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Environmental dependence of star forming galaxies at z~0.4 in the DEEP2-3 Field

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INTRODUCTION

Large-scale structures



Springel 2005

Understanding precisely how galaxies change their properties as a result of the hierarchical growth of LSSs



What makes this environmental dependence?

When?

How or why?

epoch/timescale for the emergence of the environmental effect?

Spectroscopic redshift:

✤<u>Ideal</u> but Expensive and Samples will be too numerous to be observed

*Require pre-selection of spectroscopic targets which can introduce sampling bias

Narrow Band Imaging:

Narrowband filters targeting nebular emission from HII regions of star-forming galaxies.

□Powerful approach to identify star-forming (SF) galaxies along the cosmic web in the distant universe based on their strong emission lines

Photometric redshift:

Easy to get but uncertainty becomes large at higher redshifts

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Accuracy of $\Delta z \sim 0.03$

Narrow Band Imaging:



REDSHIFT MEASUREMENTS WITH TWO ADJACENT NARROW-BAND FILTERS

Laishram et al (in review)



The overlap with a slight difference in the response curves allows us to estimate the redshift based on the difference of emission line fluxes measured in the NB921 and NB926 images.





- DEEP 2-3 Field (5.6 deg²)
- HSC-SSP PDR2 data(Aihara et al. 2019)
 - g, r, i, z, y, NB921
- NB926 (Hayashi et al) (Open-use program S17B)
- CFHT/MegaCam *u*, UKIRT/WFCAM (J,K) DUNES











At low redshift, Red Sequence cluster are older, more developed and there are cluster specific quenching processes such as ram pressure stripping, starvation etc which reduce the SF activity

Emission line-continuum size ratios



Evidence for truncated H α discs in galaxy clusters core compared to the fields.

♦ Ram-pressure stripping

Dust Extinction

Preliminary results

Underlying relationship between [OII] and Ha emitters



- $[OII]/H\alpha$ line ratio is sensitive to dust extinction due to difference in rest-frame wavelength of the two emission lines.
 - metallicity can affect the line ratio as well.

 $[OII]/H\alpha = f(A_{h\alpha} + 12 + log(O/H))$





 $F([OII]\lambda 3727)$ and $F(H\alpha)$ are correlated

- With no extinction correction, the correlation between $F([OII]\lambda 3727)$ and $F(H\alpha)$ has a very large dispersion.
- after these corrections, the intensities of these two emission lines are all significantly increased
 - correlation between $F([OII]\lambda 3727)$ and $F(H\alpha)$ is enhanced
 - the dispersion of the correlation between $F([OII]\lambda 3727)$ and $F(H\alpha)$ is remarkably reduced.

- 1. Derived the empirical relationship of $A_{h\alpha}$ as a function of [OII]/H α and metallicity (12+log(O/H) fitted by 4th order polynomial function
- 2. At z~0.4: Using [OII]/H α and metallicity (derived from mass-metallicity relation), A_{h α (derived)} is obtained



 $[OII]/H\alpha = f(A_{h\alpha} + 12 + \log(O/H))$

- Higher dust extinction with increasing stellar mass
 - \blacktriangleright massive galaxies may have built up a larger dust reservoir with which to attenuate H α radiation

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METHODS

- > Novel method to estimate accurate redshifts and emission line fluxes of SF galaxies
- > 3D Mapping and Structure separation at thin redshift slice and reduce the projection effect
- Investigate the projected corrected environmental dependence of galaxy properties with local density.
- > H α and stellar continuum image from narrow-band (NB921) and broad band (z) image
- > Derived the empirical relationship between $[OII]/H\alpha = f(A_{h\alpha} + 12 + log(O/H))$ from SDSS data

RESULTS & INTERPRETATION

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 ➤ Evidence for truncated Hα discs in galaxy clusters core compared to the fields.
 - Ram-pressure stripping
- > correlation between F([OII] λ 3727) and F(H α) is enhanced after dust correction



Thank You