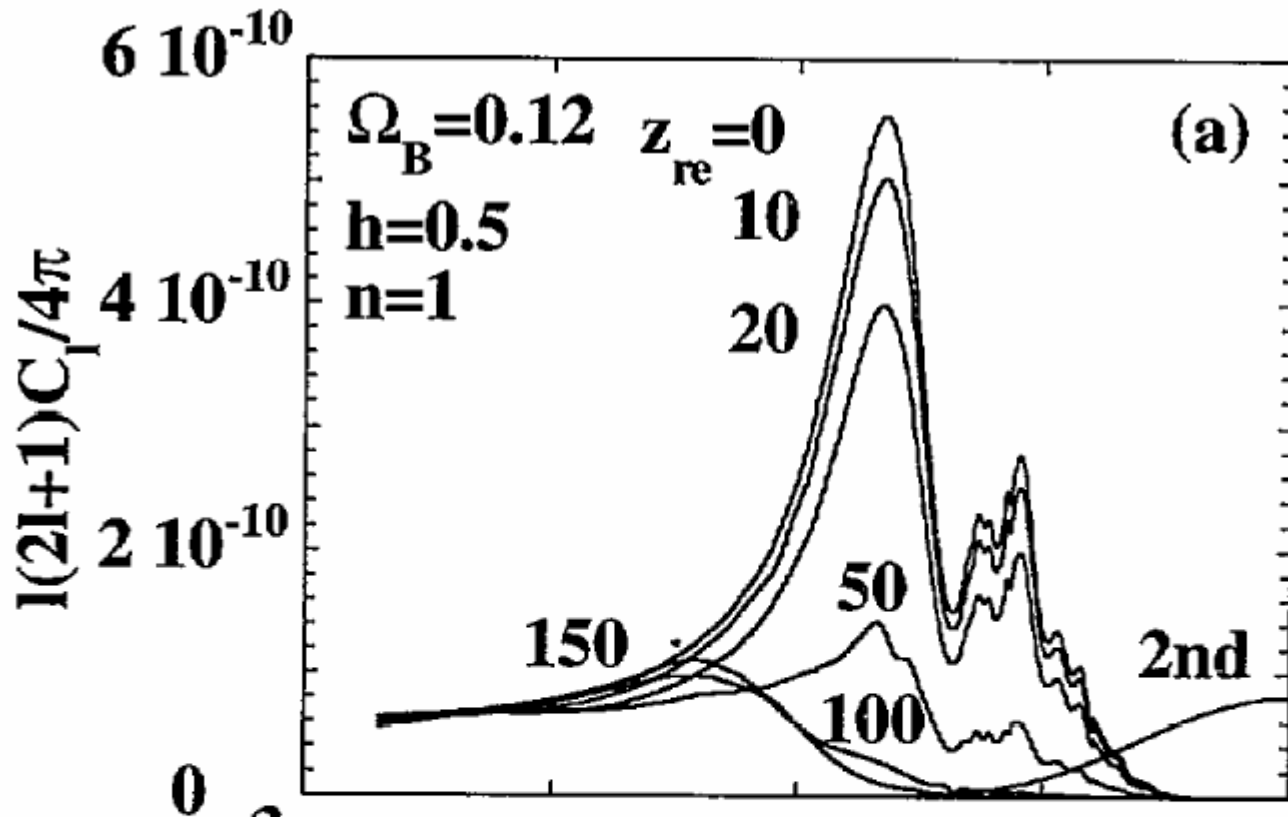
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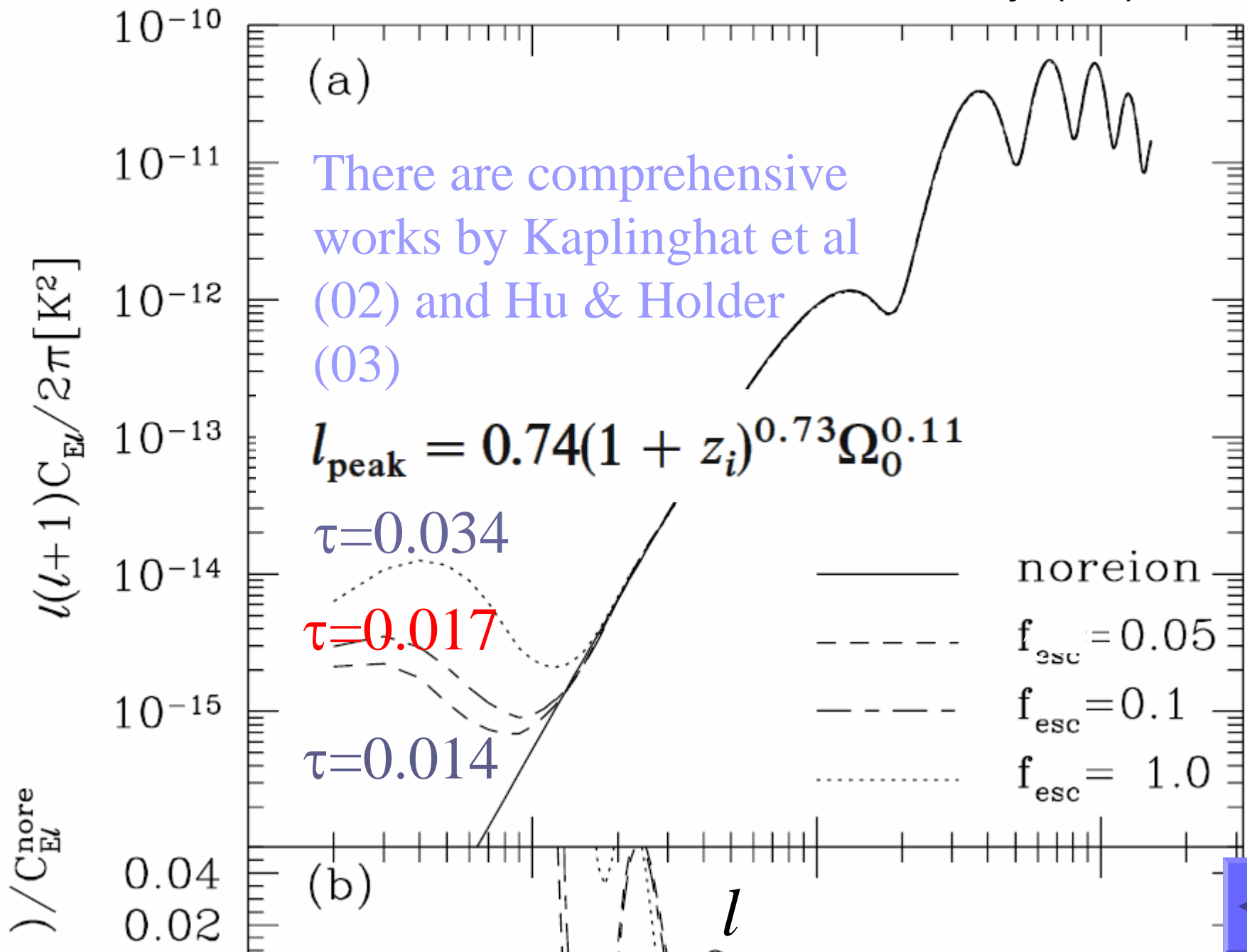


Sokasian  
et al. 04

## § 2. How can we investigate reionization by CMB?

- CMB Primary Anisotropies:  $\tau$
- CMB Primary Polarization :  $\tau$ , **duration**
- CMB Secondary Anisotropies:
  - Ostriker-Vishniac Effect:  $\tau$
  - Kinetic SZ Effect by Patchy Reionized Regions:  $\tau$ , **topology of ionized regions**
- CMB Secondary Polarization:  $\tau$ , **topology**





# Ostriker-Vishniac effect

## Homogeneous ionized IGM, density fluc.+velocity

● How large can OV effect be under WMAP?

(1) The best fitted WMAP value

●  $\Omega_{\Lambda}=0.73$ ,  $\Omega_M=0.27$ ,  $\Omega_B h^2=0.02$ ,  $h=0.72$

(2) The largest optical depth  $\tau=0.24$ ,  $z=21.5$

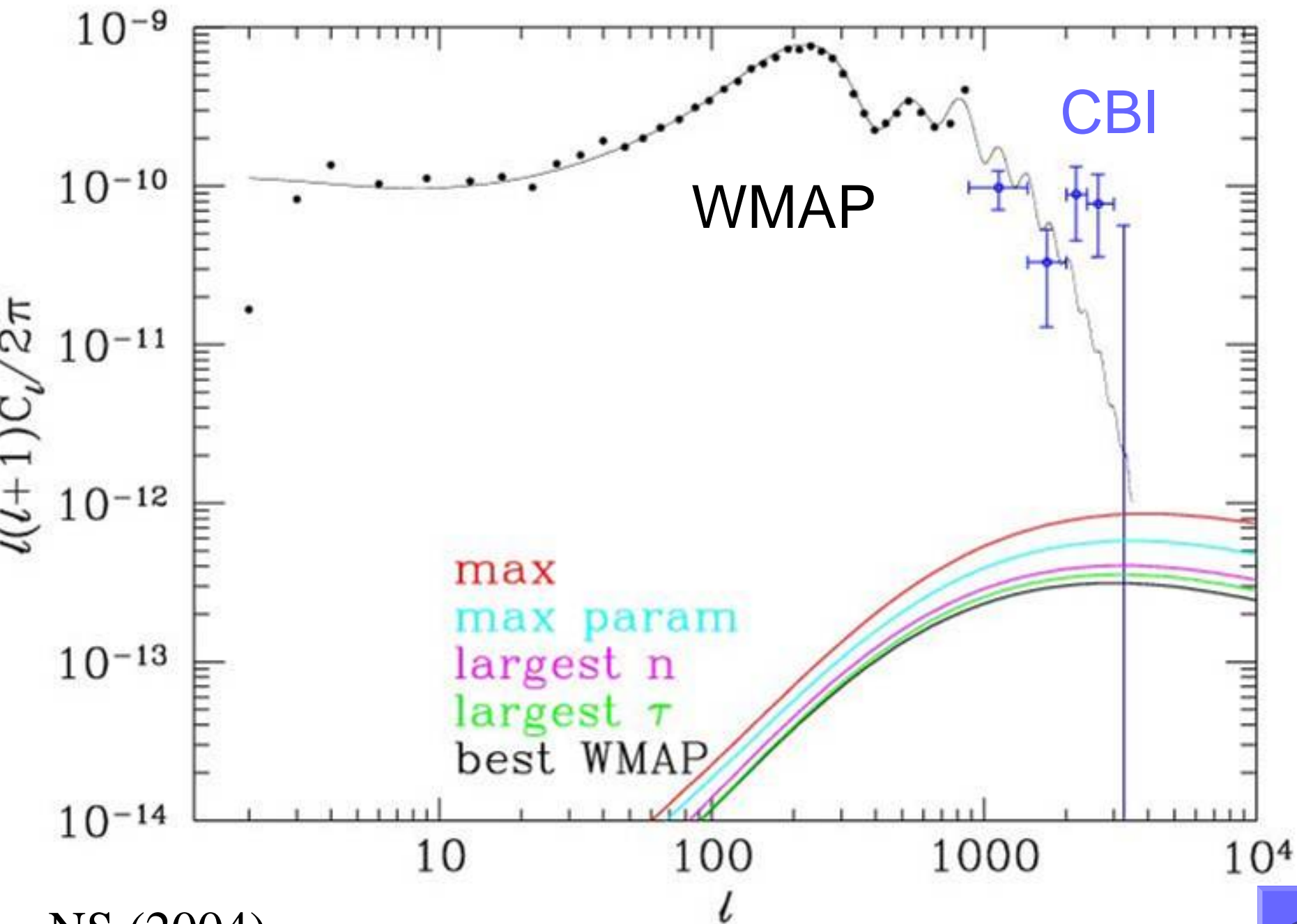
(3) The largest power law index  $n=1.03$

(4) The largest small scale power

● Largest  $\Omega_M h=0.23$ , smaller  $\Omega_B h^2=0.023$ ,  
 $h=0.67$

(5) The largest OV effect





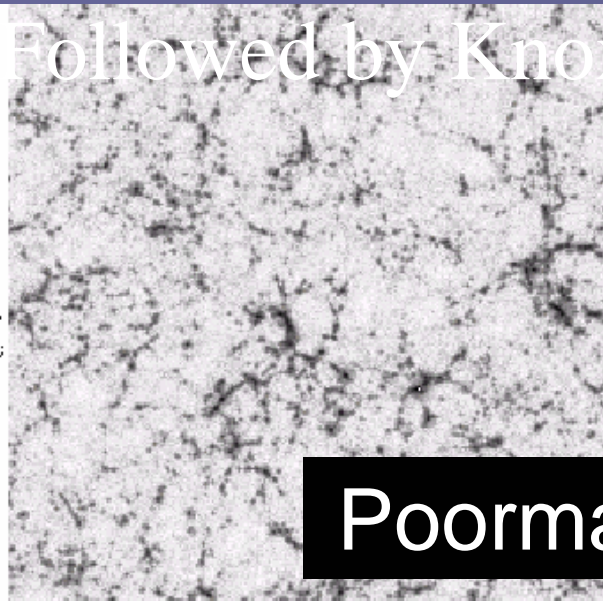
NS (2004)



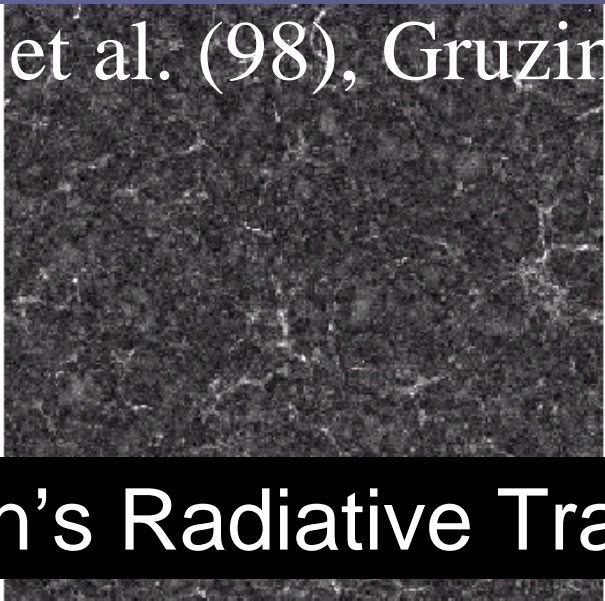
Pioneering works by: Aghajani et al. (96) Random cells  
Growing spheres

Followed by Knothe et al. (98), Gruzinov & Hu (98)

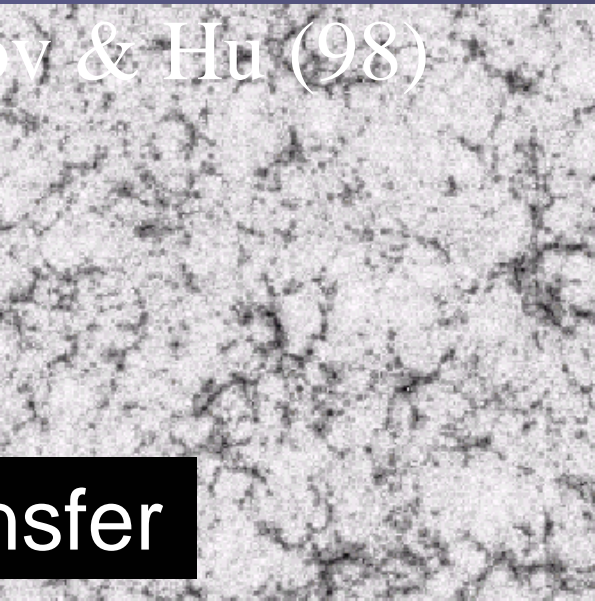
Growing spheres model



Low density model

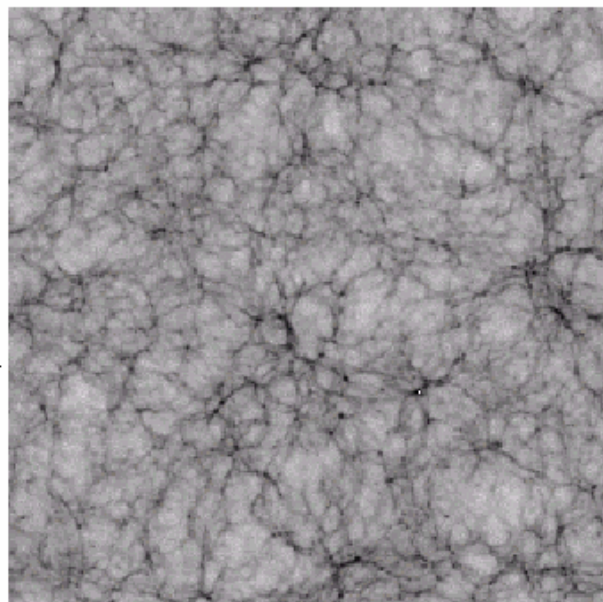


Random cells model

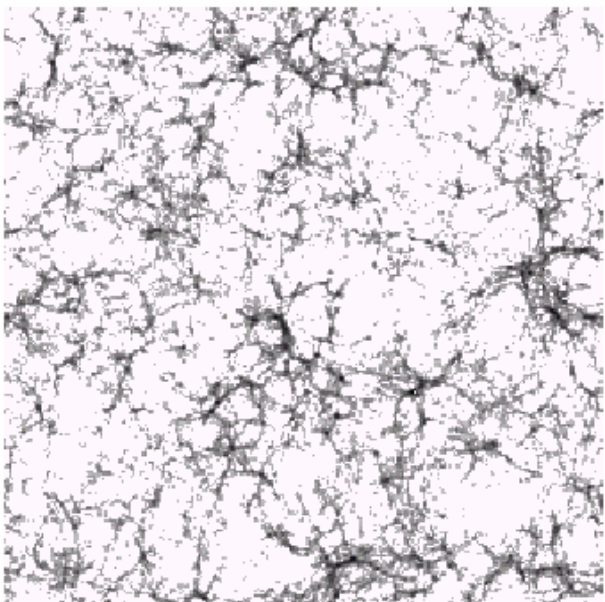


# Poorman's Radiative Transfer

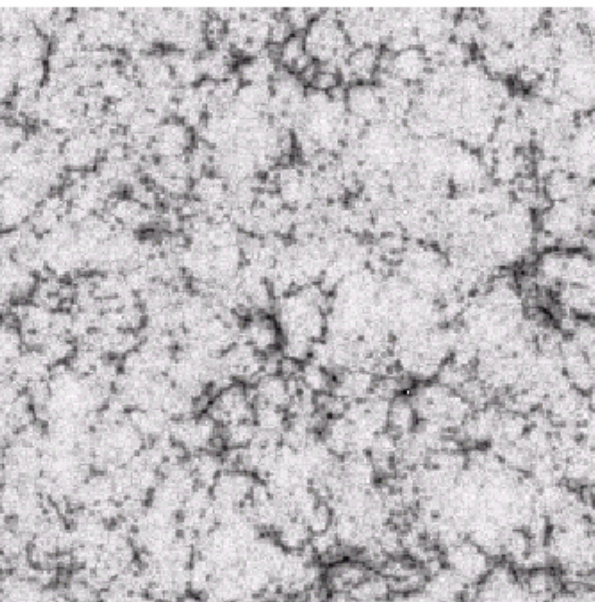
Puffy network box



High density model



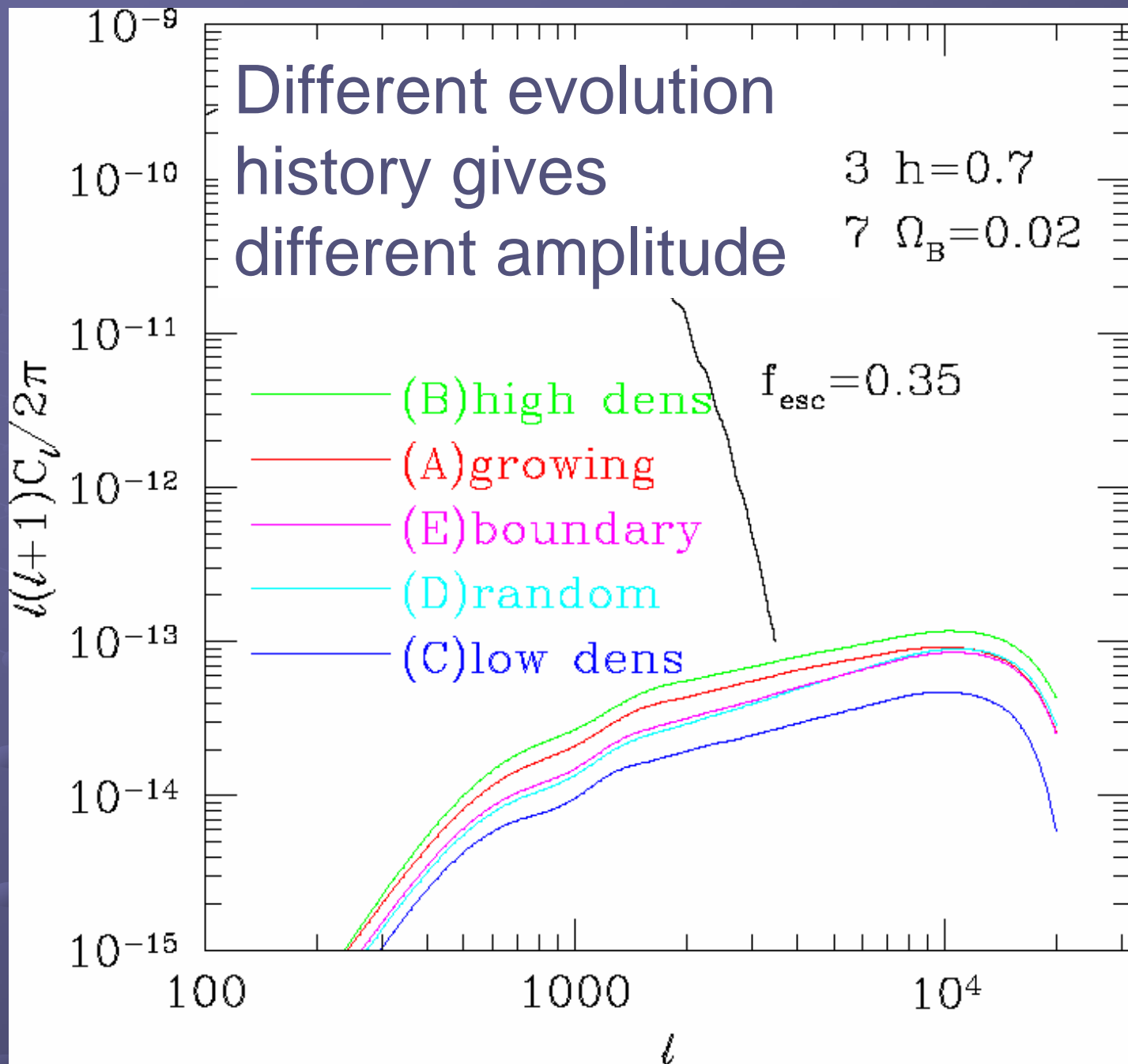
Boundaries model



Density Field

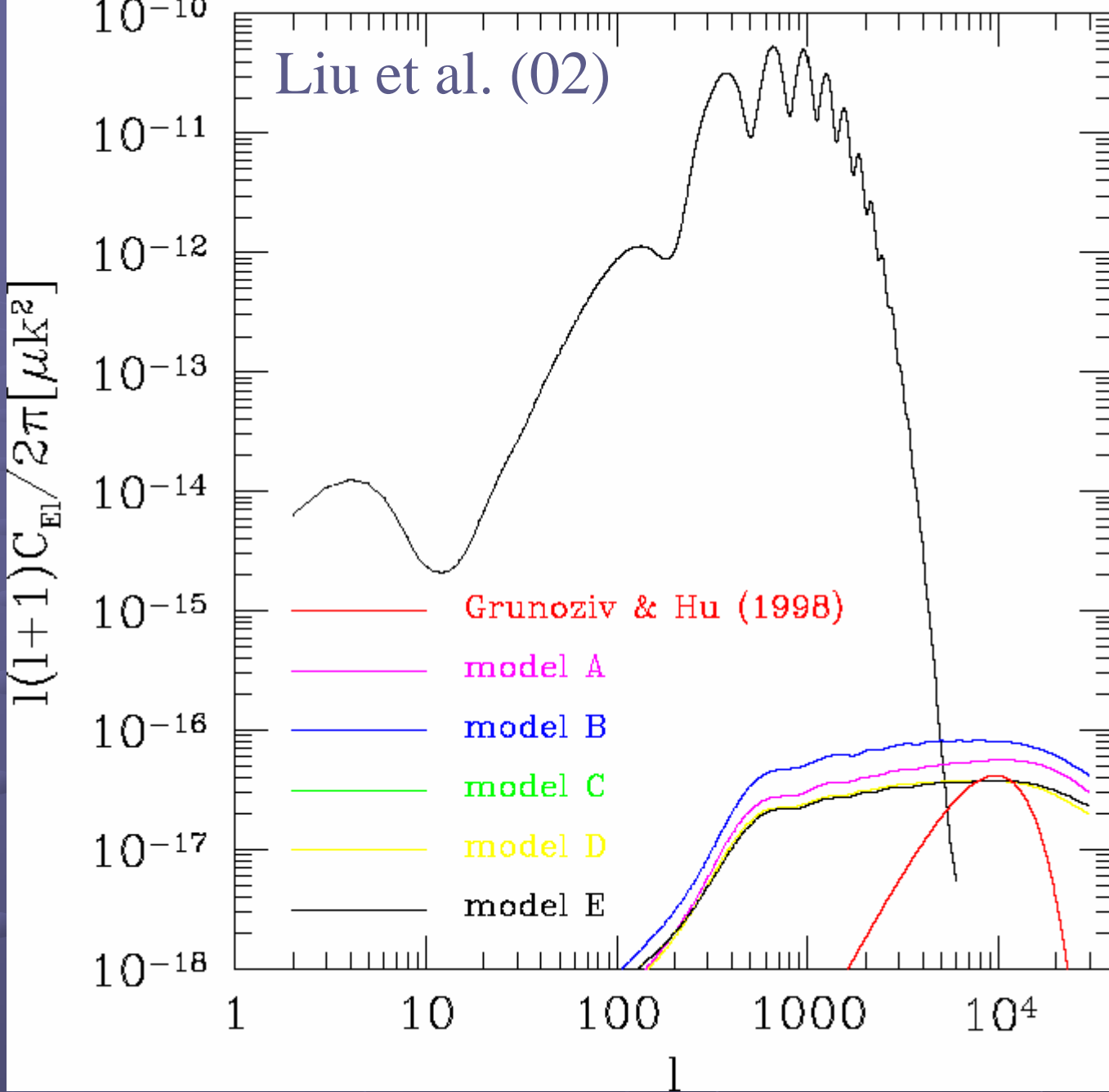
B:High density

E:Boundary



Dependence on distribution of ionized region





Ionized region dependence



# § 3. Some Attempts on having Early Reionization

## ● Orthodox Approach

- CDM with Top Heavy IMF
- CDM with High Escape Fraction of Ionizing Photons

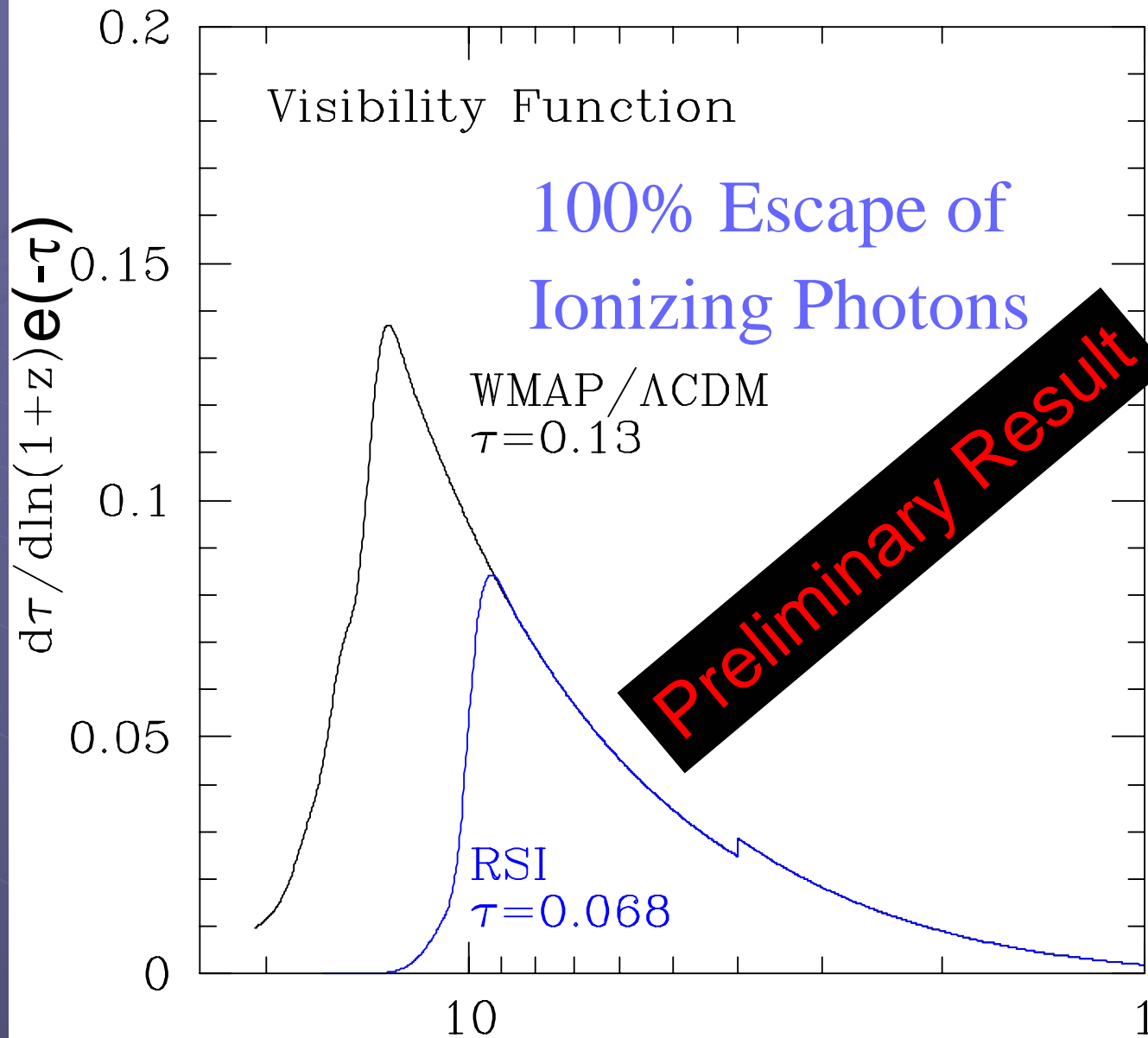
**They've Worked, sort of. But not for RSI model!**  
⇒ How is CMB affected?

## ● Exotic Possibilities

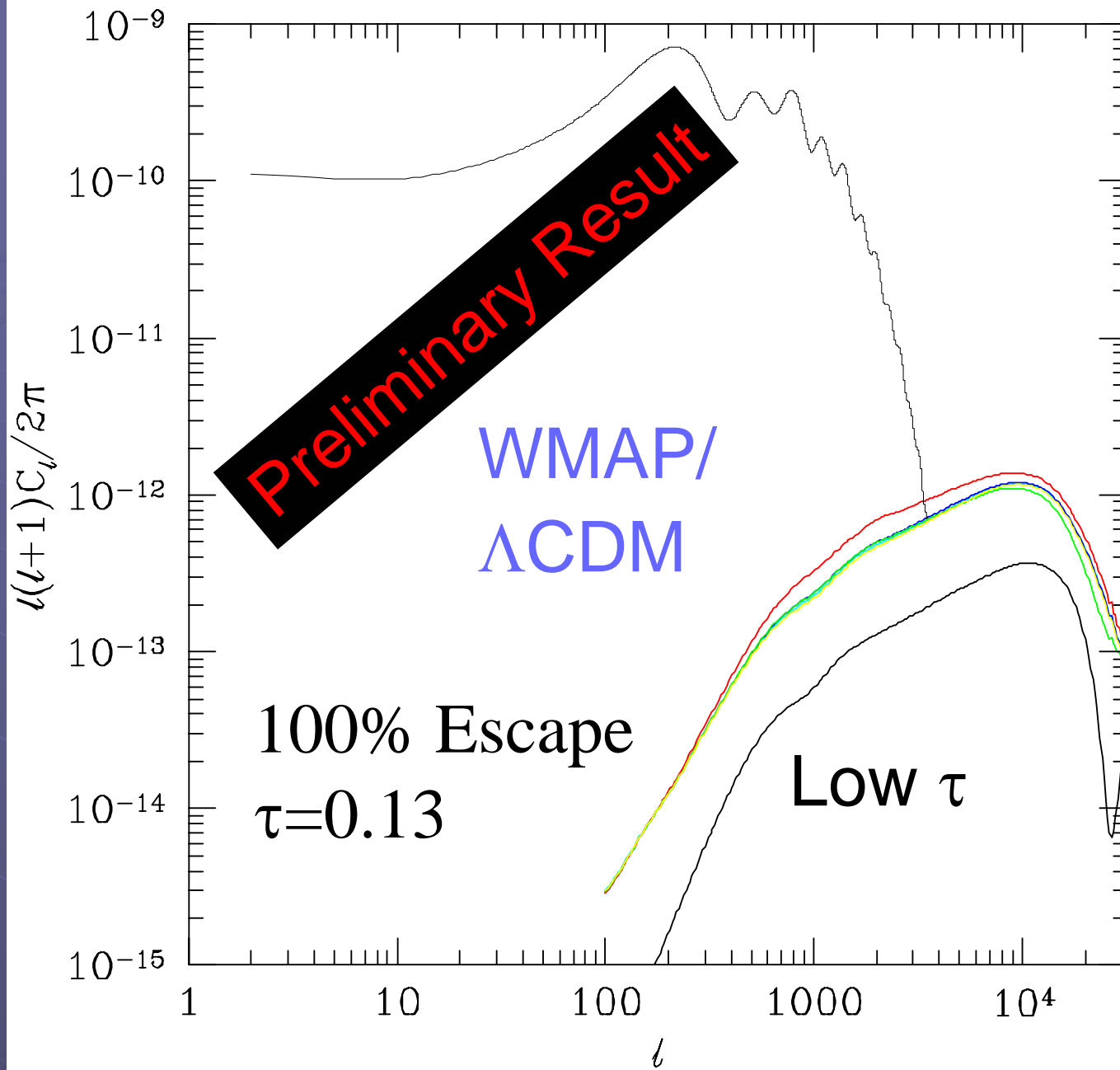
- CDM with isocurvature power spectrum  
Can be consistent with Ly-alpha and reionization
- CDM with non-Gaussian fluctuations  
Induce early structure formation
- CDM with decaying particles

● Radiation from the particles can reionize the universe

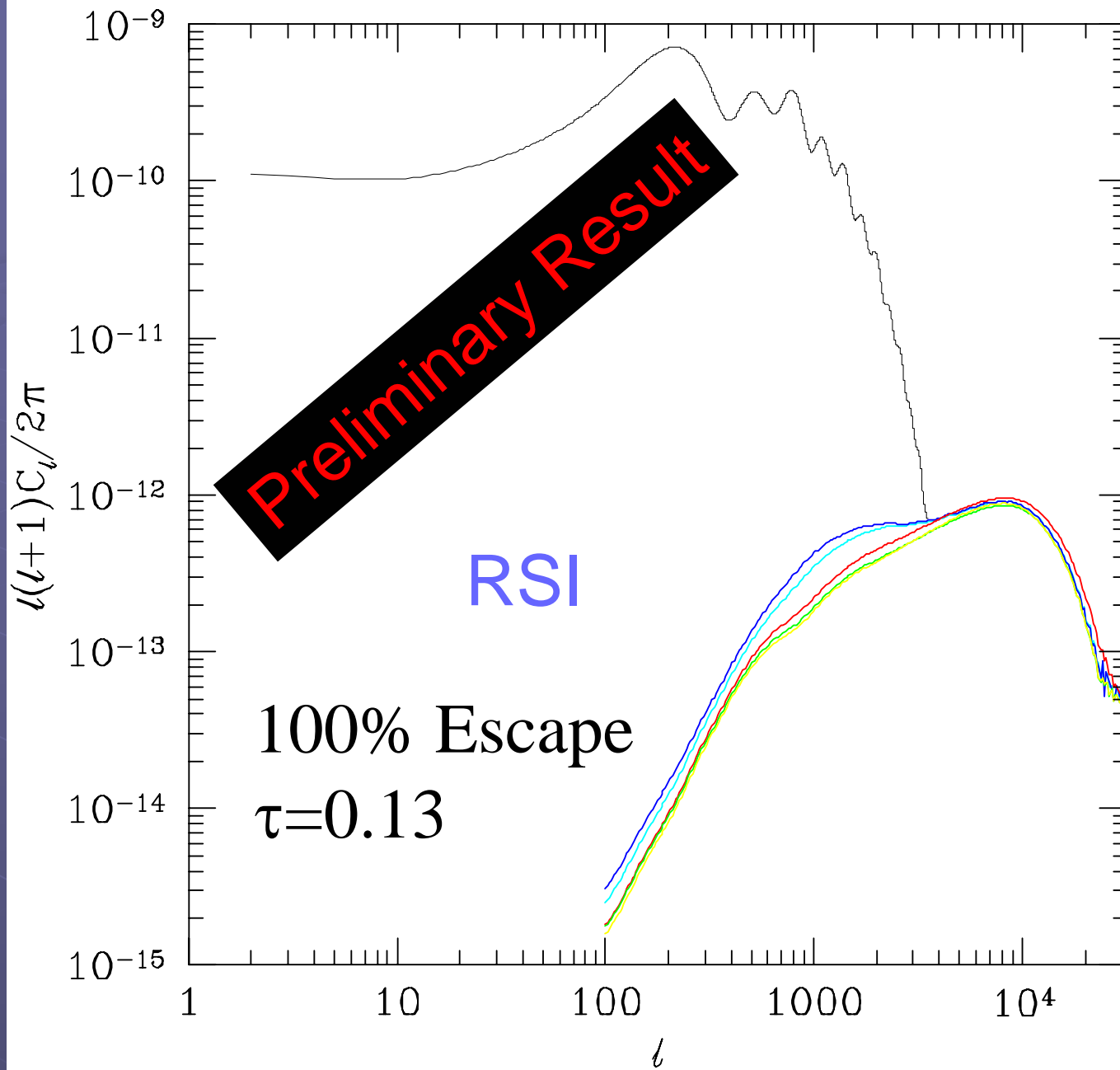




Benson, NS, Nusser, Lacey:



Benson, NS, Nusser, Lacey



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# CDM adiabatic +Isocurvature modes

with Zaroubi, Silk

## Requirements:

- To be consistent with Ly-alpha forest power spectrum
- Early enough reionization

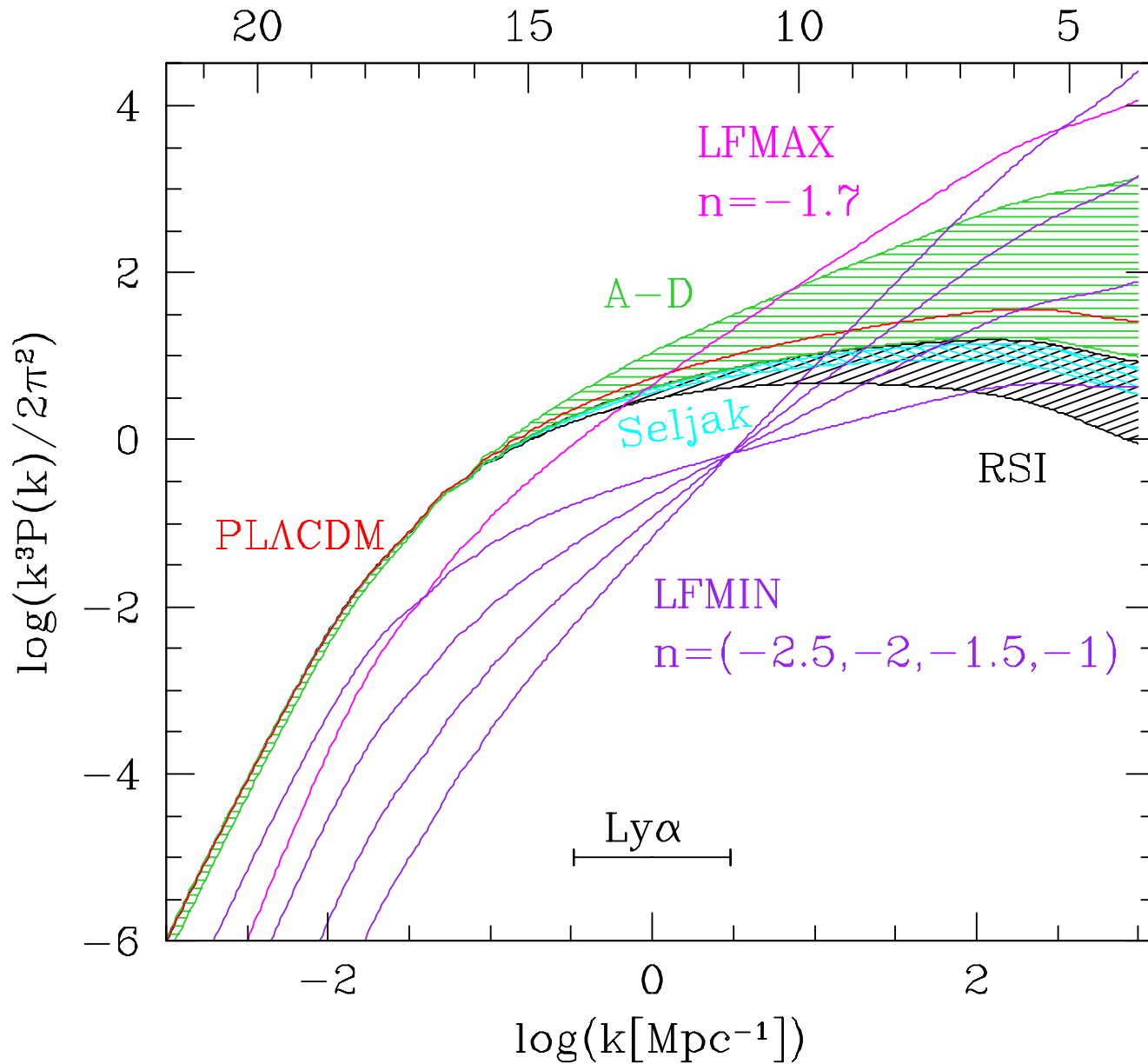
**Plotted here are  $n_\gamma/n_H$ :** translate into ionization fraction, need to be divided by

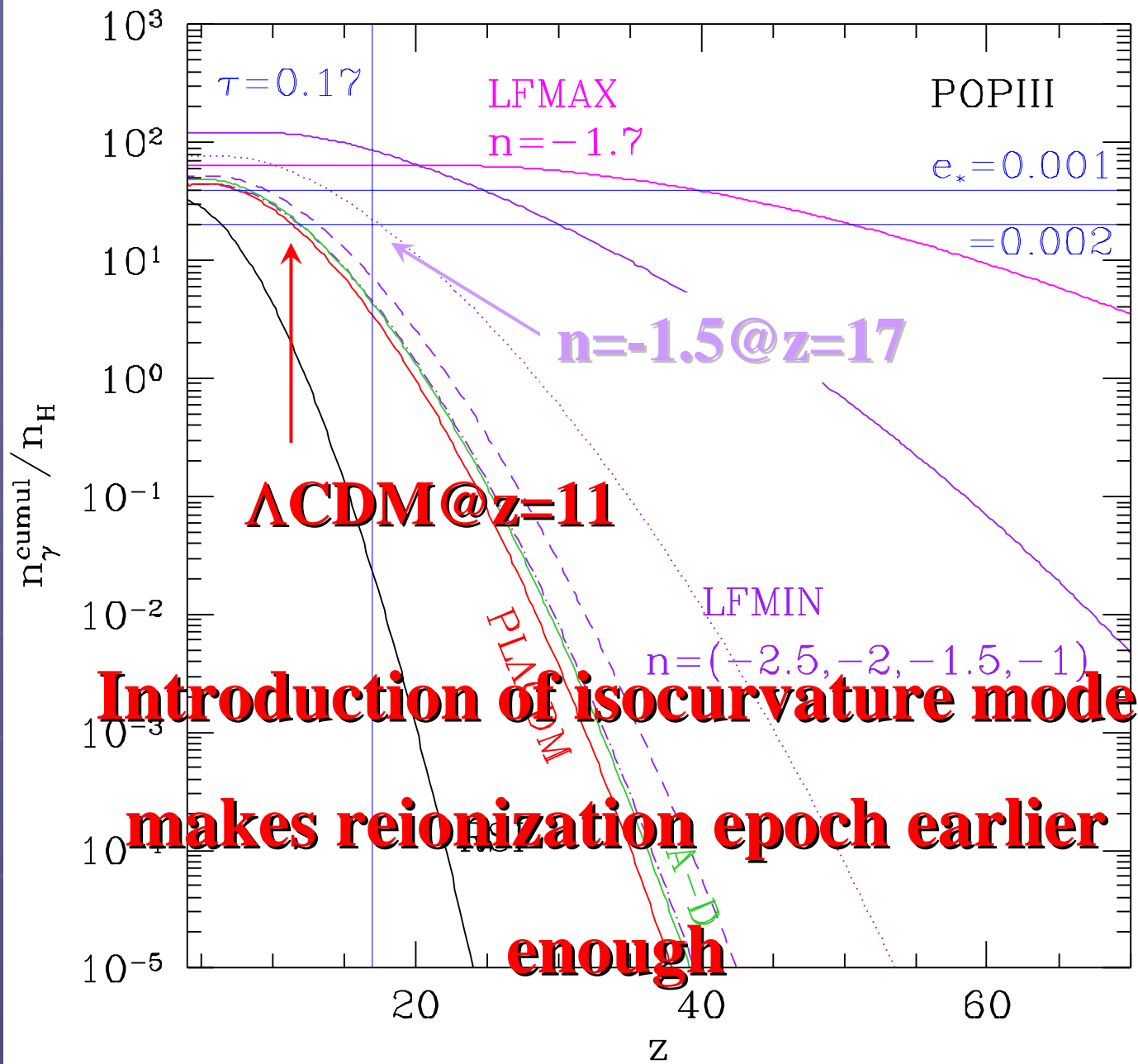
$$f_{\text{esc}} f_{\text{ion}} / C_{\text{clump}} \sim 10 \text{ to } 20$$

$f_{\text{esc}}$ : esc.frac,  $f_{\text{ion}}$ : # of ioniz per UV photon

$C_{\text{clump}}$ : Clumping factor

# Power Spectrum $\log(M/M_{\text{solar}})$





Number of Ionizing Photons per H atom



# CDM with non-Gaussian Fluc.

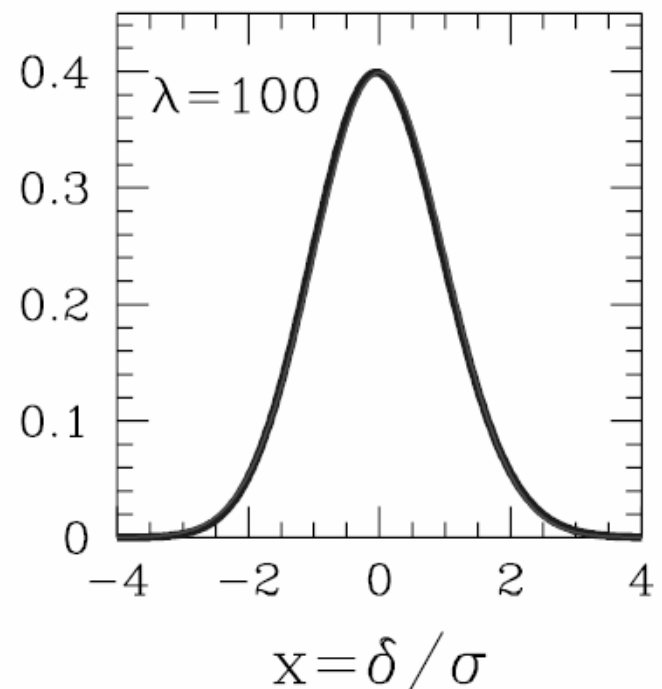
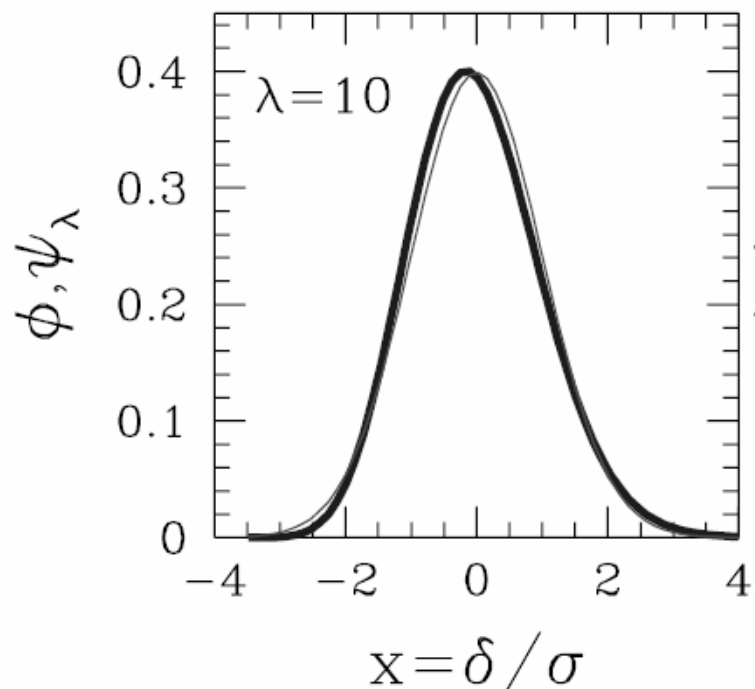
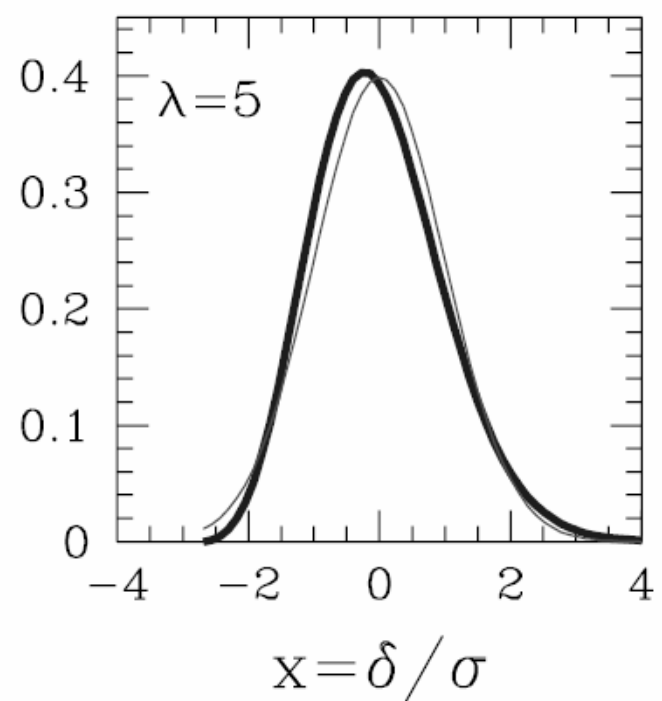
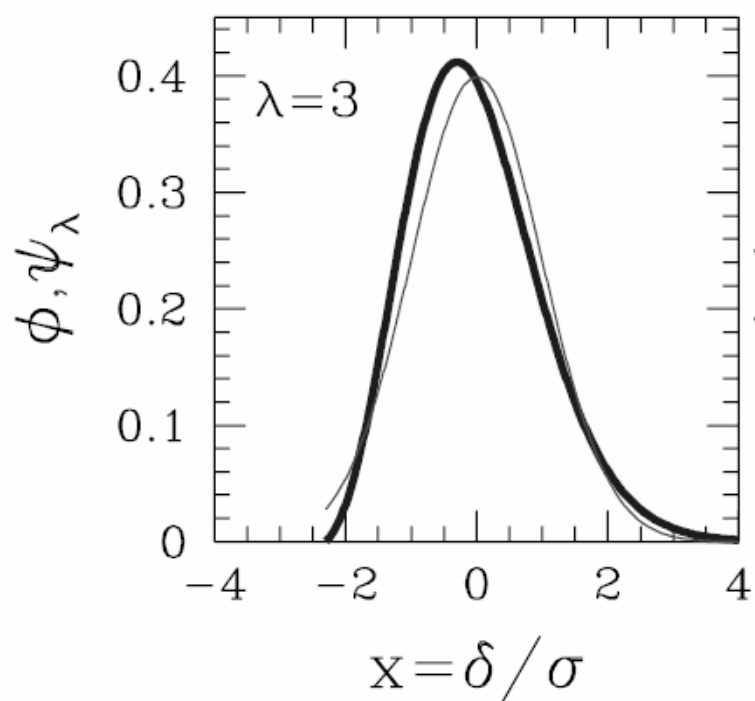
Chen, Cooray, Yoshida, N.S. MNRAS (2003) 346, 31

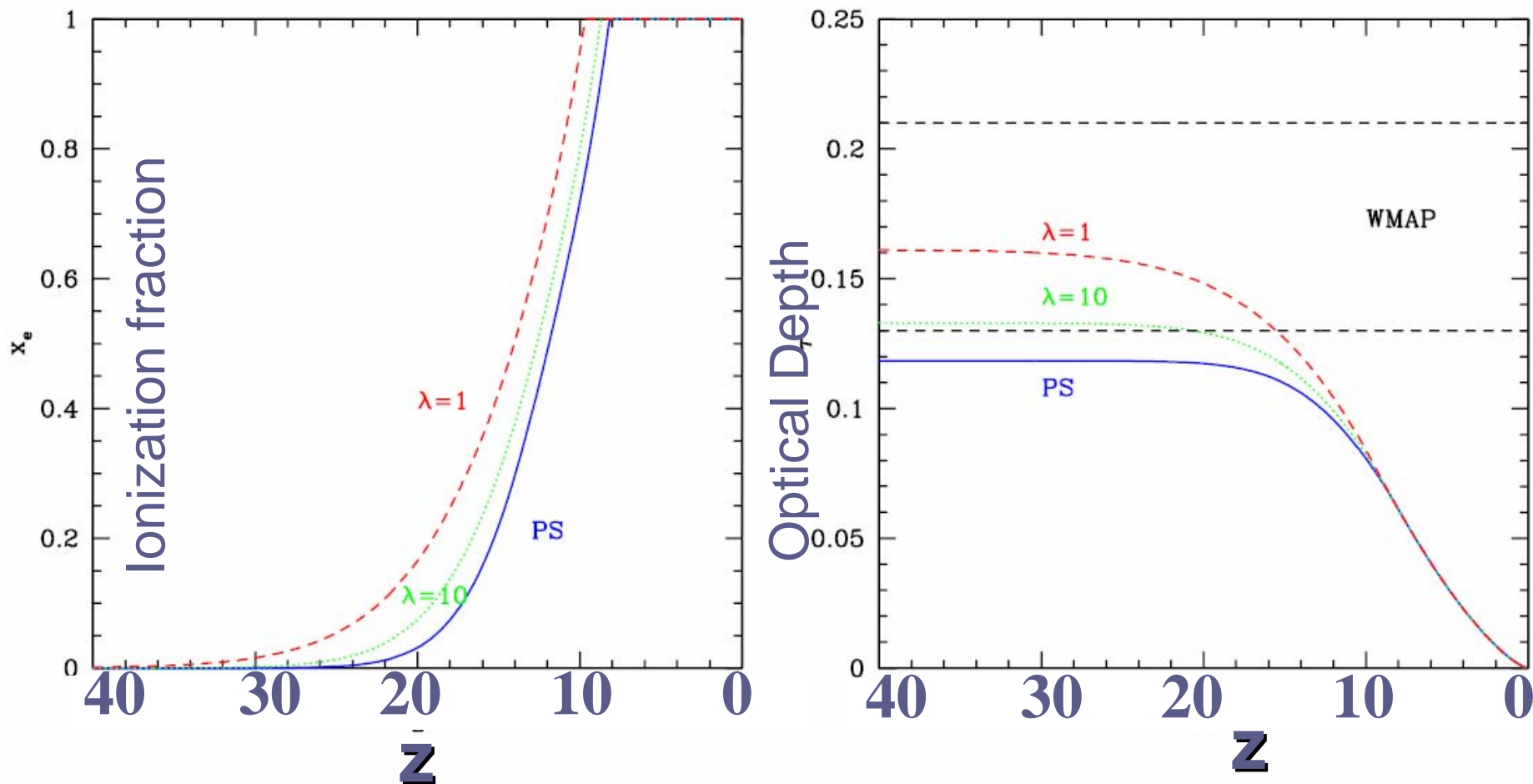
• Perhaps the least exotic model...?

$$\psi(x) = 2A \frac{\lambda^{\sqrt{\lambda}x + \lambda + 0.5} e^{-\lambda}}{\Gamma(\sqrt{\lambda}x + \lambda + 1)}, \lambda \rightarrow \infty: \text{Gaussian}$$

Willick (00)

$\lambda \approx D(z)/6\varepsilon$  :  $D(z)$  Growth Rate





**Figure 2.** *Left:* The volume ionized fraction,  $x_e(z) \equiv F_{\text{HII}}(z)$  as a function of redshift. *Middle:* scattering. The models are based on “ordinary” star-formation in Type I halos only. The Press-Schechter model has a value of 0.097 while the non-Gaussian mass functions lead to values of 0.11 and 0.16. The two black dashed lines indicate the ionization fraction at the end of reionization and the range of the first year of reionization.

$$\psi(x) = 2A \frac{\lambda \sqrt{\lambda} x + \lambda + 0.5 e^{-\lambda}}{\Gamma(\sqrt{\lambda} x + \lambda + 1)}, \quad \lambda \rightarrow \infty: \text{Gaussian}$$

# CDM with decaying particles

Kasuya, Kawasaki, N.S., PRD (2003) 69 3512

- Here we include:  
**decaying particles+Stars+QSO**
- Can gradually reionize the universe from high  $z$
- Shape of EE spectrum is very different

Fraction of Ionized Hydrogen

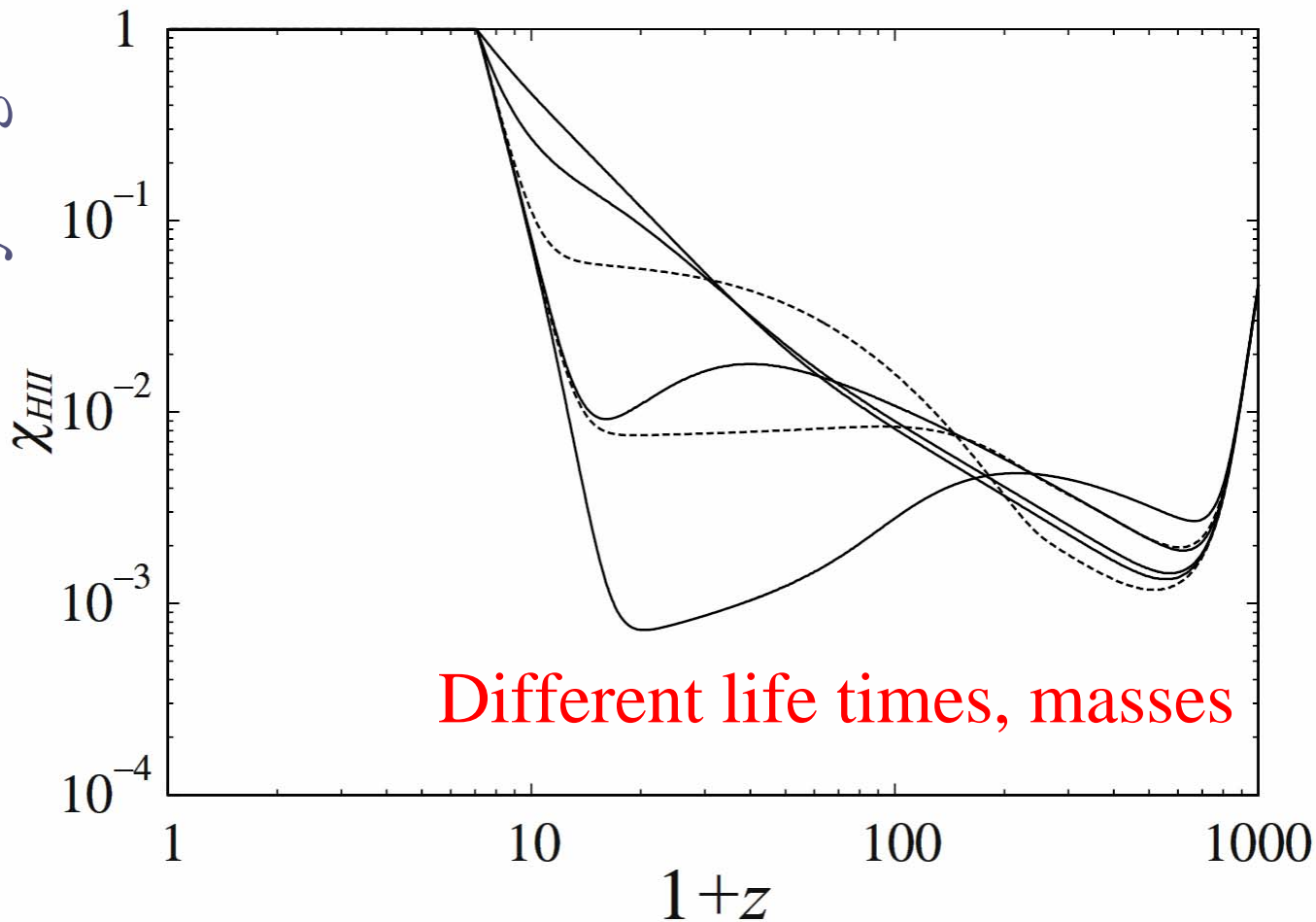


FIG. 1: Ionization histories of hydrogen (HII). We plot for  $E_\gamma = 15$  eV for  $\tau_\phi = 10^{14}$ ,  $10^{15}$ ,  $10^{16}$ , and  $10^{18}$  sec in solid lines from the bottom to the top (at  $z \sim 20$ ), while lower and upper dashed lines denote for  $E_\gamma = 10^5$  eV for  $\tau_\phi = 10^{14}$  and  $10^{15}$  sec, respectively.



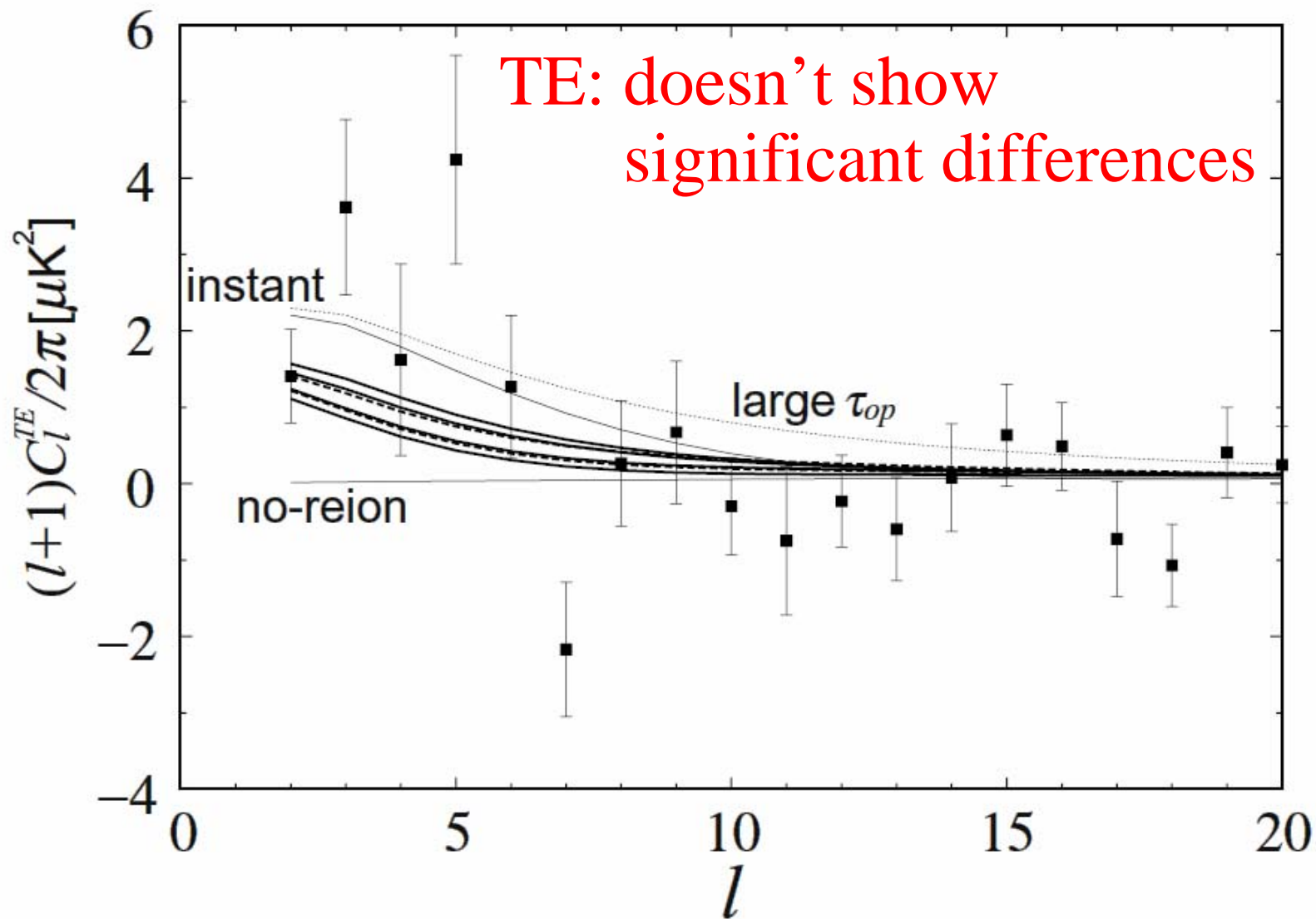


FIG. 5: TE spectrum for various ionization histories. We plot for  $E_{\gamma} = 15$  eV for  $\tau_{\nu} = 10^{14}$ ,  $10^{15}$ ,  $10^{16}$  and  $10^{18}$

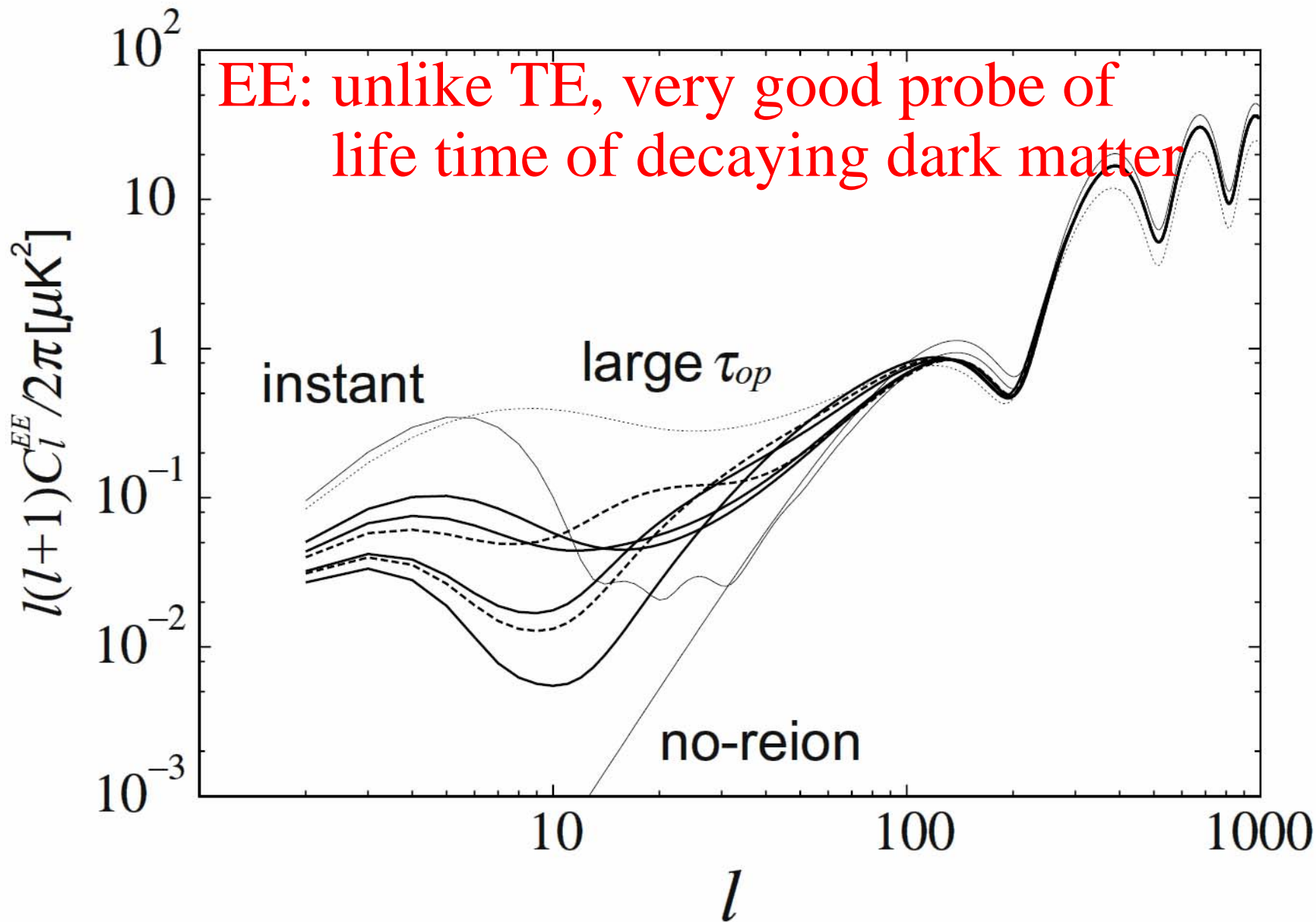


FIG. 6: EE spectrum for various ionization histories

# Reionization

- To get  $\tau=0.17$ , we need
  - Top heavy IMF, High Escape Fraction of Ionizing Photons, or Something Exotic
- We are eagerly awaiting for
  - EE Spectrum by WMAP, PLANCK and more
    - Accurate  $\tau$
    - Epoch of reionization
    - Duration of Reionization
  - Observations of Small Angular Scale CMB Temperature Fluctuations by
    - Consistency Check of  $\tau$
    - Topology of ionized regions

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