

The impact of AGN on galaxy formation

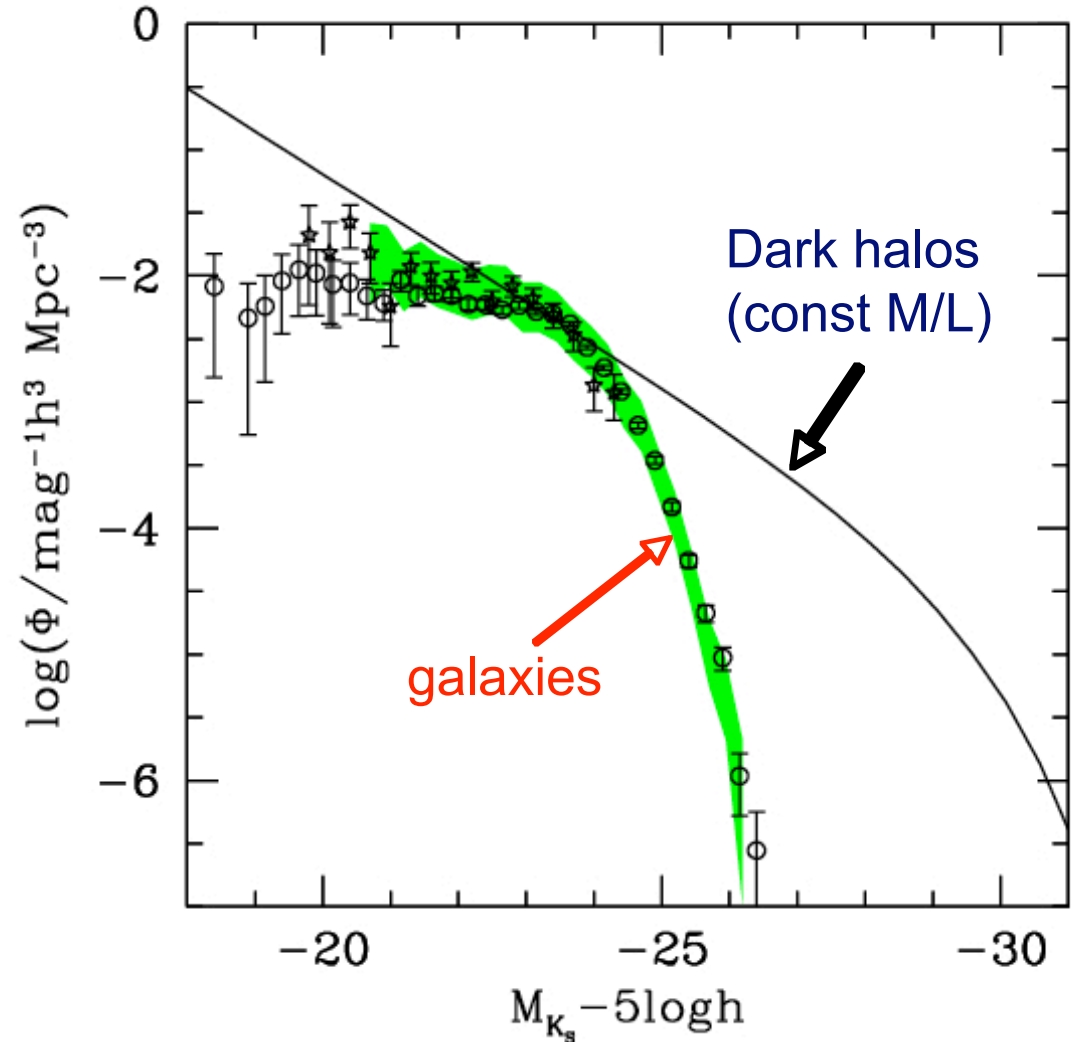
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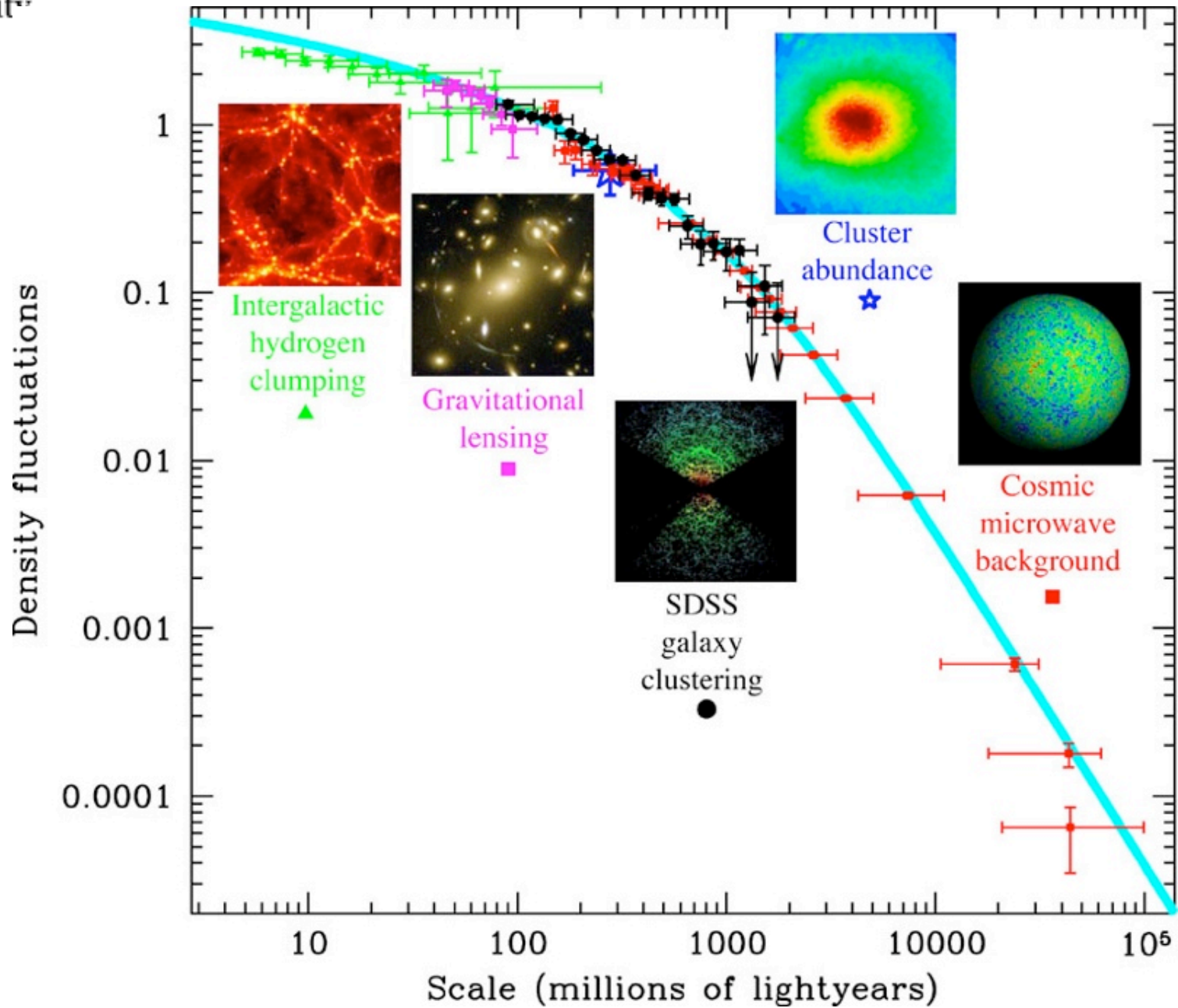
- Introduction
- Hydro-simulations
- Semi-analytical models
- Including AGN

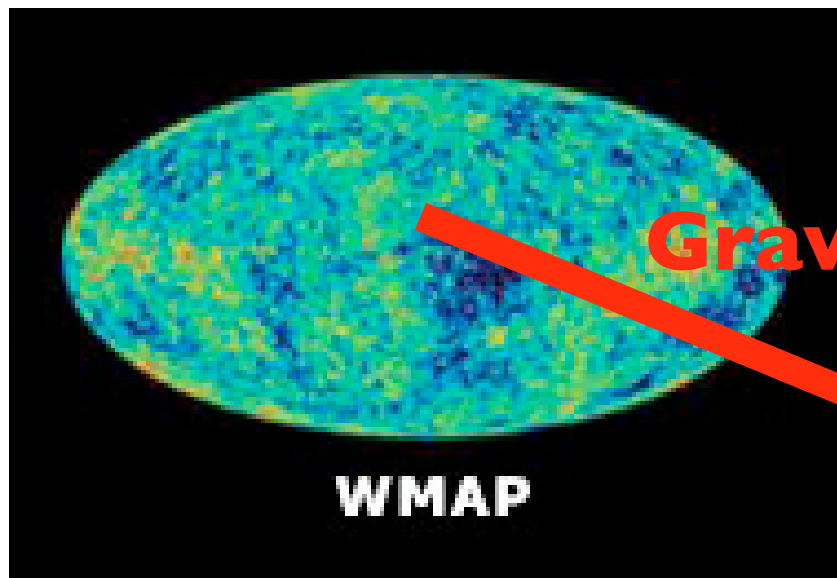
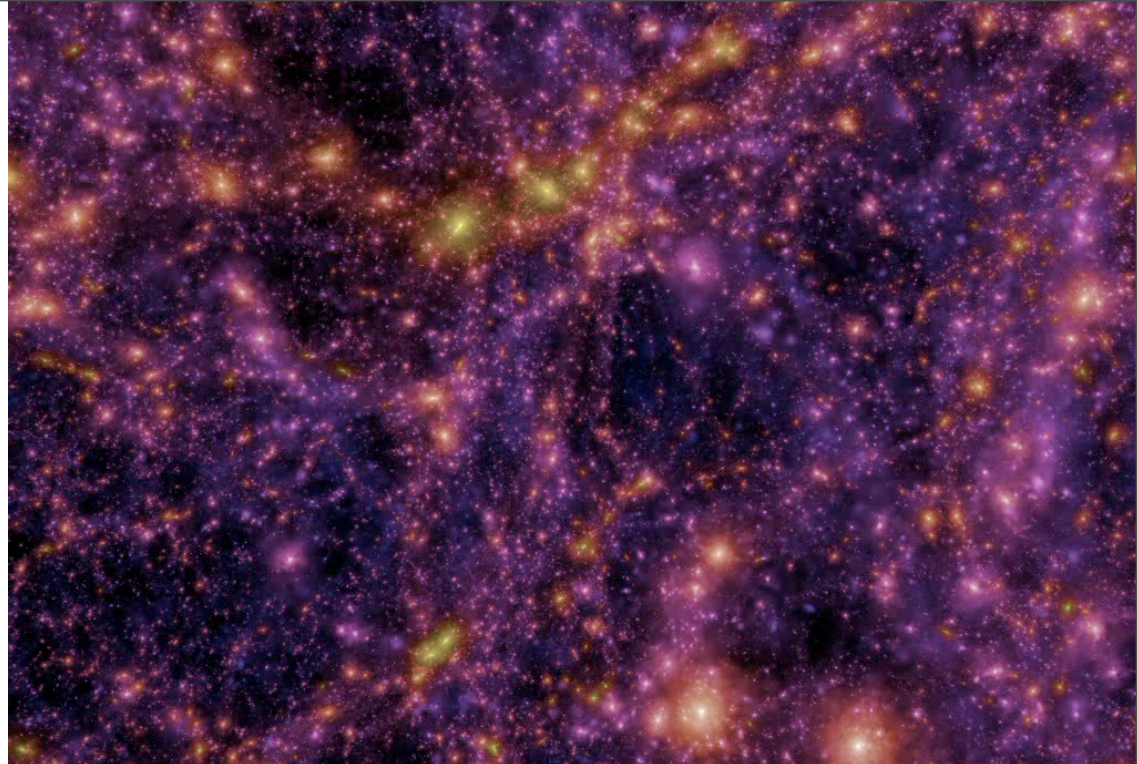
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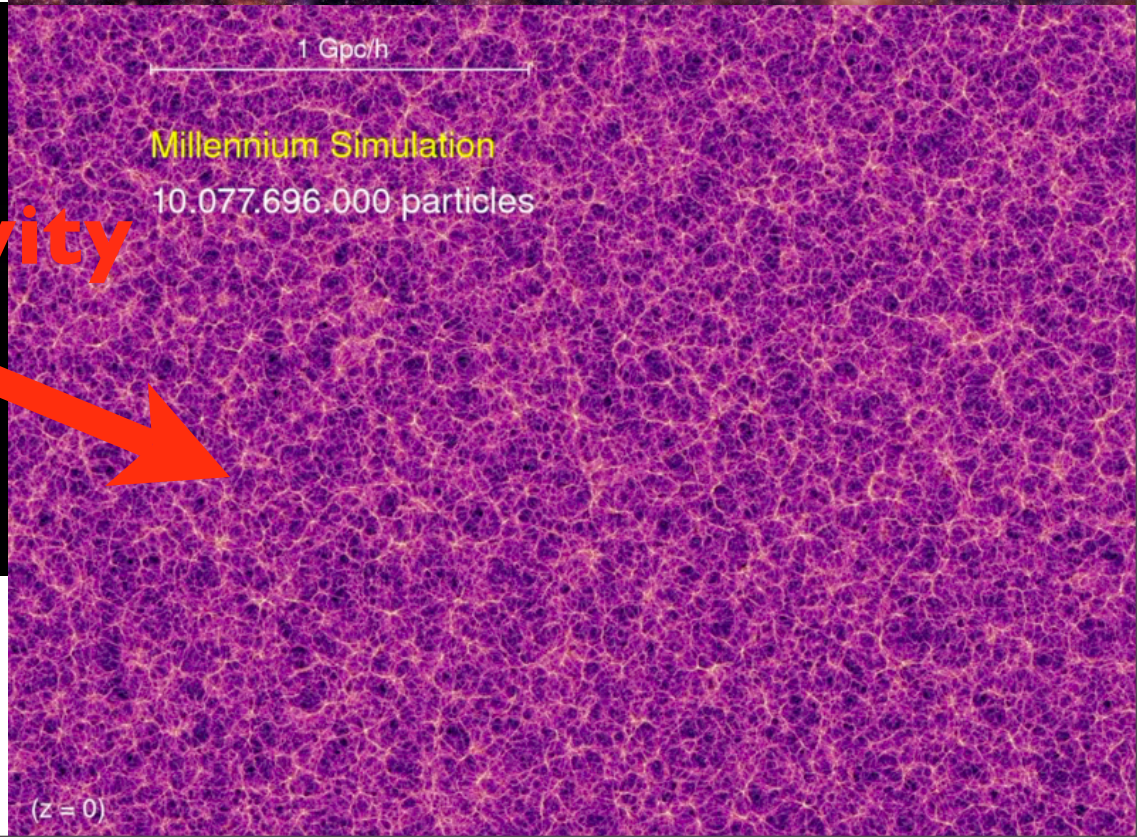
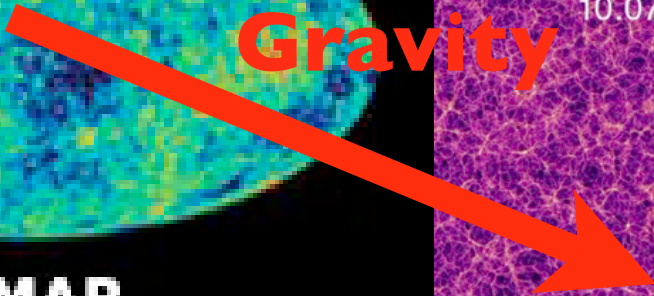
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Gravity



A visualization of the Millennium Simulation, showing a dense network of particles in a purple and blue color scheme. The particles are arranged in a complex, interconnected pattern, representing the large-scale structure of the universe. A scale bar at the top indicates a distance of 1 Gpc/h. The text "Millennium Simulation" and "10.077.696.000 particles" is overlaid on the image. The redshift is indicated as (z = 0) in the bottom left corner.

1 Gpc/h

Millennium Simulation

10.077.696.000 particles

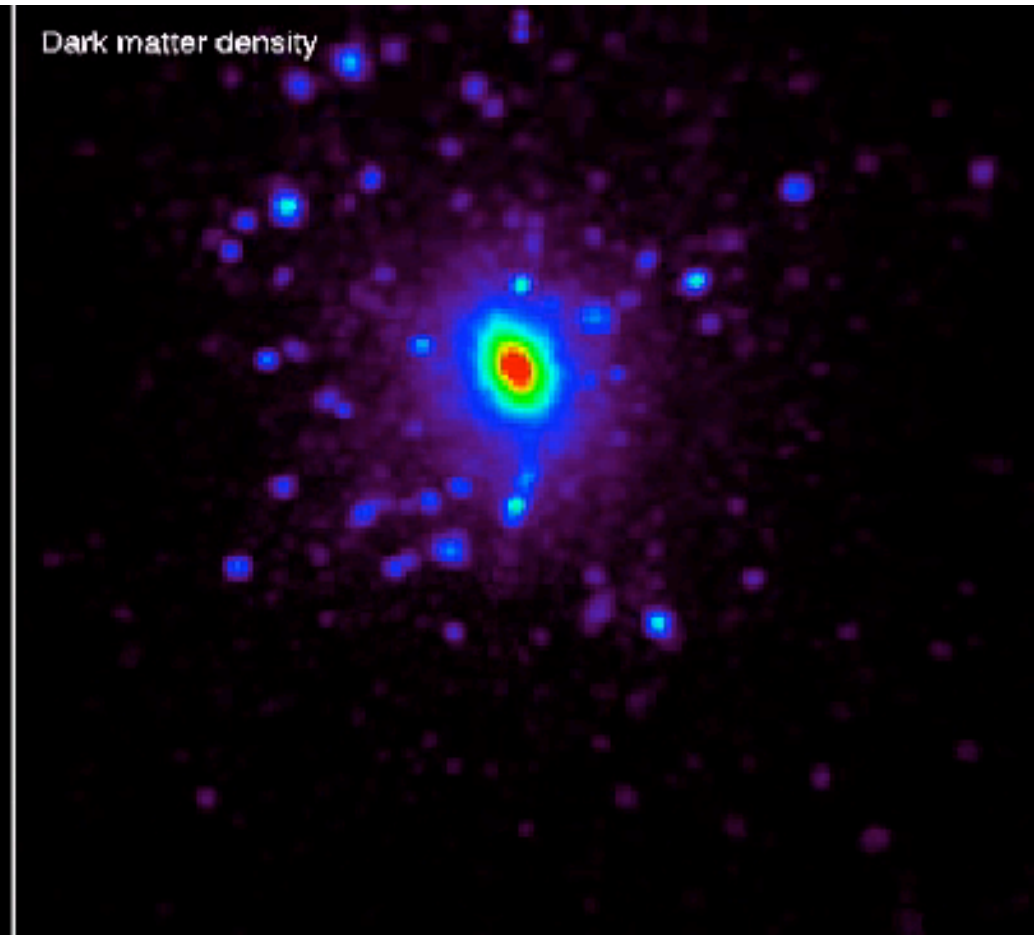
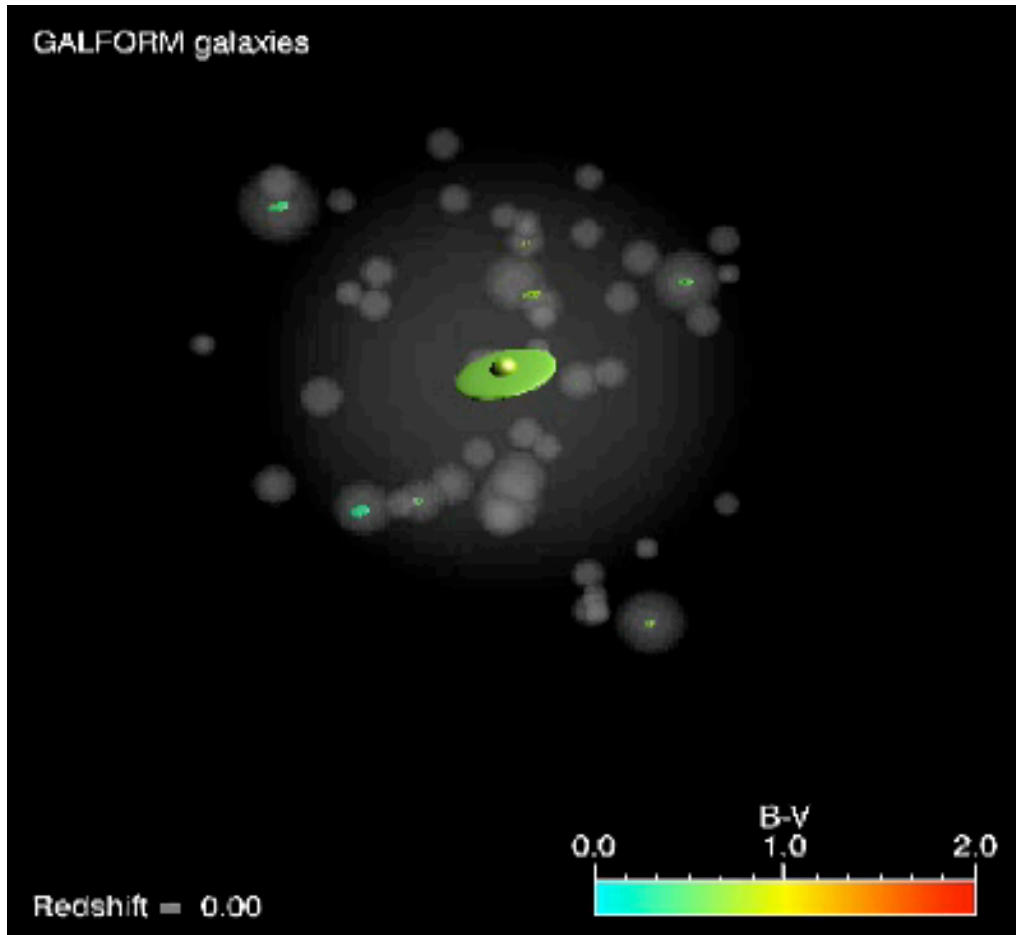
($z = 0$)

What is relation between dark matter halo and its visible galaxy?

Two approaches:

- Semi-analytic modelling
- Hydrodynamical Simulations

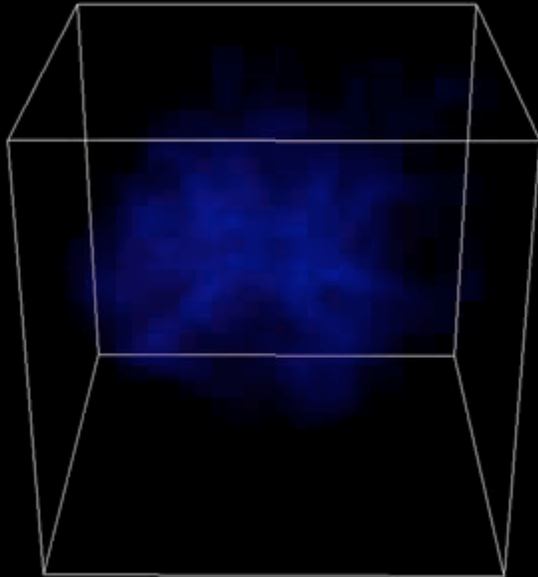
Semi-analytic modelling: describe astrophysical processes by simple phenomenology



Hydrodynamical simulations: follow processes numerically

Dwarf galaxy with GIMIC/OWLS code

$\log(\text{Gas density})$ in $[\text{M}_{\text{sun}}/\text{h} / (\text{Mpc}/\text{h})^{-3}]$

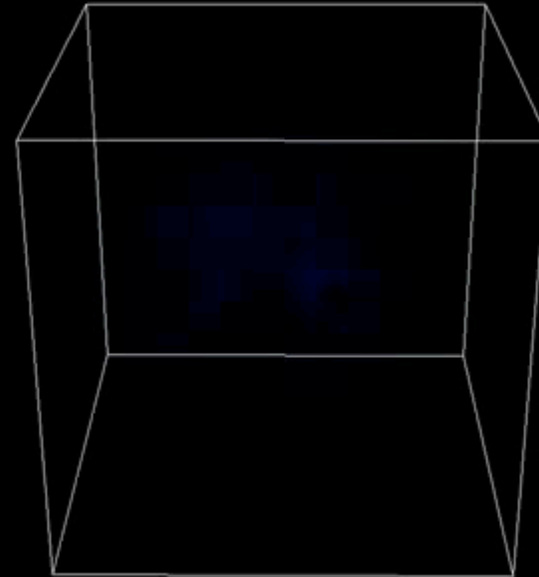


$z = 29.888$
 $L = 0.999 \text{ Mpc}/\text{h}$



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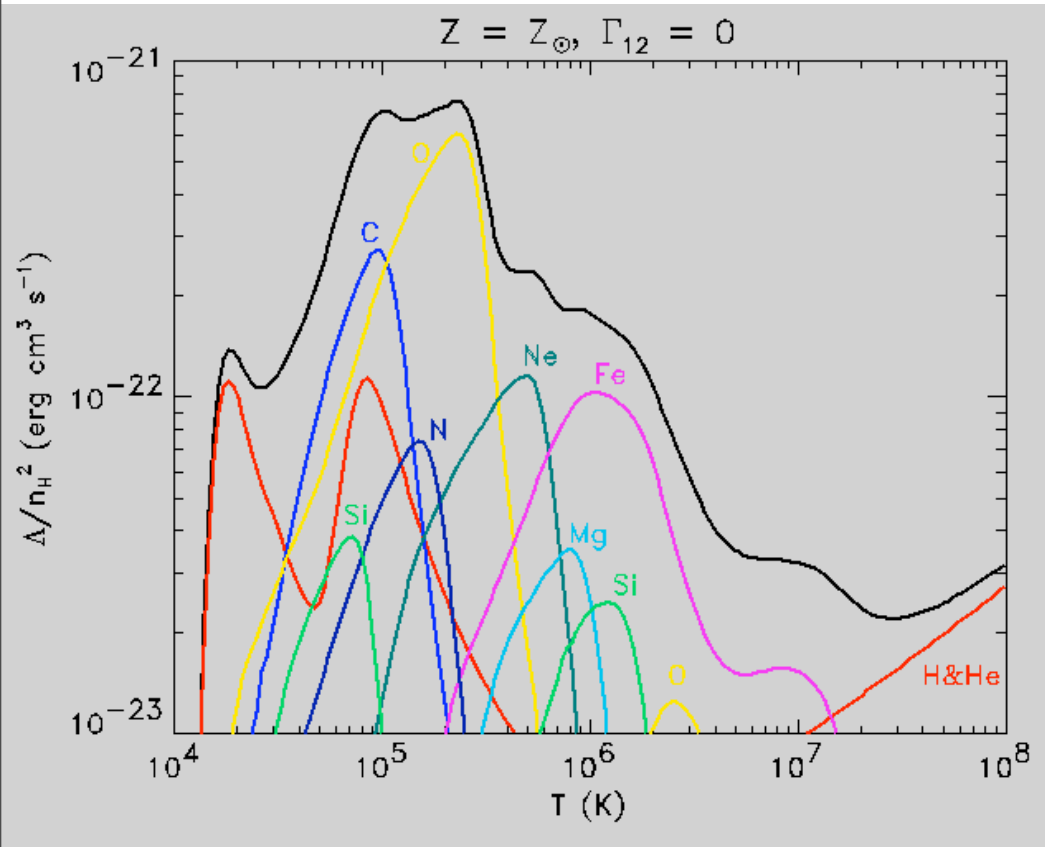
(Minimum) Key physics included:

1. Gas cooling
2. Star formation
3. UV-background (reionization)
4. Feedback (SNe)
5. Enrichment (stellar evolution)

Caveats:

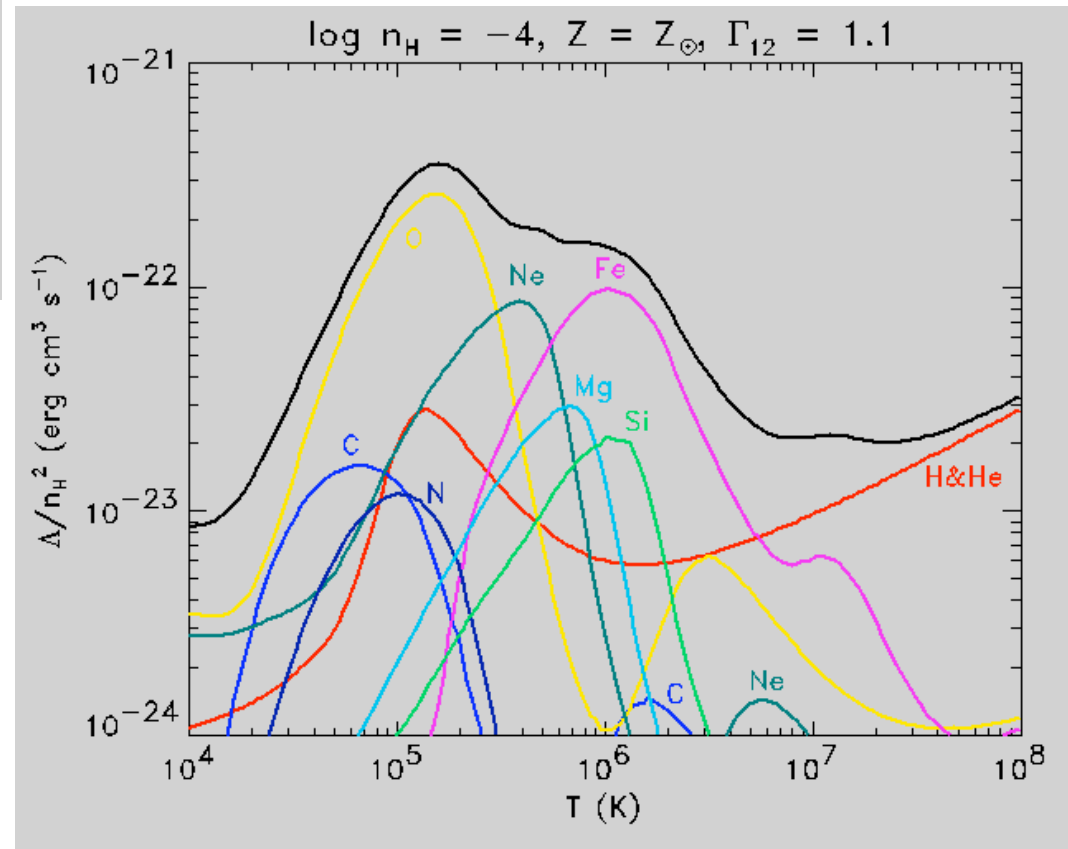
1. Numerical resolution versus dynamic range
2. Physics poorly understood (e.g. initial mass function)

Cooling rate



Without ionizing background

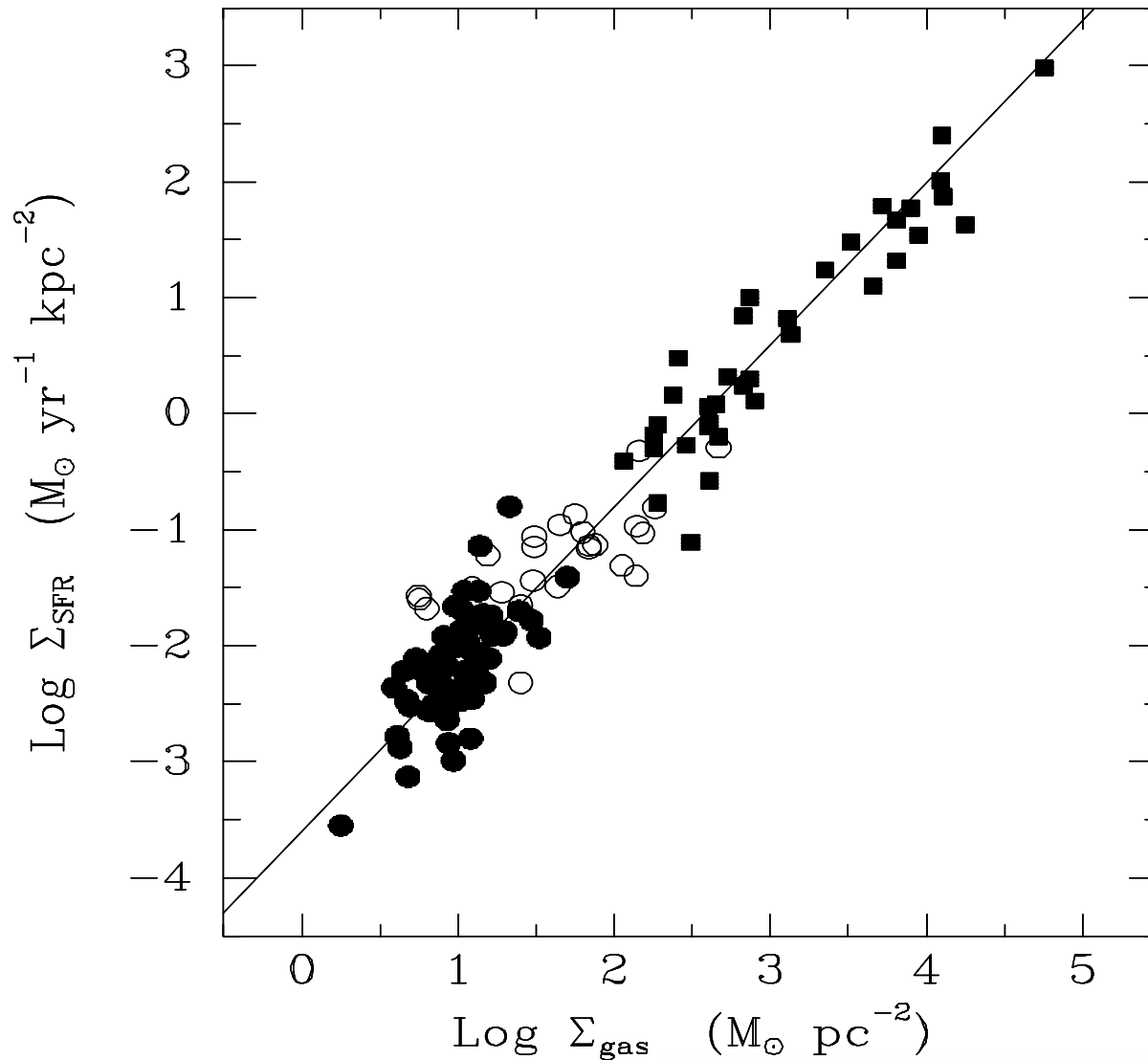
With ionizing background from gals & AGN



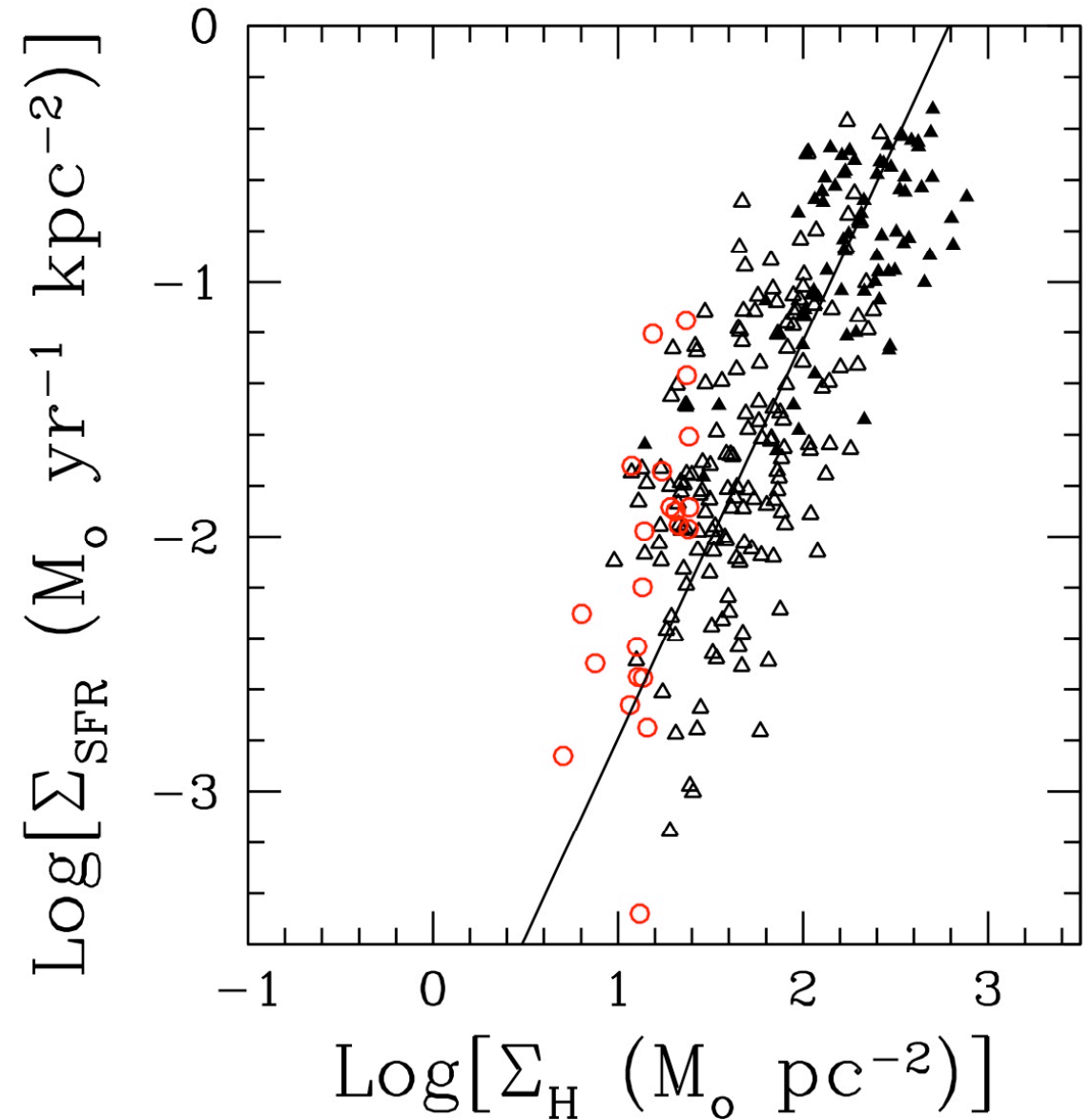
Star formation: what we want:

Schmidt law

$$\Sigma_{\text{SFR}} \propto \Sigma_{\text{gas}}^n \quad (n = 1.4 \pm 0.15)$$



Local Schmidt law



(Calzetti et al, in preparation)

How to obtain Schmidt law?

Sub-grid model for SF and ISM

- Insufficient resolution to model multiphase ISM
- Need effective pressure of unresolved, multiphase ISM
- Need star formation law that reproduces observed threshold and Schmidt law with the minimum number of free parameters
- We do not want to simulate more than we can

Sub-grid model for SF and ISM

● What goes in

Effective equation of state (gives the pressure of the gas)

$$P \propto \rho_{\text{gas}}^{\gamma_{\text{eff}}} \quad (\rho_{\text{gas}} > \rho_{\text{thr}})$$

Schmidt law (surface densities)

$$\Sigma_{\text{SFR}} \propto \Sigma_{\text{gas}}^n$$

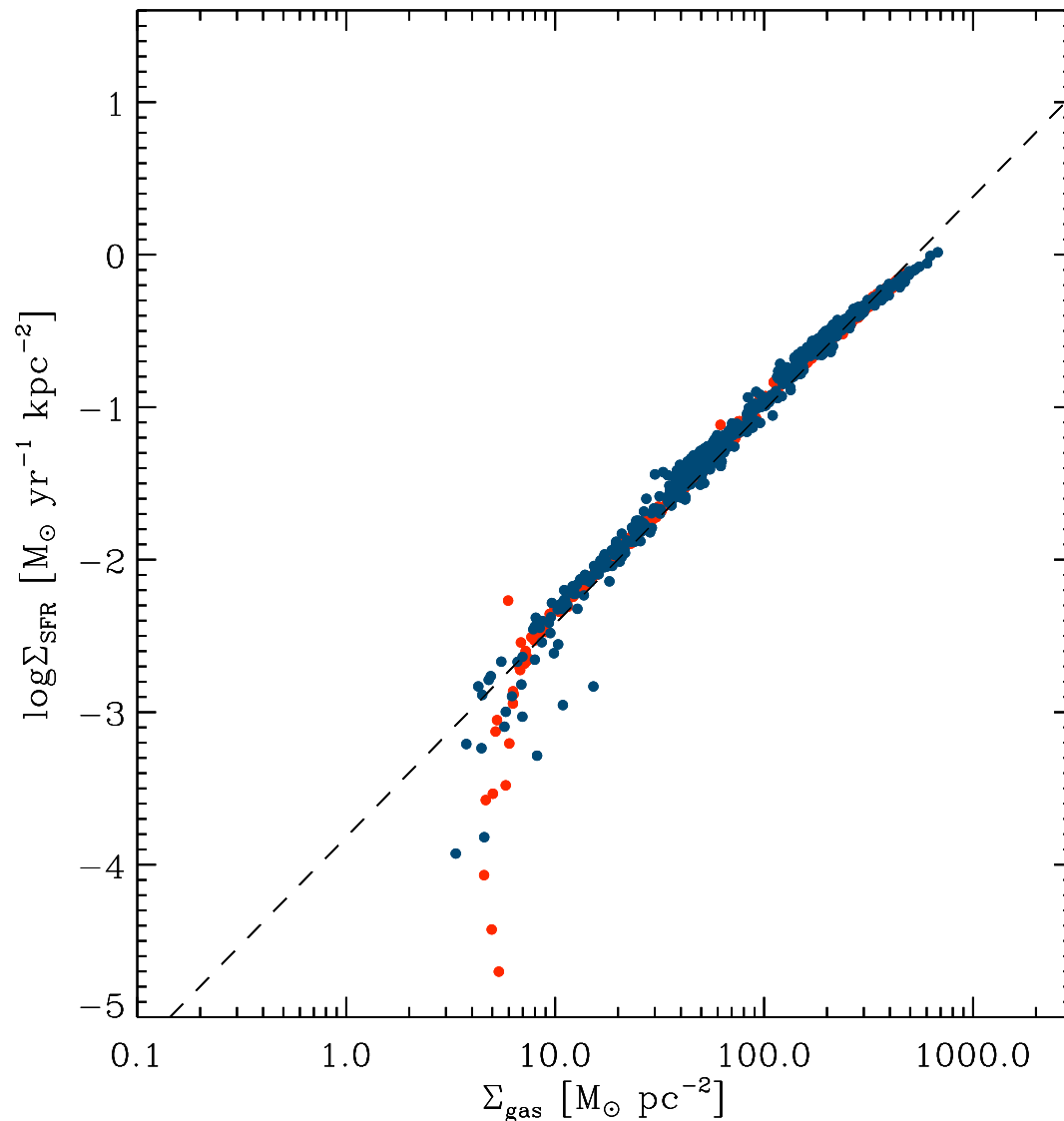
Surface density threshold

● What comes out

Volume density star formation law

Volume density threshold

Implementation guarantees a Schmidt law

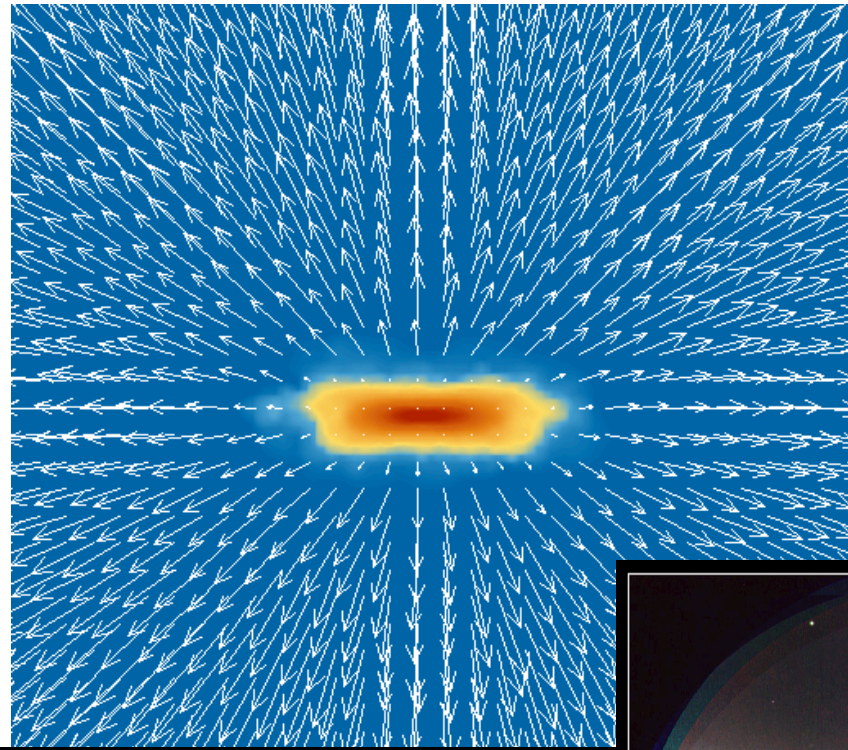
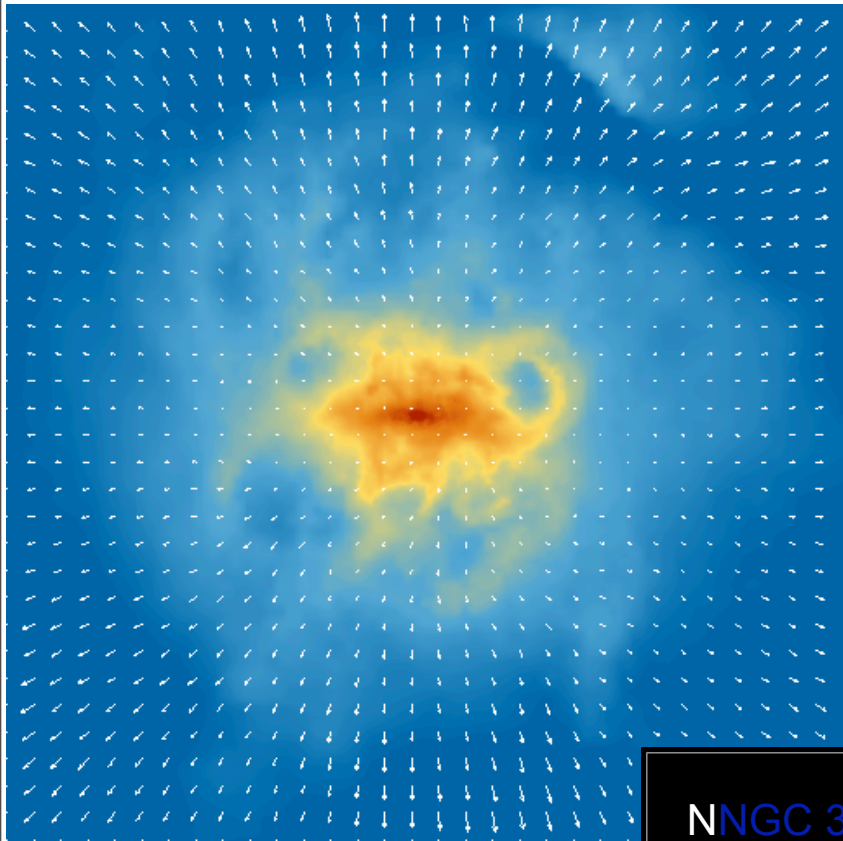


● $N_{\text{part}} = 100$

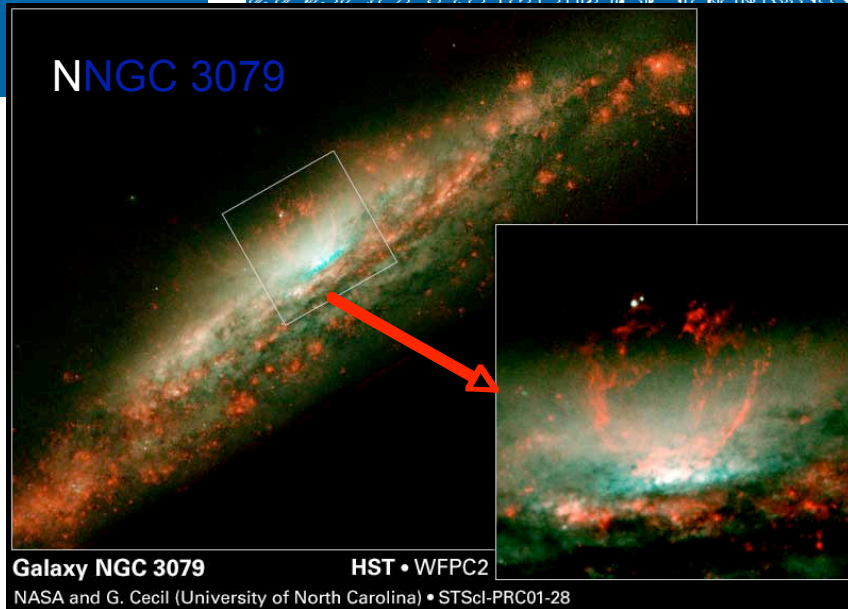
● $N_{\text{part}} = 12$

Galactic winds:

Simulated:



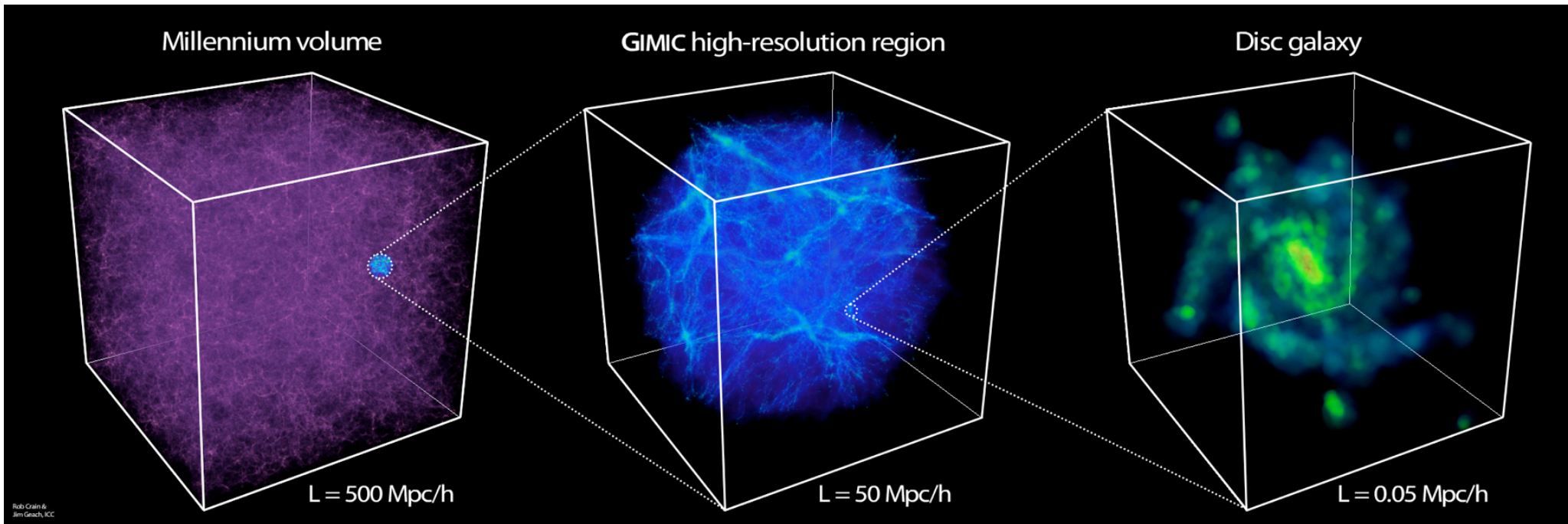
Observed:



Suite of simulations: GIMIC/OWLS



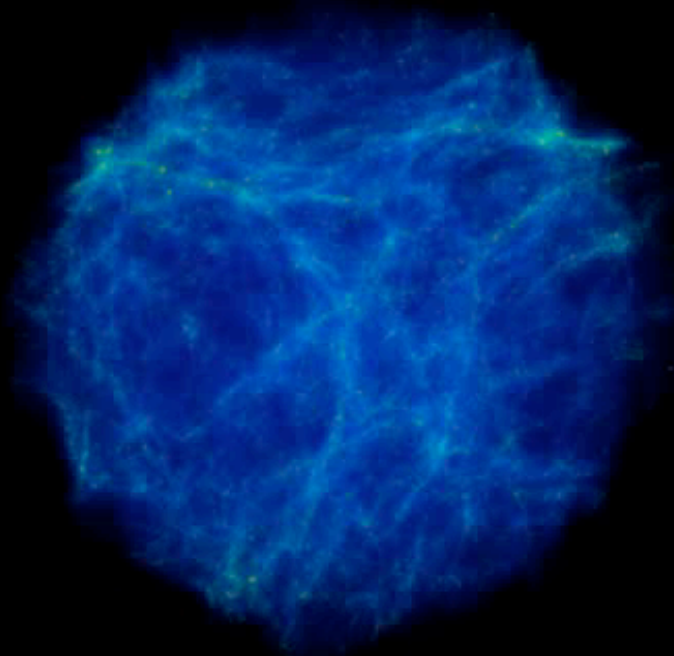
Galaxy-Intergalactic Medium Interaction Calculation



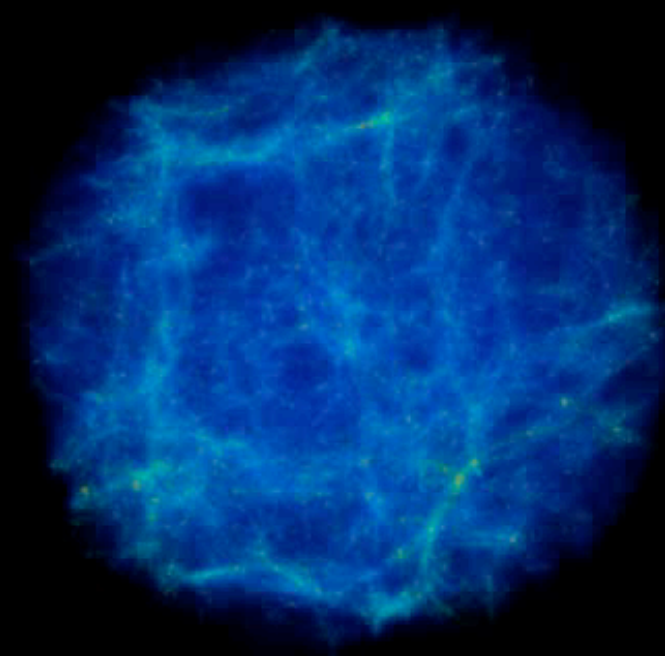
Zoomed simulations of 5 spheres picked from the Millennium Simulation

Combine LSS with high numerical resolution

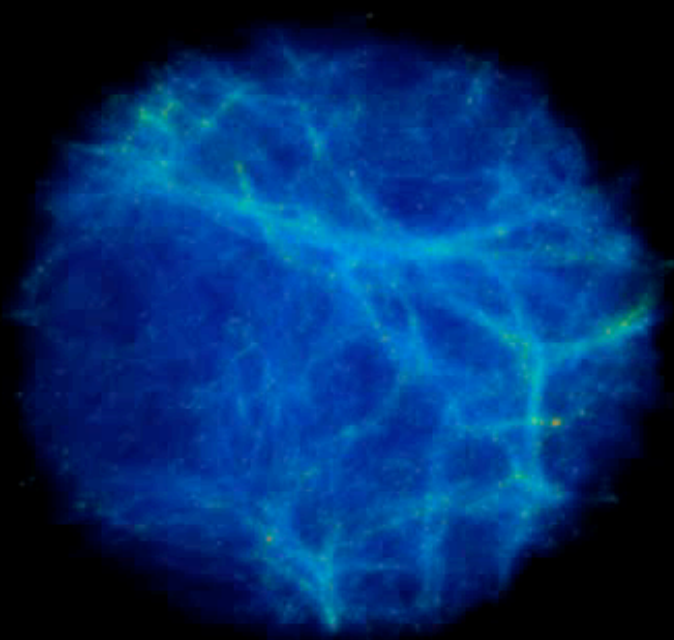
Sigma -2



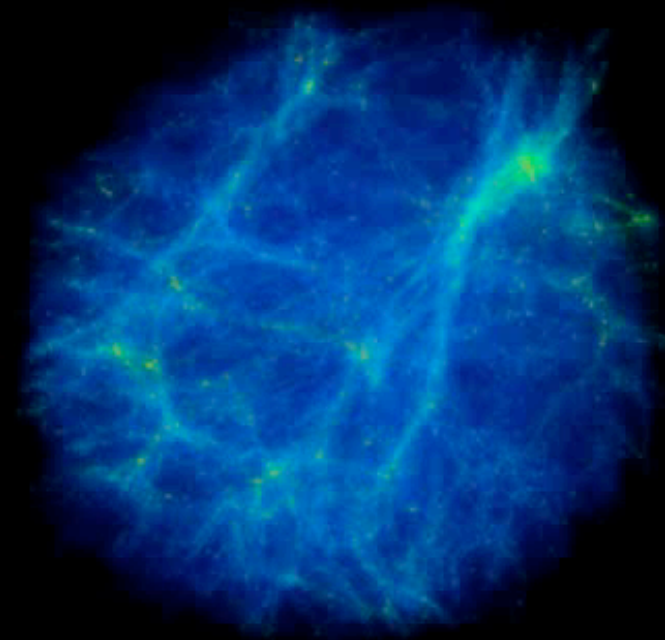
Sigma -1



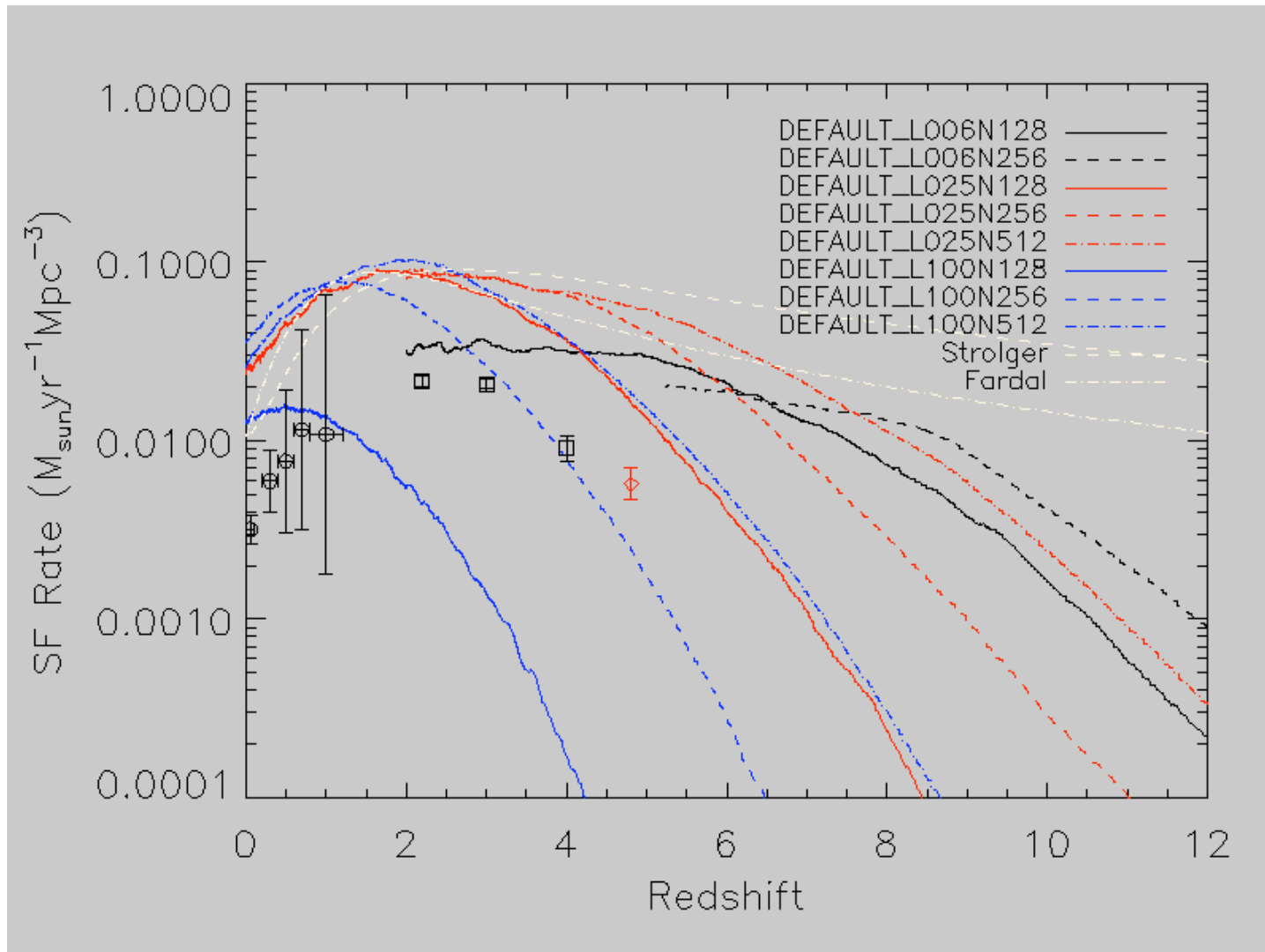
Sigma 0



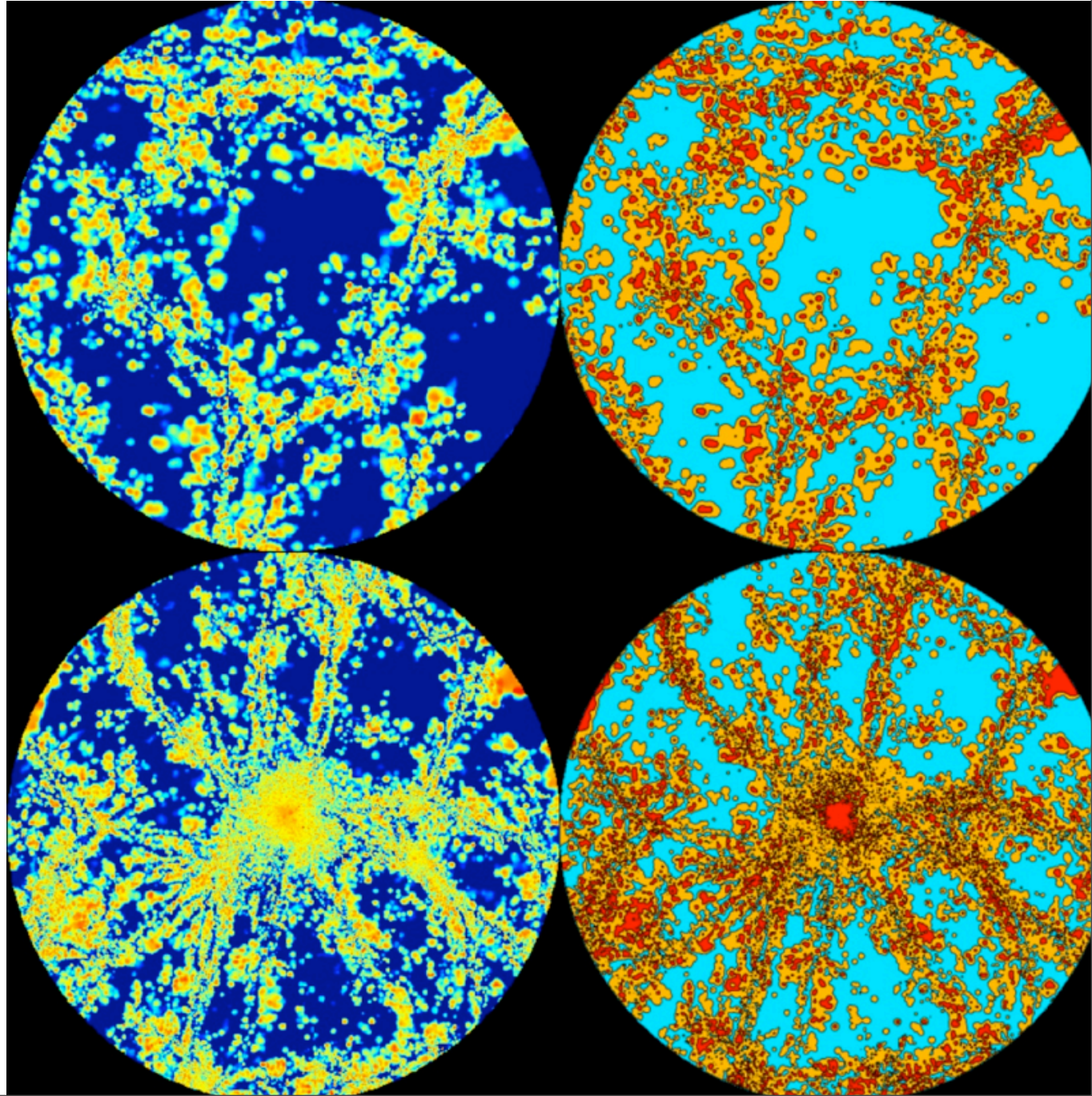
Sigma +1



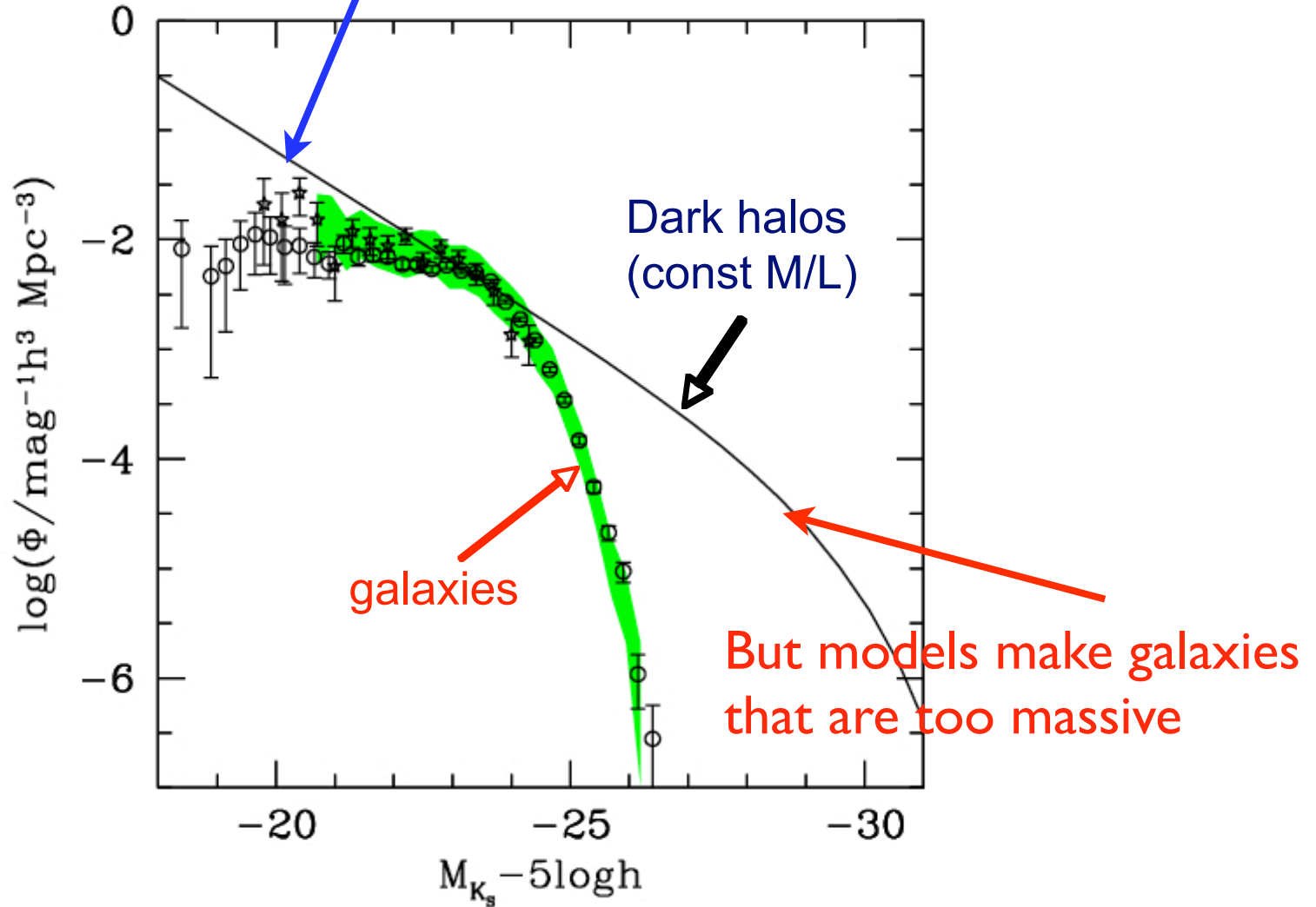
Star formation history (Madau-Lilly plot)



Metal enrichment



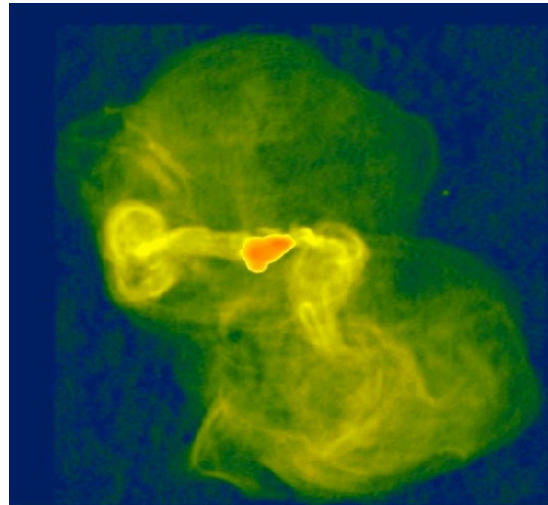
SNe feedback: can reproduce faint end slope



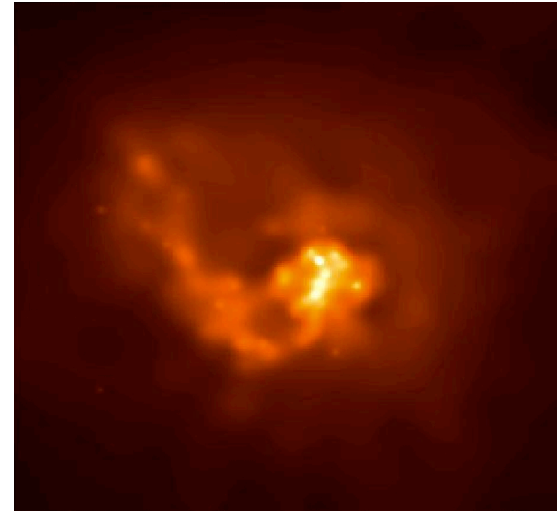
Motivations

- Observationally, many clusters of galaxies show evidence for X-ray cavities filled with radio plasma, which are thought to be inflated by relativistic jets generated by the central BH (e.g. Owen, 2000; McNamara 2000, 2005; Blanton, 2001; Fabian 2002, 2006; Mazzotta, 2002; Birzan, 2004).

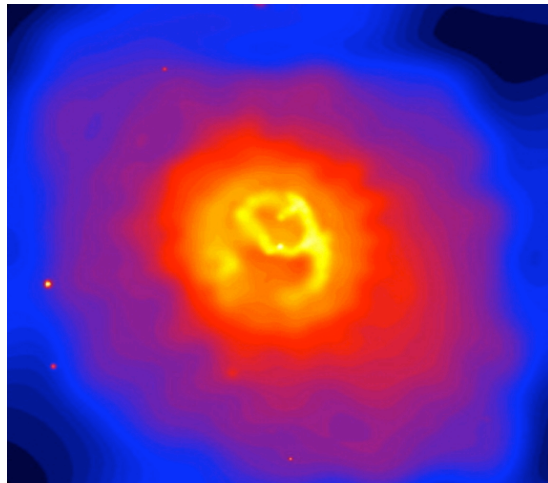
Owen, 2000: VLA
radio image at
90cm of M87
(67kpc)



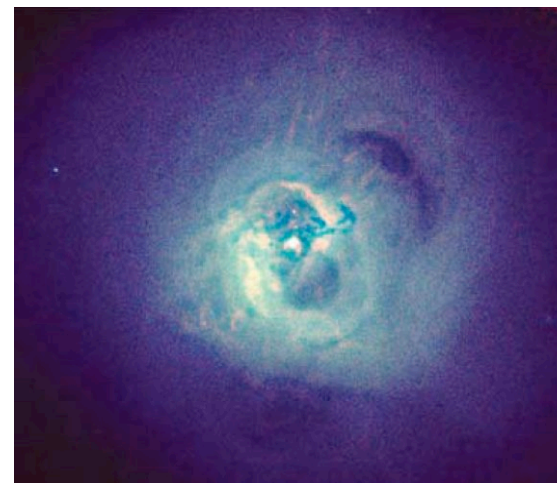
Sanders&Fabian
2002:
Chandra 31ks
image of
Centaurus
(50kpc)



Blanton,2001:
Chandra 37ks
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2052 (140kpc)



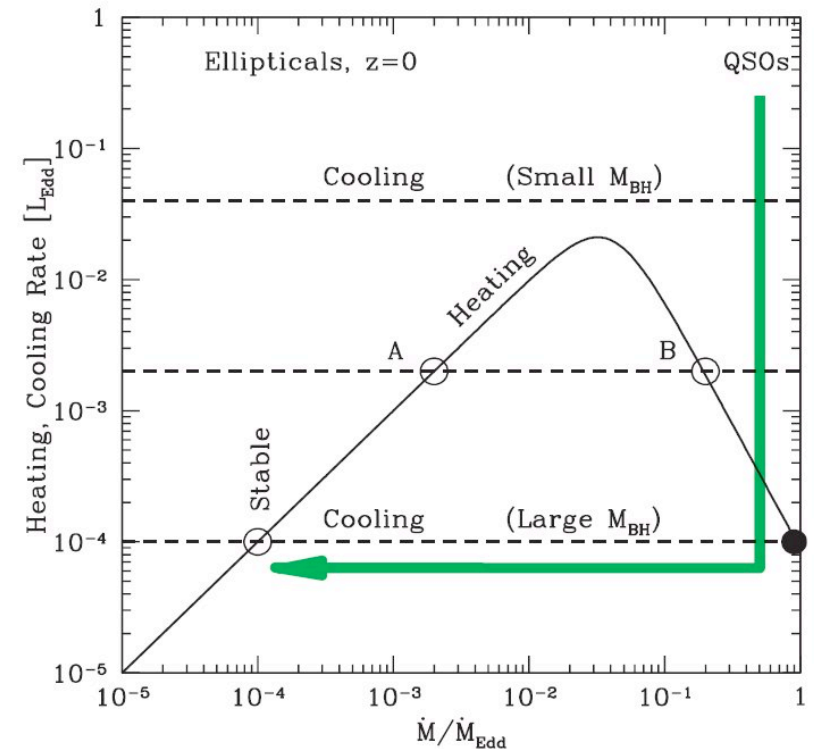
Fabian, 2006:
Chandra 1Ms
image of
Perseus
(220kpc)



Theoretical notions

- In the newly emerging scenario AGN feedback might be composed of two modes:

1. At high z , due to the major mergers, large amount of gas can be accreted by the central BH => powerful QSO
2. SMBH at low redshifts, have very low L_{bol} – but they show evidence of outflows (jets, bubbles), with $L_{\text{mech}} > L_{\text{bol}}$.



Churazov et al., 2005

-see also, Croton et al, Bower et al, Merloni et al.

- In analogy with X-ray binaries, the switch between these two modes of feedback might be determined by a threshold in BHAR => **Aim: explore this simple, but attractive scenario in cosmological simulations of structure formation!**

- two modes of BH feedback: “quasar” and “radio”
- a simple switch in BHAR regulates in which state a given BH

“Quasar” feedback:

- a small fraction of L_{bol} coupled thermally, isotropically and continuously to the surrounding gas particles

$$\dot{E}_{\text{feed}} = \epsilon_f L_r = \epsilon_f \epsilon_r \dot{M}_{\text{BH}} c^2$$

with $\epsilon_r = 0.1$ and $\epsilon_f = 0.05$

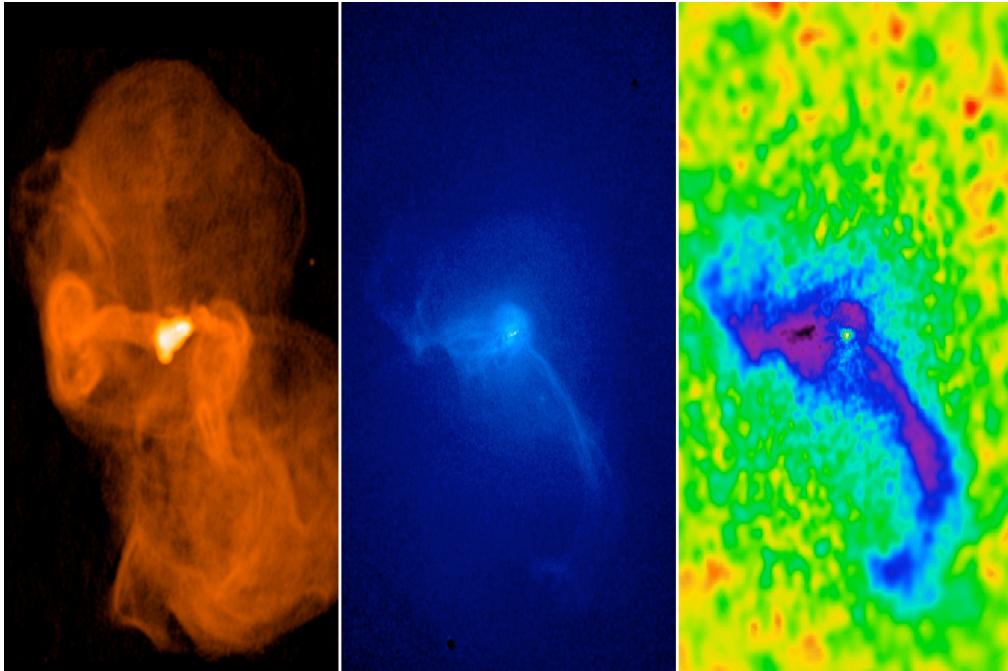
“Radio” feedback:

- below $\text{BHAR}_{\text{radio}} = 0.01$, AGN feedback is mechanical =>
recurrent, hot bubble episodes

Two modes:

“Radio” mode
feedback

(eg. Croton et al 2006, Bower et al 2006 Okamoto et al 2007)



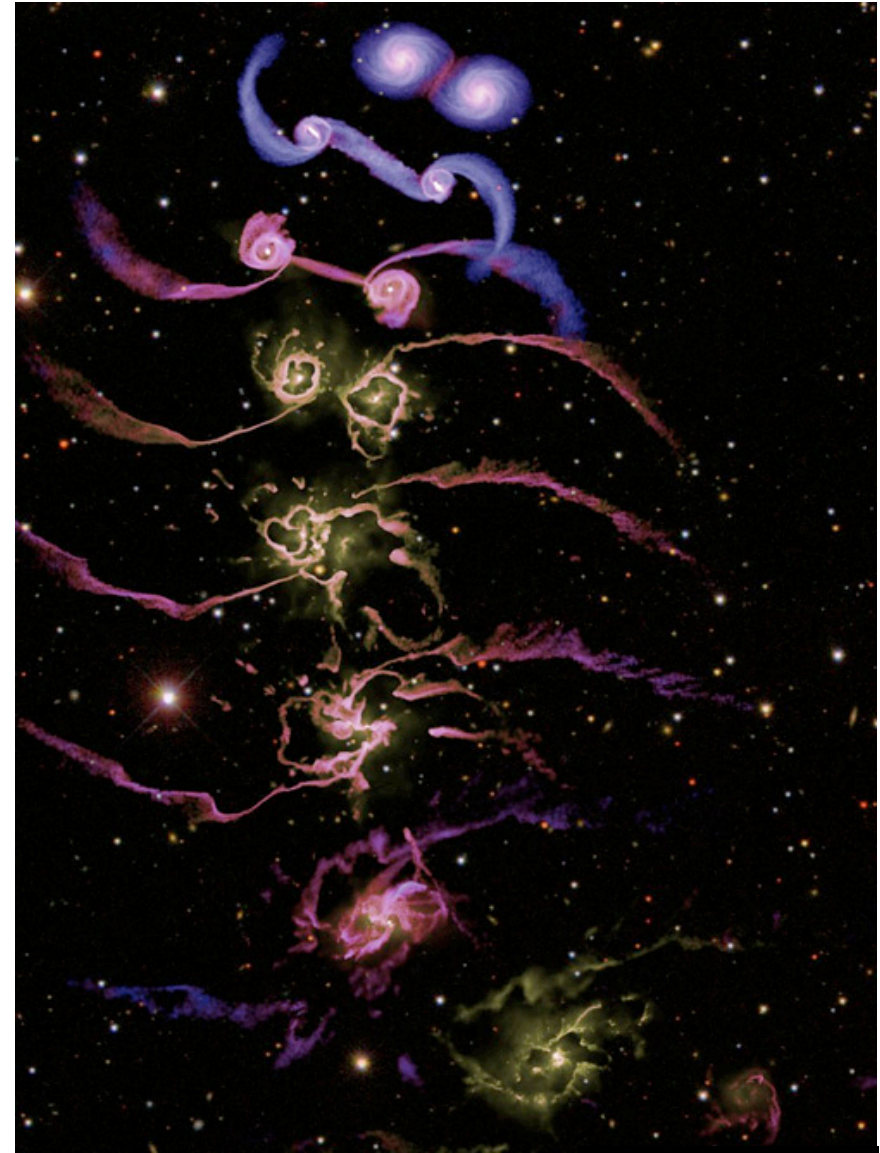
Hot accretion from nearly hydrostatic halo gives jets and feedback, shutting-off star formation (cooling flow)

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Cold accretion
during mergers
gives rise to QSOs

“Quasar”
mode

(eg. Granato et al.,
2004, Springel et al
2005)



Springel et al 2005

Two types of accretion?
SS – accretion energy is radiated
RIAF – accretion energy powers jet

Smooth accretion from cooling flow gas

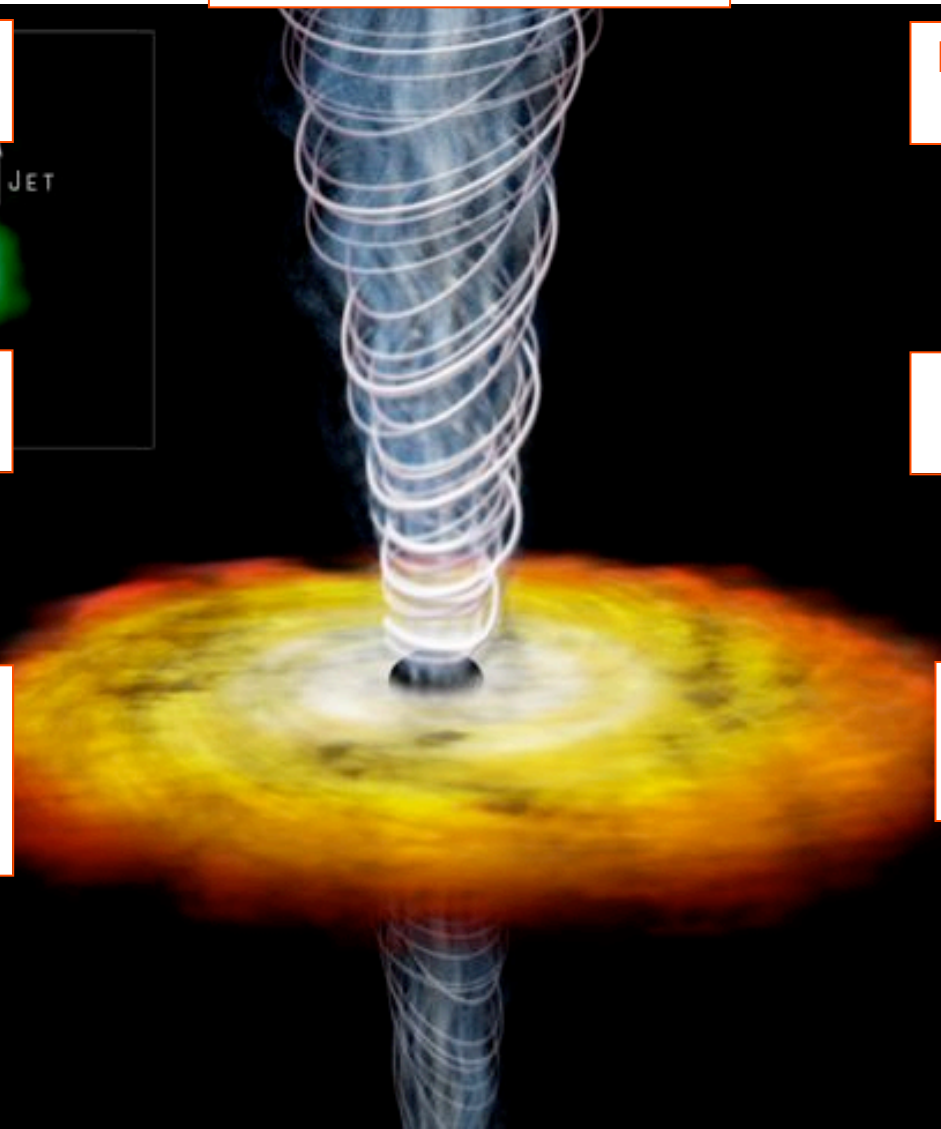
Rapid accretion in mergers and bar instabilities

Prevents hot gas from cooling

Expels cold gas from merging galaxies

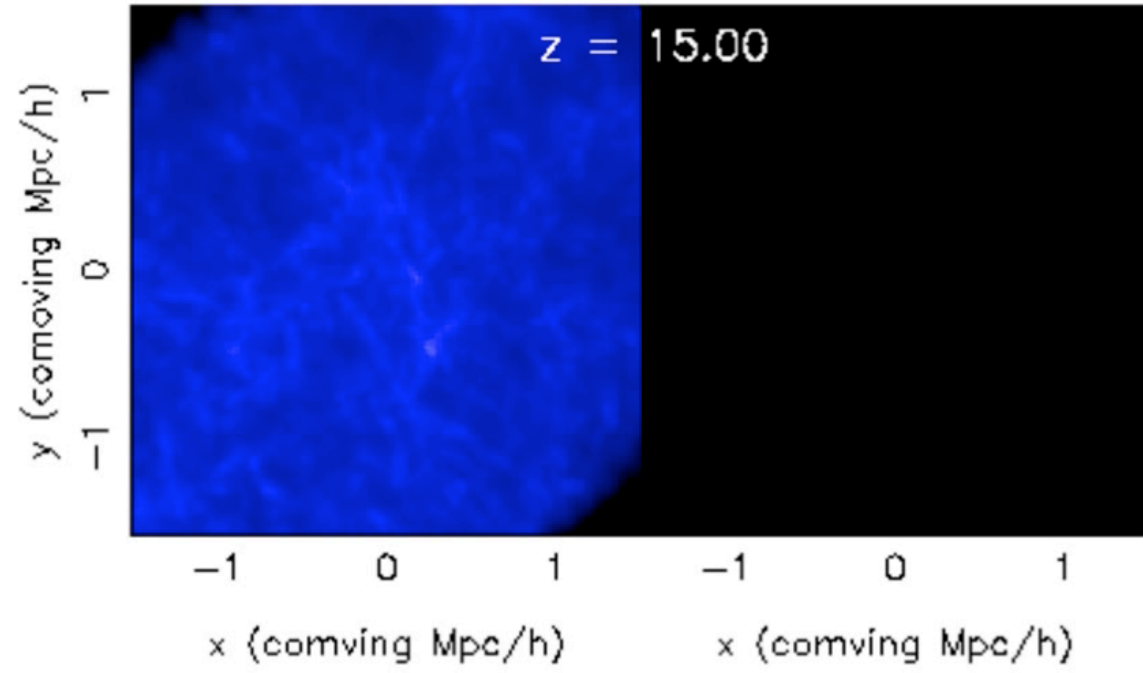
“Radio” mode feedback
(eg. Croton et al 2006, Bower et al 2006 Okamoto et al 2007)

“Quasar” mode
(eg. Granato et al., 2004, Springel et al 2005)



gas

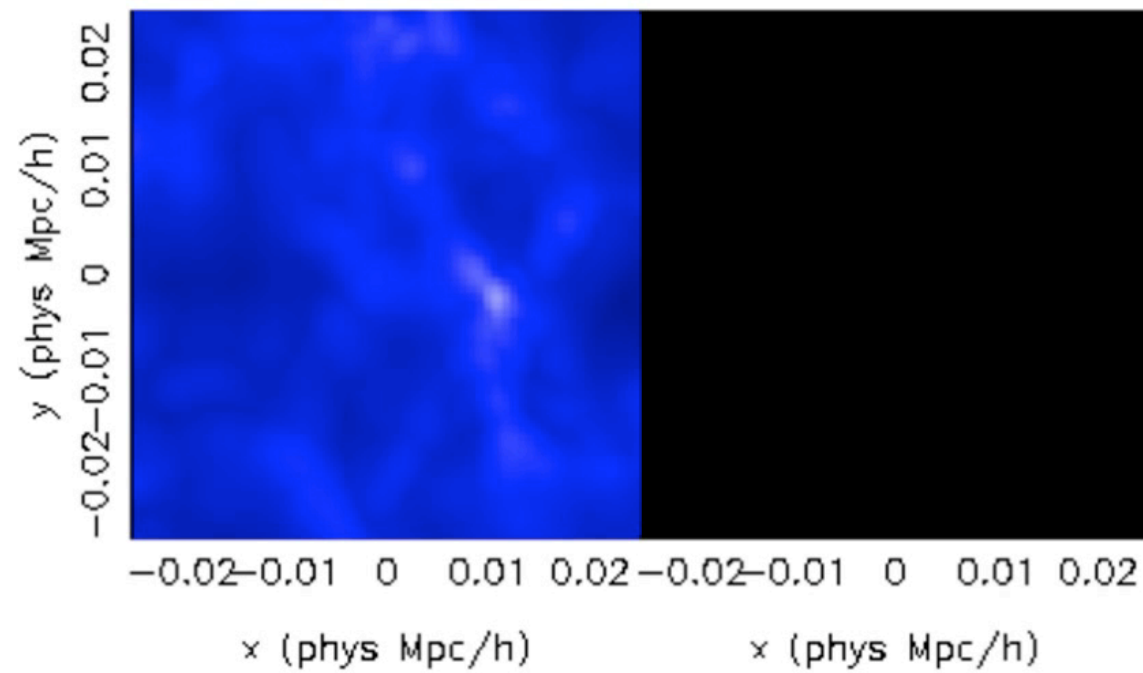
stars



3 Mpc/h

Red circles represent black holes and their radii are proportional to $\log(M_{BH})$

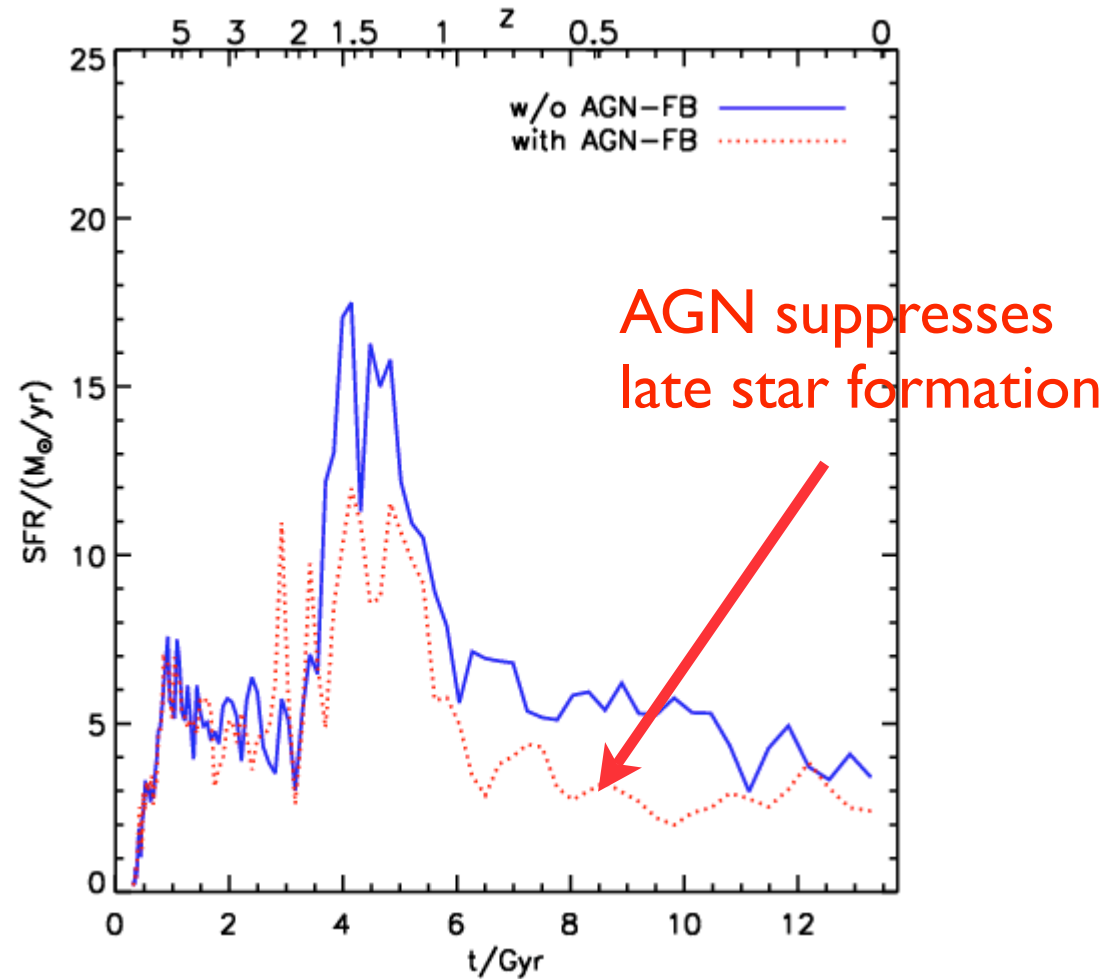
The problem is to stop this disk galaxy forming a bulge!!!



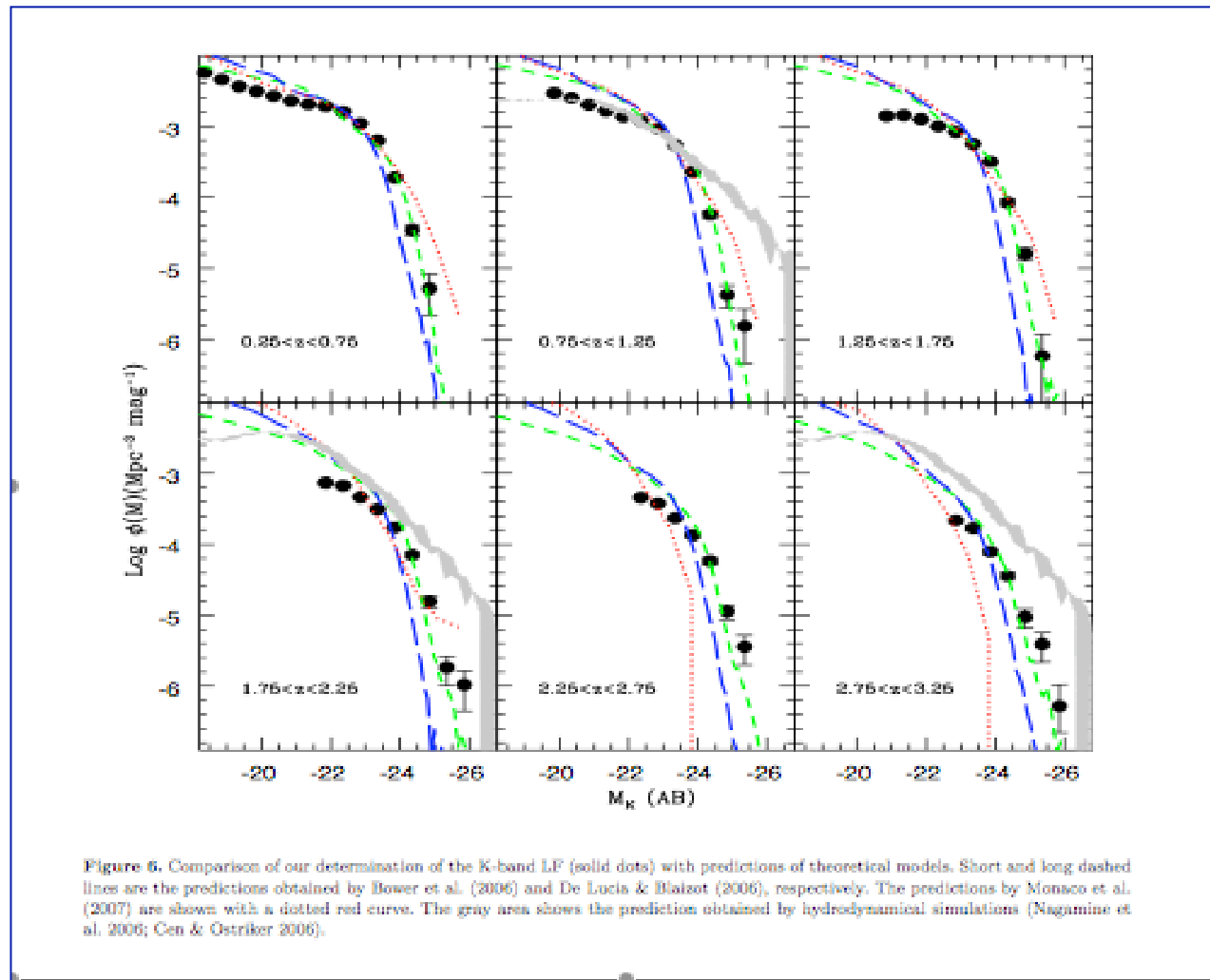
0.05 Mpc/h

Okamoto et al 2007

Star formation history for this galaxy:



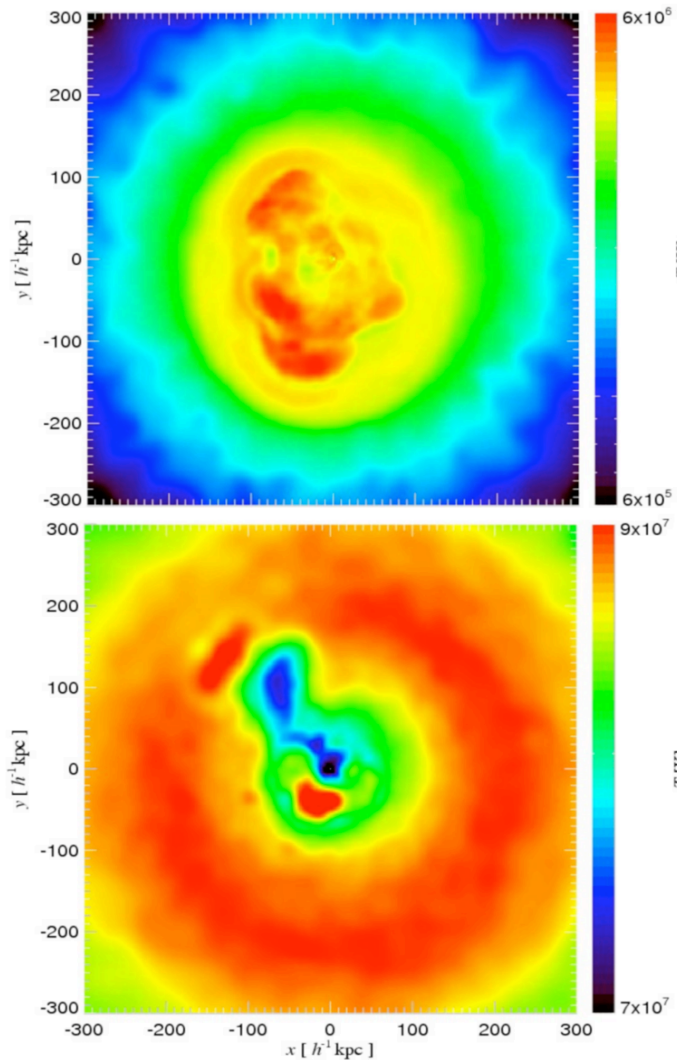
Inclusion of AGN in models produces observed cut-off in number density of bright galaxies



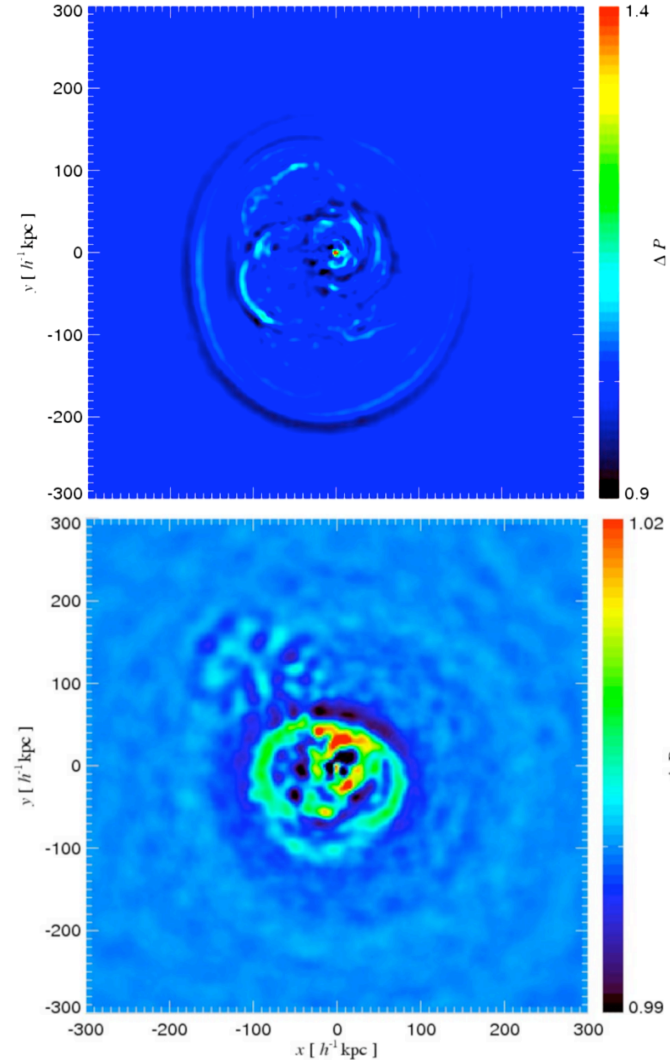
Bower 06, Croton 06

Direct evidence:

AGN feedback in isolated halos: bubbles, weak shocks and sound waves



TEMPERATURE MAPS



PRESSURE MAPS

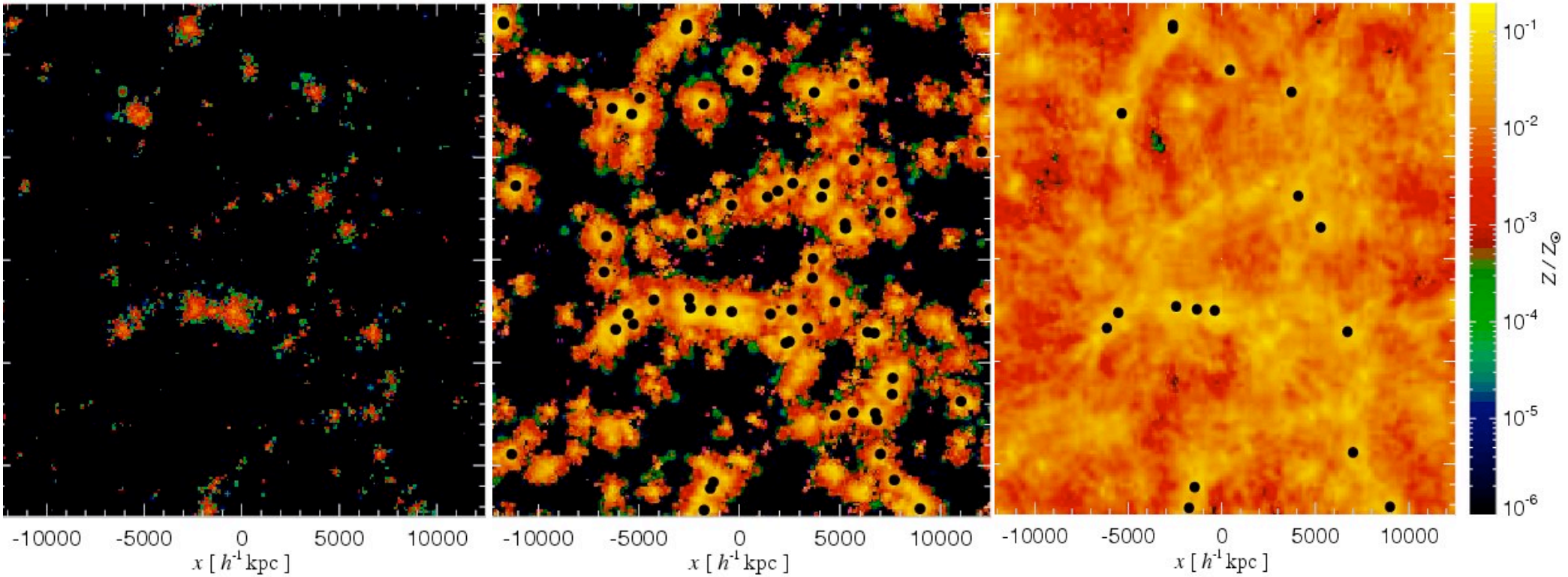
10^{13} HALO

10^{15} HALO

Dalla Vecchia et al

Omma et al

Metal distribution



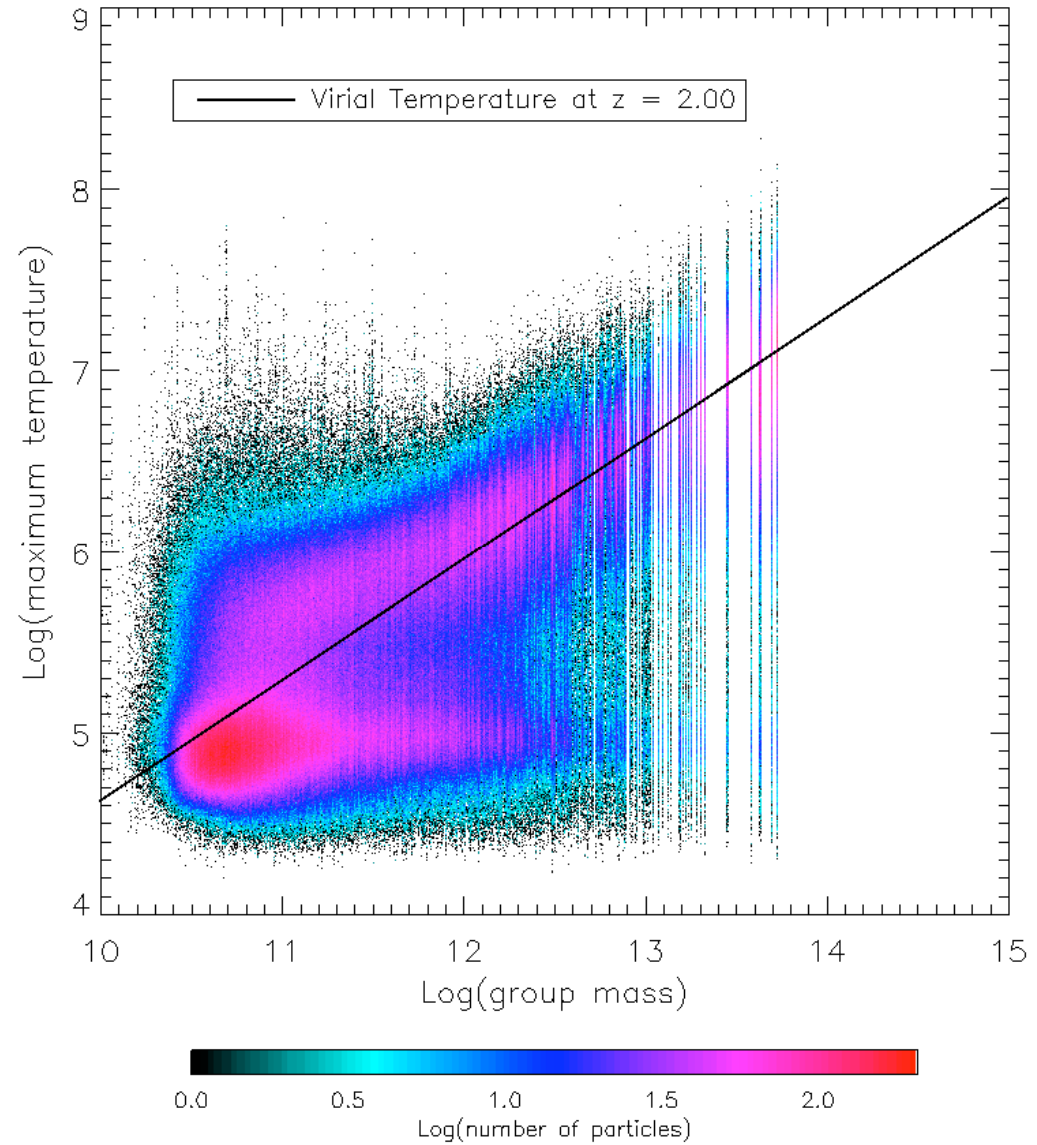
no AGN
no galactic winds

with AGN
no galactic winds

with AGN
with galactic winds,
 $v \sim 480 \text{ km/s}$

Caveat: hot versus cold accretion

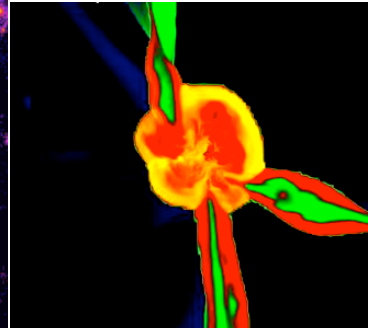
Division between cold +clumpy accretion and smooth+hot accretion sets-in at similar mass-scale



Van de Voort et al. (2008)

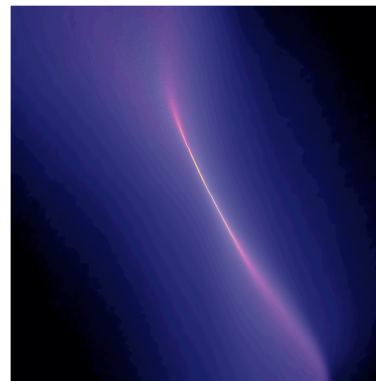
And now for
something completely
different!

Cold Dark Matter

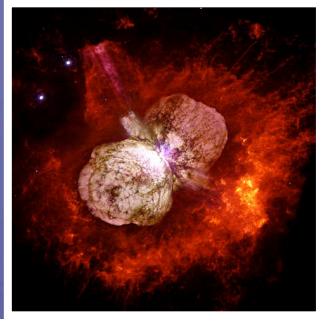


- Single star per halo
- Massive: 30-300 M_{sun}
- Short-lived: 2-4 Myr
- Very luminous
- No strong mass loss
- die as SN or BH

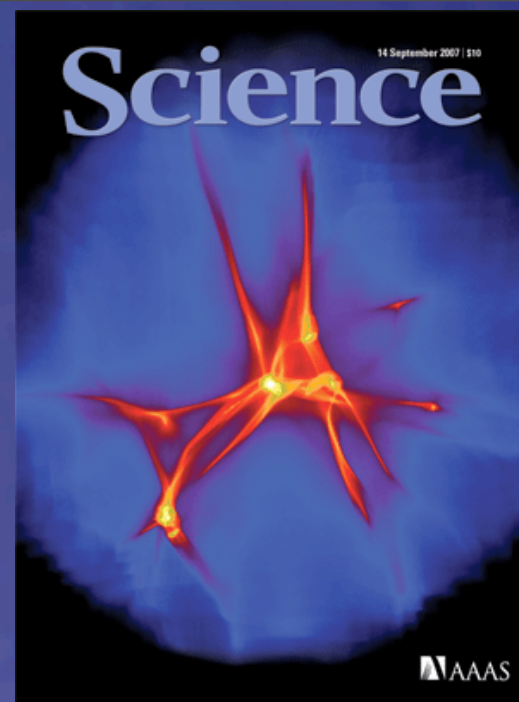
Warm Dark Matter



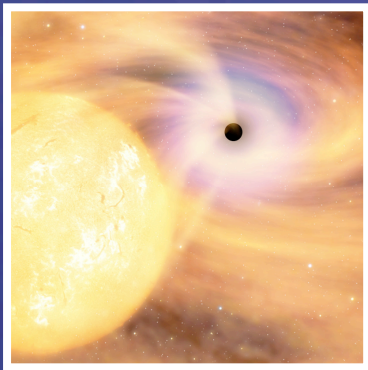
- Many stars per filament
- Low and high mass
- Milky Way remnants?



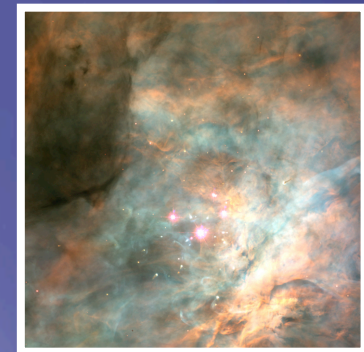
Massive stars



Gao & Theuns 07



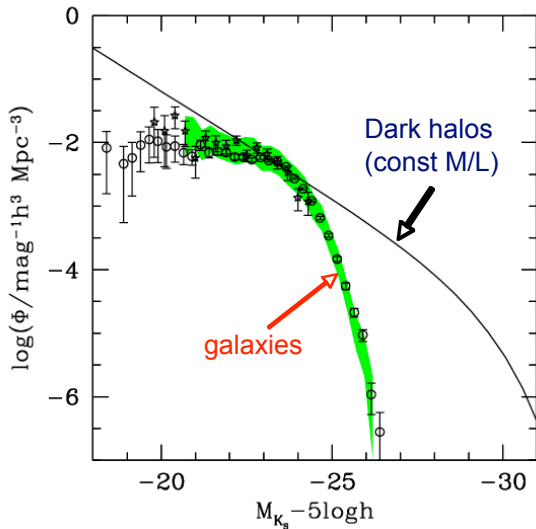
Seed for super-massive BH



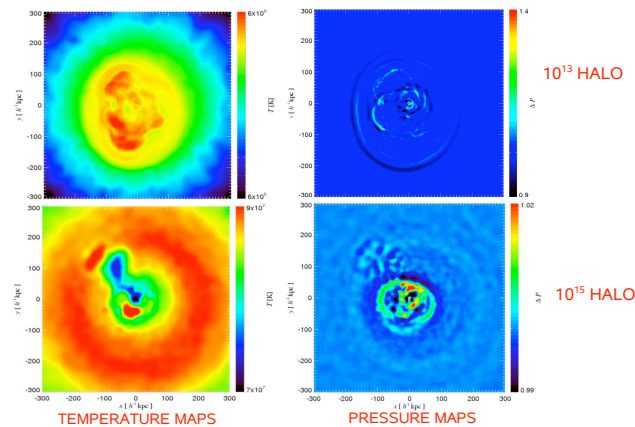
Low-mass stars

- Galaxy formation models may need AGN to shape the bright-end of the luminosity function
- Feedback needs to operate when stars form in nearly hydrostatic halo (cooling flow)
- Warm dark matter may provide seeds for super-massive black holes

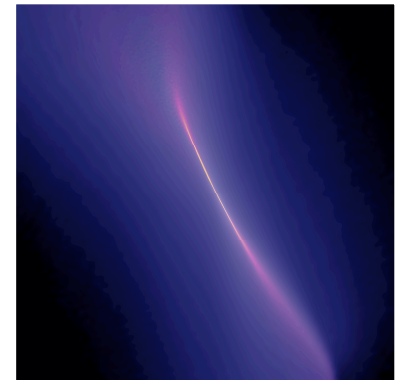
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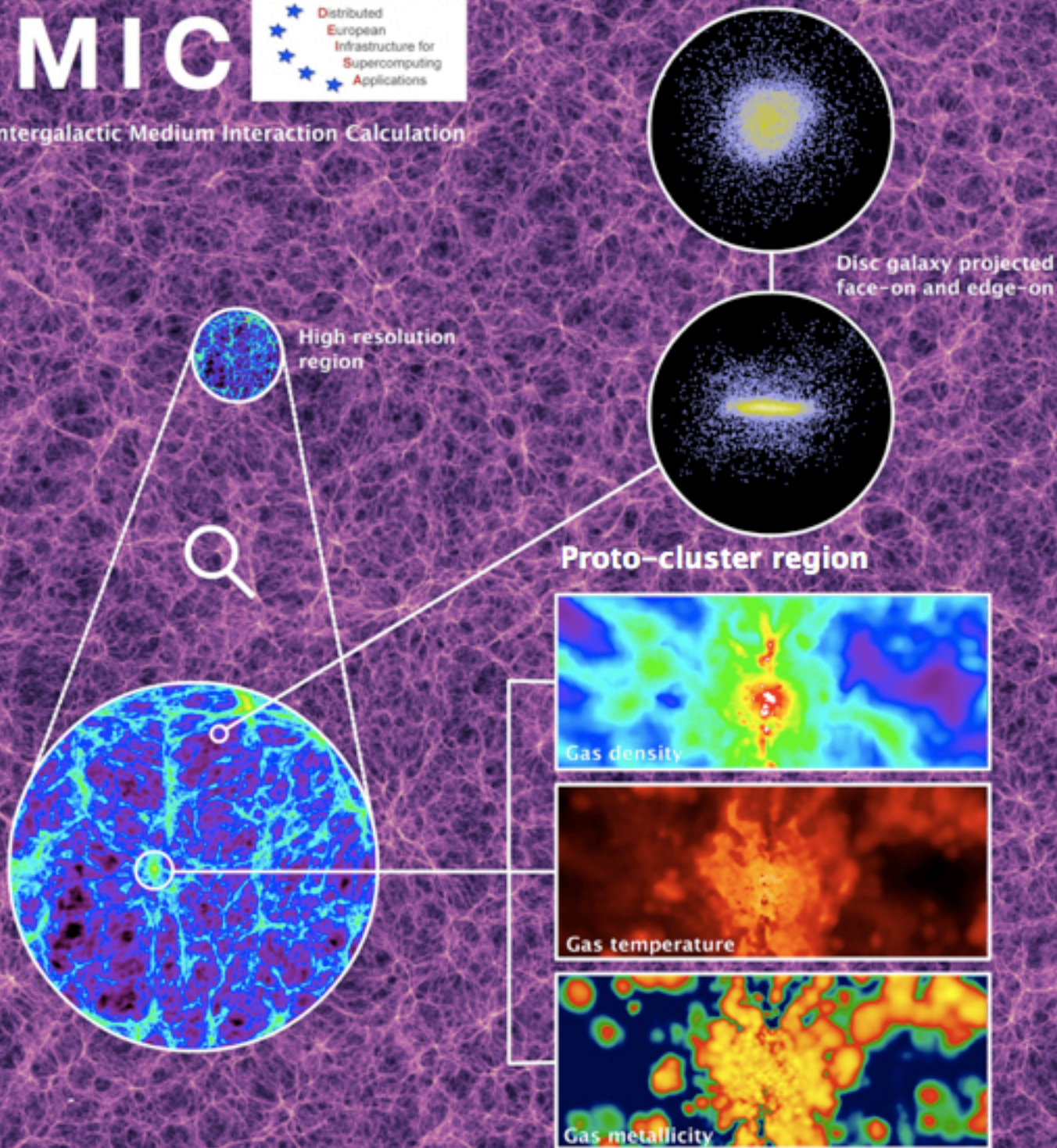


AGN feedback in isolated halos: [bubbles, weak shocks and sound waves](#)



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Aims:

- Unusual regions
- Go to $z=0$

Status of runs:

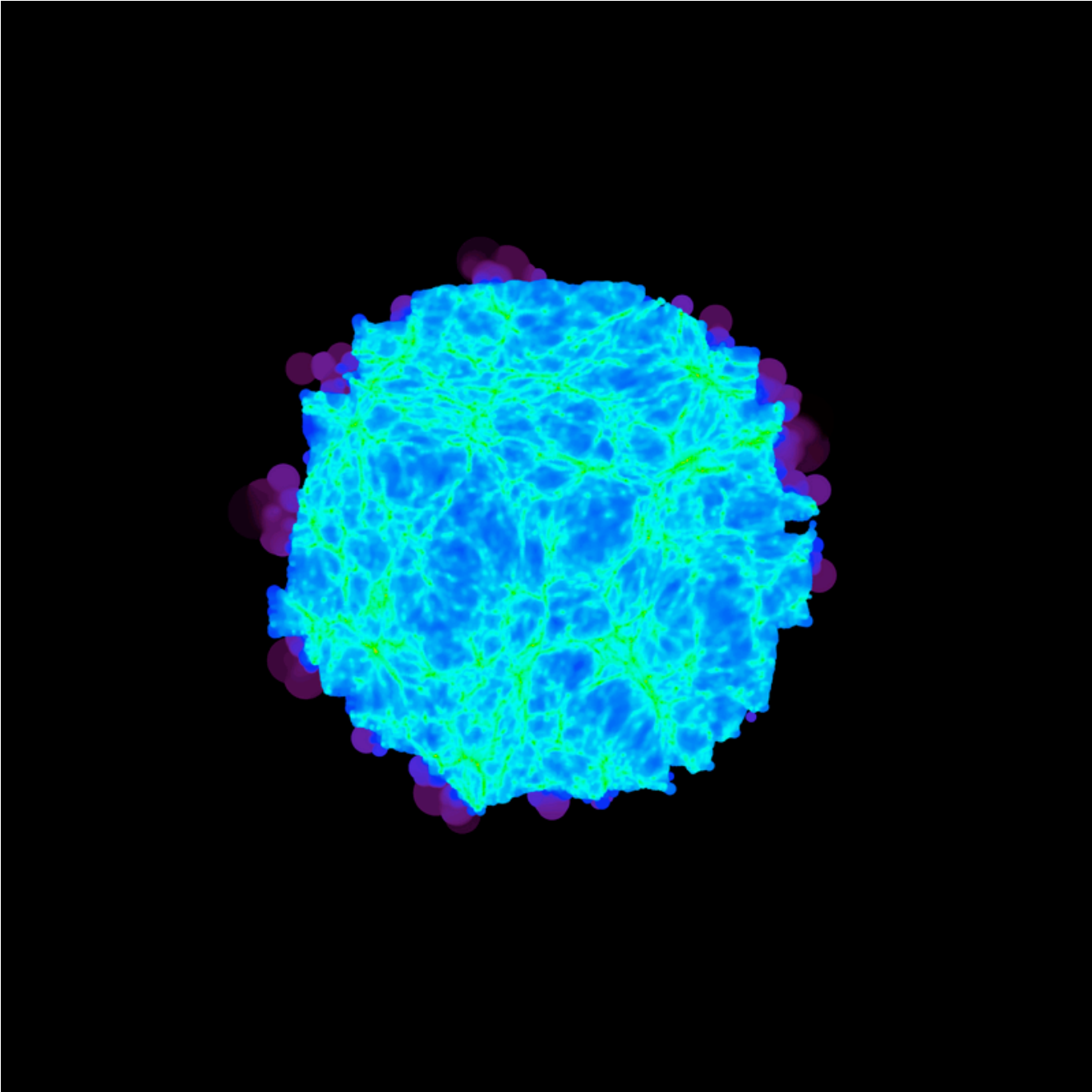
Low-resolution

Run:	-2	-1	0	1	2
z	0	0	0	0	0.15

High-resolution

Run:	-2	-1	0	1	2
z	0.9	2	2	2	--

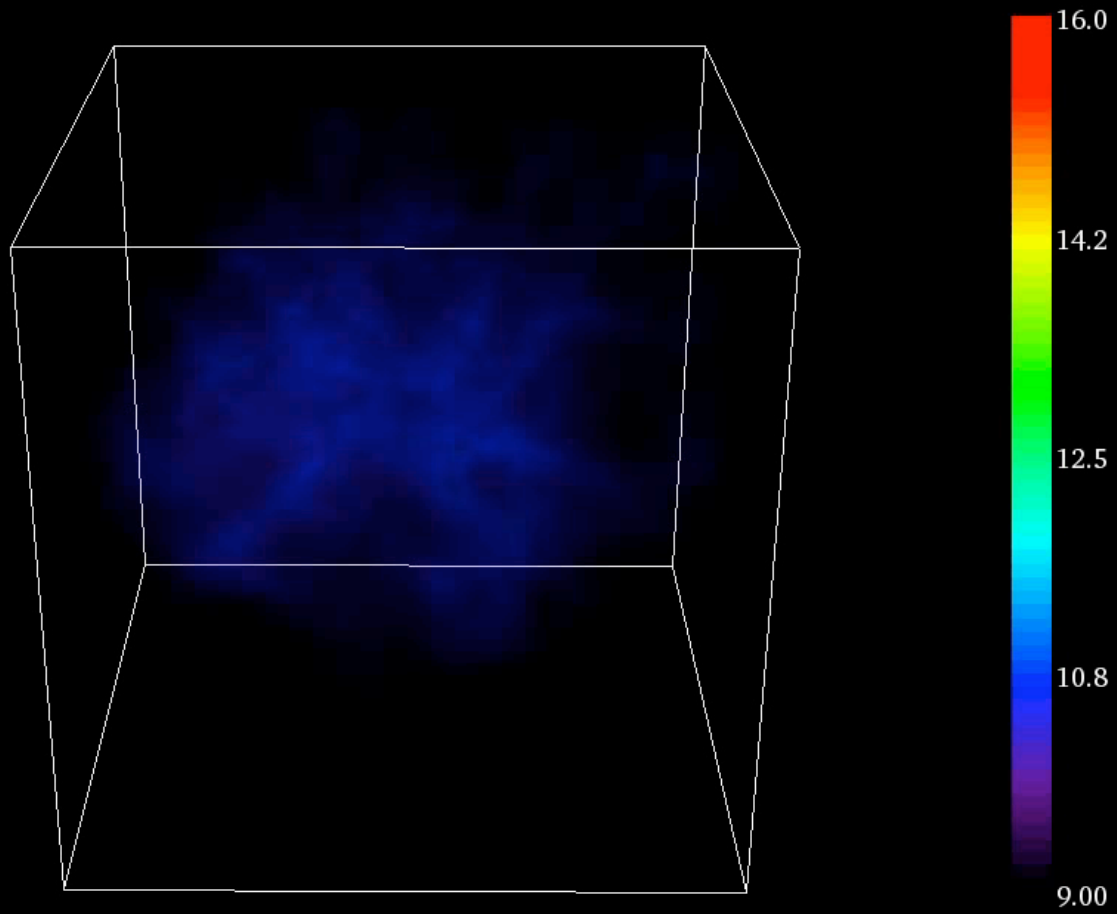
Gas mass = $1.5 \cdot 10^6 M_0/h$

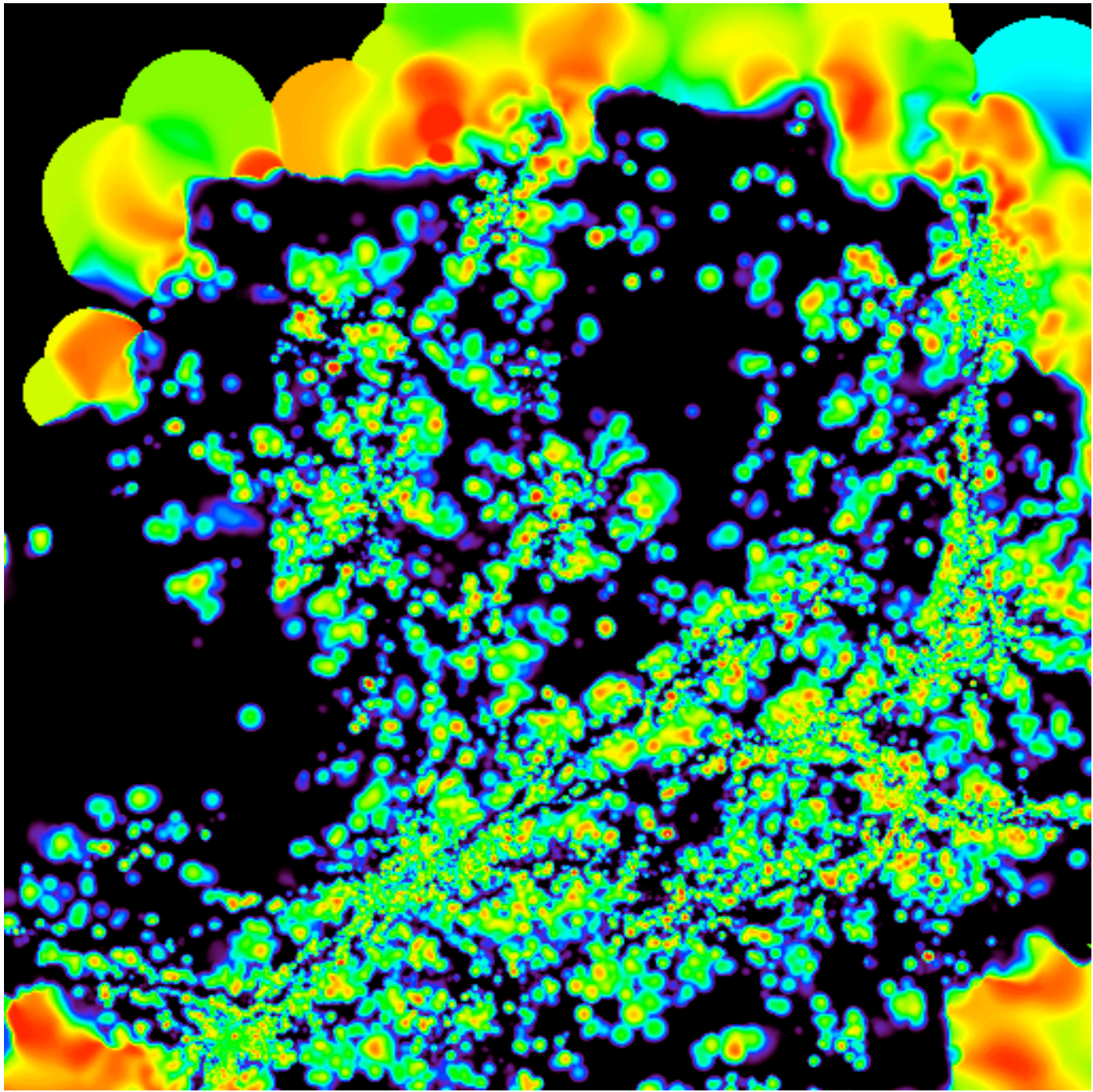


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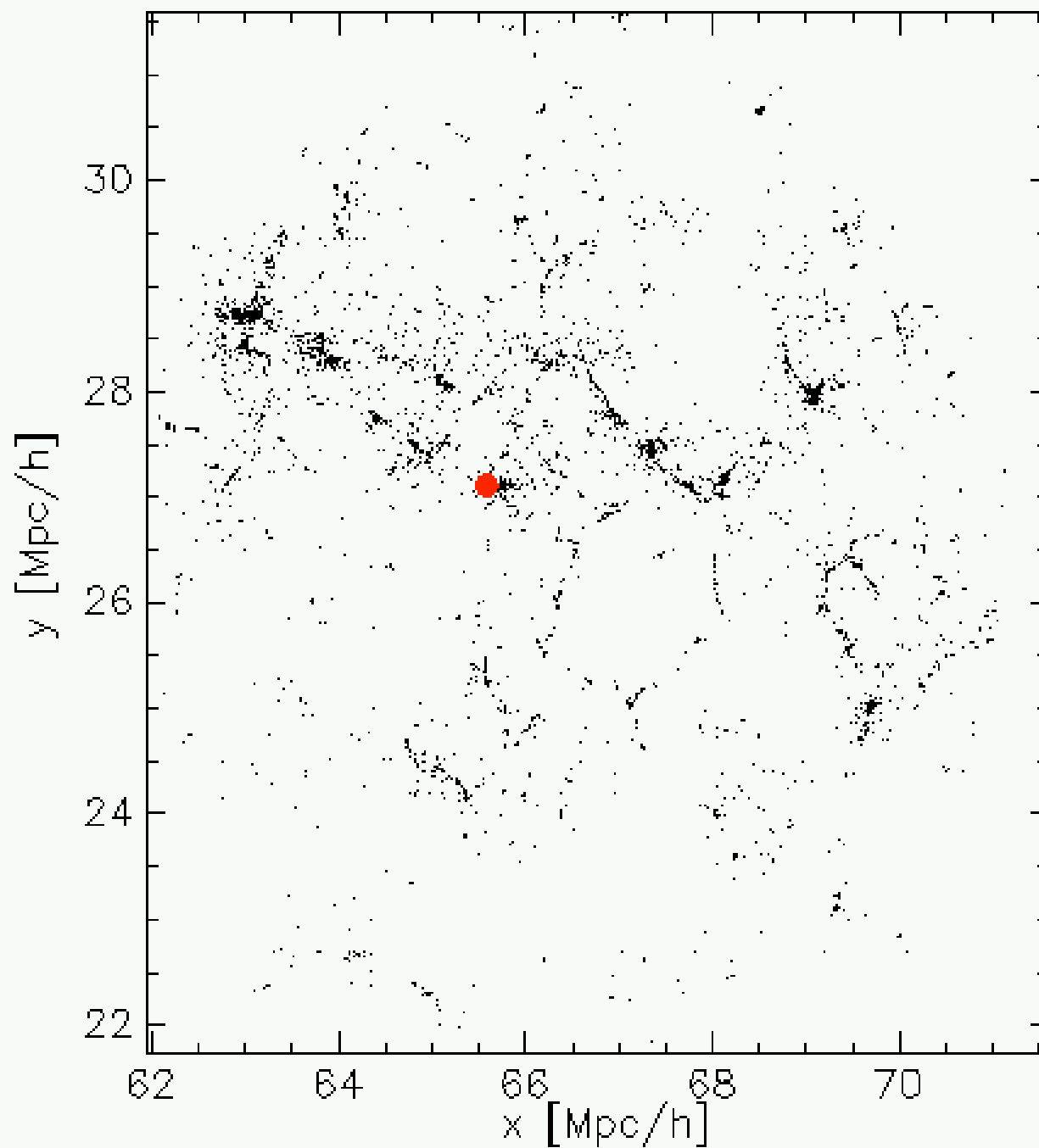
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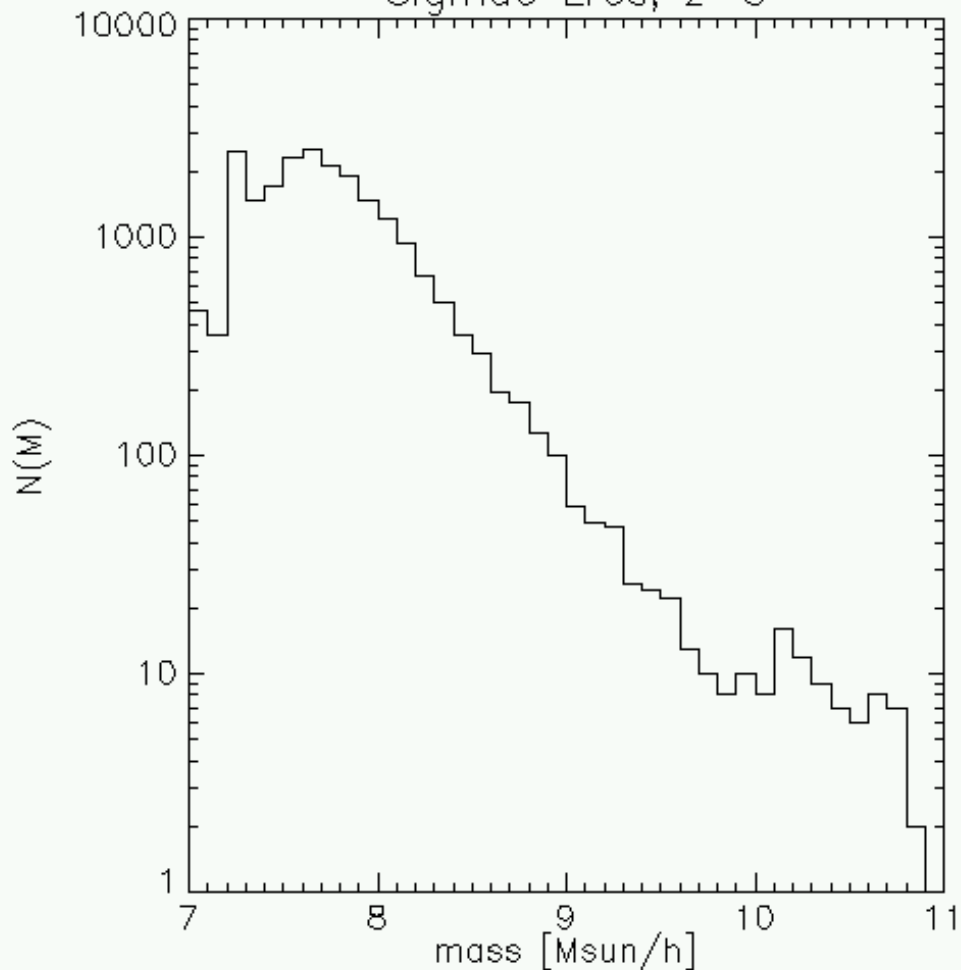


GIMIC Sigma₀ galaxies at z=2.75

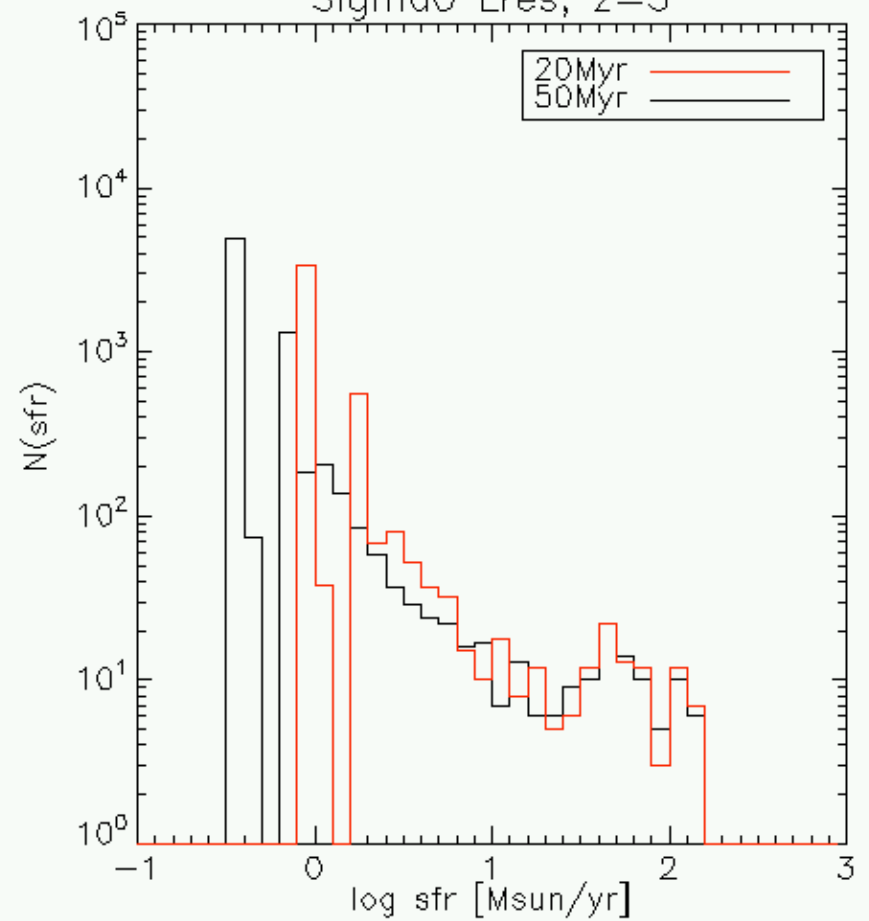


$M_* = 10^8 M_\odot$, $SFR = 5 M_\odot/\text{yr}$, $z = 2.75$

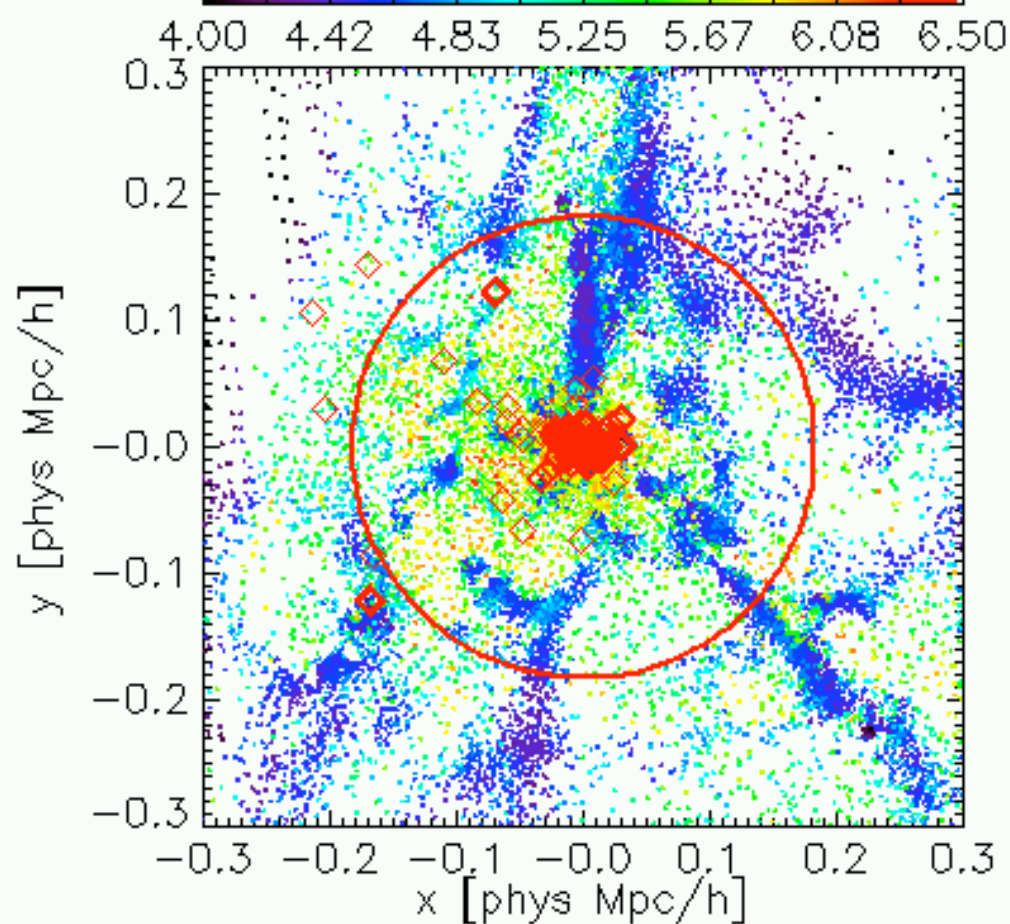
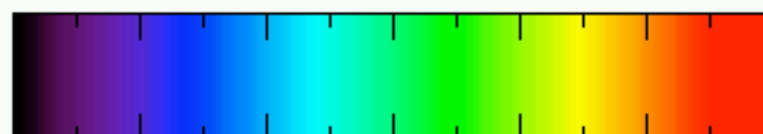
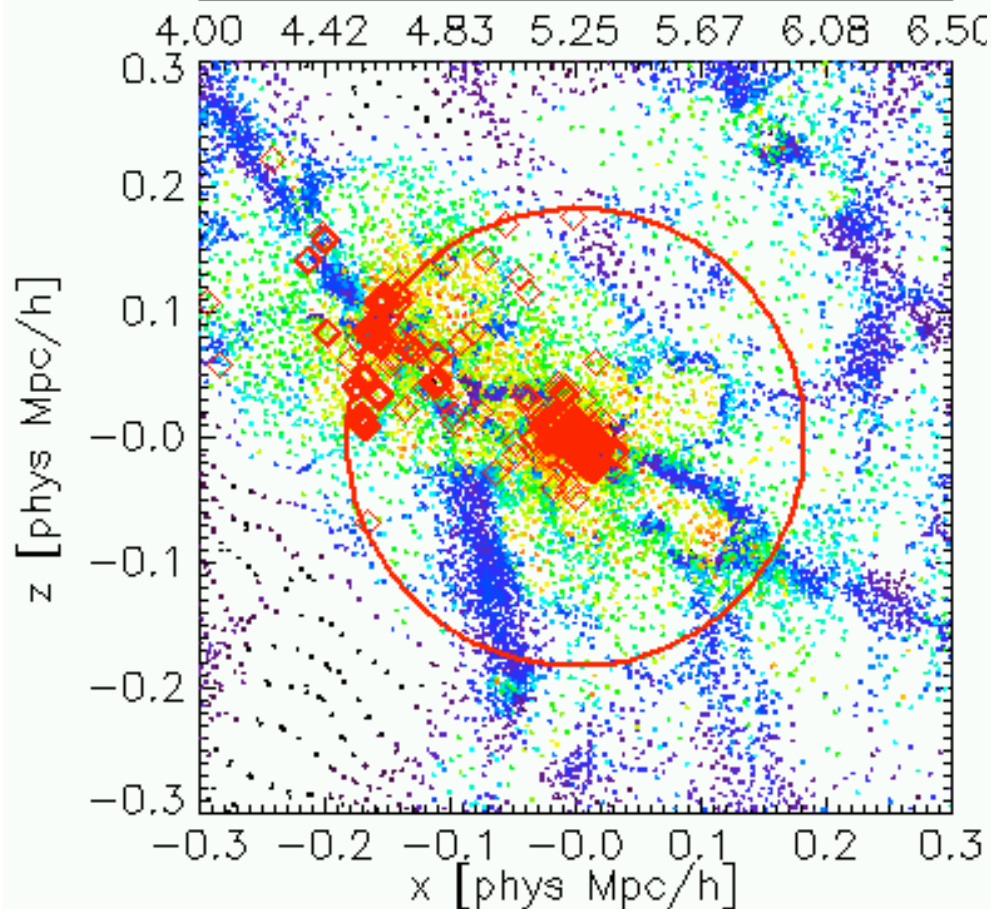
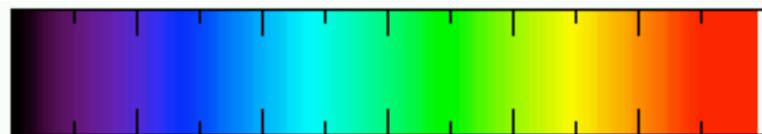
Sigma0 Lres, z=3



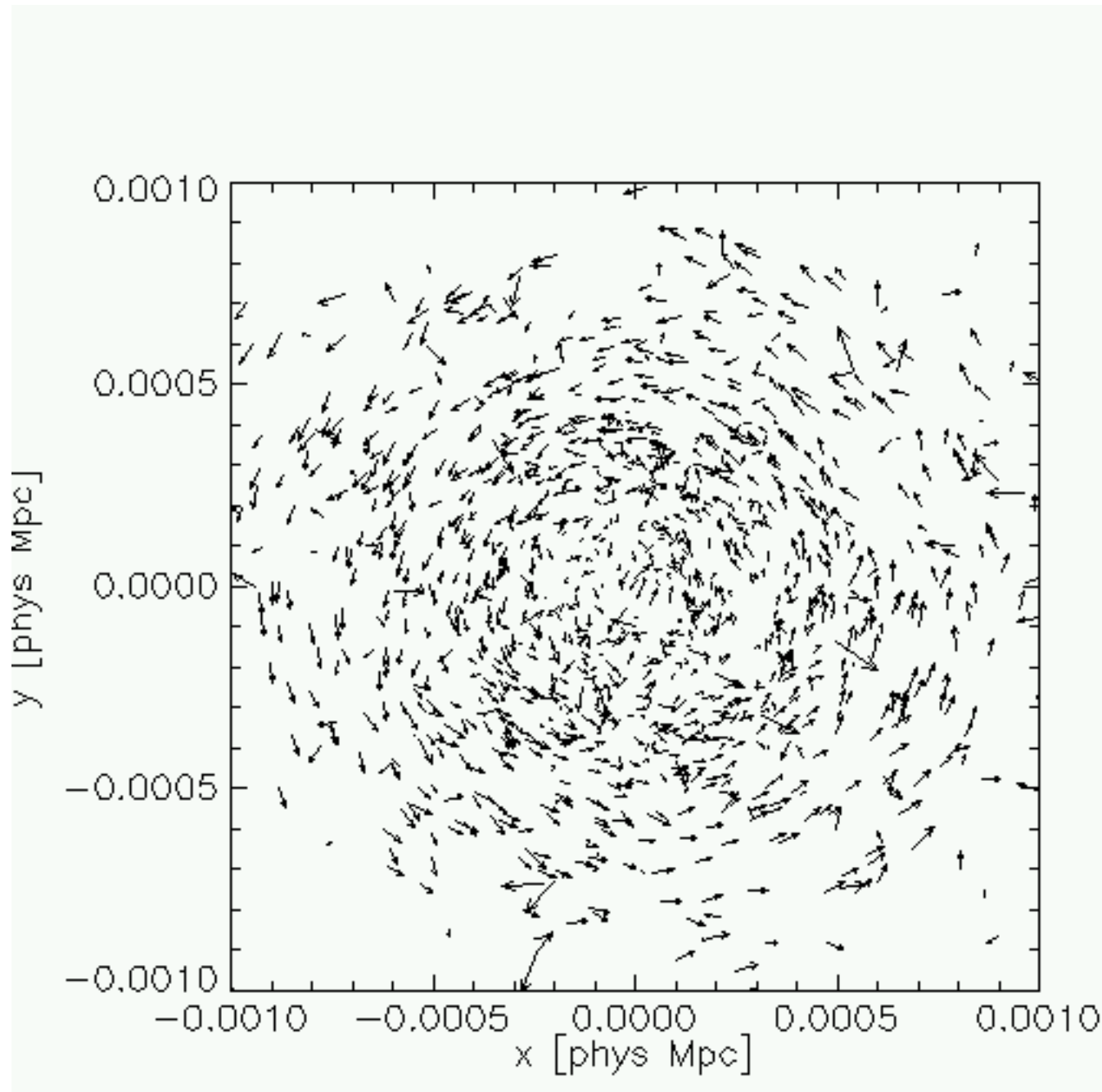
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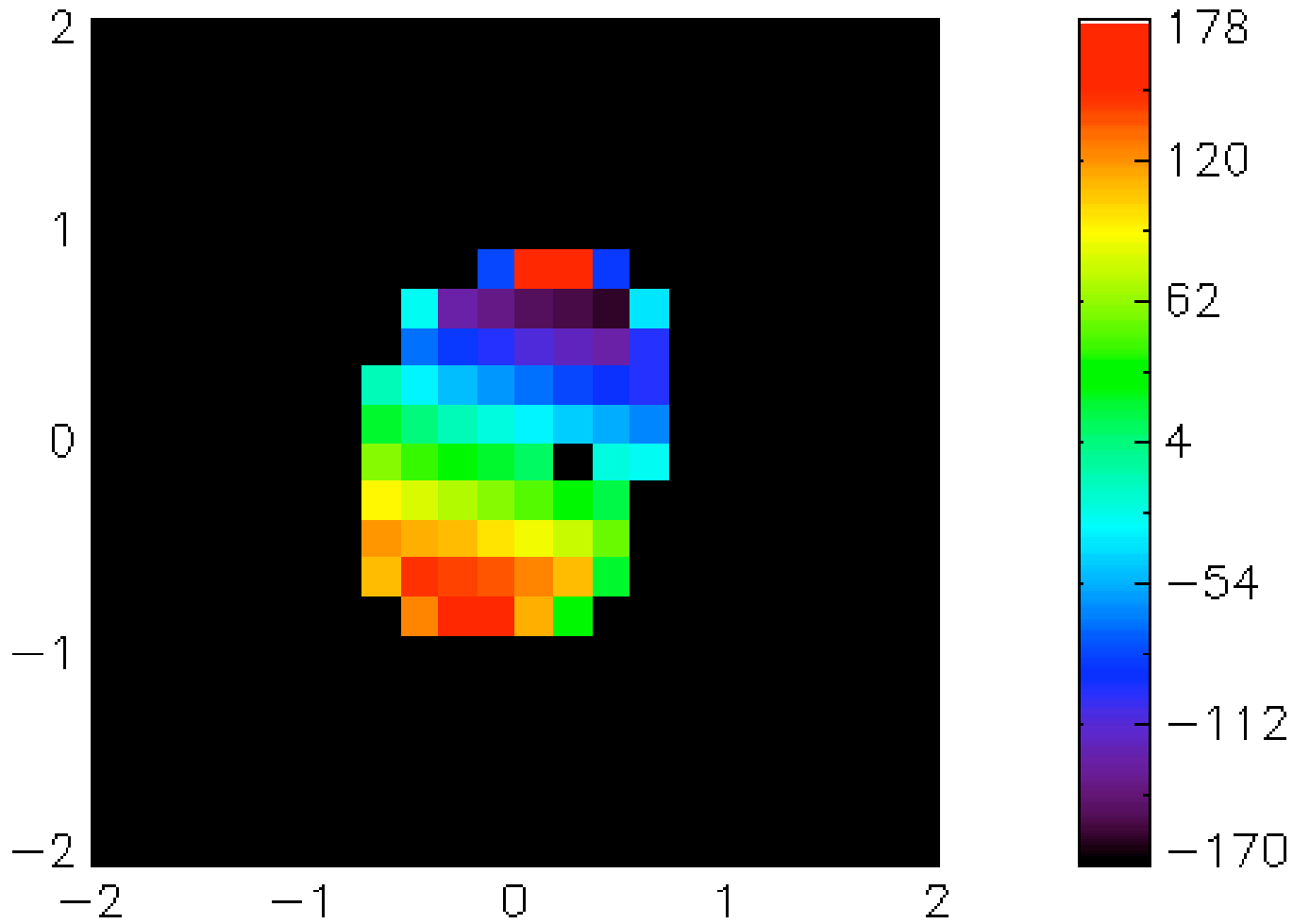
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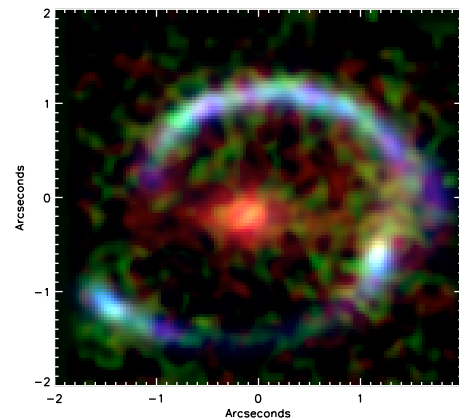
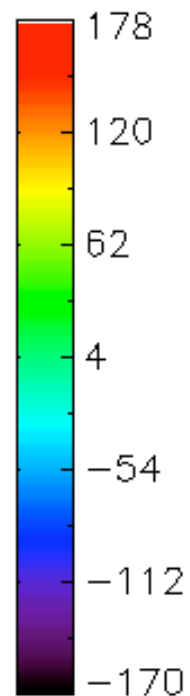
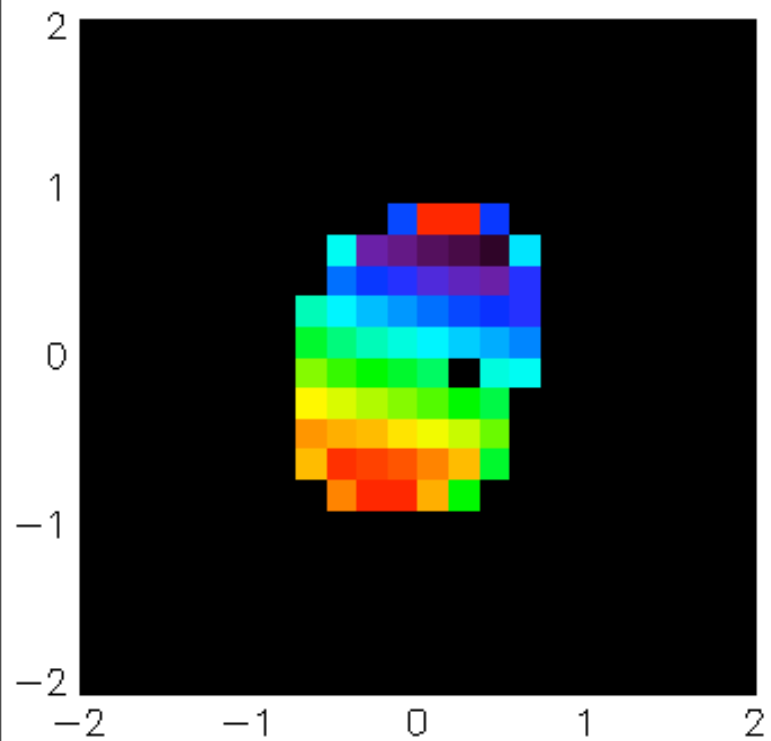


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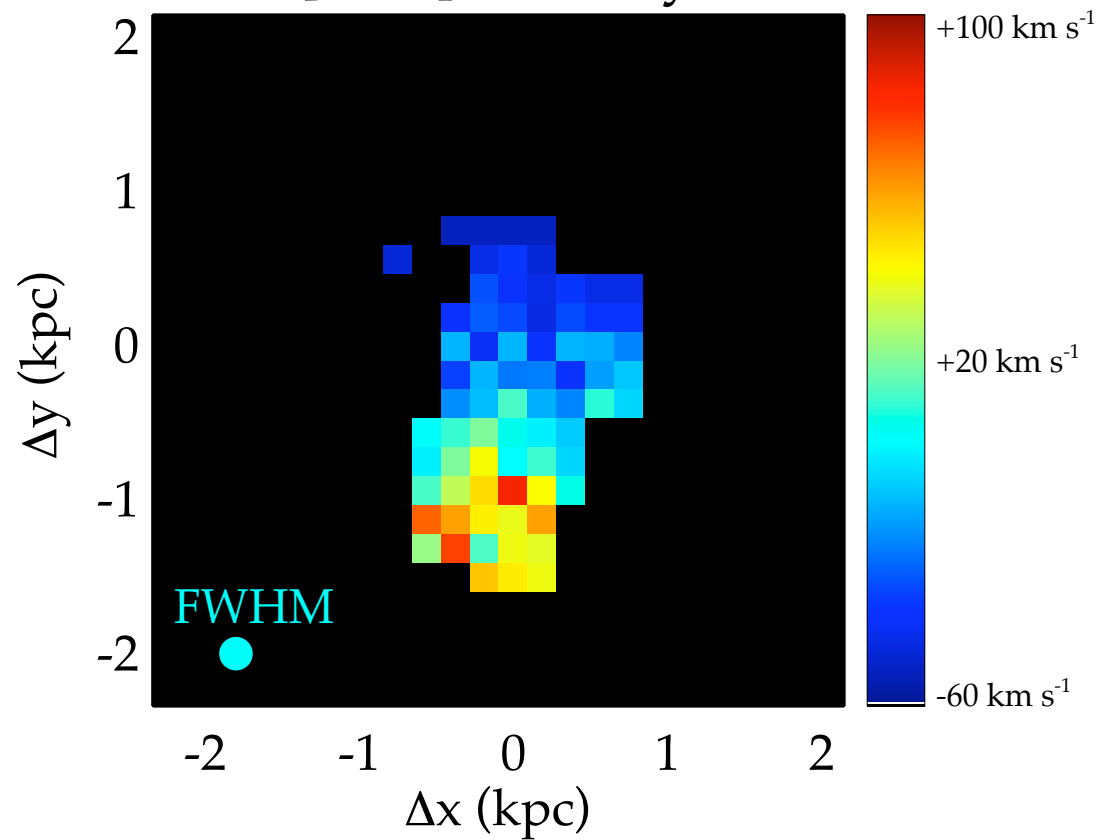
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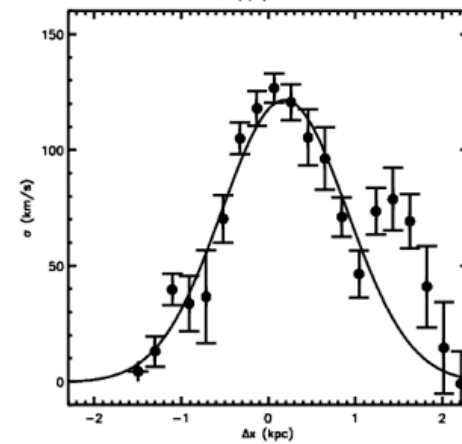
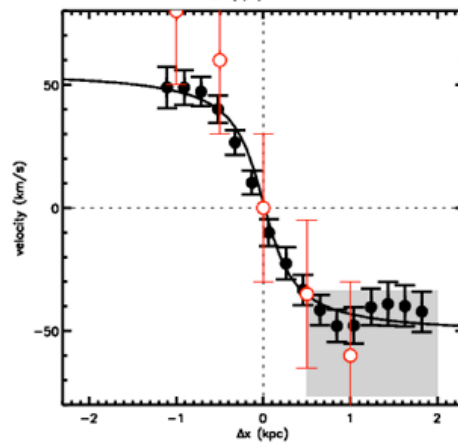
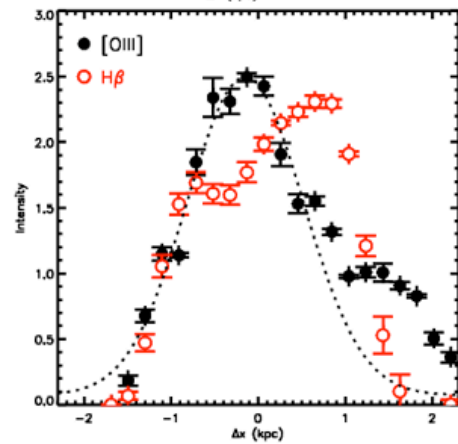
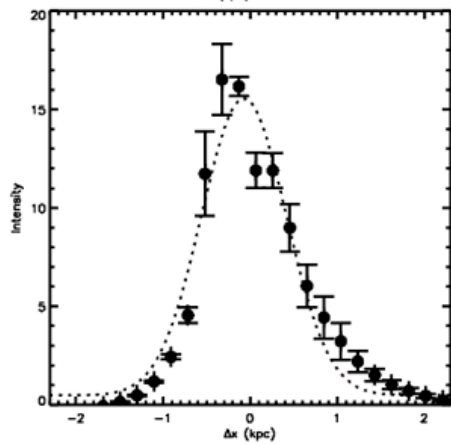
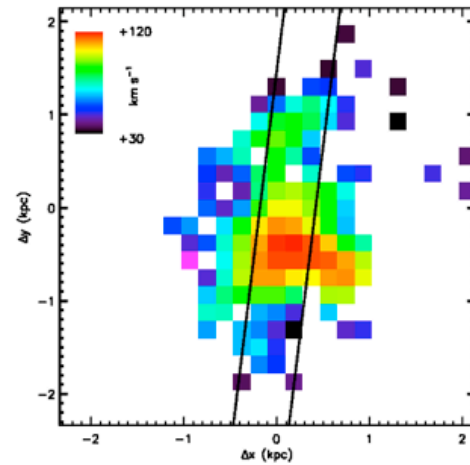
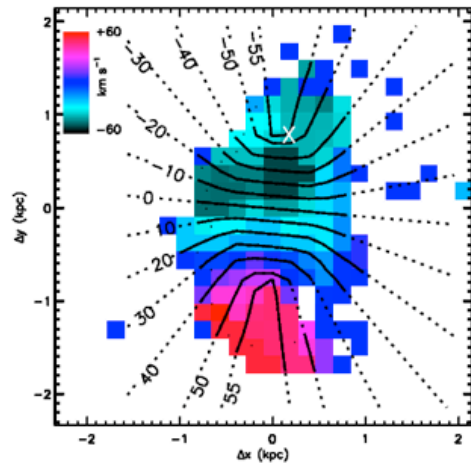
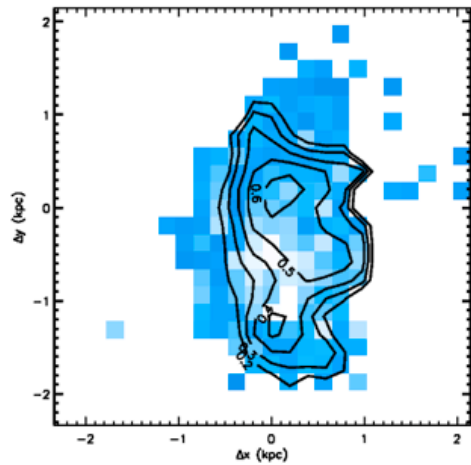
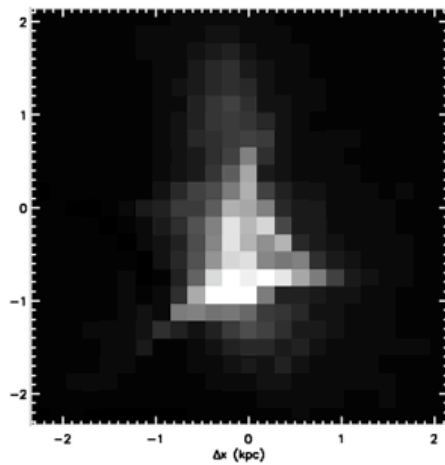
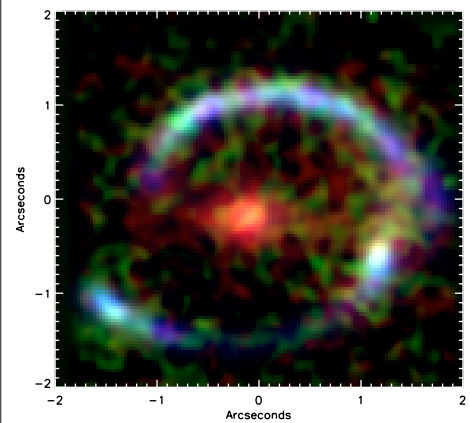




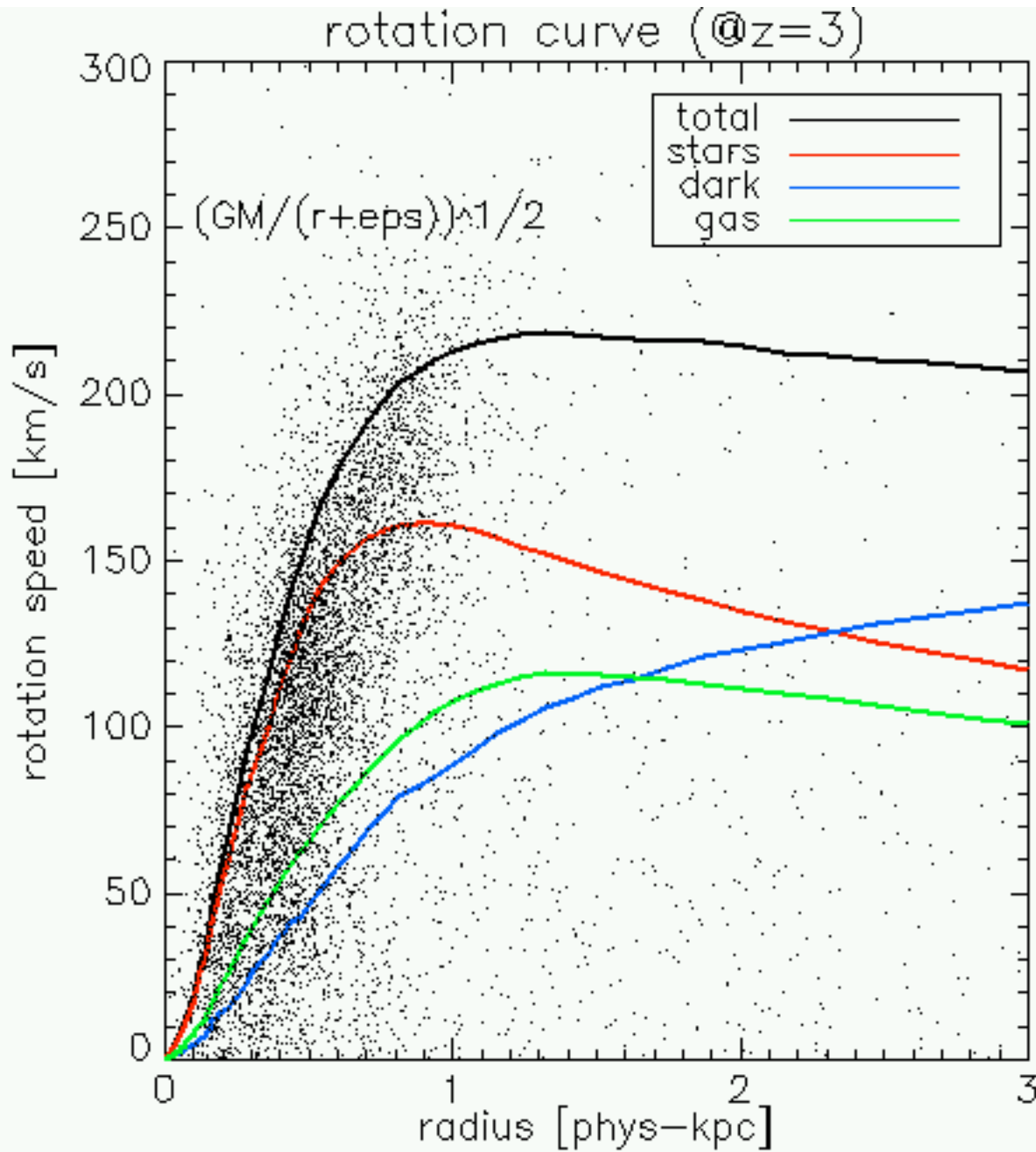
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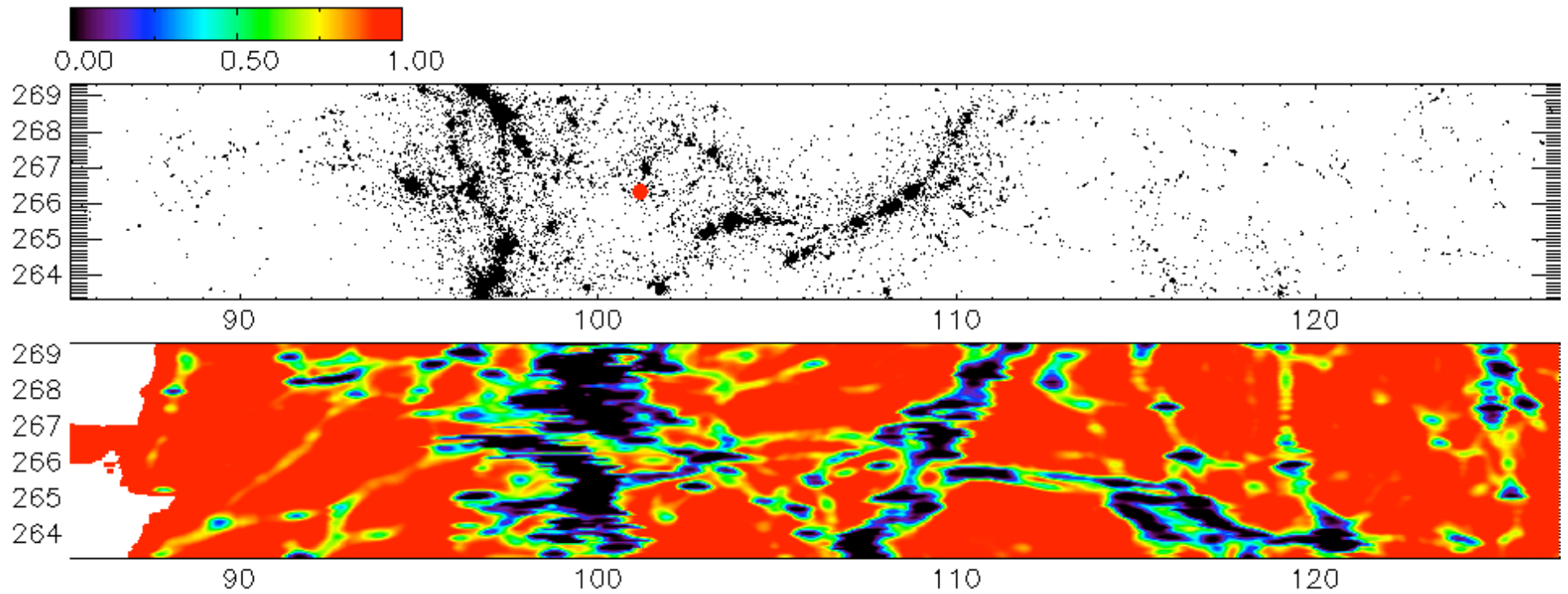




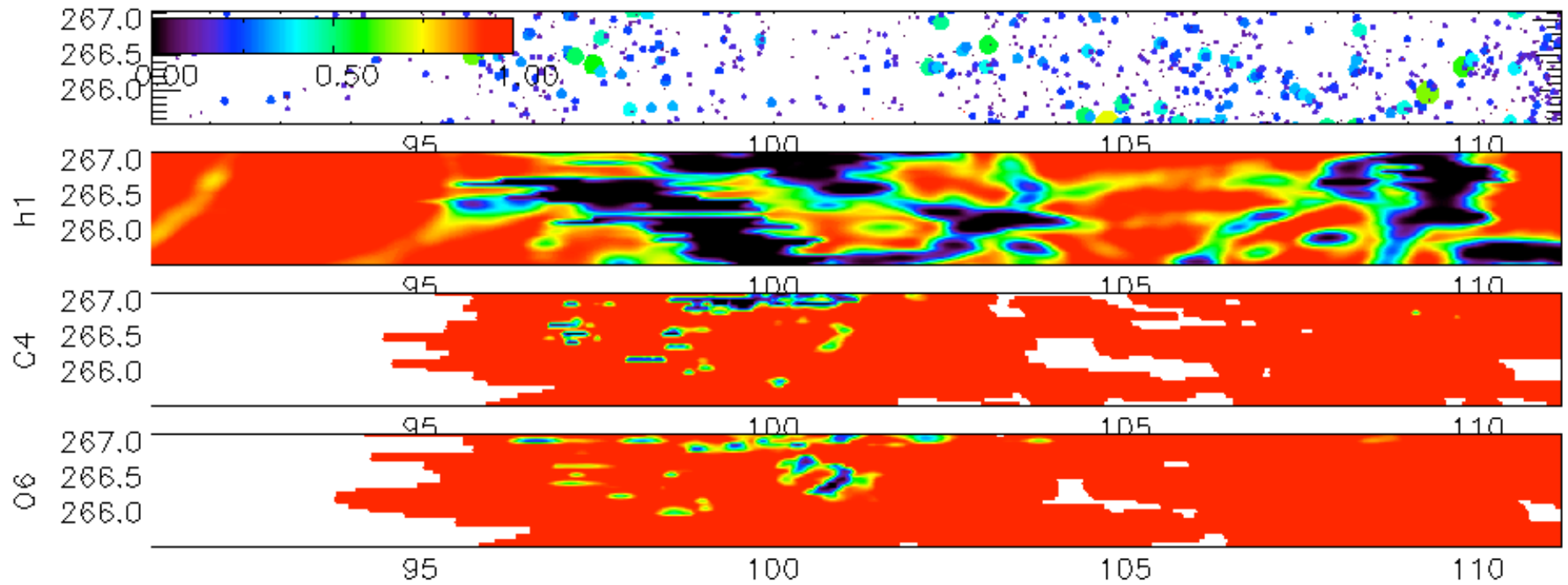
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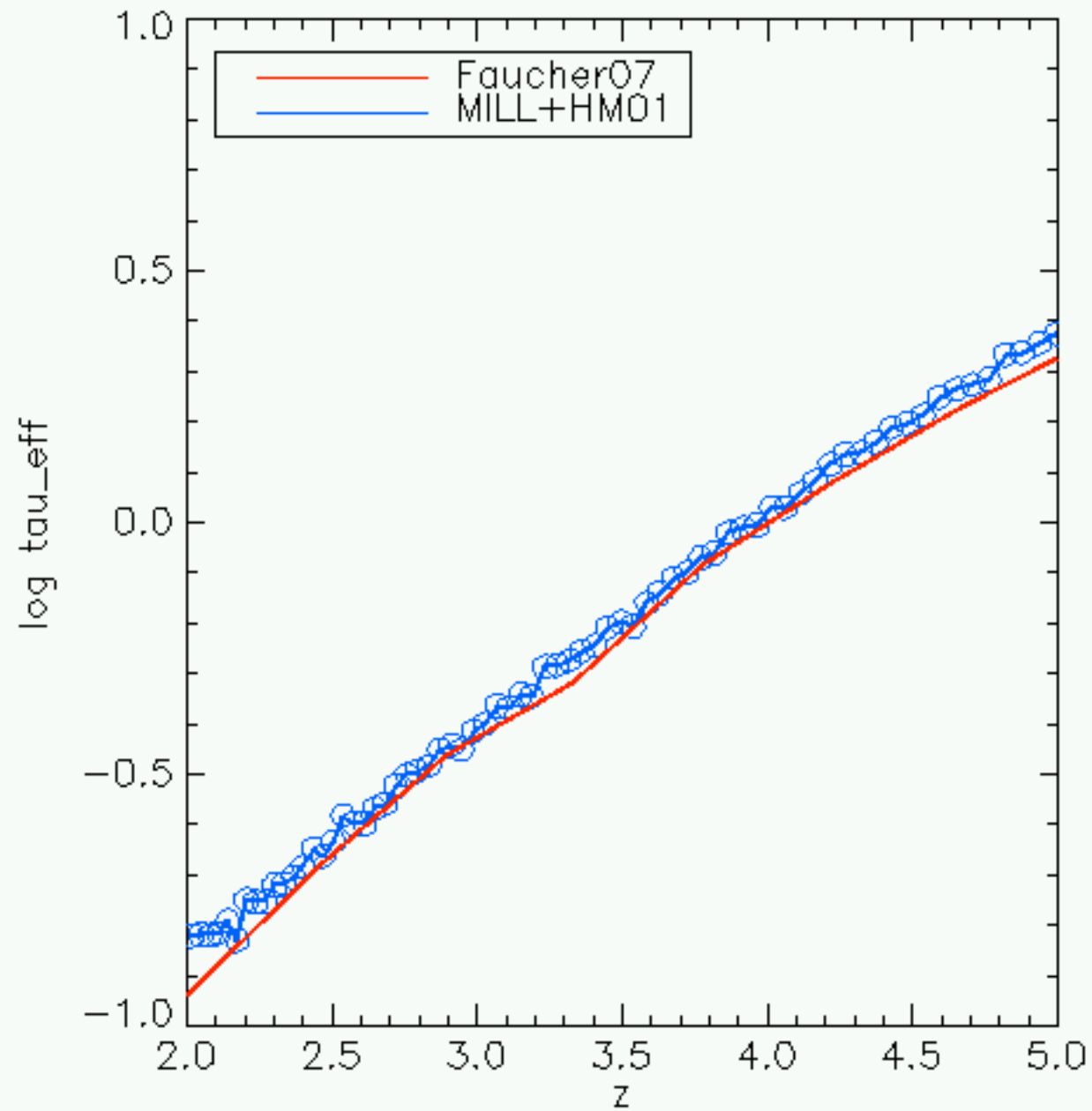
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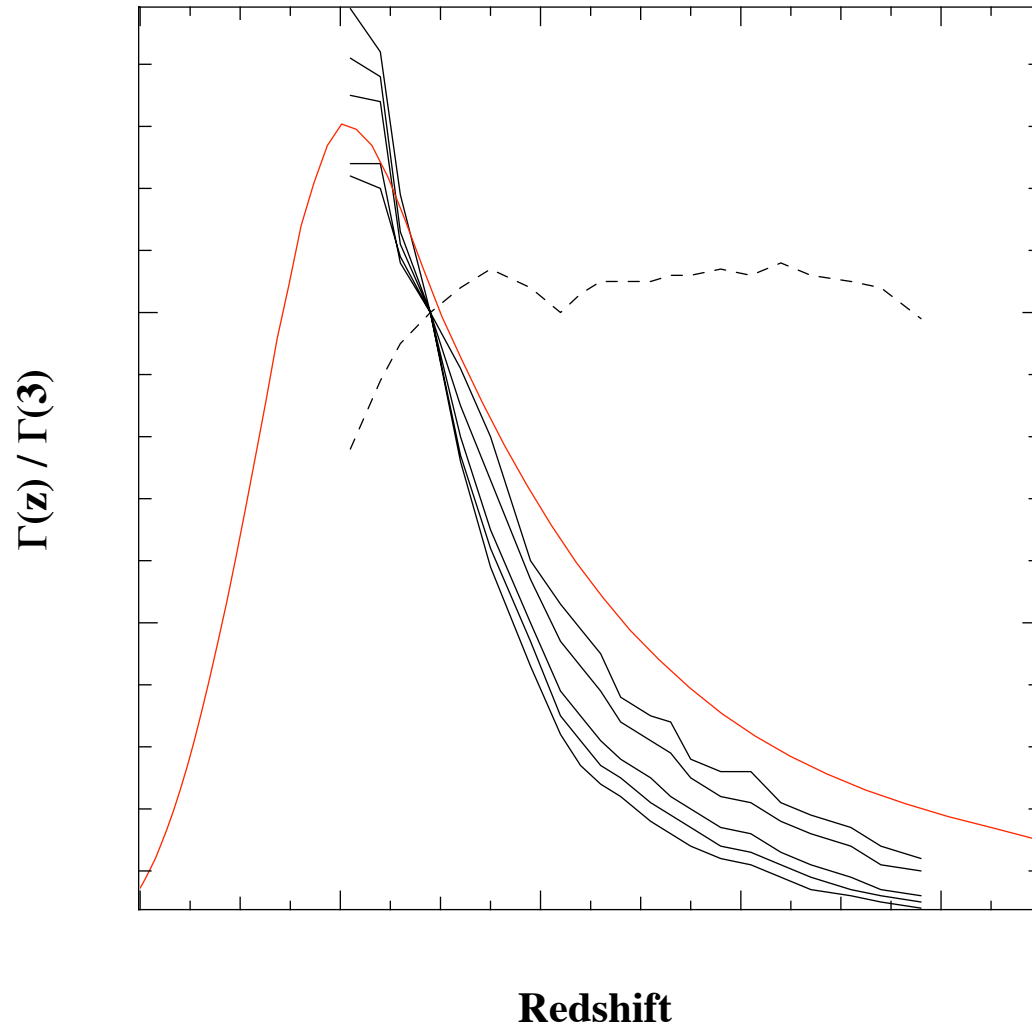
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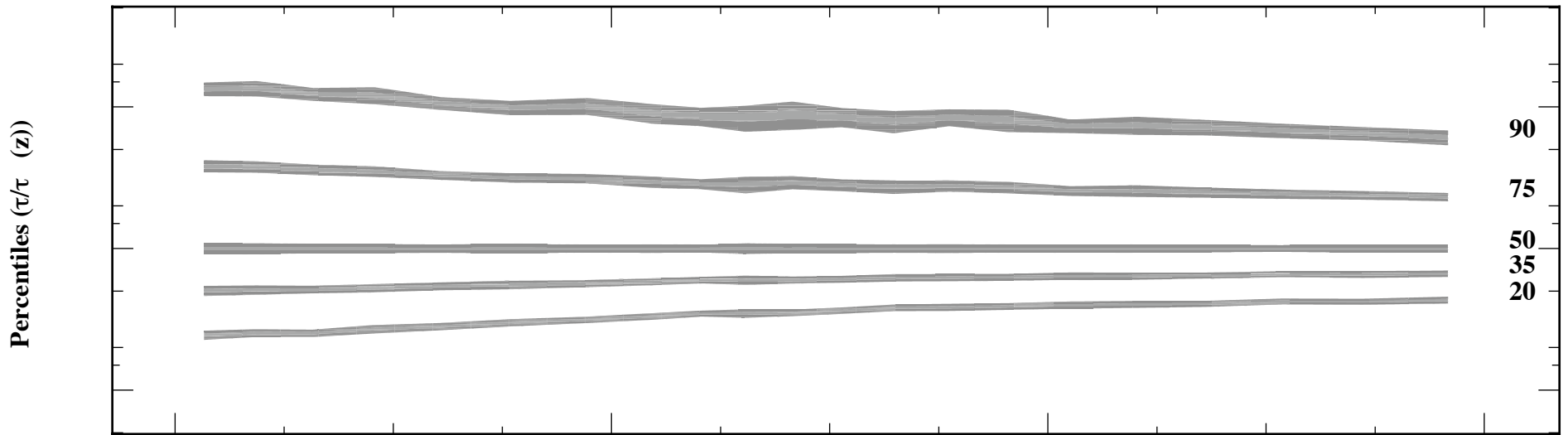
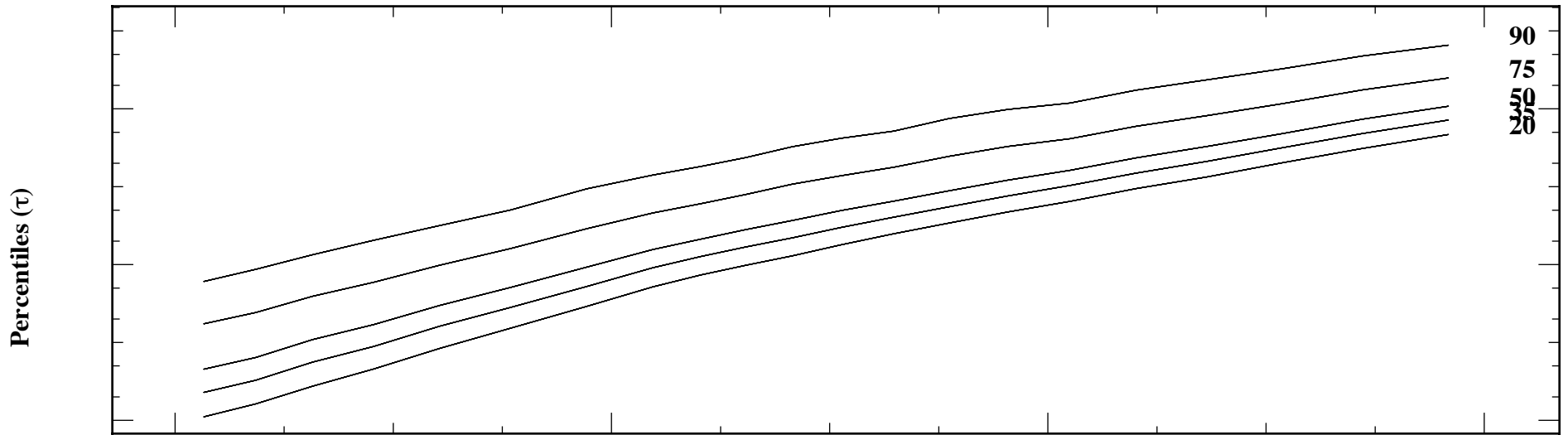
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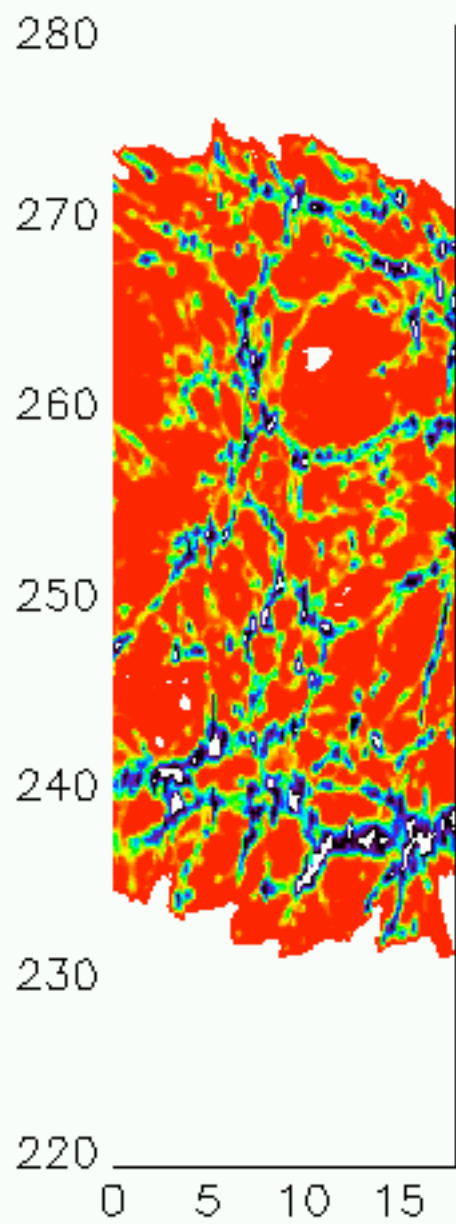


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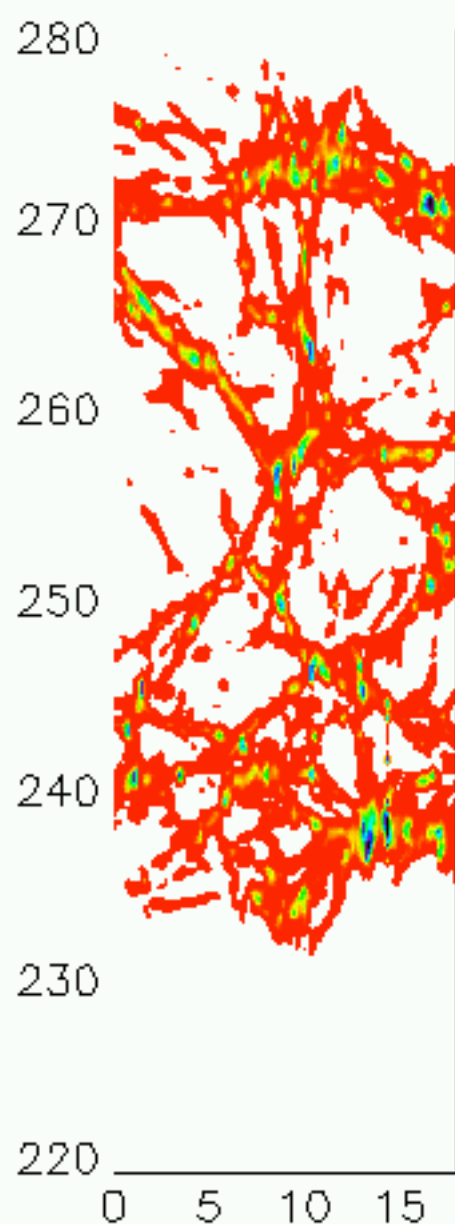


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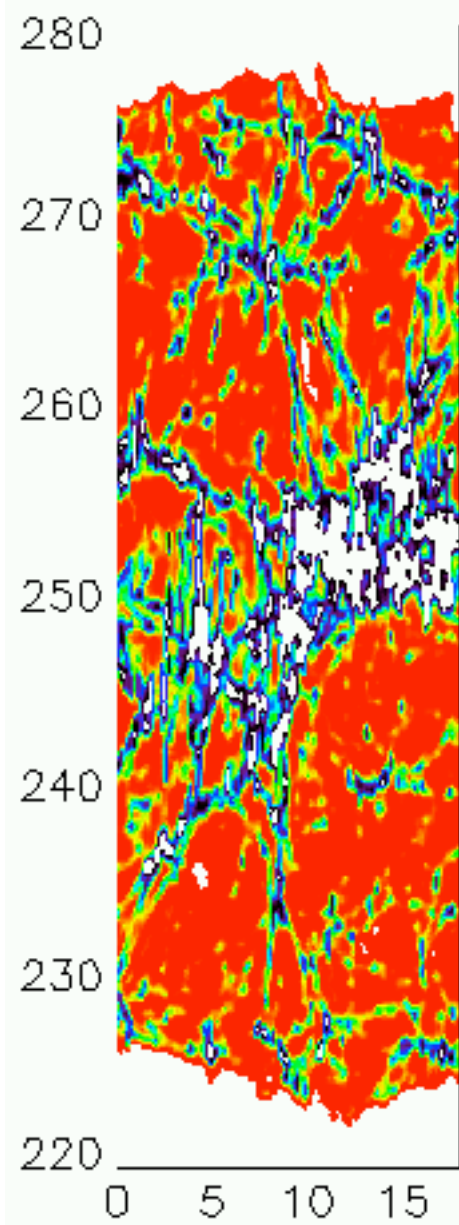


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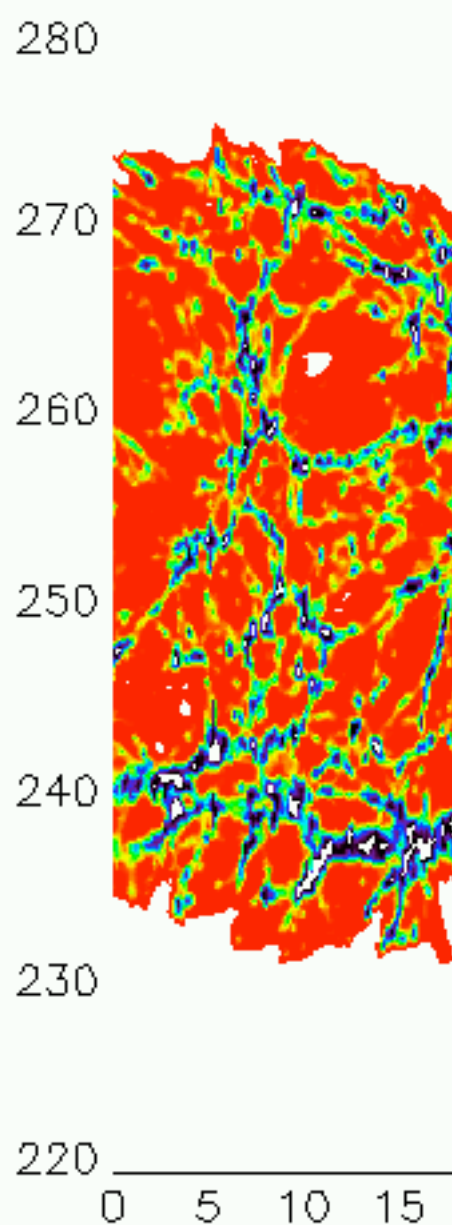


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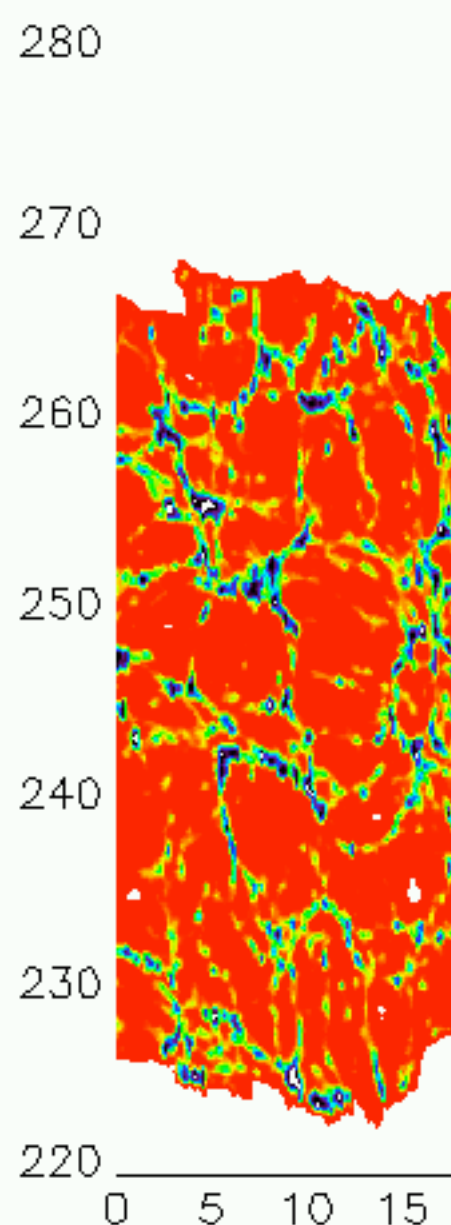
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