

**The coevolution of galaxies and
black holes in the past 10 Gyrs**



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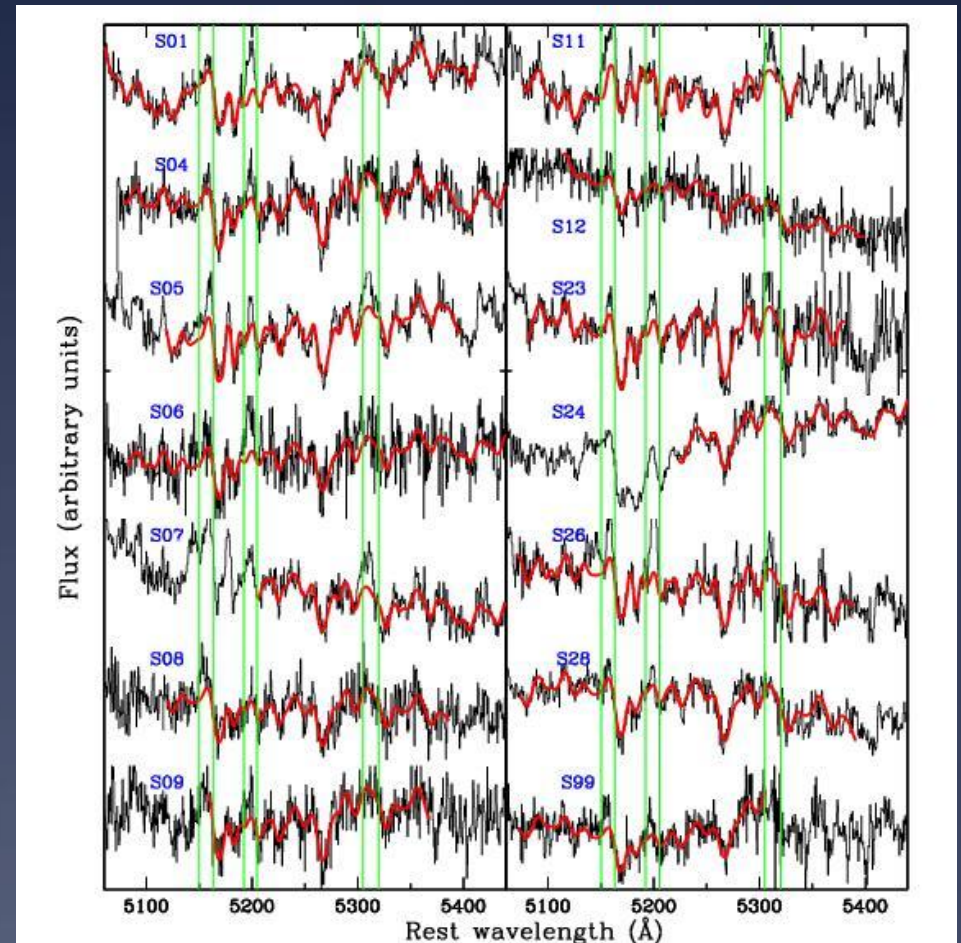
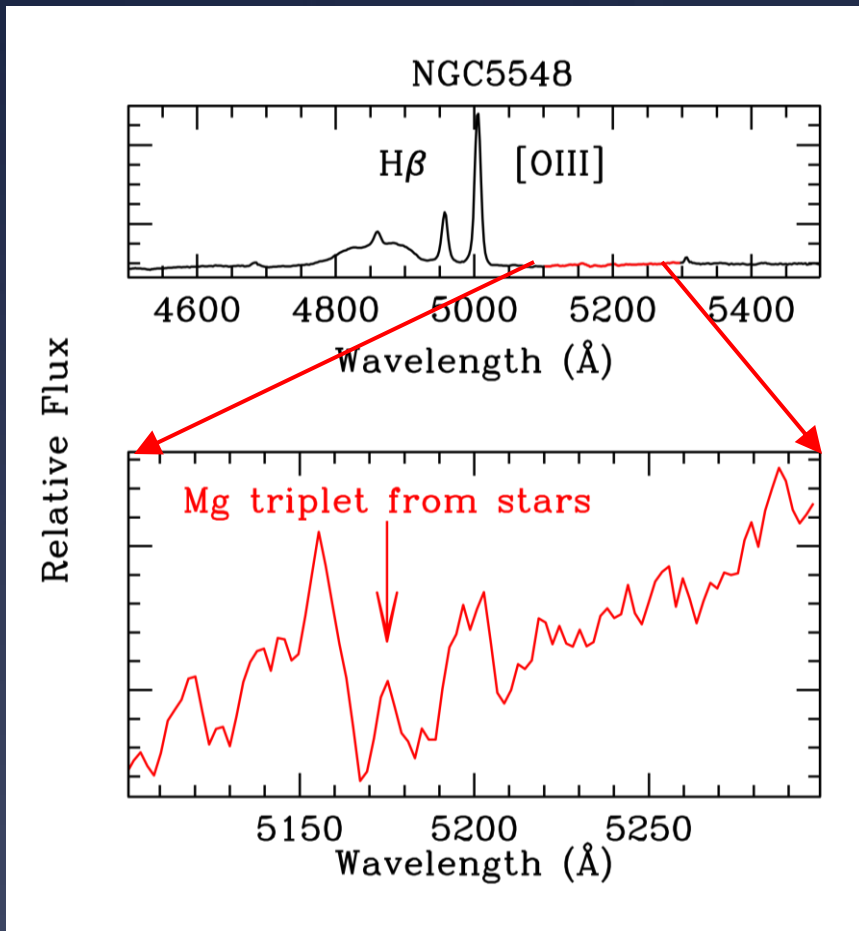
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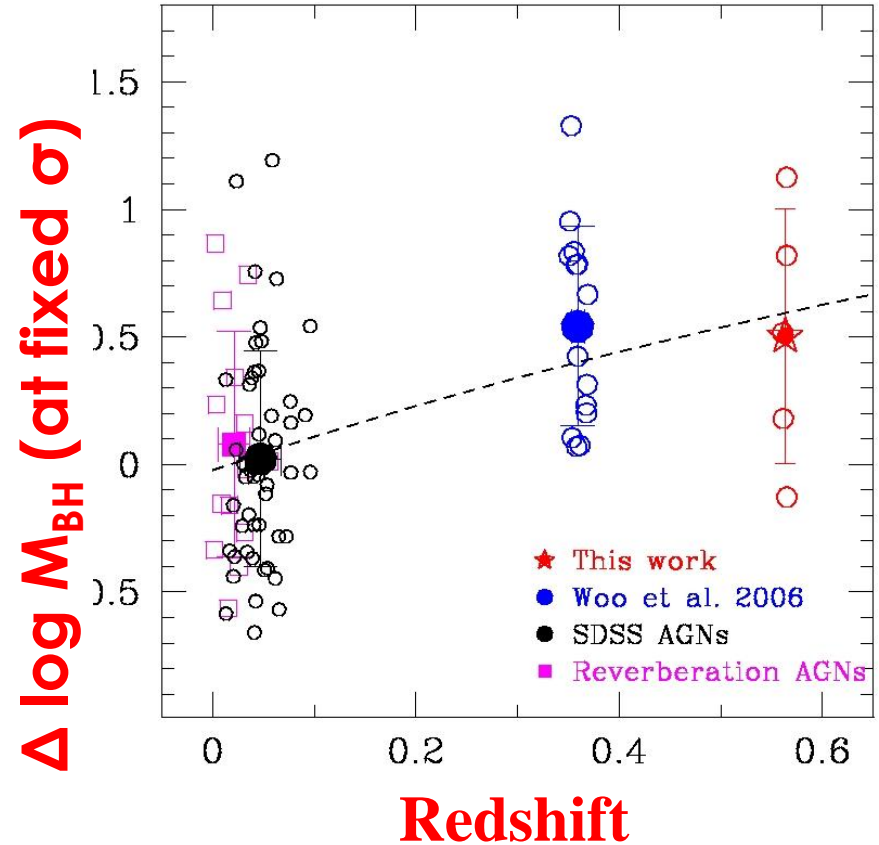
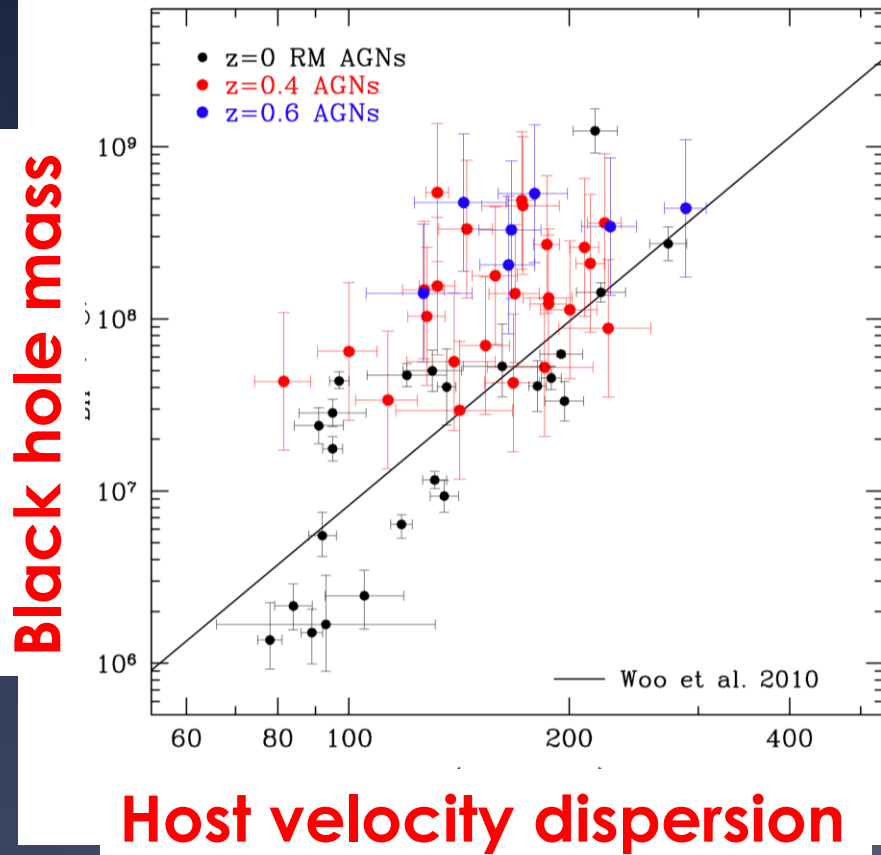
How do black-holes and spheroids know about each other?

- The local MBH-sigma/ M^* relation are remarkable
- Black hole and galaxies evolve over cosmic time, in different ways. If you establish the correlations at one time they are not trivially preserved!!
- Probing its evolution is a key measurement to test bh formation scenarios as well as the role of AGN feedback in galaxy formation

Measuring velocity dispersion



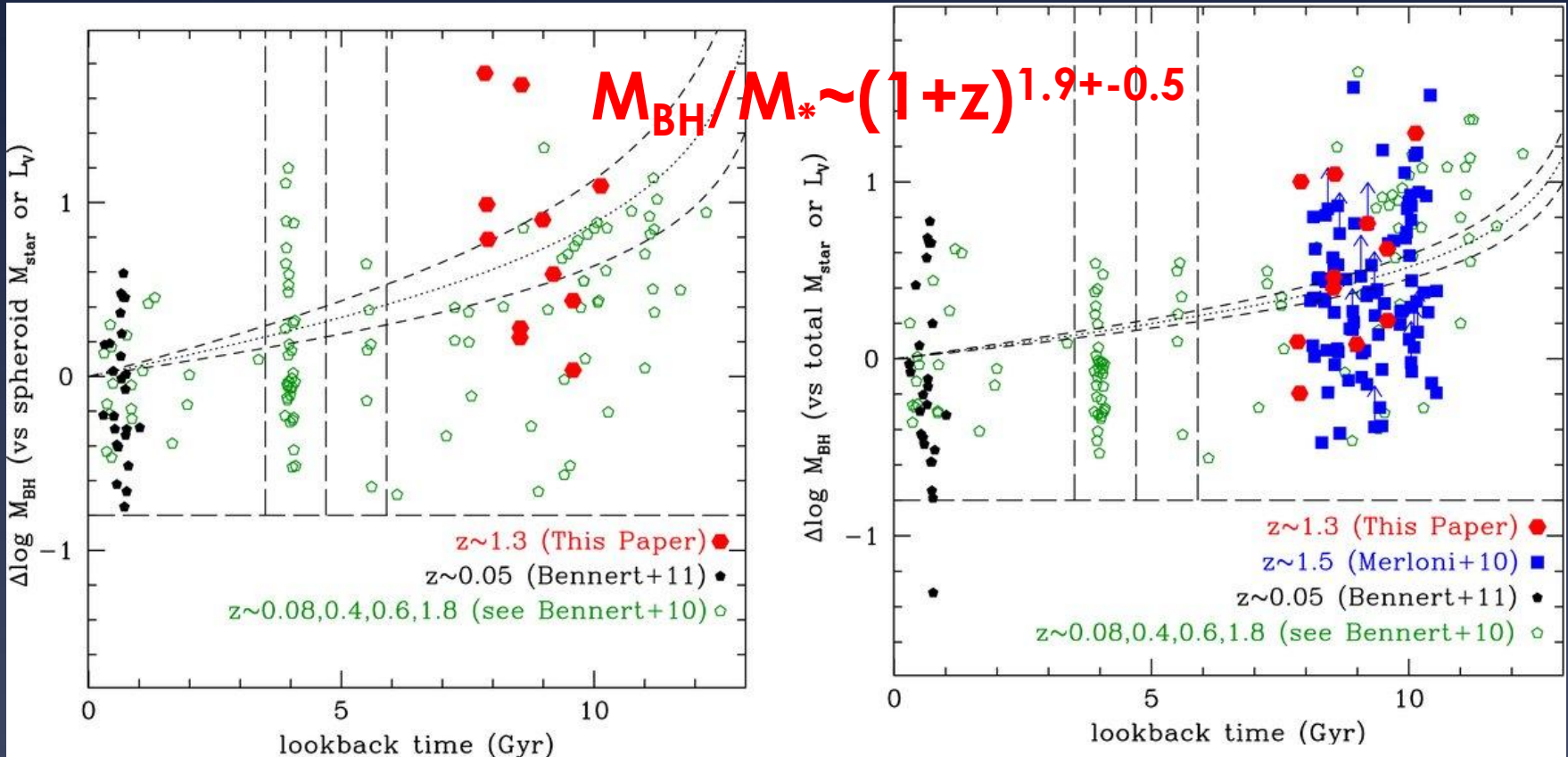
Evolution of the $M_{\text{BH}}-\sigma$ relation



Treu et al. 2004; Woo et al. 2006, 2008, 2010, 2013

Evolution of the M - L/M^* relation

$\Delta \log M_{\text{BH}}$ (at fixed L/M^*)



Look-back time

Treu et al. 2007; Bennert et al 2010, 2011

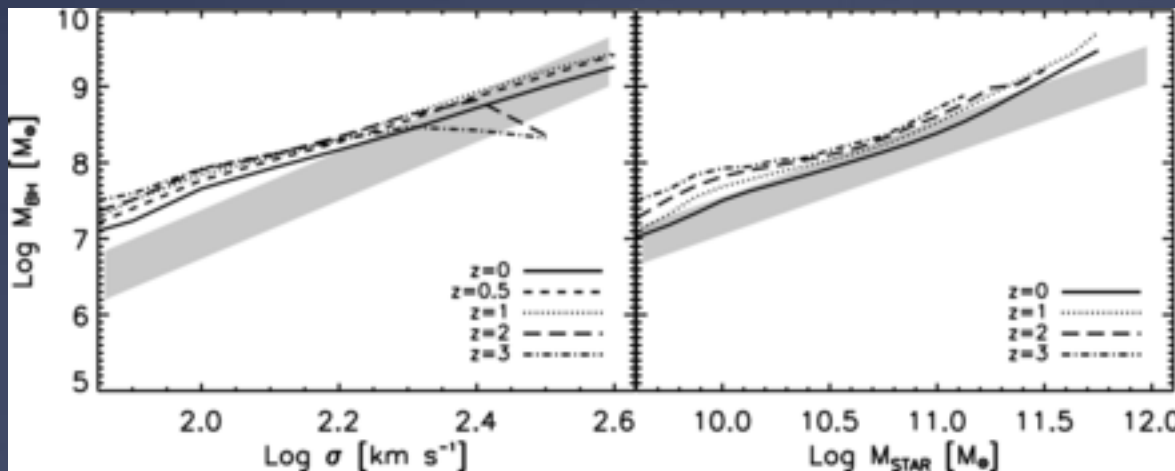
The three possible explanations of every astronomical observation

- Something interesting is happening
- Selection effects
- Measurement errors

Something interesting

A scenario and a conjecture

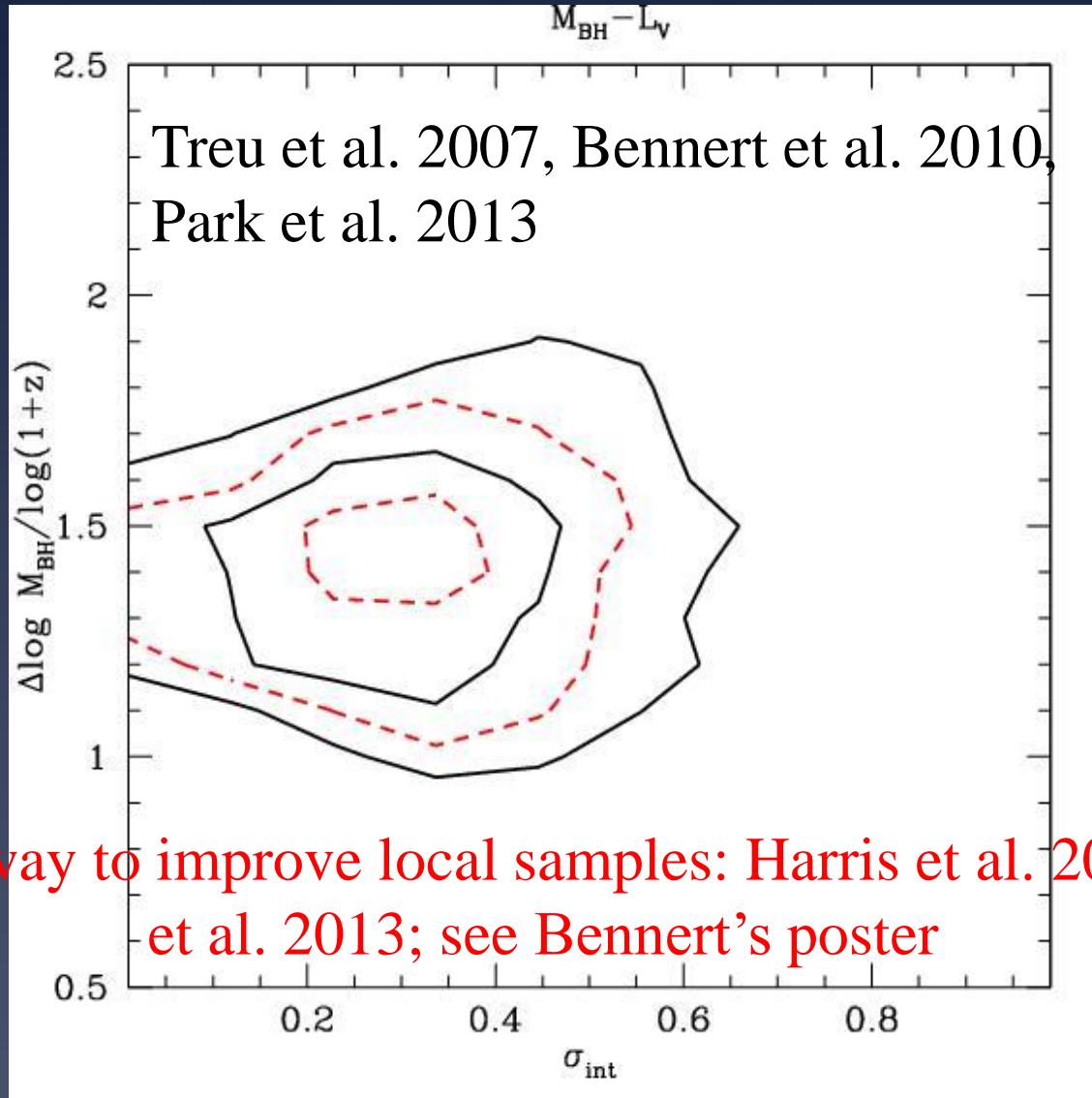
- Co-evolution is mass dependent.
- For the more massive ellipticals ($M_* > 10^{11} M_{\text{sun}}$):
 - Most of the mass is assembled by $z \sim 1.5-2$
 - Black hole accretion is also completed early-on ($z \sim 2$)
- At smaller masses (including bulges of spirals) process is delayed and significant activity lingers to $z \sim 0.5$
- ***Slope of $M_{\text{BH}}-M_*$ and $M_{\text{BH}}-\sigma$ should evolve with time***



Shankar et al. 2013
Croton et al. 2006

Selection effects?

Evolution is not a selection effect

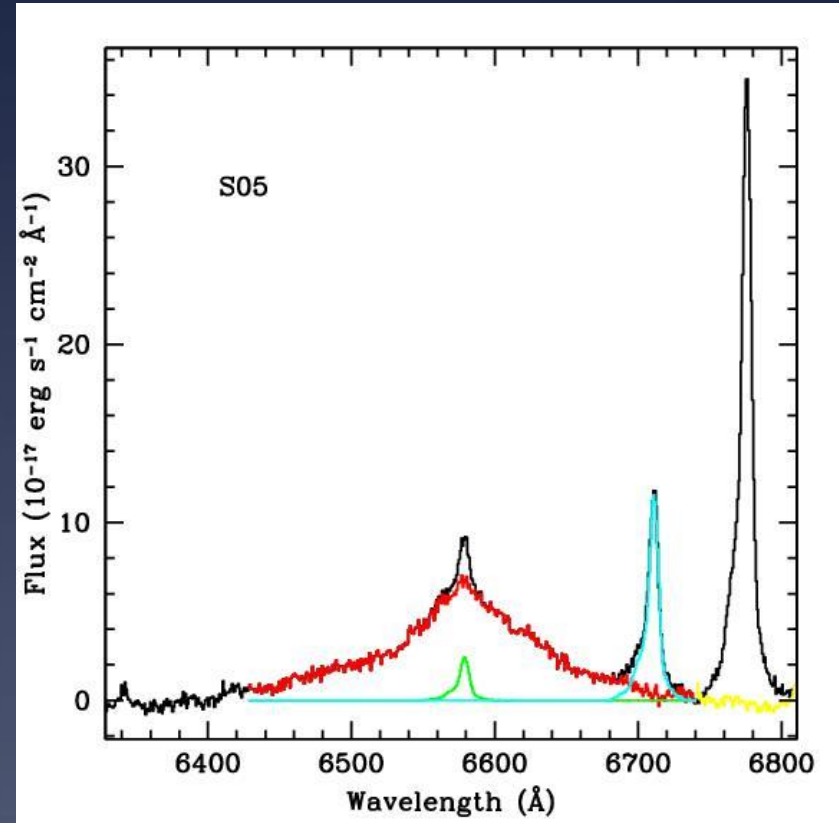


Work underway to improve local samples: Harris et al. 2012; Bennert et al. 2013; see Bennert's poster

Measurement errors?

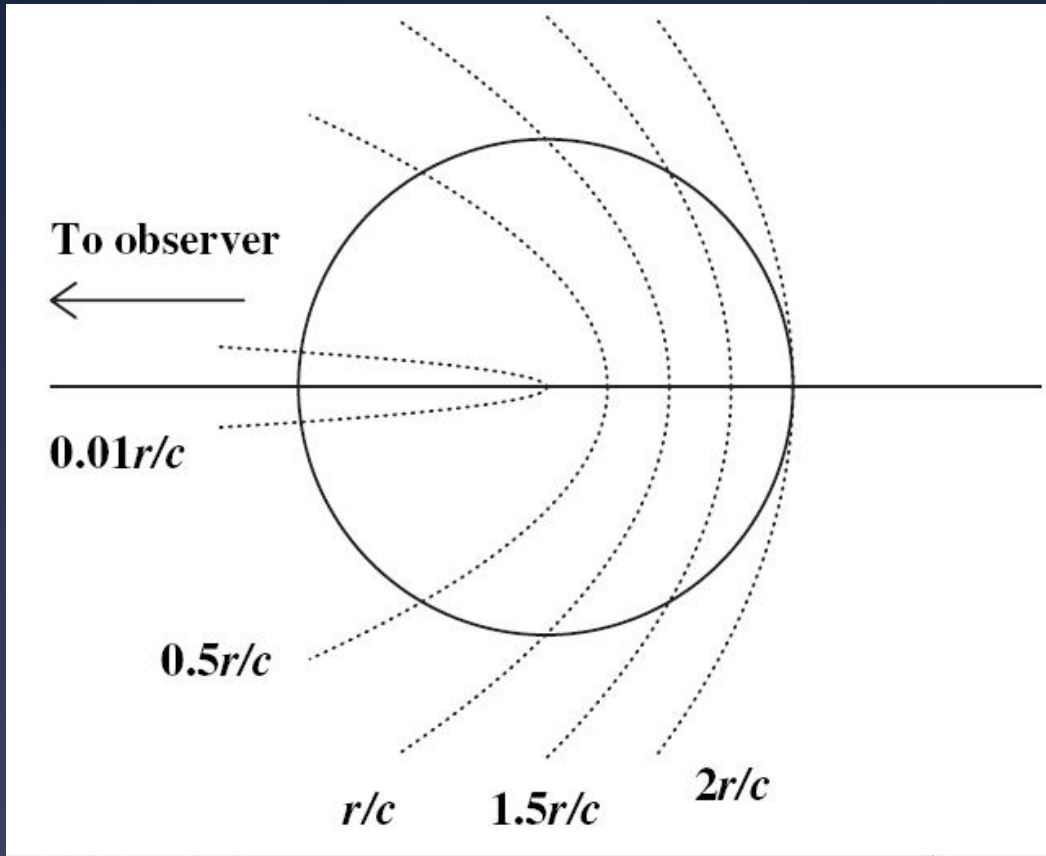
Measuring black hole masses at $z > 0$

- Broad $H\beta$ width measures the kinematics of the gas orbiting the black hole
- Size from L
- **Overall uncertainty on BH mass ~ 0.4 - 0.5 dex**



$$M_{\text{BH}} = 10^{8.58} \left(\frac{\sigma_{H\beta}}{3000 \text{ km s}^{-1}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\lambda L_{5100}}{10^{44} \text{ erg s}^{-1}} \right)^{0.518}$$

Reverberation Mapping



Ring of gas with radius r

Gas along line of sight to observer will appear to respond with no delay

Gas that is furthest from observer will appear to have response delayed by $2r/c$

Mean lag time is r/c

Blandford & McKee 1982

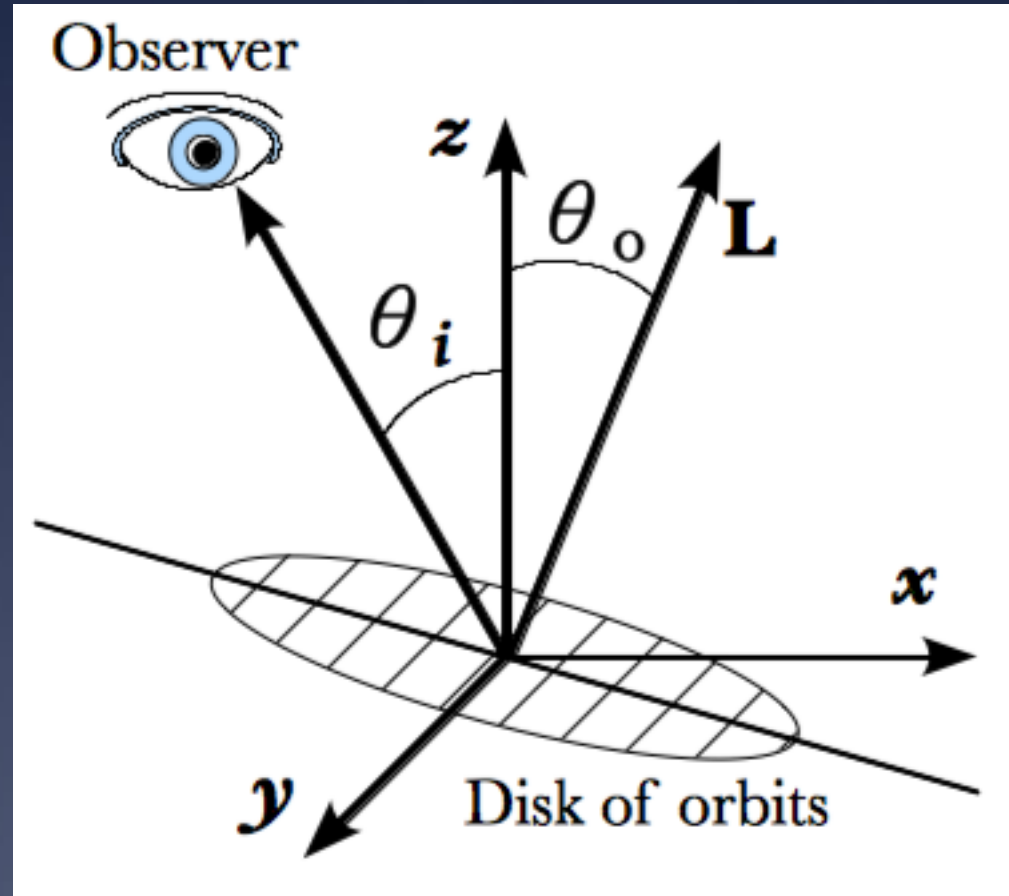
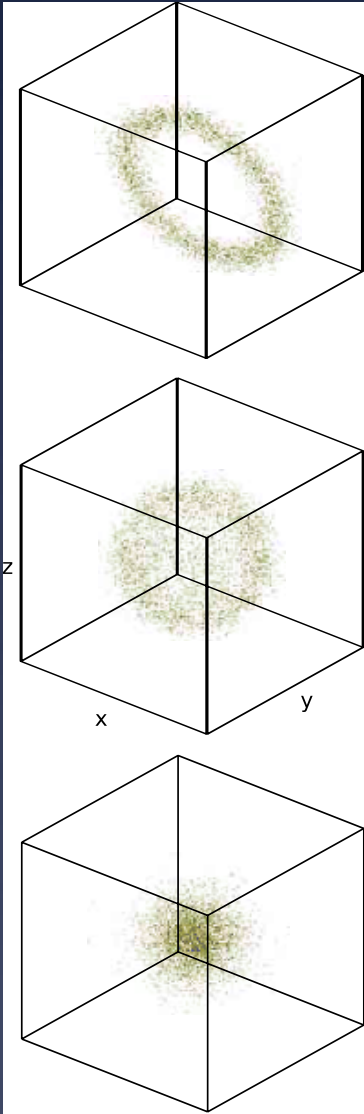
Example of traditional results

Table 13. Virial Products and Derived Black Hole Masses

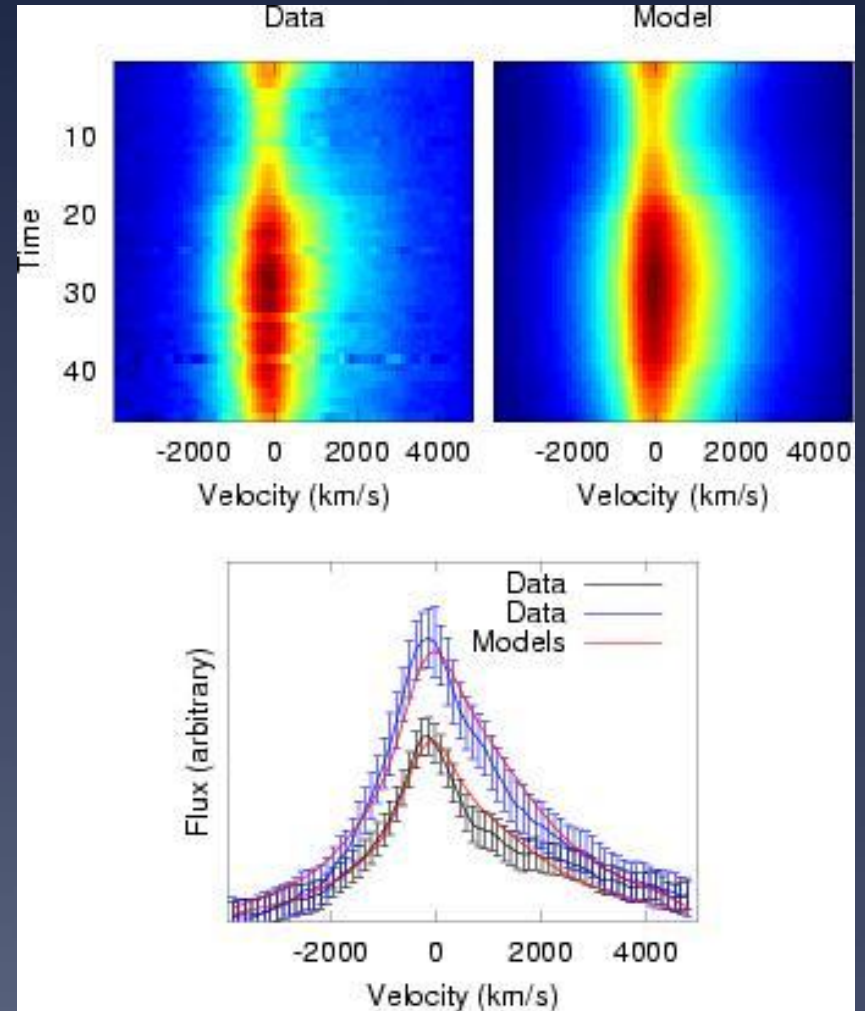
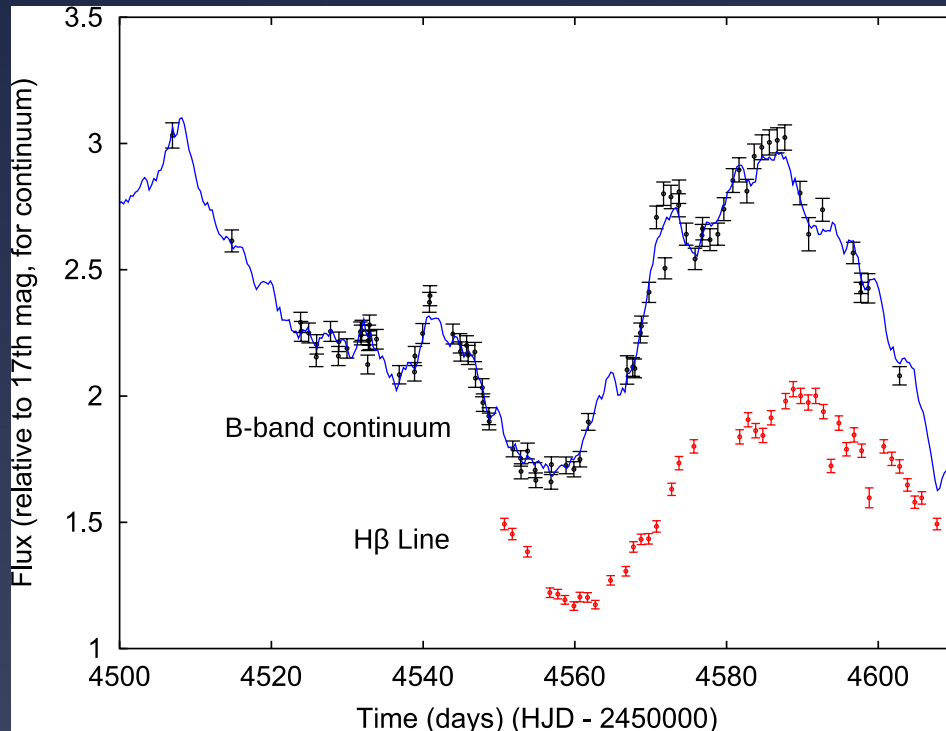
Object	$\sigma_{\text{cent}}^2 \sigma_{\text{line}}^2 / G$ ($10^6 M_{\odot}$)	M_{BH}^{a} ($10^6 M_{\odot}$)
Mrk 142	$0.40^{+0.12}_{-0.14}$	$2.17^{+0.68}_{-0.75}$
SBS 1116+ 583A	$1.05^{+0.33}_{-0.29}$	$5.80^{+1.84}_{-1.58}$
Arp 151	$1.22^{+0.16}_{-0.22}$	$6.72^{+0.89}_{-1.19}$
Mrk 1310	$0.41^{+0.12}_{-0.13}$	$2.24^{+0.68}_{-0.69}$
Mrk 202	$0.26^{+0.15}_{-0.10}$	$1.42^{+0.83}_{-0.56}$
NGC 4253	$0.32^{+0.21}_{-0.20}$	$1.76^{+1.15}_{-1.11}$
NGC 4748	$0.47^{+0.16}_{-0.21}$	$2.57^{+0.90}_{-1.14}$
NGC 5548	$14.9^{+3.4}_{-4.9}$	82^{+19}_{-27}
NGC 6814	$3.36^{+0.54}_{-0.56}$	$18.5^{+3.0}_{-3.1}$

^aAssuming $f = 5.5$.

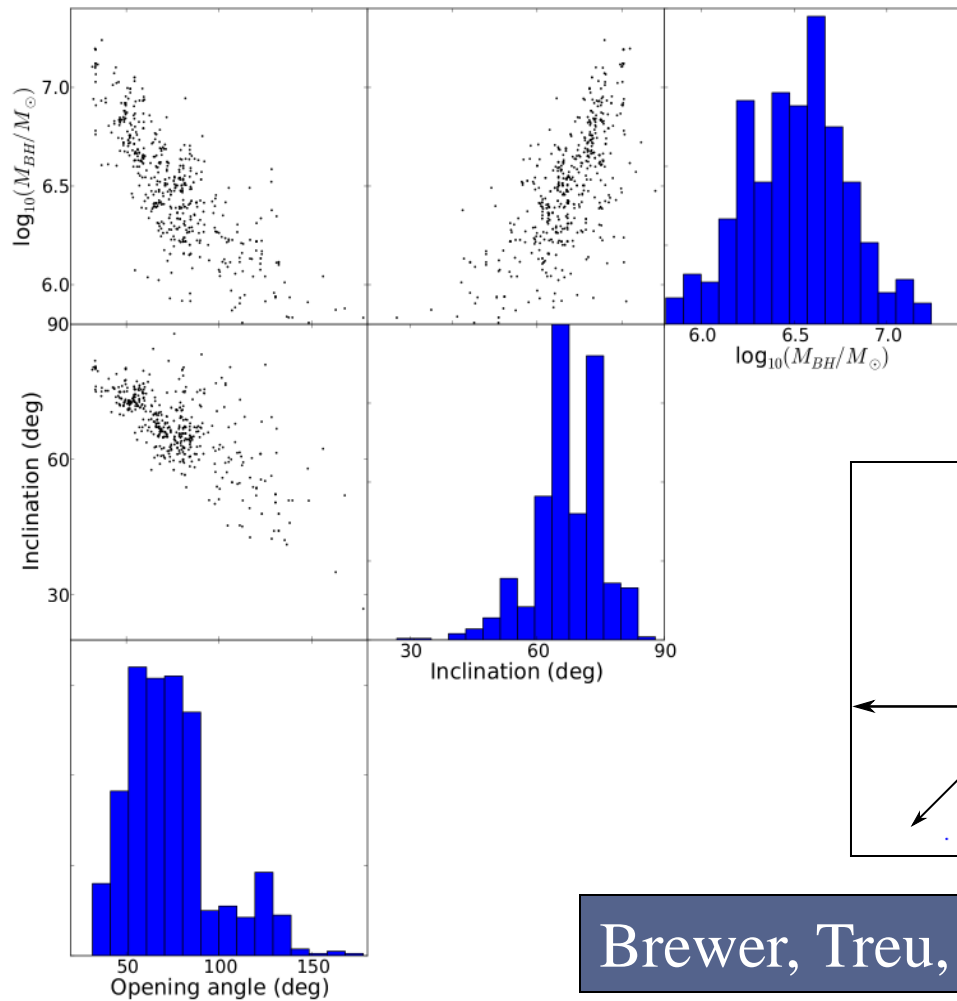
A new approach: Geometric and dynamical models



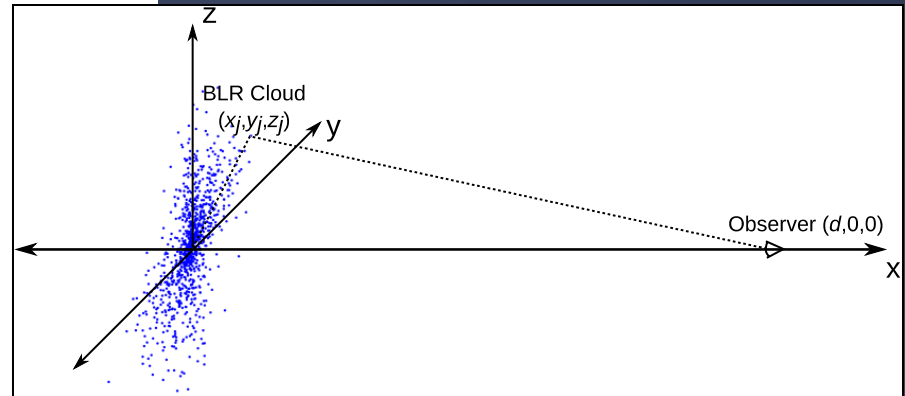
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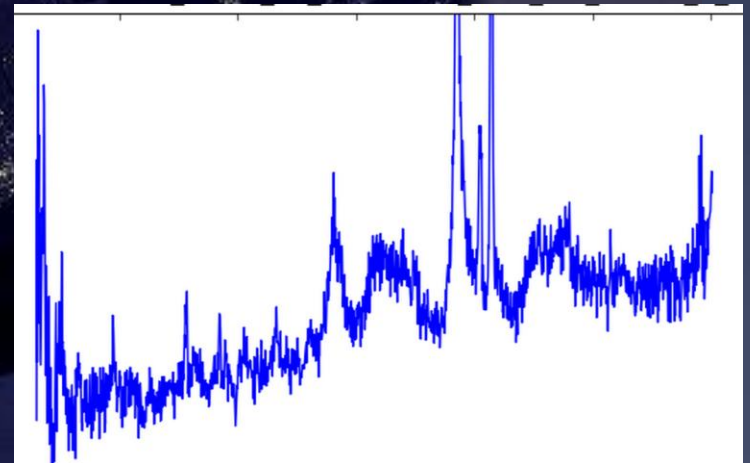
See Pancoast's poster
for more systems and
details



Brewer, Treu, Pancoast et al 2011

Reverberation mapping

- At $z \sim 0$, several objects have been studied with sufficient quality (LAMP08/11 and Peterson Group)
- At $z > 0$, very hard with traditional telescopes (e.g. Woo et al. 2007). Large program under way with LCOGT robotic telescopes (PI: Sand).



Summary

- The correlations between host galaxy properties and black hole mass evolve with cosmic time
- Black holes growth predate galaxy assembly
- Much work is under way to improve mass determinations at high- z via reverberation mapping and improve local samples

The end