



SICRET: Supernova la Cosmology with (TMN) Ratio EsTimation

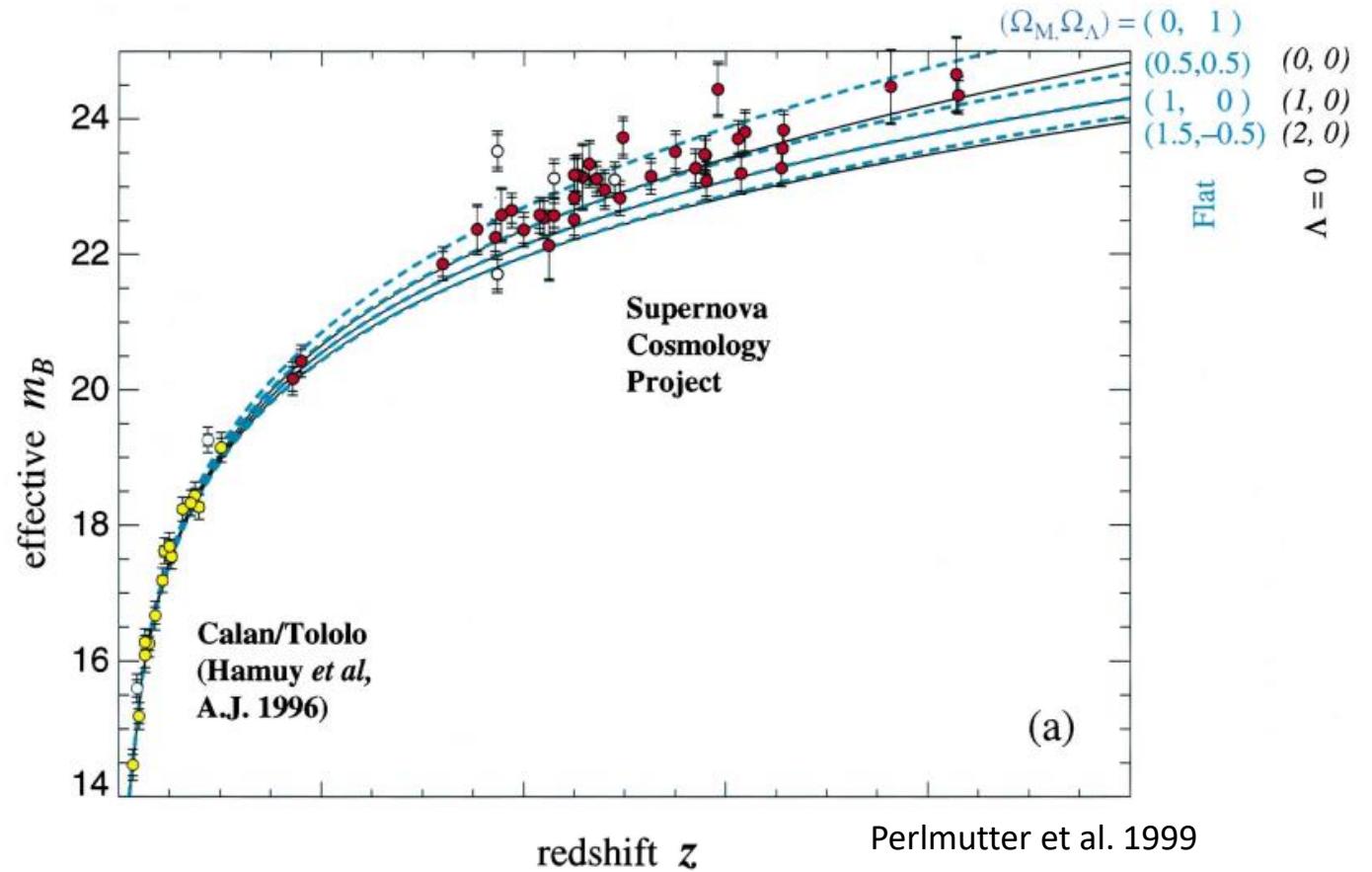
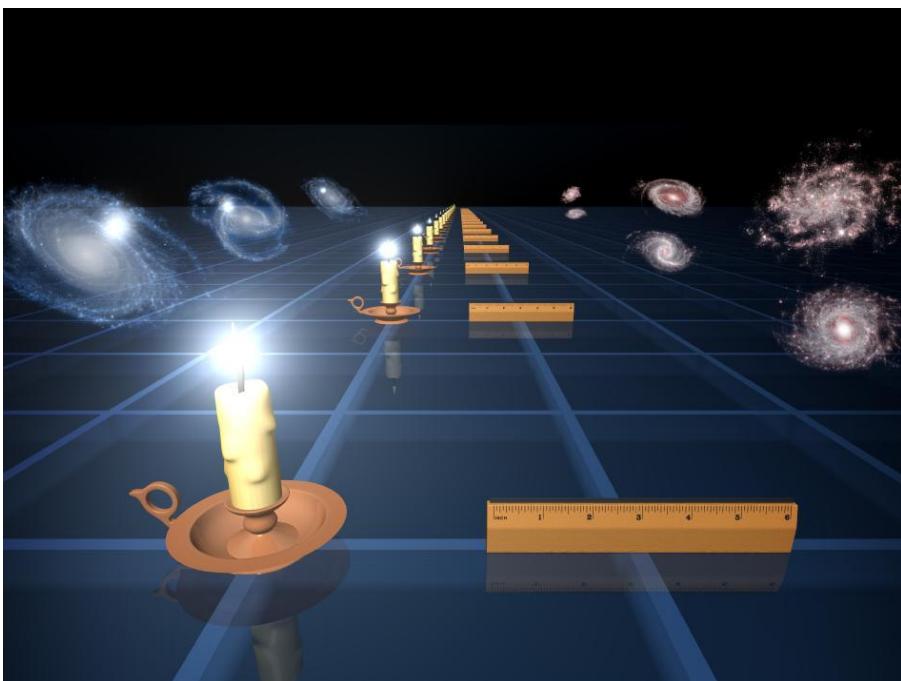
[arXiv:2209.06733](https://arxiv.org/abs/2209.06733)
& the near future

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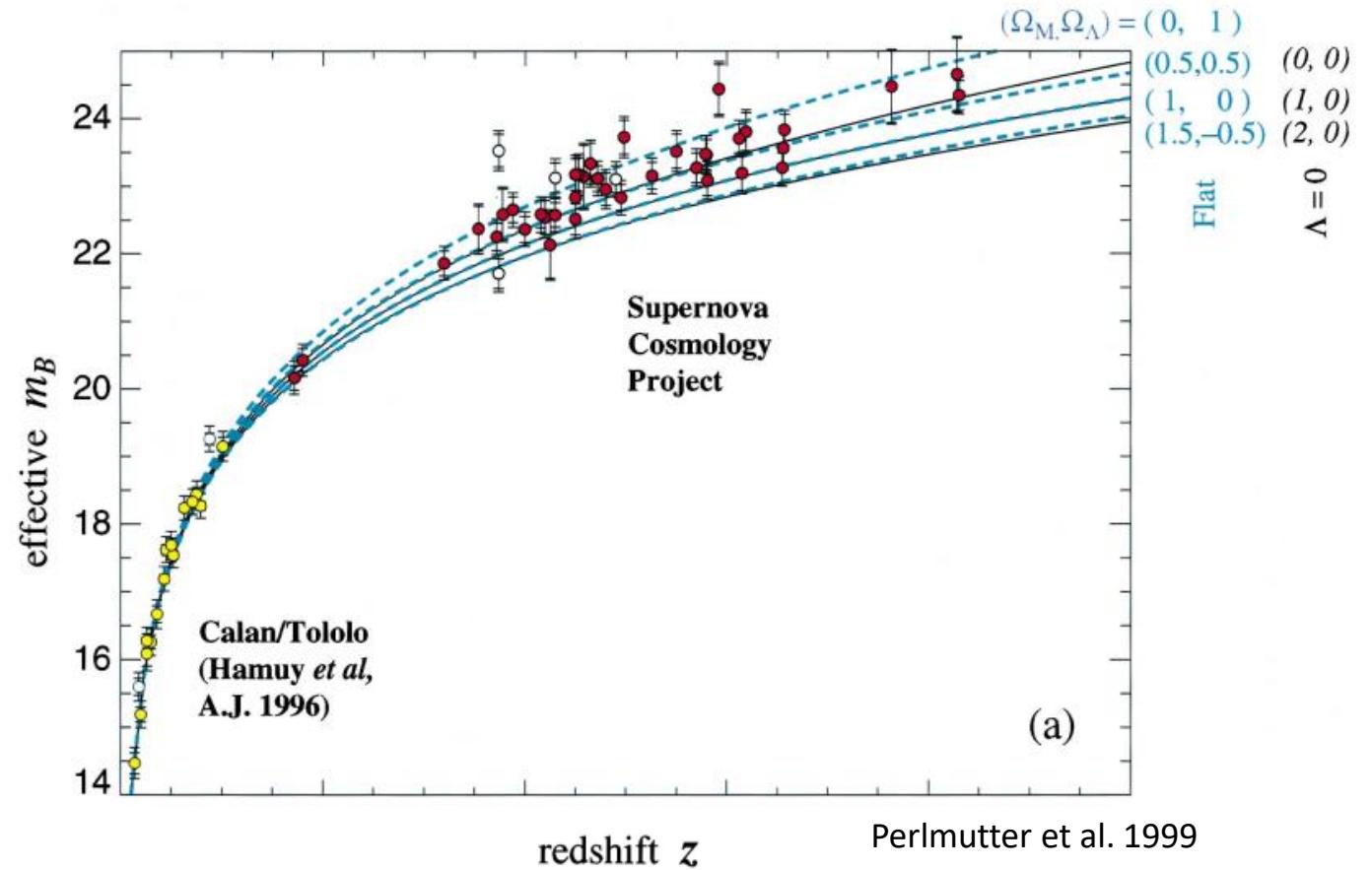
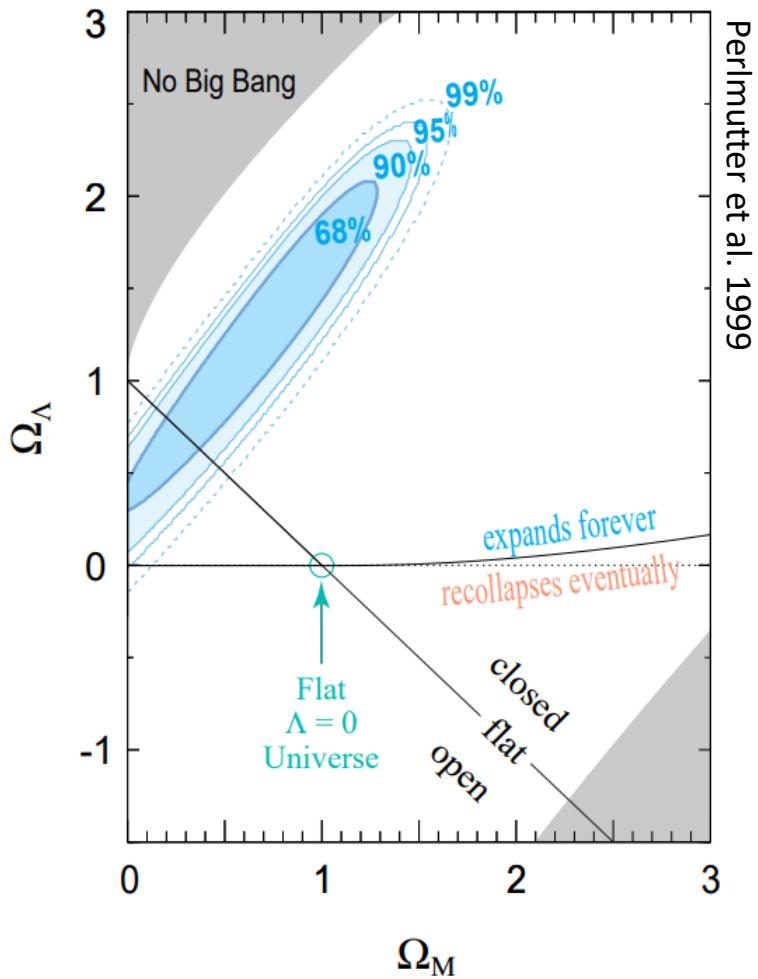
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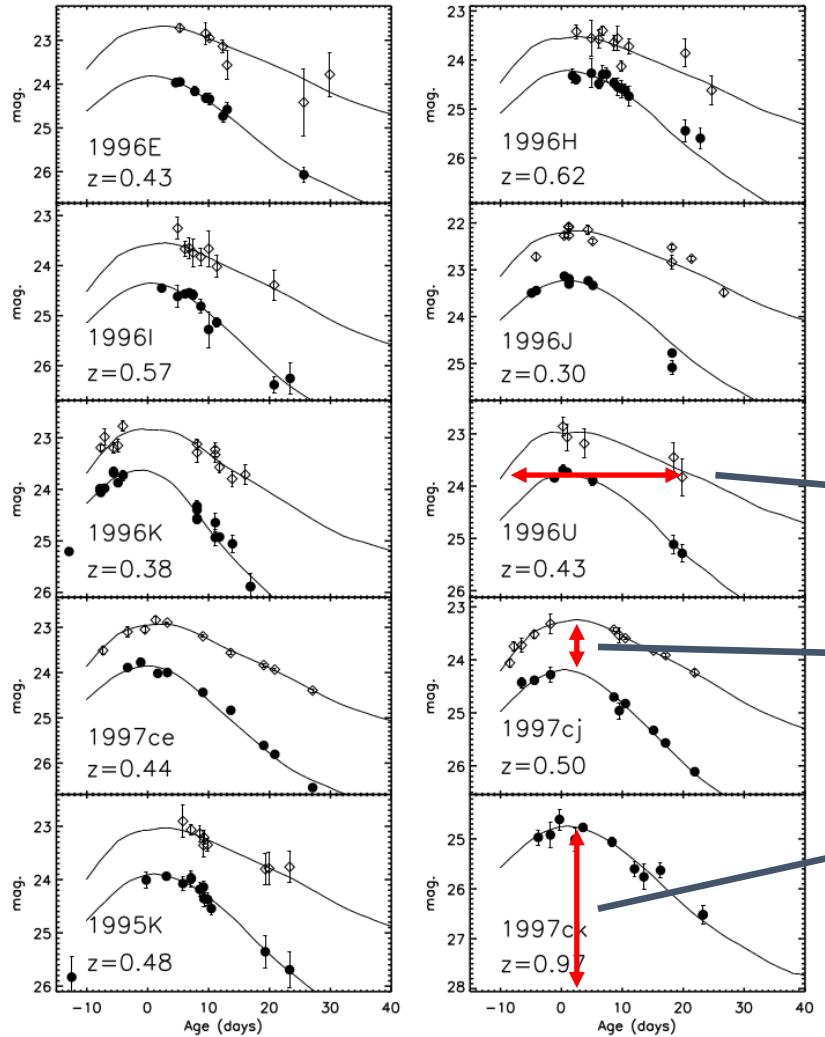
Cosmology with standard candles



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SN Ia cosmology: a Nobel prize



hand-crafted
summaries

$$\chi_1^s \pm \sigma_{\chi_1^s}$$

"stretch"

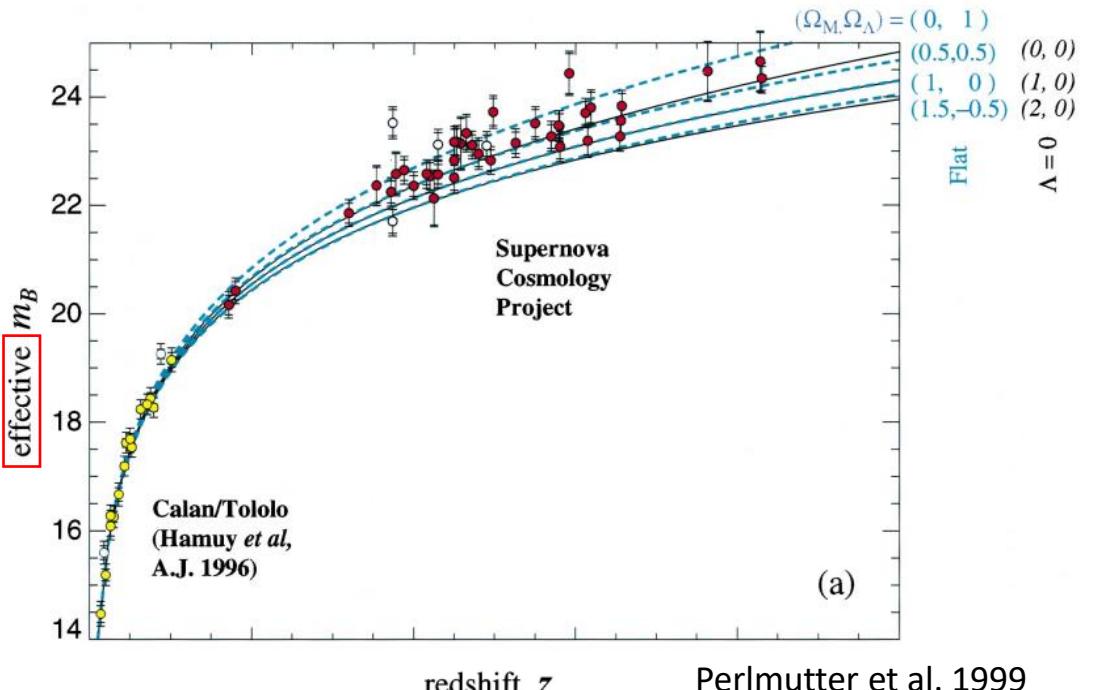
$$c^s \pm \sigma_c^s$$

"colour"

$$m^s \pm \sigma_m^s$$

brightness

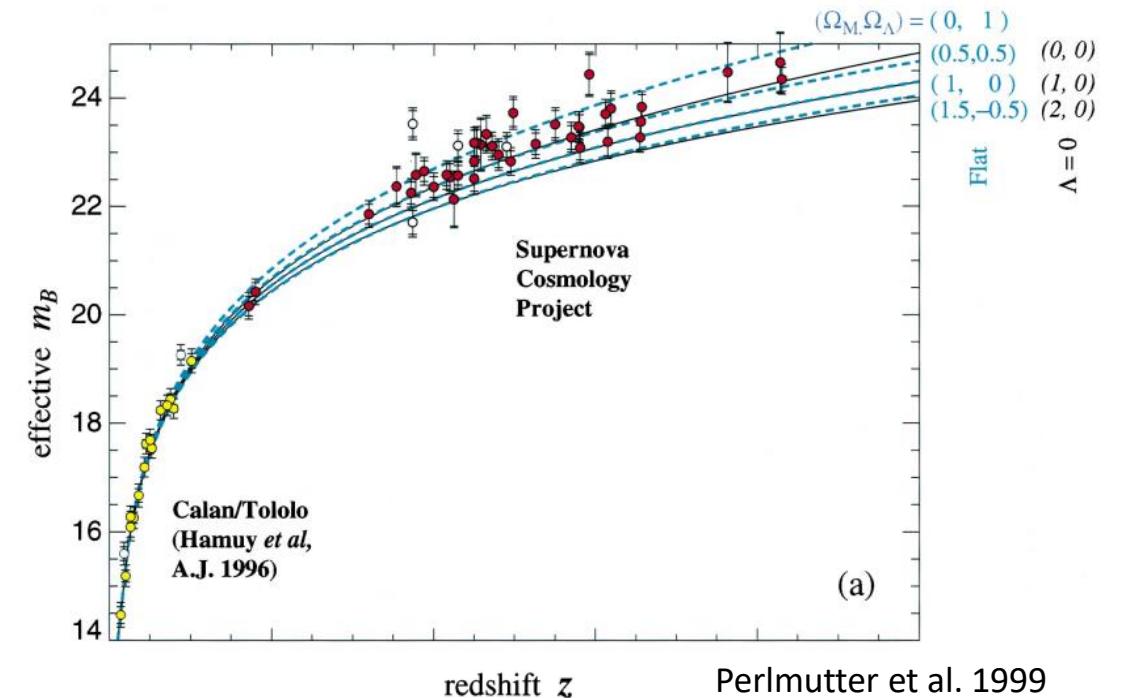
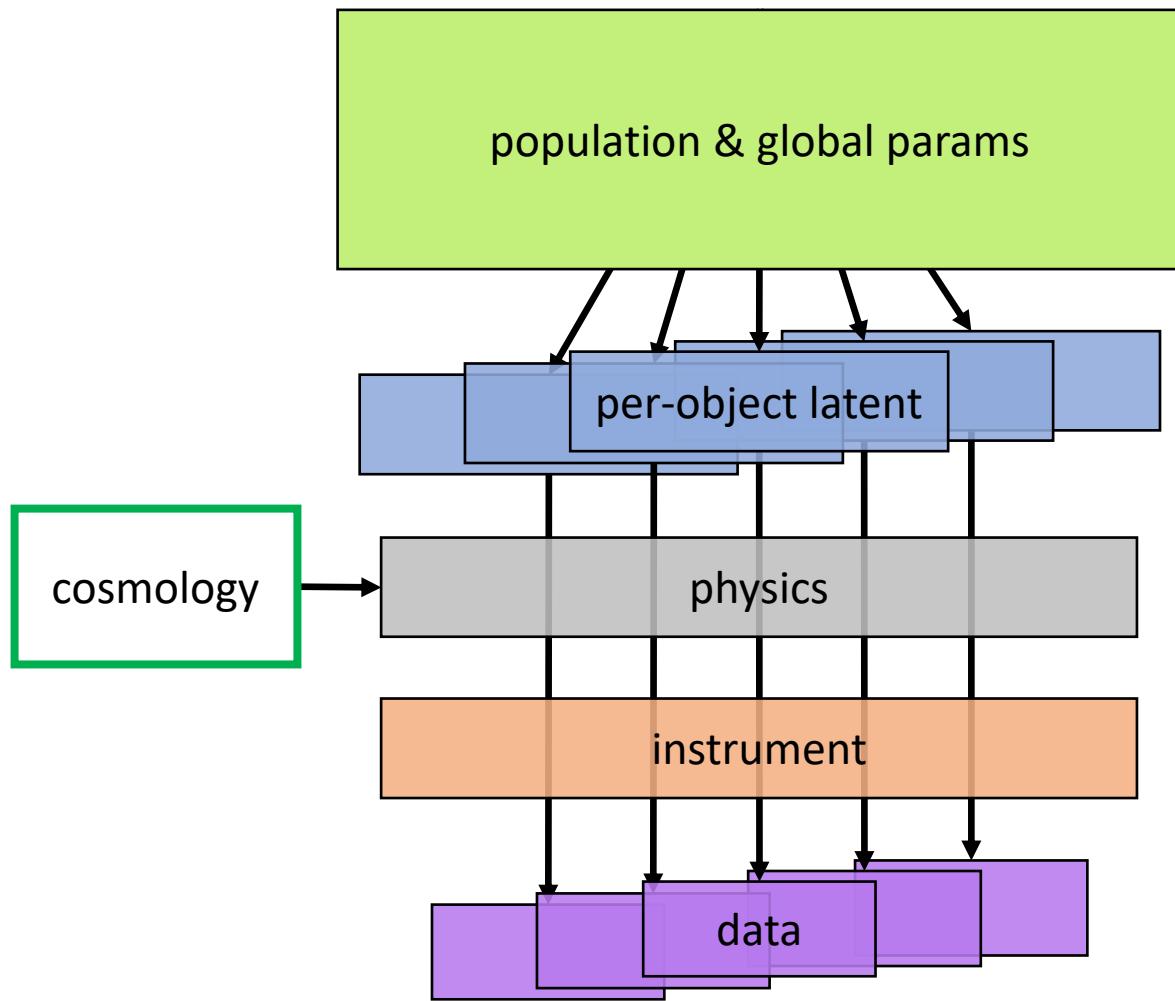
Riess et al. 1999



$$m^s + \alpha \chi_1^s - \beta c^s = M + \mu(z^s, \mathcal{C}) + \text{"noise"}$$

$\mathcal{C} \pm \sigma_{\mathcal{C}}$
posterior

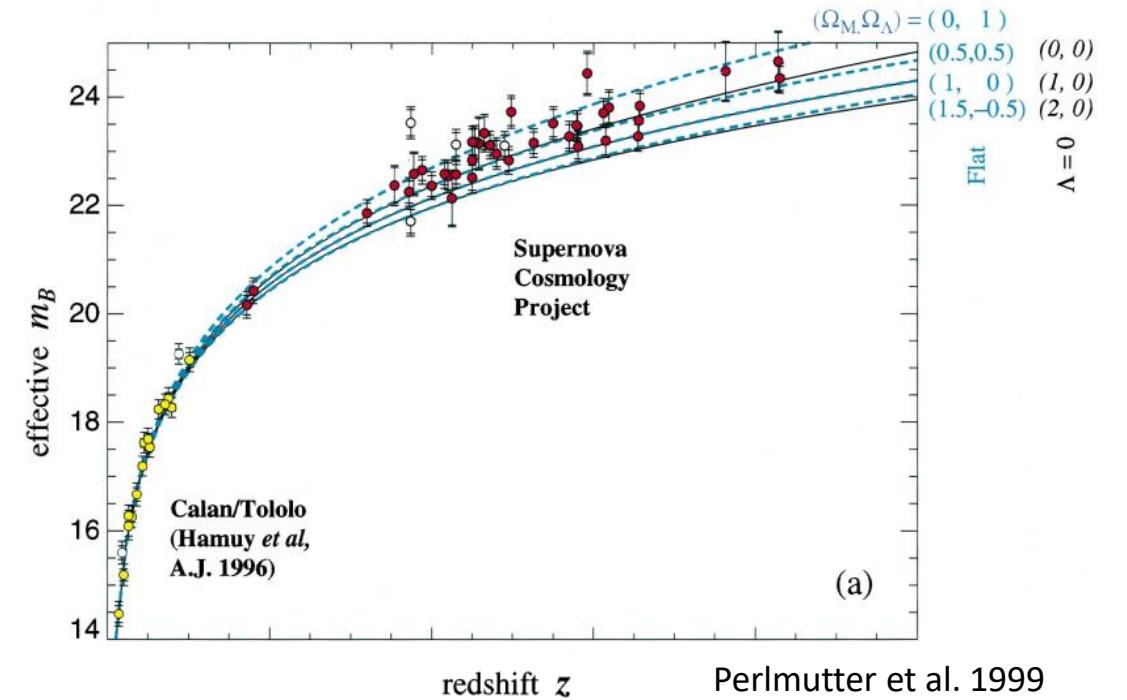
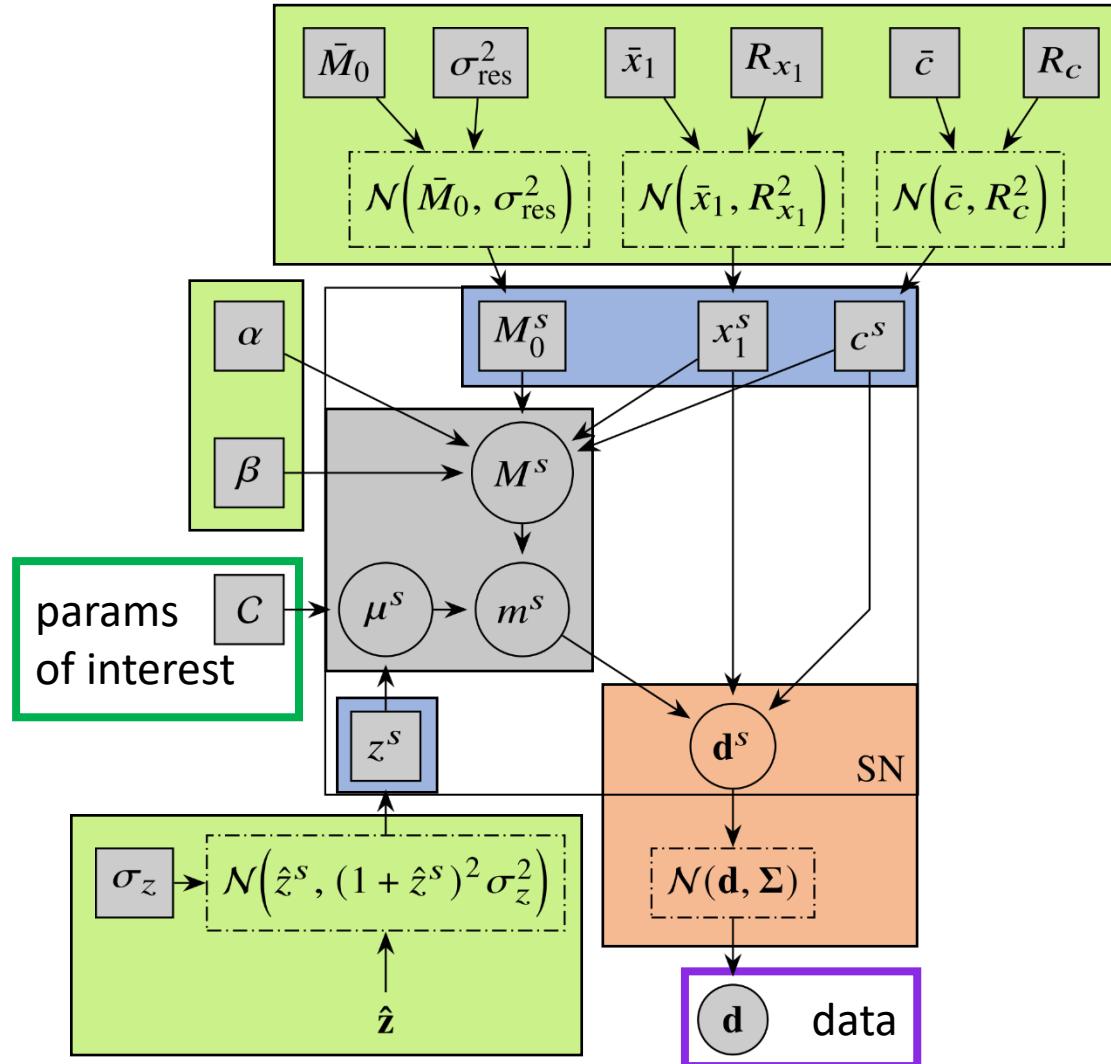
Hierarchical SN Ia cosmology



$$m^s + \alpha x_1^s - \beta c^s = M_0^s + \mu(z^s, \mathcal{C}) + \text{"noise"}$$

↑
population priors

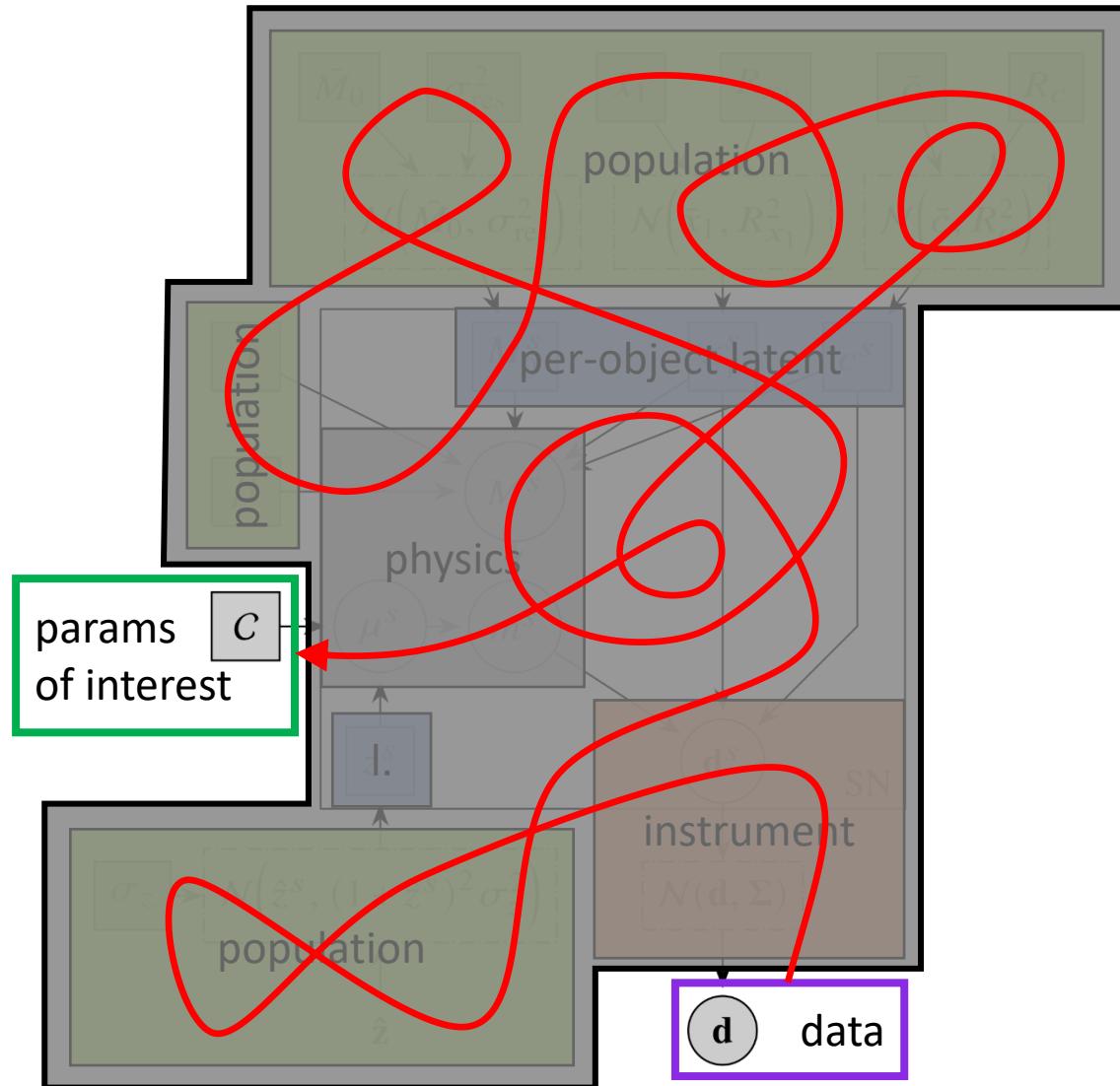
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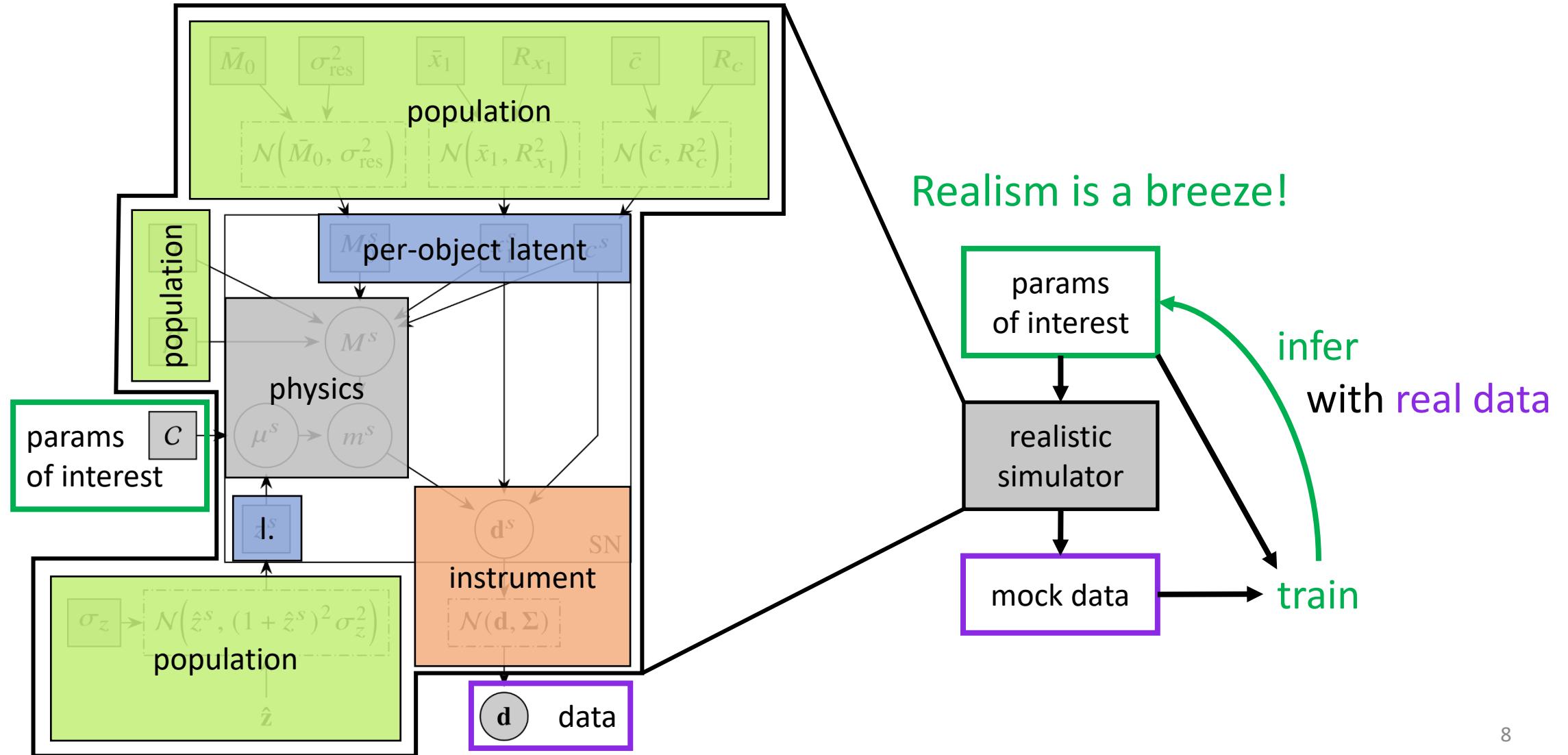
Likelihood-based SN Ia cosmology



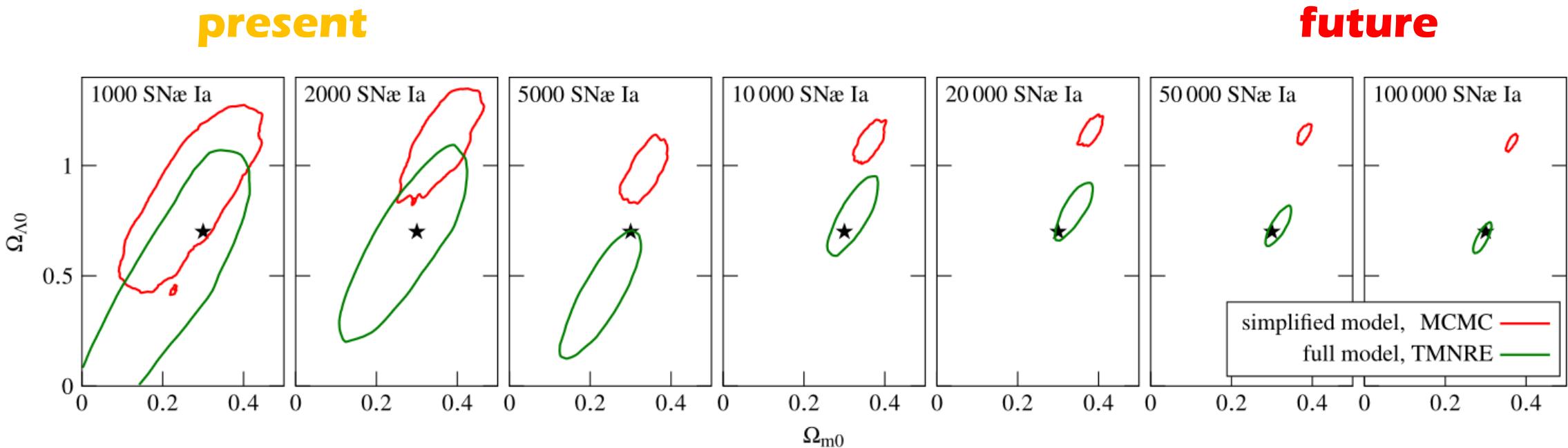
Realism is painful:

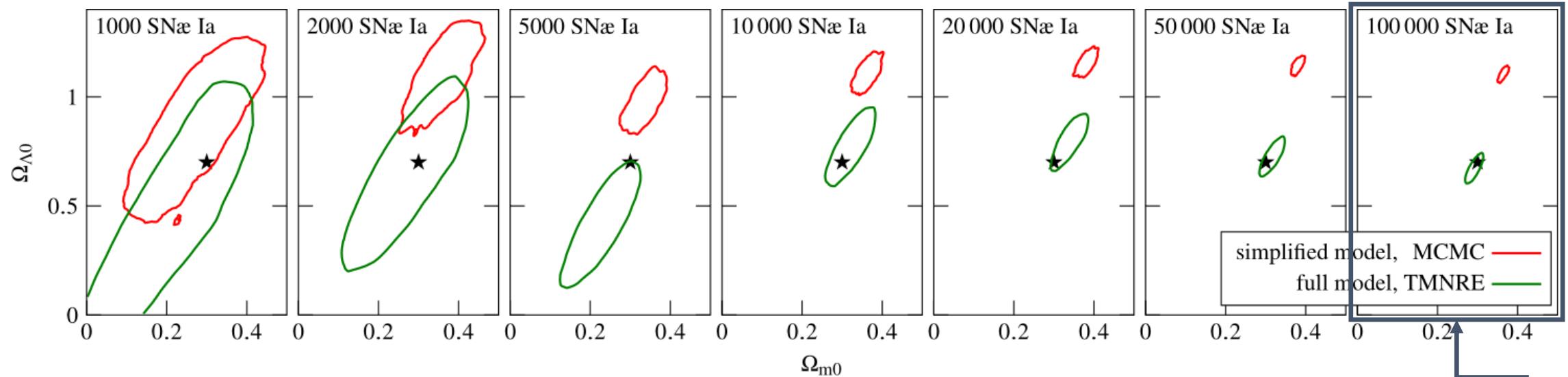
- lightcurve population
- environmental effects & dust
- observational uncertainty model
- photometric redshifts
- selection effects, contamination

Simulation-based SN Ia cosmology

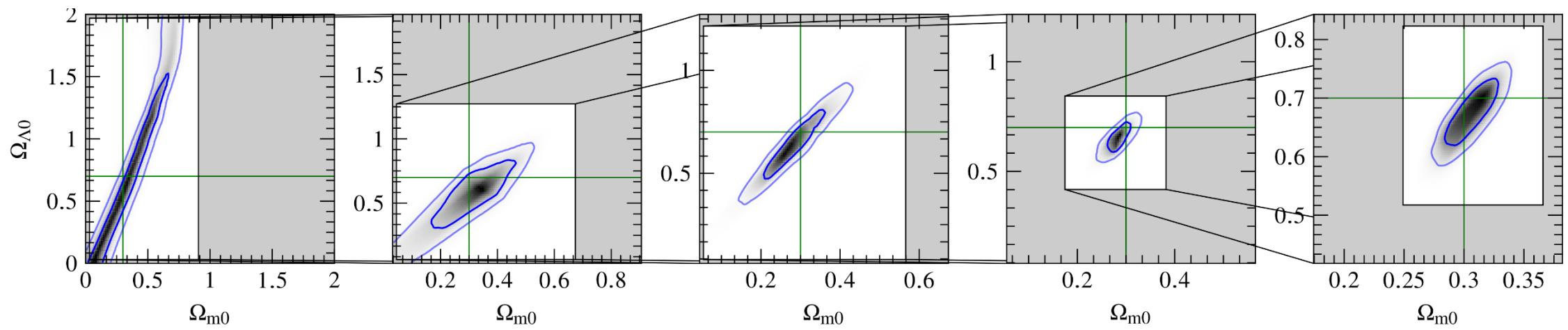


The importance of model realism





stage 0 → stage 1 → stage 2 → stage 3 → stage 4

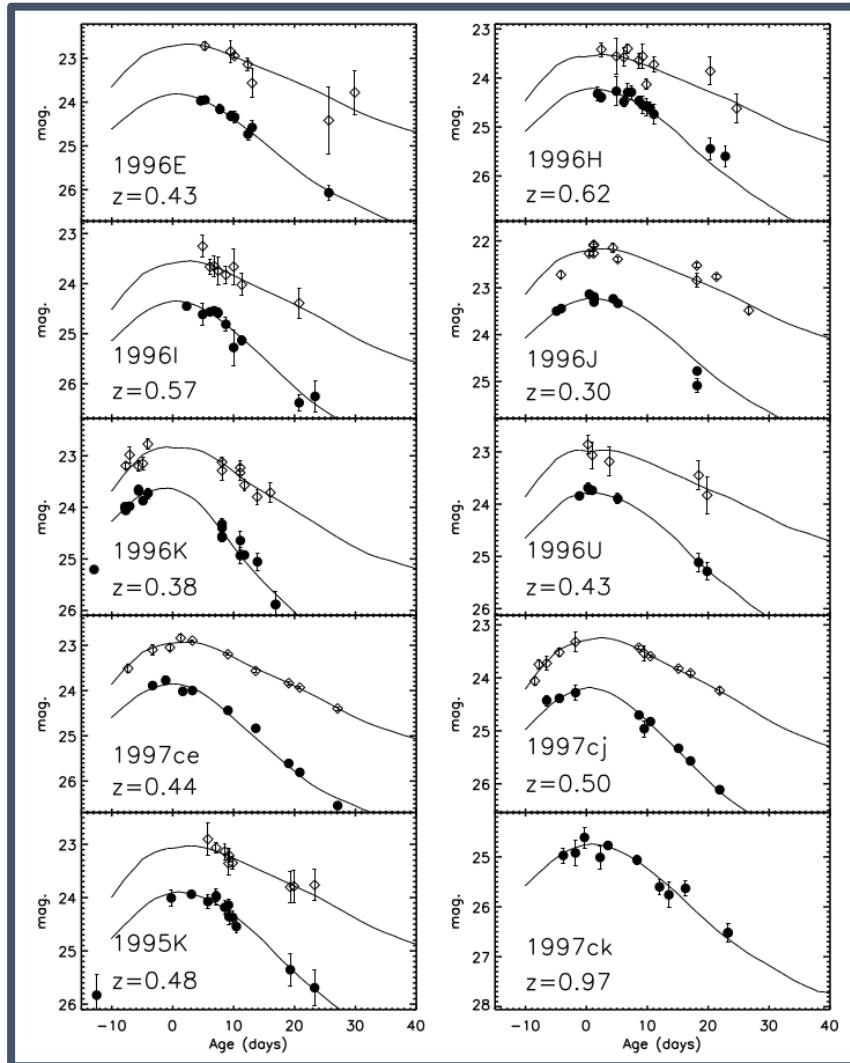


train (~2 h)
truncate global params

...

progressively home in
on true values

Where SBI shines: realism

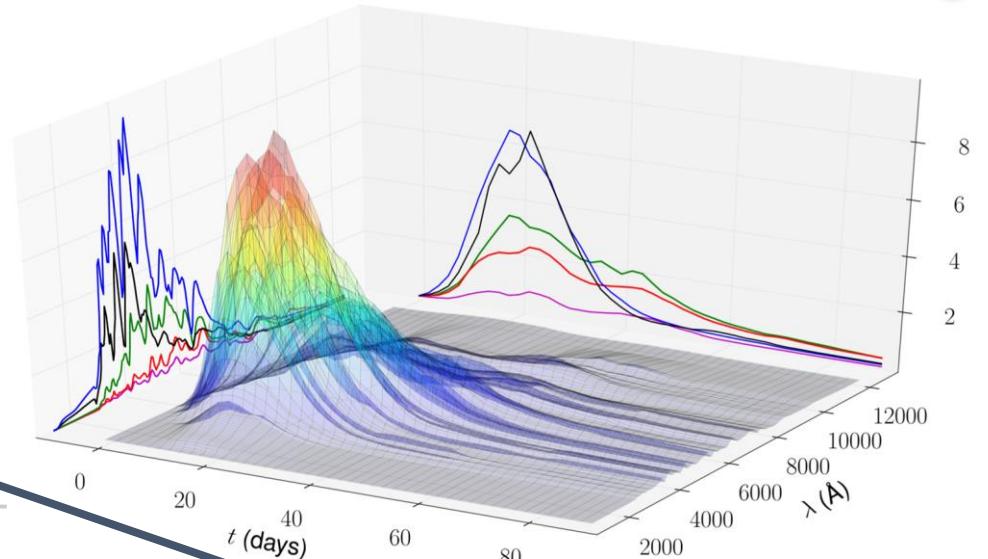


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“stretch”

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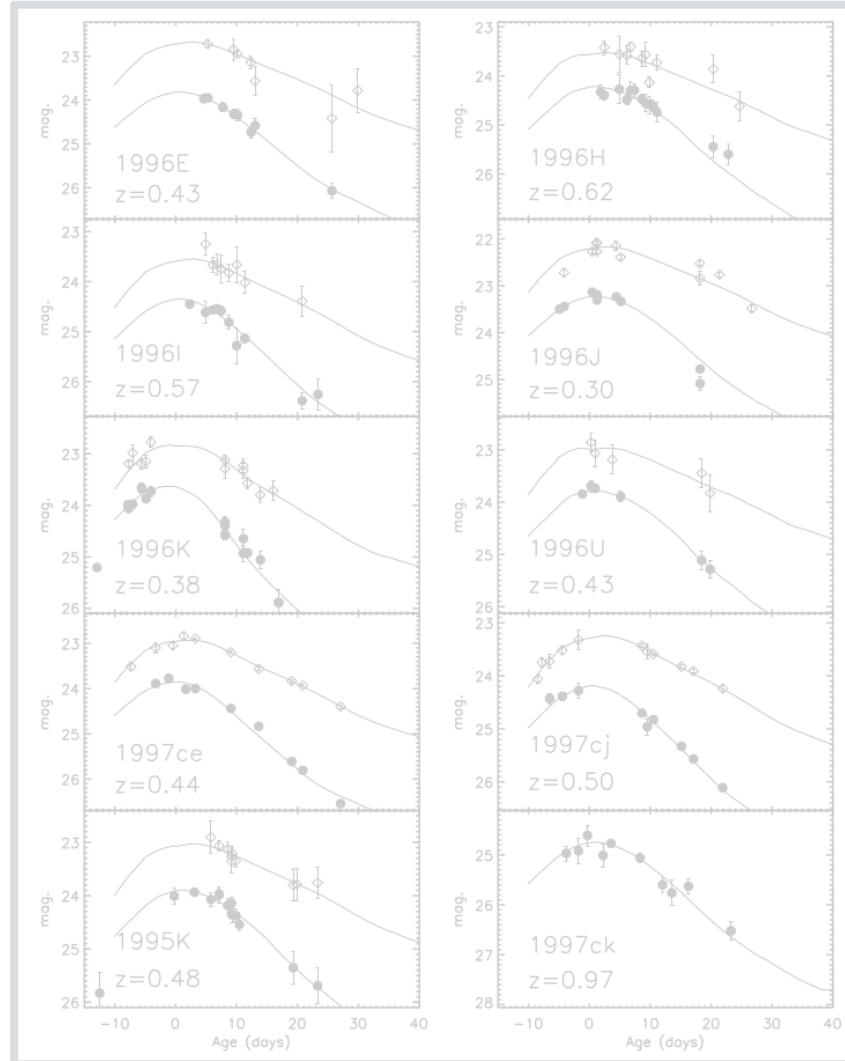
- lightcurve model (+ dust, host):
(pre-trained) BayeSN (Mandel et al.)



population priors

$\mathcal{C} \pm \sigma_{\mathcal{C}}$
posterior

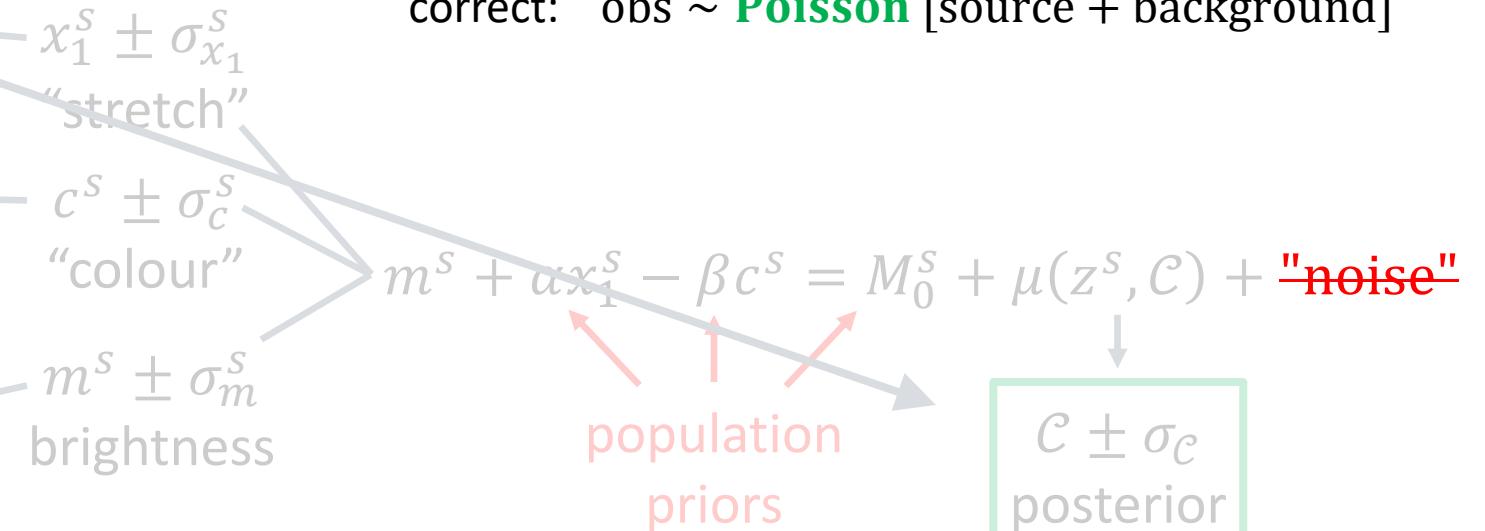
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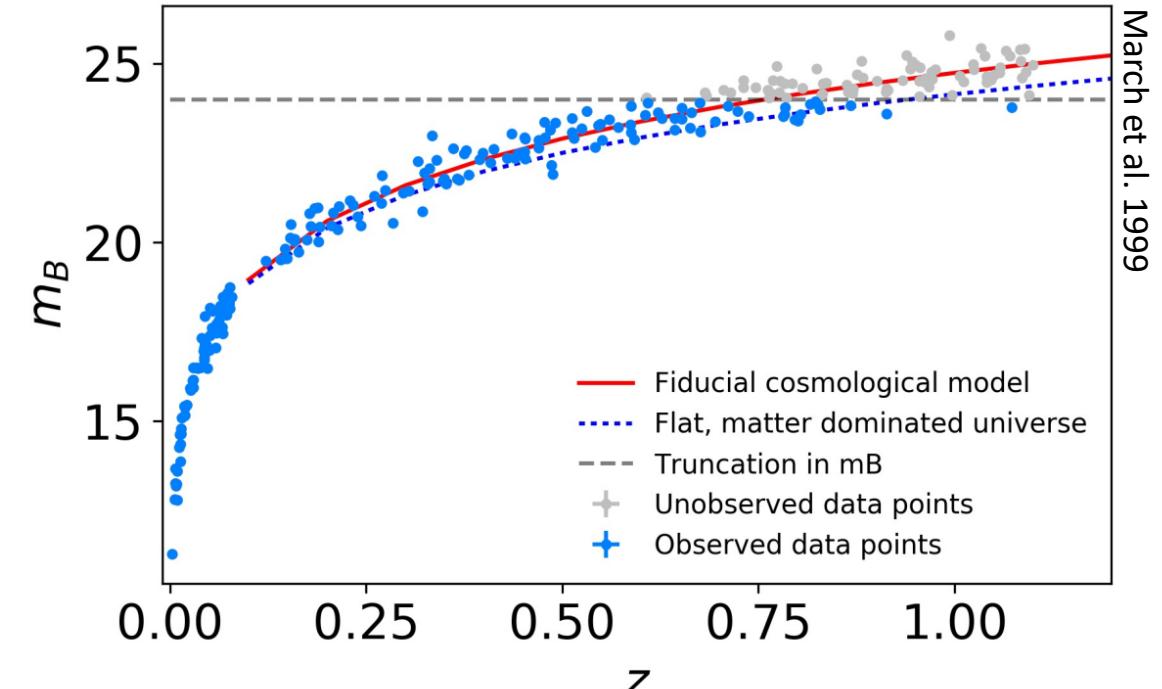
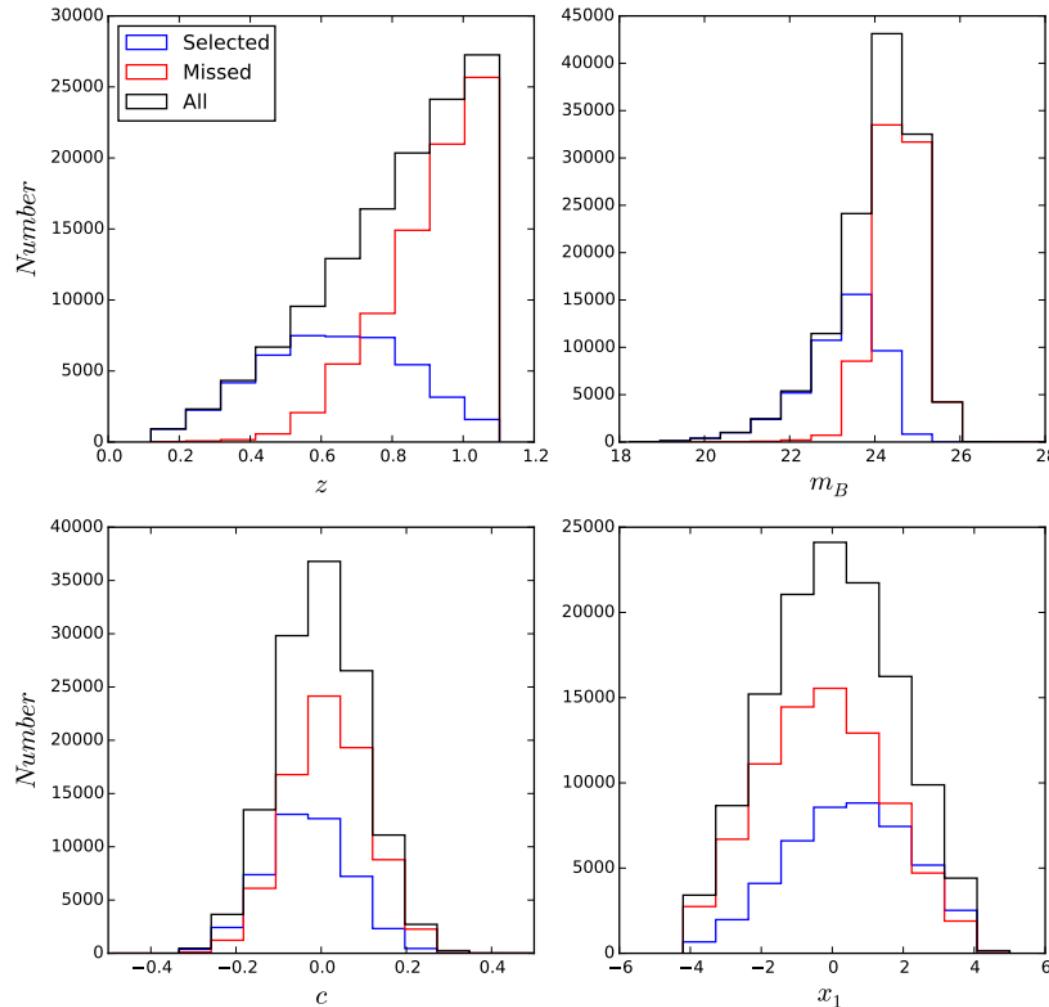
hand-crafted
summaries

- lightcurve model
- instrument model (+ calibration)

wrong: source = obs – background
correct: obs ~ **Poisson** [source + background]



Where SBI shines: selection effects

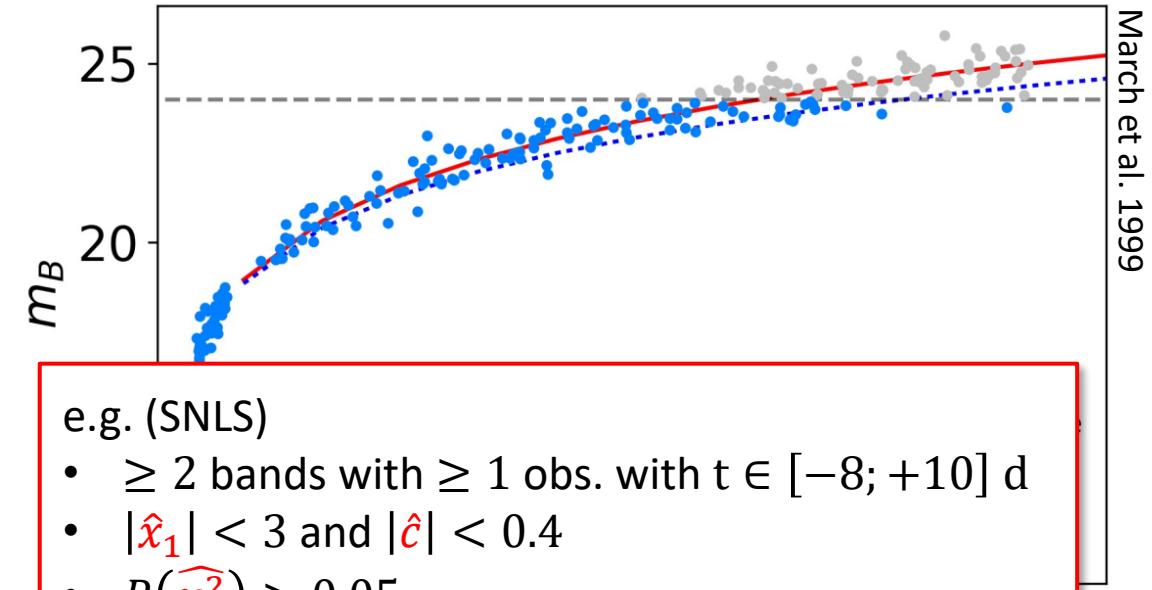
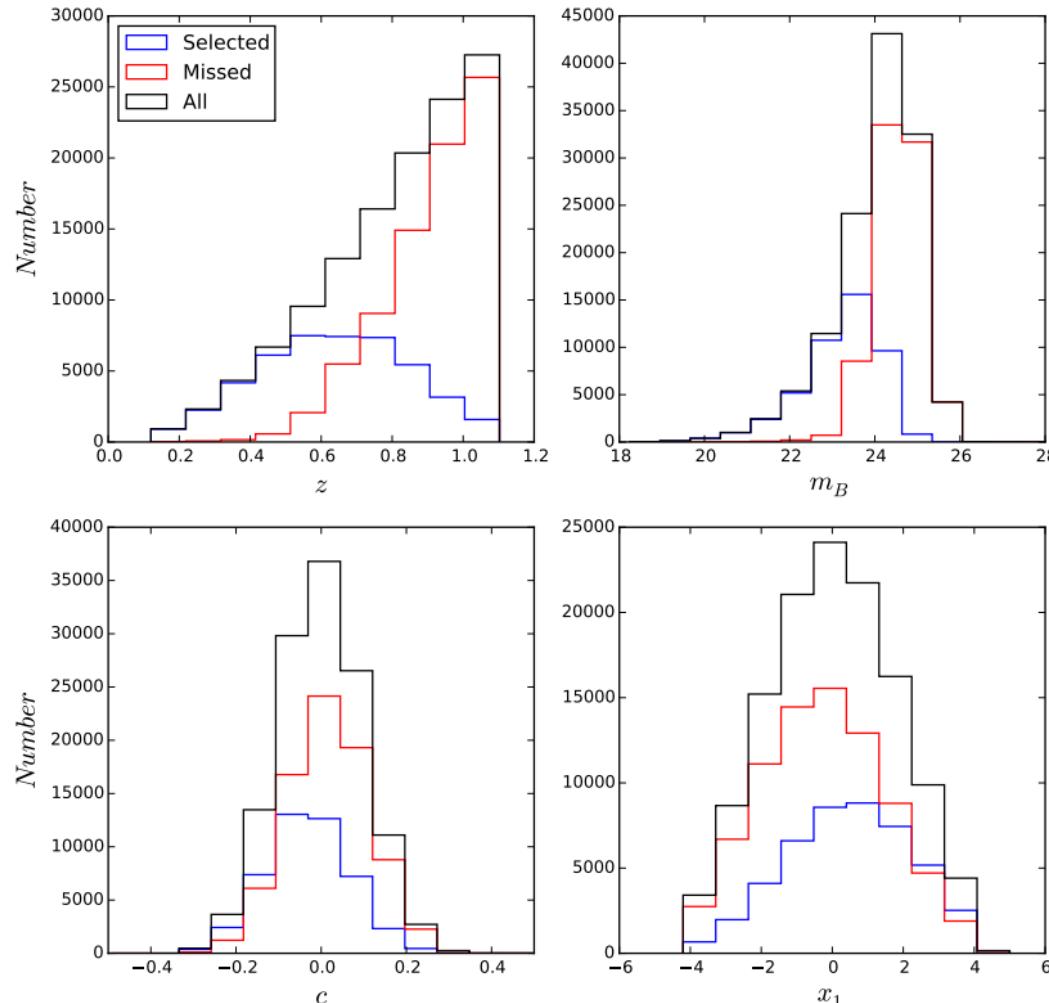


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population priors given SN is observed

$\mathcal{C} \pm \sigma_{\mathcal{C}}$ posterior

Where SBI shines: selection effects



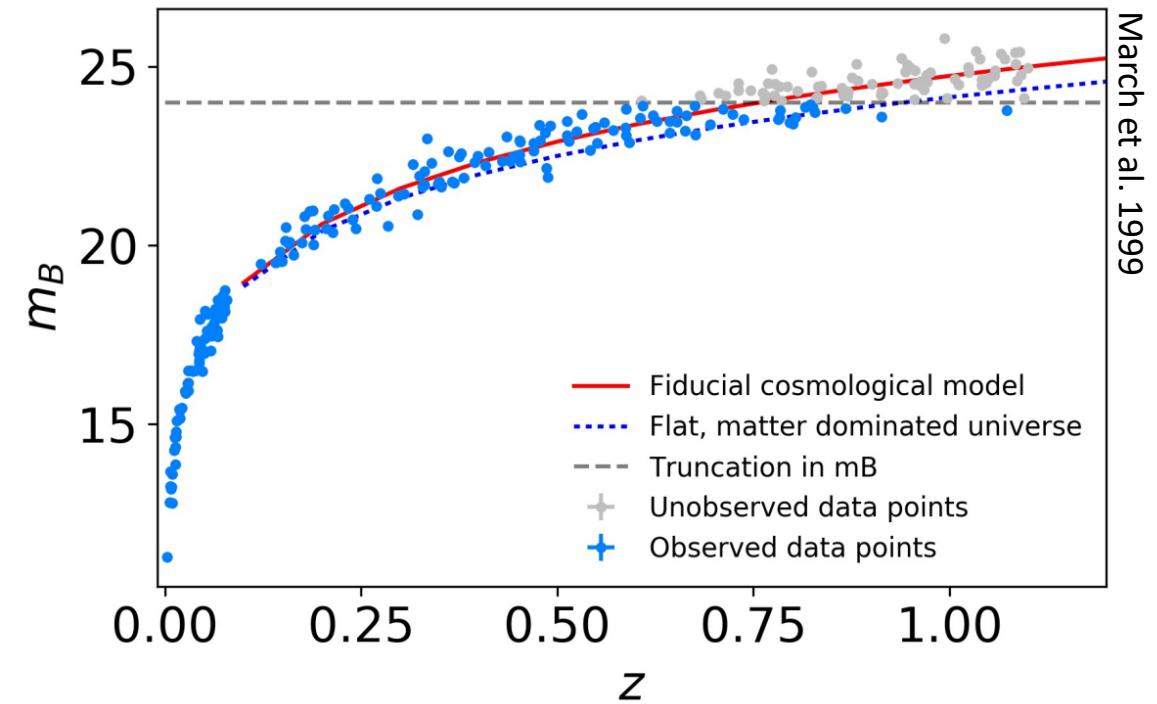
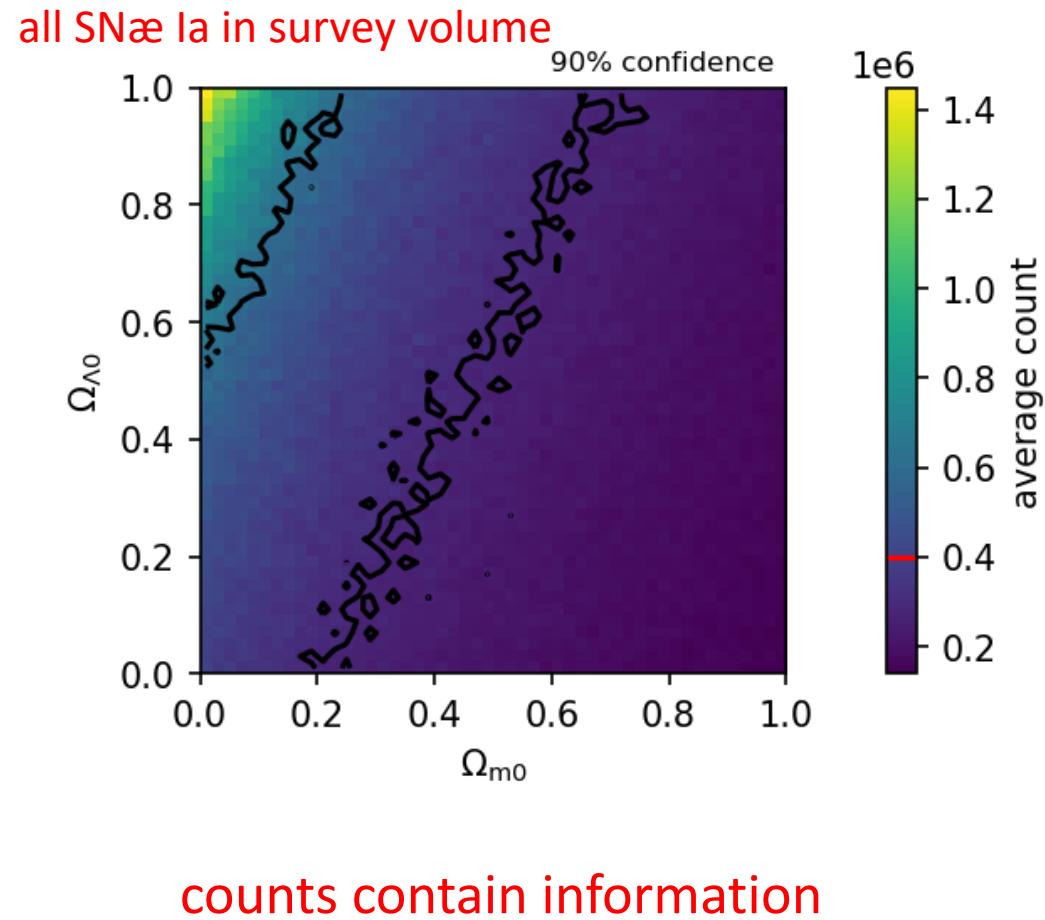
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(cf. "Detection is truncation" ([Anau Montel & Weniger 2022](#)))¹⁵

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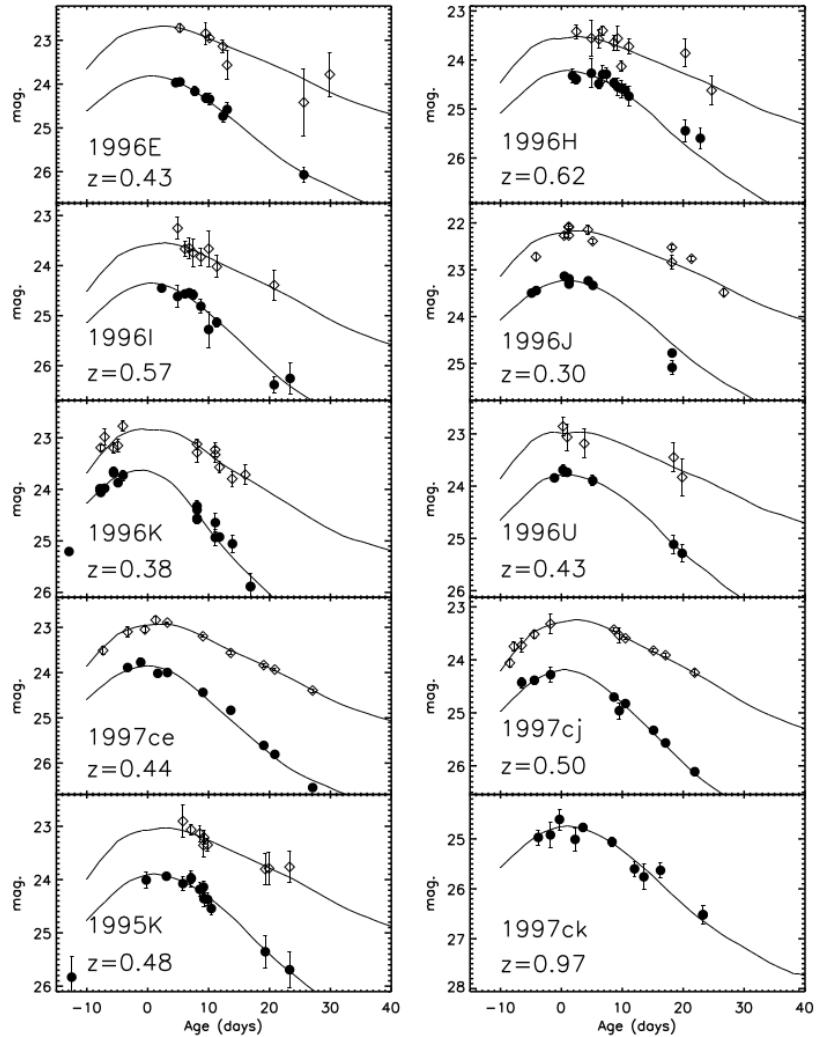
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Diagram illustrating the relationship between observed and unobserved data points and the underlying population priors. Arrows point from the observed data points to the equation, indicating that the observed data is used to update the population priors to a posterior distribution $\mathcal{C} \pm \sigma_{\mathcal{C}}$.

SN Ia cosmology: a dataset



$S^1 \rightarrow m^s, x_1^s, c^s, z^s \text{ & covar ?!}$

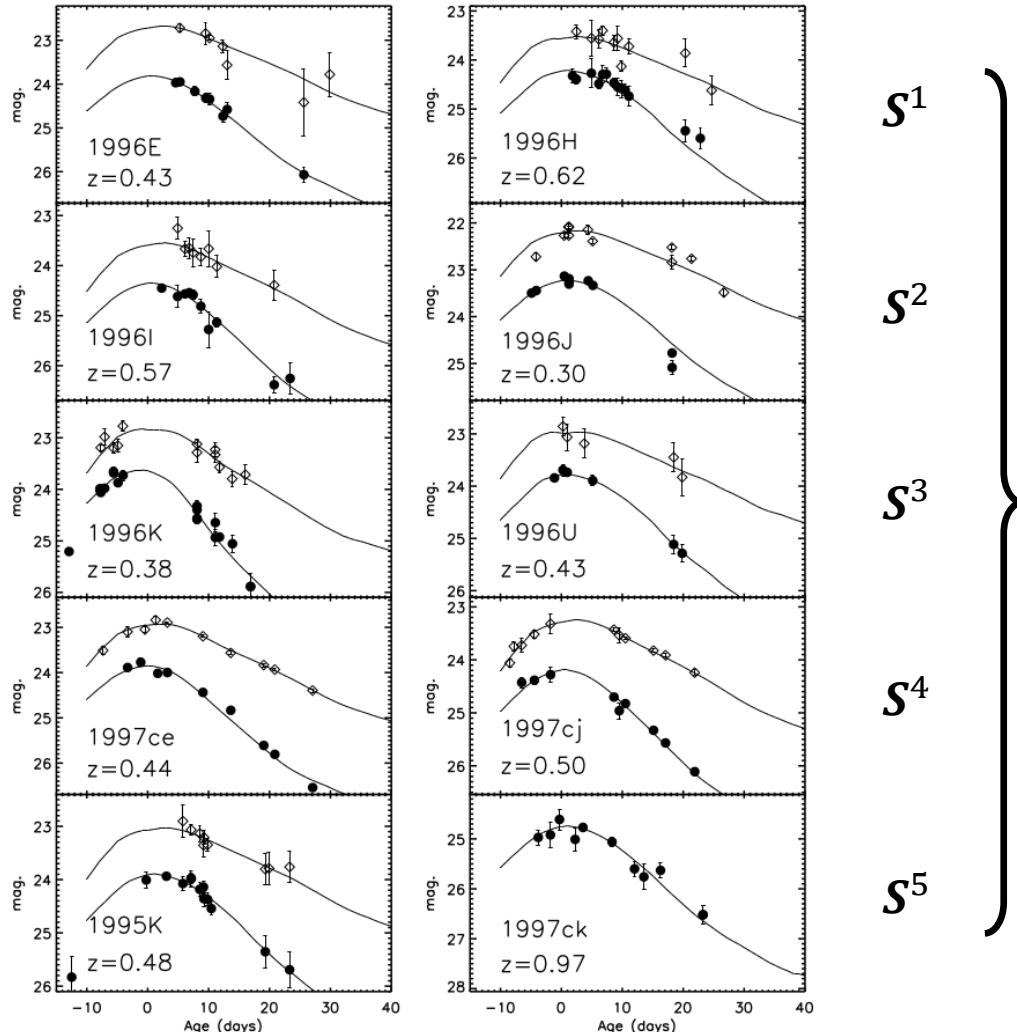
S^2

S^3

S^4

S^5

SN Ia cosmology: a dataset summary

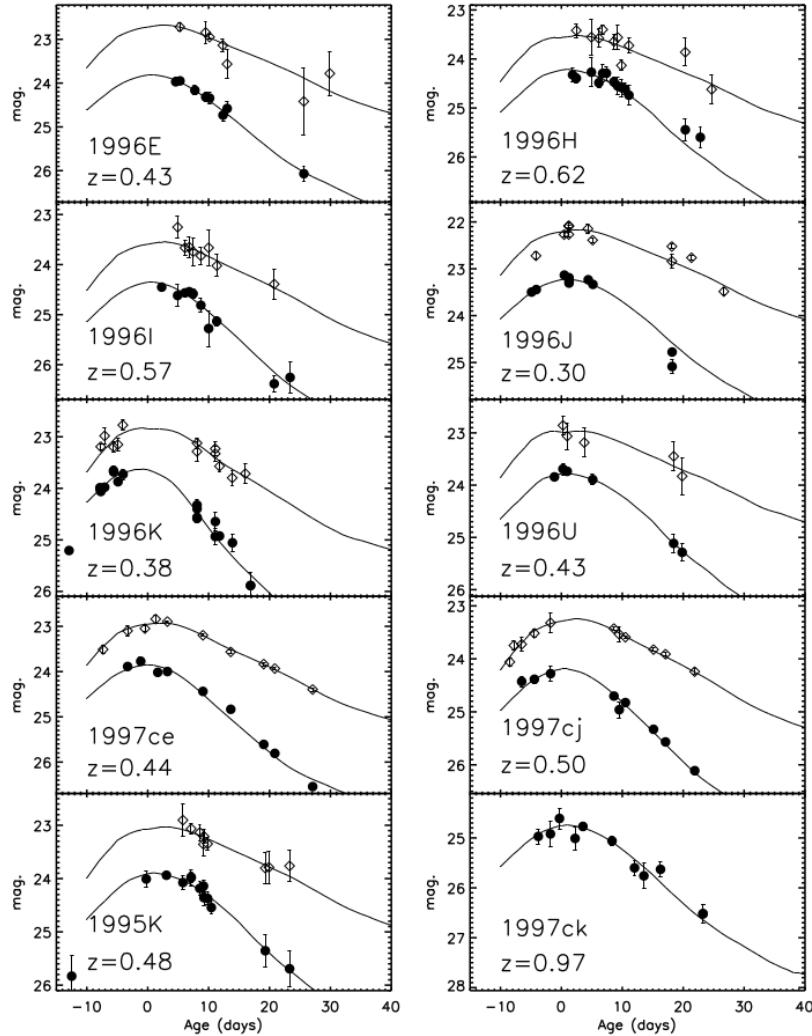


$$\left. \begin{array}{c} S^1 \\ S^2 \\ S^3 \\ S^4 \\ S^5 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\text{dataset summary: } \mathcal{S} = \rho_{\text{NN}} \left[\sum_S \phi_{\text{NN}}(\mathcal{S}^S) \right]$$

“Deep Sets” ([1703.06114](#))
“Set Transformers” ([1810.00825](#))

SN Ia cosmology: a set dataset

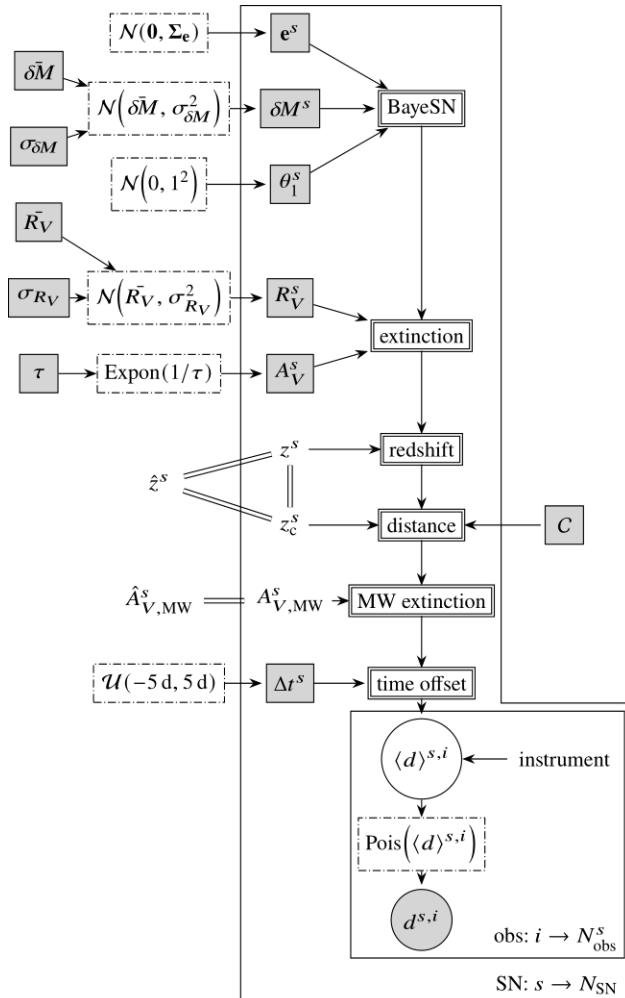


$$\begin{aligned}
 & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} d^1 \\ d^2 \\ \dots \end{array} \right\} \quad S^1 = \rho_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}} \left[\sum_{i \in \text{SN}^1} \phi_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{d}^i) \right] \\
 & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} d^{25} \\ d^{26} \\ \dots \end{array} \right\} \quad S^2 = \rho_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}} \left[\sum_{i \in \text{SN}^2} \phi_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{d}^i) \right] \\
 & \left\{ \begin{array}{l} d^{42} \\ d^{43} \\ \dots \end{array} \right\} \quad S^3 = \rho_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}} \left[\sum_{i \in \text{SN}^3} \phi_{\text{NN}}^{\text{obs}}(\mathbf{d}^i) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$\mathbf{S} = \rho_{\text{NN}} \left[\sum_S \phi_{\text{NN}}(S^S) \right]$

State of affairs

SIDE-real: Sn Ia Dust Extinction with real(istic) data

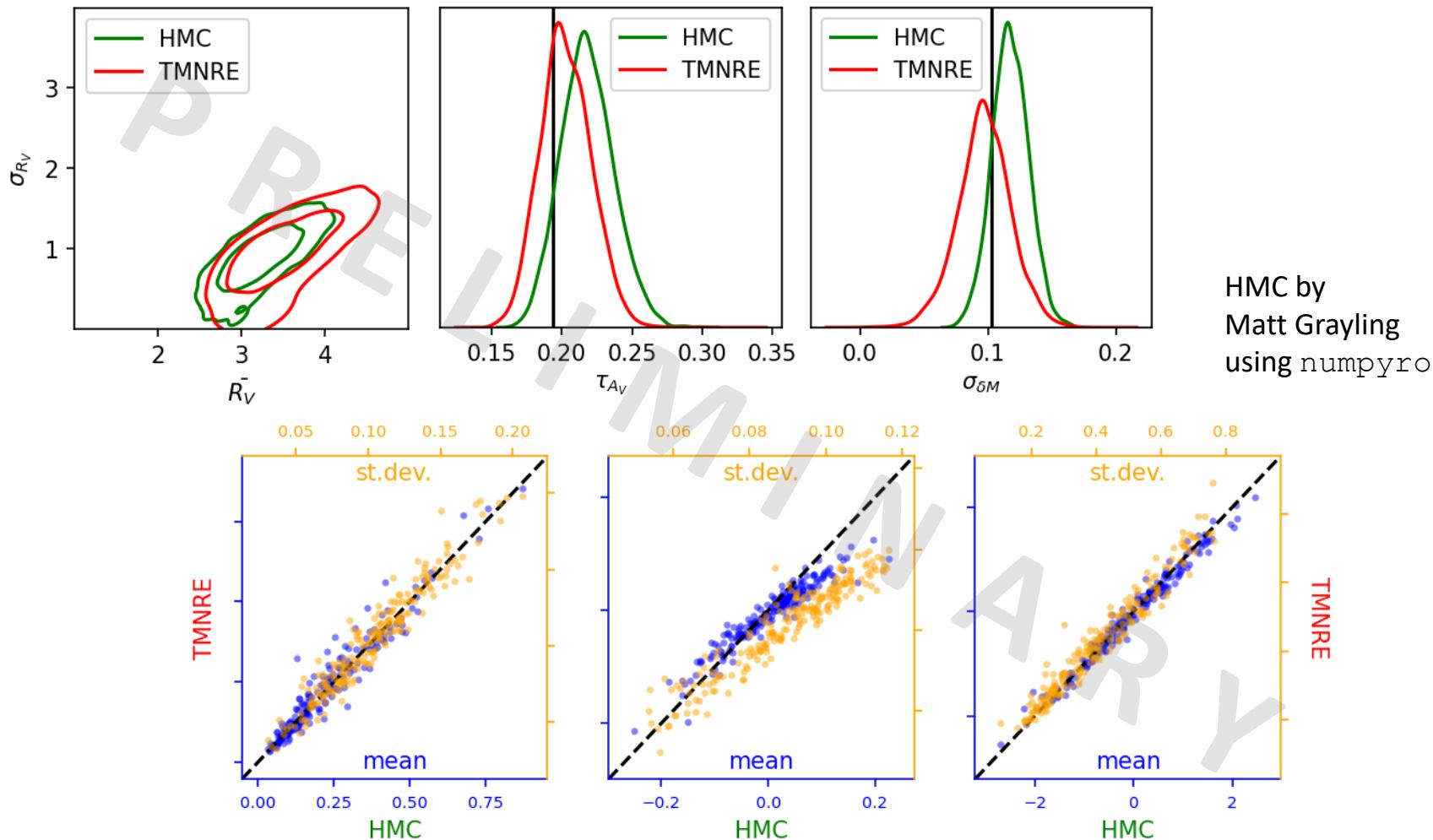
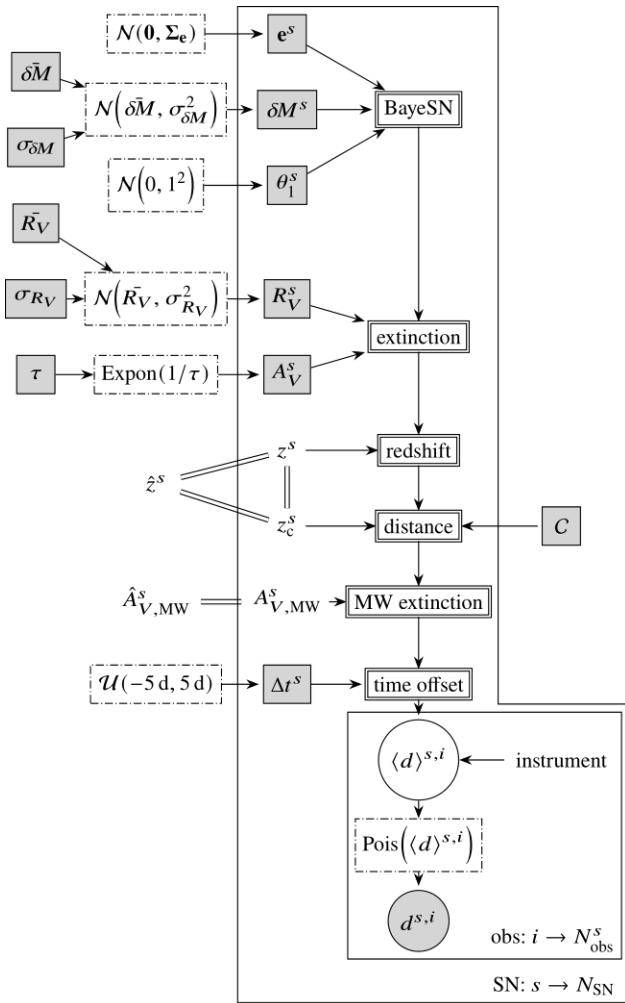


- BayeSN
 - pre-trained lightcurve model (for now?)
 - host & MW extinction
- “calibrated fluxes” (for now) vs. raw counts
- fixed redshifts and distances (for now)
- DES 3yr (for now), Foundation ([Thorp et al. 2021](#))
 - ~ 200 low-redshift SNæ la with spec-z
 - ~ 10000 observations (data vector)

➤ tackle real data, assuming completeness

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**Thank you for
your attention!**

“An illustration of a supernova explosion with swirling cosmic gases in the background, inspired by the surrealist paintings of Salvador Dalí”

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