#### **HITO y RETOS**



#### From "Precision Cosmology" to "Cosmology under revision"





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**Once upon a time** ... not so long ago (from 1997 up to ~2018), there was, amongst cosmologists, a so-called *Concordance cosmological model* upon which low redshift and high redshift cosmological observations agreed ...



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K. Mack

#### Ultimate "End-to-end" test for ACDM, Predict and Measure H<sub>0</sub>

#### Standard Model: (Vanilla) $\Lambda$ CDM, 6 parameters + ansatz (w, N<sub>eff</sub>, $\Omega_{K}$ , etc)



Silde from A. Riess (July 2019)





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*Planck* 2018



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 $(3-5 \sigma, \text{tension} \rightarrow \textbf{problem, crisis?})$ 

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$$r_s(\eta) = \int_0^{\eta} d\eta' c_s = \int_0^{\eta} d\eta' \frac{1}{\sqrt{3(1+R)}}$$

$$R = (p_b + \rho_b)/(p_\gamma + \rho_\gamma) \approx 3\rho_b/4\rho_\gamma$$

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#### Pros:

- Weak dependence of sound horizon on (well known) cosmological parameters,
- Measurements based upon a model that is relatively *simple* (linear order in perturbation theory) for CMB, mildly-non linear for LSS measurements
  Different probes (CMB and LSS) having very different (potential) systematics yield H<sub>0</sub> estimates in excellent agreement

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#### **Pros:**

- These are, for SNIa and Surface Brightness Fluctuation-based estimates, *direct* measurements of H<sub>0</sub> that are *model independent*
- Lensing measurements, maser-based H<sub>0</sub> measurements,, and SNIa-based estimates, are all un-correlated, independent measurements of H<sub>0</sub>.

#### Cons:

- Measurements based on complex, highly non-linear systems (Cepheids, SNIa, clusters of galaxies) whose calibration are obtained empirically (more room for systematics)
- Results from the CCHP collaboration on the TRGB significantly off from those of SH0ES: evidence for hidden systematics?



V. Bonvin, for Verde, Tommaso, & Riess 2019

#### Possible solutions to this puzzle:

- Systematics in CMB observations: unlikely, provided different CMB experiments beyond Planck (like SPT, ACT) are providing very similar measurements of H<sub>0</sub>
- New physics! : Emerging Dark Energy (EDE), Interacting Dark Energy, Übergravity, decaying Dark Matter, Rock 'n Roll models (RnR), Vacuum Dynamics, what not! – yet to be seen whether they can satisfy, some of them (EDE, RnR) already discarded ...
- Systematics in the direct H<sub>0</sub> measurements ...









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## Other (weaker) sources of tension ... (at $2 - 3 \sigma$ )

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#### CMB 2-point function <a<sub>I,m</sub> a<sub>I,m</sub>\*> = C<sub>/</sub>(angular power spectrum)



 $A_L = 1$  is what our theory predicts ...

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### CMB gravitational lensing + lensing shear from KiDs & CFHTLenS

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If CMB lensing were *more efficient* than what we predict, the 3σ tension with galaxy lensing shear would be alleviated

Di Valentino & Bridle 19

#### And finally, if we look at *Planck* 2018 only ...

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This would solve the problem with the lensing amplitude/efficiency and other internal anomalies in *Planck* data (low quadrupole, alignment of low / multipoles, etc)

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But it falls apart with **all** other cosmological observations at lower redshifts!

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Can this be a fluke/result of chance??

#### Cosmic Discordance: Planck and luminosity distance data exclude LCDM.

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We show that a combined analysis of CMB anisotropy power spectra obtained by the Planck satellite and luminosity distance data simultaneously excludes a flat universe and a cosmological constant at 99% C.L.. These results hold separately when combining Planck with three different datasets: the two determinations of the Hubble constant from Riess et al. 2019 and Freedman et al. 2020, and the Pantheon catalog of high redshift supernovae type-Ia. We conclude that either LCDM needs to be replaced by a drastically different model, or else there are significant but still undetected systematics. Our result calls for new observations and stimulates the investigation of alternative theoretical models and solutions.

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#### Looking at the future ...





#### CMB:

ACTPol SPTPol LiteBird Future ESA space CMB mission (?)

#### LSS:

Euclid DESI Vera Rubin J-PAS SphereX SKA







