

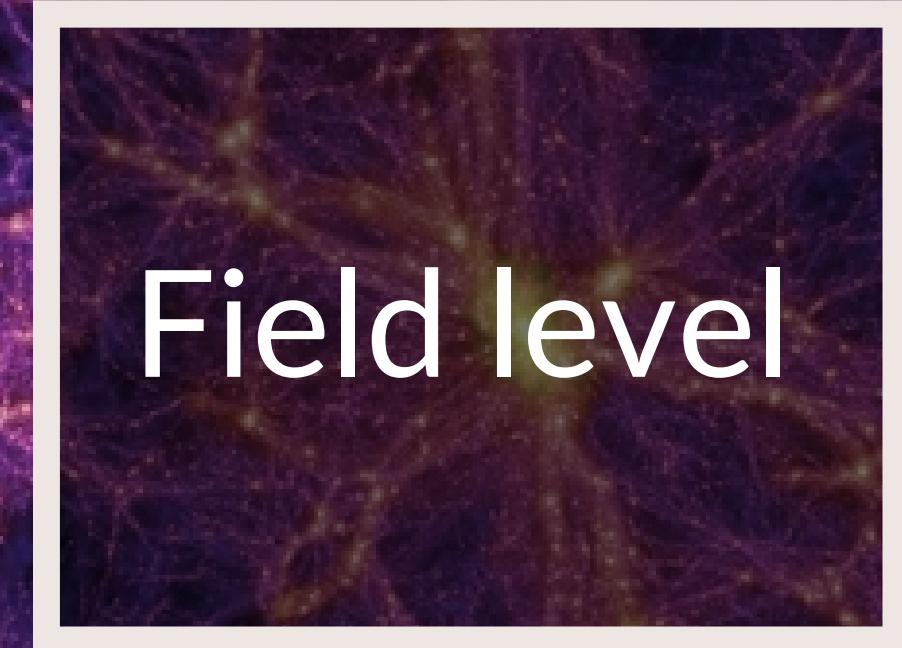
EFTofLSS meets simulation-based inference: σ_8 from biased tracers

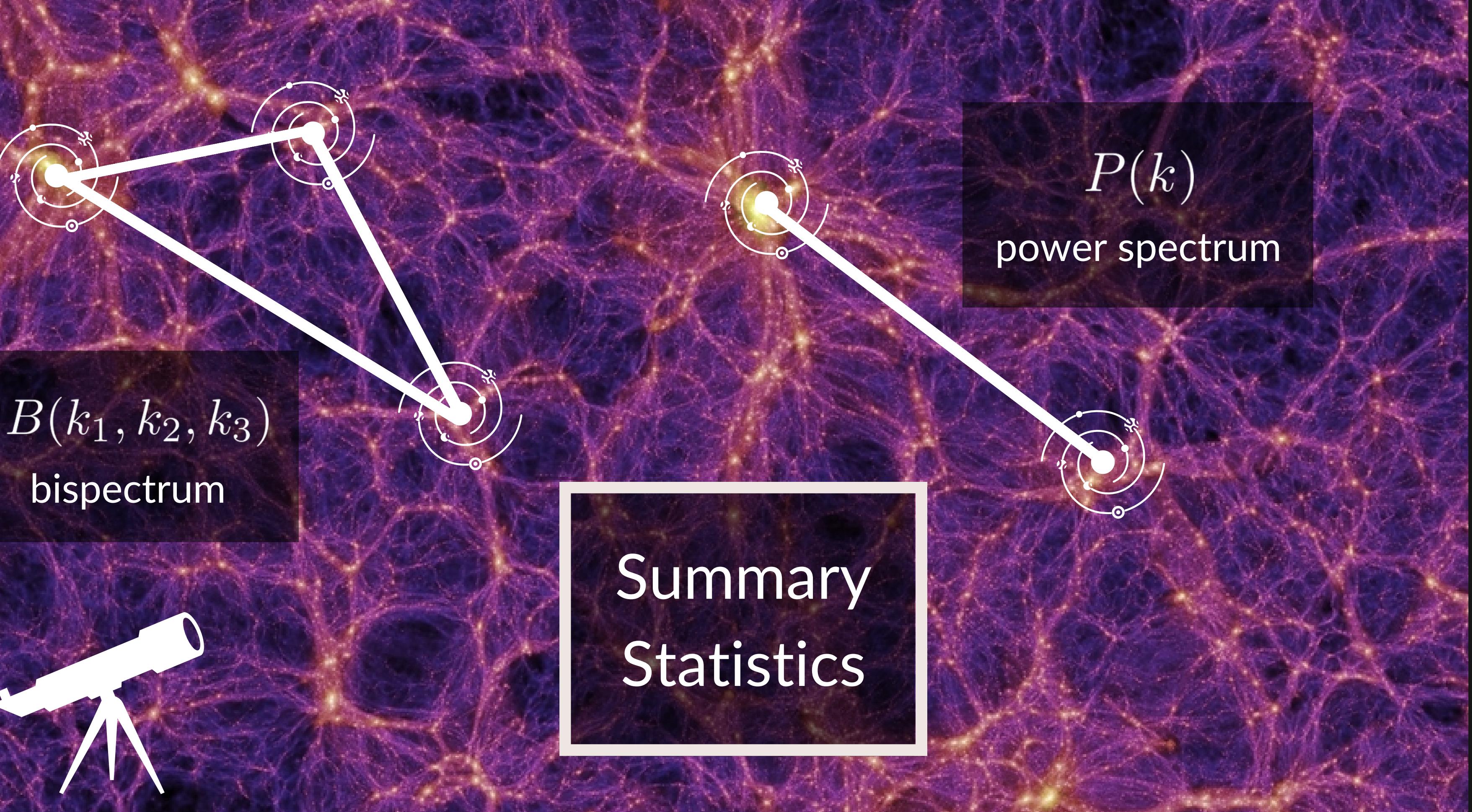


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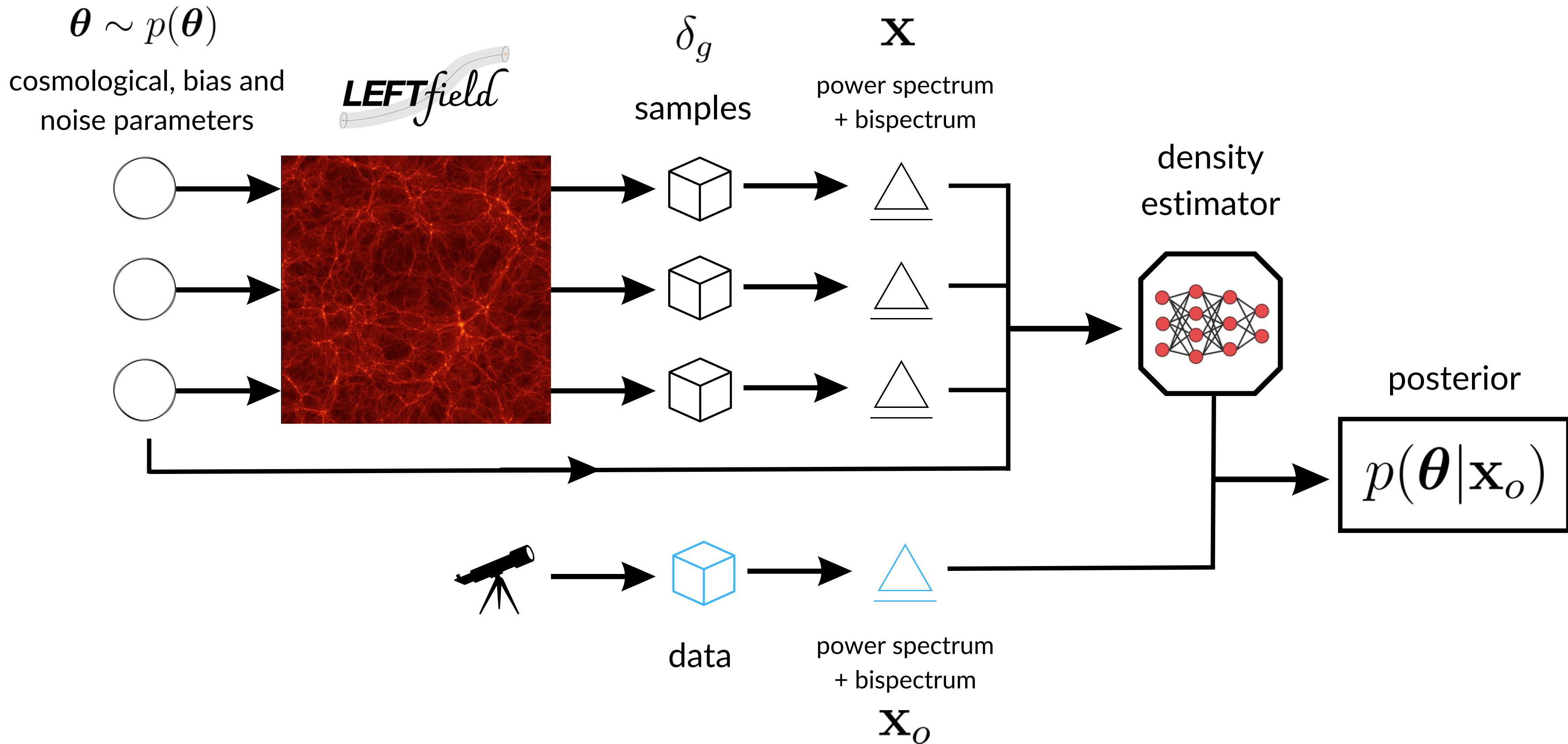
$B(k_1, k_2, k_3)$
bispectrum

$P(k)$
power spectrum

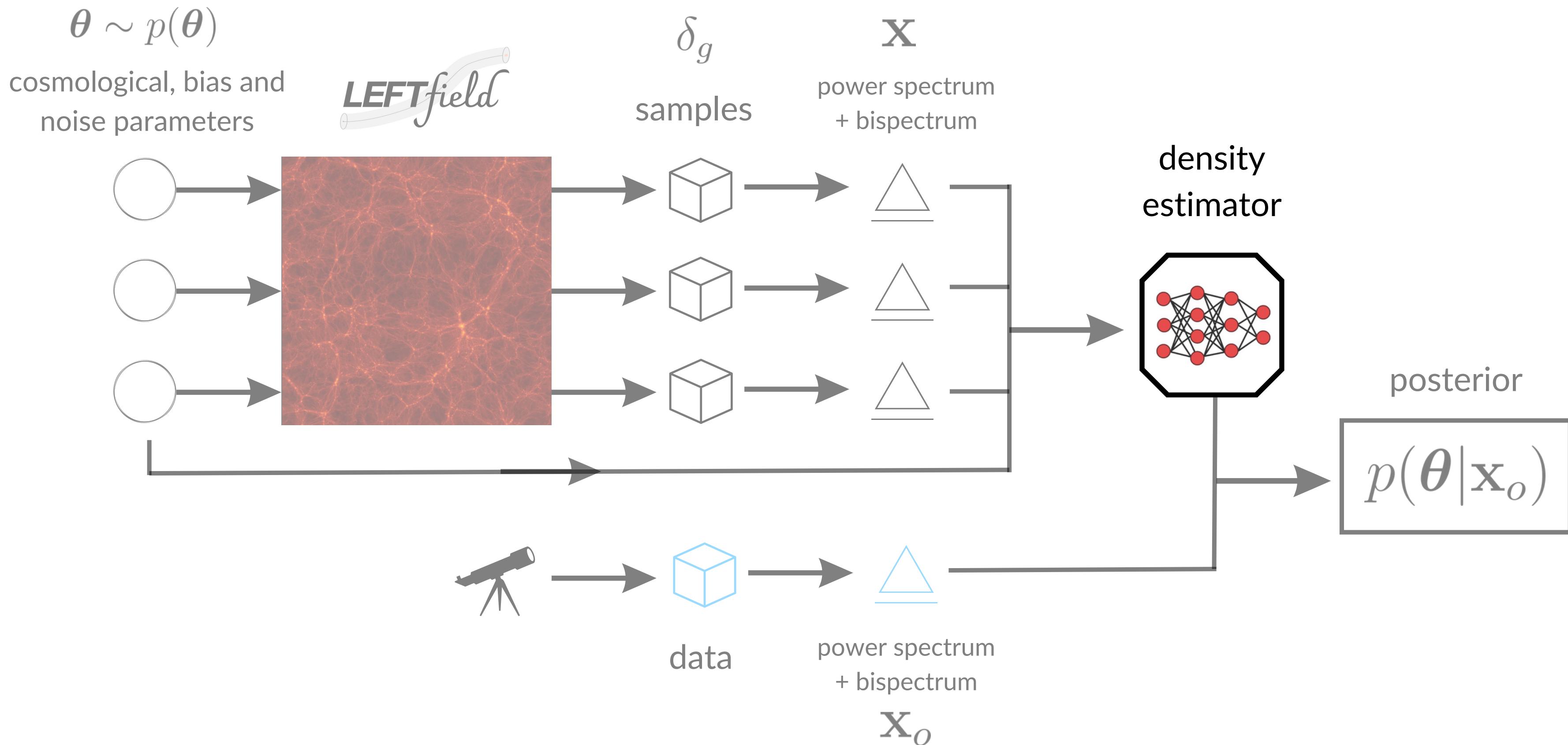
Gaussian likelihood?



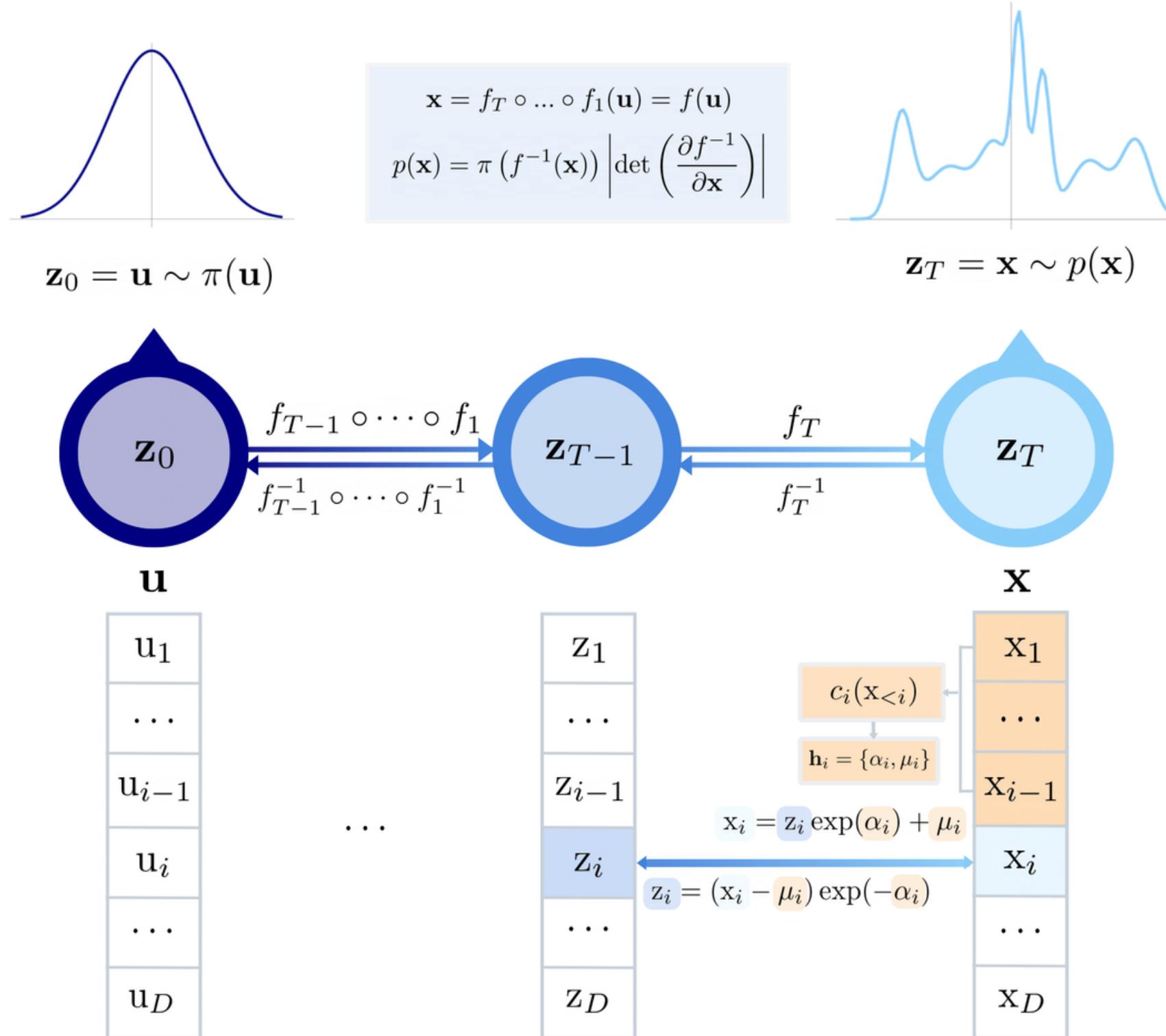
Simulation-based inference



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Normalizing Flows



Neural Density Estimators:
Neural Posterior Estimation (NPE)
Neural Likelihood Estimation (NLE)

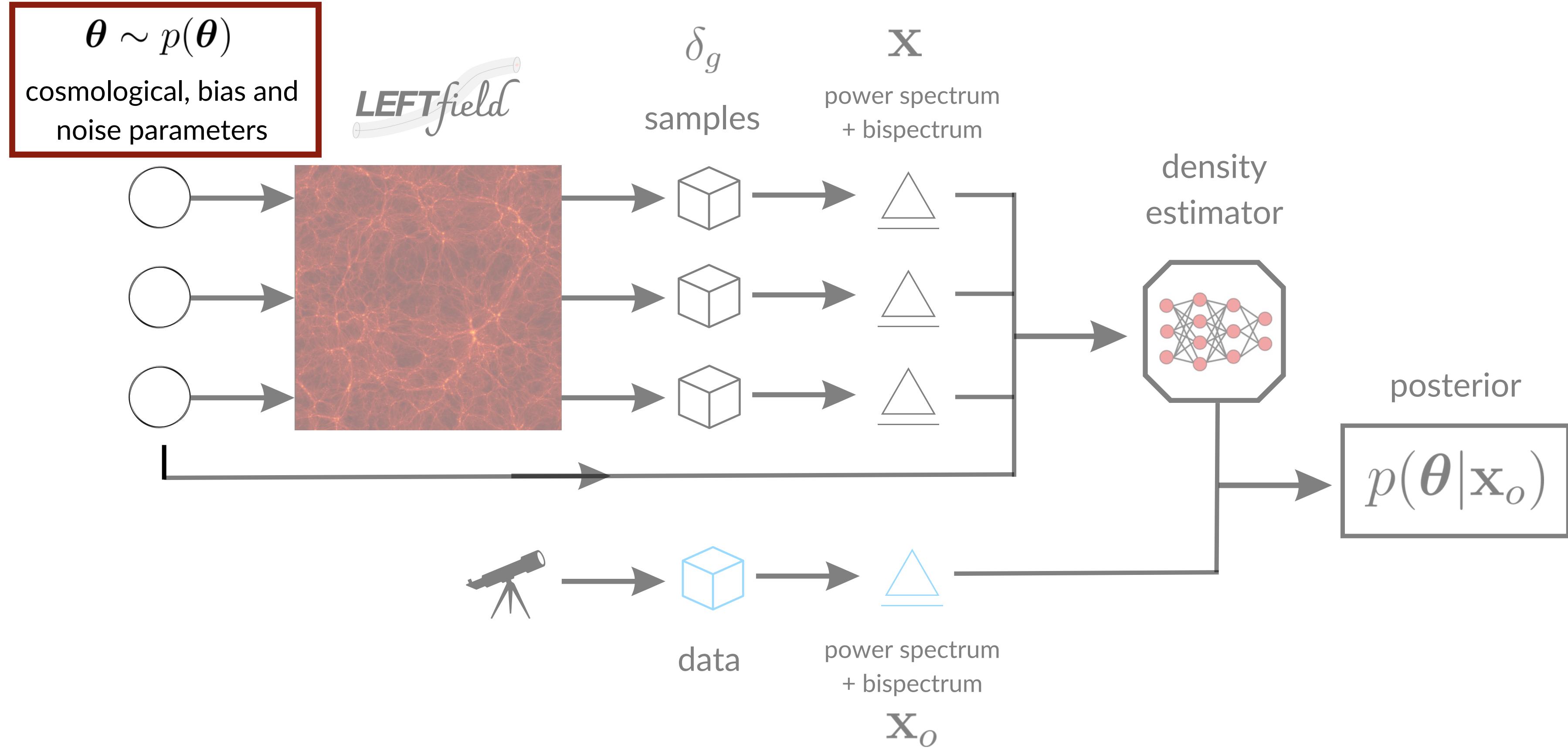
sbi: A toolkit for simulation-based inference

Tejero-Cantero et al. (2020)

Masked Autoregressive Flows (MAFs)

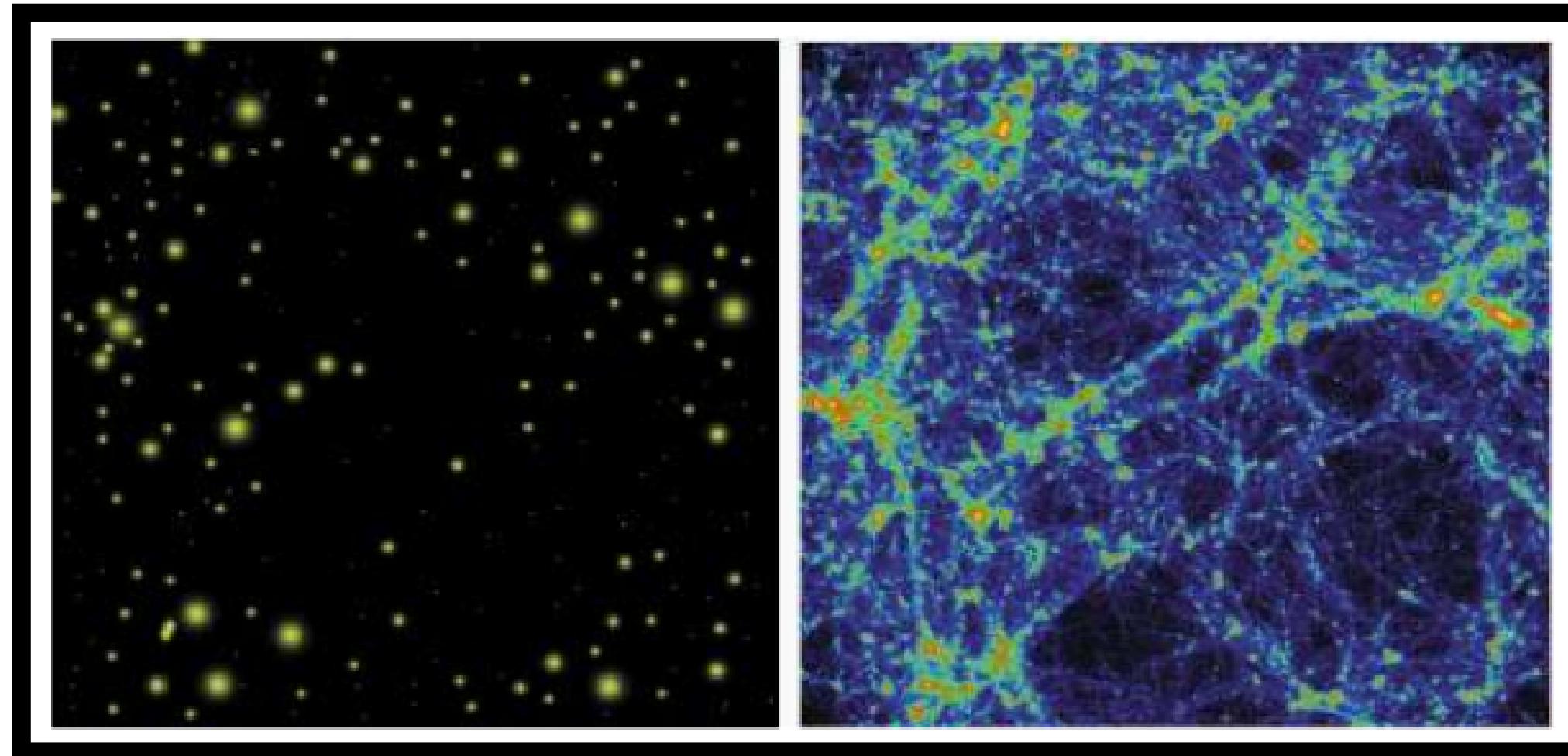
- Easy to evaluate: triangular Jacobian
- Expressive: composition of transforms

Simulation-based inference



The bias expansion

Cosmological
tracers

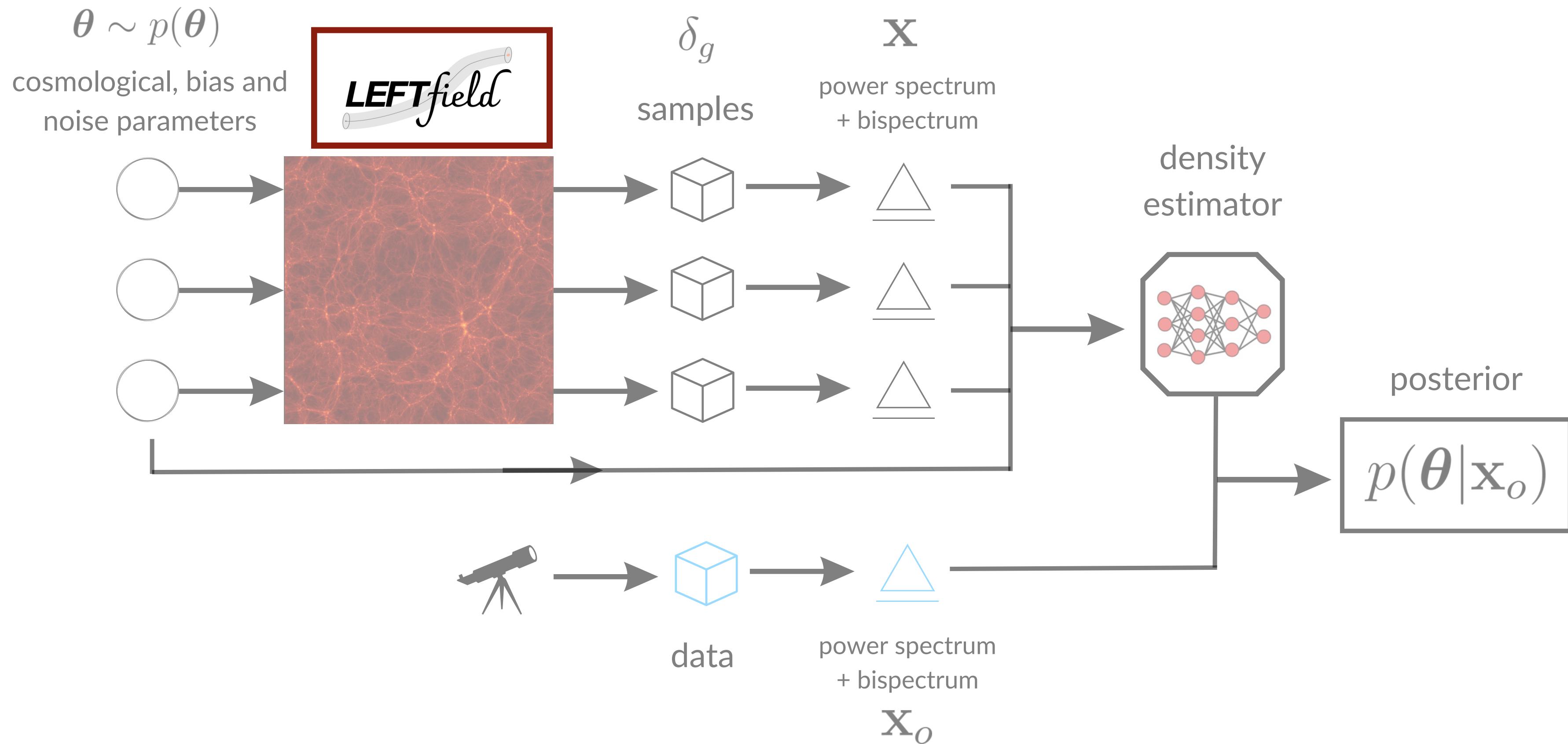


Matter
distribution

$$\delta_g(\mathbf{x}, \tau) = \sum_{\mathcal{O}} b_{\mathcal{O}}(\tau) \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \sum_{\mathcal{O}} \varepsilon_{\mathcal{O}}(\mathbf{x}, \tau) \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{x}, \tau)$$

For a review, see:
Desjacques, Jeong
& Schmidt (2016)

Simulation-based inference



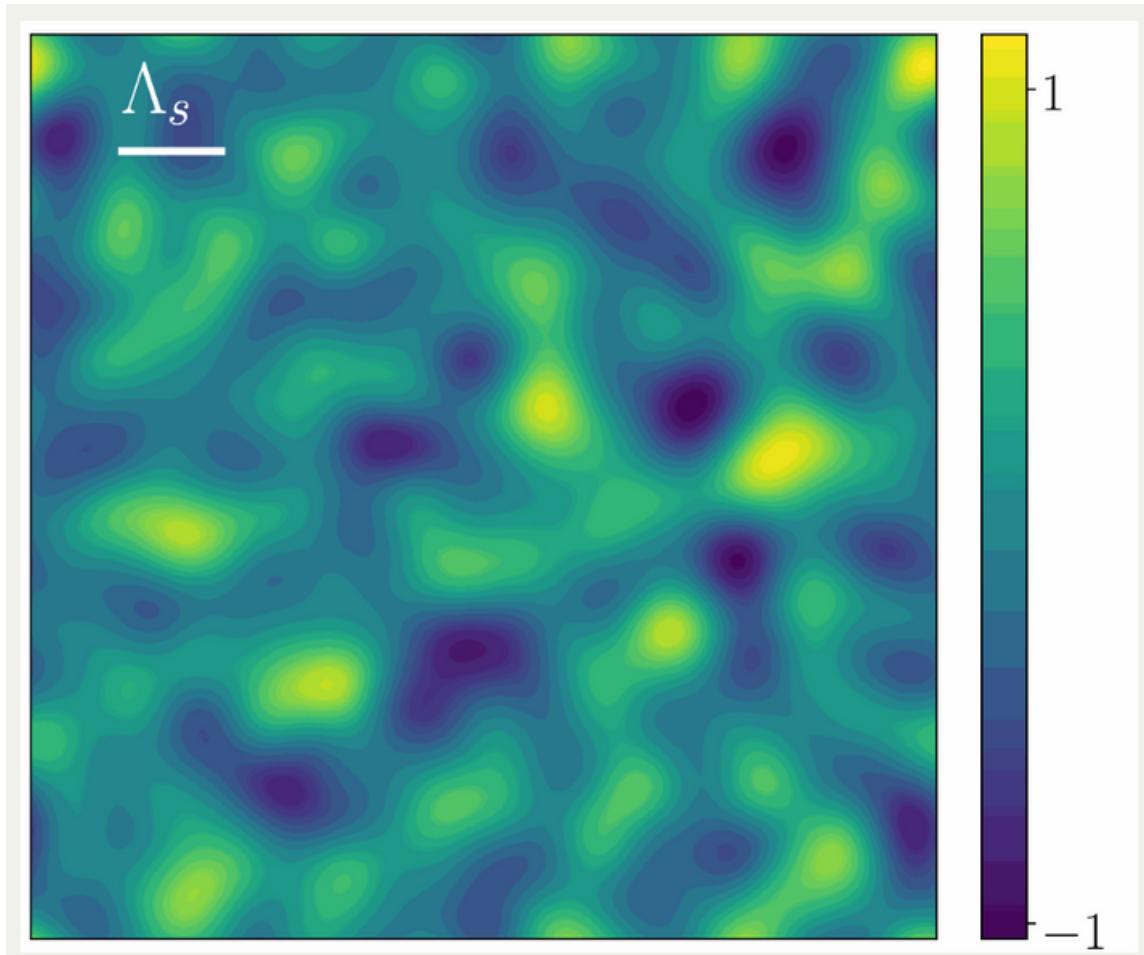
Forward model



$$\alpha \equiv \sigma_8 / \sigma_8^{\text{fid}} \quad \hat{s}(\mathbf{x}) \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

$$\delta_{\Lambda}^{(1)}(\mathbf{k}, z) = W_{\Lambda}(k) \sqrt{\alpha^2 P_L(k, z)} \hat{s}(\mathbf{k})$$

An EFTofLSS
based forward
model



Borrowed from Pierre Zhang

“coarse-graining”

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Lagrangian Bias Operators

1 st	$\text{tr}[\mathbf{M}_\Lambda^{(1)}]$
2 nd	$\text{tr}[\mathbf{M}_\Lambda^{(1)} \mathbf{M}_\Lambda^{(1)}], (\text{tr}[\mathbf{M}_\Lambda^{(1)}])^2$

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$$1 + \delta(\mathbf{x}, \tau) = |\mathbf{1} + \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{q}, \tau)|^{-1}$$

$$M_{ij} \equiv \partial_i s_j$$

$$\text{tr}[\mathbf{M}_\Lambda^{(1)}] = -\delta_\Lambda^{(1)}$$

LPT recursion relations

$\mathbf{s}^{(n)}$

Lagrangian
Perturbation
Theory

$$x(\mathbf{q}, \tau) = \mathbf{q} + \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{q}, \tau)$$

$$\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, P_\varepsilon)$$

$$\delta_g(\mathbf{x}, \tau) = \delta_{g,\text{det}}(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + c_\varepsilon \delta(\tau) \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) \delta(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + c_{\varepsilon^2}(\tau) \varepsilon^2(\mathbf{x}, \tau)$$

Our main goals

Considering an Euclid-like mock survey, we want to answer:

- Does the *non-Gaussianity* of the power-spectrum and bispectrum distributions at *low-k* affect cosmological inference?
- *How many simulations* are needed for posterior estimation?

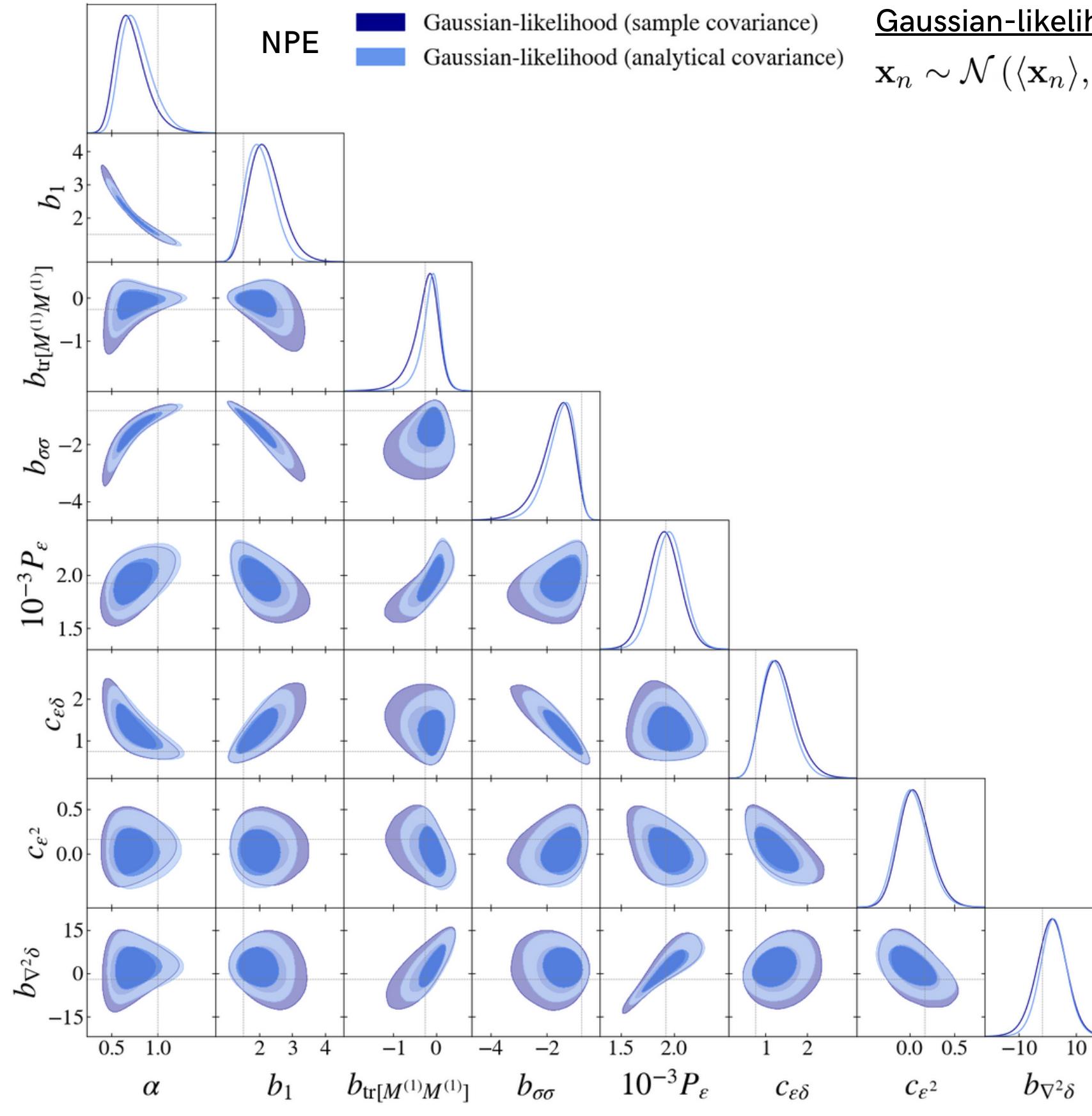
Cosmological inference | Euclid configuration

$$N_{\text{sim}} = 10^5$$

$$k_{\max} = \Lambda = 0.1 h \text{Mpc}^{-1}$$

$$D = N_{\text{bin}} + N_{\text{tri}} = 33$$

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Gaussian-likelihood

$$\mathbf{x}_n \sim \mathcal{N}(\langle \mathbf{x}_n \rangle, \text{Cov}[\mathbf{x}_o])$$

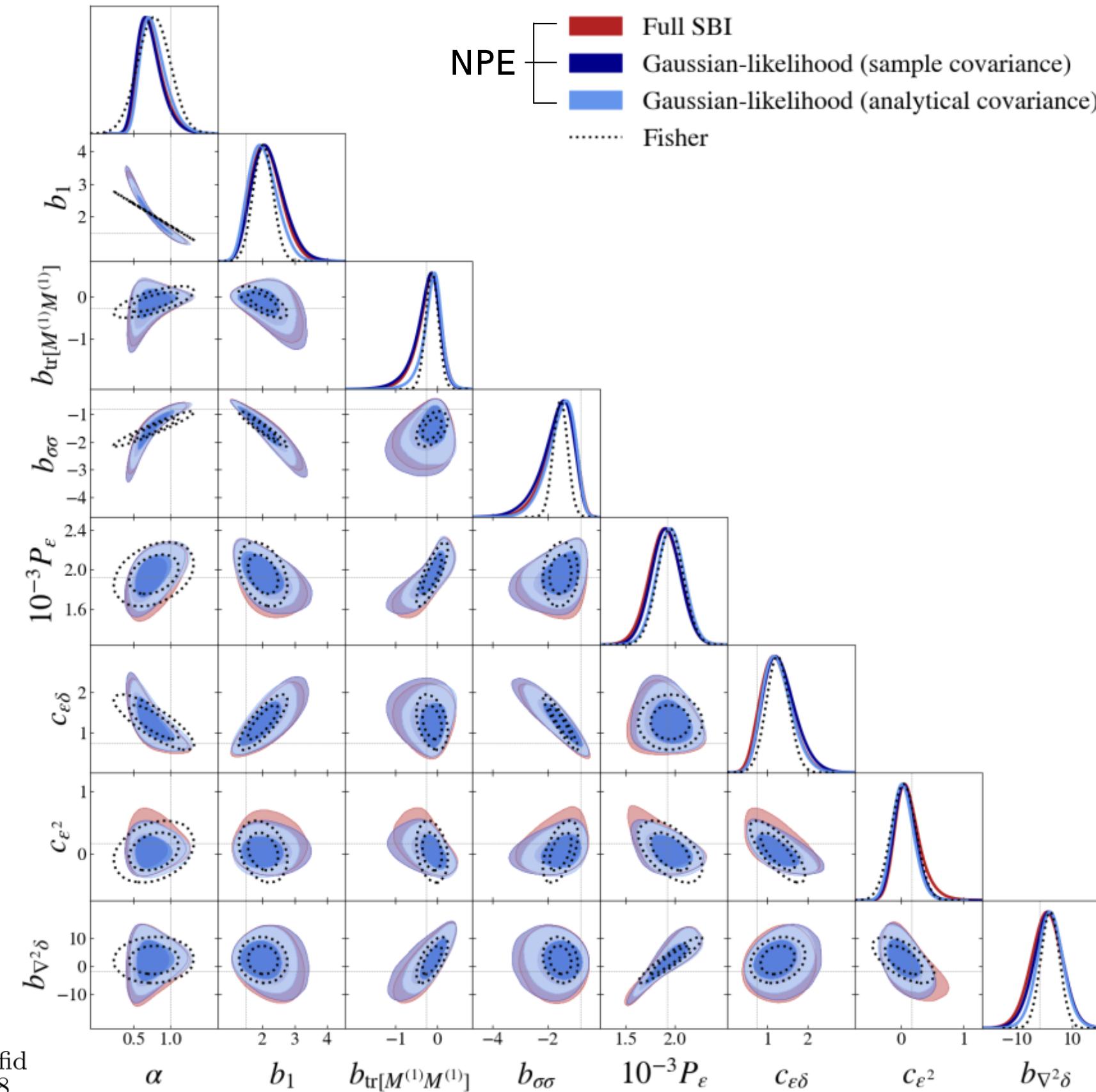
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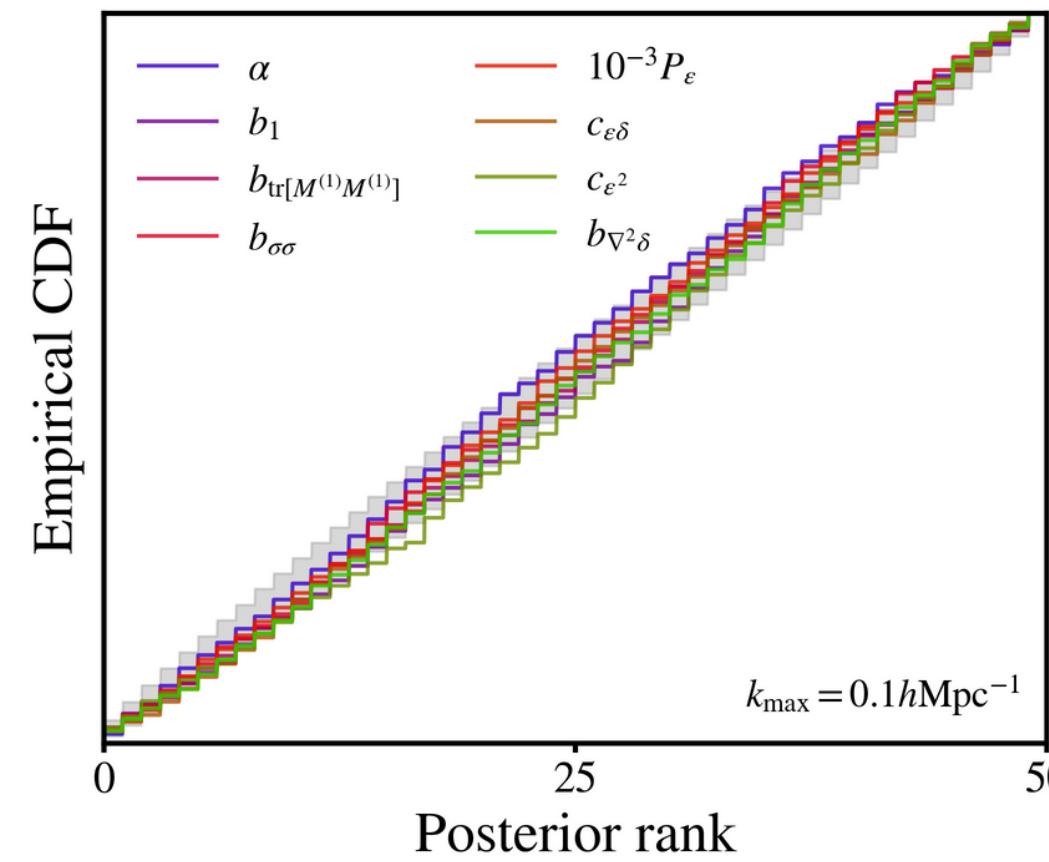
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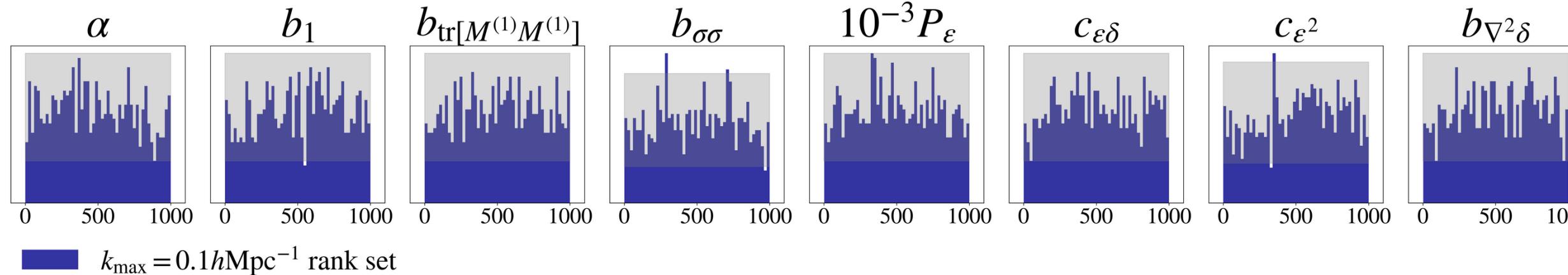
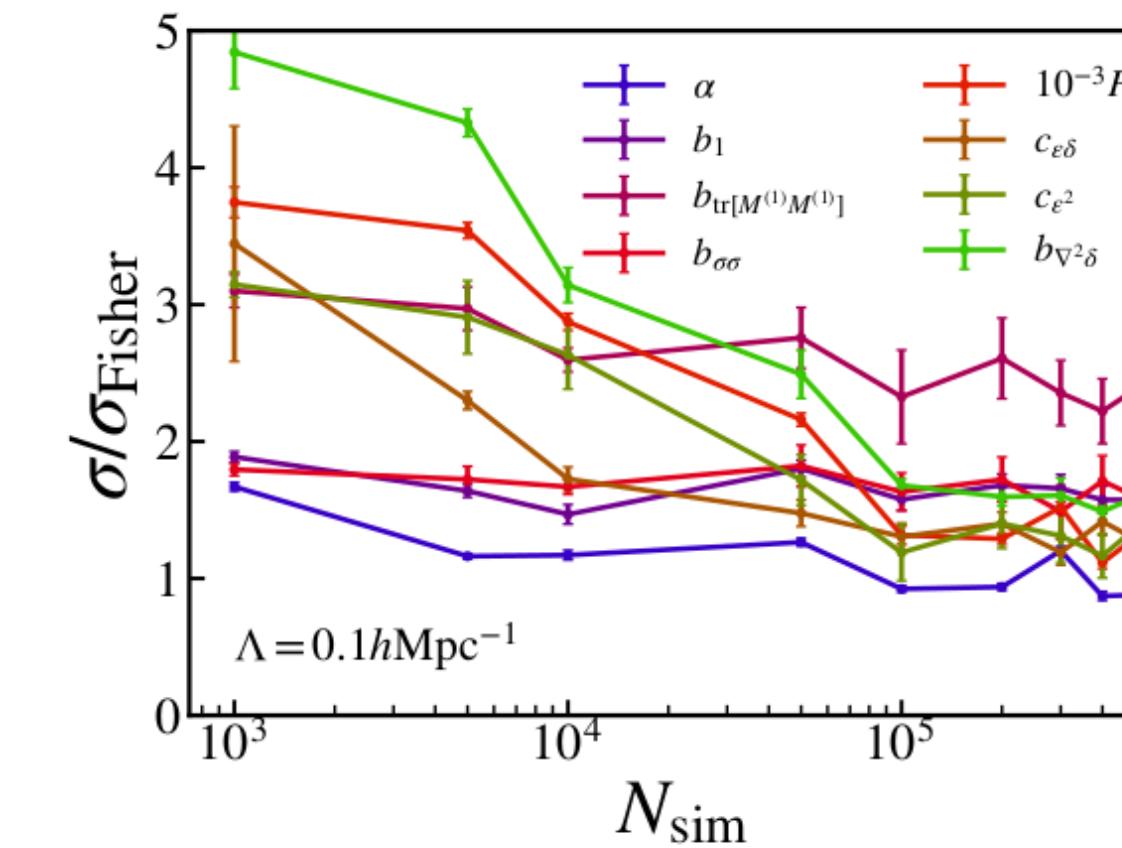


Posterior diagnostics

Simulation-based calibration



Convergence

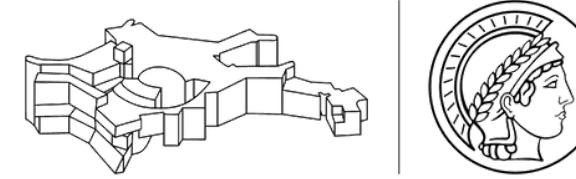


Conclusion & Next Steps

- Simulation-based inference has proven to be a powerful tool for galaxy clustering analysis and offers several advantages over the likelihood-based approach;
- In the future, we plan to sample more cosmological parameters, add more summary statistics and improve observational aspects of the forward model (masks, systematic effects, etc);
- Comparison of field-level inference with HMC and SBI with summary statistics (P+B).

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A large, horizontal rectangular image showing a detailed simulation of the cosmic web. It features a complex network of dark blue and black filaments against a lighter purple and yellow background, representing the distribution of matter in the universe.

Thank you!

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Simulation-based calibration (SBC)

How to check if the obtained posterior uncertainty is correct?

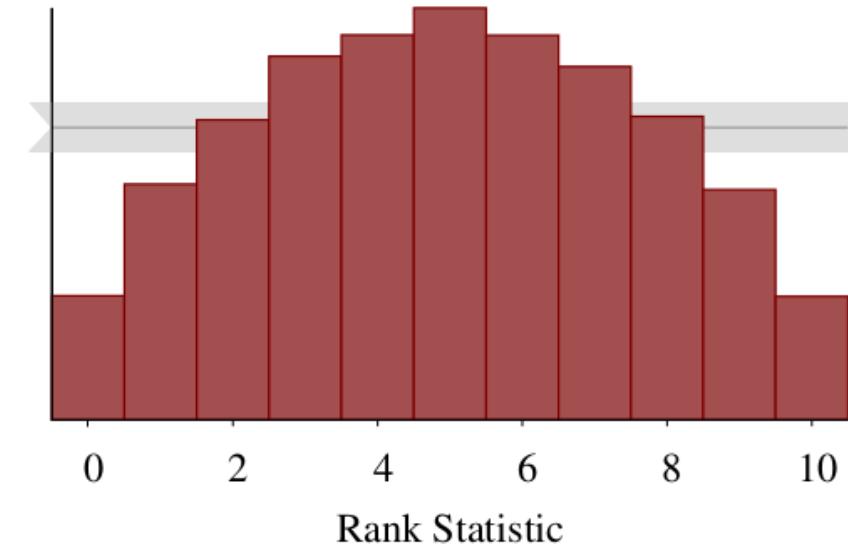
$$\mathbf{x}_o^i = \text{simulator}(\boldsymbol{\theta}_o^i)$$

$$\{\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}\}_i \sim \hat{p}(\boldsymbol{\theta} | \mathbf{x}_o^i)$$

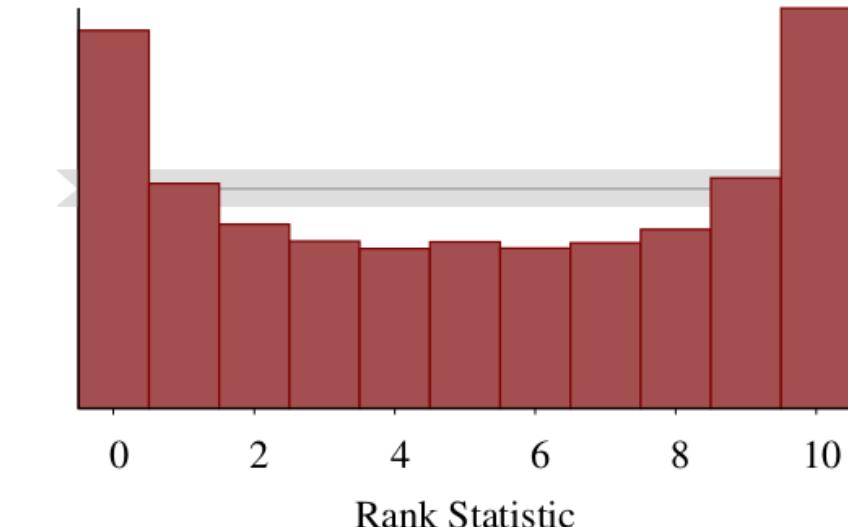
$$\hat{\theta}_1 < \hat{\theta}_2 < \dots < \hat{\theta}_{\text{rank}} < \theta_o^i < \dots < \hat{\theta}_{\text{Nsamples}}$$

Ranks should be **uniformly distributed** if the posterior is well calibrated

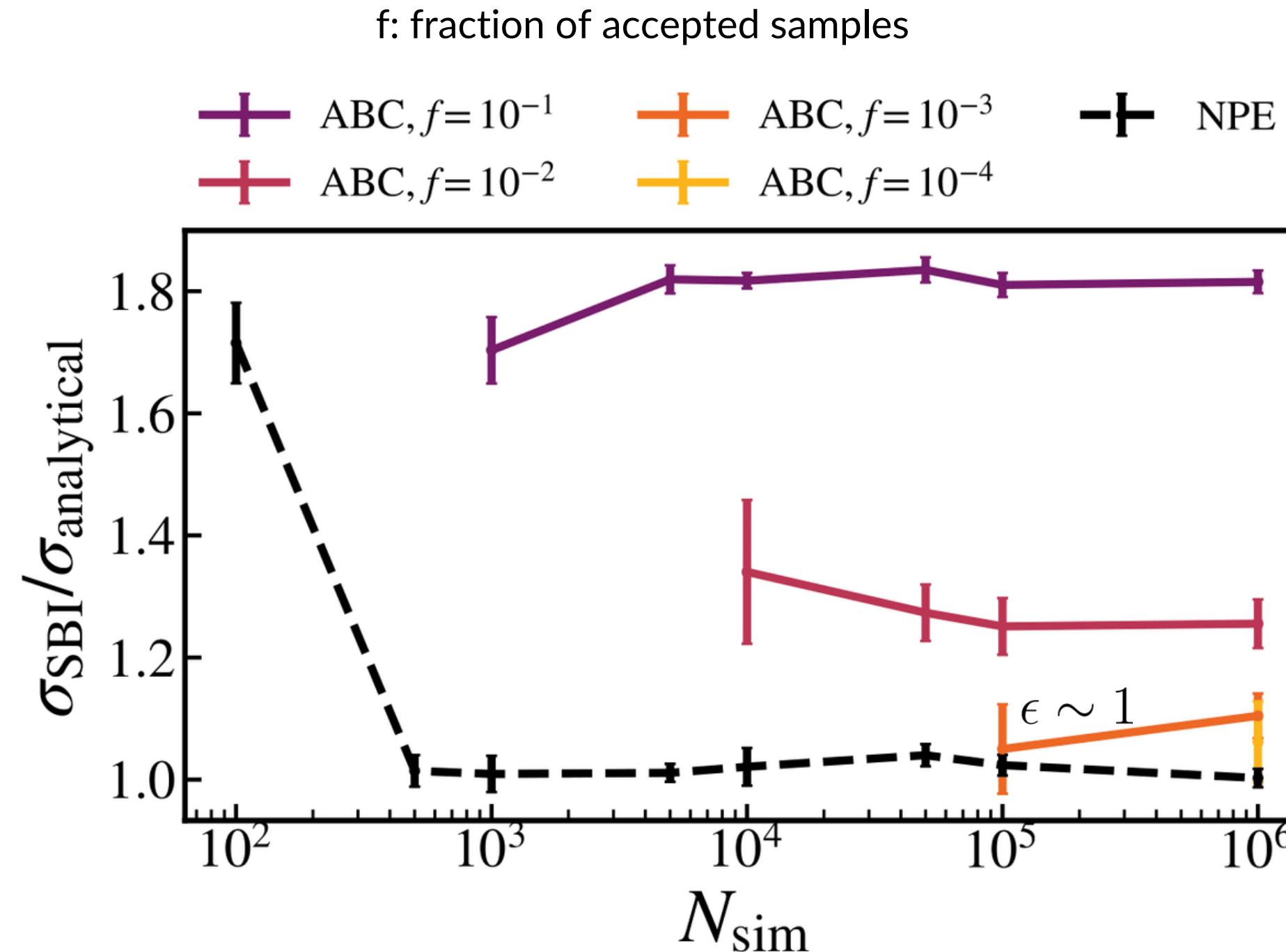
Underconfident posterior



Superconfident posterior



Interlude: ABC in a simplified scenario



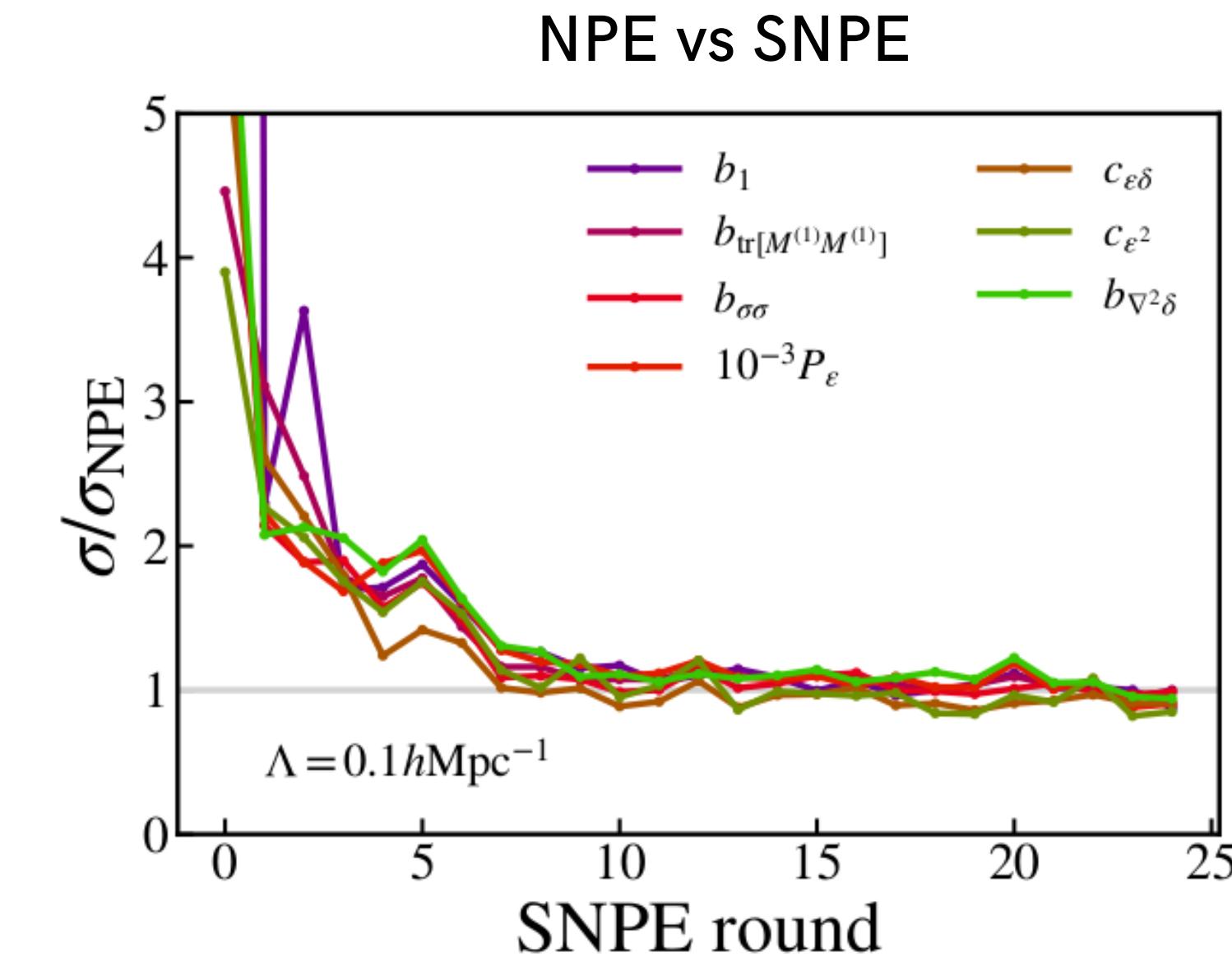
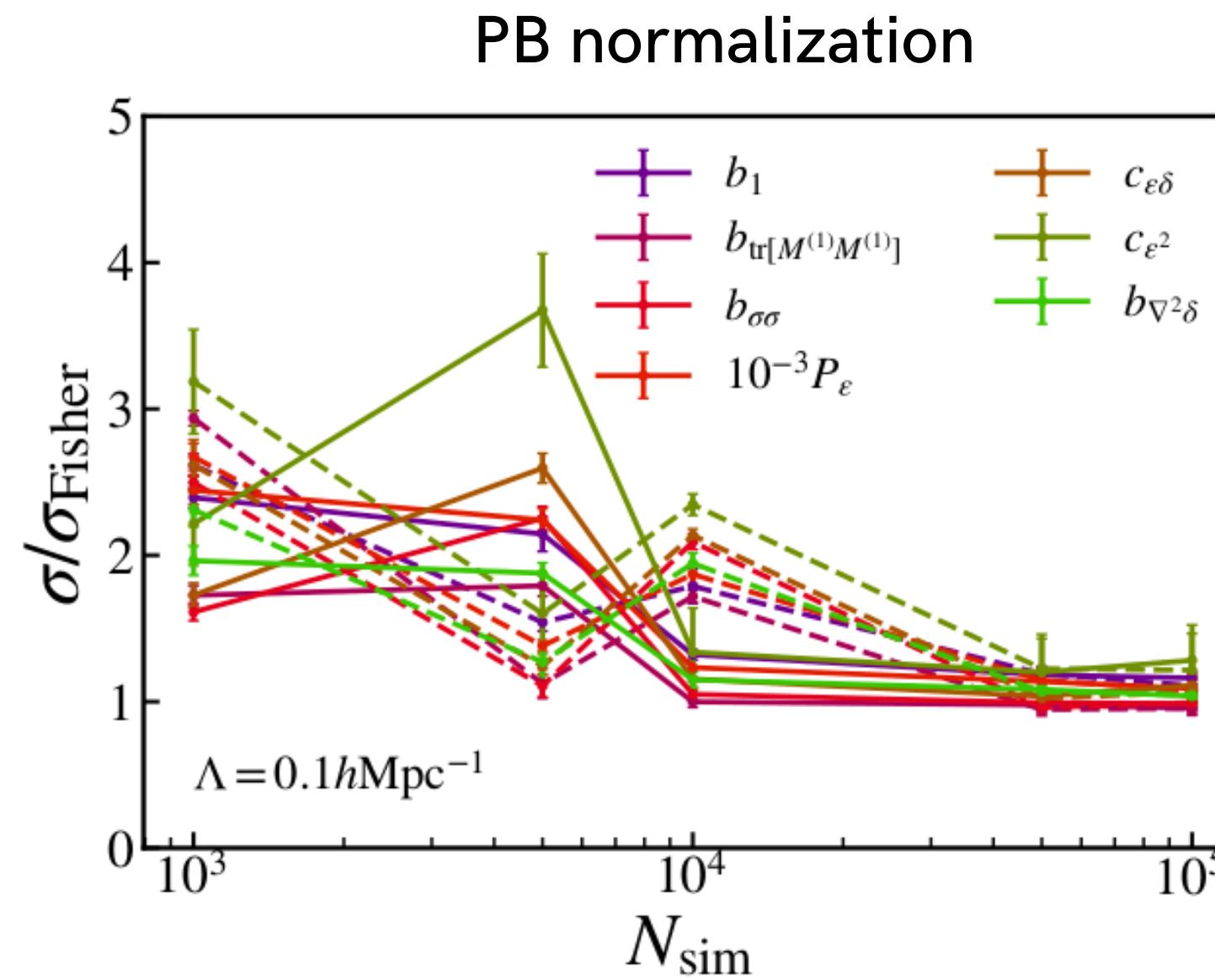
Reduced chi-squared as ABC metric

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_o) = \frac{1}{(D - N_\theta - 1)} \sum_{i=1}^D \frac{(\mathbf{x}^i - \mathbf{x}_o^i)^2}{\text{Cov}[\bar{\mathbf{x}}^i]}$$

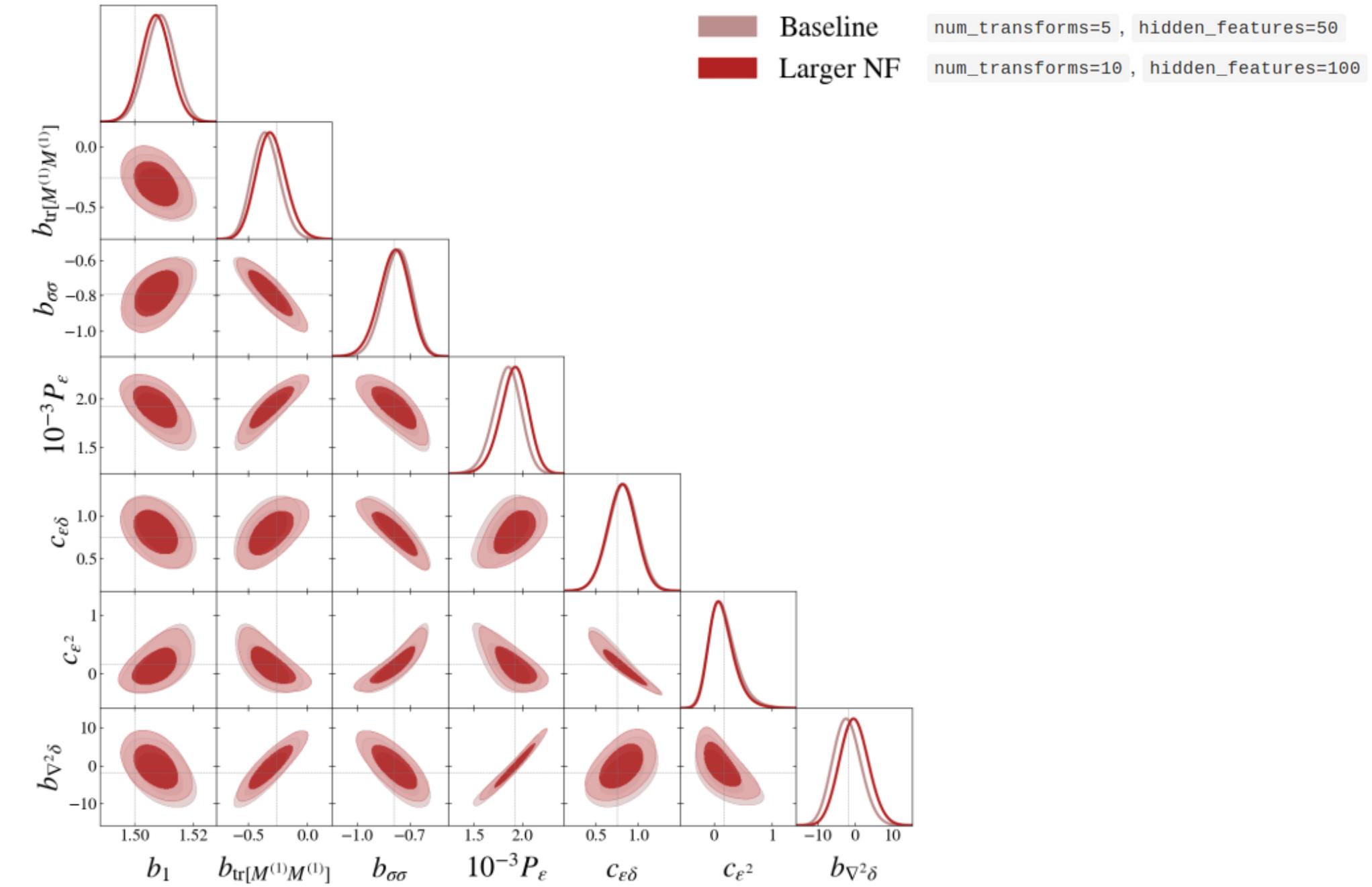
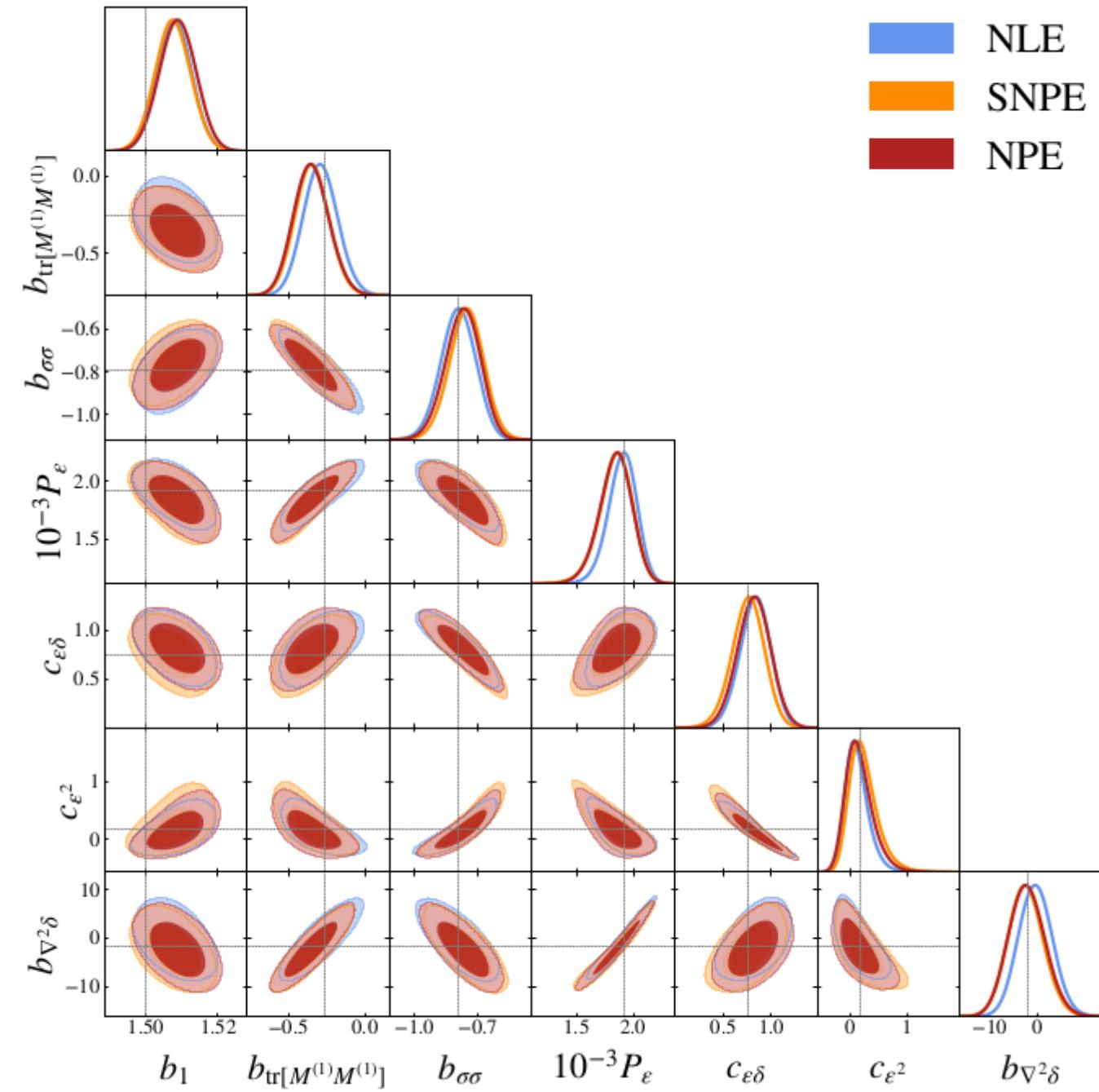
$$\theta = \{b_1, 10^{-3}P_\varepsilon\}$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \{P(k)\} = \{P(k_1), P(k_2), \dots, P(k_D)\}$$

Inference tests



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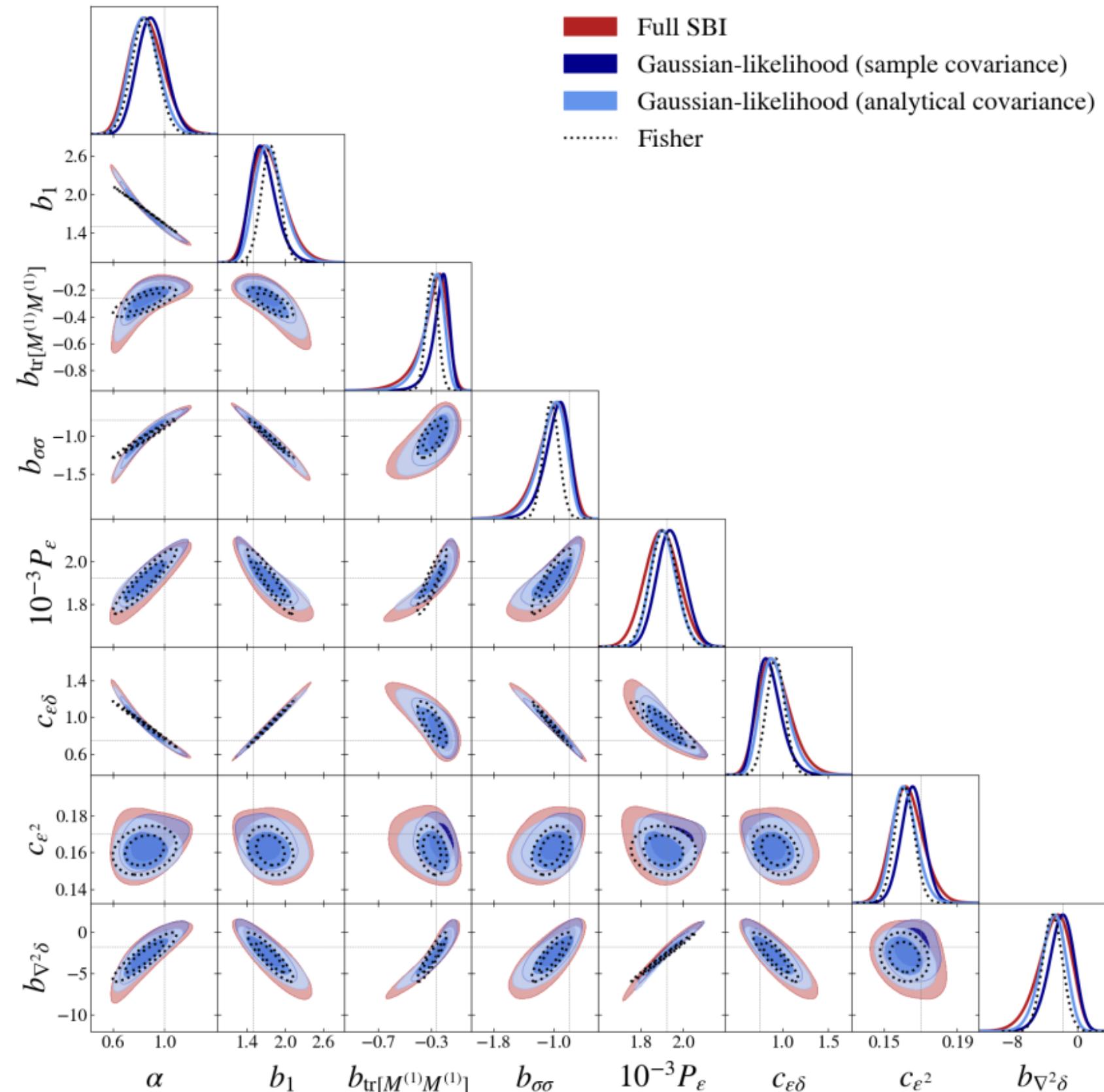
Cosmological inference | Euclid configuration

Tucci, Schmidt (2023)

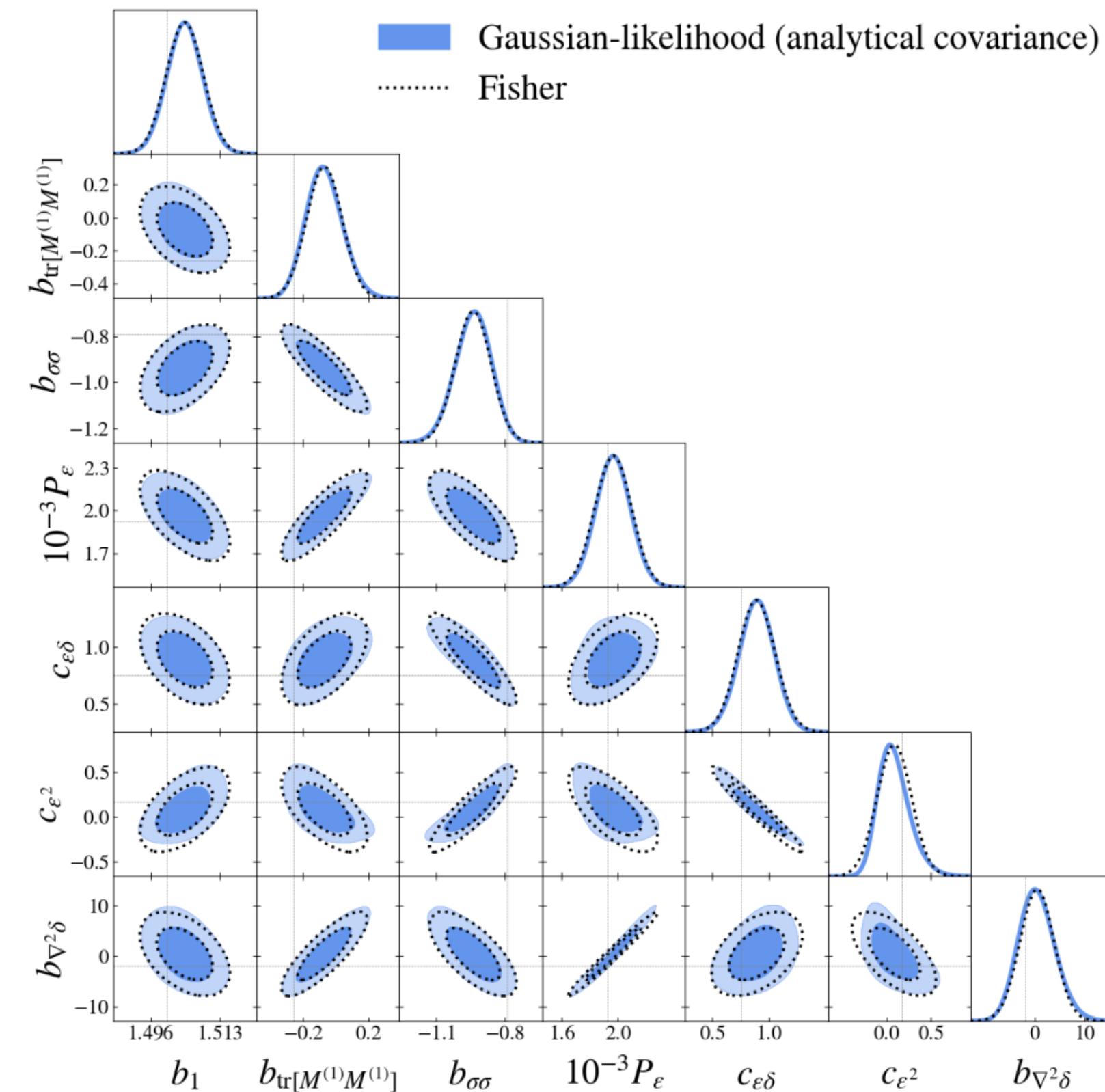
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$$D = 49$$



Euclid | Gaussian-likelihood

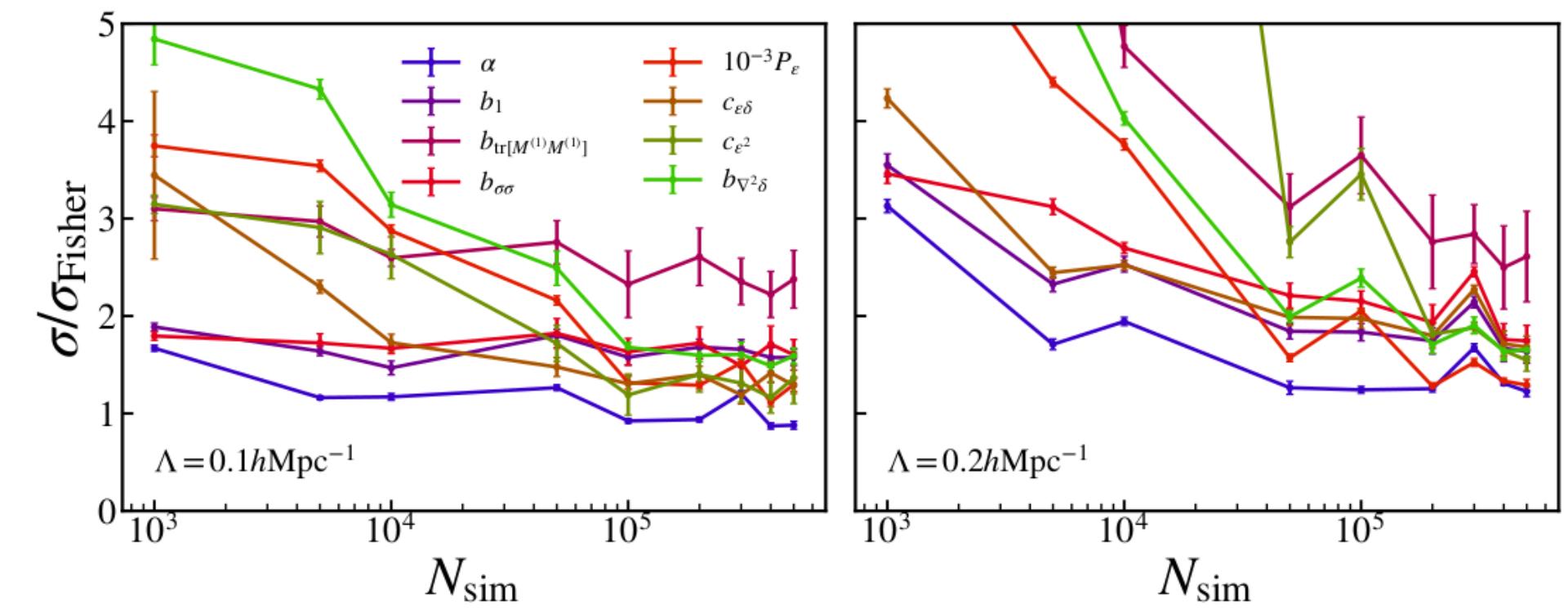
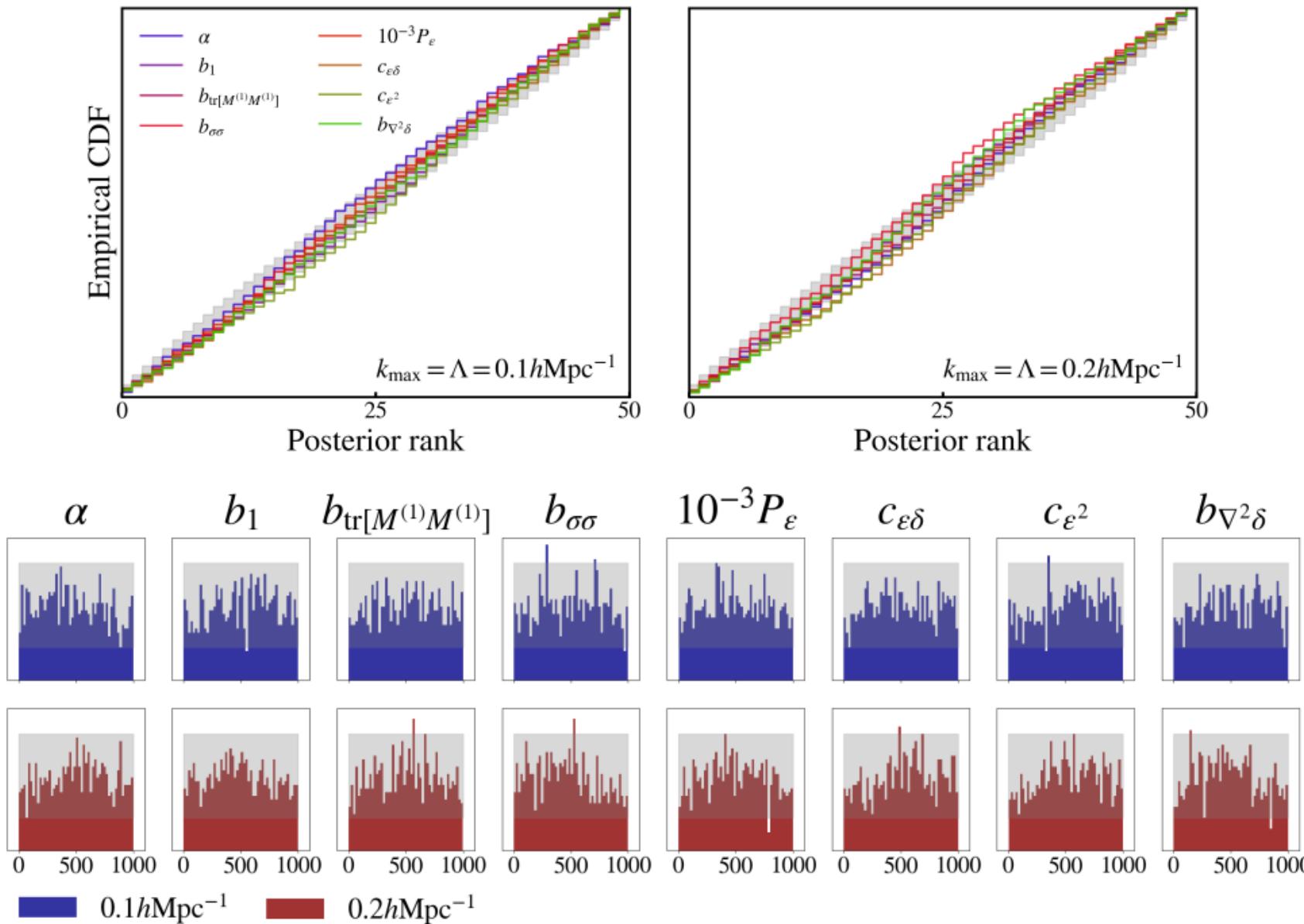


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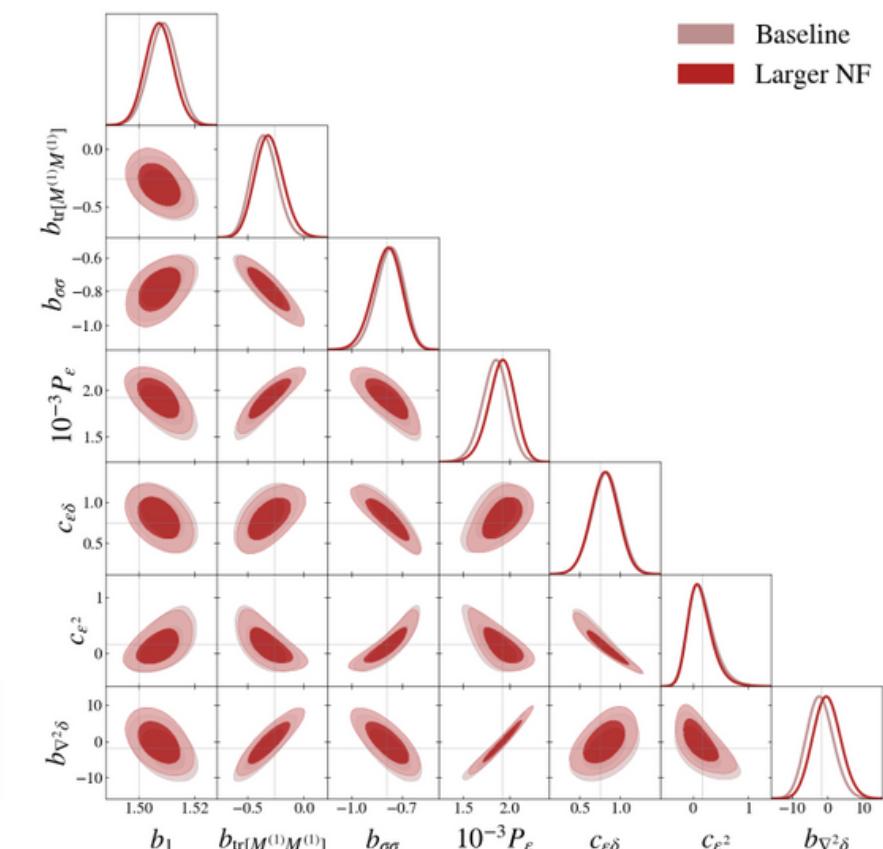
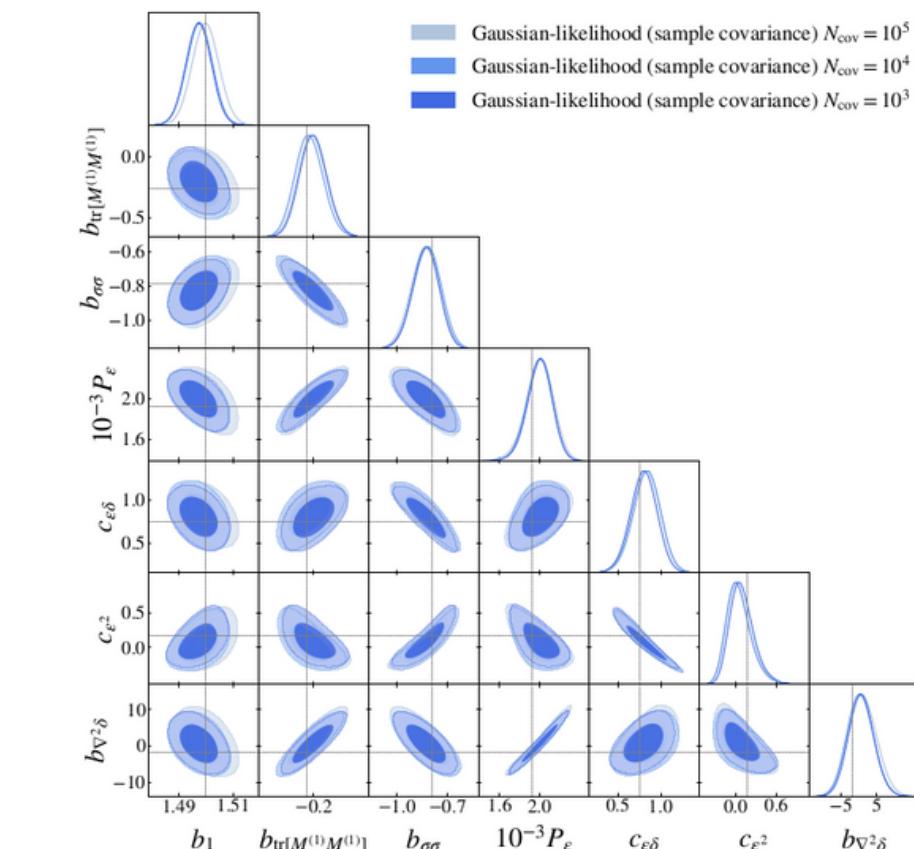
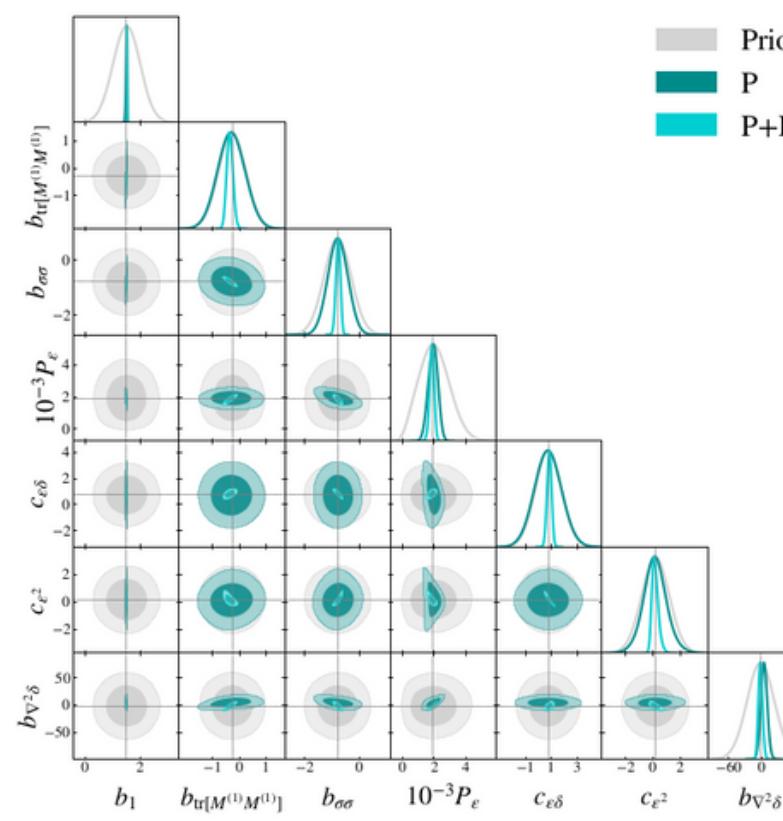
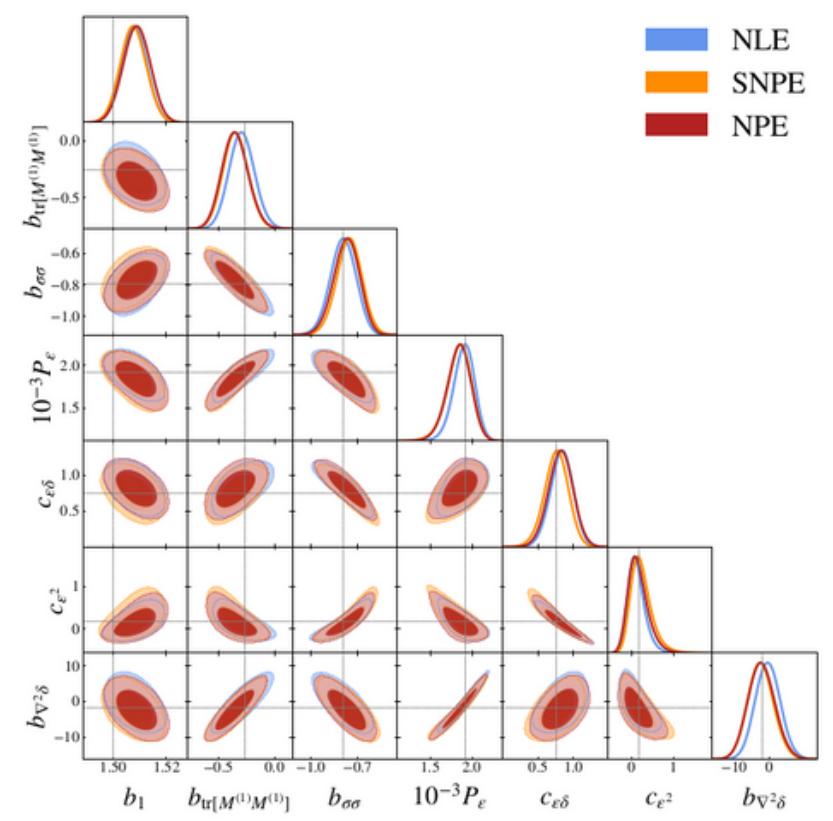
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Posterior diagnostics



Inference tests

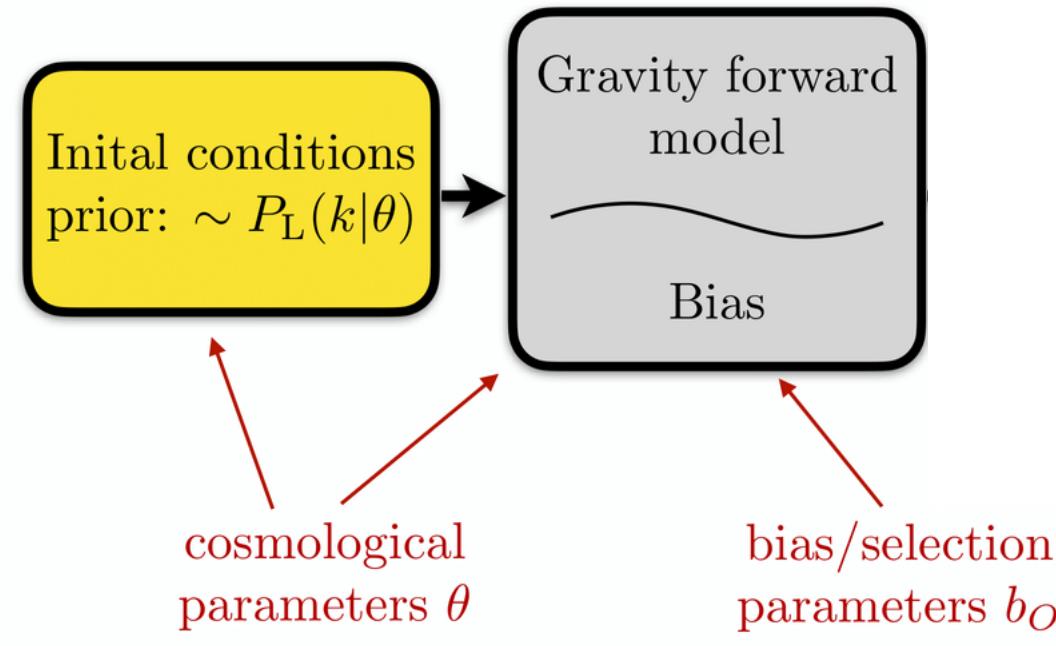


LEFTfield | forward model



EFTofLSS based approach

$$\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_\varepsilon)$$



Perturbation Theory

$$\langle \delta_g(k_1) \delta_g(k_2) \delta_g(k_3) \rangle_{\text{stoch}}^{\prime \text{LO}} = B_\varepsilon + 2b_1 P_{\varepsilon \varepsilon \delta} (P_m(k_1) + 2 \text{ perm.})$$

Forward Model

$$\langle \delta_g(k_1) \delta_g(k_2) \delta_g(k_3) \rangle_{\text{stoch}}^{\prime \text{LO}} = 6c_\varepsilon^{\text{NG}} P_\varepsilon^2 + 2b_1 P_\varepsilon \sigma_{\varepsilon \delta} (P_m(k_1) + 2 \text{ perm.})$$

An n -th order Lagrangian Forward Model for Large-Scale Structure
Fabian Schmidt (2021)

$$\delta_g(\mathbf{x}, \tau) = \delta_{g,\text{det}}(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + \sigma_{\varepsilon \delta}(\tau) \varepsilon(\mathbf{x}, \tau) \delta(\mathbf{x}, \tau) + c_\varepsilon^{\text{NG}}(\tau) \varepsilon^2(\mathbf{x}, \tau)$$