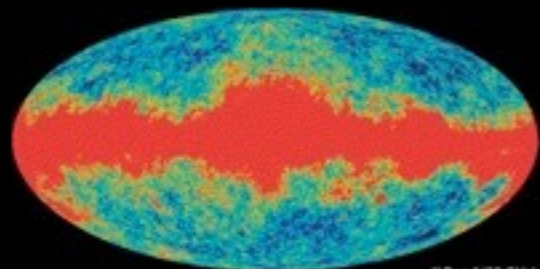


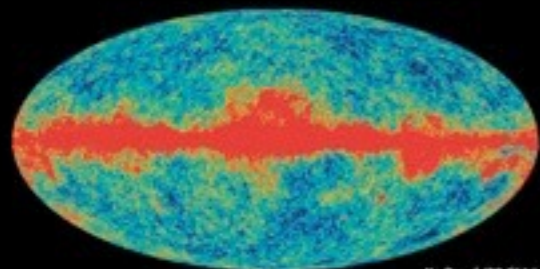
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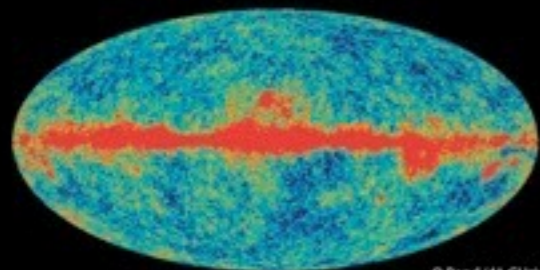
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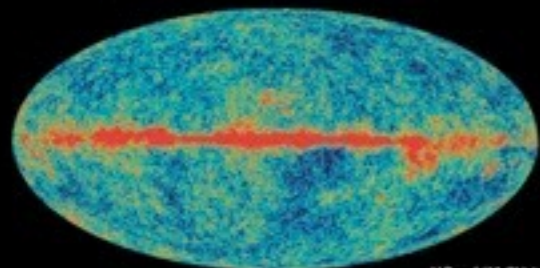
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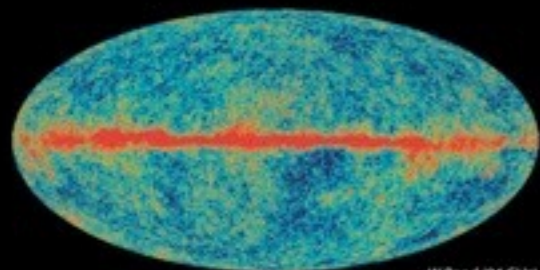
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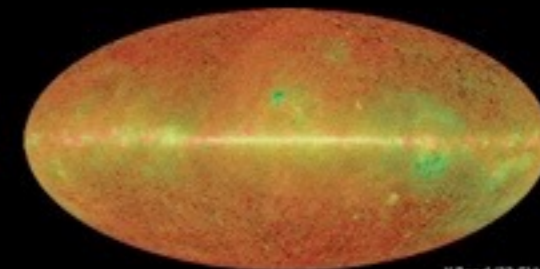
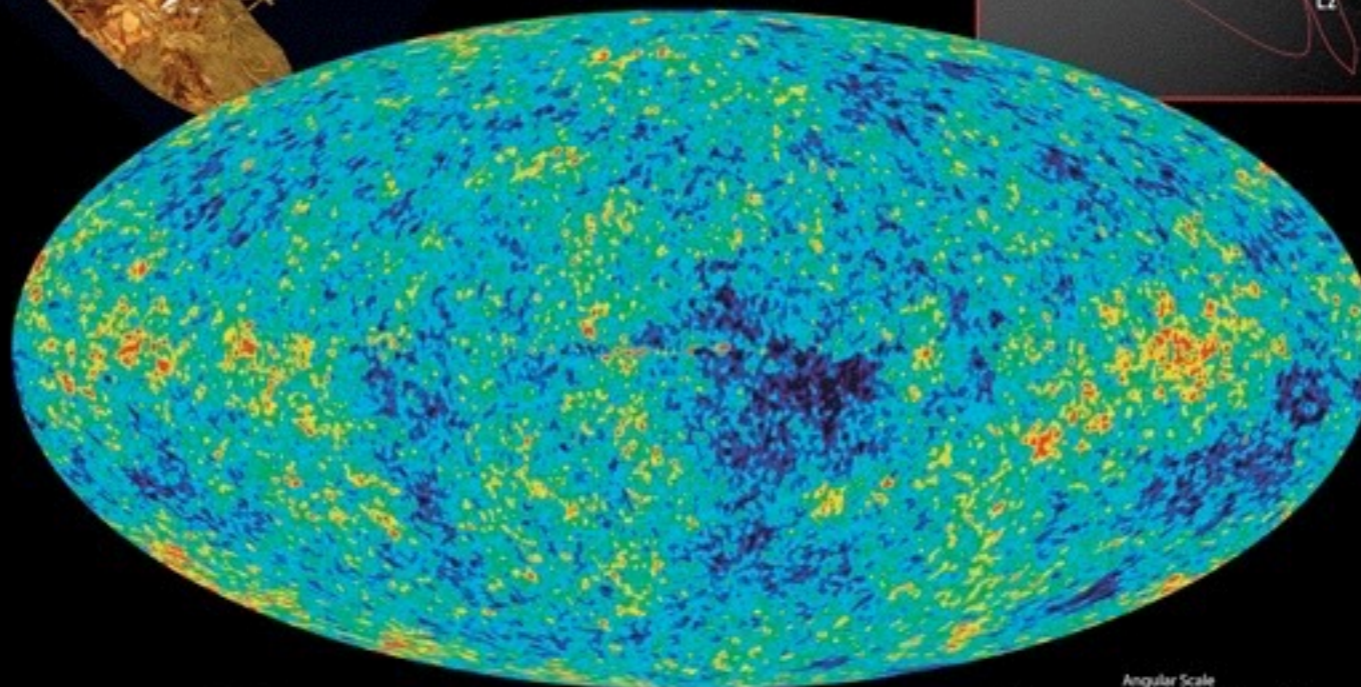
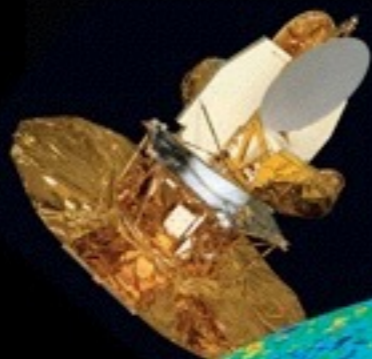


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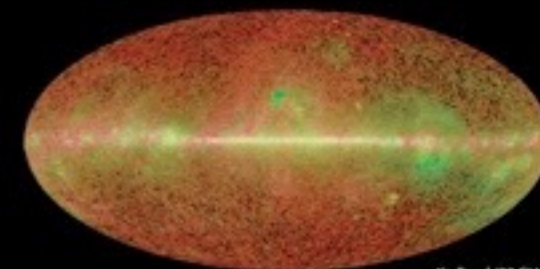


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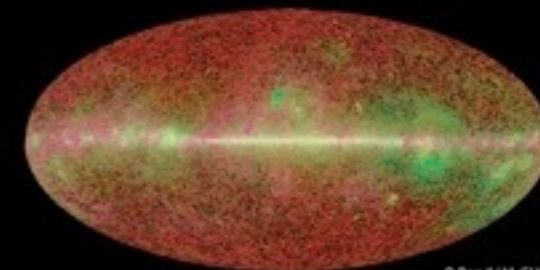
WMAP Full-sky Maps



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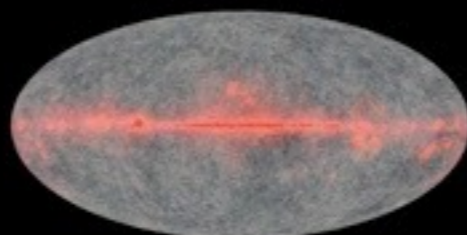
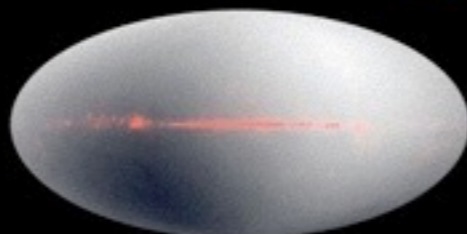


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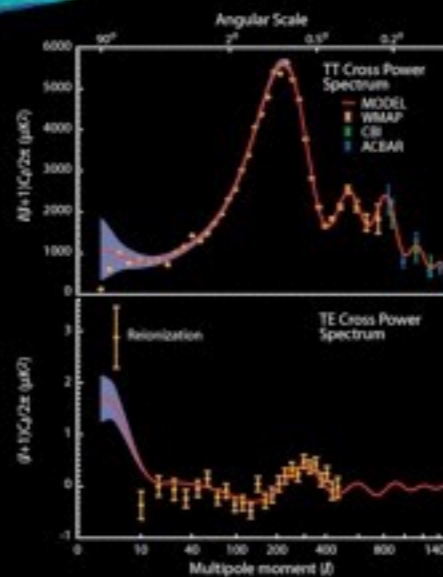


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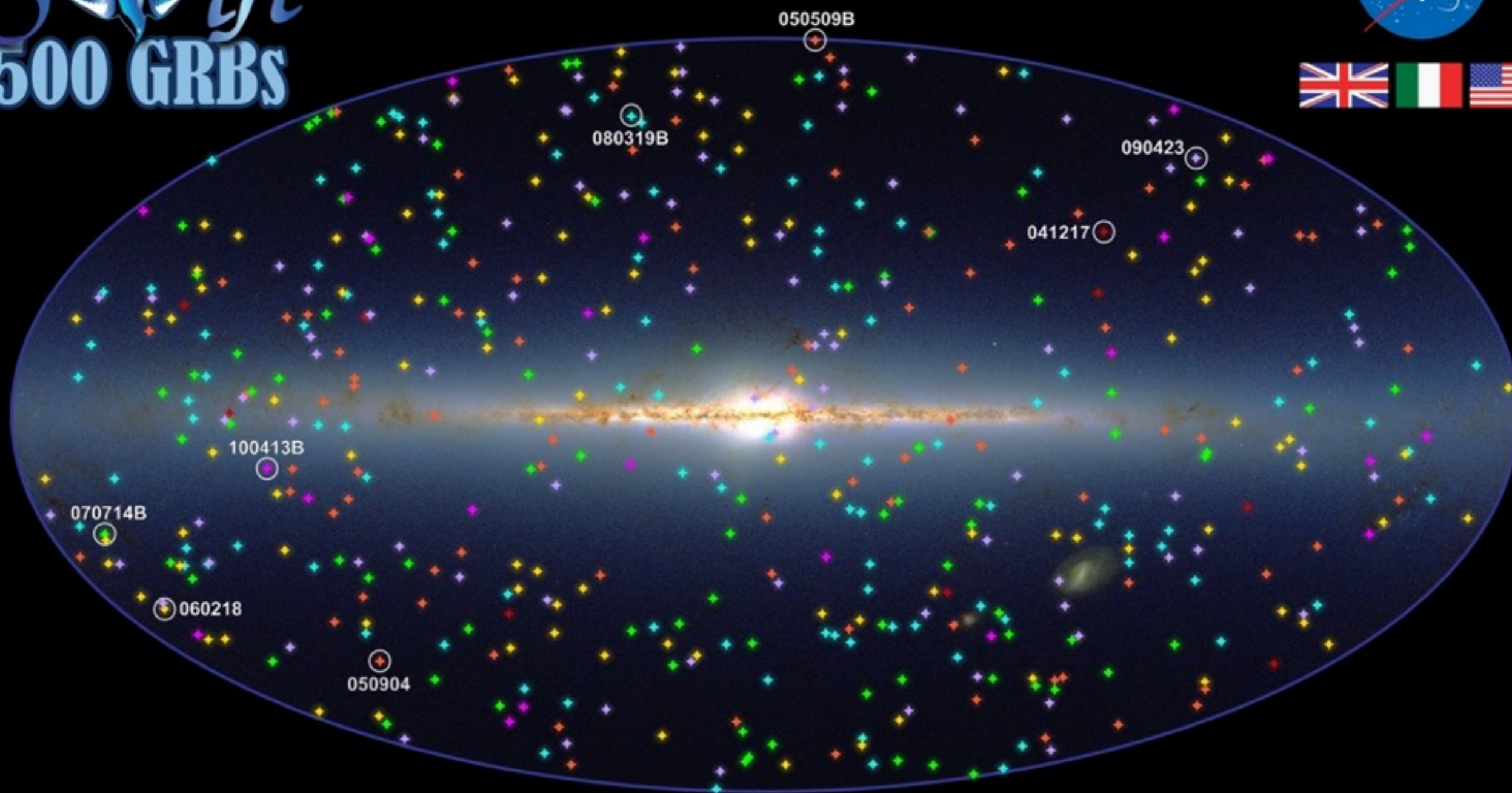
WMAP Foregrounds
Red—Synchrotron Green—Free-Free Blue—Thermal Dust



WMAP Foregrounds vs. Cosmic Microwave Background
Red—Q band Green—V band Blue—W band

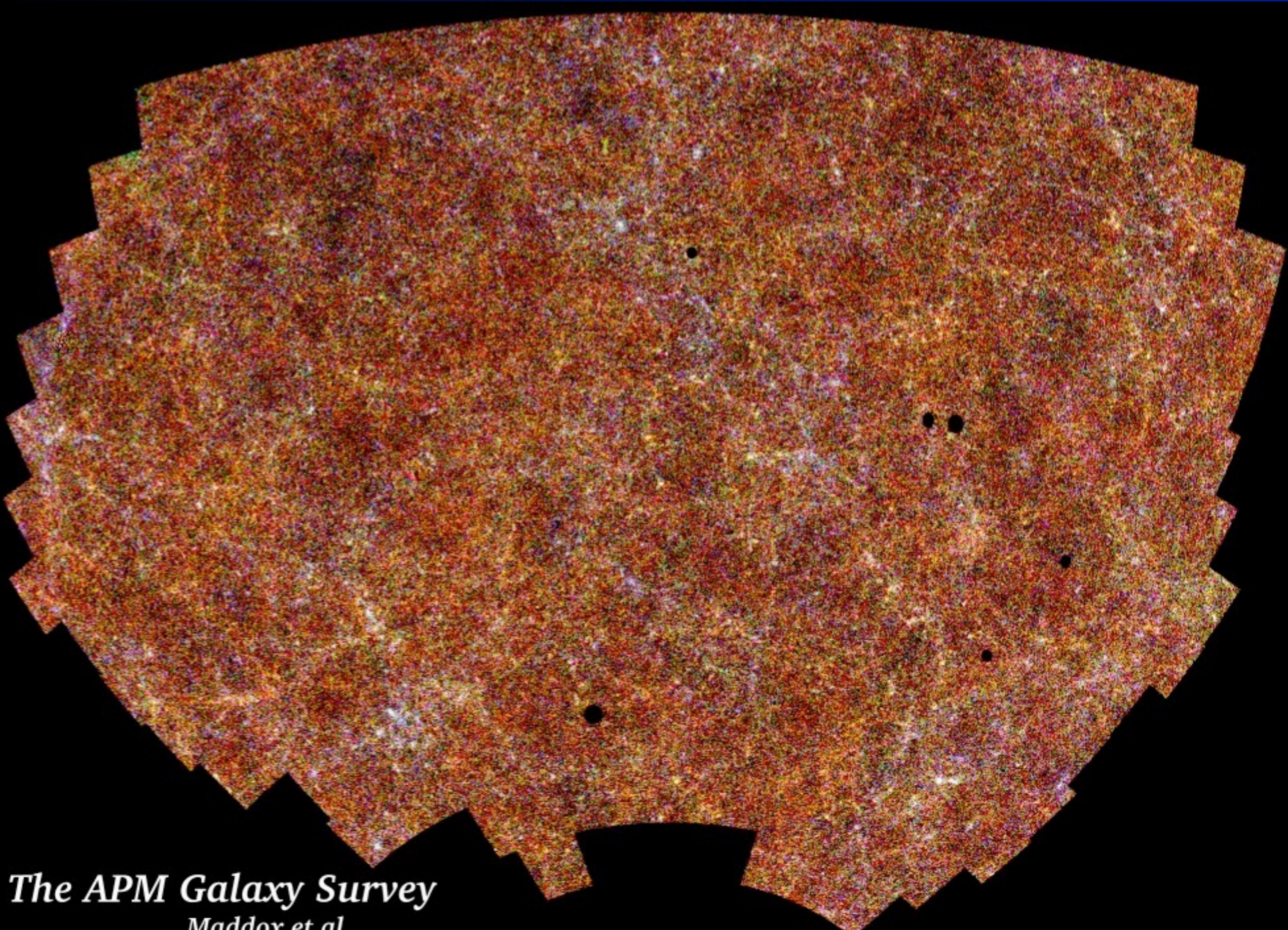


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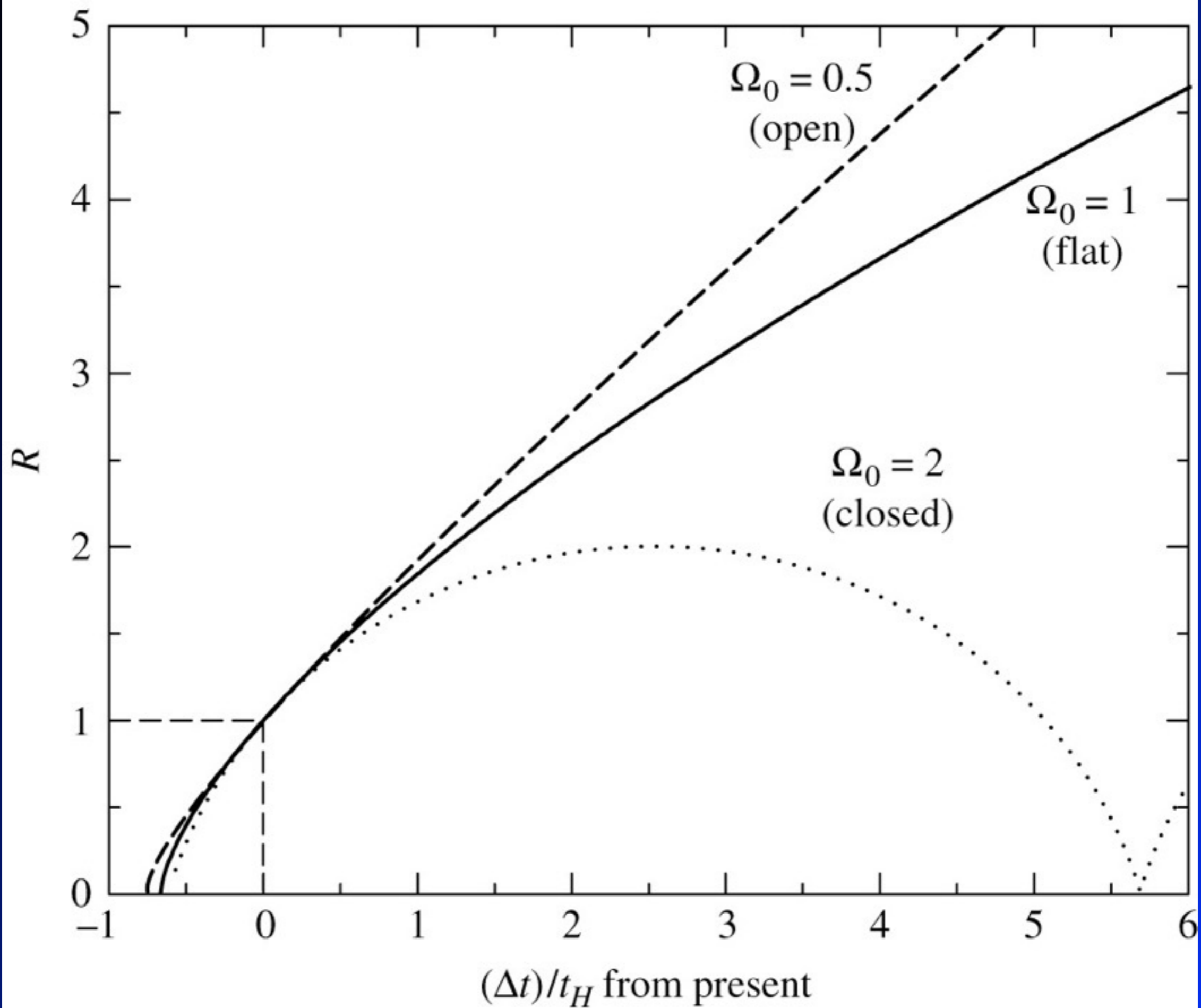


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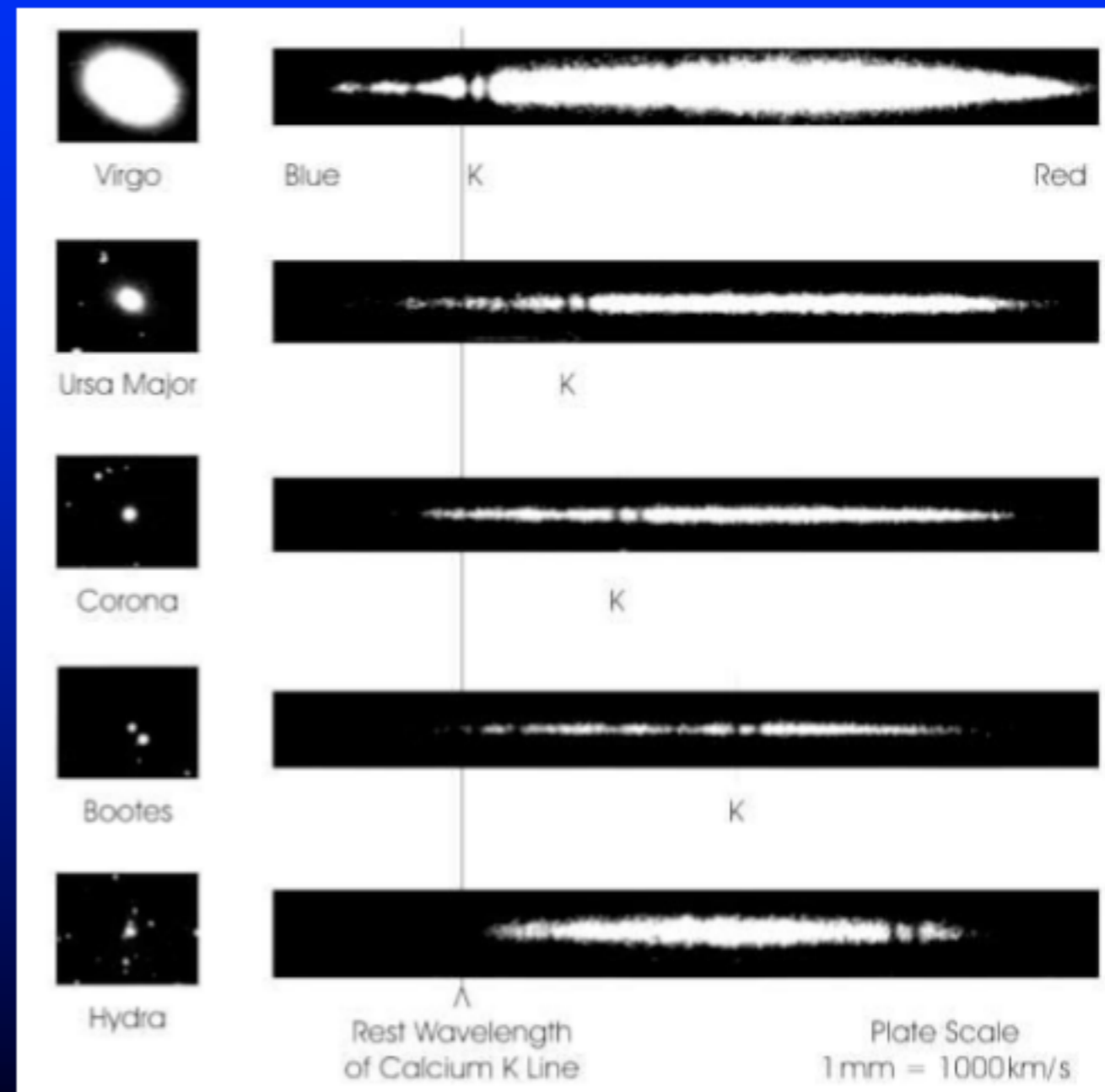
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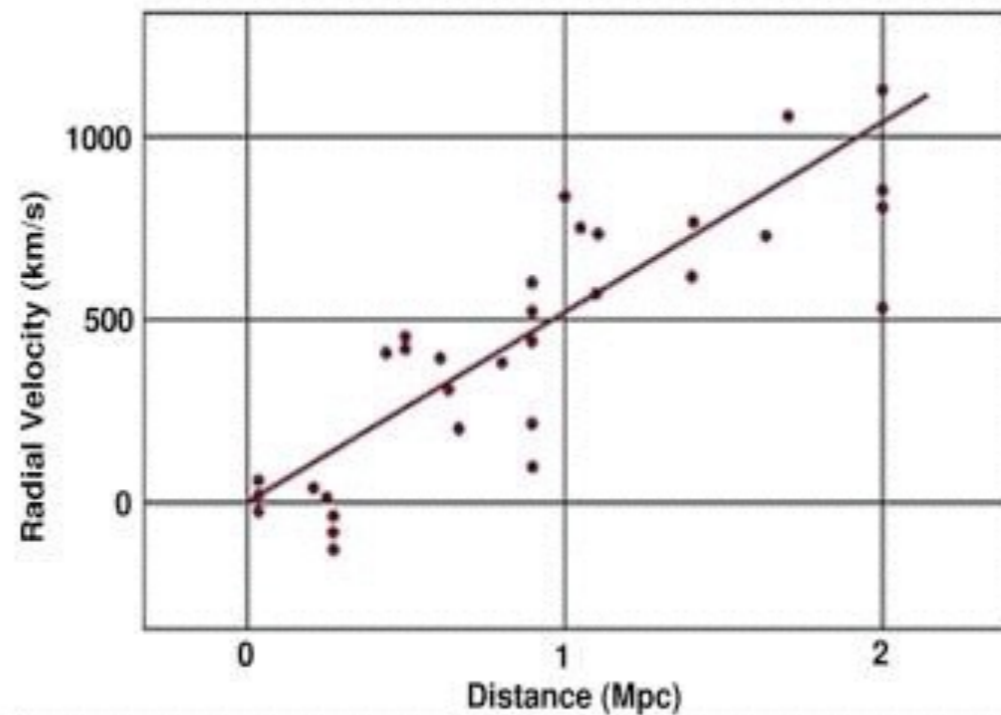
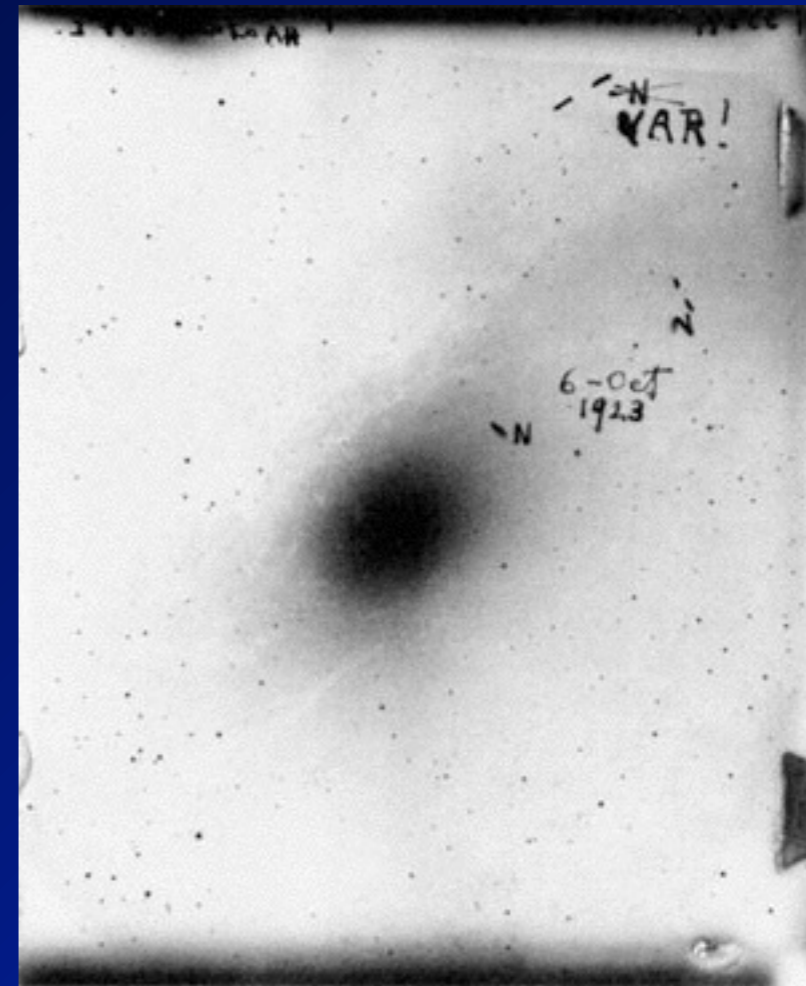


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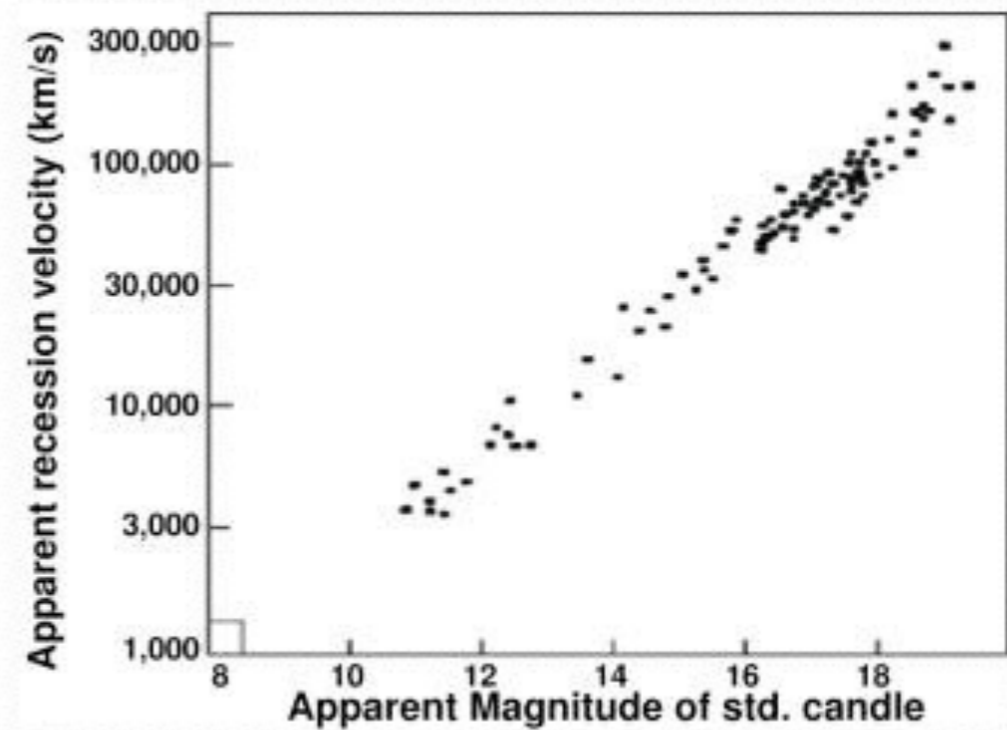
- Used the Lowell 24" refractor to measure the speeds of approach or recession of galaxies



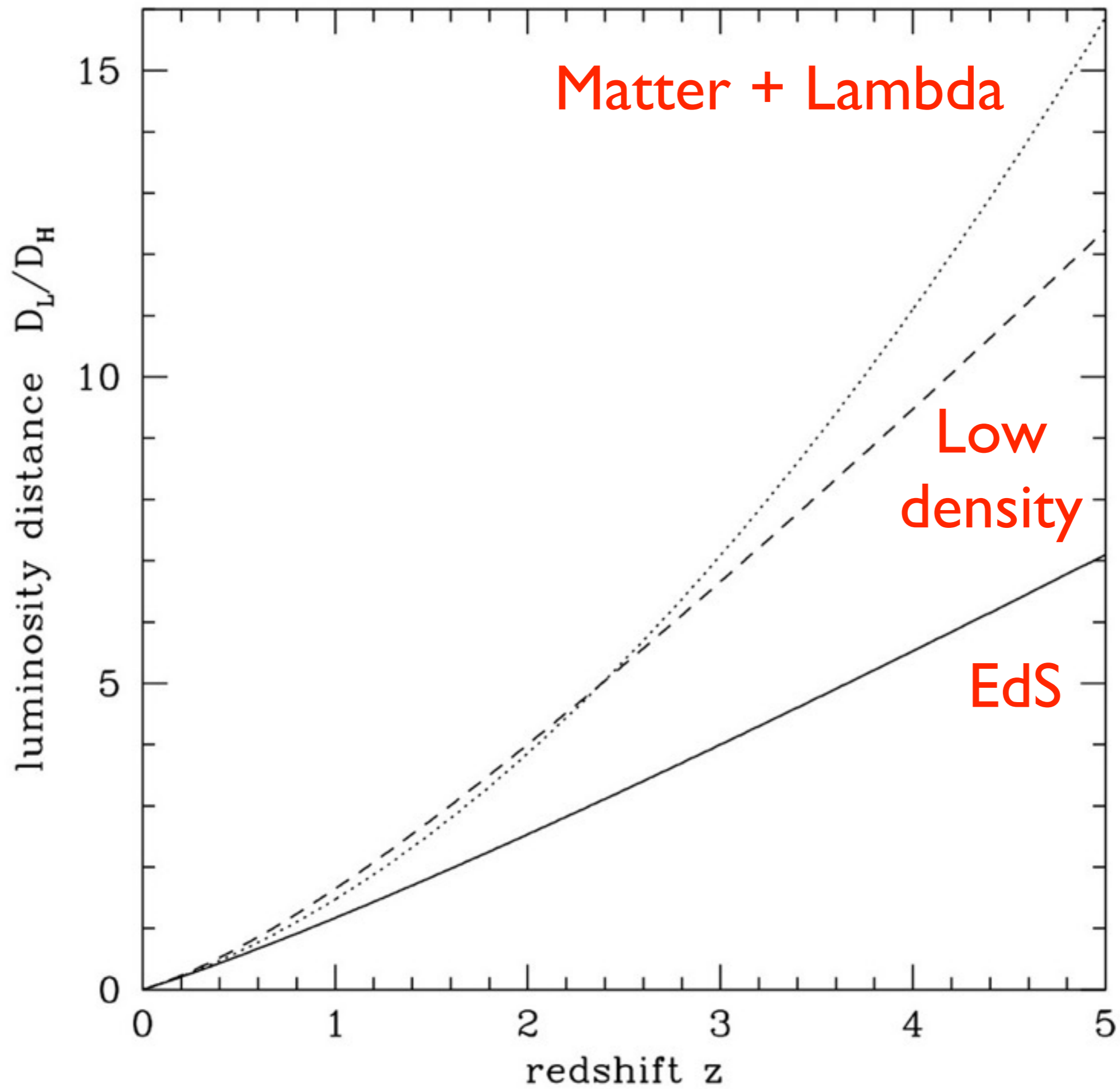
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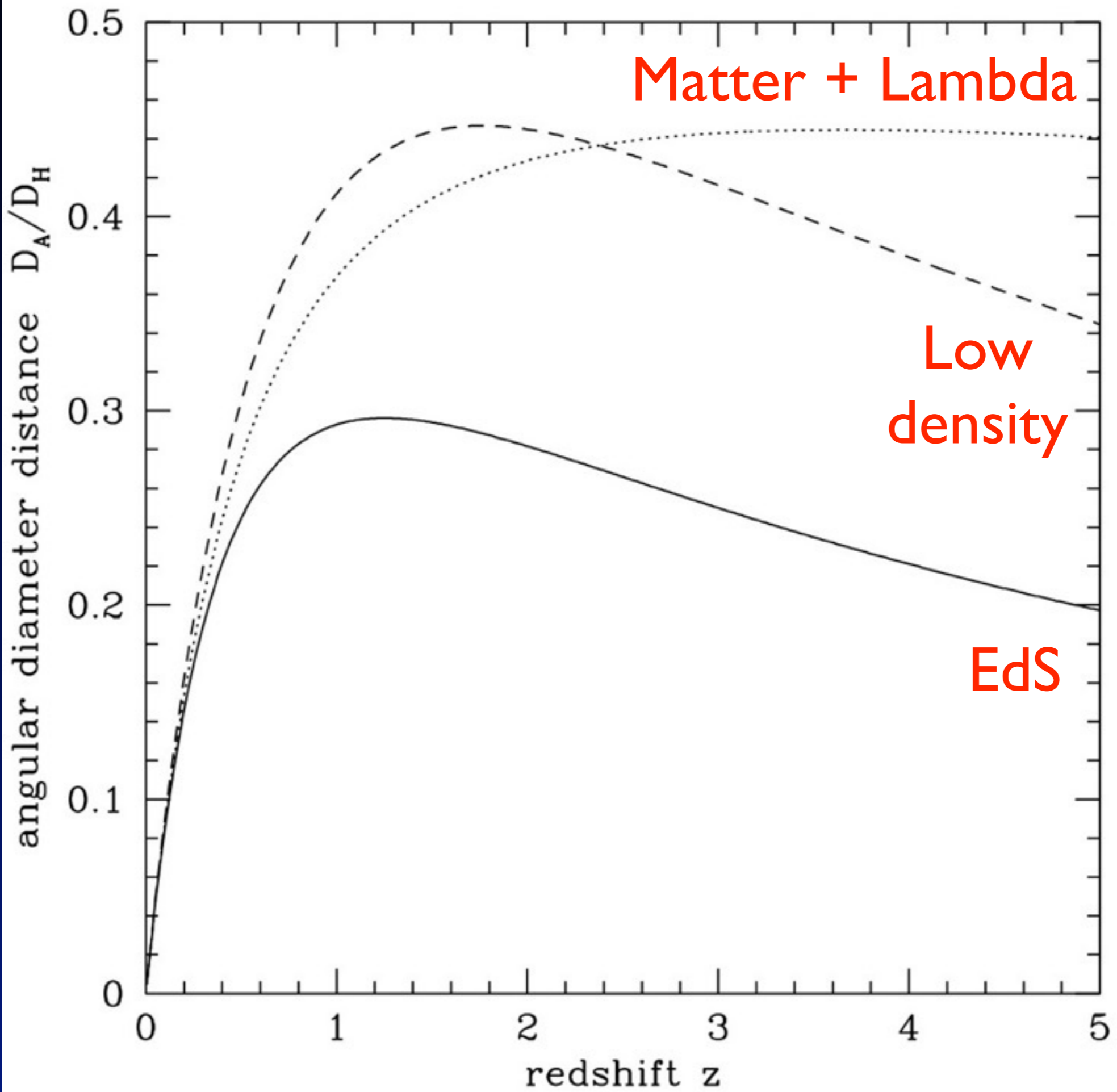
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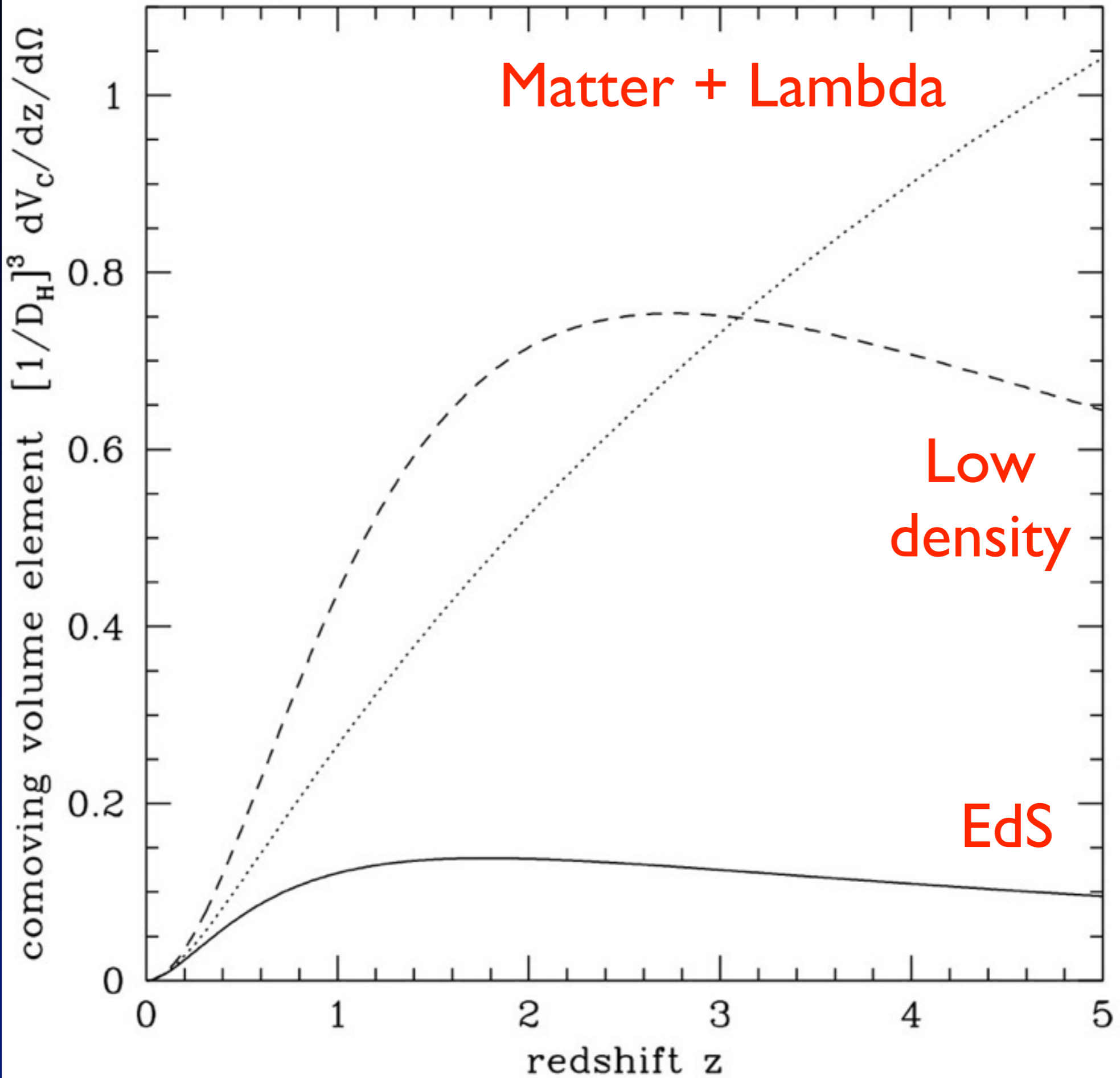
Hubble's Original Data



Modern Data



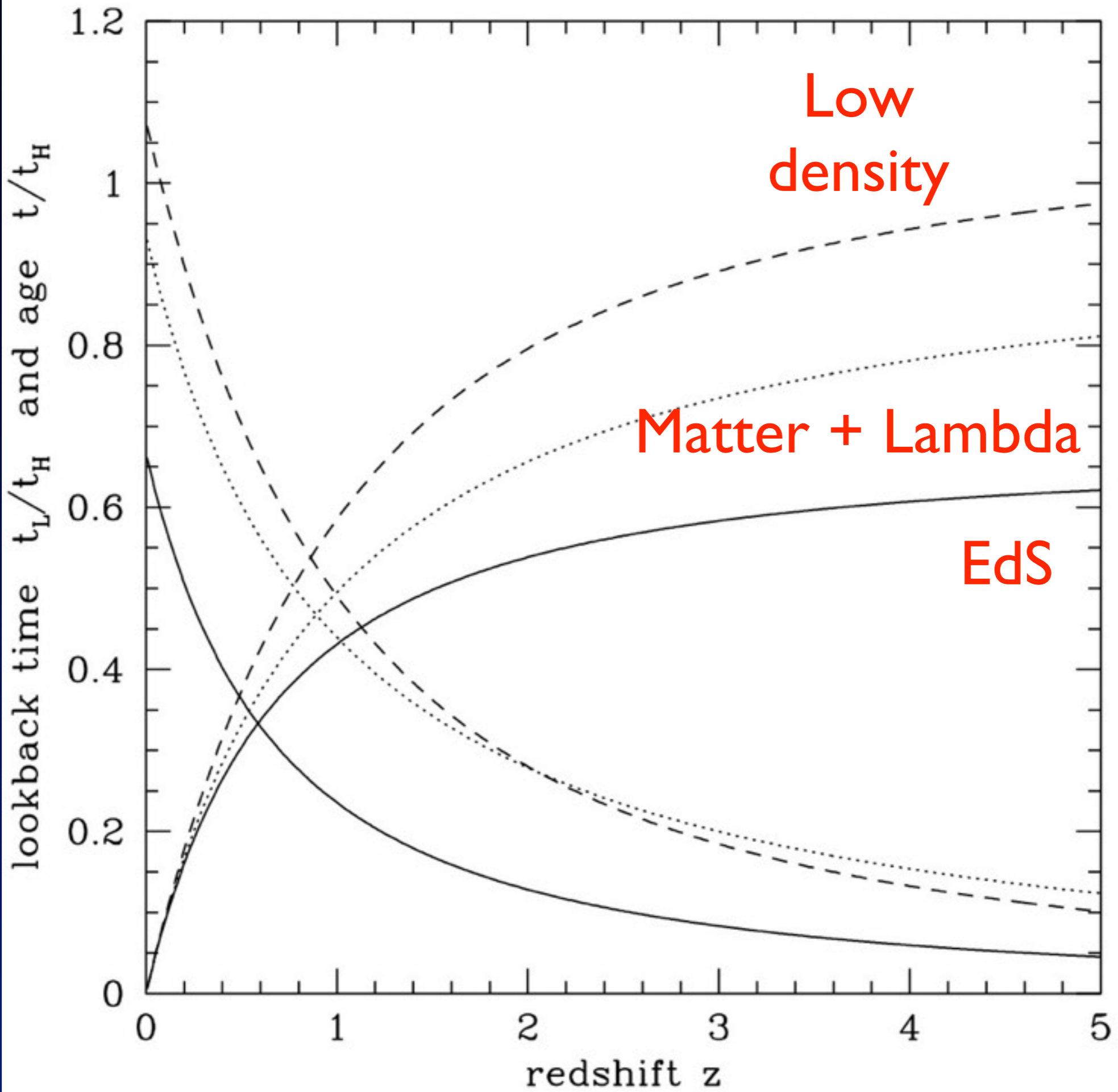


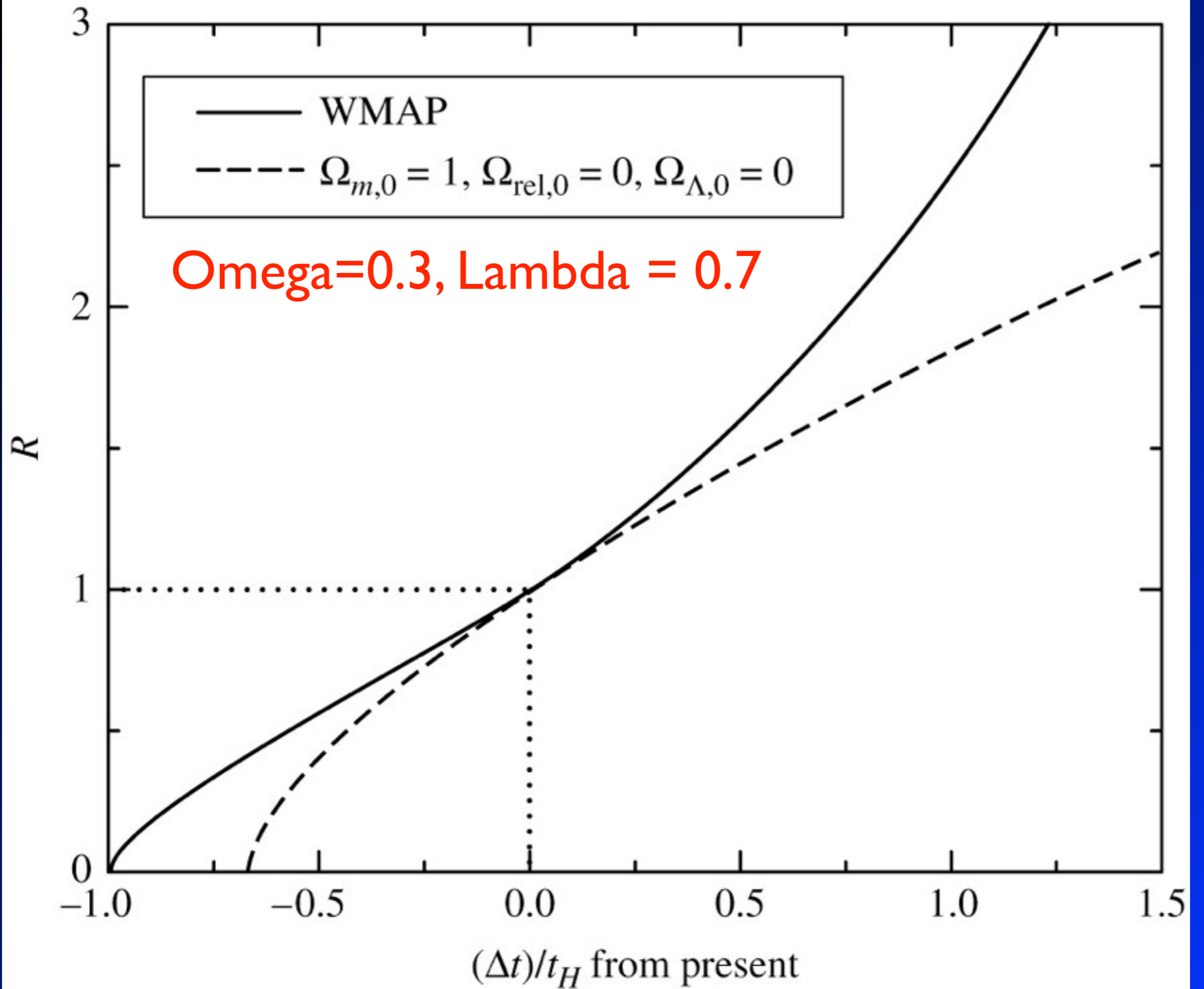


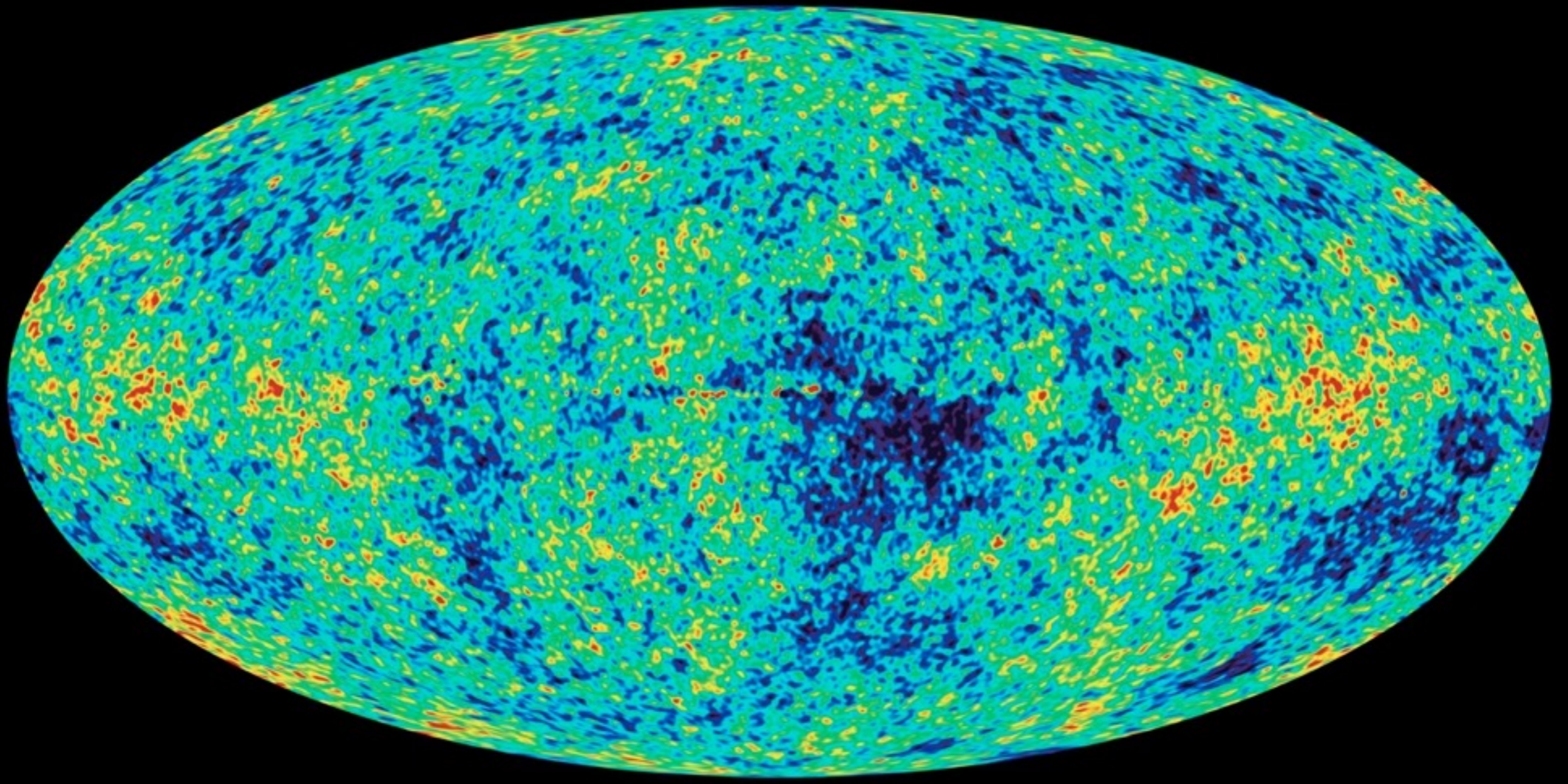
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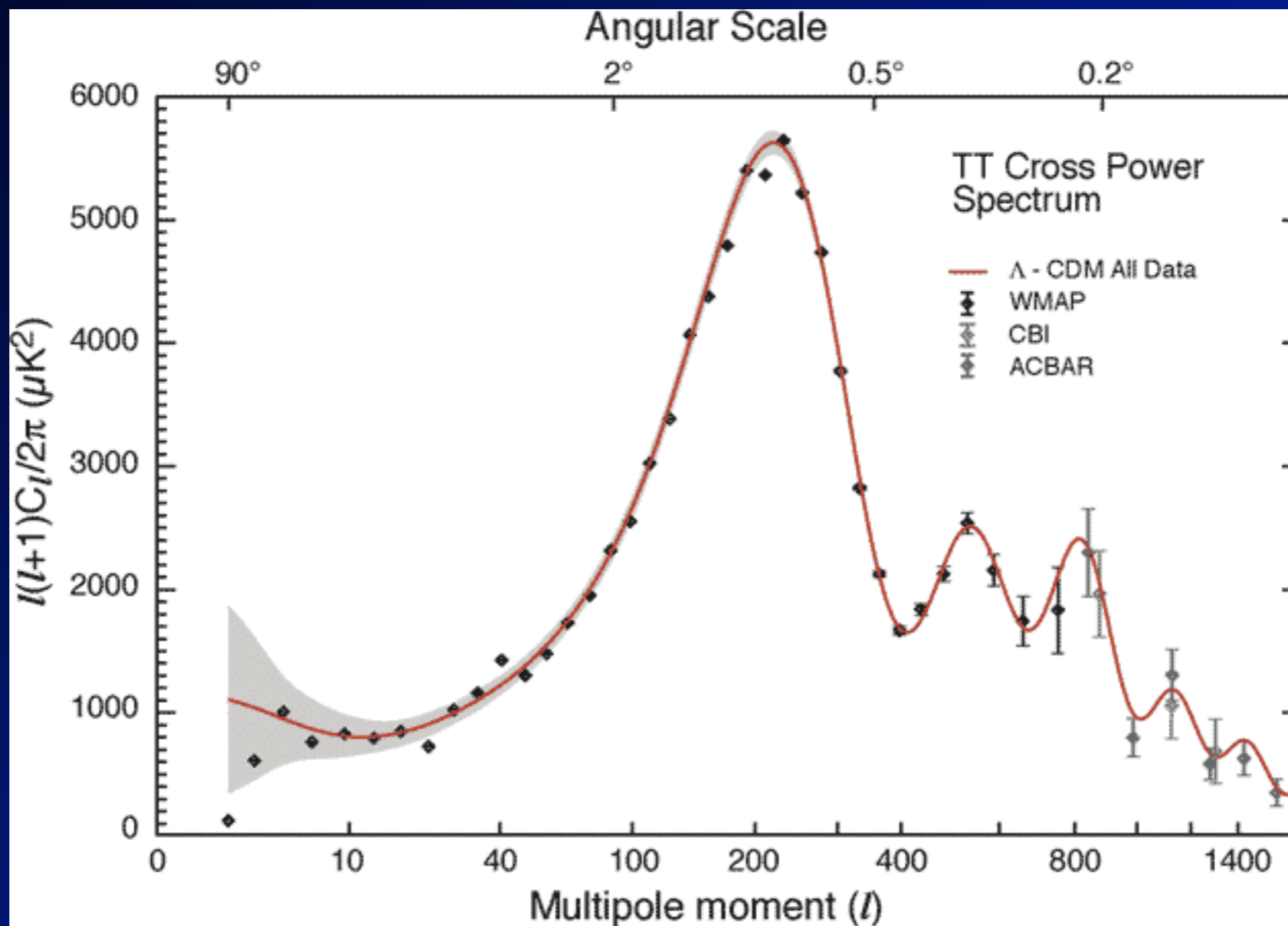
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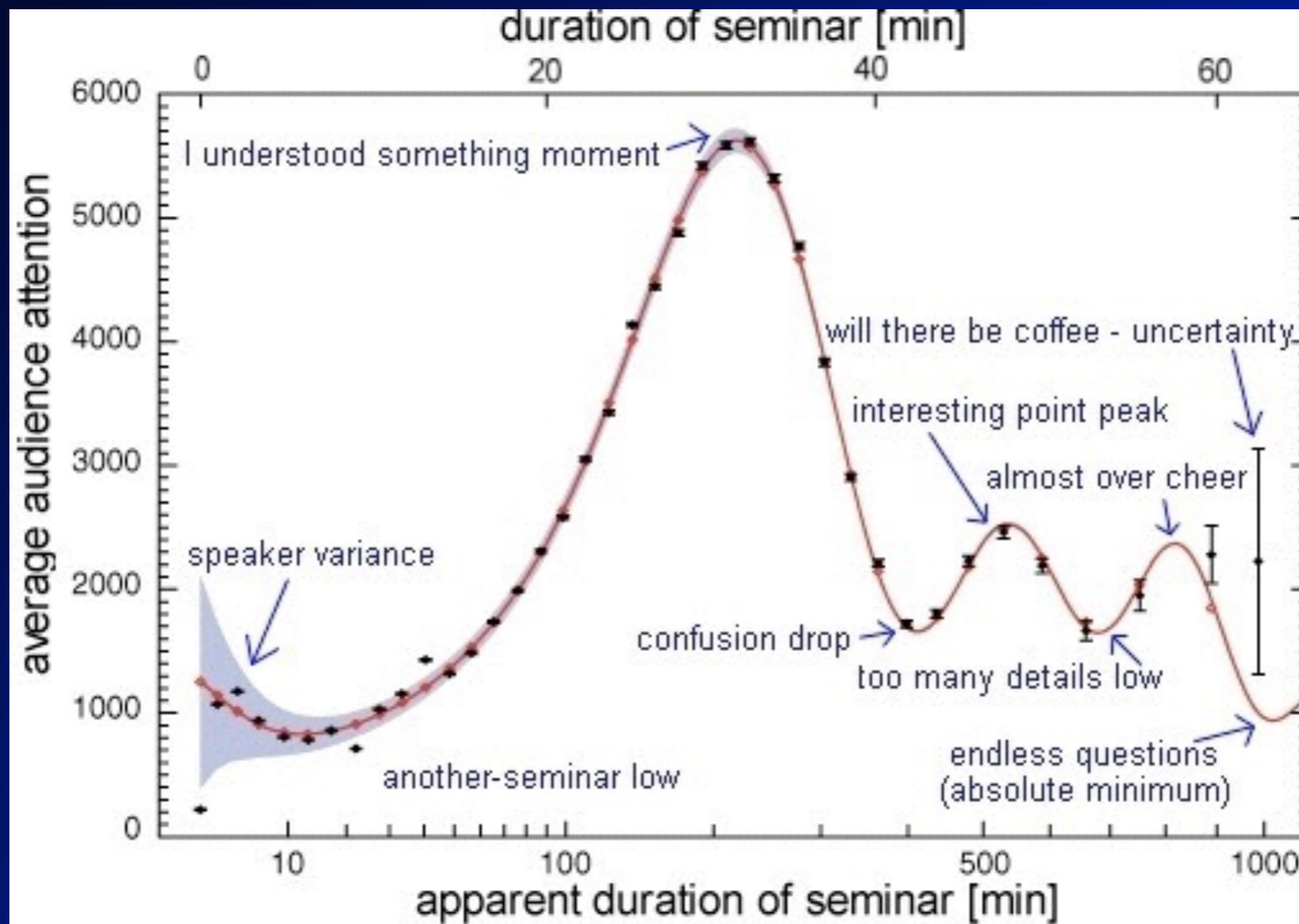
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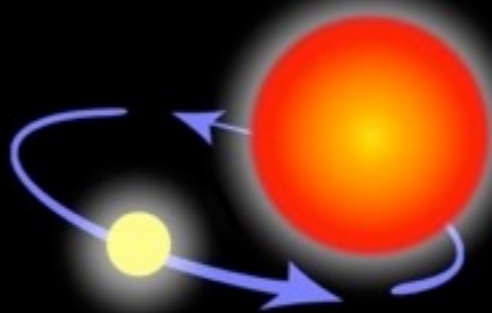
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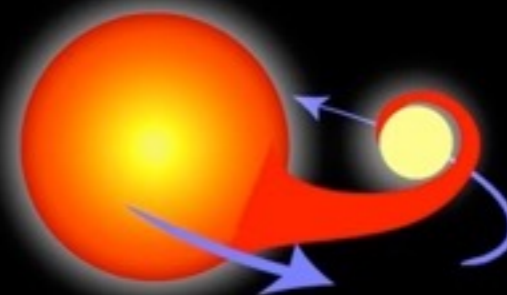
The progenitor of a Type Ia supernova



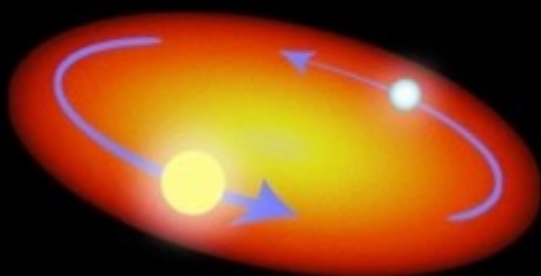
Two normal stars are in a binary pair.



The more massive star becomes a giant...



...which spills gas onto the secondary star, causing it to expand and become engulfed.



The secondary, lighter star and the core of the giant star spiral inward within a common envelope.



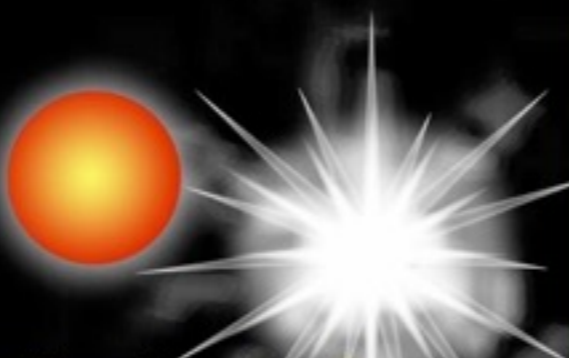
The common envelope is ejected, while the separation between the core and the secondary star decreases.



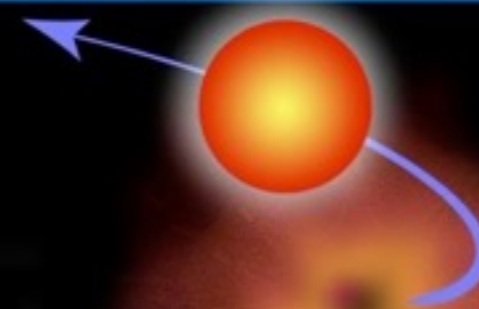
The remaining core of the giant collapses and becomes a white dwarf.



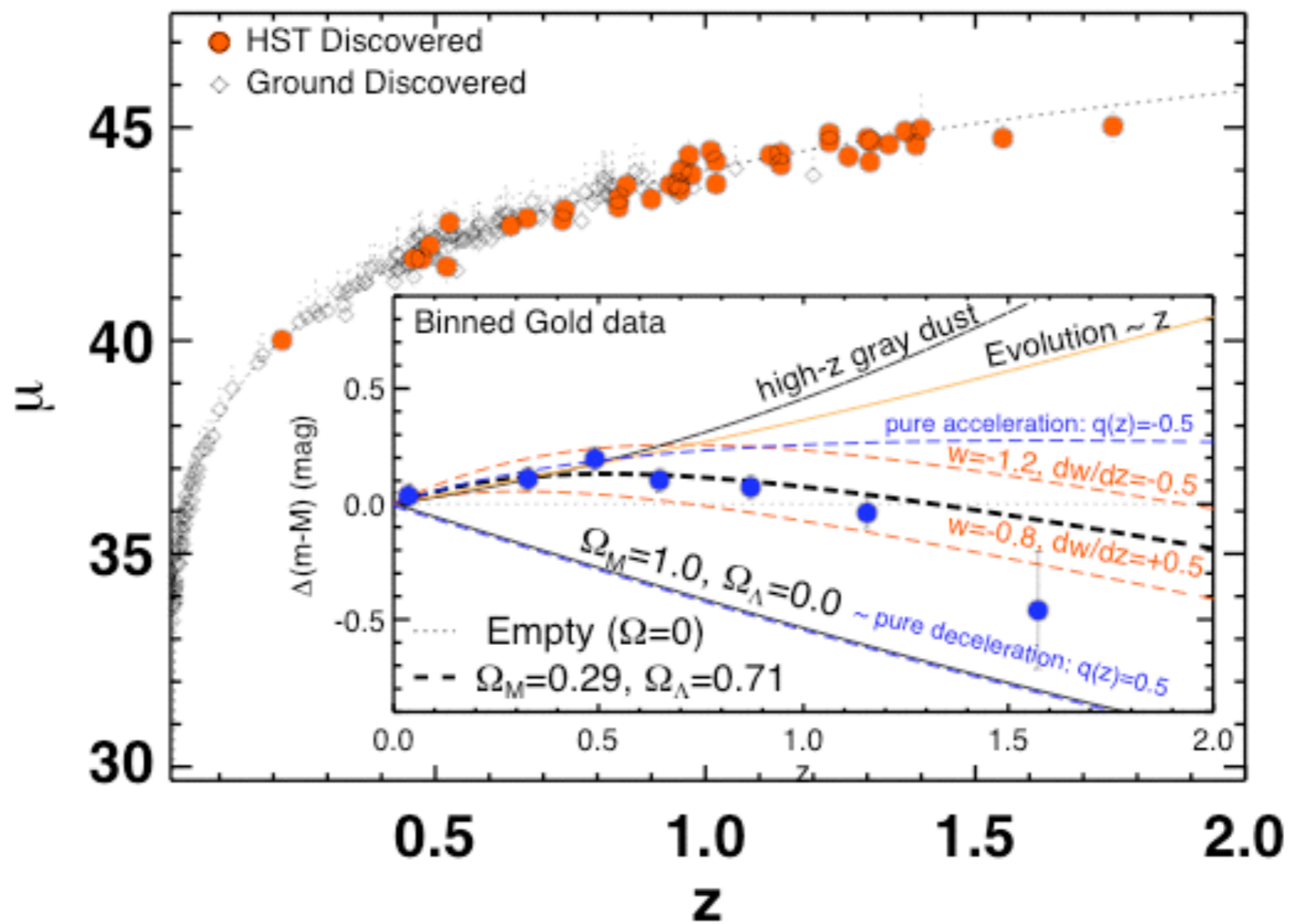
The aging companion star starts swelling, spilling gas onto the white dwarf.

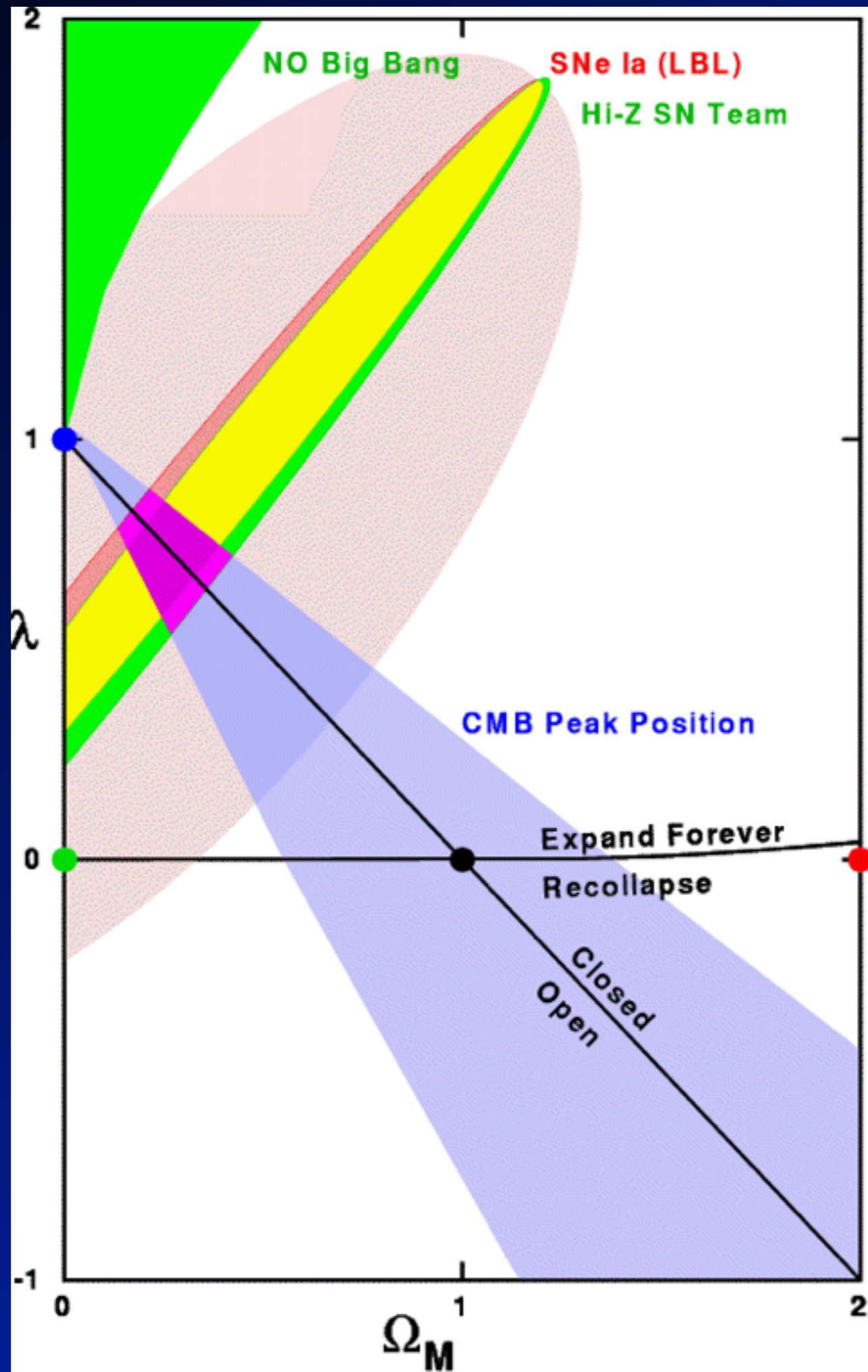


The white dwarf's mass increases until it reaches a critical mass and explodes...

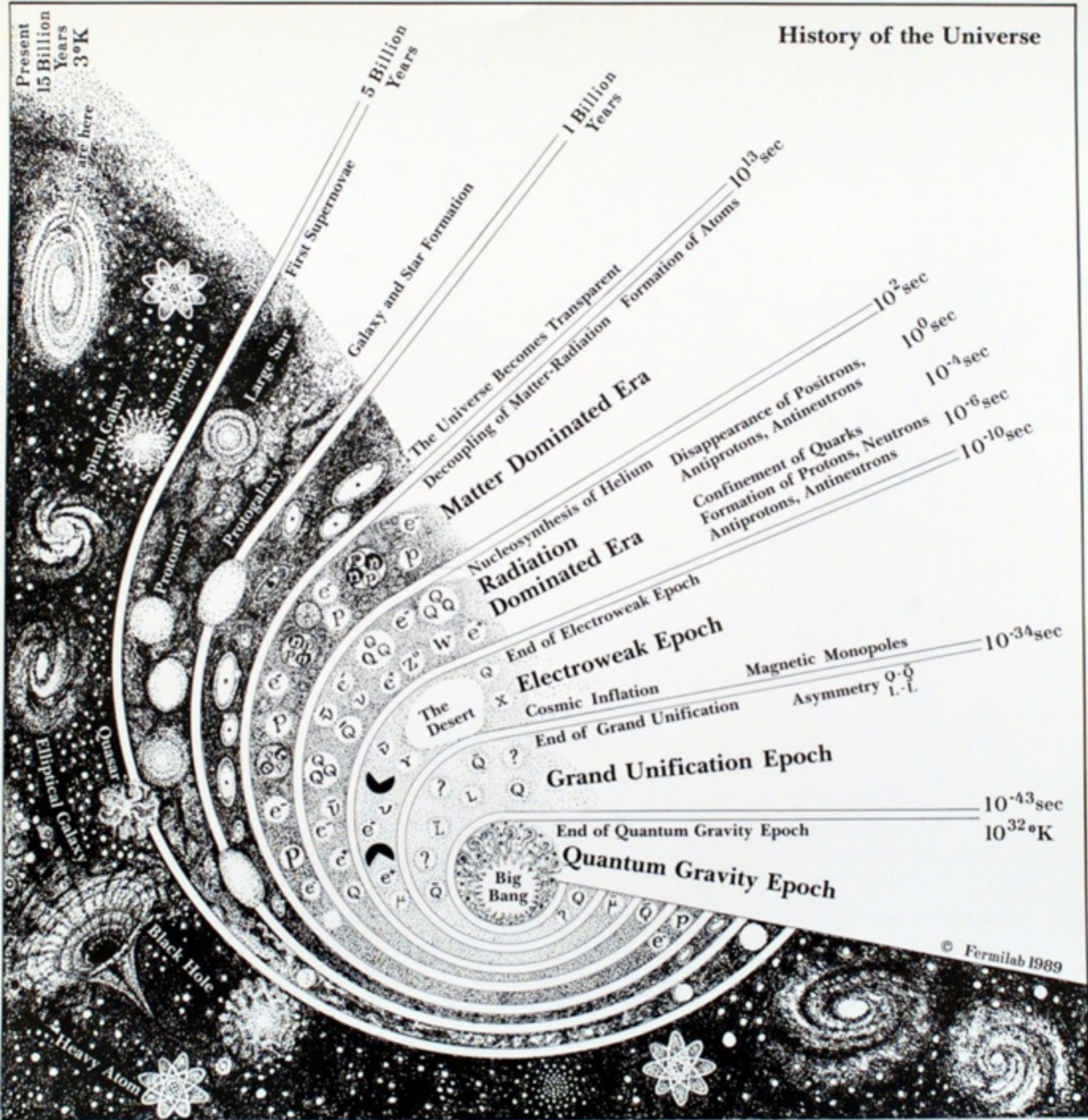


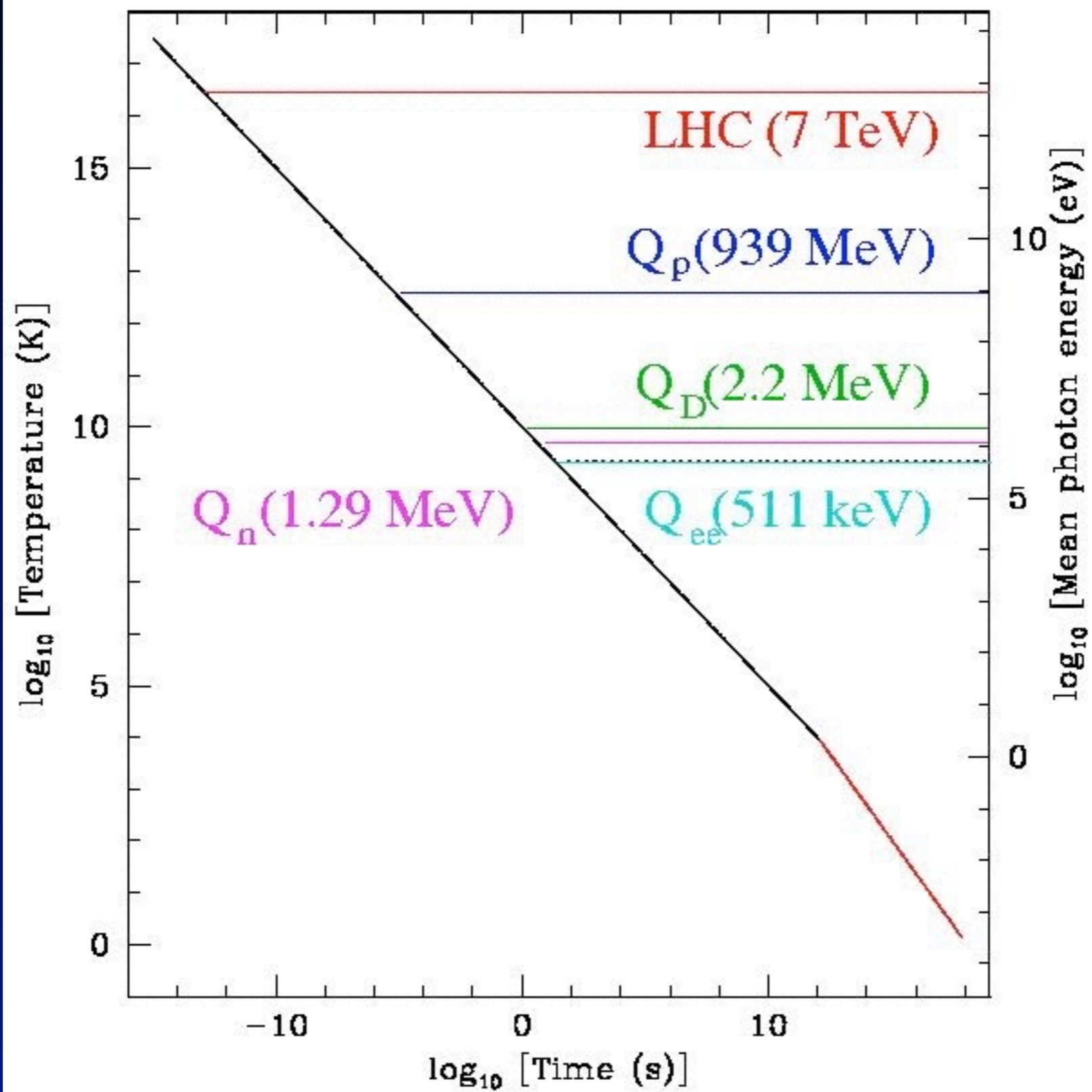
...causing the companion star to be ejected away.



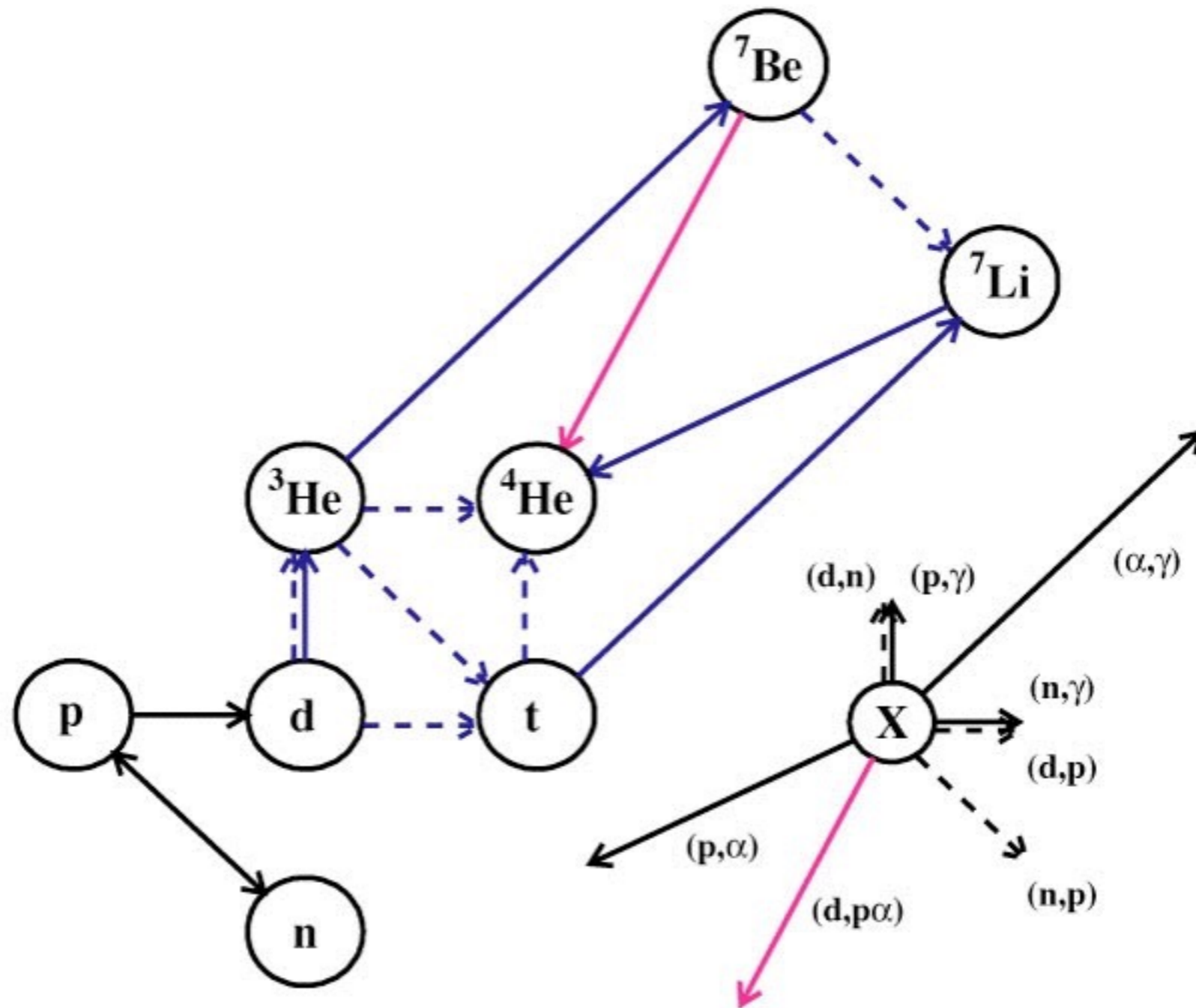


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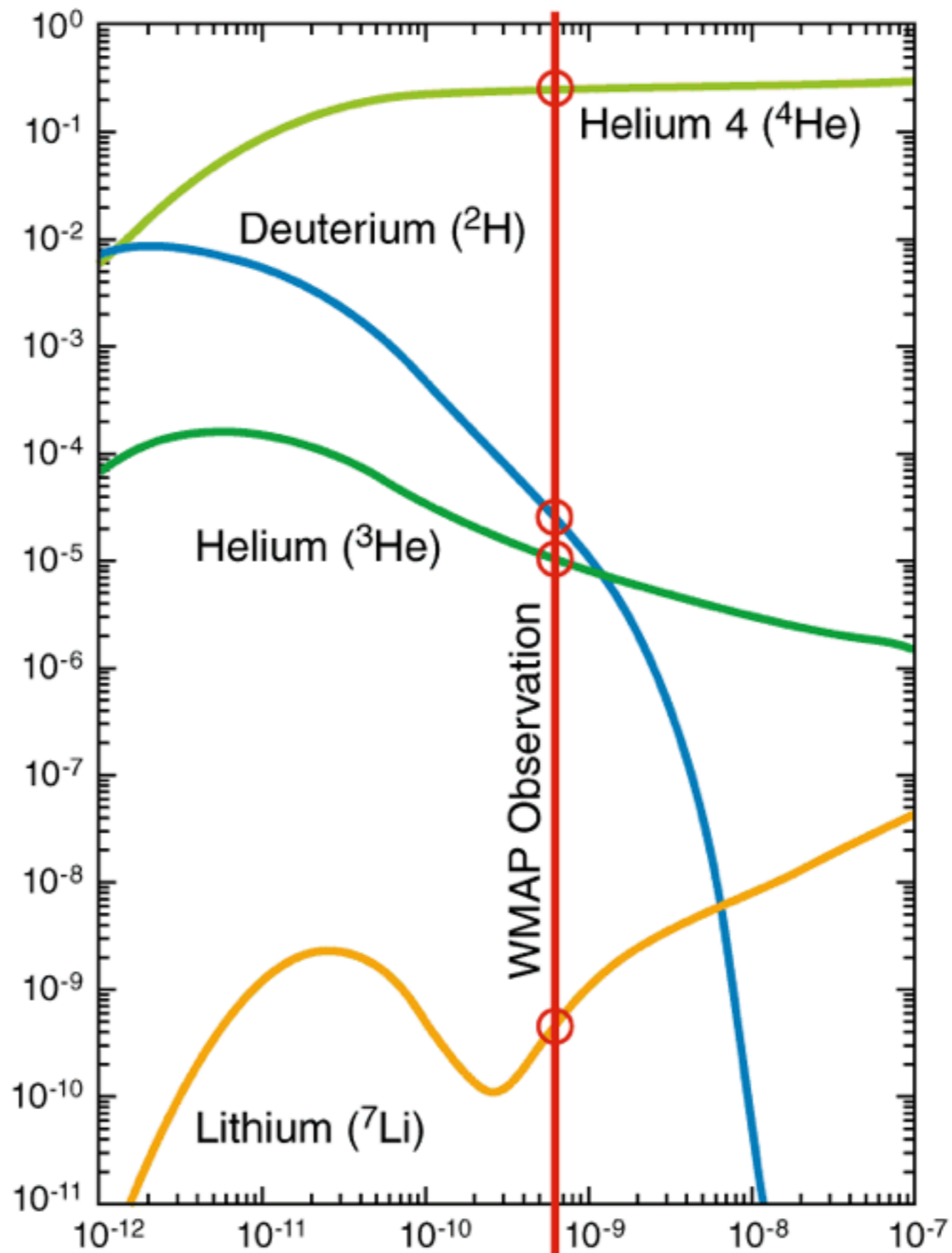




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Element Abundance (Relative to Hydrogen)



Density of Ordinary Matter (Relative to Photons)

