## Halo Occupation Distribution Modeling of AGN Clustering: An Overview

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## Introduction

- Why AGN Clustering is important for understanding the accretion history/mechanism?
  - \* A small fraction of galaxies show AGN activity (It's an event!)
  - When and where, with what mechanism the SMBH accretion occurs? Statistical properties of AGNs give observational clues.
    - Merger driven?
    - Secular Evolution/Internal to galaxy?
  - Observational Clues
    - Luminosty functions and its cosmological evolution (AGN downsizing)
    - Host galaxy properties (green valley, Merger remnant features).
    - Black Hole Demography.
    - <u>Environment</u> and underlying <u>large scale</u> <u>structure (clustering)</u>.



#### Latest determination of X-ray Luminosity Luminosity Function/Evolution



Two redshift break structure revealed.

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Ag Number

AGN Downsizing is still strong!

# Comparison with Semi-analytical models



Semi-analytical models of Marulli+2005; Fanidakis+2012 overpredicts number densities of high luminosity AGNs. Where in the Cosmic Web do AGNs occupy (accretion occurs)?

- Observers see the universe as galaxies, AGNs, clusters etc..
- Theorists see the universe as a bunch of Dark Matter Halos (DMH)--(Maybe an outdated comment!)
- How can we relate these halos with observed objects?

## What are the DMHs?



Dark Matter Halos: The collapsed & Virialized structures

#### **Two-point Correlation Function**

Excess number of pairs separated by r over the random distribution

• Joint probability  $\delta P$  of finding an object in both of the volume elements separated by r is represented by:

 $3D: \delta P = n^2 [1 + \underline{\xi(r)}] \delta V_1 \delta V_2$ 

 $\frac{\delta V_1}{\Gamma}$ r  $\xi(r)=0$  if objects are randomly distributed

In the linear biasing scheme, the two point 3-D auto correlation function ۲ (ACF) is related to bias parameter by:

 $\xi_{\rm obi}(r) = b_{\rm obi}^2 \xi_{\rm mass}(r),$ 

and two point 3-D cross-correlation function (CCF) between catalog 1 and 2 is related to the bias parameters of 1 & 2 by:

 $\xi_{12}(r) = b_2 b_1 \xi_{mass}(r)$ 

#### Clustering measurements $\rightarrow$ AGN bias

- The large-scale bias of dark matter halos depends on its mass.
- Here the "Halo mass" means the largest Virialized structure the object in question belongs to, and NOT represents the sub-halo mass.
- Measurements of bias of a sample of AGNs is an indicator of the "typical" mass of the DMHs that the sample is associated.



 $b_h(\nu) = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}\delta_c} \left[ \sqrt{a}(a\nu^2) + \sqrt{a}b(a\nu^2)^{1-c} - \frac{(a\nu^2)^c}{(a\nu^2)^c + b(1-c)(1-c/2)} \right]$ 

#### This simple relation is only valid in the linear regime (r>~1-2 h<sup>-1</sup> Mpc)

# Modeling of the linear and nonlinear regimes with Halo Occupation Distribution (HOD)





•Model the correlation function as the sum of the contributions from pairs:

- within the same DMHs
- from different DMHs.

#### The HOD modeling is very popular in interpreting galaxy clustering

- Cooray & Sheth (2002) for classivcal review.
- Tinker+2005; 2010; van den Bosch+13 for recent theory

#### **Application to AGN 2P Correlation Functions**

- Padmanabahn+2009
  - SDSS LRG vs optically selected QSOs CCF; satellite fraction>25%
- TM, Krumpe, Coil, Aceves 2011
  - SDSS LRG vs X-ray selected AGNs CCF from ROSAT All-sky survey
- Starikova+2011
  - Chandra Boötes field. Consider both  $r_p$  and  $\pi$  directions. Strict upper limit on satellite fraction (<~0.1).
- Kayo & Oguri+2012 (previous talk)
- Richardson+2012,2013
  - SDSS QSOs and Allevato+11 XMM-COSMOS ACFs.
  - Full galaxy HOD-type parameterization+MCMC parameter search.

### **Construction of HOD models**



In the power spectrum space P(k).

Generated with "camb" (http://camb.info/)

# Large Scales (approx 2-h term)

• Matter (linear) power spectrum:  $P_{matter,lin}(k,z) \rightarrow \xi_{matter,lin}(r,z)$ 

 $-P_{lin,matter}(k,z) = D(z)P_{lin,matter}(k,z=0); D(z)$ , linear growth factor

- Linear biasing (i.e. Scale independent) at large scales
  - $-P_{lin, sample}(k,z) = b_{sample}^{2} P_{lin, matter}(k,z)$

$$-\xi_{lin, sample}(k,z) = b_{sample}^{2} \xi_{lin, matter}(k,z)$$

- DMH bias b(M<sub>h</sub>,z) (e.g. Sheth, Mo, Tormen '01; Tinker+'05,'10)
- DMH mass function \u03c6(M<sub>h</sub>) (e.g. Sheth & Tormen '99; Jenkins et al. 2001;Tinker+'05)
- <*N*(*M*<sub>h</sub>)>: Halo Occupation Distribution (HOD)
  - Mean number of sample objects per DMH as a function of  $M_{\rm h}$ .
- The sample bias  $b_{\text{sample}}$  is the weighted mean  $b(M_{\text{h}},z)$  over DMHs

 $- b_{sample} = \int b(M_h) < N(M_h) > \phi(M_h) dM_h / \int < N(M_h) > \phi(M_h) dM_h$ 

## Small Scales (1-halo term)

#### • $< N(M_h) > = < N_c(M_h) > + < N_s(M_h) >$

- $\langle N_c \rangle (M_h)$  for the objects occupying at the **center** of the host DMH.
- $\langle N_s \rangle (M_h)$  for "satellites", occupying non-center location of the host DMH.
- Assume that the mean radial distribution of "satellite" objects follows the mass profile of the DMH (e.g. Navarro, Frenk & White [NFW] profile).
- Contribution of the same DMH pairs to  $[1+\xi_{1h}(r)]$ .
  - Central-satellite pairs follow the DMH mass profile
  - Satellite-satellite pairs follows the DMH mass profile convolved by itself.
  - Central-central pairs: No such pairs.

## **HOD Analysis of Galaxies**

**DMH** 

**Example of Luminous Red Galaxies (Zheng+2009)** 

 $< N_c(M_h) >$  center: smoothed step function saturated to 1.  $< N_c(M_h) >$  satellite: power-law\* $< N_c(M_h) >$  or spline



### Application to SDSS Luminous Red Galaxies (LRGs) vs RASS AGNs

TM, Krumpe, Coil, Aceves (2011)

- Galaxy Sample
  - SDSS LRG Volume Limited Sample
  - Defined by Eisenstein et al.
     (2001), redrawn by us for DR4+
  - → M<sub>B</sub><-21.2, 0.16<z<0.36</p>
  - 45899 LRGs Galaxies
- X-ray AGN sample:
  - ROSAT All-Sky Survey (RASS) sources matched with the SDSS broad-line AGNs (Anderson et al. 2003; 2007).
    - 1552 AGNs in 0.16<z<0.36
  - Excluded Narrow-line AGNs.
  - Flux limited sample.



These two samples are completely separate. No common object.

HOD of LRGs as our Tracer Set



# Applying HOD modeling to the AGN-LRG CCF

When modeling our CCF, we consider four HODs

- $< N_{LRG,c} > (M_h) \& < N_{LRG,s} > (M_h)$  for the central and satellite LRGs respectively.
- $\langle N_{A,c} \rangle (M_h)$  &  $\langle N_{A,s} \rangle (M_h)$  and for the AGNs.
- First, we derive  $\langle N_{LRG,c} \rangle (M_h)$  and  $\langle N_{LRG,s} \rangle (M_h)$  using the ACF of the LRGs.
  - They can be determined with a much better statistics.
- Then, using the resulting (fixed) LRG HODS, we constrain  $\langle N_{A,c} \rangle \langle M_h \rangle \& \langle N_{A,s} \rangle \langle M_h \rangle$  by fitting to the AGN-LRG CCF.

#### Model A: Simple model Assumption: All AGNs that reside in halos containing LRGs (or contributing to the 1-h term) are satellites.



## **Constraints on HODs for AGNs**

Simple HOD

model for

**AGNs** 



Constraints roughly along <*M*<sub>h</sub>>~const.
 \* Constraint from the 2-halo term (*b*<sub>X</sub>)
 α<0.4 (Δχ<sup>2</sup><2.3 limit)</li>

\* Constraint from the 1-halo term



Confidence contours (black, Δχ<sup>2</sup>=1;2.3;4.6)
Mean DMH mass (green contours).



Left: numver per halo.

Right: Number density

Three possible HODs within errors.

TM+2011

# Model with separate central+satellite AGNs



Model B: A model with galaxy-like central+satellite components

cf. SDSS Galaxies (e.g. Zehavi et al. 2005)  $M_1/M_{\rm min} \approx 23, \alpha \approx 1.2$ 



# Implication of the HOD Analysis

- The limit on  $\alpha_s$ <1 means that the number of (satellite) AGNs/Halo **grows slower than M**<sub>h</sub>.
  - \* The HOD of satellite galaxies show  $\alpha \sim 1$ , i.e., number/halo  $\mu M_h$  (e.g. Zehavi et al. 2010).
  - \* AGN fraction (non-center) decreases with  $M_{\rm h}$ .
  - Long-suggested anti-correlation of emission-line AGN fraction and cluster richness (e.g. Gisler 1978; Dressler et al. 1985).
  - Consistent with: AGN fraction anti-correlates with the velocity dispersion of clusters/groups (Popesso & Biviano 2006).
  - X-ray AGN fraction is smaller in clusters (M<sub>h</sub>>10<sup>14</sup>M<sub>sol</sub>) than the field at low z. Higher at high z (z>~1.5), this trend reverses (Martini+13).

#### Trend Verified in direct couunts/Weak lensingbased HOD studies



# Implications -cont'd

#### Possible mechanisms:

- Merging efficiency low in high velocity encounters (Makino & Hut 1997).
- Would AGN triggering by major merger/minor merger of sub-halos inside larger host halos explain the HOD behavior (Altamirano's talk)?
- Ram pressure stripping/thermalevaporation of cold gas in galaxies in Intracluster/intragroup medium (Gunn & Gott 1972;Cowie & Songaila 1977).

### **Extended** sample



**RASS-AGNs** extended

Schneider et al. 2010, Opticallyseleced Broad-line AGN sample

Paper III: Krumpe, TM, Coil Aceves 2012

# HOD approach may be simply used for more accurate determination of linear bias paramters



Figs: Krumpe, TM et al. (2012)



- More accurate determination of *b*<sub>lin</sub> than power-law fits.
- Fitting 2-halo term only to r<sub>p</sub>>1.5h<sup>-1</sup>Mpc (Allevato et al. 2011,2012)

Fitting 1 and 2-halo terms with a simple parameterized HOD model to obtain constraints on *b* and log <*M*h> (Krumpe, TM et al. 2012, 2014).

### Highlight differences between L<sub>x,</sub> M<sub>BH</sub>, & L/L<sub>edd</sub> divided samples



Comparing biases only use data at 2-h terms This approach takes advantage of data at all scales.

M. Krumpe's talk yesterday

## Two-halo term improvements

 Instead of simple linear PS, use non-linear PS, scale-dependent bias, and exclusion of pairs that should be counted in the 2-halo term (Zheng+'04; Tinker+'05; van den Bosch+'13)



# Limitations

- Good sampling at 2-halo term (r<sub>p</sub>>~1 Mpc)
  - Good constraint on only one parameter: linear bias
- Poor sampling at 1-halo term (r<sub>p</sub><~1 Mpc)</li>
  - Poor constraint on the distribution of N(M<sub>h</sub>)
  - CCF approach helps
- Degeneracy in the interpretation of the 1-halo term.
  - Central vs satellite pair or satellite-satellite pair?
- Do satellite AGNs follow DM profile?
  - The same problem with galaxy HOD studies, especially comparing blue vs red galaxy HODs.

# Direct counts within resolved groups/clusters?

- QSO counts within rich clusters of galaxies (Martini et al. 2009;2013)
- DMHs with M<sub>h</sub>>~13 h<sup>-1</sup> M<sub>☉</sub>can be cataloged as groups/clusters (e.g. X-ray selected).
  - Direct counts of AGNs in these groups/clusters are possible.
  - Combine with the CFs involving AGNs that do not belong to these groups/clusters give constraints on the minimum halo mass occupied by these HODs -> Allevato+12, (Talk by A. Finoguenov)
- SDSS QSOs in clusters ( $M_h > ~14 h^{-1} M_{\odot}$ )

(Talk by M. Nguyen)

# Conclusions

- The HOD analysis is a strong tool to interpret correlation functions of galaxies/AGNs to scale over linear to non-linear scales.
- From HOD analysis, we can obtain not only a single "typical" host DMH mass but also constraints on how AGNs distribute among DMHs as a function of mass.
- Applying the HOD analysis to z~0.3 SDSS LRG vs RASS AGNs, we find that solutions where AGN fraction among satellite galaxies decrease with Halo mass.
- The interpretation of the HOD analysis is limited by poor sampling at small scales (especially of AGNs) and model degeneracies.
- If we have good catalog of resolved clusters/groups, direct count of AGNs in these clusters/groups can give robust HOD measures.