

# Lectures plan

intro

- ‘Classical’ Cosmology and ‘Modern’ Cosmology and Structure in the **Universe** (what do we simulate?).
- The initial conditions (why cosmological simulations are unique)
- Physics and algorithms

Lecture I

- (1) **Multiscale simulations of black holes and galaxy formation**

Lecture II

- (2) **Cosmological Simulations:  
The first massive black holes and quasars**

Lecture III

- (3) **The IGM and Lyman- $\alpha$  (FEATURING: R. Croft!)**

# What is the history of black hole formation and evolution?



What is the formation path of MBH seeds?  
When/where did they form?



How MBH seeds grow? How do they impact  
their environments?

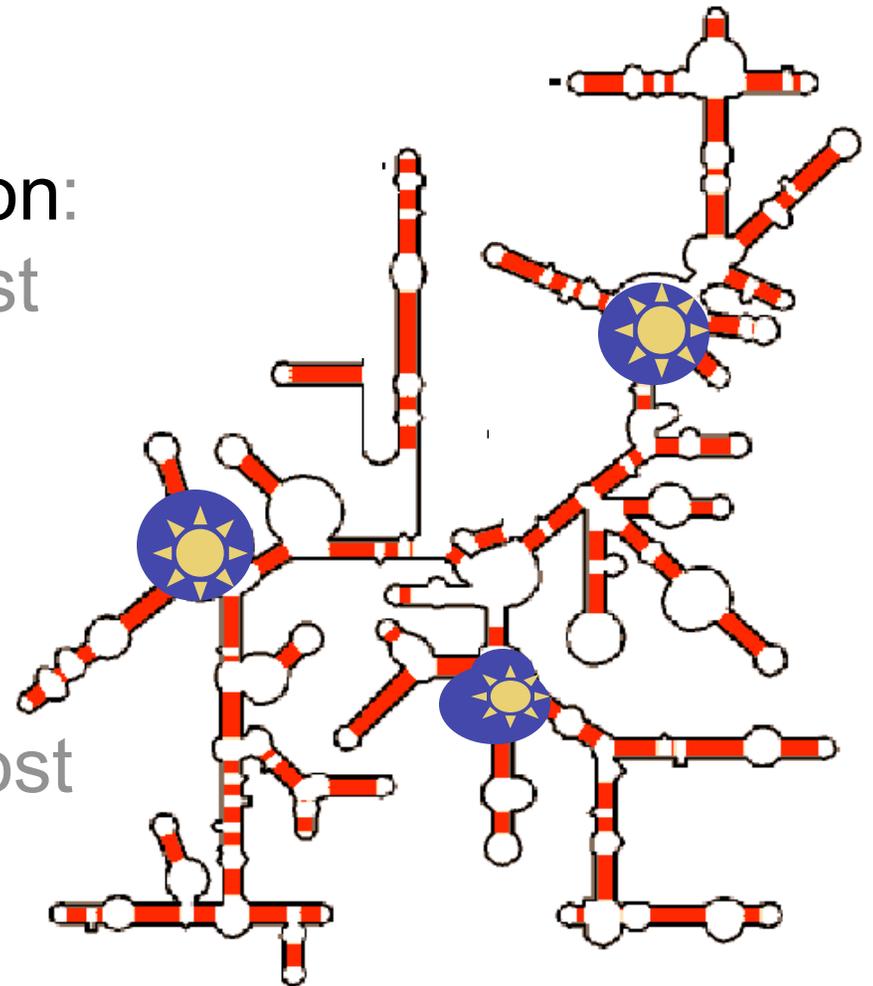
# What are the **seeds** of (super) massive black holes?



Unique predictions of LCDM:  
**Hierarchical Structure formation:**  
small scales collapse first

At  $z=20$ ,  
 $M > 10^6 M_{\text{sun}}$ , gas coolant= $\text{H}_2$

**First stars** (POPIII) form in most massive halos



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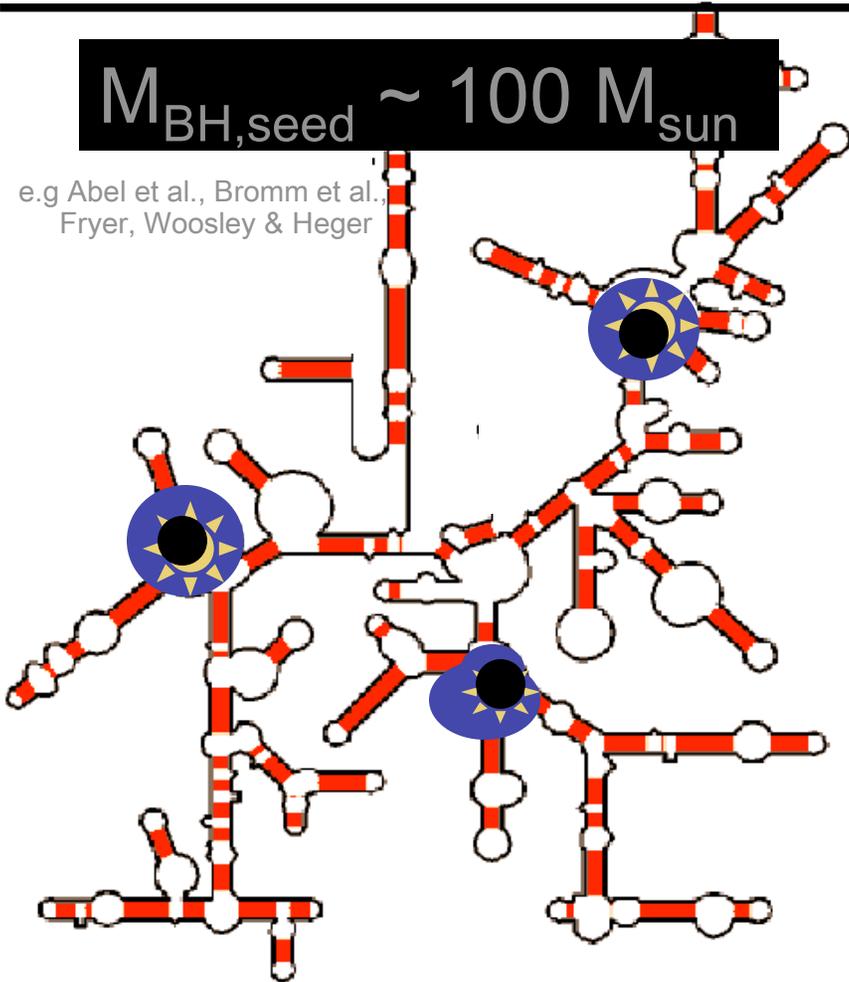


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**Gas dynamical processes**

e.g. Eisentein & Loeb 95, Bromm & Loeb 2003,  
Koushiappas et al 04, Begelman et al, 06,  
Lodato Natarajan 06

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$M_{\text{BH,seed}} \sim 10^3 - 10^5 M_{\text{sun}}$

**In biased protogalaxies**

... this is all we have for the ICs for MBH in  
models of galaxy formation...

# Key Questions:



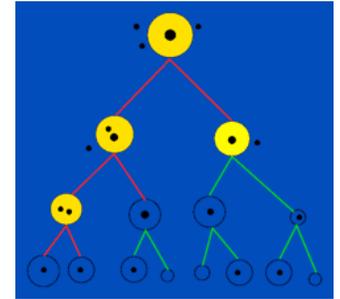
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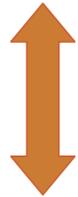


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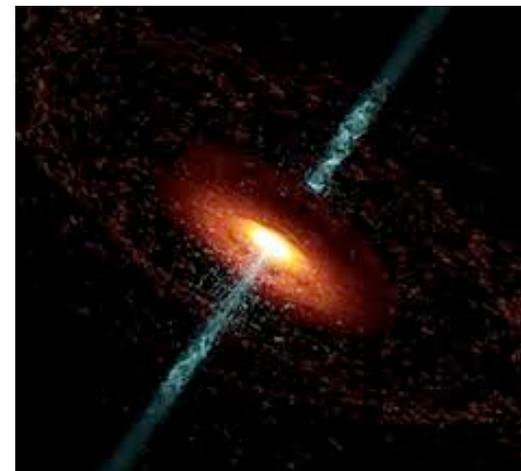
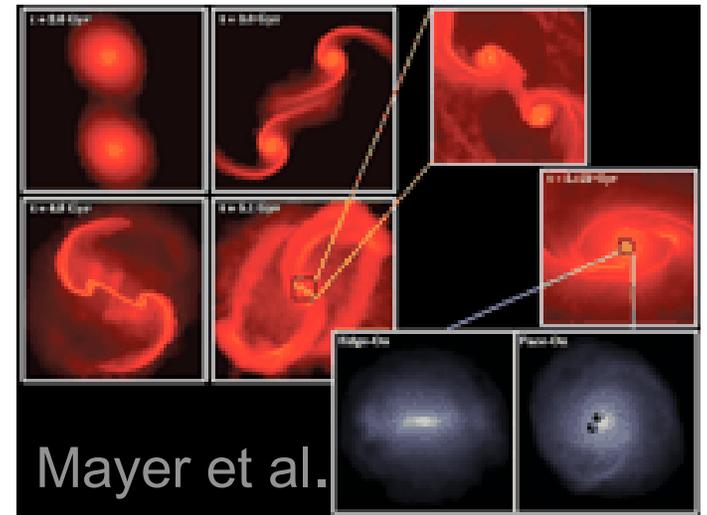
## BH-BH mergers

BH mass density  
almost constant with time  
some reshuffle in the mass function..



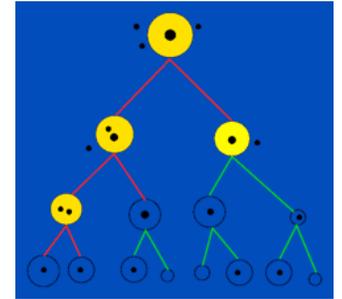
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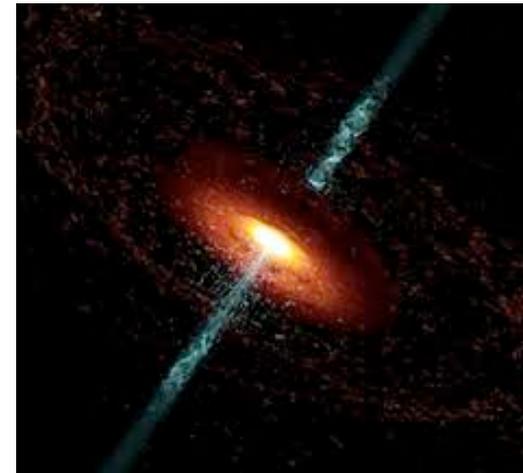
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$$L_{\text{BH}} = \text{efficiency } \dot{M}_{\text{acc}} c^2$$



**Black hole Growth** = Gas Supply = **Activity**

## How/ where do MBH seeds grow at early time?

$z=6$  quasars imply

$$M_{\text{BH}} = 10^9 M_{\text{sun}}$$

First billion years  
requires extremely  
large accretion rates

$$L_{\text{Edd}} = \frac{4\pi G c m_p}{\sigma_T} M_{\text{BH}} = \epsilon \dot{M} c^2$$

$$M_{\text{BH}} = M_{\text{seed}} e^{\frac{t}{t_{\text{Edd}}}}$$

$$t_{\text{Edd}} = 450 \text{ Myr} \frac{\epsilon}{1 - \epsilon}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \ln(M_{\text{BH}}/M_{\text{seed}}) &= \ln[10^9 / (100 - 1e5)] \\ &= 10 - 17 \text{ e - foldings} \end{aligned}$$

sustained accretion at Eddington rates in early growth

# Checklist for BH growth

- ✓ biased regions → Large Volumes
- ✓ Galaxy scales → High Resolution
- ✓ Gas accretion → Hydrodynamics

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# Journey into the growth of the first supermassive black holes

# Cosmological Simulations with BH

## Zoomed halos

Select rare peaks  
and re-simulate

Li et al., Sijacki et al., Alvarez et al.,  
Cattaneo et al., Bellovary et al. Teyssier et al.

## Uniform volumes

whole mass function

Di Matteo et al, Booth & Shaye 09,  
Sijacki et al.,.

### CONS:

Small vol.:  
1 or small samples  
Hand 'picked'  
Quasar hosts based on  
DM mass

Never big enough vol.!

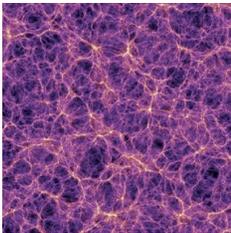
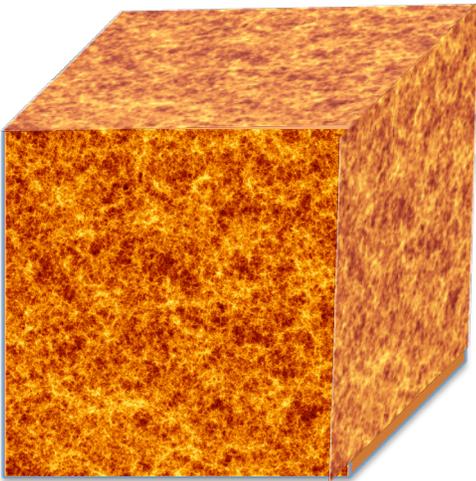
Lower res.

### PROs:

highest resolution:  
detailed studies  
of host and quasar  
more **detailed modeling**

direct investigation of quasars  
growth as a function of environment  
Direct **statistics**: M-sigma,  
BH mass functions, LFs,  
Correlation Functions etc..

# Simulation: 'Massive Black' Run



- Code used: **PetaGadget** (Petapps Cosmology)
- Particle number:  $2 \times 3200^3 = 64$  billion
- Box size:  **$533 h^{-1}$  Mpc**
- Physics: Smoothed Particle Hydrodynamics, cooling, star formation, feedback, **black holes**.

- Snapshots contain 12 times more data than the Millennium simulation.
- The simulation is >30 times larger than largest published SPH run.

- Run using the whole of Kraken at NICS (99072 compute cores).

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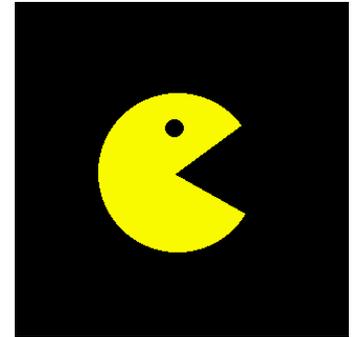
# The MassiveBlack

visualization by Yu Feng

Our cosmological TimeMachine

# BHs in SPH Simulations of Galaxy formation

DM, Springel, Hernquist 05  
Springel, DM, Hernquist 05



- **BH:** collisionless “sink” particle in the centre of galaxies

$$M_{\text{BH}(\text{seed})} = 10^5 M_{\odot}$$

- **ACCRETION:** relate (unresolved) accretion on BH to large scale (resolved) gas distribution

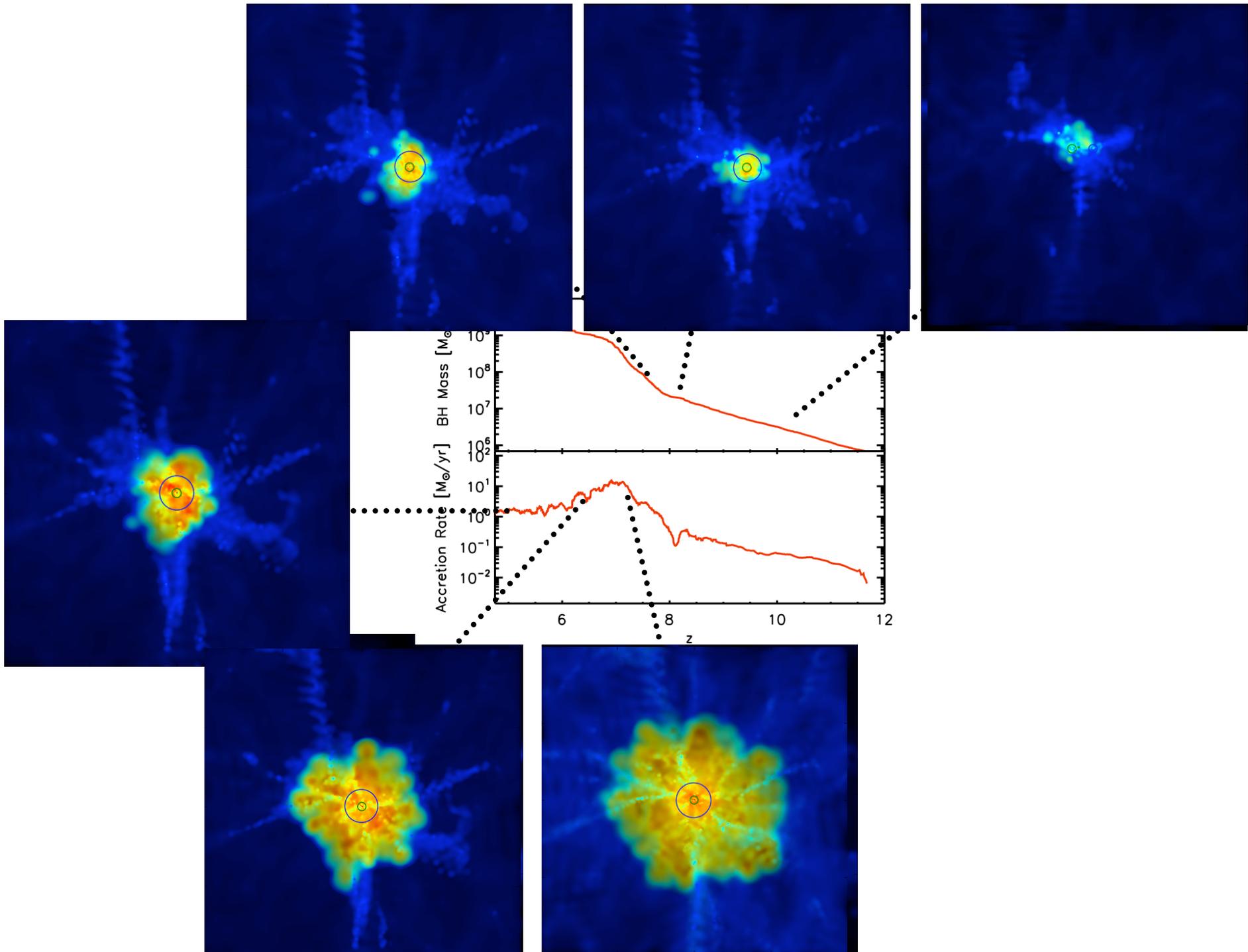
$$\dot{M}_B = 4\pi \frac{(GM_{\text{BH}})^2}{(c_s^2 + V_{\text{rel}}^2)^{3/2}} \rho$$

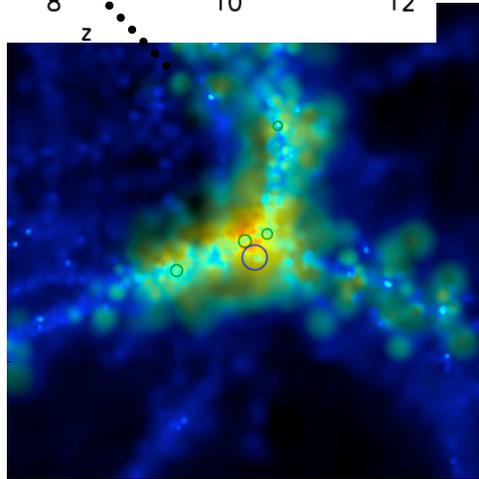
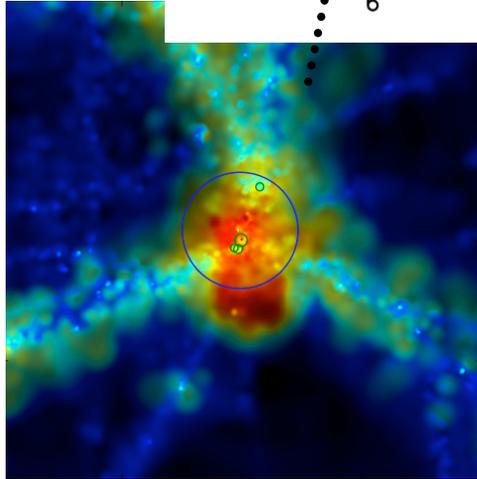
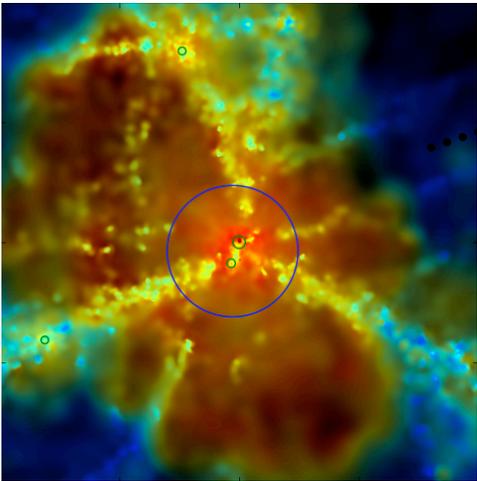
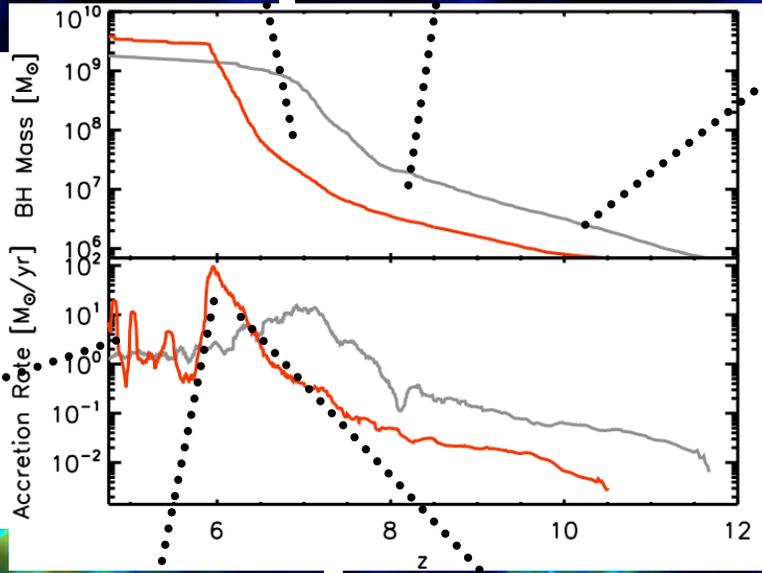
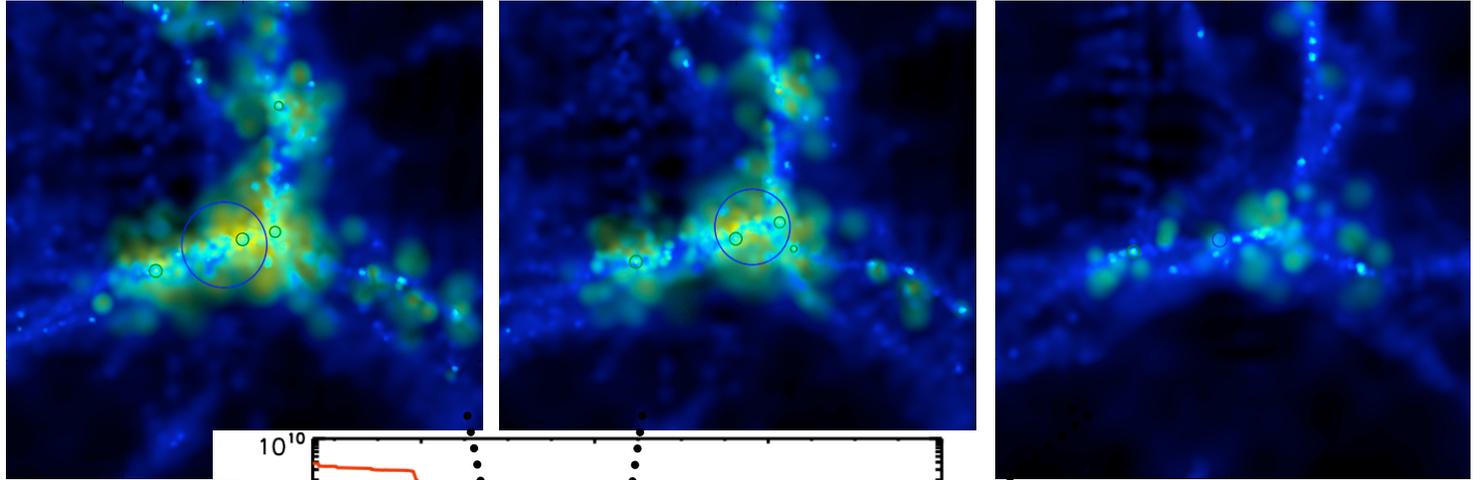
$$\dot{M}_{\text{BH}} = \min(\dot{M}_{\text{Edd}}, \dot{M}_B)$$

+ BH mergers

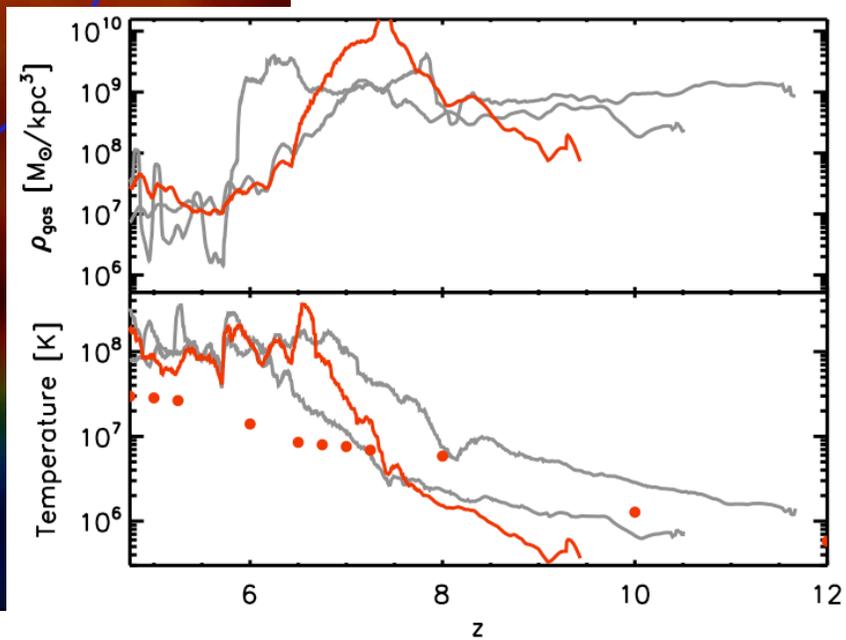
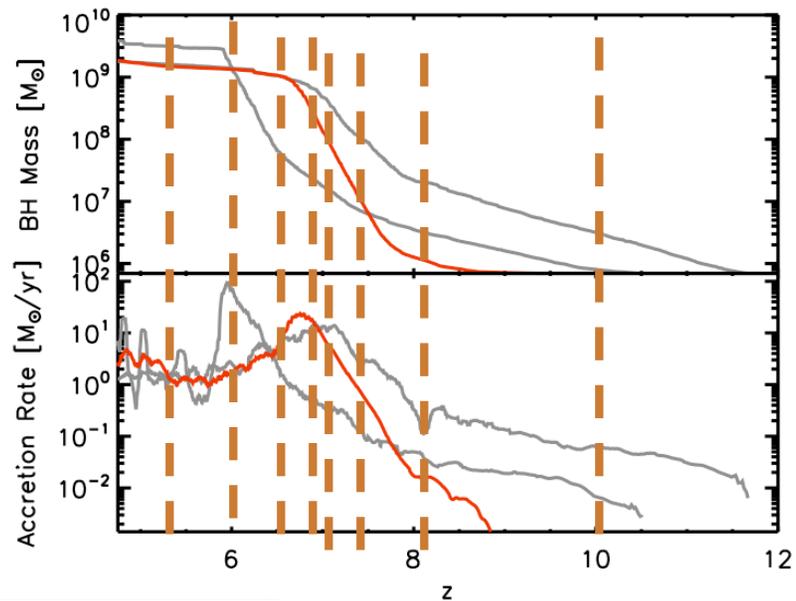
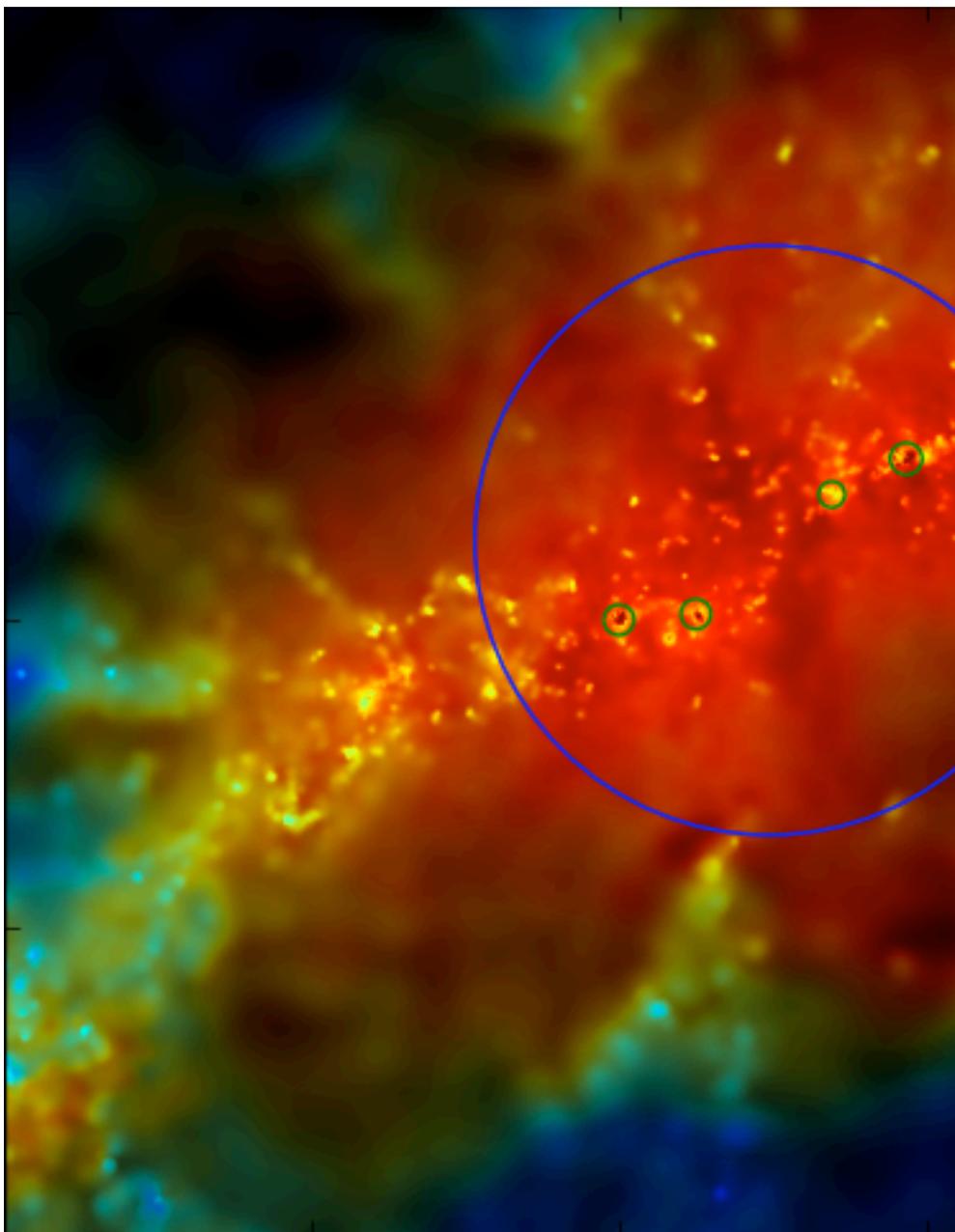
- **FEEDBACK:** energy extracted from the black hole (accretion) injected in the surrounding gas

$$\dot{E}_{\text{feed}} = f(\eta \dot{M} c^2) \quad f \approx 5\%$$

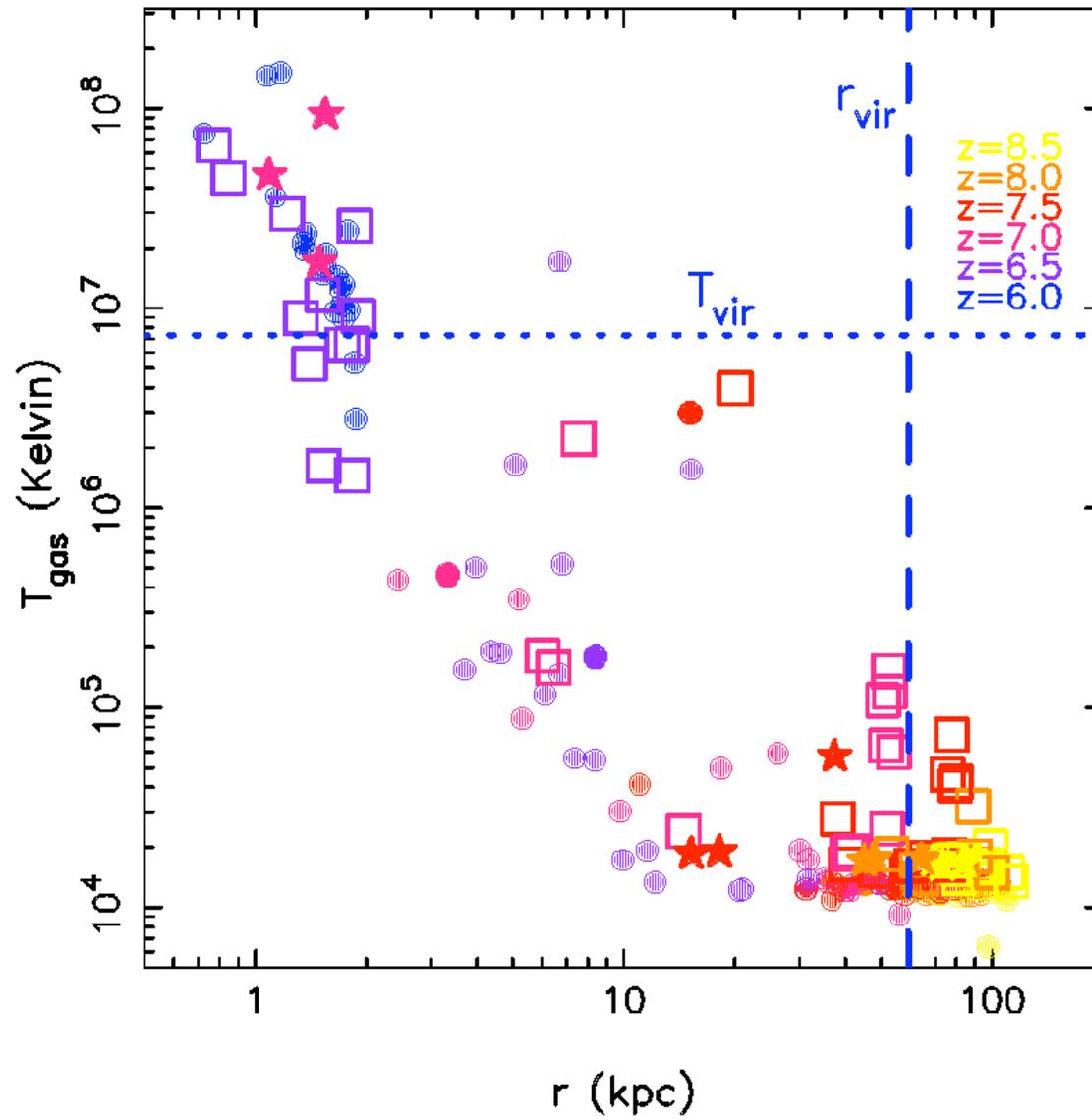




Courtesy of Yu Feng

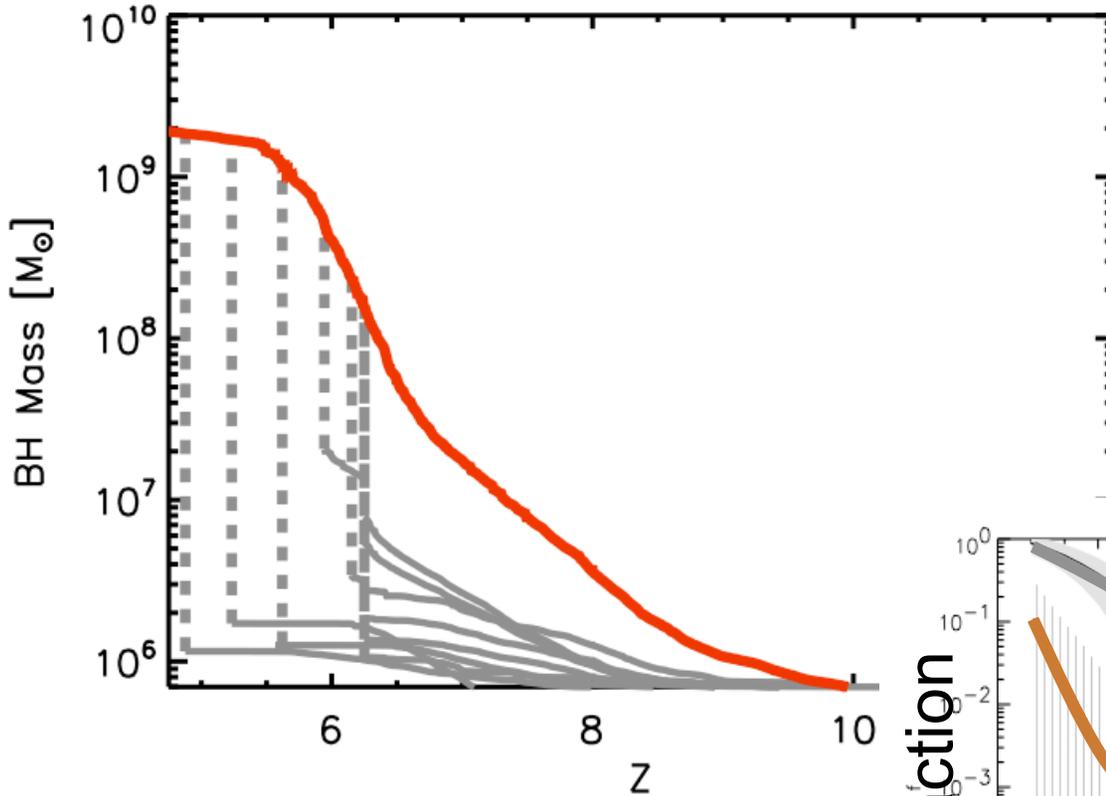


# Cold flows and BH fuelling



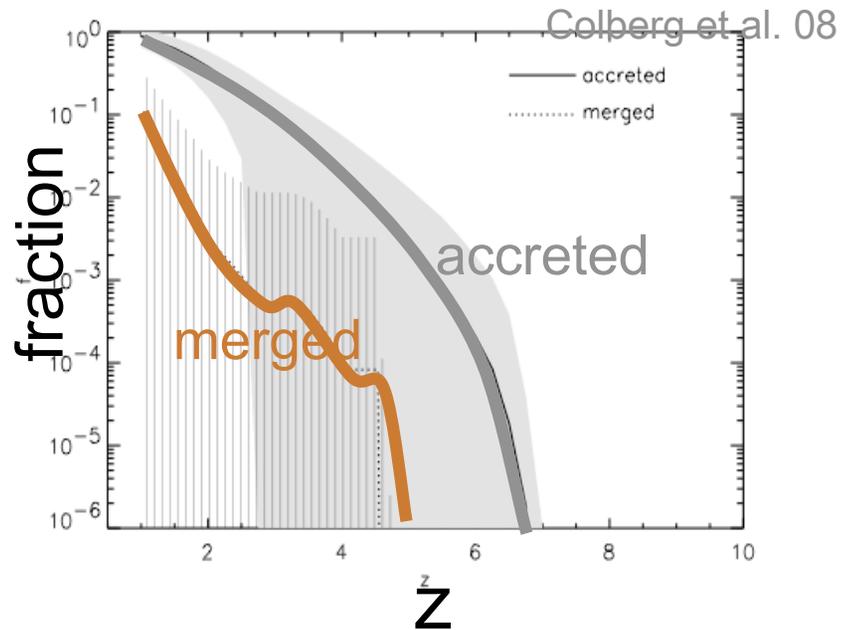


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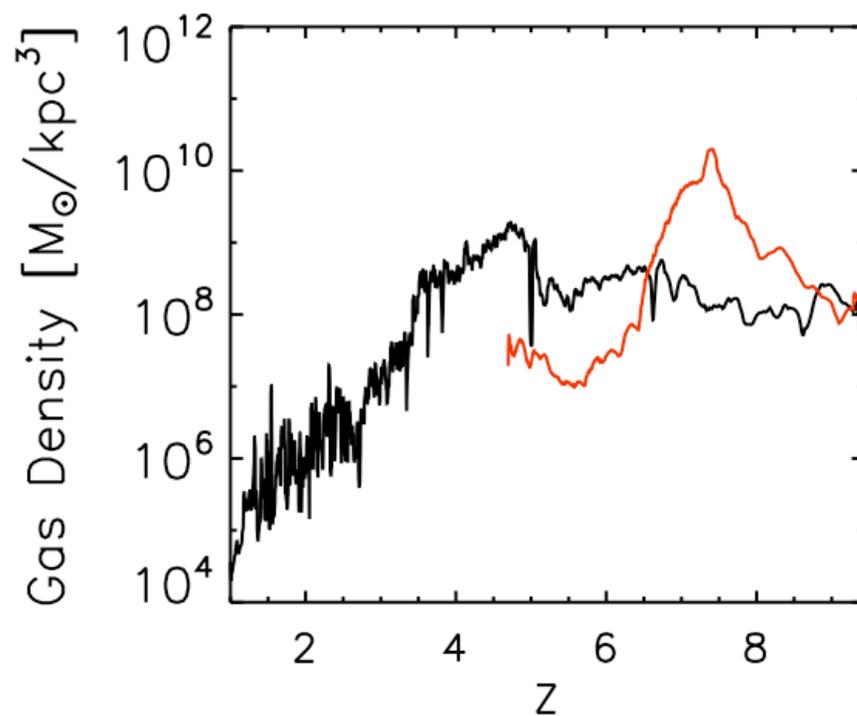
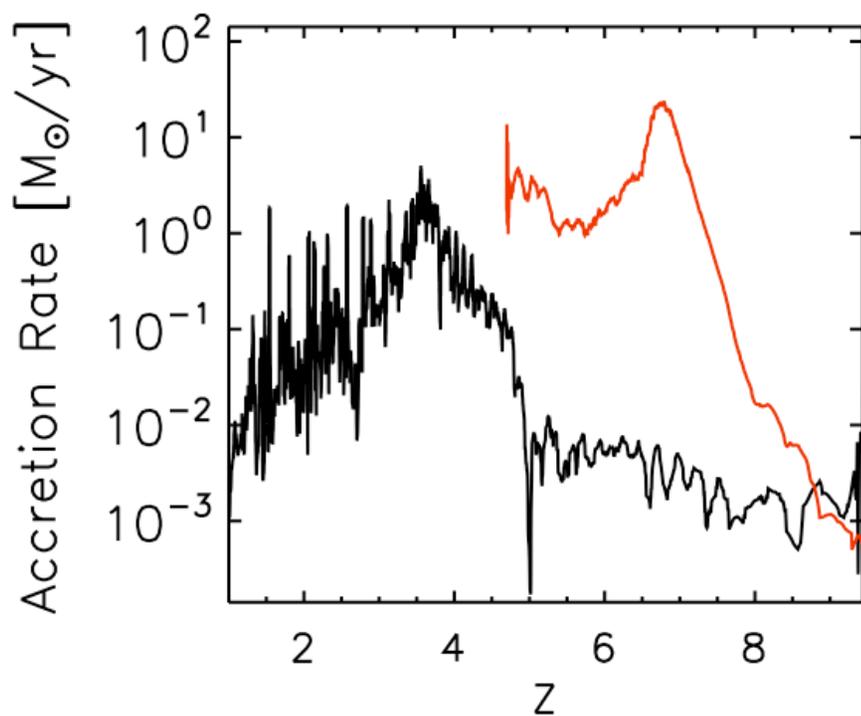
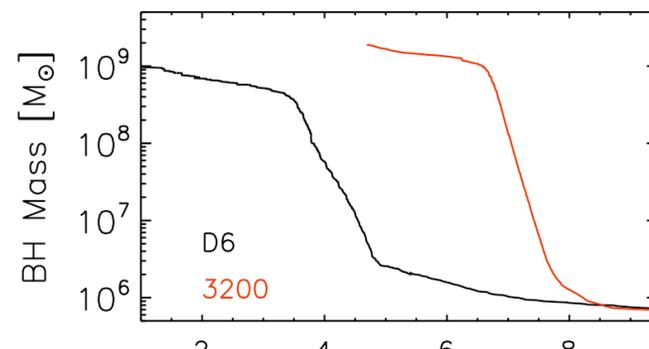


MBH mergers are rare events

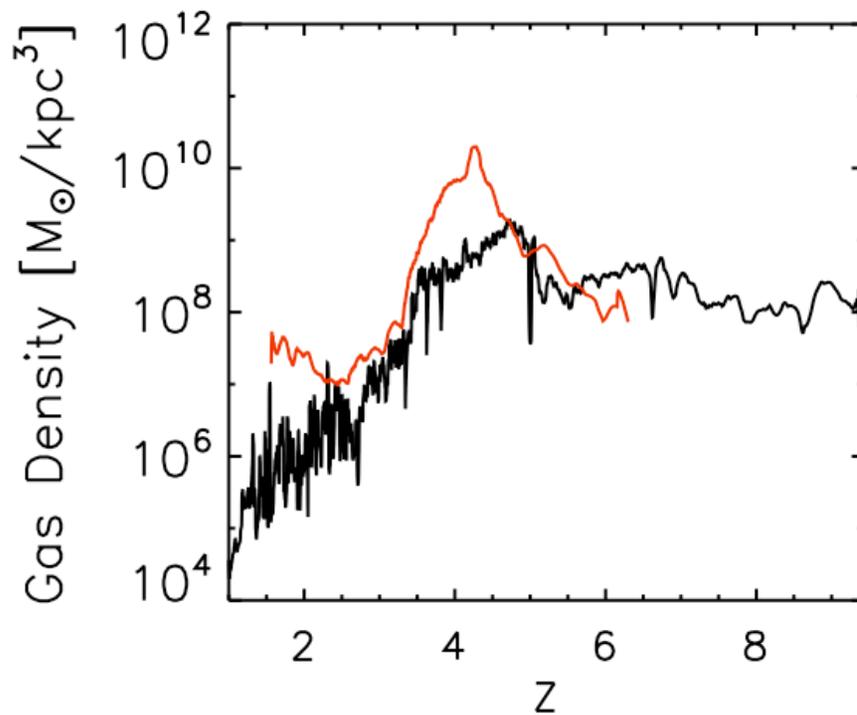
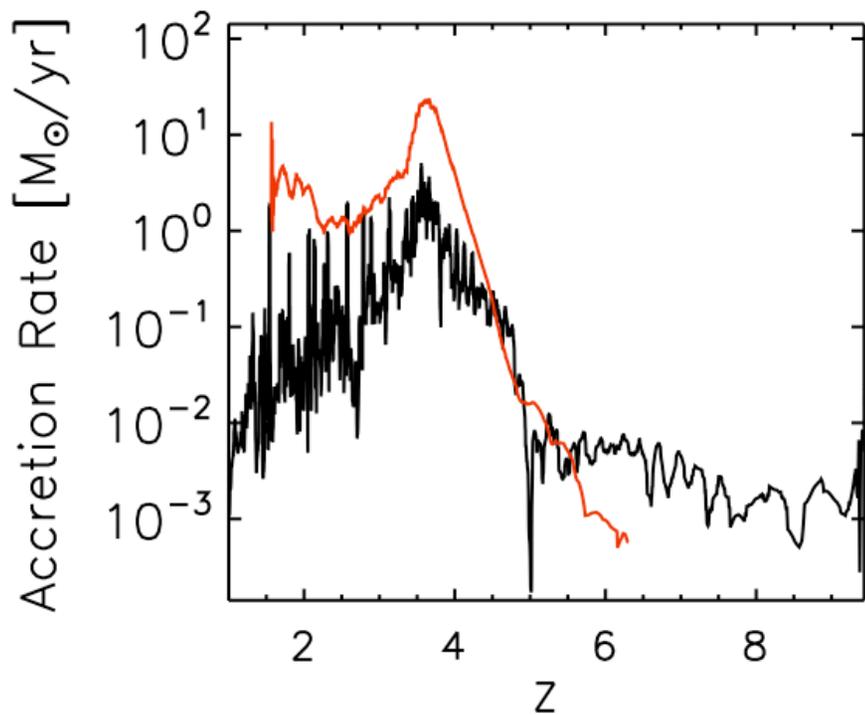
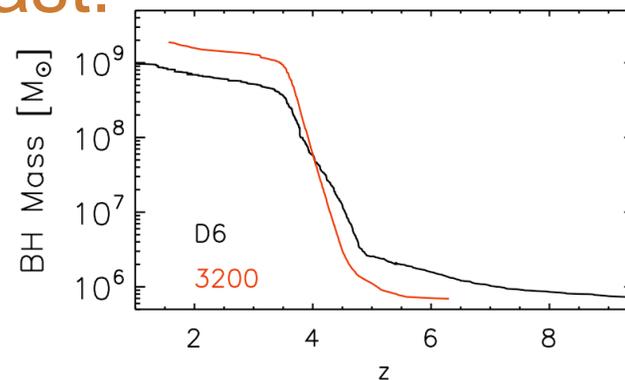
Mass growth dominated by gas accretion (cf. Soltan's argument)



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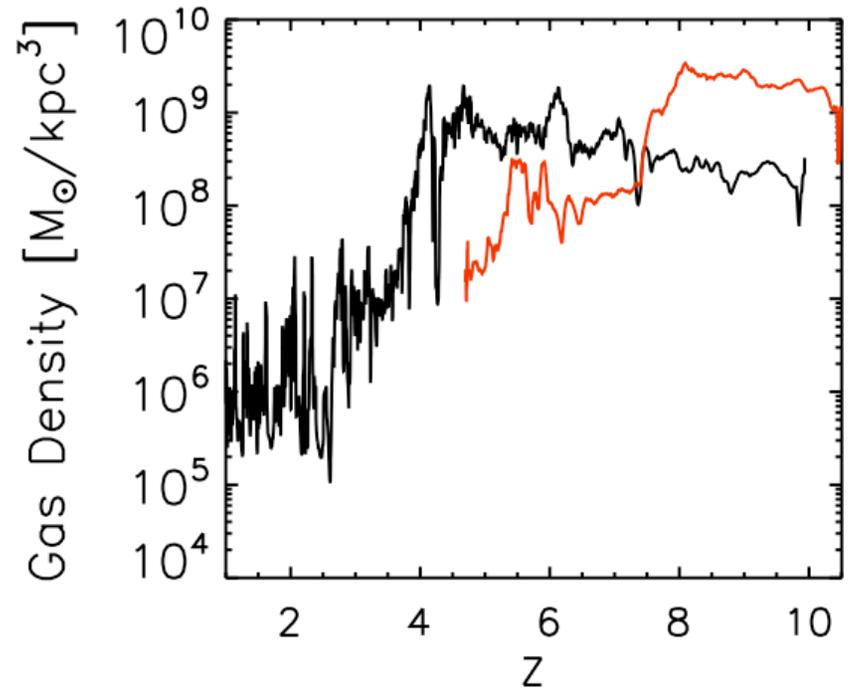
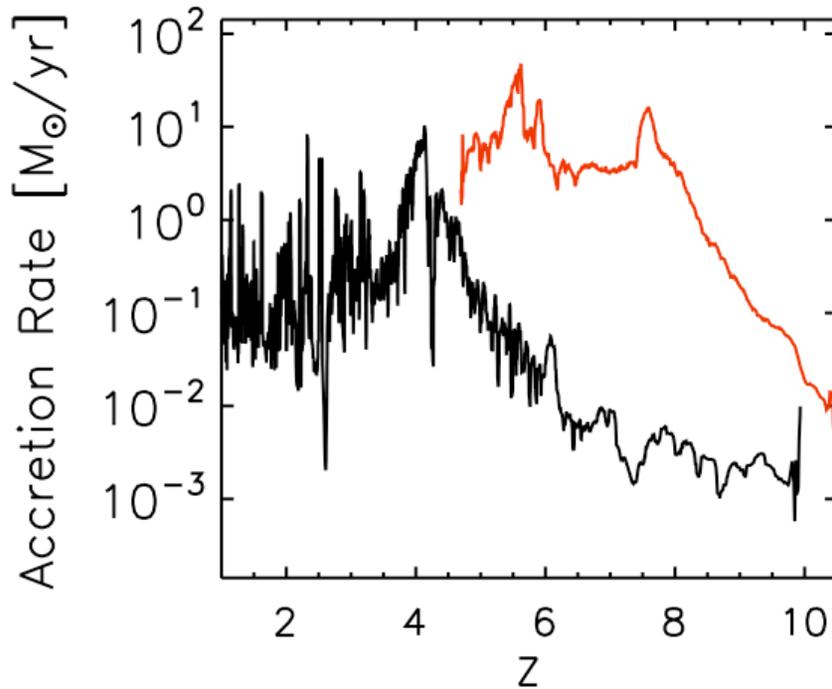
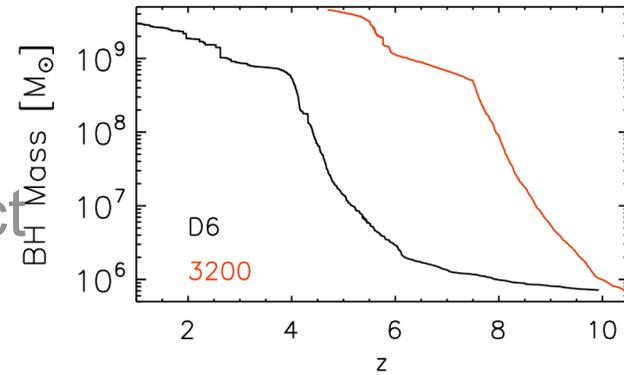


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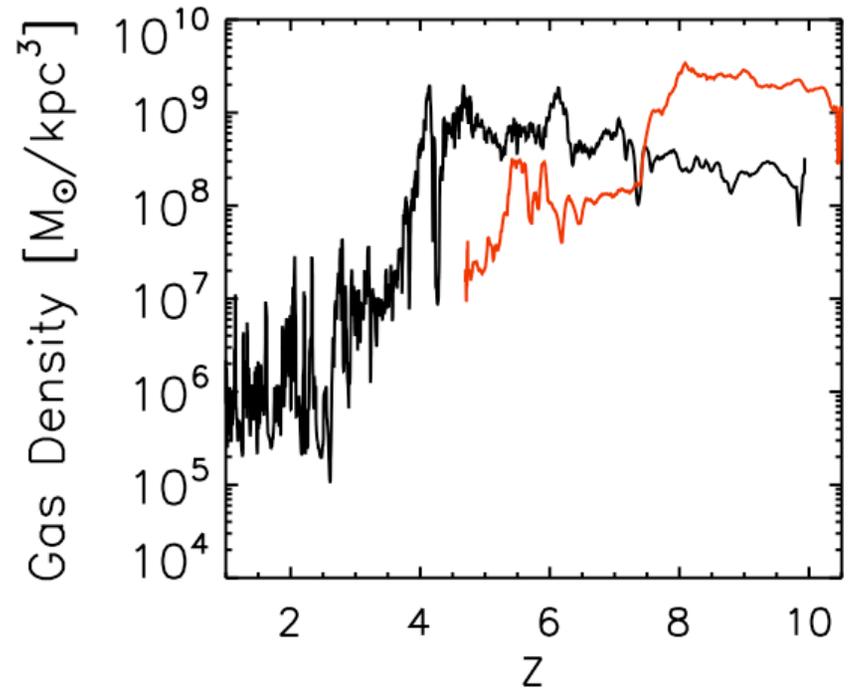
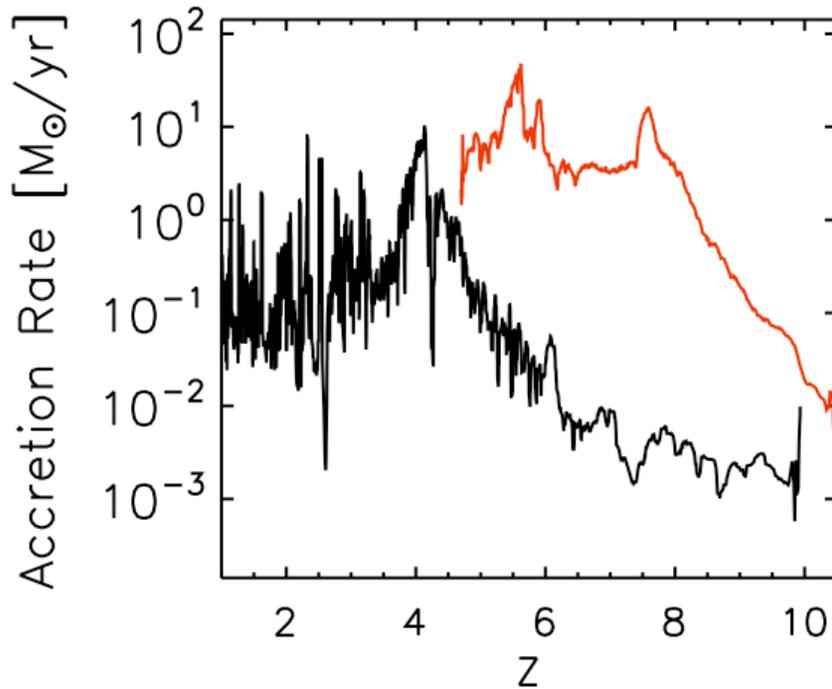
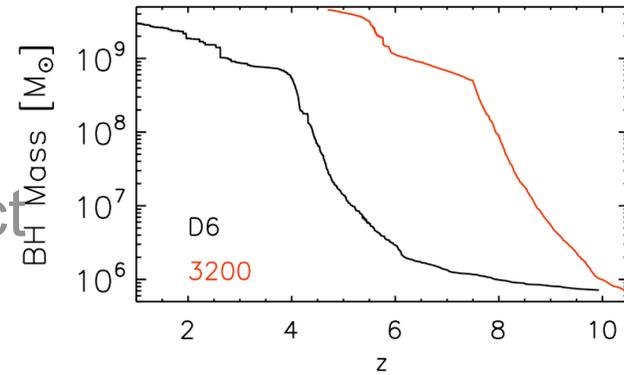
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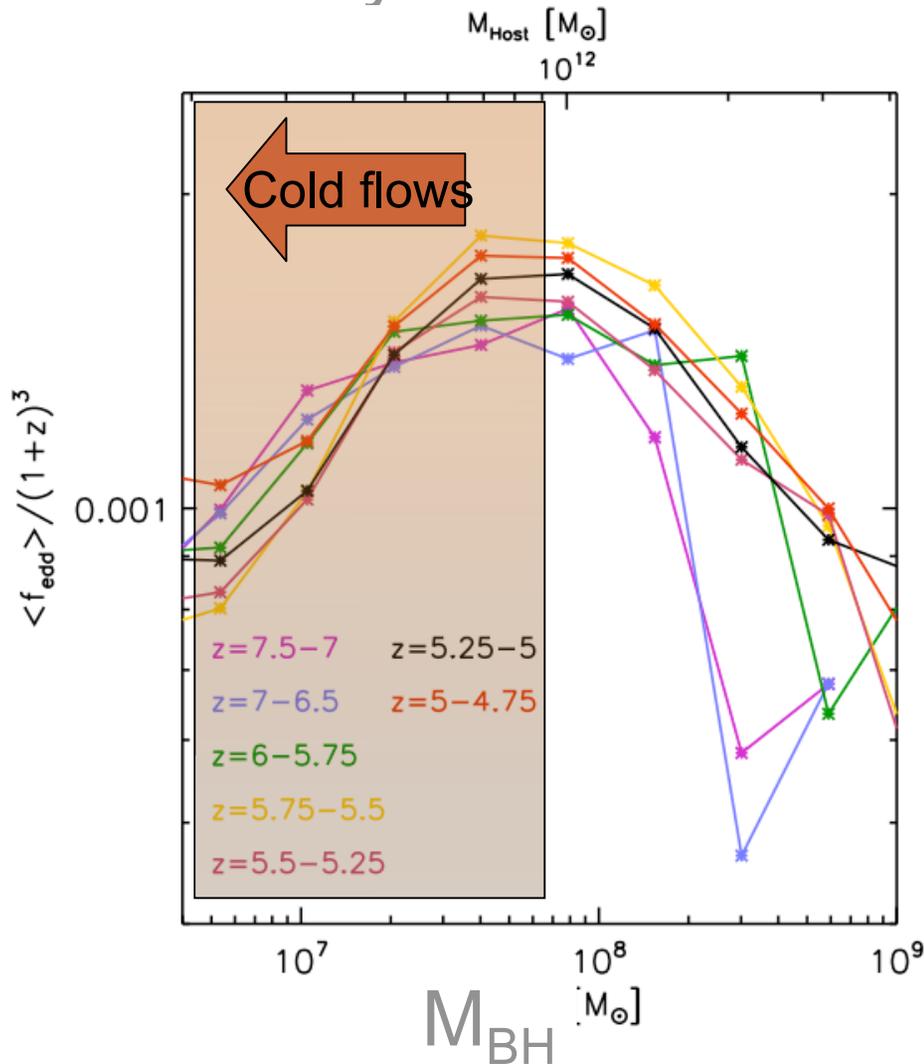
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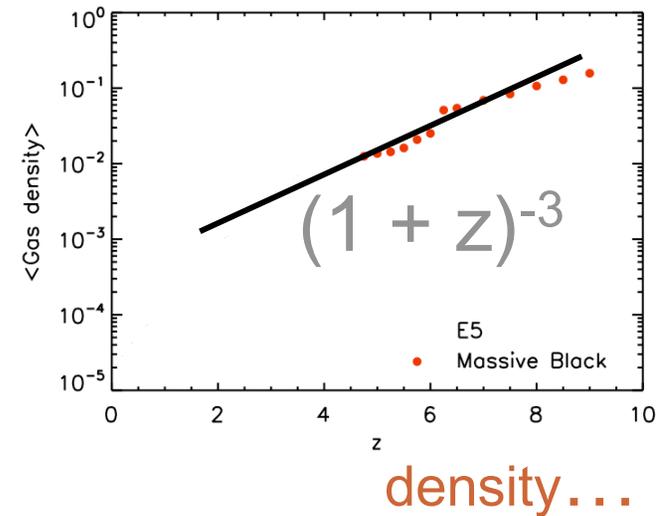


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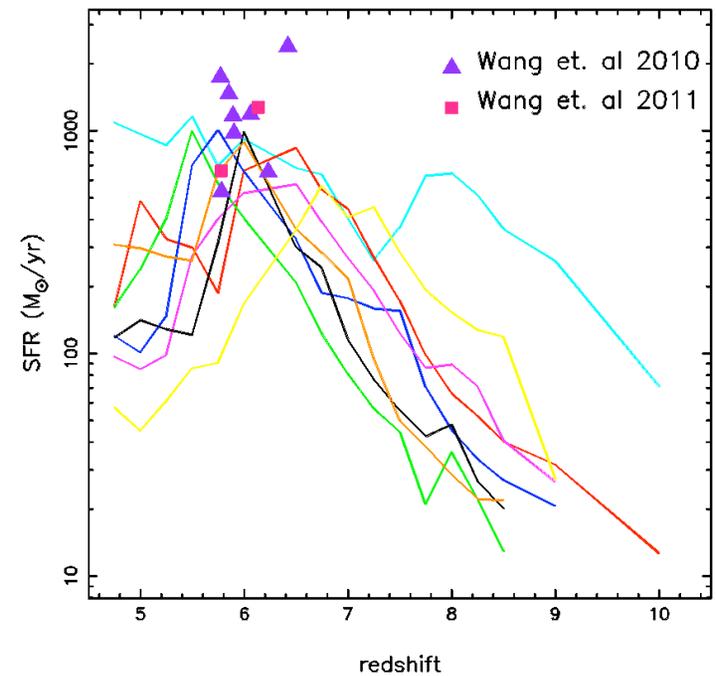
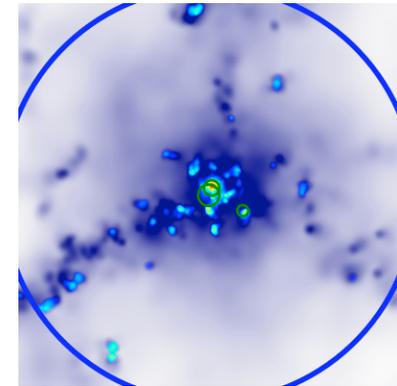
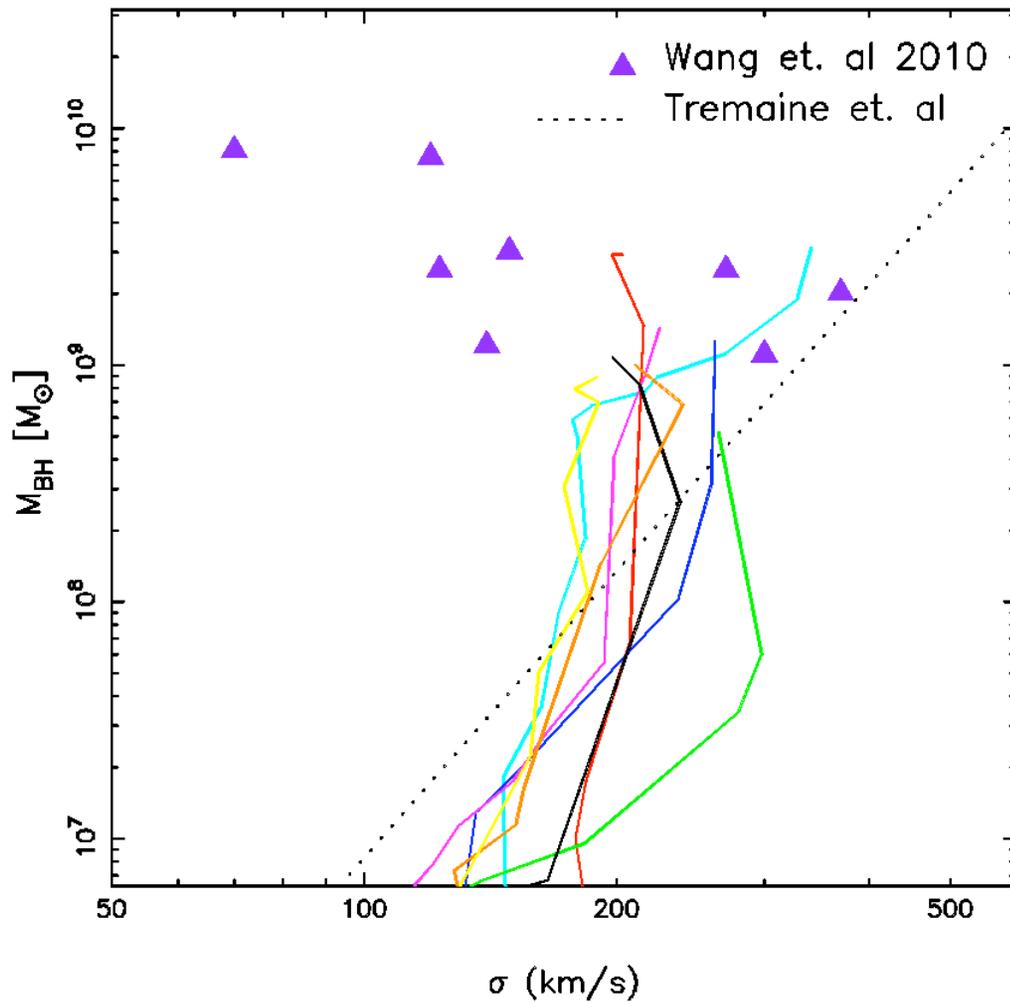
★ cold gas inflow into galaxies (cold flows)



★ Gas outflow due to AGN feedback  $-(M_{\text{bh}}-\sigma)$ !  
....At least for the bulk of the growth

# Z=6 Quasar Hosts: The $M_{\text{BH}}-\sigma$ relation

Khandai et al. 2011



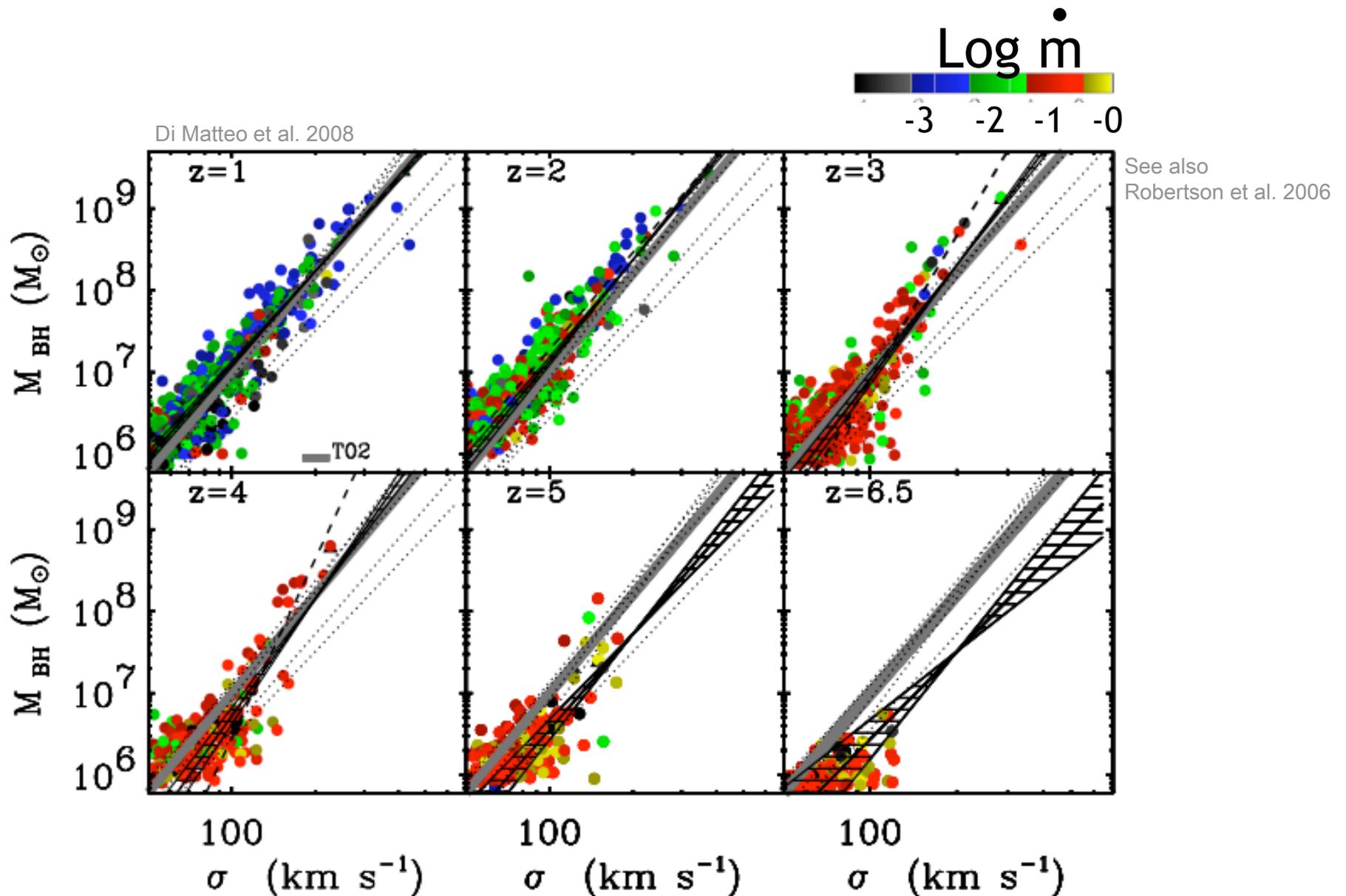
**Black Holes grow first!**



The history of massive black holes  
Assembly evolution, statistical  
properties..

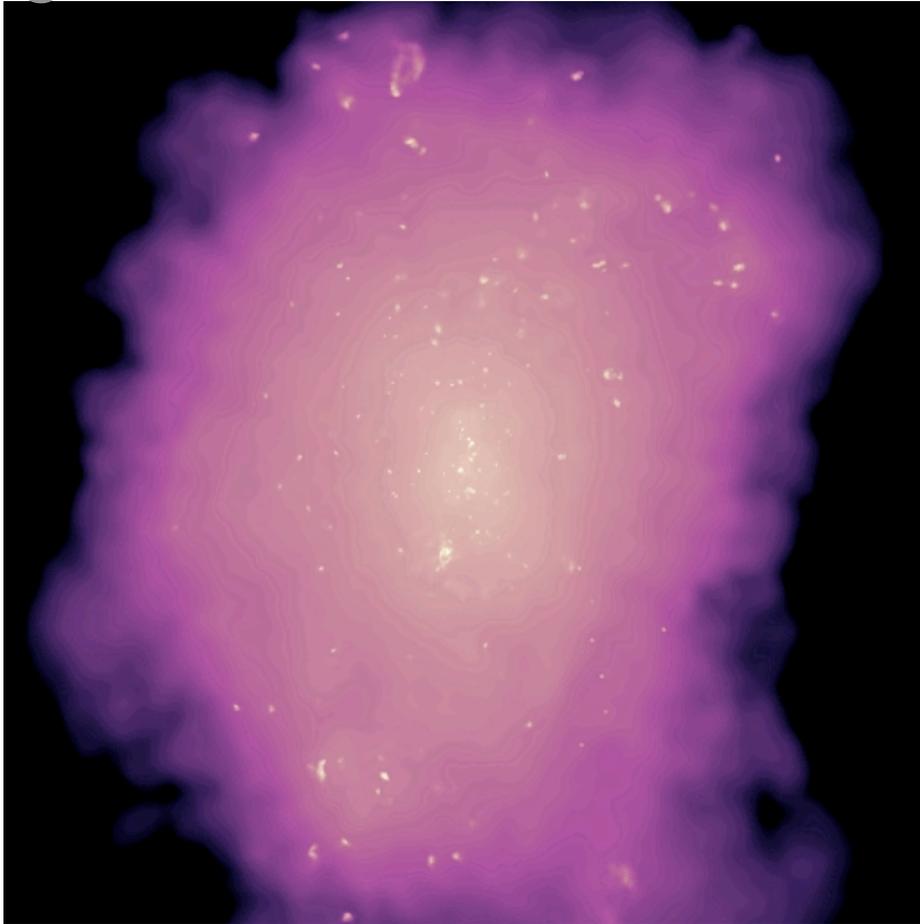
do we get it right?

# The cosmological evolution of the $M_{\text{BH}}\text{-}\sigma$ relation

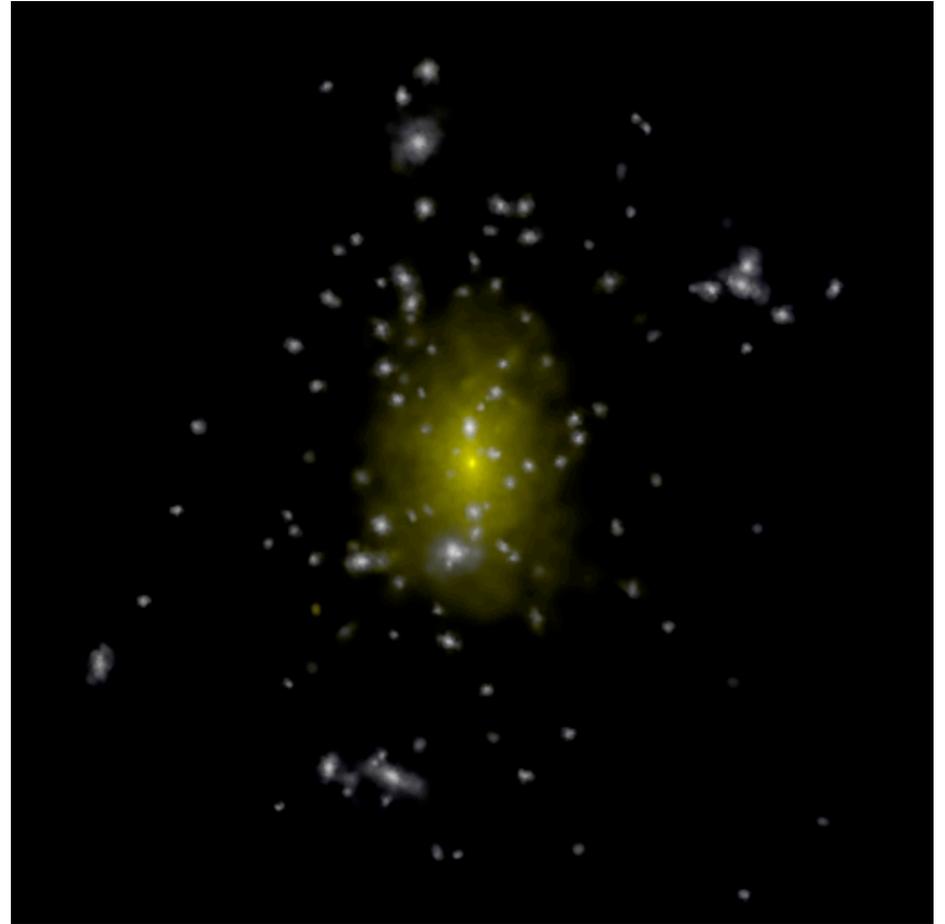


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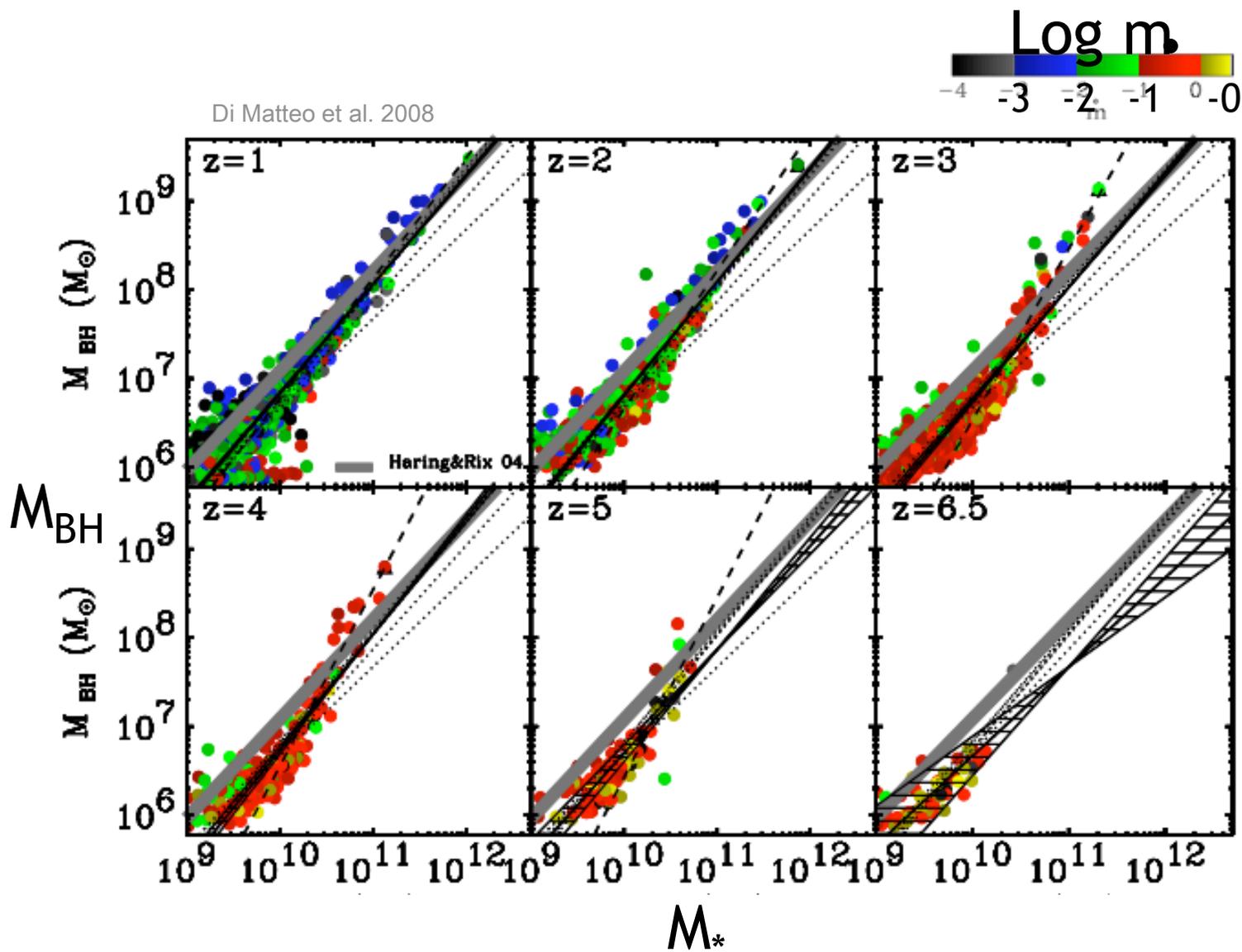
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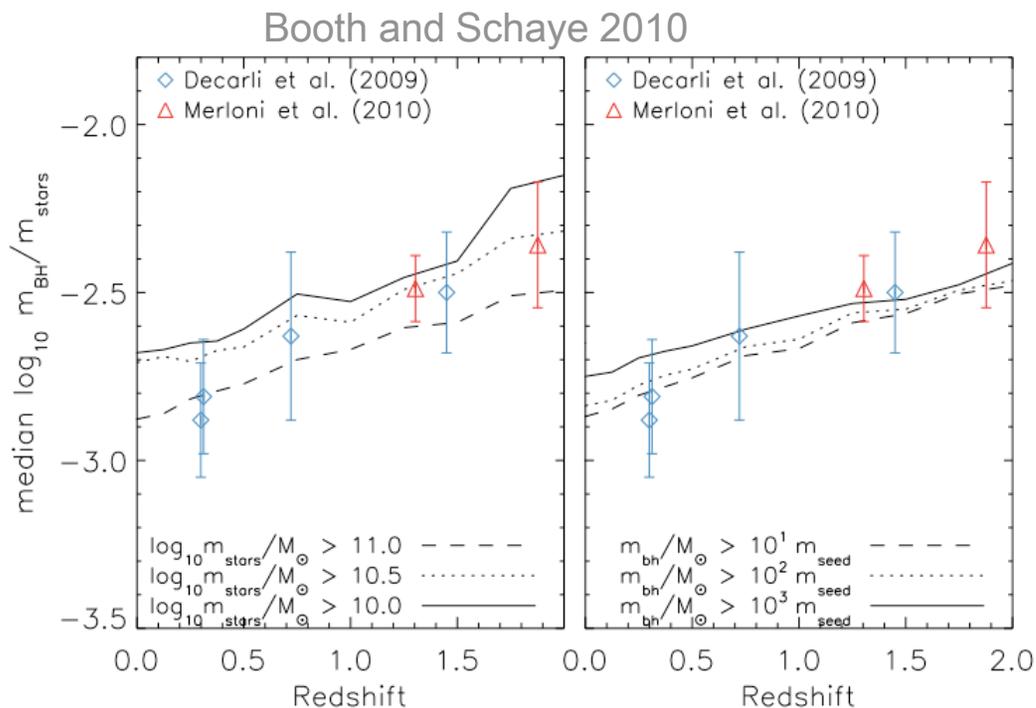
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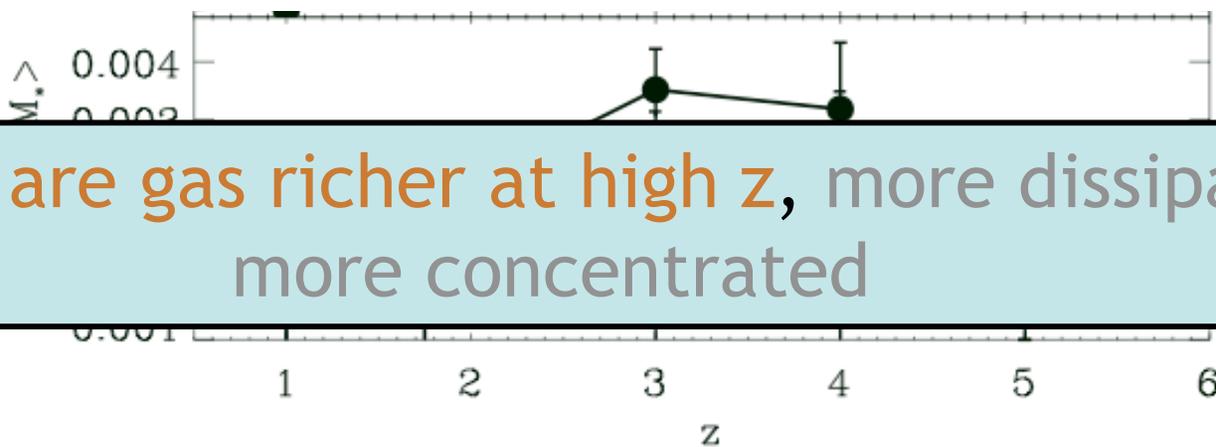
# The cosmological evolution of the $M_{\text{BH}}-M_*$ relation



# What drives the evolution in the $M_{\text{BH}} - M_{\text{star}}$ relation?



$$M_{\text{BH}}/M_* = (1+z)^{0.5}$$

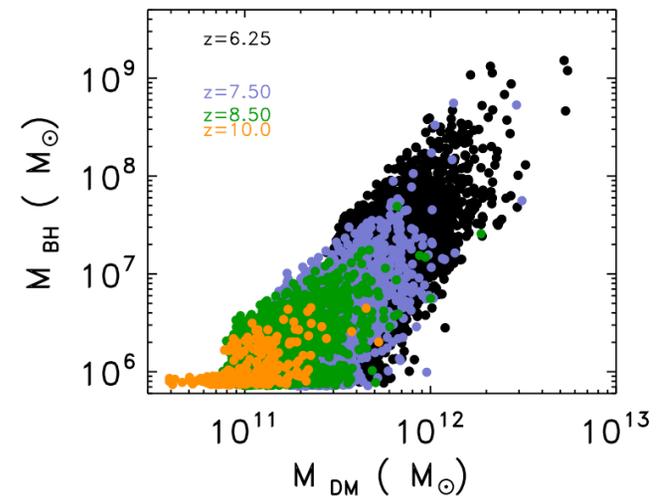
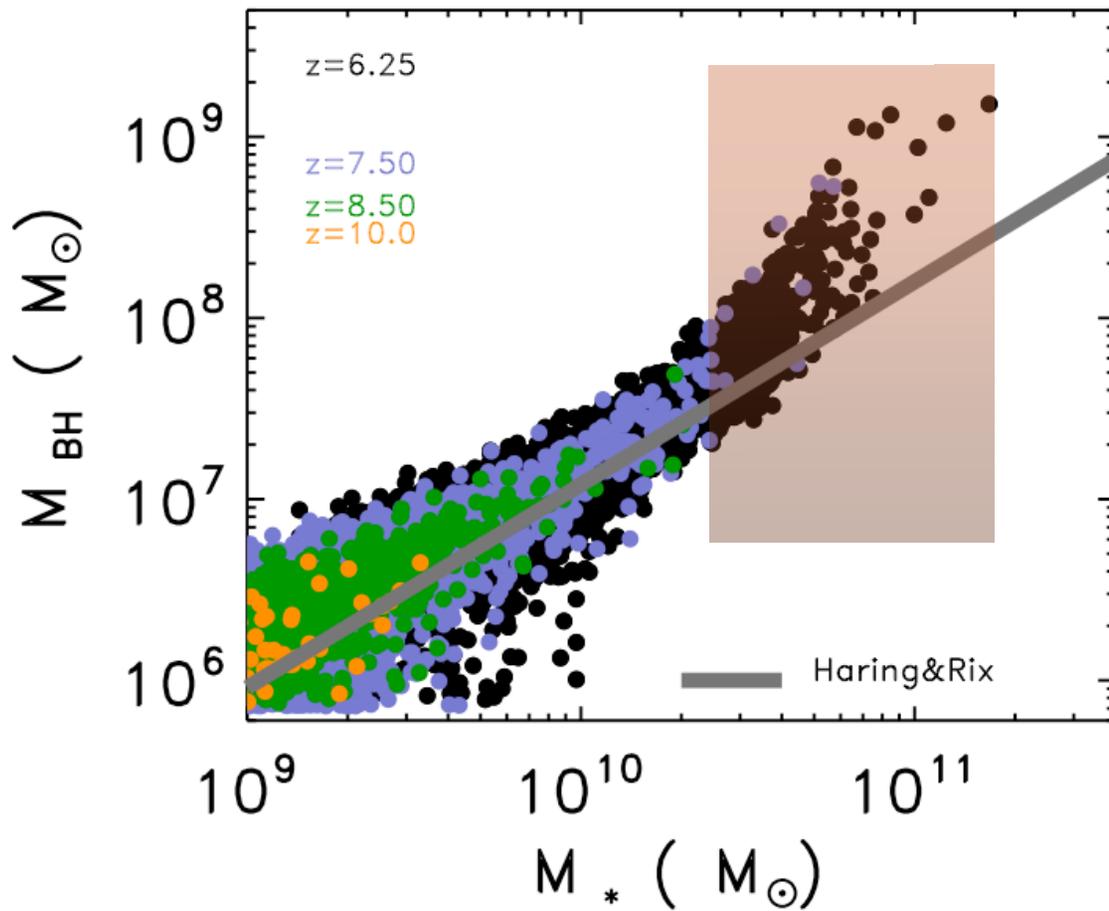


Halos are gas richer at high  $z$ , more dissipational,  
more concentrated

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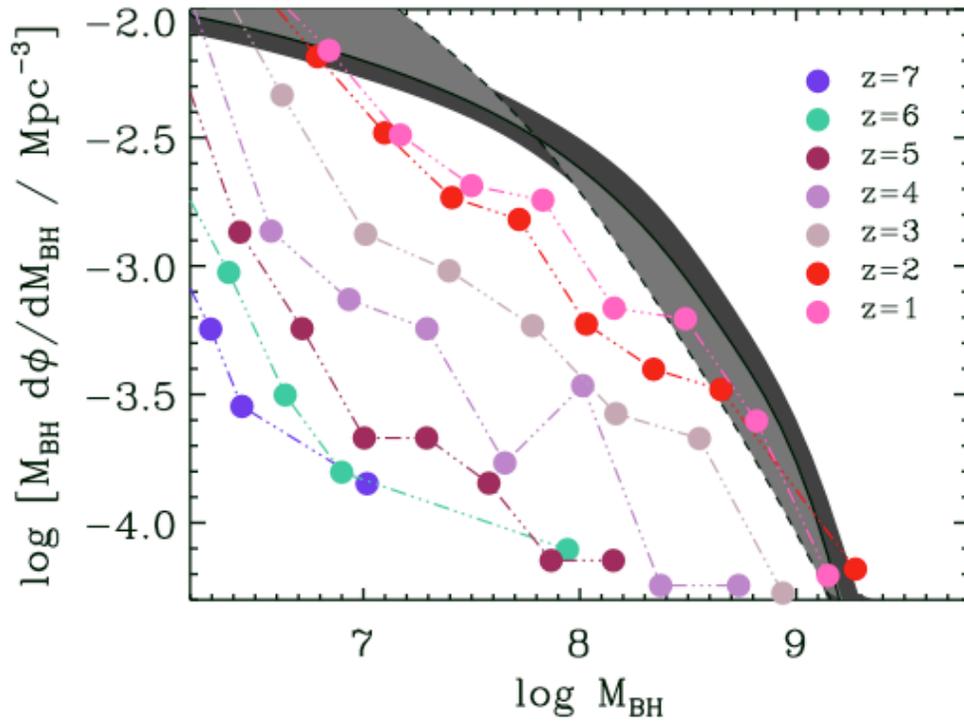
# MBH vs $M^*$

## Black holes grow first

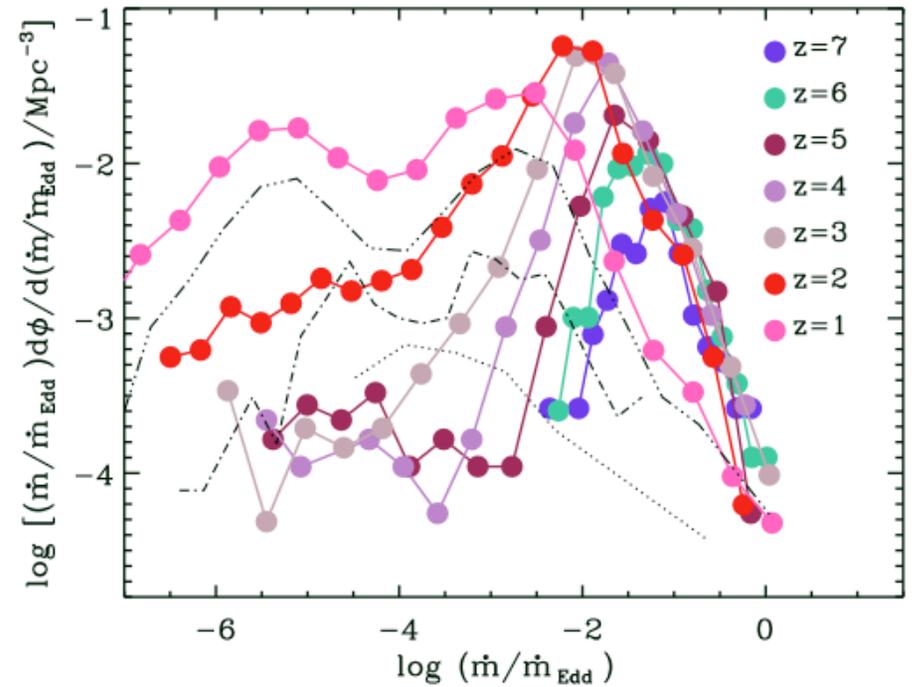


# 'BH downsizing'

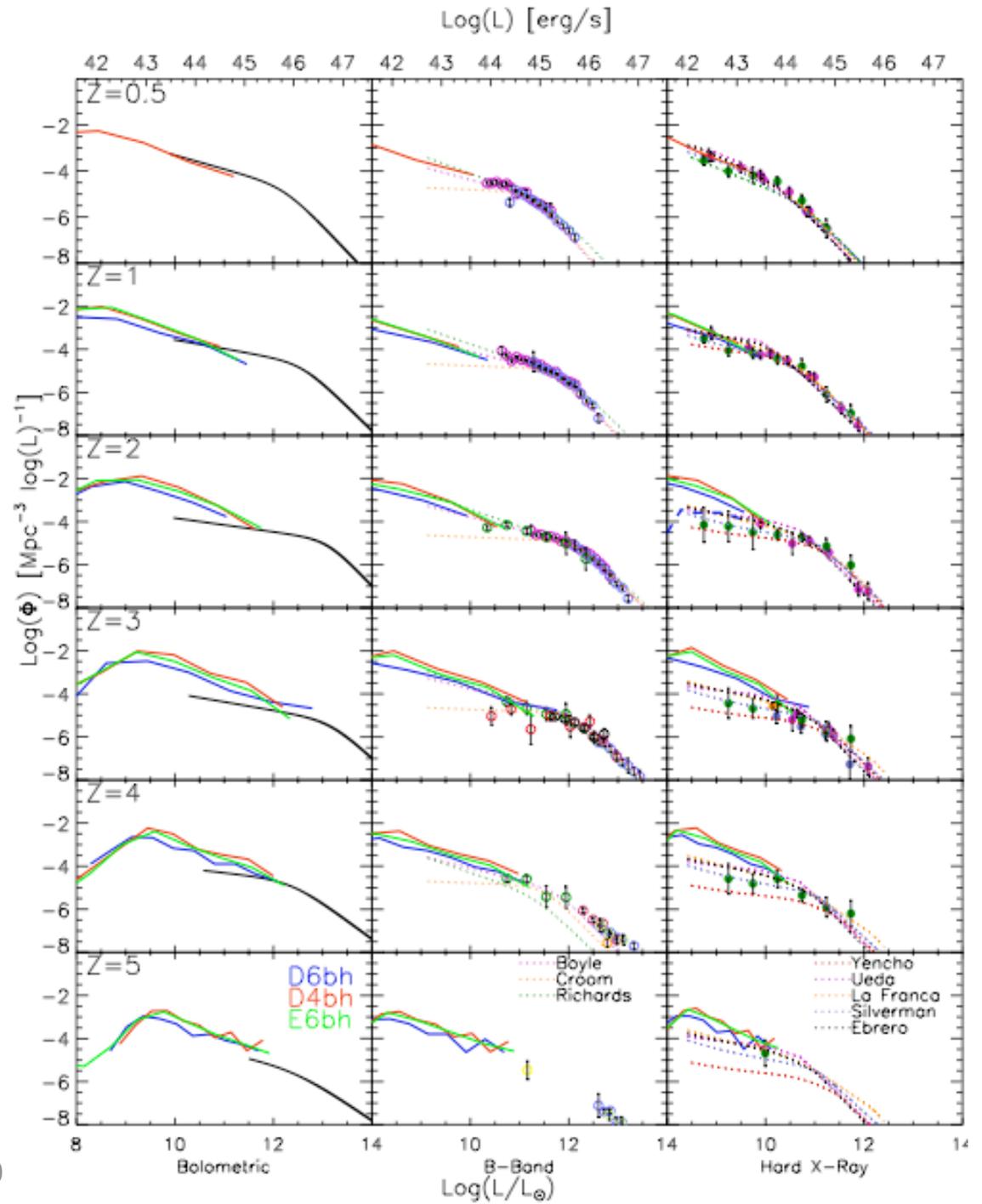
BH mass function



BH accretion function

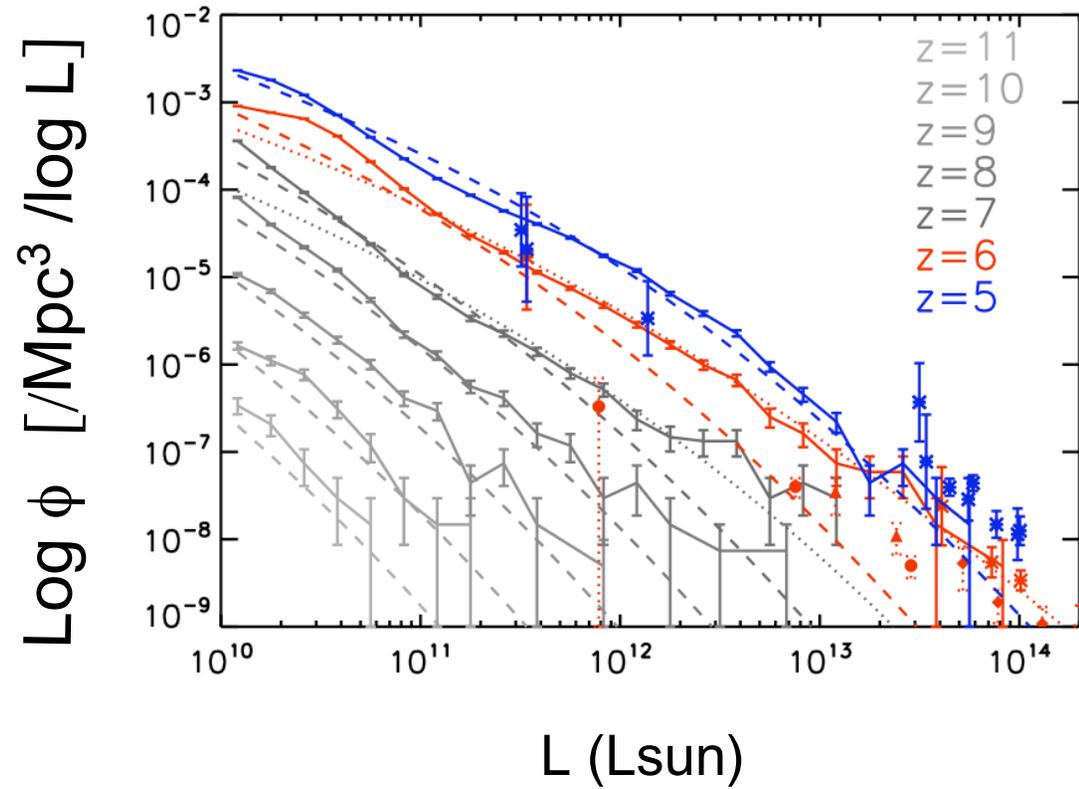


# AGN luminosity function



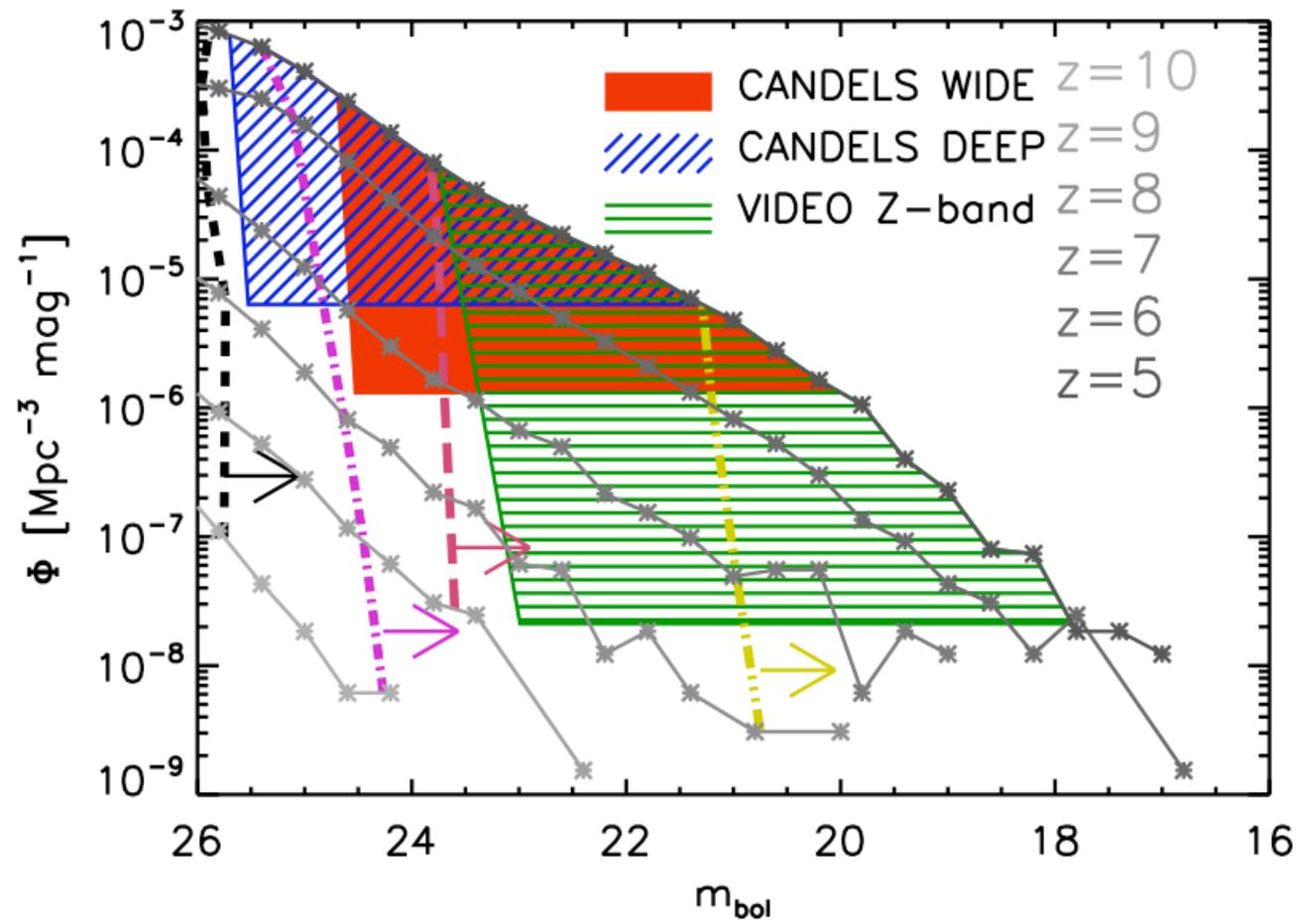
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DeGraf et al. 2011



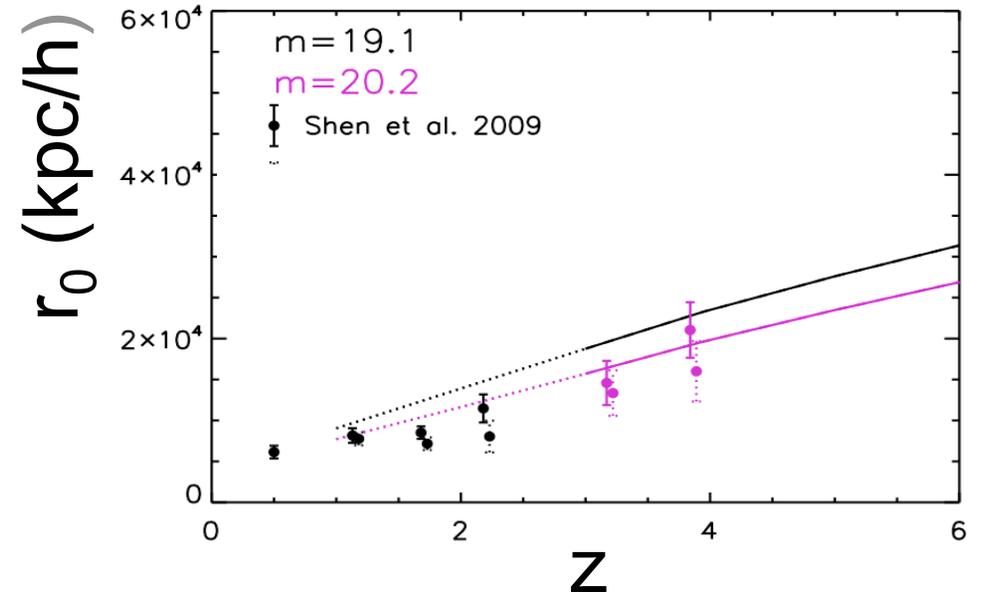
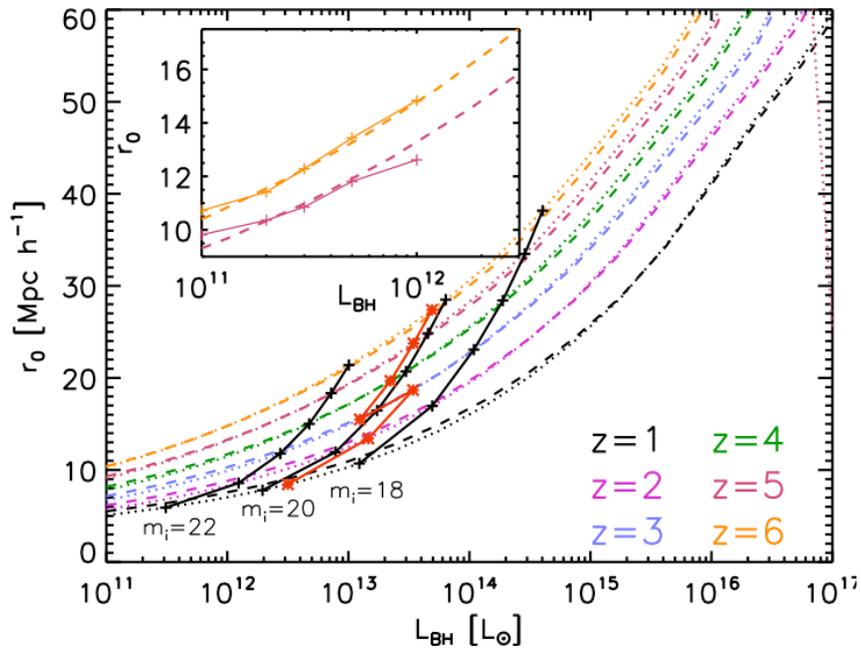
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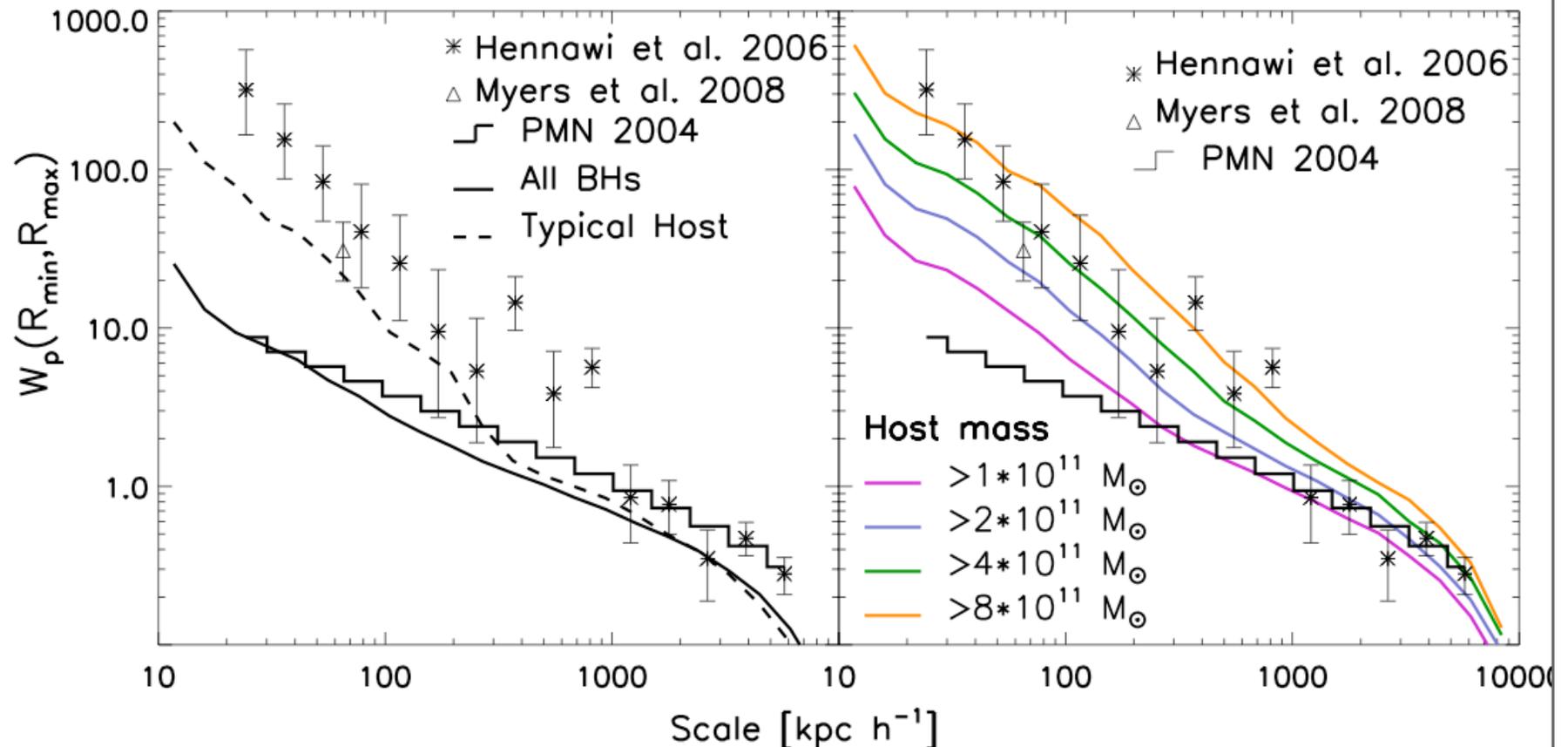


# Quasar clustering: Large scales

DeGraf et al. 2011



# Quasar clustering: small scales

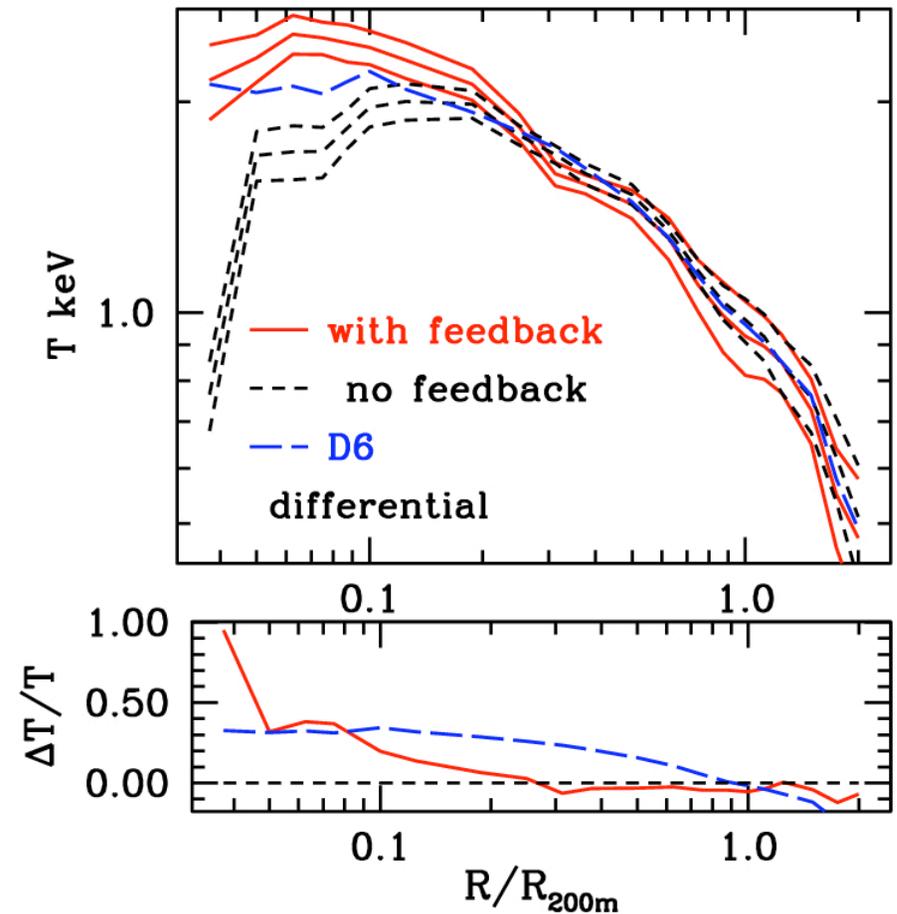
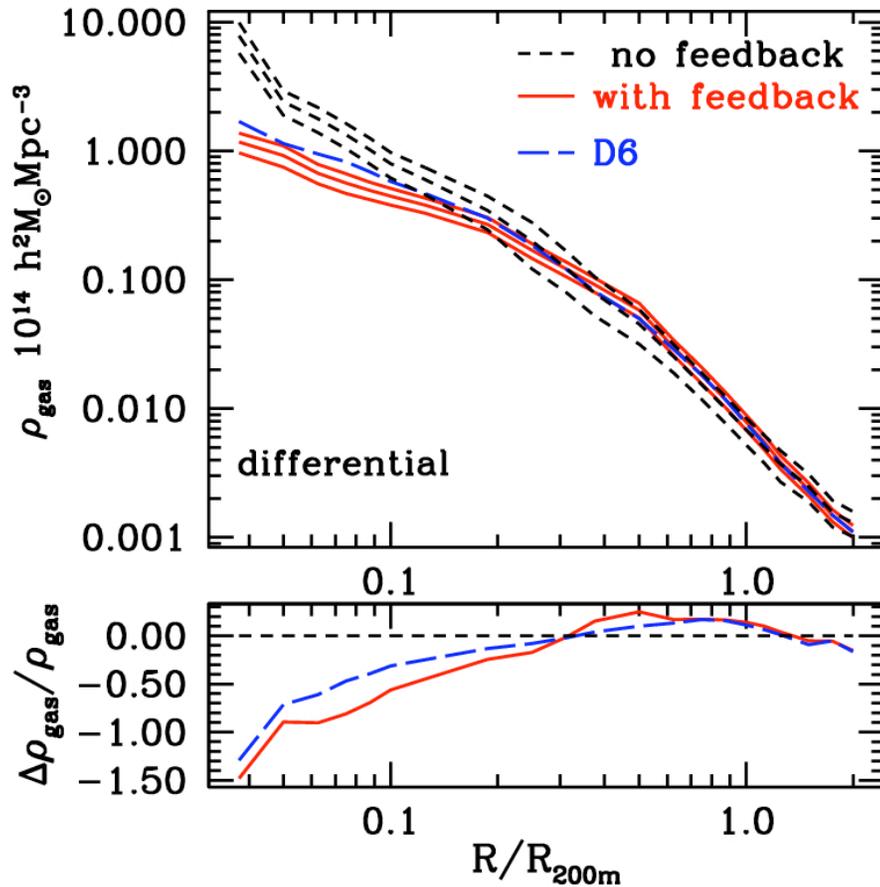


Small scale excess: evidence for **multiple BHs** within halos, e.g. mergers

# Galaxy Clusters and AGN feedback

# AGN feedback and its effects on groups/clusters

Bhattacharya, DM, Kosowsky, 2008



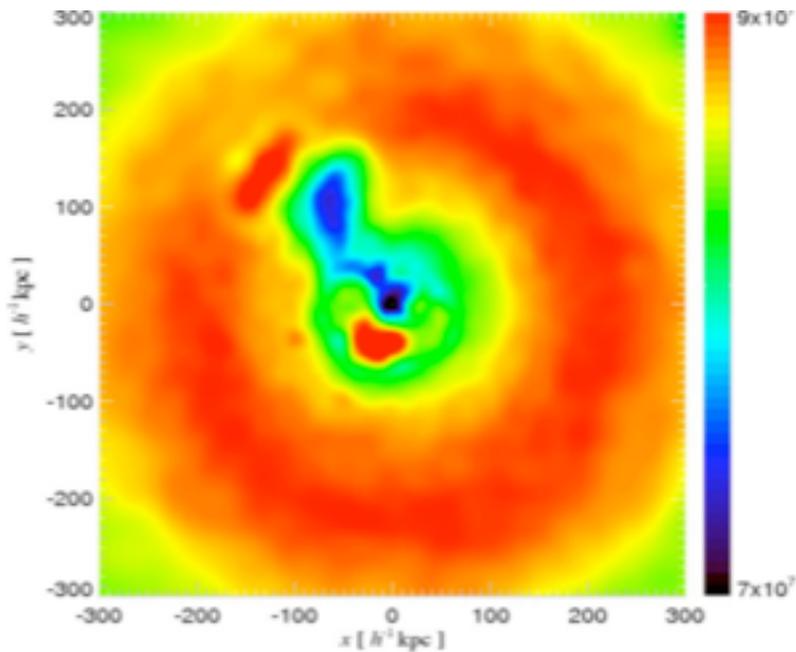
Entropy enhanced in the inner regions!

# Cosmological Simulations of AGN heated clusters

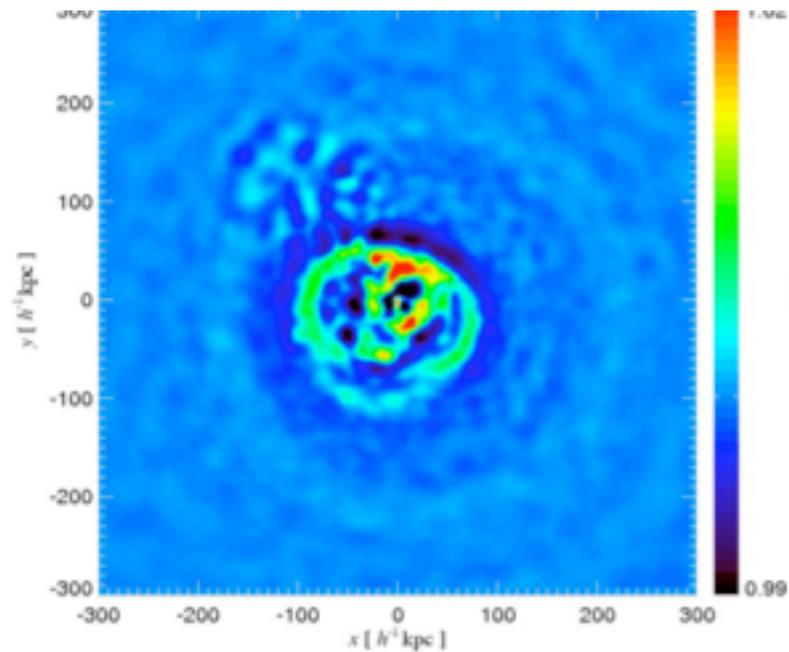
Sijacki+07

“Radio” feedback:

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

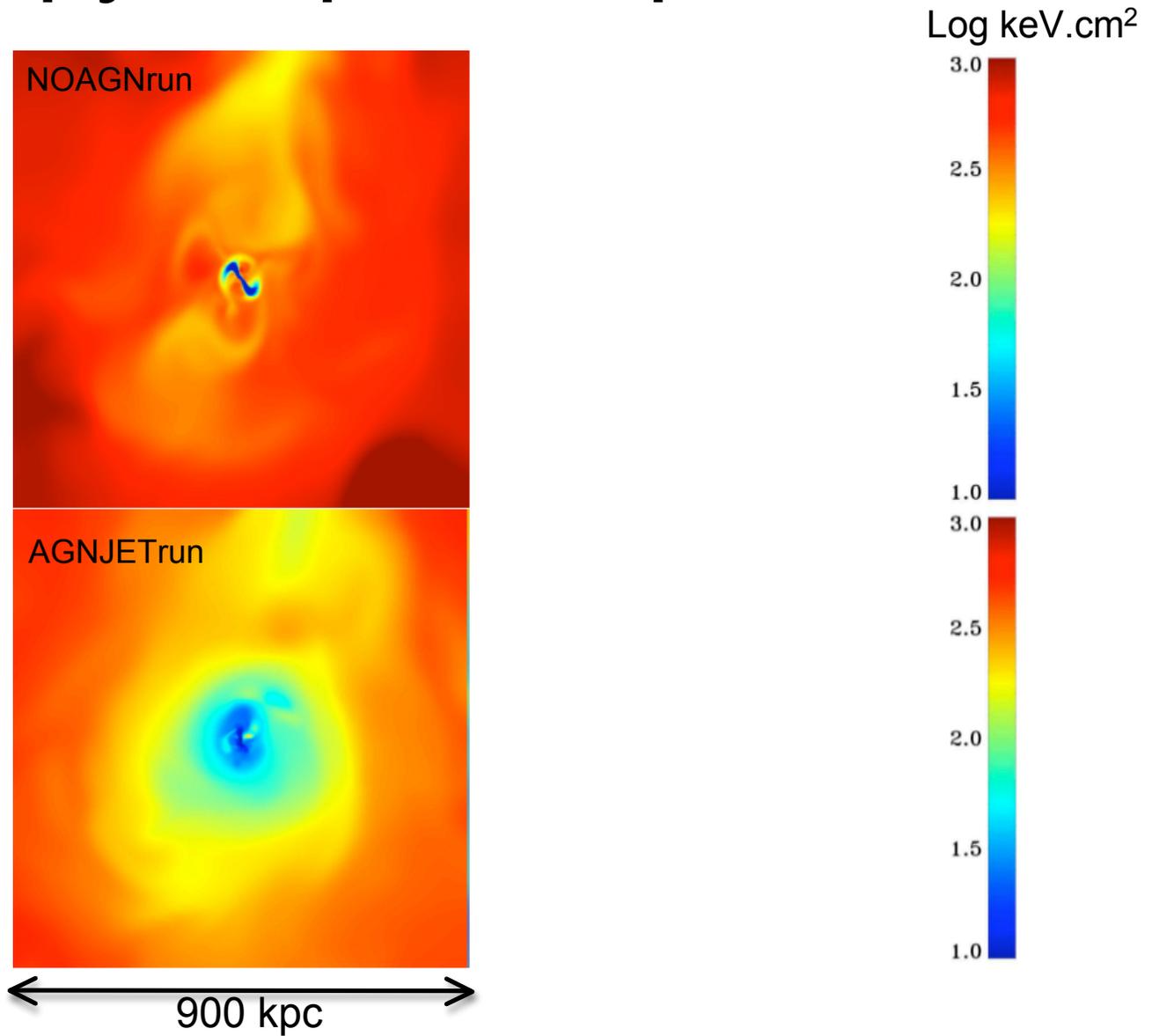


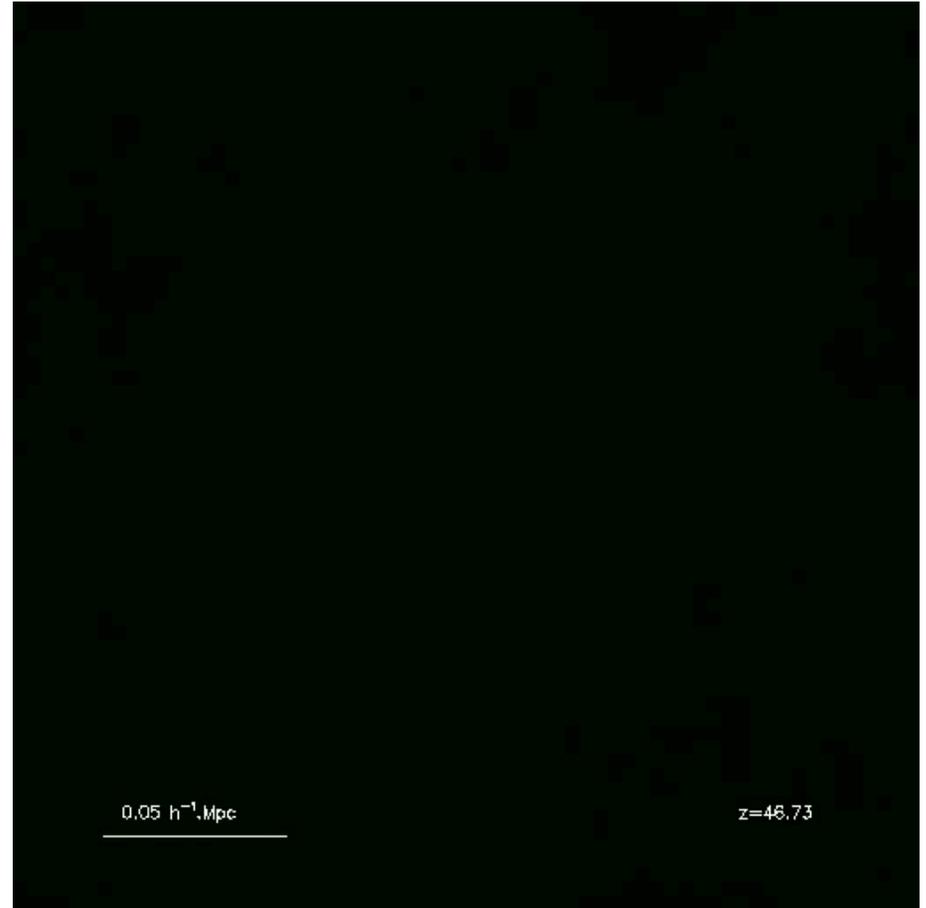
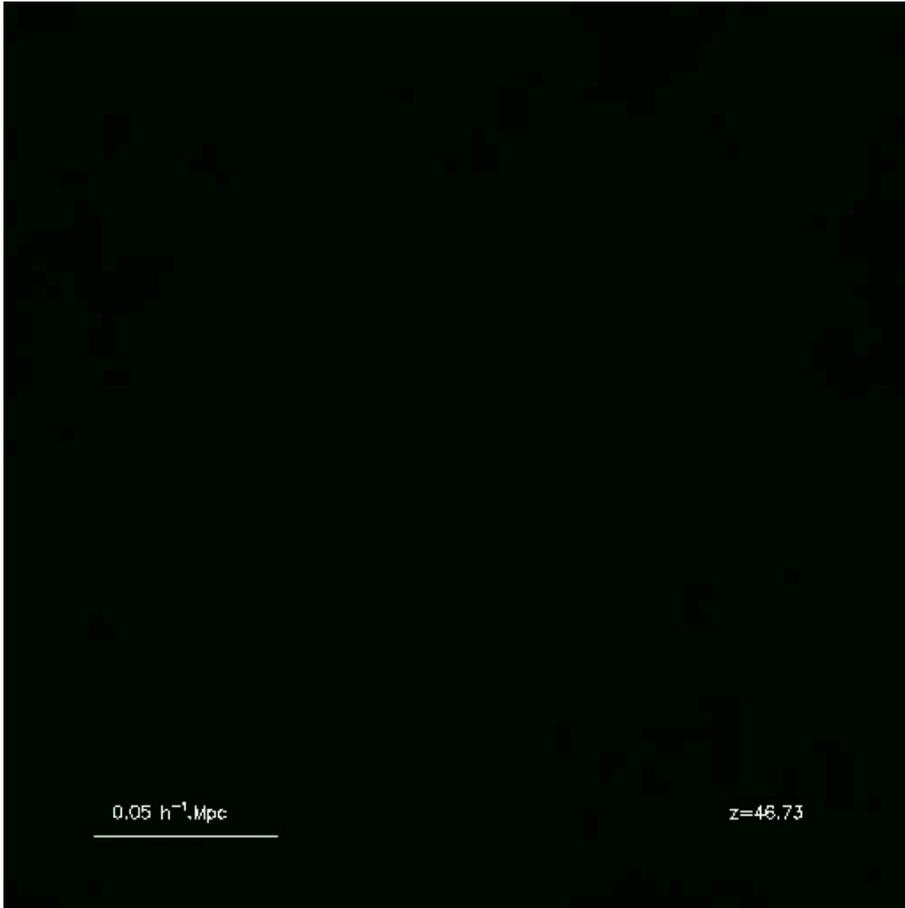
TEMPERATURE MAPS



PRESSURE MAPS

# Entropy maps comparison

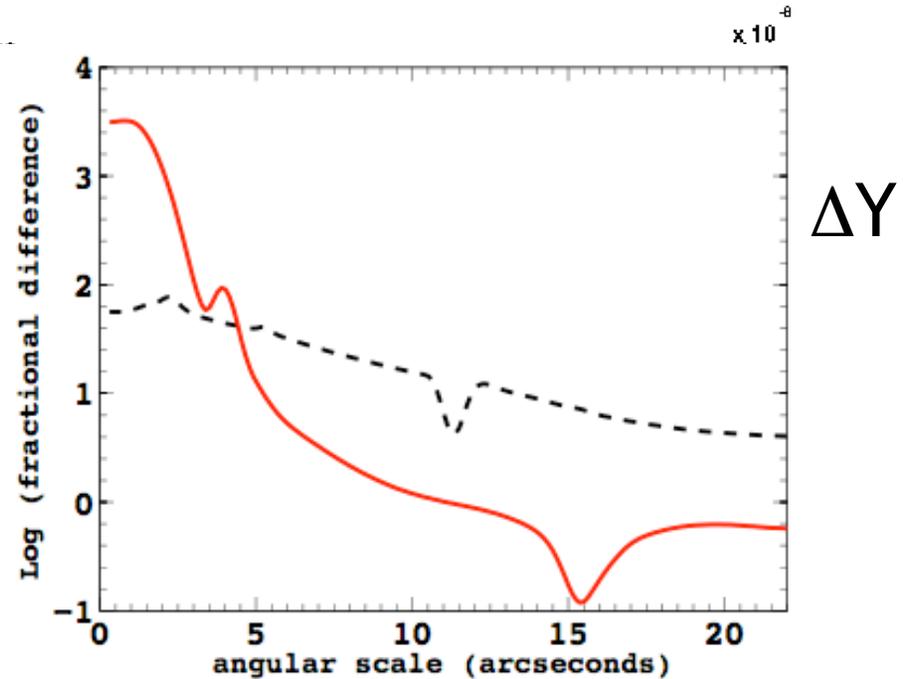
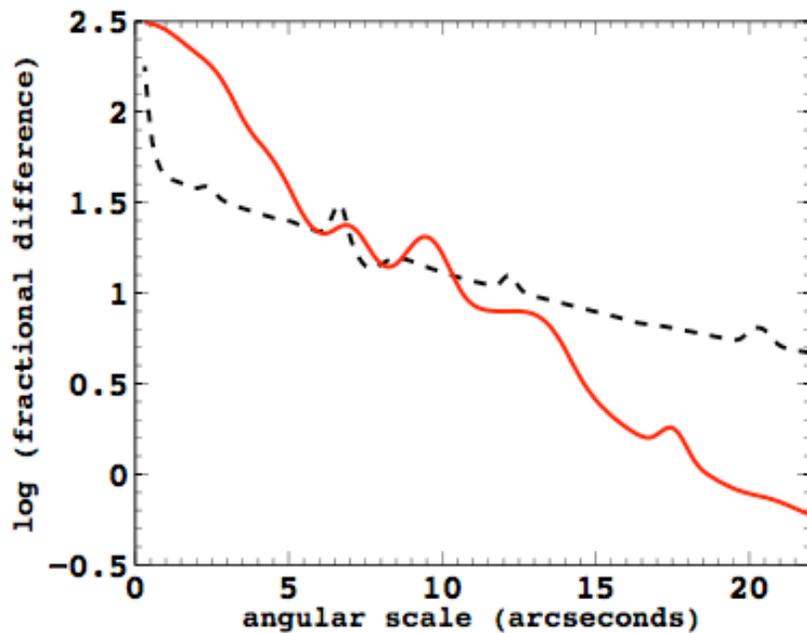




Teyssier, Dubois,  
Slyz, Devrient

# The AGN feedback and its SZ effect: Direct detection?

Chatterjee, DM, Kosowsky, '08.



Quasar feedback heats the gas around the BHs  
Leading to SZ directly detectable by ALMA and CCAT

# Summary & Conclusions:

1. We have included BHs in simulations of LCDM -  
in a sub-resolution model
2. First quasars, the BH population LFs, clustering  
and  $M$ -sigma relation

Large scale /environments **gas inflows** regulate  
**Growth/AGN triggering**

AGN Feedback  **$M$ -sigma** - sets **gas outflow** -  
BH mass 'normalized' energy unbinds gas

3. BH feedback affects clusters and galaxy colors

# First Massive black holes, $z=6$ quasars

- **where:** first MBH grow in biased regions
- **how:** Critical accretion can be sustained due to cold gas accretion during first large halo formation
- MBHs grows 'first'

**Need full hydro cosmological simulation to attempt this**