

Compact massive galaxies in the Stripe-82 region



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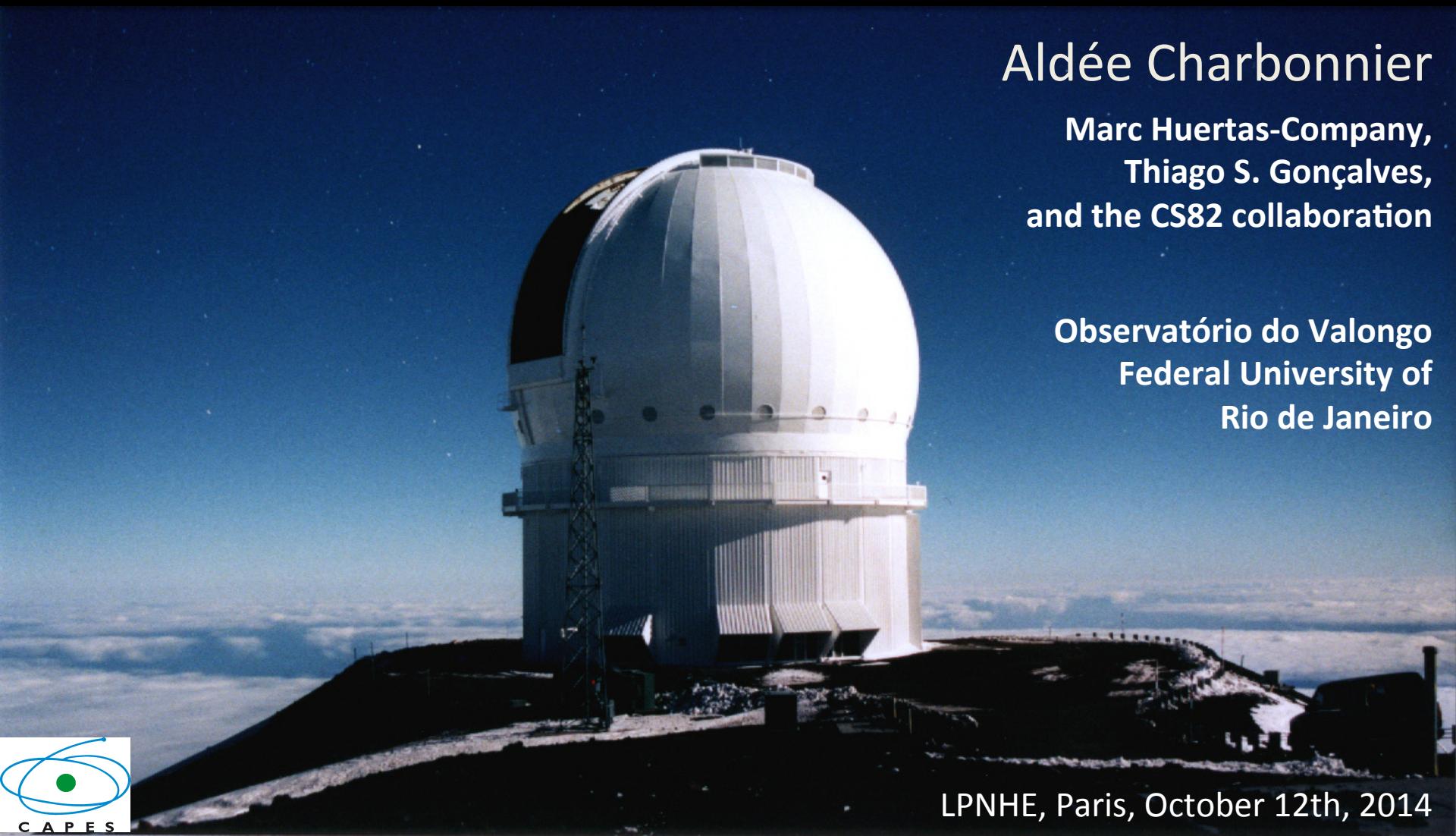
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Outline

- Compact massive quiescent galaxies:
why do we care?
- CFHT Stripe-82 survey
- Looking for them

Morphology of galaxies



Mo + 2010
Hubble 1936

Morphology of galaxies

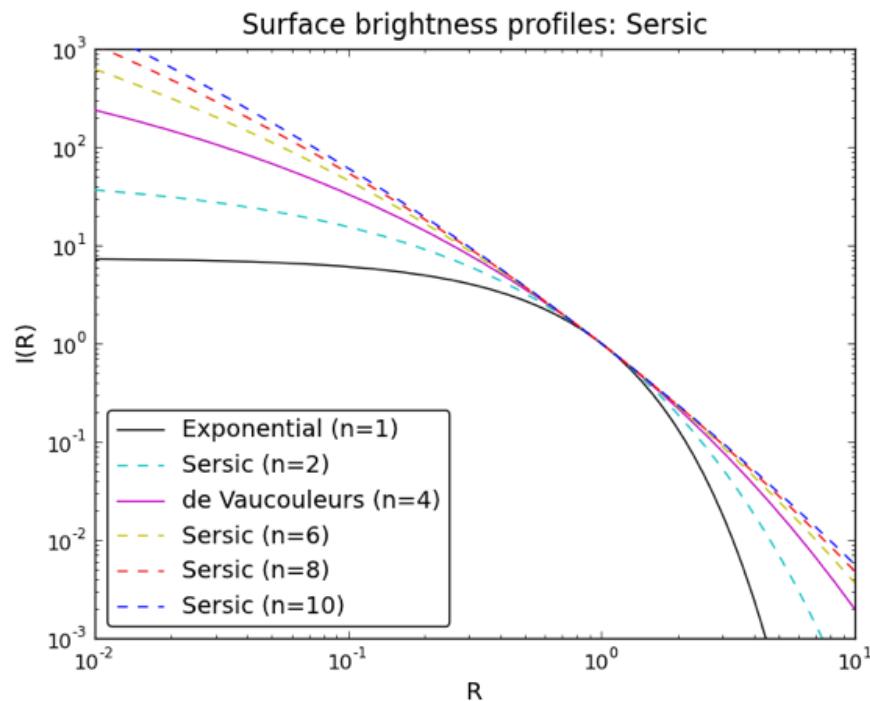
Mo + 2010

Sérsic 1963, 1968

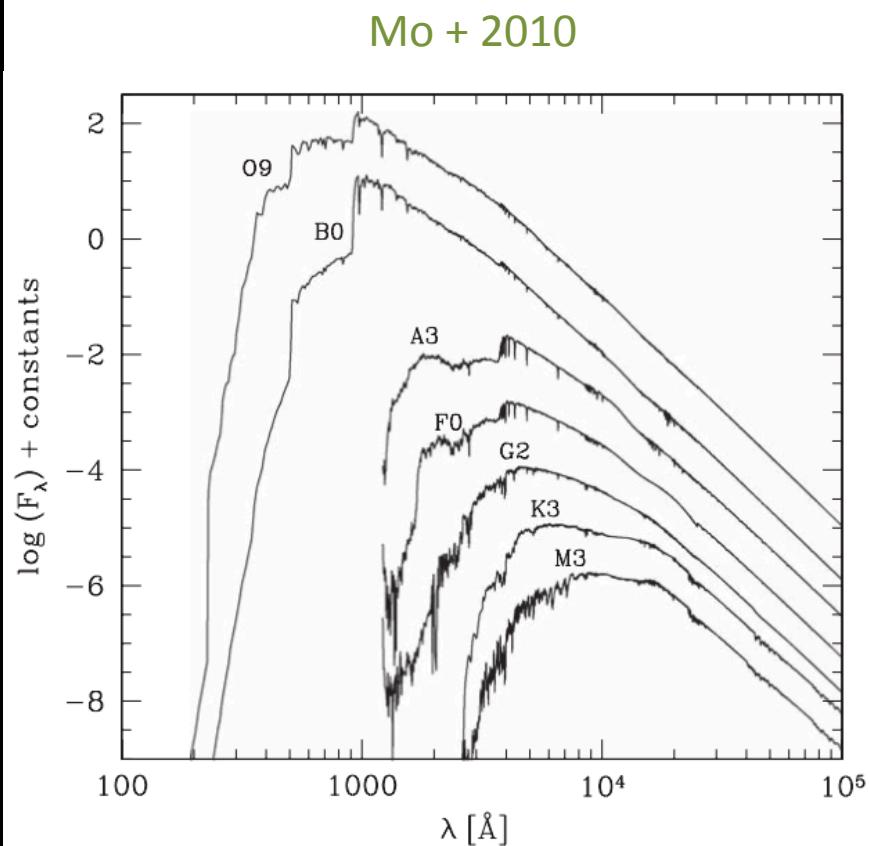
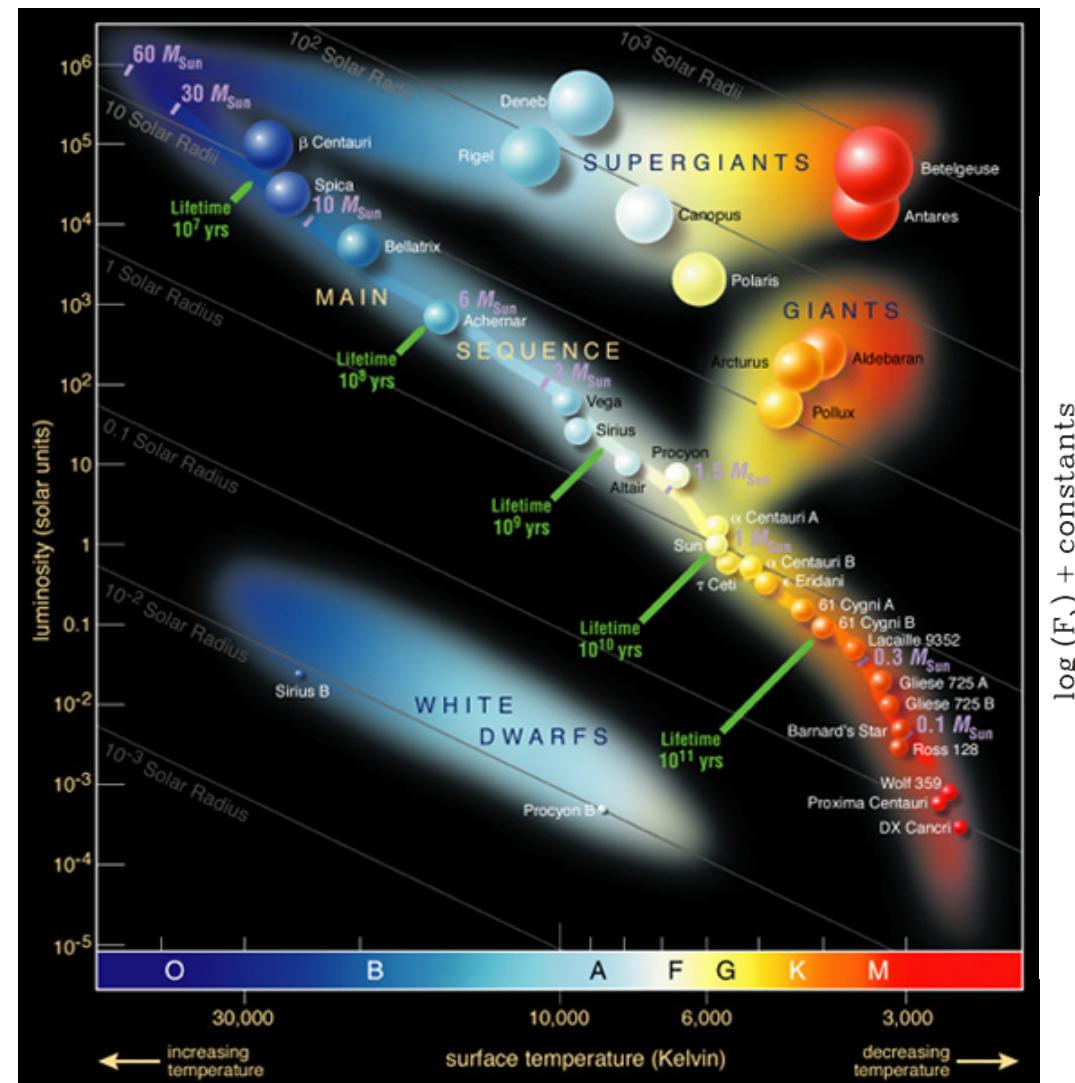
Table 2.6. Relative number densities of galaxies in the local Universe.

Type of object	Number density
Spirals	1
Lenticulars	0.1
Ellipticals	0.2
Irregulars	0.05
Dwarf galaxies	10
Peculiar galaxies	0.05
Starbursts	0.1
Seyferts	10^{-2}
Radio galaxies	10^{-4}
QSOs	10^{-5}
Quasars	10^{-7}

$$I(r) = I_0 \exp \left[- \left(\frac{r}{r_e} \right)^{1/n} \right]$$

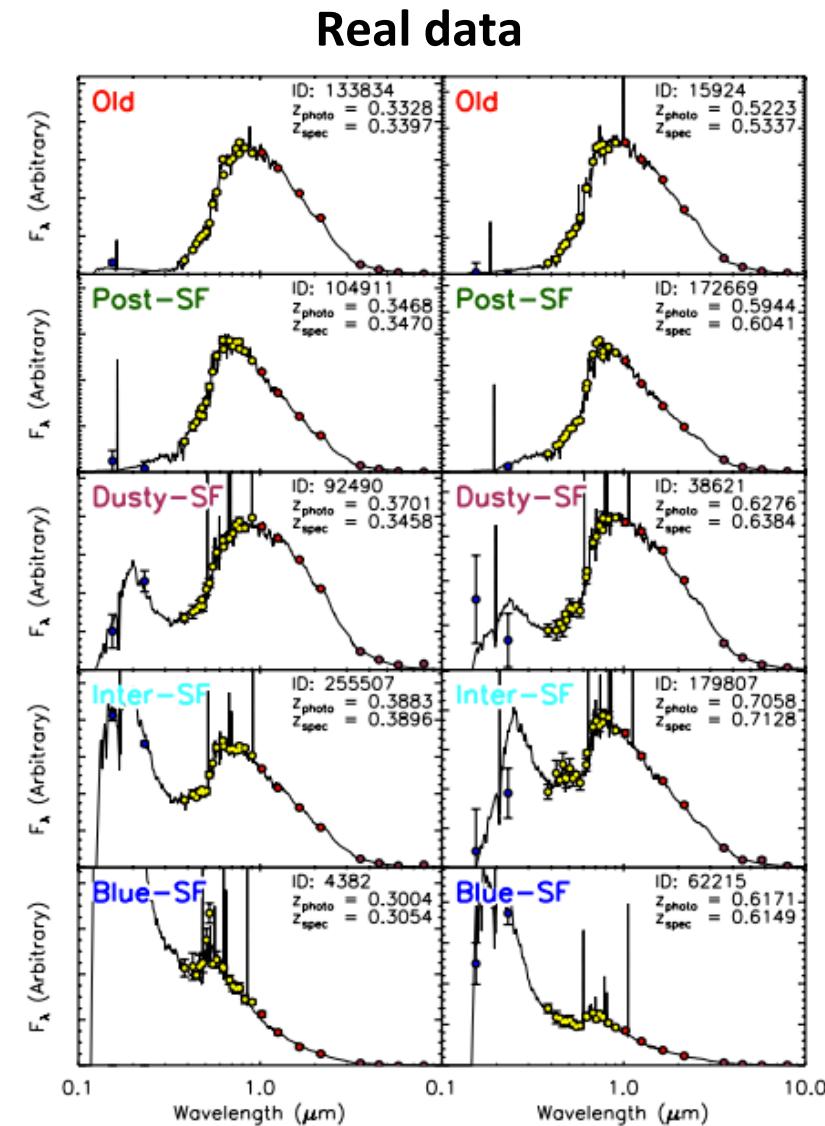
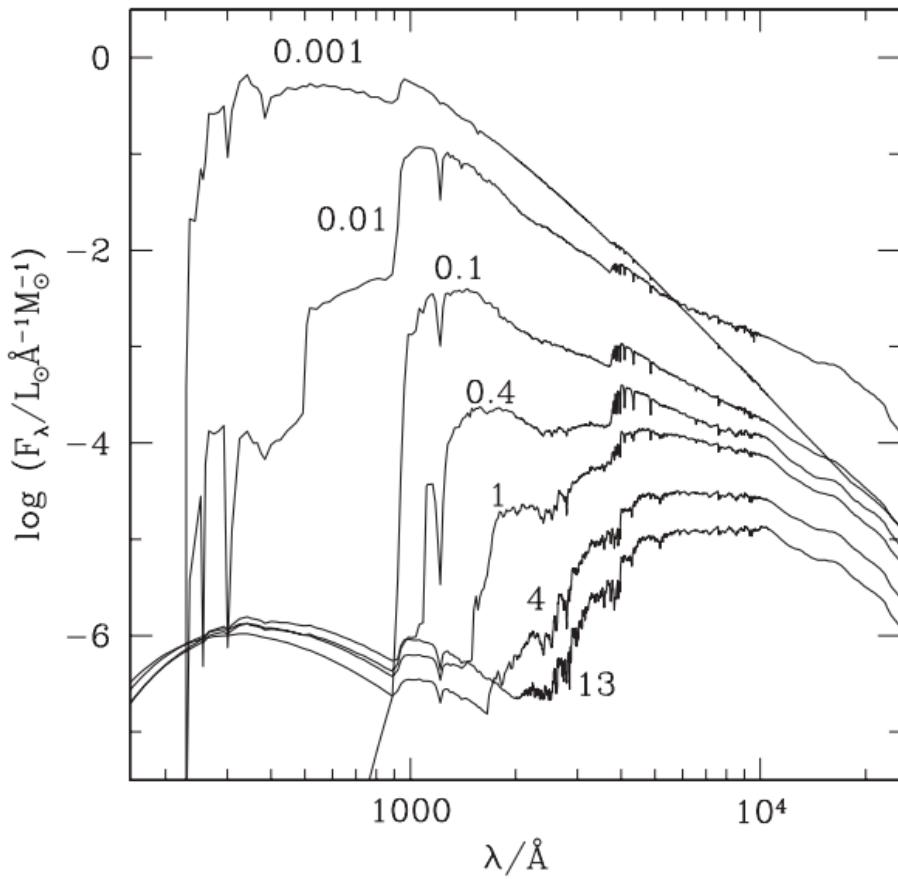


Stellar Population Synthesis

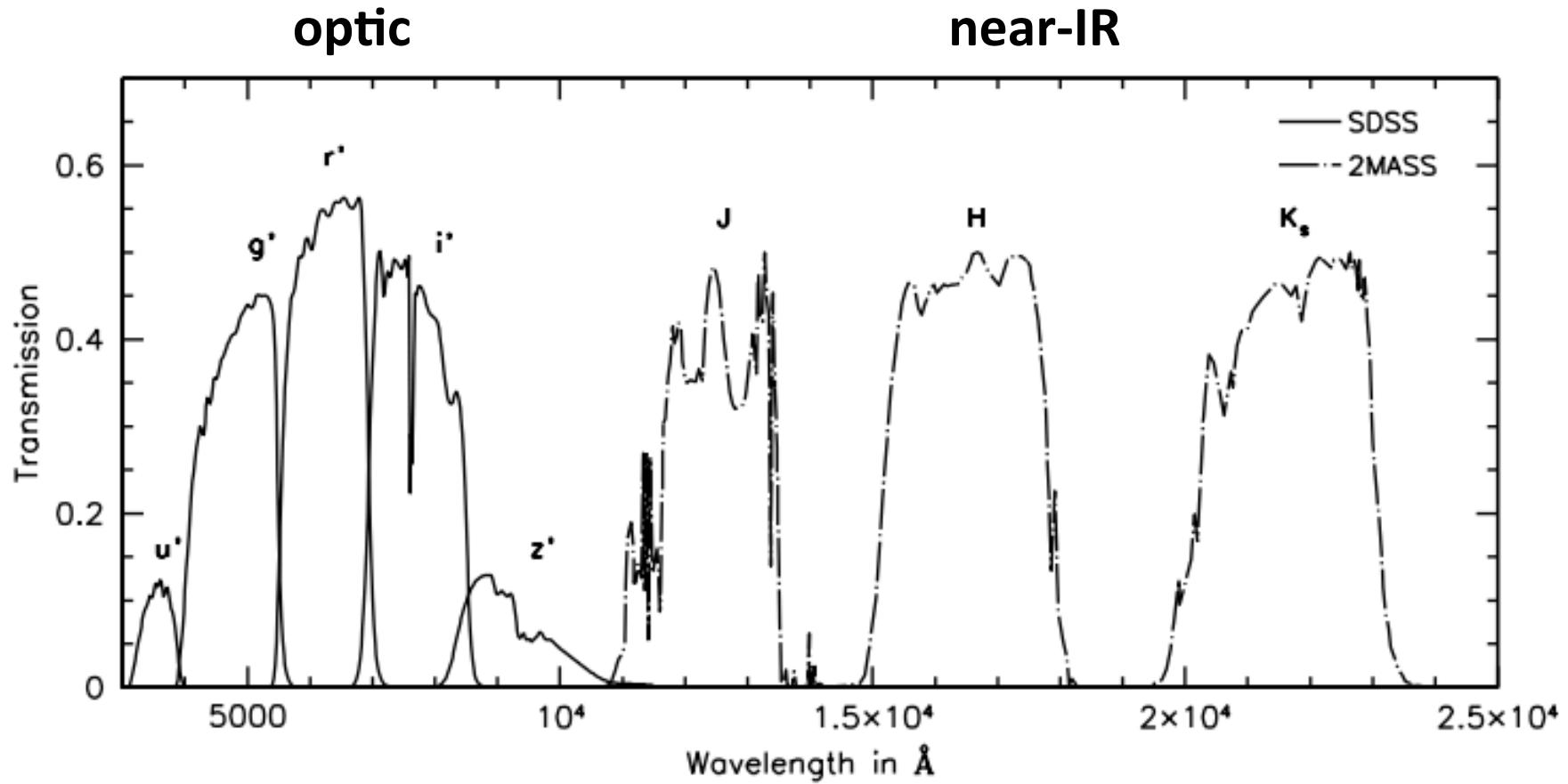


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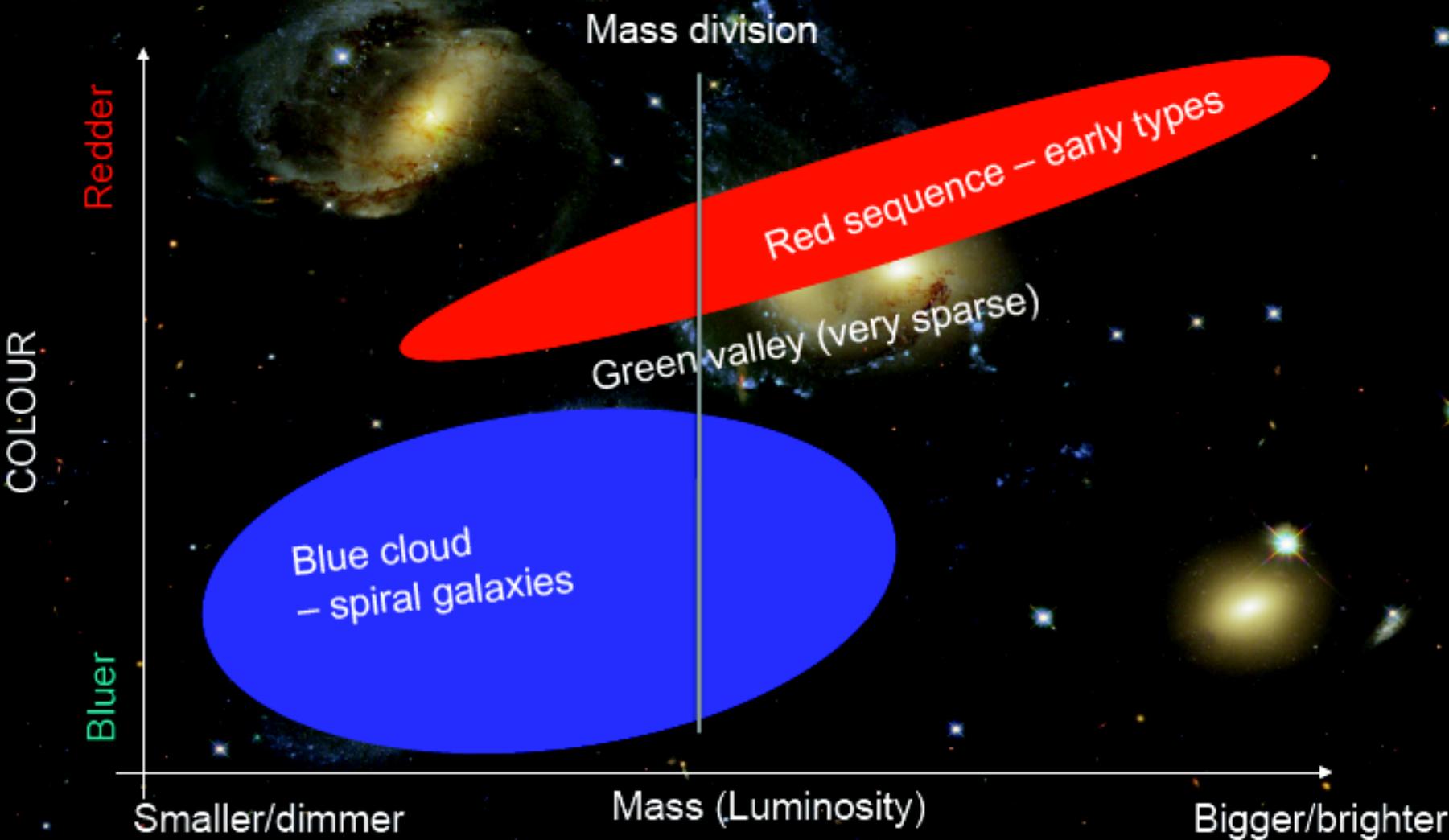
Single starburst at time t (in Gyr)



Commonly used filters



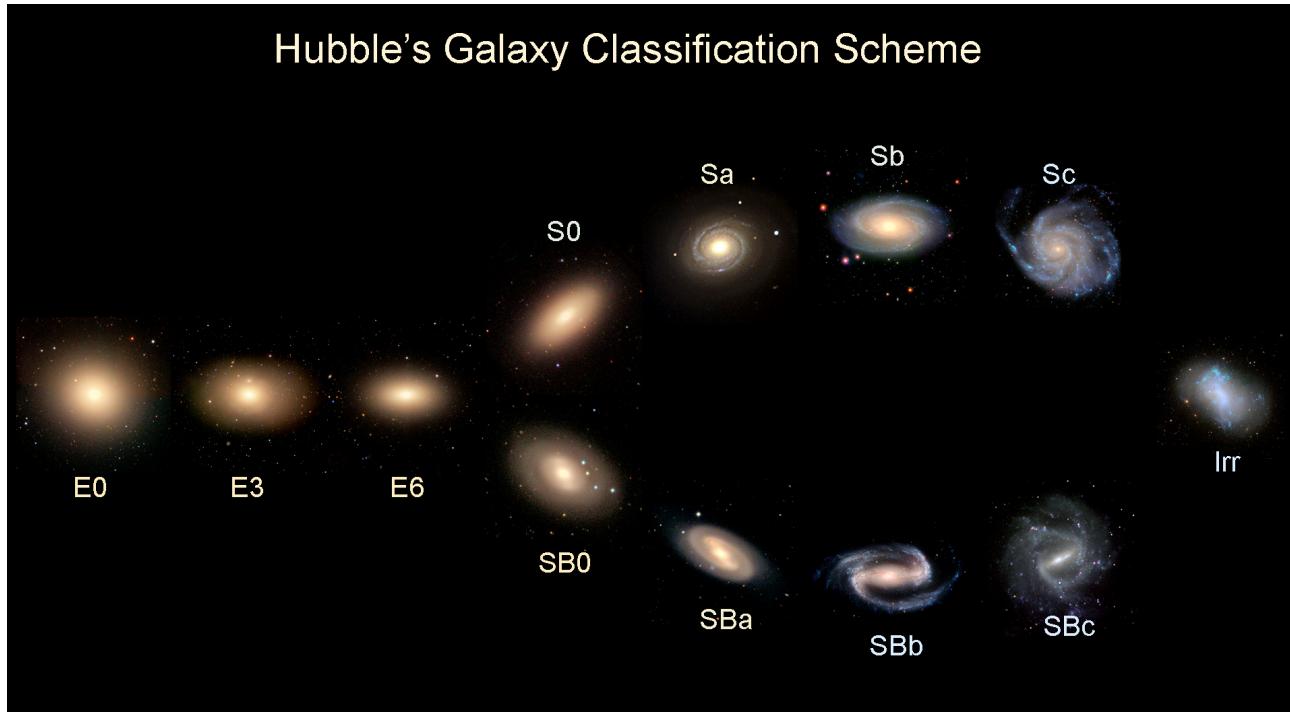
Why Look – galaxies aren't all the same...



Bi-modality of the classification

Early type

Late type



Elliptical or lenticular, bulge

« red sequence »

Passive galaxies

$n_{\text{Sersic}} > 2.5$ (**de Vaucouleurs** profile)

Spiral disk, with disk/bar

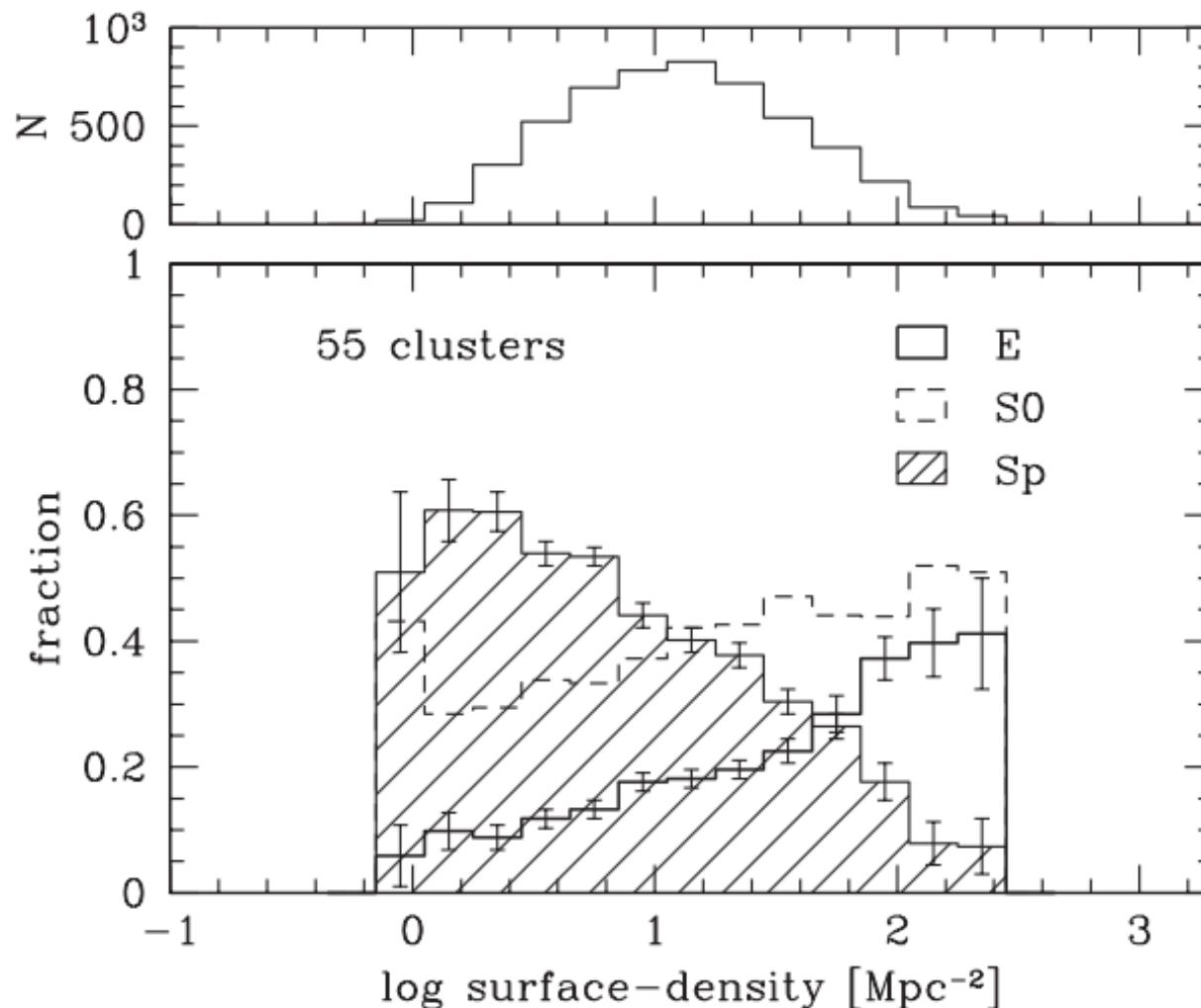
« blue cloud »

Actively star-forming galaxies

$n_{\text{Sersic}} < 2.5$ (**exponential** profile)

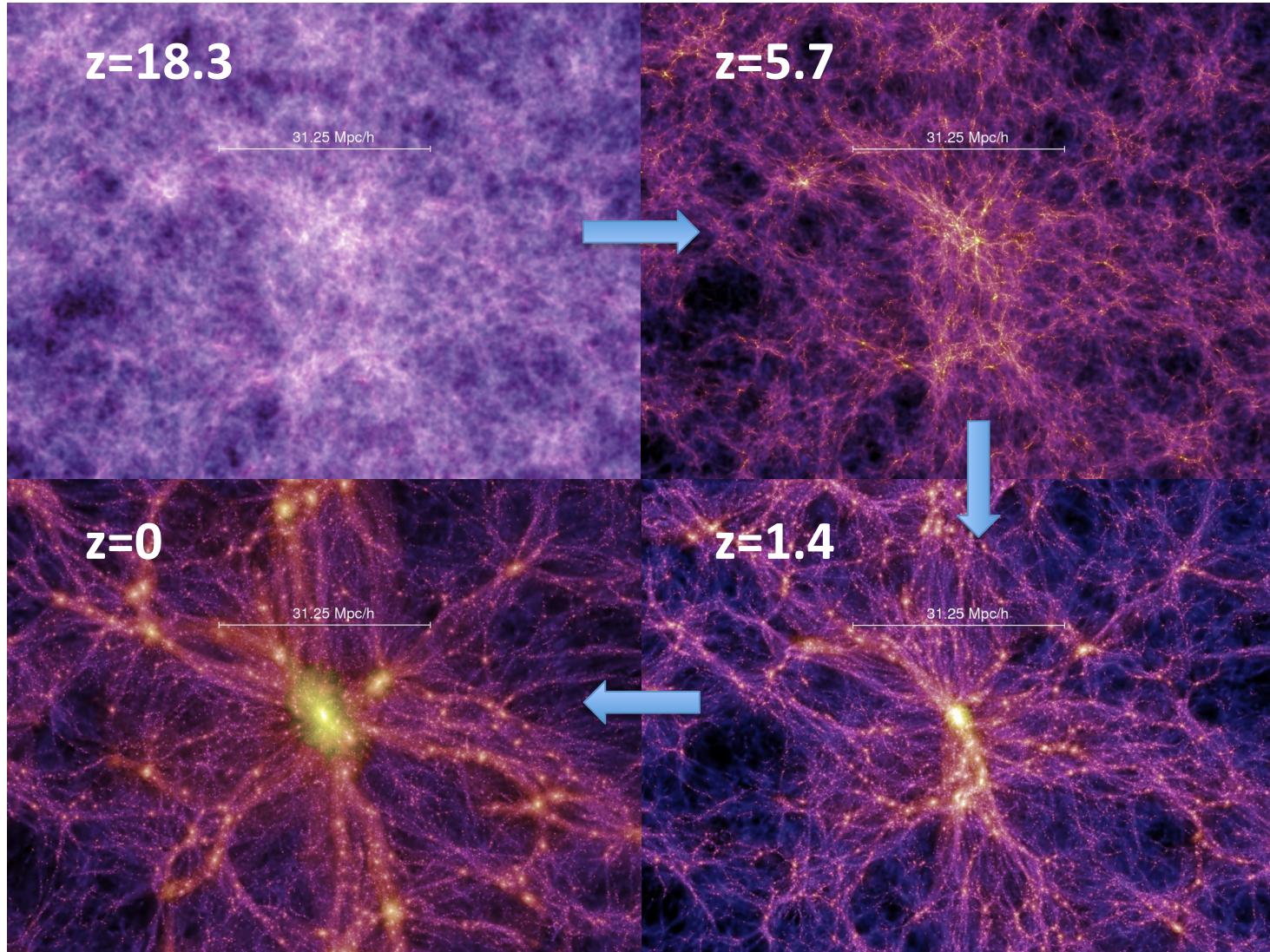
Morphology-density relation

Dressler 1980



N-body simulations

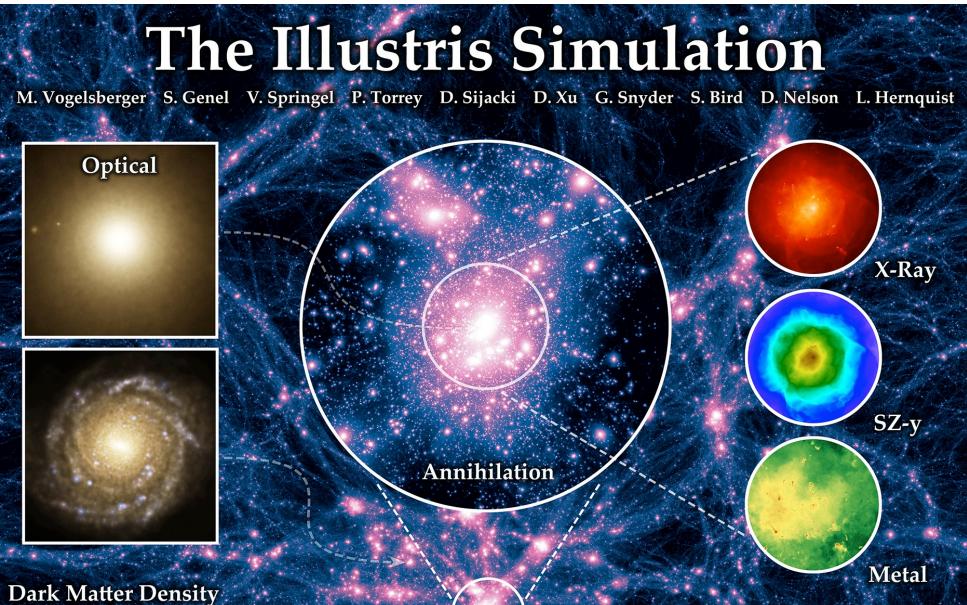
Structure formation (Dark Matter): Millenium Simulation Project



Baryonic Matter

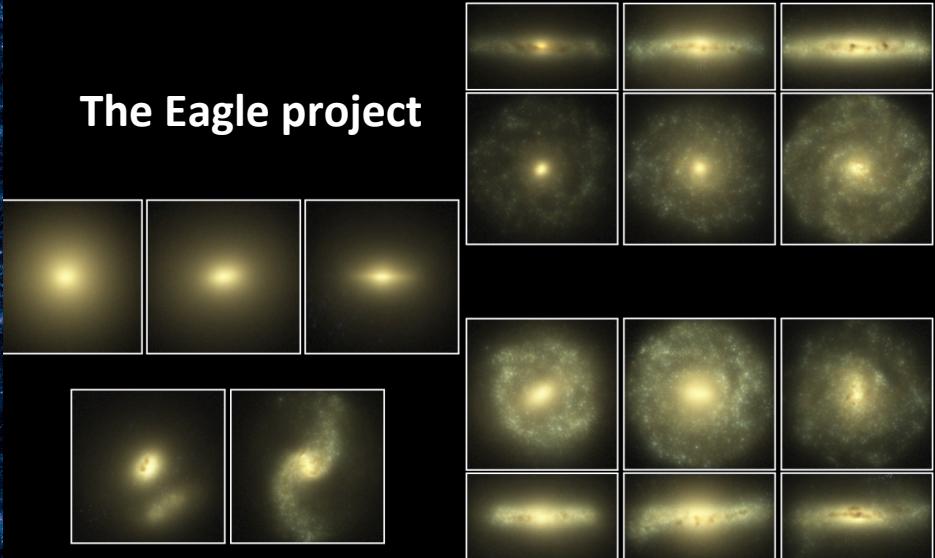
Cosmological hydrodynamical simulations (inc. feedback)
Simulating the evolution and assembly of galaxies

Vogelsberger + 2014



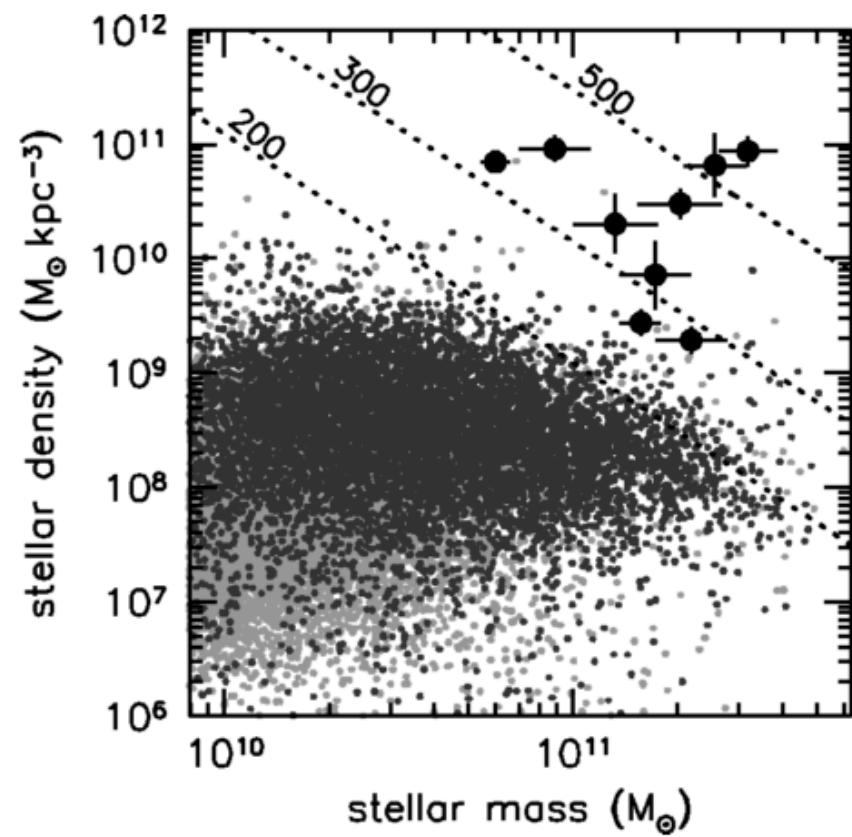
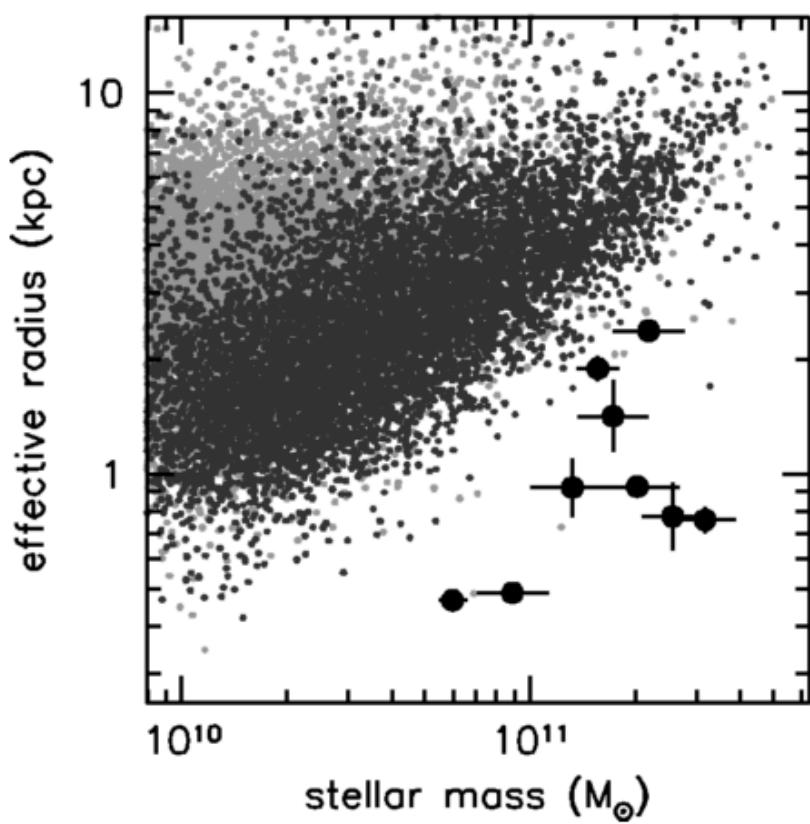
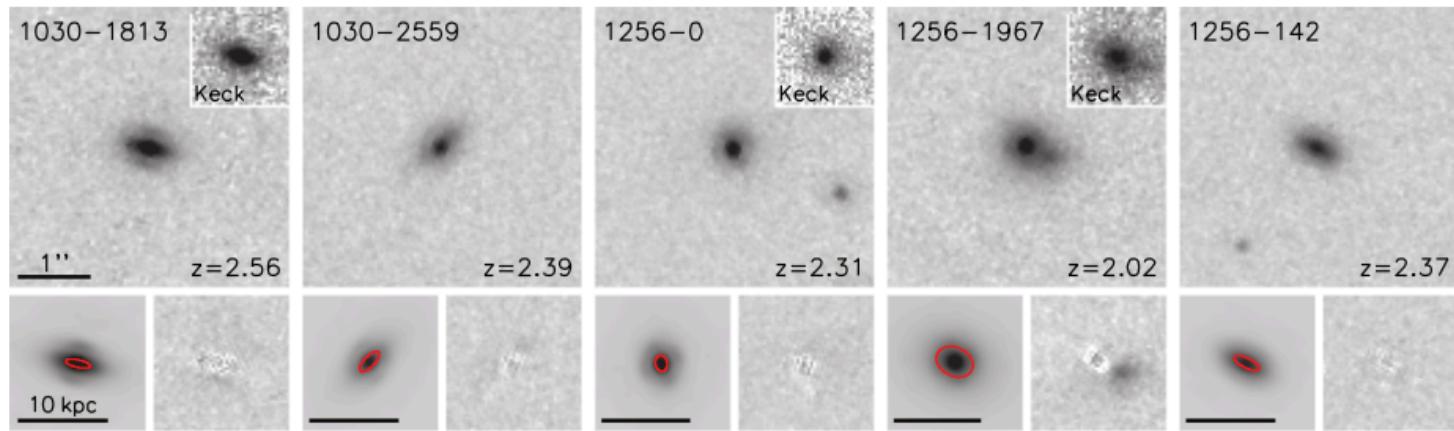
Schaye + 2014

The Eagle project

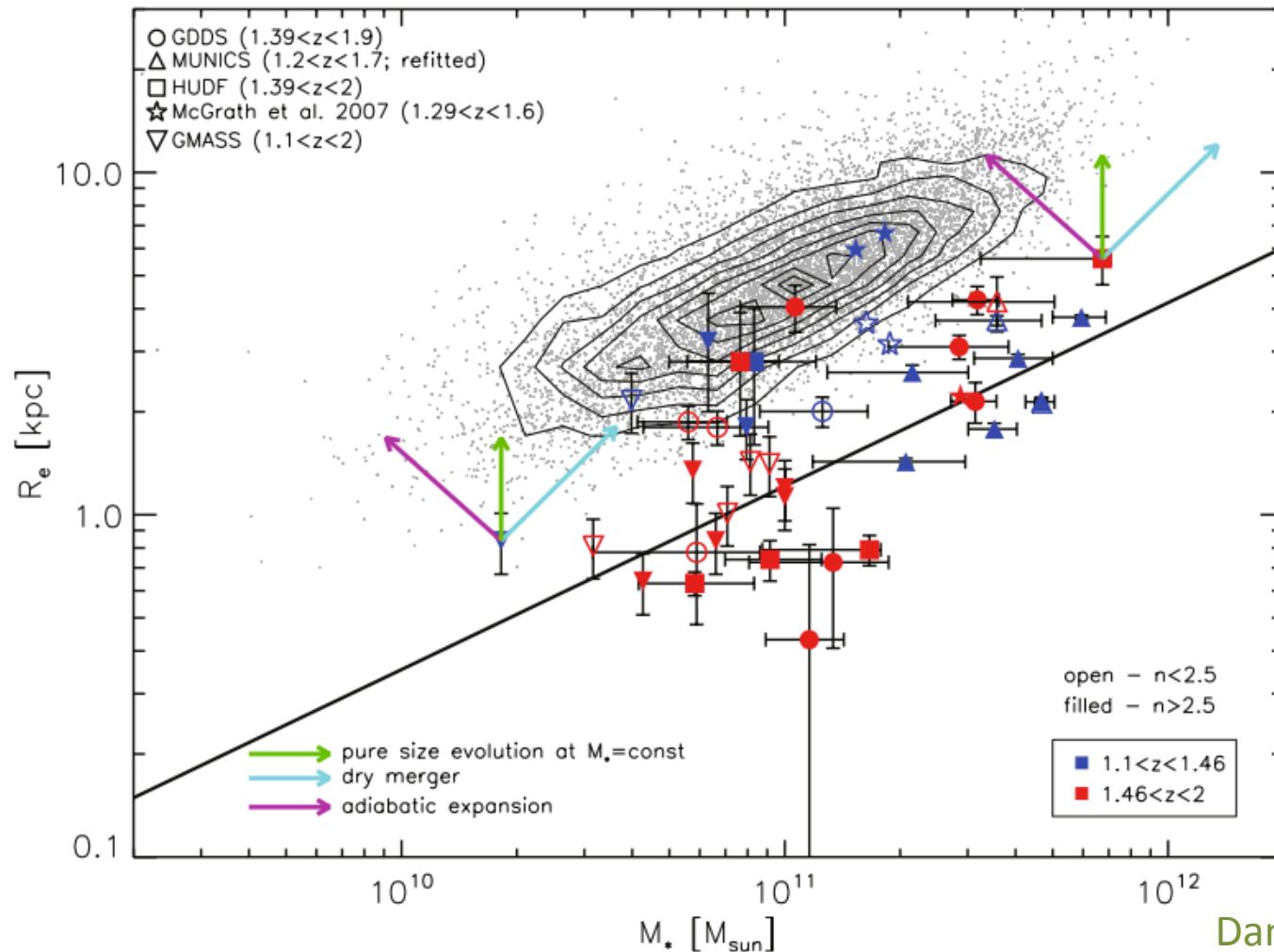


Massive-compact-quiescent: first observations

- 2005: Daddi +** Hubble Ultra Deep Field ($1.4 < z < 2.5$)
7 quiescent massive galaxies: quite compact
- 2006: Kriek +** K-bright galaxies survey (Gemini Near-IR Spectrograph)
~45% have evolved stellar populations or no ongoing star formation
- 2007: Toft +** HST/NICMOS+ACS & Spitzer/IRAC+MIPS ($2 < z < 3.5$)
quiescent galaxies are more compact than star forming ones
(...)
- 2008: Van Dokkum +** HST/NIC2 data of 9 quiescent galaxies ($2 < z < 2.7$)
 $r_{\text{eff}} < 1 \text{ kpc}$, $M_{\star} > 10^{11} M_{\odot}$
- 2009: Damjanov +** “red nuggets”
($1.2 < z < 2$) HST/NICMOS observation of 19 high mass passively evolving galaxies identified by GDDS



Mechanisms of size evolution?

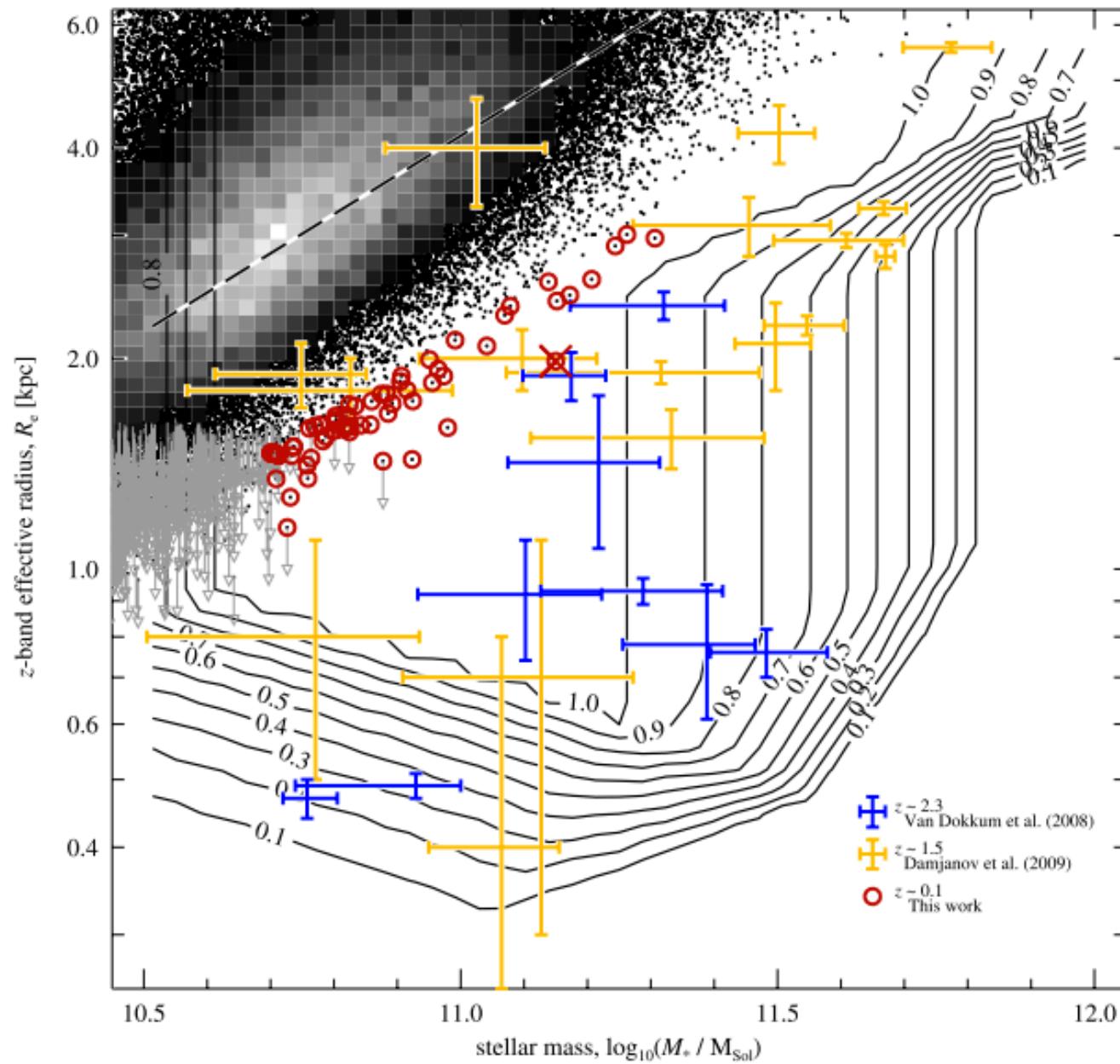


Damjanov + 2009

- pure size evolution at $M_* = \text{const}$
- dry merger
- adiabatic expansion

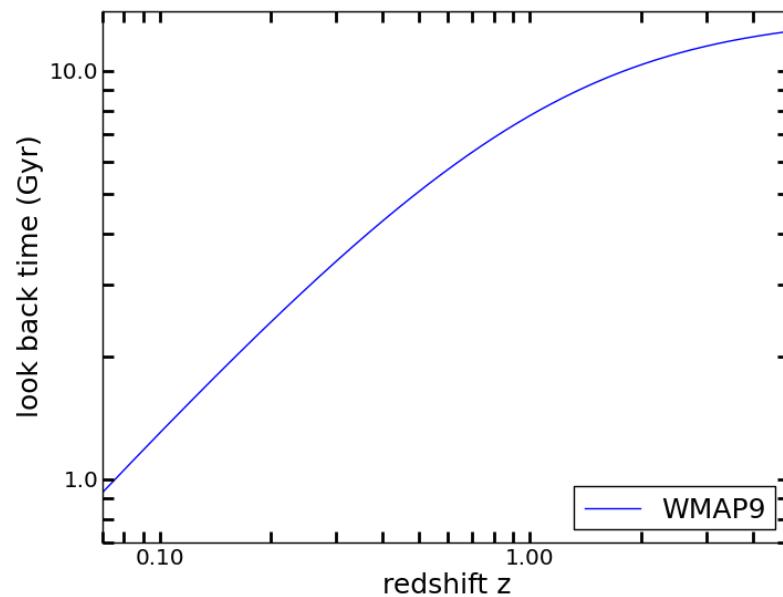
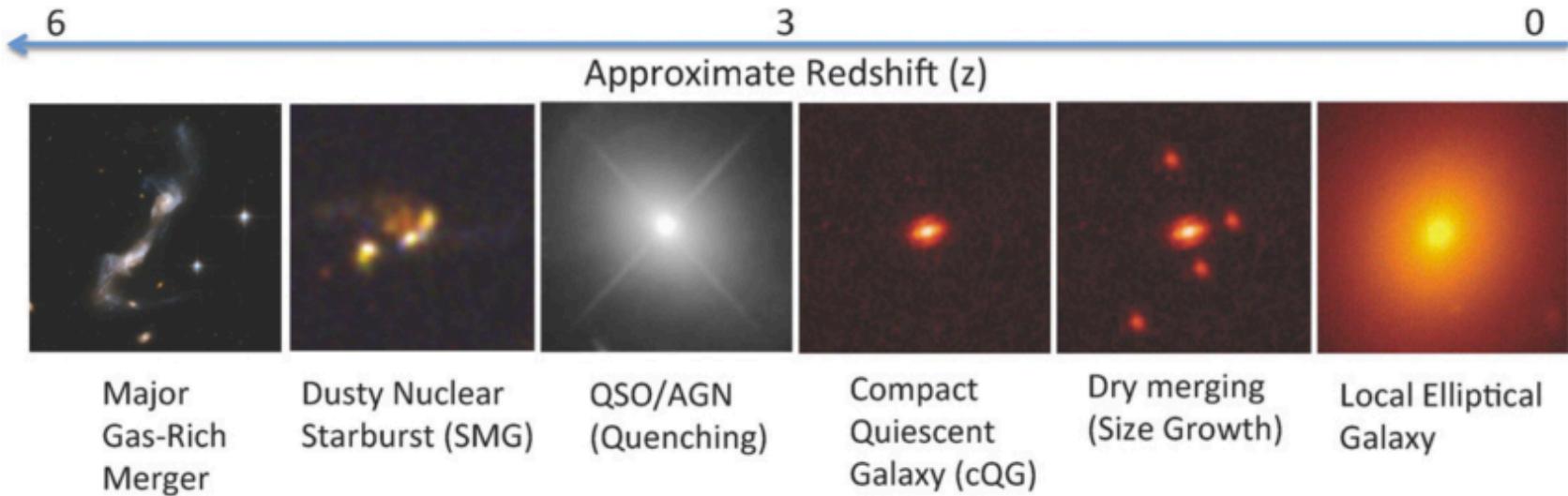
Towards lower redshifts

- 2010: Valentinuzzi +** Wide field Nearby Galaxy cluster Survey (**0.04<z<0.07**)
Isaac-Newton, MPG/ESO telescopes, + spectroscopy
high density of superdense candidates
- 2010: Taylor +** SDSS spectroscopic sample (**0.066<z<0.12**)
63 candidates, but different from high-redshift ones
- 2013: Quillis & Trujillo** Millennium N-body simulation **from z~2 to z~0**
10% to 30% of increase of the mass
fraction of massive relics: 0.1% to 1%
- 2013: Damjanov +** SDSS spectro=GALAXY, image=STAR (**0.3<z<0.5**)
+ HST/ACS data: 9 identified, similar to high-redshift
- 2014: Stockton +** SDSS + UKIRT, follow-up: Keck spectroscopy and AO (**z~0.5**)
2/5 candidates for relics, prolate morphology
- 2014: Trujillo +** NGC 1277, HST/ACS, Long slit spectro @Hershell (**z=0.0169**)
Massive, compact, old stellar population: closest candidate



A possible scenario

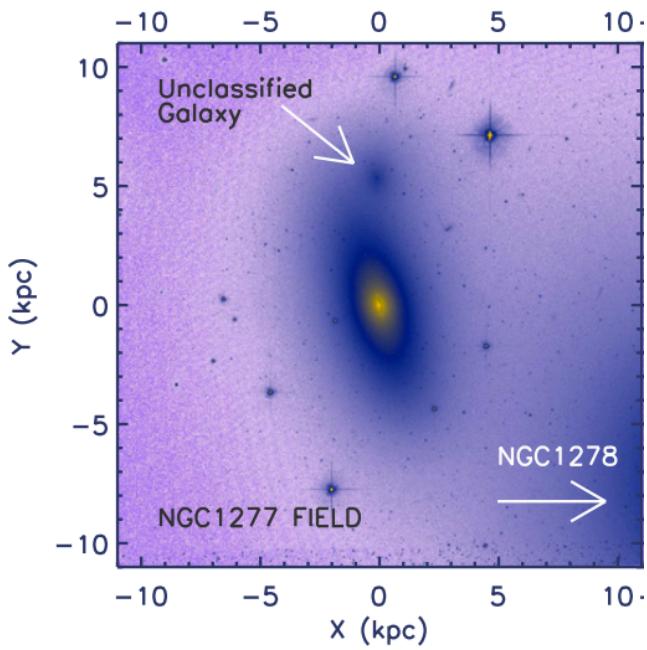
Toft + 2014



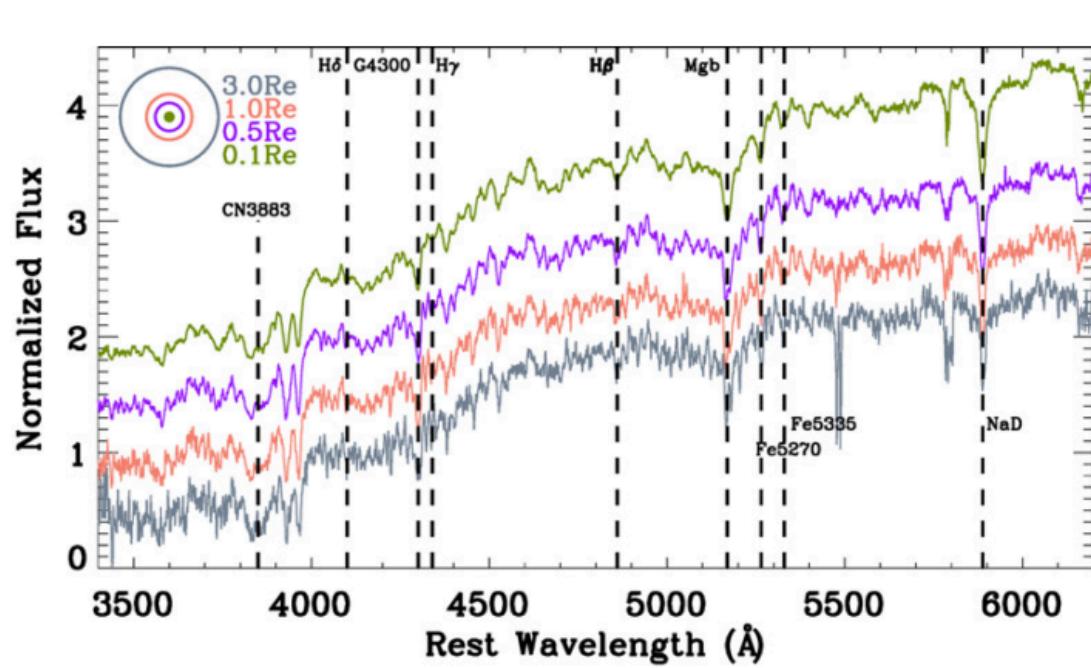
How to look for them?

1) ideal situation:

HST-quality image



Detailed spectrum

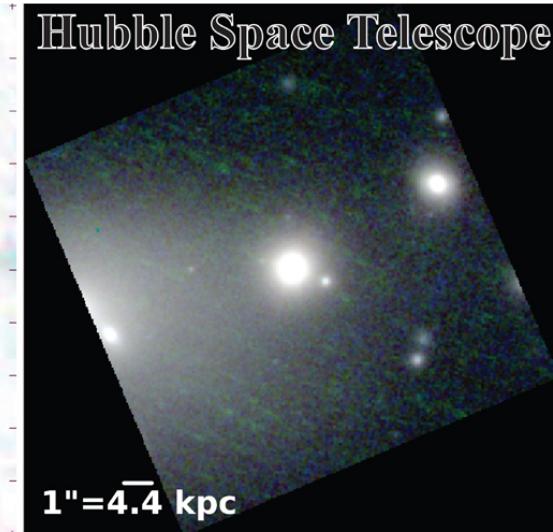
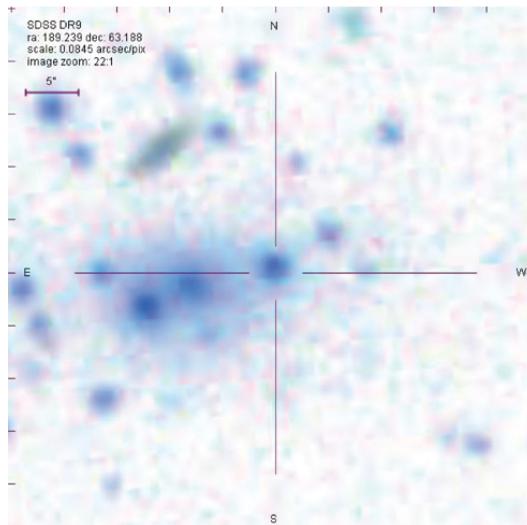
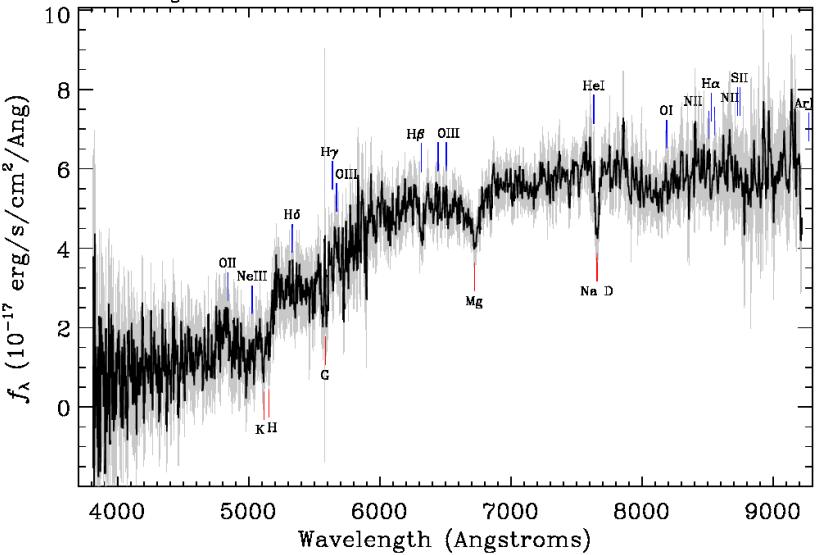


How to look for them?

1) ideal situation

2) real life – A: from spectrum to image

Survey: *sdss* Program: *legacy* Target: *GALAXY_RED ROSAT_D*
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 $z=0.29884 \pm 0.00010$ Class=GALaxy
No warnings.

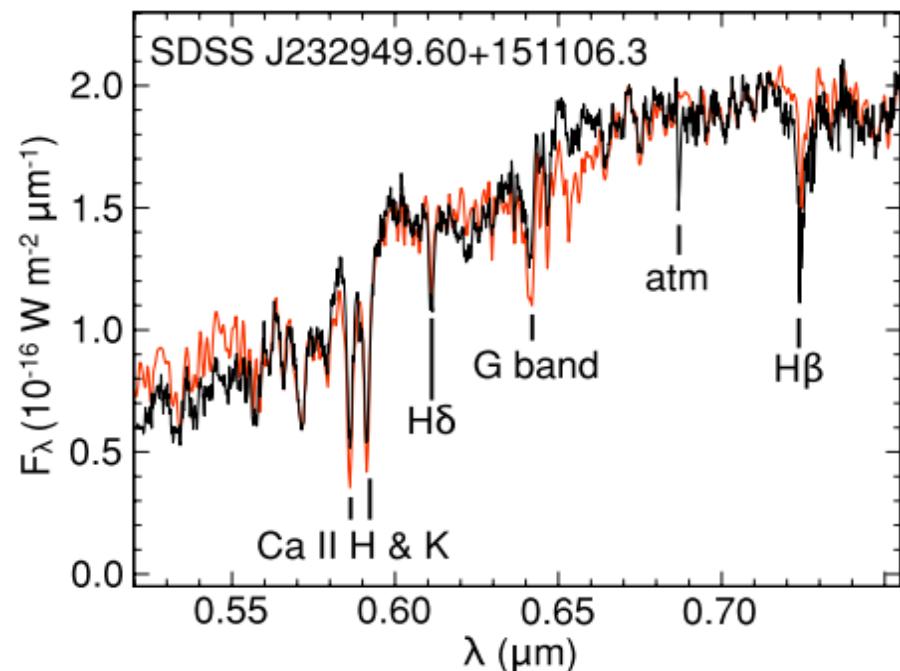
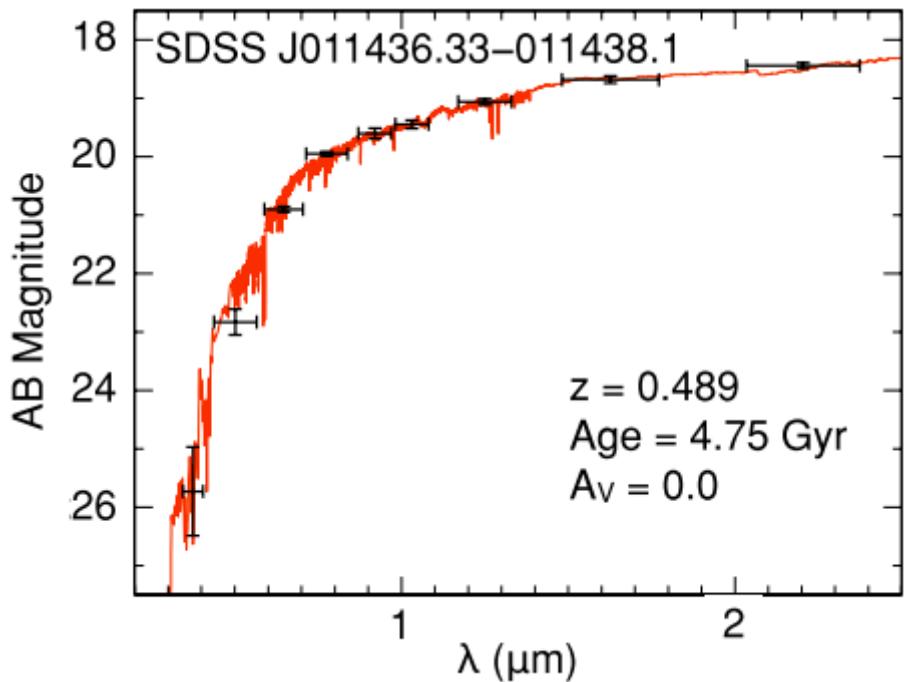


How to look for them?

1) ideal situation

2) real life – A: from spectrum to image

3) real life – B: from image to spectrum



CFHT-Stripe 82 survey

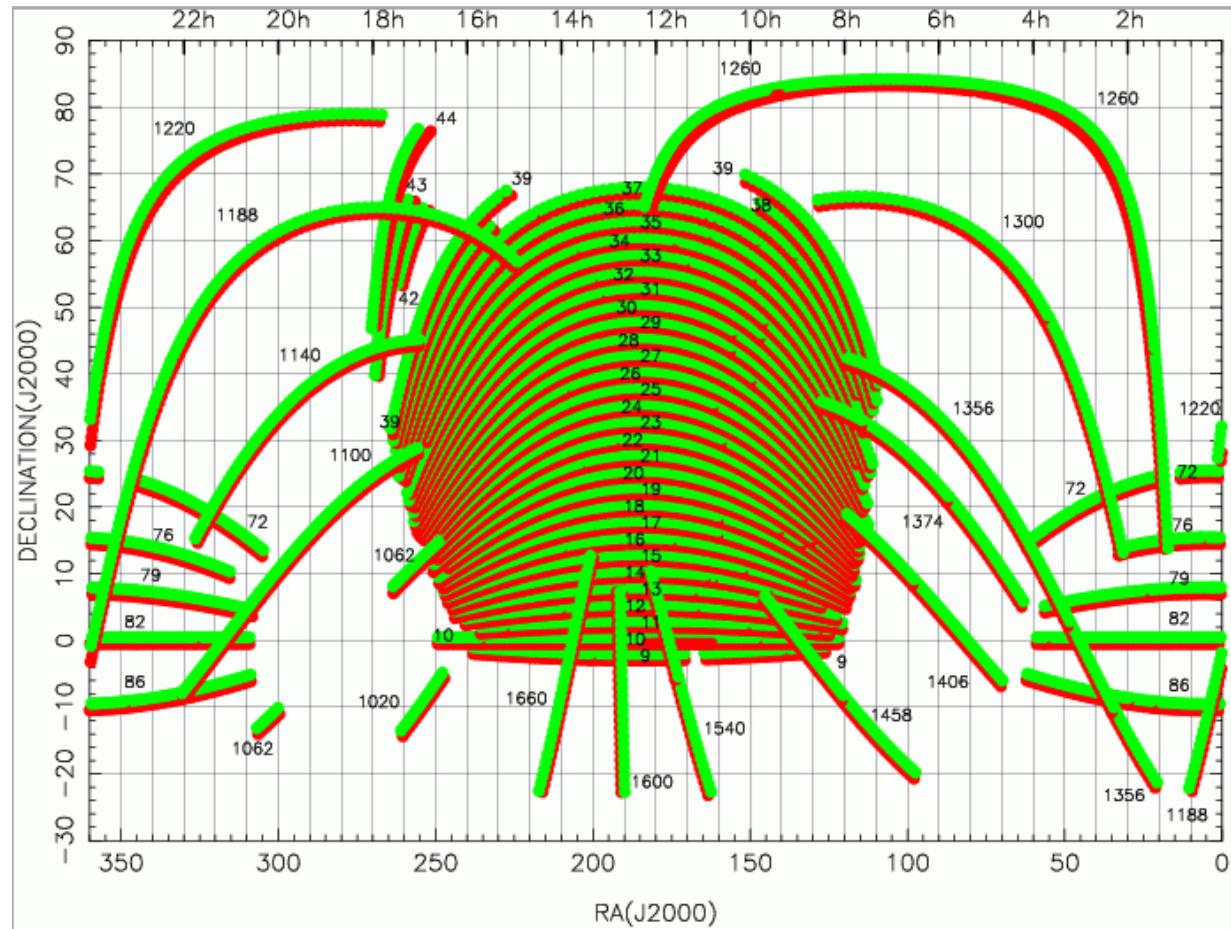
Why “Stripe-82”?

<http://dame.dsfc.unina.it/catalogues.php>

Gunn + 2006



Sloan Digital Sky Survey (SDSS)
uses Earth's rotation

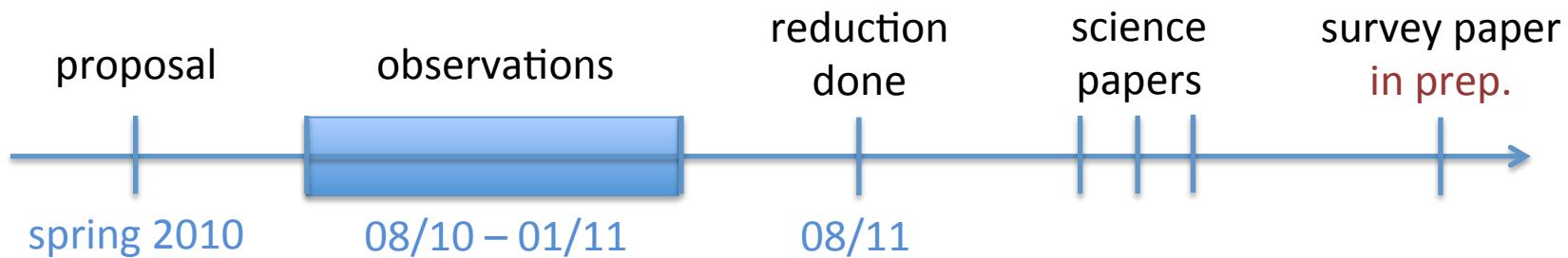


Stripe-82 Multi-WL coverage

- Optical/UV Imaging:
 - SDSS Co-adds (Jiang, Annis, Huff & LSST)
 - CFHTLS
 - CFHT i-band (CS82, Leauthaud)
 - DES, HSC
 - Pan-STARRS, PTF, Skymapper
 - GALEX
- Near-IR:
 - UKIDSS
 - VHS
 - NEWFIRM (Jiang)
 - 2MASS
- Mid-IR:
 - SHELA (Mehrtens)
 - SpIES (Ross), IRAC high-z quasars
 - WISE (Stern)
 - VICS82 (Makler)
- Far-IR:
 - HELMS (Viero)
 - HerS (Viero)
- Radio/mm:
 - VLA-L, A-array (Hodge et al. 2011)
 - VLA-L, C-array (Jarvis)
 - VLA-S (Hallinan)
 - ACT, ACTPol (Marriage)
 - Planck
 - CCAT
- X-ray:
 - Chandra (LaMassa)
 - XMM (LaMassa)
 - Swift (UVOT also)
 - NuSTAR (Civano)
- Spectra:
 - SDSS-I/II, III, IV
 - HETDEX (Gronwall)
 - Wigglez (DR1)
 - VVDS
 - PRIMUS (Coil)
 - DEEP2
 - AUS/2SLAQ
 - DESI
 - SuMIRe/PFS

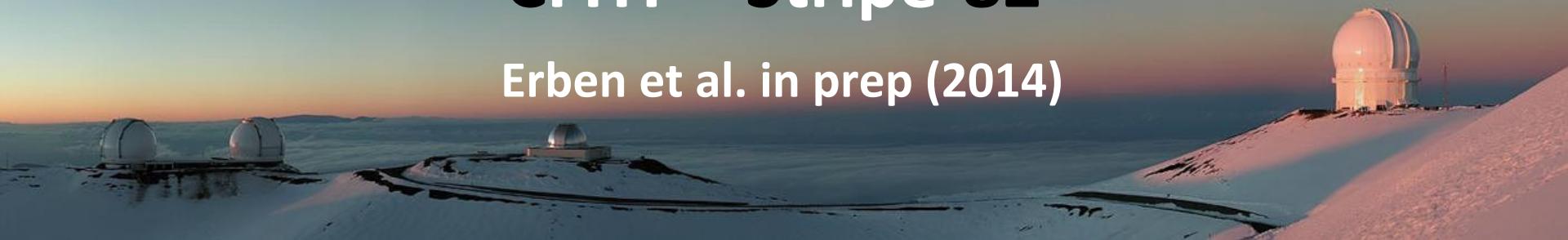
CS82 survey in a nutshell

- France-Canada-Brazil
- **CFHT, MegaCam**
- 173 pointings
- ‘Stripe 82’
- **lensing** survey
- i-band
- seeing $\sim 0.6''$



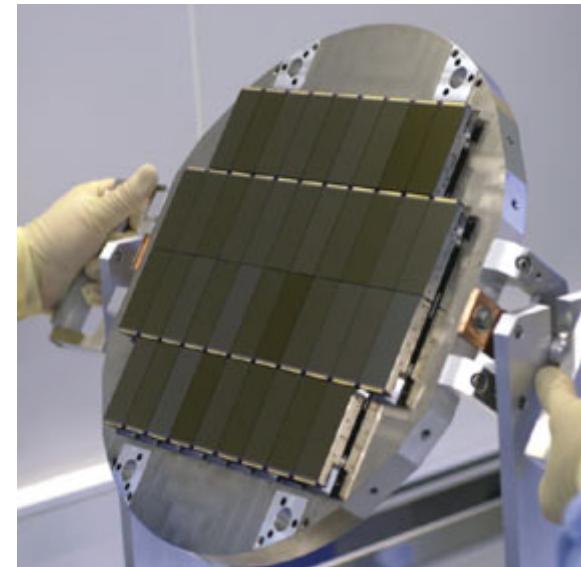
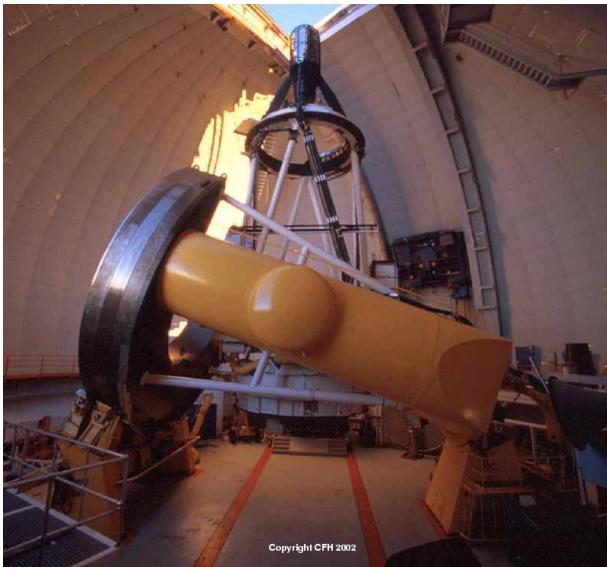
CFHT – Stripe-82

Erben et al. in prep (2014)



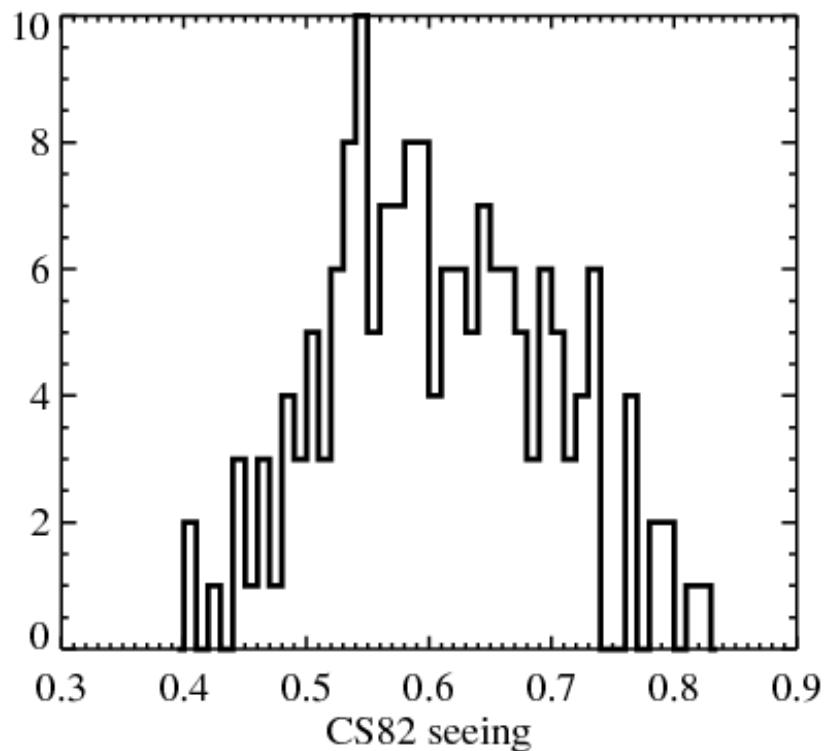
CFHT - MegaCam

- Diameter: 3,6 m
- Summit of the Mauna Kea volcano
- 4200 m high
- Big Island of Hawaï, U.S.A.
- Construction in 1979
- Mosaic of 40 CCDs
- 375 billions pixels
- Commissioning in 2003

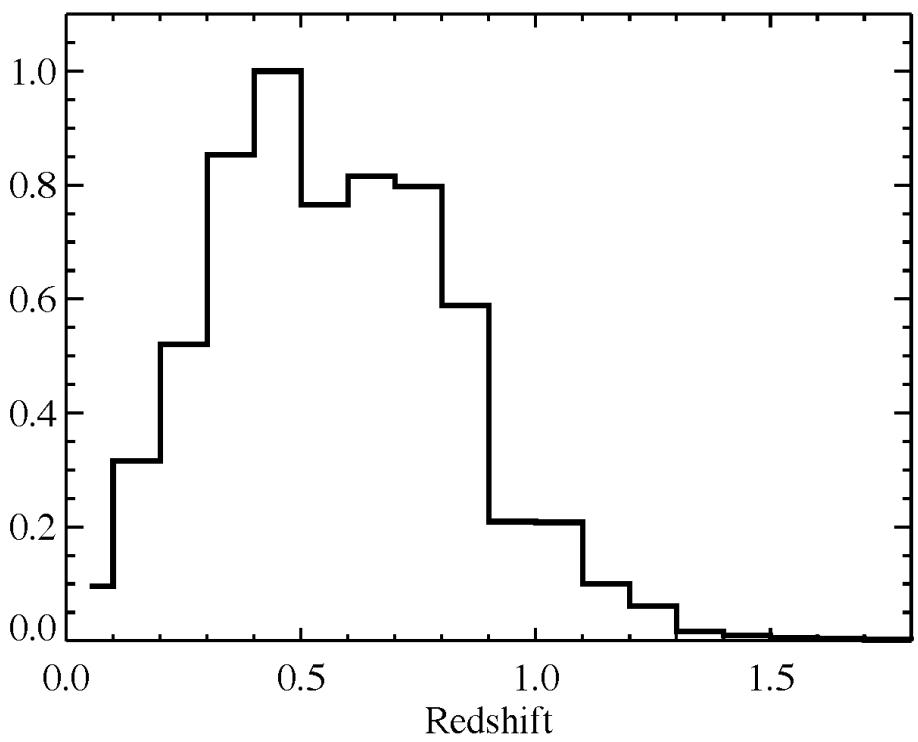


Properties of CS82 images

Mean seeing 0.6"



Redshift distribution



Magnitude limit: ~23.5 for galaxies

Morphology extraction

1- SExtractor
(detection)



2- PSFEx



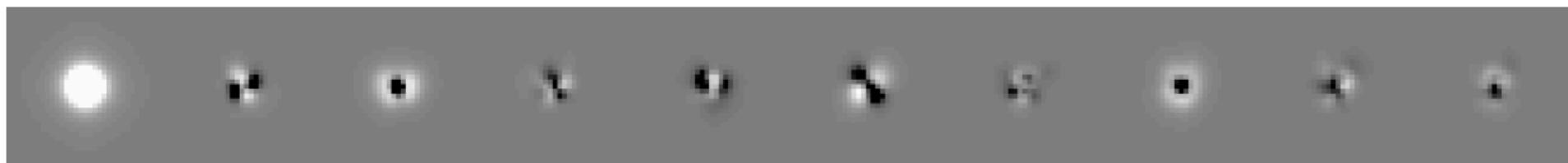
3- SExtractor
(model fitting)



SExtractor: <http://www.astromatic.net/software/sextractor>
PSFEx: <http://www.astromatic.net/software/psfex>

PSFEx

- Solving in direct space (\neq Fourier)
- Automatically selects the point like sources
- PSF modeled as a linear combination of basis functions
- Weighted χ^2 minimization
- **PSF variations may be decomposed on a polynomial basis**



cst

x

x^2

x^3

y

xy

x^2y

y^2

xy^2

y^3

Morphology catalogues

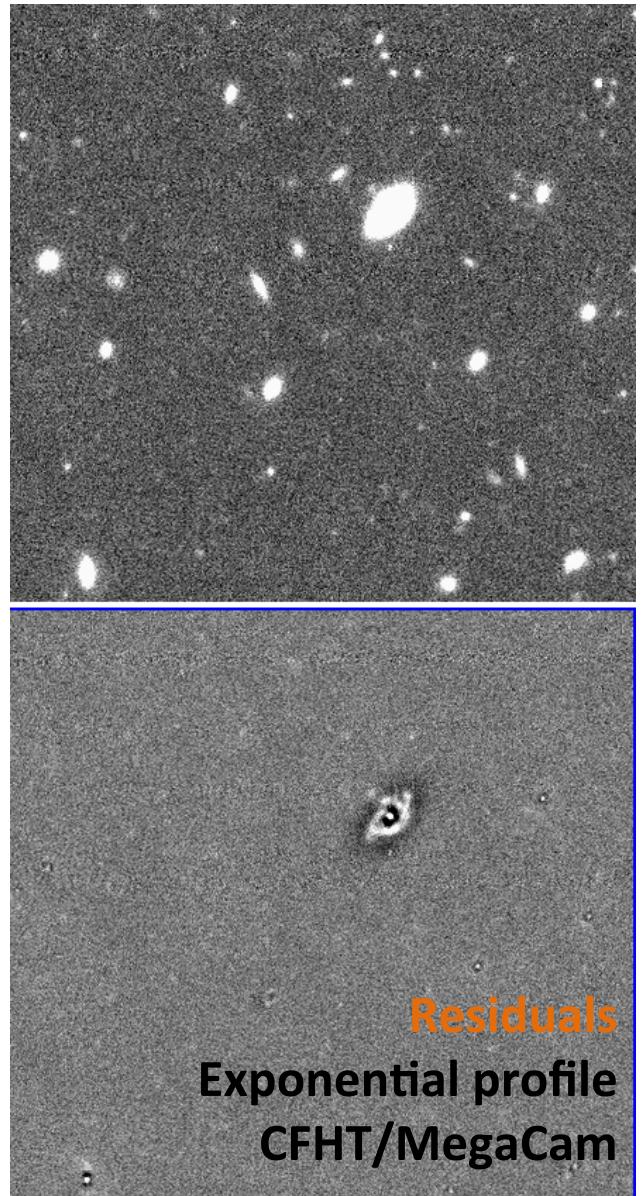
on coadds (4 x single exposures)

~**16,700,000** objects (150,000/tile)

4 profiles: de Vaucouleurs
exponential
general Sérsic
deV + exp

CPU time: 12h/profile/tile

Moraes, Charbonnier + 2014 (in prep.)



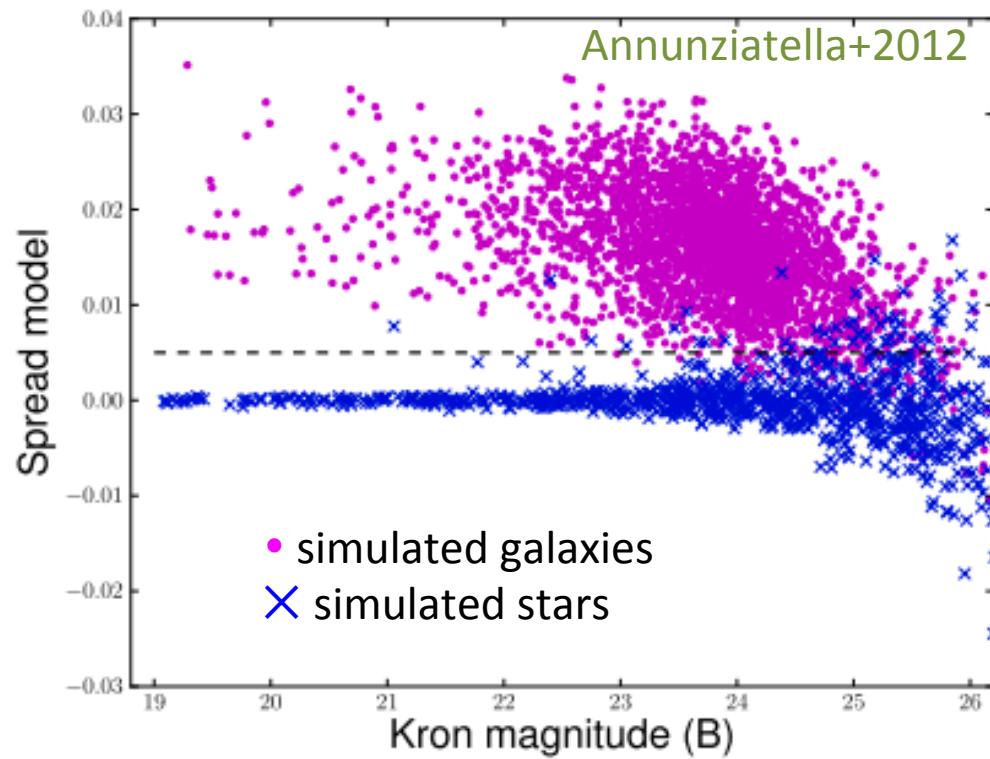
SPREAD_MODEL parameter

- Star/galaxy discriminator from SExtractor
- Diagnostic for a good PSF reconstruction

$$\text{spread_model} = \frac{\phi^T \mathbf{x}}{\phi^T \phi} - \frac{\mathbf{G}^T \mathbf{x}}{\mathbf{G}^T \phi}$$

ϕ : PSF model

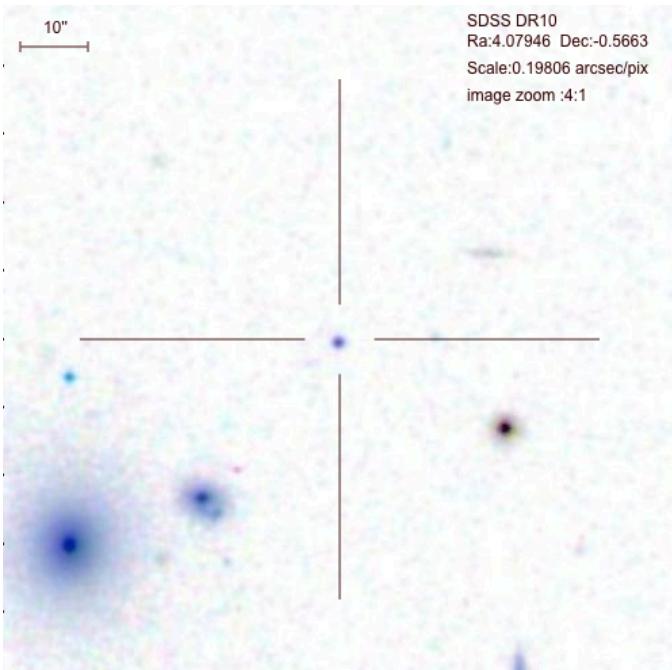
G : slightly more extended model



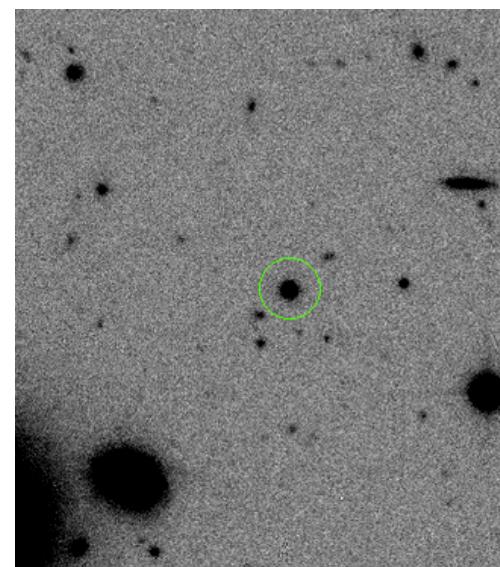
Example: Damjanov objects

Damjanov + 13:

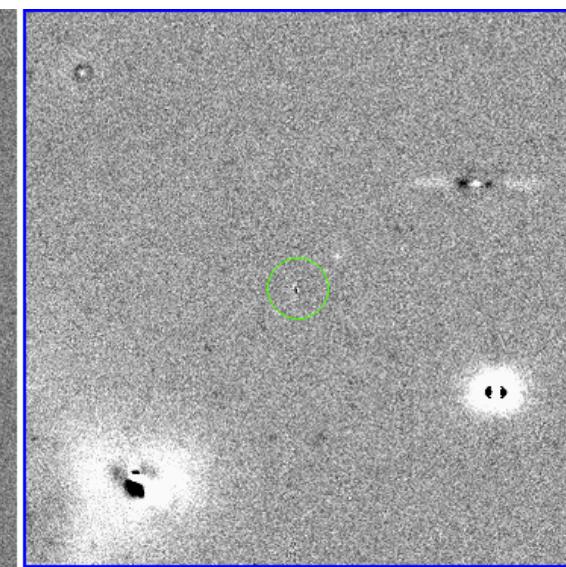
SDSS image: Point-like
SDSS spectrum: Galaxy
HST images available



SDSS cutout



CS82 cutout



residuals
deV profile

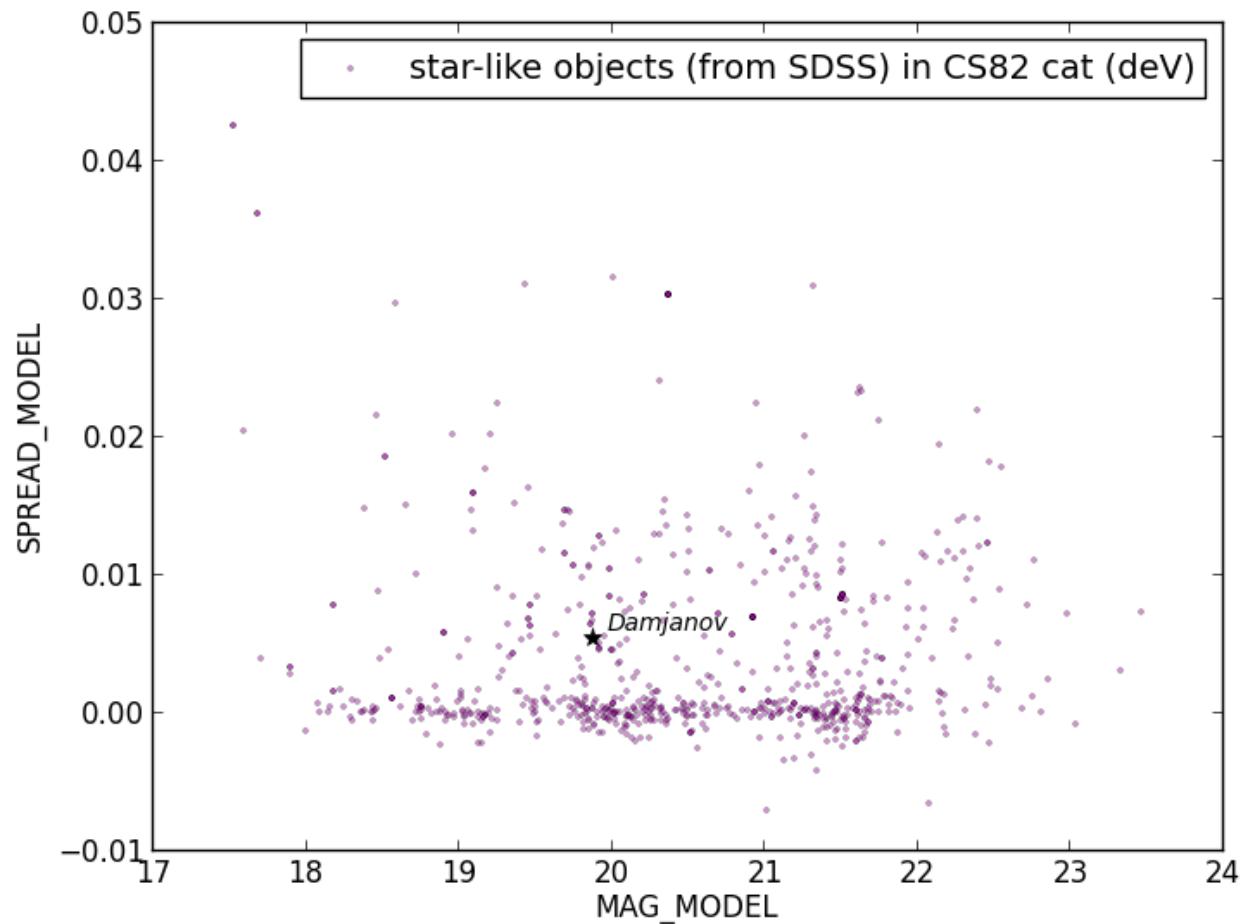
Example: Damjanov objects

SDSS query:

- galaxy spectrum
- point-like in the image
- $0.1 < z < 0.7$

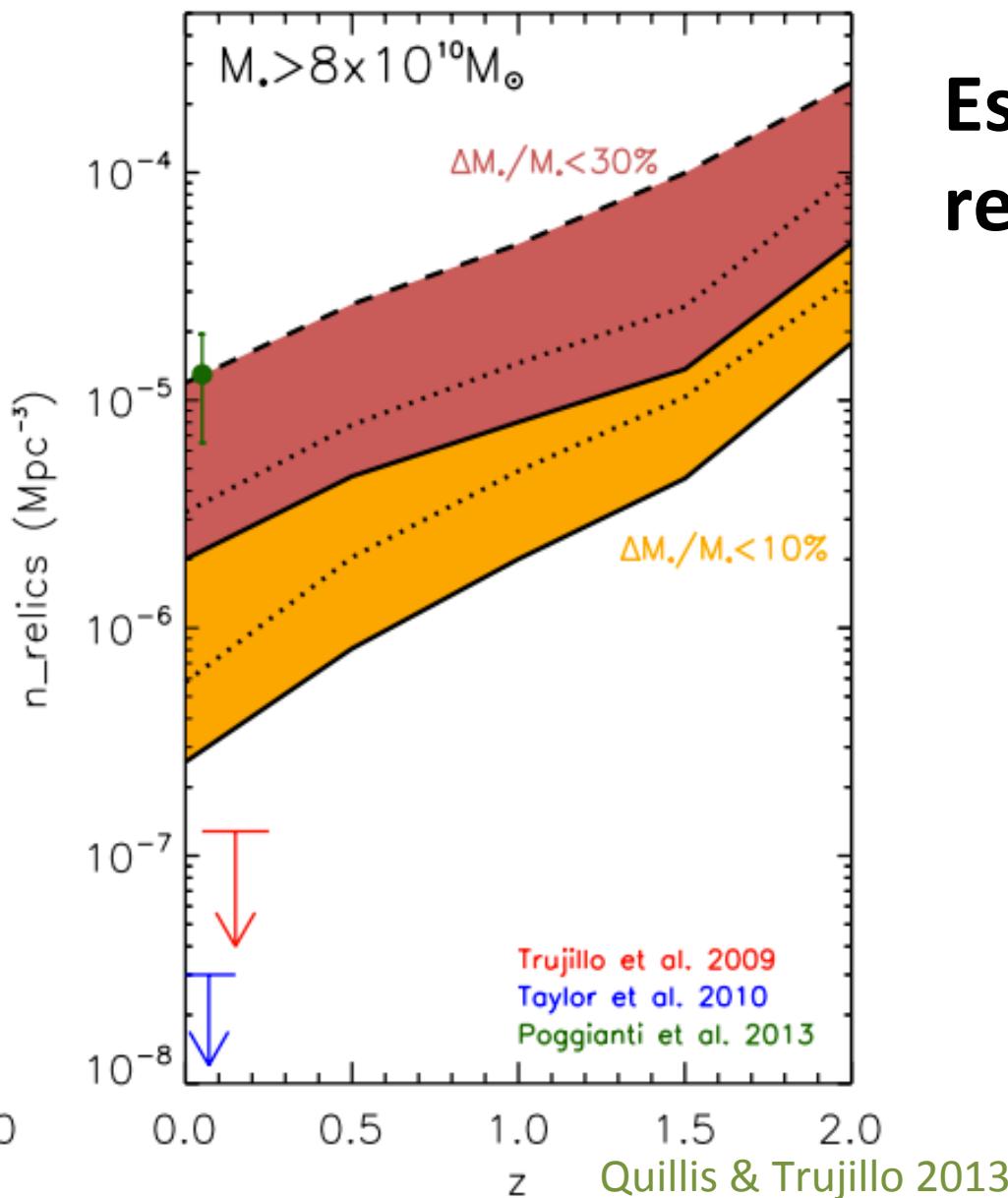
Result:

- Matching with CS82 catalogue
- ~ 750 objects



**Looking for massive compact
quiescent galaxies**

Expectations



Estimated density of high redshift relics:

Hyp - all objects are detected
- WMAP7 cosmology

Comoving volume between $0.2 < z < 0.6$:
 $V_{0.6} - V_{0.2} \sim 43.5 \text{ Gpc}^3$

Solid angle of Stripe-82 ($A_{\text{eff}} \sim 124 \text{ deg}^2$):
 $\Omega_{\text{stripe 82}} \sim 0.038 \text{ sr}$

For $\langle n_{\text{relics}} \rangle \sim 10^{-5} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$
 $n_{\text{expected}} \sim 1300$

For $\langle n_{\text{relics}} \rangle \sim 5.10^{-7} \text{ Mpc}^{-3}$
 $n_{\text{expected}} \sim 65$

Sample selection

Morphology:

CS82 catalogue

Redshift:

SDSS photometry + spectroscopy

Reis + 2012

Stellar masses:

+ near IR, Kevin Bundy's code, SYNMAG

Bundy+2012

intermediate
redshift:
 $0.2 < z < 0.6$

star/galaxy
separation:
morpho, color

“massive”:
 $M_\star > 5 \cdot 10^{10} M_\odot$

“compact”:
mass vs. size
relation

“quiescent”:
restframe colors

Star/Galaxy separation

Ivezic + 2007:

SDSS Stripe 82 candidate star catalogue
non-variable unresolved sources, color selection
1,006,849 objects

Betoule + 2013:

SDSS Stripe 82 tertiary star catalogue
Calibration of Supernova surveys (SDSS & SNLS)
601,578 objects

SDSS request:

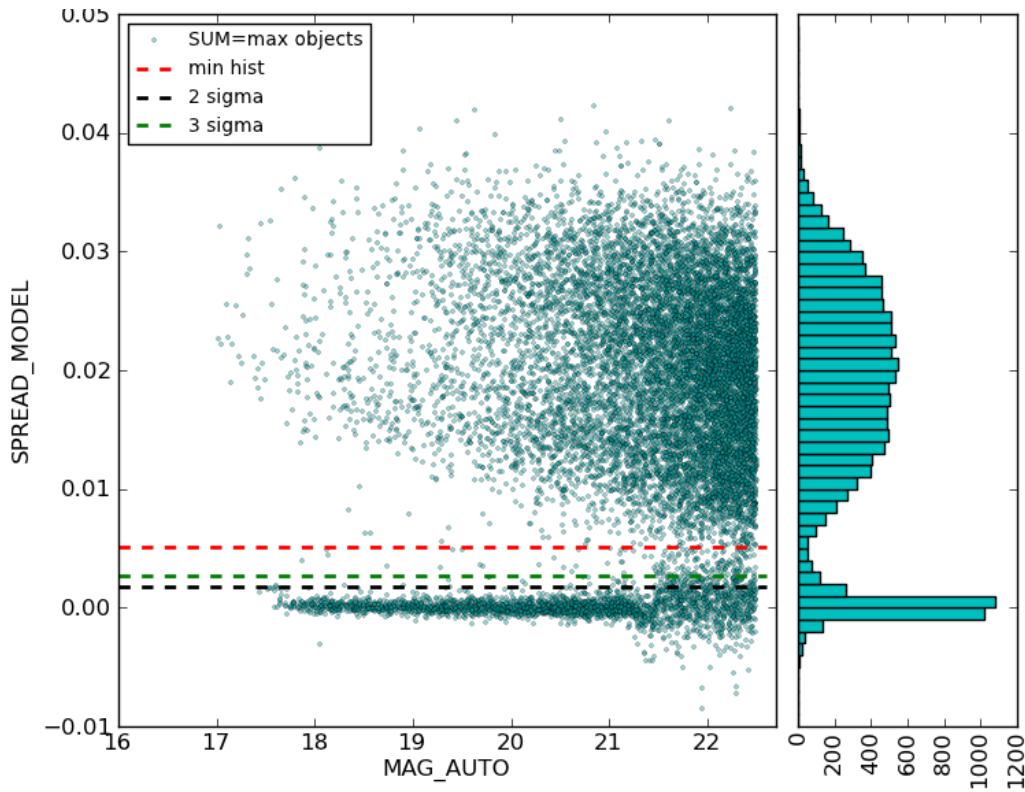
Morpho: star, Spectro: galaxy, $0.1 < z < 0.7$
15,190 objects

Matched:

Betoule + 2013: 103
Ivezic + 2077: 421

Star/Galaxy separation -I-

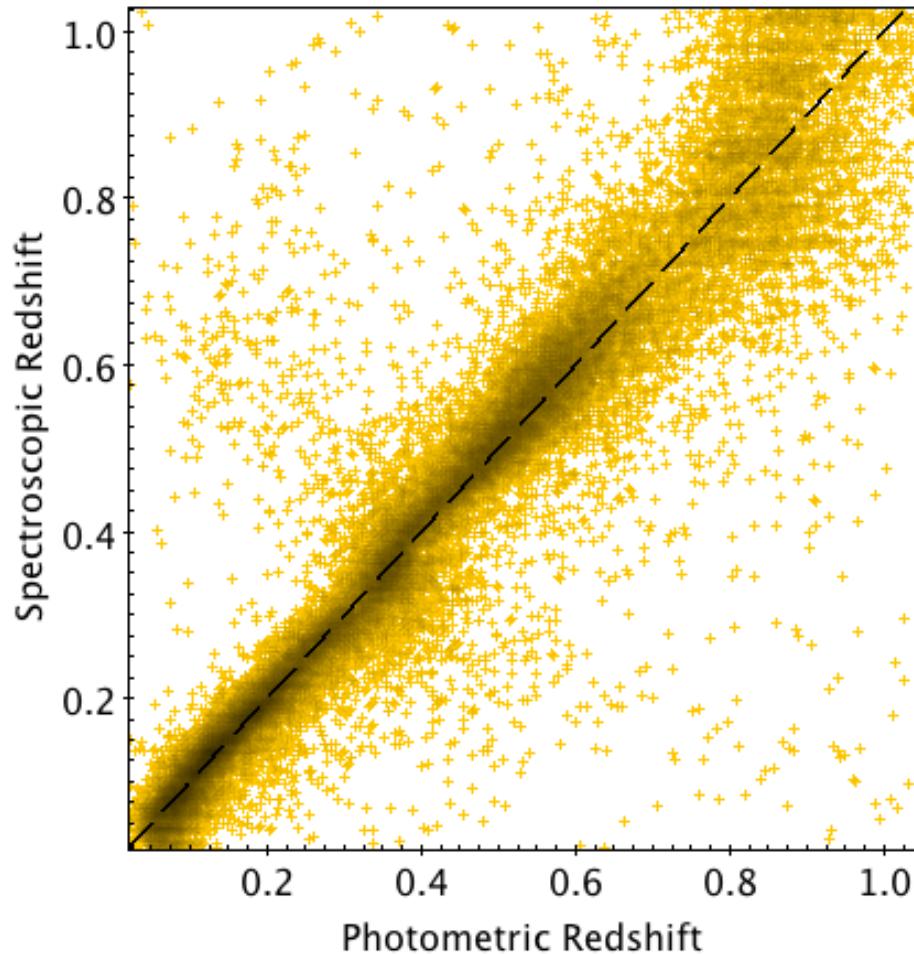
- fit by a gaussian of the star branch
- objects with $\text{SPREAD_MODEL} > \mu + 2\sigma$ are potentially galaxies (black dashed line on the graph)



possible contamination by stars
corrected later by a color selection

A bit of numerology

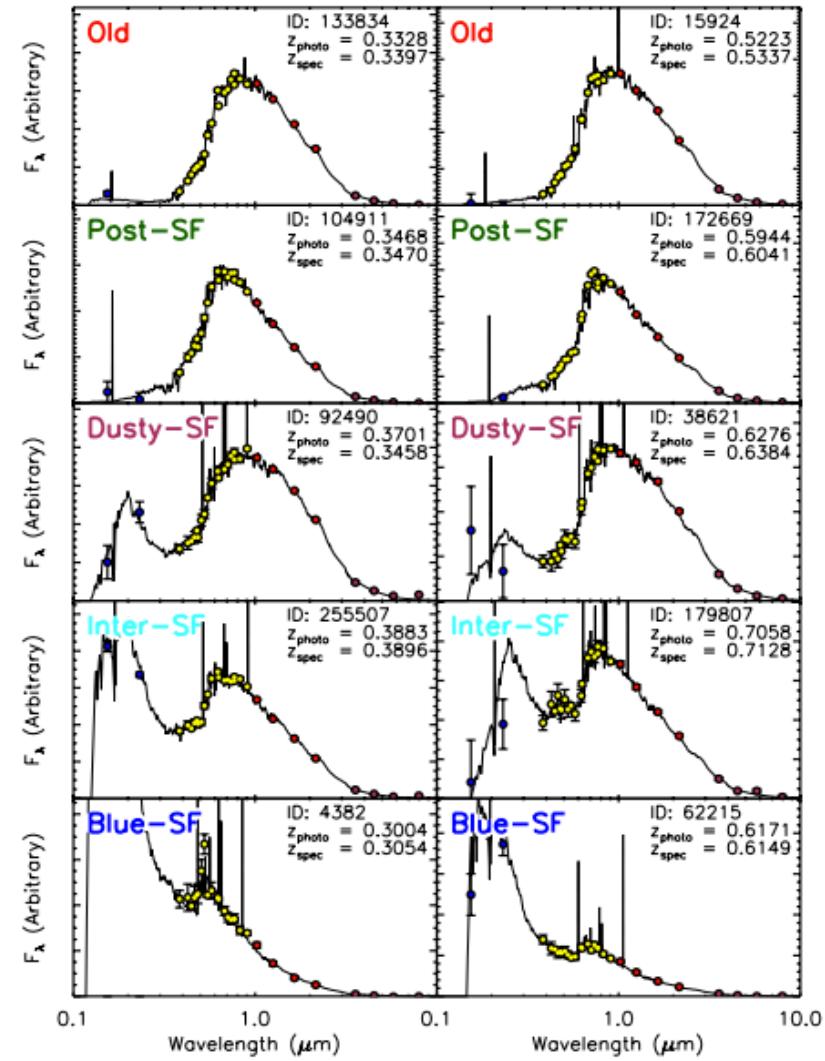
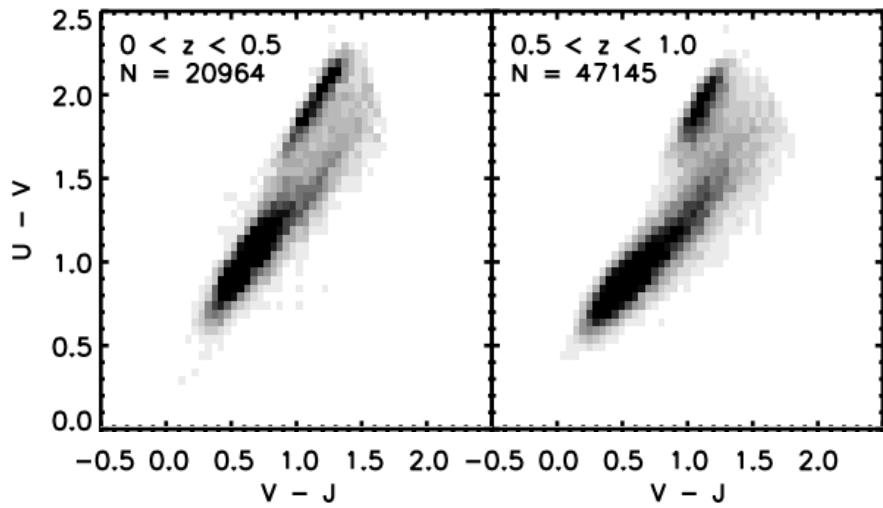
- full SDSS-Stripe 82 15,342,585
 - masked CS82 9,647,535
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- matched 5,928,169
 - stars 930,379
 - galaxies 4,997,790
- near-IR photometry + redshift**
643,441



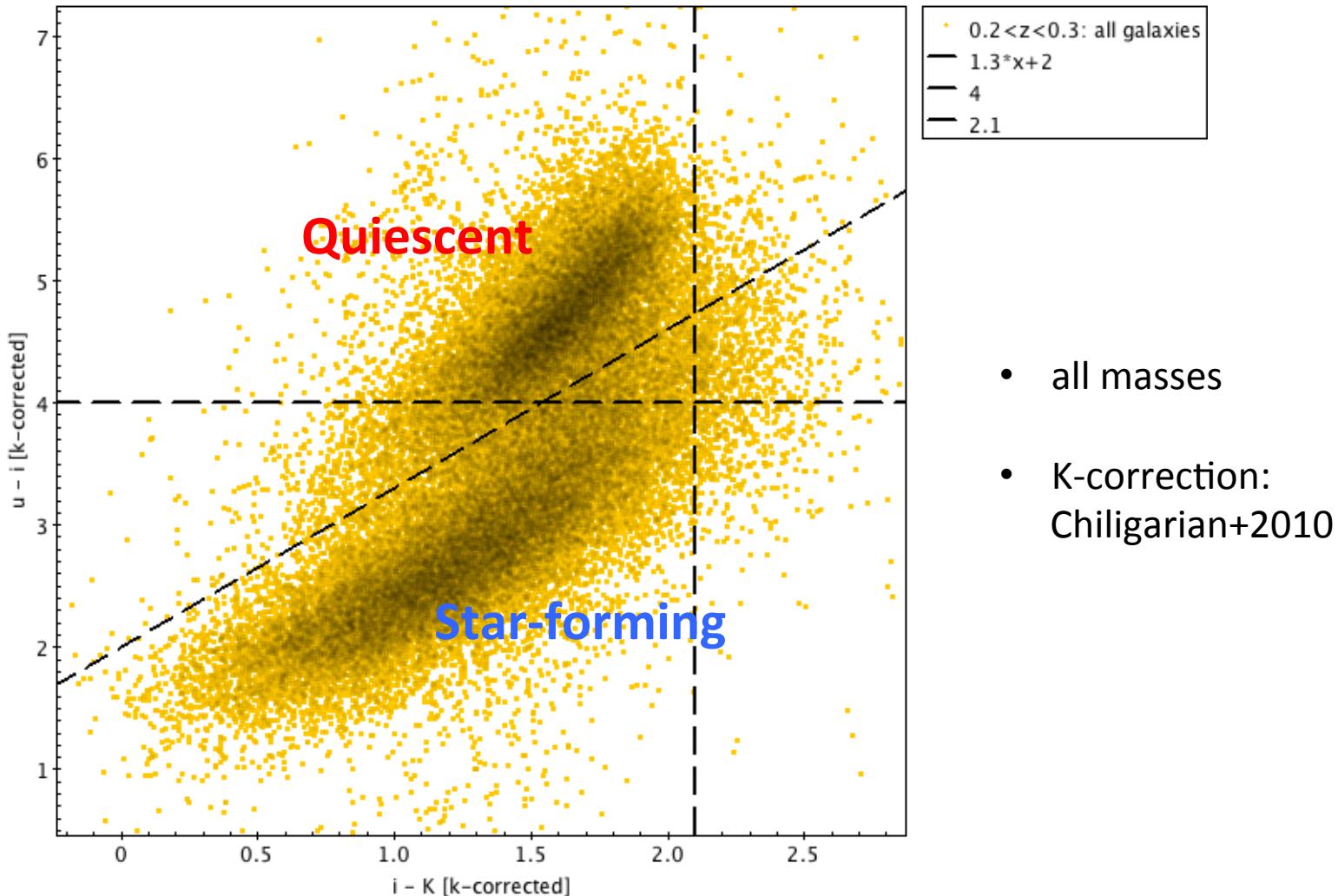
Quiescent/Star Forming selection

Muzzin+2013

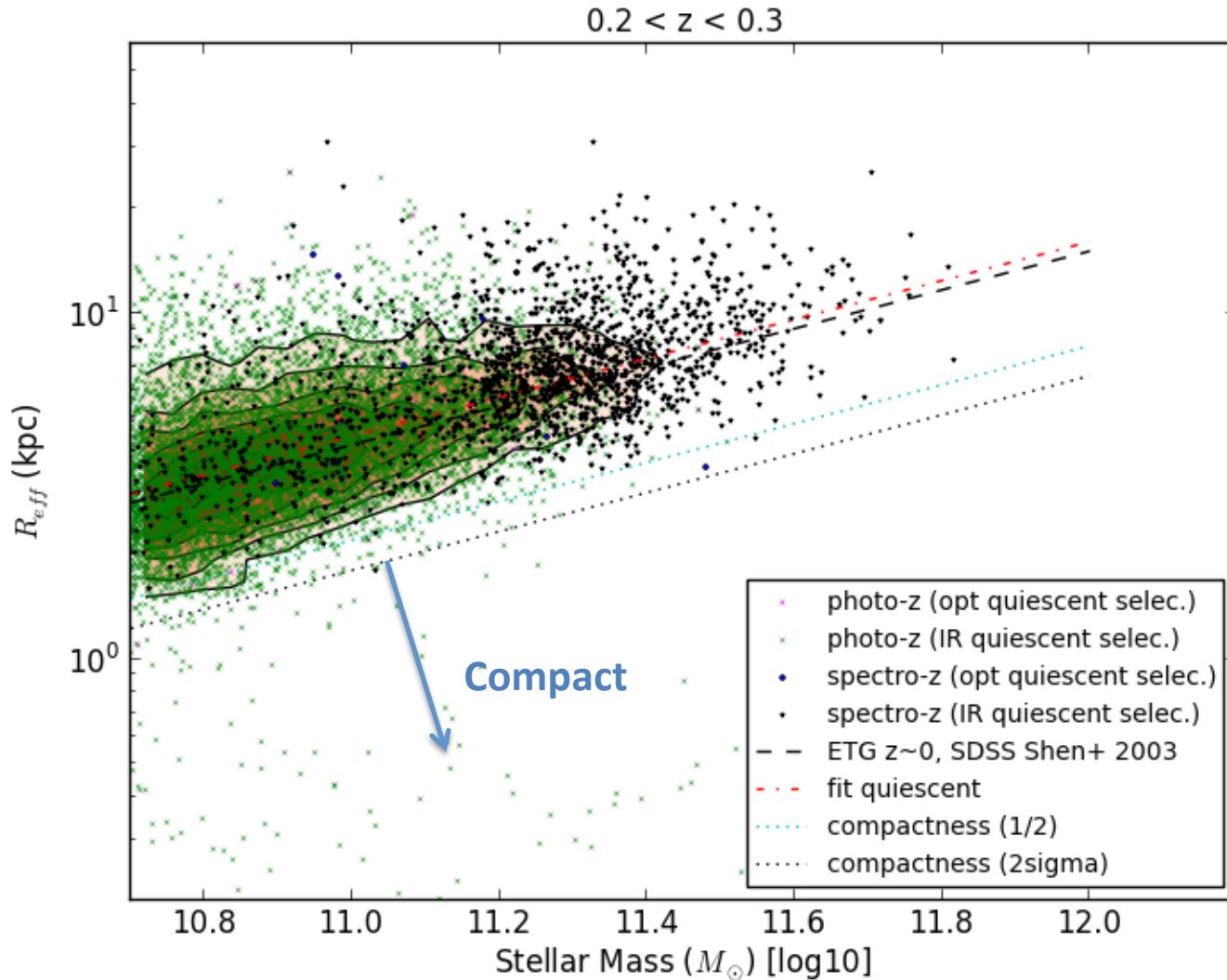
- restframe colors
- (U-V)
4000 Å break
- (V-J)
stellar populations



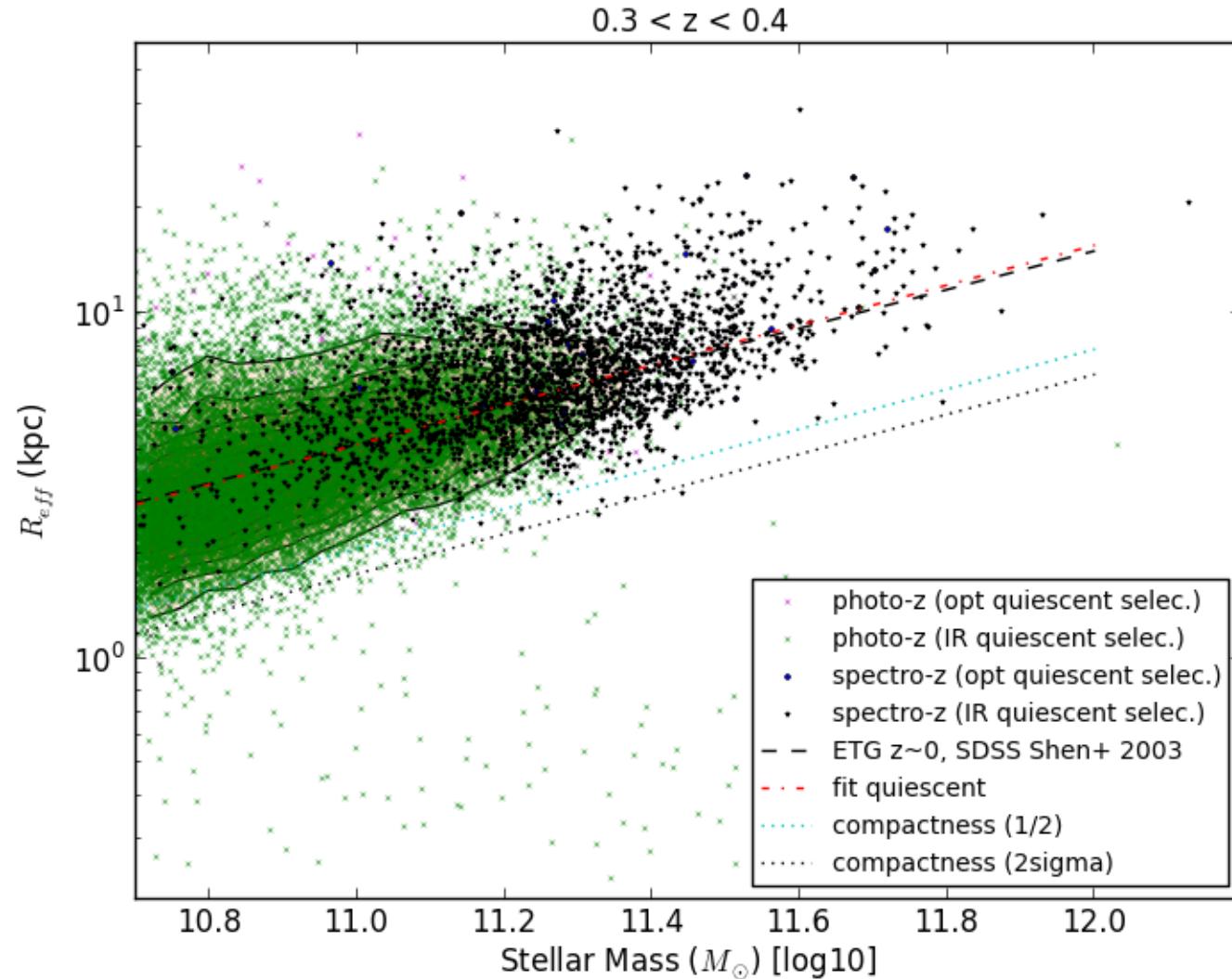
$0.2 < z < 0.3$
(u-i) vs. (i-K) with K-correction



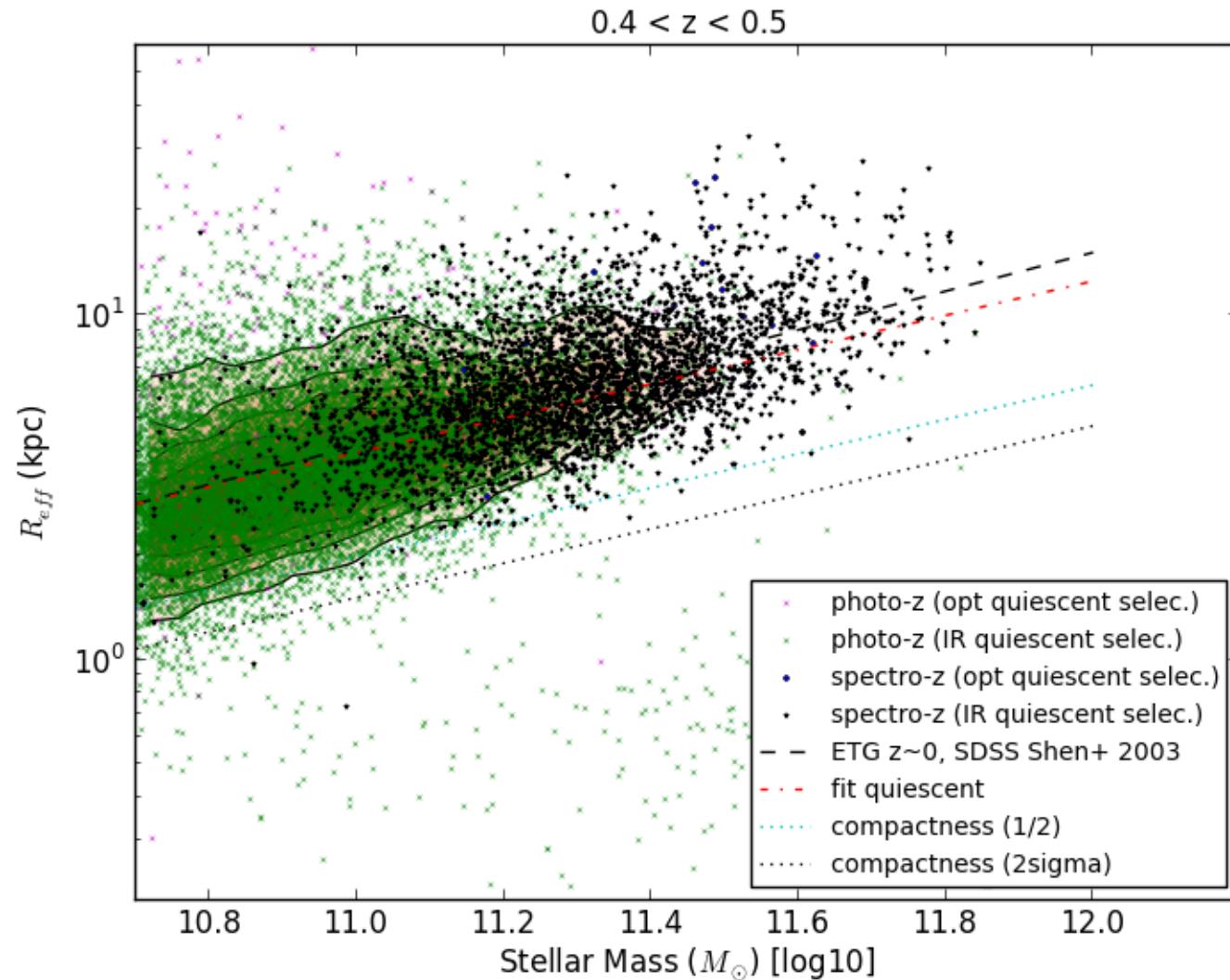
Selection of compact galaxies



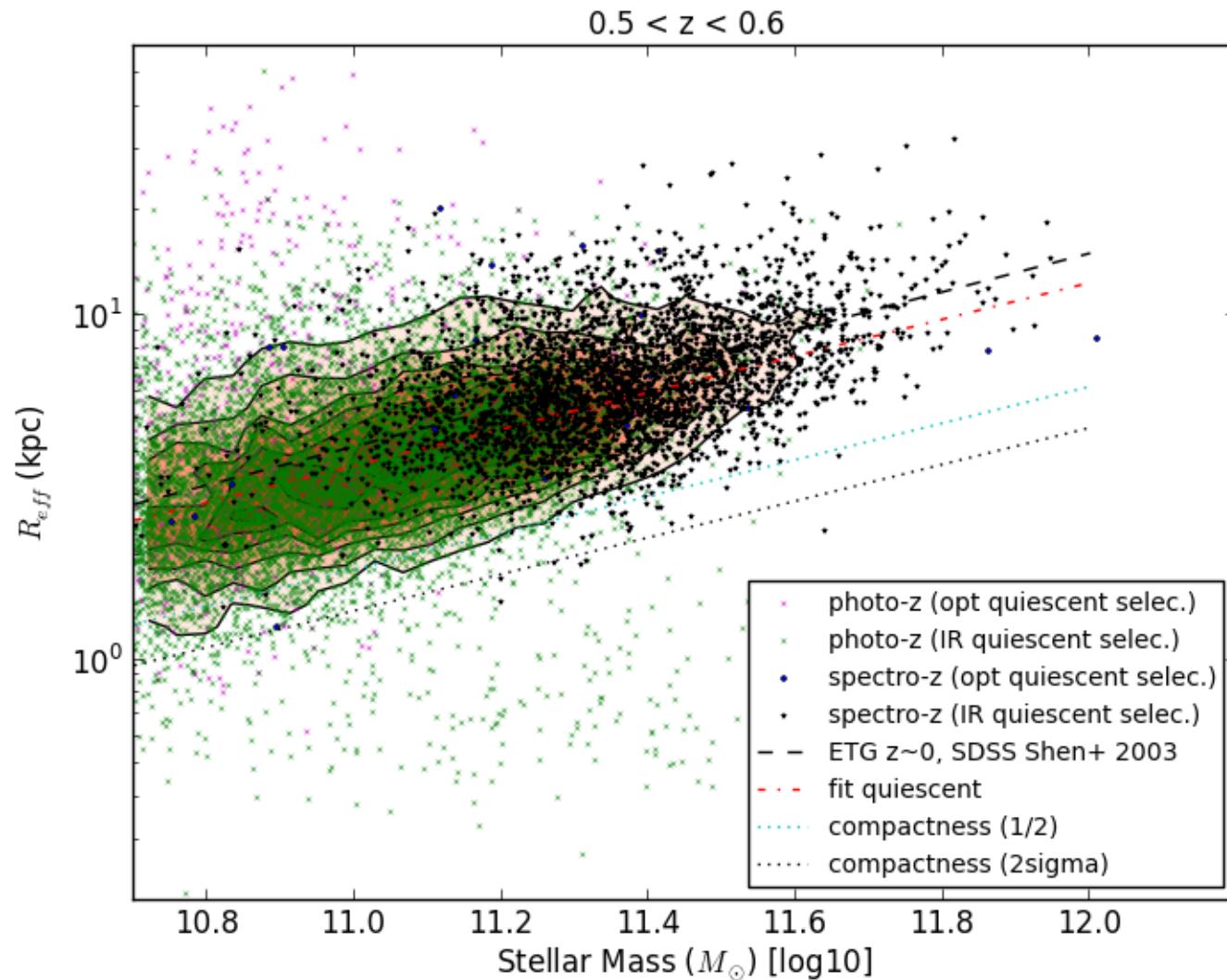
$0.3 < z < 0.4$



$0.4 < z < 0.5$

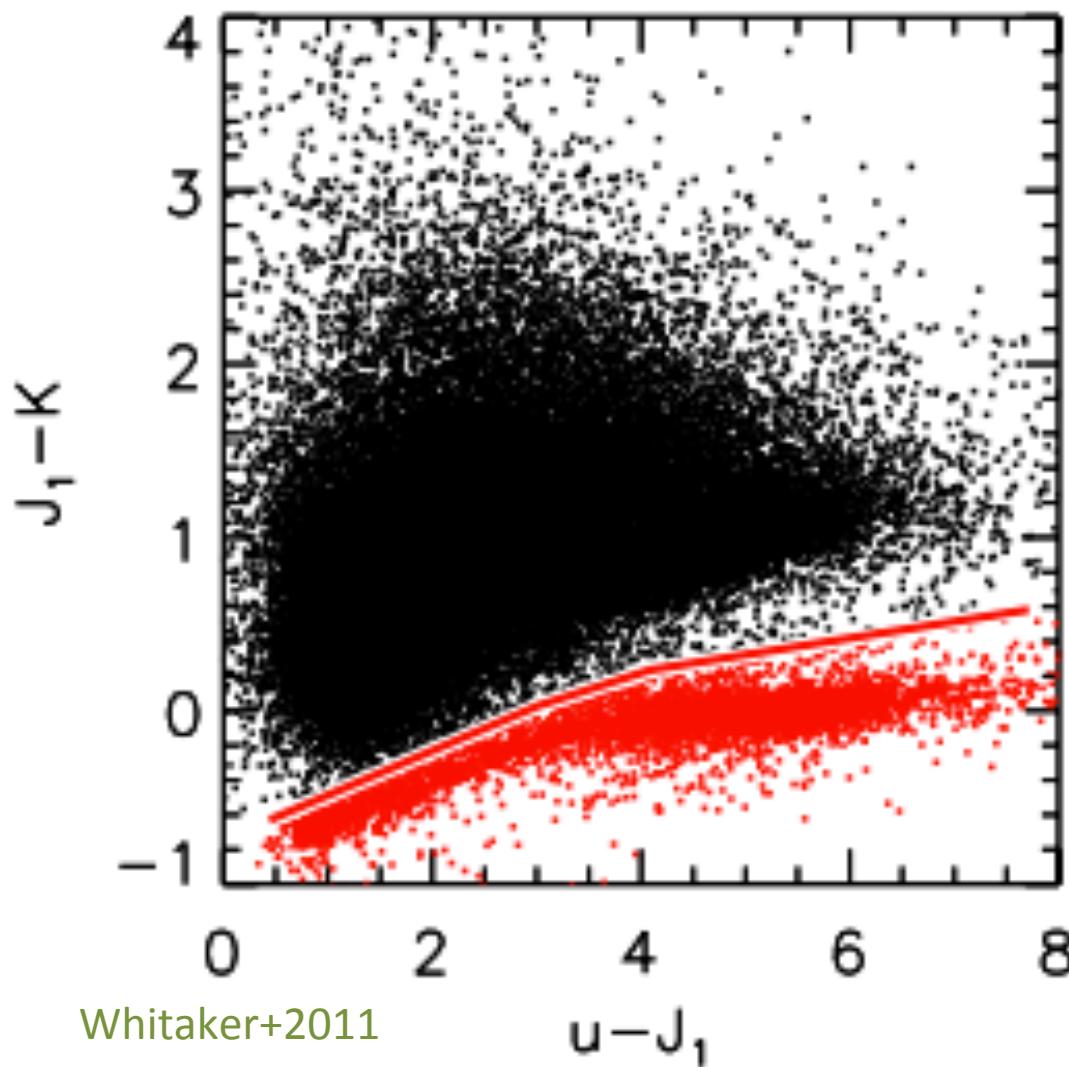


$0.5 < z < 0.6$



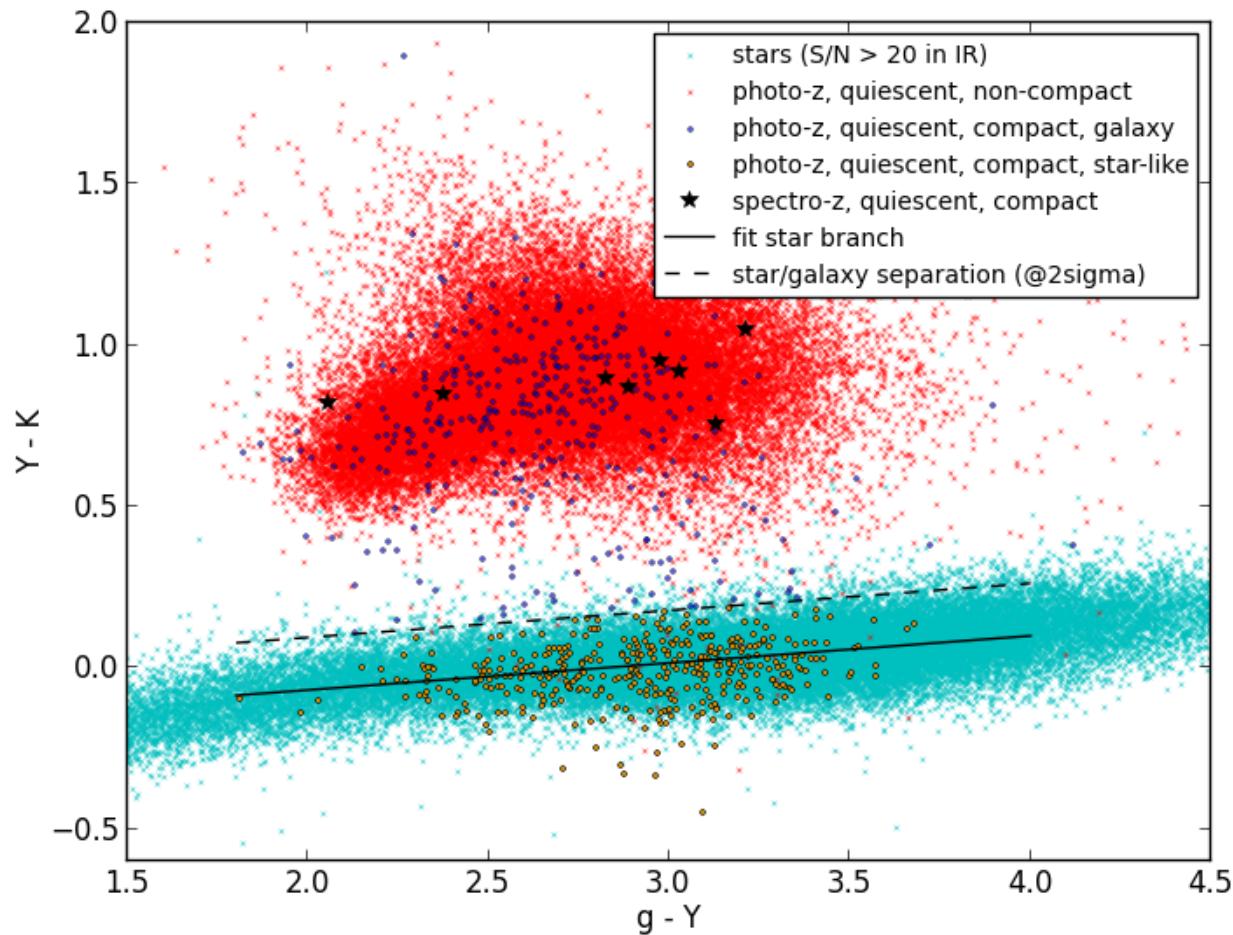
Star/Galaxy separation -II-

- galaxies
- stars

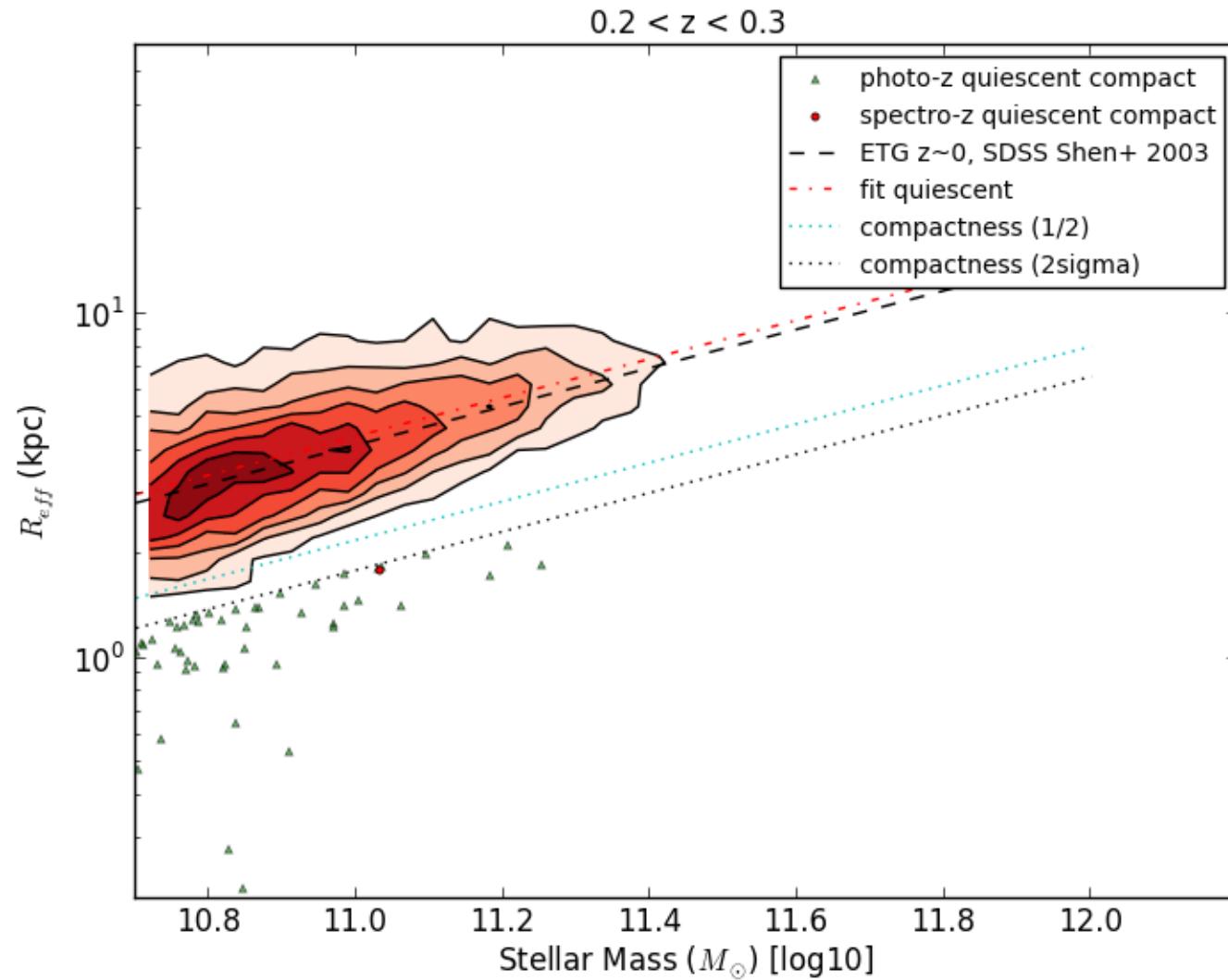


Whitaker+2011

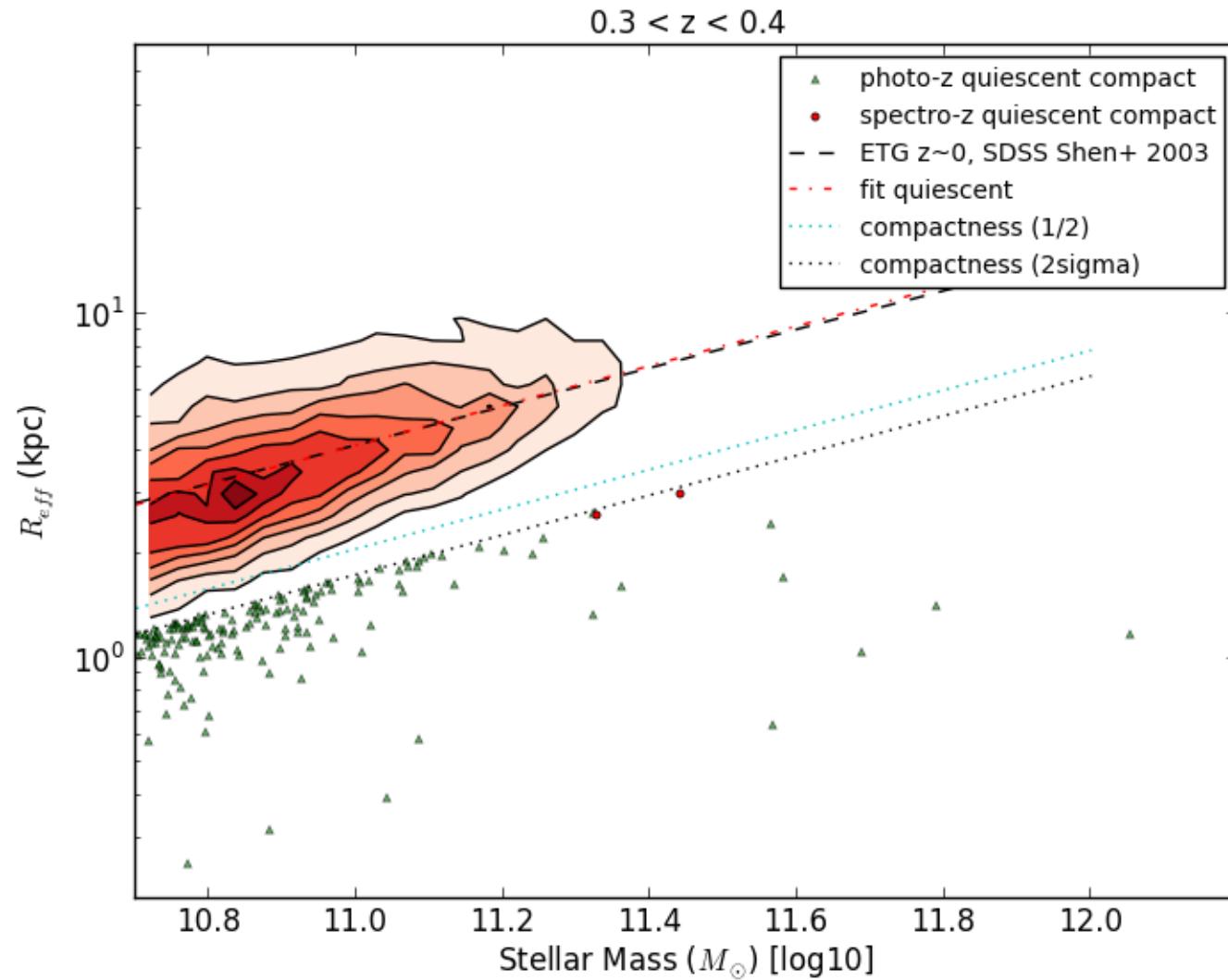
Star/Galaxy separation -II-



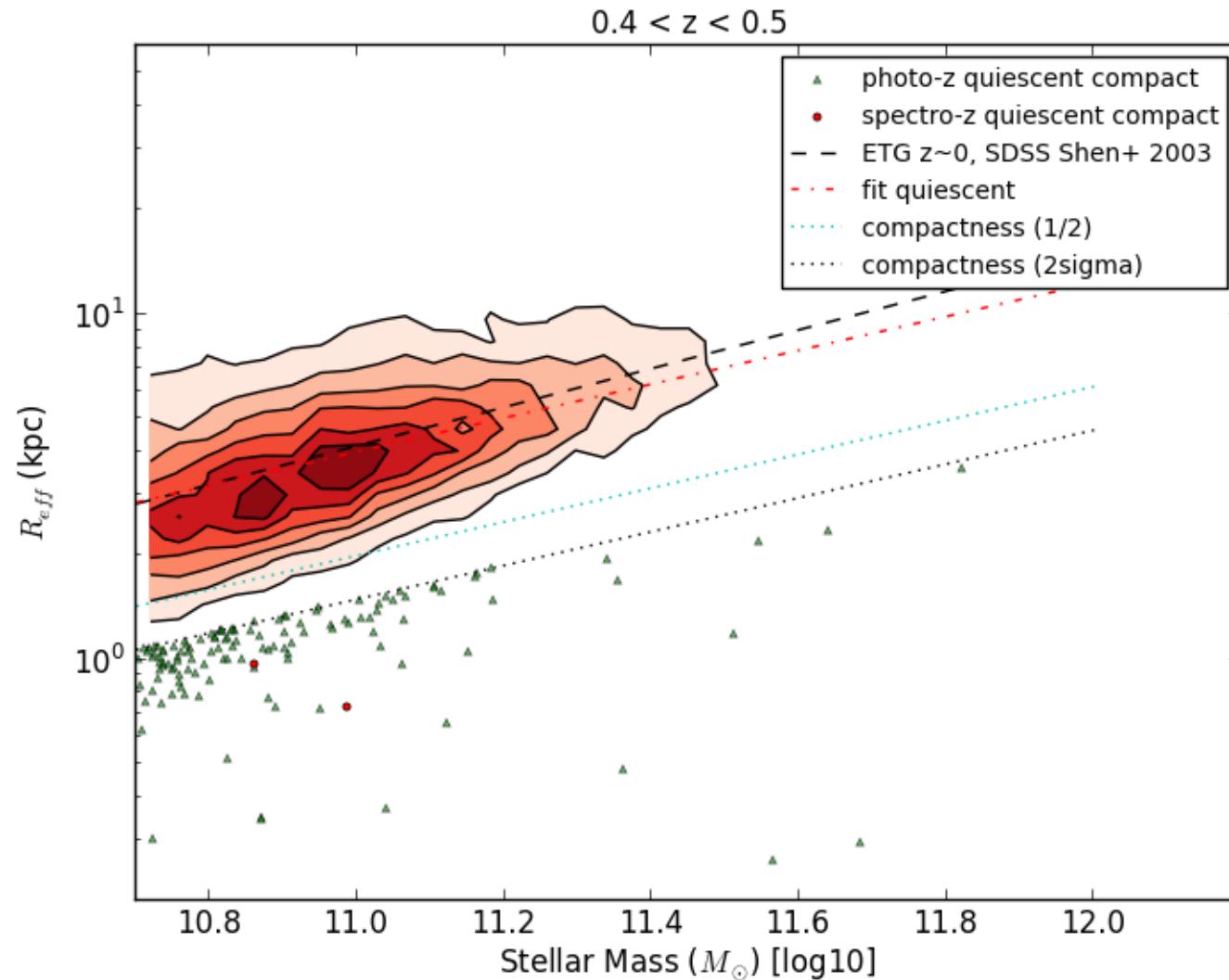
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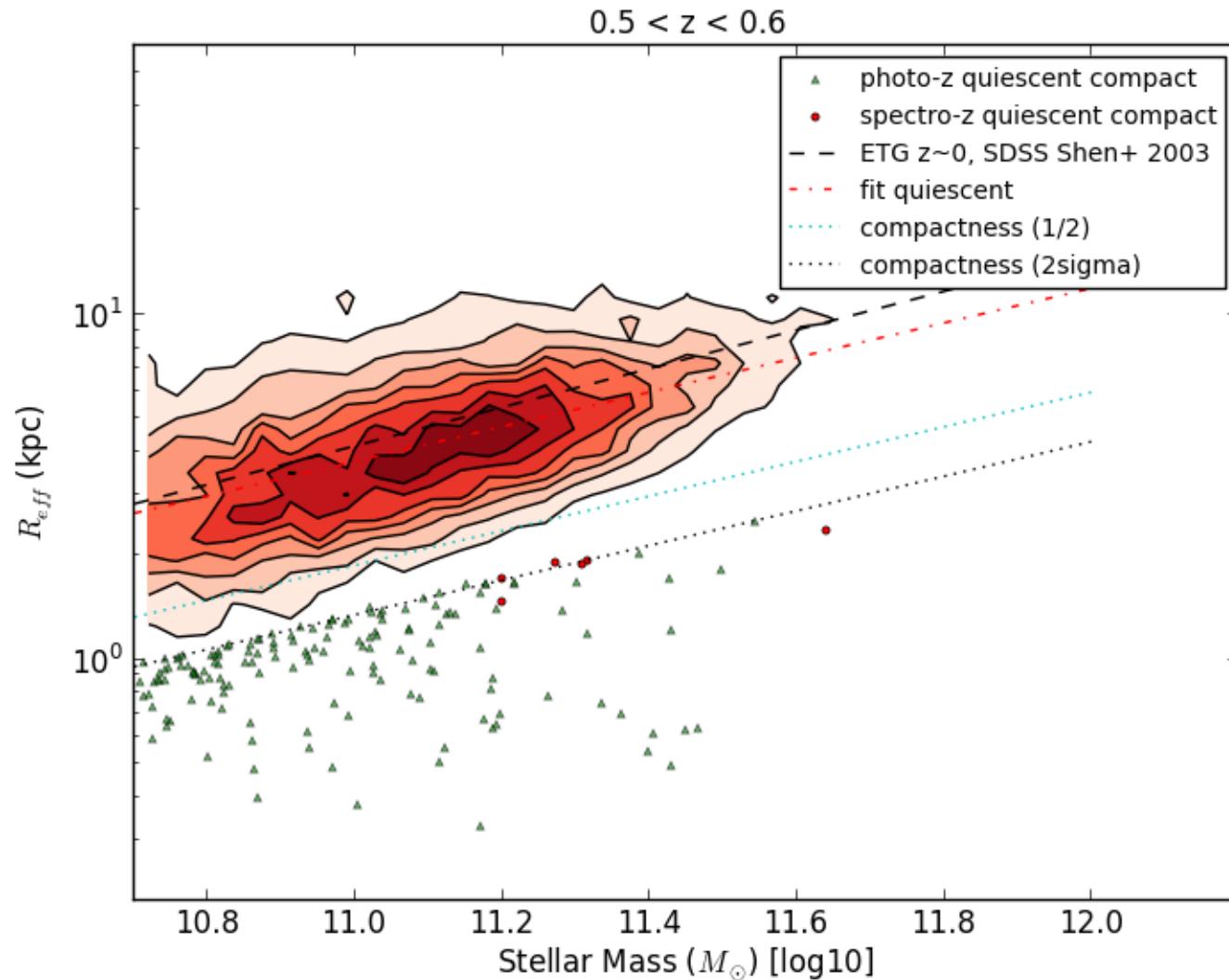
$0.3 < z < 0.4$



$0.4 < z < 0.5$

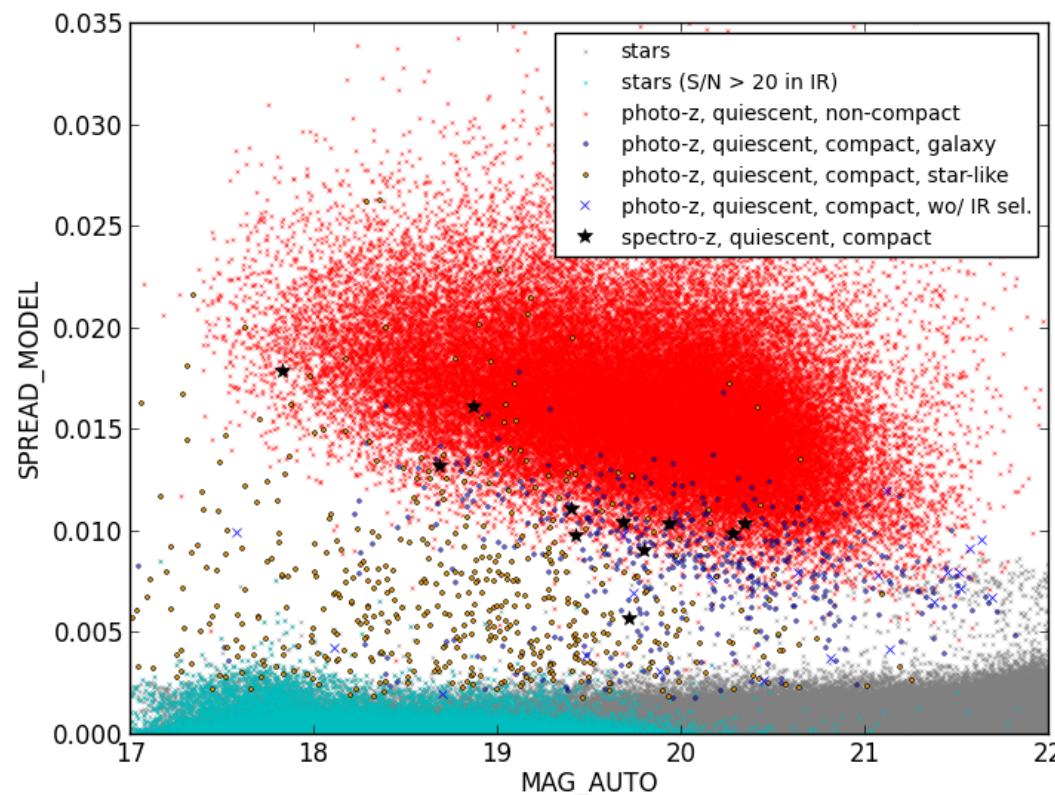


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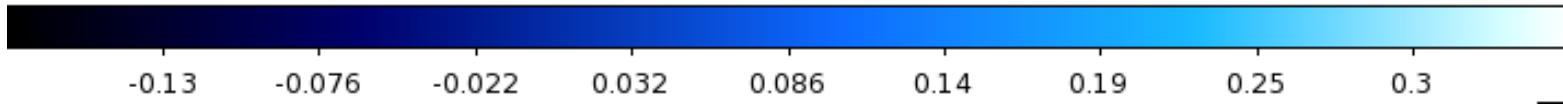
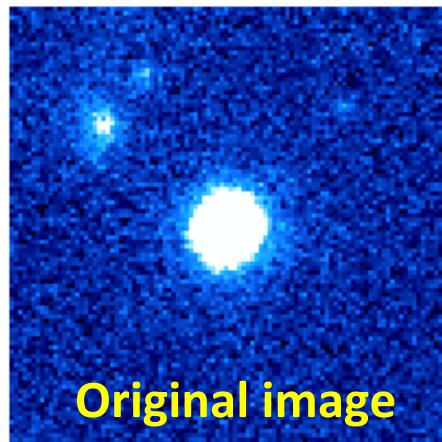
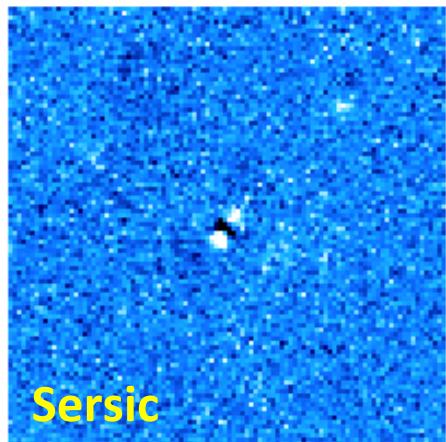
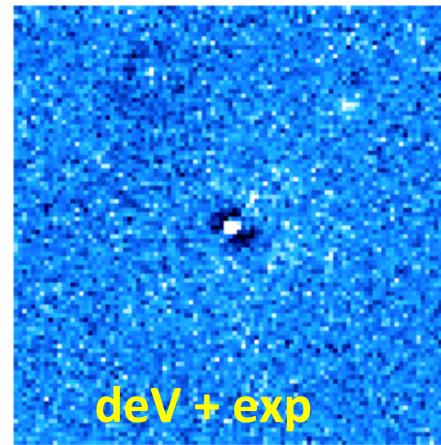
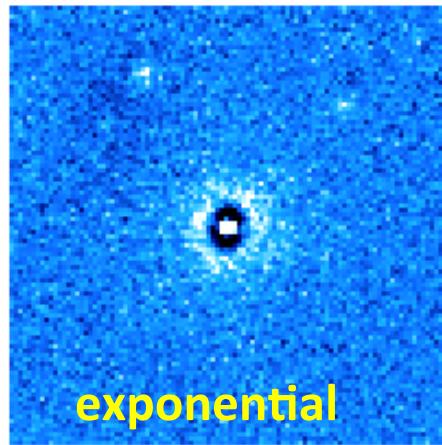
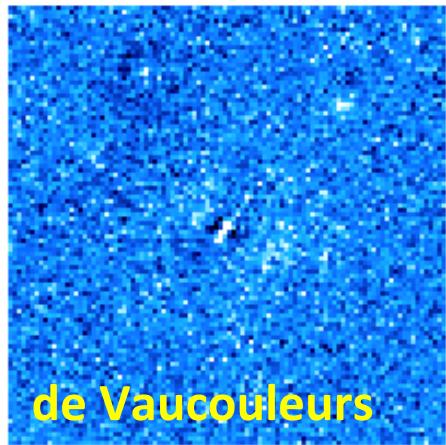


Compact quiescent massive galaxies

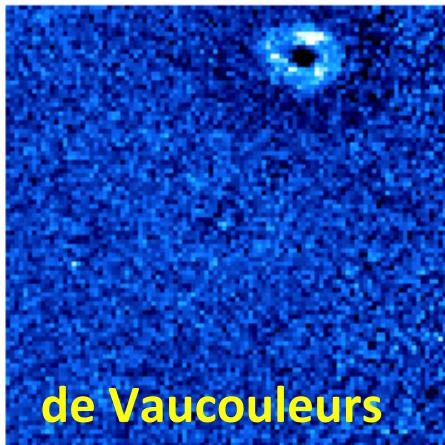
	Spectro-z Sample	Photo-z Sample
Quiescent	6422	51243
Quiescent compact	11	966
Quiescent compact galaxy-like	11	477



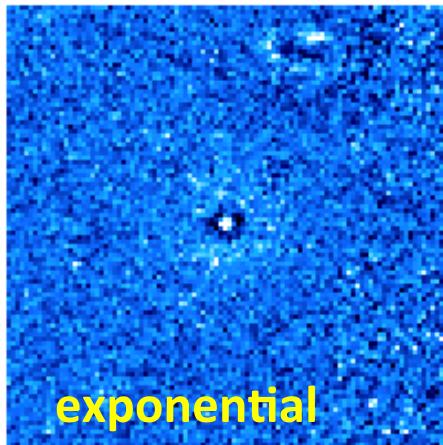
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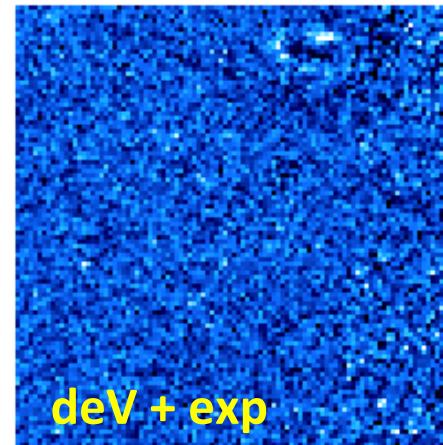
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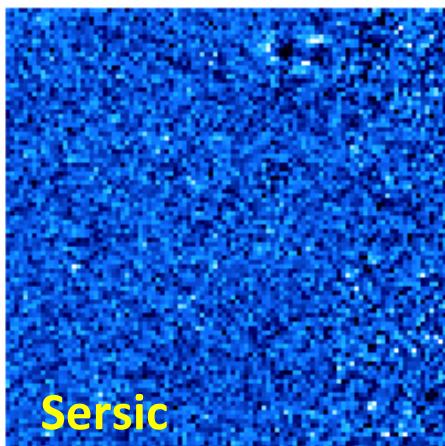
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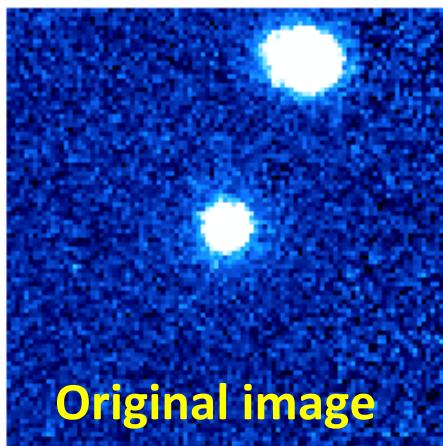
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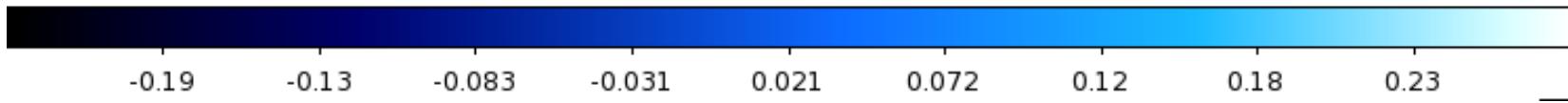
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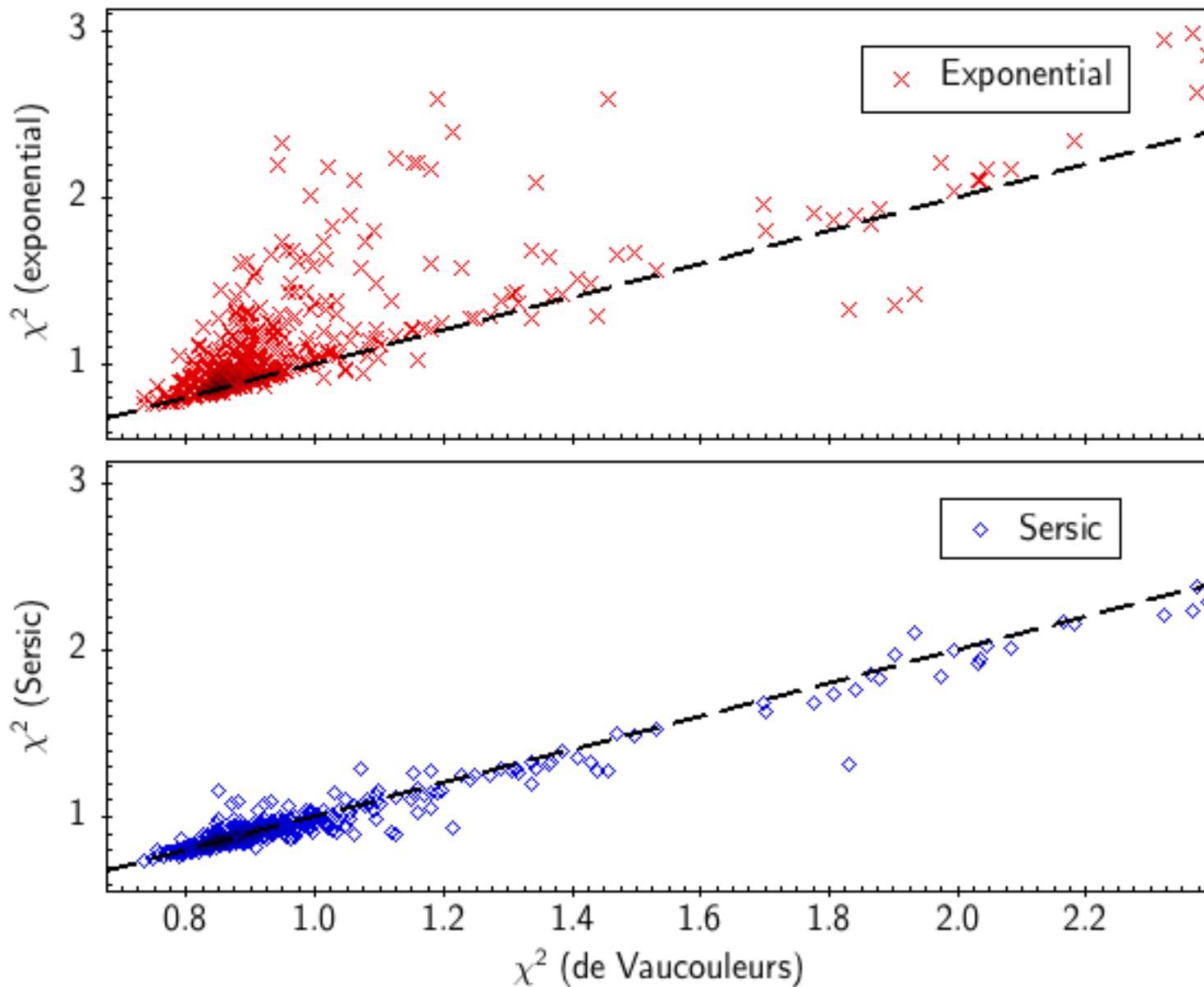
Sersic



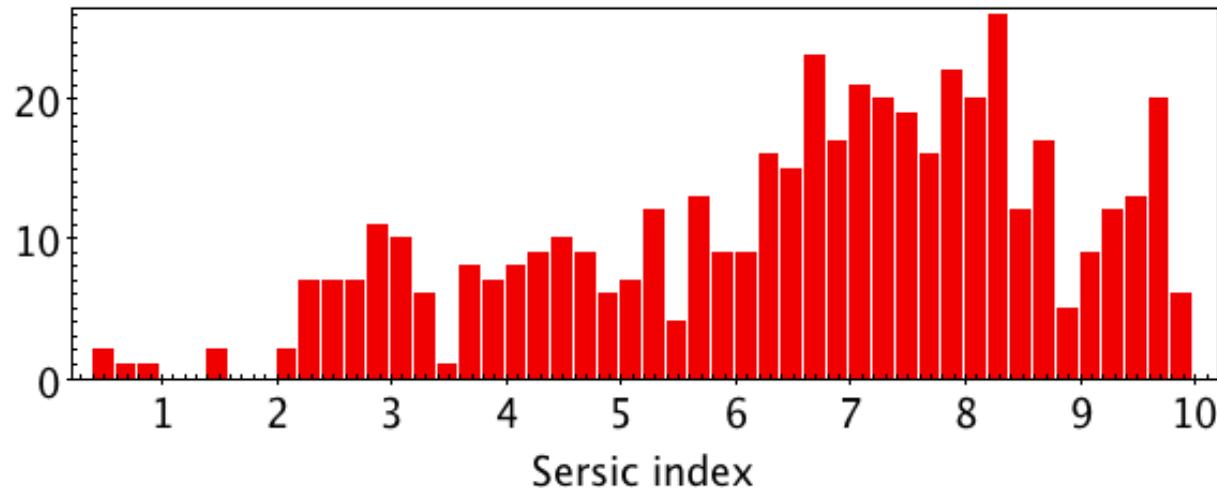
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Exp/deV comparison

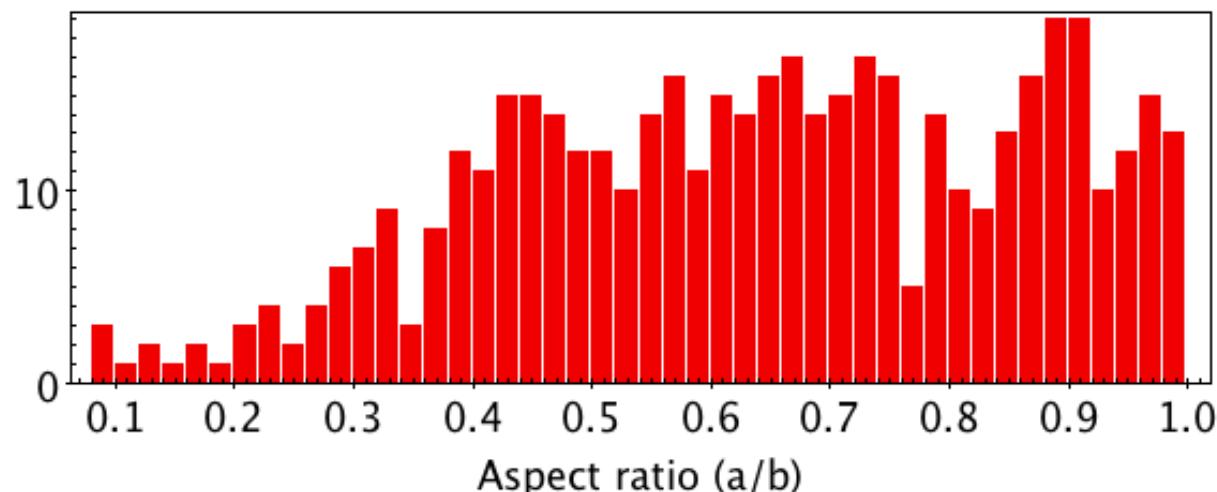


Morphology of C.M.Q. galaxies



Exponential profile is not preferred (χ^2 , residuals)

Sersic/de Vaucouleurs equivalent



Sersic index > 2.5
early-type morphology

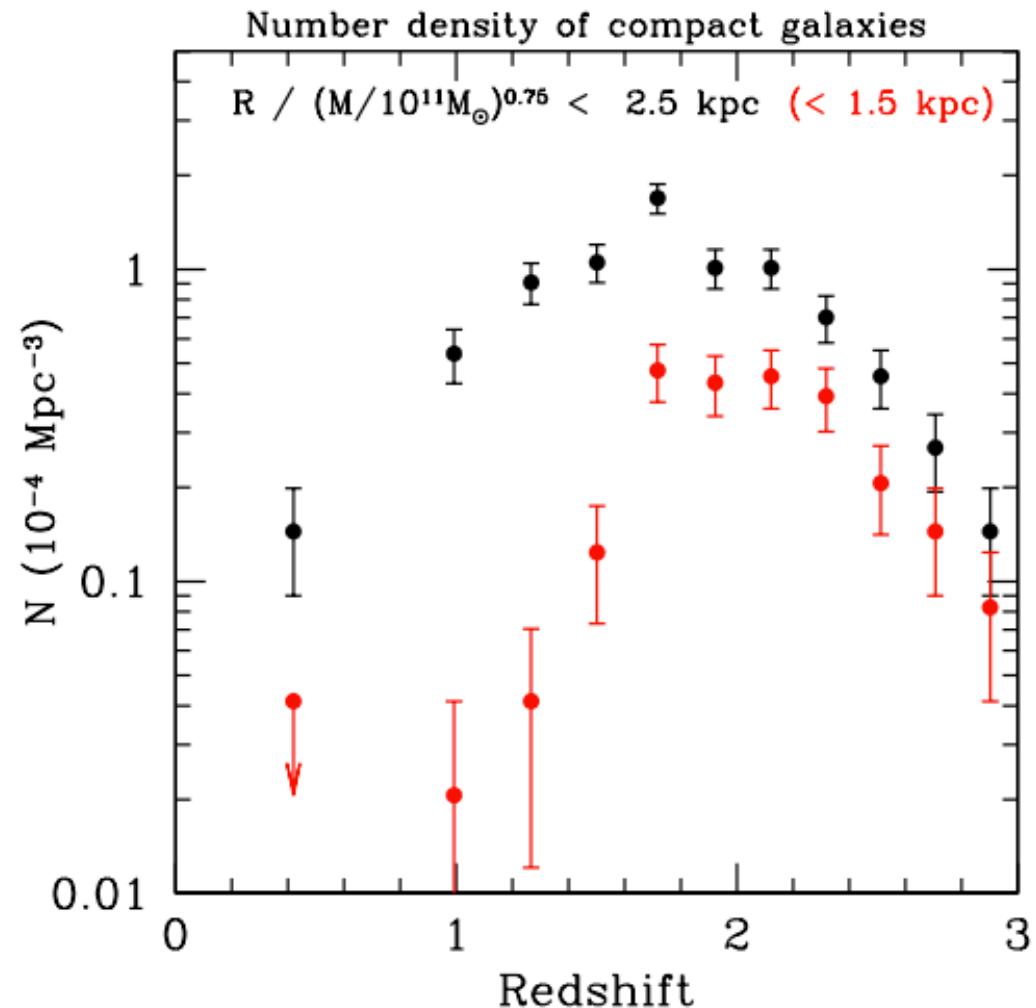
Objects mainly roundish

Density evolution with redshift

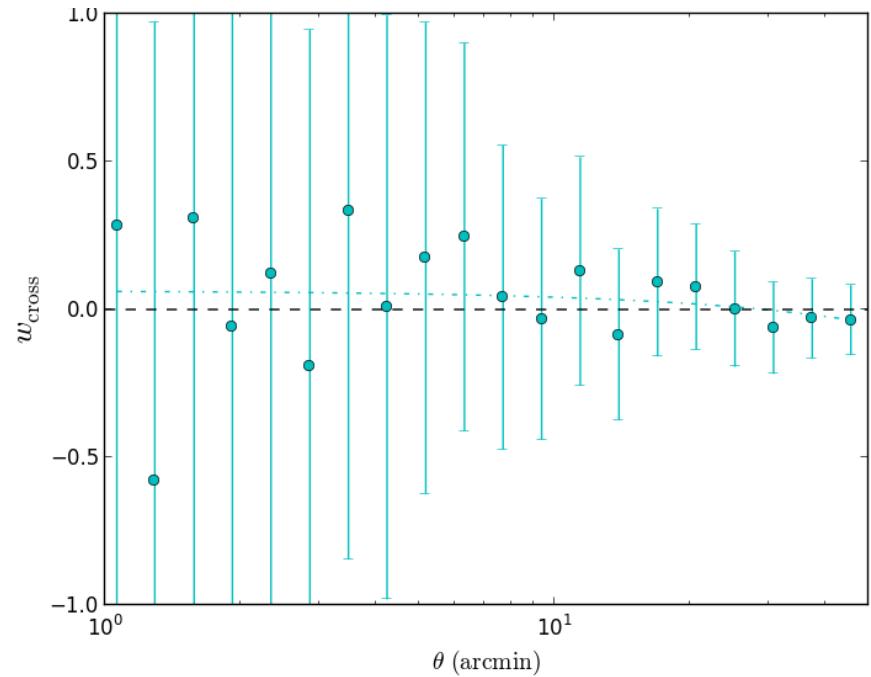
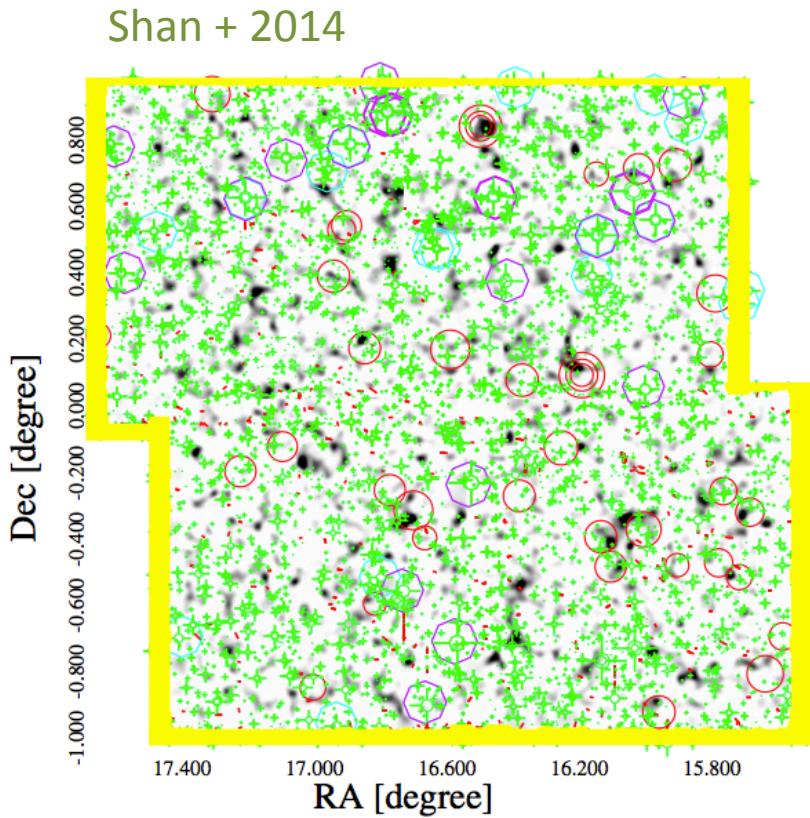
van der Wel+2014

Redshift	10^{-4} Mpc^{-3}
0.2 – 0.3	0.032
0.3 – 0.4	0.061
0.4 – 0.5	0.032
0.5 – 0.6	0.028

- good order of magnitude
- sample not complete



Weak lensing mass map



- Convergence field ($z_m=0.75$)
- Dark matter distribution
- Noisy

→ currently no angular correlation with DM..!

Conclusion & perspectives

CFHT/Stripe-82 survey: exceptional image quality

Looking for massive passive compact galaxies:

$0.2 < z < 0.6$

~500 candidates in the Stripe-82 region

Early type morphology

Environment analyses

Density evolution estimation

Correlation with the Luminous Red Galaxies (LRGs) distribution

Correlation with the cluster distribution

Perspectives

More from N-body simulations

Application of the morphology measurements with SExtractor + PSFEx to the next generation of large surveys (DES, LSST, Euclid, J-PAS)