The BIGGER picture



Mass & light maps of massive galaxy clusters from early DECam data



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Prime-focus cage and camera

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g-filter installation

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DES Survey Strategy Survey characteristics





James Annis ctoppin Gungil Bre-Operations Review filters: griz Margh 2013 10 x 90 seconds limiting magnitudes: 25.2 (g) .. 23.4 (z)

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Coadds





single i-band exposure

Swarp: median coadd of 10 exp. $n_{gal} = 21 / sq. arcmin$ $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{mean coadd+outlier rejection} \\ n_{gal} = 25 \, / \, sq. \mbox{ arcmin} \end{array}$

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December 2012: clearly improved image quality

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Y_IMAGE [pixel]

PSF modeling





Star-galaxy correlation function





Shape catalogs





n_gal \sim 15/sq. arcmin

Photometric catalogs



Foreground / Background selection based on color cuts and photo-zs





color-cut selection

Cluster member selection



based on color cuts and redMaPPer



Mass & light maps

WL mass reconstruction





redMaPPer galaxy distribution at z=0.35

Mass & light maps





Outlook



- Analysis soon completed on 5 cluster fields: 2.3 sq. degrees each
 - ← $M_{200} = 4 \cdot 10^{14} \dots 2 \cdot 10^{15} M_{solar}$
 - ✦ Redshifts z = 0.3 … 0.9
- Investigation on mass-light connection in cluster environments
- Tricky issues
 - ✦ careful treatment of bright cluster galaxies and diffuse cluster light
 - ← (faint) cluster member contamination

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