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(Di Cesare et al., in prep)

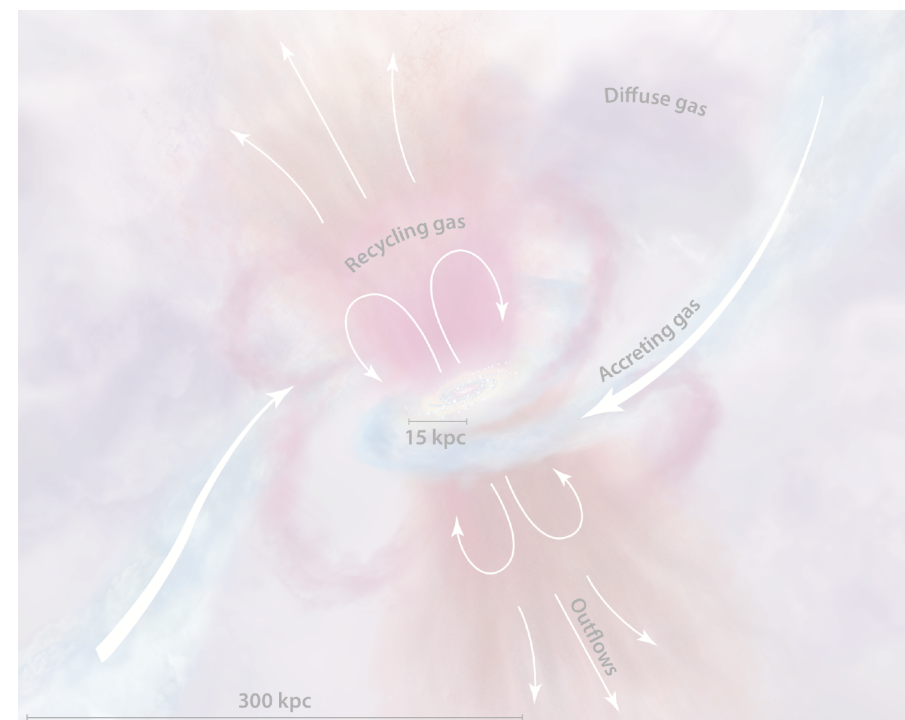
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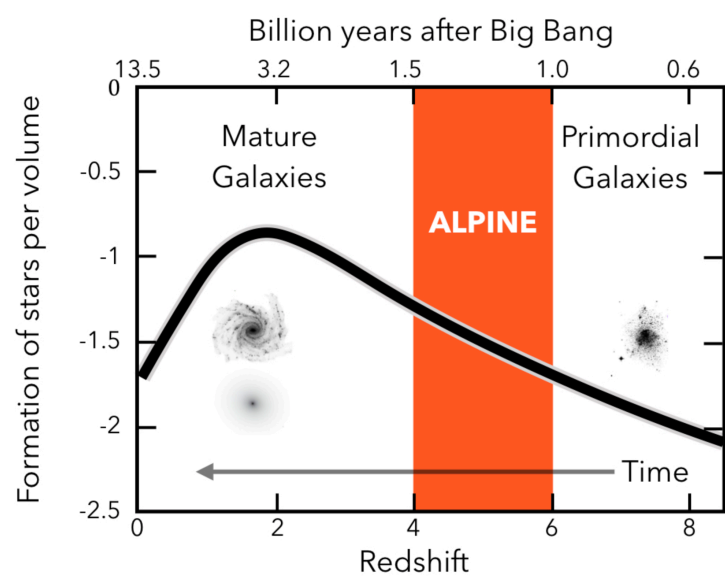


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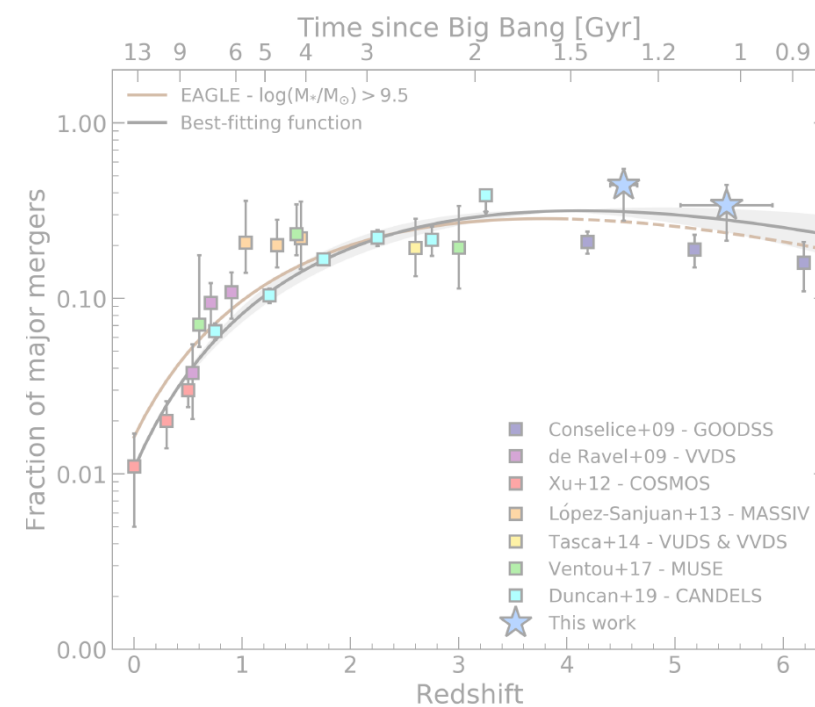
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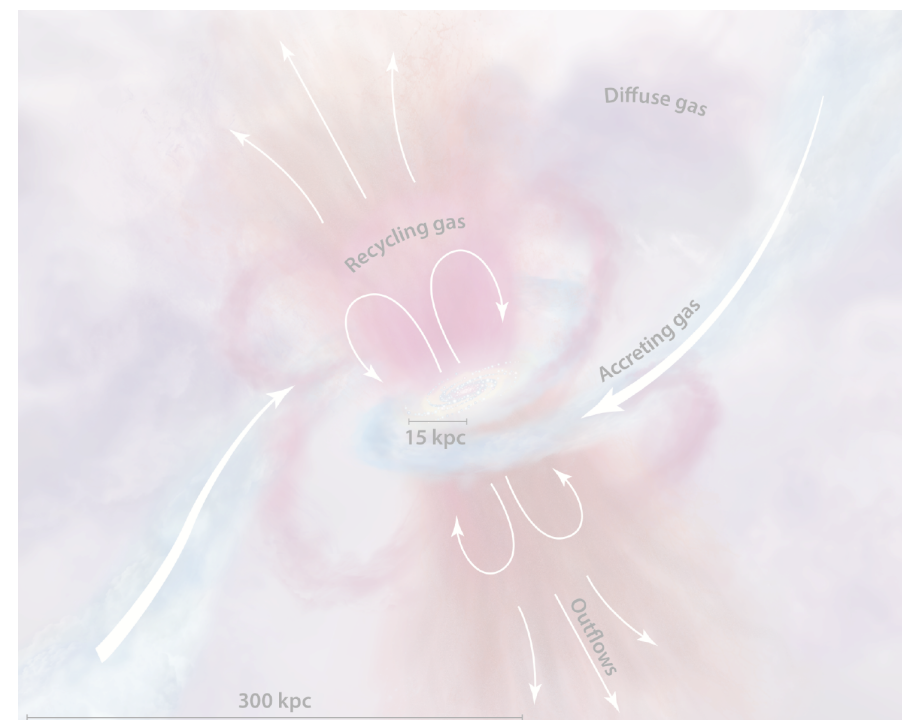
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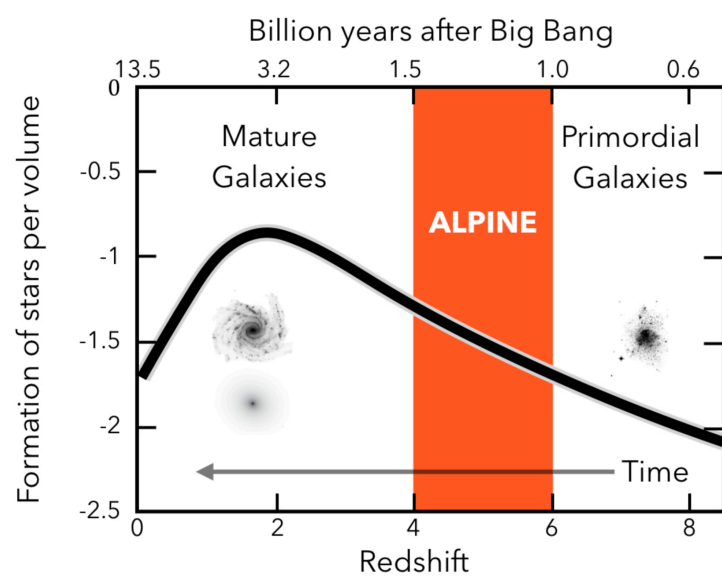


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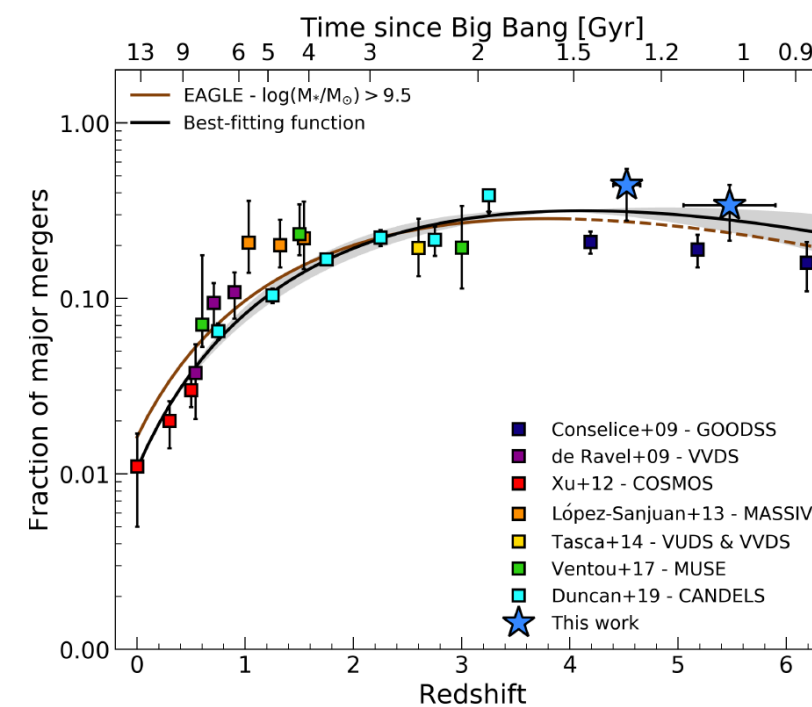
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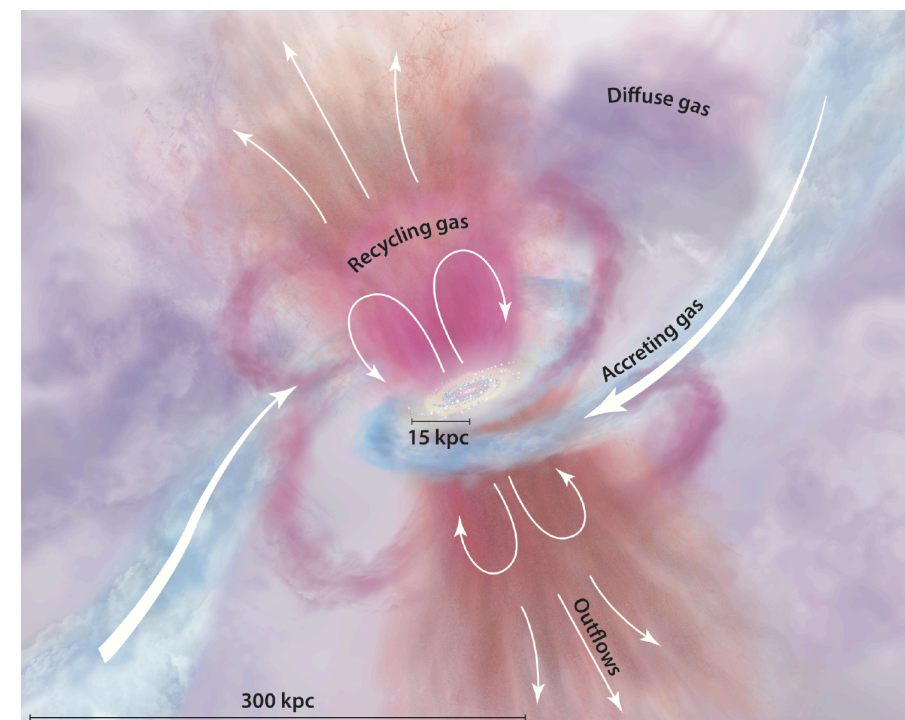
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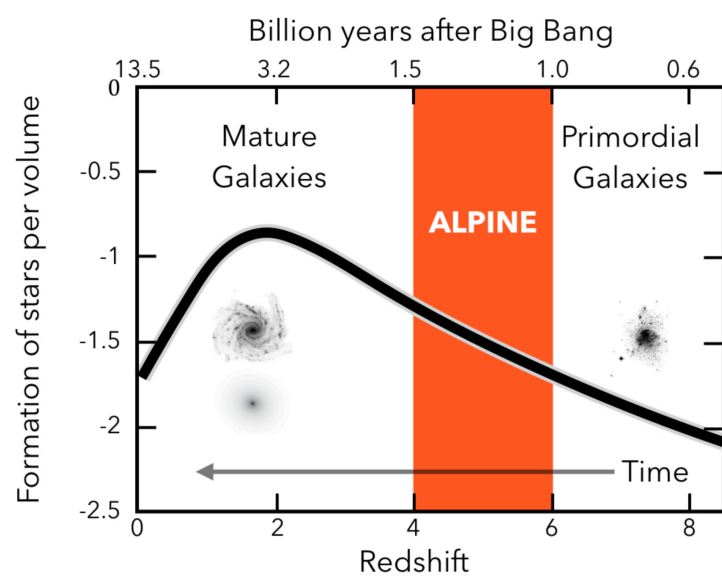


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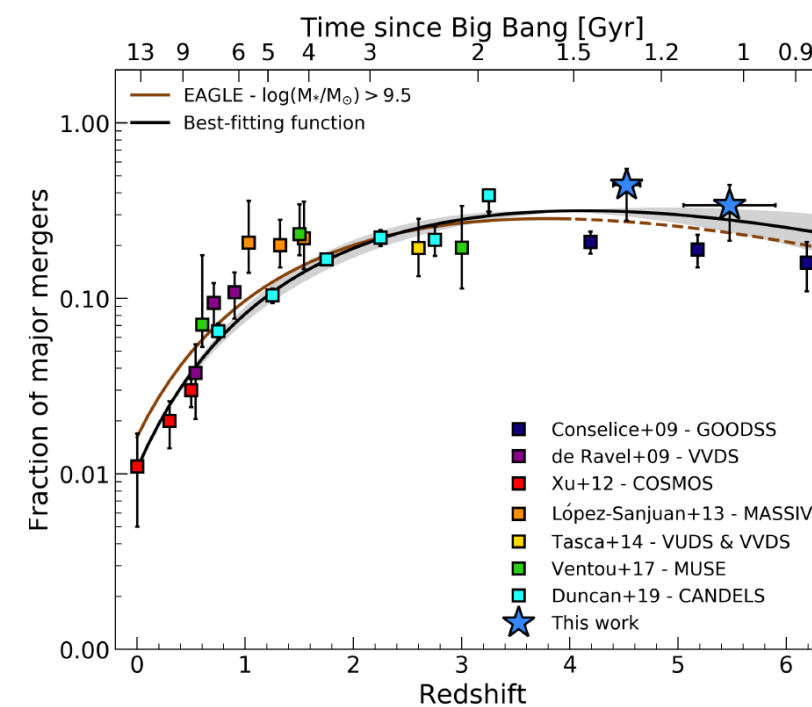
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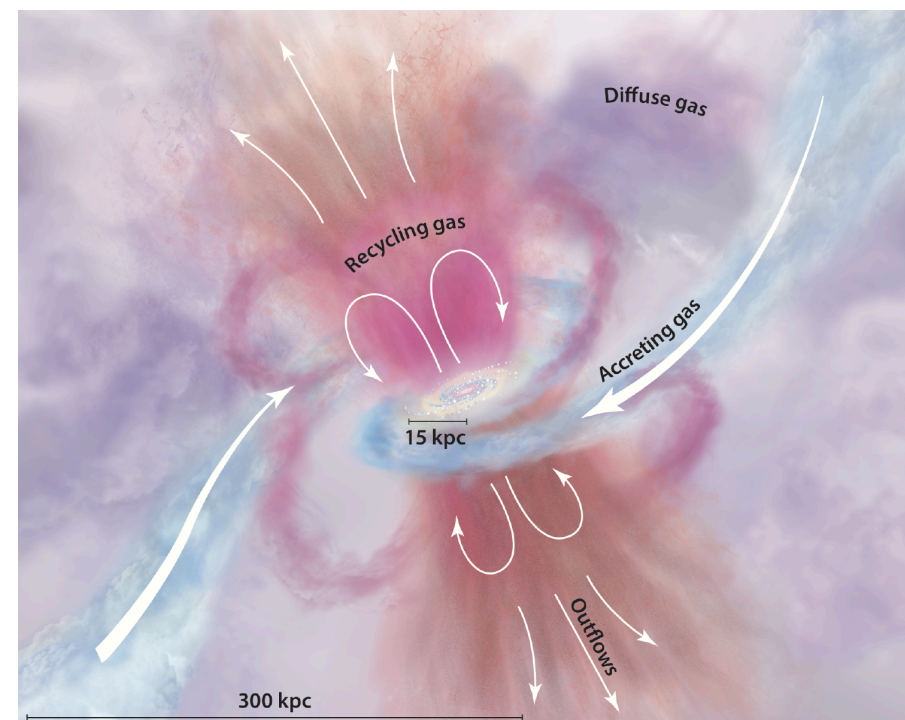
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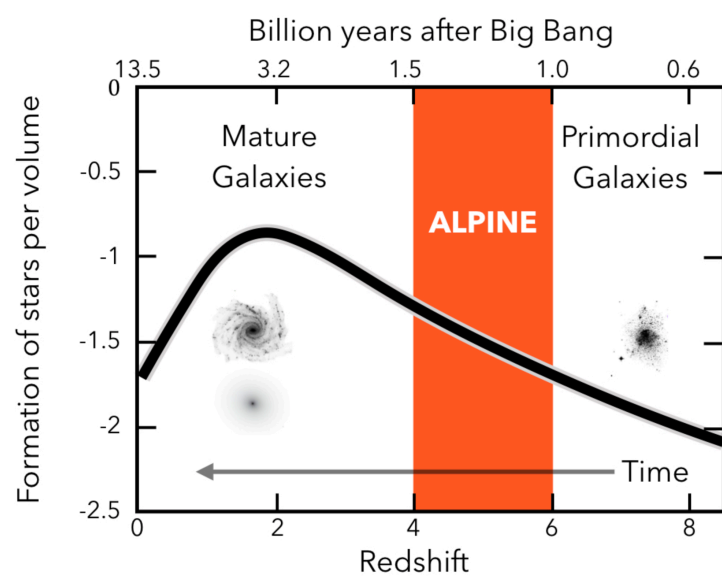


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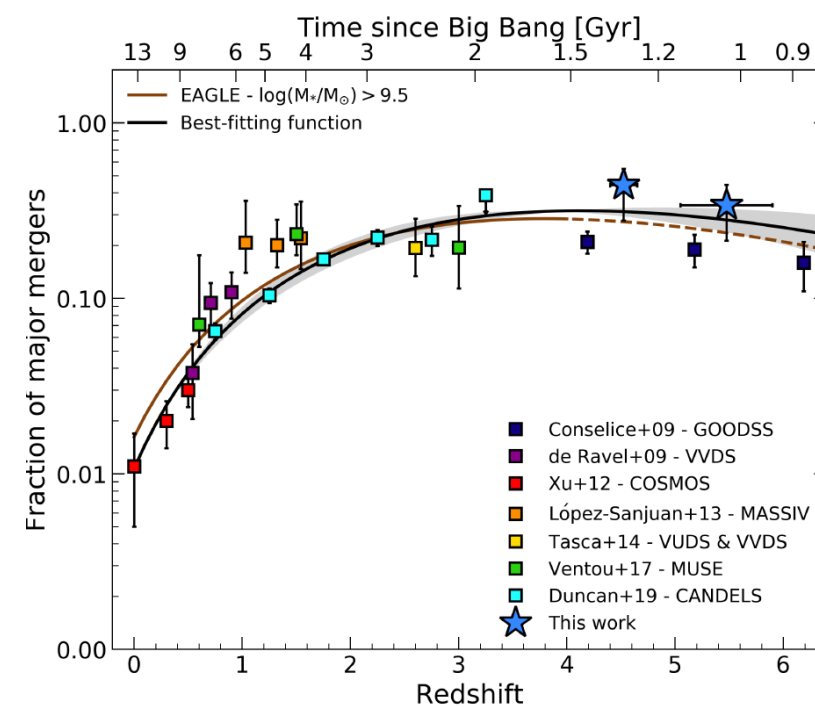
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MAIN MOTIVATIONS :

- * What merging systems tell us about the metal enrichment of their CGM ?
 - * Where does diffuse [CII] emission come from ?



observations :
ALMA survey



cosmological simulations :
dustyGadget

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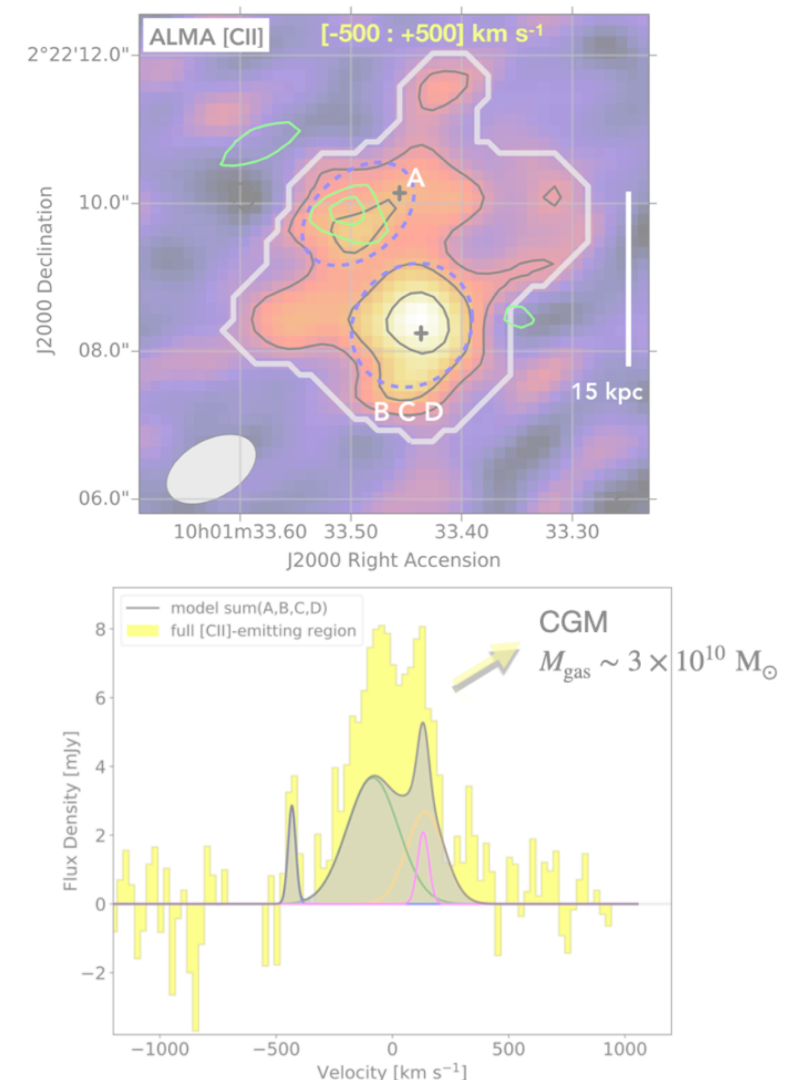
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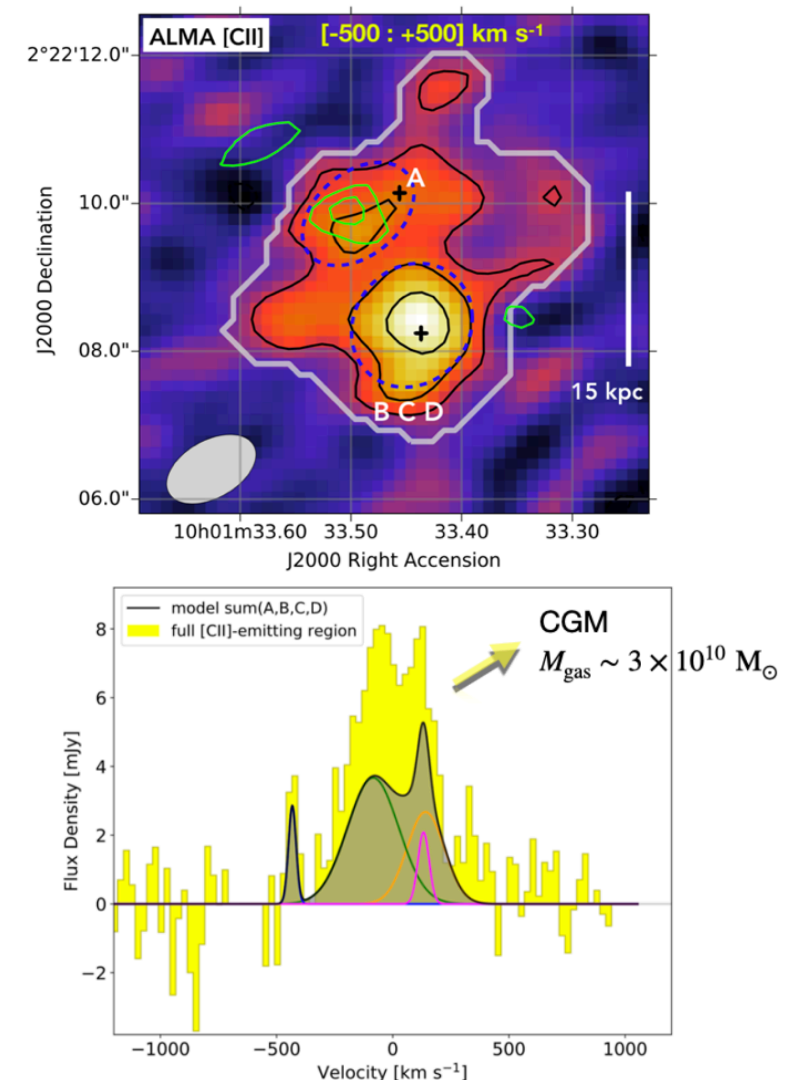
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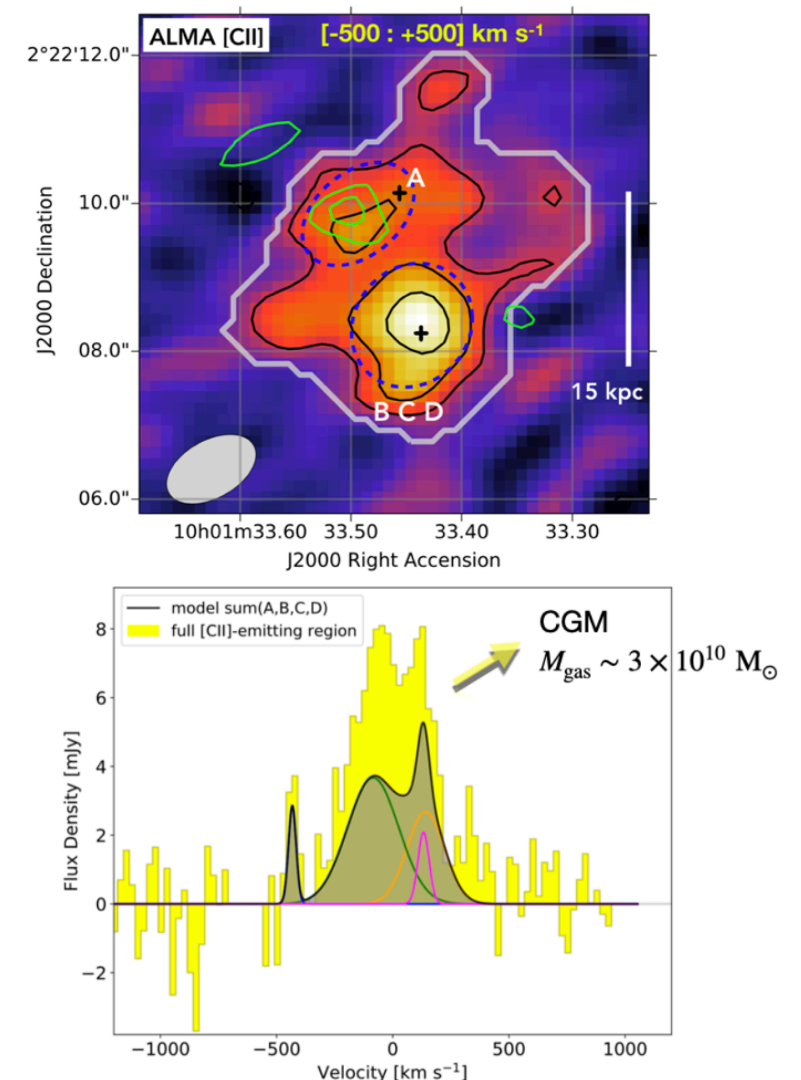
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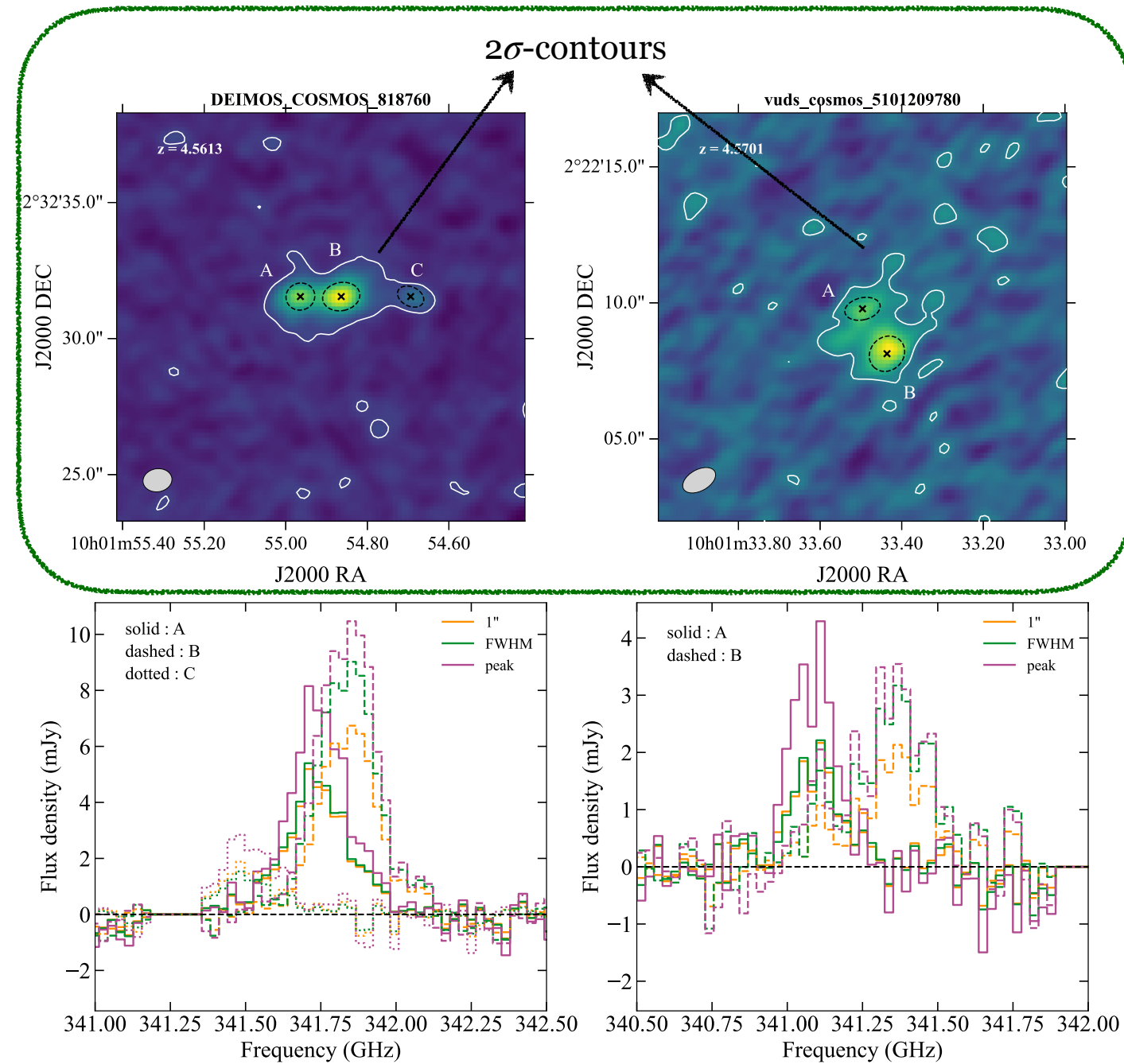
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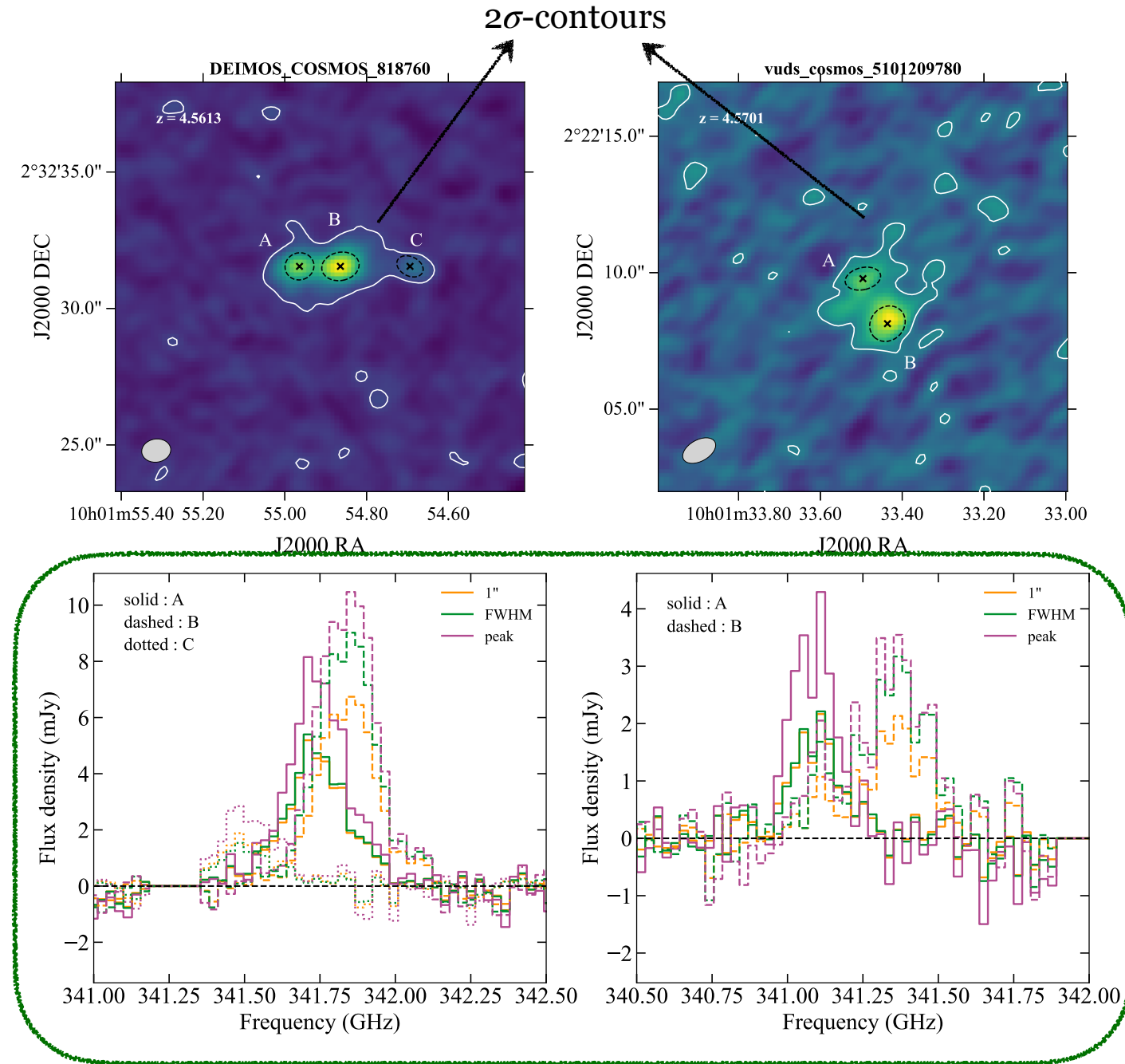
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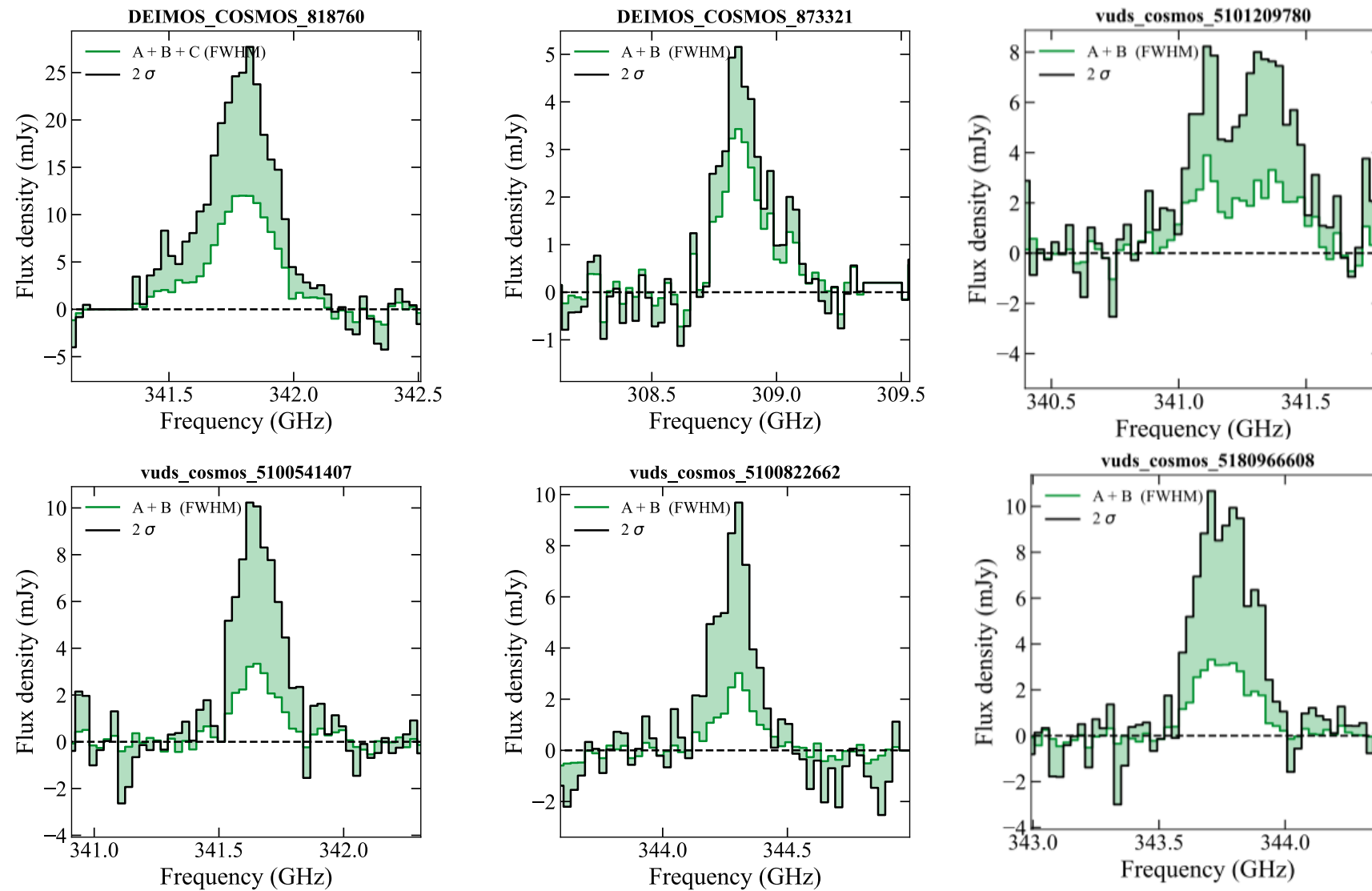
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2.2 [CII] emission for each merging component from different apertures

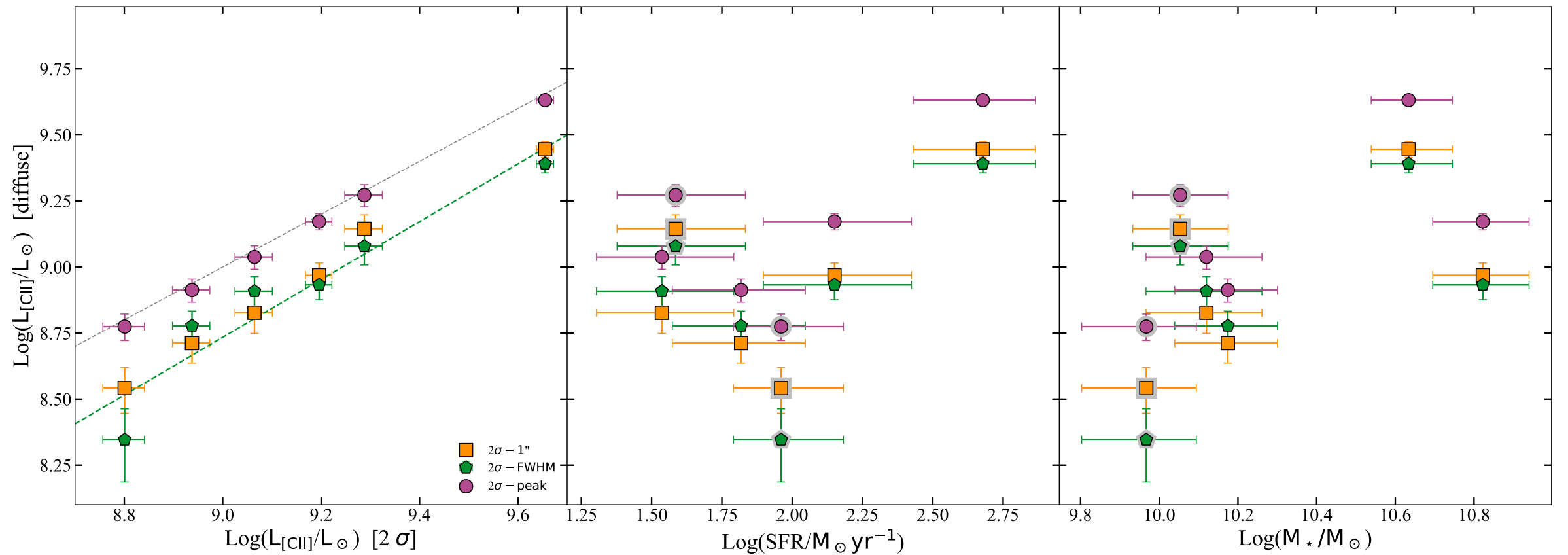
sum of components emission from optimal apertures



qualitatively : [CII] emission coming from the diffuse medium

more *quantitative* analysis

**[CII] emission from
the diffuse medium**



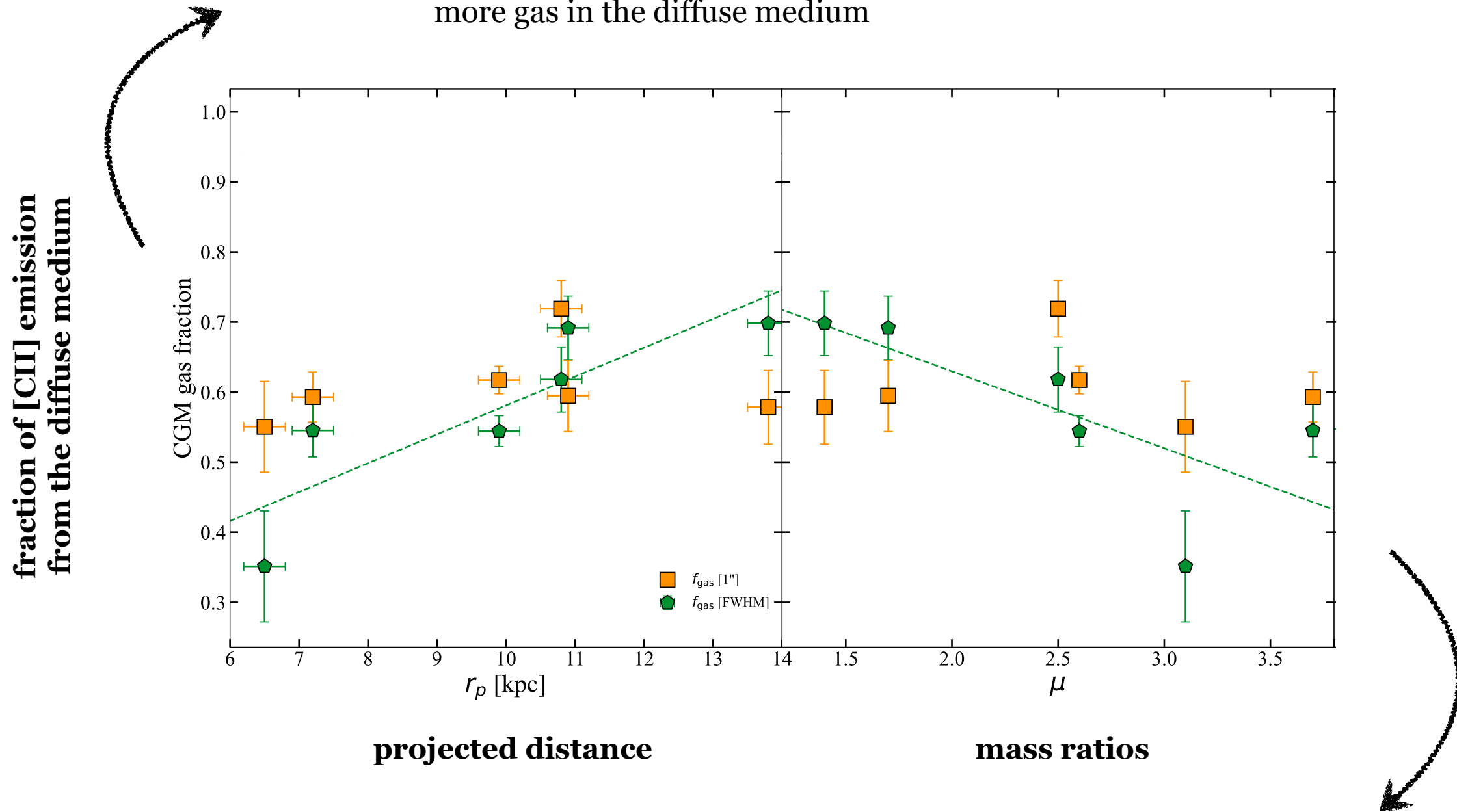
outflows ?

**satellites ?
dynamical interaction ?**

more *quantitative* analysis

i) 35%-70% emission coming from the diffuse medium

ii) the higher the distance the higher the CGM gas fraction :
more gas in the diffuse medium



iii) lower μ (major merger) results in a more efficient stripping
leading to a more polluted CGM

why do we want to compare these observations with **simulations ?**

- 1.** time evolution of the merging systems
- 2.** CGM emitting? or satellites galaxies we can't observe (resolution)?

SIMULATIONS

dustyGadget (Graziani+2020)

[extension of Gadget-2 Springel+2005]

WHAT DOES **dustyGadget** DO?

- i) SPH hydrodynamical simulations with PopIII/PopII stellar populations
- ii) chemical evolution of the gas [Tornatore+2007]
- iii) dust production and evolution in the ISM (cold and hot phases)

the code follows the spreading of **grains and atomic metals**
through galactic winds at the scales of CGM and IGM

Λ CDM cosmology (Planck 2015)

box size : 50 cMpc/h

$$m_{\text{DM}} = 3.53 \times 10^7 M_{\odot}/h$$

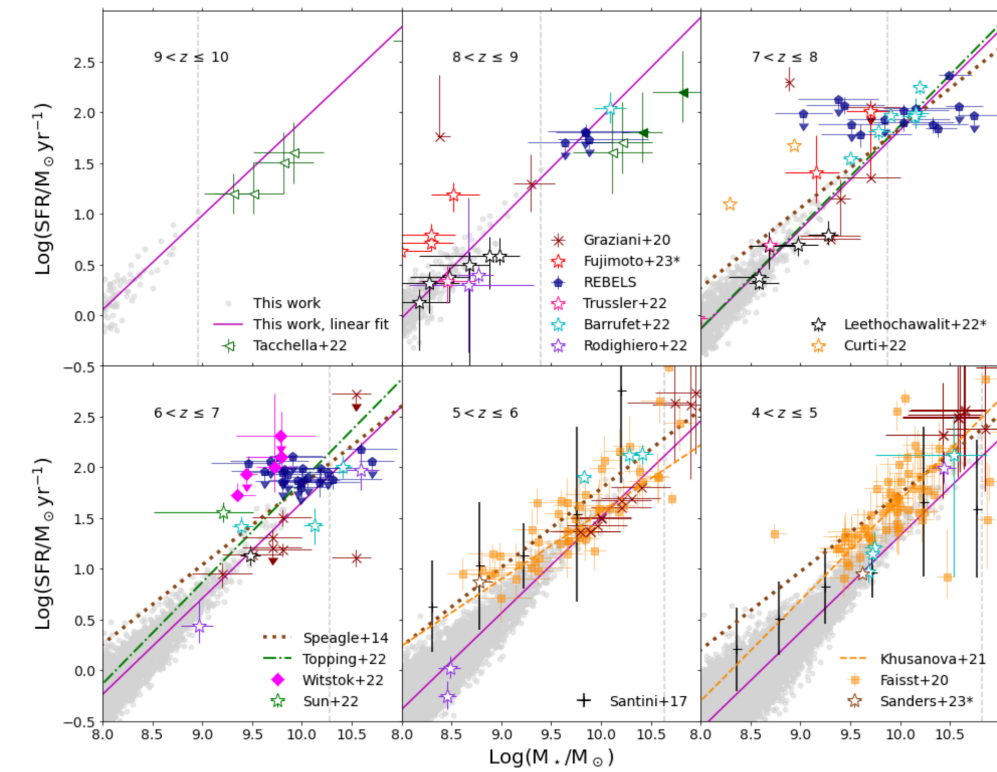
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N. of cubes : 8

statistical study on high-z galaxies

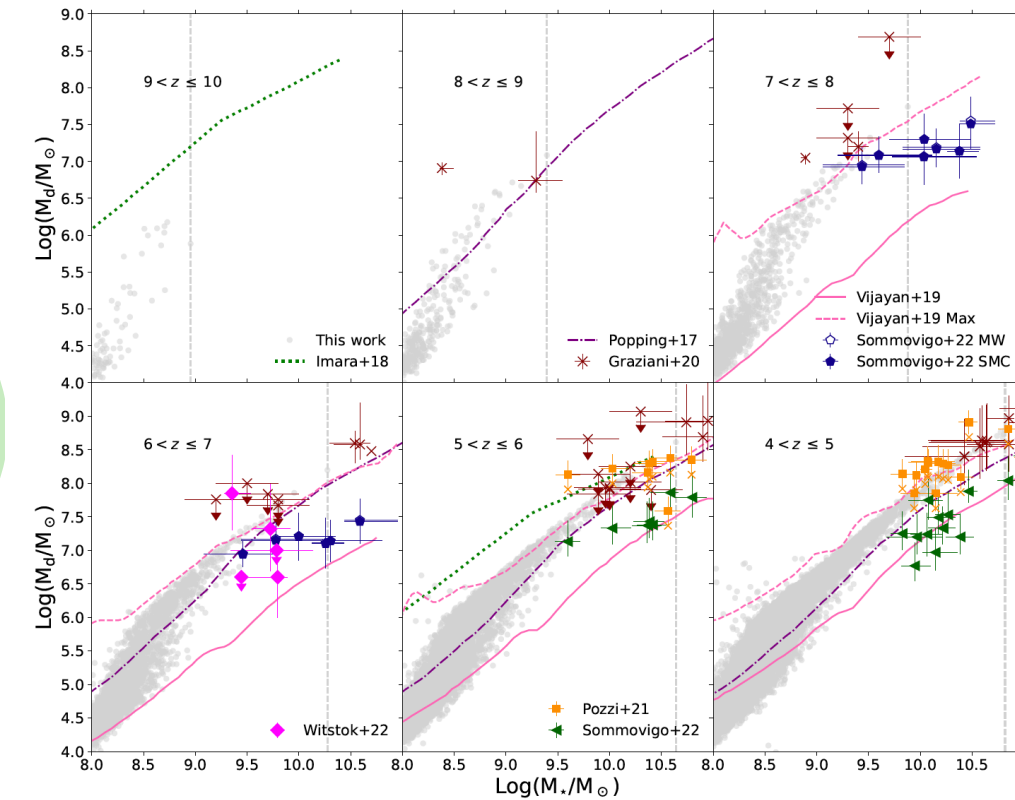
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MAIN SEQUENCE OF GALAXY FORMATION



dustyGadget predictions are in global agreement with high redshift available data

DUST MASS STELLAR MASS RELATION



now!

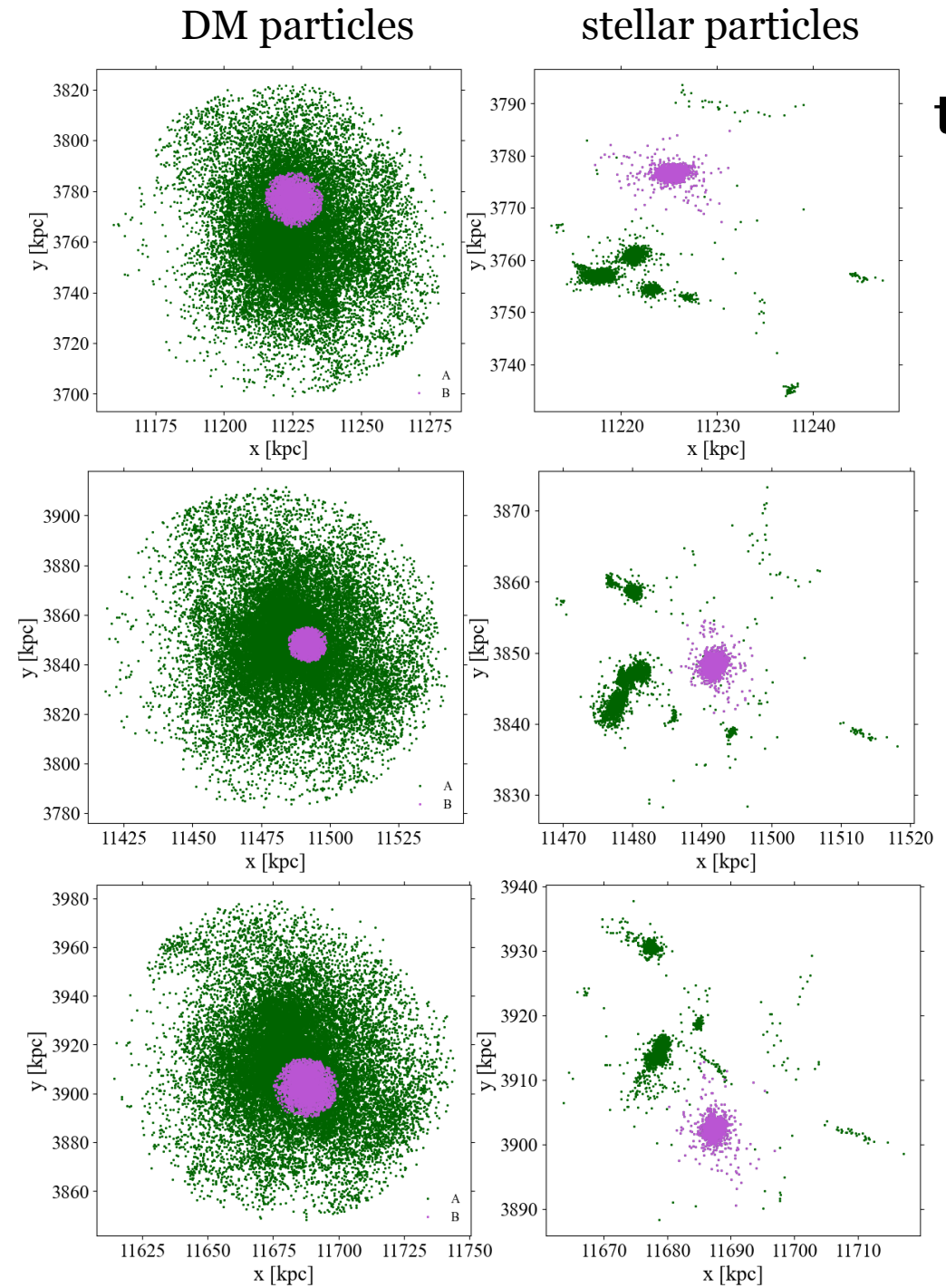
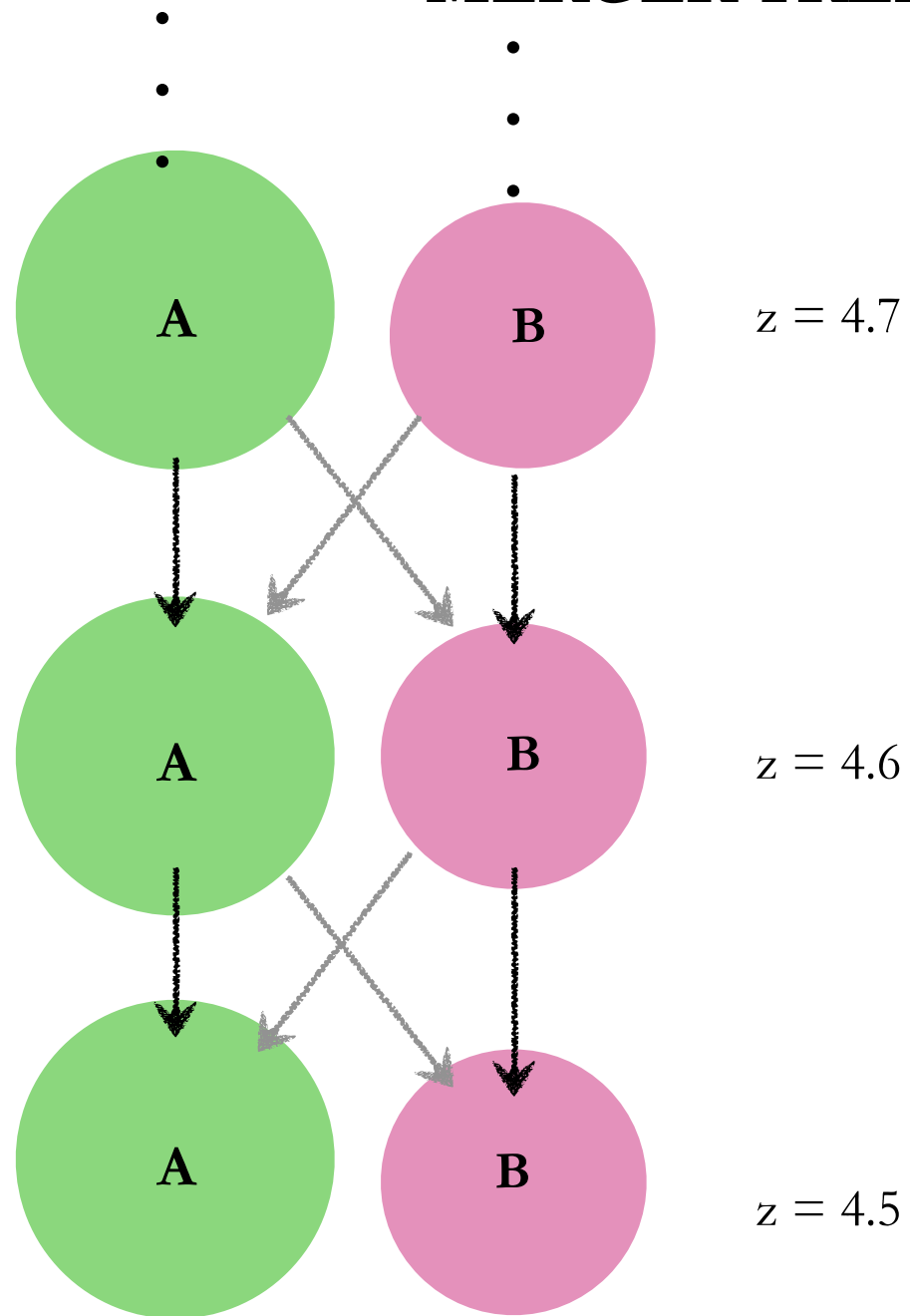
looking for MAJOR MERGING SYSTEMS in dustyGadget

1. observed redshift range
2. cut on the stellar masses ($\text{Log}(M_{\star}/M_{\odot}) \geq 10$)
3. mass ratios comparable with observations

sample of 10 galaxies at $z \sim 4.5$

MERGER TREE RECONSTRUCTION

where
we started



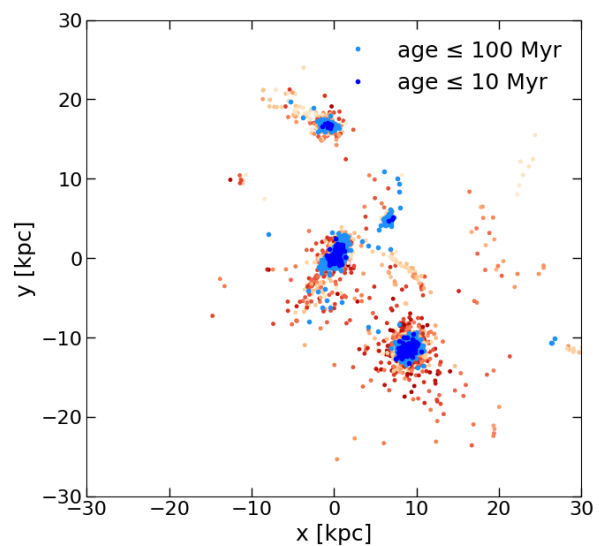
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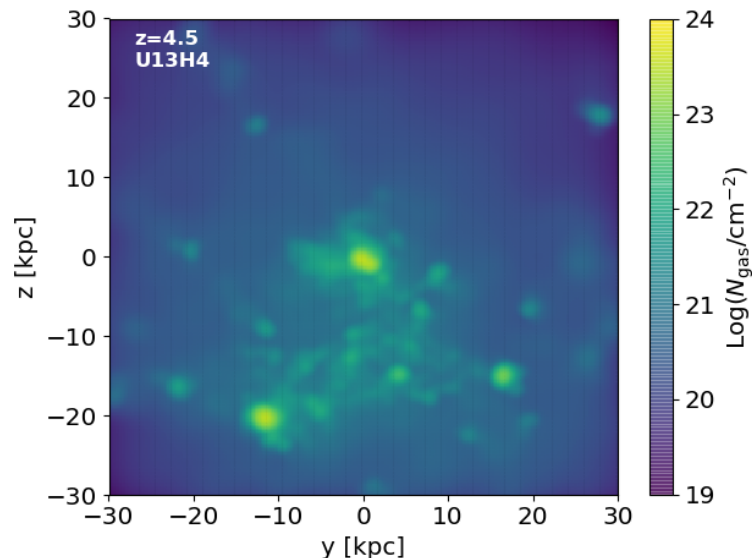
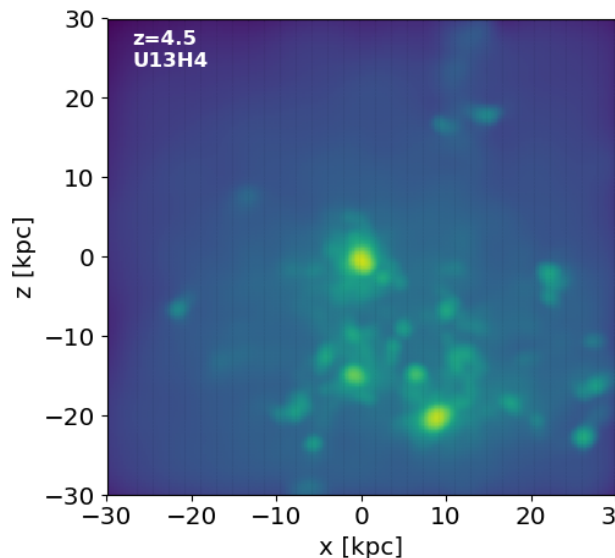
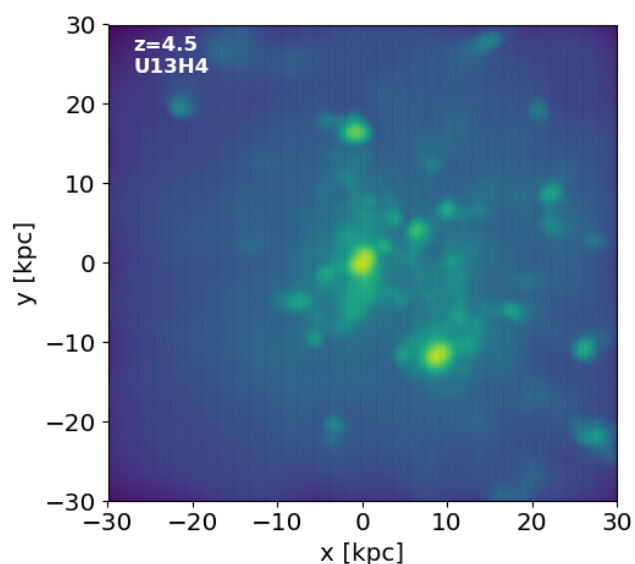
i) merger happens before in DM than
baryonic matter

ii) satellites in baryonic matter

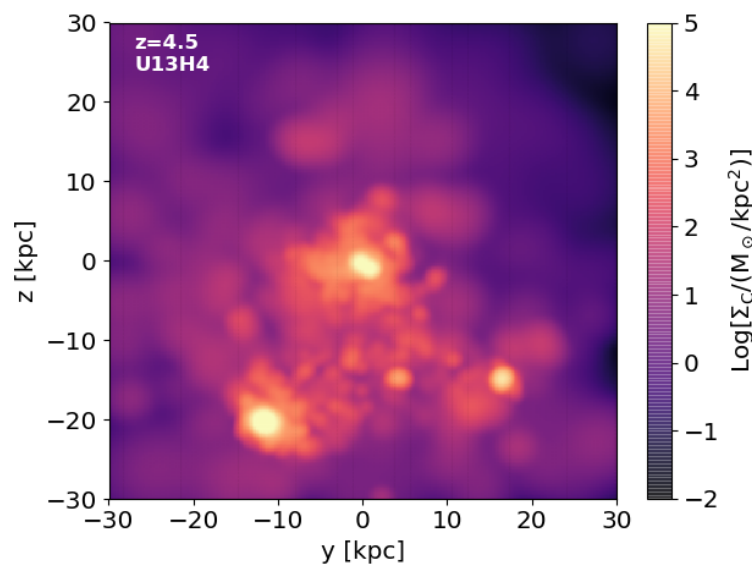
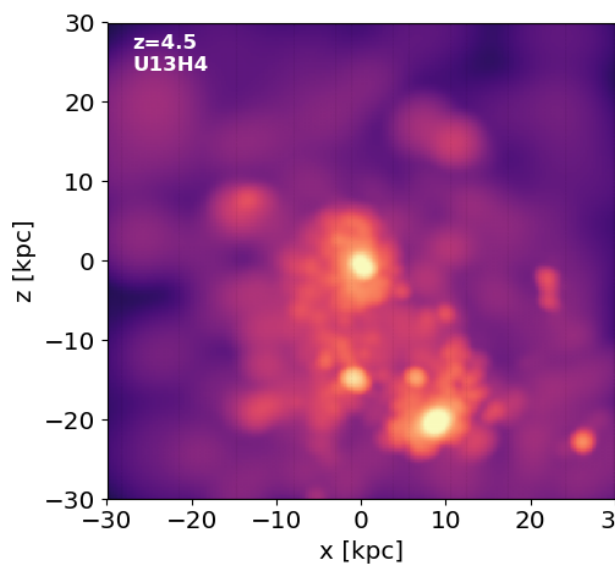
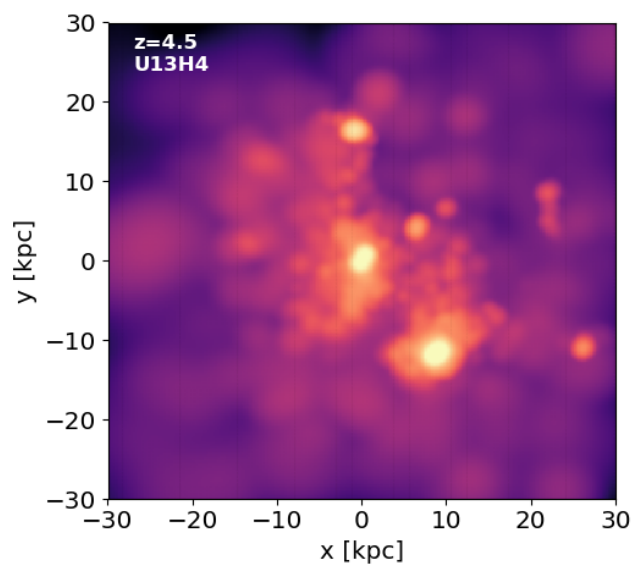
stellar particles



gas column
density



C surface
density



$z = 4.5$

PRELIMINARY

preliminary CONCLUSIONS :

- diffuse [CII] emission from a sample of 6 interacting galaxies
- 35%-70% emission is coming from the medium *between* the galaxies
- tentative trends between the diffuse emission, physical properties ($L_{[\text{CII}]}$; M_{\star} ; SFR) and the relative properties (r_p ; μ) of analysed systems
- merger tree reconstructions with dustyGadget
- predictions from simulations to interpret the observations

Thanks for your attention!

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