

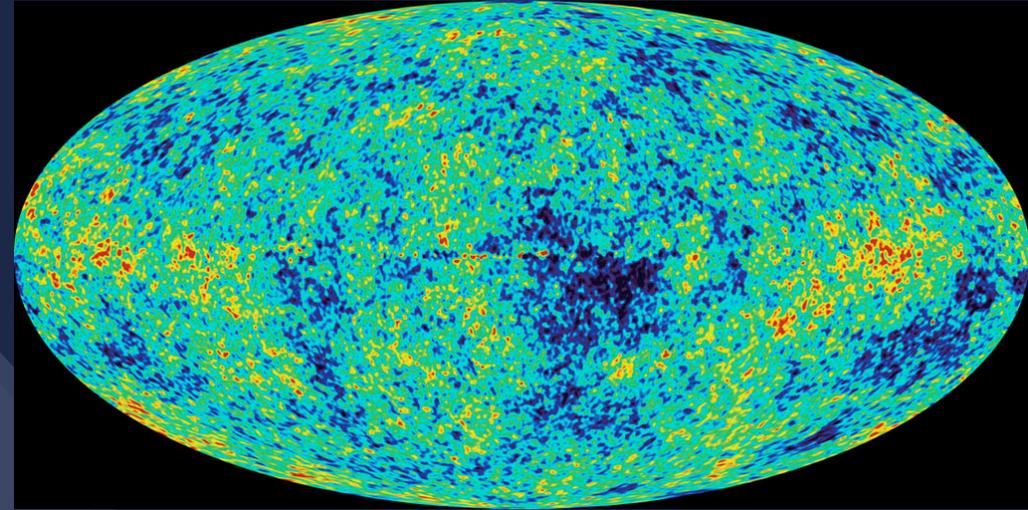


BBN, CMB and Neutrino

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Introduction

WMAP Data Release
in 2003



<http://map.gsfc.nasa.gov/>

WMAP (+ Galaxy Survey + etc)

Support the Standard Framework of Cosmology
Inflation, Lambda-CDM ...

Determination of Cosmological Parameters

Cosmological Parameters

WMAP only, assuming a flat universe

- Baryon $\omega_b \equiv \Omega_b h^2 = 0.024 \pm 0.001$
- Matter $\omega_m \equiv \Omega_m h^2 = 0.14 \pm 0.02$
- Hubble $h = 0.72 \pm 0.05$
- Spectral Index $n_s = 0.99 \pm 0.04$
- Optical Depth $\tau = 0.166^{+0.076}_{-0.071}$

5% accuracy !

Baryon Density

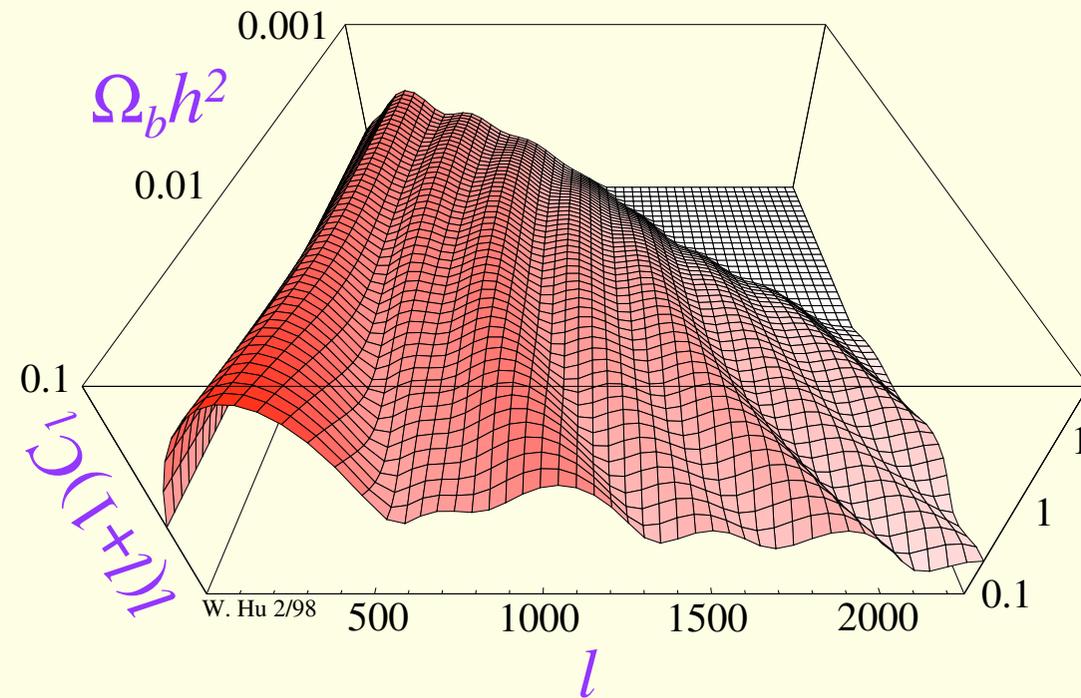
CMB Angular Power
Spec. 2nd Peak



$$\begin{aligned}\eta &= n_b/n_\gamma \\ &= (6.5^{+0.4}_{-0.3}) \times 10^{-10}\end{aligned}$$

Is This Consistent
with Big Bang
Nucleosynthesis ?

Baryon-Photon Ratio in the CMB



<http://background.uchicago.edu/~whu/>



Plan of Talk

1. Introduction
2. Big Bang Nucleosynthesis
3. Discrepancy
4. Solutions
5. Conclusions

○ ● ● Big Bang Nucleosynthesis (BBN)

Standard BBN

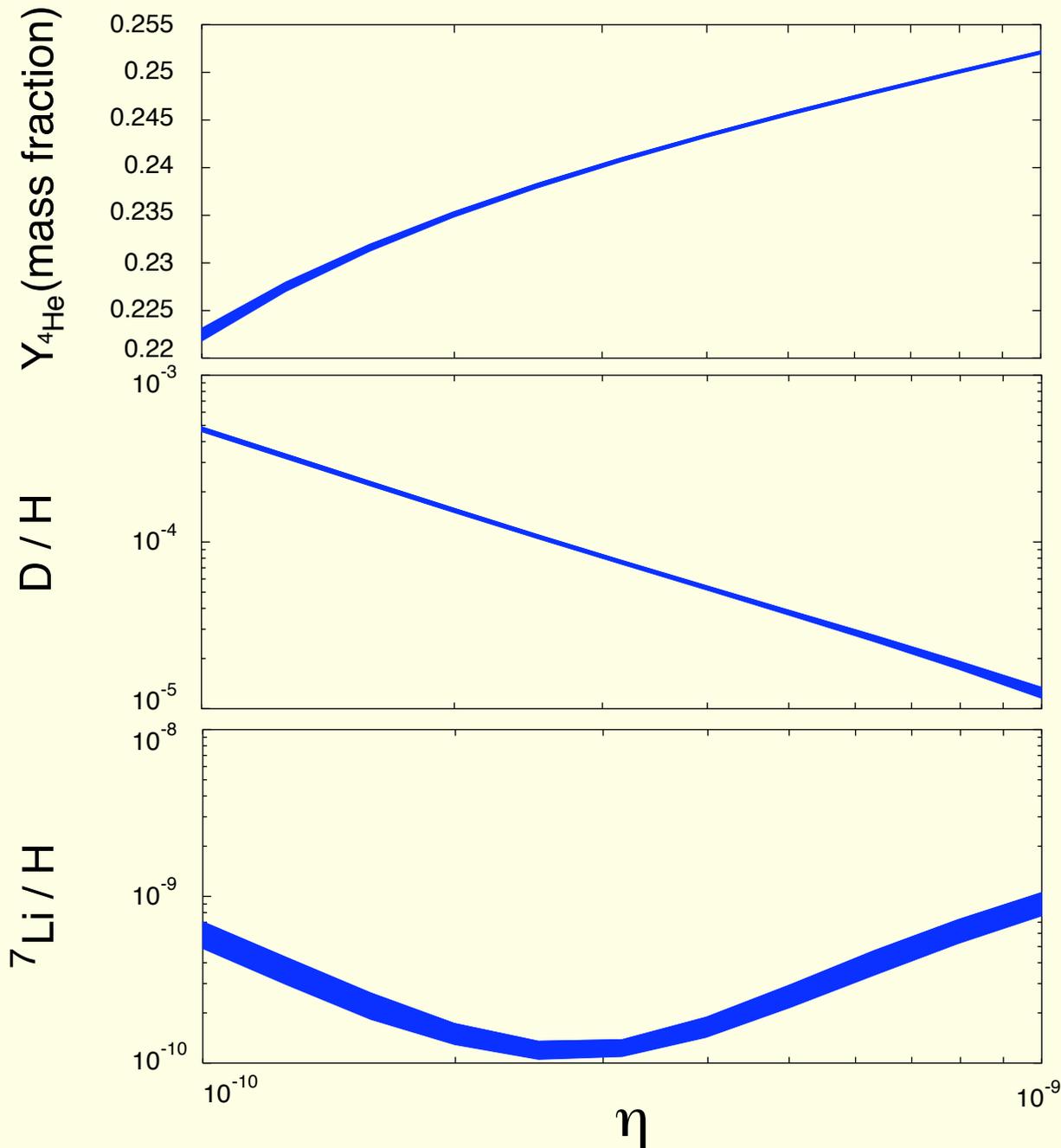
- **Theoretical Abundances** of Light Elements Only Depend on Baryon-Photon Ratio

$$\eta \equiv \frac{n_b}{n_\gamma}$$

- Primordial Abundances Inferred from **Observations**

➔ Determine baryon density

BBN (Theoretical Prediction)



BBN (observational Abundances)

He4

$$Y_{4\text{He}} = 0.238 \pm 0.002 \pm 0.005 \quad \text{Fields, Olive (1998)}$$

$$Y_{4\text{He}} = 0.2421 \pm 0.0021 \quad \text{Izotov, Thuan (2003)}$$

D

$$\text{D}/\text{H} = (2.78 \pm 0.44) \times 10^{-5} \quad \text{Kirkman et al (2003)}$$

Li7

$${}^7\text{Li}/\text{H} = (1.23 \pm 0.34) \times 10^{-10} \quad \text{Ryan et al (2000)}$$



Theory vs Observation

CMB

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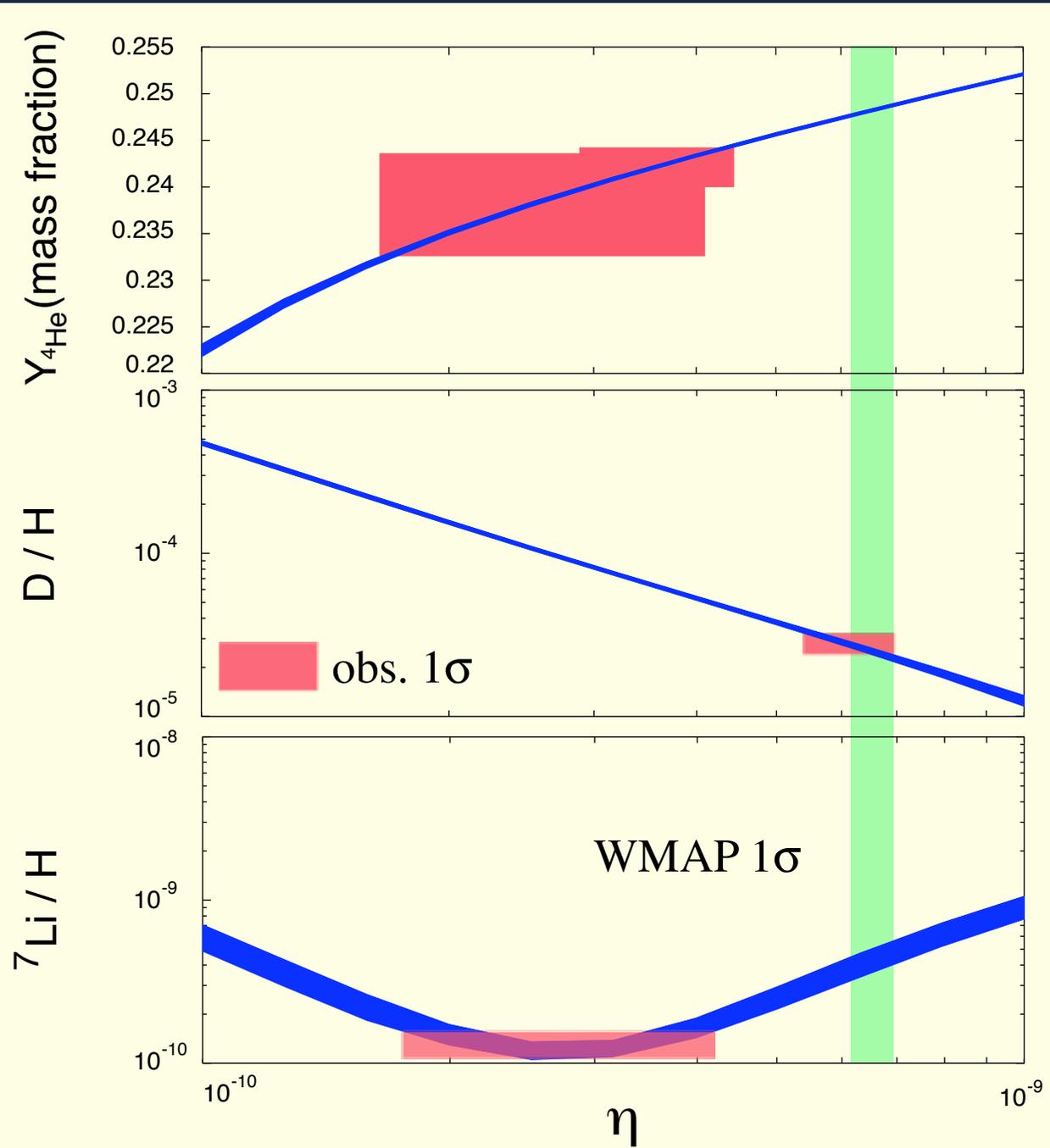
BBN

${}^7\text{Li}$, ${}^4\text{He}$

Smaller η is favored

Cyburt et al (2004)

Coc et al (2004)



○ ● ● Inconsistency

He4 and Li7 are produced more than observed

Possible Solutions

- Systematic Errors in Obs

- New Physics

- Photo-Dissociation of Li7 by Decaying Particle

Feng, Rajaraman, Takayama (2003)

- Varying Fine Structure Constant

- Baryon Number Production after BBN

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○ ● ● Varying Coupling Constant

Evidence from QSO Absorption Lines?

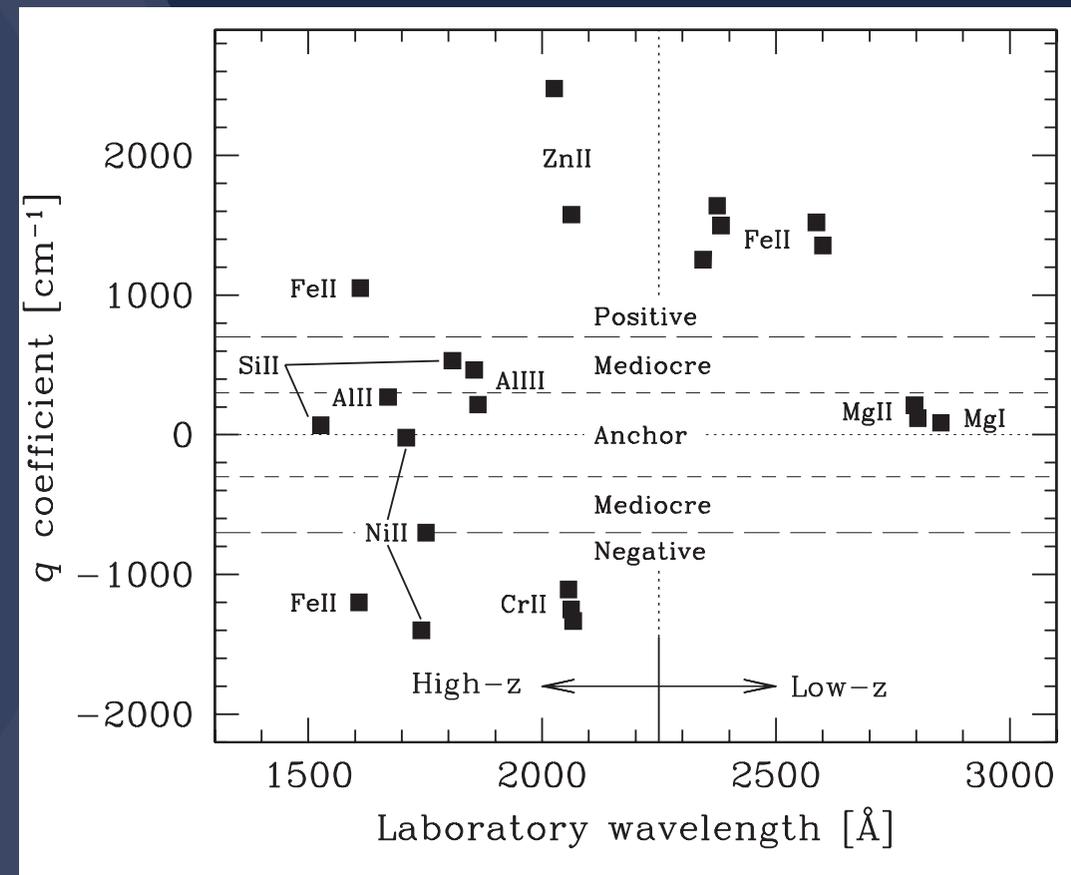
Transition Frequency ω , e.g. (S_{1/2} → P_{3/2})

$$\omega_i = \omega_{i,0} + q_i \left[\left(\frac{\alpha}{\alpha_0} \right)^2 - 1 \right]$$

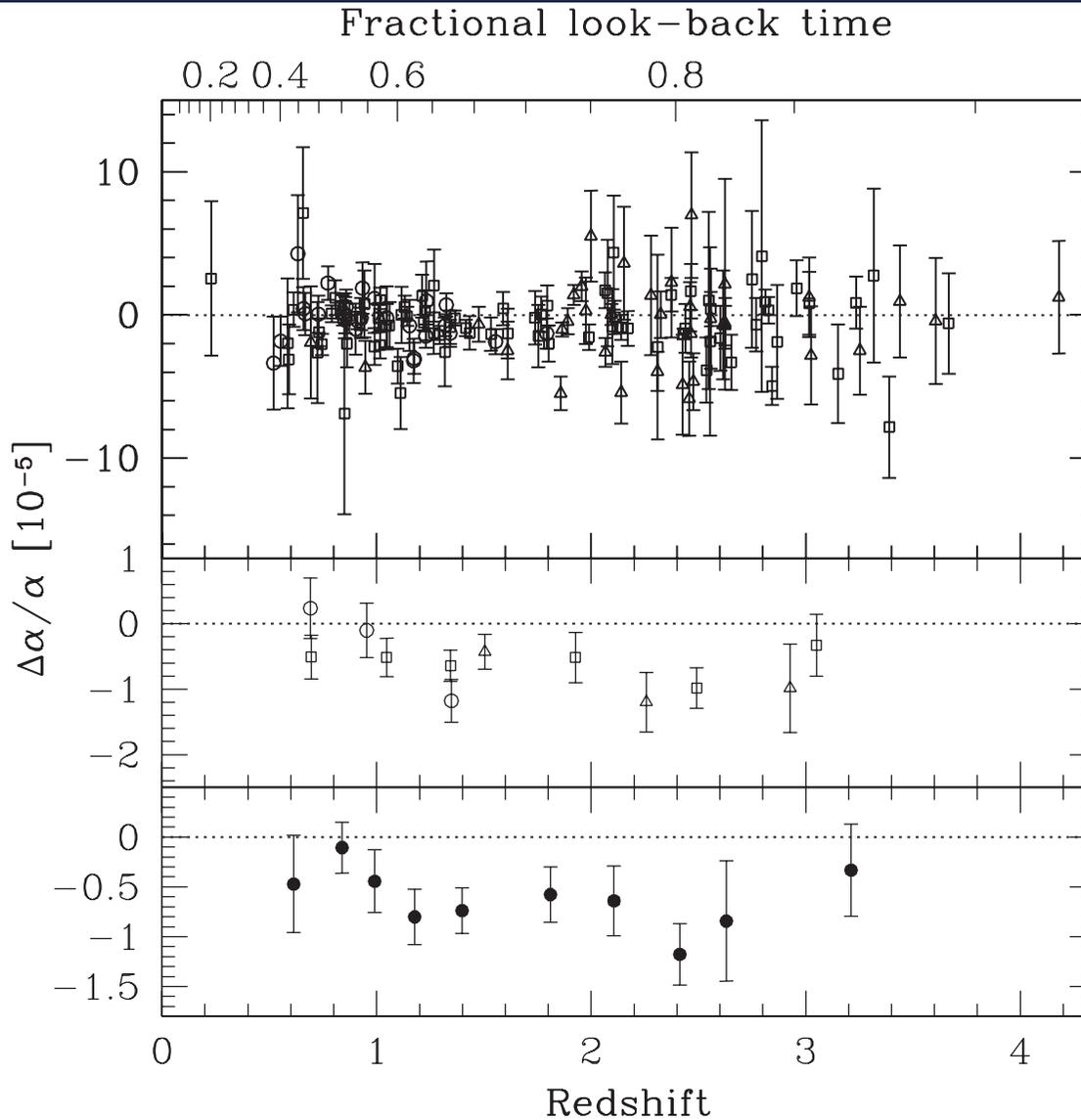
Many Multiplet Method

Dzuba et al (1999) Webb et al (1999)

use different atoms



Evidence for Varying α ?



$$\Delta\alpha/\alpha = (-0.573 \pm 0.113) \times 10^{-5}$$

○ ● ● Varing α and BBN

Assume Larger Fine Structure Constant at BBN



← Large Coulomb Barrier

But

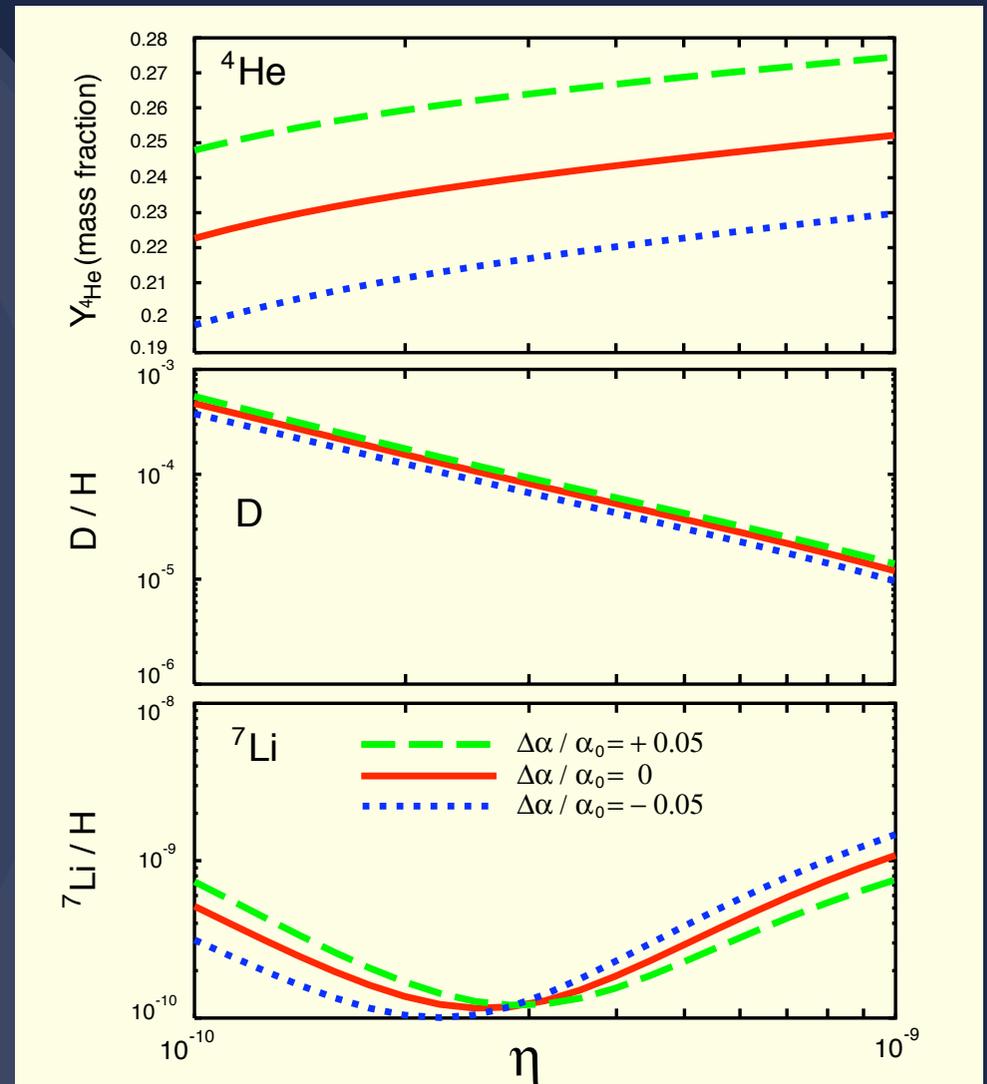


$$m_n - m_p = 2.05 \text{ MeV} - 0.76(\alpha/\alpha_0)$$

Gasser, Leutwyler (1982)



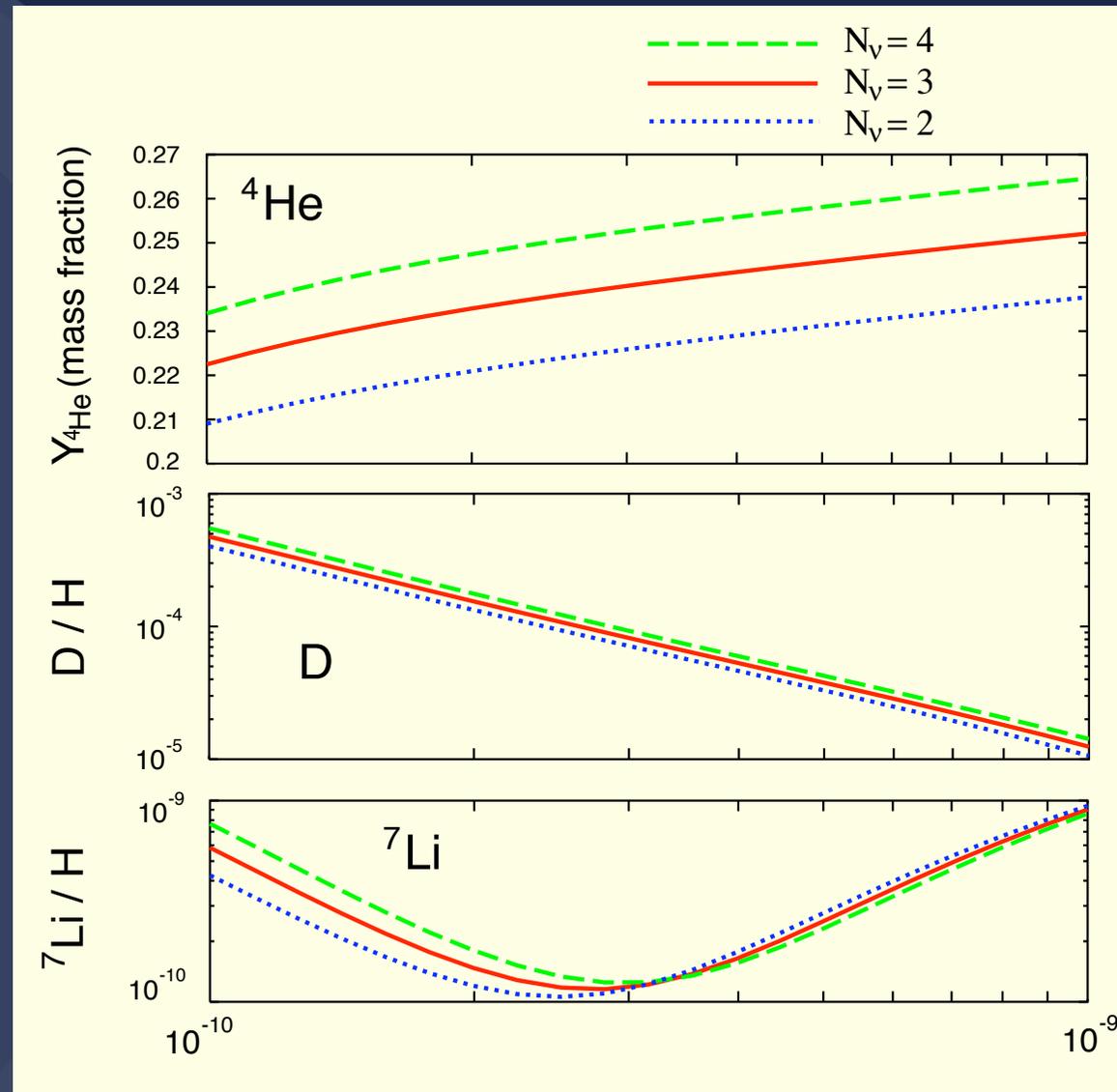
→ We must reduce He4



Decrease the Abundance of He4

1. Decrease Effective Number of Neutrino N_ν

2. Large Lepton Asymmetry



N_ν Decreases ?

- Hot Universe Begins at MeV Scale
(Neutrinos are not thermalized)

MK, Kohri, Sugiyama (1999) (2000)

$N_\nu \searrow$

- Dark Radiation from Extra-Dimensions

$$H^2 = \frac{8\pi G}{3} \rho + \rho_{dark}$$

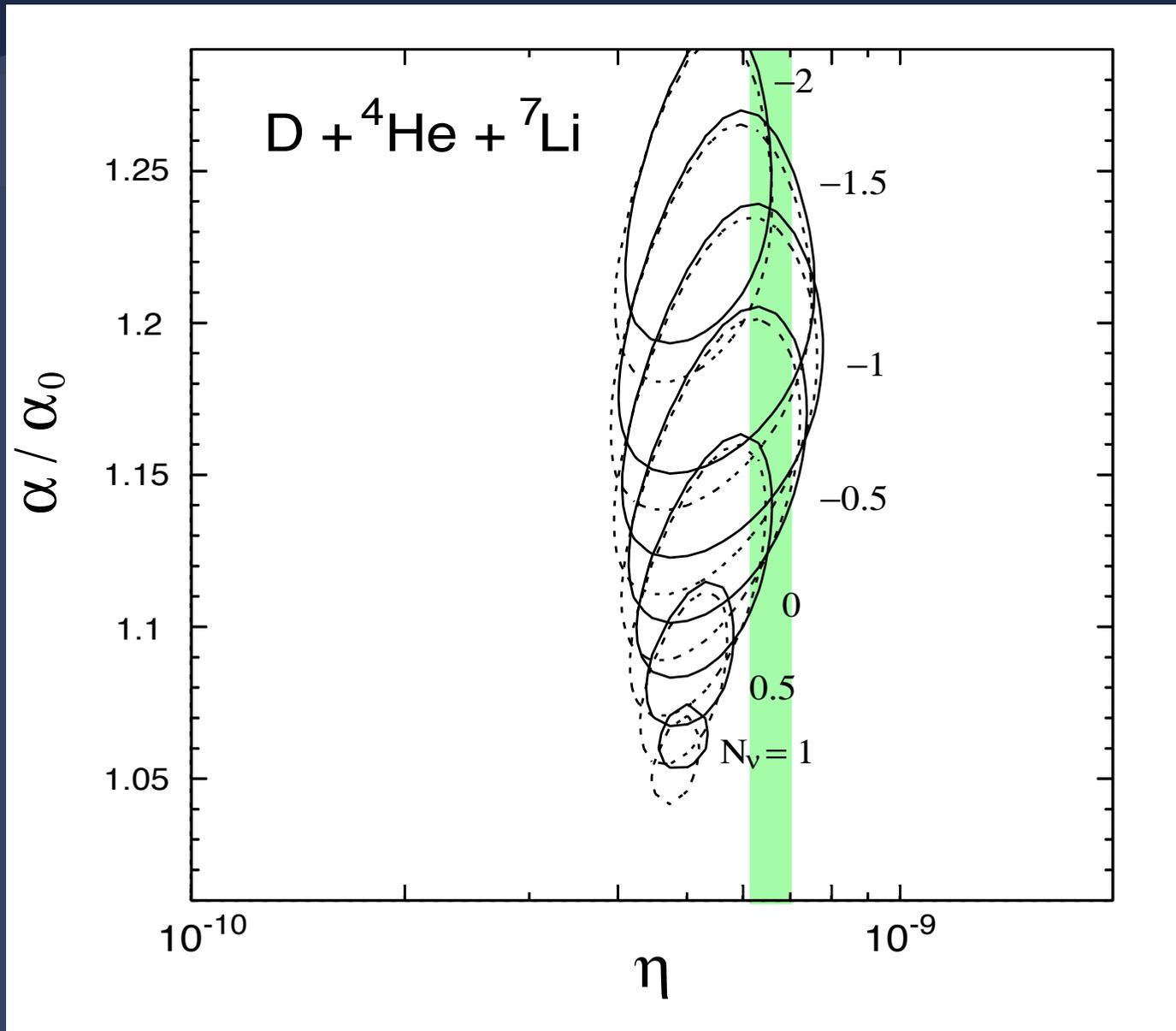
$N_\nu \searrow$ or \nearrow

e.g. Randall & Sundrum Model (1999),
Shiromizu, Maeda, Sasaki (1999)



Larger α and smaller N_ν

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Notice: CMB may also be affected by α and N_ν

2. Large Lepton Asymmetry

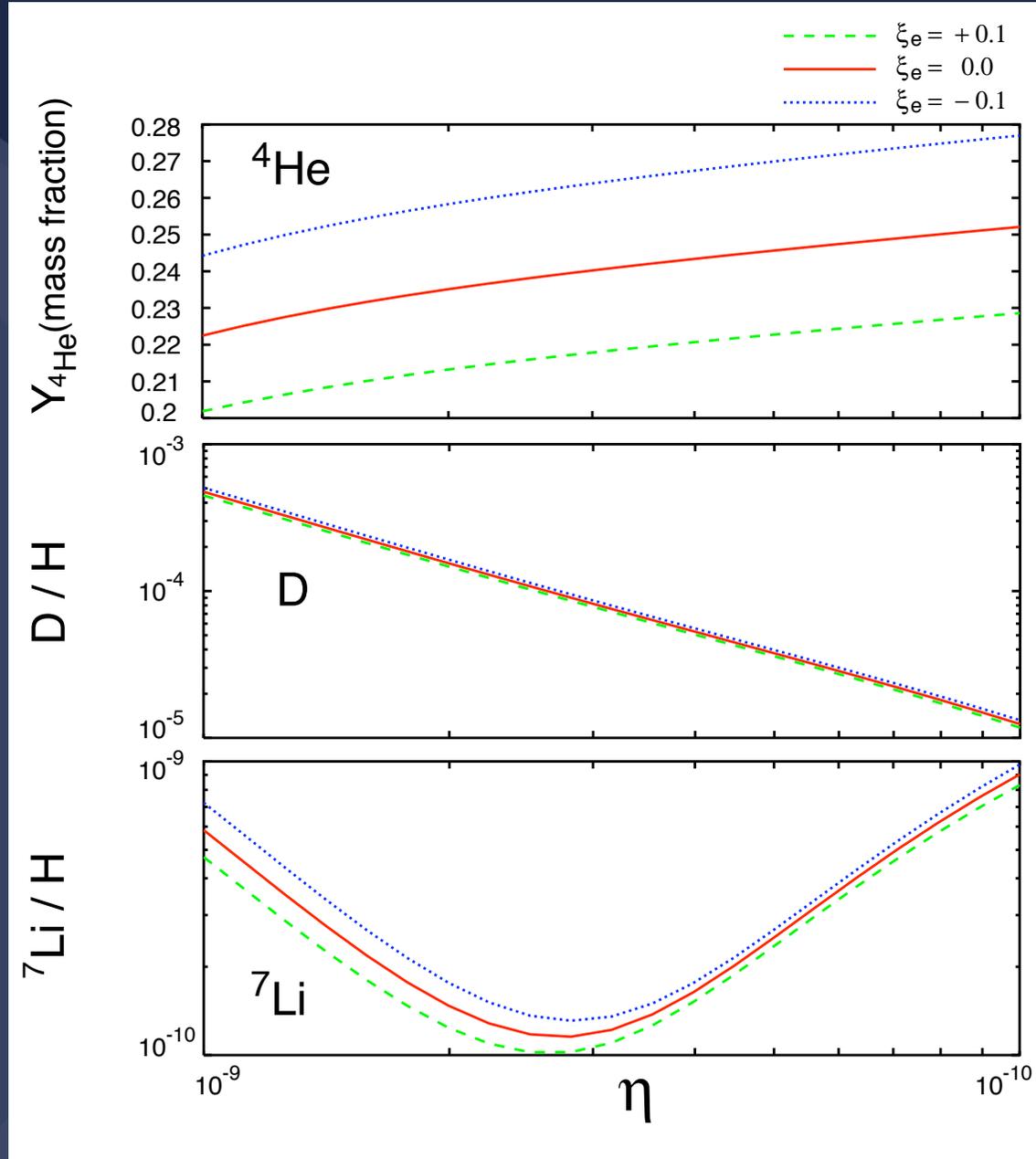
Chemical Potential

$$\xi_e > 0 \Rightarrow n_{\nu_e} > n_{\bar{\nu}_e}$$

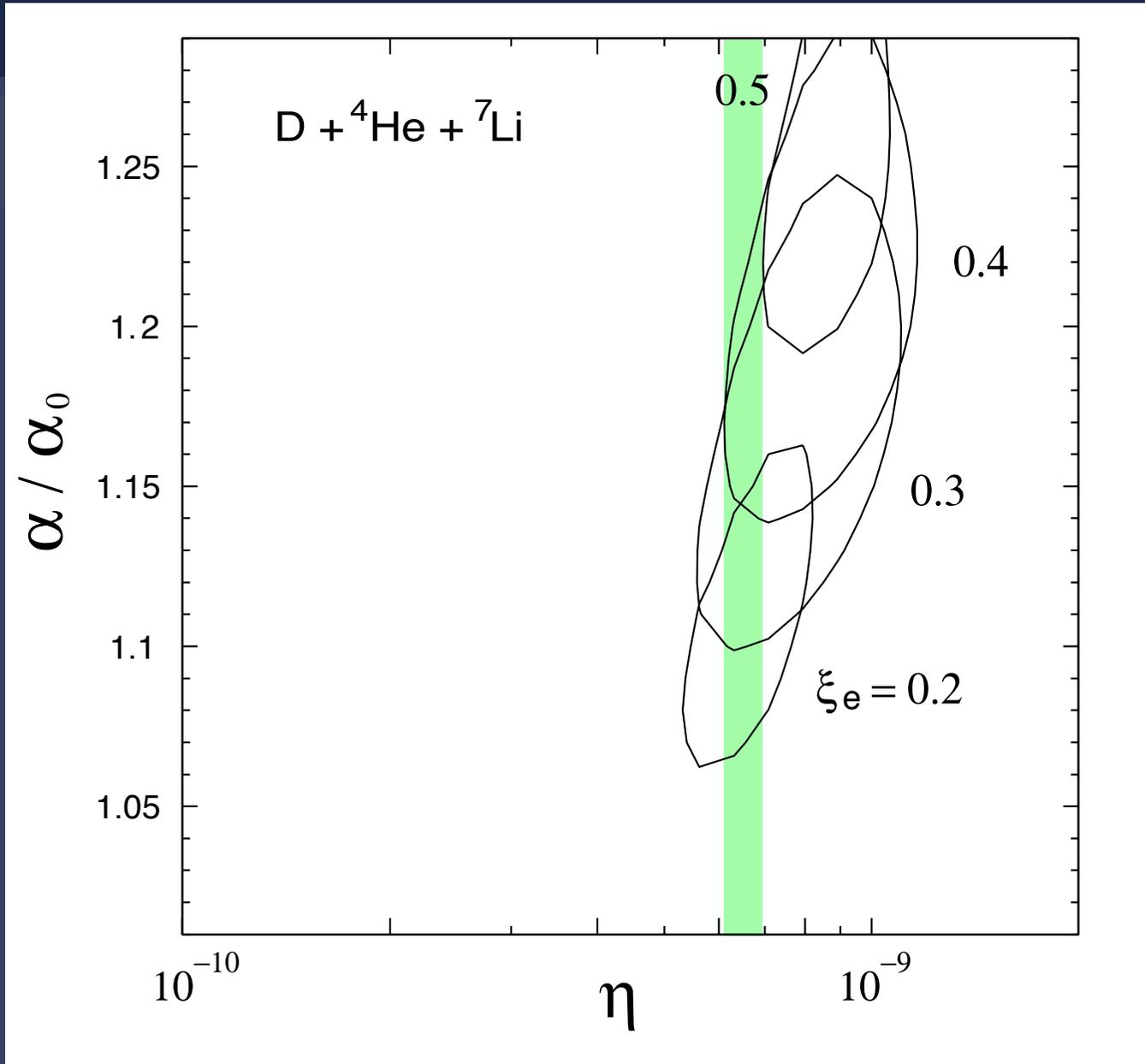
$$\xi_e \sim \frac{n_L}{n_\gamma}$$



$$\xi_e \nearrow \Rightarrow {}^4\text{He} \searrow$$



Larger α and Large Lepton Asym.



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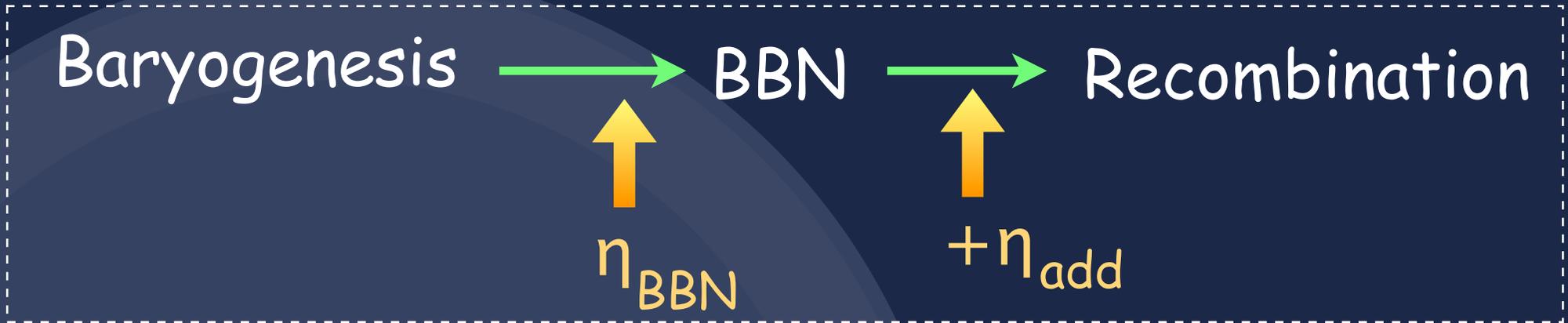
- Baryon Number Production after BBN

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○ ● ● Baryon Number Production after BBN

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Scheme



$$\eta_0 = \eta_{BBN} + \eta_{add} \simeq 6.5 \times 10^{-10} \quad (\text{WMAP})$$

Since Hydrogen Number Density Increases

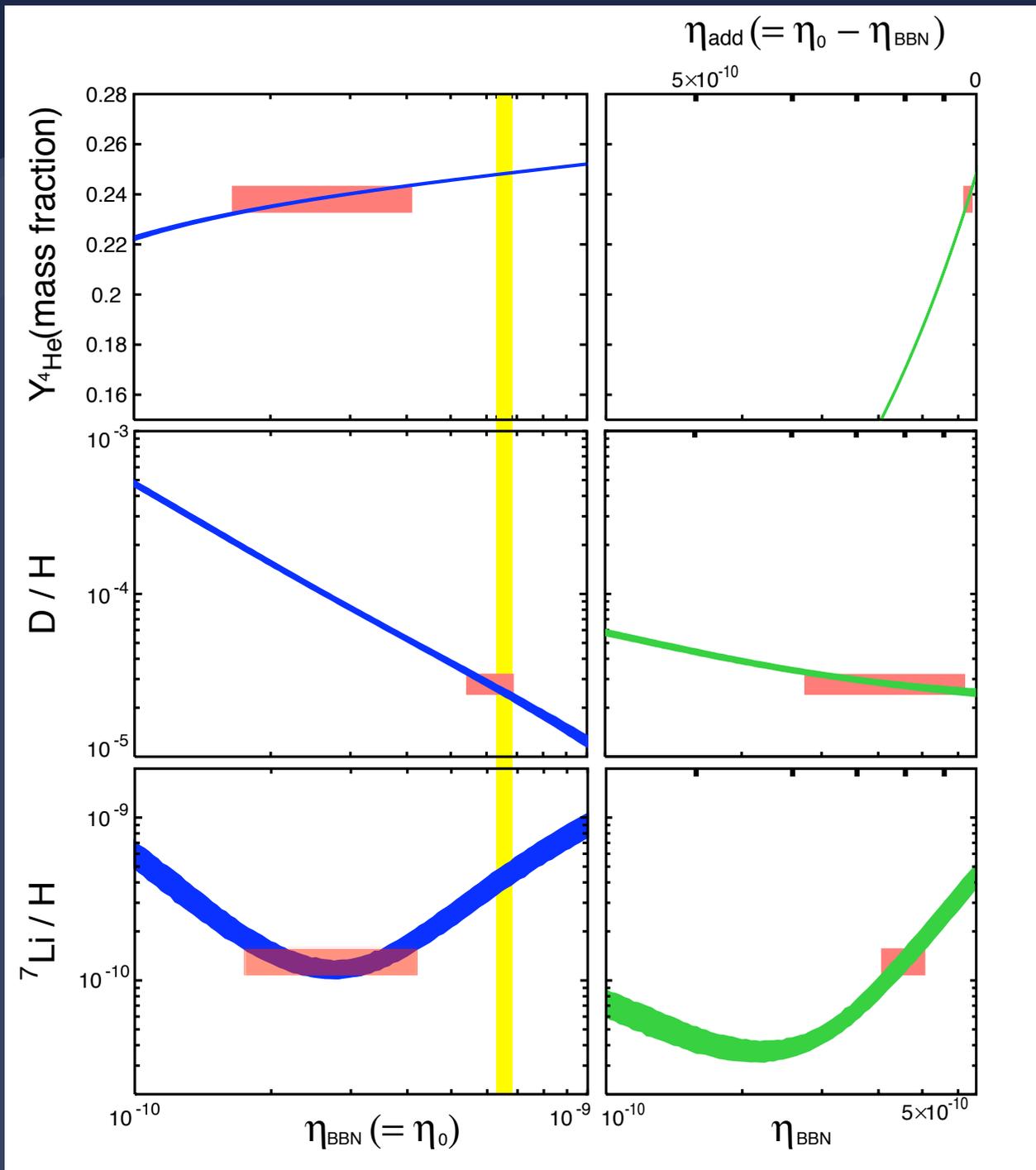
$$Y_{4\text{He}}^0 = Y_{4\text{He}}^{BBN} (\eta_{BBN} / \eta_0)$$

$$(\text{D}/\text{H})^0 \sim (\text{D}/\text{H})^{BBN} (\eta_{BBN} / \eta_0)$$

$$({}^7\text{Li}/\text{H})^0 \sim ({}^7\text{Li}/\text{H})^{BBN} (\eta_{BBN} / \eta_0)$$



Prediction of Light Element Abundances



→ Too Small
He4



→ Consistent

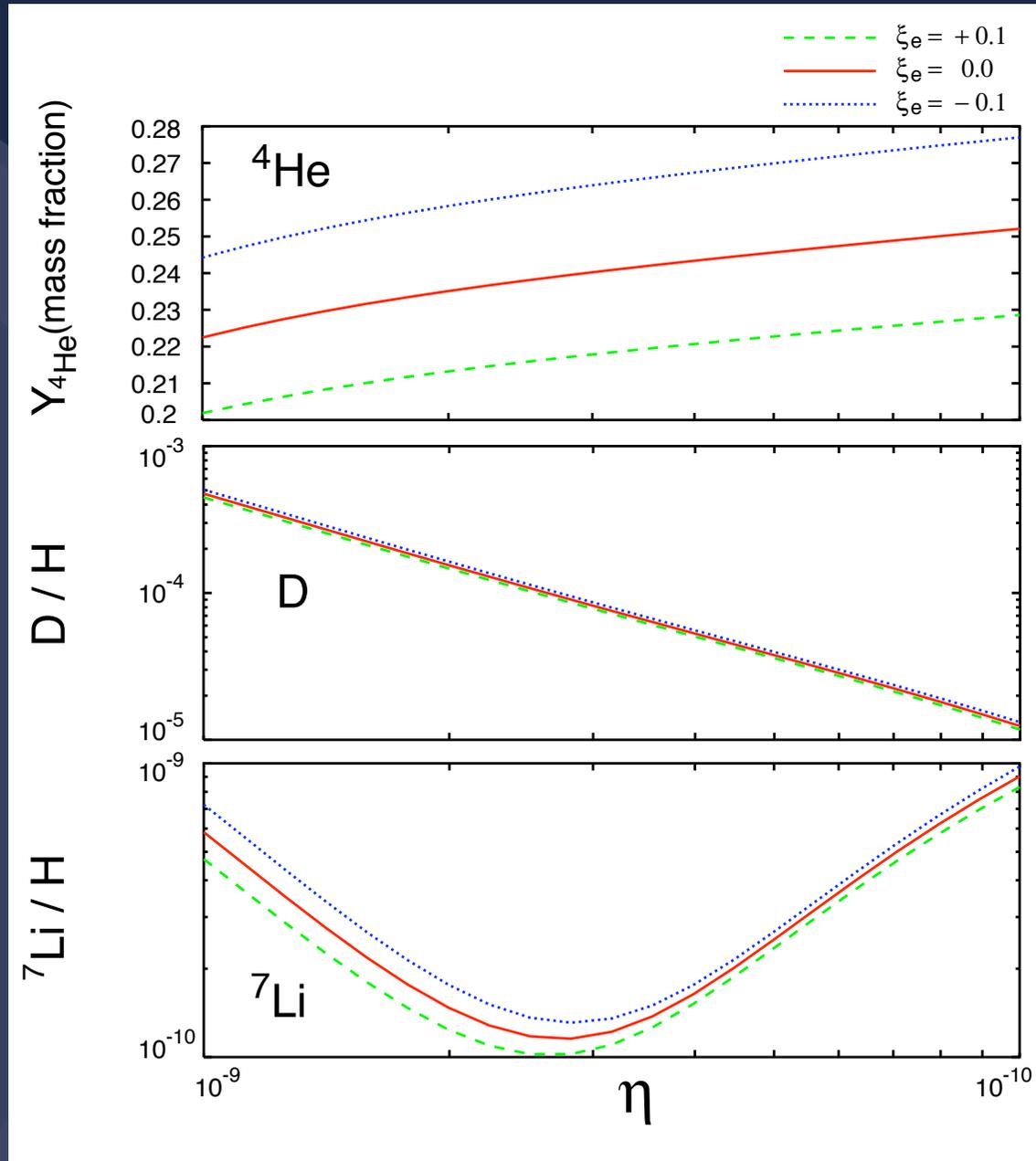
Increase the Abundance of He4

Large Lepton Asymmetry

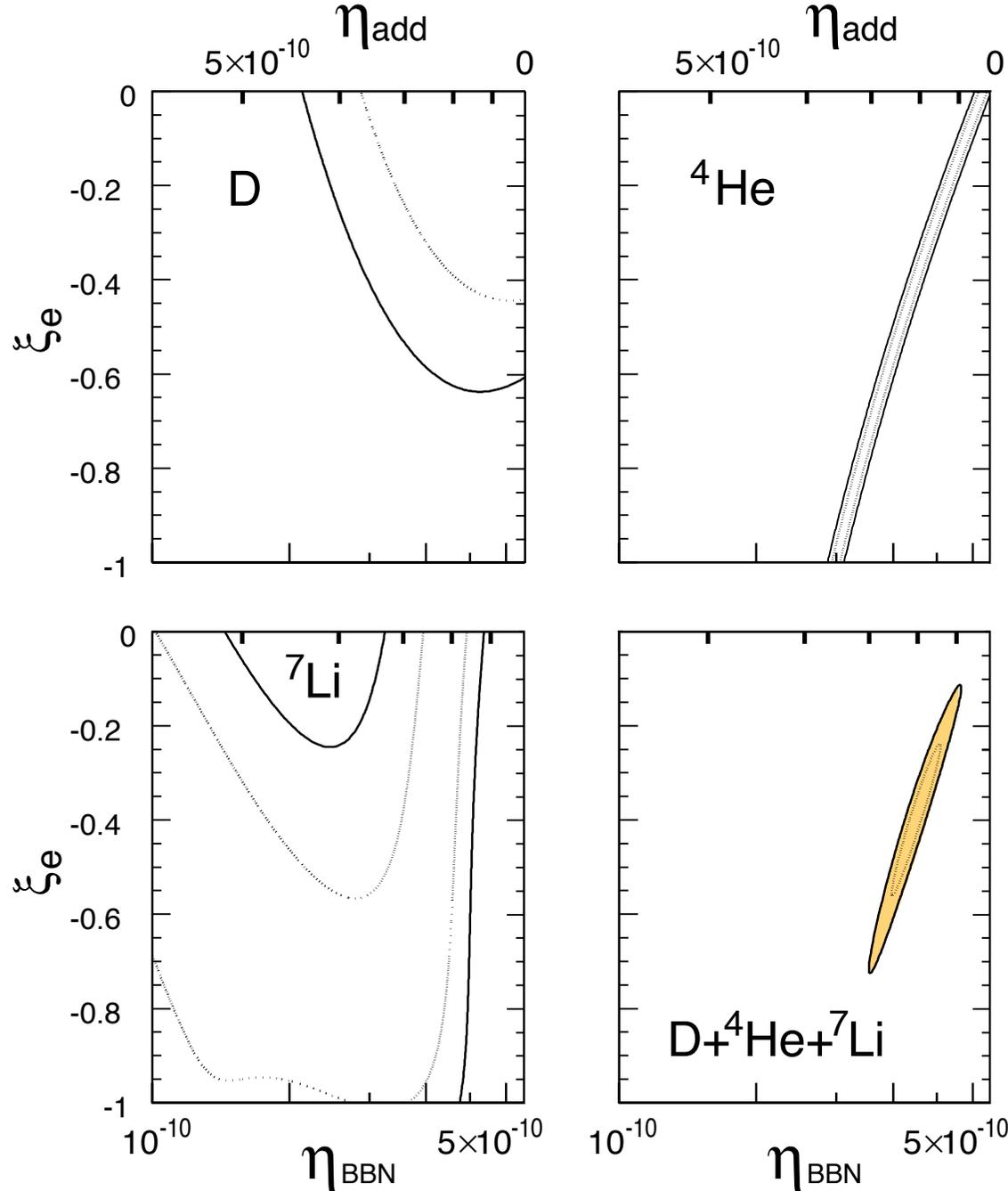
Chemical Potential

$$\xi_e < 0 \Rightarrow n_{\nu_e} < n_{\bar{\nu}_e}$$

$$\xi_e \sim \frac{n_L}{n_\gamma}$$



Baryon Injection and Large Lepton Asym



Best Solution

$$\eta_{\text{add}} = 2 \times 10^{-10}$$

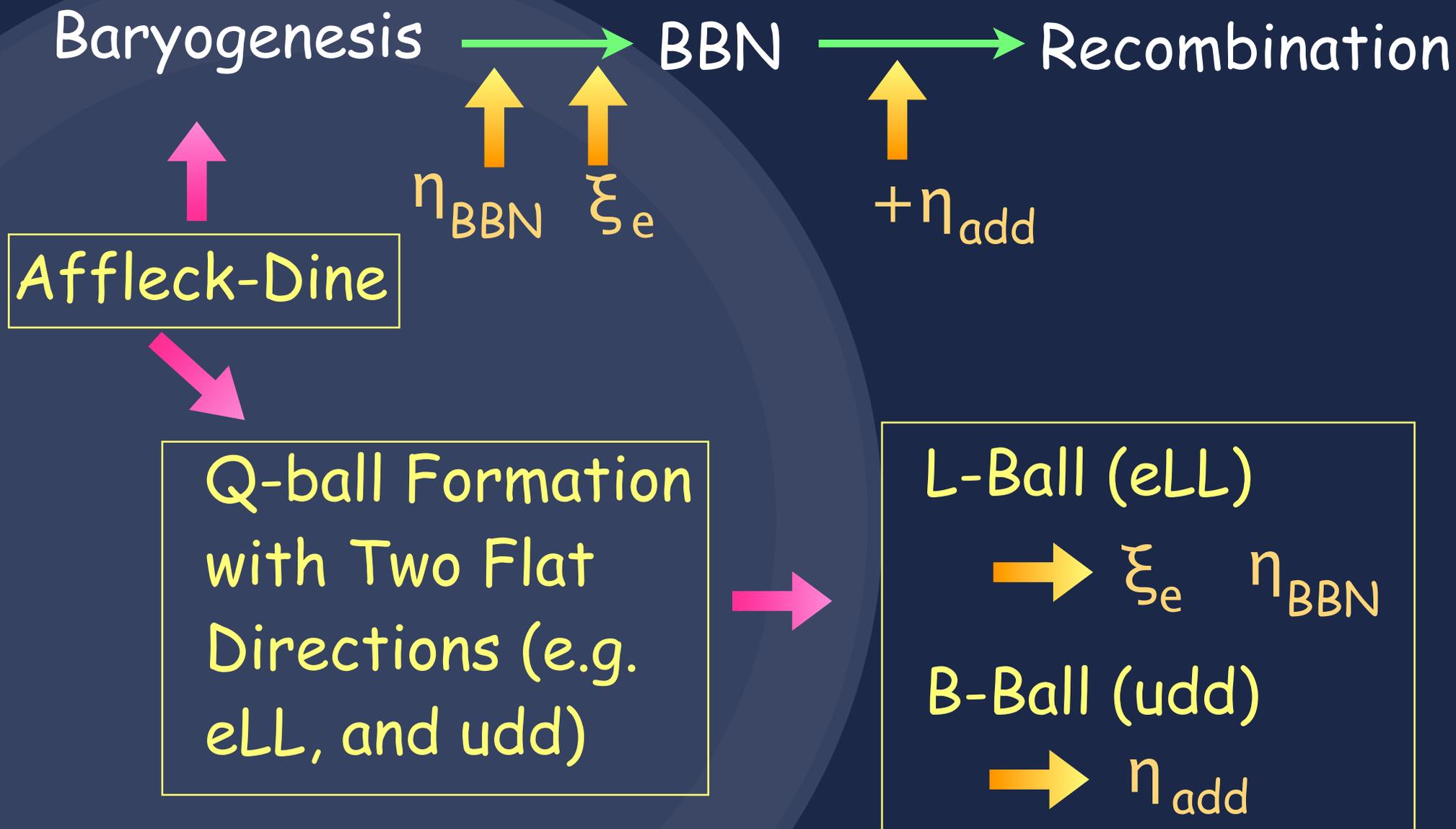
$$\xi_e = -0.4$$



Scenario with use of Q-Balls

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Scheme





Typical Parameters

$$m_{3/2} \simeq 1 \text{ GeV}$$

$$Q_L \sim 10^{21}$$

$$T_{L \text{ decay}} \sim 10 \text{ GeV}$$

$$Q_B \sim 10^{25}$$

$$T_{B \text{ decay}} \sim 0.01 \text{ MeV}$$

○ ● ● Conclusion

- If we take the observational data seriously, there exists some inconsistency between WMAP and BBN
- Solutions may need exotic assumptions on parameters in BBN such as large lepton asymmetry (neutrino chemical pot.) and extra baryon number injection
- We must understand more about systematic errors in the observations