



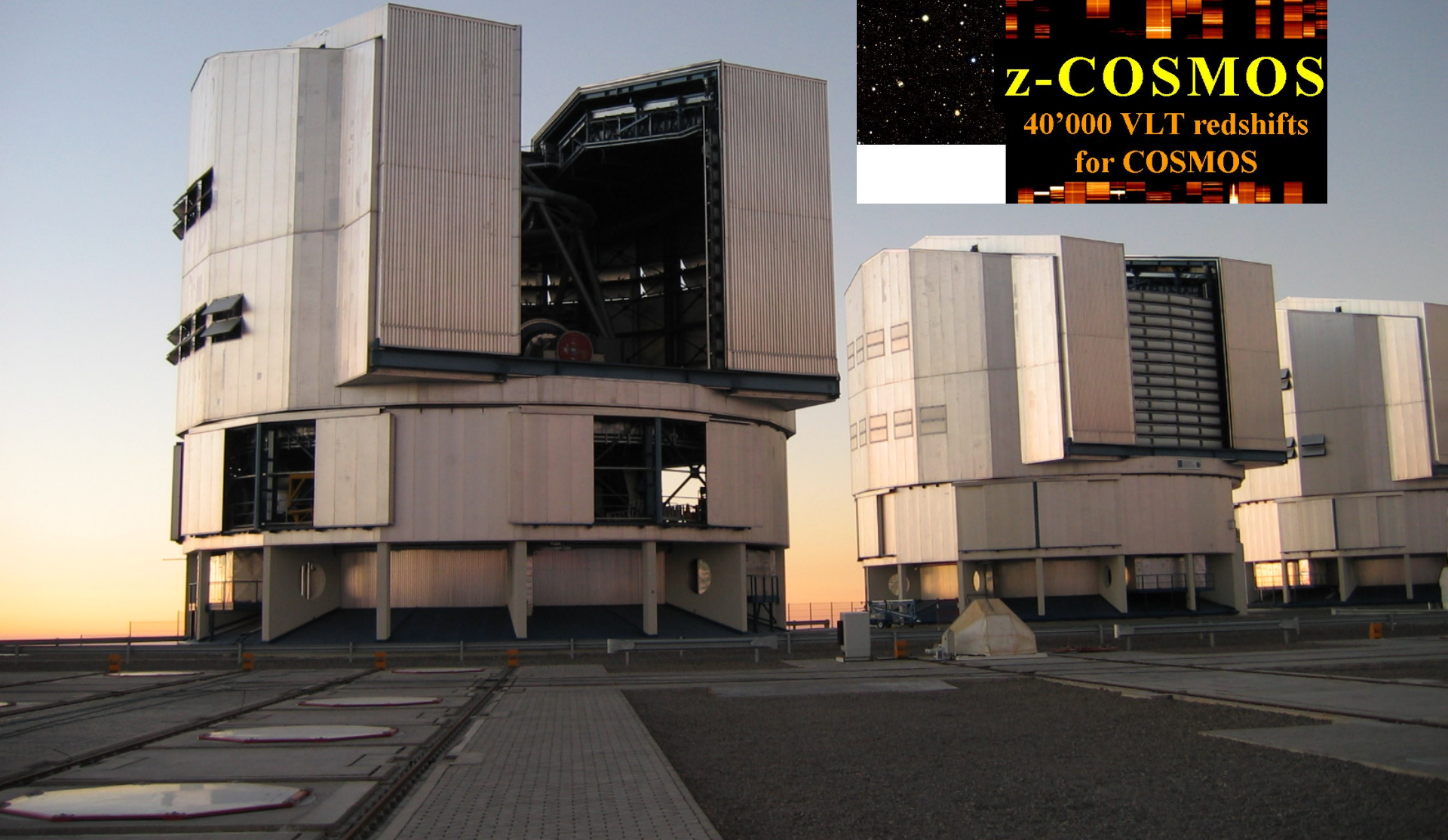
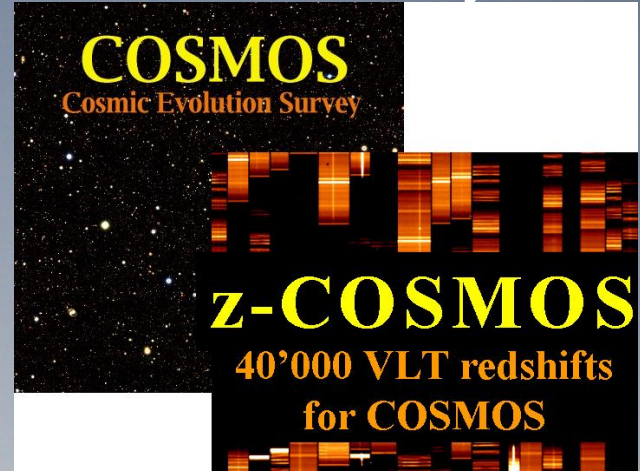
OPTICAL PROPERTIES OF RADIO GALAXIES IN THE VLA-VVDS SURVEY +zCOSMOS

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VVDS survey



zCOSMOS survey

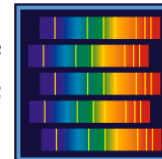




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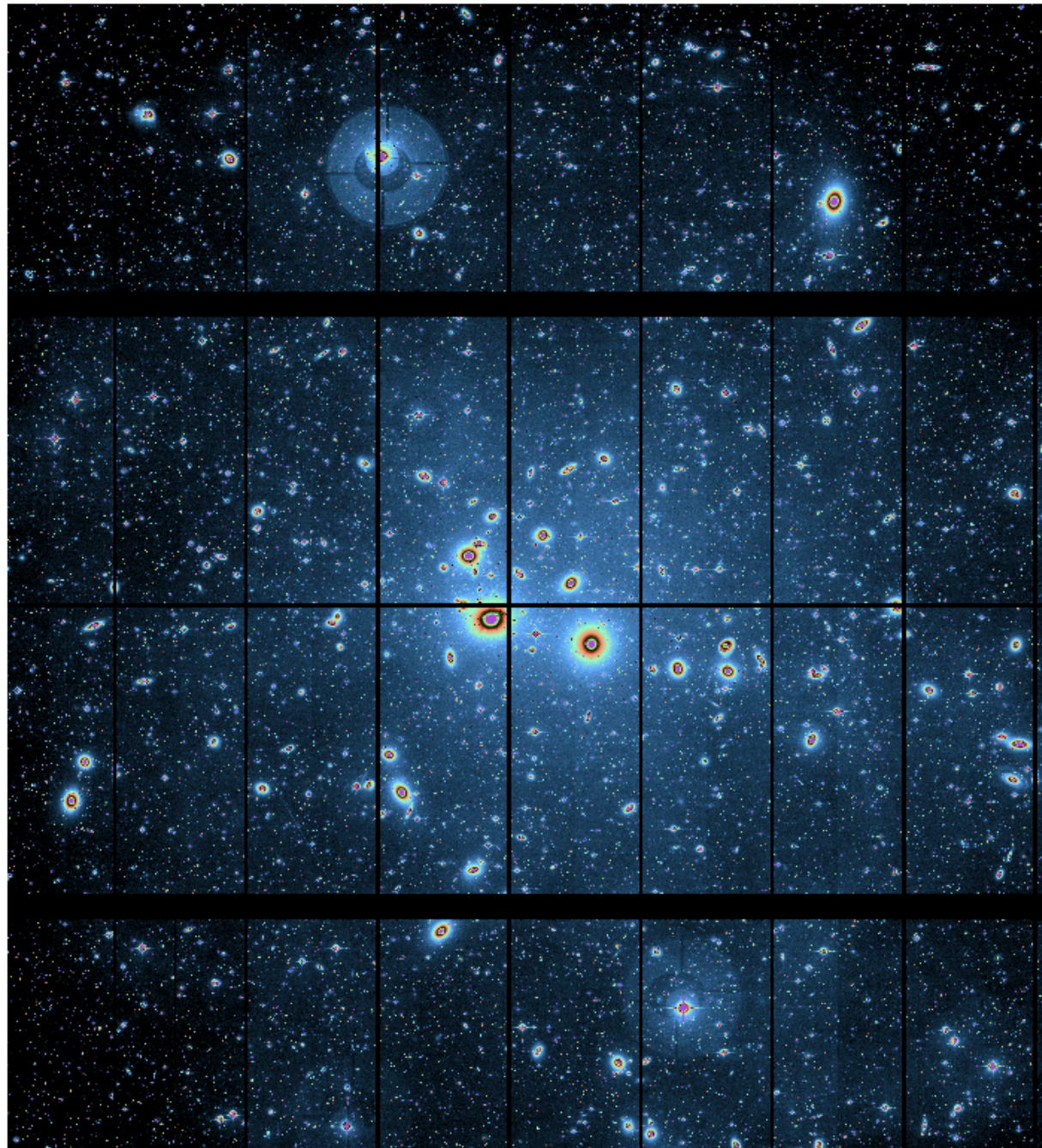
VVDS

~50 people
24 Institutes

Deep wide field multi-band photometry with CFHT



CFHT telescope





One square degree

BVRI -12 k camera

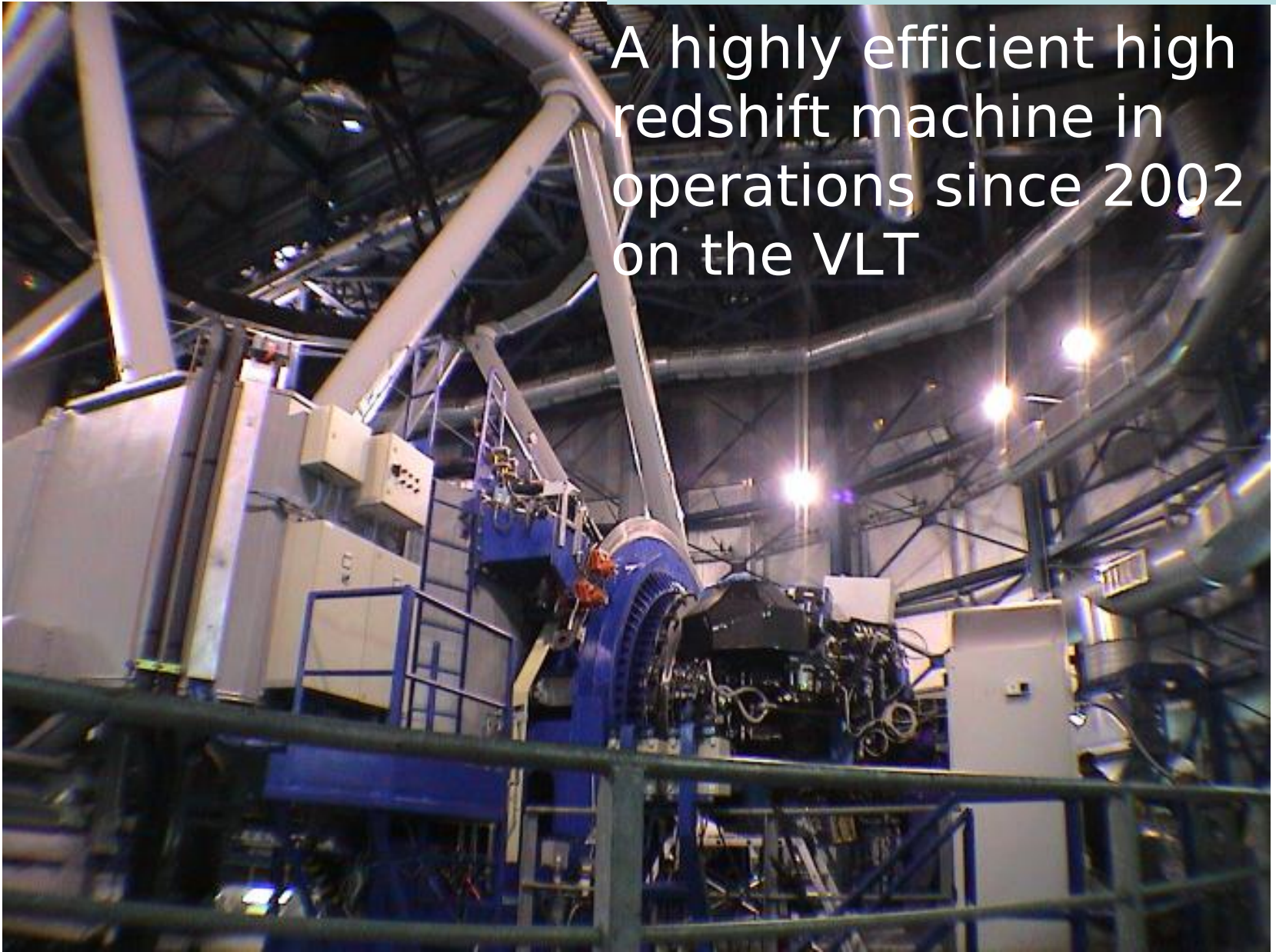
u* g' r' l' z' MEGACAM Legacy Survey

J K NTT data

K UKIDSS

VIMOS -VLT-UT3

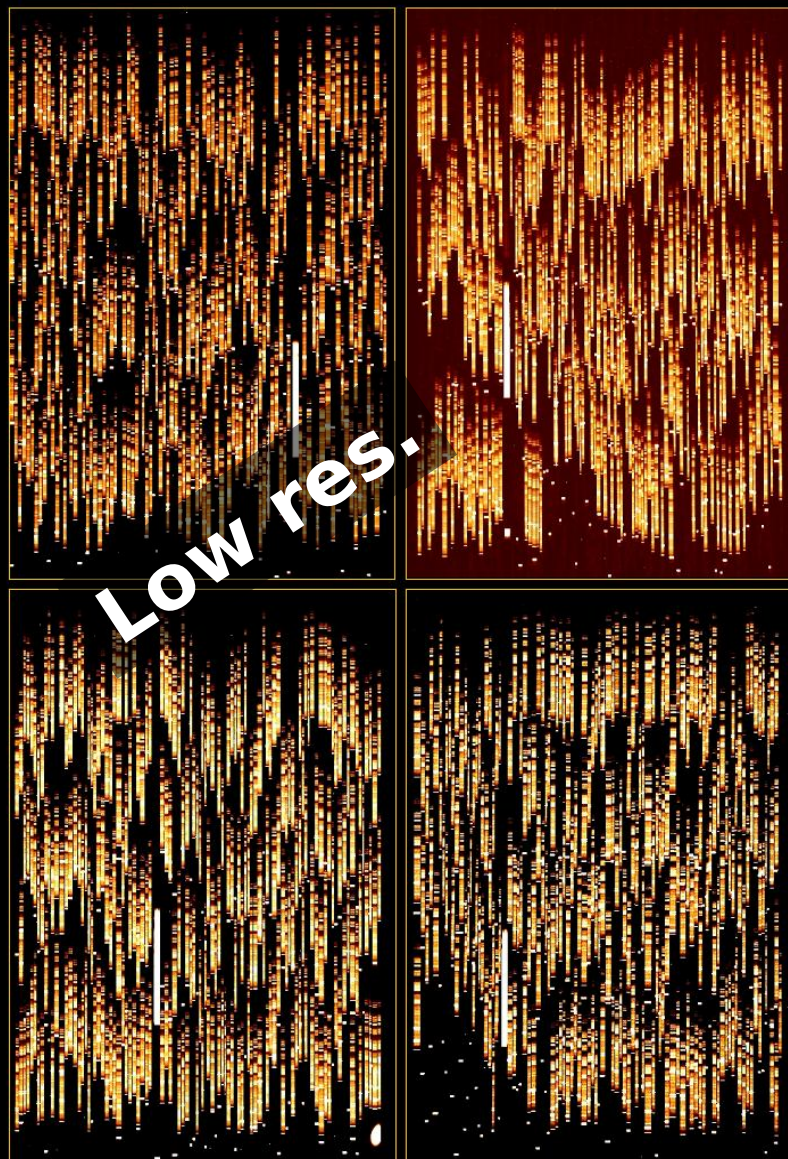
A highly efficient high redshift machine in operations since 2002 on the VLT



Multi-slit mode

VIMOS at the ESO VLT
measures the distance of **1001 distant galaxies**
in one single observation 28/09/2002

VIMOS at the VLT observes **150 galaxies**
at once at high spectral resolution ($R \sim 4000$)

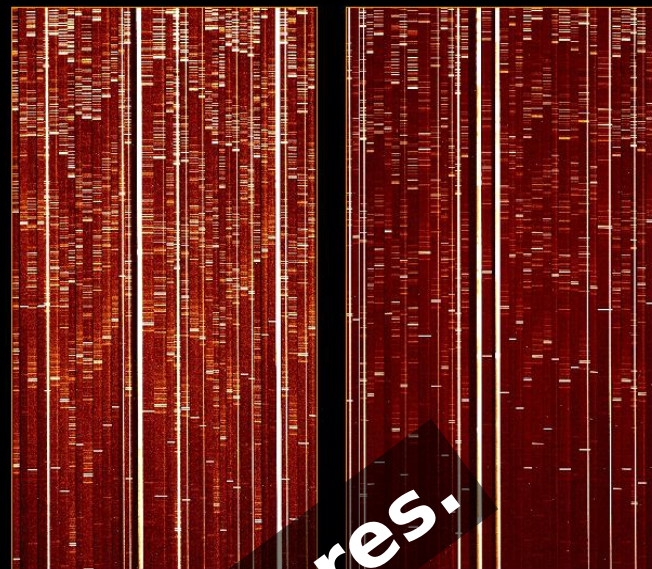


1 spectrum
of 1001

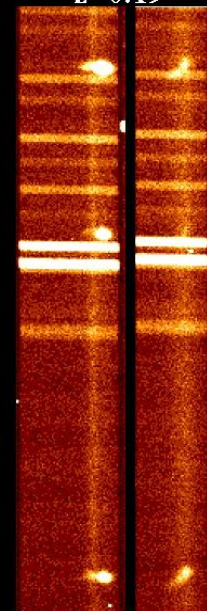
9500Å



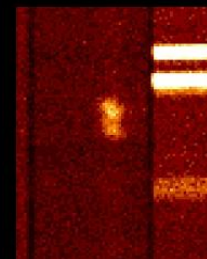
5500Å



Hydrogen+Oxygen
 $H\beta + [OIII]$
 $z=0.19$



Oxygen
[OII] doublet
 $z=0.71$



VIMOS VLT Deep Survey

Field	$I_{AB} < 22.5$ WIDE 16 \times deg ²	$I_{AB} < 24$ DEEP 1 deg ²	$I_{AB} < 24.75$ Ultra-Deep 600 arcmin ²
0226-04		~14000 <i>9000 Public</i>	1000 (on-going)
1000+03	~5000		
1400+05	~11000		
2217+00	~15000 (~10000 on-going)		
CDFS		~1600 <i>Public</i>	
Total	~35000	~15500	~1000
GOAL	100000	20000	1000

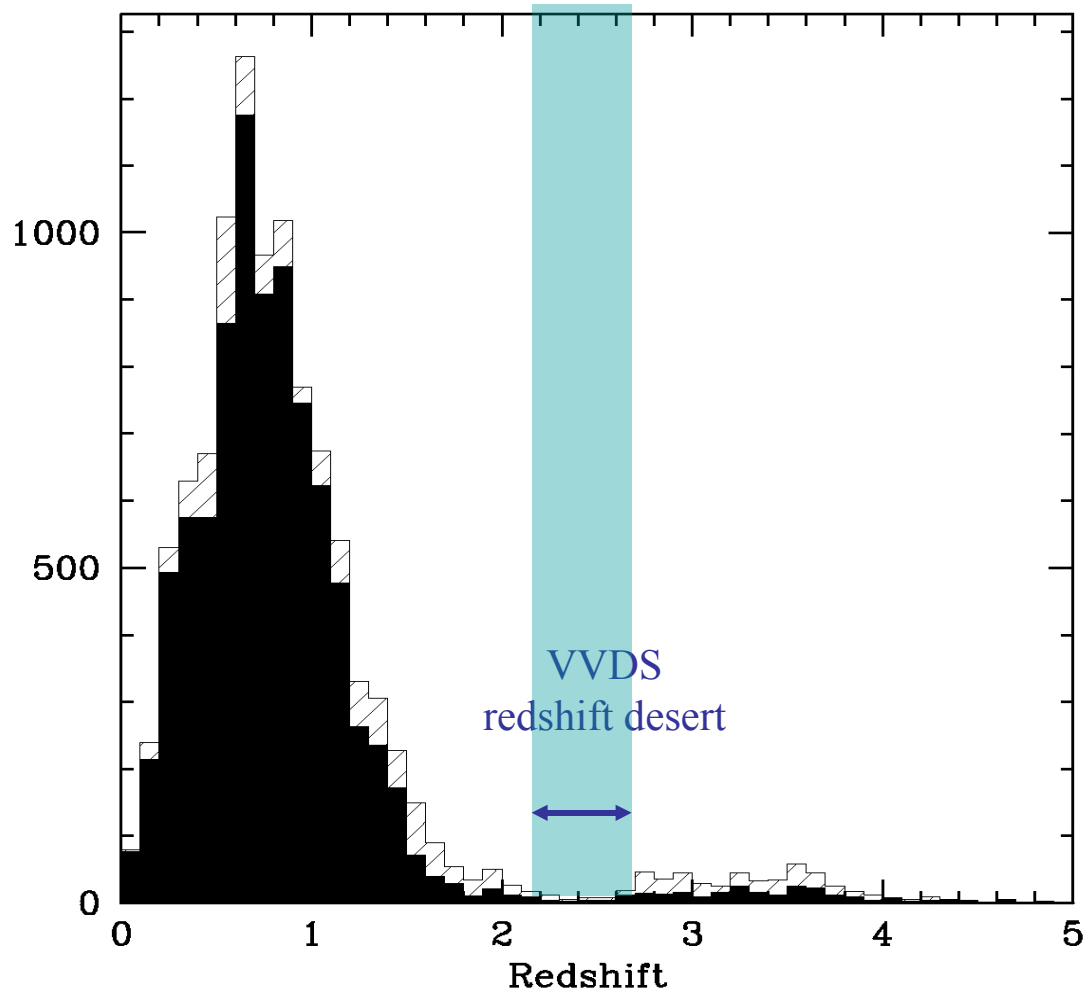
Deep Field
 $I < 24$

- R~230, 5500-9300Å
- ~**50000 spectra today**
- Goal >20000 Deep and 100000 Wide

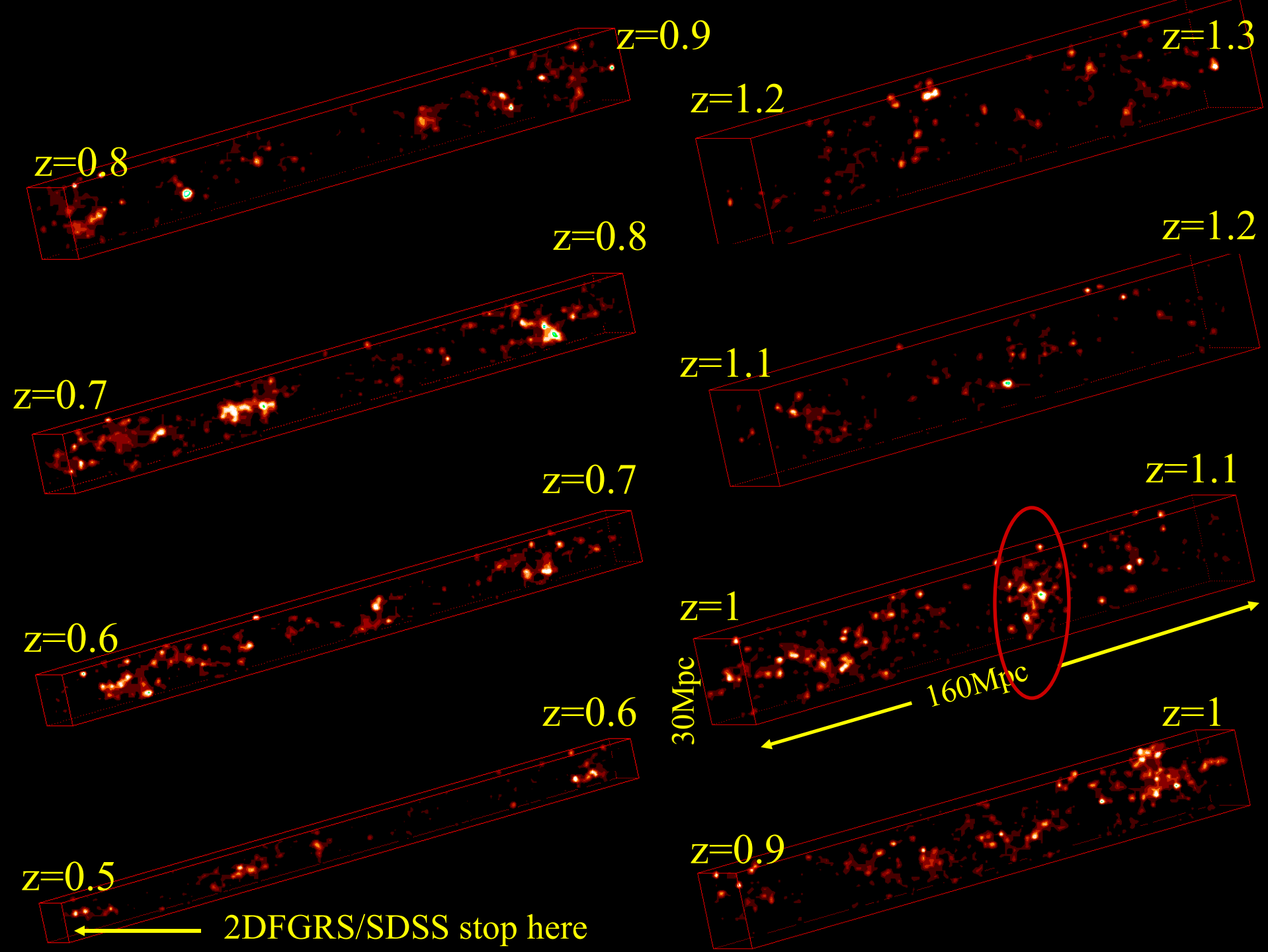


VVDS-Deep Field $I_{AB} \leq 24$

Magnitude selection only: complete census of the population, minimize a priori selection bias



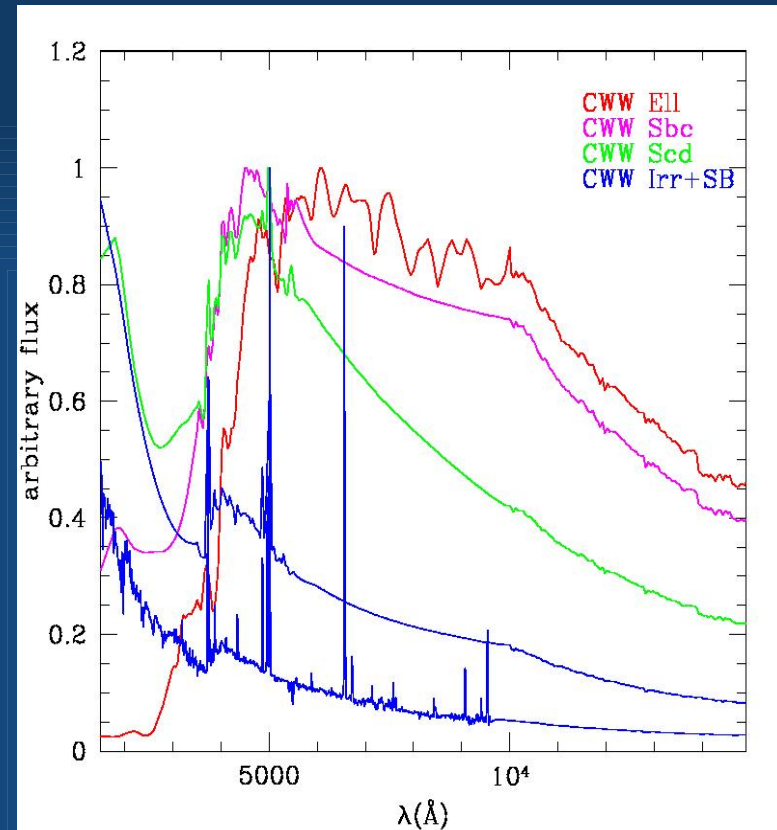
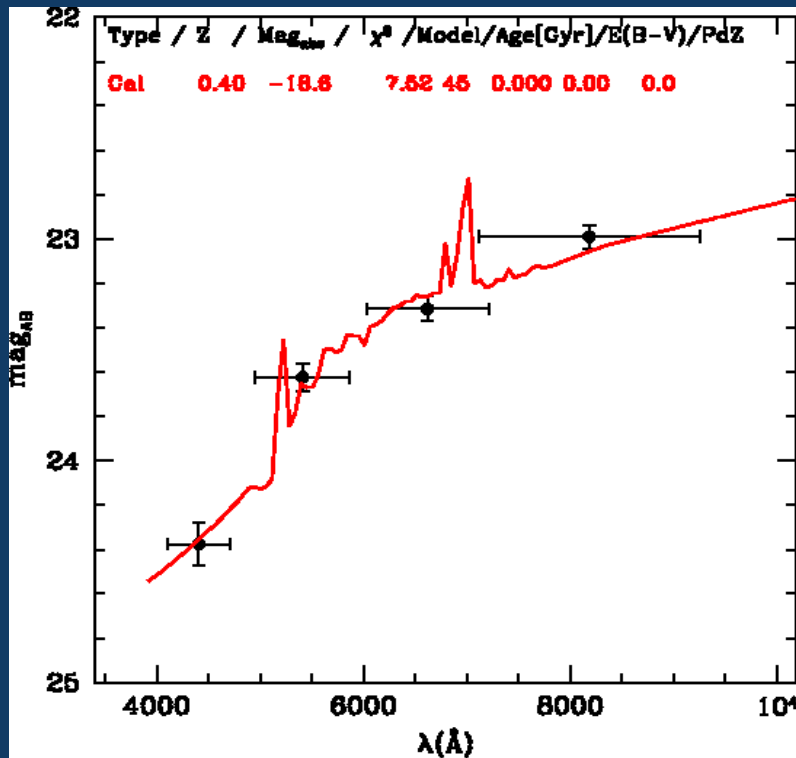
$I_{AB} \leq 24$
 $\langle z \rangle = 0.75$
High
redshift tail
to $z \sim 4-5$

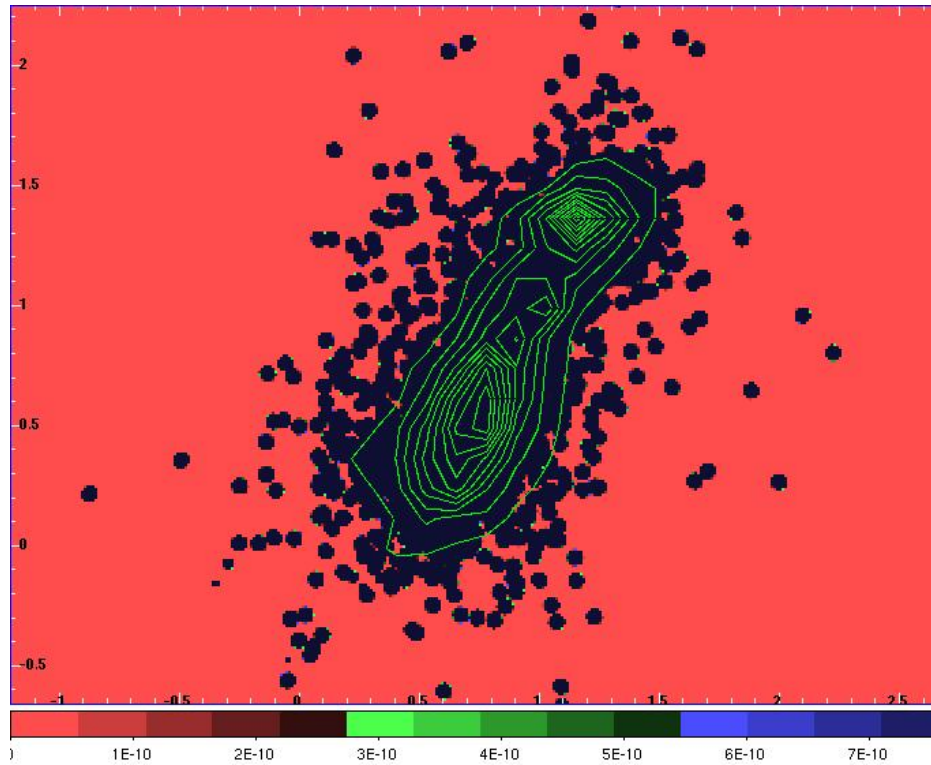


Spectrophotometric Classification

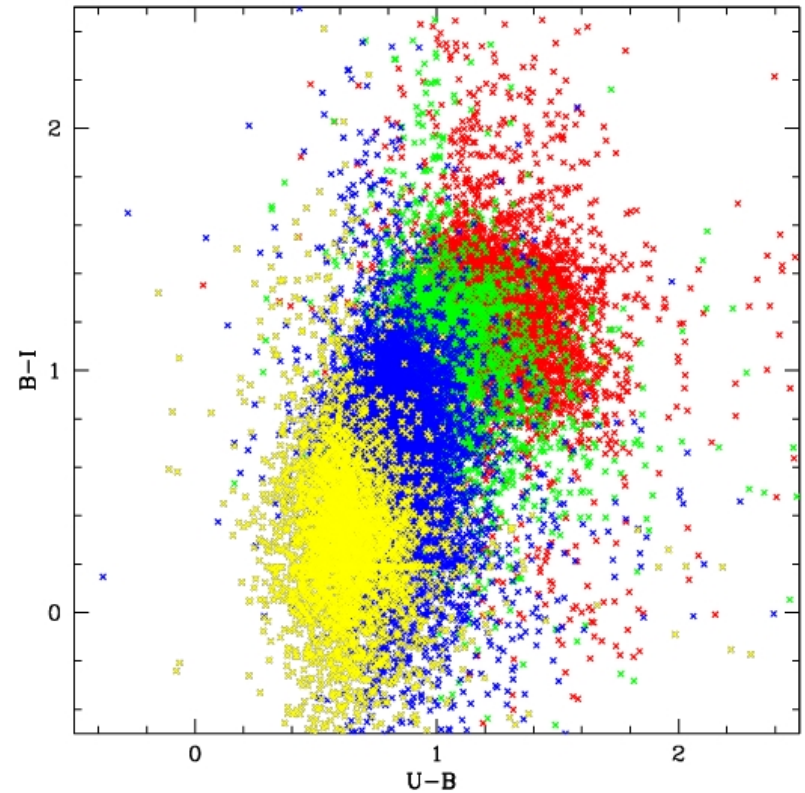
We used CWW templates to define 4 classes.
 Assuming the redshift,
 The class is given by the
 template which gives the best
 to the mutli-band photometry

TYPE	CWW	$M_B - M_I$ (AB)
1	Ell	1.3 - $+\infty$
2	Sbc	0.95 - 1.3
3	Scd	0.68 - 0.95
4	Im+SB	$-\infty$ - 0.68





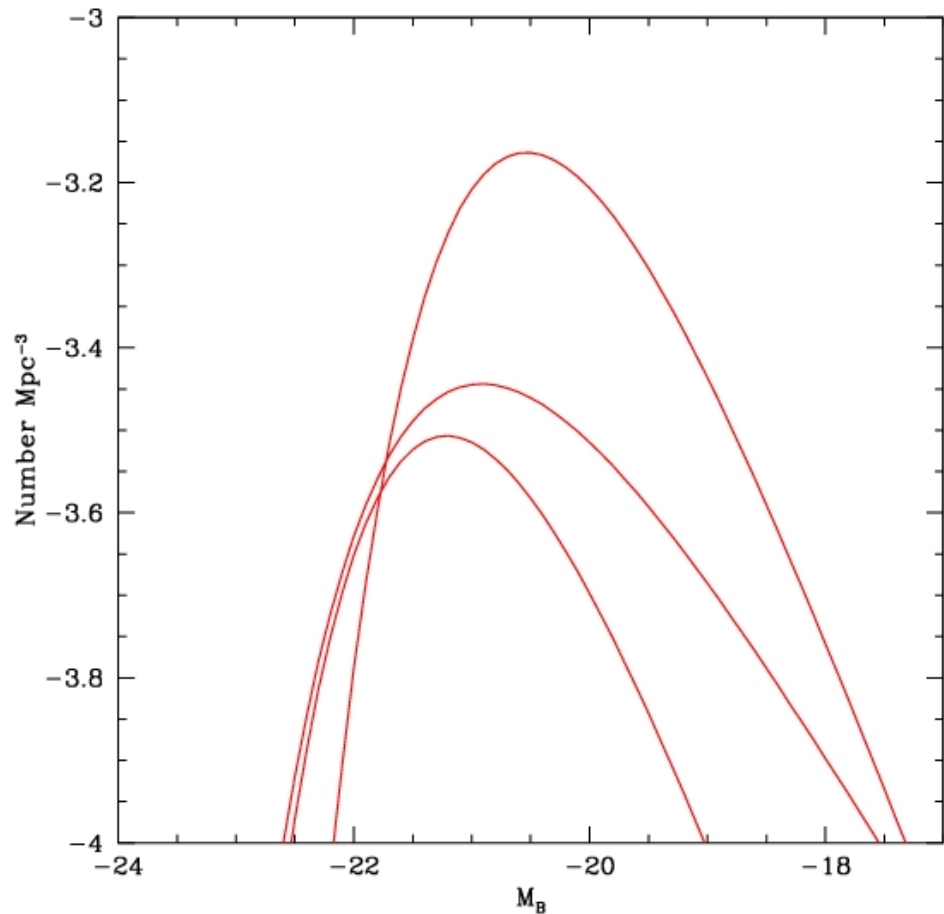
Good correlation between bimodality and types



Red: type 1 (early)
 Green: type 2 (Sbc)
 Blue : type 3 (Scd)
 Yellow: type 4 (Irr)

0.0 -0.2 ←
0.6 -0.8 ←
0.8 -1.0 ←
Redshift ranges

**Type 1 galaxies
(~ellipticals)**



Little evolution , 0.2 mag of brightening, decreases in number of objects

Zucca, Ilbert, Bardelli et al. (2006)

0.2 -0.4 ←

0.4 -0.6 ←

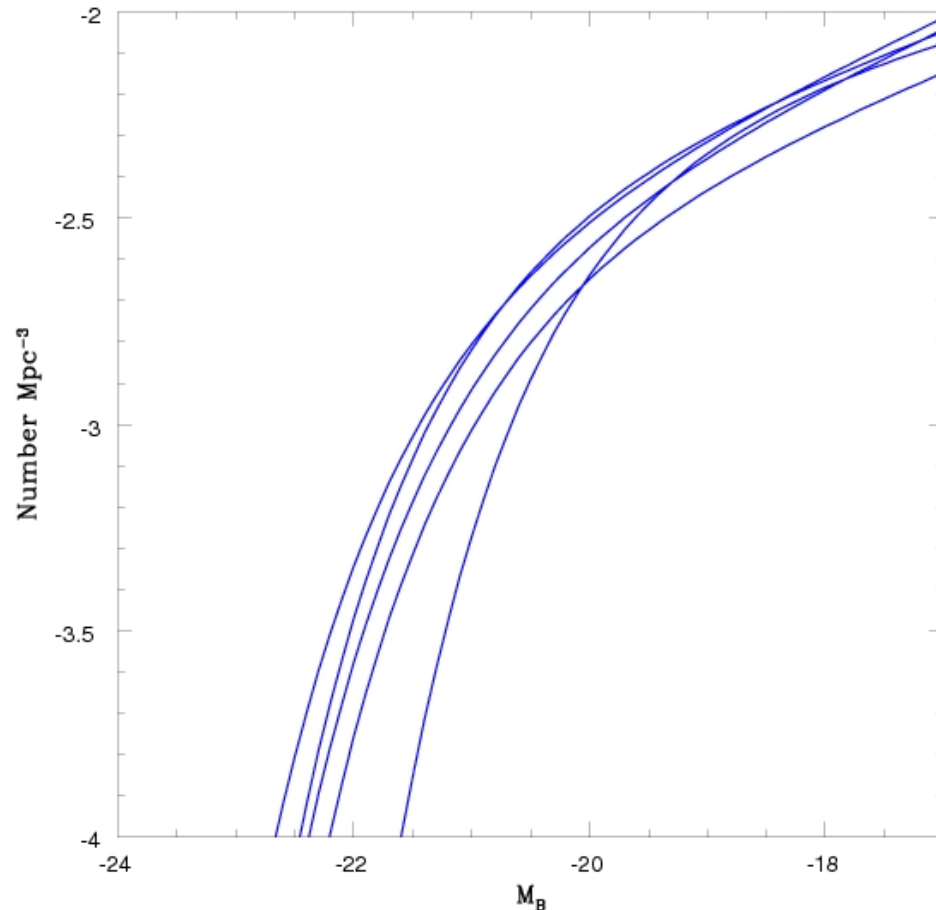
0.6 -0.8 ←

0.8 -1.0 ←

1.0 -1.2 ←

redshift ranges

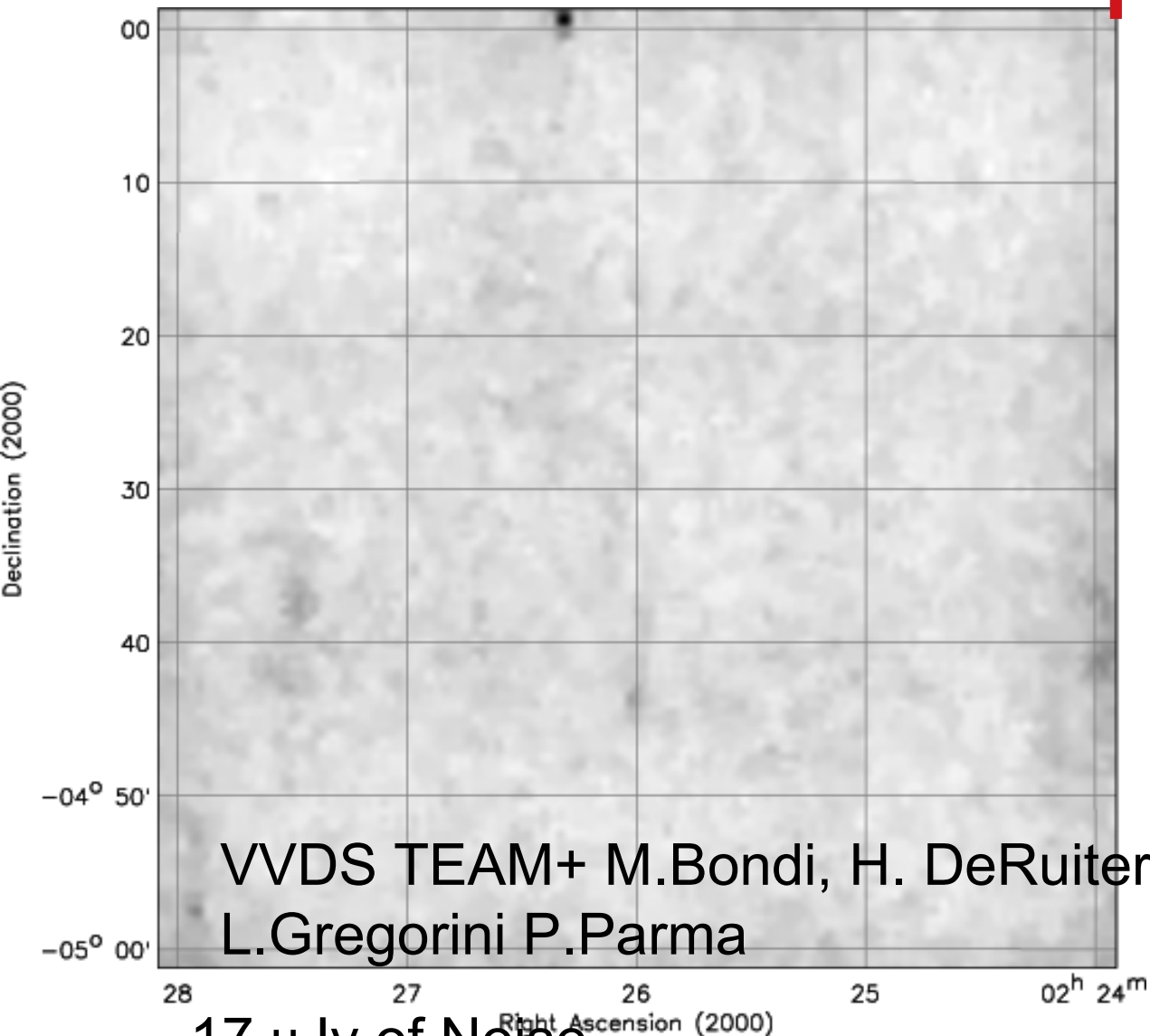
**Type 3+4 galaxies
(late type spirals)**



Steepening of the luminosity function and
one magnitude of brightening

Zucca, Ilbert, Bardelli et al. (2006)

VLA-VVDS Deep Field



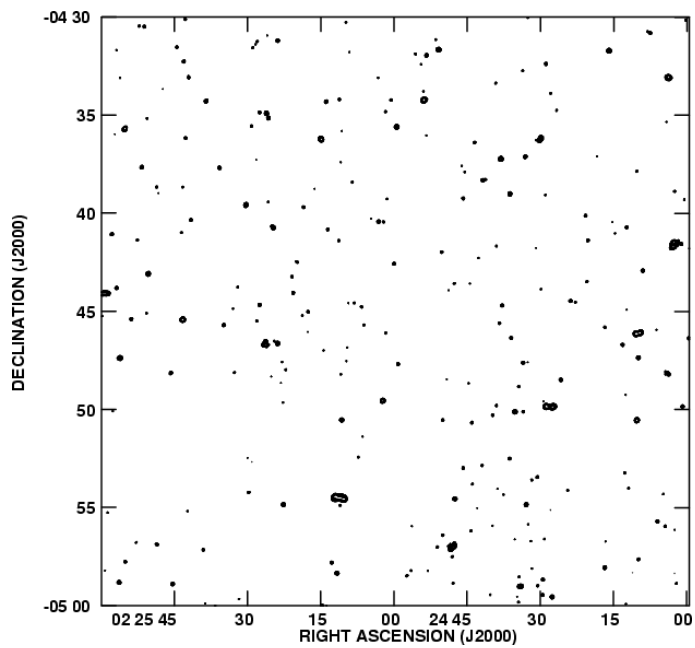
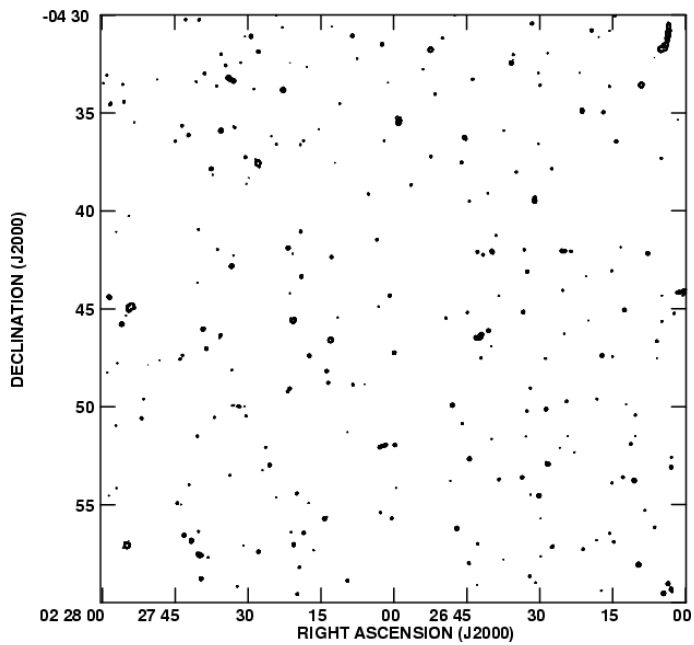
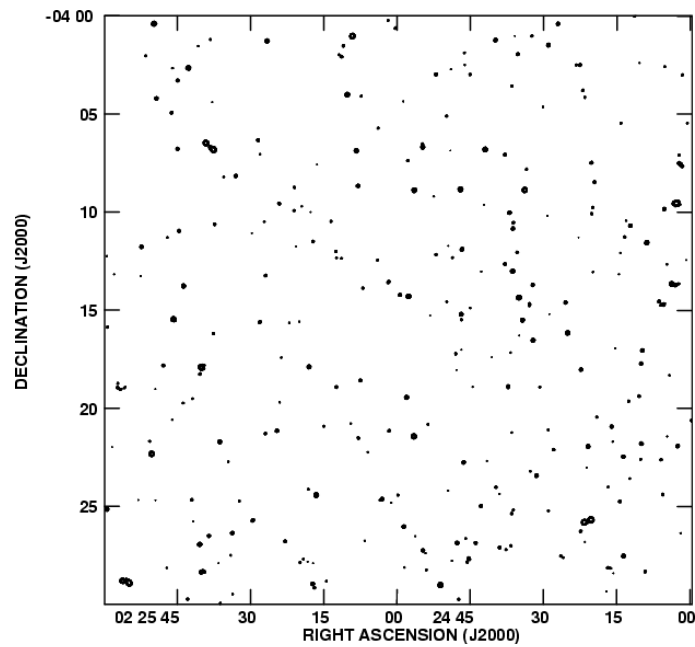
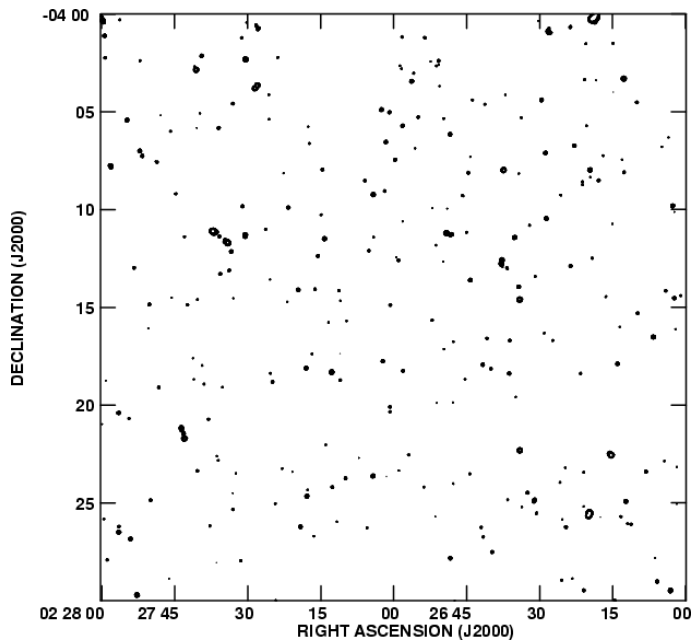
1.4 GHz
1 Sq Degree

VLA
B-Configuration
Primary beam
of 31 arcmin
FWHM

9 pointings
separated by 23
Arcmin
6 hours of
exposure time

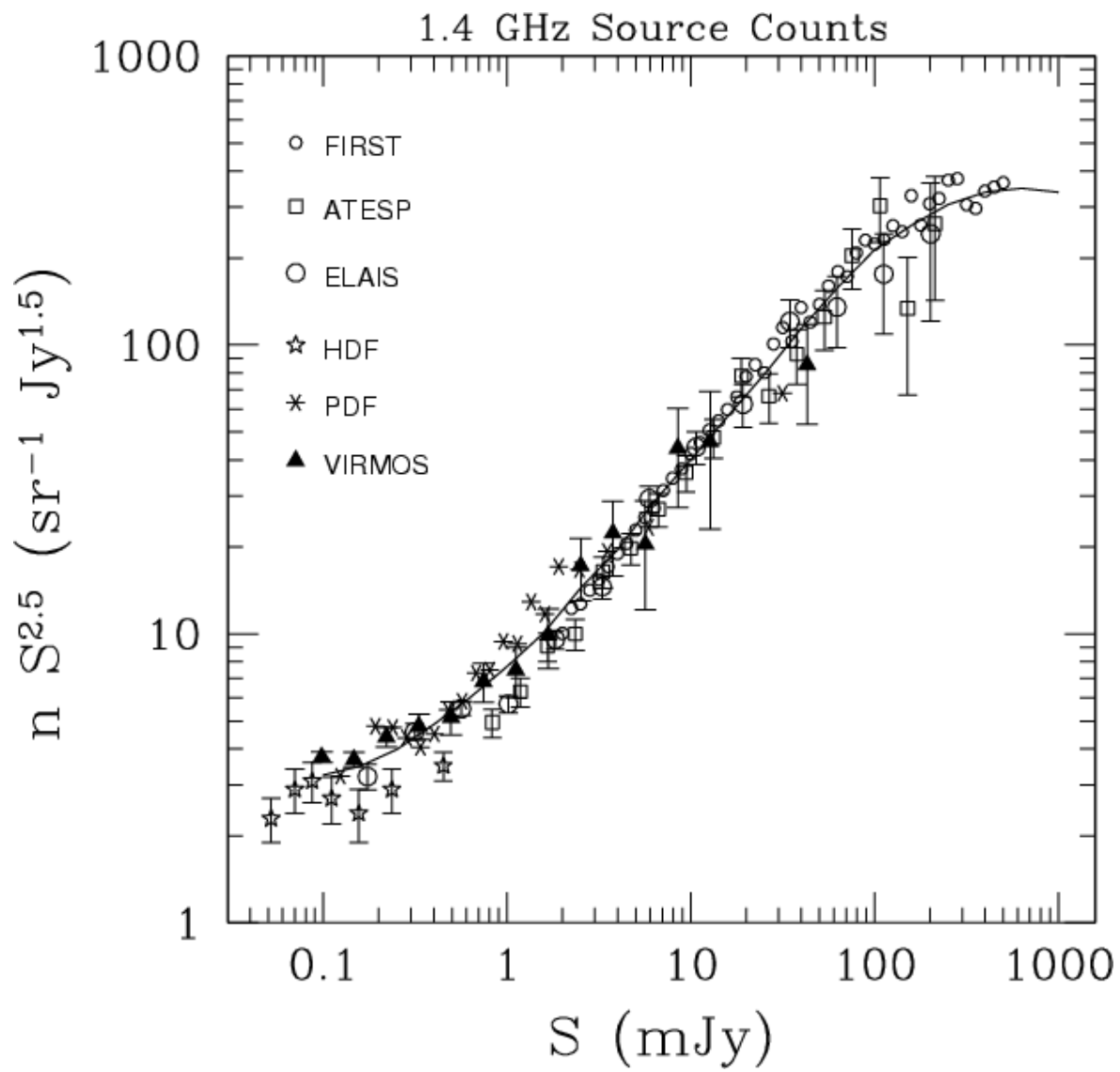
17 μ Jy of Noise

Bondi et al. (2003) Ciliegi et al. (2005)

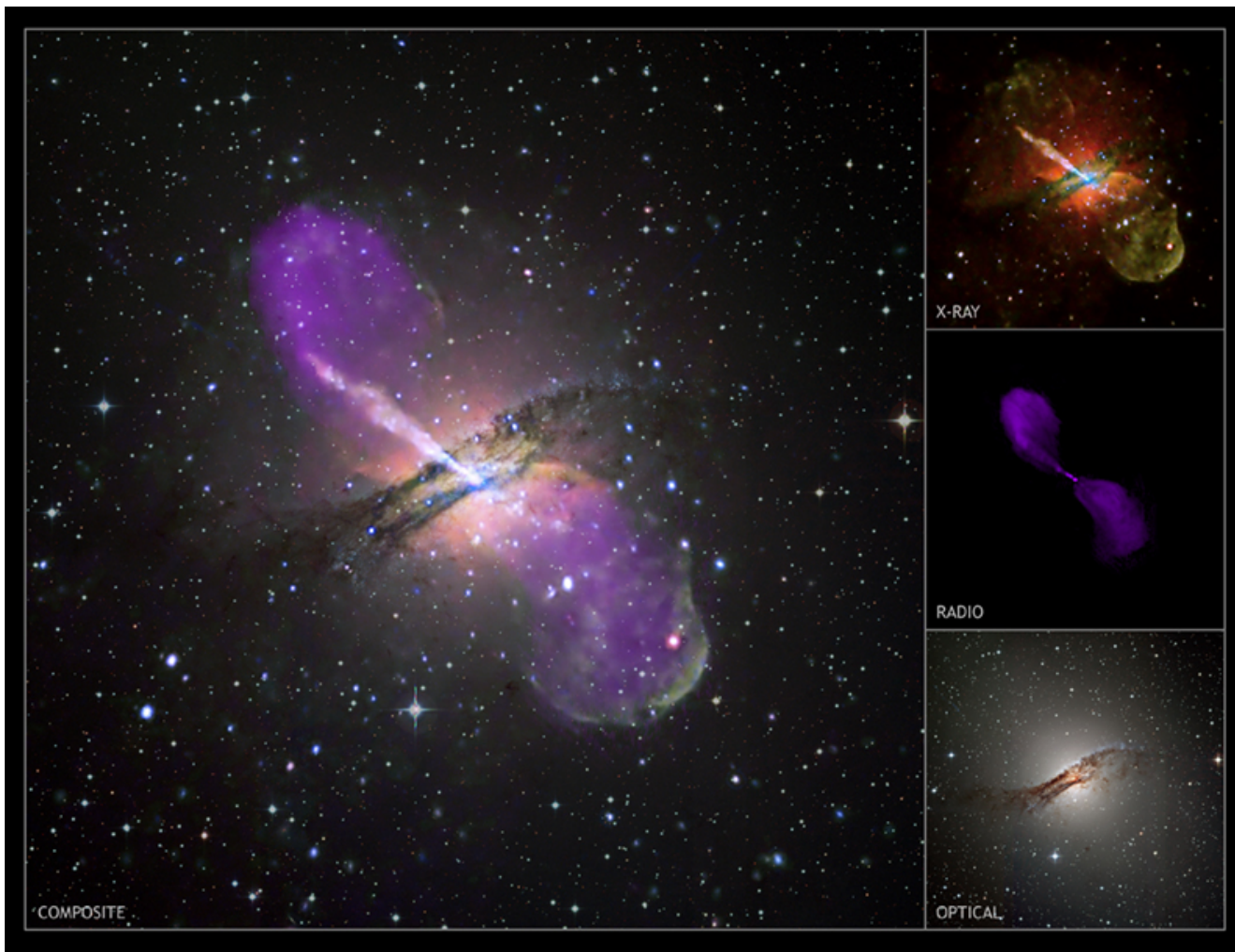


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Sources
To
 $\sim 80 \mu\text{Jy}$
(5σ)

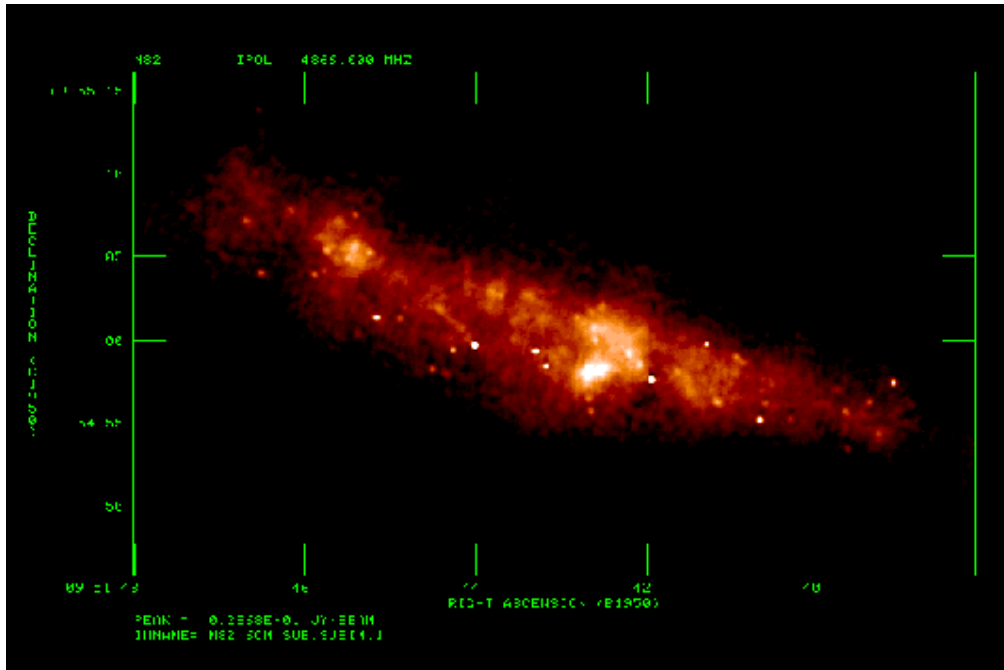
718
with
optical
counterpart



Bondi et al. (2003)



AGN emission associated to early type galaxies



A 6cm MERLIN/VLA image of nearby starburst galaxy M82.

The discrete sources are mostly supernova remnants with ages less than 1000 years and compact HII regions.

The non-thermal extended background is mainly due to relativistic electrons generated by older remnants $M > 8 M_{\odot}$ time $\sim 10^{**8}$ yrs

Radio emission associated to late type galaxies

Aim of this work

study the properties of radio galaxies
knowing a priori optical behaviours

because.....

changes of the probability
for an optical galaxy to be
radio emitter

Evolution in Radio band is due to

A) changes of the
radio-optical ratios

B) changes in the global
number of optical galaxies

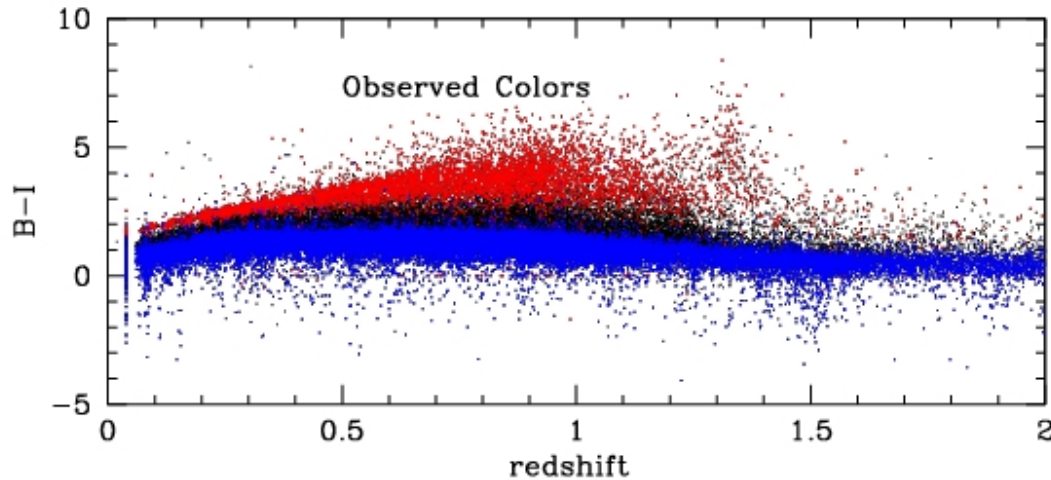


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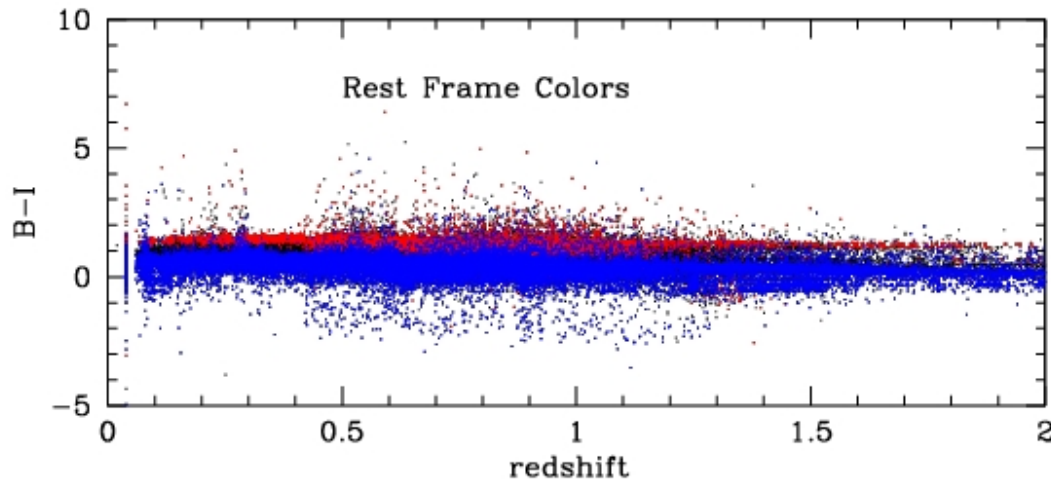
0) All properties of radiogalaxies have to be compared with those of all optical galaxies (within each morphological Class)

i.e. define a Control sample

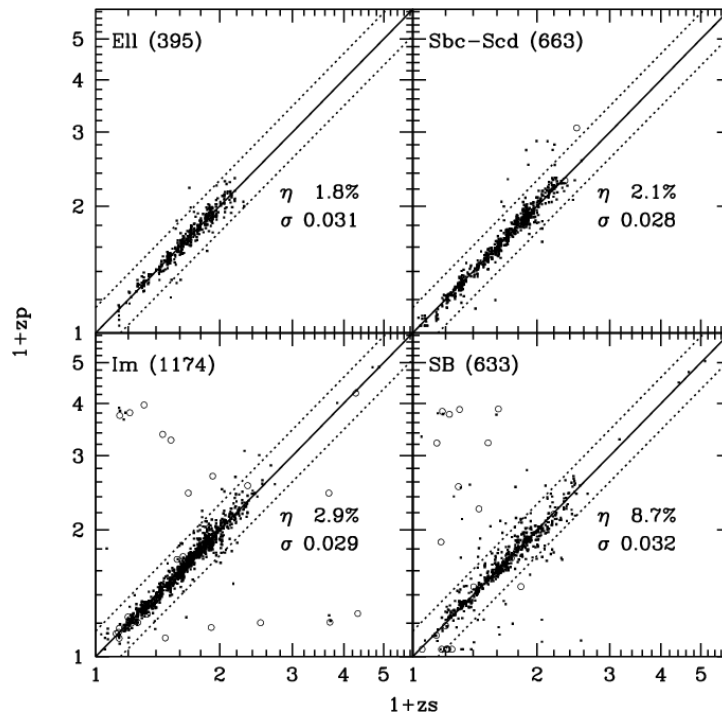
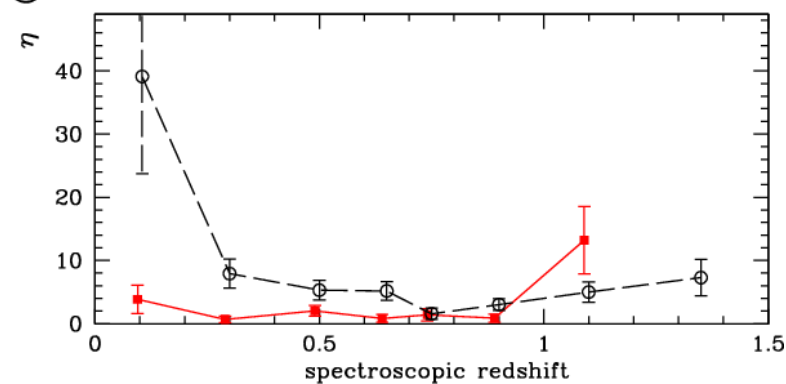
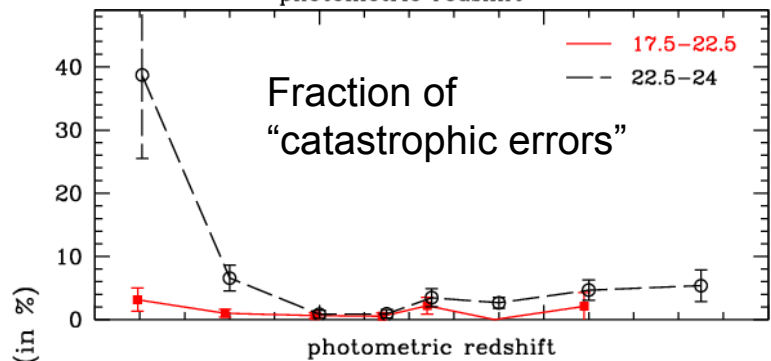
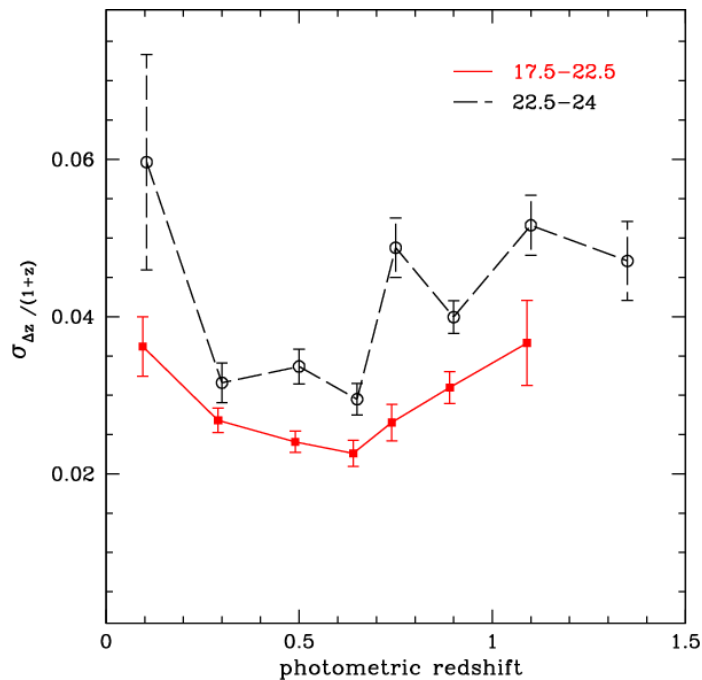
1) Use Rest Frame Quantities



$B-I$ at $z=0$
means
 $R-J$ at $z=0.5$
 $Z-H$ at $z=1.0$



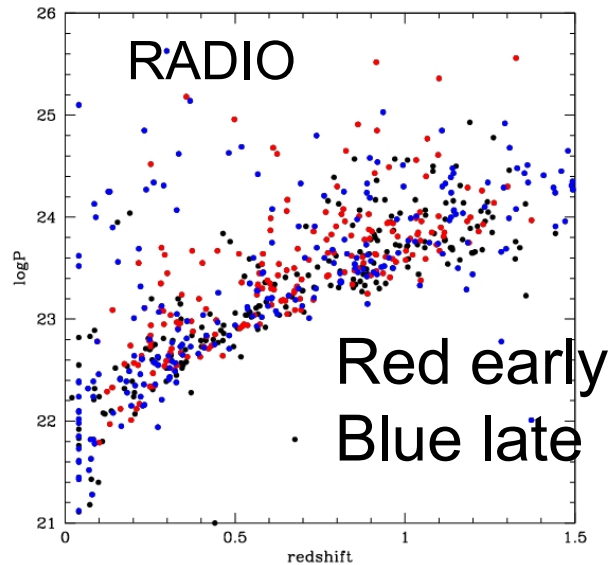
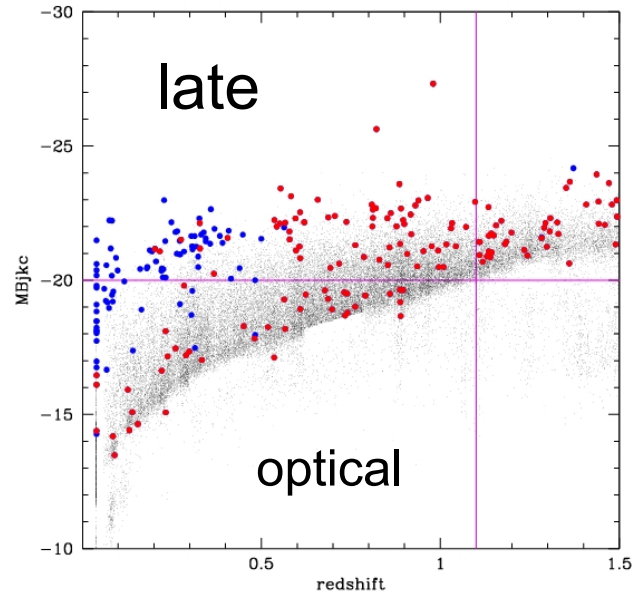
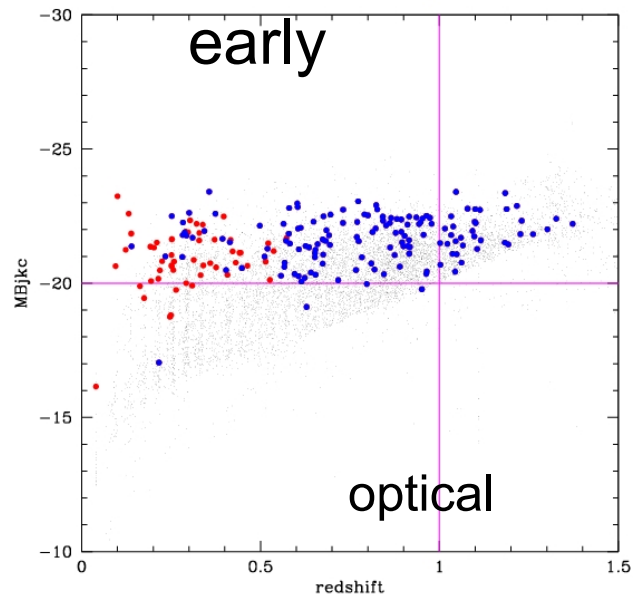
What is the
meaning of the
radio-optical ratio?



Ilbert et al. (2006)

2) Use accurate photometric redshifts

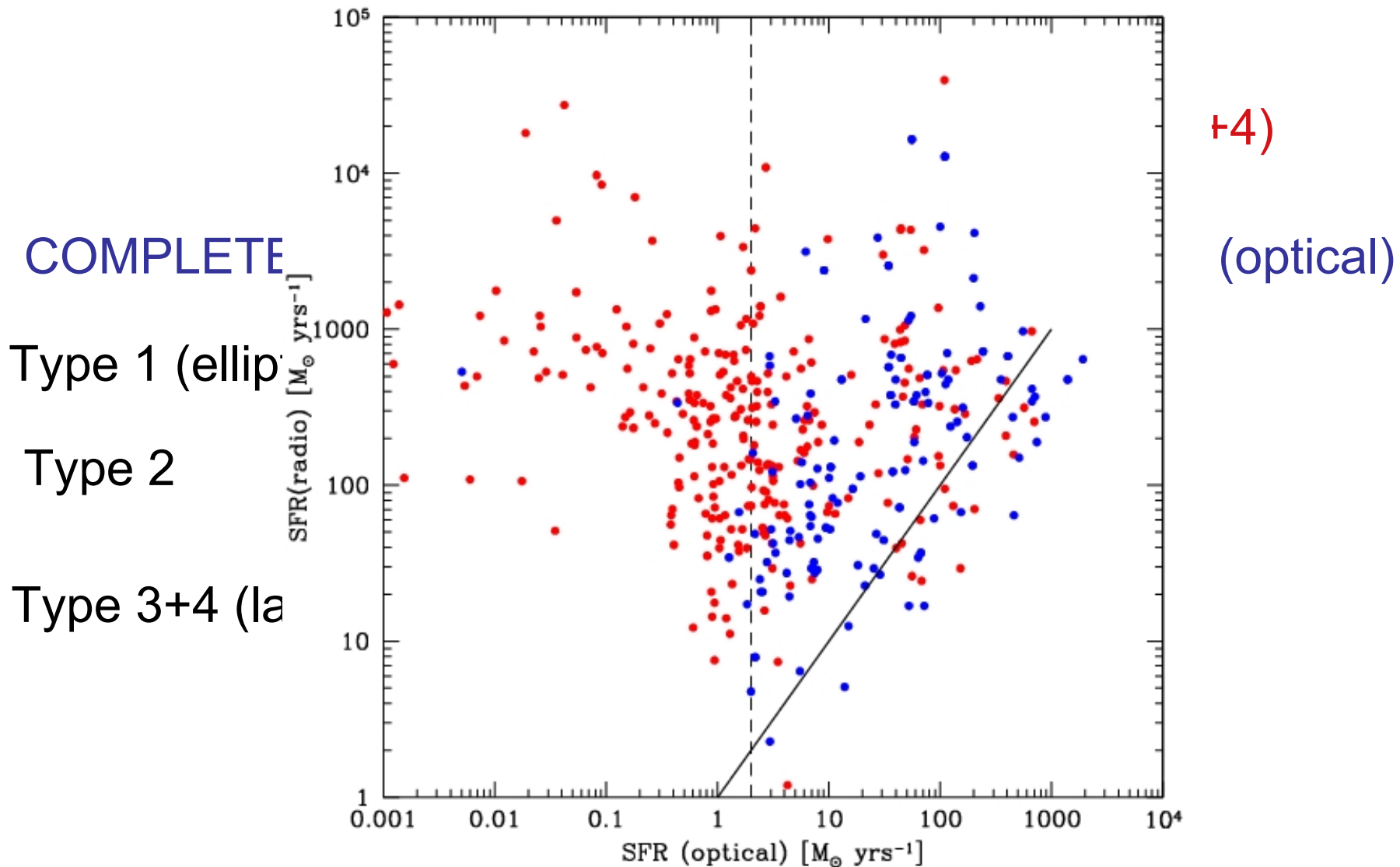
3) Take into account different depths



Red $\log P > 23$
Blue $\log P < 23$

Cut at
 $M_B < -20$
 $z < 1.0$ (early) 1.1 (late)

The ~~radio~~ sample

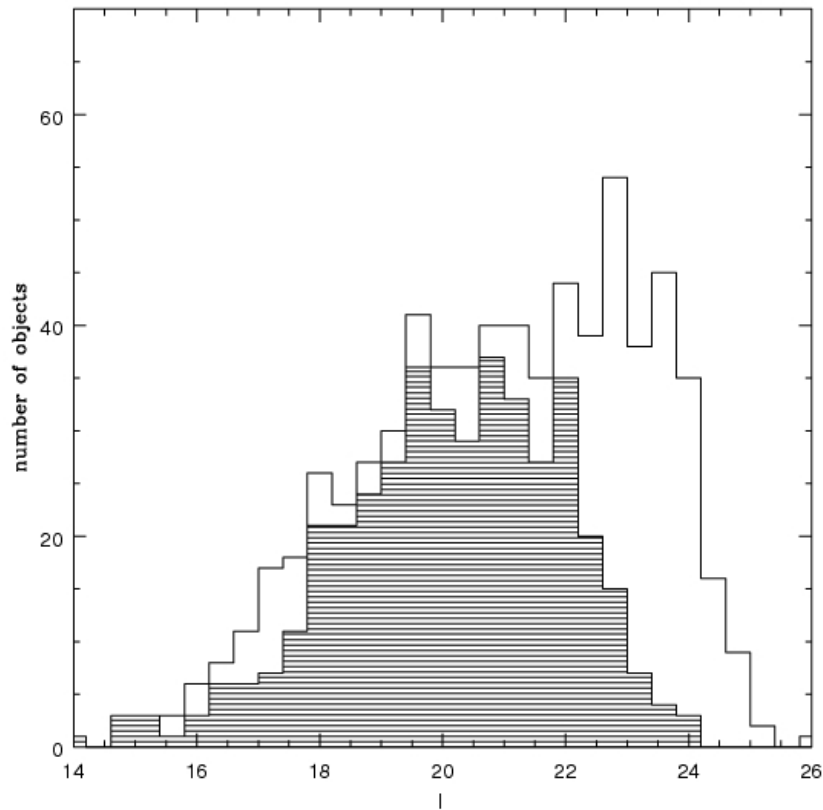


Effect of our cuts

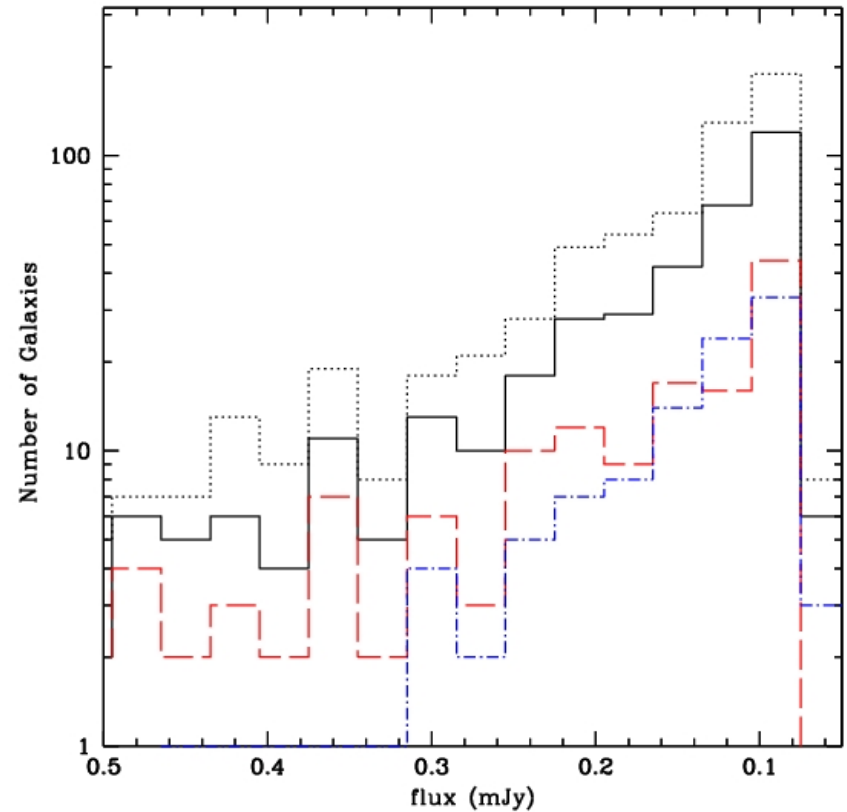
Lost objects:

133 $M_B > -20$

154 $M_B < -20$ but $z > 1.1$



No trend of
morphological mix
with 1.4 GHz flux

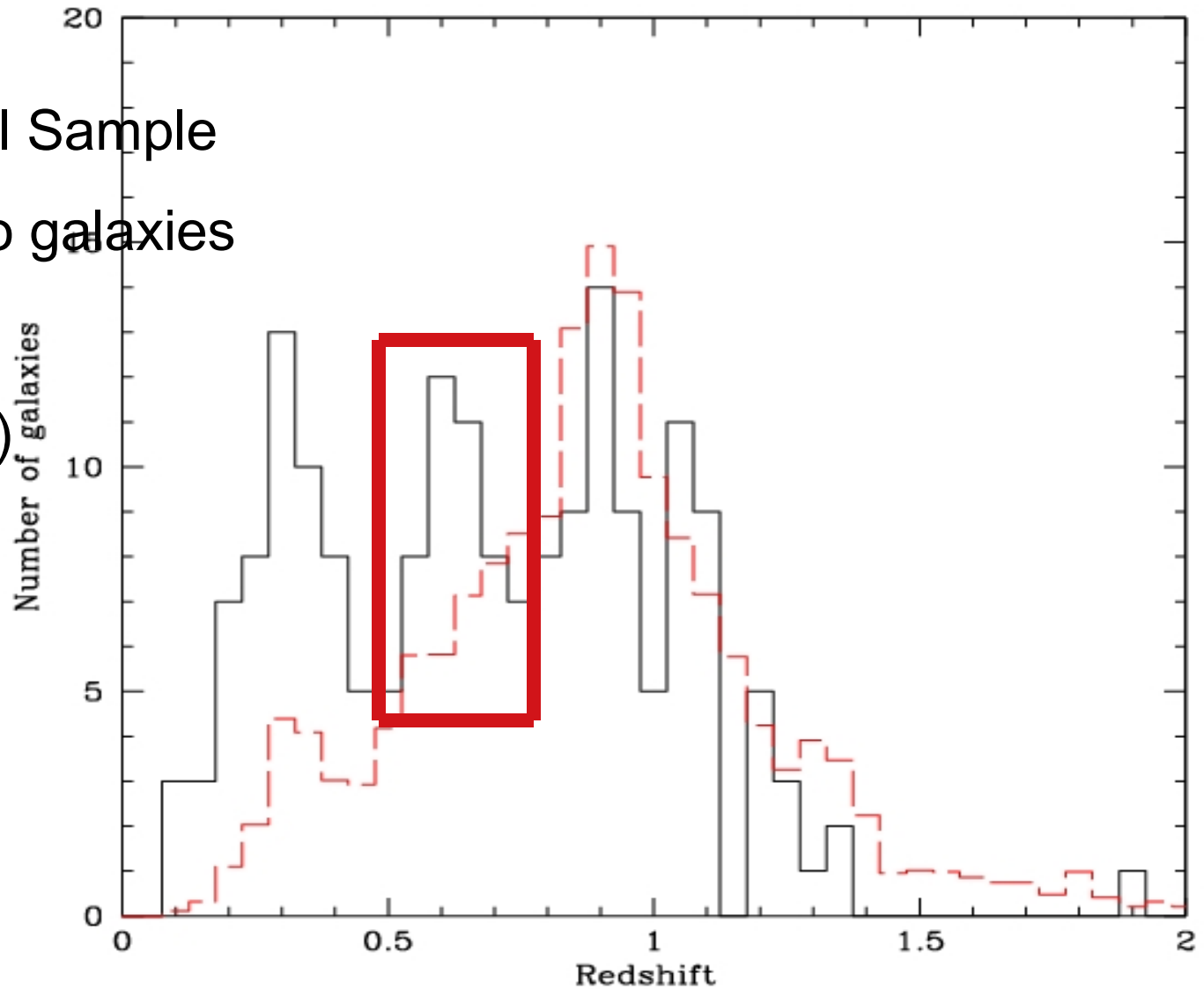


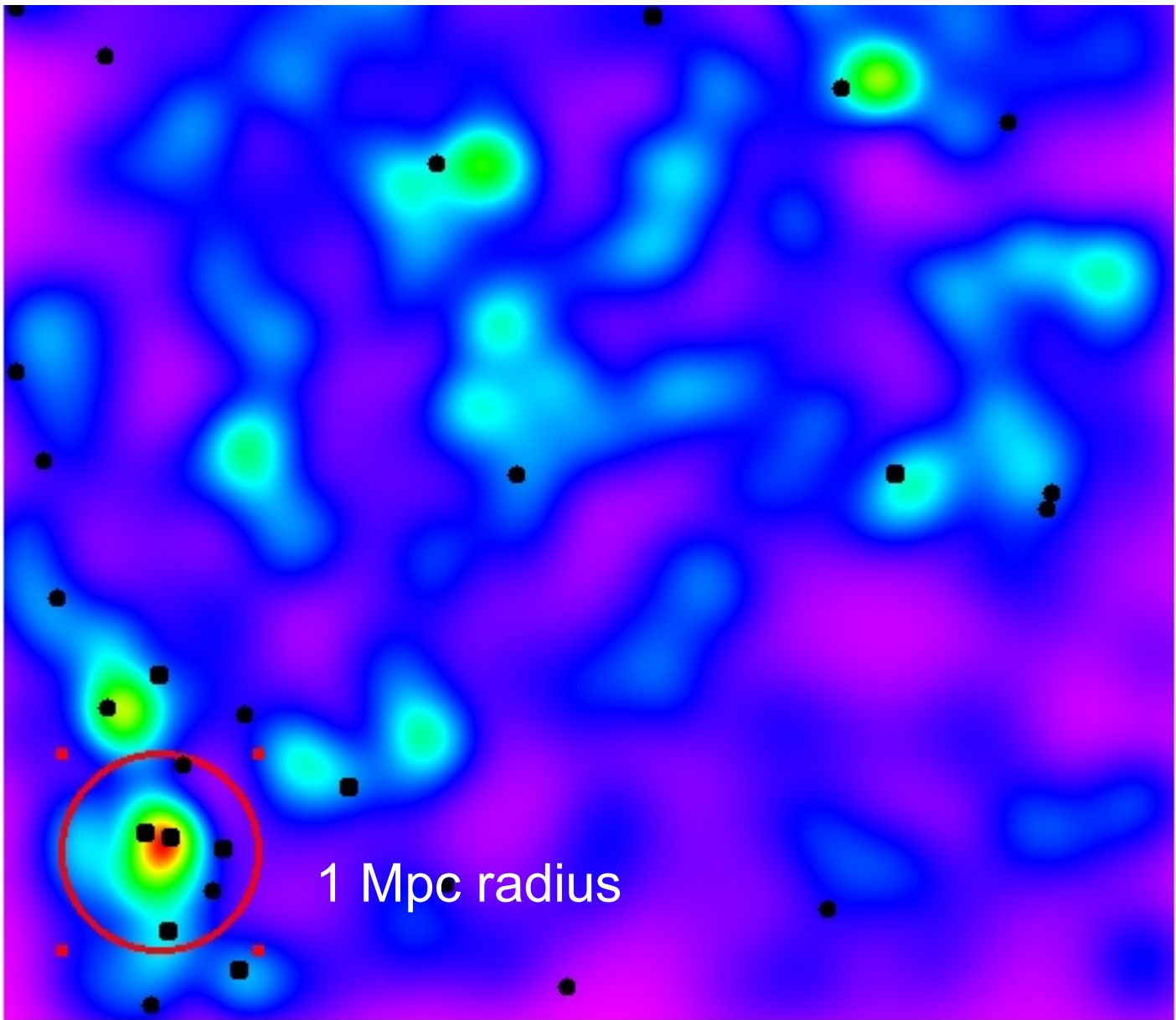
Redshift Distribution

Red: Control Sample

Black: radio galaxies

Type 1
(early type)





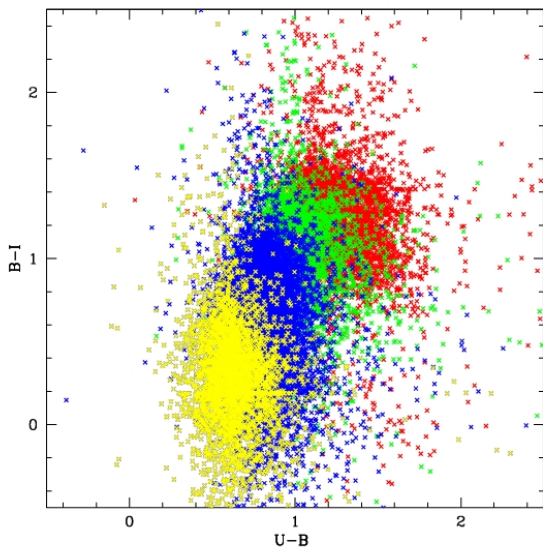
Points
Radiogalaxies

Colors:
Density map
of optical
galaxies
 $0.5 < z < 0.65$

1 Mpc radius

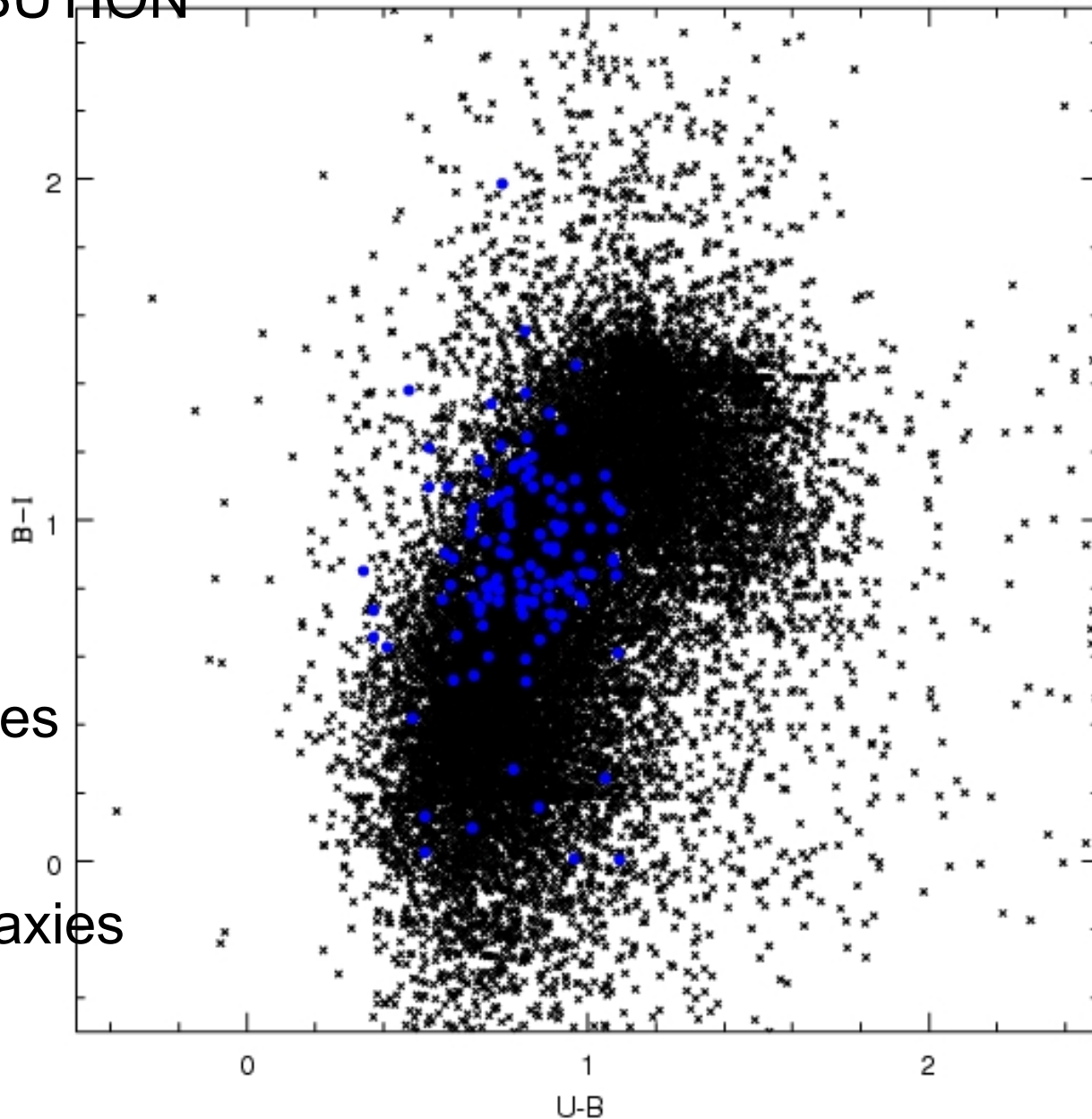


COLORS DISTRIBUTION



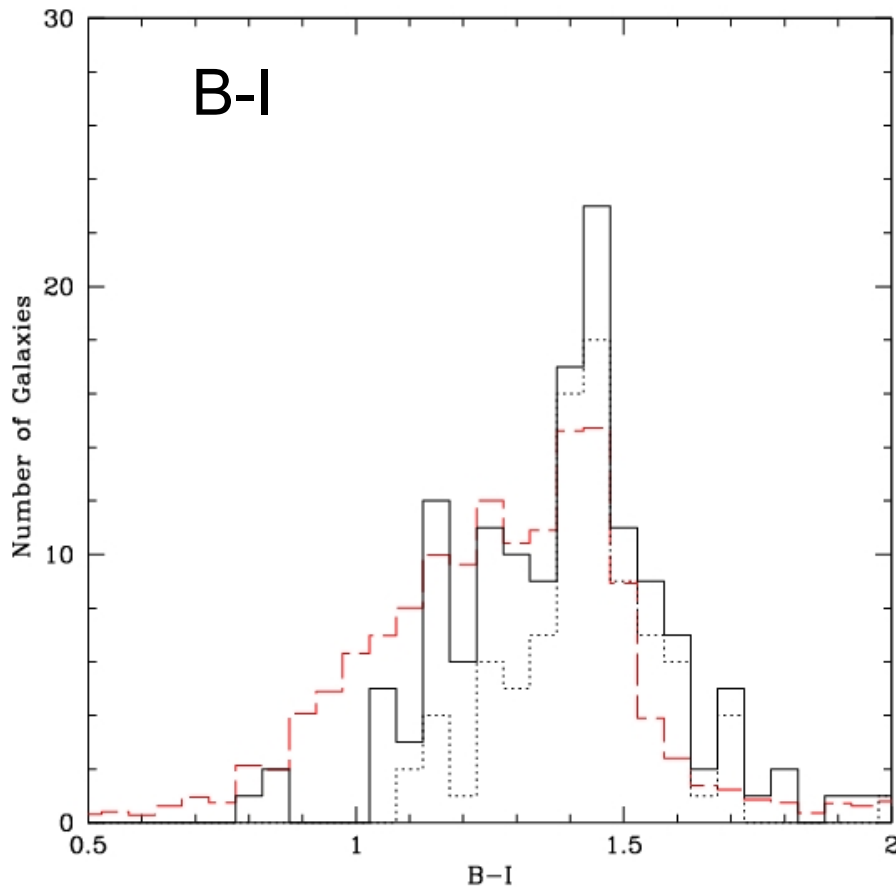
Red points:
Type 1 radiogalaxies

Blue points:
Type 3+4 radiogalaxies

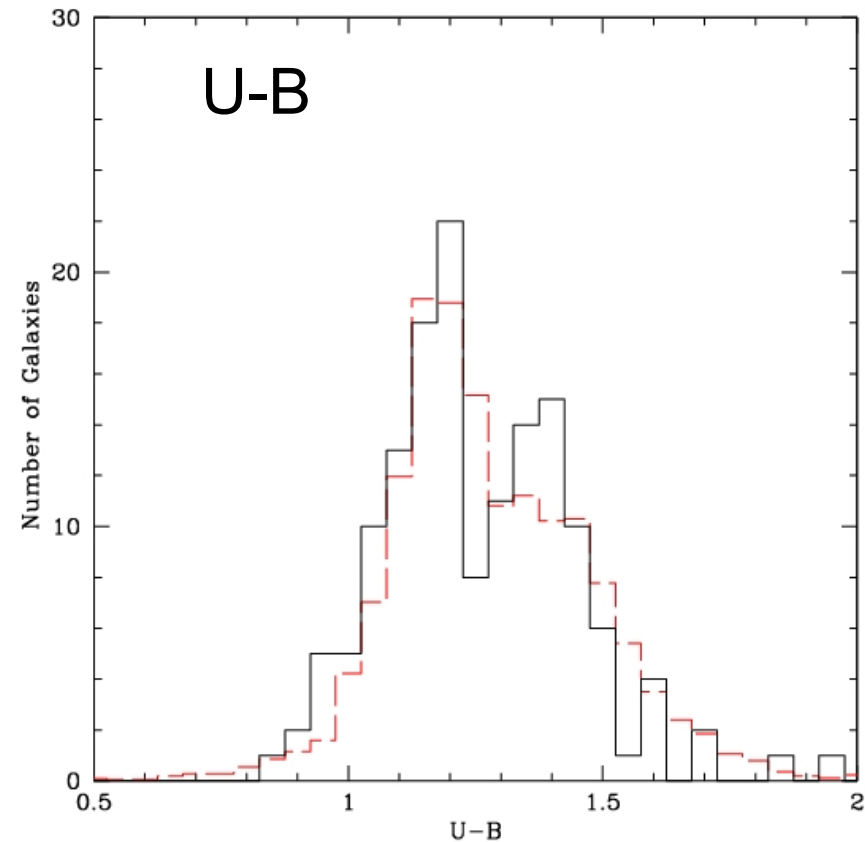


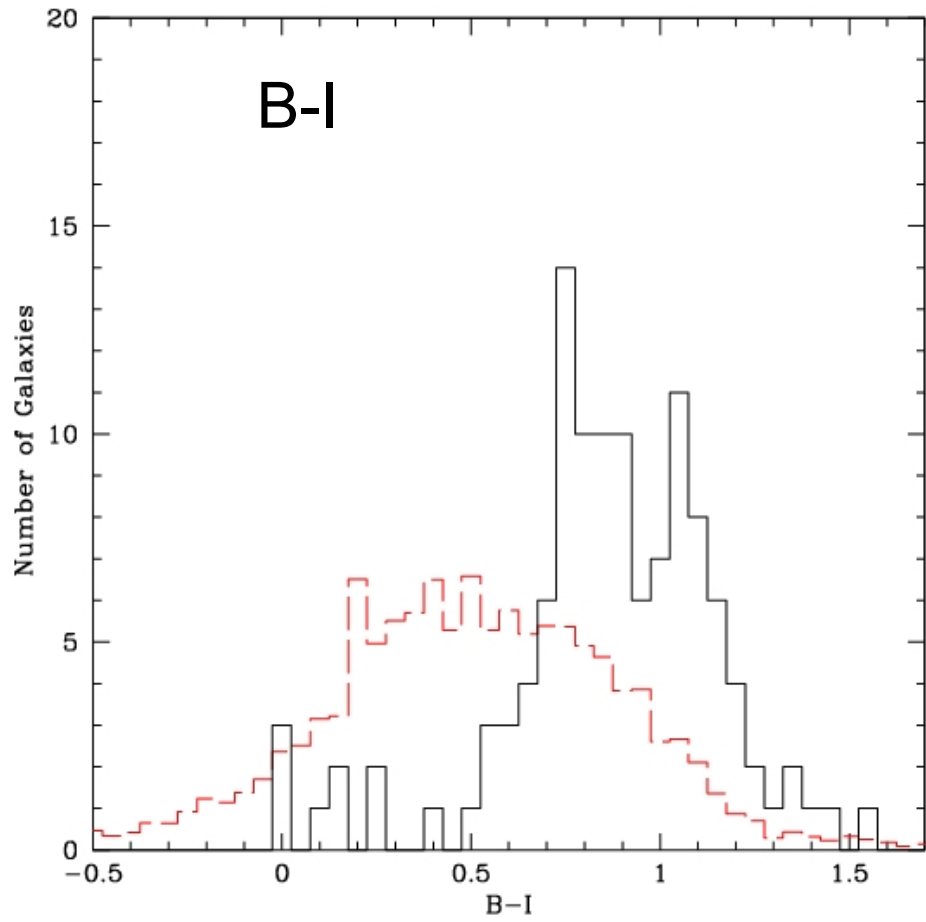
B-I peak most evident
for radio faint galaxies
($\log < 23$)

Type 1



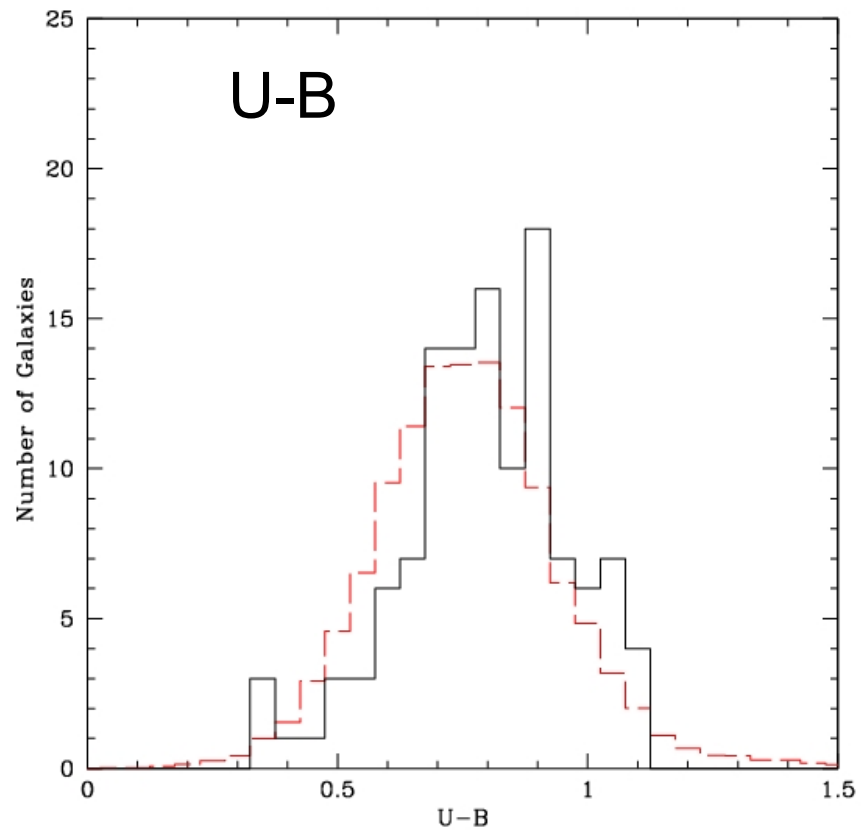
Radio bright ($\log P > 23$)
show no difference
with control sample





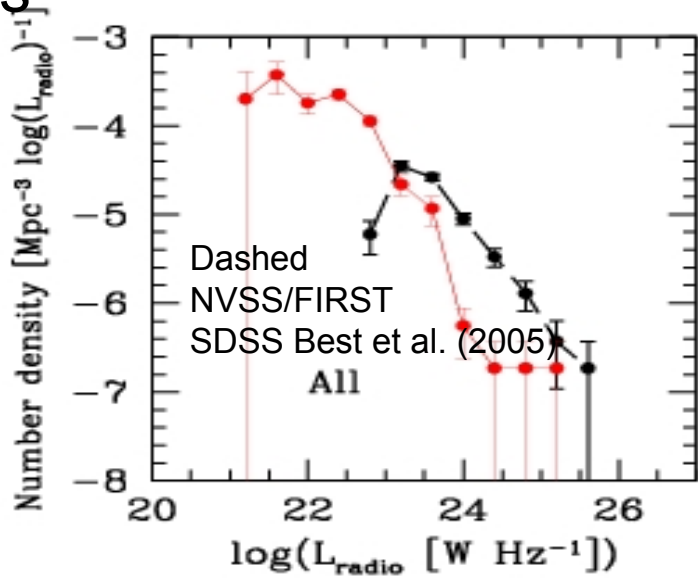
EFFECT of DUST?

Type 3+4

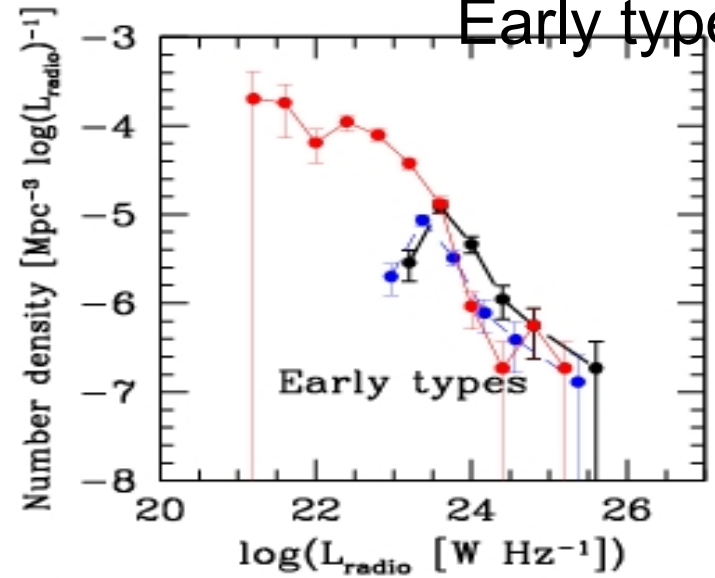


LUMINOSITY FUNCTIONS

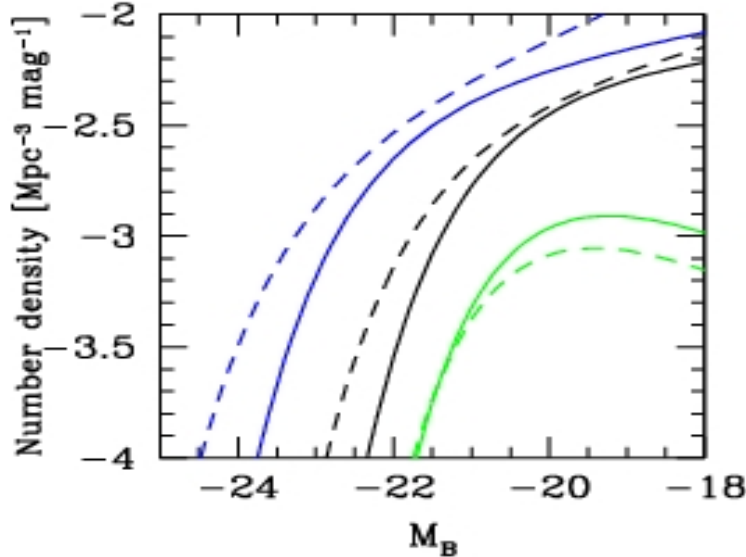
All types



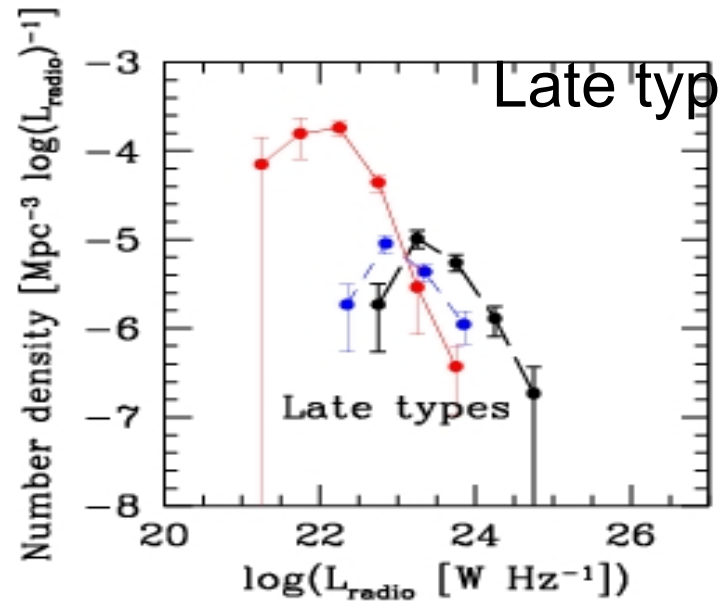
Early types



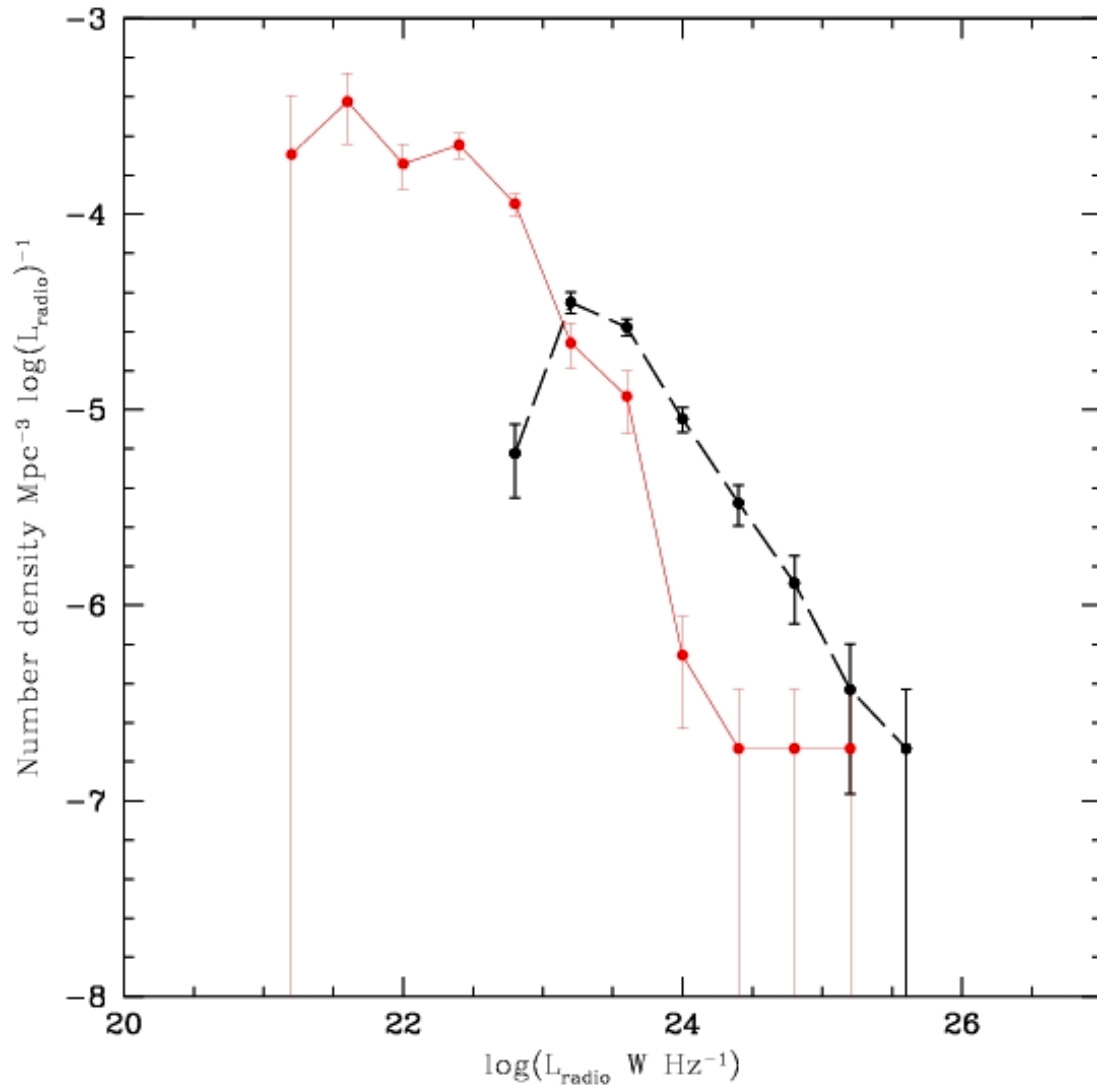
optical



Late types



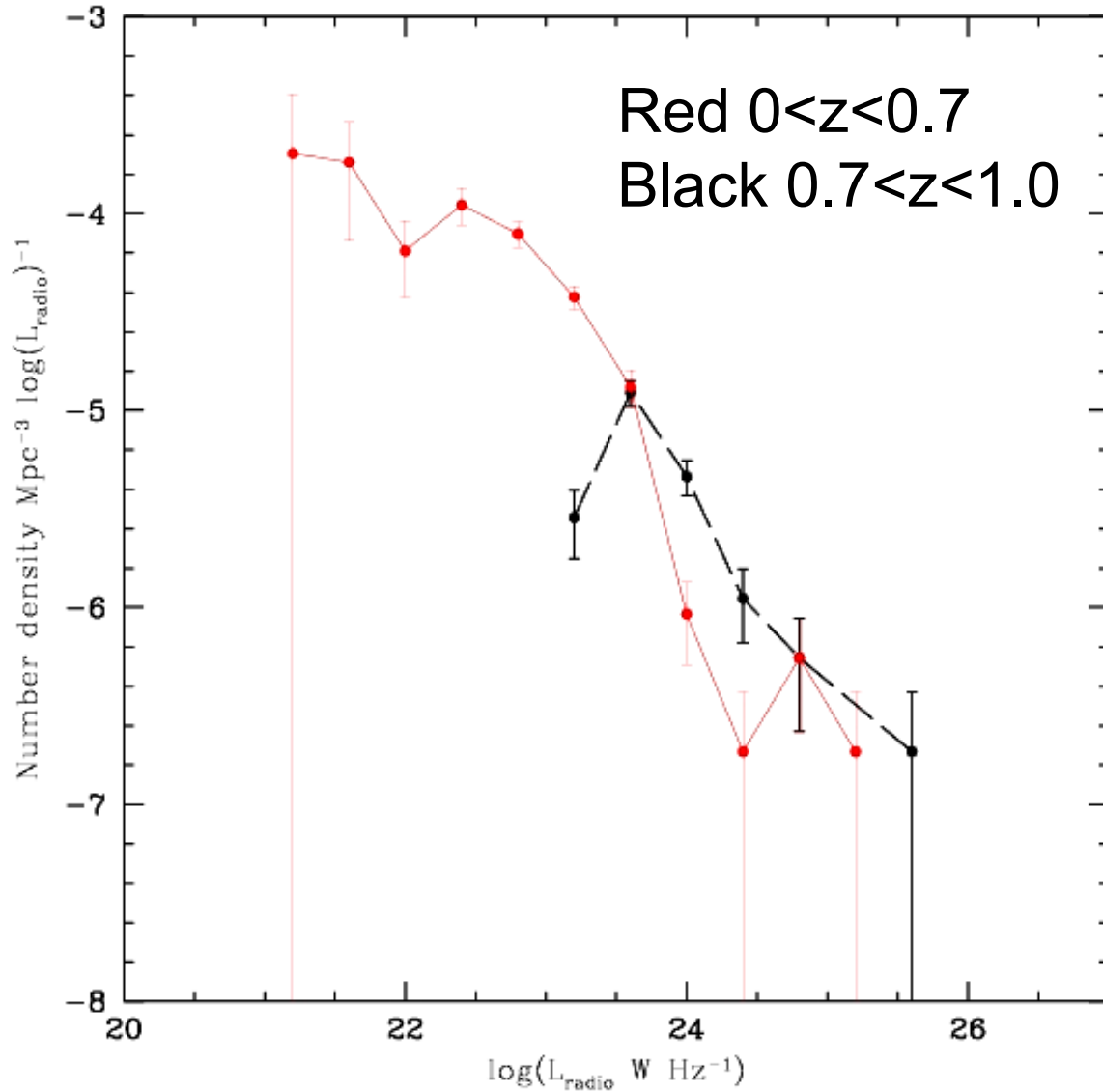
LUMINOSITY FUNCTIONS



Red $0 < z < 0.5$
Black $0.5 < z < 1.1$

All types

LUMINOSITY FUNCTIONS



Type 1+2
(early)

$$LF = \rho_0 (1+z)^k (L/L^*)^\alpha$$

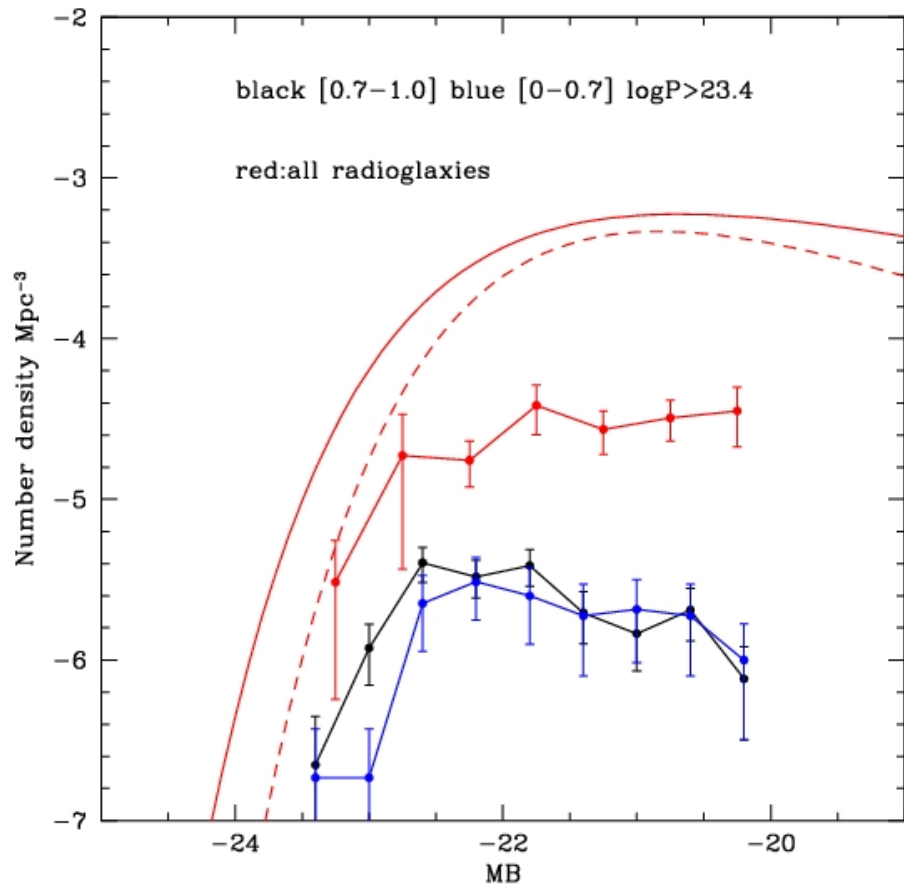
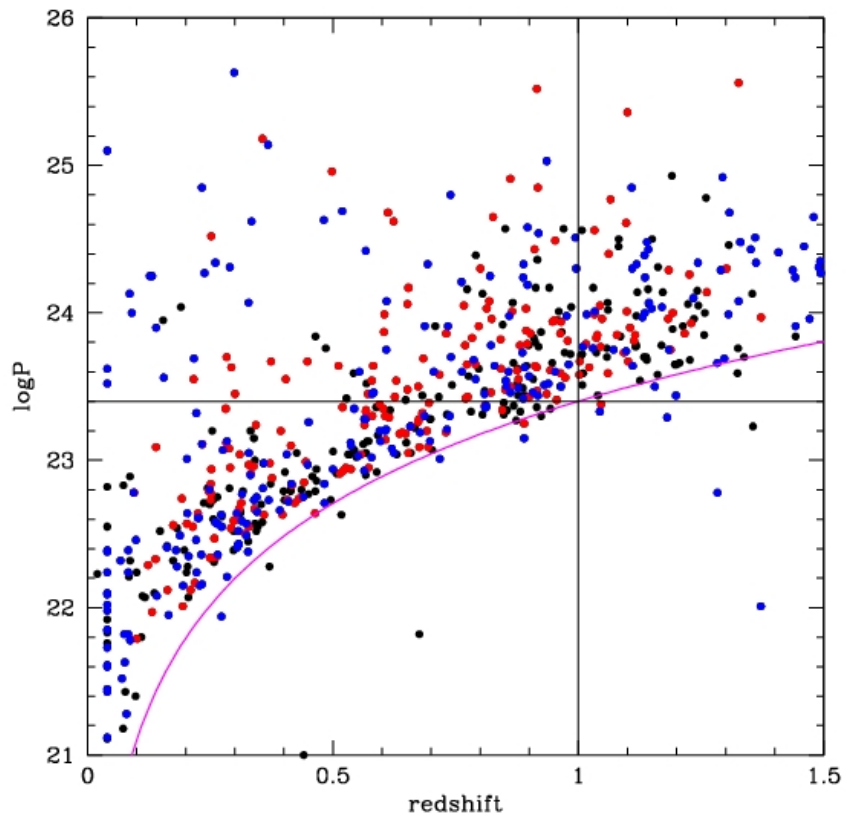
where

$$L = L_0 (1+z)^\beta$$

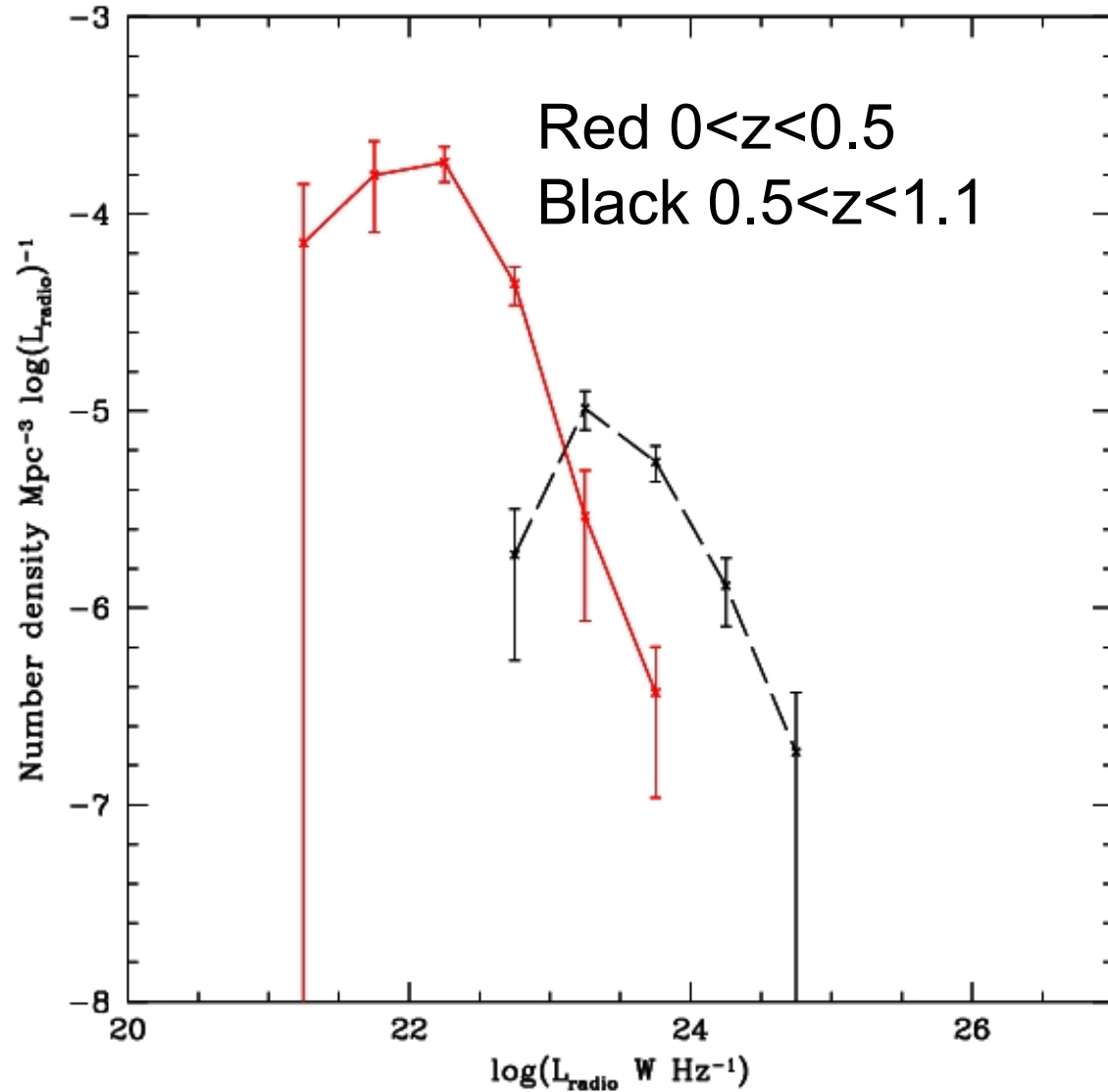
$$\alpha = -1.78$$

$$\beta = 2.76$$

$$K = 0.04$$



LUMINOSITY FUNCTIONS



Type 3+4
(late)

$$LF = \rho_0 (1+z)^k (L/L^*)^\alpha$$

where

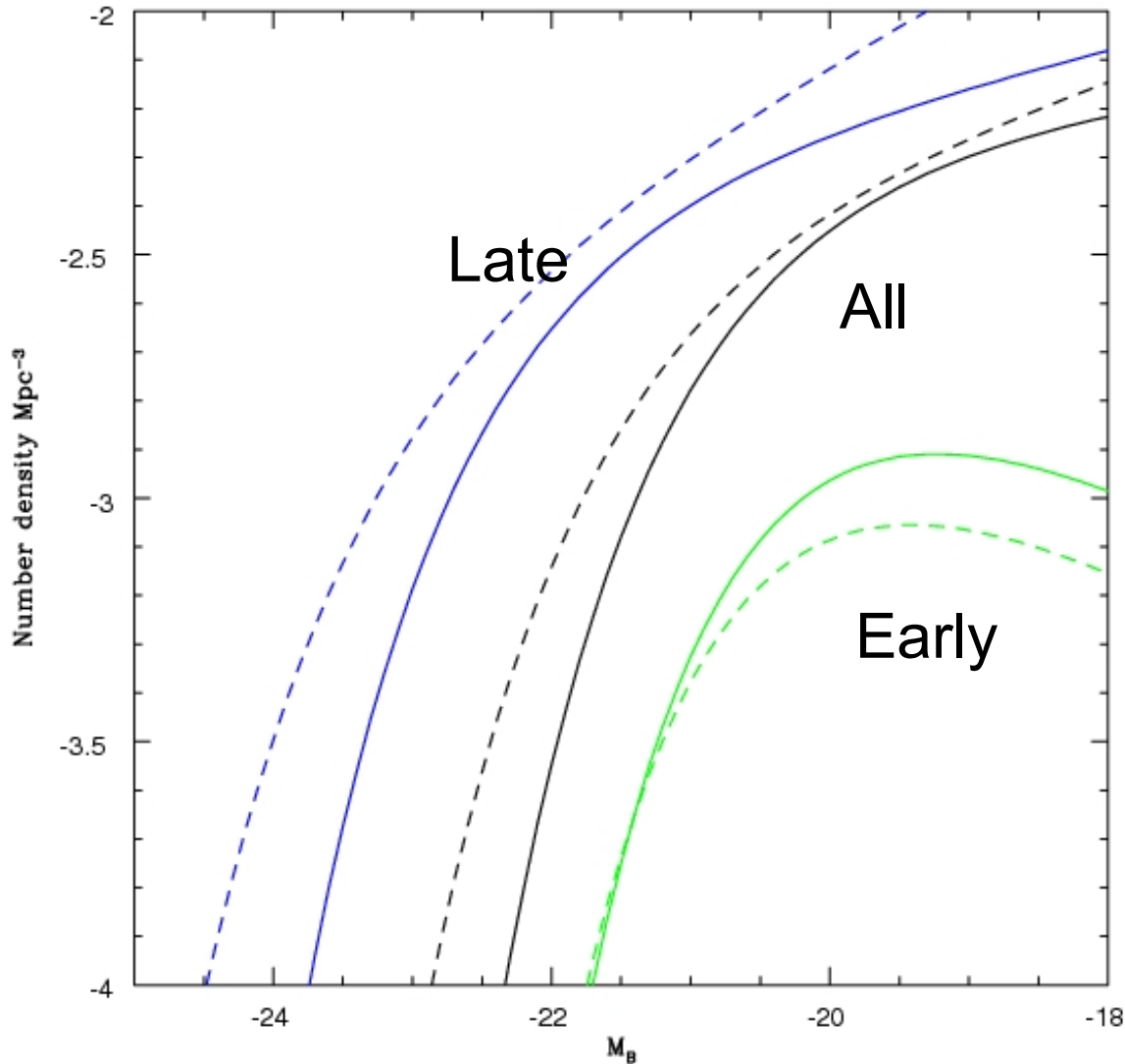
$$L = L_0 (1+z)^\beta$$

$$\alpha = -1.84$$

$$\beta = 2.63$$

$$K = 0.43$$

LUMINOSITY FUNCTIONS



The optical
Luminosity Functions
Evolves
What about
Radio-optical ratios?

Radio - Optical ratio

Standard definition

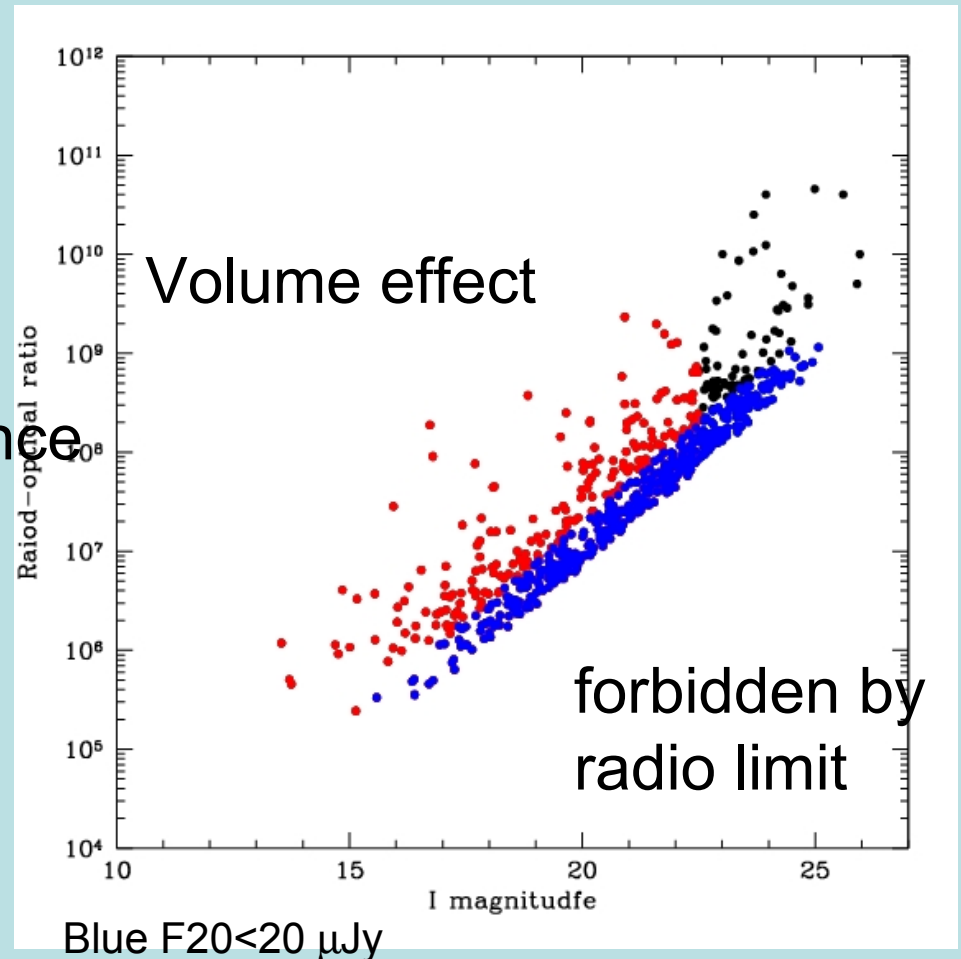
(ratio between fluxes)

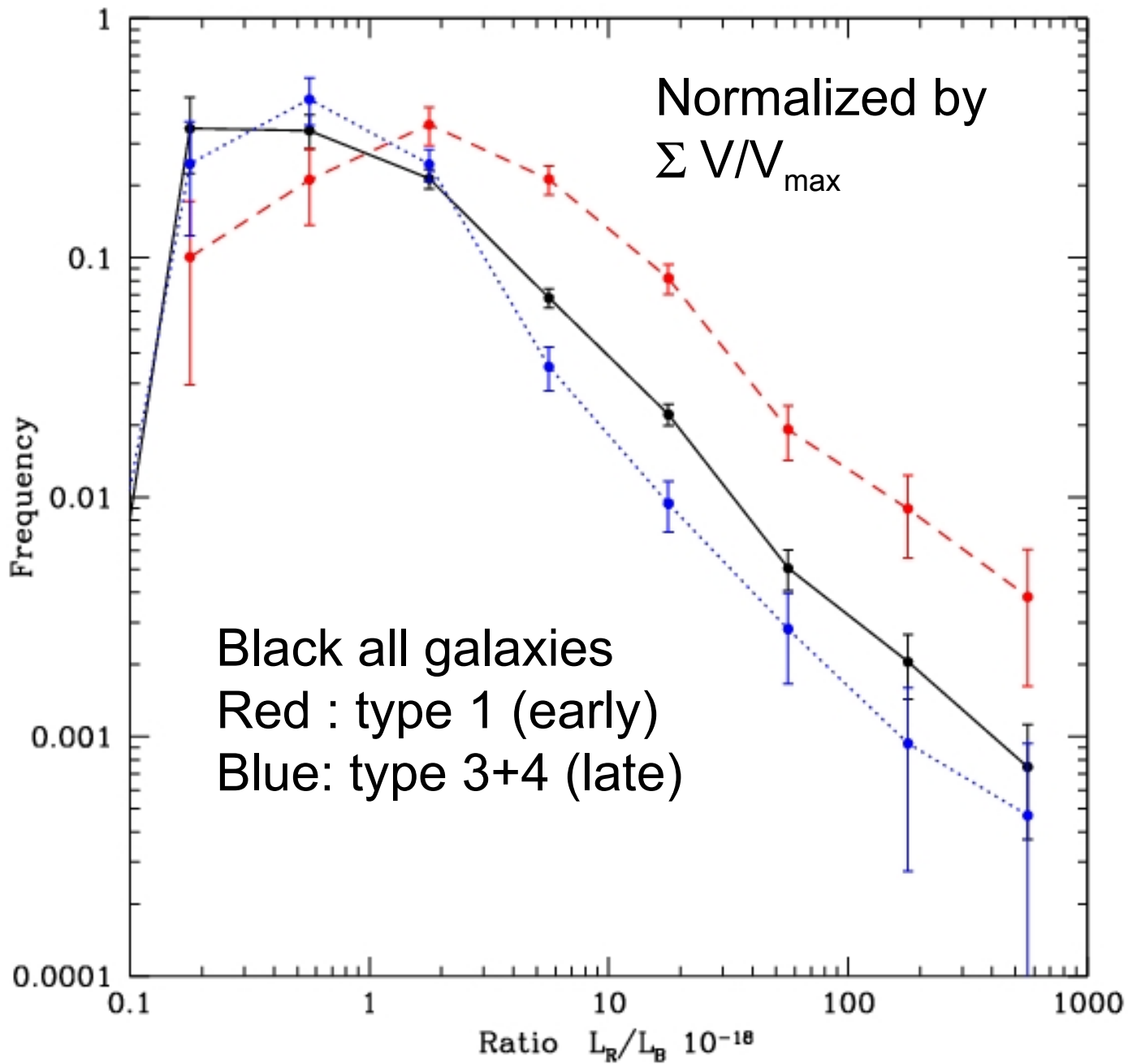
insufficient for deep surveys

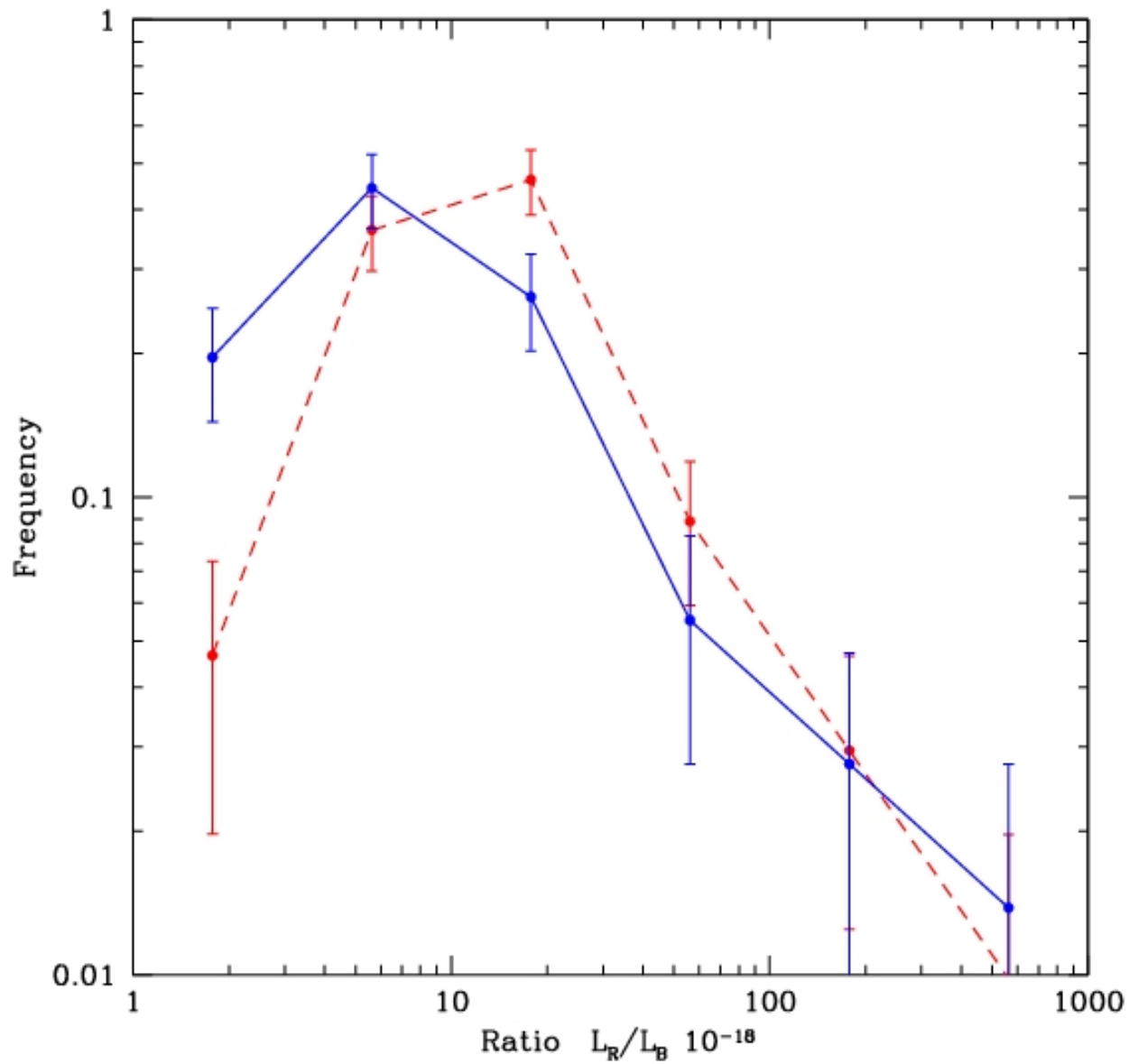
Because of:

- redshift-band dependent
- flux limit dependent
- Volume-redshift dependence

► Take ratio of rest-frame luminosities
and weight by V/V_{\max}

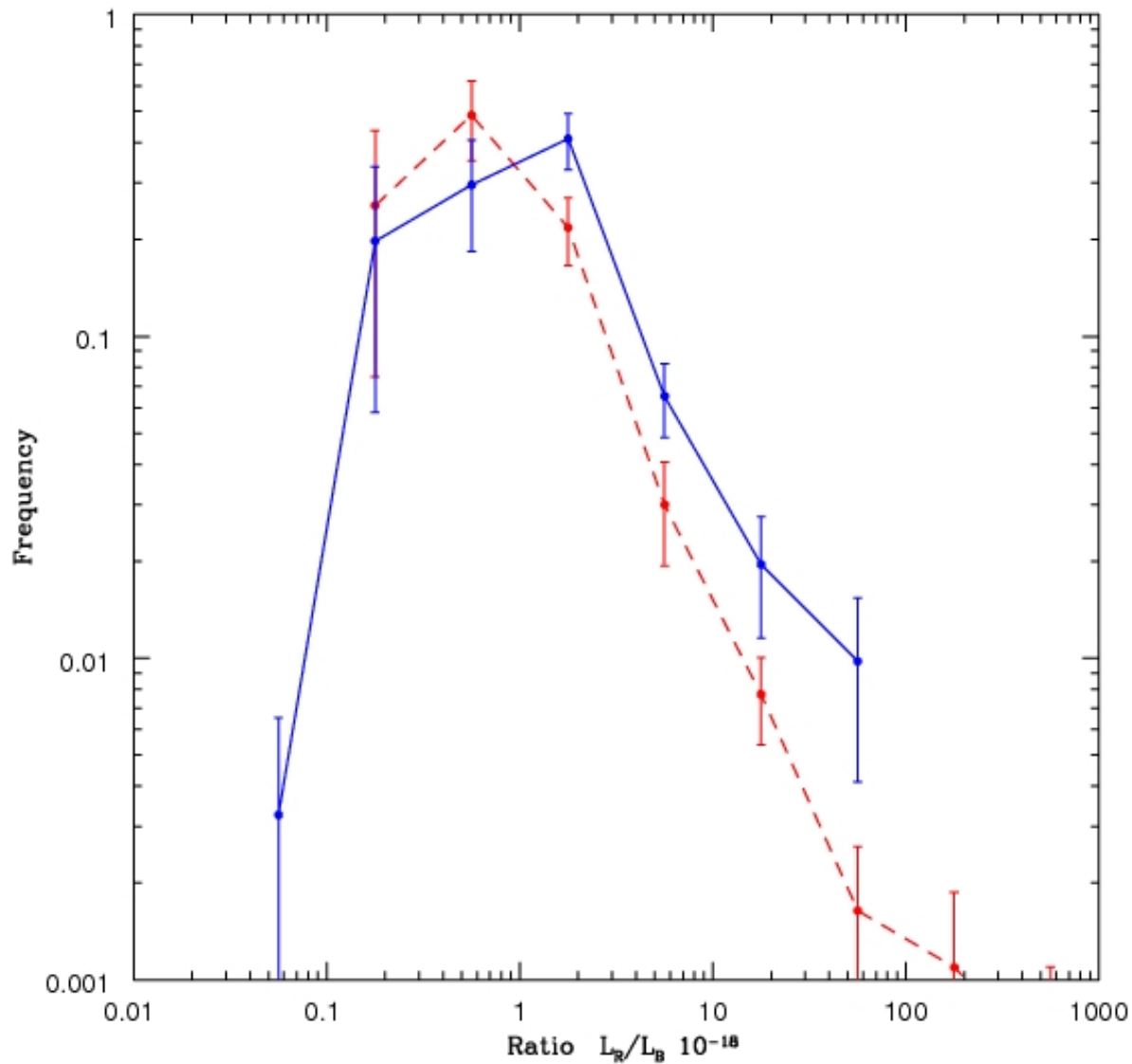






T1+2
 $z > 0.7$ red
 $z < 0.7$ blue

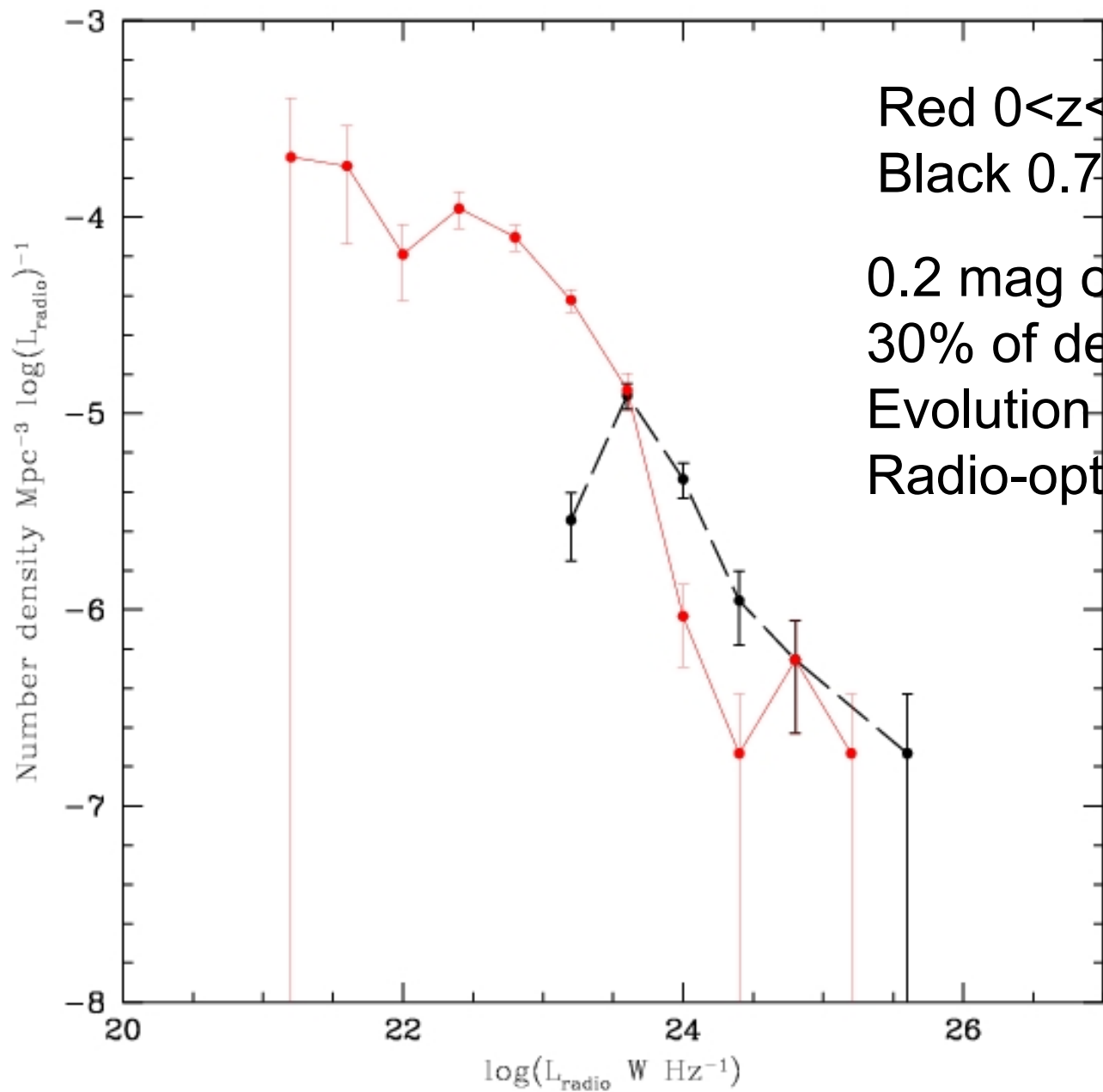
$\log P > 23.1$



T3+4 (late)

MB<-21.5

Dependence
on the optical
luminosity



Red $0 < z < 0.7$

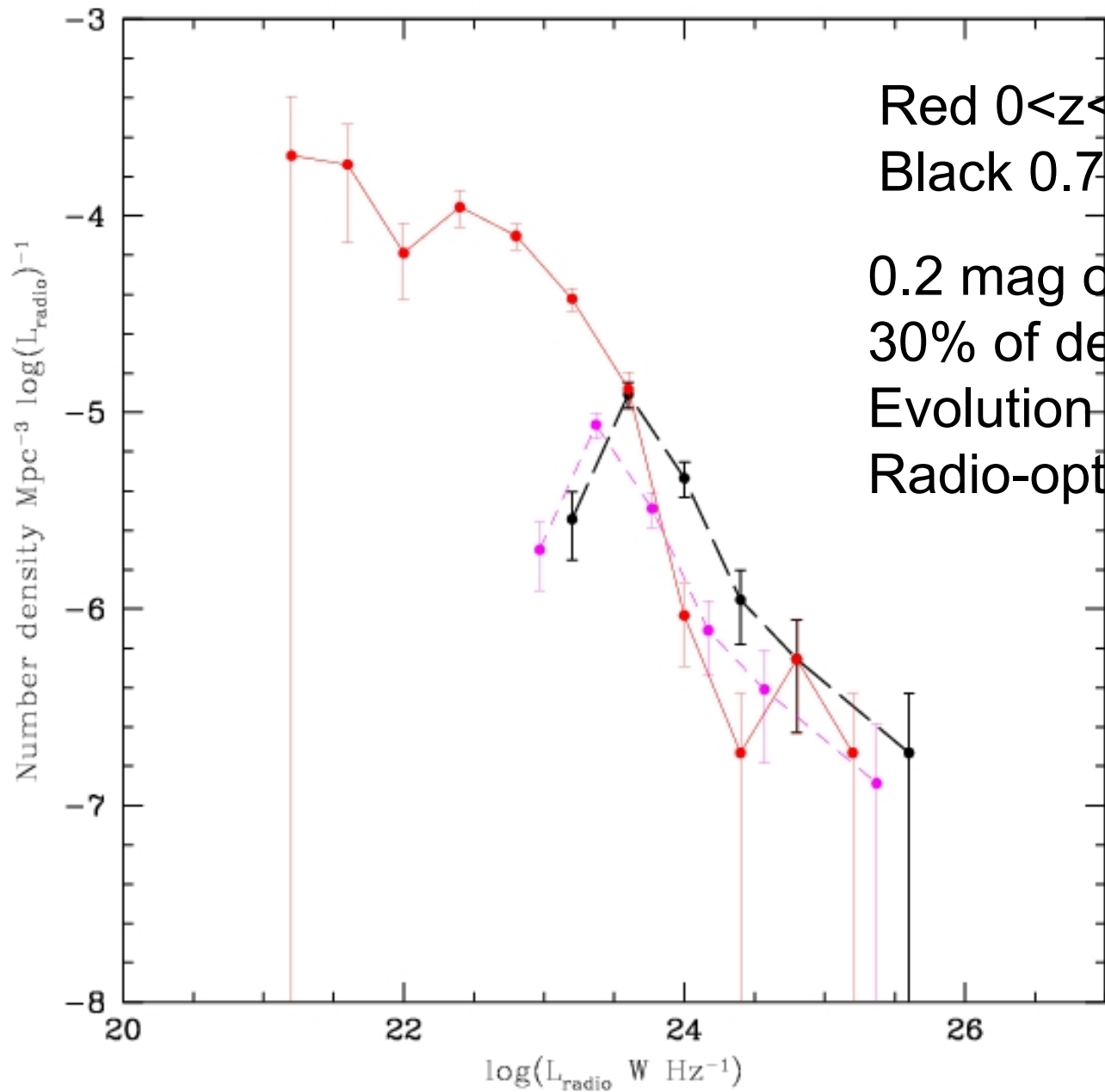
Black $0.7 < z < 1.0$

0.2 mag of brightening

30% of decrease in number

Evolution of 0.15 in log of the

Radio-optical ratio



Red $0 < z < 0.7$

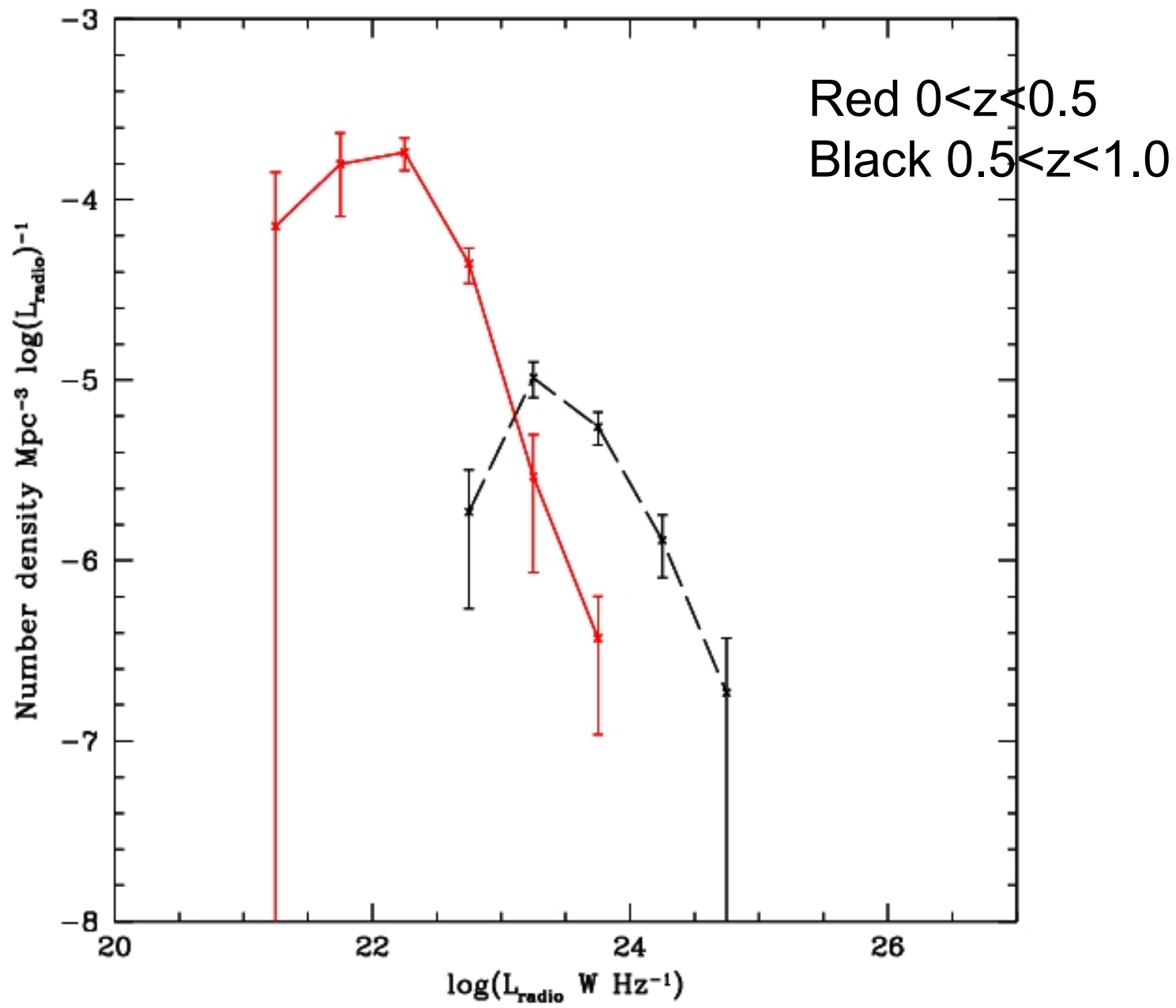
Black $0.7 < z < 1.0$

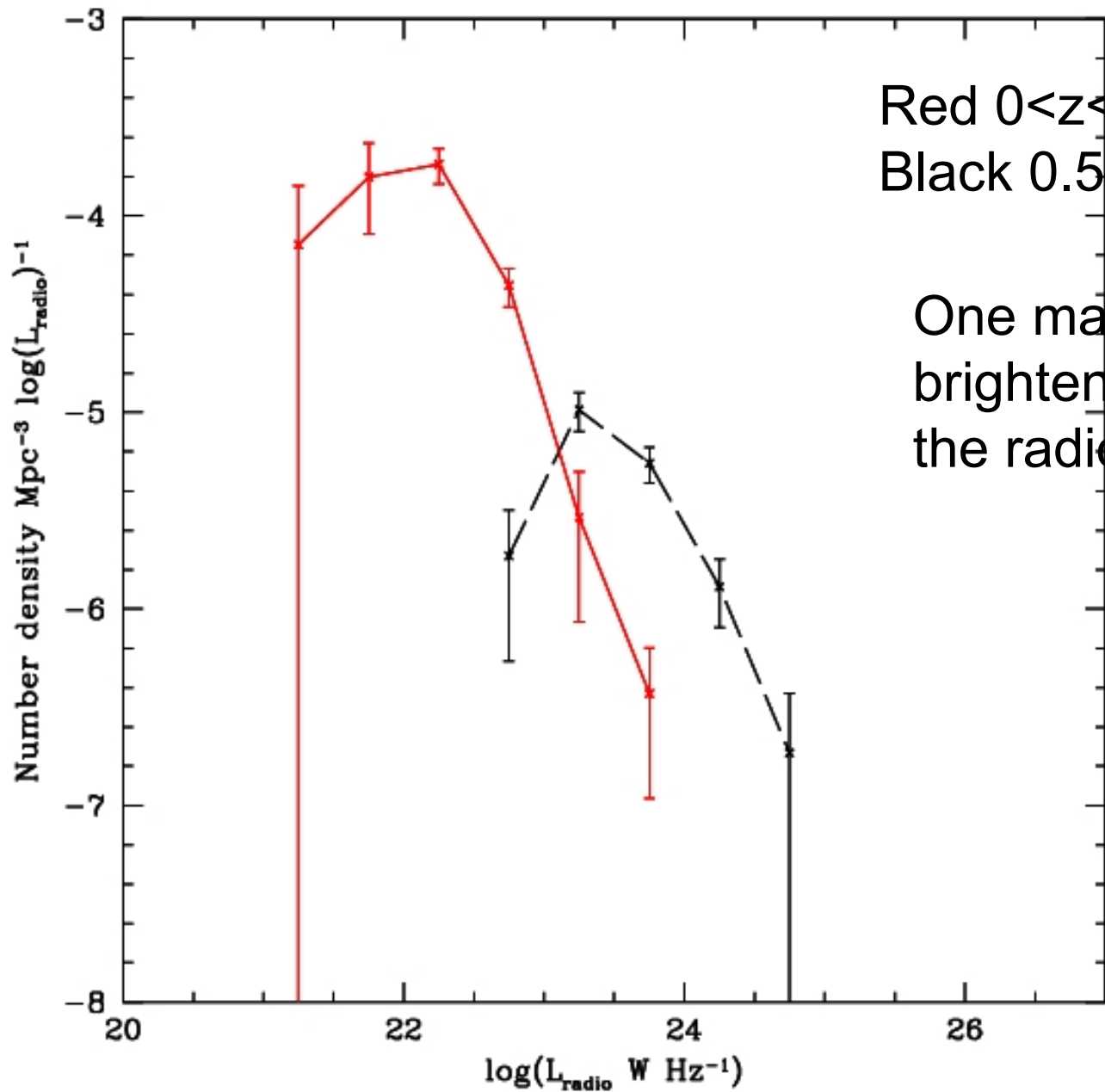
0.2 mag of brightening

30% of decreases in number

Evolution of 0.15 in log of the

Radio-optical ratio

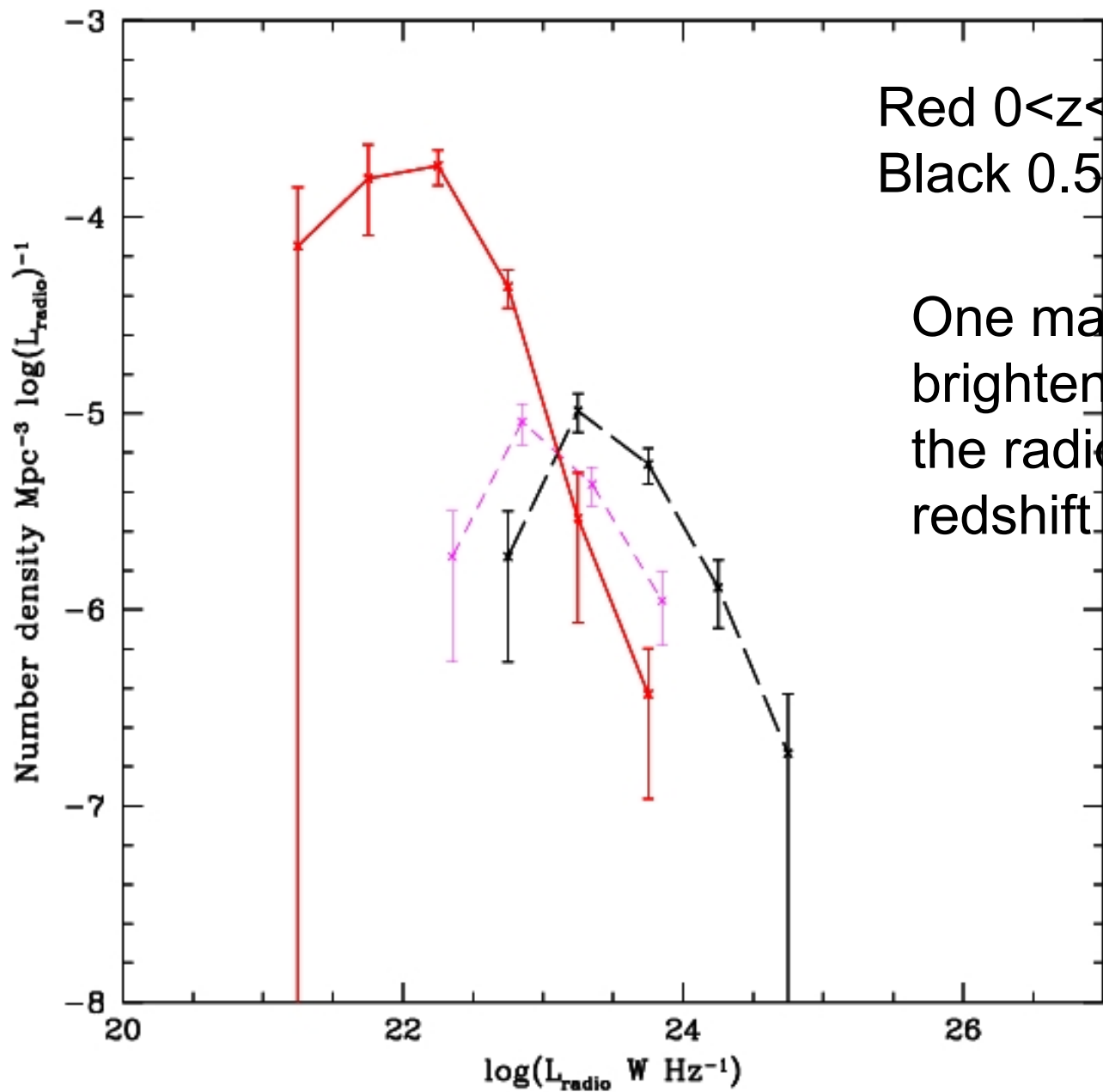




Red $0 < z < 0.5$

Black $0.5 < z < 1.0$

One magnitude of
brightening no change in
the radio-optical ratio

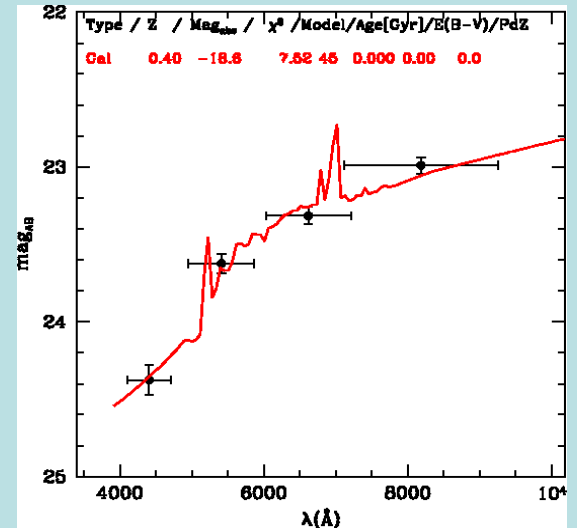


Red $0 < z < 0.5$

Black $0.5 < z < 1.0$

One magnitude of
brightening no change in
the radio-optical ratio with
redshift.

Stellar Masses and Star Formation Rates



Optical: Match of photometric bands with a library of spectra including variable star formation rates and stellar masses

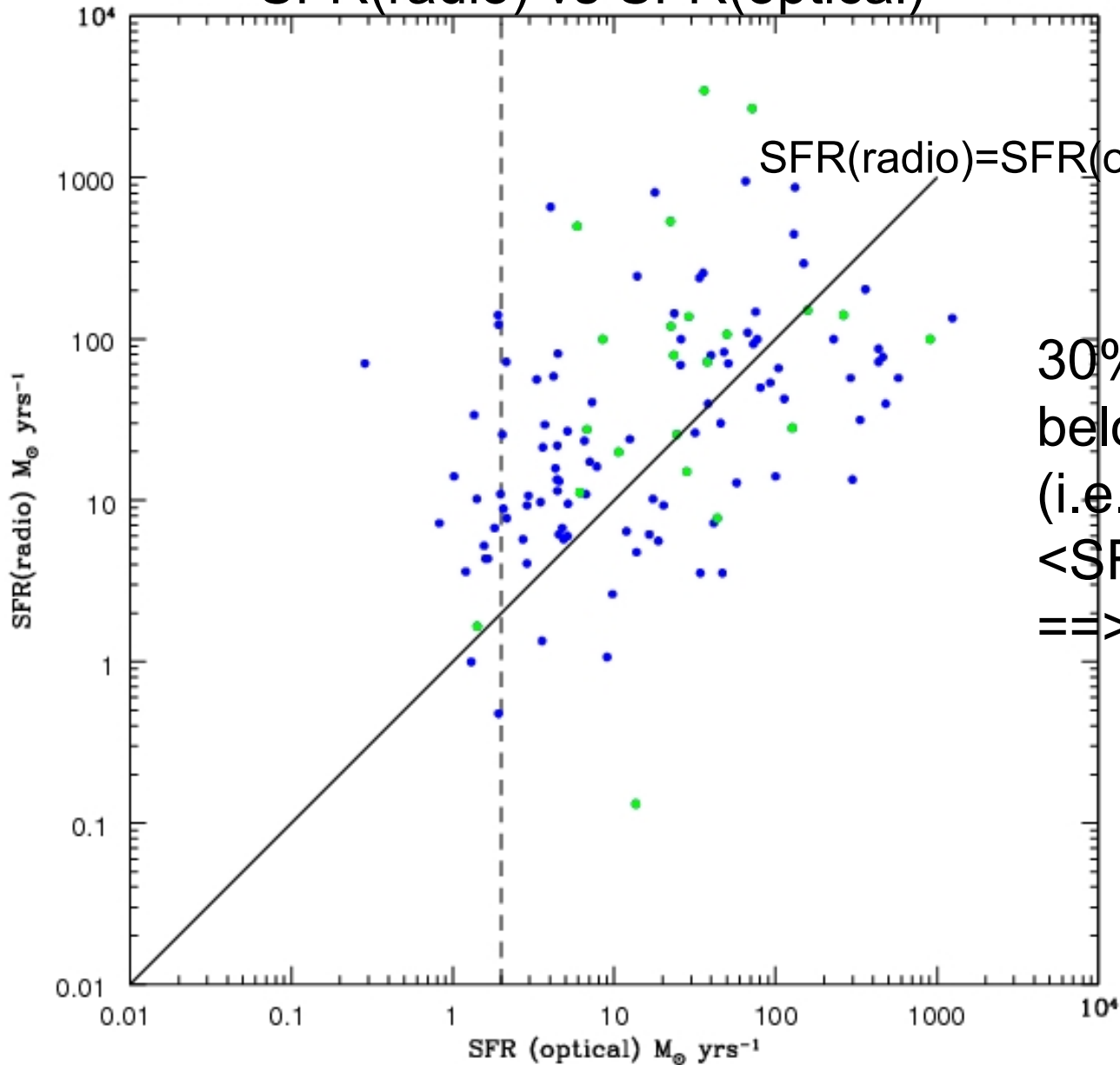
RADIO:

$$\text{Star Formation Rate} = C * L_{1.4 \text{ GHz}} \text{ M}_{\odot} \text{ yrs}^{-1}$$

$$C = 1.19 \cdot 10^{-21} L_{1.4 \text{ GHz}} \text{ Haarsma et al. (2000), Condon (1992)}$$

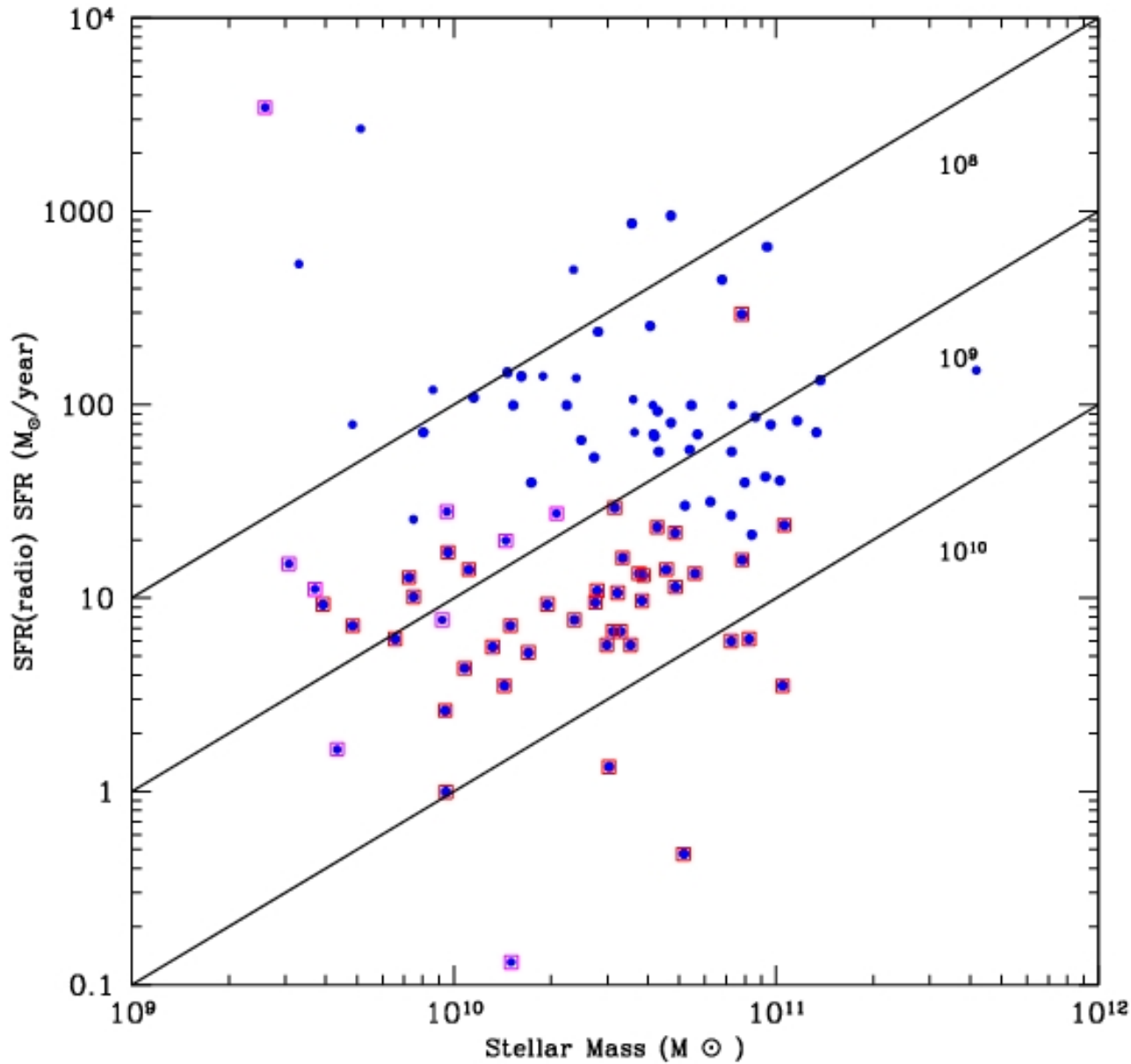
$$C = 5.52 \cdot 10^{-22} L_{1.4 \text{ GHz}} \text{ Bell (2003)}$$

SFR(radio) vs SFR(optical)



SFR(radio)=SFR(optical) line

30% of objects
below “equality line”
(i.e. $\langle \text{SFR(radio)} \rangle >$
 $\langle \text{SFR(optical)} \rangle$)
 \Rightarrow effect of dust?



Type 3+4 (late)

blue $z > 0.5$

magenta $z < 0.5$

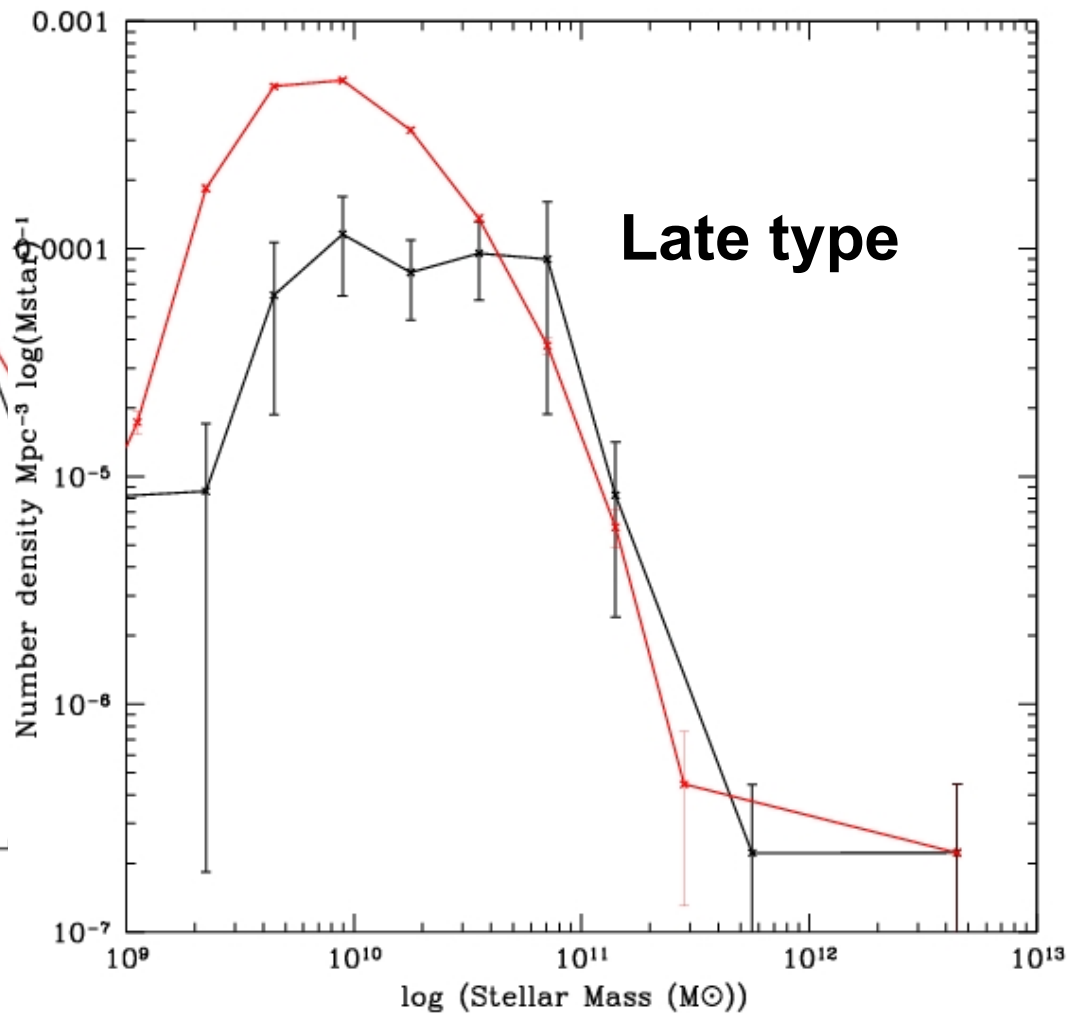
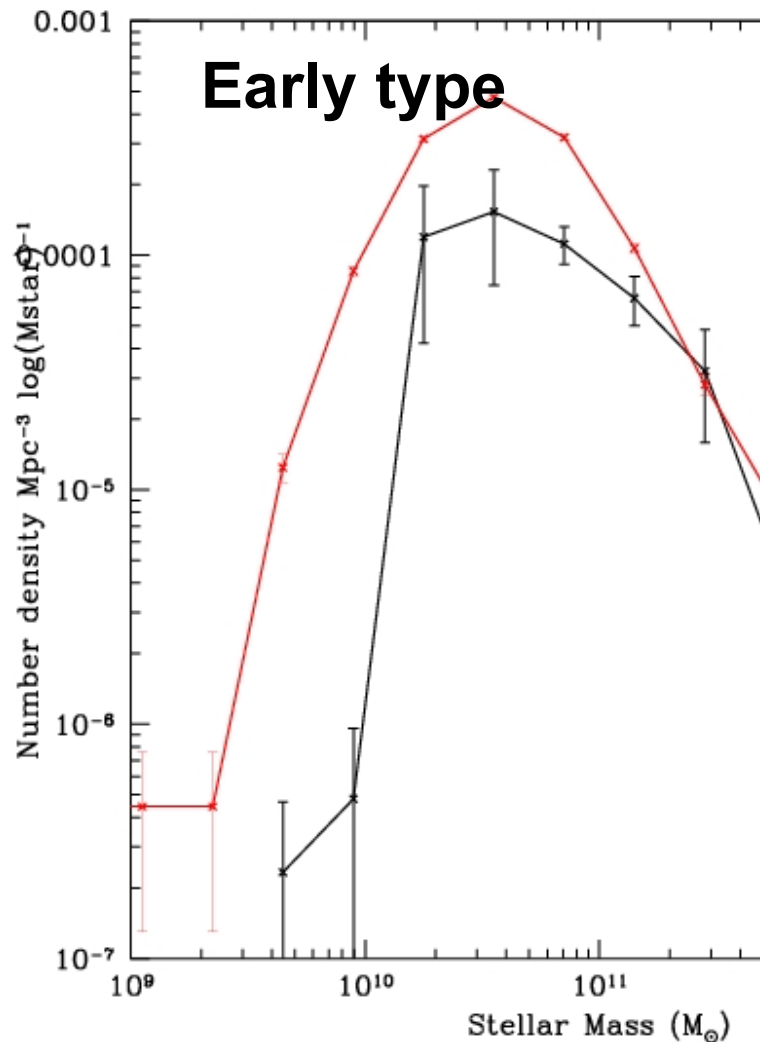
At higher z

Higher specific

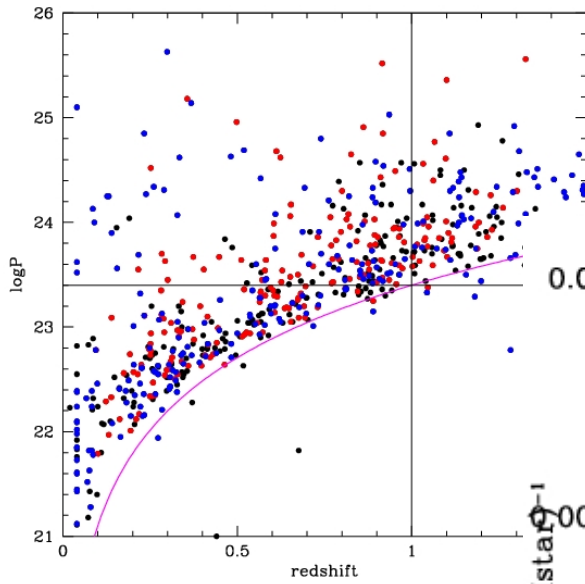
Star Formation

Mass Functions

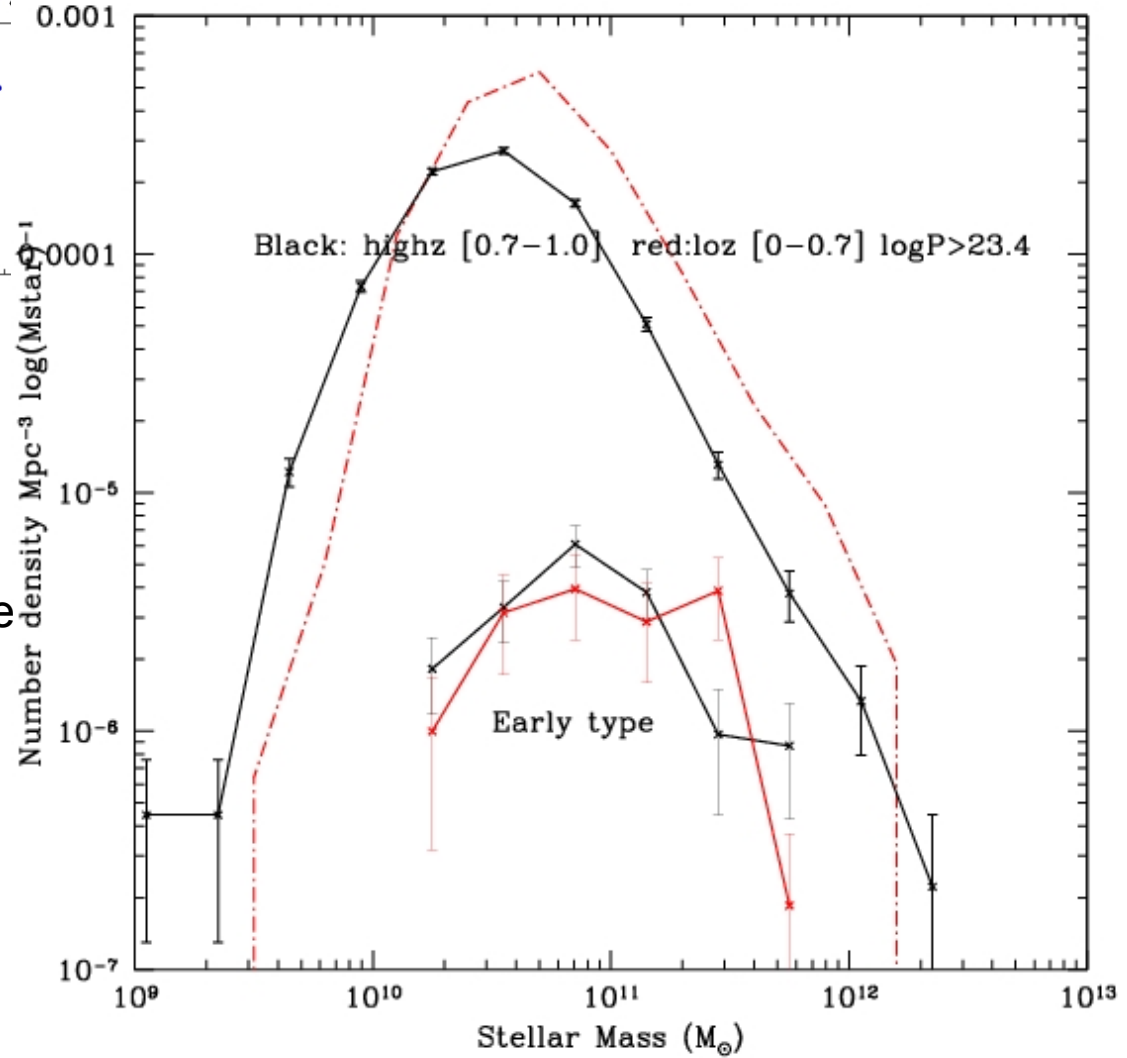
Red: Control Sample
Black: Complete Sample



Little (if any) Evolution in Stellar Mass



Red: Control Sample
Black: Complete Sample



Star Formation History

from radio band

Two approaches:

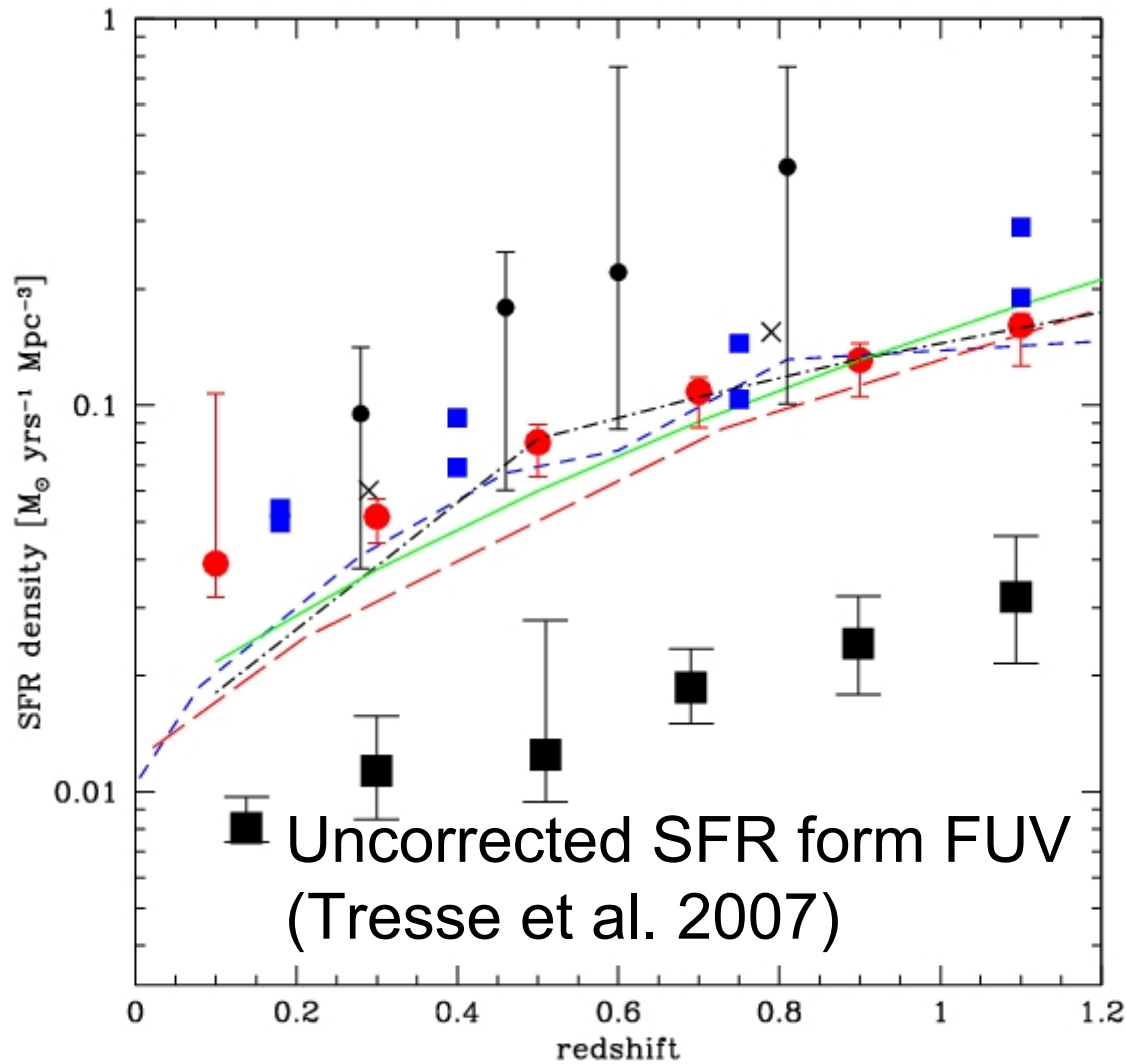
2) Direct integration of radio-optical luminosity function in different redshift bins (low statistics)

2) Use optical galaxies as tracers for radio emission

$$\text{SFR density} = C \int \Phi(L') \left(\int R D(R) L' dR \right) dL'$$

$\Phi(L)$ Optical luminosity function

$D(R)$ distribution of radio-optical ratios R



Log (sfrVVDS)-
Log (SFRradio)=

$\langle 0.73 \rangle \pm 0.02$

Expected 0.74
From FUV (1500Å)
(Hopkins et al 2001)

$\text{SFR density} \propto (1+z)^{2.15}$

CONCLUSIONS

√ **Colors: radio faint early type radio galaxies redder than Control Sample**

Late type radio loud galaxies significantly redder than Control Sample (dust)

√ **Radio Luminosity Functions evolution**

Early: increase of radio-optical ratio compensated by decrease of optical luminosity function

Late : one magnitude evolution of optical population, no Evolution of radio-optical ratio

√ **$\langle \text{SFR}(\text{radio}) \rangle > \langle \text{SFR}(\text{optical}) \rangle$ (dust)**

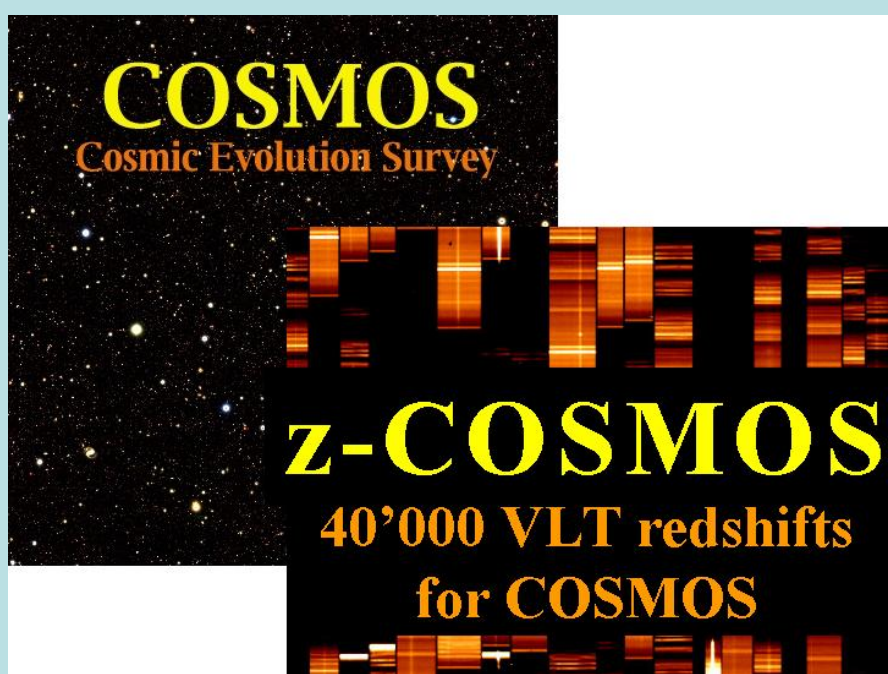
√ **Specific star formation rate higher in the past**

CONCLUSIONS

√ Possible to use optical galaxies as tracers for radio emission in particular for the estimation of the Star Formation History

√ No significant redshift dependence of radio emission with Stellar Mass in case of AGN

√ Specific star formation is decreasing with redshift



10 K sample
Z-COSMOS

PI: S Lilly ETH-Zurich

~10000 redshift to $I=22.5$ over

~1.4 deg²(forseen 20K over 2X2 deg²)

Sampling rate 70%==> density estimate

Medium resolution spectra==>diagnostics

R=600

zCOSMOS sample (bright)

- 10509 redshifts
- 8481 “statistical sample” (high quality, 99.8 % reliable)
- repeated 600 spectra yields to <100 km/s error

Cutting the sample
 $z < 0.9$ $MB < -20.75$
2567 objects

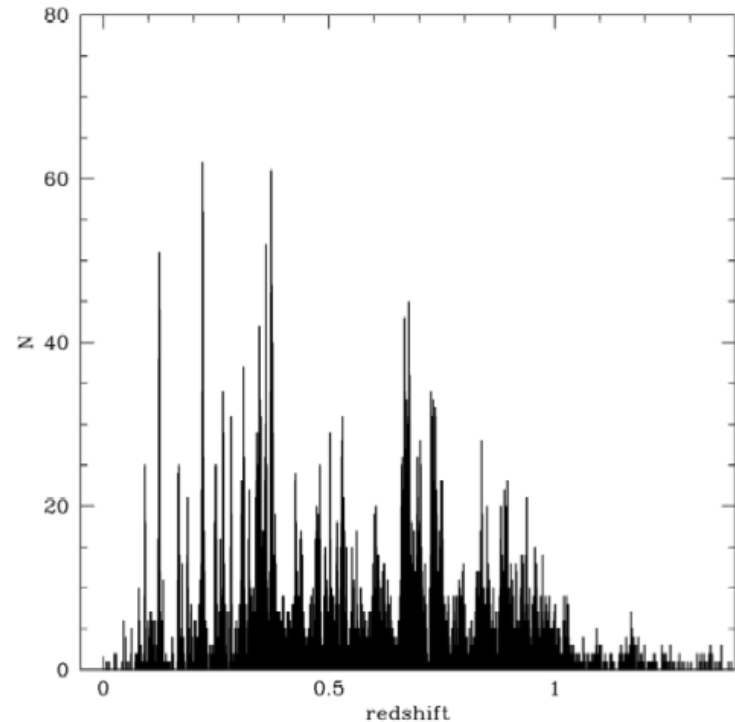


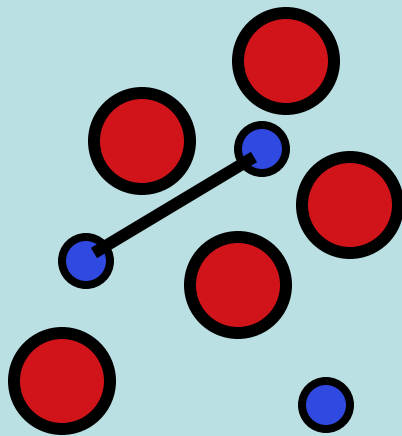
Fig 3: Redshift distribution of extragalactic objects in the zCOSMOS-bright 10k sample with secure redshifts, binned in intervals $\Delta z = 0.001$, which is larger than the redshift uncertainty by a factor of three at $z = 0$ and of two at $z \sim 1$. Despite the large transverse dimension of the survey, the redshift distribution shows structure on all scales from the velocity resolution up to $\Delta z \sim 0.05$.

DENSITY ESTIMATE

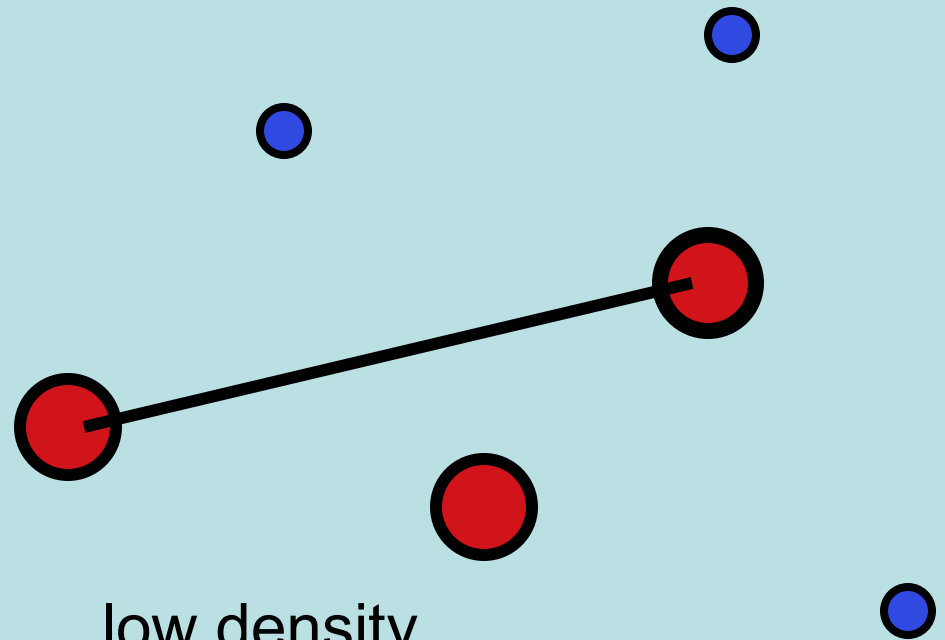
Kovac et al. (2008)

Battery of density estimator

Mass-weighted 5 nearest neighbour



High density
environment



low density
environment

VLA-COSMOS

Bondi et al. (2008)

1.4 GHz over $2 \times 2 \text{ deg}^2$ ~ 2501 sources

1.5 arcsec resolution to $11 \mu\text{Jy}$

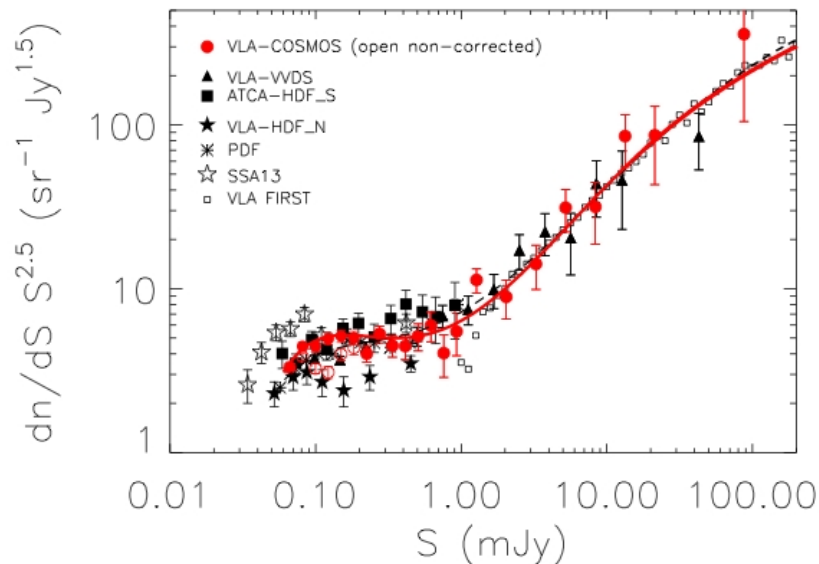


Fig. 5.— Radio source counts at 1.4 GHz from the VLA-COSMOS survey (dots) and from other surveys. Empty circles show the radio counts not corrected for incompleteness, filled circles the corrected ones using $m = 0.5$. The VLA-COSMOS source counts are shown along with those obtained by other deep surveys (see text). The solid line is the least-squares six-order polynomial fit obtained using the VLA-COSMOS and the FIRST source counts. The dashed line is the fit obtained by [Hopkins et al. \(2003\)](#).

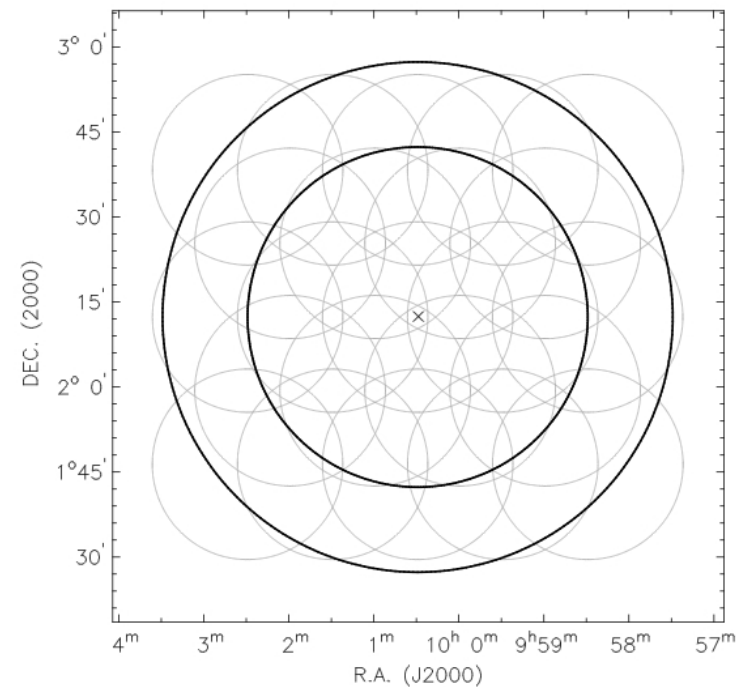


Fig. 2.— Layout of the 23 pointings for the VLA-COSMOS observations. The two circles have a radius of $30'$ and $45'$.

Previous Results on AGN environment

-X-ray AGN have correlation function at $z \approx 1$ similar to Massive ($3 \times 10^{10} M_{\odot}$ galaxies at same redshift)

(Gilli et al. (2008, in press))

-24 μm galaxies ($I < 22.5$): LIRGs have more ellipticals neighbour than other galaxies, ULIRGs are in “active SFR regions” . LIRG in overdens, ULIRG in underdens regions.

(Kaputi et al. (2008))

-Effect with environment in 2dFGRS radio-loud AGN and star forming radio objects (Best 2004)

Previous Results on AGN environment

-radio loud Luminous Red Galaxies have correlation Length of 12.3 ± 1.2 (control sample 9.02 ± 0.52) (Wake et al. 2008)

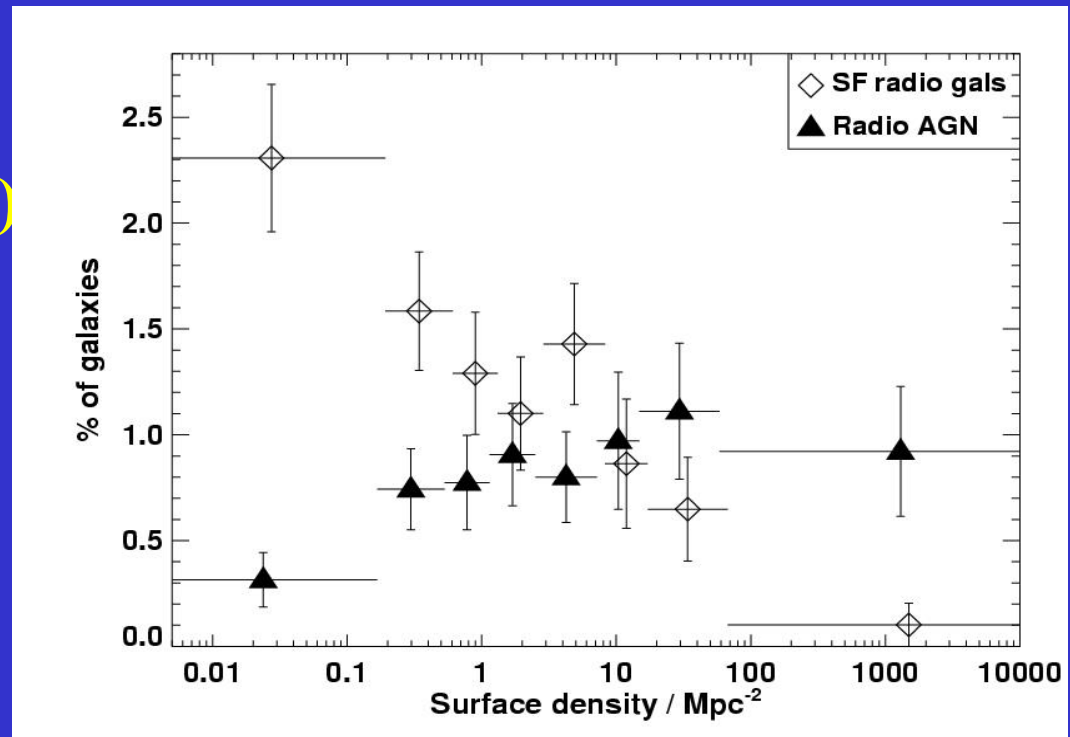
-X-Ray AGN in the A901/A902 supercluster avoid extreme (high and low) environments (Gilmour et al. 2007)

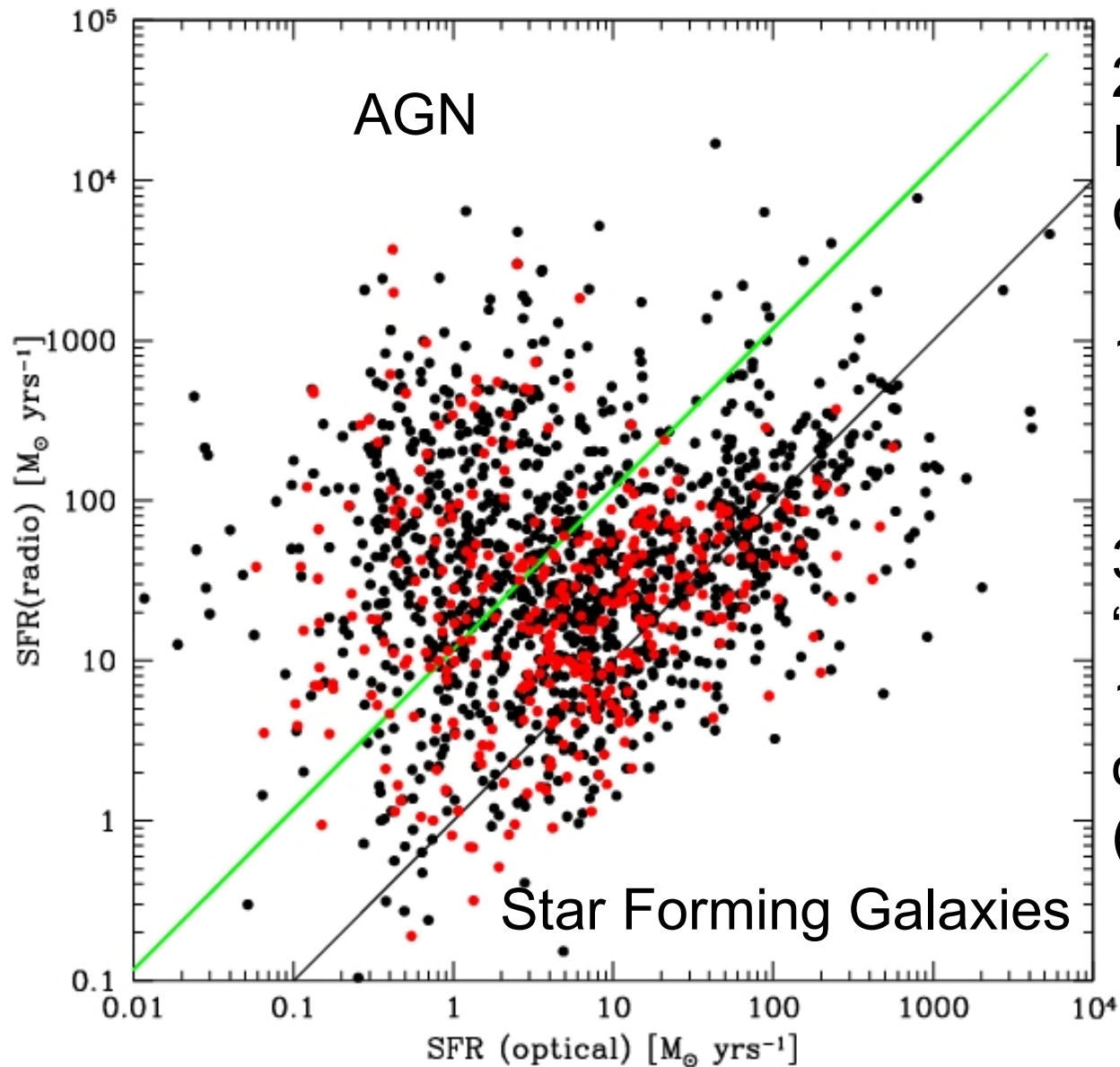
-X-ray AGN from COSMOS: low stellar mass AGN ($< 10^{11} M_{\odot}$) same environment as non AGN massive AGN are in higher environment (Silverman et al. (2008)

CAUTIONS (..again..)

- 1) AGN vs SFR division
- 2) CONTROL SAMPLE

**f.i. be careful that
this is nothing else than
the optical morphology-
density relation Best (2004)**



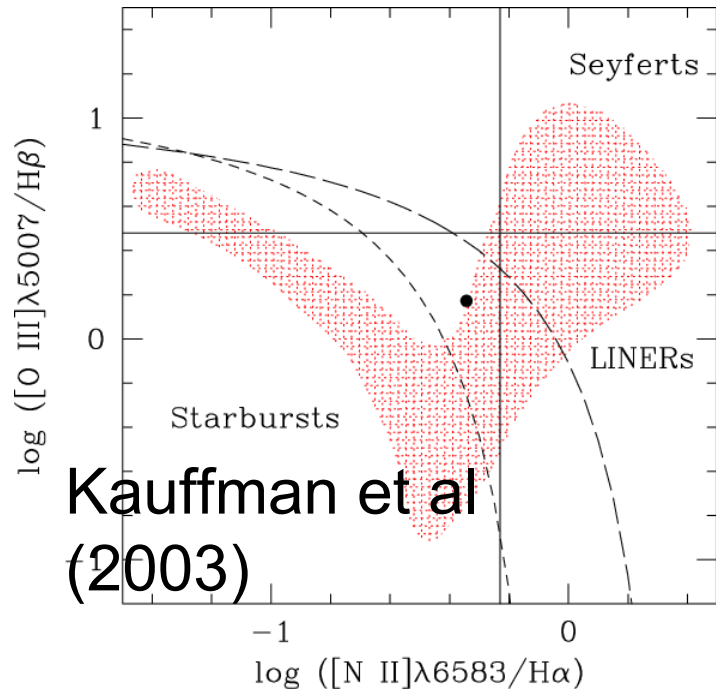


2060 optical
Identifications
Ciliegi et al.(2008)

1232 with $I < 22.5$
(Black)

373 sources in the
“statistical” zCOSMOS
10K sample (8481
objects)
(Red)

How reliable is the method?



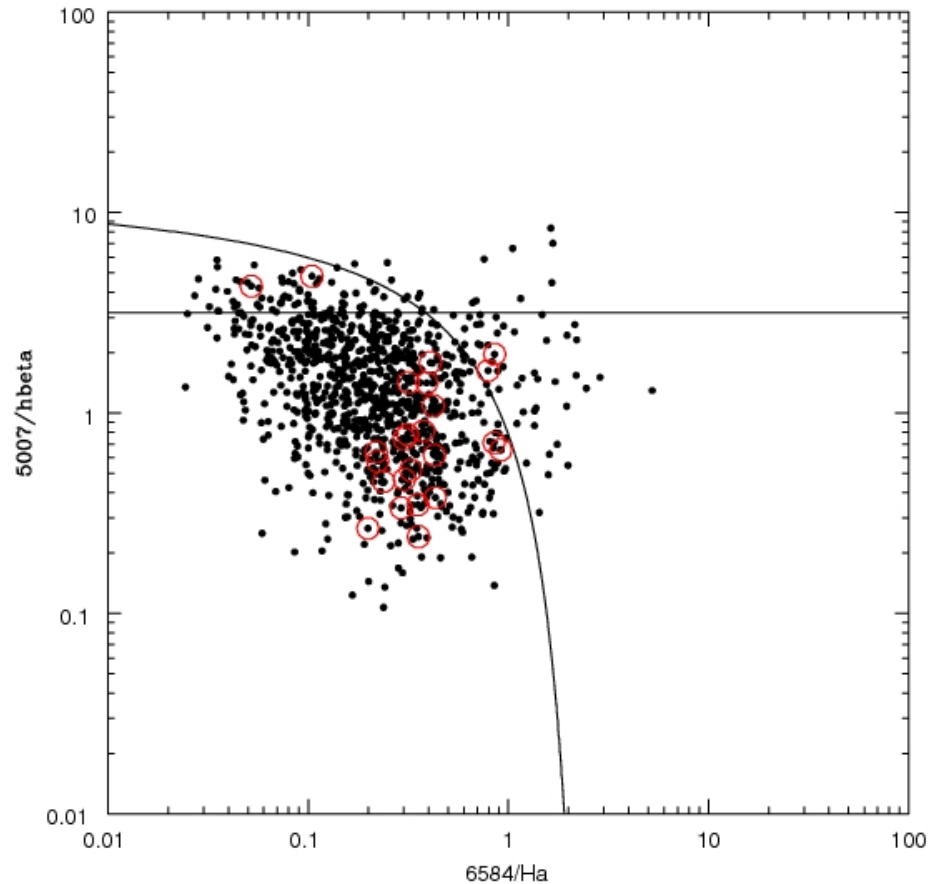
$0.15 < z < 0.45$

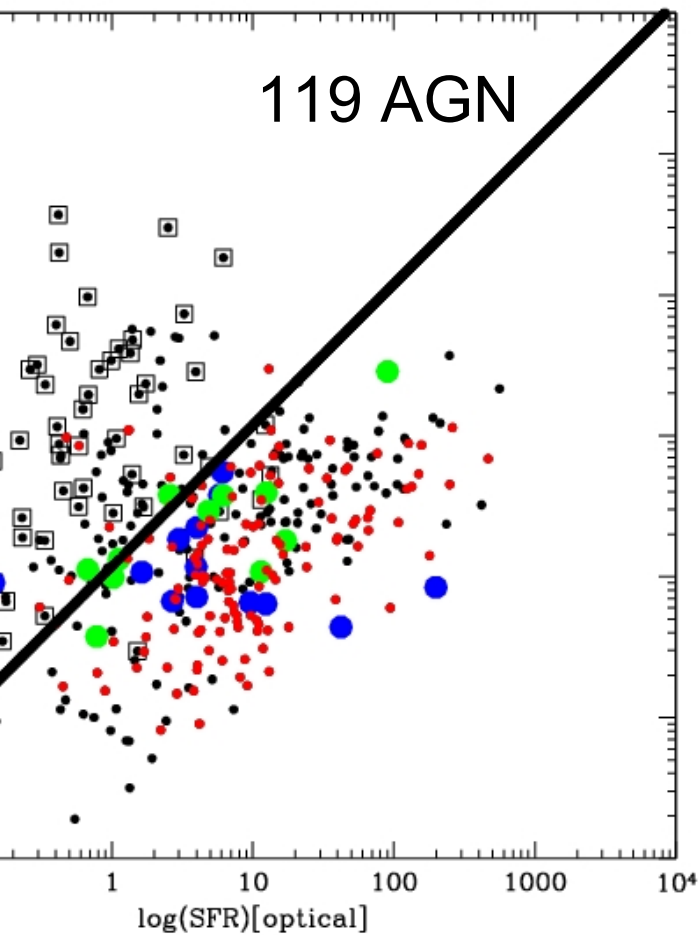
$[\text{O III}]/\text{H}\beta$ vs $[\text{S II}]/\text{H}\alpha$

$[\text{O III}]/\text{H}\beta$ vs $[\text{N II}]/\text{H}\alpha$

$0.5 < z < 0.93$

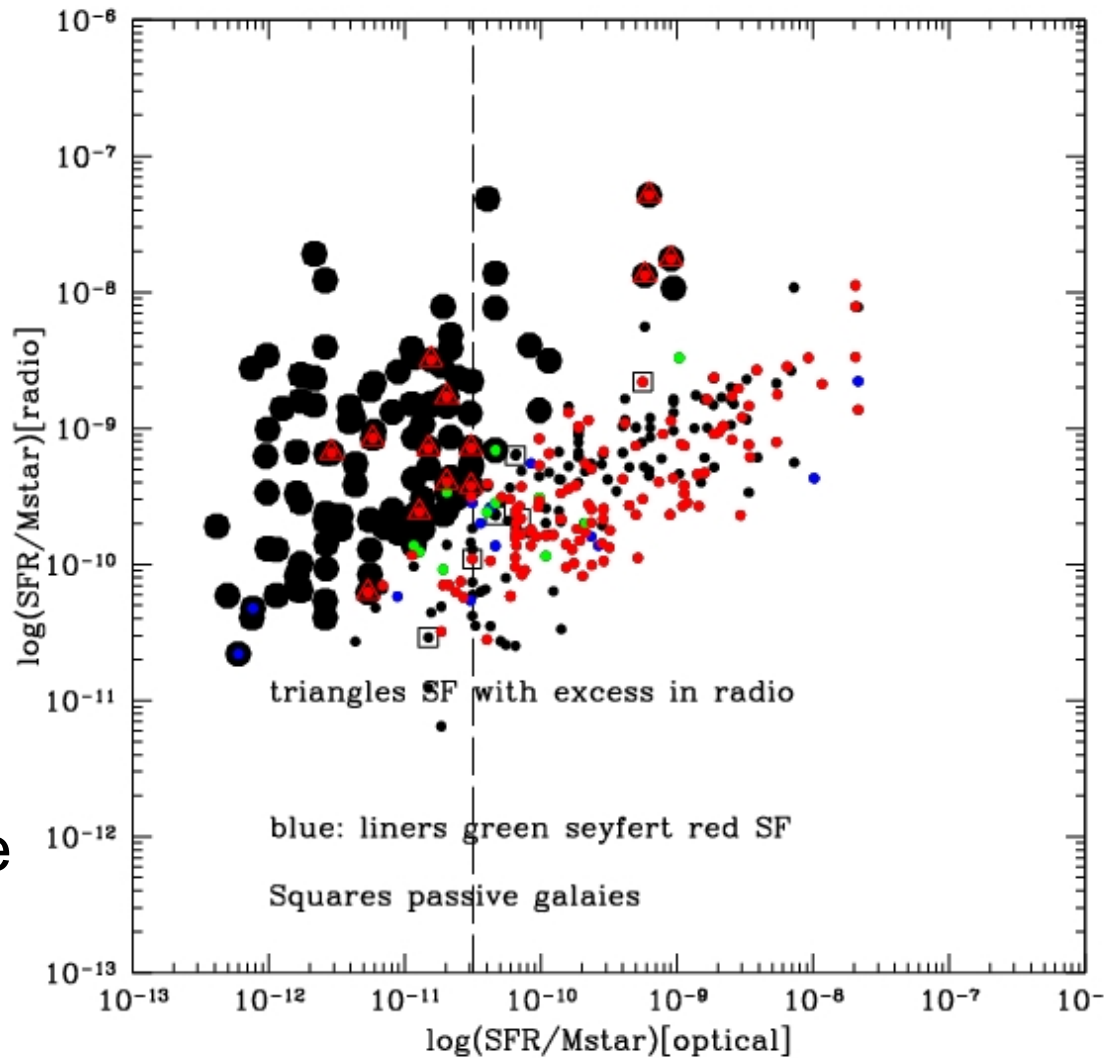
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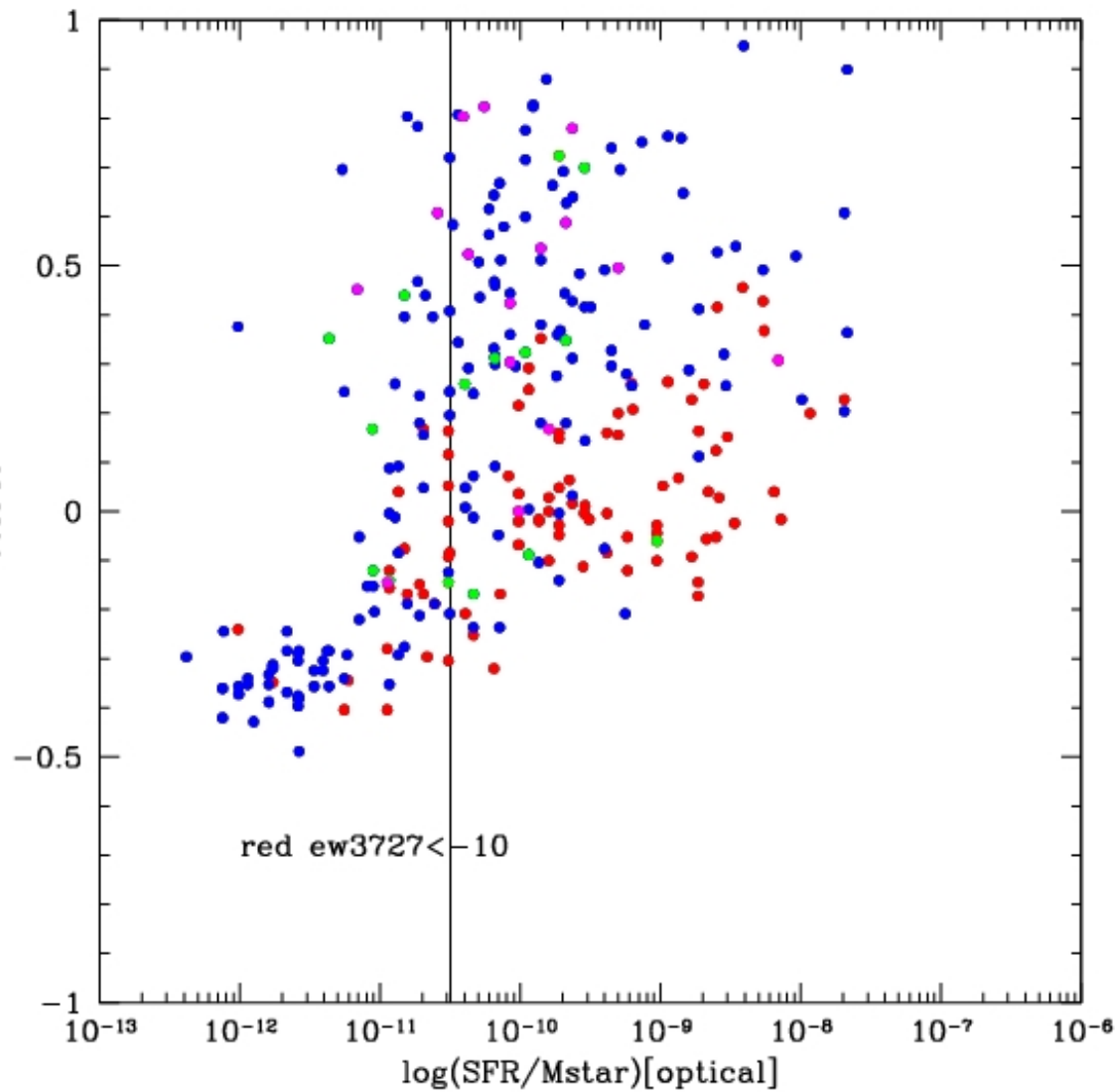
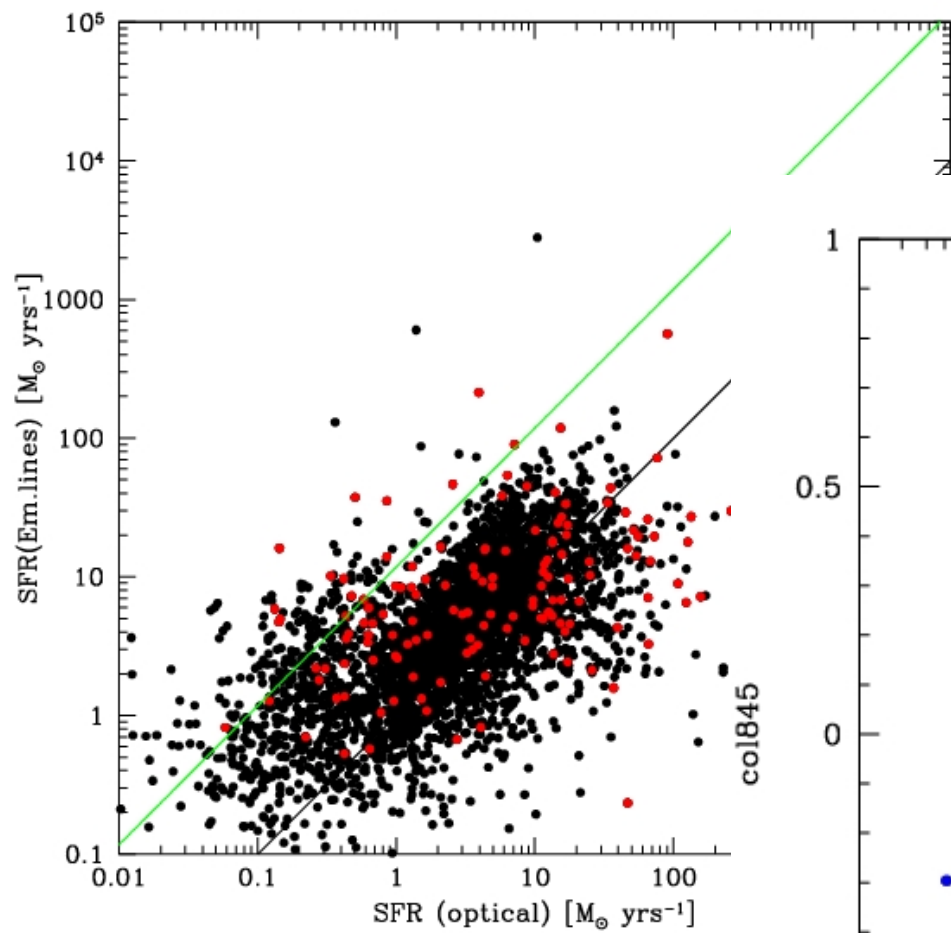


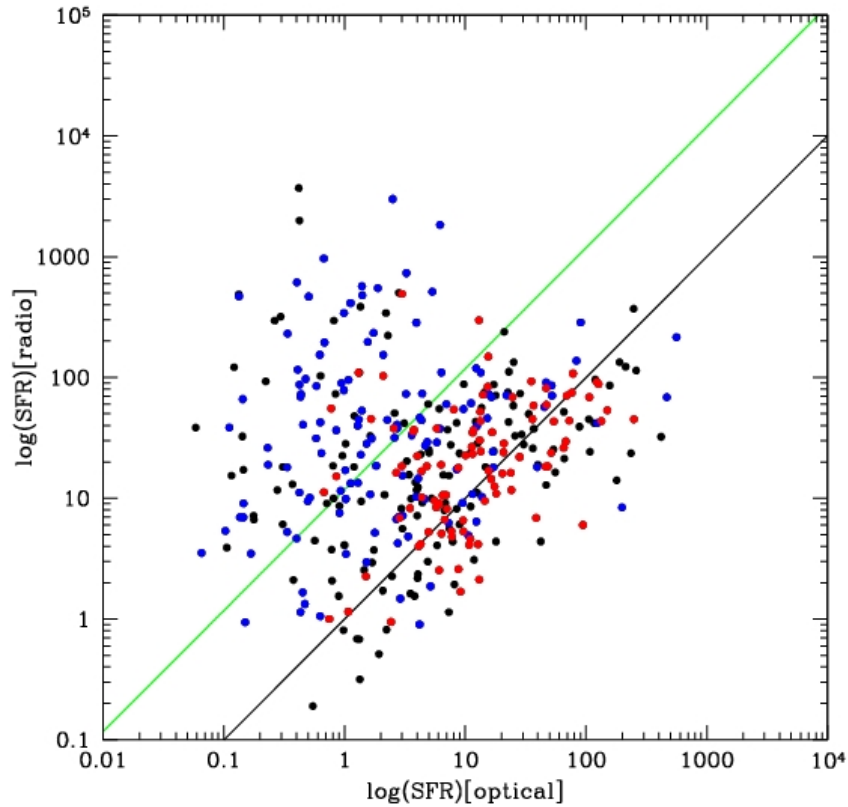


Only 15% of Sy and LINER in the “excess” area.

Among 133 SFR (from diagnostics) 13 are in the AGN area.

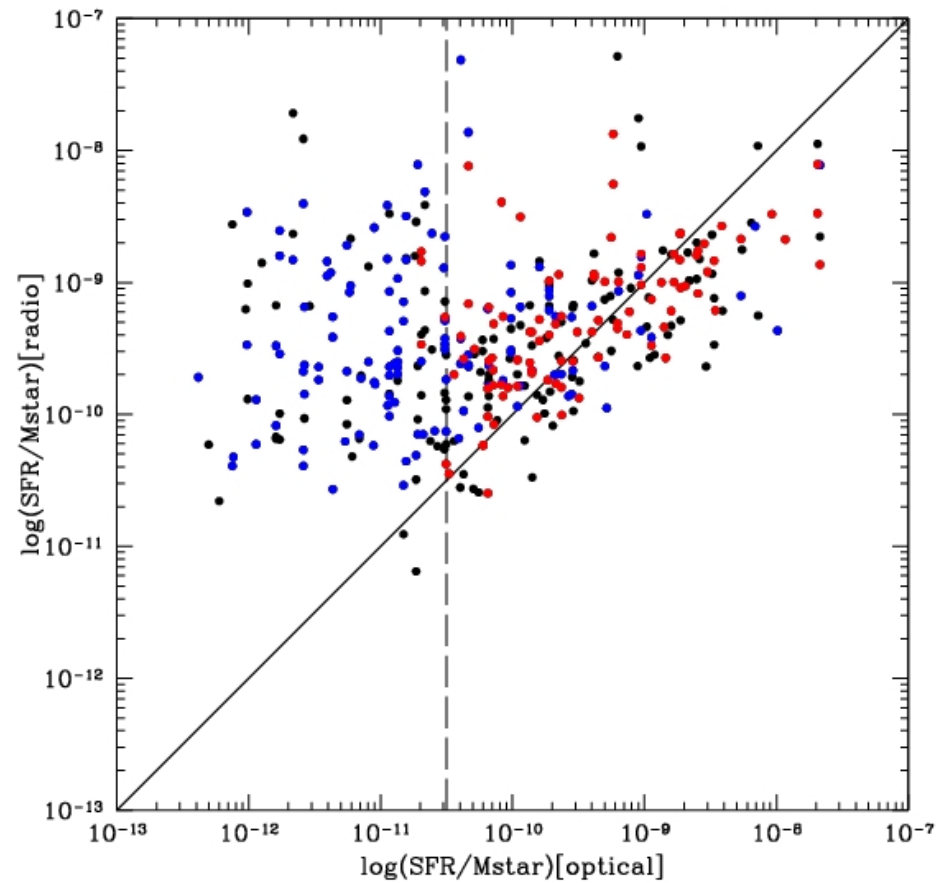






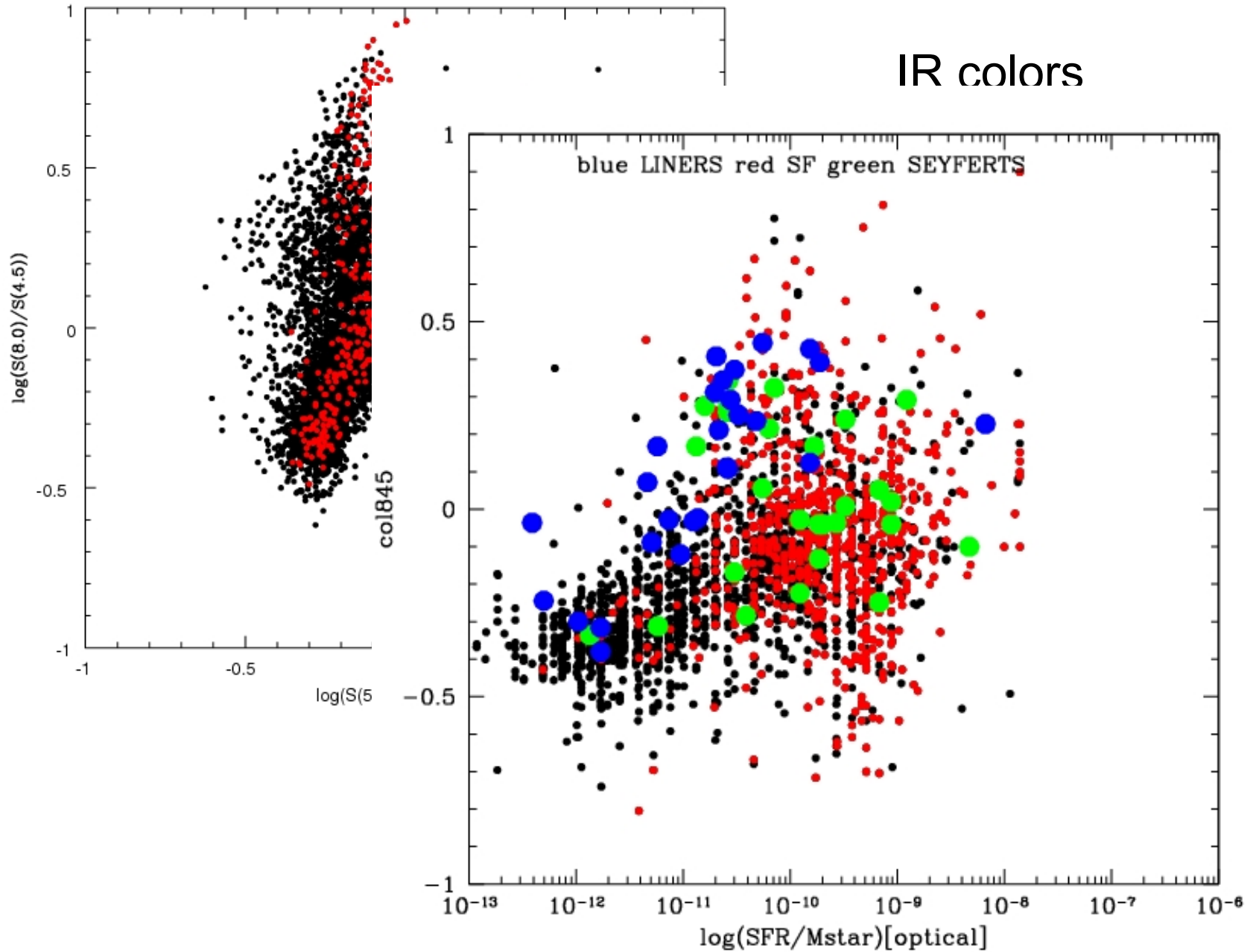
Smolcic et al (2008) Classification

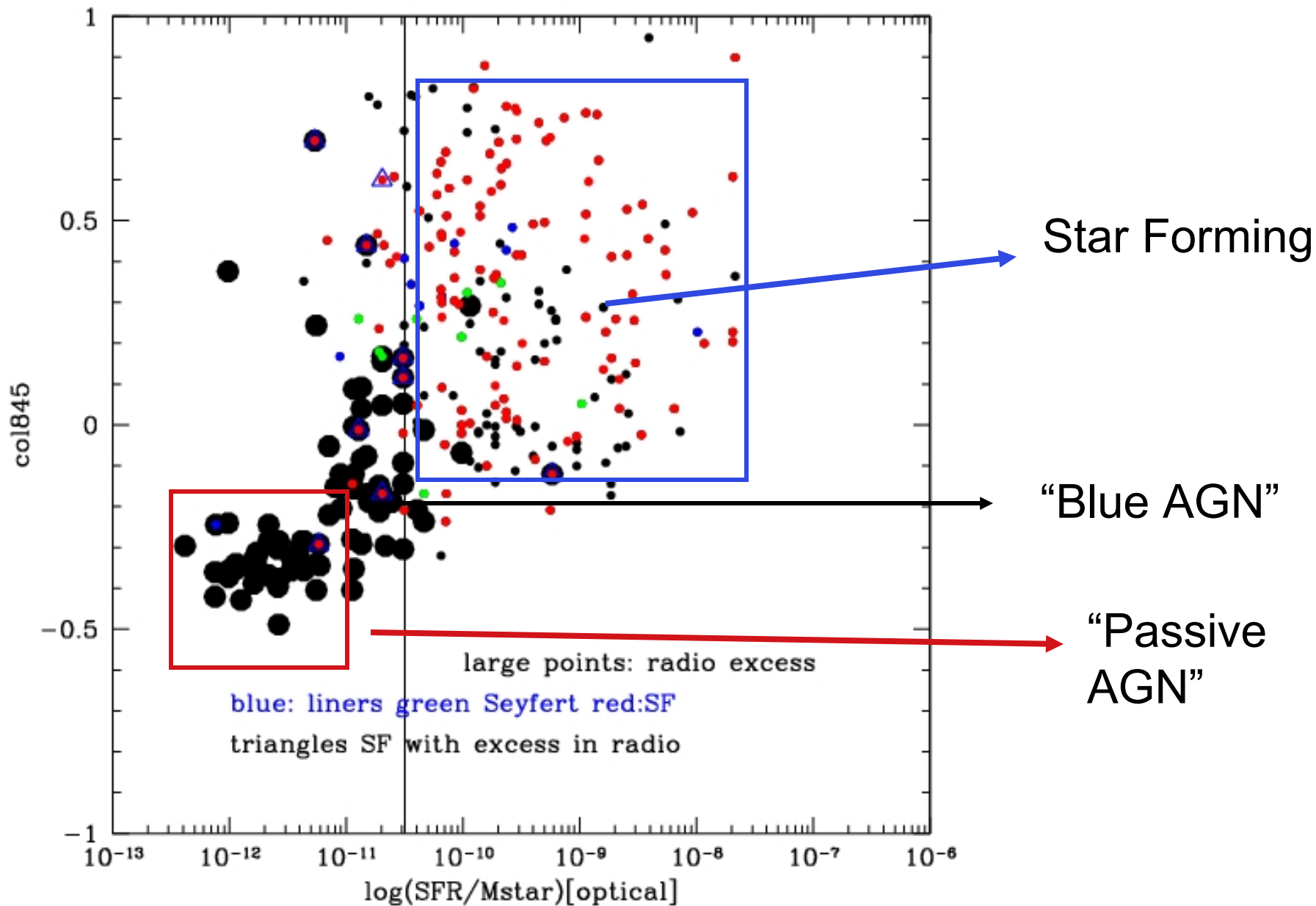
Blue: AGN
Red :SFR



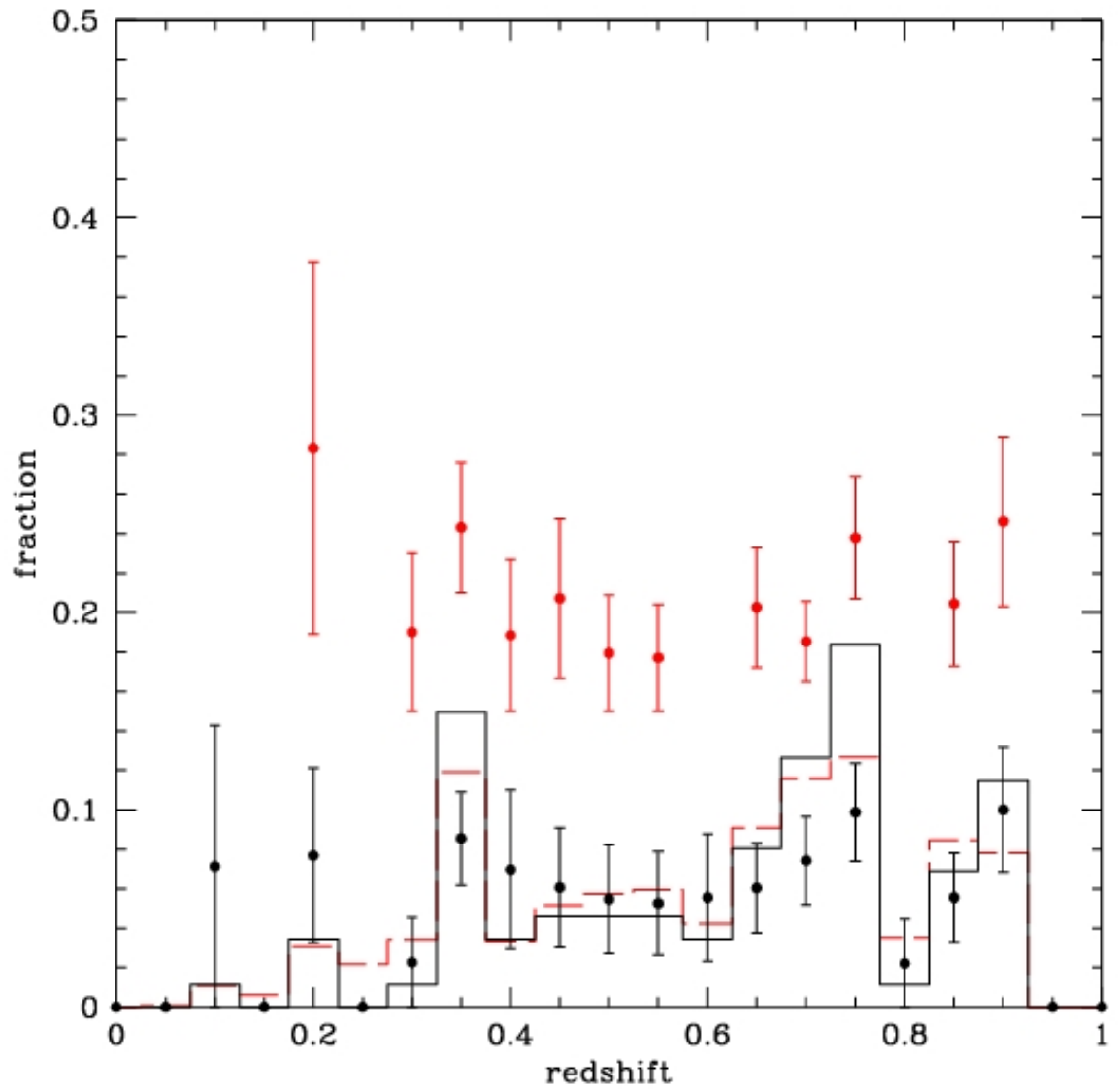
From 129 Smolcic's
AGN 66 are in our
AGN region

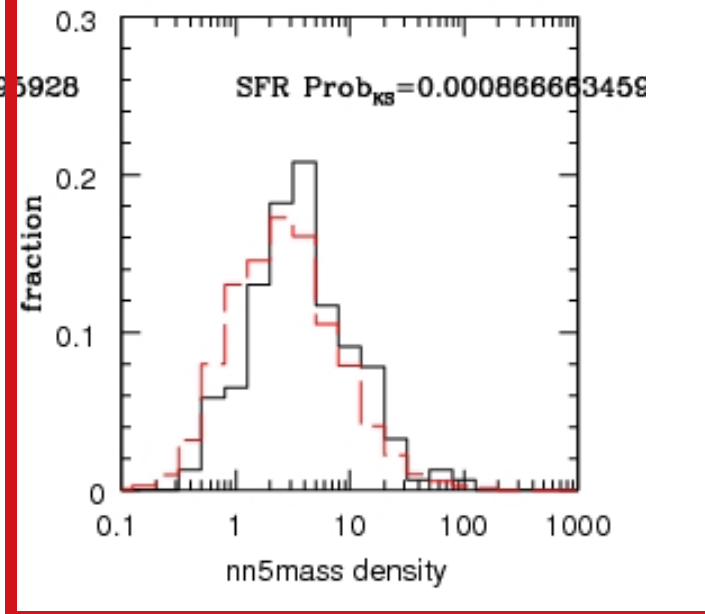
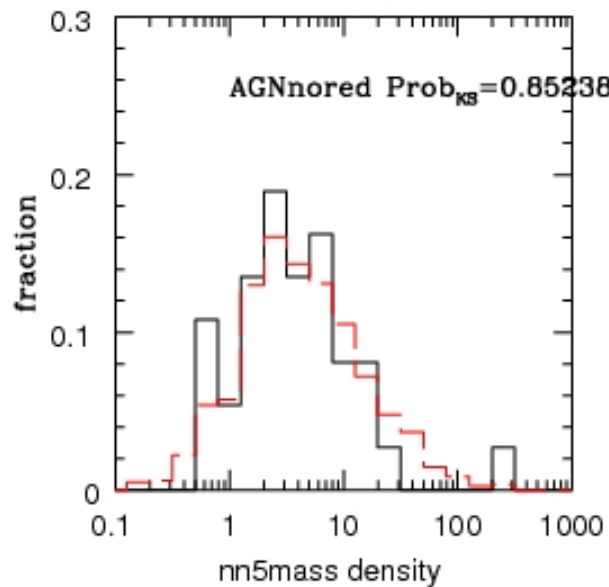
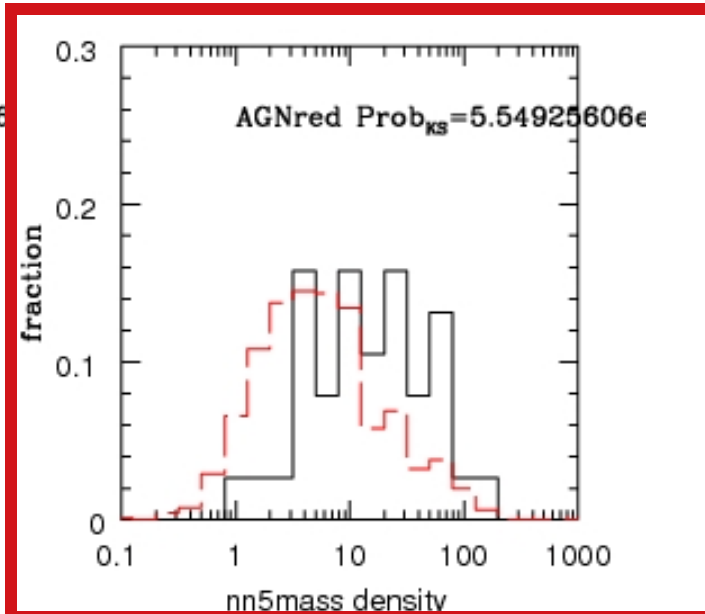
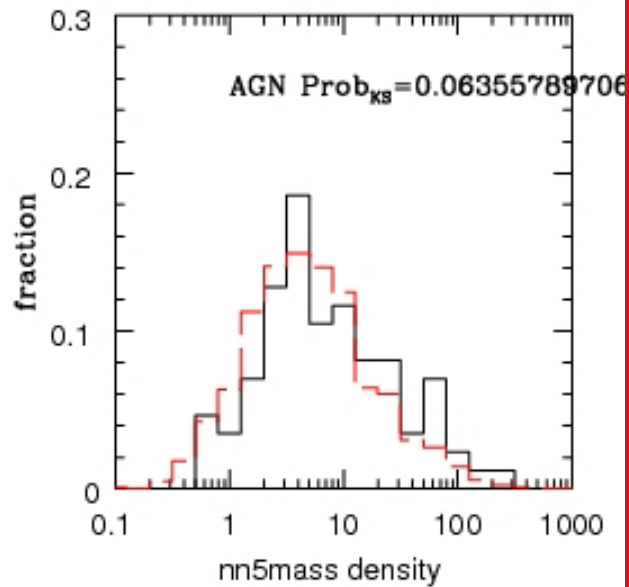
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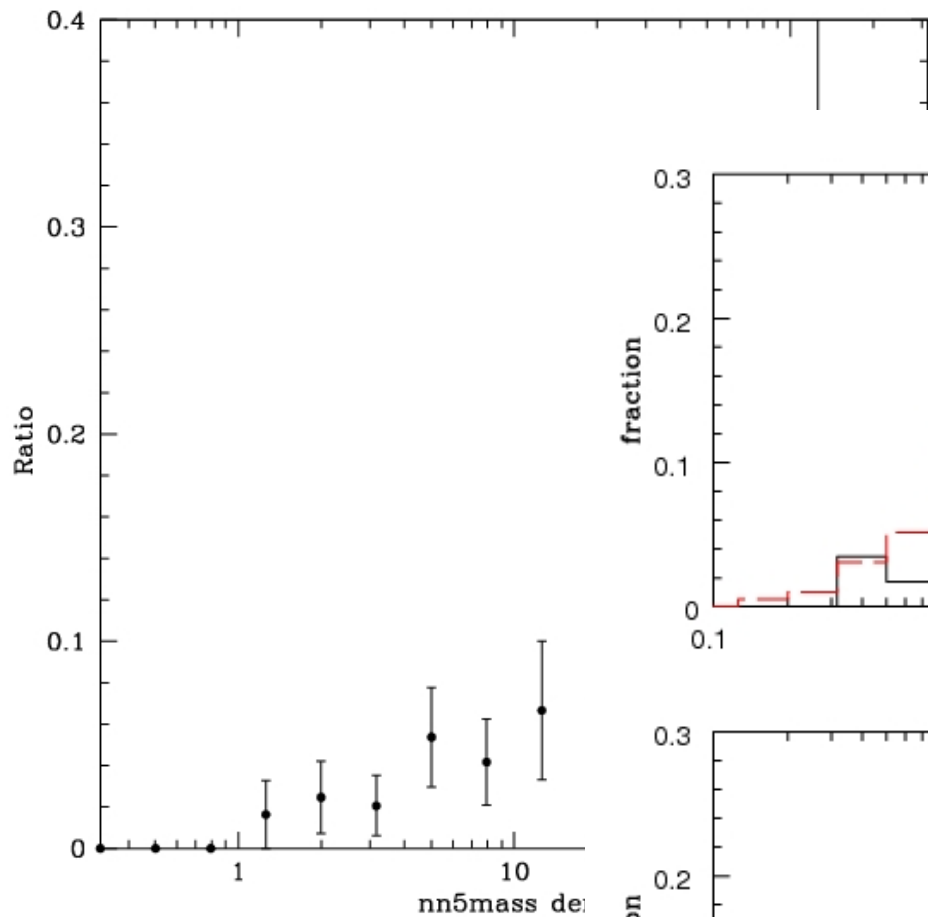




“Passive AGN”

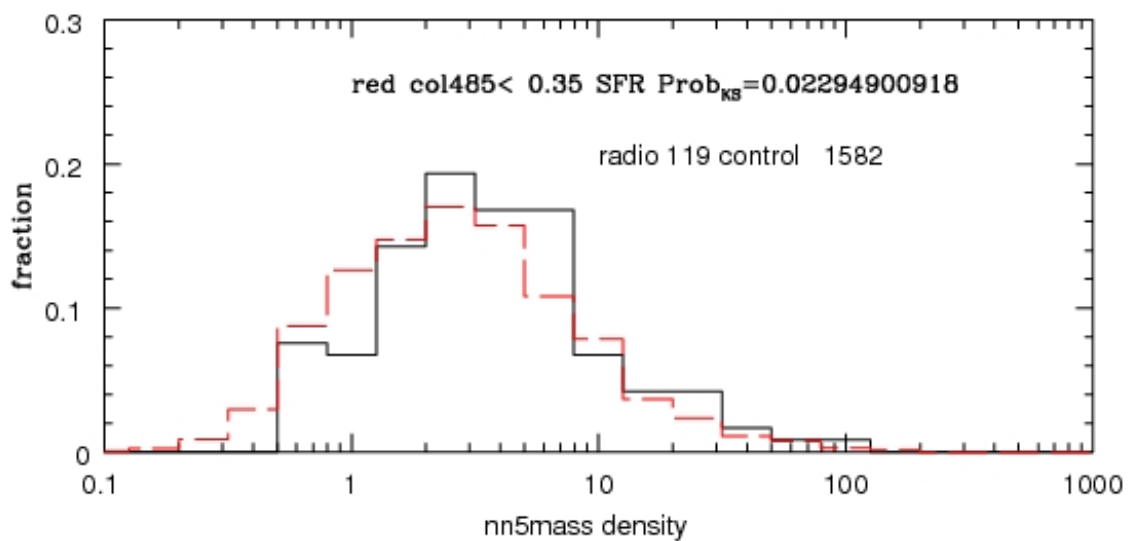
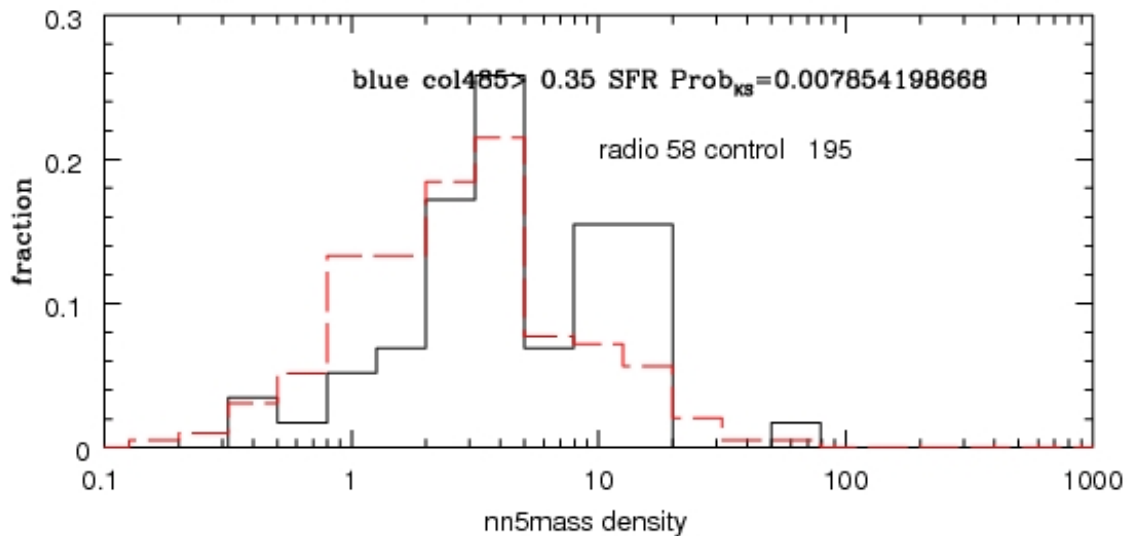






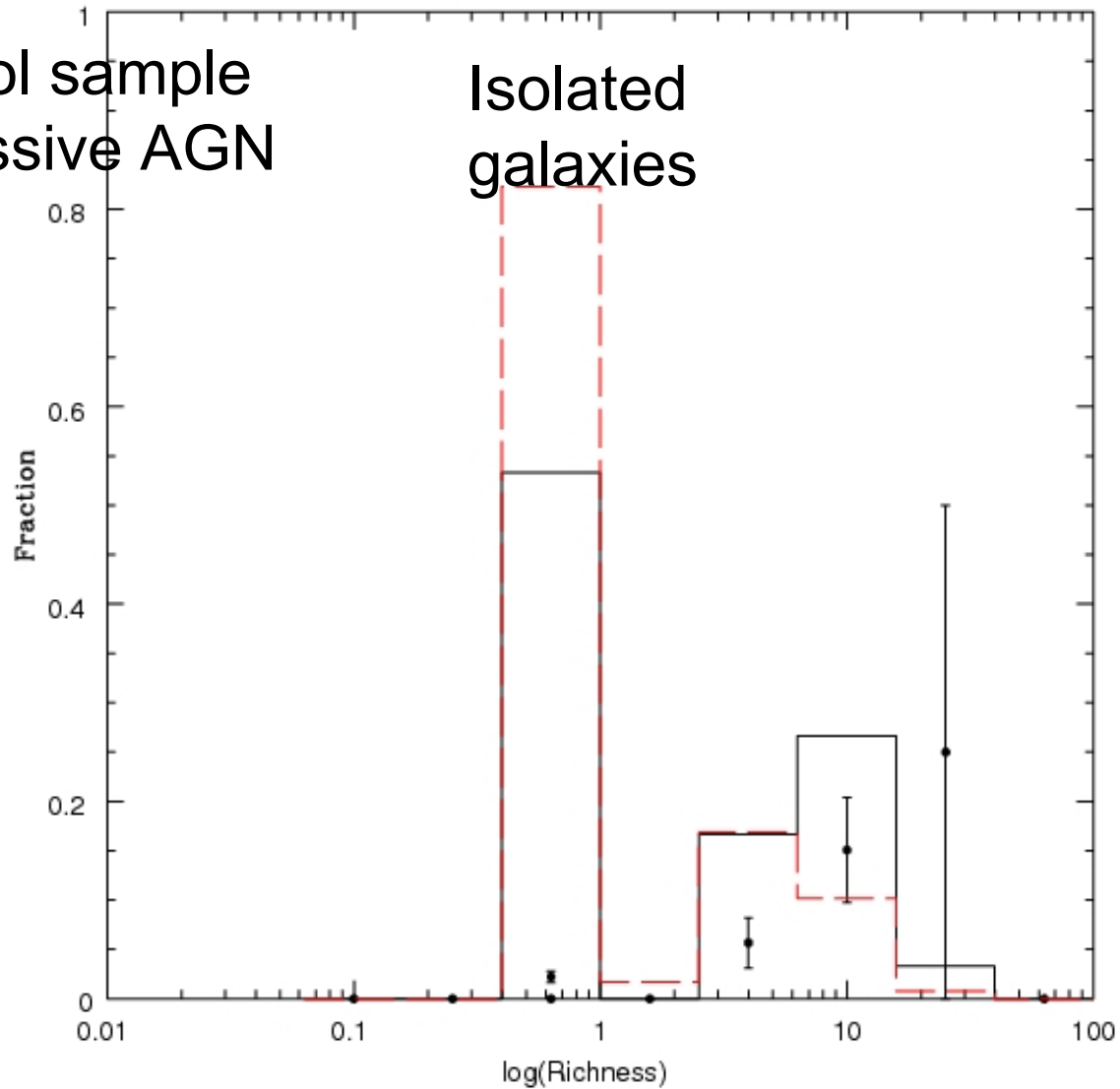
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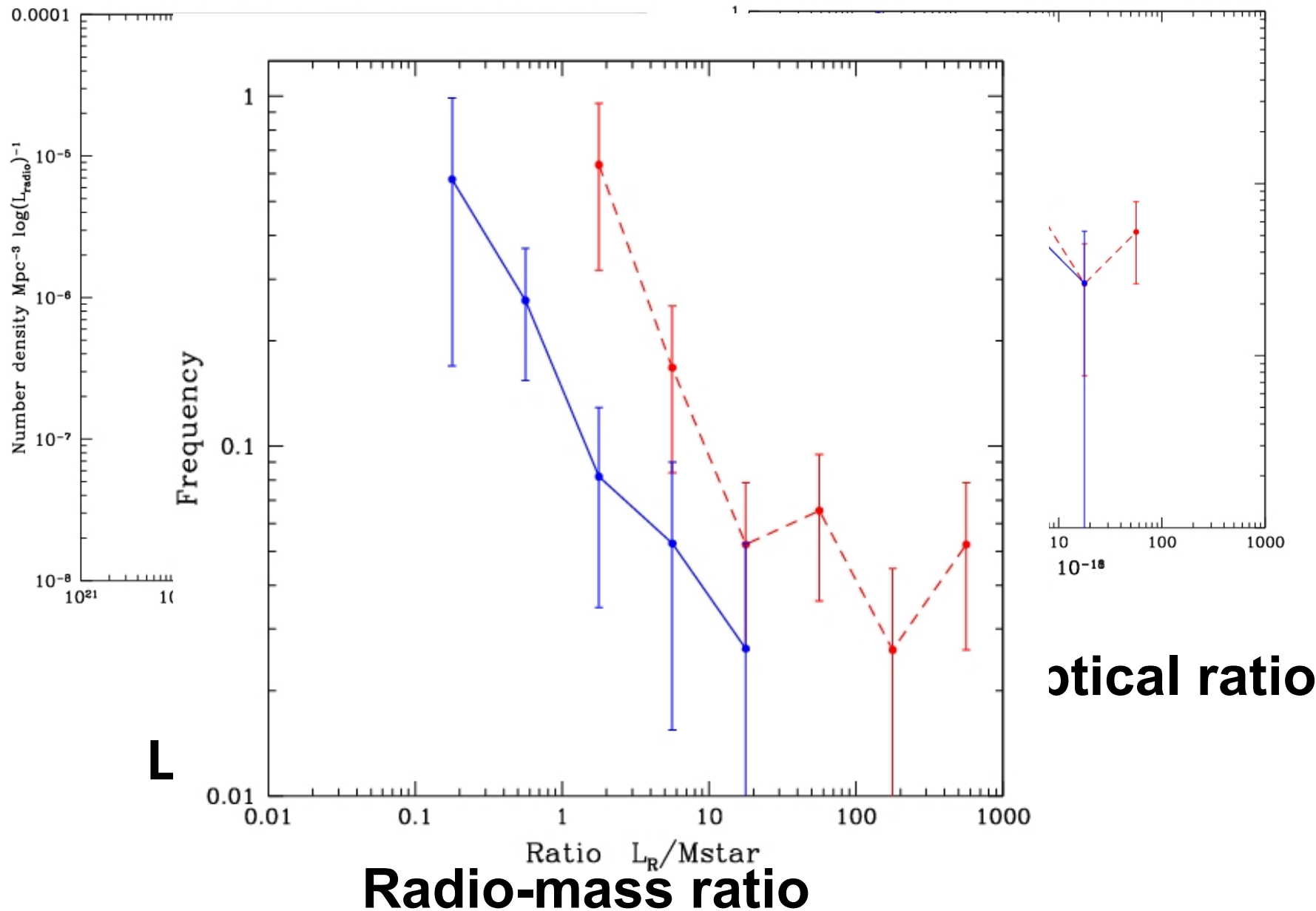
SFR



Groups Multiplicity (Knobel et al. 2008)

Red Control sample
Black : Passive AGN



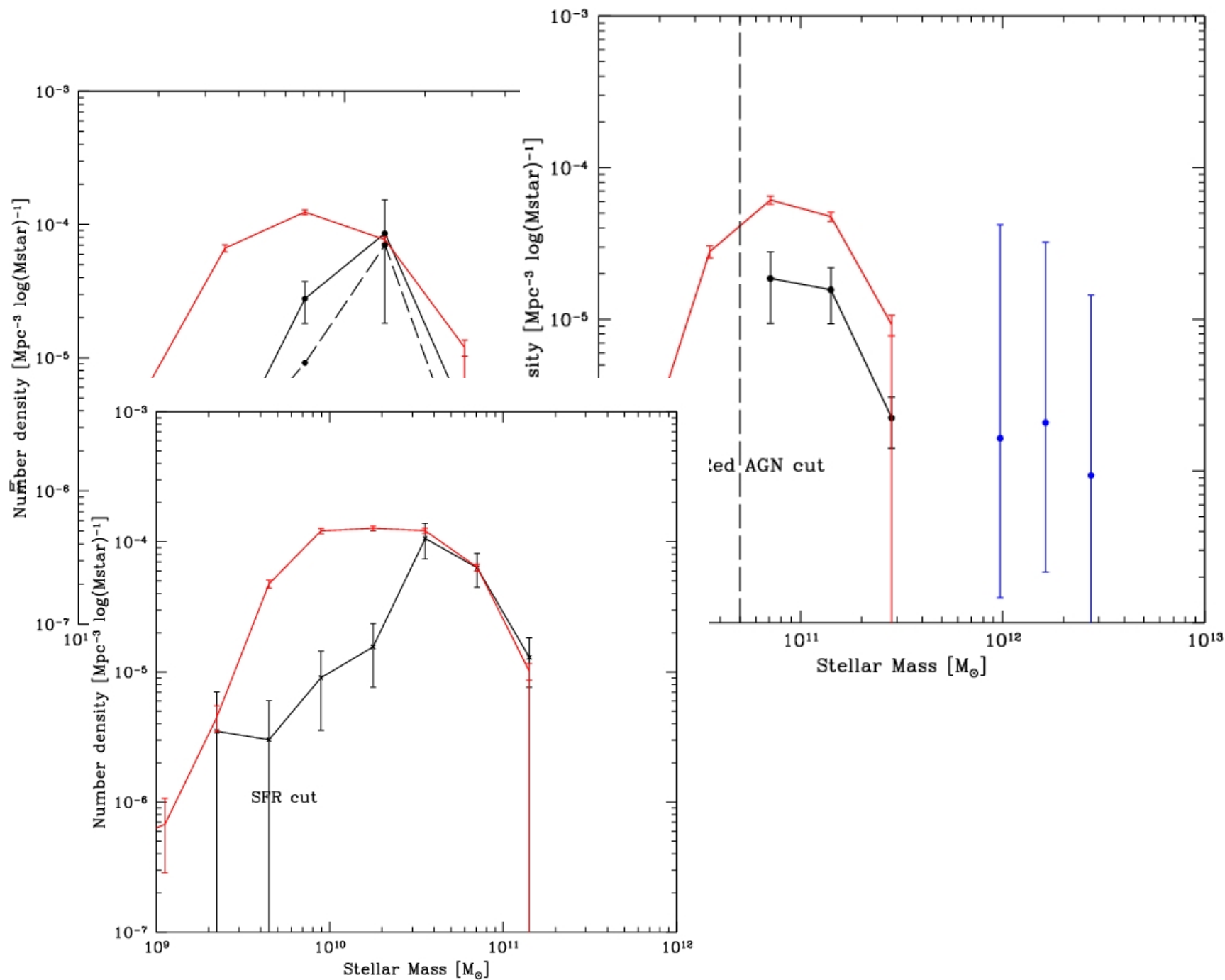


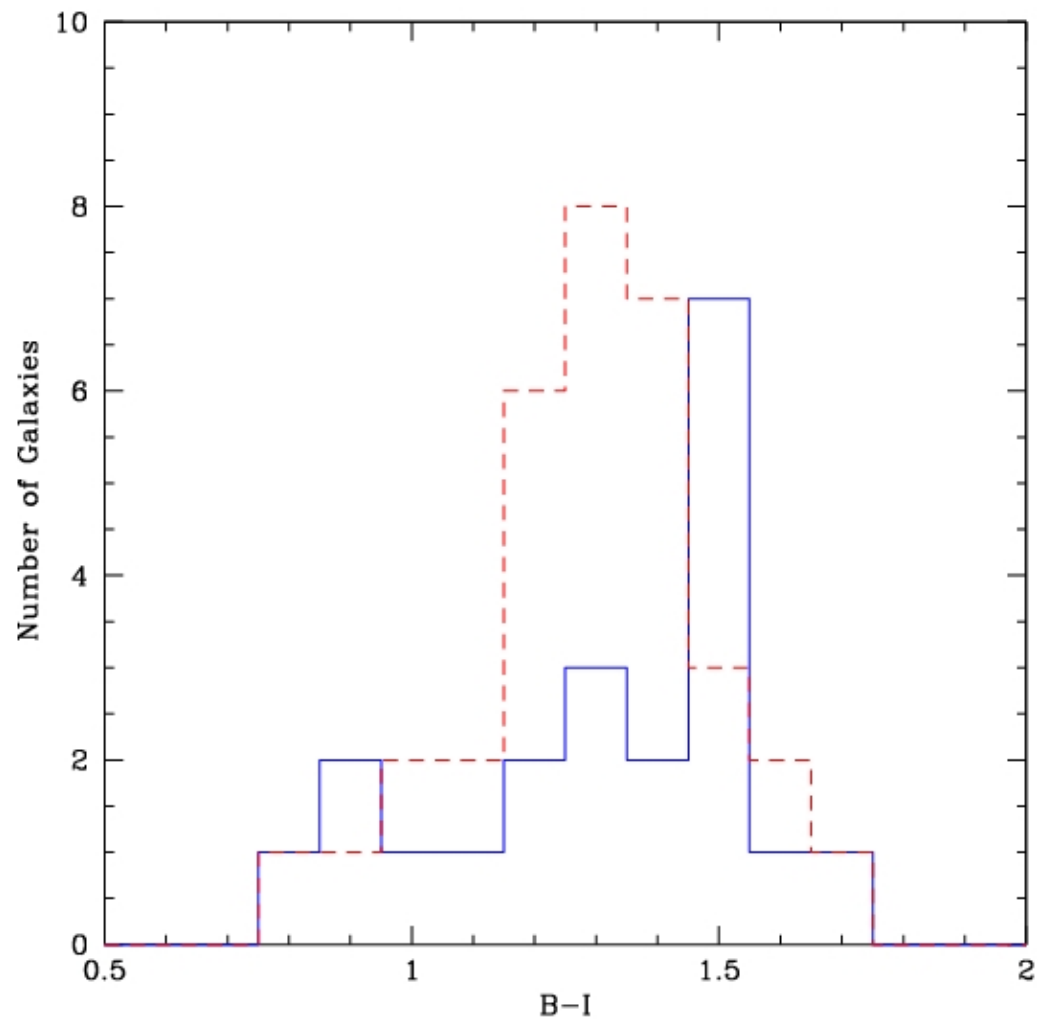
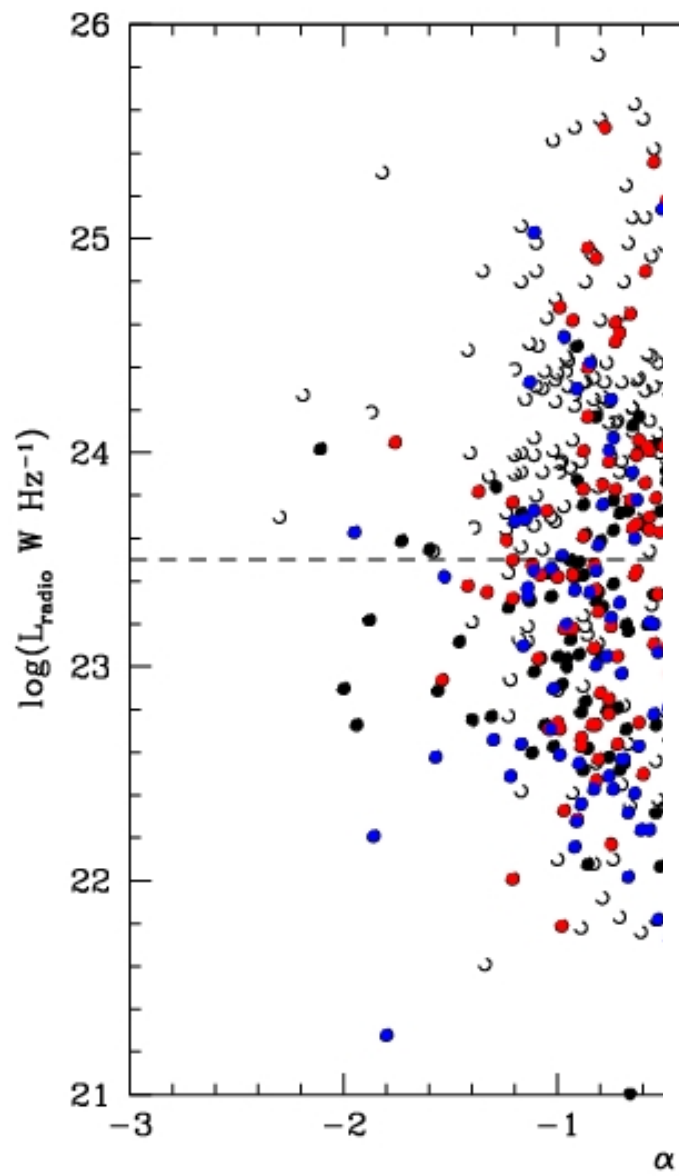
-Only the red “passive” AGN show a density dependency

-In higher environments the ratio between stellar mass and emissivity is higher (higher efficiency or more cooling?)

-Effect also for Star Forming galaxies

END



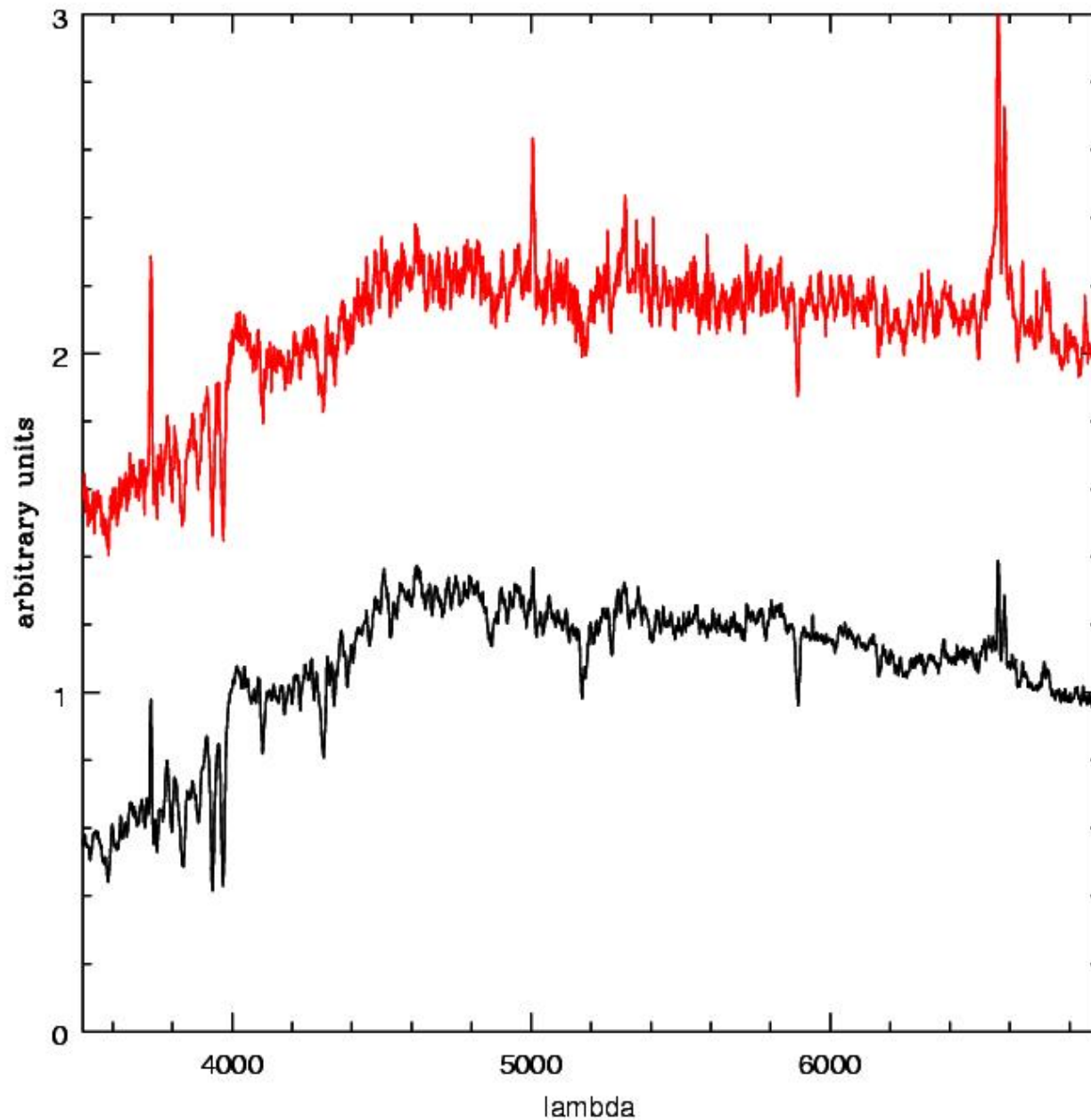


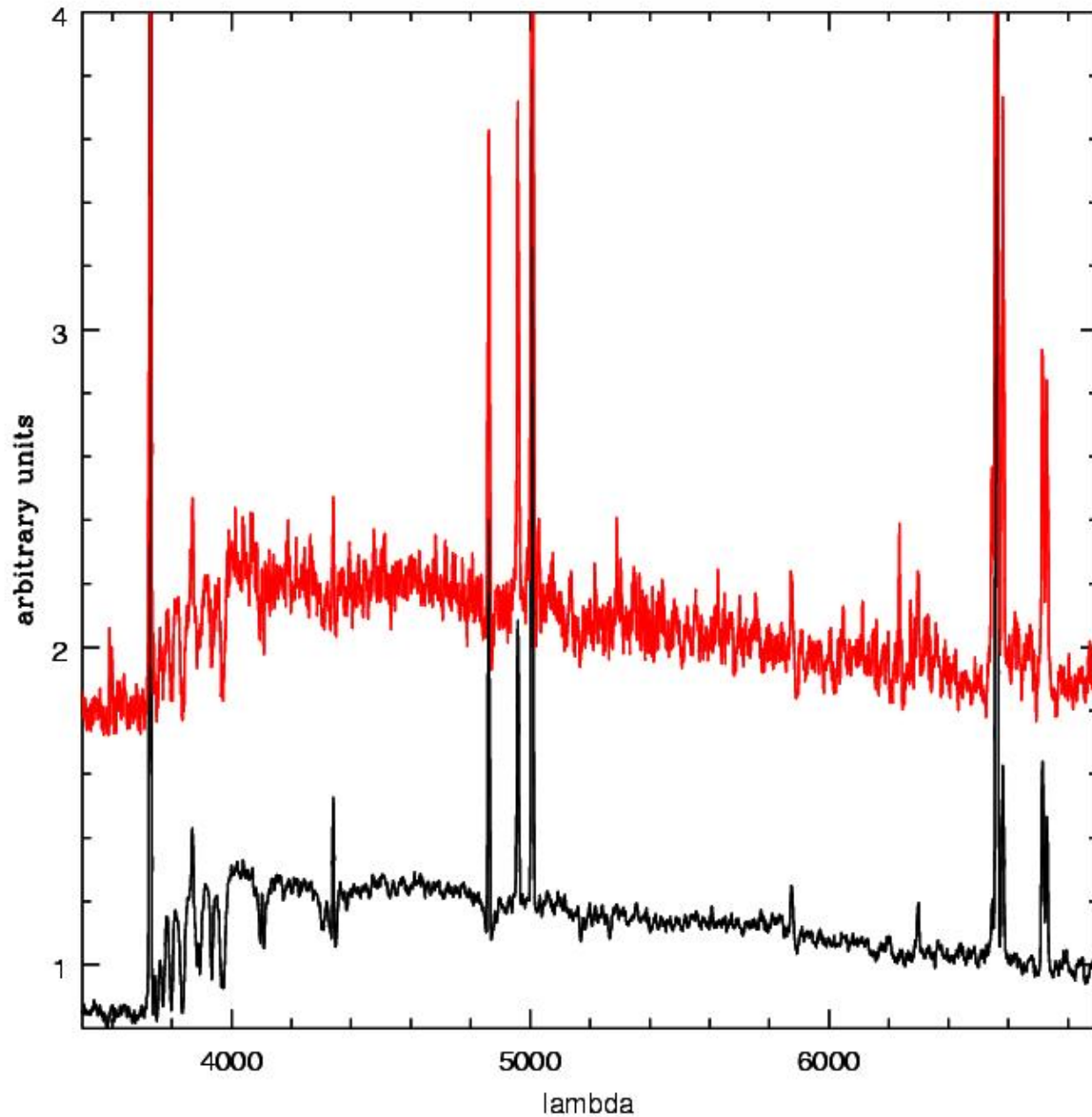
SPECTRA

Early type

Red: radio
emission

Black: Control
Sample

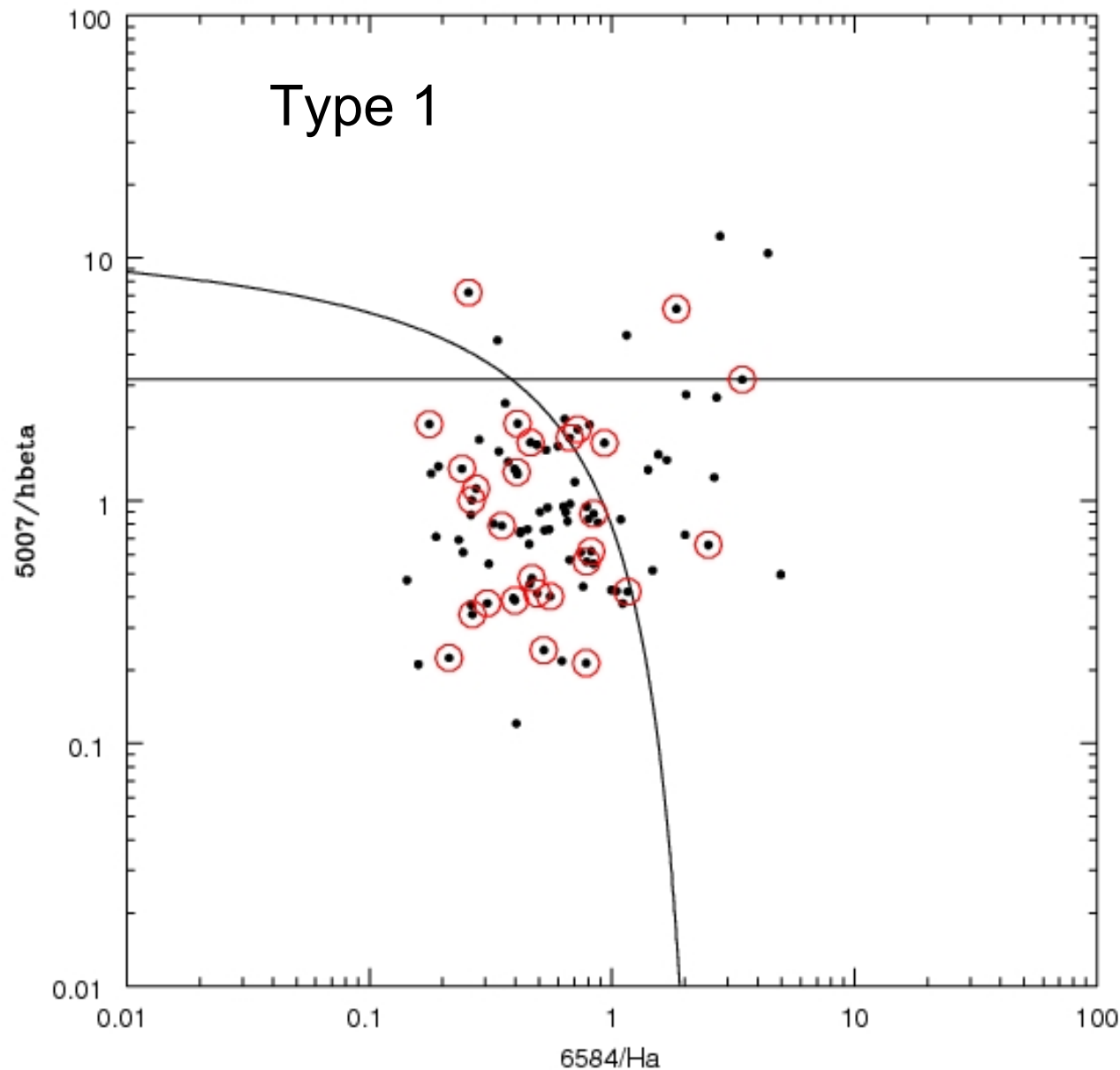




Late type

Red: radio
emission

Black: Control
Sample



91 detected
 1882 all
 (5%)
 Sy (8%-0.4 %)
 Liners (17%-0.8%)
 Star forming
 3.6%
 Radio:
 28 detected
 146 all
 (20%)

 Sy (7%-1.4 %)
 Liners (14%-3%)
 Star forming
 13%

TYPE 1

RADIO SAMPLE

CONTROL SAMPLE

73

879

SF 18% ± 4

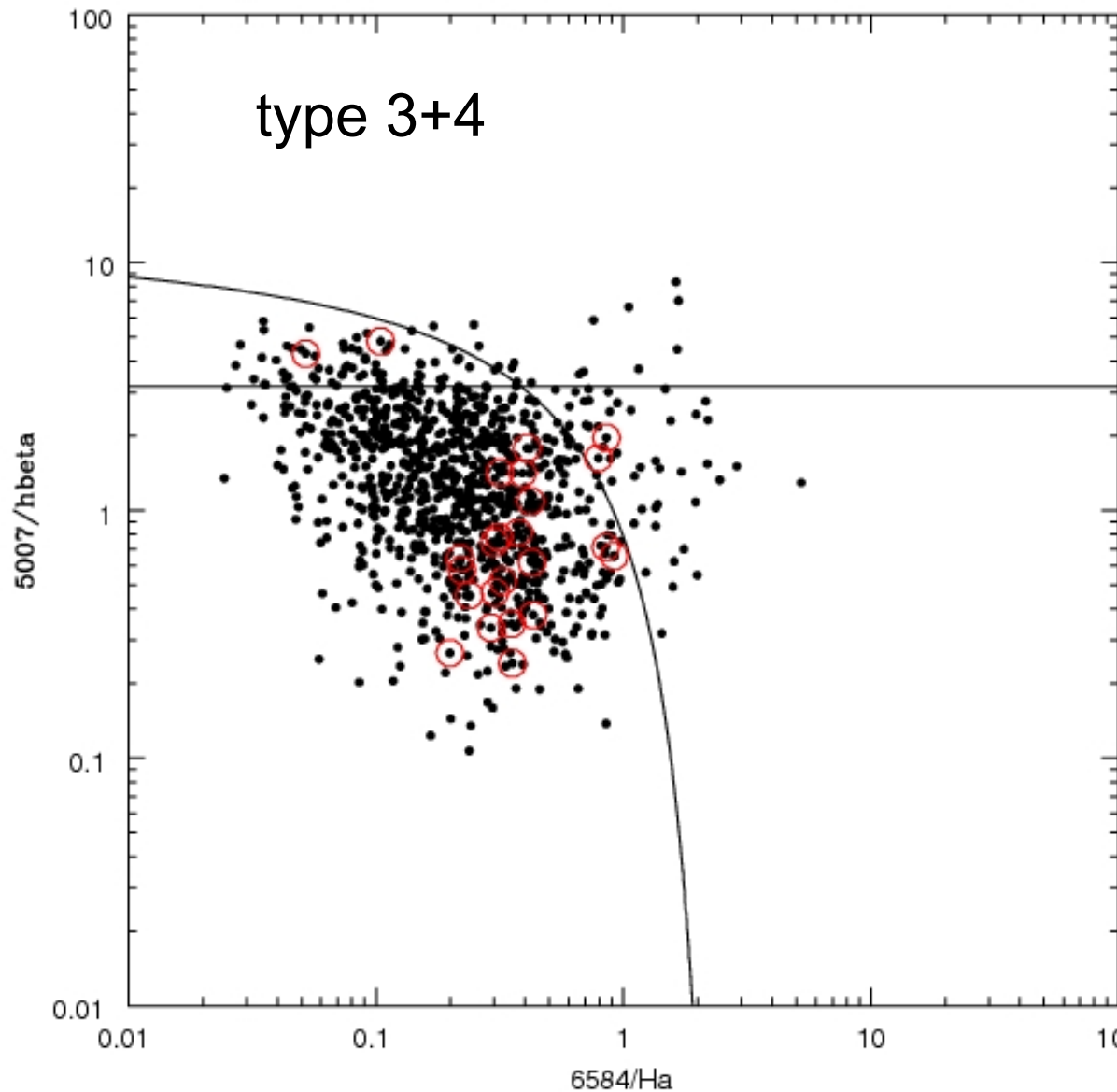
6% ± 0.4

Sey2 5% ± 2

1% ± 0.3

LINER 5 % ± 2

2% ± 0.4



988 detected

4417 all

(22 %)

Sy (1.7 %-0.4 %)

Liners (4.5 %-0.4 %)

SF

(94 %)

Radio

25 detected

73 all

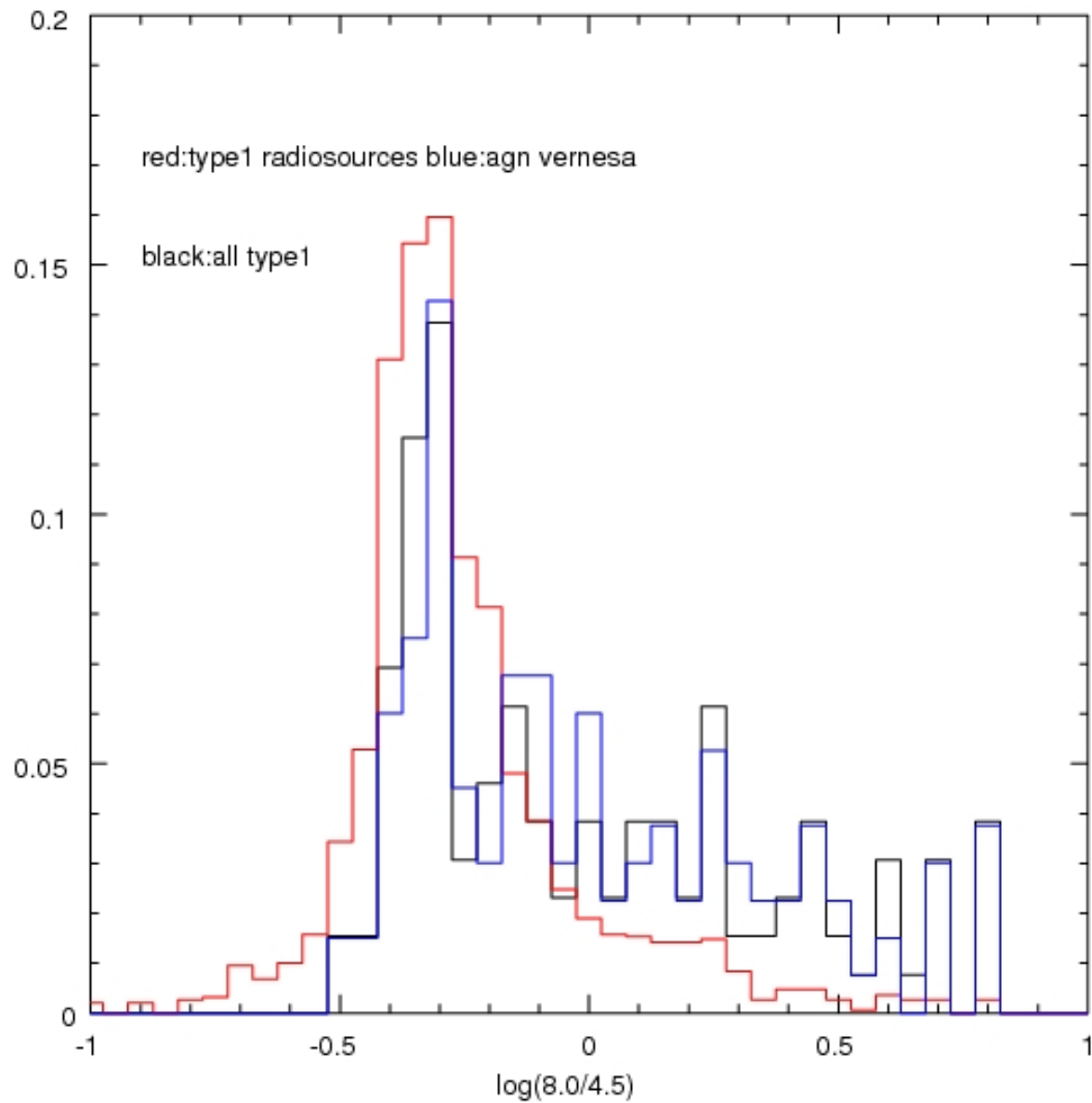
(34 %)

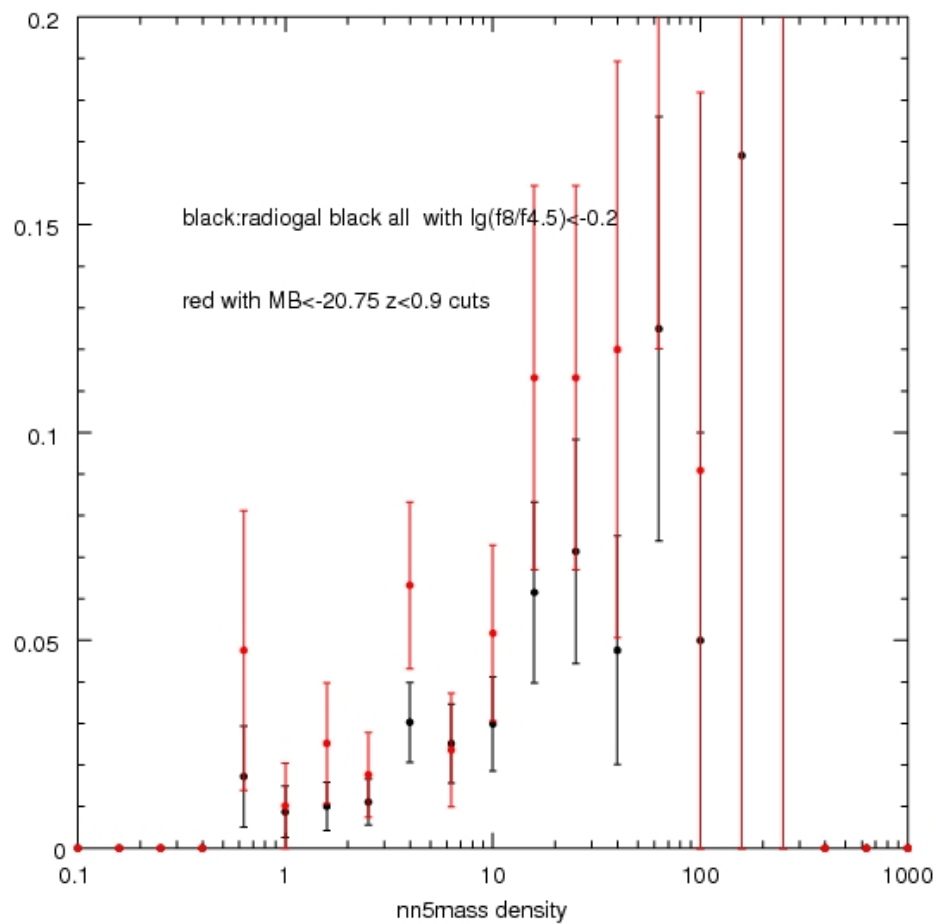
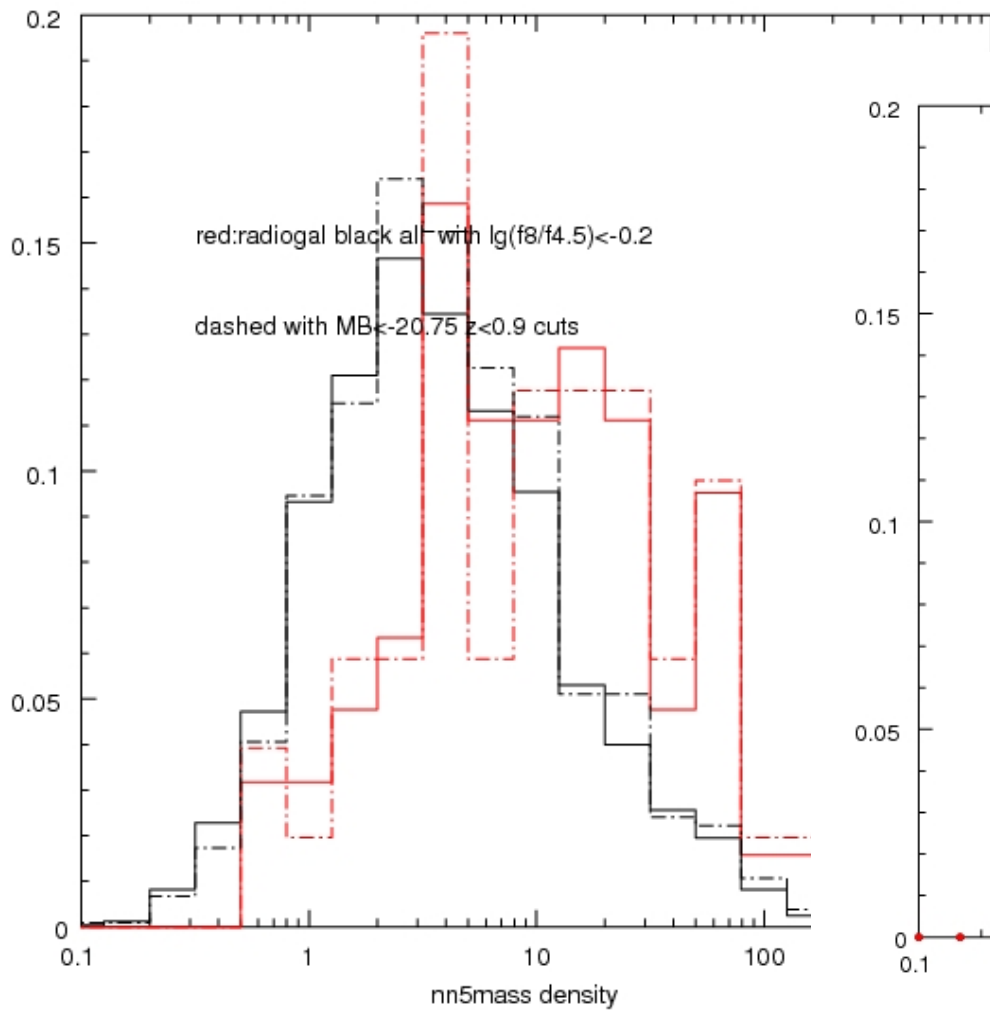
Sy none

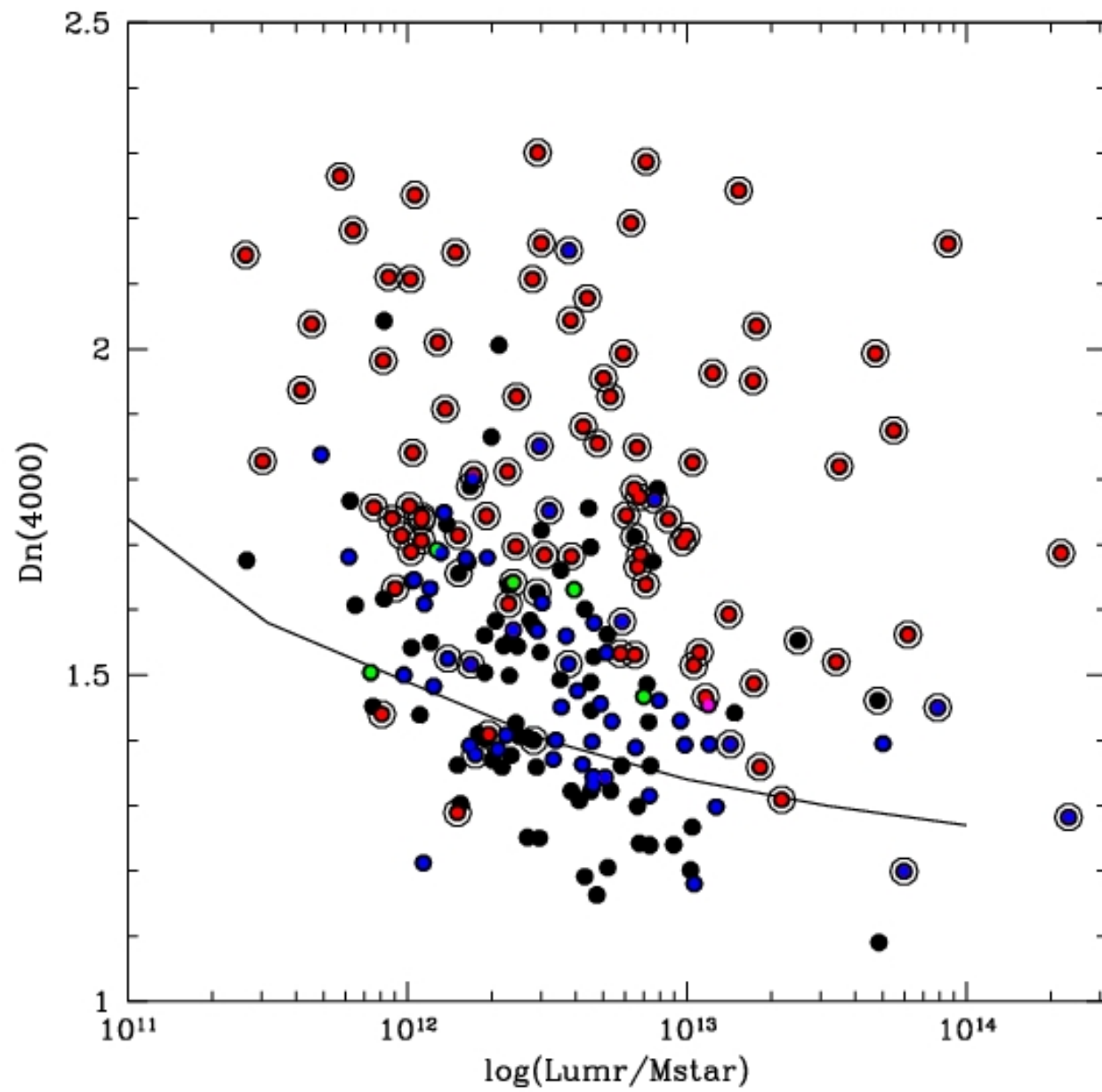
Liners (8 %-2.7 %)

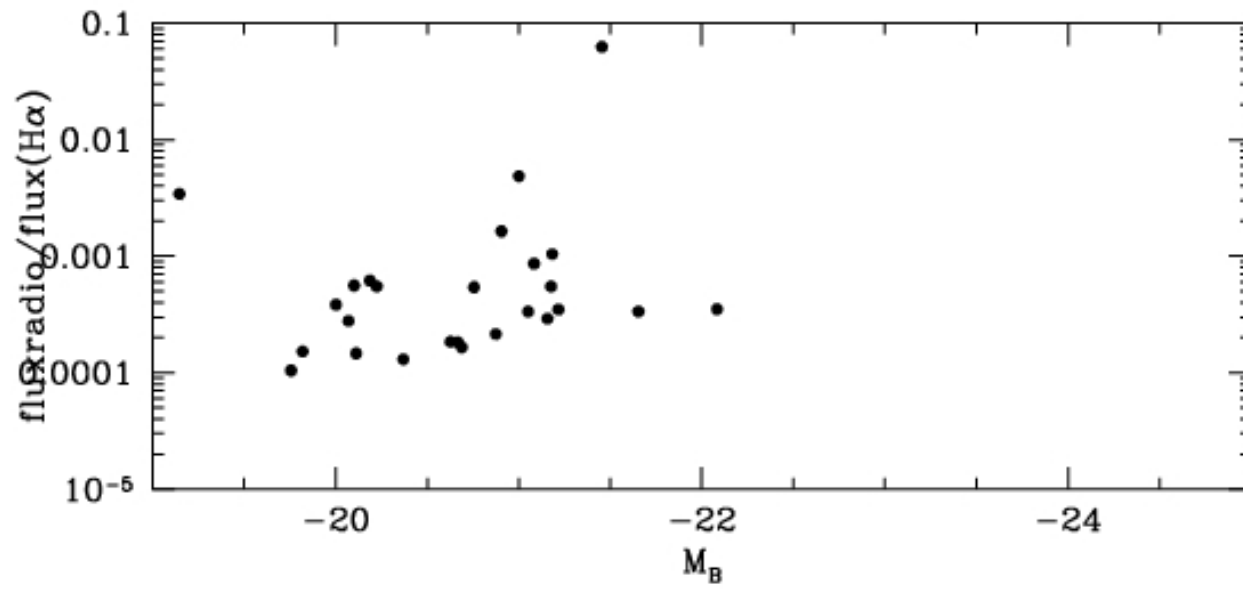
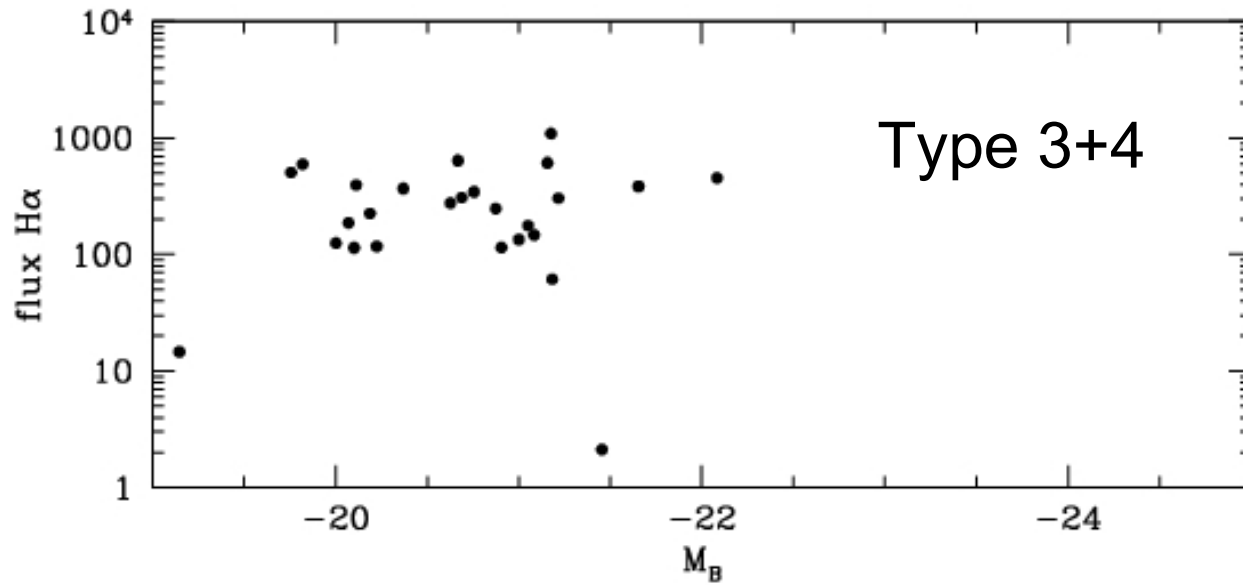
SF

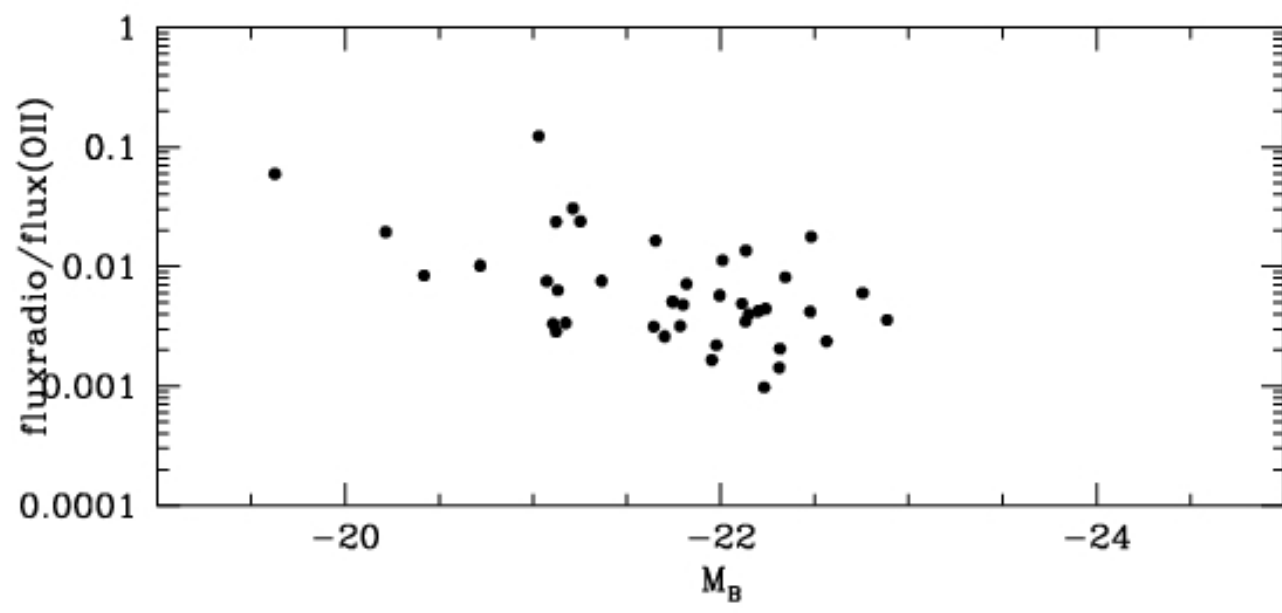
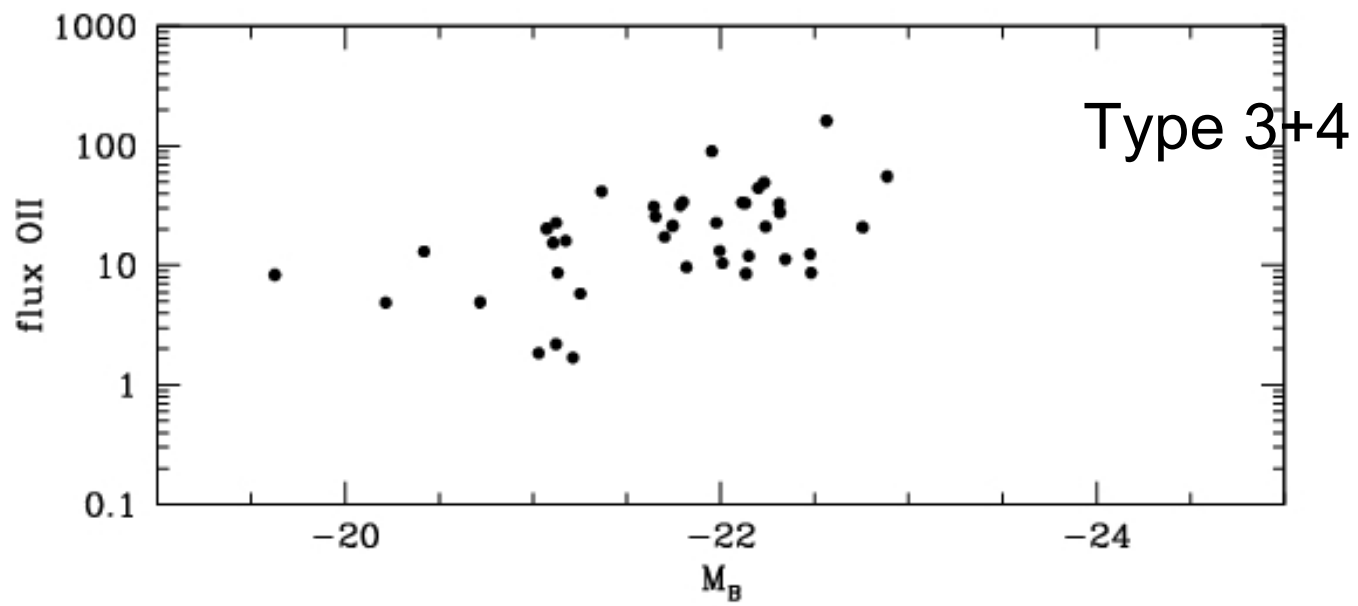
(92 %)

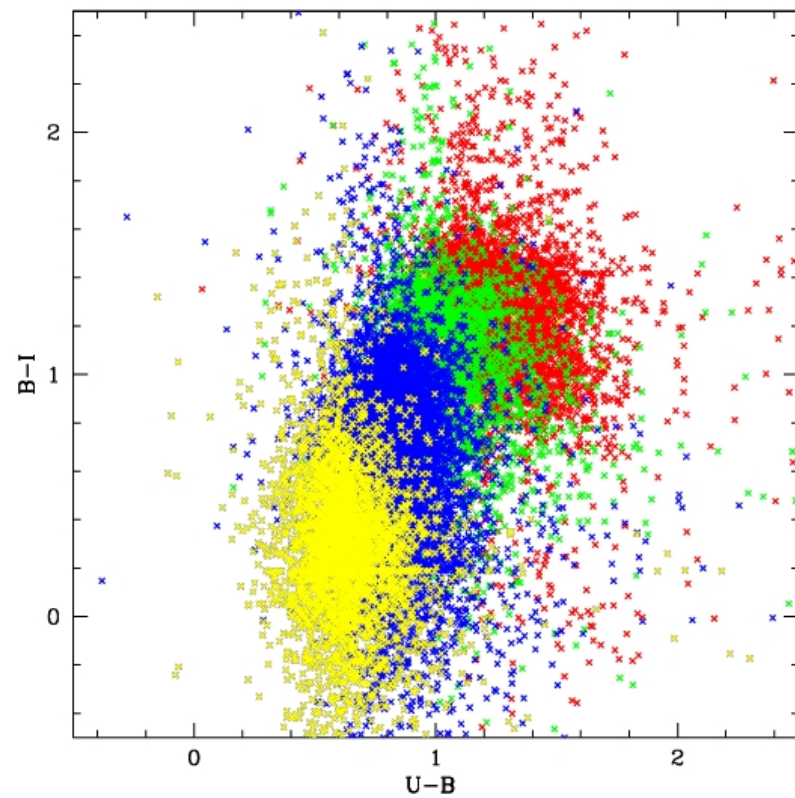
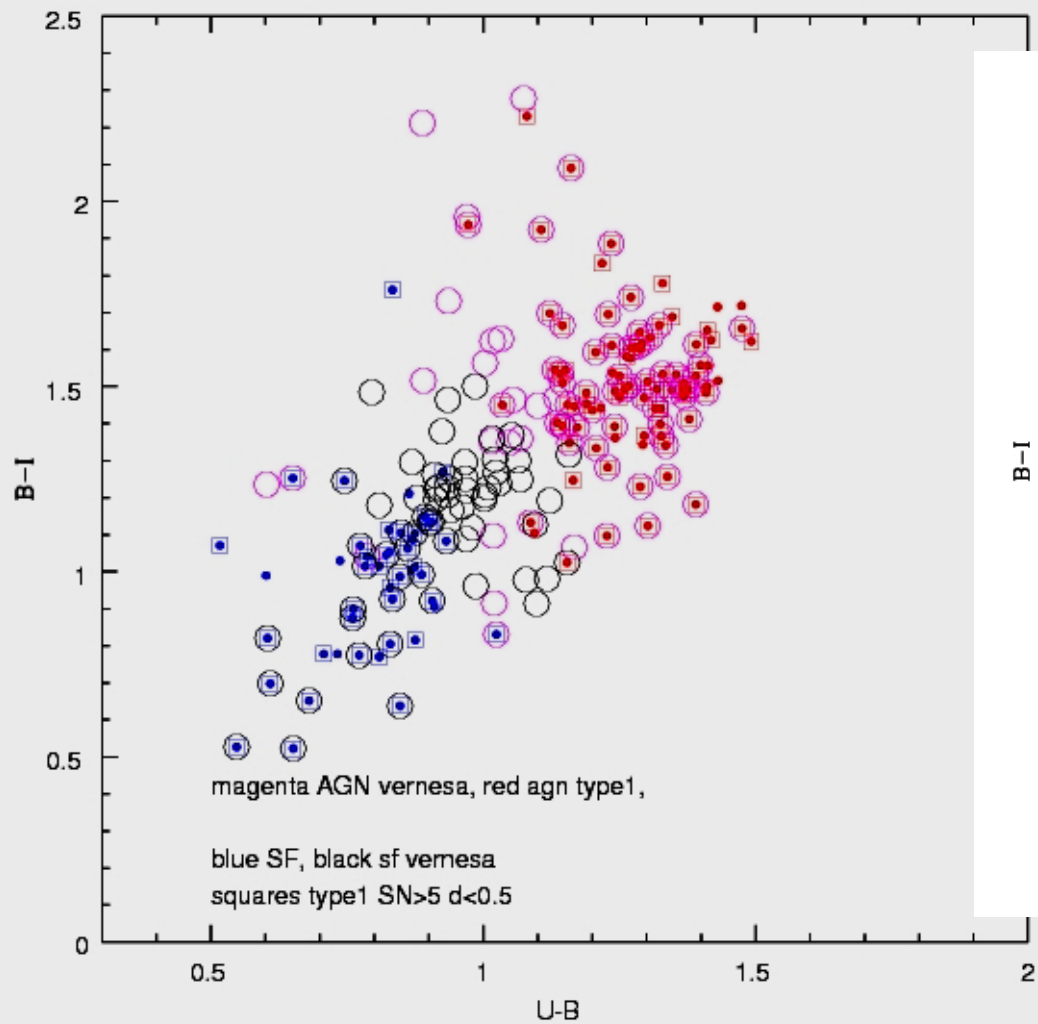


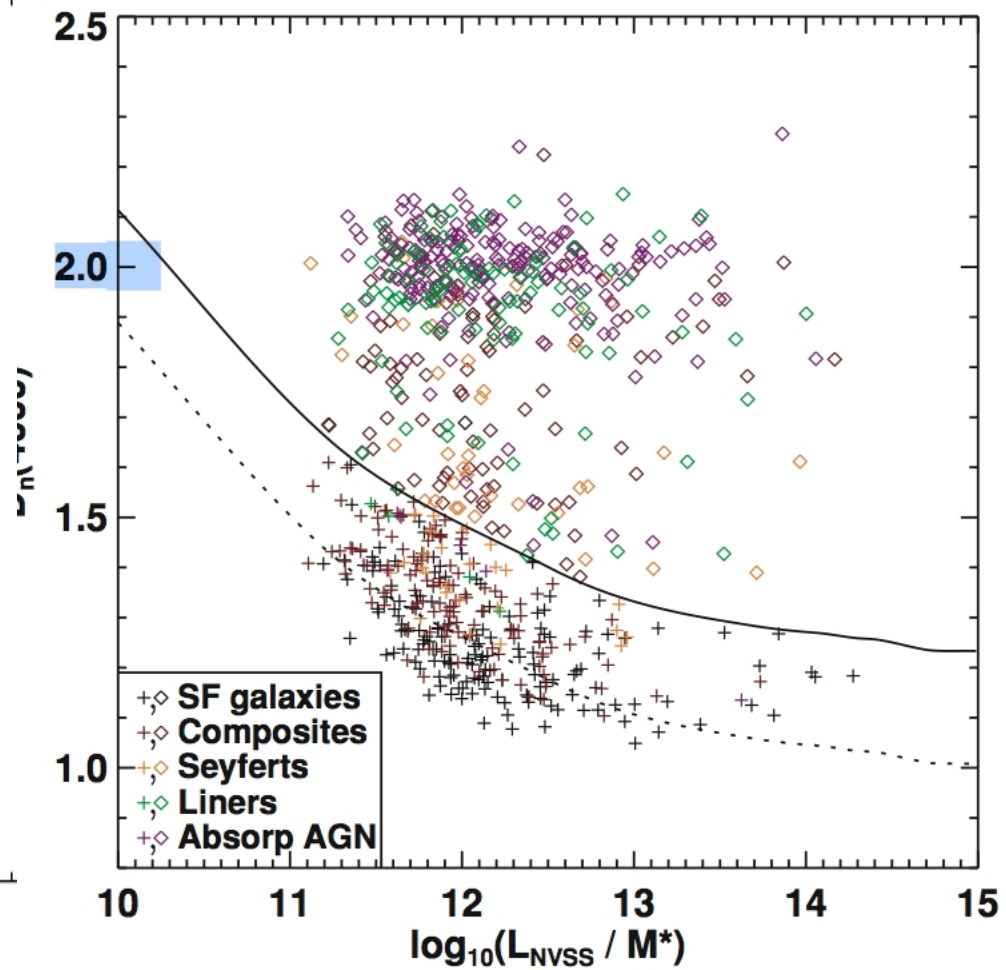
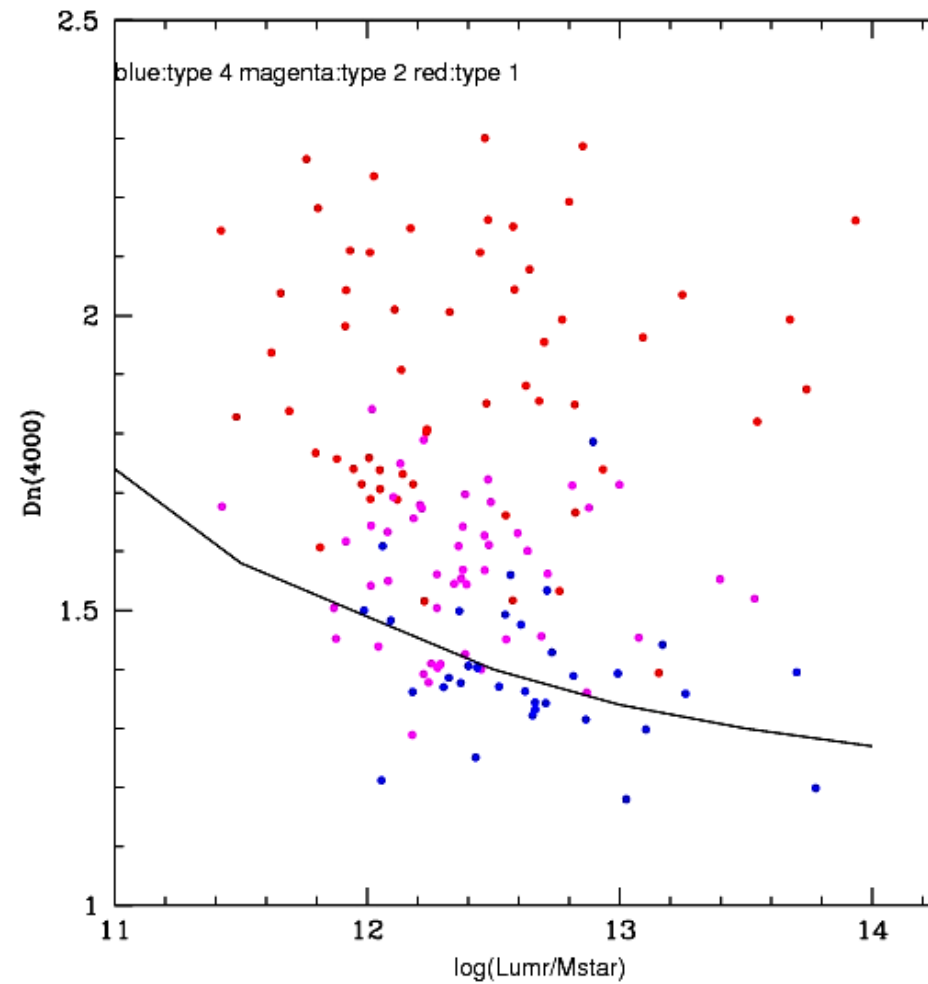




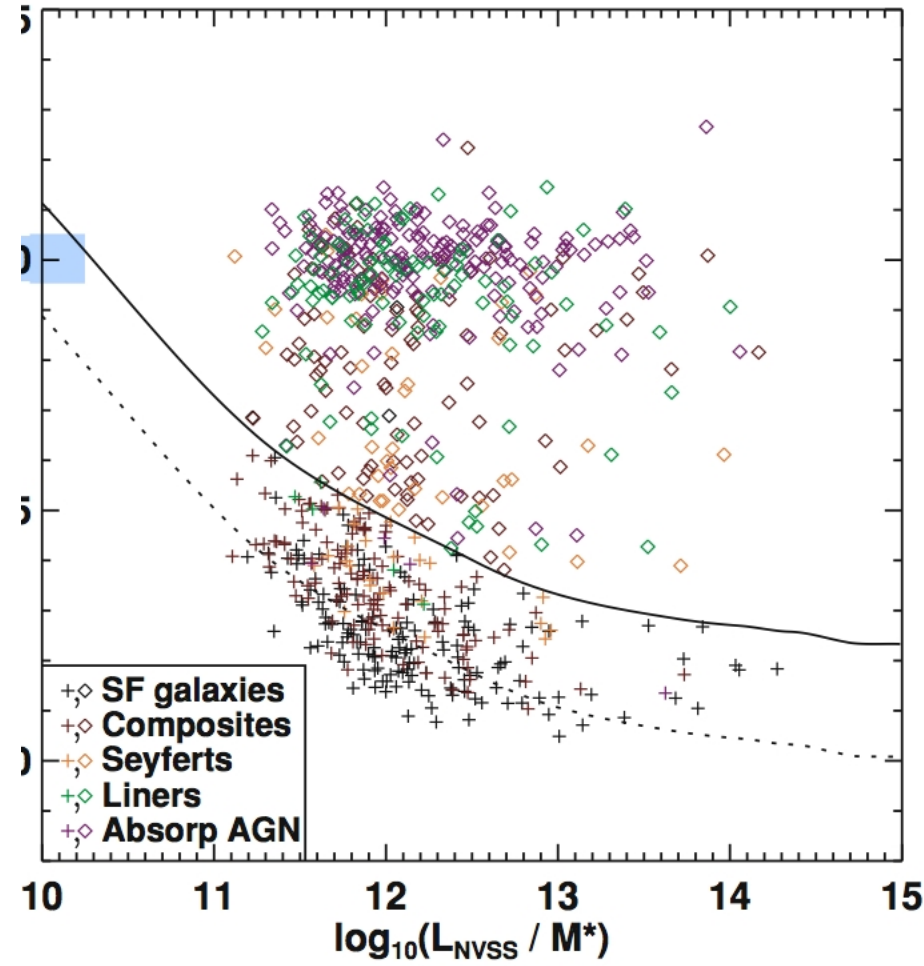
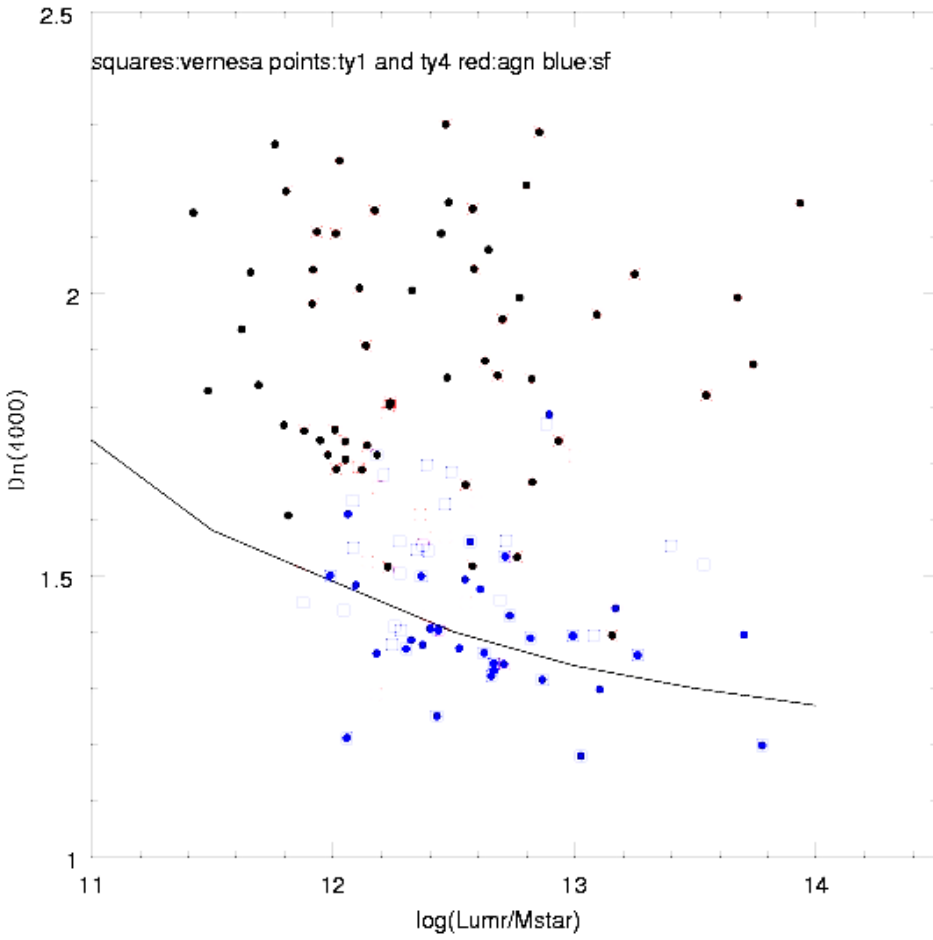




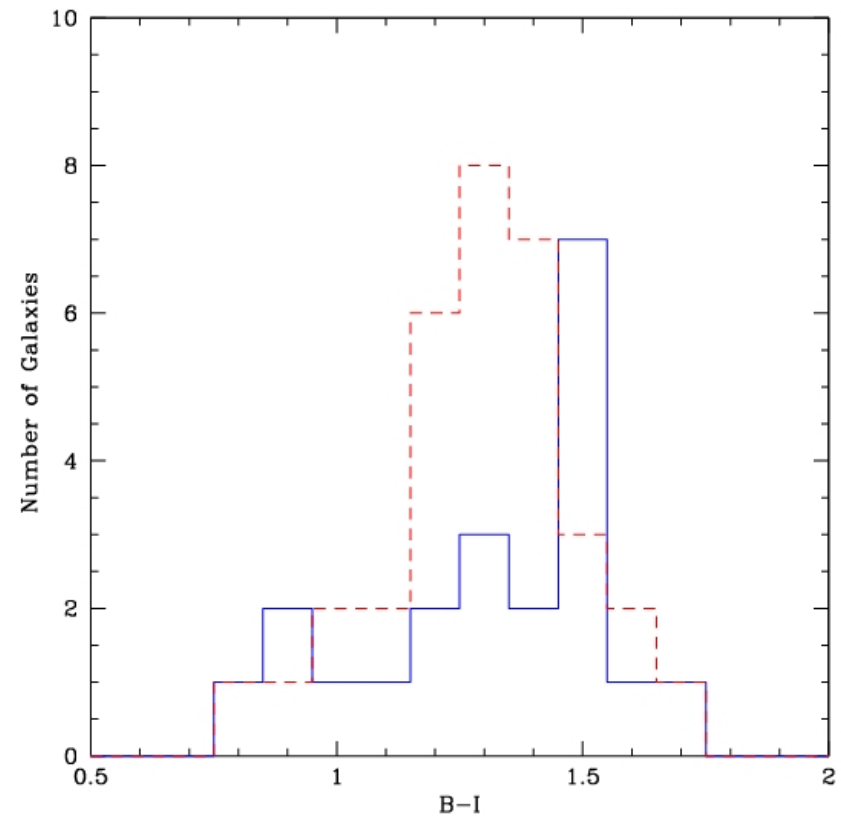
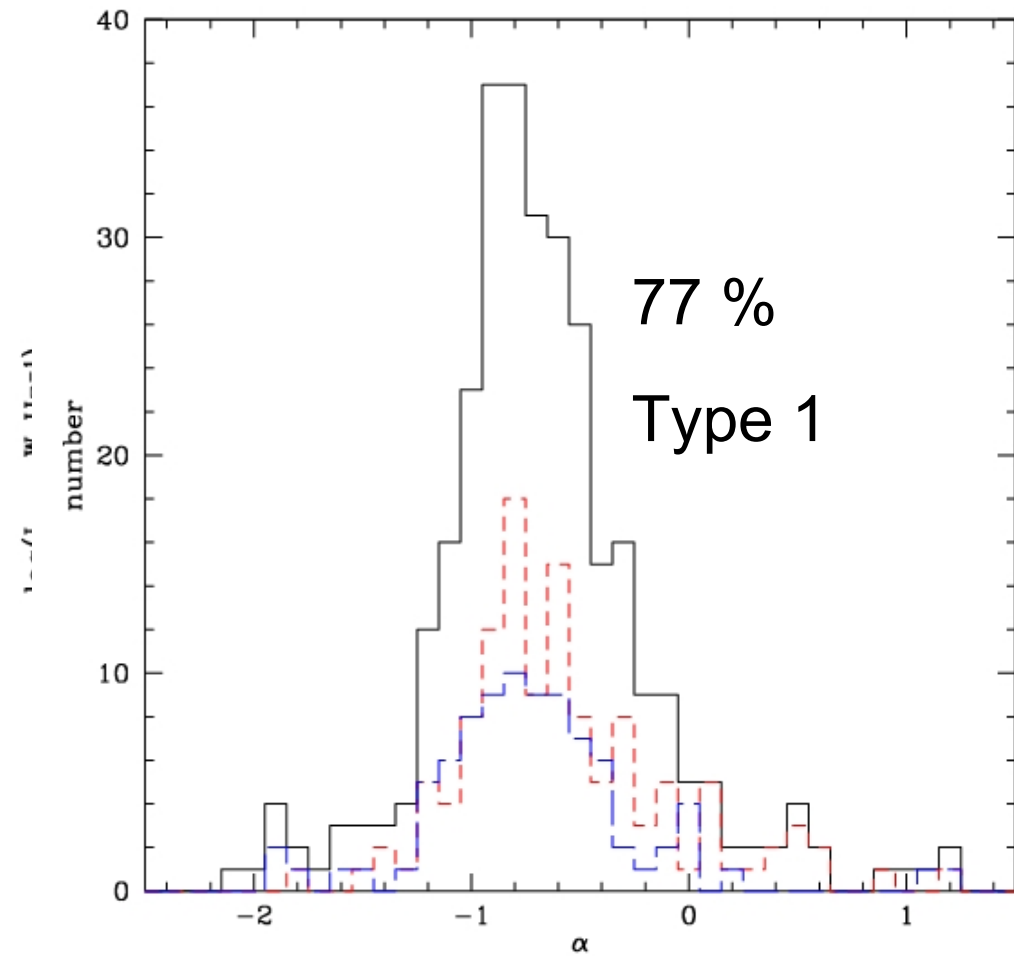




Best et al
(2005)

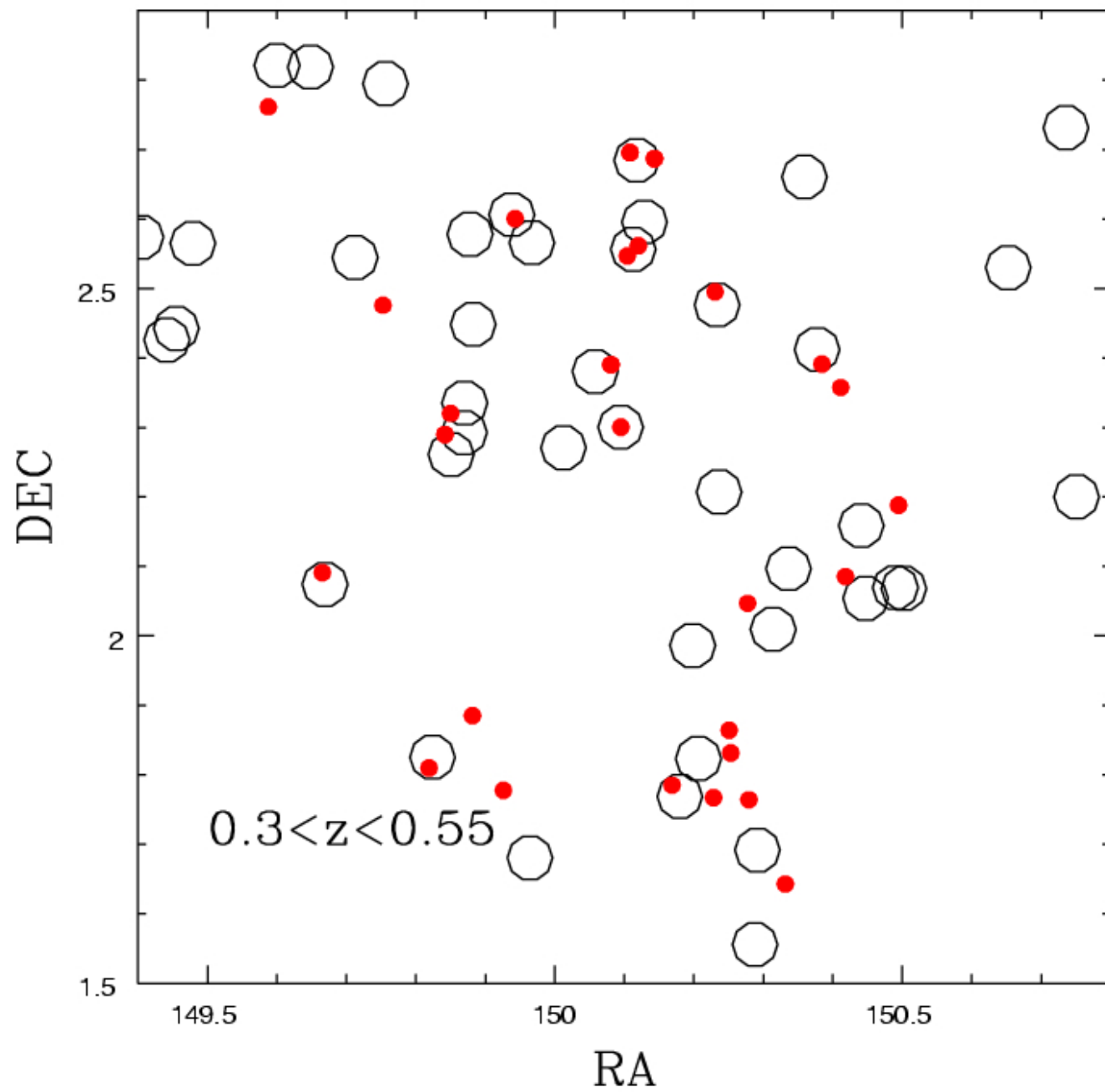


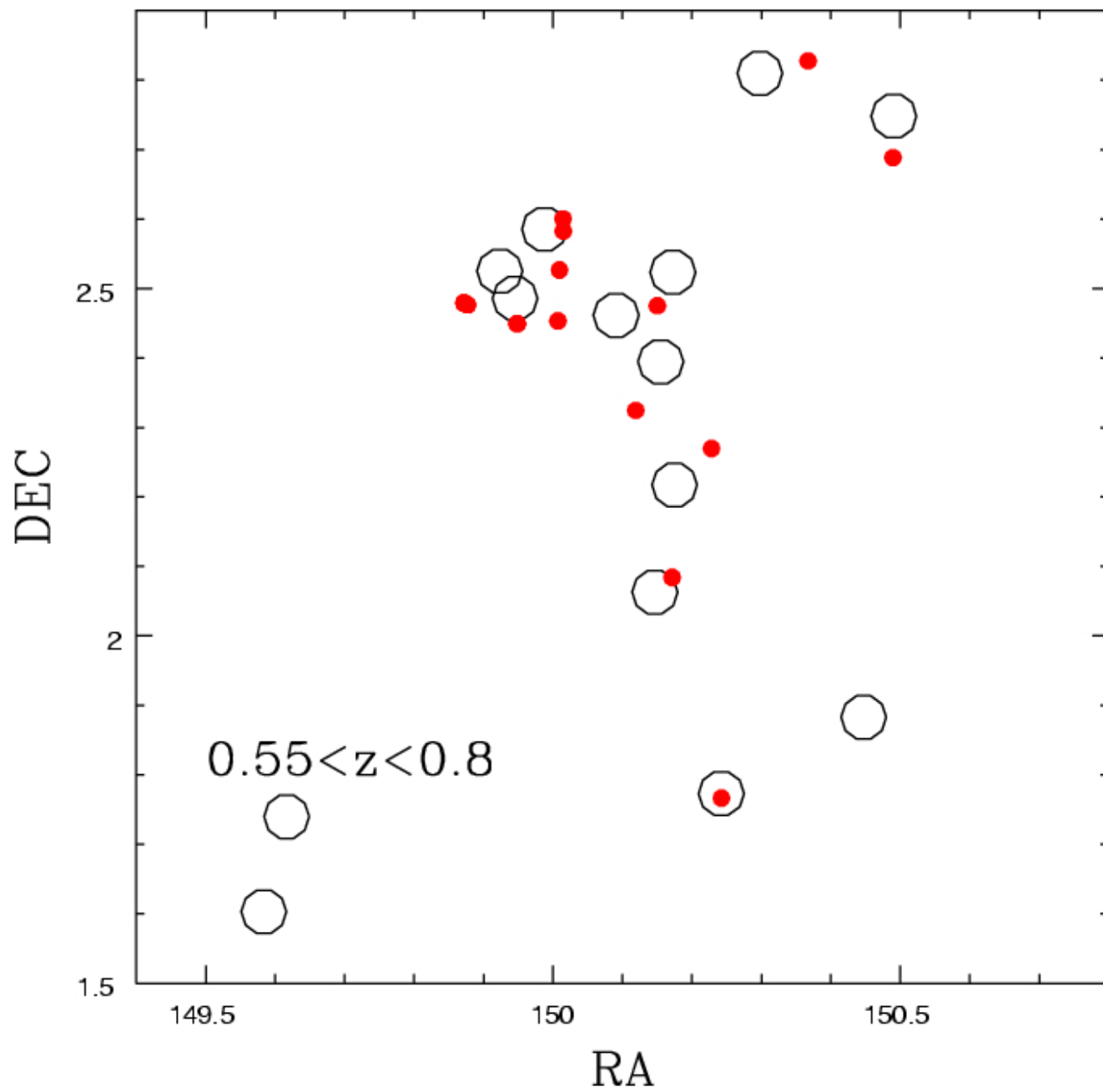
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610 MHz at GMRT 514
sources flux > 200 μ Jy

448 in common with VLA



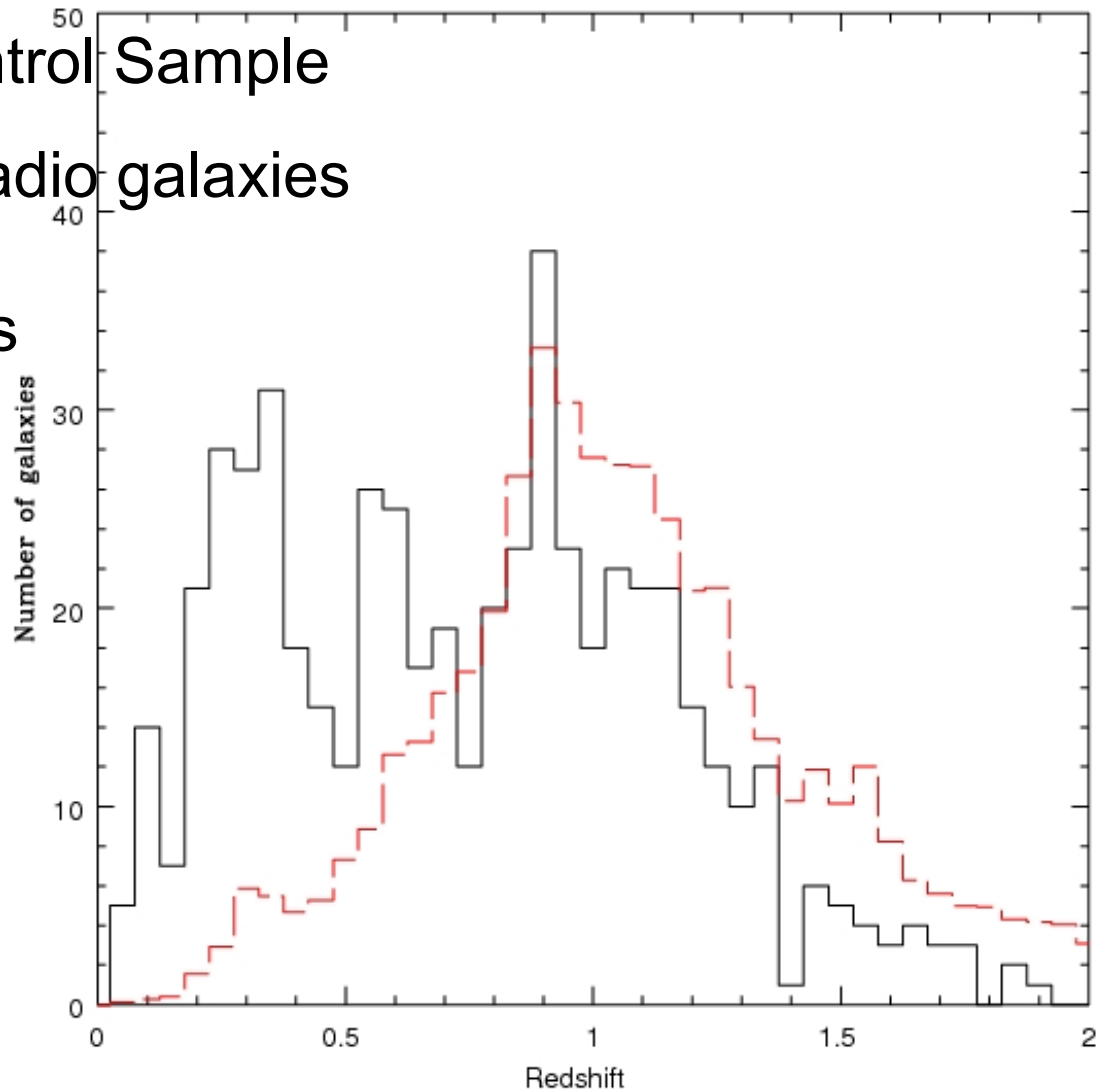


Redshift Distribution

Red: Control Sample

Black: radio galaxies

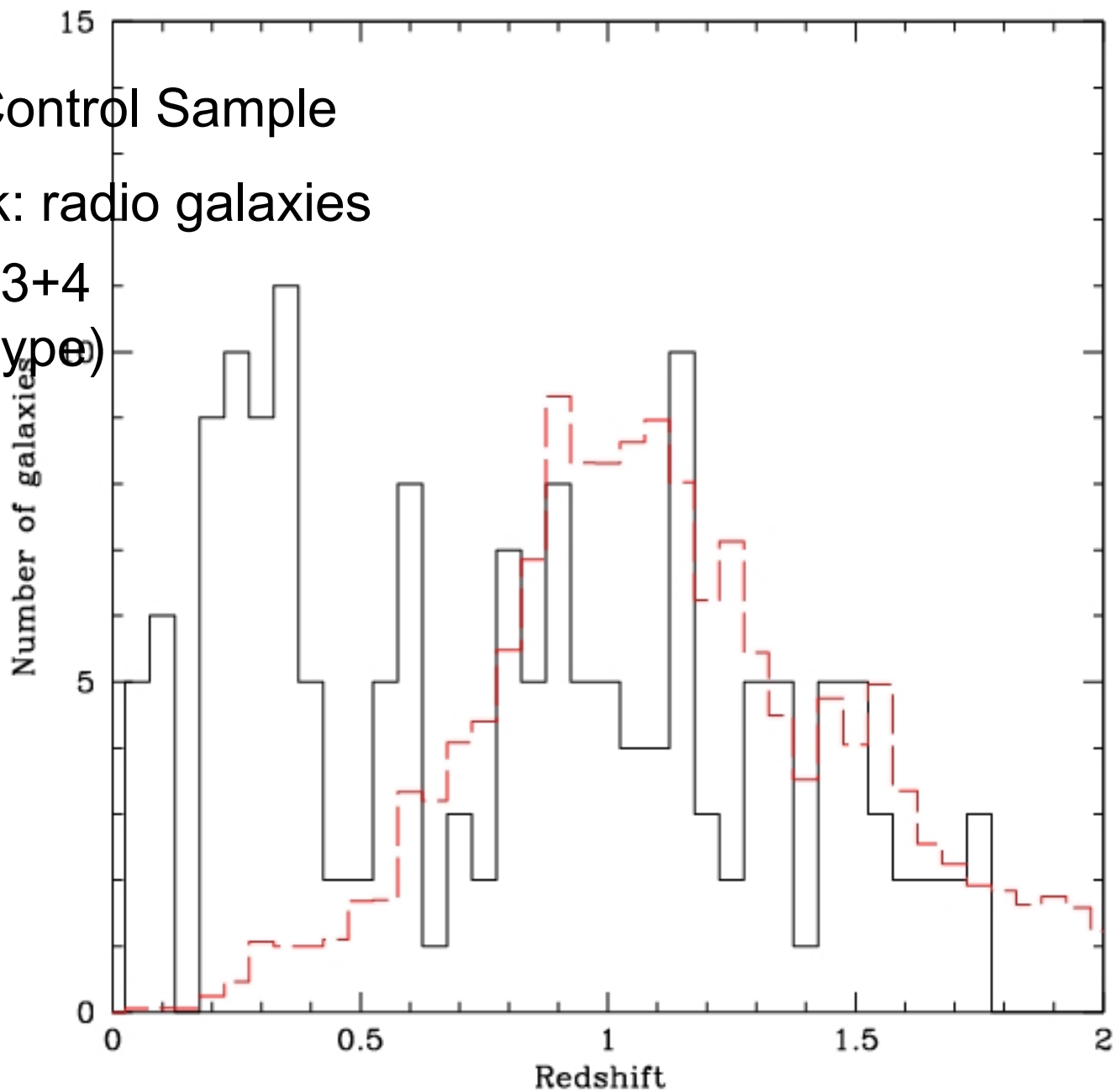
All types



Red: Control Sample

Black: radio galaxies

Type 3+4
(late type)



Star Formation "functions"

Red: Control Sample
Black: Complete Sample

Early type

