Effects of the stochasticity of galaxy angular momentum growth on star formation

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I) SAM PERFORMANCE AT HIGH-Z

General deficit of high-z massive galaxies

Example: NEWFIRM Medium Band Survey Marchesini et al. (2010)

By fitting the z=0 LF, and having large initial angular momenta in discs, SAMs slow down the high-z SF



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Missalignments by accretion of material destroy the disc, and a new disc starts to form. Discs are episodic and their spins not constant.



GIMIC

2) ANGULAR MOMENTUM

SAMs do not follow gas: Bett & Frenk (2011) study the occurrence of spin flips in DM halos in a high resolution simulation (using enough particles per halo):



flips produced by infalling material with angular momentum misaligned with that of DM halo.

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Use high resolution Millennium II simulation: Angular momentum followed numerically A halo needs to have at least 1000 particles for a reliable measurement of the three components of its angular momentum vector.

Low resolution (SAMs): Directions of spins assigned using MC simulations

Lagos, Cora & Padilla (2008), Lagos, Padilla & Cora (2009), Tecce et al. (2010)









Resulting ratios between present-day and initial specific angular momentum of disc



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Smaller disc size => higher star formation rates

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Smaller radius makes more frequent instabilities

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Padilla et al., submitted to MNRAS

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Smooth growth in disc size



With episodic discs

Rdisk is smaller, Tdyn is smaller, SFR is higher, comparatively



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CONCLUSIONS

Padilla et al., tonight in arXiv!

Whigh redshift abundances in models and observations have been difficult to reconcile. Observational and modeling techniques are still evolving...

 \bigcirc The infalling material carries only a small contribution to the increase of the angular momentum, with a strong stochastic component => discs become short-lived. Merger driven starbursts are obtained naturally.

Galaxy sizes are more compatible with observations at low and high redshift and stellar mass grows more rapidly at high redshifts..



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Star Formation Activity in Balmer Break Galaxies at z<1.5.

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We derived star formation rates (SFR) and investigated the evolution of the SFR-stellar mass, specific SFR (SSFR)stellar mass and SSFR-color relations as function of the redshift. The studied sample composed of star-forming and post-starburst galaxies, span a redshift range from 0.094 to 1.47, and they have stellar masses from 10⁸-10¹² Msun. We observe that for a given mass or color, high-redshift galaxies have higher SFR and SSFR values than local galaxies. A break in the star-forming sequence appears when post-starburst galaxies are included, revealing an increasing trend with redshift for the SFR/SSFR values. Theses results let us hypothesize about a characteristic mass and color at which the red sequence could mostly be formed at a given redshift.





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APPLYING THE TECHNIQUE: STEPS

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the "Count Matching" Approach: Application to the ECDFS

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METHODOLOGY

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Cosmological periodic comoving boxes.

DM-only: halos of IeI0Msun and up.

Our sim: 640[^]3 particles

Millennium II: 2000^3 particles

MII 100xparticles per halo of equal mass



IB) SEMI-ANALYTIC MODELS

Summary of processes:



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IC) MODELS PERFORMANCE AT HIGH-Z

Submm counts:



Baugh et al. 2005

2) MILLENNIUM II ANALYSIS



Notice that change in direction is larger for mergers.

Cos(alpha_sep) as a function of fraction of accreted mass.



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2) ANGULAR MOMENTUM IN SAMS

Assumption:

The angular momentum of the dark matter is carried by the baryons.

Flips in DM => Flip in baryons

Cooling baryons will find a disc with a different L.

Missaligned accretion prevents the angular momentum of the disc from growing.

(i.e., no need to follow the amplitude of the angular momentum of DM haloes).

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SF efficiency lowered to reproduce LF at z=0

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Implemented in the GALFORM semi-analytic model by Benson & Bower (2010):

Analytic approximation.

Solution Assume infalling cold gas relaxes in halo (also relaxed).

As a result, even though there is more cold gas in galaxies at high-z, the discs are larger: not an important effect on the SFR.



However, in gas simulations most of the gas that forms discs has been in a hot phase, indicating that cold flows are somehow responsible for the existence of a spheroid component.



We adopt two different treatments:

Angular momentum of filament gas as that of a relaxed DM halo: more angular momentum, more gas, larger disc, may not increase SF.

Angular momentum assumed to follow **flips** according to the baryonic mass coming with the cold inflows: comparatively smaller gas disc.

4) COLD GAS INFLOWS IN SAG

In SAG, we use the Sutherland and Dopita metallicity dependent cooling rates:

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}M_{\mathrm{cool}}}{\mathrm{d}t} = 4\pi r_{\mathrm{cool}}^2 \frac{\mathrm{d}r_{\mathrm{cool}}}{\mathrm{d}t}$$

 $t_{\rm cool}(r) = \frac{3}{2} \frac{kT \rho_{\rm g}(r)}{\mu m_{\rm p} n_{\rm e}^2(r) \Lambda(T, Z)}$



4) COLD INFLOWS FROM HYDRODYNAMICAL SIMULATIONS:











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4) RESULTS: Z=0 LF

Do we still reproduce z=0 properties?



4) SPIN OF BHS:

Base model:

We have 3 different mechanism of BH growth: Bondi-Hoyle

The QSO mode

$$\dot{M}_{\rm BH} = rac{f_{\rm BH}}{\Delta T} imes rac{M^{
m sat}}{M^{
m central}} imes rac{M_{
m ColdGas}}{1 + (200 \, {
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with $f_{\rm BH}=0,76$.

The Radio mode

$$\dot{M}_{\rm BH} = \kappa_{\rm AGN} \frac{M_{\rm BH}}{10^8 M_{\odot}} \times \frac{f_{\rm hot}}{0.1} \times \left(\frac{V_{\rm vir}}{200 \,\rm km \, s^{-1}}\right)^3,$$

- with $\kappa_{\rm AGN} = 6 \times 10^{-2} \ {\rm M}_{\odot} \, {\rm yr}^{-1}$.
- Mergers of BHs

$$M_{\rm BH}^{\rm final} = M_{\rm BH}^1 + M_{\rm BH}^2$$

• The BH luminosity

$$L_{\rm BH} = \eta \dot{M}_{\rm BH},$$

with $\eta = 0,1$.

The modification of the cooling rate is given by

$$\dot{M}'_{\rm cool} = \dot{M}_{\rm cool} - \frac{L_{\rm BH}}{V_{\rm vir}^2/2}$$

We limit the luminosity by the "Eddington limit"

$$L_{\rm edd} = \frac{4\pi G m_p}{\sigma_T} M_{\rm BH}$$

Model with BH spin:

$$F(r) = \frac{\dot{M}_0}{4\pi r} f + \frac{1}{r} \frac{-\Omega_{,r}}{(E^+ - \Omega L^+)^2} \int_{r_{\rm ms}}^r (E^+ - \Omega L^+) Hr dr,$$

Higher accretion disc flux.

We use the model of Wang, Xiao & Lei (2002), with the improvement of Wang et al. (2003)



This model allows the coexistence of the BZ and MC processes (CEBZMC).

The magnetic field on the horizon

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$$L_{\rm BH} \equiv 2\int_{r_{\rm ms}}^{\infty} FE^+ 2\pi r dr \\ B_{\rm H}^2 = \frac{2\dot{M}_0}{r_{\rm H}^2} \qquad \qquad = \dot{M}_0(1 - E_{\rm ms}^+) + 4\pi \int_{r_{\rm ms}}^{\infty} H\Omega r dr \\ = \epsilon_0 \dot{M}_0 + L_{\rm MC}$$

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distinguish between different phenomena in the galaxy SFH

