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Naive interpretation: revisit galaxy formation theory subject to filament

- because it's interesting (most galaxies are born in filaments)
  - $\star$  to understand what we see in LSS surveys
  - \* for intrinsic alignments: pollution for Weak Lensing?
  - LSS impact non-linearly gas flows (what galaxies are made of!)
  - $\star$  build up of discs via stratified AM rich gas flows

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Classical view: DM+halo catalogue/ merger tree

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### Higher contrast for gas CW

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### improvement: gas dynamics + Cosmic web (IGM)

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#### Revisit paradigm: impact of large scale anisotropy on statistics?

Galaxy property driven by past lightcone of tidal tensor  $\partial^2 \psi / \partial x_i \partial x_j$ non-linear evolution impacted by scale coupling / differential time delays

# $\langle f_{\rm NL}(IC) \rangle \neq f_{\rm NL}(\langle IC \rangle)$ $\langle f_{\rm NL}(IC) \rangle_{\theta,\phi} \neq f_{\rm NL}(\langle IC \rangle_{\theta,\phi})$

Spherical collapse does not capture filamentary tides...



Proto halo will be impacted by **all** components of Tidal tensor (not just trace, also eigenvectors+other minors)



# Let's focus on morphology...

### The Hubble diagram: a crude theorist's view

# driven by angular momentum distribution acquisition



### What drives coherent secondary infall?

## Fact number one

# "theoretically", a galactic disc:



### An ensemble of ring made of gas,

- turning around the same axis
- whose outer parts rotate with more angular momentum (flat rotation curve)

## Fact number two

The Virtual (dark matter) universe

Voids become more void

Filaments drifts...



... and get **distorted** 

not much happens on LS: which is good & expected

 $t_{\rm dyn} \sim 1/\sqrt{\rho}$ 

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# Fact number two

Peak attract catastrophically

Velocity flow in expanding universe

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## Fact number four

### The Virtual (hydrodynamical) universe



### Cosmic web SHARPER

2 kpc

z=99.00

Agertz et al. (2009)

we see cold flows + recurrent disk reformation LSS drives secondary infall & SPIN ALIGNMENT

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# **Context & clues**

standard hierarchical clustering picture







aka completely useless (nautical) analogy that probably only the author understands

disc must have a coherent stratified angular momentum
 surrounding void/wall repel (contrast<0) & contribute to secondary infall</li>
 gas shocks isothermally during shell crossing, follows filaments closely
 galaxies form and evolve <u>on</u> the cosmic web

### The proposition in one sentence

Disks (re)form because LSS are large (dynamically young) and (partially) an-isotropic : they induce persistent angular momentum advection of cold gas along filaments which stratifies accordingly so as to (re)build discs continuously.

### **Clues from LSS**

"Proof by halo centric environment"

a.k.a

proof by hypnosis, fishy analogy & mathematical jargon

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## Skeleton of the LSS



### traces filaments via crest lines of the density field

# Time line of LSS

full history of universe at once !



# Drift of filaments

**Time-line evolution** of filamentary structure of one halo void induced cosmic drift

# Drift of filaments

Time-line evolution of filamentary structure of one halo





# Drift of filaments

Time-line evolution of filamentary structure of one halo









### Do we see this?

"Proof" by visualisation of hydrodynamical simulation

a.k.a

## proof by pretty pictures

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typical setting: one wall one filament

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### locus of 3rd shock

## Note the high **helicity** of inflow: AM rich quasi-**polar** accretion

### **Explain this !**

in fact

8 corkscrew/

filament...

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# What's happening on larger scales?

How is the cosmic web woven? i.e Where do galaxies form in our Universe? What are the dynamical implications?



NB: constraint shift mean and RMS!

### Peak background split in 3D



#### with boost

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and keep in mind the covariances are also shifted !!  $\sigma_{Y|X}^2 = \sigma_Y^2(1 - \rho^2)$ = biased local clock = strength of environment

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with

0

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# Tidal Torque Theory in one cartoon

Can we understand where spin and vorticity alignments come from?

-usual tidal torque theory

$$L_k = \varepsilon_{ijk} I_{li} T_{lj}$$

inertia tensor of halo I<sub>ij</sub>

YES! via conditional TTT subject to CW

Et Voilà !

# Tidal/Inertia mis-alignment



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# Excess probability of alignment between the spins and their host filament

#### mass transition:

 $M_{\rm crit} = 4 \cdot 10^{12} M_{\odot}$ 

 $M < M_{\rm crit}$ : aligned

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(Codis et al, 2012)

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# Alignement of vorticity with cosmic web



#### Low-mass haloes: $M < M_{crit}$



redshift

### High-mass haloes: $M > M_{crit}$



$$M_{\rm crit} = 4 \cdot 10^{12} M_{\odot}$$

formed later by mergers inside the filaments



# How do mergers along the filaments create spin perpendicular to them?



# What about galaxies?



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# Virtual galaxies



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Filament-galactic spin & mass



# Can morphological/physical properties of galaxies trace spin flip?



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#### Galactic morphologies: shape Smooth accretion



[2b]

### Galactic morphologies: shape mergers

#### MERGERS

Mergers turn disks into spheroids

[2b]

Even minor mergers can create spheroid remnants

Cumulated probabilities of axis ratios  $\xi$  for mergers with different mass ratios over a time step (250 Myr)



# Spin swing dynamics Smooth accretion

### SMOOTH ACCRETION



Gas inflows build up the galactic spin

$$\delta\lambda(n+1) = \frac{L_{n+1} - L_n}{L_{n+1} + L_n}$$

#### PDF of $\delta\lambda(p)$ for 4 different $\delta t_p$



 δλ(p) : angular momentum contrast over timestep δt<sub>p</sub>=(p-n)\*δt  Mergers grow galactic size much more efficiently than smooth accretion.

 Gas poor mergers trigger stronger increase in effective radius.

multiple minor merger explains the loss of compacityt of spheroids at low redshift.

Angular momentum: hidden variable





Horizon-AGN mock observations

Helicity rich satellite distribution consistent with filamentary polar accretion towards flipped central



# what about real galaxies?

# Evidences of galaxy spin - filament alignment

Cosmic Filament





Aragon-Calvo+ 2007, Hahn+ 2007, Paz+ 2008, Zhang+ 2009, Codis+ 2012, Libeskind+ 2013, Aragon-Calvo 2013, Dubois+ 2014

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See also:

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# **Influence of Cosmic Web : GAMA**







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#### Kraljic+17,

# GAMA



S. Arnouts Galaxy life-cycle Venice October 2016

LAM
## ANR influence of CW: vipers

## Reconstructing the cosmic web: galaxy distribution

keleton extraction in VIPERS W1, 0.4<z<1, i<sub>AB</sub><22.5, scale of ~10cMpc (Malavasi+16)



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#### Our strategy with COSMOS2015 (Laigle et al 2016)



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## Explain transition mass?





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#### Transition mass versus redshift: <a href="https://www.wature.com">what's wrong???</a>





# Tidal torque theory with a peak background split near a **saddle**



Can we understand where spin and vorticity alignments come from?



-anisotropy of the cosmic web: surrounding of a saddle point with typical geometry



## Tidal/Inertia mis-alignment



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### spin wall -filament



spin filament-cluster

animation?



Spin structure AM AM vectors vectors near Saddle  $L_k = \varepsilon_{ijk} I_{li} T_{lj}$  $\approx \varepsilon_{ijk} H_{li} T_{lj}$ Hessian Tida



Spin structure Flattened filament AM vectors near Saddle  $L_k = \varepsilon_{ijk} I_{li} T_{lj}$  $\approx \varepsilon_{ijk} H_{li} T_{lj}$ saddle p Zeldovitch flow





## 3D Transition mass ?

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High mass patch  $L \propto e_{\phi}$ Low mass patch  $L \propto e_z$ 

Geometry of the saddle provides **a natural 'metric'** (local frame as defined by Hessian @ saddle) relative to which **dynamical evolution** of DH is predicted.

cloud in cloud effect



**Figure 5.** Left: logarithmic cross section of  $M_p(r, z)$  along the most likely (vertical) filament (in units of  $10^{12} M_{\odot}$ ). Right: corresponding cross section of  $\langle \cos \hat{\theta} \rangle(r, z)$ . The mass of halos increases towards the nodes, while the spin flips.

geometric split — mass split

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cloud effect



Figure 6. Mean alignment between spin and filament as a function of mass for a filament smoothing scale of 5 Mpc/h. The spin flip transition mass is around  $4 \, 10^{12} M_{\odot}$ .

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Only 2 ingredients: a) spin is spin one b) filaments flattened

## Link with Eulerian vorticity?



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### Growth of the large-scale structure

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Initial phase of structure formation: laminar and curl-free flows This is no longer valid at the shell-crossing



## Vorticity generation

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## Alignement of vorticity with cosmic web





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#### Geometry of the vorticity cross-section



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at the edges of the filament

-- Galaxies and their environment --

Vorticity vector field

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### Halo spin-vorticity alignment

#### Laigle+15



-- Galaxies and their environment --

#### Mass transition for spin alignment



Idealized toy model: The position is fixed and the radius of the halo increases

Transition mass is correlated with the size of the quadrants

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#### Revisit

## Alignement of spin with cosmic web



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## Let's now focus on colours...

Dark Matter Halos Assembly in the Frame of the Saddle Points of the Cosmic Web

or how does the cosmic web impacts assembly bias

Revisit (up crossing) excursion set theory / saddle





 Gaussian random field (initial conditions ↔ CMB)

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= local clock = strength of environment

#### in frame of saddle

extra degree of freedom,  $Q(\theta, \phi)$ , provides a supplementary vector space

density



 $\Delta M_{\star}(\mathbf{r}) \propto \delta_{S} \xi_{20}(r) Q$ 

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**Typical mass** 

#### Accretion rate $@ \approx 3 \times 10^{11} M_{\odot} \& z = 0$ in frame of saddle



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#### **Gradient alignment** in frame of saddle



#### cross product of normals

| ( | $\partial \dot{M}_{\star}$ | $\partial M_{\star}$   | $\partial \dot{M}_{\star}$        | $\partial M_{\star}$    | $\tilde{\nabla}O$ |
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- background:  $\rho$
- dotted M
- dashed  $\dot{M}$
- $\Rightarrow$  different gradients

accretion rate is not a function of mass and density alone

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#### Effect of large scale







#### Results

- Different gradients for different quantities
- Effects beyond mass & local density
- DM halo in nodes (resp. filaments)
  - form later
  - accrete more
  - are more massive

than in filaments (resp. voids)

# Take home message...

- Morphology (= AM stratification) driven by LSS in cosmic web: it explains Es -> Sps where, how & why from ICs
- Signature in correlation between spin and internal kinematic structure of cosmic web on larger scales.

Process driven by simple biassed clustering dynamics:

- requires conditioning TTT to saddles: simple theory
- can be expressed into an Eulerian theory via vorticity

Where galaxies form does matter, and can be traced back to ICs Flattened filaments generate point-reflection-symmetric AM/vorticity distribution: they induce the observed spin transition mass

 can be applied to galactic colours as well through extension of excursion set theory: secondary effect on accretion rate.

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## Merci !



## Effect of Zel'dovich in frame of saddle

#### Need to take into account Zel'dovich-boost



• gradients align

isocontours of mass, density, accretion rate

information attenuated





meridional accretion @ all z & mass



# Meridional maps: advected momentum

 $\langle \rho_{\rm gas} L_z v_r \rangle$ 



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Filamentary Accretion: coherent orientation







Coherent ang. moment orientation

