Testing AGN impact on SF: a single source and a statistical sample.

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Motivations/goals

- \diamond Study how radio-quiet AGNs can affect their host galaxies (e.g. quenching/triggering SF).
- \diamond In the redshift range 1<z<3 (e.g. peak of the AGN activity, peak of the SFRD)



A single source in great details (IFU)



A statistical sample (stacking of opt spectra)



A single source in great details





Catching an AGN where the gas is being expelled



SINFONI noAO J-band observations (Feb-Mar 2014, PI Mainieri)



Ingredients





SINFONI/VLT J-band



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• V₁₀ ~ -1500 km/s



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• $V_{10} \sim -1500 \text{ km/s}$

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$$M_{ion} > 8.5 \times 10^8 M_{\odot}$$

$$M_{ion} = 2.82 \cdot 10^9 \left(\frac{L_{H\beta}}{10^{43} erg s^{-1}} \right)$$

[Osterbrock & Ferland 2006]

Assuming $n_e = 100 \text{ cm}^{-3}$







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- $M_{ion} > 8.5 \times 10^8 M_{\odot}$
- $T_d \approx R_{out} / v_{out} \sim 8.5 \text{ Myr}$
- $M_{out.ion} > 300 M_{\odot}/yr$

$$\dot{M} \approx \langle \rho_{out} \rangle_{V} \bullet \Omega R_{out}^{2} \bullet v_{out} = 3 \bullet v$$

Bi-conical outflow uniformly filled with outflowing clouds



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$$P_{kin,tot} > 0.5 M_{out} V_{out}^2 = 5.3 x$$

What powers the outflow?

 $P(SF) \sim 7 \times 10^{41} \times SFR(M_{\odot}/yr)$ [Veilleux+05] $P_{kin.tot} / P(SF) \sim 2.5$



x 10⁴⁴ erg s⁻¹

X-shooter/VLT spectroscopy (PI Brusa)





SINFONI/VLT H-band



H+K archival observations Scale 250x125 mas, noAO 20 min on target SFR (narrow Ha) ~ 230 M_{\odot}/yr SFR (PACS Herschel) ~ 275 M_{\odot}/yr





SINFONI/VLT H-band: positive and negative feedback



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- SF in blobs A&B: $log([NII]/H\alpha) < -1.1$ Ο
- Casual connection outflow-SF: highly asymmetric shape of the SF regions Ο



A statistical sample: stacking







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SFR vs Mstar





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Average spectra

2200



wavelength



5500

Velocity offsets: [NeV]λ3346 and Fellλ2586-2600





Summary and outlook

- An AGN driven outflow on kpc scale is quenching SF along its \diamond way and triggering new SF at its edges.
- \diamond AGN hosts show blue shifted ISM lines mostly above the MS. AGN or SF? \rightarrow comparison sample of inactive galaxies

Single source

- Molecular outflow: PdBI (PI Brusa)
- High resolution map of the SF: VLT/SINFONI AO H band (PI Cresci)

Statistical samples

Gas content in MS AGN hosts: ALMA band 3 in Cycle-2 (PI Mainieri)