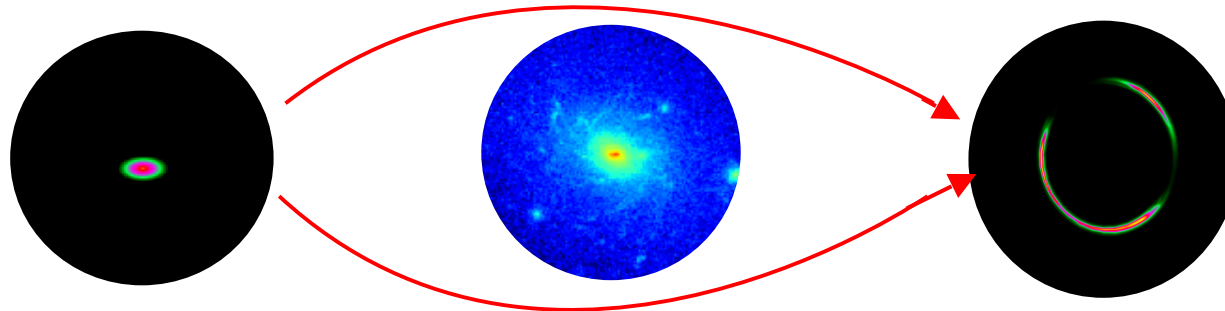


# SEAGLE I & II : Constraining galaxy evolution scenarios from **S**trong lens simulations with **EAGLE**



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# How many strong lenses do we need and why ?

I. If we want to achieve 1% error on mass slopes we require 50+ lenses per parameter-voxel (e.g. **Barnabe et al. 2011**).

II. If we want to reach 0.1% in the mass fraction in substructure needs 50+ lens system with extended images (e.g. **Vegetti & Koopmans 2009**)

Probing a wide range of masses, environments and galaxy types requires  $10^{(4-5)}$  lenses to beat sample variance, noise & biases.

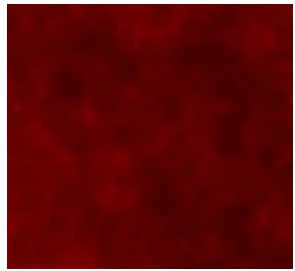
## Why do I want to simulate so many strong lenses ?

1. Galaxy structure and evolution as function of mass, redshift and type: DM & Stellar mass profiles.

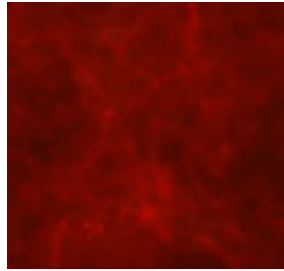
2. Setting constraints on galaxy evolution scenarios by simulating real strong lenses from model variations of EAGLE.

3. To predict future Lenses from KiDs, Euclid and SKA.

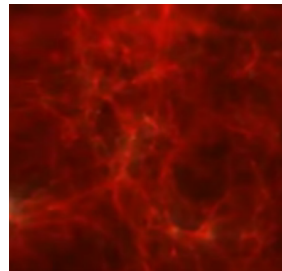
# Evolution and Assembly of GaLaxies and their Environments (EAGLE)



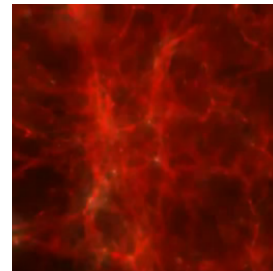
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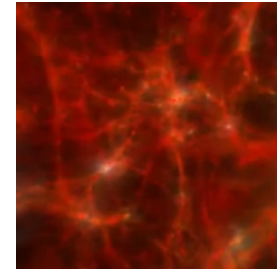
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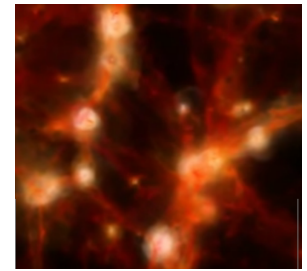
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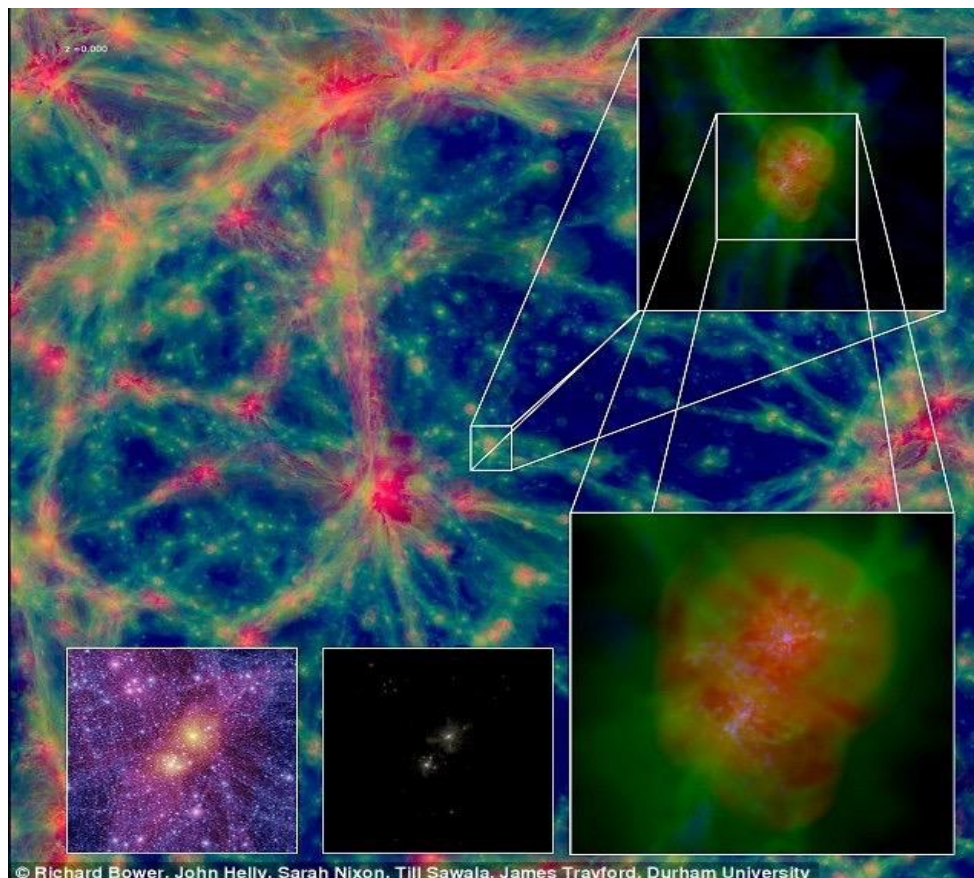
$z = 3.8$



$z = 2.6$



$z = 0.0$



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100x100x20 cMpc slice of Ref-L100N1504 at  $z = 0.0$

**EAGLE: A suit of hydrodynamical simulations**

**$\Lambda$ CDM universe (13 Formation scenarios)**

**Cosmological parameters from Planck 2013**

**Simulation box sizes : 100, 50, 25, 12, cMpc**

**Maximum # particles :  $1504^3$**

**Matter content : Gas, Star, Dark Matter, BHs**

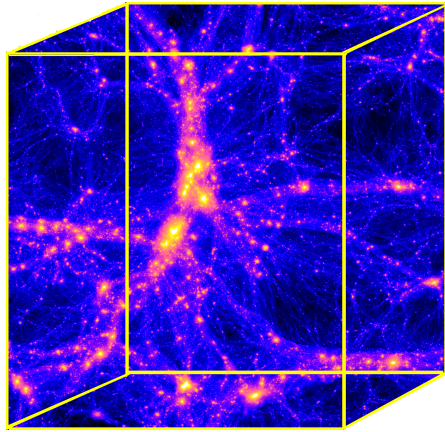
**Maximum mass resol. :  $2.26 \cdot 10^5 M_{\text{sun}} (m_g)$**

**$1.21 \cdot 10^6 M_{\text{sun}} (m_{\text{dm}})$**

**Major improvement:**

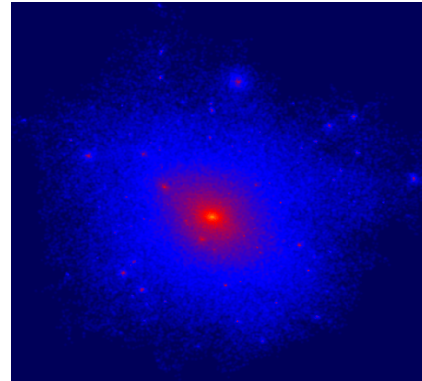
**Feedback from Stars & AGN**

# The Pipeline : Simulations & Modelling of Mock Strong Lenses



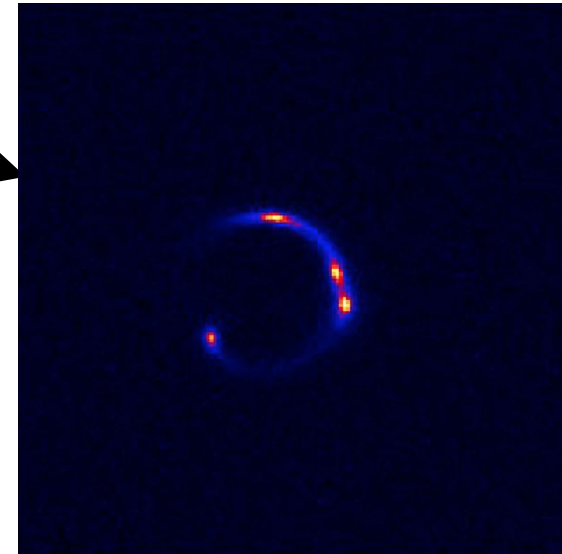
EAGLE

Subfind  
/ FOF



Lensing Galaxy

'GLAMER'<sup>1</sup>



Lens

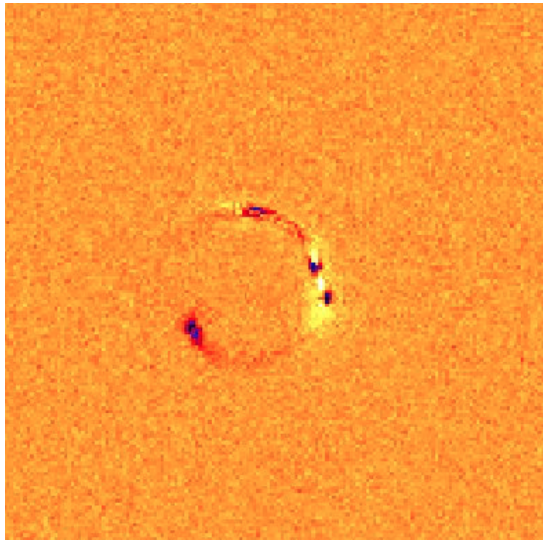
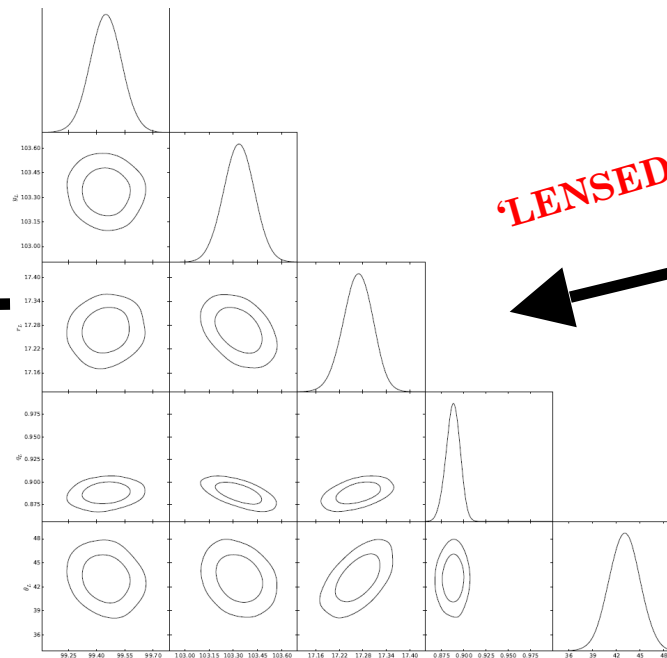


Image Residual  
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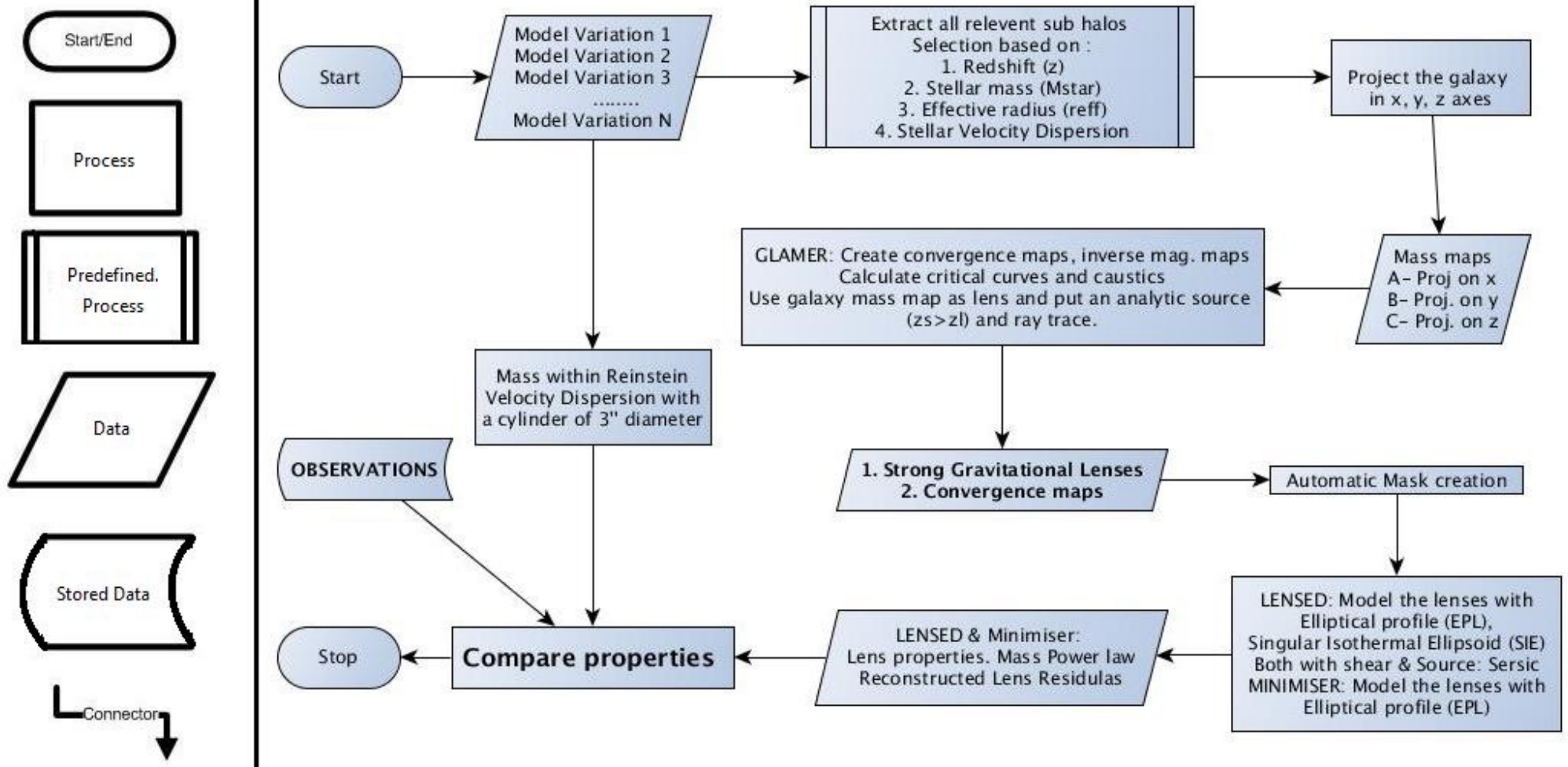


Modelled Parameters of Lens

'LENSED'<sup>2</sup>

1 <http://glenco.github.io/glamer/>  
2 <http://glenco.github.io/lensed/>





**Flow Chart Diagram of the Pipeline (SEAGLE I: Mukherjee+ 17 in prep)**

## LENSED (Tessore+ 2016)

- performs forward parametric modelling of strong lenses
- necessary calculations on a modern graphics processing unit (GPU)
- applied to subsample of the SLACS lenses

## GLAMER (Metcalf+14, Petkova+ 14)

- incorporates adaptive mesh refinement
- read in mass maps and use them as lens planes.
- lensing quantities are calculated by FFT and interpolated from the grid

## Which Early Type Galaxies to select ?

*On what properties the selection should be made to reduce bias between real & simulated lenses ?*

We use **Stellar Mass**, **Stellar Vel. Disp.** and **Effective Radii** from observations and then focus on the DM halos they live in compared to those derived from lens modelling.

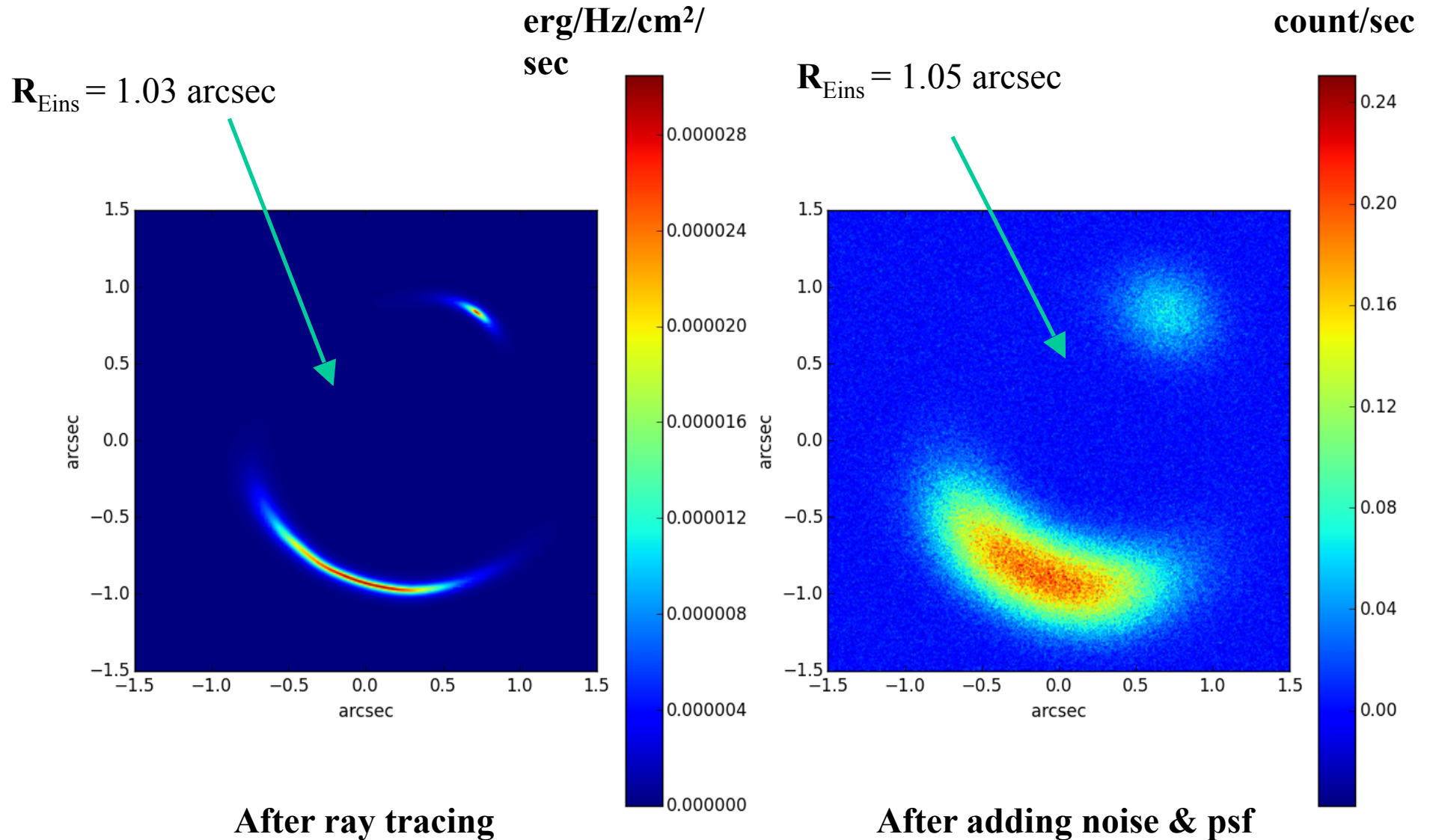
## Which type of Sources to use ?

*Which analytical sources best mimic Observed sources ?*

We use **Sersic\***, **Shapelets** and **Overzier** as sources.

*\*Does the purpose and results from lensing analysis of galaxy not strongly dependent on the source type*

# Do we get back reasonable quantities ?



$M_* = 4.8 \times 10^{10} M_{\text{sun}}$ ,  $z_{\text{source}} = 1.0$ ,  $z_{\text{lens}} = 0.366$ , Source- Sersic

## Some Strong Lenses from Sloan Lens ACS (SLACS) Survey

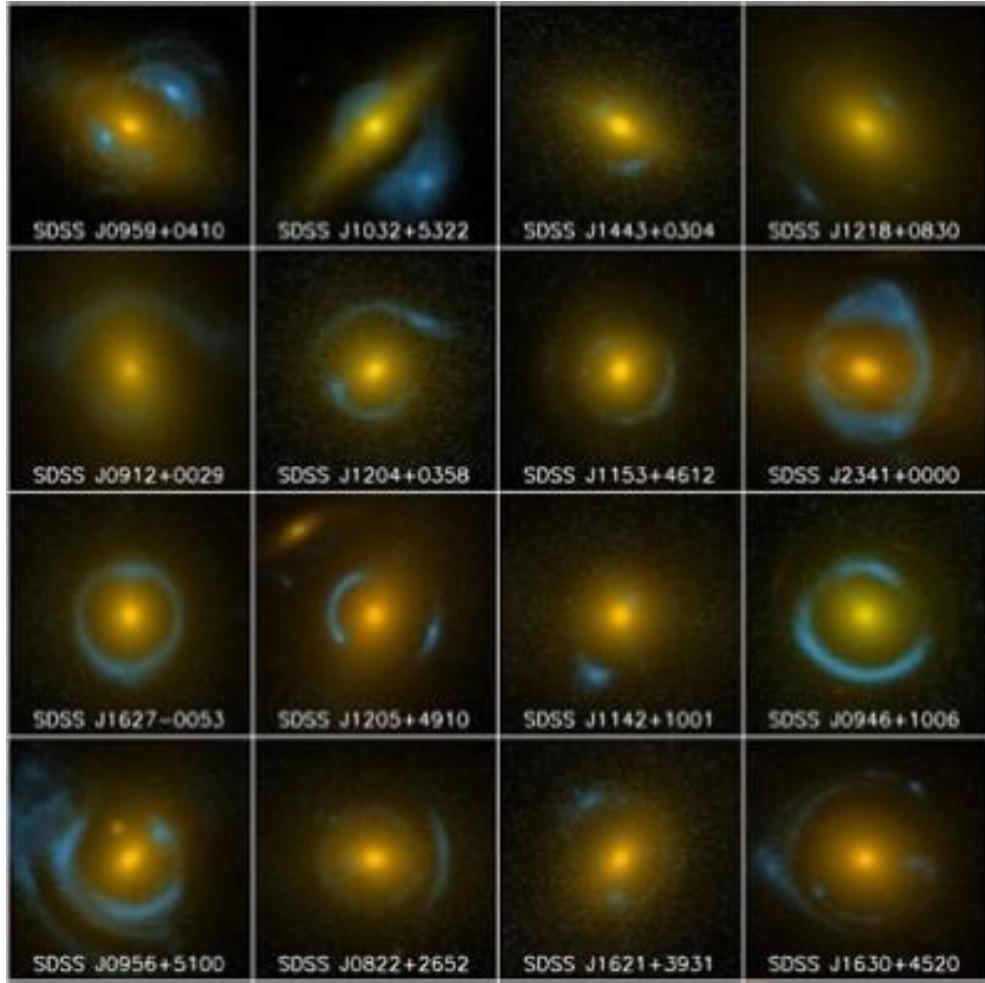
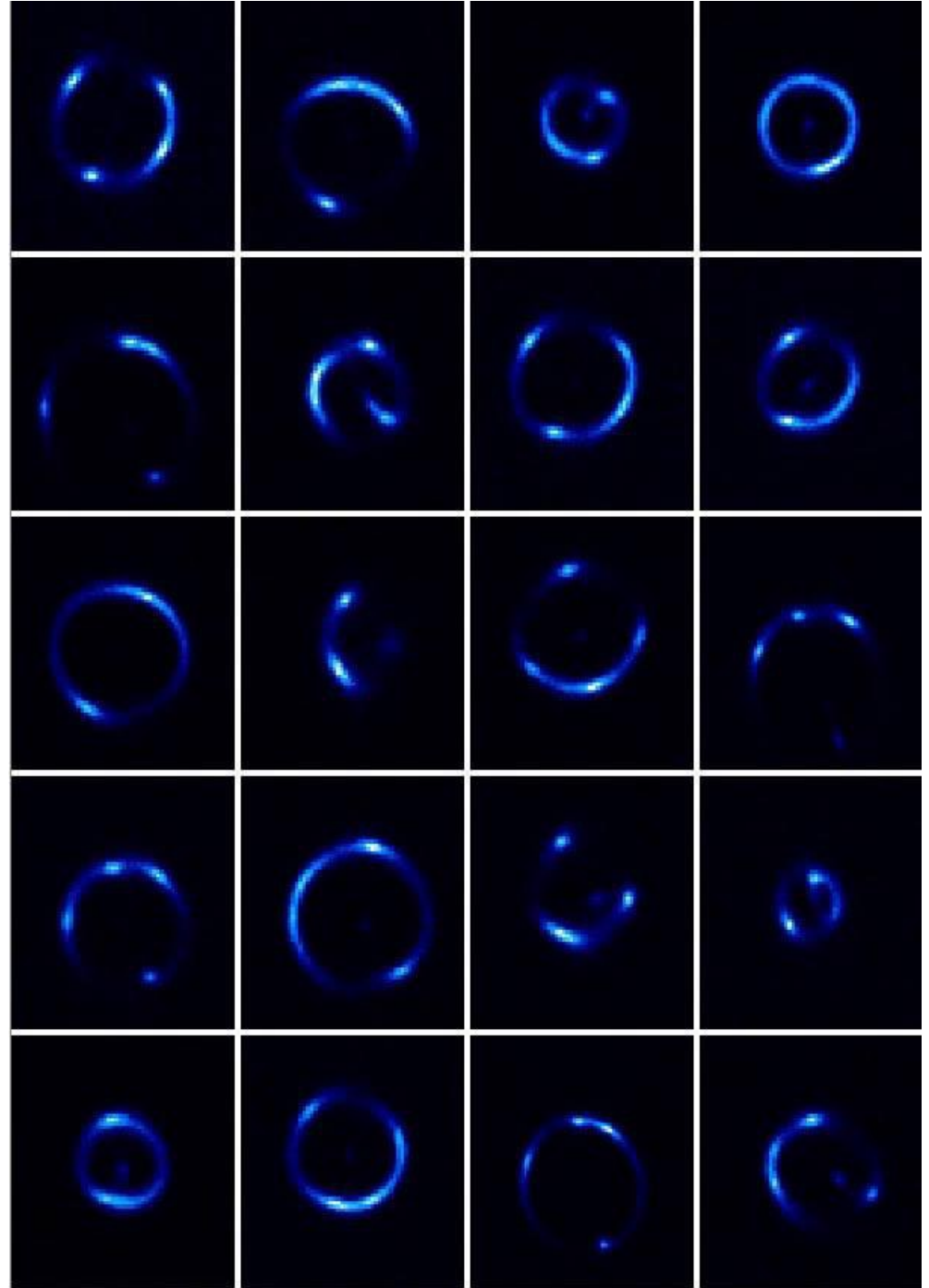


Image: A. Bolton (UH/IfA) for SLACS and NASA/ESA.

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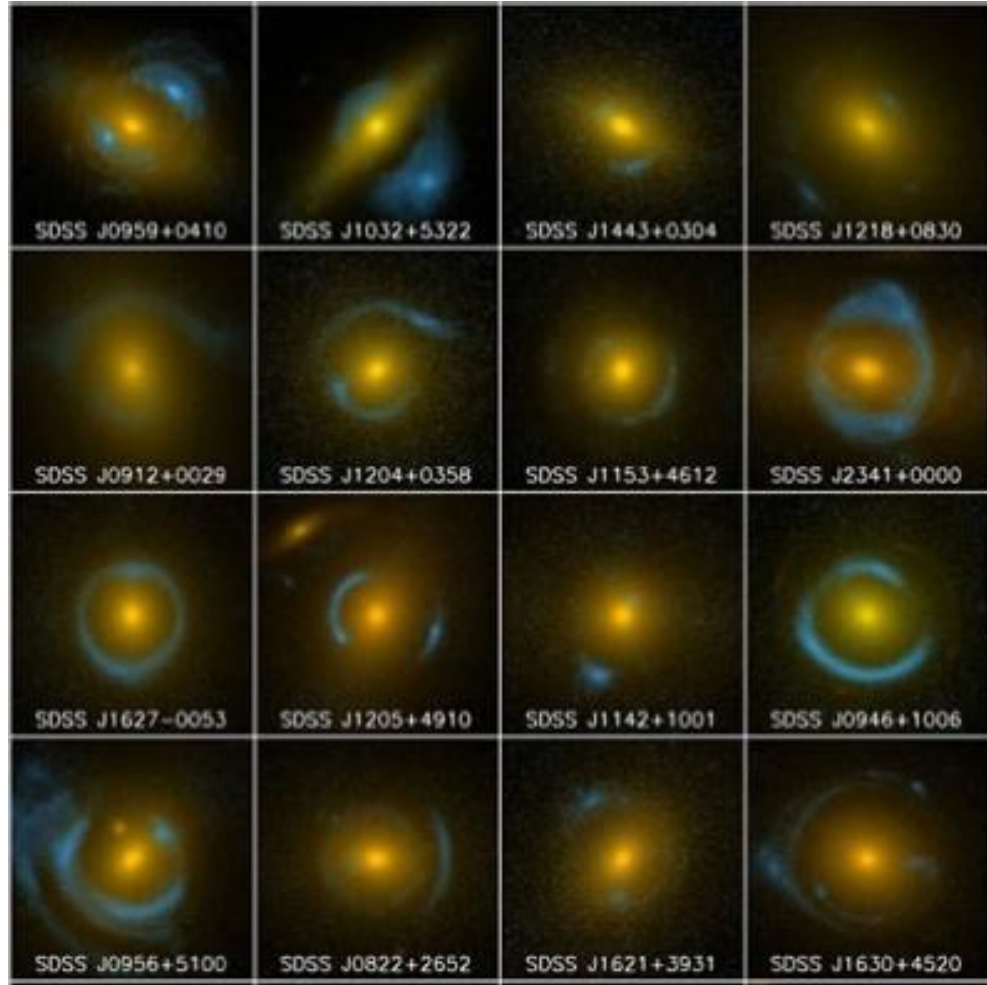
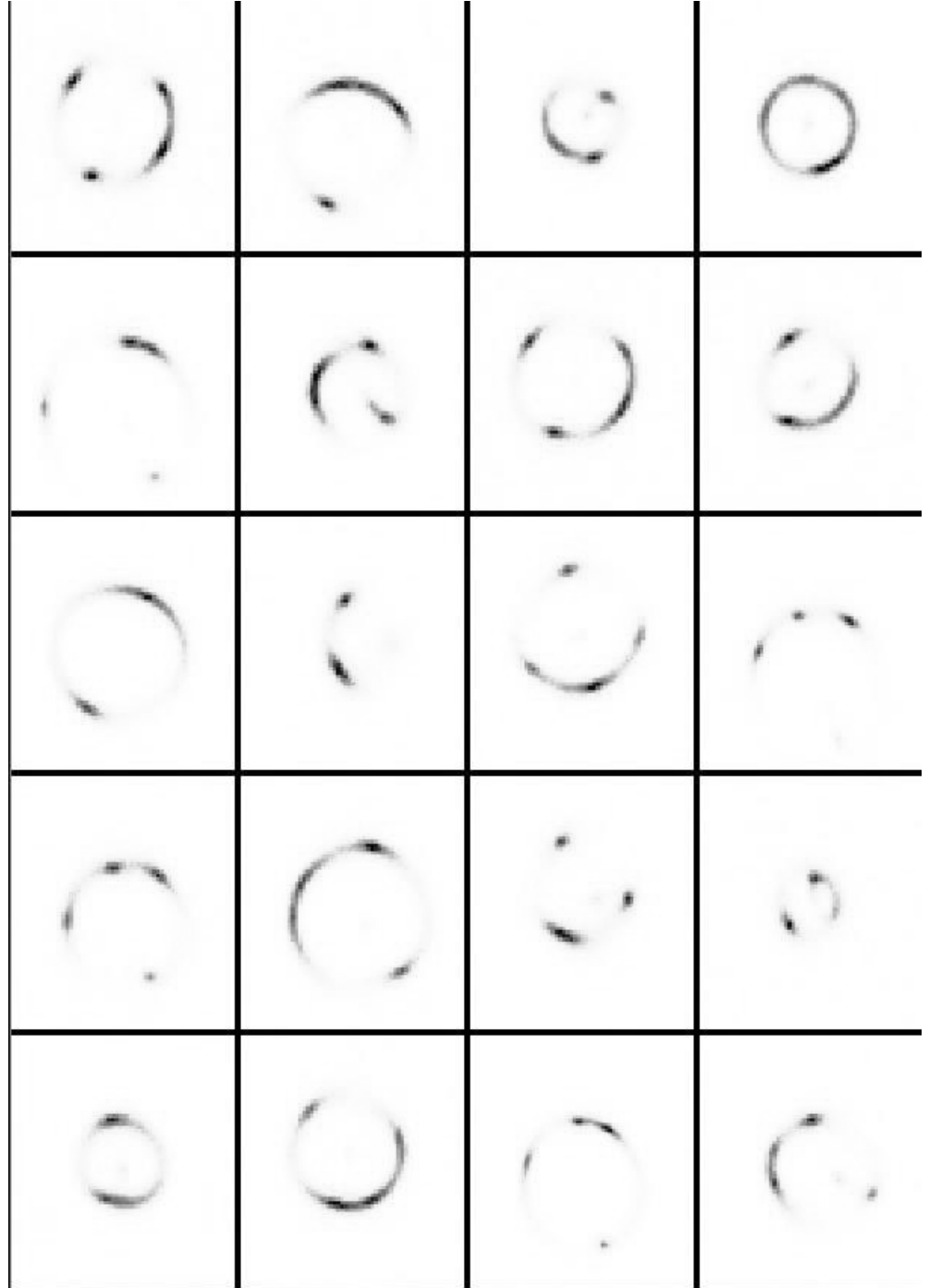
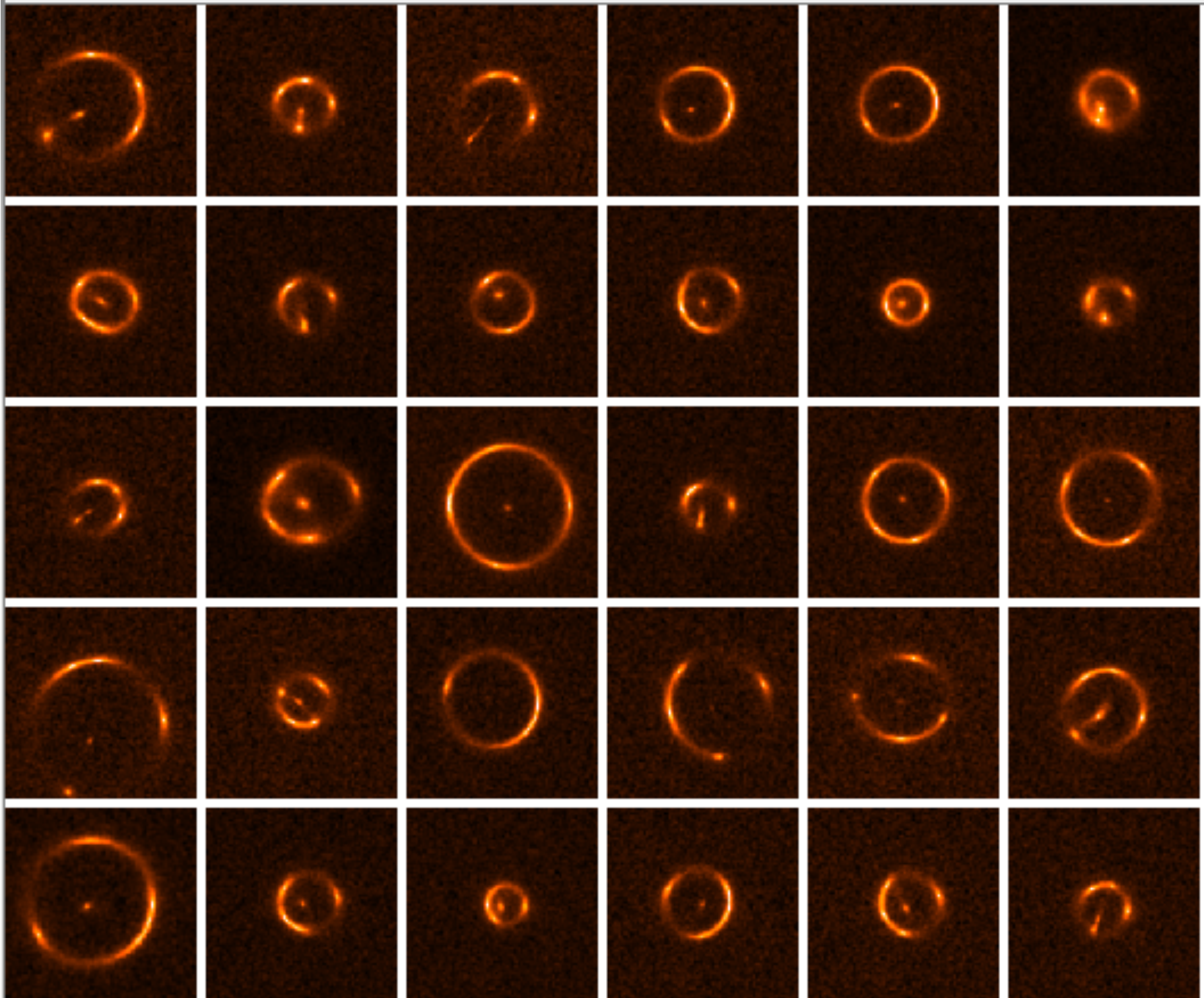


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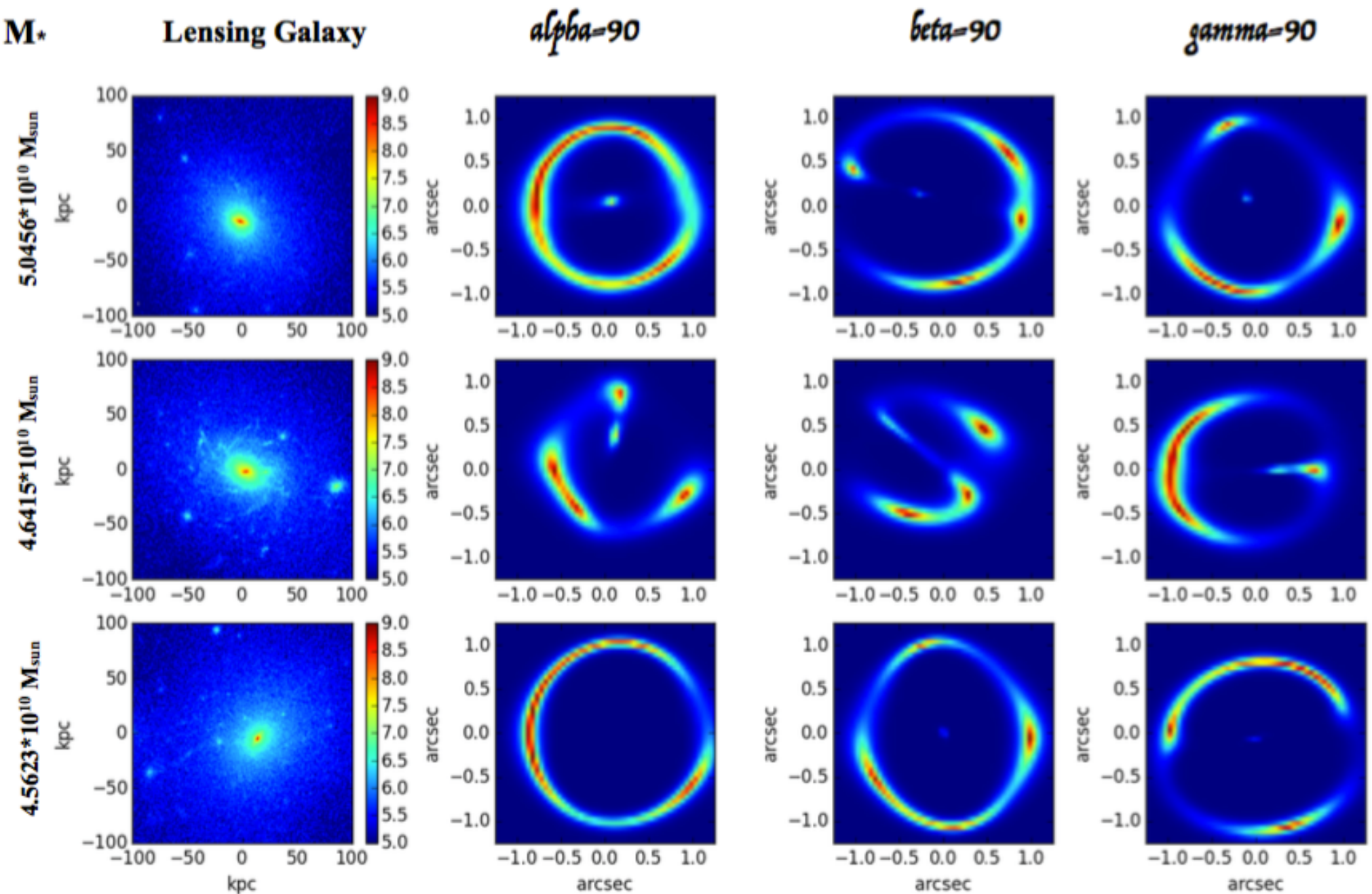
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**Some Strong lenses from EAGLE (FB Const) 50 cMpc,  $z = 0.101$**



Mock Strong Lenses created from Projected Mass density maps.  
Source position close to optic axis within diamond caustics

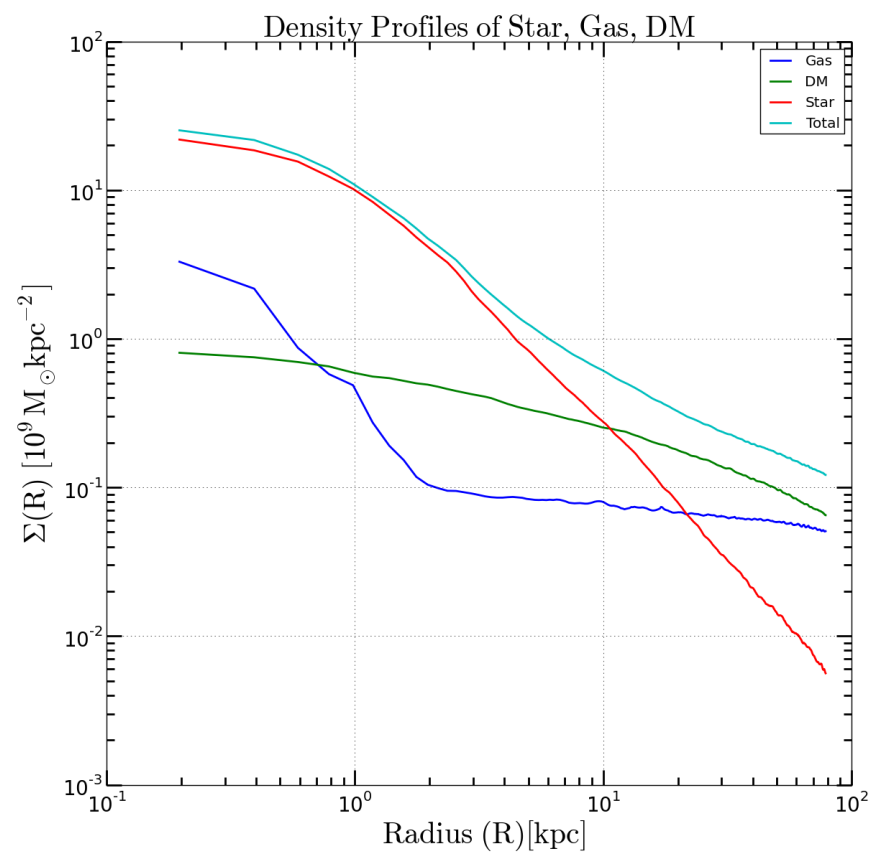


Source: Sersic,  $z_{\text{lens}} = 0.271$ ,  $z_{\text{source}} = 0.6$ , sim.box = 50cMpc (REF)

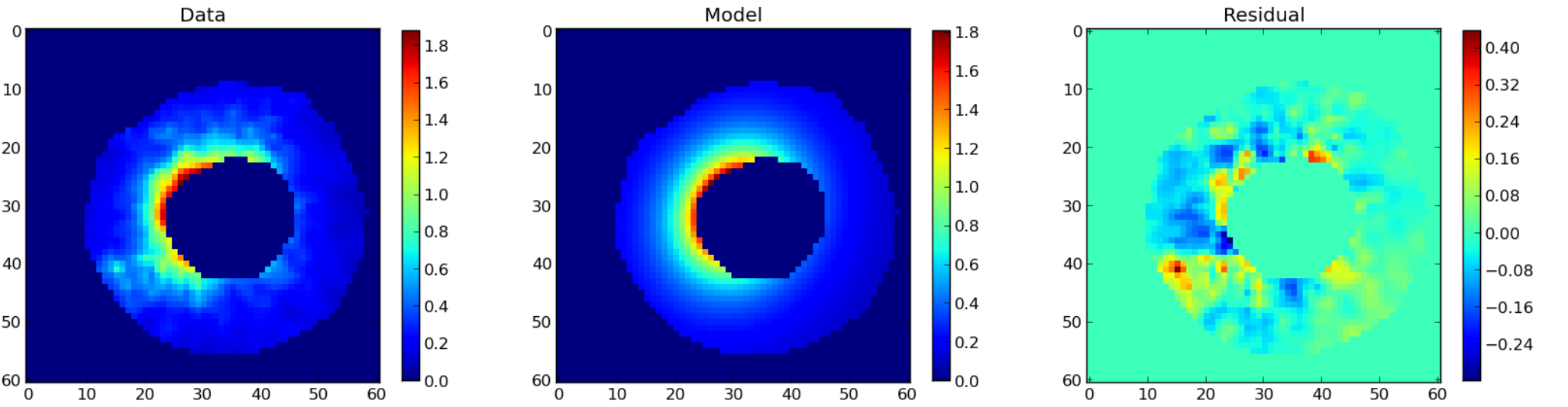
**SCENARIOS**

Identifier	Side length (cMpc)	$N$
<i>Calibrated models</i>		
FBconst	50	752
FB $\sigma$	50	752
FBZ	50	752
Ref (FBZ $\rho$ )	50	752
<i>Ref variations</i>		
eos1	25	376
eos5/3	25	376
FixedSfThresh	25	376
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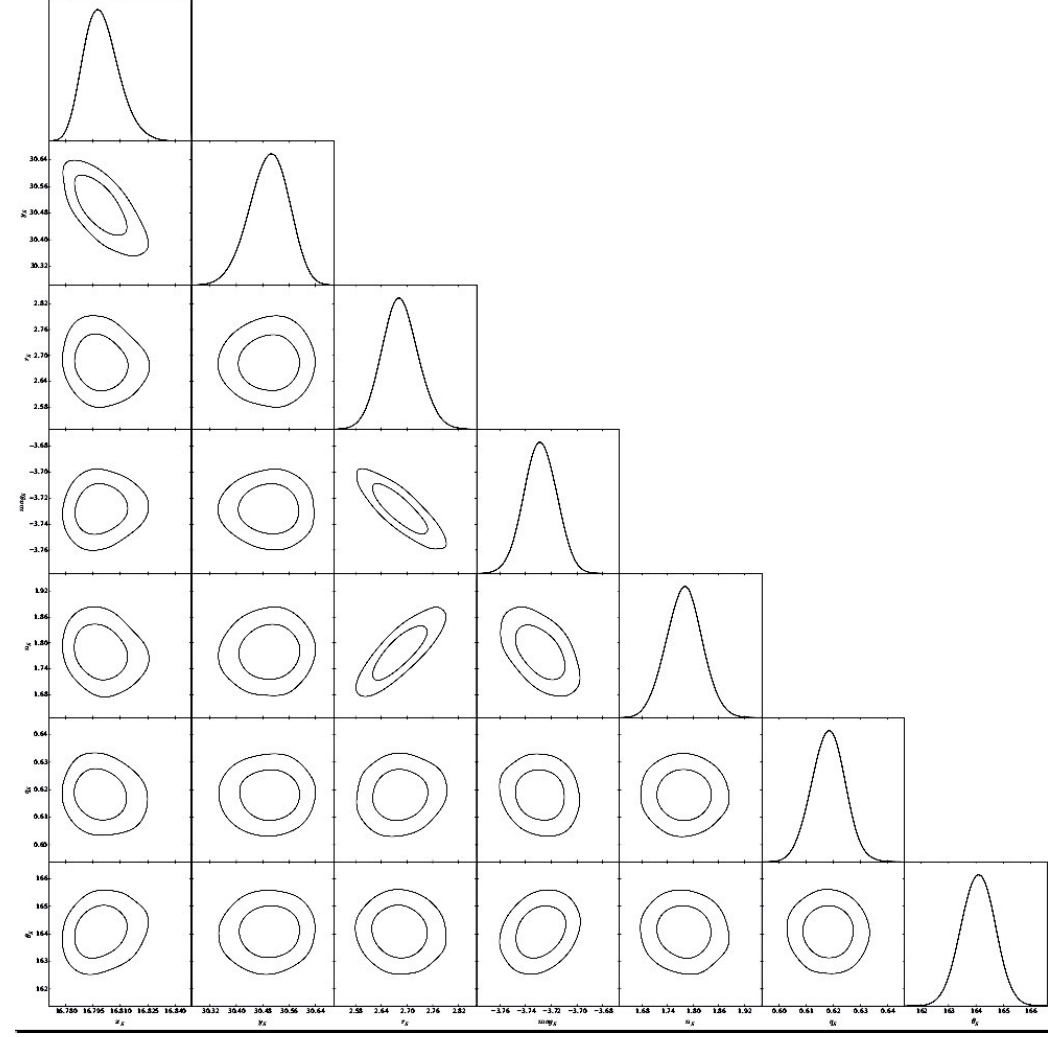
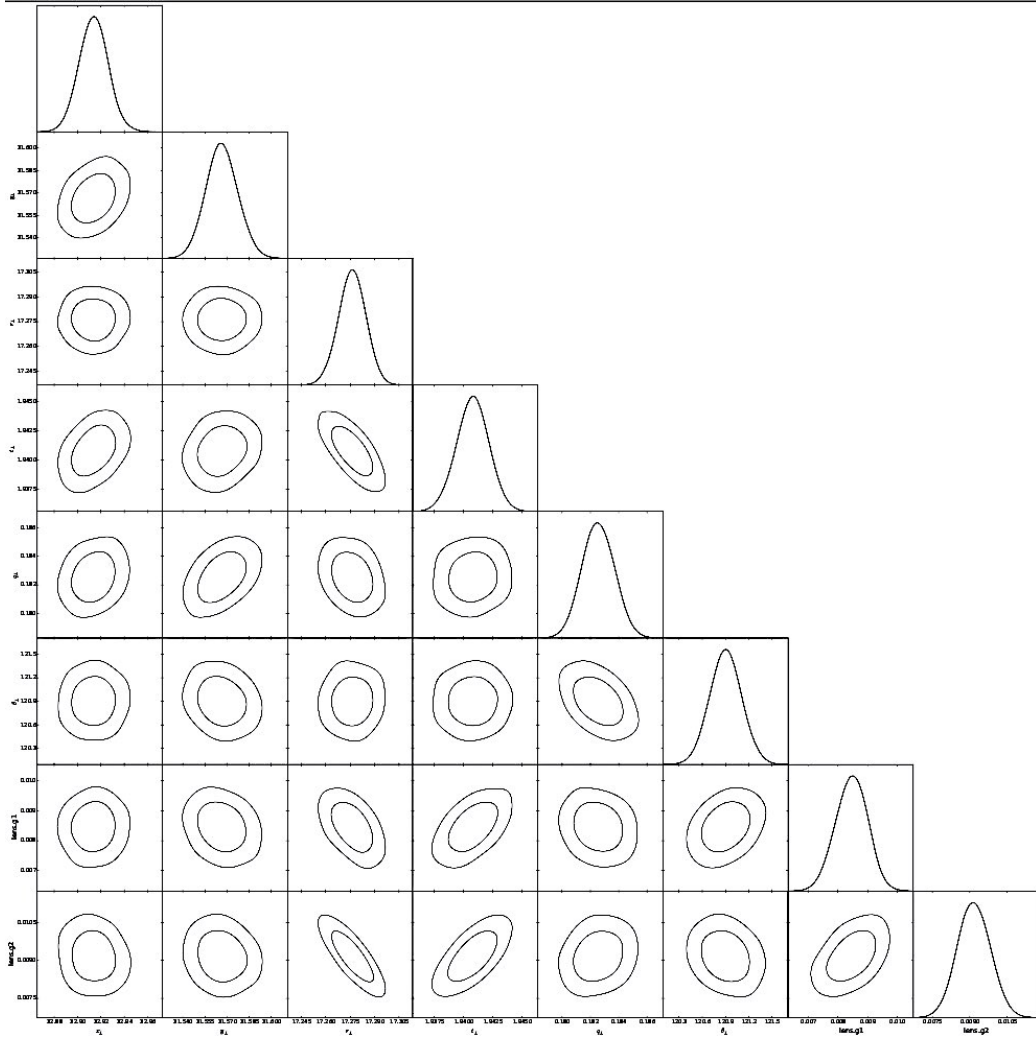
**Surface Mass  
Density profiles  
of each of the  
lensing galaxies  
and their  
projections**



**Minimiser: Fitting Convergence maps with EPL model ==> Residuals**







## Lens Parameters

- Lens Position ( $x_L, y_L$ )
- Einstein radius ( $r_L$ )
- Axis ratio ( $q_L$ )
- Density Slope ( $t_L$ )\*
- Shear vector x ( $\gamma_1$ )
- Shear vector y ( $\gamma_2$ )
- Position Angle( $\theta_L$ )

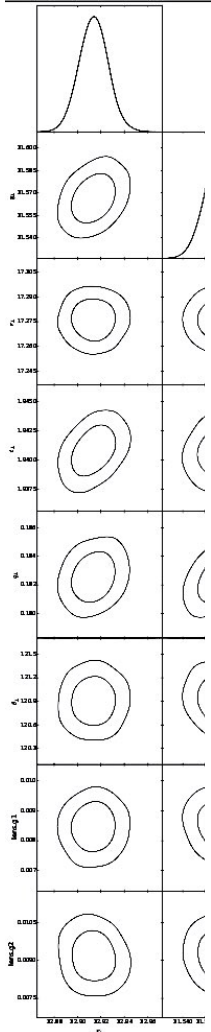
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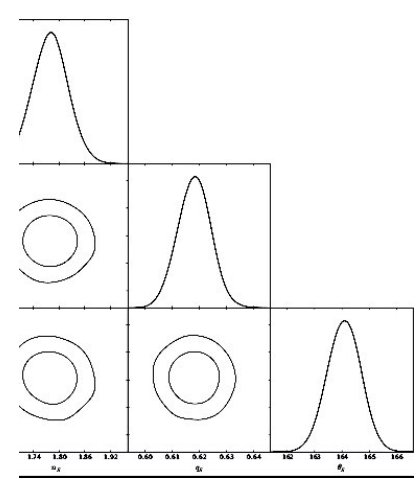
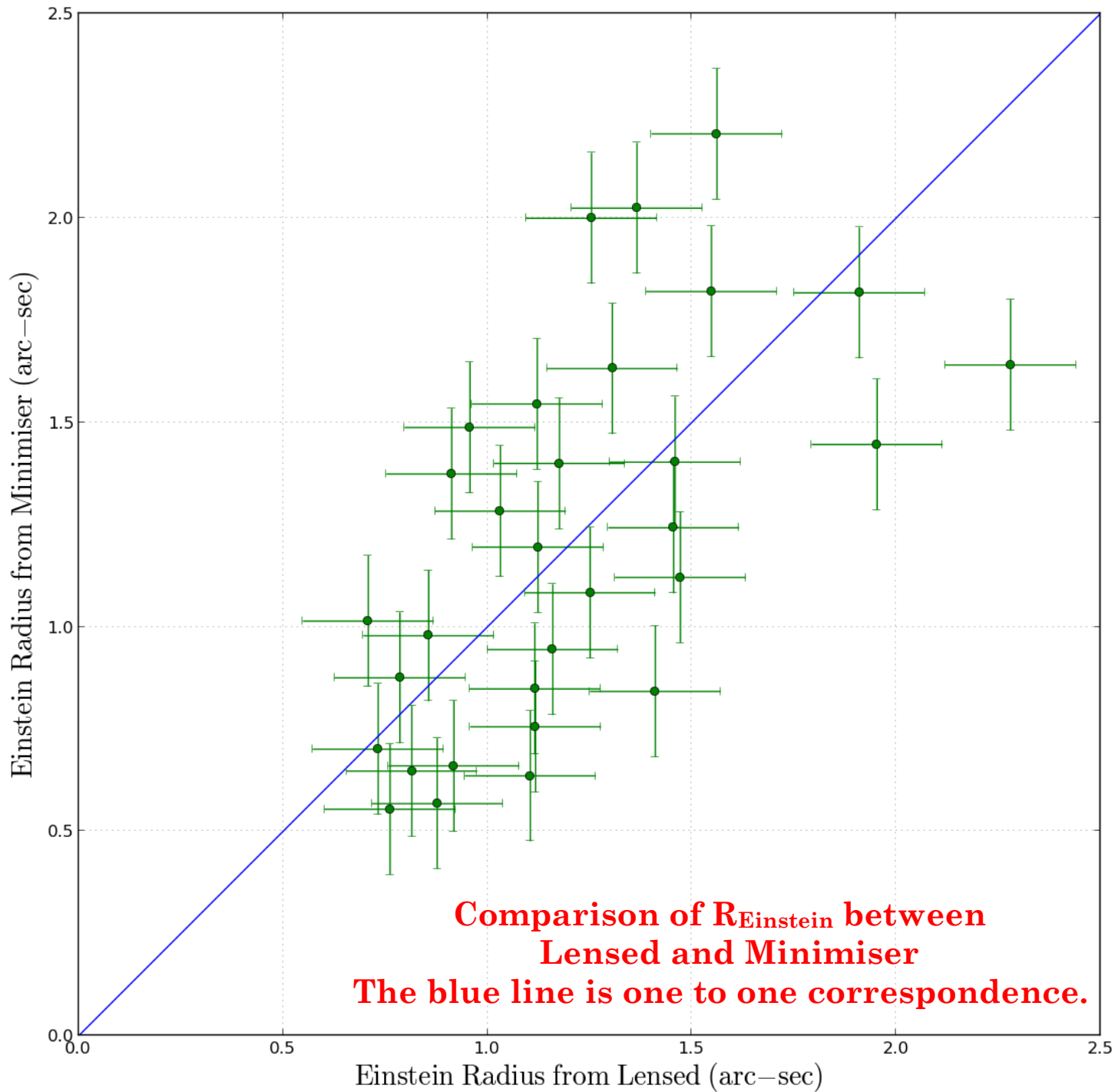
\* EPL

## Source Parameters

- Source Position ( $x_s, y_s$ )
- Effective radius ( $r_s$ )
- Axis ratio ( $q_s$ )
- Source magnitude ( $mag_s$ )
- Source index ( $n_s$ )
- Position Angle( $\theta_s$ )

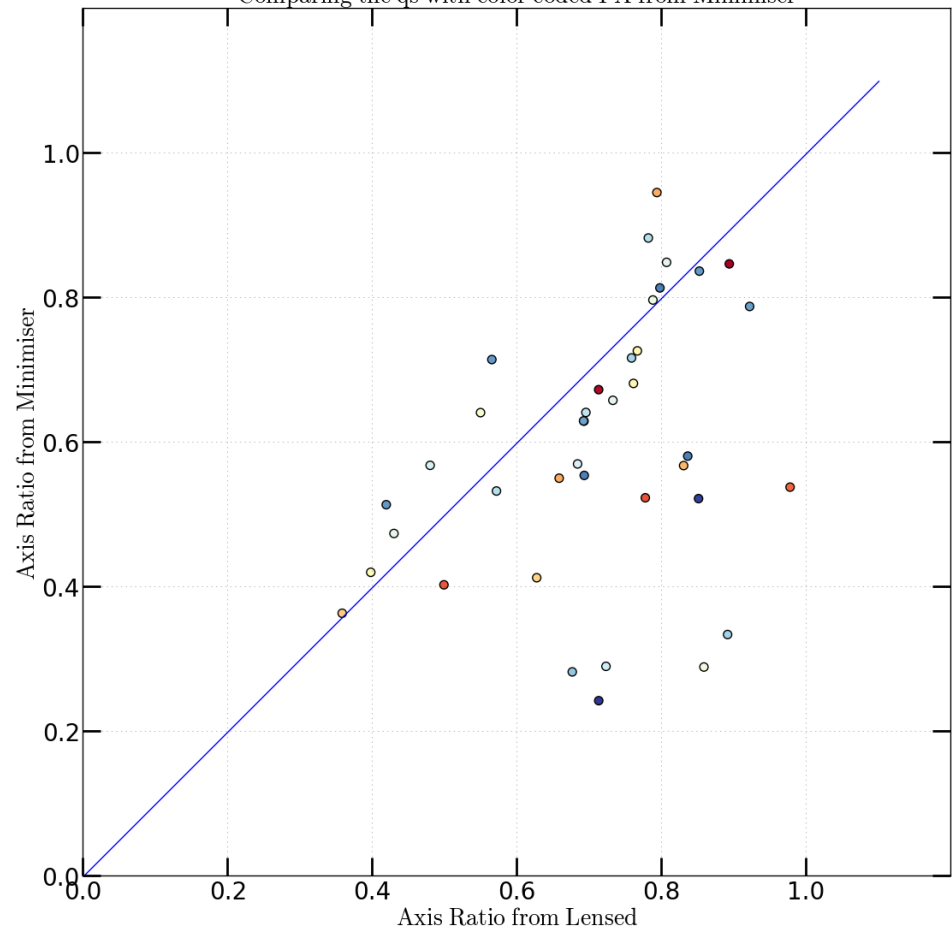


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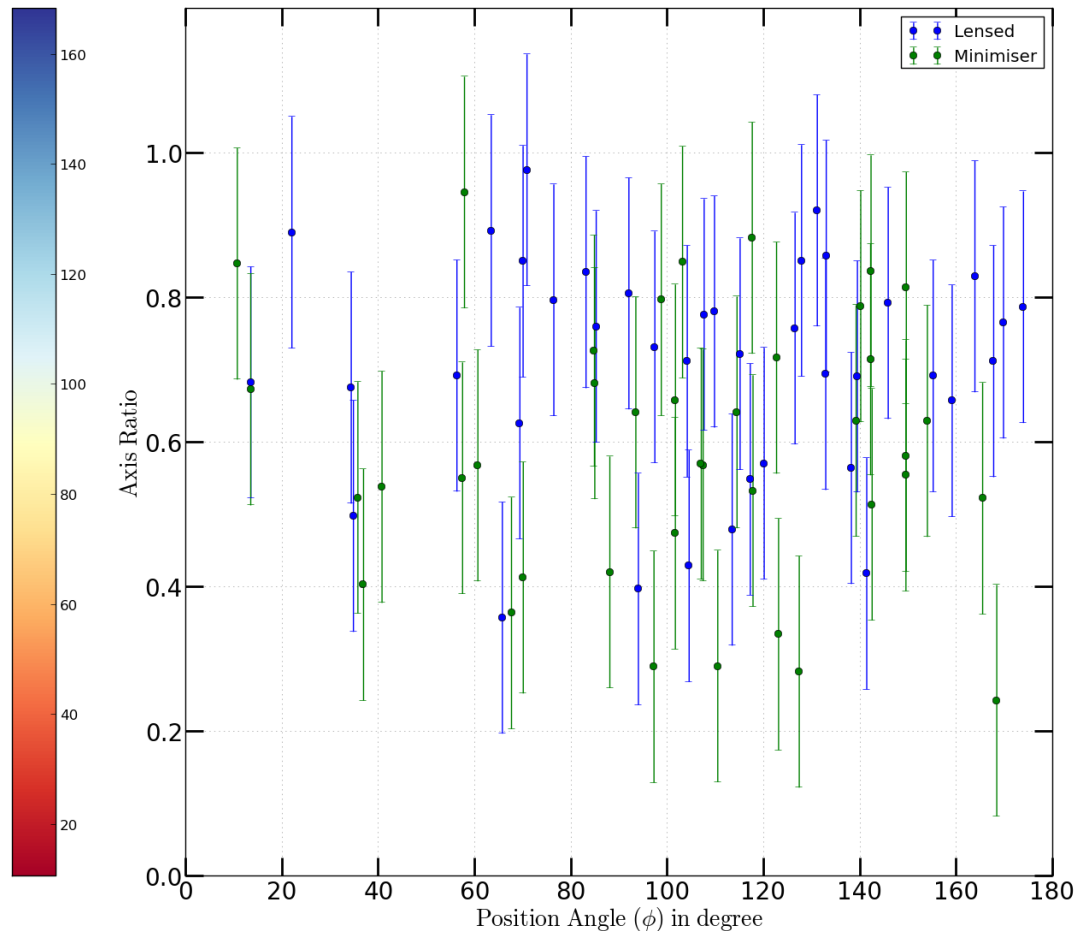


**eters**  
 (s,  $y_s$ )  
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Comparing the qs with color coded PA from Minimiser

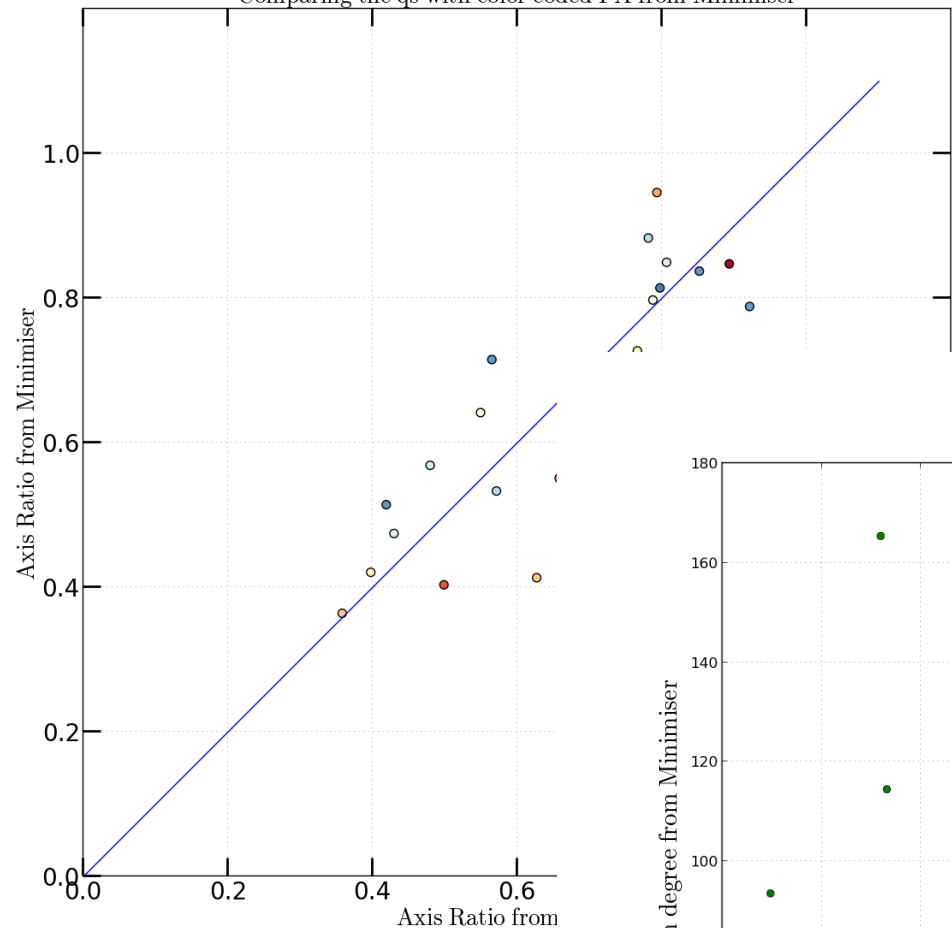


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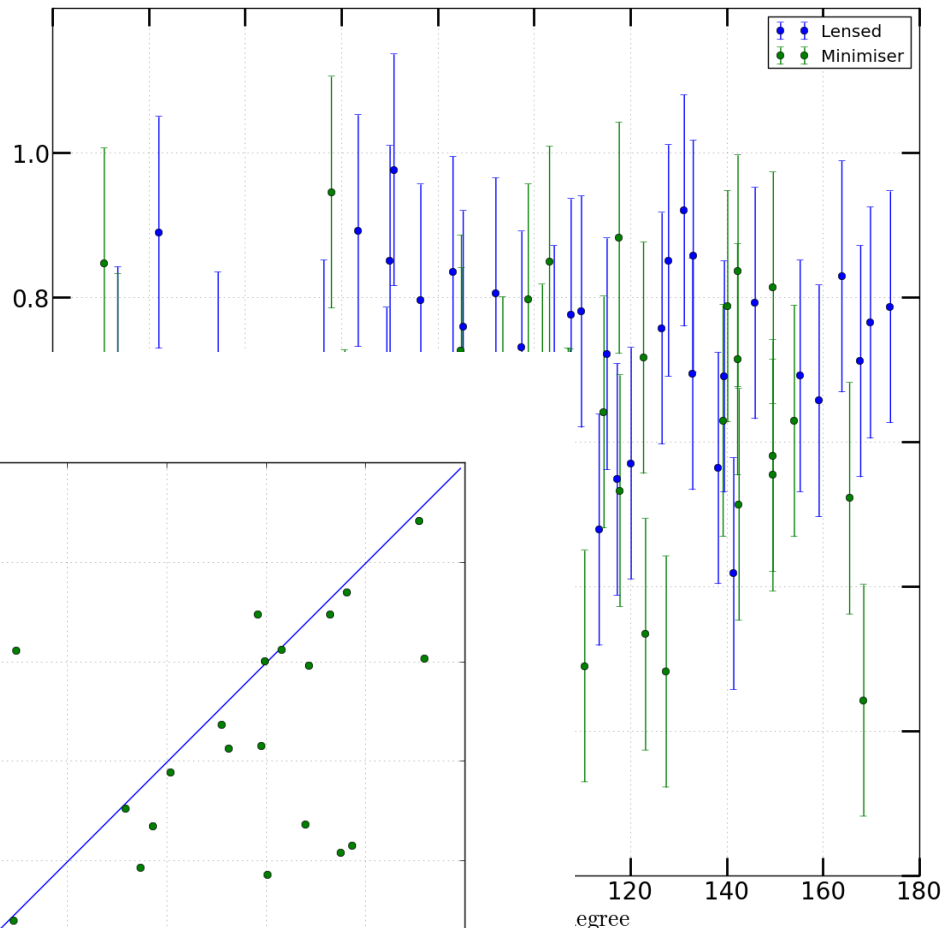


**Axis Ratio vs PA comparison**

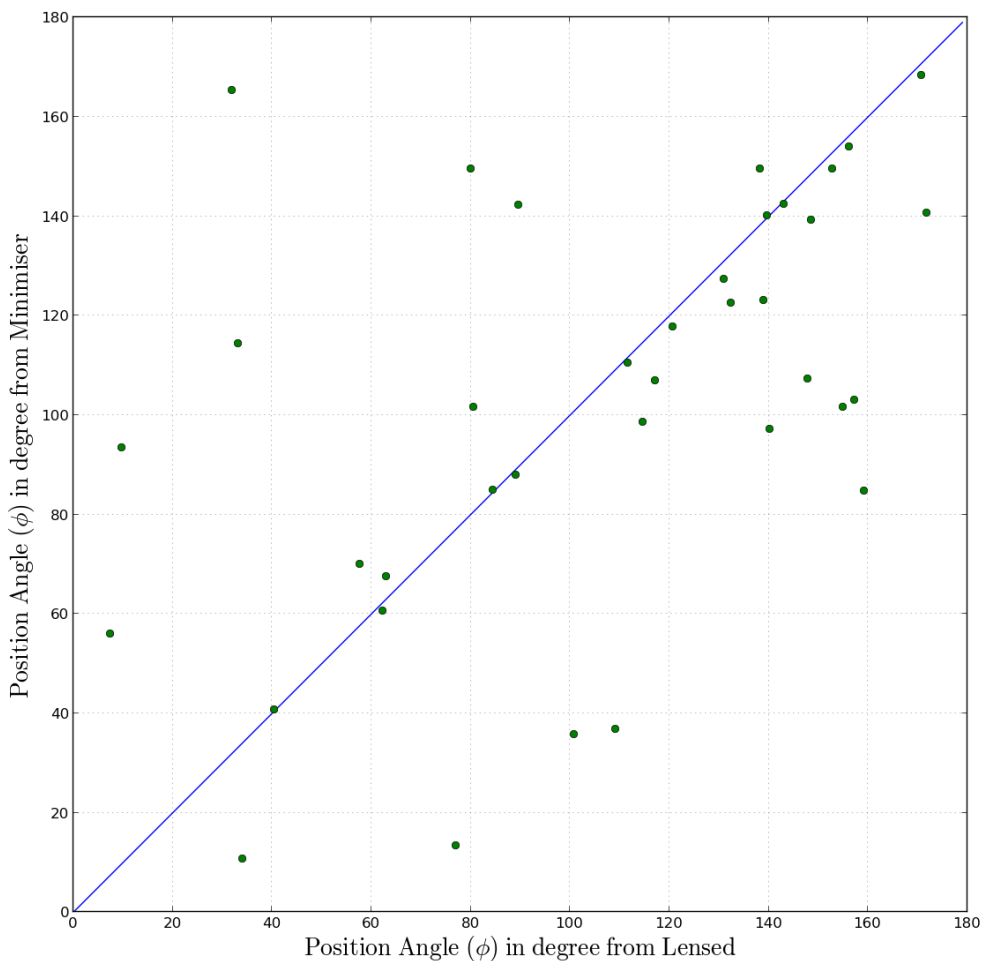
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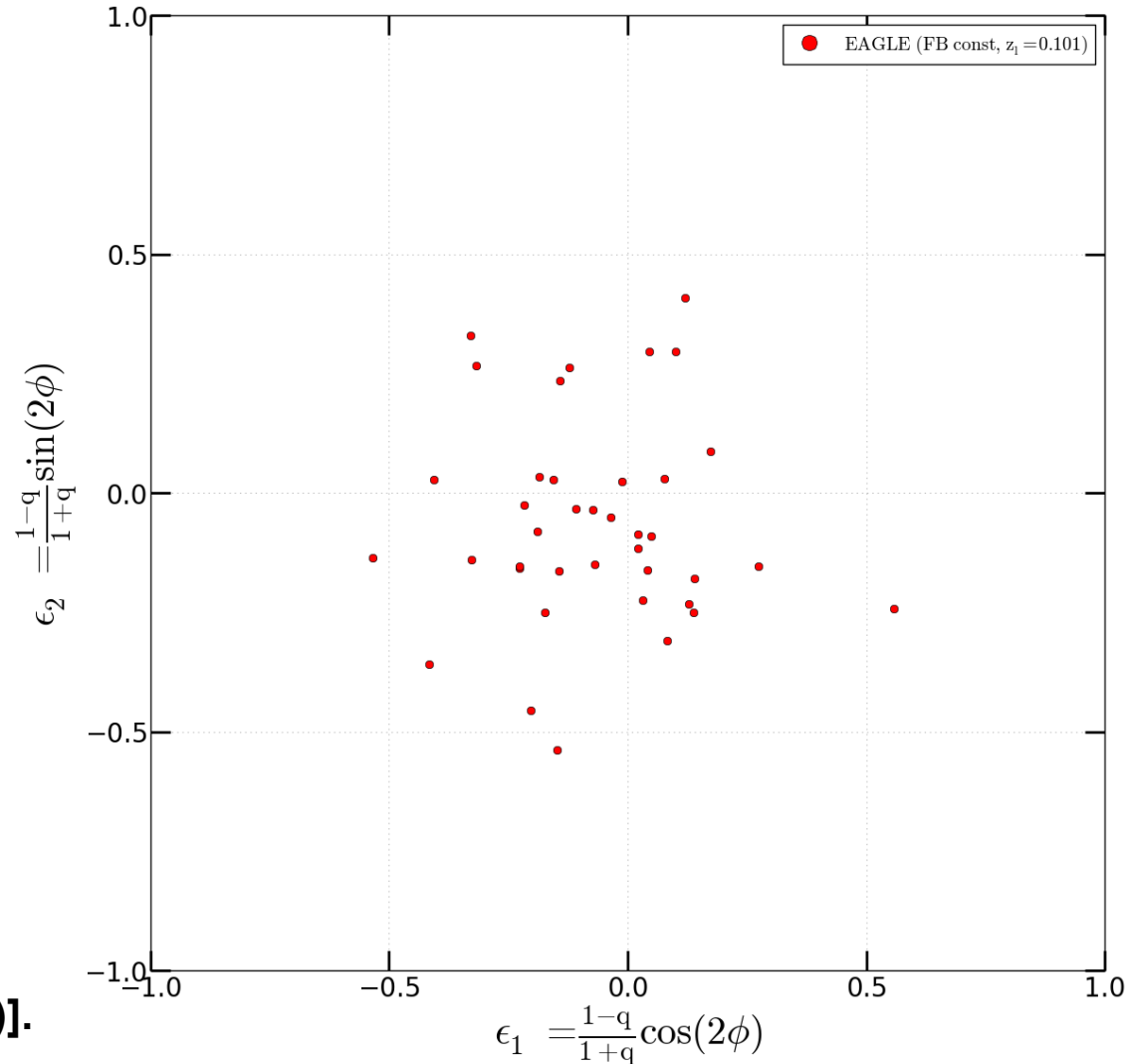


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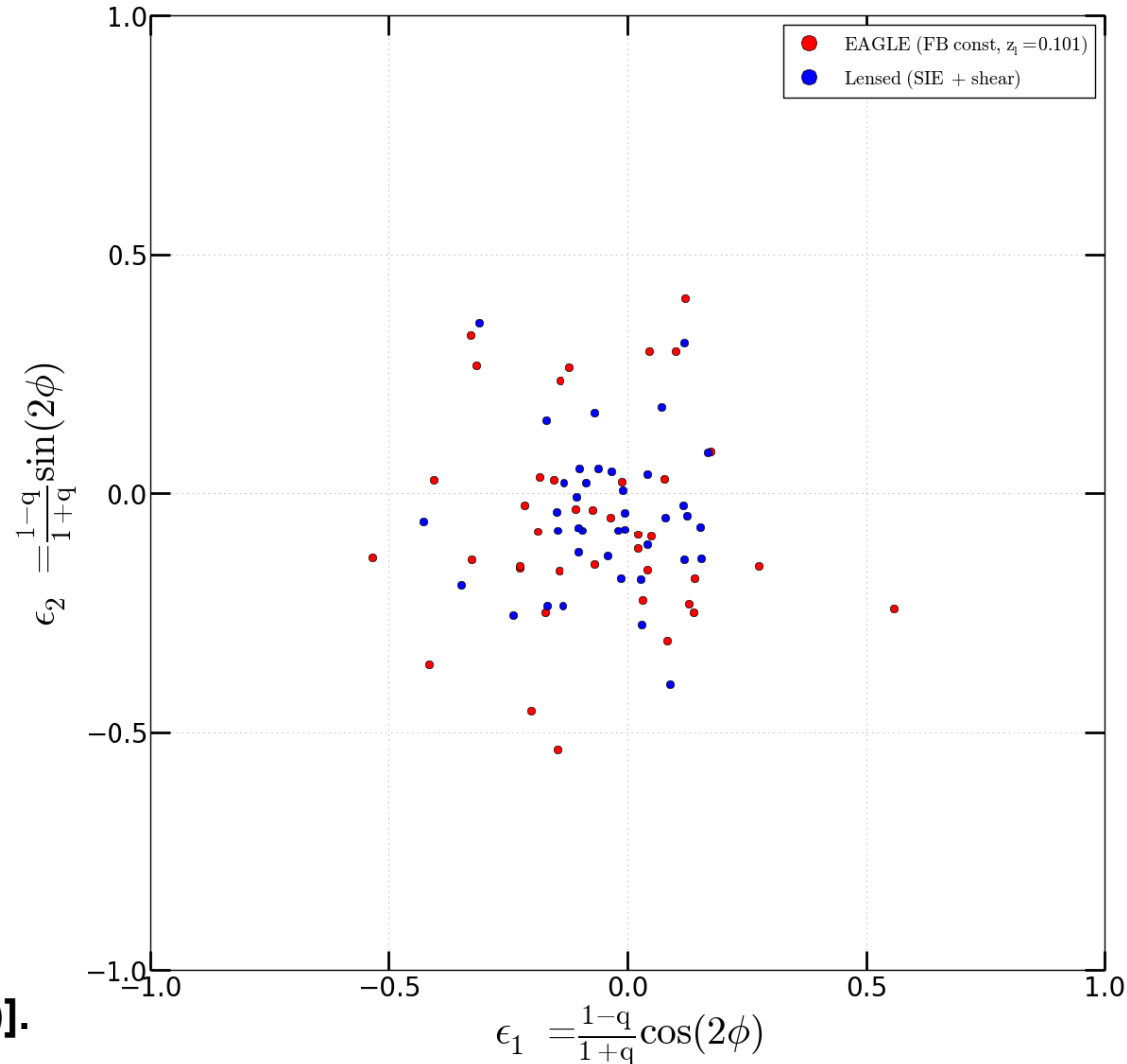
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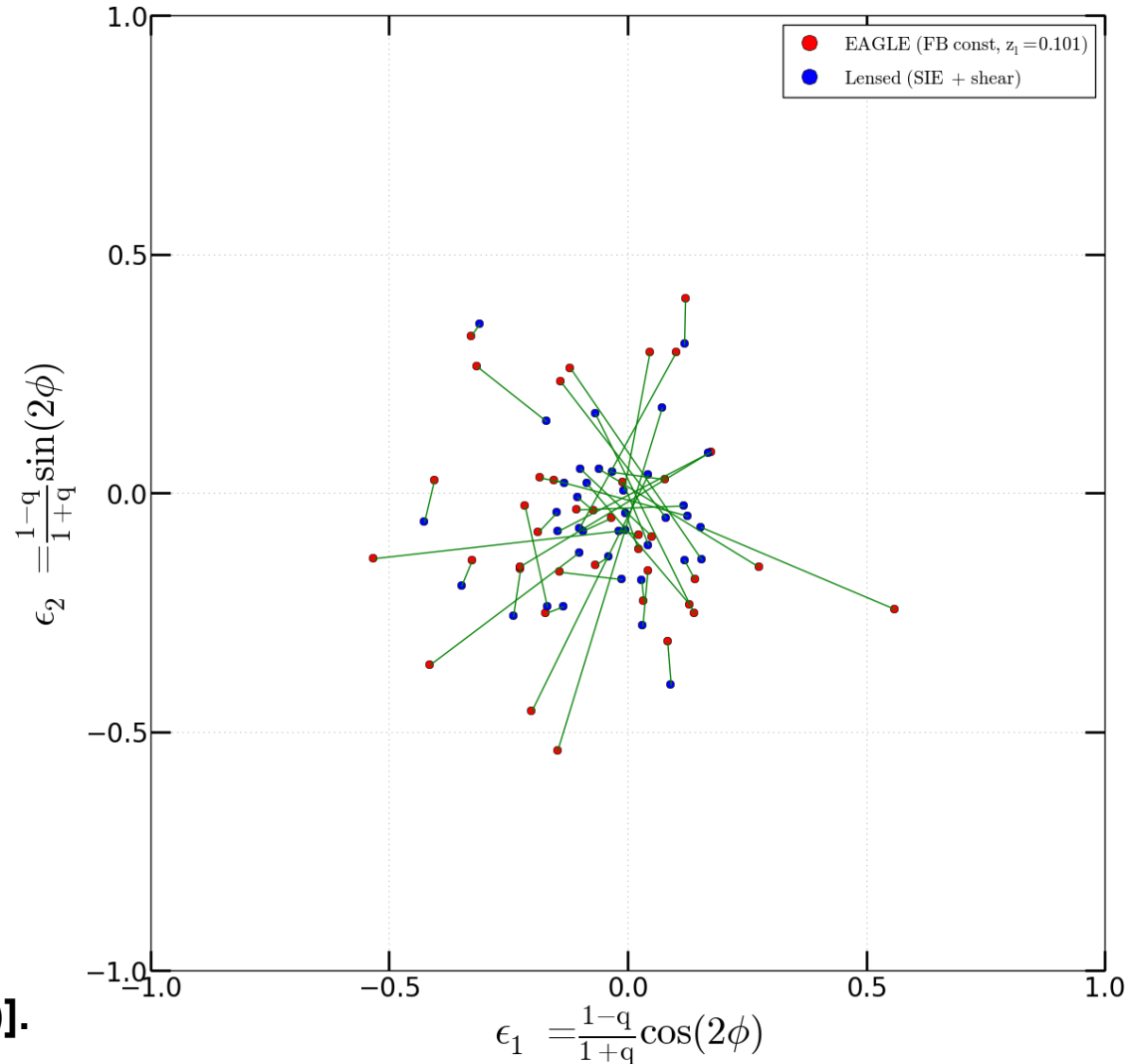
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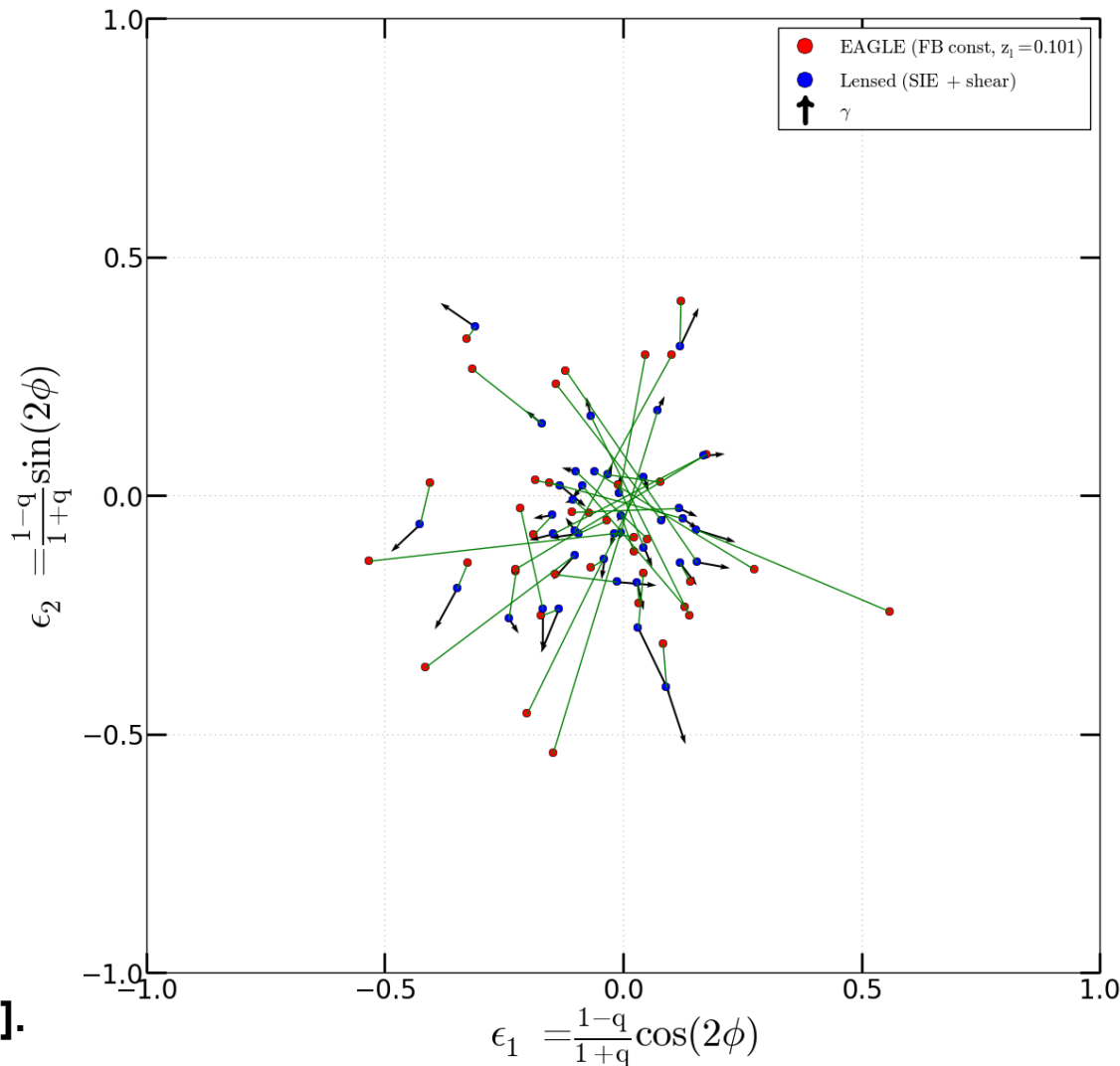
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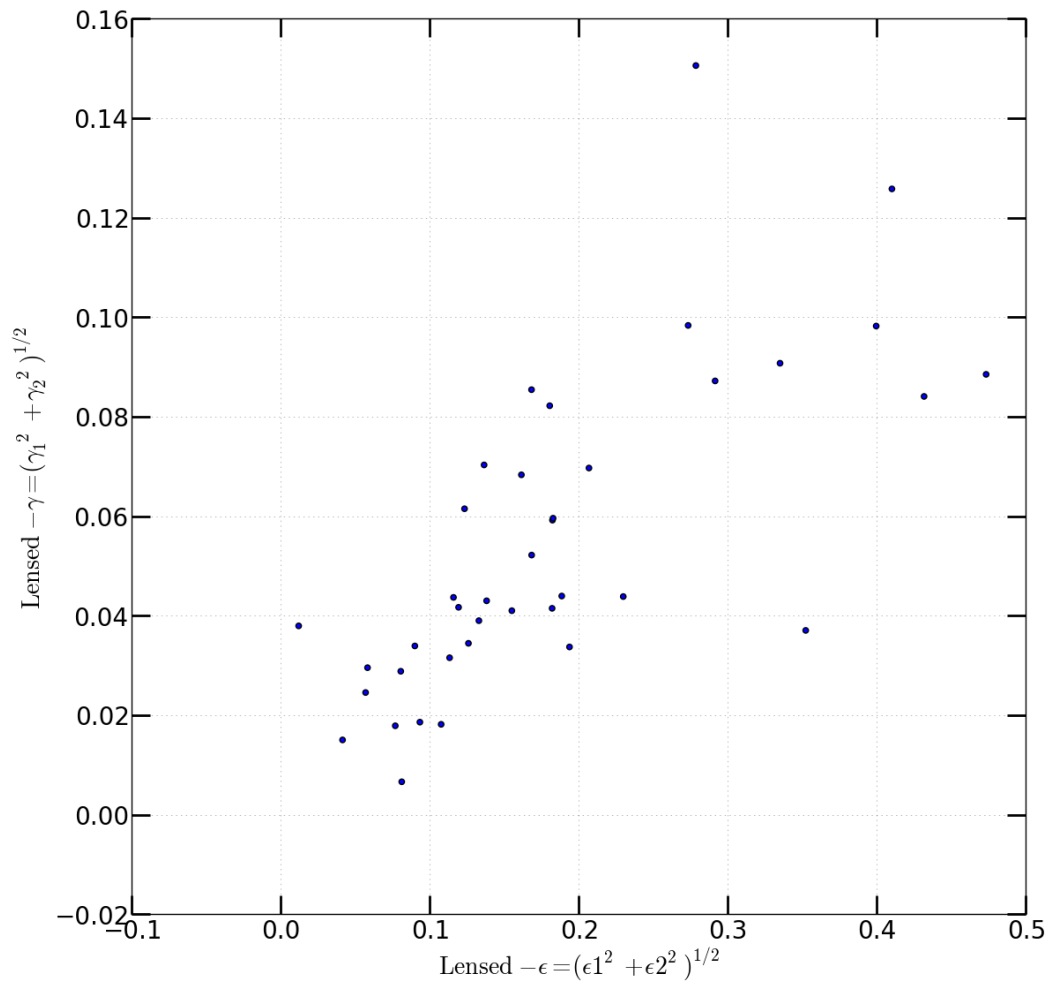
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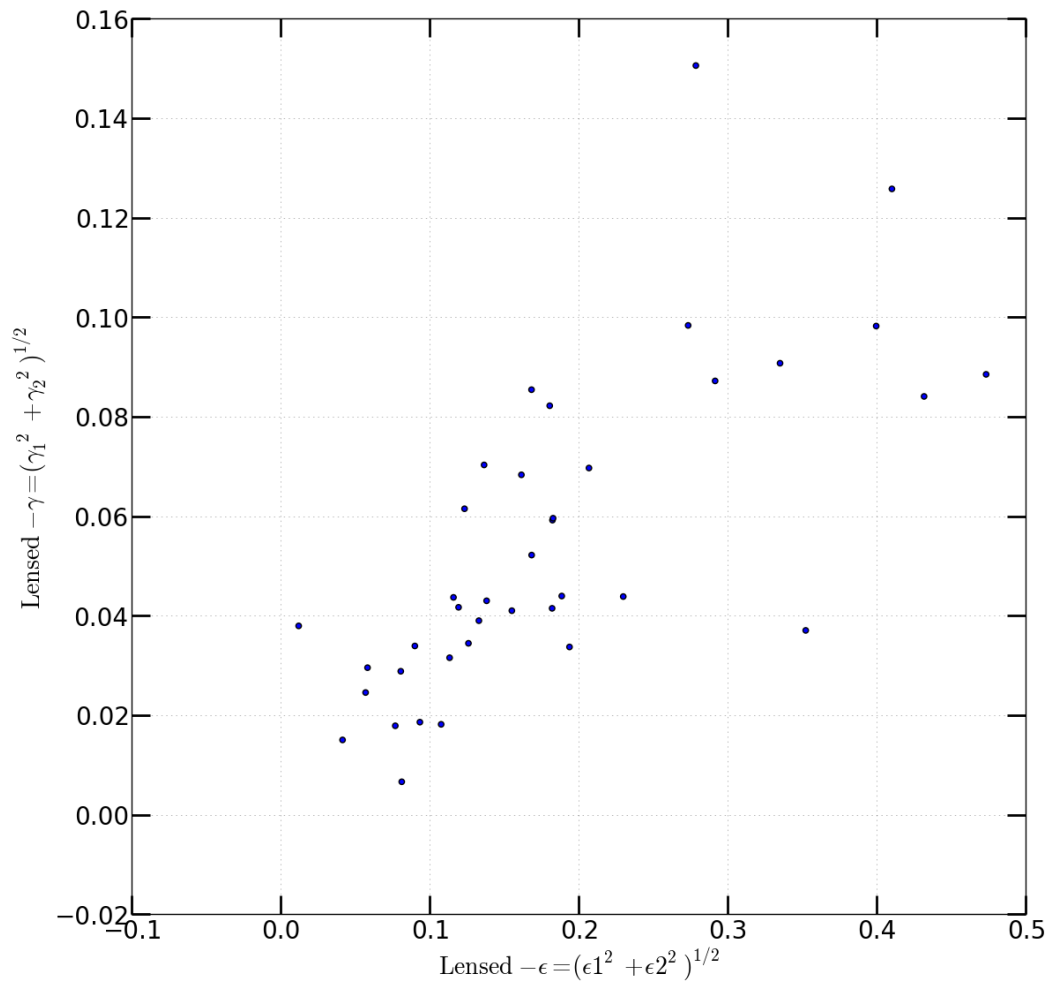
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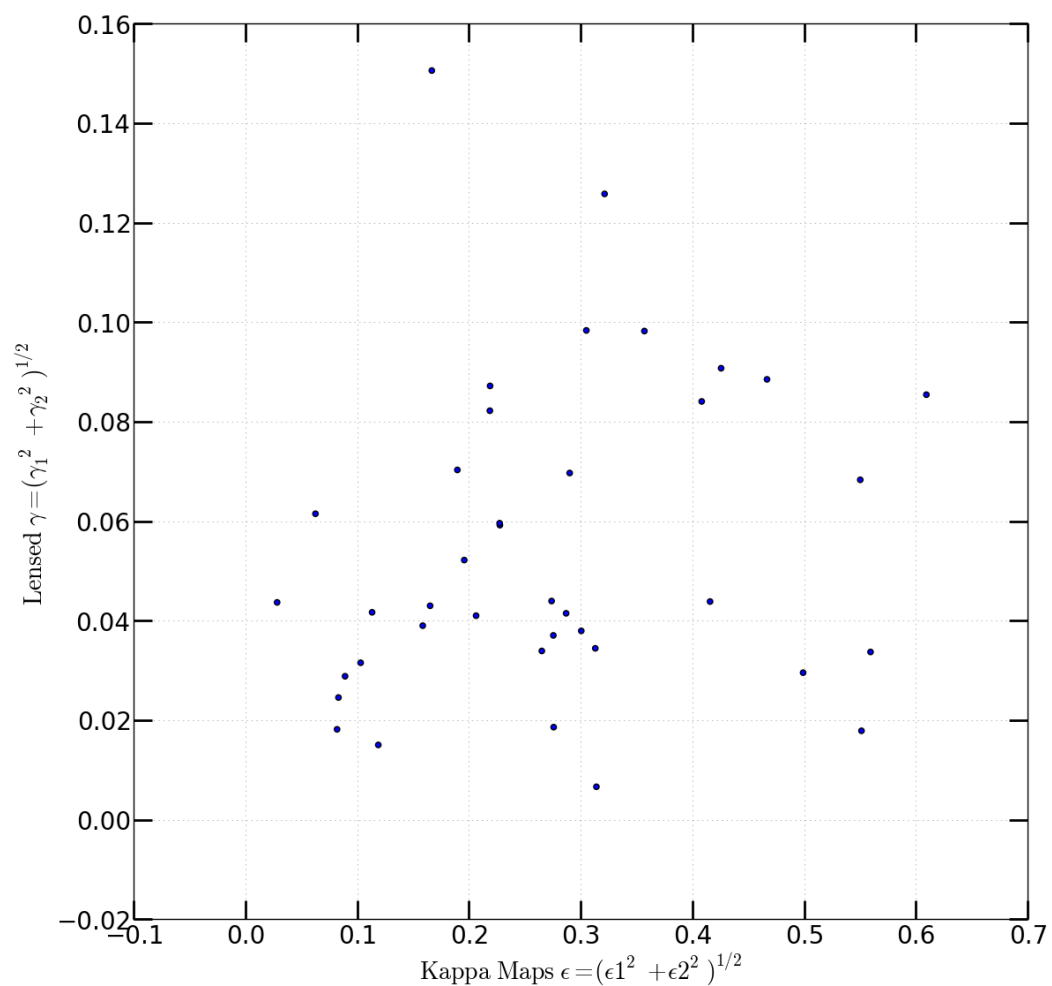




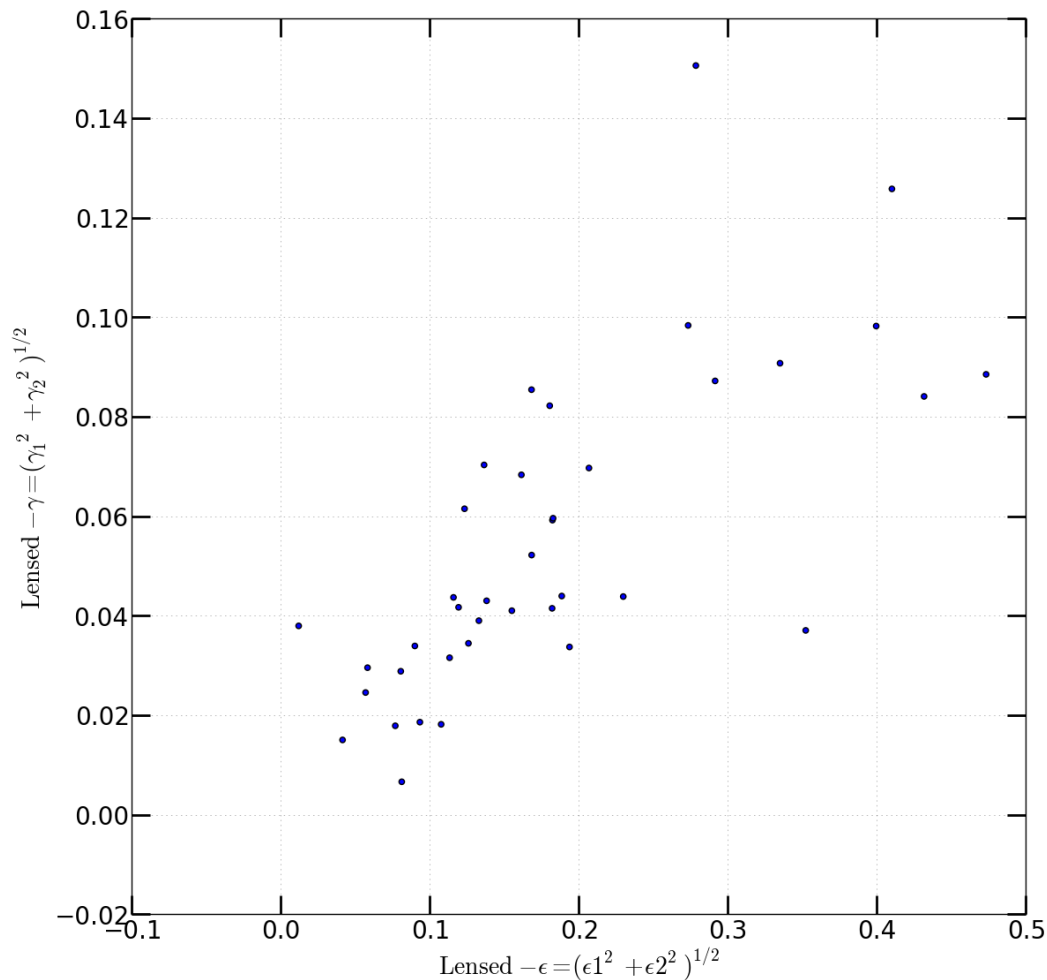
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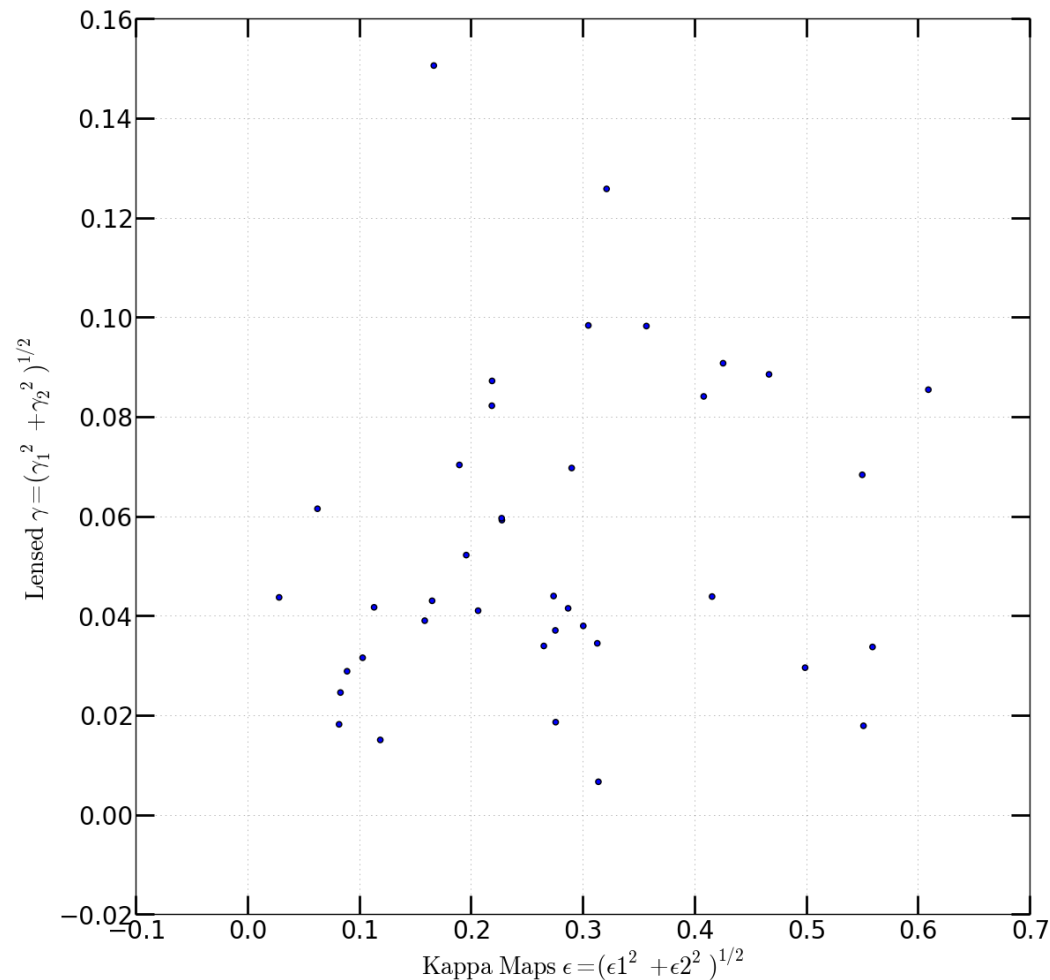
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**Comparison between  
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**Conclusion: A correlation exists between Shear ( $\gamma$ ) and coupled  $q$  &  $\Phi$  in complex space**

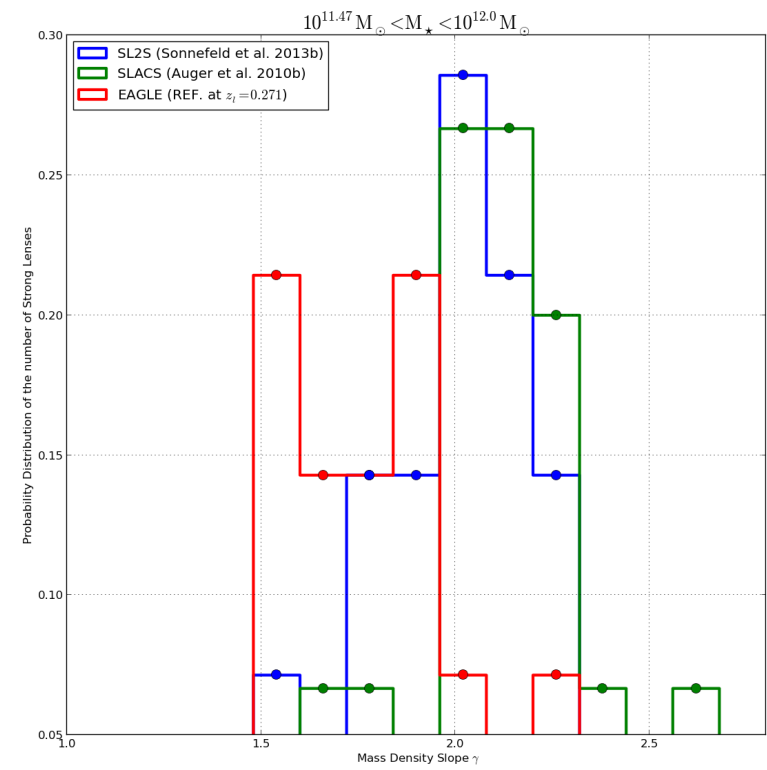
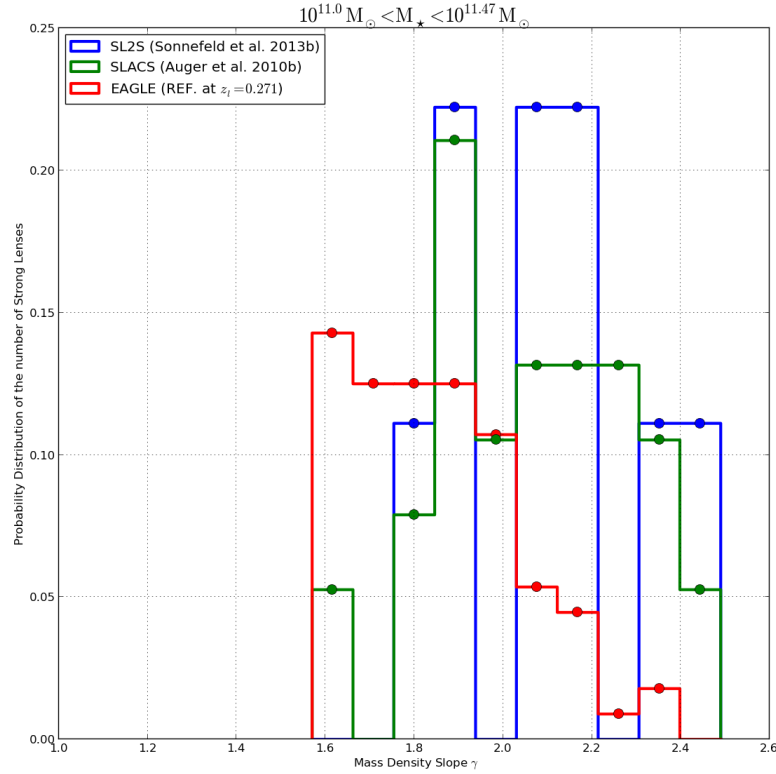
**For a tighter constrain on the correlation we need :**

- (i) shear, axis ratio and PA params of more modelled lens**
- (ii) lenses made from different galaxy formation scenarios**

# REFERENCE 50cMpc

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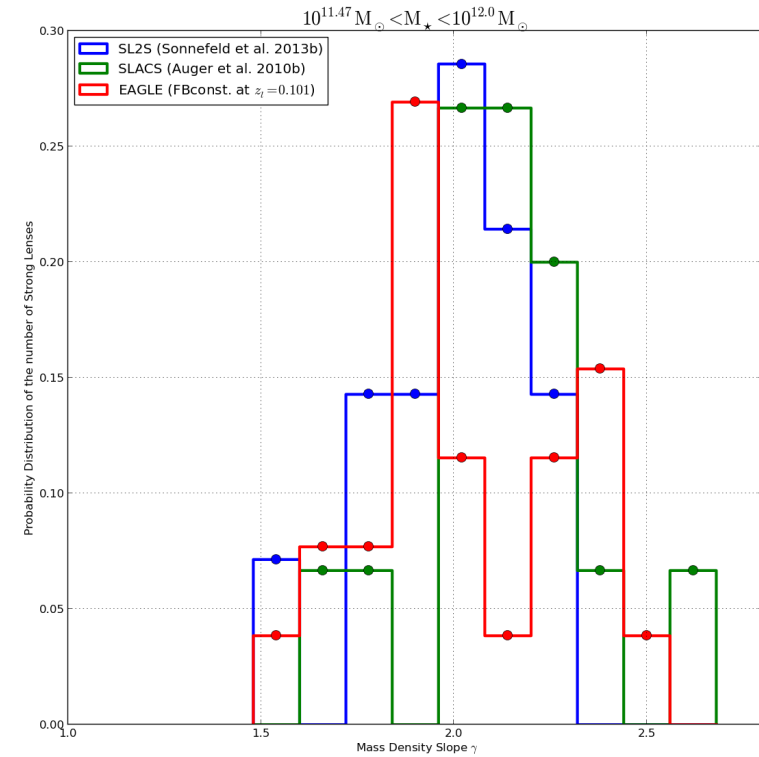
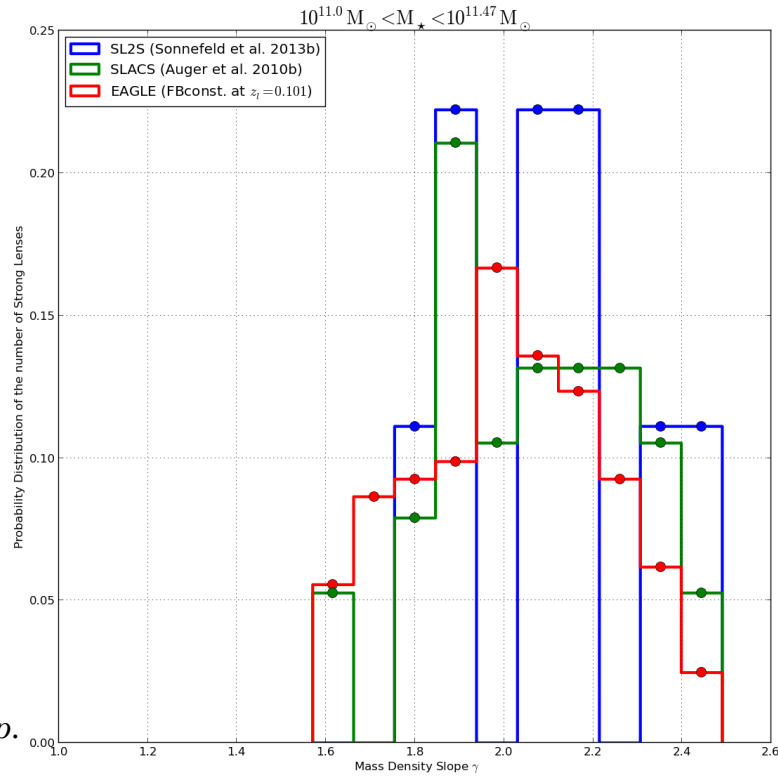
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# FB constant 50cMpc

$z_l=0.101$

The scaling variable of the efficiency of star formation feedback  $(f_{th}) = 1$





# Summary

1. An automatic pipeline for **creating & modelling** mock lenses with a high resolution hydrodynamic simulations, EAGLE, mimicking observational surveys and analysing them similar to real lenses. (**SEAGLE I**).
2. We quantify the effect(s) of projection/orientation of galaxies and compare properties of simulated mock strong lenses with SLACS & SL2S Lenses (**SEAGLE I & II**).
3. Applying the pipeline to different boxes and variety of galaxy formation scenarios (*Crain et al. 2015*) and source profiles to constrain the galaxy-formation mechanisms. (**SEAGLE II**).

## Future Work

1. Mass Power-spectrum analysis on simulated Strong Lenses (with Saikat, **SEAGLE III**) in progress.
2. Comparison with observed Strong Lenses (with Dorota, **SEAGLE IV & V**).

### *Take home message*

**Simulation of realistic mock Strong Lenses is a very promising tool to probe galaxy evolution**