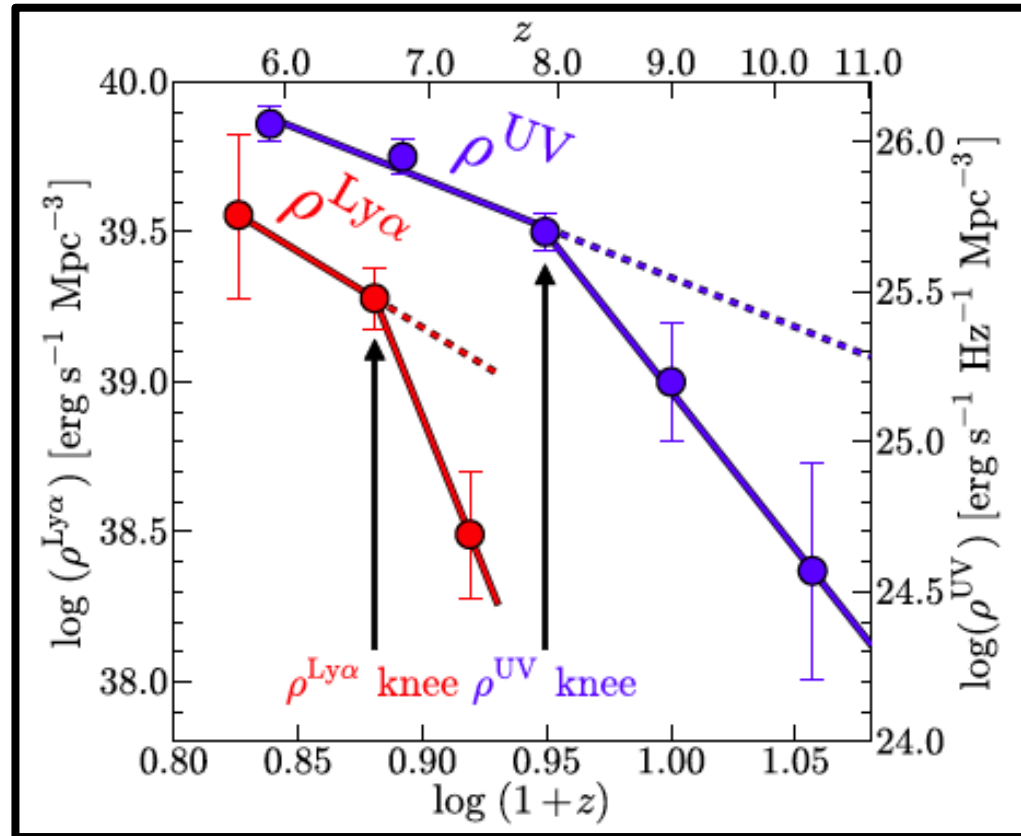


# Ly $\alpha$ Emitter Observations: Progresses and Future

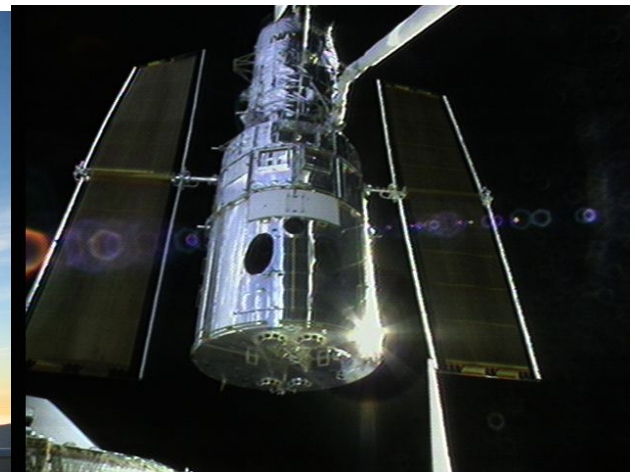


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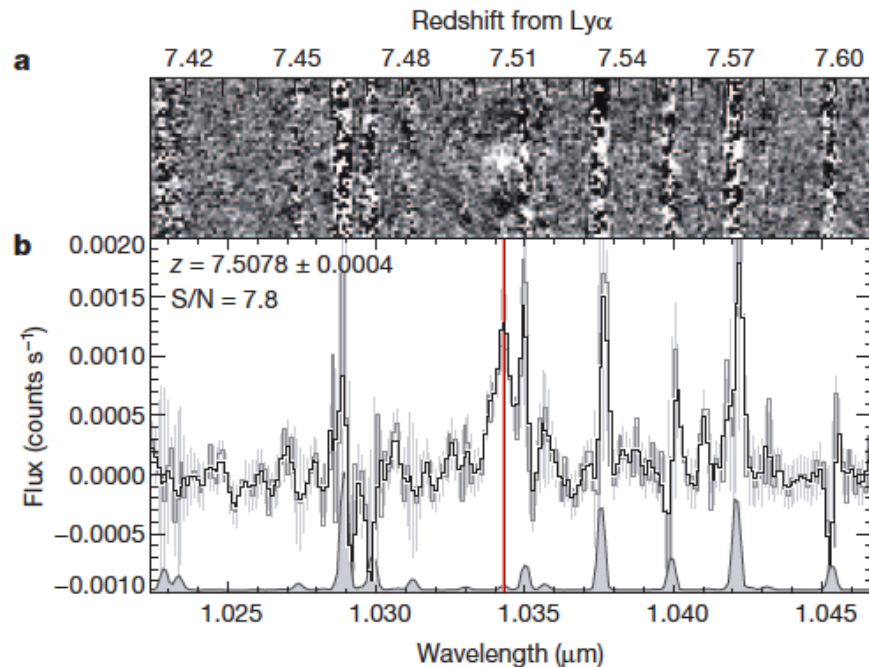
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# Outline

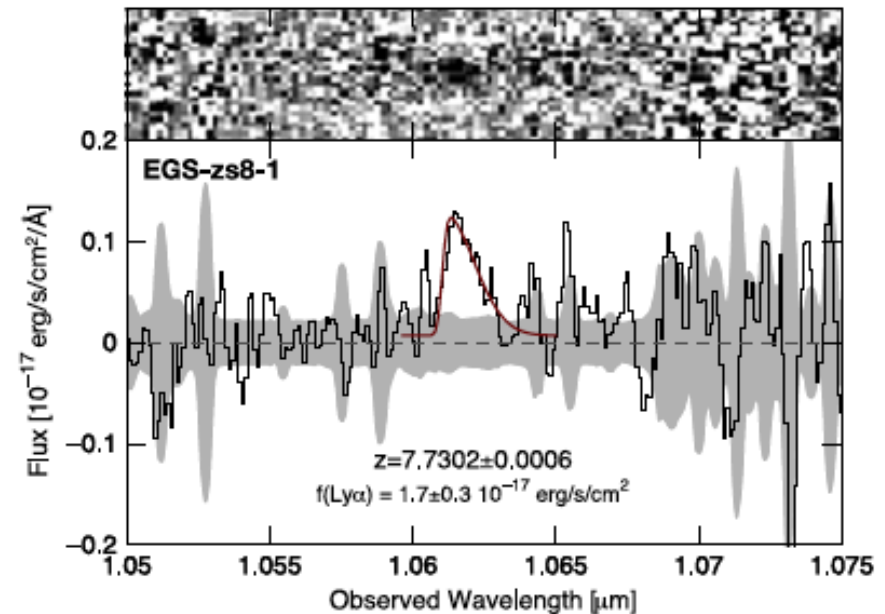
- I review recent observational results of Ly $\alpha$  emitters
  - Discussing reionization and galaxy formation, showcasing the latest results from the Subaru/Keck, HST, and ALMA observations.
- Future/On-going LAE surveys of Subaru/HSC,PFS (+ HETDEX, MUSE)



# Galaxy Observational Frontier Pushed by Spec. Obs. for Ly $\alpha$ Emitters(LAEs)



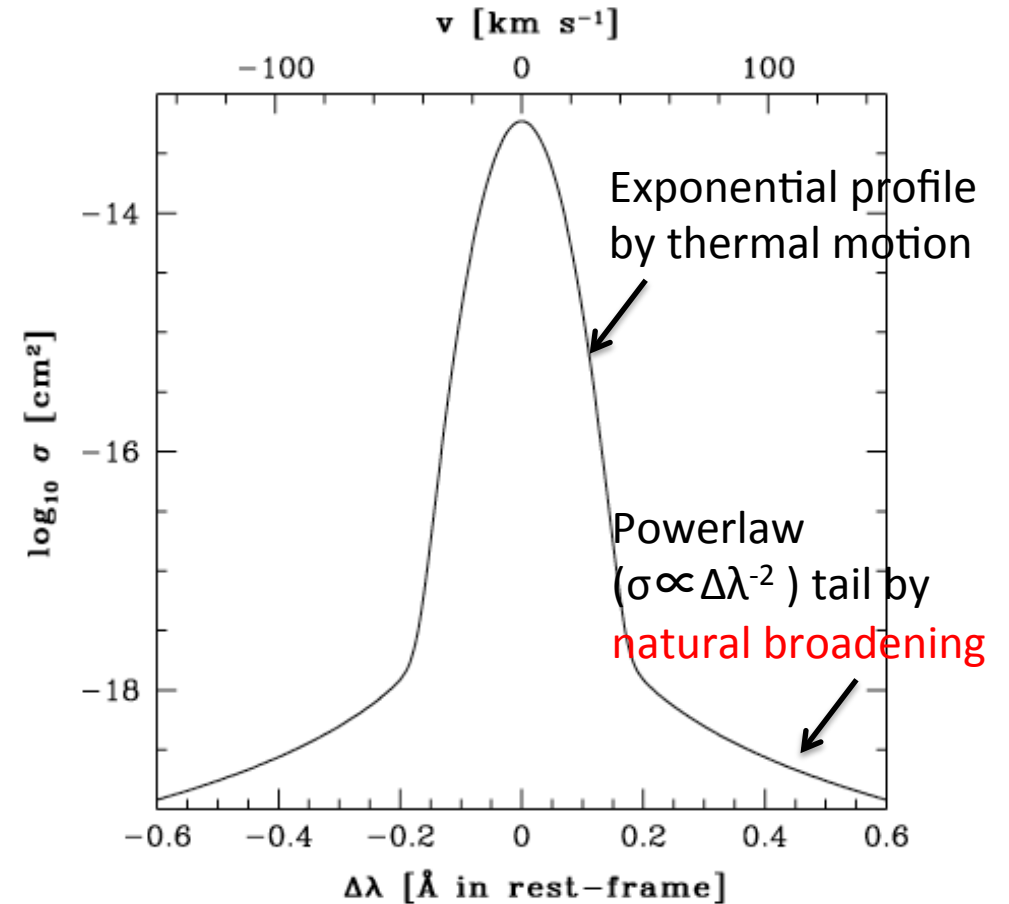
Finkelstein et al. (2013)



Oesch et al. (2015)

- Up to  $z \sim 7.7$ , near the hart of the EoR epoch (Plank2015)
  - (cf. photometric sample of LBGs/dropouts up to  $z \sim 10$ )
- A number of spec. confirmed galaxies at  $z=7-7.7$

# Lya Damping Wing Absorption for a Probe of Reionization

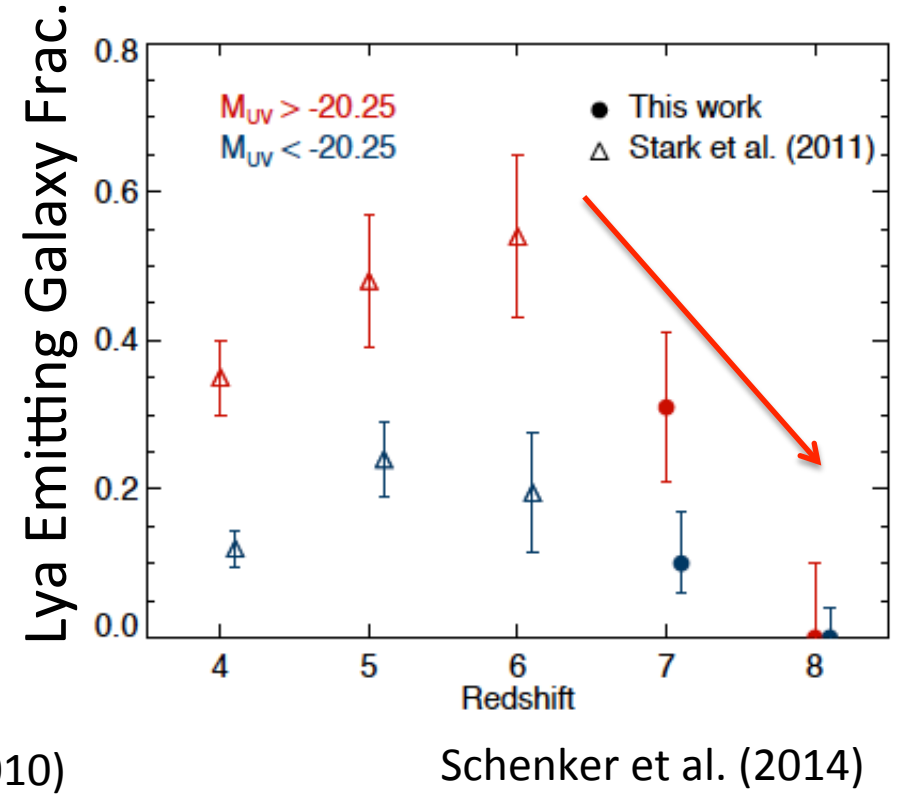
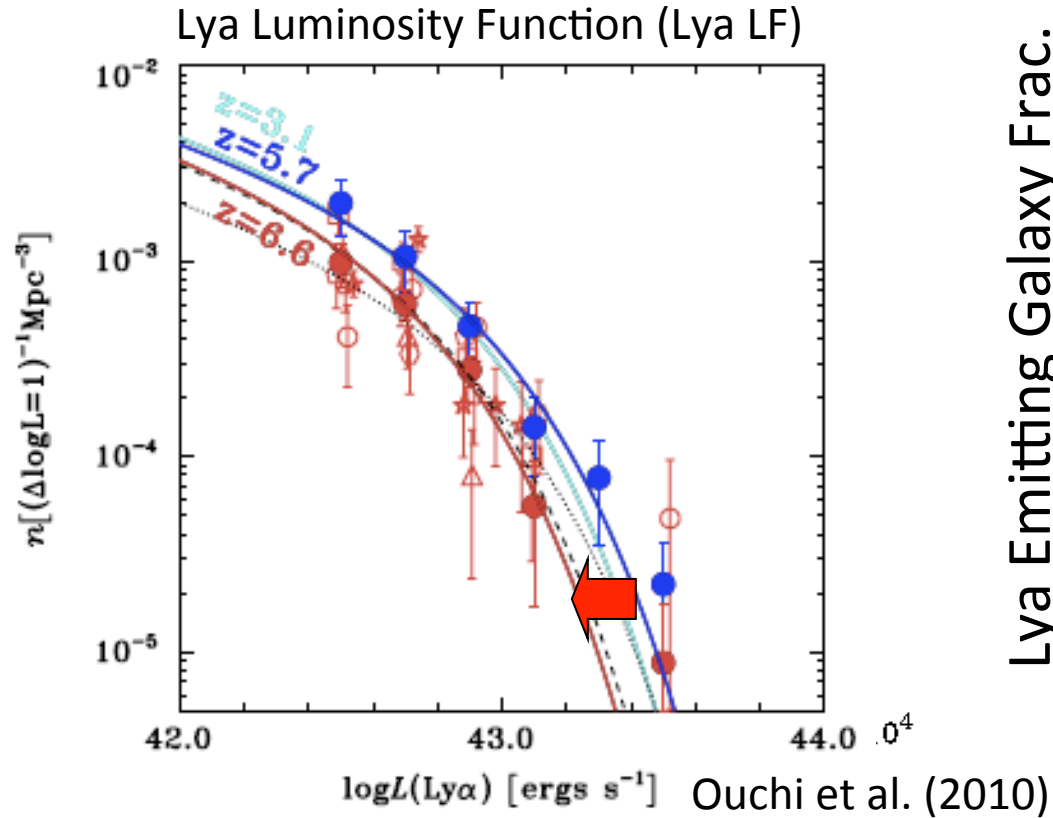


$$\sigma_V(v) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} M(v) \sigma_N(v - v_\alpha v/c) dv,$$

$$\sigma_N(v) = \frac{3\lambda_\alpha^2 A_{21}^2}{8\pi} \frac{(v/v_\alpha)^4}{4\pi^2(v - v_\alpha)^2 + (A_{21}^2/4)(v/v_\alpha)^6},$$

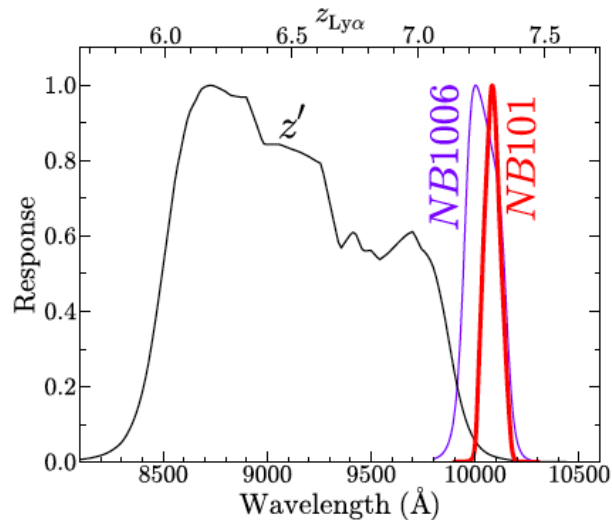
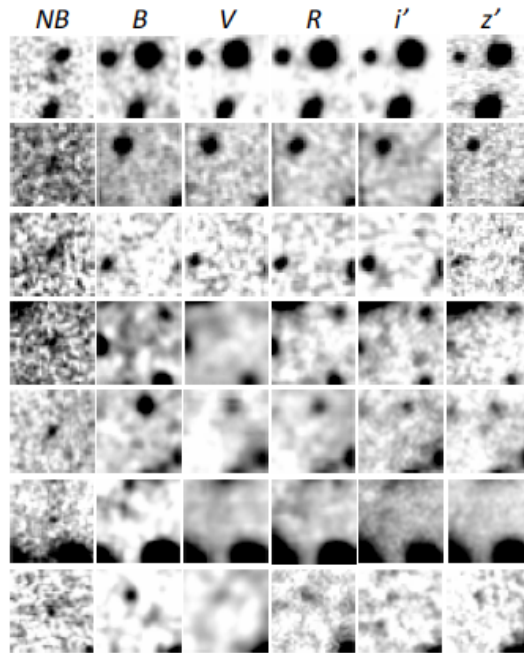
# Evolution of Ly $\alpha$ Emission Properties

## Signature of Reionization?

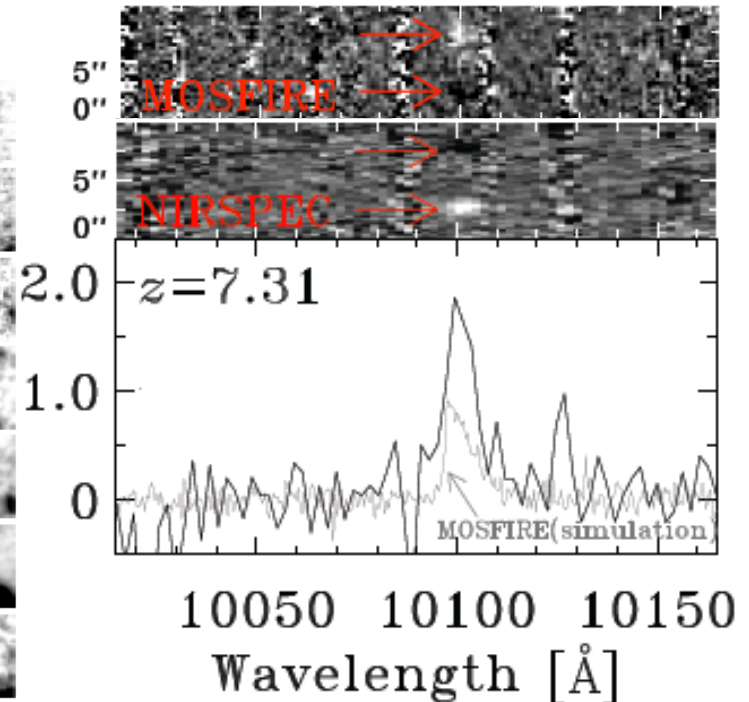


- Galaxy Ly $\alpha$  luminosity function (LF) decreases faster than UV LF decrease from  $z=5.7$  to  $6.6$  (e.g. Kashikawa+06,11, Ouchi+10).
- Dropping the fraction of Ly $\alpha$  emitting to all galaxies (e.g. Pentericci+11,14, Ono+12, Schenker+12,14, Treu+13).
- Strong damping wing abs in QSO and GRB spectra up to  $z \sim 7$  (Mortlock+11, Totani+14)

# Ultra-Deep Subaru NB Imaging Keck Spectroscopy for $z=7.3$ LAEs

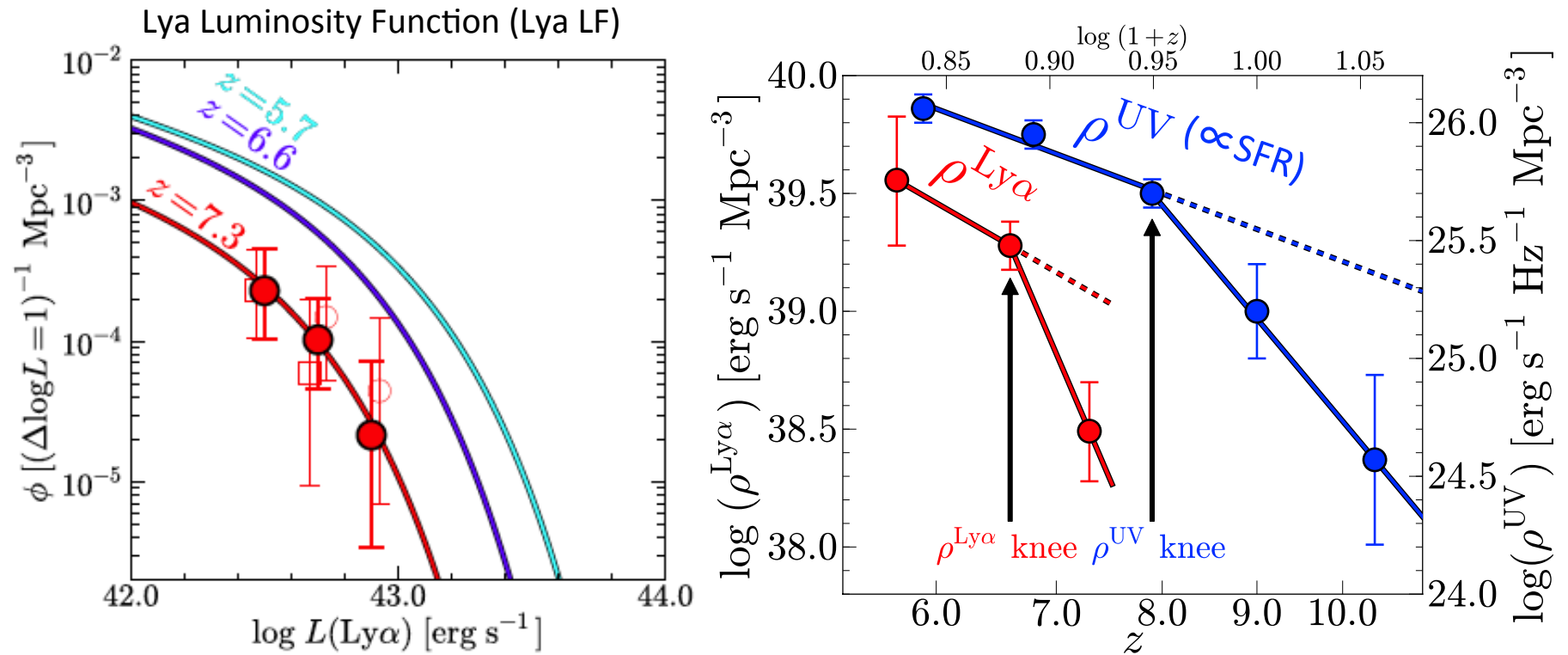


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- Ultra-deep Ly $\alpha$  emitter (LAE) survey for  $\sim 0.5 \text{ deg}^2$  with Subaru (106 hour integ.). At  $z=7.3$ , Konno+14 accomplish a comparable Ly $\alpha$  lum. depth as previous lower- $z$  ( $z=3-6$ ) survey. However, only 7 sources...  $\sim 1/10$  of the expected num if no evolution from  $z=6.6$ .

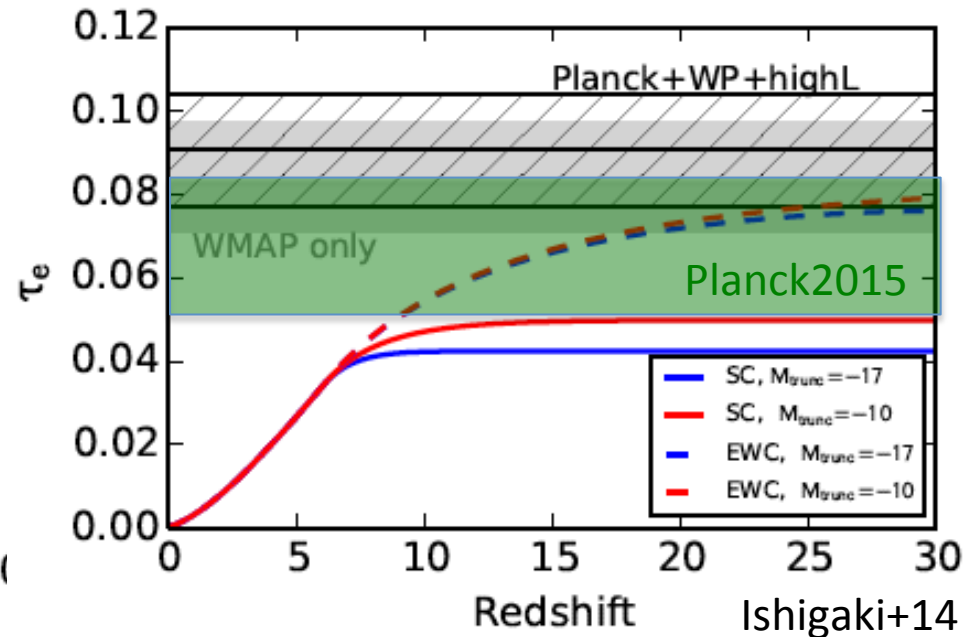
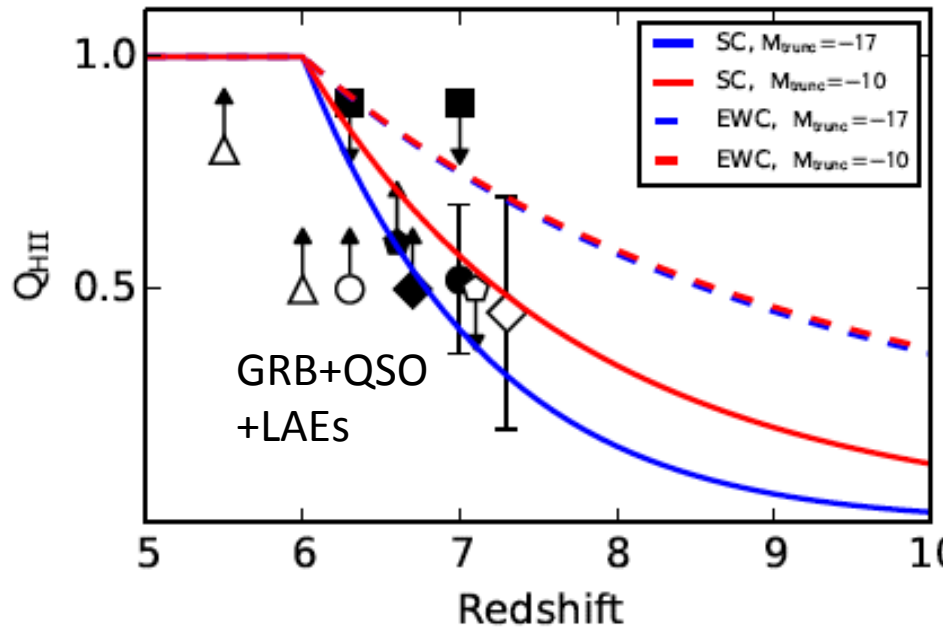
# Accelerated Evolution of Ly $\alpha$ Luminosity at $z > \sim 7$



Konno, MO et al. (2014)

- Decreasing Ly $\alpha$  LFs (and  $\rho_{\text{Ly}\alpha}$ ) from  $z=6.6$  even to  $7.3$ . Moreover, **the Ly $\alpha$  LF (and  $\rho_{\text{Ly}\alpha}$ ) is accelerated at  $z > \sim 7$ .**
- No accelerated evol. of UV LFs ( $\rho_{\text{UV}}$ ) at  $z \sim 7$ , but only at  $z > 8$ .
- If it is really caused by IGM abs. (cosmic reionization), the evolution of  $x_{\text{HI}}$  is rapid at  $z \sim 7$ .

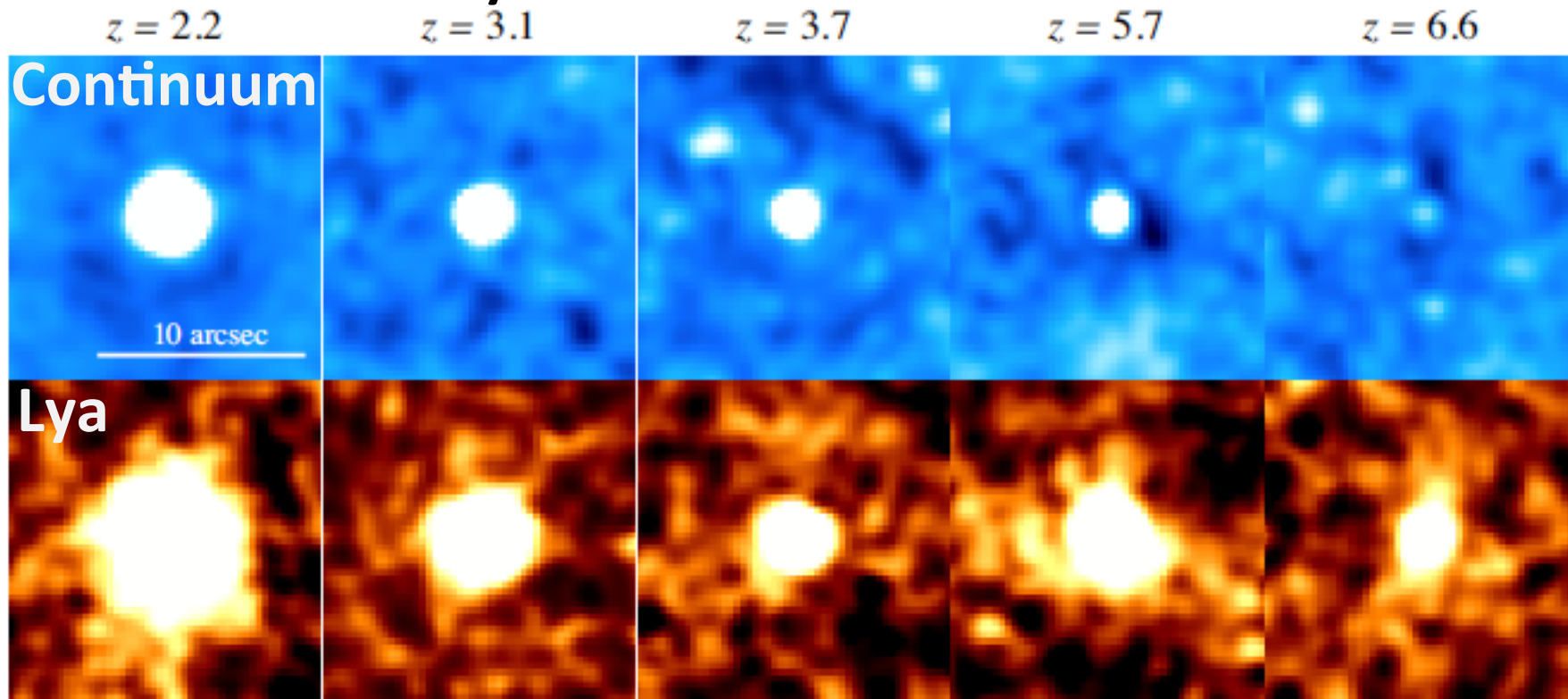
# CMB $\tau_e$ Comparison: Tension??



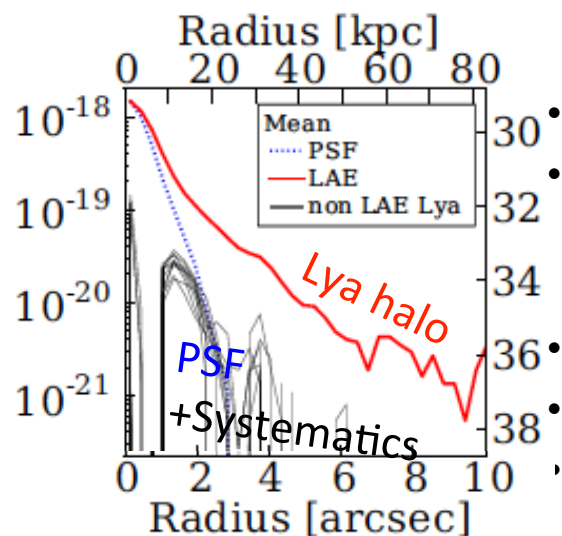
- $Q_{\text{HII}}$  ( $=1-x_{\text{HI}}$ ) estimates from the accelerated Ly $\alpha$  evolution.
  - Prefer moderately low  $Q_{\text{HII}}$  at  $z \sim 7$ . Late reionization.
- Tension w high  $\tau_e$  from CMB of WMAP & Planck2013.



# Extended Ly $\alpha$ Emission around SF Galaxies



Momose, MO et al., 2014



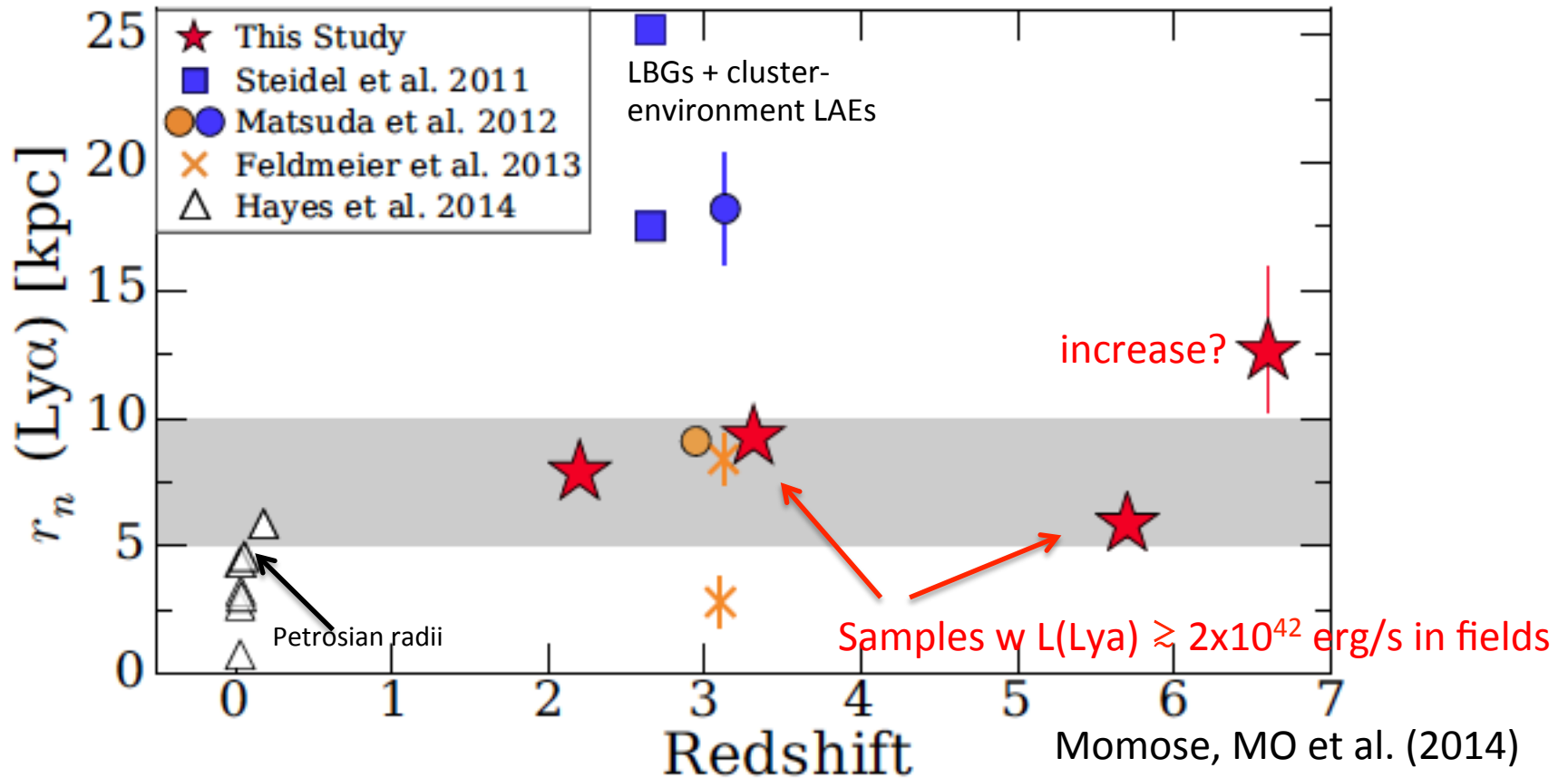
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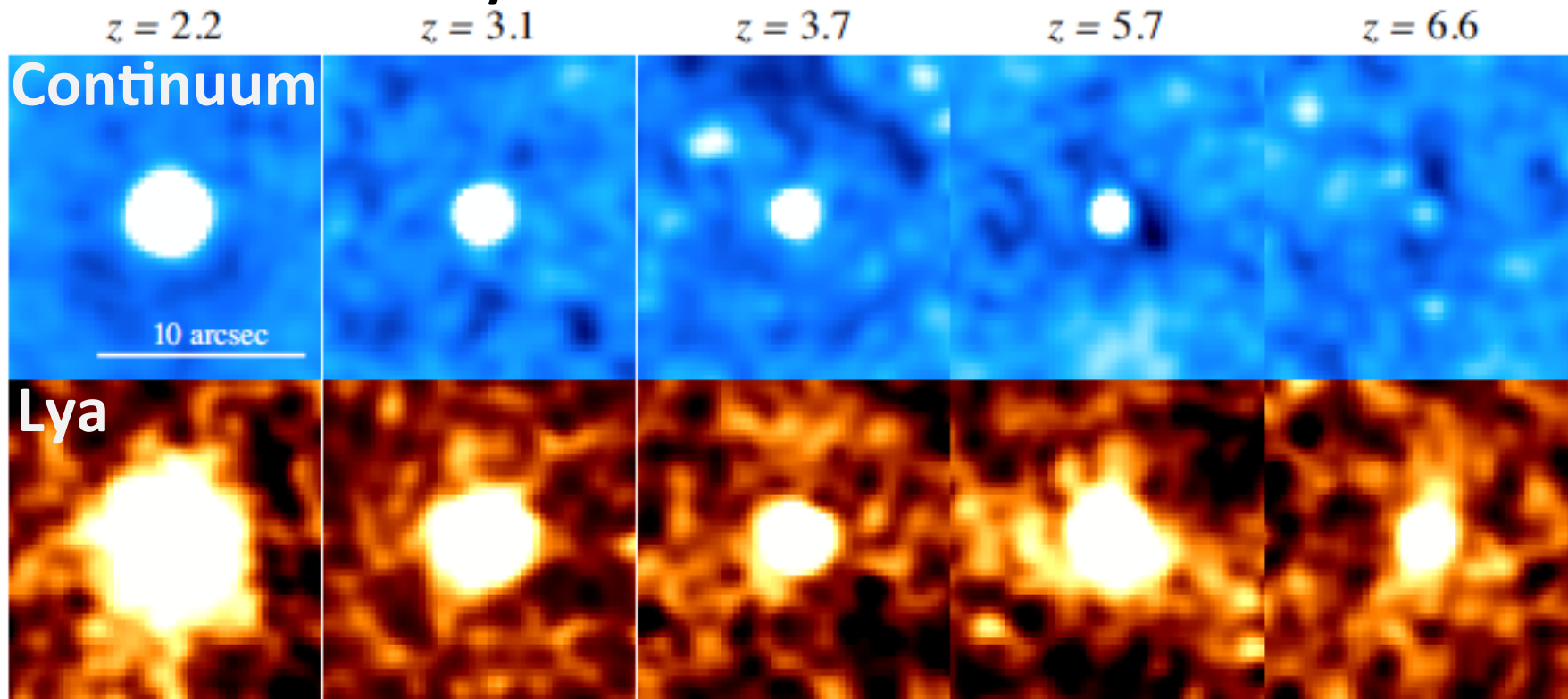
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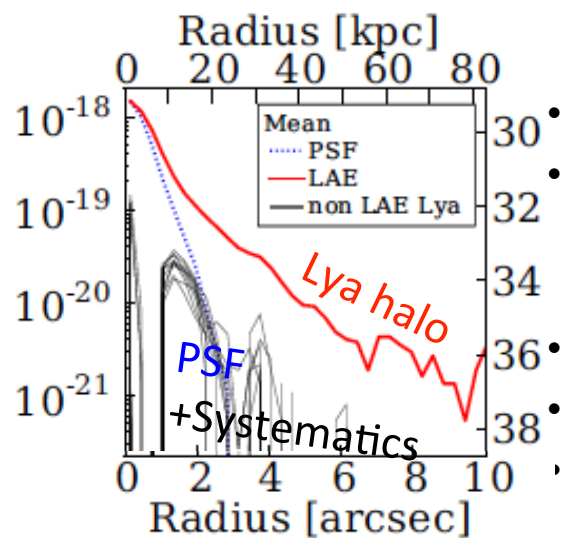


- Ly $\alpha$  profile is fit by exponential scale length,  $r_n$ , defined by  $S = C_n \exp(-r/r_n)$
  - For homogeneous samples of galaxies w  $L(\text{Ly}\alpha) \gtrsim 2 \times 10^{42}$  erg/s at  $z=2.2-6.6$ .
    - $r_n$  is nearly constant (5-10kpc) over  $z=2.2-5.7$
    - A hint of increase from  $z=5.7$  to  $z=6.6$ . Signature of increasing HI CGM that scatter Ly $\alpha$ ? Or just an up-scatter data point? ( $\rightarrow$ HSC survey).
- Ly $\alpha$  halo origin  $\rightarrow$  unclear. CGM/IGM scattering, cold accretion, satellite galaxies? (Lake+15)

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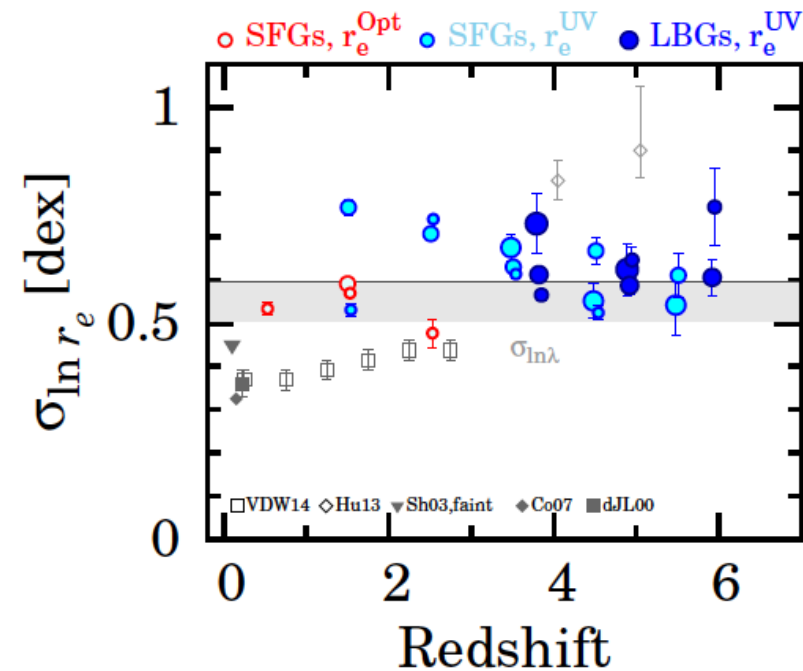
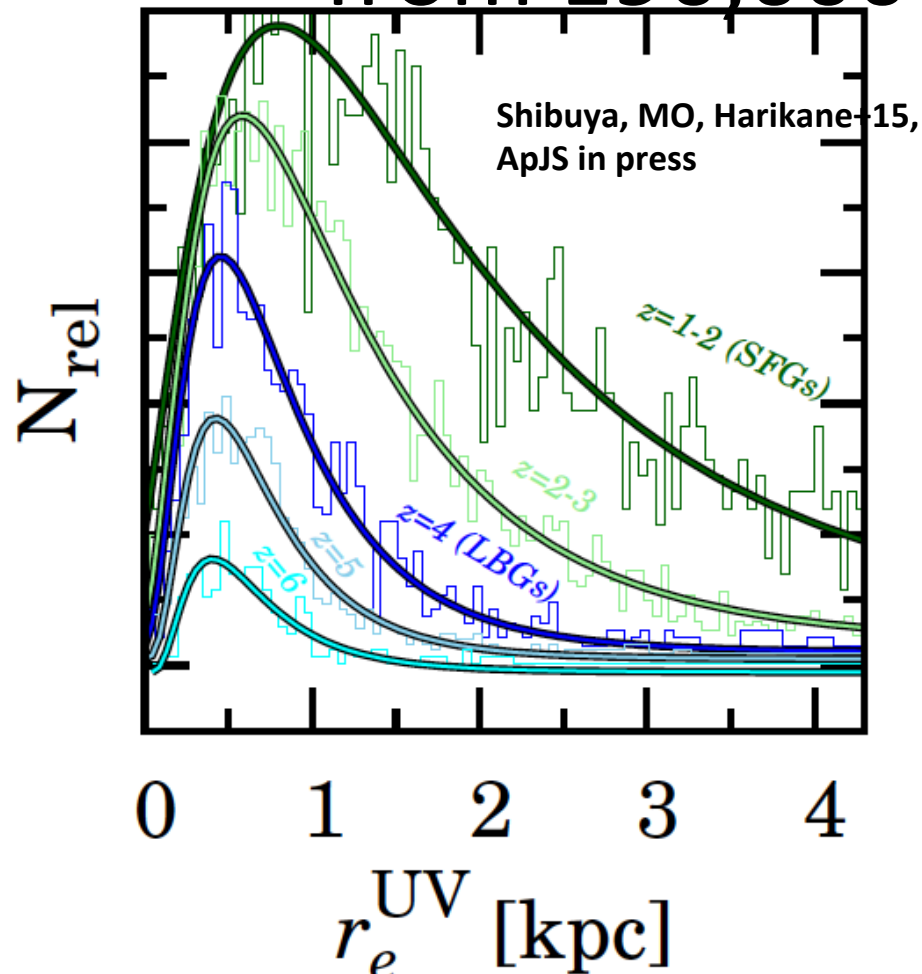
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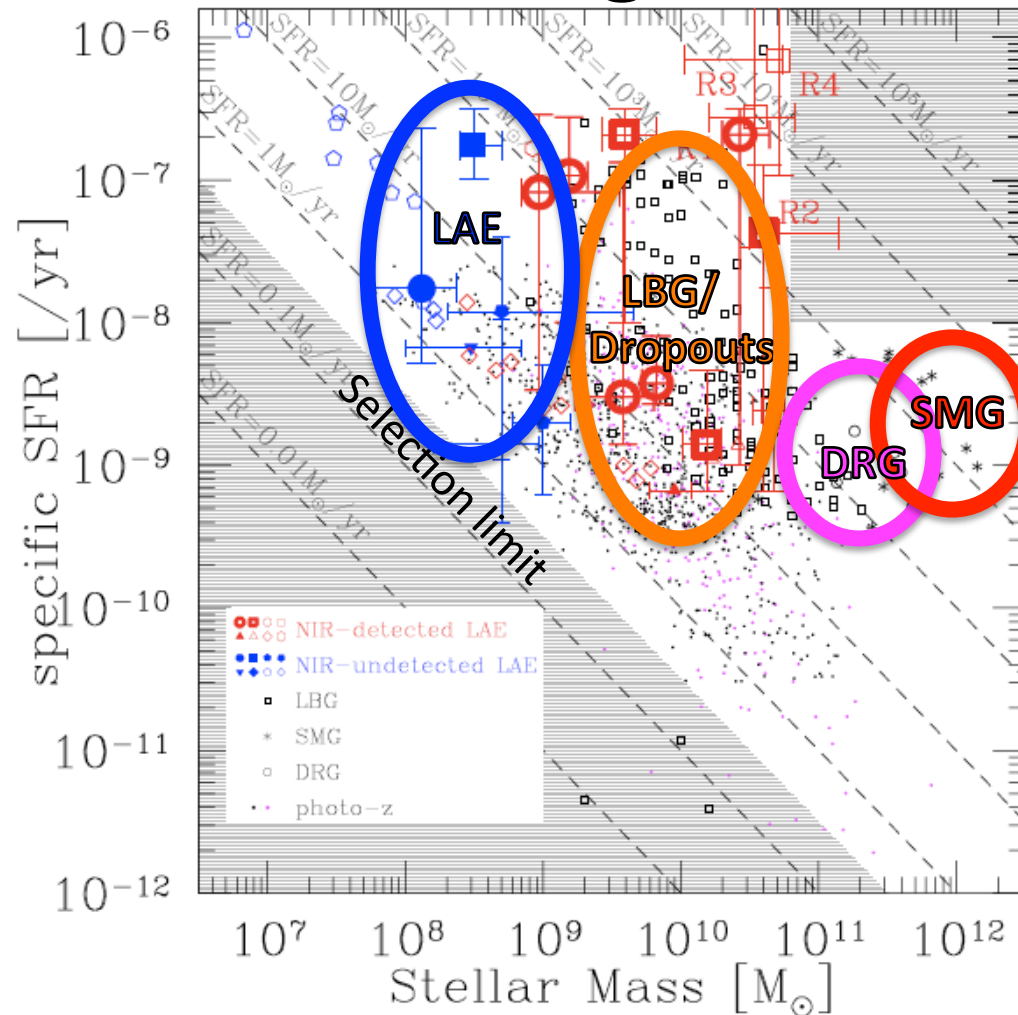
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# Galaxy Size Evolution at $z \sim 0-10$ from 190,000 HST Galaxies



- Log-normal distribution.  $\sigma(\ln r_e)$  is nearly constant  $\sim 0.6$ .
    - Similar to  $\lambda$  of halos from simulations.  $r_e$  related to halo kinematics  $\rightarrow$  dominant rot. motion
    - Median Sersic index  $n=1.5$ .
- $\rightarrow$  High- $z$  SF galaxies have **disk-like stellar components in dynamics and morphology**.  
Specific angular momentum  $i_{\star}/m_{\star} \sim 0.5$

# LAEs as Probes of High-z Low Mass Galaxy



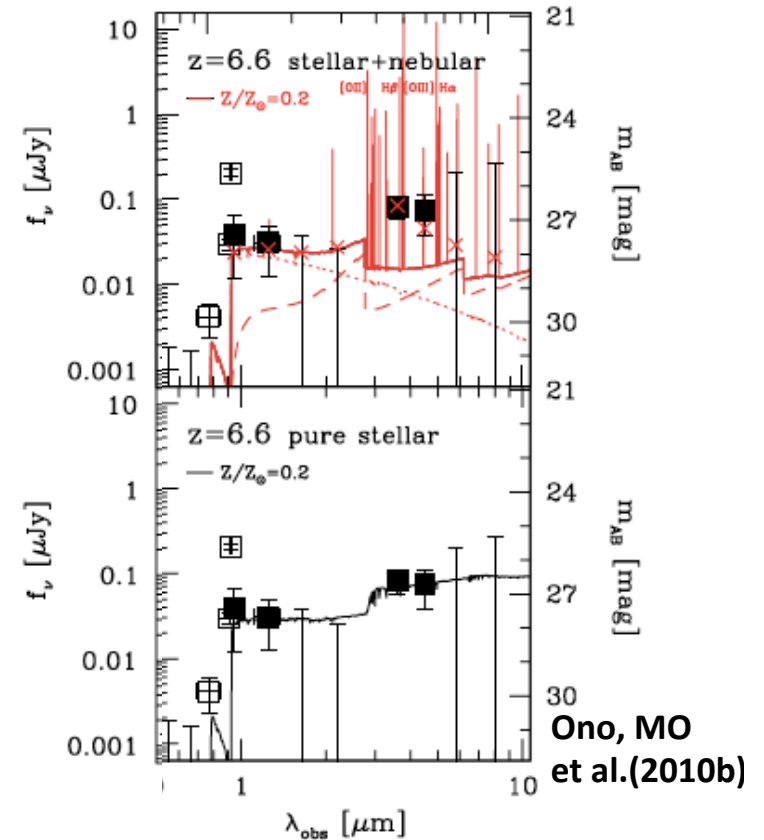
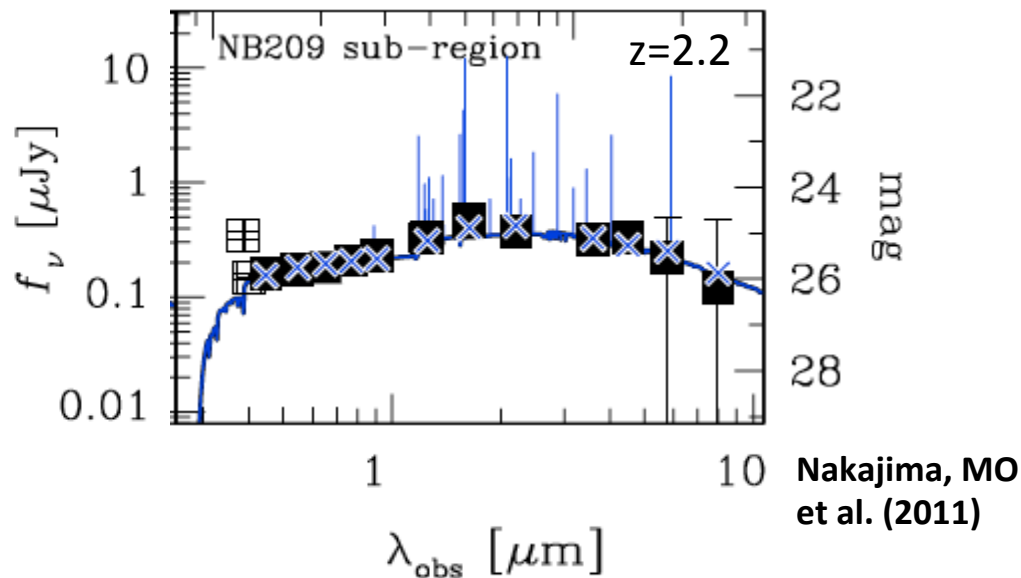
**z=3**

LAEs: Ono+10a, Finkelstein+09,  
Pirzkal+07, Lai+07, Gawiser+06  
LBGs: Shapley+03, Papovich+01,  
Iwata+05  
DRGs: van Dokkum+05  
SMGs: Borys+05, Chapman+05

**Ono, MO  
et al. (2010a)**

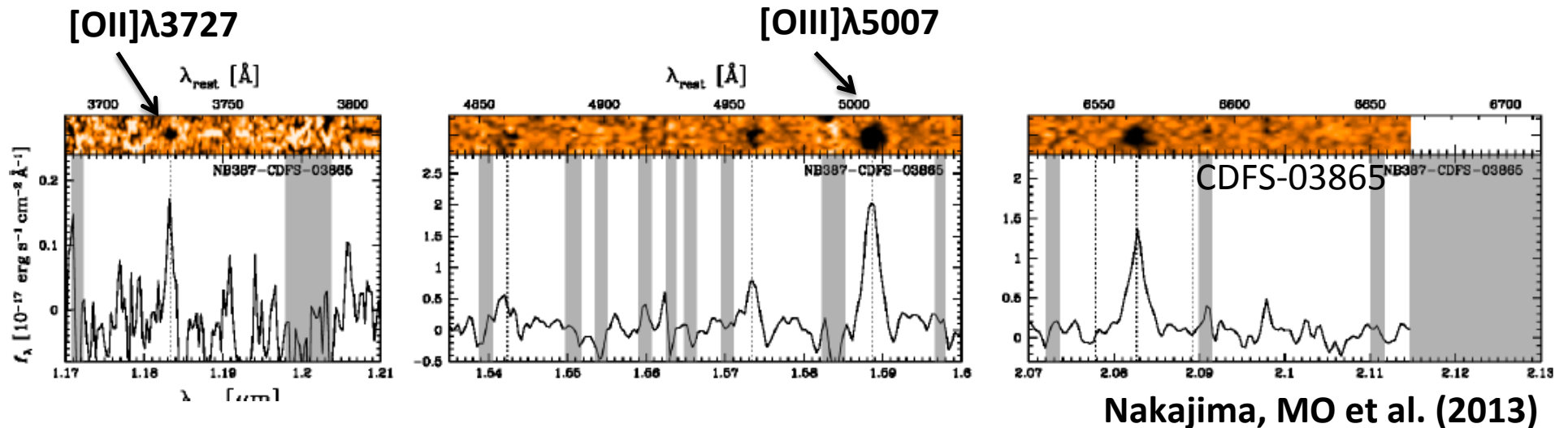
- At  $z \sim 3$ , **LAEs are the least massive population** among high-z galaxies, i.e. LBGs, DRGs and SMGs. The avg. mass of  $M_* \sim 10^{8-9} M_\odot$  at  $z \sim 3$ . High-z analog of dwarf galaxy.

# Stellar population w BC+Nebular Emission model



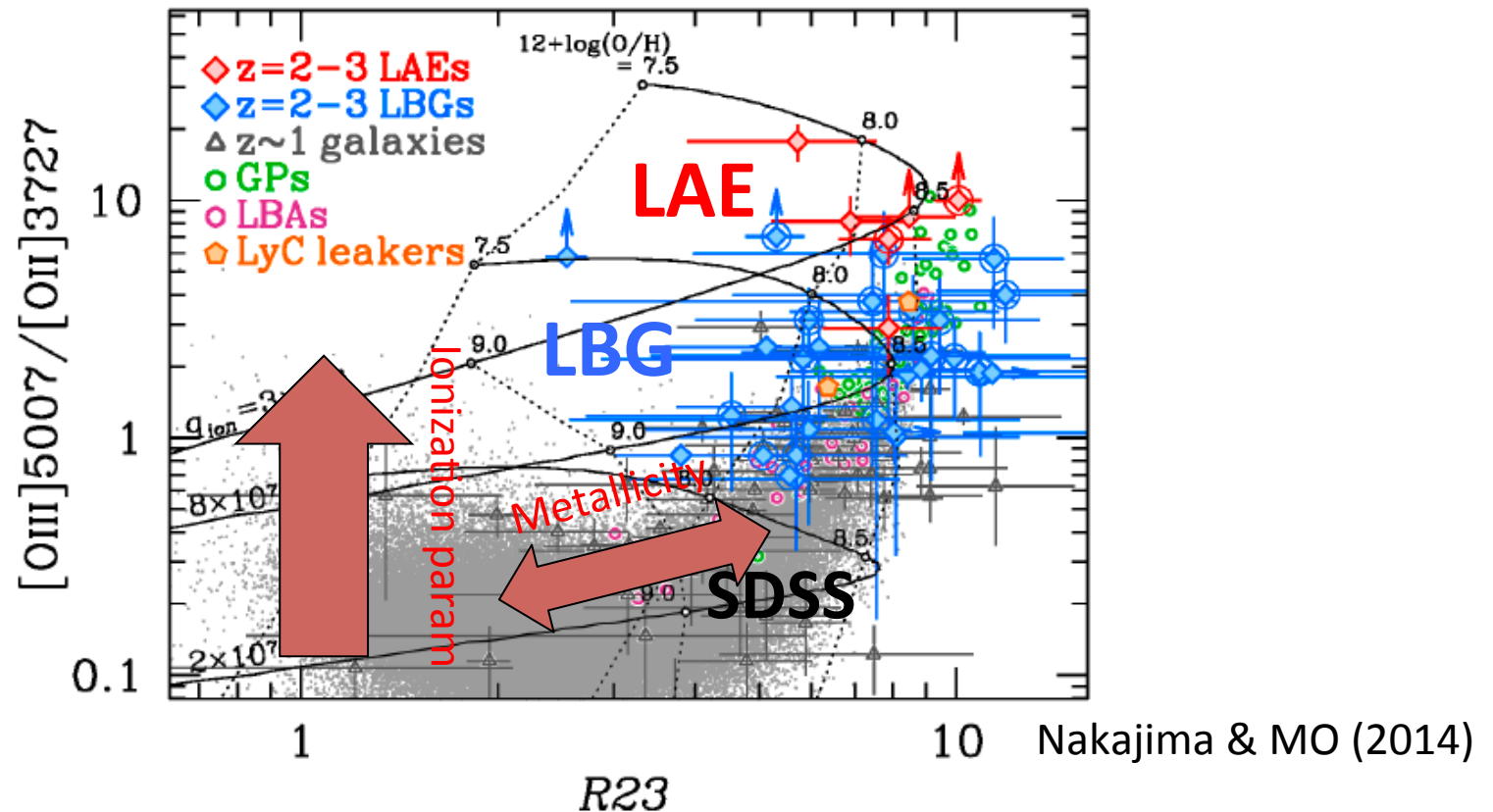
- Average LAEs at  $z=2-7$  ( $>\sim 3 \times 10^{42}$  erg/s)
  - Stellar Mass:  $10^8-10^9 M_\odot$
  - $E(B-V) \sim 0-0.2$ ; low extinction
  - SFR  $\sim 1-10 M_\odot/\text{yr}$ ; medium low SFR
  - Stellar age  $\sim 10$  Myr; young age

# Very High $f[\text{OIII}]/f[\text{OII}]$ ratio for LAEs?



- Deep NIR Spectra of Keck and Subaru for  $z \sim 2$  LAEs.
- Very large  $f[\text{OIII}]/f[\text{OII}] \sim 10$ . (cf. Local galaxies  $< \sim 1$ )
- No AGN (from the BPT diagram)
- Extinction? Extinction corrected by Balmer decrement.  
→ what does it mean?

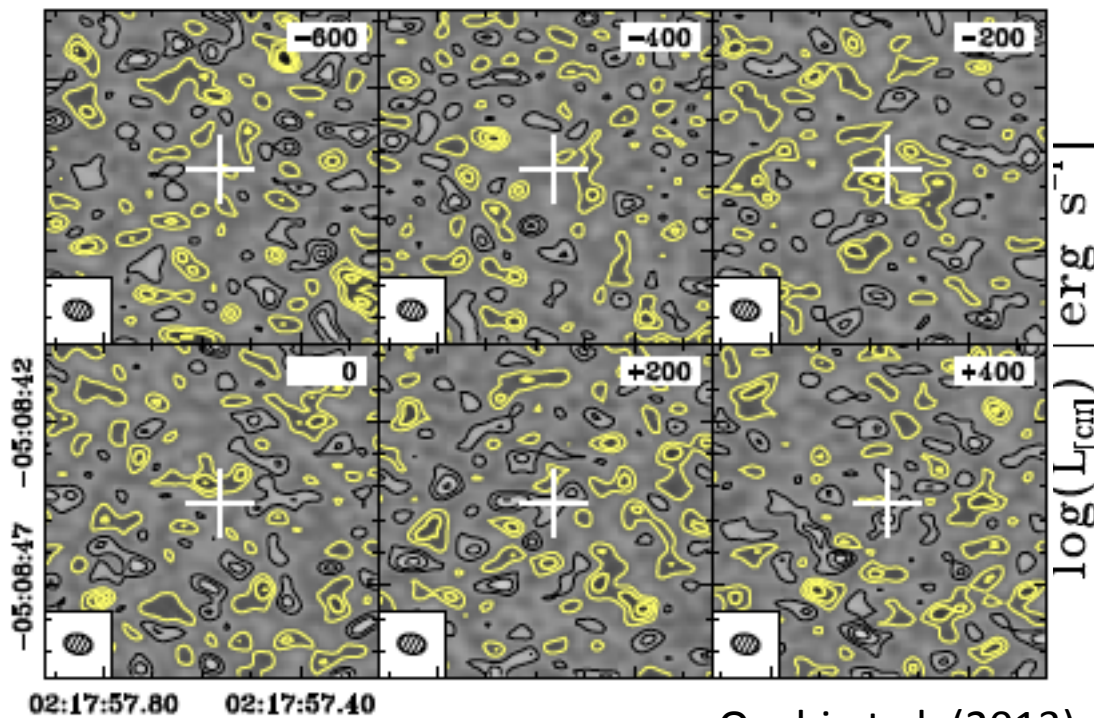
# High Ionization Parameter at $z \sim 2-3$



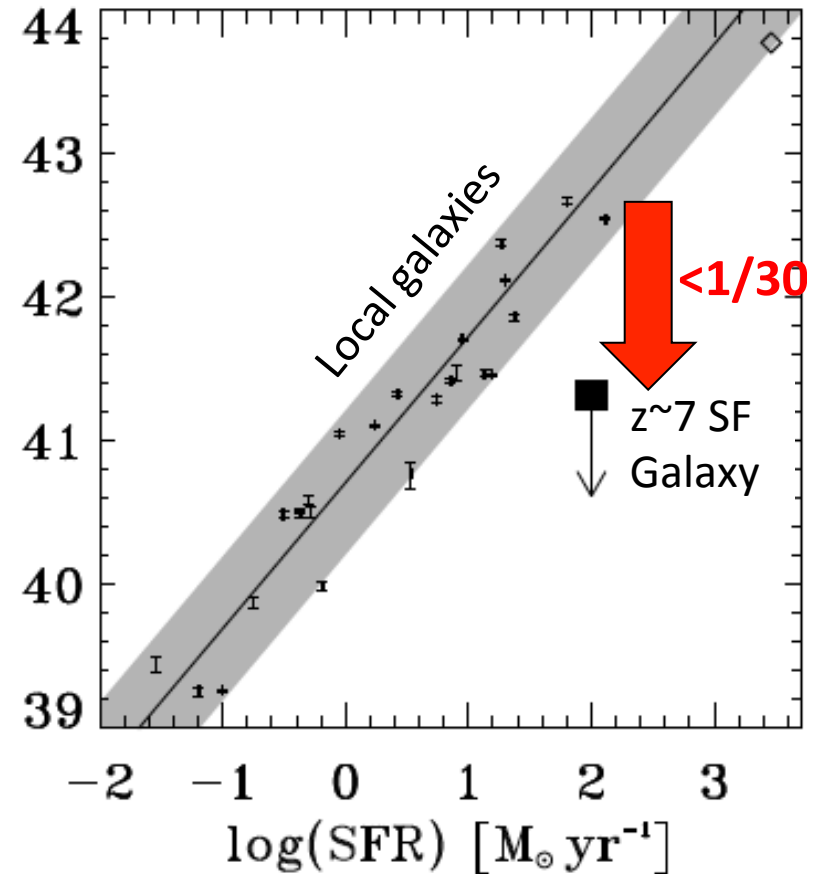
- $f[OIII]/f[OII]$  ratios of  $z \sim 2-3$  LBGs/LAEs are  $\sim \times 10-100$  higher than SDSS galaxies
  - High ionization parameter,  $\text{Log}(q_{ion} / \text{cm s}^{-1}) \sim 8-9$  (Nakajima, MO+13, Nakajima&MO+14; See also Kewley+13)
- Average ionization parameter increases towards high- $z$ .
  - Very efficient ionizing photon production, due to young stellar population w a given hydrogen mass.  $\rightarrow$  ISM state different from typical low- $z$  dwarf galaxies



# ALMA Obs for [CII] 158 $\mu$ m of z $\sim$ 7 SF Galaxy



Ouchi et al. (2013)



No [CII].  $L([\text{CII}]) < 5.4 \times 10^7 L_{\odot}$ .

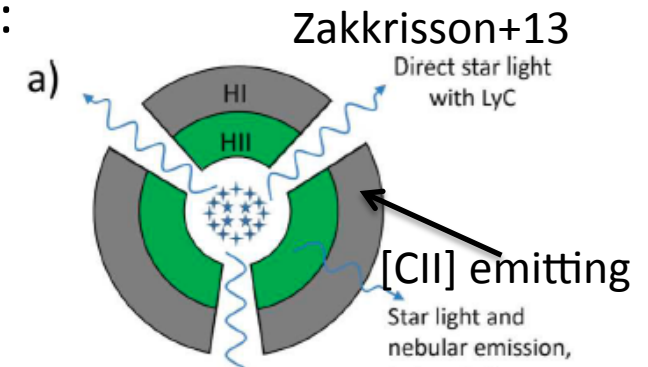
- Lying off from the local  $L([\text{CII}])$ -SFR relation by  $\sim 1/30$ x.
- Very weak [CII]. Possibilities are
  - 1) AGN, 2) a large column density of dust (No, due to no detection of dust cont.),
  - 3) low metallicity (e.g. IZw18. Local [CII]-metallicity rel.; de Looze+14)
  - 4) high density PDR (e.g. z $\sim$ 0.5 ULIRGs, e.g. Rigopoulou+14)
  - 5) small size of PDR due to high ionization state (e.g. z $\sim$ 2-3 gal; Nakajima+13, Kewley+13)

# High Escape Fraction of Ionizing Photons?

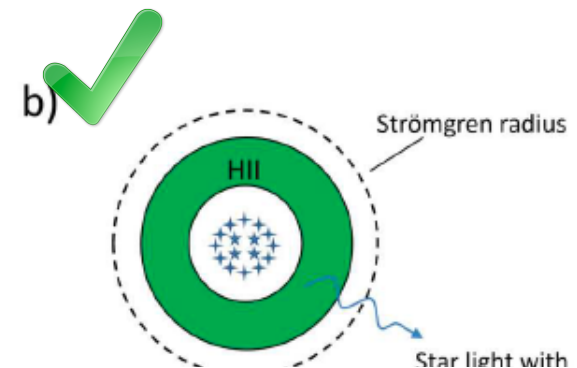
- Increase of ionization parameters towards high- $z$  : more ionizing photons per hydrogen atoms (Nakajima&MO+14)
- [CII] emission of a  $z\sim 7$  SF galaxy weaker: small PDR? (Ouchi+13, Ota+14, Maiolino+15)

→ Both obs results are explained by the density-bounded nebula of ISM. If so,  $f_{\text{esc}}$  is high and Ly $\alpha$  production is low.

- Photoionization (Cloudy) models for density-bounded nebulae → There is a sharp decrease of Ly $\alpha$  emission for a high  $f_{\text{esc}}$ . (Nakajima&MO 2013; see also Dijkstra et al. 2014)



**Ionization-bounded nebula**



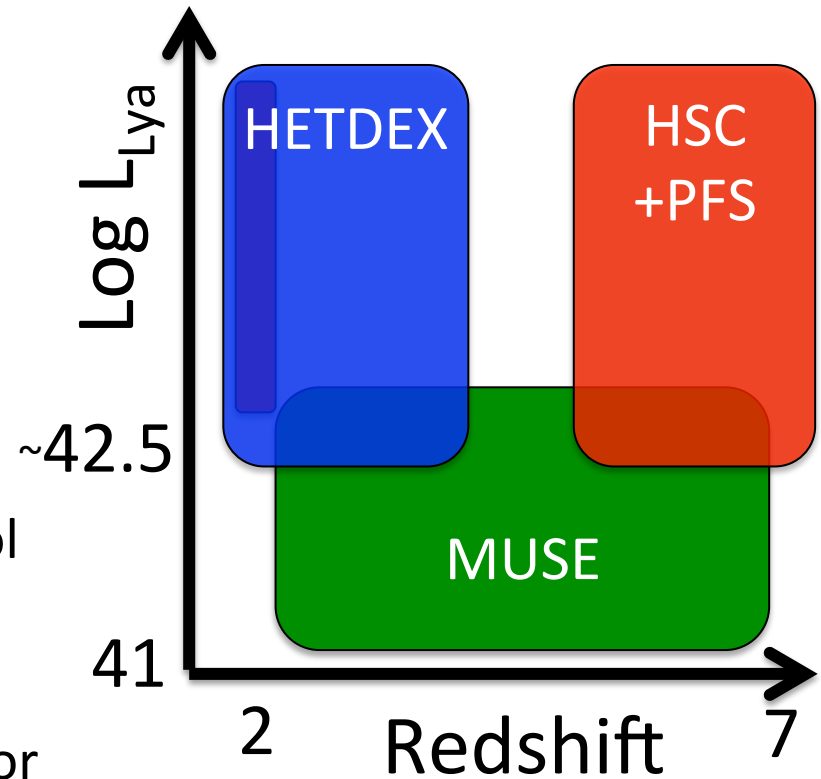
**Density-bounded nebula**

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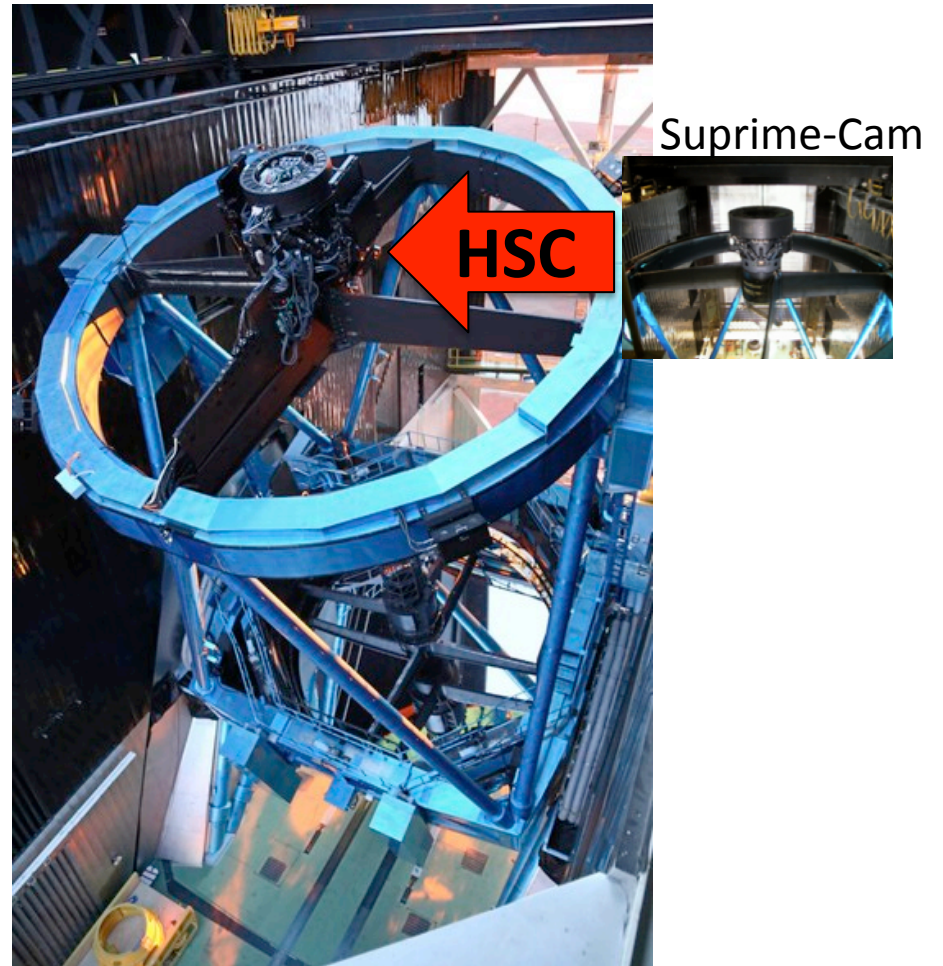
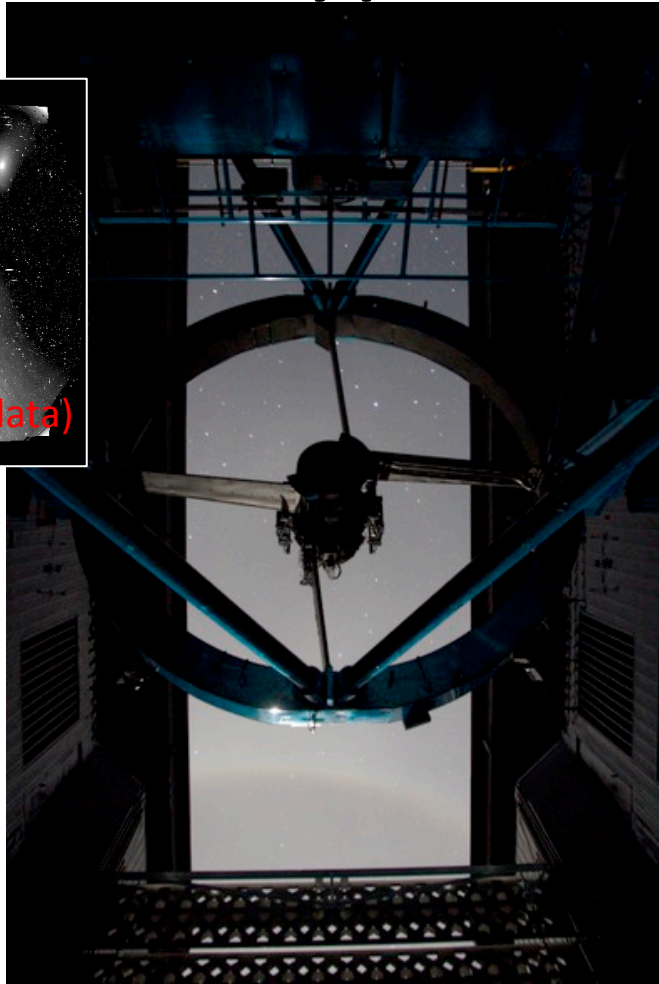
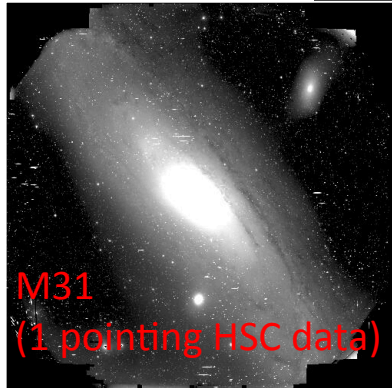
# **FUTURE/ON-GOING LAE SURVEYS**

# Large Surveys for LAEs

- **HETDEX**
  - ~1 million LAEs at  $z=2-4$
  - Goals: LAE evol + environment
- **Subaru/HSC+PFS**
  - ~9k LAEs at  $z\sim 2$  (40  $z=7.3$  LAEs)
  - ~10k LAEs at  $z=5.7$  and  $6.6$
  - ~1k LABs at  $z=2-7$  etc.
  - Goals: 1.  $x_{\text{HI}}$ , B-Topology 2. LAE/LAB evol
- **VLT/MUSE (+Keck/CWI)**
  - ~200 night obs: ~6k for  $z=3-4$ , ~800 for  $z=5-6$  of LAEs ( $z=2.8-6.6$ ) down to ~1/10  $F(\text{Ly}\alpha; \text{NB})$
  - Goals: LAEs at the faint-end LF



# Subaru/Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC)

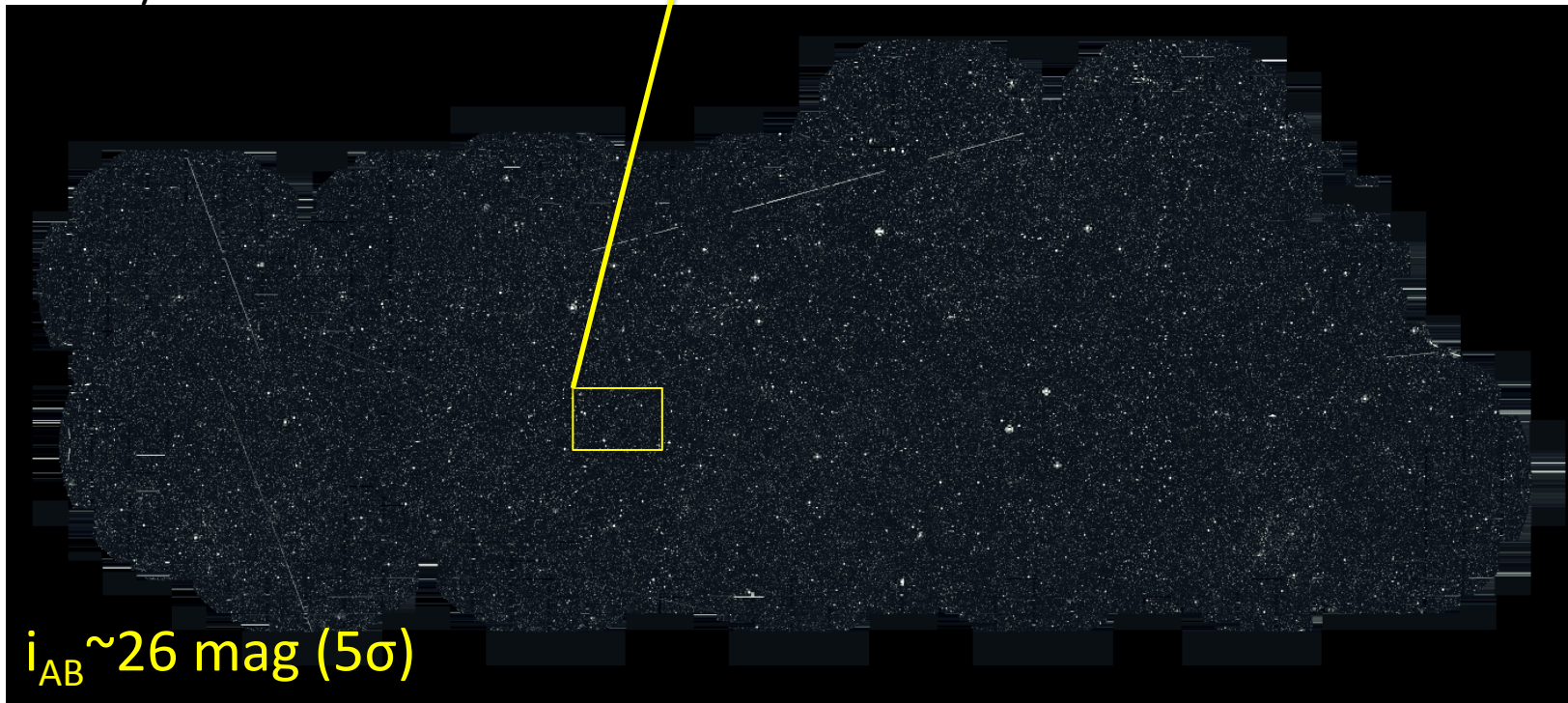
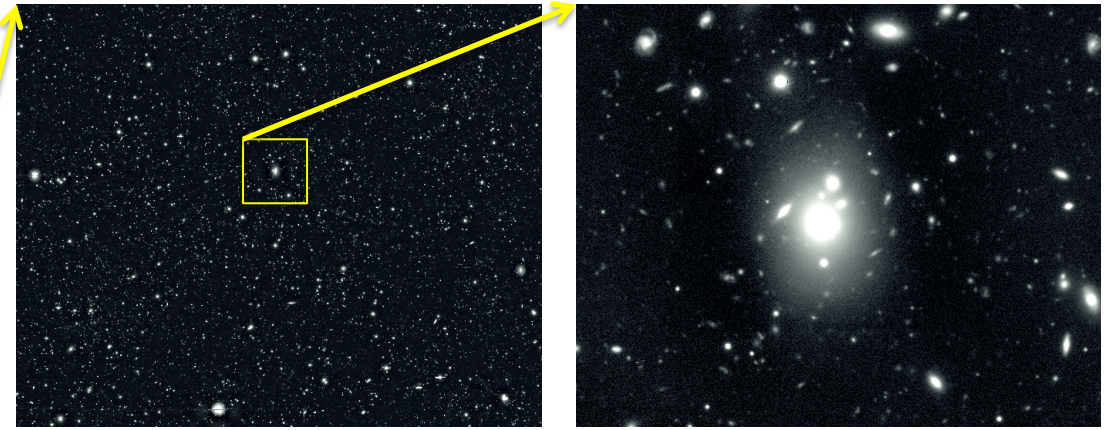


c) HSC Builder's blog

- Subaru optical imager w a 1.5deg-diameter FoV, 7x larger than previous Suprime-Cam.
- Subaru/HSC survey has started since spring 2014 under the collaboration of JP/US/TW.
- Spending 300 nights in 5 years
- Slowly started.  $\sim 10\%$  of observations are completed so far. But, now observations are conducted faster than the past year.

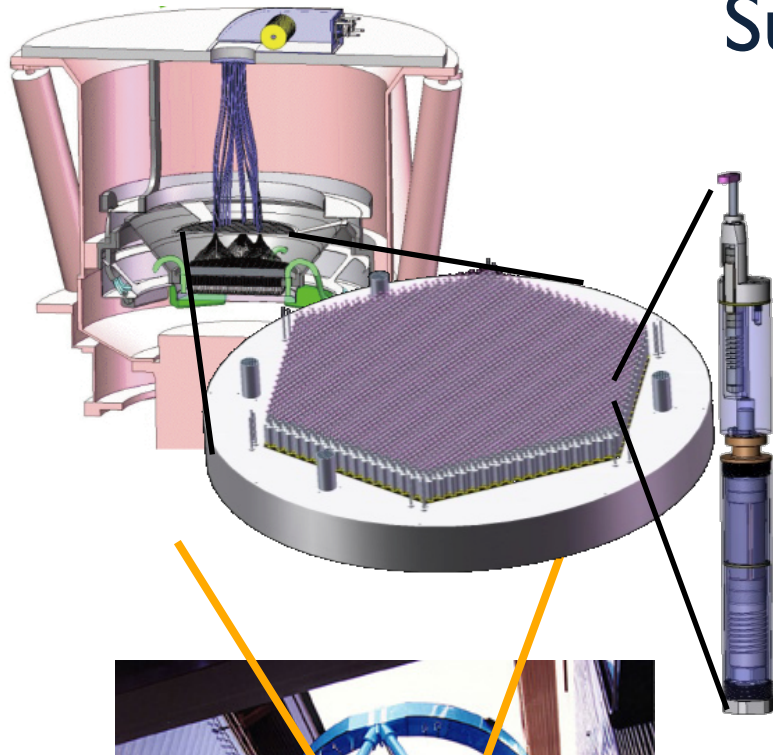
# First HSC Survey Data

Miyazaki et al.



- HSC 20 deg<sup>2</sup> data in GAMA field (one of HSC survey fields).
- It took only ~3 hours! Seeing: 0.4-0.6 arcsec (FWHM).
- See Harikane's talk for the early HSC results.

# Subaru/Prime Focus Spectrograph (PFS)



- ★ Multi-object fiber spectrograph for Subaru under the collaboration of Japan, Princeton, JHU, Caltech/JPL, LAM, Brazil, ASIAA. **Planned first light in 2018**
- ★ Share WFC with HSC → →  
**Fiber density: 2200/sq. degs** (↔ ~140 for BOSS; ~570 for DESI)

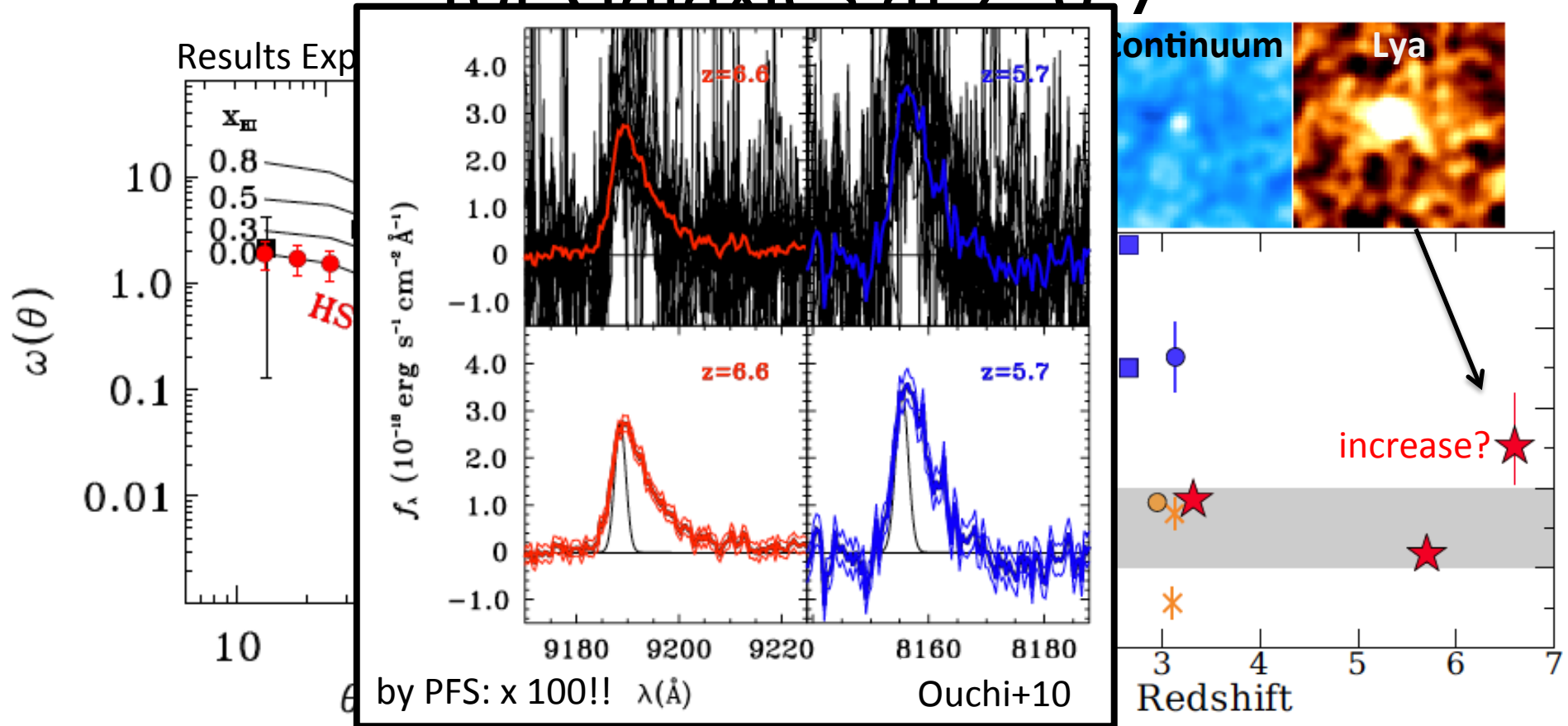
Number of fibers	2400		
Field of view	1.3 deg <sup>2</sup> (hexagonal-diameter of circumscribed circle)		
Fiber diameter	1.13" diameter at center	1.03" at the edge	
	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>NIR</b>
Wavelength range [nm]	380-650	630-970 (706-890)	940-1260
Central resolving power	~2350	~2900 (~5000)	~4200
Detector type	CCD	CCD	HgCdTe



Adapted: M. Takada's slide

Approved by Preliminary Design Review (2013)

# Subaru/HSC+PFS Surveys for Galaxies at $z \sim 6-7$

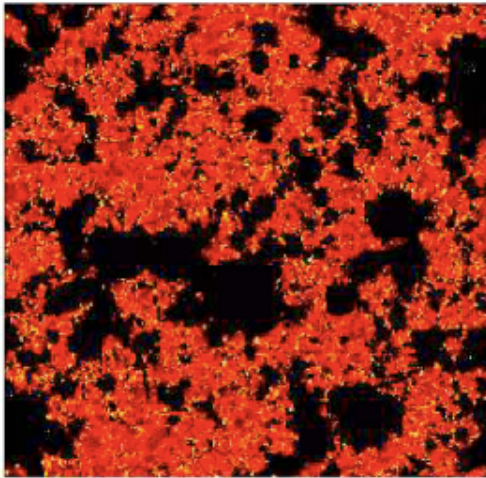


- HSC survey: Clustering of LAEs  $\rightarrow$  imprint of **ionized bubble of IGM** (e.g. McQuinn+07, Ouchi+10).
- **HSC survey w 10k LAEs at  $z=6-7 \rightarrow \delta x_{\text{HI}}=0.1$ .** Bubble topology  $\rightarrow$  Physical processes (inside-out, filament-last, etc.)
- Testing for HI cloud absorbers from the combination of Ly $\alpha$  LF and clustering via numerical models (see Mesinger's talk)
- **Ly $\alpha$  halo evolution at  $z>6$ .**

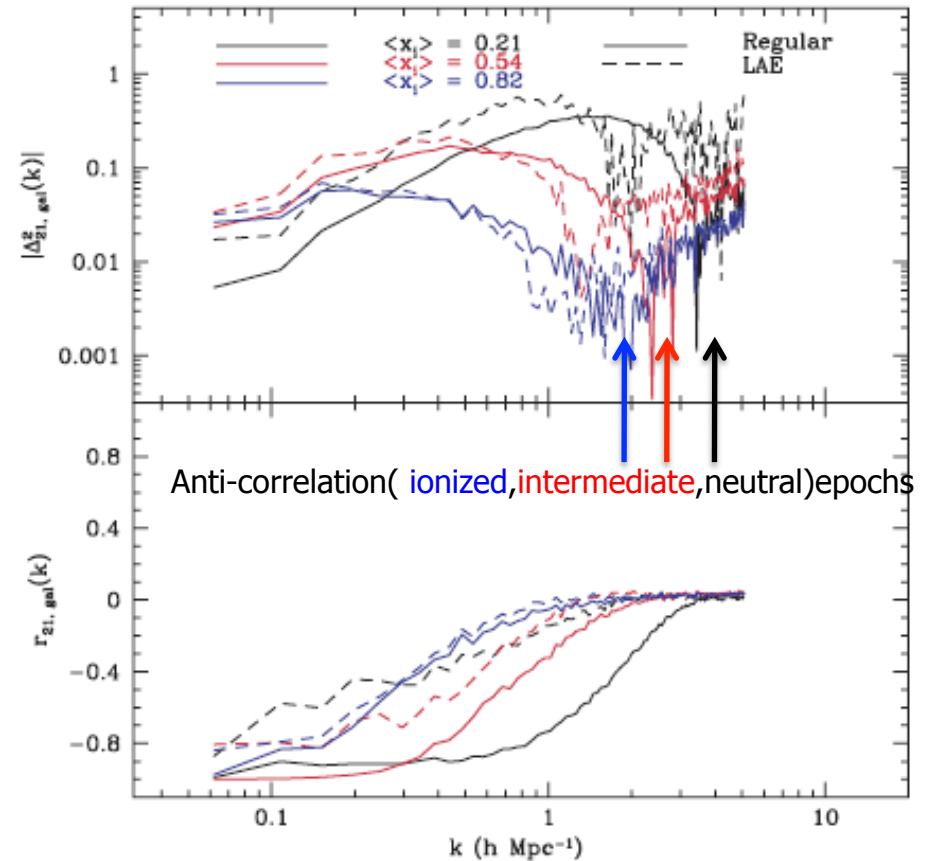
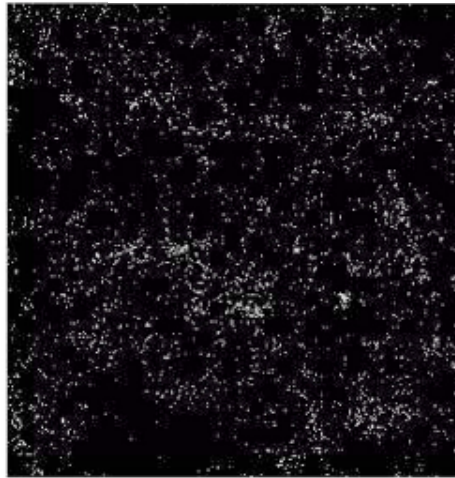


# Subaru/HSC x LOFAR 21cm

21cm



Galaxies



Lidz et al. (2009)

- Collaboration with LOFAR team (Zaroubi et al.)
- HI distributions (from 21cm) and galaxies (from optical) anti-correlate.
- Distance scales of anti-correlation → ~Inside-out (typical sizes of ionized bubbles at the epoch)
- 21cm-galaxy cross-power spectrum. LOFAR 21cm+ Subaru/HSC(+PFS) survey in ELAIS-N1 → ~3 $\sigma$  detection of signal (Lidz+09).

# Summary

- Ly $\alpha$  emitters as for a reionization probe
  - Subaru ultra-deep survey
    - accelerated evolution of the Ly $\alpha$  LFs at  $z > \sim 7$
  - Late reionization. Tension between  $x_{\text{HI}}$  and  $\tau_e$  estimates?
    - Consistent w Planck2015 results
  - A possible increase of Ly $\alpha$  halo scale lengths at  $z > 6$ ?
- Ly $\alpha$  emitter physical properties and ionizing photon escape
  - Increase of ionization parameters towards high- $z$
  - [CII] emission of  $z \sim 7$  SF galaxy weaker significantly
    - Density-bounded nebula? Making a  $f_{\text{esc}}$  larger?
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