

Galaxy Formation
and Evolution
probed with
Intermediate-band Survey
for LABs

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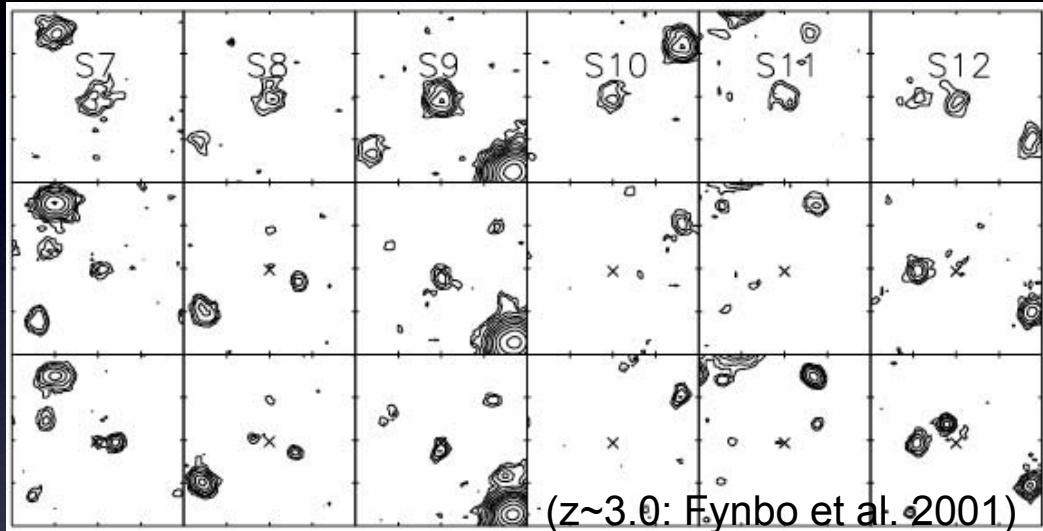
J. P. U. Fynbo, et al. (Denmark)

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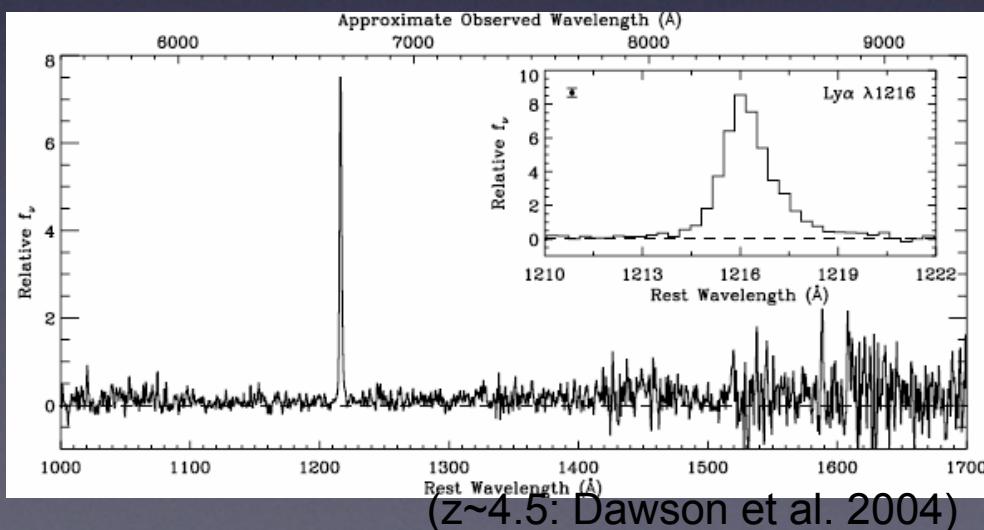
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Ly α Emitters (LAEs) at high redshifts

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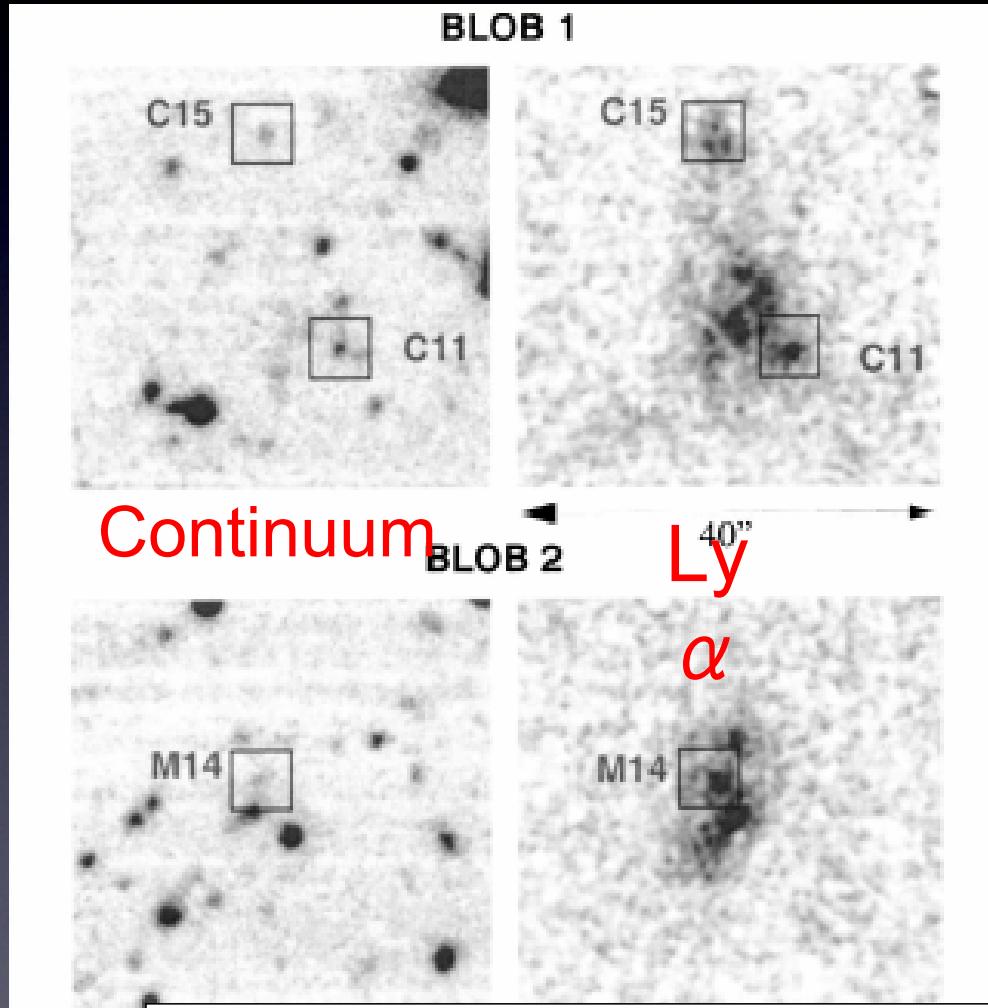


(z~3.0: Fynbo et al. 2001)



- Young starbursts emit strong Ly α (e.g. Partiridge & Peebles '67; Charlog & Fall '93)
- Identified w/ narrowbands: thousands @ $z \sim 2-7$
- Some objects have LARGE EWs → young?
- Some exceeds ~240 Å (e.g. Malhotra & Rhoads '02; Dawson+ '04)

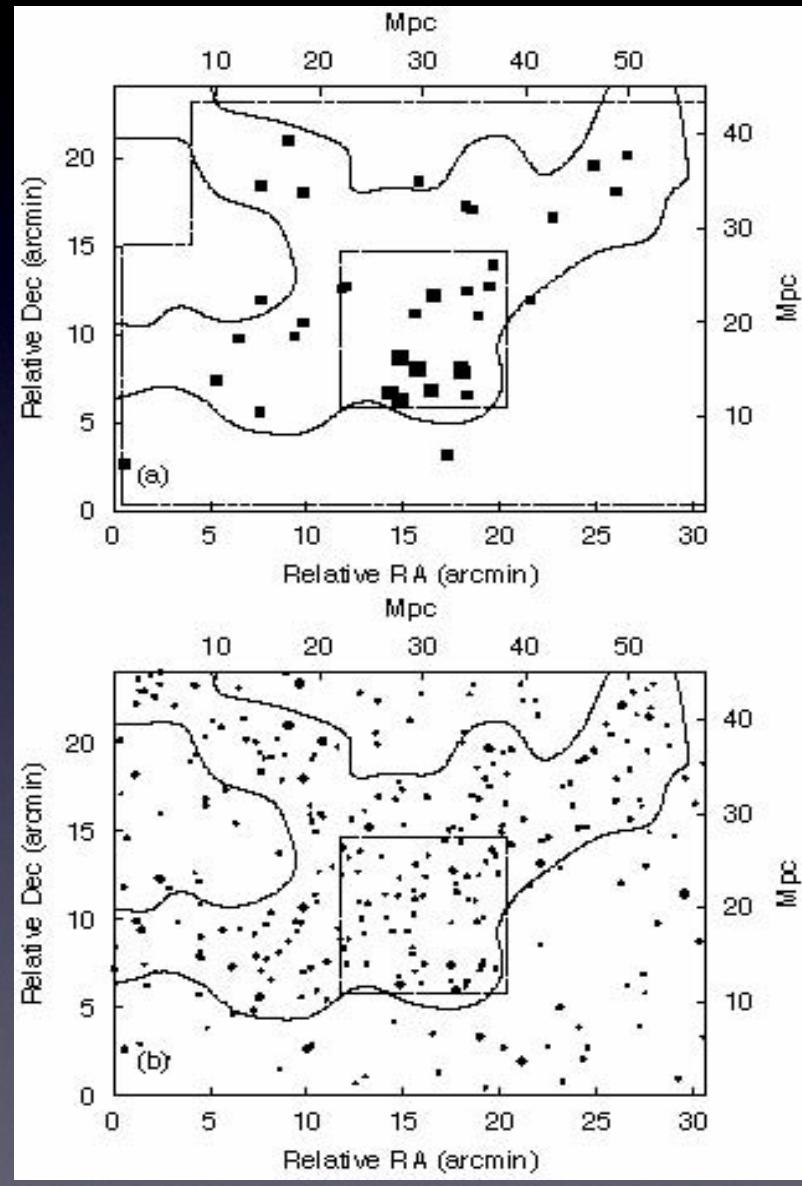
Ly α Blobs (LABs): first examples



- Most of LAEs are COMPACT.
- Steidel+(2000): Spatially extended LAEs @ $z \sim 3.1$
 - Strong Ly α
 - $L(\text{Ly } \alpha) \sim 10^{44} \text{ ergs/s}$
 - size $\sim 100 \text{ kpc}$
 - Faint/Compact in UV Cont.

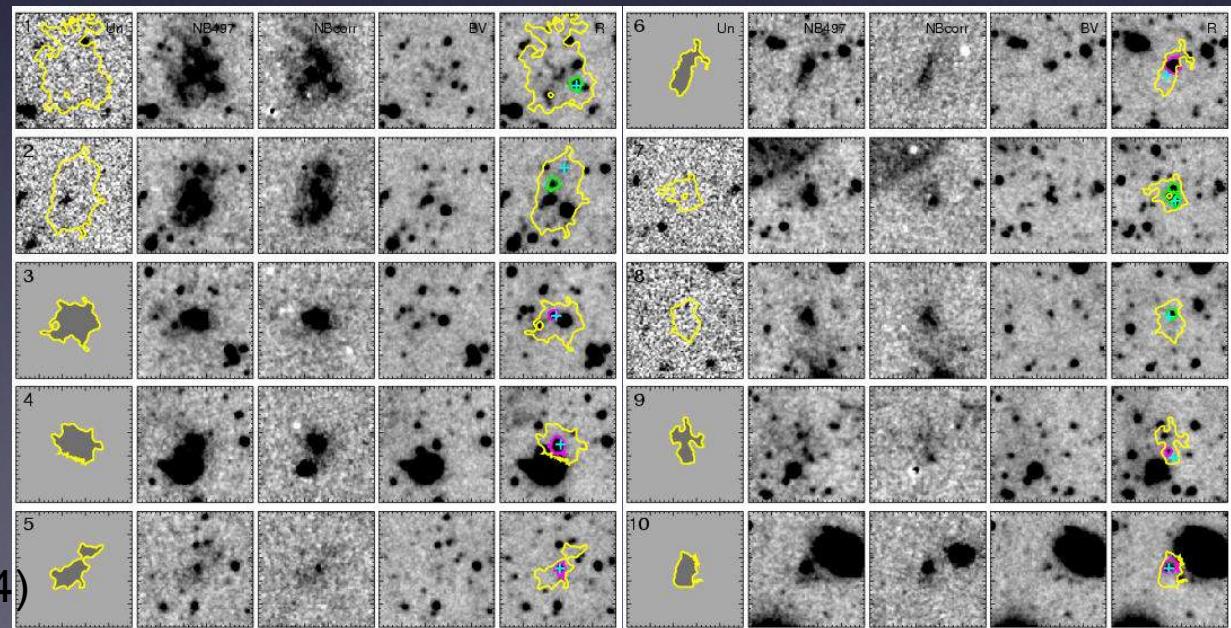
New population: Ly α Blobs (LABs)

LABs known to date



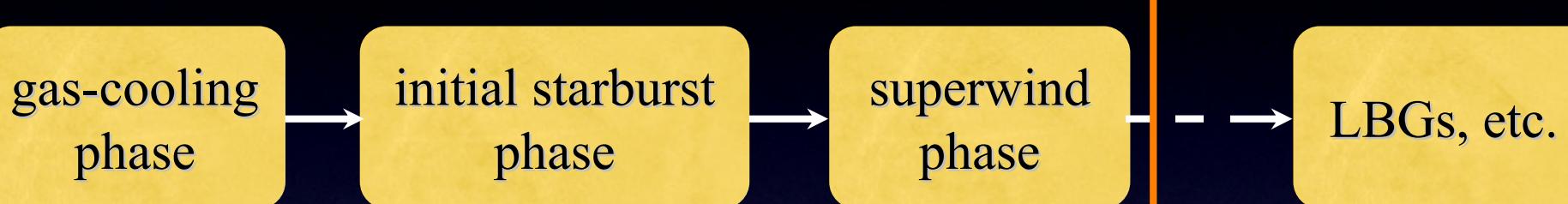
(Matsuda et al. 2004)

- Steidel+'00; Francis+'01;
Dey+'05; Nilsson+'06; Keel+'99
→ **RARE OBJECTS!**
- Systematic search: Matsuda+'04
 - Suprime-Cam+NB497 ($\lambda_c = 4977\text{A}$,
 $\Delta \lambda = 77\text{A}$)
 - Identified 35 LABs @ $z=3.1$ proto-cluster



Physical origins

--extremely young galaxies?



Matsuda et al.(2004)
covers only $z \sim 3.1$

Extended in Ly α
Faint/Compact in UV

- Almost no unbiased surveys have ever been made!
 - **Are they common in the early Universe?**
- Their origins are totally unknown!
 - **What drives the extended Ly α emission?**

Survey strategy

- Sample selection

Subaru + Suprime-Cam + Intermediate-bands

- Survey area

Subaru/XMM-Newton Deep Field (SXDF)

- Follow-up Spectroscopy (multi-object)

Low-resolution: Subaru + FOCAS ($R \sim 500$)

High-resolution: VLT + VIMOS ($R \sim 2000$)

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Observations: Intermediate-band Imaging Survey

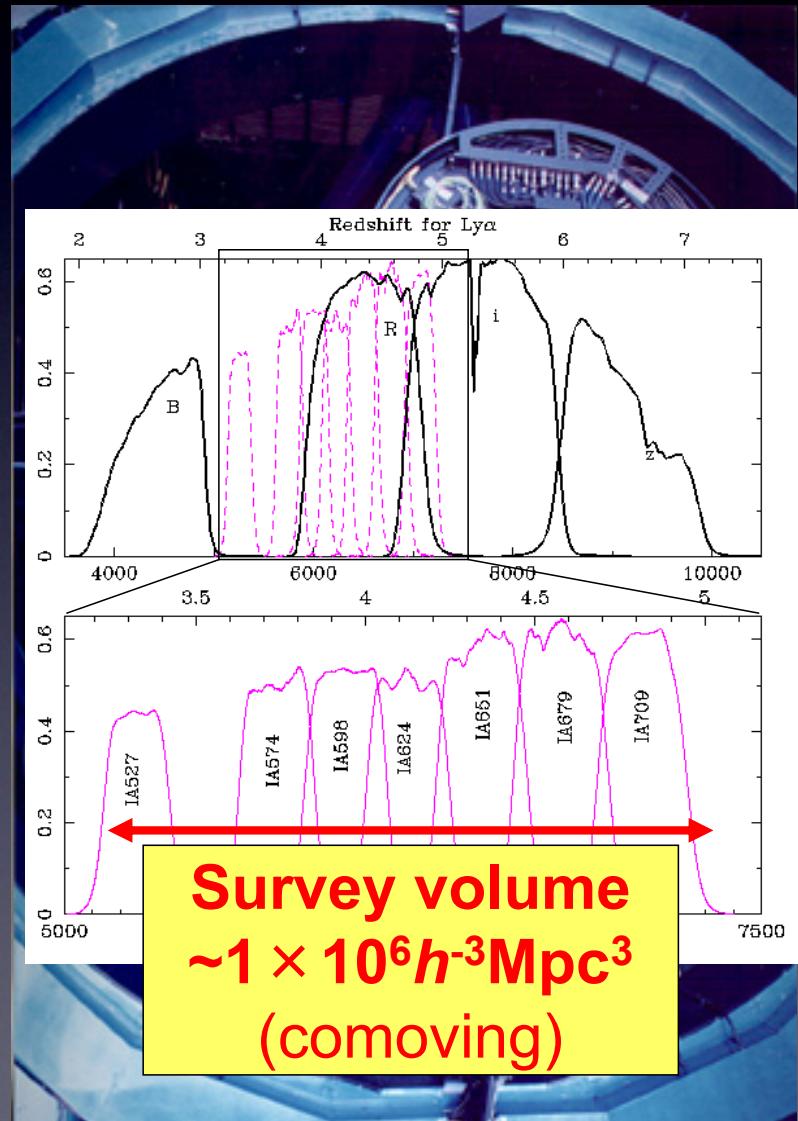
- Deep & Wide survey with Subaru + Suprime-Cam
- Covers a wide range of redshift
- Efficiently collects large-EW objects.

Intermediate-band (IA) x7:
26.5-26.8 mag
(S02B-163: Kodaira et al.)

→Ly α at z~3-5

Broadbands x4: R27.4mag
(SXDS: Sekiguchi et al.)

→Colour selection



Field & Survey data

- Field: SXDF-S $\alpha = 2\text{h}18\text{m}00\text{s}$, $\delta = -5^\circ 25' 00''$
- FoV: $33'\times 25'$ ($\sim 825 \text{ arcmin}^2$)

band	exposure	$m_{\text{lim}}(3\sigma)$
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IA527	5280s	26.8
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IA574	7200s	26.5
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IA598	6720s	26.5
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IA624	10560s	26.7
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IA651	6500s	26.7
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IA679	10560s	26.8
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IA709	11520s	26.6
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B	18000s	28.2
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R	12000s	27.4
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i'	13200s	27.0
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z'	5700s	25.8
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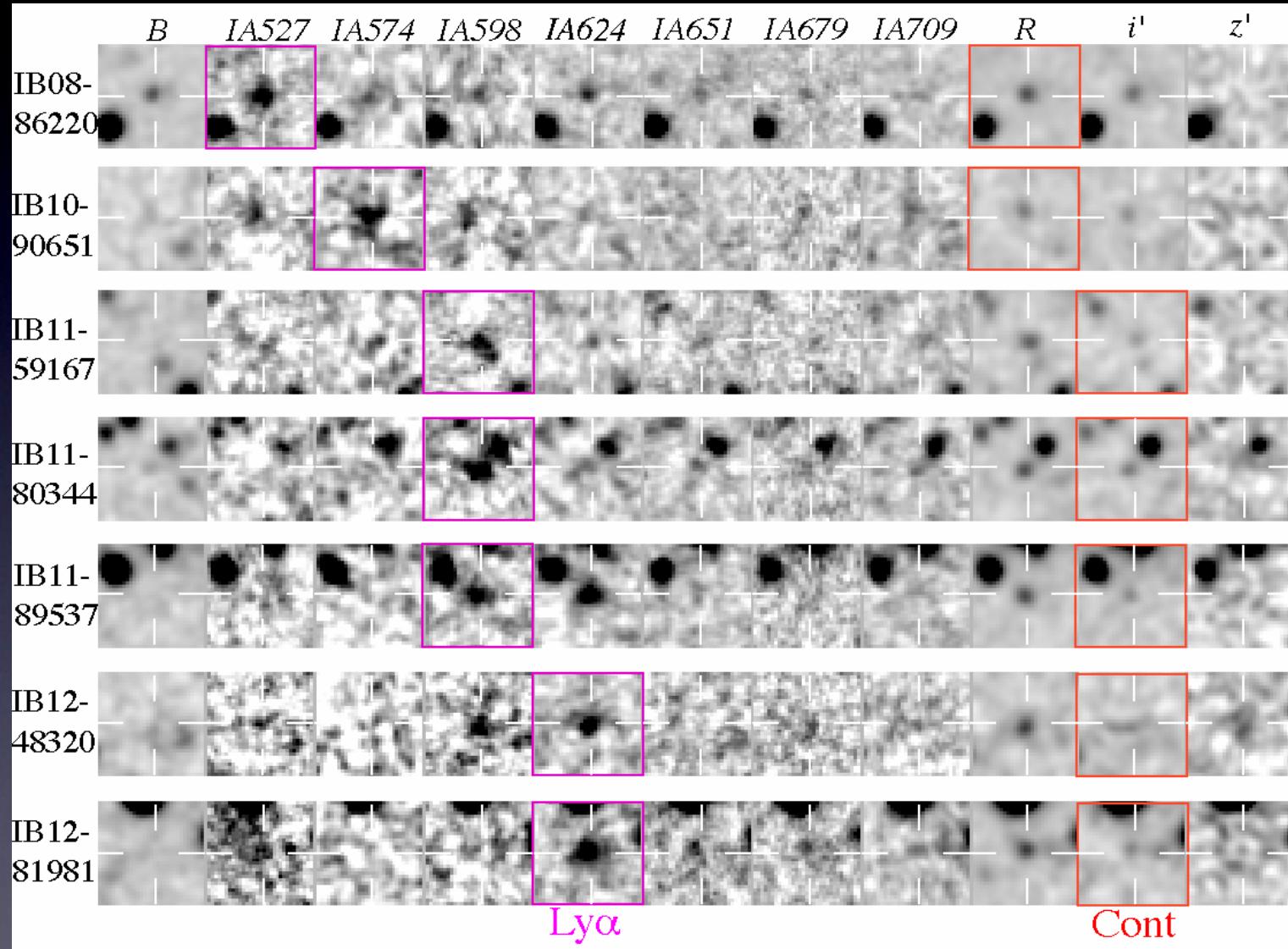
>60000 objects
($>3\sigma$)



Sample selection

- B-band dropout / non-detection
- IA(Ly α) excess: Cont. - IA ≥ 0.75
 - “normal” LAEs: ~ 140
- Spatially extended in Ly α
 - FWHM(IA) $> 1.4''$
- Compact and/or Faint in Continuum
 - FWHM(Cont.) $< 1.2''$ or Cont. $< 3 \sigma$
 - 41 LABs

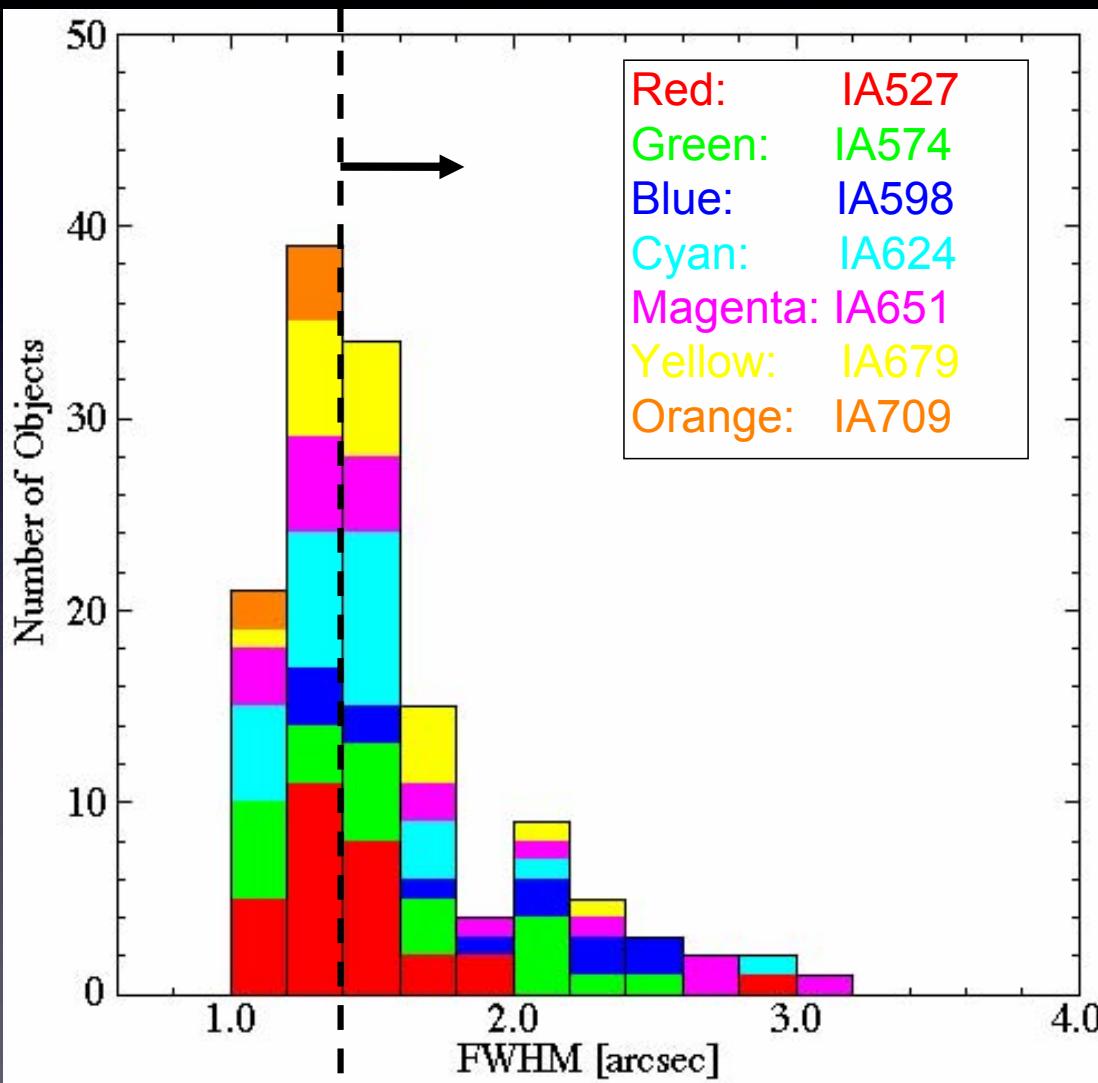
Images (examples)



(Saito+ 2006)

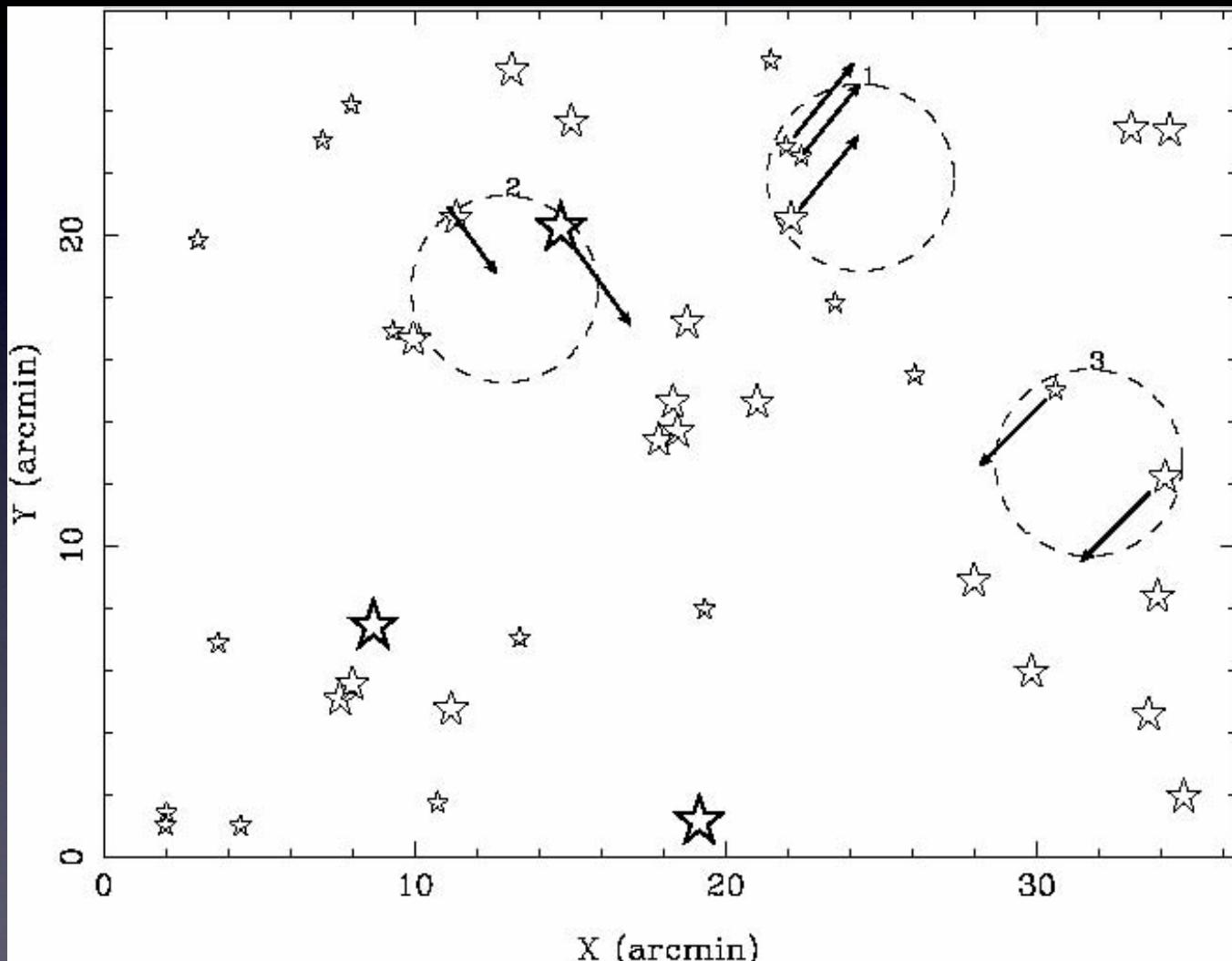
- Extended in Ly α , Faint/Compact in UV

Size distribution



- Size > PSF + 2pix
- Typically $\sim 1.5''\text{-}2''$ ($\sim \text{PSF} \times 1.5$, including seeing)
- Maximum $\sim 3''$

Sky distribution



- Almost uniformly distributed over the sky.

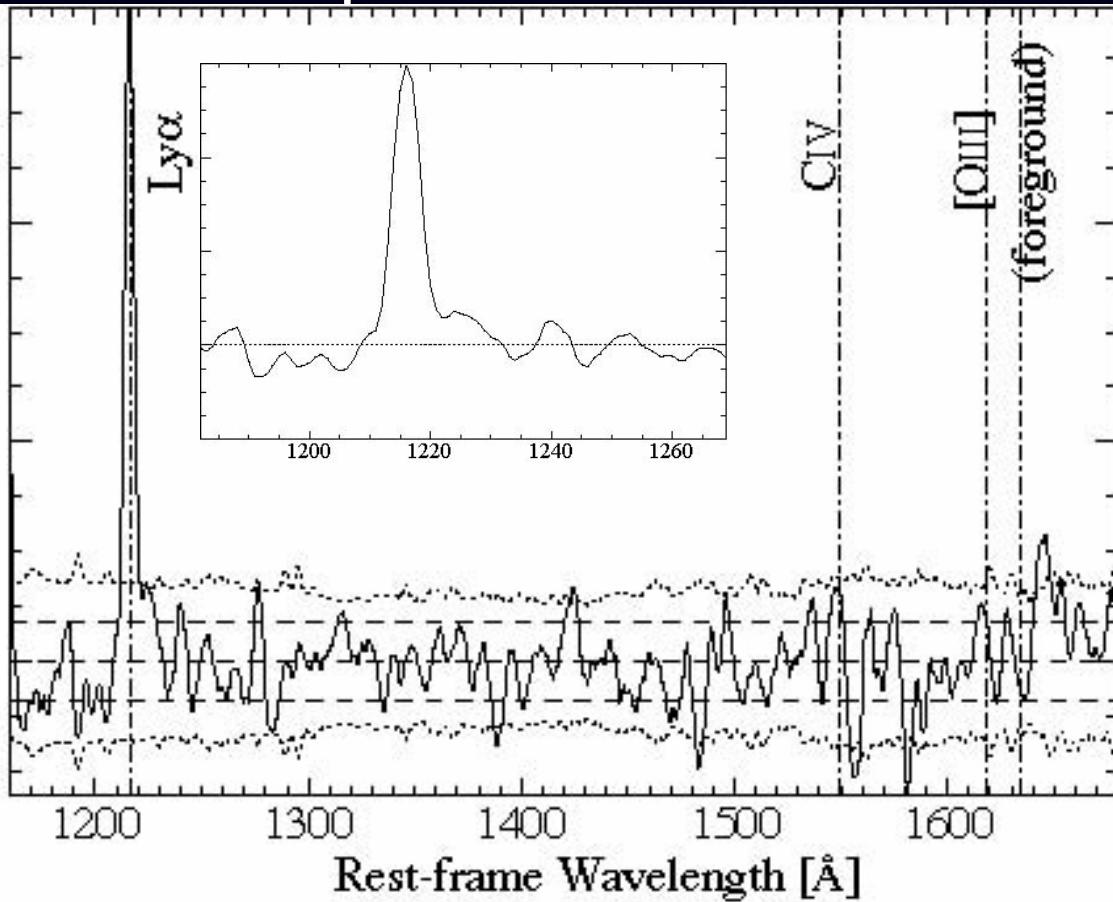
Spectra are taken for 7 objects

- Instrument: FOCAS
- Resolution: $R \sim 500$
- Exposure: 1.5-2.5 hrs



FOCAS spectra (7 objects)

Stacked spectrum—(Saito et al. 2006)



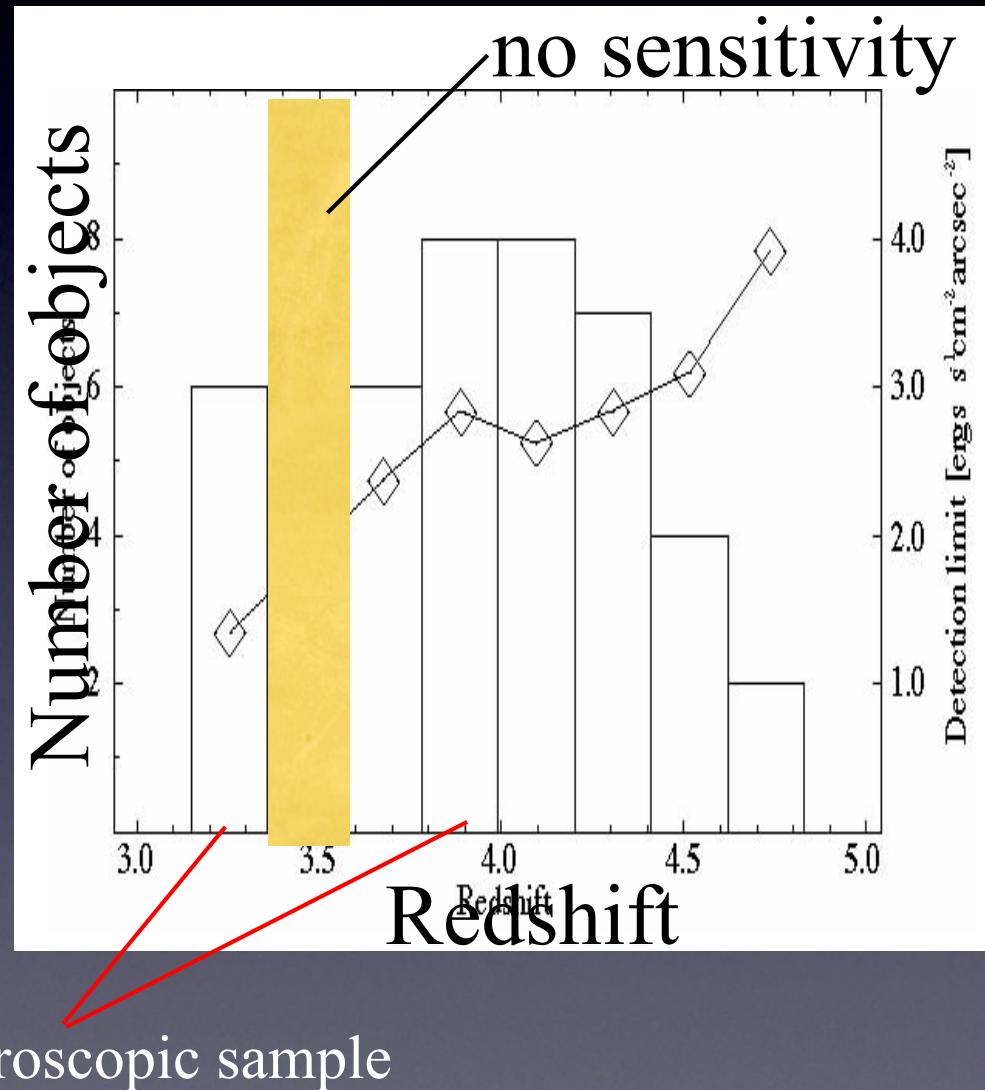
- All have large EWs (>80Å)
- 3 are clearly single-line objects
- Marginal signature of asymmetric profiles

They are all LAEs!
(almost no contamination)

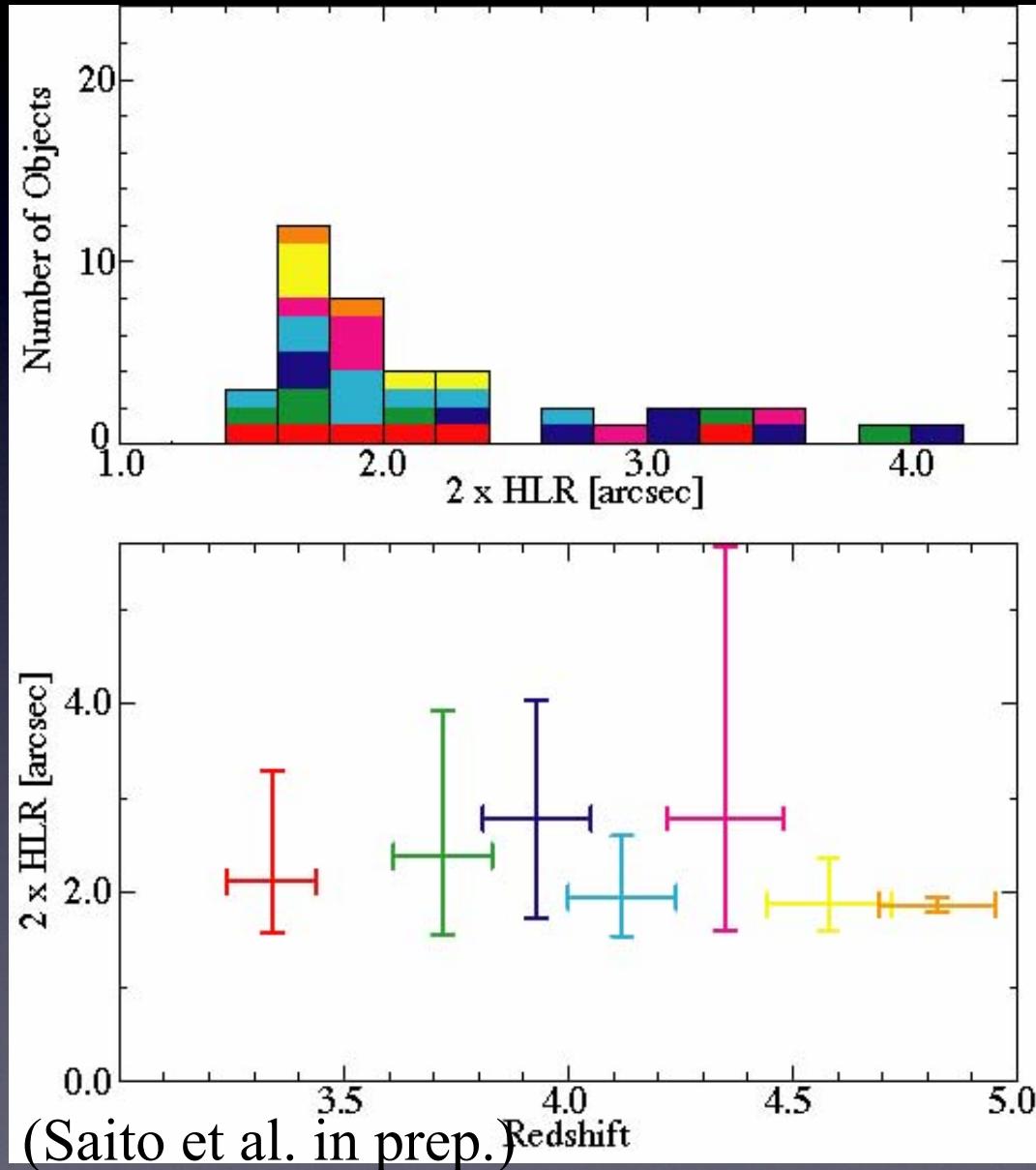
Redshift distribution

- Almost uniformly distributed over $z \sim 3 - 5$
**NOT strictly “uniform”*
- Number density (lower-limit) $\sim 4 \times 10^{-5} h^3 Mpc^{-3}$

LABs are common even beyond $z \sim 3.1$



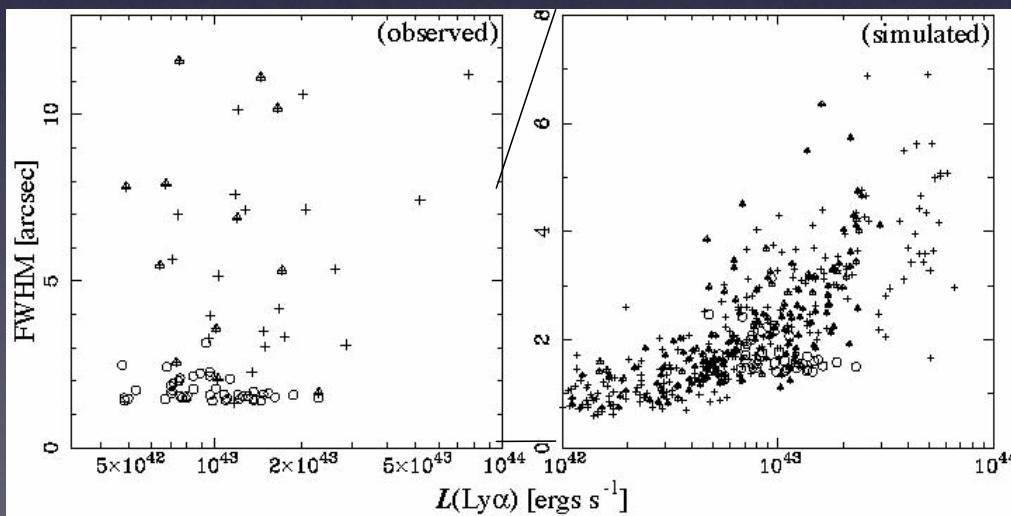
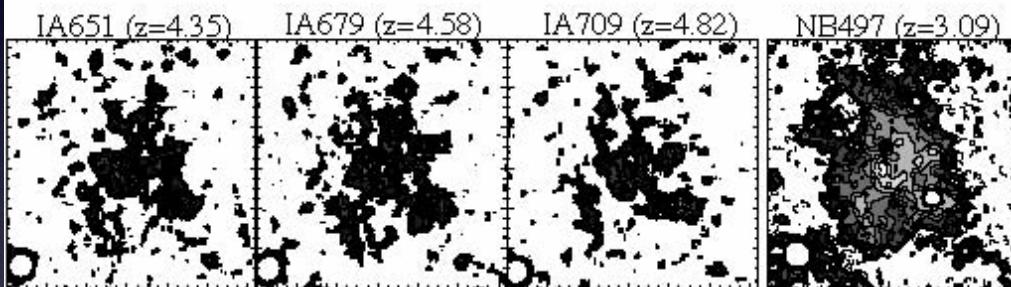
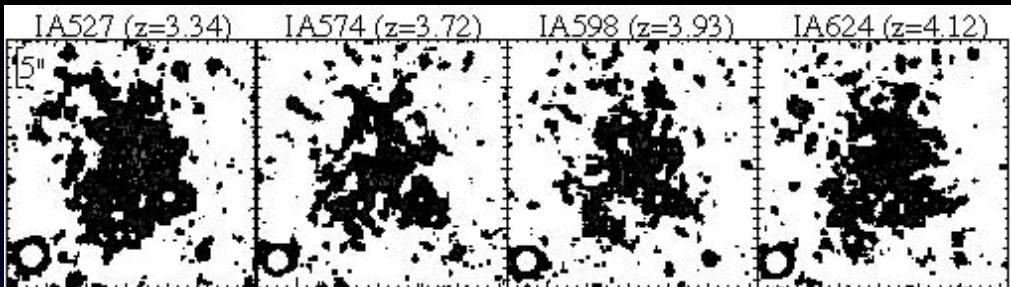
Size distribution



- Typical sizes $\sim 1''.6$ - $2''.0$ (~ 10 - 15 kpc)
- Maximum $\sim 4''.2$ (~ 30 kpc)
- No significant dependence on the redshifts

Imaging simulation

(Saito et al. 2006)



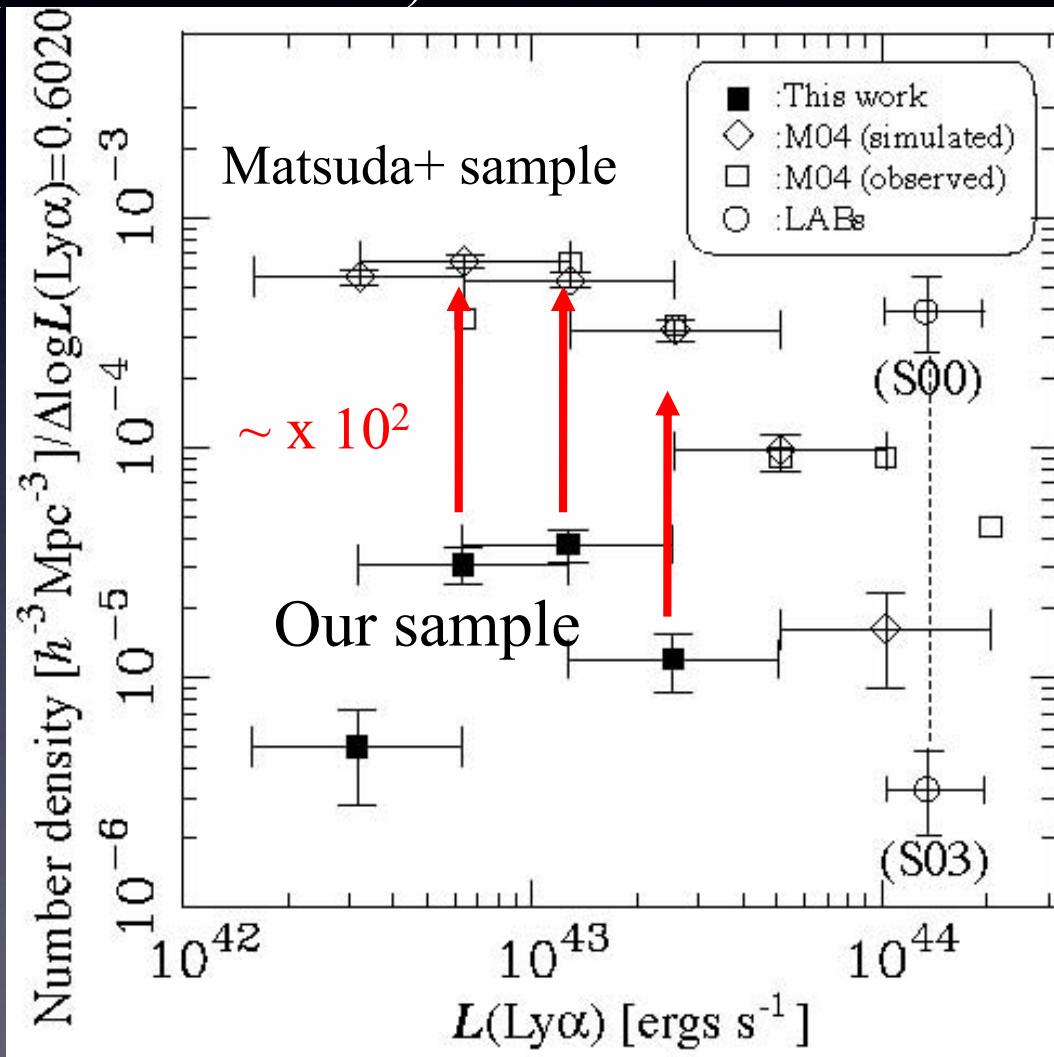
(narrowband image: Matsuda+'04)

- Original data: $z \sim 3.1$ LABs
→ simulate as if they are...
 - Located at **higher redshifts**
 - and Observed with **IA filters**
- Source extraction with the same manner as the IA data
 - diffuse components cannot be seen
 - Extended objects are divided into two or more segments

LABs become apparently smaller
Our objects ≈ LABs@high-z

Luminosity function

(Saito et al. 2006)



- ~1/100 times less-numerous than Matsuda+ sample.
- No such large objects like LAB1/2 were found.

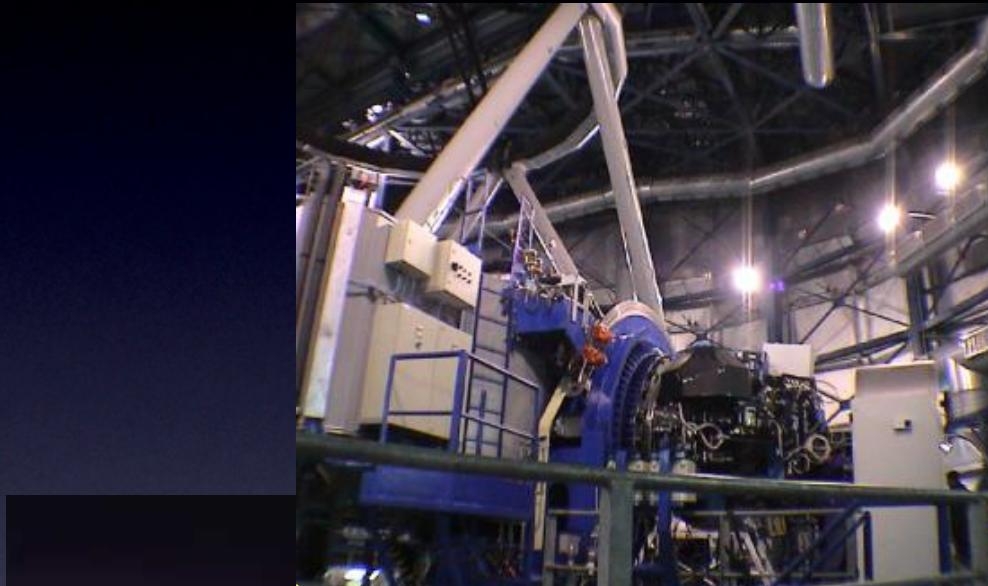
LABs are clustered in overdensities

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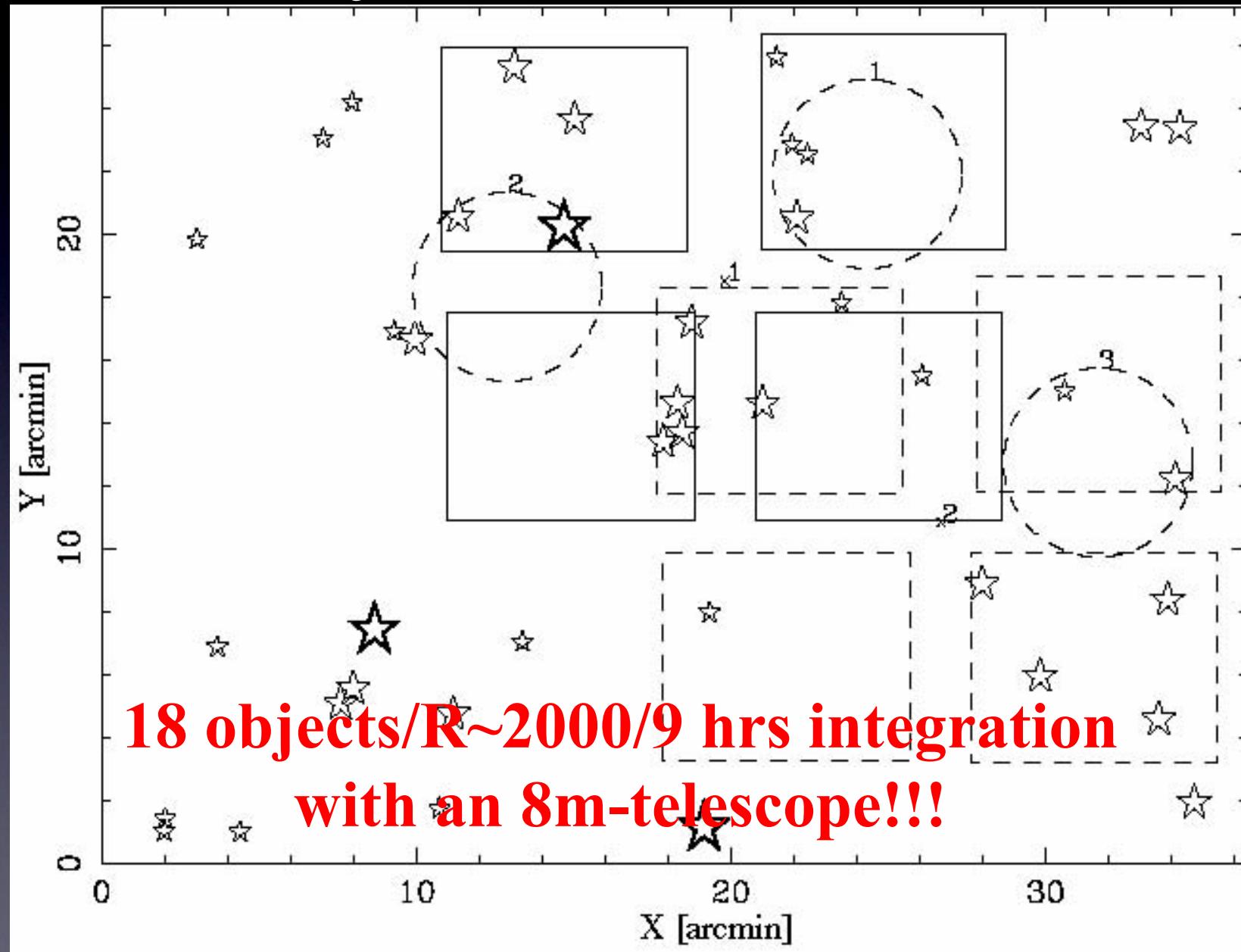
high-resolution spectroscopy



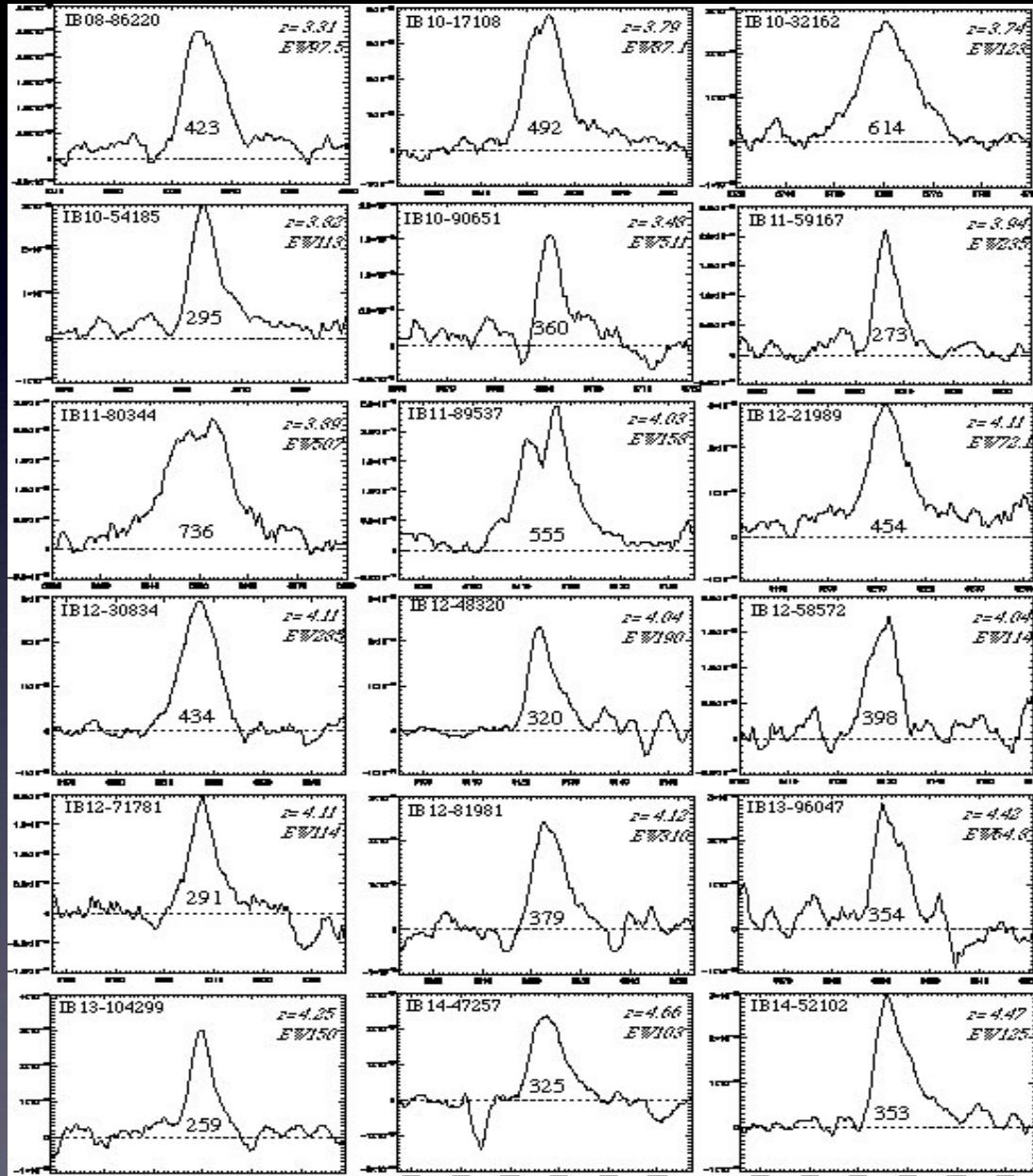
UT3 "Melipal"

- Date: Nov. 2004
- Instrument: VLT/VIMOS
- Grism: HR-Orange
- Filter: GG435
- 2 MOS masks (18 objects)
- Resolution: R~2100 (<150 km/s)
- Exposure: 6.5-9.5 hrs
- Sensitivity:
 $1 \sigma \sim 1 \times 10^{-19} \text{ erg/s/cm}^2/\text{\AA}$
(~ 26 mag in V)

Sky distribution



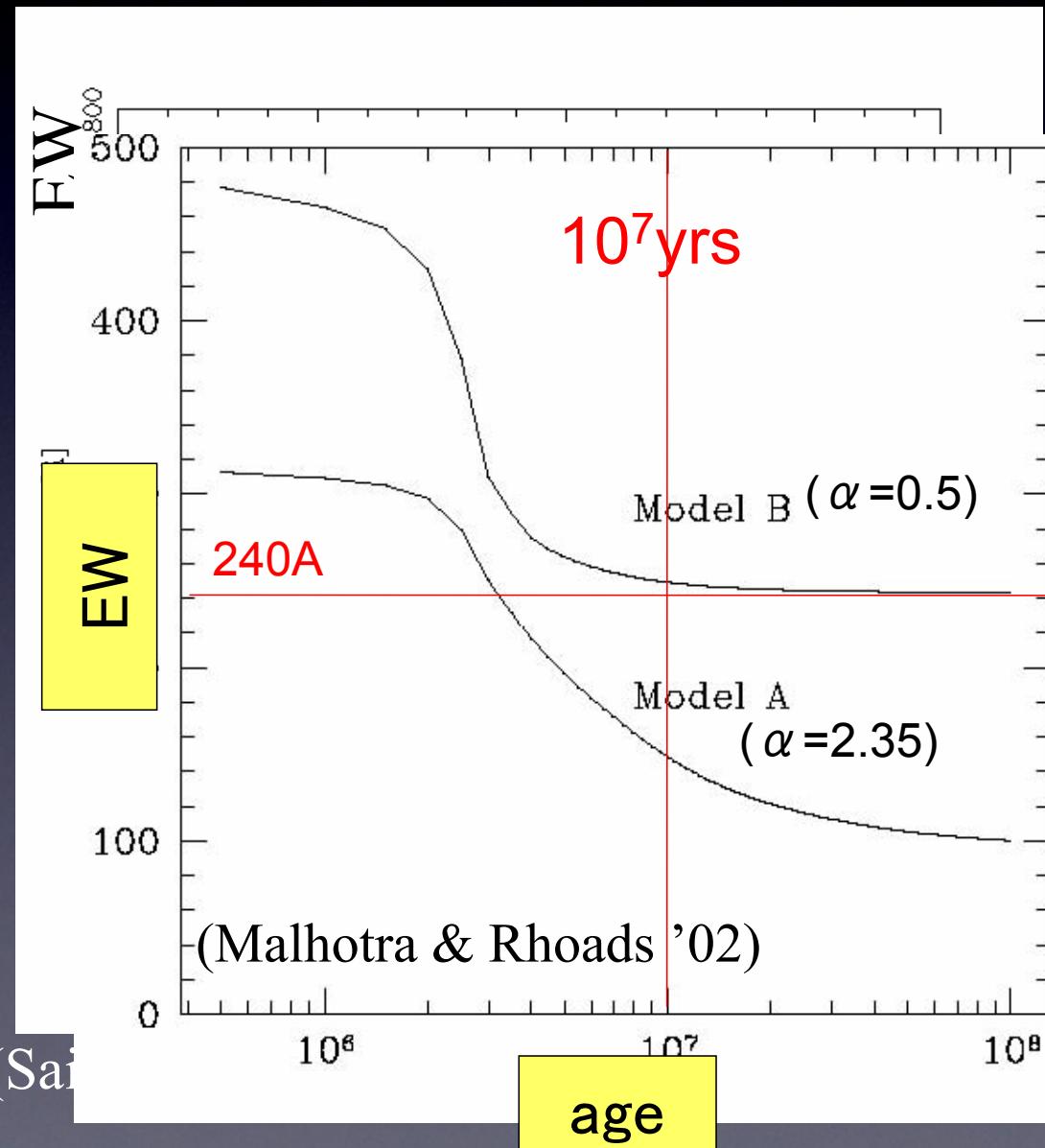
Spectral data: overview



- Line profiles
 - Mostly simple.
 - 2 objects: double-peaked
 - Some have asymmetric wing.
- Velocity widths
 - 4 objects: $>500\text{km/s}$
 - 14 objects: $\sim 270\text{-}490\text{km/s}$
- EWs(rest-frame)
 - 9 objects: $100\text{-}200\text{\AA}$
 - 9 objects: $>200\text{\AA}$

(Saito et al. in prep.)

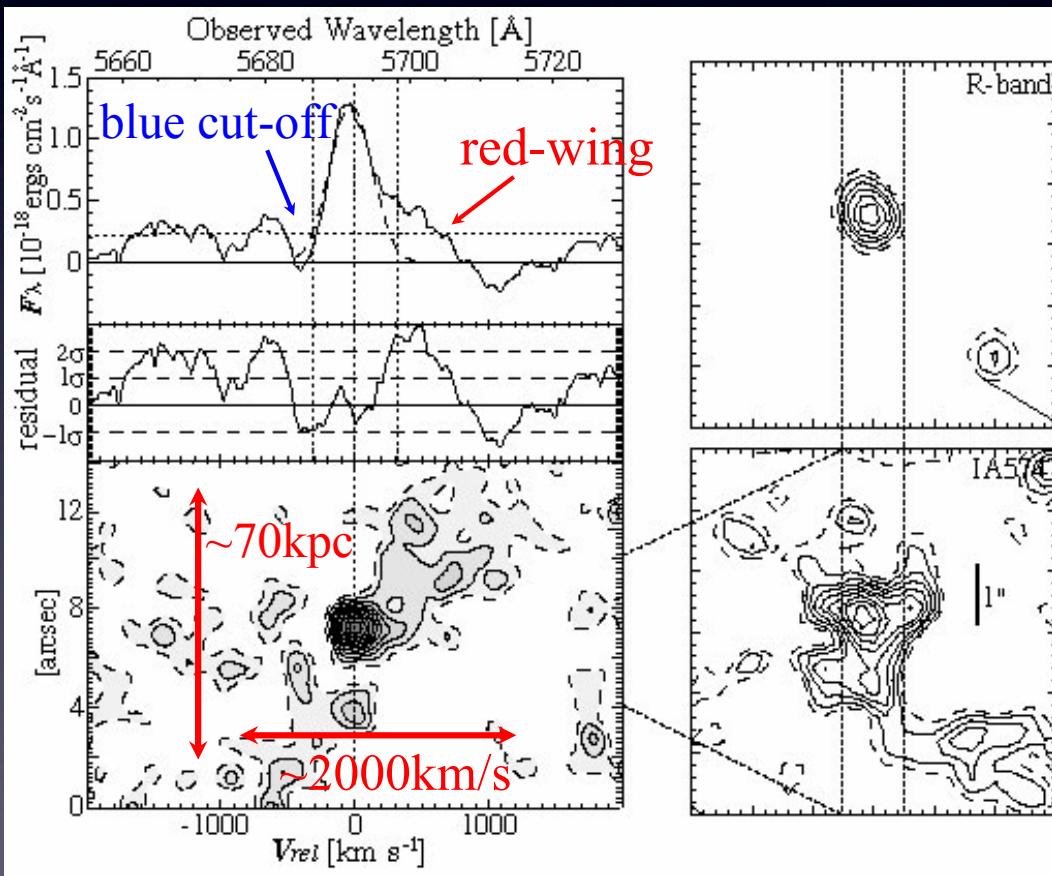
Equivalent widths



- 9 objects:
 $EW_{rest} \sim 100-200\text{Å}$
 - Regime of stellar photo-ionization
- **9 objects: $EW_{rest} > 200\text{Å}$**
 - Cannot be starbursts with $\alpha > 1.5$ IMF (Charlot & Fall 1993)
- **8 objects: $EW_{rest} > 240\text{Å}$**
 - Cannot be starbursts with $\alpha > 0.5$ IMF (Malhotra & Rhoads 2002)

Profiles & 2-d spectra

Conspicuous asymmetry: IB10-90651 @ z=3.68

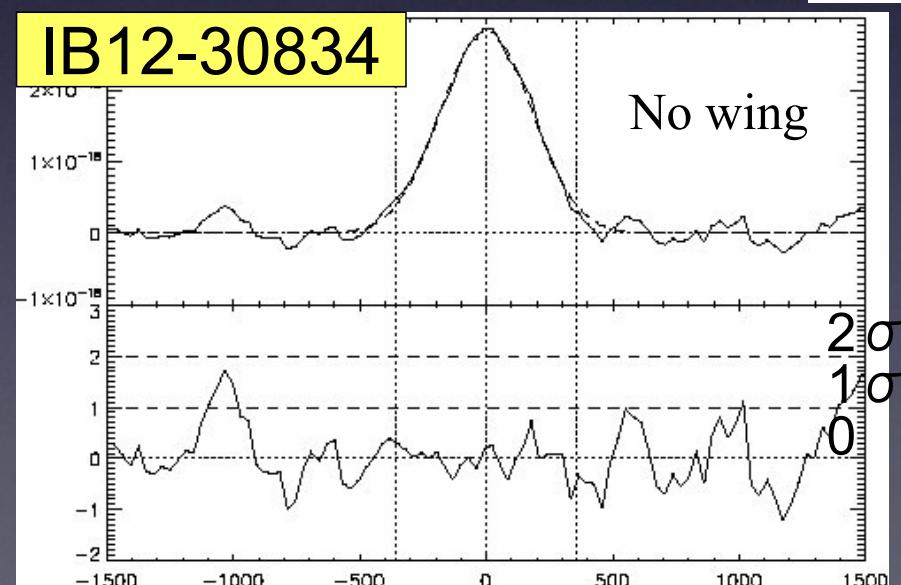
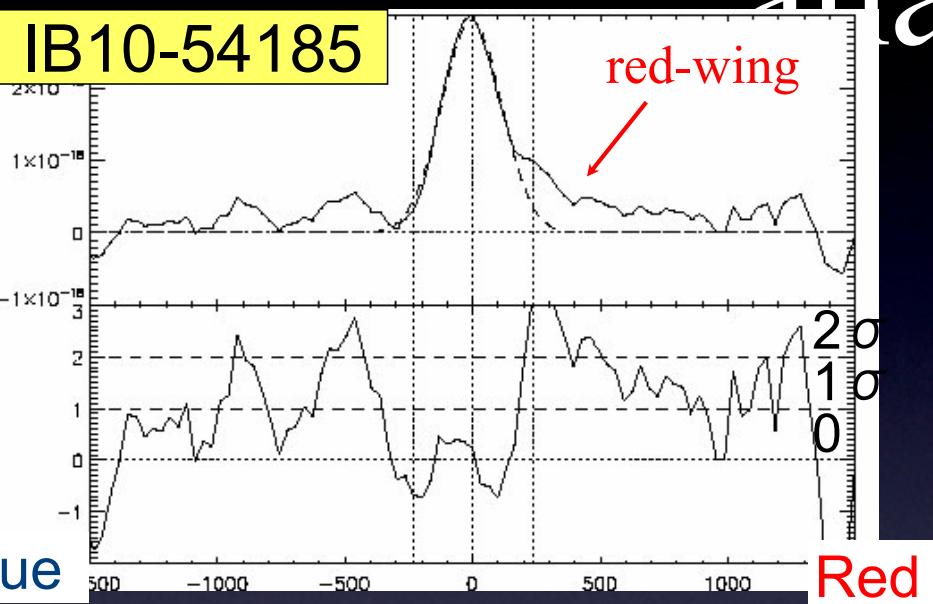


(Saito 2006, PhD thesis)

- Size of diffuse emission: ~ 70 kpc
- Velocity extent of the wing ~ 2000 km/s
- EW ~ 870 A
- Line profile: red-wing + blue cut-off

Superwind ?

Wing-component analysis



- For each object,
 - Fit the profile with a simple Gaussian function
 - Plot the residual against the line-of sight velocity
- If, Excess ($>2\sigma$) raised from $<2\sigma$ -width extends up to ~ 500 km/s, we refer to as "wing emission"

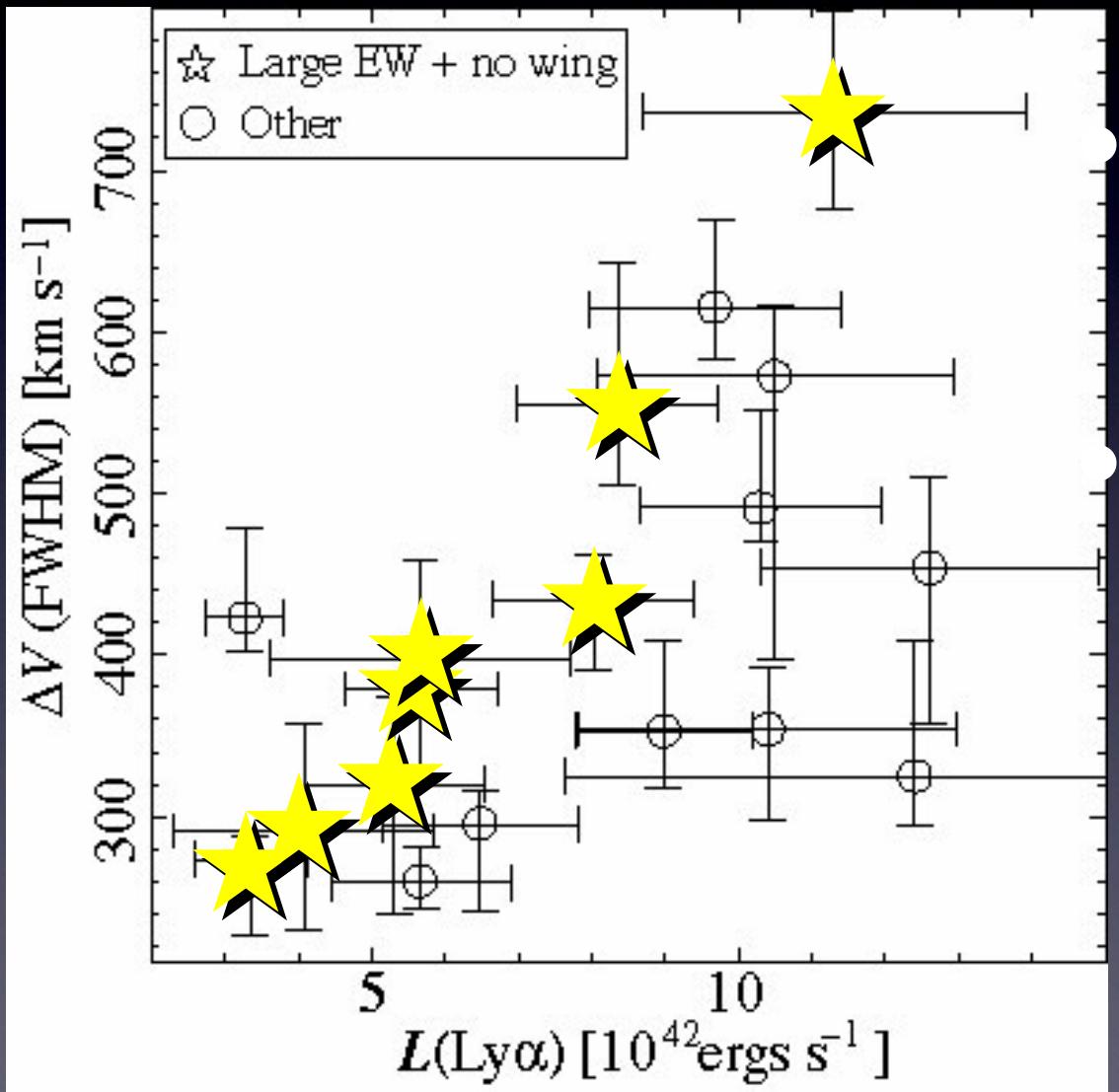
**Identified wing emission
from 5 objects (~30%)**

Spectral properties (summary)

Object ID	<i>EW</i>	ΔV	wing	Object ID	<i>EW</i>	ΔV	wing
				IB12-30834	357	430	blue?
				IB12-48320	318	320	red?
				IB12-58572	208	400	blue?
				IB12-81981	500	380	red?
IB11-59167	265	270	--				
IB11-80344	569	740	--	IB13-104299	303	260	--
IB11-89537	458	560	--				

How about the remaining eight... ?

Diagnostic: L - ΔV relation



If, cooling clouds, there should be $L(\text{Ly}\alpha)$ - ΔV correlation
8 objects clearly show positive correlation.

Candidates for
Forming-Galaxies

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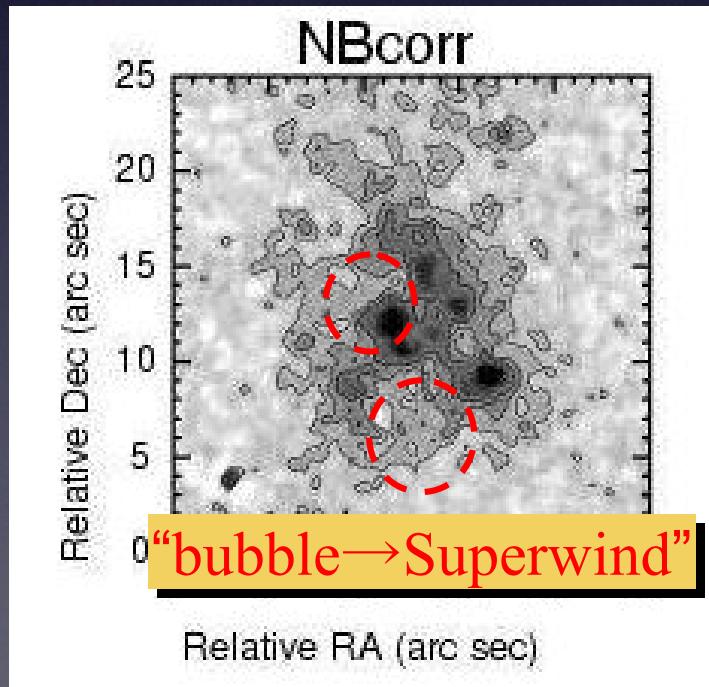
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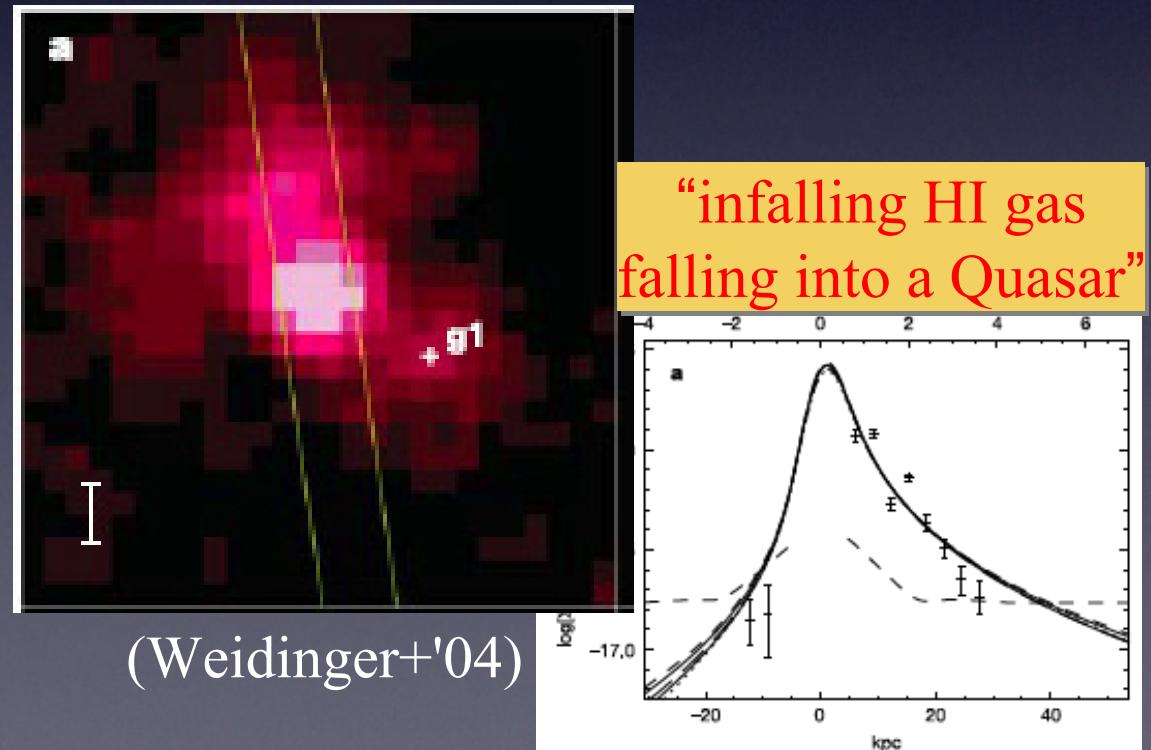
Morphology & Surface brightness profiles



Must reflect the ionizing mechanisms



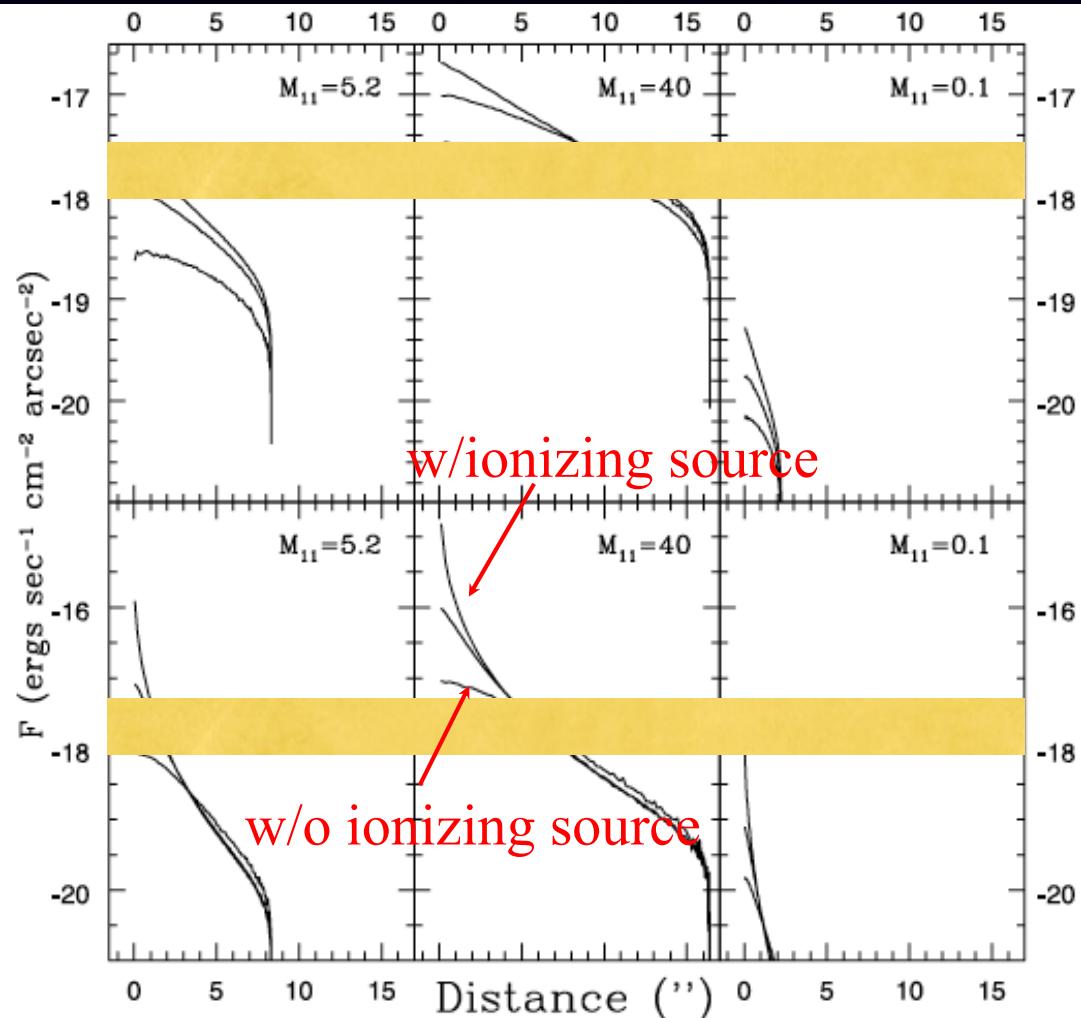
(Matsuda+'04)



(Weidinger+'04)

kpc

Observational constraints on the physical origins



existence of ionizing sources
cooling radiation parameters
gas dynamics, etc.

should affect the profiles
(Dijkstra+'06a,b)

↓
DEEPER IMAGING!

Observational constraints on the physical origins

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 Subaru Telescope National Astronomical Observatory of Japan		Semester S06B Proposal ID S06B0098N Received 03/13/2006
Application Form for Telescope Time		
1. Title of Proposal Deep Narrowband Imaging of Extended Ly α Sources in SXDF		
2. Principal Investigator Name: Saito Tomoki Institute: University of Tokyo Mailing Address: Department of Astronomy, University of Tokyo, 7-3-1 Hongo, Tokyo 113-0033, Japan E-mail Address: tsaito@astron.s.u-tokyo.ac.jp Phone: 03-5841-4267 Fax: 03-5841-7644		
3. Scientific Category <input type="checkbox"/> Solar System <input type="checkbox"/> Normal Stars <input type="checkbox"/> Extrasolar Planets <input type="checkbox"/> Star and Planet Formation <input type="checkbox"/> Compact Objects and Black Holes <input type="checkbox"/> Nearby Galaxies <input type="checkbox"/> Clusters of Galaxies <input type="checkbox"/> Large-Scale Structure		
4. Abstract (approximate) Spatially extended Ly α sources are found at high redshifts. They may be due to extended emissions from Ly α emitters using Suprime-Cam and VLT/VIMOS, and show protogalaxies in the very early universe. We propose deep follow-up observations with NB570 on Suprime-Cam to study the spatial extents, morphologies, and properties of these extended Ly α sources. This will be able to put constraints on the physical processes of galaxy formation, and probe the evolution of the intergalactic medium.		
5. Co-Investigators Name K. Shimasaku S. Okamura M. Ouchi H. Sugai Y. Matsuda University of Tokyo STScI Kyoto University Kyoto University Kyoto University		
A. Shimono T. Hattori M. Yoshida SXDS Team Kyoto University Subaru, NAOJ Okayama, NAOJ		
6. List of Applicants' Related Publications (last 5 years) 1) Saito et al. 2005, "Systematic Survey of Extended Ly α Sources over $z \sim 3 - 5$ ", submitted to ApJ 2) Matsuda et al. 2004, "A Subaru Search for Ly α Blobs in and around the Protocluster Region at Redshift $z = 3.1$ ", AJ, 128, 569 3) Matsuda et al. 2005, "Large-Scale Filamentary Structure around the Protocluster at Redshift $z = 3.1$ ", ApJ, 634, L125 4) Ouchi et al. 2005, "The Discovery of Primeval Large-Scale Structures with Forming Clusters at Redshift 6", ApJ, 620, L1 5) Shimasaku et al. 2004 "Large Cosmic Variance in the Clustering Properties of Ly α Emitters at $z = 5$ ", ApJ, 605, L93 6) Shimasaku et al. 2003 "Discovery of a Large-Scale Structure of Galaxy Distribution at Redshift ~ 5 ", ApJ, 586, L111 7) Sugai et al. 2004, "Test observations of the Kyoto Tridimensional Spectrograph II at the University of Hawaii 88-in and Subaru Telescopes", SPIE, 5492, 631		
Last modified 10/01/04		

Proposal (S06B-098)

Deep Narrowband Imaging with Kyoto-3DII + S-Cam

Cancelled.

Fucking earthquake!



nights for Kyoto-3DII !

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Summary

- Intermediate-band (IA) deep imaging survey for extended Ly α sources.
- IA filters can effectively collect LAEs with large EWs over a wide range of redshift.

We've made a
Uniquely large sample of LABs
- Follow-up spectroscopy with VLT/VIMOS
- They are candidates for Cooling Clouds, PopIII-dominated galaxies, or Superwinds.

Direct observations of the
very first stage of galaxy formation