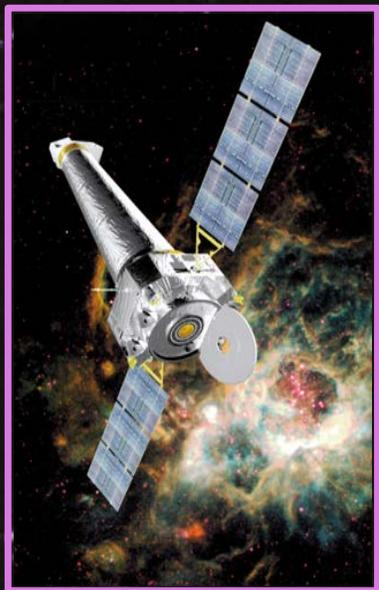
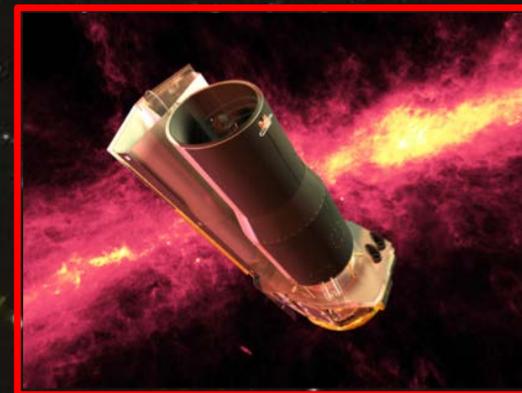
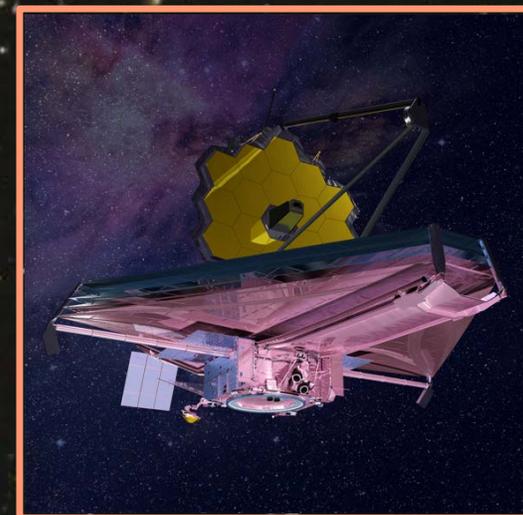




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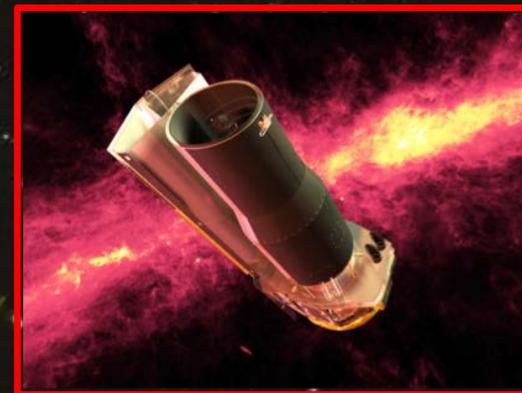
Galaxies at Cosmic Dawn:
Exploring the First Billion Years
with Hubble and Spitzer –
Implications for JWST



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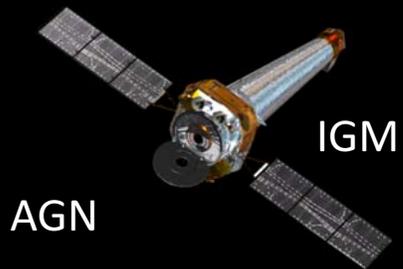
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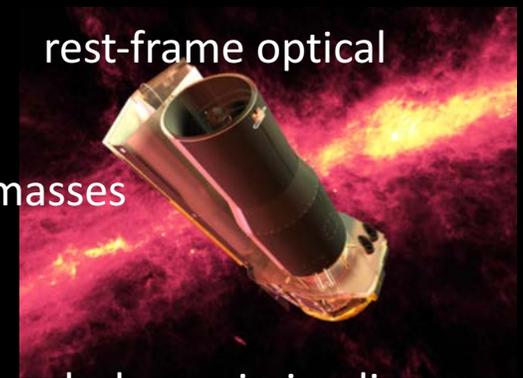


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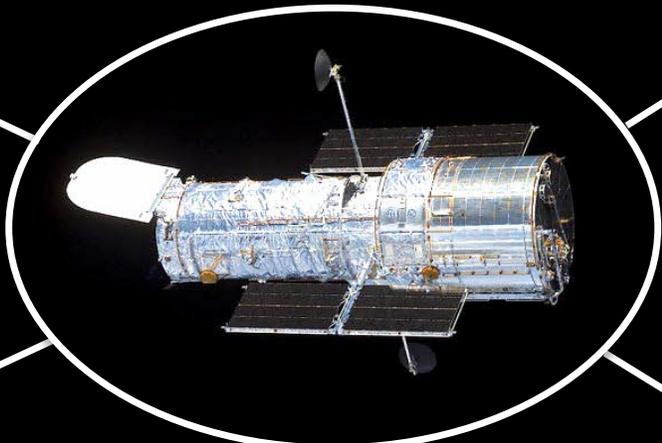
Hubble's partners in revealing the properties of high-redshift galaxies



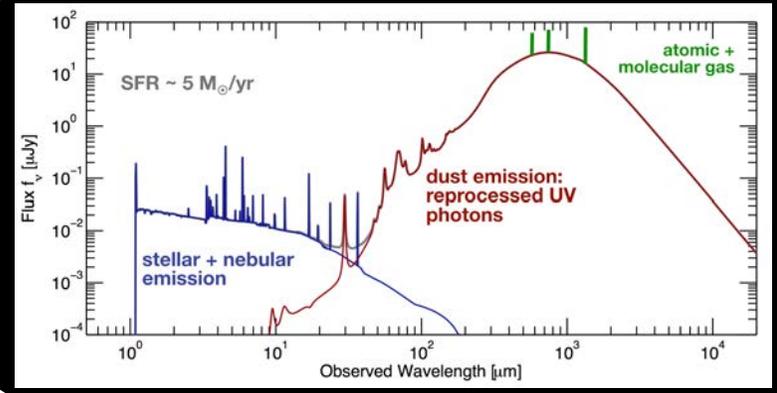
stellar masses



high-redshift galaxy samples



rest-frame UV
spectral energy distributions

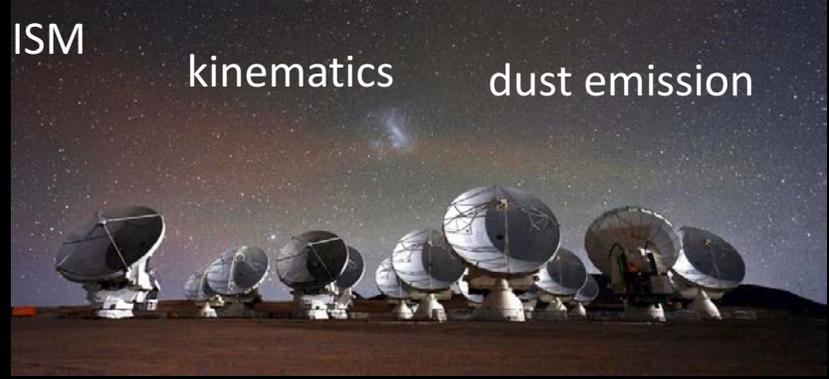


star formation rates

optical & near-IR spectroscopy – redshifts & kinematics

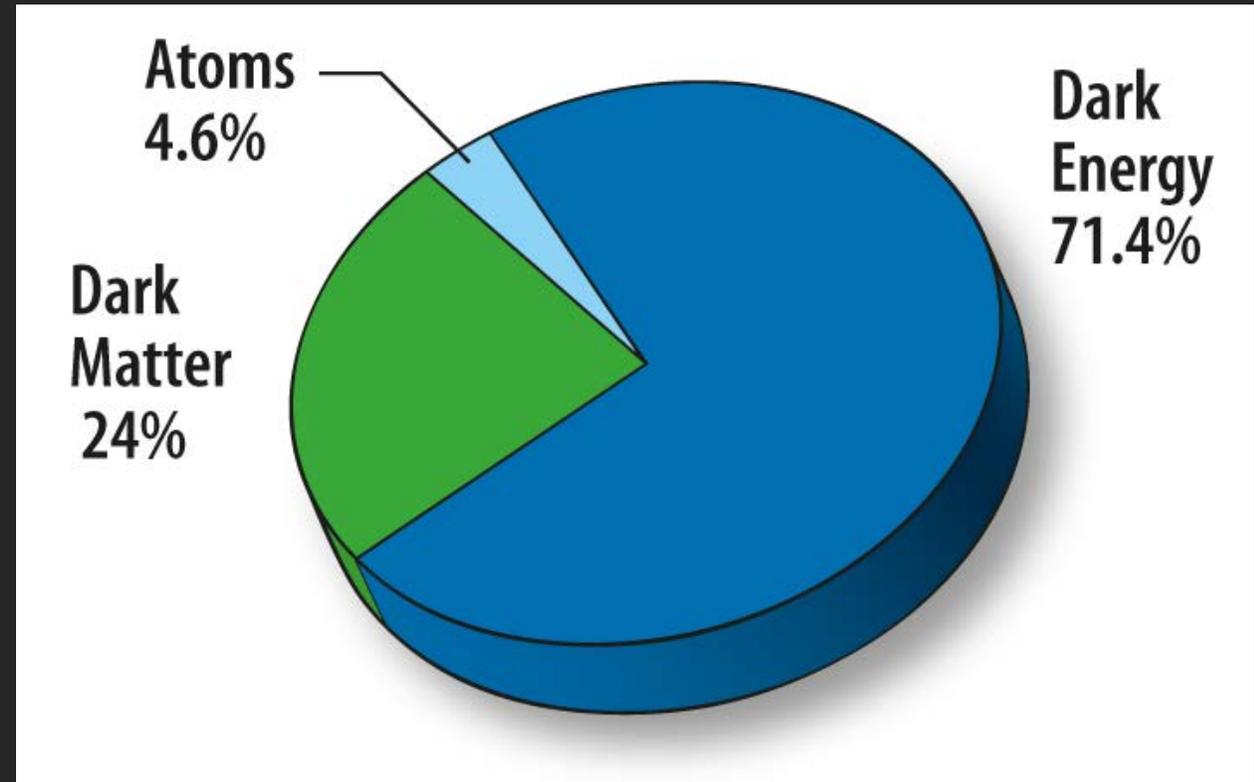


energy balance – FIR



our strange universe

its all dark matter & dark energy –
and a little bit of “ordinary matter”



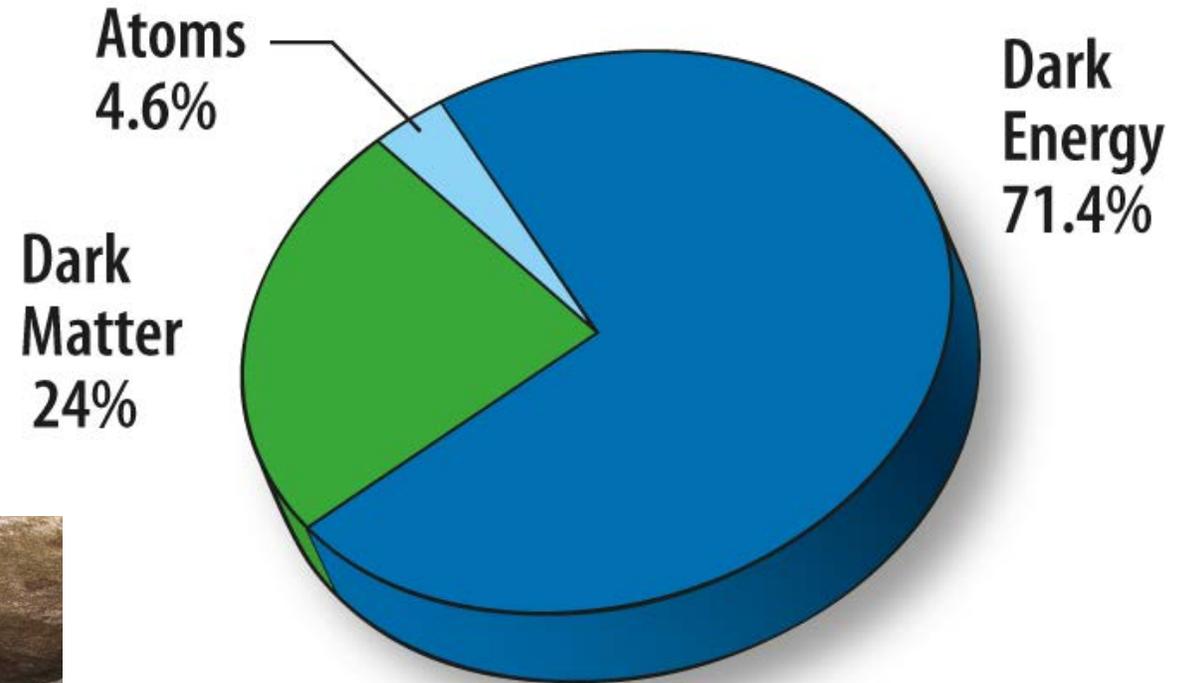
from WMAP and Planck telescopes

dark energy
and dark
matter are
the 800 lb
gorilla(s) in
the universe



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ordinary matter is, by
comparison, a bit mousey...



figure from WMAP and Planck telescopes

history of everything

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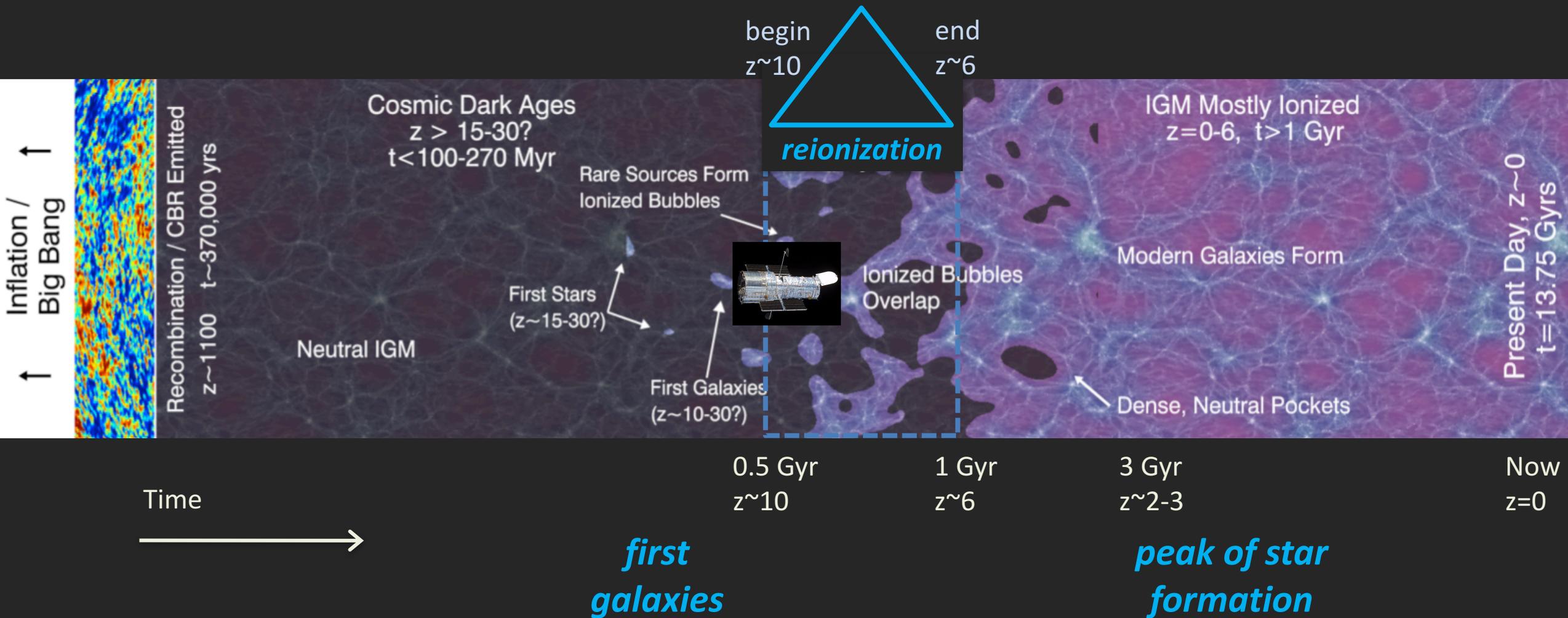


Figure insert from Robertson et al. 2010

history of everything

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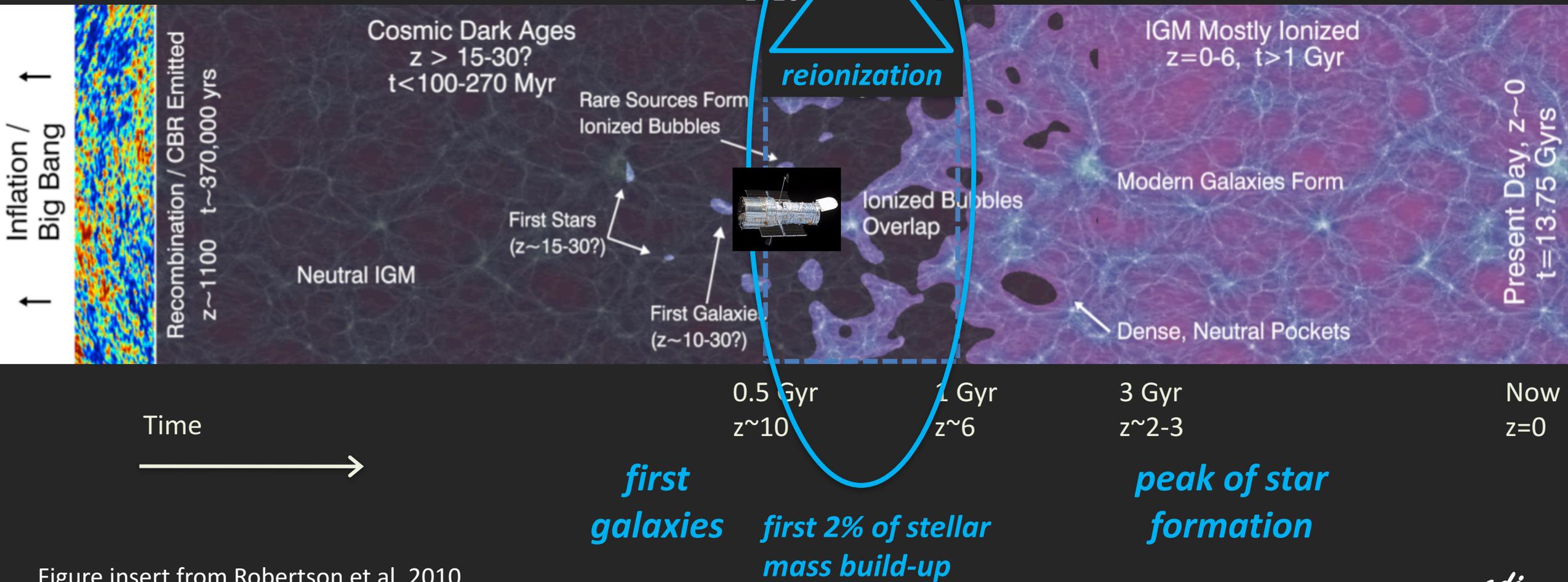
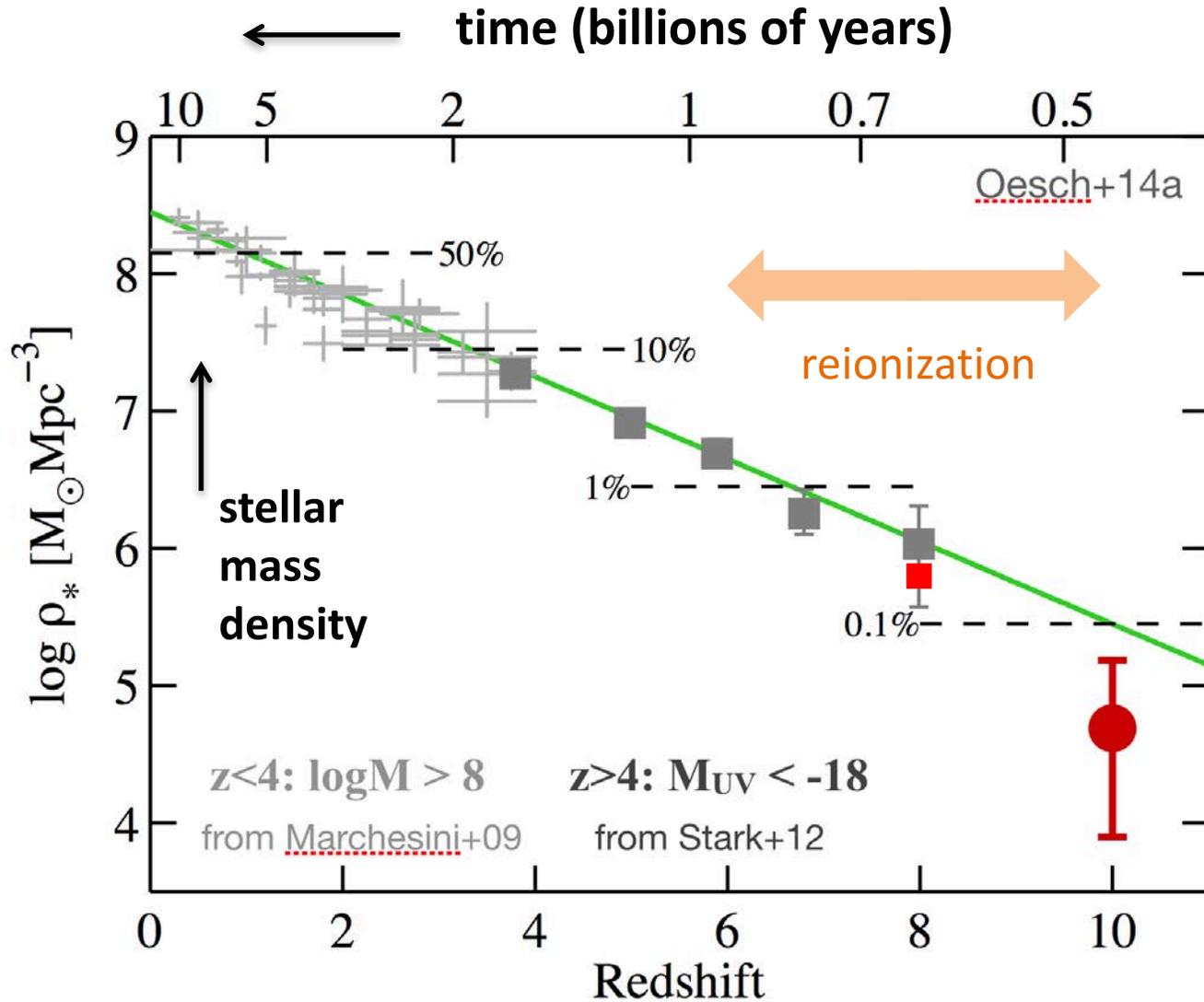
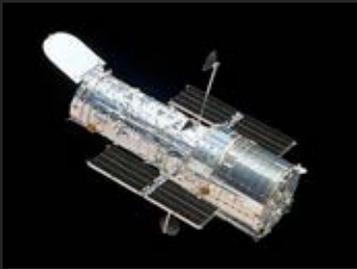


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stellar mass density evolution

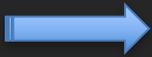


only ~2% of stellar mass density built up by the end of reionization

only ~0.3% at the peak of reionization

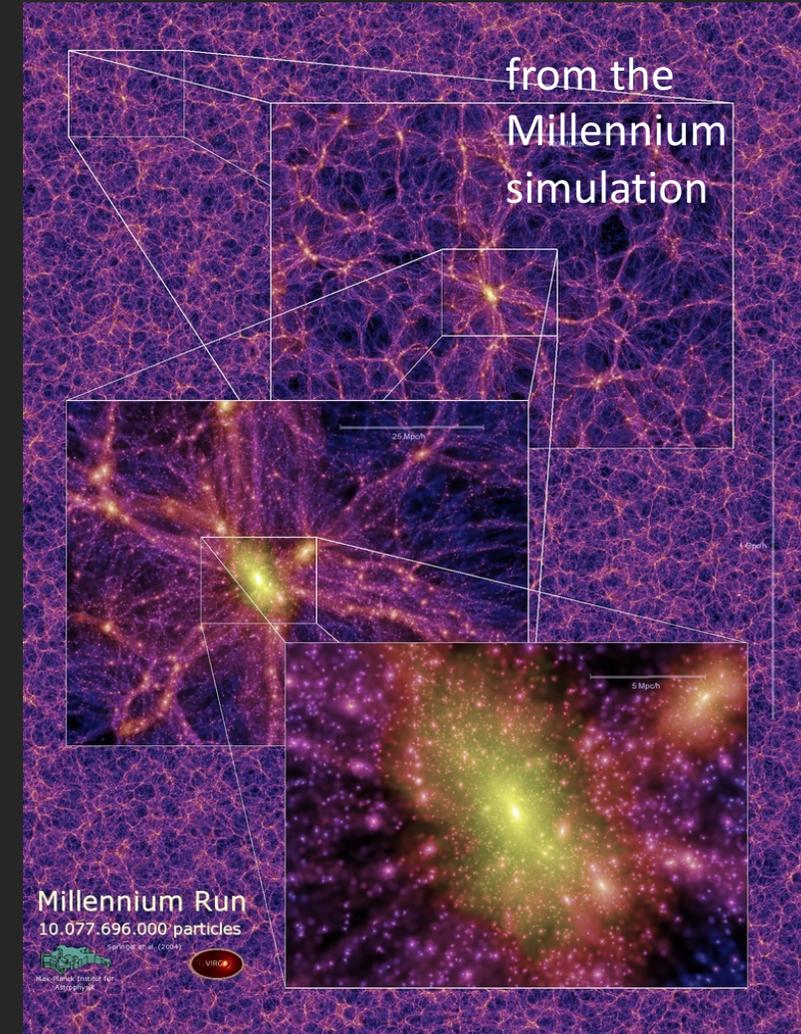
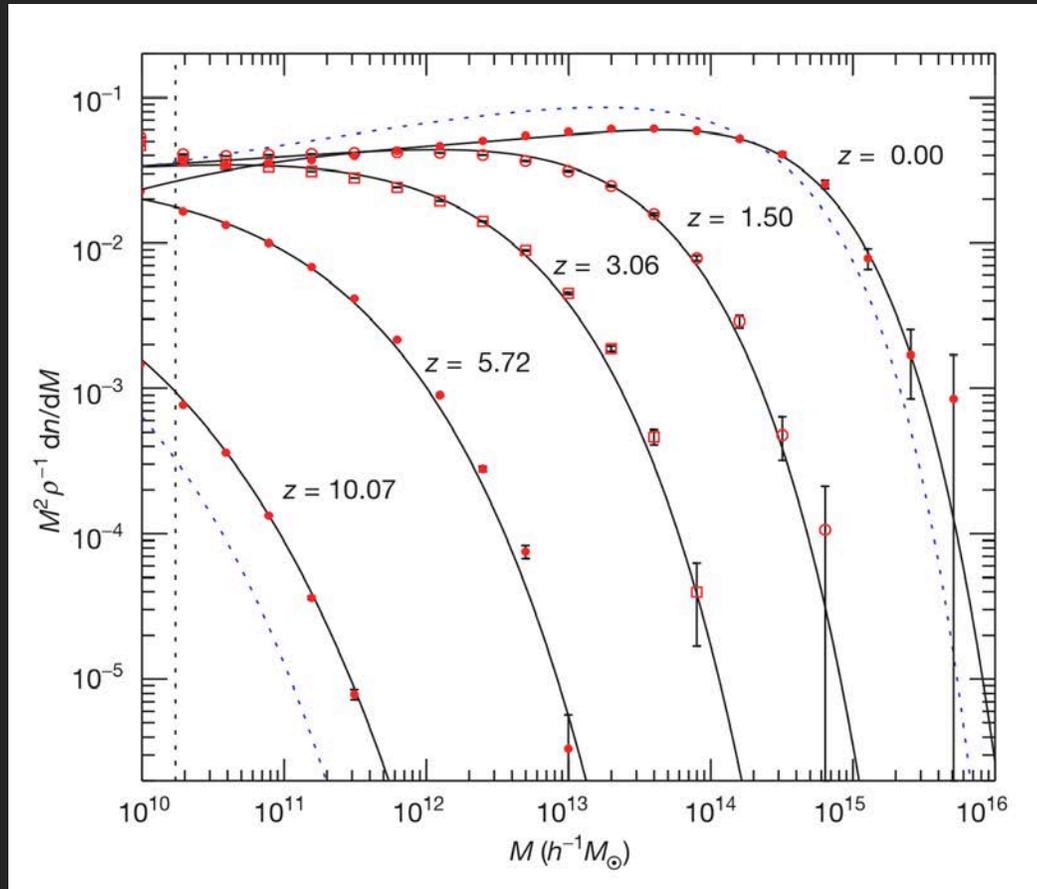
Cosmic Dawn – the time when galaxies were born and began to grow

the first Gyr



when halos of L^* galaxies first form...
when significant metals first form...
when the universe was reionized...

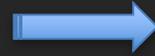
rapid growth of
galaxy-scale halos
from $z \sim 10$ to $z \sim 6$



Springel+2005

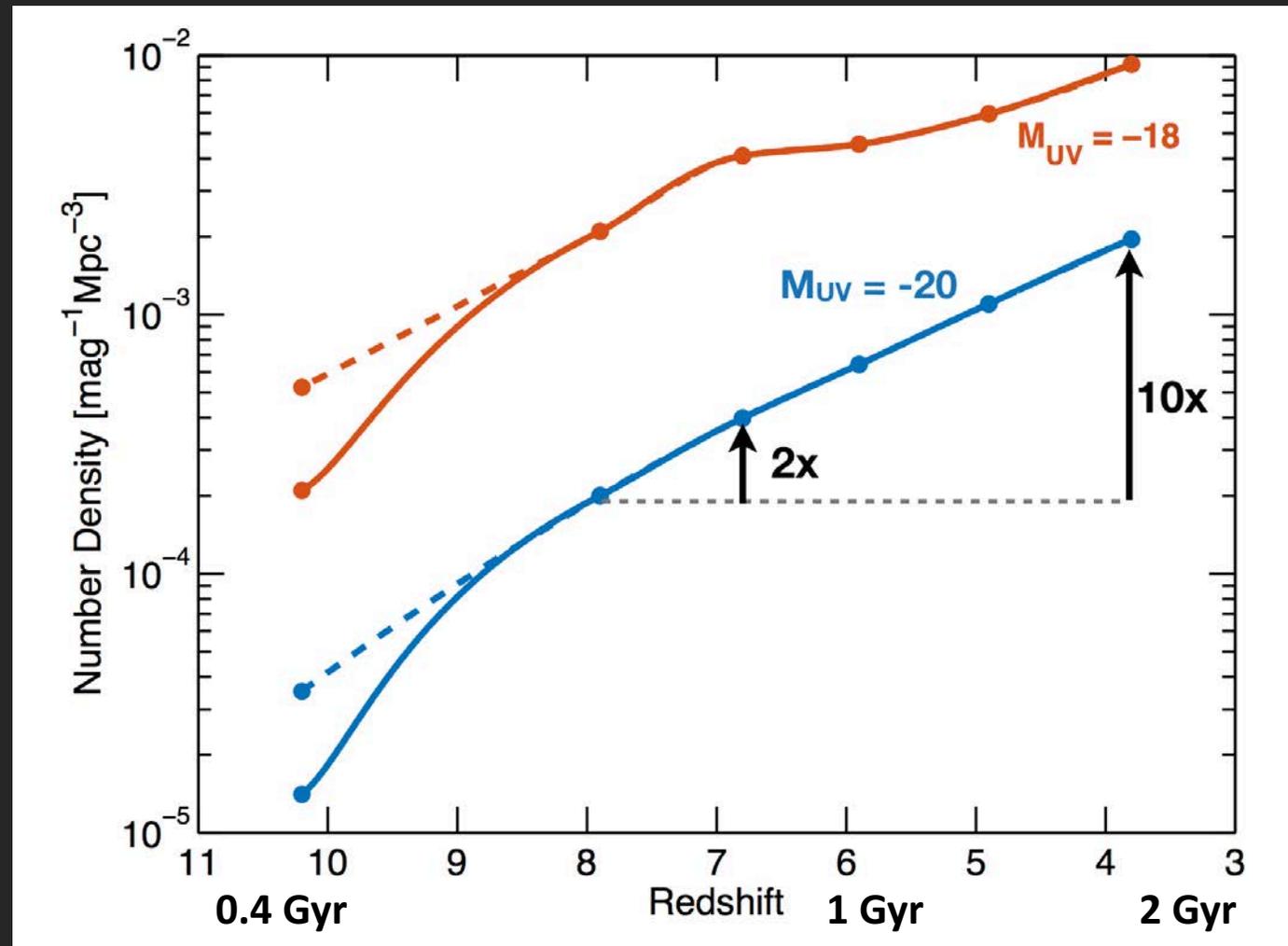
Cosmic Dawn – the time when galaxies were born and began to grow

buildup in the first 1-2 Gyrs



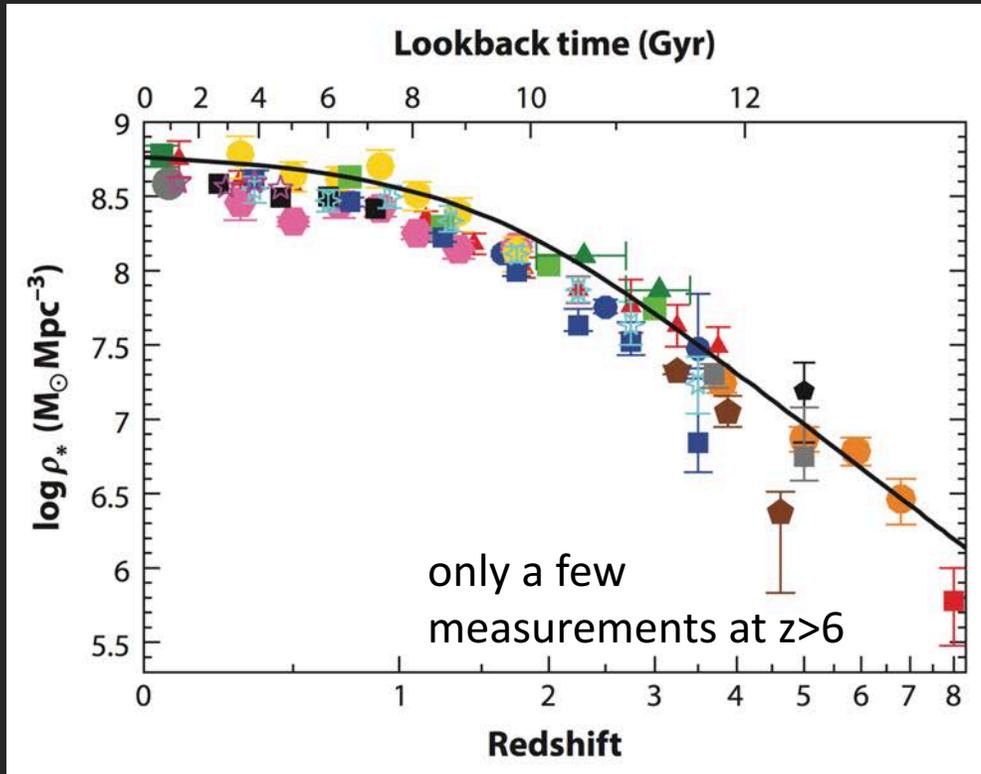
Galaxies are building up extremely rapidly across $z \sim 8$ to $z \sim 4$ (even faster at $z \sim 10$ to $z \sim 8$)

With HST, we are already approaching cosmic dawn

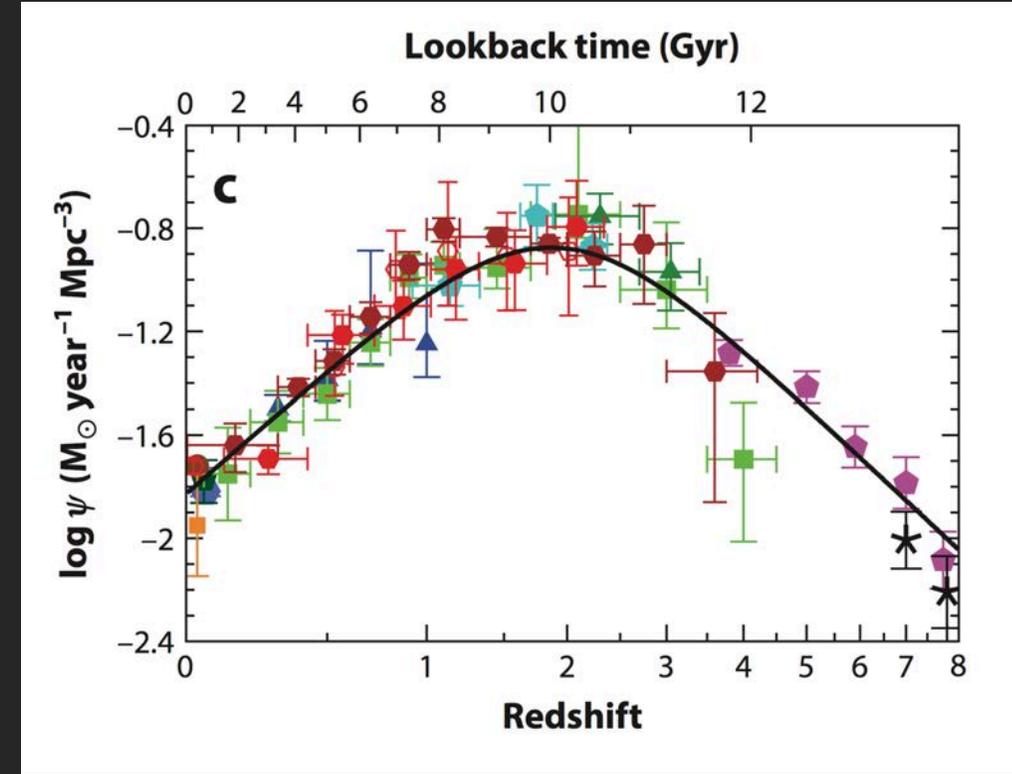


Oesch+2017

the global stellar mass and cosmic SFR density evolution

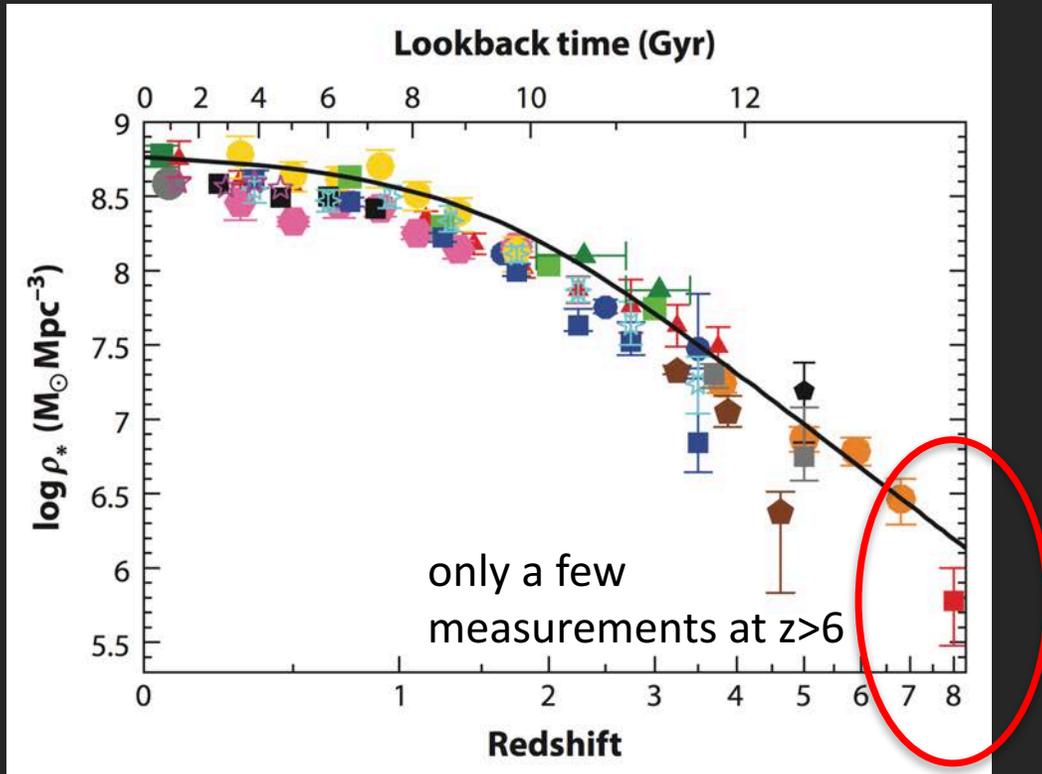


evolution of the global stellar mass density over 13 billion years



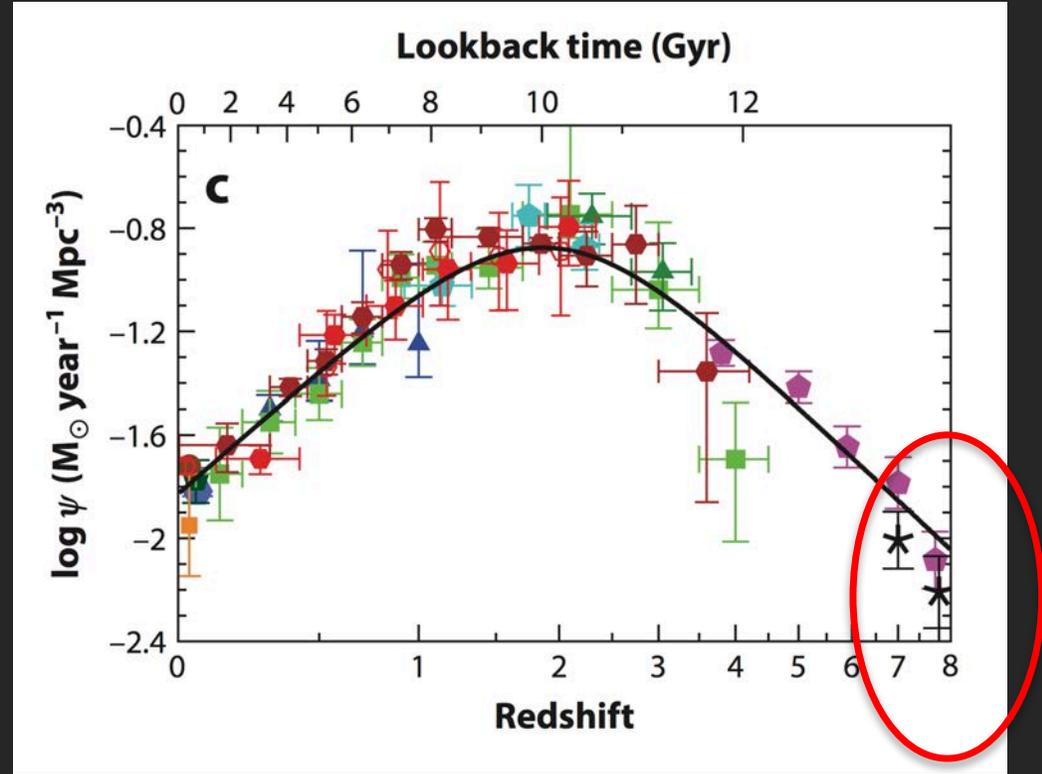
evolution of the cosmic star formation rate density over 13 billion years

the global stellar mass and cosmic SFR density evolution



THIS TALK

evolution of the global stellar mass density over 13 billion years



THIS TALK

evolution of the cosmic star formation rate density over 13 billion years

galaxies in the first Gyr

how do we find them?

what are their sizes (and colors?)

what is their distribution over luminosity?

(what are their stellar masses?)

what role do they play in reionization?

what are the earliest known galaxies?

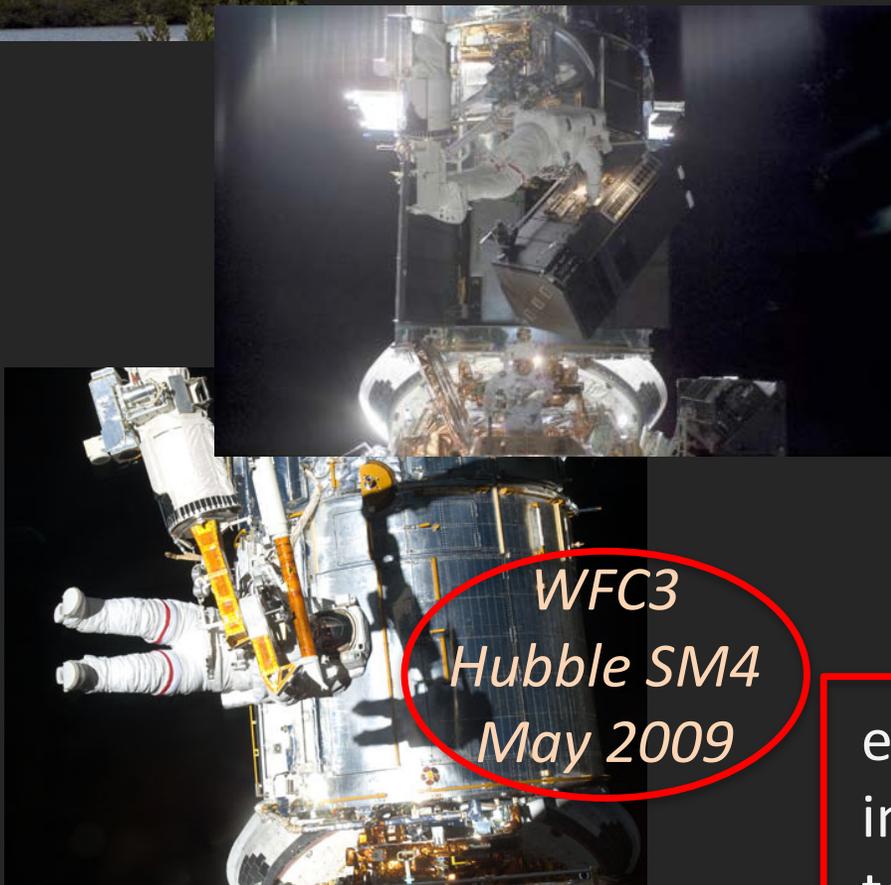
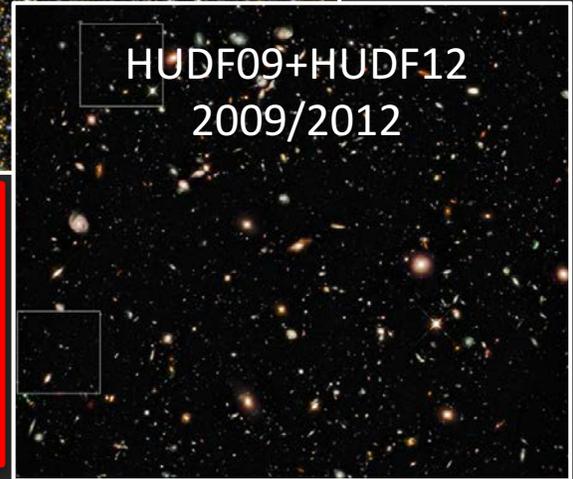
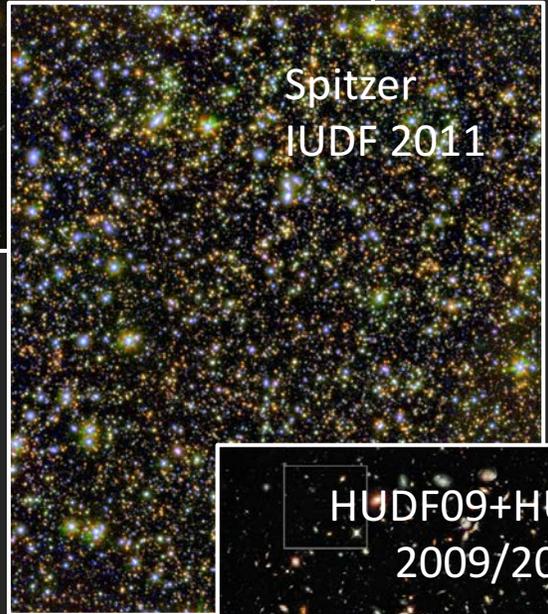
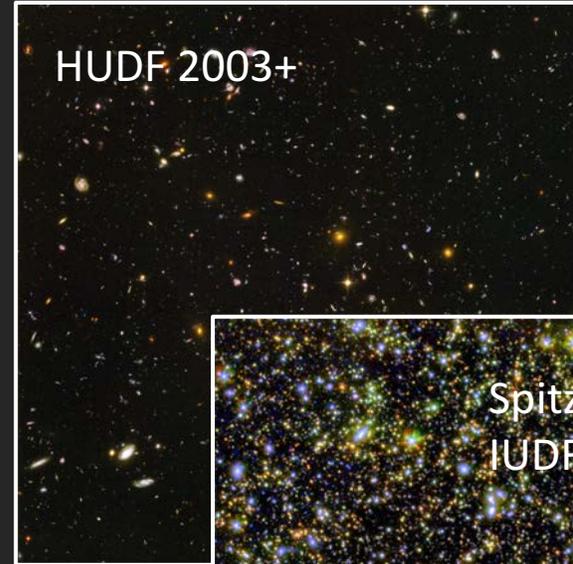
where do we go from here (JWST)?

upgrading Hubble – ACS in 2002, WFC3 in 2009 – Spitzer in 2003



ACS
Hubble SM3b
Mar 2002

Spitzer
Aug 2003

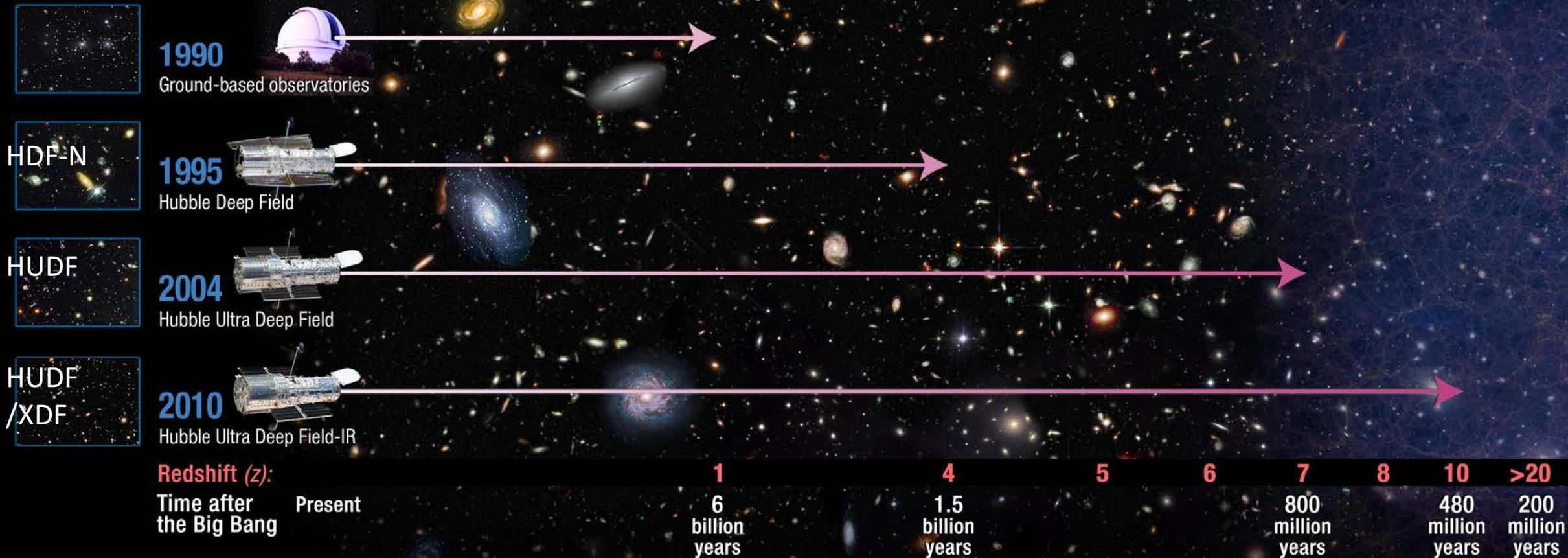


WFC3
Hubble SM4
May 2009

each new servicing mission resulted in a dramatic change in our ability to explore the early universe

redshift limits with new capability

Hubble Probes the Early Universe



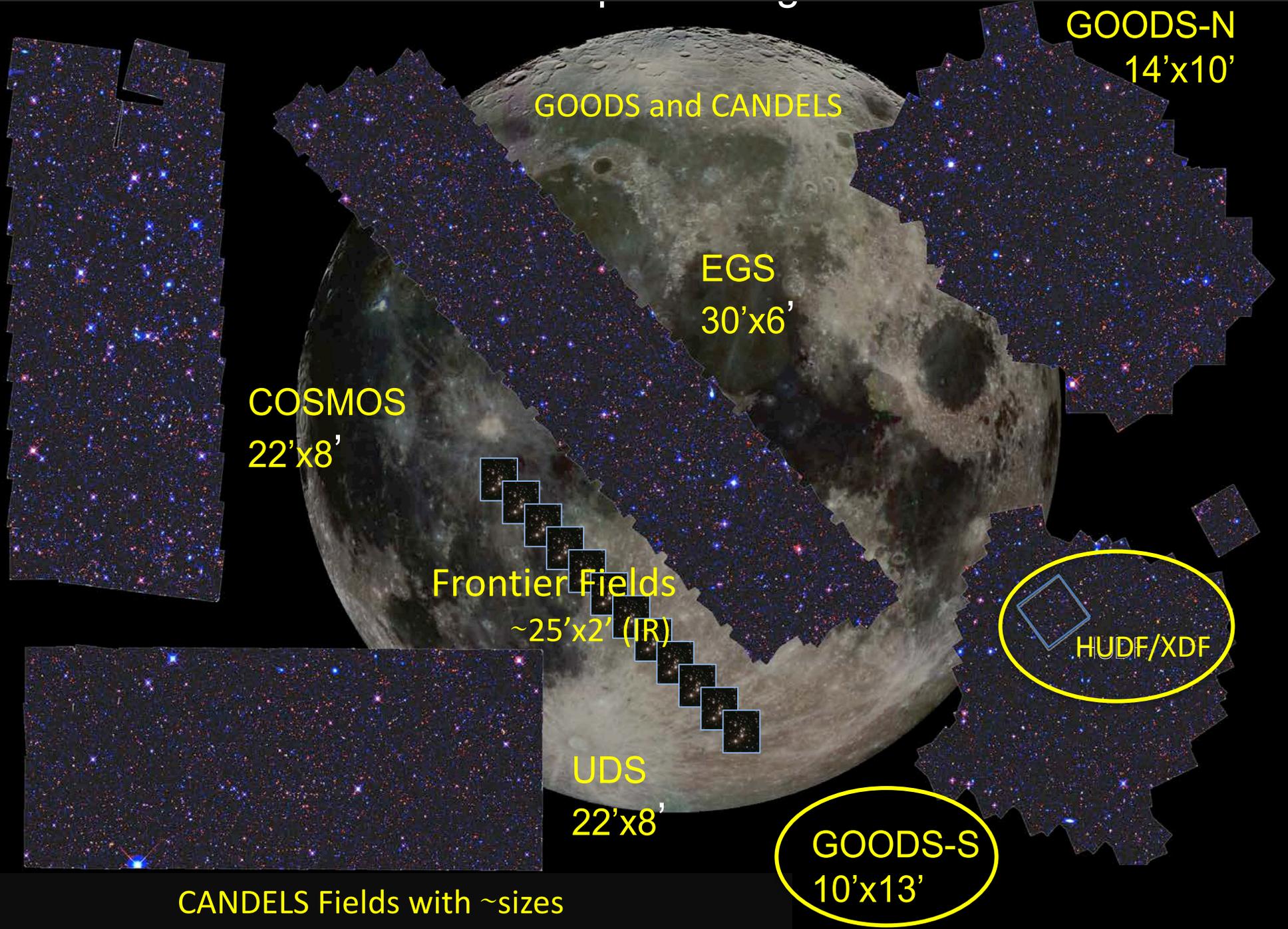
capability-driven scientific advances

reionization epoch



the survey datasets that are central to high- z galaxy studies

*Hubble
and
Spitzer
survey
fields for
high-
redshift
galaxies*

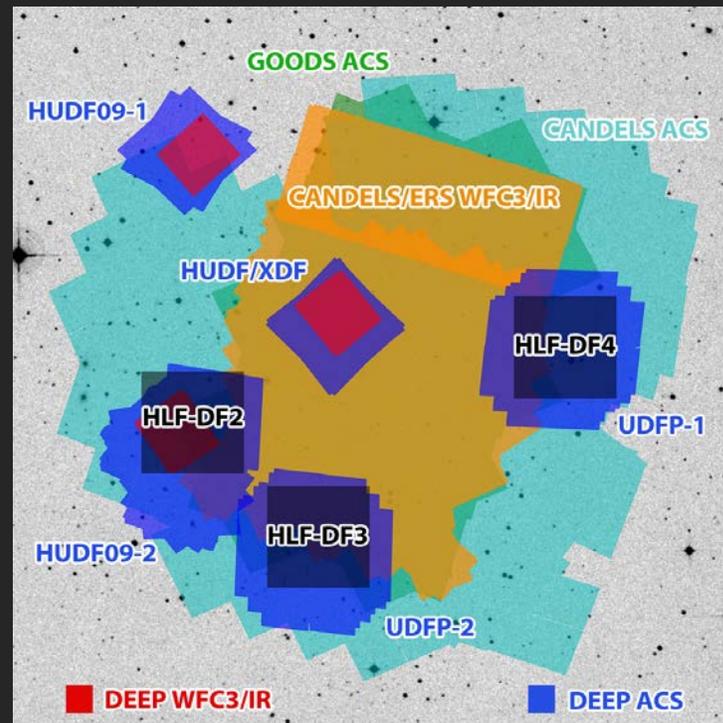


surveys with both wide and deep imaging are
the *lifblood* of distant galaxy research

started with
HDF-N in
Dec 1995



now over 15 million seconds
of open datasets from HST,
Spitzer, Chandra on the
CDF-S/HUDF/GOODS-S area

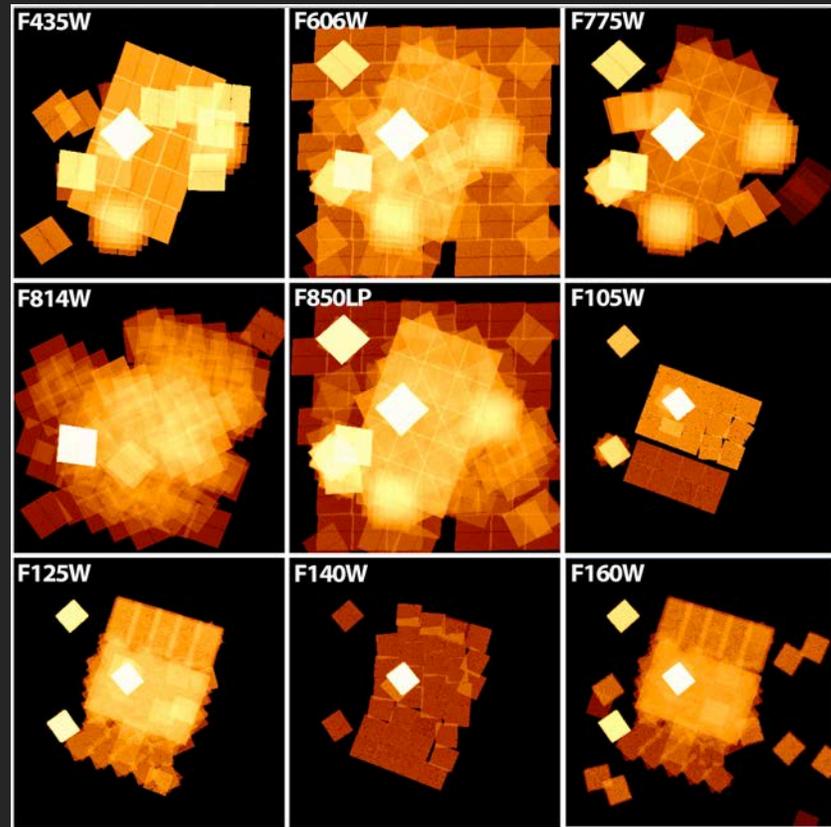


1999-2000	Chandra 1Ms
2002-2003	ACS GOODS
2003	ACS HUDF
2003	NICMOS HUDF
2004	Spitzer GOODS
2003-2007	NICMOS
2004	GRAPES
2005	HUDF05
2009	ERS
2009-2010	HUDF09
2009-2010	Spitzer SEDS
2010-2011	Chandra 3Ms
2010-2012	CANDELS
2010-2012	3D-HST
2010-2011	Spitzer IUDF10
2011-2012	Spitzer S-CANDELS
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2012	HUDF12
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2014	HDUV
2014	FIGS
2015	Spitzer GREATS

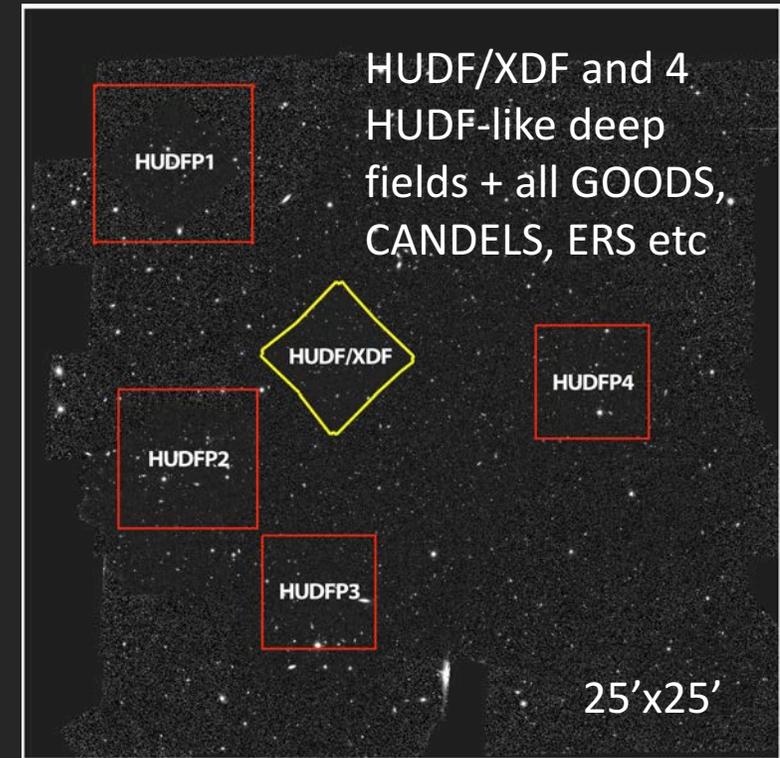
Hubble Legacy Field South (HLF-GOODS-S) V1.5 release

GOODS-S/CANDELS-S region – a unique region

The HLF-GOODS-S V1.5 release combines 7211 exposures from 2442 orbits over the GOODS-S/CANDELS-S region



5.8 Msec or ~70% of a Hubble Cycle



ACS + WFC3/IR – 9 filters (10 for V1.5 release with 098M)

firstgalaxies.org/hlf & archive.stsci.edu/prepds/hlf/

GDI Magee Bouwens Oesch Labbe+2016

HUDF/XDF is Hubble's deepest image: ~32.5 AB mag 1σ

152 GB of aligned astrometric HST images



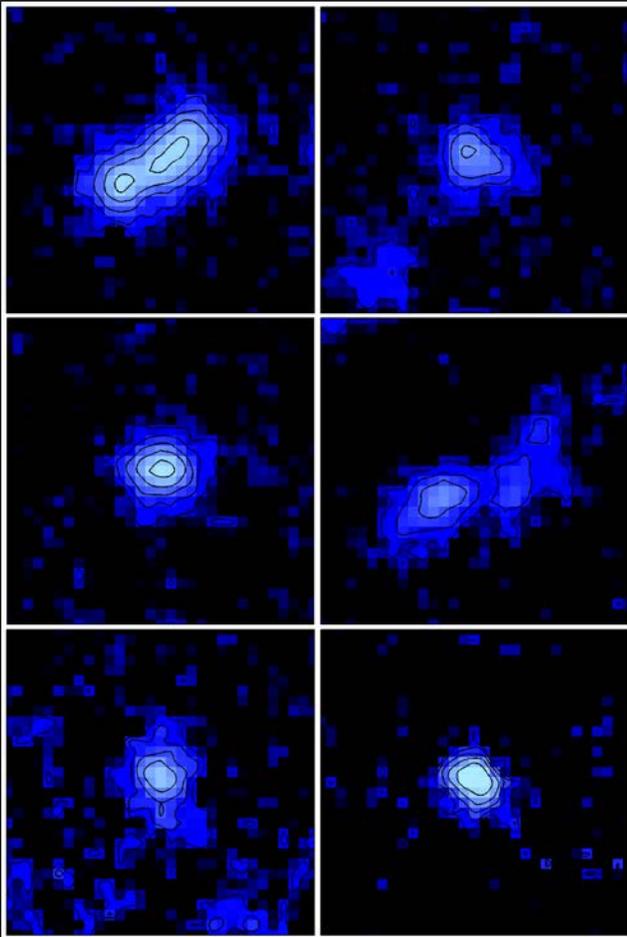
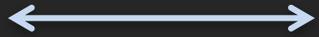
what we find and how we determine redshifts

Hubble images of galaxies in the first billion years

this is what the largest and brightest high-redshift galaxies typically look like at $z > \sim 6$

luminous young star forming galaxies are a kpc or two in size ($r_e < \sim 1$ kpc) – lower luminosity galaxies are much smaller

1.8" (~ 10 kpc)



this is the size of the smallest high-redshift galaxies on the same scale



most galaxies in the first billion years are really small!

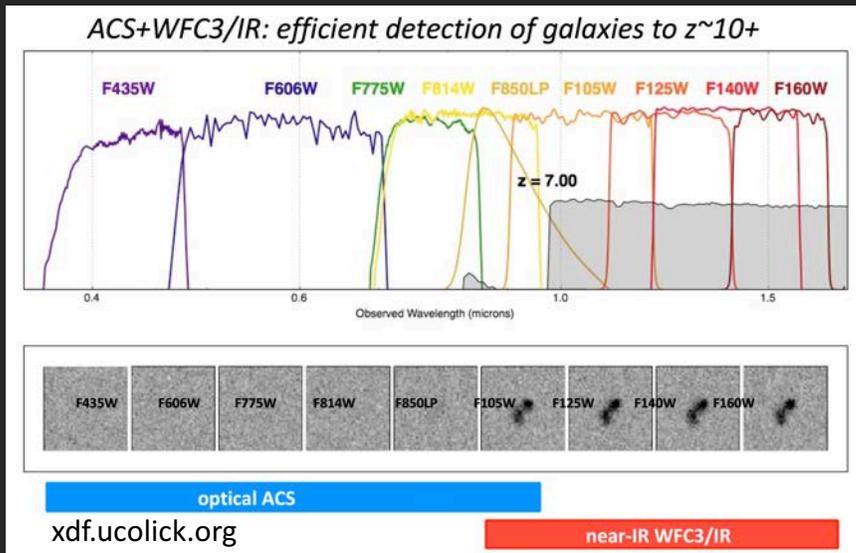
● \sim size of Hubble PSF

the Milky Way to the same scale
(an image of UGC-12158 – similar to the MW)



photometric redshifts

enable large, statistically-robust samples

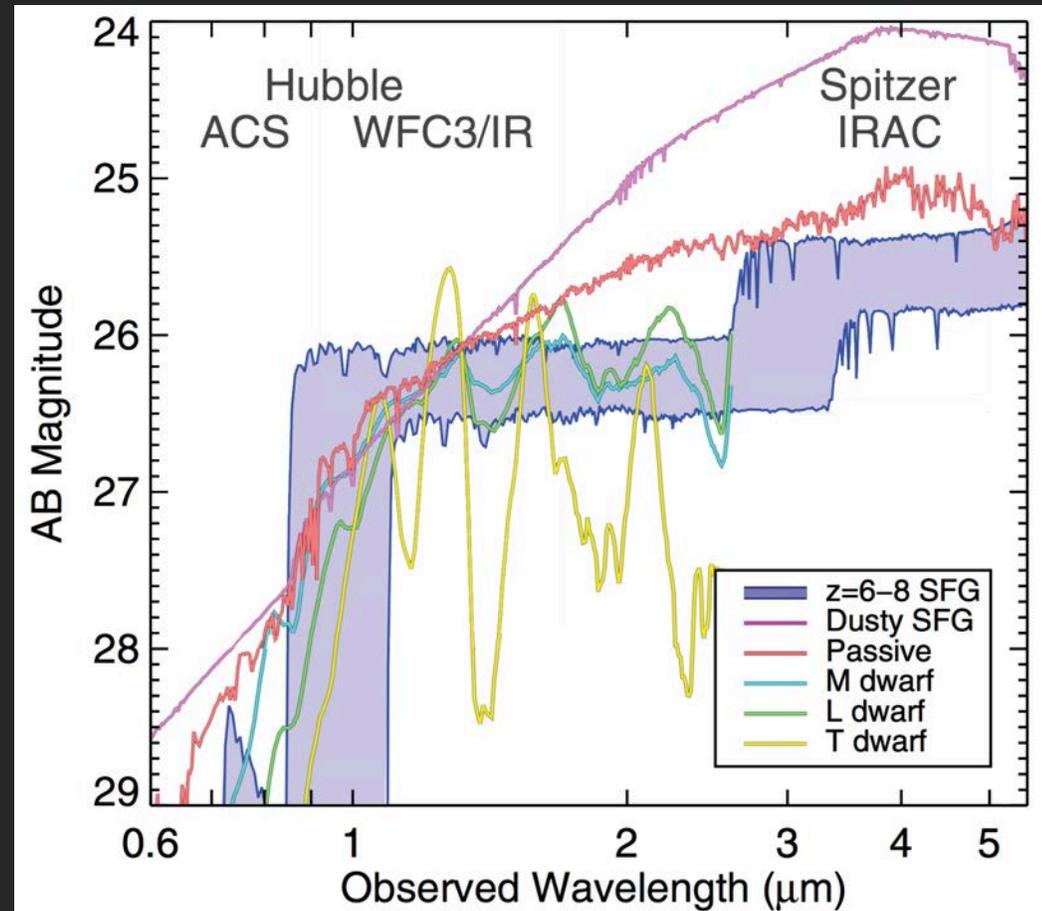


GDI+2013

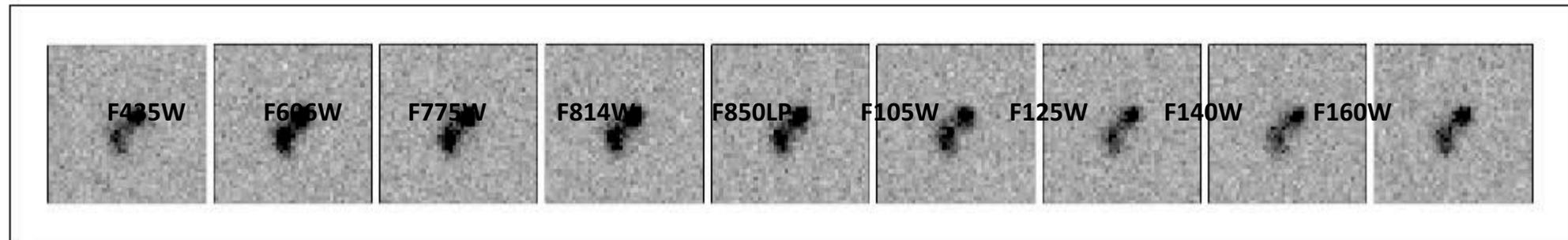
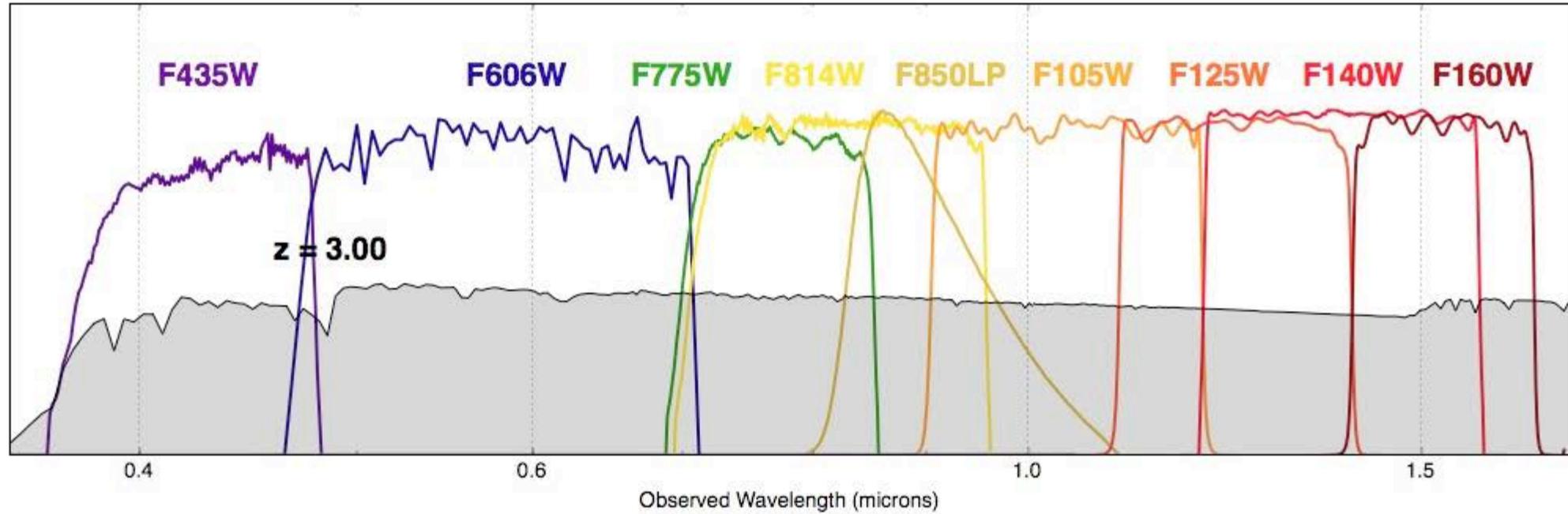
Lyman break galaxies – LBGs (“dropouts”)

LBGs have a distinctly different shape of the spectral energy distribution (SED)

👉 reliable photometric redshift selection



ACS+WFC3/IR: efficient detection of galaxies to $z \sim 10+$



optical ACS

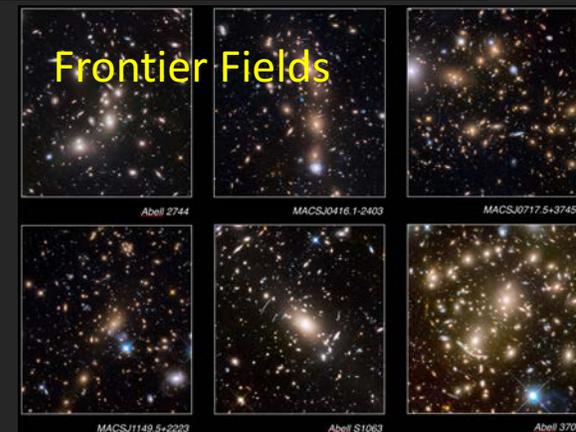
near-IR WFC3/IR

HUDF/XDF and
HLF-GOODS-S

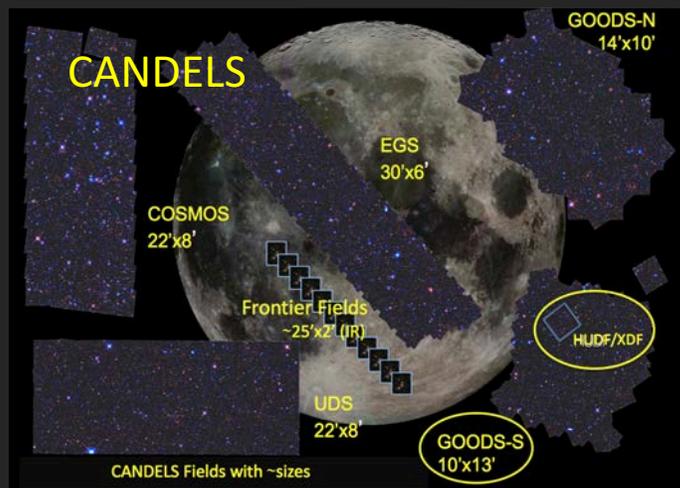
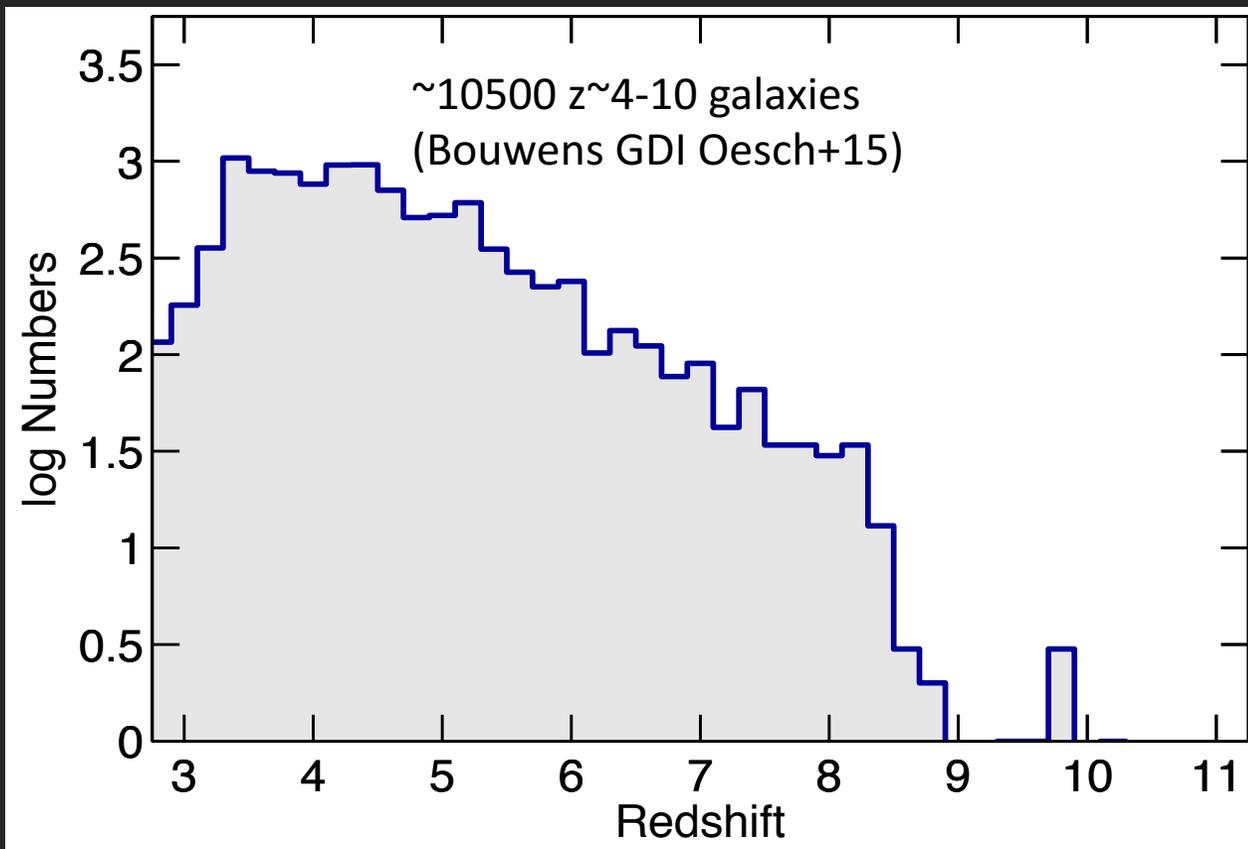
lots of early galaxies have been found by Hubble

by 2015 over 10000 galaxies found

but finding galaxies in the first 500-600 Myr at $z > 8$ is really hard!



many early galaxies found in these Hubble fields



ground surveys also now have very large samples but largely $z < 5$ – and so not shown

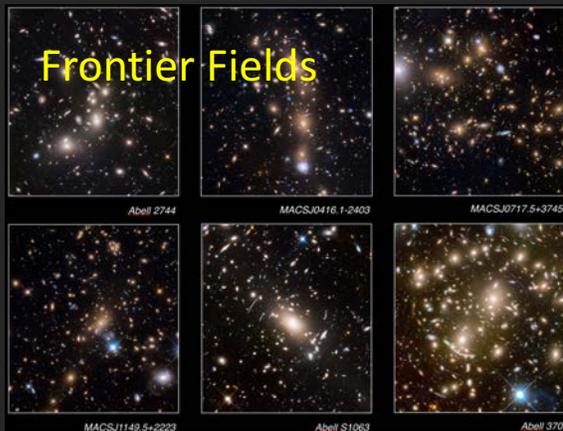
Bouwens GDI Oesch+ 2015, 2017

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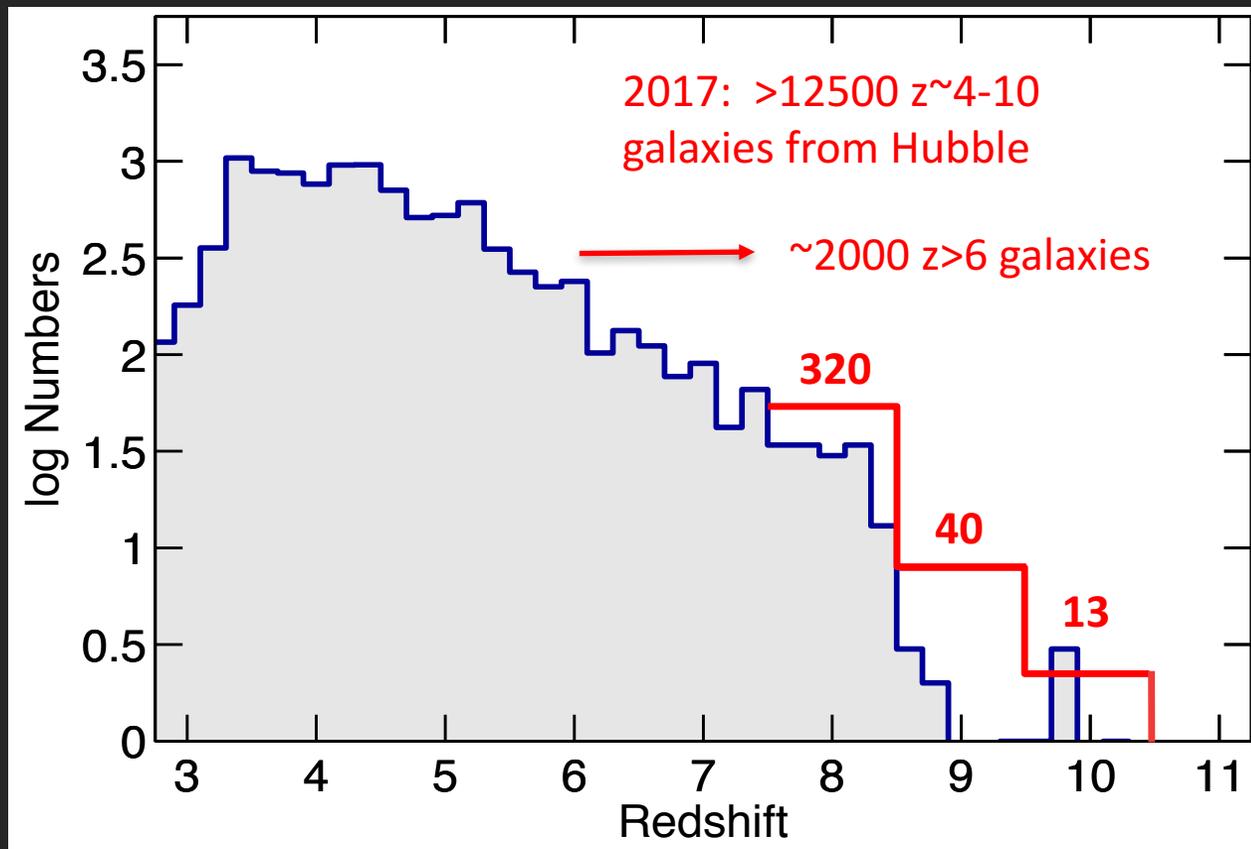
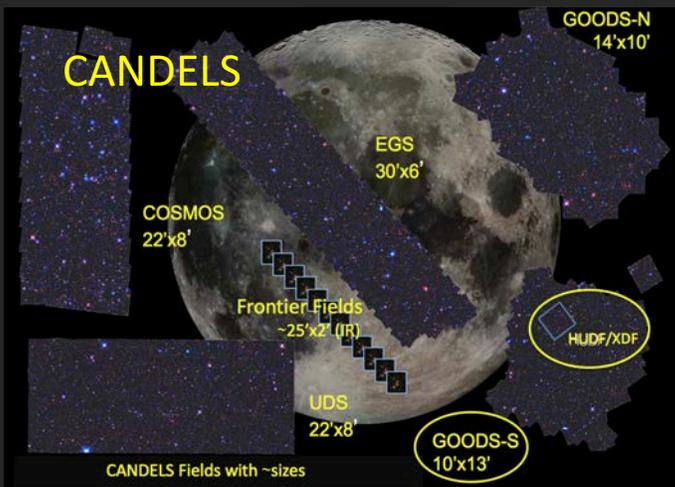
lots of early galaxies have been found by Hubble

by 2017 the number went from ~ 10500 galaxies to over 12500

but until JWST finding galaxies in the first 500-600 Myr at $z > 8$ will be really hard!



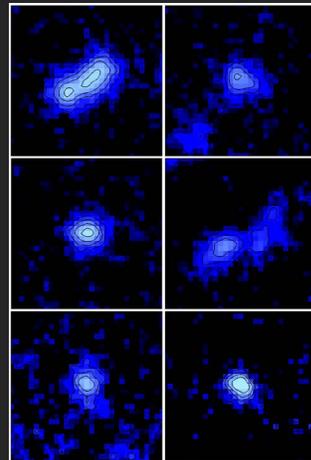
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*luminosity functions – the census of galaxies:
a key input for understanding galaxy build-up and reionization*



over 12,000 high
redshift Hubble-
selected galaxies from
 $z \sim 4$ to $z \sim 10$!

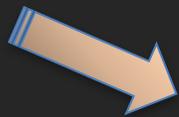
HUDF/XDF *eXtreme Deep Field*

HUDF + HUDF09 + HUDF12 + everything else!

*all optical ACS data and all
WFC3/IR data on the
HUDF from 2003-2013
from 19 programs
combined into the XDF:
eXtreme Deep Field*

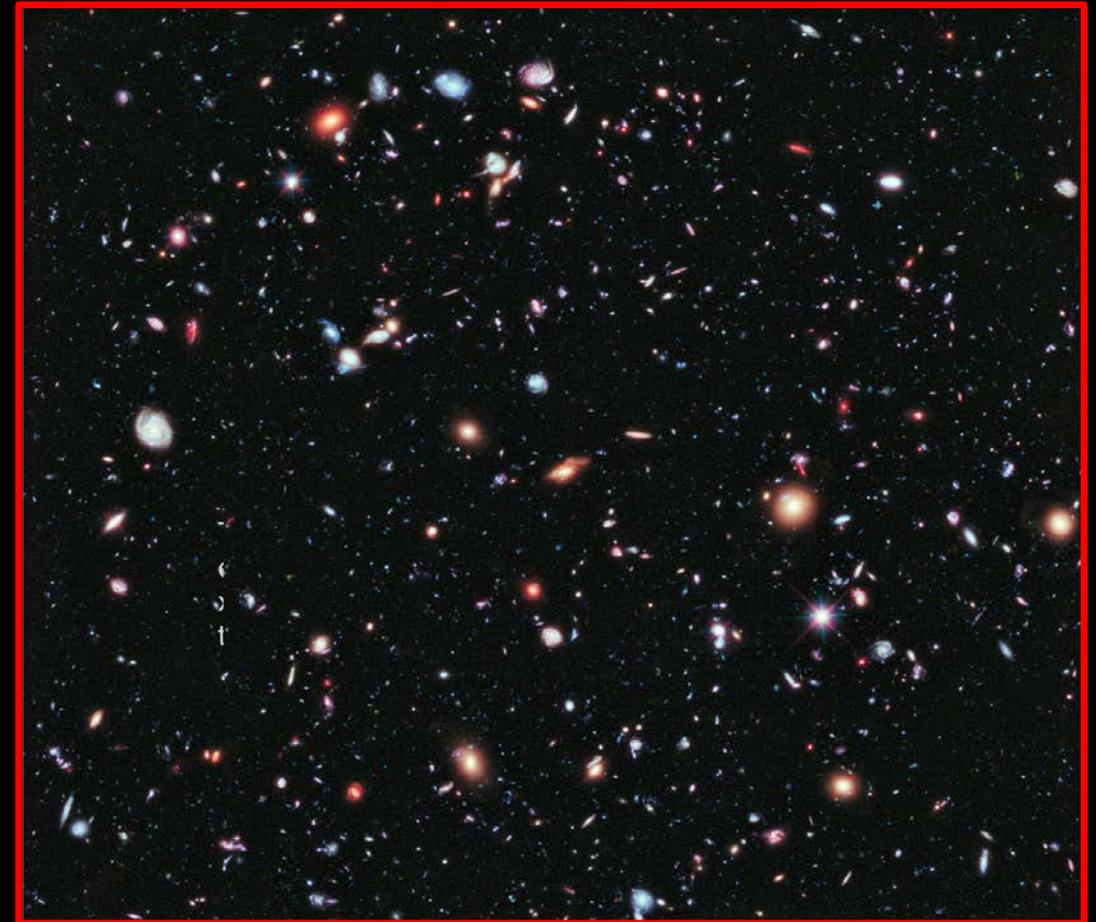
2 Msec of data
from 2963 HST
images (over 800
orbits in total)

matched dataset is
deepest Hubble image



reaches ~31 AB mag 5σ
or >32.5 AB mag 1σ

HUBBLE SPACE TELESCOPE
XDF • EXTREME DEEP FIELD



A decade of imaging on the Hubble Ultra Deep Field
The deepest image of the Universe

GDI+2013

xdf.ucolick.org

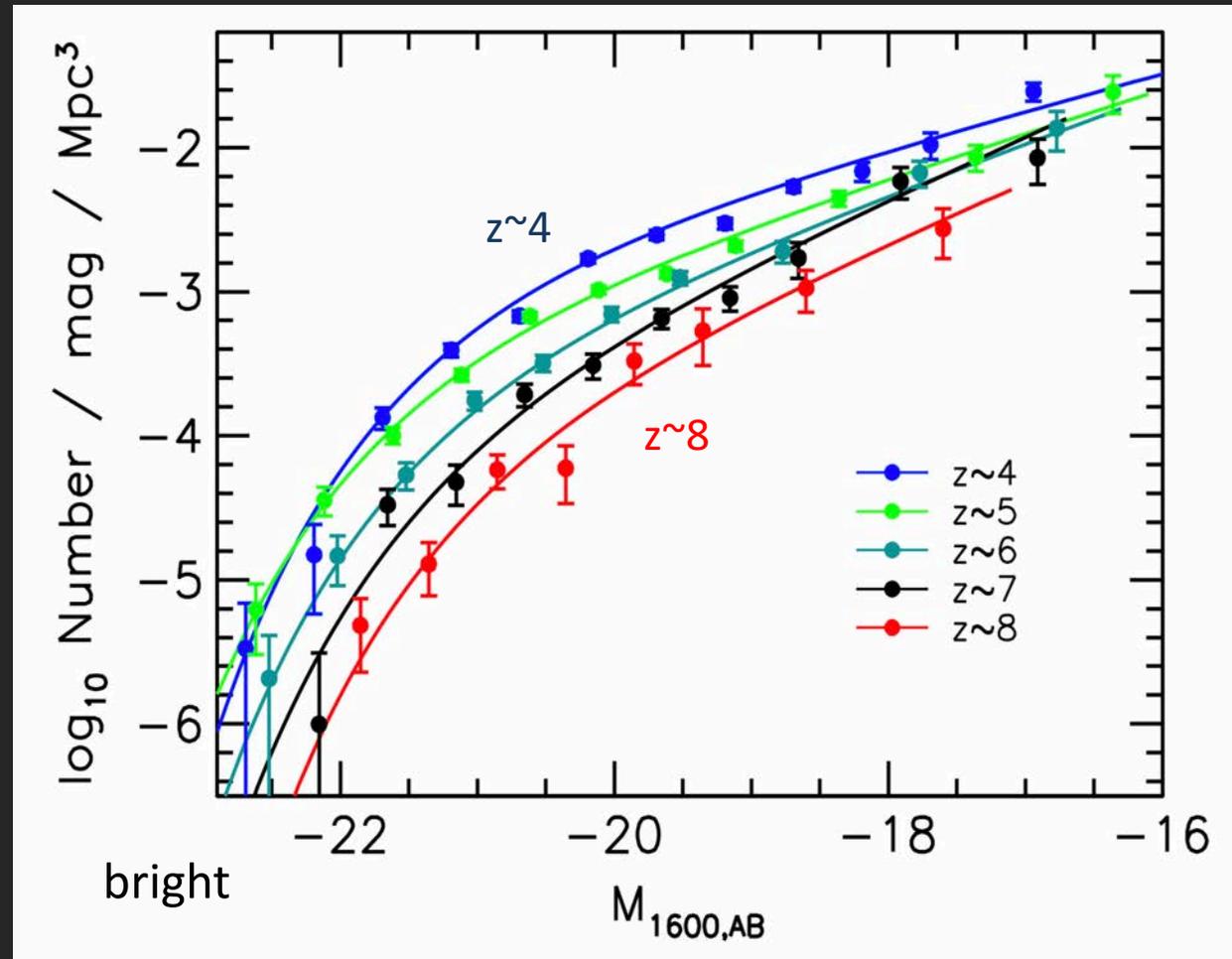
2012
NASA, ESA,
G. ILLINGWORTH, D. MAGEE, AND P. DESCH (UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ),
R. BOUWENS (LEIDEN UNIVERSITY), AND THE XDF TEAM

luminosity functions for >10,000 z~4-8 galaxies from all HST deep & wide fields

two independent determinations (STY and stepwise maximum likelihood – SWML)

Schechter function:
luminosity L^* (M^*)
normalization ϕ^*
faint-end slope α

#/mag/Mpc³



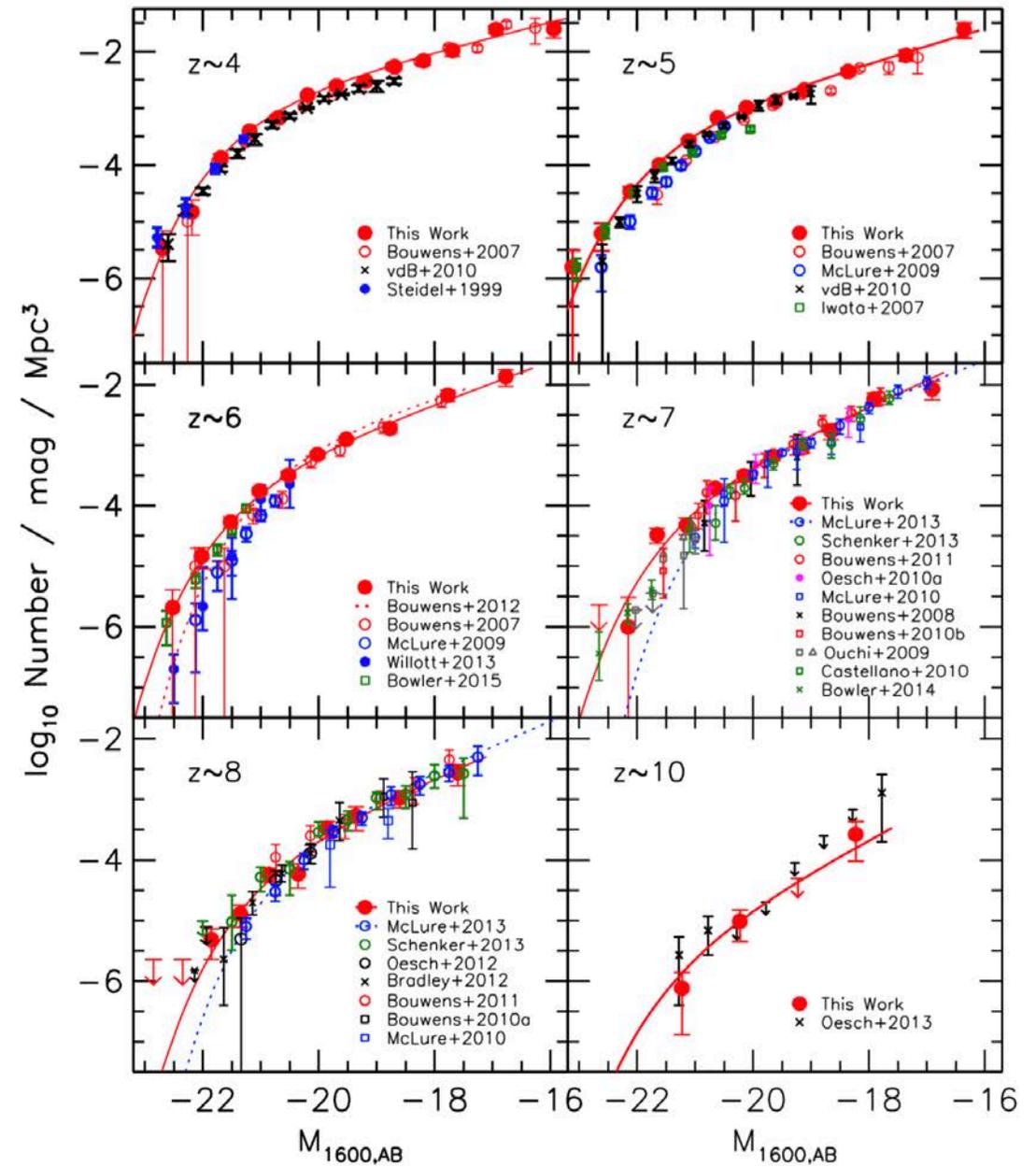
Bouwens GDI Oesch+2015

see also McLure+2013, Finkelstein+2015, Bowler+2015, Parsa+2016, Alavi+2016

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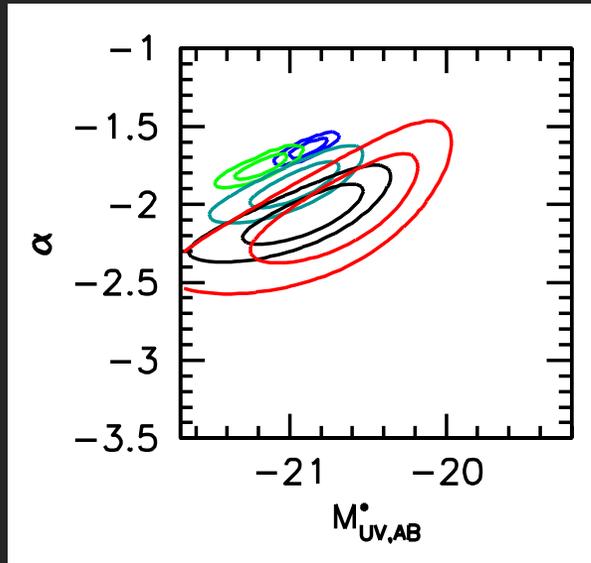
encouraging consistency!

deviations from Schechter
are not significant to $z\sim 7-8$



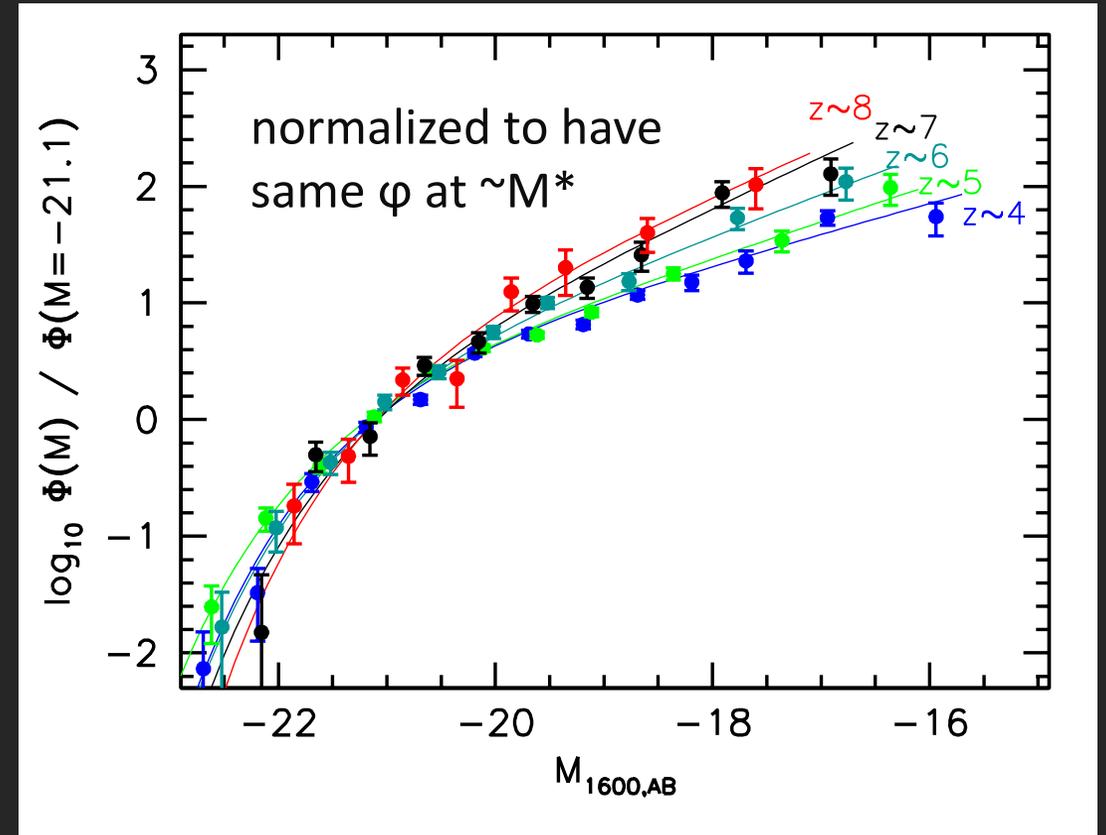
luminosity functions: steep faint end slope α

trend in α



68% and 95% confidence intervals

steeper slope α
at early times
(higher redshift)

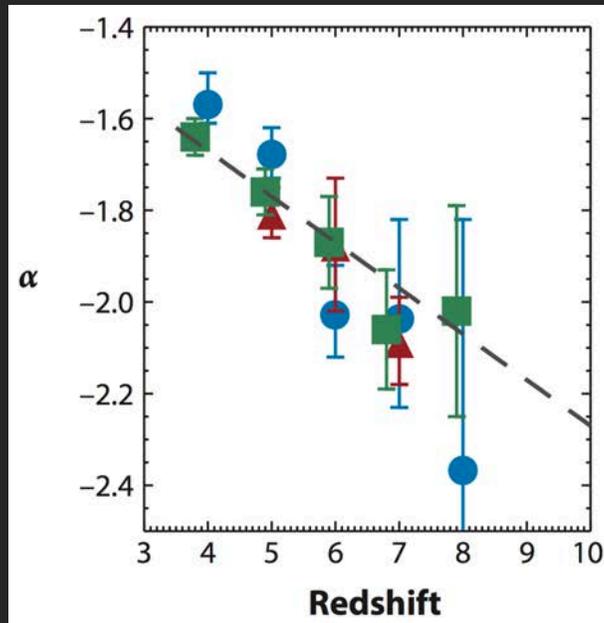


clear steepening of LF at earlier times \Rightarrow more UV flux – makes a large difference to integrated flux since divergent at $\alpha < -2$

luminosity functions: steep faint end slope α

steeper slope α at early times – important for the reionization of the universe by galaxies

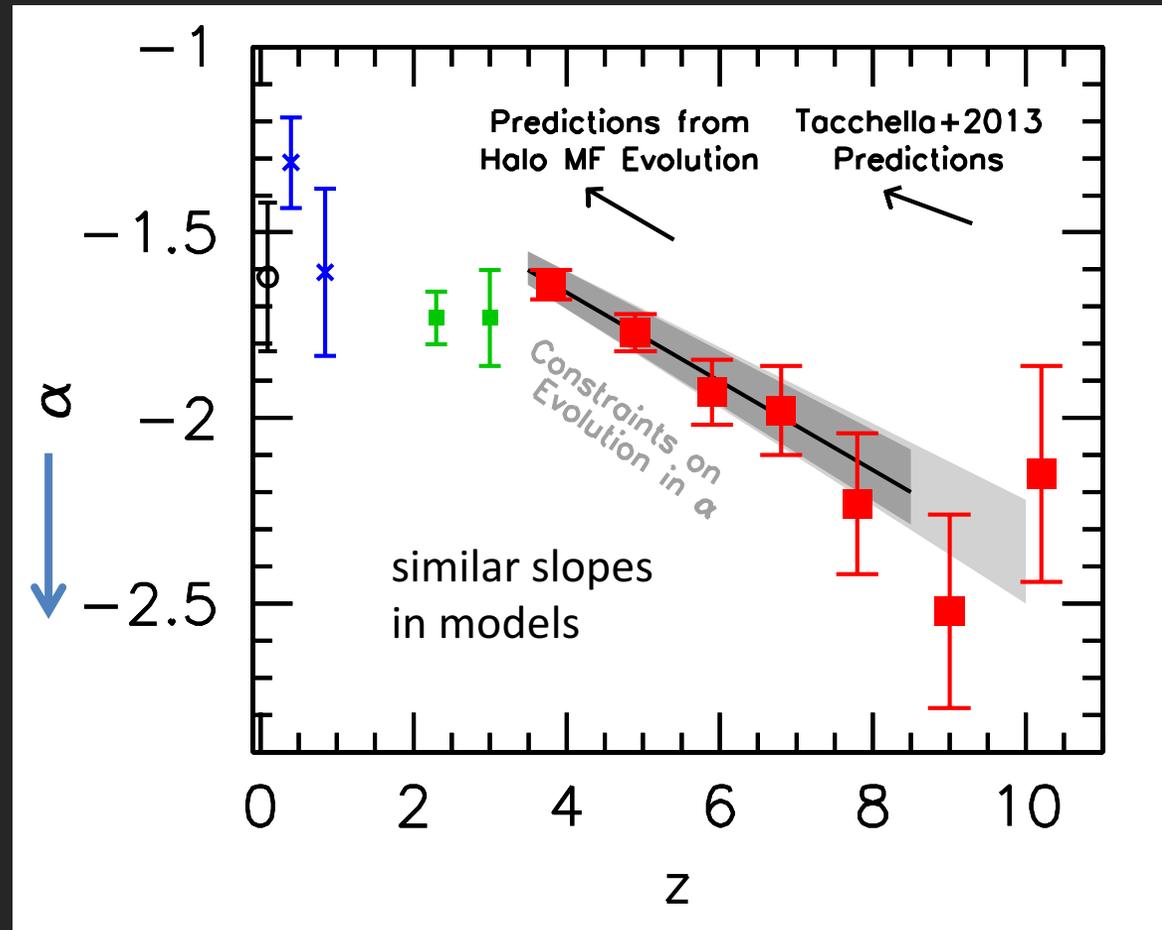
similar trends found by several groups



steeper faint end slope α

● Finkelstein et al. (2015) ■ Bouwens et al. (2015b) ▲ Bowler et al. (2015)

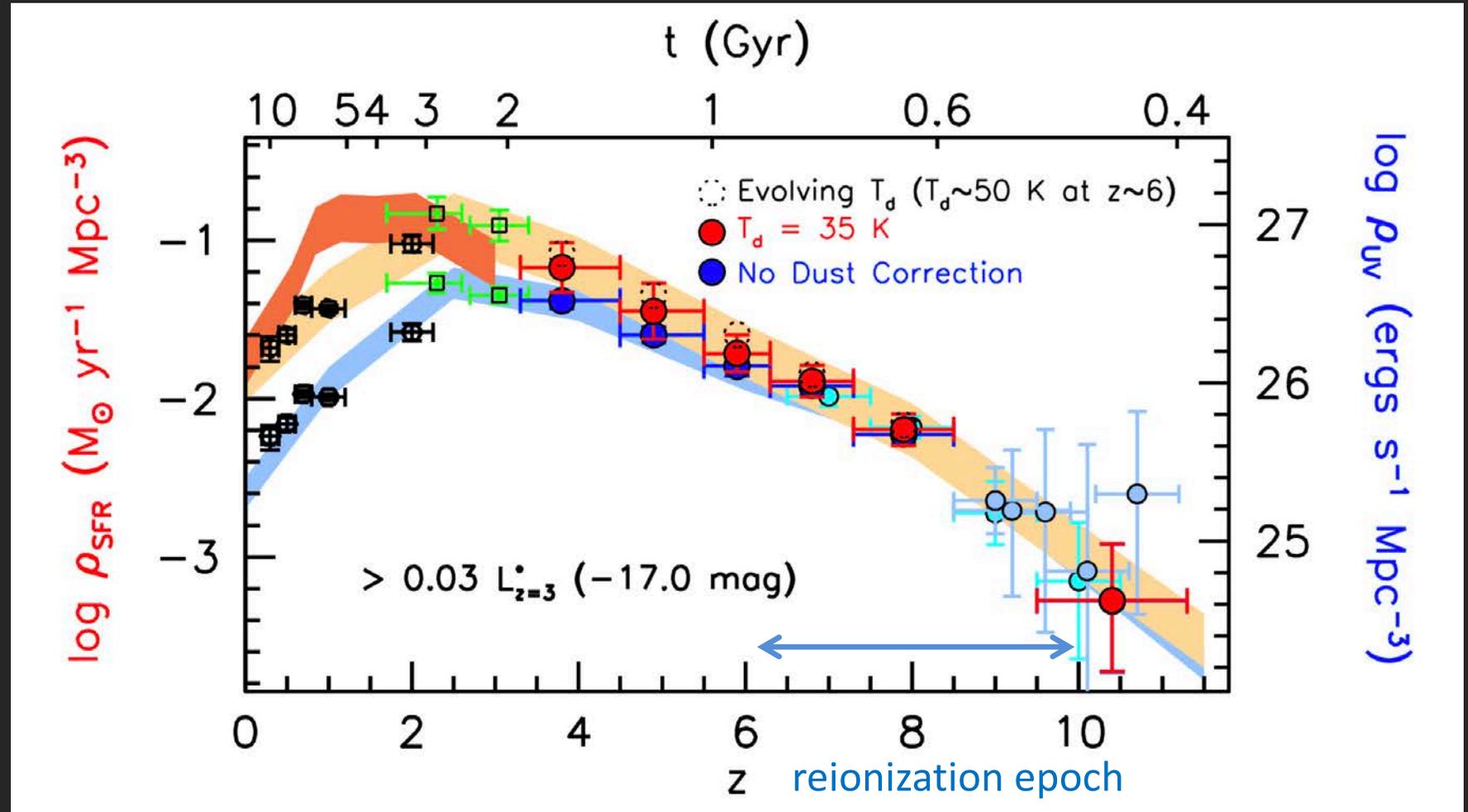
divergent at $\alpha < -2$



UV luminosity density and star formation rate density build-up

LFs + colors can be used to give us:

luminosity density(t) and star formation rate density(t)



see later for an update at $z \sim 9-10$

from Bouwens GDI and Oesch+2015 (UV) and Bouwens+2016 (ALMA)
see also Bouwens GDI+ 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012

Frontier Fields

long history of galaxy cluster
imaging programs with HST:

ACS GTO Team
CLASH
HFF + others

*using the Frontier Fields to measure
the sizes of the faintest galaxies*



Abell 2744



MACSJ0416.1-2403

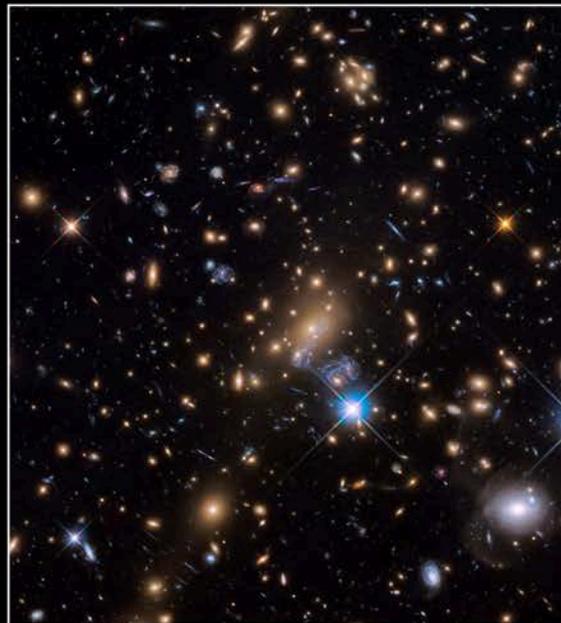


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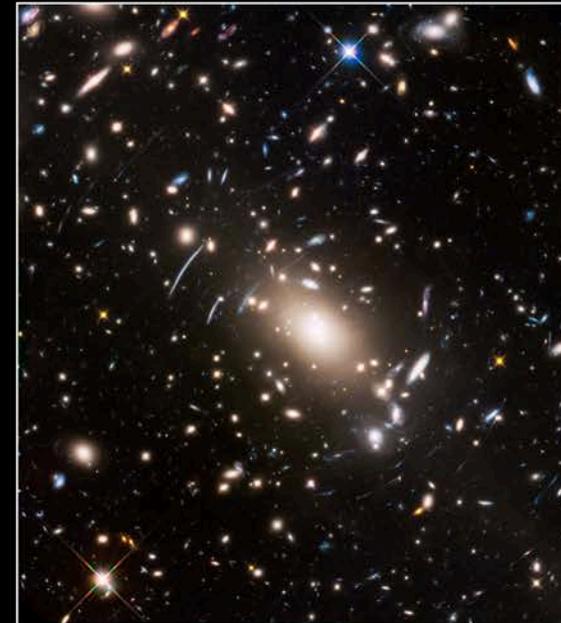
6 clusters + 6 parallel fields:

840 orbits of truly remarkable
ACS and WFC3/IR data

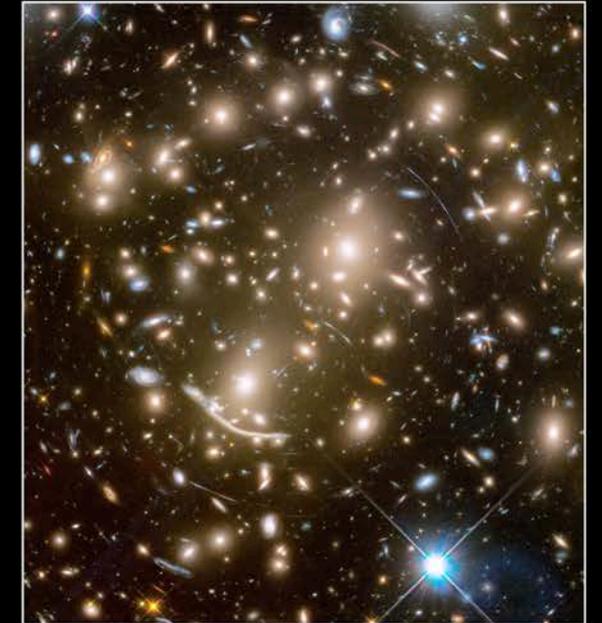
1000 hours of Spitzer IRAC



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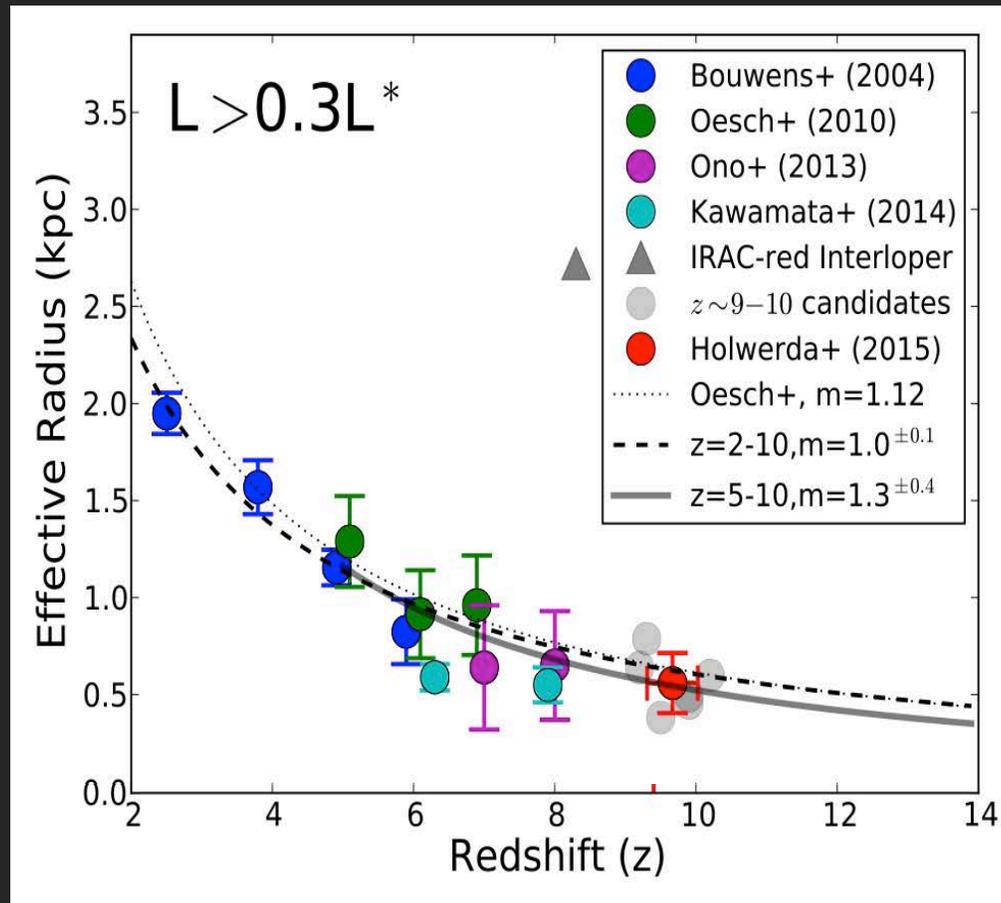
Abell S1063



Abell 370

galaxy sizes out to $z \sim 9$

typical trends in size go as $r_{1/2} \sim (1+z)^{-1}$



from deep fields

Holwerda et al 2015

Cottage industry! see also Ferguson+2004, Bouwens+2004, Hathi+2008, Oesch+2010, Ono+2013, Kawamata+2014, Curtis-Lake+2014; Shibuyu+2015

trend consistent with constant L at a given halo mass

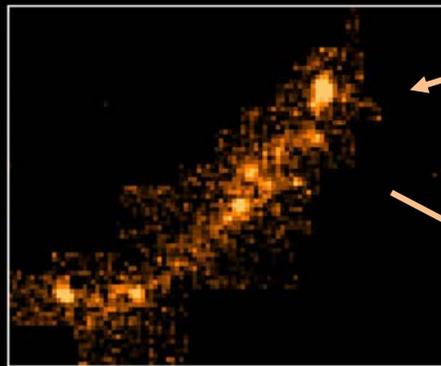
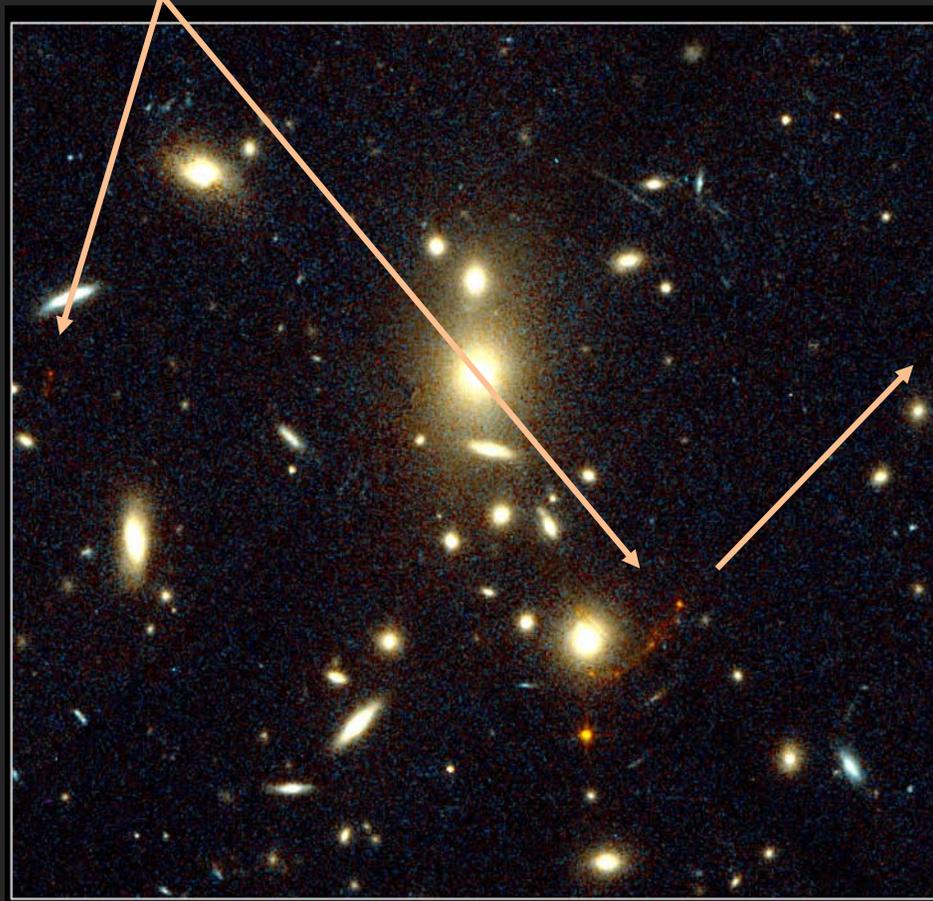
a remarkable fold arc in CL1358 – sizes of star-forming regions

a strongly lensed fold arc discovered in WFPC2 imaging of CL1358

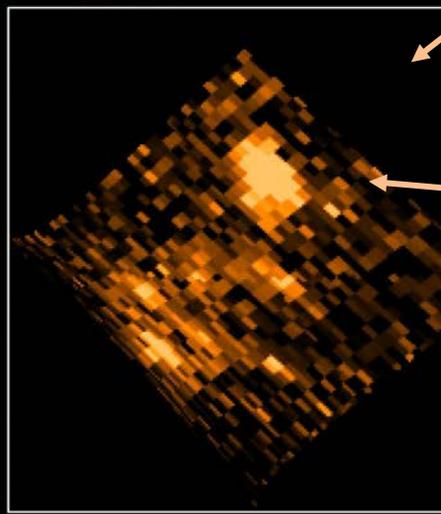
followed up with Keck LRIS for redshift and kinematics + NIRSPEC imaging

galaxy CL1358-G1 at $z=4.92$ – 1.3 Gyr after Big Bang:

lensed by a rich cluster of galaxies at $z\sim 0.3$



distorted fold image of a magnified galaxy after nearby elliptical removed



recover source plane image – magnified 10-20X

➤ most star formation (>50%) in the brightest “blob”

➤ just 100-200pc in size ($r_e \sim 130\text{pc}$)

SFR around $40 M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$

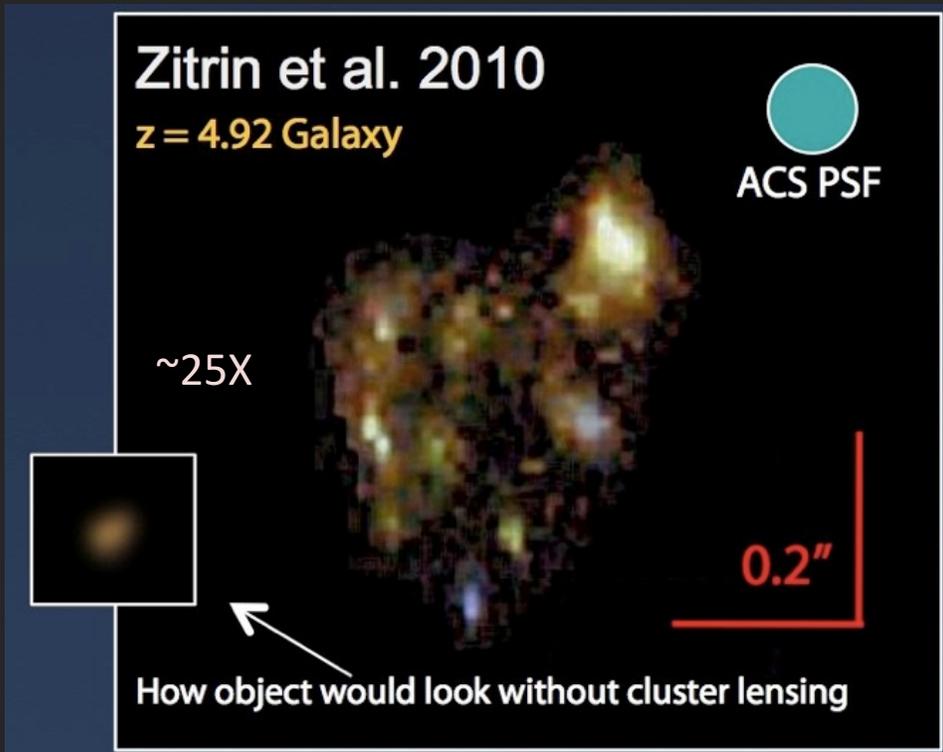
Franx Illingworth+1997

a remarkable fold arc in CL1358

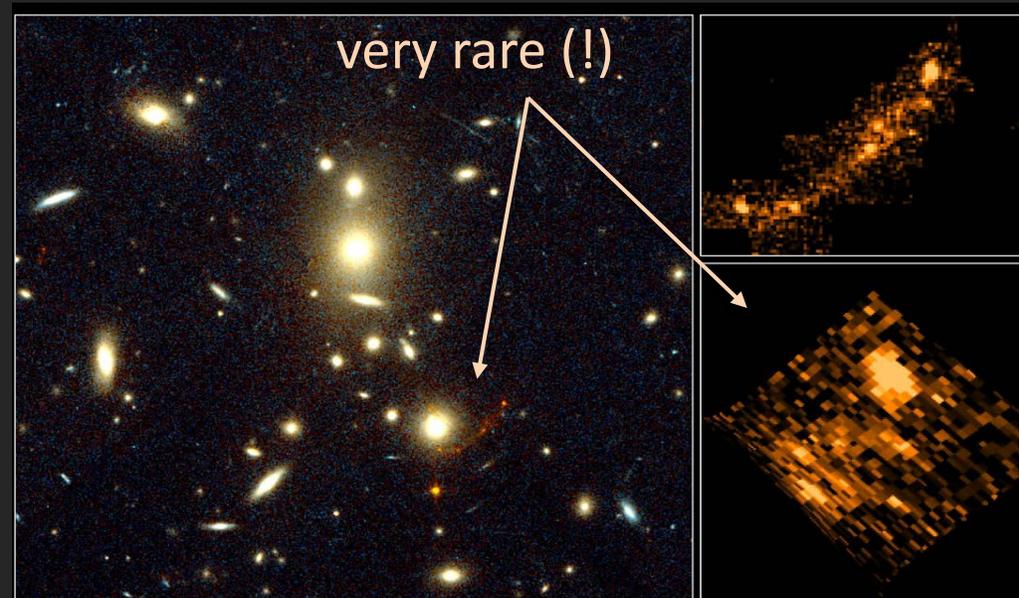
lensed resolutions of ~ 100 pc or less
like 30-40 m telescope with AO

Zitrin+2011

ACS images



WFPC2
images



Franx, GDI+1997

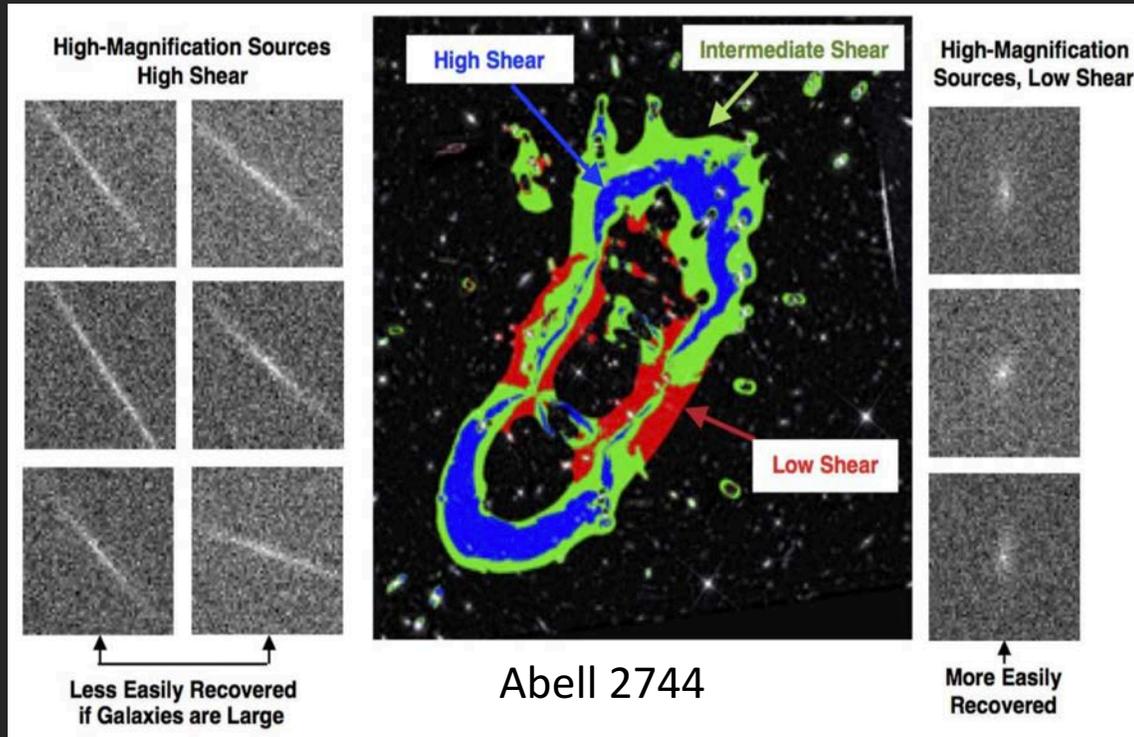
$z_{\text{arc}} = 4.92$

- very rare example showing such details in an early galaxy
- indicates star-forming regions at high z are very small

see also Swinbank+2009 for more kinematics

the remarkably small sizes of high redshift galaxies

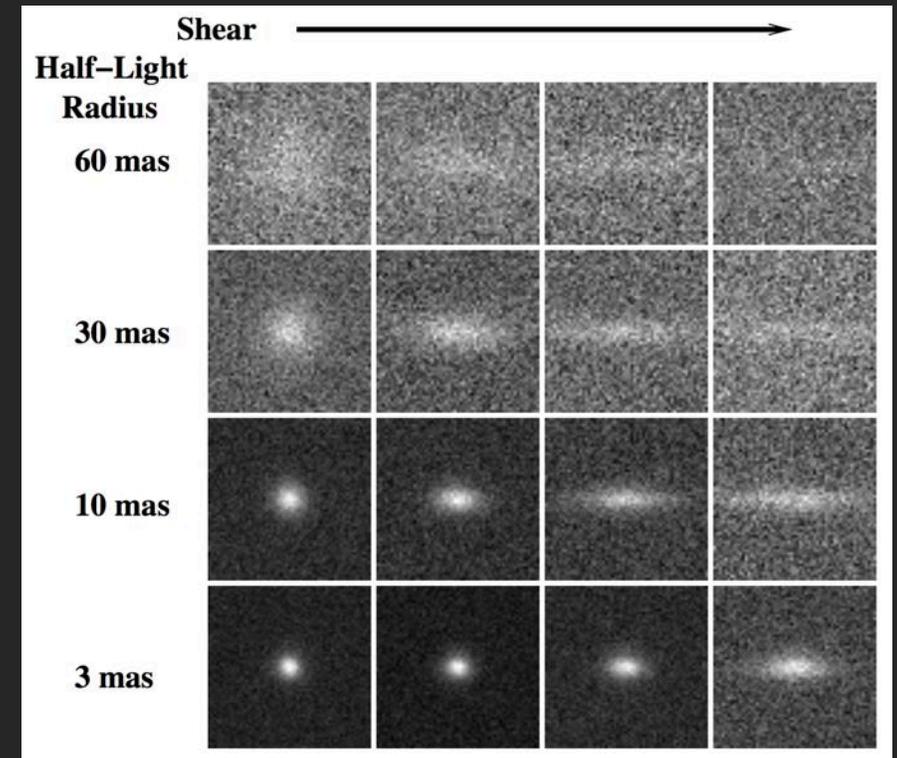
the Frontier Fields enable some very interesting constraints to be set on sizes



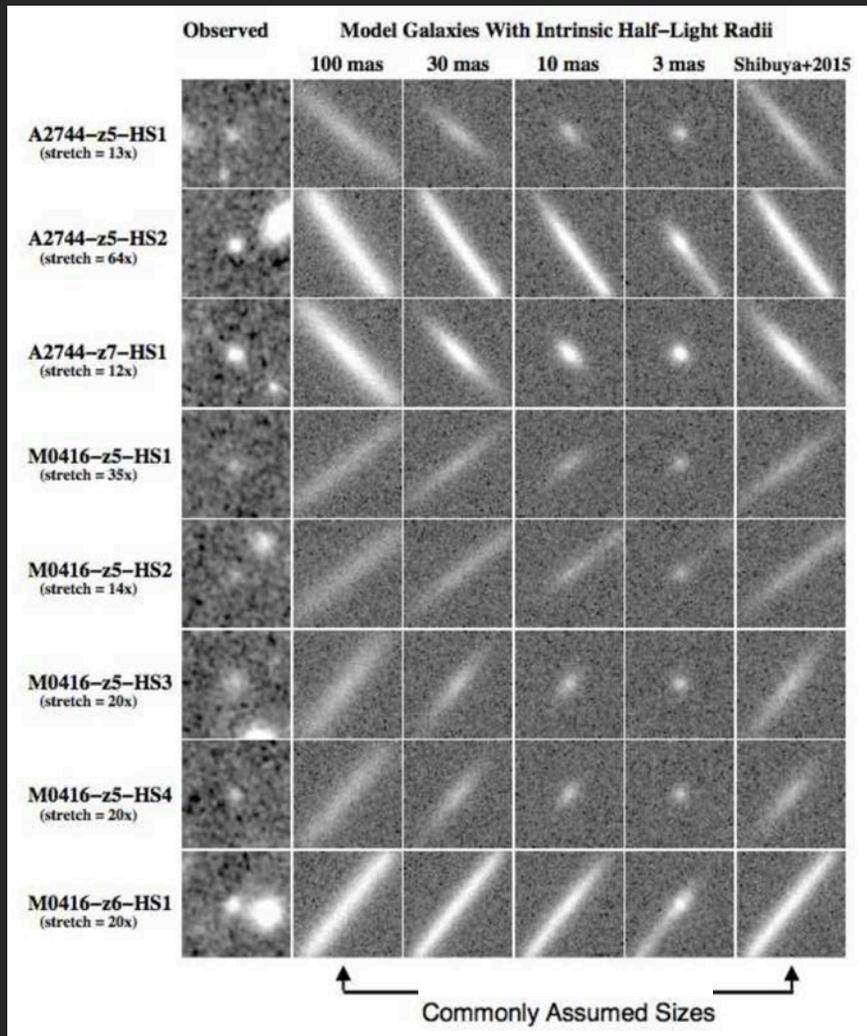
high shear, high magnification regions provide an opportunity to check sizes of galaxies

simulations with varying size at magnification $\mu = 20$ & fixed total magnitude

clearly if galaxies are small they will be detected more uniformly regardless of the shear



the remarkably small sizes of high redshift galaxies



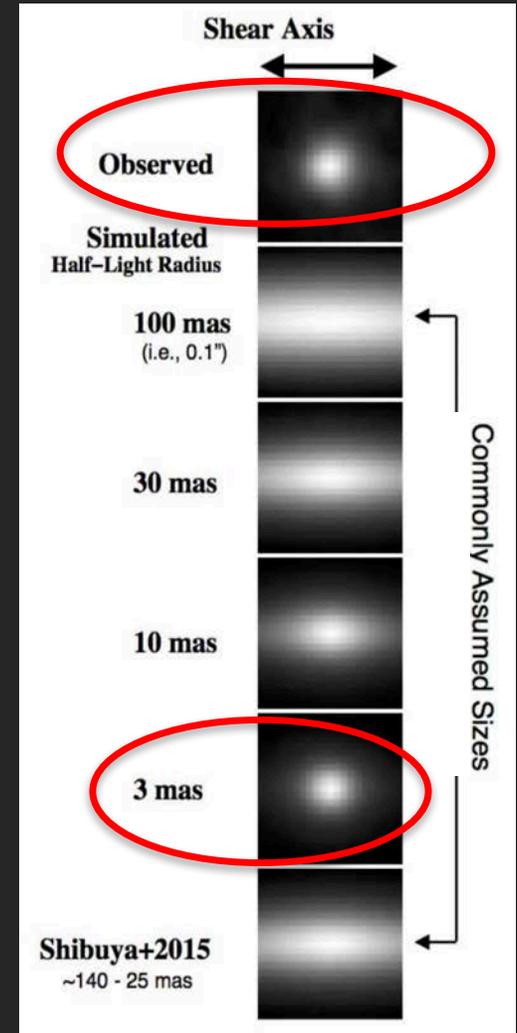
shear factors S from 12X to 64X

sizes of $z \sim 6$ galaxies

stacked very faint
 $M_{UV,AB} > -16$ galaxies

galaxies that are expected to be highly sheared show no signs of extension!

very low luminosity
high- z galaxies ($z \sim 6$)
are small: < 10 mas!



Bouwens+2016, 2017

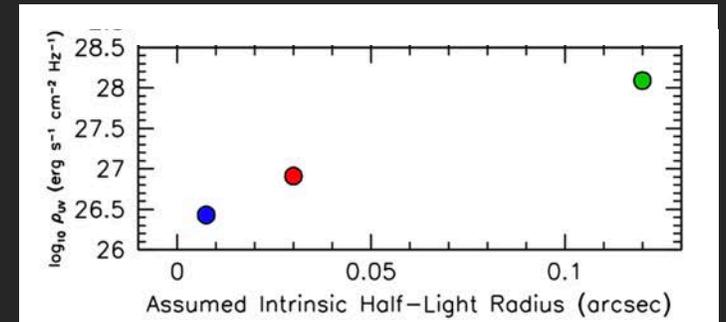
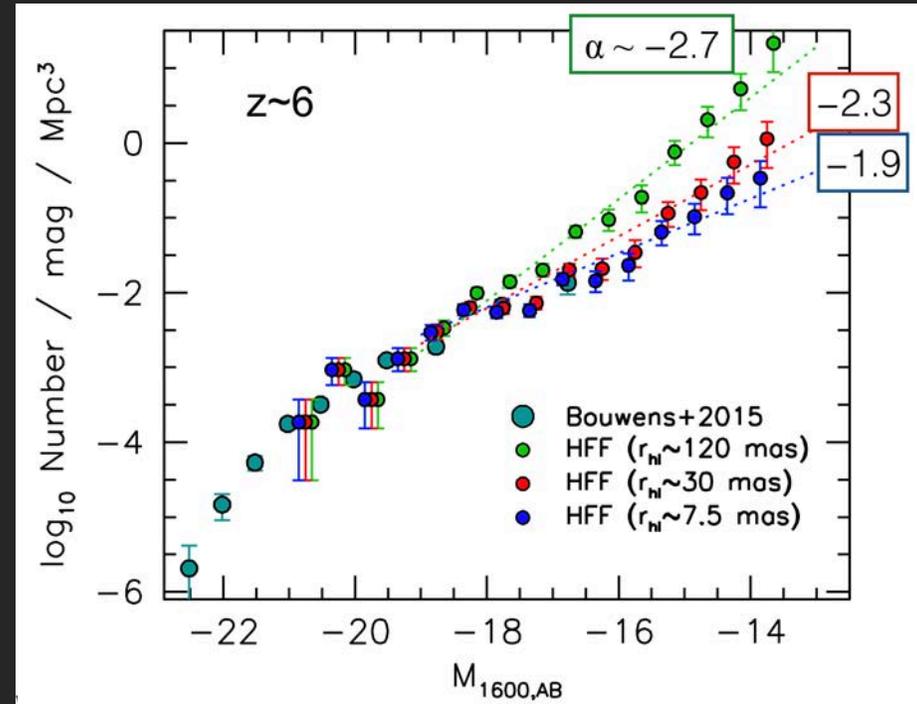
see also Kawamata + 2015, Vanzella + 2016

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** using the correct size of galaxies is crucial if an accurate luminosity density or SFR density is to be derived **

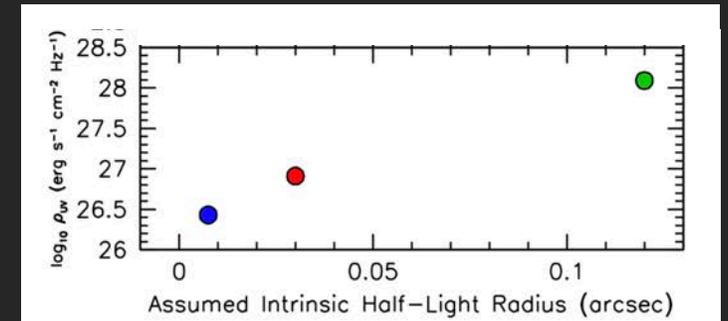
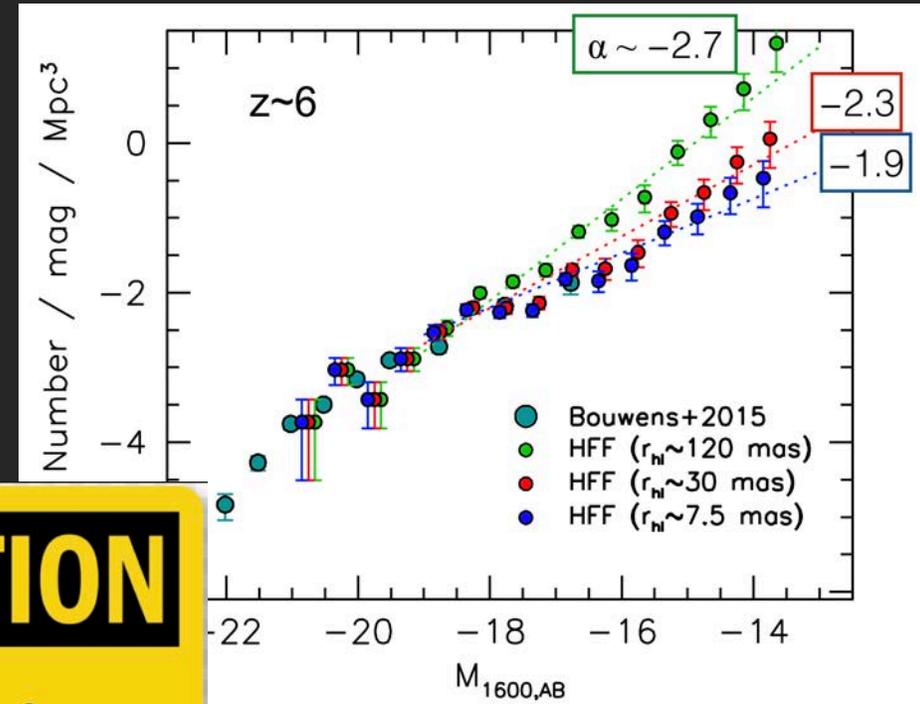
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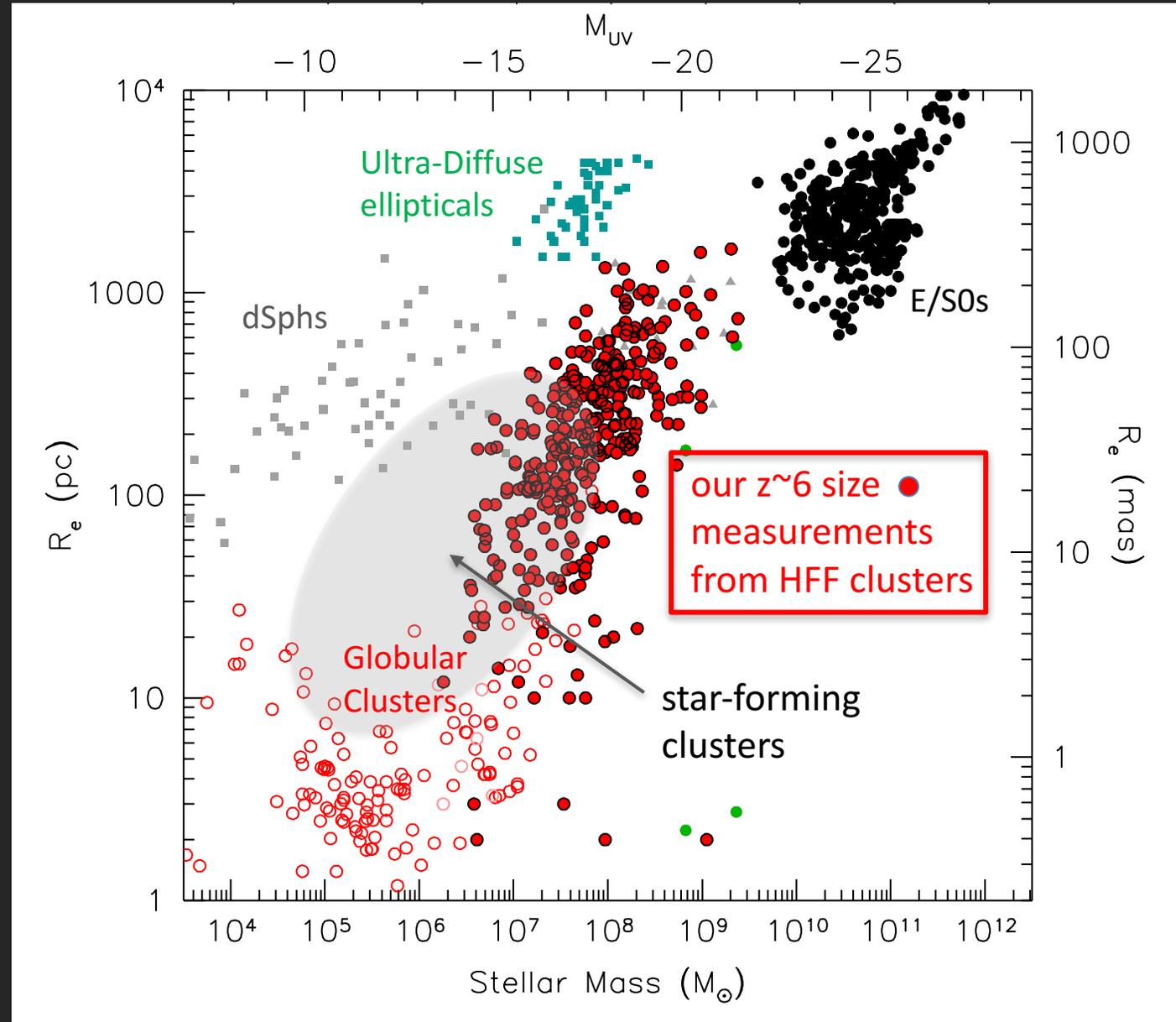
sizes of $z \sim 6$ galaxies compared to star forming, clusters, globular clusters, dwarf spheroidals, E/S0s

local objects from Norris+2014

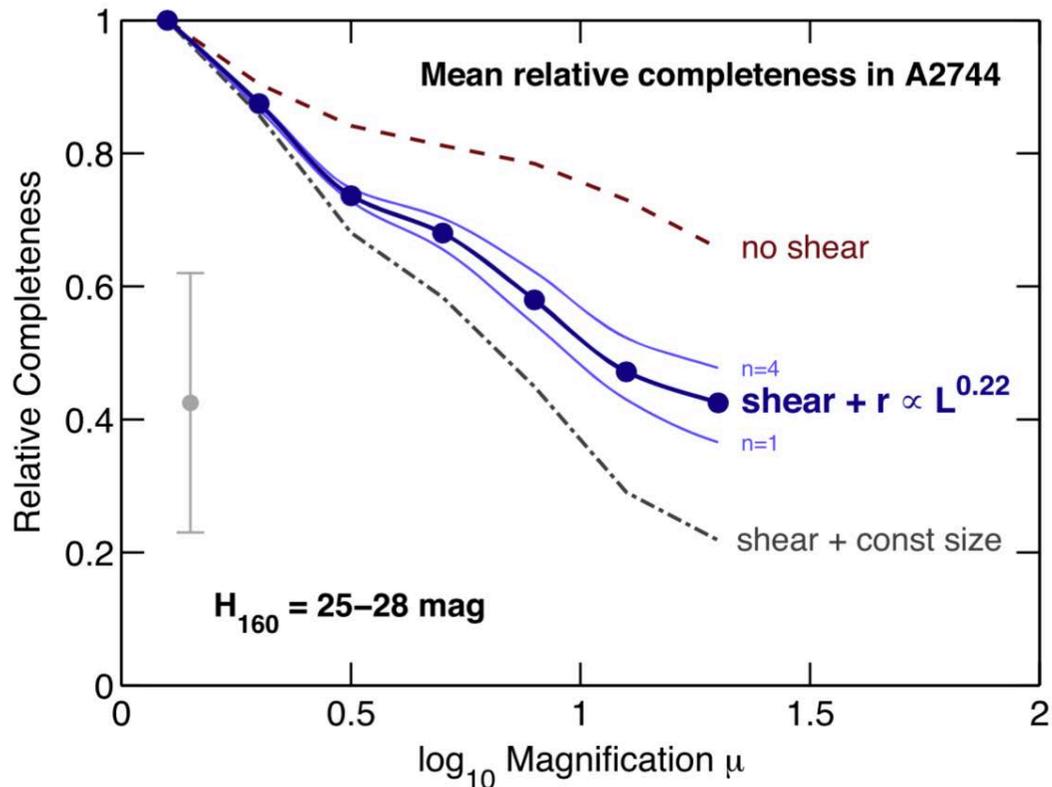
👉 could well be seeing some globular clusters forming at very high redshift....

Bouwens GDI Oesch+2016, 2017

see also Kawamata + 2015, Vanzella + 2016



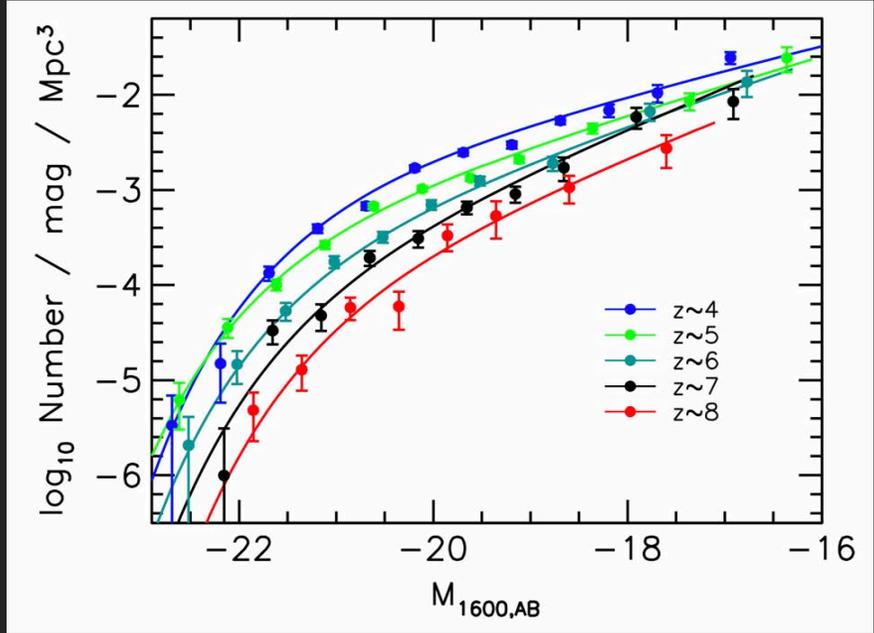
the challenges of using lensing clusters to extend the luminosity function to very faint sources – constraints on reionization



We showed in 2015 that shear in higher magnification regions in lensing clusters had a major impact on the completeness corrections and hence on the slope/shape of the LF (depending on size as per previous discussion)

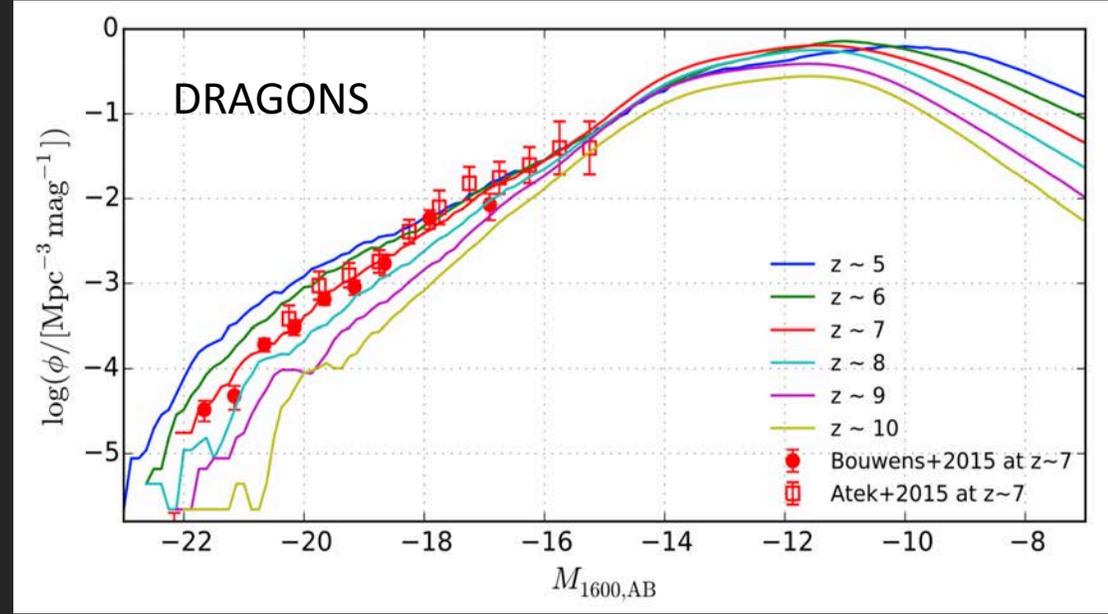
Oesch Bouwens GDI+2015

pushing LFs to fainter limits to derive UV luminosity densities



Bouwens GDI Oesch+ 2015

need to go faint to very low luminosities since majority of UV luminosity density with $\alpha \sim -2$ comes from very faint galaxies



theoretical LFs

Liu+2016

expect flattening or turn-over in the UV LF at low luminosities

strongly lensing clusters provide the opportunity to go much fainter than deep fields, **but how faint can we reliably push?**

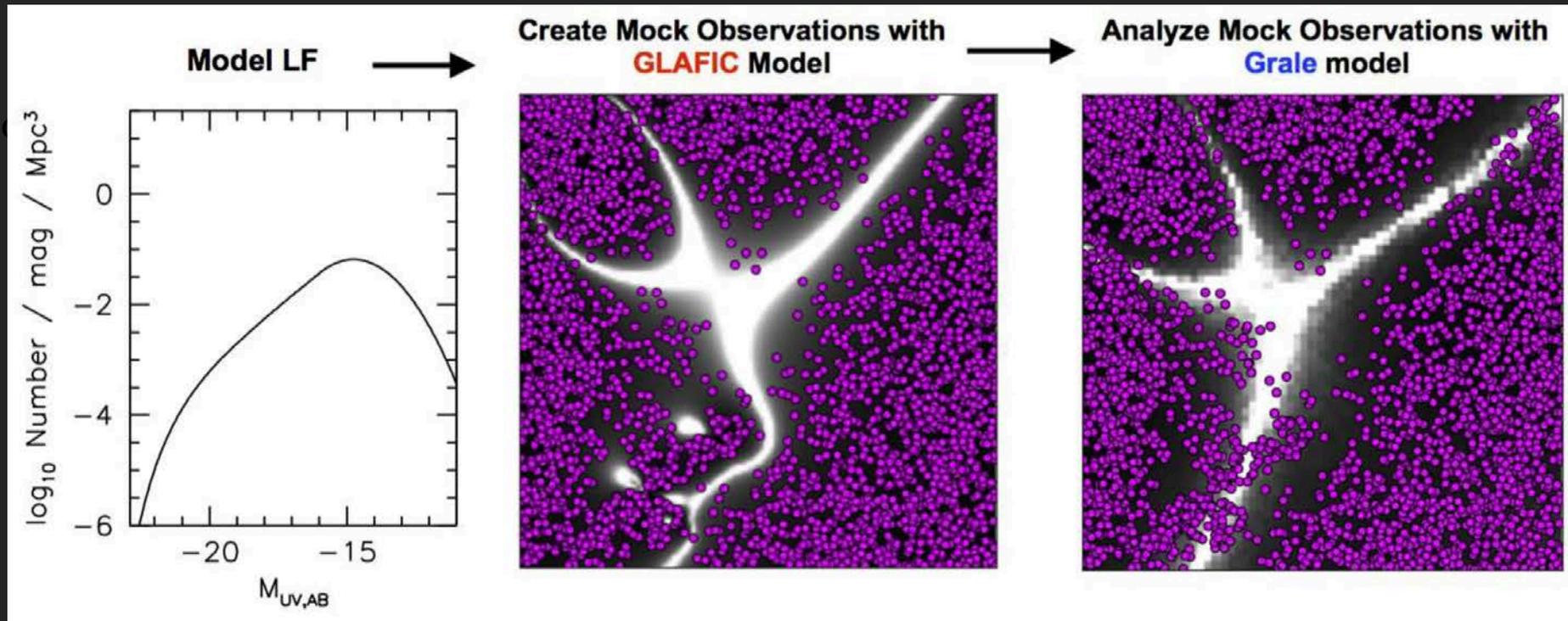
the high magnification uncertainty

👉 very high magnifications are required to go fainter than -14

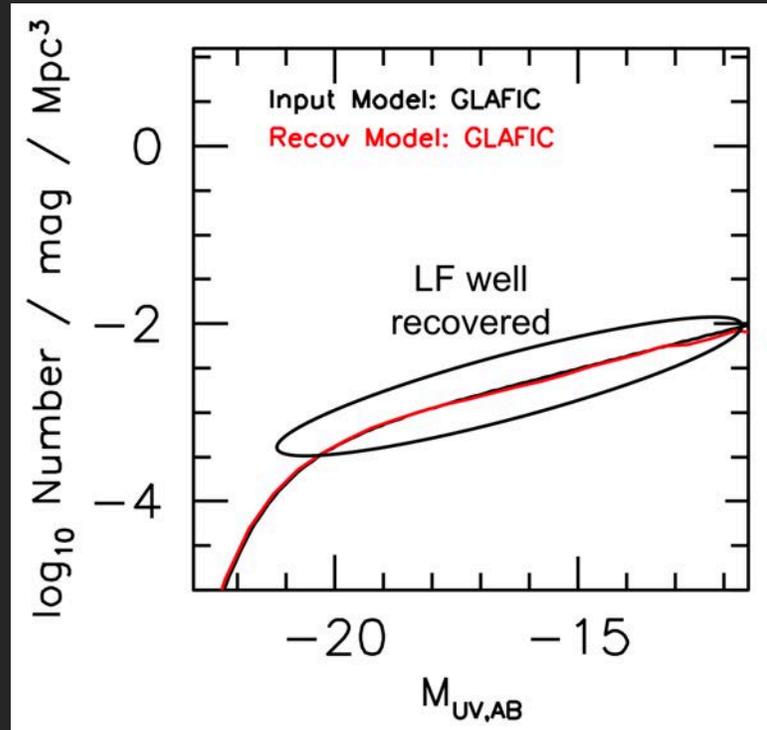
but comparisons and simulations have shown the magnification uncertainties are large at high magnifications

👉 quantify

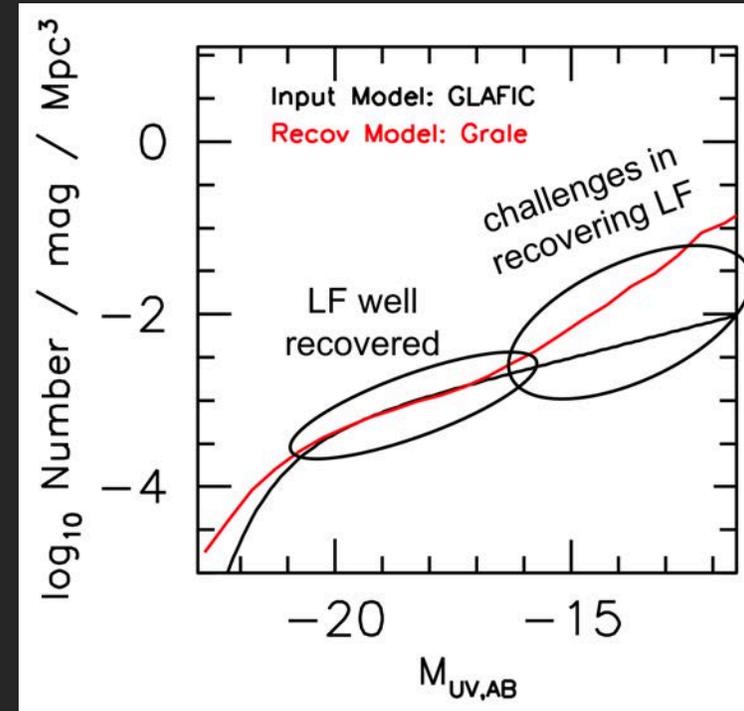
simulate using one model and try and recover sources using the other models
– repeat with wide range of input parameters (simulated for $z \sim 6$ galaxies)



demonstration of impact on LFs from the HFF of systematic effects at high magnifications



LF well-recovered with same model



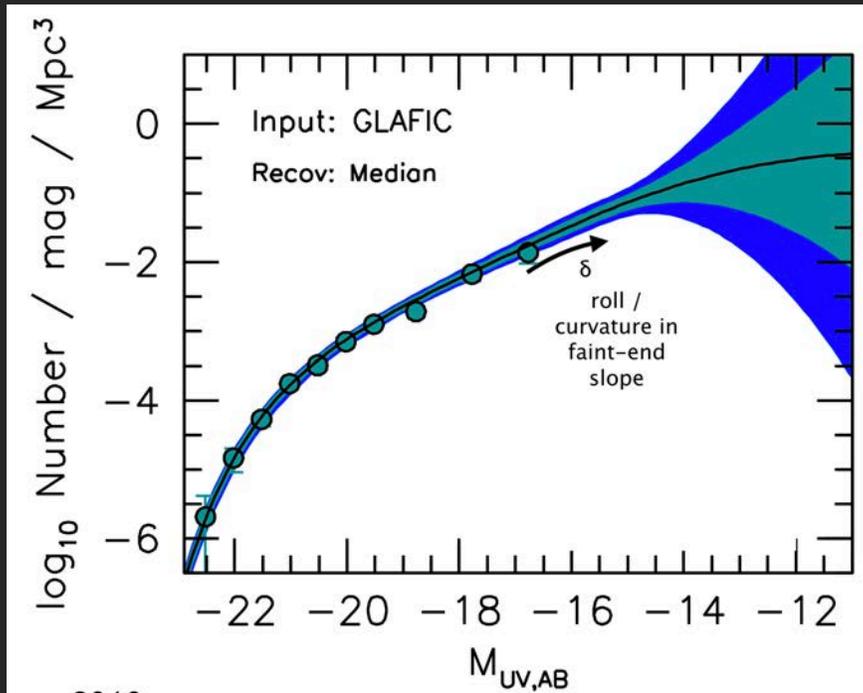
LF not recovered – very large systemic offset at high magnifications

systematics are the limiting factor below $M_{UV,AB} \sim -15$

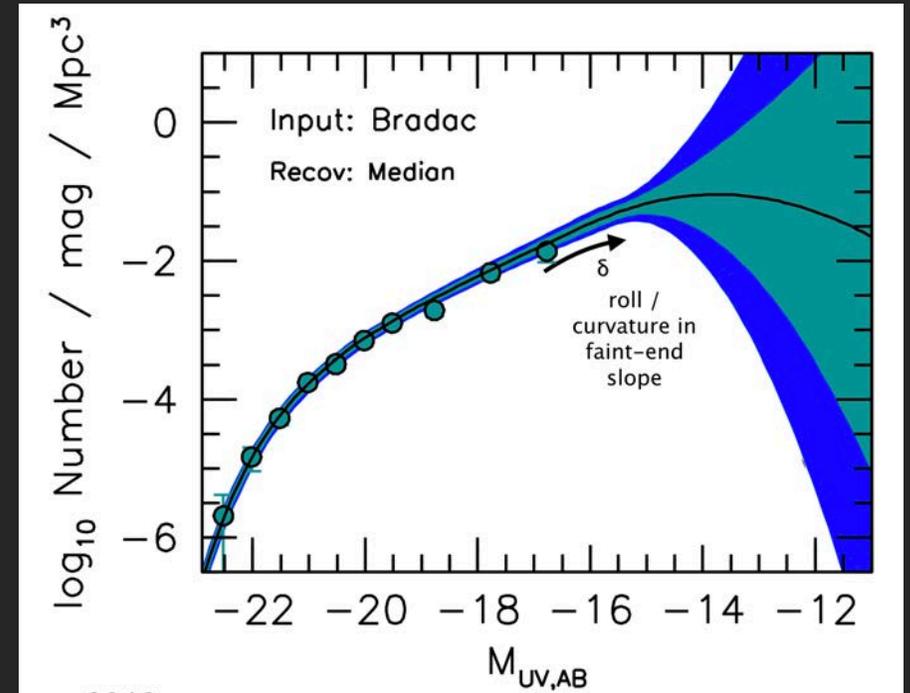
the high magnification uncertainty

☞ very high magnifications are required to go faint

when simulating using one model and recovering sources using the other (6) models, substantial differences are found for very large magnifications $>\sim 40$



these results suggest that pushing fainter than ~ -14 will not provide robust results

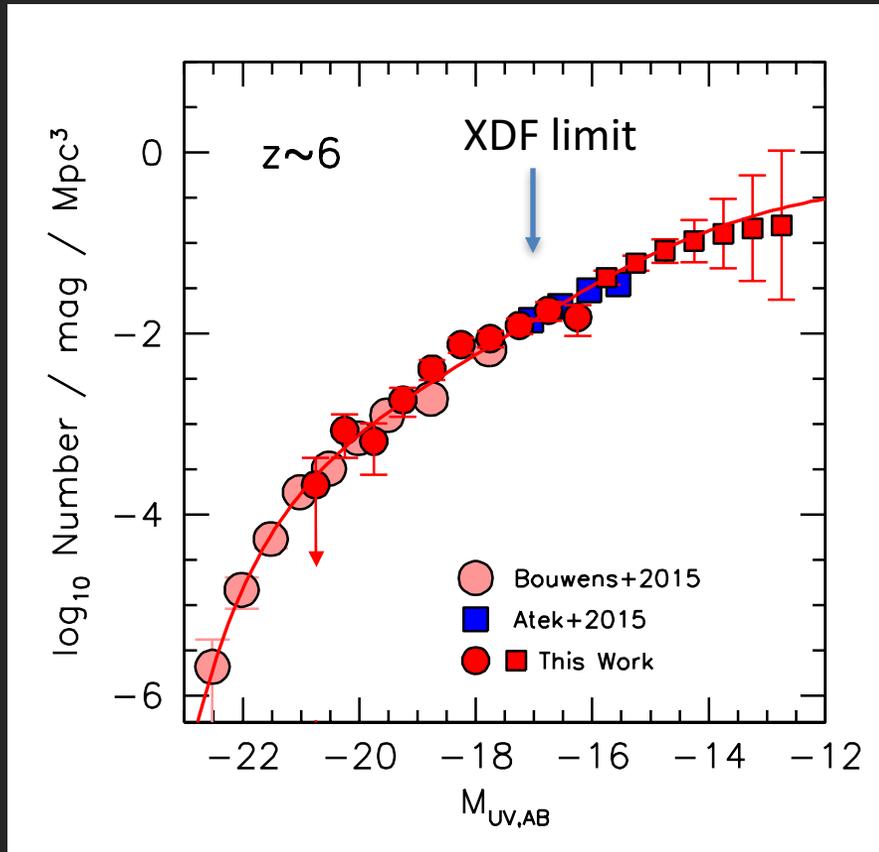


Bouwens Oesch GDI+2016

systematics are the limiting factor

bottom line: the models agree well up to magnifications of $\sim 30-40$ but do not produce consistent results for faint sources at higher magnifications (as other comparison tests have shown also)

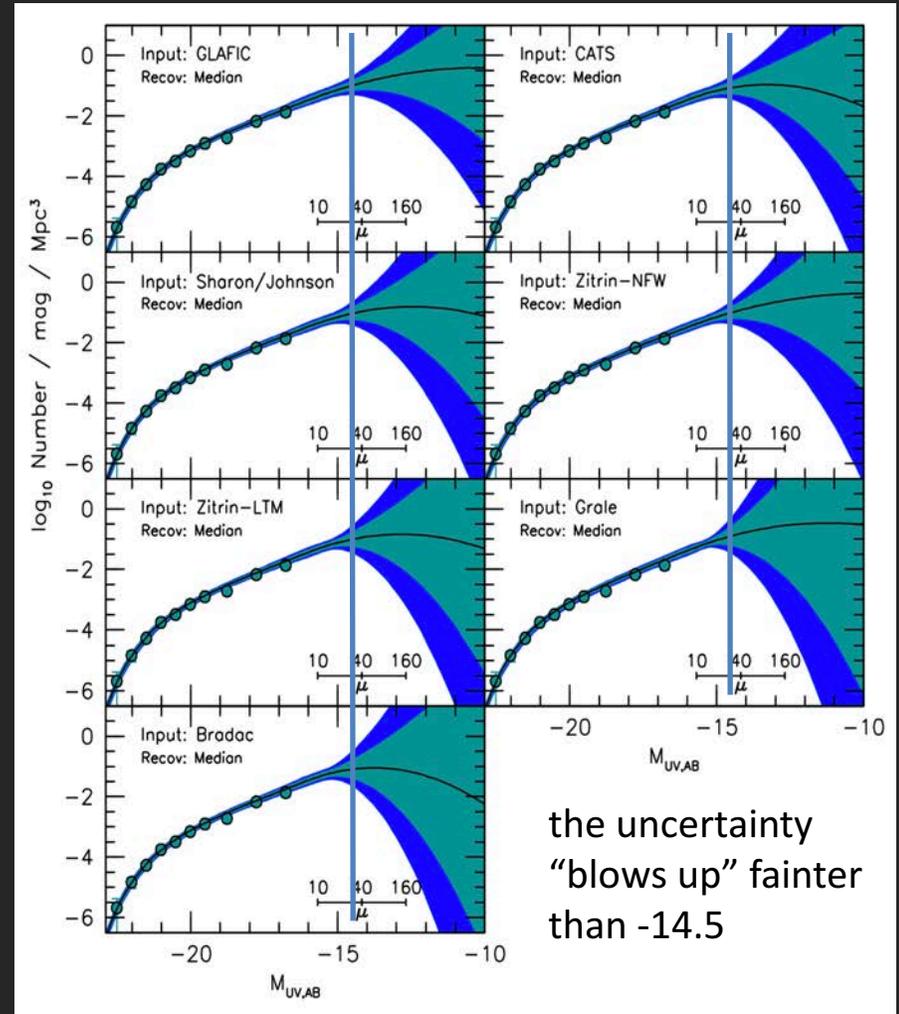
current limits on reliable LFs from the HFF



the systematic uncertainty fainter than $M_{UV,AB} \sim -14.5$ “blows-up”

the errors in the LF become so large as to make estimates of the LF from the HFF *not credible* below $M_{UV,AB} \sim -14$

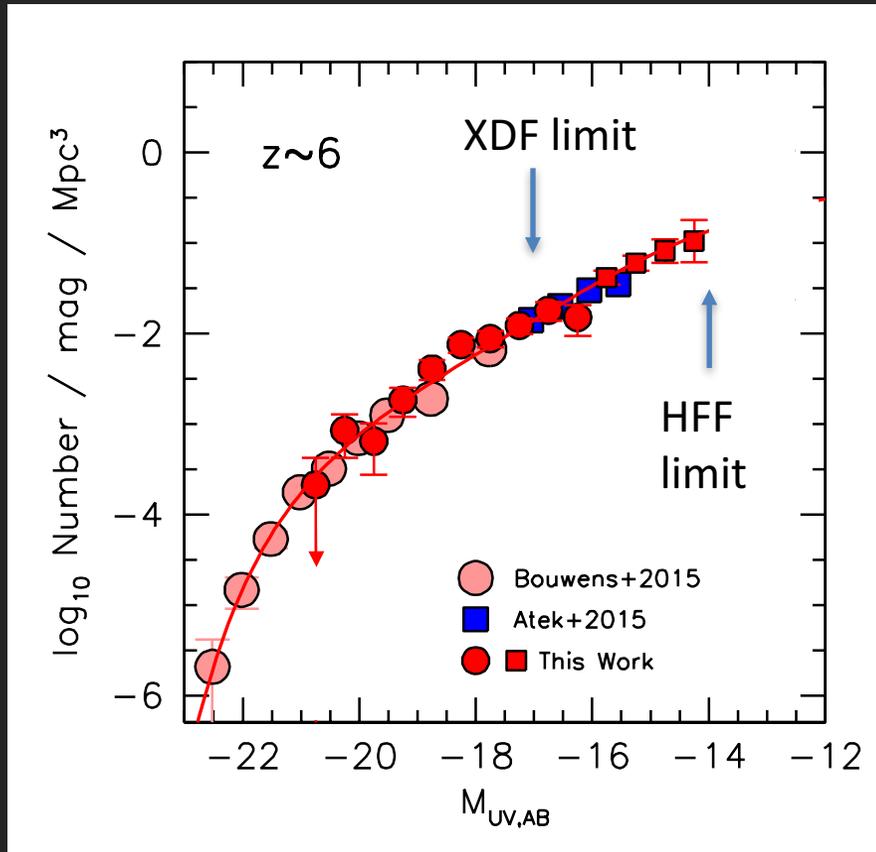
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Bouwens+2016

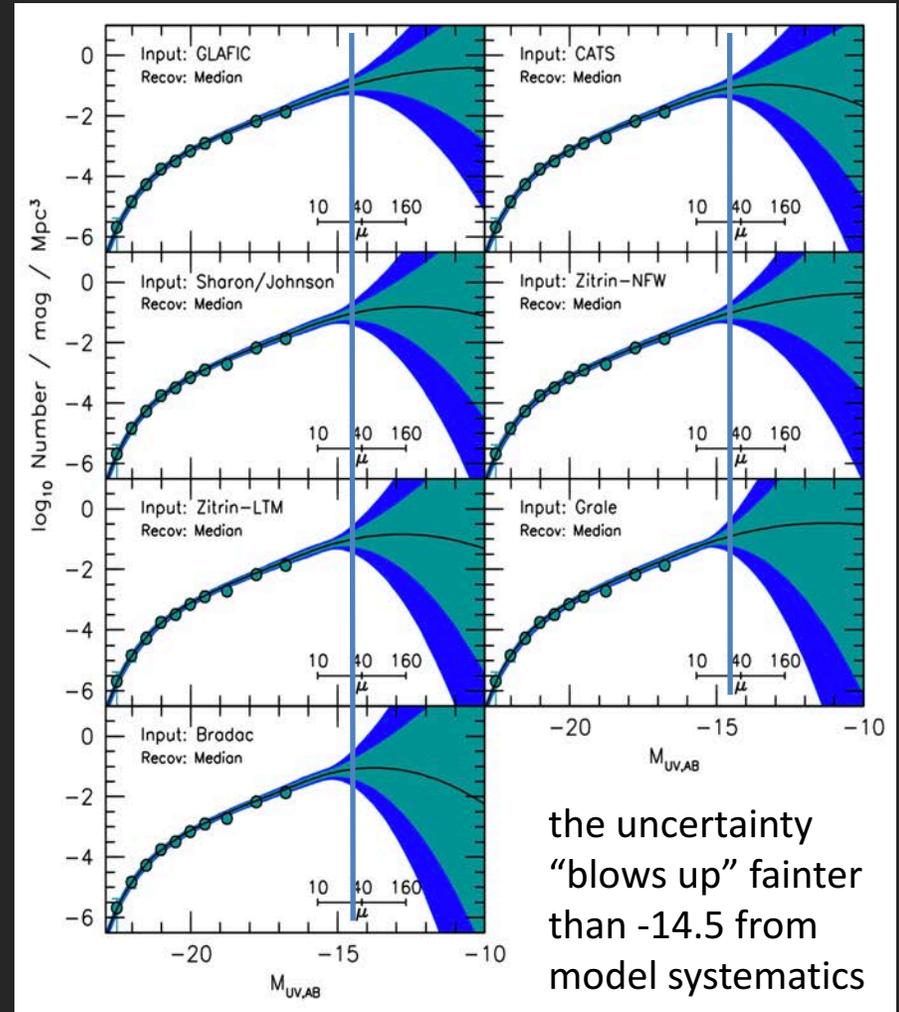
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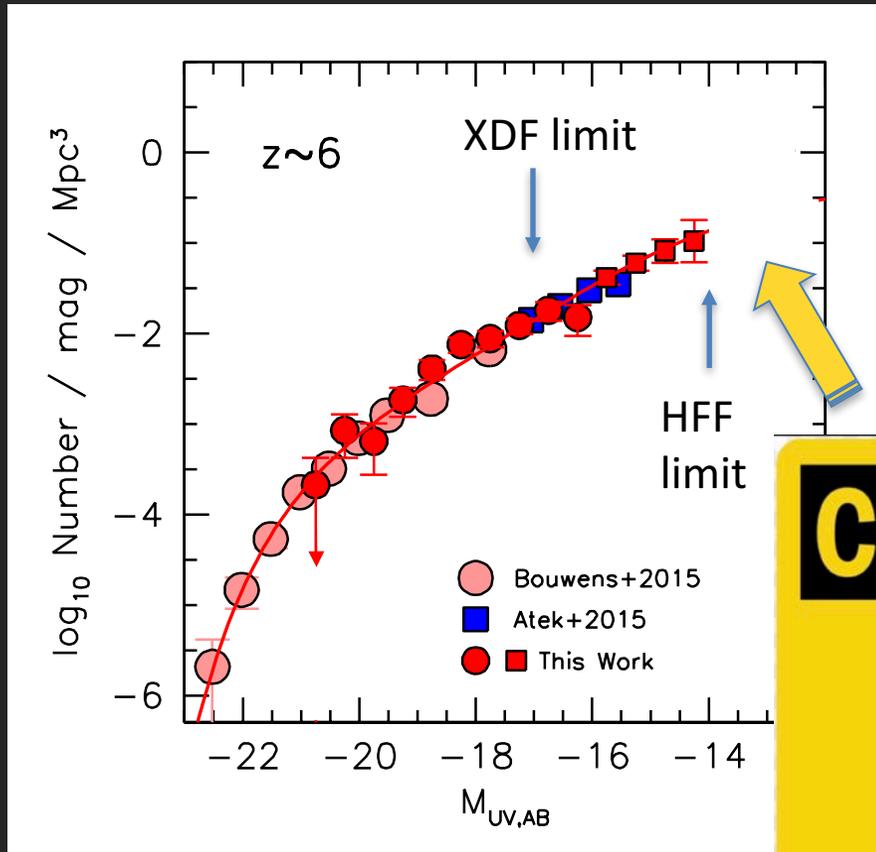
JWST will go to ~ -13

Bouwens+2016

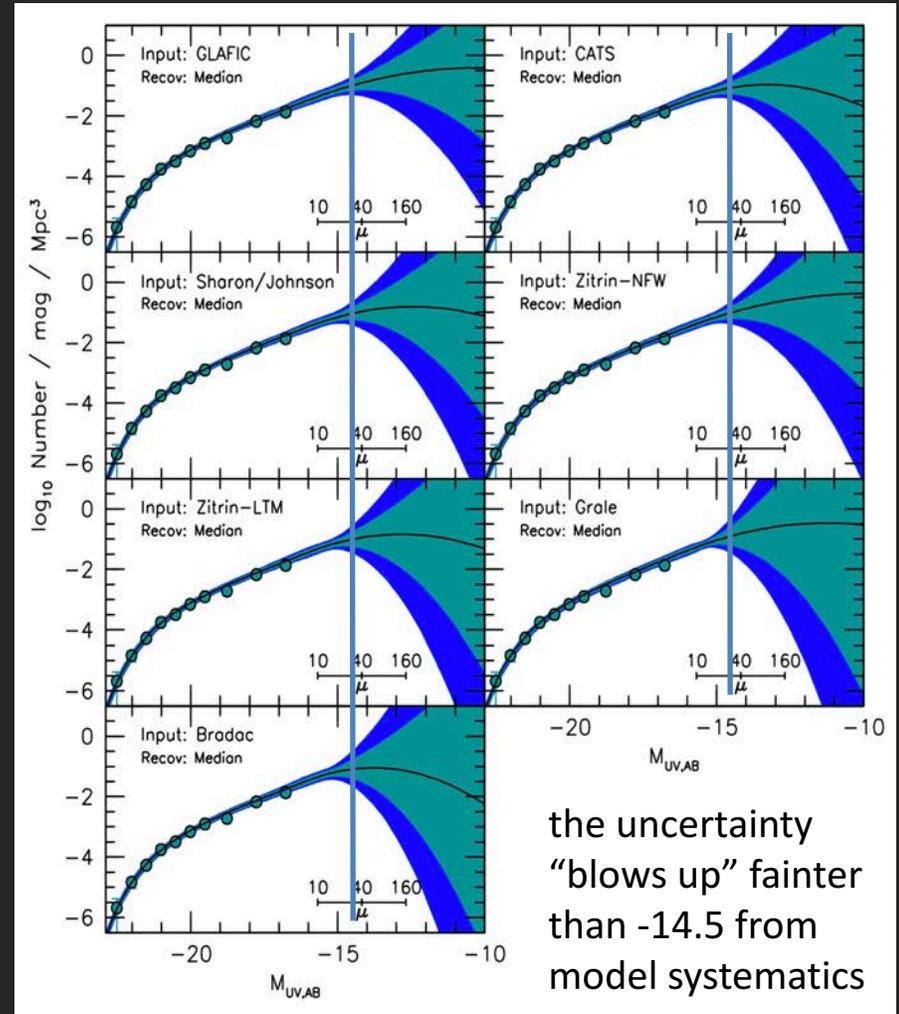


bottom line: with the current state of the art for lensing models and with current Hubble data one cannot set useful constraints fainter than about $M_{UV,AB} \sim -14$

current limits on reliable LFs from the HFF

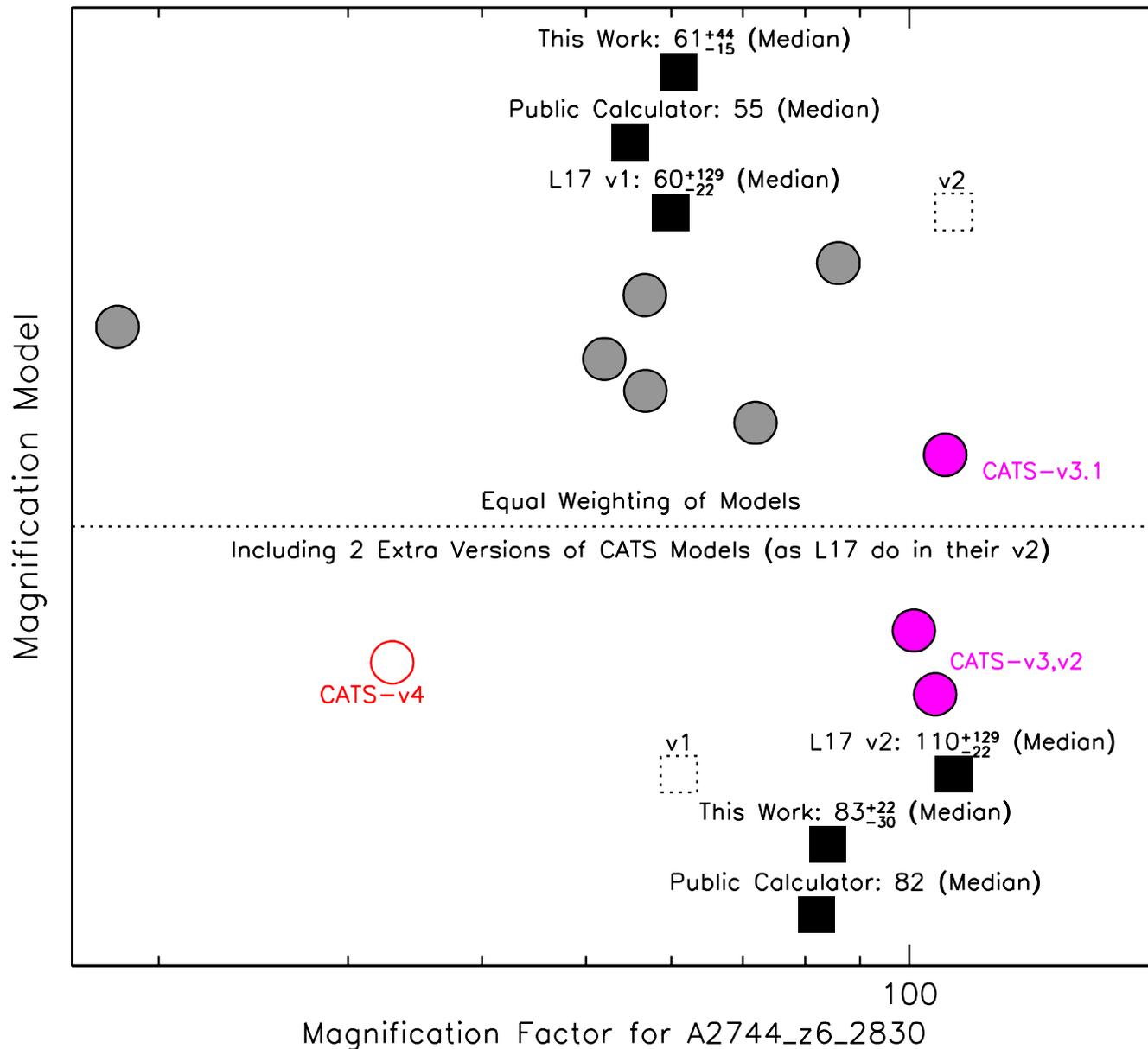


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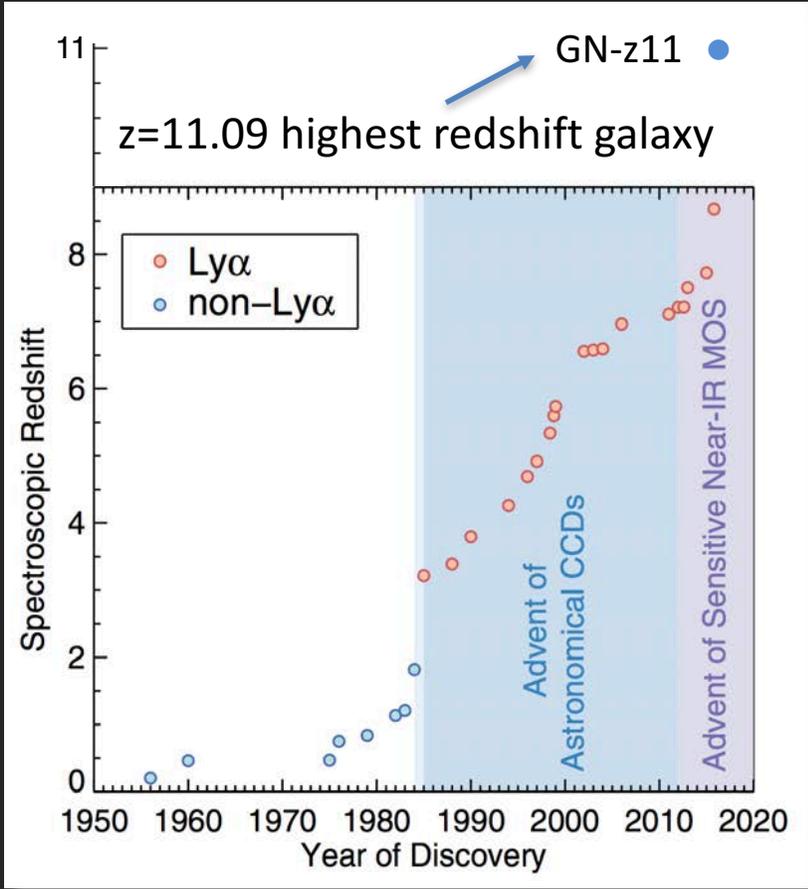
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example of the range of model magnifications for a very highly magnified galaxy in HFF cluster A2744

different models return a wide range of magnifications from ~20 to ~110X

measuring the highest redshifts: galaxies at the cosmic dawn



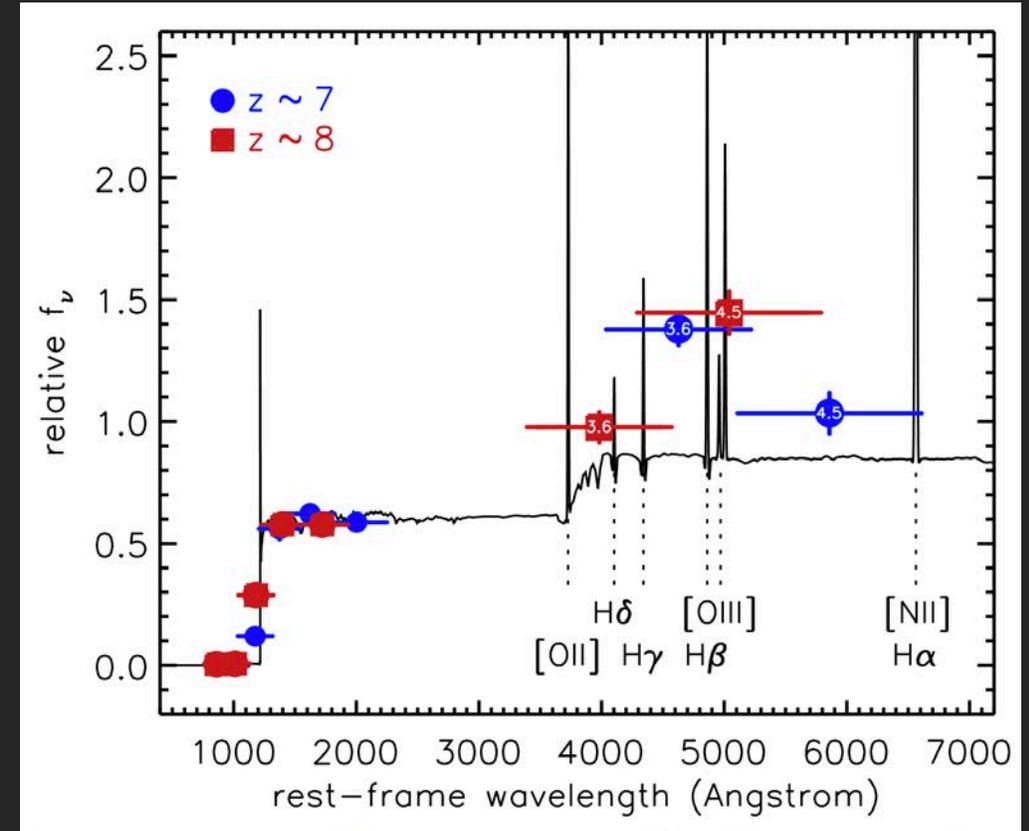
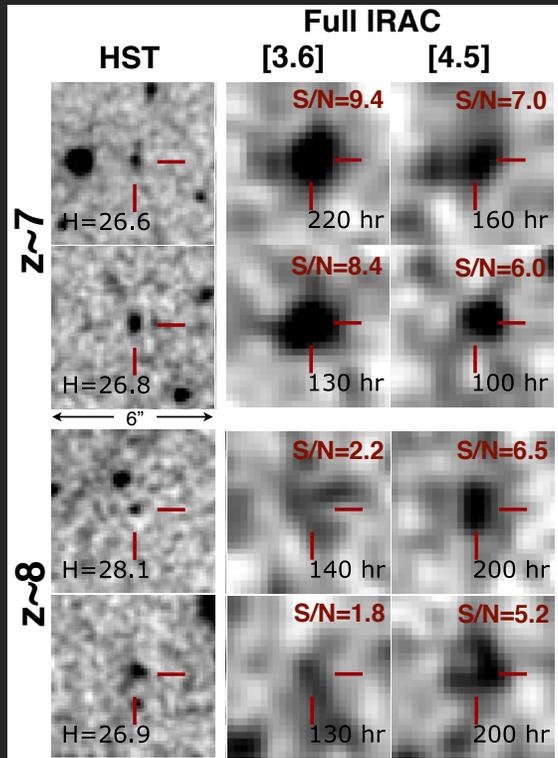
Spitzer observations of up to 200 hrs per IRAC filter

☞ Spitzer has revealed remarkably strong emission lines at $z \sim 7-8$!

brightness changes in images due to [OIII]
+ $H\beta$ moving from the $3.6\mu\text{m}$ band at $z \sim 7$
to the $4.5\mu\text{m}$ band at $z \sim 8$

100-200 hrs
IUDF/IGOODS

the IRAC color flips from blue
to red between $z \sim 7$ and $z \sim 8$



Spitzer/IRAC revealed: $z \sim 7-8$ galaxies
have extreme OIII+ $H\beta$ line emission

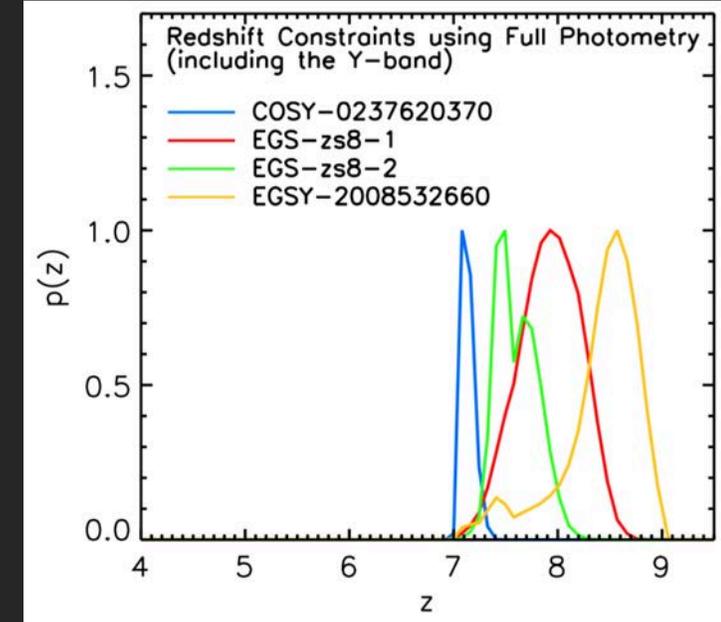
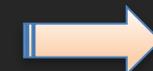
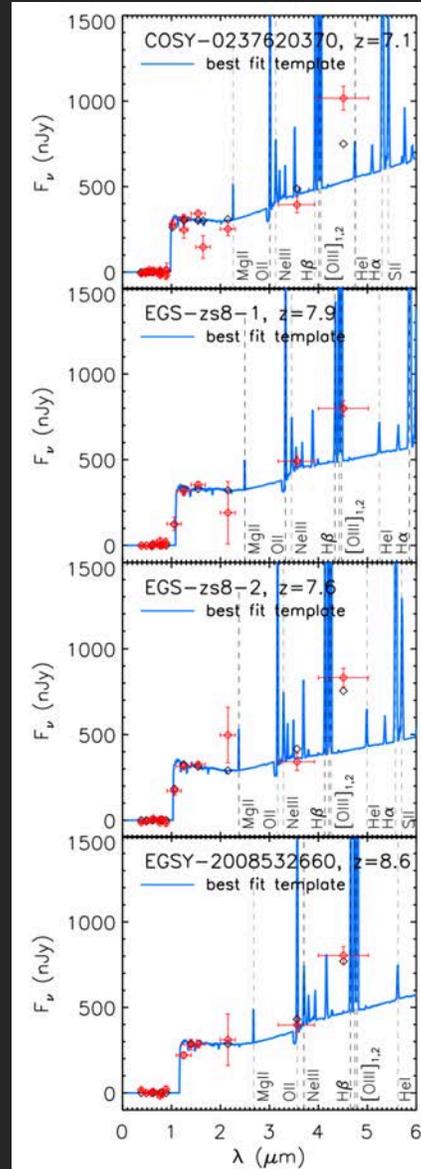
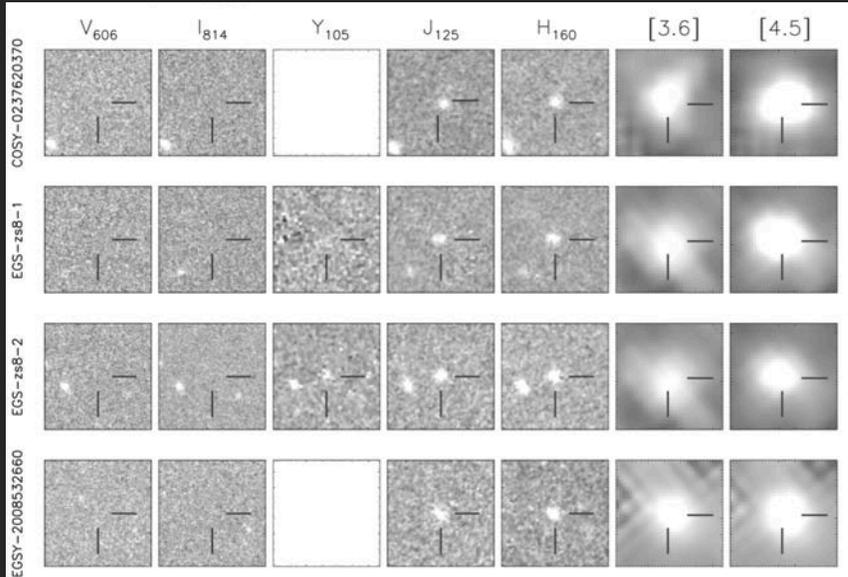
Labbé+2013, 2015, 2017 (in prep)

spectroscopy of the highest redshift galaxies

bright $z \sim 7-8$ galaxies found recently from Hubble and Spitzer – ideal for spectroscopy

set of four from CANDELS-EGS

HST Spitzer



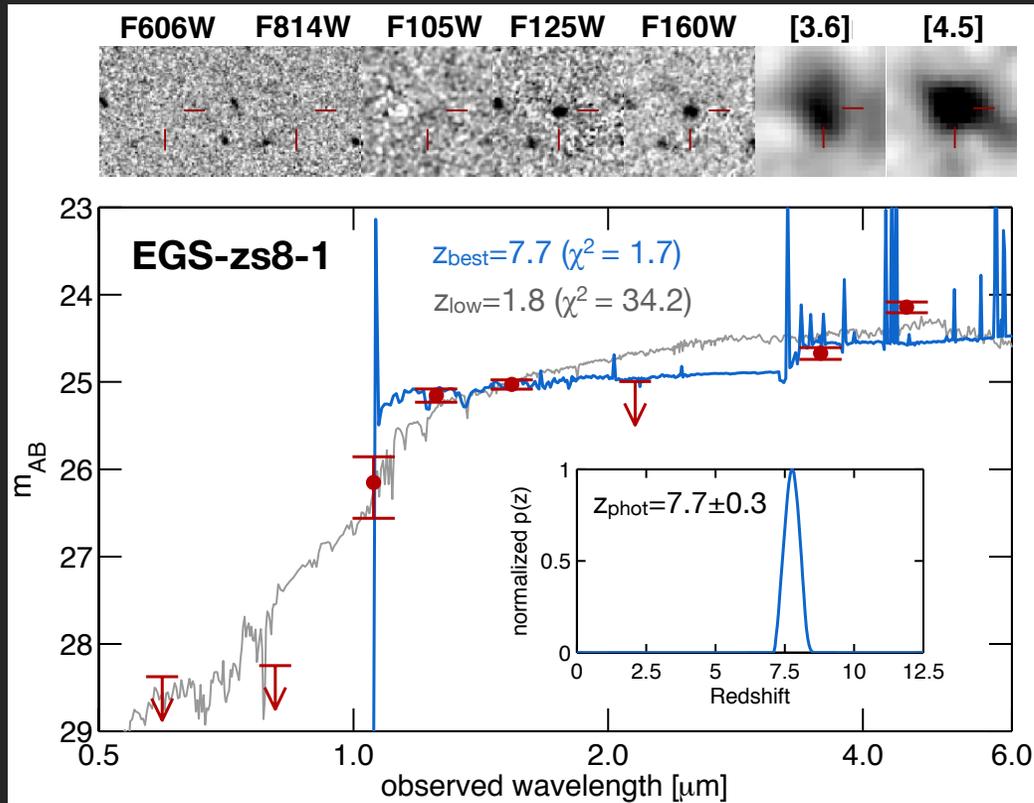
photometric redshifts from Hubble+Spitzer

SED fits incl. emission lines to get redshifts

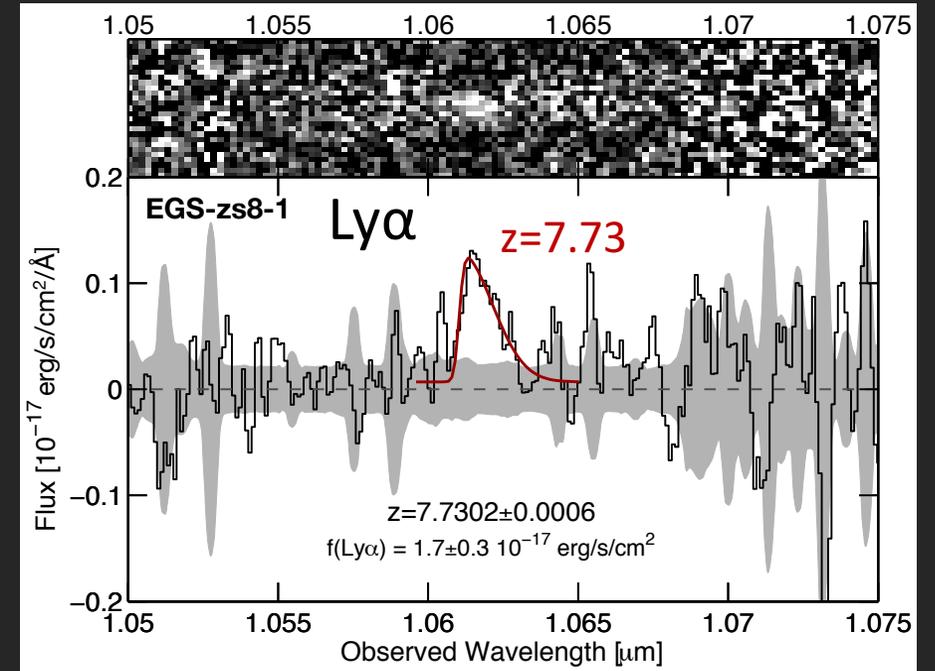
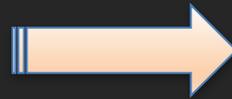
Ly α detection at $z=7-8$

images from Hubble and Spitzer \rightarrow spectra from Keck

use SED fits to verify that this is a Ly α detection
– and not a low redshift contaminant



photometric $z=7.7 \pm 0.3$ from Hubble and Spitzer



Ly α $z=7.7302 \pm 0.0006$ from Keck MOSFIRE spectrum

highest confirmed redshift ever – for 4 months!

Oesch+2015

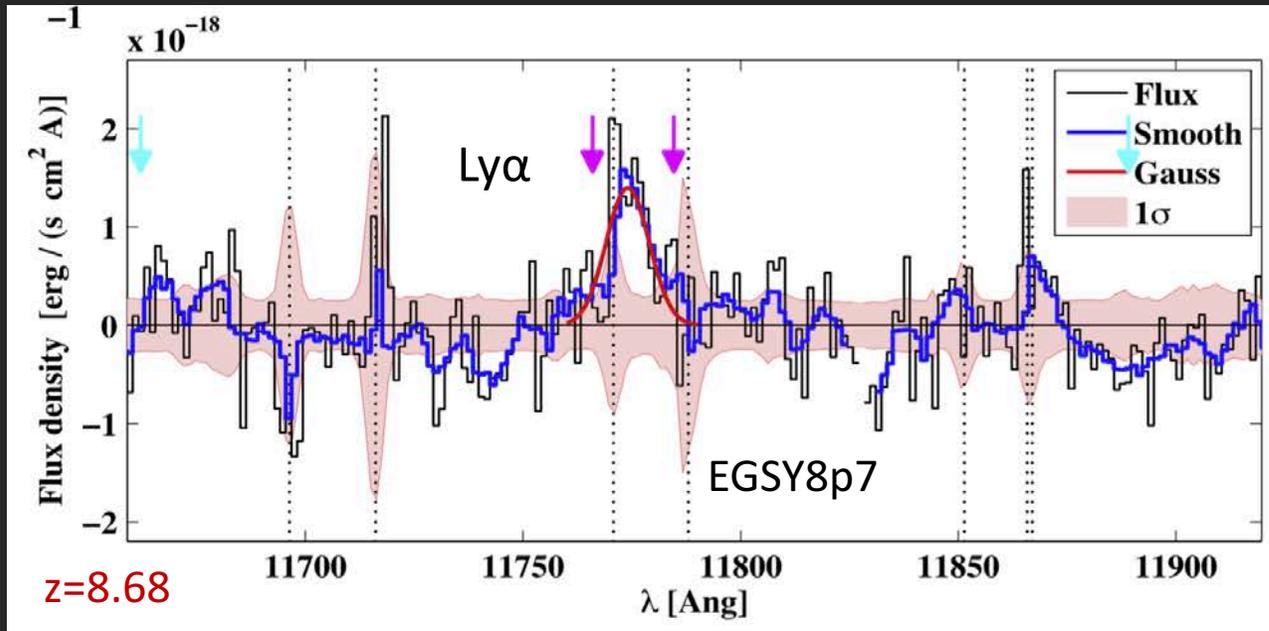


see also Ono+2012 and Finkelstein+2013 for other $z \sim 7$ Ly α detections

highest redshift Ly α detection at $z=8.68$

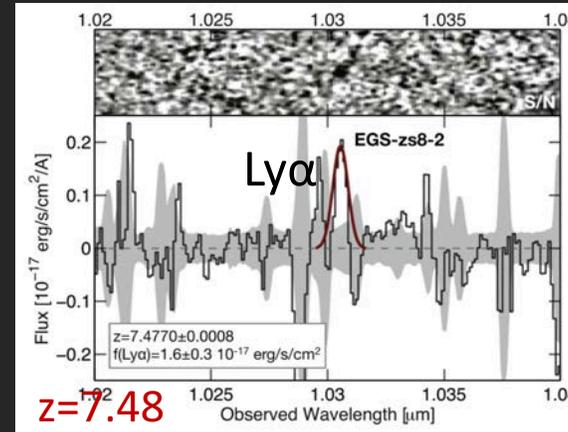
luminous galaxies in the heart of the reionization epoch:
 note 📖 100% spectroscopic success rate from Ly α detection!

the universe is substantially neutral at these redshifts – each of these very luminous galaxies probably resides in its own ionized bubble



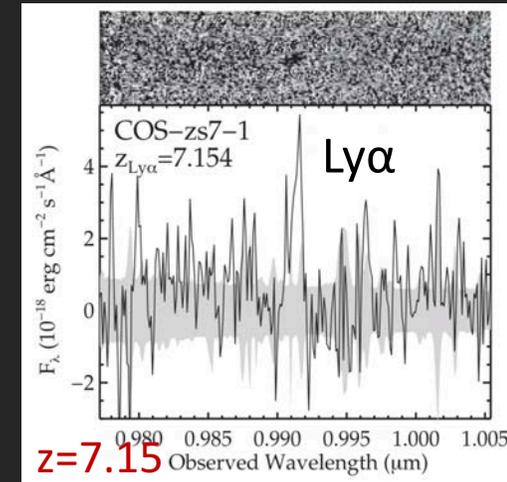
Zitrin+2015

EGSY8p7 has highest Ly α redshift to date



Roberts-Borsani+2016

+ the other two



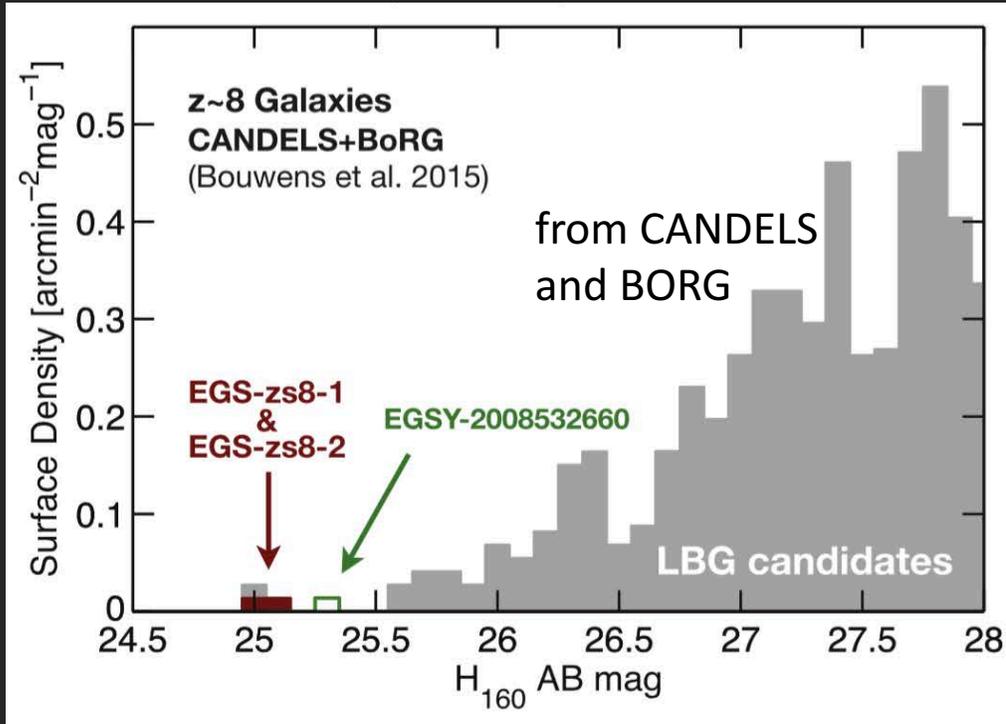
Stark+2017



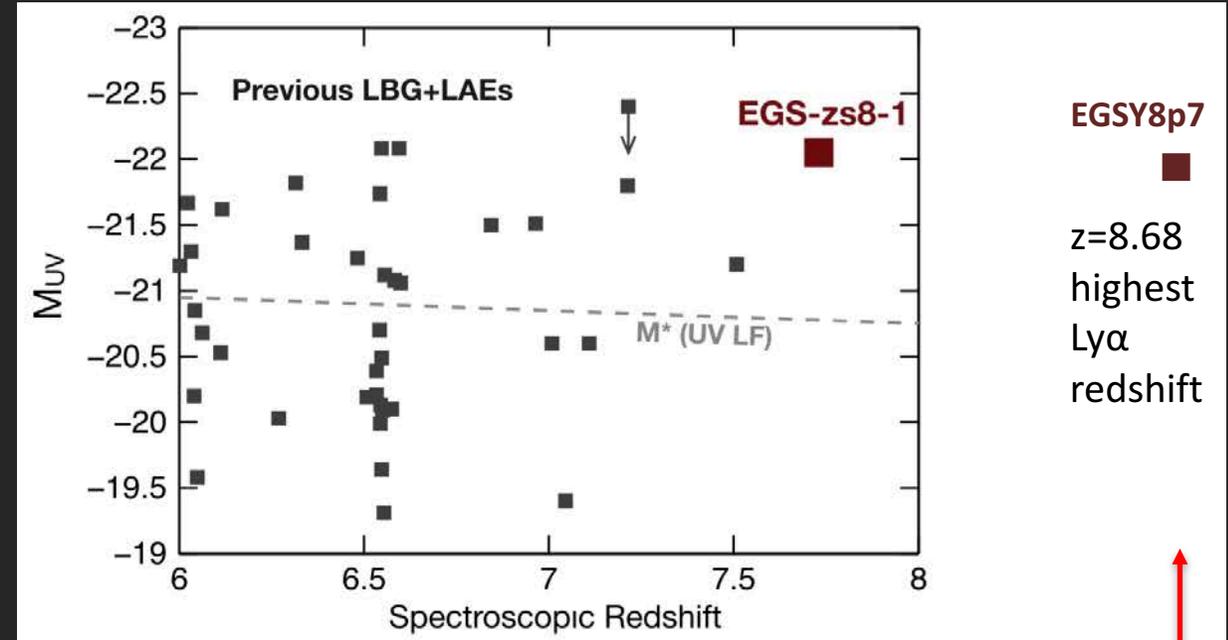
so all four $z \sim 7-8$ from Roberts-Borsani now have Keck Ly α redshifts

Ly α detections at z=7-8

surprisingly bright galaxies!



three of these four bright $z \sim 7-8$ galaxies are located in CANDELS EGS – cosmic variance strikes again!



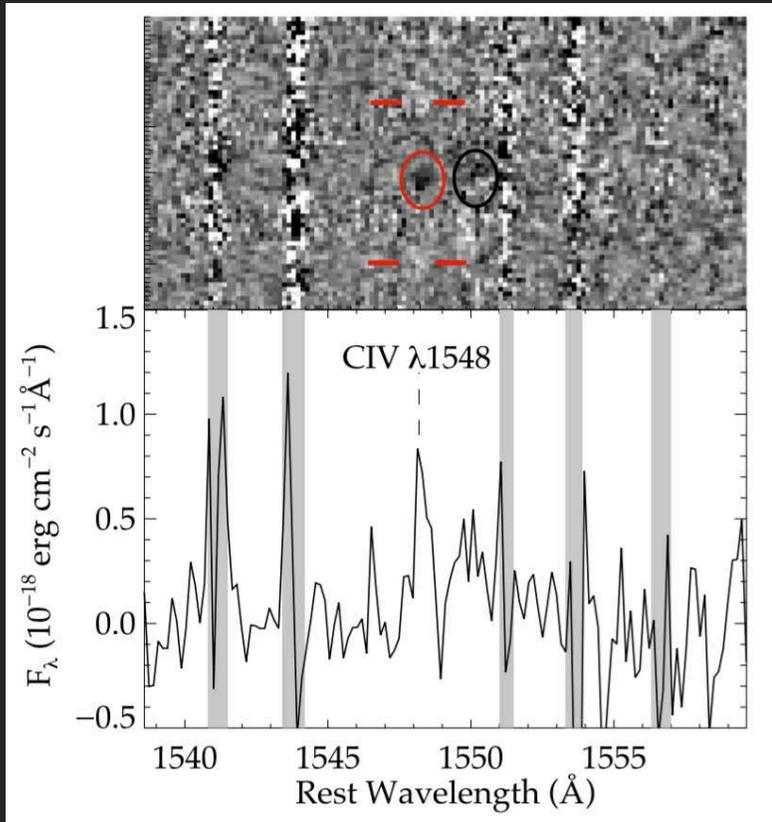
still just a small number of spectroscopic redshifts at $z > 7.0$

well over 1000 photometric redshifts from $z \sim 6.5-10$

[CIII] & CIV detections at z=7-8

spectra from Keck MOSFIRE

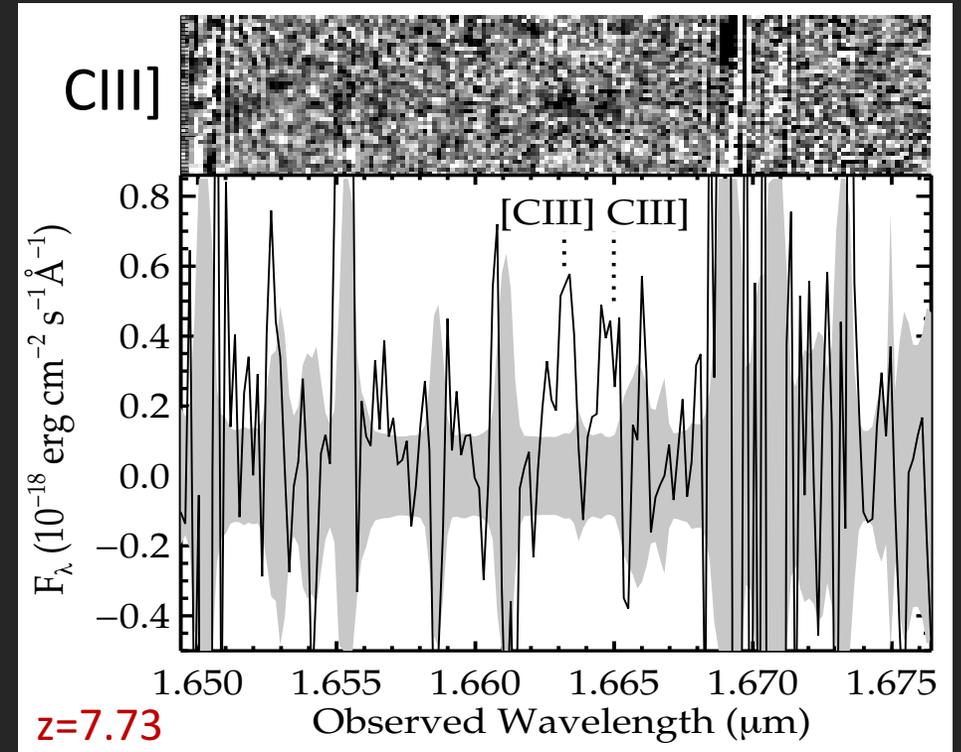
extreme radiation fields in galaxies at z~7+



high EW [CIII]
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CIV from lensed galaxy A1703_zD6

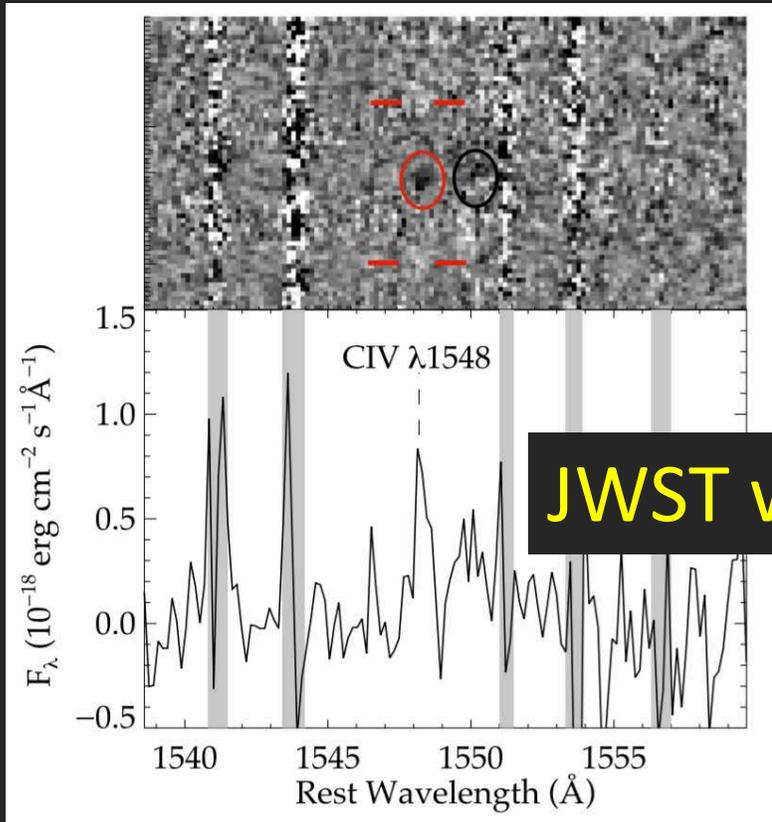


[CIII] at z=7.73 in EGS-zs8-1 from Keck MOSFIRE

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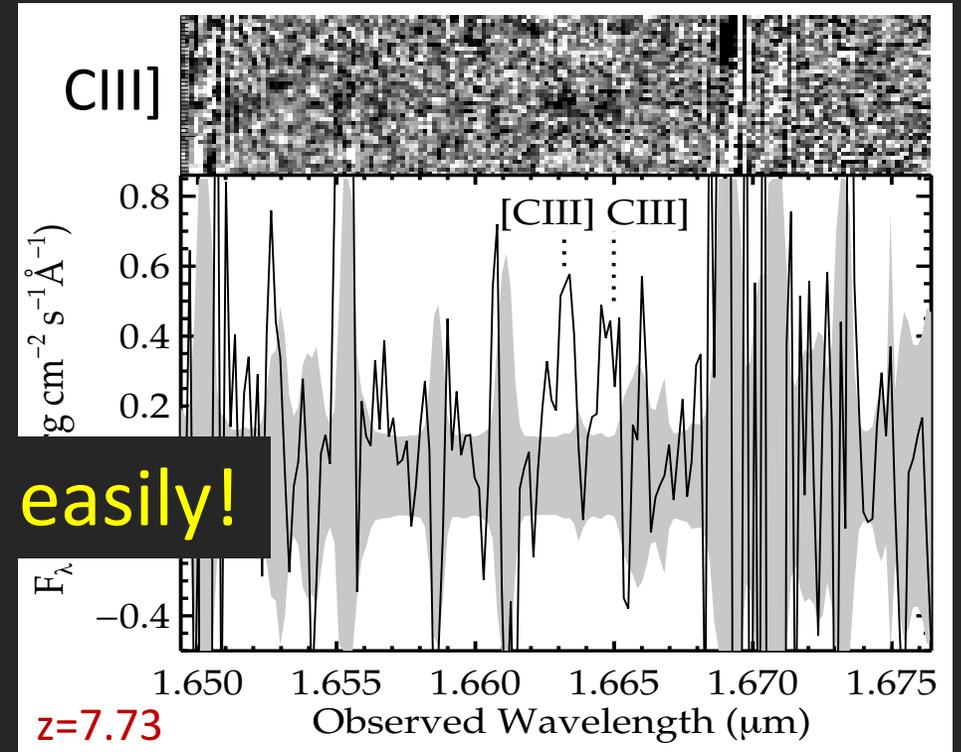
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JWST will do these really easily!

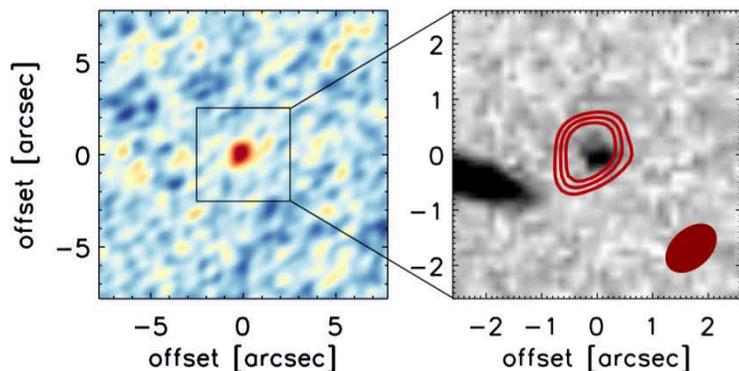
CIV → AGN?
 or hot metal-poor young population?



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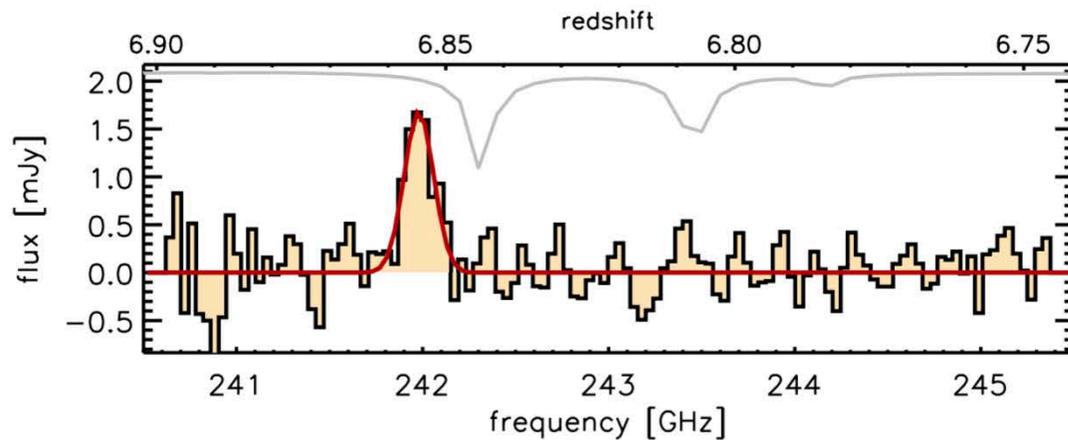
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ALMA [C II] 157.74 μ m redshifts and velocity structure in two $z \sim 6.8$ galaxies



ALMA narrowband

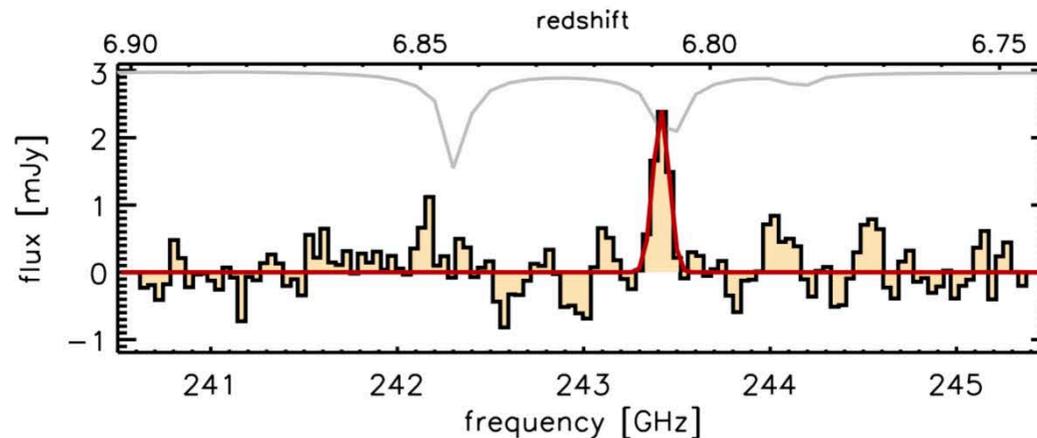
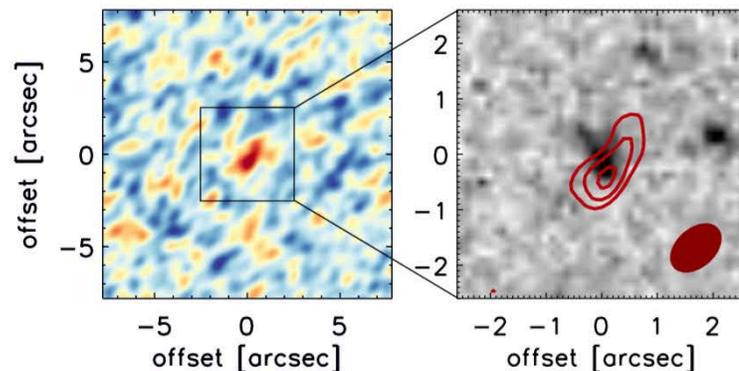
HST image + ALMA (+ ALMA beam)



COS-3018555981

$$z_{[\text{CII}]} = 6.8540 \pm 0.0003$$

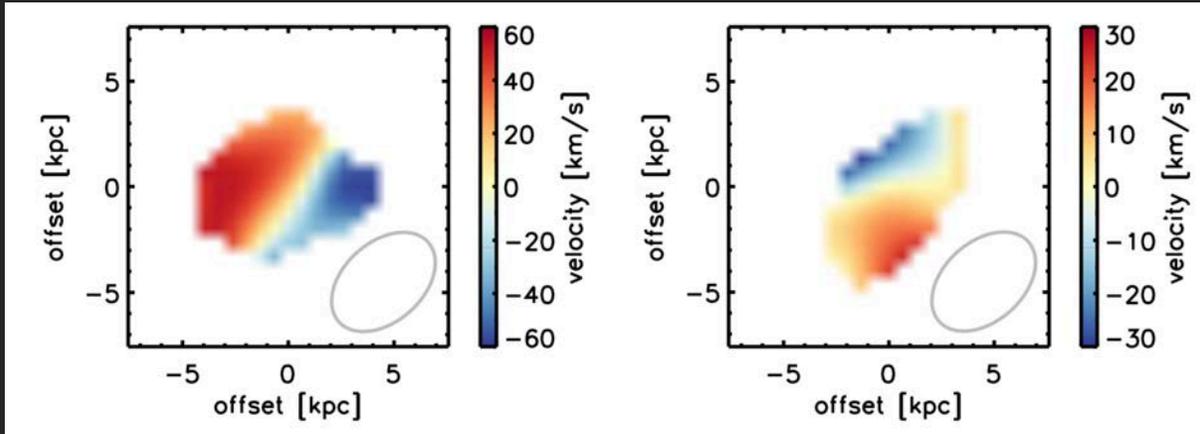
$$z_{[\text{CII}]} = 6.8076 \pm 0.0002$$



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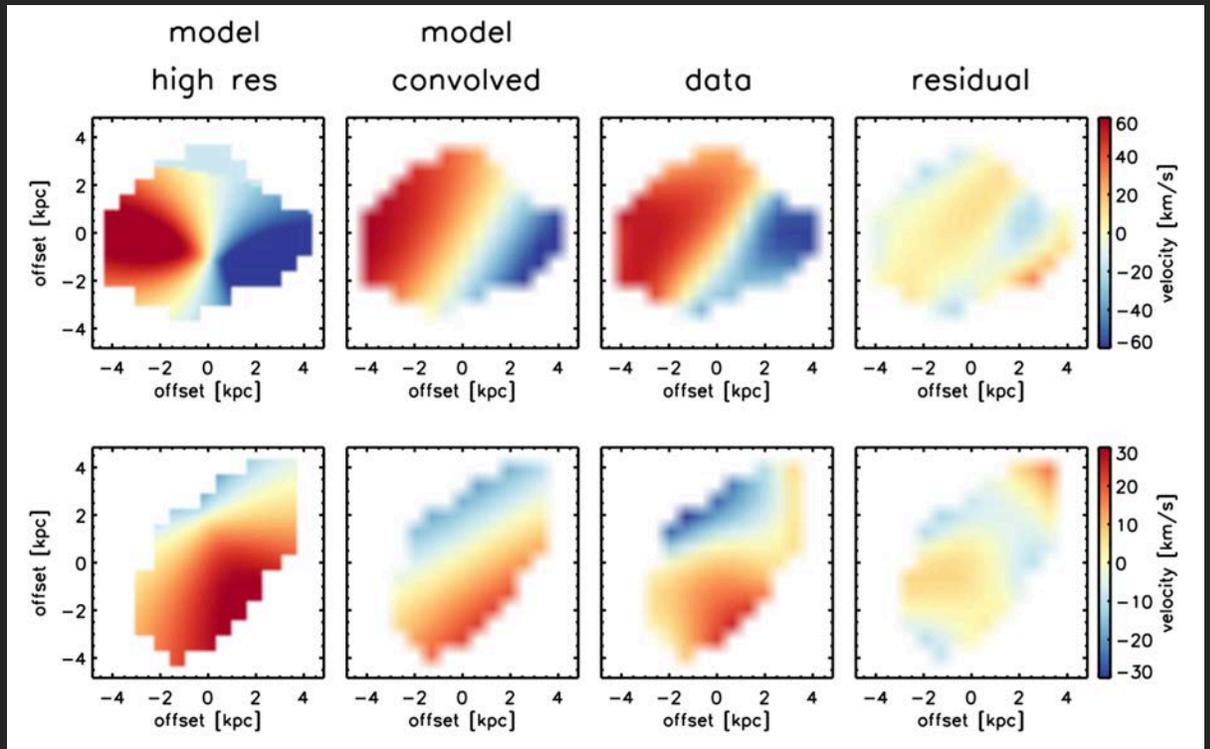
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velocity structure in the two galaxies

consistent with rotation but could be more complex (merging?; gas flows?)

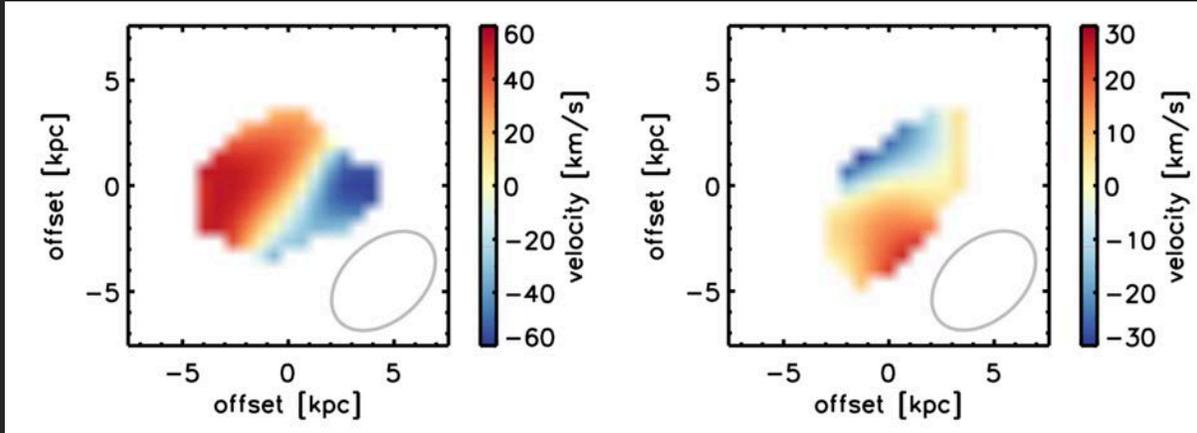
models compared to data



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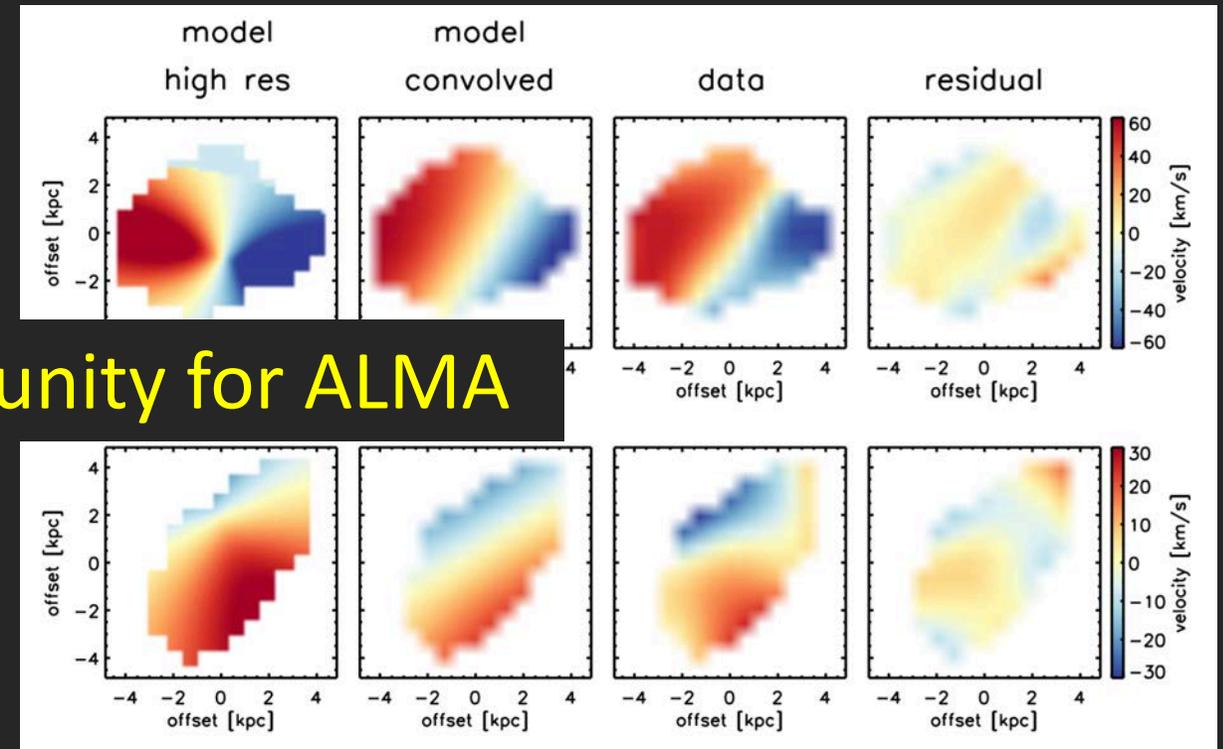
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this suggests a major opportunity for ALMA

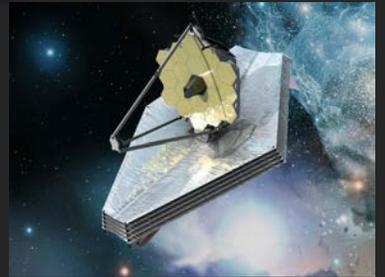
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*measuring the highest redshifts:
GN-z11*

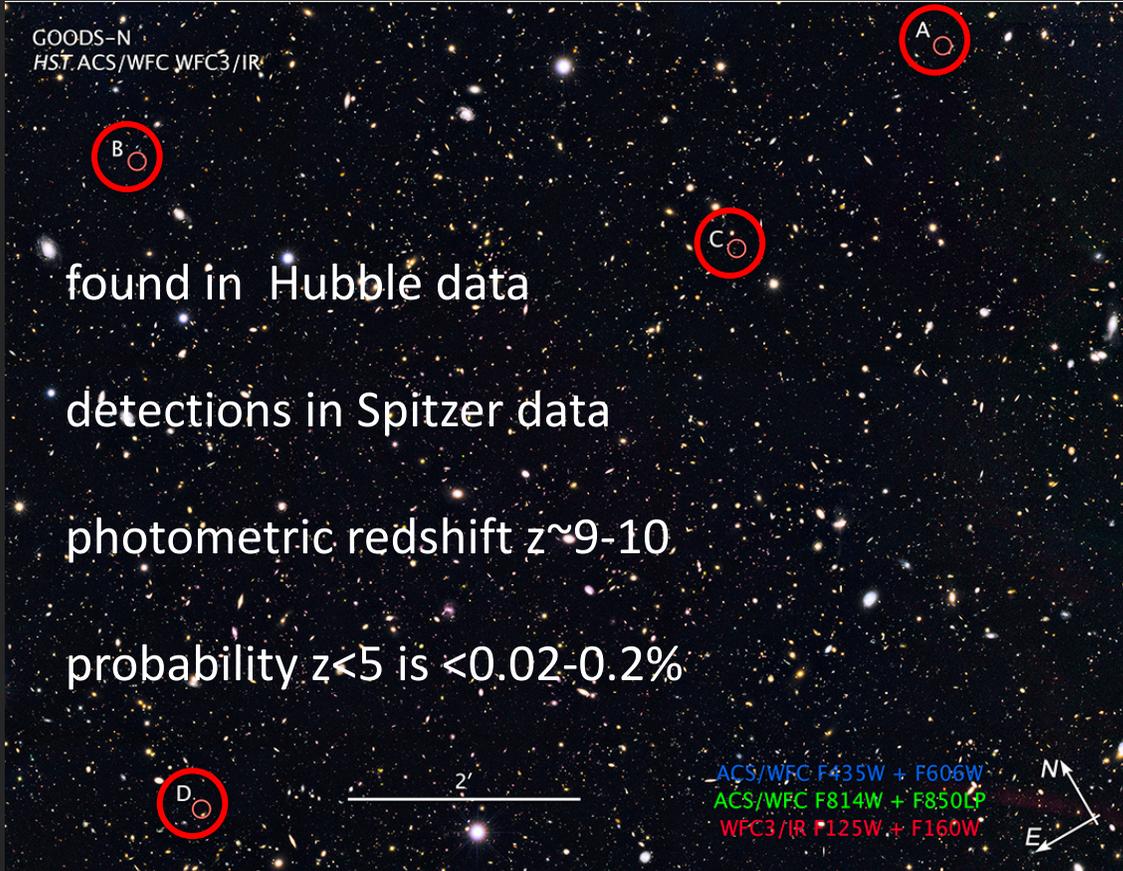


Hubble and Spitzer reach out into JWST territory with the determination of the $z \sim 11.1$ redshift of GN-z11



very luminous galaxy candidates at redshift $z \sim 9-10$

10-20X more luminous than previous galaxies found at 500 Myr

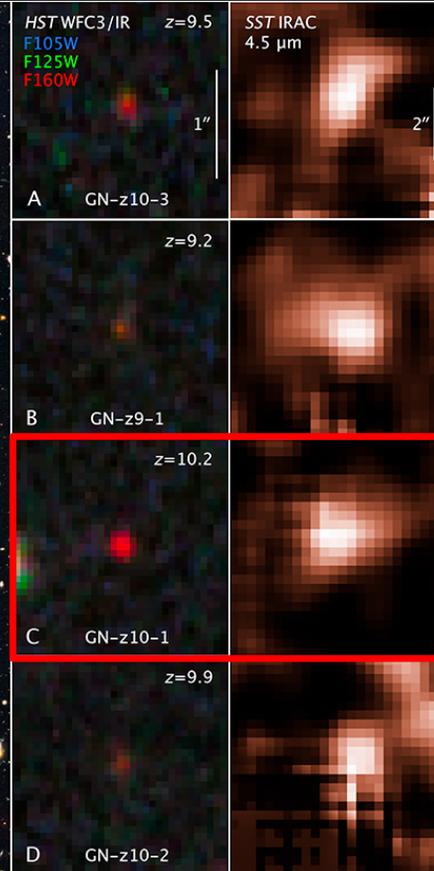


found in Hubble data

detections in Spitzer data

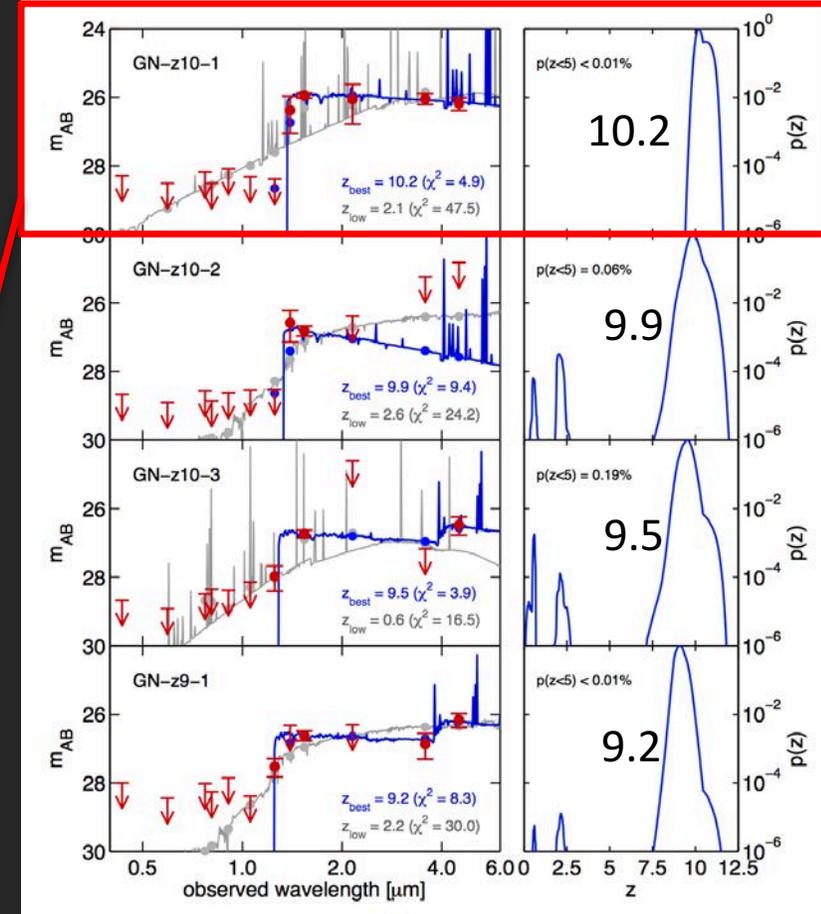
photometric redshift $z \sim 9-10$

probability $z < 5$ is $< 0.02-0.2\%$



Hubble

Spitzer

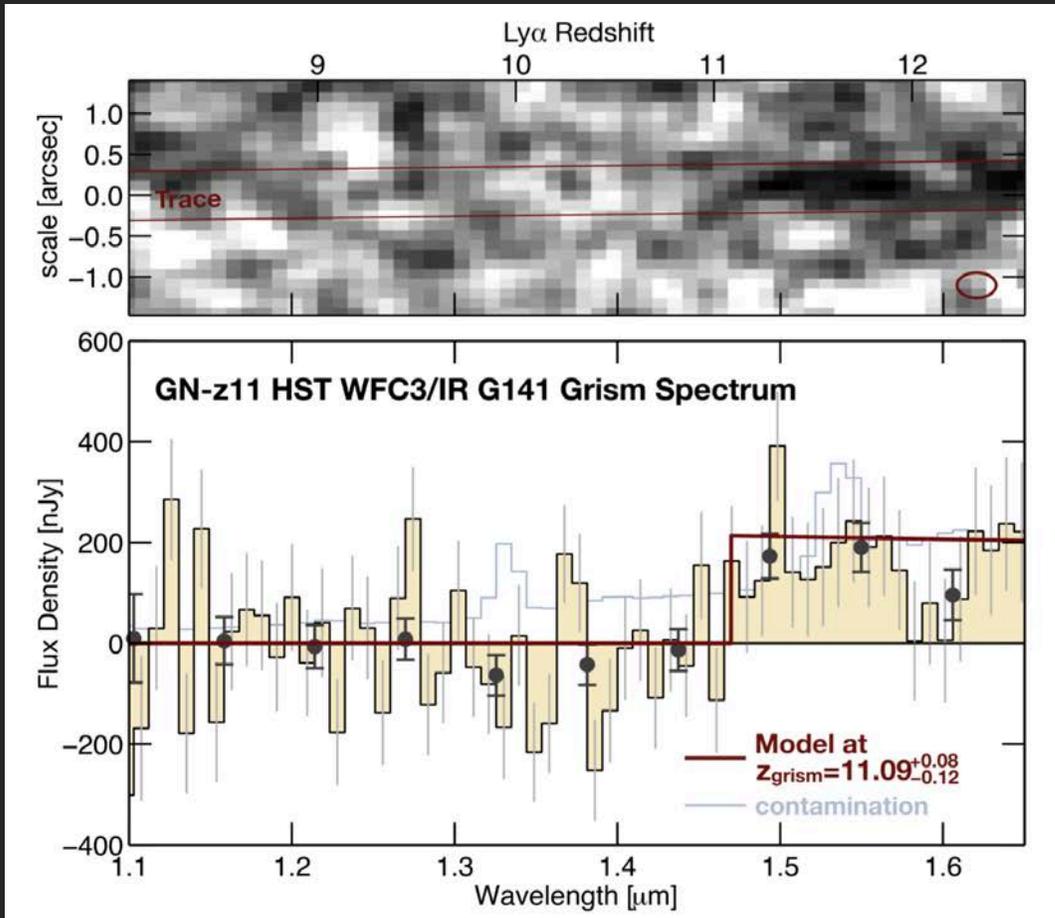


constraints on masses and ages:
 $\sim 10^9 M_{\odot}$ and 100-300 Myr

GN-z11

first detected as a very luminous $z \sim 10$ galaxy in GOODS-N as GN-z10-1

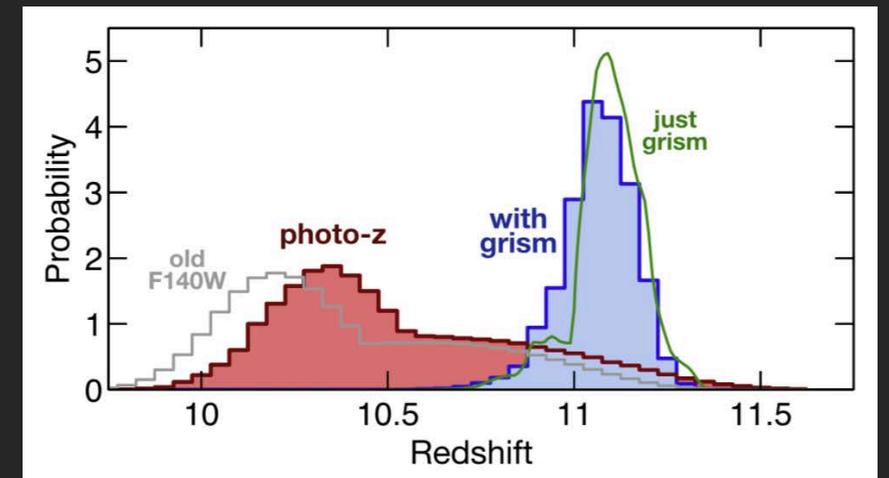
GN-z10-1 \Rightarrow GN-z11



WFC3/IR grism detected break & confirmed redshift to be $11.09^{+0.08}_{-0.12}$

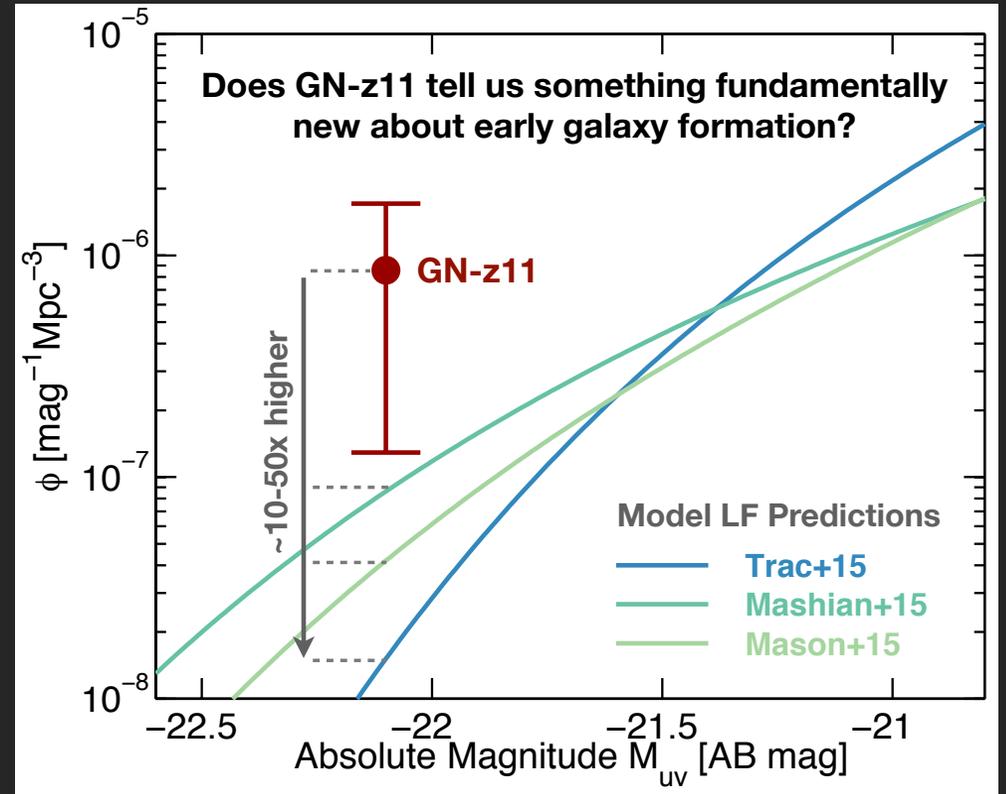
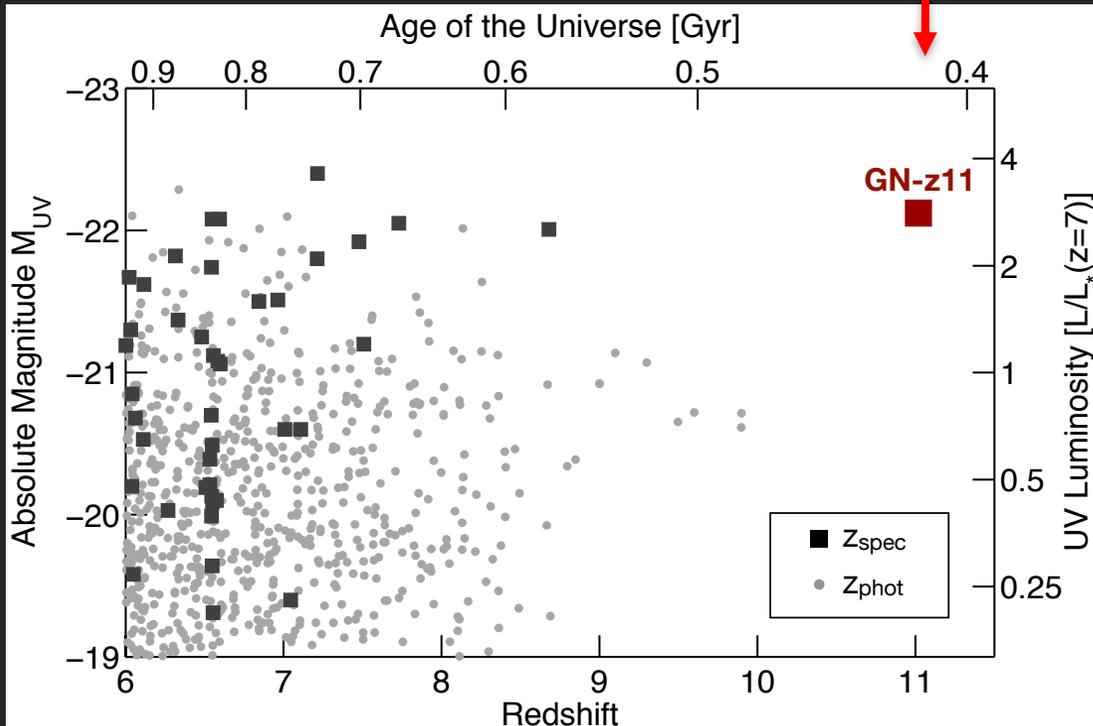
age of universe is 400 Myr at $z \sim 11$

combination of HST grism + WFC3/IR + Spitzer IRAC gives high degree of confidence to redshift determination



GN-z11 – the most distant galaxy found to date

surprising discovery of GN-z11:
HST+Spitzer are reaching into JWST territory



- Detection of GN-z11 in *existing data* is unexpected, given current models
- Expected to require 10-100x larger areas to find one $z \sim 11$ galaxy as bright as GN-z11
- Difficult though to draw conclusions based on one source

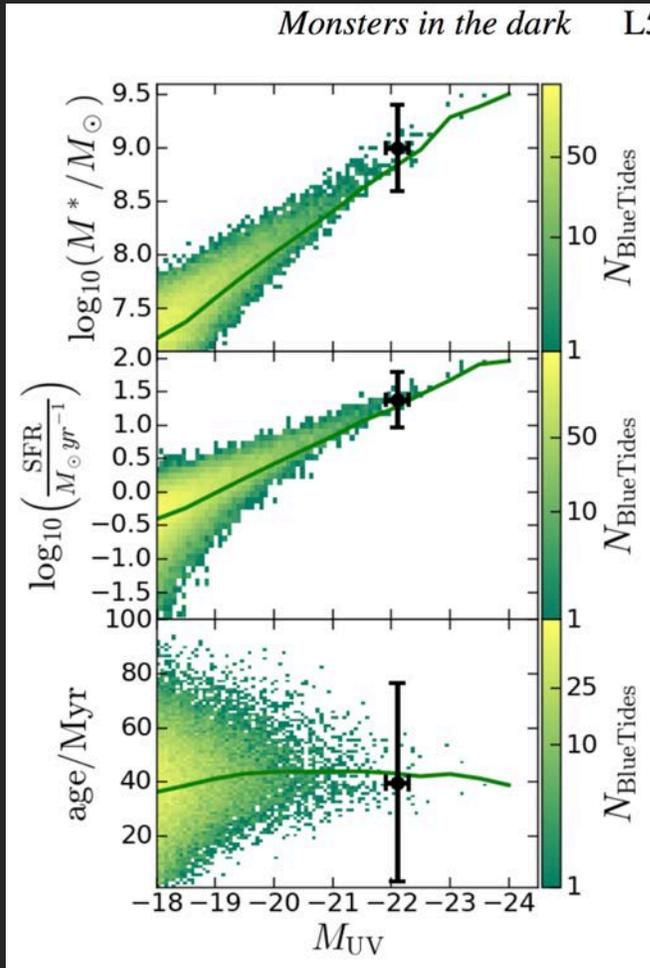
GN-z11

simulations show that galaxies as massive as GN-z-11 at $z \sim 11$ are rare but not unexpected per se

mass $10^9 M_{\odot}$ SFR $24 M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$
 $A_{UV} < 0.2 \text{ mag}$ $\beta -2.5$ age 40 Myr

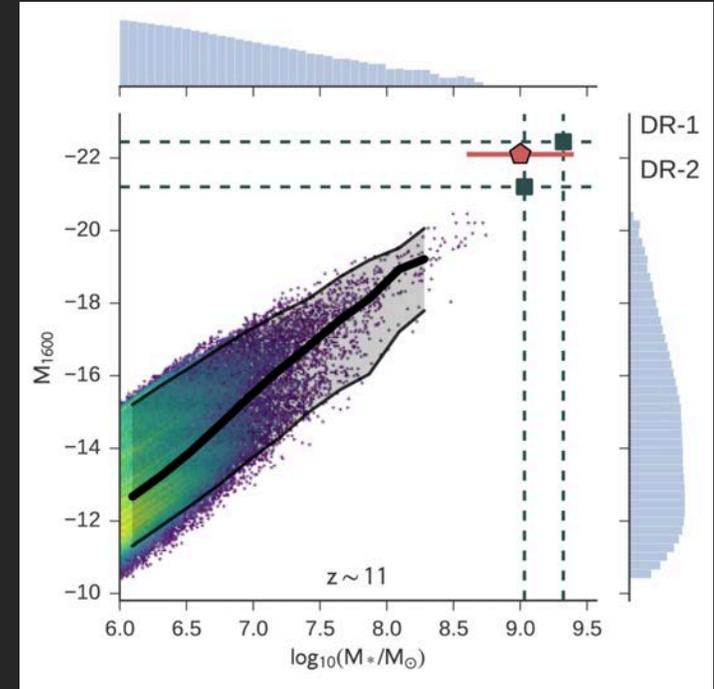
physical properties of GN-z11 are consistent with large-volume simulations

unexpected to find GN-z11 in such small search volumes/areas (by factor 10-100)?



BlueTides

Waters+2016

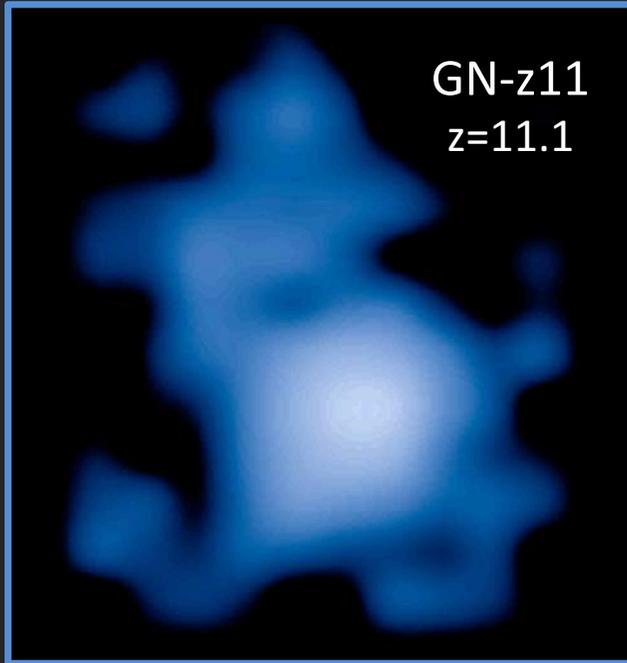


Mutch+2016

DRAGONS

What does GN-z11 really look like?

GN-z11 will be blue from its numerous hot young stars, and very irregular in shape – with compact regions bursting with forming stars



this is
about the
best we
can do on
GN-z11



but is
GN-z11
actually
like this?

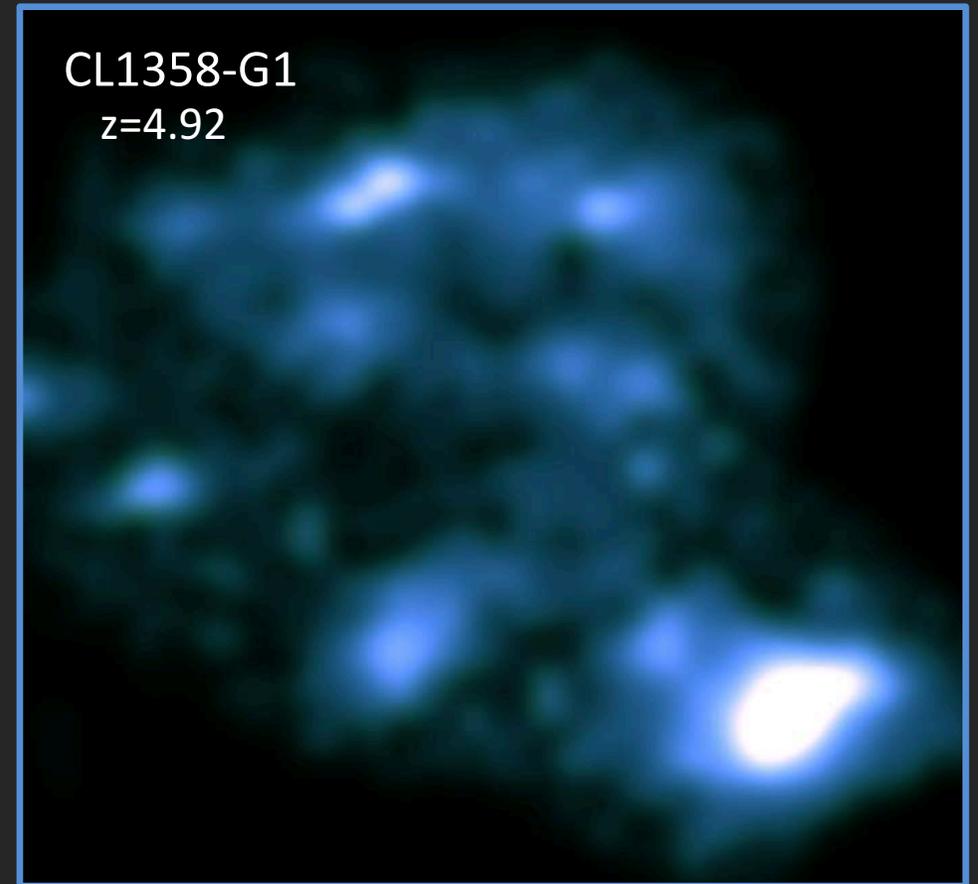


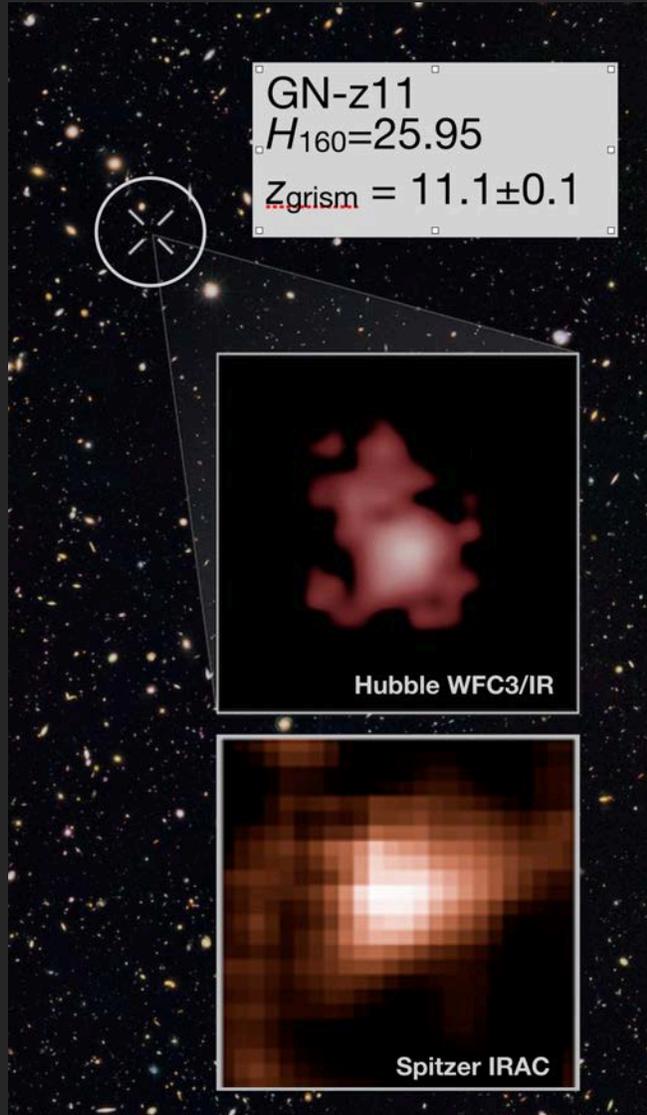
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NASA, ESA, P. Oesch, G. Brammer, P. van Dokkum, G. Illingworth

CL1358-G1 is very rare high-redshift galaxy that has been magnified over 25X by a galaxy cluster gravitational lens

Image Credit: D. Magee, G. Illingworth, A. Zitrin, M. Franx

GN-z11 – the most distant galaxy found to date



just 400 million years after the Big Bang
– looking back through 97% of all time

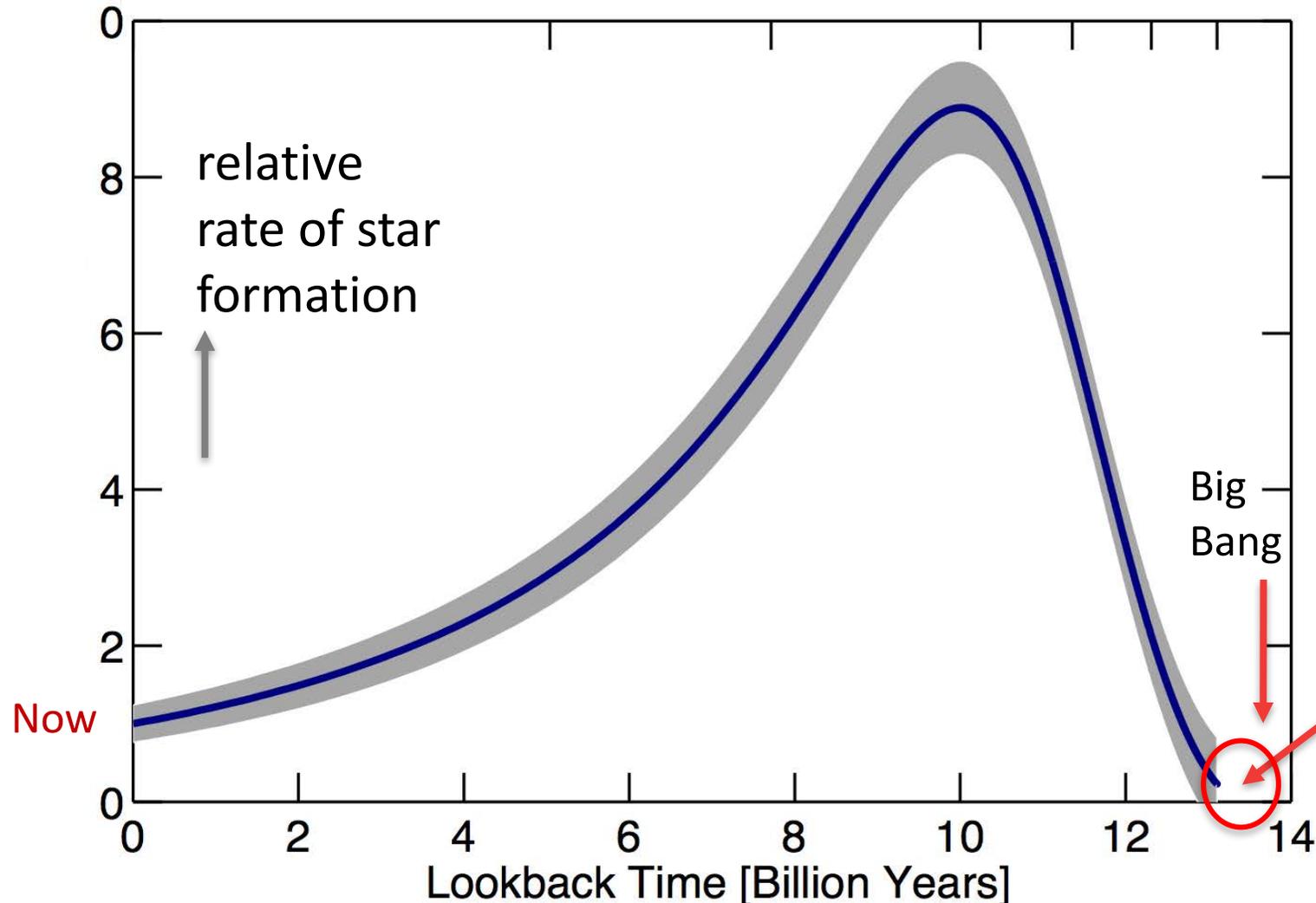
this shatters all other records for “most distant”
– previous record holder from Keck is at $z \sim 8.68$

probably the most distant confirmed galaxy until JWST flies

*measuring the highest redshifts
galaxies at $z \sim 10$
implications for the cosmic star formation rate density*

$z \sim 10-11$ is the current frontier in the Cosmic Dawn

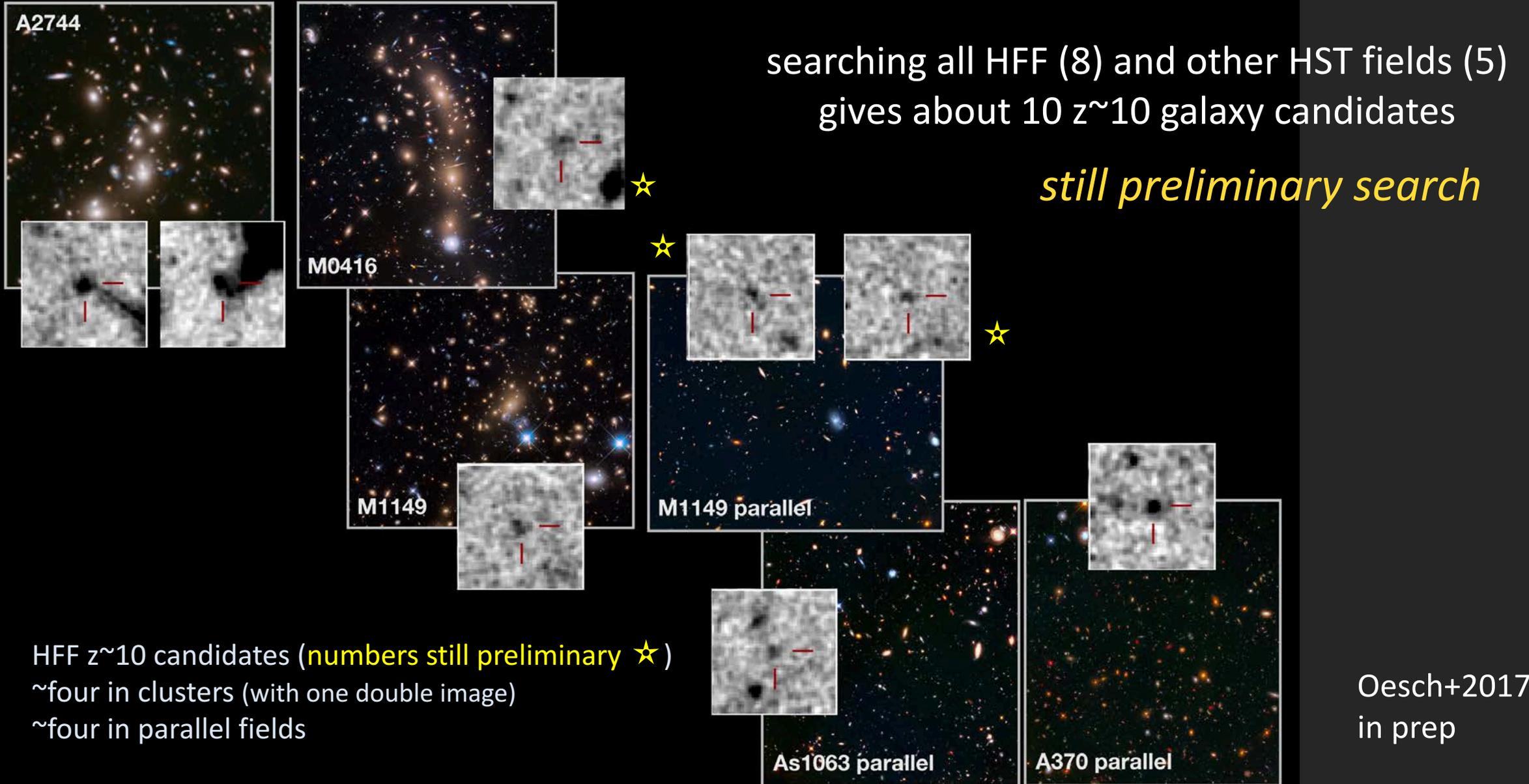
cosmic star formation rate density over all time



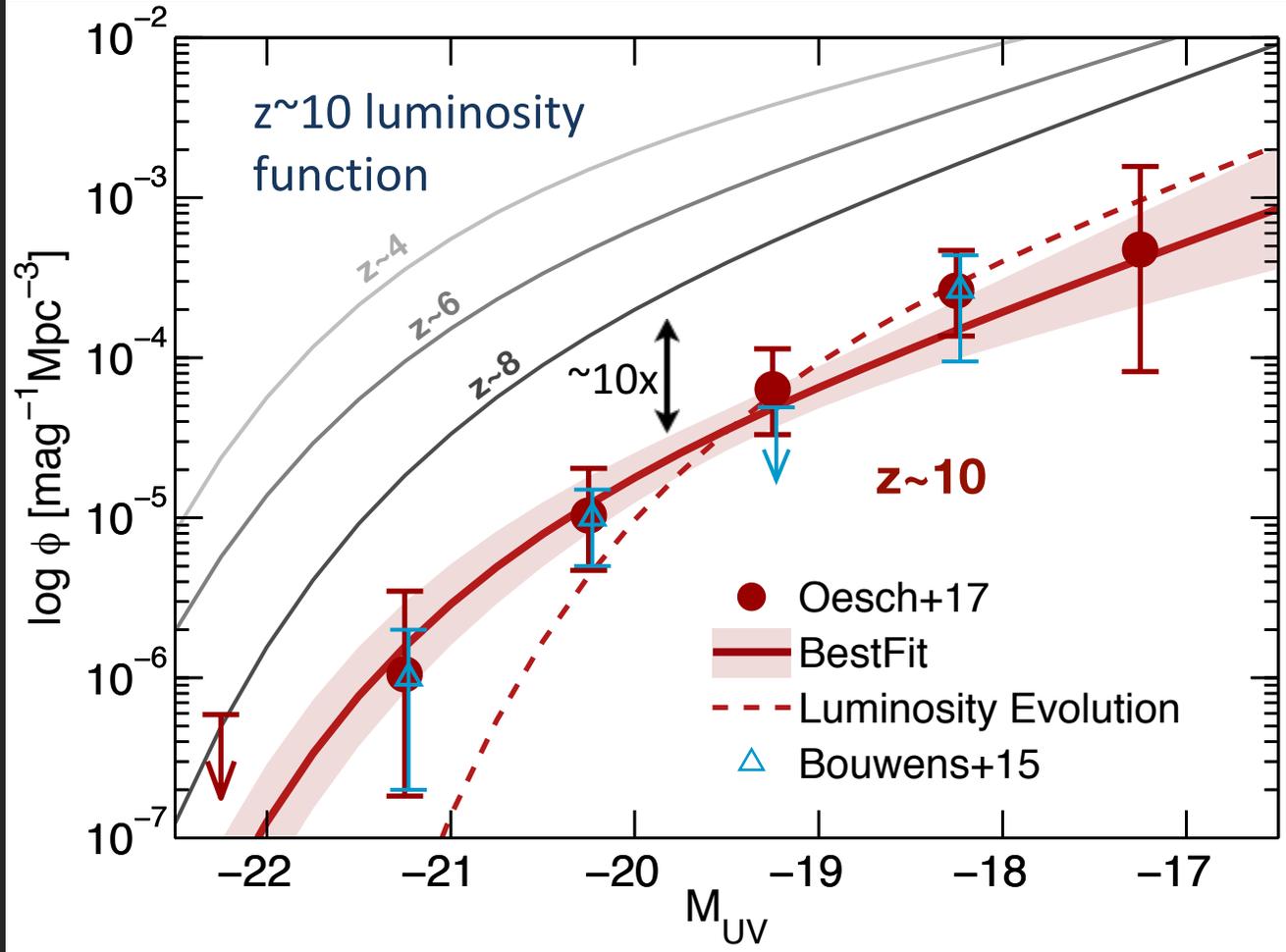
the star formation rate density over 96% of time

"terra incognita" – where the first galaxies form

galaxies at $z \sim 10$ in HFF and field



the luminosity function at $z \sim 10$ galaxies



best fit LF: density evolution from $z \sim 8$ LF by 10x

the age of the universe
at $z \sim 10$ is ~ 500 Myr

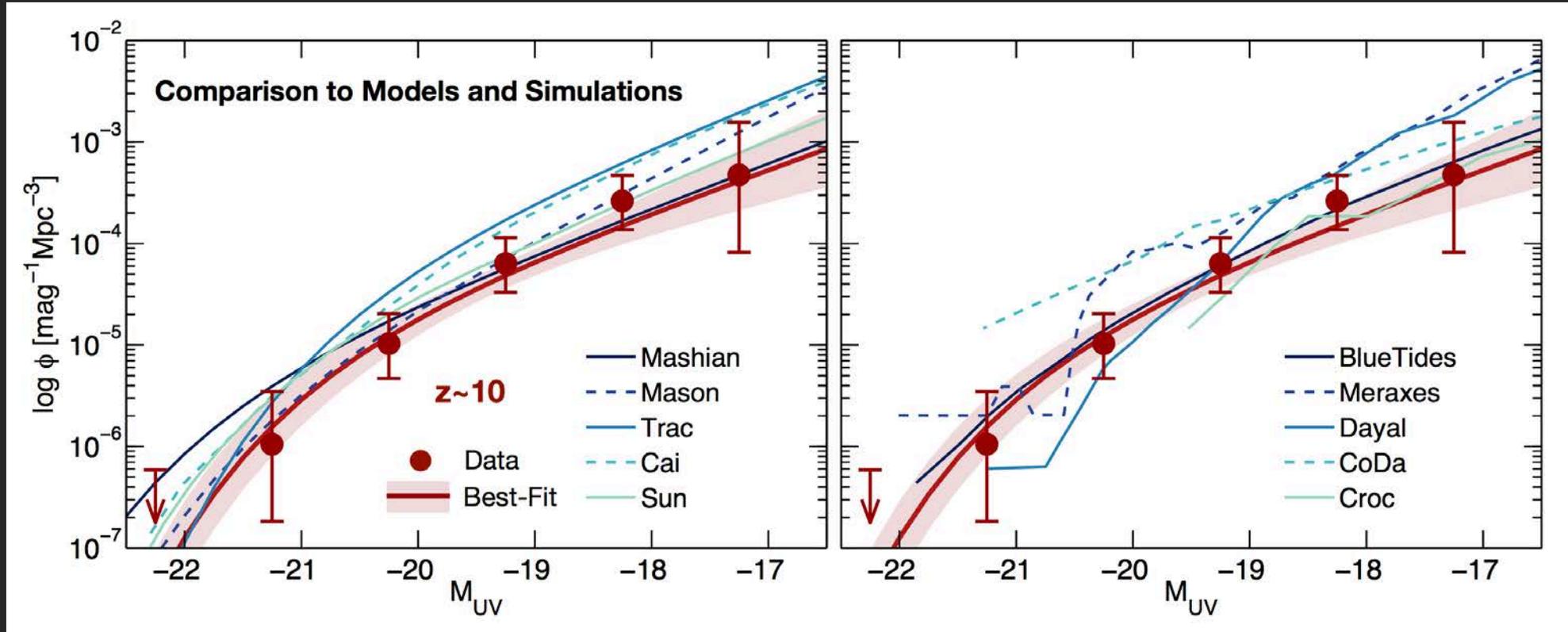
the fields searched include all with WFC3/IR data (e.g., HUDF/XDF, CANDELS, ERS, HUDF-Parallels, 6 HFFs + 6 HFF-Parallels)

$z \sim 10$ galaxies are hard to find! – seven years of WFC3/IR have only turned only ~ 10 after we have searched essentially every suitable Hubble field including all 6 Frontier Fields

details are preliminary

Oesch+2017 in prep

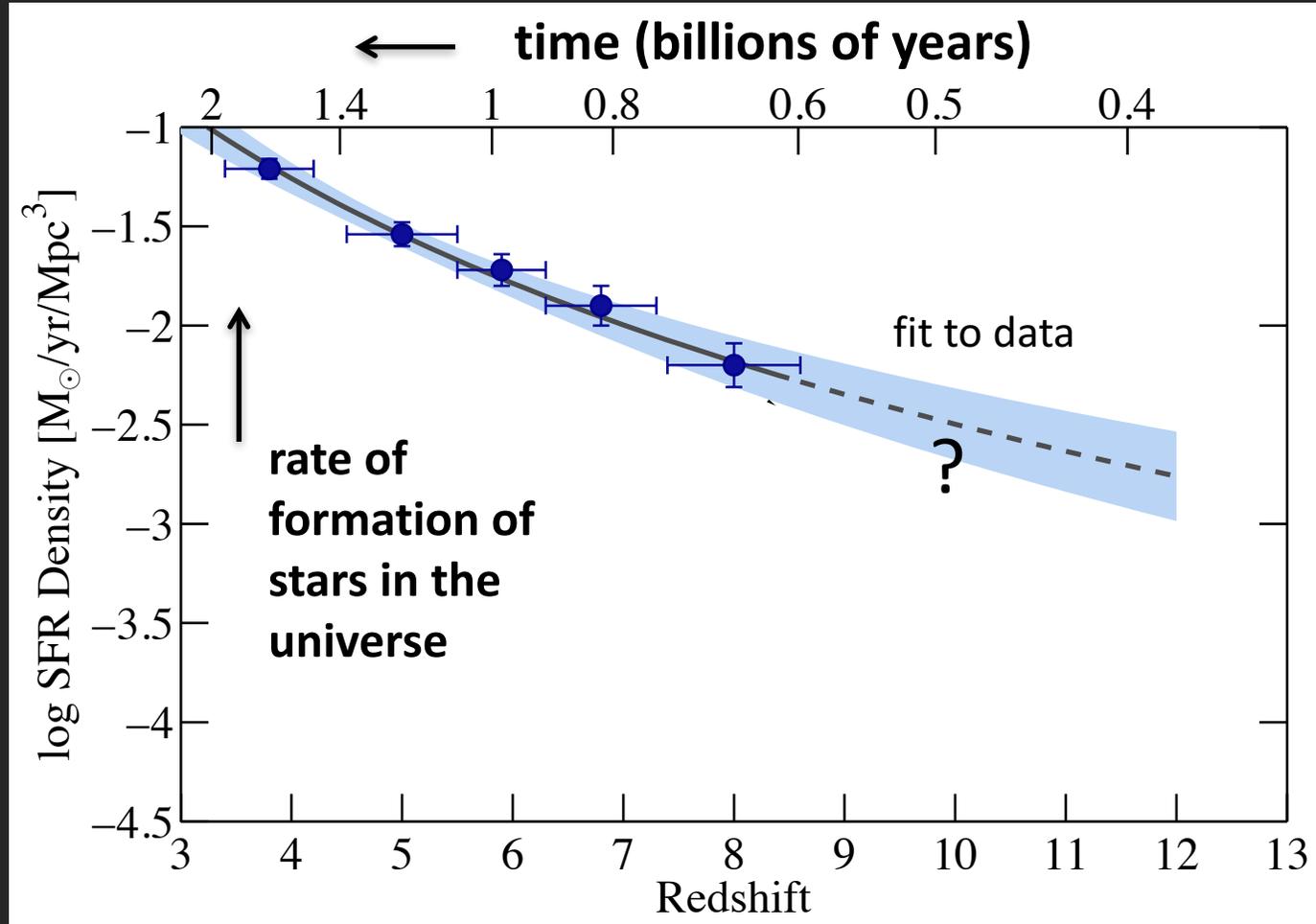
the luminosity function at $z \sim 10$ galaxies



considerable spread but shape matches (broadly) – but models are consistently high

what is the star formation rate density at $z \sim 10$

derive
luminosity
density and
star formation
rate density
from
luminosity
functions



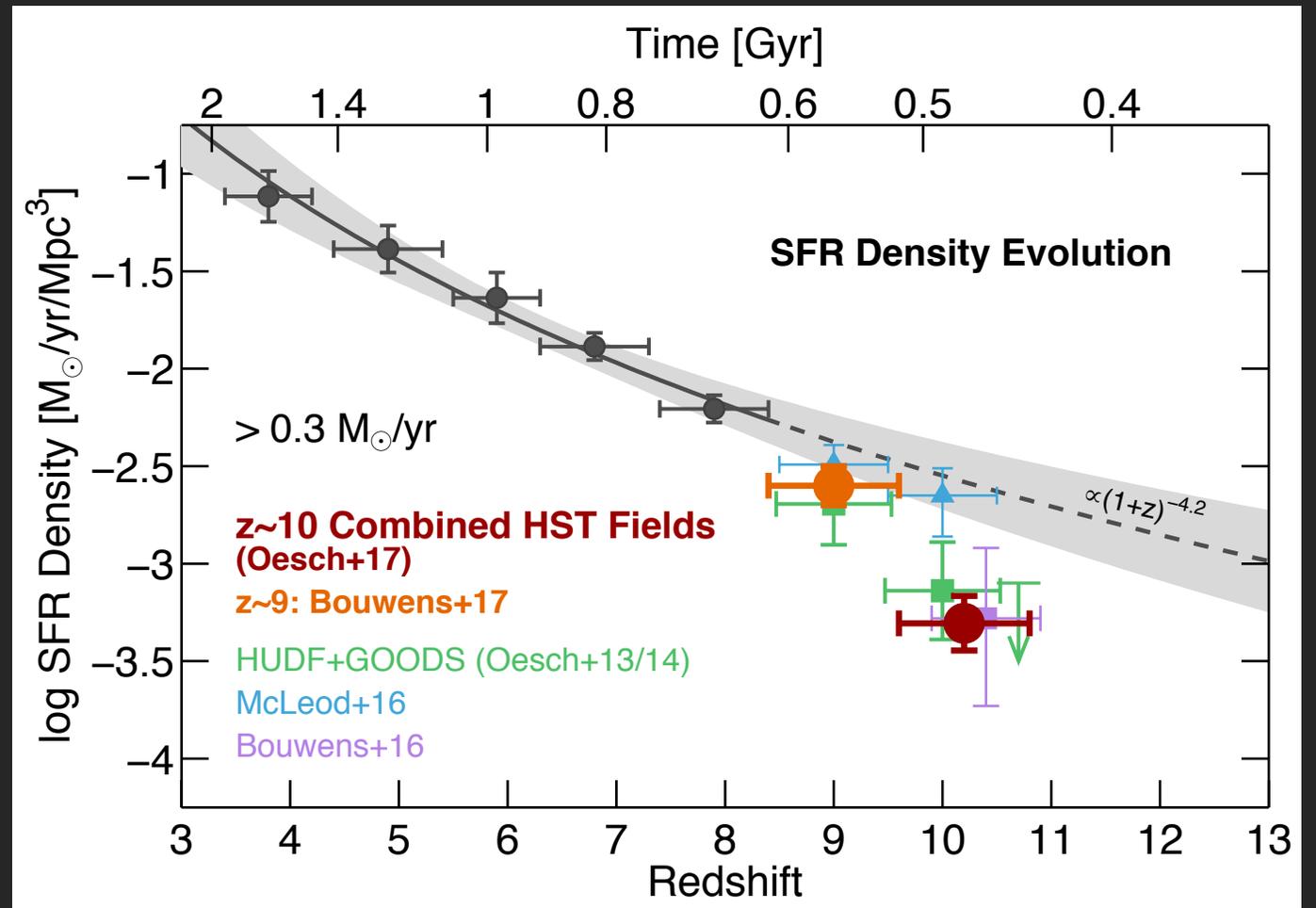
the star formation rate density at $z \sim 9-10$

the latest results are fascinating!

they indicate clearly a trend to lower SFRD at $z > 8$

“accelerated evolution”

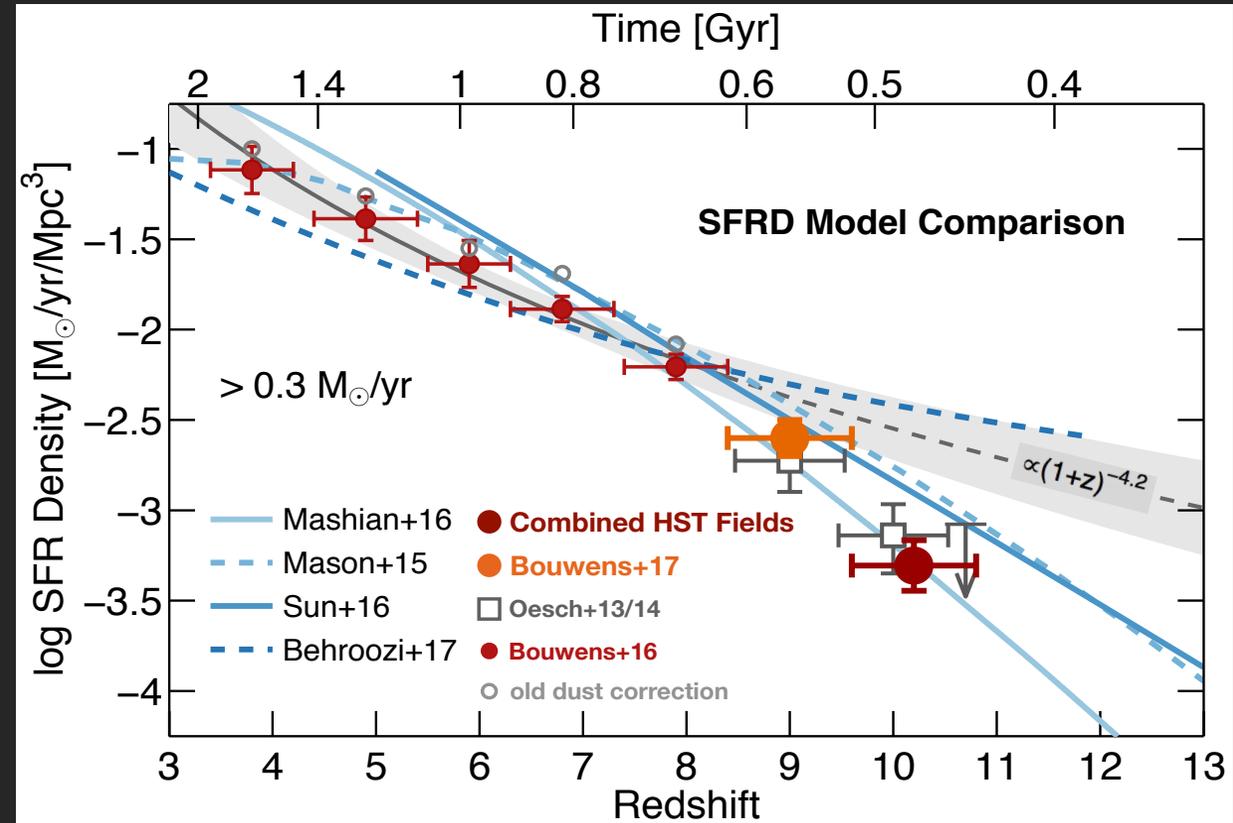
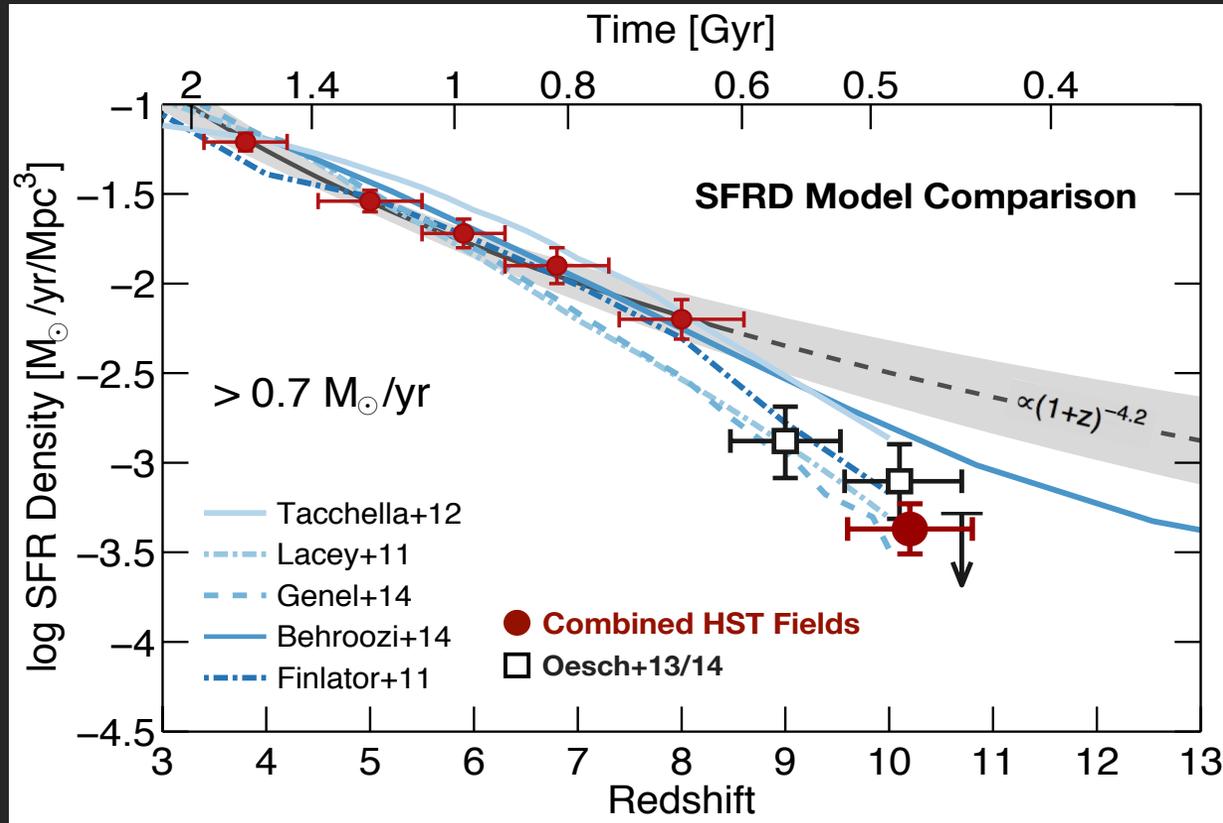
“Combined HST fields” is the SFRD value at $z \sim 10$ from the latest $z \sim 10$ luminosity function



Oesch+2017 in prep

see also Bouwens+2017

the star formation rate density at $z \sim 9-10$



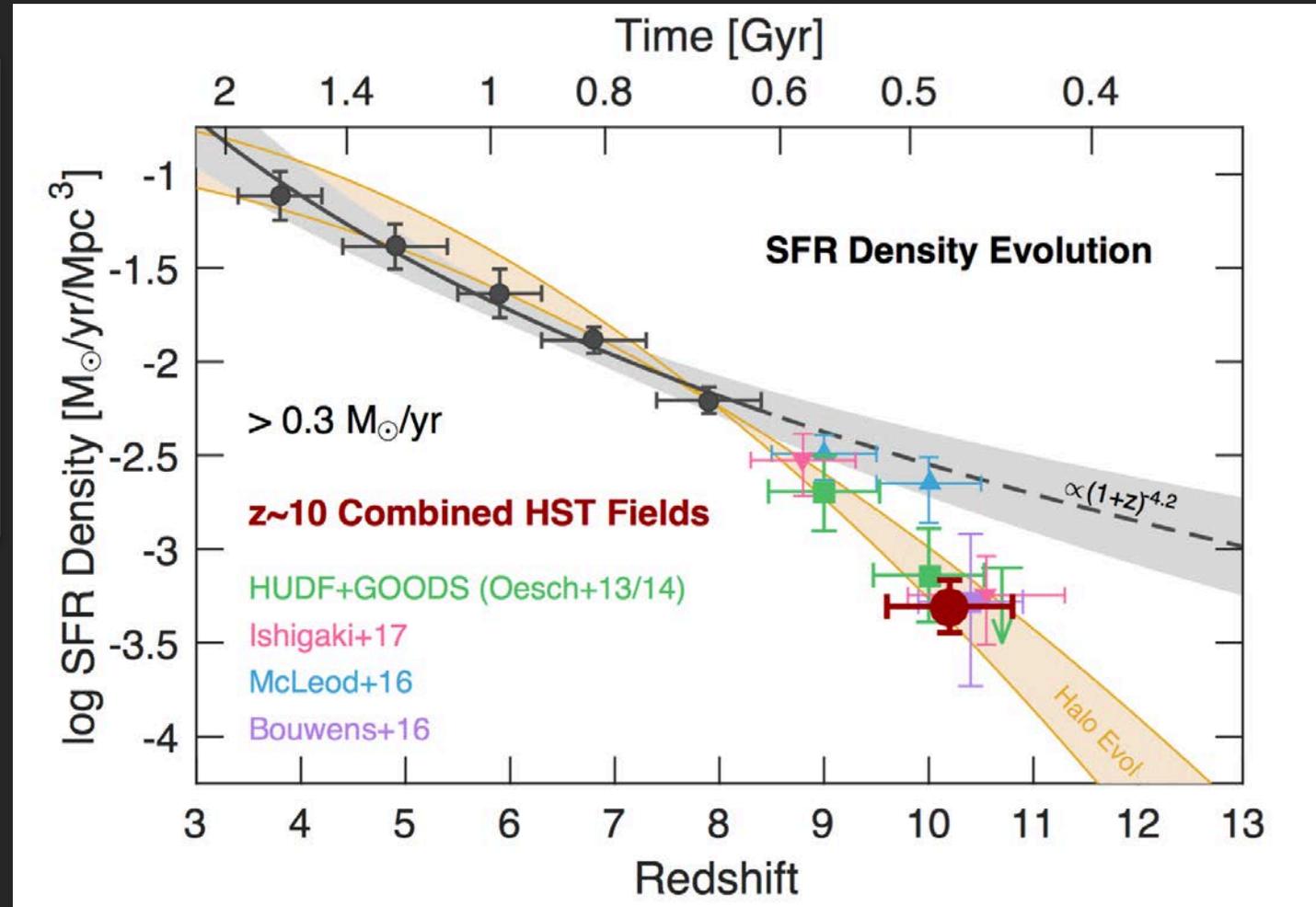
note that “accelerated evolution” is seen in nearly all models, but this topic has been the rather controversial in the field....

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“accelerated evolution” is actually consistent with the expected buildup* of dark matter halos over that time

*dark matter halo cumulative growth to $\sim 10^{10} M_{\odot}$ from HMFcalc – Murray+2013



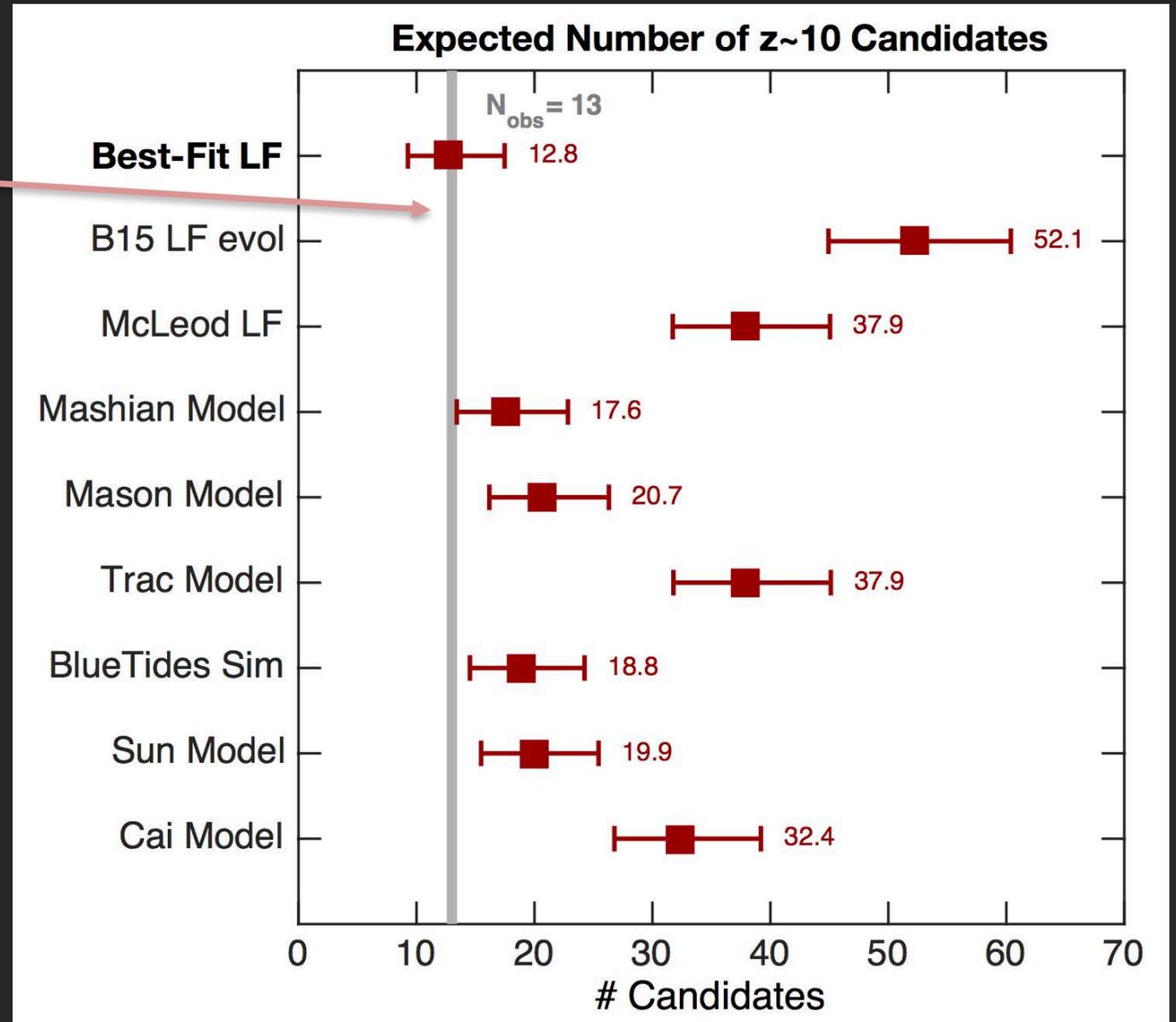
the case of the missing $z \sim 10$ galaxies

numbers are preliminary

observed number
of $z \sim 10$ galaxies

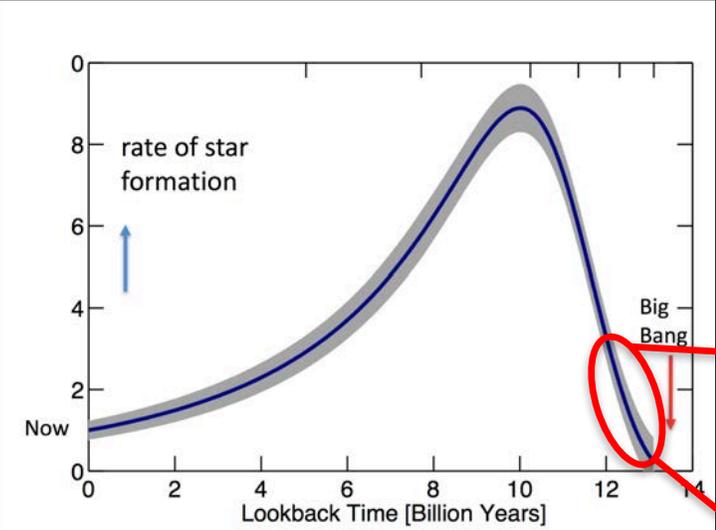
indication that the situation at
 $z \sim 10$ is unusual

the numbers of objects that
we have found is not
consistent with the models



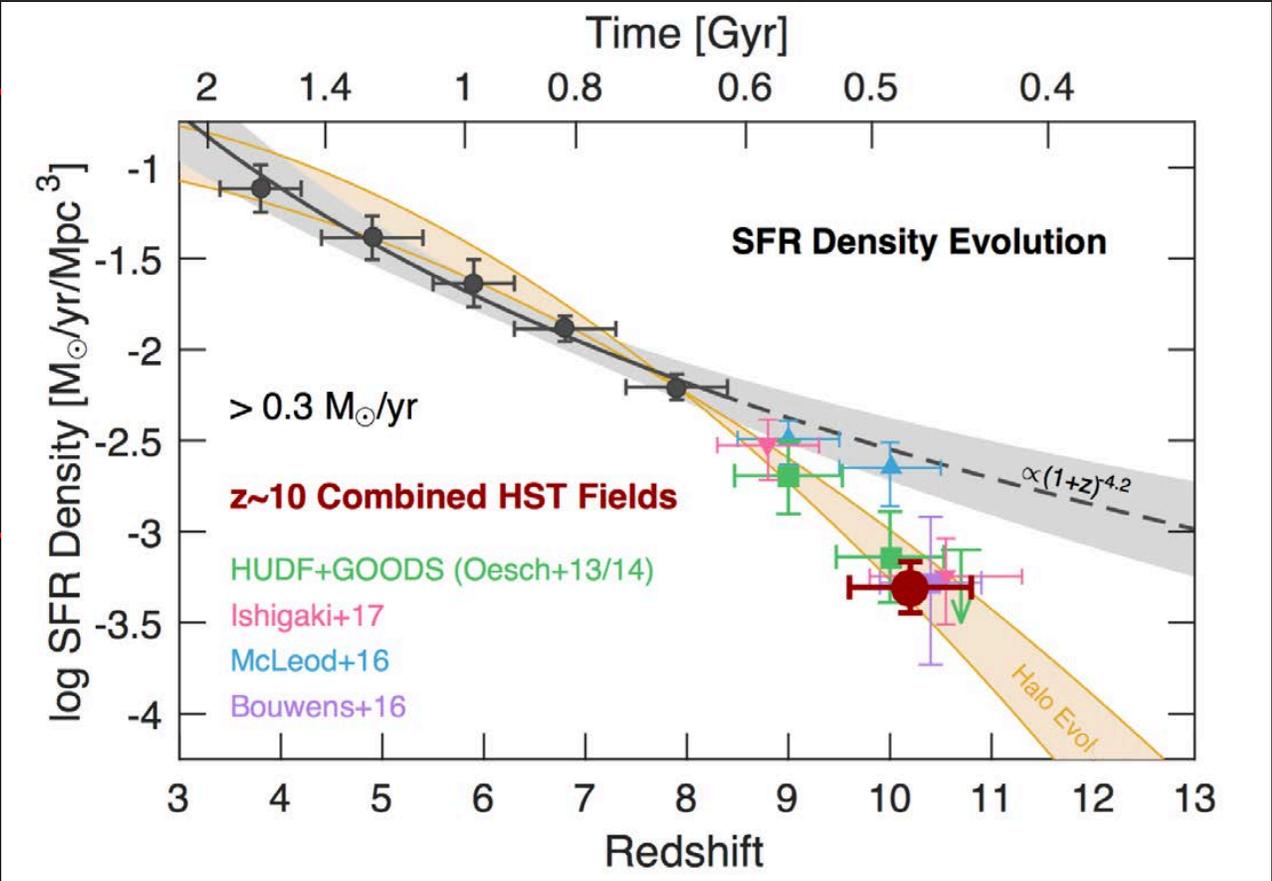
cosmic star formation in the first 1.5 billion years

there are far fewer galaxies than we (naively) expected at early times
this is an important result for JWST

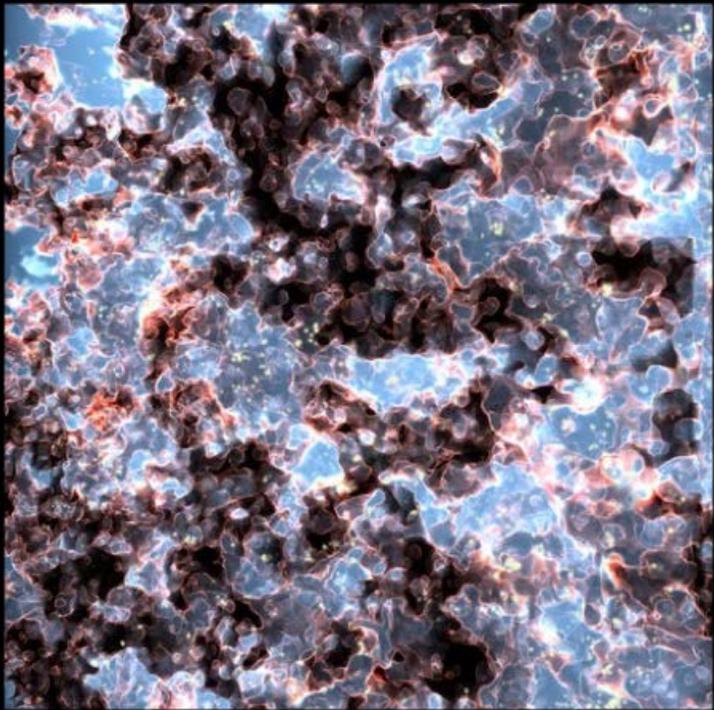


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galaxies are evolving rapidly in the first ~600 million years



reionization epoch – latest Planck 2016 results



striking concordance between latest
Planck results and galaxy constraints

implications of onset of reionization at $z \sim 10$

simulation: Alvarez et al. 2009

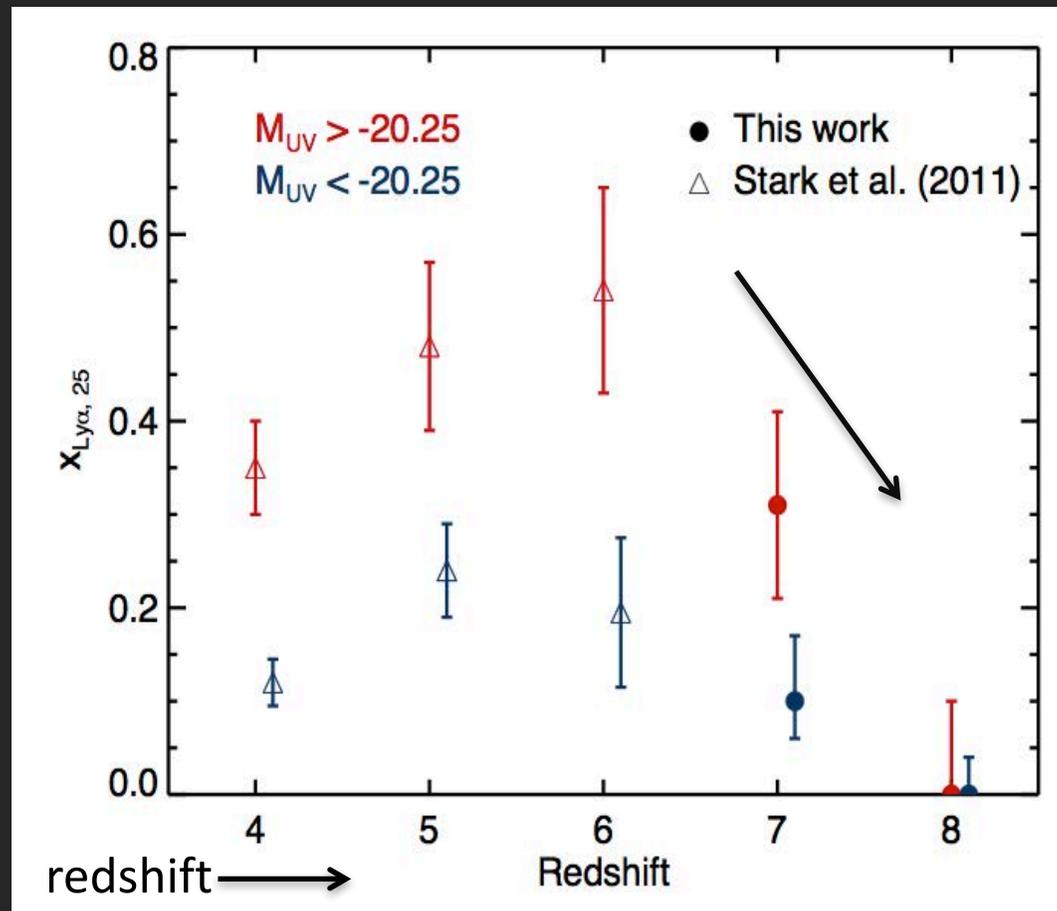
increasing neutral fraction at $z > 6$

large fraction of these Ly α measurements made at Keck with DEIMOS and MOSFIRE

~100
galaxies
at $z > \sim 6$

fraction of
galaxies with
Ly α EW $> 25 \text{ \AA}$

Schenker+2014



universe is increasingly
neutral at $z > 6$

Stark+2011, 2017

also Stark+2011, Schenker+2012, Treu+2013

contributions from Fontana+2010, Pentericci+2011, 2014; Stark+2011, Ono+2012, Caruana+2012, 2014, Schenker+2012, ; Treu+2013, Tilvi+2014, +

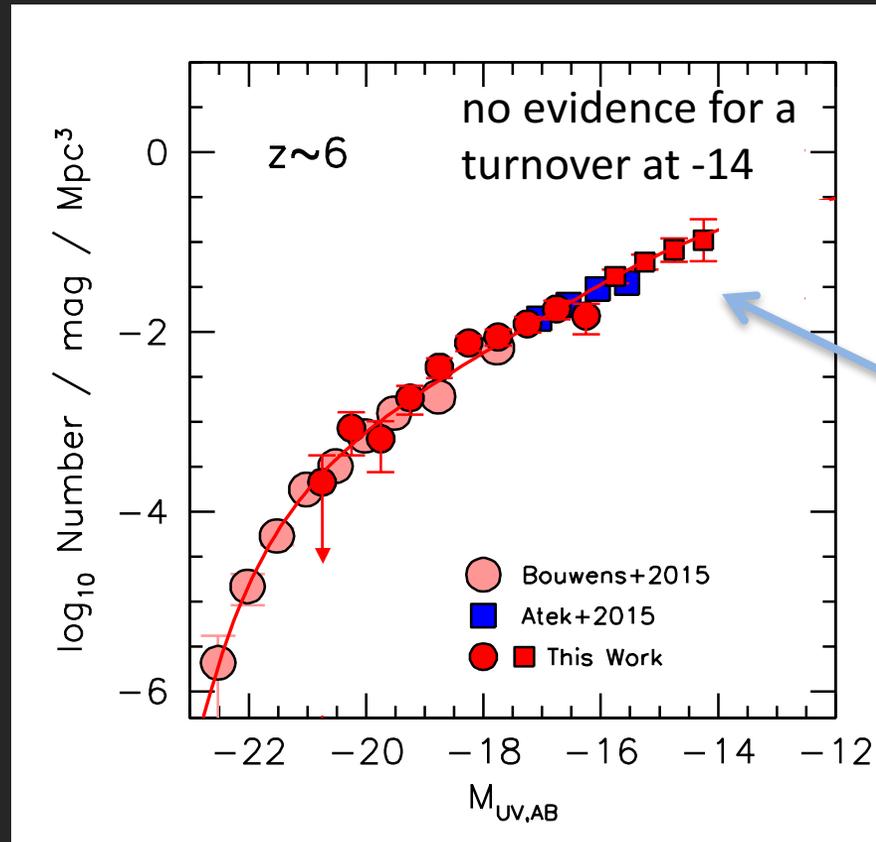
the galaxy luminosity density in the reionization epoch
can galaxies reionize the universe?

most likely: steep LF to -14 and plausible f_{esc} around 10-20% needed

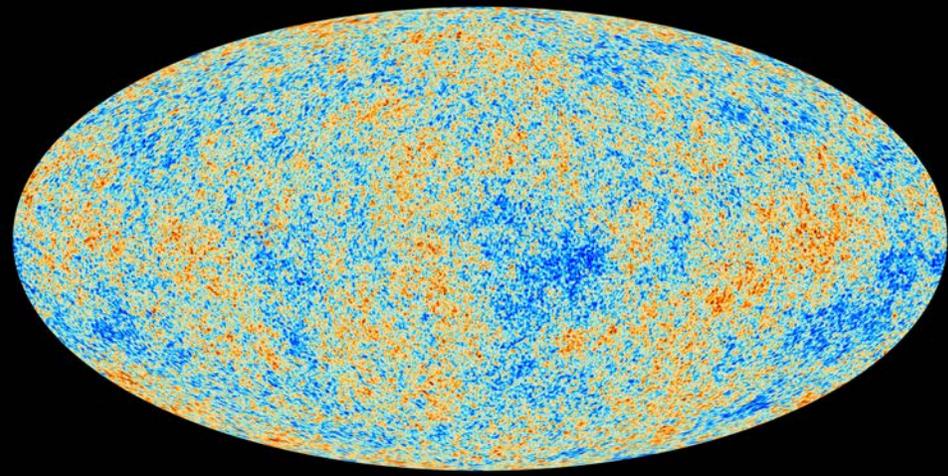
👉 see new work by Naidu+2016 on f_{esc} (the escape of the UV photons from galaxies)

consensus view is that galaxies can do the job!

see latest Planck results below that add weight to galaxies doing the job

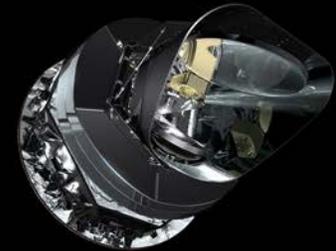
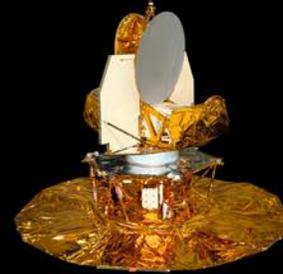
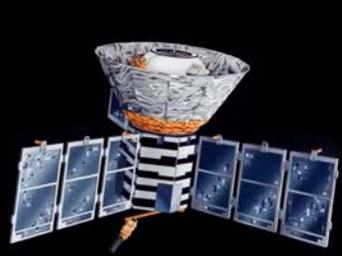


*measuring the fluctuations in the 3°K
microwave background across the whole sky*



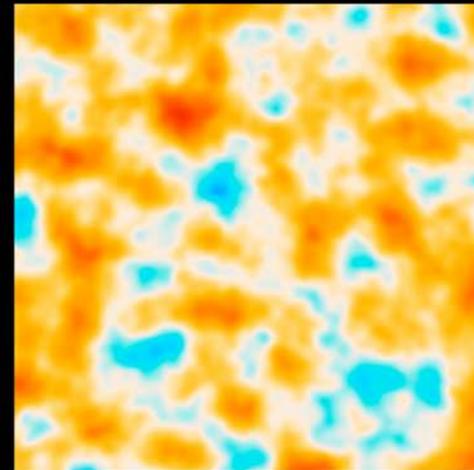
Planck all-sky map of
the microwave 3°K
background

three amazing missions



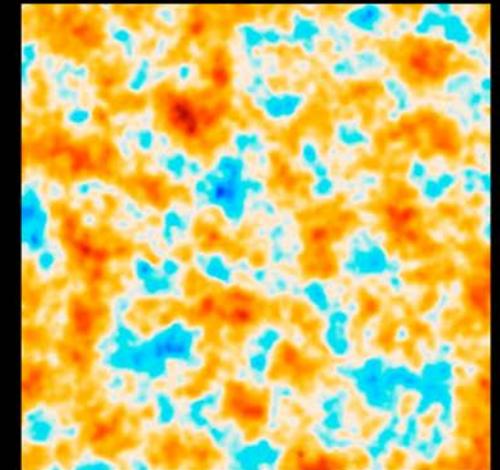
COBE

1989



WMAP

2001



Planck

2009

constraints on the reionization history

Planck 2016

remarkable mission

- ...Thomson optical depth $\tau = 0.058 \pm 0.012$...
- ...average redshift at which reionization occurs is found to lie between $z = 7.8$ and 8.8 ...
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- ...the Universe is ionized at less than the 10% level at redshifts above $z \simeq 10$...
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Planck intermediate results

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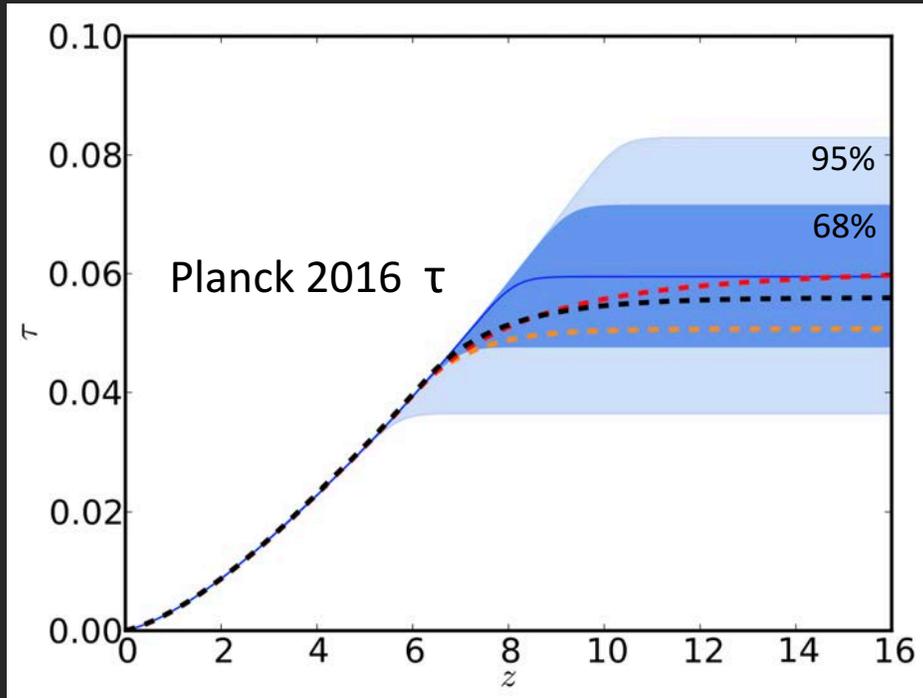
ABSTRACT

We investigate constraints on cosmic reionization extracted from the *Planck* cosmic microwave background (CMB) data. We combine the *Planck* CMB anisotropy data in temperature with the low-multipole polarization data to fit Λ CDM models with various parameterizations of the reionization history. We obtain a Thomson optical depth $\tau = 0.058 \pm 0.012$ for the commonly adopted instantaneous reionization model. This confirms, with data solely from CMB anisotropies, the low value suggested by combining *Planck* 2015 results with other data sets, and also reduces the uncertainties. We reconstruct the history of the ionization fraction using either a symmetric or an asymmetric model for the transition between the neutral and ionized phases. To determine better constraints on the duration of the reionization process, we also make use of measurements of the amplitude of the kinetic Sunyaev-Zeldovich (kSZ) effect using additional information from the high-resolution Atacama Cosmology Telescope and South Pole Telescope experiments. The average redshift at which reionization occurs is found to lie between $z = 7.8$ and 8.8 , depending on the model of reionization adopted. Using kSZ constraints and a redshift-symmetric reionization model, we find an upper limit to the width of the reionization period of $\Delta z < 2.8$. In all cases, we find that the Universe is ionized at less than the 10% level at redshifts above $z \simeq 10$. This suggests that an early onset of reionization is strongly disfavoured by the *Planck* data. We show that this result also reduces the tension between CMB-based analyses and constraints from other astrophysical sources.

Key words. cosmic background radiation – dark ages, reionization, first stars – polarization

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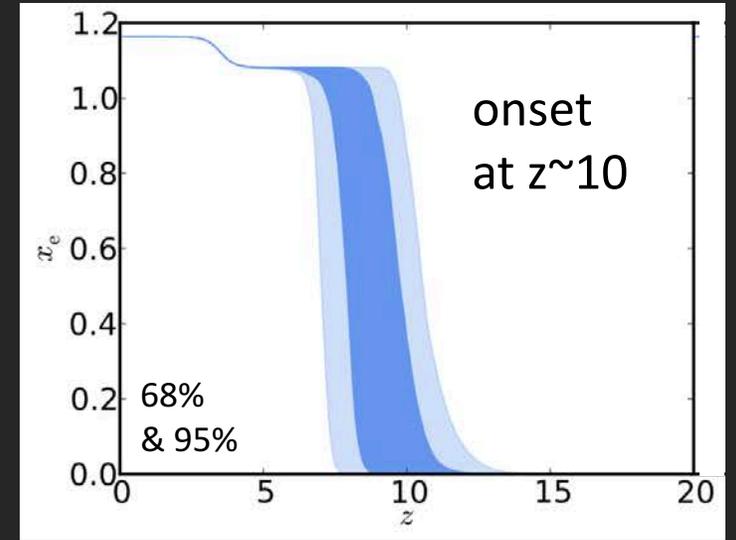
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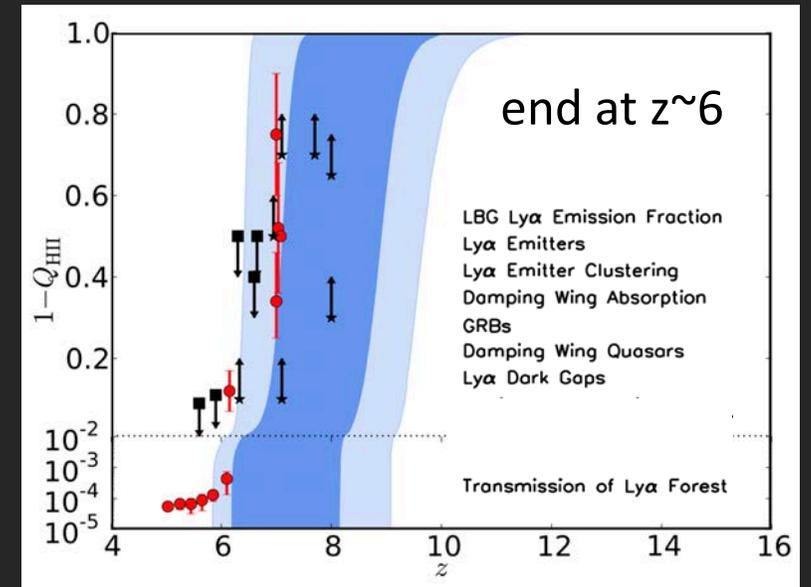
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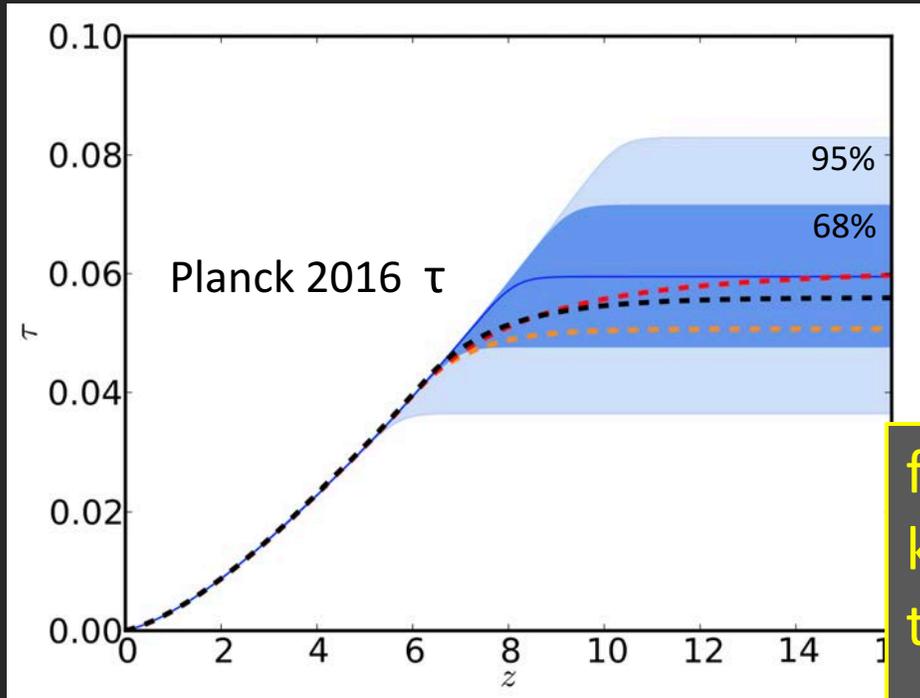
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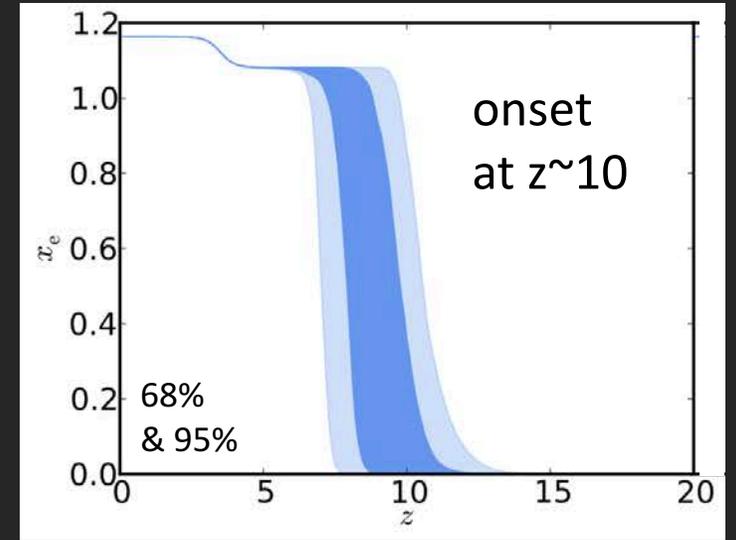
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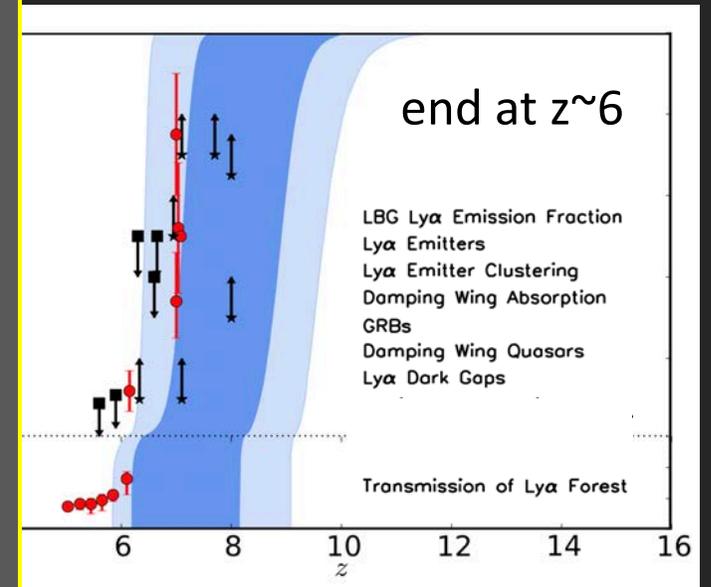
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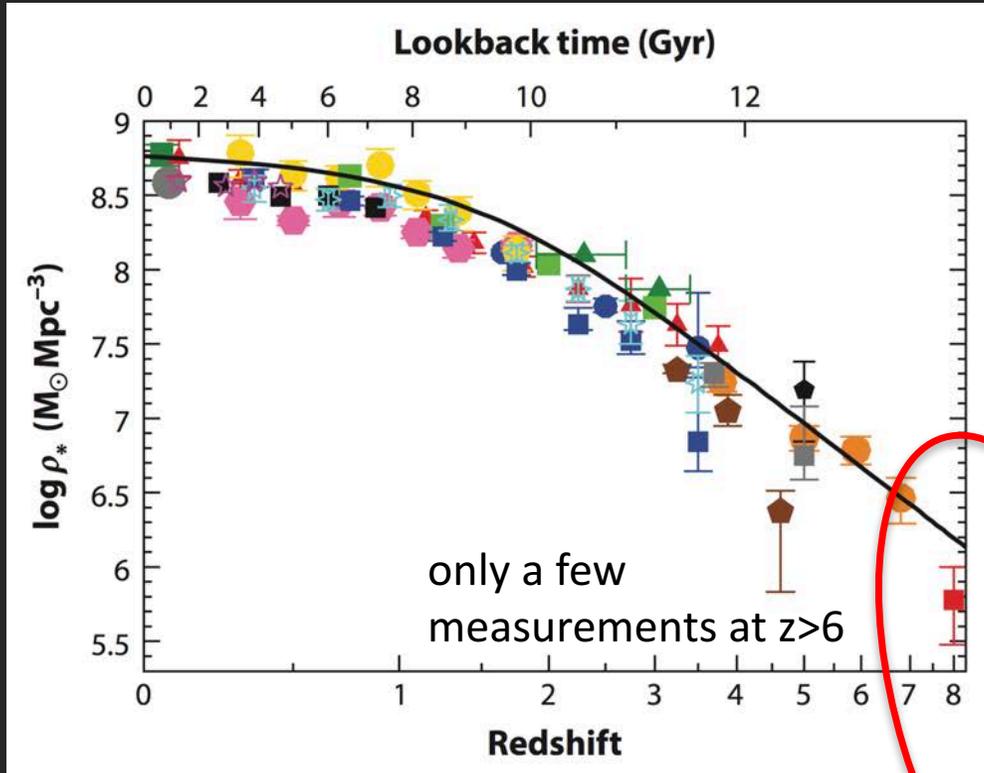
for the first time we now know when galaxies started to reionize the universe

this is a crucial piece of information for how far back we might have to look to find "first galaxies"



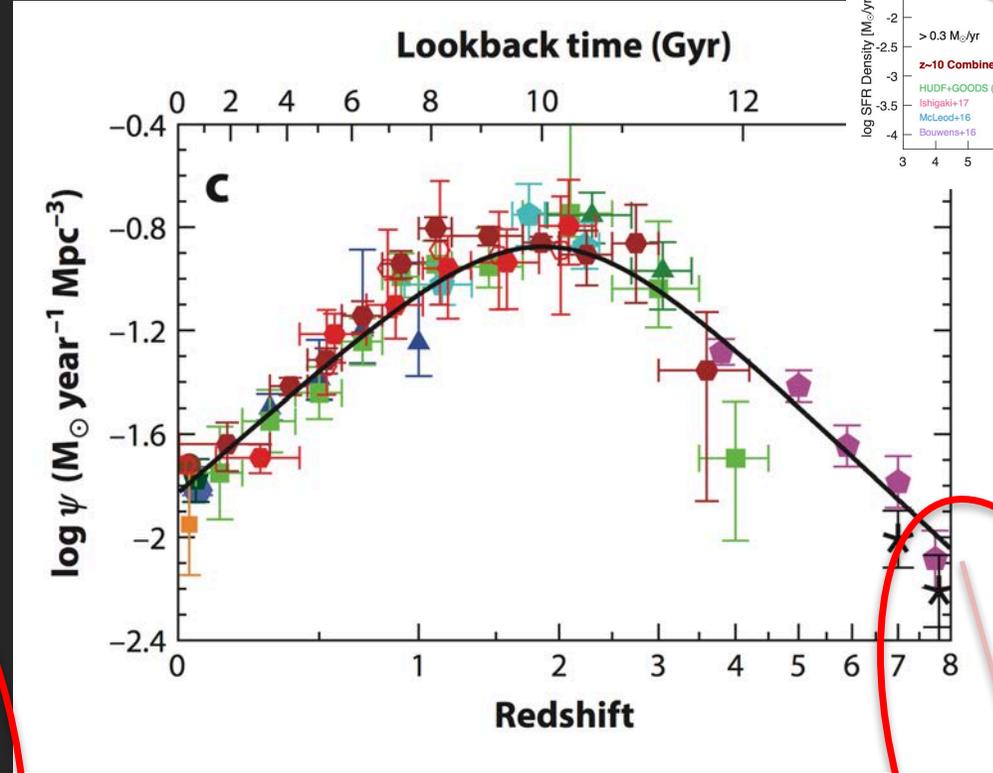
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the global stellar mass and cosmic SFR density evolution

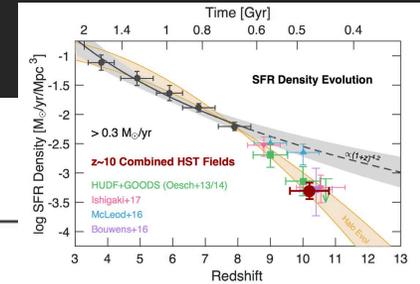


evolution of the global stellar mass density over 13 billion years

$z \sim 10-15$



evolution of the cosmic star formation rate density over 13 billion years



new results at $z > 8$

$z \sim 10$

👉 *into the JWST era* 👈

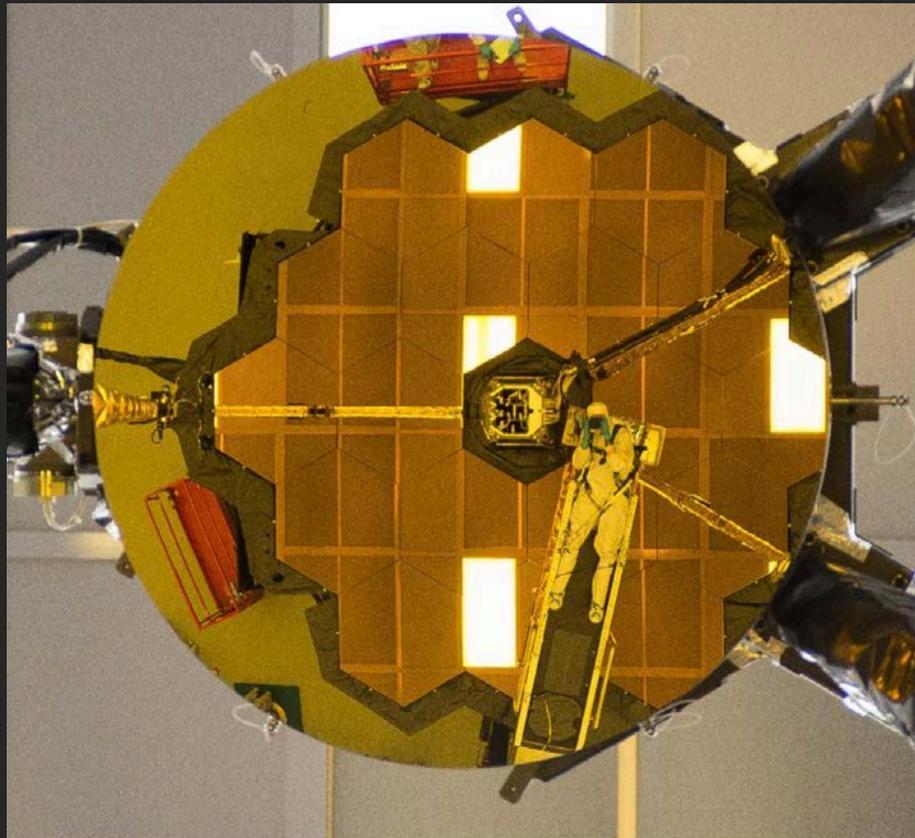
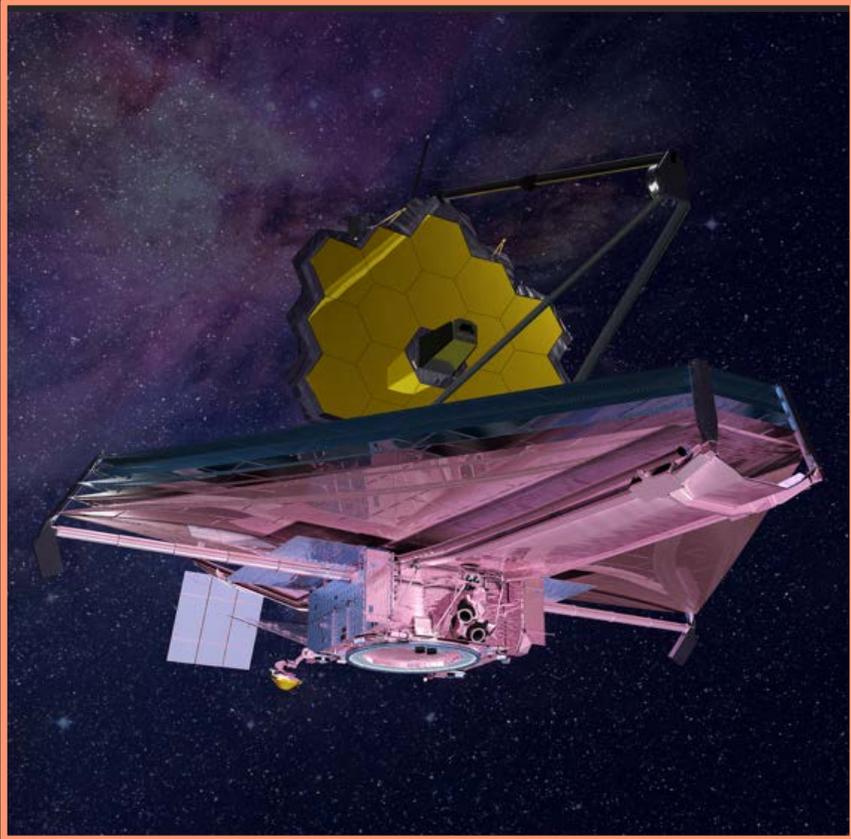


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JWST is the “what’s next” for the earliest galaxies

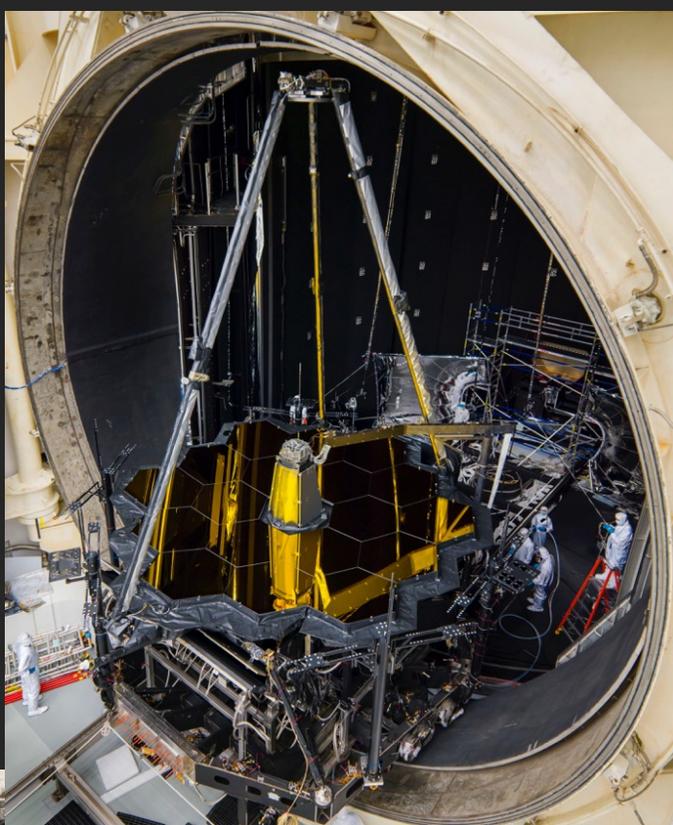
JWST launches Oct 2018

JWST – full-size model at “South by Southwest”
getting a sense of the real size of JWST!

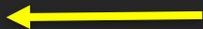
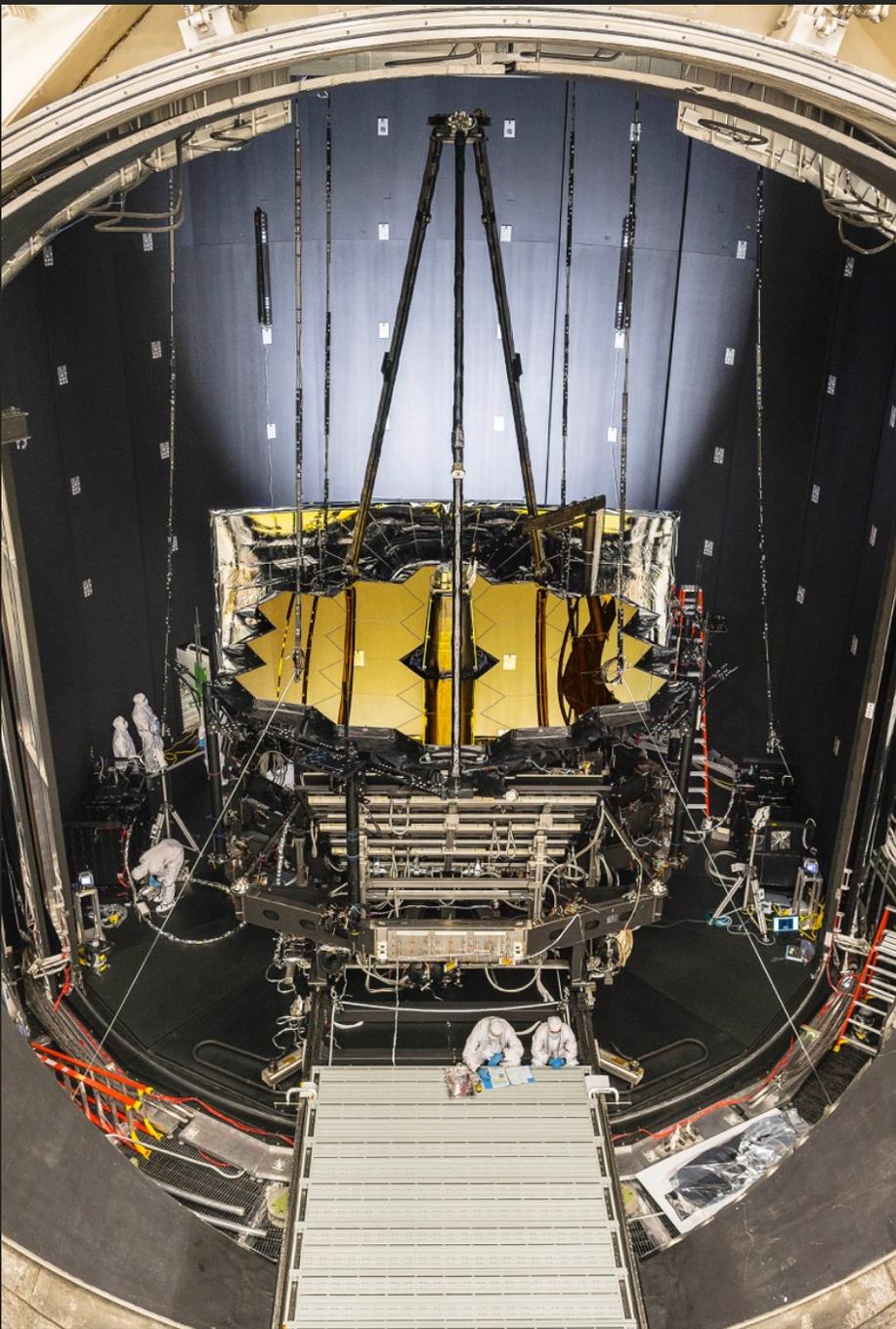


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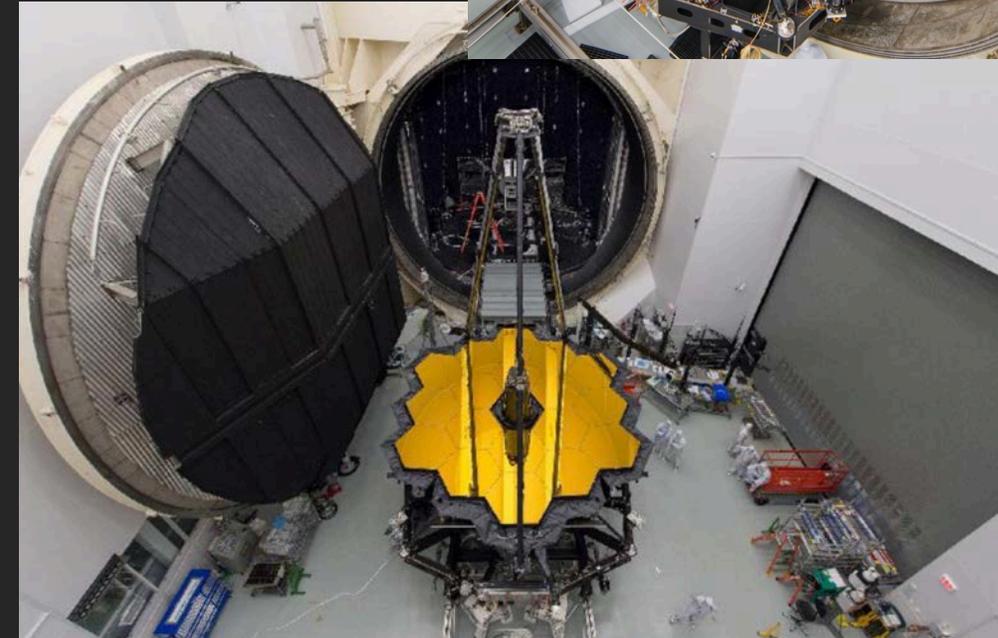




*JWST
OTIS CV
test at
JSC*



moving OTIS
in through the
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and OTIS in
the chamber

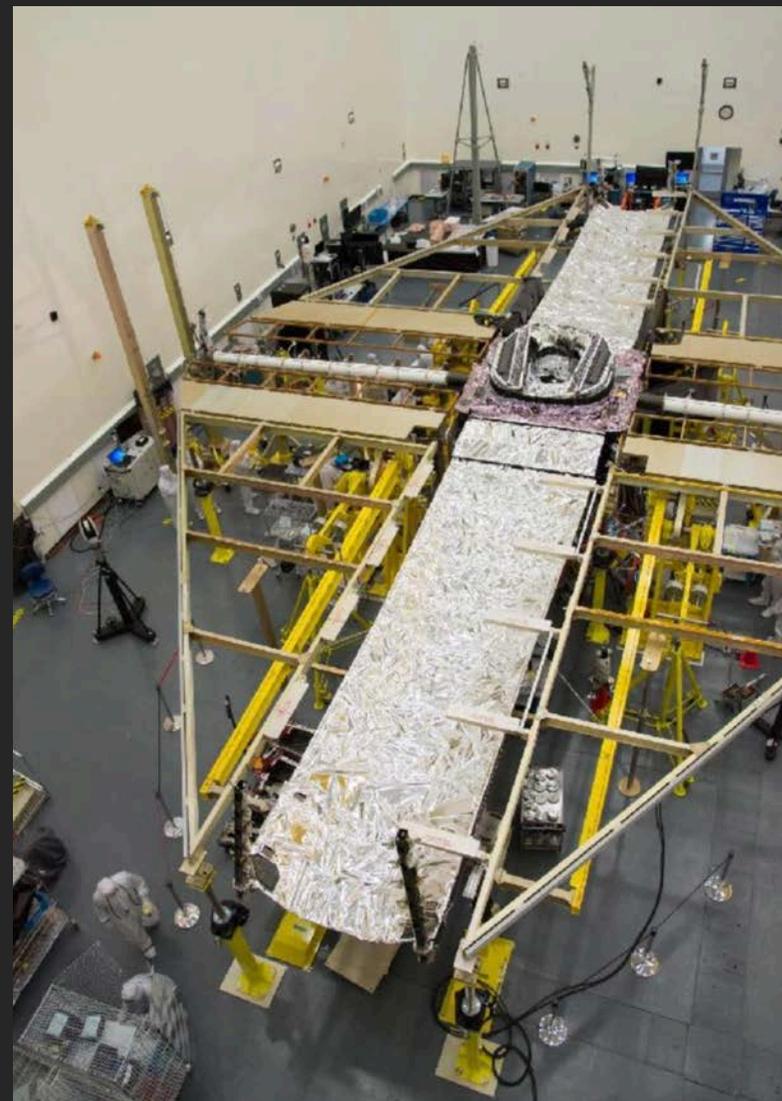
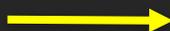


*JWST
Spacecraft
assembly in
the clean room
at NGAS*

the spacecraft
plus sunshield
pallets plus the
OTIS simulator

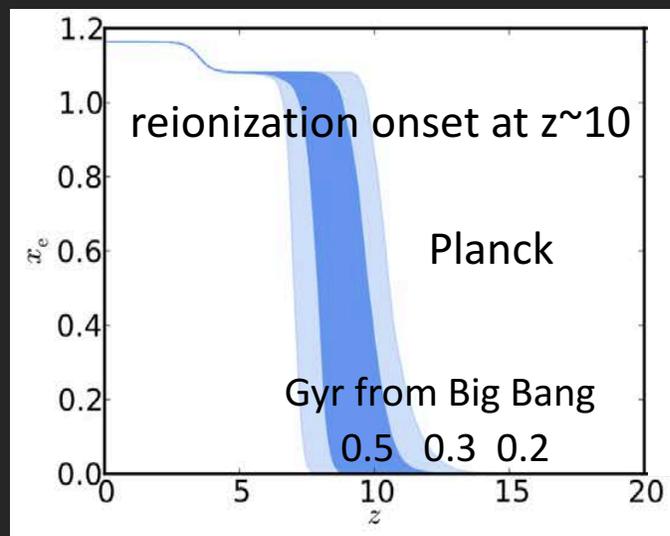


the sunshield
pallets deployed
with (folded)
sunshields installed



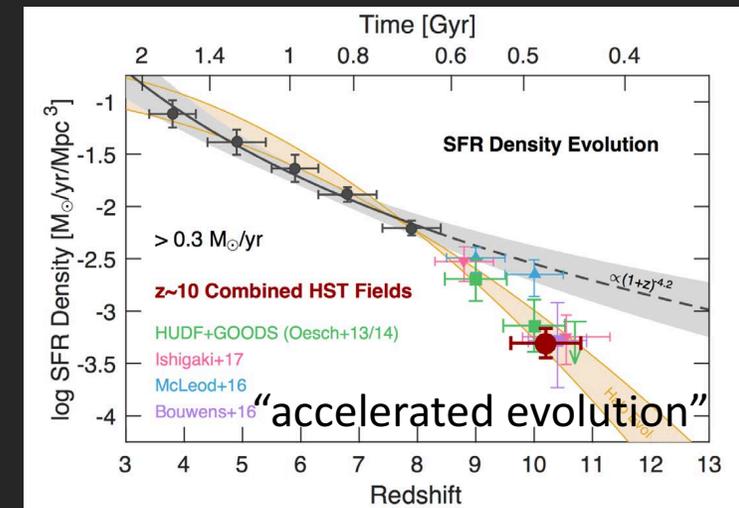
JWST is very large!

*implications for JWST and “first light” from the
z~9-10 LFs and the latest Planck 2016 results*



what does all this tell us about JWST and the “first” galaxies?

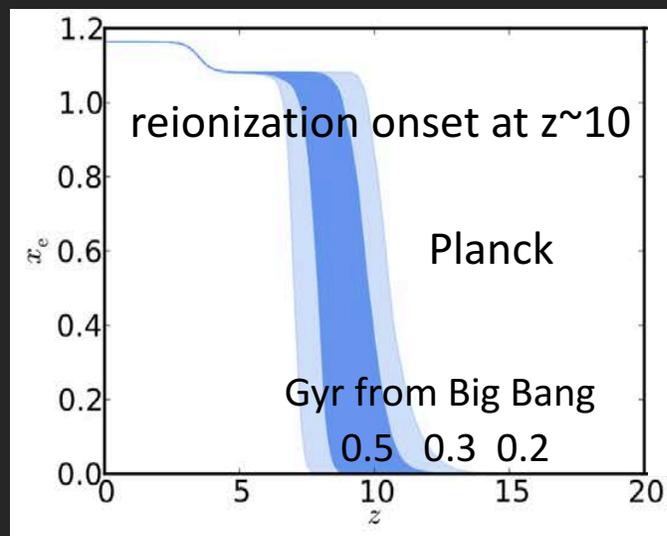
First Light and Reionization
 one of JWST’s four science themes



what is “first light” and what are “first galaxies”?
 ?? first stars \Rightarrow first star clusters \Rightarrow larger star clusters
 \Rightarrow multiple star clusters of various ages ??

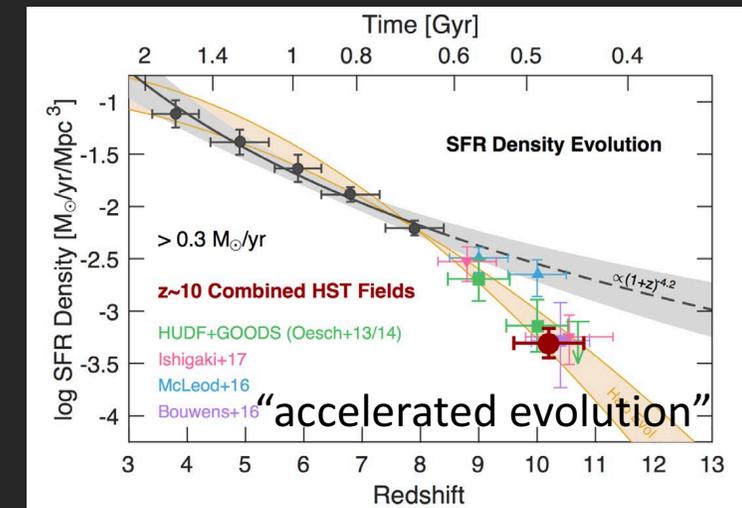
much discussion about what JWST can see in this progression

very challenging if “first galaxies” were very early
 ($z \sim 15-20?$ – $z > 15$ is very difficult for JWST)



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one of JWST’s four science themes



New results: “accelerated evolution” from $z \sim 9-10$ LFs and reionization turn-on at $z \sim 10-11$ from Planck

=> suggest major changes in the nature of the galaxy population at redshifts more like $z \sim 12-15$

I think these results point to substantial build-up of the earliest galaxies at $z \sim 12-15$ – very accessible for JWST’s “first light” goal

👉 exciting times ahead at “Cosmic Sunrise”! 👈

summary thoughts:

onset of reionization at $z \sim 10-11$ (Planck), small sizes and “accelerated evolution” at $z > 8$ suggest great opportunities for JWST to see major changes in galaxy build-up to $z \sim 15$ as part of its “first light” goal

👉 **“Cosmic Sunrise” may well be within reach of JWST?**

remarkable concordance on Planck 2016 results and galaxy LF measurements make it highly likely that galaxies are responsible for reionization – modulo escape fraction uncertainty at $z > 6$

very faint galaxies are extremely small – HFF results suggest < 10 mas for faintest galaxies:

👉 are we seeing globular cluster formation at very early times?

the HFF lensing clusters have allowed luminosity functions to reach substantially fainter limits but are subject to very large systematic uncertainties at magnifications higher than $\sim 40\times$ – this limits current LFs to ~ -14.5 – JWST will reach to ~ -13 , and further possible as models improve, but challenging

detection of bright $z \sim 10$ candidates is surprising – more numerous than expected by a large factor?