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ISM and dynamical scaling relations in the local Universe

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Outline

ISM scaling relations - ALFALFA/GASS/COLDGASS/HRS

Define `normalcy' in galaxy population: constraints to theory

Insights into physical link between ISM and integrated galaxy properties

→ when it comes to cold gas, M* is not the king

Unique tools to discriminate between nature and nurture

→ statistical evidence for fast and direct gas stripping from pairs to clusters

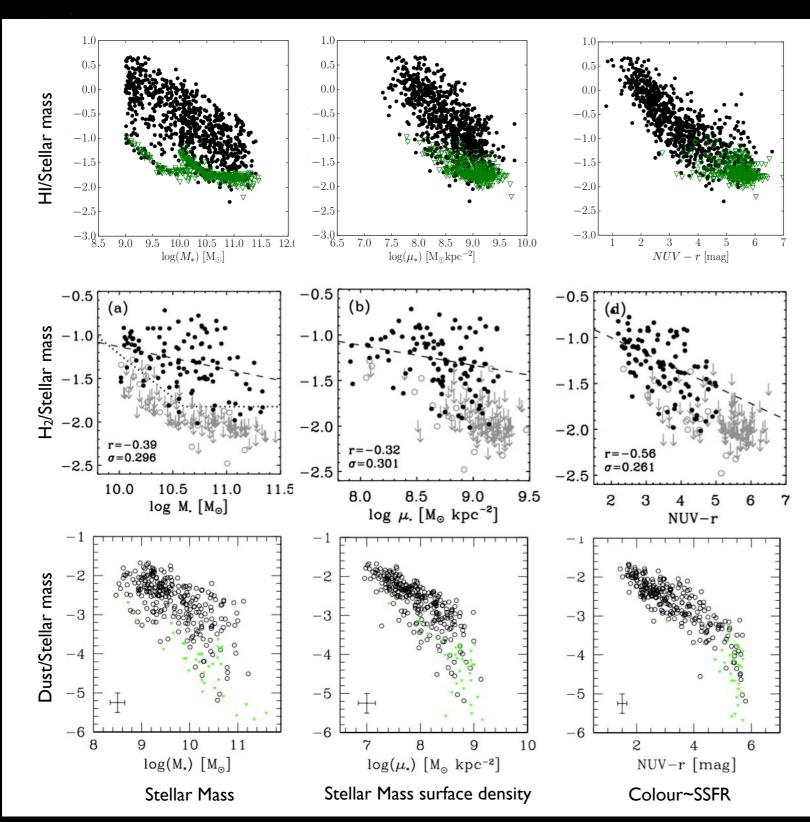
Dynamical scaling relations - SAMI

IFS surveys: investigate scaling relations for all galaxy types at once

→ M*-angular momentum - spin/morphology plane: a possible way to unify galaxies



Global HI-H₂-dust scaling relations



Atomic Hydrogen

Catinella+ 2010 Cortese+2011 Huang+2012 Kannappan+2004,2014

Molecular Hydrogen

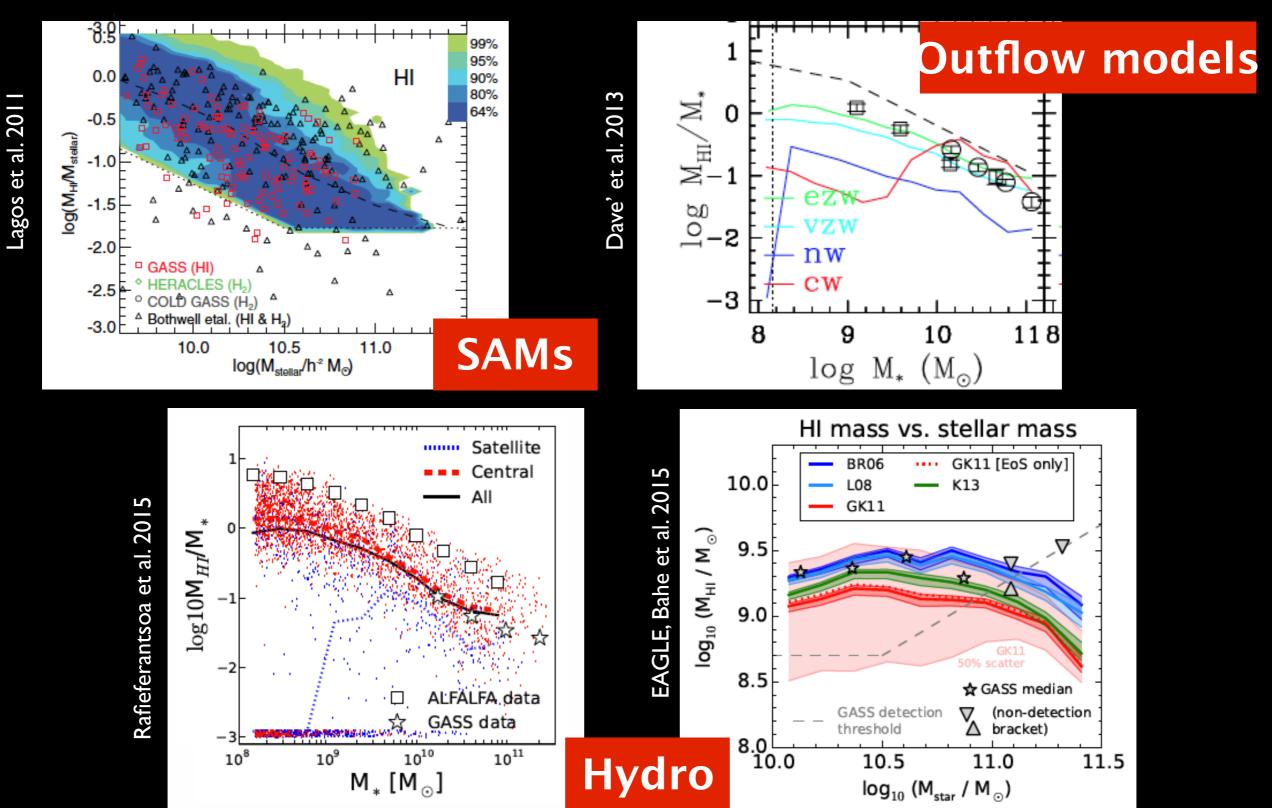
Saintonge+ 2011 Boselli+2014 Bothwell+2014

Dust

Cortese+ 2012 Viaene+2014 Clark+2015



ISM scaling relations and galaxy models



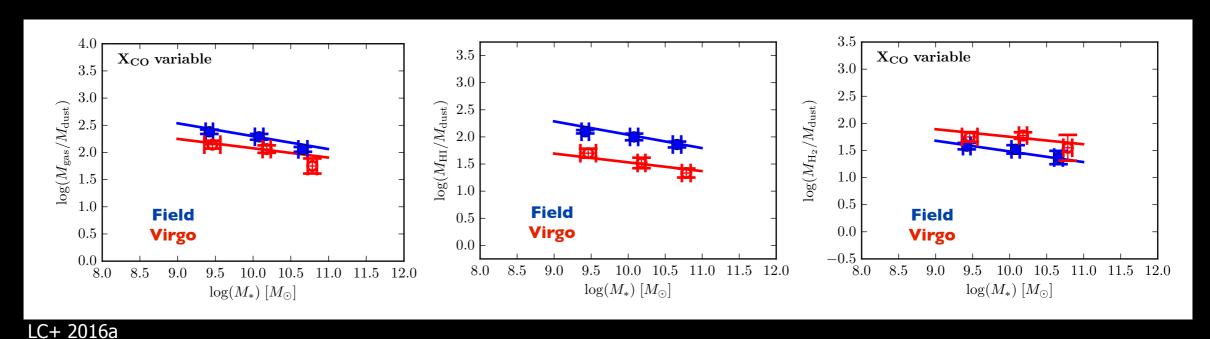


ISM scaling relations and environment



HI/Dust

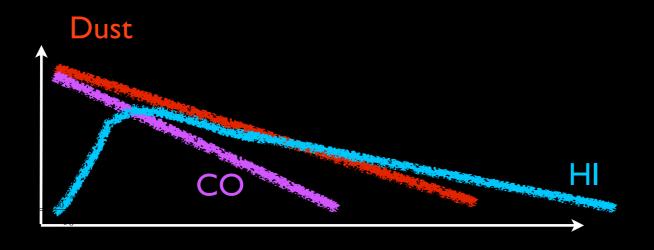
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Stripping: CO<Dust<HI



All consistent with differential stripping acting outside-in

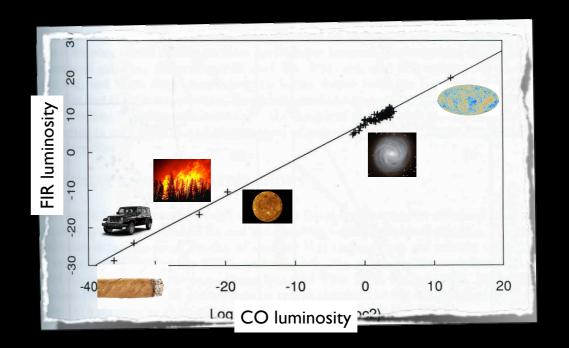


Current Challenges

Identify 'physically-driven' relations

Most of the comparison with theory (as well as environmental studies) based on relation with stellar mass

Isn't this just "bigger galaxies have more gas/dust"? Remember nice plot by Kennicutt 1990



Extend ISM environmental studies outside clusters

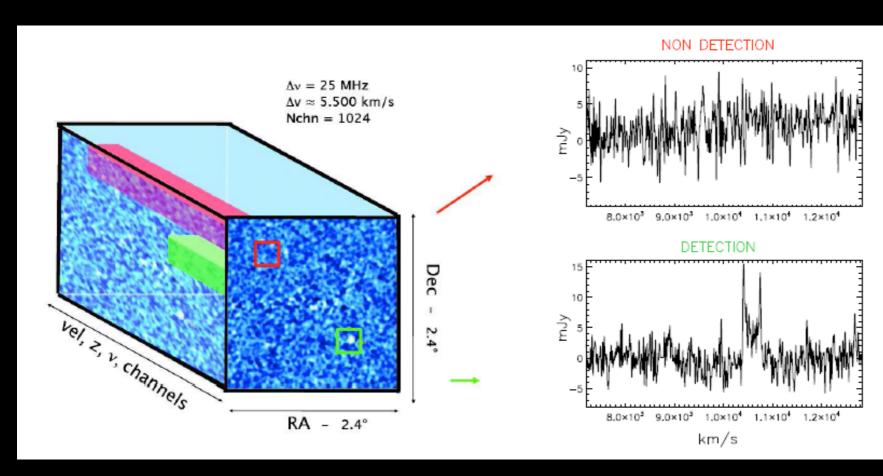
Virgo/Coma-like systems extremely rare. Impossible to extrapolate these studies to groups/pairs.

Number statistics our main limitation! Representative samples limited to $\sim 300 \, (H_2/dust) - \sim 1000 \, (HI)$ galaxies



For HI we can make progress now

The power of stacking and ALFALFA HI observations



- extract HI spectra at known coords, z
- align in velocity, coadd & measure

Fabello+ 2011

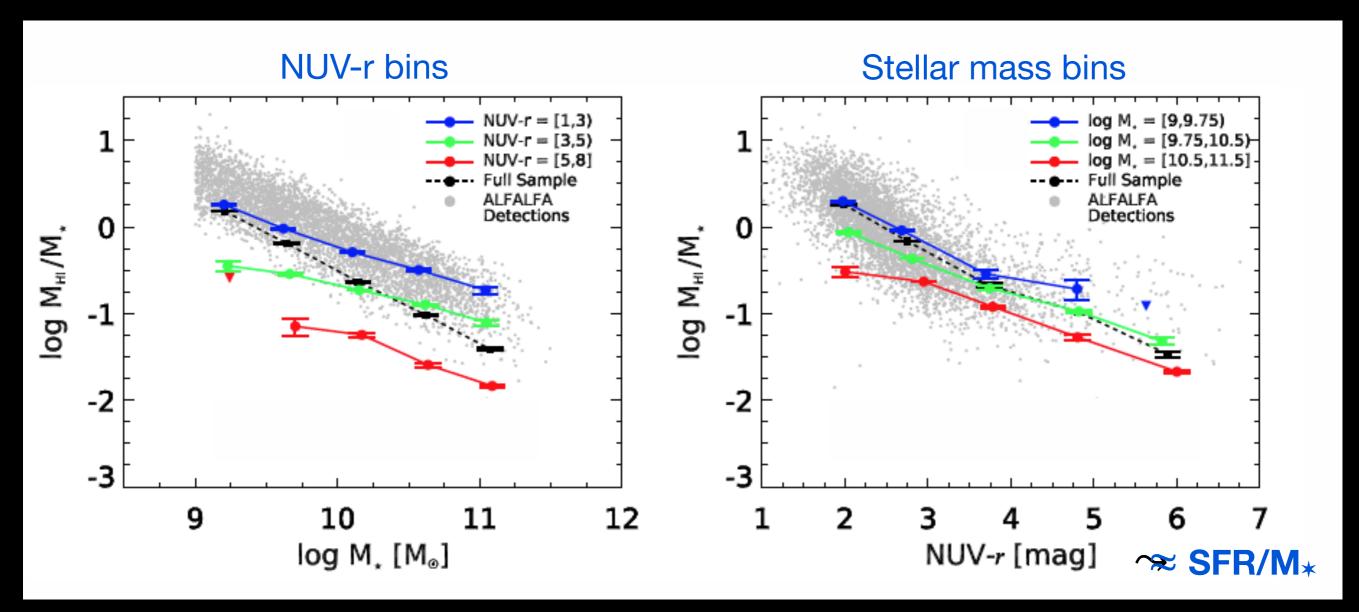
Commonly used for cosmic HI density (Lah+ 2007, 2009; Rhee+ 2013)

Even more powerful in the context of gas scaling relations (Fabello+ 2011, 2012; Brown+ 2015)



Primary vs secondary dependencies

Dissecting gas scaling relations with ~25000 galaxies

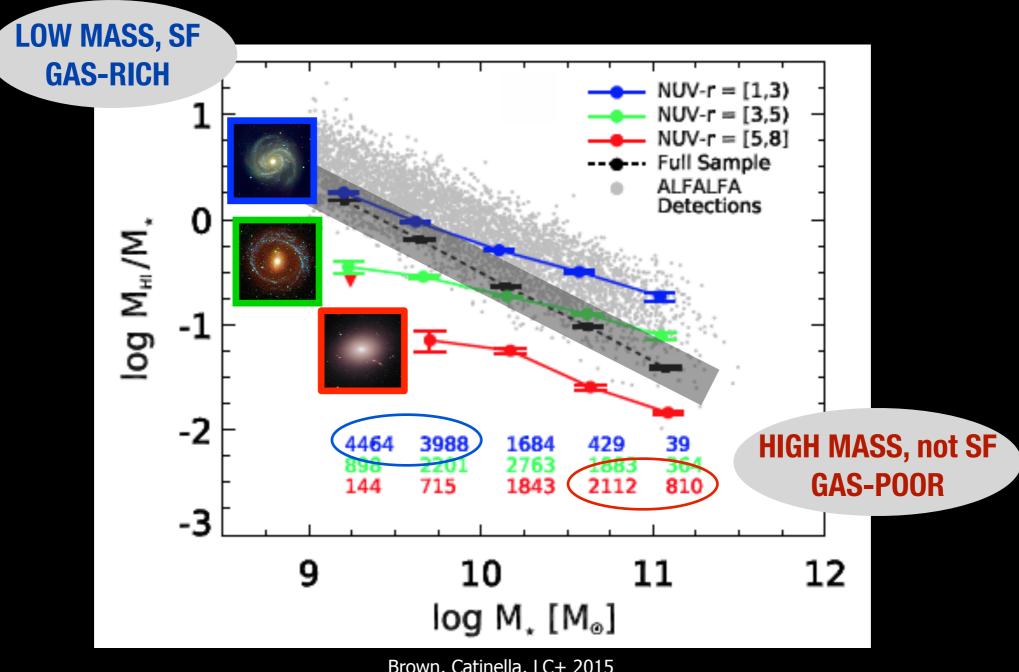


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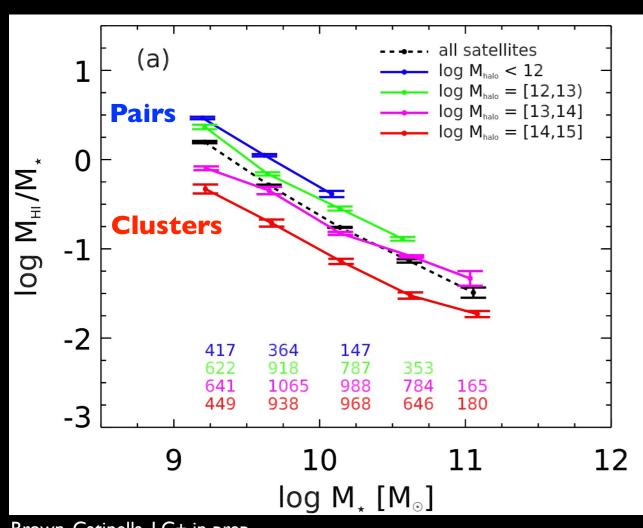
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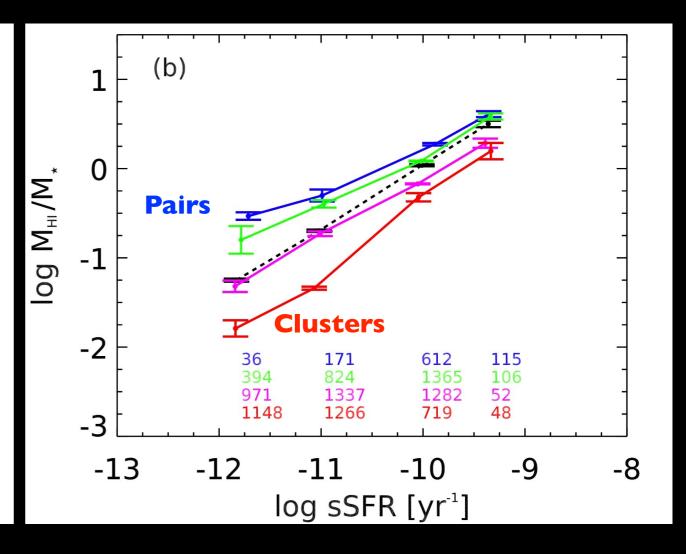
The gas fraction-M* slope mainly a consequence of galaxy bimodality

Not the best observational constraint to theoretical models



Satellite galaxies binned by halo mass





Brown, Catinella, LC+ in prep.

Gradual decrease of gas content with group size: i.e., no threshold

Reduction of gas fraction also at fixed SSFR HI removed faster than SF quenched! => stripping!



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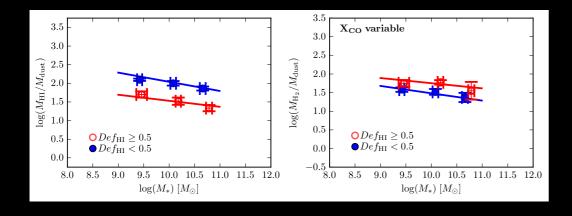
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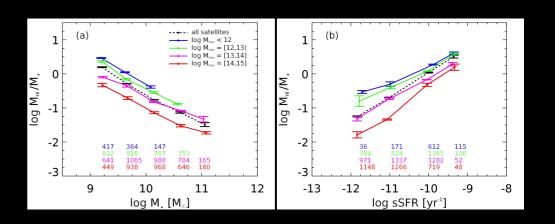
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Need large number statistics to do this with detections. H₂ and dust studies (in the local Universe) suffering the most

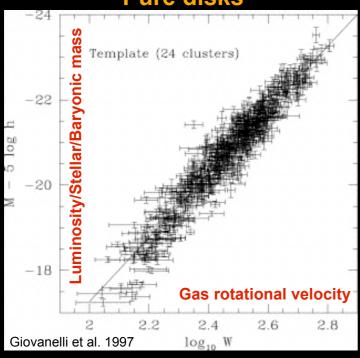




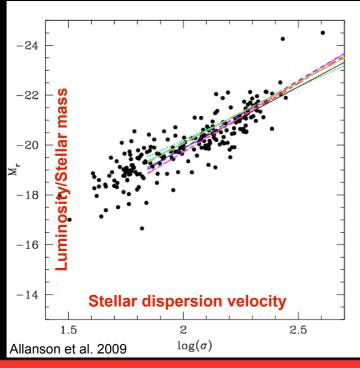


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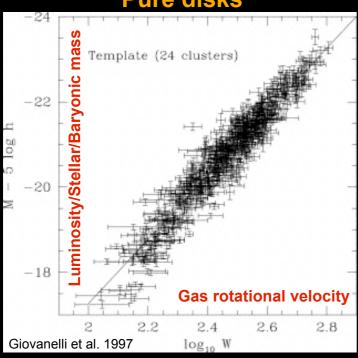
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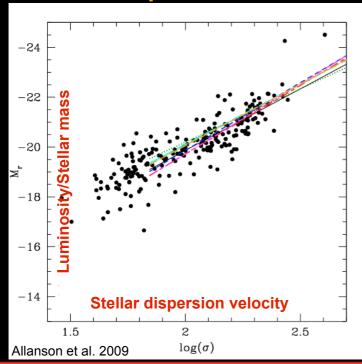


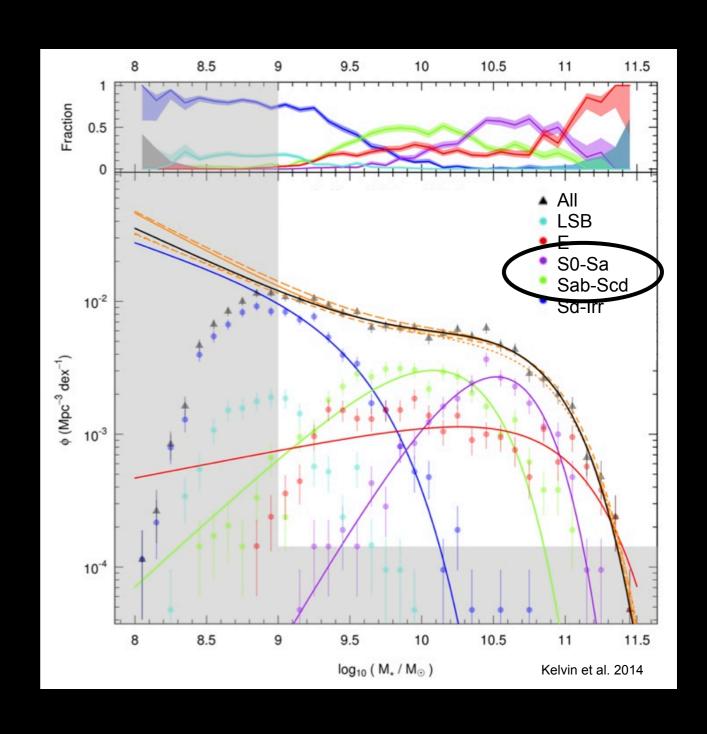
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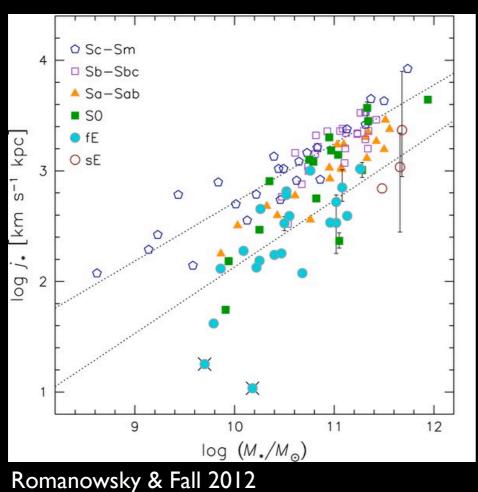


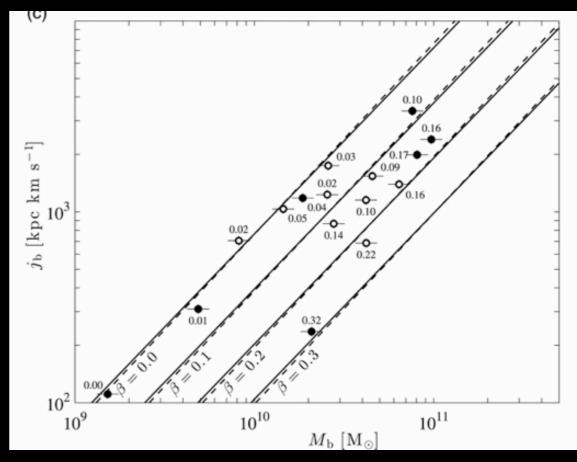


Average galaxy is neither a pure disk or spheroid



Mass-Specific Angular momentum-Morphology plane





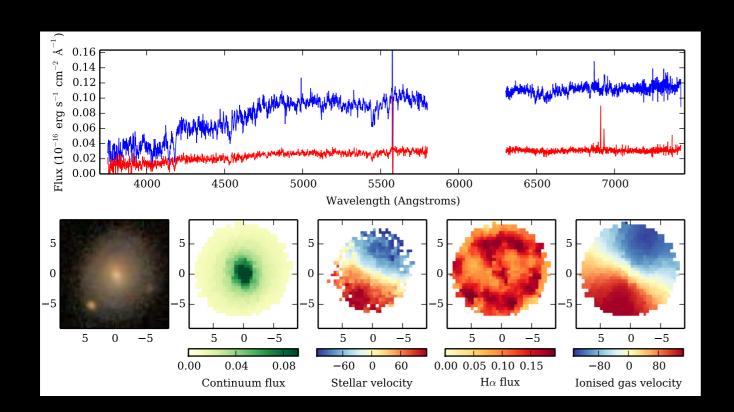
Obreschkow & Glazebrook 2014

Galaxies distributed along a M*-j relation Scatter related to morphology - i.e., balance between random and ordered motions

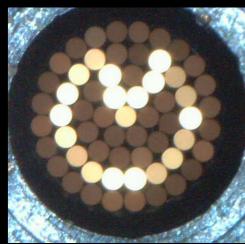


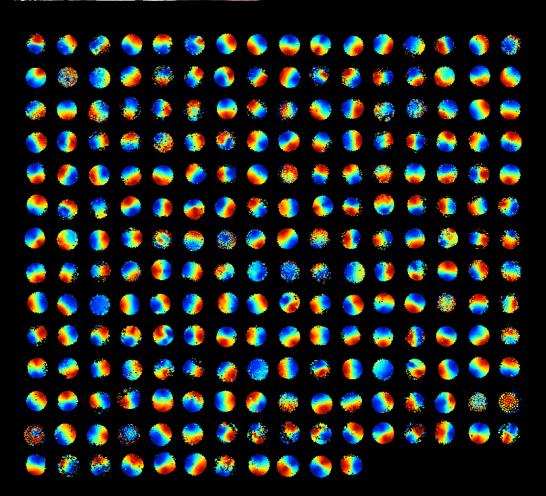
The SAMI Galaxy Survey

- •IFU survey of ~3400 nearby galaxies (2800 field/groups 600 clusters)
- •SAMI instrument at AAT (12 gal/obs.)
- •Selection by M_{*}(10^{7.5}-10^{11.5} M_☉) and z (≤0.1)
- Kinematics for both gas and stars!
- •>1750 galaxies already observed





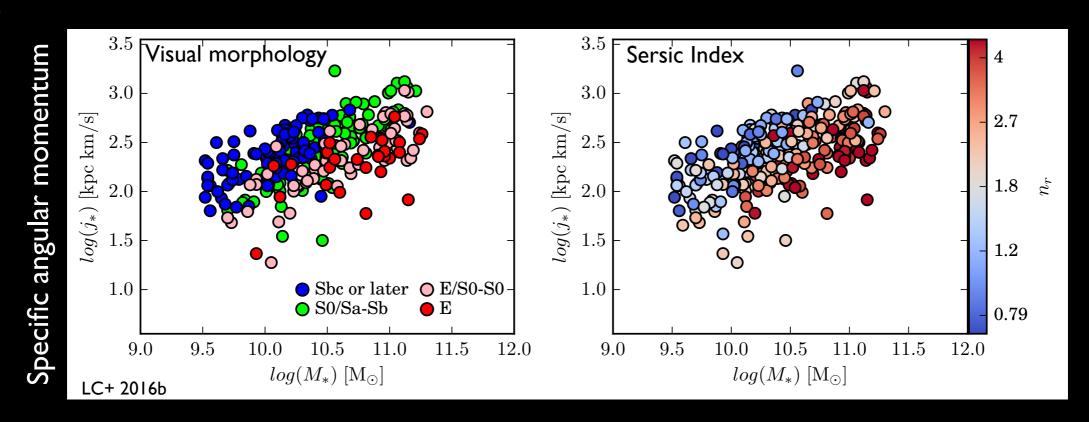




See http://sami-survey.org for details and first DR!



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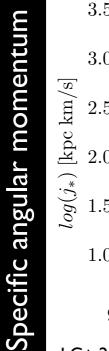
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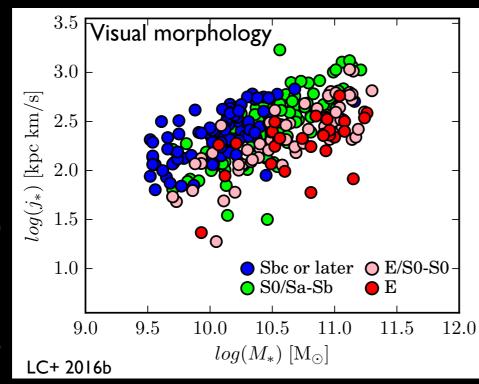
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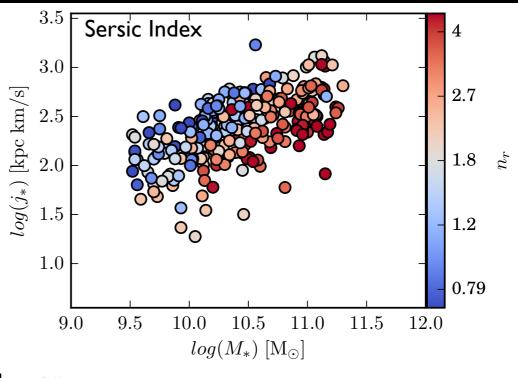
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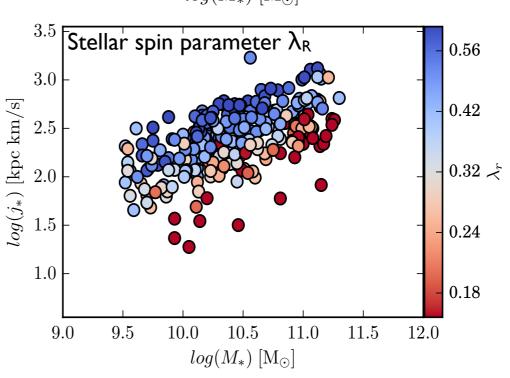




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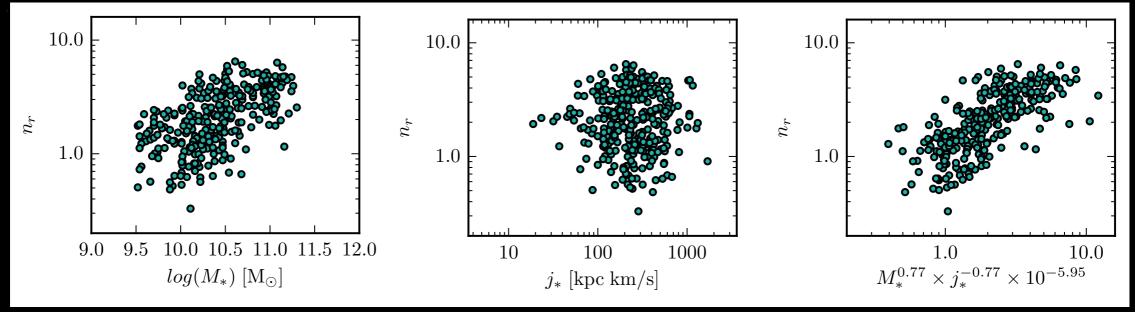
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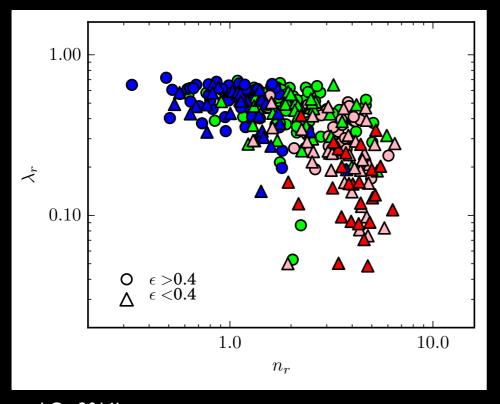
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The SAMI view of the M*-j*-n plane





LC+ 2016b

We can look at all this as a plane linking Mass - morphology - angular momentum (scatter < 0.1 dex)

Spin correlated with morphology but relation not linear!

Kinematical classification
better separates rotation-vs-dispersion
in bulge-dominated systems



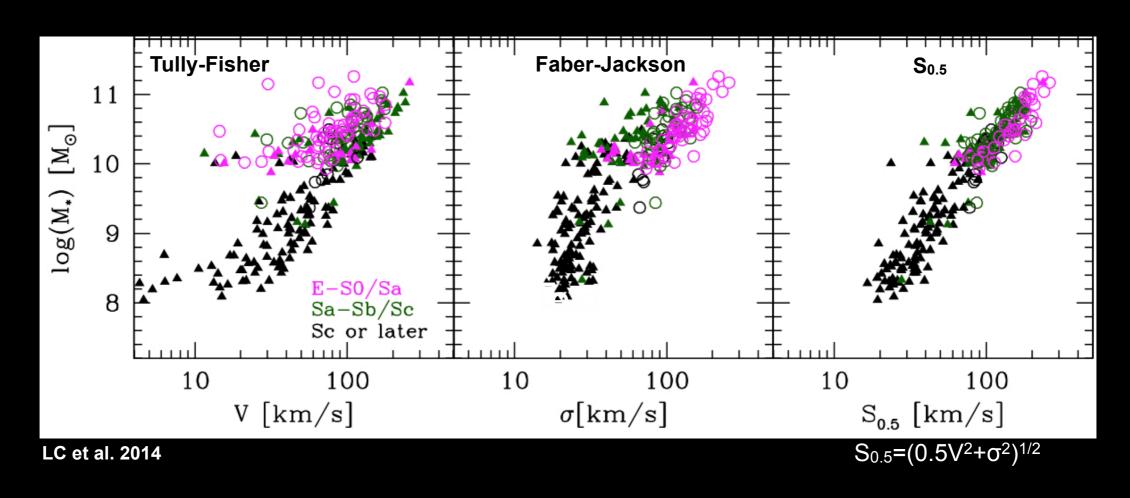
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Different dynamical scaling relations as projections of M-j-spin plane

Combining contributions of random and ordered motions key for unified scaling relation including all galaxy types

Scatter (0.1dex) similar to pruned TF and FJ relations



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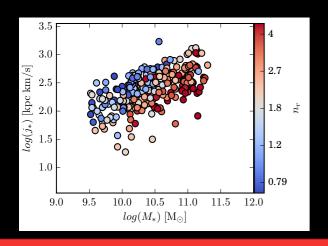
Critical to move beyond pre-pruning by morphology, SF, etc.

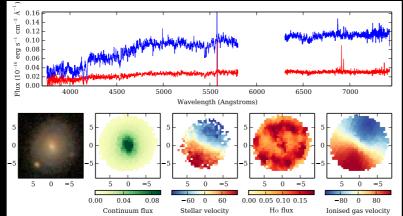
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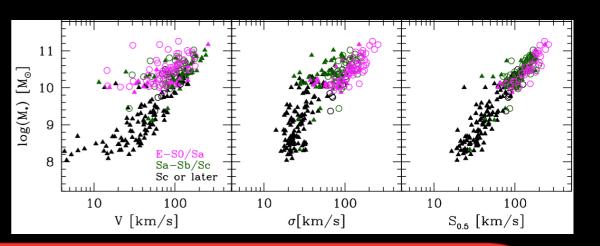
- → the M*-angular momentum spin/morphology plane possible way to unify galaxies
- → TF/FJ/S0.5 relations can be seen as different projection of the same plane
- → Chance to move towards a more physically motivated morphological classification

Challenges

Current IFS studies mainly limited to Ire... need to go to larger radii We should also look at baryonic dynamical scaling relations: need HI!







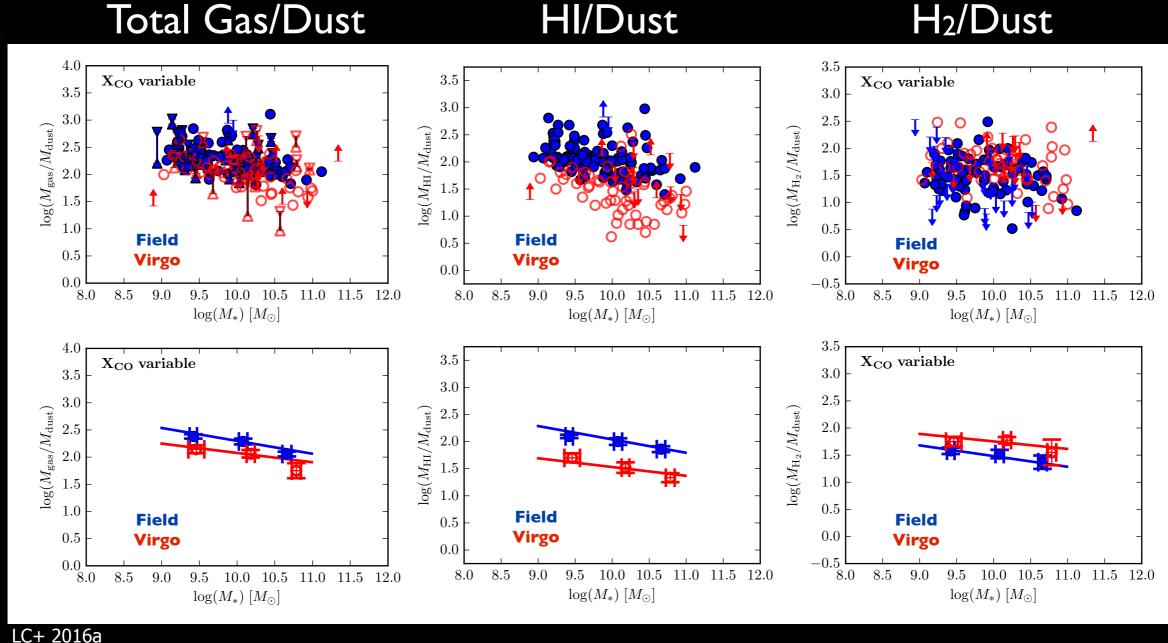


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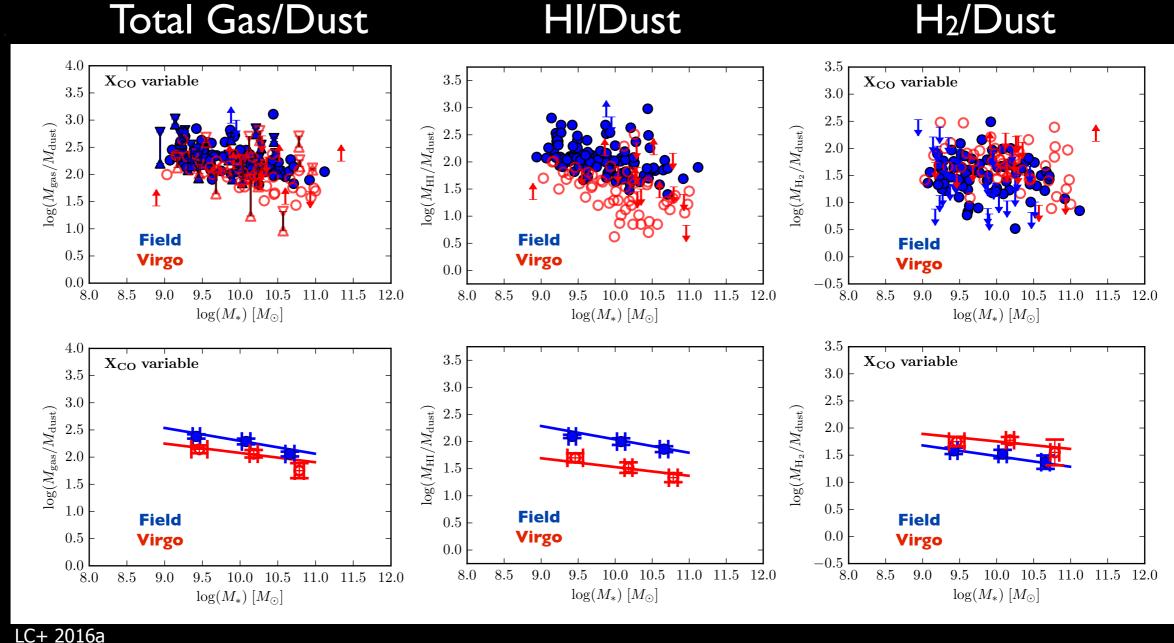


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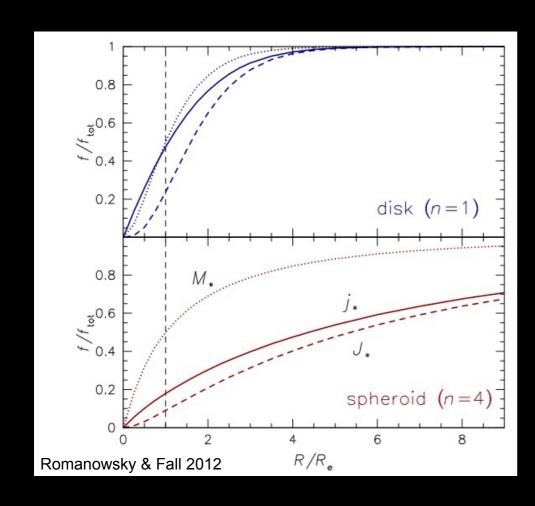
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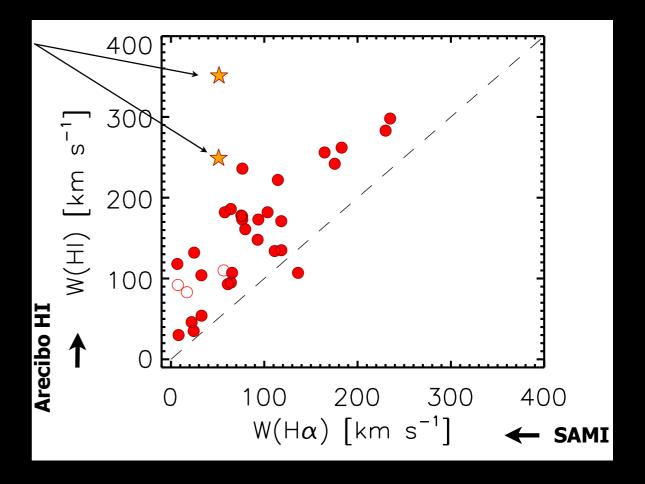


Current limitations... and possible solutions

Most of what we know from current IFS surveys is limited to 1 re

We might be missing the bulk of angular momentum budget

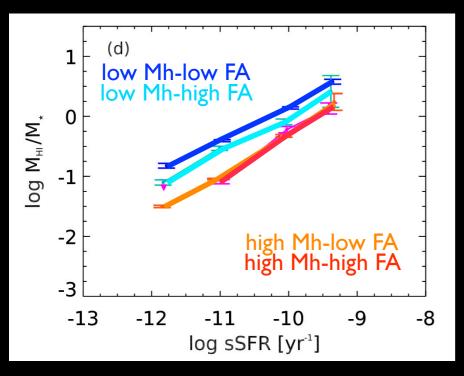






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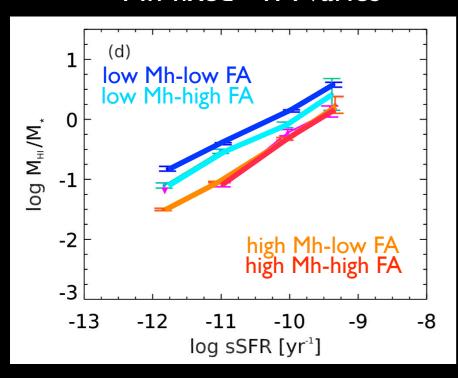
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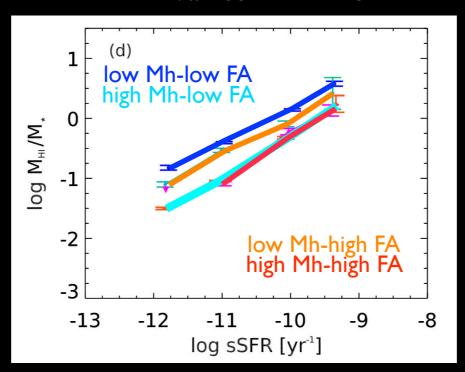


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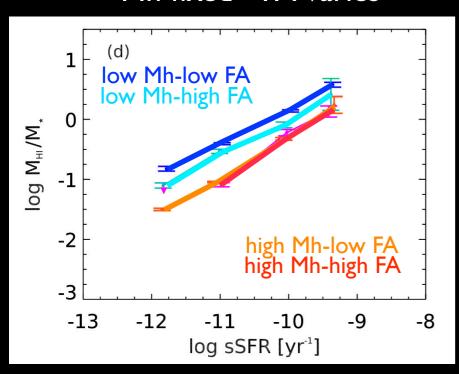
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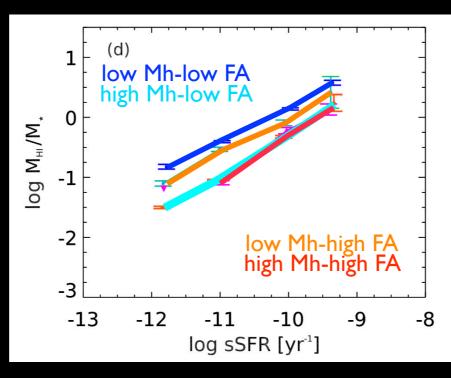


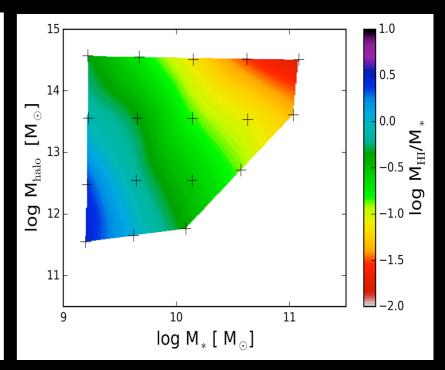
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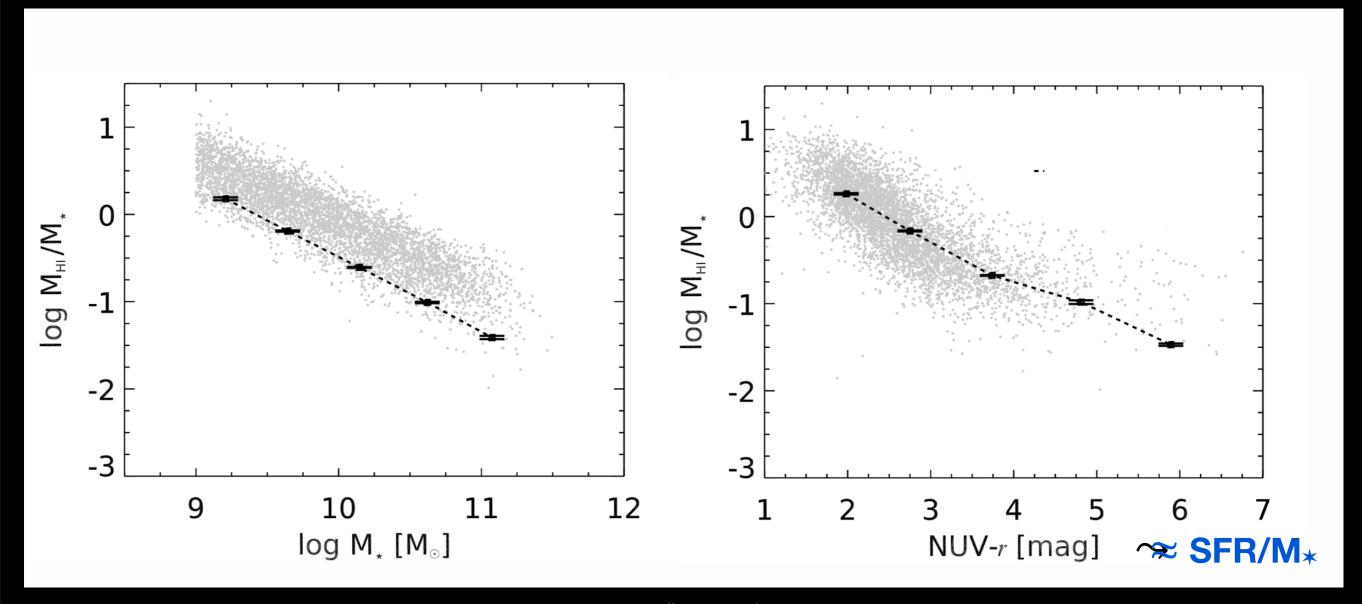
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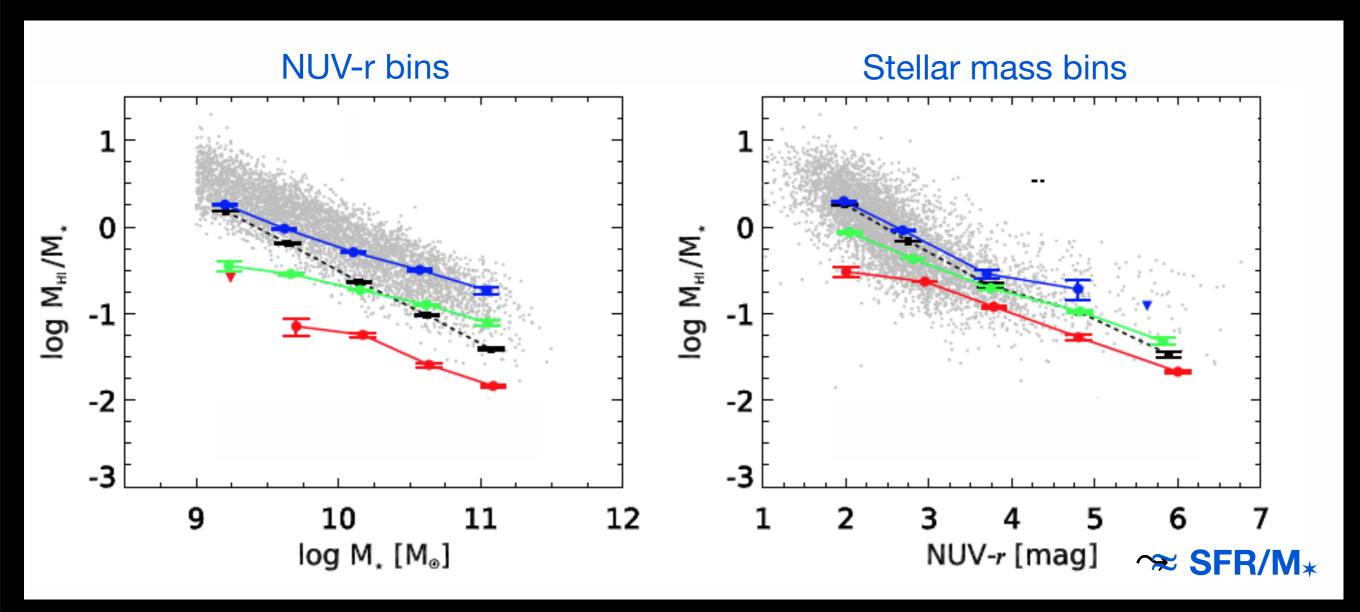


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