

The Renormalization Group for LSS

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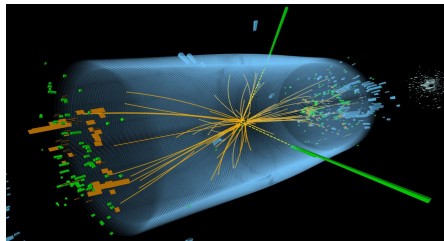
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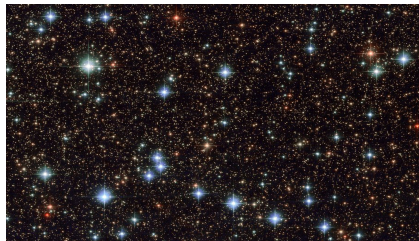
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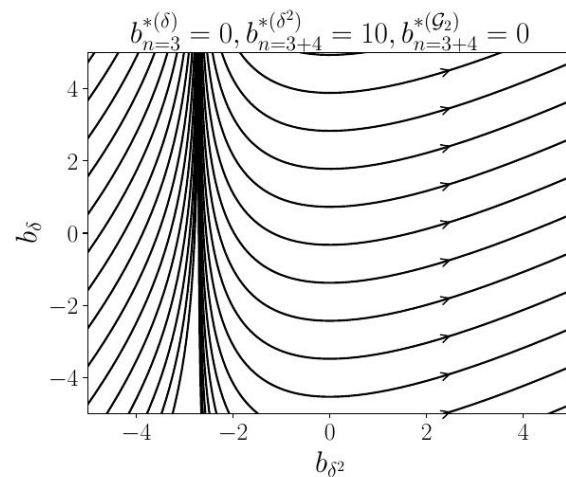
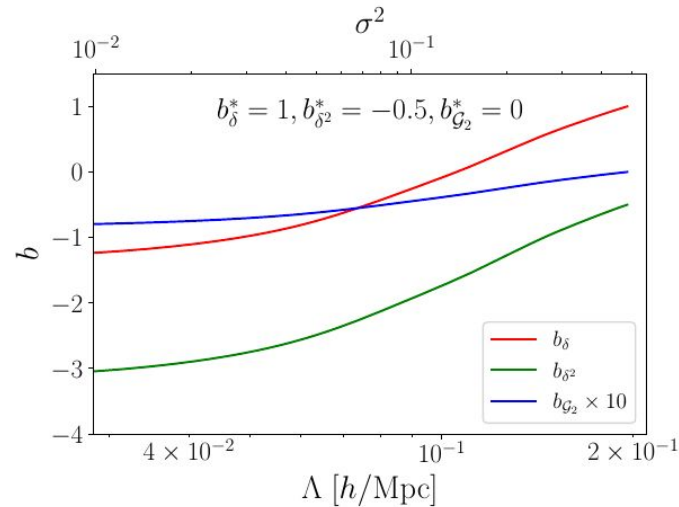
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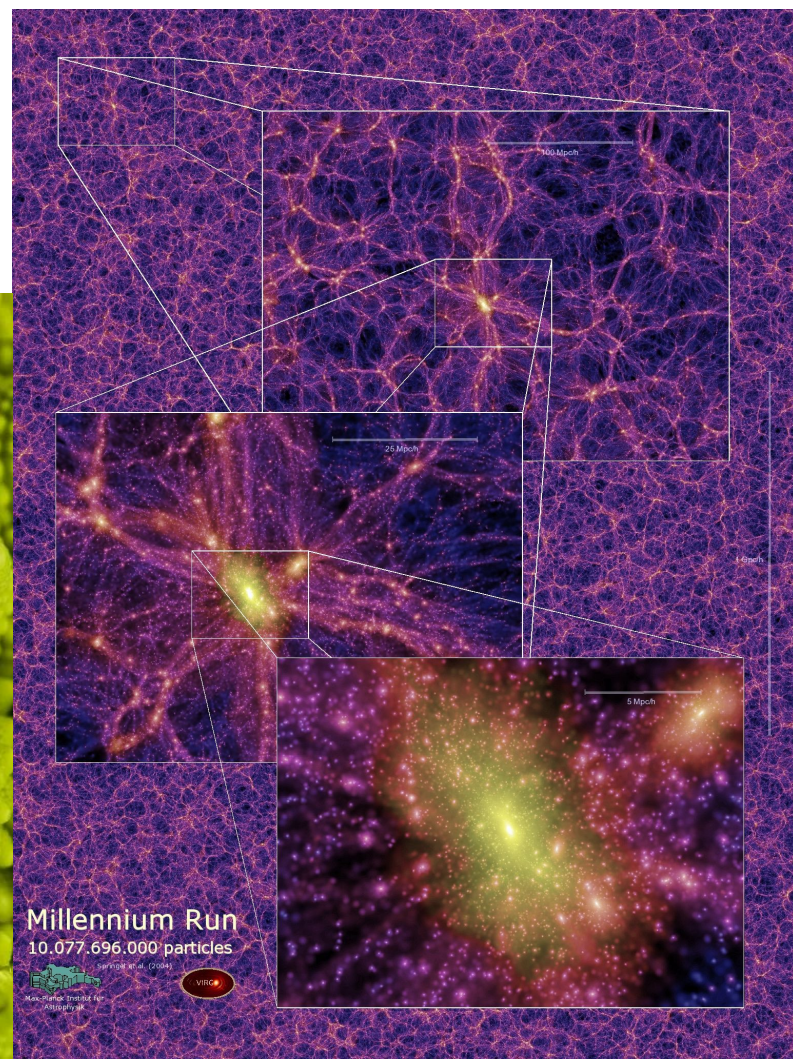
Many things to explore:

- Systematic construction of operator basis,
- Systematic renormalization,
- Cross-checks,
- More information from galaxy clustering (TBD)



Part I - Preamble

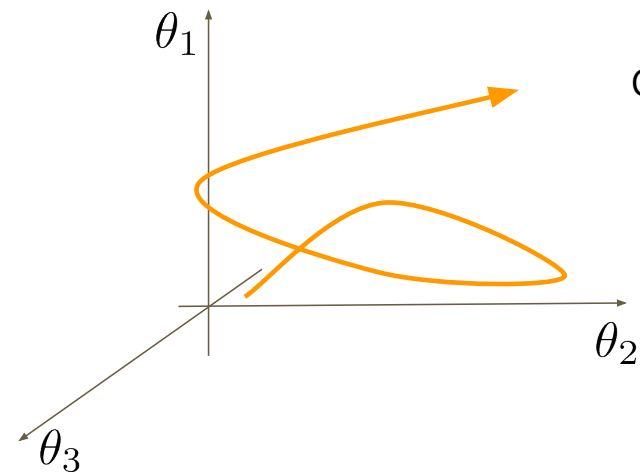
How things change with scale? (from food to galaxies)



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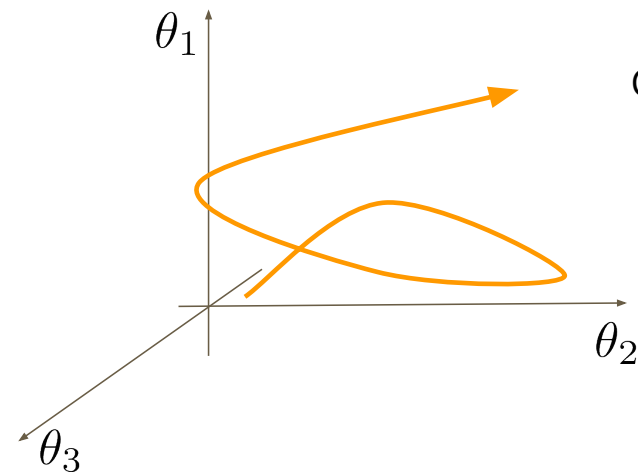
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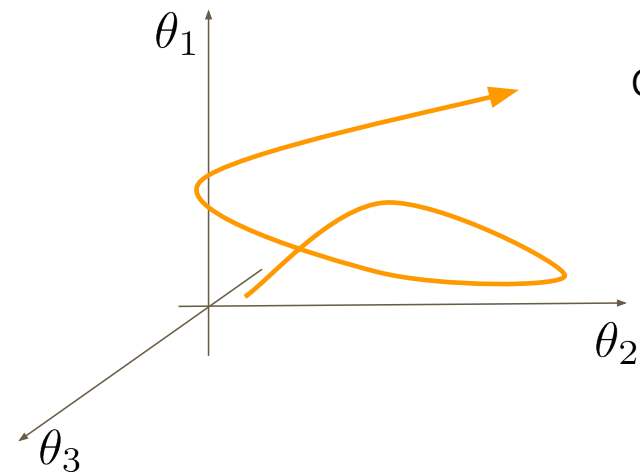
$$\frac{\sigma_{2L}}{\sigma_{\text{tree}}} = \alpha^2 [c^{(2,2)} \ln^2 + c^{(2,1)} \ln^1 + c^{(2,0)} \ln^0]$$

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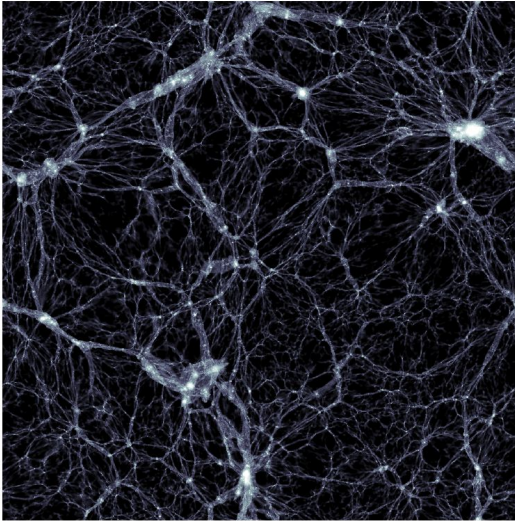
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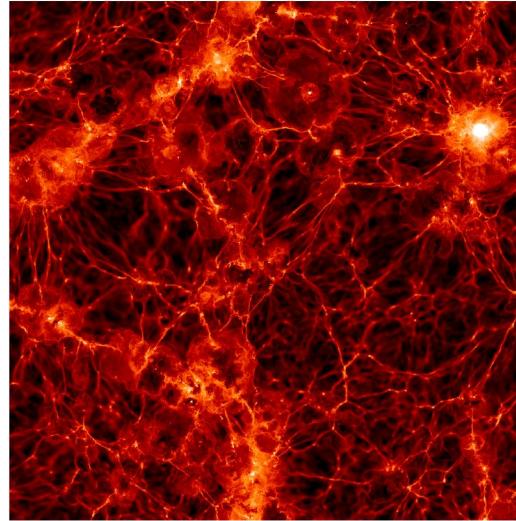
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	LL (1loop RG)	NLL (2loop RG)	N ² LL (3loop RG)
$\frac{\sigma_{\text{tree}}}{\sigma_{\text{tree}}} = \alpha^0$	$c^{(0,0)} \ln^0$		
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\vdots	\vdots	\vdots	\vdots

The galaxy bias expansion



(a) dark matter



(b) baryons

From Illustris simulation,
Haiden, Steinhauser, Vogelsberger,
Genel, Springel, Torrey, Hernquist, 15

Stochastic field

$$\delta_g(\mathbf{x}, \tau) \equiv \frac{n_g(\mathbf{x}, \tau)}{\bar{n}_g(\tau)} - 1 = \sum_O \left[b_O(\tau) + c_{\epsilon, O}(\tau) \epsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) \right] O(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \epsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau)$$

Bias

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Notation:

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1. Introduction

The understanding of renormalization has advanced greatly in the past two decades. Originally it was just a means of removing infinities from perturbative calculations. The question of why nature should be described by a renormalizable theory was not addressed. These were simply the only theories in which calculations could be done.

A great improvement comes when one takes seriously the idea of a physical cutoff at a very large energy scale Λ . The theory at energies above Λ could be another field

In a nutshell: instead of simply removing the cutoff dependence, allow for the operators to depend on the cutoff

Motivation (for different tastes)

Lattice person: "At field level you smooth out over your cutoff and those bias parameters have to be defined at a fixed scale!"

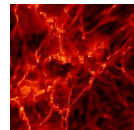
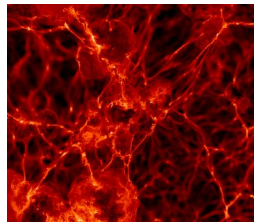
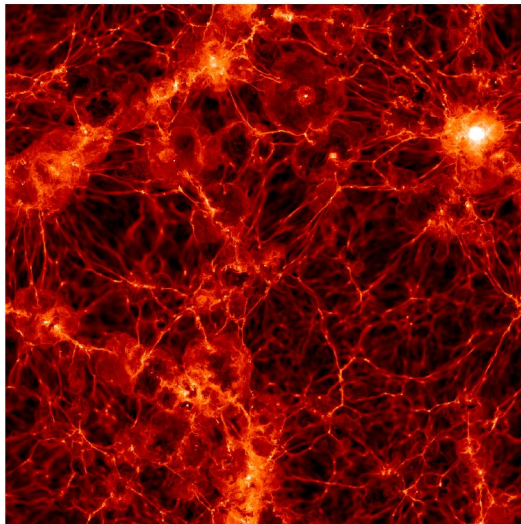
HEP person: "Everything is an EFTs and RG-flow is the next thing to do. "

Cosmo-MCMC person: "How can we be sure we are not messing up with the priors in my EFT analysis? Maybe extract more information..."

EFT-complainer: "You have a bunch of free parameters. How can you trust them?"

Intuition time

Smooth simulations (initial conditions) at different Λ and measure b_O



Part II - The RG equations

Warning (and apologies in advance):
next 3 slides will be technical

From Λ -independence to bias running

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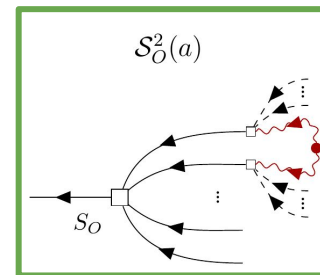
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$s_{O'}$	δ	δ^2	\mathcal{G}_2	δ^3	\mathcal{G}_3	Γ_3	$\delta\mathcal{G}_2$
$\mathbb{1}$	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
δ	-	68/21	-	3	-	-	-4/3
δ^2	-	8126/2205	-	68/7	-	-	-376/105
\mathcal{G}_2	-	254/2205	-	-	-	-	116/105

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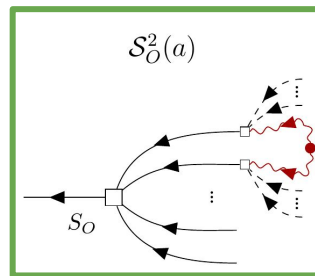
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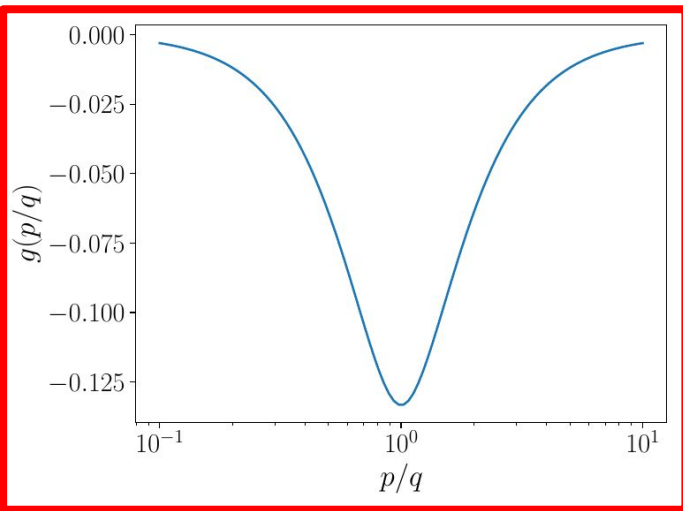


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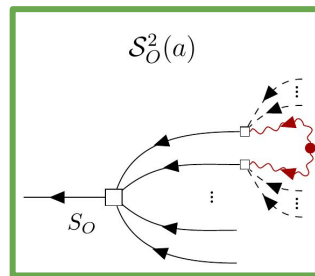
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a	$\frac{1}{e_{ab}^{(5)}} \frac{d e_{ab}^{(5)}}{d\Lambda}$	$\frac{d^{(5)}}{d\Lambda}$	$\frac{d^{(5)}}{d\Lambda}$
$\text{tr}[\Pi^{[1]}]$	0	0	0
$\frac{\text{tr}[(\Pi^{[1]})^2]}{(\text{tr}[\Pi^{[1]}])^2}$	$\frac{68}{63}$	$\frac{862}{1575}$	$\frac{376}{6615}$
$\frac{(\text{tr}[\Pi^{[1]})^4]}{\text{tr}[(\Pi^{[1]})^2] \text{tr}[\Pi^{[1]}]}$	$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{70749}{2917}$	$\frac{4}{716}$
$\frac{\text{tr}[(\Pi^{[1]})^5]}{\text{tr}[\Pi^{[1]}] \text{tr}[(\Pi^{[1]})^2]}$	$\frac{1}{41}$	$\frac{24071}{134057}$	$\frac{2207}{148}$
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Part IV - The One-loop RG results

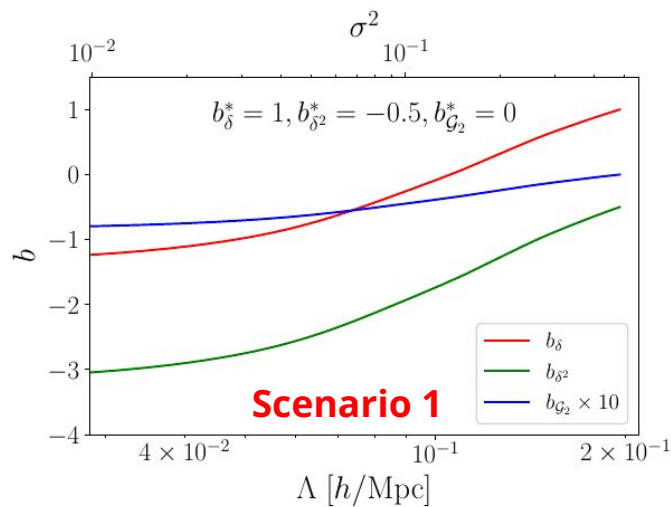
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Solutions

Wilson-Polchinski RG-equations

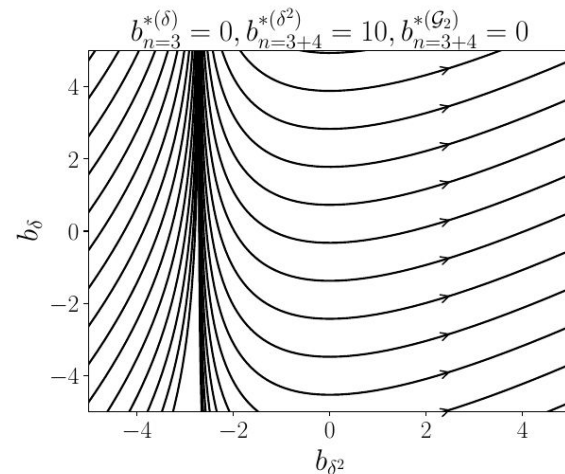
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Notice that:

- Bias parameter that are zero, may be sourced;
- Bias parameters may change sign!



Resumming terms with the RG equations

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1Loop RG eq.

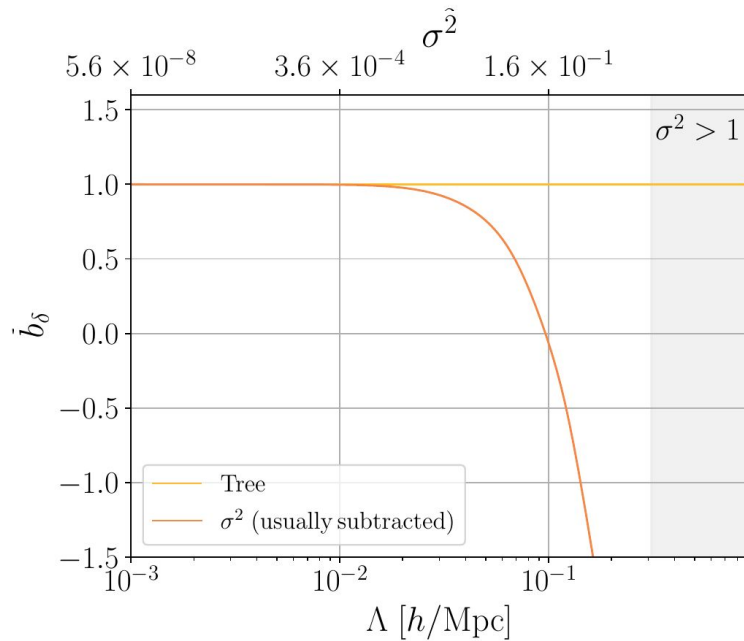
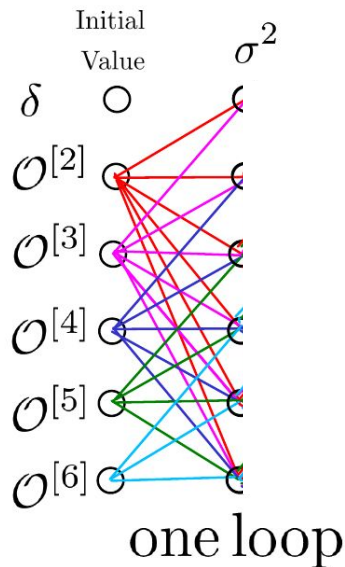
$$\frac{db_a}{d\sigma^2} = -\bar{s}_{ac}^{1L} b_c$$

Solution

$$b_a(\sigma^2)$$

$$= b_a^* - (\sigma^2 - \sigma_*^2) \bar{s}_{ac}^{1L} b_c^*$$

Assassi et al, 14



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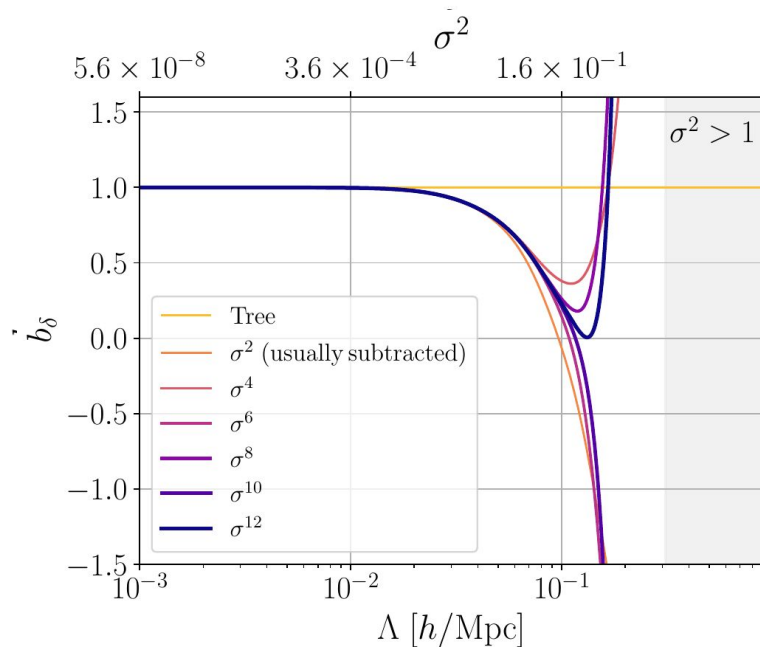
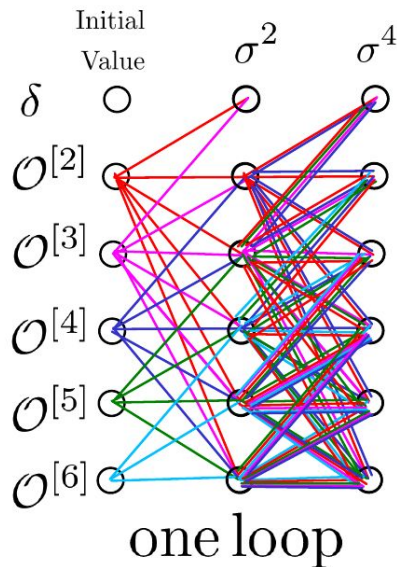
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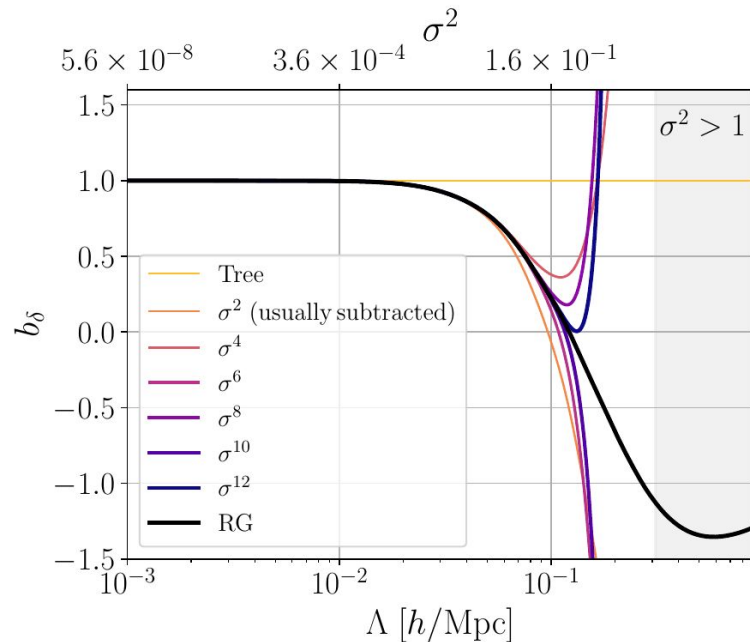
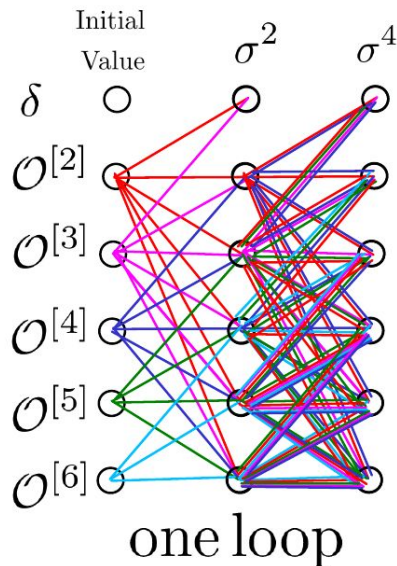
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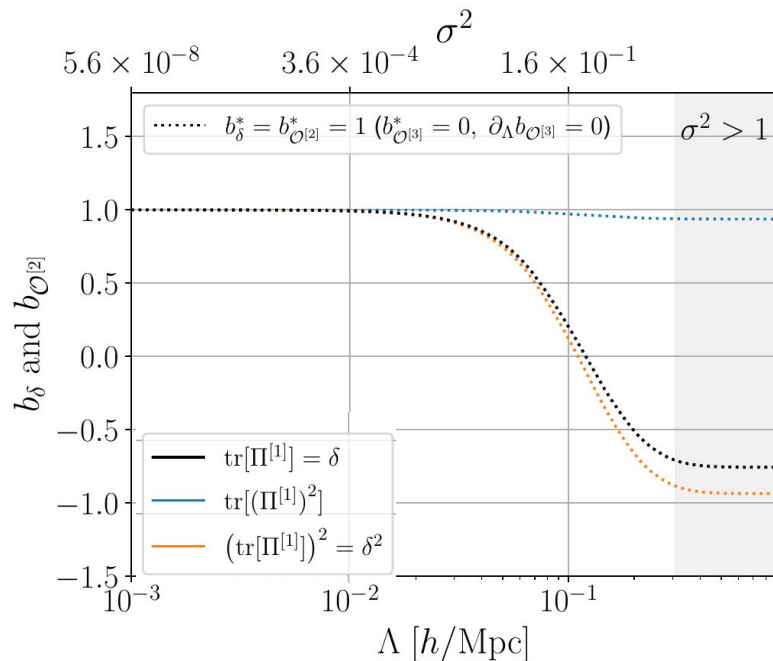
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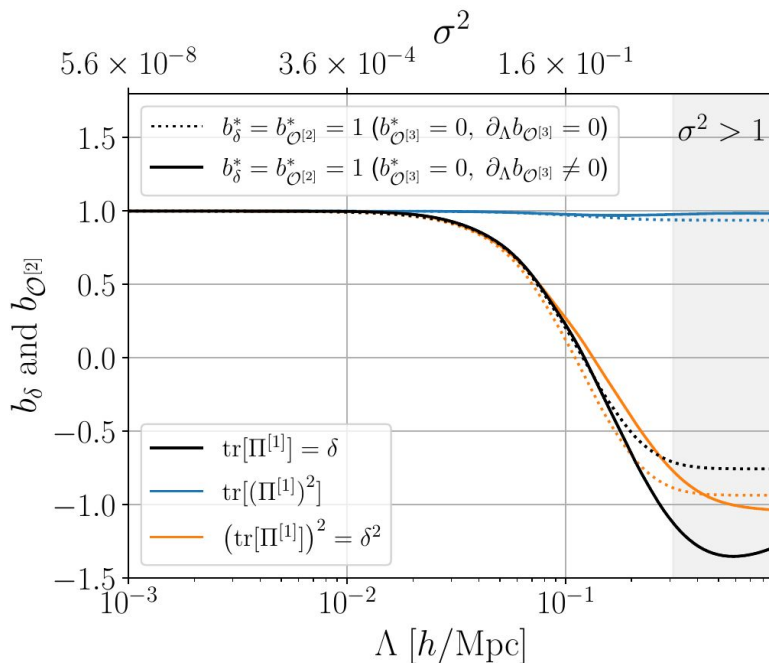
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Extending to third-order:

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Irrelevant

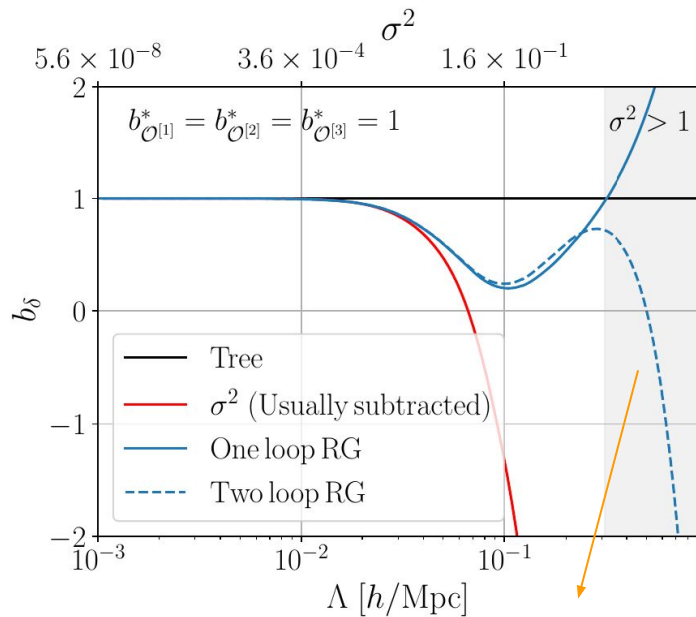
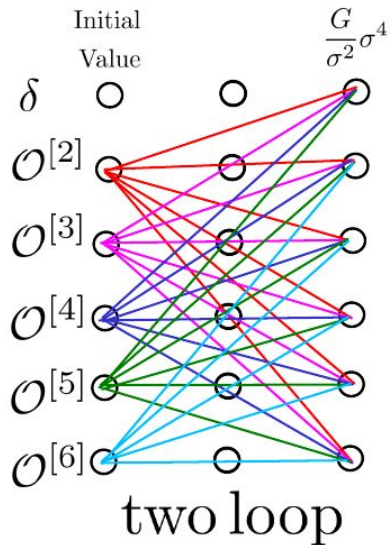


Caution to interpret:
what happens if we go to higher order? TBD

Part III - The Two-loop RG

Bakx, Garny, **HR**, Vlah

Two-loop RG



Small corrections compared to the one-loop

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$$\frac{db_\delta}{d \ln \Lambda} = - \left[\sum_{c \in \mathcal{O}^{[2]}} s_{c\delta}^{1L} b_c + \sum_{c \in \mathcal{O}^{[3]}} s_{c\delta}^{1L} b_c \right] \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d \ln \Lambda} - \sum_{c \in \text{all}} \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d \ln \Lambda} \int_0^\Lambda \frac{d\Lambda'}{\Lambda'} \frac{d\sigma_{\Lambda'}^2}{d \ln \Lambda'} [s_{c\delta}^{2L}(\Lambda'/\Lambda) - s_{c\delta}^{2L}(0)] b_c$$

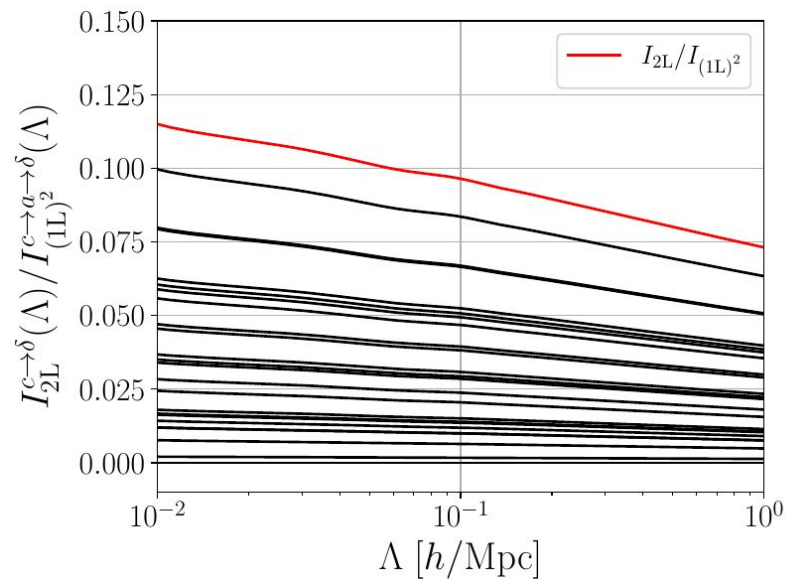
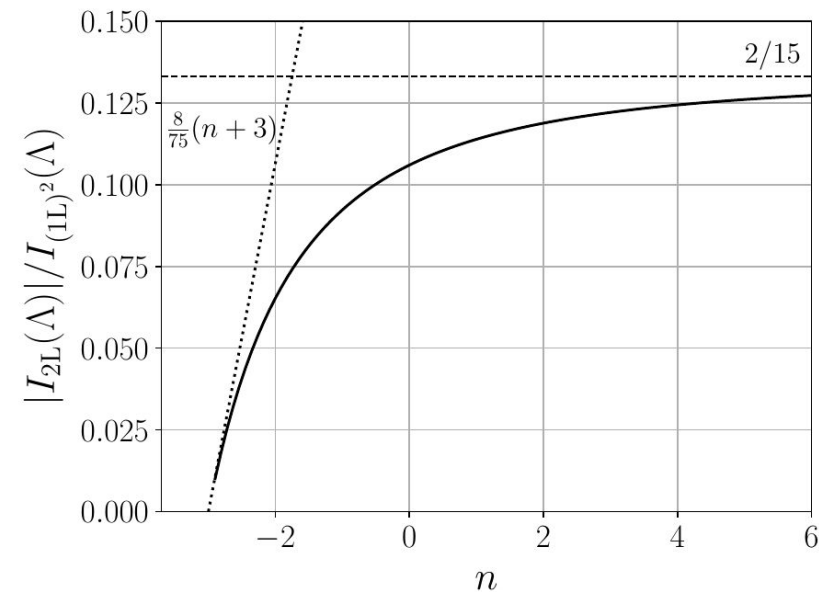
So... The 2Loop is small. Why should you care?

- Good news: 1Loop RG takes care of most of the information
- It is not just small, it is **PARAMETRICALLY** small as $n \rightarrow -3$

Power law

Ratio 2Loop over 1Loop squared

ΛCDM



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Part IV - PNG and Stochasticity

PNGs

Free term

$$\frac{db_\delta}{d\Lambda} = - \left[\frac{68}{21} b_{\delta^2}(\Lambda) + b_{n=3}^{*\{\delta\}_G} \right] \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d\Lambda}$$

New interaction

$$- a_0 f_{\text{NL}} \left[-\frac{13}{21} b_\Psi + \frac{13}{21} b_{\Psi\delta} + b_{n=3}^{*\{\delta\}_{\text{NG}}} \right] \left(\frac{H_0}{\Lambda} \right)^2 \frac{3 \Omega_m}{2 T(\Lambda)} \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d\Lambda};$$

Now a coupled set of ODEs

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{db_\Psi}{d\Lambda} &= -a_0 f_{\text{NL}} b_{n=3}^{*\{\Psi\}_{\text{NG}}} \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d\Lambda} - 4a_0 f_{\text{NL}} b_{\delta^2} \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d\Lambda}, \\ \frac{db_{\Psi\delta}}{d\Lambda} &= -a_0 f_{\text{NL}} \left[\frac{272}{21} b_{\delta^2} + b_{n=3+4}^{*\{\Psi\delta\}_G} + b_{n=3+4}^{*\{\Psi\delta\}_{\text{NG}}} \right] \frac{d\sigma_\Lambda^2}{d\Lambda}, \end{aligned}$$

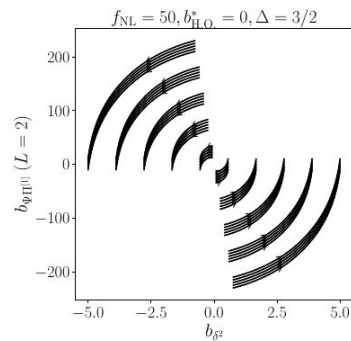
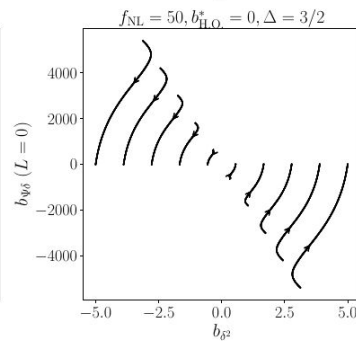
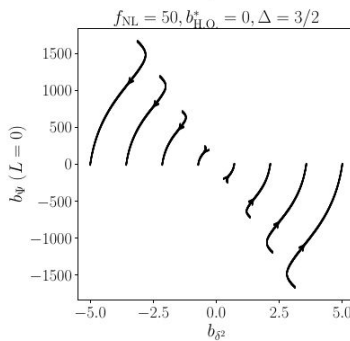
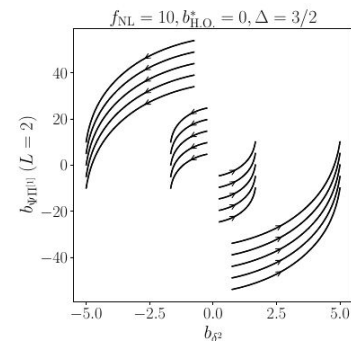
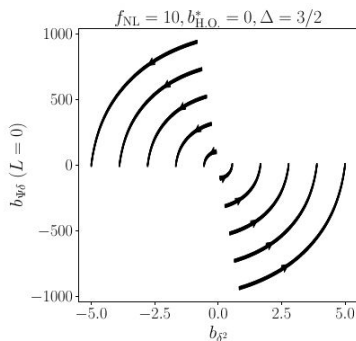
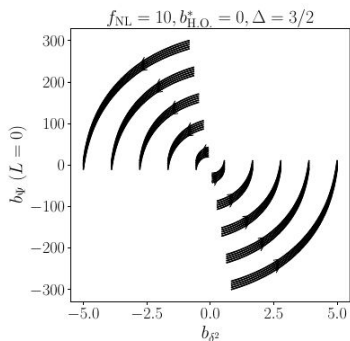
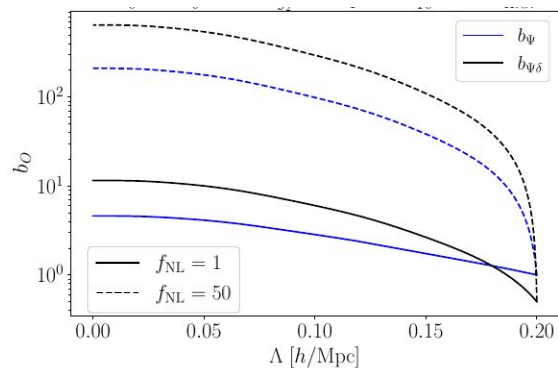
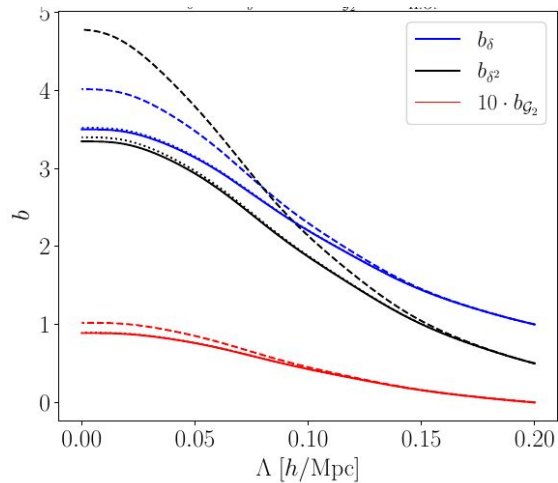
Rederivation of Dalal+ 07 (in an elegant way)

$s_{\mathcal{O}}^{\mathcal{O}}$	δ^2	δ^3	$\delta\mathcal{G}_2$	Ψ	$\Psi\delta$	$\Psi\delta^2$	$\Psi\mathcal{G}_2$	$\text{Tr } \Psi\Pi^{[1]}$	$\delta \text{Tr } \Psi\Pi^{[1]}$	$\text{Tr } \Psi\Pi^{[2]}$
δ	68/21	3	-4/3	-13/21	13/21	2	-4/3	34/21	1	34/21
δ^2	8126/2205	68/7	-376/105	43/135	478/135	47/21	-31/21	124/315	178/105	14347/6027
\mathcal{G}_2	254/2205	-	116/105	-1699/13230	79/2205	-	-1/21	-661/4410	4/35	-241/735
Ψ	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
$\delta\Psi$	272/21	12	-8/3	-	-	68/21	-	-	-	-
$\text{Tr } \Psi\Pi^{[1]}$	64/105	-	16/15	-	-	-	-	-	8/105	58/305

Nikolis, HR, Schmidt



PNGs



Stochasticity

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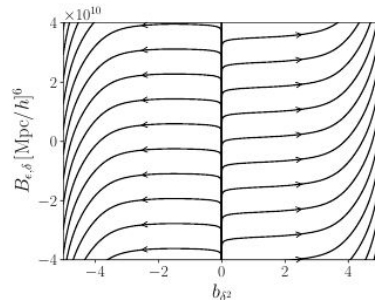
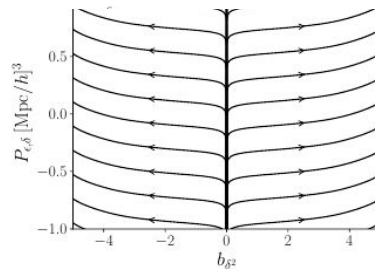
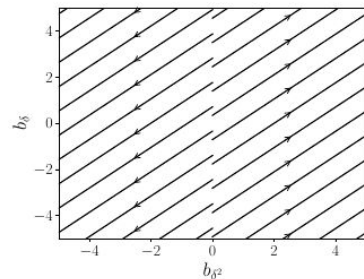
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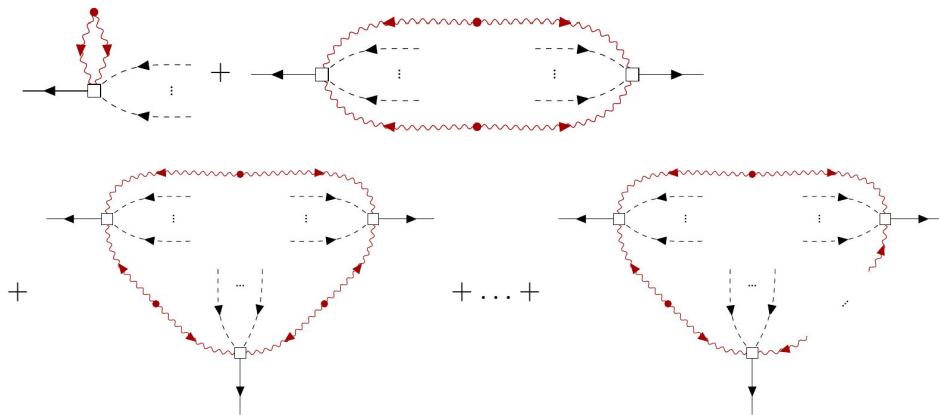
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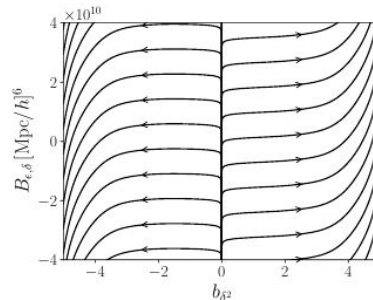
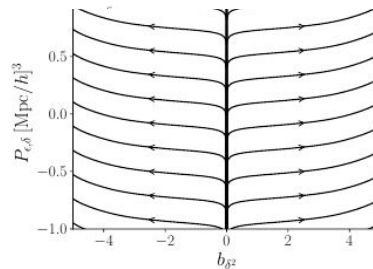
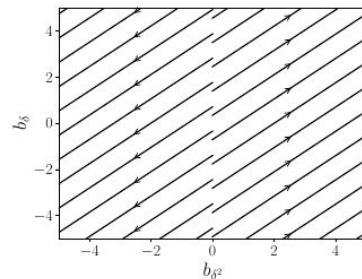
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Simple
diagrammatic
interpretation



Part IV - Final remarks

How to relate the renormalization schemes?

N-point function renormalized bias
(Assassi, Baumann, Green, Zaldarriaga)

Finite cutoff bias
(This work)

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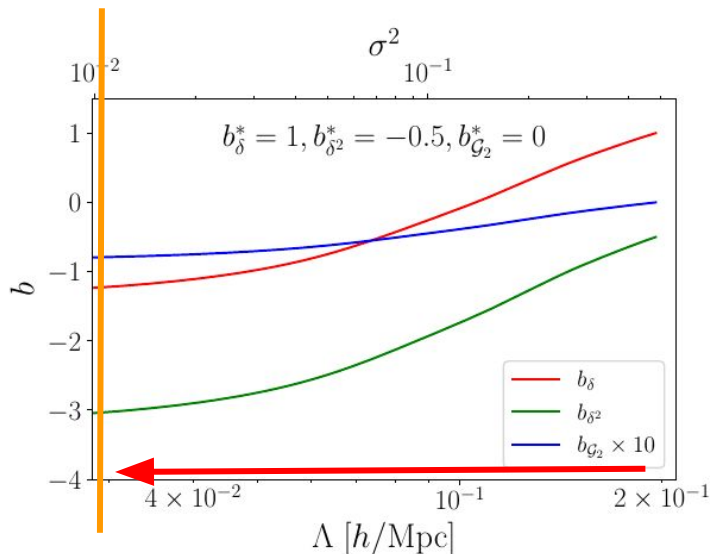
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Separate Universe

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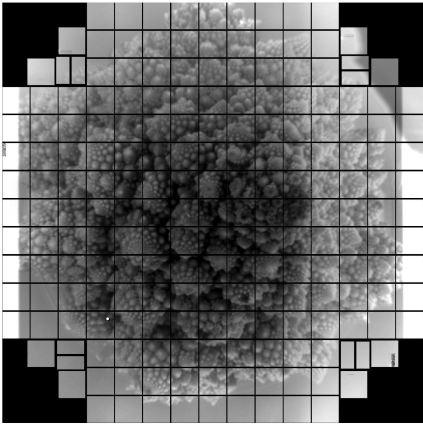
Solution: Run the bias
towards

$$\Lambda \rightarrow 0$$

HR, Schmidt 23

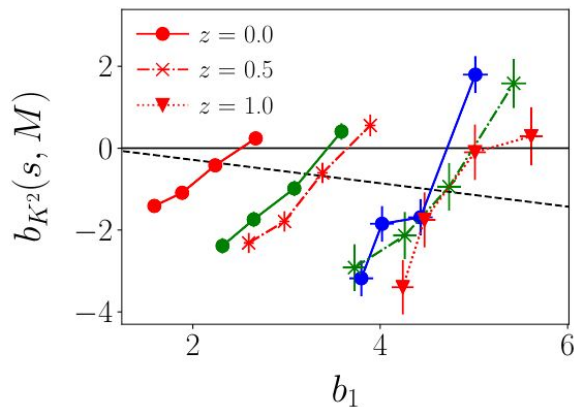
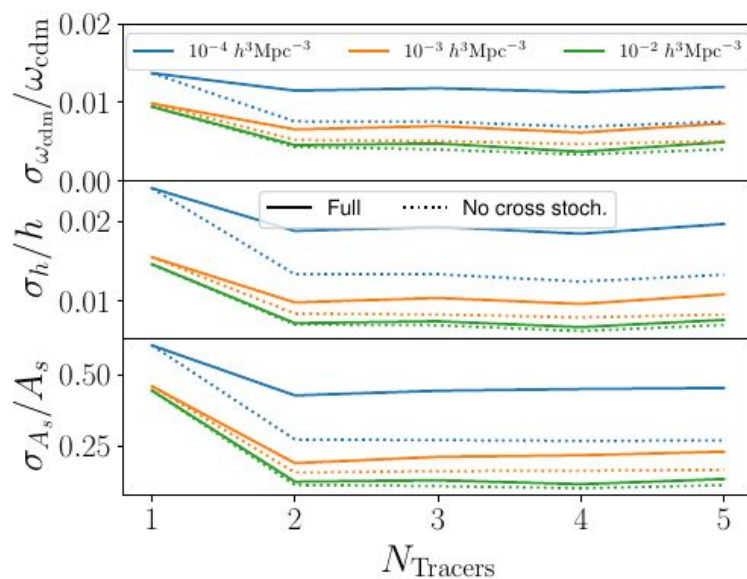
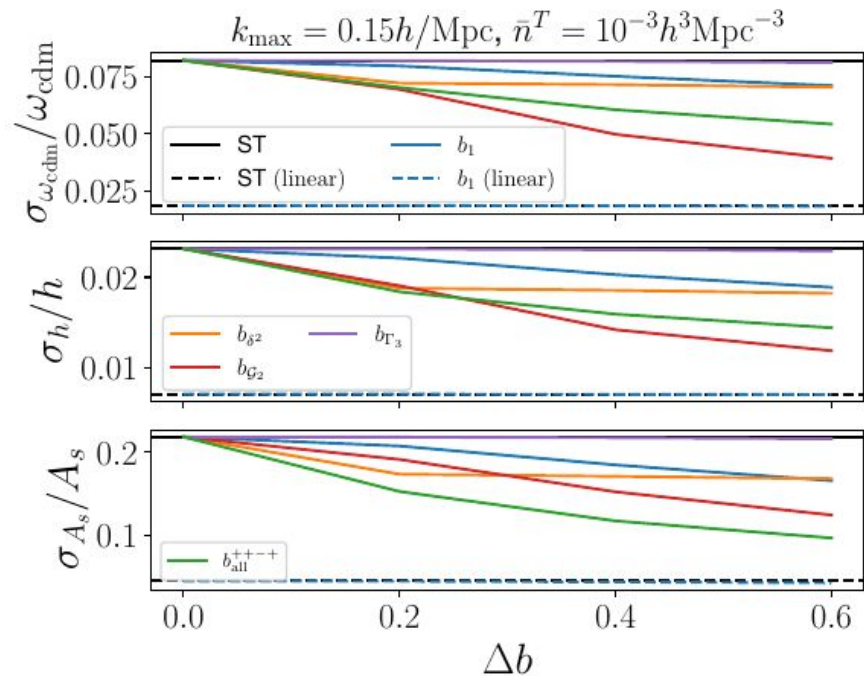
Why you should care

- Cross-check for EFT inference;
- Systematic renormalization (+ stochastic +PNG);
- Systematic renormalization of n-point functions.
Self-consistent renormalization for $P(k)$,
 $B(k_1, k_2, k_3)$, ...
- (Unambiguously) Define Priors for EFT analysis in $\Lambda \rightarrow 0$
- More information from resummation? TBD!



First images of Rubin

Multi-tracer



Lazeyras,
Barreira,
Schmidt

HR, Conteddu, see also:
Mergulhão, HR, Voivodic 23
Mergulhão, HR, Voivodic, Abramo



Thanks a lot!