

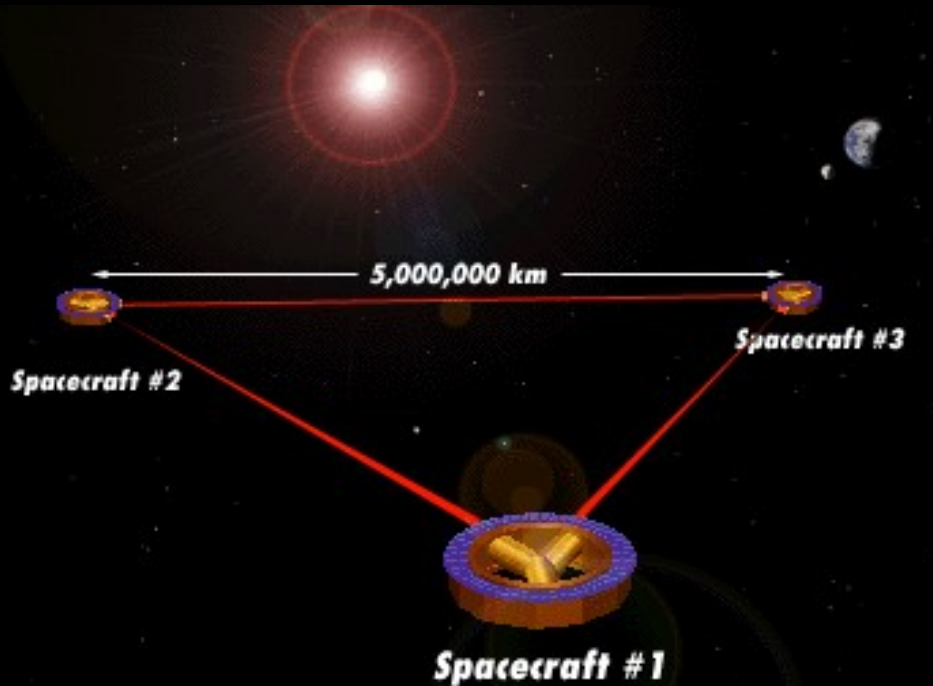
# Probe of Dark Sectors at LISA: Standard vs Null Diagnostics

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Schematic diagram of Laser Interferometer Space Antenna (LISA)

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## Motivation for studying Dark Sectors

Hubble constant ( $H_0$ ) measured directly from the local Universe (age  $> 10^{10}$  yrs;  $z < 2$ ) does not agree with indirect measurements from the very early Universe (age  $\sim 4 * 10^5$  yrs;  $z \sim 1100$ ). Several other tensions also exist pointing at something fundamentally wrong in the standard cosmological model.

The Universe is homogeneous and isotropic is primarily parametrized by amount of matter ( $\Omega_{0m}$ ) (both luminous and 'dark') and amount of a mysterious energy ( $\Omega_{0\Lambda}$ ) that pushes everything away from us. Also these components have a equation of state (EoS) parameter which tells how they evolve with time.

$$E^2(z) = \Omega_{0m} (1+z)^{3(1+w_{dm})} + \Omega_{0\Lambda} (1+z)^{3(1+w)}$$

Matter EoS param.=0 in standard paradigm

Density Parameters

Dark Energy EoS=-1 in standard paradigm

**Accurate EoS parameter measurement is required!!**

### PROBLEMS

- Uncertainties in  $\Omega_{0m}$  and  $\Omega_{0\Lambda}$  introduces errors in EoS parameters.
- All direct measurements are for the local Universe.

### SOLUTIONS

- Use  $Om$  parametrization Sahni et al. arXiv:0807.3548 [astro-ph].
- Measure the intermediate Universe using supermassive black hole binary (SMBHB) mergers in LISA.

**Since LISA is not operational yet we forecast errors of the EoS parameters using Fisher Matrix analysis and  $Om$  parametrization and compare those with standard parametrization.**

### **Parametrizations of Dark Sectors**

- i.  $w_0$ CDM:  $w_{dm} = 0$       1 Parameter ( $w_0$ )
- ii. CPLCDM:  $w_{dm} = 0$ ;  $w = w_0 + w_a z / (1+z)$       2 Parameters ( $w_0, w_a$ )
- iii. IDE:  $w = w_0 + w_a z / (1+z)$       3 Parameters ( $w_0, w_a, w_{dm}$ )

# How $Om$ parameters solve Problem 1

1) Define a new parameter  $Om_g(x)$  in terms of  $E(x)$ .

2) Define  $R_g(x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)$  in terms  $Om_g$  and this parameter is independent of the density parameters.

$$Om_g(x) = \frac{[E(x)]^2 - 1}{x^{3(1+w_{dm})} - 1}$$

$$R_g = \frac{Om_g(x_1) - Om_g(x_2)}{Om_g(x_3) - Om_g(x_4)} = \frac{\frac{x_1^{3(1+w)} - 1}{x_1^{3(1+w_{dm})} - 1} - \frac{x_2^{3(1+w)} - 1}{x_2^{3(1+w_{dm})} - 1}}{\frac{x_3^{3(1+w)} - 1}{x_3^{3(1+w_{dm})} - 1} - \frac{x_4^{3(1+w)} - 1}{x_4^{3(1+w_{dm})} - 1}}$$

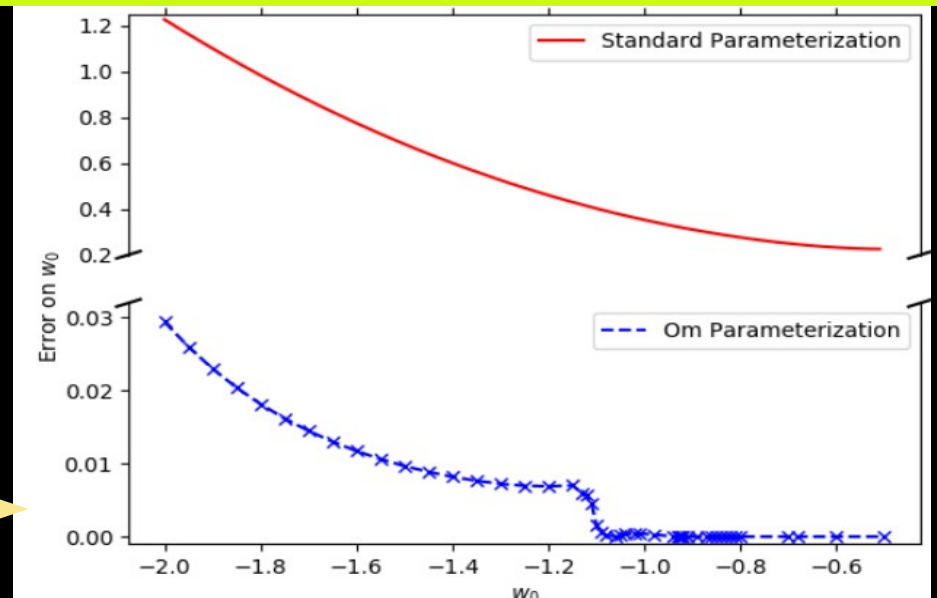
$$x = 1 + z$$

## Results

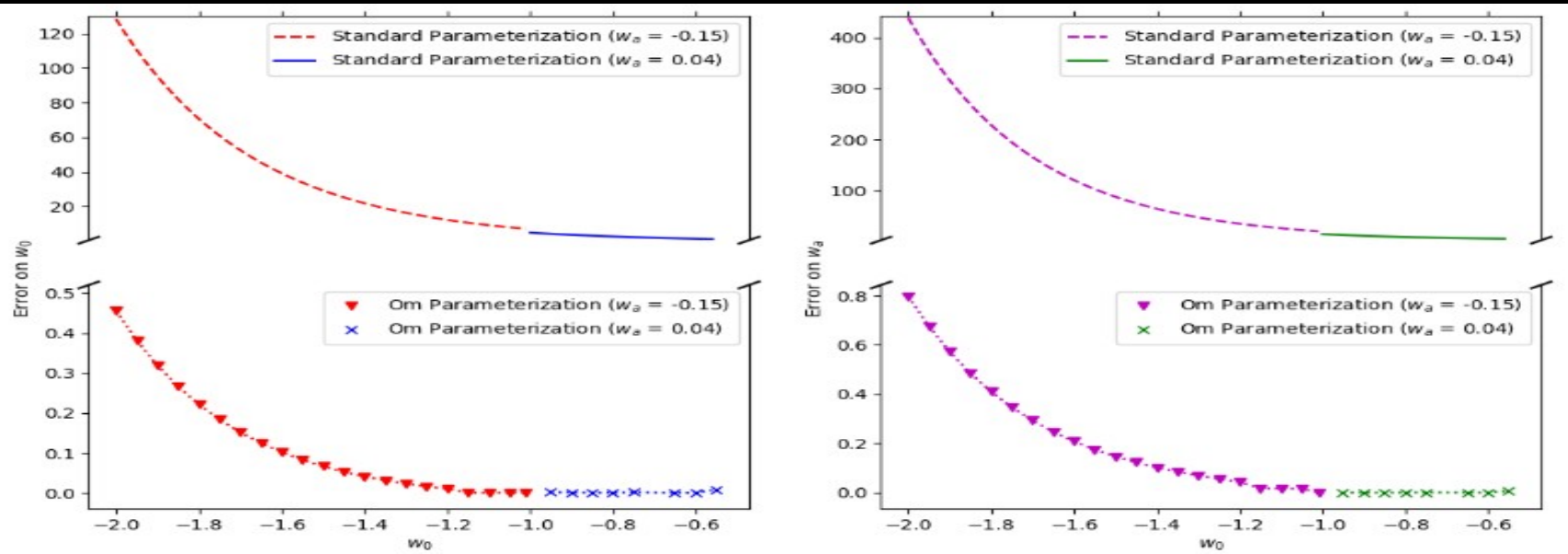
### 1. $w_0$ CDM

Error in standard parameterization is much higher than that of  $Om$  parametrization. This trend shall be observed throughout.

Plot showing errors on  $w_0$  for various fiducial values of  $w_0$ .



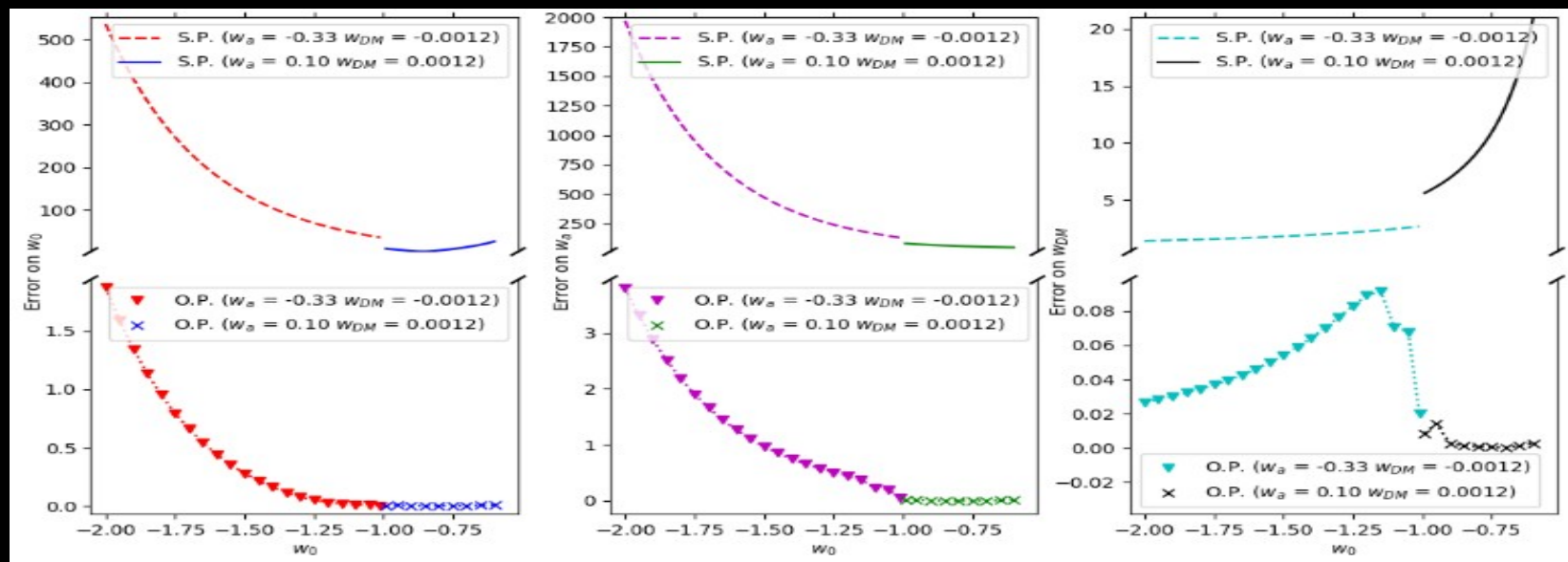
# Results 2. CPLCDM



Error on  $w_0$  (left) and  $w_a$  (right) for various fiducial values of  $w_0$

# 3. IDE

Error on  $w_0$  (left),  $w_a$  (middle) and  $w_{dm}$  (right) for various fiducial values of  $w_0$



**Conclusion: Om parameterization can be used to efficiently constrain the EoS parameters at LISA.**