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# Outline

## Semi-Analytical Models: Ingredients

- Merger Trees; the skeleton of hierarchical formation
- Cooling, Star Formation & Feedback
- Mergers & Galaxy Morphology
- Chemical Evolution, Stellar Population Synthesis & Dust

## Semi-Analytical Models: Results

- The Galaxy Luminosity Function (**galaxy abundances**)
- The Tully Fisher Relation (**mass-to-light ratios**)
- The Color-Magnitude Relation (**ages, metallicities & extinction**)

## The Galaxy-Dark Matter Connection

- Large Scale Structure with SAM (**physics**)
- Halo Occupation Models & Conditional Luminosity Function
- Large Scale Structure with CLF (**statistics**)

# SAM BASICS

- Hierarchical formation of DM haloes
- Baryons get **shock heated** to halo **virial temperature**
- Hot gas cools and settles in a **disk** in the center of the potential well.
- Cold gas in disk is transformed into stars (**star formation**)
- Energy output from stars (**feedback**) reheats some of cold gas
- After haloes merge, galaxies sink to center by **dynamical friction**
- Galaxies **merge**, resulting in **morphological transformations**.

$$M_{\text{vir}} = M_{\text{DM}} + M_{\text{hot}} + M_{\text{cold}} + M_*$$
$$\dot{M}_{\text{hot}} = -\dot{M}_{\text{cool}} + \dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} + f_{\text{bar}} \cdot \dot{M}_{\text{vir}}$$
$$\dot{M}_{\text{cold}} = \dot{M}_{\text{cool}} - \dot{M}_* - \dot{M}_{\text{reheat}}$$

- $\dot{M}_{\text{vir}}$   $\iff$  merger history
- $\dot{M}_{\text{cool}}$   $\iff$  cooling recipe
- $\dot{M}_*$   $\iff$  star formation recipe
- $\dot{M}_{\text{reheat}}$   $\iff$  feedback recipe

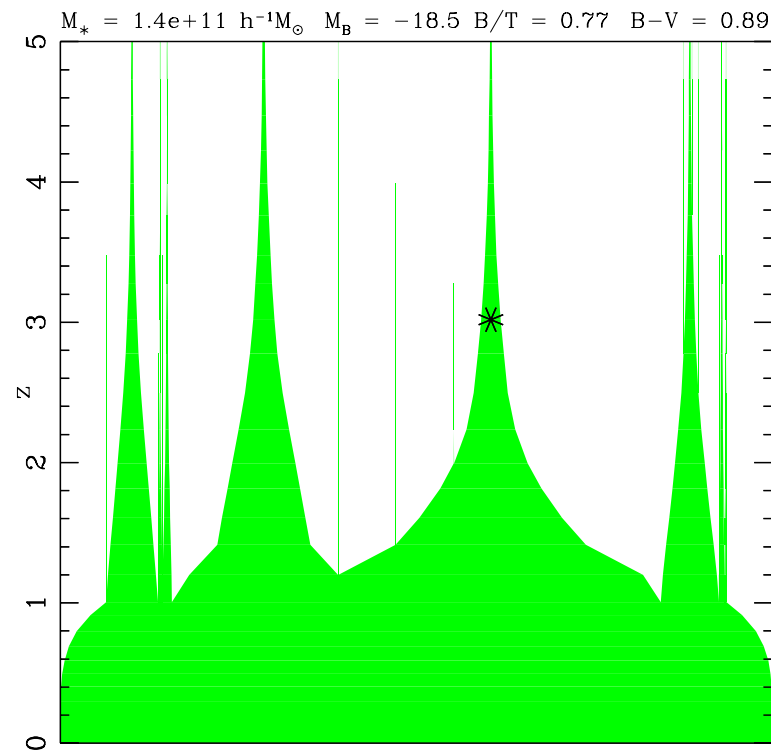
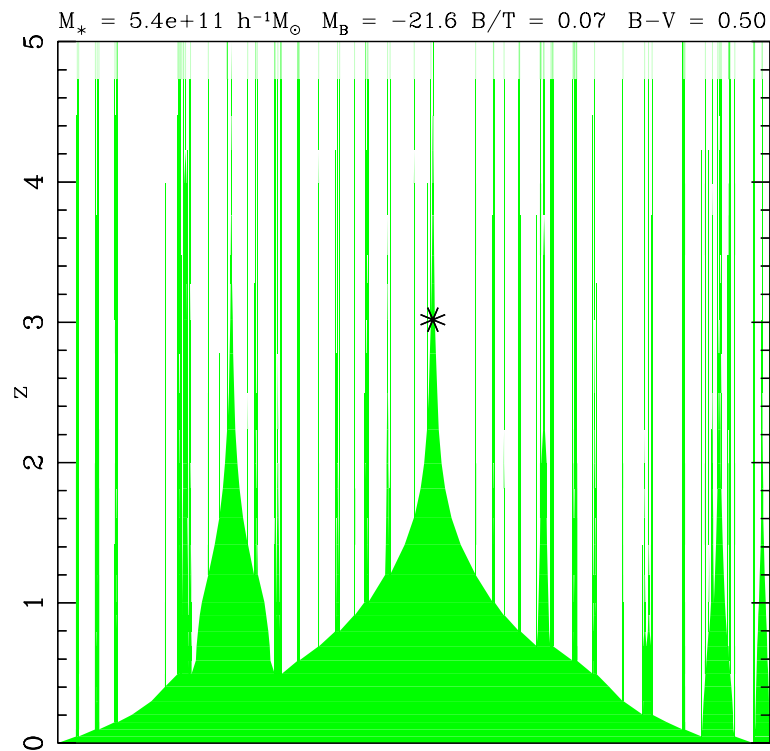
# Merger Histories

The **extended Press-Schechter** theory yields the **conditional probability**  $P(M_2, z_2 | M_1, z_1)$  that a particle in a halo of mass  $M_1$  at redshift  $z_1$  was embedded in a halo of mass  $M_2$  at redshift  $z_2 > z_1$ .

Bond et al. 1991; Bower 1991; Lacey & Cole 1993

With this **conditional probability** one can construct **merger histories** of dark matter haloes.

Kauffmann & White 1993; Somerville & Kolatt 1999; Sheth & Lemson 1999



*Baugh et al 1998*

# Gas Cooling I

The **cooling time** is defined as  $\tau_{\text{cool}} = \frac{U}{|dU/dt|}$  with  $U = \frac{3}{2}NkT$  and  $dU/dt = n_e n_t \Lambda(T, Z)$ . Here

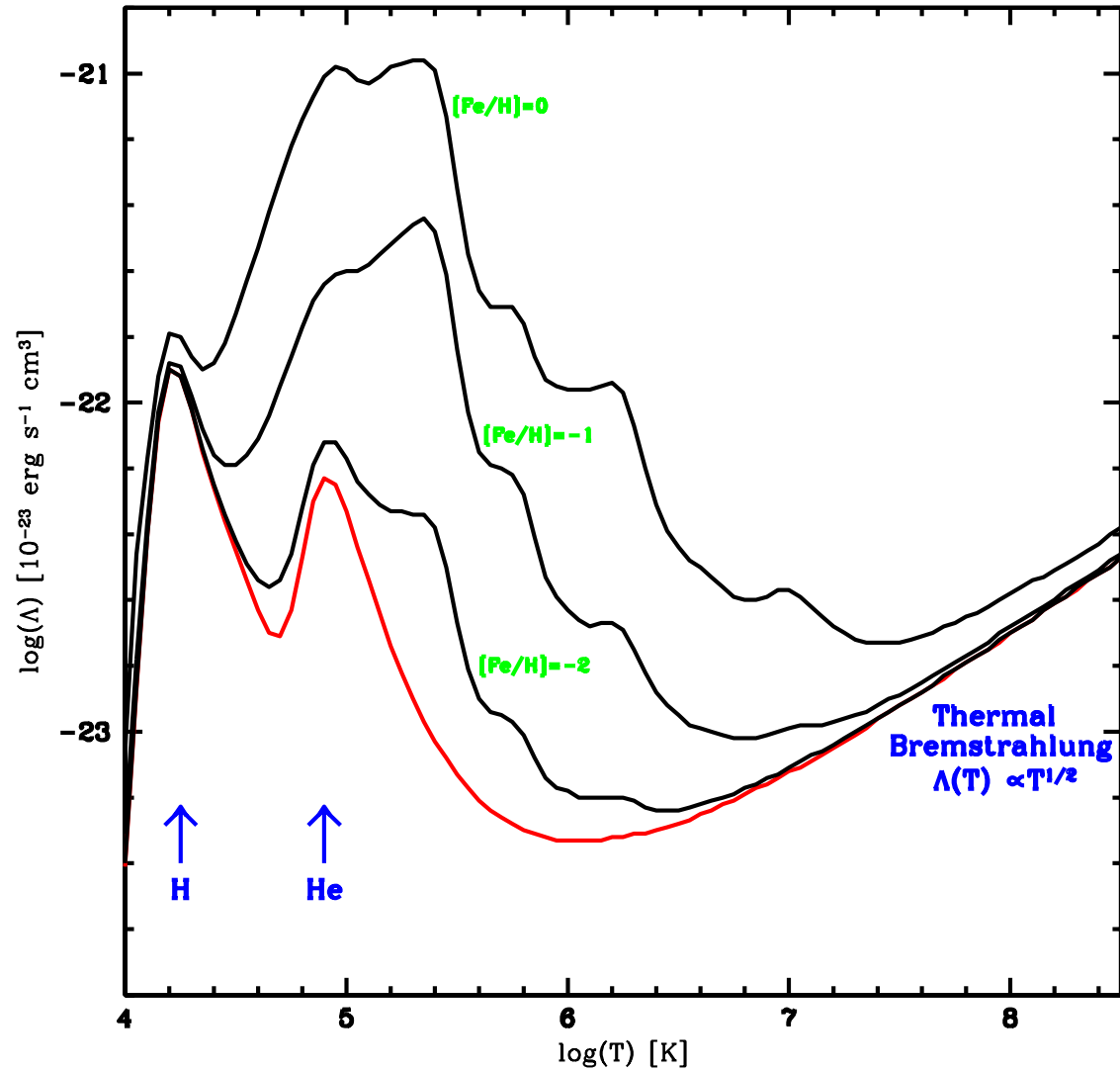
- $N$  = number density of particles =  $n_e + n_t$   
 $n_e$  = number density of electrons  
 $n_t = \sum_i n_i$  = number density of all ions
- $k$  = Boltzman's constant
- $T$  = Temperature
- $\Lambda(T, Z)$  = **net cooling function** (in erg/s/cm<sup>3</sup>)  
depends on temperature  $T$  and metallicity  $Z$

Defining  $\mu_e \equiv \frac{N}{n_e}$  = number of particles per electron, and  $\bar{\mu}$  = mean mass per particles, we can write  $\rho_{\text{gas}} = N \bar{\mu} = n_e \mu_e \bar{\mu}$  and  $n_t = (\mu_e - 1)n_e$ , so that

$$\tau_{\text{cool}} = \frac{3}{2} \bar{\mu} \frac{kT}{\rho_{\text{gas}} \Lambda(T, Z)} \frac{\mu_e^2}{\mu_e - 1}$$

**NOTE:**  $\bar{\mu}$  and  $\mu_e$  depend on both composition and ionization state of gas. For completely ionized, primordial gas ( $Y=0.25, Z=0$ )  $\bar{\mu} = 0.6m_p$  and  $\mu_e = 27/14$ .

# Gas Cooling II



Sutherland & Dopita 1993

Net cooling functions as function of temperature and metallicity

# Gas Cooling III

In order to compute the cooling time of gas in dark matter haloes we need both the **density** and the **temperature** of the gas, both as function of radius  $r$ .

## Modelling the Gas Density

**Truncated Isothermal Sphere:**  $\rho_{\text{gas}} \propto r^{-2}$

**The  $\beta$ -model:**  $\rho_{\text{gas}} \propto (r^2 + r_c^2)^{-3\beta/2}$

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**Simulations indicate that  $\beta \simeq 2/3$  for which  $\rho_{\text{gas}}$  equals an isothermal sphere with a constant density core ( $r < r_c$ ).**

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## Modelling the Gas Temperature

**General assumption:** when gas enters virial radius, it is shock heated to virial temperature to bring the infalling gas in virial equilibrium with the dark matter;

$$T(r) = T_{\text{vir}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\bar{\mu}}{k} V_{\text{vir}}^2$$

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**For completely ionized, primordial gas:  $T_{\text{vir}} = 35.9\text{K} \left( \frac{V_{\text{vir}}}{\text{km s}^{-1}} \right)^2$**

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# Gas Cooling IV

In **SAMs** the cooling rates are computed as follows:

Define the cooling radius as  $\tau_{\text{cool}}(r_{\text{cool}}) = t(z) = \text{age of Universe}$ .

$$\dot{M}_{\text{cool}} = 4\pi\rho_{\text{gas}}(r_{\text{cool}})r_{\text{cool}}^2 \frac{dr_{\text{cool}}}{dt}$$

**NOTE:** this ignores the fact that gas without pressure support still takes a free-fall time to reach the center

The **free-fall time** is defined as:

$$t_{\text{ff}} = \sqrt{\frac{3\pi}{32G\bar{\rho}}}$$

One can easily take this free-fall time into account by replacing  $r_{\text{cool}}$  with  $r_{\text{cool}} = \min[r_{\text{cool}}, r_{\text{ff}}]$ . Here the free-fall radius is defined as the radius where the free-fall time is equal to the age of the Universe:  $t_{\text{ff}}(r_{\text{ff}}) = t(z)$ .

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For a halo with  $\bar{\rho} = \Delta_{\text{crit}}\rho_{\text{crit}}$  in a  $\Lambda$ CDM ‘concordance’ cosmology  
 $t_{\text{ff}}(z = 0) = 1.53h^{-1}$  Gyr and  $t_{\text{ff}}(z = 10) = 0.06h^{-1}$  Gyr

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# Quiescent Star Formation

Typically, **SAMs** consider two modes of starformation: **(i)** quiescent SF in disk and **(ii)** star bursts during major mergers that produce spheroids

All **SAMs** use the simple star formation rate:  $\dot{M}_* = \frac{M_{\text{cold}}}{\tau_*}$

Here the star formation timescale is defined as:

$$(1) \quad \tau_* = \tau_0 \left( \frac{V_{\text{vir}}}{V_0} \right)^{\alpha_*}$$

$$(2) \quad \tau_* = \epsilon_*^{-1} \tau_{\text{dyn}} \left( \frac{V_{\text{vir}}}{V_0} \right)^{\alpha_*} \quad \text{with } \tau_{\text{dyn}} \propto \frac{R_{\text{disk}}}{V_{\text{disk}}} \propto \frac{R_{\text{vir}}}{V_{\text{vir}}} = f(z)$$

With **(2)** the SFR depends on both  $V_{\text{vir}}$  and  $z$ , since  $\tau_{\text{dyn}}$  decreases with increasing  $z$ . With **(1)**, however, the SFR depends only on  $V_{\text{vir}}$

- Munich, Santa Cruz & Paris use **(2)** with  $\alpha_* = 0$
- Durham used to adopt **(1)** with  $\alpha_* = -1.5$ , but changed to **(2)** in 2000, still using  $\alpha_* = -1.5$

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**NOTE:**  $\alpha_*$  and  $\epsilon_*$  are typically tuned to fit the cold gas mass fraction as function of luminosity.

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# Feedback

The energy released by stellar winds and SNe can heat (**thermal feedback**) and/or eject (**kinetic feedback**) gas from disk and/or halo.

Feedback in **SAMs** modelled as:  $\dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} \propto \left( \frac{V_{\text{vir}}}{V_0} \right)^{-\alpha_{\text{fb}}} \dot{M}_*$

Typically  $\alpha_{\text{fb}} = 2$ , which is “motivated” by a simple wind model:

Consider a **galactic wind** with mass ejection rate  $\dot{M}_{\text{reheat}}$  and wind velocity  $v_w$ . Energy balance requires

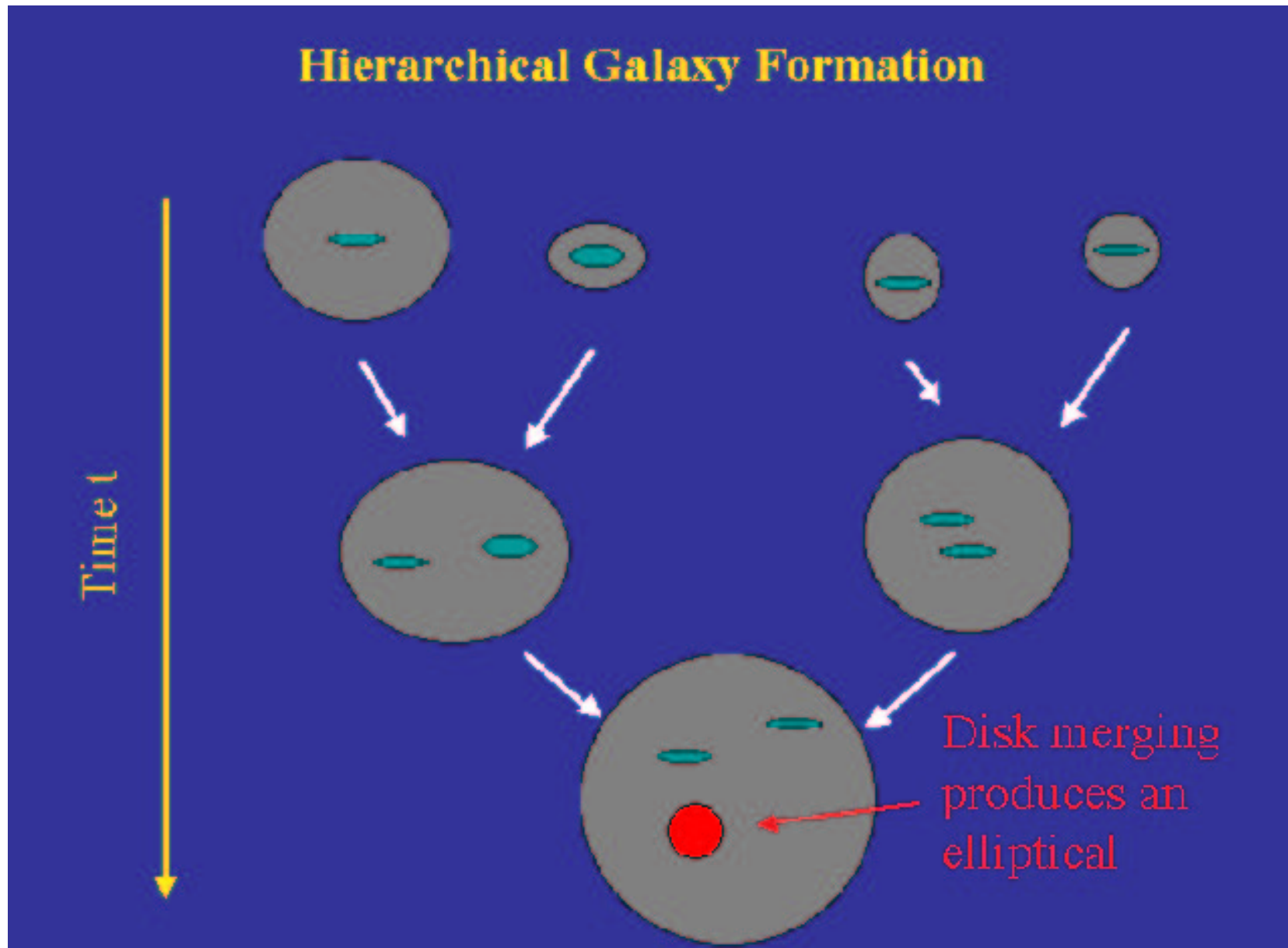
$$\frac{1}{2} \dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} v_w^2 = \epsilon_{\text{fb}} \eta_{\text{SN}} \dot{M}_* E_{\text{SN}}$$

Assume  $v_w = v_{\text{esc}} = \sqrt{2} V_{\text{vir}}$  than:  $\dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} = \frac{\epsilon_{\text{fb}} \eta_{\text{SN}} E_{\text{SN}}}{V_{\text{vir}}^2} \dot{M}_*$

- $\epsilon_{\text{fb}}$  = fraction of SN energy turned into kinetic wind energy
- $\eta_{\text{SN}}$  = number SN per solar mass of stars formed.  
For Scale IMF,  $\eta_{\text{SN}} \simeq 4 \times 10^{-3}$
- $E_{\text{SN}} = 10^{51}$  ergs = energy produced per SN

$\dot{M}_{\text{reheat}}$  is either added to  $\dot{M}_{\text{hot}}$  (**retention**) or ejected from halo (**rejection**).

# Mergers & Galaxy Morphologies I



# Mergers & Galaxy Morphologies II

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- Central galaxy in most massive halo becomes **central galaxy** in new halo
- All other galaxies become **satellite galaxies** which sink towards central galaxy due to **dynamical friction**
- Gas continues to cool onto **central galaxy** only.
- If galaxies **merge**, **morphological outcome** depends on mass ratio; if  $M_2/M_1 > f_{\text{ellip}}$  stars form ellipsoid & cold gas undergoes starburst.

**Dynamical Friction:** (Chandrasekhar 1943; White 1976; Tremaine 1980)

Starting from the virial radius, a satellite reaches the center after a time

$$\tau_{\text{df}} = f_{\text{df}} \frac{f(\eta)}{\ln\Lambda} \frac{V_{\text{vir}} r_{\text{vir}}^2}{M_{\text{sat}}}$$

Here  $\ln\Lambda \simeq \ln(1 + M_{\text{vir}}/M_{\text{sat}})$  is the **Coulomb logarithm**,  
 $\eta = J_{\text{orbit}}/J_{\text{circ}}(E)$  is the **orbital circularity**, and  $f_{\text{df}}$  is a **fudge factor**.

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The dependence of the dynamical friction time scale on the orbital eccentricity is modelled as  $f(\eta) = \eta^\alpha$ . Different authors have advocated different values of  $\alpha$ : [0.78 (Lacey & Cole 1993), 0.53 (van den Bosch et al. 1999), 0.40 (Colpi, Mayer & Governato 1999)]

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# Extra Ingredients

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## Satellite-Satellite Mergers

Satellite galaxies can also merge among themselves. Cross sections and merger rates ( $\tau_{\text{coll}}$ ) can be obtained from literature (Makino & Hut 1997; Mamon 1992, 2000)

**Implementation:** each time step  $\Delta t$  the probability for a satellite to merge with another satellite is  $P = \Delta t / \tau_{\text{coll}}$ . The morphological outcome depends on mass ratio of the satellites (Santa Cruz & Galics).

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## Spheroid Formation from Disk Instabilities

Disks that are **too compact** are **unstable**. They typically form a **bar** which may later 'dissolve' into a **bulge**. (Combes et al. 1990; Pfenniger & Norman 1990)

**Stability Criterion:** A disk is unstable if

$$\alpha_c = \frac{V_{\text{disk}}(3R_d)}{V_{\text{circ}}(3R_d)} \gtrsim 0.6$$

(Efstathiou et al. 1982; Christodoulou et al. 1995)

Thus, if disk contributes more than  $\sim 60$  percent to the circular velocity at  $R = 3R_d$ , the **self-gravity** of the disk causes **instability**.

**Implementation:** When disk is unstable, transfer as much disk mass to bulge until disk is marginally stable ( $\alpha_c = 0.6$ ).

(van den Bosch 1998; Mao & Mo 1998; Cole et al. 2000; Galics)

# Chemical Evolution

**Instantaneous Recycling Approximation:** Each mass  $M_*$  formed in new stars immediately returns a fraction  $\mathcal{R} M_*$  back to the ISM and produces a mass  $Y M_*$  of newly synthesized metals. The remaining  $(1 - \mathcal{R}) M_*$  is assumed to live as stars forever.

Both the return fraction,  $\mathcal{R}$ , and the yield,  $Y$ , depend on the IMF. Especially the yield is rather uncertain

$$\mathcal{R} \approx 0.3 - 0.4 \quad Y \approx 0.01 - 0.03$$

## Transporting Metals

$$\dot{M}_*^Z = (1 - \mathcal{R}) Z_{\text{cold}} \dot{M}_*$$

$$\dot{M}_{\text{hot}}^Z = Z_{\text{cold}} \dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} - Z_{\text{hot}} \dot{M}_{\text{cool}}$$

$$\dot{M}_{\text{cold}}^Z = Z_{\text{hot}} \dot{M}_{\text{cool}} - Z_{\text{cold}} \dot{M}_{\text{reheat}} - (1 - \mathcal{R}) Z_{\text{cold}} \dot{M}_* + Y \dot{M}_*$$

# Stellar Population Synthesis

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SAMs yield **star formation rate**,  $\psi(t)$ , and **metallicity of the cold gas**,  $Z(t)$ . One can compute the **galactic flux** at time  $t$  in a waveband  $\lambda$  as:

$$F_{\lambda}(t) = \int_0^t d\tau \int_{m_1}^{m_2} dm f_{\lambda}(m, Z, t - \tau) \phi(m) \psi(\tau)$$

Here  $\phi(m)$  is the **IMF** and  $f_{\lambda}(m, Z, t)$  is the flux in  $\lambda$  of a star with initial mass  $m$ , initial metallicity  $Z$ , and age  $t$ .

**Stellar Population Synthesis Models** typically provide a list of  $\hat{F}_{\lambda}(t, Z)$  for an **instantaneous burst** of SF ( $\psi(t) = \delta(t - t_0)$ ) for given IMF and metallicity  $Z$ . (e.g., [Guiderdoni & Rocca-Volmerange 1987](#); [Bruzual & Charlot 1993](#)). This allows computation of  $F_{\lambda}(t)$  for **any**  $\psi(t)$  and  $Z(t)$ .

$$F_{\lambda}(t) = \int_0^t \hat{F}_{\lambda}(t - \tau, Z(\tau)) \psi(\tau) d\tau$$

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Typically, brown dwarfs are not modelled ( $m_1 = 0.1 M_{\odot}$ ). Their contribution can be included by multiplying all mass-to-light ratios with

$$\Upsilon = \frac{\text{mass in visible stars} + \text{brown dwarfs}}{\text{mass in visible stars}}$$

Durham SAMs typically include  $\Upsilon$  as a free parameter, which they tune by fitting the LF.

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# Dust

Model magnitudes need to be corrected for extinction by dust:

$$M_{\lambda,\text{corr}} = M_{\lambda,\text{intr}} + A_{\lambda}$$

For a disk galaxy, the amount of extinction depends on inclination angle  $i$ .

For a **standard slab model**; a thin disk with stars & dust uniformly mixed together (Tully & Fouqué 1985):

$$A_{\lambda} = -2.5^{10} \log \left( \frac{1 - e^{-\tau_{\lambda}/\cos i}}{\tau_{\lambda}/\cos i} \right)$$

with  $\tau_{\lambda}$  the face-on optical depth.

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Santa Cruz & Munich use empirical relation due to Wang & Heckmann 1996.

$$\tau_B = 0.8 \left( \frac{L}{L^*} \right)^{0.5}$$

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Durham uses analytical models of Ferrara et al. 1999.

$$\tau \propto \frac{M_{\text{dust}}}{r_{\text{disc}}^2} \propto \frac{Z_{\text{cold}} M_{\text{cold}}}{r_{\text{disc}}^2}$$

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More detailed/complicated dust models, taking account of the energy reradiated at far-IR and sub-mm wavelengths, have been developed by Silva et al. 1998 and Granato et al. 2000. See also GALICS models (Hatton et al. 2003).



# Tuning SAM

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## Free Parameters

- **Cosmology:**  $\Omega_m, \Omega_\Lambda, \Omega_b, H_0, \sigma_8, n_{\text{spec}}$
- **Cooling:**  $\beta, r_{\text{core}}$
- **Star formation:**  $\epsilon_*, \alpha_*$
- **Feedback:**  $\epsilon_{\text{fb}}, \alpha_{\text{fb}}$
- **Mergers:**  $f_{\text{ellip}}, f_{\text{df}}$
- **IMF:**  $\eta_{\text{SN}}, \mathcal{R}, Y, \Upsilon$
- **Dust:**  $\tau_\Lambda / \tau_B, \tau_B$

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## Normalization

- **TF zero-point & cold gas mass fraction of MW** Munich & Santa Cruz
  - **Luminosity Function in  $B$  and/or  $K$ -band** Durham & Paris
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# Challenging Uncle Sam



SUCCESS & FAILURE IN A DECADE OF SAM

# The LF–TF challenge

The shapes of the galaxy **luminosity function**,  $\Phi(L)$ , and the halo **mass function**,  $n(M)$ , are very different.

- At low mass end  $n(M) \propto M^{-2}$ , whereas at faint end  $\Phi(L) \propto L^{-1.2}$ . Therefore, galaxy formation has to become extremely inefficient at low  $M$ : **Feedback? Reionization?**
- If  $M/L = \text{cst}$ , then  $n(M) > \Phi(L)$  at high mass end. Therefore, galaxy formation has to become less efficient at high  $M$ : **Cooling? Merging? Conduction? Superwinds?**

$\frac{M}{L}(M)$  has to vary dramatically with  $M$  with a characteristic shape

The **Tully-Fisher relation** has the form  $L_{\text{gal}} \propto V_{\text{obs}}^3$  in the  $I$ -band.

For a virialized haloes:  $M_{\text{vir}} \propto V_{\text{vir}}^3$  so that  $L_{\text{gal}} \propto \left(\frac{M}{L}\right)^{-1} V_{\text{vir}}^3$ . If  $V_{\text{obs}} \propto V_{\text{vir}}$  the slope of the TF relation implies  $M/L = \text{cst}$ .

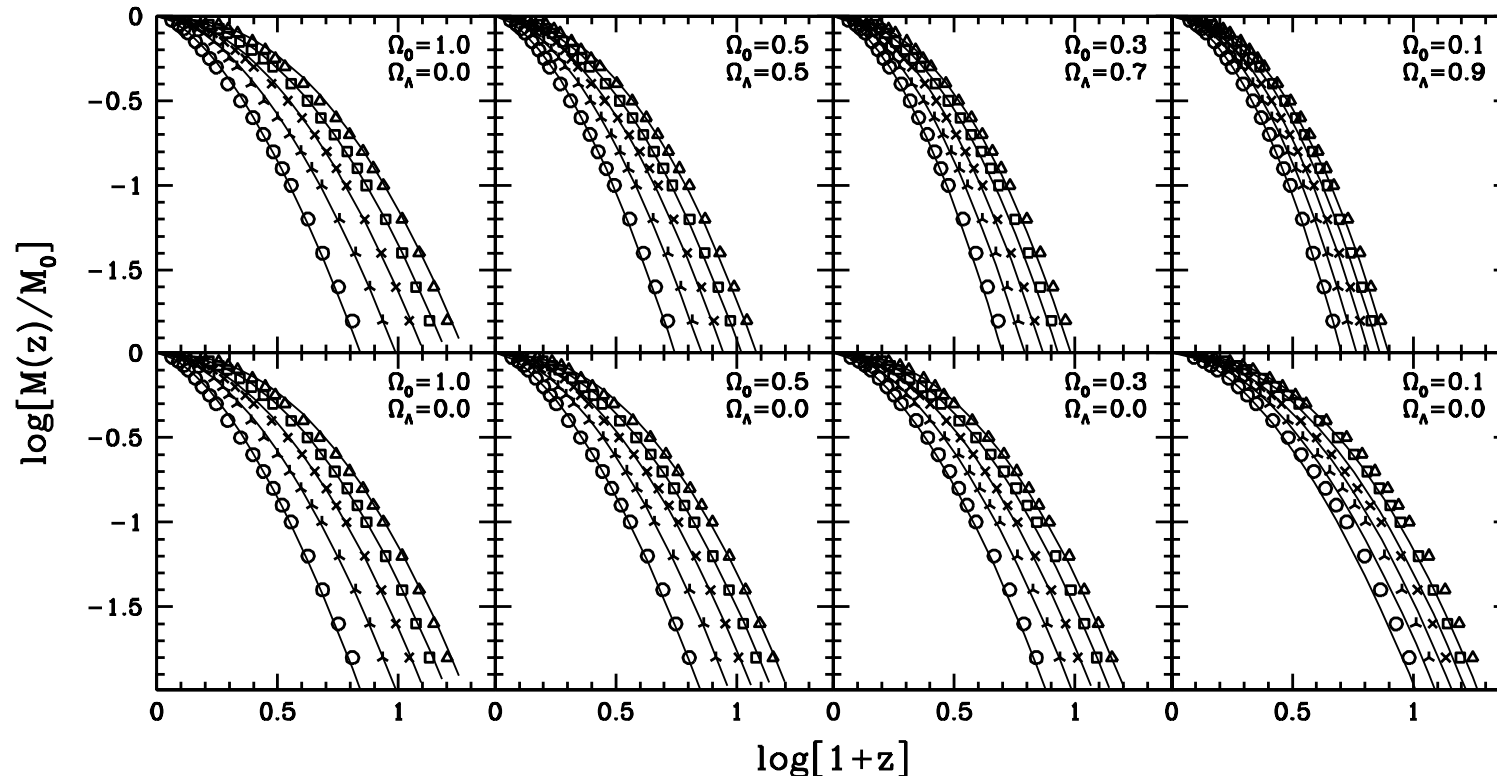
**This is inconsistent with what is required to match the LF!!!**

More general; matching the **slope** of the TF relation requires  $\frac{V_{\text{obs}}}{V_{\text{vir}}} \propto \left(\frac{M}{L}\right)^{-1/3}$

# Colors & Morphologies

Galaxies reveal color-magnitude , and morphology-density relations.

In CDM cosmologies, small mass haloes form **earlier** than more massive haloes. One therefore naively expects more massive haloes to be **bluer**.



Average mass accretion histories for various cosmologies ( $\Omega_m$  and  $\Omega_\Lambda$  as indicated; all with  $\sigma_8 = 1.0$  and  $h = 0.65$ ). Results are shown for five masses:  $5.0 \times 10^9 h^{-1} M_\odot$  (open triangles),  $5.0 \times 10^{10} h^{-1} M_\odot$  (open squares),  $5.0 \times 10^{11} h^{-1} M_\odot$  (crosses),  $5.0 \times 10^{12} h^{-1} M_\odot$  (tripods),  $5.0 \times 10^{13} h^{-1} M_\odot$  (open circles). (van den Bosch 2002).

# SAM history I

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**1991** **White & Frenk — Cole — Lacey & Silk**

**First, highly oversimplified SAMs**

- **First indications of overcooling problem; too many galaxies**  
⇒ **Feedback must play important role**
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**1993** **Kauffmann, White & Guiderdoni**

**SCDM / No dust / No chem. evol. / Improved Merger Trees**

- **Faint-end slope of LF too steep despite feedback**
  - **Can't match LF and TF simultaneously**
  - **color-magnitude relation inverted**
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**1994** **Cole, Aragon-Salamanca, Frenk, Navarro & Zepf**

**SCDM / No dust / No chem. evol. / Extreme Feedback ( $\alpha_{fb} = 5.5$ )**

- **Faint-end slope of LF still too steep**
  - **TF zero-point two magn too faint**
  - **Flat color-magnitude relation; celebrated as big success**
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# SAM history II

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**1995** Heyl, Cole, Frenk & Navarro

Application of Durham models to low- $\Omega_m$  cosmologies

- Lowering  $\Omega_m$  results in **earlier formation**; cooling continues relatively longer; makes galaxies brighter & bluer  $\Rightarrow$  Problems at bright end of LF
  - Lowering  $\Omega_m$  results in **fewer** halos; fitting LF yields lower mass-to-light ratios  $\Rightarrow$  Better match to TF zero-point.
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**1996** Kauffmann — Baugh, Cole & Frenk

More detailed investigation of ages & colors.

- Reasonable match to color-morphology relation
  - Models match **scatter** but not **slope** of col-mag rel.  
 $\Rightarrow$  **Col-Mag-Rel is metallicity rather than age effect**
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**1998** Kauffmann & Charlot

SCDM — chem. evol. — new stel. pop. models — No dust

- Models **can** be found that match col-mag relation but only with extreme feedback and unrealistically high yield
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# SAM history III

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1999 Somerville & Primack

Various cosmologies — dust — retention/rejection feedback

- Dust allows for good fit to bright end of  $B$ -band LF, but not of  $K$ -band LF
  - Faint-end slope of LF well-fit for  $\Lambda\text{CDM}_{0.3}$
  - TF & LF fit simultaneously for  $\Lambda\text{CDM}_{0.3}$  if  $V_{\text{rot}} = V_{\text{vir}}$
  - No (detailed) discussion on color-magnitude relation
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2000 Cole, Lacey, Baugh & Frenk

$\Lambda\text{CDM}_{0.3}$  with  $\Omega_b = 0.02$  — dust — chem. evol. —  $\beta$ -profile

- Good fit to entire LFs in  $B$  and  $K$  (dust +  $\beta$ -profile +  $\Omega_b = 0.02$ )
  - TF zero-point still no match ( $V_{\text{rot}} \neq V_{\text{vir}}$  too large)
  - Col-Mag relation poor; bright galaxies too blue
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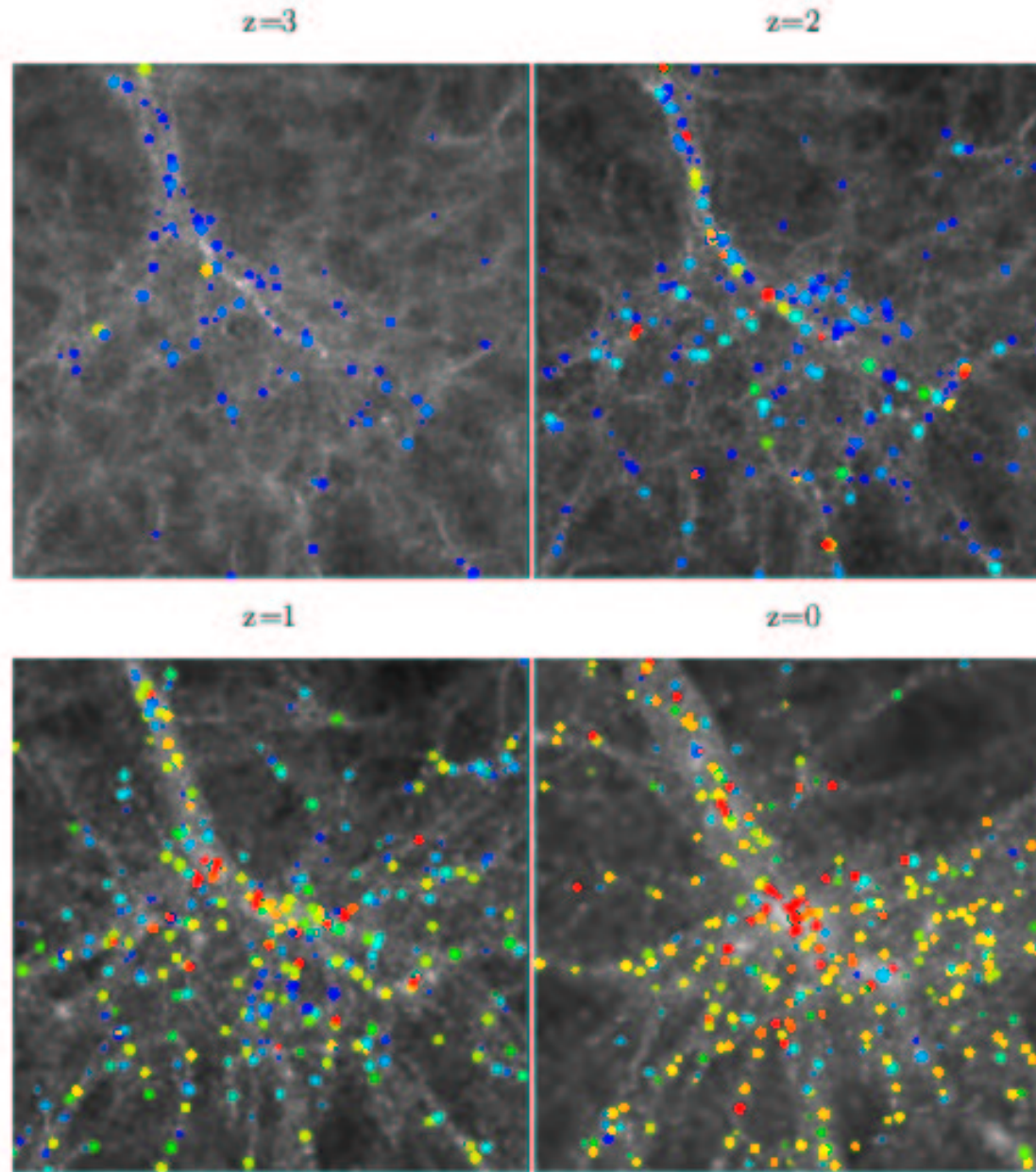
2003 Benson, Bower, Frenk, Lacey, Baugh & Cole

$\Lambda\text{CDM}_{0.3}$  with  $\Omega_b = 0.04$  — dust — chem. evol. —  $\beta$ -profile

- Bright-end of LF can no longer be fit; **overcooling is back**  
Good fit requires (unrealistic amount of) **conduction** and/or **superwinds**
  - TF zero-point still too faint by  $\sim 0.5$  mag
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# The Galaxy-Dark Matter Connection

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from Kauffmann, Colberg, Diaferio & White 1999



# Large Scale Structure: Theory

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Observations yield  $\xi(r_p, \pi)$  with  $r_p$  and  $\pi$  the pair separations perpendicular and parallel to the line-of-sight.

redshift space CF:  $\xi(s)$  with  $s = \sqrt{r_p^2 + \pi^2}$ .

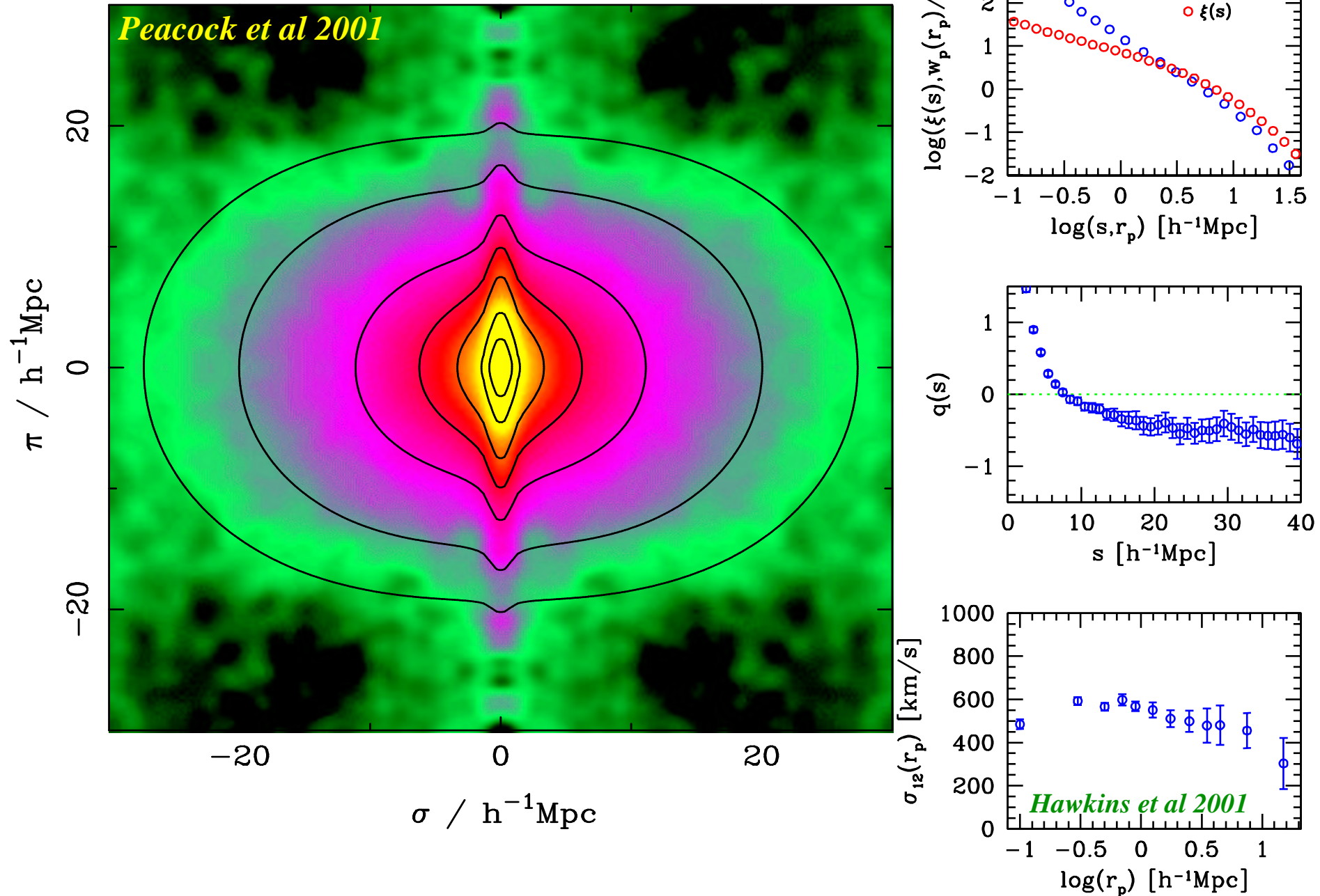
$$\text{projected CF: } w_p(r_p) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \xi(r_p, \pi) d\pi = 2 \int_{r_p}^{\infty} \xi(r) \frac{r dr}{\sqrt{r^2 - r_p^2}}$$

Peculiar velocities cause anisotropy of  $\xi(r_p, \pi)$  and differences between  $\xi(s)$  and  $\xi(r)$ .

Anisotropy of  $\xi(r_p, \pi)$  is quantified by quadrupole-to-monopole ratio denoted by  $q(s)$ .

- **Large Scales:** Infall (“Kaiser Effect”); boosts  $\xi(s)$  w.r.t.  $\xi(r)$ .  $q(s)$  is negative and a measure of  $\beta \equiv \Omega_m^{0.6} / b$ .
- **Small Scales:** Virialized motion (“Finger-of-God”); suppresses  $\xi(s)$  w.r.t.  $\xi(r)$ .  $q(s)$  is positive and a measure for the pairwise velocity dispersions (PVDs) denoted by  $\sigma_{12}$ .

# Large Scale Structure: The 2dFGRS



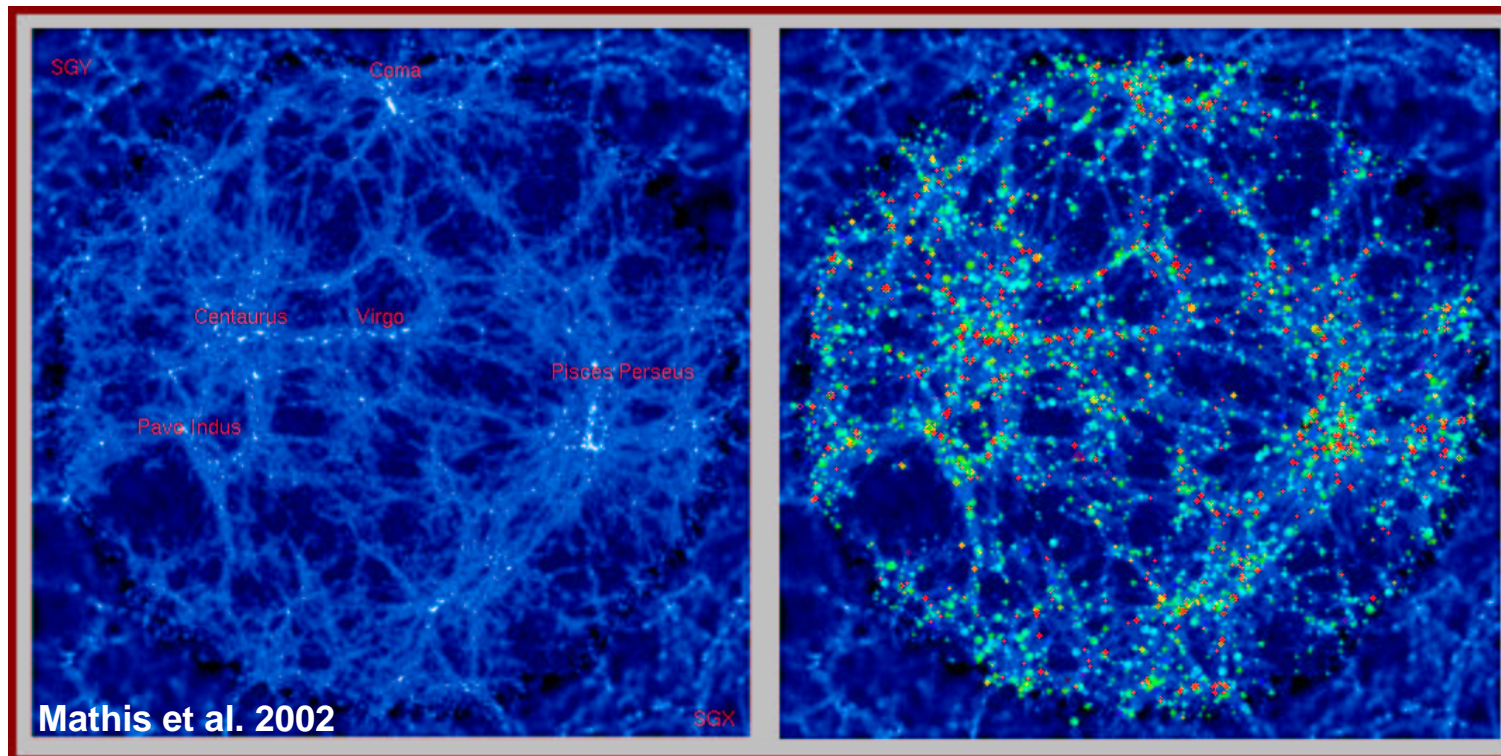
# Hybrid SAM/N-BODY Models

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Recently, **SAMs** have been combined with ***N*-body** simulations. This allows **LSS** studies (Kauffmann et al. 1999; Benson et al. 2000a,b), and allows investigations of the **spatial distribution** of galaxies in clusters (Springel et al. 2001) and in the local environment (Mathis et al. 2002).

Either **merger histories** are obtained directly from the ***N*-body** simulation (Munich & Paris), or they are computed from **EPS theory** and the simulation is only used to **locate** the galaxies (Durham).

(Trade-off between Self-consistency & Resolution Effects)



# SAM history IV

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**1999** **Kauffmann, Colberg, Diaferio & White**

$\Lambda$ CDM<sub>0.3</sub> with  $\Omega_b = 0.05$  — N-body merger histories

- Extreme Resolution Effects: only  $L > L^*$ .
  - Very bad fit to LF; too many bright galaxies, too few  $L^*$  galaxies
  - $\xi(r)$  poorly fit & PVD of galaxies only marginally smaller than for DM particles
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**2000** **Benson, Cole, Frenk, Baugh & Lacey**

$\Lambda$ CDM<sub>0.3</sub> with  $\Omega_b = 0.02$  — EPS merger histories

- Same  $L_{\text{box}} = 141h^{-1}$  Mpc simulation as **Kauffmann et al. (1999)**  
But better resolution:  $L \gtrsim 0.1L^*$
  - Good fits to LFs & TF zero-point
  - Good fits to  $\xi(r)$  and PVDs
  - **Baryonic mass fraction too low!!**
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**SAM's Level of Success for matching LSS observations remains unclear**

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# Halo Occupation Numbers

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PARADIGM: Galaxies live in extended Cold Dark Matter Haloes.

QUESTION: What Galaxy lives in What Halo?

- How many galaxies, on average, per halo?
- How does  $\langle N \rangle$  depend on  $M$ ?
- How does  $\langle N \rangle$  depend on  $L$ ?
- What is  $\langle L \rangle(M)$ ?

The answers to these questions hold important information regarding

- Galaxy Formation (cooling/starformation/feedback)
- Large Scale Structure (galaxy bias)
- Cosmology (Halo mass function/CDM distribution)

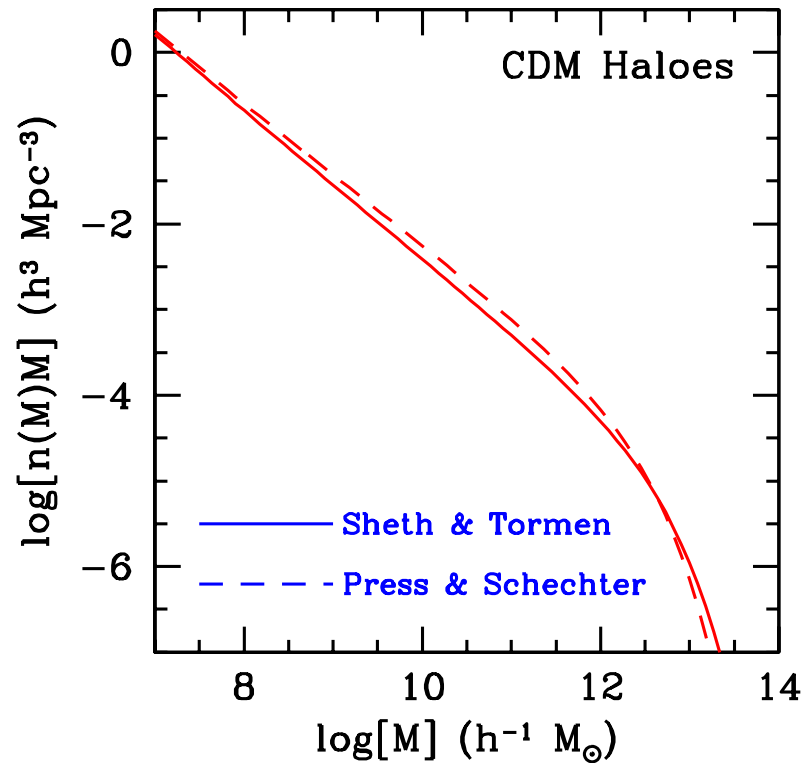
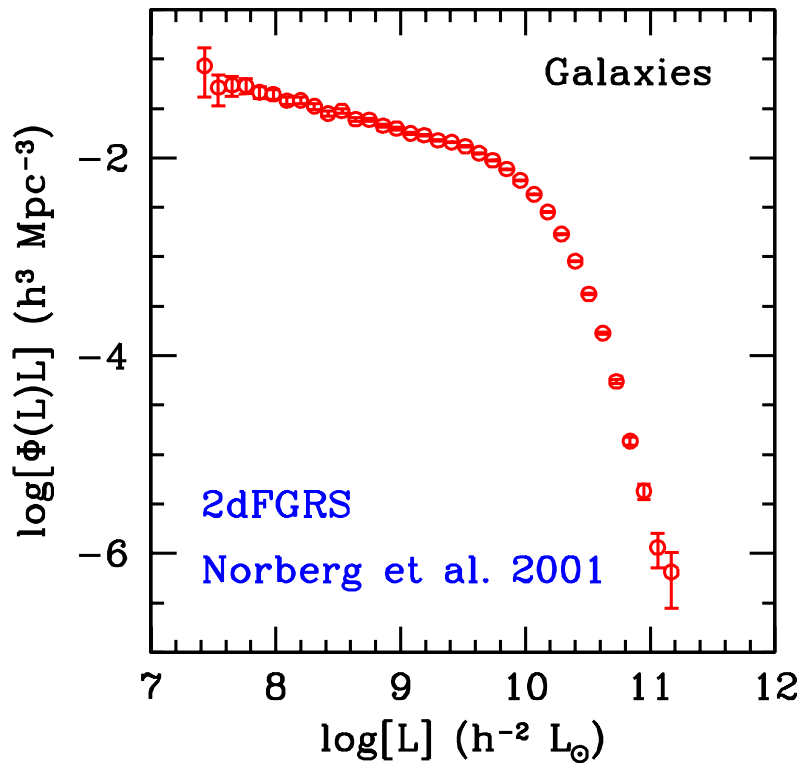
The galaxy-dark matter connection can be studied

Physically: Ab initio galaxy formation models (SAMs)

Statistically: The Conditional Luminosity Function (CLF)

# Lighting-Up the Dark Matter

$\Phi(L)dL$  = comoving number density of galaxies with luminosities in the range  $L, L + dL$ .



We use the **Conditional Luminosity Function** to link the distributions of galaxies and CDM haloes

$\Phi(L|M)dL$  = average number of galaxies with luminosities in the range  $L, L + dL$  that 'live' in haloes of mass  $M$ .



# The Conditional Luminosity Function

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The luminosity function:

$$\Phi(L) = \int_0^\infty \Phi(L|M) n(M) dM$$

The average **luminosity** in a halo of mass  $M$ :

$$\langle L \rangle(M) = \int_0^\infty \Phi(L|M) L dL$$

The average **number** of galaxies in a halo of mass  $M$  with  $L > L_1$ :

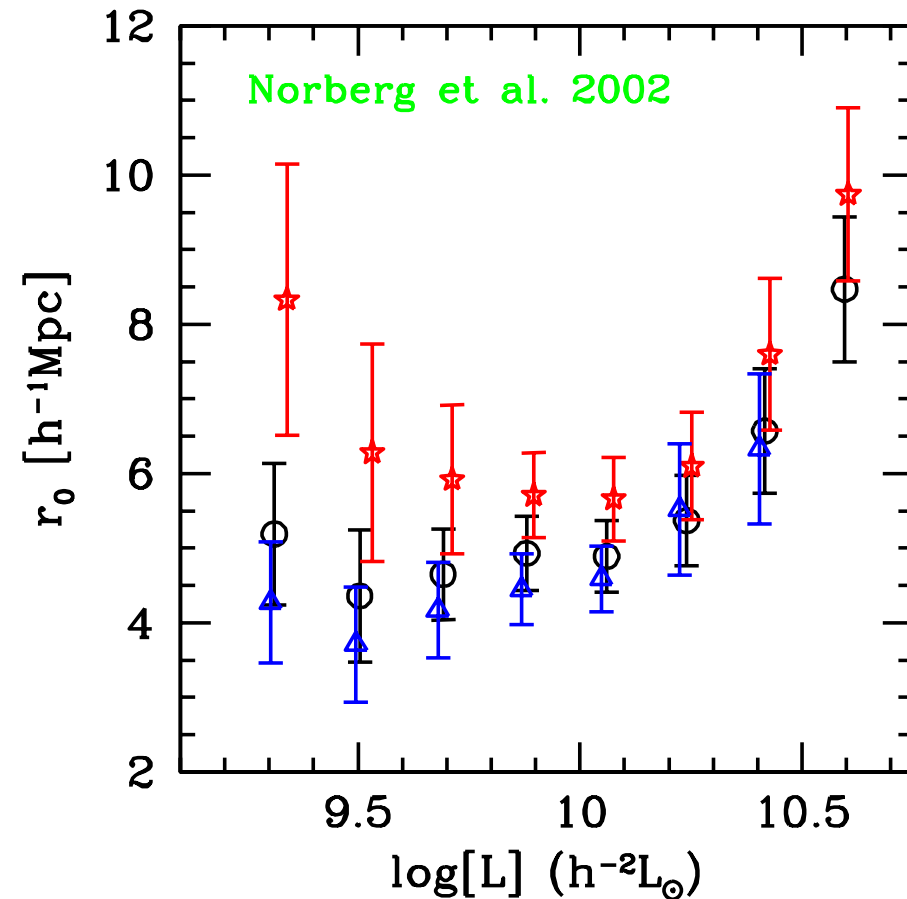
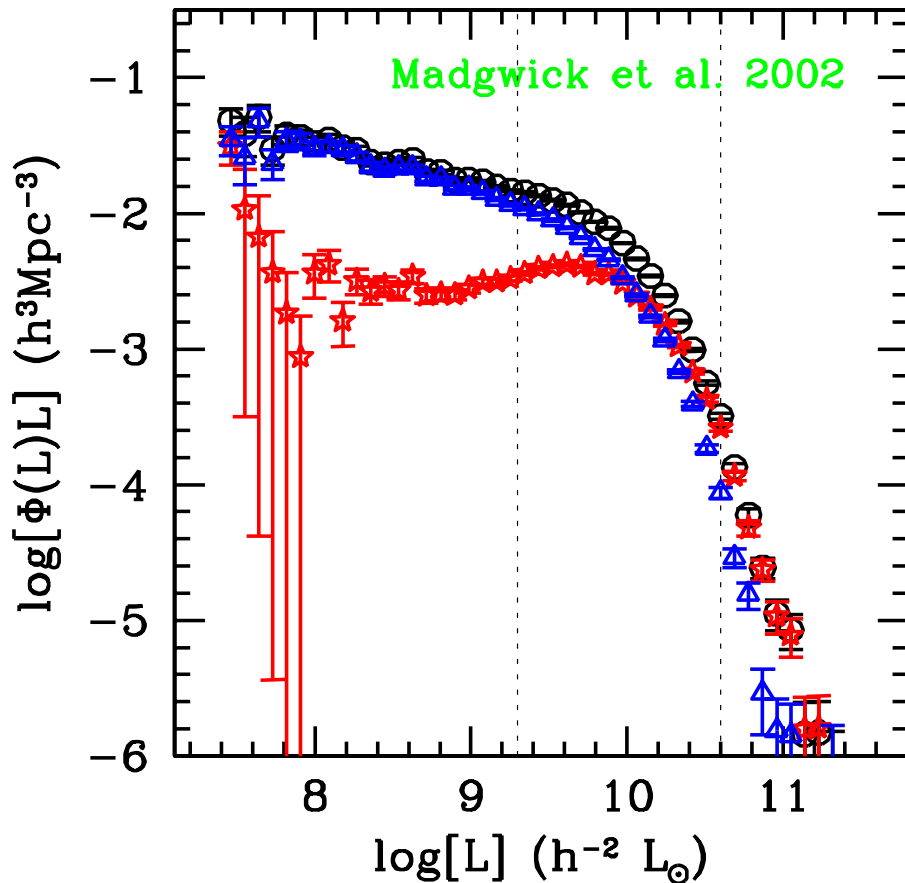
$$N_M(L > L_1) = \int_{L_1}^\infty \Phi(L|M) dL$$

The conditional LFs of **late**- and **early**-type galaxies:

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi_l(L|M) &= f_l(L, M) \Phi(L|M) \\ \Phi_e(L|M) &= [1 - f_l(L, M)] \Phi(L|M)\end{aligned}$$

The conditional LF is the ideal statistical ‘tool’ to link the distributions of dark matter haloes and galaxies.

# Luminosity & Correlation Functions



- On average, **early-type** galaxies are more luminous and more strongly clustered than **late-type** galaxies.
- In general, more luminous galaxies are more strongly clustered.

**REMINDER:** Correlation length  $r_0$  defined by  $\xi(r_0) = 1$



# The Galaxy Correlation Function

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The two-point galaxy-galaxy correlation function can be split in a 1-halo and a 2-halo term

$$\xi_{\text{gg}}(r) = \xi_{\text{gg}}^{\text{1h}}(r) + \xi_{\text{gg}}^{\text{2h}}(r) = \xi_{\text{gg}}^{\text{1h}}(r) + \bar{b}^2 \xi_{\text{hh}}^{\text{2h}}(r)$$

Here  $\bar{b}$  and  $\xi_{\text{hh}}^{\text{2h}}(r)$  are computed as follows:

- $\bar{b} = \frac{1}{\bar{n}_g} \int_0^\infty n(M) \langle N(M) \rangle b(M) dM$  (Berlind & Weinberg 2002)
- $\langle N(M) \rangle = \int_{L_1}^{L_2} \Phi(L|M) dL$
- $\xi_{\text{hh}}^{\text{2h}}(r; M_1, M_2) = b(M_1) b(M_2) \xi_{\text{dm}}^{\text{2h}}(r)$  (Mo & White 1996)
- $\xi_{\text{dm}}^{\text{2h}}(r) = \xi_{\text{dm}}(r) - \xi_{\text{dm}}^{\text{1h}}(r)$  (Ma & Fry 2000)
- $\xi_{\text{dm}}(r) = \int_0^\infty \Delta_{\text{nl}}^2(k) \frac{\sin(kr)}{kr} \frac{dk}{k}$

**NOTE:**  $\xi_{\text{gg}}^{\text{1h}}(r)$  can be ignored at large  $r$

# The Model

- The LFs of clusters are well fit by a **Schechter** function
- The LF of all field galaxies has a **Schechter** form
- The halo mass function has a **Press-Schechter** form

We therefore **assume** that the CLF also has the **Schechter** form:

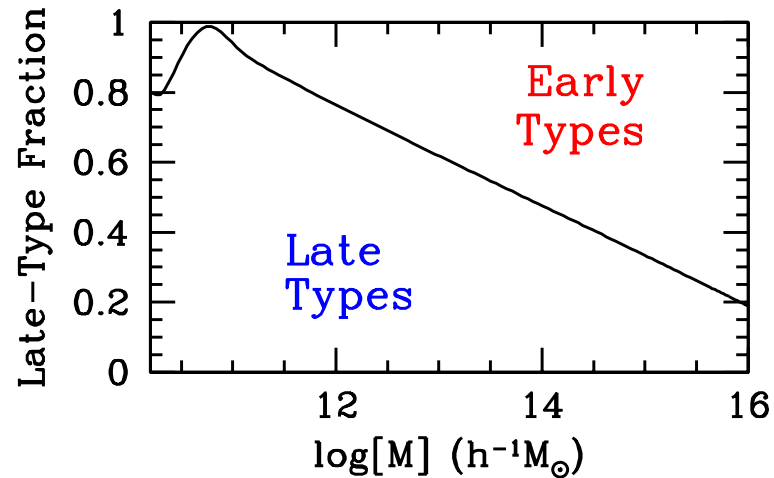
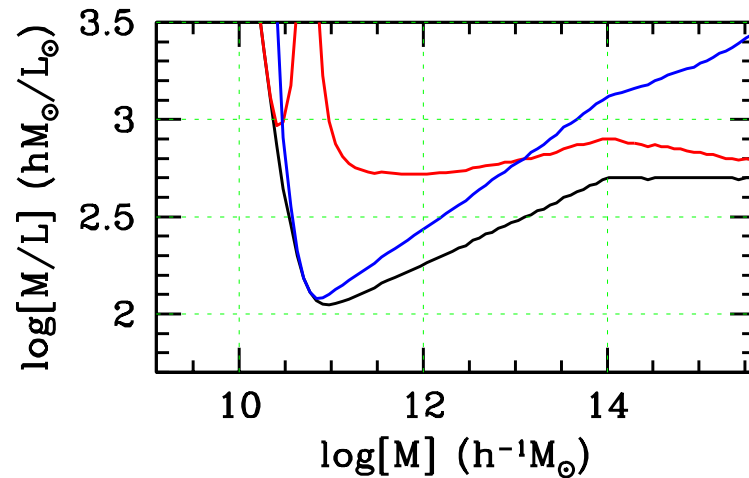
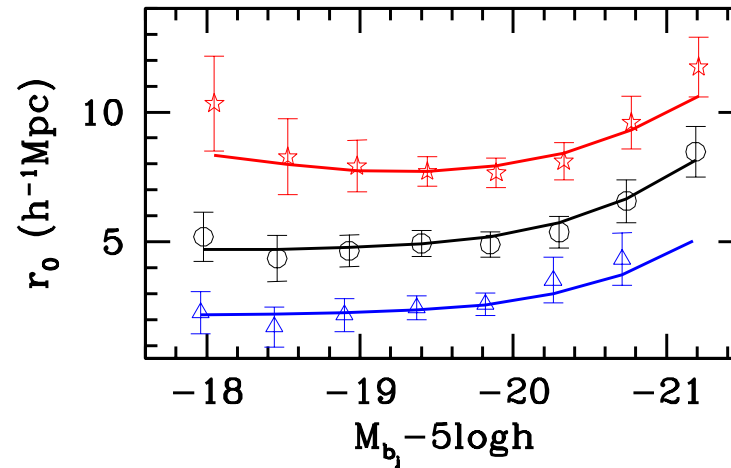
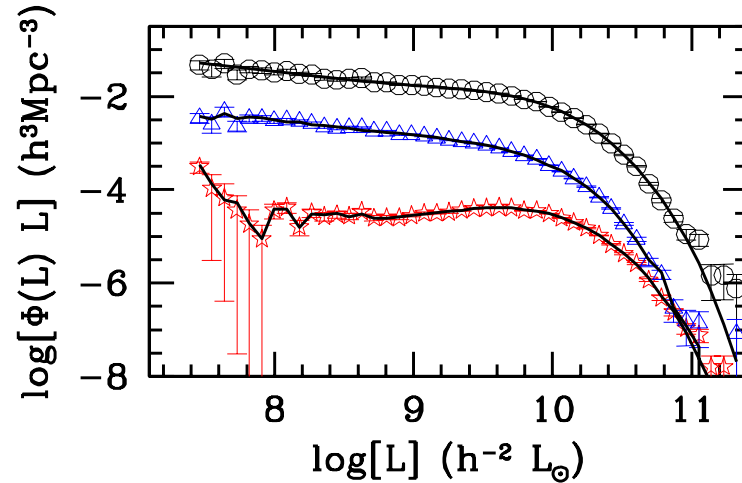
$$\Phi(L|M)dL = \frac{\tilde{\Phi}^*}{\tilde{L}^*} \left( \frac{L}{\tilde{L}^*} \right)^{\tilde{\alpha}} \exp(-L/\tilde{L}^*) dL$$

Here  $\tilde{\Phi}^*$ ,  $\tilde{L}^*$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}$  all depend on  $M$ .

- Parameterize  $\tilde{\Phi}^*$ ,  $\tilde{L}^*$  and  $\tilde{\alpha}$
- Find parameters that best fit  $\Phi(L)$  and  $r_0(L)$
- Let  $f_l(L, M) = g(L)h(M)$  and constrain  $g(L)$  such that the model reproduces  $\Phi_l(L)/\Phi(L)$ .
- Find the  $h(M)$  that best reproduces the  $r_0(L)$  of **late-** and **early-**type galaxies.

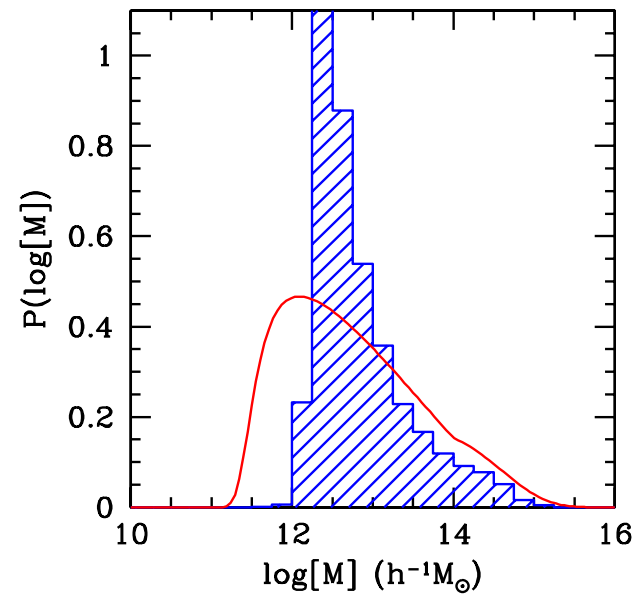
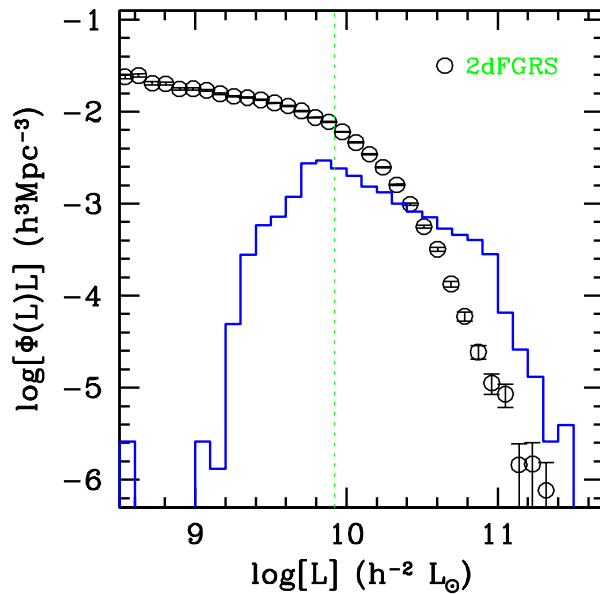
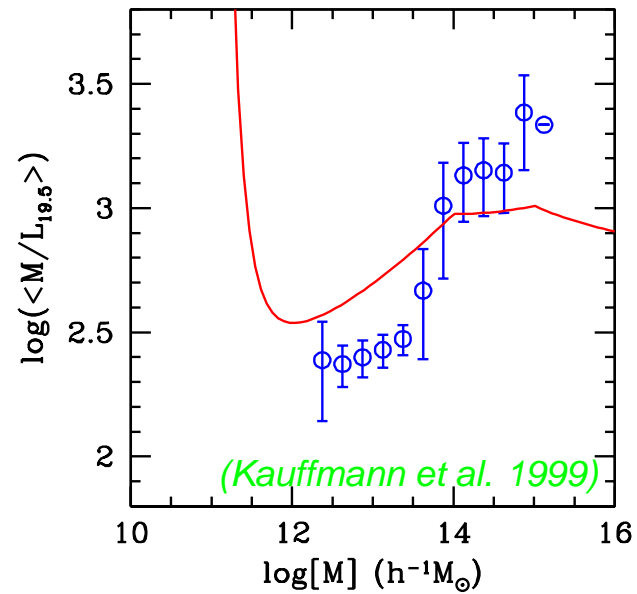
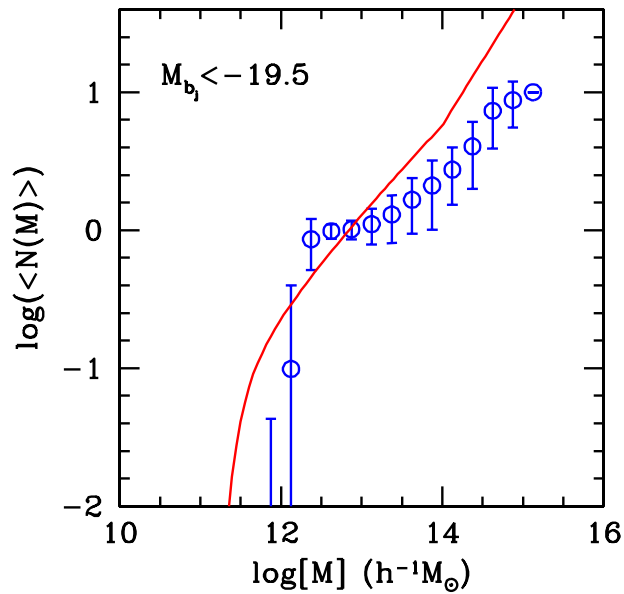
# The Concordance Cosmology

$$\Omega_m = 0.3; \Omega_\Lambda = 0.7, h = 0.7, \sigma_8 = 0.9, n = 1.0$$



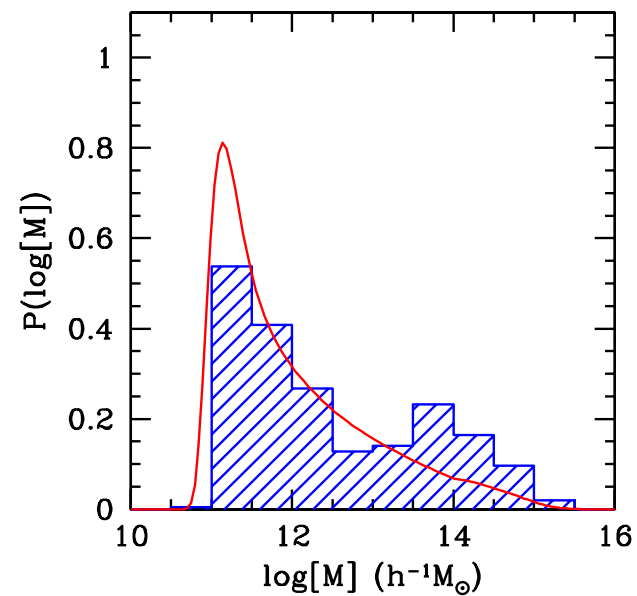
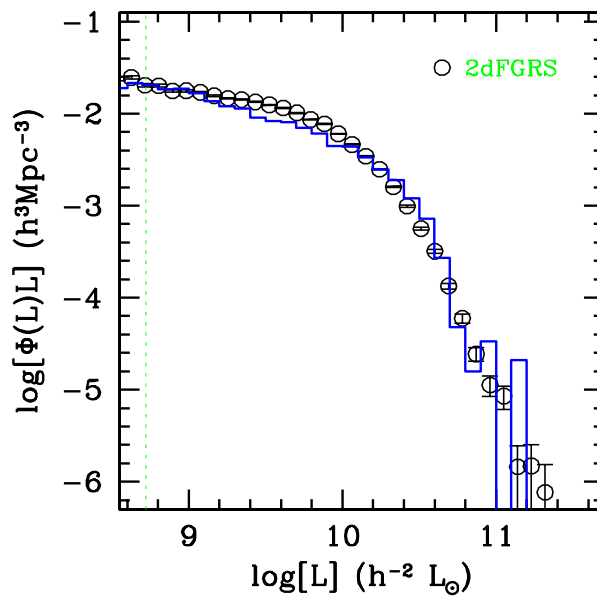
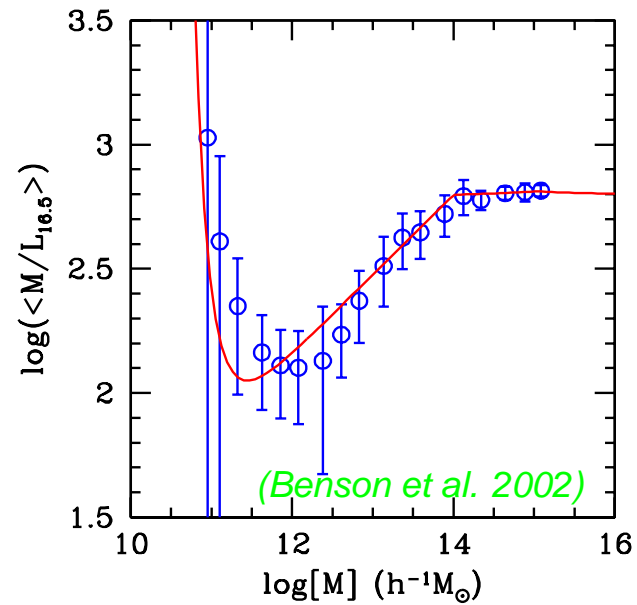
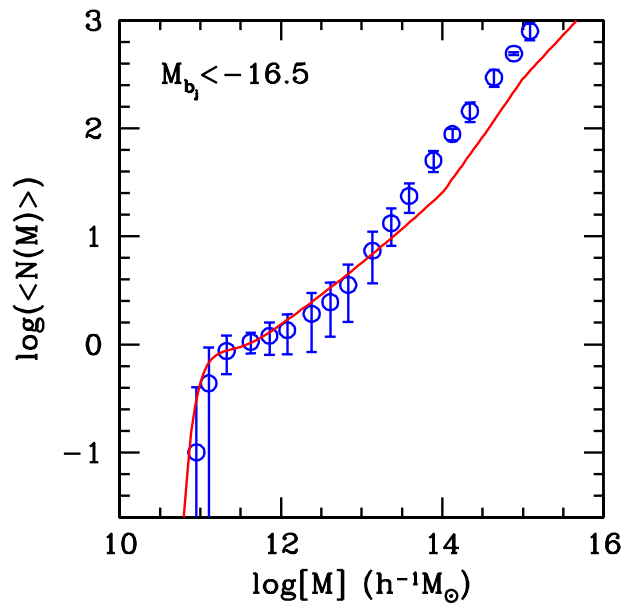
Concordance model fits  $\Phi(L)$  and  $r_0(L)$  of both early- and late-type galaxies.

# Semi-Analytical Models I



Poor agreement with CLF; but SAM doesn't fit LF

# Semi-Analytical Models II



**Good agreement with SAMs that fit LF**

# The Issue of Galaxy Bias

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CDM distribution

$$\delta_{\text{DM}}(\vec{x}) = \frac{\rho(\vec{x}) - \bar{\rho}}{\bar{\rho}}$$

(cosmology dependent)

Galaxy distribution

$$\delta_{\text{gal}}(\vec{x}) = \frac{n_{\text{gal}}(\vec{x}) - \bar{n}_{\text{gal}}}{\bar{n}_{\text{gal}}}$$

(observable)

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Unknown **bias**  $b(\vec{x}) = \delta_{\text{gal}}(\vec{x}) / \delta_{\text{DM}}(\vec{x})$ , which is an imprint of various galaxy formation processes, leads to

- Degeneracy between  $\beta$  and  $\Omega_m$ .
- Degeneracy between  $r_0$  and  $\sigma_8$ .

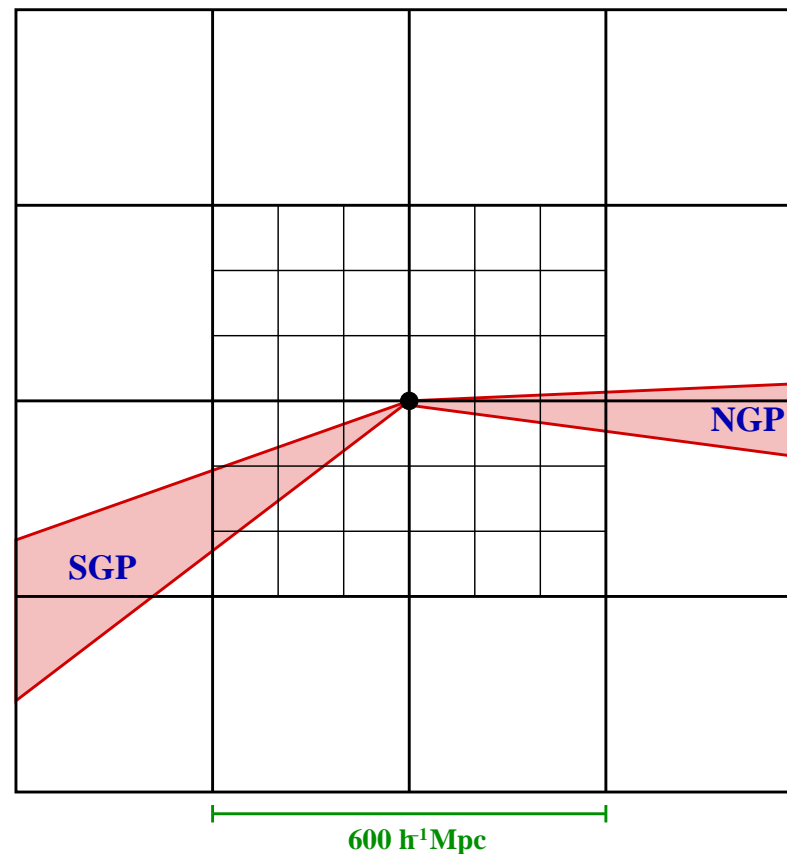
**Conditional Luminosity Function** provides a statistical description of the bias as function of both **luminosity** and **type**.

$$\bar{b}(L) = \frac{1}{\bar{n}_{\text{gal}}} \int_0^\infty \Phi(L|M) b(M) n(M) dM$$

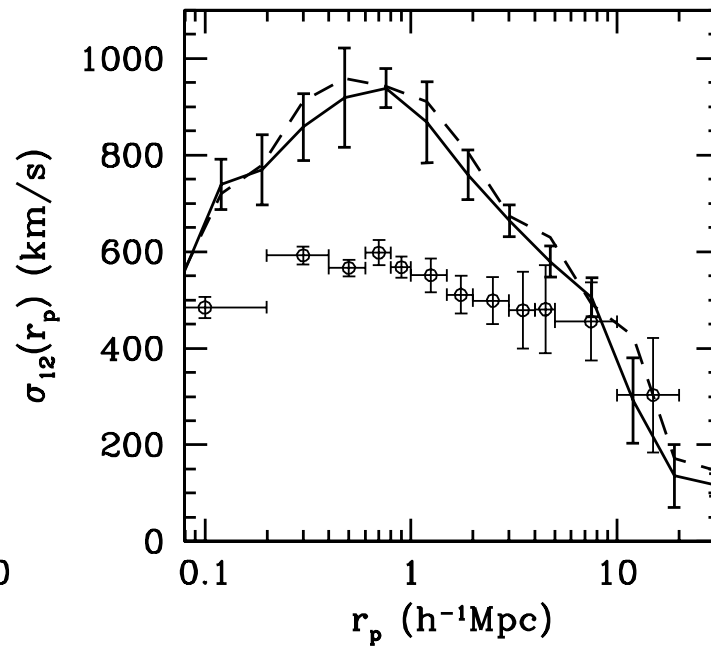
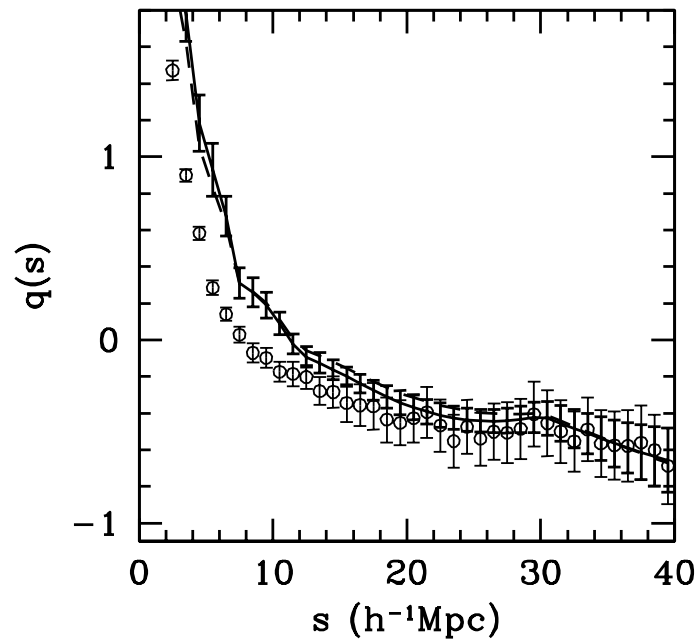
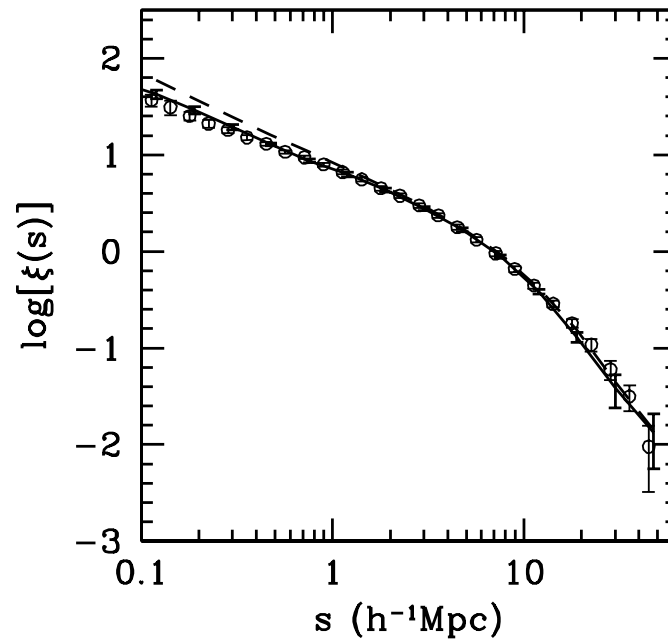
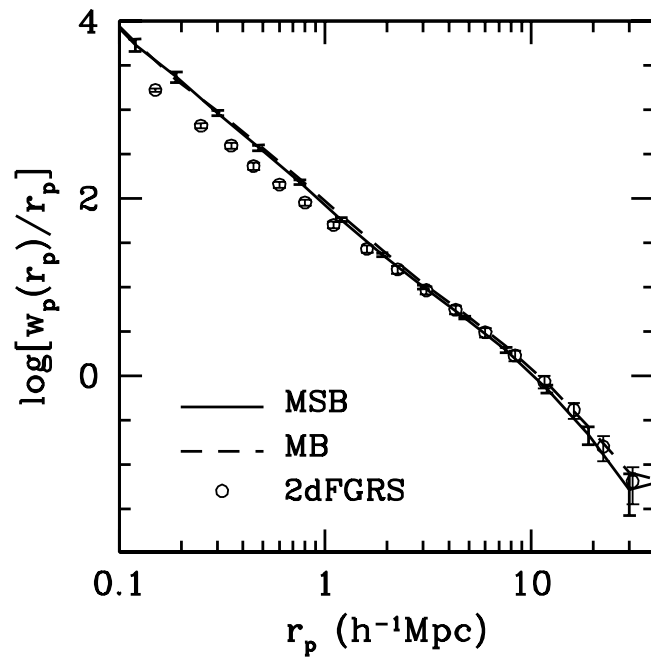
Therefore, the **CLF** is the ideal tool to study LSS.

# Constructing Mock Surveys

- Run **numerical simulations**:  $\Lambda$ CDM concordance cosmology;  $L_{\text{box}} = 100h^{-1}$  Mpc and  $L_{\text{box}} = 300h^{-1}$  Mpc with  $512^3$  CDM particles each.
- Identify **dark matter haloes** (**FOF** algorithm,  $b = 0.2$ ).
- Populate haloes with galaxies using **CLF**.
- Stack boxes to create **virtual universe** and mimic observations (**magnitude limit, completeness, geometry**)

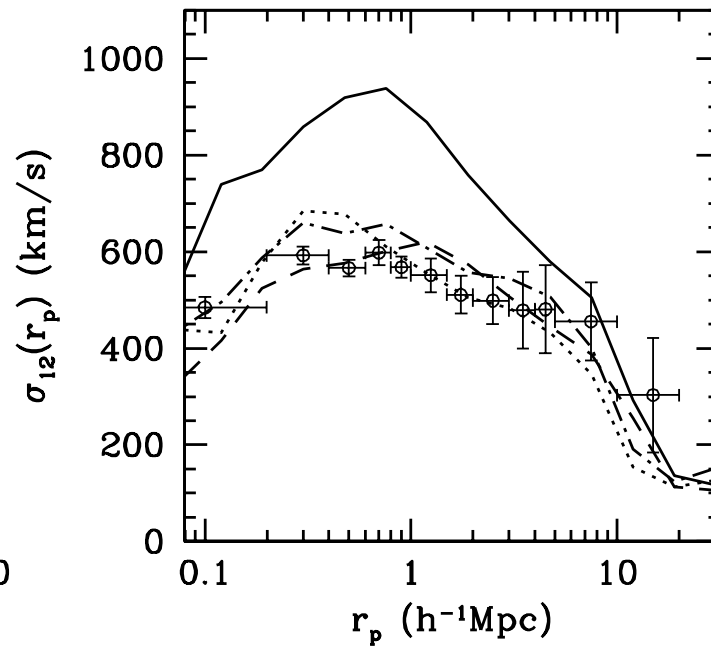
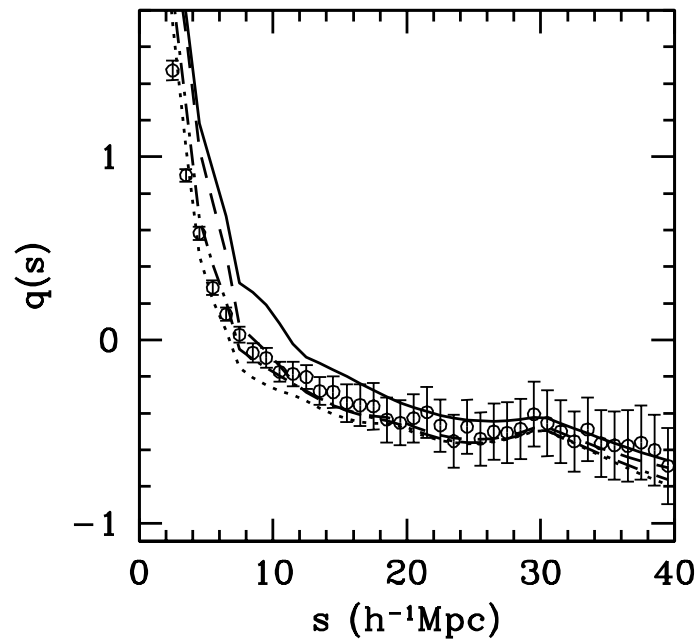
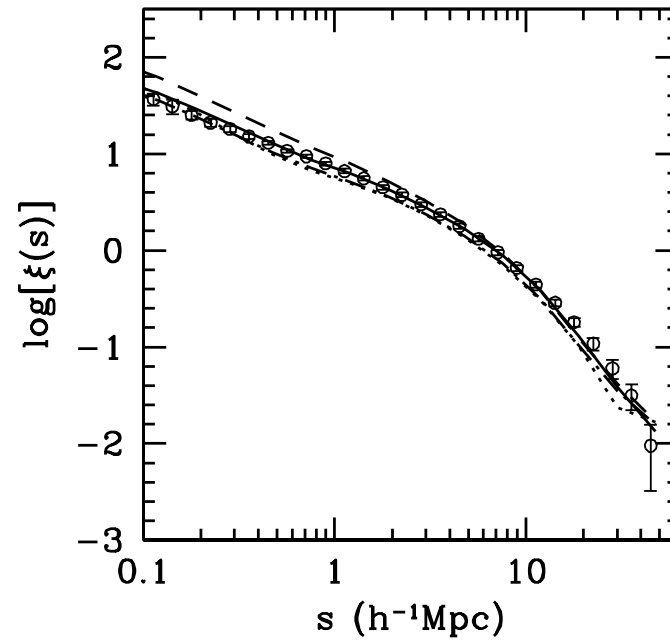
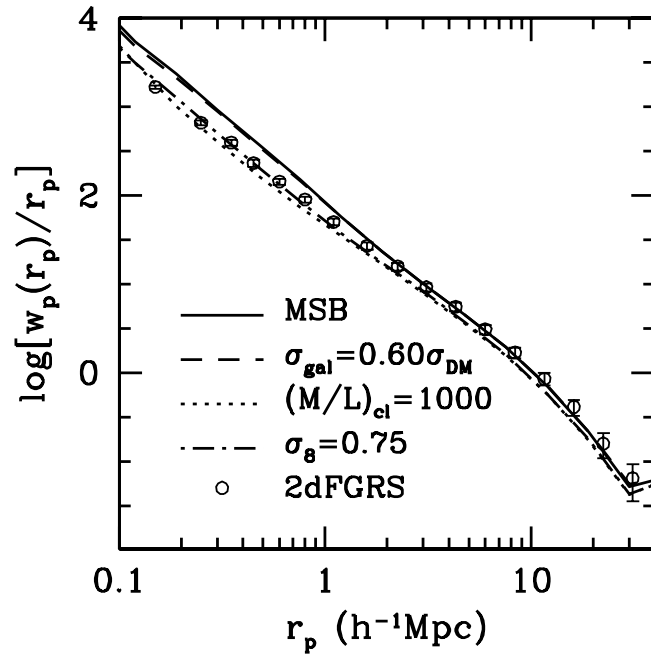


# Mock versus 2dFGRS: round 1

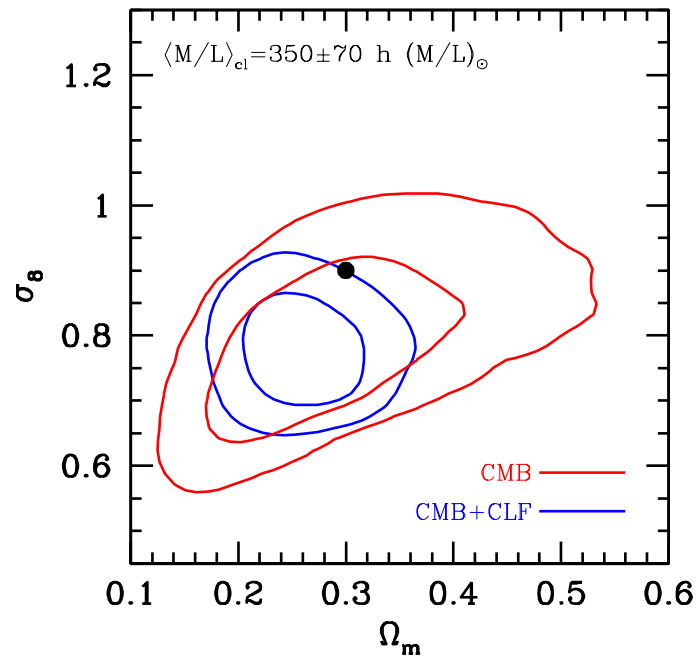
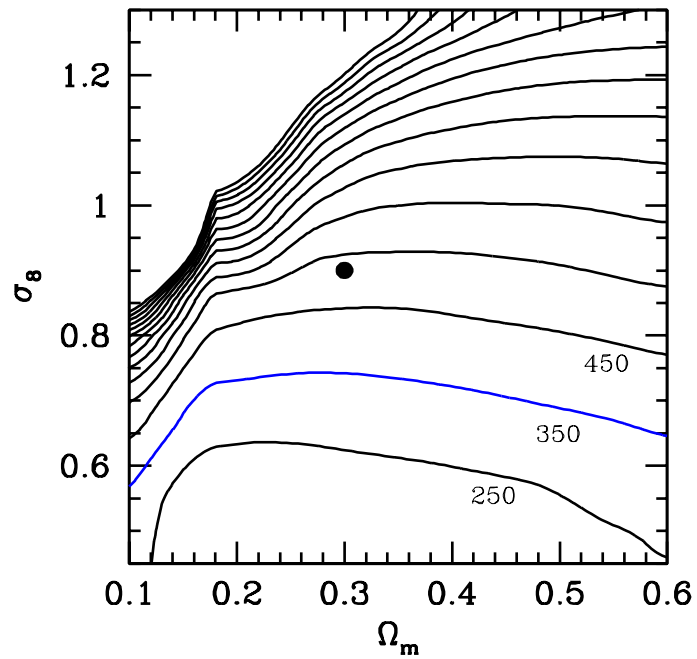
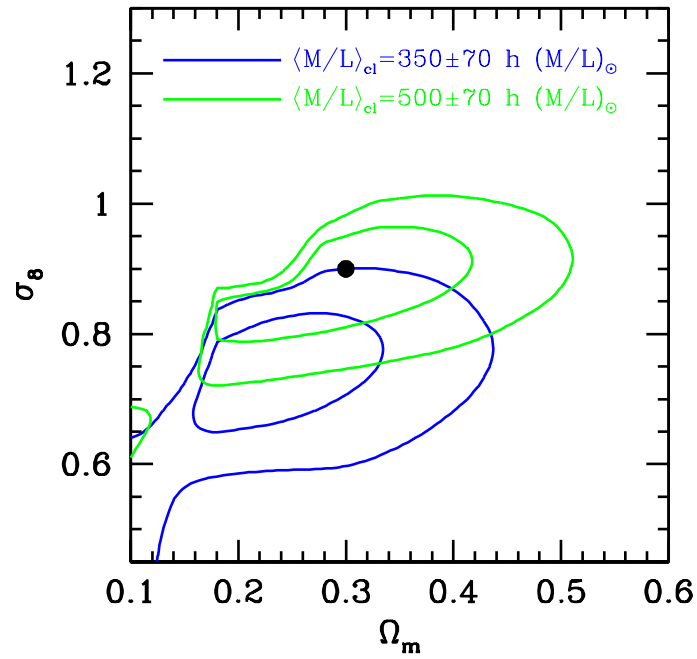
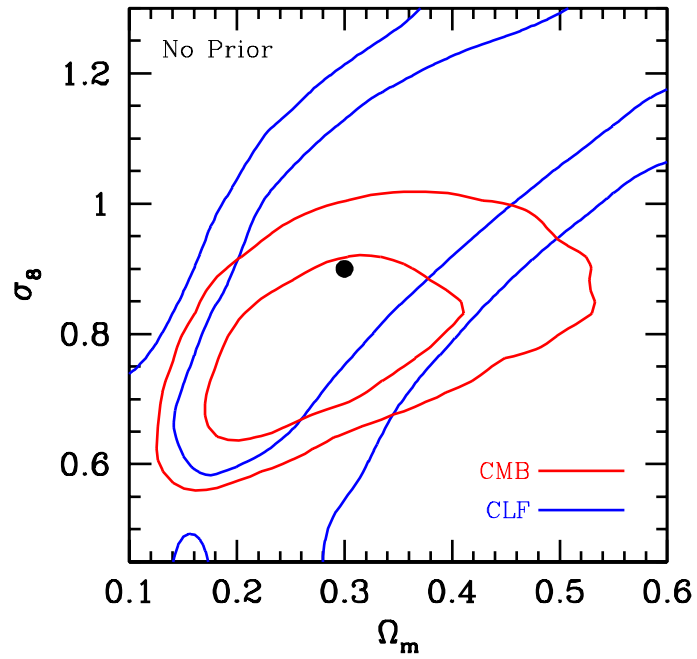




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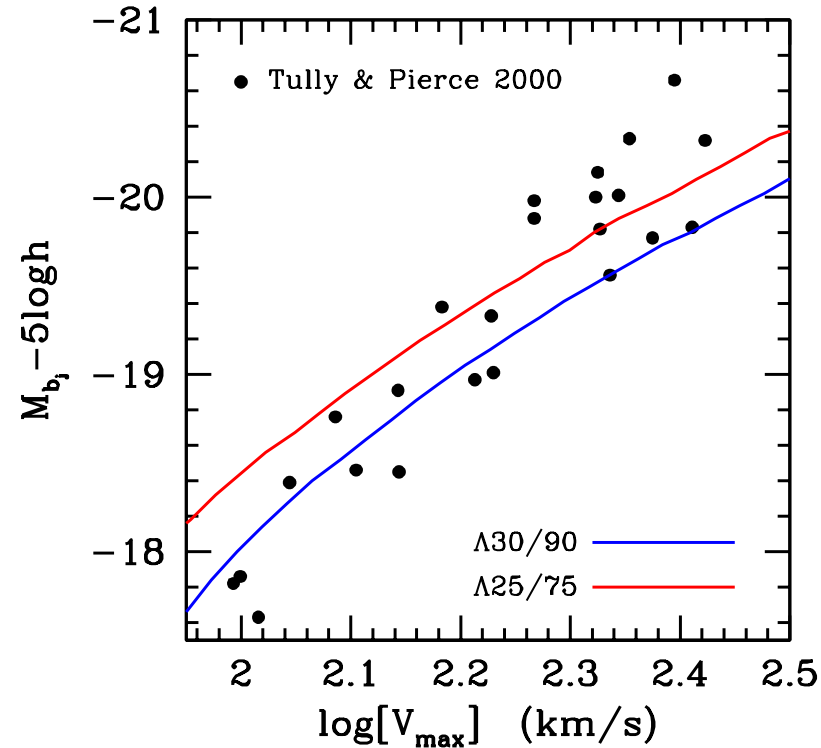
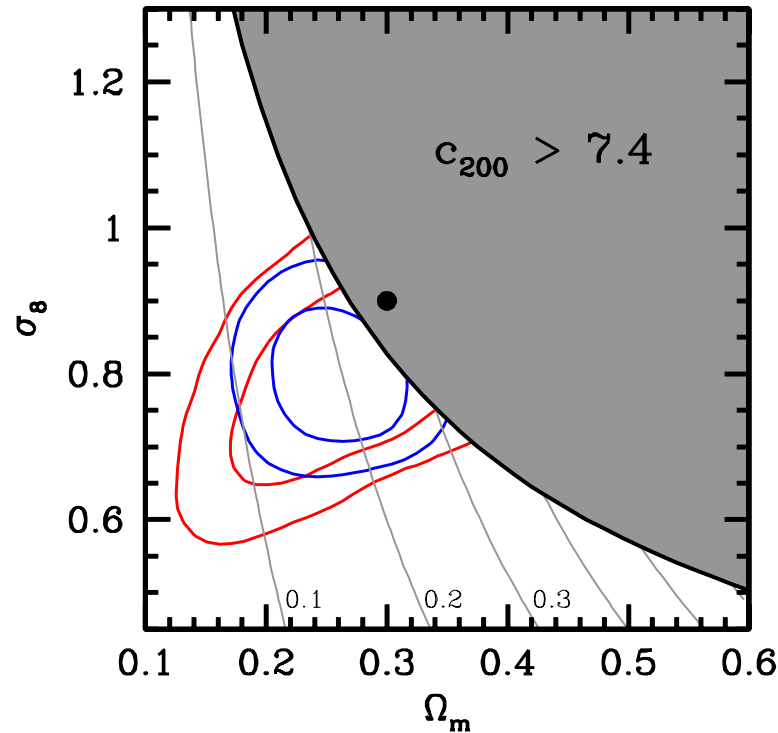


# Constraints on $\Omega_m$ and $\sigma_8$



# Concordance on Galactic Scales?

$$\Omega_m = 0.25 \pm 0.04 \quad \sigma_8 = 0.78 \pm 0.06$$



Cosmologies with lower  $\Omega_m$  and lower  $\sigma_8$  yield dark matter haloes that are significantly less concentrated. This

- Alleviates problem with **rotation curves** of dwarf and LSB galaxies.
- Results in a **TF zero-point** that is  $\sim 0.5$  magnitudes brighter.

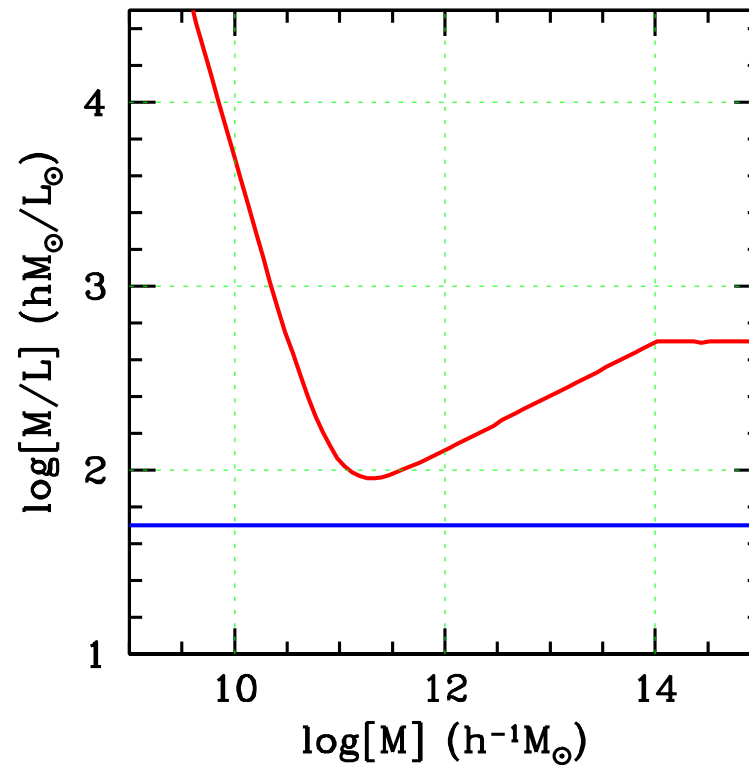
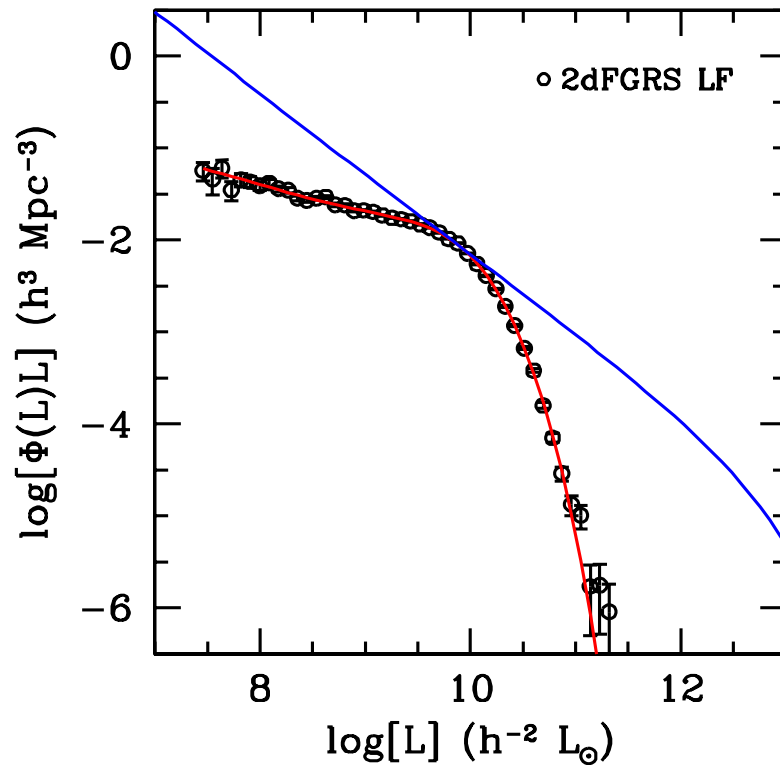
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# The LF Challenge

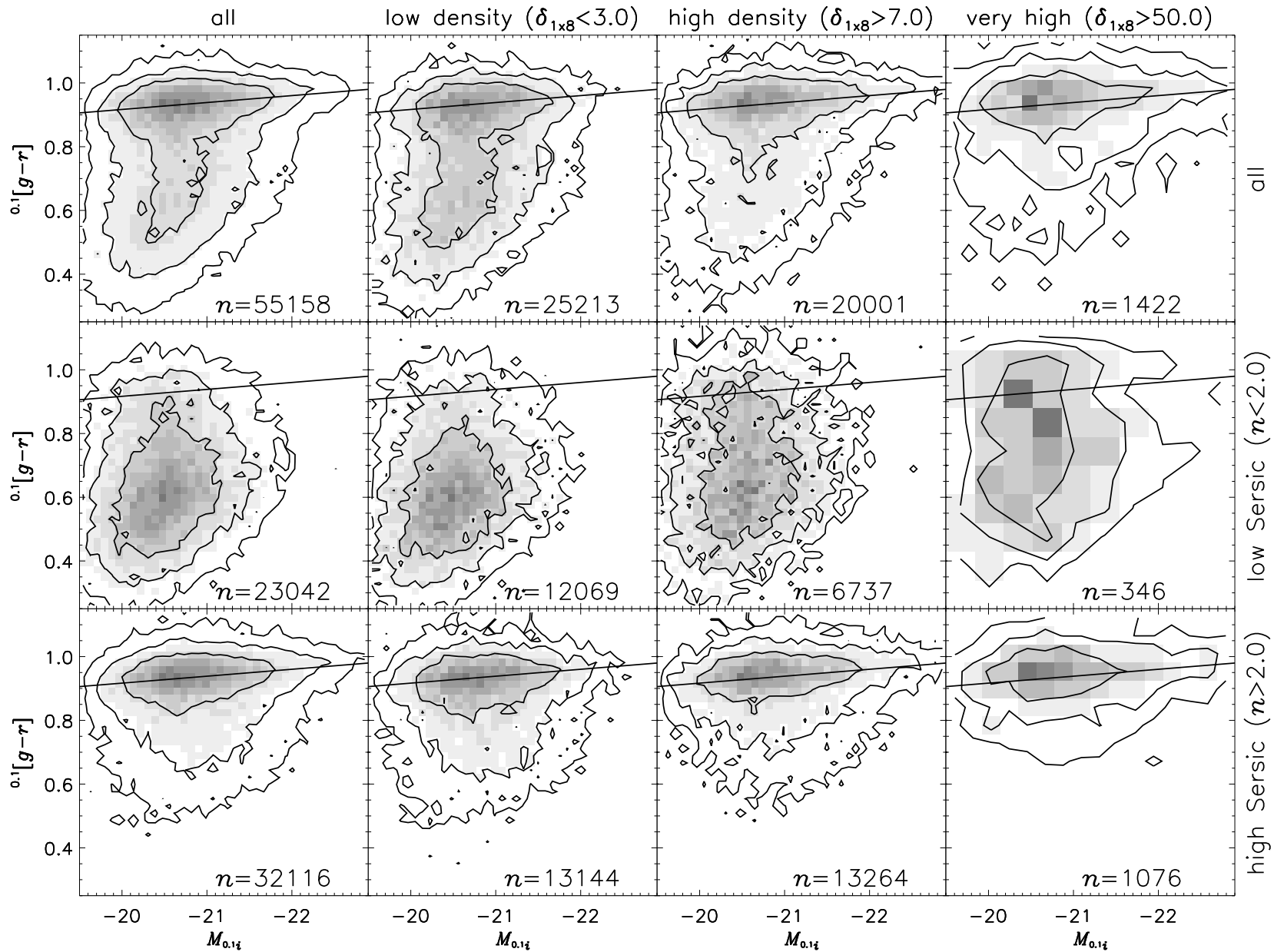
$\Phi(L)dL$  = comoving number density of galaxies with luminosities in the range  $L, L + dL$ .

$n(M)dM$  = comoving number density of dark matter haloes with masses in the range  $M, M + dM$ .



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# Color-Magnitude Relations from SDSS



# SAM history Ib

## Uncle Sam in Trouble...

*First results from  
Kauffmann, White & Guiderdoni 1993*

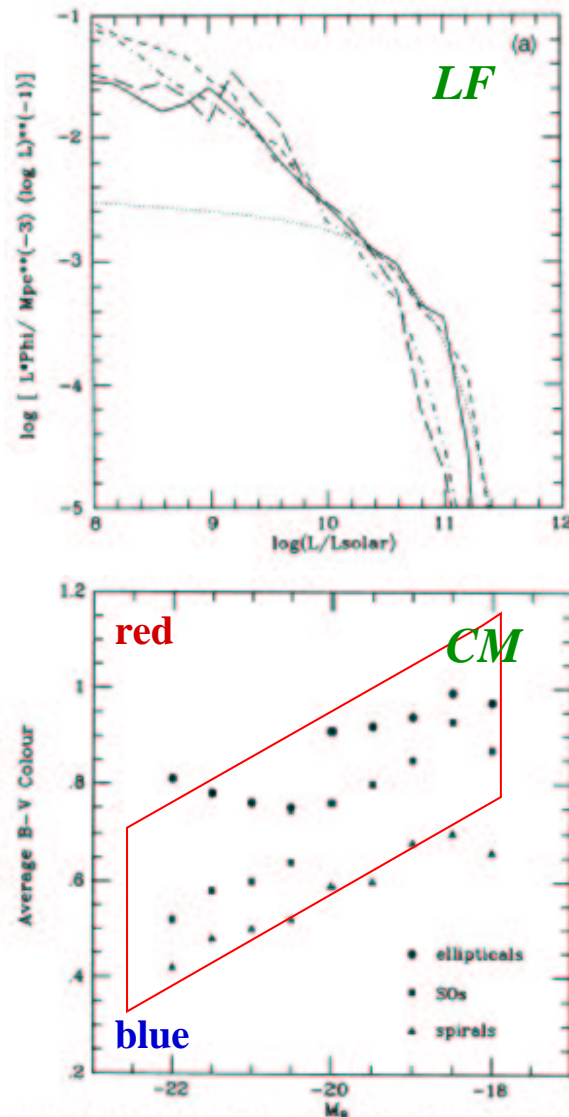


Figure 5. The average  $B-V$  colours of galaxies of different morphological type in a dark matter halo of circular velocity  $1000 \text{ km s}^{-1}$  for the same model as in Fig. 4.

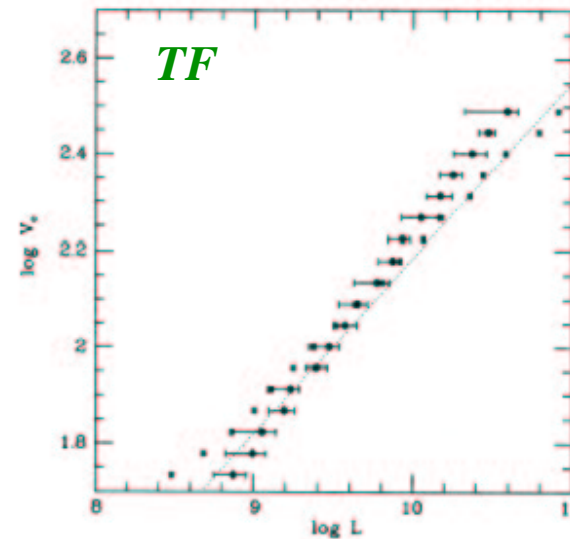
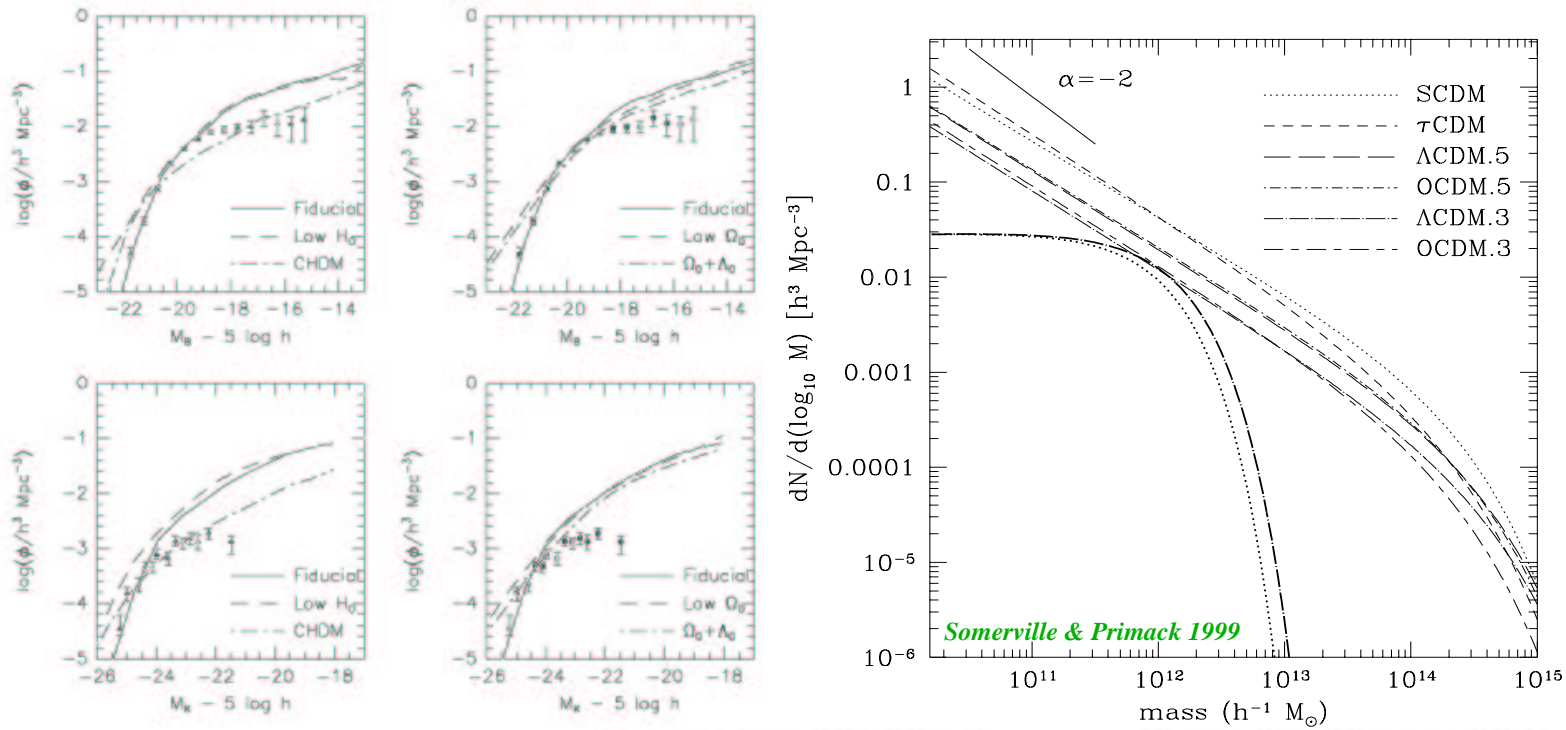
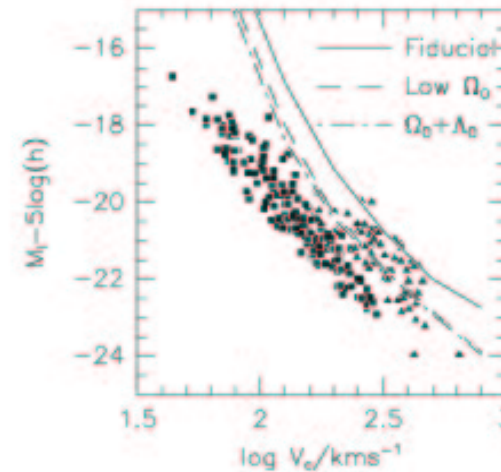
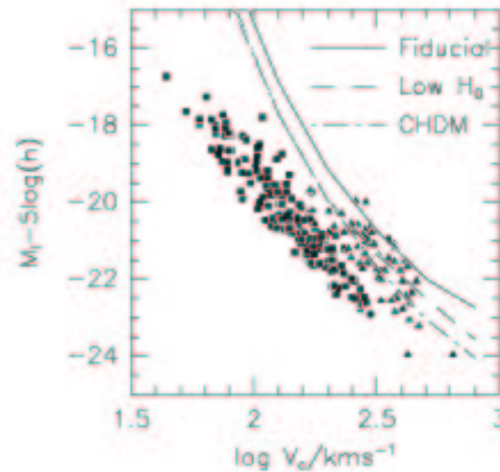


Figure 7. The circular velocities of the haloes of present-day central galaxies versus their  $B$ -band luminosities for models with  $\Omega_b = 0.1$ ,  $f_{\text{merg}} = 1$  and dwarf suppression (filled circles) and  $\Omega_b = 0.2$ ,  $f_{\text{merg}} = 1$  and dwarf suppression (squares). Horizontal error bars show the scatter obtained in 20 realizations of the merging history for haloes of each circular velocity. The dotted line shows the observed 'Tully-Fisher' relation measured by Pierce & Tully (1988) after correction to  $H_0 = 50 \text{ km s}^{-1} \text{ Mpc}^{-1}$ .

# SAM history IIb



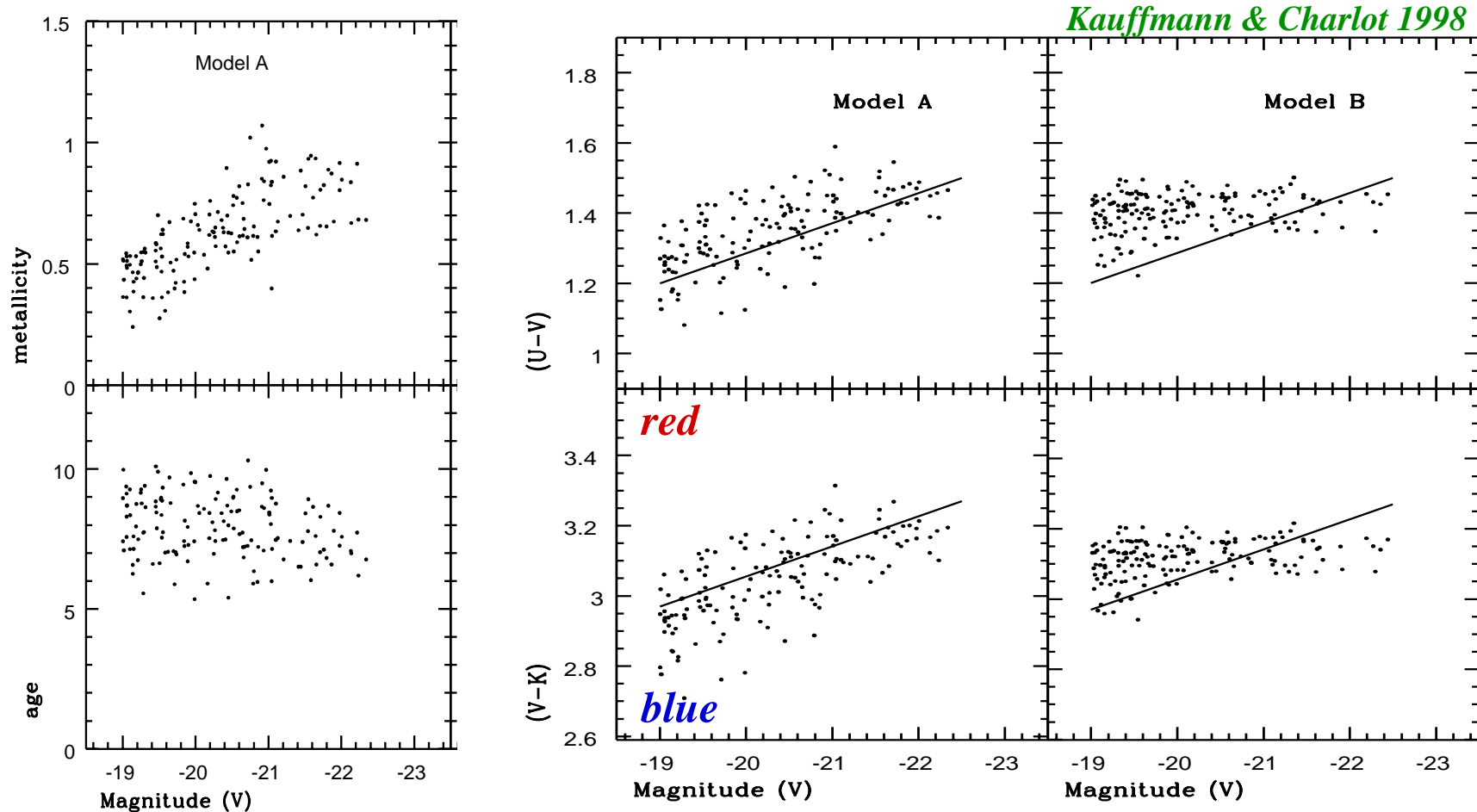
*Heyl et al 1995*



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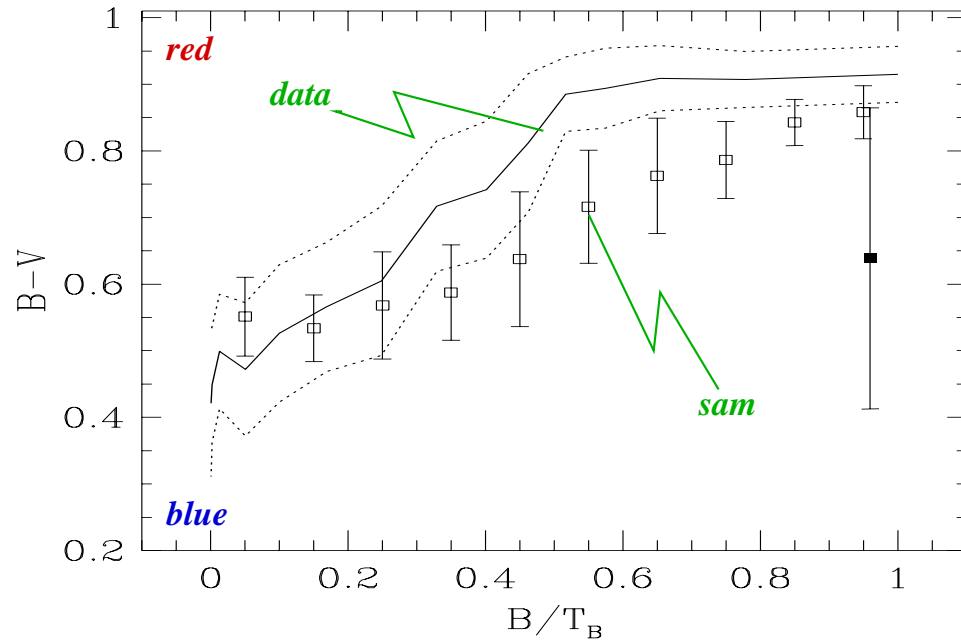
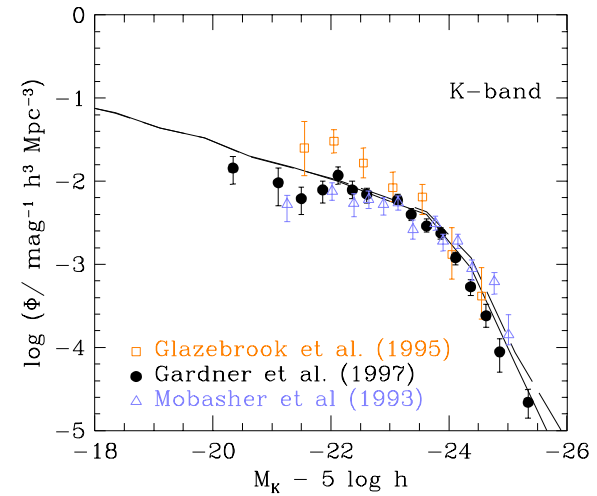
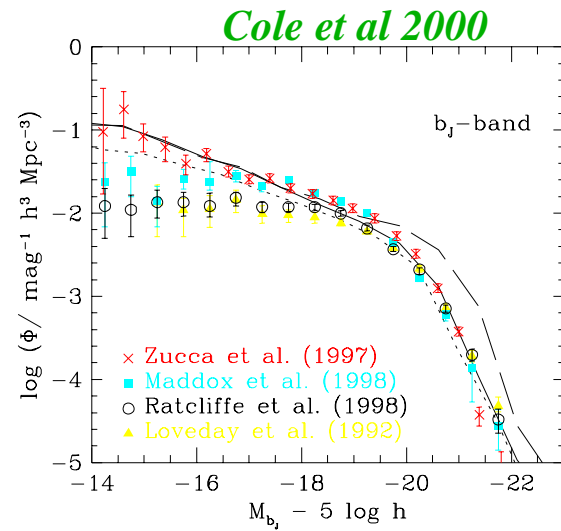
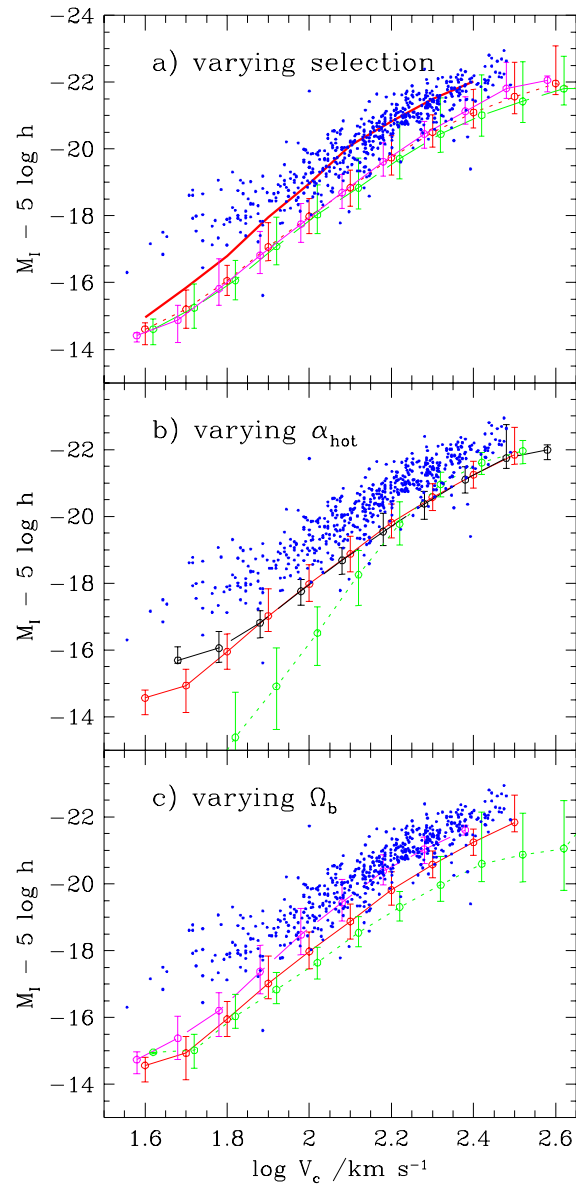
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**Color–Magnitude relation is a metallicity effect...**

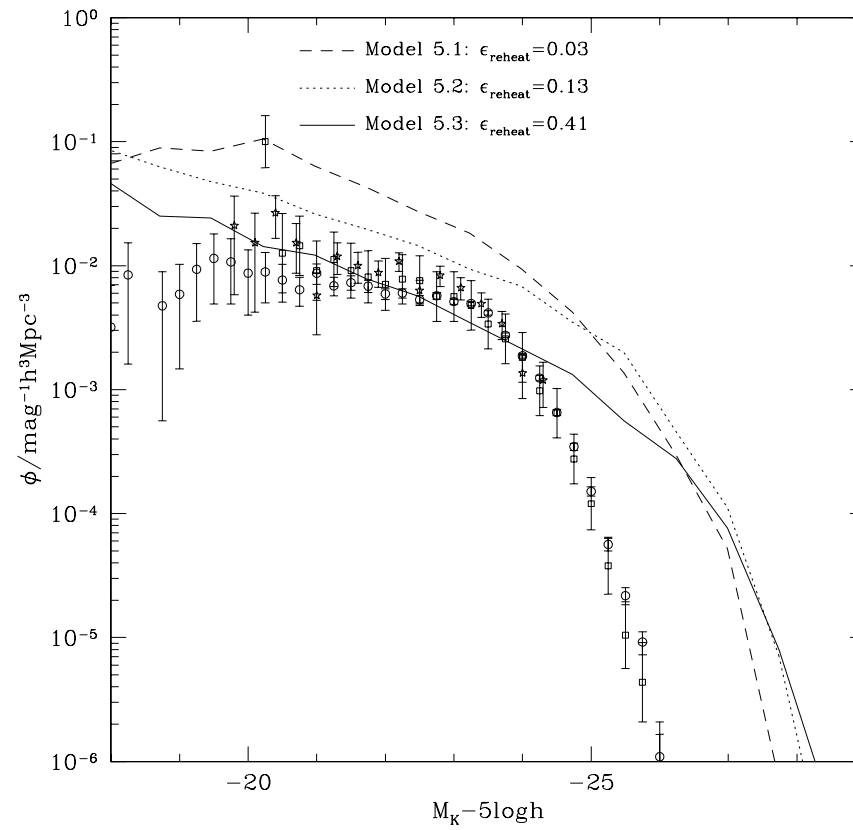
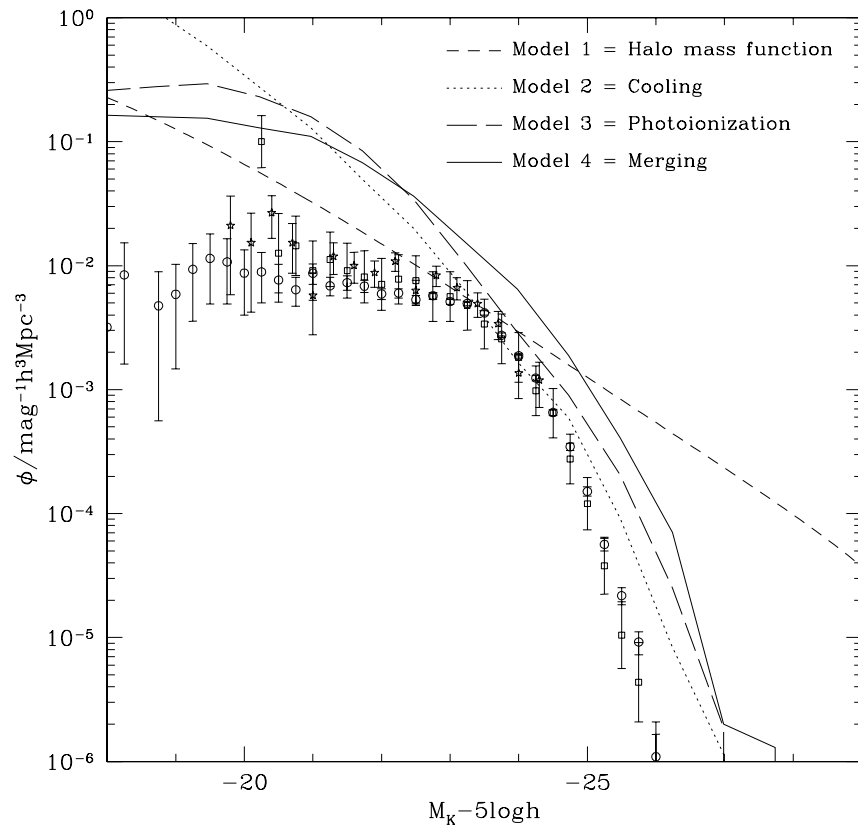
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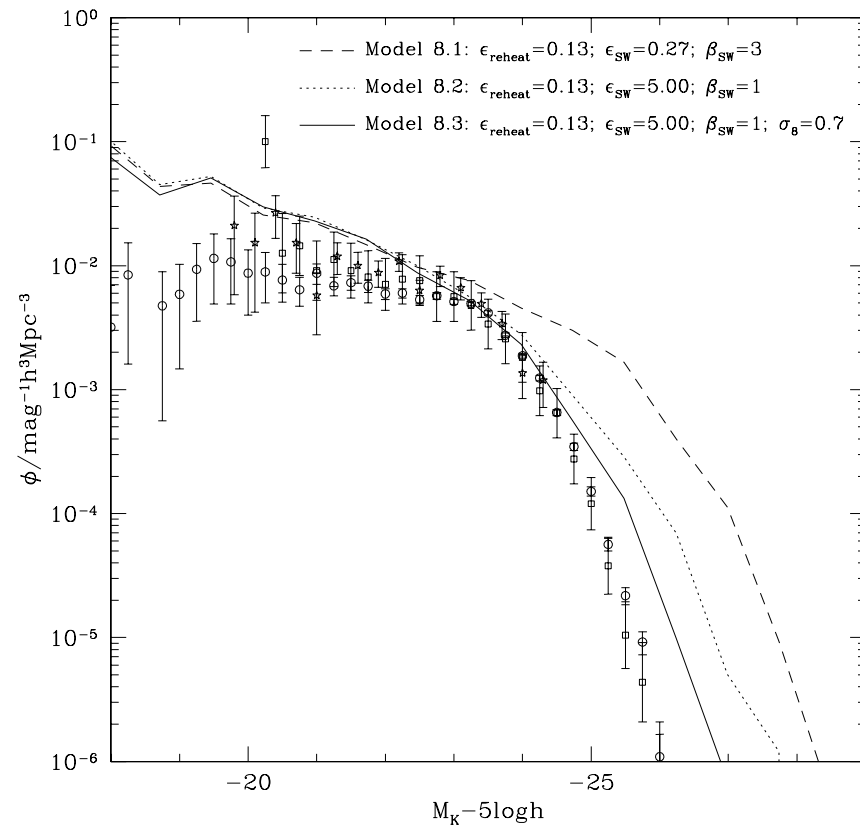
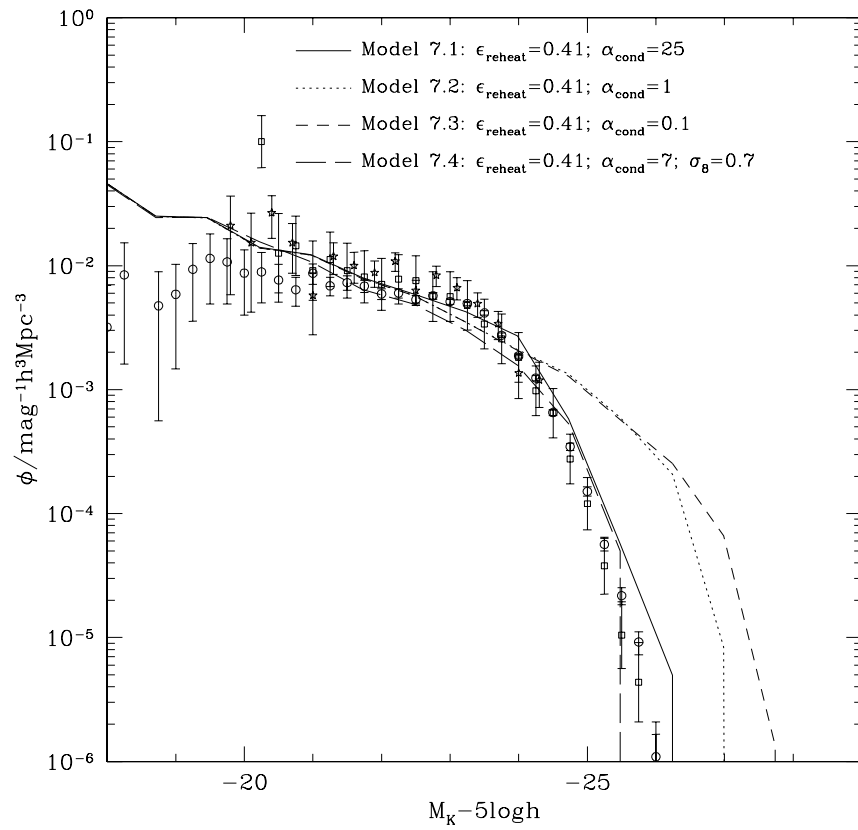
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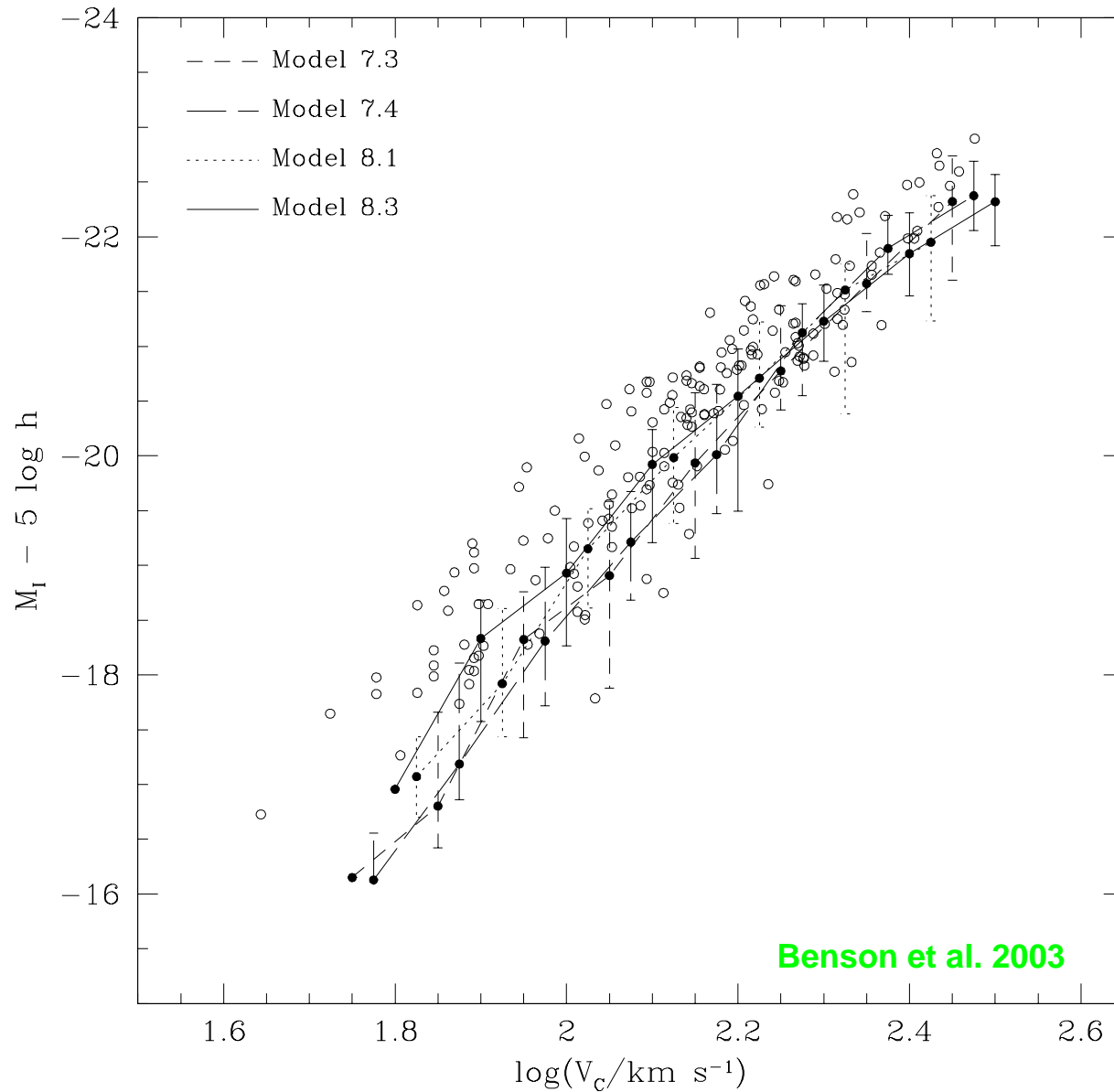
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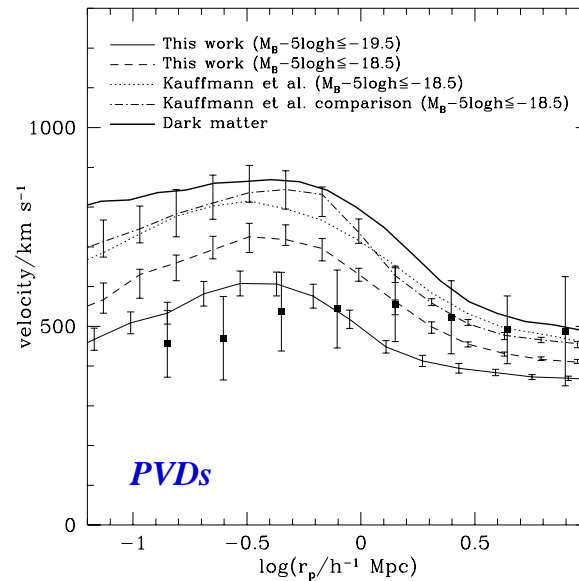
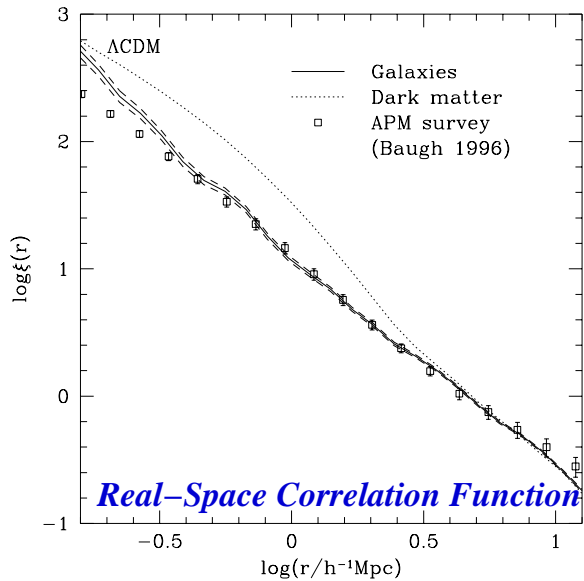
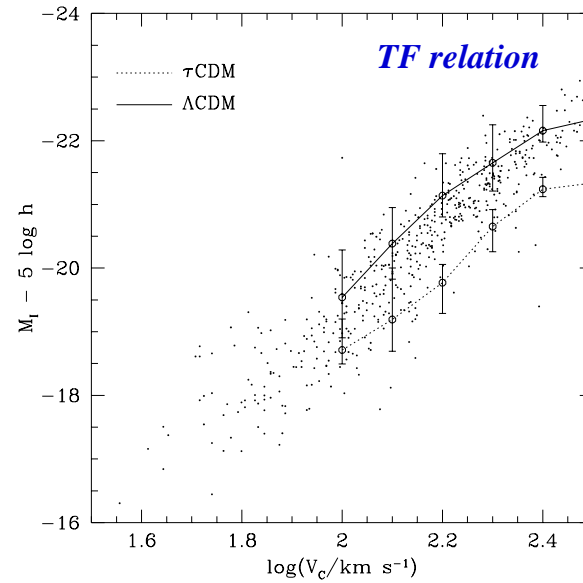
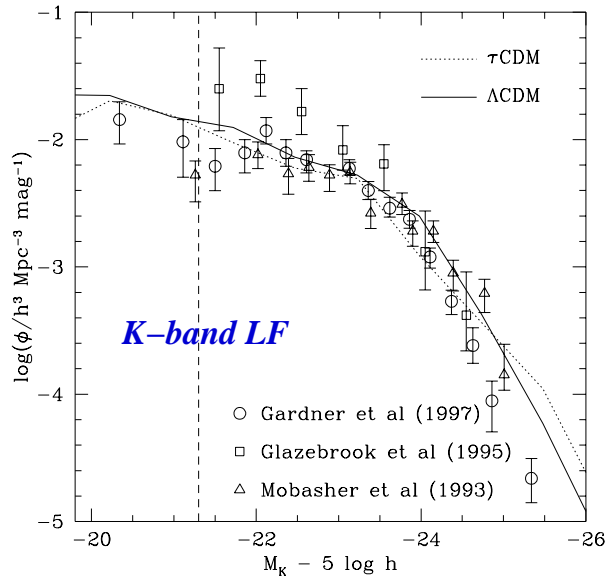
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# SAM's LSS



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