

# X-ray emission of galactic winds at low and high redshifts using eROSITA

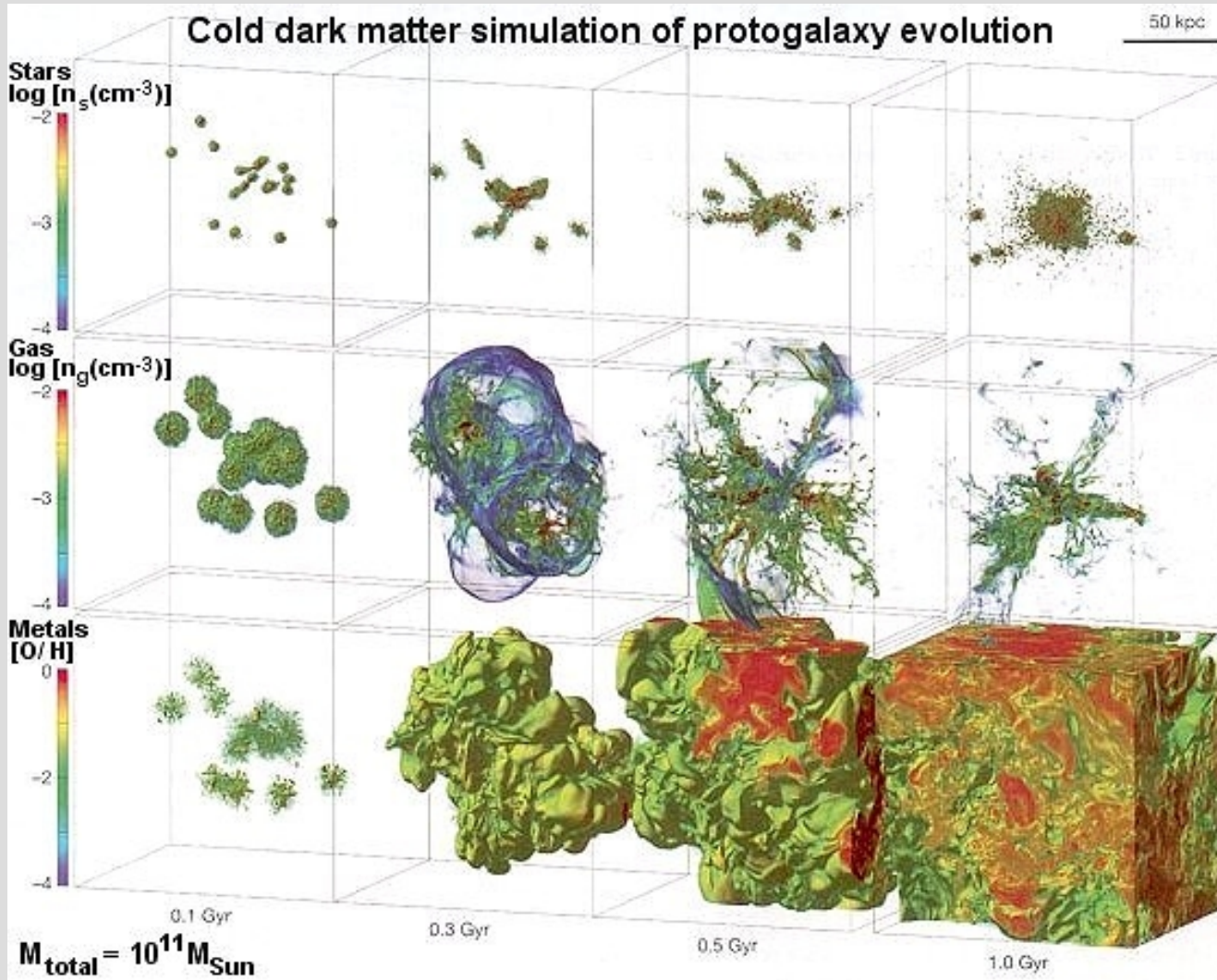
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# Why galactic outflows?



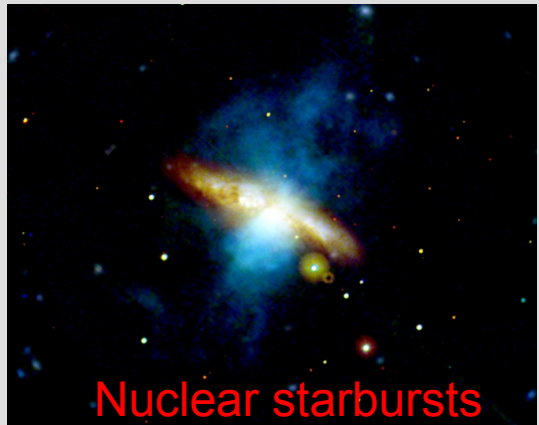
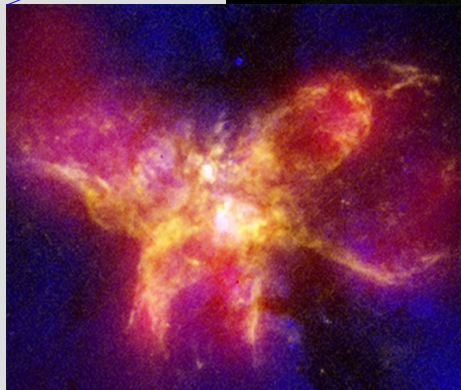
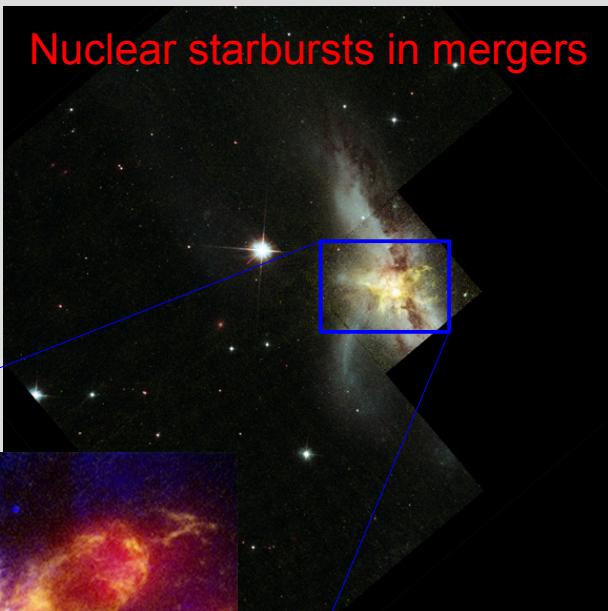
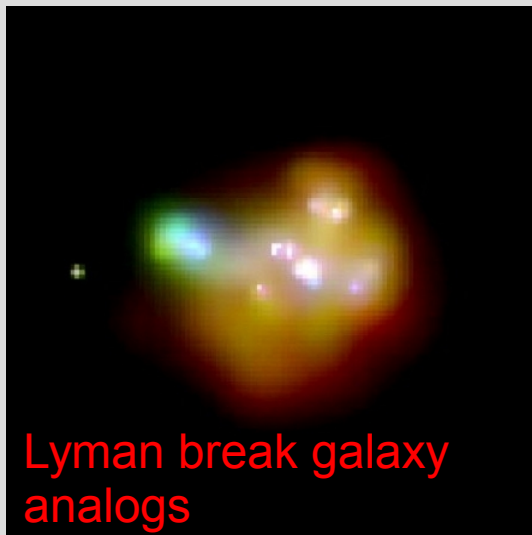
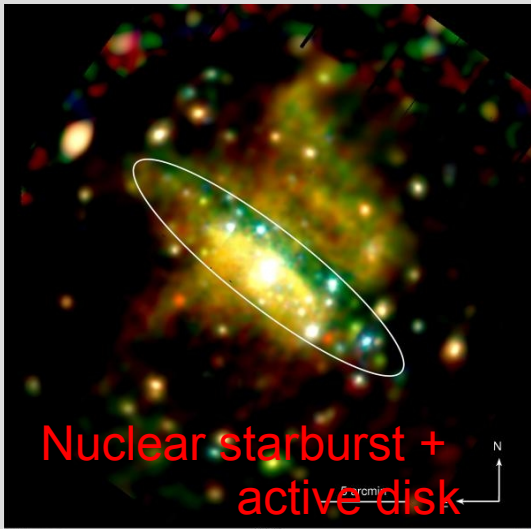
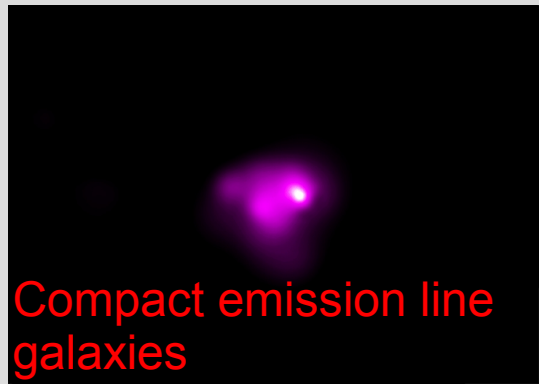
influences:

galaxy formation  
galaxy evolution  
metal amount  
metal distribution  
IGM properties  
reionization

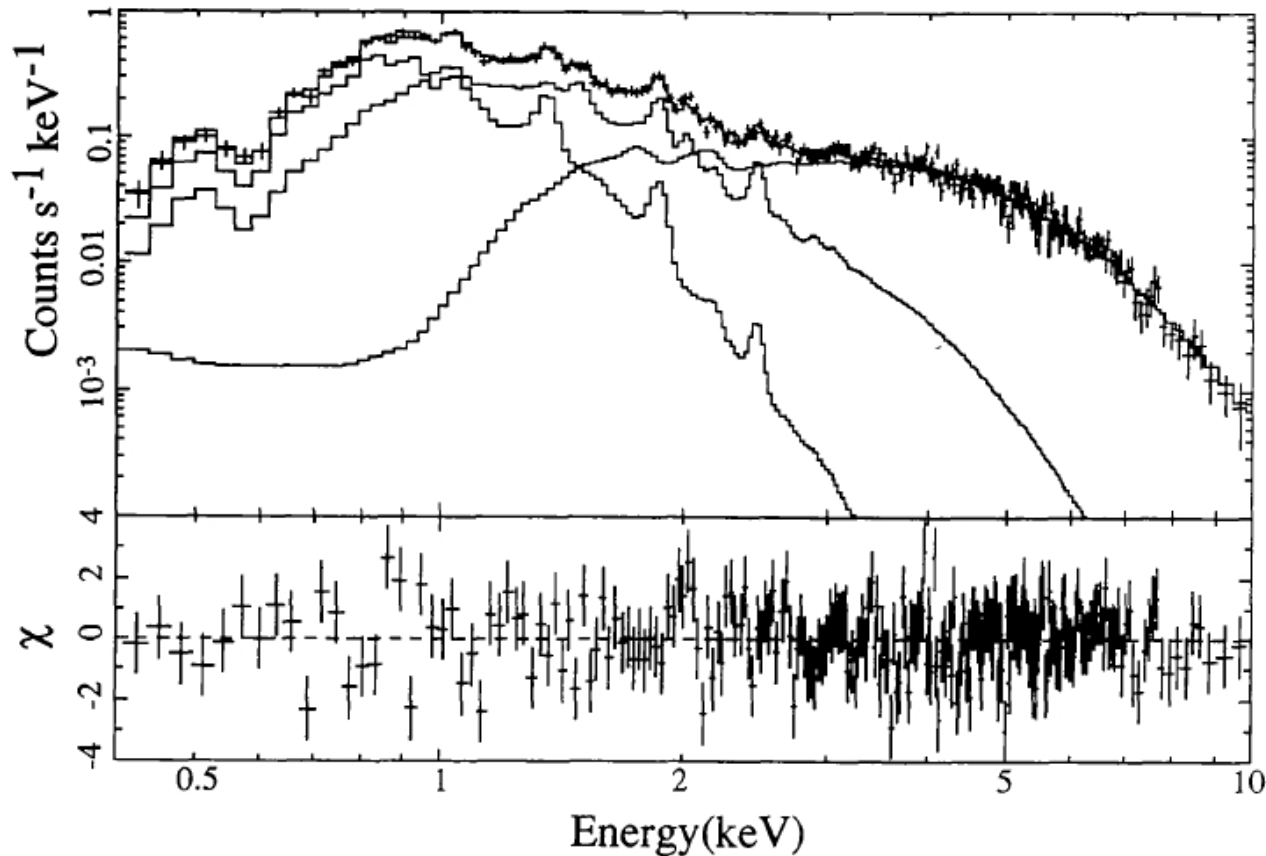
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Effect depends on SFR, and potential well, and environment

# Galactic outflows/winds



# What can we see?



M82  
Tsuru et al. 1997

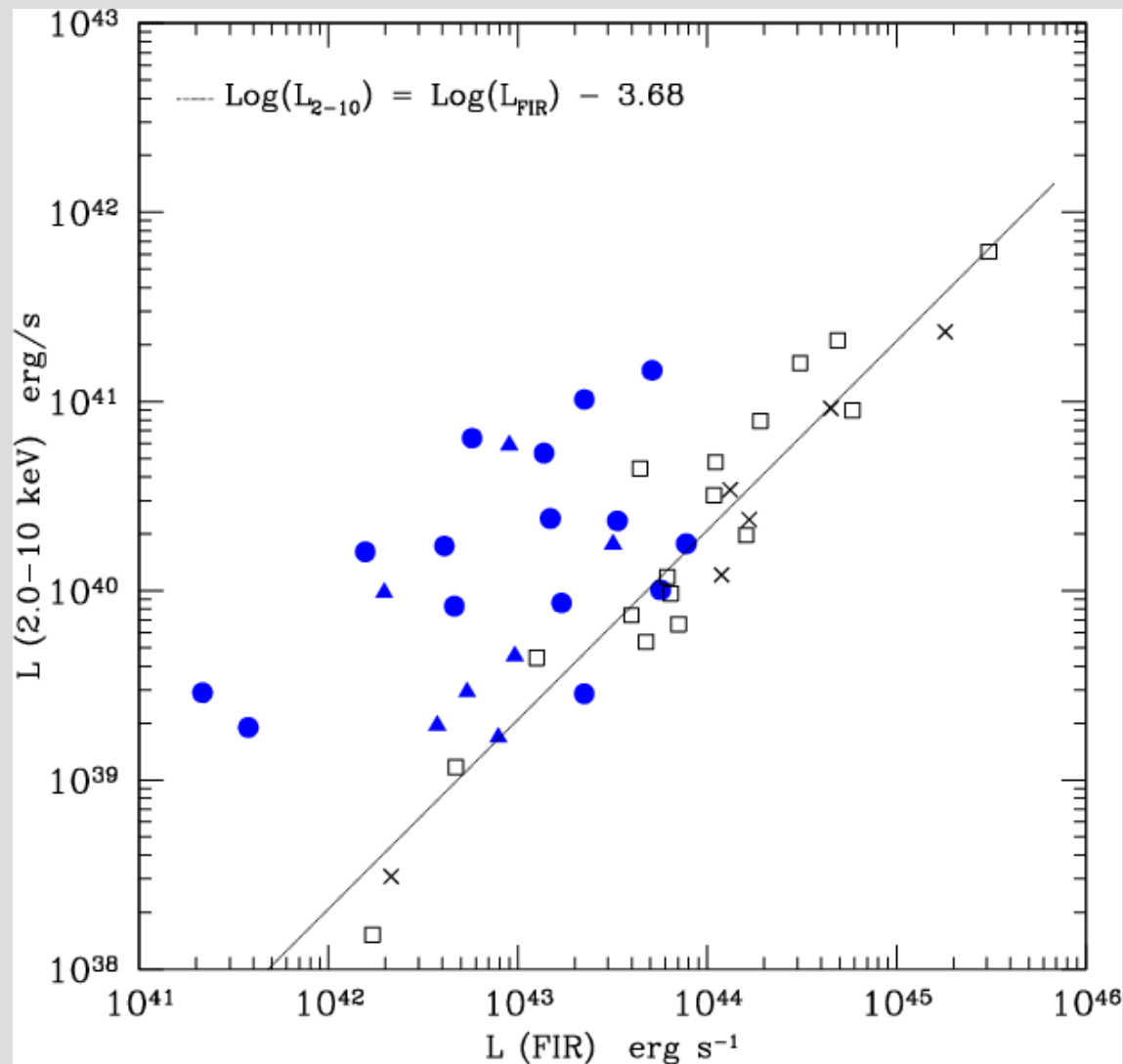
X-ray spectrum of starburst galaxies:

0.1 - 2 keV emission dominated by line emission of hot gas (several temperatures. non-equilibrium...)

2.0 - 10 keV emission dominated by powerlaw emission of (high-mass) X-ray binaries (e.g. Persic & Rephaeli 2002, Pereira-Santaella et al. 2011), with some contribution by very hot gas and SNR.



# X-ray luminosity



2-10 keV emission at rest frame  
is **good** massive starformation tracer

Independent of dust !

AGN add X-ray flux

But unclear if there is evolution  
of the relation with  
metallicity and mass  
(and therefore redshift)

Ranalli et al. 2003  
see also Grimm et al. 2003,...

Open Symbols: normal galaxies  
Filled symbols: LINER and AGN

# Starbursting dwarf galaxies



Observations only for the  
“classical” examples  
(less than  $\sim 15$ )

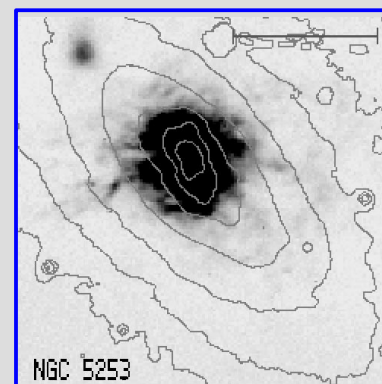
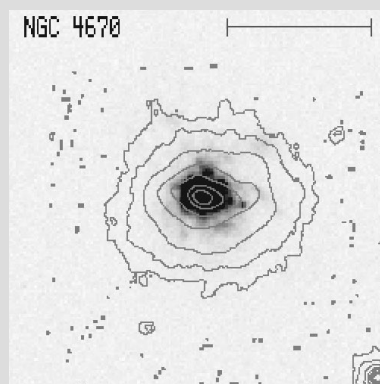
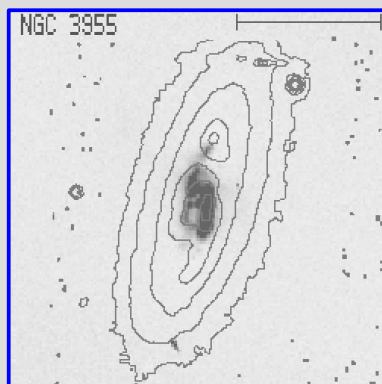
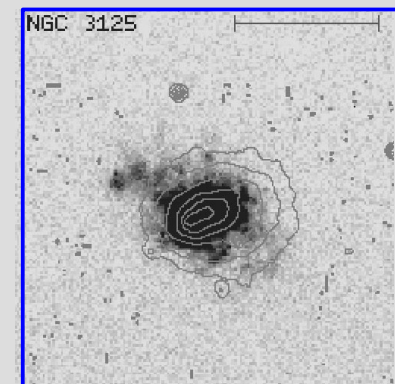
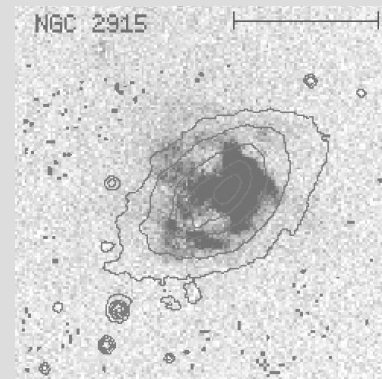
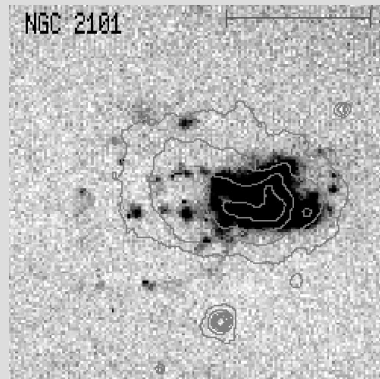
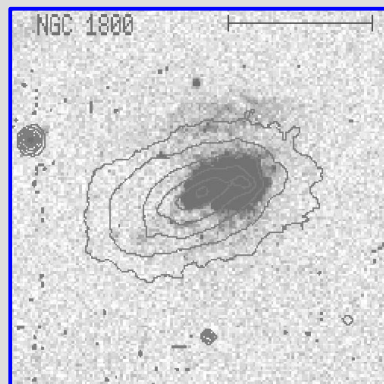
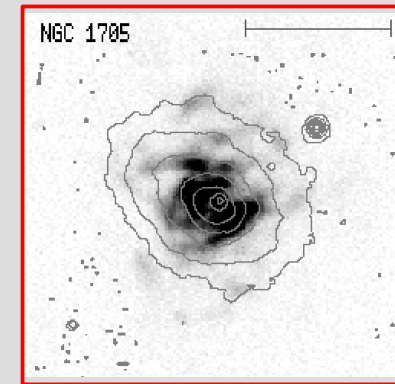
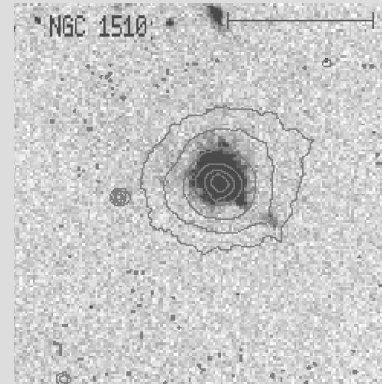
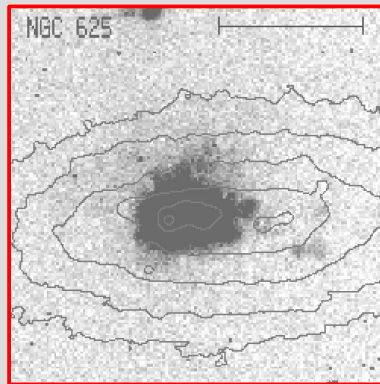
Huge open parameter space

→ high specific SFR galaxies

NGC 1569 CXO and H $\alpha$  (Martin et al. 2002)

# Starbursting dwarf galaxies

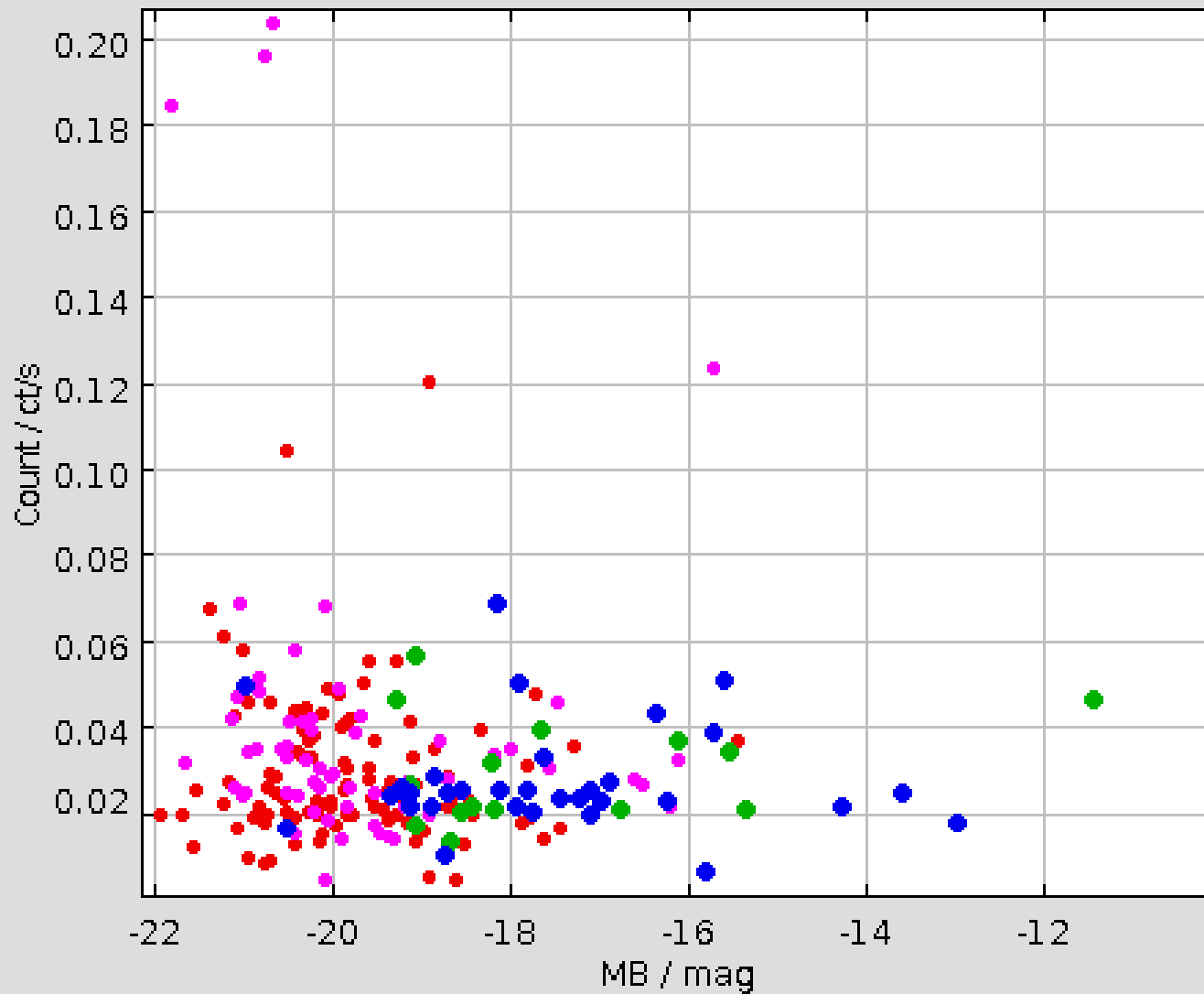
One test sample:  
Nearby Irr2 galaxies



XMM-Newton & CHANDRA  
ROSAT

Pictures from  
Marlowe et al. 1998

# Detection rate with ROSAT



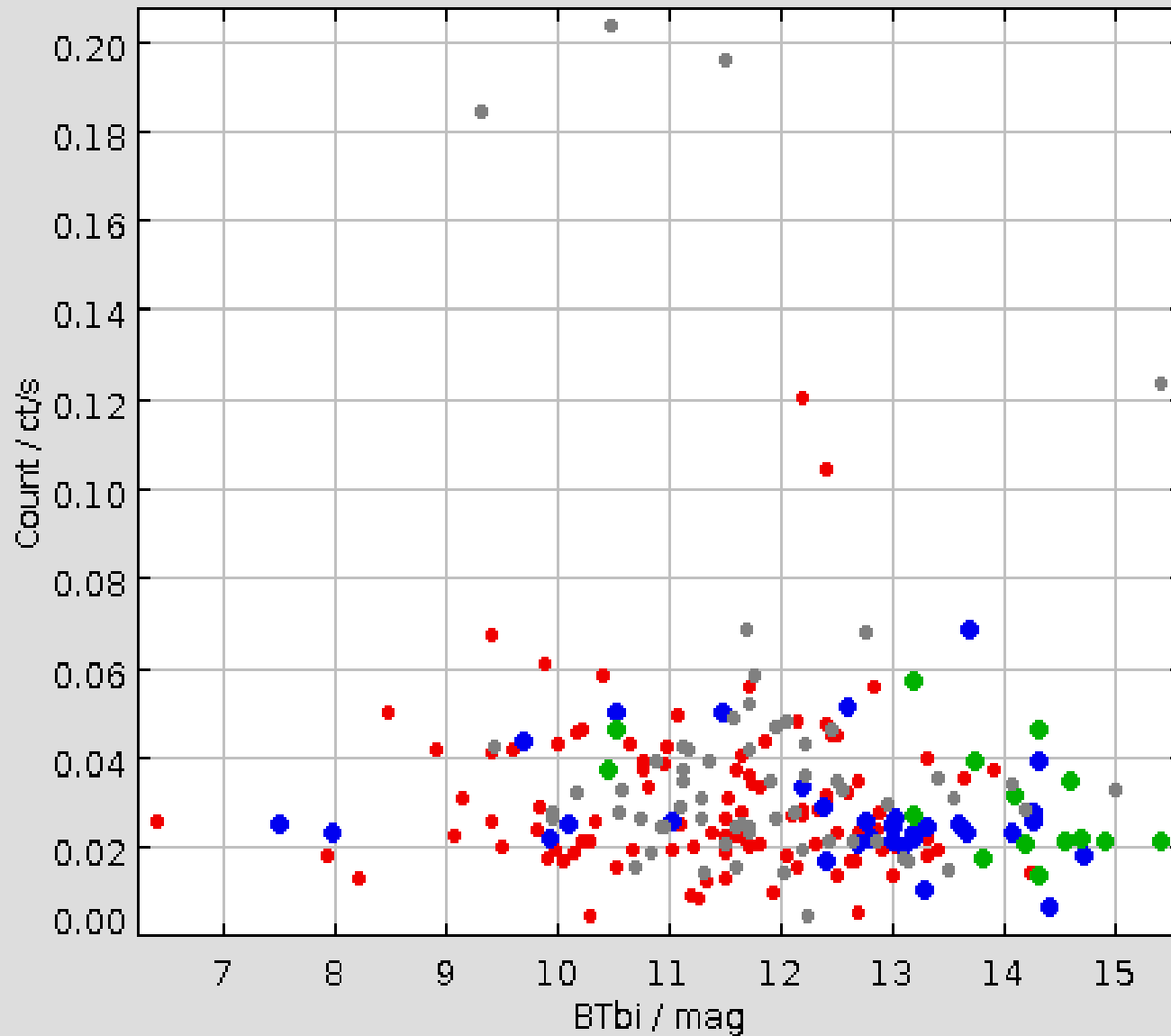
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Tully 1988  
+  
RASS  
=  
241 detections

Galaxies within  
~40Mpc  
 $V_r = 3000 \text{ km/s}$



# Detection rate with ROSAT

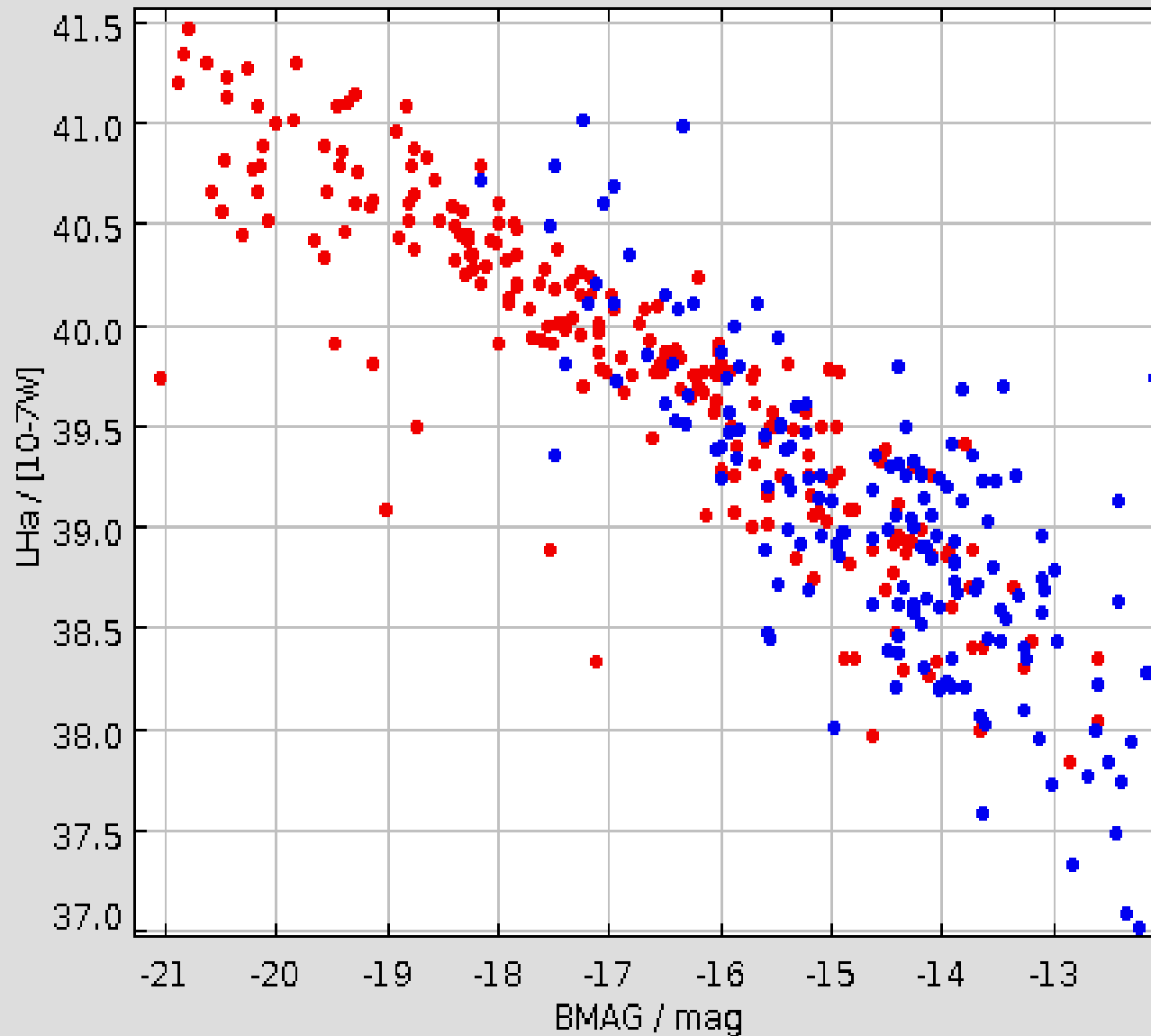


Irregular galaxies  
Slight tendency to  
Populates the lower  
Count rates

→

Lower absolute,  
But not specific SFRs

# Star formation rates

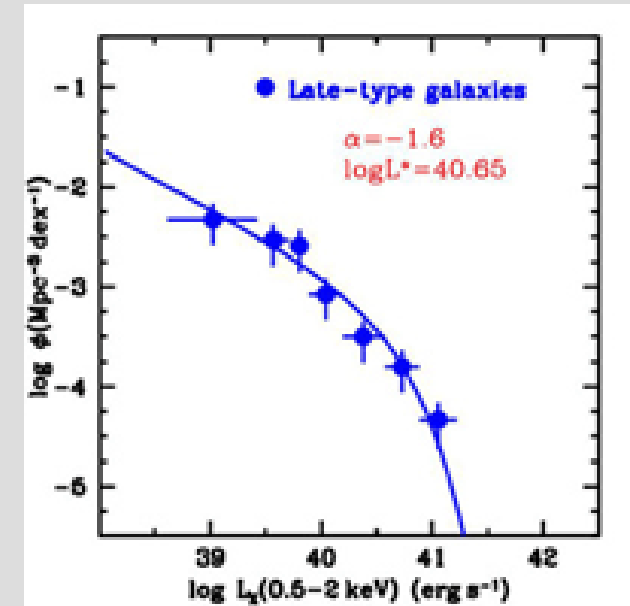
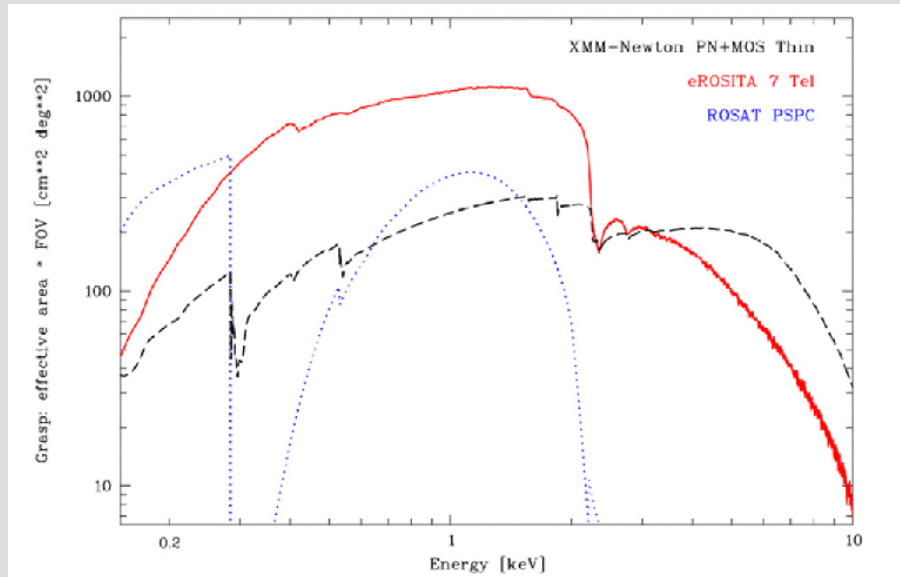


Subset of high SFR dwarfs  
~ 10% of sample

Local Volume (D < 11 Mpc)

Adapted from Kennicutt et al. 2008

# Zero order estimate for eROSITA



Georgantopoulos et al. 2005,  
Georgakakis et al, 2006

Rough scaling :

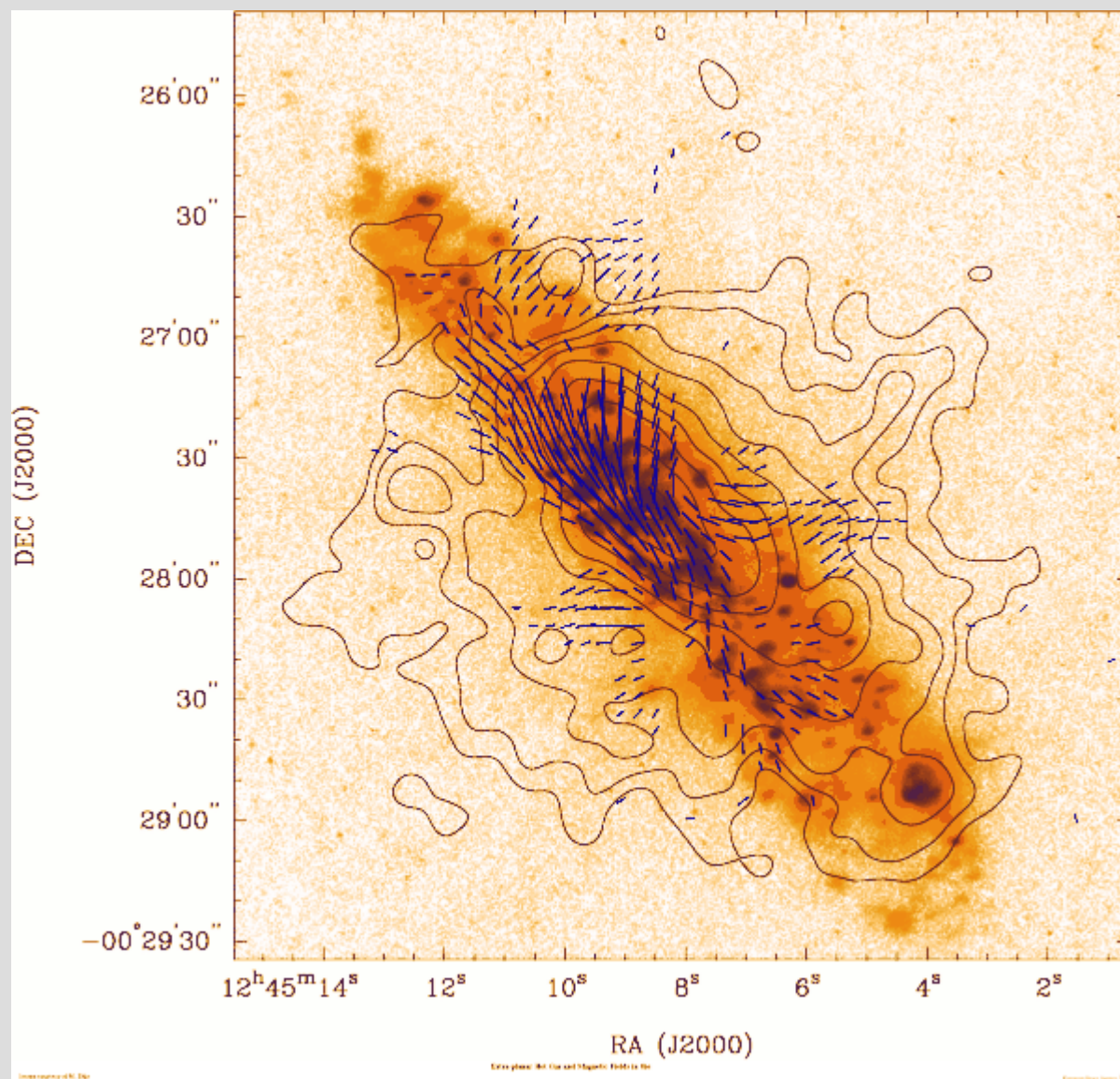
- \* RASS: 10% of detected 240 galaxies are dwarf irregulars  
Okay, some dominated by one bright X-ray binary...
- \* Factor 30 in sensitivity means factor  $\sim 5$  larger distance, factor 25 larger volume
- \* or factor 30 detected fainter fluxes at same distance
- \*  $\sim 10\%$  of dwarf galaxies have high specific SFR
- \* X-ray (and optical) LF of starforming galaxies is strongly rising toward low luminosities

→ > 100 eROSITA detections of starbursting dwarf galaxies

Well, surface brightness sensitivity, spectrum, foreground absorption ....

Still, there will be many detections, some with good spectra !!

# Nuclear starburst galaxies, strong SFR disks



Again:  
Mostly observed are the famous examples,

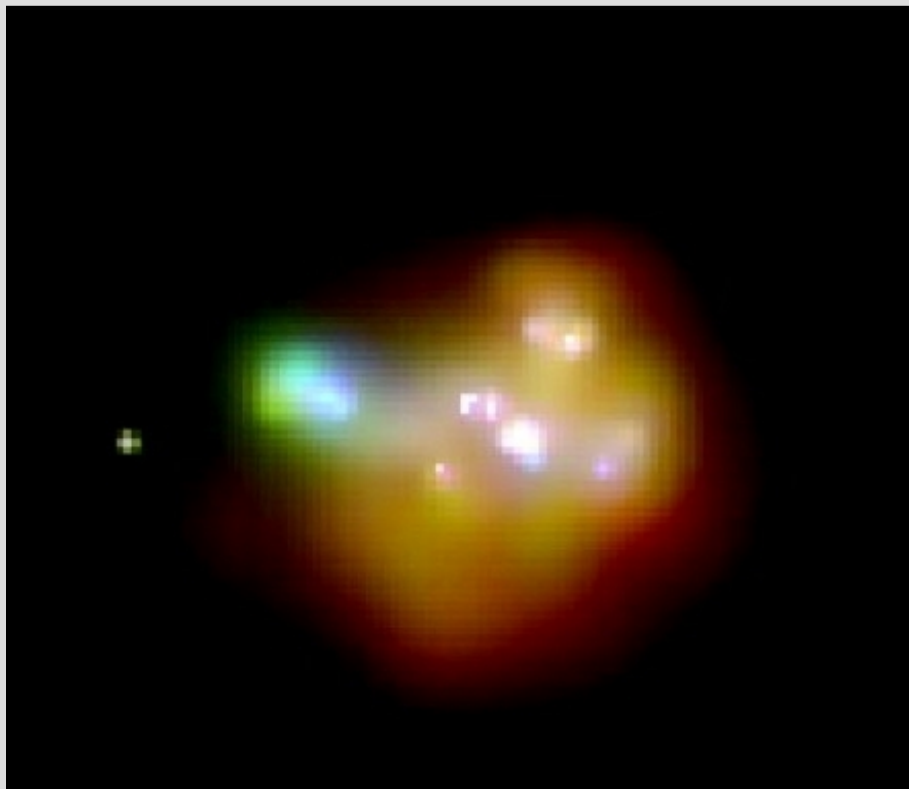
Some larger sample work  
e.g. Strickland et al. 2002

But there are many unchecked  
and/or unrecognized  
candidates even within 20 Mpc

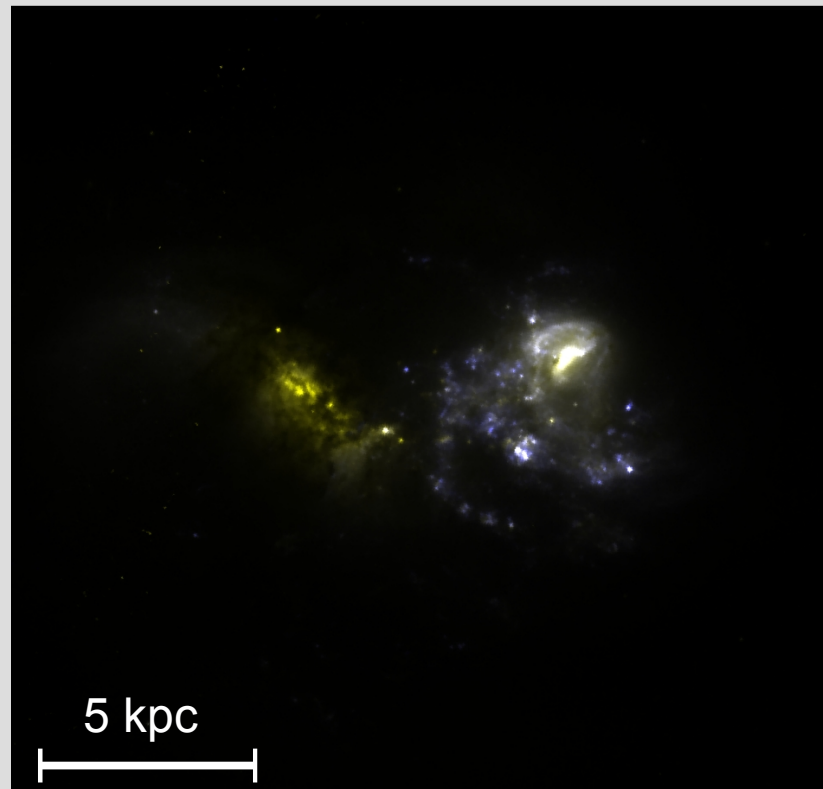
Clear link with radio continuum  
measurements of magnetic field



# Lyman Break Galaxy Analogs



CHANDRA X-ray color image (0.5-1.0 keV, 1-2keV, 2-8 keV) of the Lyman Break Galaxy Analogon VV114 (adapted from Grimes et al. 2006)



HST ACS color image of VV114 (F435W and F814W) (Bomans et al., in prep.).

Will be detected in eROSITA All Sky Survey

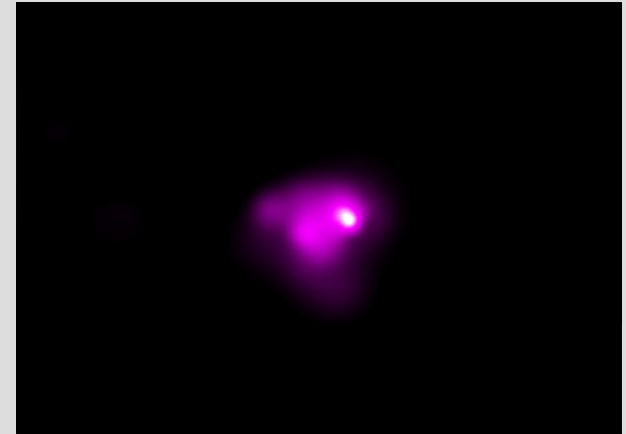
and UV bright redshifted starbursts  
(e.g. Hoopes et al. 2007)

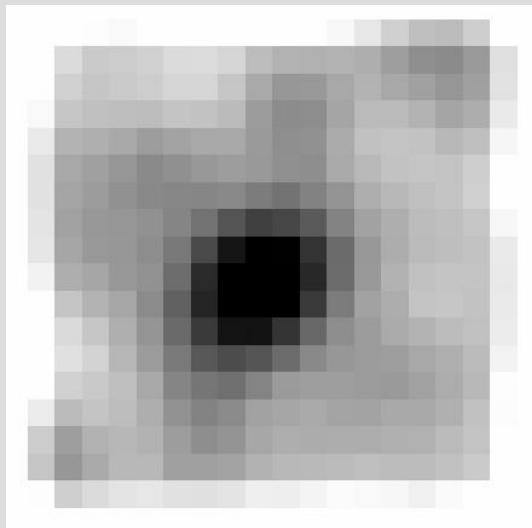
and redshifted compact emission line galaxies...  
(e.g. Kakazu et al. 2007)

Most will be too faint for a eROSITA detection

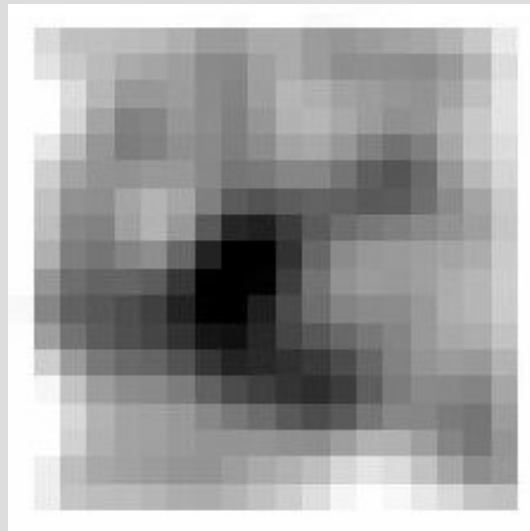
But we have optical/UV selected samples !

→ stacking analysis

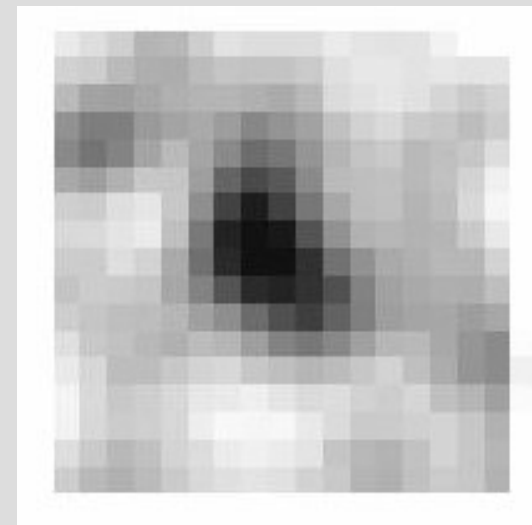




$0.5 < z < 1.0$   
detection



$1.0 < z < 2.0$   
detection



$2.5 < z < 3.0$   
detection

CXO 4 Msec data of CDFS

$1.0 < z < 2.0$  SWIFT UVOT selected LBGs (35 in stack) show complex structure:

- less reliable astrometry? (needs more checks)
- or fainter secondary clumps (dwarf galaxies) detected?
- or extension due to hot outflows?

$0.5 < z < 1.0$  sample is not selected for high SF (100 in stack)!

- contribution from non-starburst “normal” galaxies and hot gas halos of elliptical galaxies?

$2.5 < z < 3.0$  LBGs (200 in stack)

- \* eROSITA All Sky Survey about 30 times more sensitive than RASS
  - larger survey volume, more faint emission of outflows
- \* eROSITA has carbon edge advantage (remember: outflows have soft spectra!)
- \* no significant gain in spatial resolution → detect via optical/UV selected source lists
- \* X-ray spectra !
- \* nice lines in the soft part → diagnostics from survey data



- \* more than 100 dwarf starbursts with outflows in survey data in local universe expected
- \* optical/UV source lists → stacking analysis for Lyman break galaxy analogs and compact strong emission line galaxies out to at least  $z \sim 0.5$
- \* potential for many new nuclear starburst galaxies with outflows
- \* multiple starbursts in (compact) galaxy groups
- \* Lyman break galaxies at  $z \sim 1 \dots 4$  in the deep spots of survey?
- \* strong synergy with LOFAR (tracing synchrotron emission halos, magnetic fields)



Thank you for your attention !