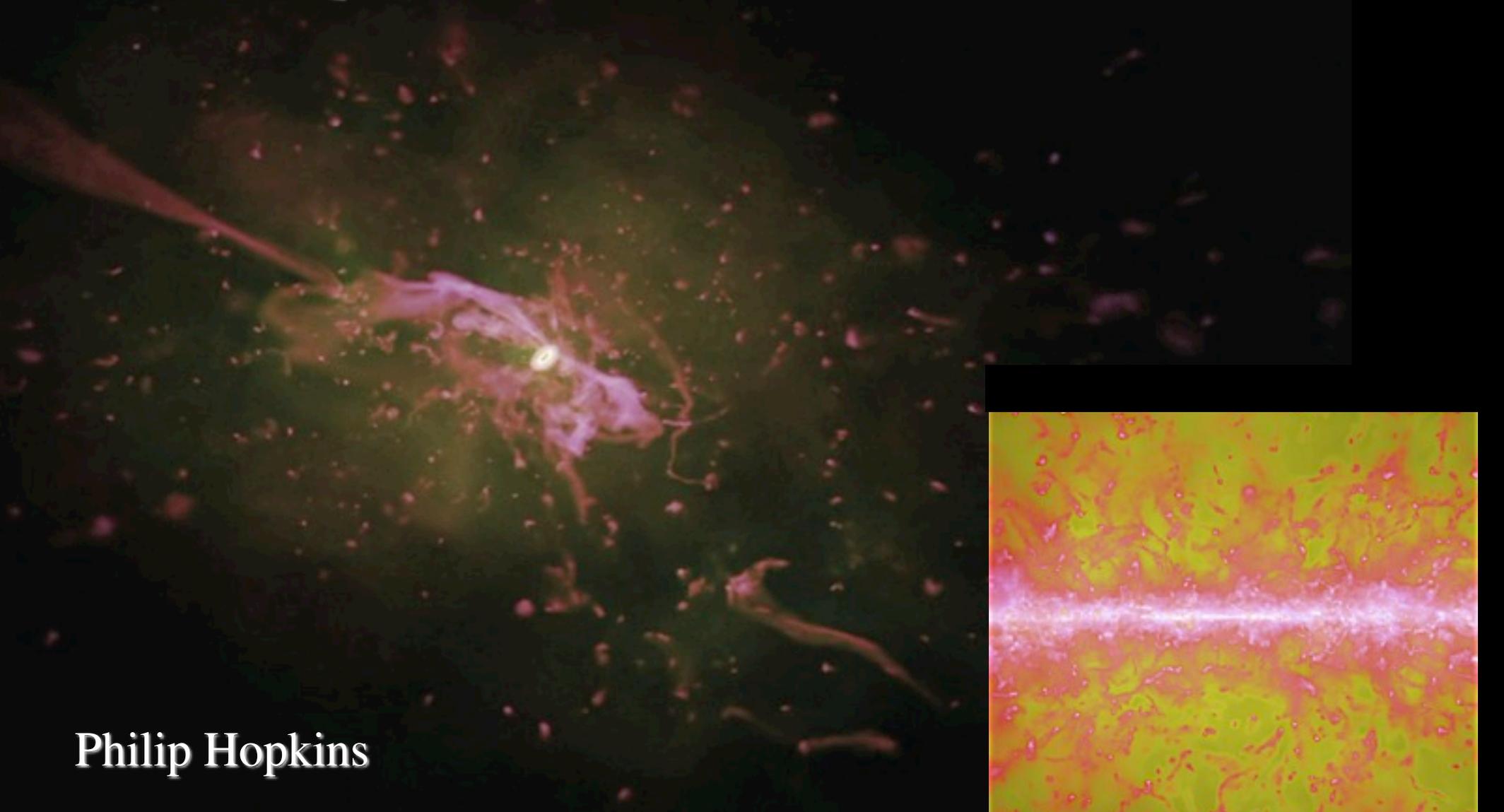


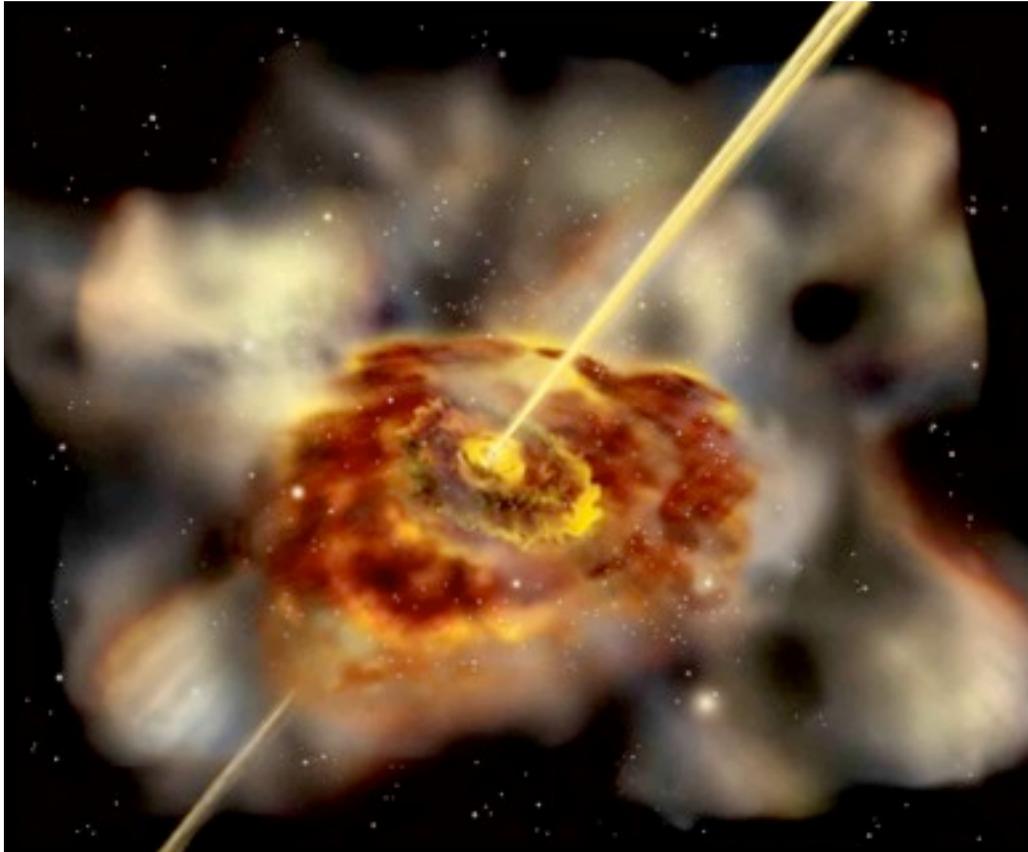
# “Quasar” Feedback in Galaxies



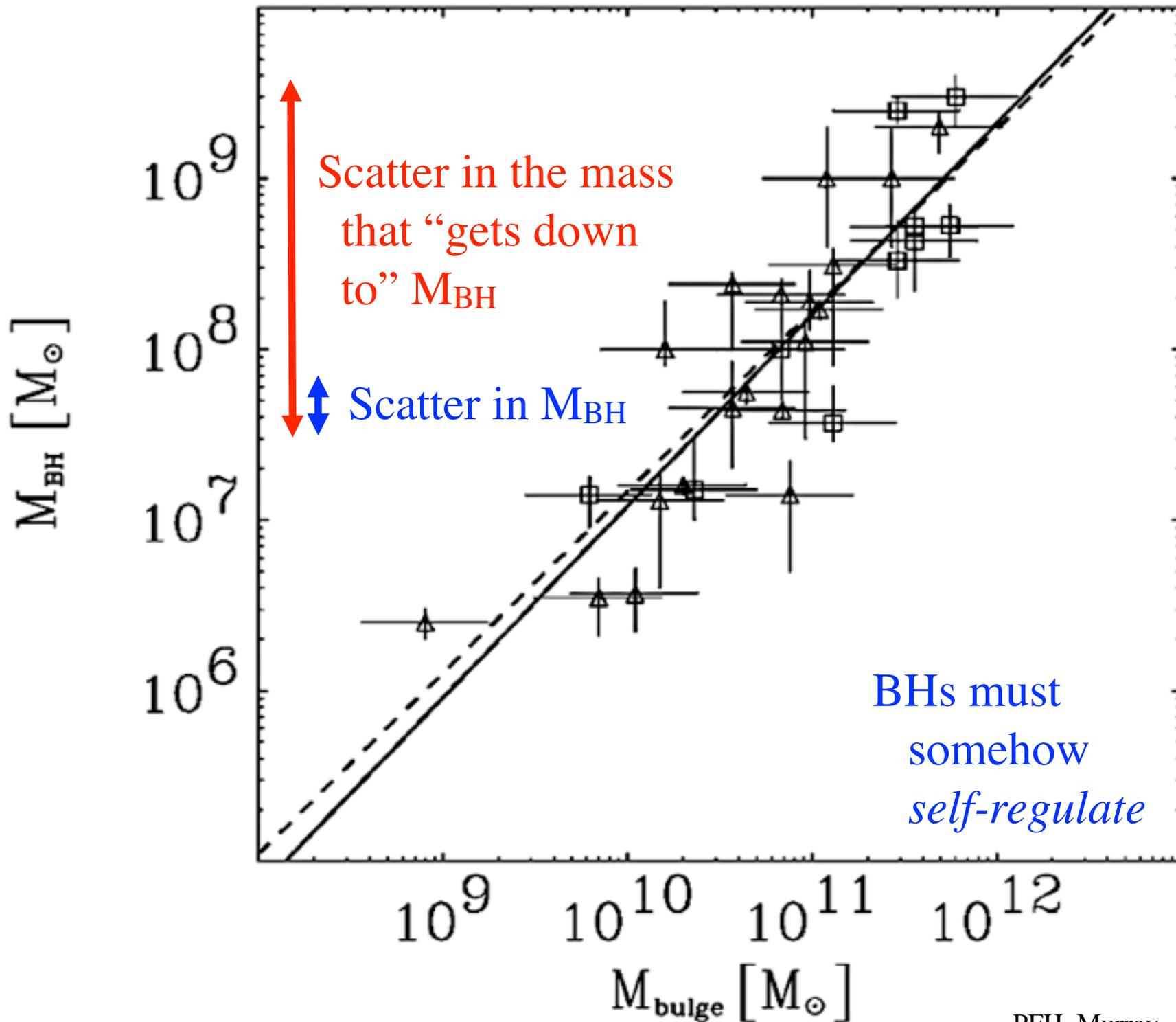
Philip Hopkins

Lars Hernquist, Norm Murray, Eliot Quataert,  
Todd Thompson, Dusan Keres, Chris Hayward, Stijn Wuyts,  
Kevin Bundy, Desika Narayanan, Ryan Hickox, Rachel Somerville, & more

- Every massive galaxy hosts a supermassive black hole



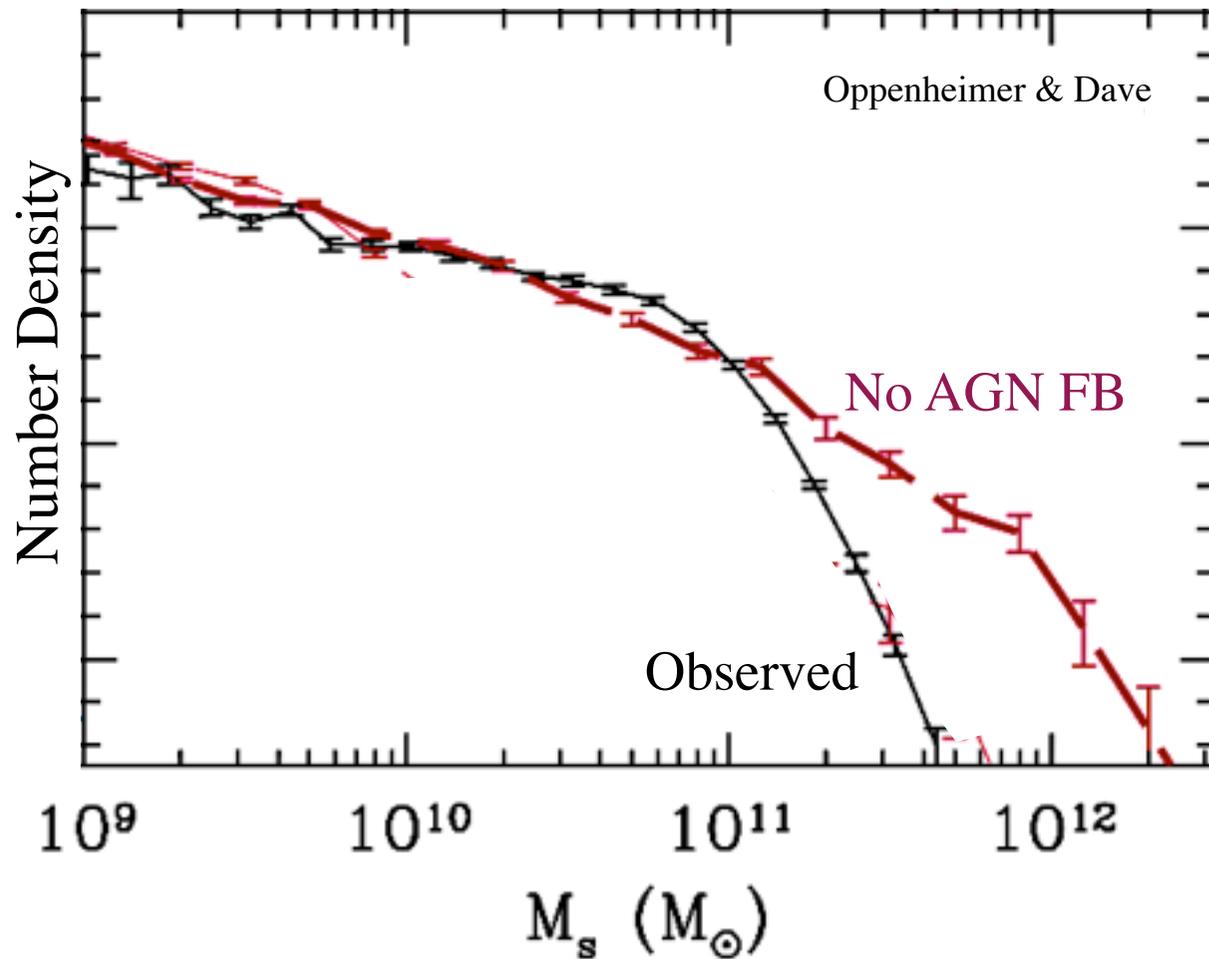
- Mass accreted in ~couple bright quasar phase(s)  
(Soltan, Salucci+, Tremaine+, Yu & Lu, PFH, Shankar, et al.)



Gebhardt et al.  
 Ferrarese et al.  
 Haring & Rix  
 Tremaine  
 Marconi & Hunt

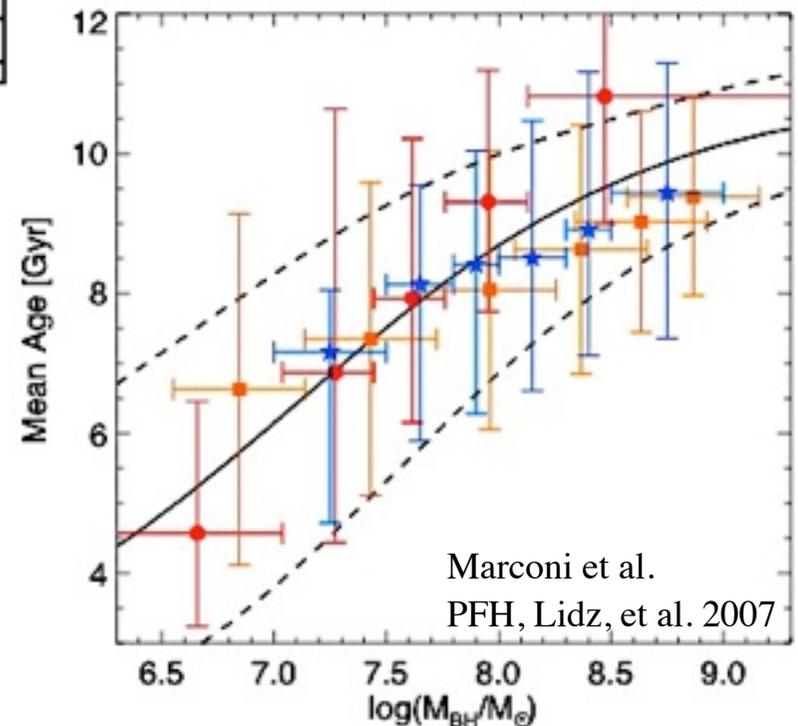
BHs must  
 somehow  
*self-regulate*

# What can AGN Feedback Do For You?



- Sharp color bimodality
- Lowering mass of  $>M^*$  galaxies
- Removing/heating gas in groups

## Spheroid & BH Formation Times:

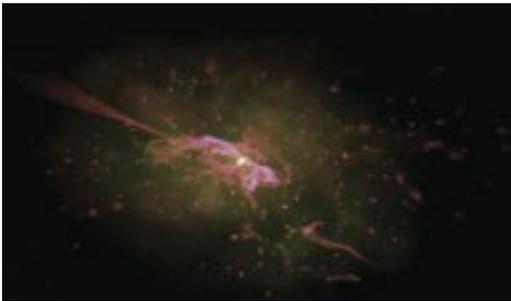


# “Transition”

vs.

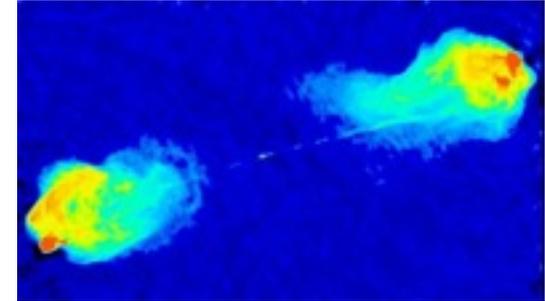
# “Maintenance”

- “**Quasar**” mode (high  $\dot{m}$ )
- Move mass from Blue to Red?
- Rapid ( $\sim 10^7$  yr)
- Small(er) scales ( $\sim$ pc-kpc)
- Morphological Transformation
- Gas-rich/Dissipational Mergers?

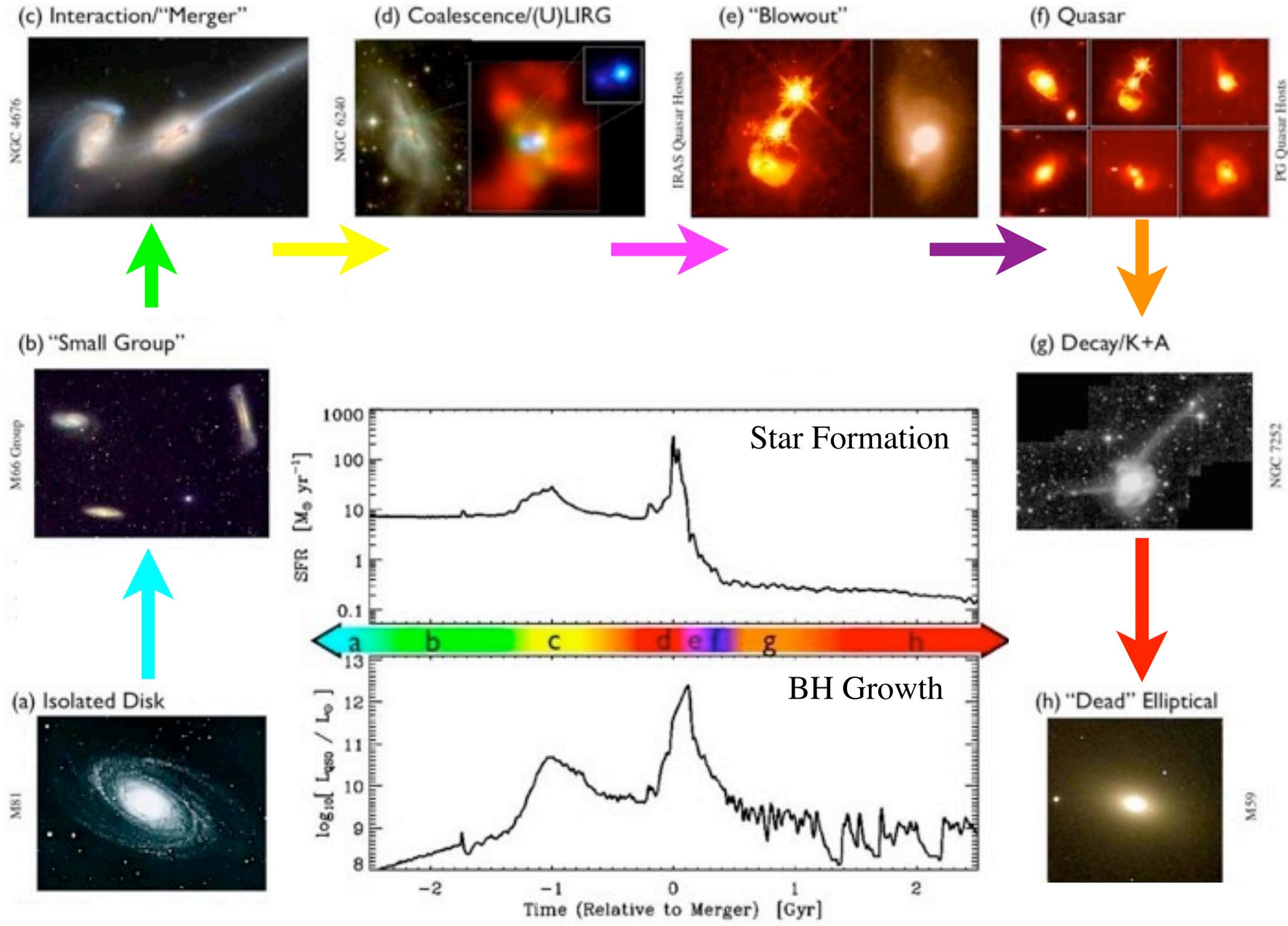


- Regulates *Black Hole* Mass

- “**Radio**” mode (low  $\dot{m}$ )
- Keep it Red
- Long-lived ( $\sim$ Hubble time)
- Large ( $\sim$ halo) scales
- Subtle morphological change
- Hot Halos & Dry Mergers



- Regulates *Galaxy* Mass



# What Can Quasar Feedback Do?

## Feedback Energy:

SILK & REES '98

$$L = \epsilon_r \dot{M}_{\text{BH}} c^2 \quad (\epsilon_r \sim 0.1)$$

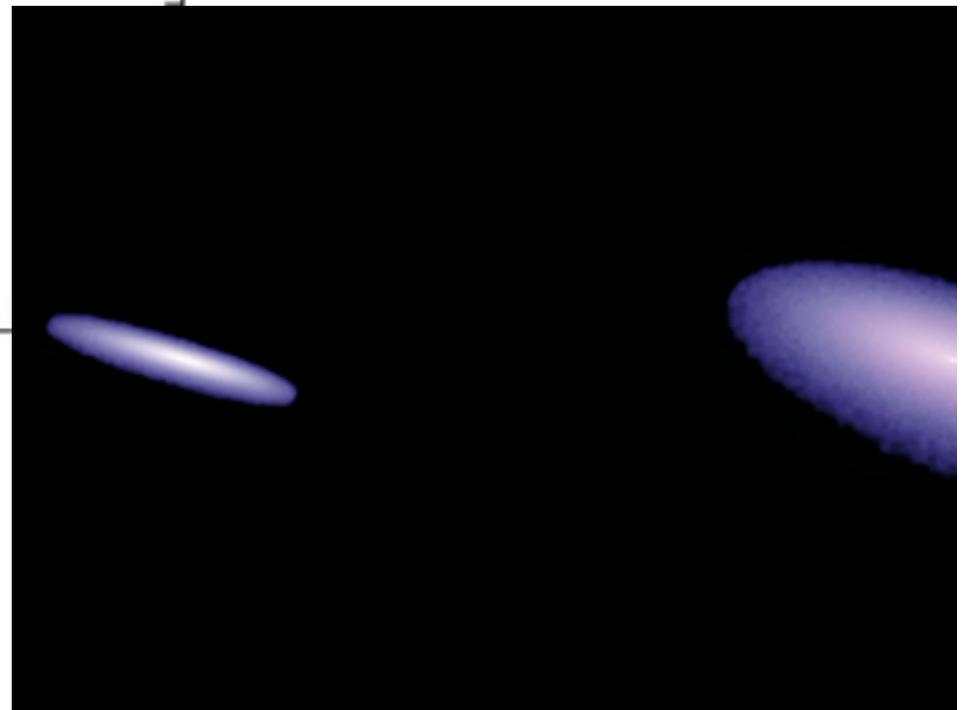
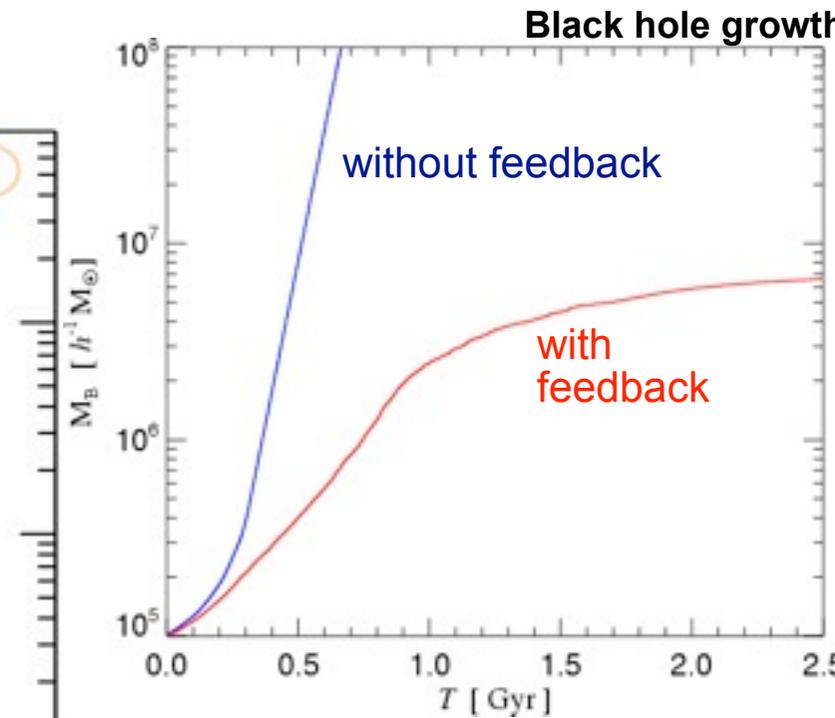
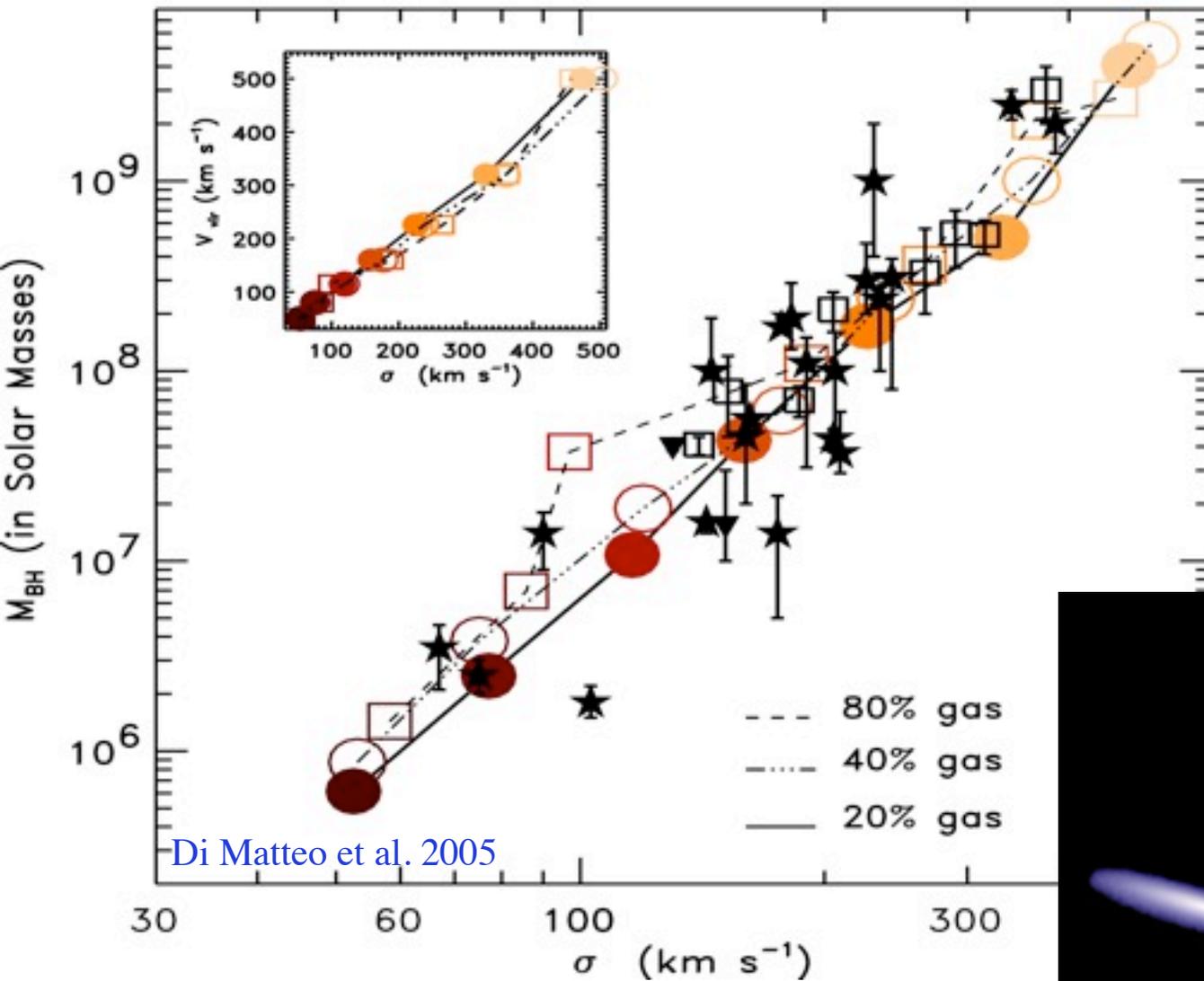
$$\rightarrow E_{\text{rad}} \sim 0.1 M_{\text{BH}} c^2 \sim 10^{61} \text{ erg}$$

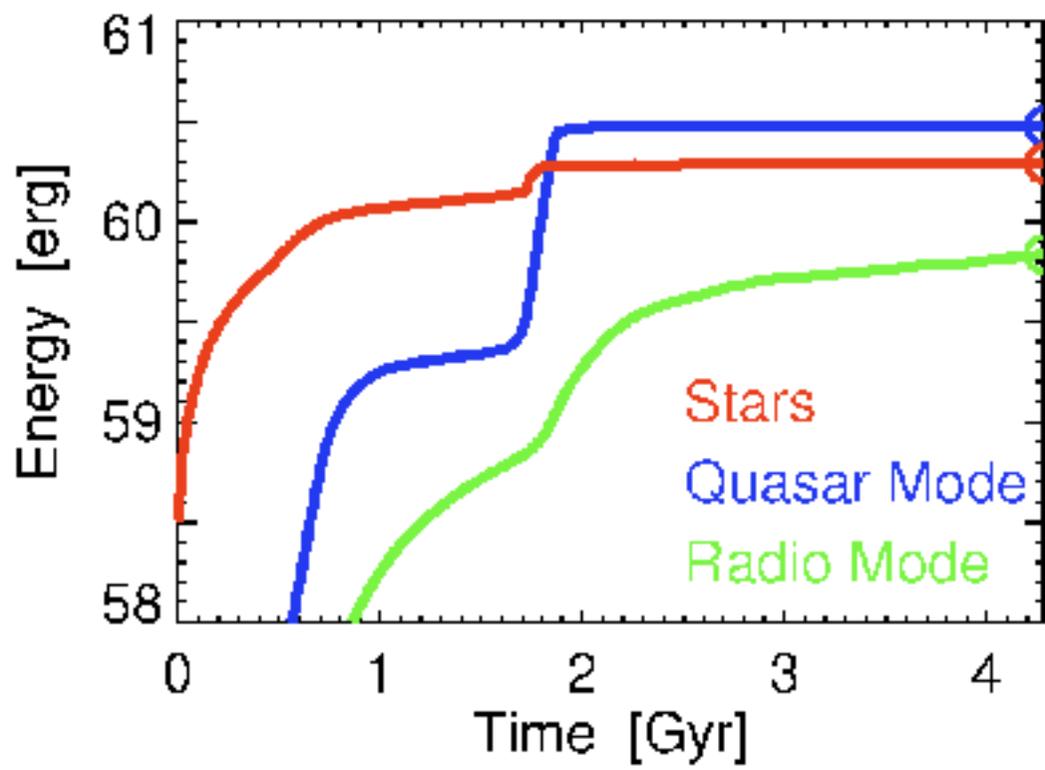
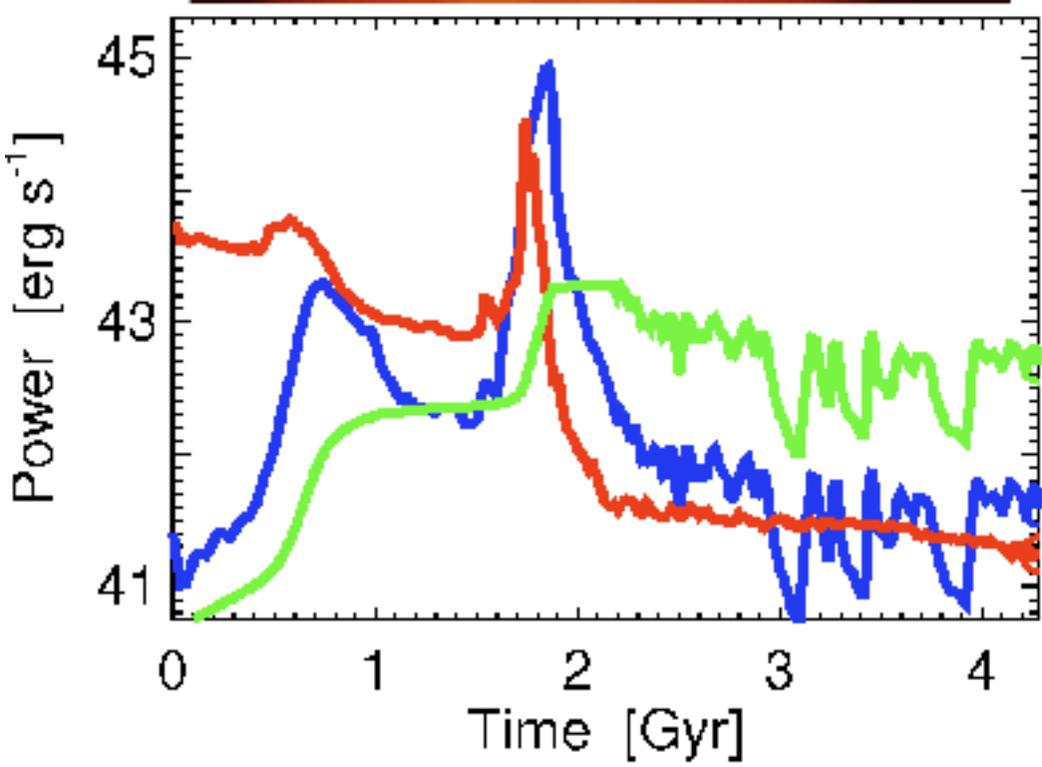
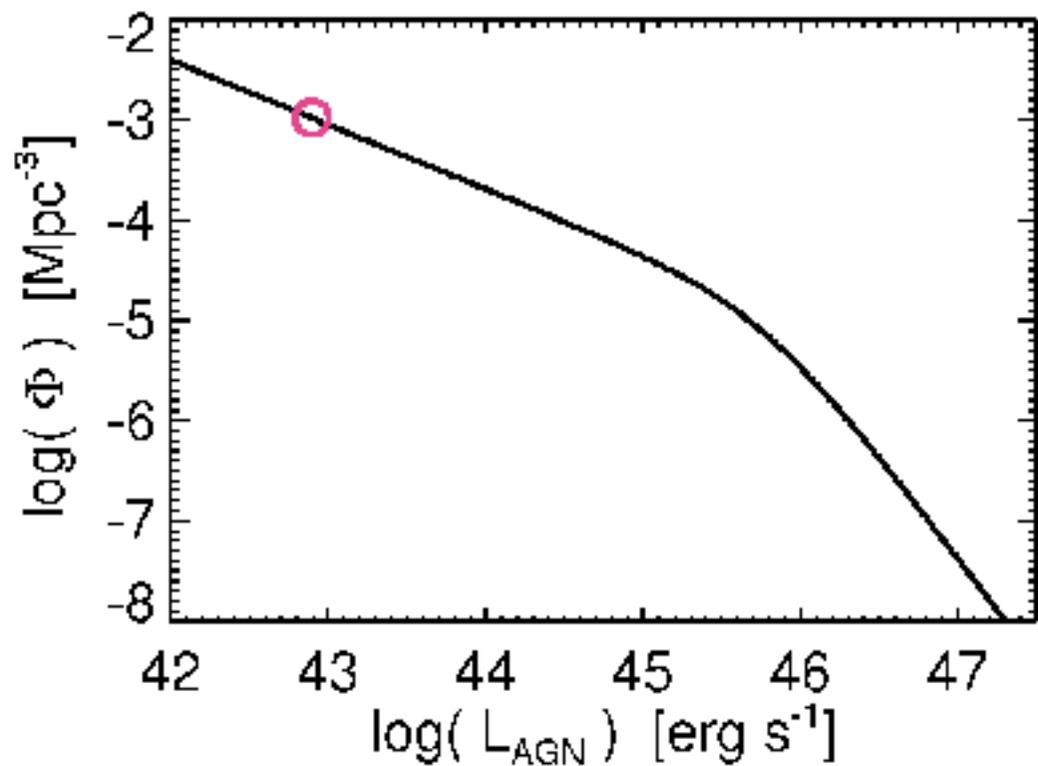
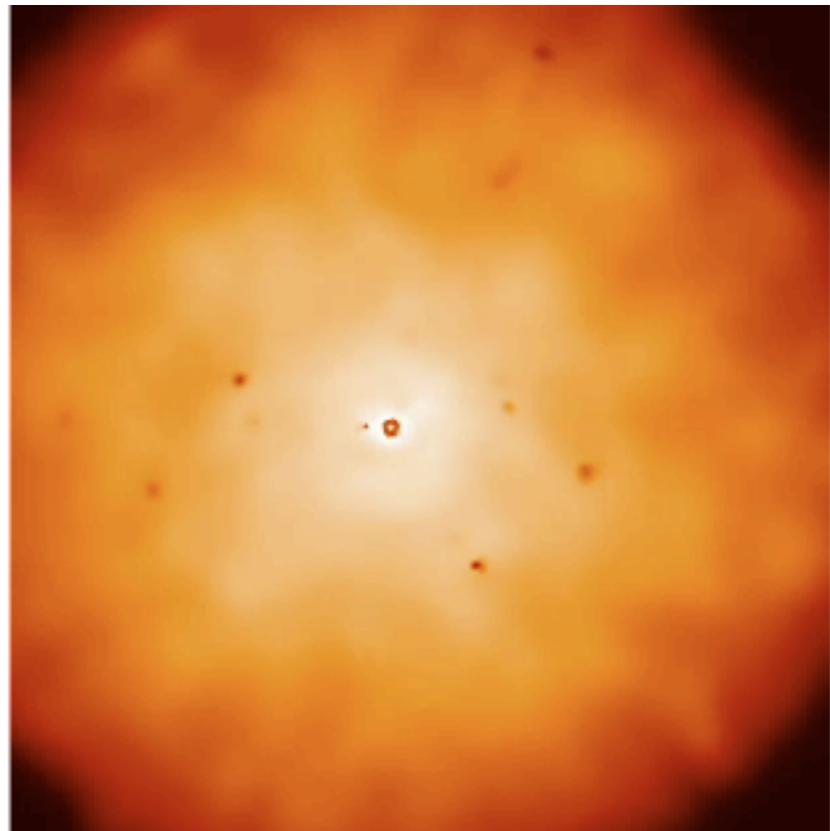
$(M_{\text{BH}} \sim 10^8 M_{\odot})$

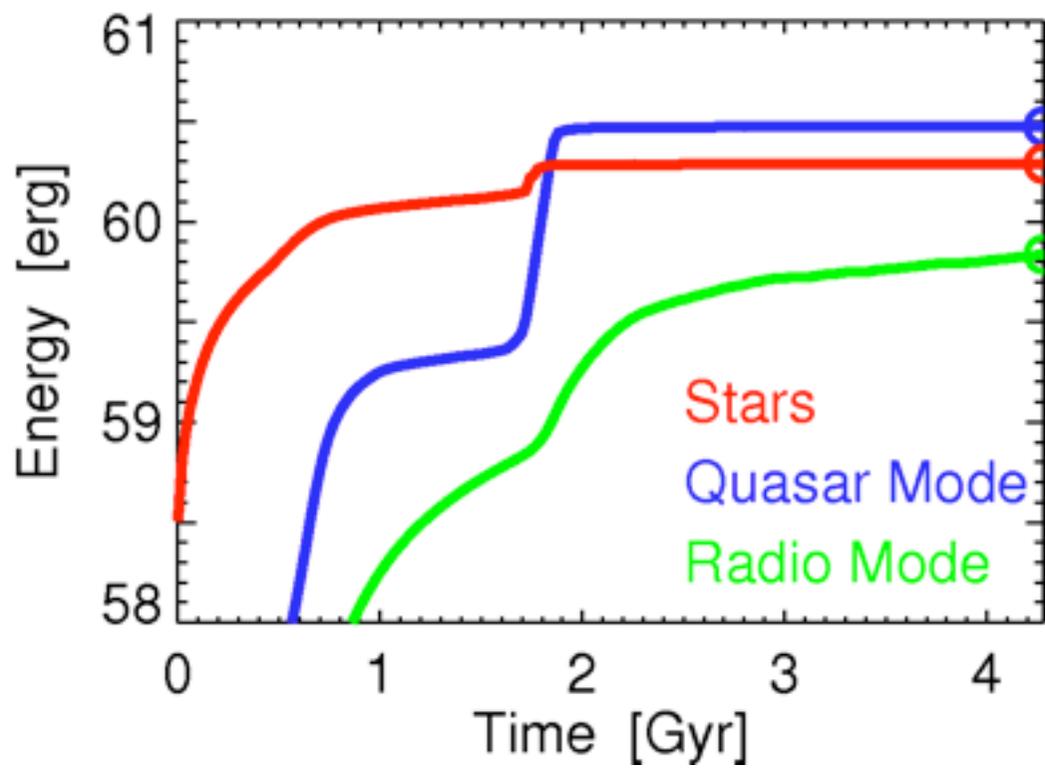
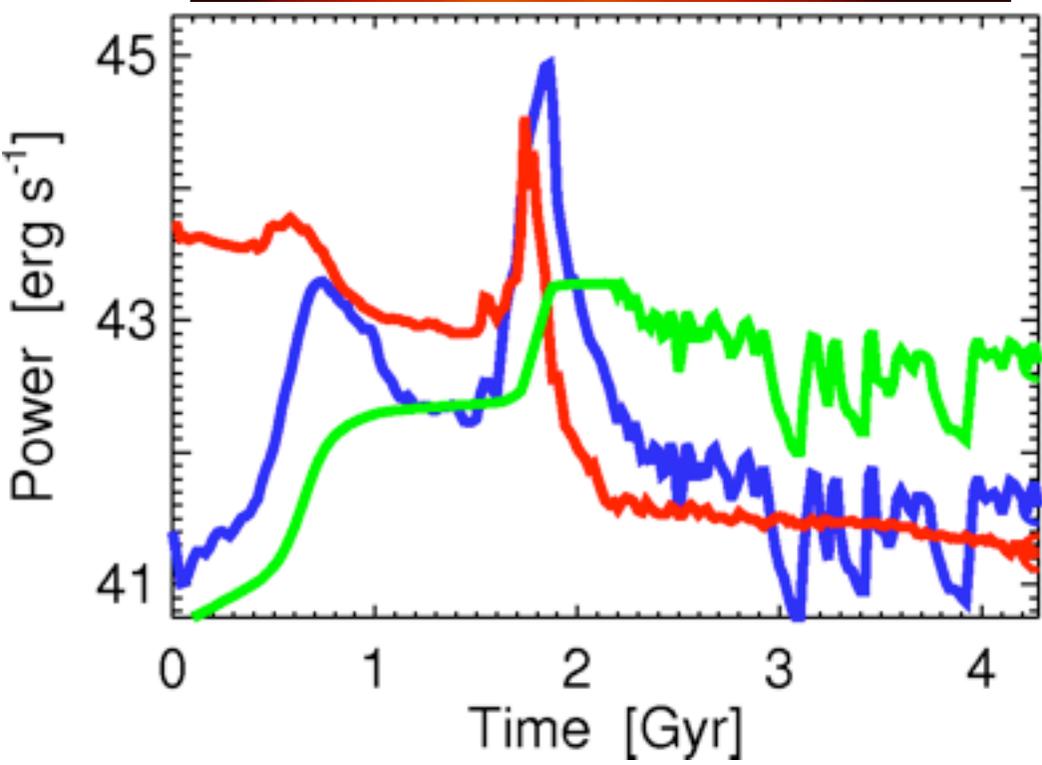
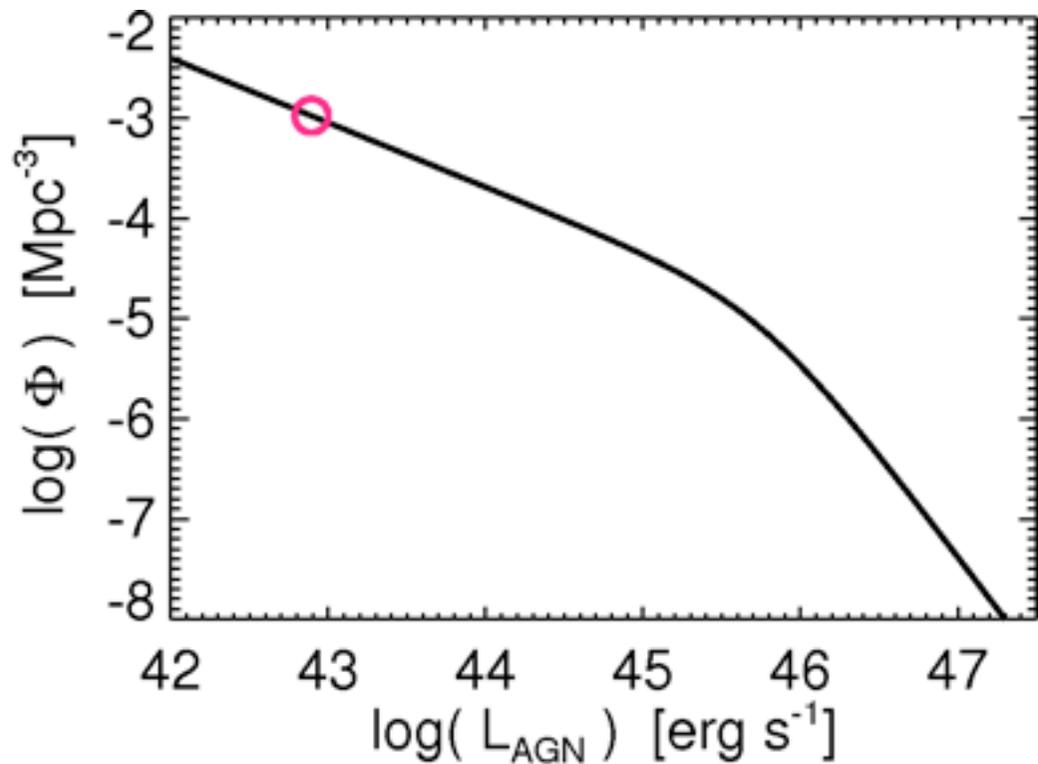
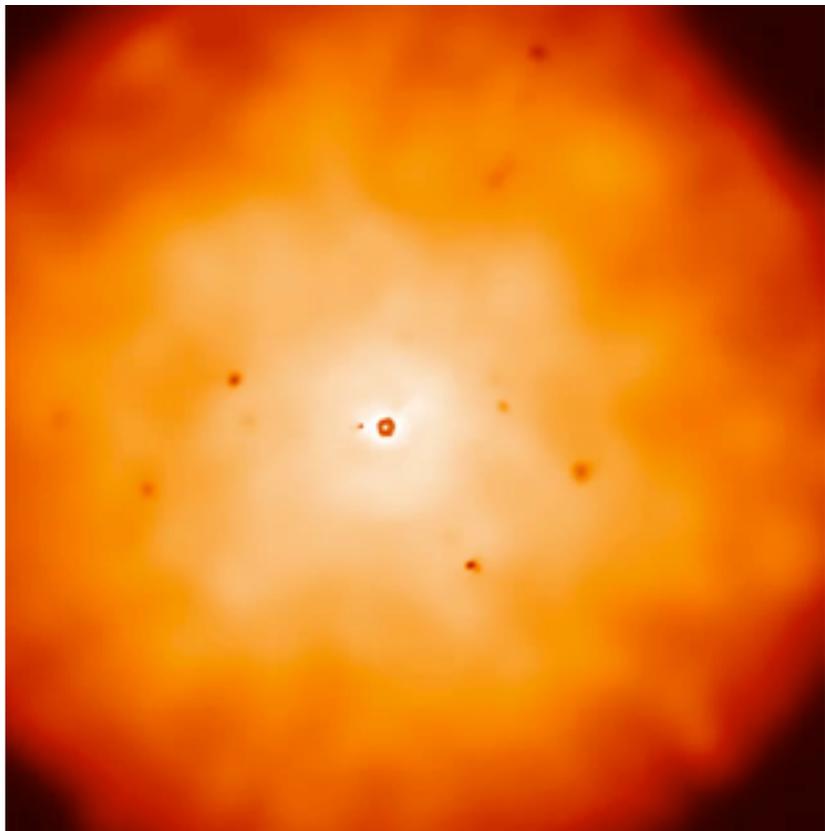
$$E_{\text{gal}} \sim M_{\text{gal}} \sigma^2 \sim (10^{11} M_{\odot}) (200 \text{ km/s})^2 \sim 10^{59} \text{ erg}$$

# M-sigma Suggests *Self-Regulated* BH Growth

PREVENTS RUNAWAY BLACK HOLE GROWTH



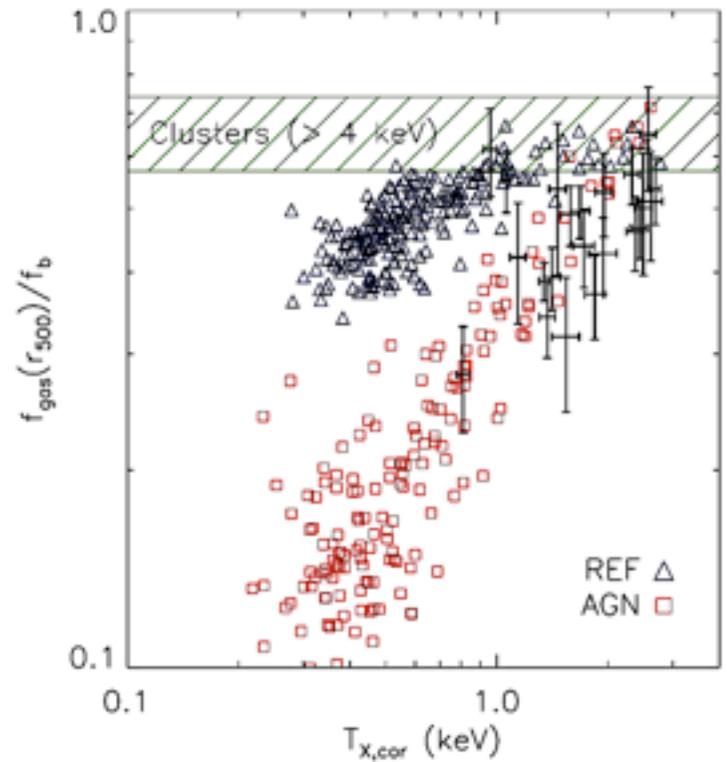
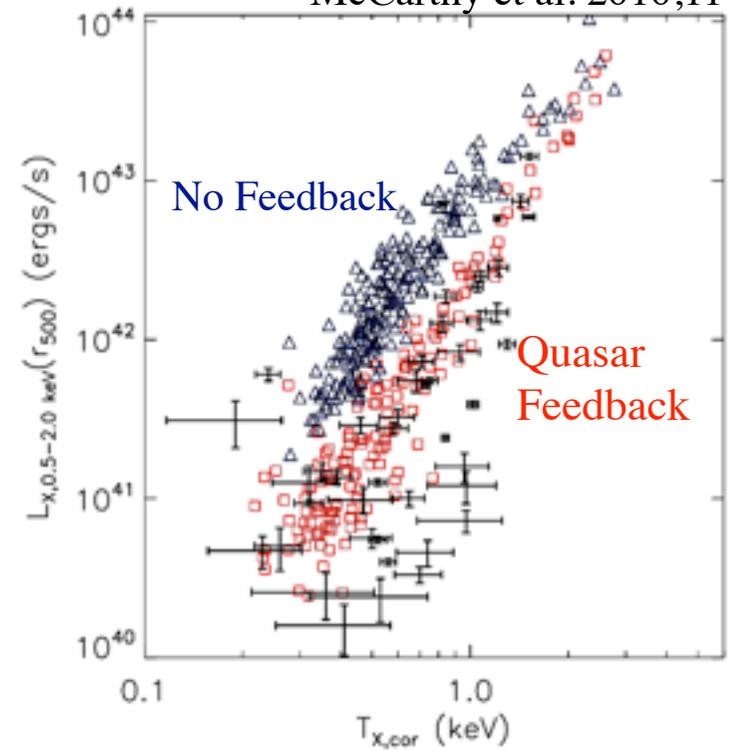
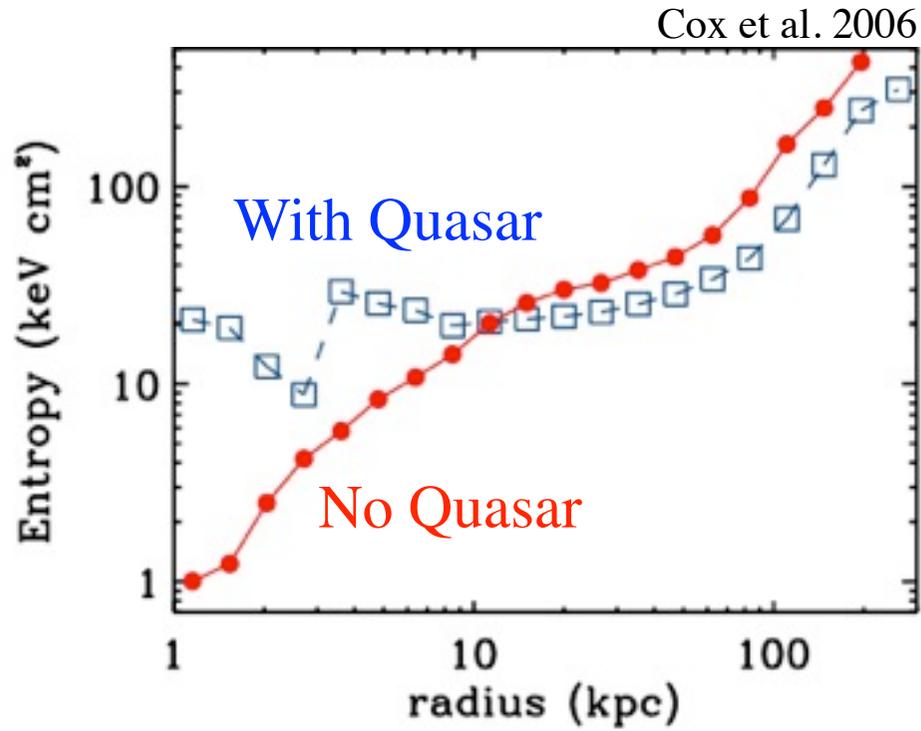




# Quasar Outflows: Heating Halo Gas

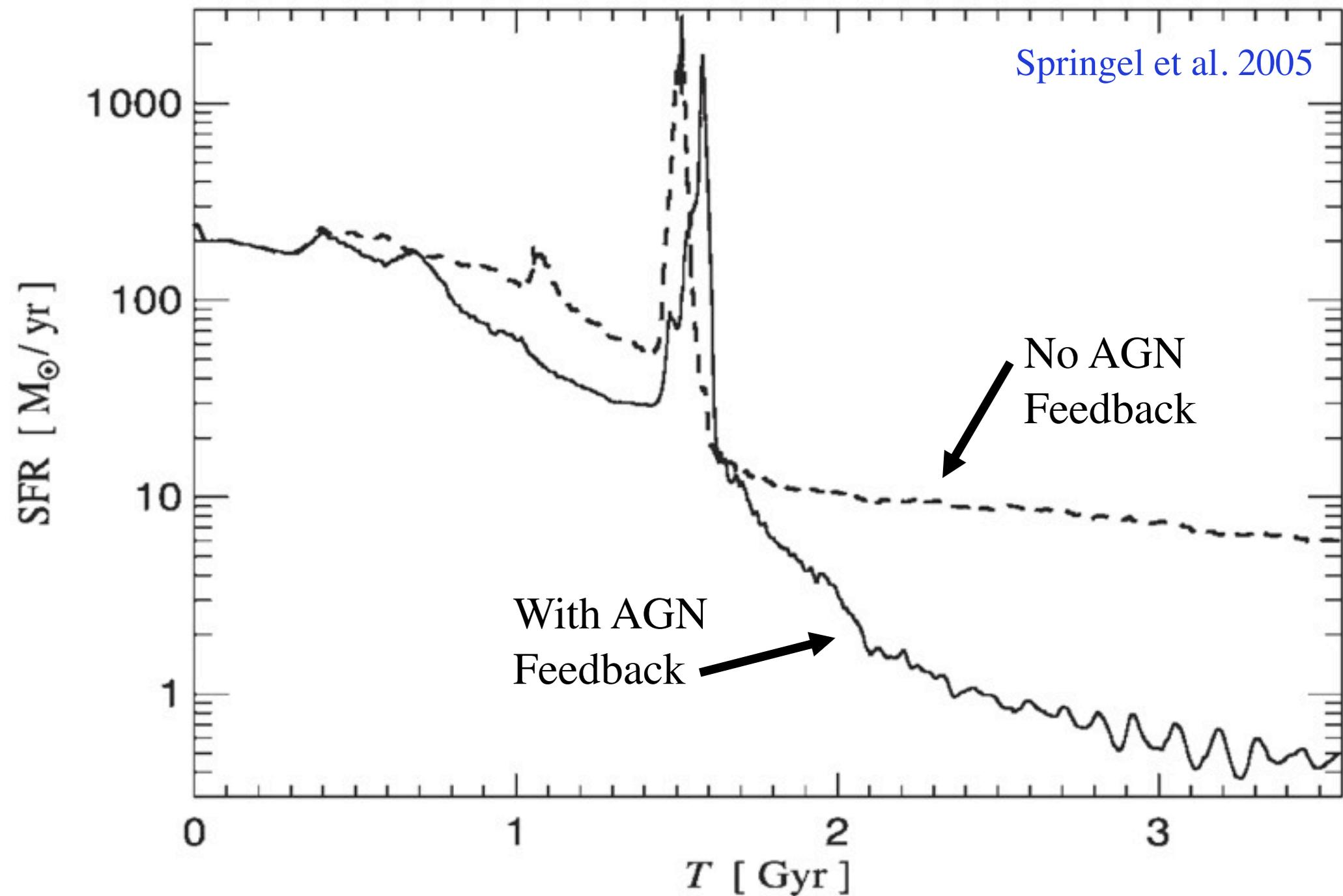
SHUT DOWN COOLING AND/OR "SET UP" RADIO MODE

McCarthy et al. 2010,11



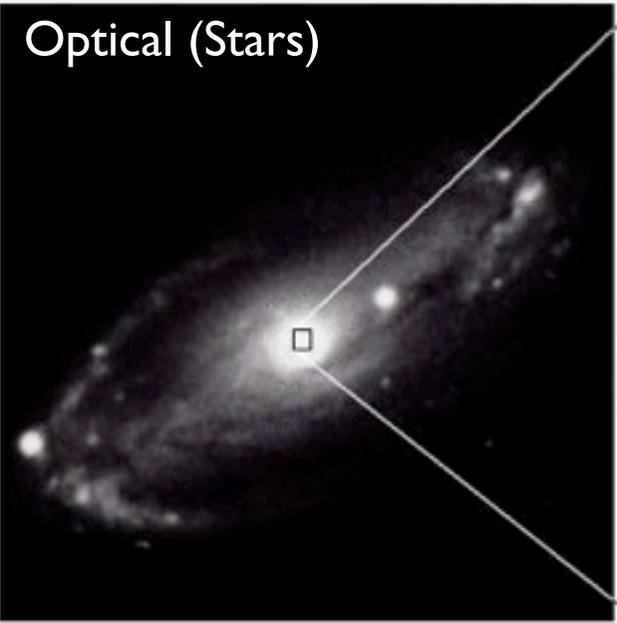
# Expulsion of Gas Turns off Star Formation

ENSURES ELLIPTICALS ARE SUFFICIENTLY "RED & DEAD"?

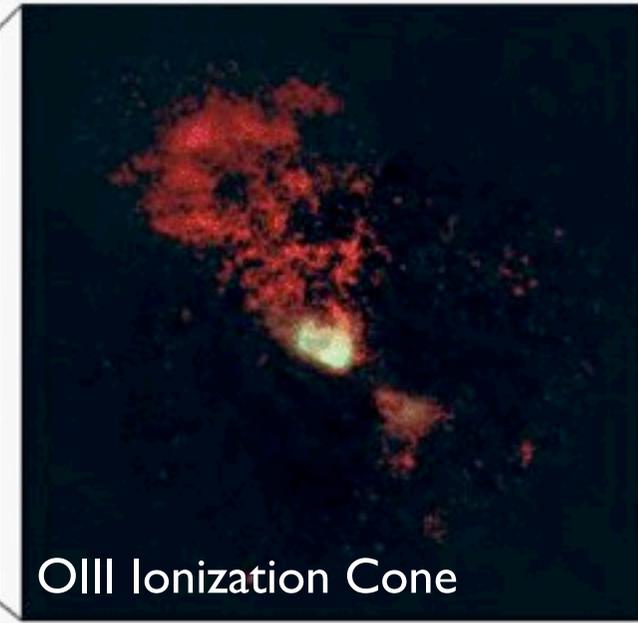


But Does Quasar Mode Feedback Exist?

Optical (Stars)

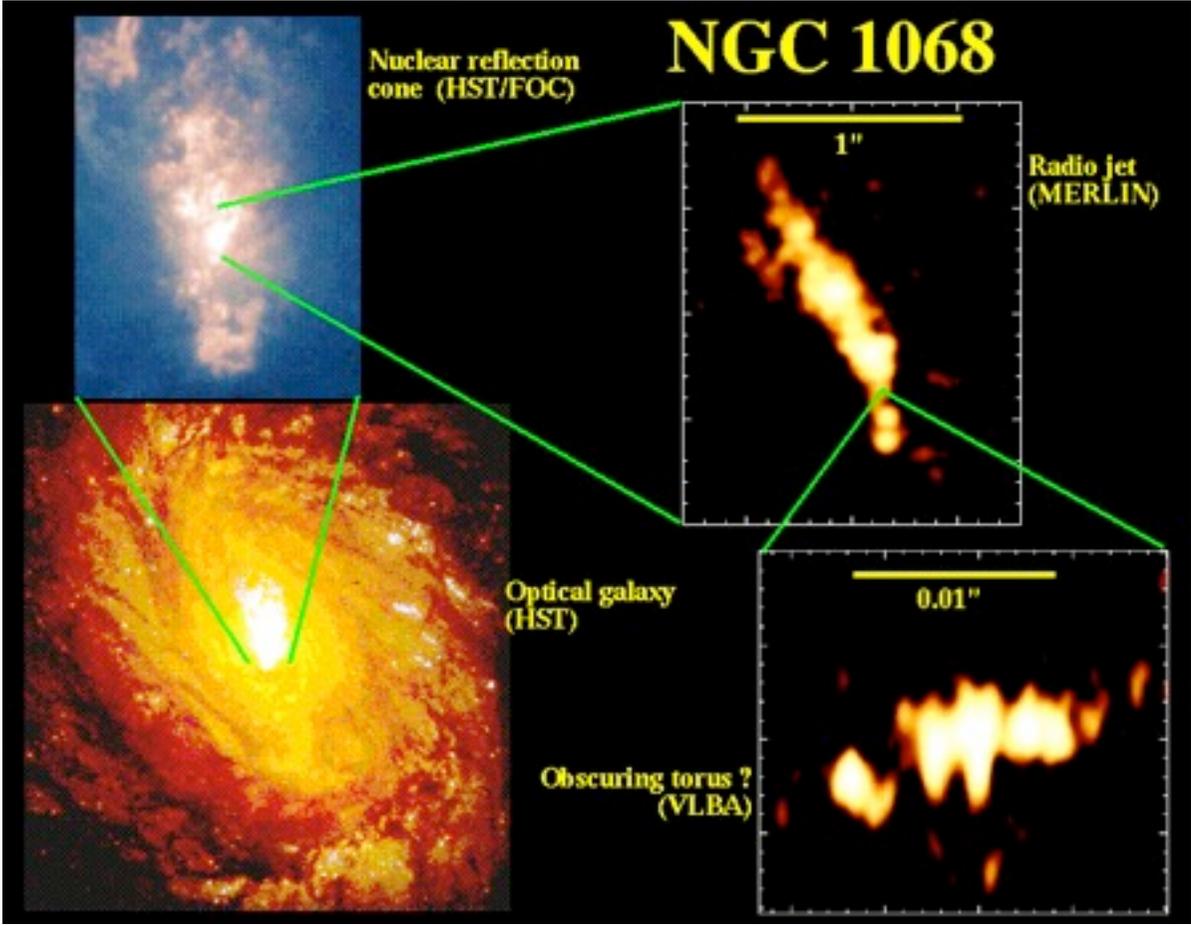


OIII Ionization Cone



NGC 5728

NGC 1068



Nuclear reflection cone (HST/FOC)

Radio jet (MERLIN)

Optical galaxy (HST)

Obscuring torus? (VLBA)

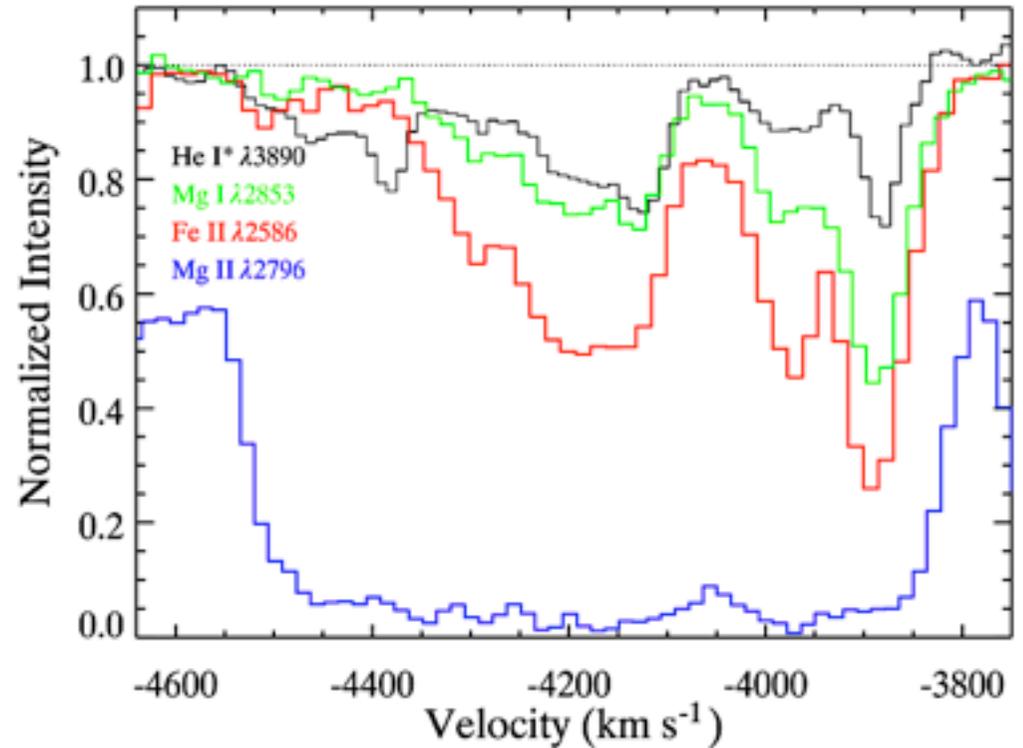
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# Broad Absorption Line Quasars

- Preferentially in high-L quasars
- Covering factor  $\sim 20\%$
- $\sim 12$  (16) objects now, 10/12 confirmed:

$$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}} v \gtrsim L_{\text{AGN}}/c$$
$$L_{\text{wind}} \gtrsim 0.01 L_{\text{AGN}}$$



$$R_{\text{wind}} \sim 1 - 20 \text{ kpc}$$

$$v \gtrsim 1000 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

$$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}} \sim 100 - 600 M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

Arav et al.  
Wampler et al. 1995  
Hamann et al. 2001  
de Kool et al. 2001&2  
Korista et al. 2008  
Moe et al. 2009  
Dunn et al. 2010  
Aoki et al. 2011  
Kaastra et al. 2011

# “Broad wings in Narrow Lines” in Type-2 (Narrow-Line) Quasars

Laor et al., Crenshaw et al.  
(lower-luminosity,  $v \sim 100\text{-}400$  km/s)

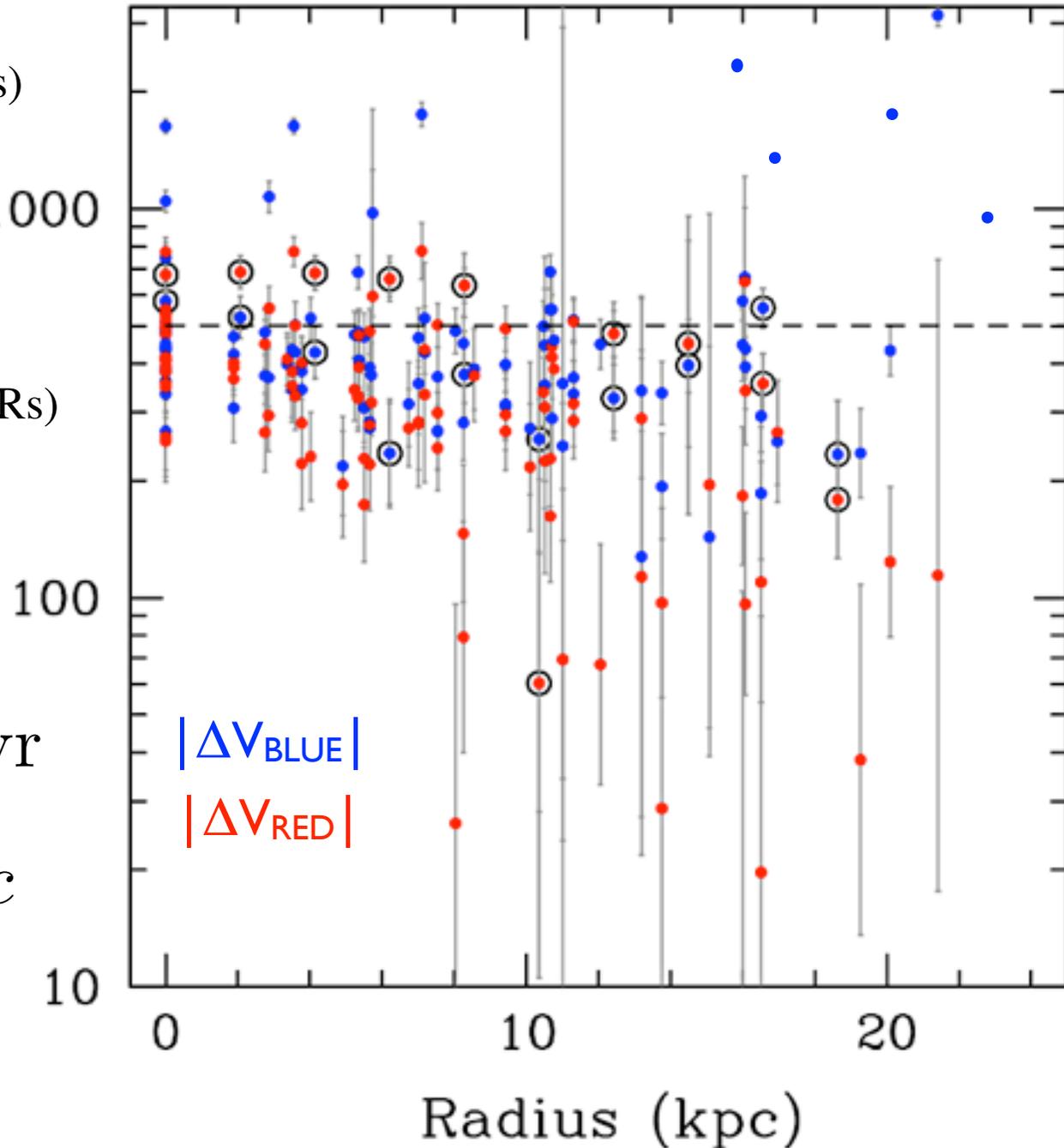
Humphrey et al. 2010  
Green & Zakamska et al. 2011

Shen et al. 2011 (Double-Peaked NLRs)

$$\dot{M} \sim 50 - 1000 M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$$

$$\dot{M} v \sim 1 - 30 L_{\text{AGN}}/c$$

$$L_{\text{wind}} \sim 0.01 L_{\text{AGN}}$$

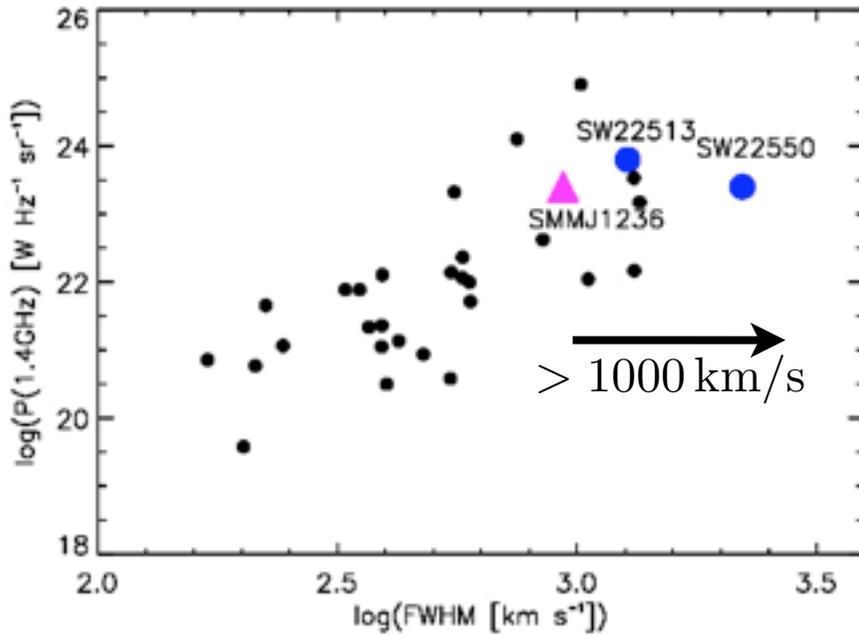


# Ionized Gas Tracers At High-Redshift

## “Pushed” By Radio Jets

Lehnert et al. 2009,2011

Nesvadba et al. 2010,2011



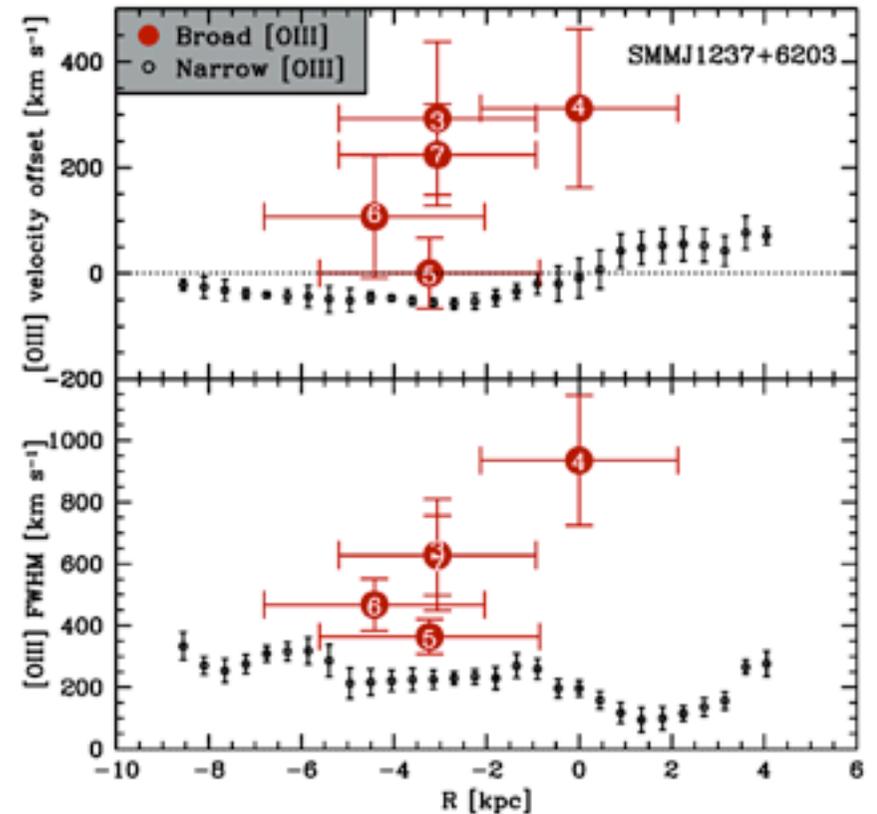
$$R_{\text{wind}} \sim 5 \text{ kpc}$$

$$v \sim 1000 \text{ km/s}$$

$$L_{\text{wind}} \sim 0.1 L_{\text{AGN}}$$

## No Radio Jets / Radio Quiet

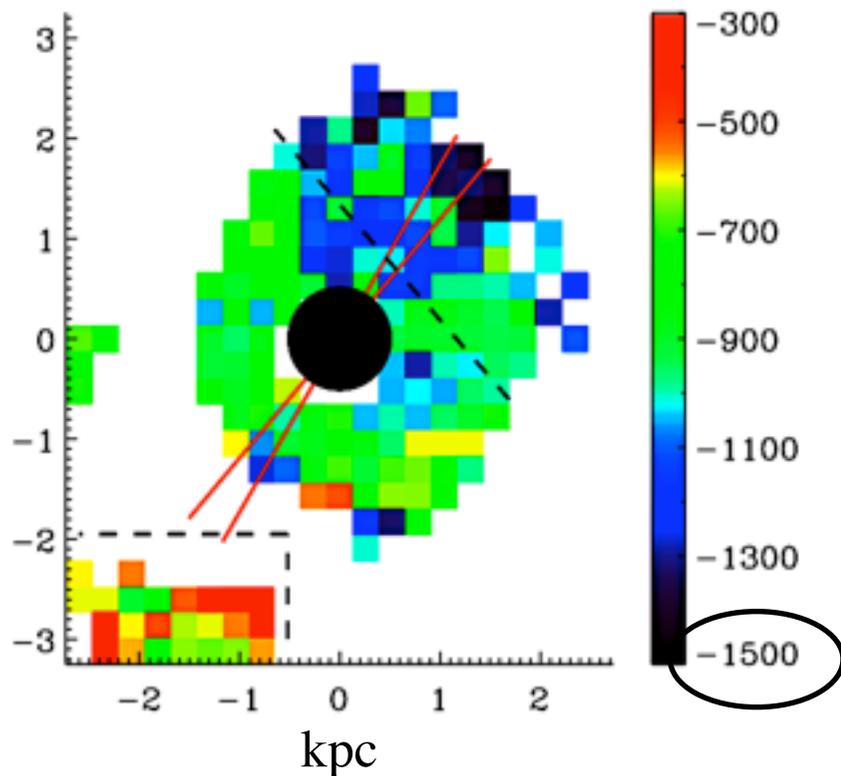
Alexander et al. 2010



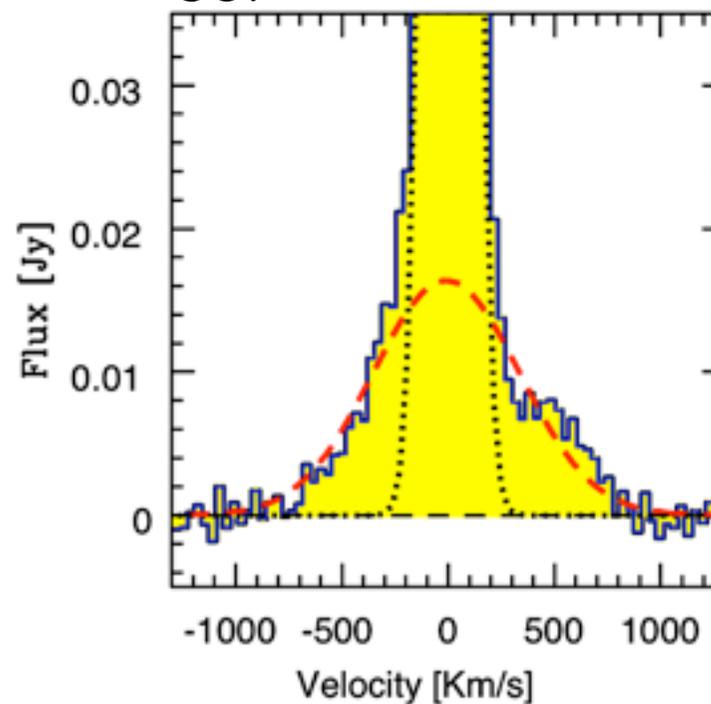
# Molecular Outflows in AGN ULIRGs

Rupke & Veilleux 2005,2011  
Fischer et al. 2010 (Mrk 231)  
Feruglio et al. 2010 (Mrk 231)  
Alatalo et al. 2011 (NGC 1266)

Molecular+Ionized Outflows:



CO:



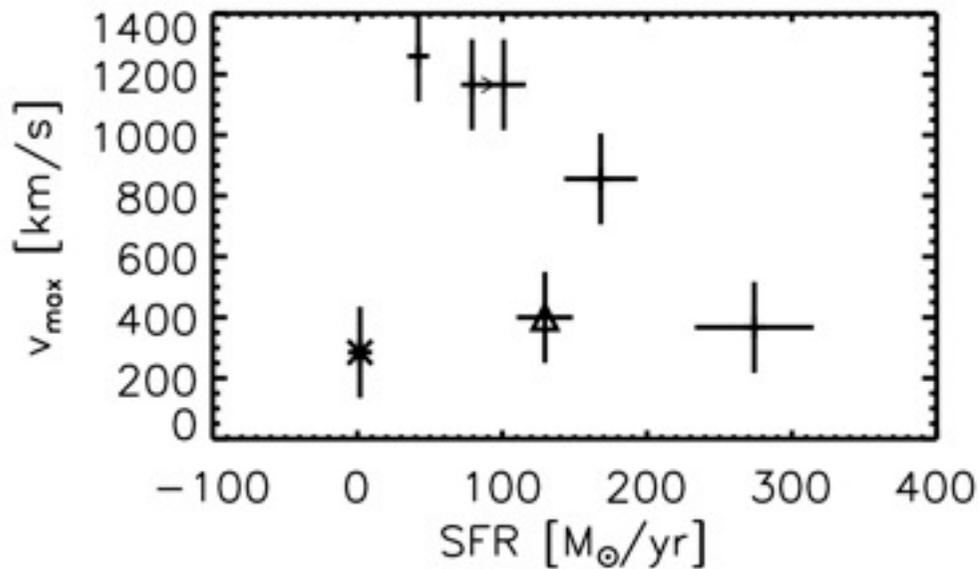
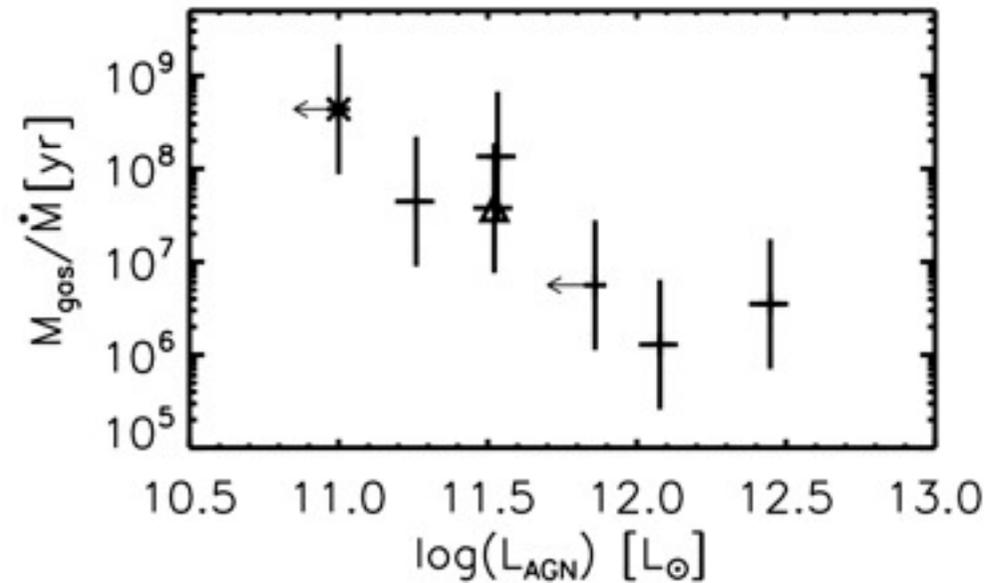
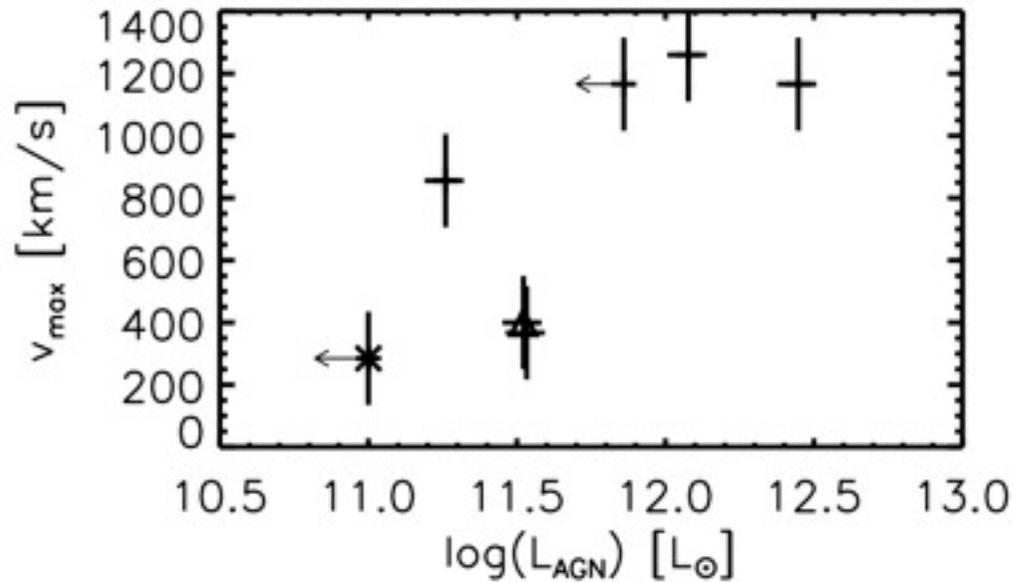
$$R_{\text{wind}} \sim 1 - 4 \text{ kpc}$$

$$v > 500 \text{ km s}^{-1}$$

$$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}} \gtrsim 1000 M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

# Molecular Outflows in AGN ULIRGs

Sturm et al. 2011:



$$\dot{M} \sim 100 - 1000 M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$$

$$\dot{M} v \sim 5 - 30 L_{\text{AGN}}/c$$

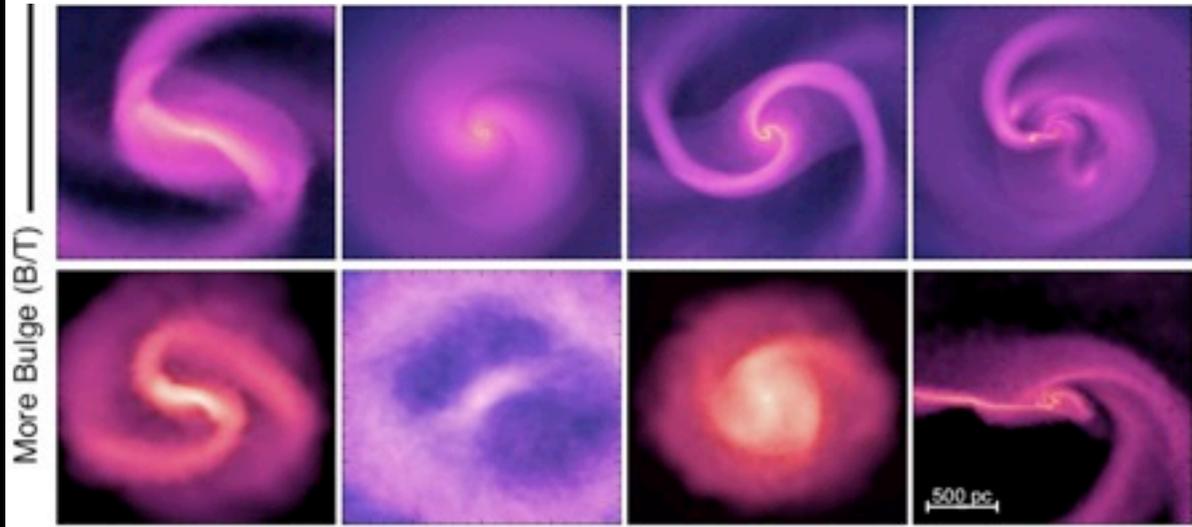
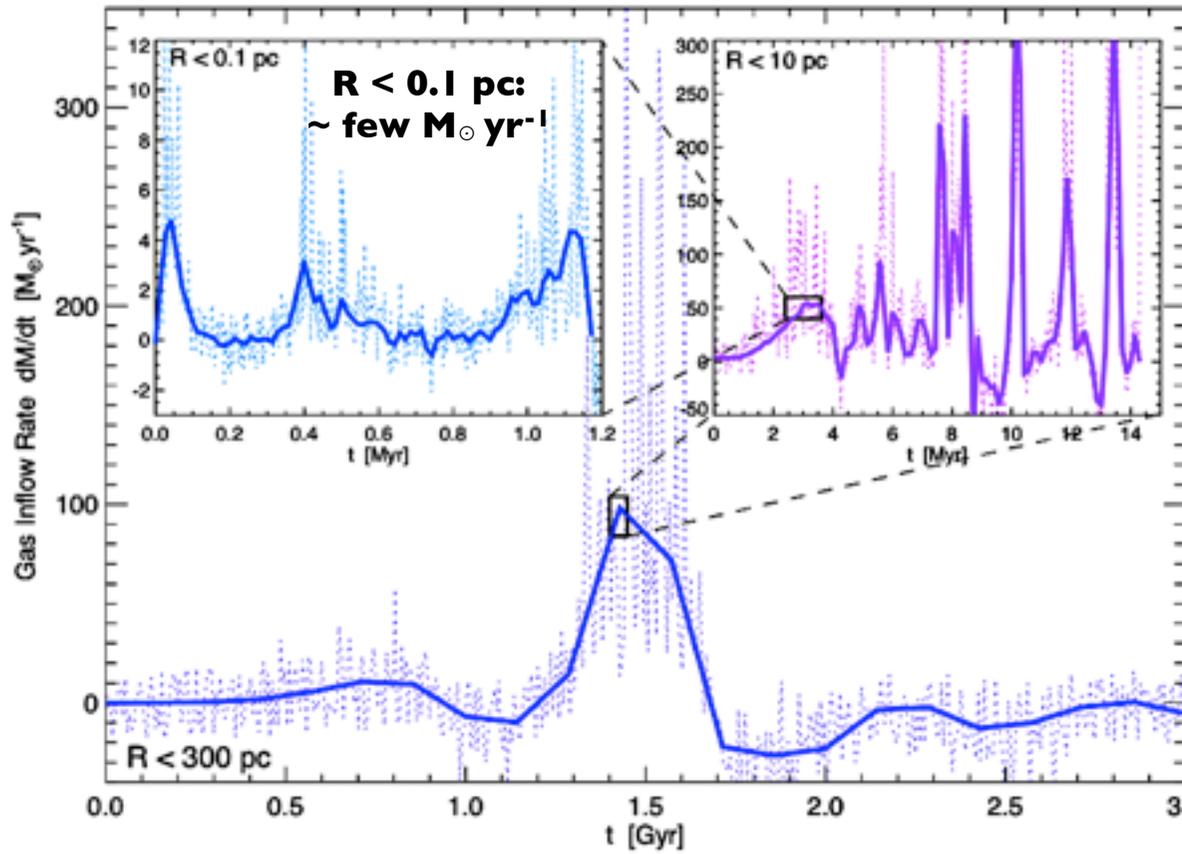
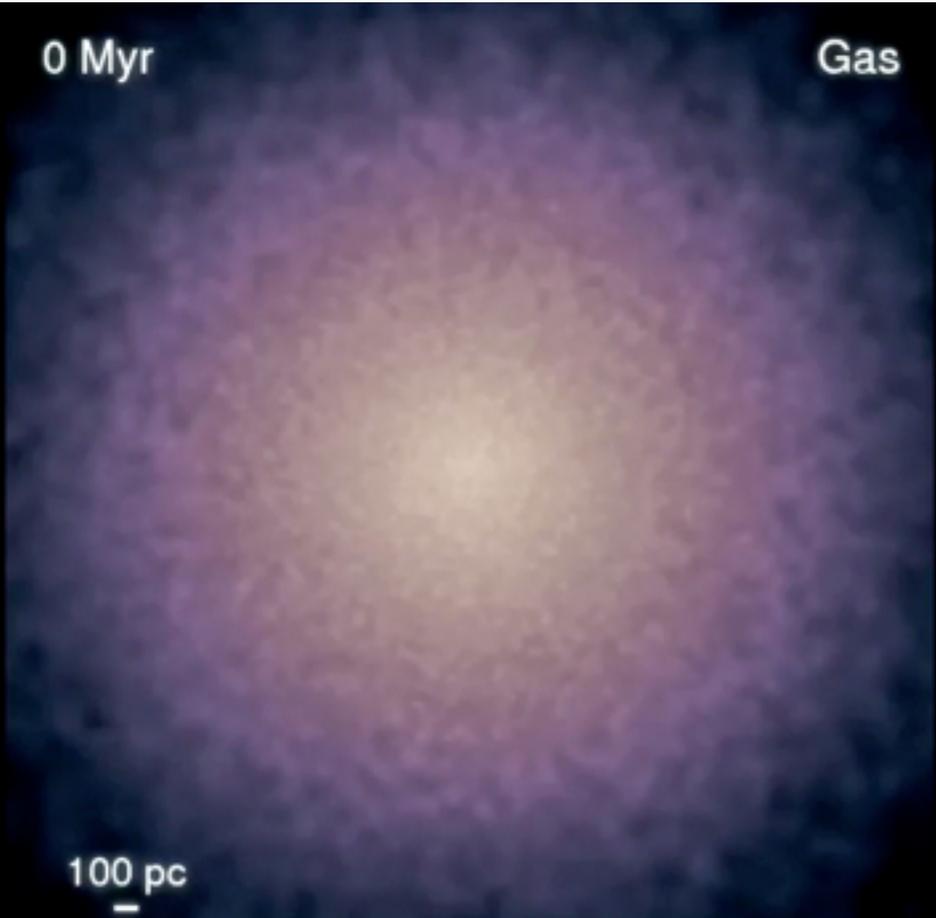
$$L_{\text{wind}} \sim 0.03 - 0.10 L_{\text{AGN}}$$

Where to now? How Do We Model This?

# Step 1: Inflow

- Beginning to directly follow inflow to sub-pc scales

PFH & Quataert 2009,10,11  
 Levine, Gnedin, Kravtsov 09,10  
 Mayer, Callegari, 09,10





## Bars w/in Bars

(Shlosman et al. 1989)

“It’s Bars all the Way Down ...”

More accurately ...

“It’s Non-axisymmetric Features all the Way Down ...”

$$\dot{M} \approx 10 M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Disk}}{\text{Total}} \right)^{5/2} M_{\text{BH}, 8}^{-1/6} M_{\text{gas}, 9} R_{0,100}^{-3/2}$$

## Step 2: *Stellar* Feedback & the ISM

- High-resolution ( $\sim 1\text{pc}$ ), molecular cooling ( $<100\text{ K}$ ), SF only at highest densities ( $n_{\text{H}} > 1000\text{ cm}^{-3}$ )
- Heating:
  - SNe (II & Ia)
  - Stellar Winds
  - Photoionization (HII Regions)



- *Explicit* Momentum Flux:

- Radiation Pressure

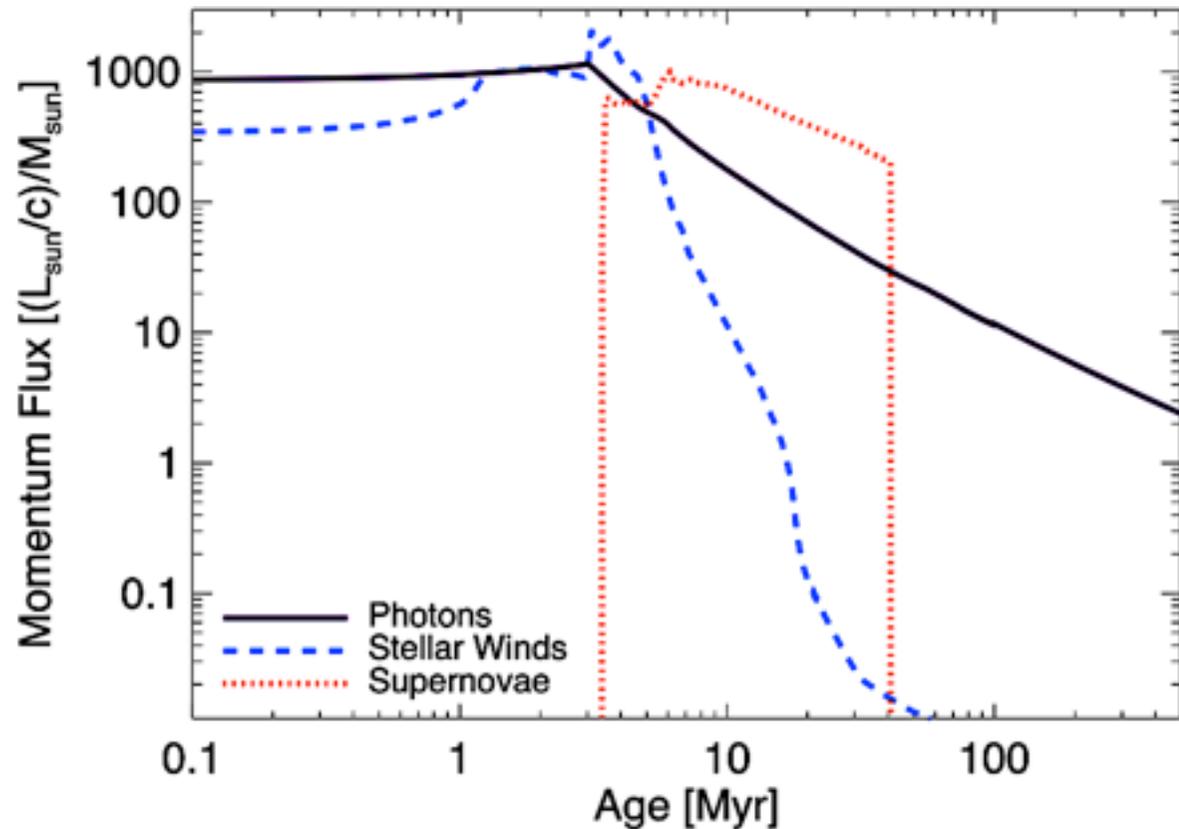
$$\dot{P}_{\text{rad}} \sim \frac{L}{c} (1 + \tau_{\text{IR}})$$

- SNe

$$\dot{P}_{\text{SNe}} \sim \dot{E}_{\text{SNe}} v_{\text{ejecta}}^{-1}$$

- Stellar Winds

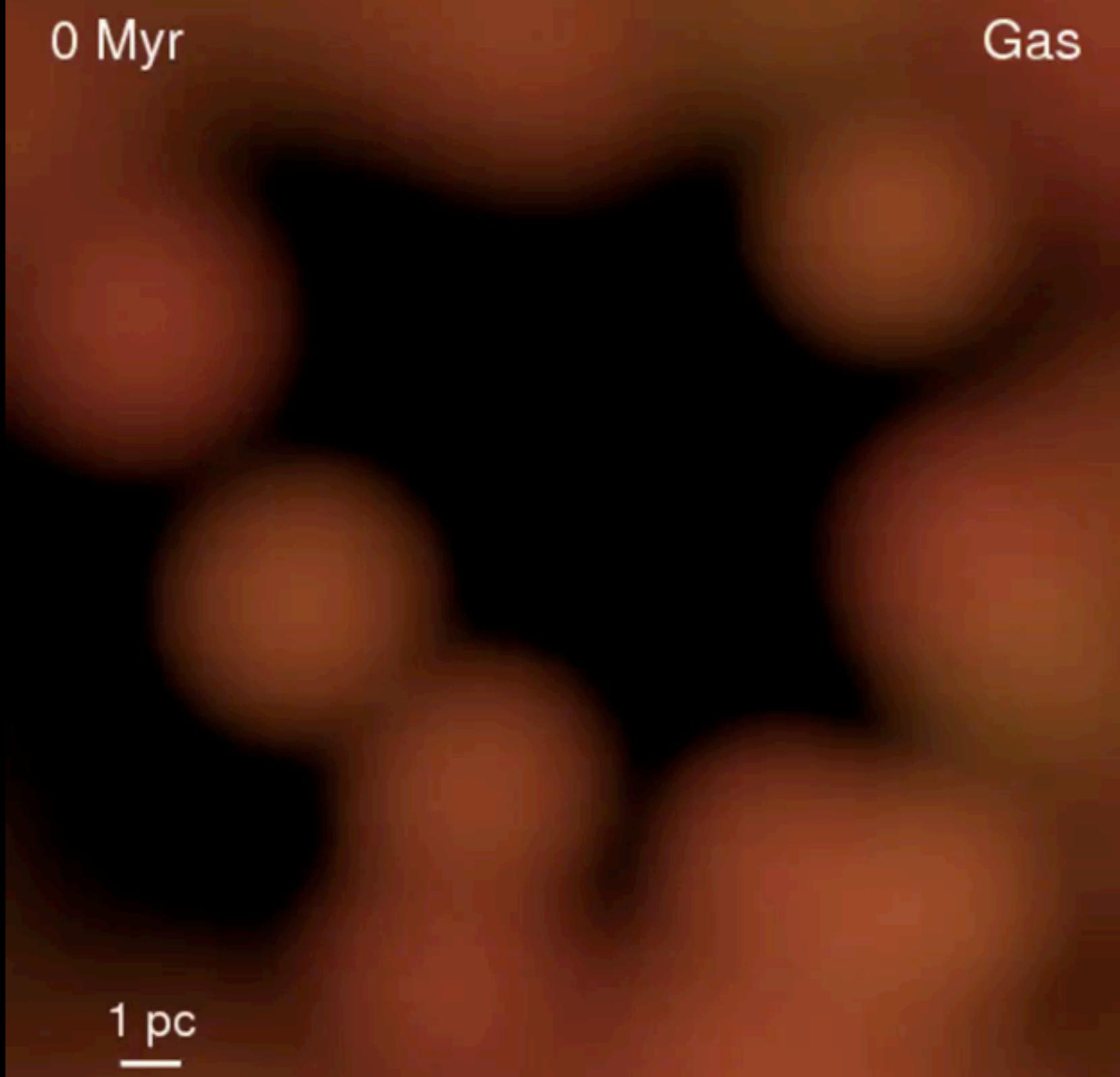
$$\dot{P}_{\text{W}} \sim \dot{M} v_{\text{wind}}$$



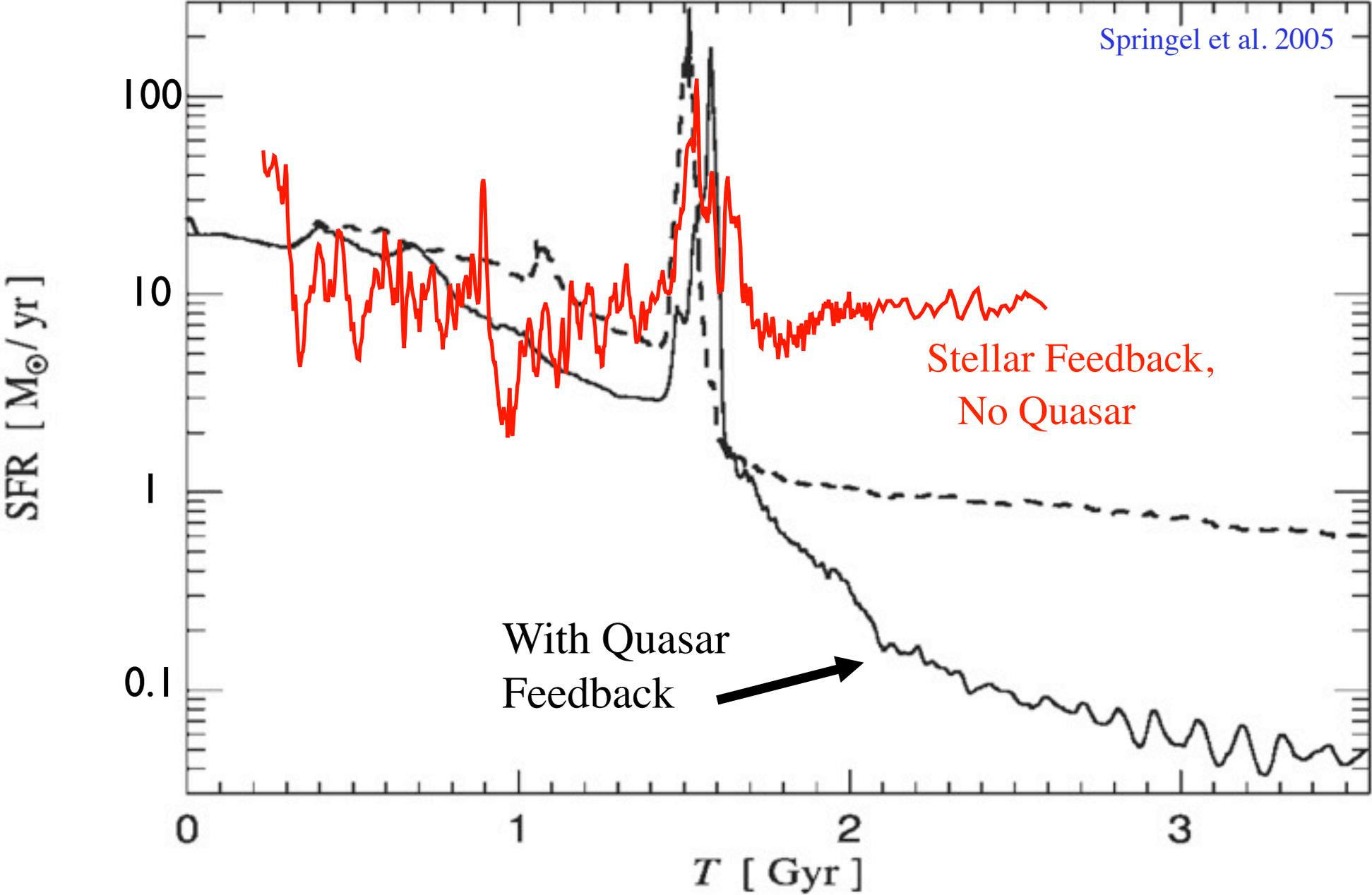
0 Myr

Gas

1 pc  
—



# Do we still need 'Quasar Mode' Feedback?



## Step 3: Physical Sources of AGN Feedback

# mechanical (jets & winds) & radiative

## Jets

heat IGM/ICM (low  $\rho$ ), but not dense ISM

## Winds

BAL-QSO winds

equatorial

$\dot{P}$  up to  $\sim 5L/c$  (Arav+)

## Photons

UV:  $\dot{P} \sim L/c$  (absorbed by dust):  $K_{UV} \sim 10^3 \text{ cm}^2 \text{ g}^{-1} \sim 10^3 \text{ e scatt}$

FIR:  $\dot{P} \sim \tau L/c$  ( $\tau \sim$  dust FIR optical depth  $\sim 10$ -100):  $K_{FIR} \sim 10 \text{ e scatt}$

Compton Heating (only low density gas)

## Outstanding Problem: Which Dominates?

Physics very diff for ISM & IGM

# BAL Winds as a Quasar Feedback Mechanism

- $L/L_{\text{Edd}} > \sim 0.1$
- Covering factor  $\sim 10\text{-}30\%$

- $\sim 12$  (16) objects now,  
10/12 confirmed:

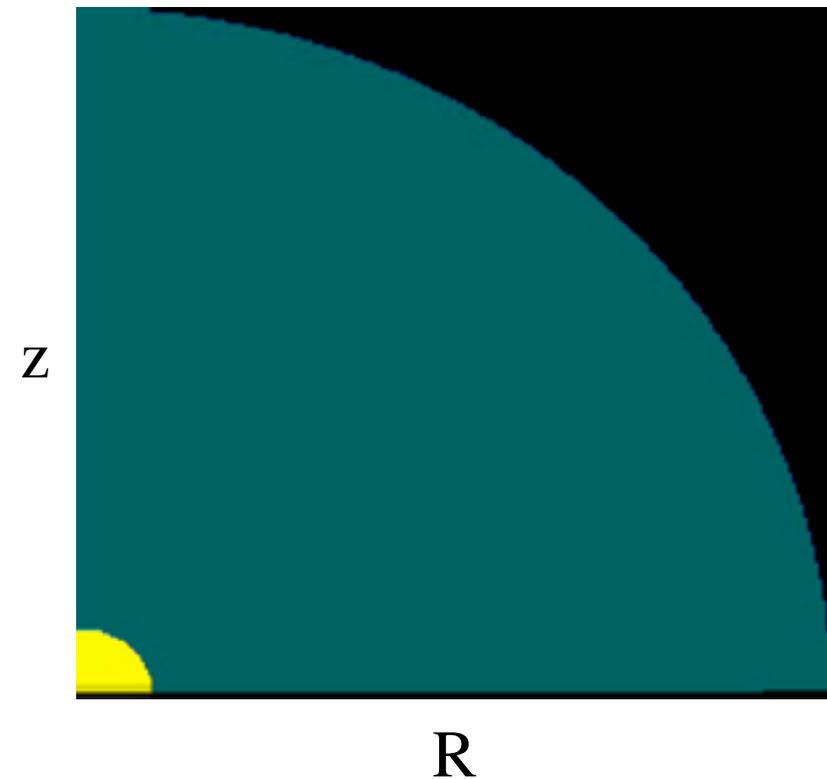
$$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}} v \gtrsim L_{\text{AGN}}/c$$
$$L_{\text{wind}} \gtrsim 0.01 L_{\text{AGN}}$$

- Launched at  $< \text{pc}$

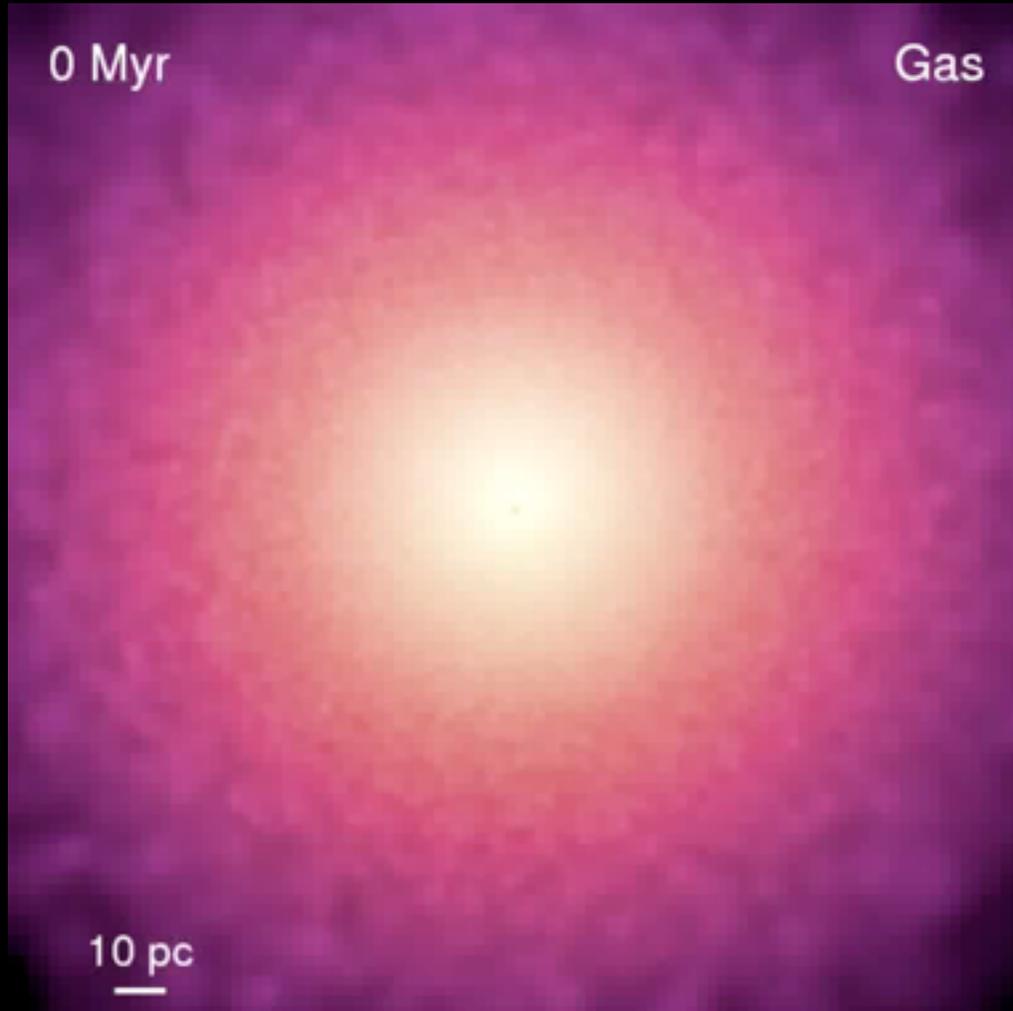
$$\dot{M}_{\text{launch}} \sim \dot{M}_{\text{BH}}$$

$$v_{\text{launch}} \sim 30,000 \text{ km/s}$$

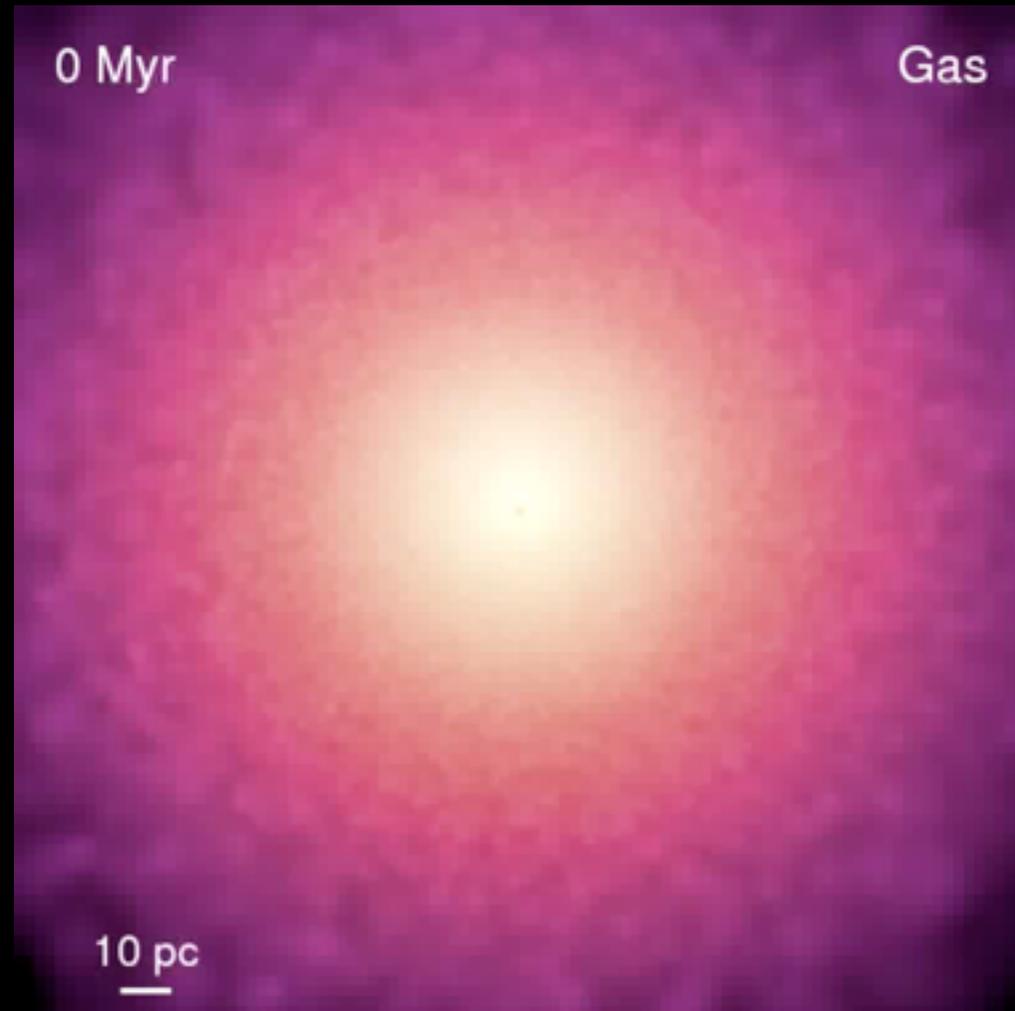
Proga et al. 00-07; Kurosawa et al. 08-11



No BAL Winds



With BAL Winds



$$\dot{M}_{\text{launch}}(0.1 \text{ pc}) = 0.5 \dot{M}_{\text{BH}}$$

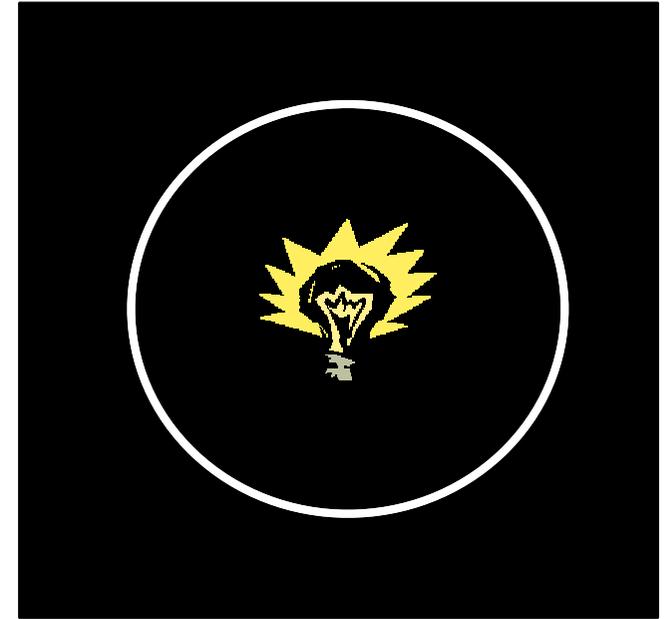
$$v_{\text{launch}}(0.1 \text{ pc}) = 10,000 \text{ km/s}$$

# BAL Winds as a Quasar Feedback Mechanism

SILK & REES 1998, MURRAY ET AL. 2005, MANY MORE

Momentum Flux:

$$\frac{L}{c} \gtrsim F_{\text{grav}} \sim \frac{G M M_g}{r^2}$$



Shut Down Accretion When:

$$L_{\text{max}} \propto M_{\text{BH}} \propto \sigma^4$$

if momentum flux  $\sim$  few  $L/c$ , predicts *normalization* of  $M$ - $\sigma$

$$M_{\text{BH}} \sim 10^8 M_{\odot} \left( \frac{\sigma}{200 \text{ km/s}} \right)^4$$

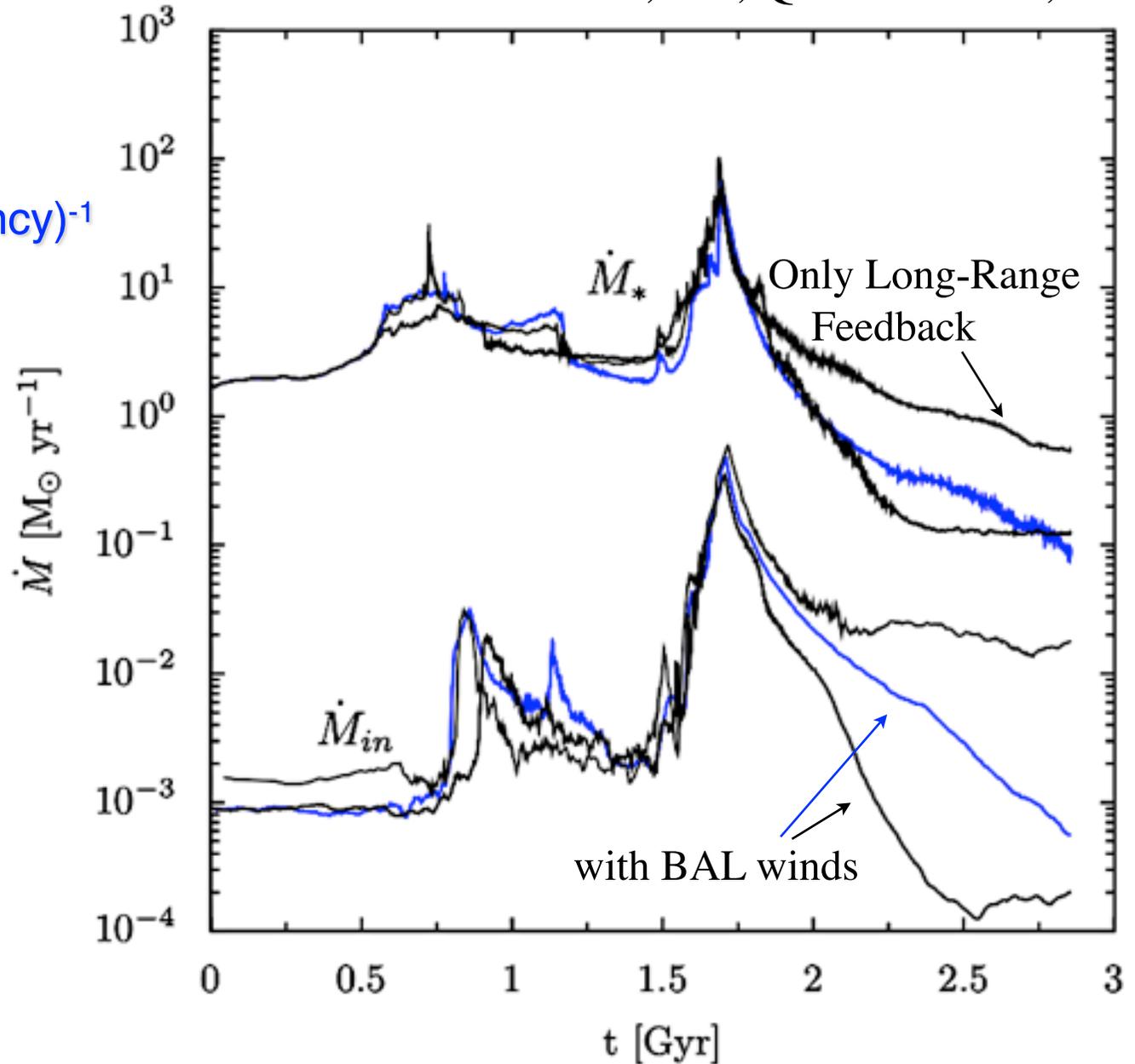
# BAL Winds on Galactic Scales

CAN IT REALLY AFFECT STAR FORMATION?

Novak et al. 2010,11

Debuhr, Ma, Quataert 2010,11

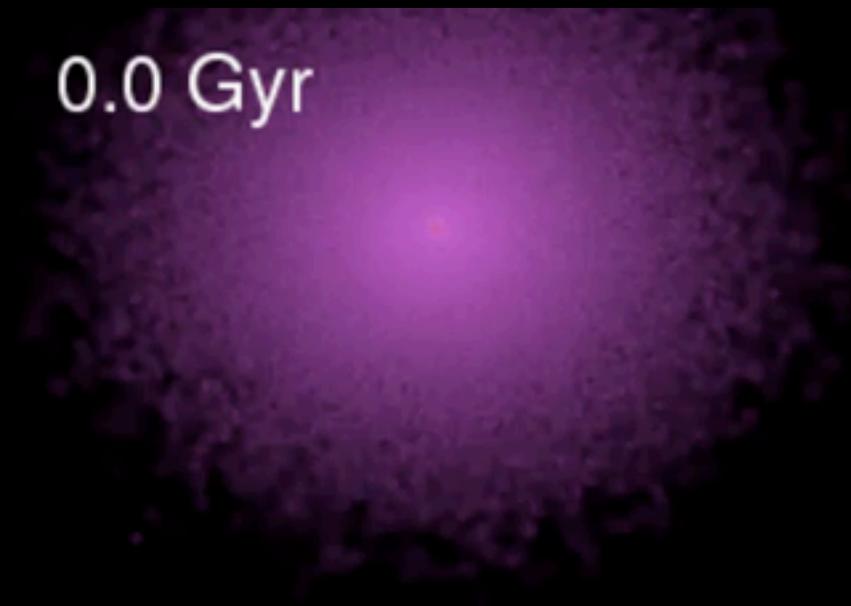
- Recover  $M-\sigma$
- Normalization  $\sim (\text{efficiency})^{-1}$
- Launch  $\sim 1000$  km/s “tail” in winds
- Suppress SFR



0.0 Gyr

Gas

10 kpc



# Summary

- Quasar feedback is here to stay
  - BAL Winds + Jets + Radiation Pressure on Dust + ??? = ???
- Strong arguments that this regulates BH Mass: Sets  $M_{\text{BH}}-\sigma$ 
  - Less clear how it impacts the galaxy
  - BUT, depletion times  $\sim 1$  Myr are hard to ignore!
- Inflows: “Stuff within Stuff”: Cascade of instabilities with diverse morphology
  - Nuclear starbursts & powering of SMGs & ULIRGs
  - Determines structure & kinematics of elliptical galaxies
- Outflows: Towards a *Predictive* Model
  - BAL Winds:
    - *CAN* explain  $M_{\text{BH}}-\sigma$
    - *WILL* suppress SFRs
    - *SHOULD* heat & clear IGM & Proto-Group Environments
  - (Quasar) Jets:
    - *WHEN PRESENT*, probably even stronger effects
    - *Probably* jet-driven winds, not “direct” jet heating