

Ly α (&UV) halos of Ly α emitters across environments at $z=2.84$

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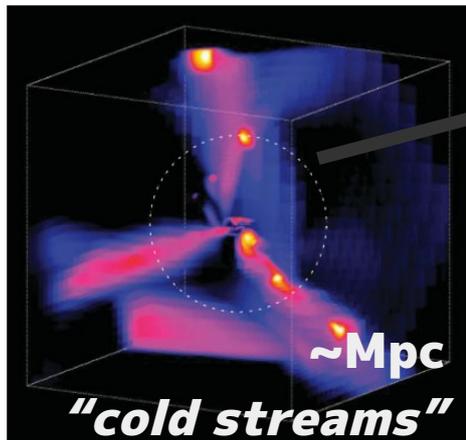
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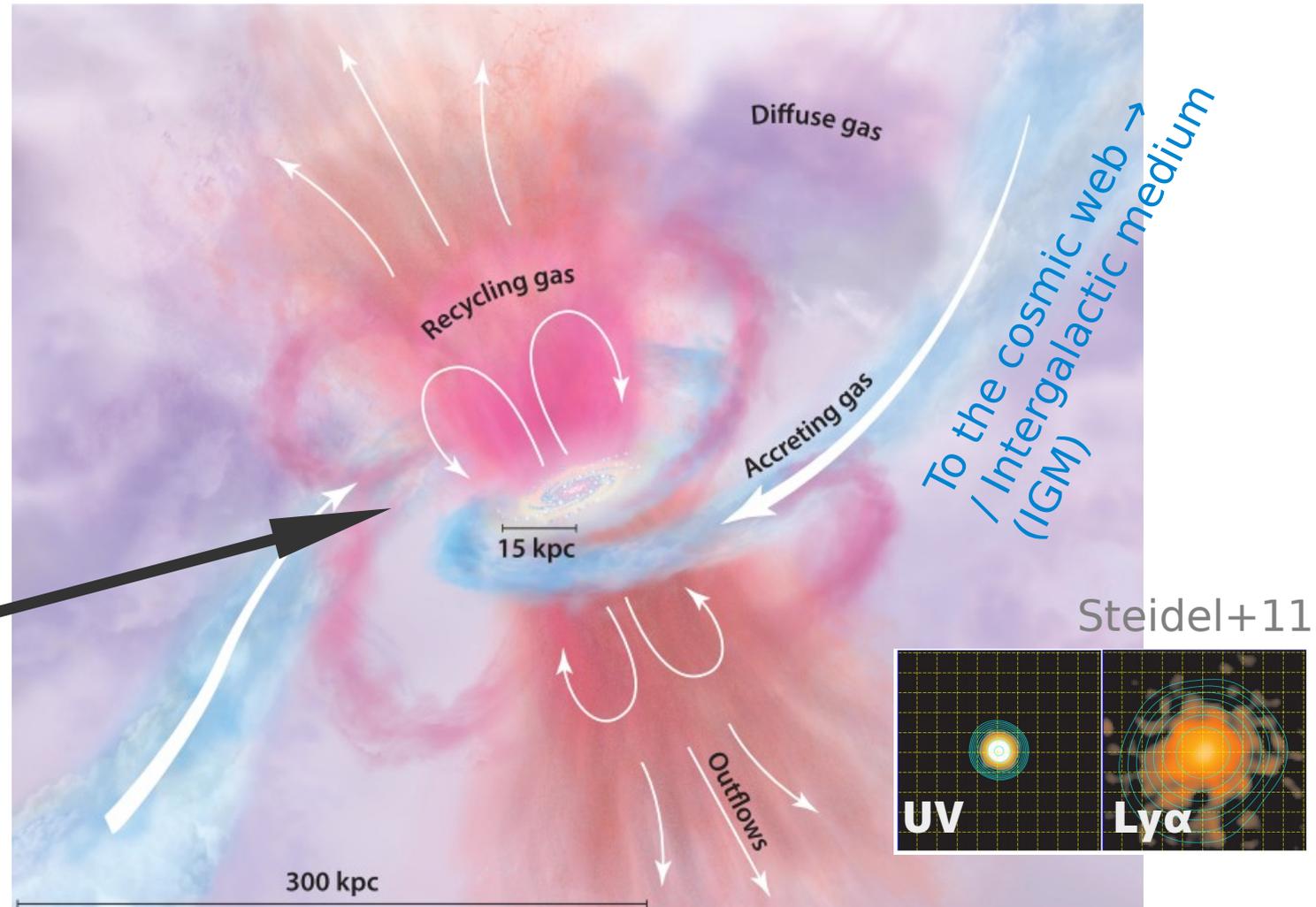
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Circumgalactic/Intergalactic Medium (CGM/IGM) and Ly α halo (LAH)

- Gas accretion along the cosmic web governs early galaxy evolution
- Obs. of the IGM/CGM (=fuel for SF) is very important
- Can be observed with Ly α emission as **Ly α halo (LAH)**



Dekel+09



Tumlinson, Peebles, and Werk, ARAA, 2017

Ly α halos of LAEs across environments

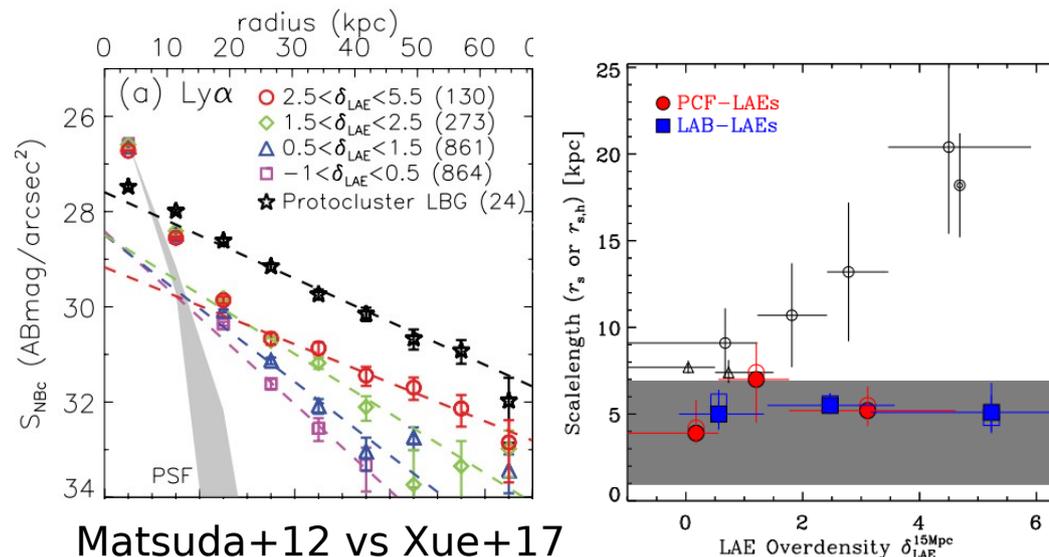
- **Are LAHs larger in denser environments?**

If so, this has implications for the environmental segregation at $z=0$

But no consensus yet!

- Target obs. for more PCs are required

- Huge FoV of **HSC** enables us to simultaneously probe various environments



Target Field & LAE Detection

Target: the HS1549 protocluster @ $z=2.84$
hyperluminous QSO HS1549+1919 is at its center
(e.g., Steidel+11, Mostardi+13)

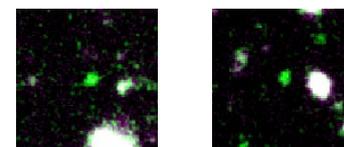
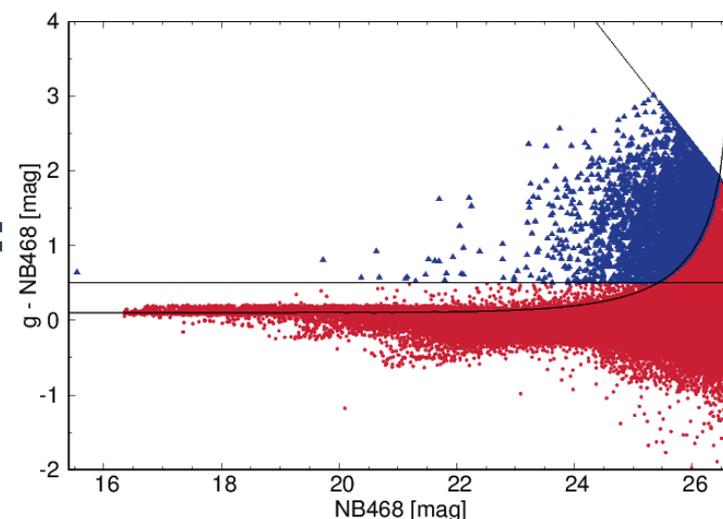
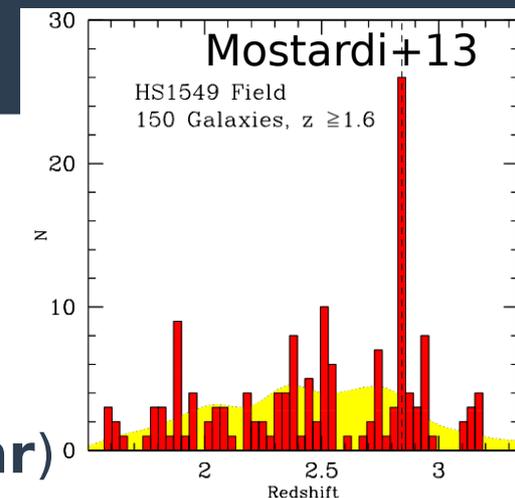
Observed with **Subaru/HSC**, g(2.2hr) and NB468(6.3hr)
→ Data reduced with HSC pipeline (hscPipe 4.0.5)

Source detection & photometry with
Source Extractor (Bertin & Arnouts 96)

- **LAE selection criteria ($2.815 < z < 2.887$):**

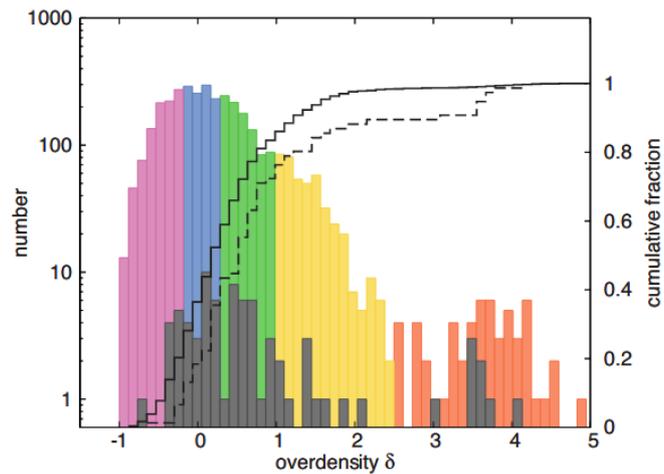
- $NB < 26.57(5\sigma)$
- $G - NB > \max\{0.5, 0.1 + 4\sigma(G - NB)\}$
(rest $EW_{Ly\alpha} > 12\text{\AA}$)

→ **3490 LAEs found**



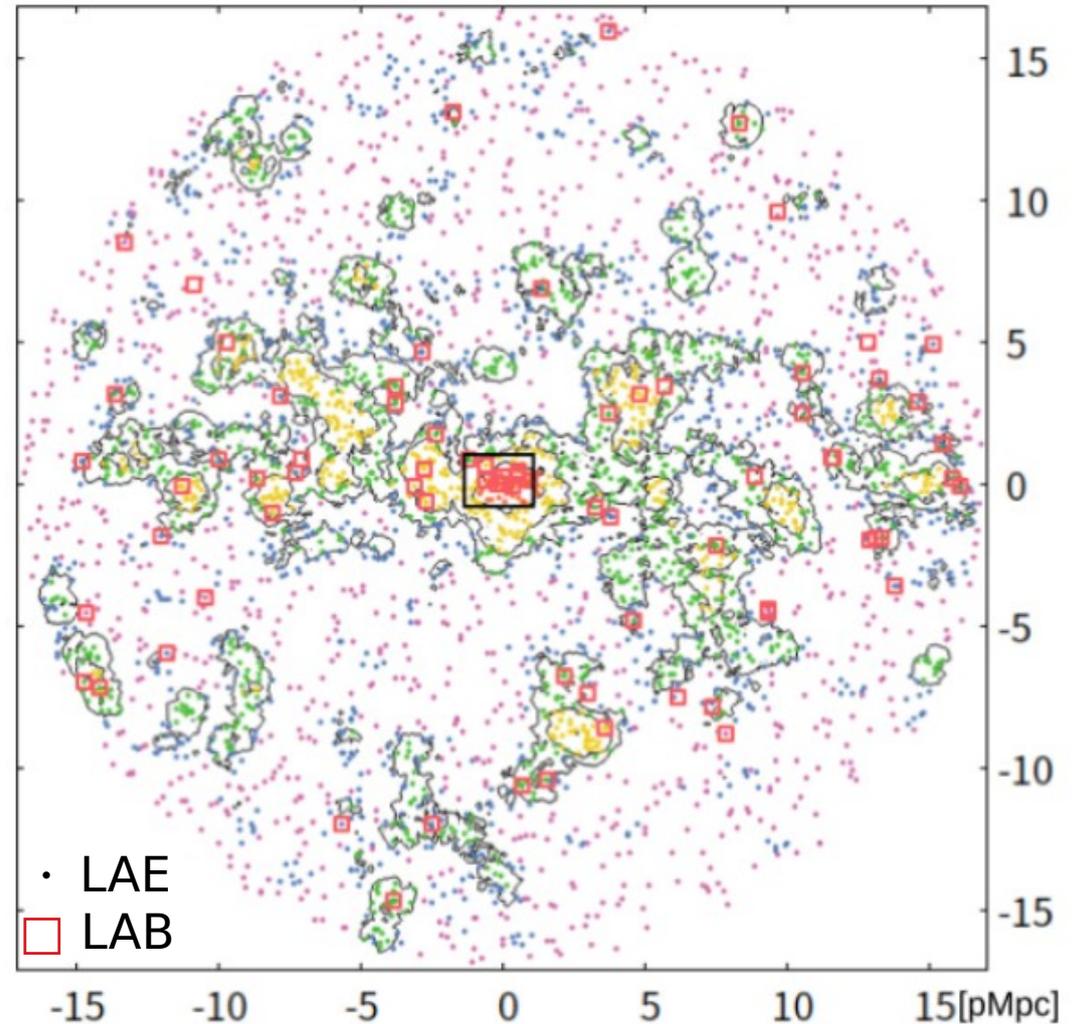
Distribution of LAEs & LABs

- Filamentary structure
- Overdensity at the center
 - see Kikuta+2019, PASJ, 71, L2



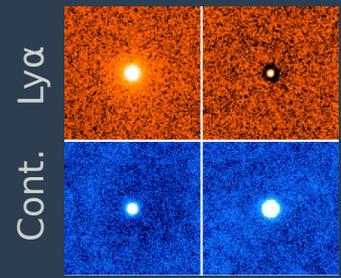
KS-test p-value:0.00173

※ $\delta_{\text{gal}} = n/n_{\text{ave}} - 1$, n is the number of LAEs within a $1.8'$ aperture at a given point

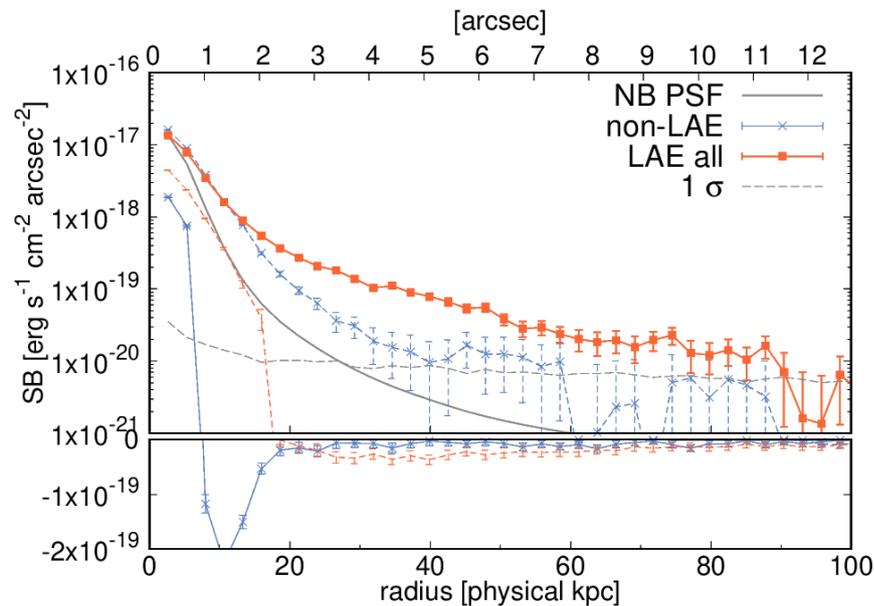
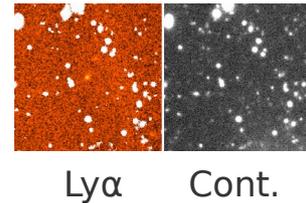


Stacking Analyses

LAE non-LAE



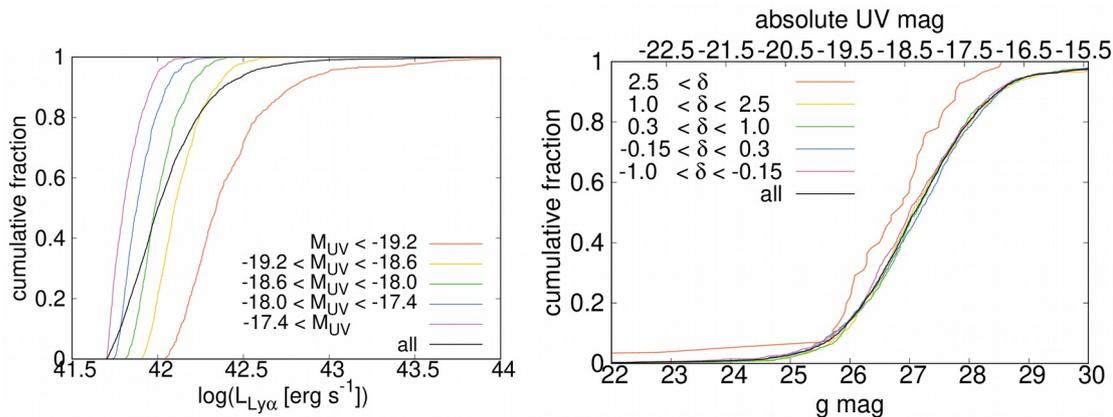
- Use cutout Ly α images of LAEs (sky mesh size=30") with continuum sources masked
- Stack Ly α & continuum images with IRAF imcombine (median, no clipping)
- Sky noise behaves well (noise $\propto \sim N^{-1/2}$)
- "Non-LAE" sample is constructed to check total systematics (see Momose+14)
- **Detect diffuse Ly α emission down to $\sim 10^{-20}$ erg/s/cm 2 /arcsec 2**



solid: Ly α , dashed: Cont.

LAH Dependence on Various Properties

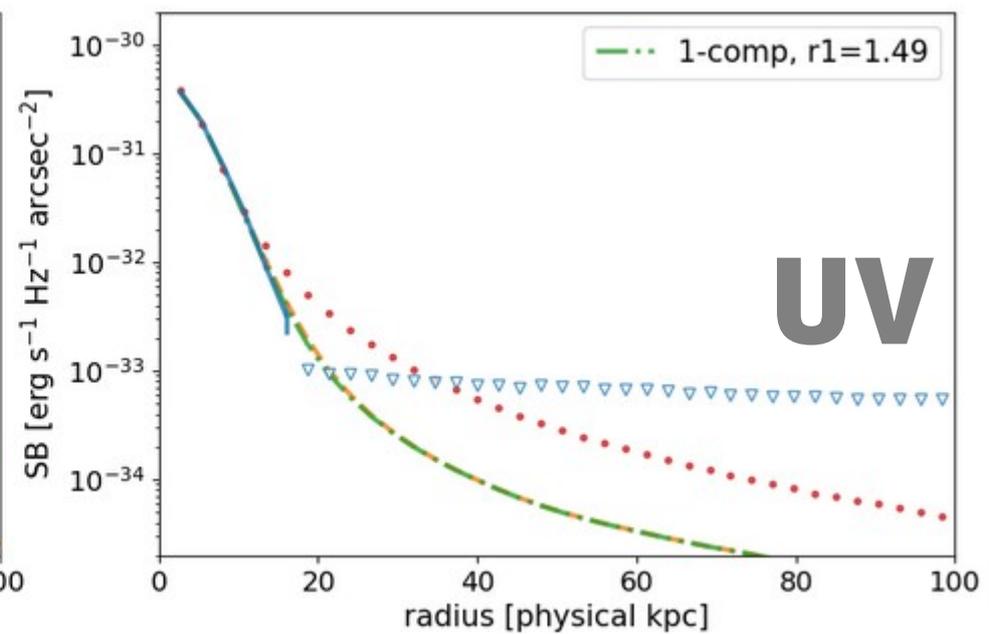
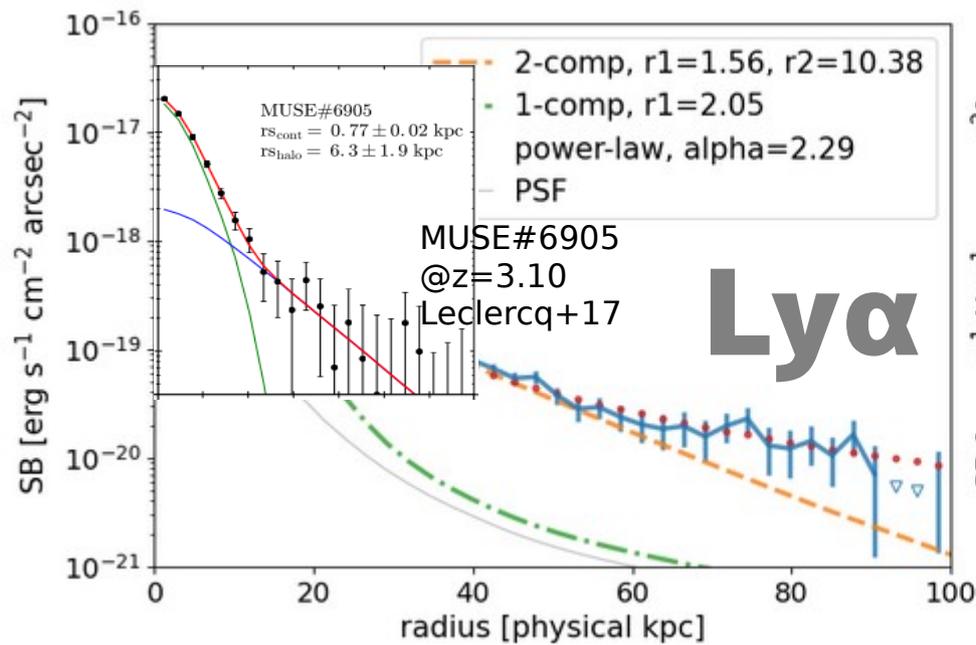
- Divide LAEs into 5 groups according to their photometric properties
- “Distance from the HLQSO” is for checking the impact of strong radiation field made by the QSO
- Note the correlations between quantities



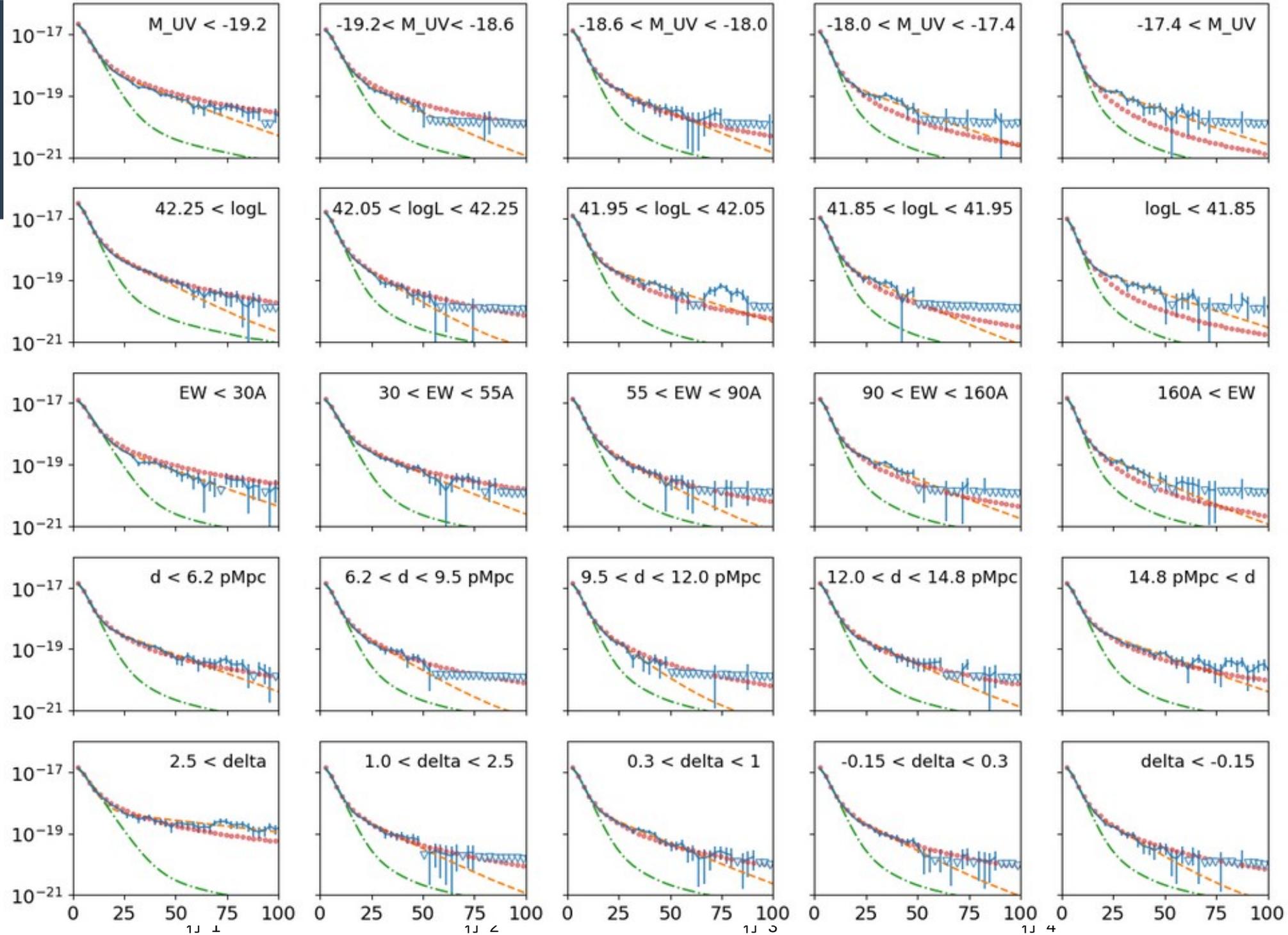
quantity	criteria	<i>N</i>
UV magnitude	$M_{\text{UV}} < -19.2$	690
	$-19.2 < M_{\text{UV}} < -18.6$	696
	$-18.6 < M_{\text{UV}} < -18.0$	773
	$-18.0 < M_{\text{UV}} < -17.4$	648
	$-17.4 < M_{\text{UV}}$	683
$\text{Ly}\alpha$ luminosity	$42.25 < \log L_{\text{Ly}\alpha}$	647
	$42.05 < \log L_{\text{Ly}\alpha} < 42.25$	833
	$41.95 < \log L_{\text{Ly}\alpha} < 42.05$	610
	$41.85 < \log L_{\text{Ly}\alpha} < 41.95$	645
	$\log L_{\text{Ly}\alpha} < 41.85$	755
$\text{Ly}\alpha$ equivalent width	$\text{EW}_{0,\text{Ly}\alpha} < 30\text{\AA}$	686
	$30\text{\AA} < \text{EW}_{0,\text{Ly}\alpha} < 55\text{\AA}$	727
	$55\text{\AA} < \text{EW}_{0,\text{Ly}\alpha} < 90\text{\AA}$	698
	$90\text{\AA} < \text{EW}_{0,\text{Ly}\alpha} < 160\text{\AA}$	735
	$160\text{\AA} < \text{EW}_{0,\text{Ly}\alpha}$	644
Environment	$2.5 < \delta$	55
	$1.0 < \delta < 2.5$	433
	$0.3 < \delta < 1.0$	944
	$-0.15 < \delta < 0.3$	1076
	$-1.0 < \delta < -0.15$	982
Distance from the HLQSO	$d_Q < 6.2 \text{ pMpc}$	679
	$6.2 \text{ pMpc} < d_Q < 9.5 \text{ pMpc}$	739
	$9.5 \text{ pMpc} < d_Q < 12.0 \text{ pMpc}$	633
	$12 \text{ pMpc} < d_Q < 14.8 \text{ pMpc}$	778
	$14.8 \text{ pMpc} < d_Q < 18.0 \text{ pMpc}$	661

Fitting exponential functions

- SB radial profiles are fit with the following functions:
 - **2-component exponential**: $\text{PSF}*(C_1 \times \exp(-r/r_1))$
 - **1-component exponential**: $\text{PSF}*(C_1 \times \exp(-r/r_1) + C_2 \times \exp(-r/r_2))$
 - **Power-law**: $\text{PSF}*(C_1 \times r^{-\alpha})$ as suggested by a model in Kakiichi & Dijkstra 2018



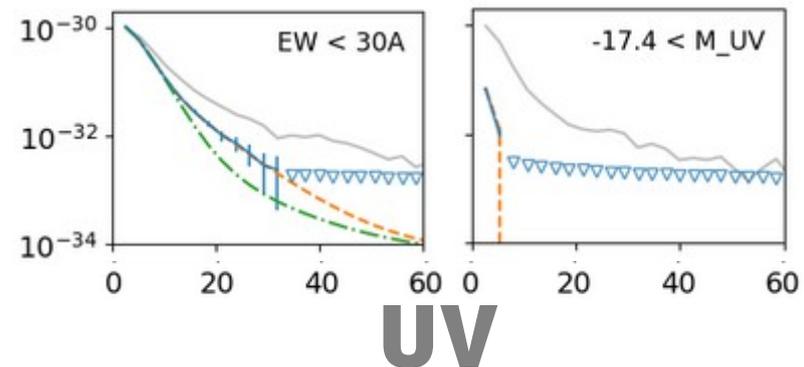
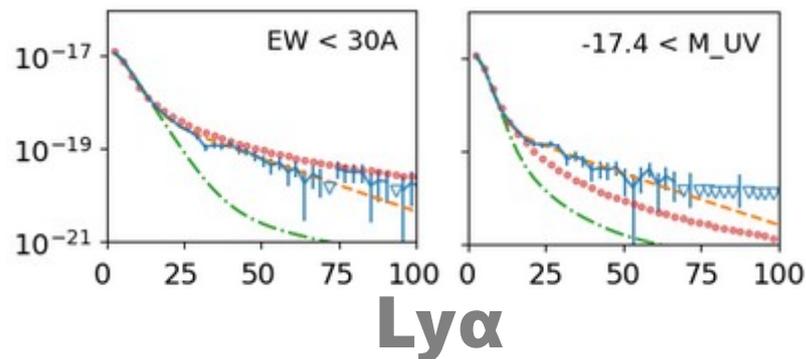
erg s⁻¹ cm⁻² arcsec⁻²



Data 2-comp 1-comp PL radius [physical kpc]

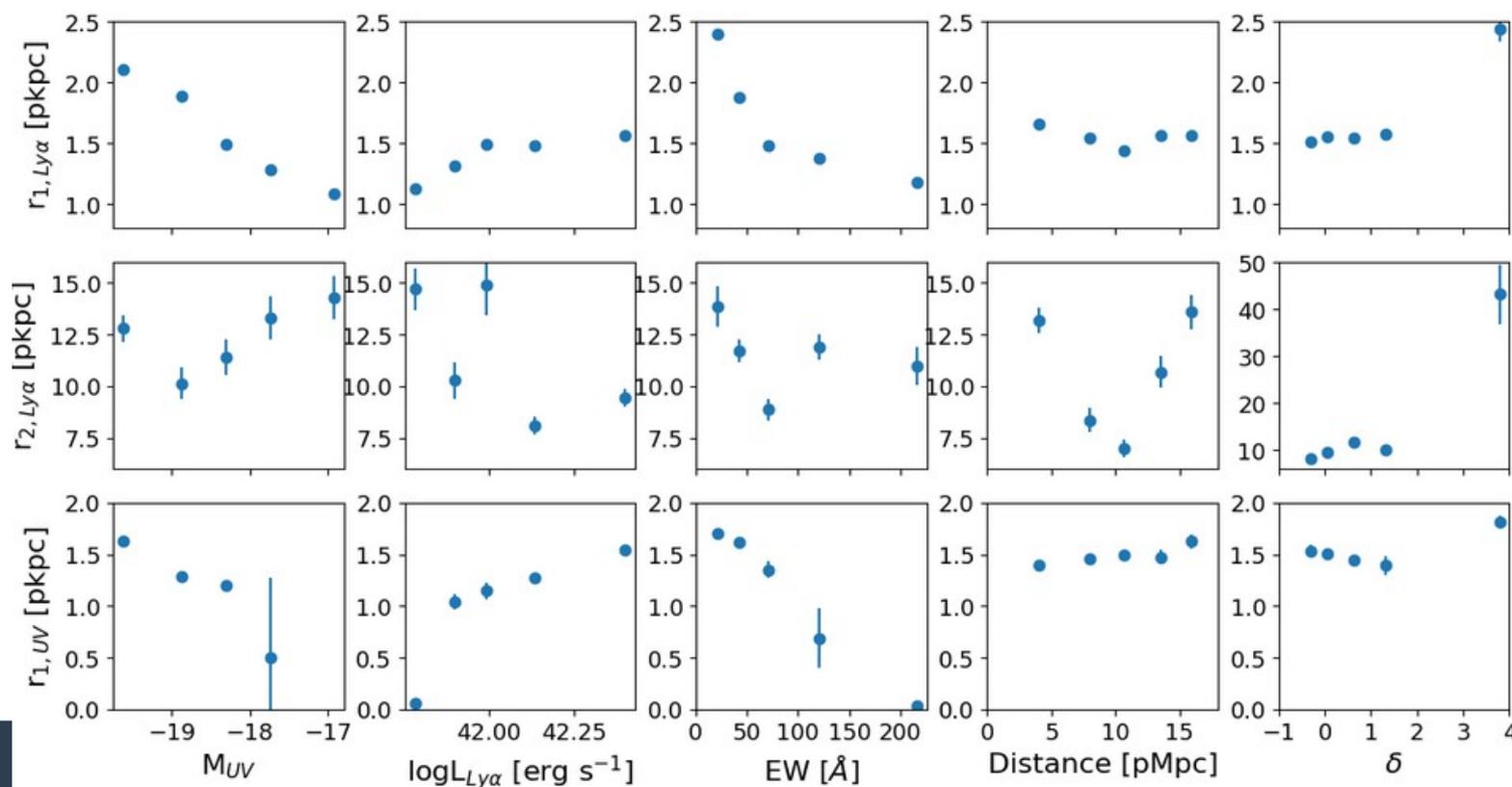
Fitting exponential functions

- **2-comp exp. functions are needed for Ly α SB profiles**, while 1-comp exp. functions are enough for UV in most cases
- Brightest (in Ly α /UV) / lowest-EW LAEs have the **UV 2nd component**
- Power-law sometimes fails to capture the transition from 1st to 2nd component



Results of Fitting

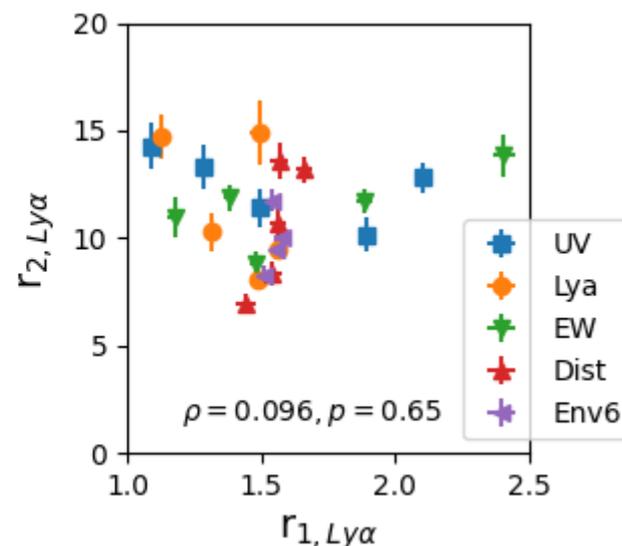
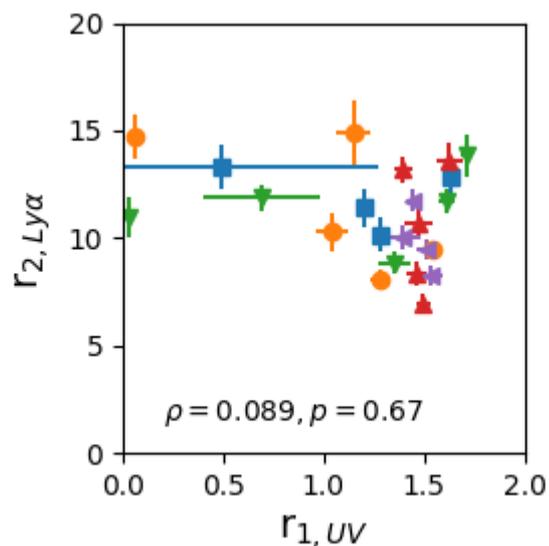
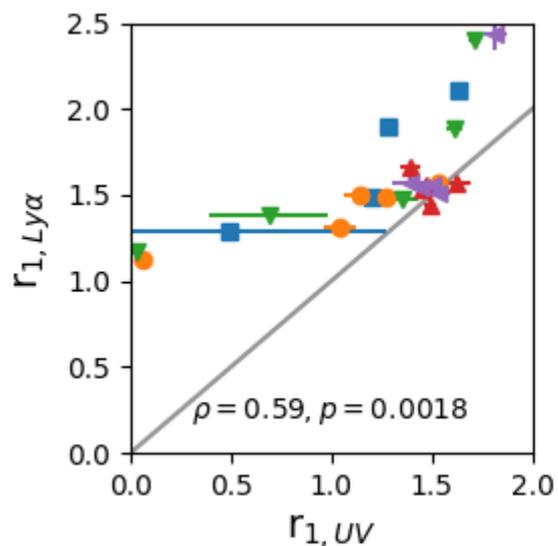
- Ly α /UV 1st components correlate with M_{UV} , $L_{Ly\alpha}$, EW
 - Brighter LAEs have larger cores
- Ly α 2nd component behaves stochastically
- Protocluster sample ($\delta > 2.5$) stands out



Relation between scalelengths

$$r_{1,UV}, r_{1,Ly\alpha}, r_{2,Ly\alpha}$$

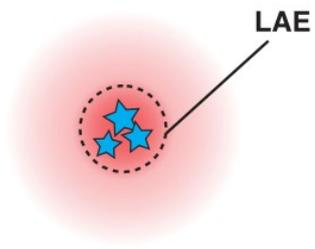
- Correlation found only for $r_{1,UV} - r_{1,Ly\alpha}$
 - $r_{2,Ly\alpha}$ is difficult to predict
- Common assumption of $r_{1,UV} = r_{1,Ly\alpha}$ is not valid (gray line: 1:1 rel.)
 - Caution: small value for $r_{1,UV}$ may be just due to nondetection in continuum images



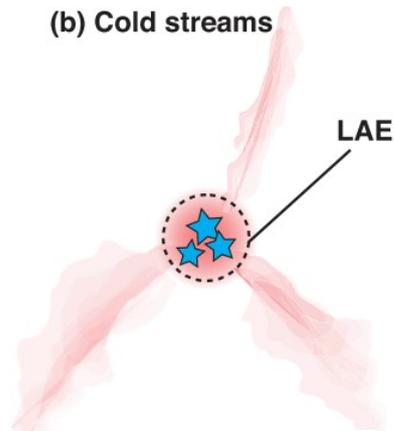
Insights into the Origin of LAHs

- **First detection of the UV 2nd component** ($r < 40$ pkpc) offers direct evidence for a contribution from **satellite SF**
 - Agree with recent simulation results (Byrohl+20, Mitchell+20, Lake+15)
 - Can be tested with JWST by seeing if “H α halos” exist or not
- To determine the origin of LAH at larger radii, deeper obs. & comparison with simulations are needed
 - Precise behavior of $r_{2,\text{Ly}\alpha}$ and $r_{2,\text{UV}}$ must be derived both from obs & sim
 - Predictions for cold stream contribution vary a lot

(a) Scattered light in the CGM



(b) Cold streams



(c) Satellite galaxies

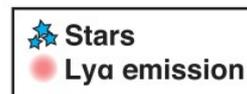
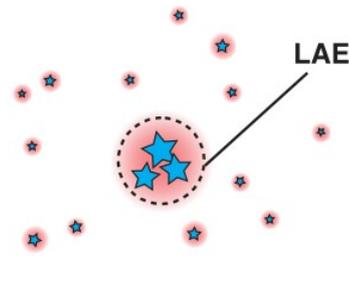
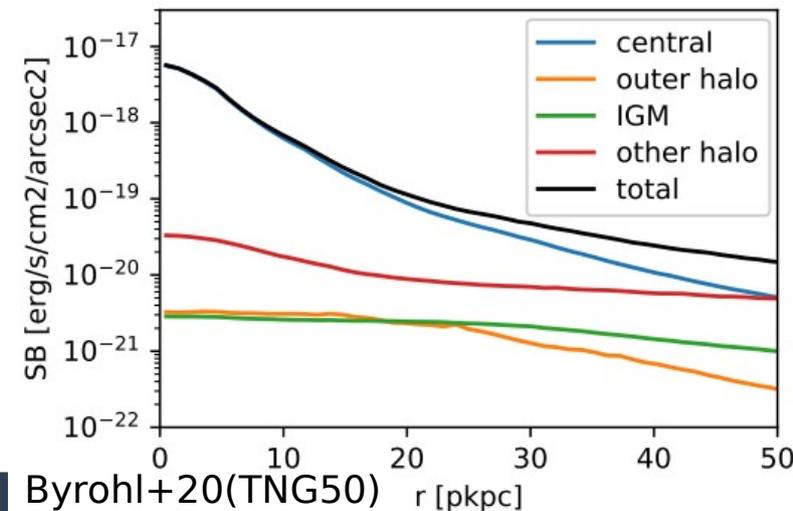


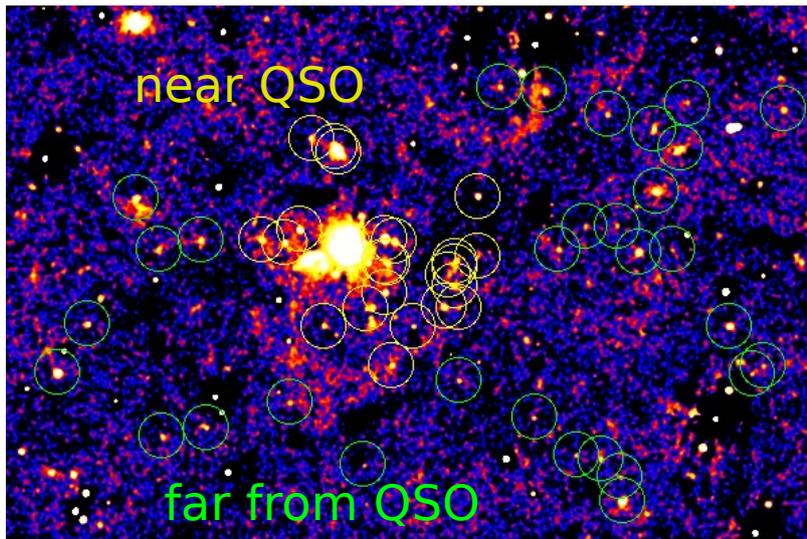
Figure from Momose+16



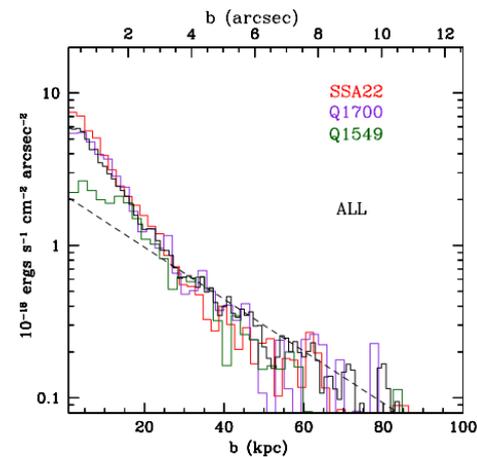
Byrohl+20(TNG50) r [pkpc]

Origin of the Large LAH in PCs

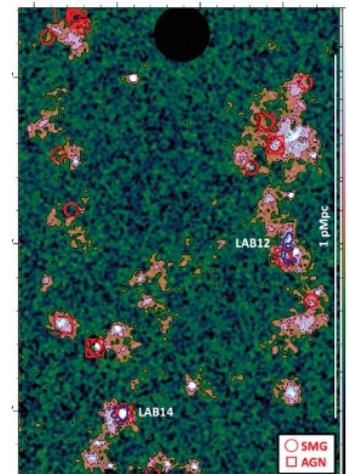
- Overlapping of galaxies or UV brightness of the PC LAEs cannot fully explain the large LAH
- We further divide the PC sample into near/far from the QSO sample
 - Far sample no longer has a very large LAH
 - Near sample shows an even larger LAH
- **Diffuse emission around the PC core may be the cause**



Steidel+11: SSA22,
HS1700, HS1549



Umehata+19: SSA22



Take home message about LAH

- Sensitivity close to $1e-20$ erg/s/cm²/arcsec² is necessary for safe argument (at $z \sim 3$) – **NB stacking with Subaru/HSC is still a powerful tool in the era of sensitive IFUs!**
- Ly α SB profiles are well fit with 2-component exponential functions
- **We found “UV halos”** around bright/low-EW LAEs
 - demonstrates **satellite SF** as important contributor
- $r_{1, Ly\alpha}$ and $r_{1, UV}$ correlate, but $r_{2, Ly\alpha}$ does not correlate with any photometric property – insufficient S/N?
- No dependence on large-scale environments **except for PCs**
 - very large LAHs may emerge in PCs at cosmic noon due to **diffuse Ly α emission from the structure**
- **Comments welcome! Slack or email** kikutast@ccs.tsukuba.ac.jp