

Simulating Euclid Spectroscopic Telescope Observations

*with
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and the galaxy clustering
end-to-end group*

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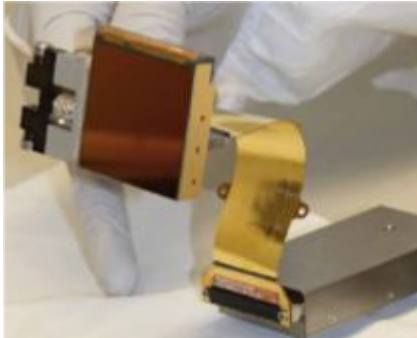
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Euclid survey instruments

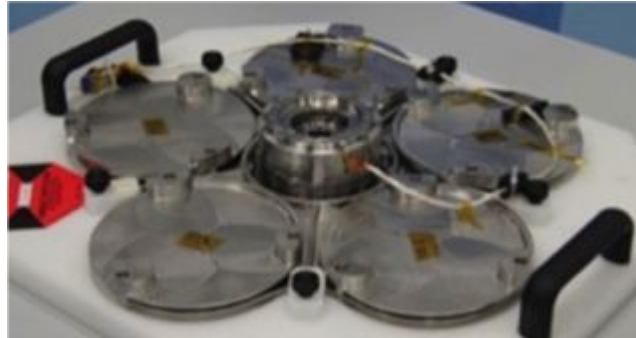
- Near-IR spectrograph (NISP)
 - Pixel scale 0.3 arcsec/pixel
 - Slitless spectrograph
 - Grism dispersion 13.4 Å/pixel
- Visible imager (VIS), not presented here

NISP detector

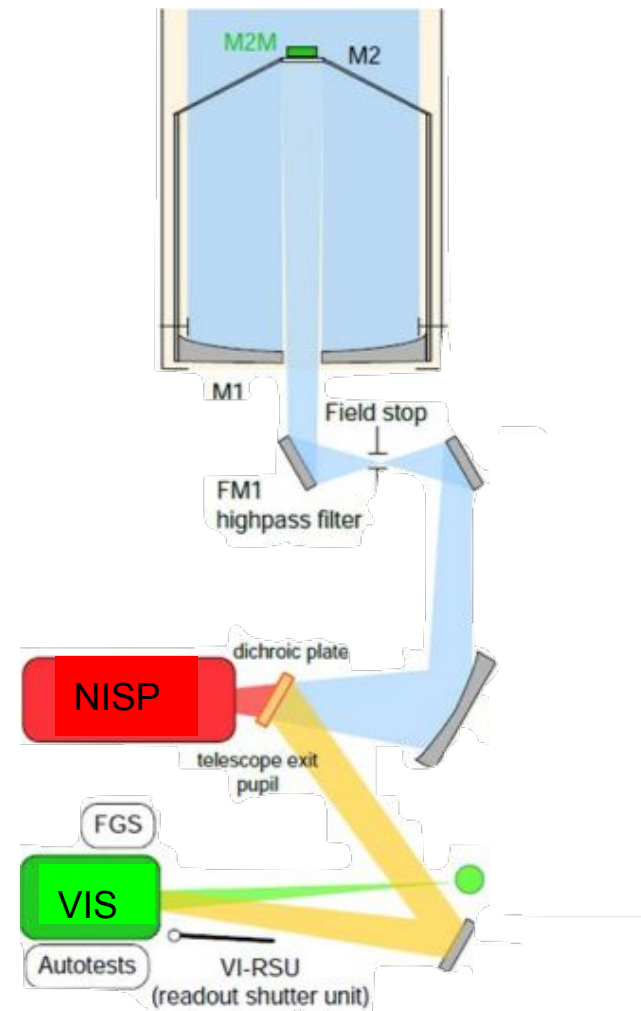


H2RG detector (JPL)

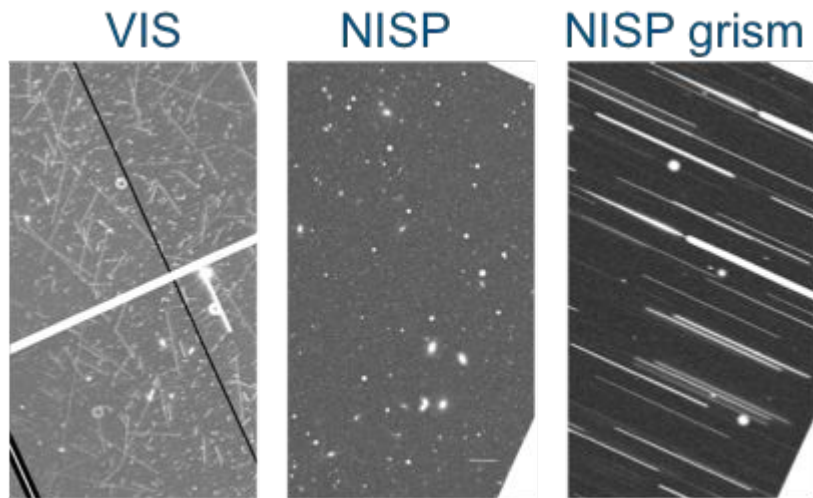
Grism wheel



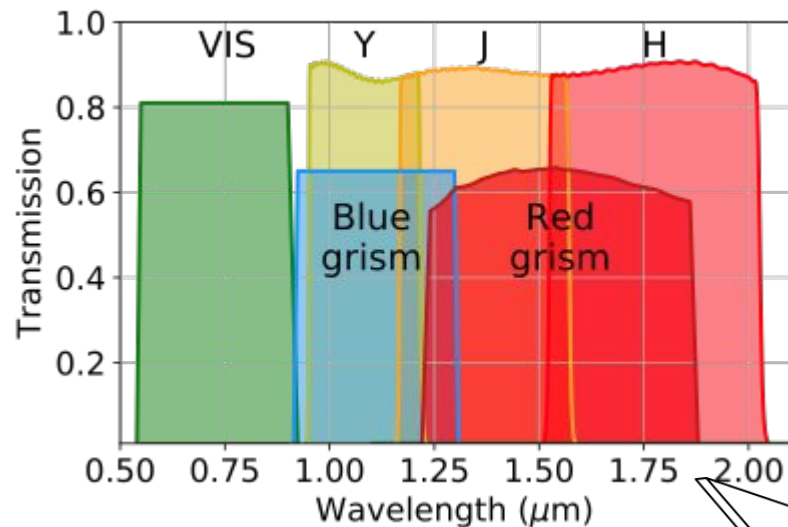
Red 0,90,180 Blue 0



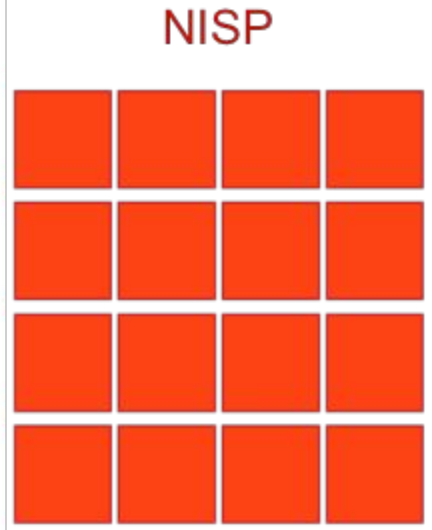
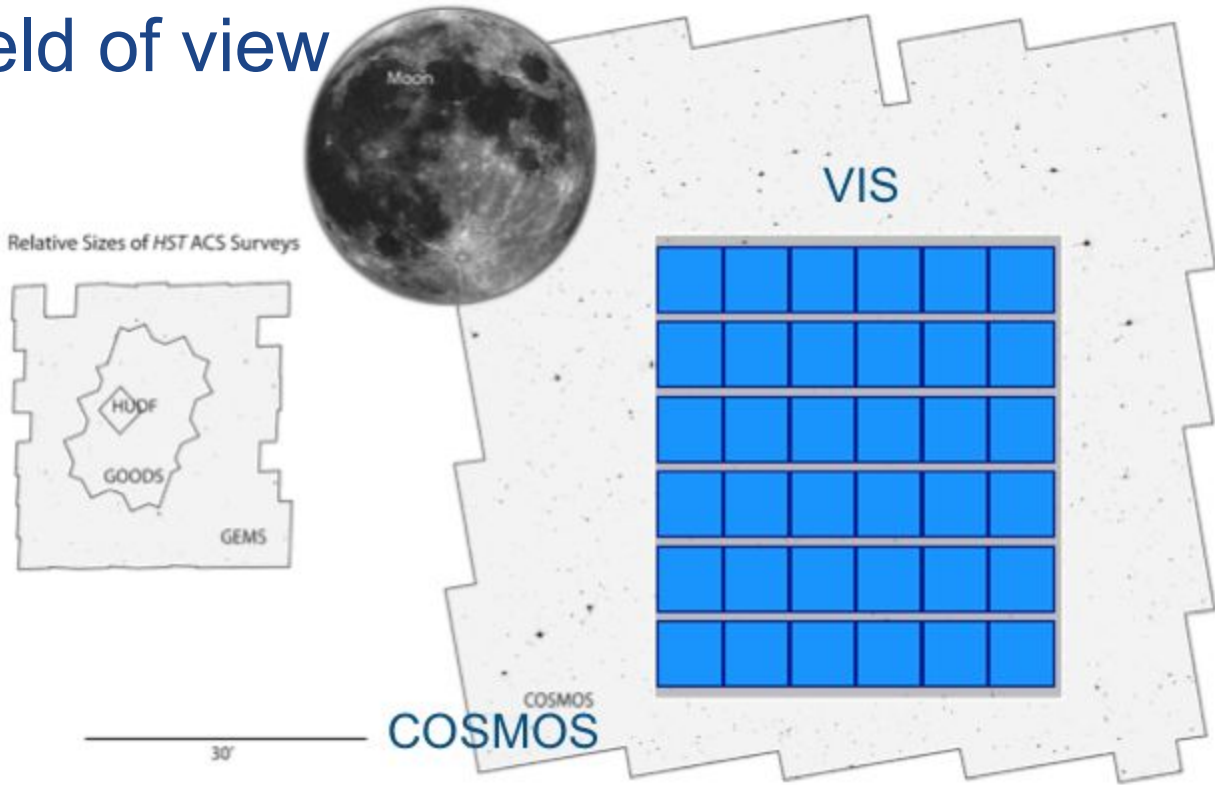
A panchromatic view



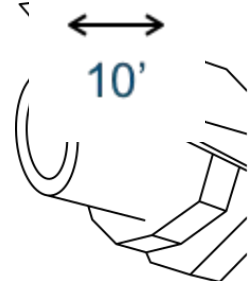
*NISP sim does not include cosmic rays.



Field of view

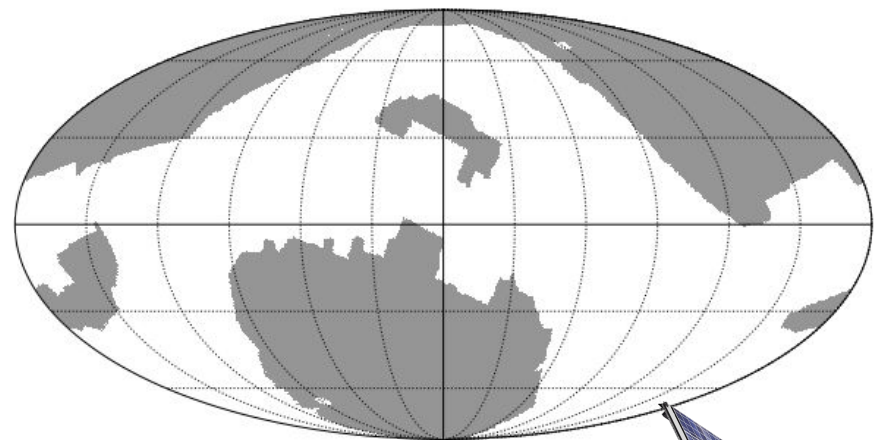


Credit: Space Telescope Science Institute/Nick Scoville (Caltech)

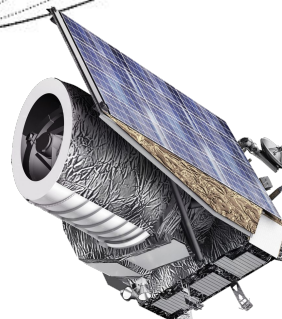


Spectroscopic surveys

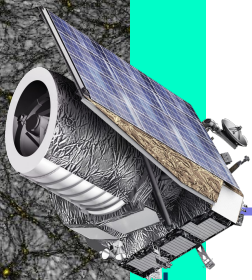
- *Wide*
 - ~ 15 000 sq deg
 - Imaging magnitude limit: $H \sim 24$
 - Emission line flux limit: $\sim 2 \times 10^{-16}$ erg/s/cm²
 - 4 passes
 - 3 red grism orientations
- *Deep*
 - ~ 40 sq deg
 - $H \sim 26$
 - Flux $\sim 0.2 \times 10^{-16}$ erg/s/cm²
 - $\gg 4$ passes
 - Red and blue grisms



Reference survey
(Scaramella)



True Universe



observation

Full Euclid end-to-end

Imodel

Slitless
images

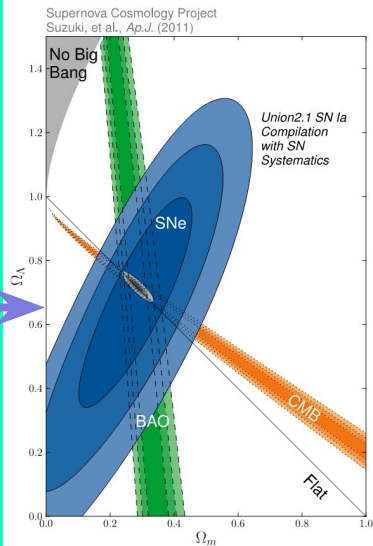
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Contaminated H α line

reduction
& redshift
measurement

Galaxy
catalogue

science
analysis

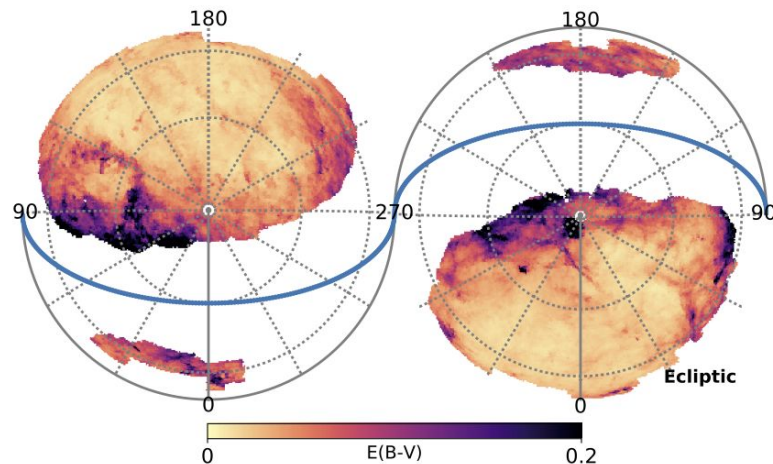


Slide by Dida Markovic

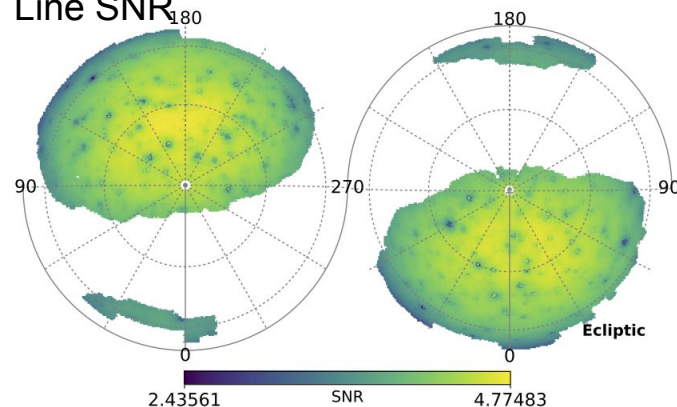
Data systematics

- Foregrounds
 - Zodiac
 - Straylight
 - Extinction
- Calibration error
 - Spectrophotometry
 - Wavelengths
- Contamination
 - Spectra overlaps
 - Cosmic rays
 - Persistence
- Redshift measurement
 - Systematic misidentification
 - Spurious detection rate
 - Random error
 - Template bias

MW extinction map $E(B-V)$



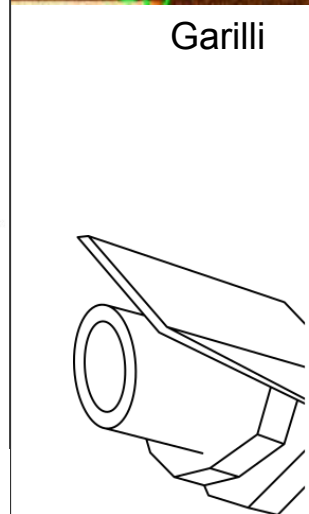
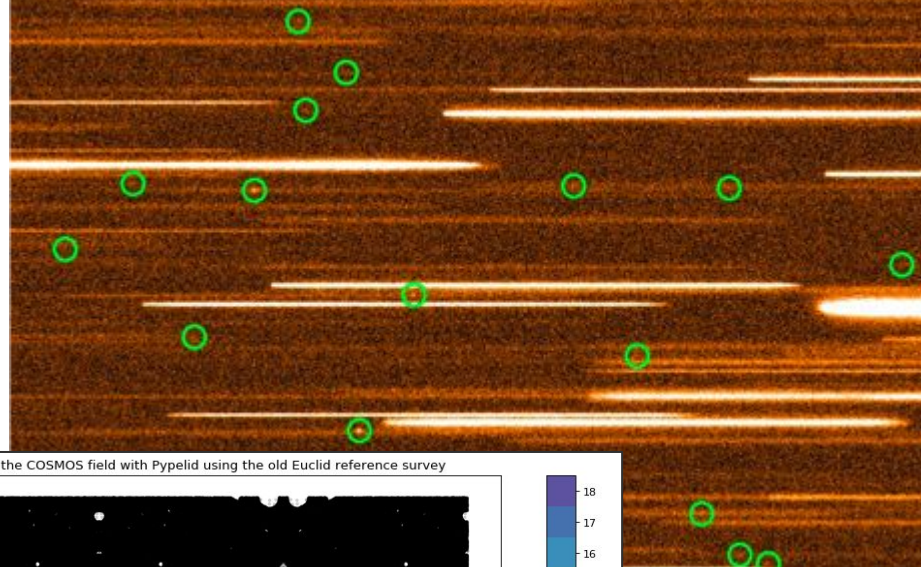
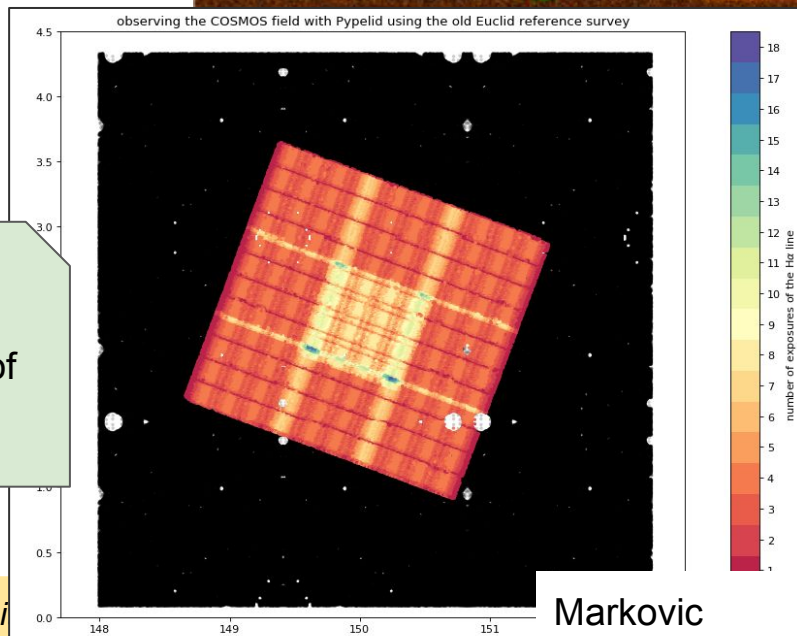
Line SNR



Simulation tools

- Pixel simulations
 - IModel (Garilli et al)
 - TIPS (Zoubian et al)
- Catalog level (bypasses)
 - Pypelid (Granett, Markovic et al)

★ We are developing pypelid to scale up to simulations the size of the Euclid wide survey

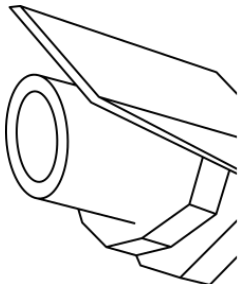




Inputs

- **Flagship galaxy properties**
 - RA, Dec, z
 - mag J, H
 - Flux Ha, Hb, NII, SII, OIII, OII
 - Bulge, disk: scale, fraction, axis ratio

- **Foregrounds**
 - Stars
 - Zodi
 - Out-field straylight
 - Milky way extinction



Signal and noise

- Emission line signal

$$S = A_{surf} t_{exp} q \int T(\lambda) f_{\lambda}(\lambda) 10^{-0.4A(\lambda)} \frac{\lambda}{hc} d\lambda$$

Collecting area

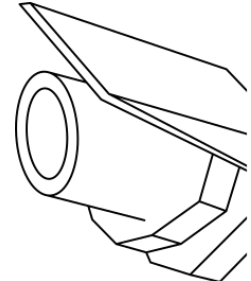
Exposure time

Quantum efficiency

Transmission

Source flux

Milky Way extinction



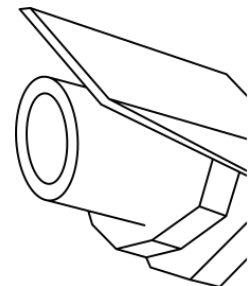
Signal and noise

- Emission line signal

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- Noise

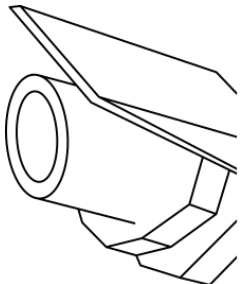
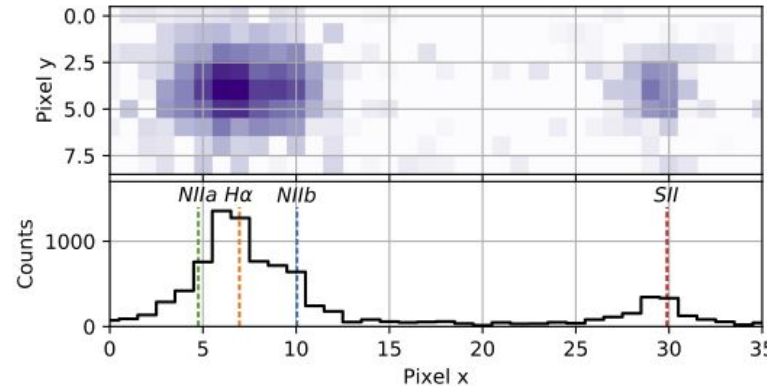
$$\sigma^2 = t_{exp} n_{dark} + \sigma_{read}^2 + \sum_i \sigma_{diffuse,i}^2$$



Detection significance

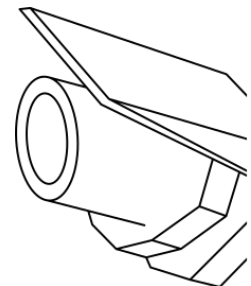
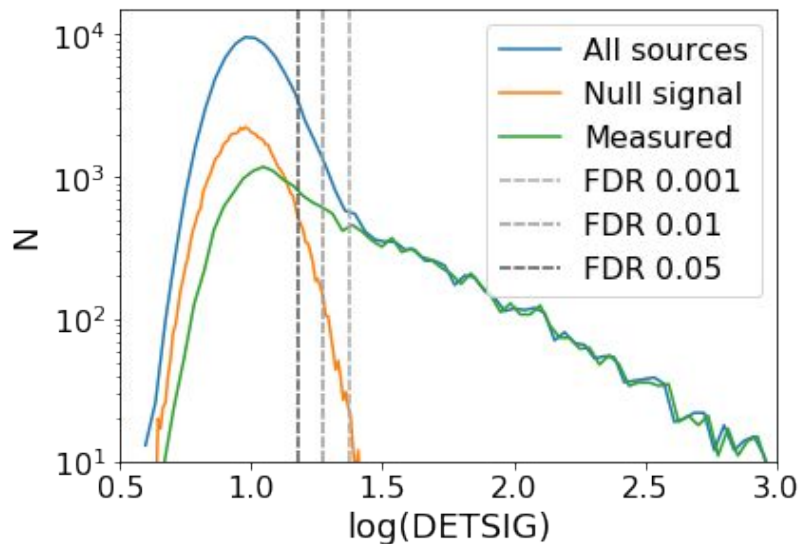
- Simulate noisy emission line spectrum
 - Point-spread function
 - Disk & bulge size
 - Line broadening
 - **No continuum**
- Do a template fit on the 1D spectrum
- Template-fit amplitude defines SNR:

$$a = \frac{\sum d\sigma^{-2}t}{\sum t\sigma^{-2}t}$$



Spurious sources - false detection rate

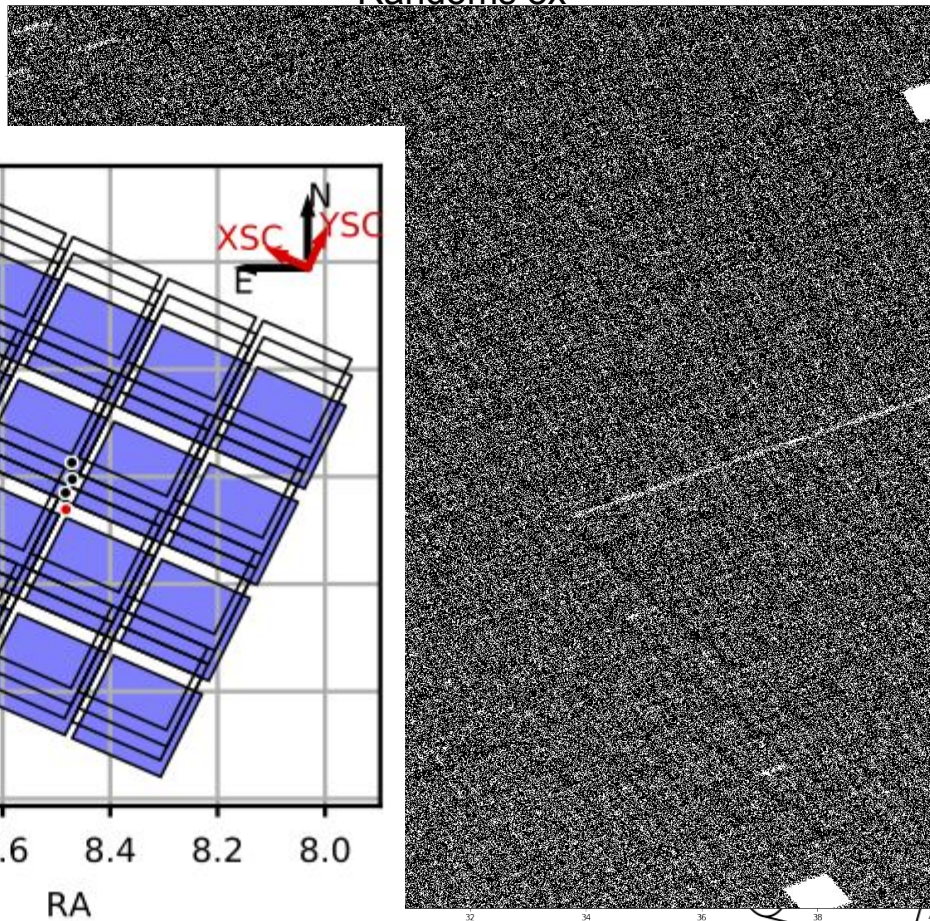
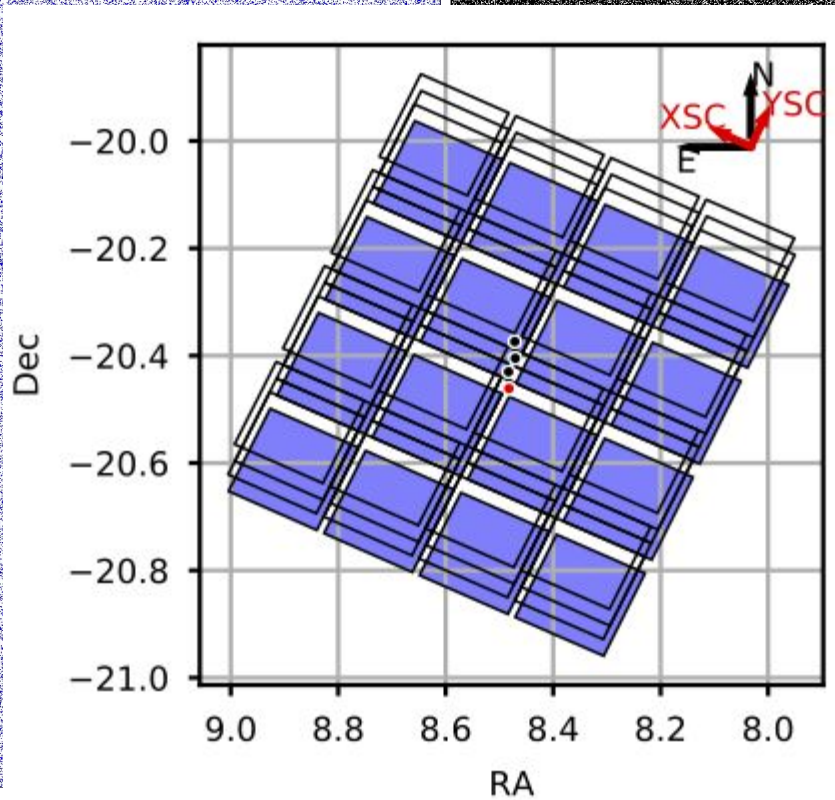
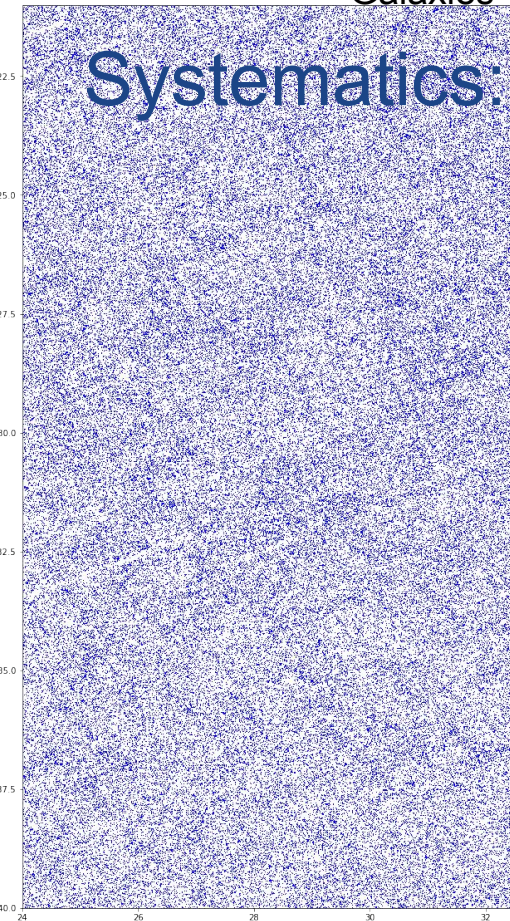
- The SNR cut will set the false-detection rate
- We can model the distribution by running noise-only spectra
- Model the SNR null distribution:
 - At fixed redshift: Chi2 with one deg of freedom, or
 - Varying redshift: Gumbel distribution



Galaxies

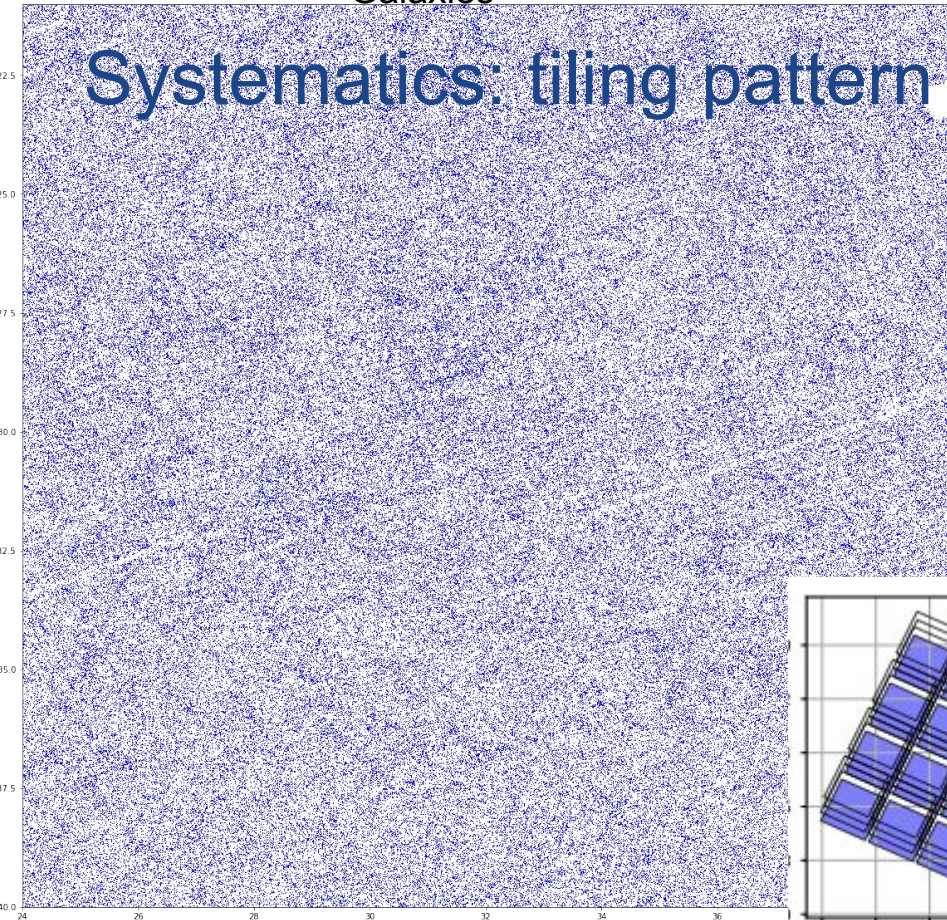
Randoms 8x

Systematics: tiling pattern

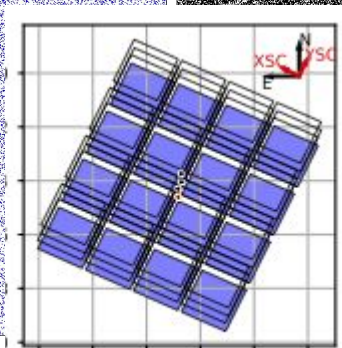
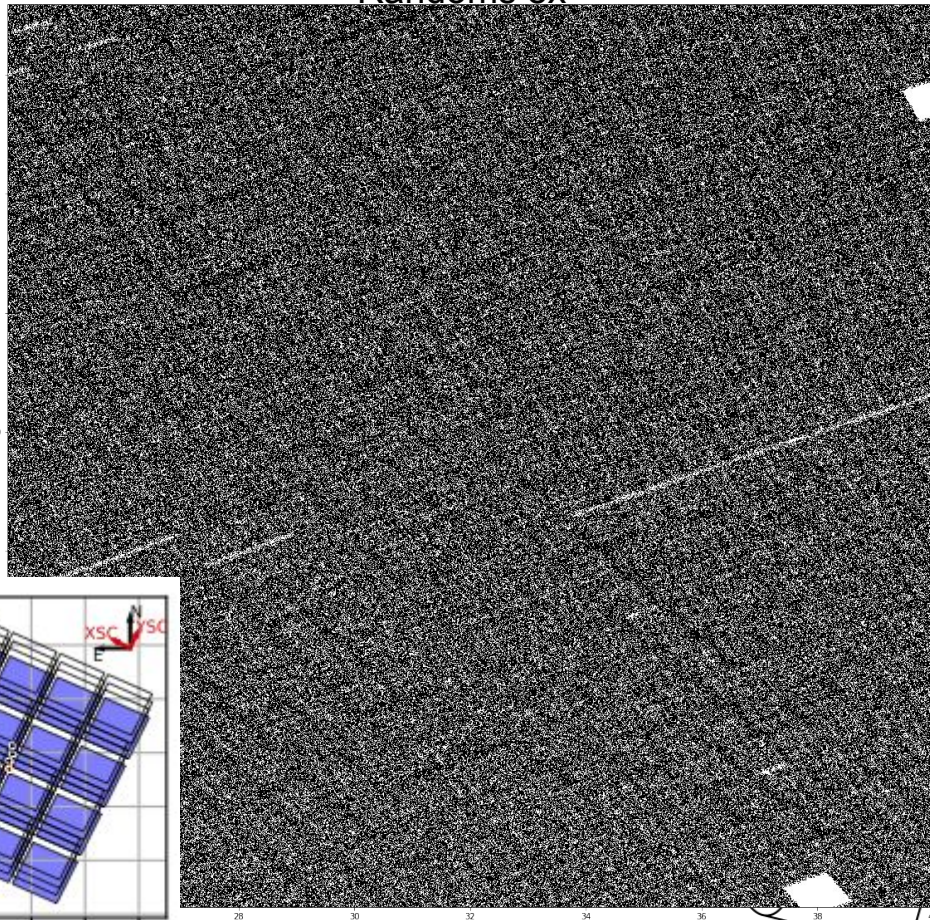


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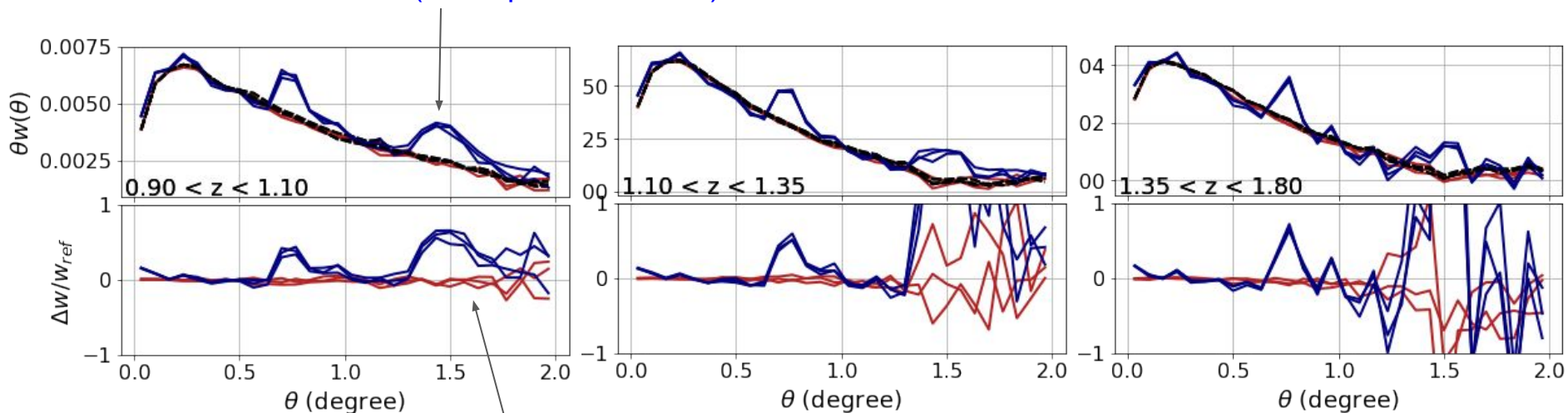


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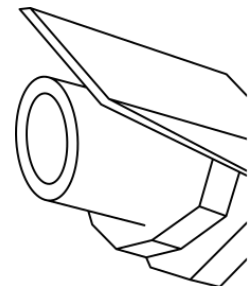
Systematics: tiling pattern

Uniform randoms (not expected to work)



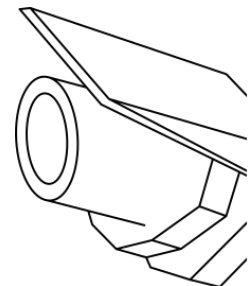
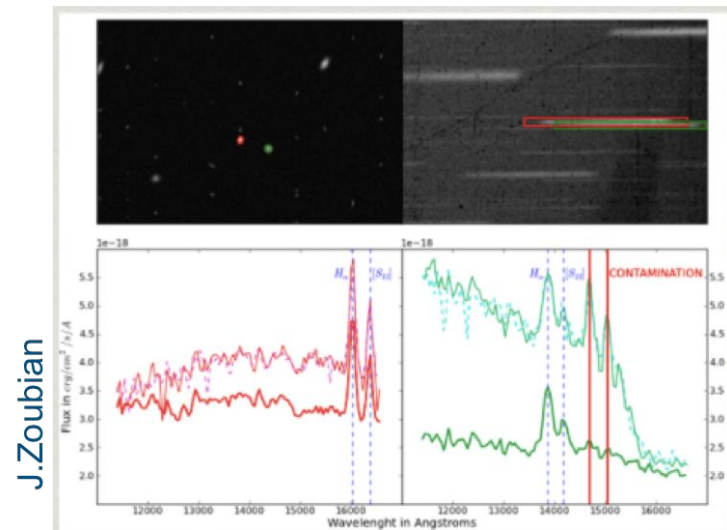
Visibility mask randoms

Lines of the same color show different shuffling realizations (shot noise)



Systematics: contamination

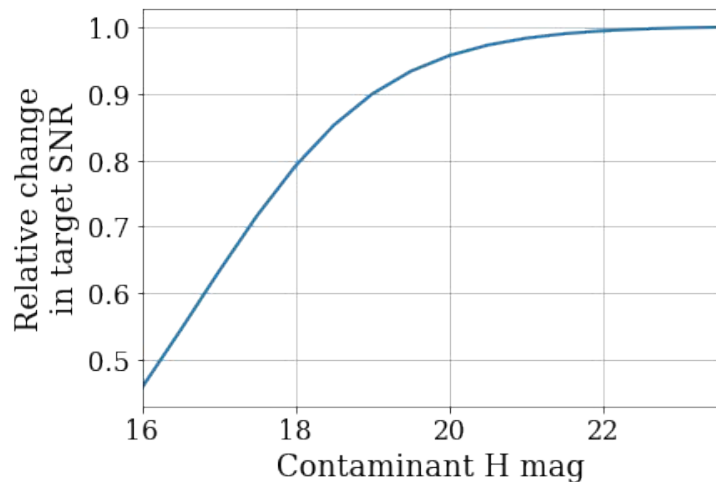
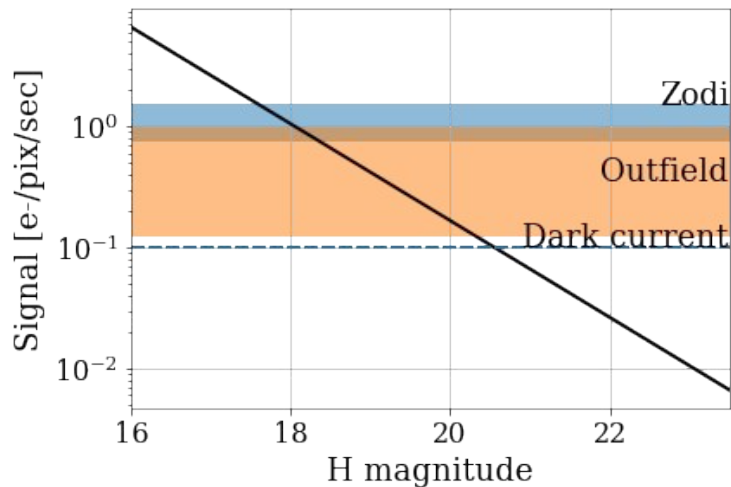
- Overlapping spectra contribute to the noise
- Is this an important exclusion effect like SDSS fiber collisions or VIMOS slit constraints?



Systematics: contamination

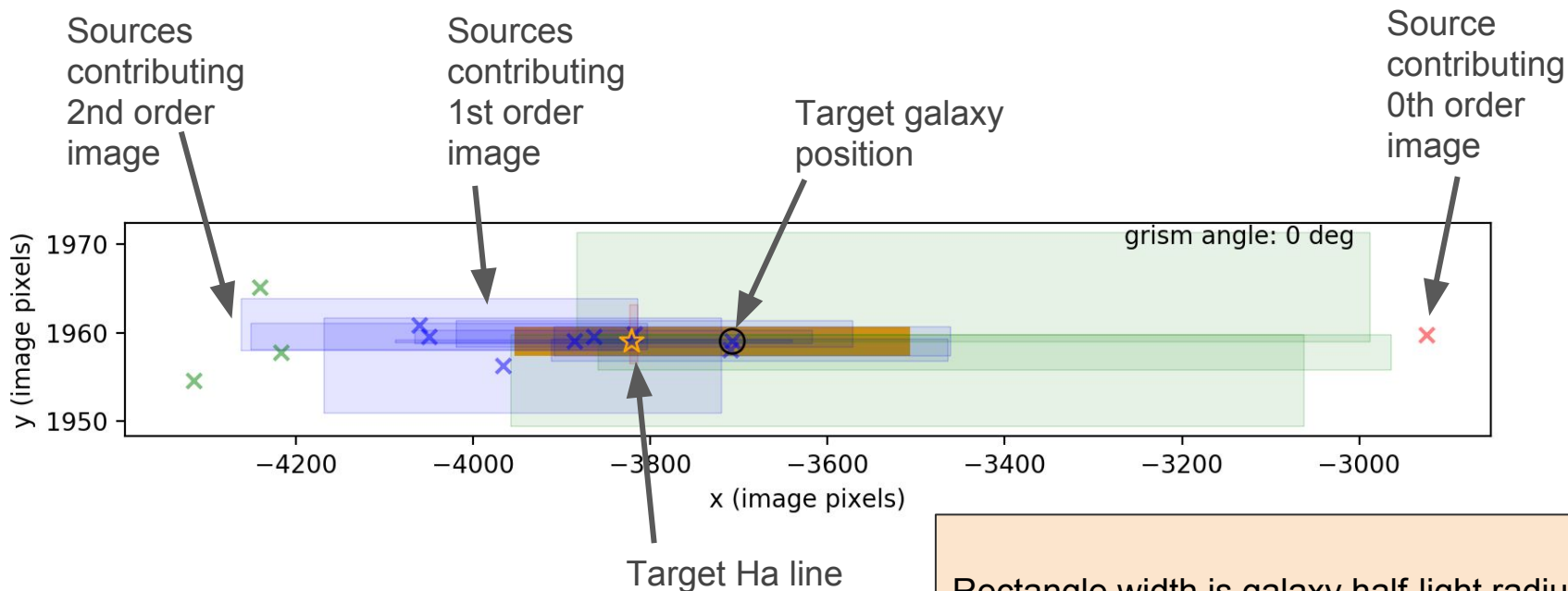
$$SNR = \frac{S}{\sqrt{S + C + N_{sky}}}$$

- We are in the $N_{sky} > C$ regime
- The exception is bright galaxies at low redshift



Contamination model

[Based on PROFESS by S. de la Torre]

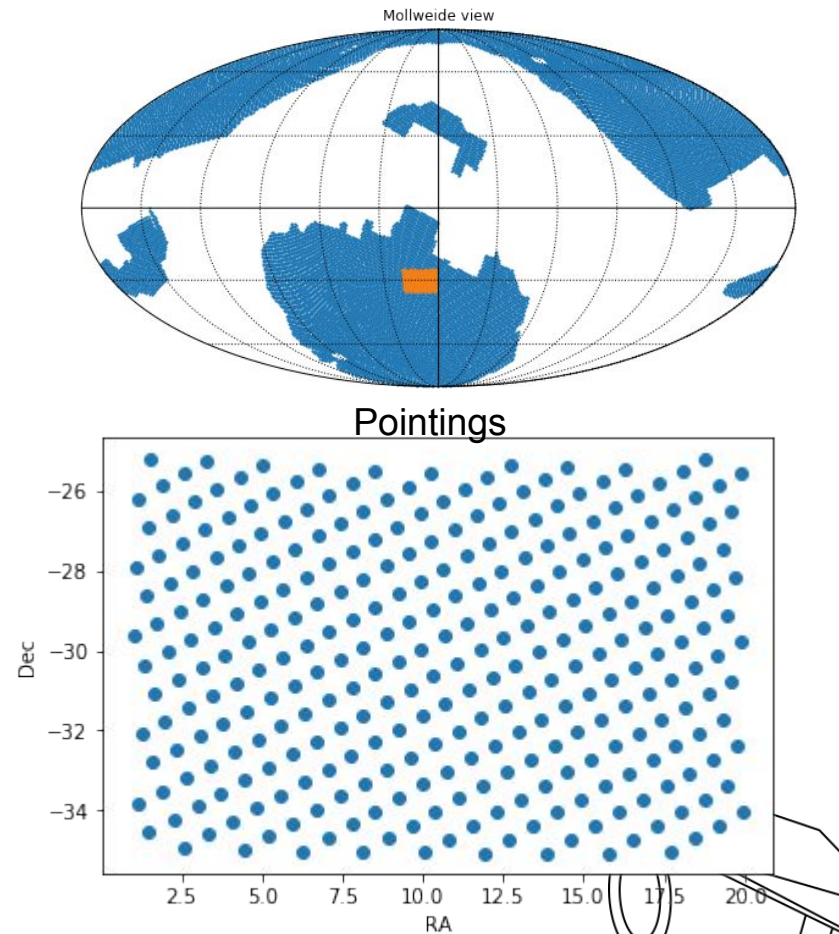


Note aspect ratio is 10:1

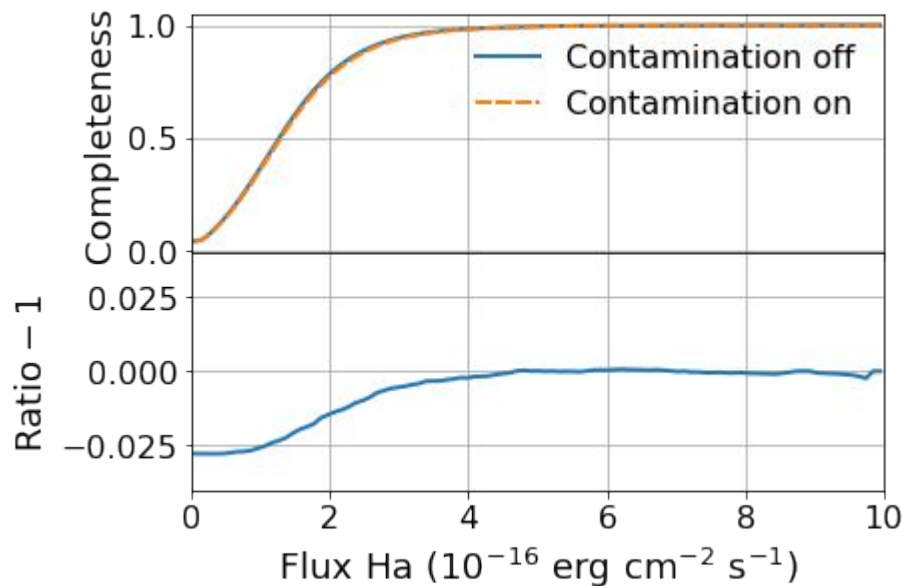
Rectangle width is galaxy half-light radius.

Run configurations

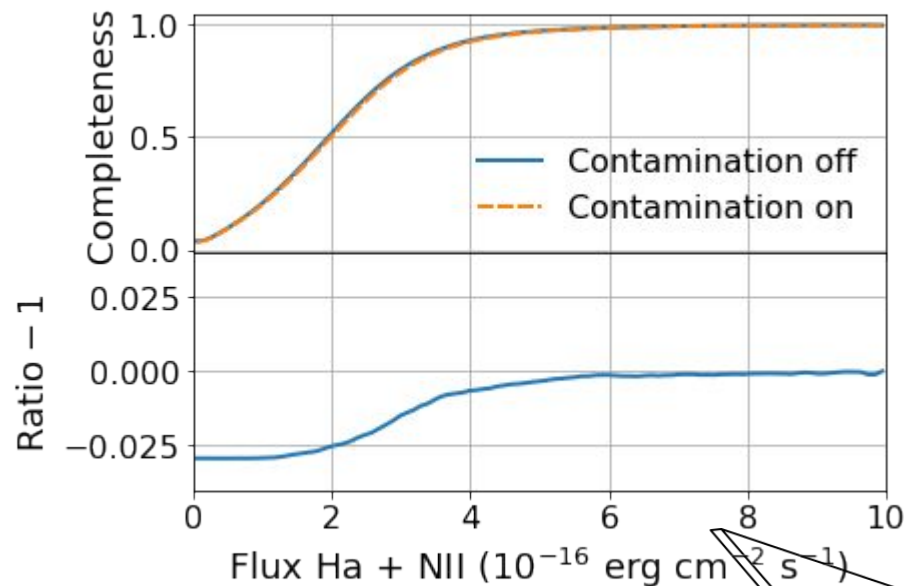
- Flagship 1.5.2
- Selection: $H < 24$
- 307 pointings ~ 175 sqr deg
- Foregrounds:
 - Zodi
 - Out-field stray light
 - Milky Way extinction
- Pypelid run with contamination on and off
- Detection threshold 5 sigma



Contamination tests: completeness

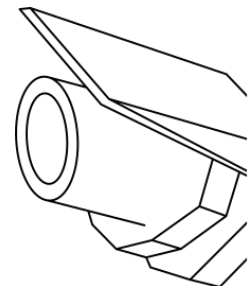
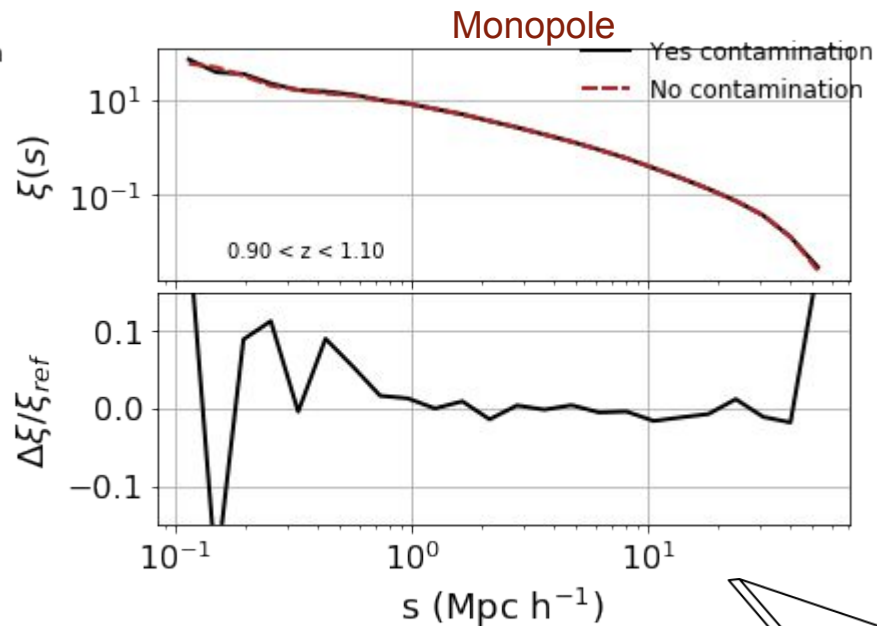
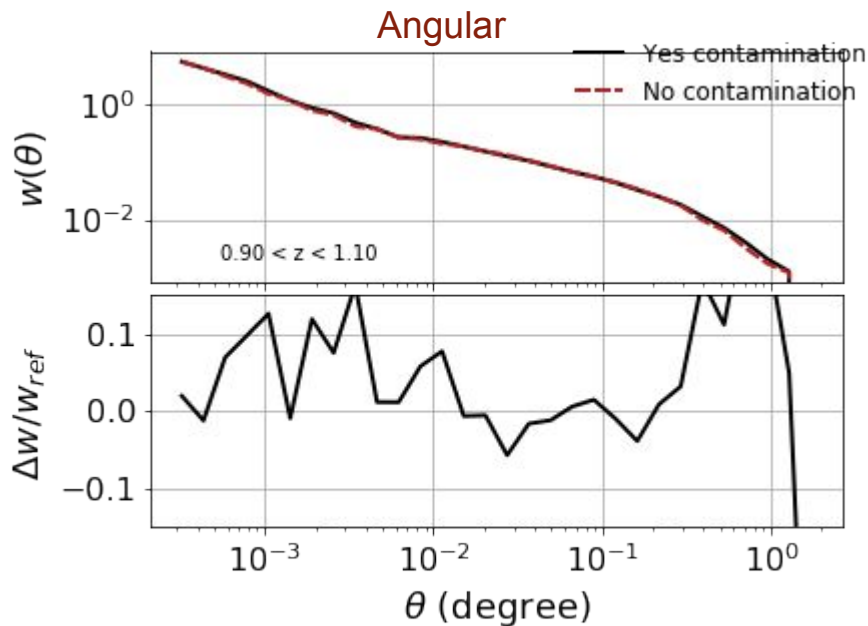


(Flux threshold bins)



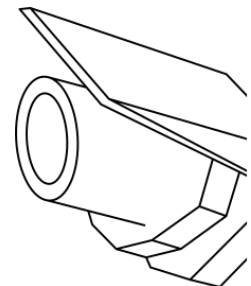
- 5 sigma detection threshold

Contamination tests: correlation function



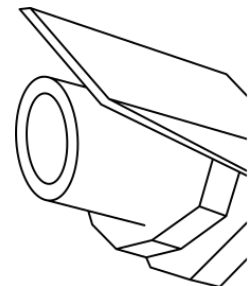
Discussion points - contamination

- Continuum contamination will come from foreground bright galaxies (stars)
H<20
- Uncorrelated with target sample $0.9 < z < 1.8$
- What about contamination with line features?
 - This could come from sources at any redshift
 - Depends on OU-SIR decontamination algorithm
 - Insufficient orientations could leave residual contamination features in stacked spectra.



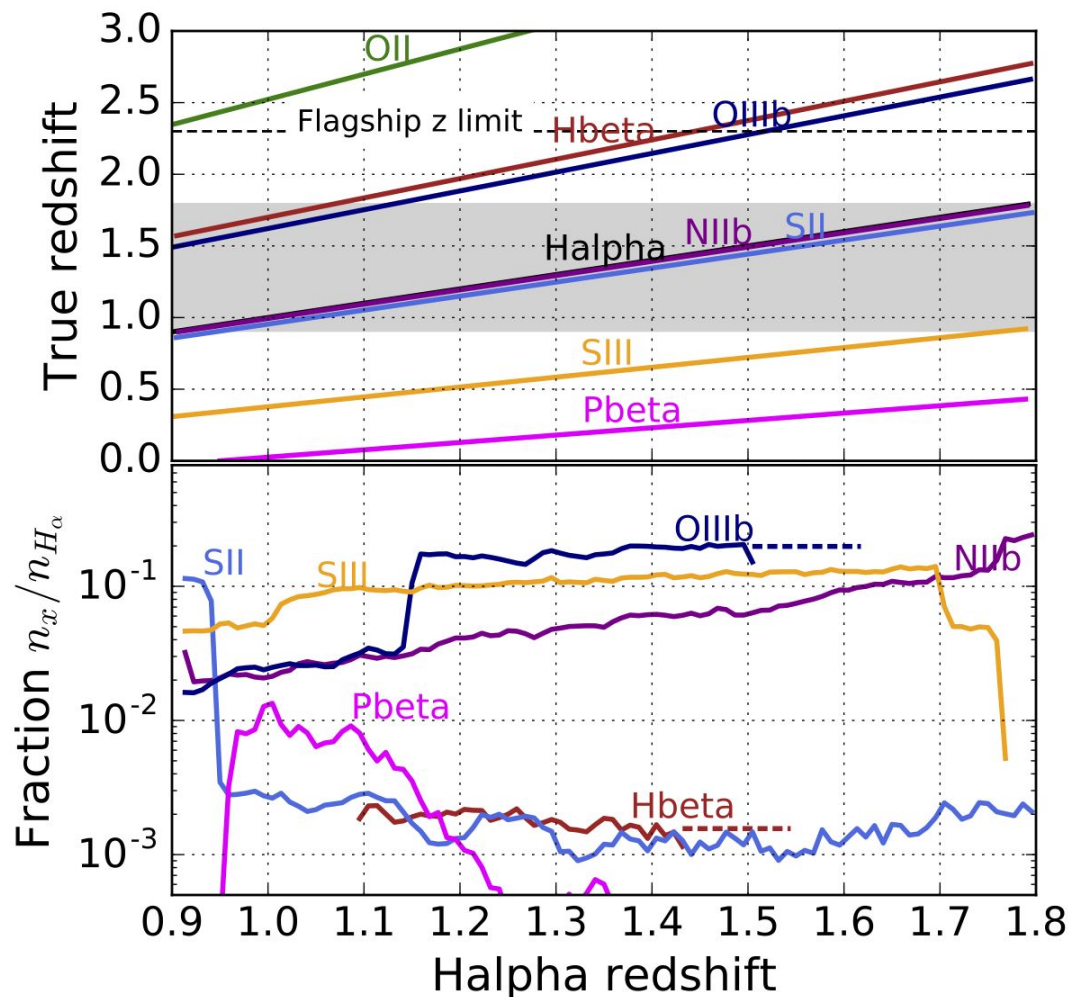
Systematics - redshift measurement error

- Pypelid models the extraction process and runs a template fitter to get a redshift measurement with error
- Includes
 - Spurious line detection
 - Line misidentification
 - Estimation of significance
 - Estimation of the false detection rate by running noise-only spectra
- Not implemented (yet)
 - Redshift priors (eg magnitude, color or size)
 - Wavelength calibration error model

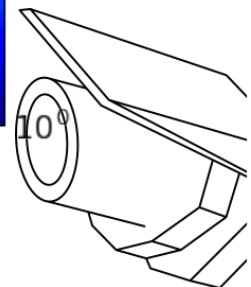
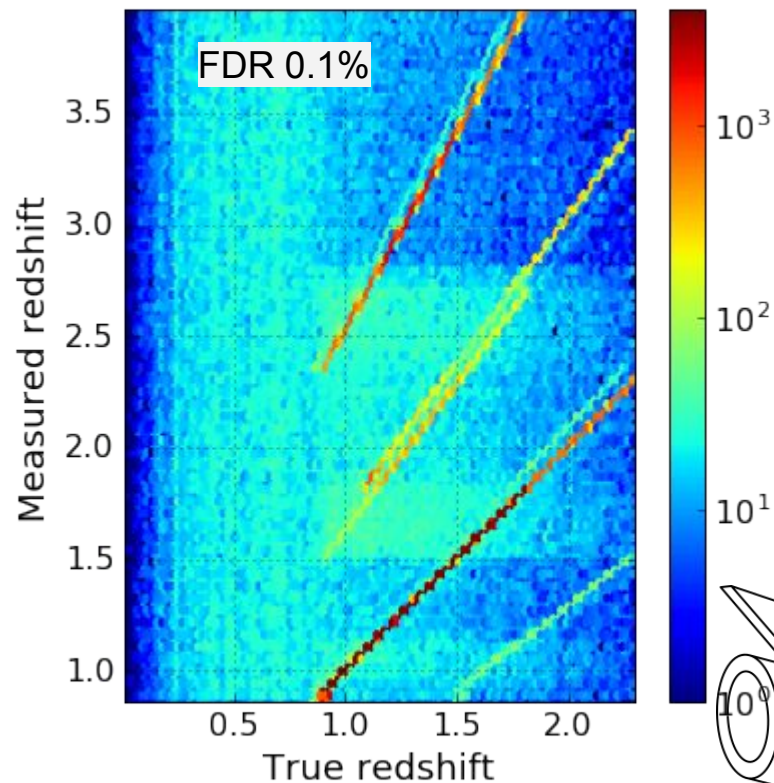
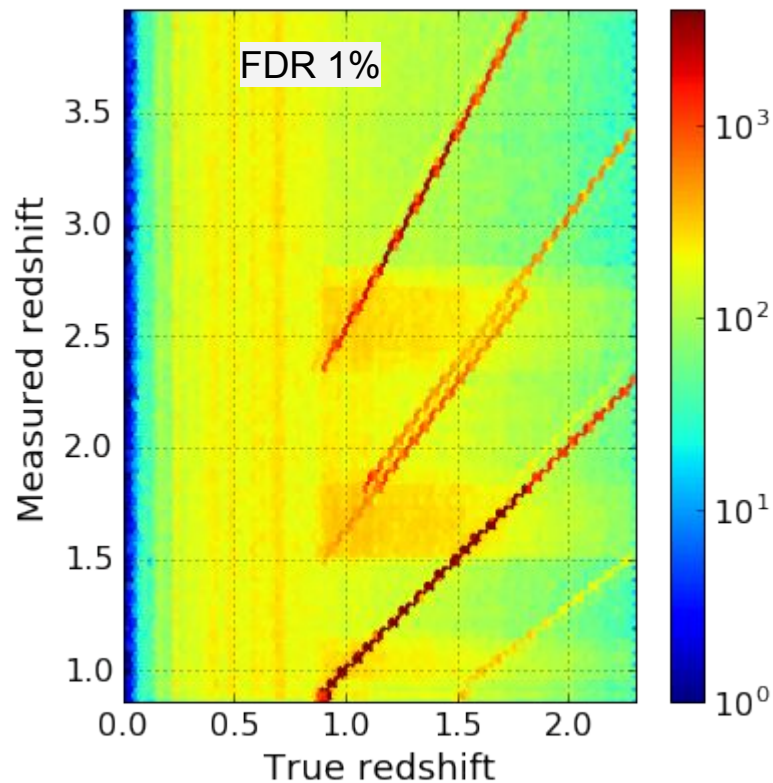


Line misidentification

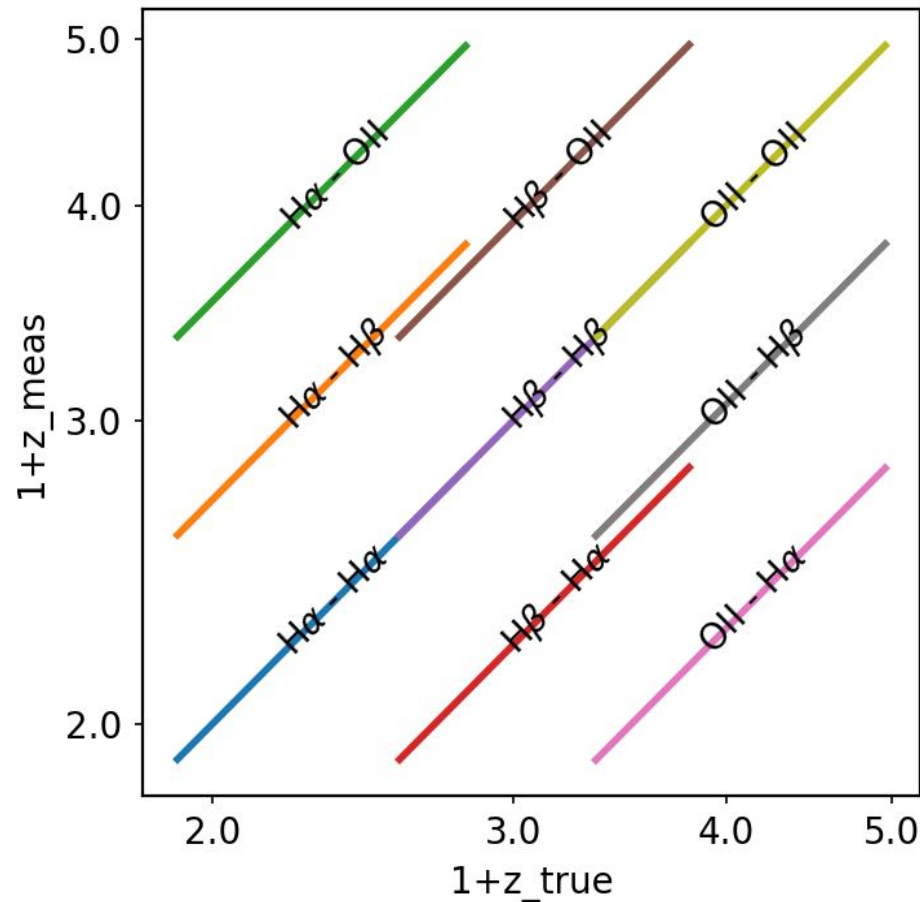
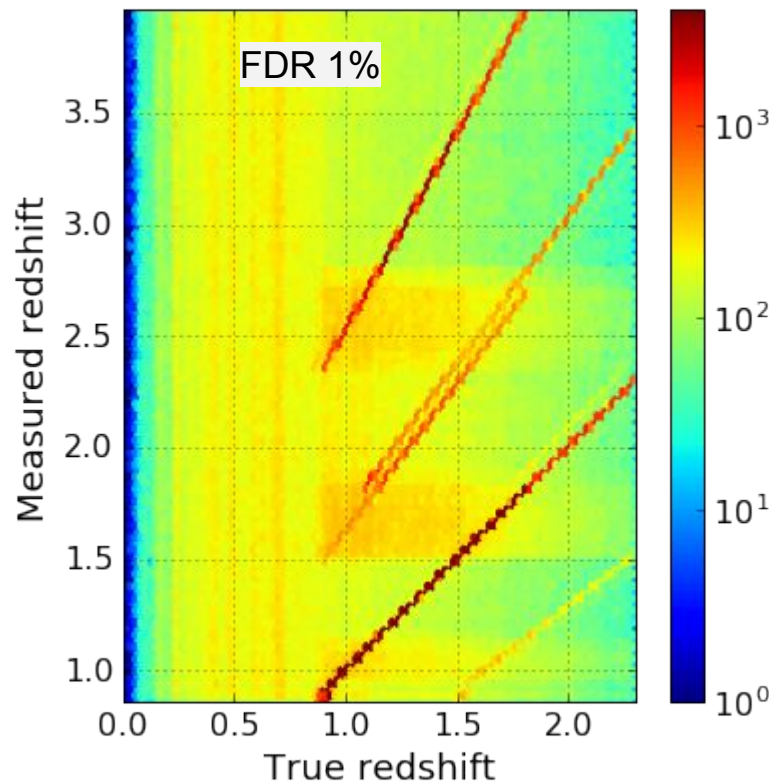
- Contamination rates estimated from Flagship populations
- Ultimately to be calibrated from the Deep survey



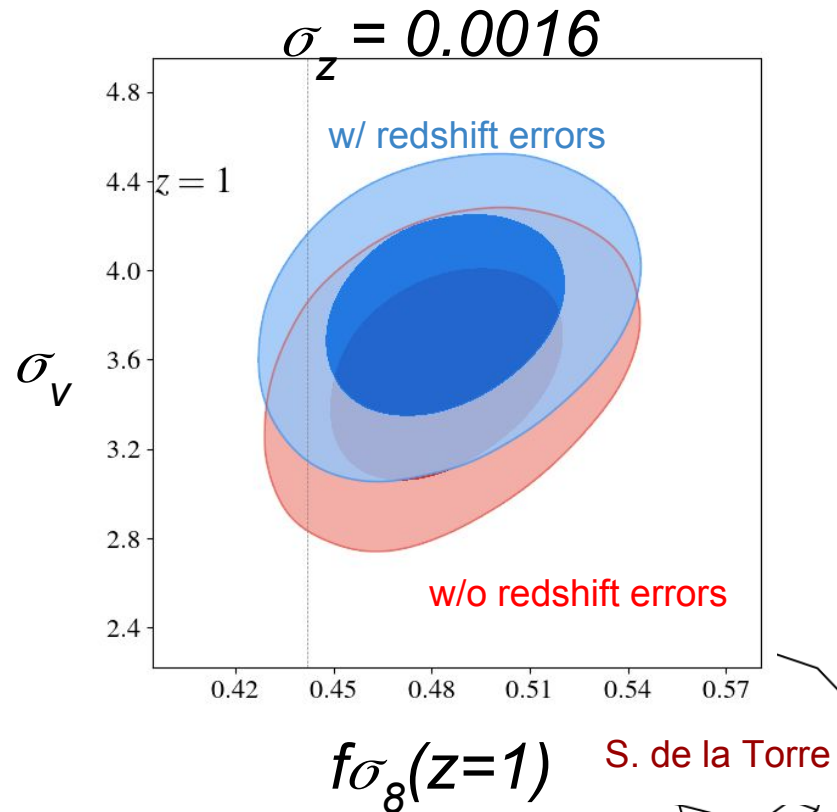
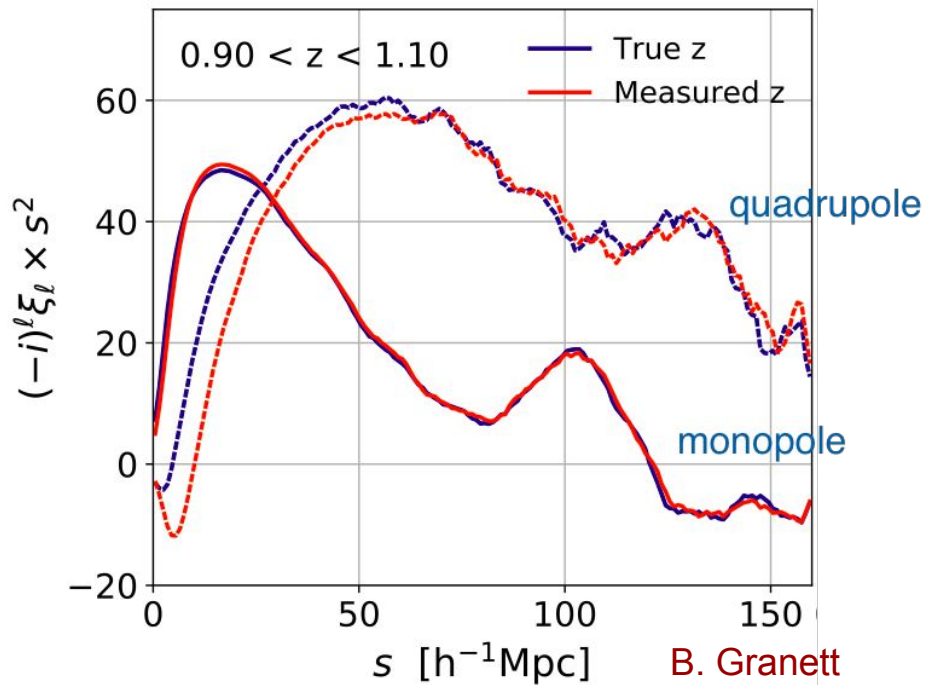
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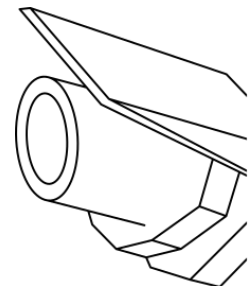


Random redshift error - RSD



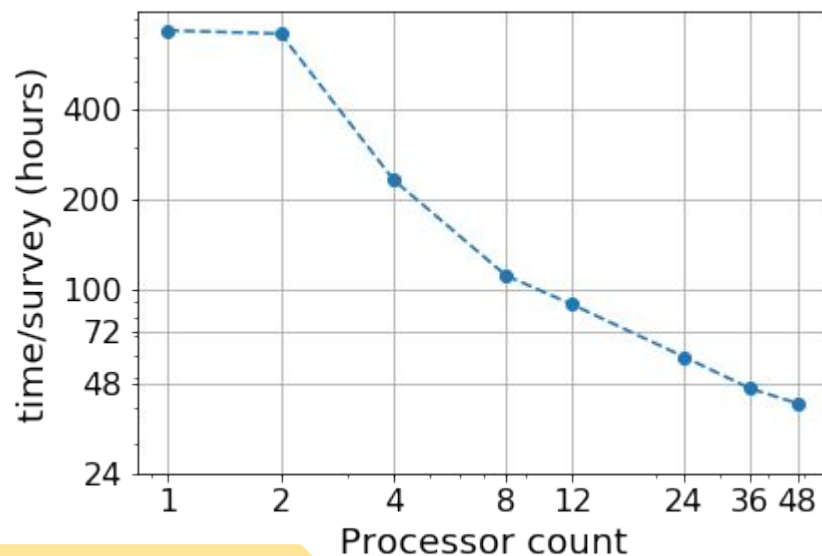
Discussion points - redshift error

- Line misidentification rates will depend strongly on the priors
 - Magnitude, color, size, ...
 - Line misidentification can be put into the model
- Best fit parameters can change with redshift error, even though we know how to model it perfectly...
 - Information is lost
 - Watch for degeneracies between redshift error and other RSD model parameters
- Correlations between redshift error, galaxy type and environment can be troublesome
 - But we have not seen a strong effect in Flagship



Pypelid performance

- Exposures processed in parallel with MPI
 - There are remaining efficiency issues
- ~100 core-days/survey



SESTO summary

- Current pixel-level simulations are limited to a few pointings
- We are developing algorithms to bypass pixels and model survey systematics at the catalog level
- *pypelid* is our fast and modular survey simulator
- With the Flagship mock we've started looking at systematics for Euclid Wide clustering analyses
 - **Tiling pattern and visibility mask**
 - **Contamination by continuum sources**
 - **Random and systematic redshift error**

A scenic landscape featuring a gravel path leading through a green field towards several wooden barns. In the background, a dense forest covers a hillside, and a prominent, rocky mountain peak rises against a clear blue sky. The text "More paving to come!" is overlaid in the center of the image.

More paving to come!