

Galactic Wind Model with Radial Velocity Gradient

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Kinetic Feedback from SNe-driven Galactic Winds in Gadget (Springel & Hernquist 2003)

- Mass-loss rate \propto SFR
- Energy-driven wind :

$$\ll \dot{M}_w = \eta \ll \dot{M}_*$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \ll \dot{M}_w v_w^2 = E_{SN} \ll \dot{M}_\#$$

$$v_w = \sqrt{\frac{2\chi E_{SN}}{\eta}}$$

- Probabilistic method for kicking star-forming gas particles
- New particle velocity
 - Along rotation axis
- To enable wind escape from dense, SF phase without directly affecting it → Wind particle decoupled (briefly) from hydro

$$\begin{aligned} v_{new} &= v_{old} + v_w \hat{n} \\ \hat{n} &\rightarrow \vec{v} \times \vec{\nabla} \phi \end{aligned}$$

$$p = 1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\eta \ll \dot{m}_* \Delta t}{m_{part}}\right)$$

Existing Models

- Energy-driven
 - Springel & Hernquist 2003, Dalla Vecchia & Schaye 2008, Tornatore et al. 2004, 2007, 2010
- Momentum-driven
 - Oppenheimer & Dave 2006
 - Tescari et al. 2009, 2011
- Multicomponent & variable velocity outflow
 - Choi & Nagamine 2011
- Variable energy-driven
 - Puchwein & Springel 2012

$$v_w, \eta = \text{constant}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_w &= 3\sigma \sqrt{\frac{L}{L_{crit}} - 1} \\ \eta &= \frac{\sigma_0}{\sigma} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} v_w &= \zeta v_{esc} \propto SFR^{1/3} \\ \eta &\propto \ddot{M}_* \end{aligned}$$

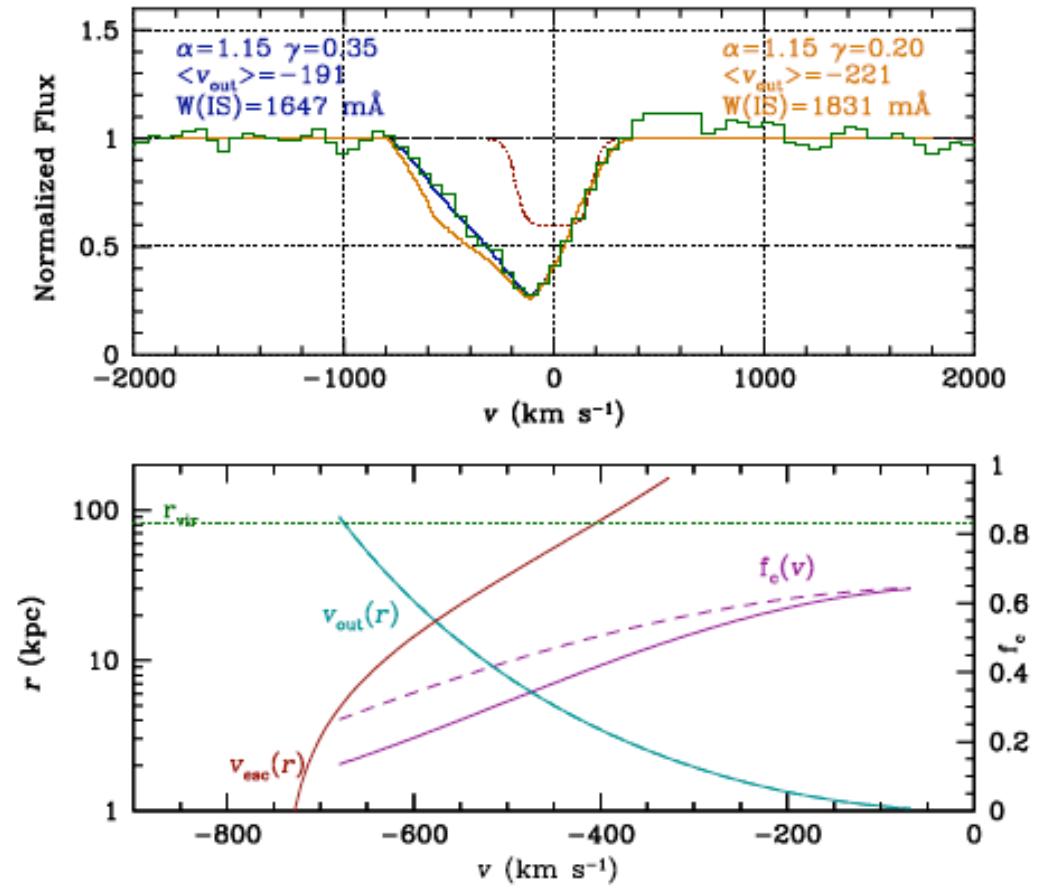
$$v_w, \eta \propto M_{halo}$$

Radially Varying Wind Velocity

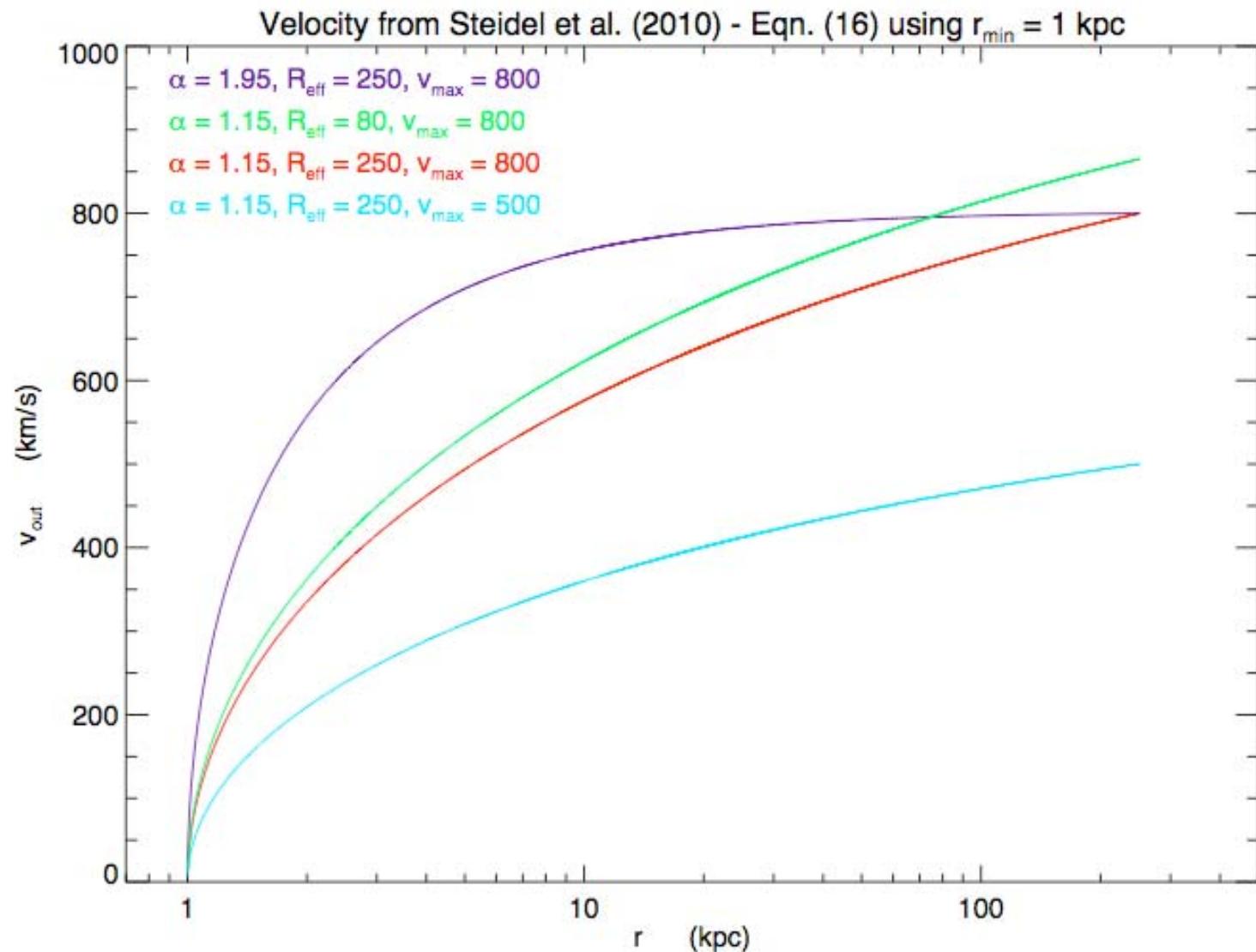
- Observations by Steidel et al. 2010
 - Spectroscopic data fitted by simple model
- Quantities are function of galactocentric distance, r
- Acceleration & Velocity

$$a(r) \propto r^{-\alpha} = v \frac{dv}{dr}$$

$$v_w(r) = v_{\max} \left(\frac{r_{\min}^{1-\alpha} - r^{1-\alpha}}{r_{\min}^{1-\alpha} - R_{\text{eff}}^{1-\alpha}} \right)^{0.5}$$

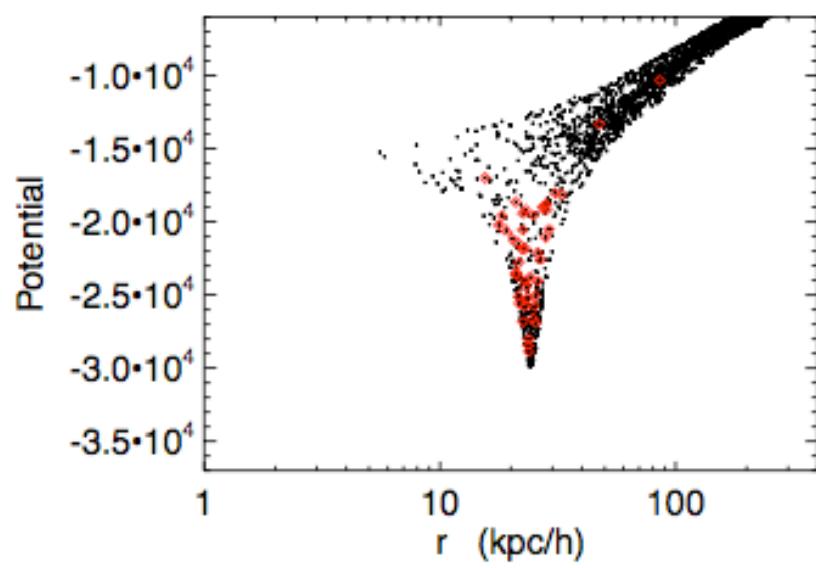
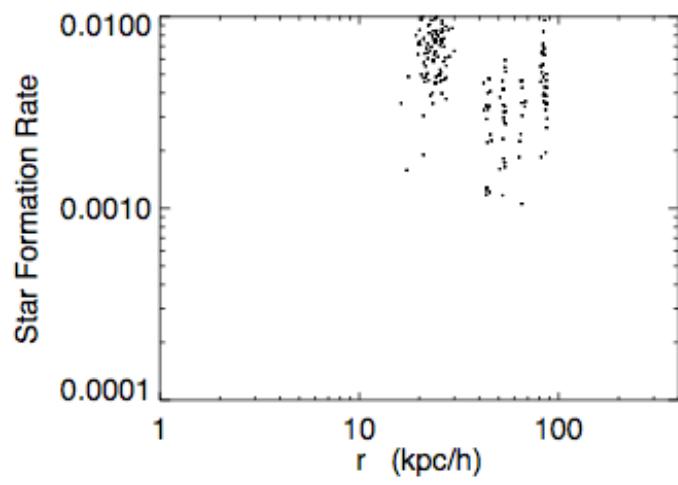
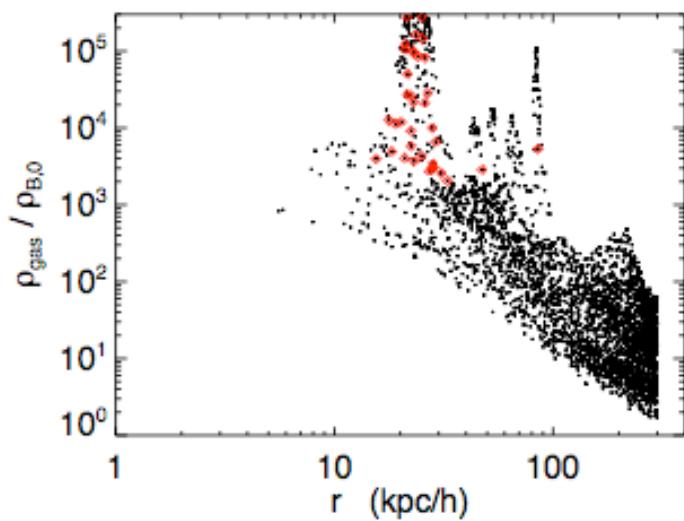
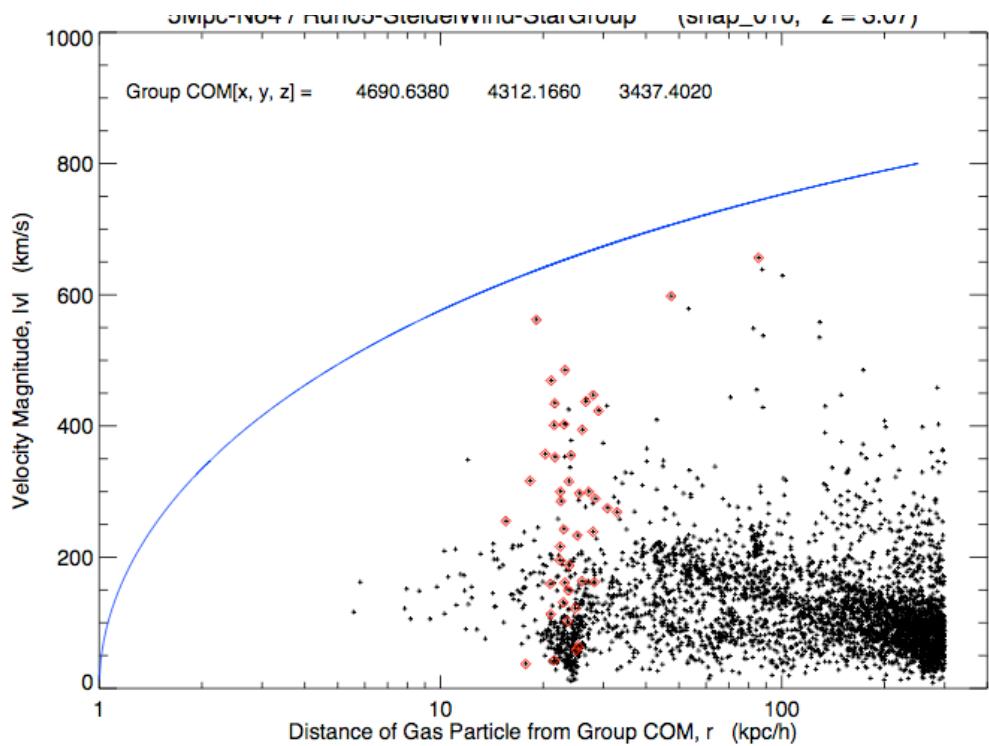


Our Modification in G3: Radial Gradient of Outflow Velocity



Criticalities

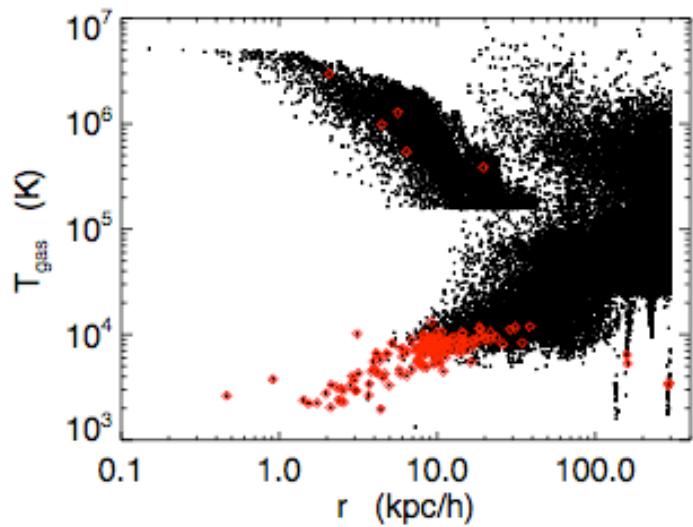
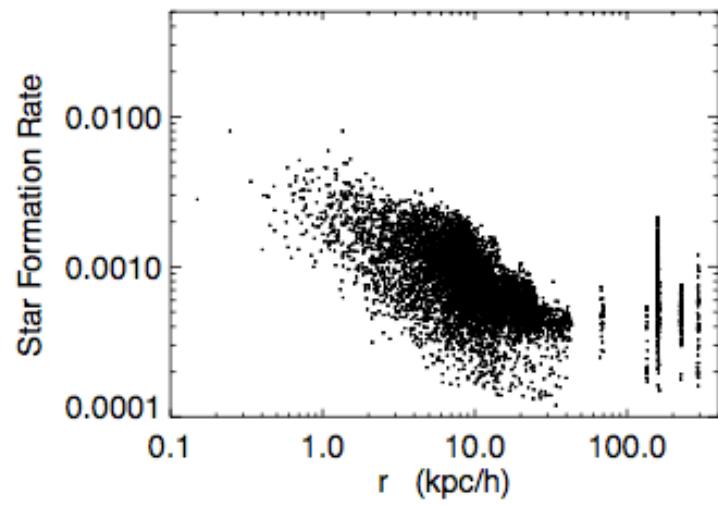
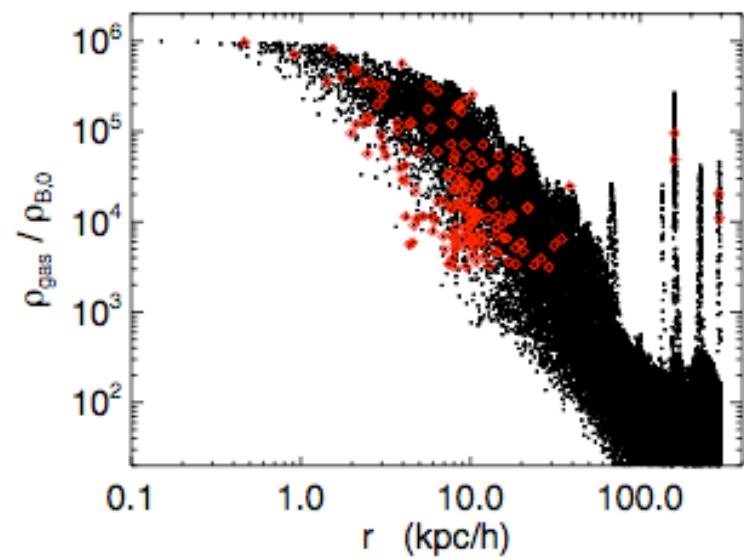
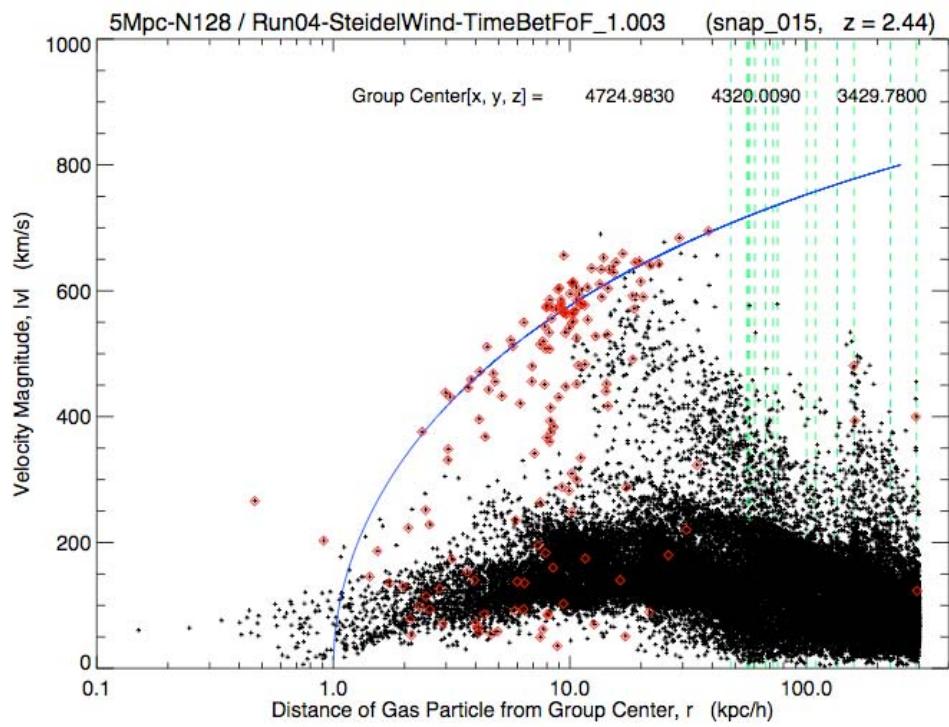
- Find the halo to which each gas particle belong to, and the halo center
- Distance of particle from center = r
- Use on-the-fly FoF group finder in G3
- 1st Attempts
 - Default particle types for linking FoF groups
 - Group COM
- Modify energy-driven wind formalism (`lt_sfr.c`)
 - $v_w = v_w(r)$



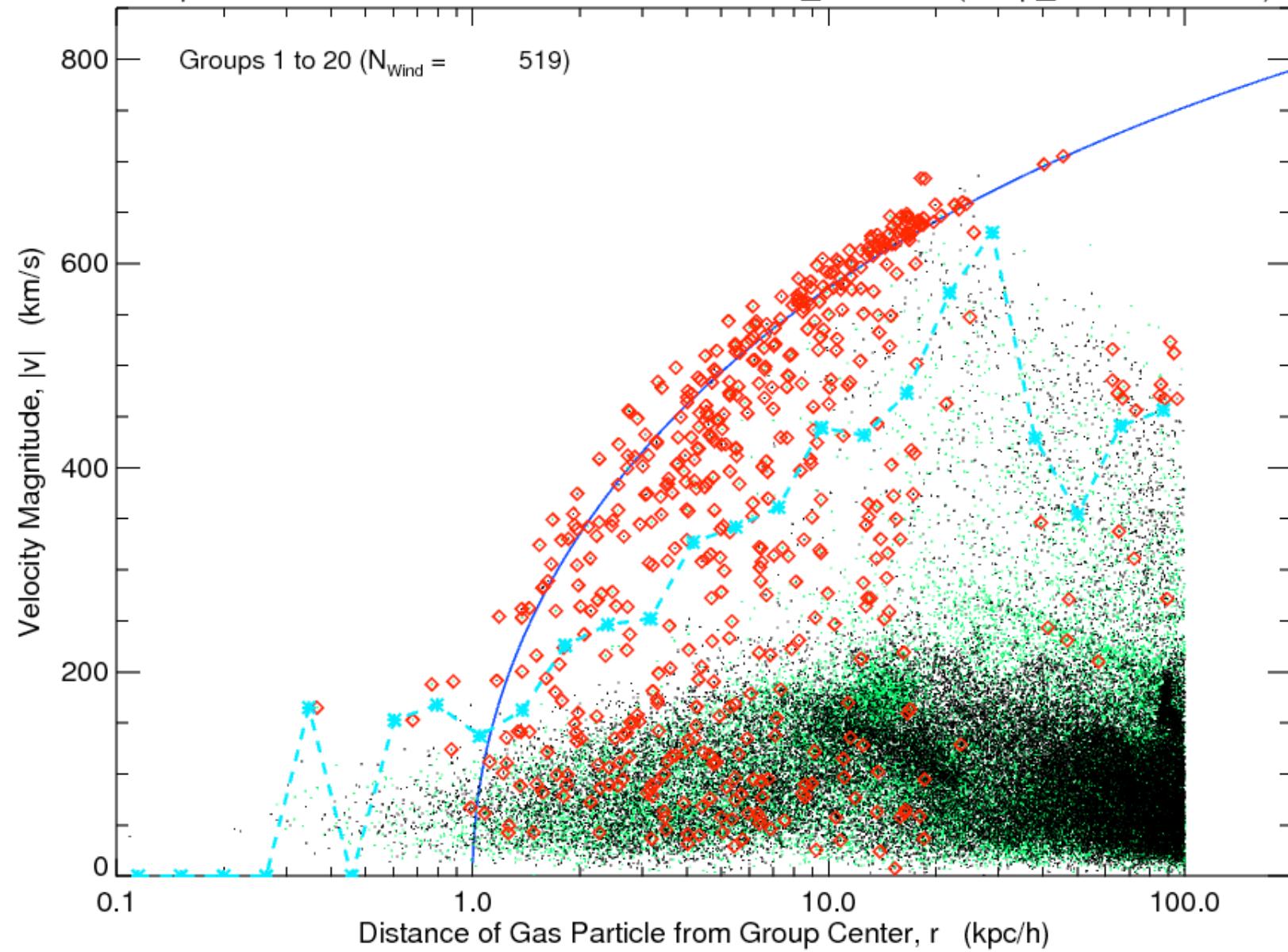
Modifications in Group-Finder (fof.c)

- Stellar components of FoF groups are more stable
- Obtain stellar groups by linking over
 - Primary particle type: Star
 - Secondary particle type: Gas + DM
 - Group minimum length = 32
- Find position of member gas particle w/ Maximum Density → Group center
- Run FoF more frequently on-the-fly

$$\frac{a_{next}}{a_{prev}} = 1.001$$



5Mpc-N128 / Run05-SteidelWind-TimeBetFoF_1.001 (snap_015, z = 2.44)



Simulations

- With LTG3 code + modifications
 - Run on *cosmos@Cambridge*

$5 h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}, N = 2 \times 128^3$.
 $25 h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}, N = 2 \times 320^3$.
upto $z \sim 2$.

- NW : no-wind (cooling + SF + chemical evolution)
 - Wiersma et al. 2009, Springel & Hernquist 2003, Tornatore et al. 2007
- CW : Energy-driven constant-velocity

$$v_w = 400 \text{ km/s}$$

Recent implementations in G3 - Outflow with radial velocity gradient, motivated by observations

- RVWa : Radially varying with fixed parameters (Steidel et al. 2010)

$$v_w(r) = v_{\max} \left(\frac{r_{\min}^{1-\alpha} - r^{1-\alpha}}{r_{\min}^{1-\alpha} - R_{\text{eff}}^{1-\alpha}} \right)^{0.5}$$

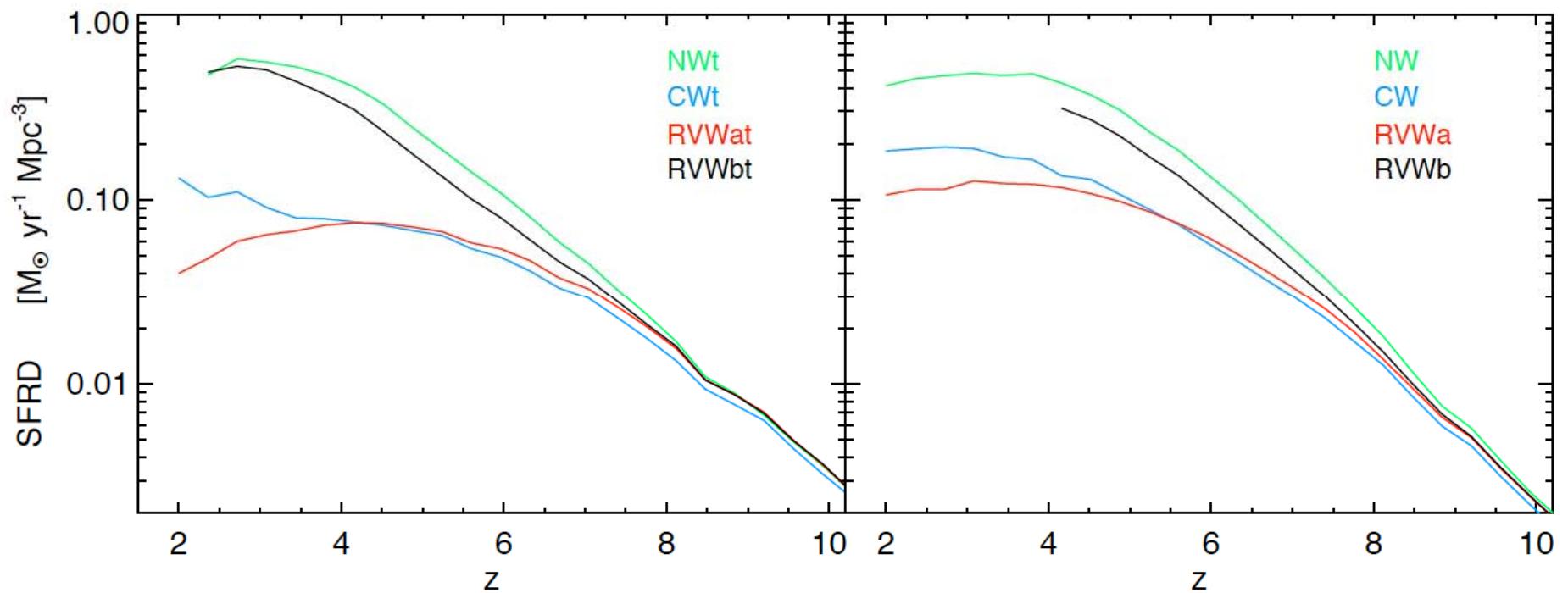
$$\begin{aligned} R_{\text{eff}} &= R_{200}(M_{\text{halo}}, z) \\ v_{\max} &= 2v_{\text{circ}} = 2\sqrt{GM_{\text{halo}}/R_{200}} \end{aligned}$$

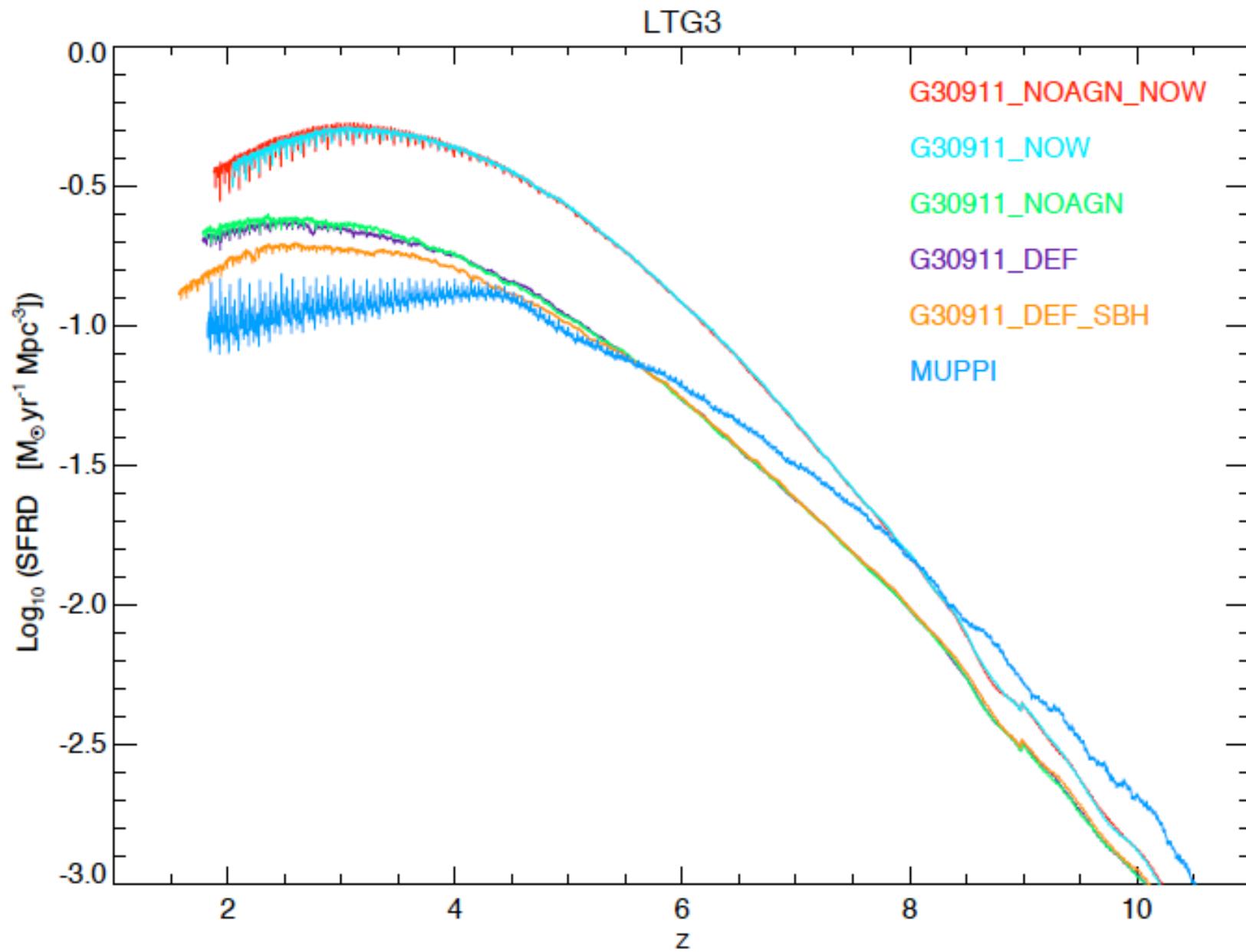
- RVWb : Parameters dependent on halo mass (Martin 2005)

Star Formation Rate Density Evolution

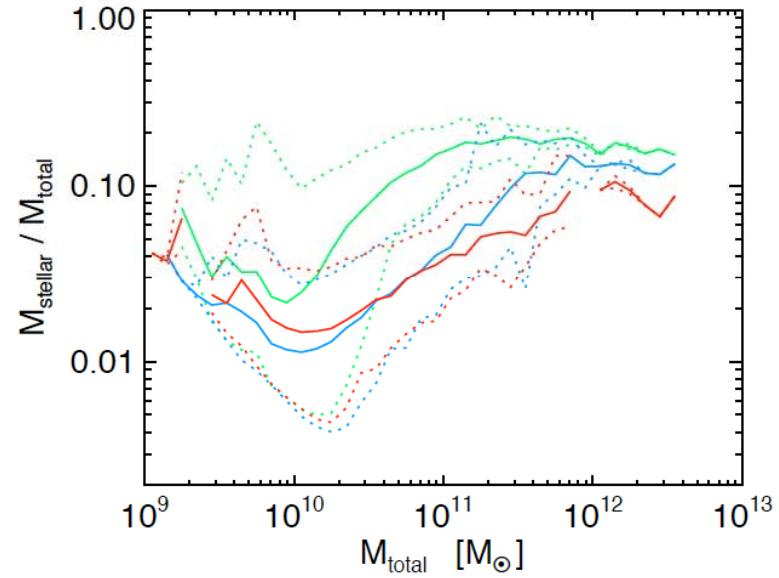
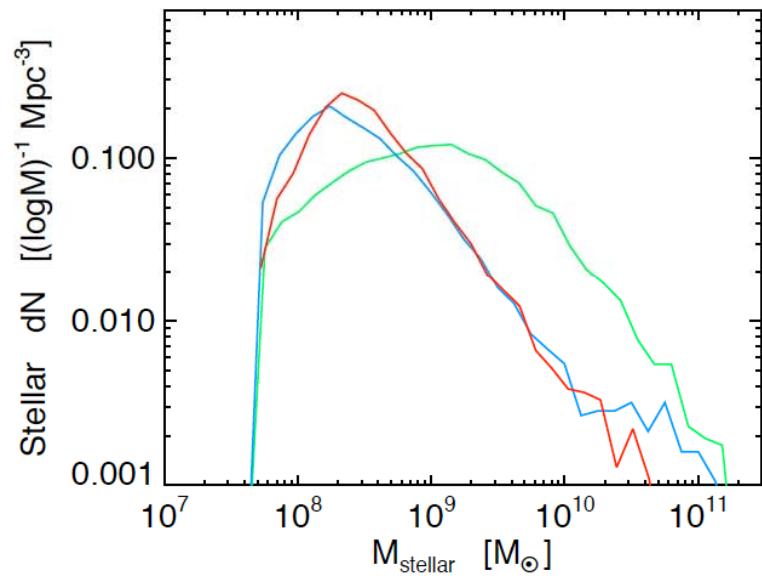
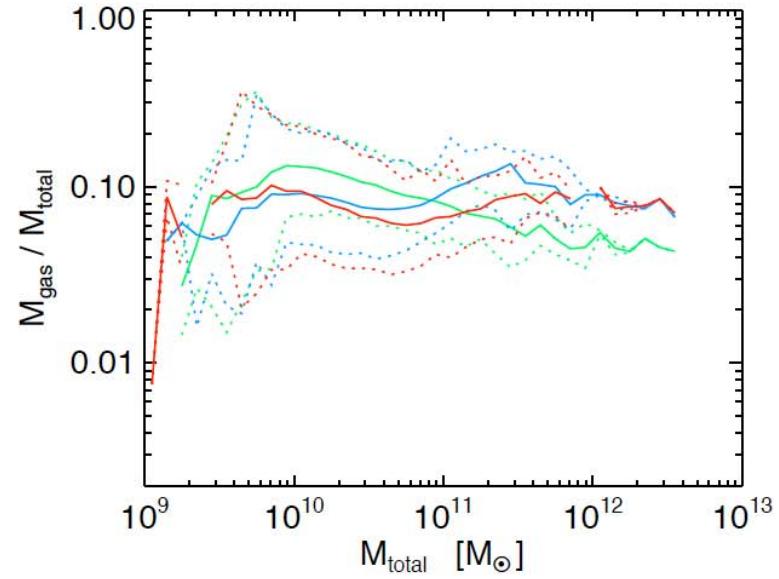
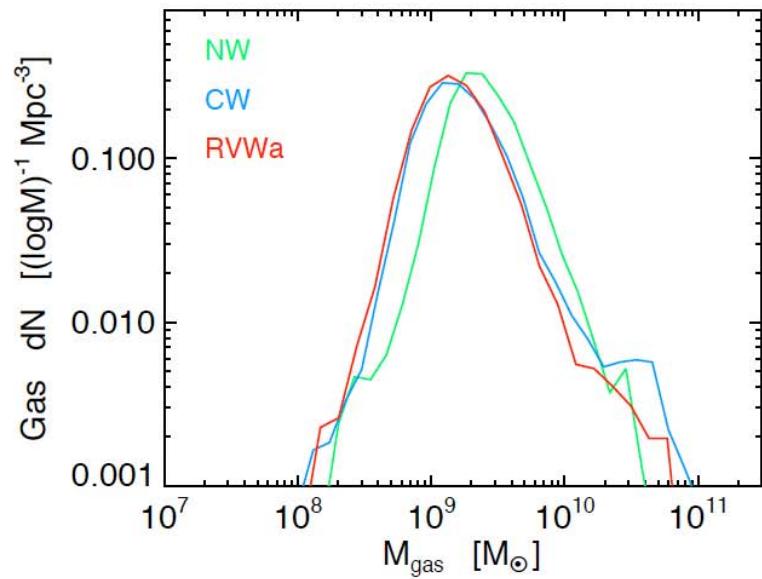
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$25 h^{-1} \text{ Mpc}, N = 2 \times 320^3$

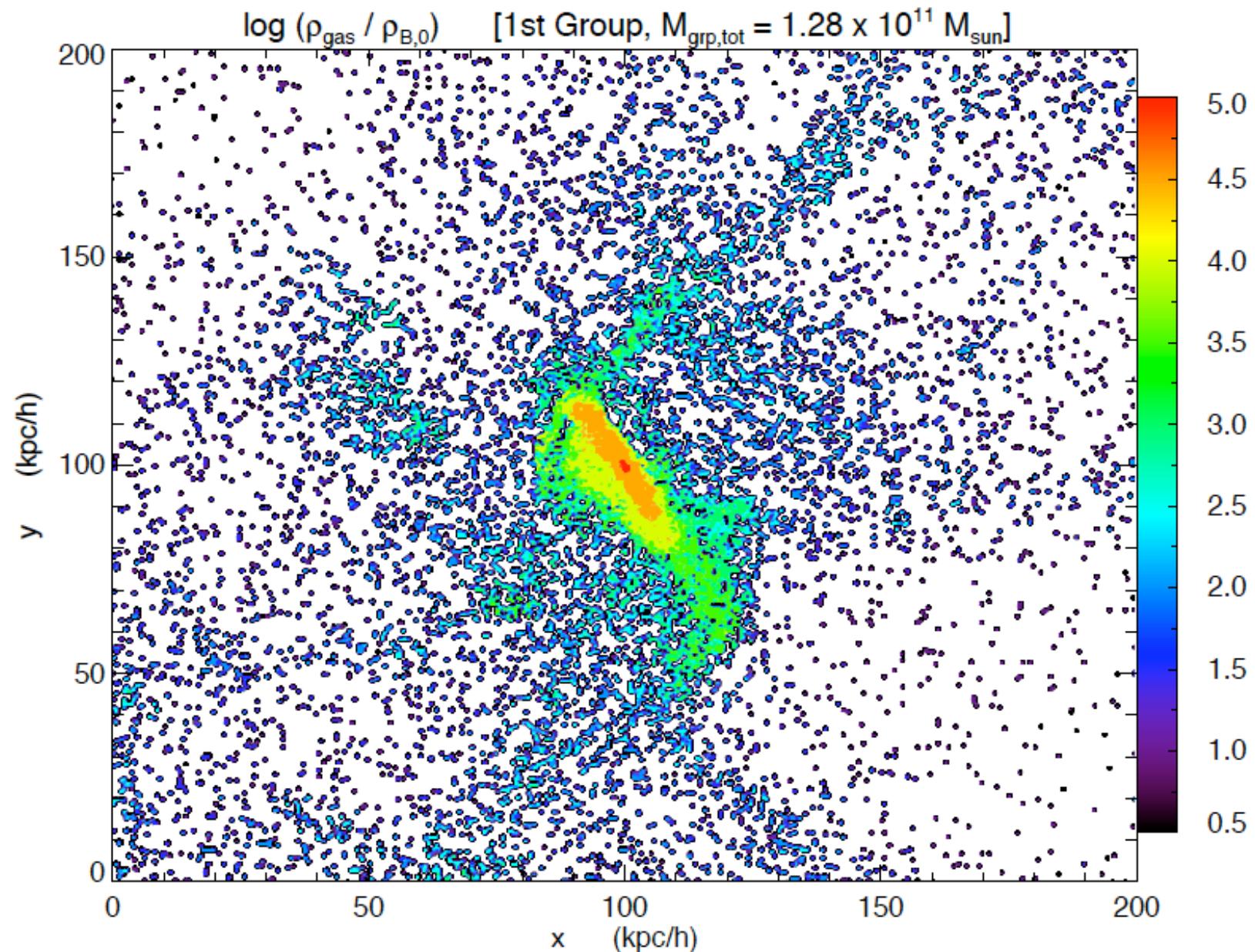


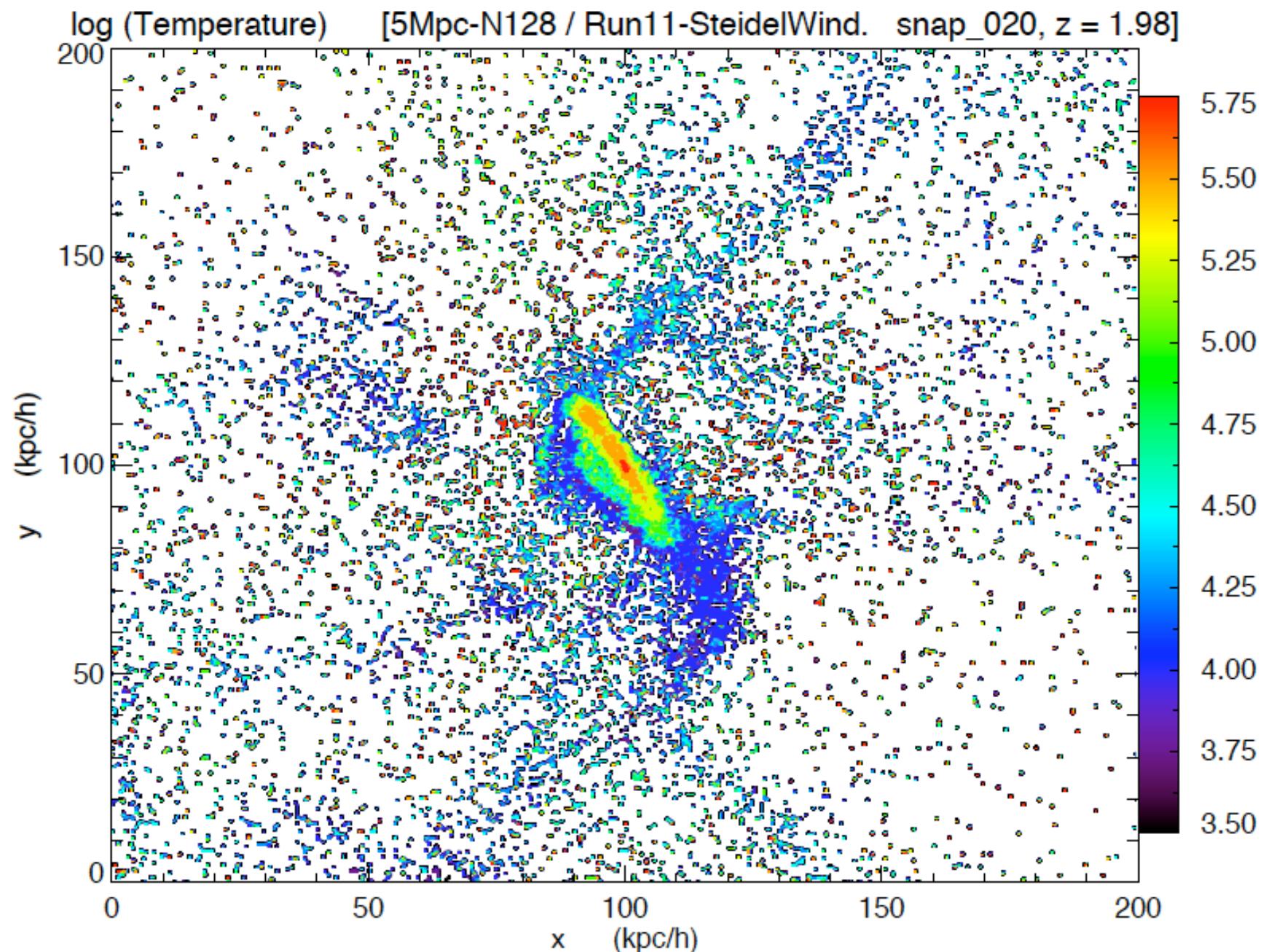


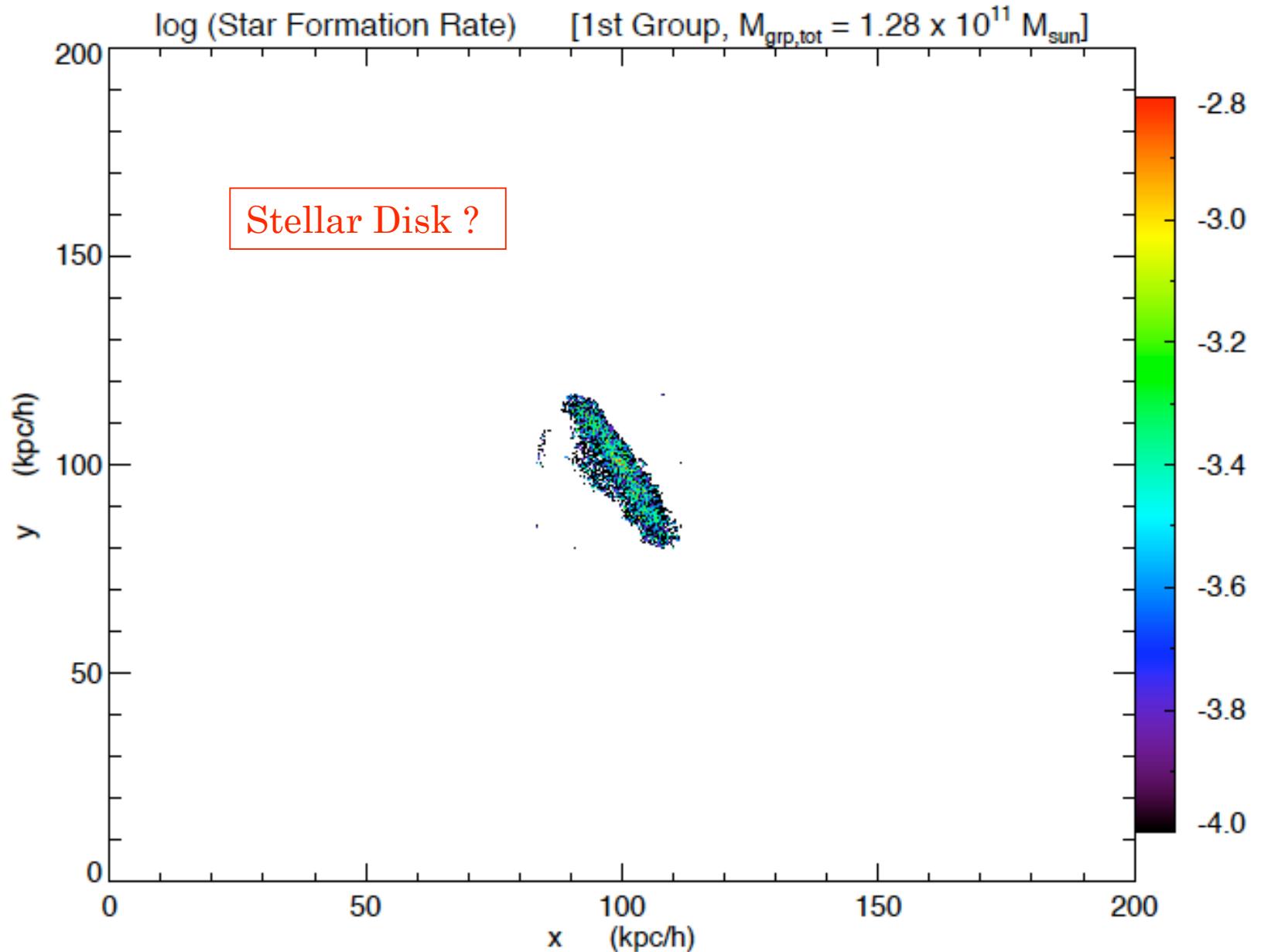
Mass-Function & Mass-Fractions in Groups, at $z = 2.23$



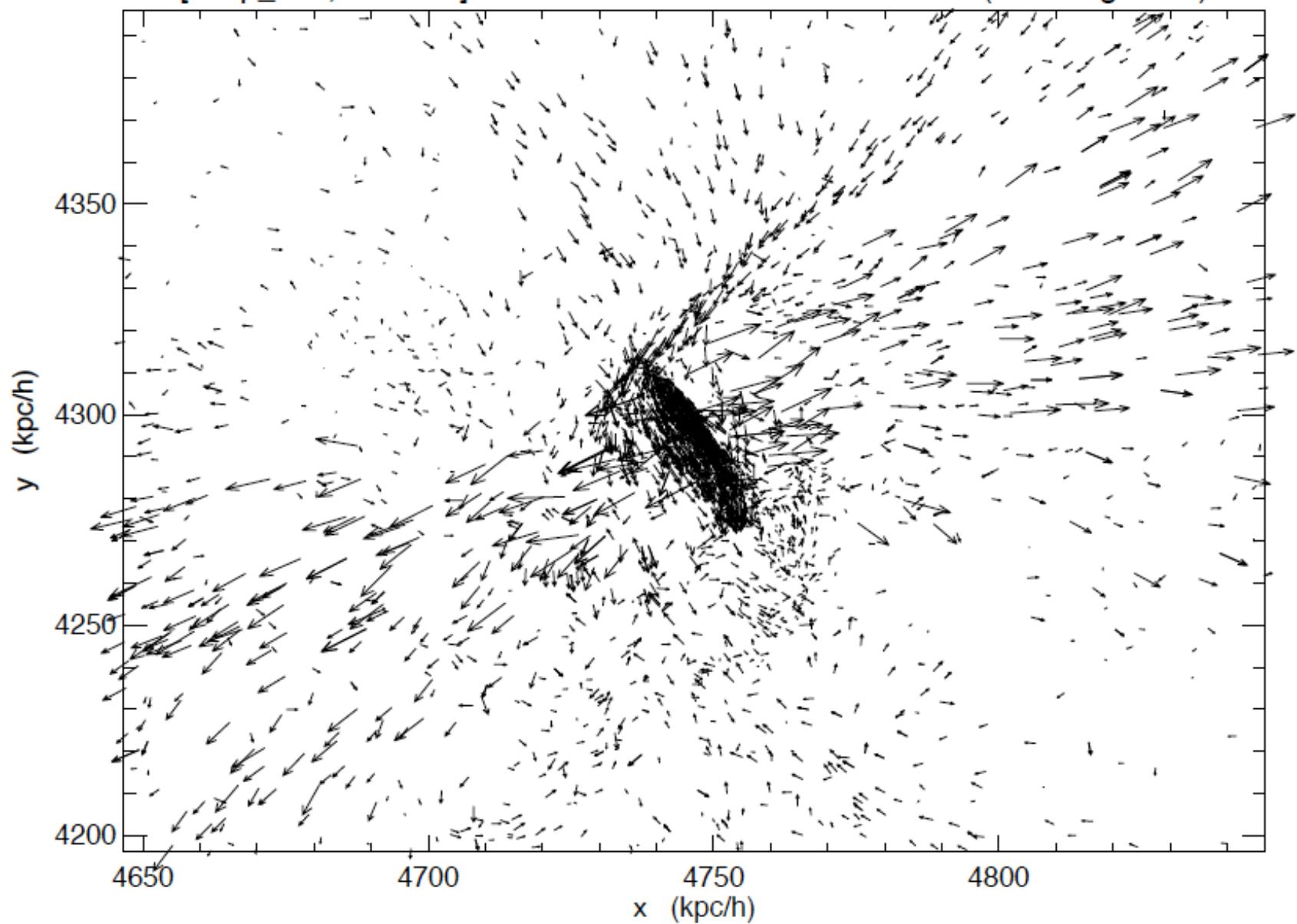
Projection of $(200/h \text{ kpc})^3$ volume around a massive group center (run RVWat) showing Gas properties

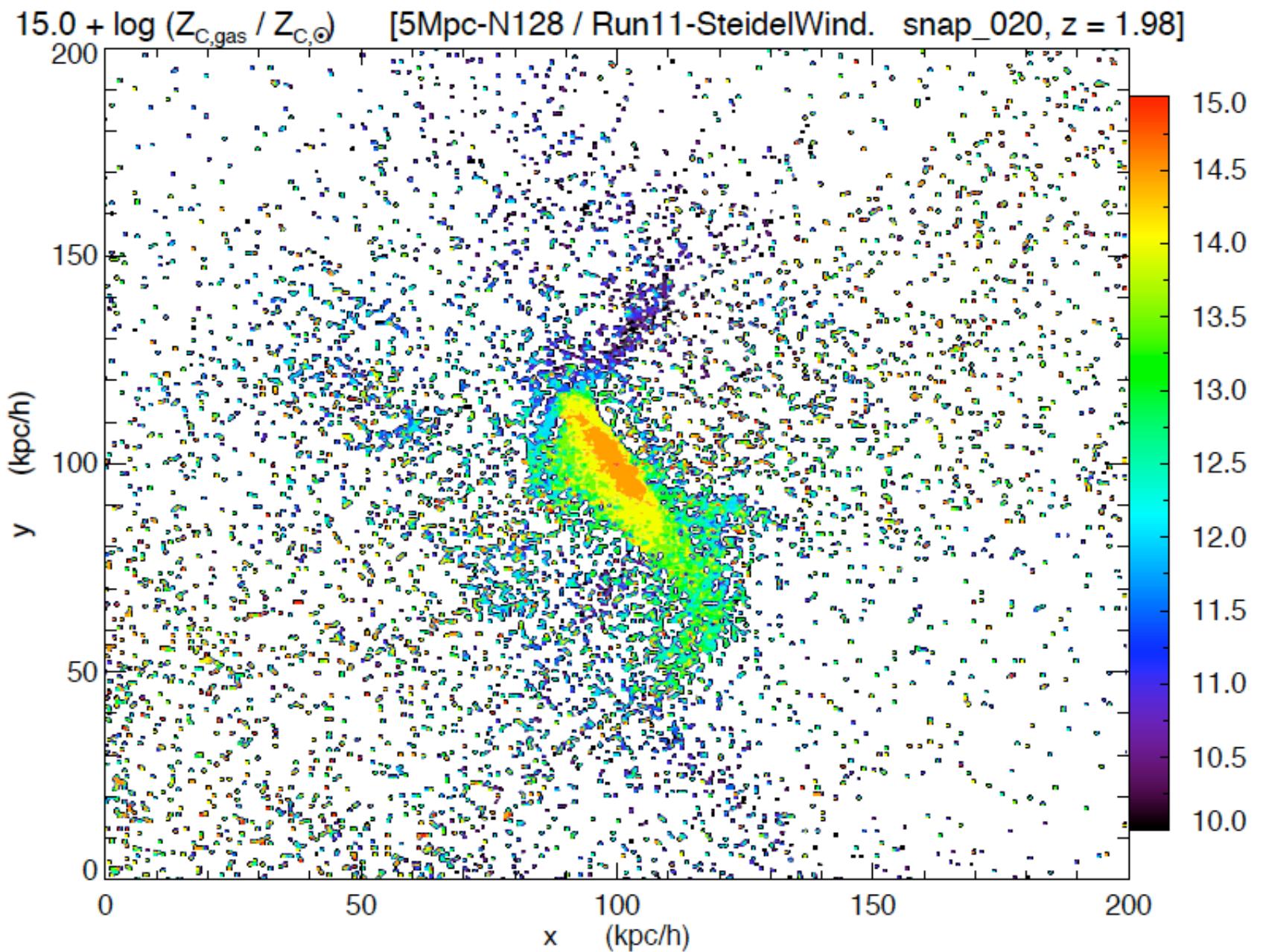


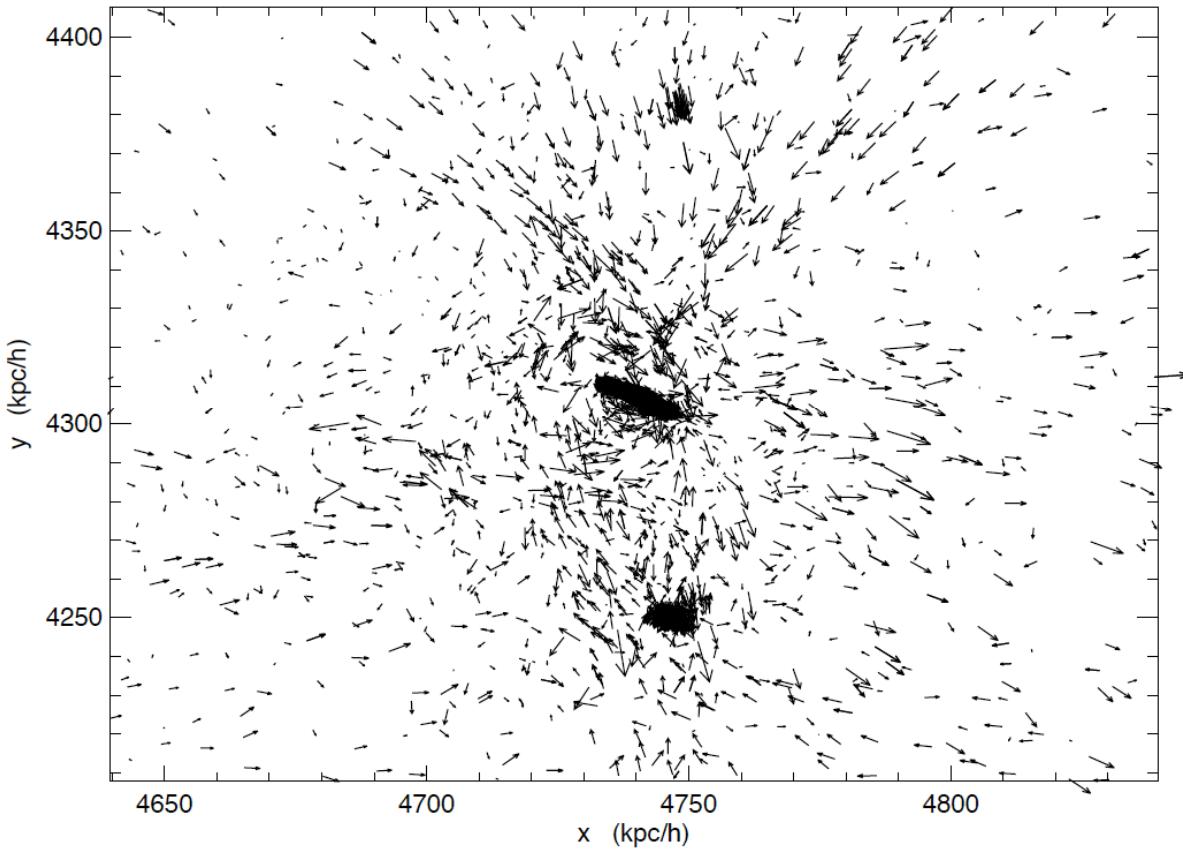




[snap_020, z = 1.98] FRACTION = 0.2 of All Particles (including Wind)

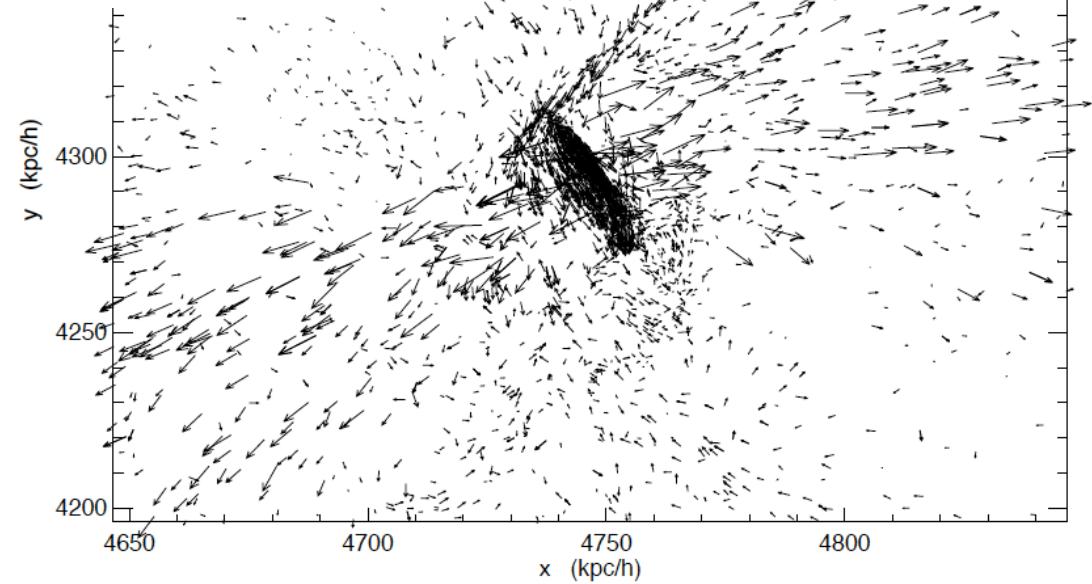






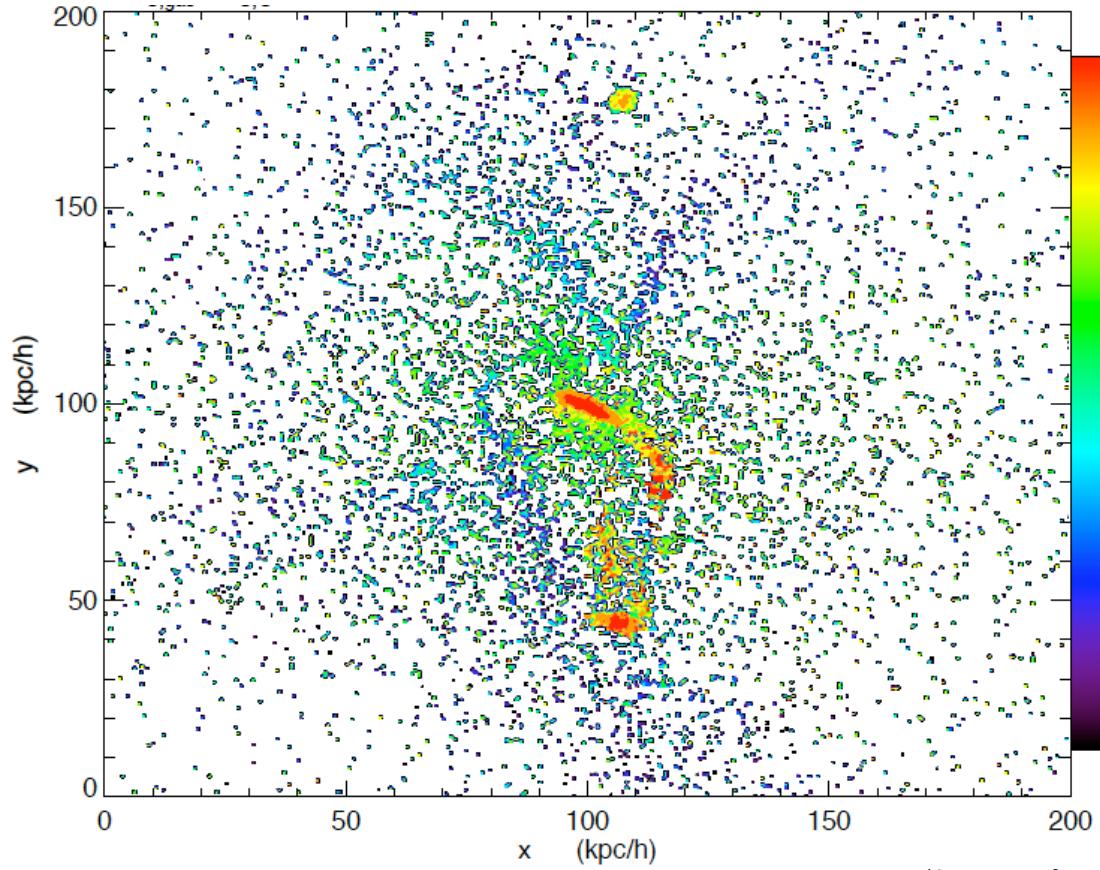
NWt

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RVWat

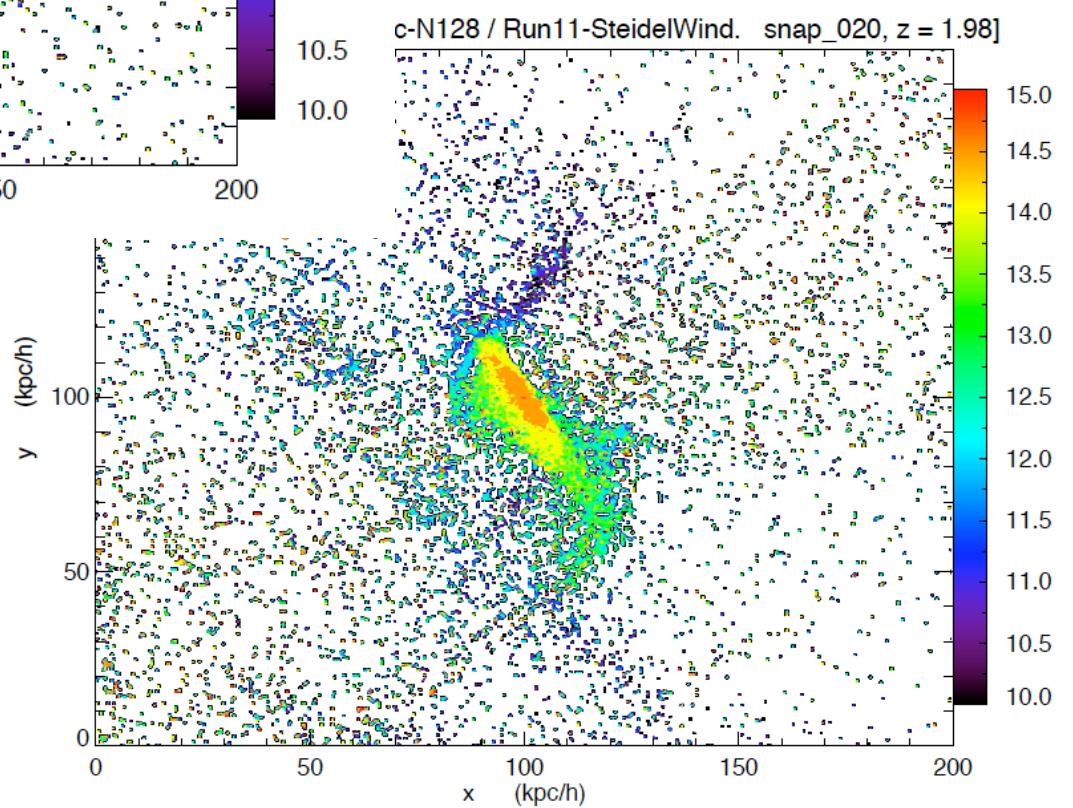
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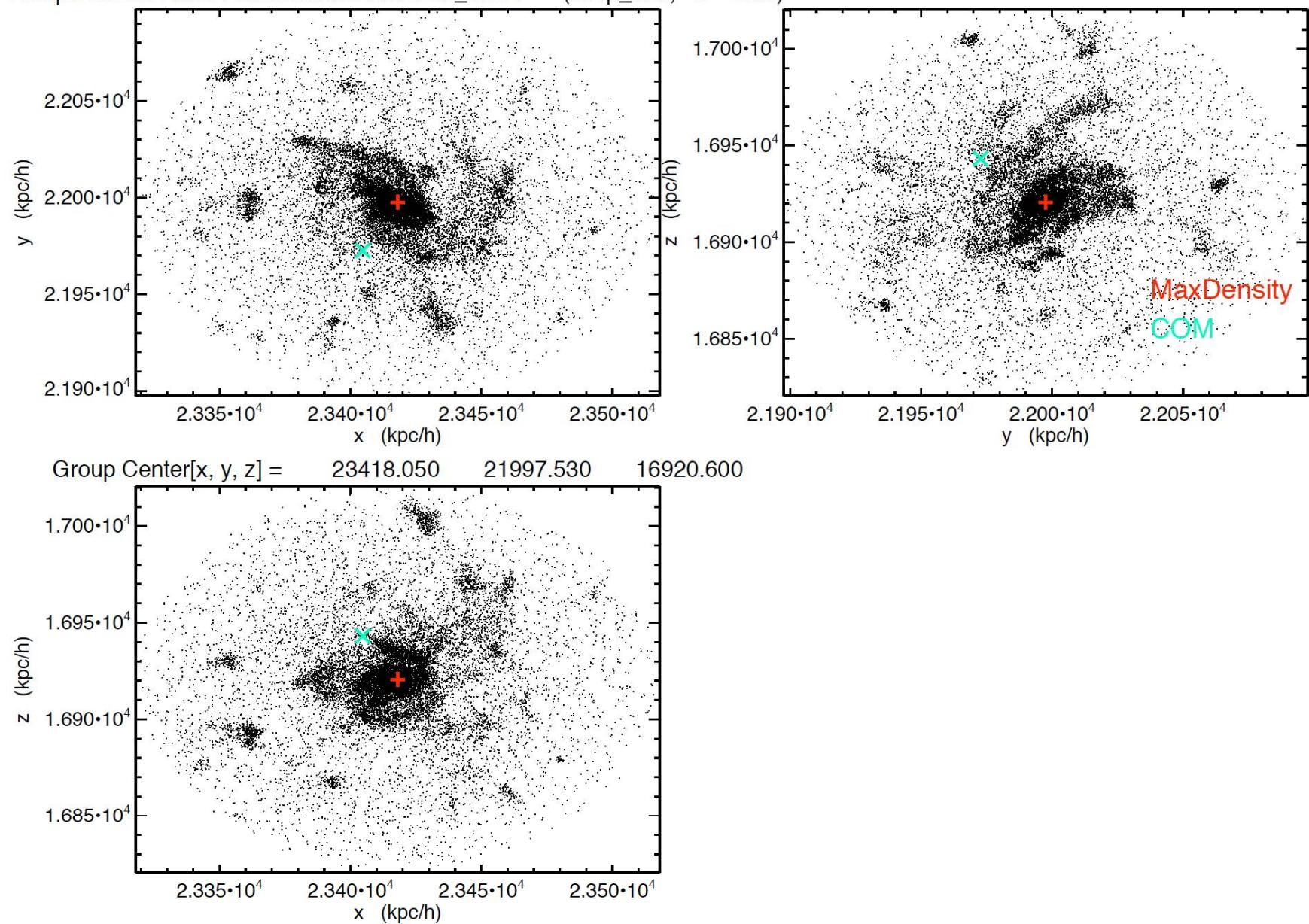


Summary / Future

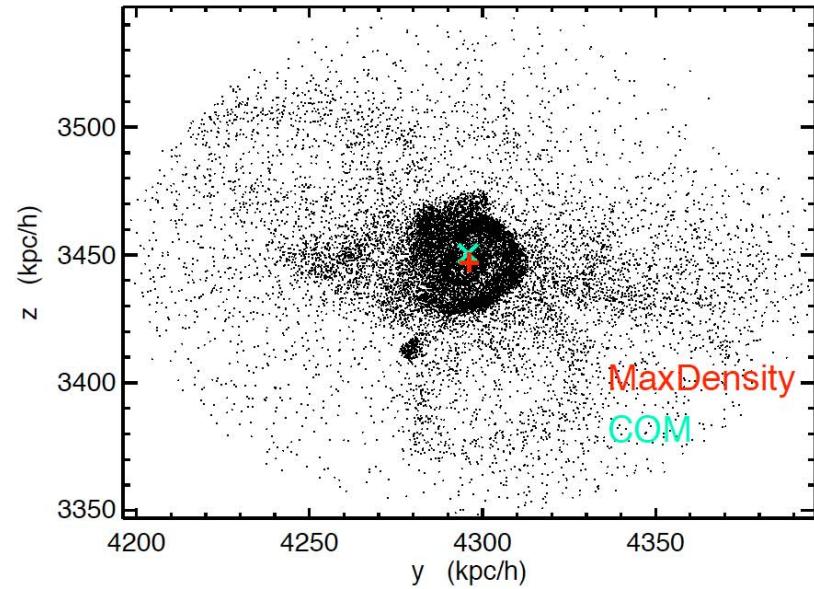
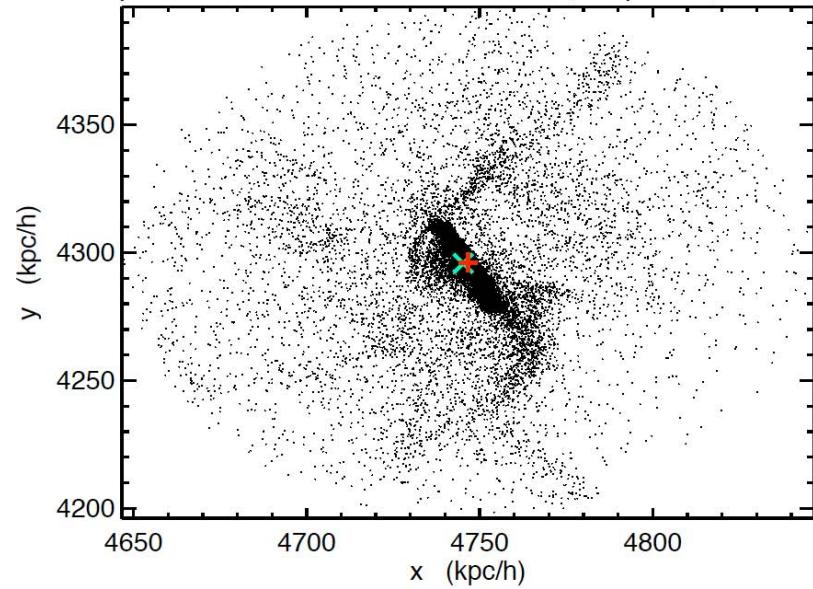
- Have implemented a new observationally-motivated wind model in G3
 - Do quantitative comparison of RVW with other wind models
- Study low-z IGM properties by running sims up to $z = 0$
- MUPPI comparison
- Other sub-grid physics:
 - Pressure-driven wind model (Sharma & Nath 2011, arXiv: 1112.3447)
 - AGN feedback
 - Improve SMBH accretion prescription
 - Include kinetic feedback from AGN winds

Extra Slides

25Mpc-N320 / Run04-SteidelWind-TimeFoF_1.001 (snap_020, z = 1.98)



5Mpc-N128 / Run11-SteidelWind (snap_020, z = 1.98)



Group Center[x, y, z] = 4746.6480 4296.1500 3447.0090

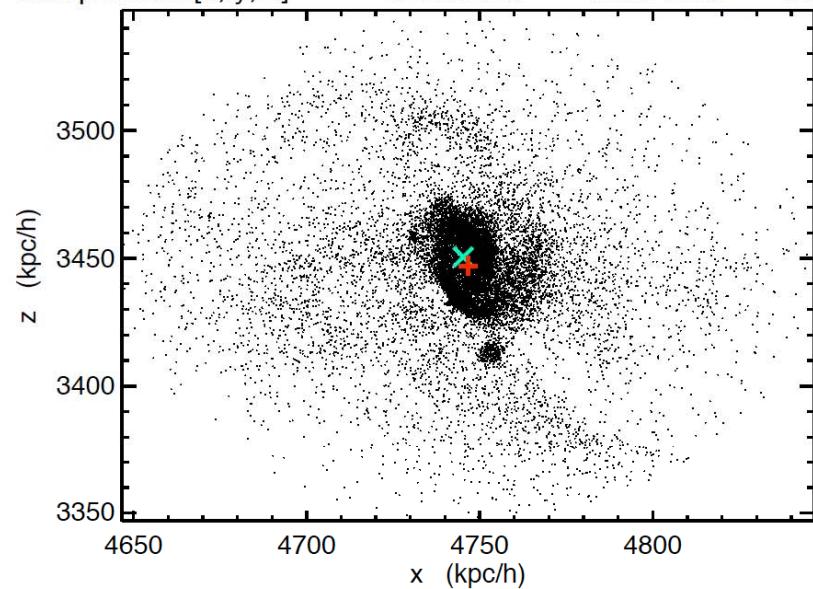


Table 1. Simulations Parameters ^a

Run Name	L_{box} ^b [h^{-1} Mpc]	N_{part} ^c	m_{gas} ^d [$h^{-1} M_{\odot}$]	L_{soft} ^e [h^{-1} kpc]	Galactic Wind Feedback
Smaller-Box Runs ^f					
NWt	5	128^3	7.66×10^5	0.98	No Wind
CWt	5	128^3	7.66×10^5	0.98	Energy-driven constant-velocity $v = 400$ km/s
RVWat	5	128^3	7.66×10^5	0.98	Radially varying with parameter set 1 ^g
RVWbt	5	128^3	7.66×10^5	0.98	Radially varying with parameter set 2
Larger-Box Runs ^h					
NW	25	320^3	6.13×10^6	1.95	No Wind
CW	25	320^3	6.13×10^6	1.95	Energy-driven constant-velocity $v = 400$ km/s
RVWa	25	320^3	6.13×10^6	1.95	Radially varying with parameter set 1 ^g
RVWb	25	320^3	6.13×10^6	1.95	Radially varying with parameter set 2

^aAll simulations have the same physics described in §2, with the wind model varied. There is no AGN feedback.

^b L_{box} = Comoving side of cubic simulation volume.

^c N_{part} = Number of particles each of gas and dark matter in the initial condition.

^d m_{gas} = Mass of gas particle (which has not undergone any star-formation).

^e L_{soft} = Gravitational softening length (of all particle types). The minimum gas smoothing length is set to a fraction 0.001 of L_{soft} .

^fRun names ending with "t" are smaller boxsize runs for test purposes, done up to $z \sim 3$.

^gParameters of radially varying wind model (§2.2): $r_{\min} = 1h^{-1}$ kpc, $R_{\text{eff}} = 100h^{-1}$ kpc, $v_{\max} = 800$ km/s, $\alpha = 1.15$.