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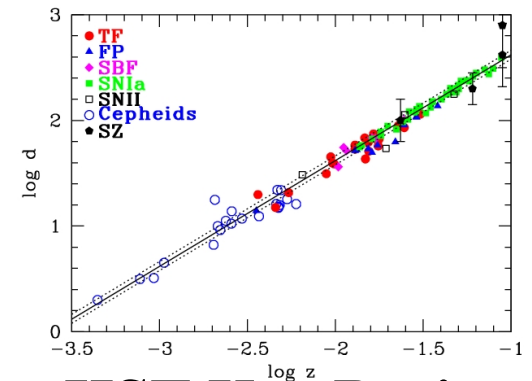
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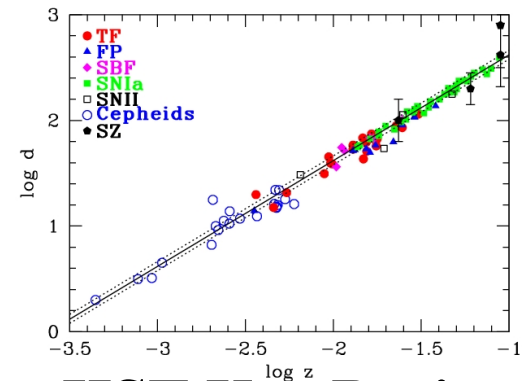
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- The value of  $H_0$  can be derived assuming  $\Omega_m = 0.3$
- Direct measurements of  $H_0$  are still needed
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- Given the current data, a direct measurement of  $H_0$  independent of the CMB is rather difficult
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What did you do wrong? ...  
... The SN  $\Omega_m$  people already adjusted their results. What's taking you so long?

at  $z \sim 0$  with completely different physics, etc., the 2-2.5- $\sigma$  agreement



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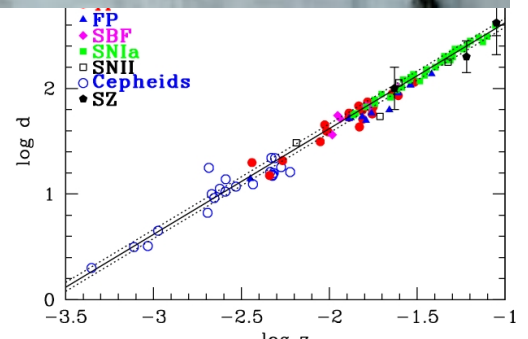
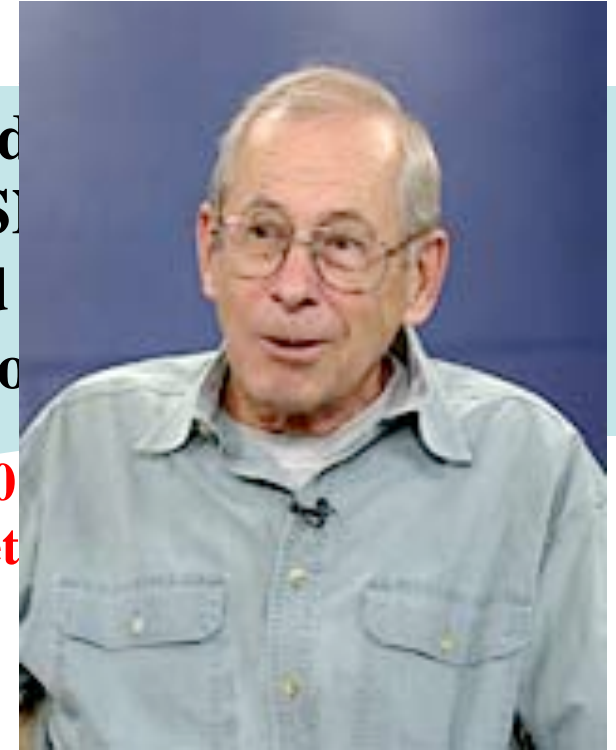
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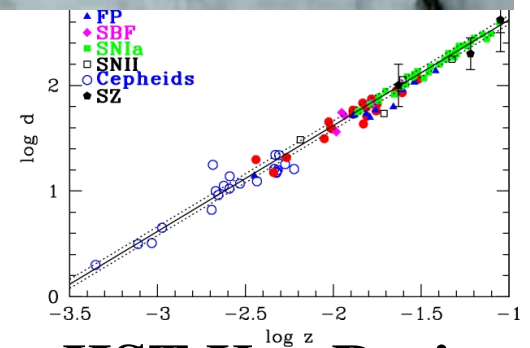
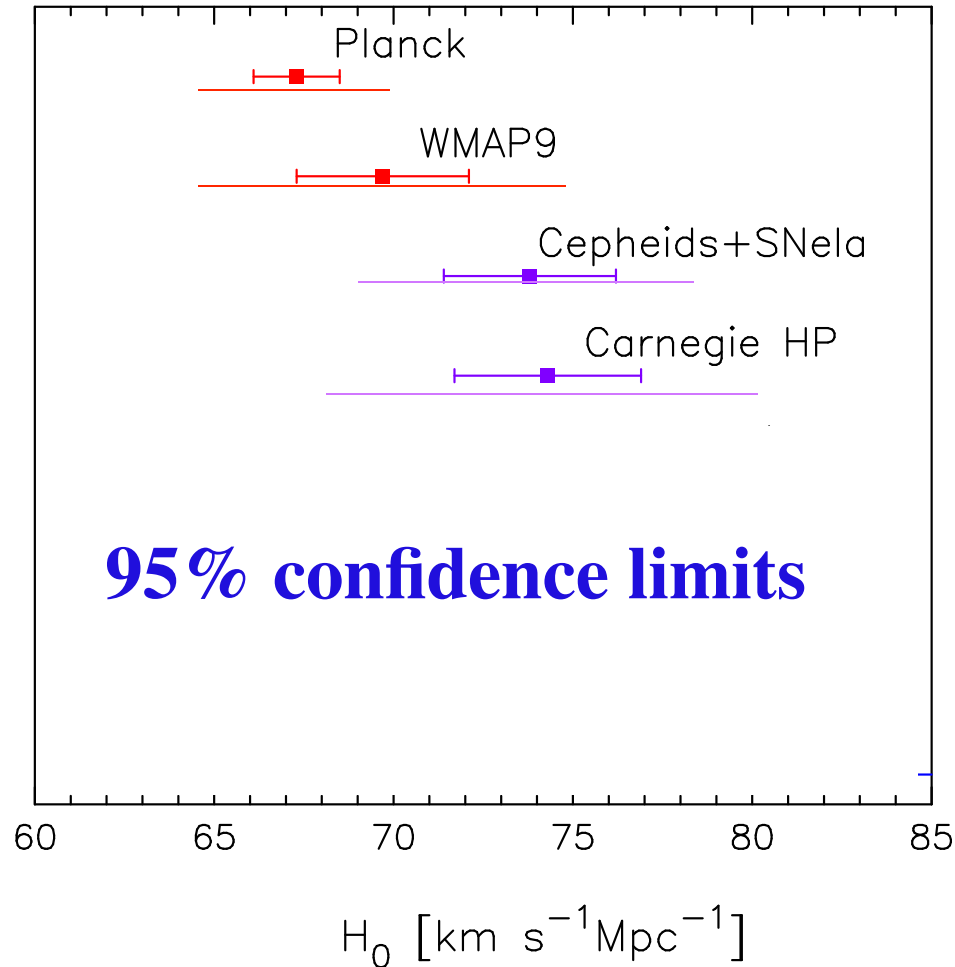
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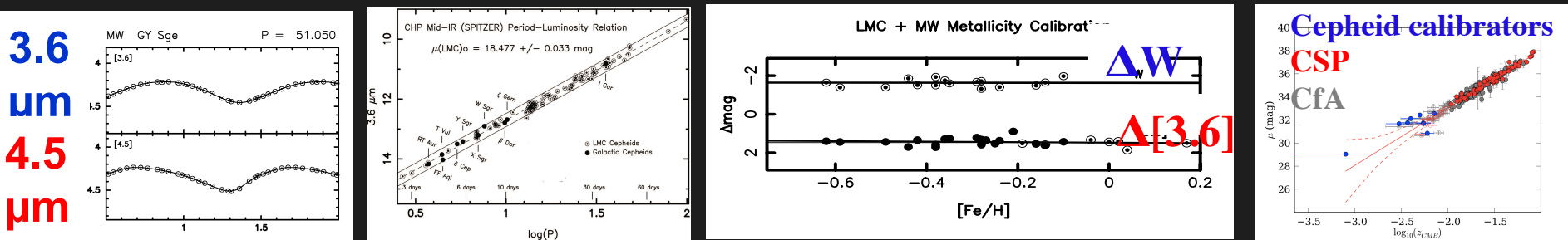
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# Recent Direct Measurements of $H_0$

- Carnegie Hubble Project:  $H_0 = 74.3 \pm 2.0$  [stat]  $\pm 2.1$  [sys]  $\text{km s}^{-1} \text{Mpc}^{-1} \pm 2.9$  [4%]
- Carnegie supernovae: in progress
- SH<sub>0</sub>ES (Riess et al. 2011) :  $H_0 = 73.9 \pm 2.4 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{Mpc}^{-1}$  [3%]
- GL (Suyu et al. 2010) :  $H_0 = 70.6 \pm 3.1 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{Mpc}^{-1}$  [4%]

## Recent improvements in direct measurements of $H_0$ :

- mid-IR (Spitzer) independent Cepheid zero point [Milky Way + LMC]
- HST parallaxes for Milky Way Cepheids
- Improved metallicity constraints for Cepheids [direct [Fe/H] abundances]
- HST Cepheid distances to more SNeIa - H-band (Riess et al.)
- Higher precision observations of nearby SNe (CfA + CSP2  $\leftarrow$  NIR )
- Gravitational lensing – detailed modeling (Suyu et al.)
- H<sub>2</sub>O megamasers (Braatz et al)



# Sources of Systematic Errors in $H_0$

## Freedman & Madore ARAA (2010) - dominant sources of error

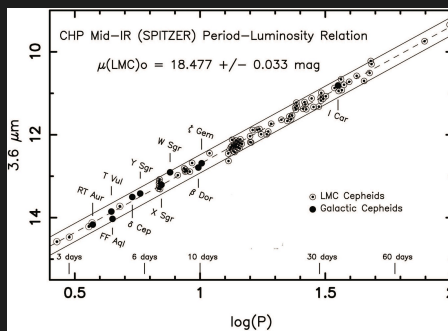
Known	Key Project	Revisions	Anticipated	Basis
Systematics	(2001)	(2007/2009)	Spitzer/JWST	
(1) Cepheid Zero Point	$\pm 0.12$ mag	$\pm 0.06$ mag	$\pm 0.03$ mag	Galactic Parallaxes
(2) Metallicity	$\pm 0.10$ mag	$\pm 0.05$ mag	$\pm 0.02$ mag	IR + Models
(3) Reddening	$\pm 0.05$ mag	$\pm 0.03$ mag	$\pm 0.01$ mag	IR 20-30x Reduced
(4) Transformations	$\pm 0.05$ mag	$\pm 0.03$ mag	$\pm 0.02$ mag	Flight Magnitudes
<b>Final Uncertainty</b>	$\pm 0.20$ mag	$\pm 0.09$ mag	$\pm 0.04$ mag	Added in Quadrature
Percentage Error on $H_0$	$\pm 10\%$	$\pm 5\%$	$\pm 2\%$	Distances

We are here

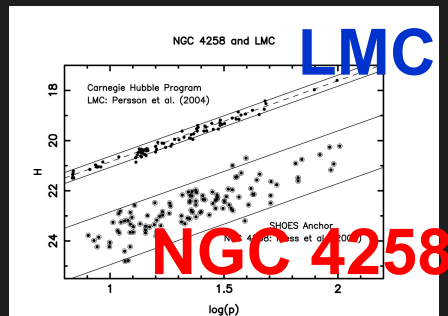


## Improvements to Systematics:

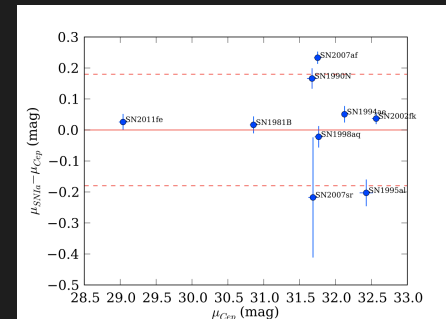
### 1. HST parallaxes



### 2. NGC 4258 scatter



### 3. Few SN calib.s



# Decreasing the Uncertainties in $H_0$

## HST Key Project:

[ $\pm 10\%$ ]

- Several methods with independent checks
- 5% statistical uncertainties
- Robust tests of 10% final uncertainty
  - Cepheids (RR Lyraes, TRGB, PNLF)
  - SNeIa, TF, SBF, PNLF, SNII



## Current $H_0$ Measurements:

[ $\pm 3-4\%$ ]

- Require additional tests to confirm Cepheid and SNeIa distances at the 3-4% level.
- Not yet available, but in progress.



## Future $H_0$ Measurements:

[ $\pm 2-3\%$ ]

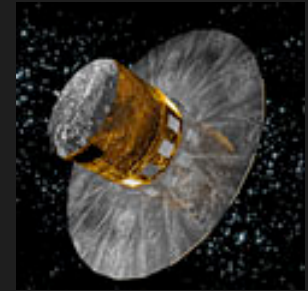
- Spitzer RR Lyrae independent distances (2% level)\*\*
- Gaia parallaxes (<1%) for Cepheids and RR Lyraes.
- IR measurements of SNeIa
- Gravitational lensing, masers, Planck SZ clusters

## What is needed for $H_0$ to 1%?

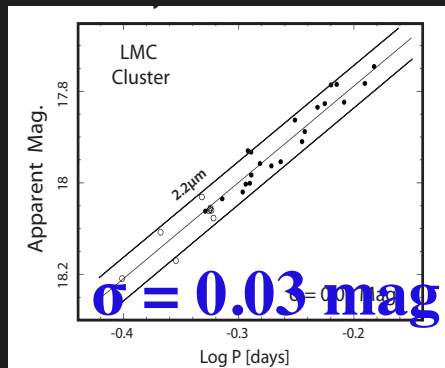
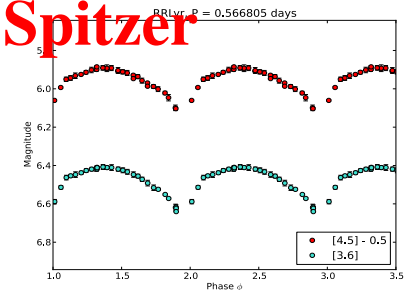
- Several independent methods capable of 1%



Gaia



Spitzer





## **Paper XVI**

**“We emphasize here that the CMB estimates are highly model dependent. It is important therefore to compare with astrophysical measurements of  $H_0$ , since any discrepancies could be a pointer to new physics.”**