AGN and galaxies





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AGN feedback: challenges in the 2020s





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AGN activity is not a rare event





NGC4395 (Filippenko & Ho 2003)



Similar mass build-up history







$M\text{-}\sigma$





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AGN feedback: radio and quasar mode



Light dominated by host galaxy

Direct AGN light

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Heckman & Best 14

What have we learned?

AGN outflows are common

AGN feedback: radio mode





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McNamara+09

AGN feedback: local Universe



Massive multi-phase outflows extended on kpc scales.



AGN-driven outflows





AGN feedback: high-z





Is AGN affecting the host galaxy?



Star-formation (narrow H_{α}) is heavily suppressed in the region where the strongest outflow is traced by $[OIII]\lambda 5007$





Timescales



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Hickox+14

AGN feedback: positive

Theory: AGN-induced pressure on gas rich disk or triggered sf in the outflow (e.g. Silk+13; Ishibashi & Fabian 13; Zubovas & King 13, 14)

Observations







Where we stand and (near) future



- Tracing feedback at different cosmic epochs
- Characterize the physic of the feedback process

How representative is my sample of the overall AGN population?



BH demography

X-ray: Athena+

Wide Field Imager (WFI)

Launch date: 2028



Angular resolution: 5" (goal 3") on axis Energy range: 0.3-12 keV Field of view: 40' (goal 50')









X-ray: Athena+



Athena+ will allow us to trace the BH growth at the re-ionization epoch BUT we will get also for "free" large samples of Seyfert like AGNs at 2<z<6



X-ray: Athena+ 1Ms field

CDF-S





X-ray: Athena+ \rightarrow follow-up



Source density N(S>10^{-16.5} cgs, z>1) ~10,000 deg⁻²

- NIR: z > 1•
- $FoV \sim 500 \text{ armin}^2$
- Multiplexing: > 500 (~1300 targets)
- R > 5,000 (HR for BH masses)

R<26: VLT (e.g. MOONS) R>26: NIR MOS @ E-ELT





Radio: SKA deep radio surveys

Why radio?

- ✓ Complete census of RL and RQ AGN
- ✓ Unaffected by obscuration
- ✓ Sub-arcsec resolution



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Smolcic+15







The radio emission in RQ AGN is probably due to SF activity (e.g. Padovani+13; Bonzini+15) \rightarrow need multi-wl ancillary data (X-ray, optical, IR).







Updated from Padovani+11







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- S>1µJy good match with LSST and JWST and ELTs (but limited region of the sky)
- S<1µJy "radio only" information (HI redshifts, size, morphology, spectral index)

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Deep3a-155040 Q2343-BX610 zC400528 Deep3a-6004 0

Förster Schreiberl+14

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NIR IFU MOS + LTAO @ VLT

Source density and survey speed: $N(S>10^{-16}$ cgs, z>1) ~400 deg⁻² (20 objects in a KMOS like patrol field) $N(S>10^{-16.5}cqs, z>1) \sim 10,000 deg^{-2}$ (480 objects in a KMOS like patrol field)





Tracing the ionized component at z>2: **NIR IFU** (e.g. [OIII]λ5007) mass-outflow rate & kinetic energy

> 0.1" resolution (1" @ z~2=8.3kpc) **AO** assisted



spaxel: 20 x 20 mas HARMONI fov: 3.0"x4.3" λ: 0.47-2.5 μm







Tracing the molecular component at z>1: **ALMA** CO J 2-1, 3-2,....





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Carilli & Walter 13

Physics of the AGN feedback



 $\lambda_{Edd} \alpha M_{BH}/L_{bol}$: mid-high resolution NIR spectroscopy & UV-NIR photometry

Trace the multi-phase gas outflows as $f(\lambda_{Edd})$. NIR IFU MOS + LTAO @ VLT

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ALMA (CO, HCN)







AGN feedback impact on the host: statistical studies



Does the AGN triggered outflows affect the cold gas reservoir and modify the SFE of its host?

"Normal" galaxies at z>1: PdBI and now ALMA

SFE, f_{gas} for statistical samples of AGN hosts (sampling the MS) in comparison to "normal" galaxies (e.g sSFR, z, M_{\star})

ALMA (CO and continuum)

(e.g. Scoville+14; Genzel+14)









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Which impact has the AGN-driven outflow on dense molecular gas clouds?



ALMA (e.g. HCN J=3->2 in band3 @ z~2)

Is the AGN outflow mostly made of hot gas of low density?



Challenges and wish list



