Near-IR IFU observations of high-redshift



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z~3

z~2.2

Star Forming Galaxies in the high-z Universe

Rapid growth of galaxies at $z \sim 1-4$:

Well defined samples of z=1-6 starforming galaxies now available





Is it possible to get close at high-z (waiting for JWST)?





- Morphology of real objects do not follow the slit
- Light losses
- Resolution depends on slit itself...
- Limited angular resolution (~0.5")



IFU families



Slicer: SINFONI, MUSE, KMOS, NIRspec...

The image slicer of SINFONI converts the two-dimensional field-of-view into an one-dimensional slit that is dispersed



SINFONI

The 0.250"x0.125" pixel scale (f. or w 8"x8") is used for seeing limited observations, with an average resolution ~0.6"



the 0.100"x0.050" scale (f.o.v. 3.2"x3.2") .1"-0.2"

Image slicer

SINFONI raw frame



NMFS et al. (2009); Mancini et al. (2011); and refs. therein

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1st Detailed View of a z~2 Galaxy with Integral Field Spectroscopy + AO



Genzel et al. (Nature, 2006)

Disks vs Mergers

We use Kinemetry to evaluate the asymmetries in the velocity and dispersion fields and quantitative discriminate between rotating system and mergers:



Shapiro et al. (2008); Kinemetry: Krajnović et al. (2006) Template data: Daigle et al. (2006), Colina et al. (2005), Naab et al. (2007), Johansson et al. (2008).



Dynamical modeling of SINS galaxies

- We measure automatically (i.e. robustly and fast) with a X² minimization genetic algorithm the main dynamical properties of z~2 galaxies with prominent rotation signatures using the full 3D dynamical information:
 - Inclination and Position angle
 - Maximum rotational velocity
 - Total dynamical mass
 - σ_0 , the dispersion term not due to rotation

To minimize the number of free parameters, we assume that all the mass is distributed in a simple thin exponential disk model

 $\hfill\square$ The disk model is compared with both the observed Velocity and Dispersion maps of the H α line emission



Large, turbulent disks in place at z=2

Even carefully accounting for beam smeraing effects, an isotropic, **constant dispersion term** σ_0 **throughout the disk is required** to match the observed dispersions in the galaxies

In this sample the median $\langle V/\sigma_0 \rangle = 4.7$ much lower than in local spirals (V/ $\sigma_0 = 10-20$)

Dynamical Modeling example: BzK-6004

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Cresci et al. (2009)

The Tully-Fisher relation

Fundamental to place observational constraints on the assembly history of galaxies and of their stellar and dark masses:

the T-F relation directly links the angular momentum of the dark halo with the stellar population of its disks.



The interpretation of the evolution of a luminosity based T-F is difficult: luminosity and angular momentum are evolving at the same time:

Stellar Mass T-F

(e.g. Bell & de Jong 2001, McGaugh et al. 2005, Pizagno et al. 2005, Meyer et al. 2008, Torres-Flores et al. 2011)

Bell & de Jong (2001)

The stellar mass T-F relation evolution

The limited data at higher redshift suggest that the zero-point of the relation evolves only modestly at higher redshift



Conselice et al. (2005)



The evolution of individual galaxies up to z~1.2 occurs mainly along the relation

Kassin et al. (2007)

see also Puech et al. (2008), Meyer et al. (2008), Gnerucci et al. (2011)

The z=2.2 Tully-Fisher relation

With our data we can push for the first time the study of the evolution of scaling relations **up** to $z\sim2.2$ for a sizeable sample:



Thanks to our selection and full 3D coverage of the dynamics, a **remarkably low scatter** is observed

 $\log(M_*) = -0.09 + 4.49 \times \log(V_{max})$

We detect a significant (3.6σ) **evolution of the zero point** of the relation respect to z=0

Cosmological SPH simulations by Sommer-Larsen et al. (2008) predict a zero-point shift of the relation at z~2, as observed.

Cresci et al. (2009)

Improved Virial masses with Spectroastrometry

"Classical" virial mass estimator



$$M(r_e) = f \frac{r_e V_{circ}^2}{G}$$

"Spectroastrometric" virial mass estimator

$$M(r_e) = f \frac{r_{spec} FWHM^2}{G}$$



 $r_{spec} = D/2$

Spectroastrometric mass estimator



Calibration of the mass estimator



Gnerucci et al. 2011

Dynamical Evolution of Gas-rich Disks

Massive $(M_* \sim 10^{10} - 10^{11} M_{\odot})$, high star-forming $(SFR \sim 100 M_{\odot}/yr)$, gas rich disks in place at $z \sim 2$ incompatible with being major merger remnants (Shapiro et al. 2008, Cresci et al. 2009, but also Wright et al. 2007, Bournaud & Elmegreen 2009, van Starkenburg et al. 2008, Genzelet al. 2010, Tacconi et al. 2010)

• Tight correlation between M_* , SFR (and metallicity) for star forming galaxies up to z=1-2.5: small space for short duty cycle merger events (*Elbaz et al. 2007, Daddi et al. 2008, Pannella et al. 2009, Förster Schreiber et al. 2009, Mannucci et al. 2010*)



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SFR

rather than violent mergers ! Mannucci et al. (2010)

Star formation in large clumps



Förster Schreiber et al. (2011); Genzel et al. (2008)

Clump size 0.15"-0.4" comparable to the Jeans length for these gravitationally instable disks (~0.3")



(Also, Cowie et al. 1995; van den Bergh et al. 1996; Giavalisco et al. 1996; Conselice et al. 2004; Lotz et al. 2004; Papovich et al. 2005; Toft et al. 2007; Law et al. 2007; Elmegreen, Elmegreen, et al. 2004-2008; and others)

Vigorous Stellar Feedback in Clumps

- Clump mass outflow rates ~ 1 10 x SFRs
- Lifetimes of most actively star-forming clumps limited to a few 100 Myrs



Large-scale galactic winds at high z: e.g., Pettini et al. (2000); Shapley et al. (2003); Erb et al. (2006/08); Shapiro et al. (2009); Weiner et al. (2010); Steidel et al. (2010); Law et al. (2011), Wisnioski et al. (2011)

Bulge Formation in Gas-rich High z Disks

In-situ Observations NICMOS/NIC2 SINFONI+LGS-A0 $v(H\alpha)$ [km/s] H_{160} 0.5" (4kpc) 1.0" (8kpc) -150 $\frac{1}{v(H\alpha) [km/s]}$ NICMOS/NIC2 SINFONI+A0 NACO + AO K band $v(H\alpha)$ [km/s] -100 1" (8kpc) +120 Contours: NACO+AO K band

Numerical Simulations



Genzel et al. (2008/11); NMFS et al. (2011b)

Also, e.g., Noguchi99; Immeli+04; Governato+06/07; Carollo+07; Burkert+09; Dekel+09; Aumer+10; Ceverino+10; Genel+11

Cold flows/minor mergers Internal/secular processes

(e.g., Dekel & Birnboim 2003, 2006; Kereš et al. 2005; d'Onghia et al. 2006; Noguchi 1999; Immeli et al. 2004; Bournaud et al. 2007; Dekel et al. 2009)





Velocity-Size Correlation: High-z Disks vs Dissipative Mergers



Bouché, Cresci et al. (2007); Tacconi et al. (2006)

(see also: Courteau et al. 1996; 1997; 2007, Daddi et al 2005; Trujillo et al 2006; Toft et al 2007; 2008; Zirm et al 2007; Cimatti et al 2008; van Dokkum et al 2008)

Gas-Rich Major Mergers

SMMJ163650+4057 (N2 850.4) z=2.39

(e.g., Toomre & Toomre 1972; Barnes & Hernquist 1996; Springel & Hernquist 2005; di Matteo et al. 2005; Naab & Burkert 2003, 2006)

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metallicity: a fundamental parameter

* **Dynamics** and **Star Formation Rate** reveal the *current* status of galaxies, linking baryonic physics to dark matter and cosmological simulations.

*Metallicity and relative element abundances indirectly traces the *integrated* galaxy SFH, not only the current SFR, reflect the cycling of gas through stars, and any exchange of gas between galaxy and its environment (infall/outflows)

Together, spatially-resolved metallicity and dynamics constrain the evolutionary status of galaxies and isolate the physical mechanisms that drive Star Formation

Different metallicities

Stellar metallicity

Represents an average over the entire star formation history of the galaxy

Gas-phase metallicity:

Sensitive to infalls and outflows

Measuring metallicities

Gas phase metallicity from strong optical lines redshifted in the NIR





Nagao et al. 06, Maiolino et al. 2008: improved calibrations with low metallicity samples

wavelength (Å)

The mass-metallicity relation



Possible Drivers:

- ✓ star formation history and mass lost
- ✓ downsizing

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- ✓ inflows and merging
- ✓ outflows and feedback (AGN, SNe)
- ✓ evolution in IMF





Crucial test for models!

Expecially at high-z, where the predictions of different models diverge more

See Kobayashi+ 2007; Brooks+ 2007; de Rossi+ 2007;Dave' & Oppenheimer 2007; Dalcanton, 2007; De Lucia+ 2004; Tissera+ 2005; Koppen+ 2007; Cid Fernandes+ 2007; Finlator & Dave', 2008, Panter+ 2008, Governato+ 2008, Sakstein+ 2009; Calura+ 2009, Save', Finlator & Oppenheimer 2011...

AMAZE....with LSD



1. Near-IR Integral Field Spectroscopy with SINFONI@VLT

AMAZE (Assessing the Mass-Abundance redshift(Z) Evolution):

- ♦ seeing limited, a sample of 30 LBGs at 3<z<5</p>
- * 180h (PI: Maiolino) Maiolino et al. 2008, Cresci et al. 2010, Troncoso et al. 2011

LSD (Lyman-break galaxies Stellar populations and Dynamics):

- ♦ diffraction limited with AO, an unbiased sample of 10 LBGs at 3<z<4</p>
- * 70h (PI: Mannucci) Mannucci et al. 2009, Gnerucci et al. 2010, Sommariva et al. 11
- 2. Near-IR Multi Object Spectroscopy with LUCIFER@LBT
 - ♦ 4 Steidel fields, ~10 z=3 LBGs/field

♦ 40h (PI: Cresci) observations ongoing...









Evolution of the mass-metallicity relation



z~0.07 SDSS

z~0.8-1 GDSS+CFRS (Savaglio+05), GOODS (Cowie & Barger 09) VVDS (Lamareille+09, Perez-Monteiro+09)) IMAGES (Rodrigues+08) DEEP2 (Zahid+10)

z~2.2 LBG (Shapley+04, Erb+06) BzK (Hayashi+11) Lenses (Richard+10)

z~3.3 O AMAZE (Maiolino+08, Troncoso+11)) LSD (Mannucci +09) LUCIFER (Cresci+11)

z~5 • AMAZE M-Z relation already in place at z~3.5

Strong and fast evolution of the M-Z relation beyond z~2?

(BUT: it is not tracing the evolution of individual galaxies)

Inflows and Outflows

In a "*closed box model*" with instantaneous recycling, instantaneous mixing, and low metallicities:

 $Z = y_{true} \cdot \ln(1/f_{gas})$

y_{true} = stellar yield, i.e., the ratio between the amount of metals produced and returned to the ISM and the mass of stars.

The measured values of $y_{eff} = Z/ln(1/f_{gas})$ could differ from the true stellar yields y if some of the assumptions do not hold, in particular if the system *is not a closed box*





Mannucci et al. 2009

Metallicity Gradients

Interplay between in- and out-flows, redistribution of mass within galaxies, radially dependent SFH, mixing due to a stellar bar, clump migration, etc

Fingerprints of galaxy evolution!

Negative radial metallicity gradient in local spiral galaxies: the central disk region is more metal-enriched than the outer regions.

At higher redshift, steeper gradients measured in two gravitationally lensed galaxies at z~1.5 and z~2 with near-IR IFU spectra, supporting "inside-out formation"

But more complex situation in larger samples: even positive "inverted" gradients at z~1.5 in MASSIV galaxies

(but see also Werk et al. 2010 at z=0)



Contini et al. 2011

Metallicity Gradients



Thanks to the IFU near-IR data <u>First metallicity maps at z~3:</u>

- Three undisturbed disks
- Well defined regions close to the SF peak are less metal enriched than the disk

Direct evidence for massive infall of metal poor gas feeding the star formation



Cresci et al. 2010, Nature

NIRspec IFU

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CLS Argon lamp taken with the Band II high resolution grating and the target acquisition filter

- λ< 2.3µm: no atmosphere (OH lines & bandpasses)
- λ > 2.3µm, unique facility (sensitivity and wavelength, e.g. H α at *z*>2.5)

Perfectly matched with MOS: large samples and detailed studies of key targets

While waiting...





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24 cryogenic pick-up arms Each 2.8"x2.8" IFU (0.2" sampling) coverage 0.8-2.5µm (Iz, YJ, H, K, HK) resolution ~3500

24 identical IFUs covering contiguous field λ =465-930nm with R=1700-3500 7.4"×7.4" at 0.025" or 60"×60" at 0.2"

MUSE

Summary

IFU Spectroscopy is an unique tool: looking forward to NIRspec

Fundamental insights on the physical mechanisms responsible for galaxy formation and evolution

Dynamics in high-z galaxies:

Majority of disk-like systems among rest frame UV selected galaxies at $z\sim2$ Significantly more turbulent and gas rich rthan local disks Large clumps with significant feedback

• Chemical evolution in high-z star-forming galaxy:

Evidence for rapid metal enrichment and significant inflows/outflows at high-z; Resolved metallicity gradients provide evidence of pristine gas accretion in star forming disks at high redshift;

First measure of stellar metallicity in high-z star forming galaxies

