

Gravitational Lensing Bound on The Transition Redshift

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Evidence of accelerated expansion of Universe

Results obtained by the SCP and HZSST team from the analysis of the Supernovae Ia are as follows:

- $\Omega_m = 0.25$
- $\Omega_\Lambda = 0.75$
- $q_0 = \frac{3}{2}\Omega_{m0} - 1 = -0.63$

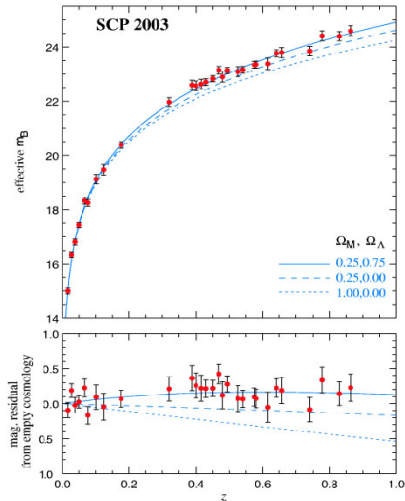


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- It depends only on the assumption that at large scale, Universe is isotropic and homogeneous.

Parametrization Used

① $q_I(z) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{q_0}{(1+z)^2}$

(R. Nair et al. 2012)

② $q_{II}(z) = q_1 + q_2z$

(Lima et al. 2009)

③ $q_{III}(z) = q_3 + q_4 \log(1+z)$

Model, Data and Methodology

- The theoretical age of galaxies can be calculated as follows

$$t(z, p) = \frac{1}{H_0} \int_z^\infty \frac{dx}{(1+x)E(x, p)}$$

$$E(x, p) = \frac{H(x, p)}{H_0}$$

Model

Corresponding Hubble parameter for this analysis are following-

$$H_I(z, p) = H_0(1+z)^{3/2} \exp \left[\frac{q_0}{2} \left(\frac{z^2 + 2z}{(1+z)^2} \right) \right]$$

$$H_{II}(z, p) = H_0(1+z)^{(1+q_1-q_2)} \exp(q_2 z)$$

$$H_{III}(z, p) = H_0(1+z)^{(1+q_3)} \exp \left[\frac{q_4}{2} (\log(1+z))^2 \right]$$

Data

- 1 Data from the age of passively evolving galaxy.
 - **Data Reference:** Samushia L. et al. (2010)
[arXiv: 09062734v3[astro-ph.CO]]
 - **Redshift range:** 0.1171 to 1.845

- 2 Strong lensing data.
 - **Data Reference:** Cao S. et al.(2012)
[arXiv:1105.6226v5[astro-ph.CO]]
 - **Redshift range of lens:** 0.106 to 1.004
 - **Redshift range of source:** 0.1965 to 3.9

Method: Age of Galaxies

To constrain cosmological parameters using age of passively evolving galaxies, chisquare technique is employed

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(t_i^{th} - t_{age}^{obs})^2}{\sigma_i^2}$$

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After minimization over nuisance parameter τ and H_0 , chisquare becomes

$$\tilde{\chi}^2 = M - \frac{J^2}{C} - \frac{(GC - JE)^2}{C(CD - E^2)}$$

where

$$M = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{[t_{obs}(z_i)]^2}{\sigma_i^2}, \quad J = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{t_{obs}(z_i)}{\sigma_i^2}, \quad C = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2}$$

$$G = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\Delta(z_i)t_{obs}(z_i)}{\sigma_i^2}, \quad E = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{\Delta(z_i)}{\sigma_i^2}, \quad D = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{[\Delta(z_i)]^2}{\sigma_i^2}$$

$$\Delta(z_i) = \frac{t(z_i)}{H_0^{-1}}$$

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Corresponding expression for the age of galaxies are following:

$$t_I(z_i, p) = H_0^{-1} \int_0^{\frac{1}{1+z}} x^{1/2} \exp \left[\frac{-q_0}{2} (1 - x^2) \right] dx$$

$$t_{II}(z_i, p) = H_0^{-1} \int_0^{\frac{1}{1+z}} x^{q_1 - q_2} \exp \left[-q_2 \left(\frac{1 - x}{x} \right) \right] dx$$

$$t_{III}(z_i, p) = H_0^{-1} \int_0^{\frac{1}{1+z}} \frac{x^{q_3}}{\exp \left[\frac{q_4}{2} (\log x)^2 \right]} dx$$

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- This method is independent on the Hubble constant value and is also not affected by the source evolution.

Strong Lensing

To constrain cosmological parameters, chisquare technique is used again-

$$\chi^2 = \sum \frac{(d^{th} - d^{obs})^2}{\sigma_D^2}$$

Here,

$$d^{th}(z_i, p) = \frac{d_{ls}}{d_s}$$

$$d_{ls} = \frac{c}{(1+z_s)} \int_{z_l}^{z_s} \frac{dx}{H(x; p)}$$

$$d_s = \frac{c}{(1+z_s)} \int_0^{z_s} \frac{dx}{H(x; p)}$$

Results

Parametrization I

$$q_I(z) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{q_0}{(1+z)^2}$$

Dataset	q_0	$q(0)$	χ^2	χ^2_ν	z_t
Age	-2.58	-2.08	12.47	0.40	1.3
SL	-2.14	-1.64	66.13	1.9	1.09
Age+SL	-2.19	-1.69	78.68	1.2	1.06

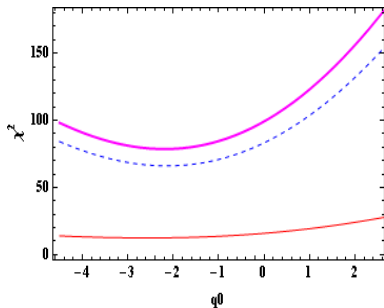


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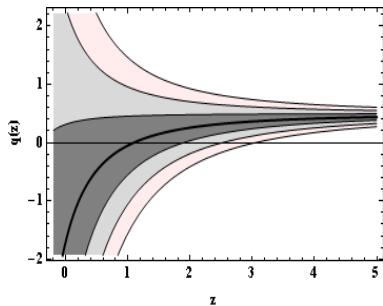


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Results

Parametrization II

$$q_{II}(z) = q_1 + q_2 z$$

Dataset	q_1	q_2	$q(0)$	χ^2	χ_ν^2	z_t	FOM
Age	-1.68	1.55	-1.68	12.28	1.1	1.3	0.71
SL	-0.85	0.23	-0.85	64.71	1.9	3.7	4.62
Age+SL	-0.91	0.50	-0.91	77.47	0.65	1.8	6.3

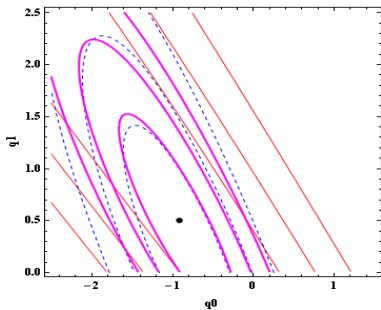


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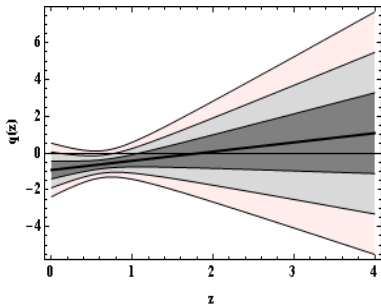


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Results

Parametrization III

$$q_{III}(z) = q_3 + q_4 \log(1+z)$$

Dataset	q_3	q_4	$q(0)$	χ^2	χ^2_ν	z_t	FOM
Age	-1.88	2.54	-1.88	12.35	0.41	1.1	0.39
SL	-0.84	0.30	-0.84	64.76	1.9	6.6	2.58
Age+SL	-0.95	0.79	-0.95	77.56	1.2	2.3	3.7

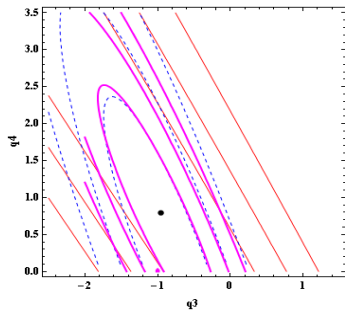


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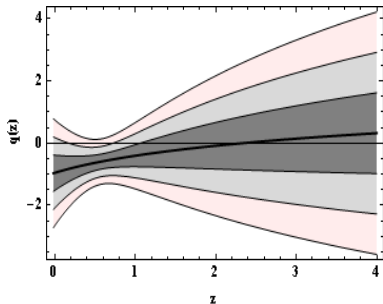


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Conclusion

- 1 The value of deceleration parameter at present epoch according to the recent Planck's result is -0.53 .
- 2 Value of transition redshift coming out from the strong lensing is greater than one.
- 3 The dataset for the age of galaxies also gives transition redshift higher than one.
- 4 Strong lensing data is not very precised due to the assumptions considered while collecting data.

Future Aspects

- 1 Using the precised strong lensing dataset tighter constraints can be obtained.
- 2 Combining other datasets like data from the GRB's can minimize the cosmological parameter space.

