

WDM and Galaxy Formation

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Outline

“Ab Initio” Galaxy Formation in DM dominated Universe

- Power Spectrum
- Free Streaming Scale
- Connecting baryon physics to DM haloes: semi-analytic models

Galaxy Formation in Cold Dark Matter:

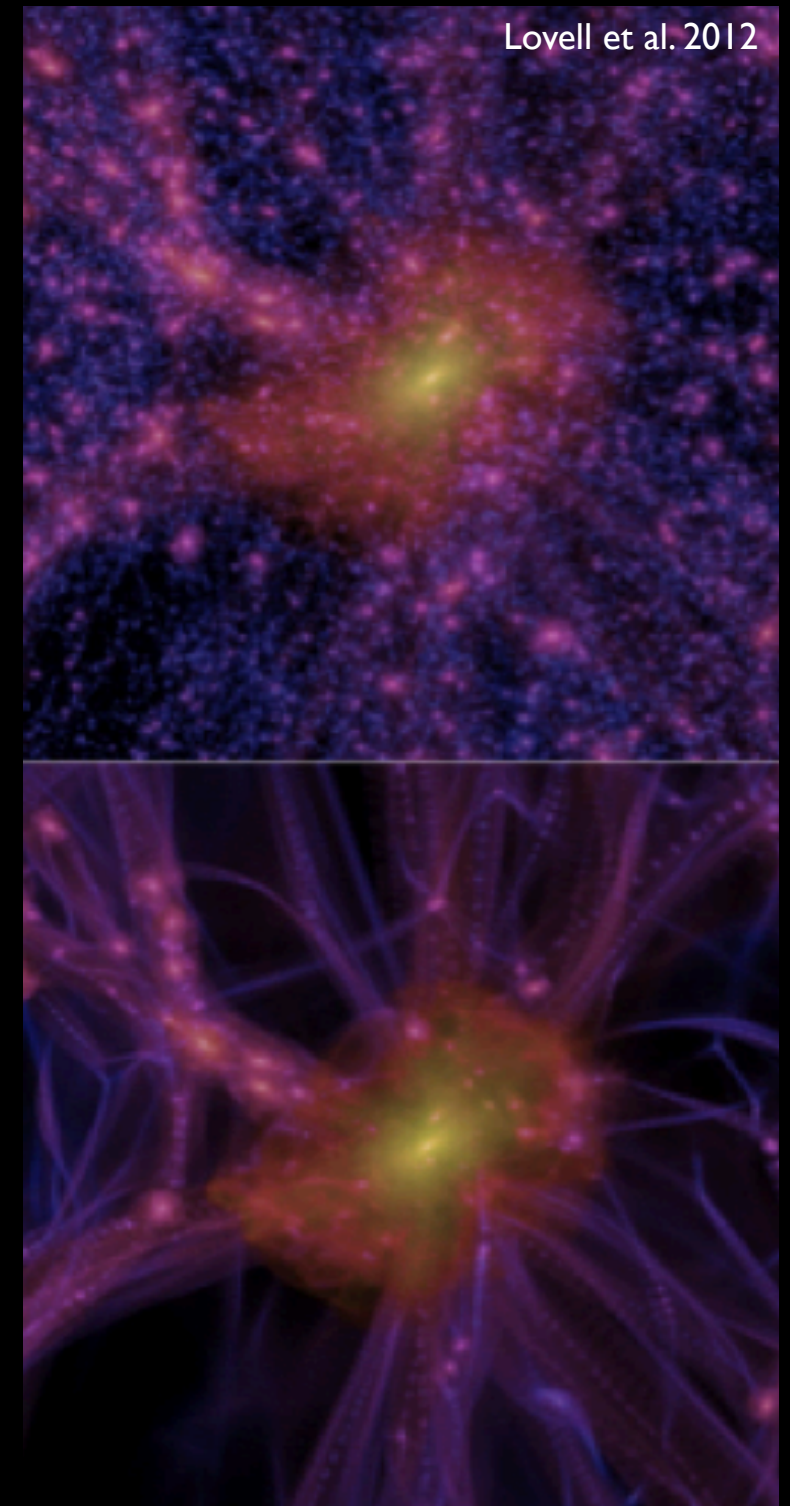
- Basic properties
- The small-scale crisis: Galaxies
- Feedback scale
- Is baryon physics a solution ?

Galaxy Formation in Warm Dark Matter scenarios

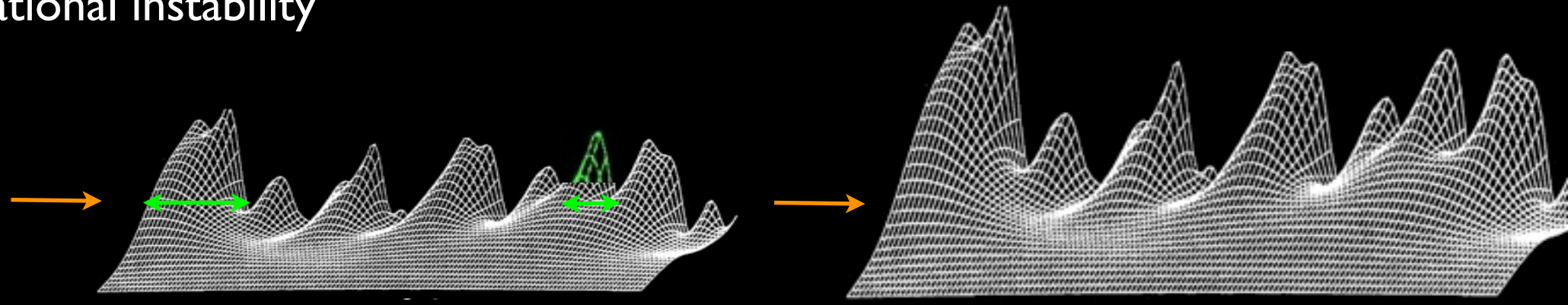
- Galaxy and AGN luminosity functions
- The luminosity function of satellites
- Hints from abundance matching: the V_{\max} - M_* relation
- The star formation properties of satellites

Limits to Warm Dark Matter candidate mass

- High-redshift galaxy counts
- Luminosity function of ultra-faint galaxies at $z=2$
- Dwarf galaxies in clusters down to $M_{UV}=-10$



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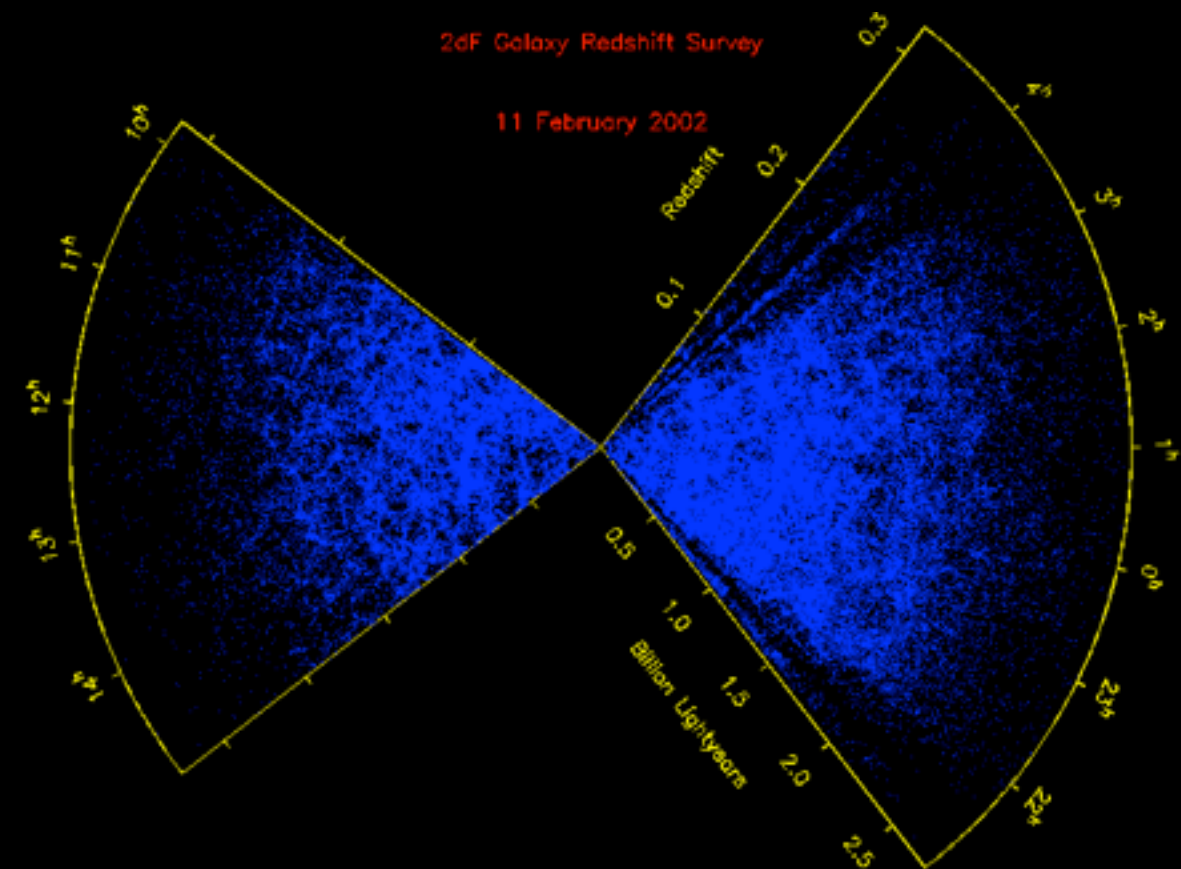
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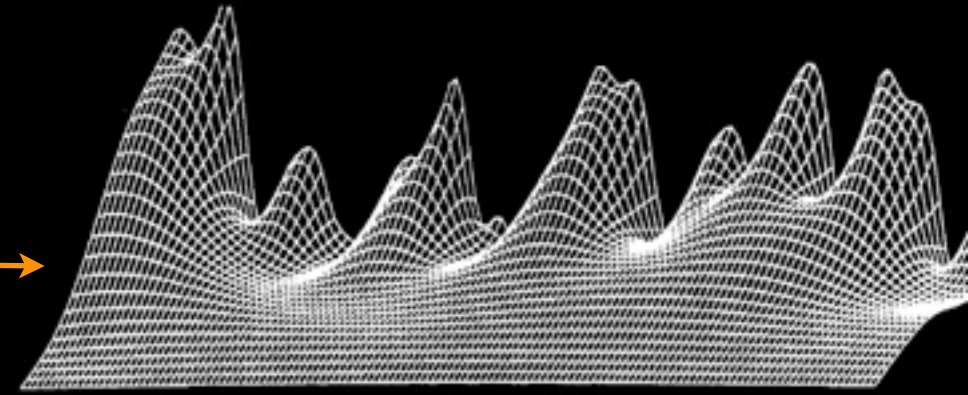
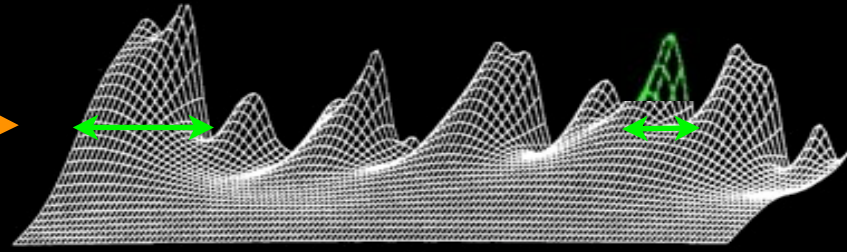
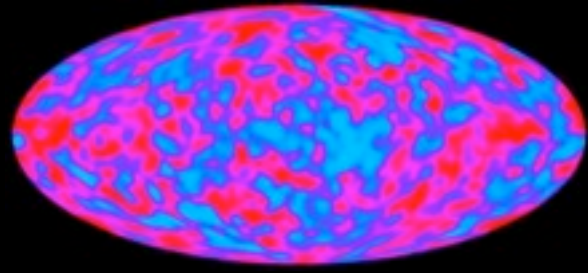
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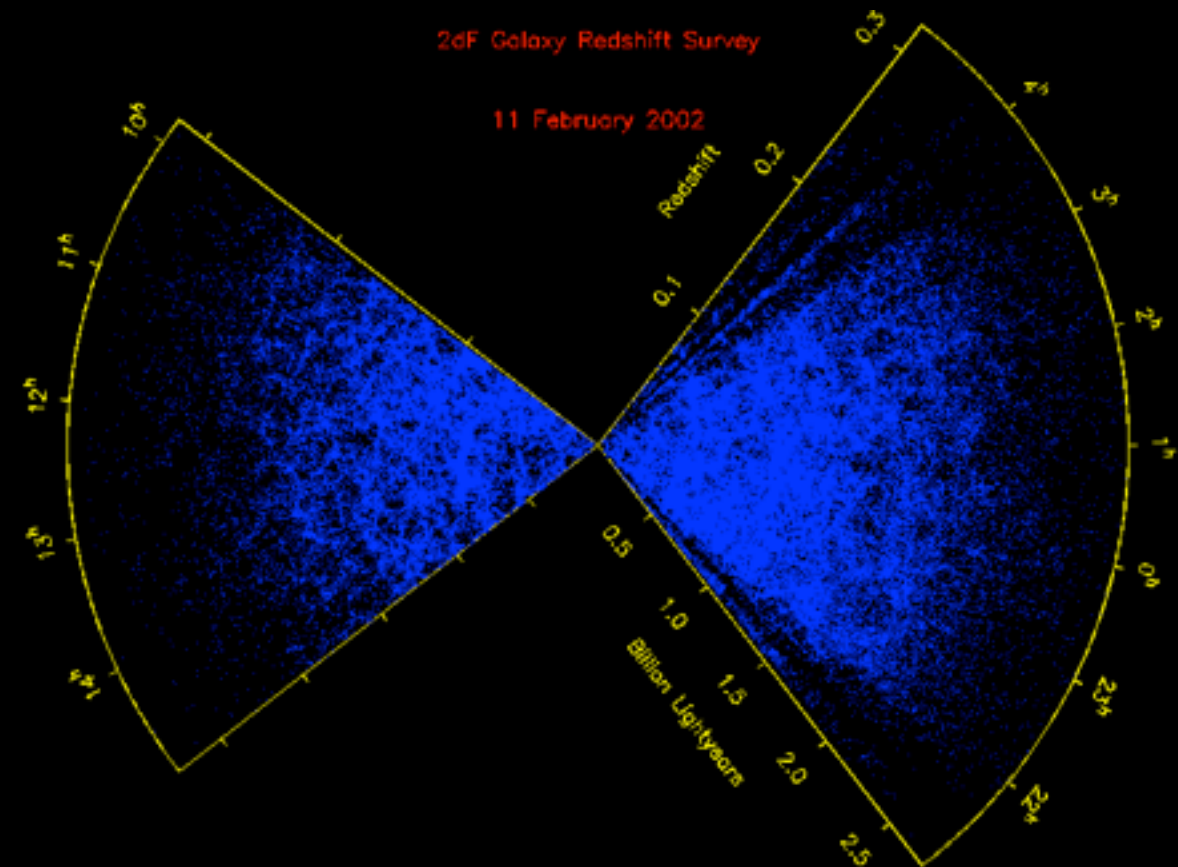


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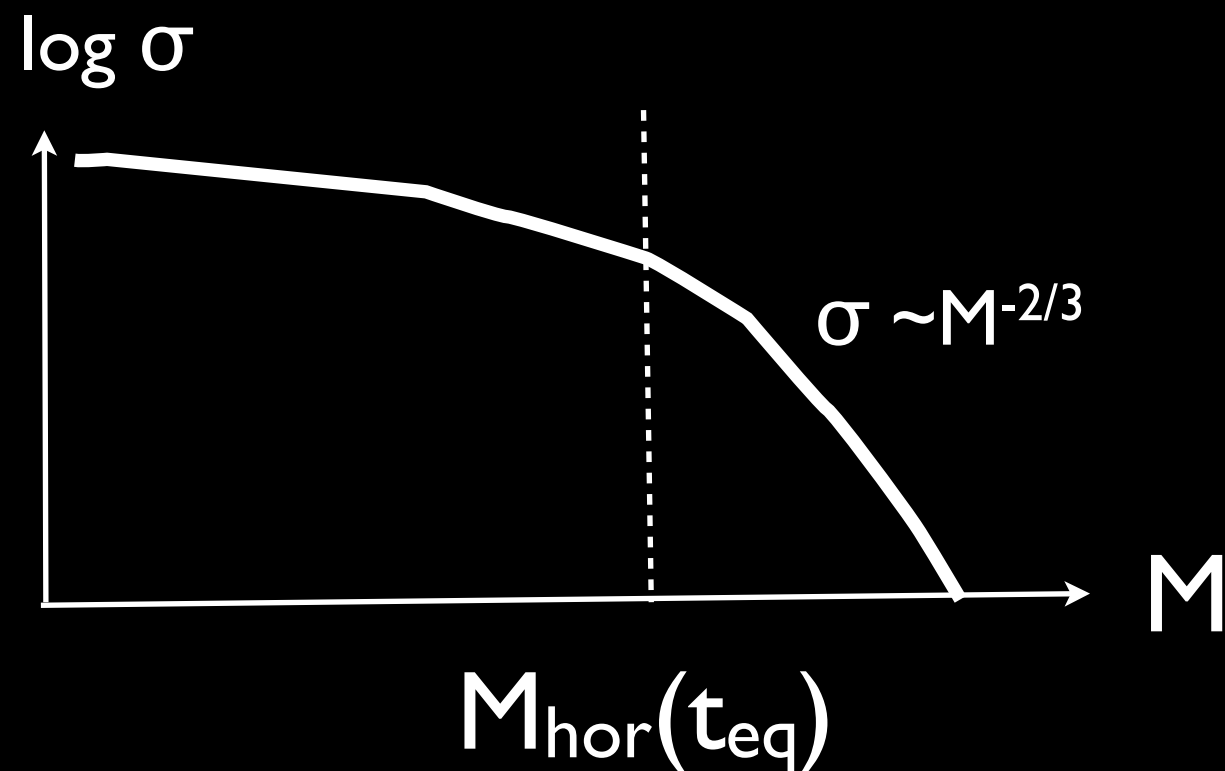
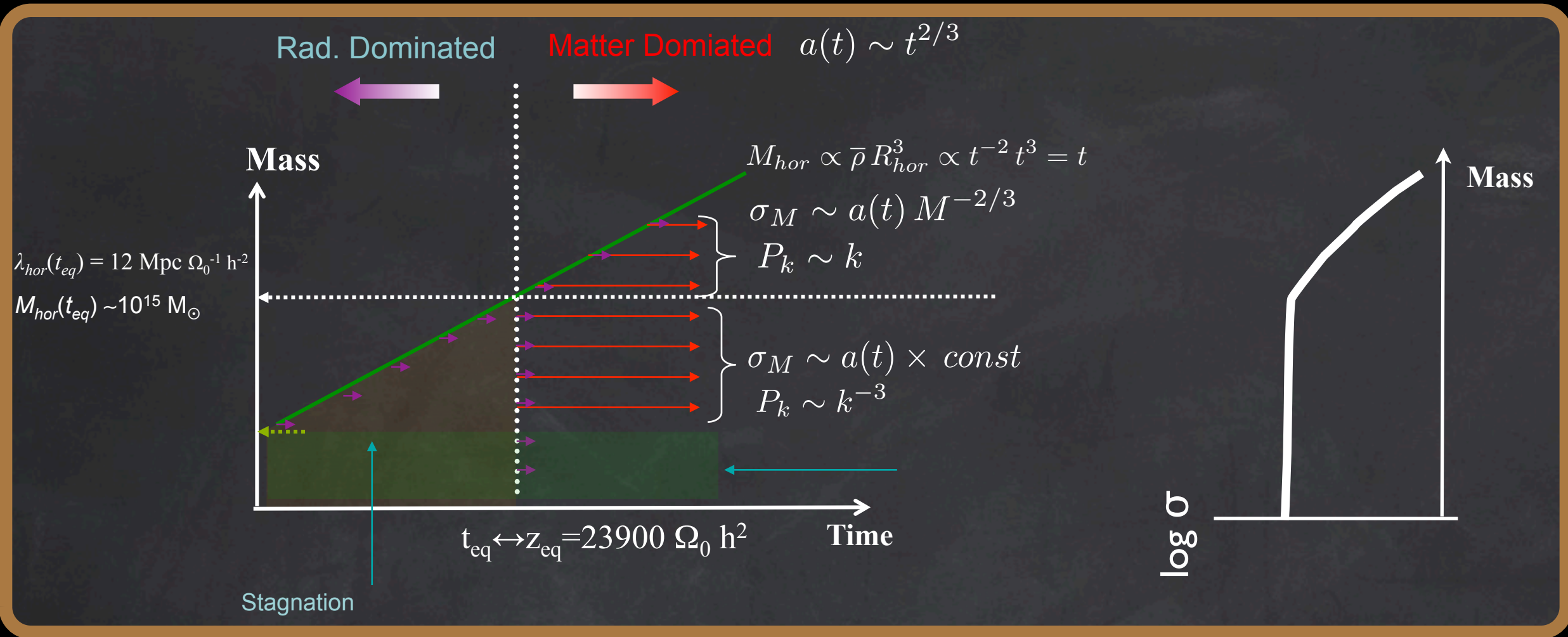
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The Variance of the perturbation field



Perturbations involving scales larger than that of the horizon at the equivalence start to grow later

$$R_{hor} = 2c t_{hor} = 13 h^{-2} \text{ Mpc} \\ = 110 \text{ Mpc for } \sigma_0 = 0.3 \text{ } h = 0.7$$

In terms of wavenumber $k \rightarrow$ Power Spectrum

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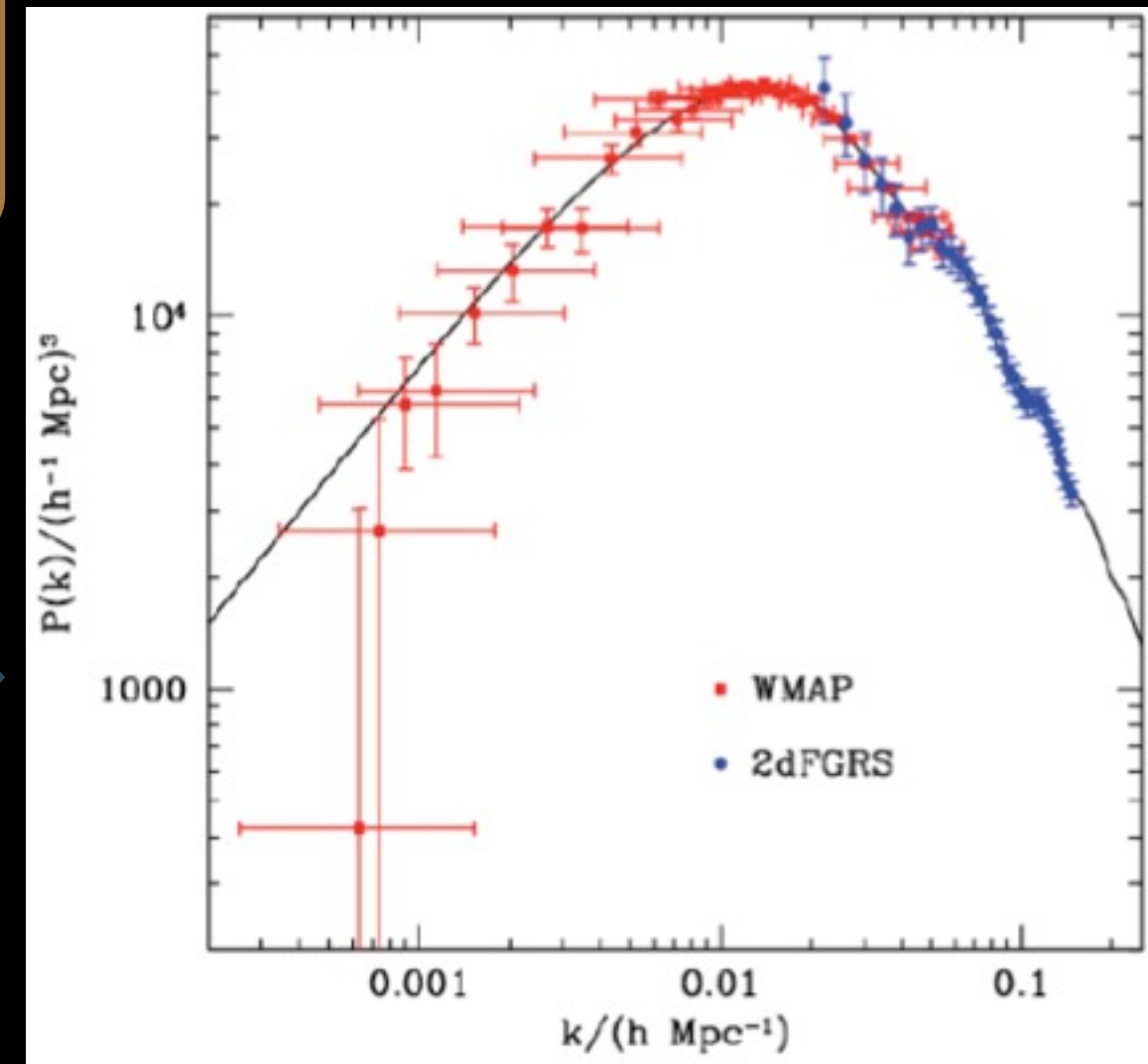
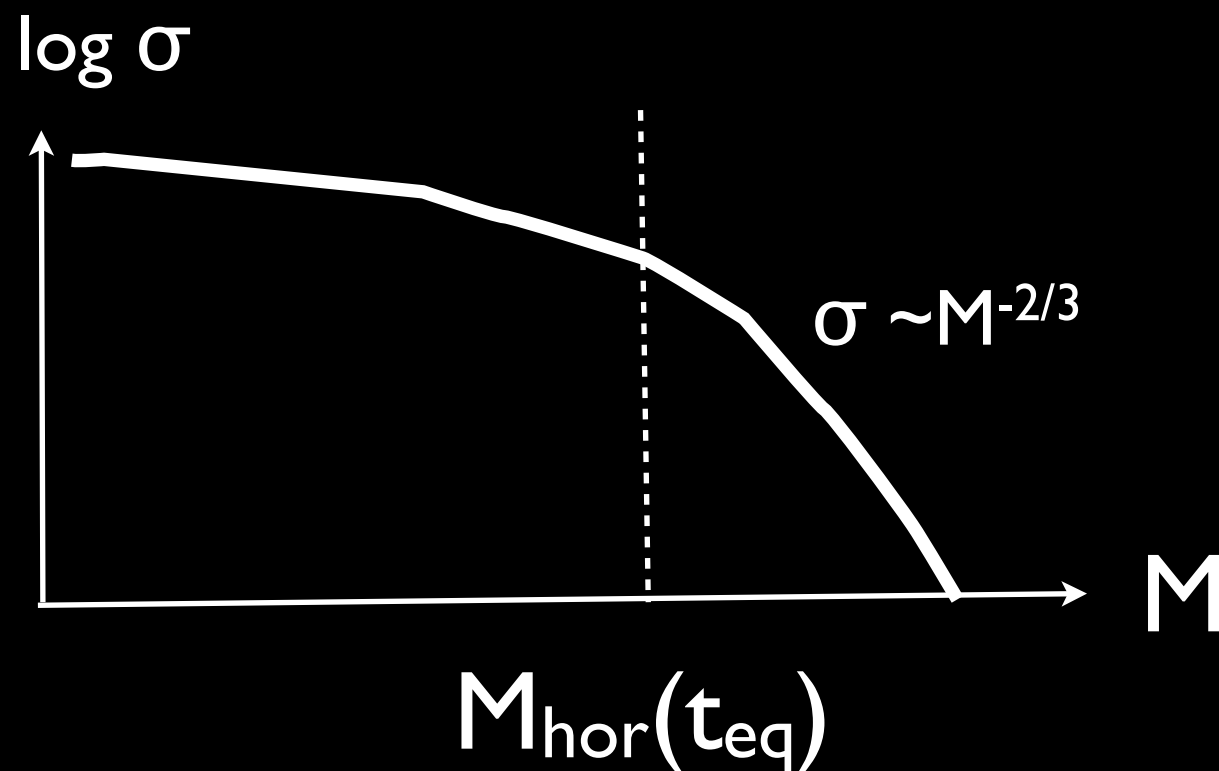
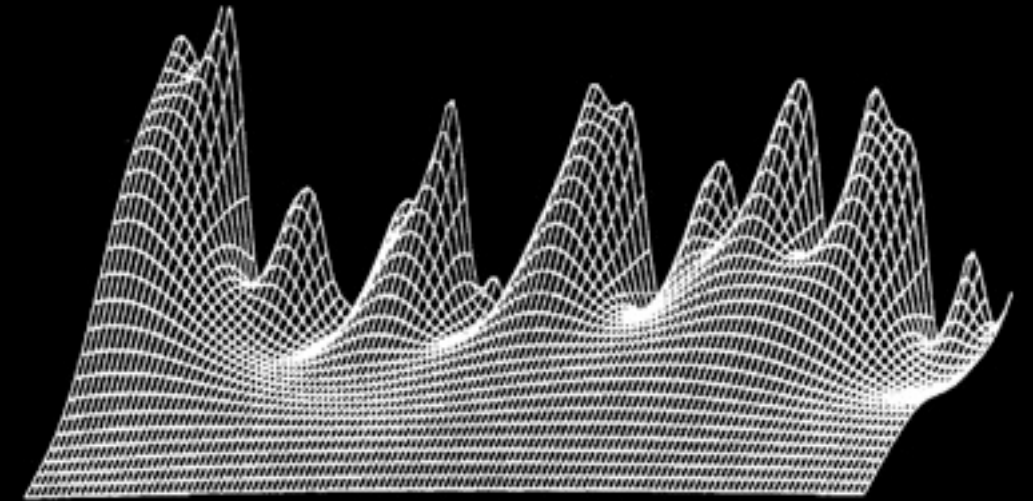
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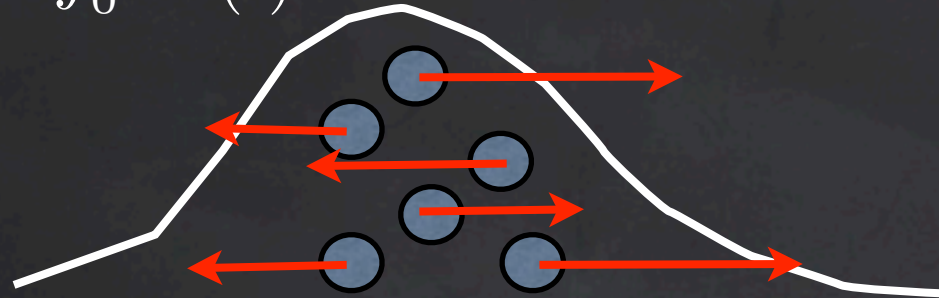
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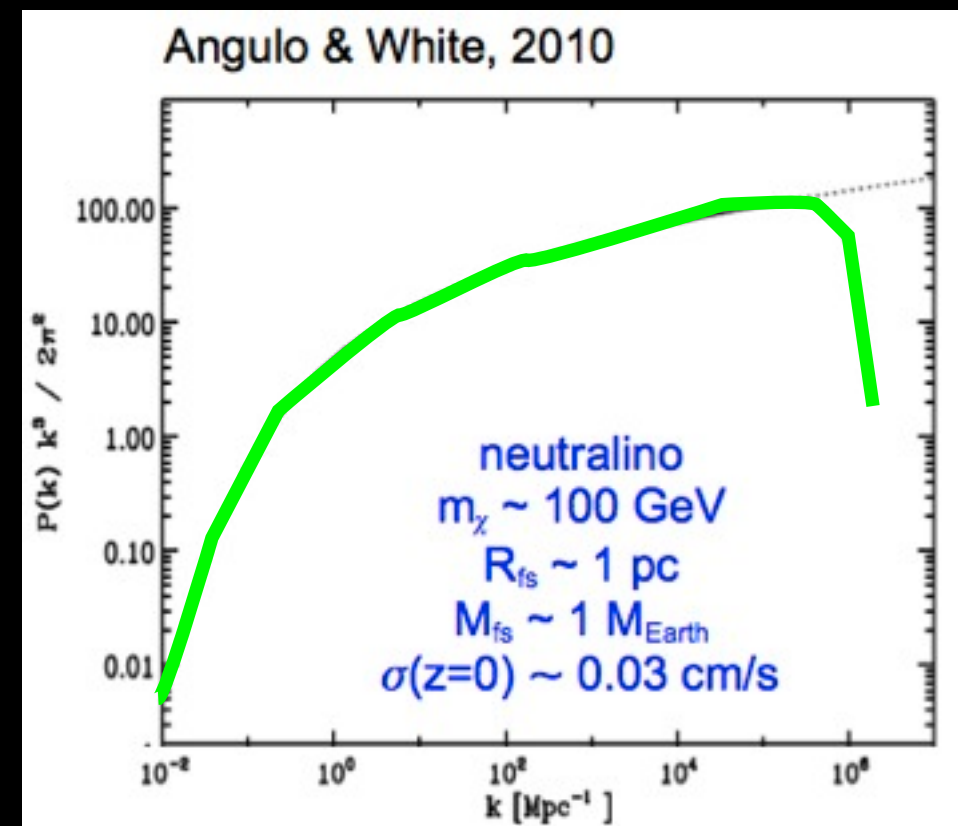
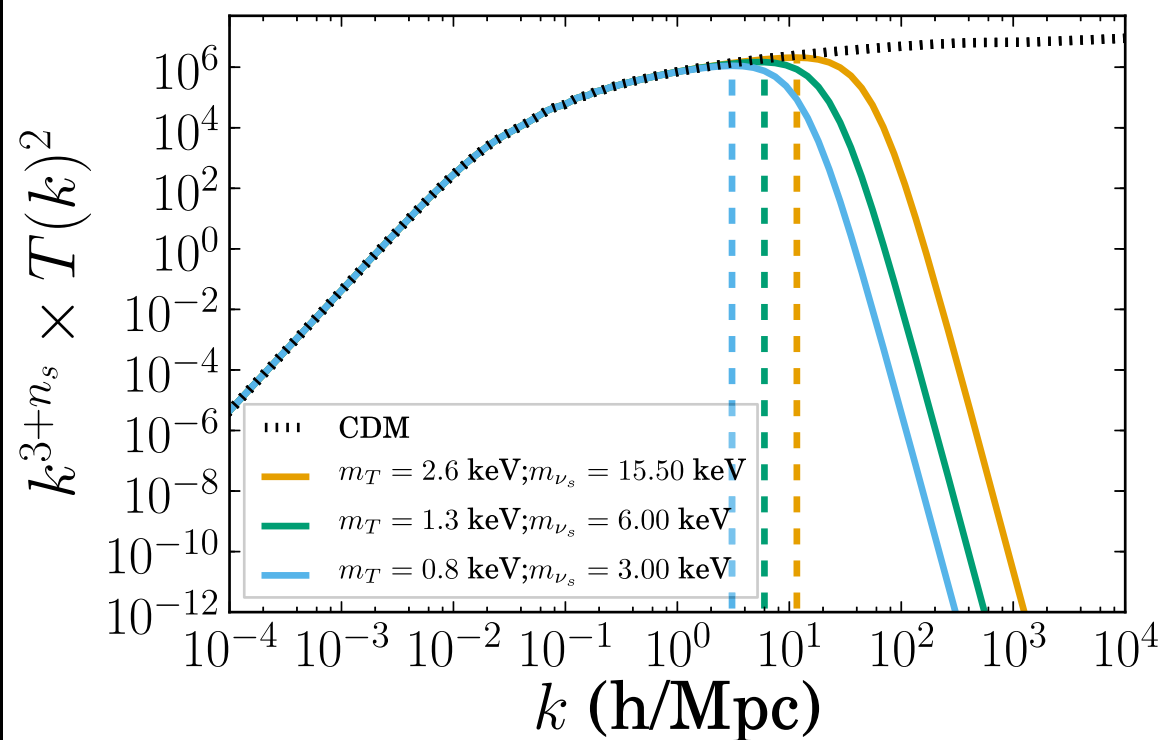
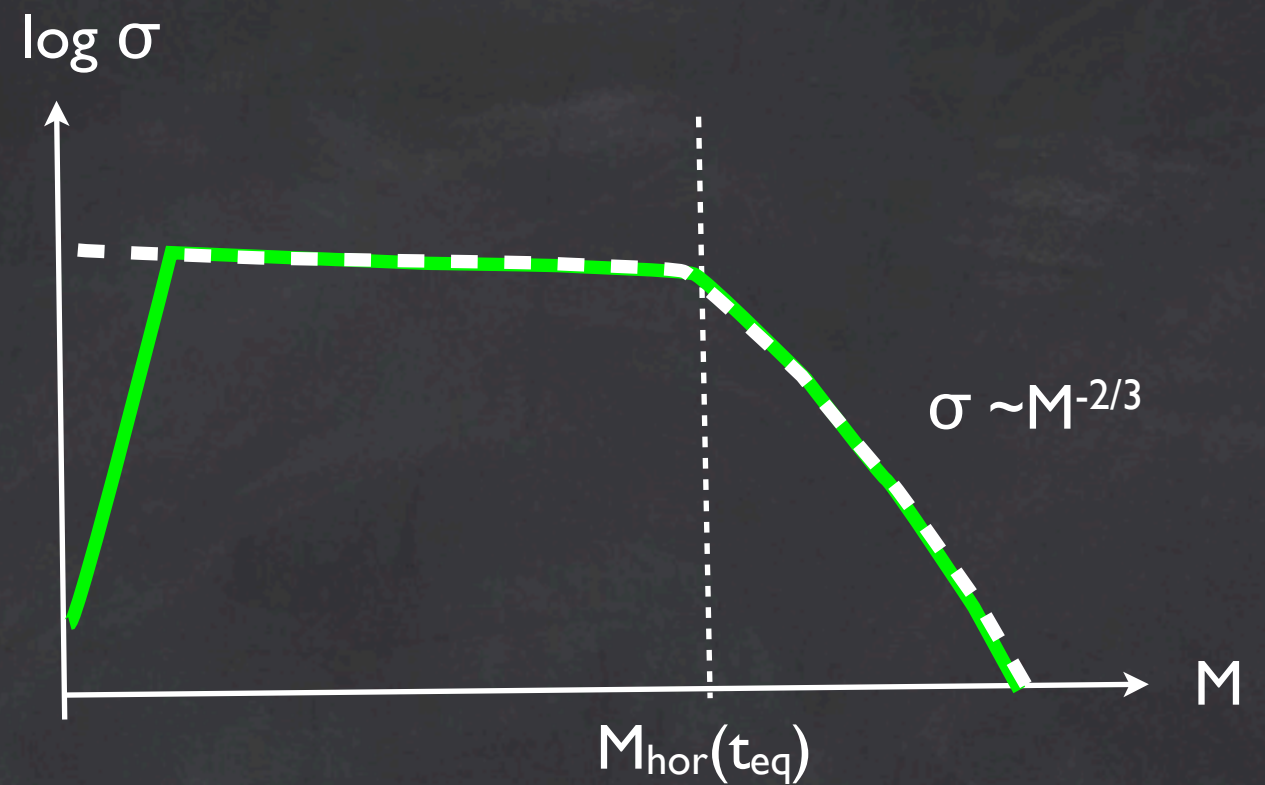
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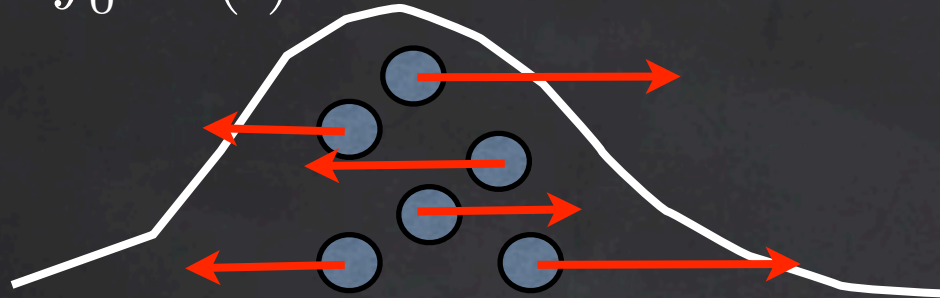
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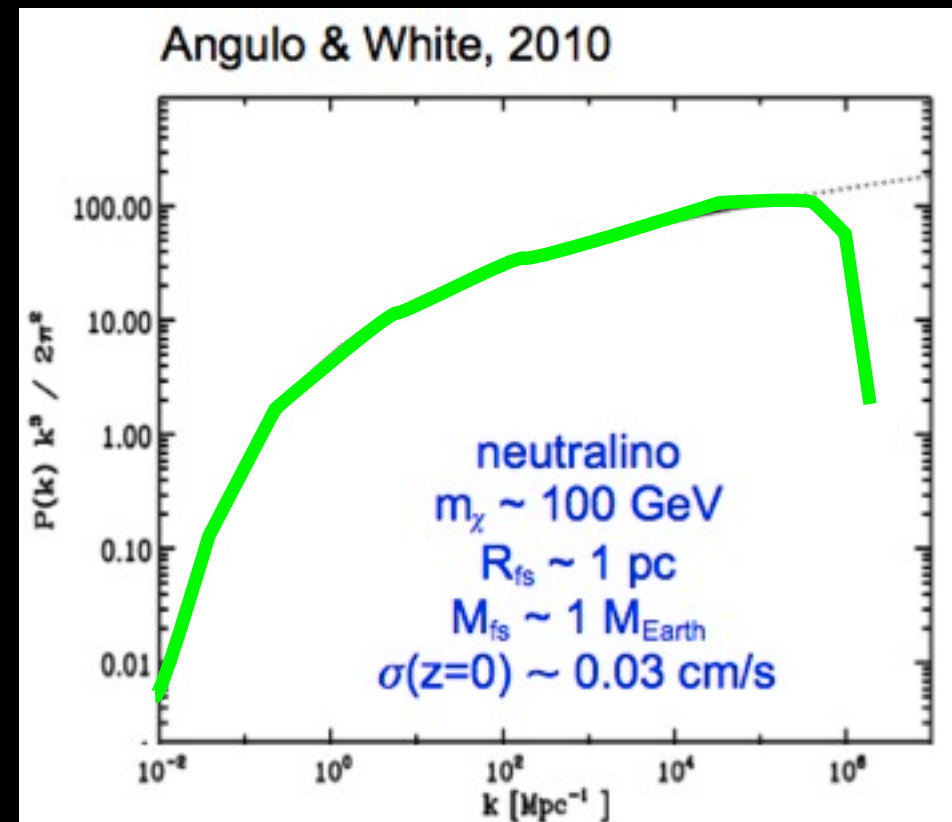
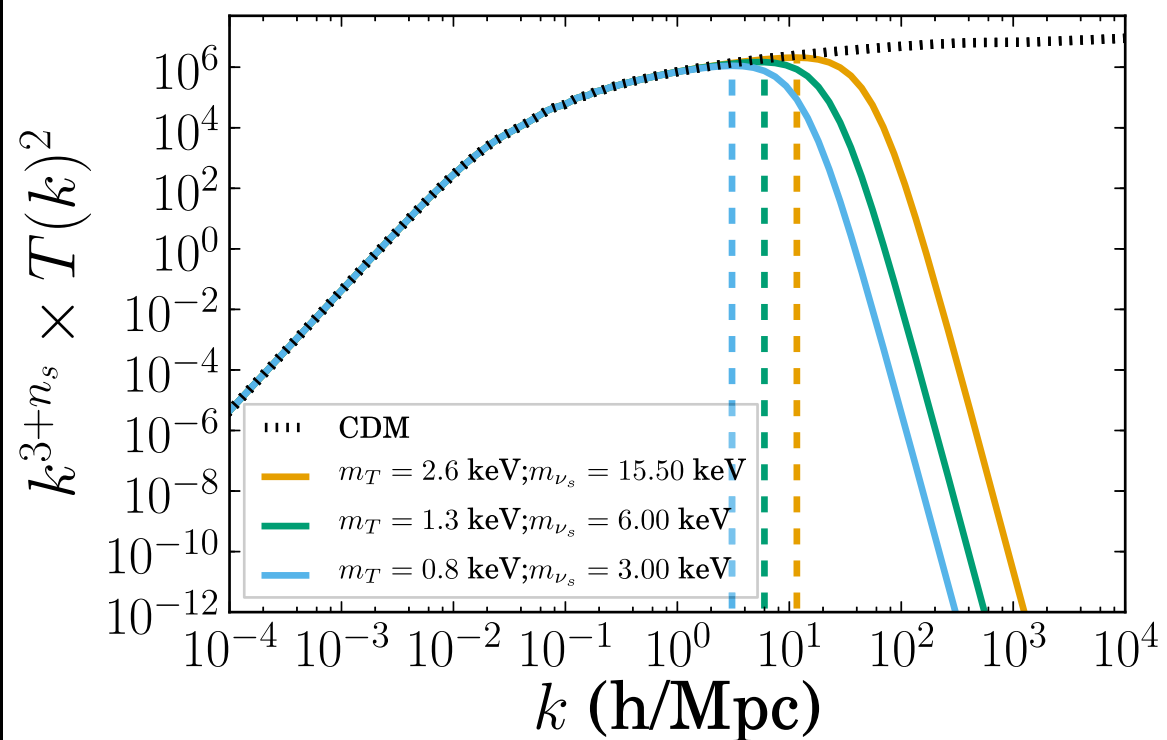
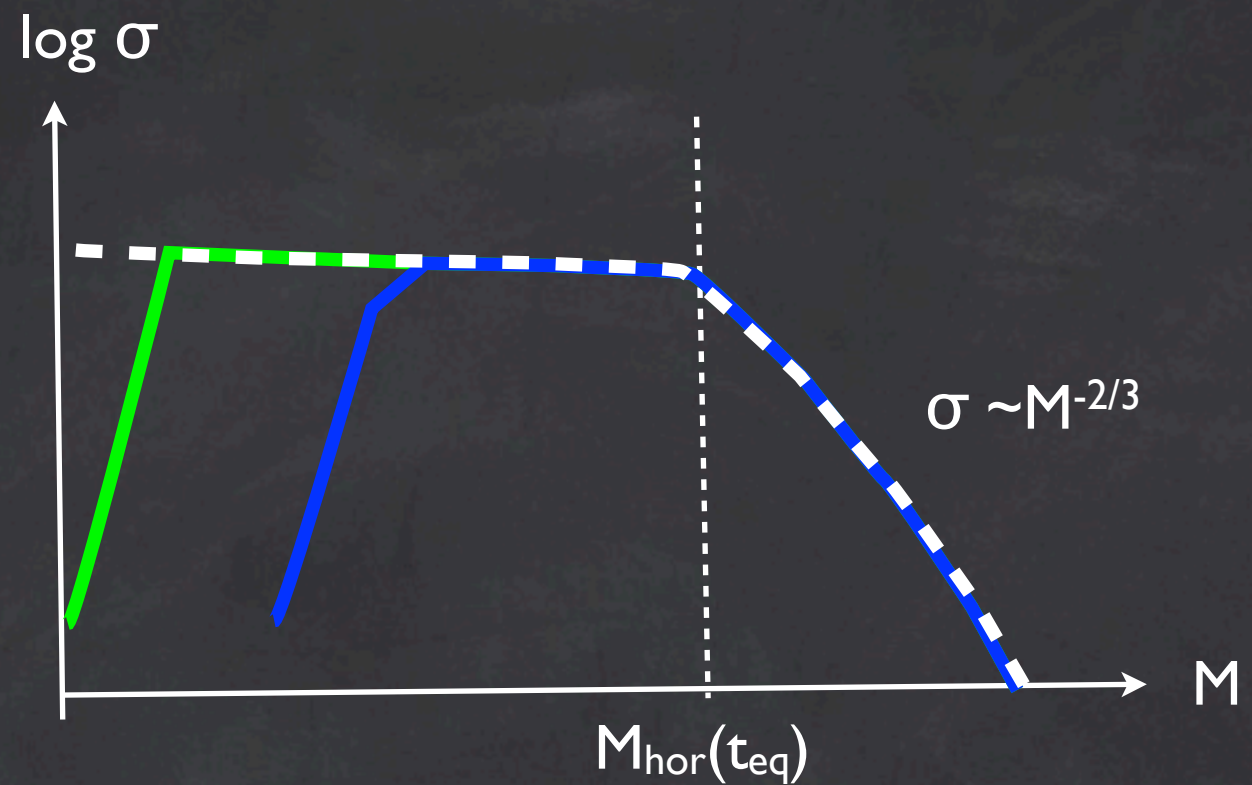
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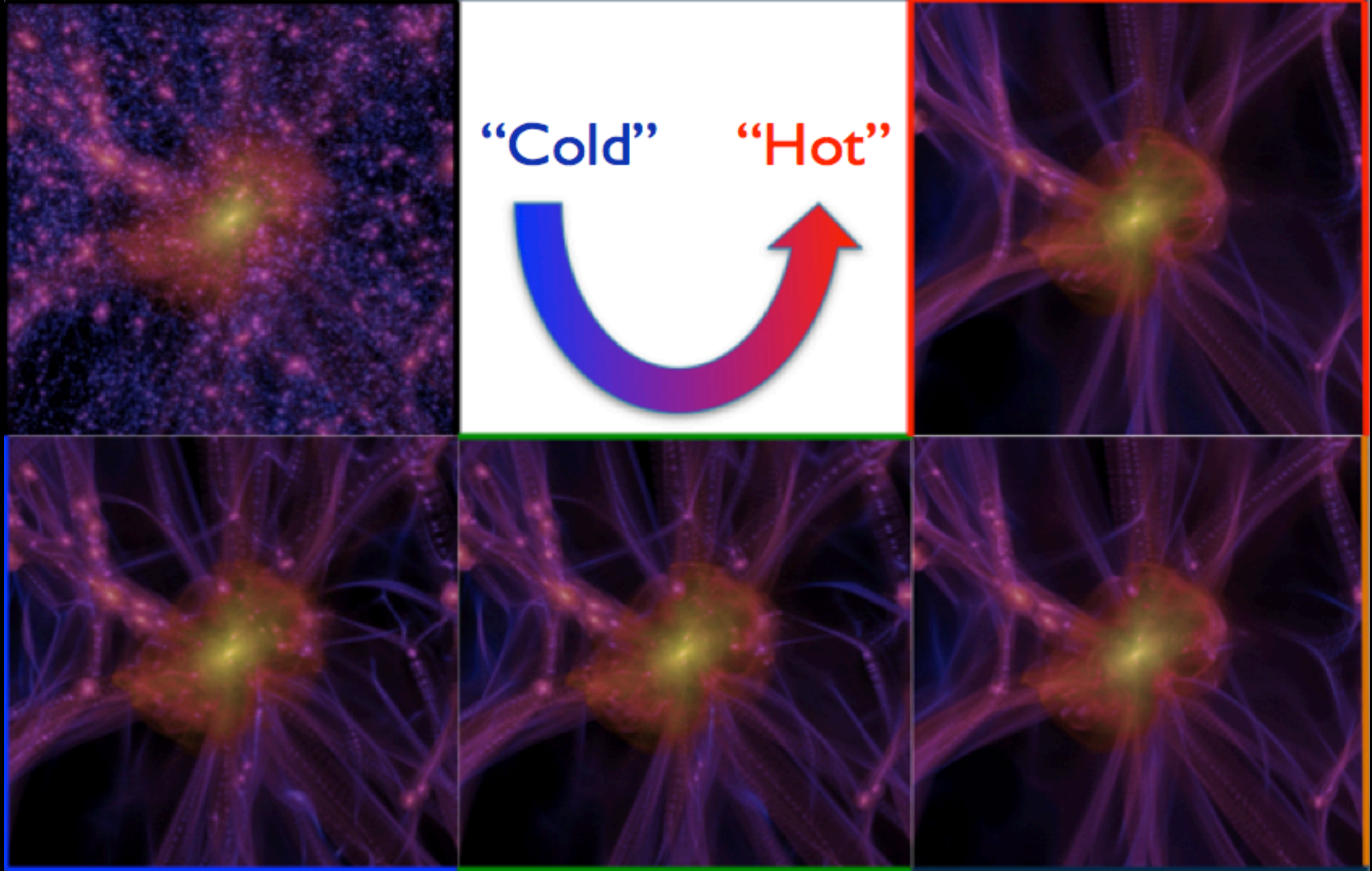


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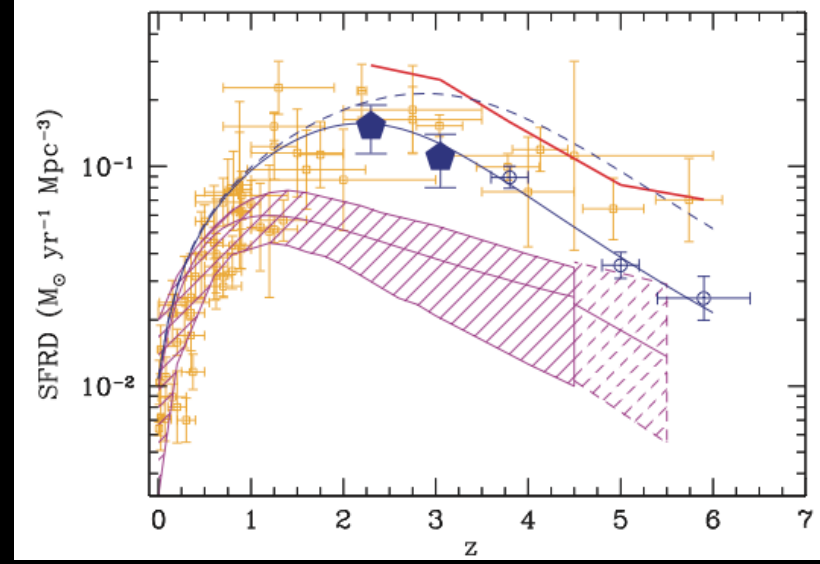
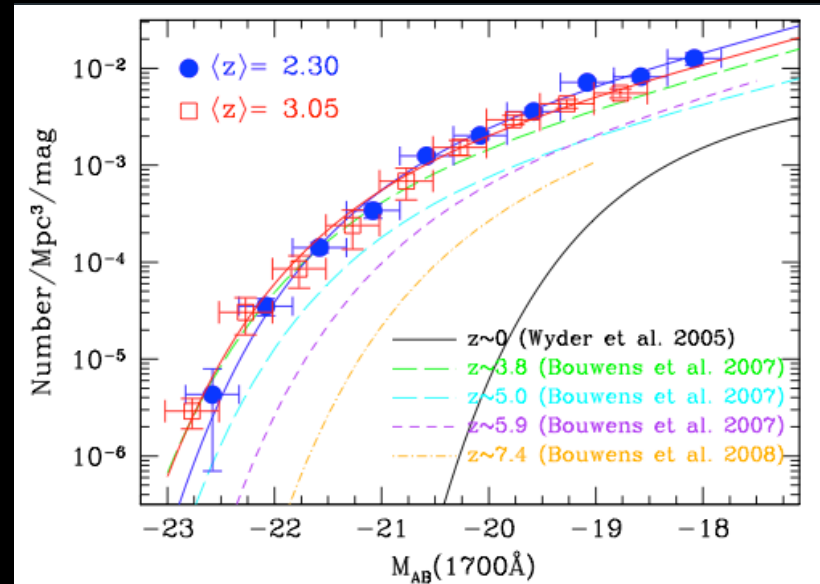
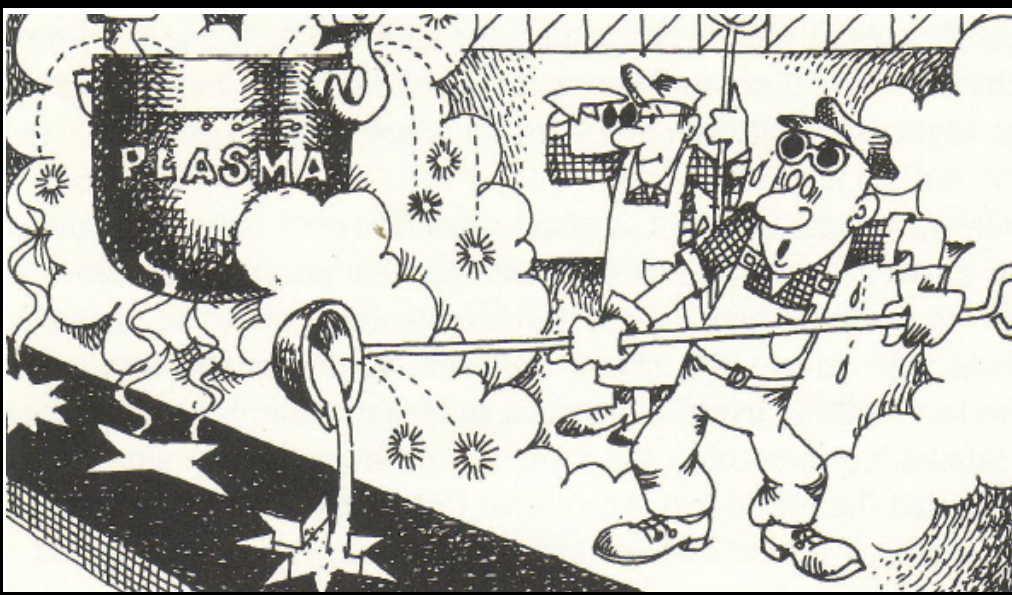
Varying the particle mass



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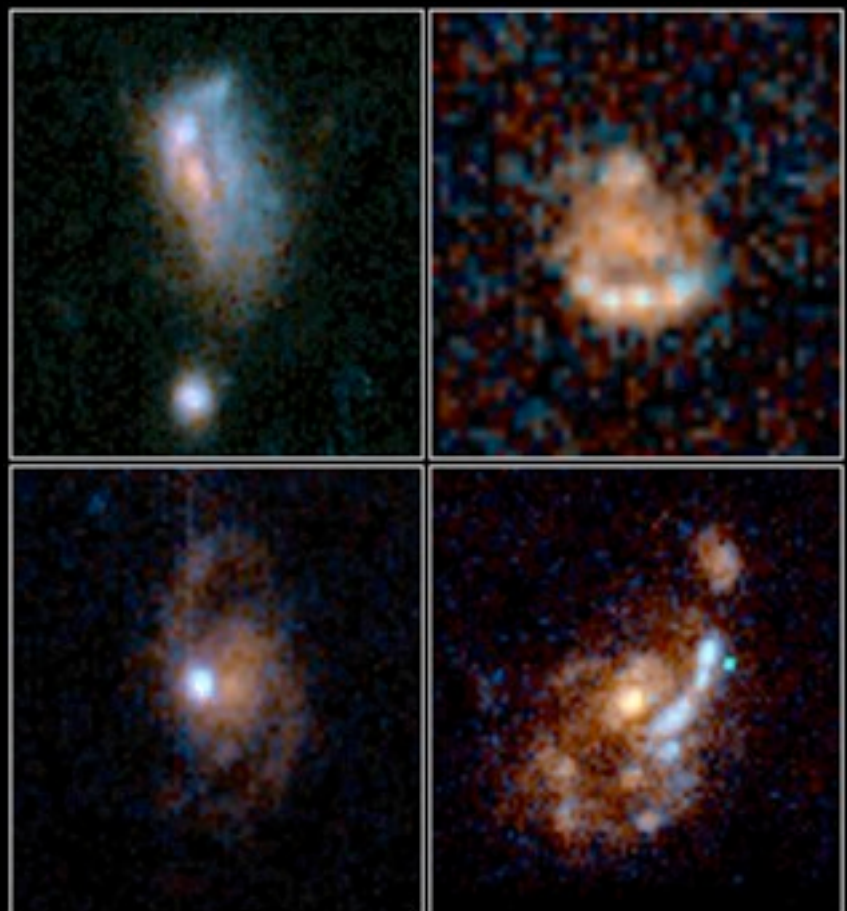
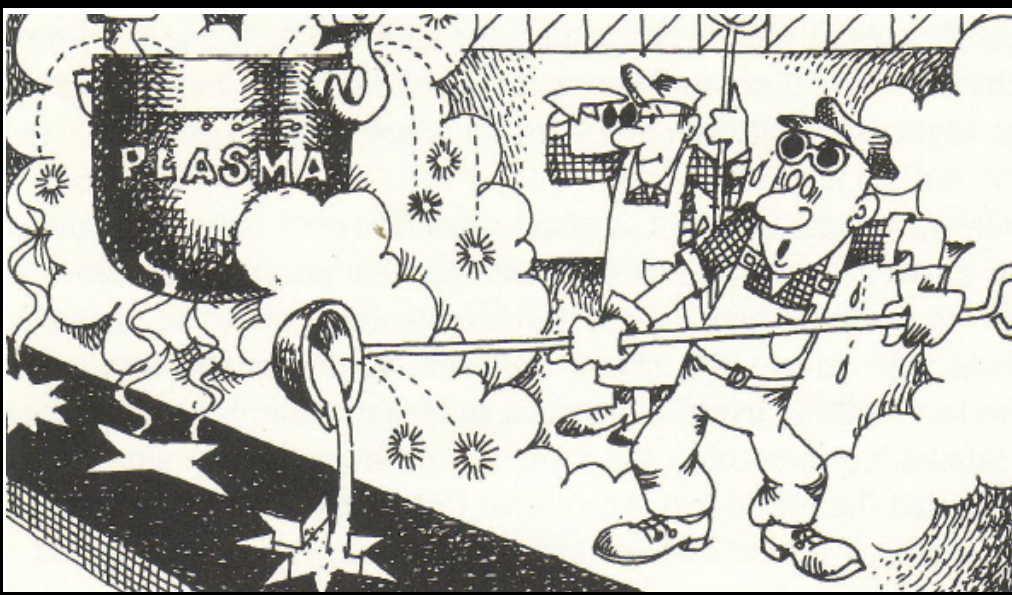
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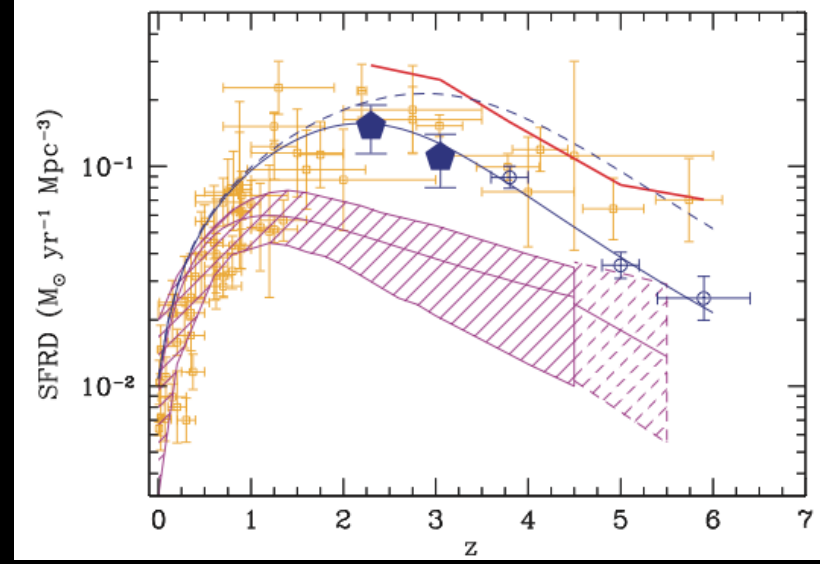
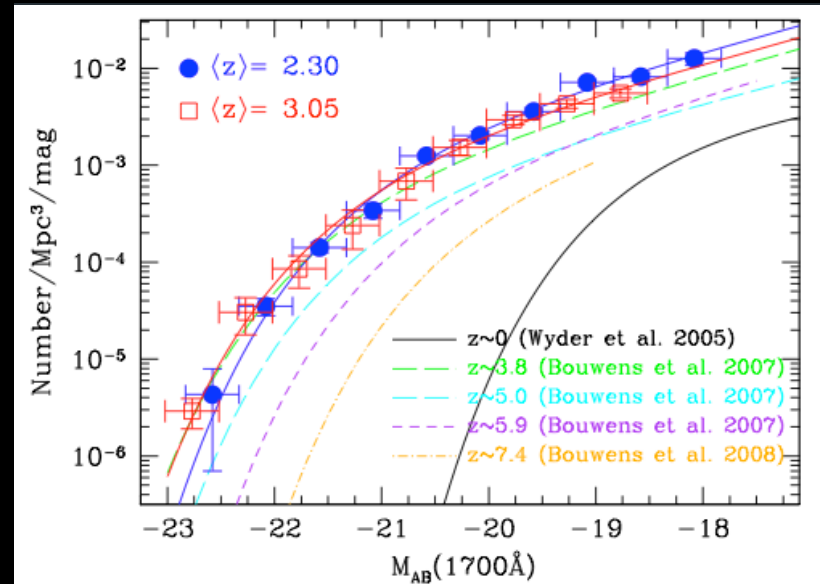
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Galaxy Formation in a Cosmological Context

Hydrodynamical N-body simulations

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include hydrodynamics of gas
contain spatial information

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numerically expensive
(limited exploration of parameter space)
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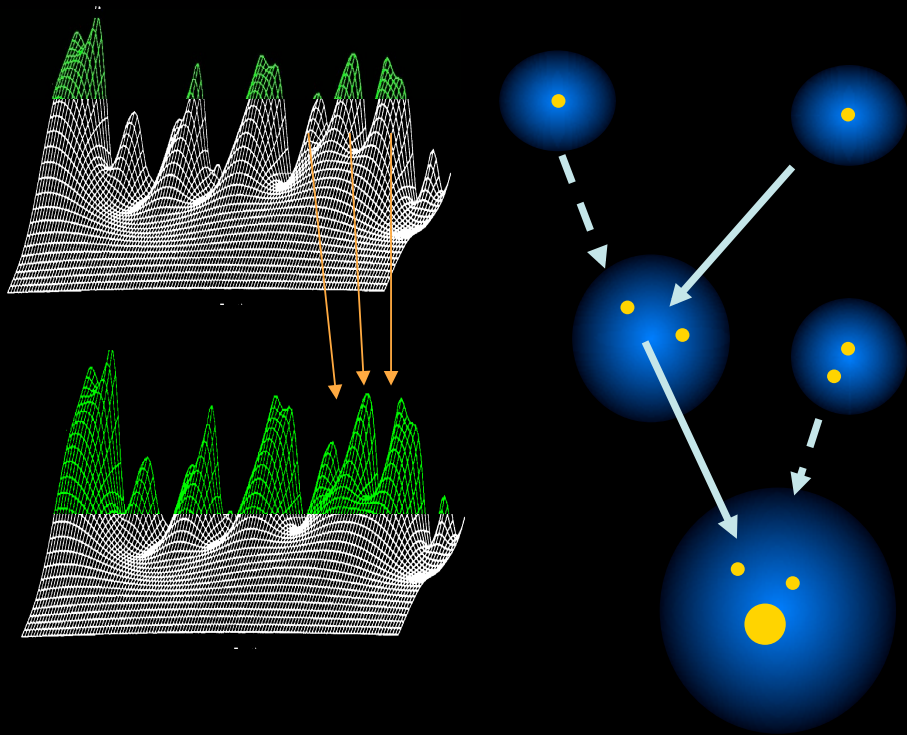
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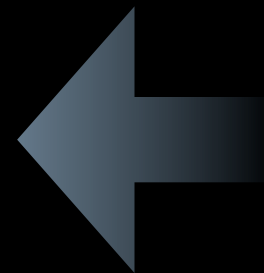
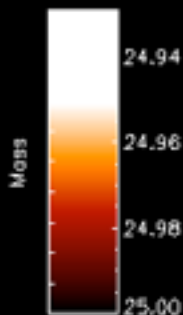
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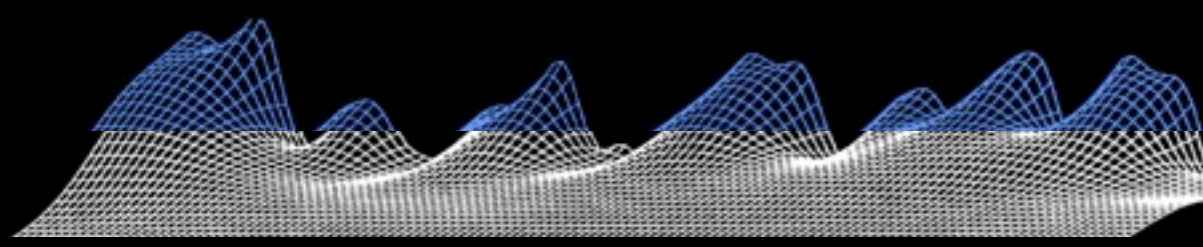
Evolution of stellar populations

Growth of Supermassive BHs
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NM et al. 06

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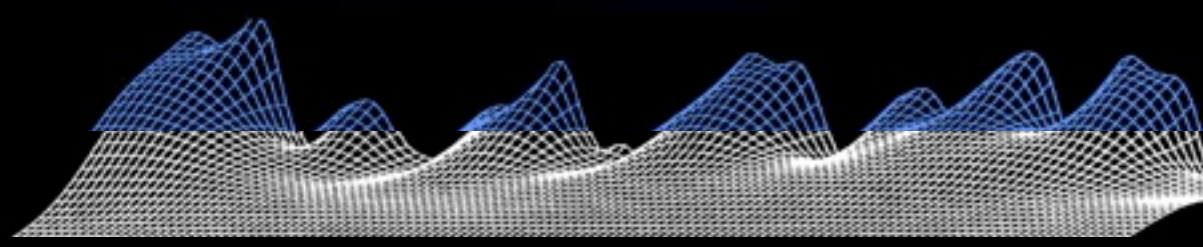
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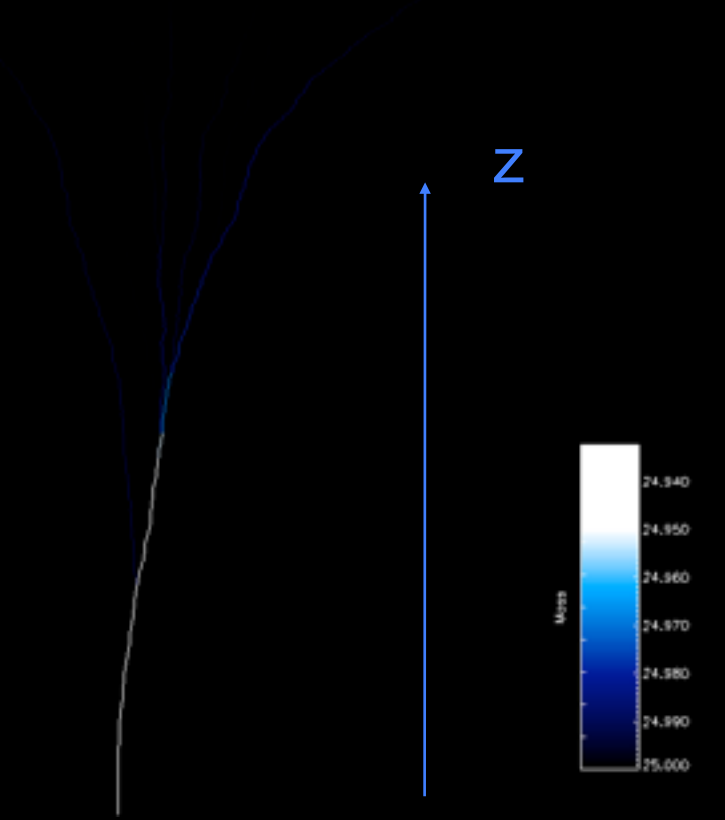
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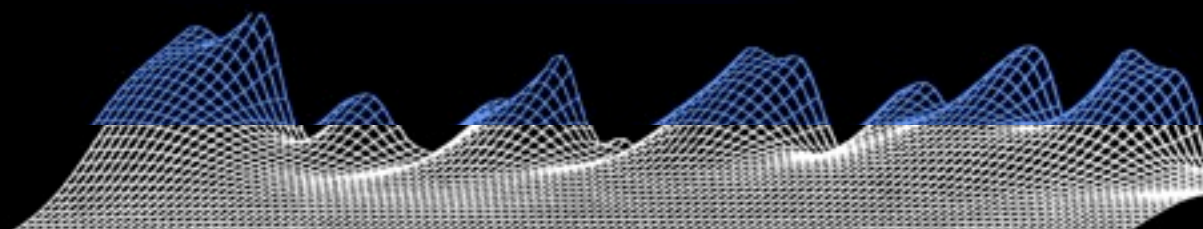
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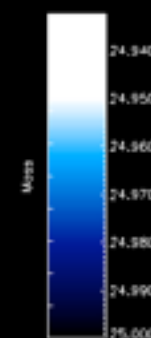
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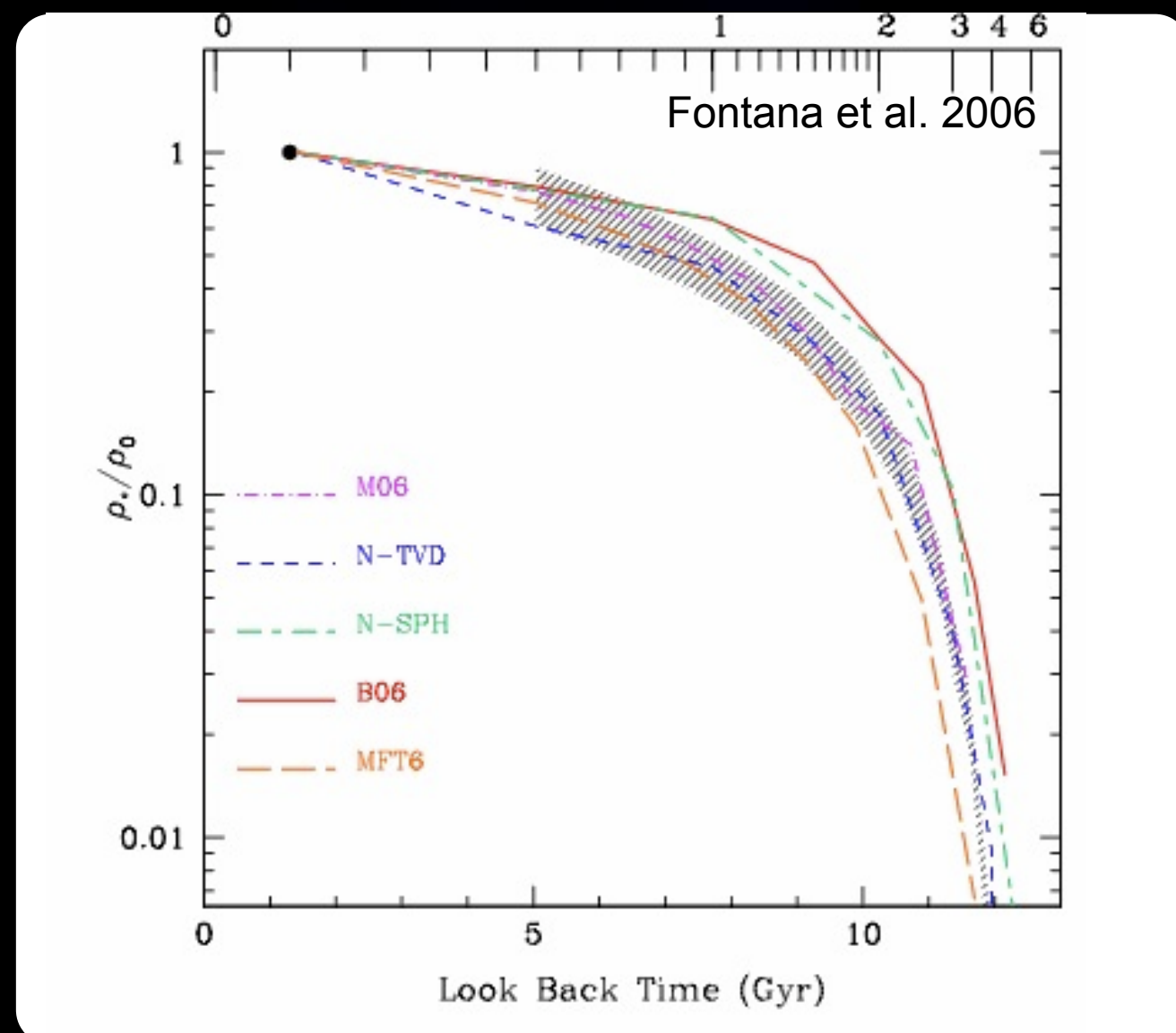
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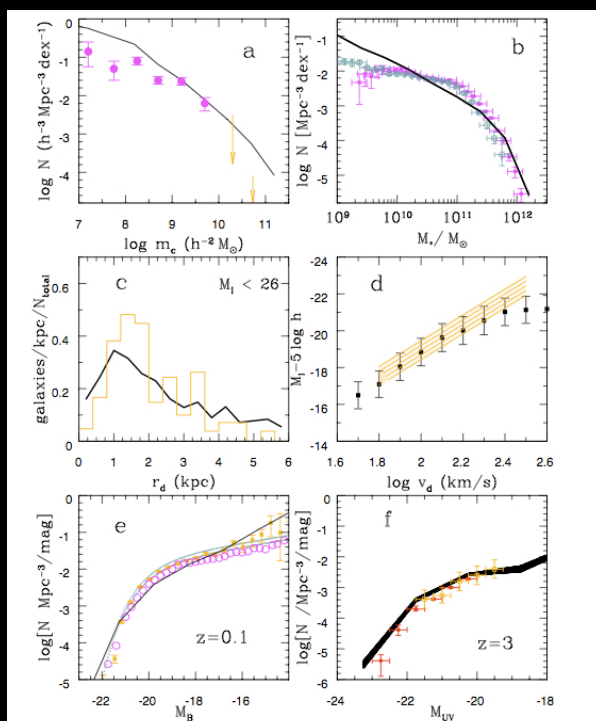
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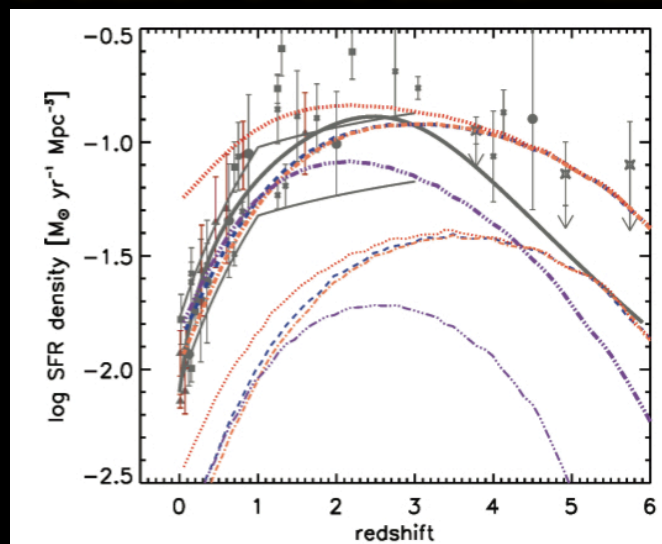
Galaxy Formation models in CDM scenario

Local properties:
 gas content
 luminosity distribution
 disk sizes
 distribution of the stellar mass content

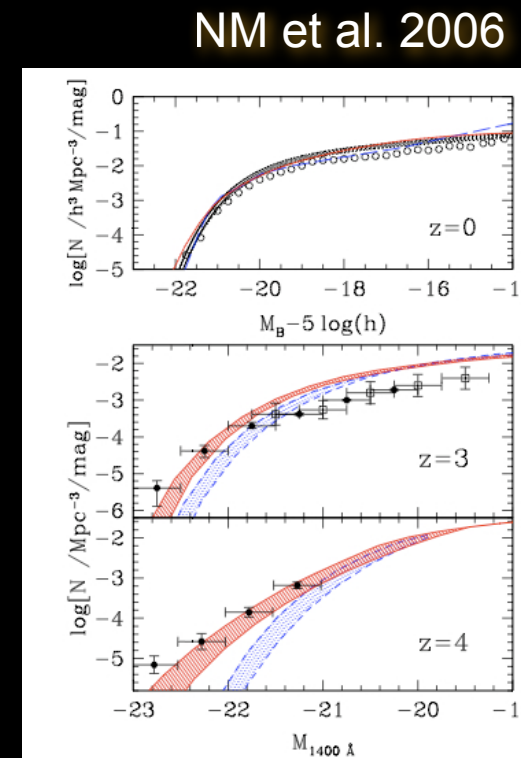


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properties of distant galaxies:
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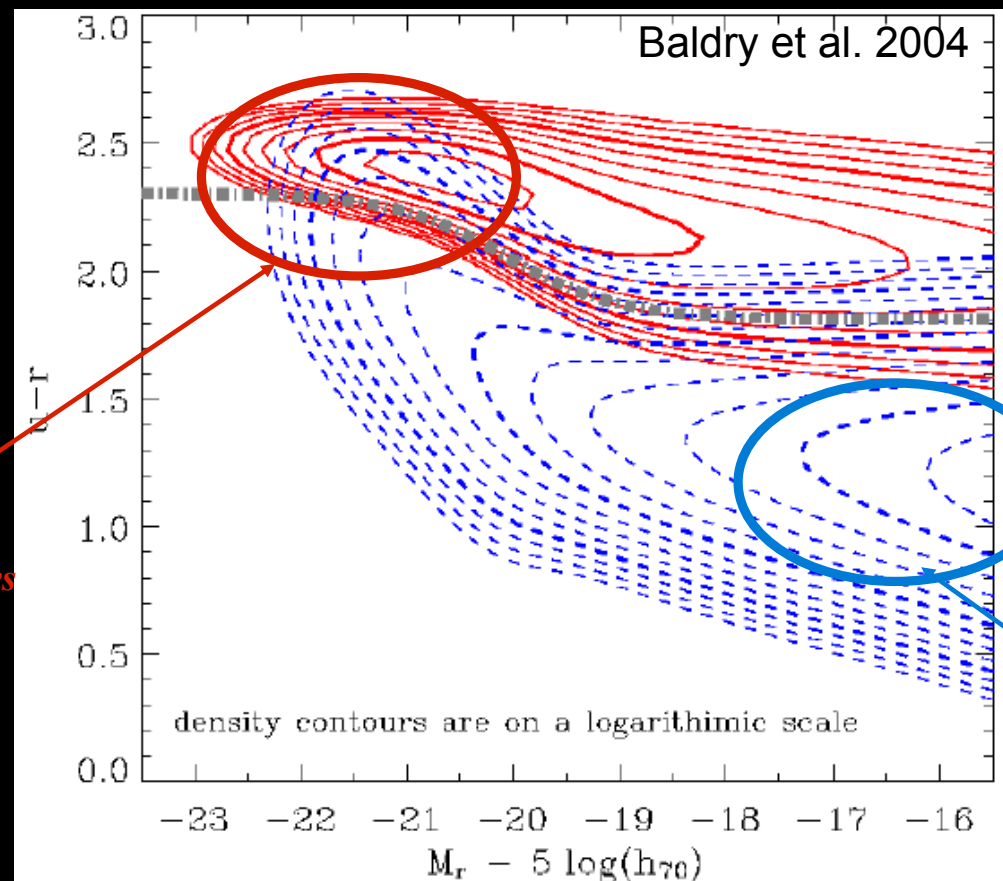


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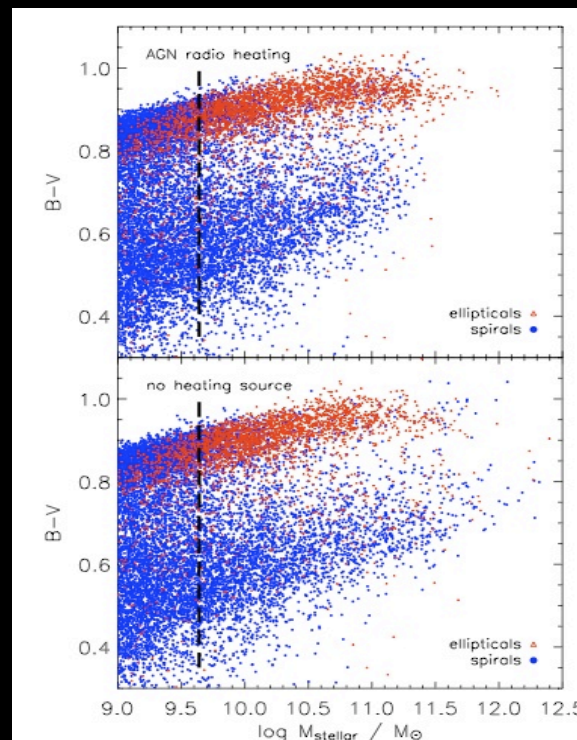


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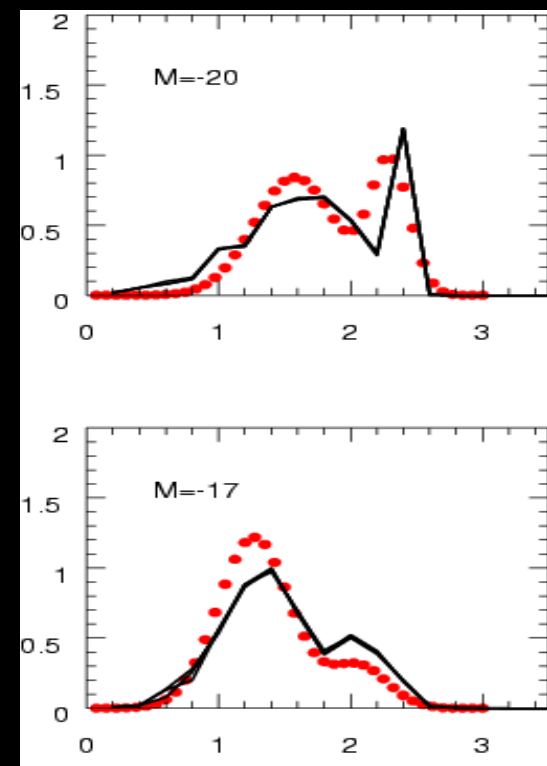
Color Distributions: bimodal distribution (early type vs late type)



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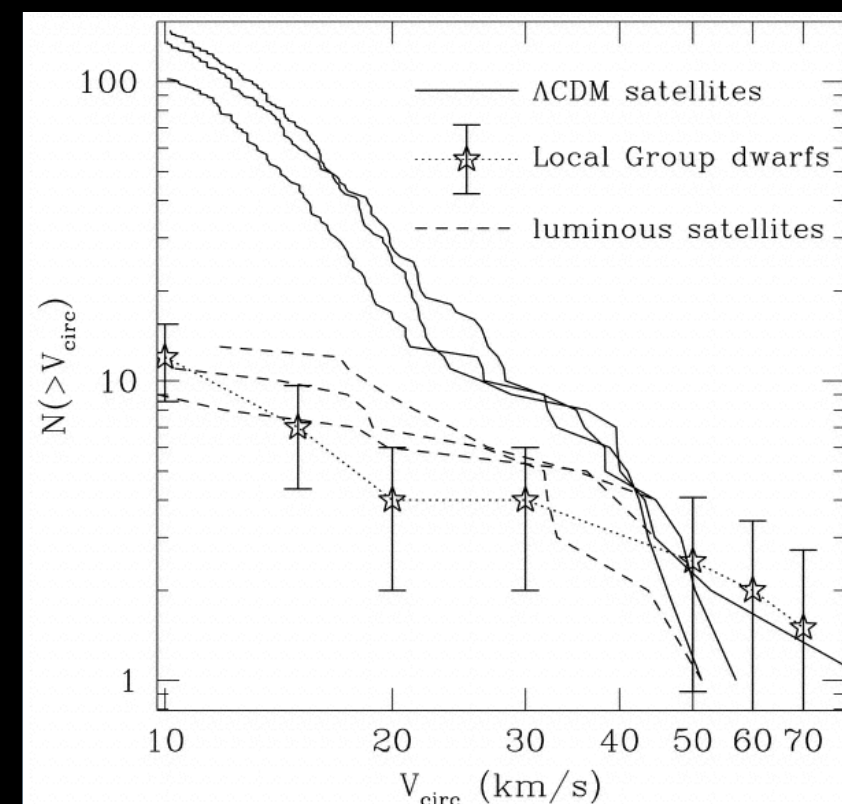
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- 2) Dependence on star formation and feedback effects
- 3) Solutions in WDM scenario

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CDM Substructure in simulated cluster and galaxy haloes look similar.

Expected number of satellites in Milky Way-like galaxies in CDM largely exceeds the observed abundance.

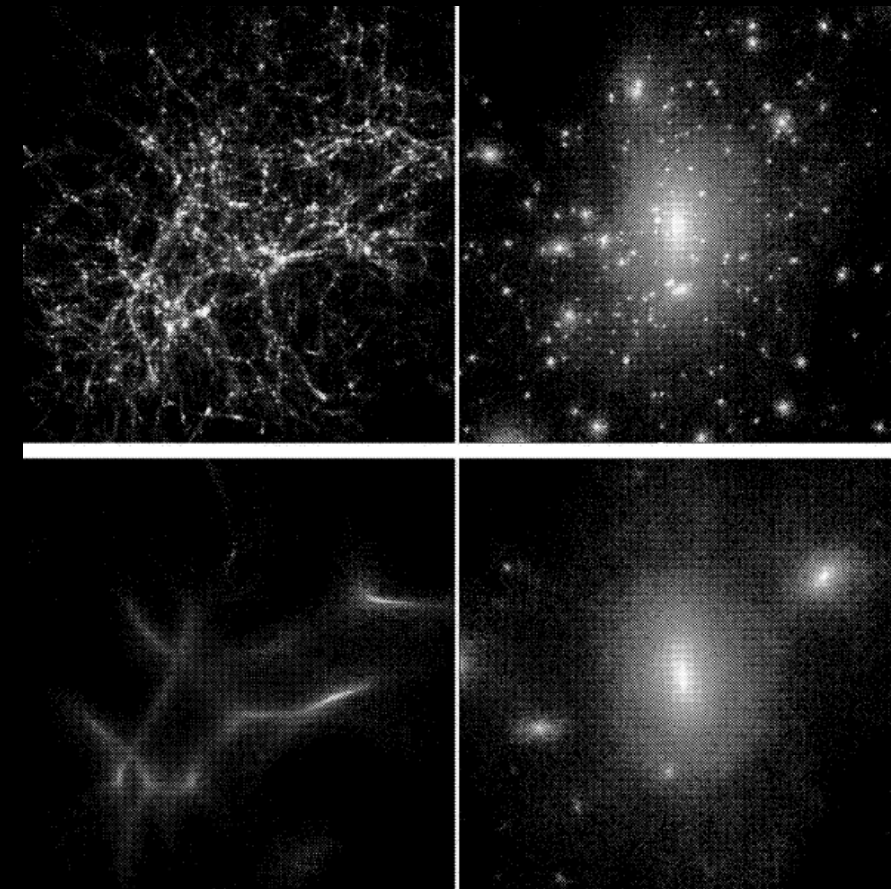
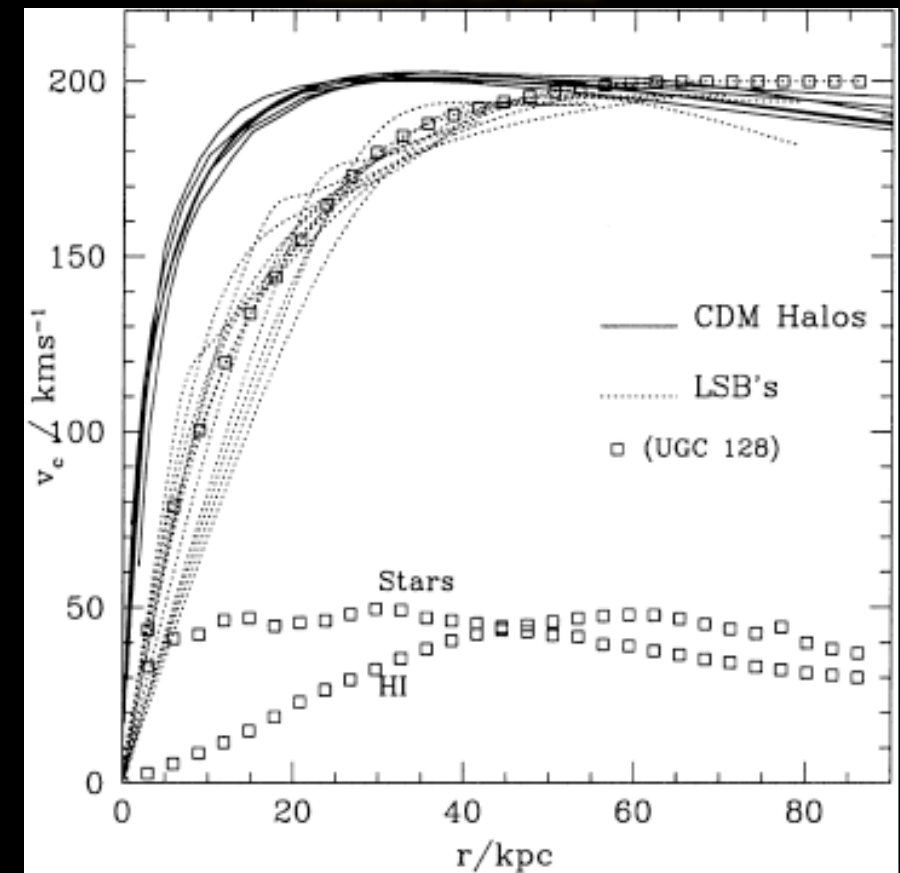


Via Lactea simulation of a Milky Way - like galaxy
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Most observed dwarf galaxies consist of a rotating stellar disk embedded in a massive dark-matter halo with a near-constant-density core. Models based on the dominance of CDM, however, invariably form galaxies with dense spheroidal stellar bulges and steep central dark-matter profiles, because low-angular-momentum baryons and dark matter sink to the centres of galaxies through accretion and repeated mergers.

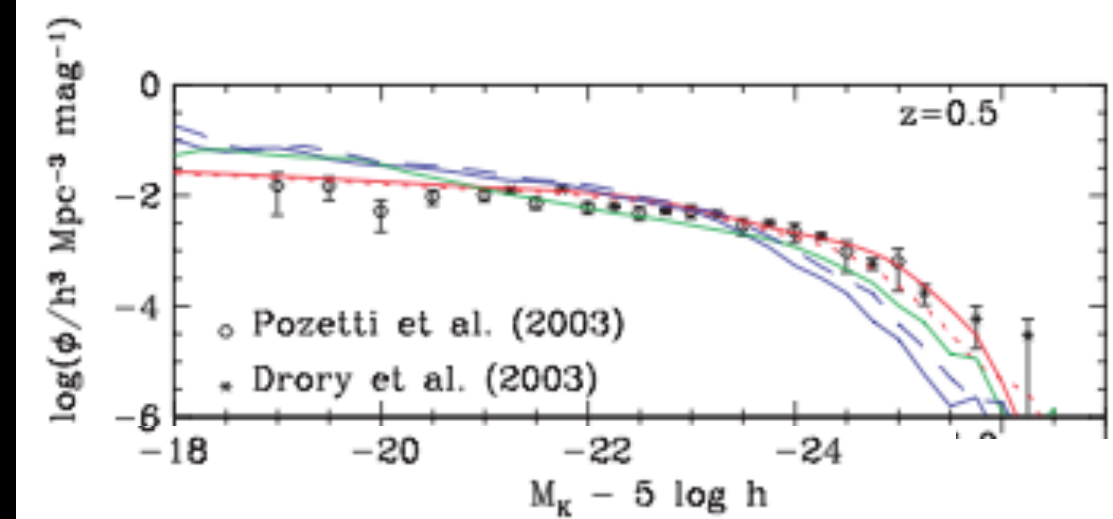
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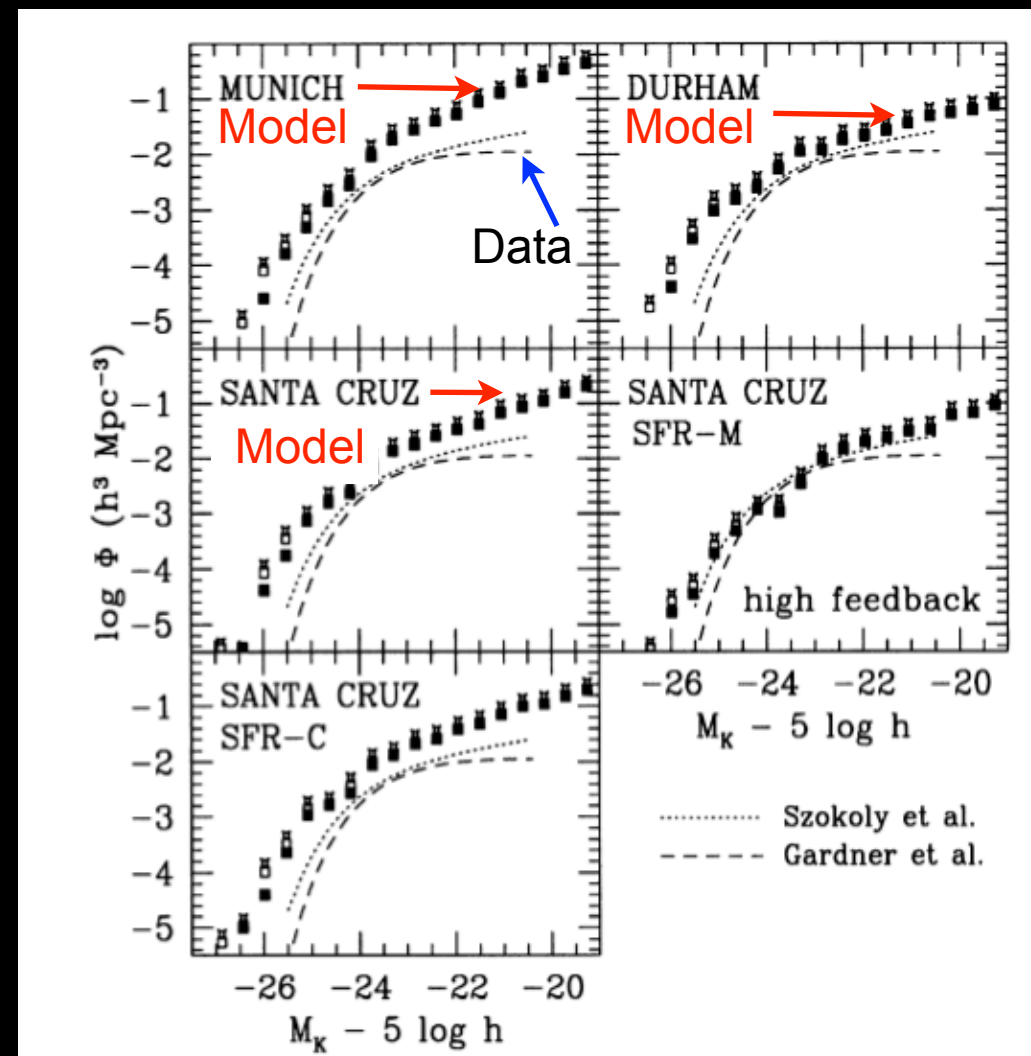
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In all first-generation SAM the number density of faint (low-mass) galaxies was over-predicted

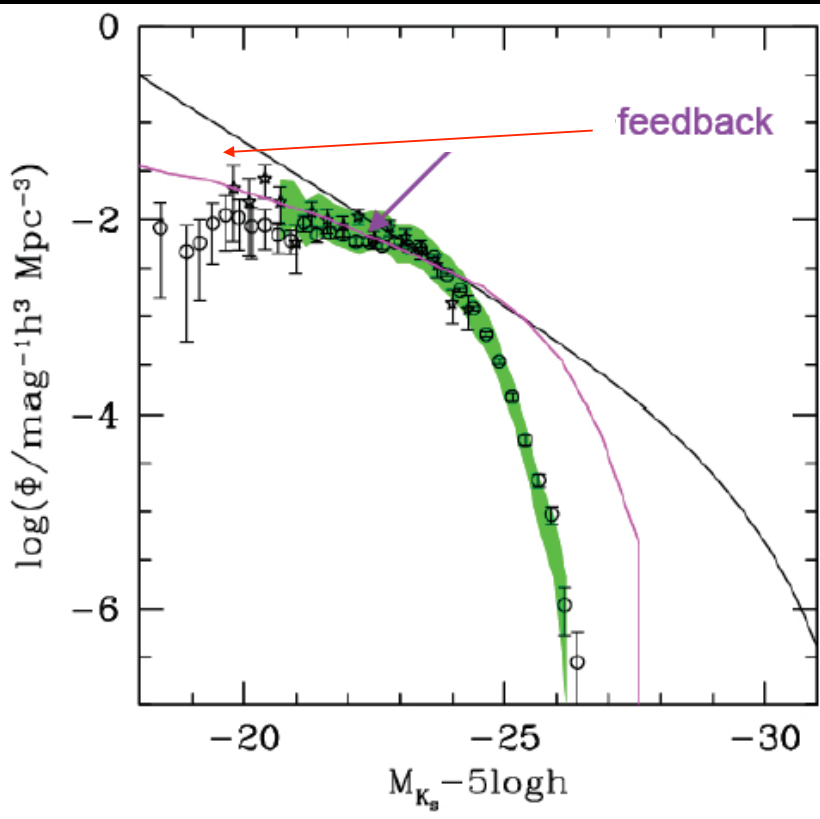
Bower et al. 2006



The K-Band Luminosity Function
Somerville et al. SAM



A first-order solution: feedback and UV background

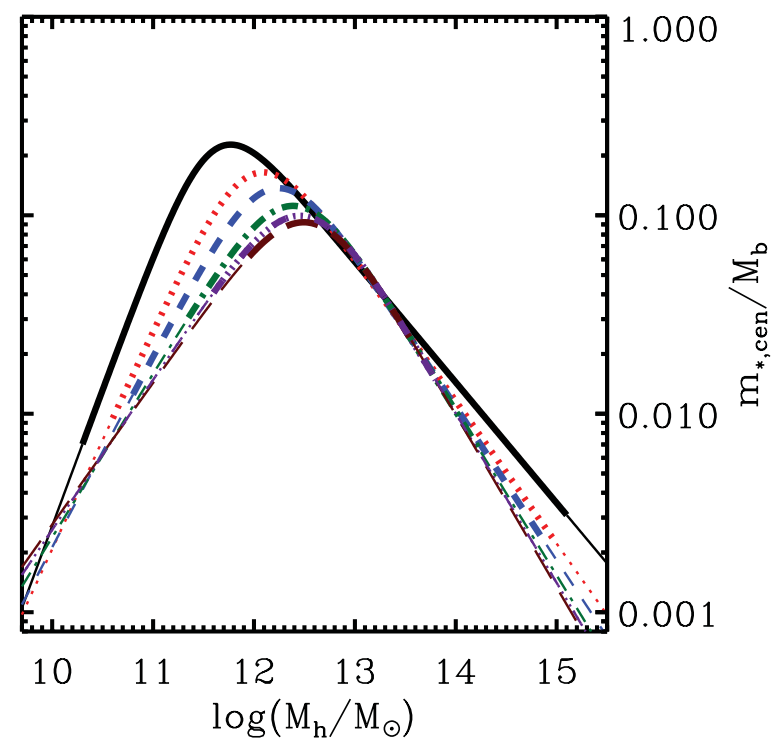


The origin of the problem:

The DM halo Mass function has a steep log slope $N \sim M^{-1.8}$
 While the Observed Galaxy Luminosity Function has a much flatter slope $N \sim L^{-1.2}$

A Possible Solution:

Suppress luminosity (star formation) in low-mass haloes $L/M \sim M^\beta$ $\beta=1-3$
 Heat - Expell Gas from shallow potential wells
 - Enhanced SN feedback
 - UV background



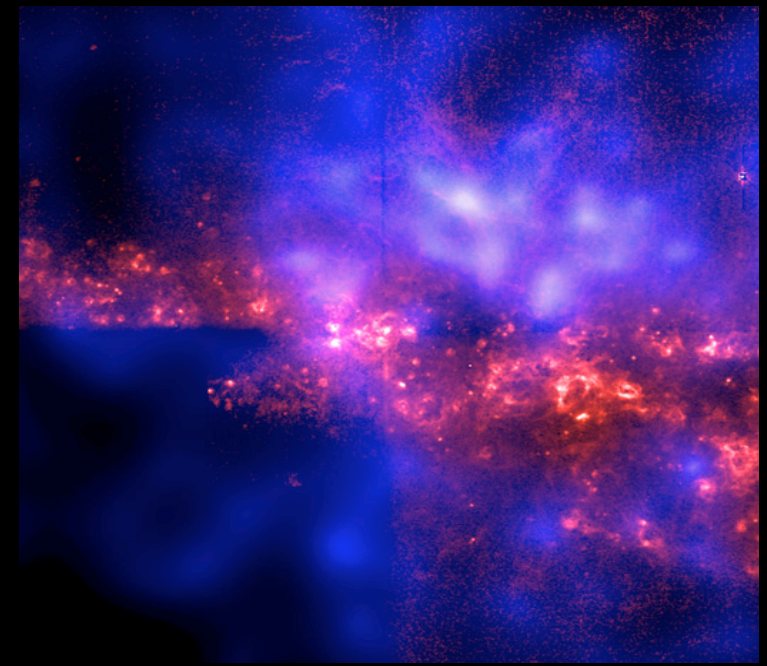
$$E_{SN} \approx 10^{51} \eta_0 \eta_{IMF} \Delta M_* \text{ erg/s}$$

At Z=0 the mass scale at which SN can effectively expell gas from DM potential wells

$$v_{SN} = \sqrt{E_{SN}/M_{gas}} \approx 100 \text{ km/s}$$

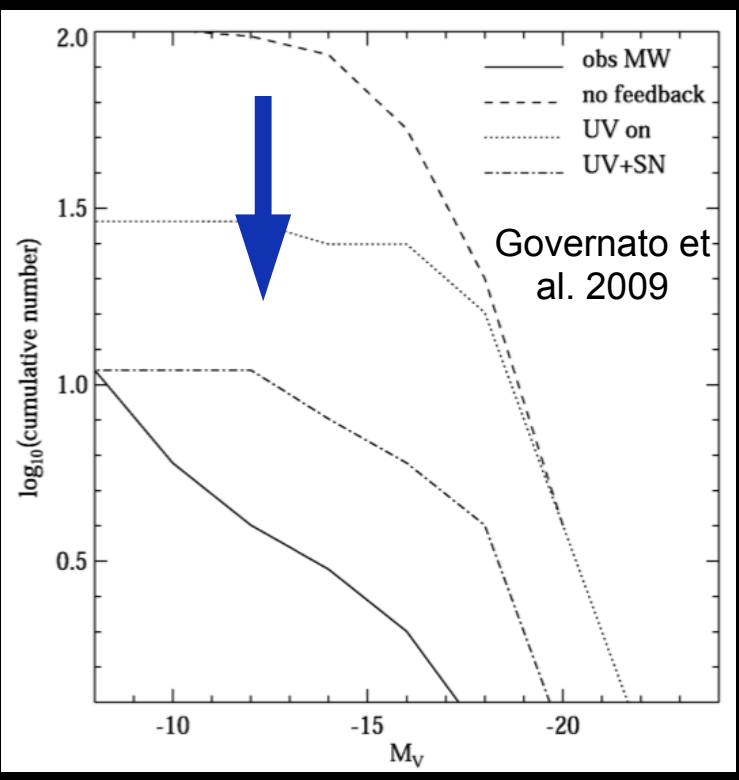
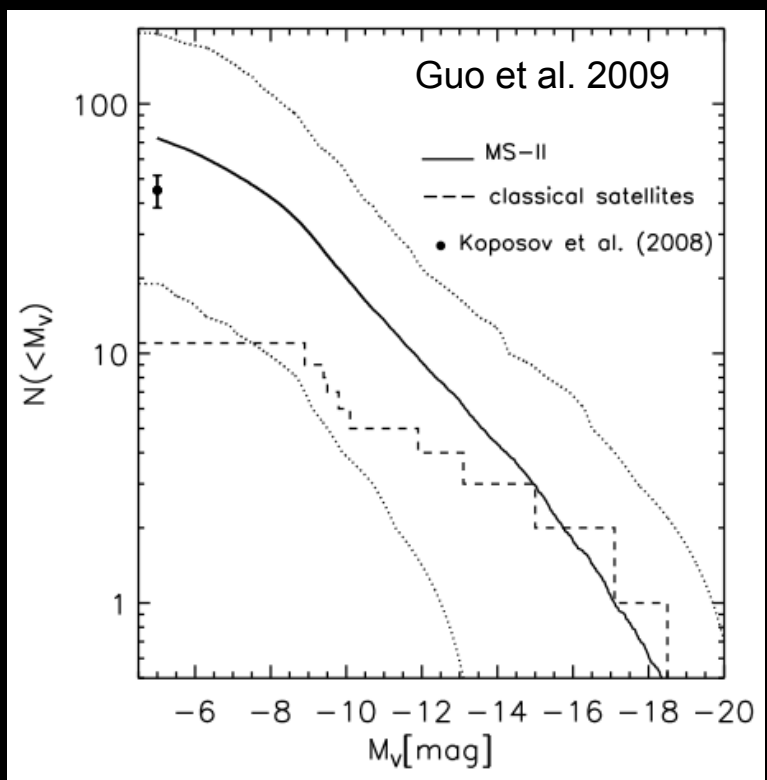
$$M_{SN} \sim 10^{10} M_\odot$$

at low z, at higher redshift the density is higher an M_{SN} increases

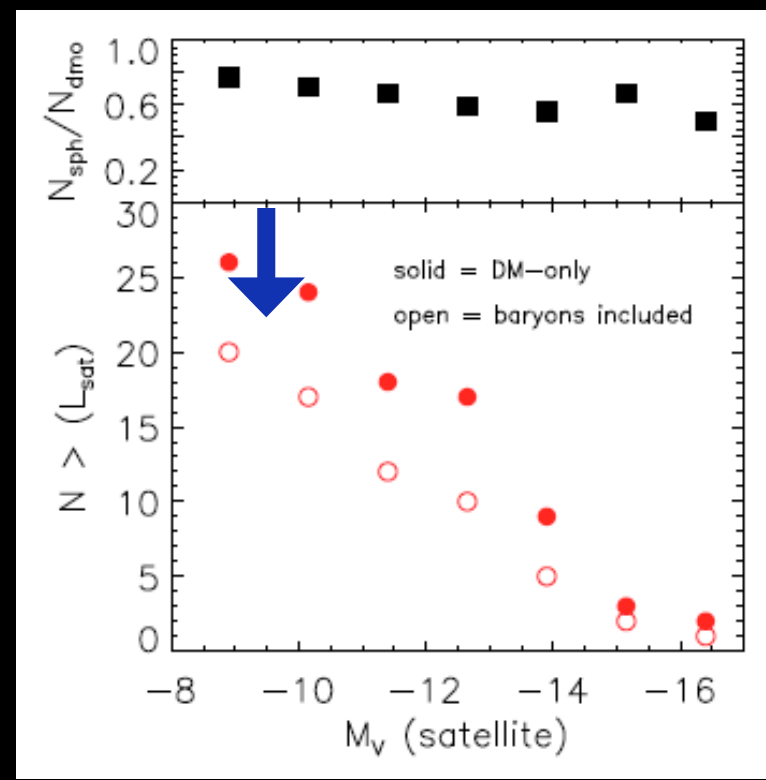


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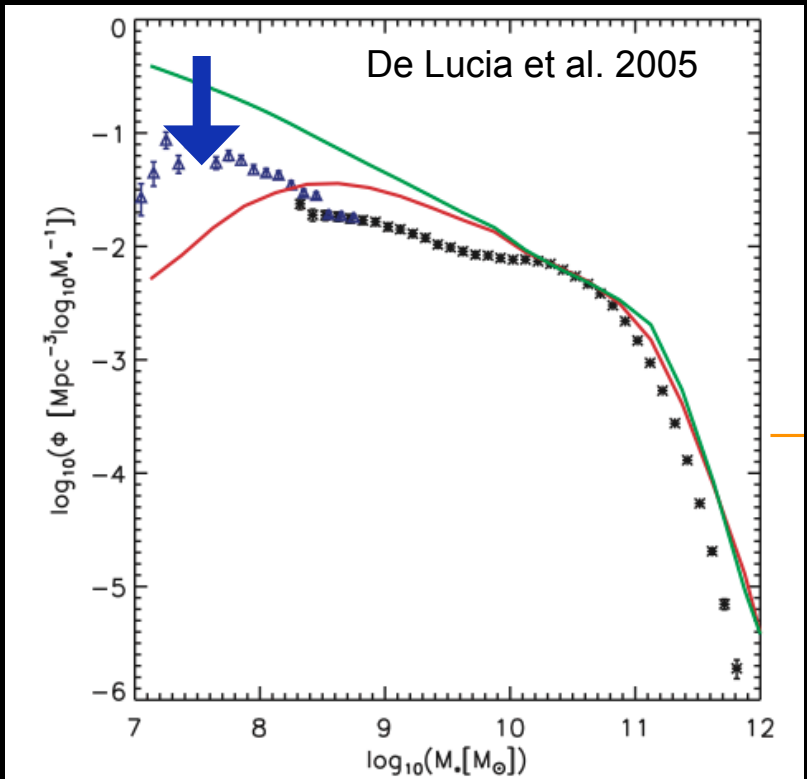
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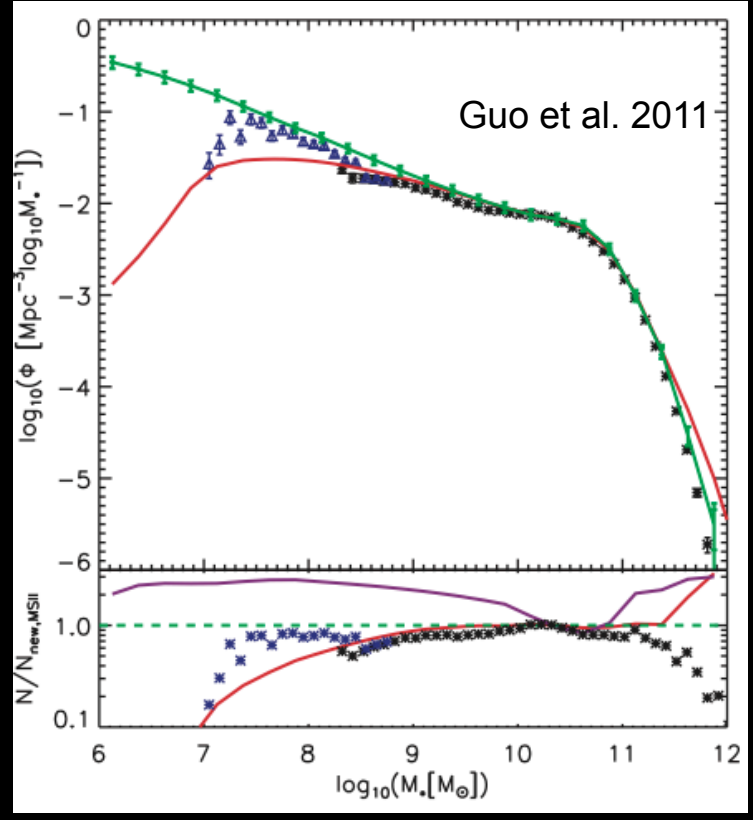


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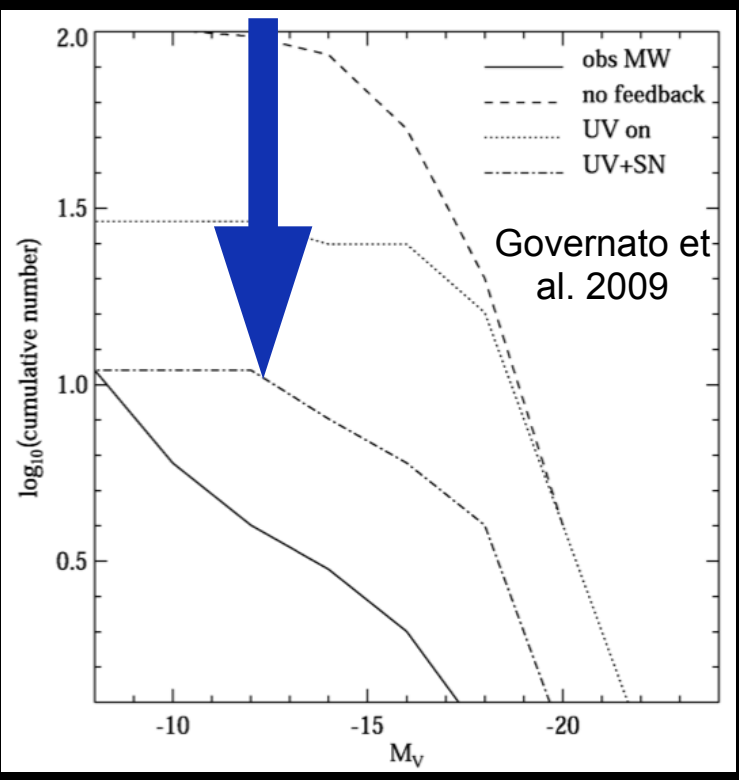
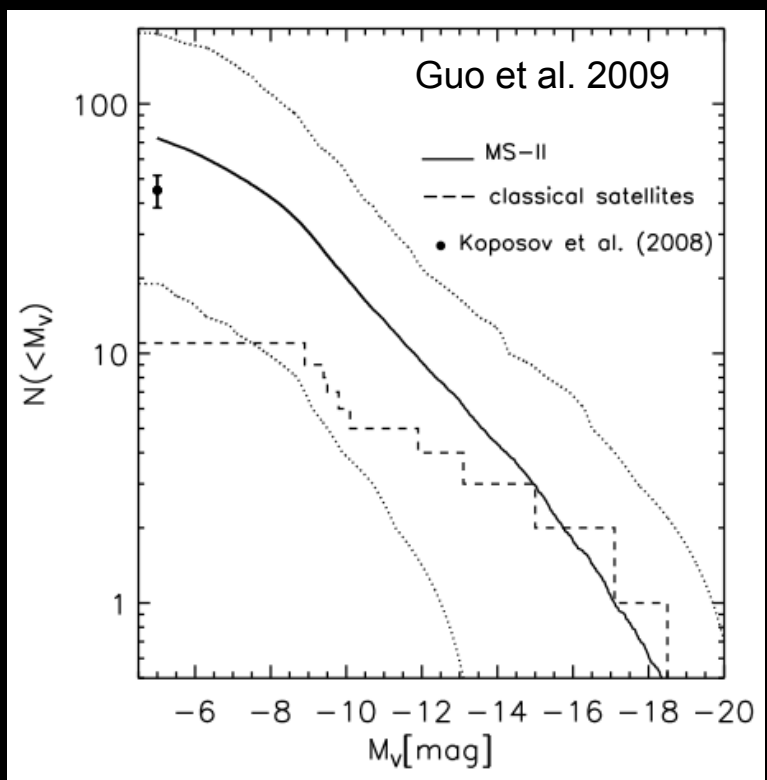
Refined treatment of Gas and Stellar Stripping

Enhanced (tuned) feedback dependence on the circular velocity of the DM halo

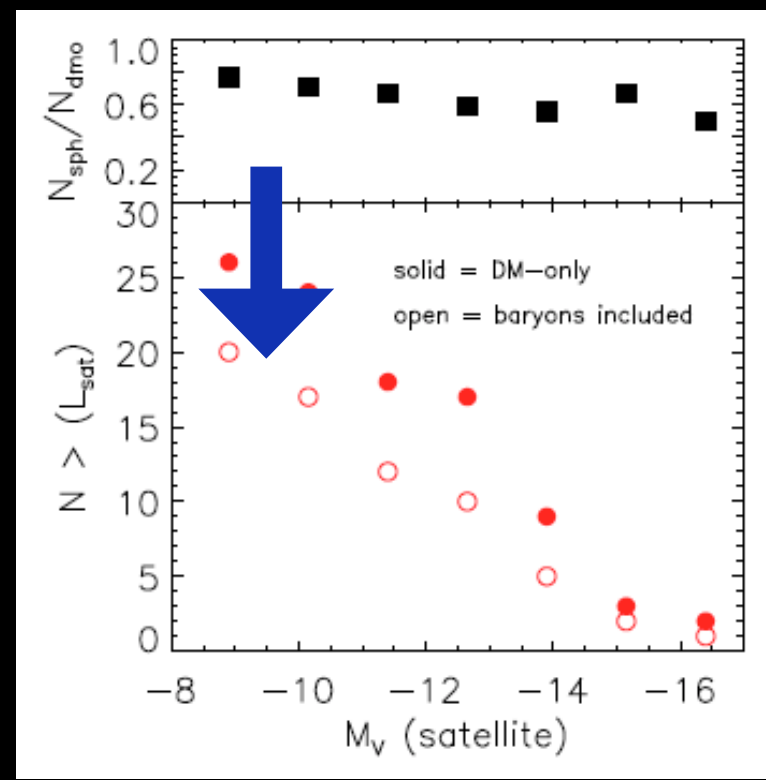


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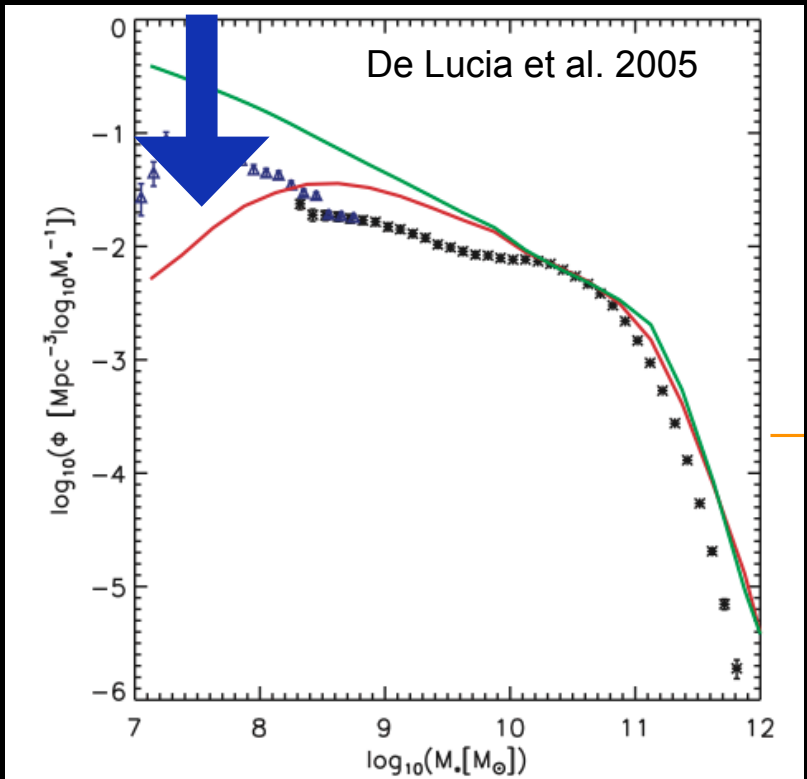
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Brooks & Zolotov 2014

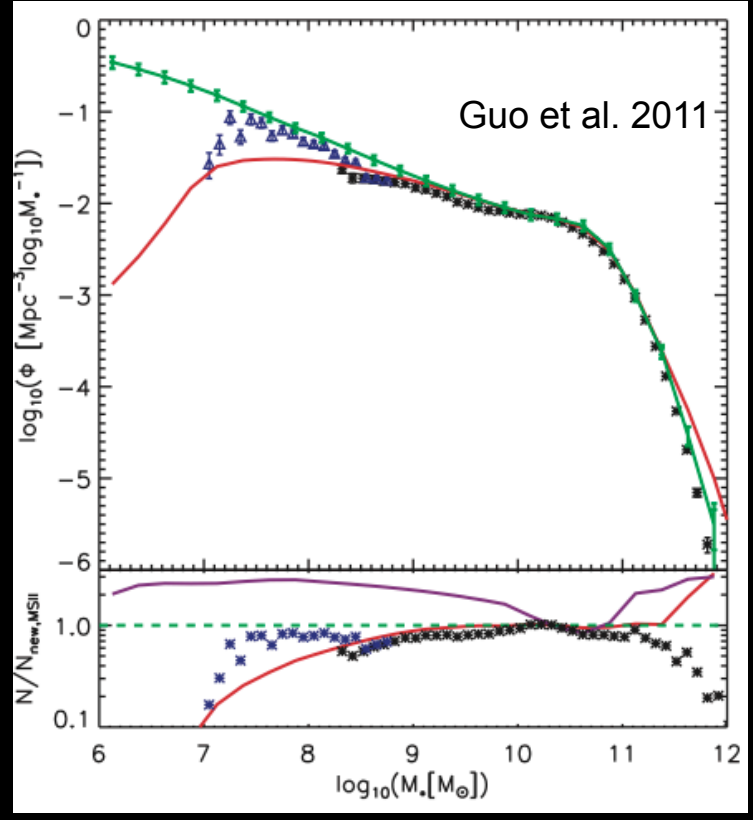


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Refined treatment of Gas and Stellar Stripping

Enhanced (tuned) feedback dependence on the circular velocity of the DM halo

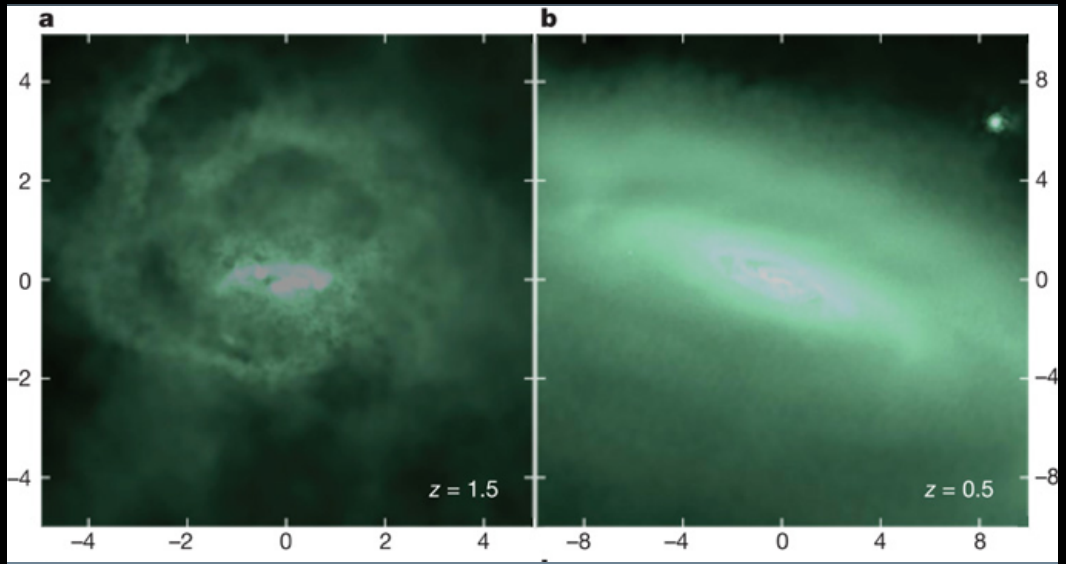


Feedback and UV background

iii) the density profiles

A proposed solution at low redshift

"... The rapid fluctuations caused by episodic feedback progressively pump energy into the DM particle orbits, so that they no longer penetrate to the centre of the halo" (Weinberg et al. 2013, Governato et al. 2012)



Governato et al. 2012

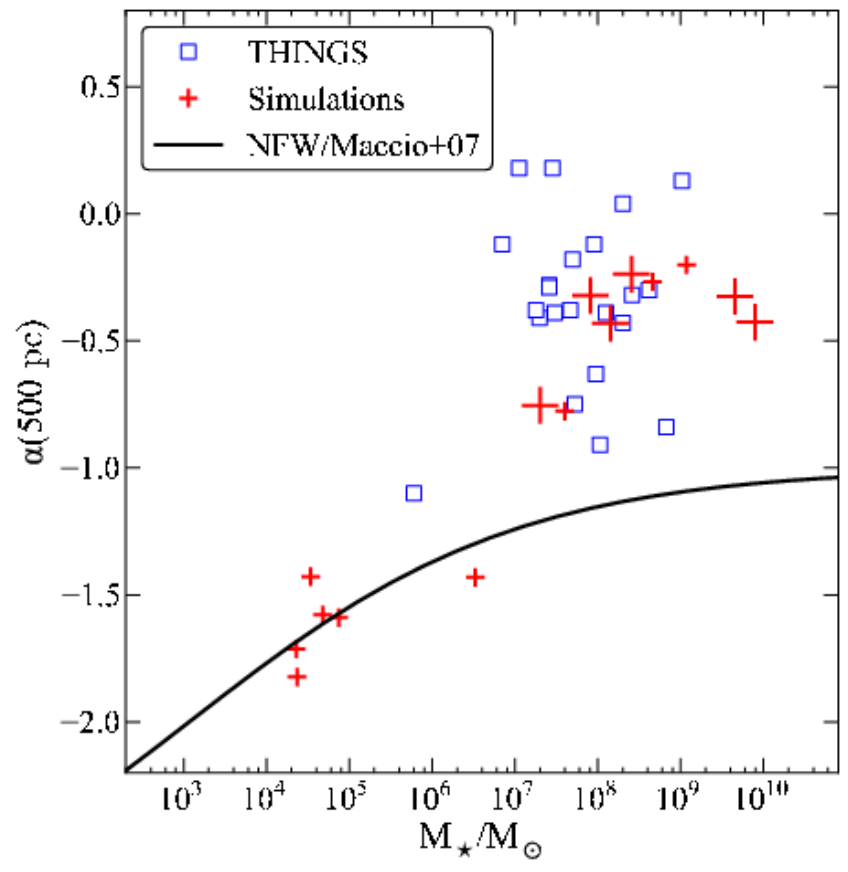
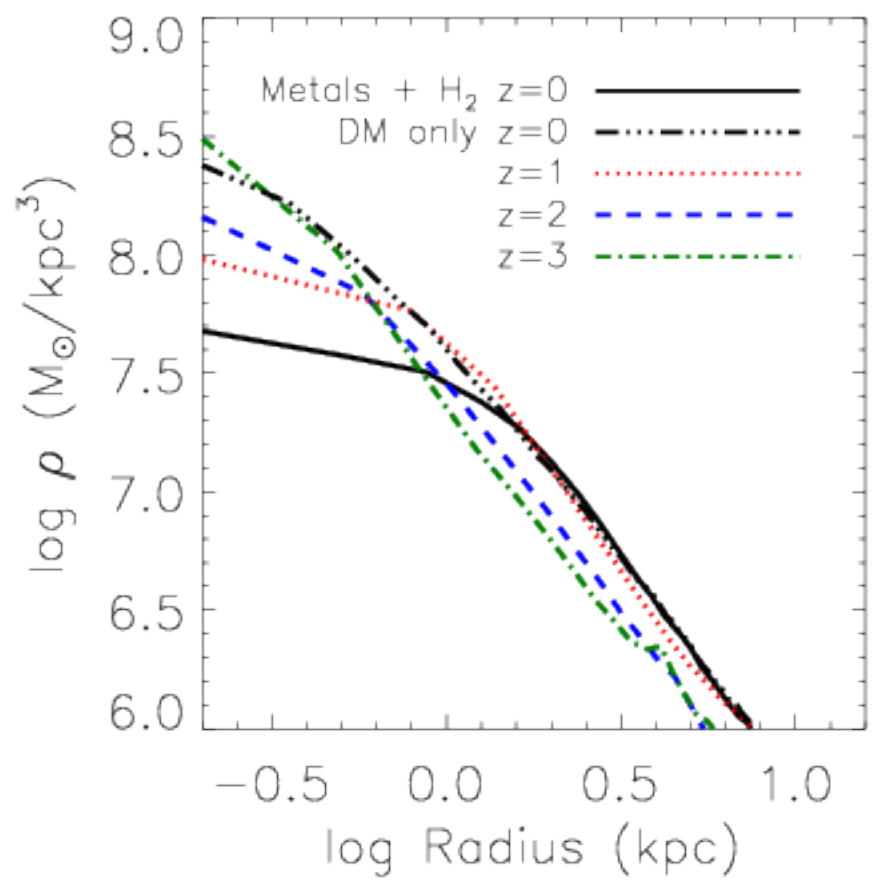
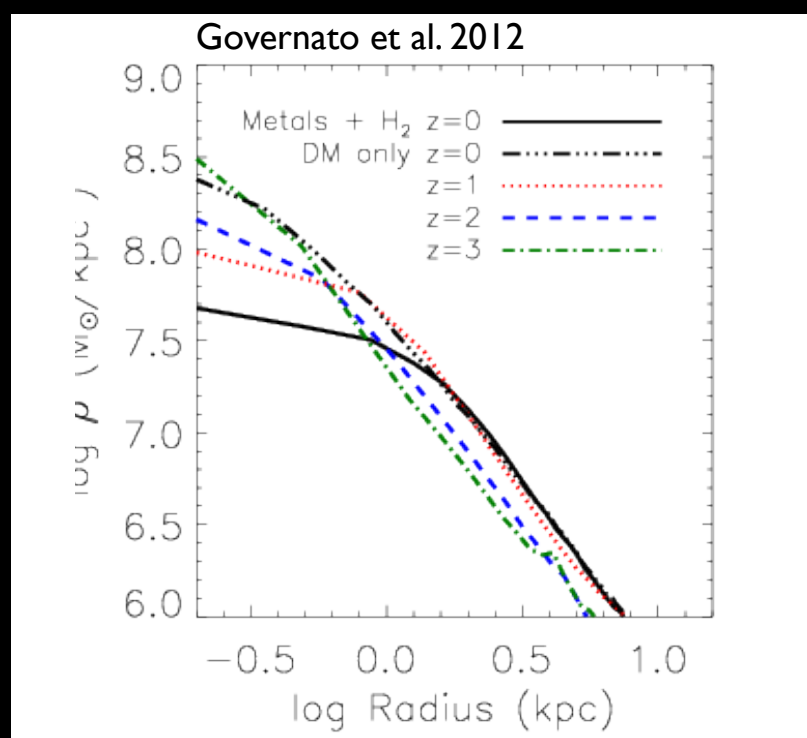


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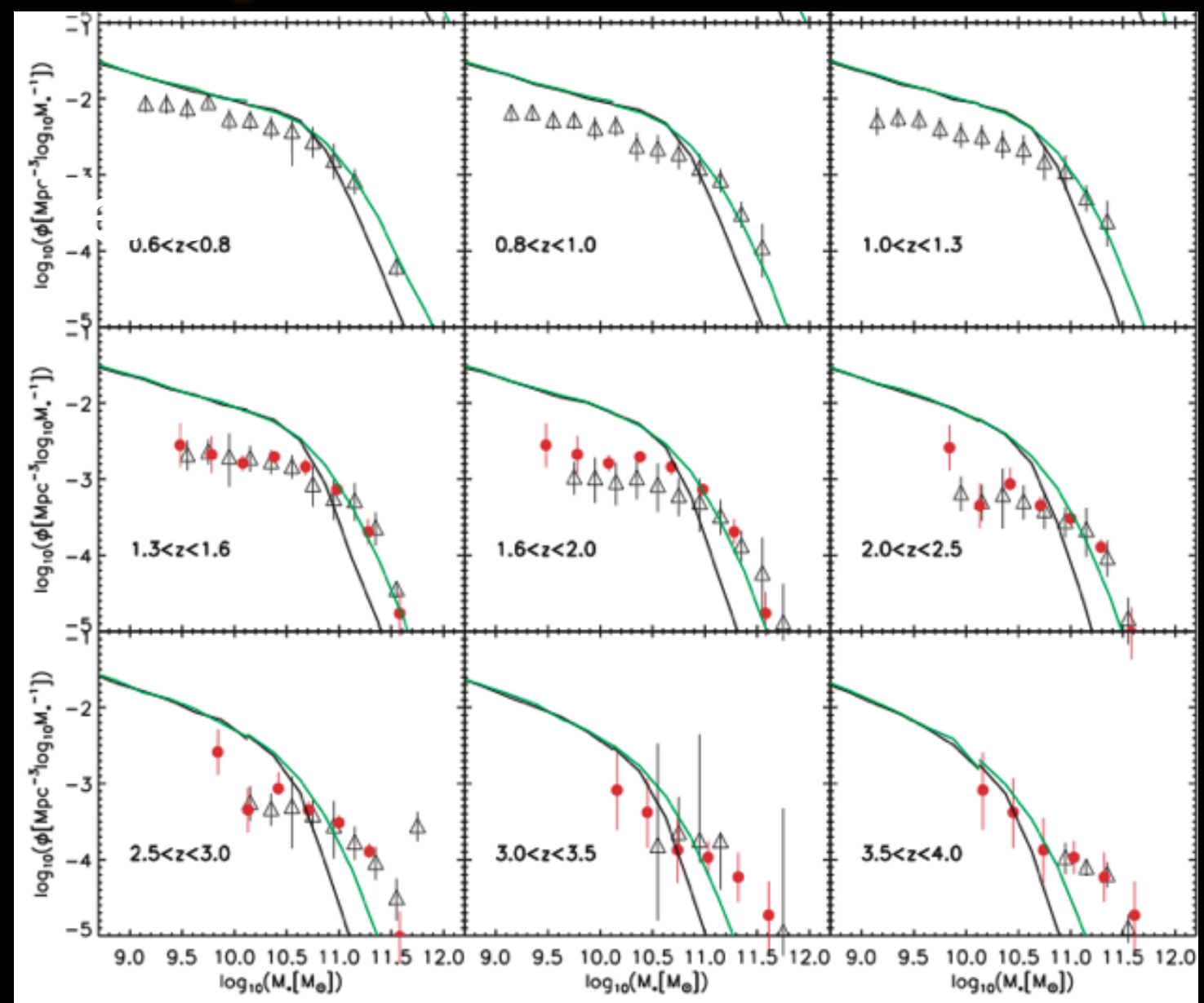
The problem persists at high redshifts

Even with strong feedback, for $z \geq 1$ in CDM

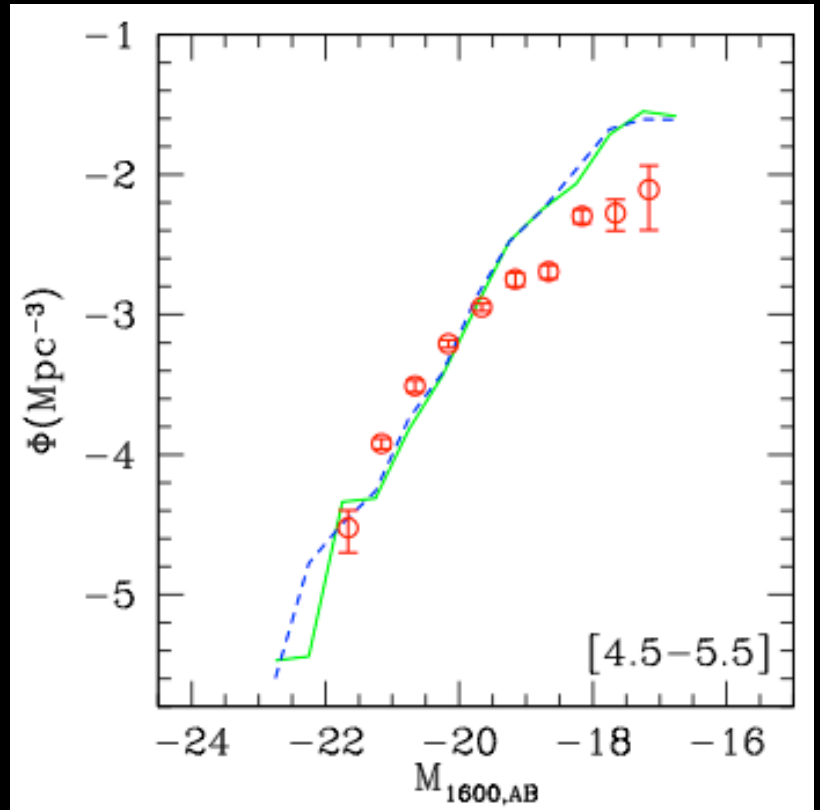
- Steeper central profiles are expected
- Steeper luminosity functions are expected



Stellar Mass Functions Guo et al. 2011



UV Luminosity Function $z > 4$ Lo Faro et al. 2009



The problem persists at high redshifts

Corresponds to a mass scale affected by non-gravitational SN energy injection

$$M \approx (v_{esc}^2 / G) r$$

$$r \propto (M/\rho)^{1/3}$$

$$\rho = 180 \rho_u = 180 \rho_u (1+z)^3$$

$$M \approx A v_{esc}^3 (1+z)^{-3/2}$$

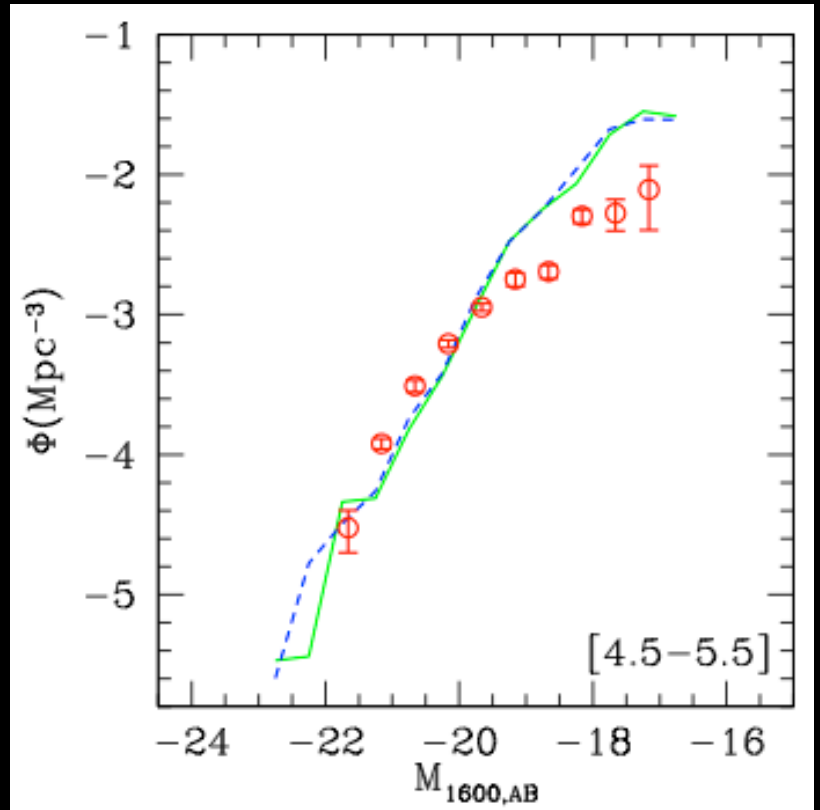
$$A \equiv \sqrt{3/G^3 4\pi \rho_u}$$

$$v_{esc} = v_{SN} \rightarrow M_{SN} \approx A v_{SN}^3 (1+z)^{-3/2}$$

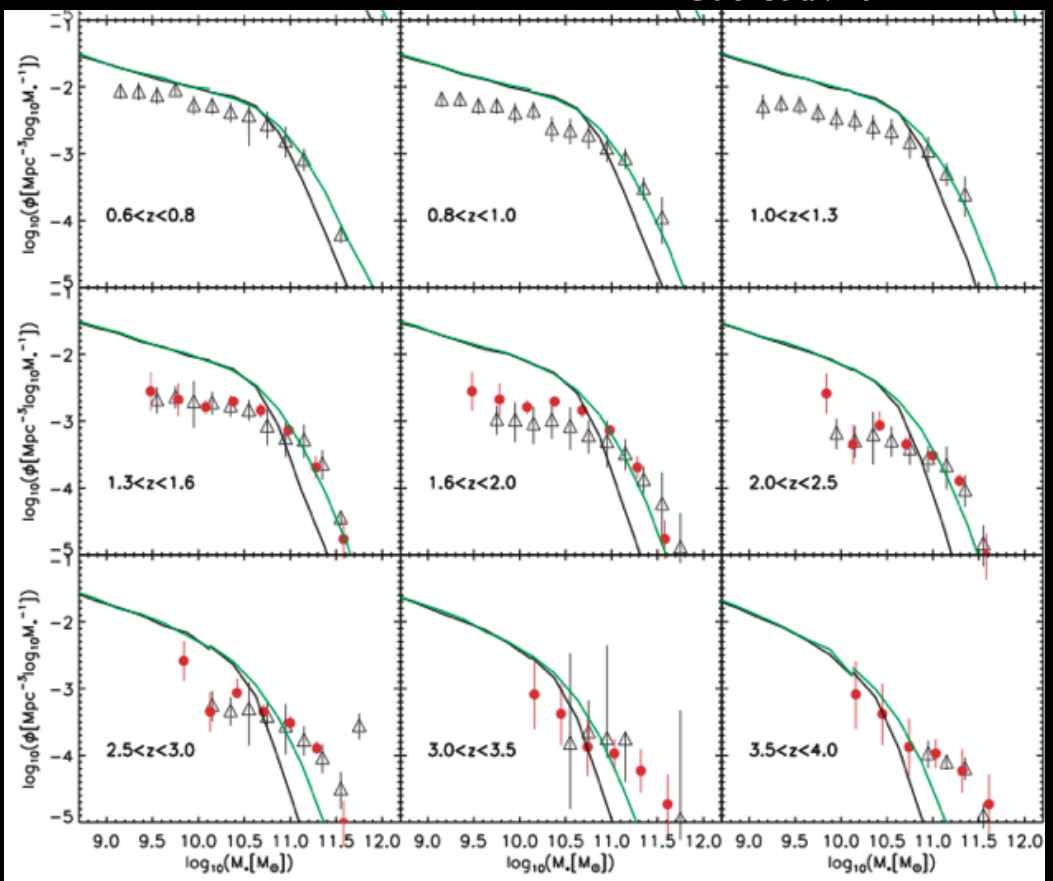
at $z \approx 0$ $M_{SN} \sim 10^{10} M_{\odot}$

At high- z
larger densities imply
larger escape velocity
even for low-mass galaxies
feedback increasingly
ineffective

Lo Faro et al. 2009



Guo et al. 2011



In addition, enhancing the feedback results into inefficient star formation for given DM halo (suppress L/M).

This seems at variance with observed $M_{\text{star}}-M$ relation

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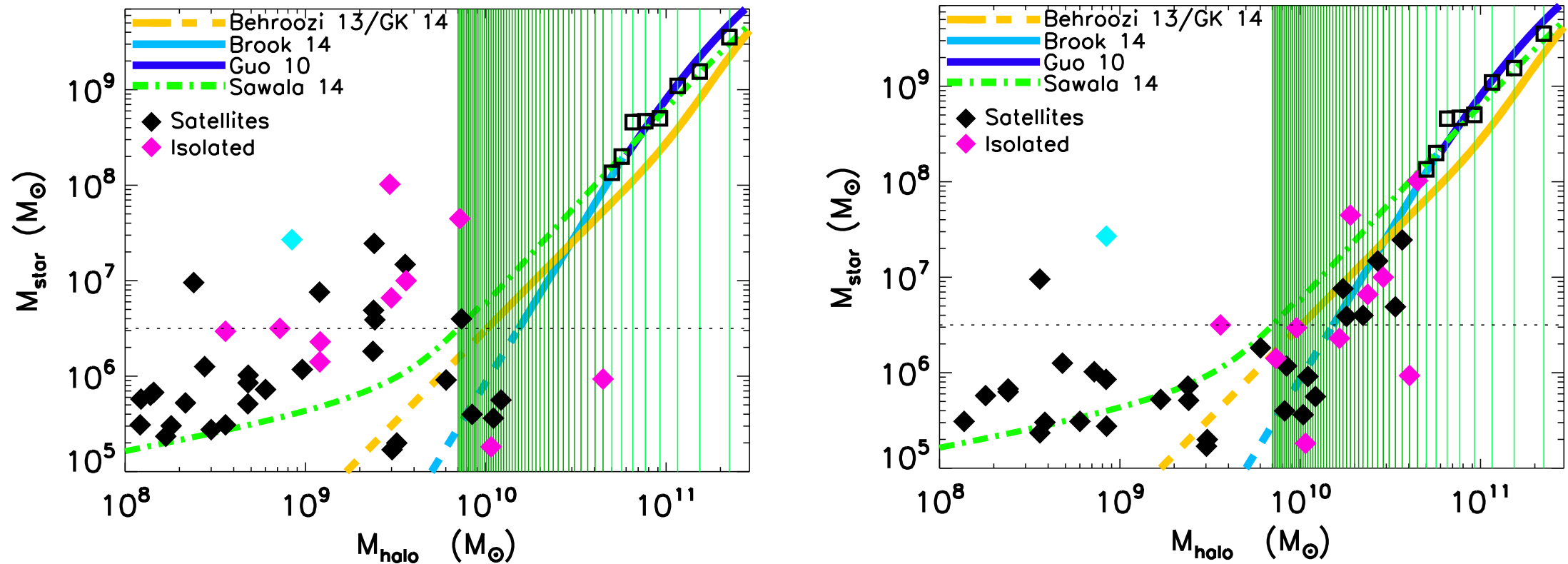


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Critical Issues after Including Feedback

Overabundance of low-mass objects

- i) abundance of satellite DM haloes
- ii) density profiles → Steepen for $z > 1$
- iii) abundance of faint galaxies → Persists at high redshift
- iv) the $M^* - M_{\text{halo}}$ relation → Stems from suppressed L/M
(*too big to fail problem*)
- v) star formation histories of satellites

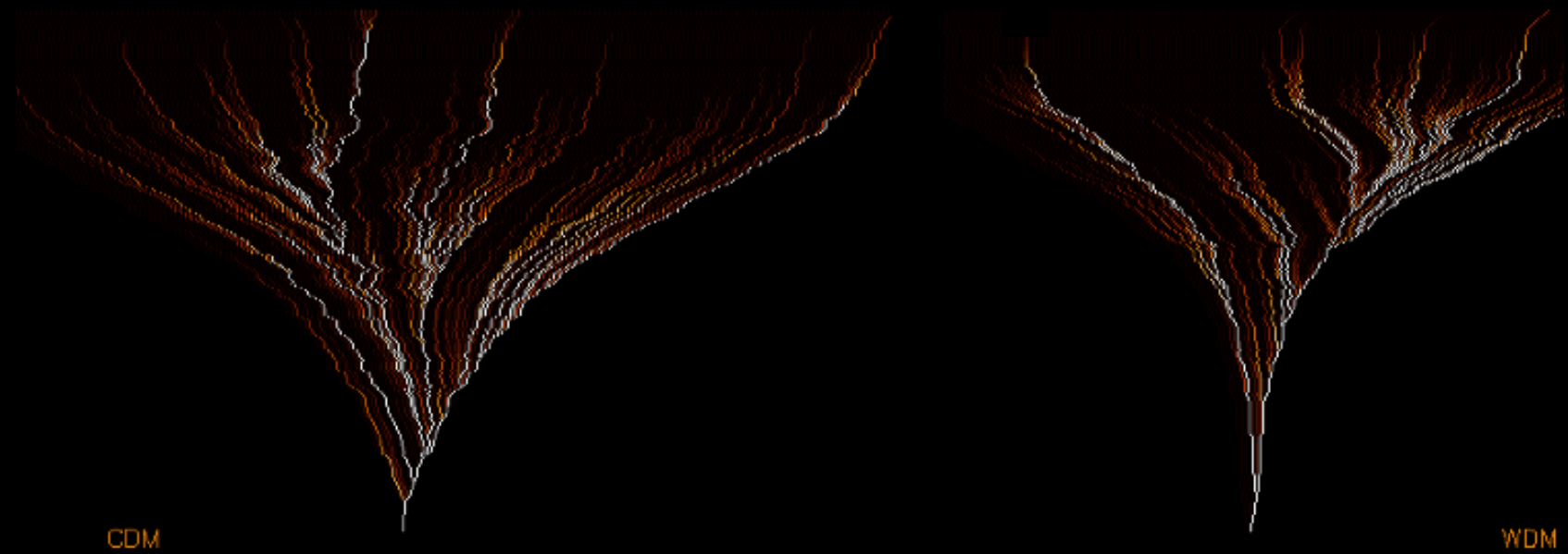
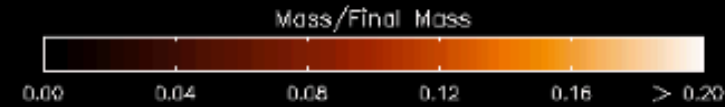
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Too many low-mass structures

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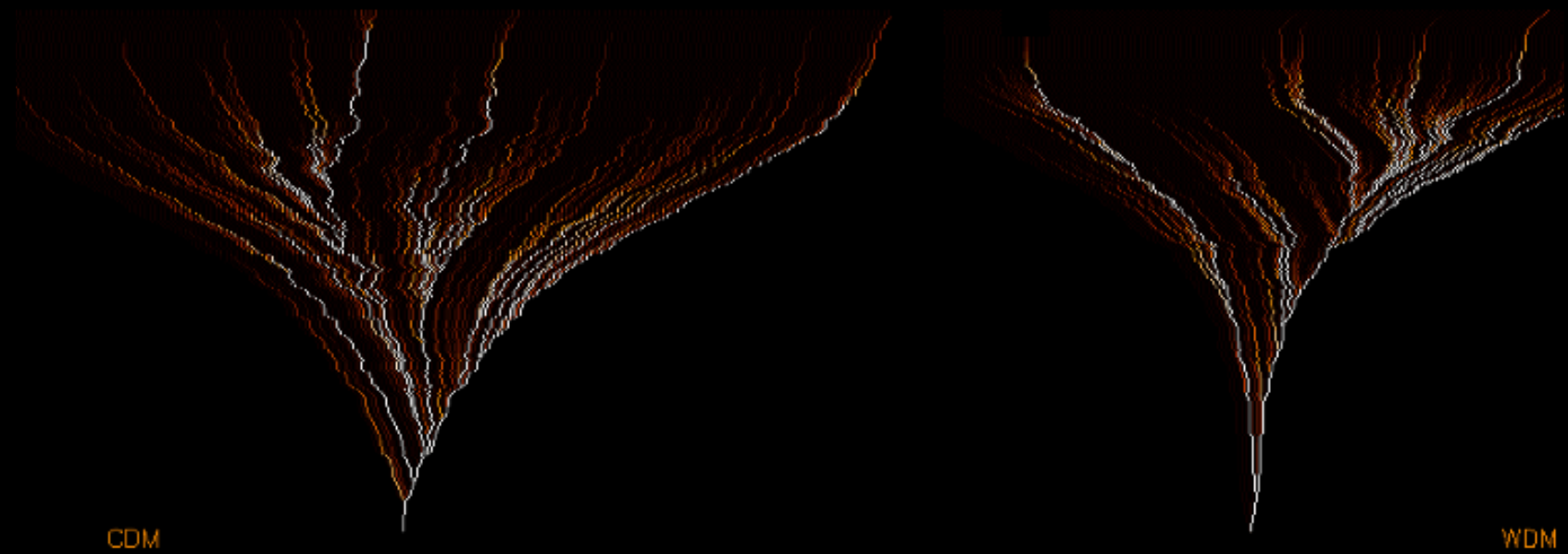
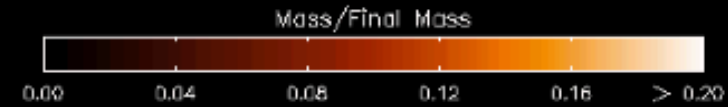
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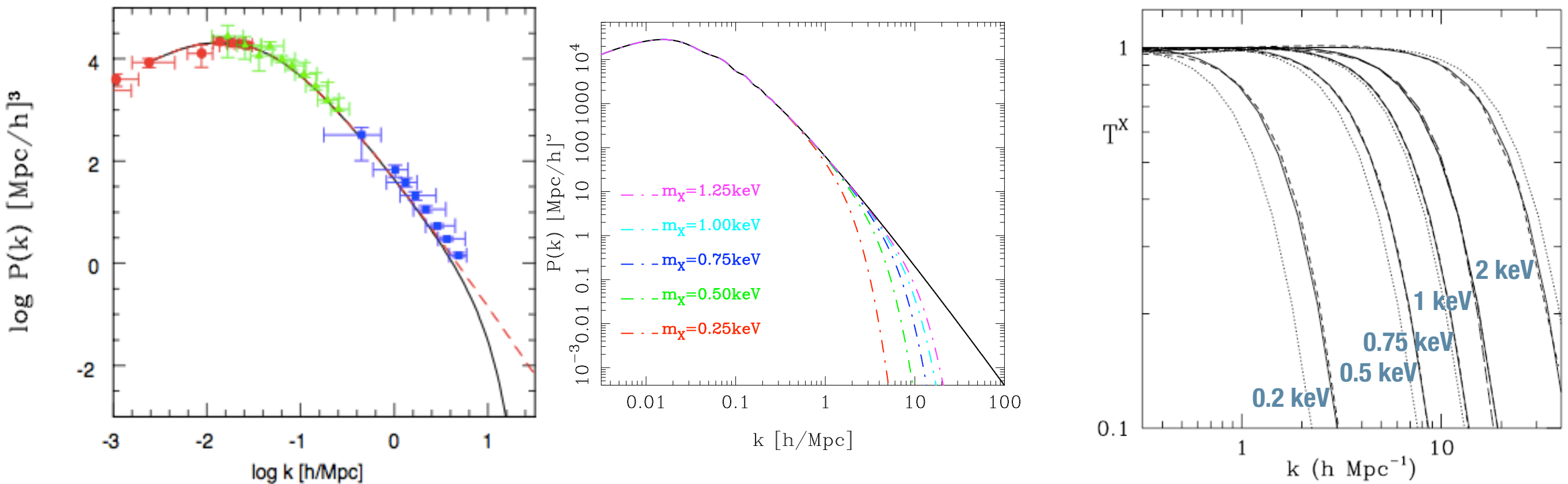
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Rome PANDA
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NM, A. Lamstra

Implementing WDM power spectrum in the galaxy formation model



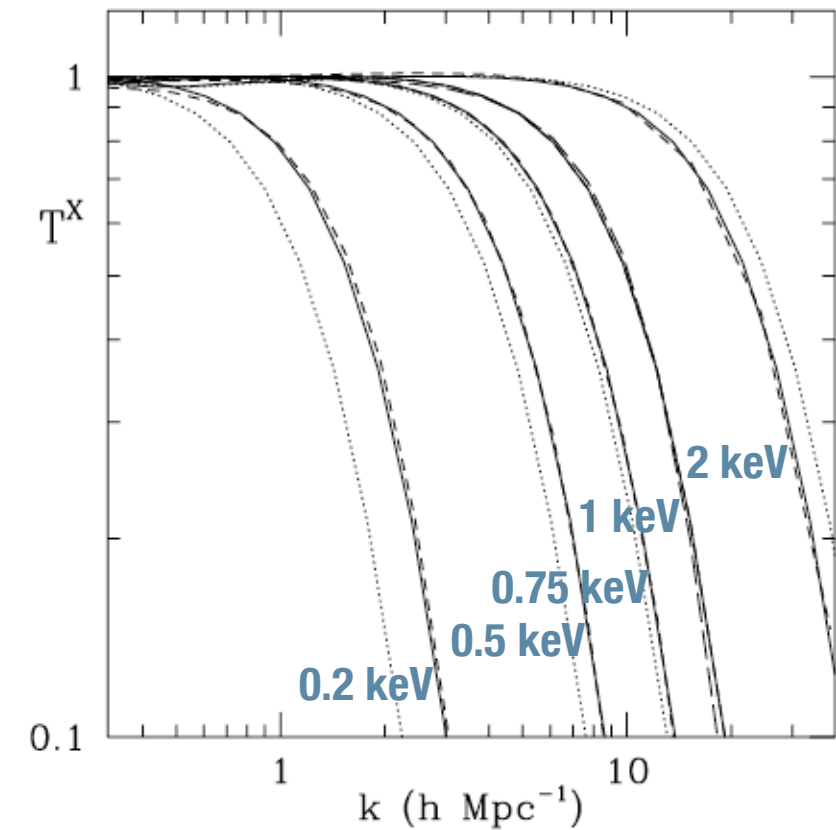
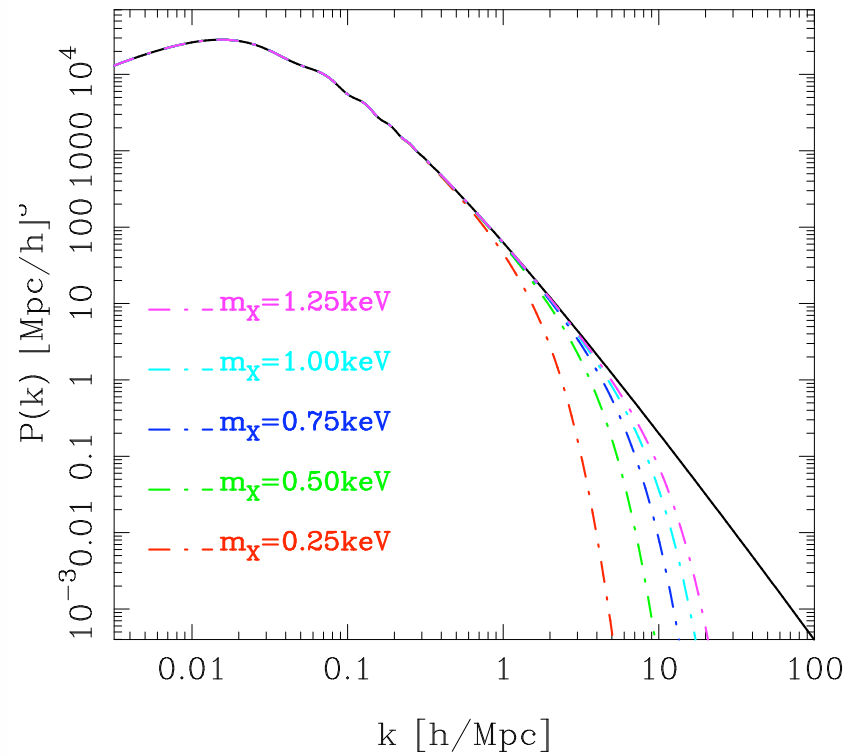
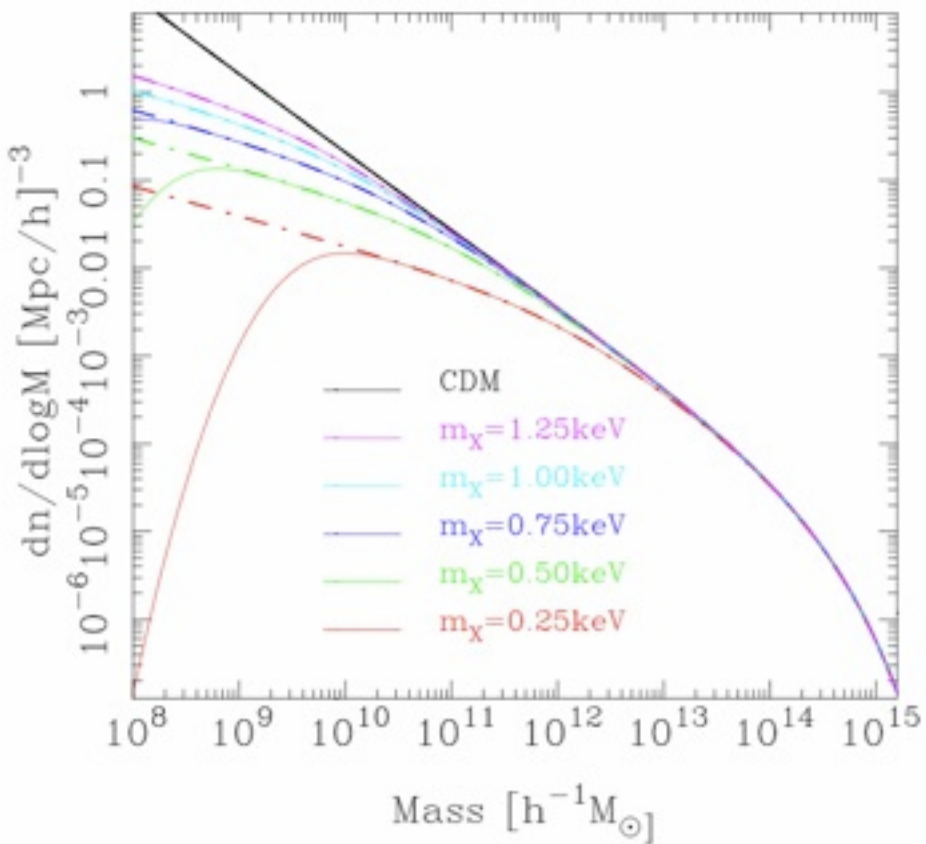
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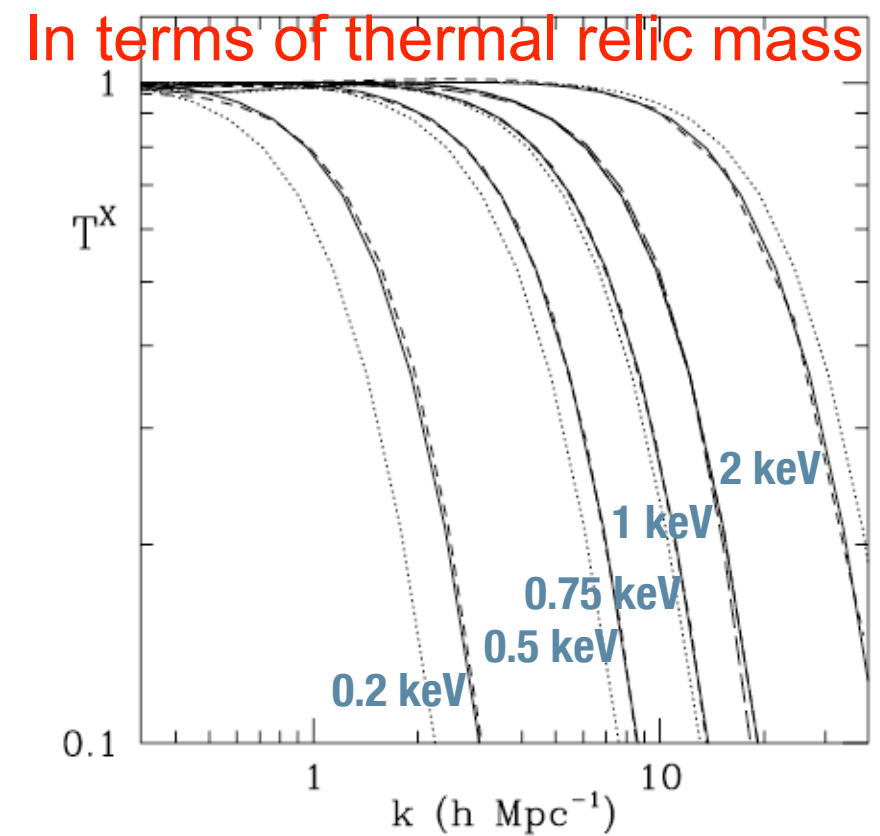
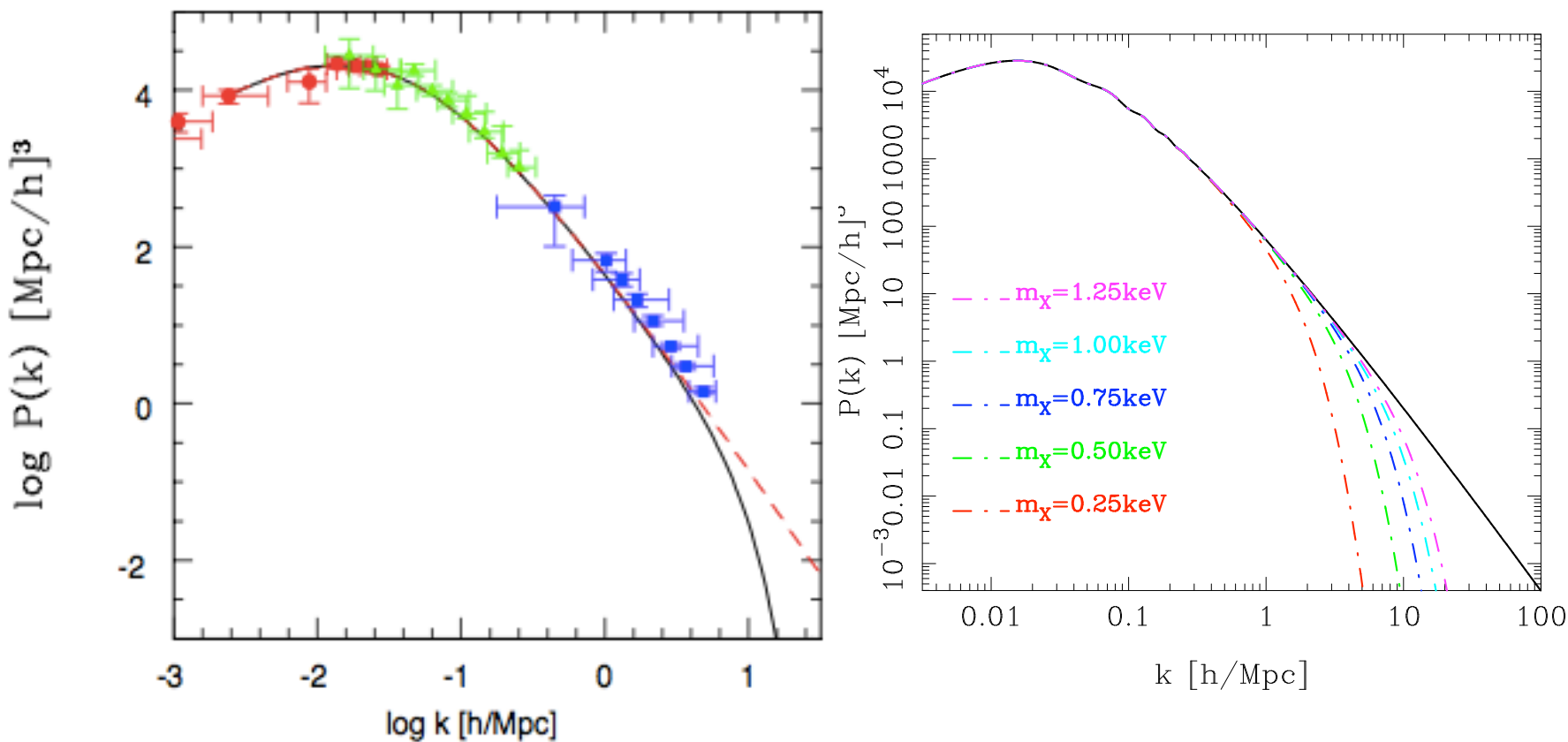


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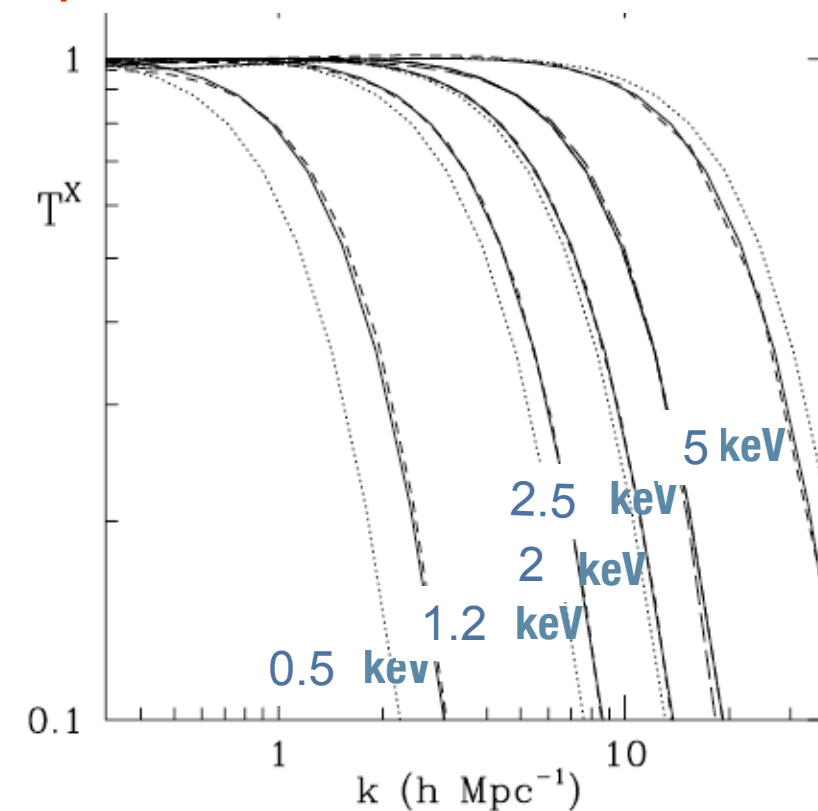
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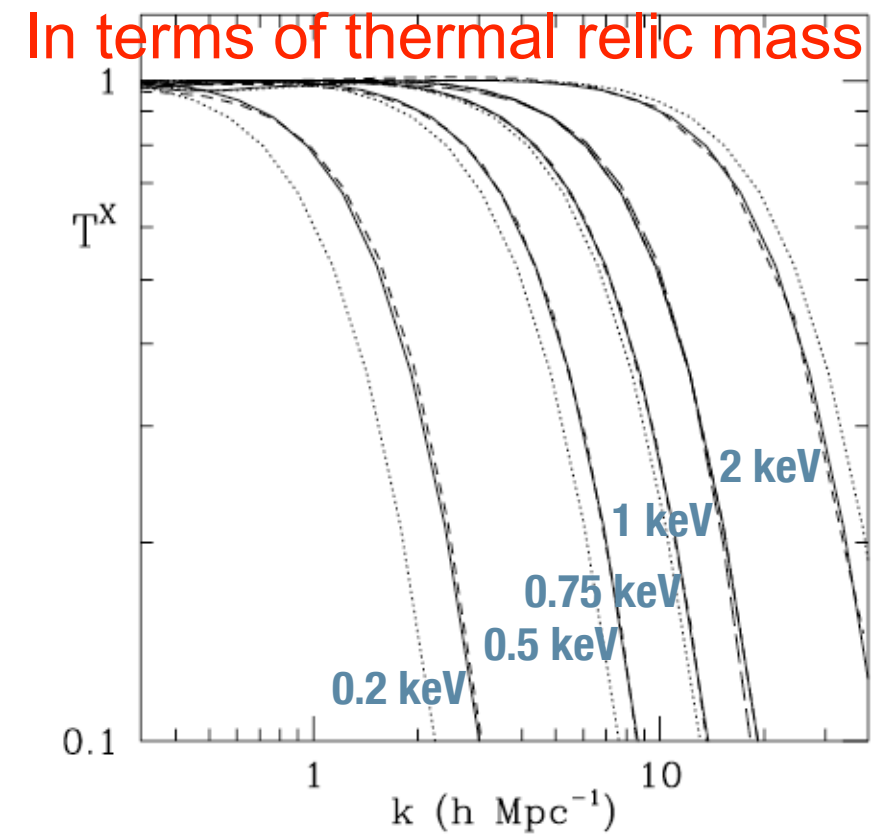
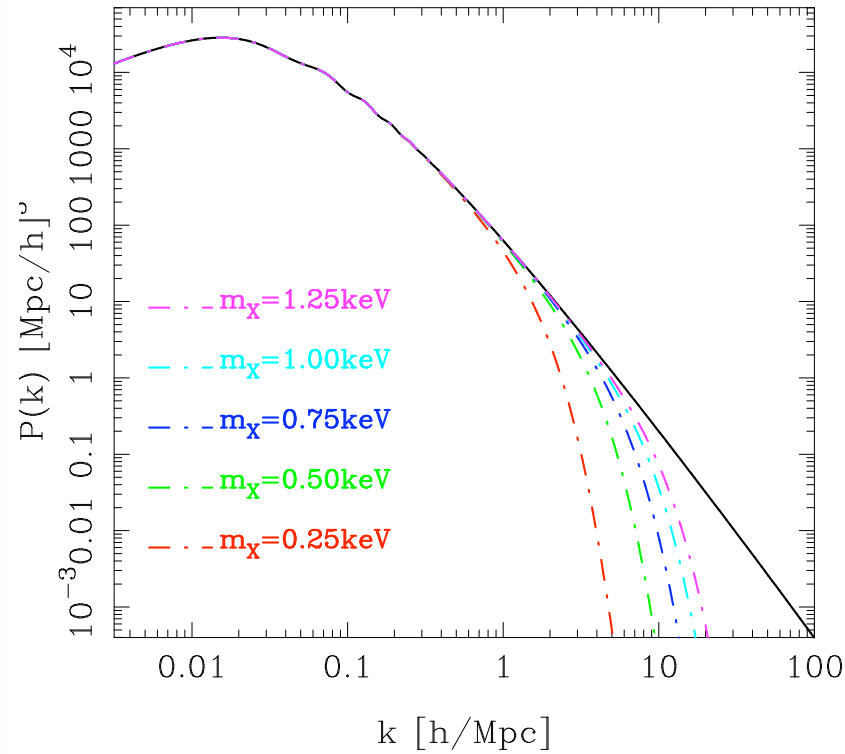
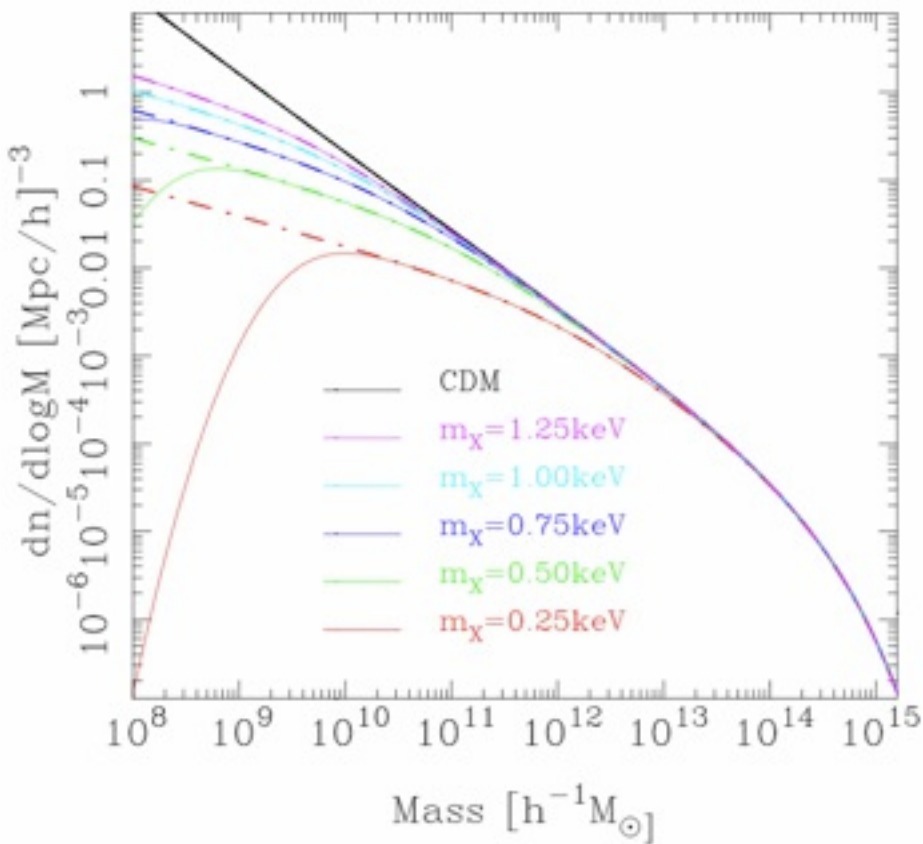
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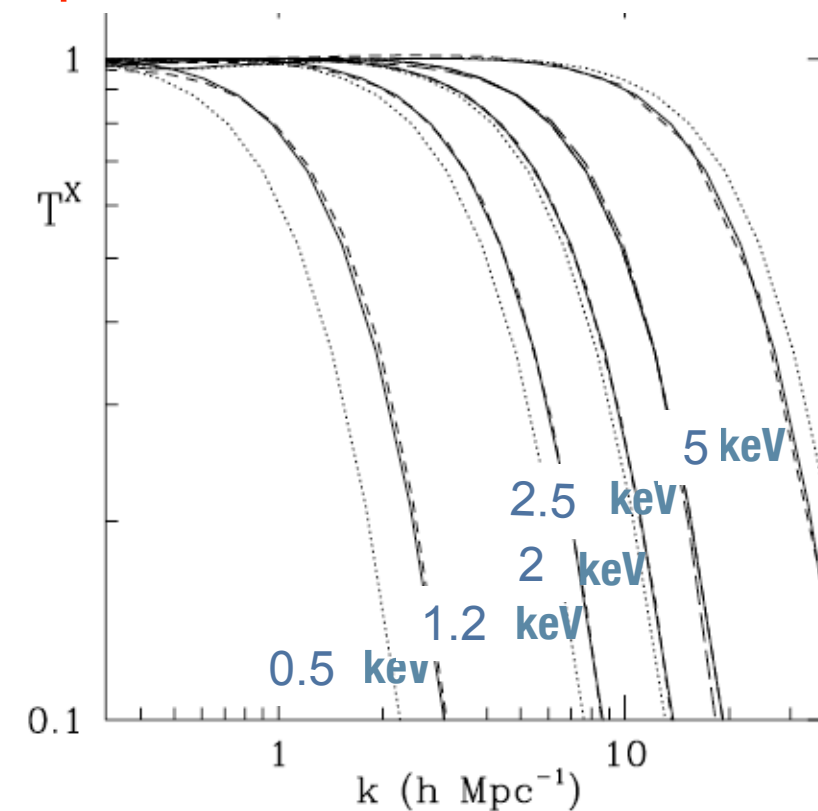
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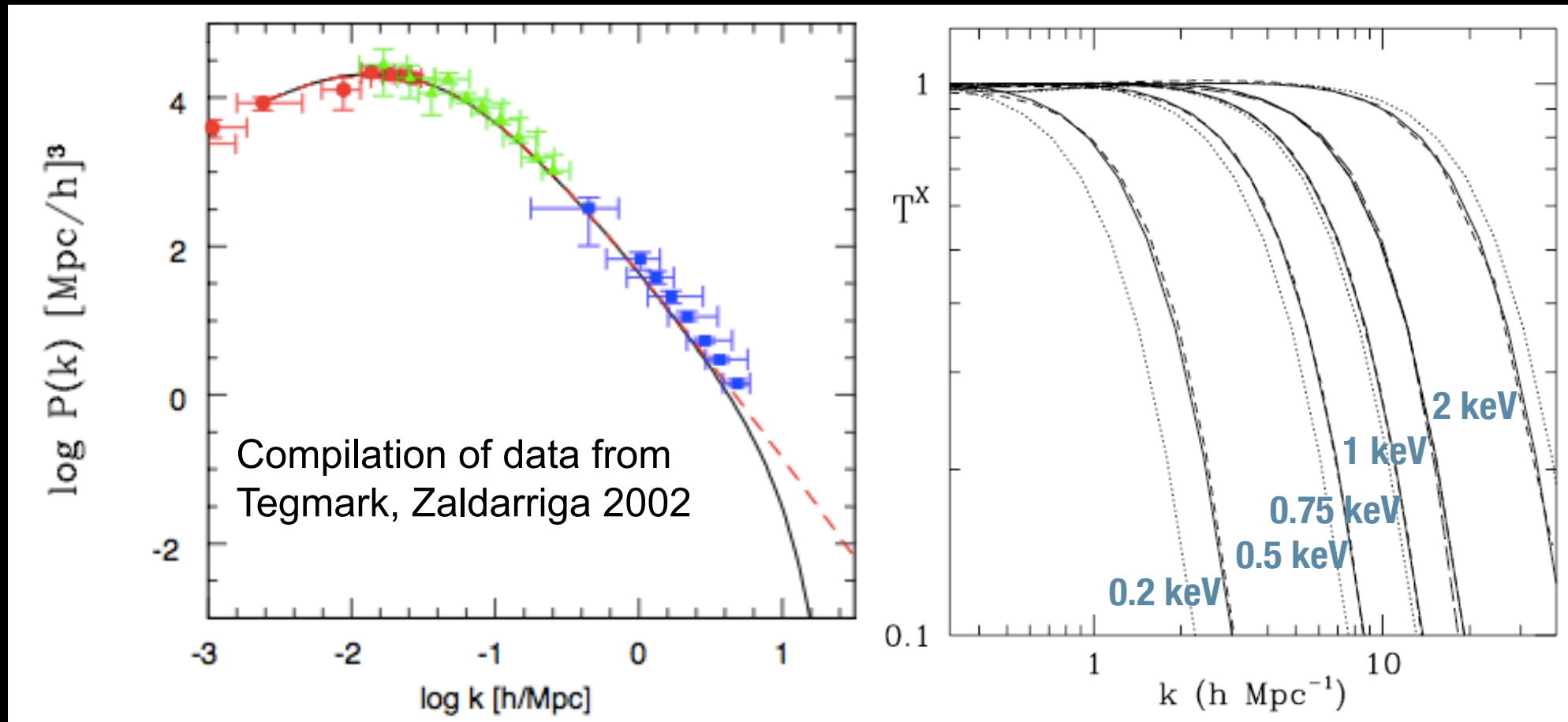


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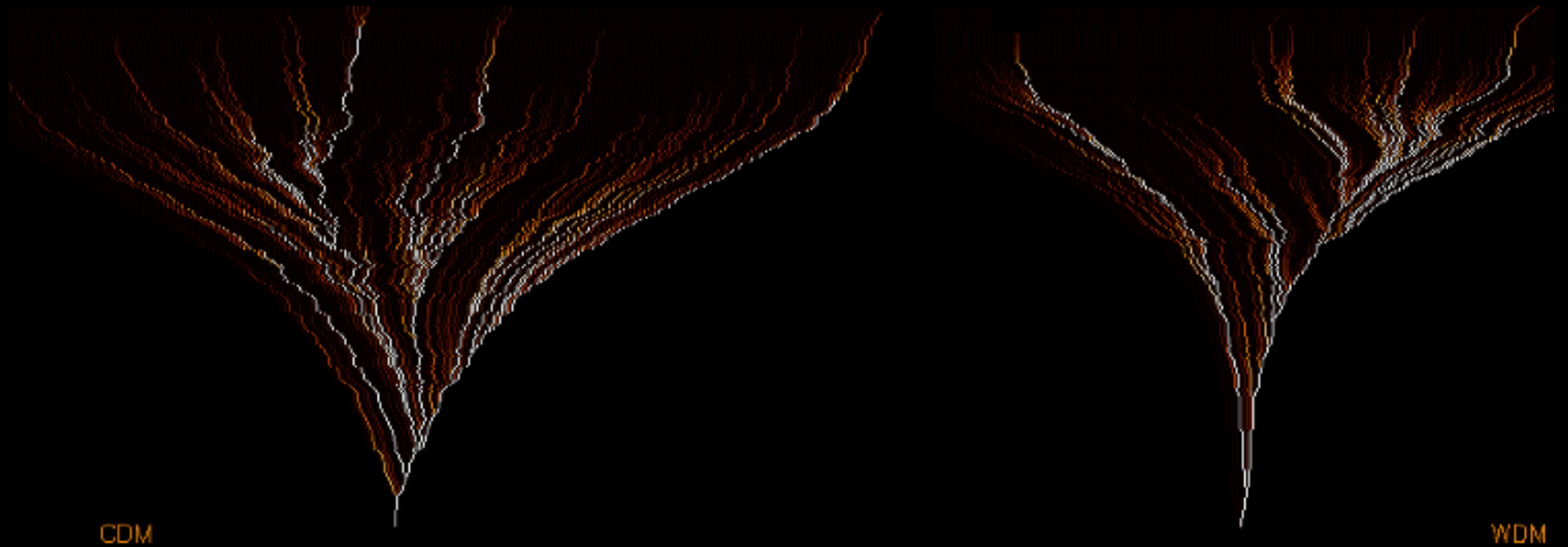
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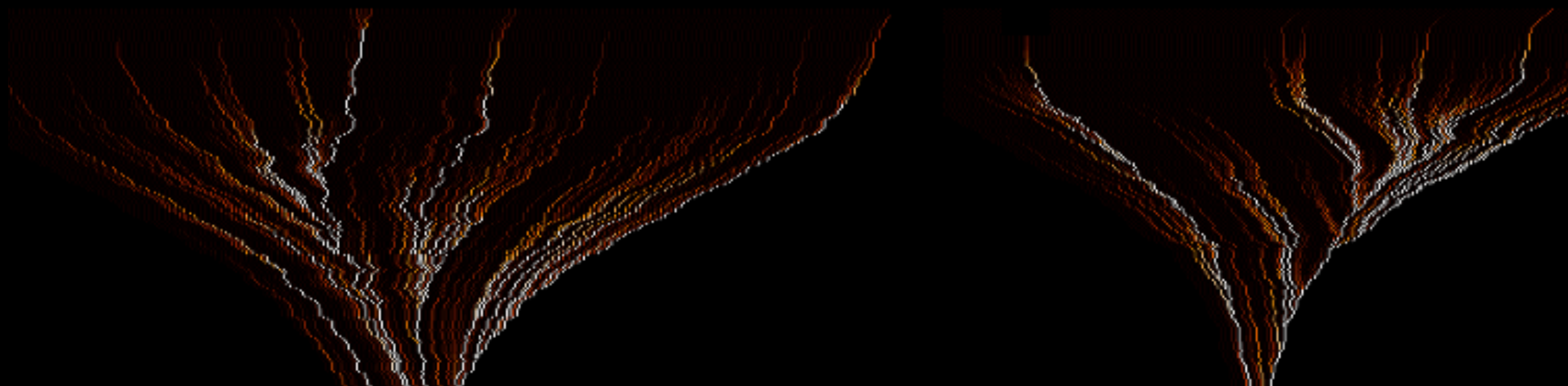


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Halo Properties

Density Profiles

Virial Temperature

Gas Properties

Profiles

Cooling - Heating

Collapse

Disk formation

Star Formation

Gas Heating (feedback)

SNae

UV background

Evolution of stellar

populations

WDM

Galaxy formation in WDM implies computing how modifications of the power spectrum propagate to the above processes

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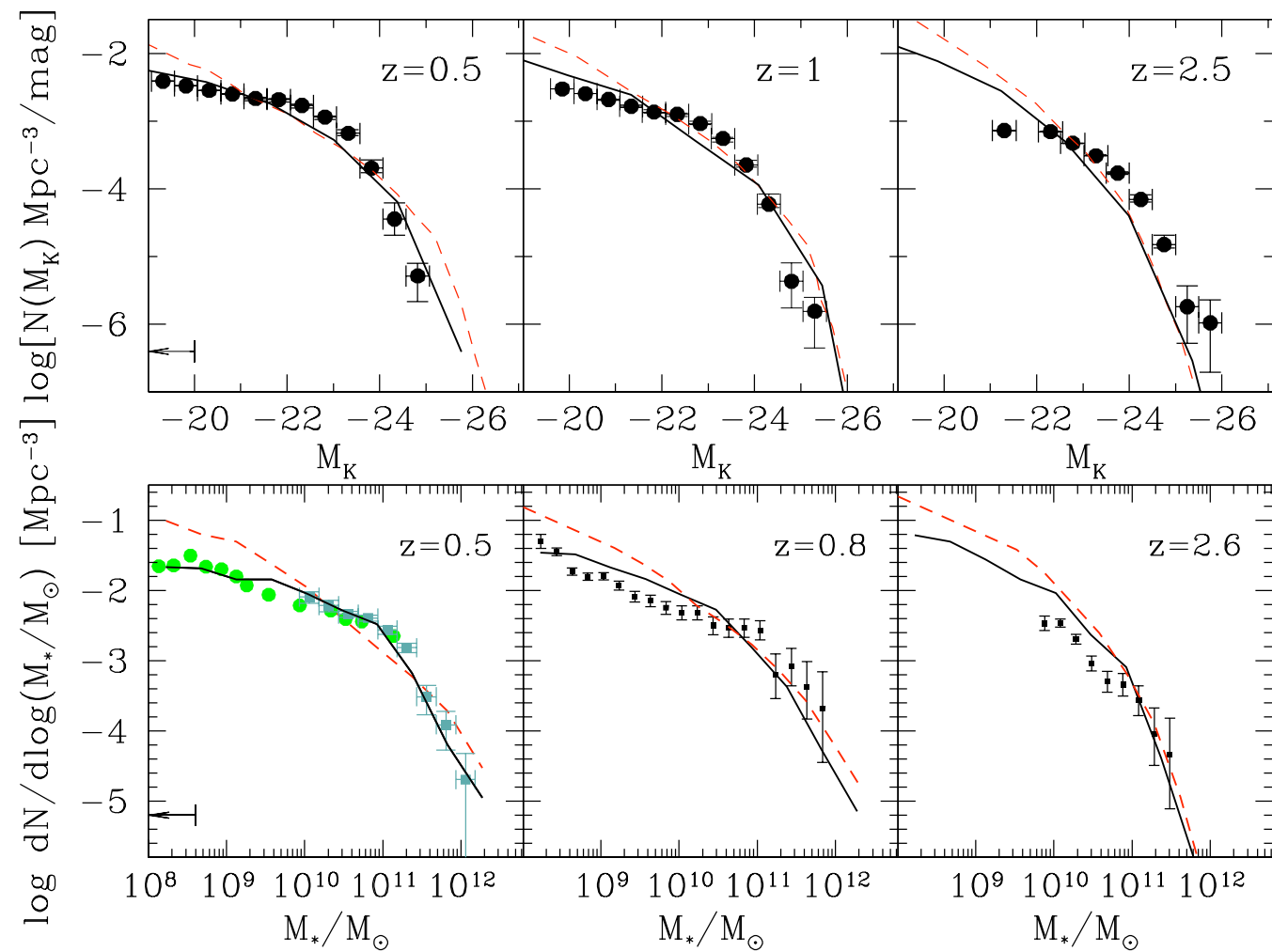
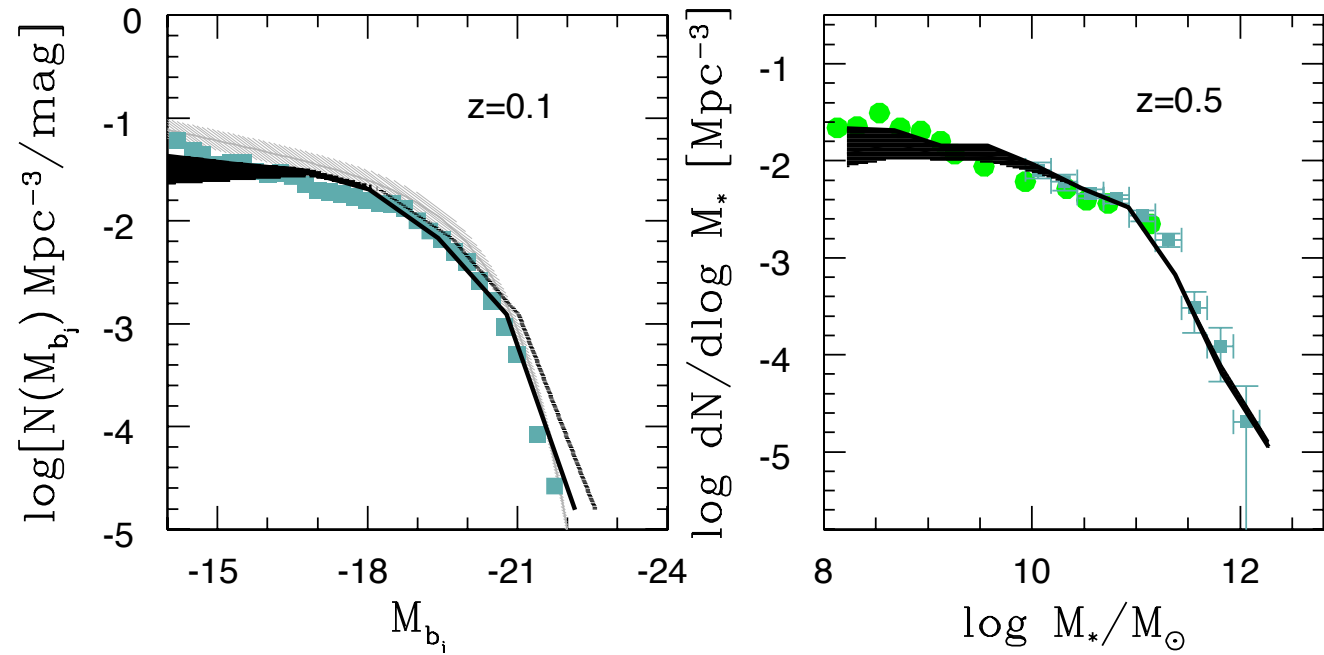
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Galaxy Formation in WDM cosmology ($m_{\text{WDM}} \sim 1 \text{ keV}$)

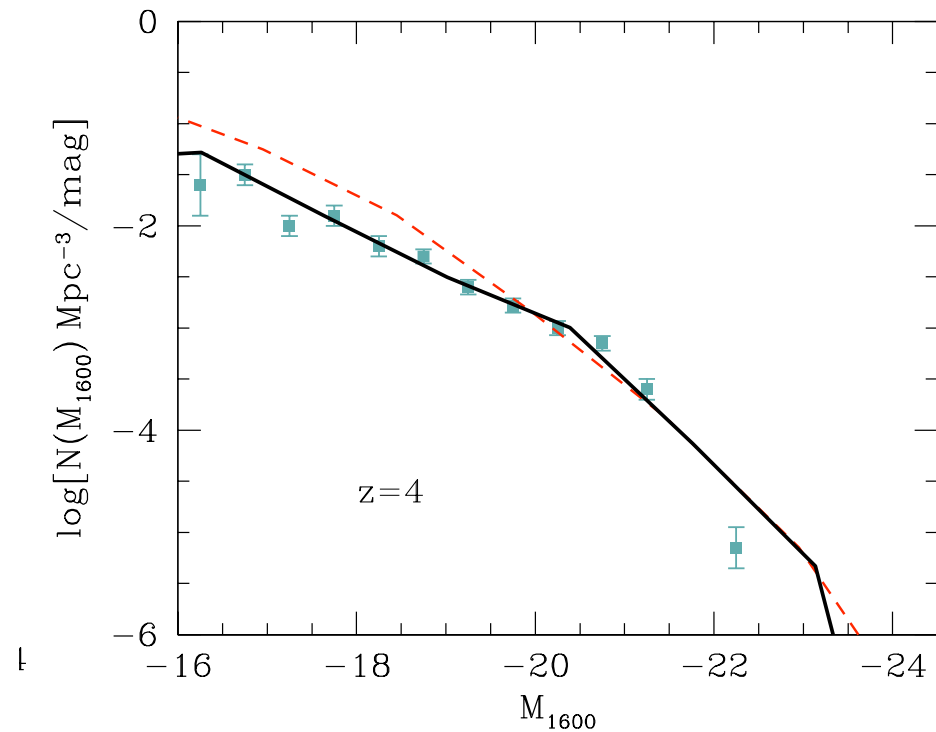
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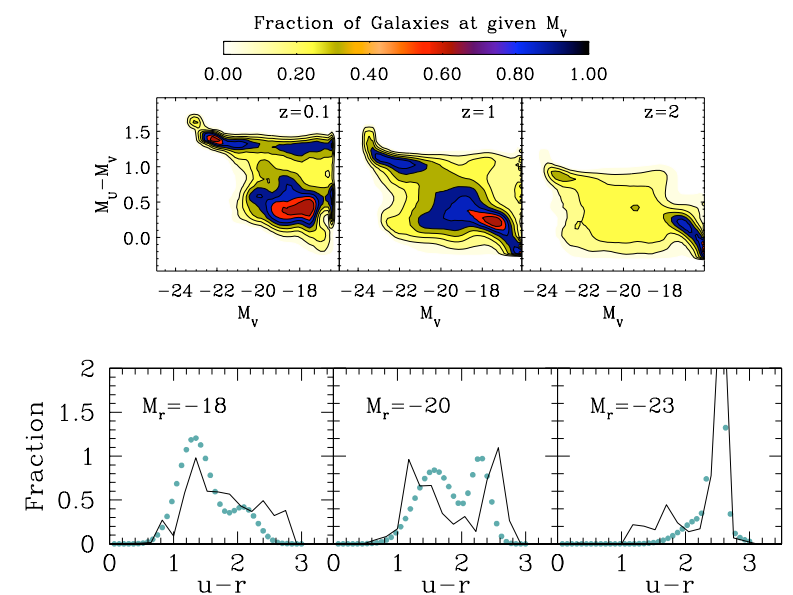
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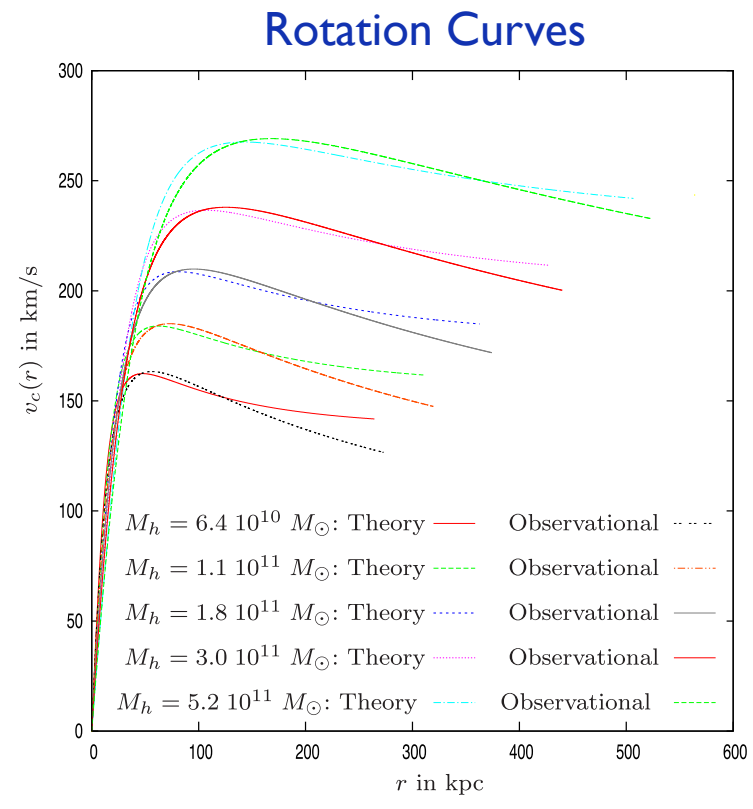
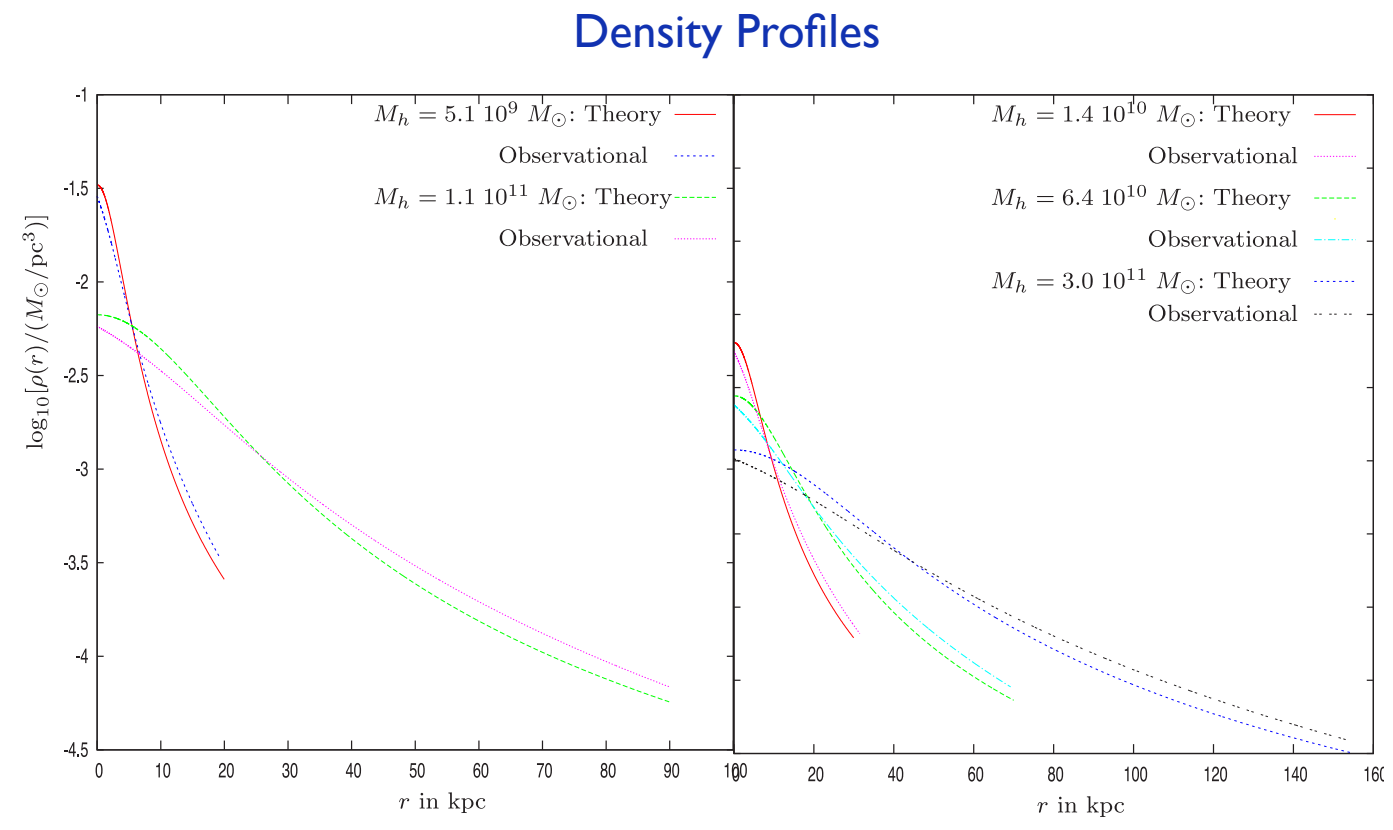
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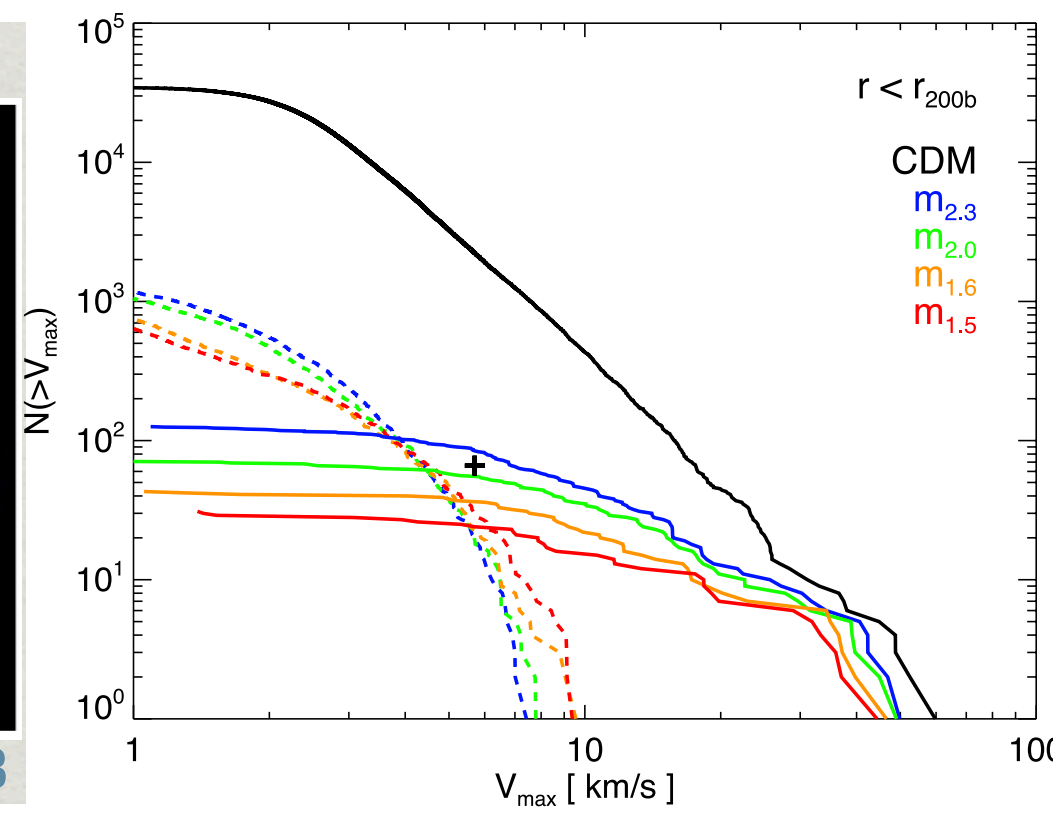
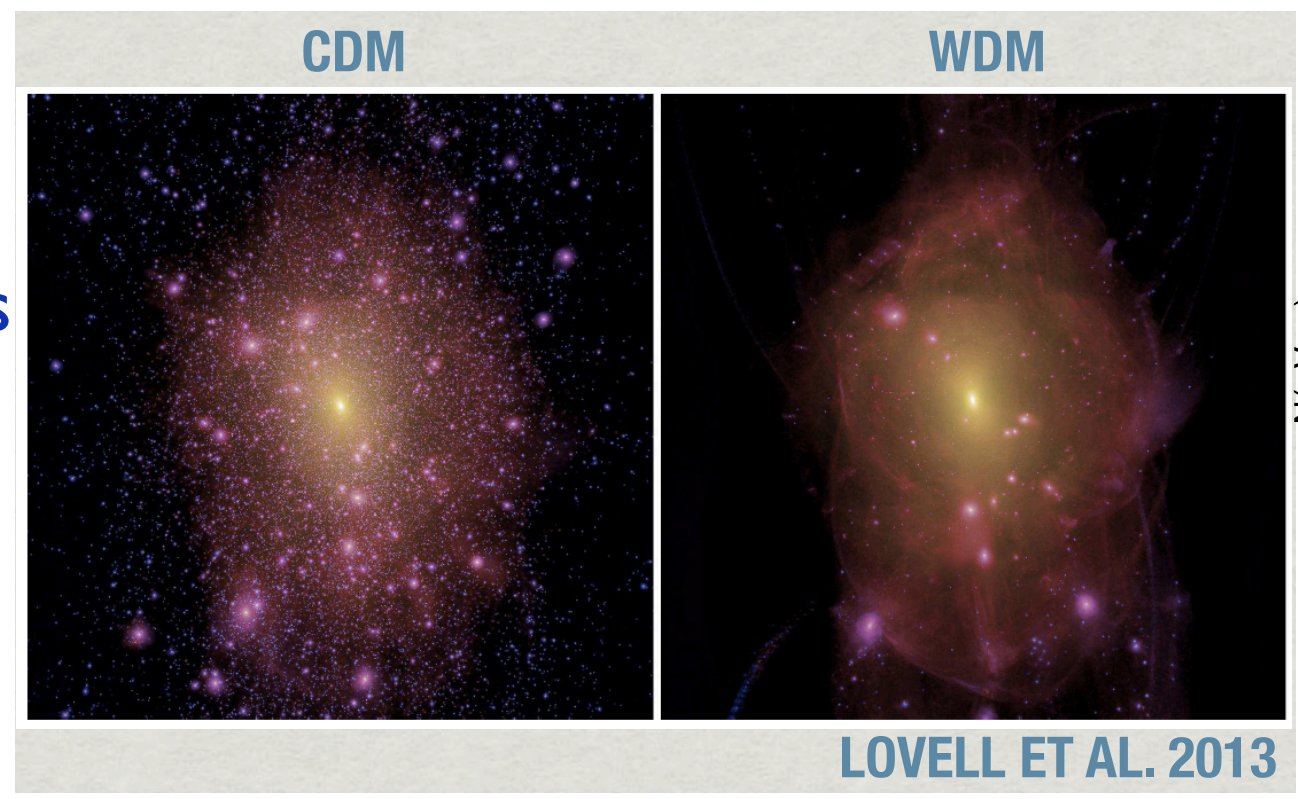


Density profiles & Rotation curves in WDM



De Vega, Salucci, Sanchez 2014, Fermionic WDM

Abundance of low-mass Milky-Way satellites



Luminosity Function of Satellite Galaxies, Beyond the Milky-Way

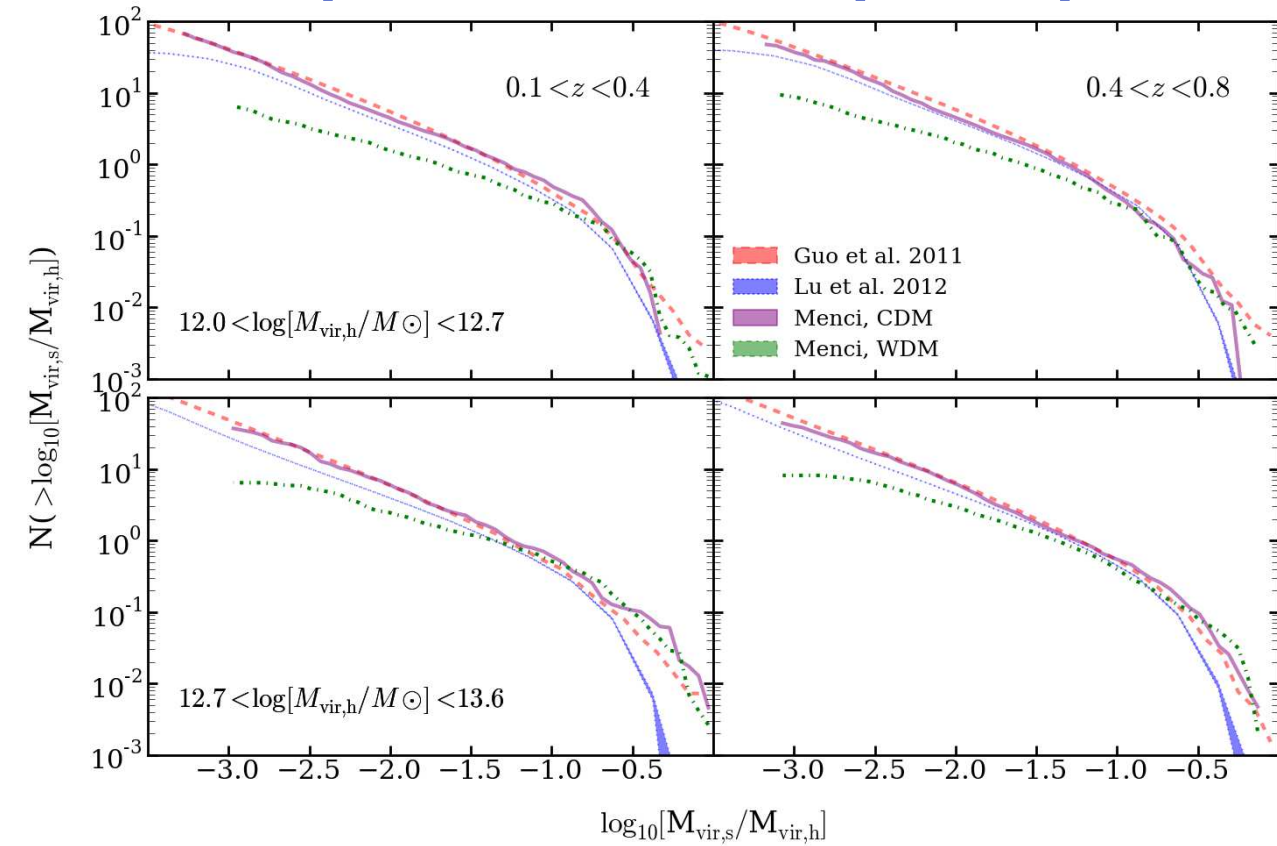
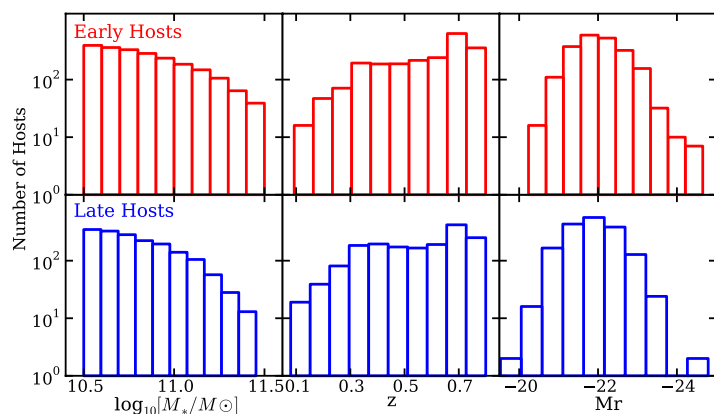
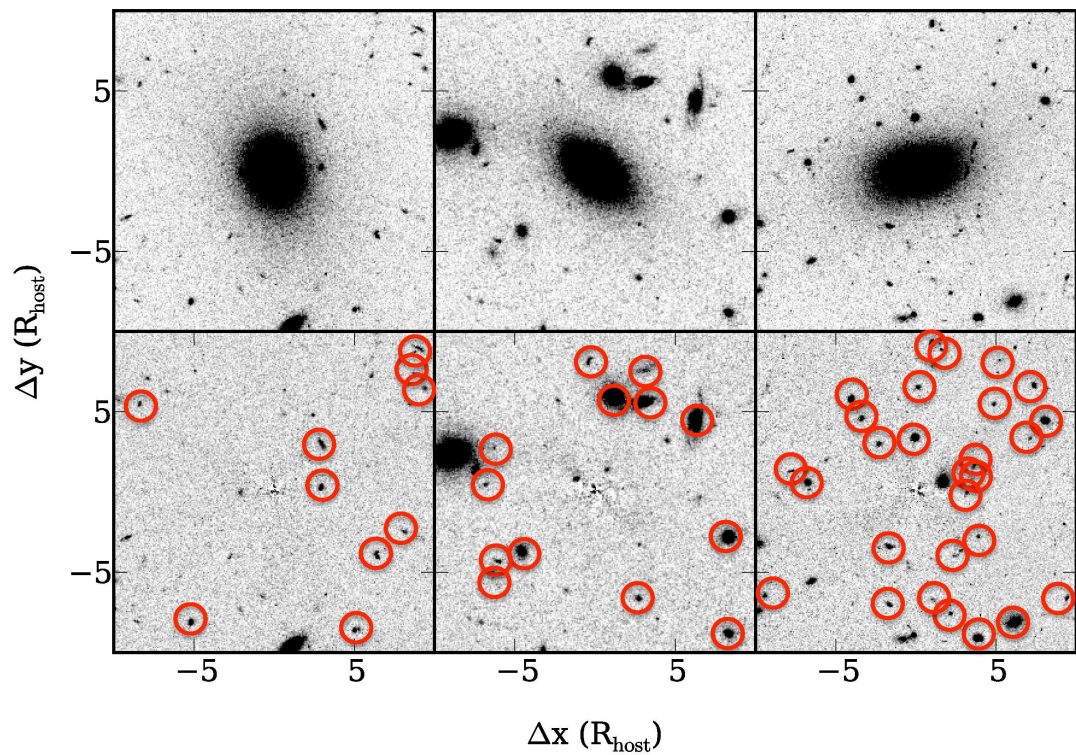
Is Milky Way representative of $M_{\text{halo}} \approx 10^{12} M_{\odot}$?

Compare with a wide set of satellites/host halos through the satellite luminosity function

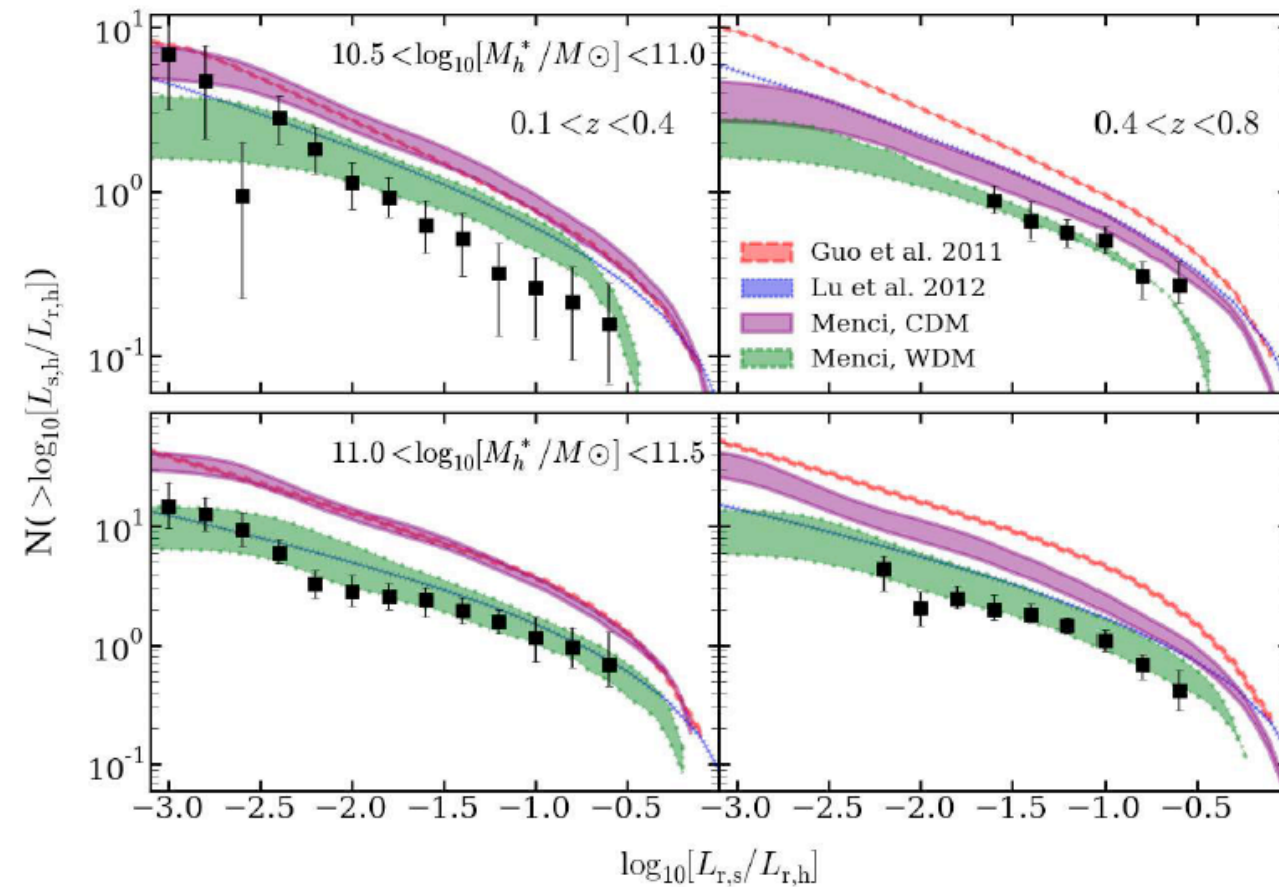
ACS F814W imaging of the COSMOS field,

identify satellites as much as a thousand times fainter than their host galaxies and as close as 0.3 (1.4) arcsec (kpc) and as close as 0.3 (1.4) arcsec (kpc)

Hundreds of hosts



The luminosity distribution of Satellite Galaxies
Nierenberg, Treu, NM 2013



Disentangling feedback effects from WDM

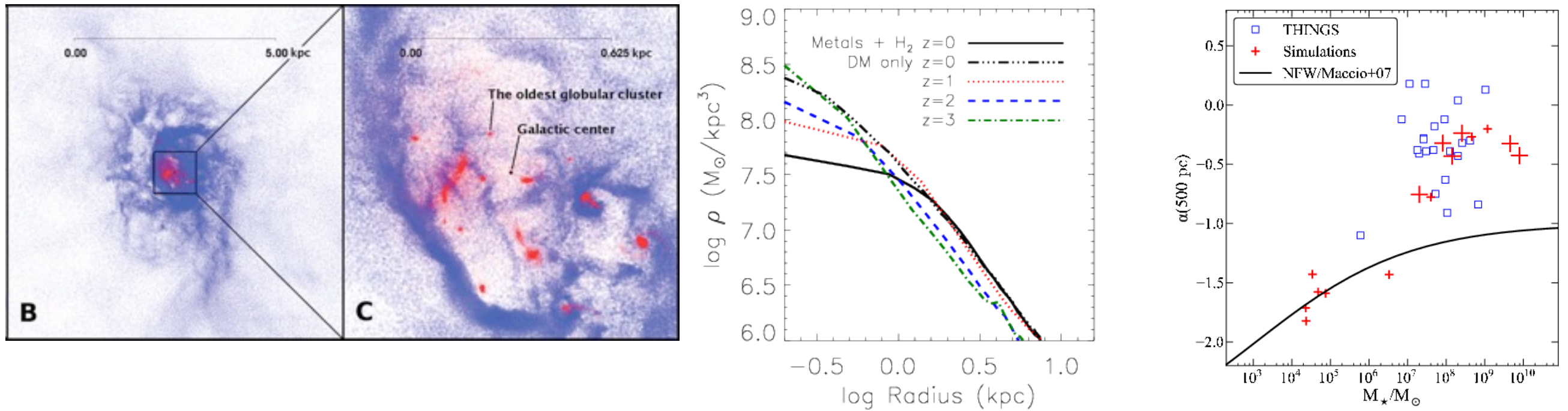
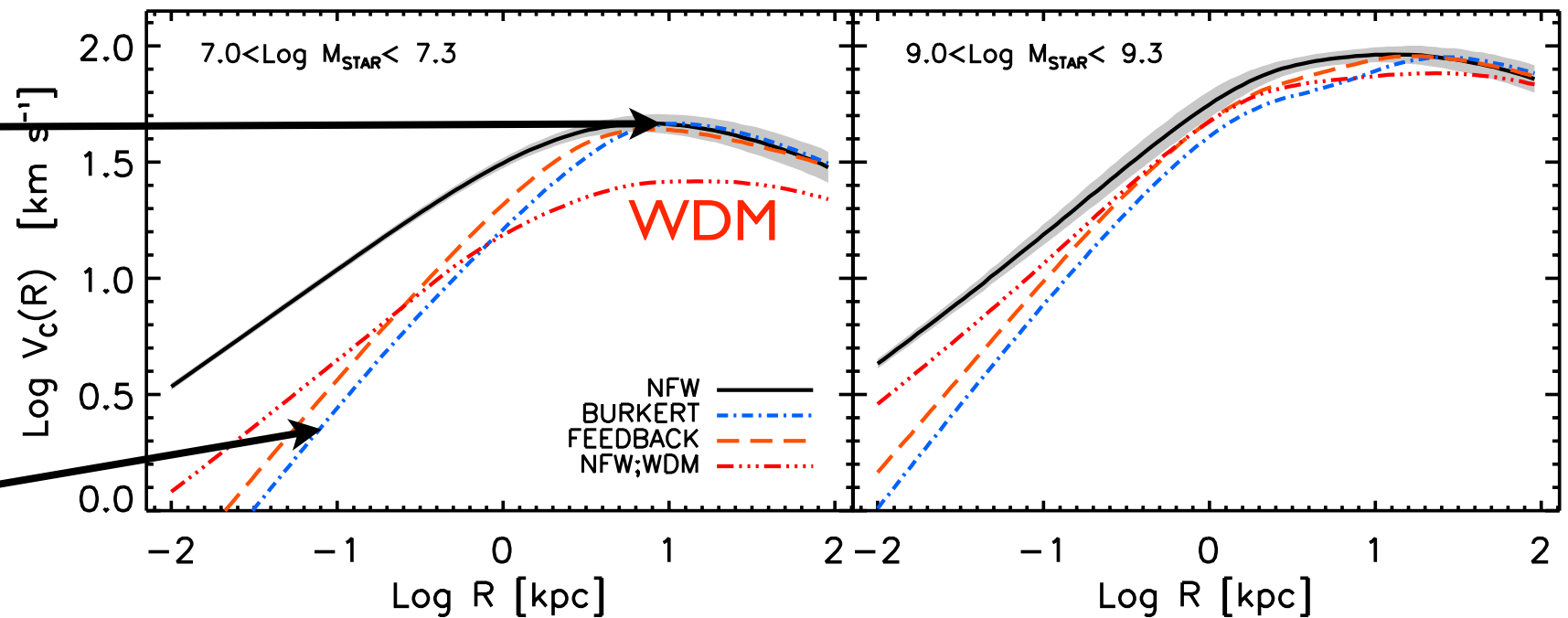


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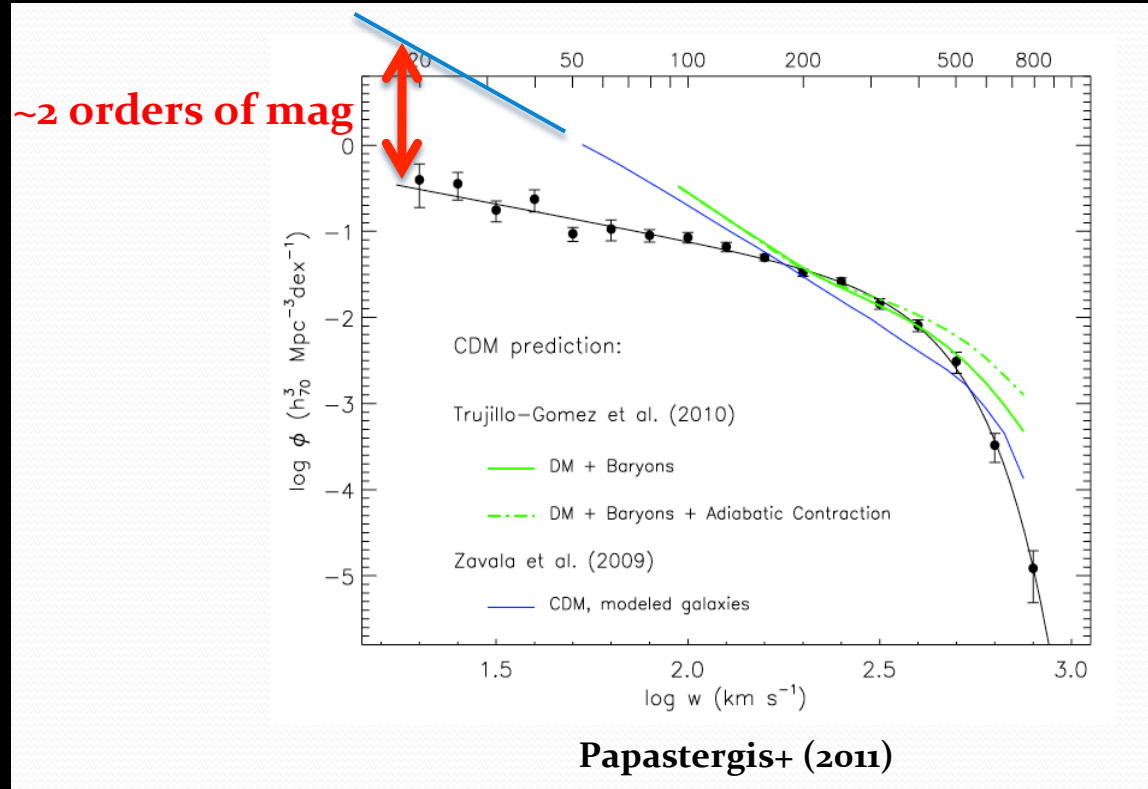
In the outer region
profiles with
feedback are close
to CDM NFW

Feedback acts in the
inner regions

Shankar+ 2014



Abundance of galaxies as a function of their velocity width (gas rotation velocity)

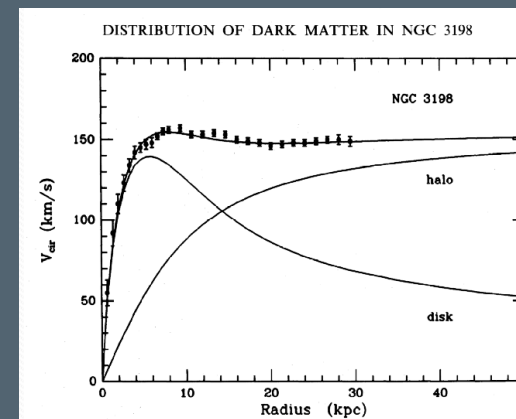


21-cm survey done with Arecibo Telescope: 3000 deg²; 11000 detections
 measures: redshift, velocity width, integrated flux
 No spatial resolution (size, inclination, shape)

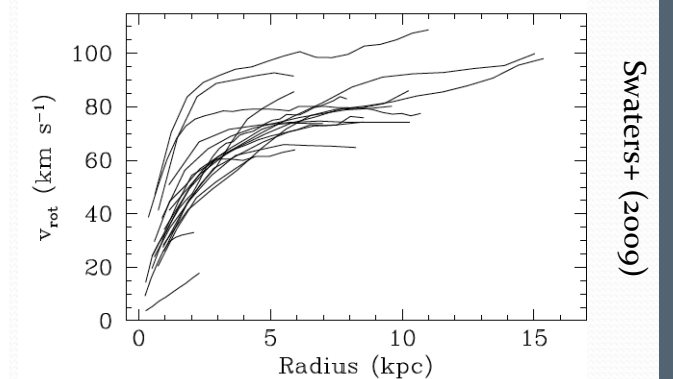
Directly measures the depth of the potential well: less prone to physics of gas (feedback)

Solutions within CDM scenario ?

- large fraction of galaxies with low gas content (below the sensitivity)
- large fraction of galaxies with rising rotation curve



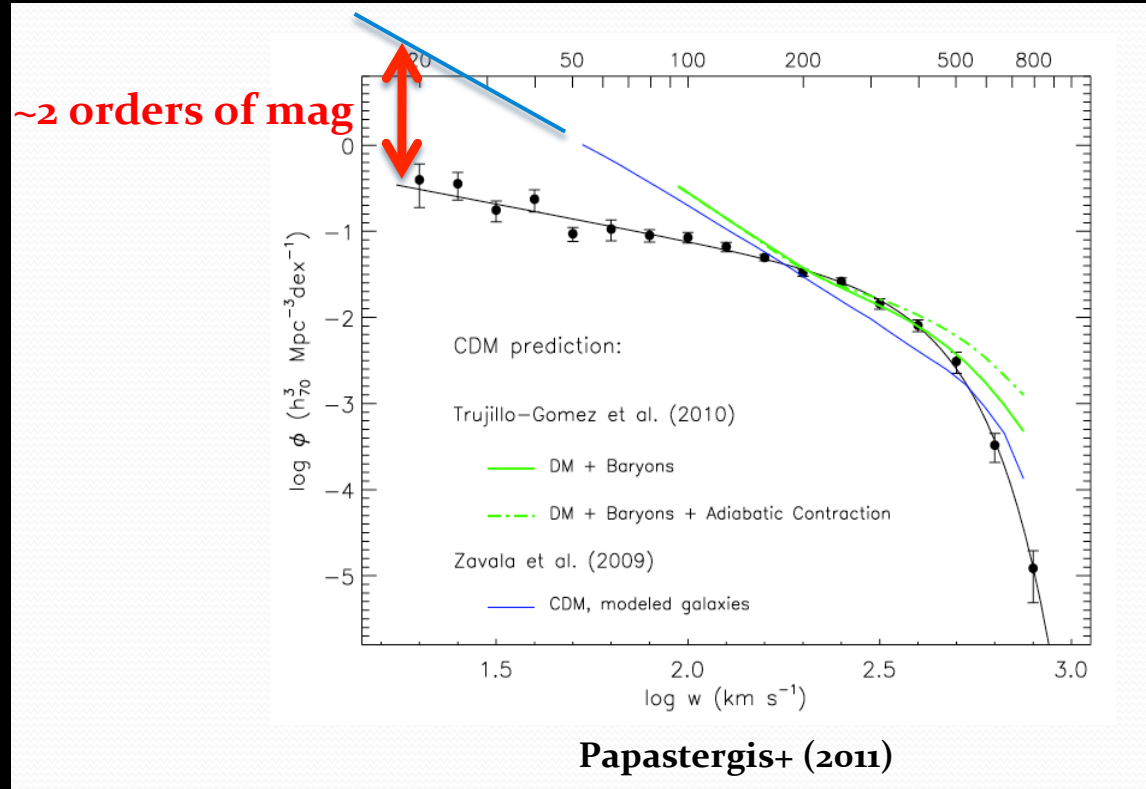
'flat' rotation curve



'rising' rotation curves

Swaters+ (2009)

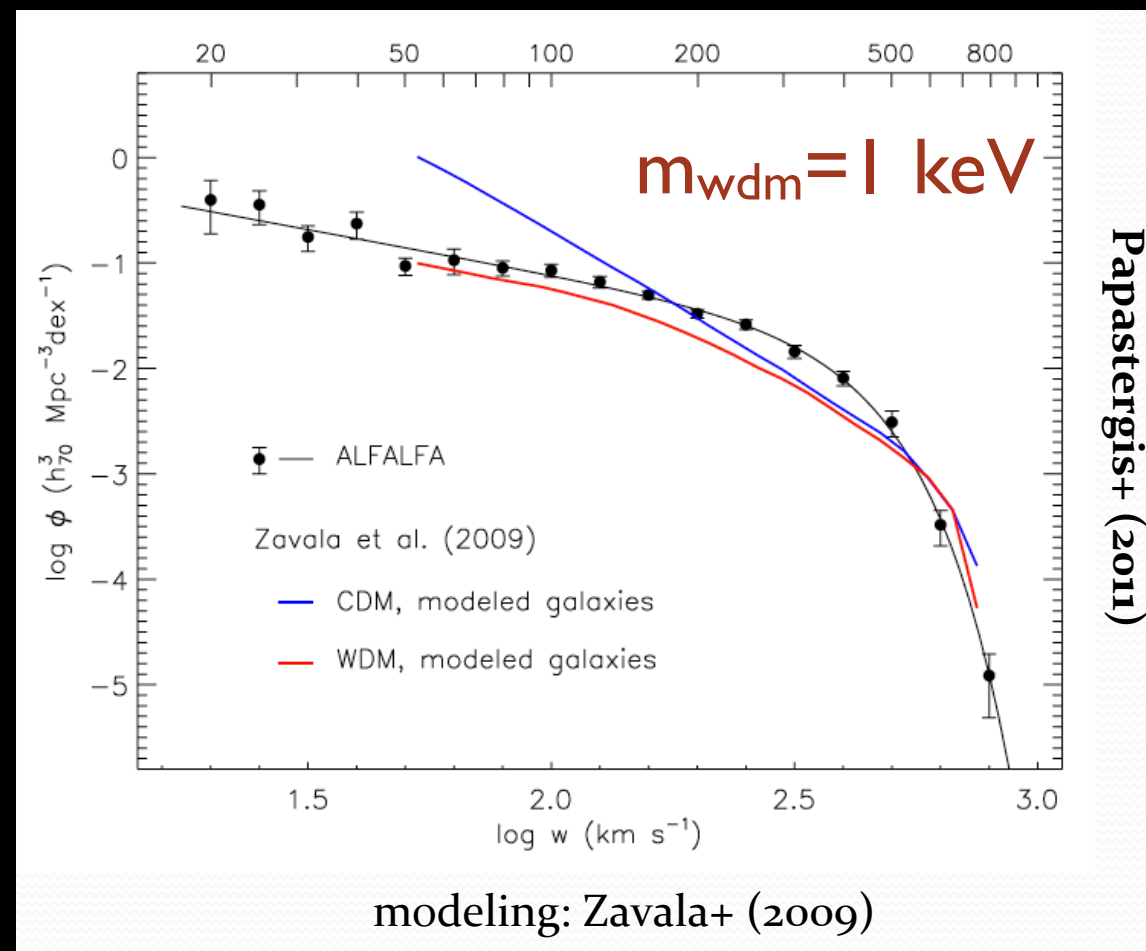
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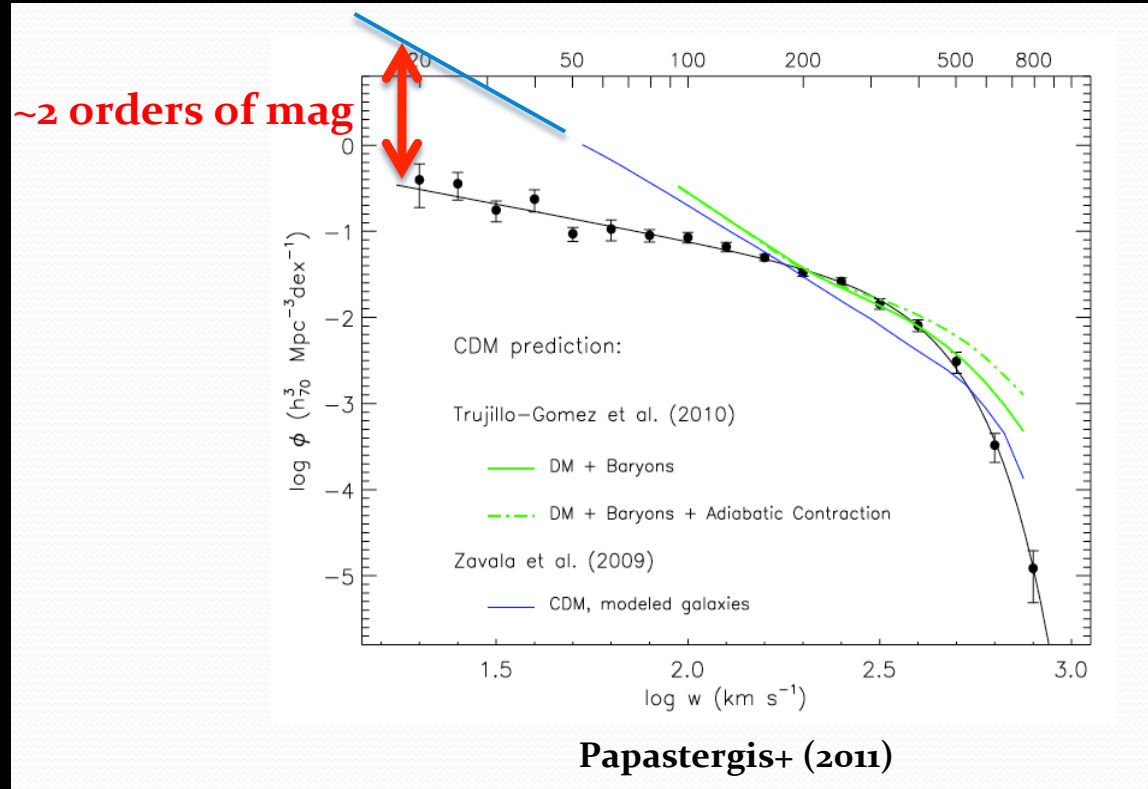
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WDM naturally yields a flat distribution
 Zavala et al. 2009



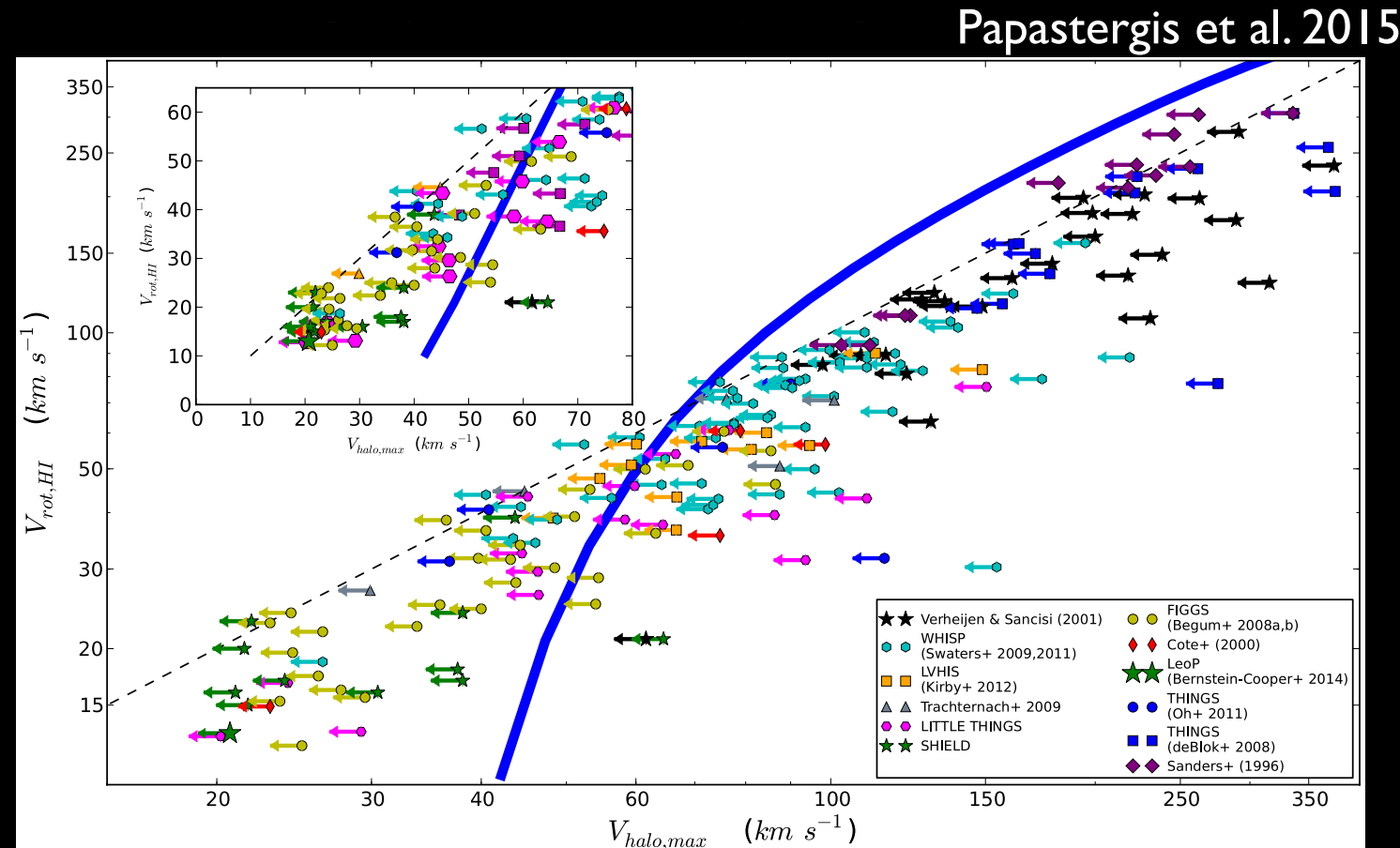
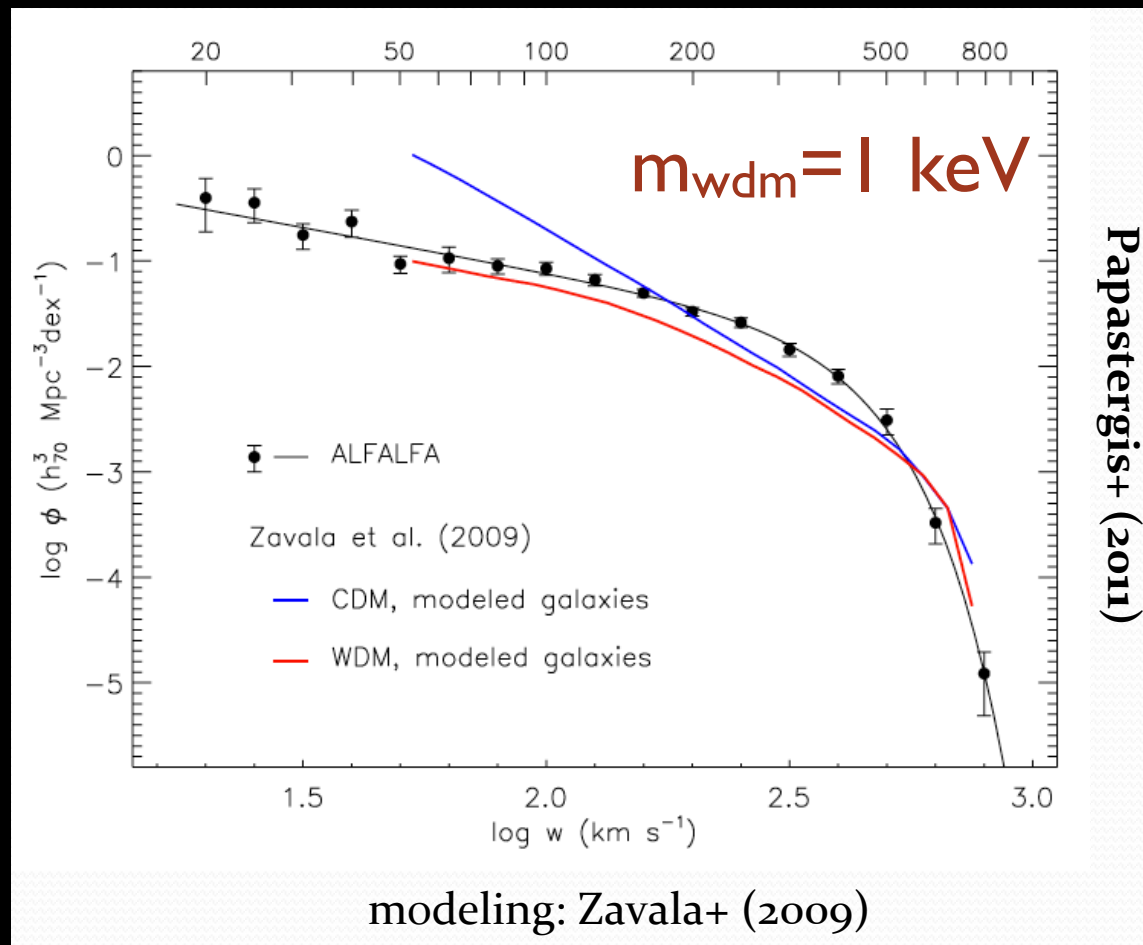
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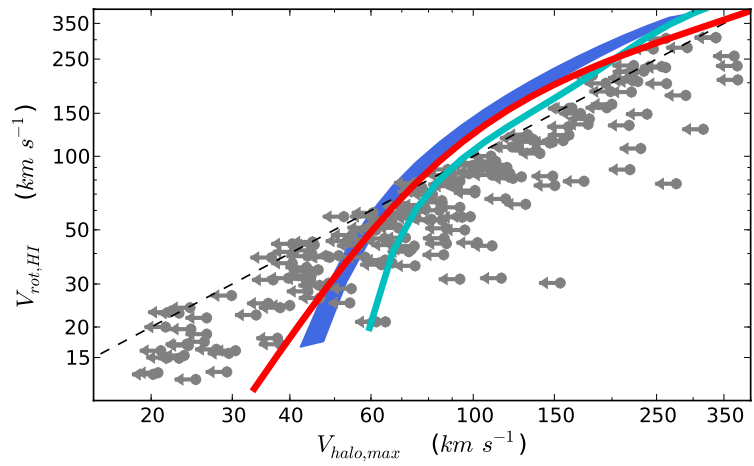
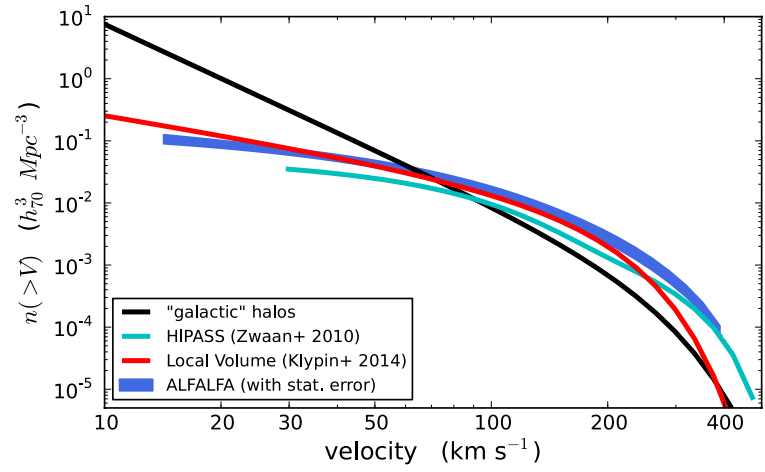
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To match the observations, observed rotation velocities should correspond to huge host DM halos with large V_{halo} so as to suppress the V_{rot}/V_{halo} ratio at low V_{rot}

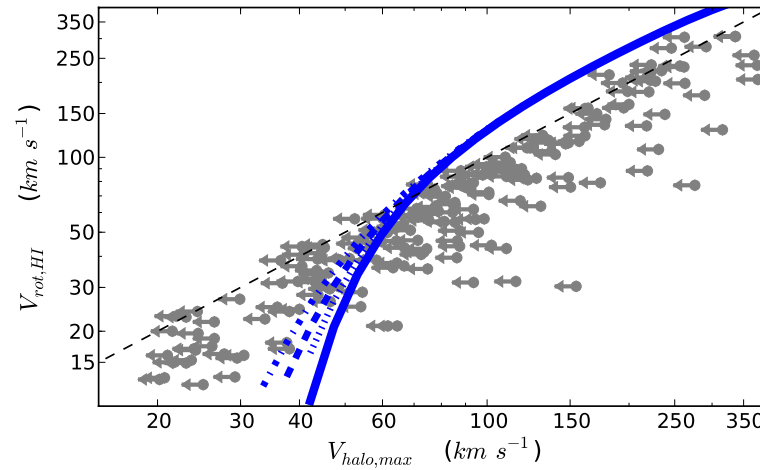
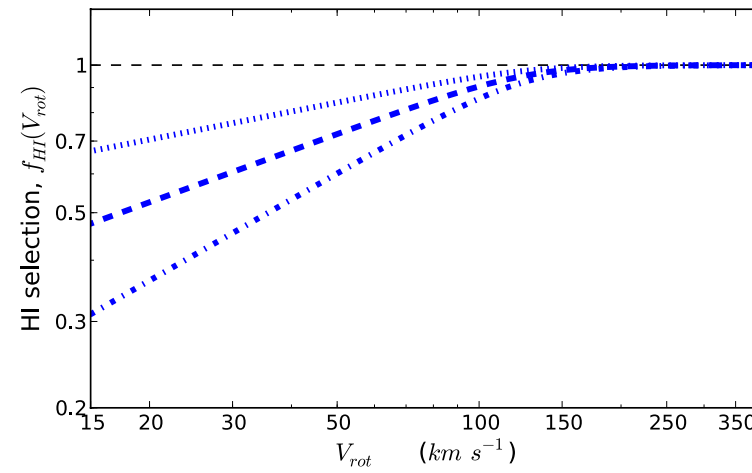
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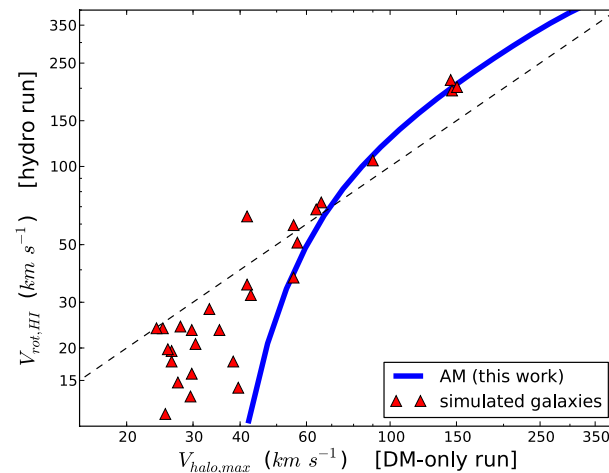
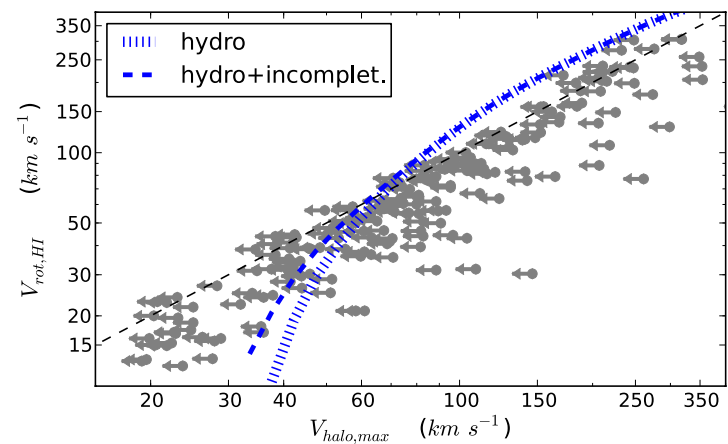
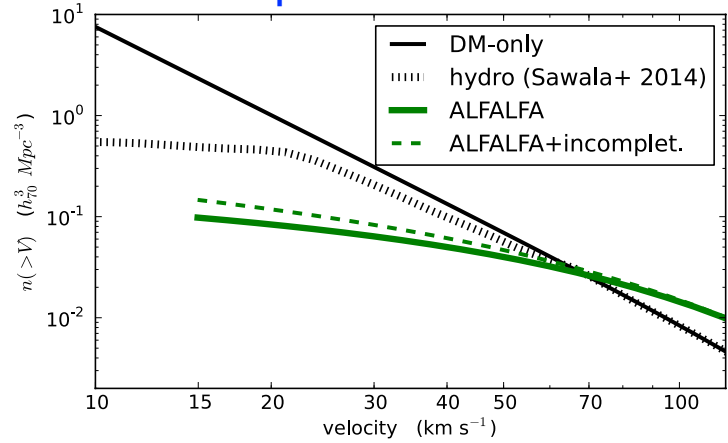
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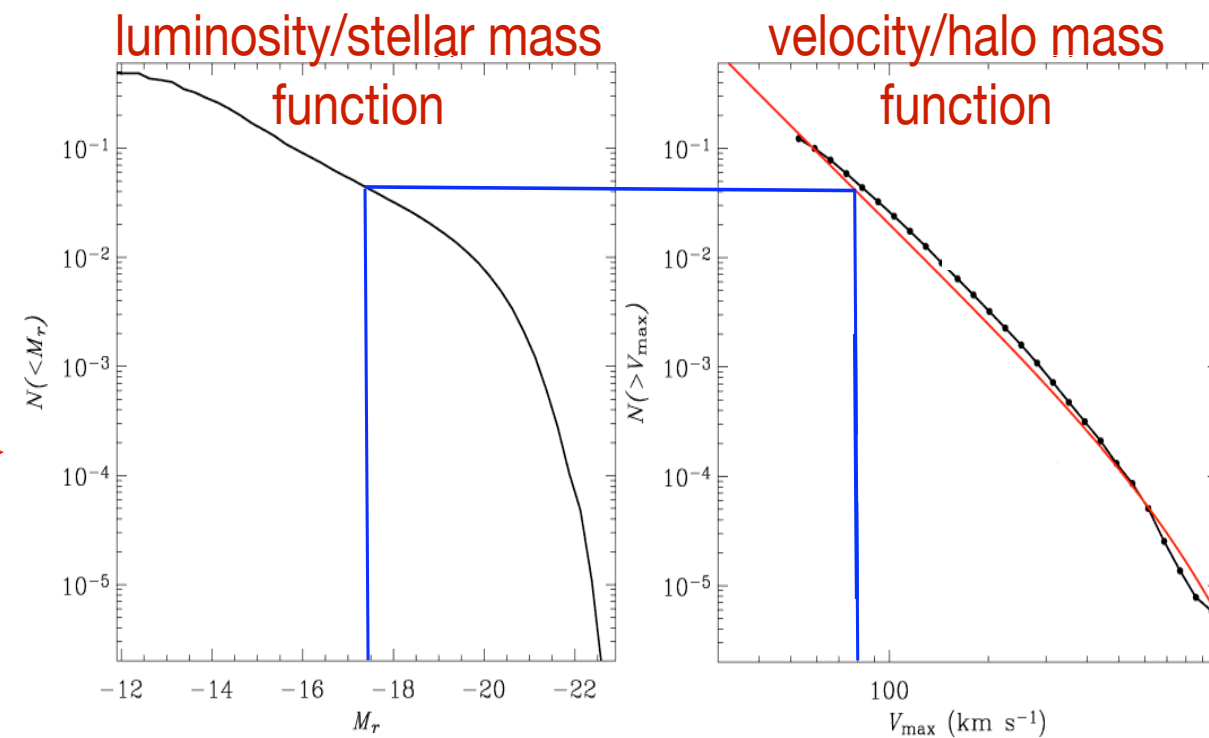


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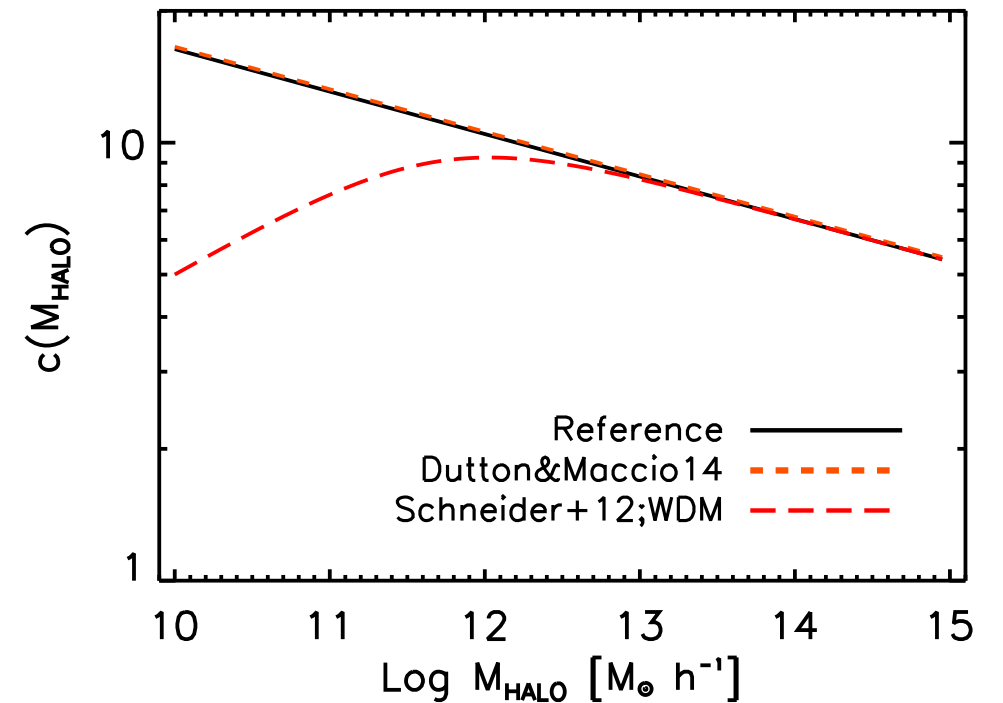
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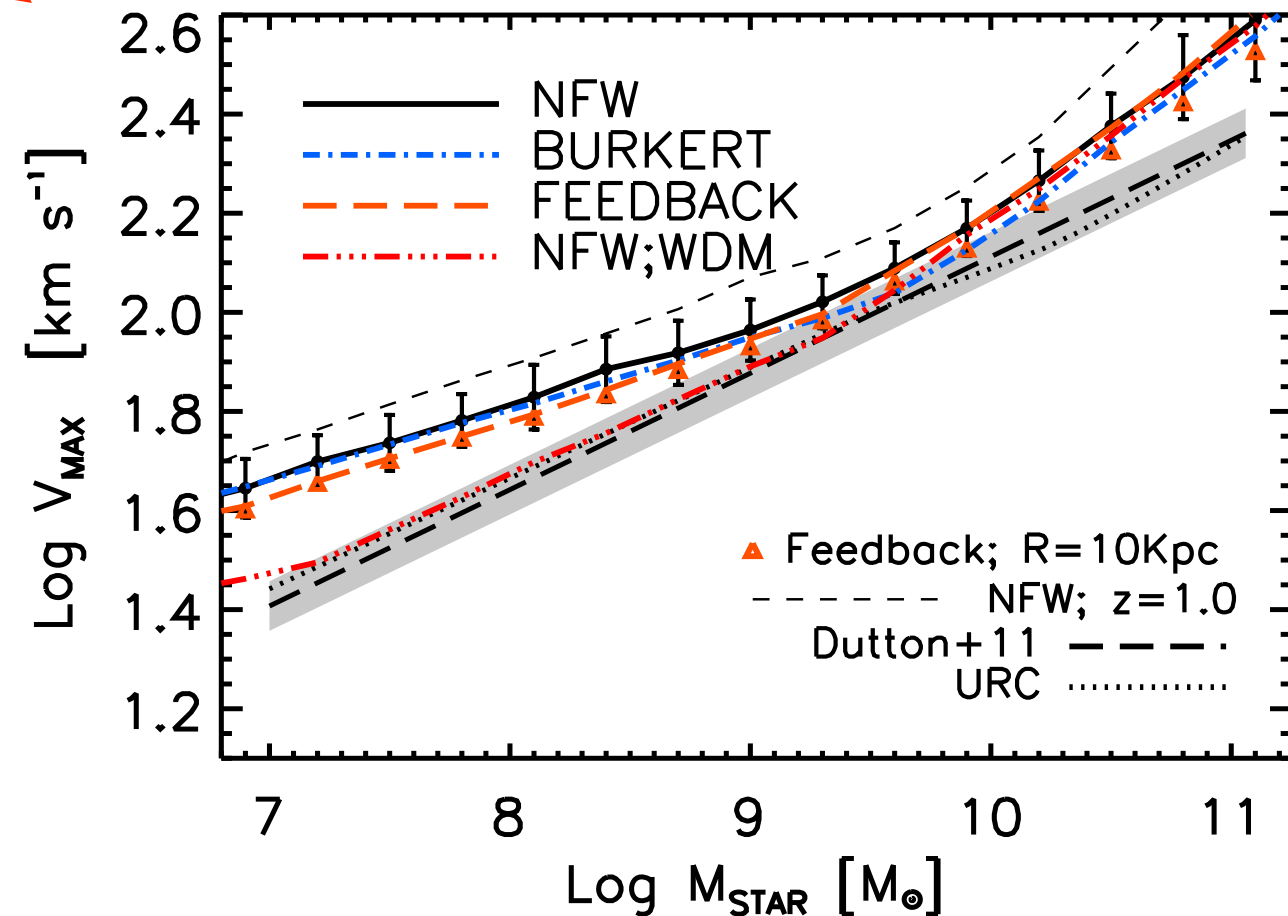


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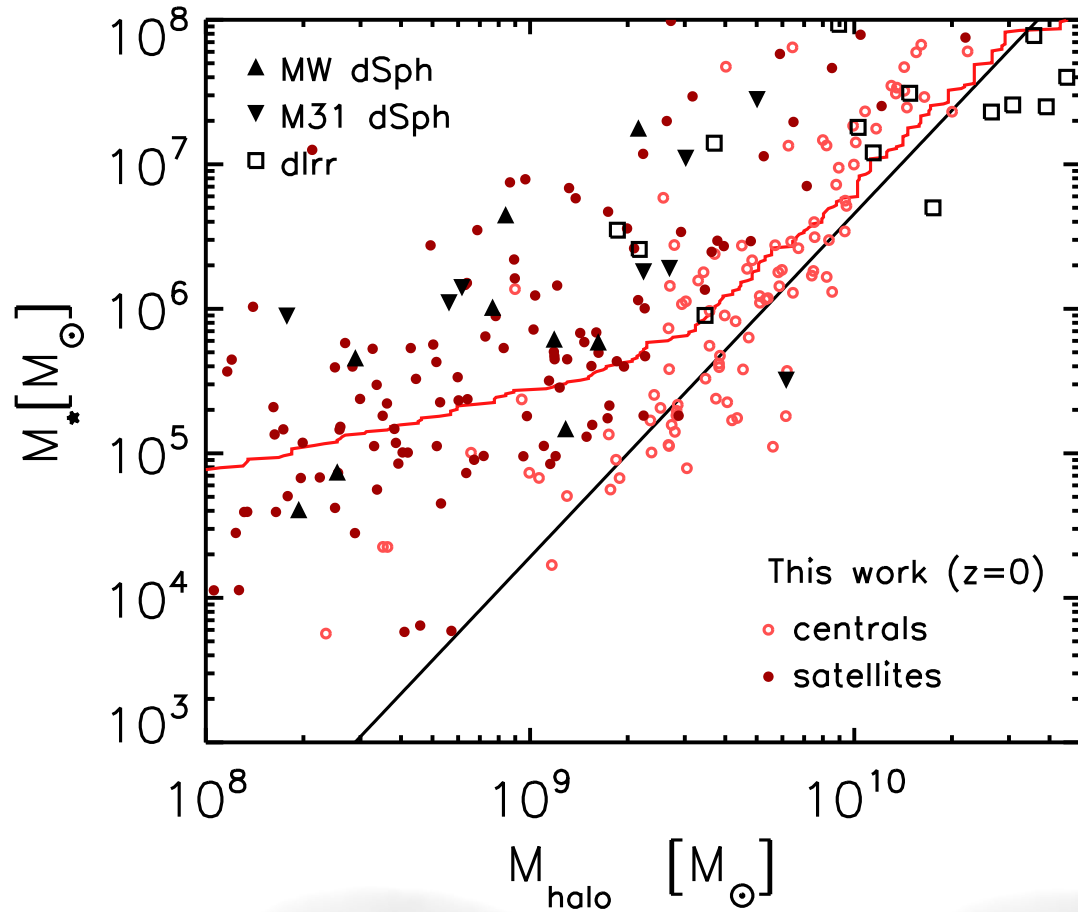
Feedback profile from Di Cintio et al. 2014
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Solution in CDM scenario

most low-mass haloes do not contain galaxies due to the effect of UV background, feedback and reionization (assuming no self-shielding and H₂ cooling)

Sawala et al. 2015



Milky-Way like haloes should contain thousands of dark haloes (with no stars or gas)

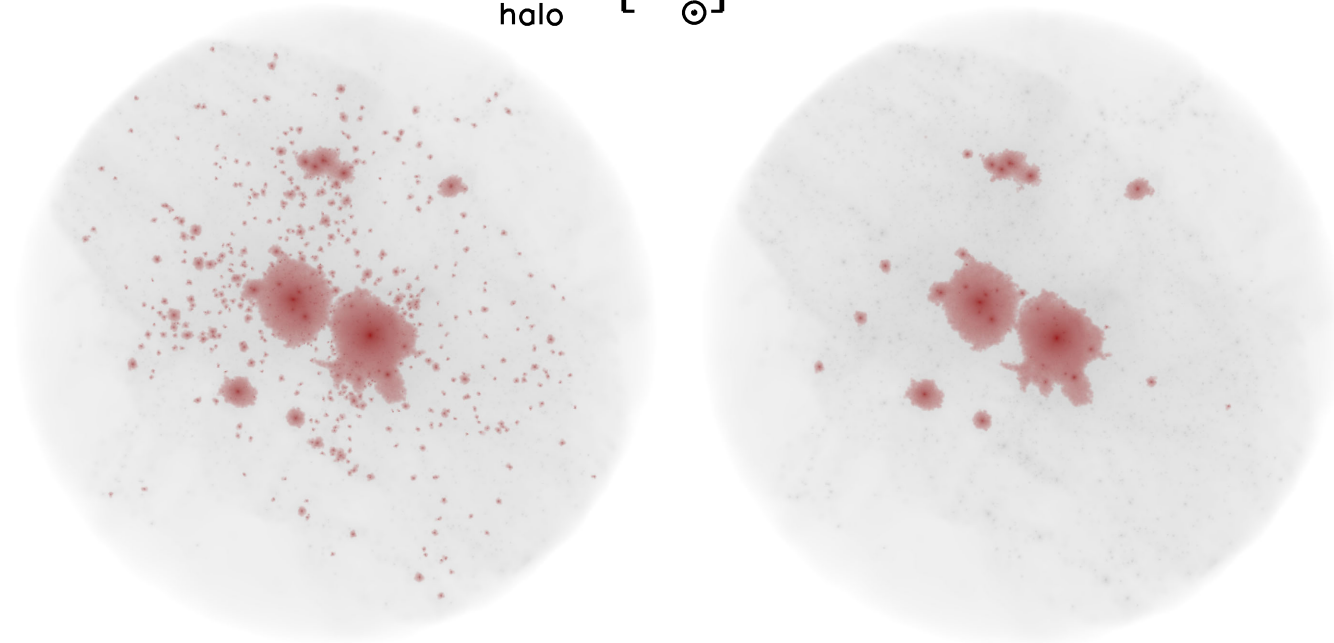
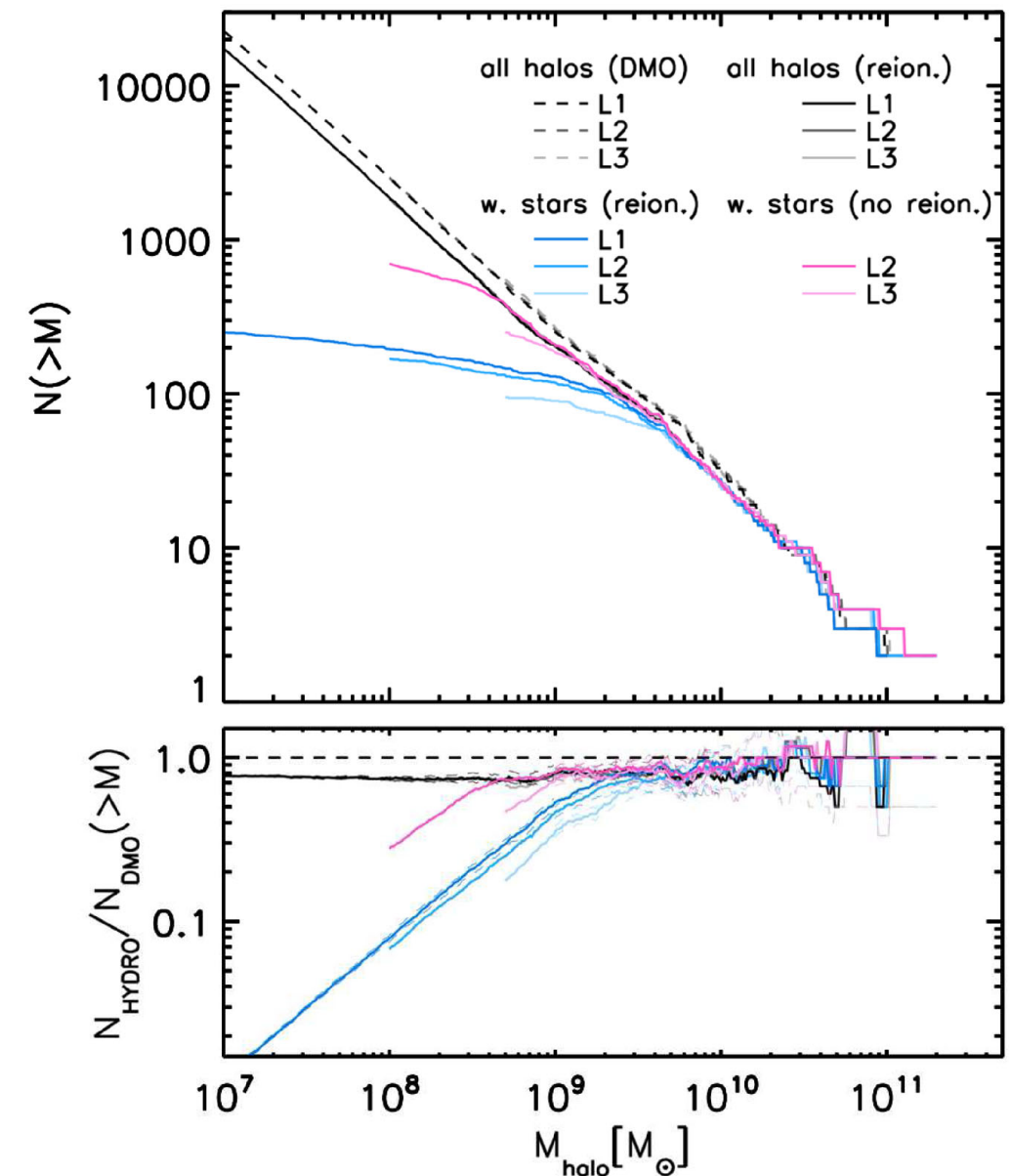


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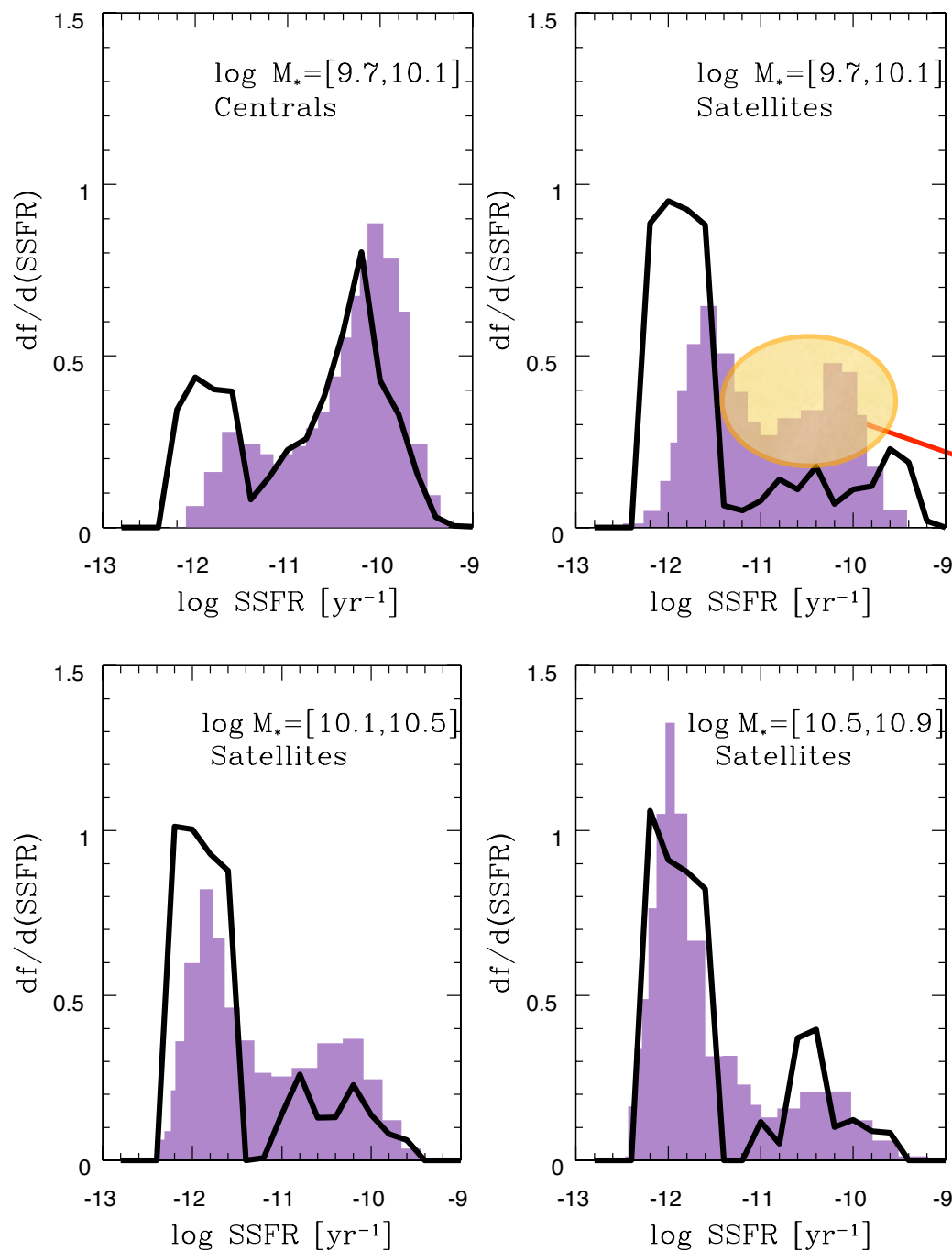
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SATELLITE GALAXIES

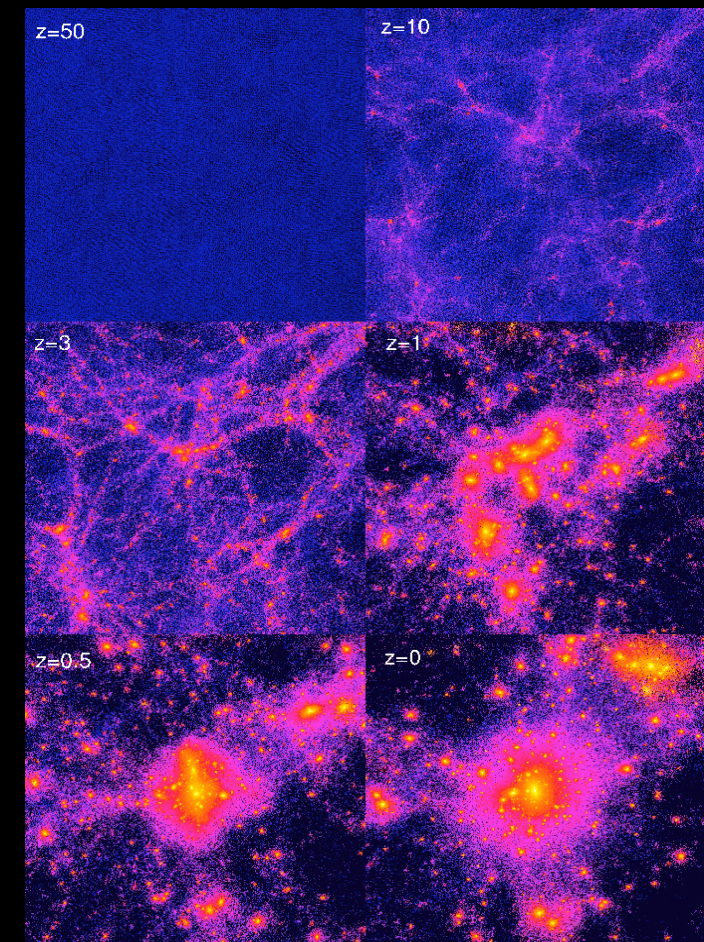
Specific Star Formation Rate SSFR measures the current star formation activity with respect to the past

$$SSFR = \dot{M}_* / M_*$$

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NM 2014;
Data from Wetzel et al. 2013



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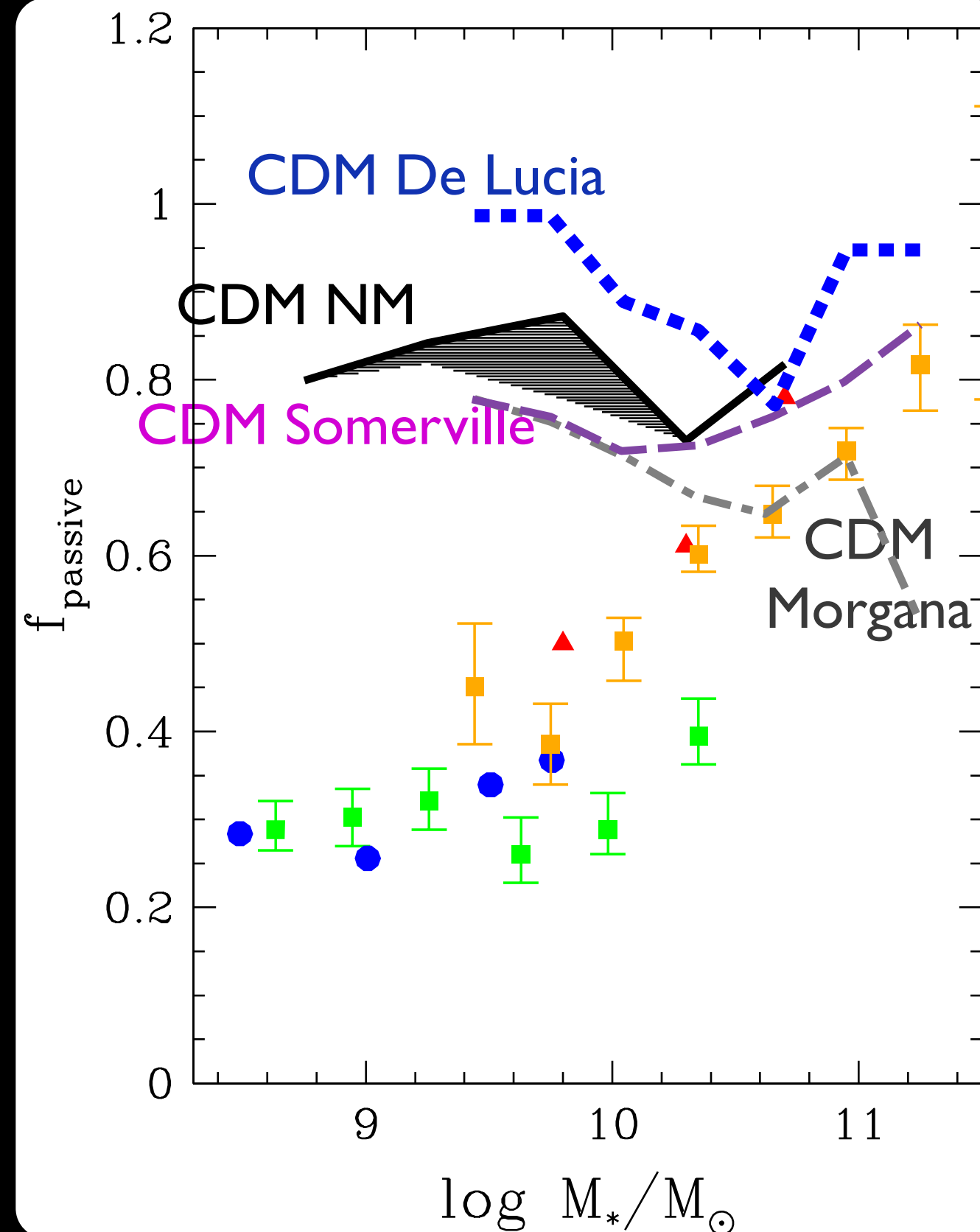
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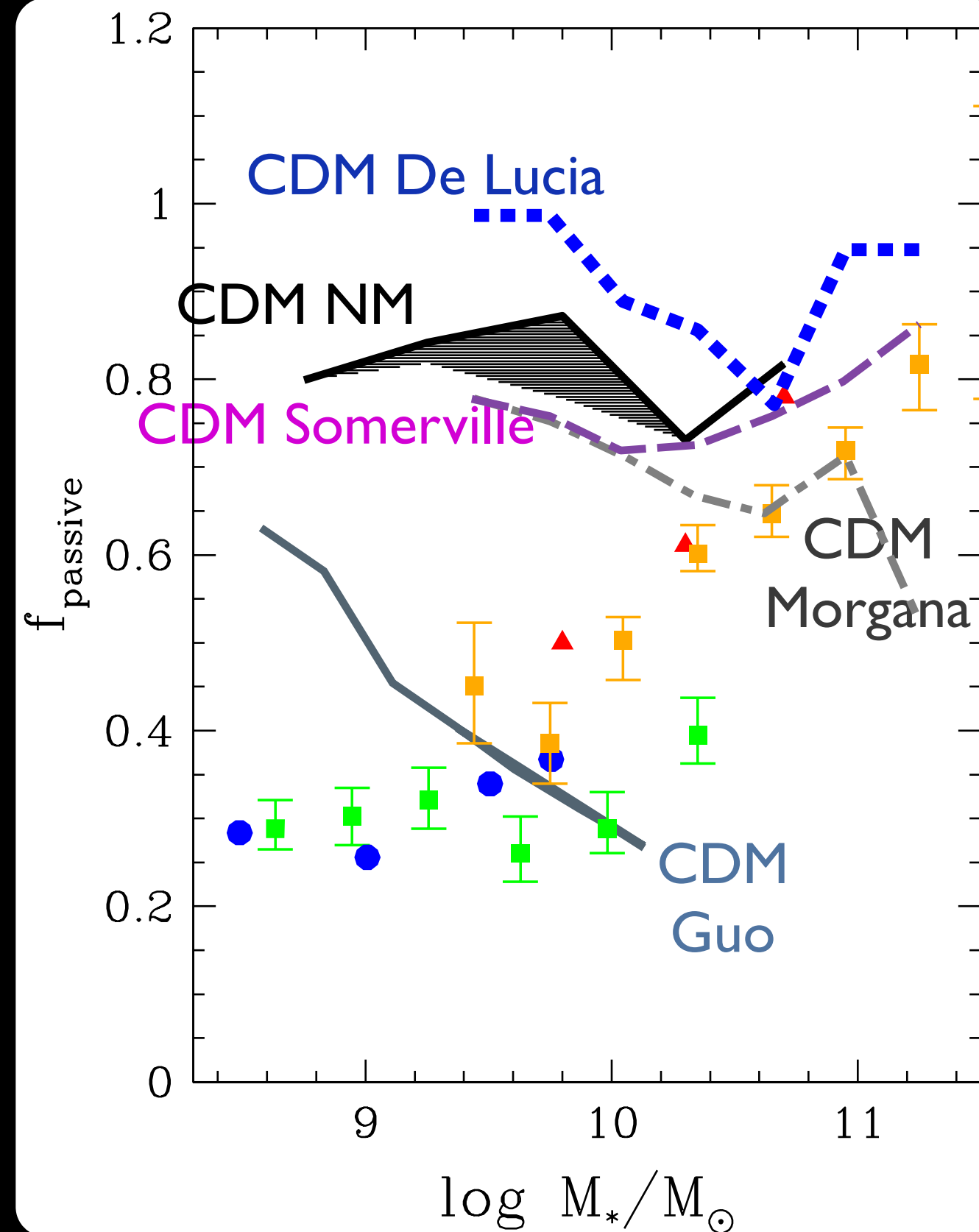
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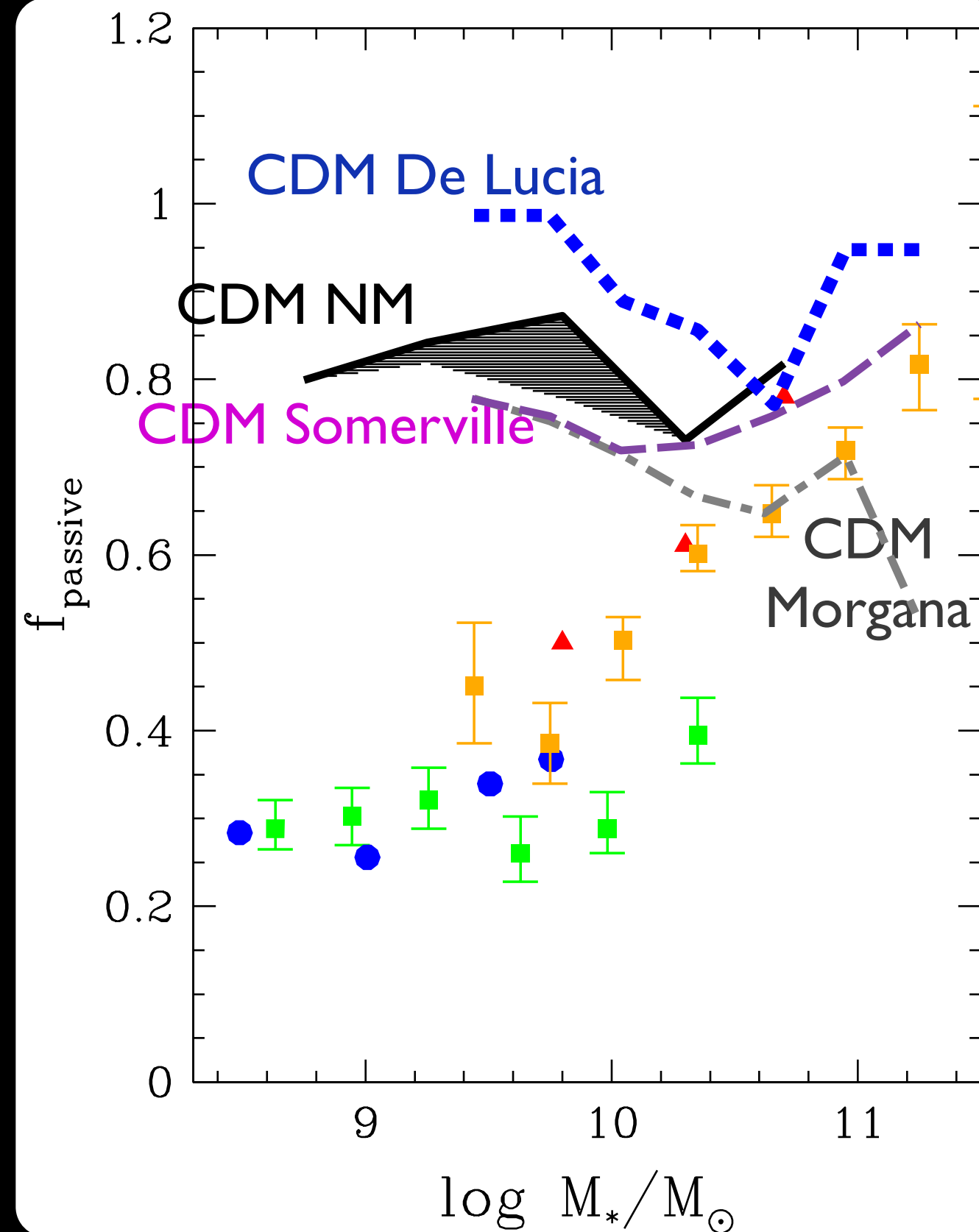
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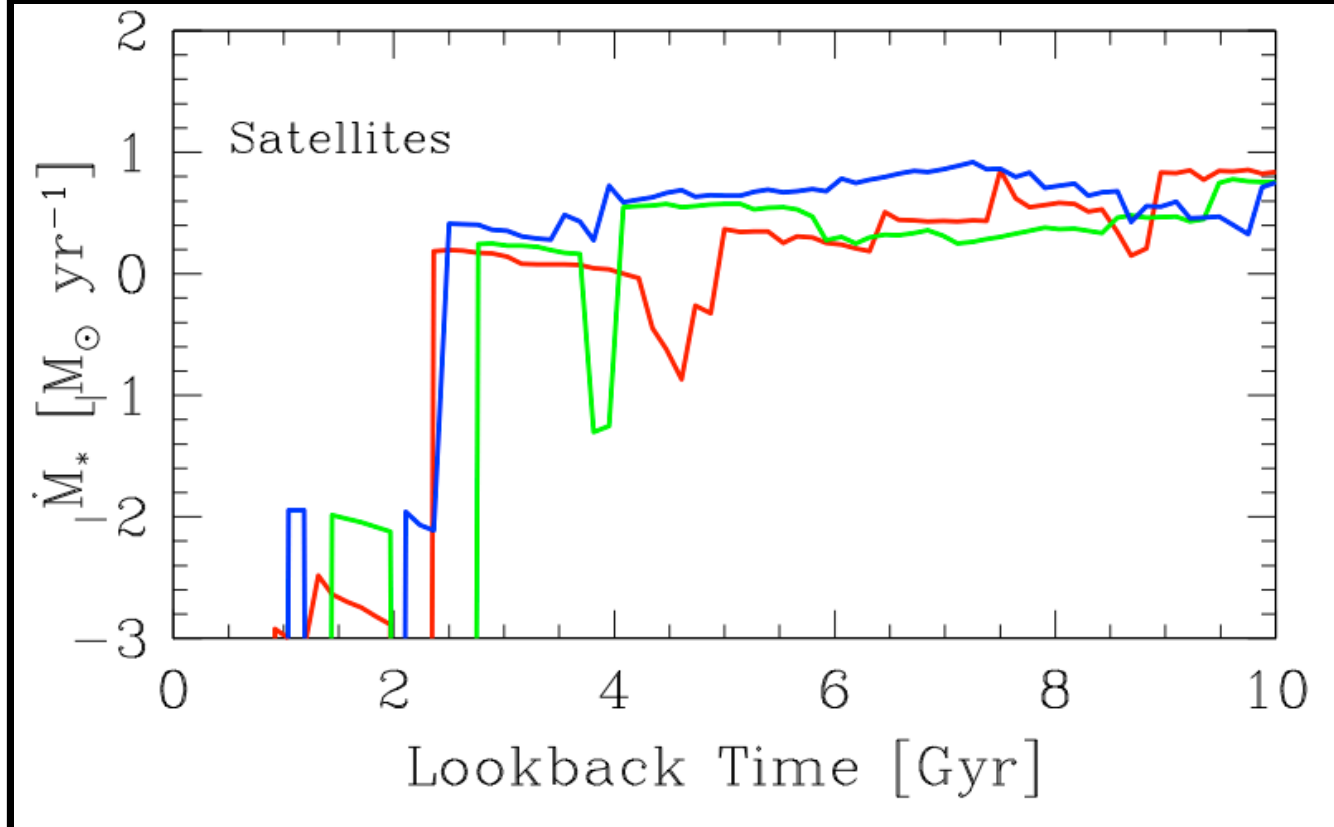
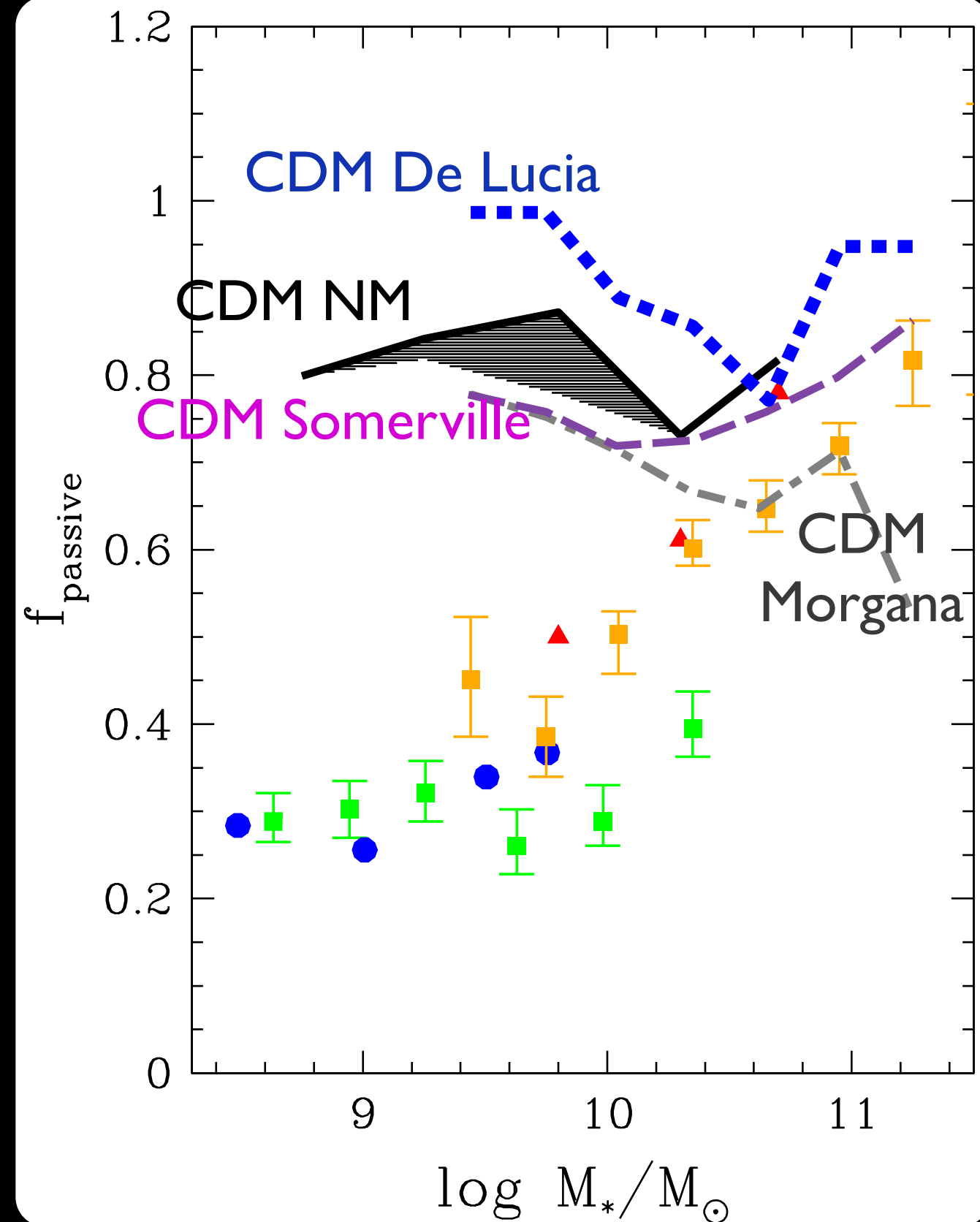
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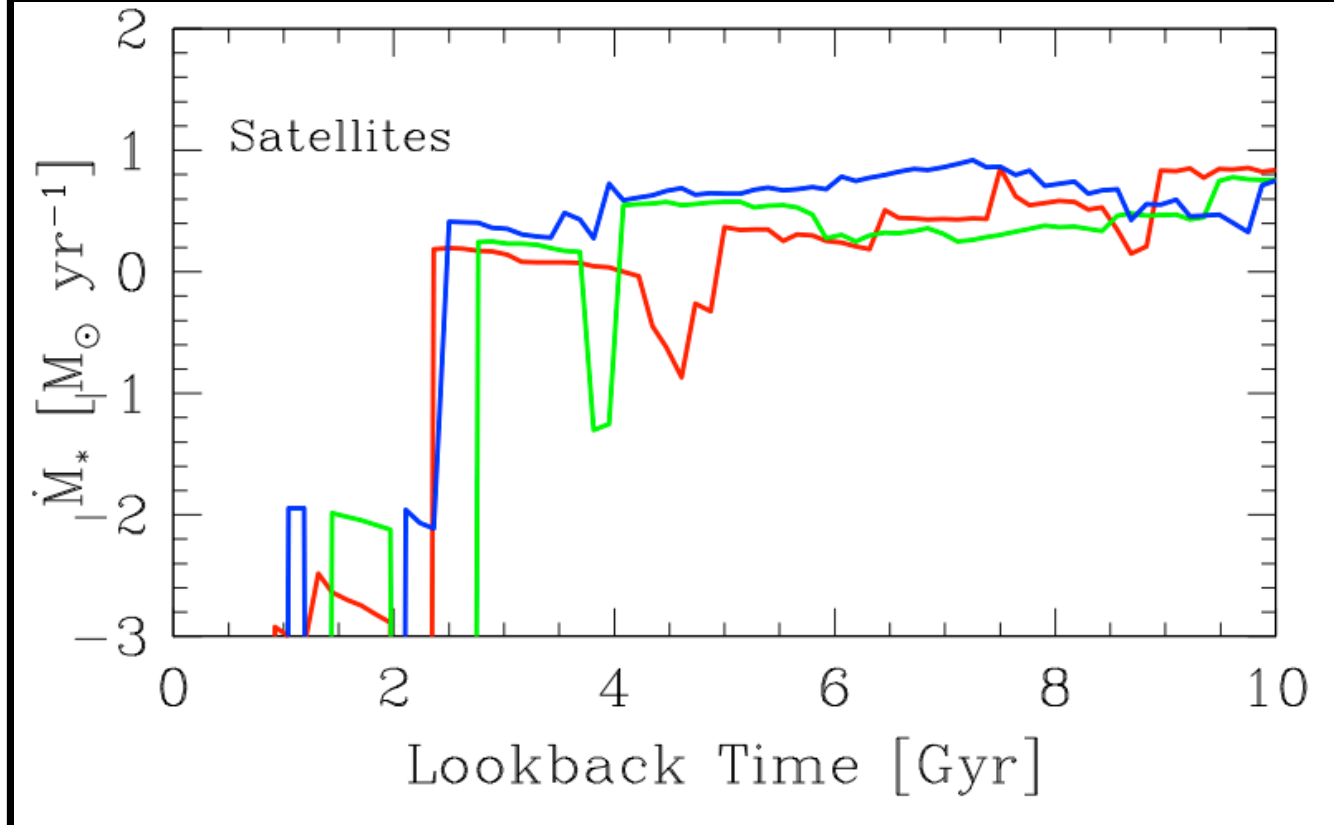
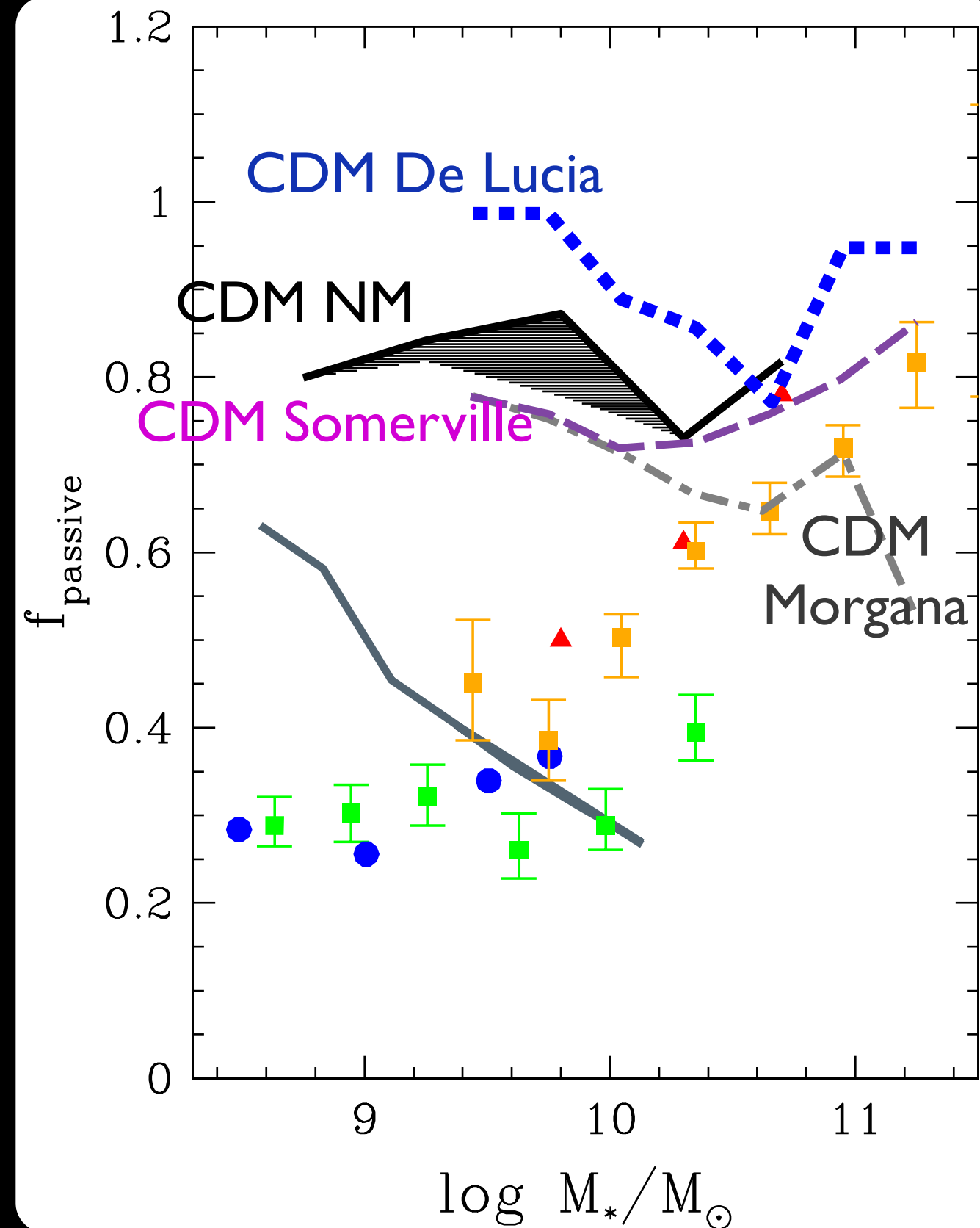
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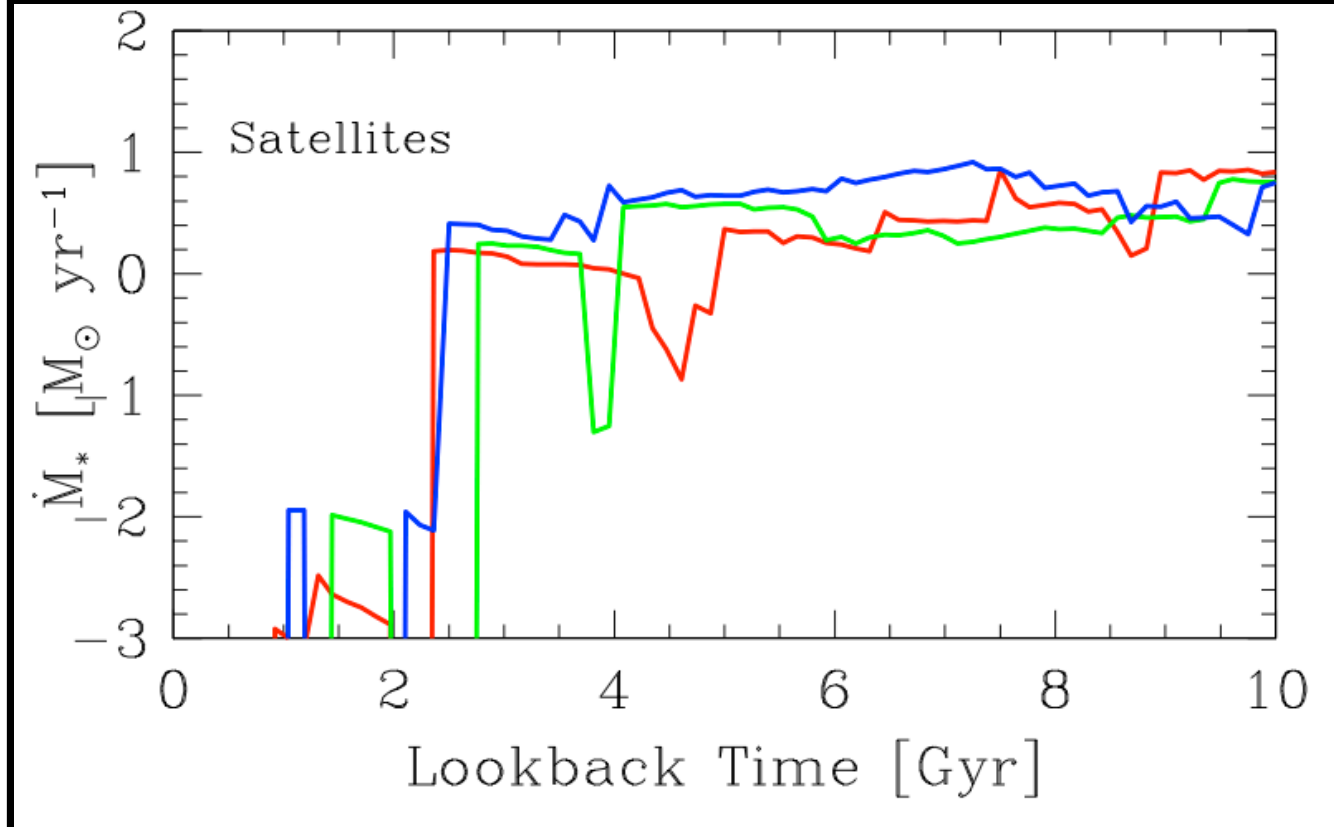
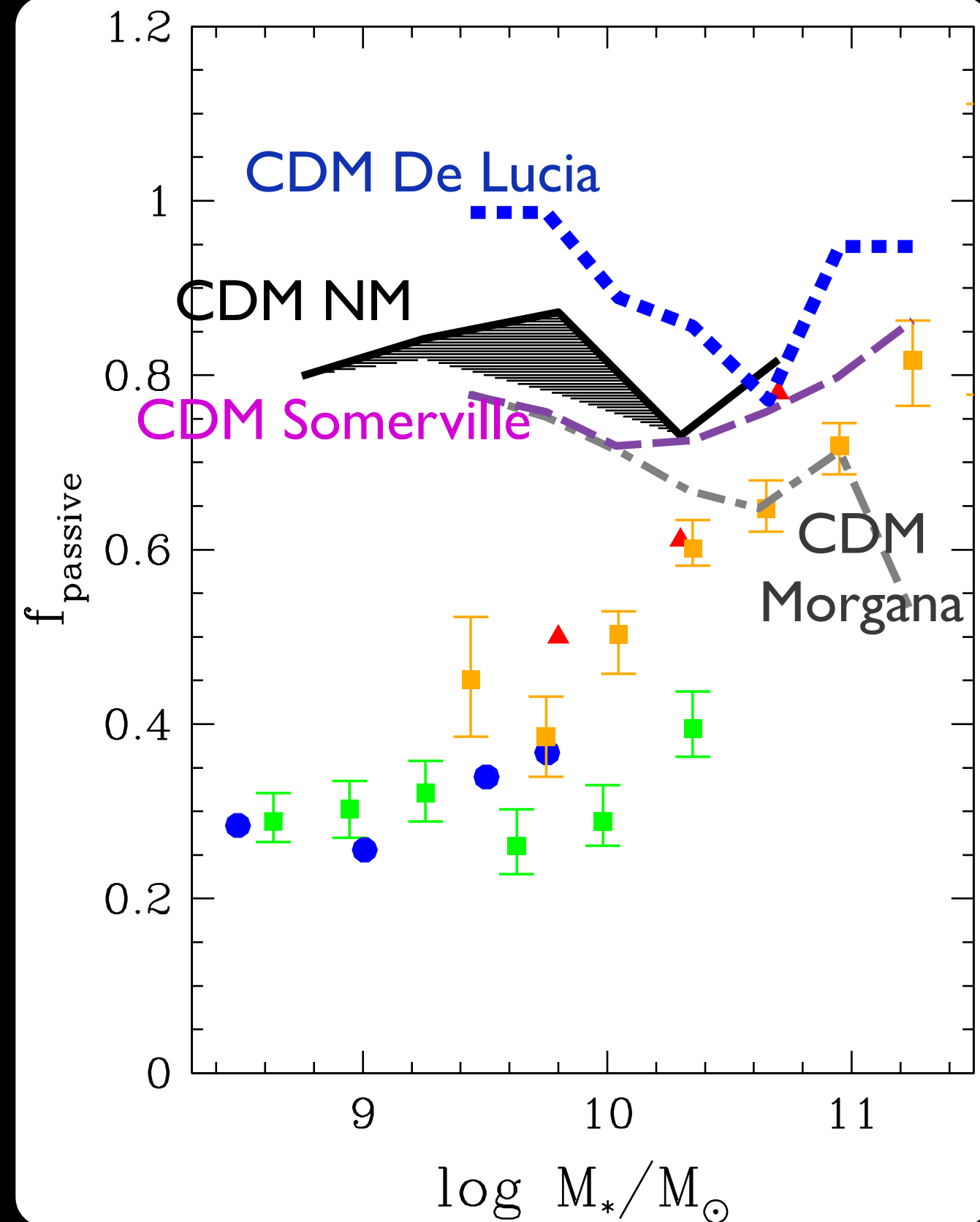
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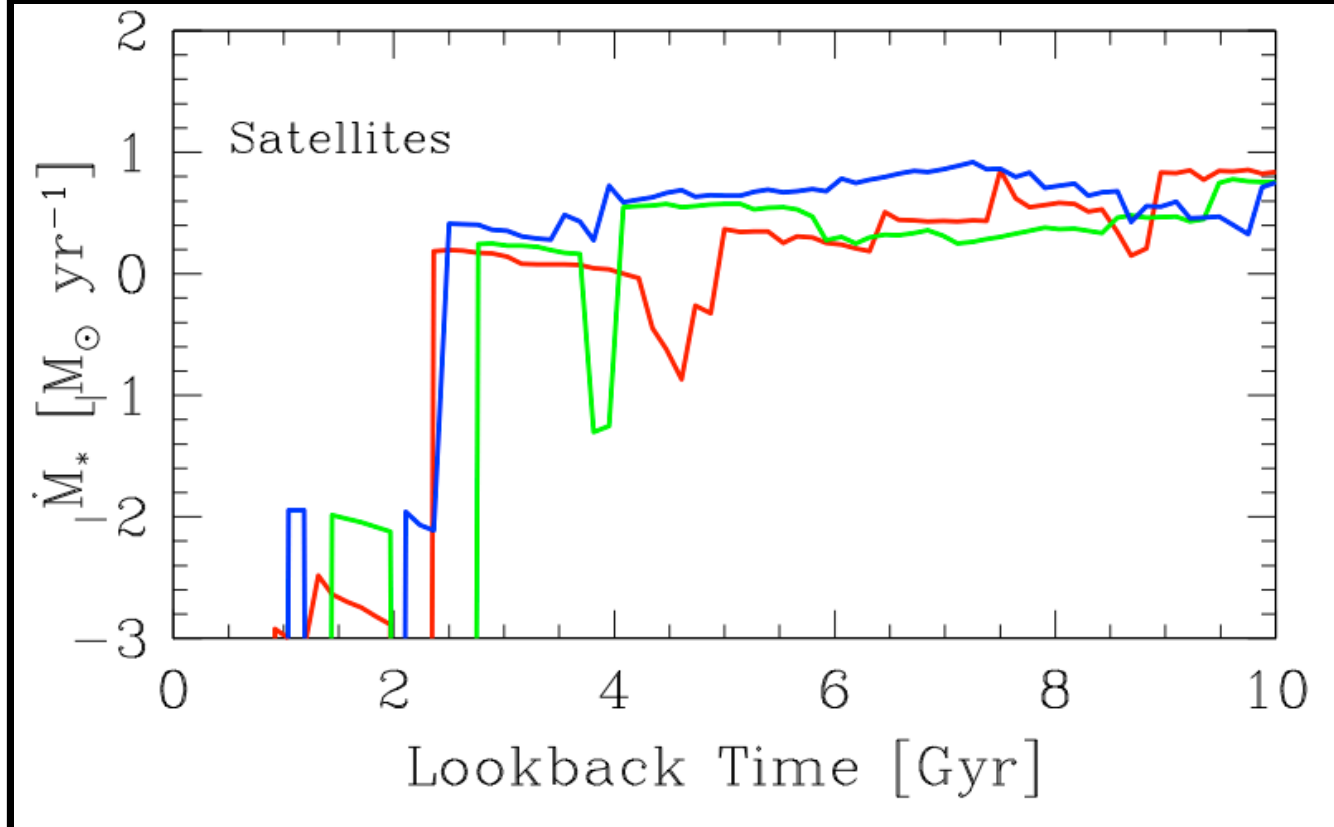
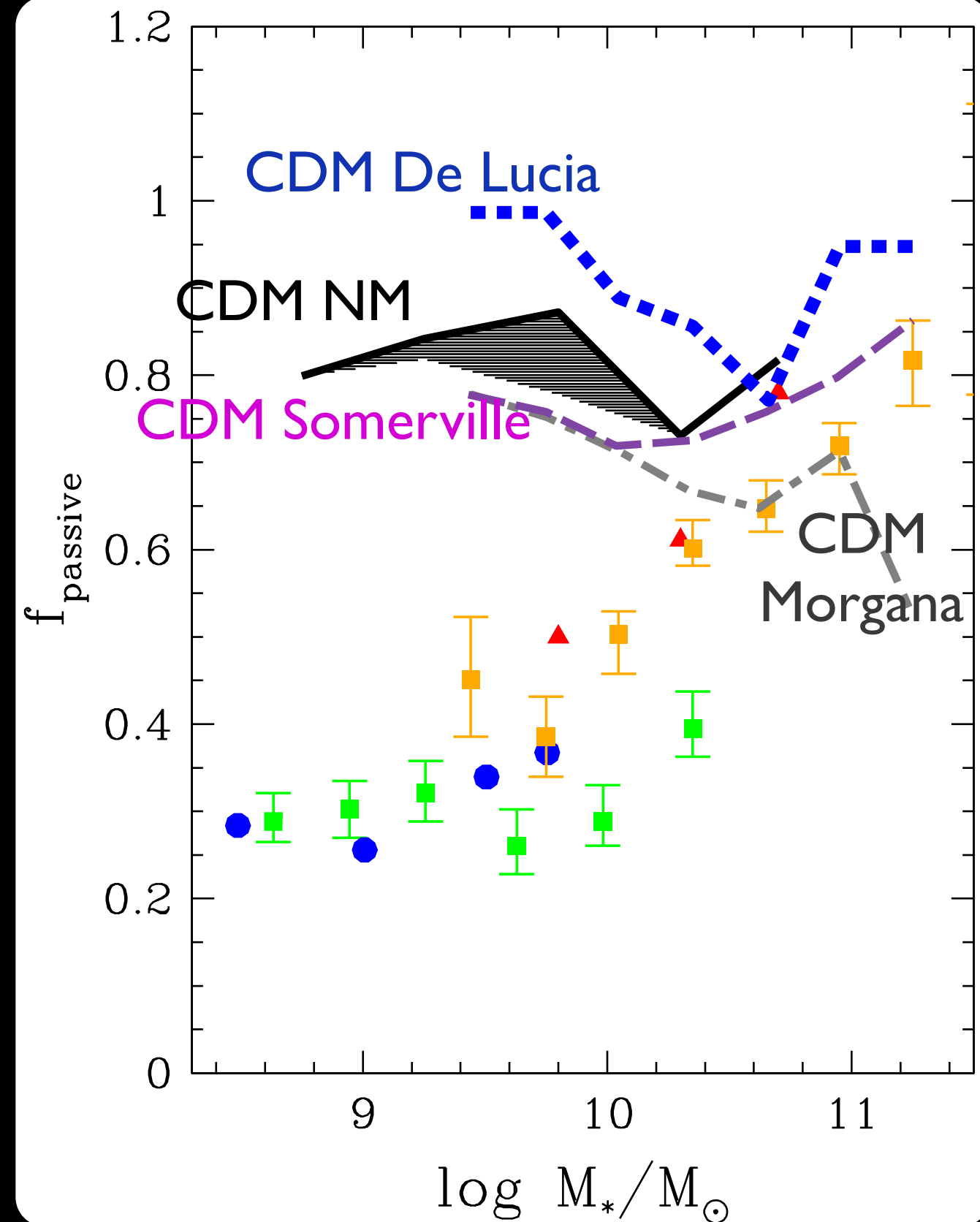
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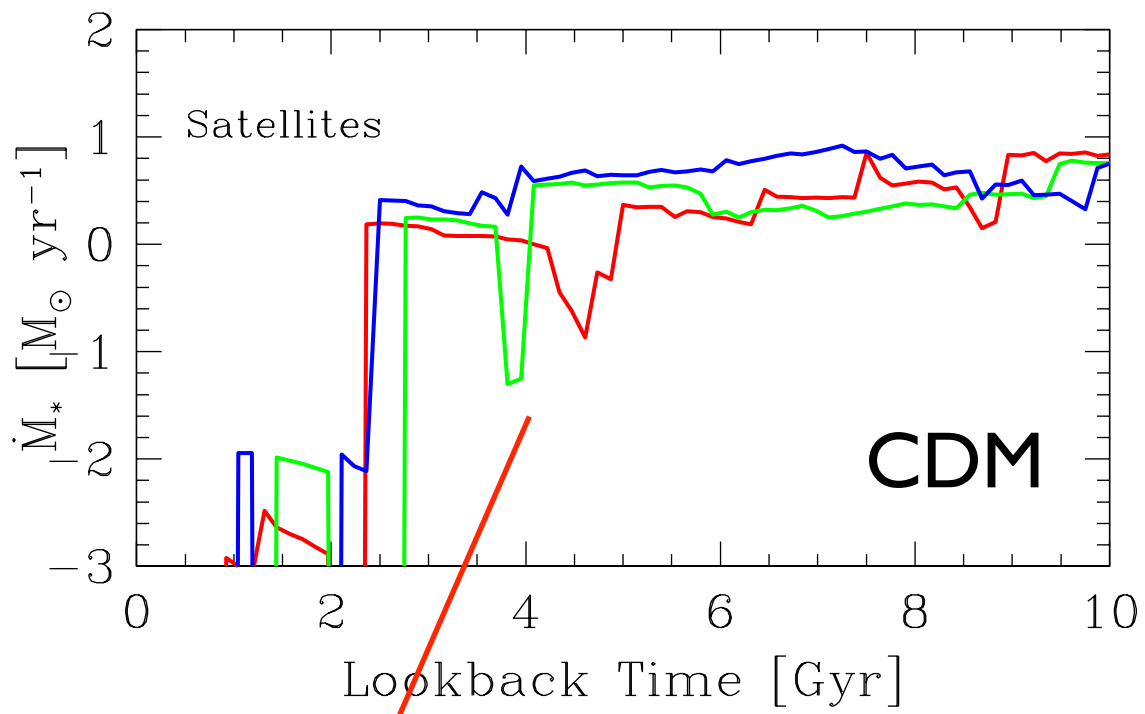
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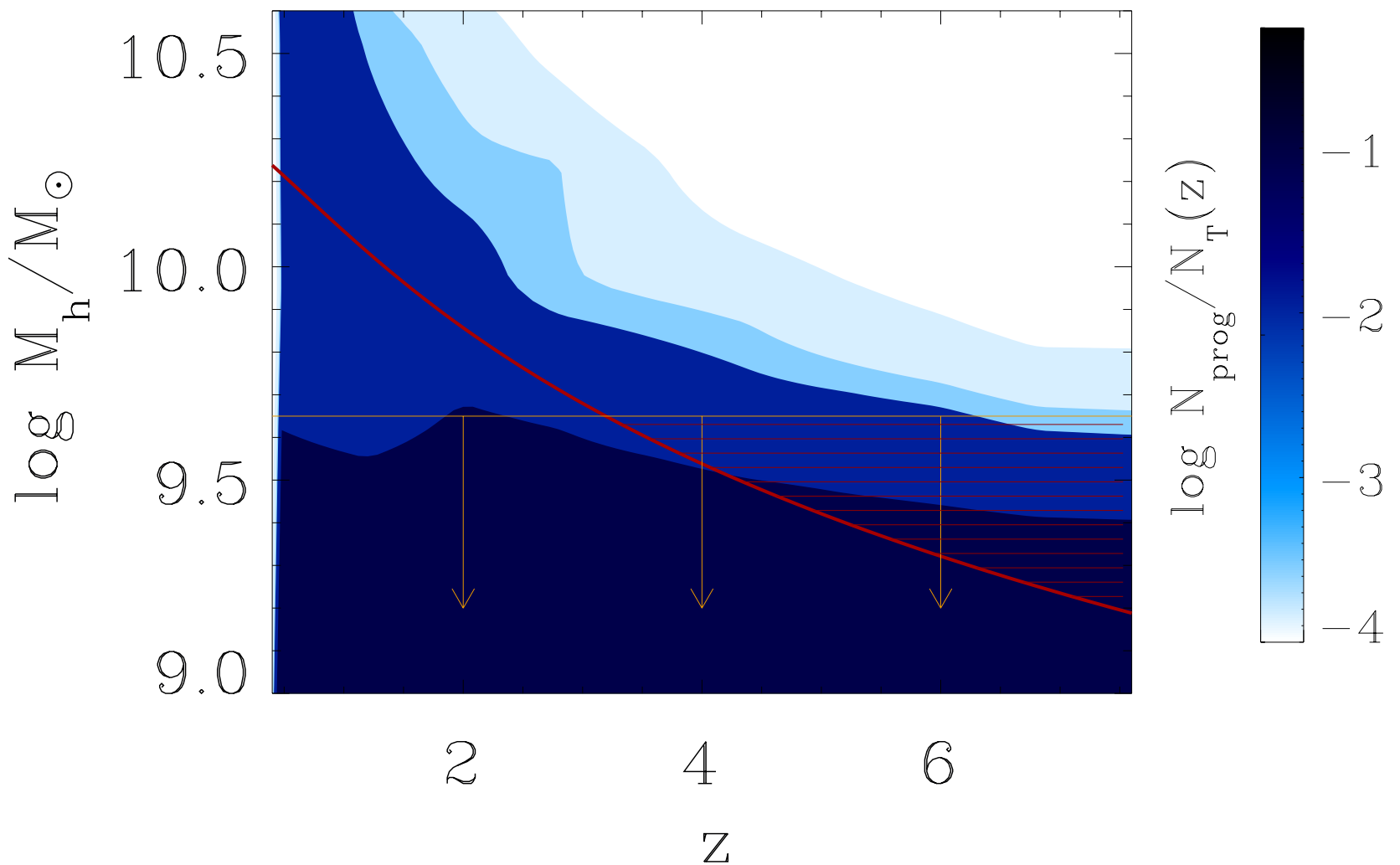
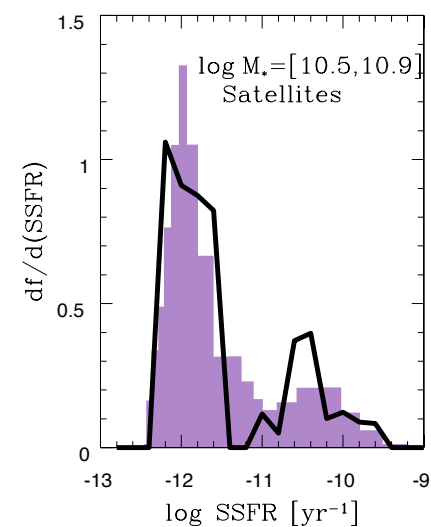
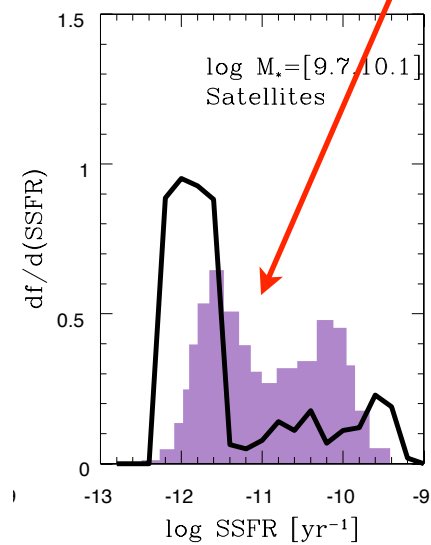
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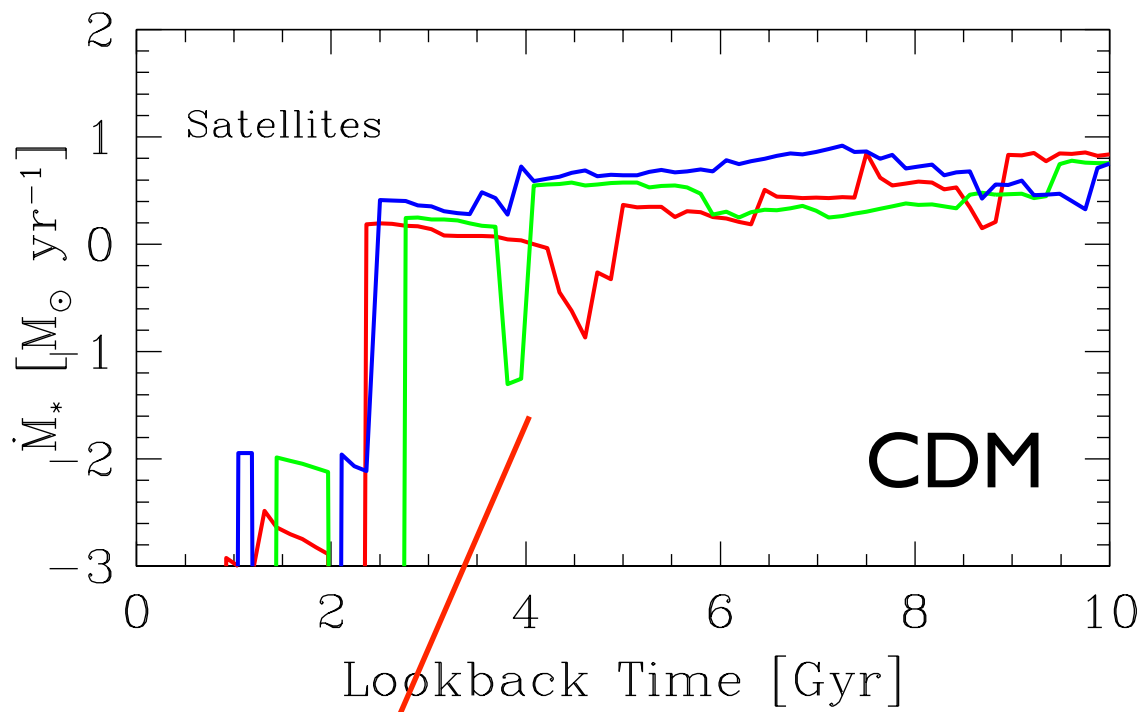
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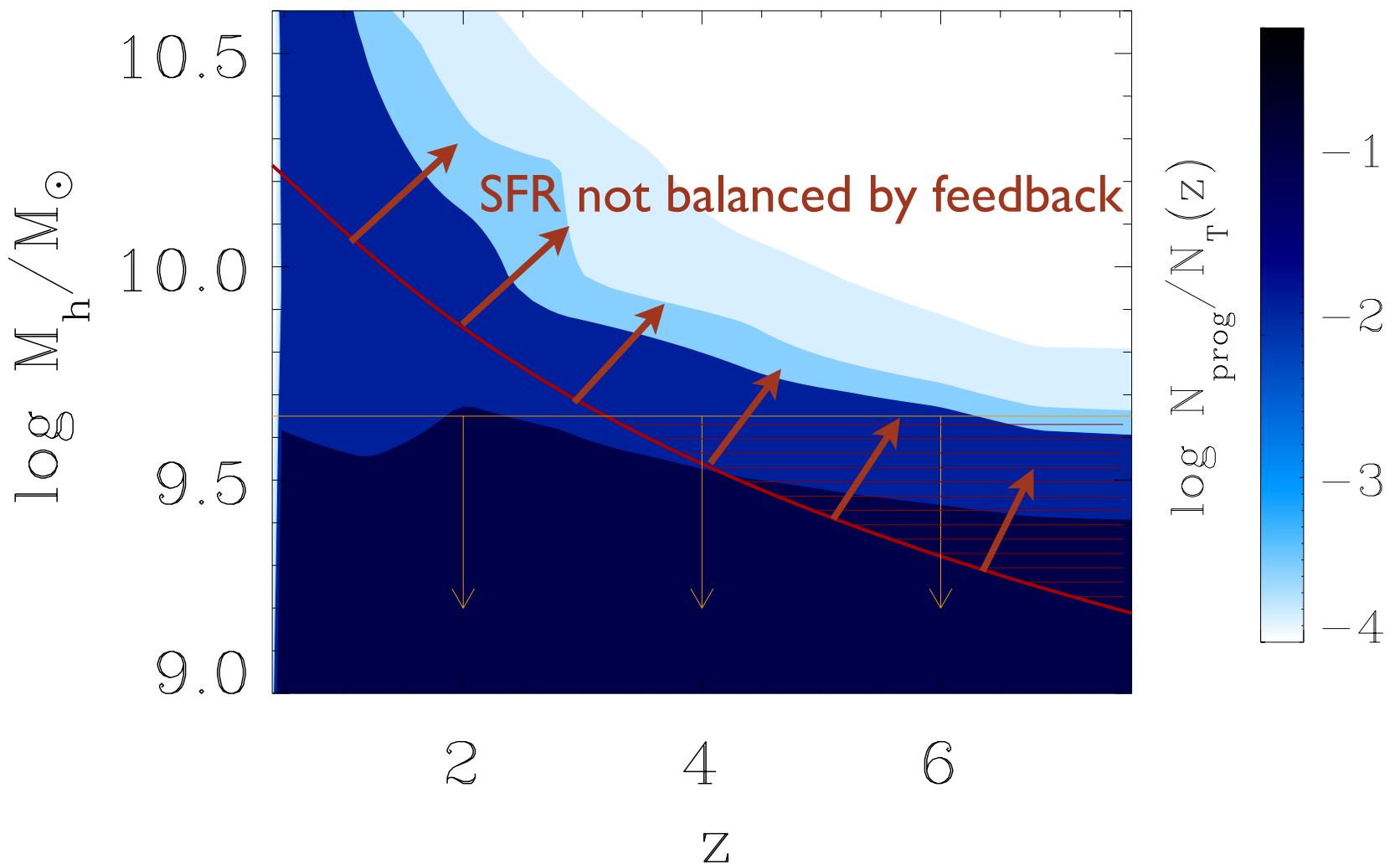
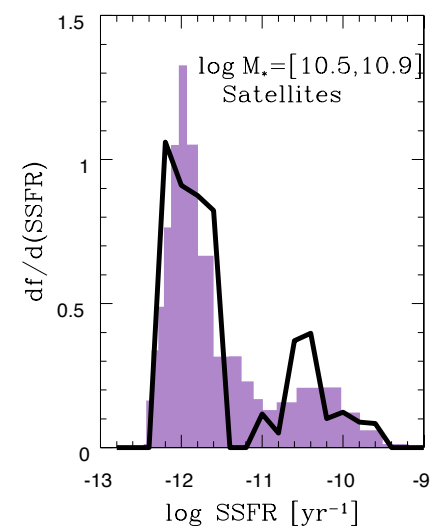
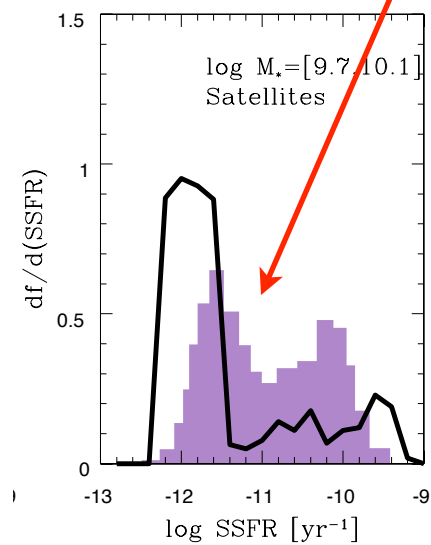
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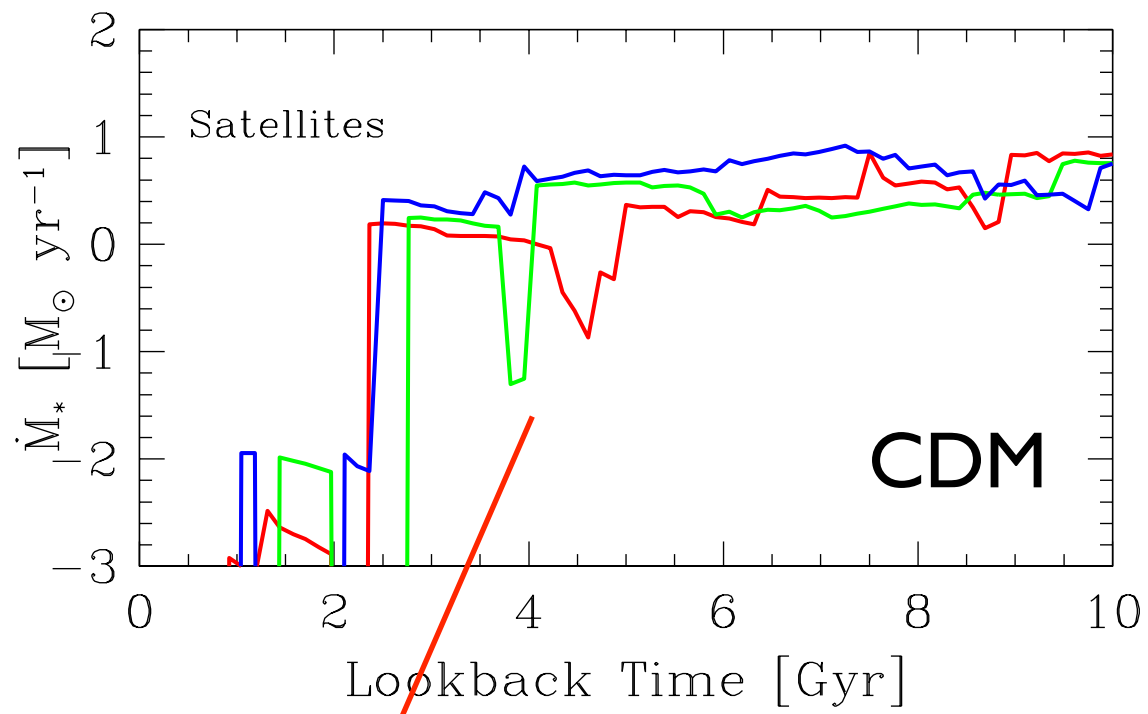
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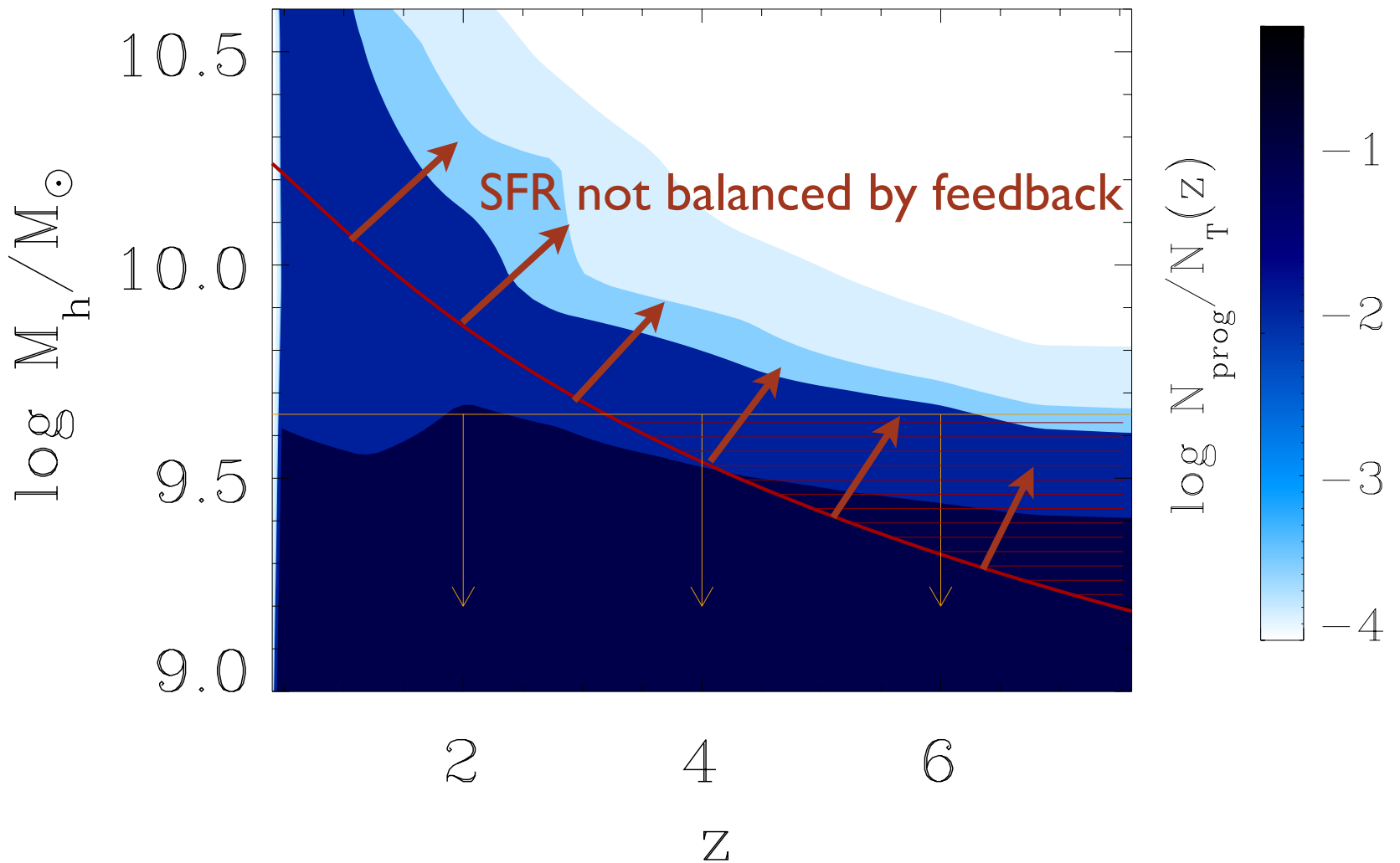
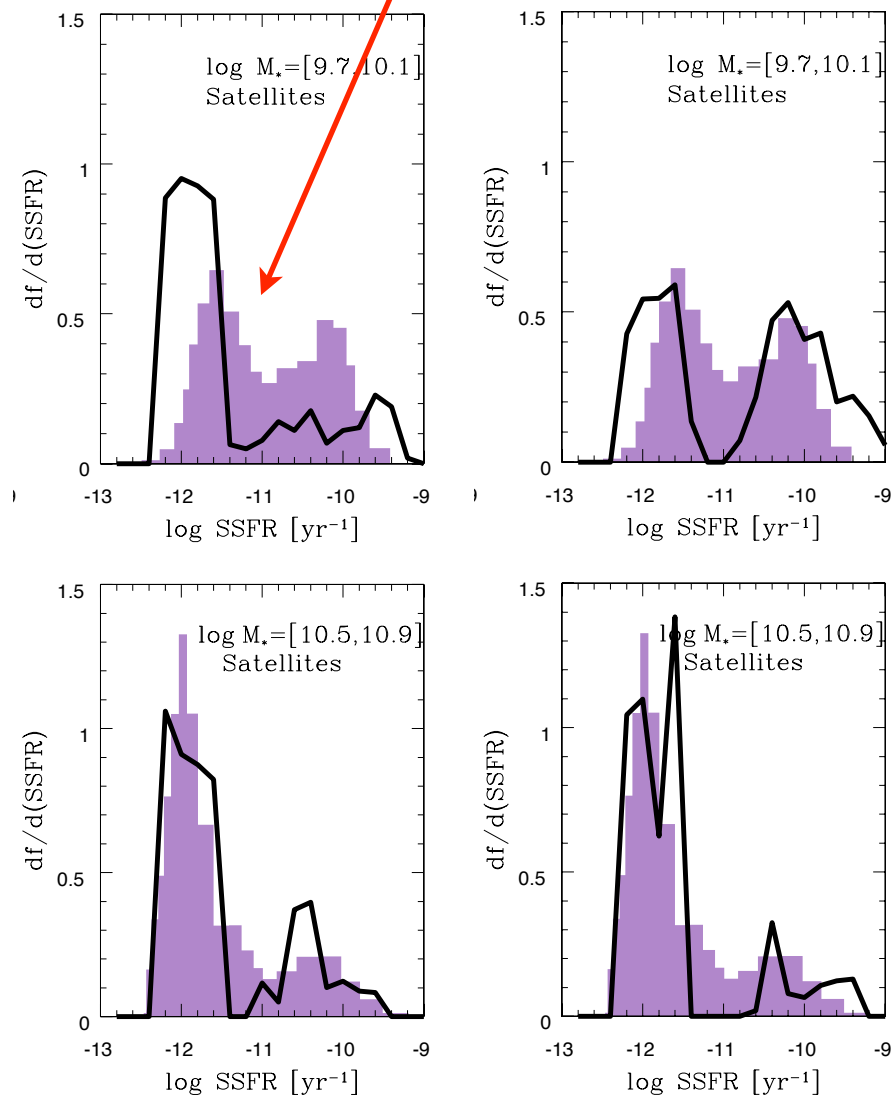


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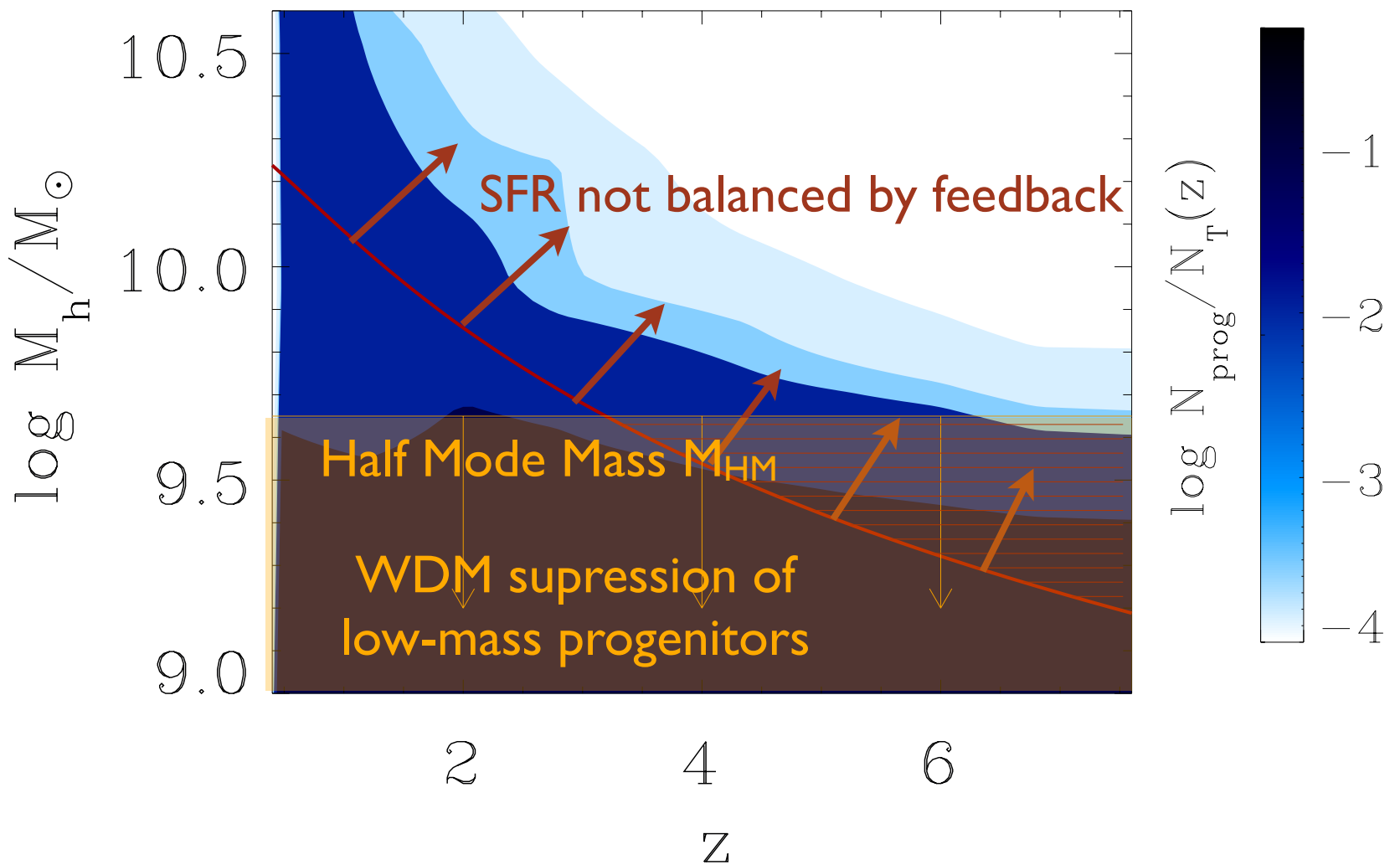
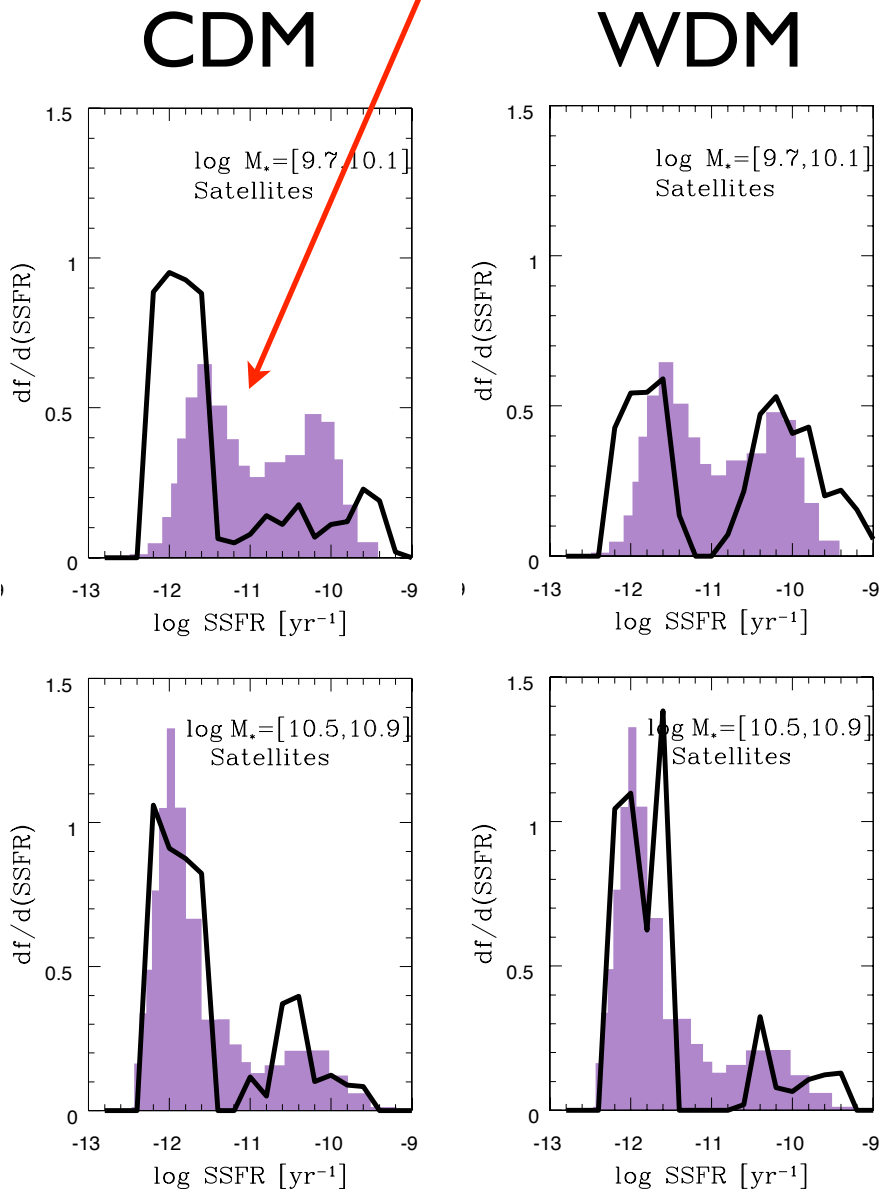
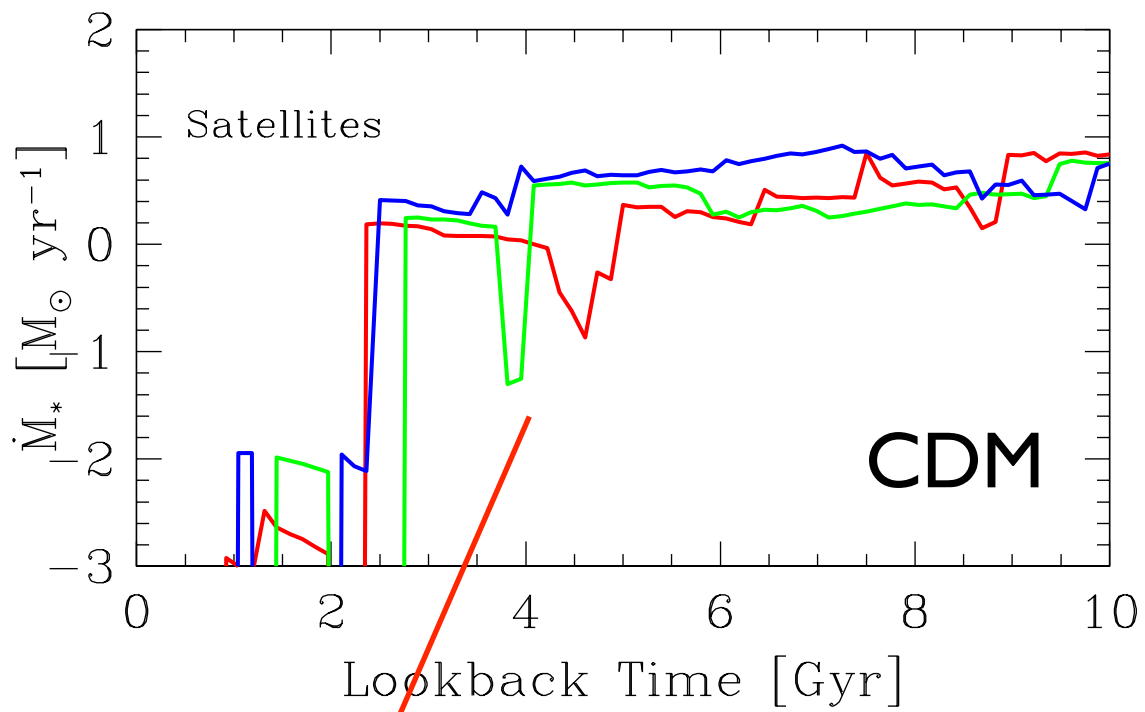
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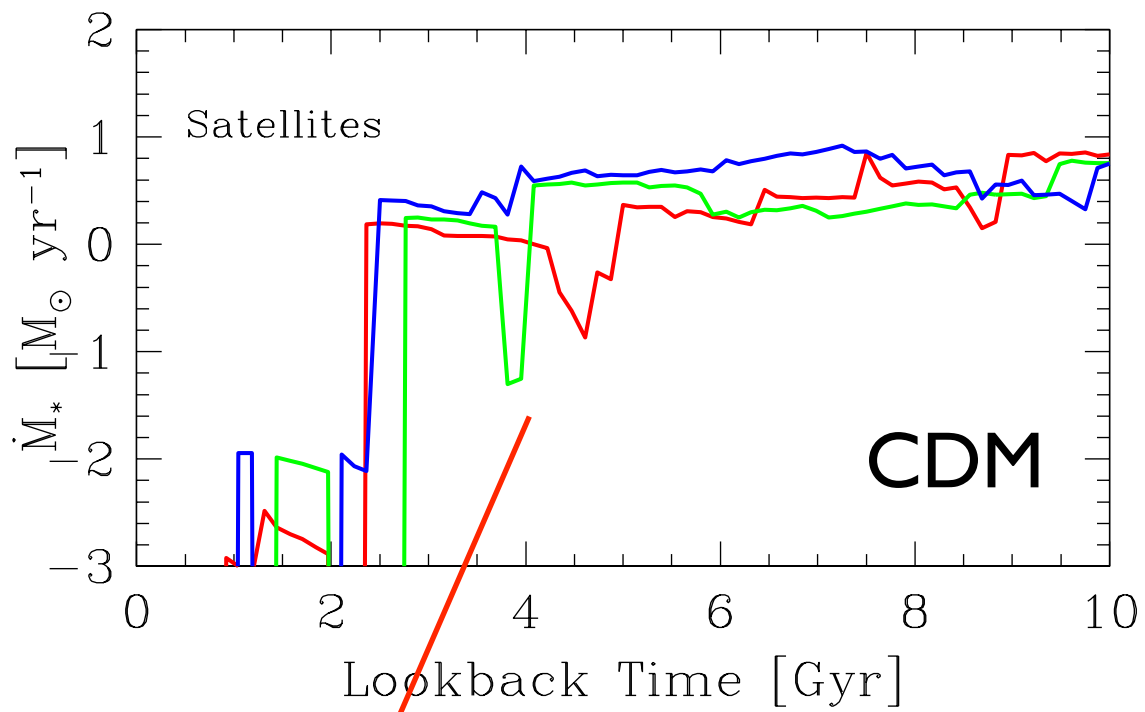
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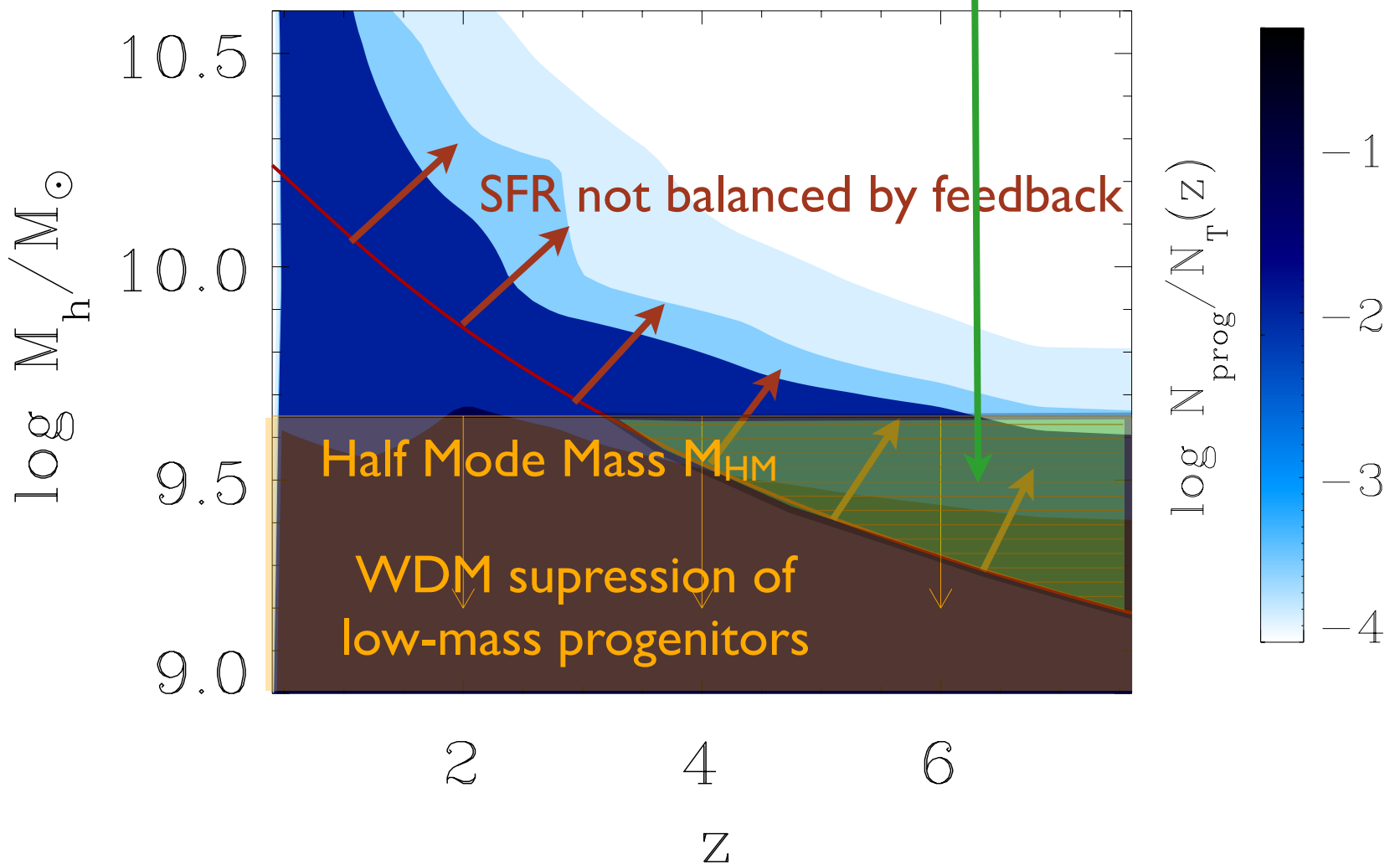
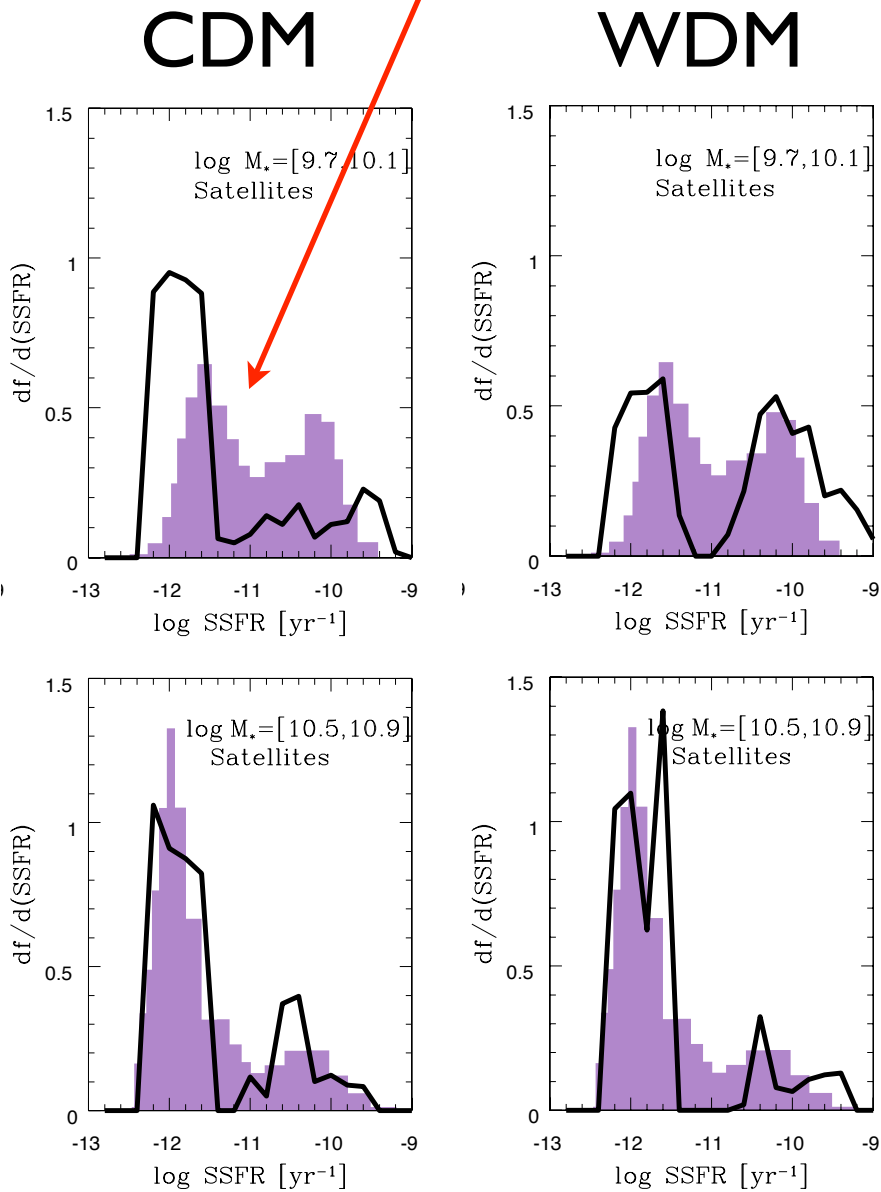


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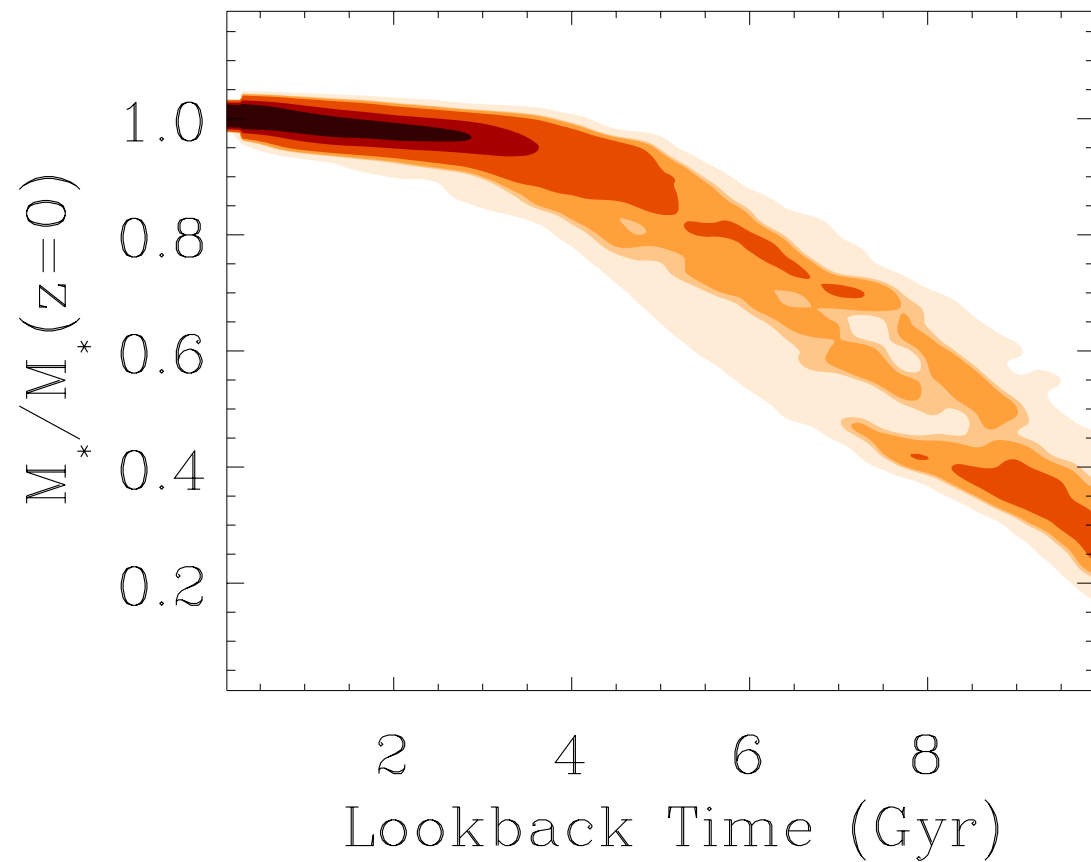


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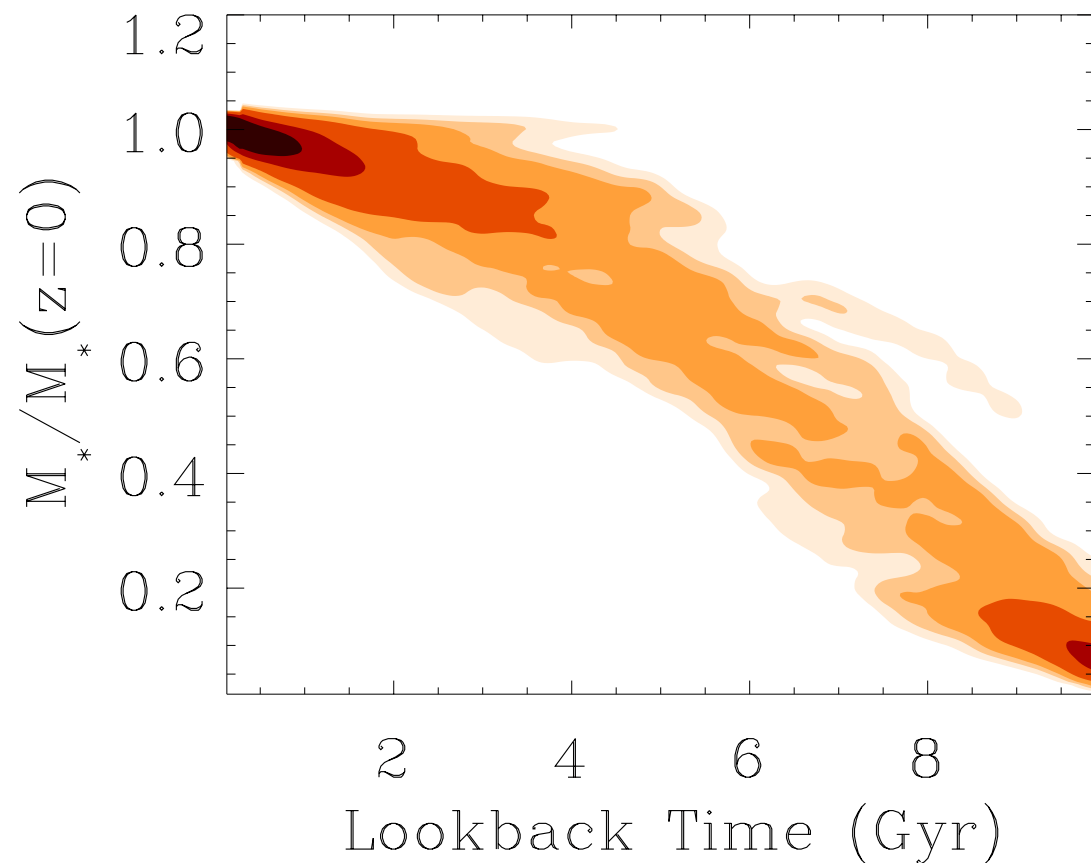
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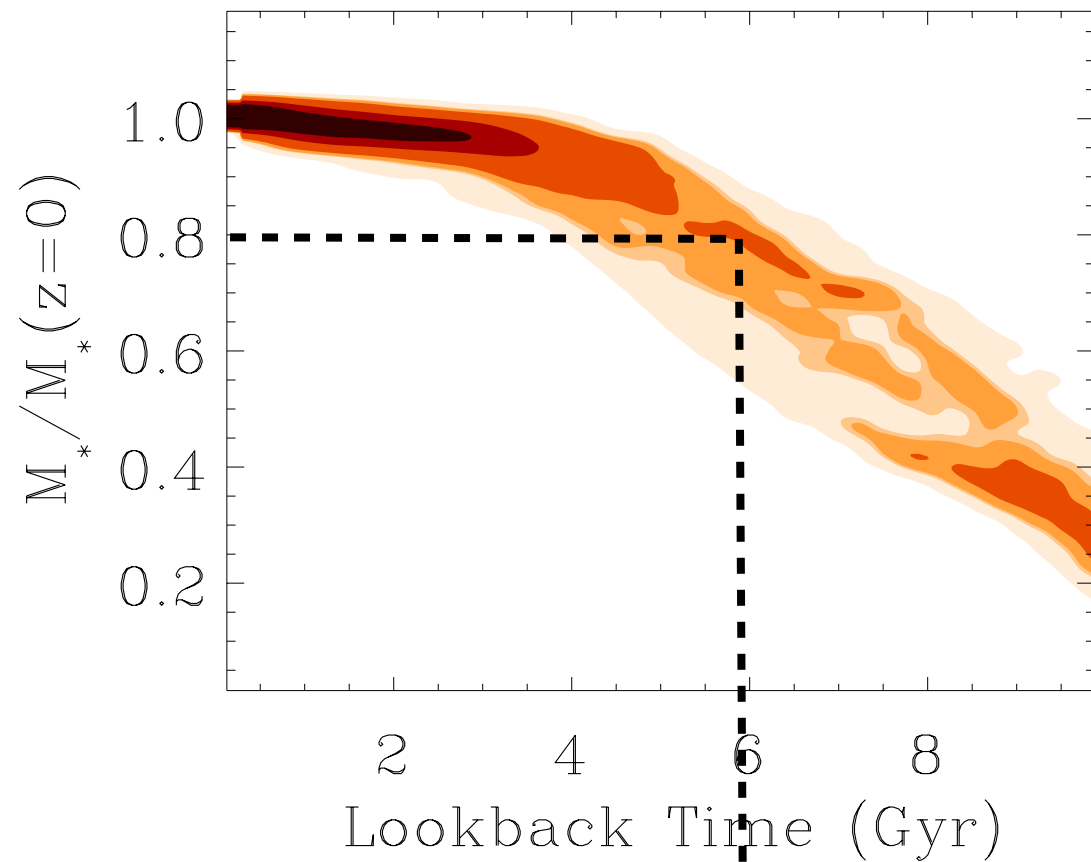
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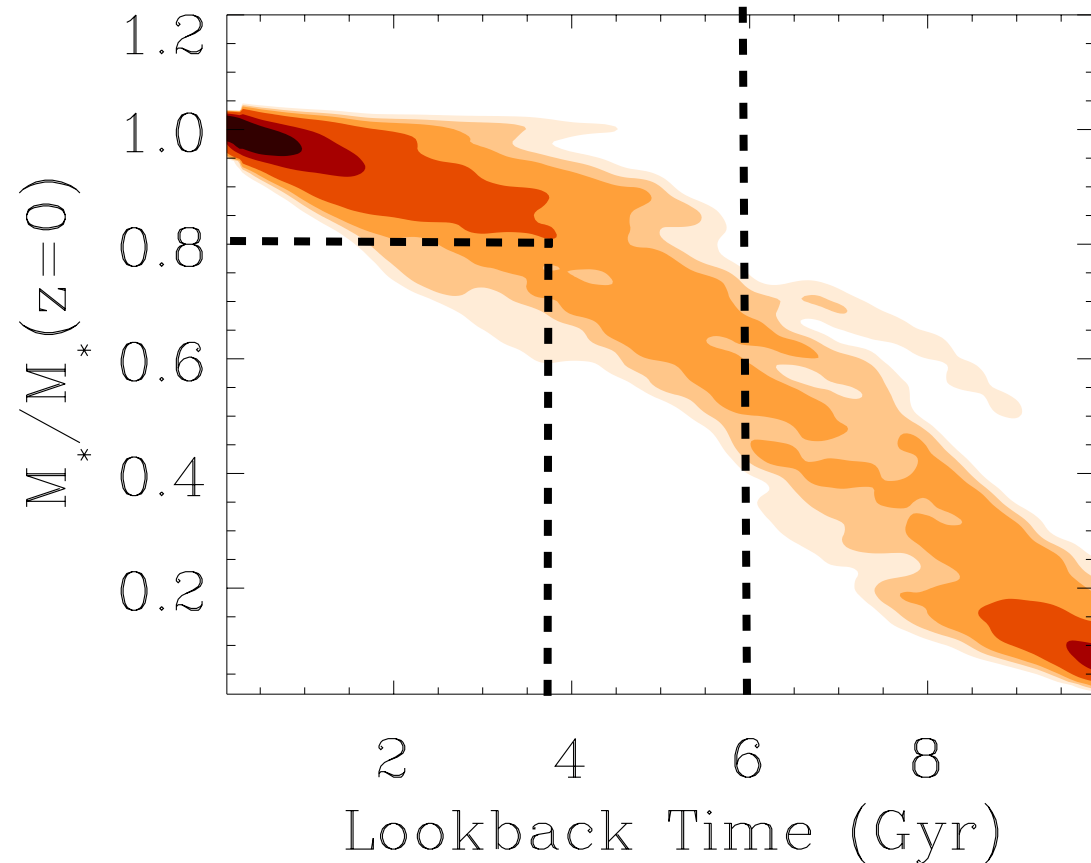
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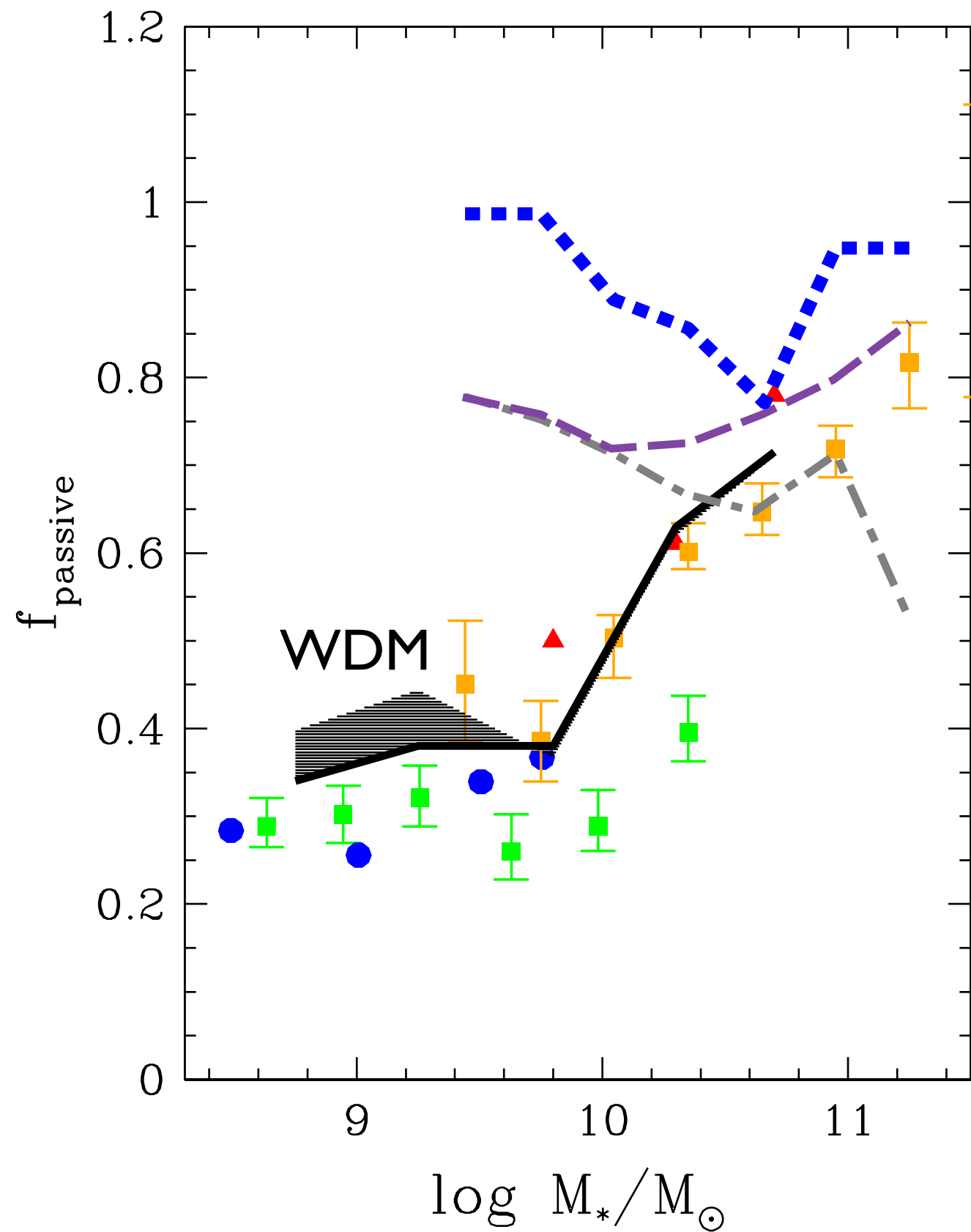
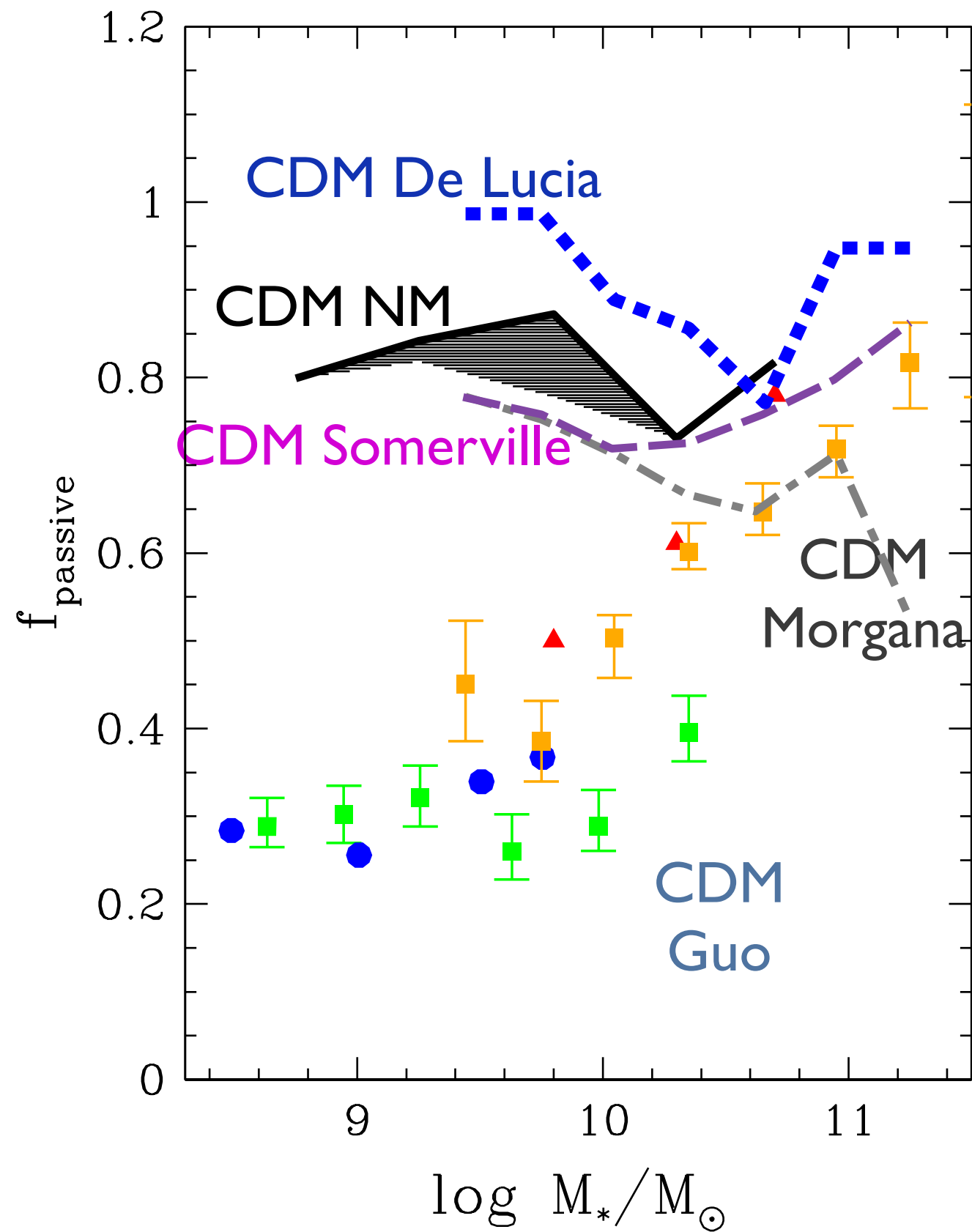
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Approx. delay \sim 2 Gyr

Fraction of Quiescent Satellite Galaxies

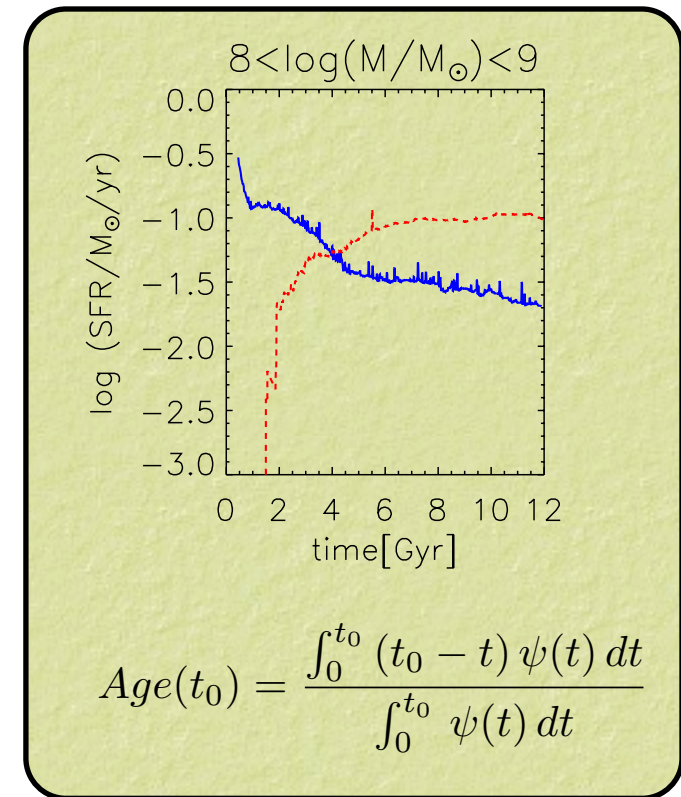


The Age of stellar populations in low-mass galaxies

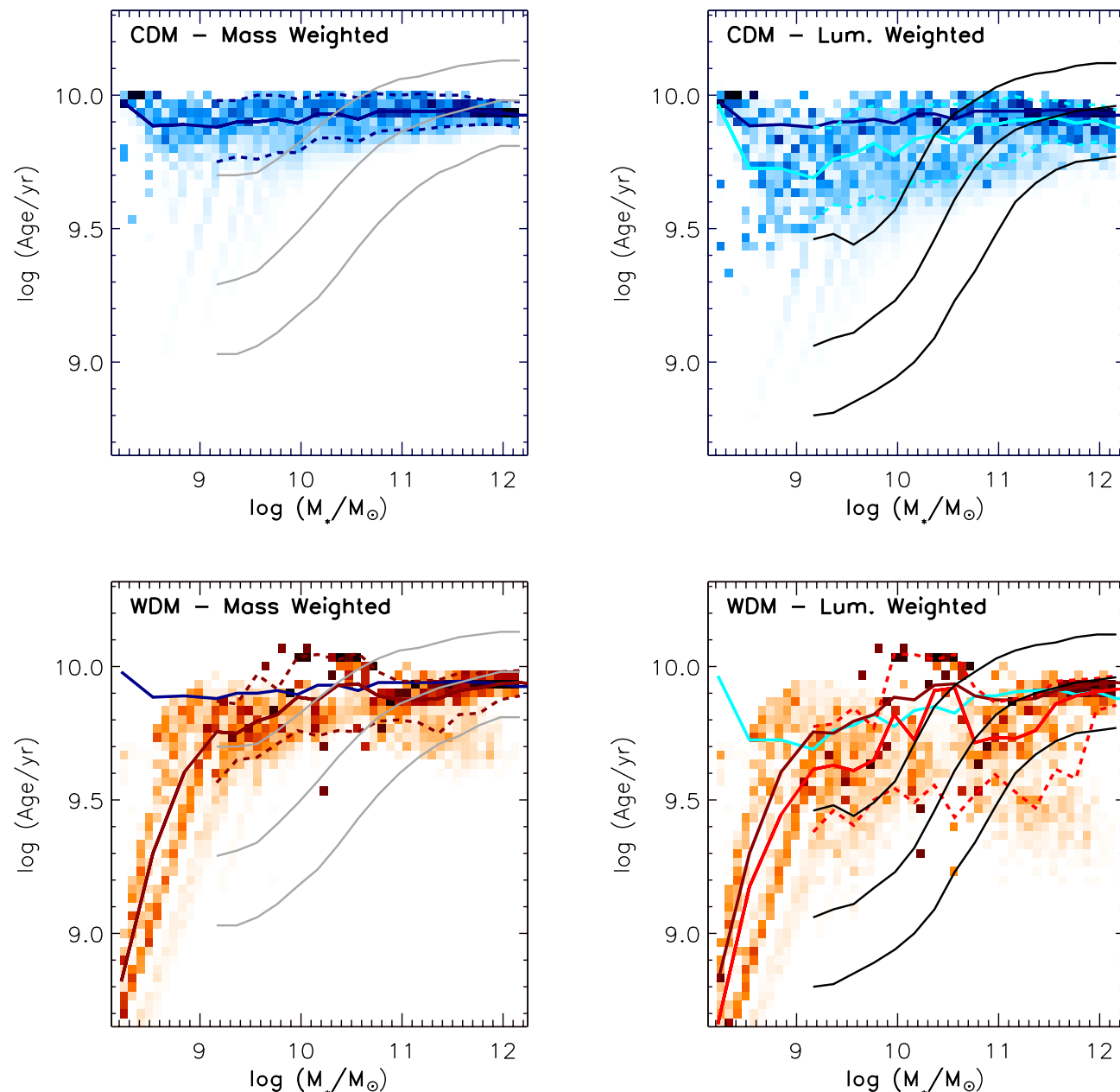
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Increasing the stellar feedback worsen the problem

Early SF: WDM induces delay in star formation, affects small-mass objects(see, e.g., Angulo et al. 2013)

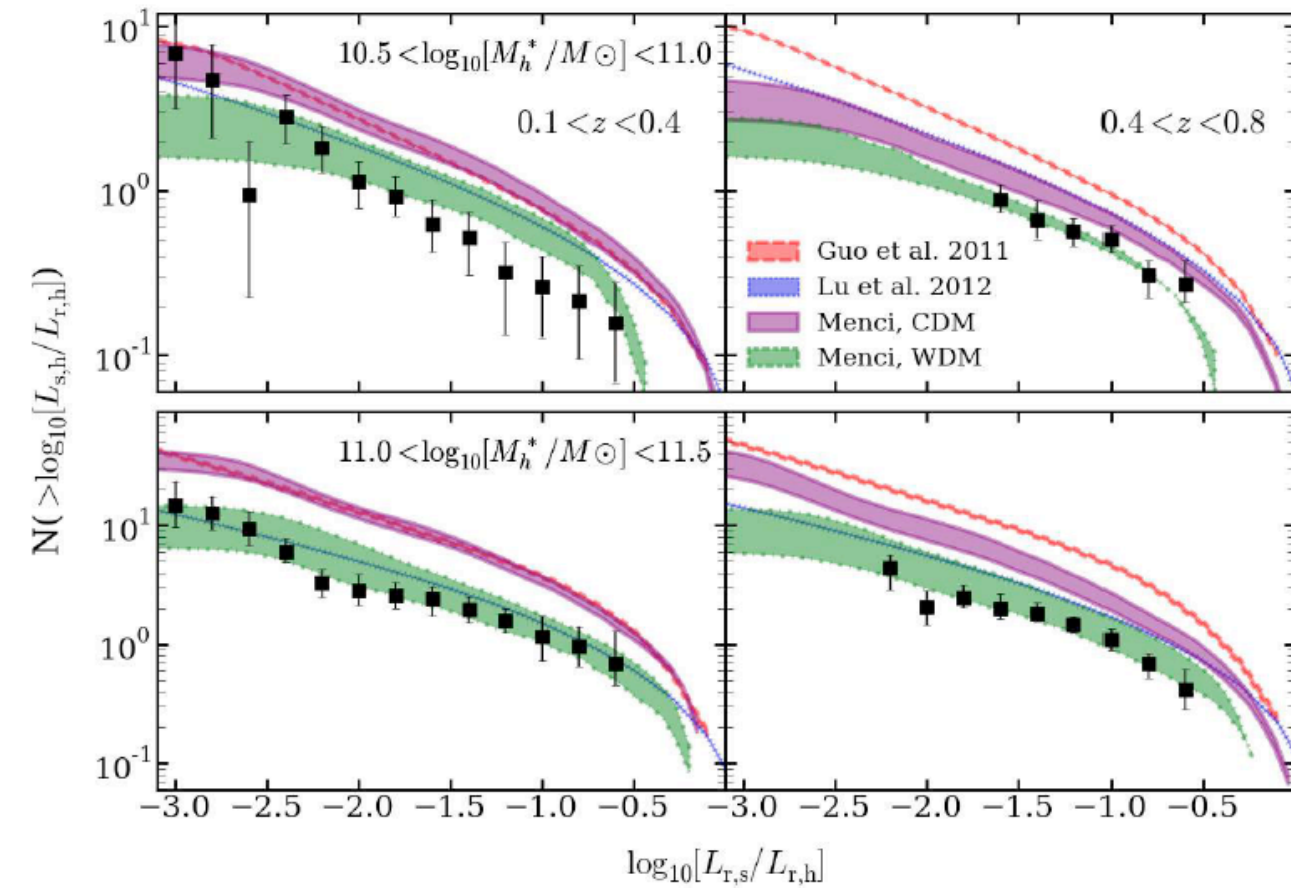


Calura, NM, Gallazzi 2014



The upper, the middle and the lower grey (black) curves represent the 16th, the 50th (median) and the 84th percentiles of the observed distribution in mass-(light-)weighted stellar age (Gallazzi et al. 2008)

Future Prospects



To reduce the number of predicted satellites CDM models have to maximize feedback effects

This results into red colors (suppressed star formation) in satellite galaxies

Near Future: breaking the degeneracy between feedback and DM models

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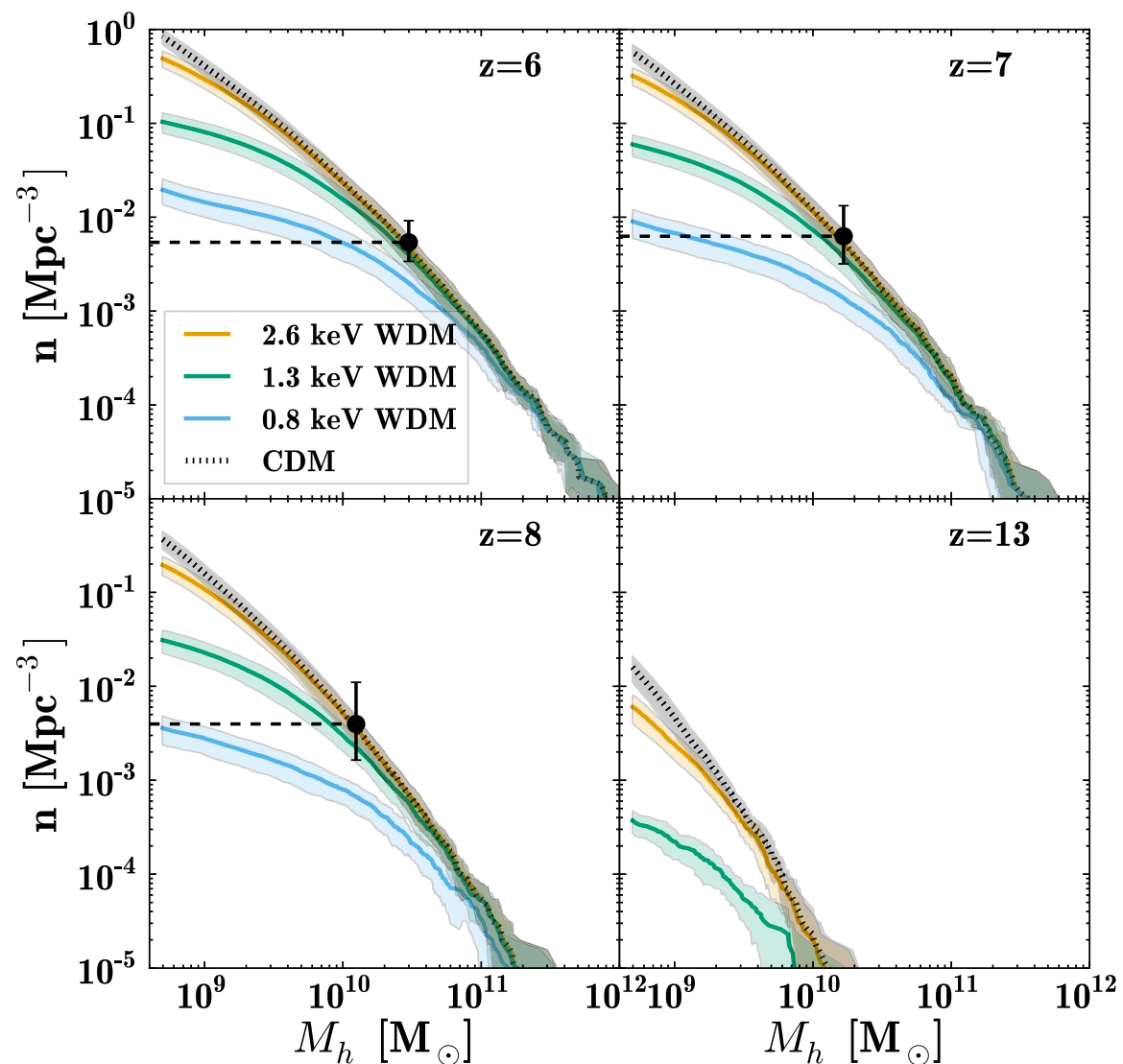
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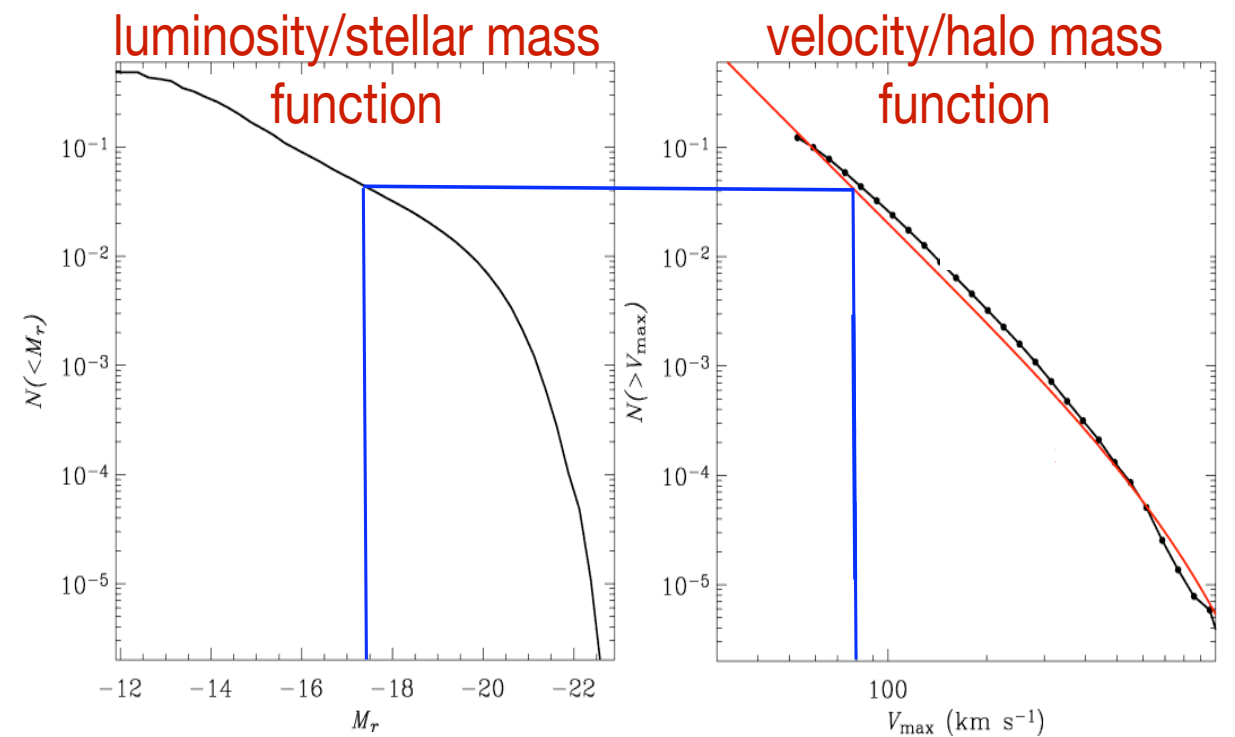
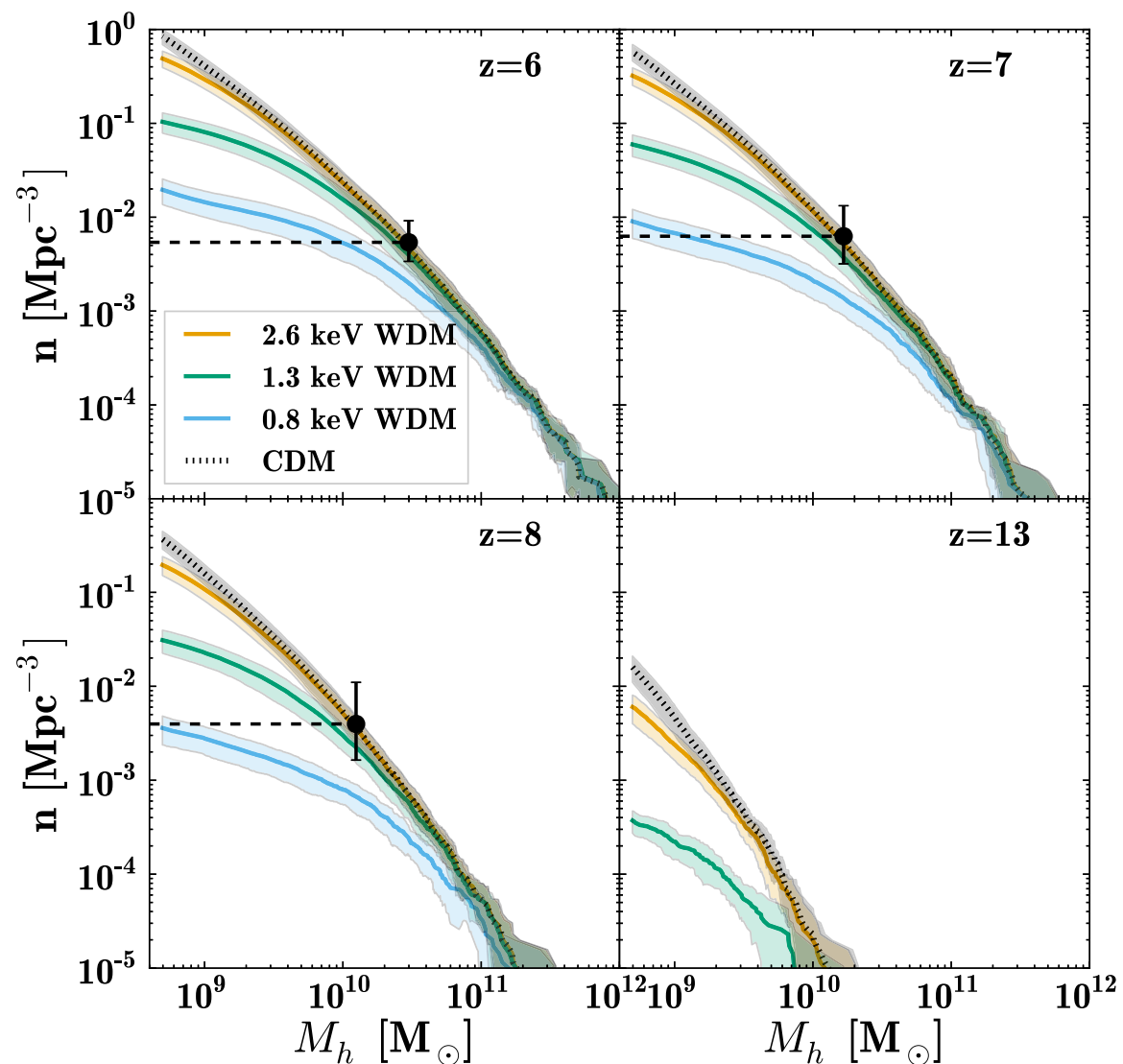


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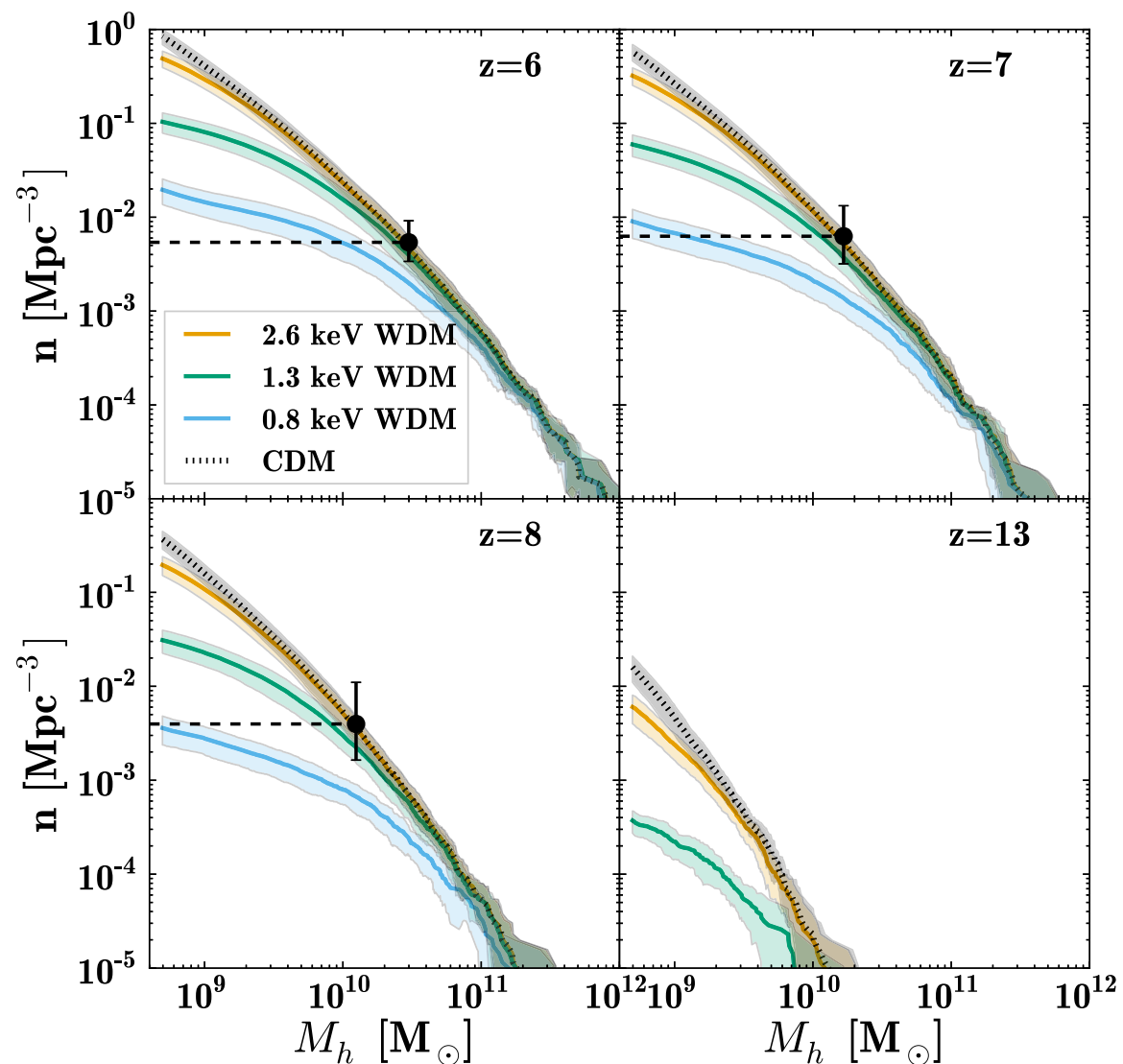


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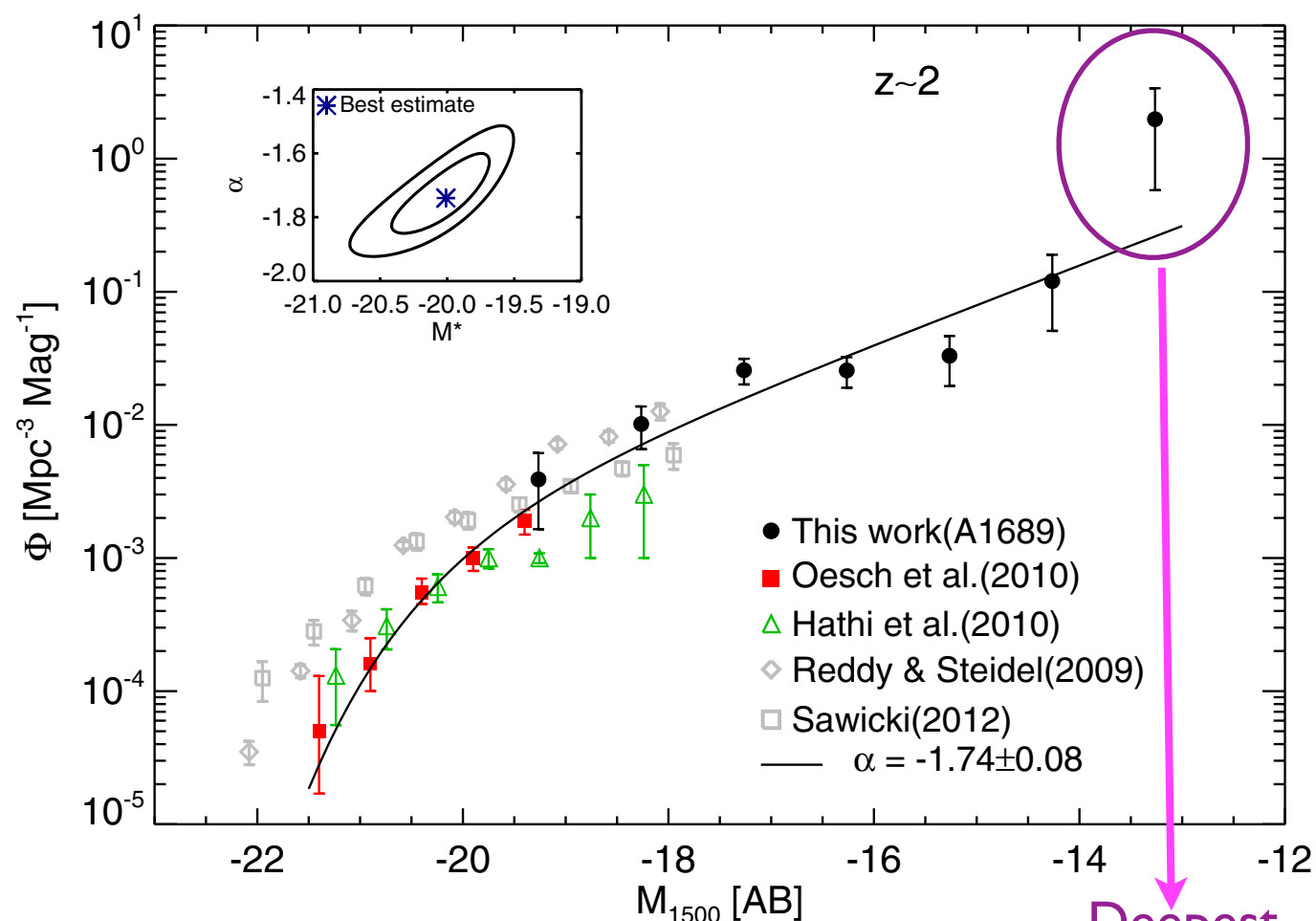


A different approach

focus on lower redshift but deeper observations

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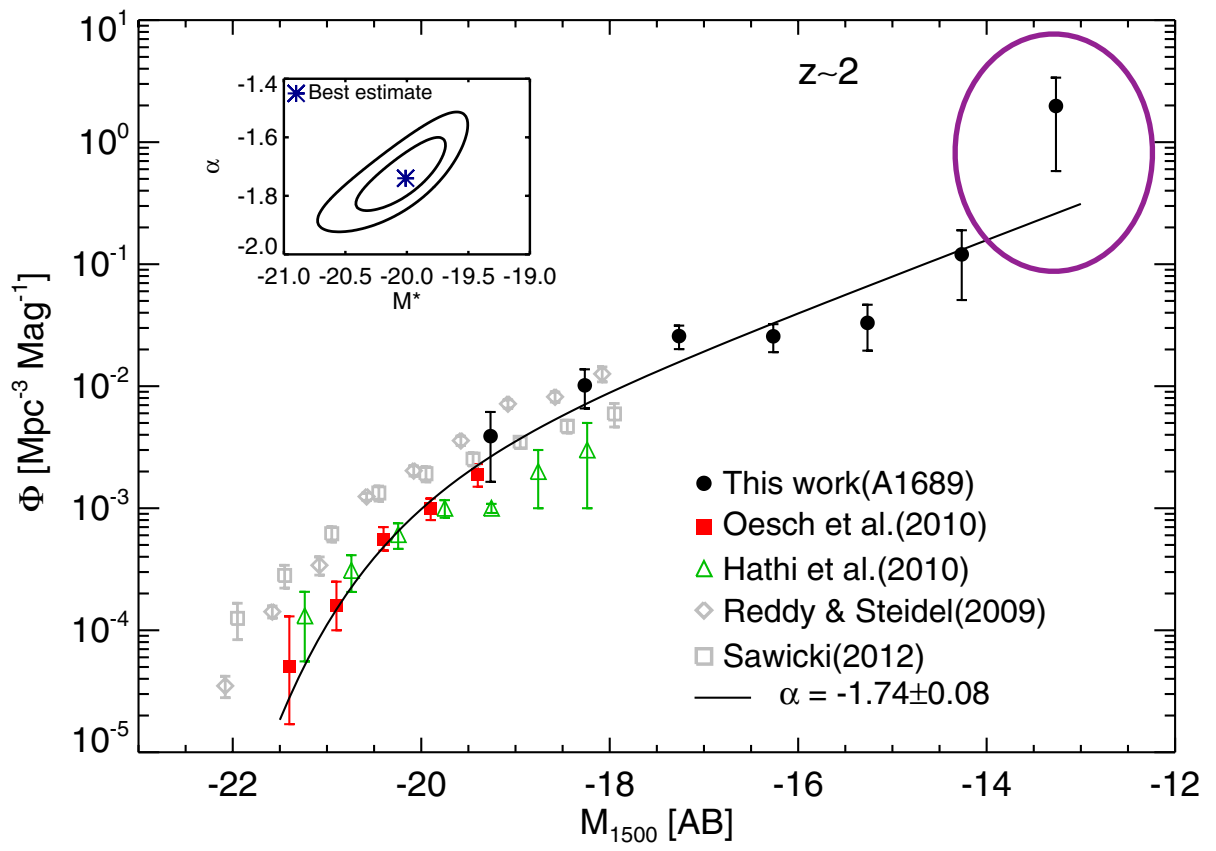
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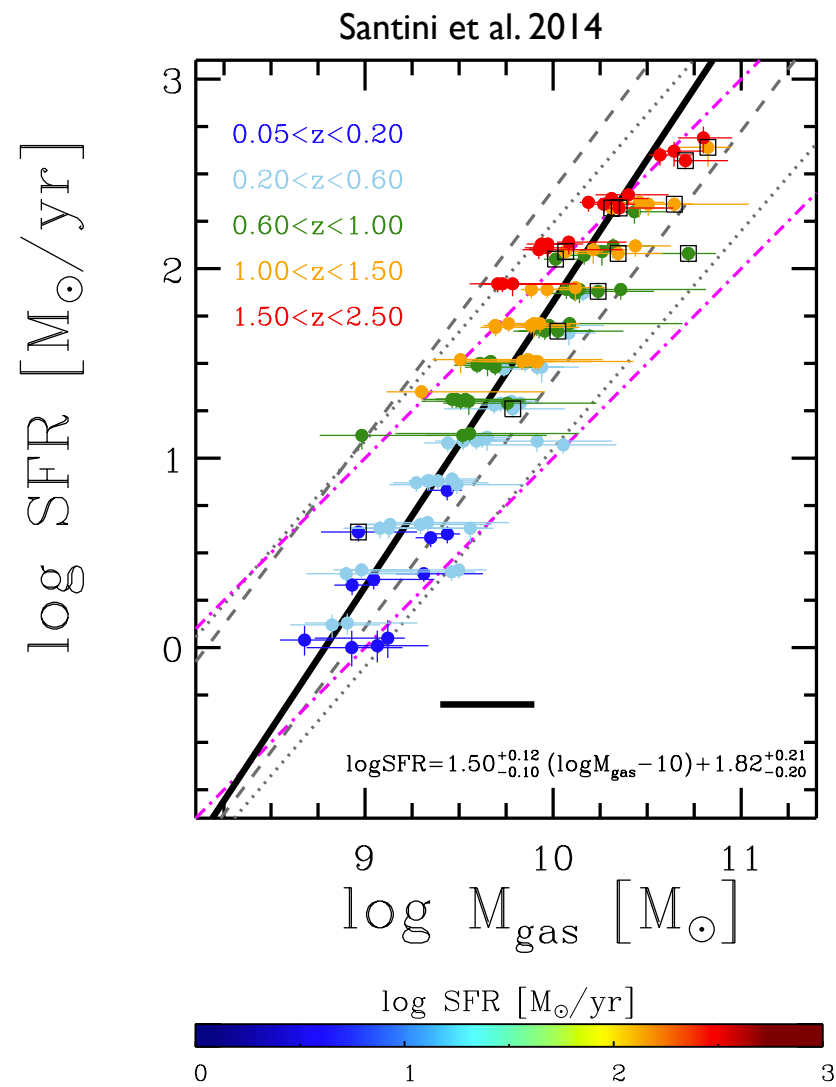
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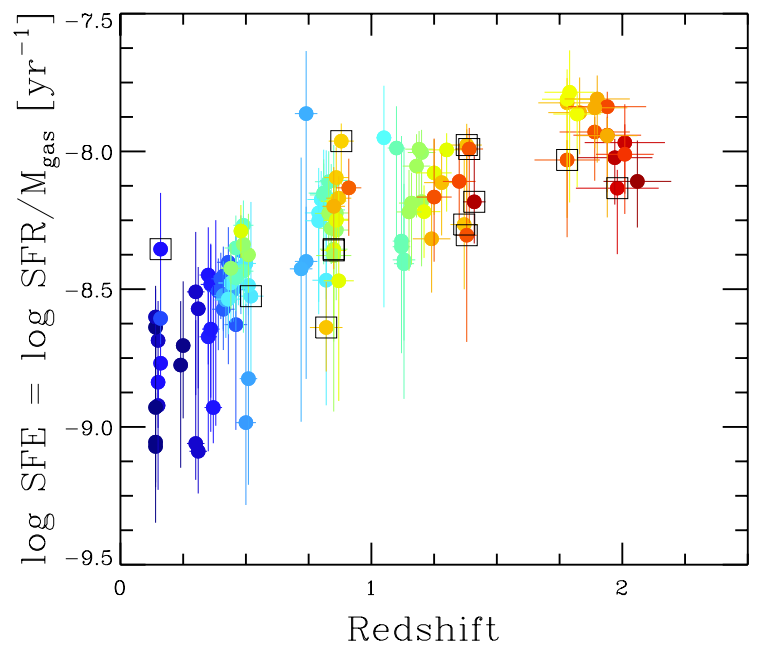
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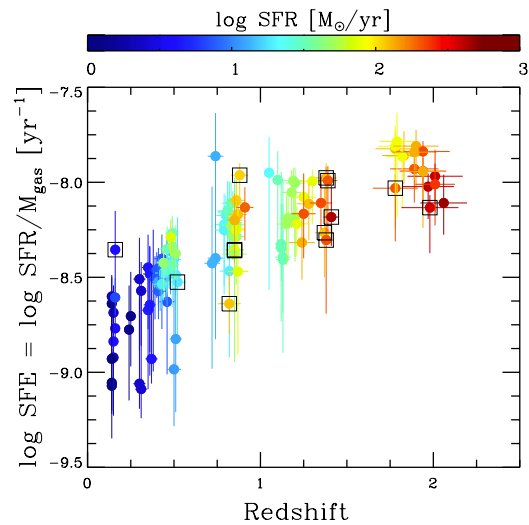
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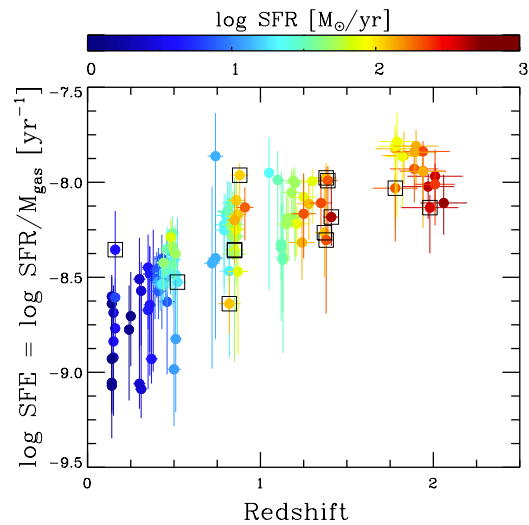
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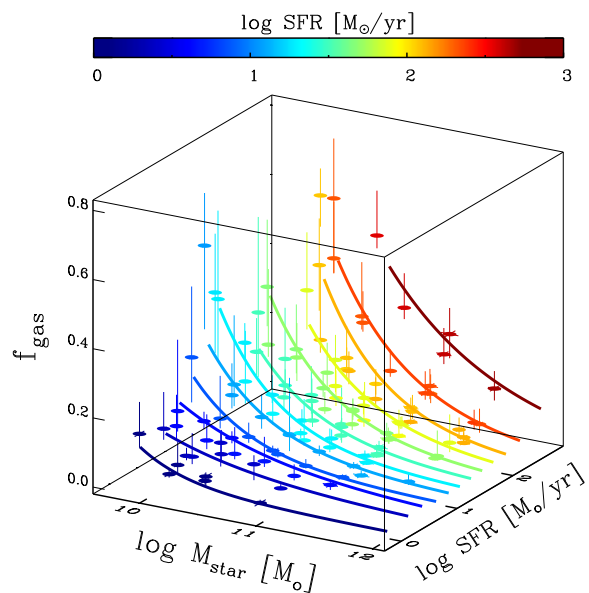
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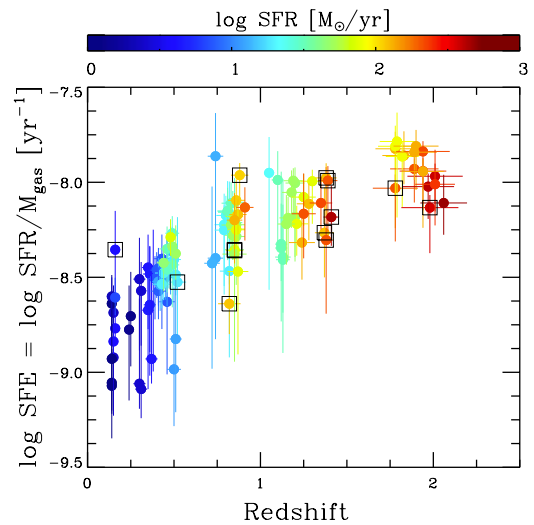
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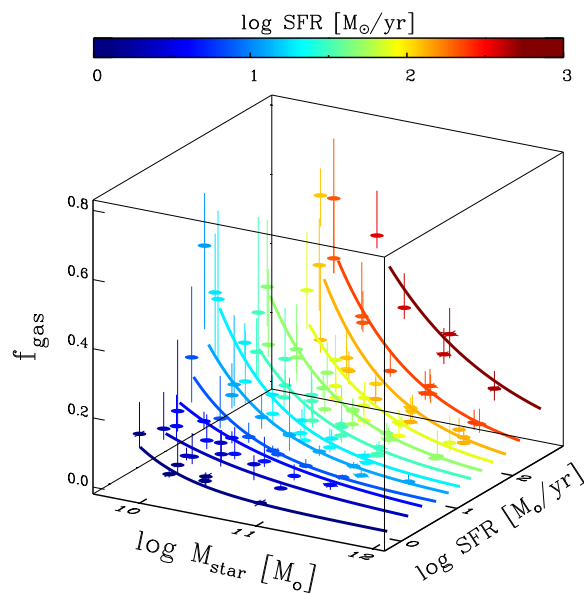
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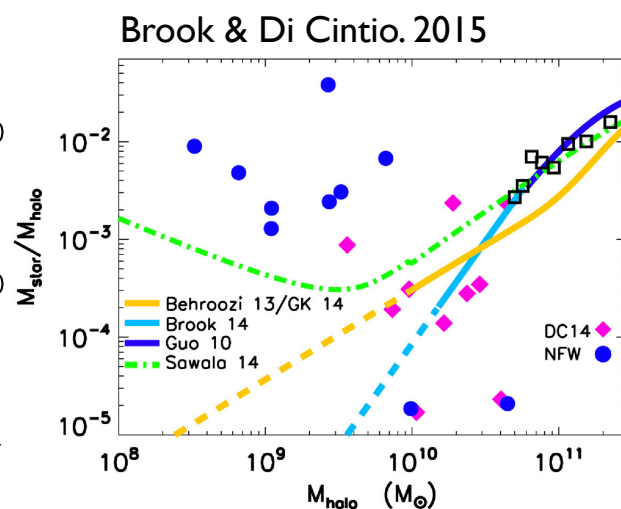
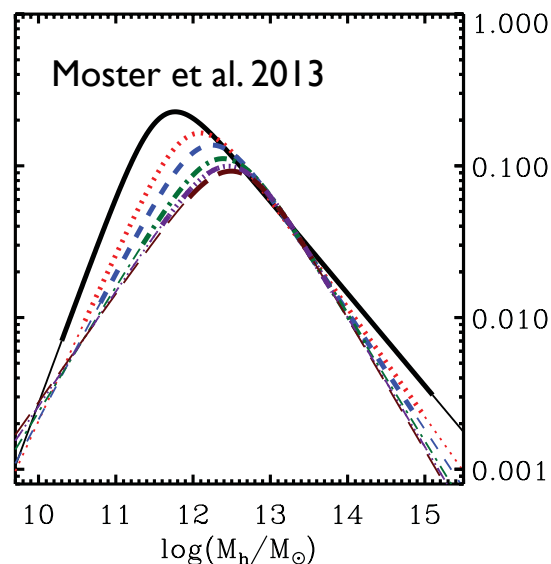
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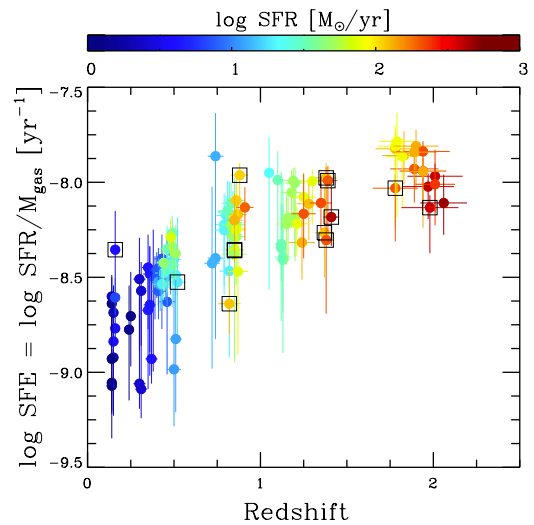
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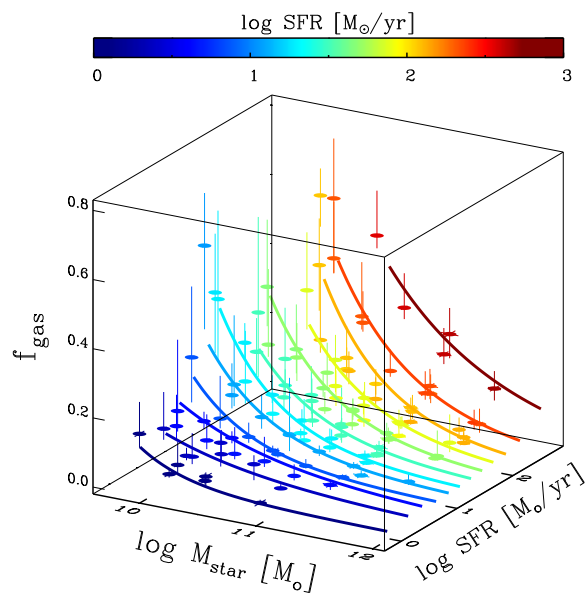
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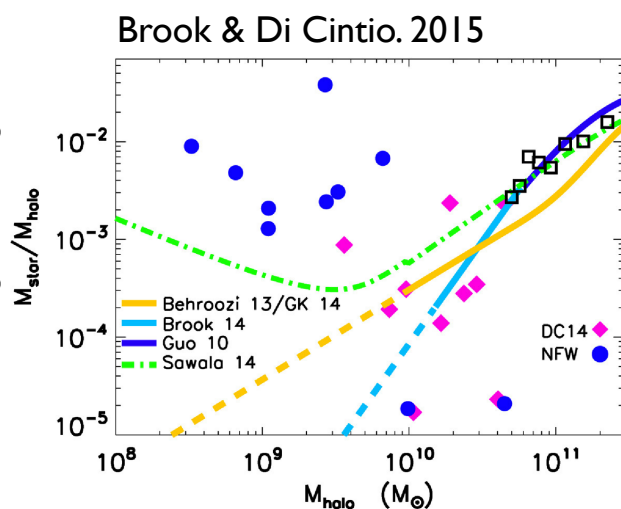
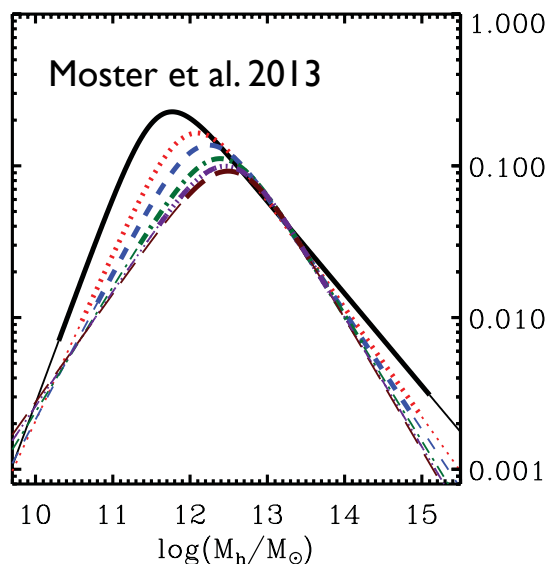
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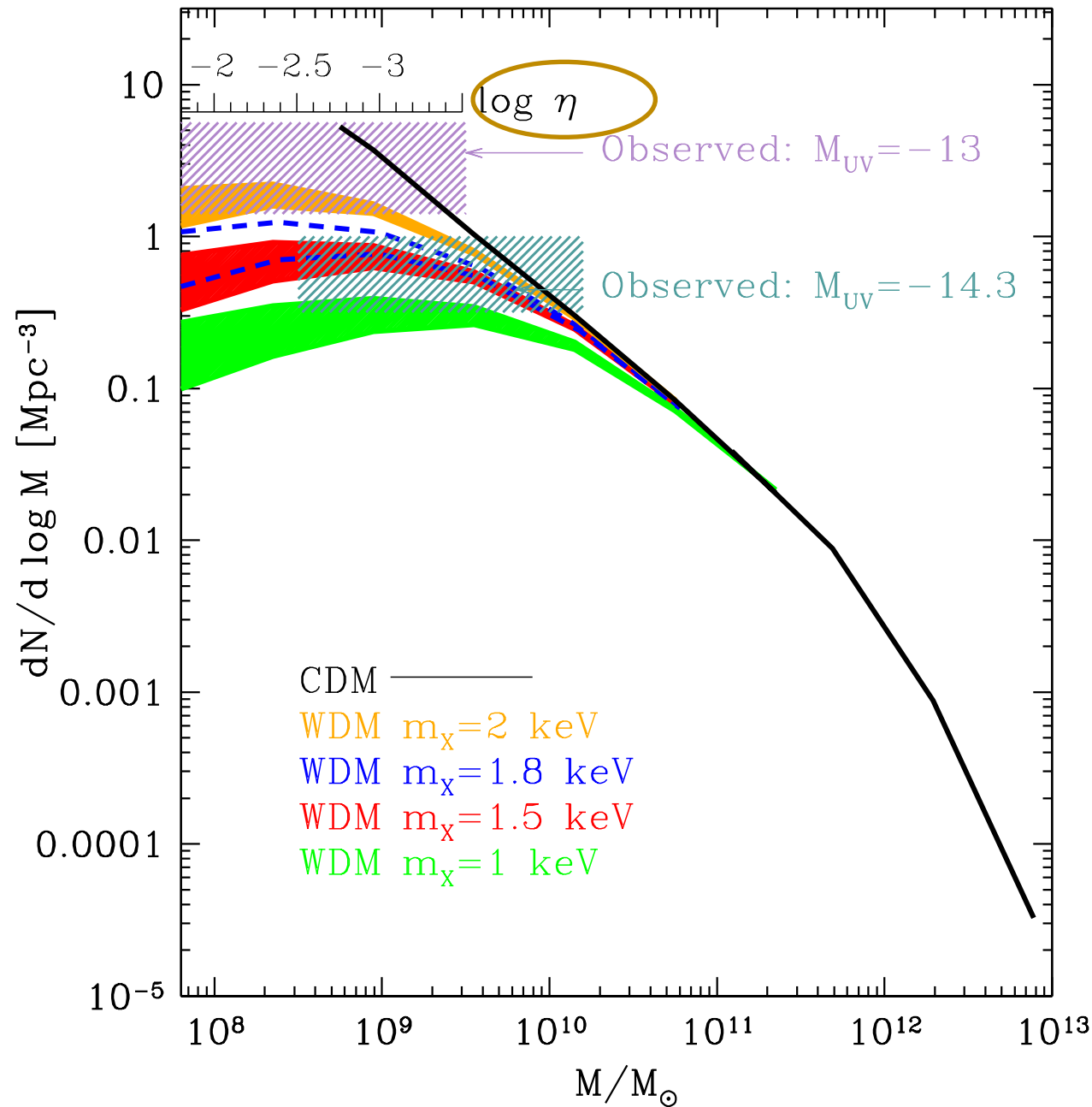
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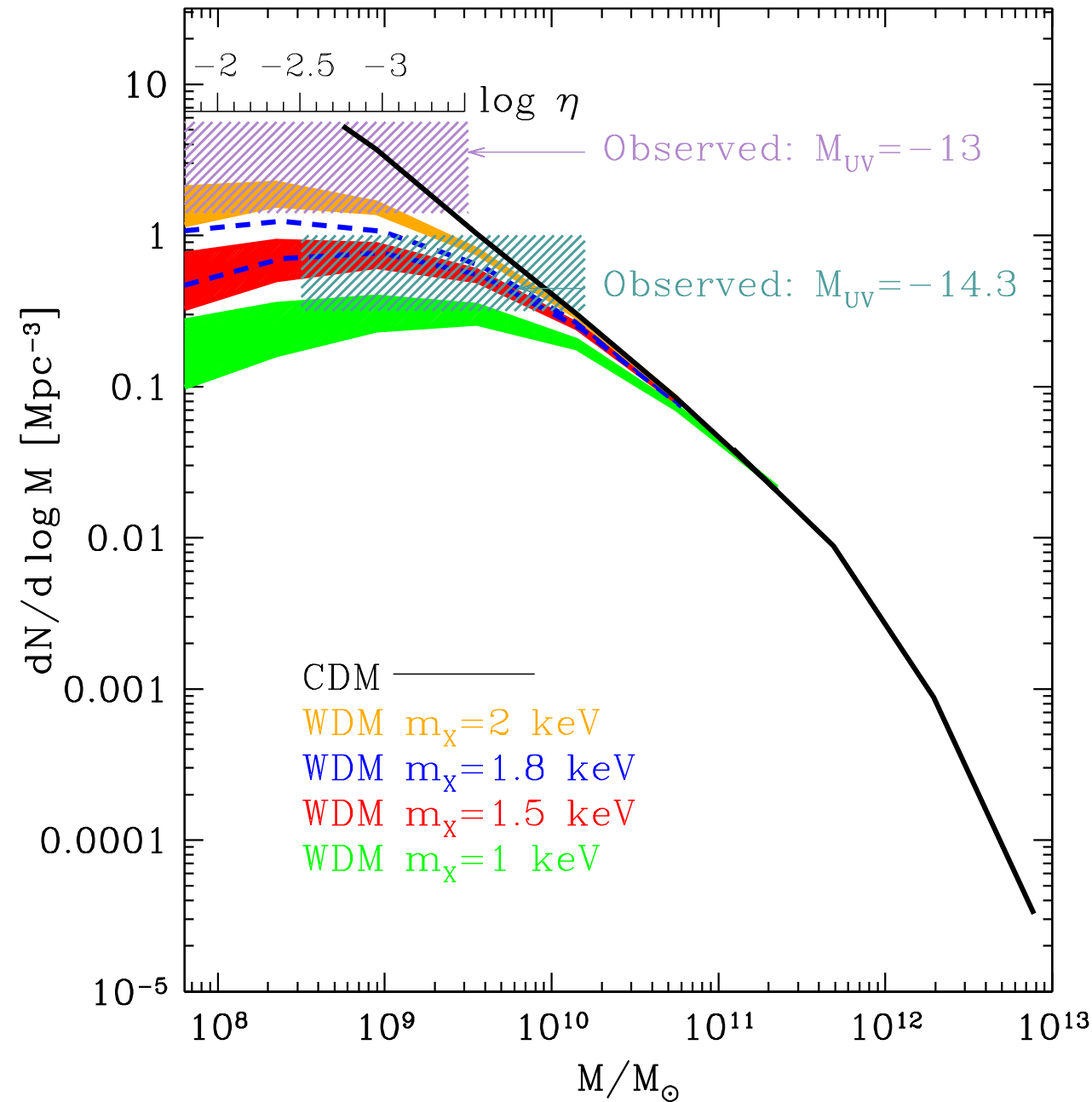
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 robust constraints

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$m_\chi > 1.8 \text{ keV}$ (thermal relic mass)

lower m_χ do not provide the observed abundance. Note: baryonic processes can make the LF flatter but not steeper !

The result is robust with respect to

The effect of baryonic processes included in η .

Observations probe the mass function in the mass range around the half-mode mass where the DM mass functions are characterized by a maximum value.

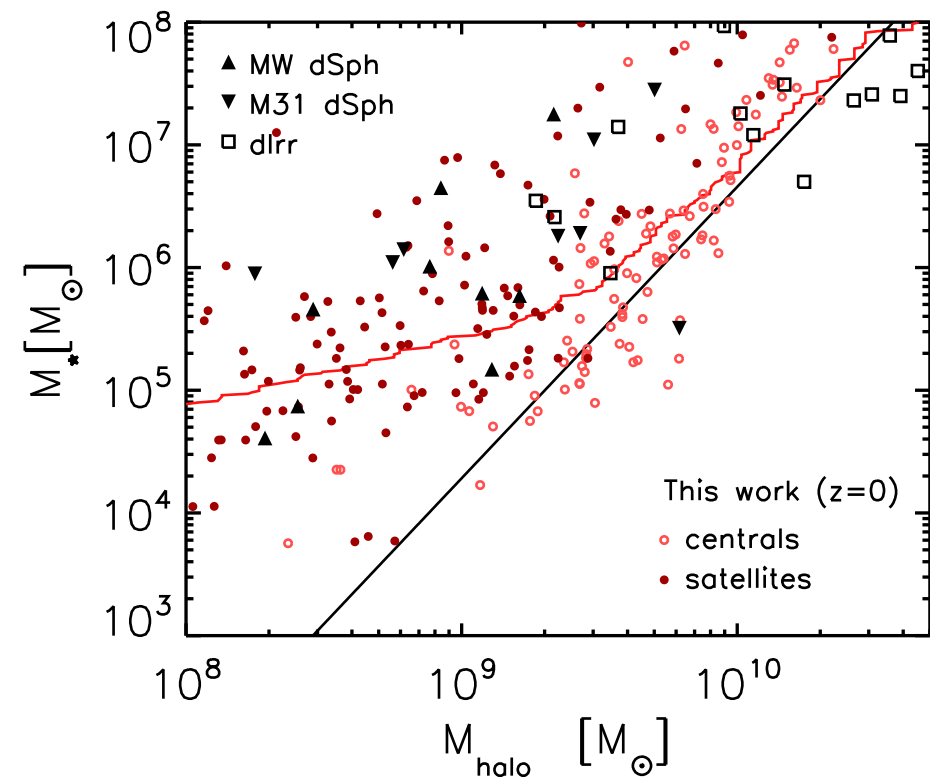
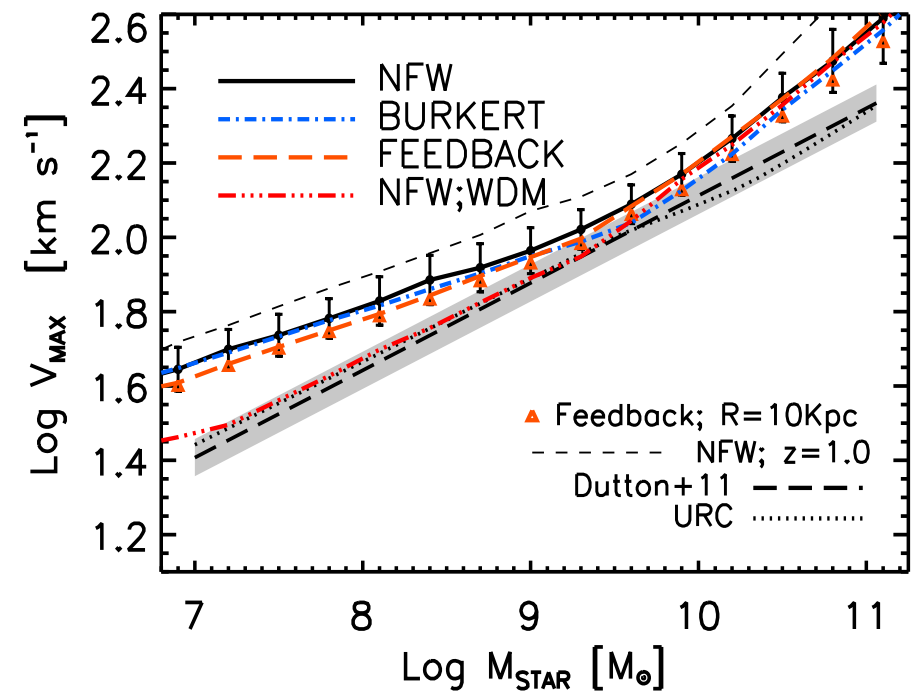
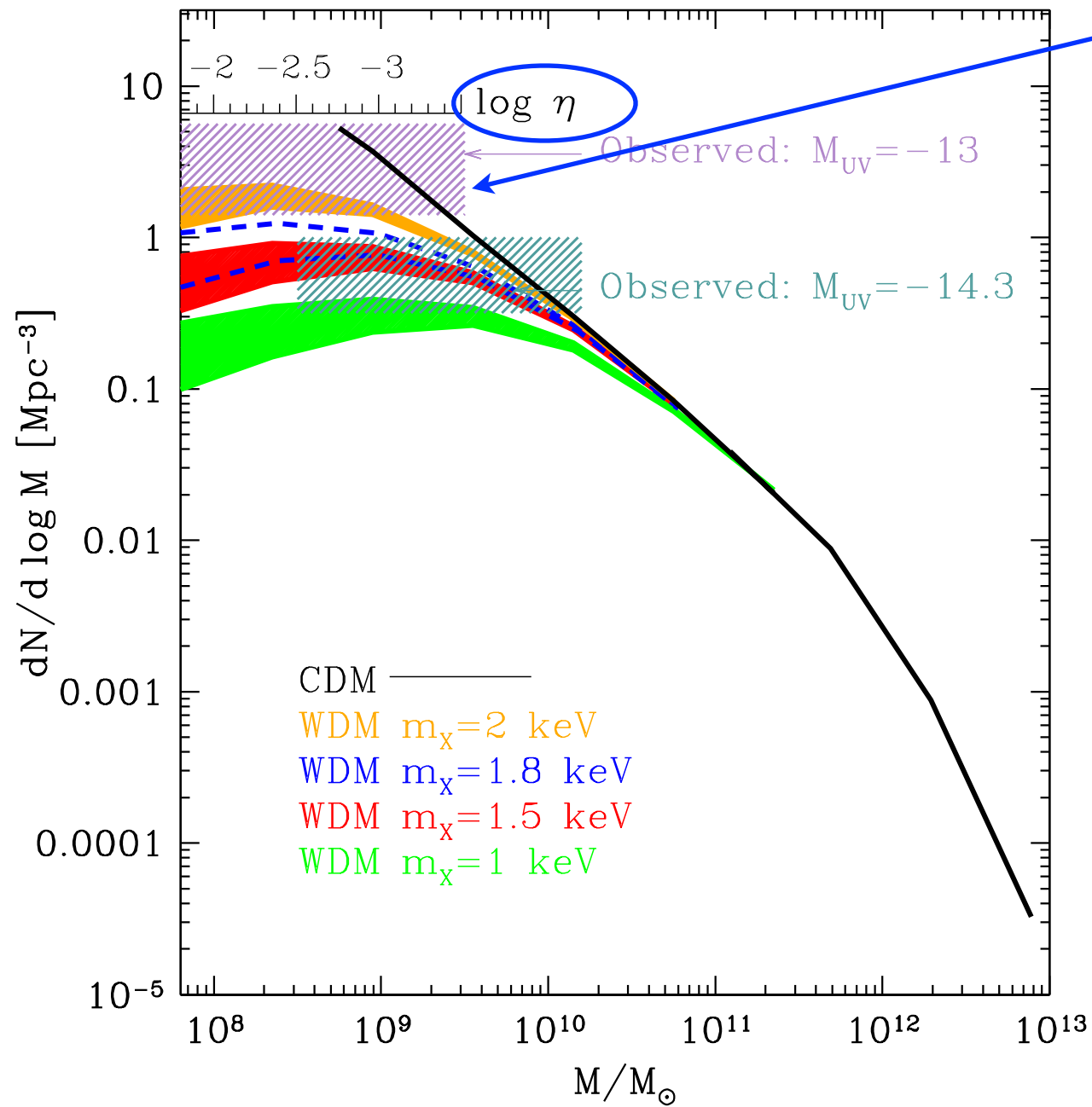
The modeling of residual DM dispersion

velocities. Their would yield a sharper decrease of the mass function at small masses (see, e.g., Benson et al. 2013), thus yielding tighter constraints.

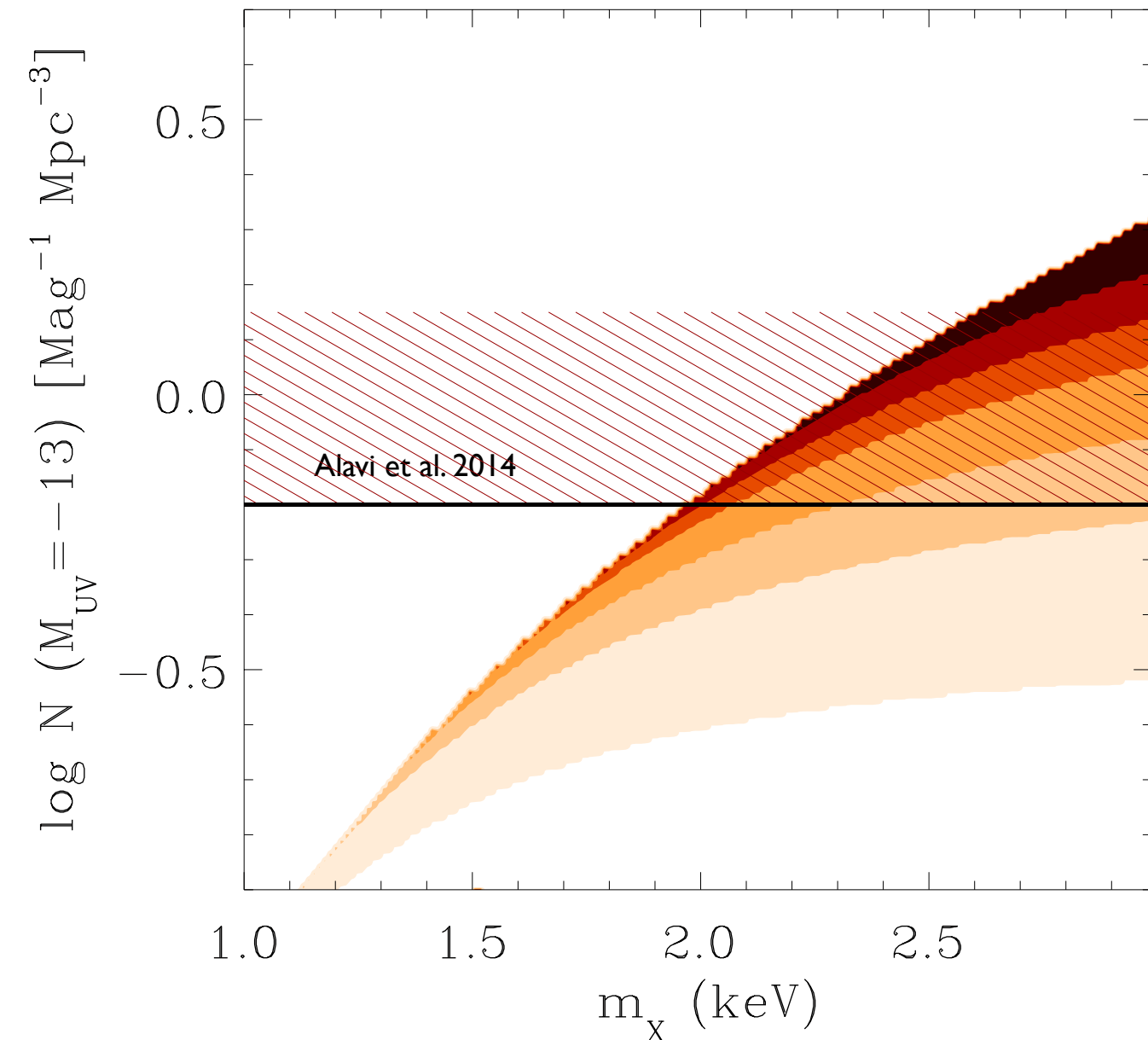
The kind of DM clumps hosting the UV emitting galaxies. In fact, the upper boundaries of the solid filled regions correspond to predictions including also proto-halos.

The possible effects of UV background and reionization. Such effects would further suppress the abundance of galaxies in low-mass halos (Sawala et al. 2015).

CDM requires low η
 i.e., low star formation efficiency.
 Compares critically with
 observed M^*-M_{halo} relations



Constraining the m_χ mass through the abundance of galaxies with $M_{UV}=-13$ at $z=2-4$



The Frontier Fields Goals

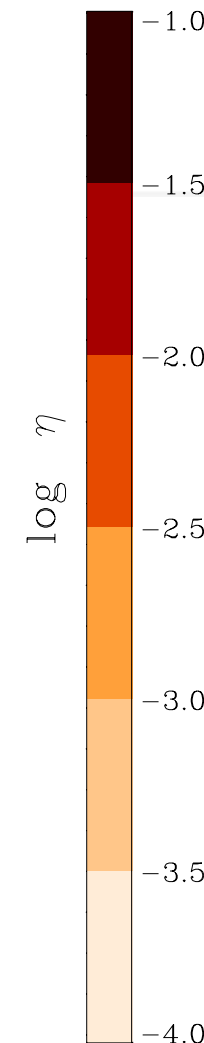
Using Director's Discretionary (DD) observing time, HST is undertaking a revolutionary deep field observing program to peer deeper into the Universe than ever before and provide a first glimpse of JWST's universe.

These Frontier Fields will combine the power of HST with the natural gravitational telescopes of high-magnification clusters of galaxies. Using both the Wide Field Camera 3 and Advanced Camera for Surveys in parallel, HST will produce the deepest observations of clusters and their lensed galaxies ever obtained, and the second-deepest observations of blank fields (located near the clusters). These images will reveal distant galaxy populations $\sim 10-100$ times fainter than any previously observed, improve our statistical understanding of galaxies during the epoch of reionization, and provide unprecedented measurements of the dark matter within massive clusters.

This program is based upon the 2012 recommendations from the Hubble Deep Fields Initiative Science Working group: [SWG Report 2012](#)

Six Frontier Fields

Cluster Name	z	Cluster		Parallel Field	
		RA	Dec	RA	Dec
Year 1:					
Abell 2744	0.308	00:14:21.2	-30:23:50.1	00:13:53.6	-30:22:54.3
MACSJ0416.1-2403	0.396	04:16:08.9	-24:04:28.7	04:16:33.1	-24:06:48.7
Year 2:					
MACSJ0717.5+3745	0.545	07:17:34.0	+37:44:49.0	07:17:17.0	+37:49:47.3
MACSJ1149.5+2223	0.543	11:49:36.3	+22:23:58.1	11:49:40.5	+22:18:02.3
Year 3:					
Abell S1063 (RXCJ2248.7-4431)	0.348	22:48:44.4	-44:31:48.5	22:49:17.7	-44:32:43.8
Abell 370	0.375	02:39:52.9	-01:34:36.5	02:40:13.4	-01:37:32.8



in the limit $m_\chi \gg 1$ keV (CDM) small star formation efficiencies $\eta \sim -3$ are required to match the observed abundance of galaxies with $M_{UV}=-13$

for $m_\chi \sim 2.5$ keV (corresponding to sterile neutrino masses $m_{\text{sterile}} \sim 7$ keV) a wide range of $-2.5 < \eta < -1.5$ is consistent with the observed abundance of galaxies with $M_{UV}=-13$

LSB galaxies in Virgo (Giallongo et al. 2015)

TABLE 1
LSB CATALOG IN THE VIRGO-XMMUJ1230 FIELD

ID	LSB Label	RA	DEC	R	μ_0	n^a	M_R^b	r^c (arcsec)	r (pc) ^c	b/a	$R-Z$
6490	A	187.3919684	+13.7704609	21.86	24.91	0.92	-9.24	3.07	246	0.7	0.00
6043	B	187.6635951	+13.7391869	20.38	24.54	0.70	-10.79	4.48	359	0.7	0.31
5833	C	187.5879561	+13.7058350	21.59	26.23	0.55	-9.56	4.37	350	0.9	-0.23
5143	D	187.5483601	+13.6914967	18.30	24.01	0.67	-12.87	7.99	639	0.9	0.44
4739	E	187.3814266	+13.6619273	18.75	23.49	0.72	-12.42	5.71	457	0.7	0.35
4367	F	187.3863203	+13.6222745	21.93	24.54	0.88	-9.25	2.73	218	0.6	0.20
3516	G	187.6600347	+13.6196001	18.05	24.25	0.62	-13.12	10.43	835	0.7	0.11
3214	H	187.6224577	+13.5565951	21.14	25.11	0.57	-10.03	3.14	251	0.9	0.39
2245	J	187.4138959	+13.5075398	21.24	25.53	0.69	-9.93	4.19	335	0.8	0.11
2001	K	187.7070994	+13.5053537	19.07	25.79	0.44	-12.11	10.68	855	0.9	-0.30
2003	L	187.7244716	+13.4939191	21.89	26.12	0.30	-9.28	3.05	244	0.9	0.02

^a Sérsic index

^b Absolute magnitudes computed adopting an average distance modulus for Virgo $\Delta M = 31.1$ (Mei et al. (2007)), an average galactic absorption of -0.07 .

^c Scale radius from the Sersic profile fitting. An angular scale of $80 \text{ pc arcsec}^{-1}$ has been adopted.

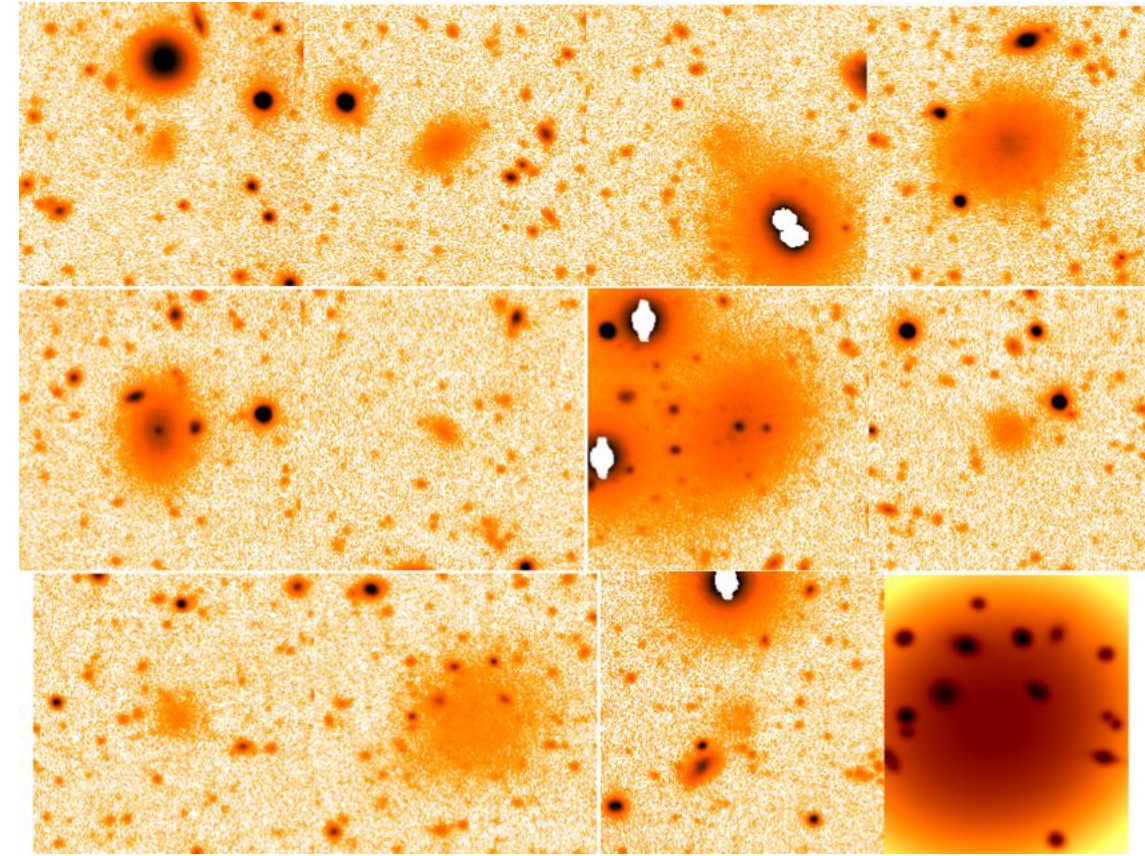


FIG. 2.— Selected LSB dwarfs in the Virgo-xmmuj1230 field; the box size of each image is $\simeq 57 \text{ arcsec}$. The sequence from the top to the bottom follows the list in Table 1. The last box on the bottom right show a zoomed image of the Galfit best fit model of the LSB "K". All the small background sources expected within the LSB halo have been fitted separately.

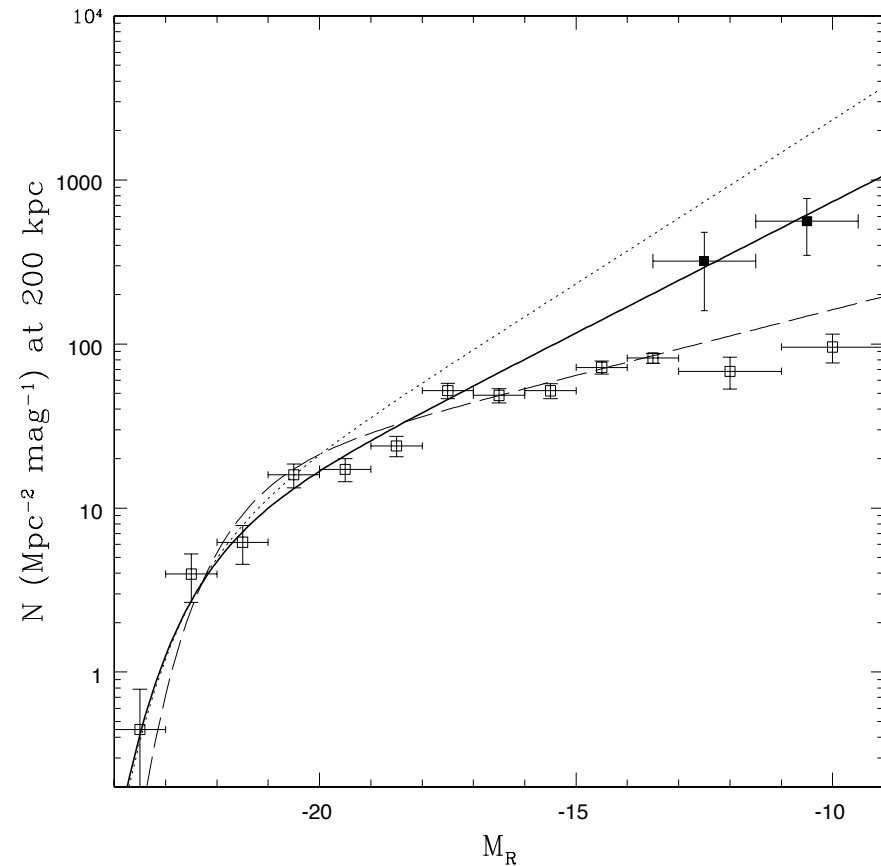


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Steep LF $N(L) \sim L^{-1.4}$

Compute sub-haloes mass function $N(M) \sim M^{-\alpha_{DM}}$
 measure α_{DM} for different WDM mass

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Compute $N(L)$ for different L/M ratios
 i.e., reasonable values of β (assuming $L \sim M^\beta$)

Compare with observed slope

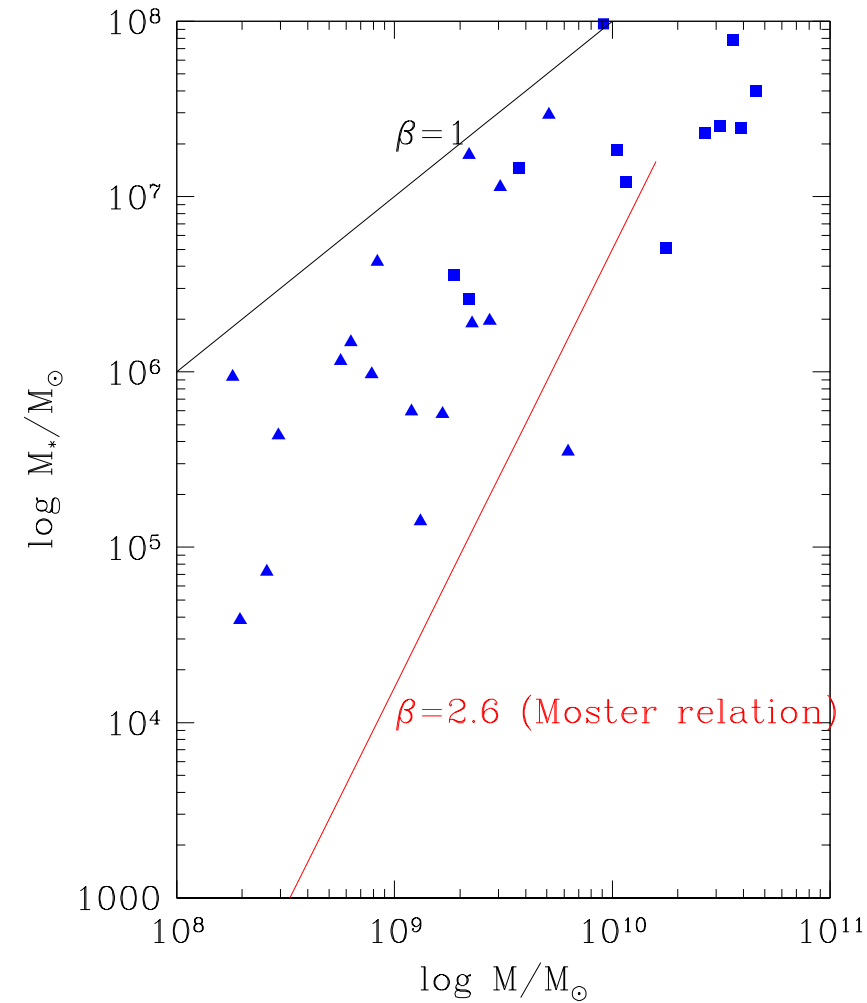
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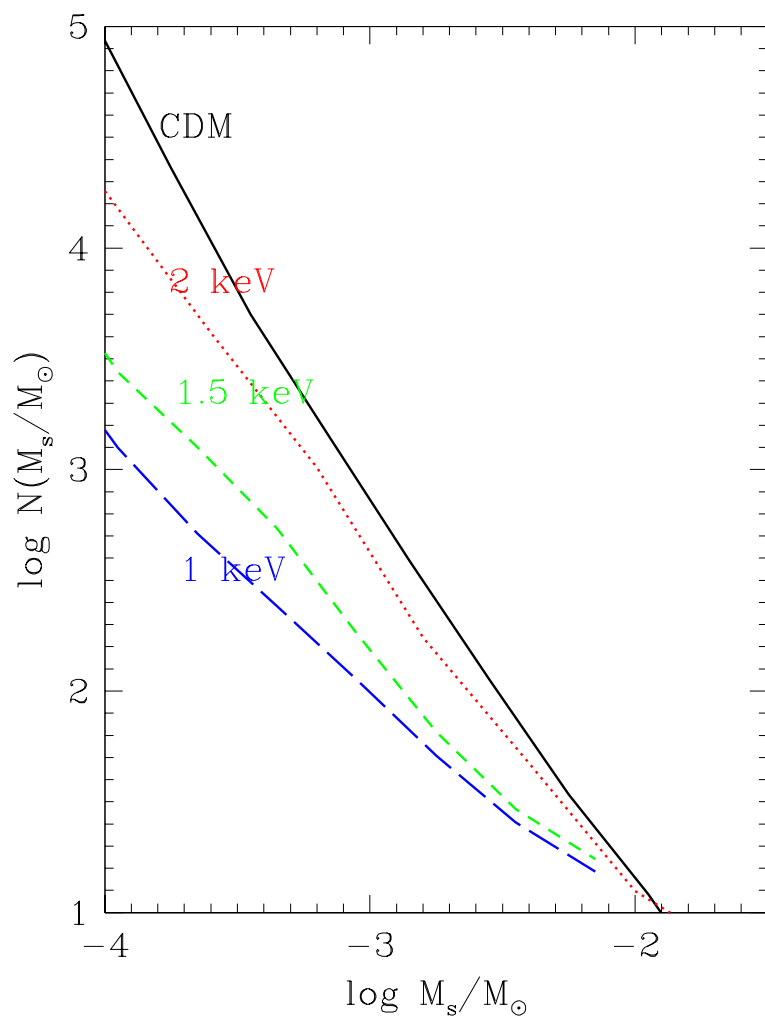
$$L/M \propto M^{\beta-1}$$

$$N(M) \propto M^{-\alpha_{DM}} \rightarrow N(L) \propto L^{-\alpha}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1 - \alpha_{DM} - \beta}{\beta}$$

E.g. $\alpha=2$
 $\beta=1 \longrightarrow N(L) \propto L^{-3/2}$



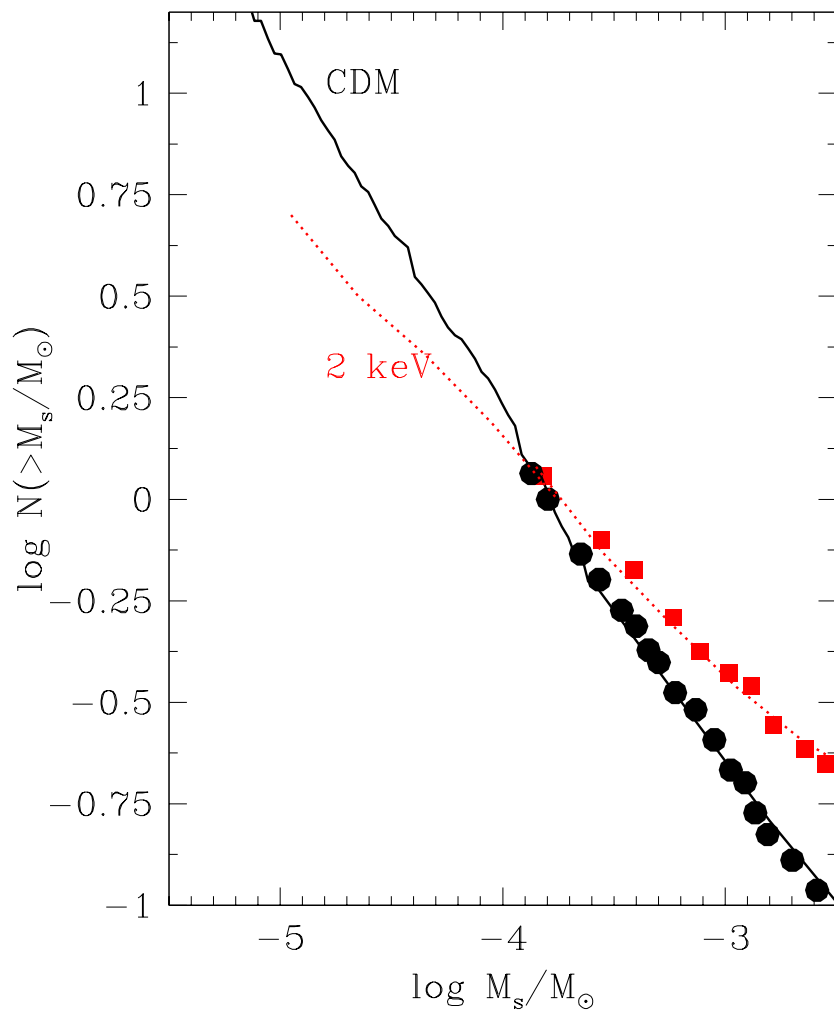


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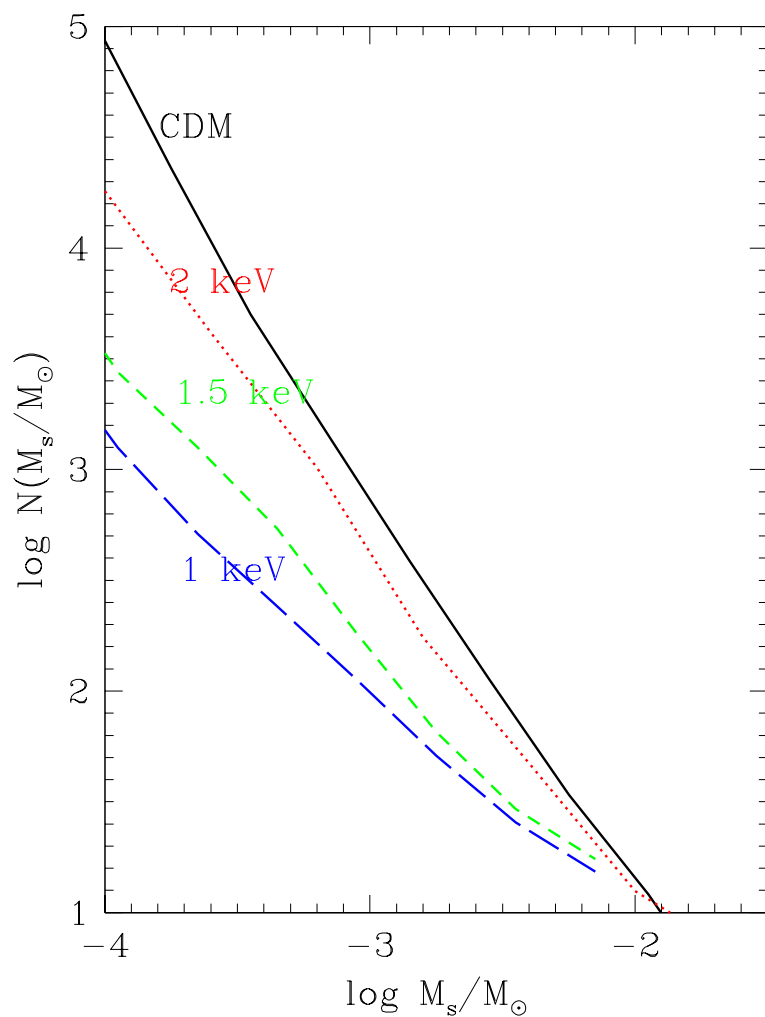
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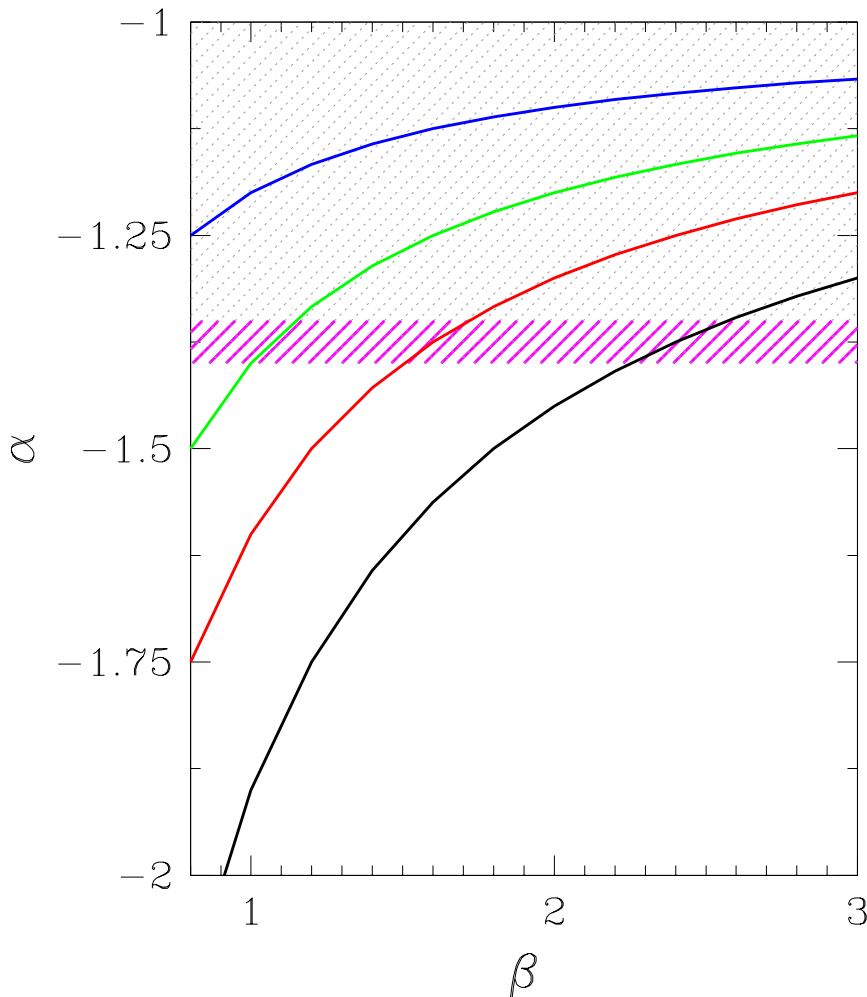


In the CDM and $m_\chi = 2 \text{ keV}$ case we can test the results against N-body results (but extend to much smaller satellite masses)

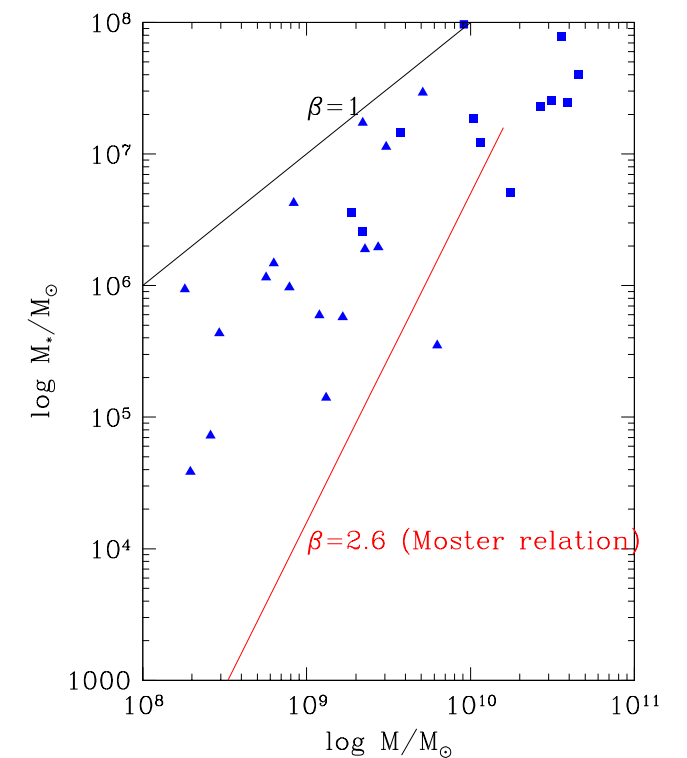


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 cases for any $1 < \beta < 3$



CDM would require $\beta \sim 2.5$
 unfavoured by data



Conclusions

WDM galaxy formation models provides a solution to several critical issues:

- density profiles (also at high- z)
- abundance of low-mass/low-luminosity galaxies even at $z \gtrsim 2$
- luminosity function of AGNs (low-luminosity $L < 10^{43}$ erg) at $z \gtrsim 2$
- luminosity function of satellites (large surveys)
- M^*-M_h relation
- Satellite colors (i.e., star formation histories of low-mass galaxies)

Constraints on WDM particle mass

- From MW satellites (but subject to halo-to-halo variance)
- From galaxy luminosity functions/counts
 - a) high-redshift (but present observations still not deep enough: constrain $m_\chi > 1$ keV)
 - b) lower redshift, ultra-deep (down to $M_{UV} \approx -10$)
UV luminosity function $m_\chi > 1.8$ keV

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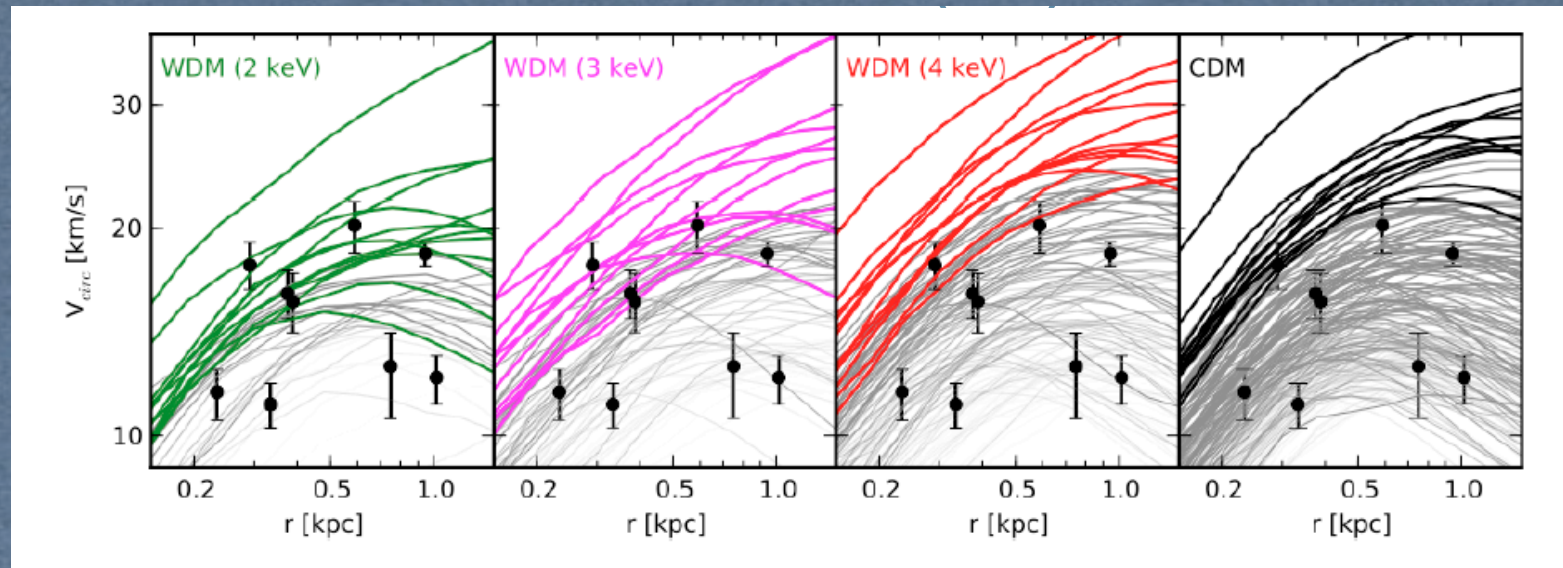
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MaGICC-WDM: the effects of warm dark matter in hydrodynamical simulations of disc galaxy formation

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ABSTRACT
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