

Reionization of the Universe & Kinetic SZ Effect

Probing Dark Ages by CMB

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§1. Early Reionization of the Universe

WMAP

● Reionization

- $\tau = 0.17$: based on Temperature-Polarization Correlation

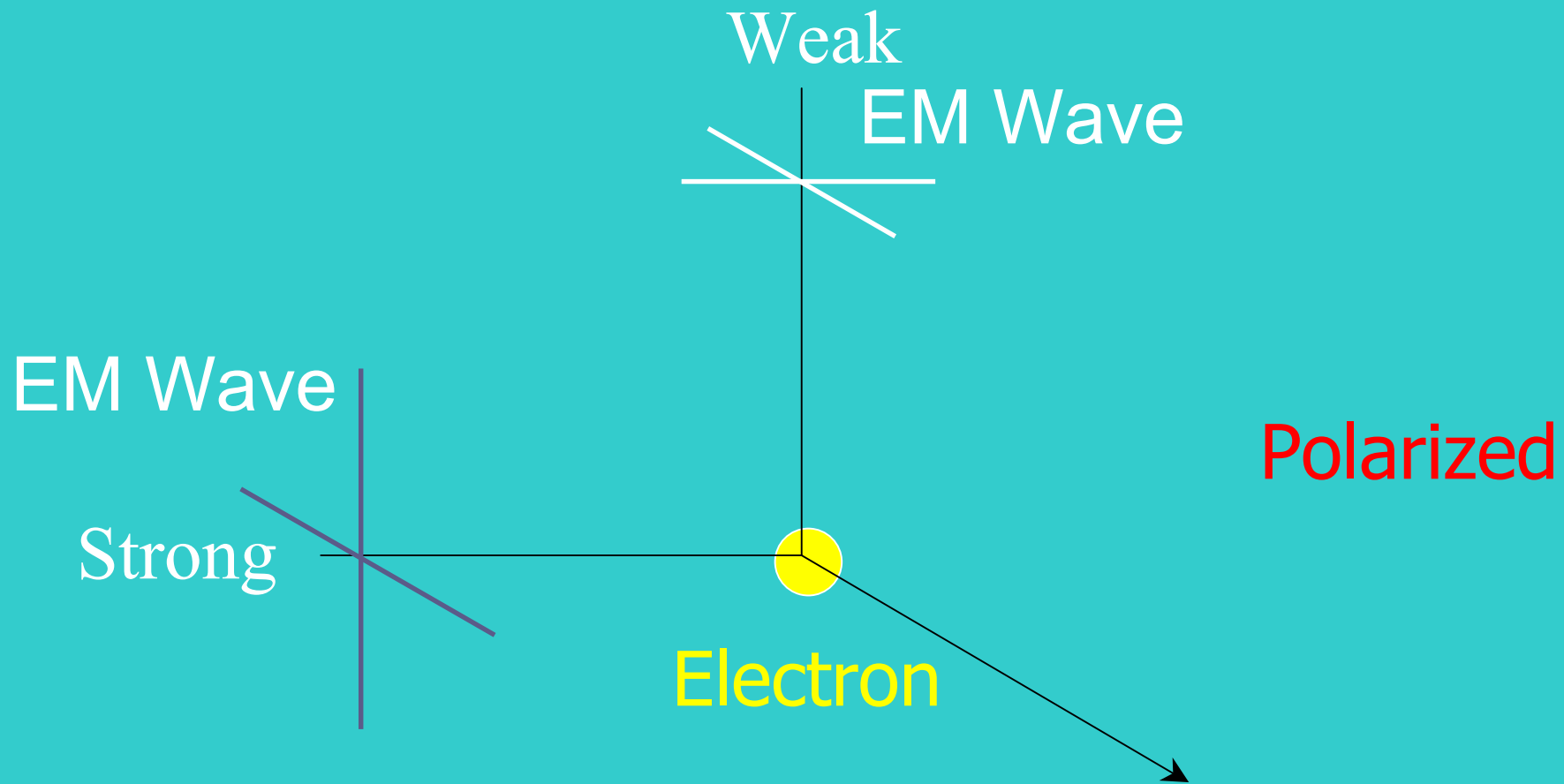
$\tau \equiv \int n_e \sigma_{\text{Thomson}} dt$: Thomson Optical depth

● Corresponds to (best fitted WMAP parameters)

$z = 17.8$ no He reionize

$z = 16.9$ HeI \rightarrow HeII reionization

$z = 16.1$ all He reionize



Scattering with Quadrupole Anisotropies of CMB produce polarization



Big Bang
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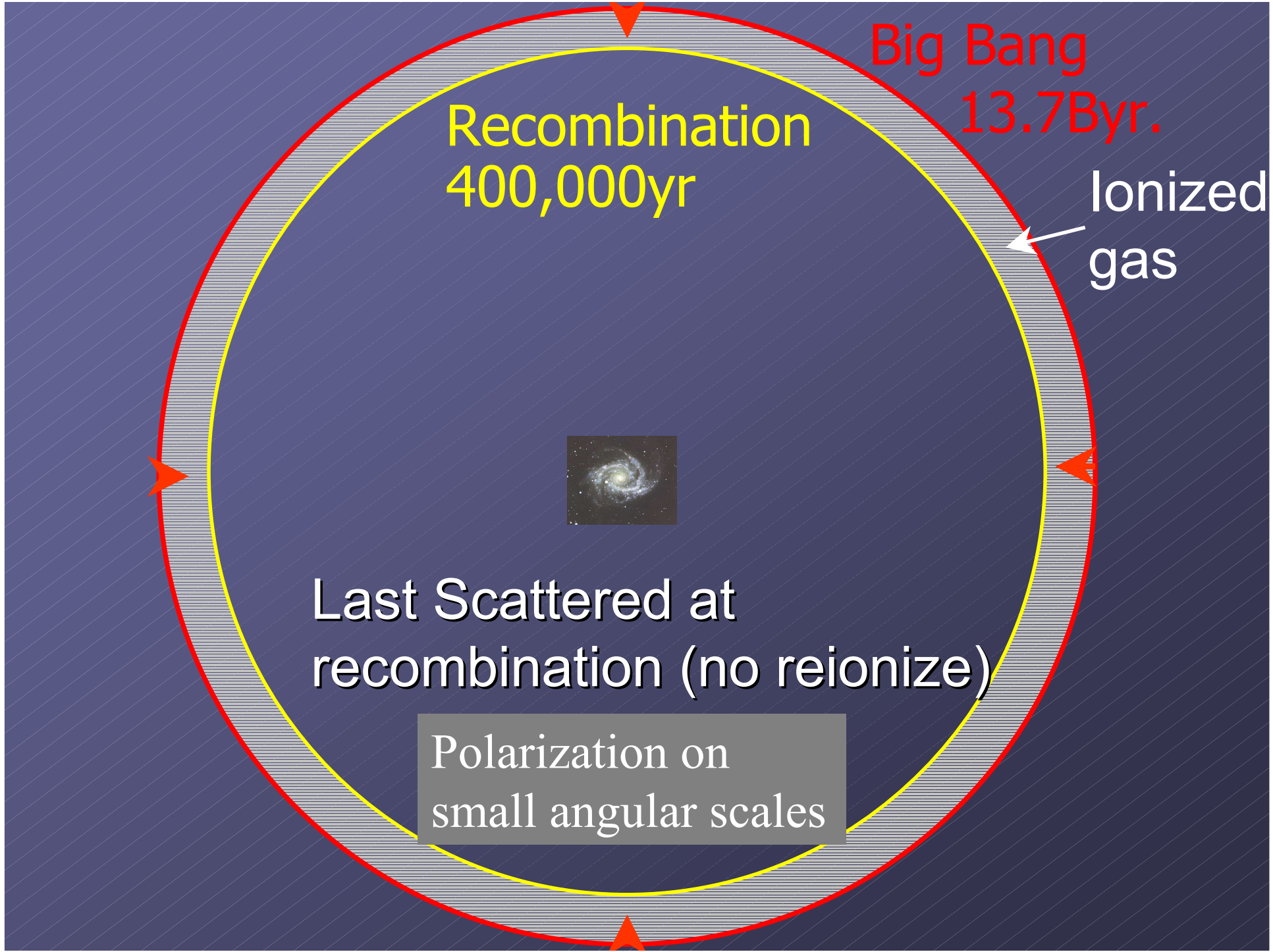
Recombination
400,000yr

Ionized
gas



Last Scattered at
recombination (no reionize)

Polarization on
small angular scales

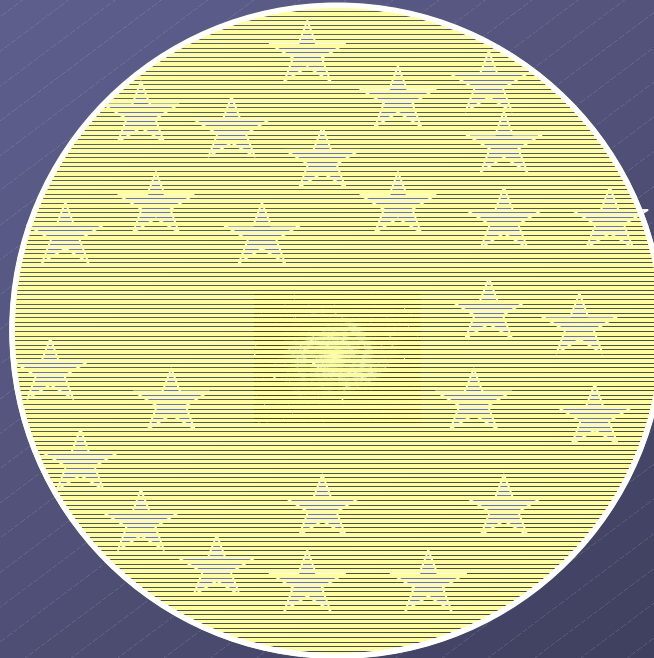


Big Bang

Recombination

Ionized Gas

Ionized
gas

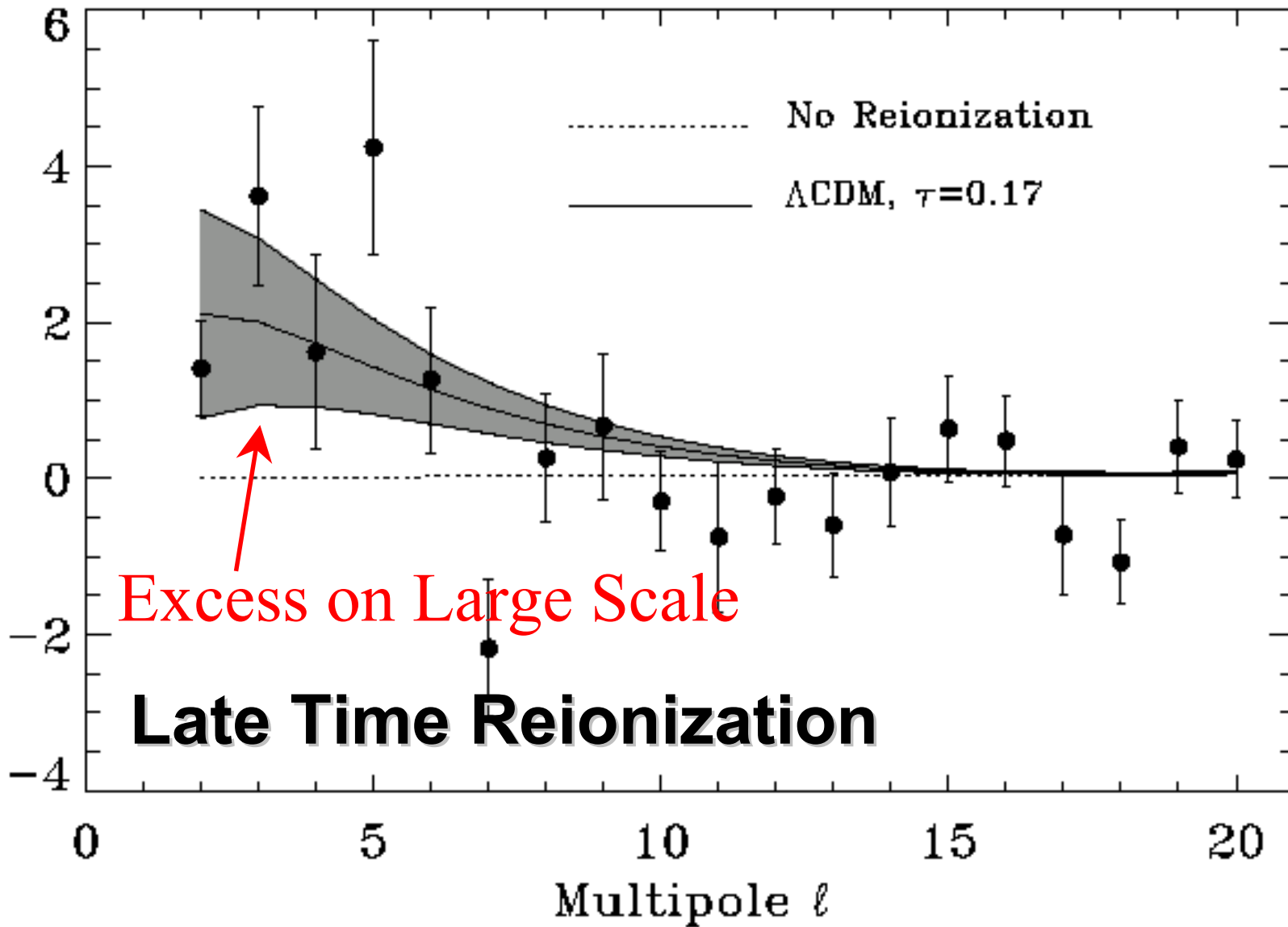


Star Formation

**Some photons last scattered very late
-> Large Scale Polarization**

Polarization-Temperature Cross-Correlation

$$(\ell+1)/(2\pi) c_{\ell}^{TE} (\mu K^2)$$

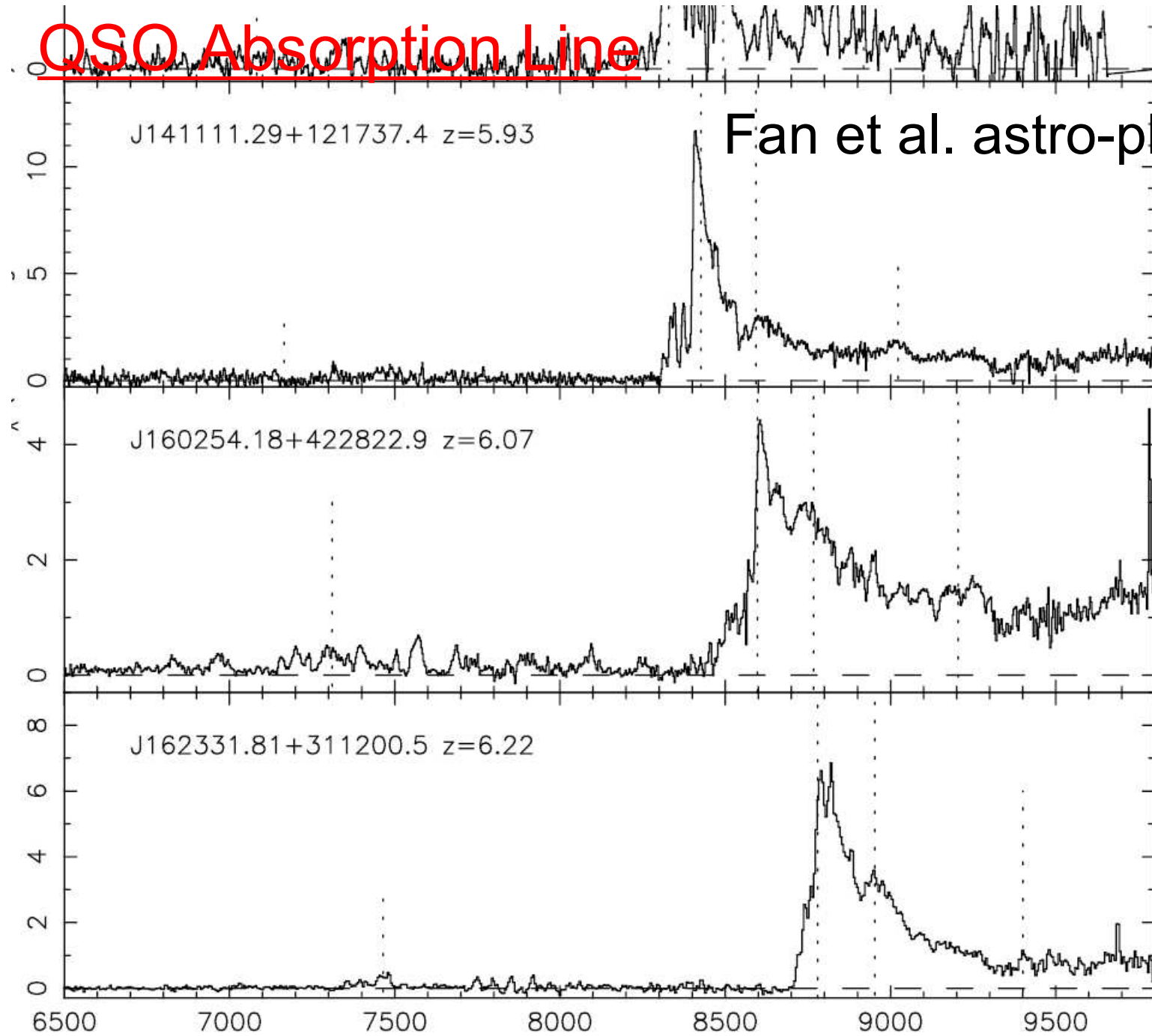


Late Time Reionization

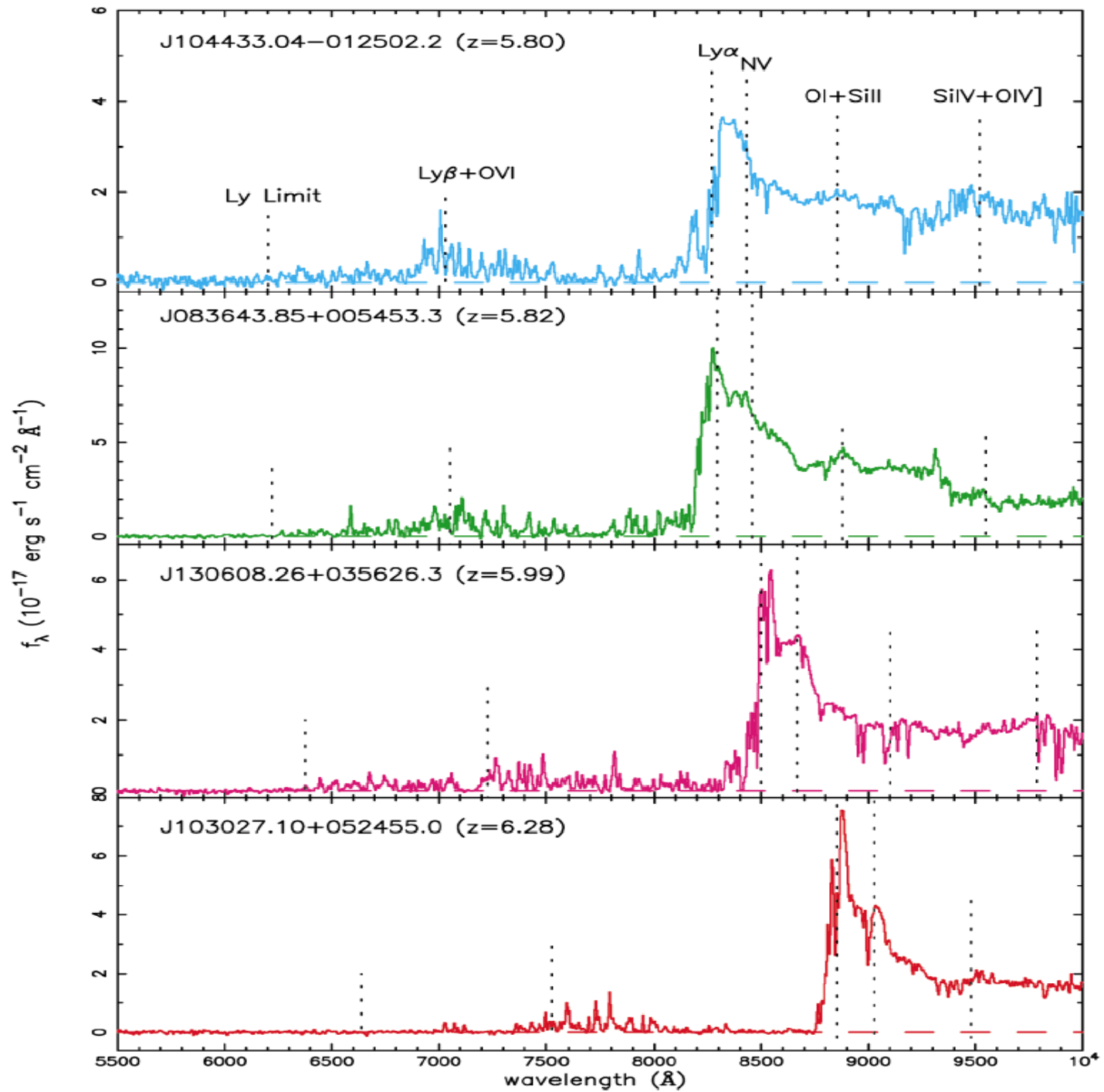
1/ Angular Scale

QSO Absorption Line

Fan et al. astro-ph/0405138



Becker et
al. AJ122,
2850



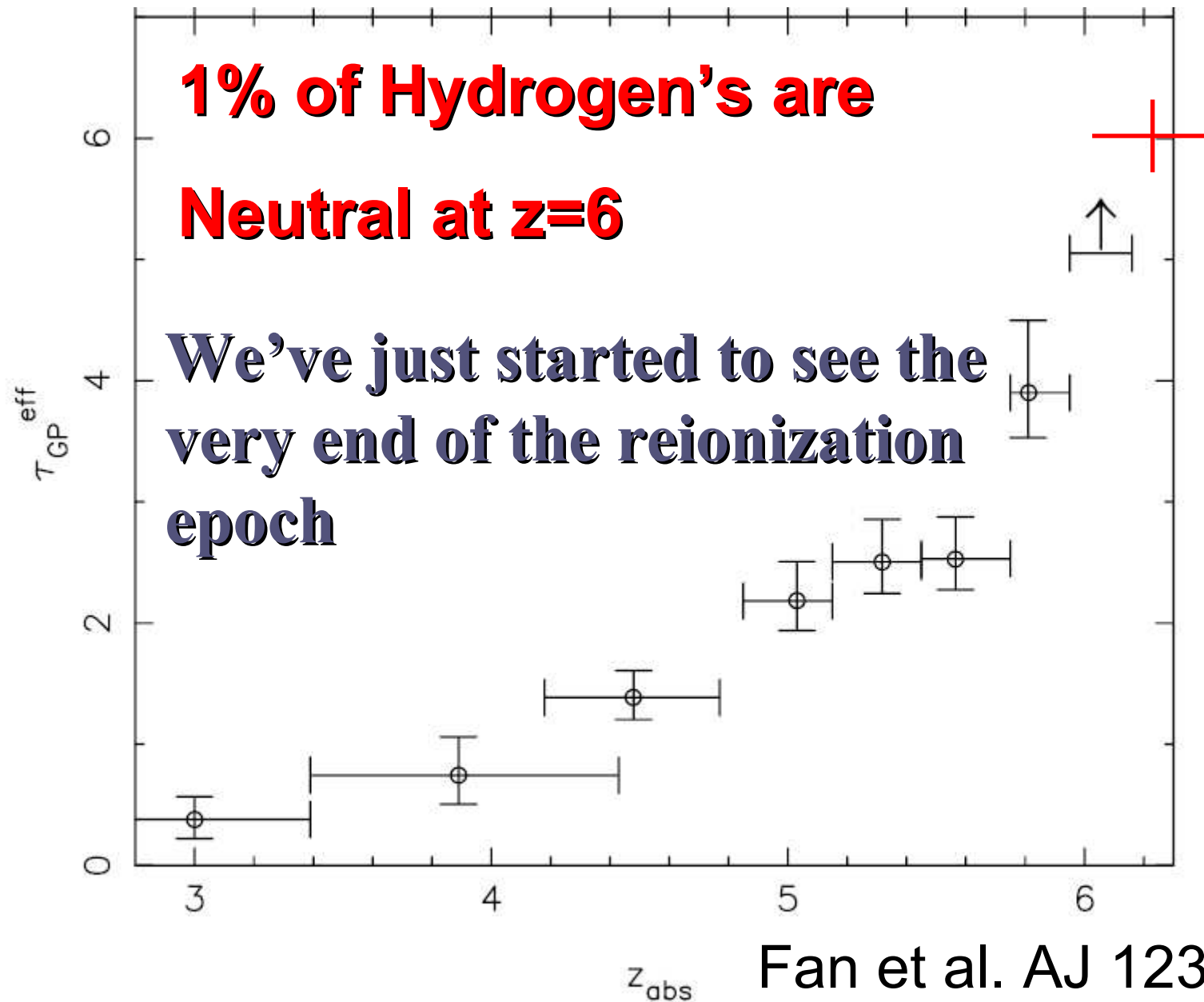


FIG. 1.—Evolution of Ly α absorption based on the observations of four quasars at $z > 5.7$ in Fan et al. (2001c), Becker et al. (2001), and Paper III. The results at $z_{\text{abs}} < 5.6$ are averaged over four lines of sight, and the error

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
 $\tau=0.17$ but stars form from $z=35$

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

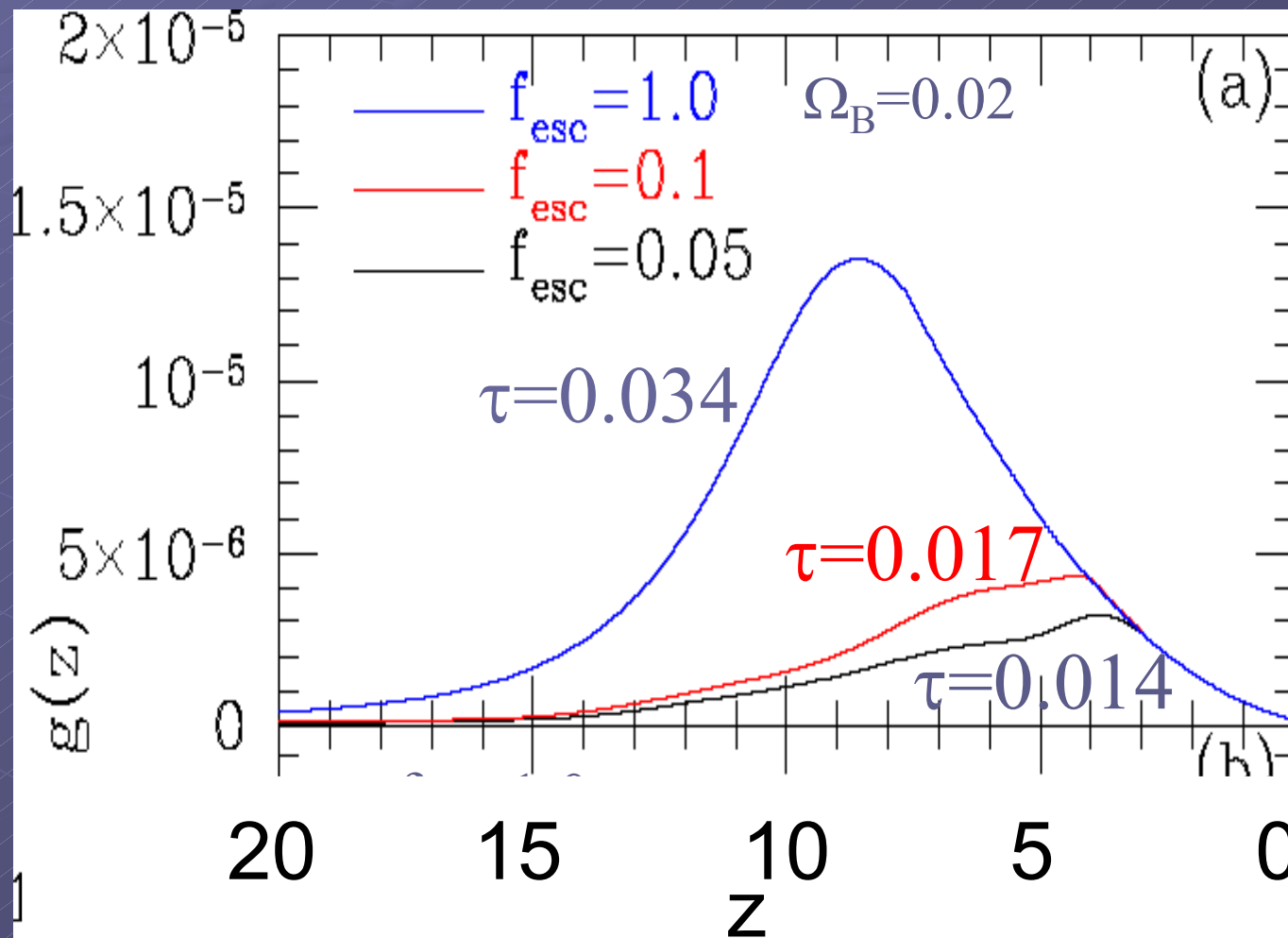
- Ciardi, Ferrara, White (**Post-WMAP**)

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

$$g(z) \equiv \frac{d\tau}{dz} \exp(-\tau) \quad \text{Probability of last scattering}$$



Liu, Benson et al.

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

Suspicious

To have $\tau=0.17$

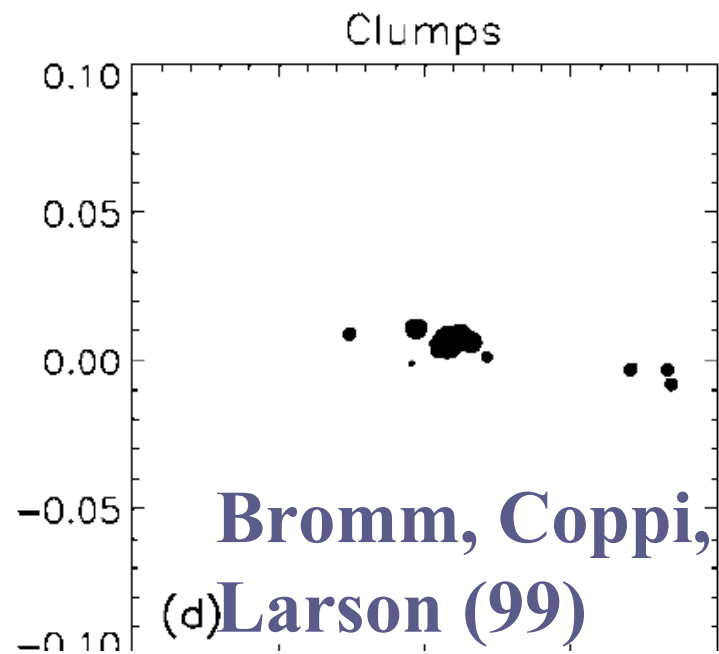
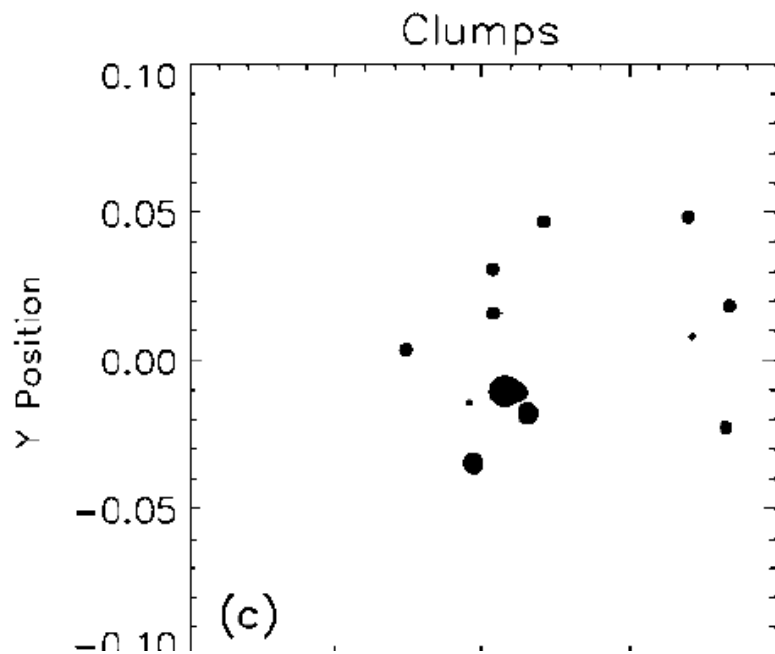
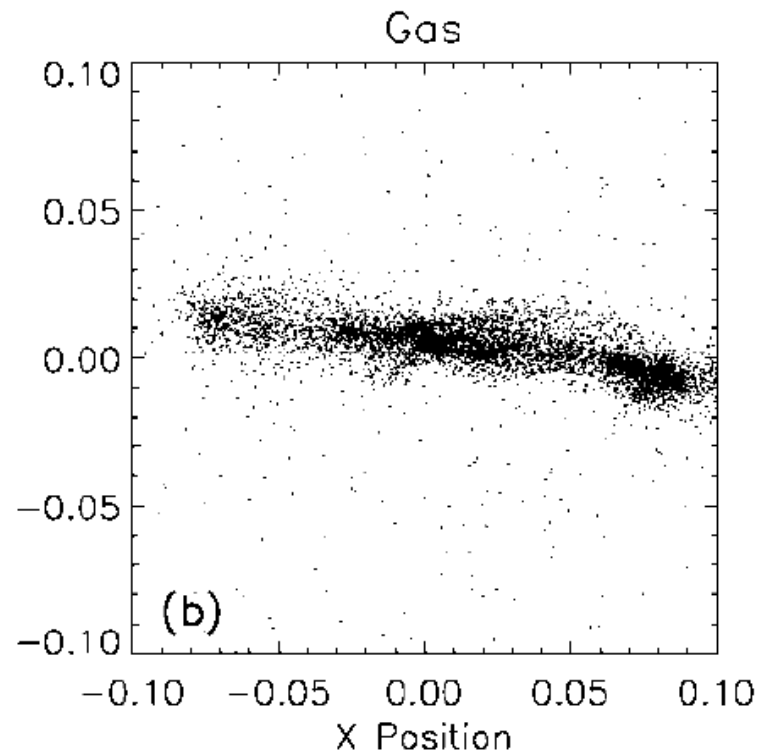
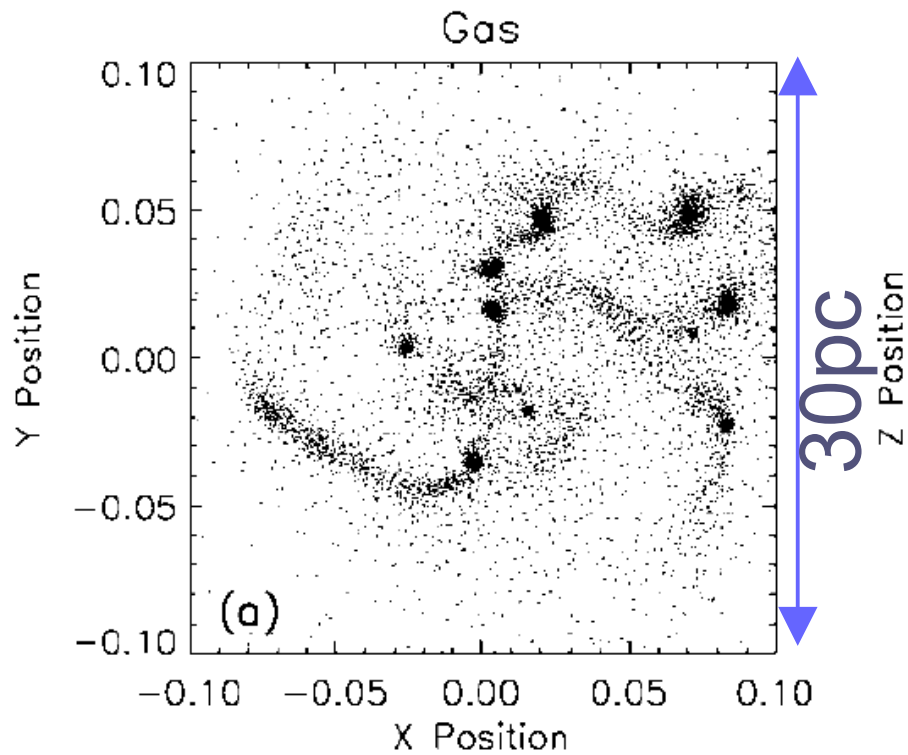
Assuming Λ CDM Cosmogony

- Top Heavy IMF **Plausible! But Unknown!**
 - H₂ Molecular Cooling, Accretion?
- Very Large Escape Fraction of Ionizing photons from the galaxy **Unknown!**

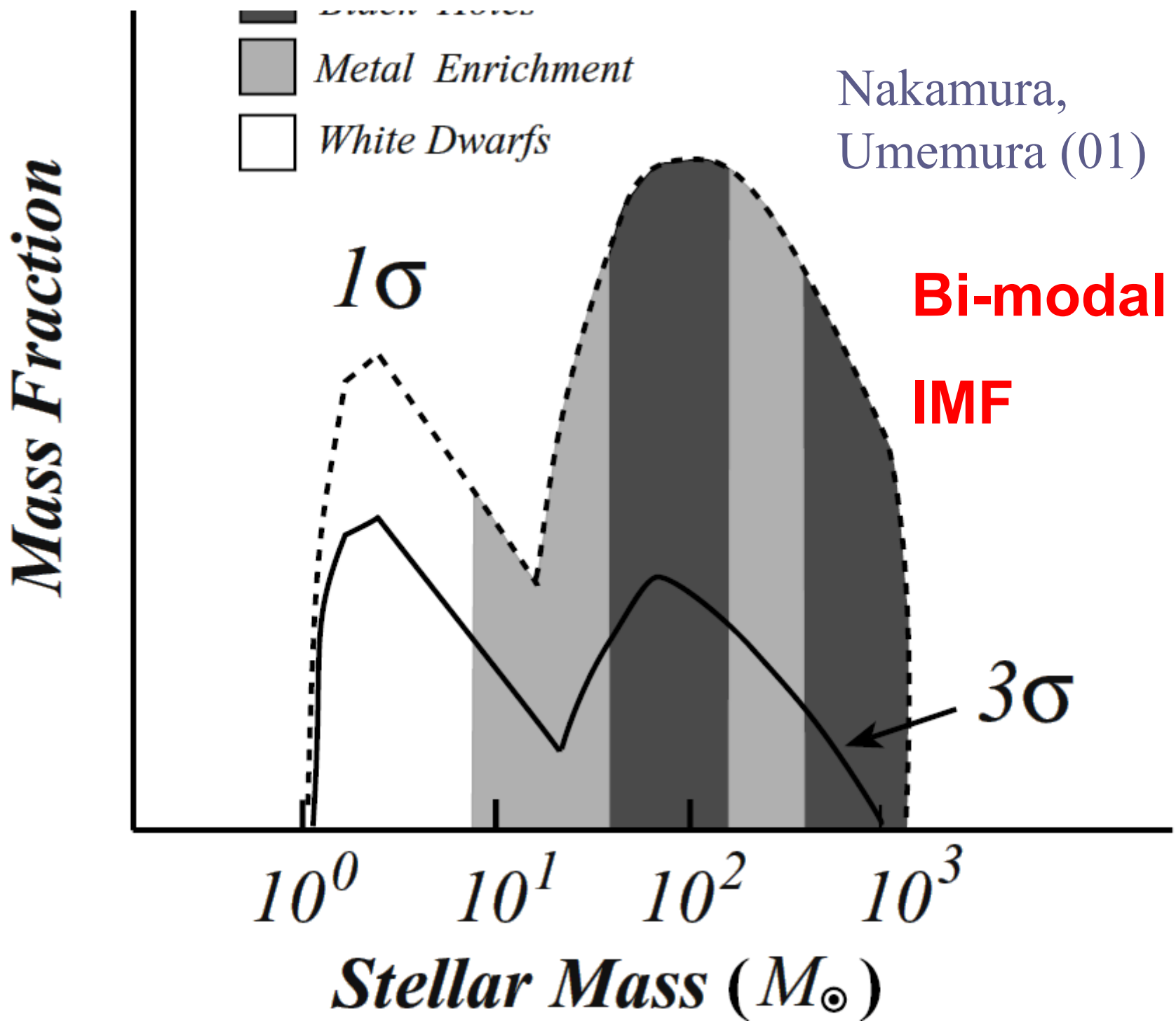
the lack of information: IMF, star formation efficiencies
the effect of dust, complex gas inhomogeneity, gas
dynamics, Shape of the (proto-)Galaxies

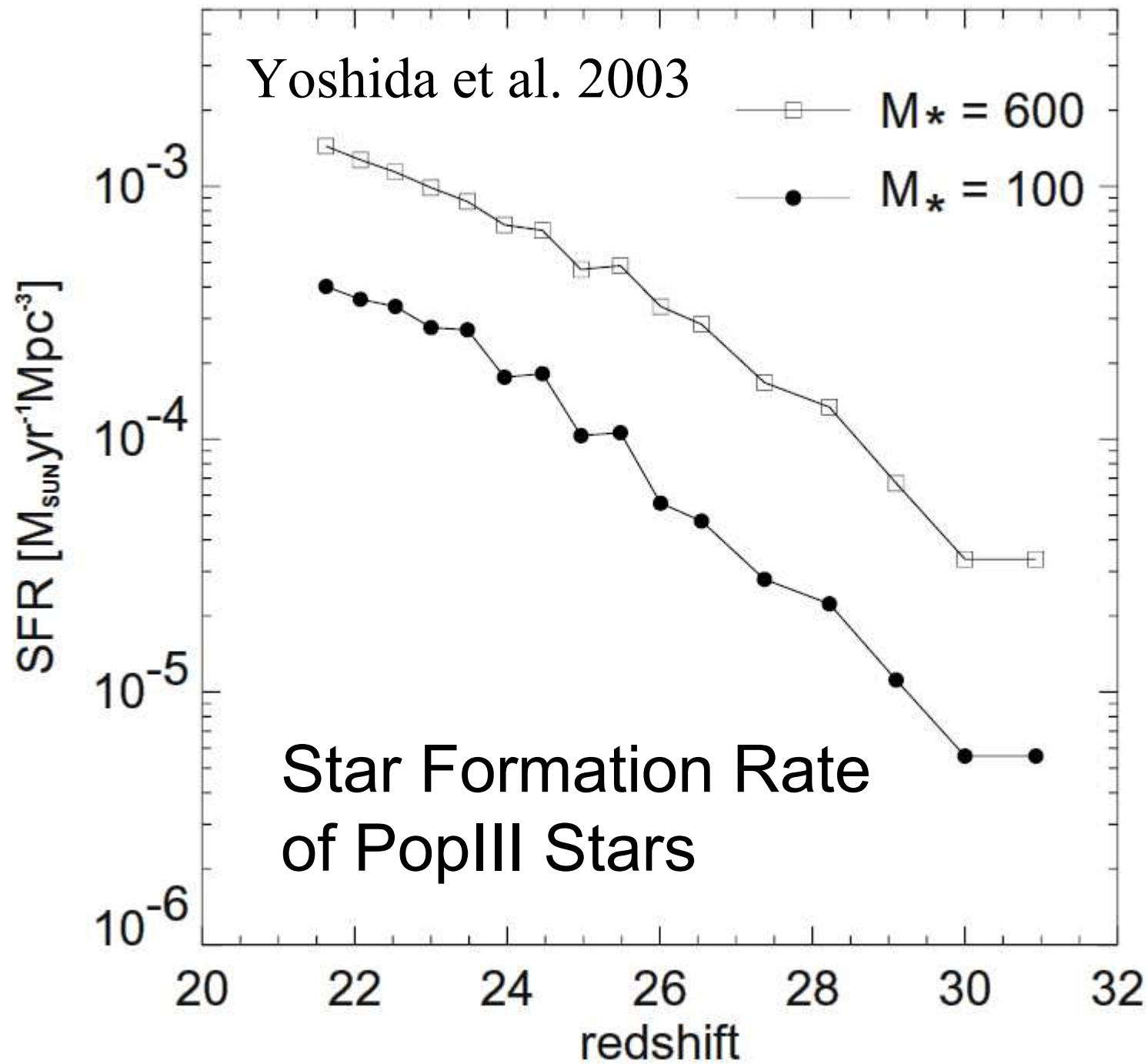
Something Exotic?

- Extra Power in the matter power spectrum
- Extra Ionizing Photons



**Bromm, Coppi,
Larson (99)**





2) When did the reionization take place?

● Reionization

- $\tau = 0.17$

- Corresponds to (best fitted WMAP parameters)

$z = 17.8$ no He reionize

instantaneous reionization was assumed

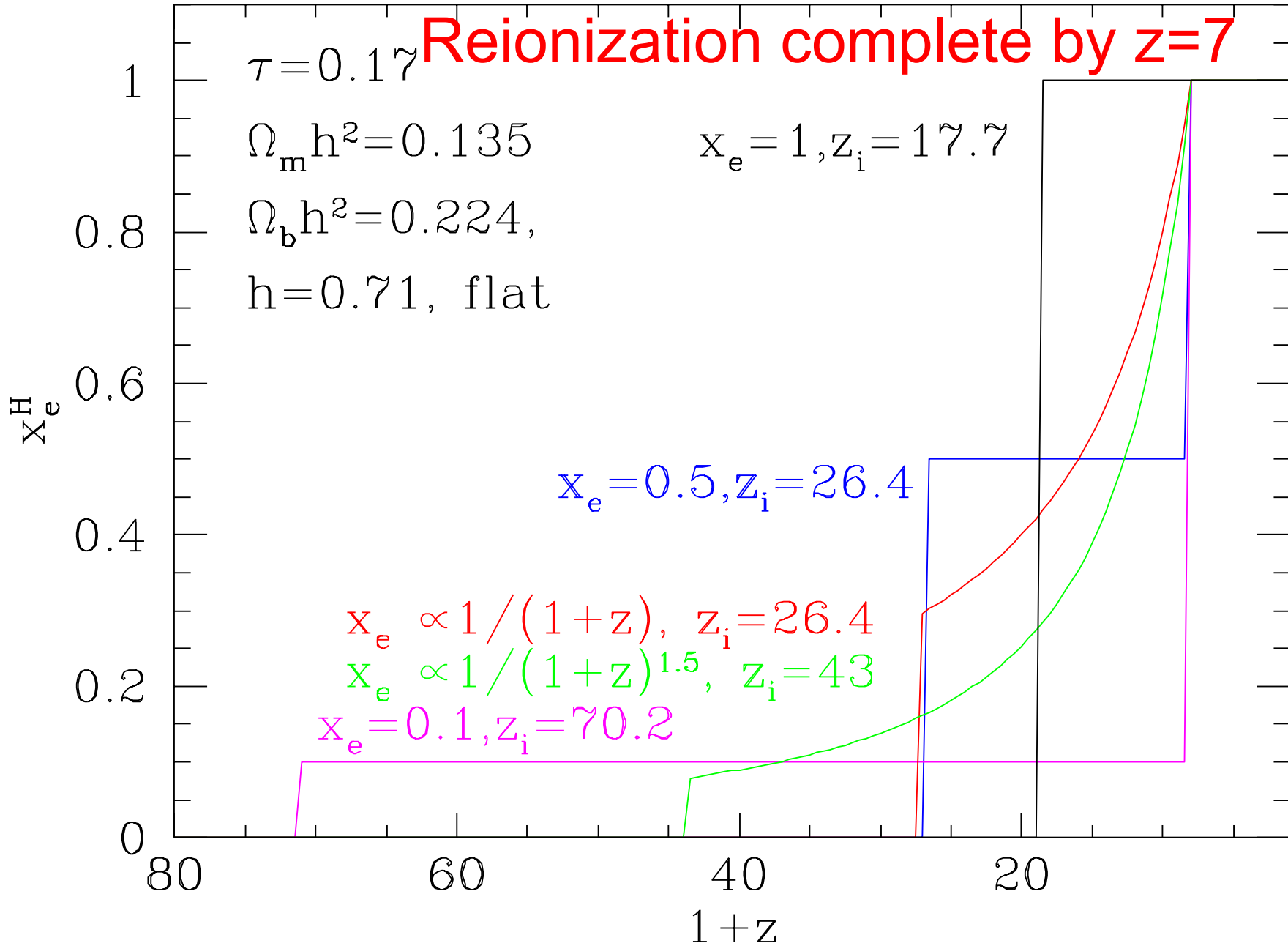
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Rather, gradual reionization is likely!

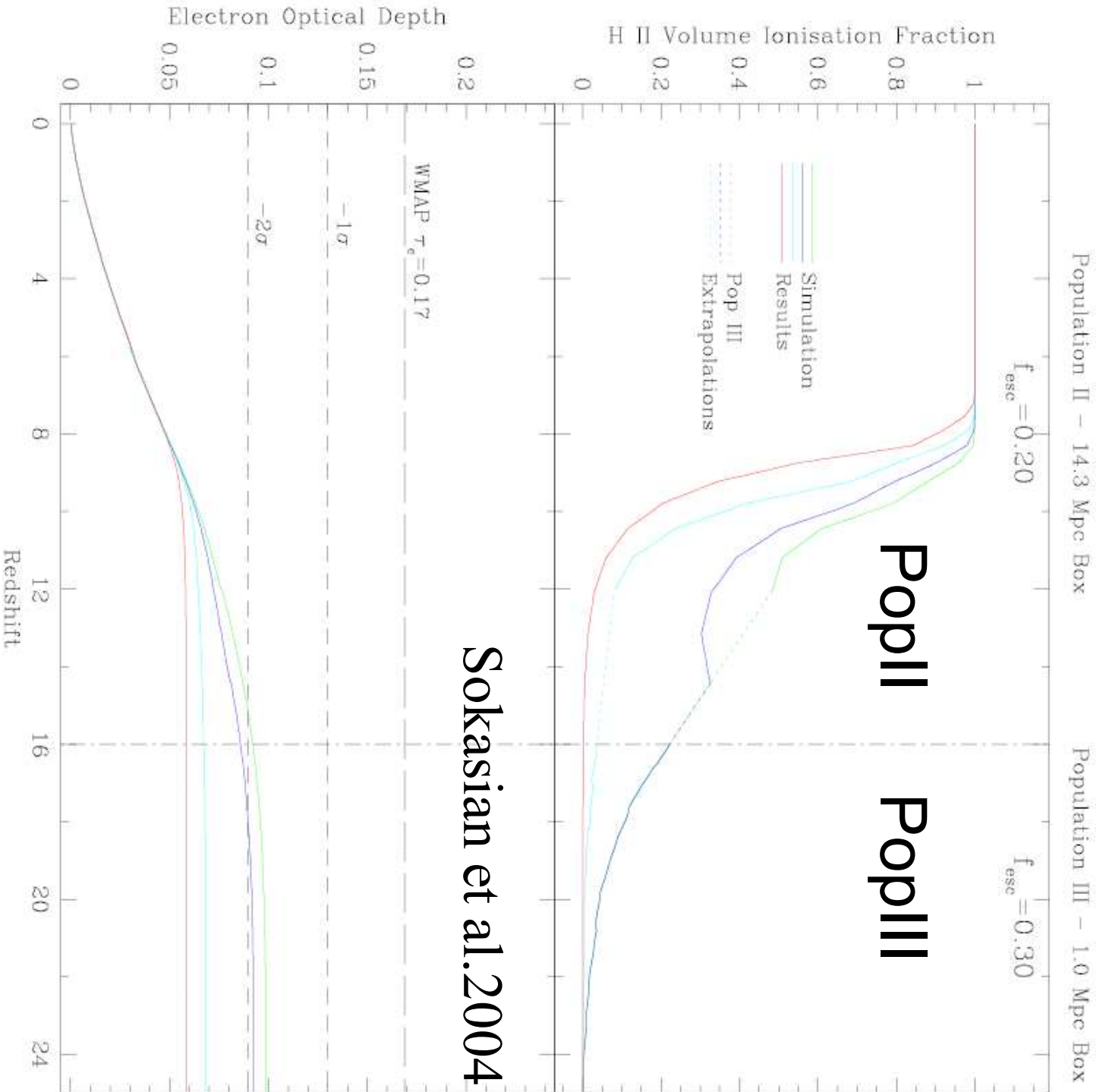
Consistent with SDSS QSOs

Reionization complete by $z=7$



Optical Depth τ

Vol. frac. of Ionized H



Sokasian et al. 2004

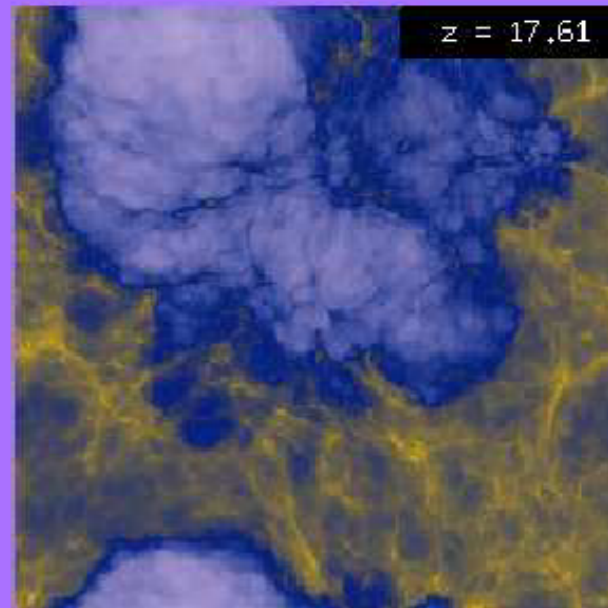
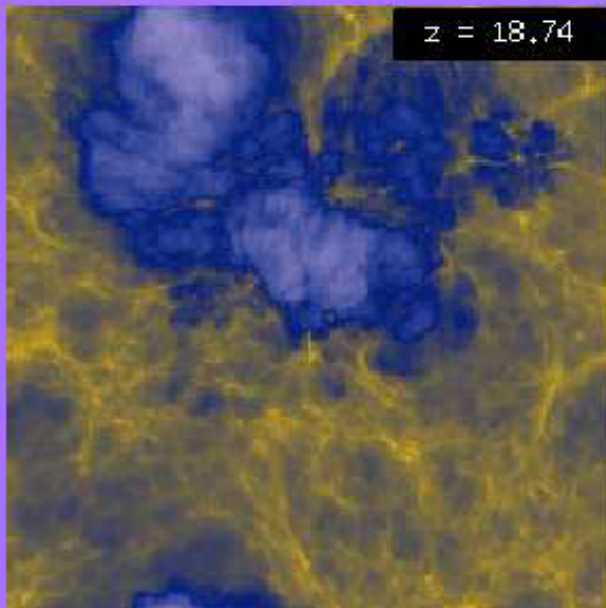
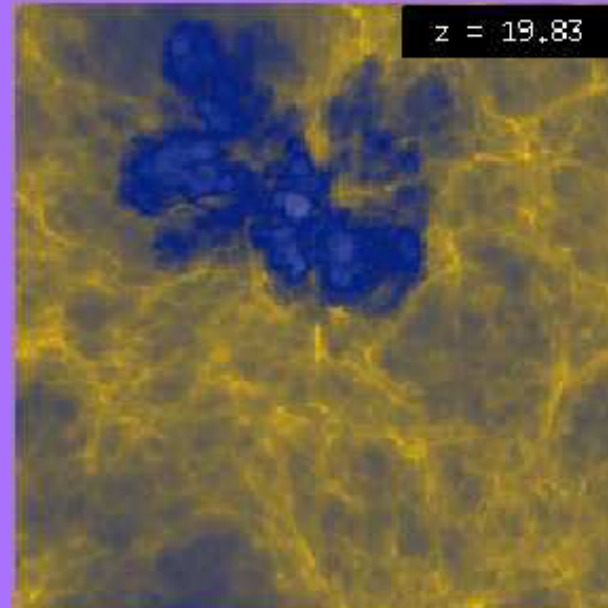
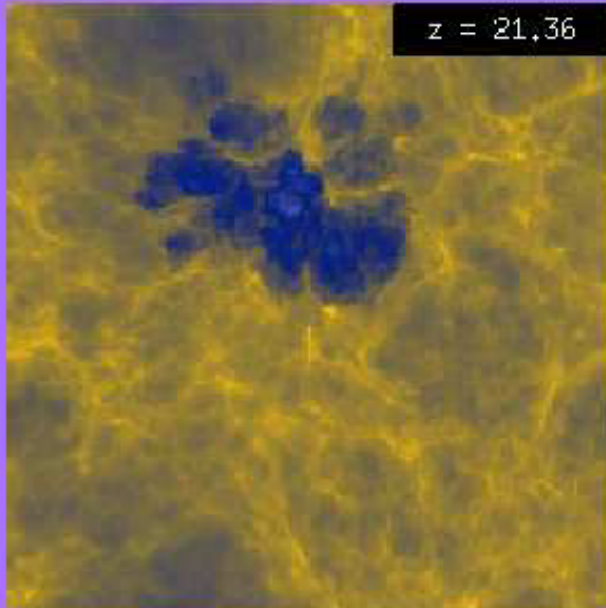
3) How does the ionized region evolve?

What we need are

- **High resolution 3D hydrodynamical simulations with radiative transfer**
- Inclusion of
 - All Chemical Processes
 - Feedback from SN, Stars (photo dissociation of H₂)
- 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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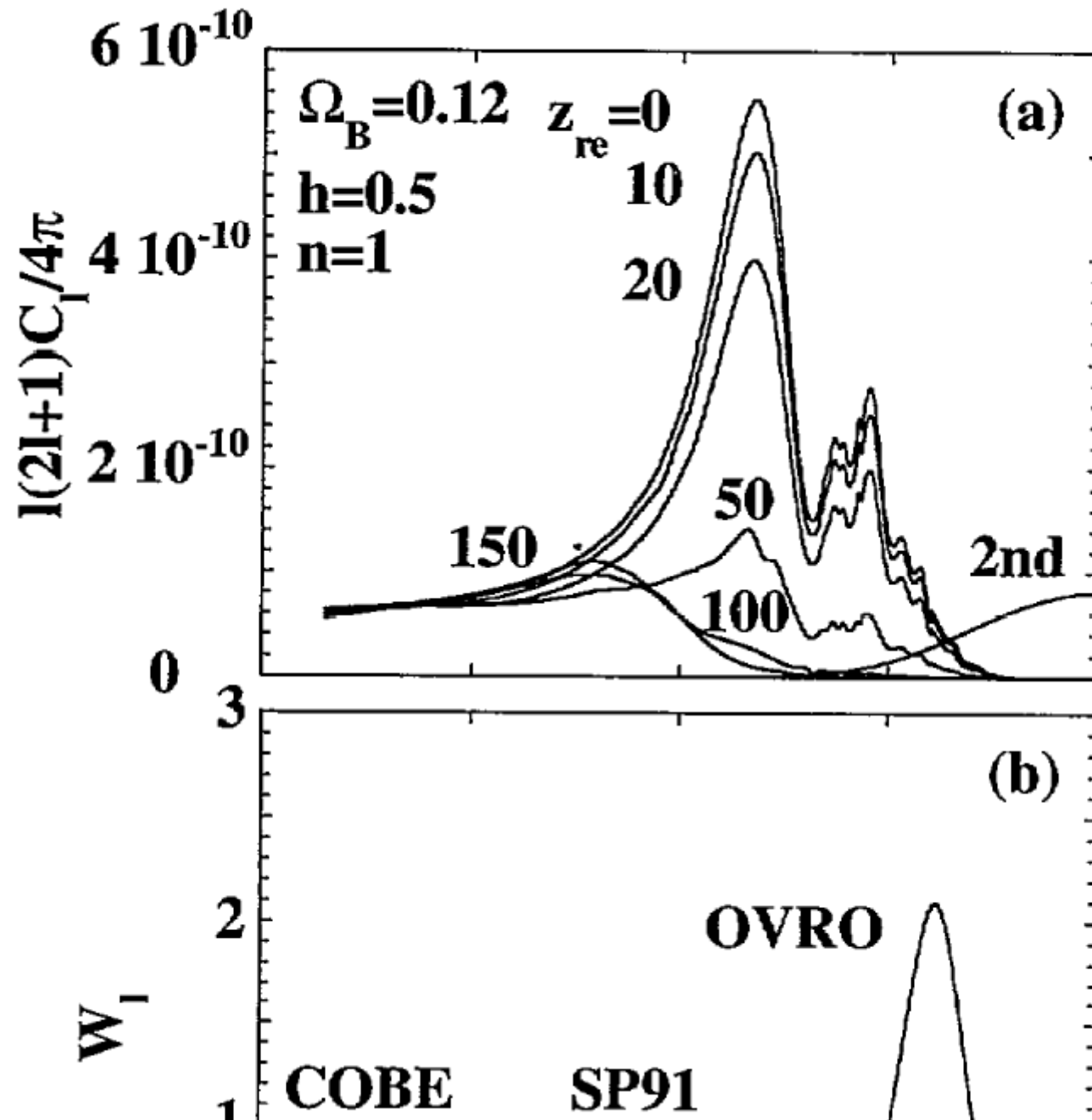
Ray
Casting
Method

Sokasian
et al. 04

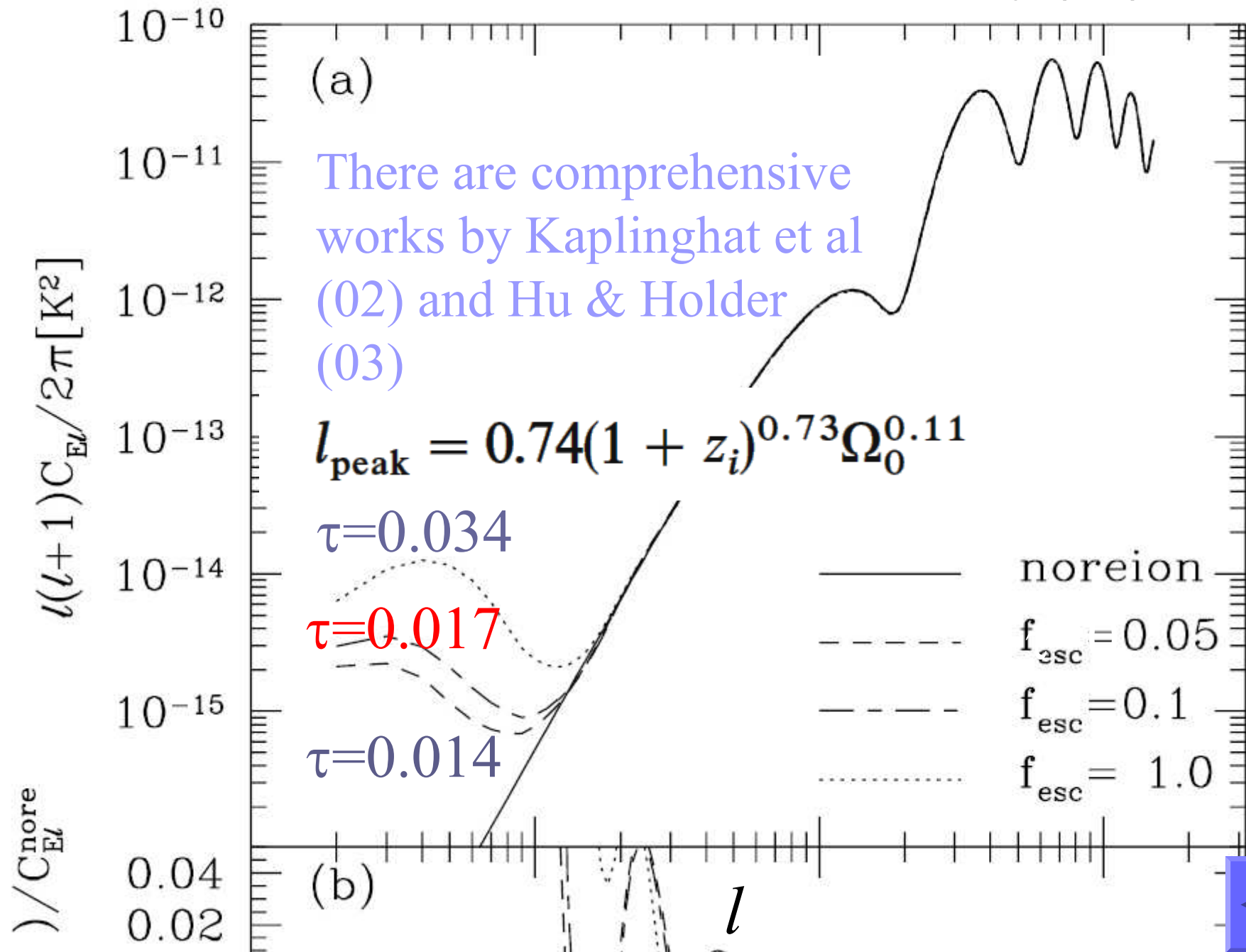
§ 2. How can we investigate reionization by CMB?

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

N.S., Silk, Vittorio, ApJL (1993), 419, L1



Liu, NS, Benson, Nusser, Lacey (01)



Ostriker-Vishniac effect(OVE)

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

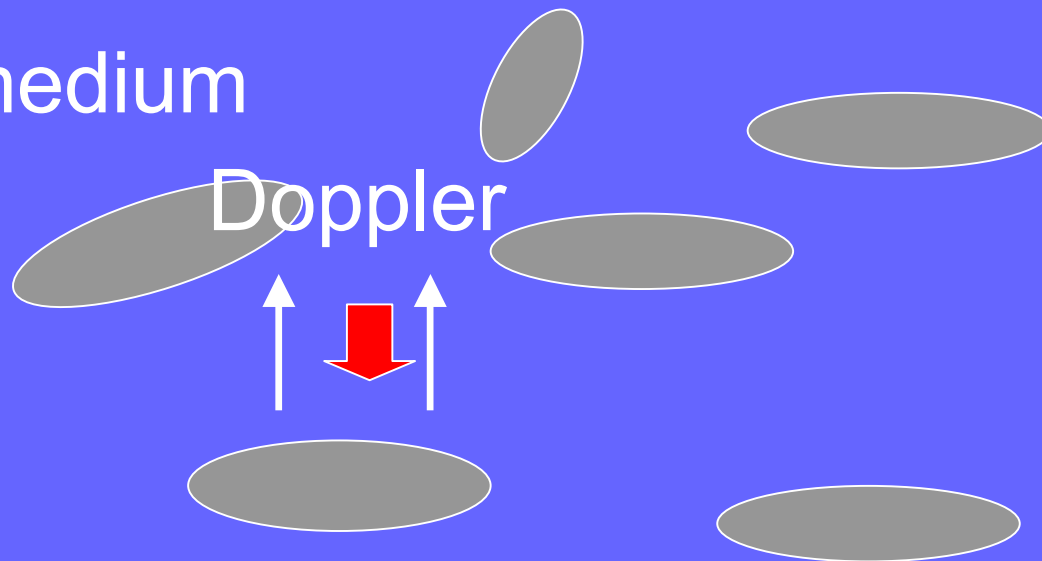
OV Effect

CMB photon



Homogeneous
Ionized medium

Doppler

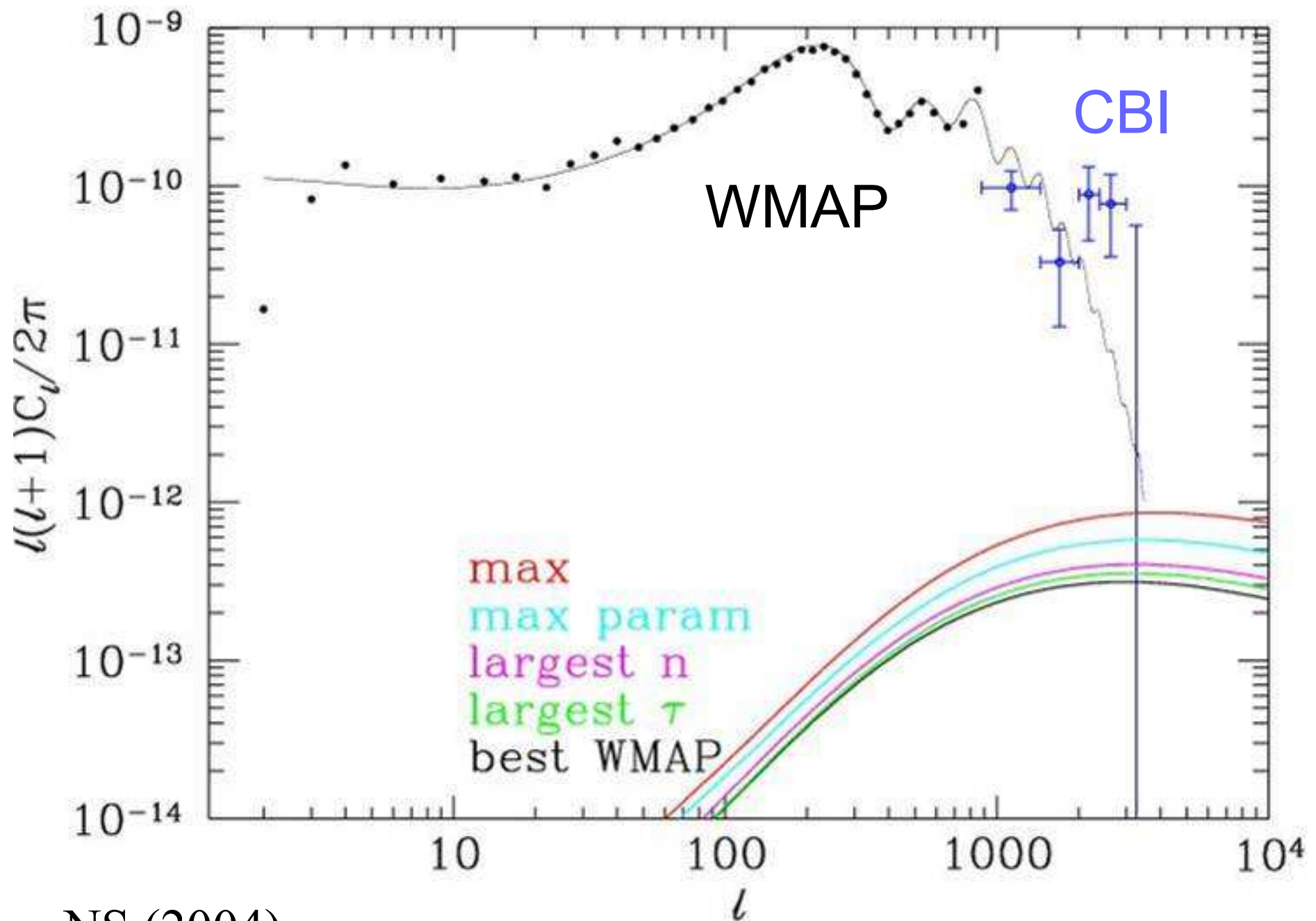


Underlying
density Field

Redshifted



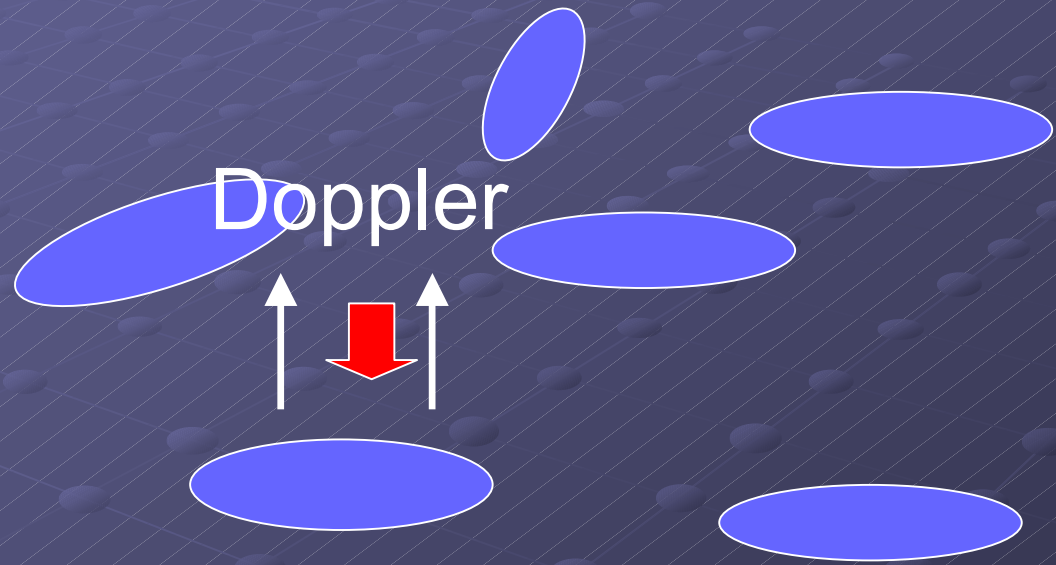
Observer



NS (2004)

Kinetic SZ Effect

CMB photon



Ionized Region

Redshifted



Observer

Pioneering works by: Aghanim et al. (96) Random cells

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

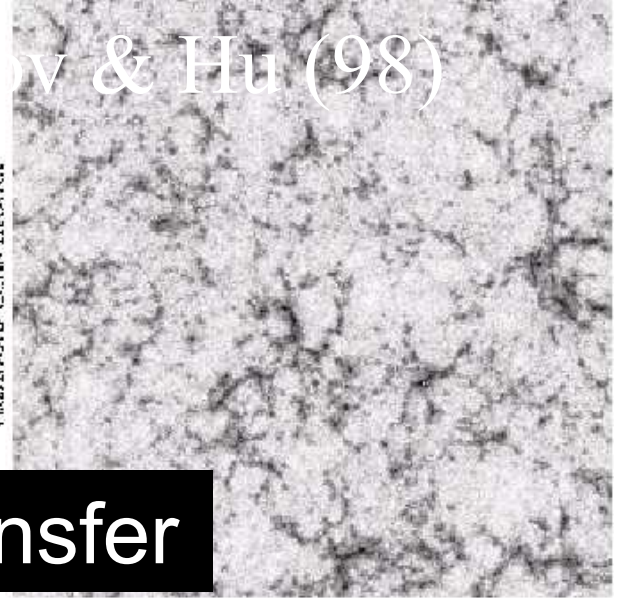
Growing spheres model



Low density model



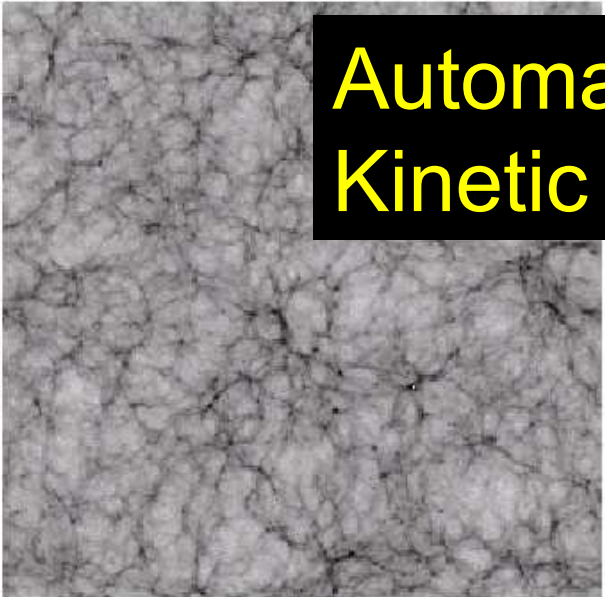
Random cells model



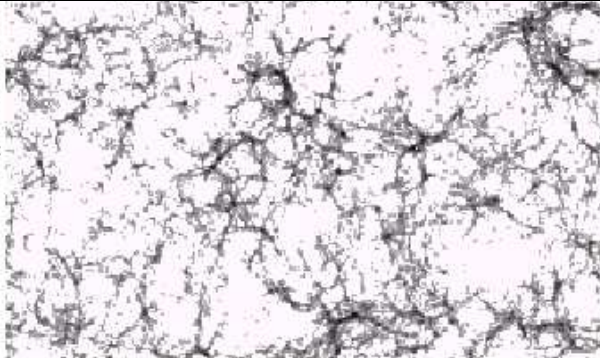
Poorman's Radiative Transfer

Automatically Include both Kinetic SZE & OVE

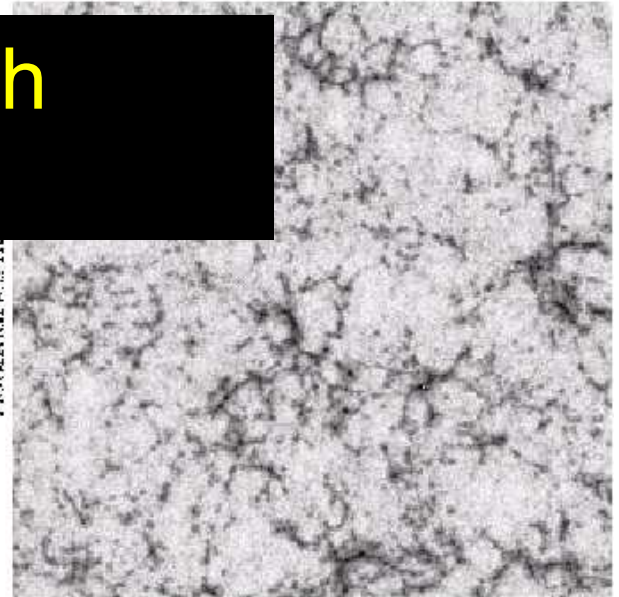
Fully resolved flux



High density



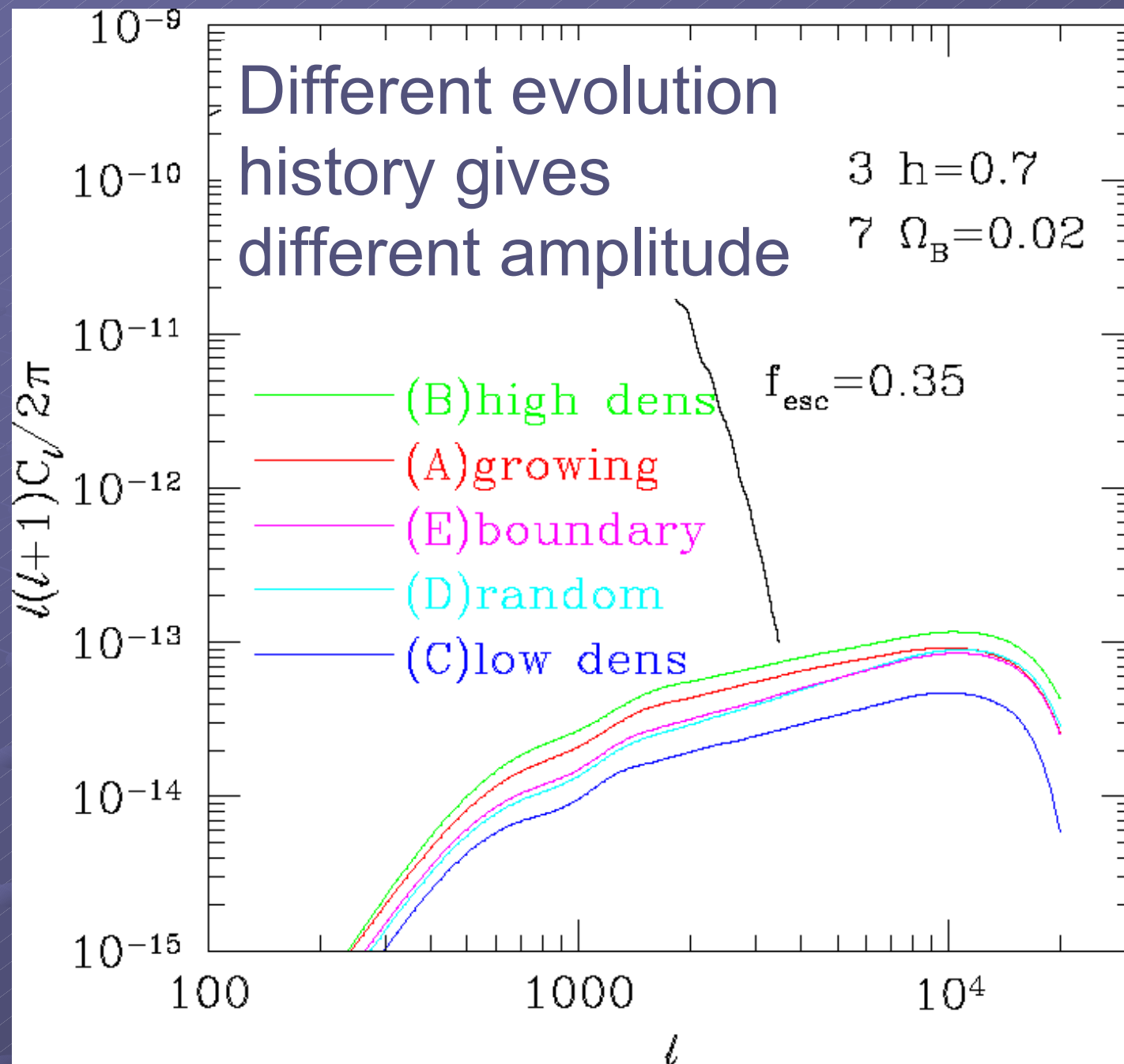
Boundaries in



Density Field

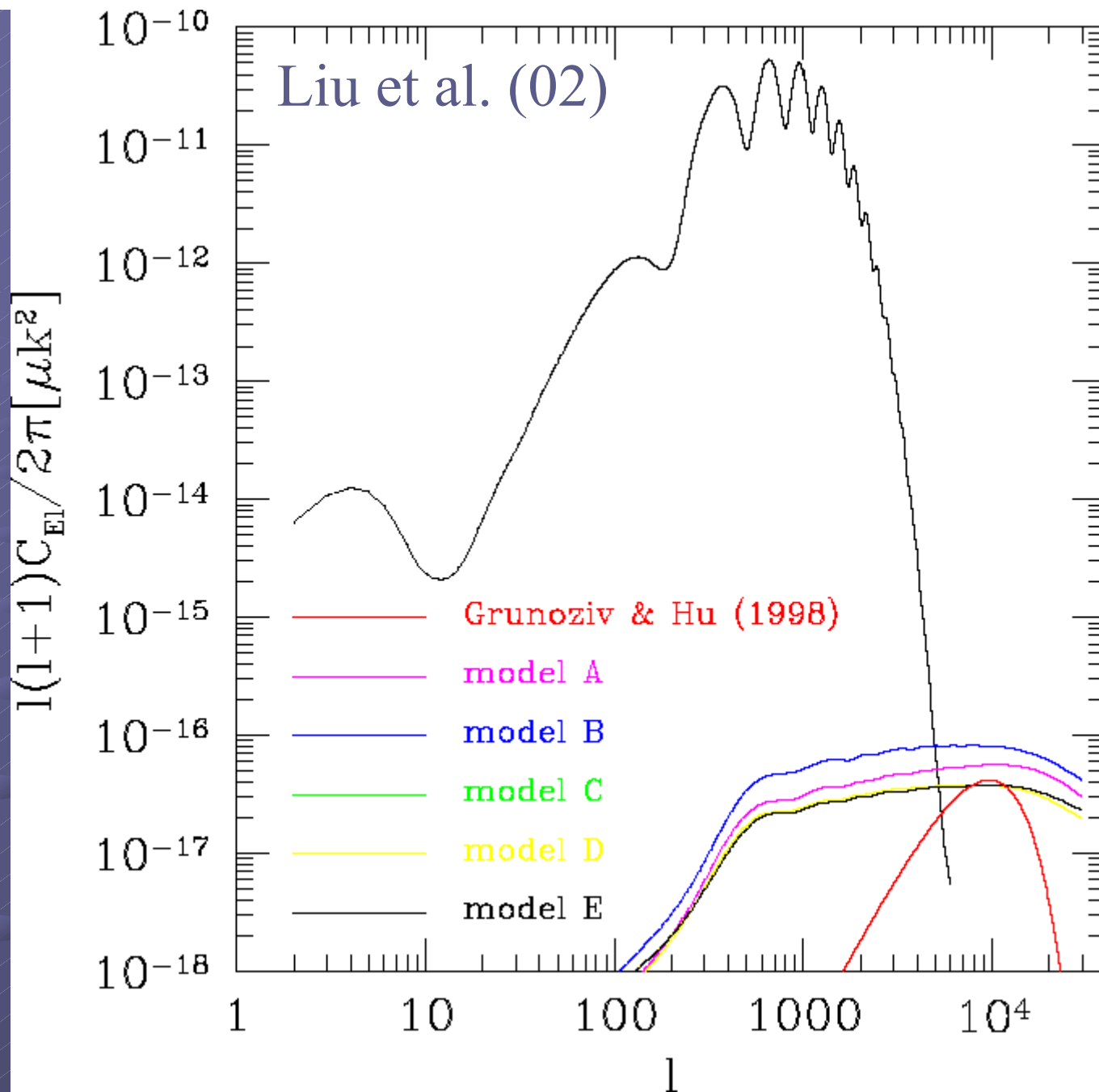
B:High density

E:Boundary



Dependence on distribution of ionized region





Ionized region dependence



§ 3. Some Attempts of Early Reioniz.

● 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?

Mimi-QSOs,

● Exotic Possibilities

- CDM with isocurvature power spectrum

Can be consistent with Ly-alpha and reionization

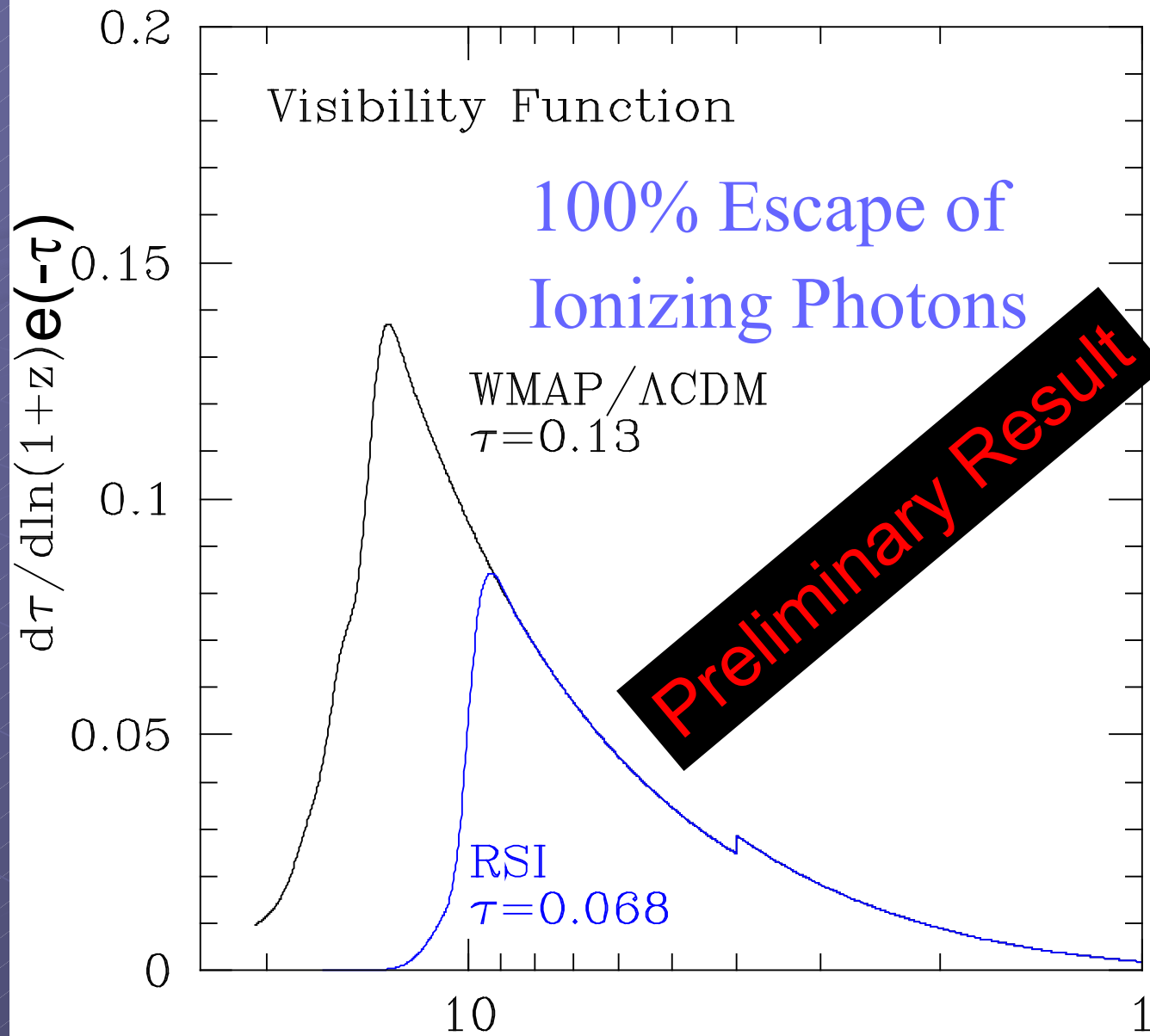
- CDM with non-Gaussian fluctuations

Induce early structure formation

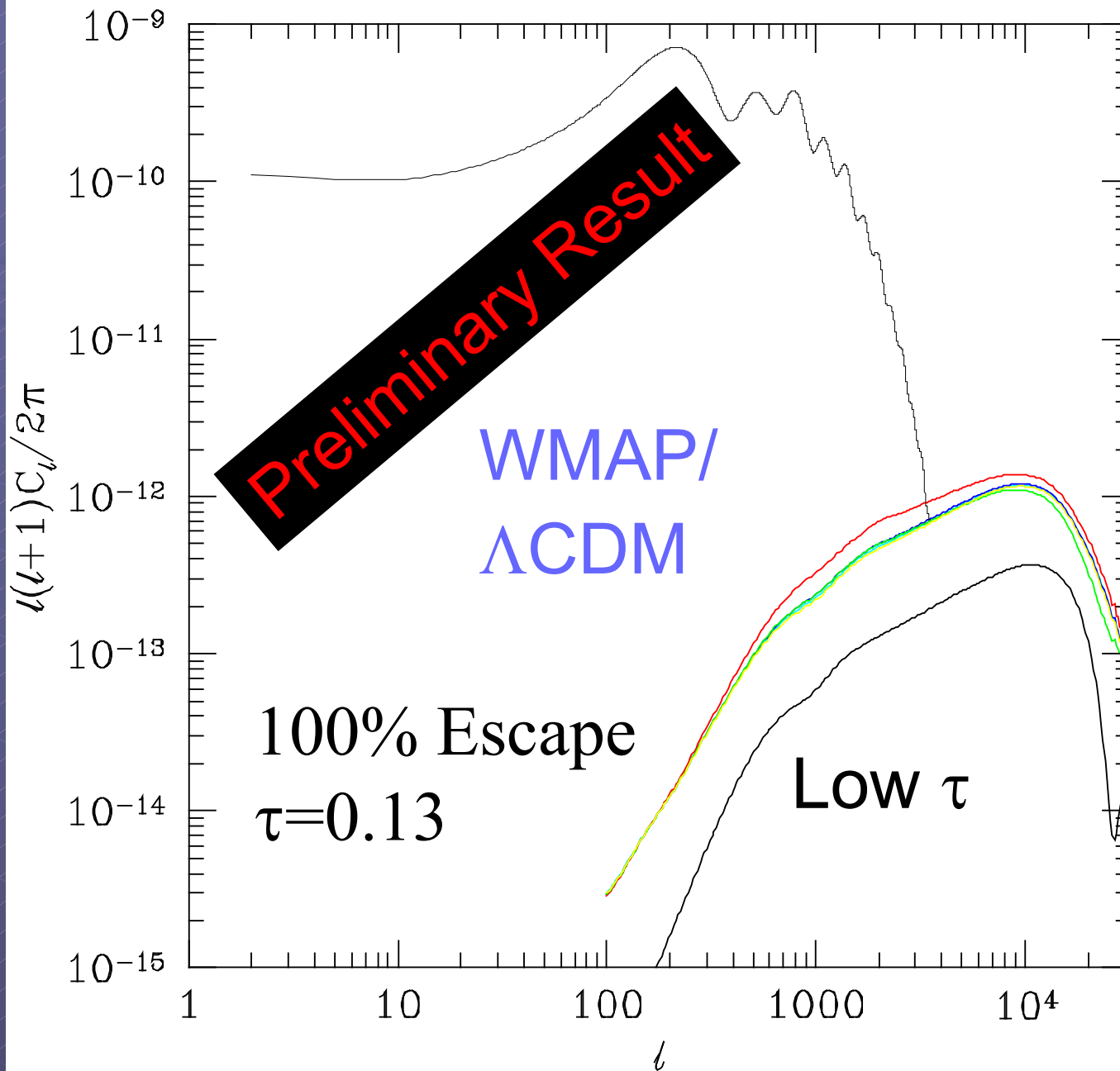
- CDM with decaying particles

● Radiation from the particles can reionize the universe

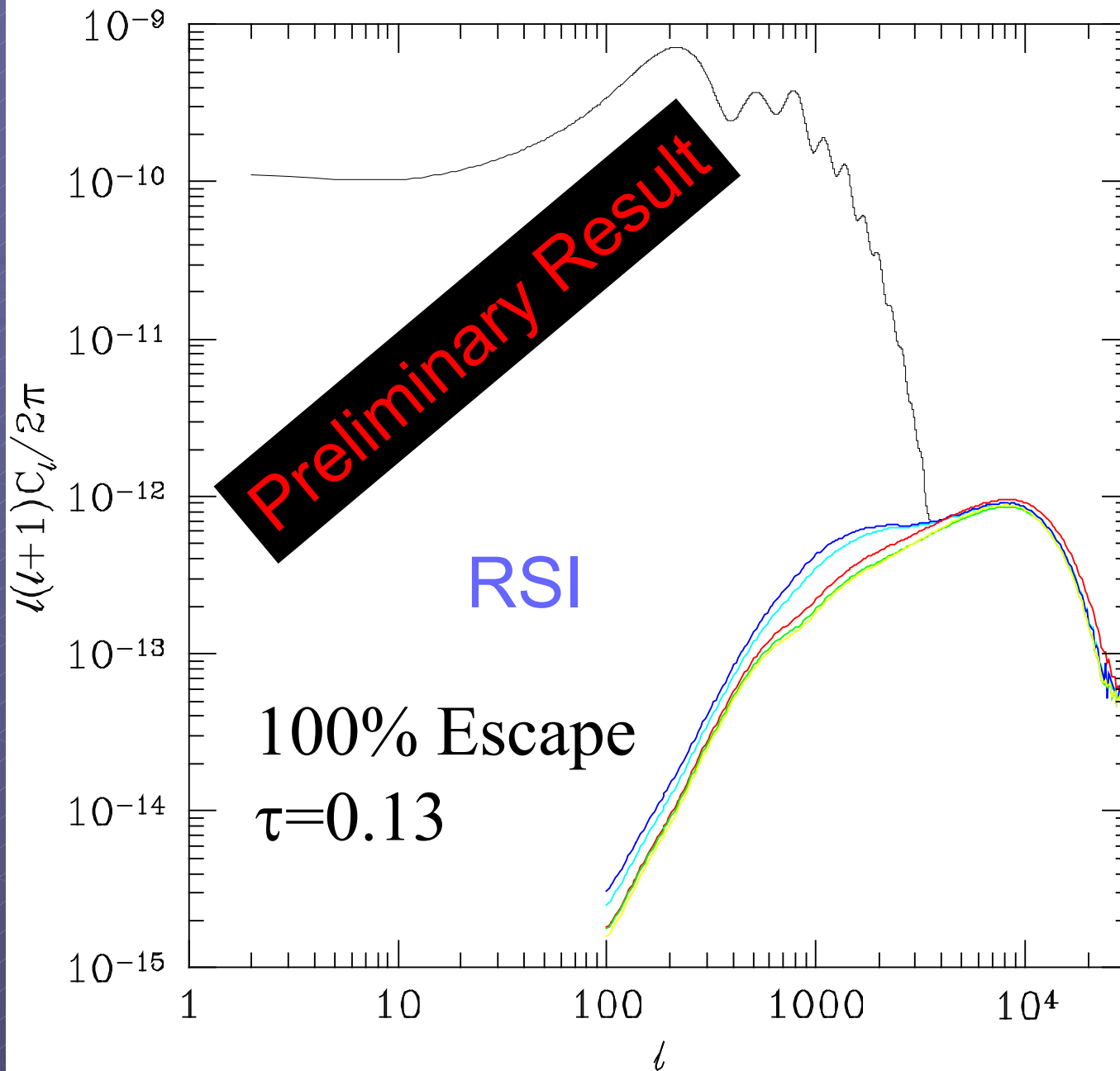




Benson, NS, Nusser, Lacey:



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

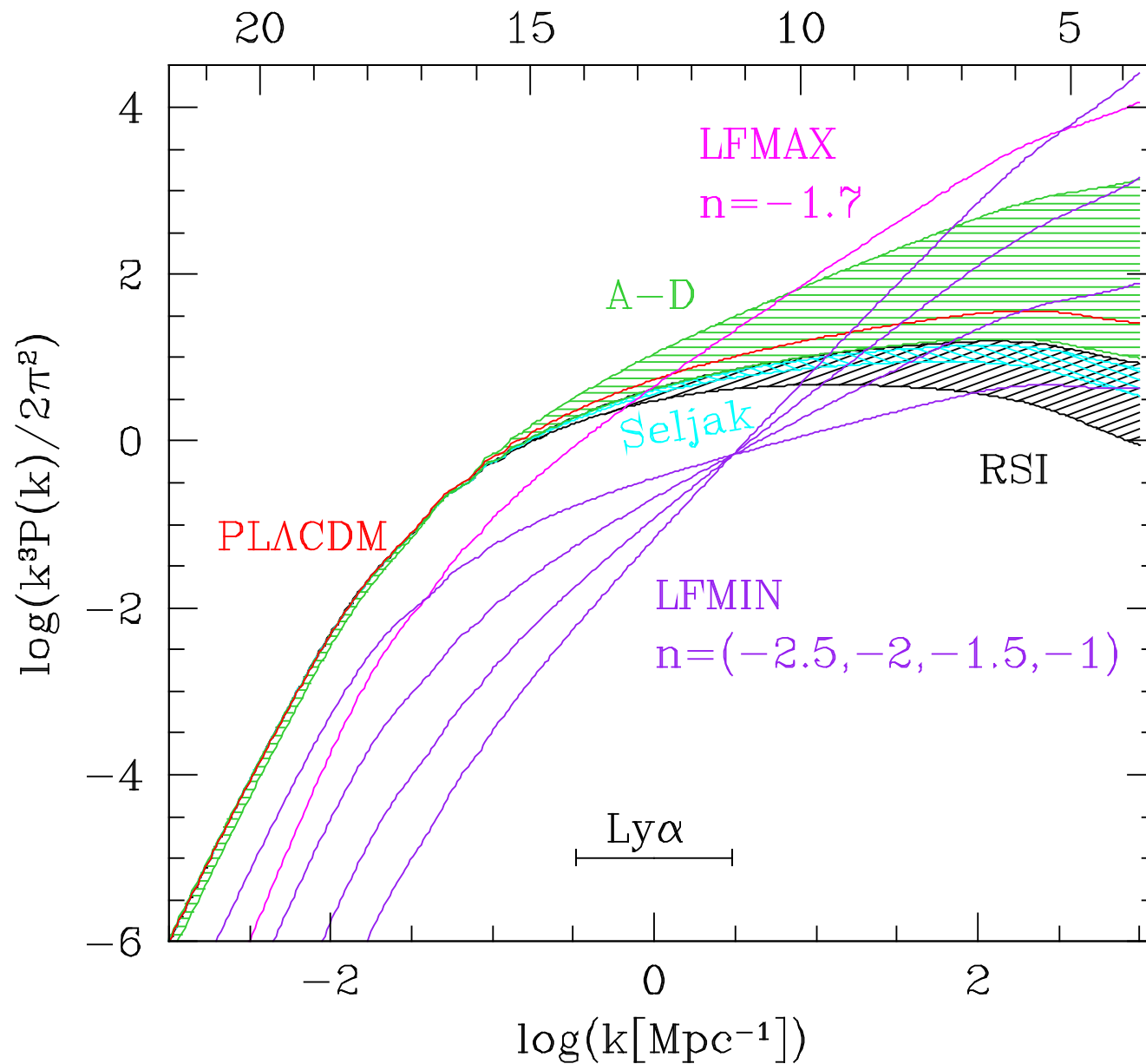
Plotted here are n_γ/n_H : translate into ionization fraction, need to be divided by

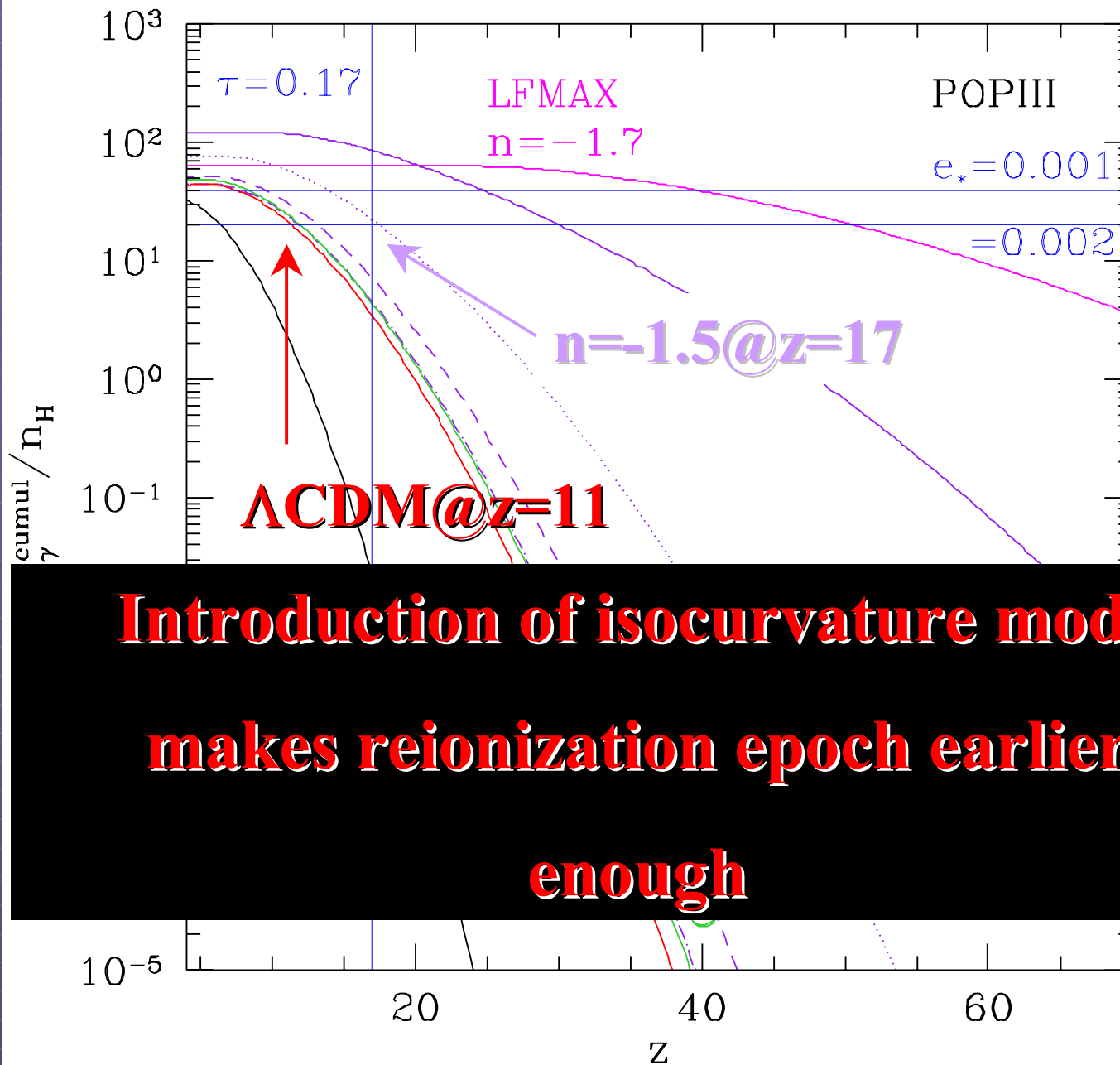
$$f_{\text{esc}} f_{\text{ion}} / C_{\text{clump}} \sim 10 \text{ to } 20$$

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

C_{clump} : Clumping factor

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





**Introduction of isocurvature mode
makes reionization epoch earlier
enough**

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...?

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

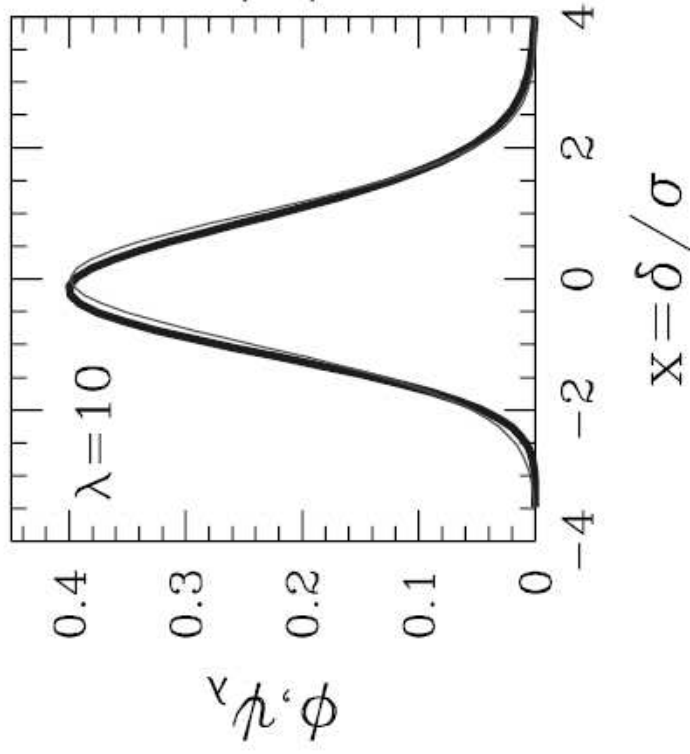
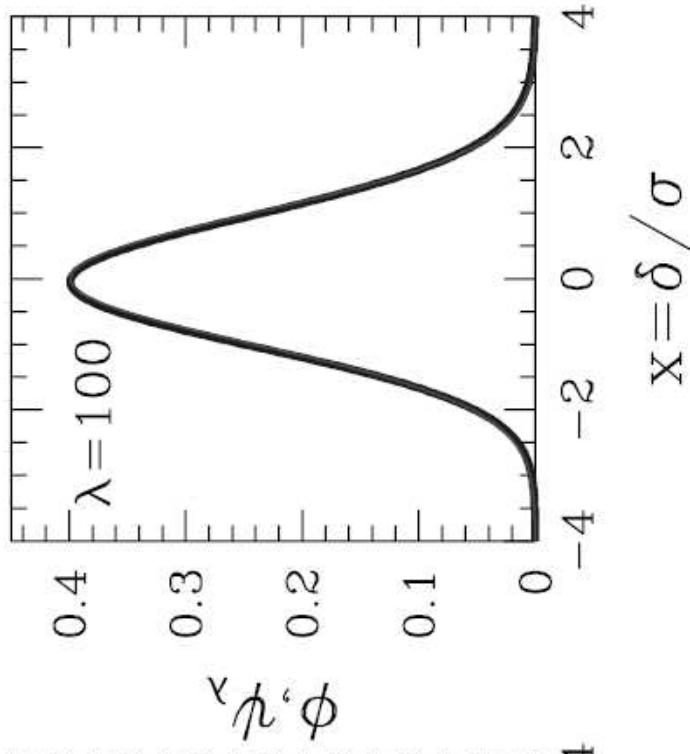
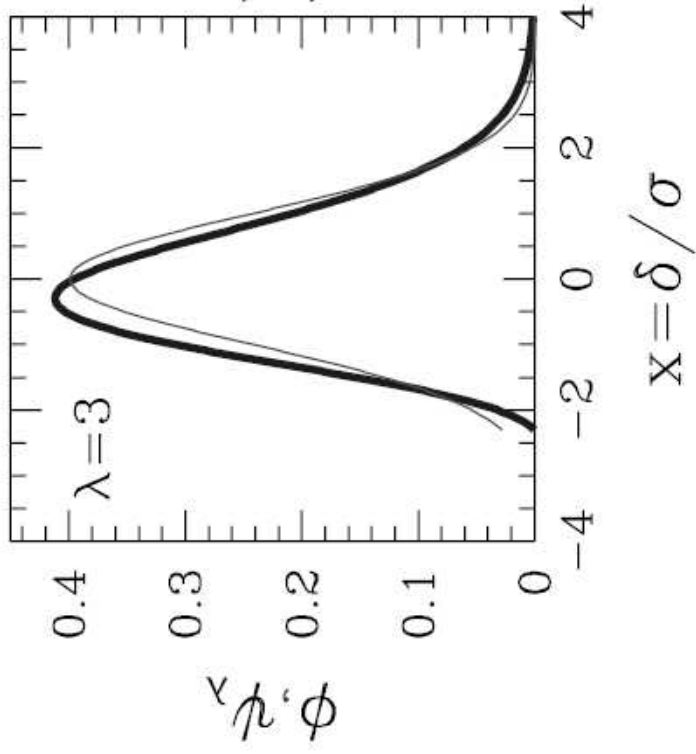
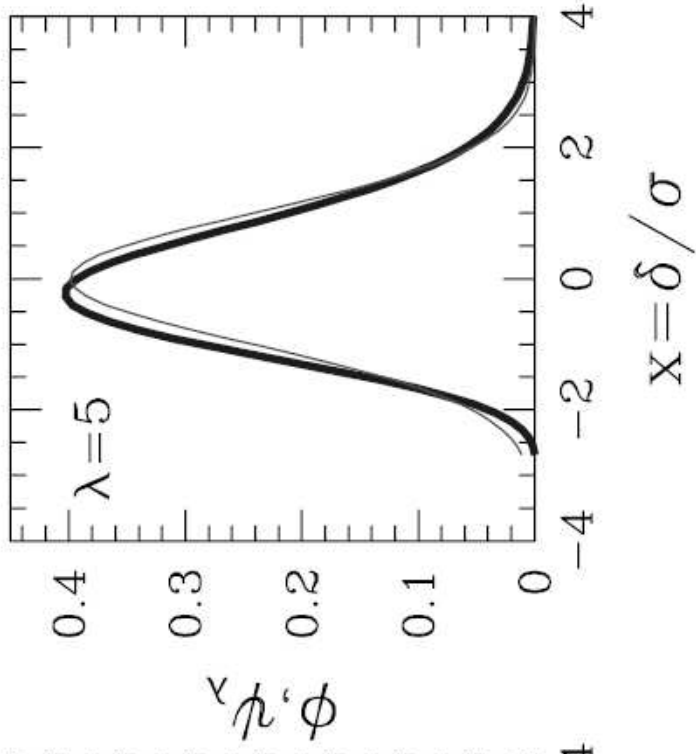
$\lambda \rightarrow \infty$:

Gaussian

$$\psi(x) = 2A \exp(-x^2/2)$$

Willick (00)

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



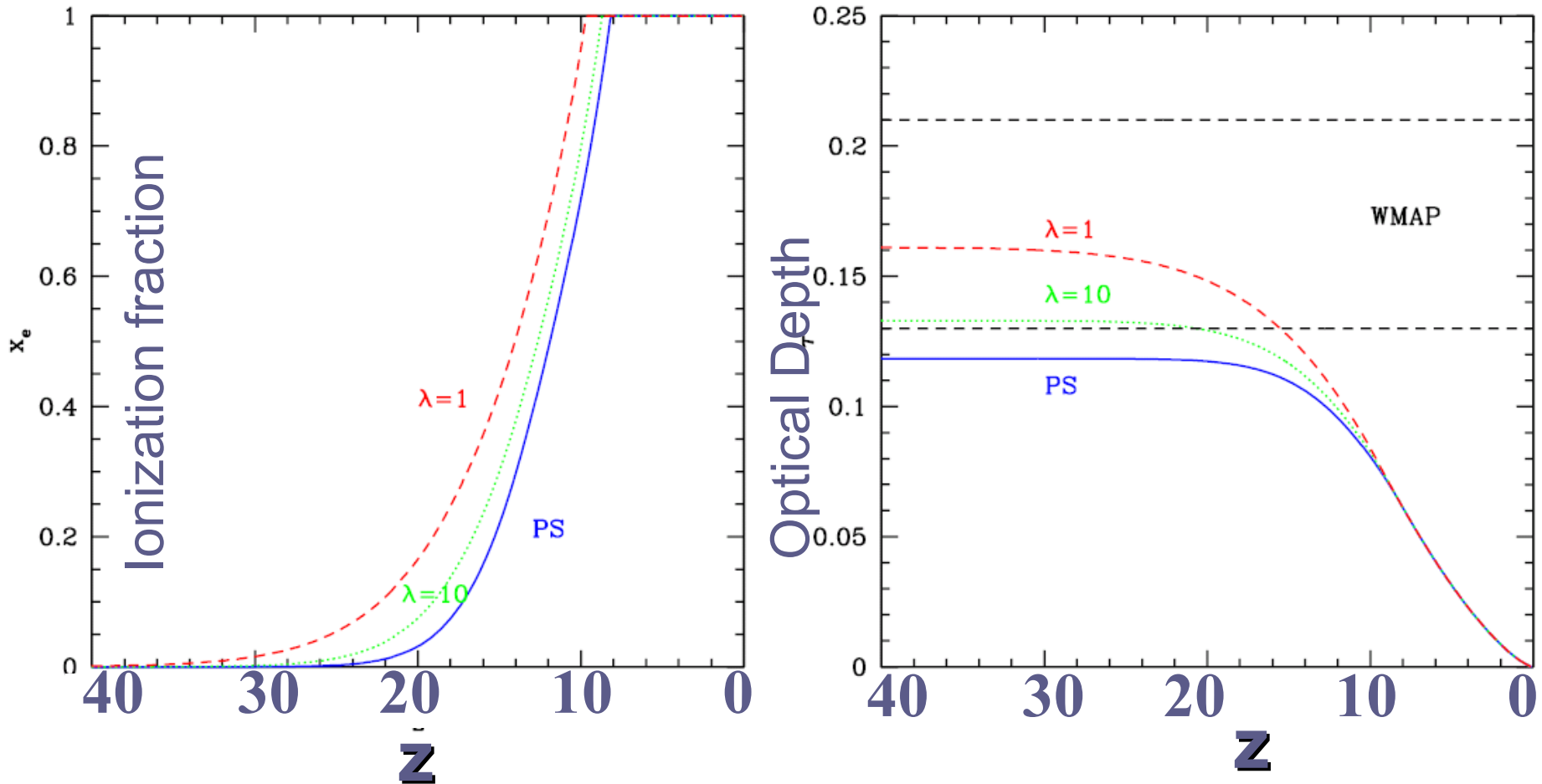


Figure 2. *Left:* The volume ionized fraction, $x_e(z) \equiv F_{\text{HII}}(z)$ as a function of redshift. *Middle:* scattering. The models are based on “ordinary” star-formation in Type I halos only. The Press-Schechter model has a value of 0.097 while the non-Gaussian mass functions lead to values of 0.11 and 0.13. The two black dashed lines show the range of the first year WMAP results. *Right:* The same as the middle plot, but with $\sigma_8 = 0.8$.



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

$\lambda \rightarrow \infty$:
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

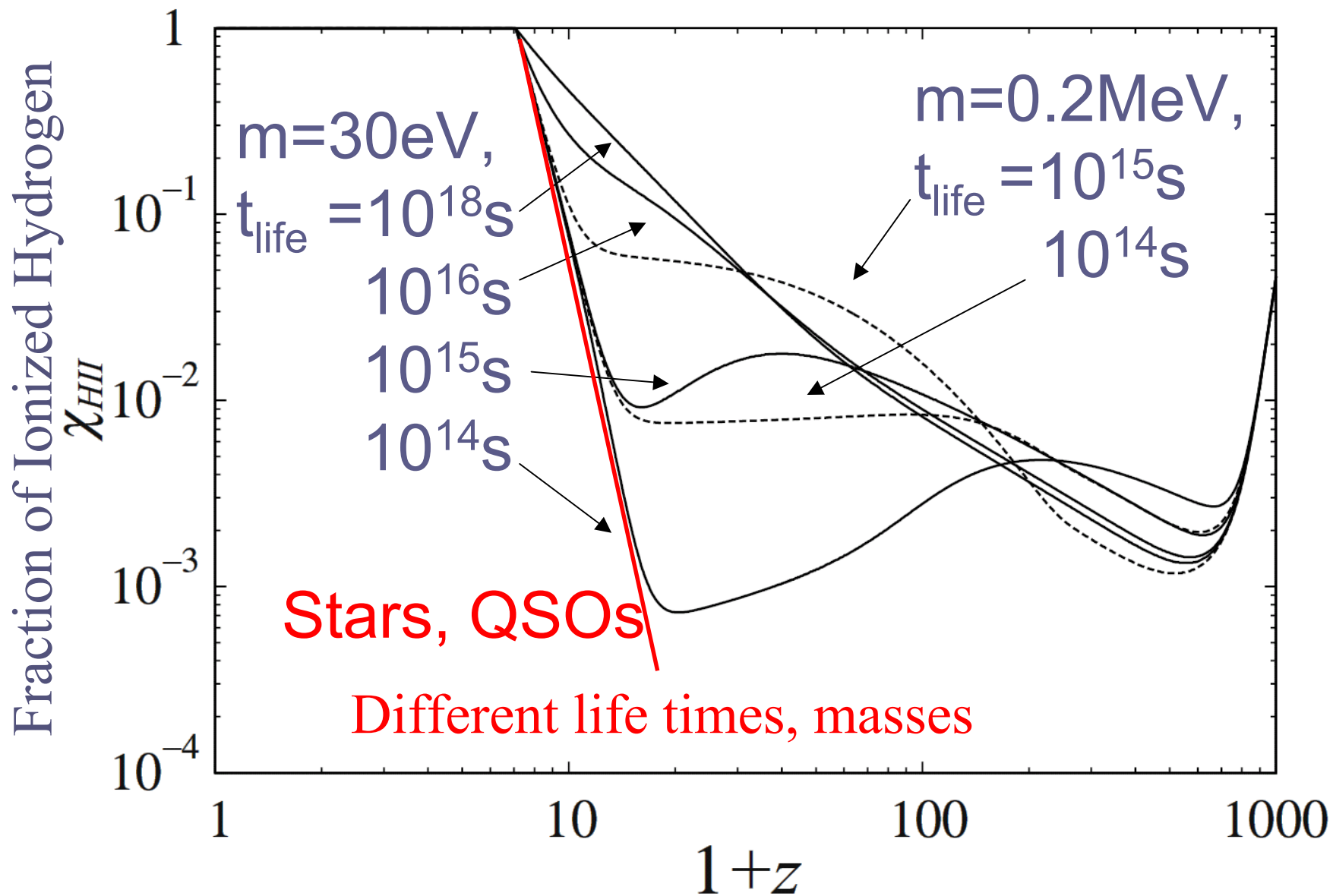


FIG. 1: Ionization histories of hydrogen (HII). We plot for $E_{\gamma} = 15$ eV for $\tau_{\gamma} = 10^{14}$, 10^{15} , 10^{16} , and 10^{18} sec in solid

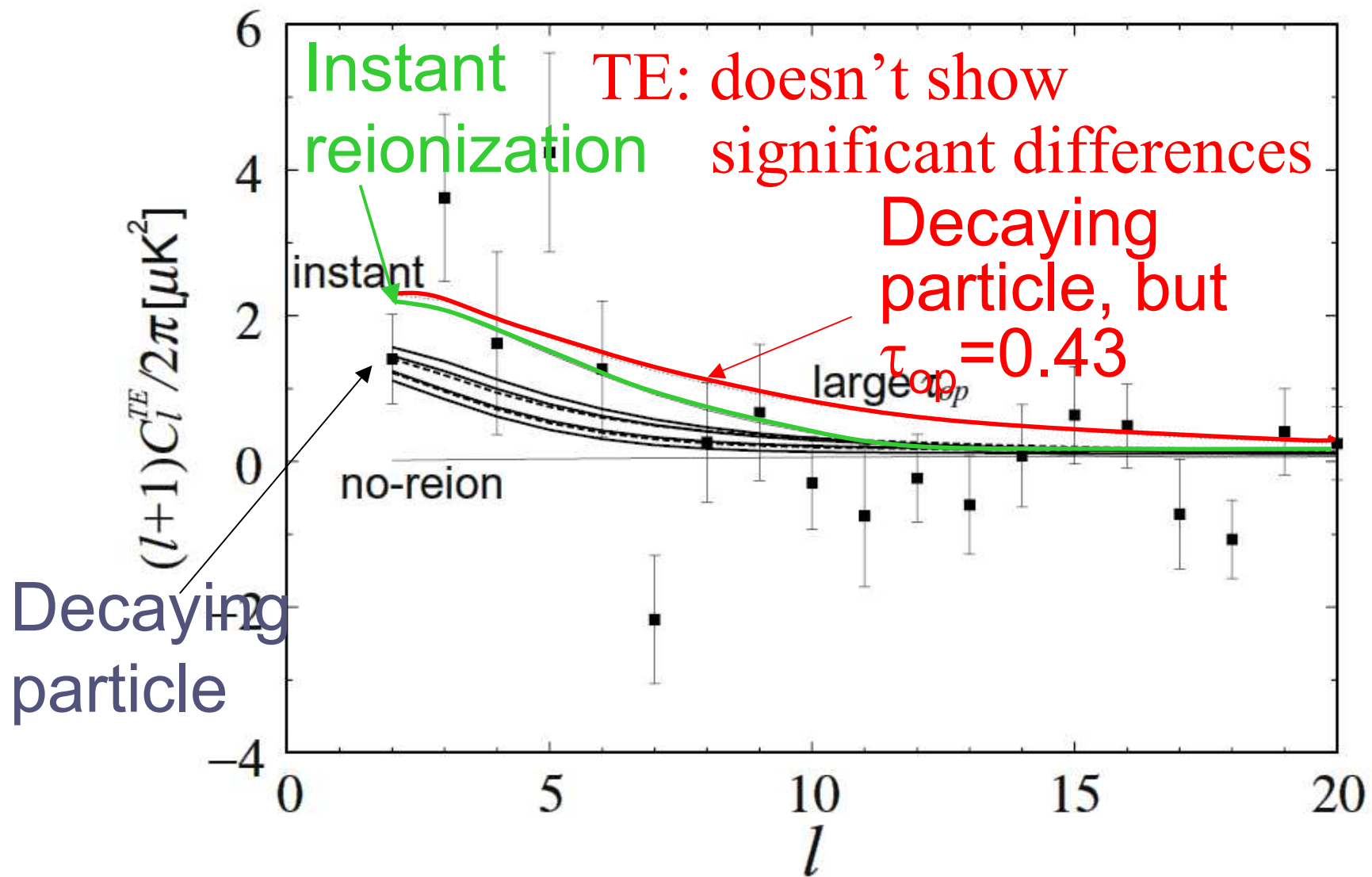


FIG. 5: TE spectrum for various ionization histories. We plot for $E = 15$ eV for $\tau_i = 10^{14}$, 10^{15} , 10^{16} and 10^{18}

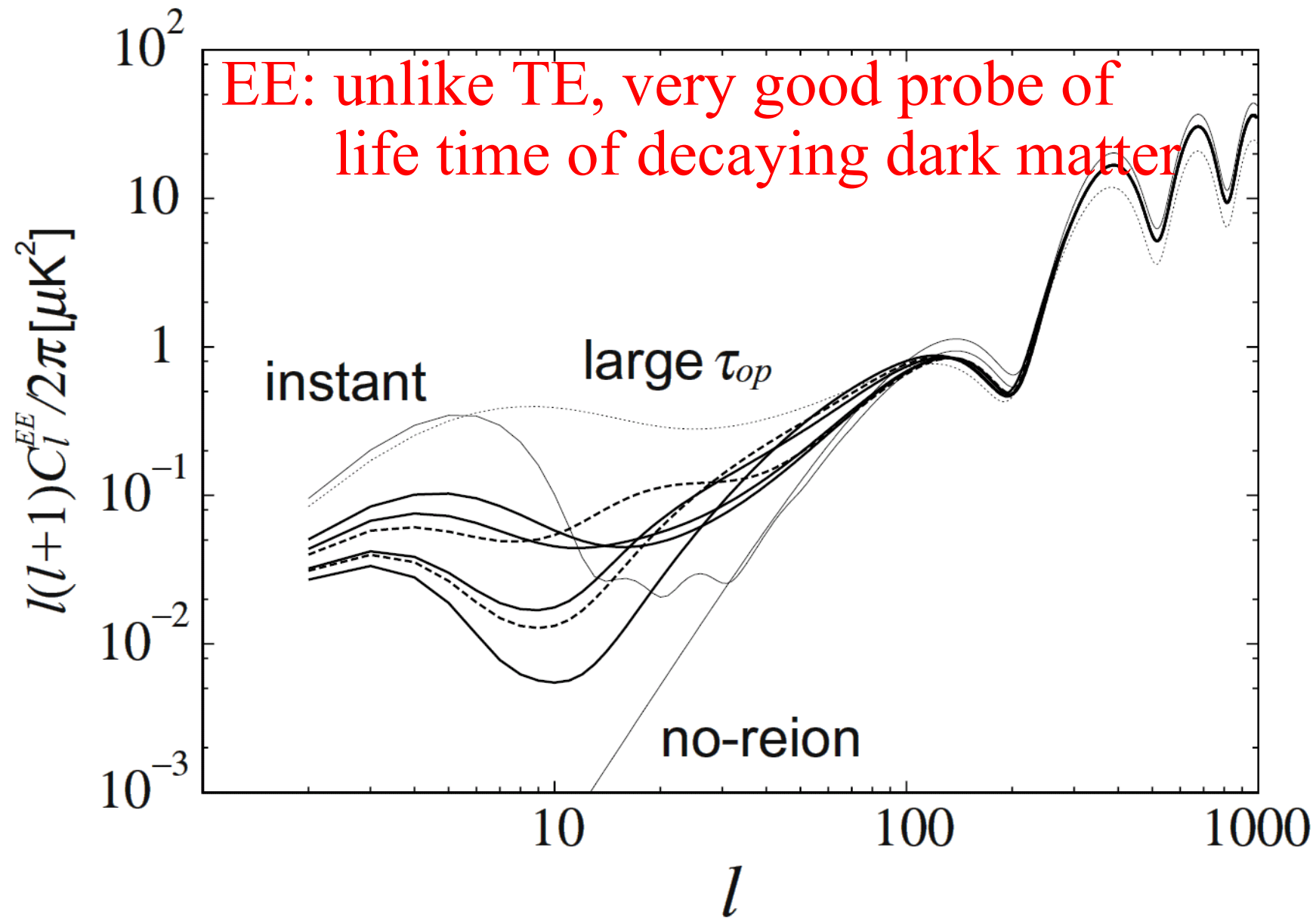


FIG. 6. EE spectrum for various ionization histories



Reionization

- To get $\tau=0.17$, we need
 - Top heavy IMF, High Escape Fraction of Ionizing Photons, or Something Exotic

Physics are there

- EE Spectrum by WMAP, PLANCK and more

CMB Shines the Dark Ages

- Duration of Reionization
- Observations of Small Angular Scale CMB Temperature Fluctuations by
 - Consistency Check of τ
 - Topology of ionized regions

