

# Galactic Scale Outflows in MaNGA Survey

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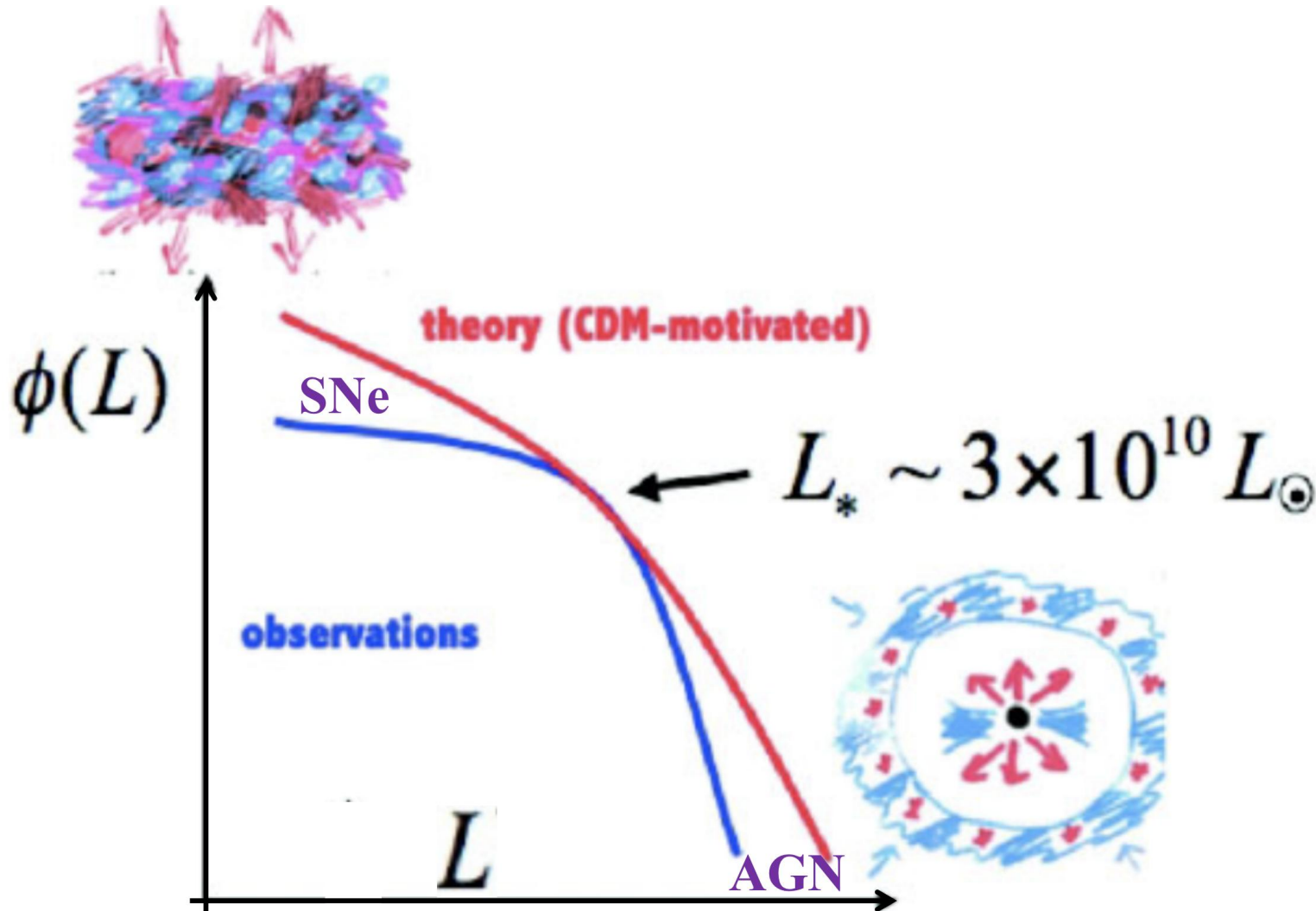
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# Outline

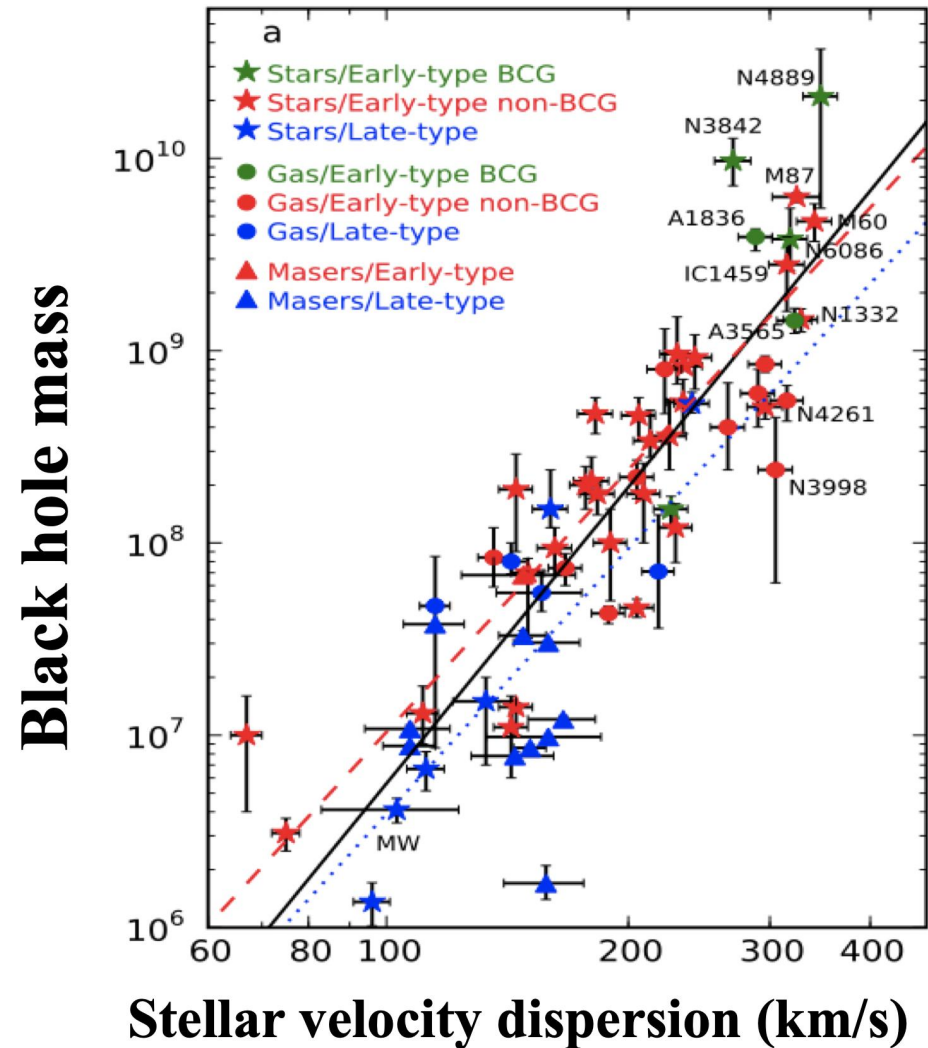
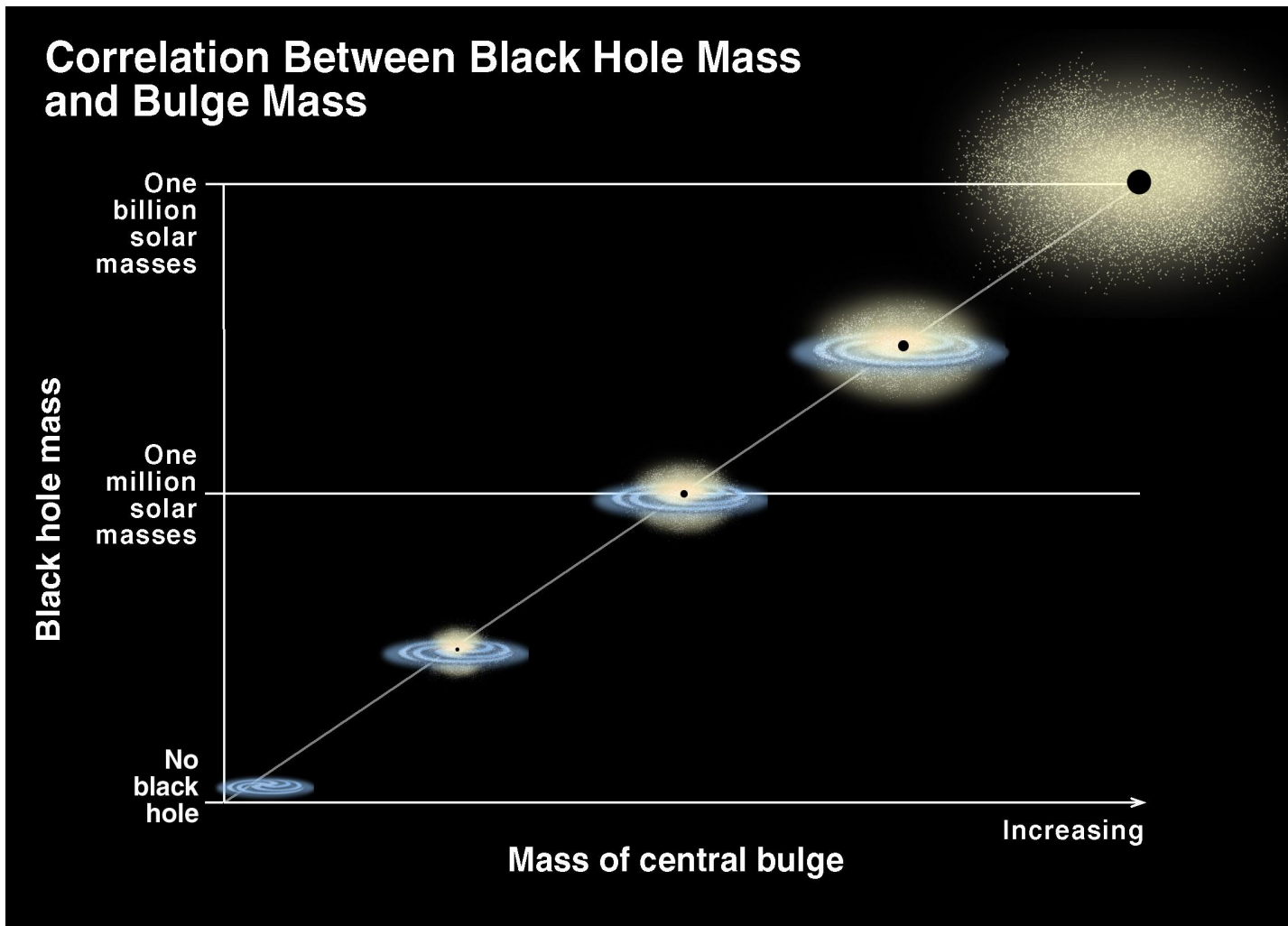
- ✓ Background
- ✓ Sample selection
- ✓ Morphologies of outflows
- ✓ Primary driven mechanisms of the outflows
- ✓ Detailed gas kinematic studies of one/two galaxies with galactic scale outflows

# Background: Why we need feedback?

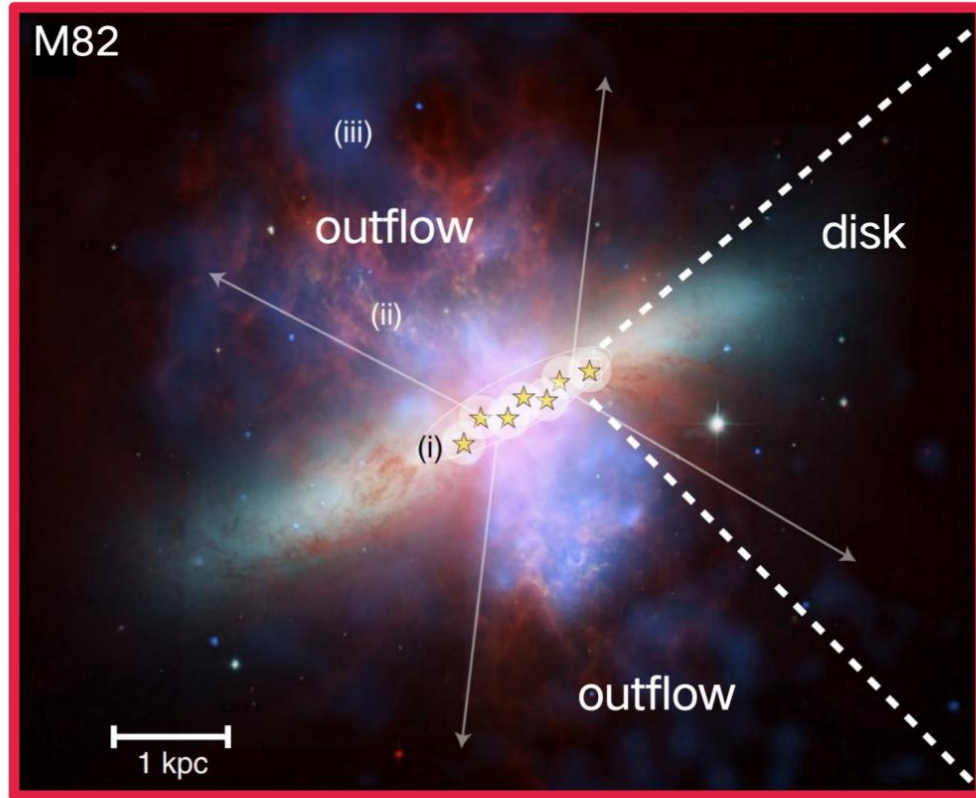


Inconsistency between the observed galaxy luminosity function and  $\Lambda$ CDM theoretical prediction requires incorporating feedback

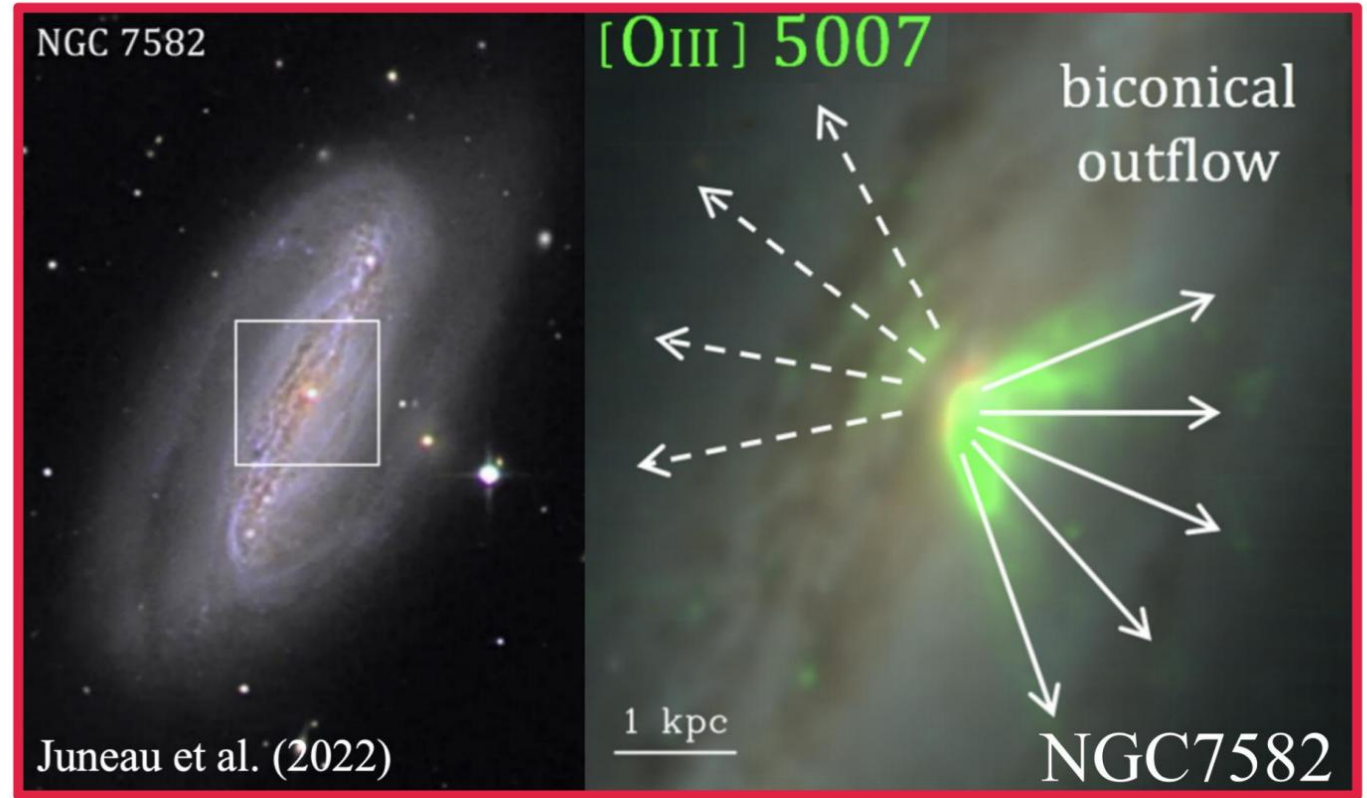
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# Background: Outflow observations

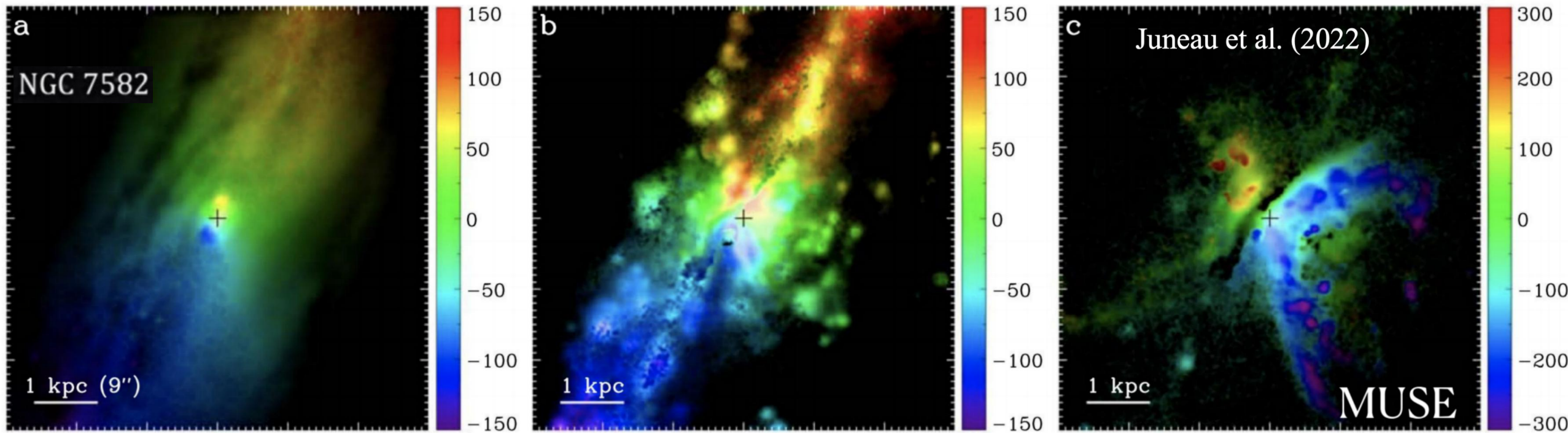


Outflow driven by **stellar feedback**



Outflow driven by **AGN feedback**

# Background: Outflow kinematics observed by IFU



stellar velocity field

H $\alpha$  traced gas  
velocity field

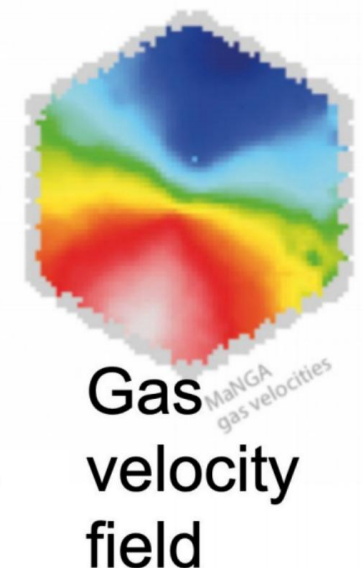
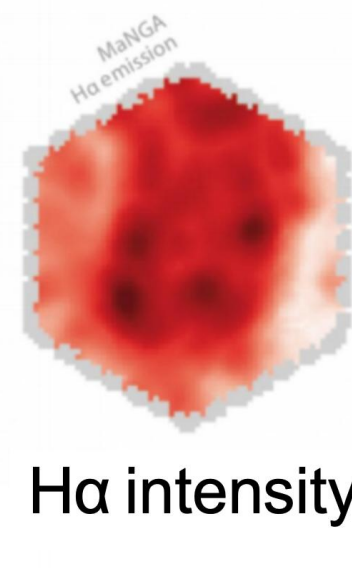
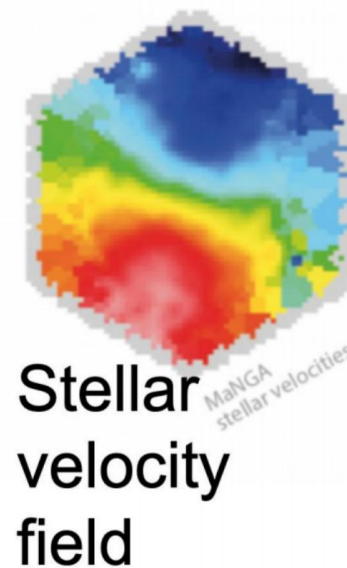
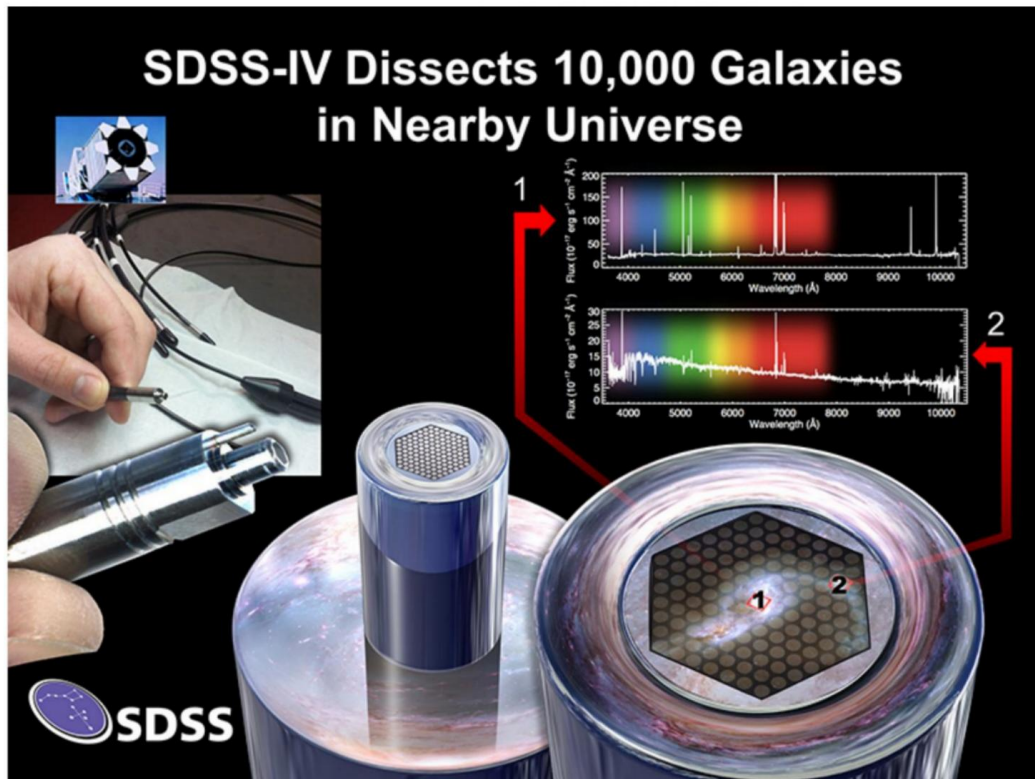
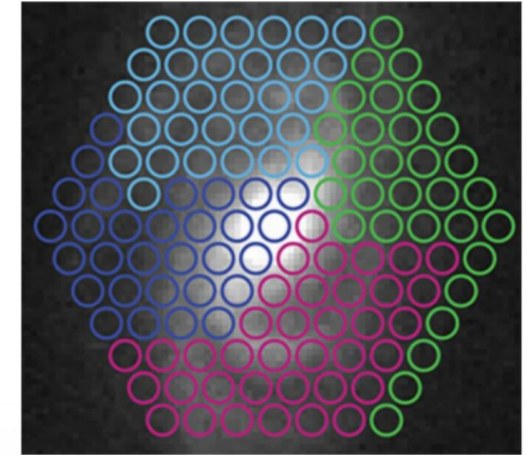
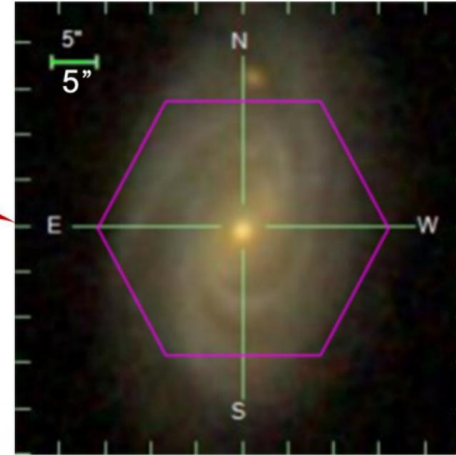
[OIII] traced gas  
velocity field

H $\alpha$  emission dominates in the disk while [OIII] $\lambda$ 5007 dominates in the outflow

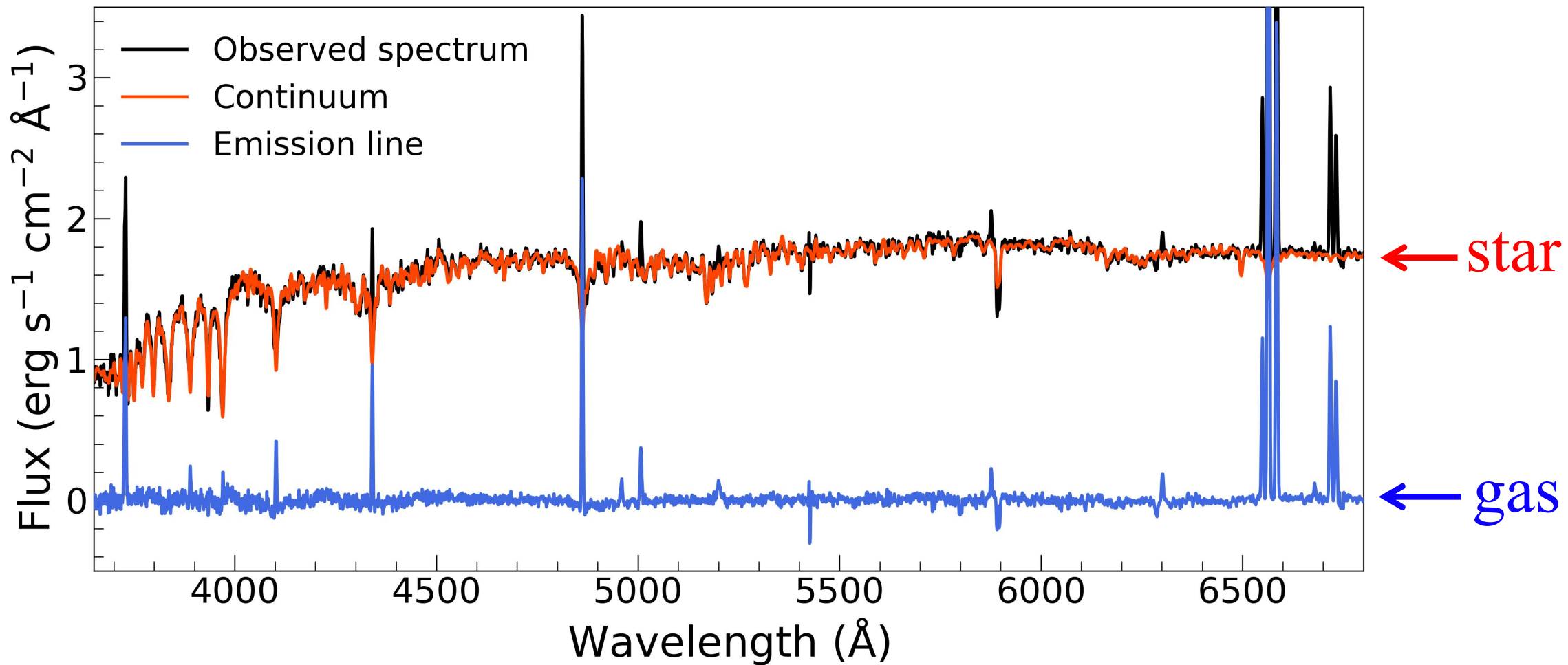
# Mapping Nearby Galaxies at Apache Point Observatory

## SDSS 2.5m telescope

- ▷  $z \sim 0.03$
- ▷  $\lambda \sim 3600 - 10000 \text{ \AA}$
- ▷  $r \sim 1.5 r_e$
- ▷  $M_{\star} > 10^9 M_{\odot}$
- ▷  $R \sim 2000$
- ▷  $\sim 10,000$  galaxies

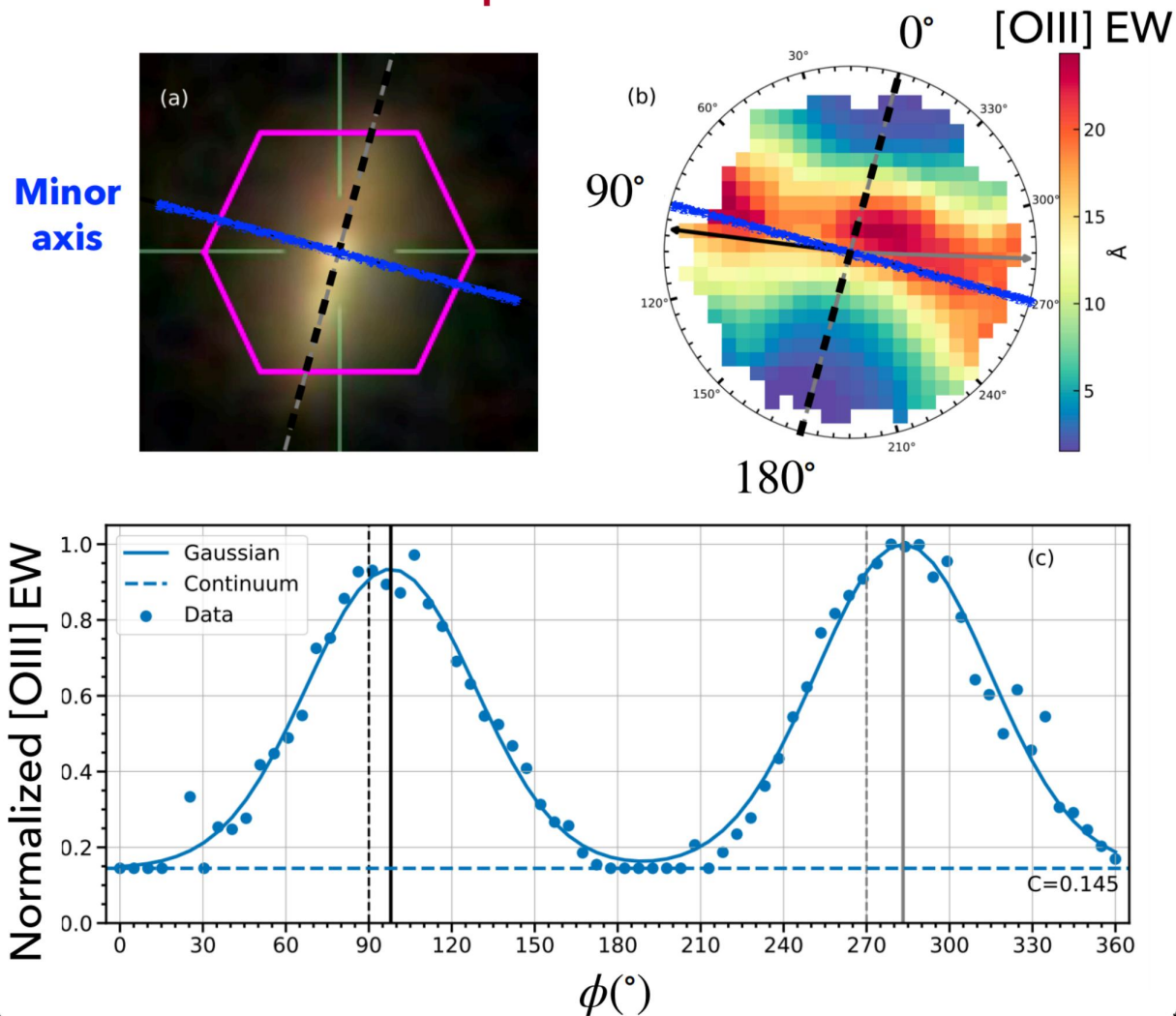


# Spectrum fitting example



# Sample selection method

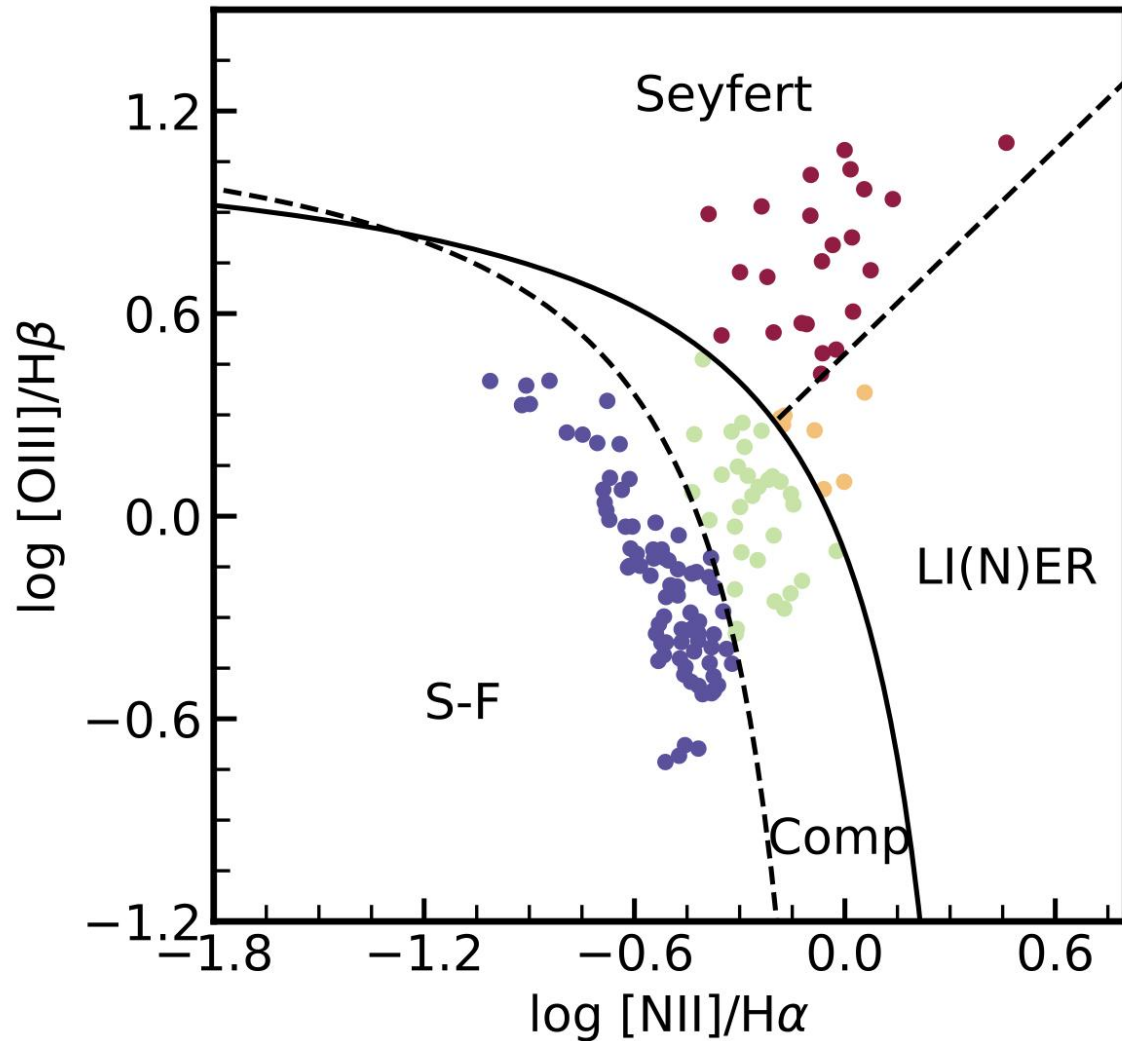
## Sample Selection



## Criteria:

- ✓ edge-on galaxies with inclination greater than  $60^{\circ}$
- ✓ equivalent width of [OIII] $\lambda$ 5007 ( $EW_{[OIII]}$ ) enhanced along photometric minor axis

# Classification of outflow candidates

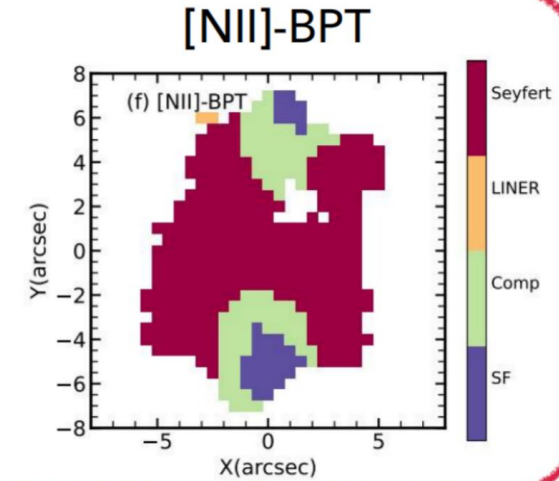
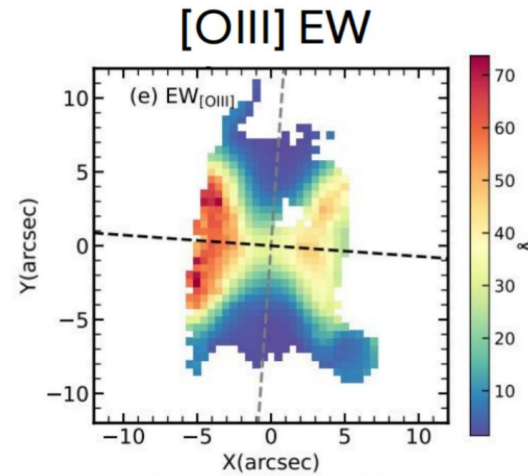
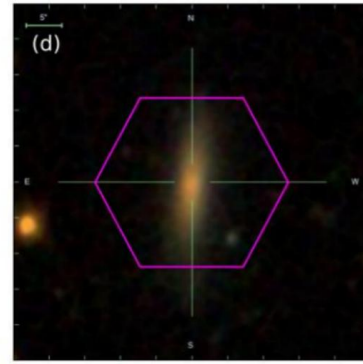


142 outflow candidates:

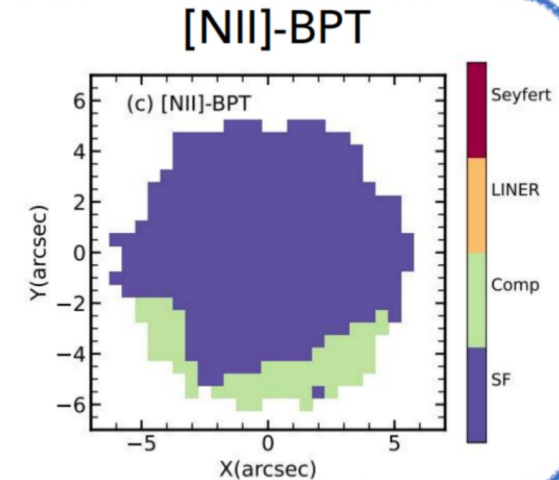
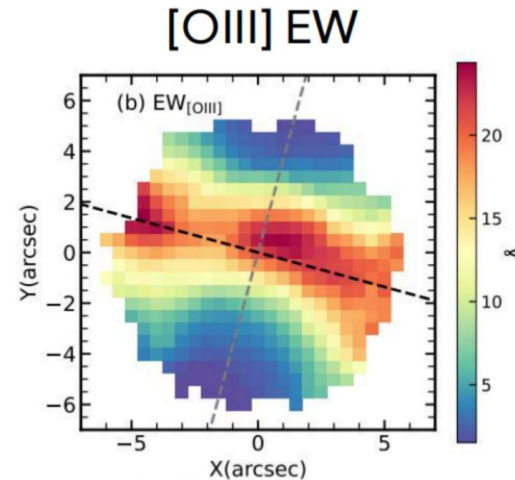
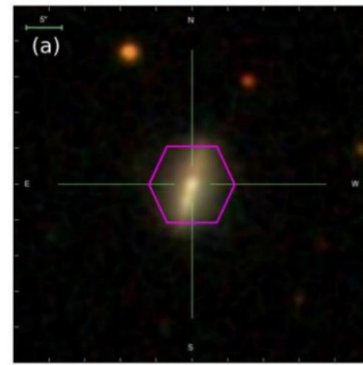
- **81 star forming**
- **31 composite**
- **23 Seyferts**
- **7 LIERs**

# Morphologies of the [OIII]5007 ionization structures

Seyfert:  
“hourglass” shape

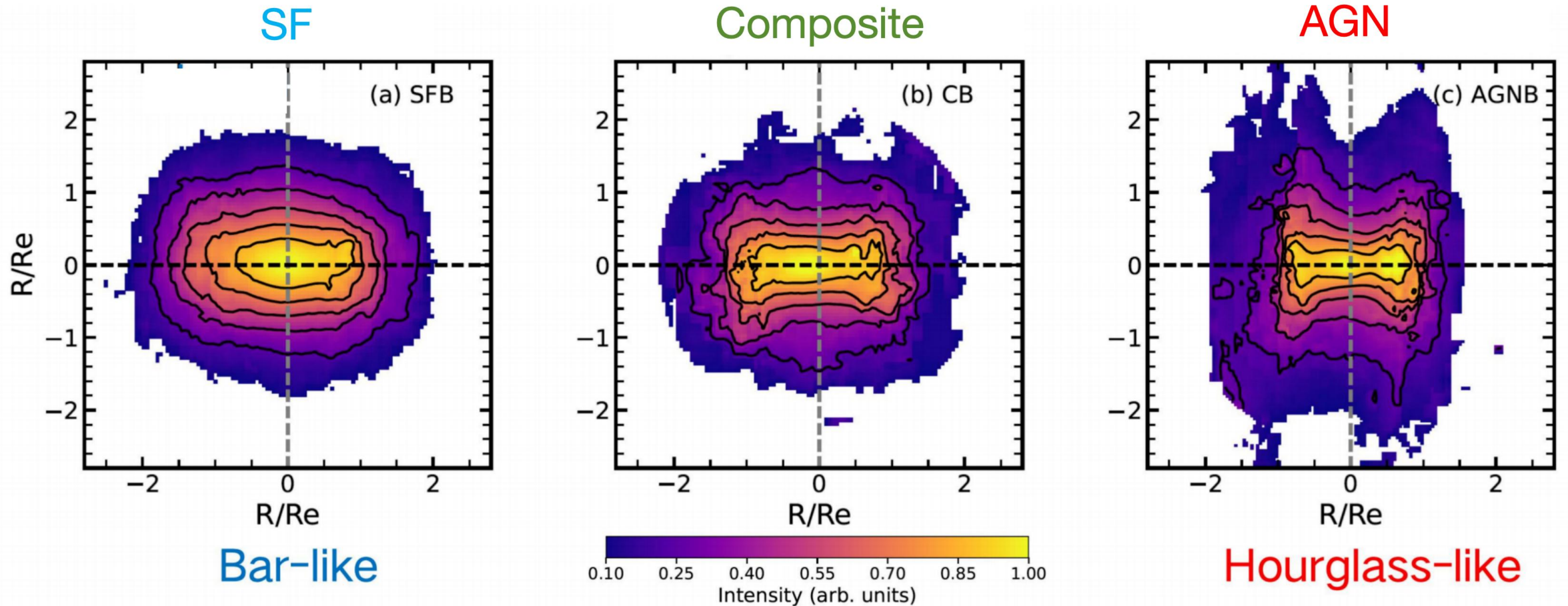


star forming gals:  
“bar” shape



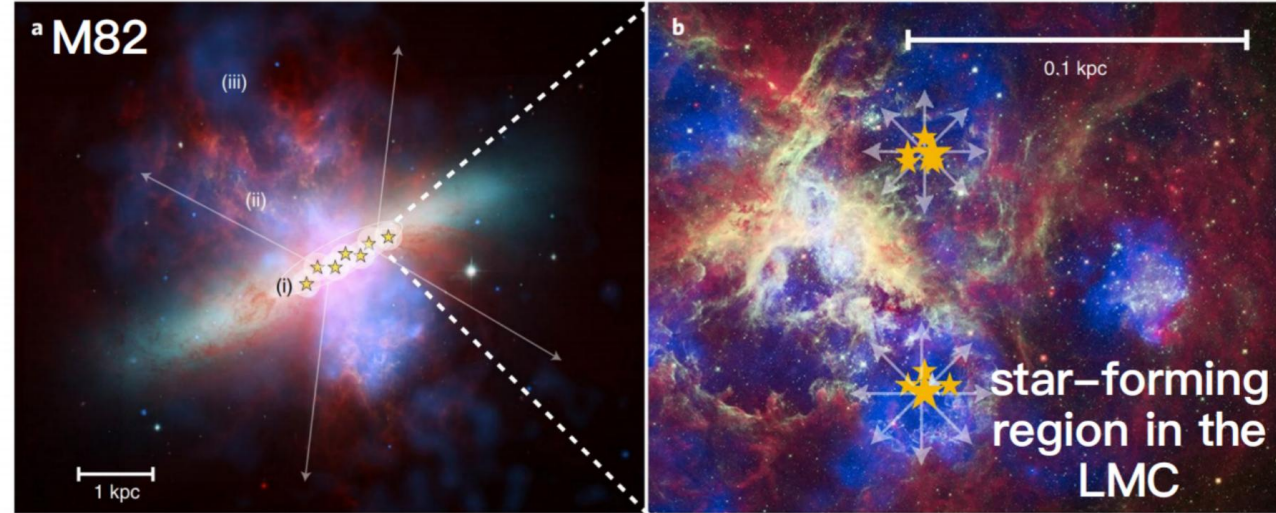
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Stack  $EW_{[\text{OIII}]\lambda 5007}$  map with the same central ionization states

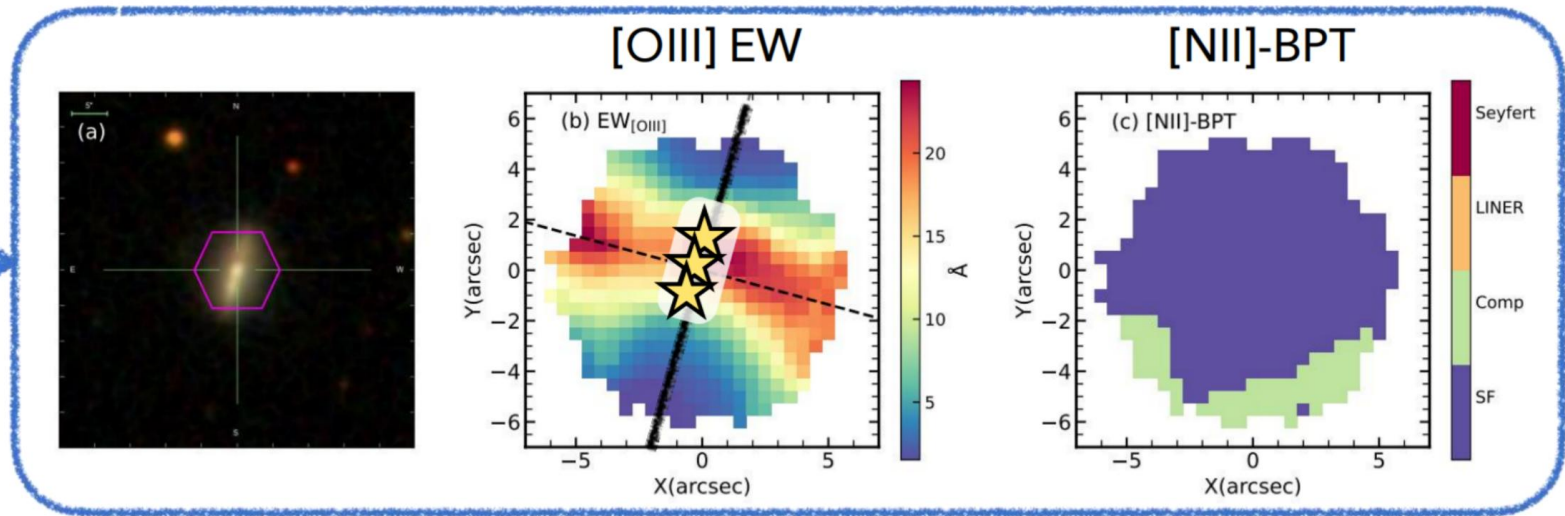


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Collins & Read et al. (2022)



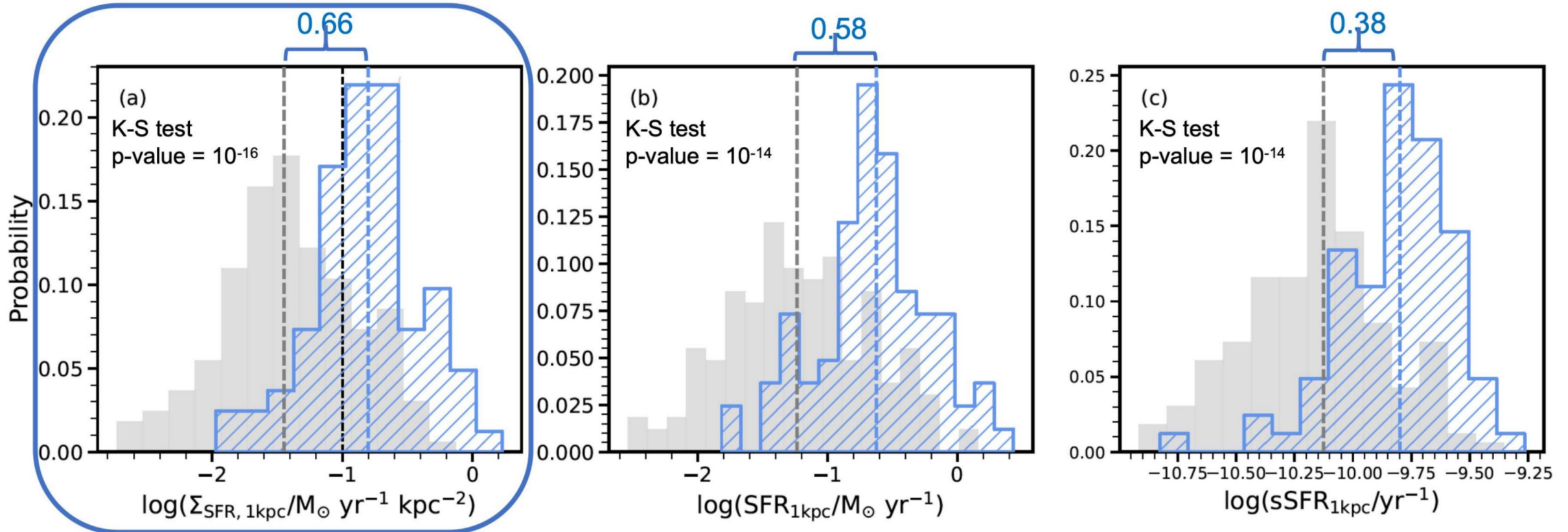
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# Primary driver of [OIII] ionization structures in SF gals

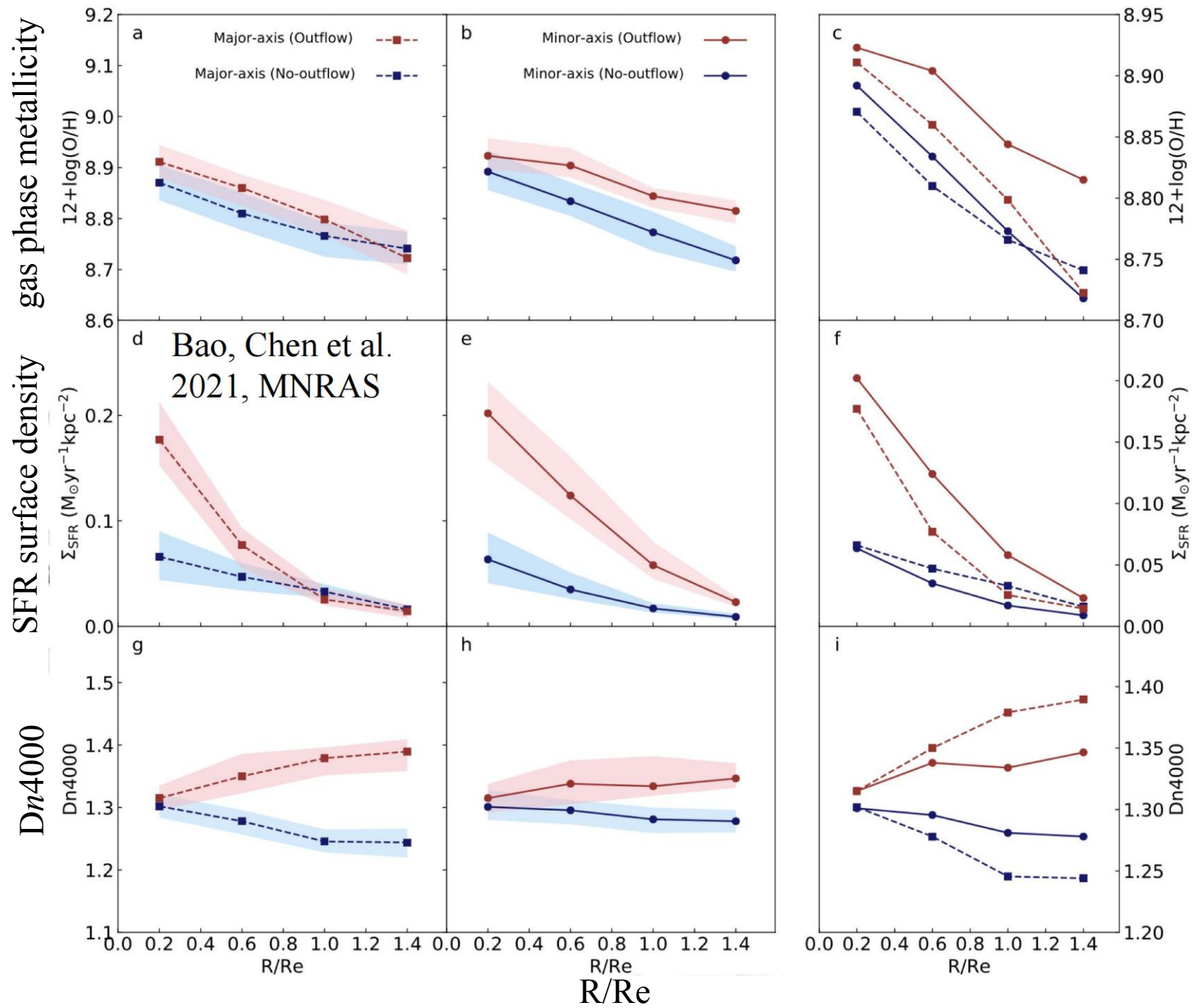
$$SFR(M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}) = 7.9 \times 10^{-42} L_{\text{H}\alpha}(\text{erg s}^{-1}),$$

--- median    ▨ outflow candidates  
--- median    ■ control samples



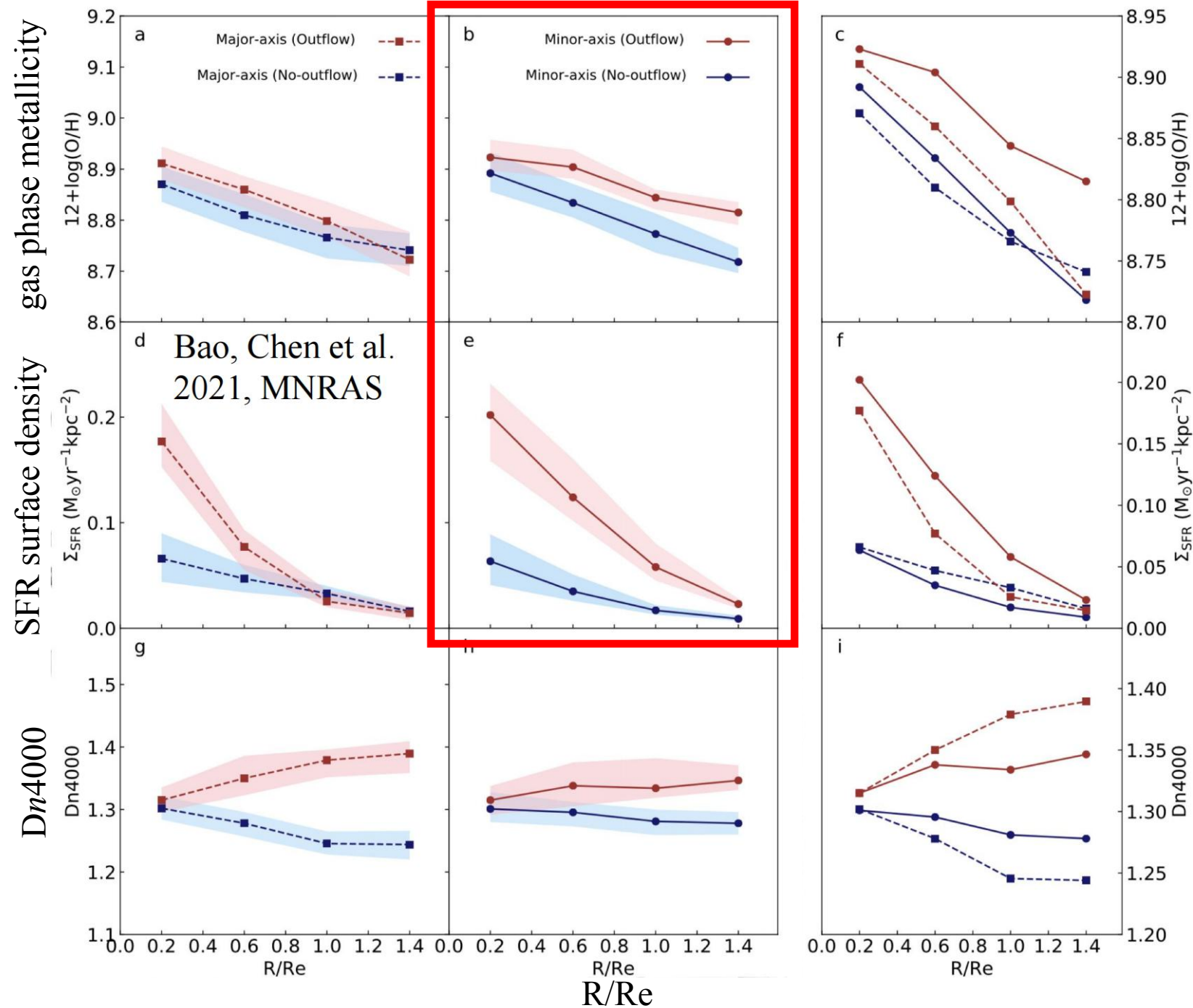
Central  $\Sigma_{\text{SFR}}$  is the primarily driver

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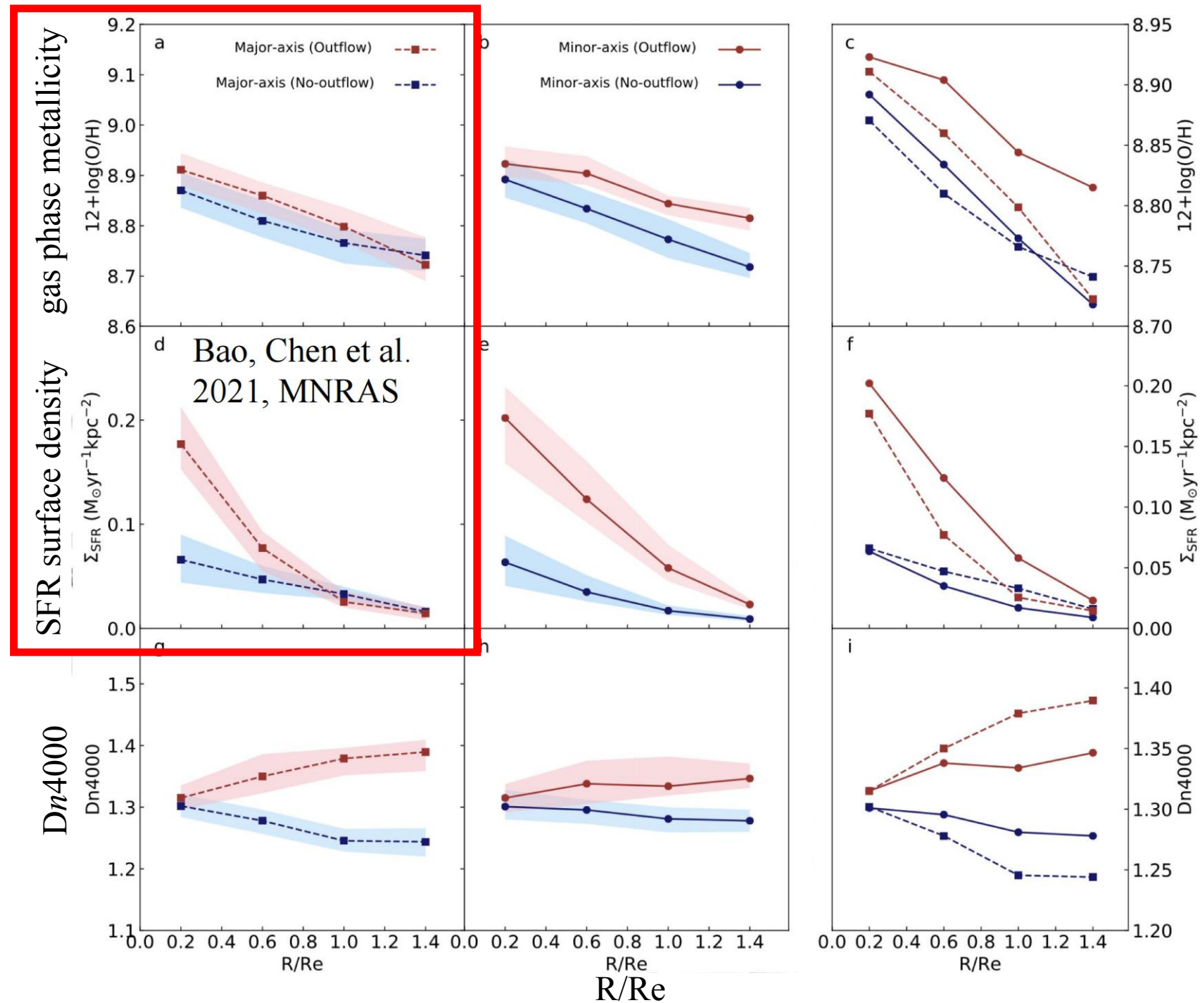
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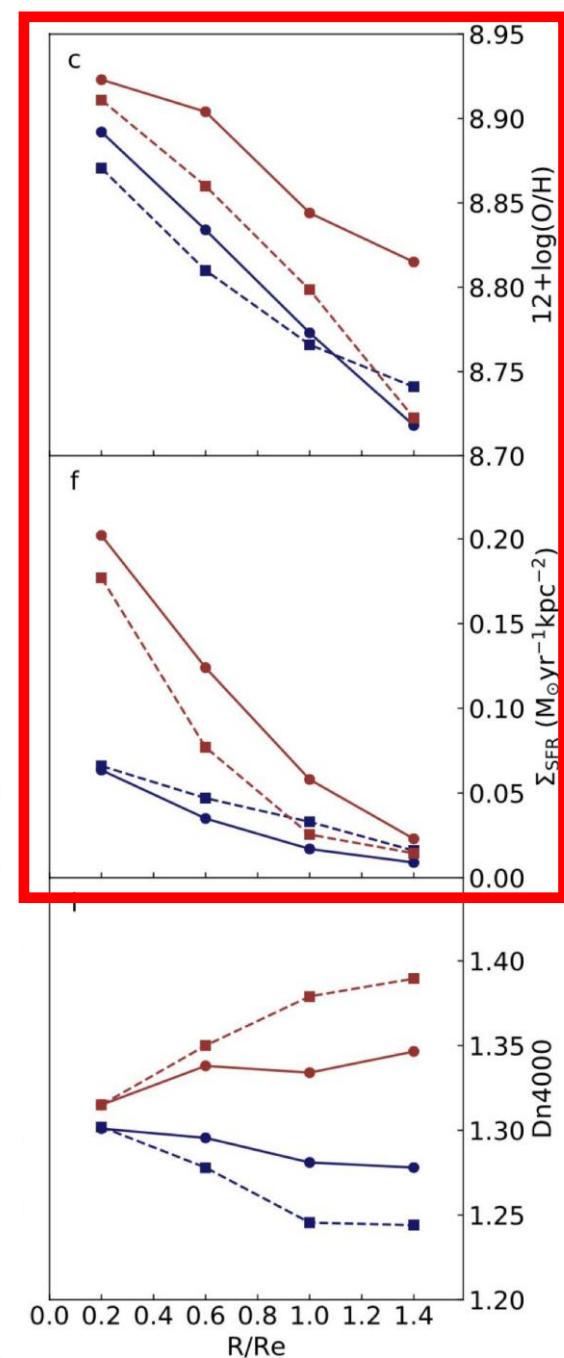
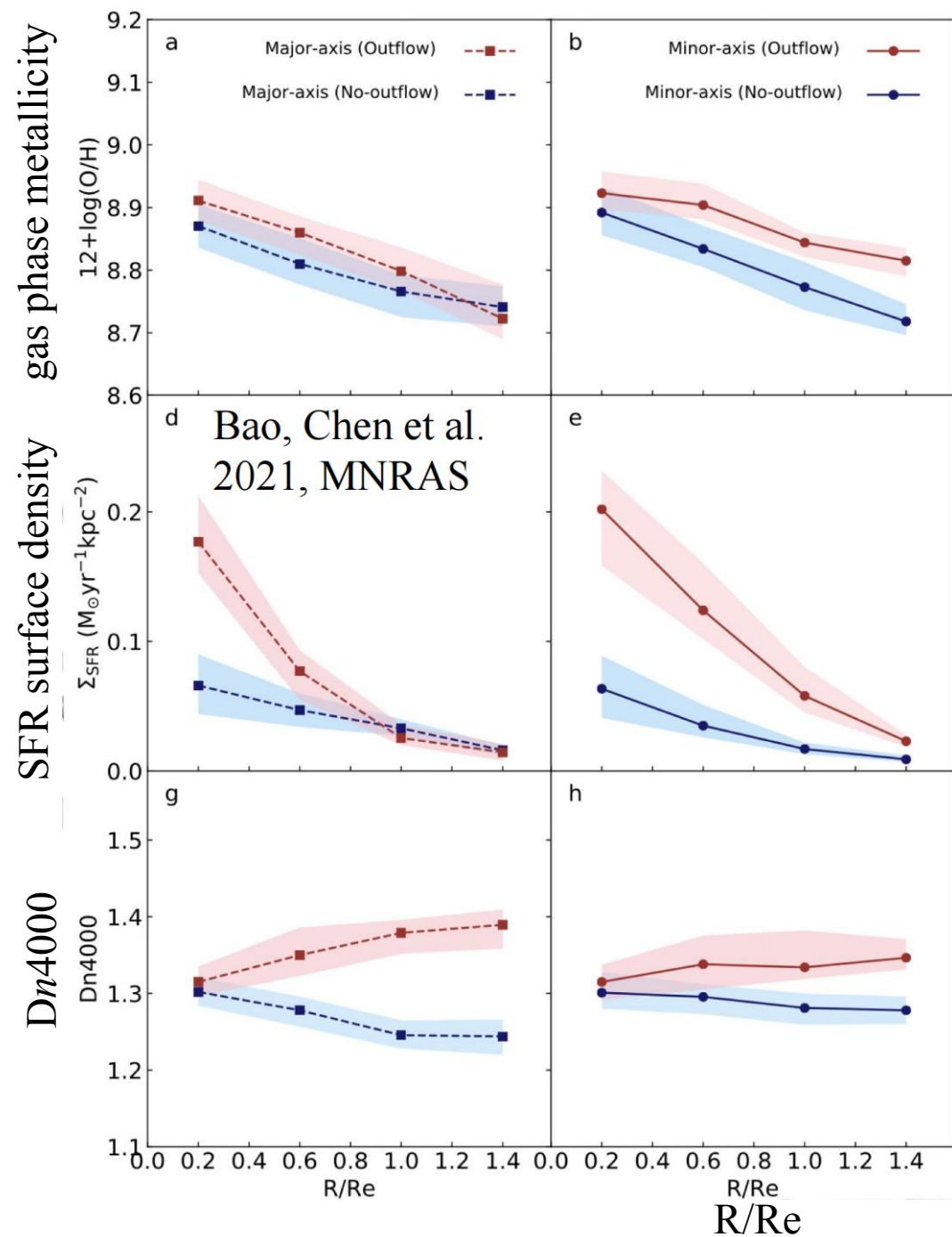
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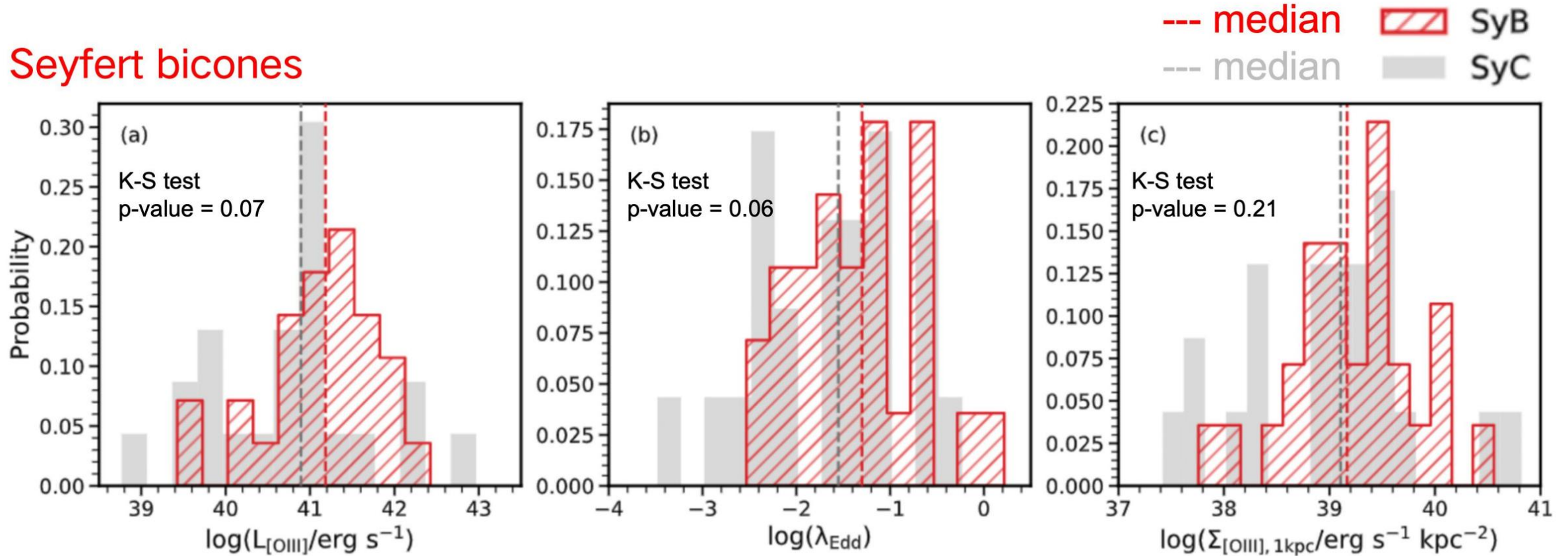
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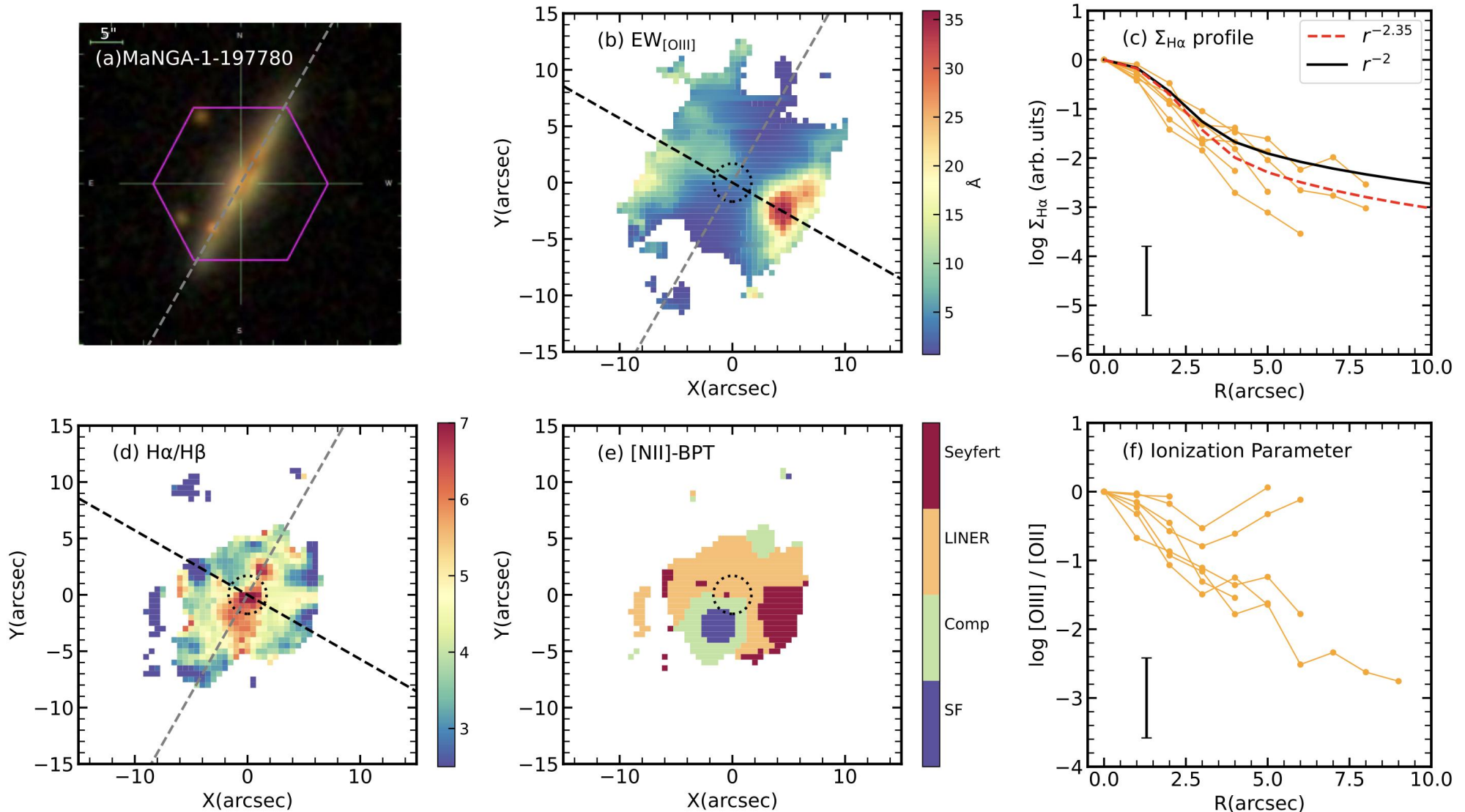
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## Seyfert bicones



Lack of difference in **BH** activity strength between SyBs and SyCs:  
the accretion disk and the galactic disk are not necessarily coplanar

# The primary driver of bicones in LI(N)ERs



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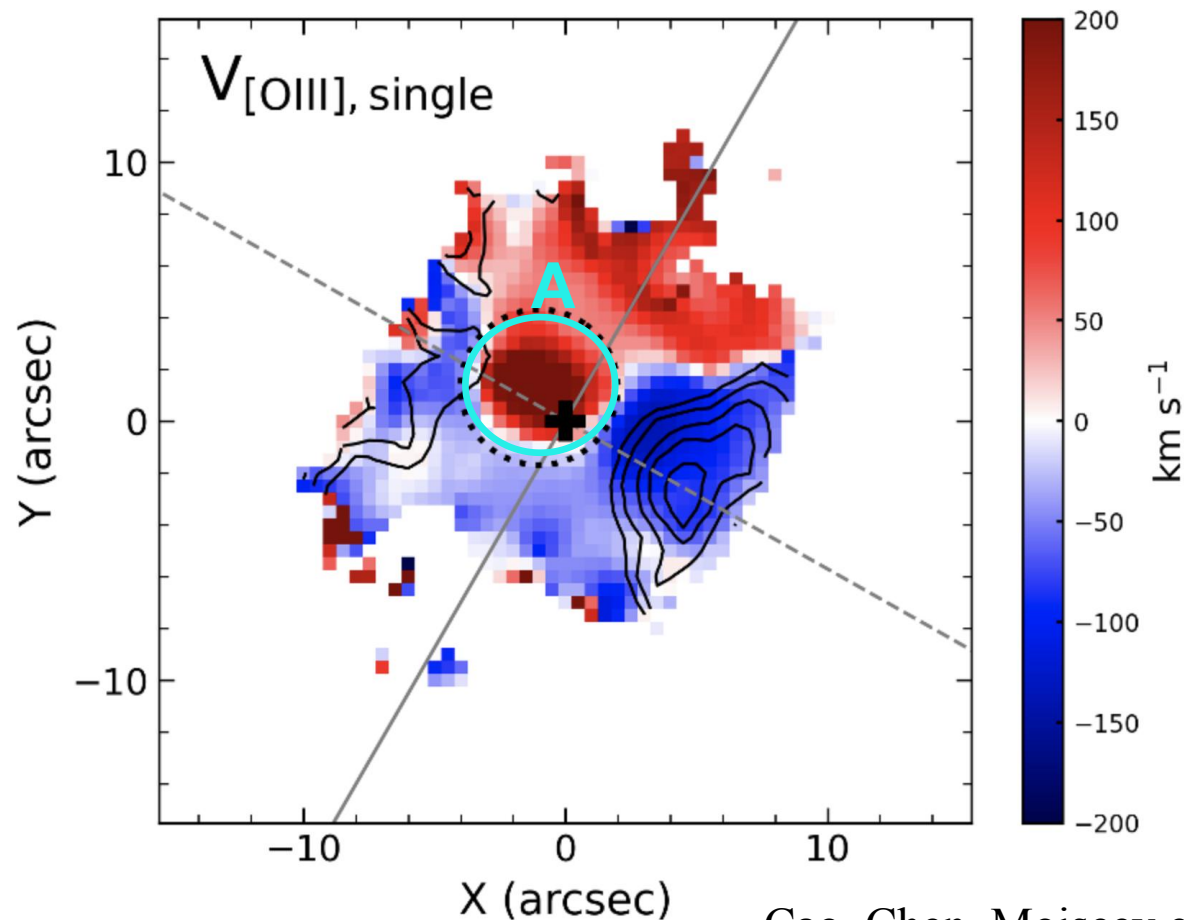
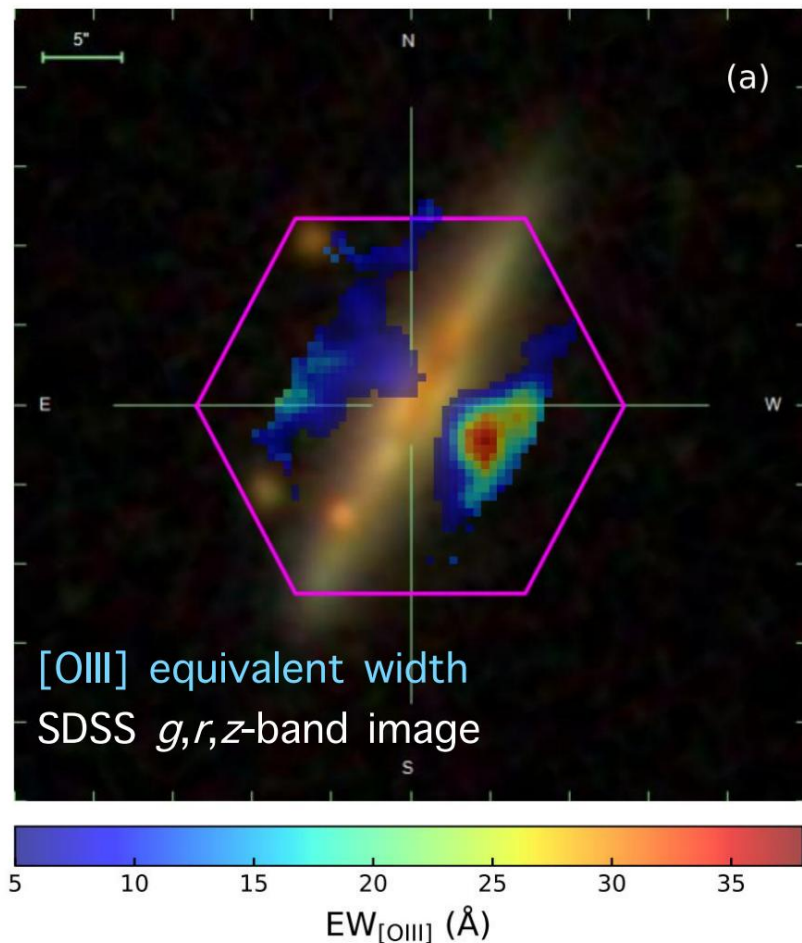
# Summary of $[\text{OIII}]\lambda 5007$ ionized structures

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- ★ Hour-glass like morphologies in AGN; bar-like shape in SF gals
- ★ The primary driver of outflow in star forming gals is central SFR surface density
- ★ Enhanced SF and gas-phase metallicity in SF gals along photometric minor axis
- ★ The lack of difference in BH activity strength between Seyfert bicones and their controls is due to the accretion disk and the galactic disk are not coplanar
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# Case study 1:

## An outflow Seyfert with peculiar redshifted gas component

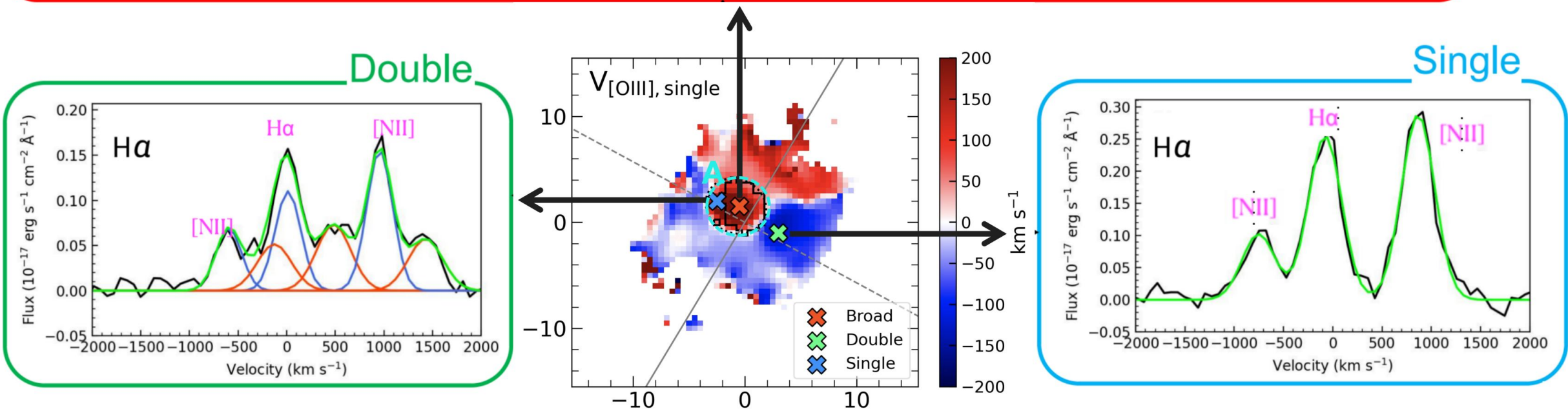
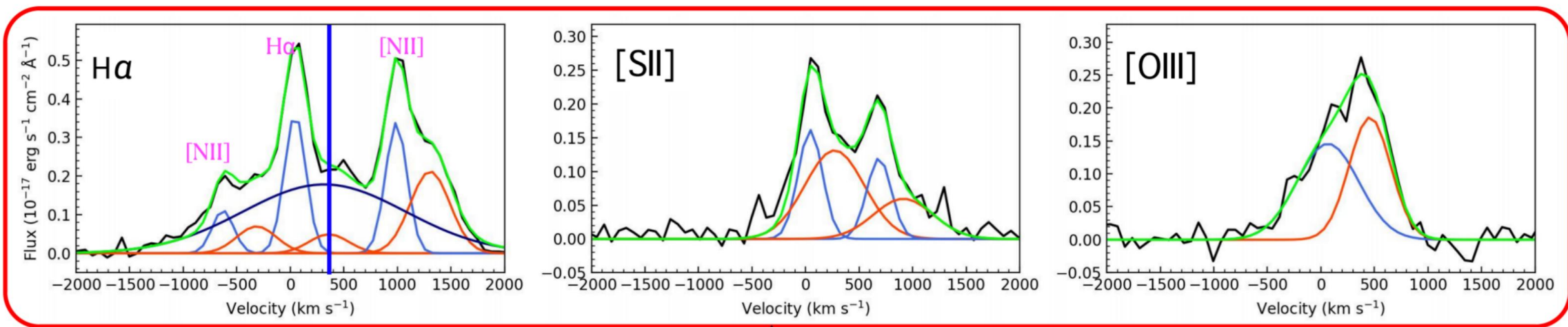


Cao, Chen, Moiseev et al.,  
submitted to ApJL

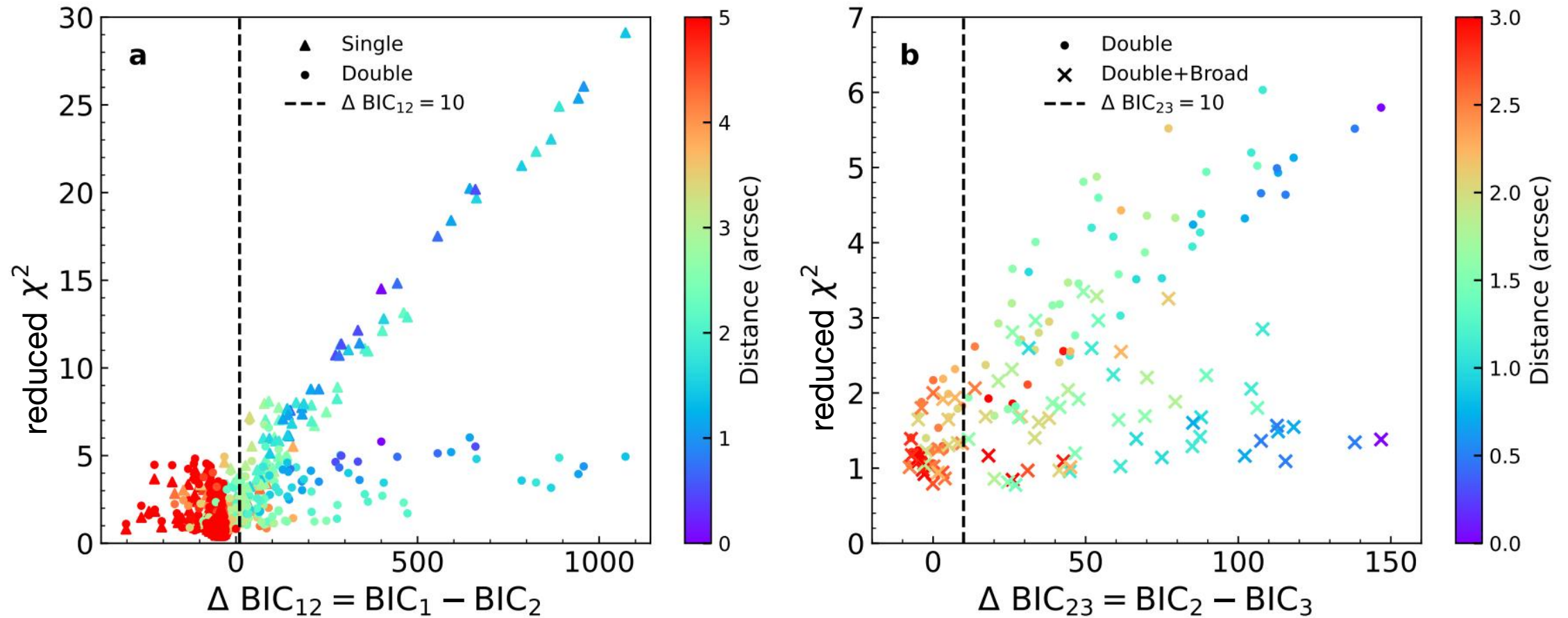
- An edge-on galaxy ( $i = 72^\circ$ )
- Obvious blueshift outflow is consistent with the enhanced [OIII] $\lambda 5007$  equivalent width region

# Emission line features

H $\alpha$  have obvious broad emission at the unexpected redshift region



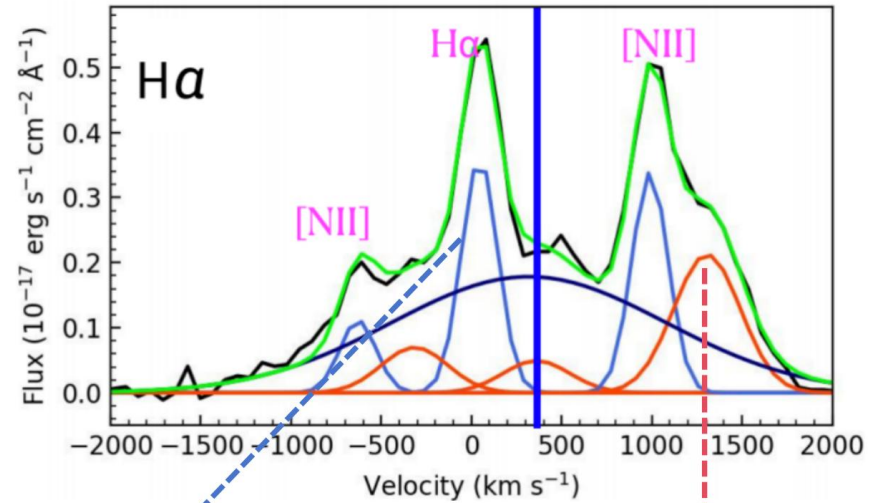
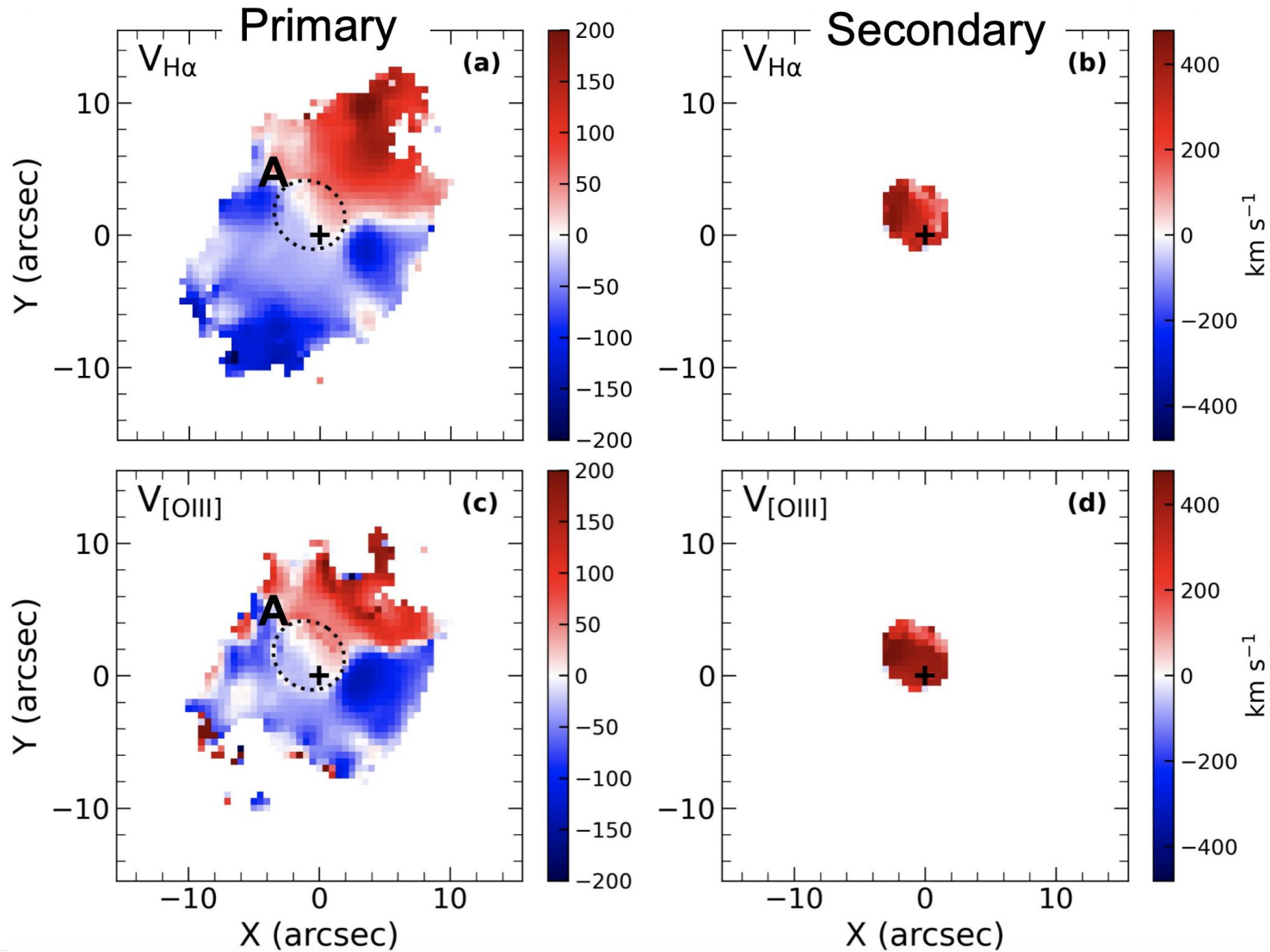
# Selection of Gaussian Models



Bayesian Information Criterion:  $\text{BIC} = \chi^2 + k \ln N$

# Kinematics

## Velocity fields of Primary and Secondary emission line components

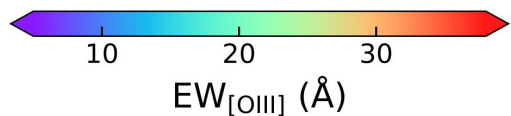
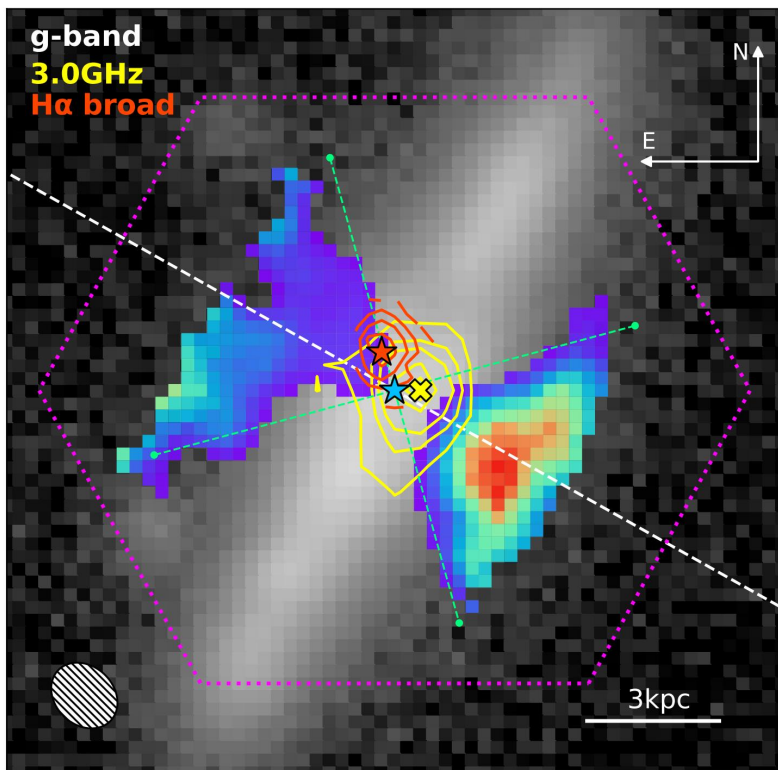


**Primary:**  
follows the gas  
disk rotation

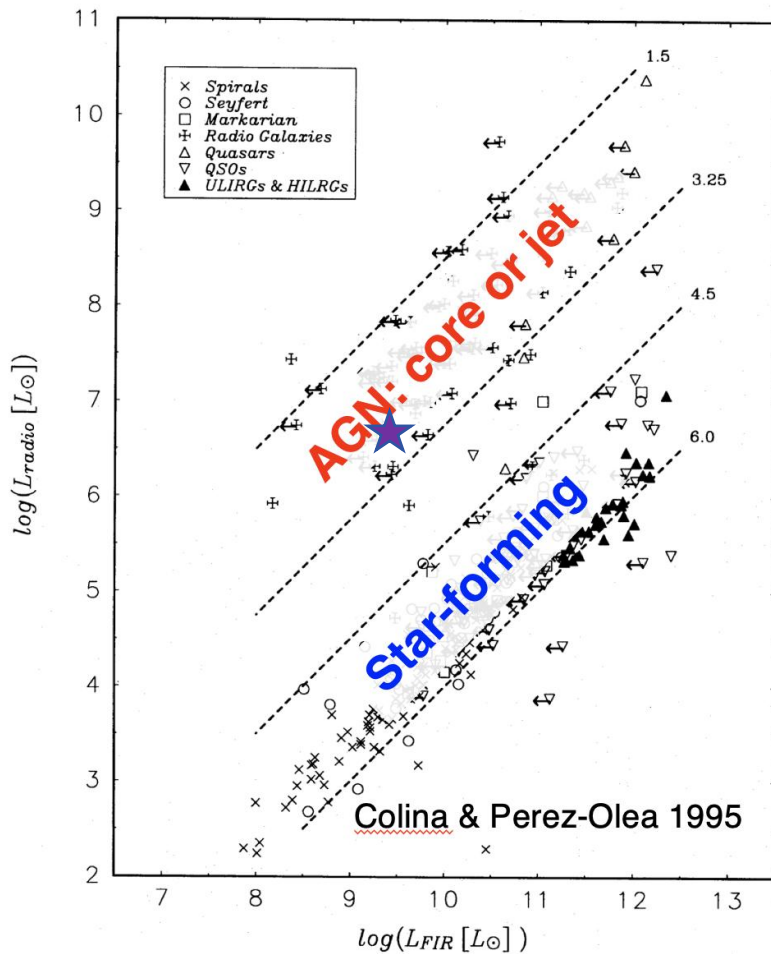
**Secondary:**  
redshifted by  
 $\sim 400 \text{ km s}^{-1}$

Broad H $\alpha$  components have similar velocities as the secondary components

# Properties of outflow driven by the central BH



Very Large Array Sky Survey  
(VLASS)



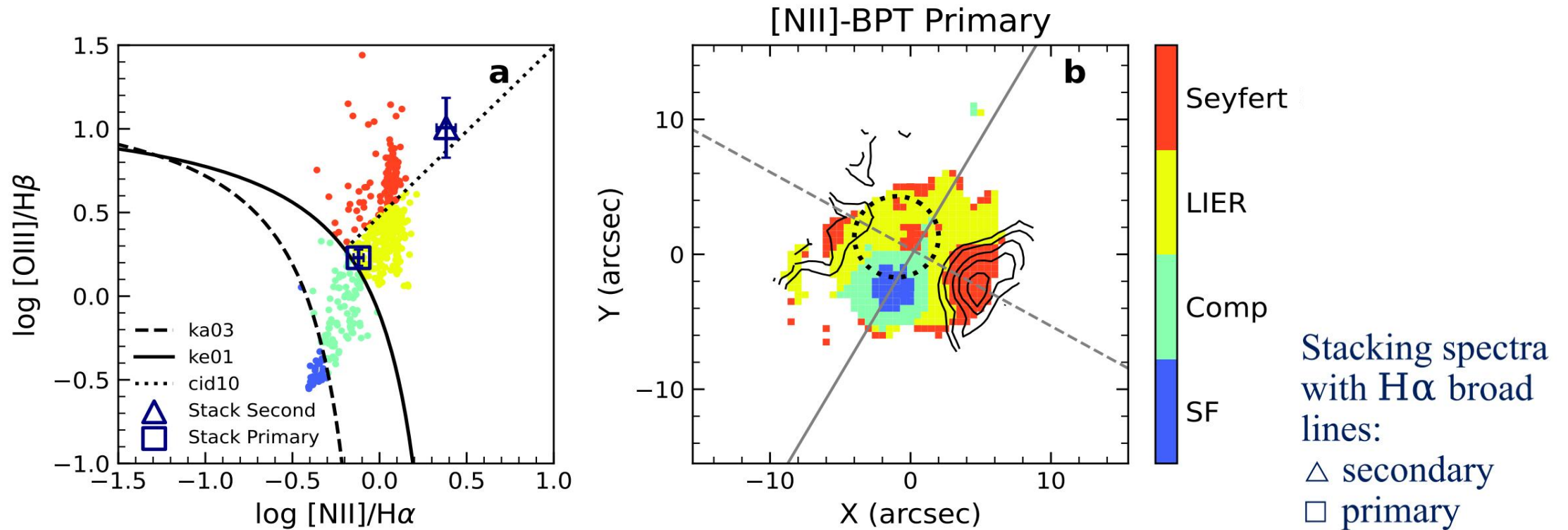
- ✓ the galaxy center is consistent with the 3GHz flux peak observed by VLASS
- ✓ the two biconical structure is symmetrical relative to the galaxy center

The galactic scale outflow is driven by the central BH ( $10^7 M_{\odot}$ ):

- projected cone size  $\sim 5.7\text{kpc}$
- half opening angle  $\sim 45\text{deg}$
- max LOS velocity within the bicones  $\sim 145\text{km s}^{-1}$

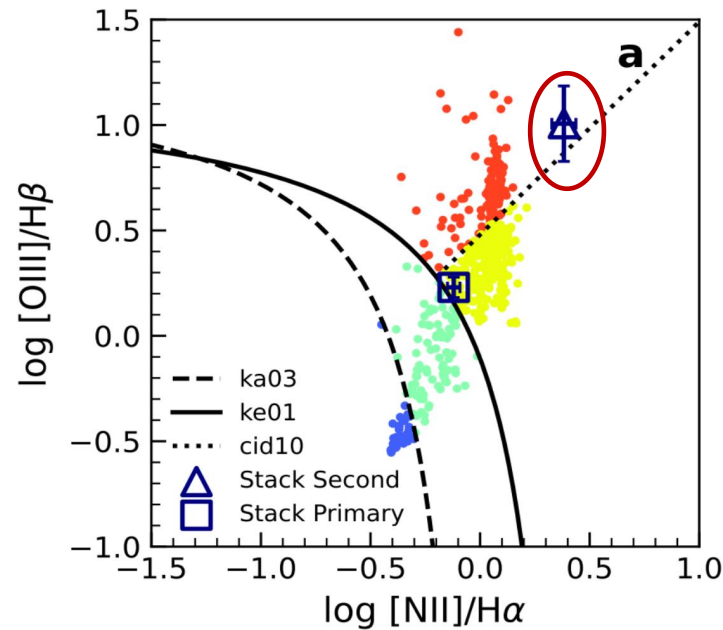
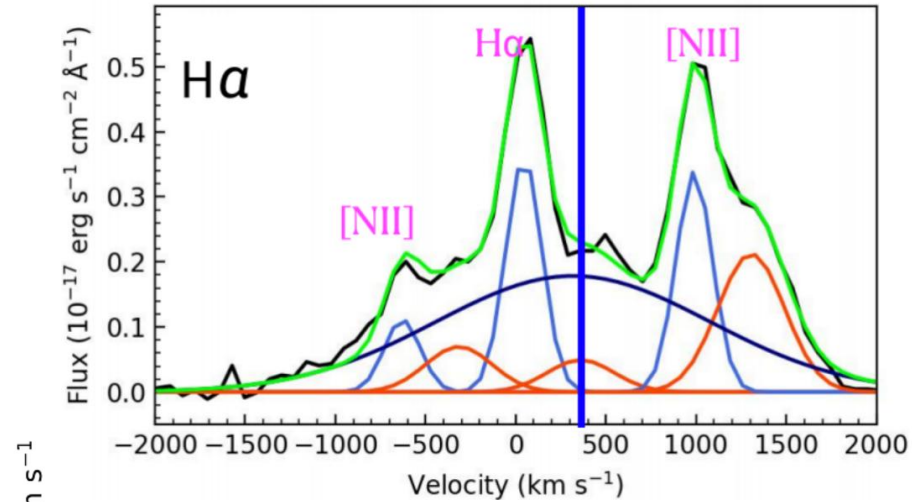
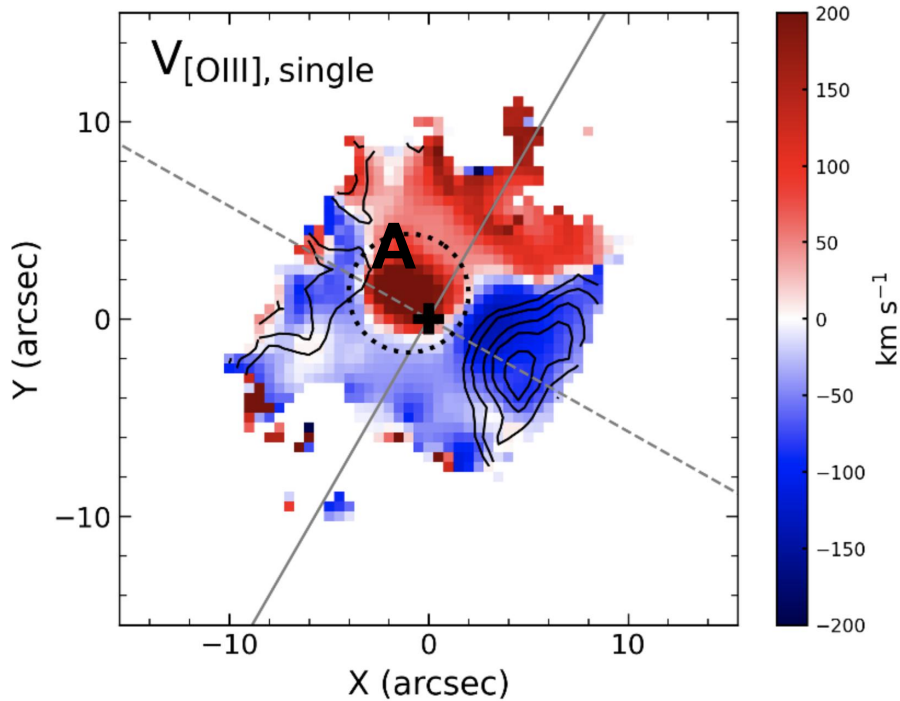
# Ionization Mechanism

## AGN-driven galactic scale outflow



- The bi-conical blueshift outflow is ionized by Seyfert
- Extinction corrected [OIII] luminosity of the Seyfert region is  $\sim 8.3 \times 10^{39}$  erg/s
- The secondary component is ionized by Seyfert

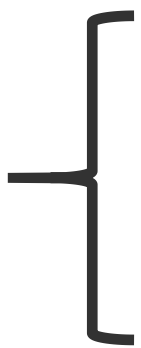
# Off-centered black hole



- The broad  $\text{H}\alpha$  has similar redshifted velocity as the secondary component
- The line ratios of the secondary component located in the Seyfert region in  $[\text{NII}]$ -BPT diagram
- A black hole mass of  $10^6 M_{\odot}$   $\sim 1 \text{ kpc}$  from the galaxy center

# Origin of the off-centered black hole

**Internal:** growth of the in-situ IMBH

**External:**  Capturing a Wandering BH  
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## lack of merger remnant feature:

- (1) edge-on disk galaxy, obscuration
- (2) simulation predicts there is no observable merger remnant features with surface brightness smaller than 28 mag arcsec<sup>-2</sup> in *r*-band for mergers of mass ratio 10:1 (Ji, I. A&A, 2014)

# Summary of the dual AGN system

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- ★ Evidence for the central BH:

- ✓ Flux peak position of radio emission is consistent with the galaxy center
- ✓ The two biconical structures are symmetrical relative to the galaxy center

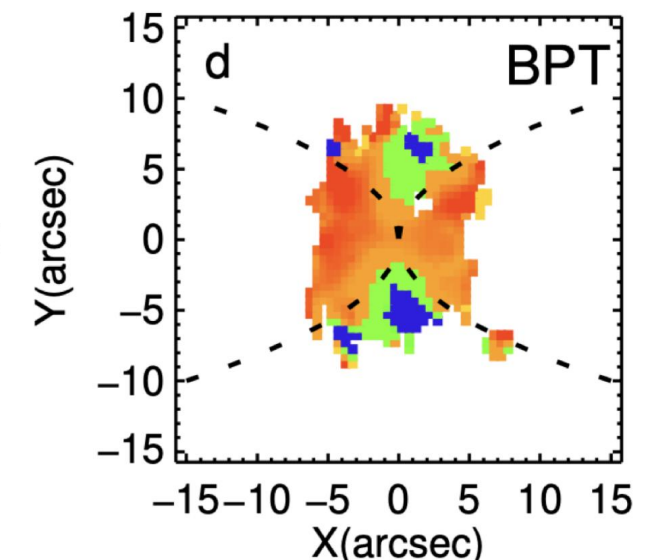
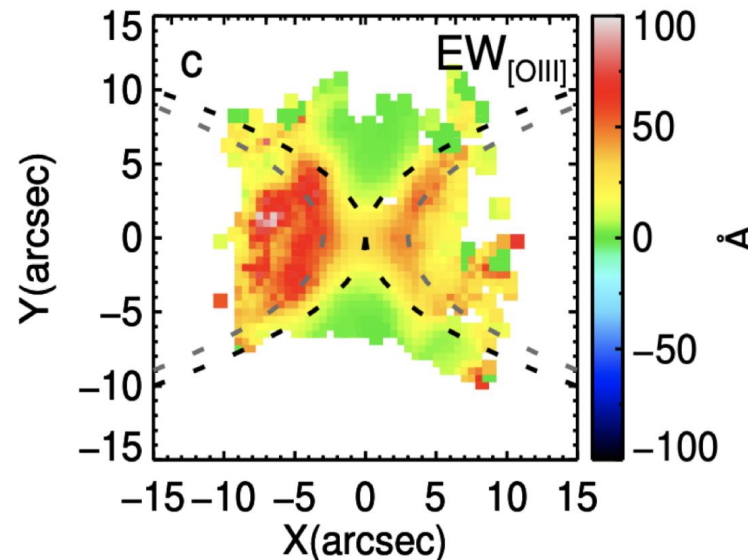
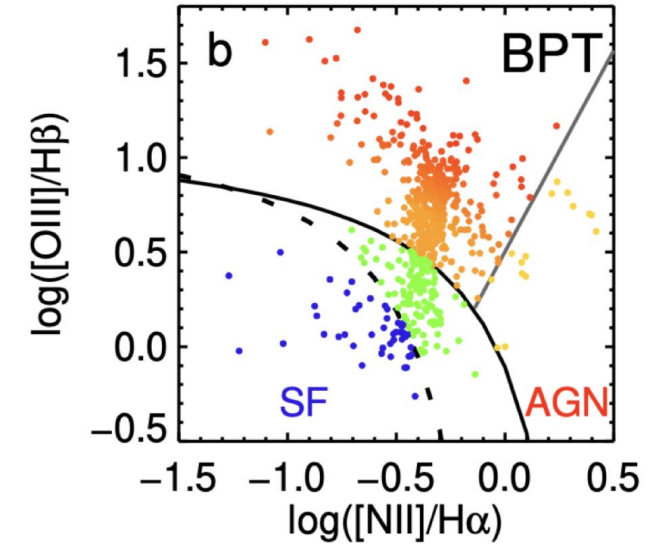
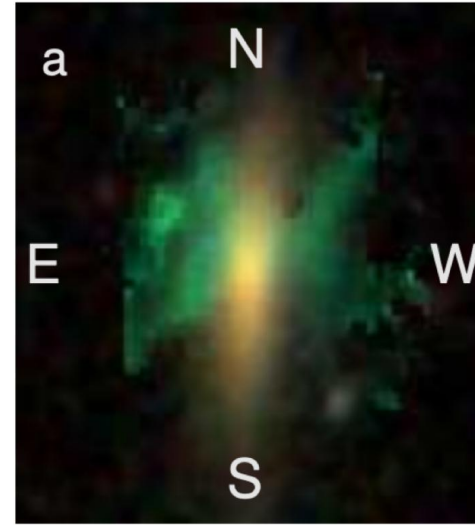
- ★ Evidence for the off-centered BH:

- ✓ Broad H $\alpha$  emission
- ✓ Similar kinematics between the broad H $\alpha$  and secondary narrow emission line components
- ✓ Seyfert-like narrow emission line ratios for the secondary components

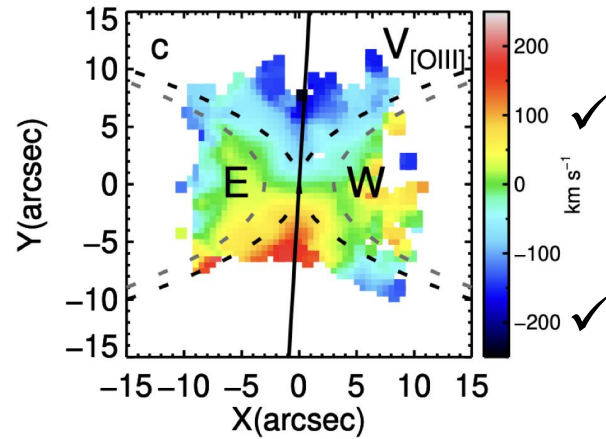
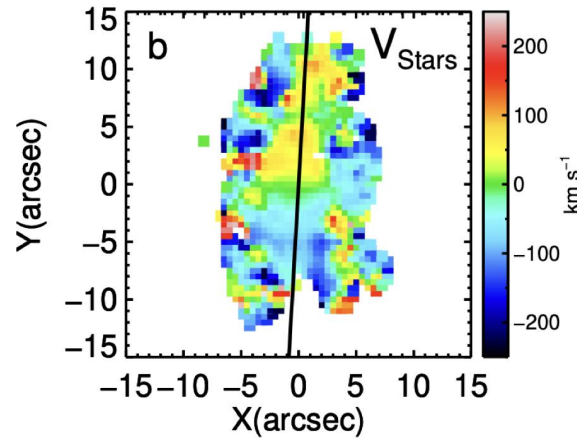
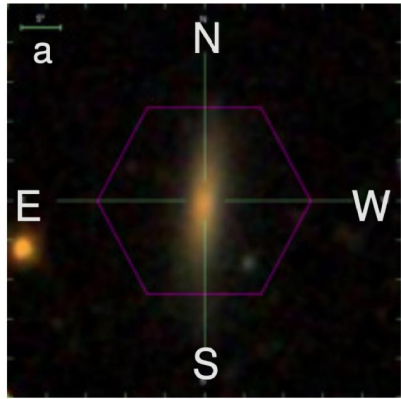
- ★ Origin of this dual AGN system with mass ratio 10:1 is minor merger

# Case study 2: Gas-star counter rotators with biconical outflows

- ✓ half opening angle of the outflow:  $\sim 40^\circ$
- ✓ projected cone size:  $\sim 8.3\text{kpc}$
- ✓ driven mechanism: AGN activity



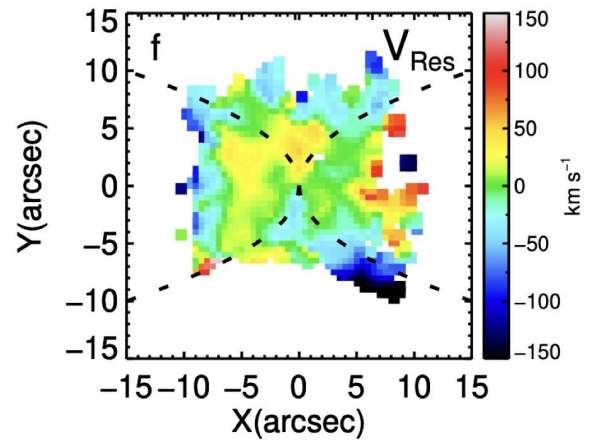
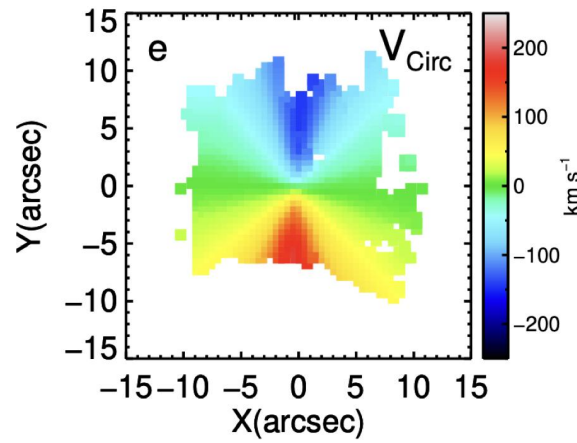
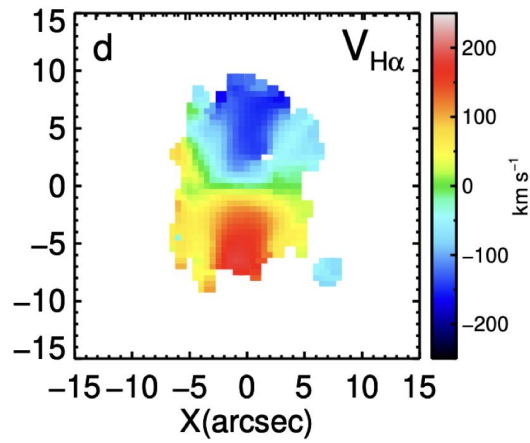
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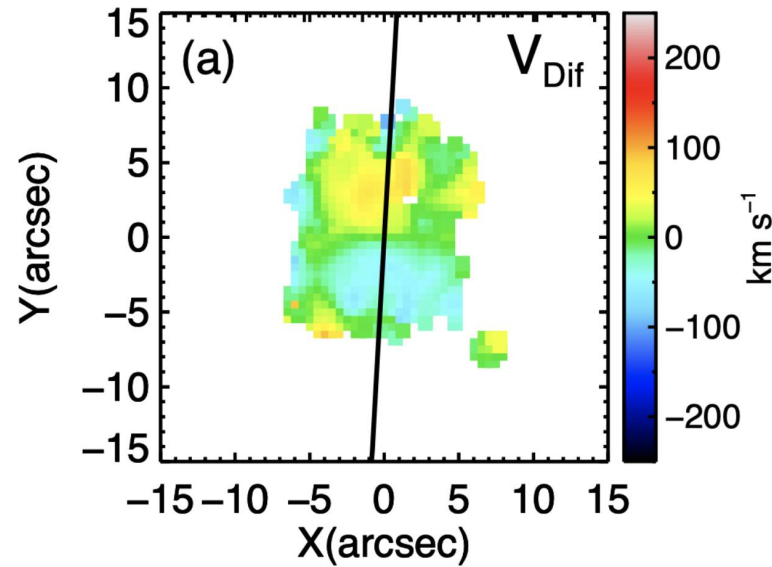
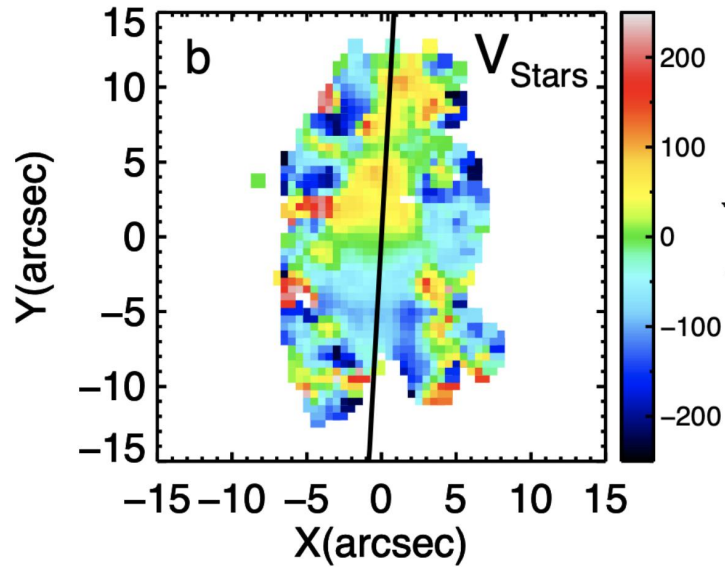
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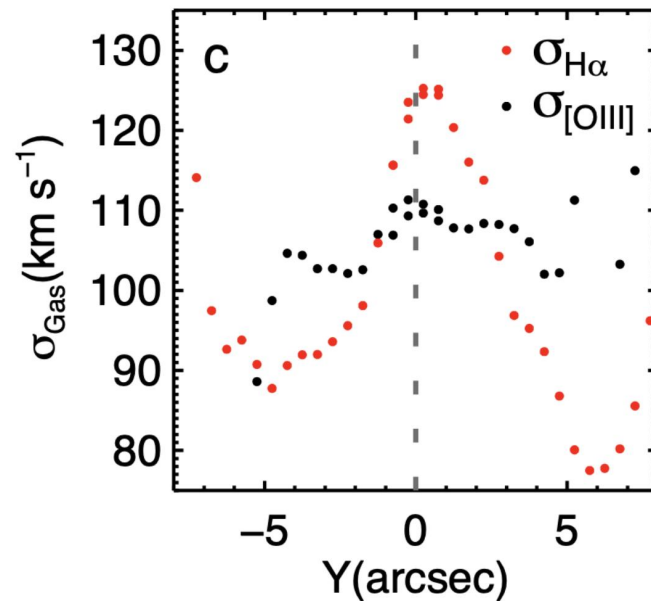
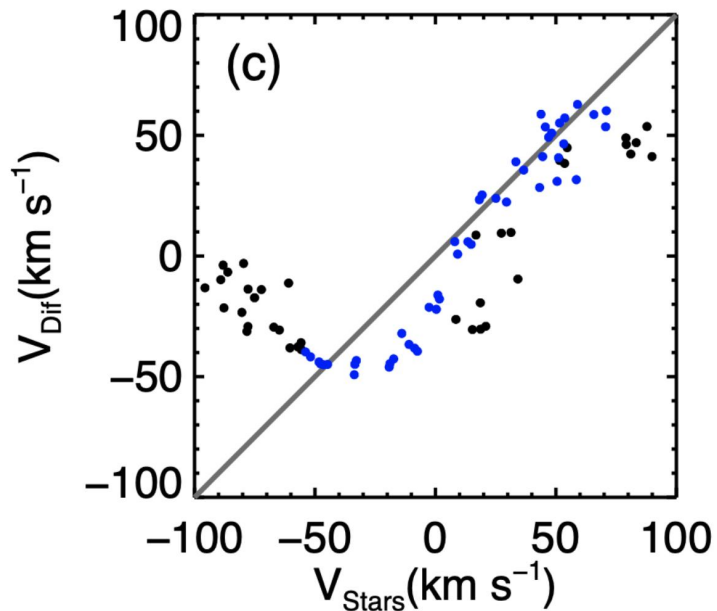
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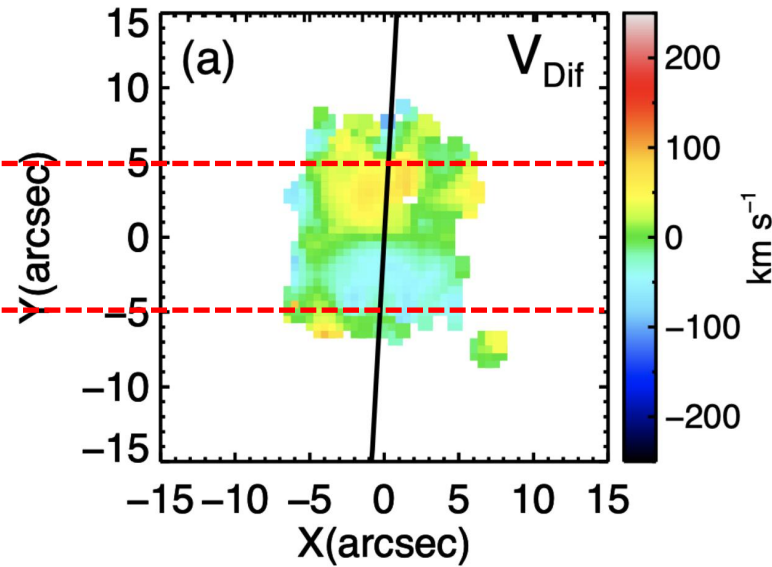
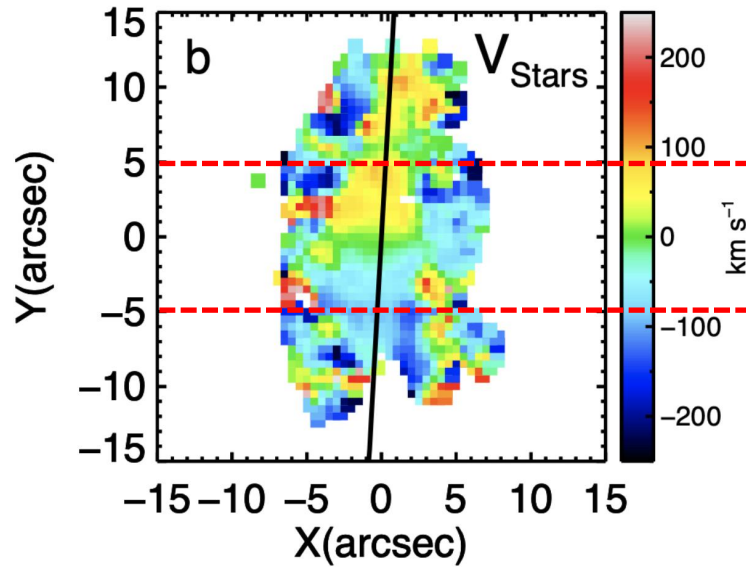
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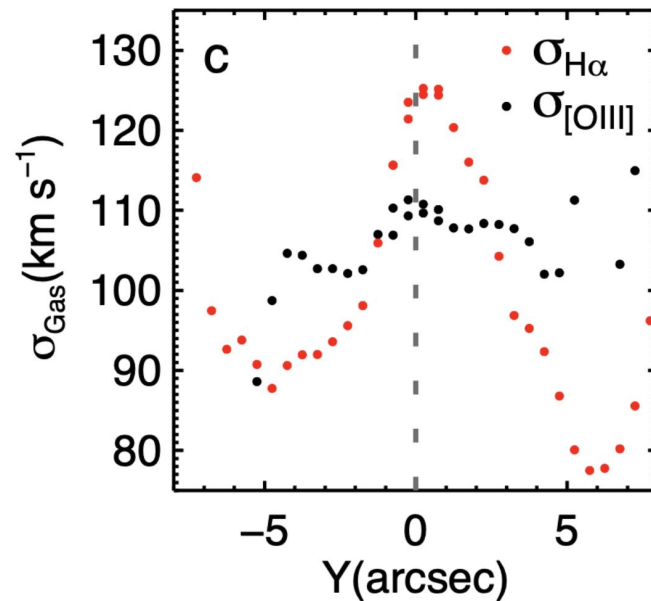
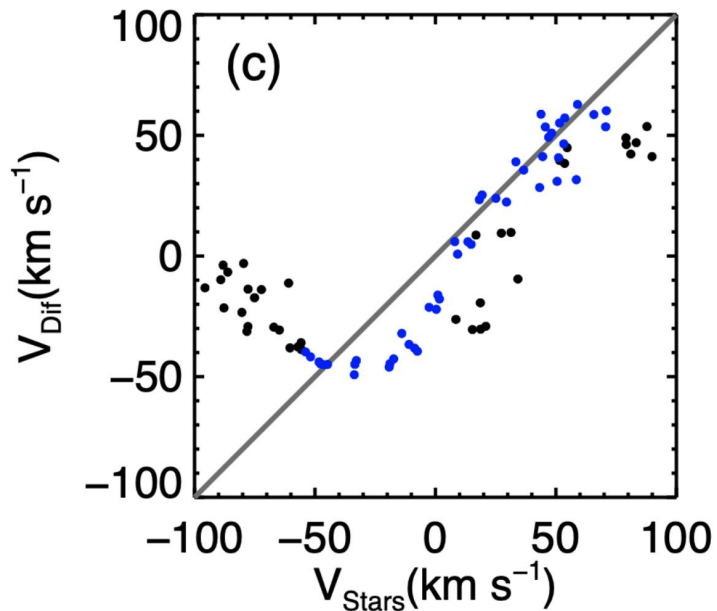
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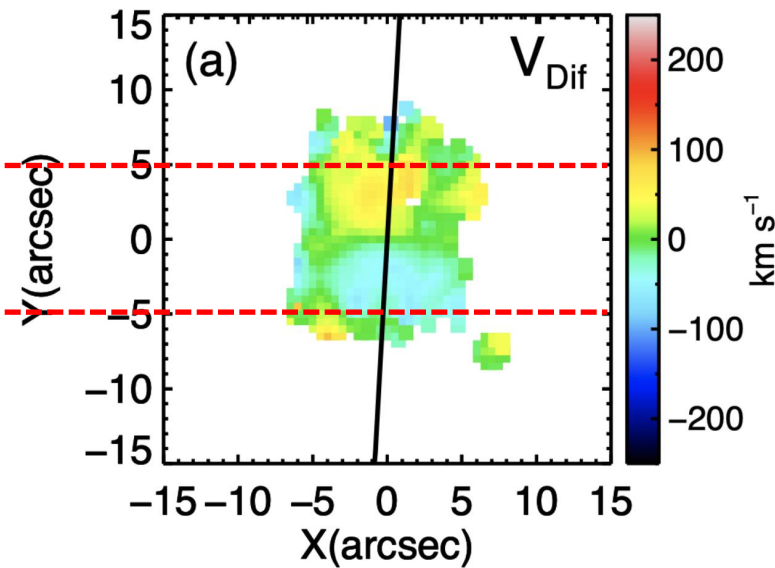
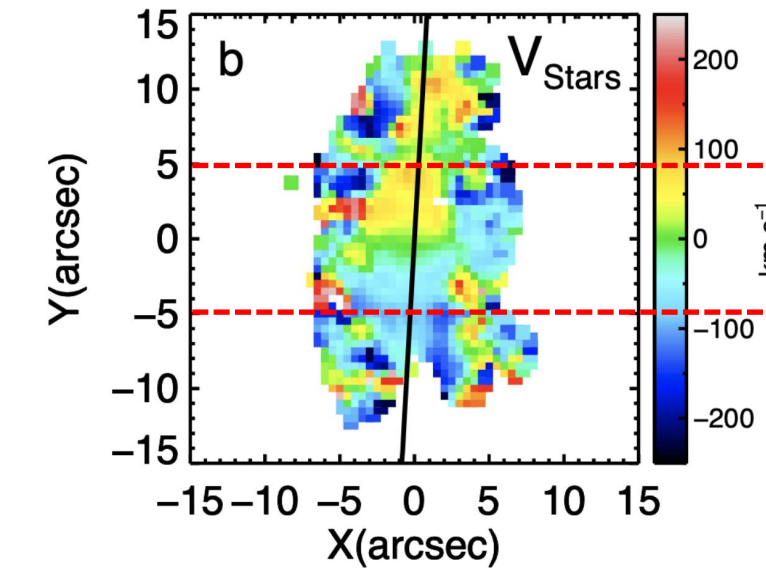
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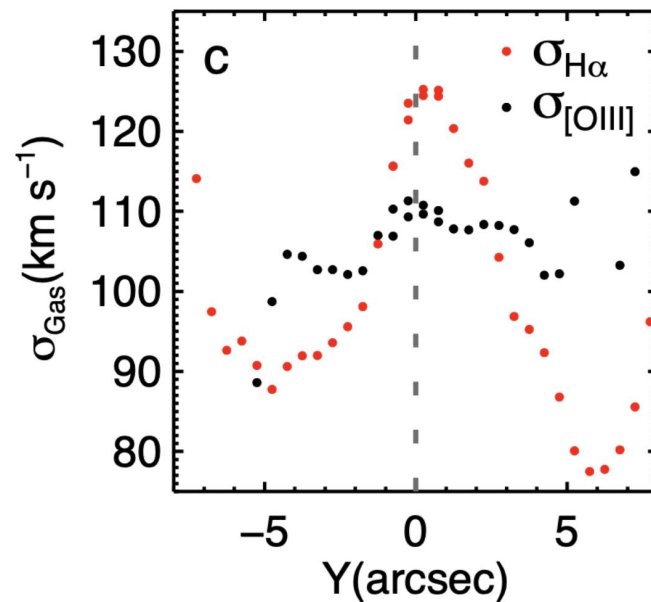
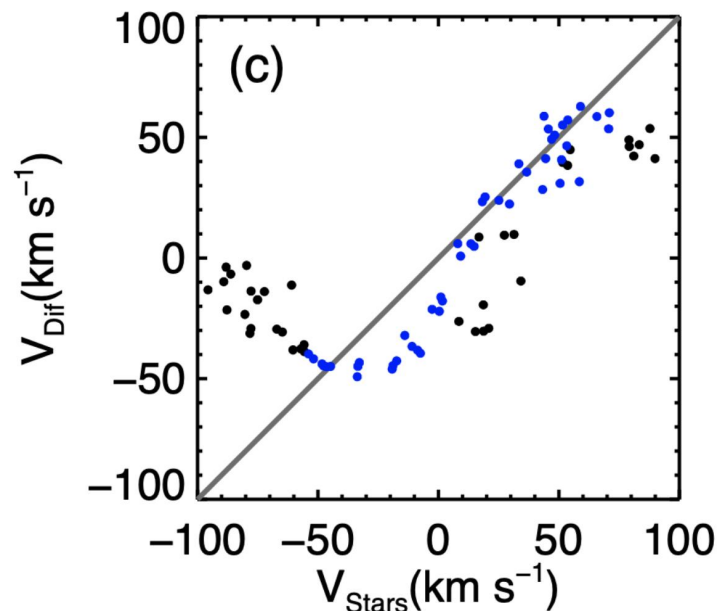
# Stellar and gas kinematics



✓ gas-star CR

✓ two unique kinematic features:

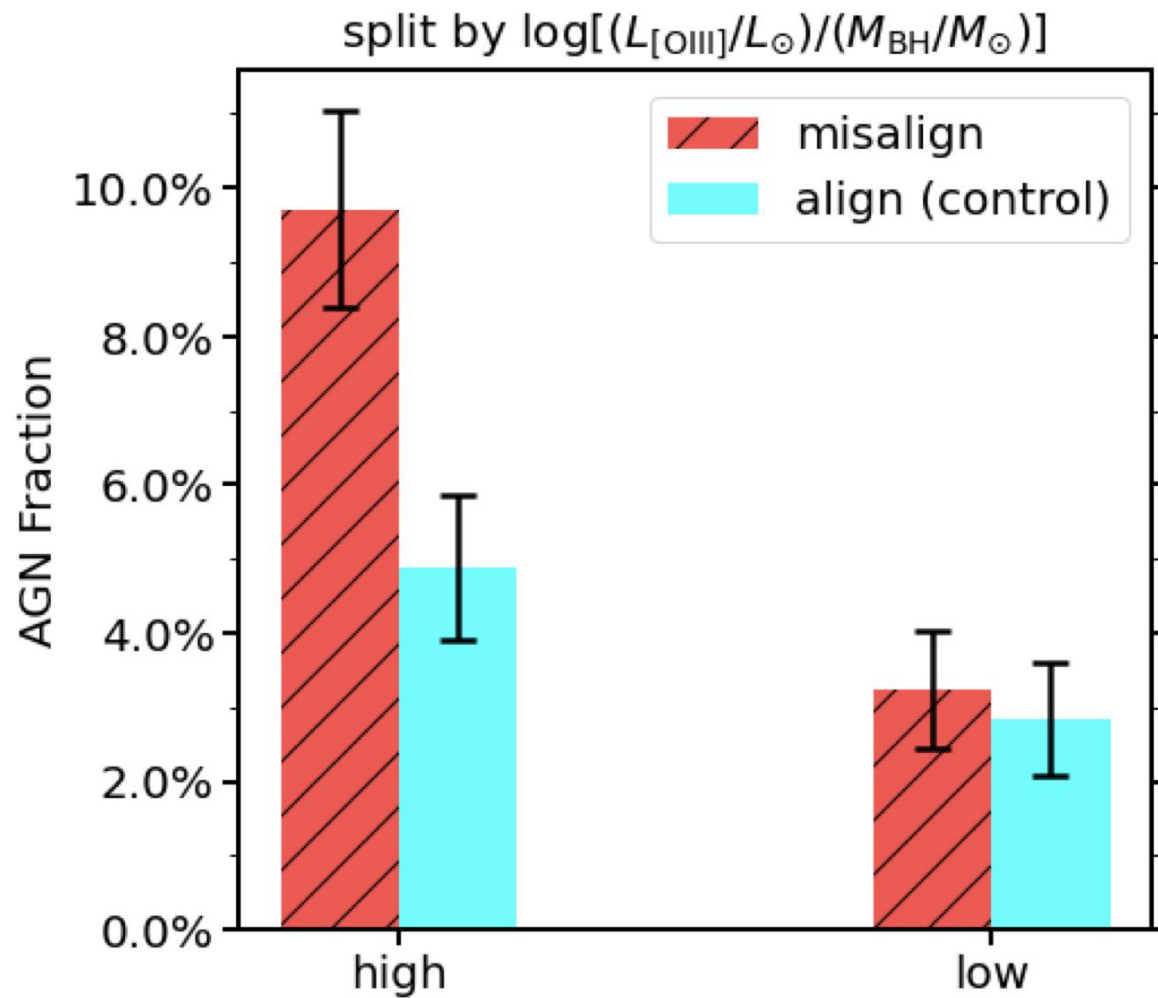
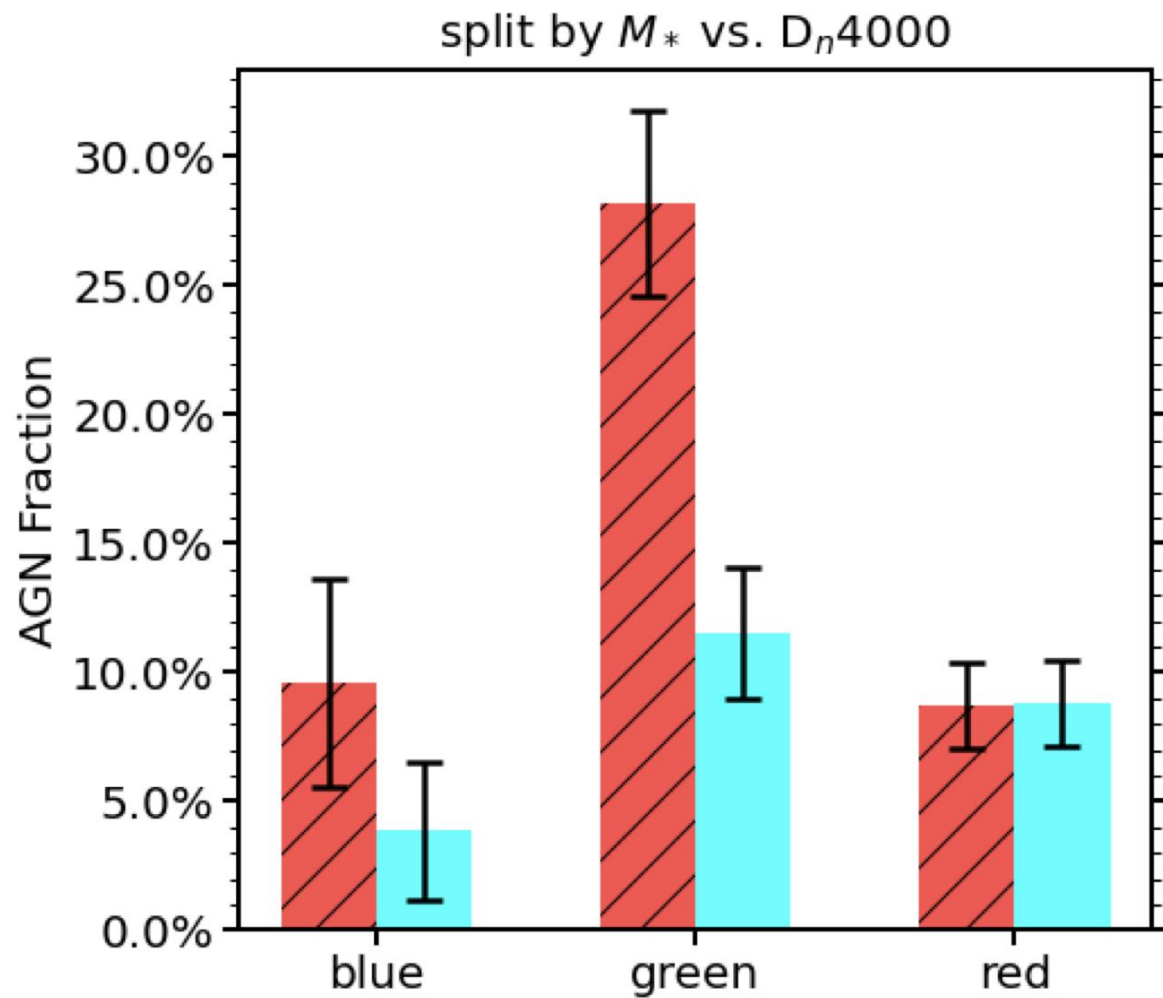
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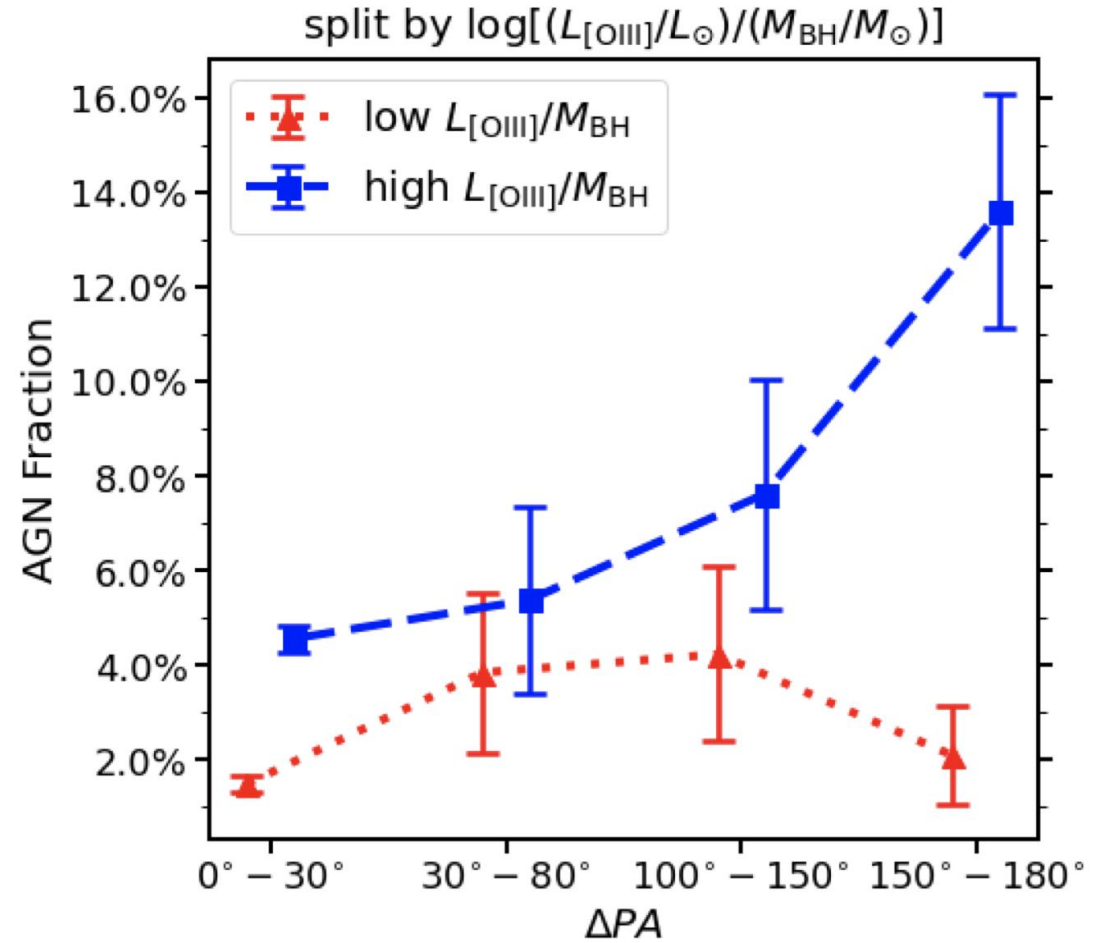
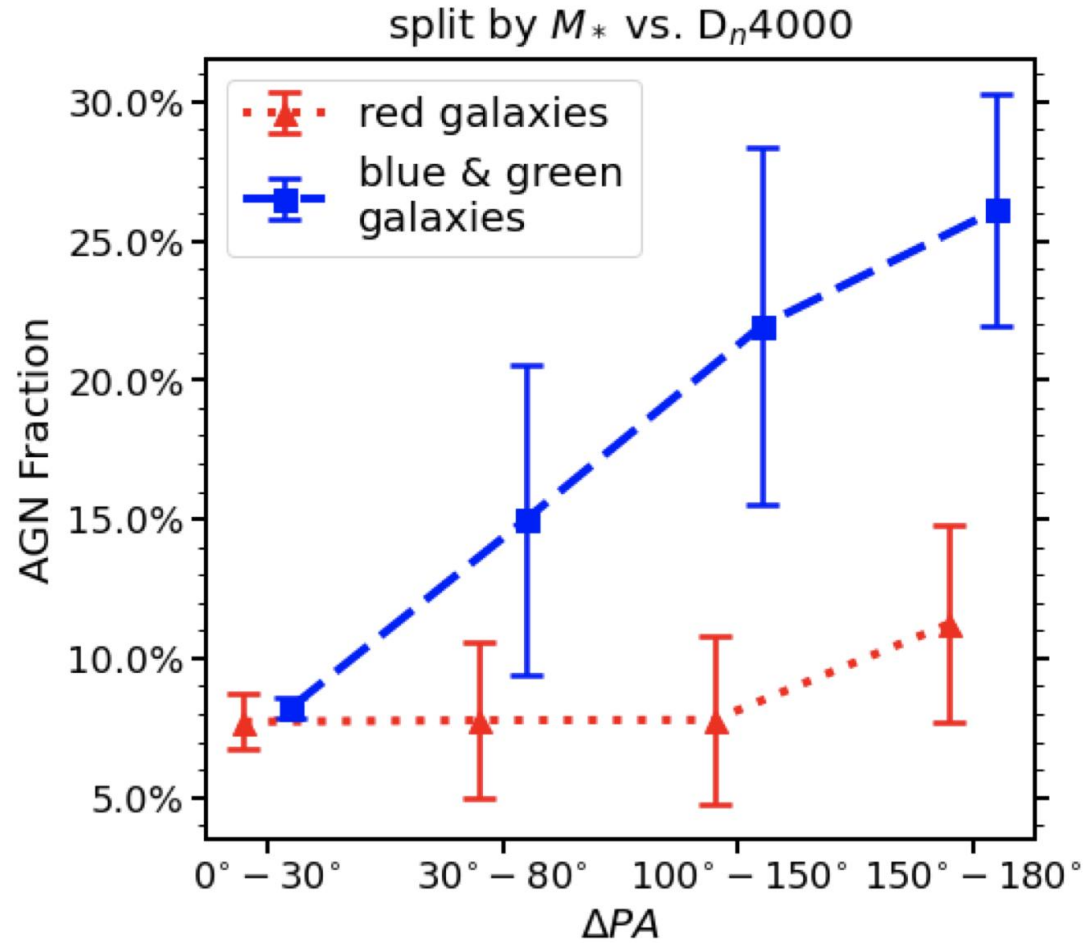
- The phenomenon of different kinematics between  $H\alpha$  and  $[OIII]\lambda 5007$  is ubiquitous in outflow galaxies
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**Thanks !**

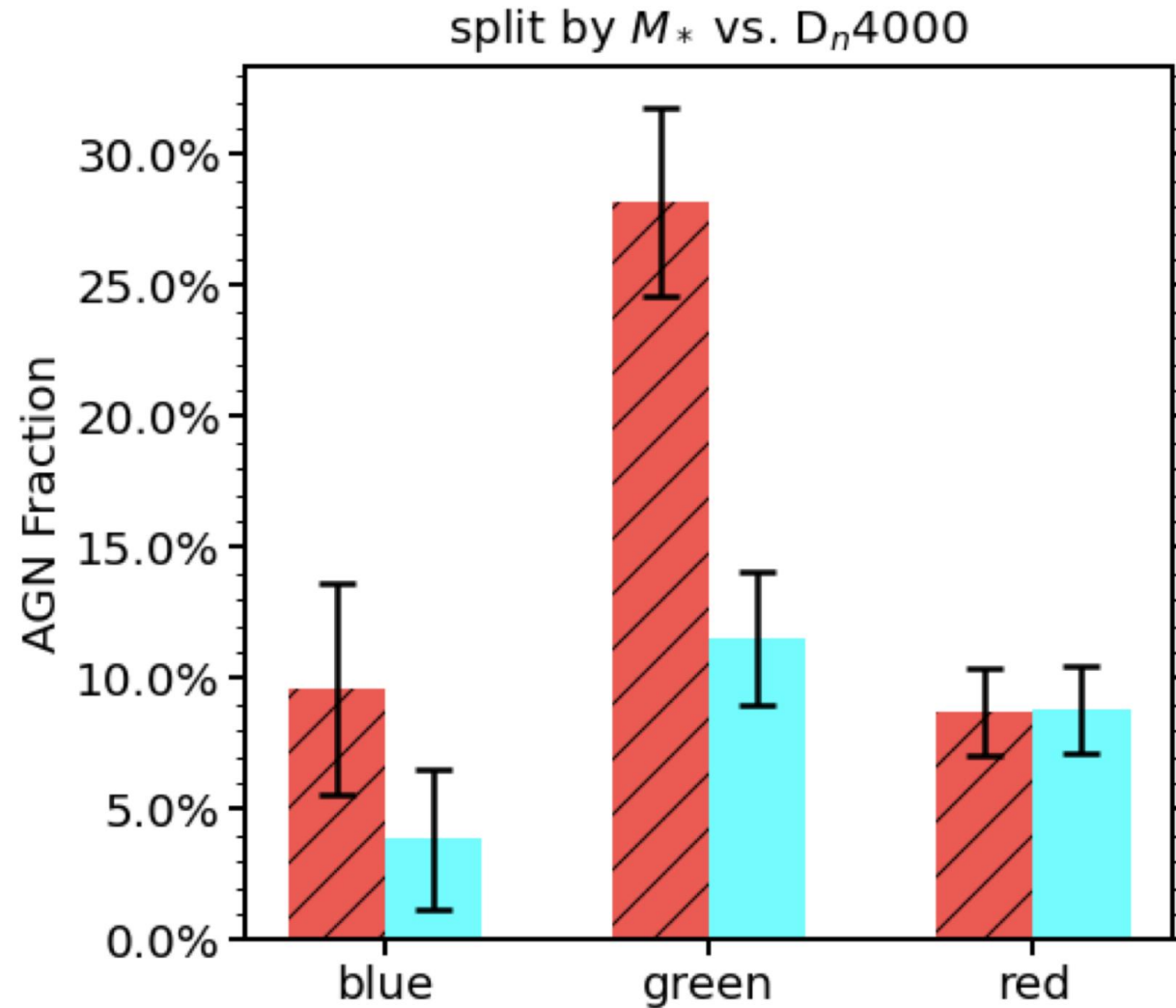
# The higher AGN fraction in misaligned active galaxies



# AGN fraction as a fn. of $\Delta PA$

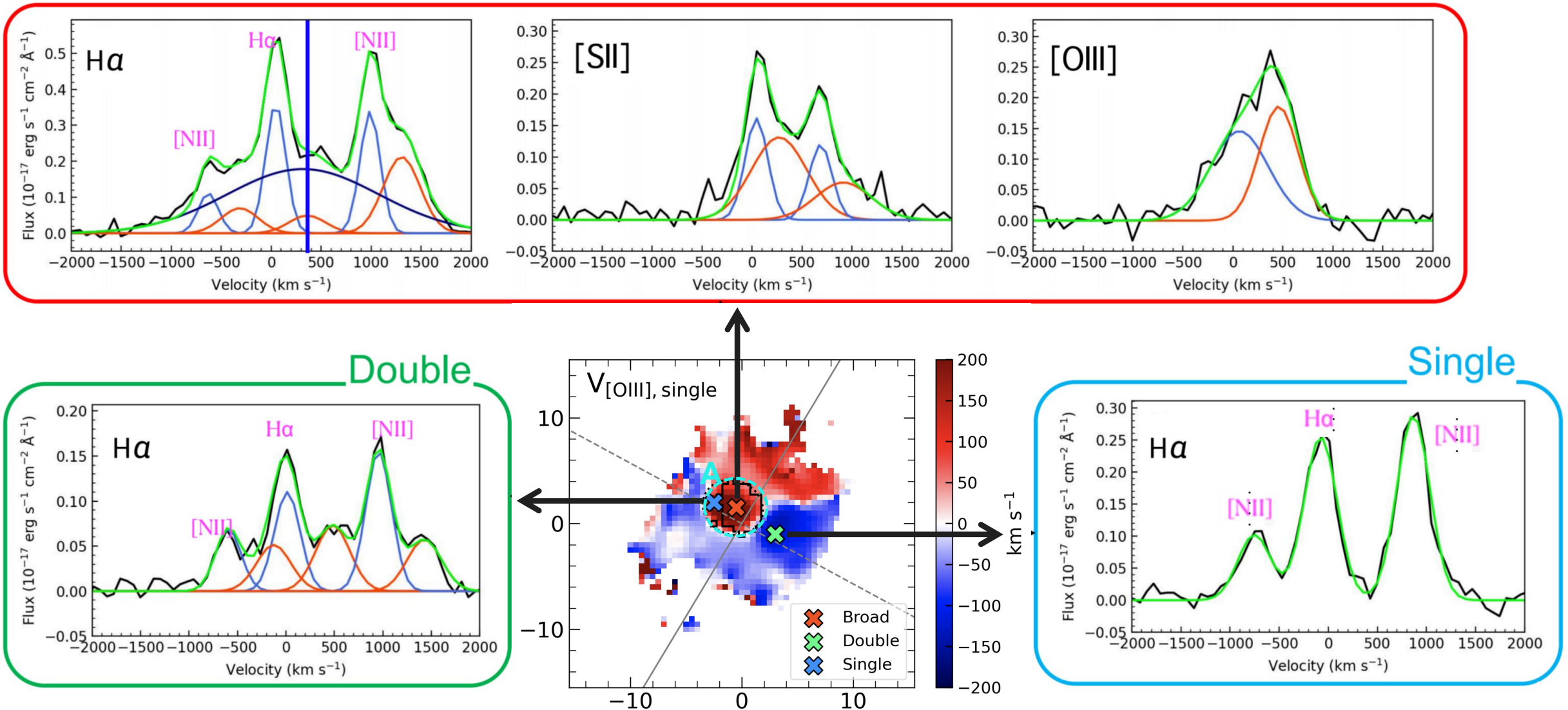


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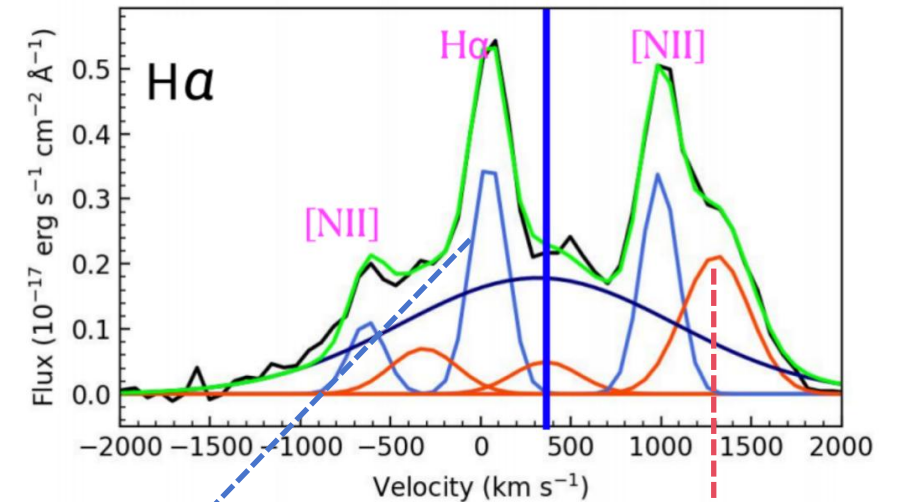
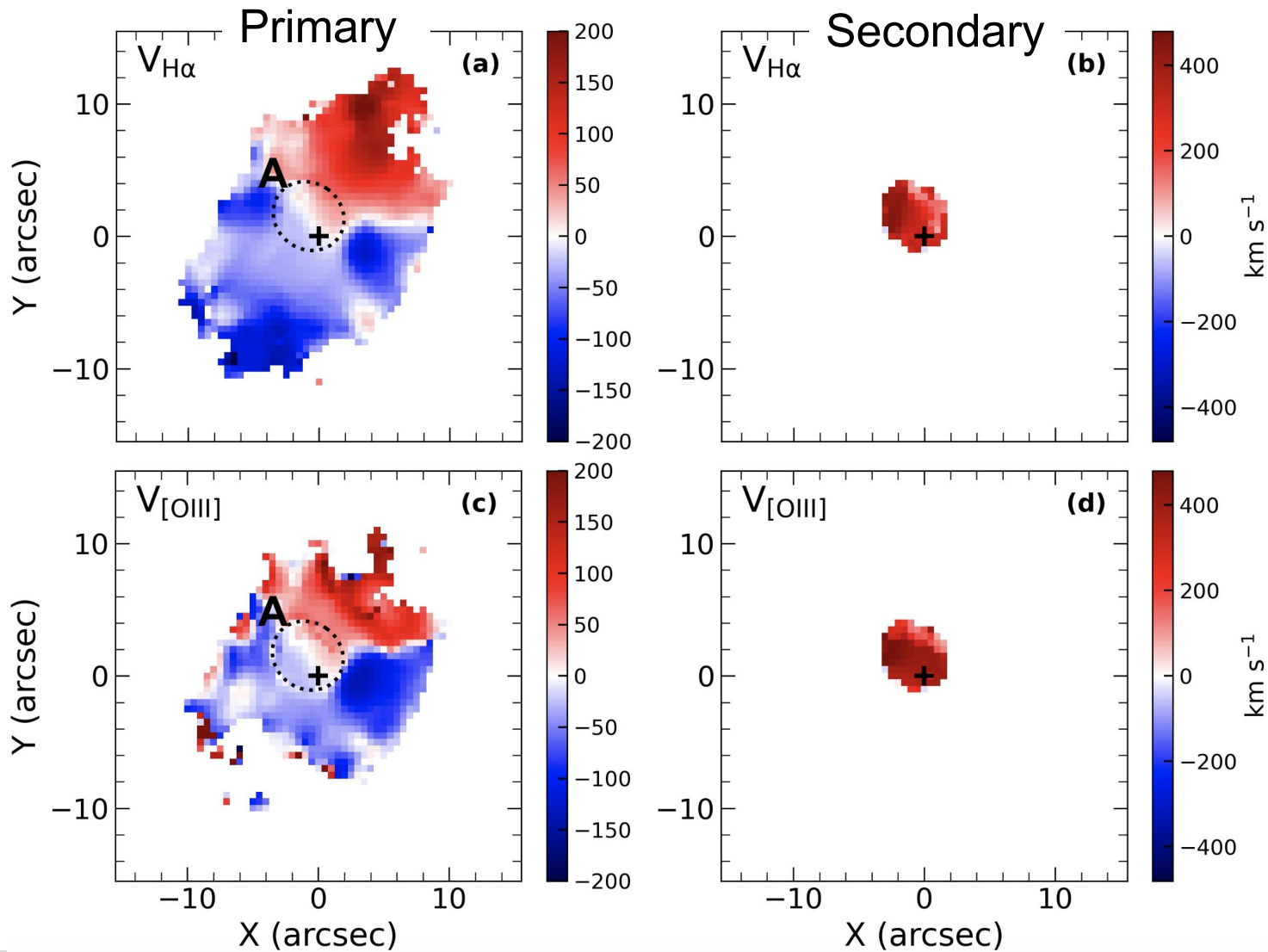
# Emission line features

H $\alpha$  have obvious broad emission at the unexpected redshift region



# Kinematics

## Velocity fields of Primary and Secondary emission line components



**Primary:**  
follows the gas  
disk rotation

**Secondary:**  
redshifted by  
 $\sim 400 \text{ km s}^{-1}$

Broad  $\text{H}\alpha$  components have similar velocities as the secondary components