

Measuring HI gas in 6 Lyman Break Analog

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Outline

- Introduction : - Lyman break technique
 - Why we study LBG?
 - properties of Lyman Break Galaxies
 - properties of Lyman Break Analog
- The project : - data, object, status of my work

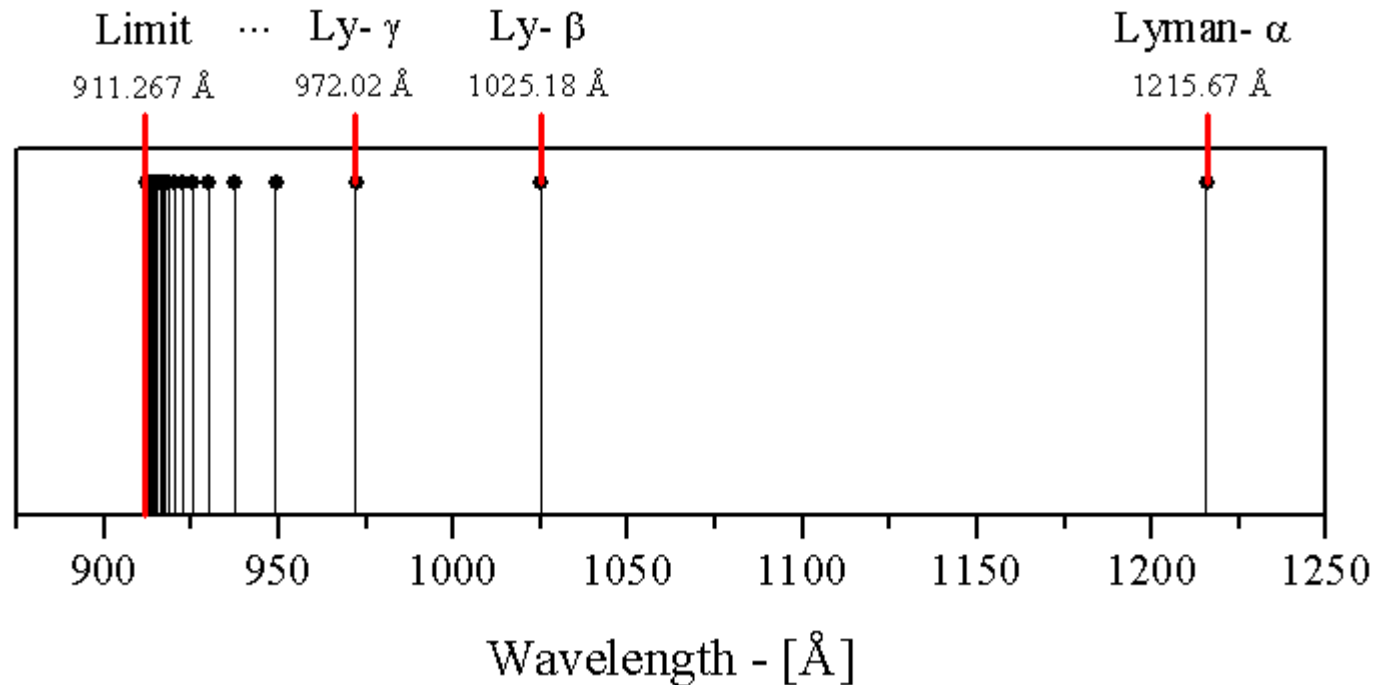
Introduction

- Some questions on galaxy evolution :
 - How nowadays galaxies evolve from early universe galaxies?
 - Do high- z galaxies differ from local? (mass, morphology, Star Formation Rates (SFR))
- How can we find galaxy at high z ?
(Partridge and Peebles, 1967)
Direct Spectroscopy?, time consuming
- Lyman Break technique (Steidel et al., 1999), use color selection (U,G,R) could efficiently save time (better telescope and CCD).
- LBG probes the galaxy evolution as far as 10% of universe age.

Lyman Limit

- What is Lyman break technique?

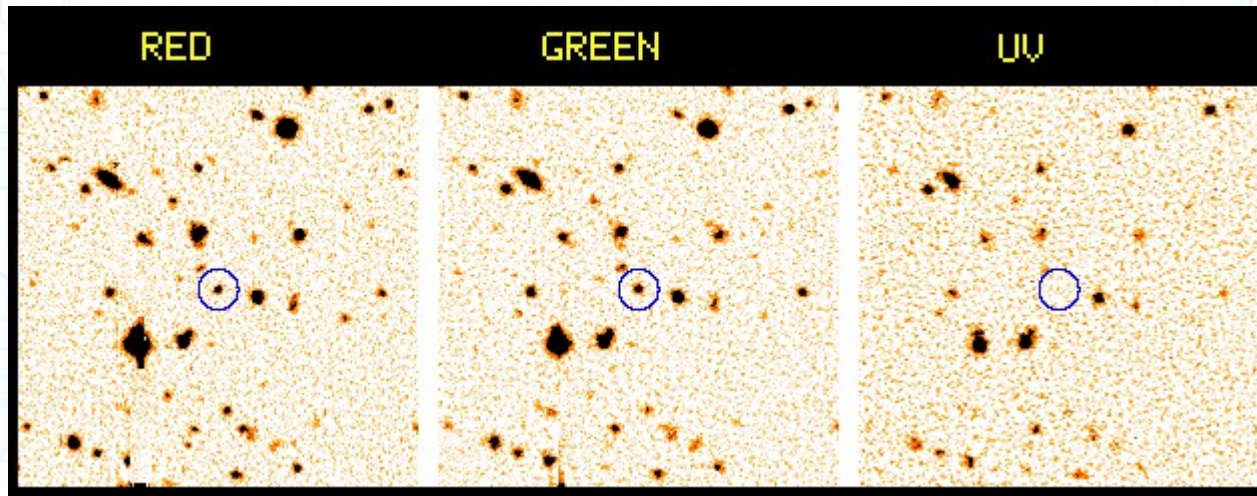
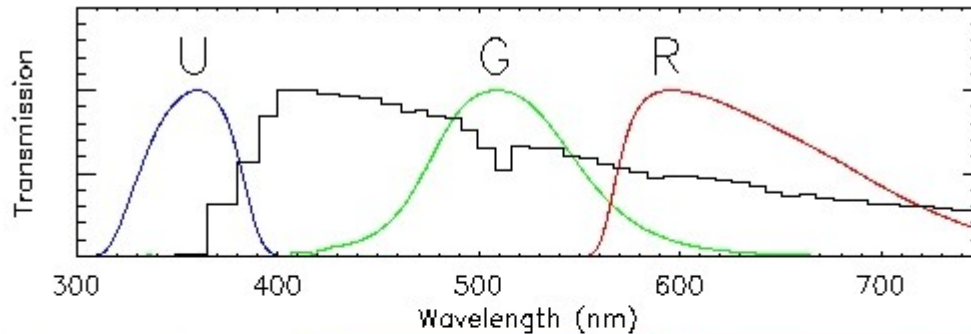
Taking the advantage of the nature of Lyman limit



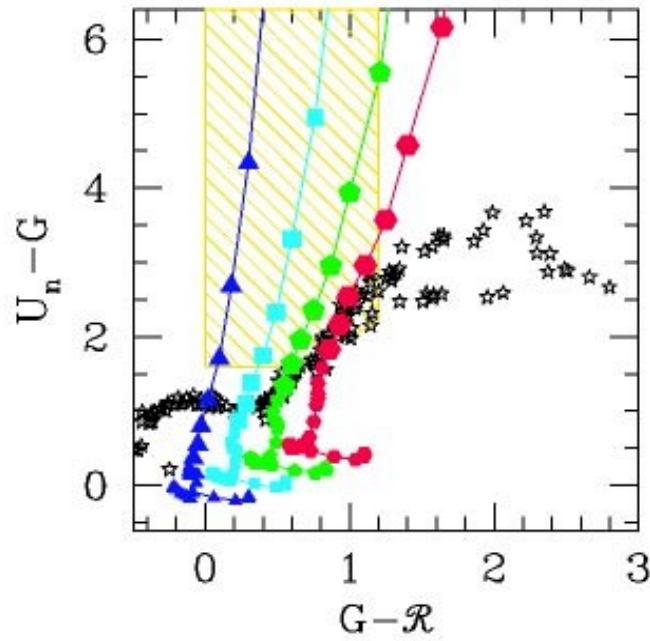
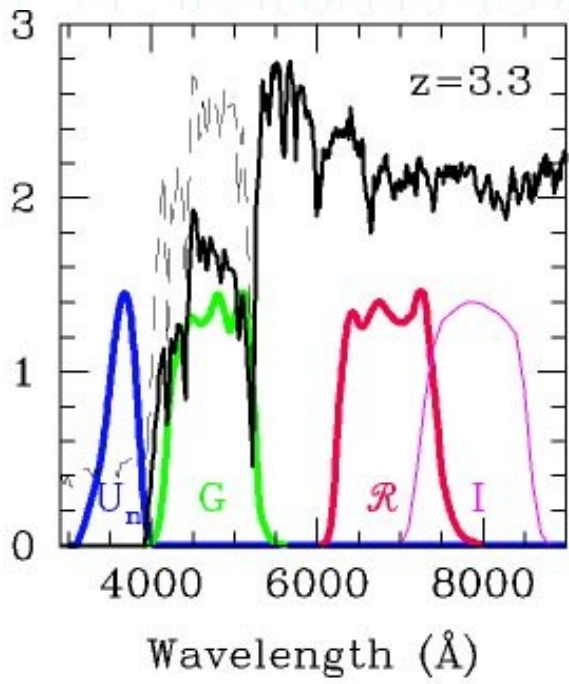
- Galaxies are opaque for $\lambda < 91.2 \text{ nm}$. Most photons are absorbed causing break at continuum bluer than 91.2 nm (Lyman break).

Lyman Break Technique

- For high- z galaxies, this break move to longer λ
 $z \sim 3$ galaxies, Lyman limit ~ 364.8 nm (U band)
 $Z \sim 3$ galaxies show drop-out at U band

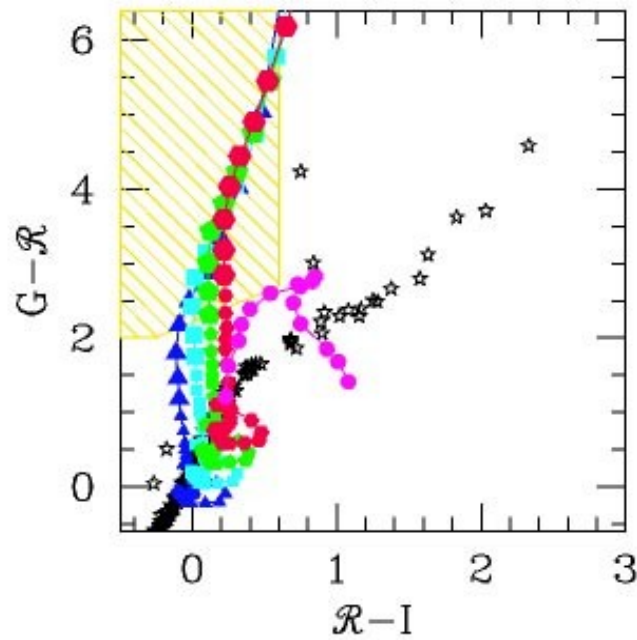
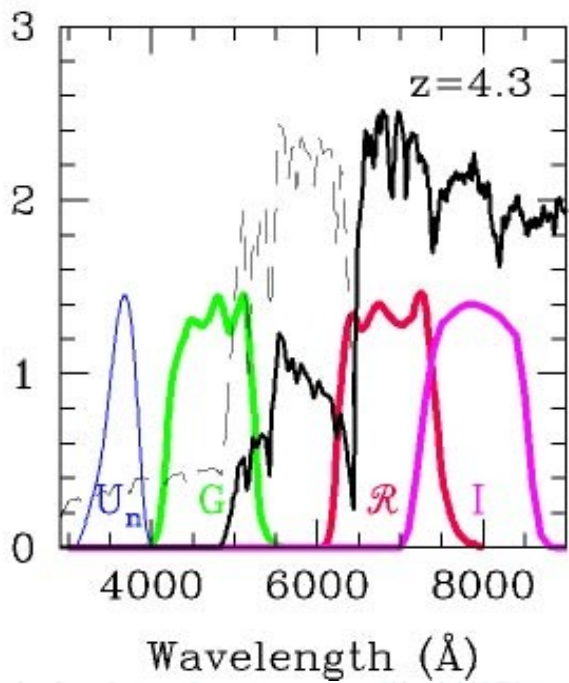


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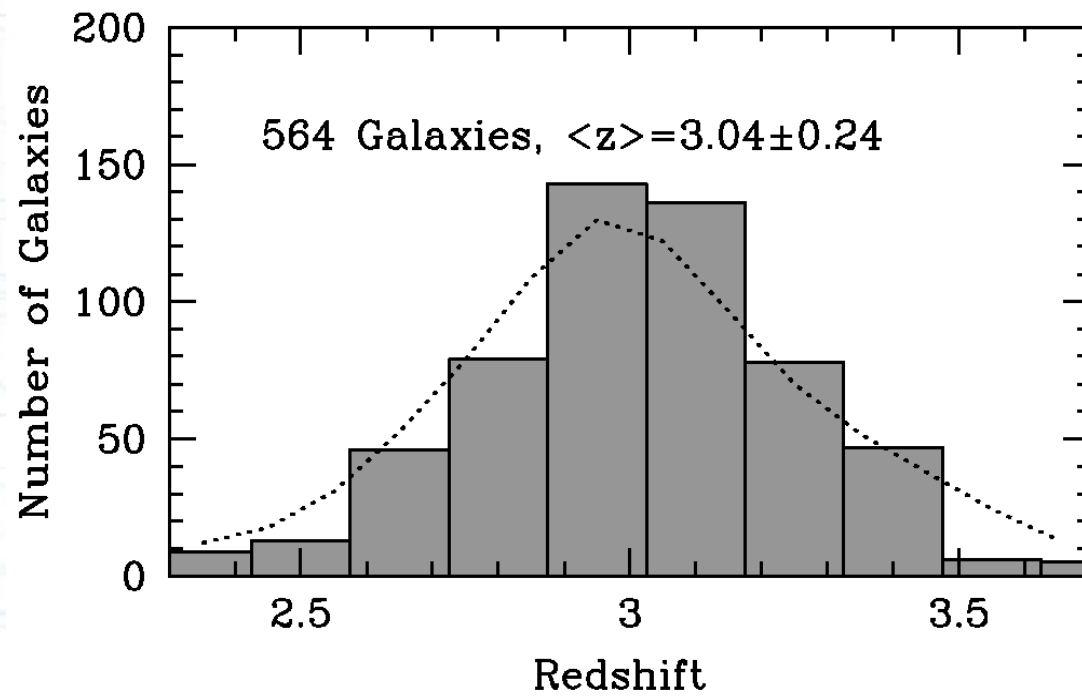
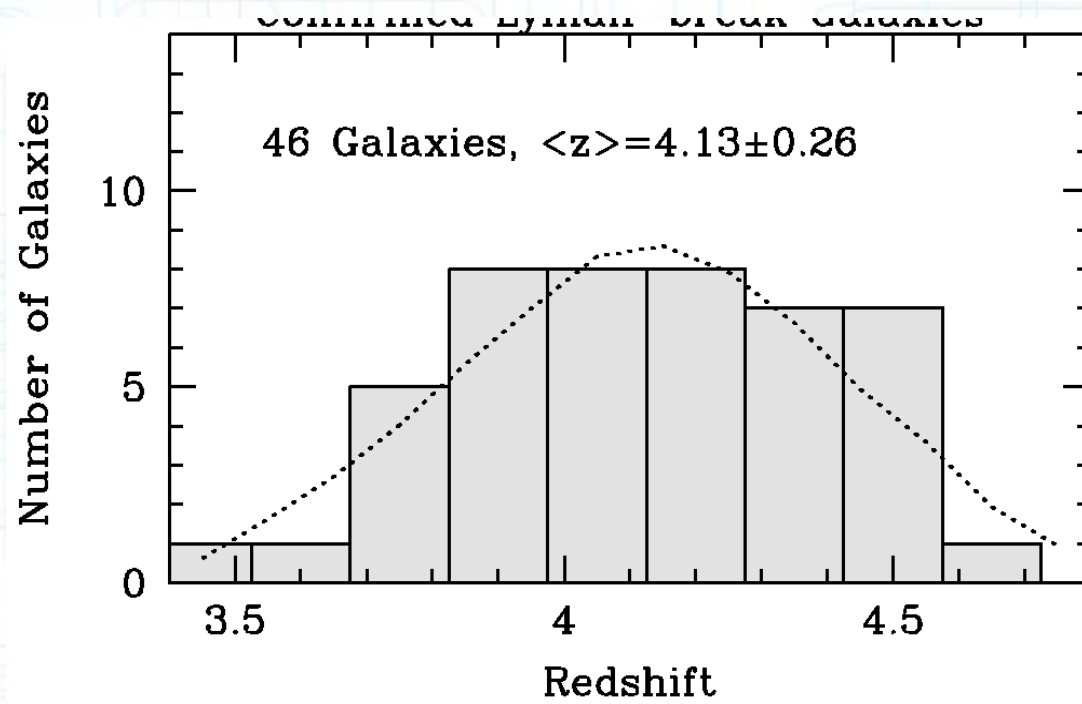


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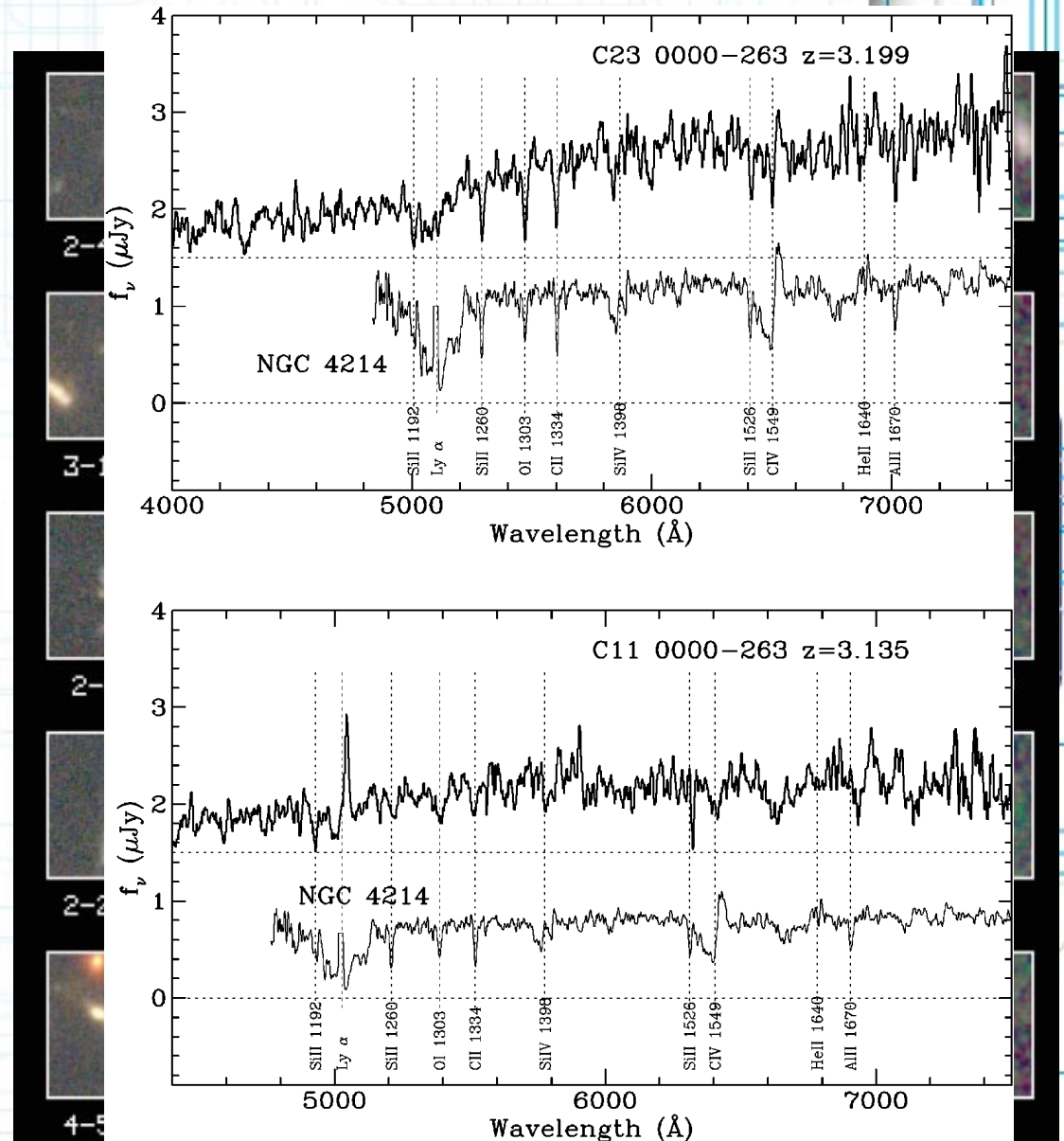
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Steidel et.al (1999)

Morphology and Spectrum of LBG

- Broad range of shape :
 - Smaller, more compact, more irregular
($r_{1/2} \sim 0.7 - 1.5 \text{ kpc } h^{-1}$) on optical and UV
(Overzier et al. 2009)
- No clear Hubble type
- Close companion, tail, fragmented (merging?)
- Star formation sites? It seems that the underlying structure of galaxy is not clear



SFR properties

- Similar to local starburst galaxy with higher luminosity in far-UV
- Assuming constant SFR

$$SFR (M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}) = 1.4 \times 10^{-28} L_{\nu(\lambda 1500)}$$

Madau et.al (1998)

- Other SFR indicator, not sensitive to dust

$$SFR_{1.4\text{GHz}} (M_{\odot} / \text{yr}) = \frac{L_{1.4\text{GHz}}}{2.72 * 10^{21}}, \text{ if } L_{1.4\text{GHz}} > L_c$$

$$\frac{L_{1.4\text{GHz}}}{2.72 \times 10^{21} \left[0.1 + 0.9(L_{1.4\text{GHz}}/L_c)^{0.3} \right]} \text{ if } L_{1.4\text{GHz}} \leq L_c$$

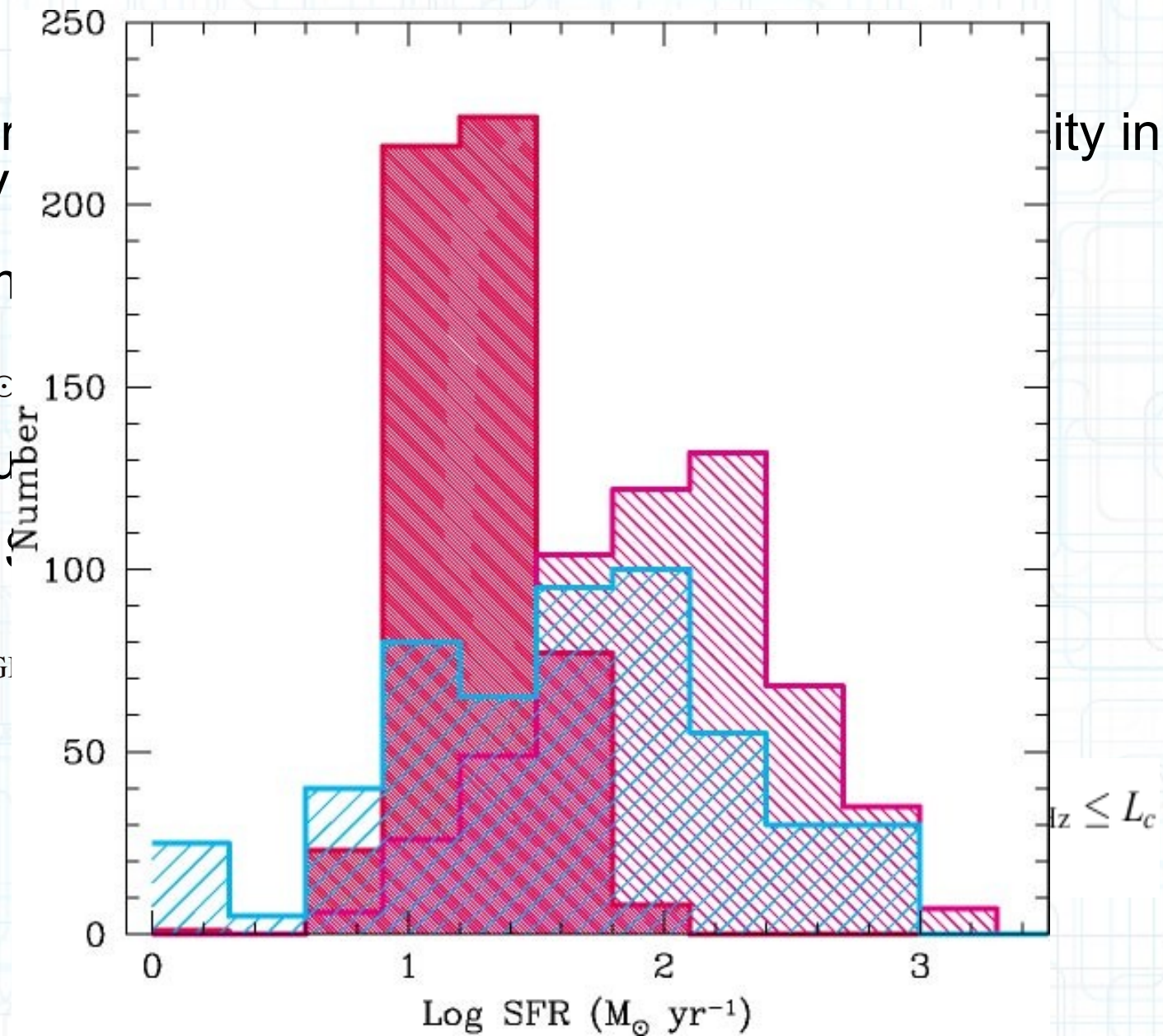
SFR properties

- Similar far-UV
- Assumed
- Other

$SFR(M_{\odot})$

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$SFR_{1.4G}$

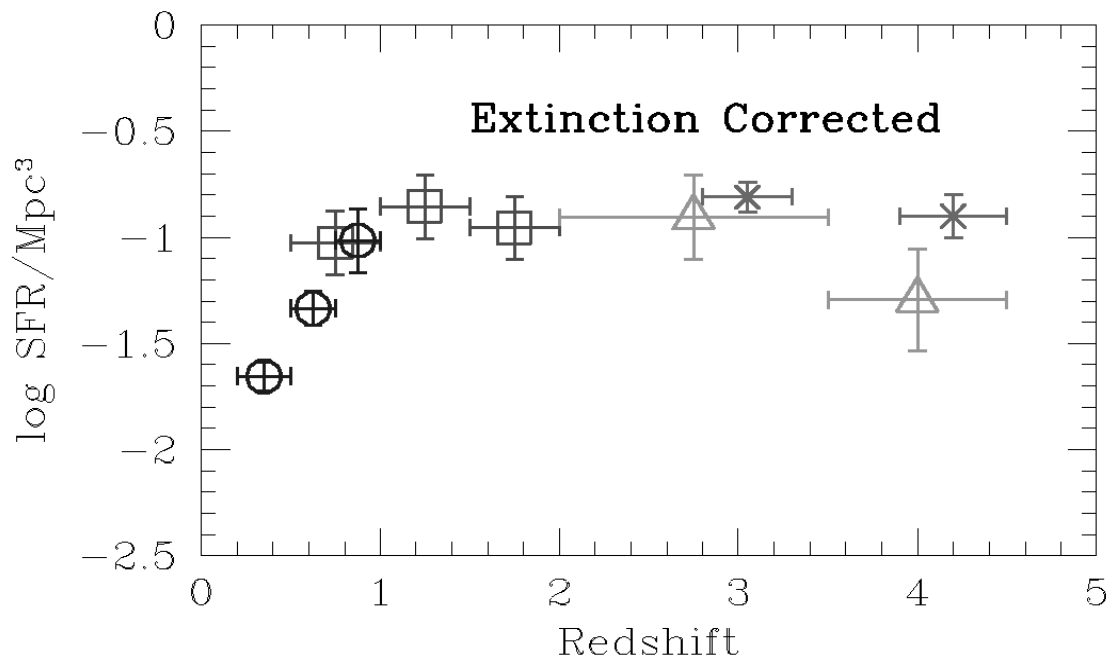
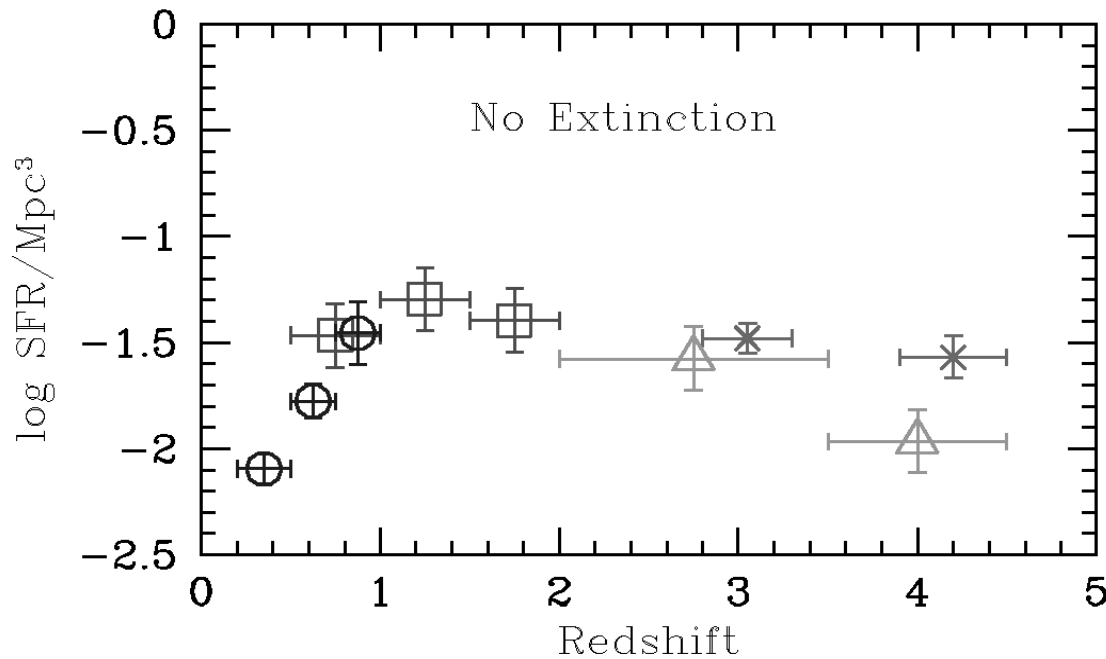


LBG tracing the early cosmic SFR?

- We can measure the SFR density by integrating the far-UV luminosity of LBGs
- Steidel et. al (1999), shows that there is no clear SFR decline up to $z \sim 4$, but the observational data is accumulating.

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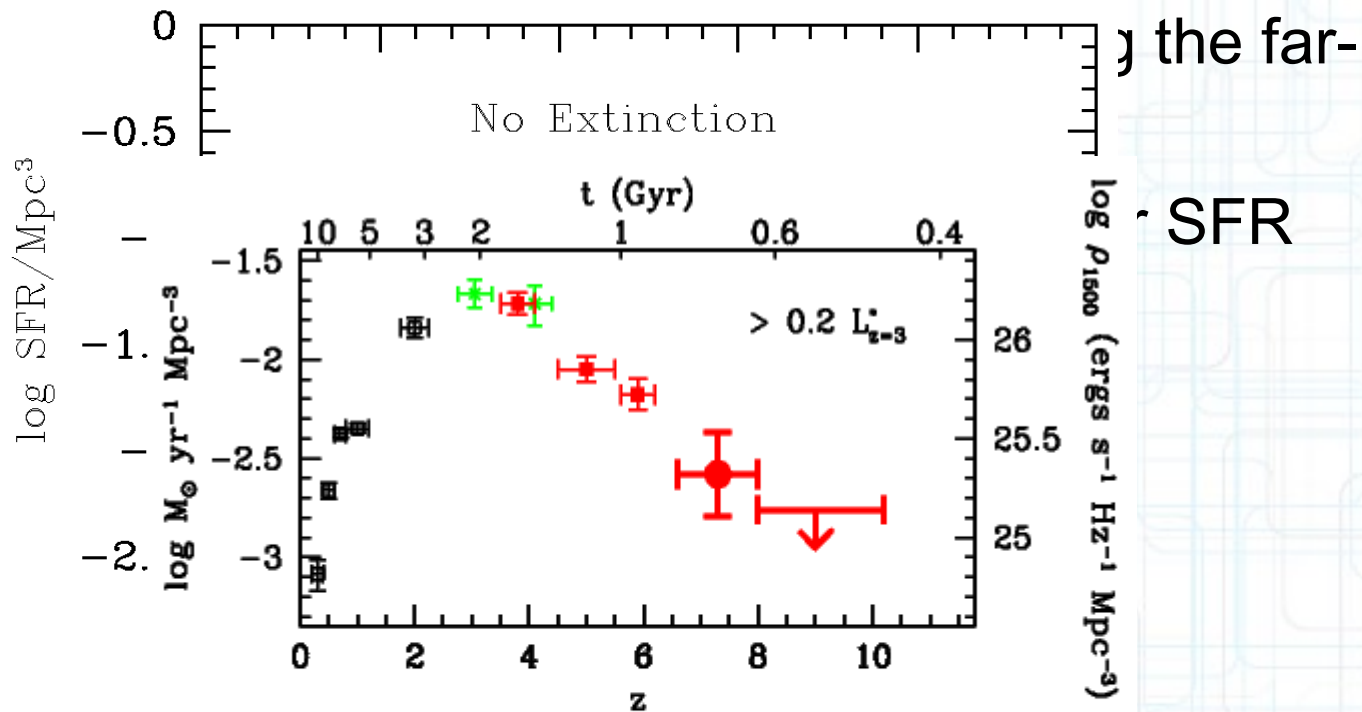
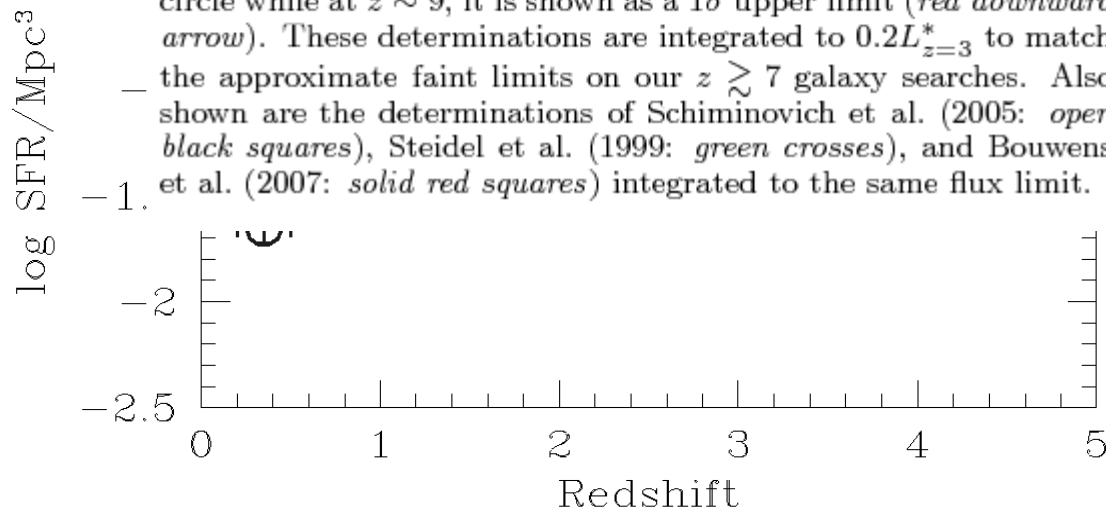


FIG. 8.— The present constraints on the *UV* luminosity density at $z \gtrsim 7$. At $z \sim 7$, this constraint is shown as a large solid red circle while at $z \sim 9$, it is shown as a 1σ upper limit (red downward arrow). These determinations are integrated to $0.2L_{z=3}^*$ to match the approximate faint limits on our $z \gtrsim 7$ galaxy searches. Also shown are the determinations of Schiminovich et al. (2005: open black squares), Steidel et al. (1999: green crosses), and Bouwens et al. (2007: solid red squares) integrated to the same flux limit.



Why LBA?

- LBGs are faint and small → much more difficult to observe
- If we can find local counterparts of high-z LBGs we can study them in great details.
- LBGs is less obscured than local starburst galaxy with the same SFR, maybe they undergo different mechanism?

Heckman et al. (2005) and Hoopes et al. (2007) find rare nearby ($z < 0.3$) population of galaxies with similar characteristic as LBGs in GALEX (compact UVLGS).

LBGs criteria is applied : $L_{FUV} \geq 10^{10.3} L_{\odot} \wedge I_{FUV} \geq 10^9 L_{\odot} \text{ kpc}^{-2}$

- Study by Heckman et al. (2005) :

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TABLE 1

SUMMARY OF PROPERTIES

Parameter	Large UVLGs	Compact UVLGs	LBGs
$\log L_{\text{FUV}} (L_{\odot})$	10.3–10.5	10.35–10.65	10.3–11.3
$\log R_{90, \alpha}$ (kpc)	0.9–1.3	0.0–0.7	0.0–0.5
$\log I_{\text{FUV}} (L_{\odot} \text{ kpc}^{-2})$	6.9–7.8	8.2–9.8	9–10
$\log M_{*} (M_{\odot})$	10.5–11.3	9.5–10.7	9.5–11
$\log M_{\text{dyn}} (M_{\odot})$	10.4–11.6	10.0–10.8	10.0–10.5
$\log \mu_{*} (M_{\odot} \text{ kpc}^{-2})$	7.9–8.7	8.0–9.1	8.5–9.0
A_{FUV} (mag)	0.3–2.0	0.6–2.1	1–3
$\log \text{SFR} (M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1})$	0.6–1.2	0.6–1.4	0.5–2.5
$\log (\text{SFR}/M_{*}) (\text{yr}^{-1})$	-10.5 to -9.5	-9.8 to -8.6	-9 to -8
$\text{FUV} - r$ (AB mag)	1.8–2.9	0.6–2.1	0.2–2.2
D4000	1.2–1.7	1.0–1.3	...
$12 + \log (\text{O}/\text{H})$	8.55–8.75	8.2–8.7	7.7–8.8
$\log \sigma_{\text{gas}} (\text{km s}^{-1})$	1.7–2.1	1.8–2.2	1.7–2.1

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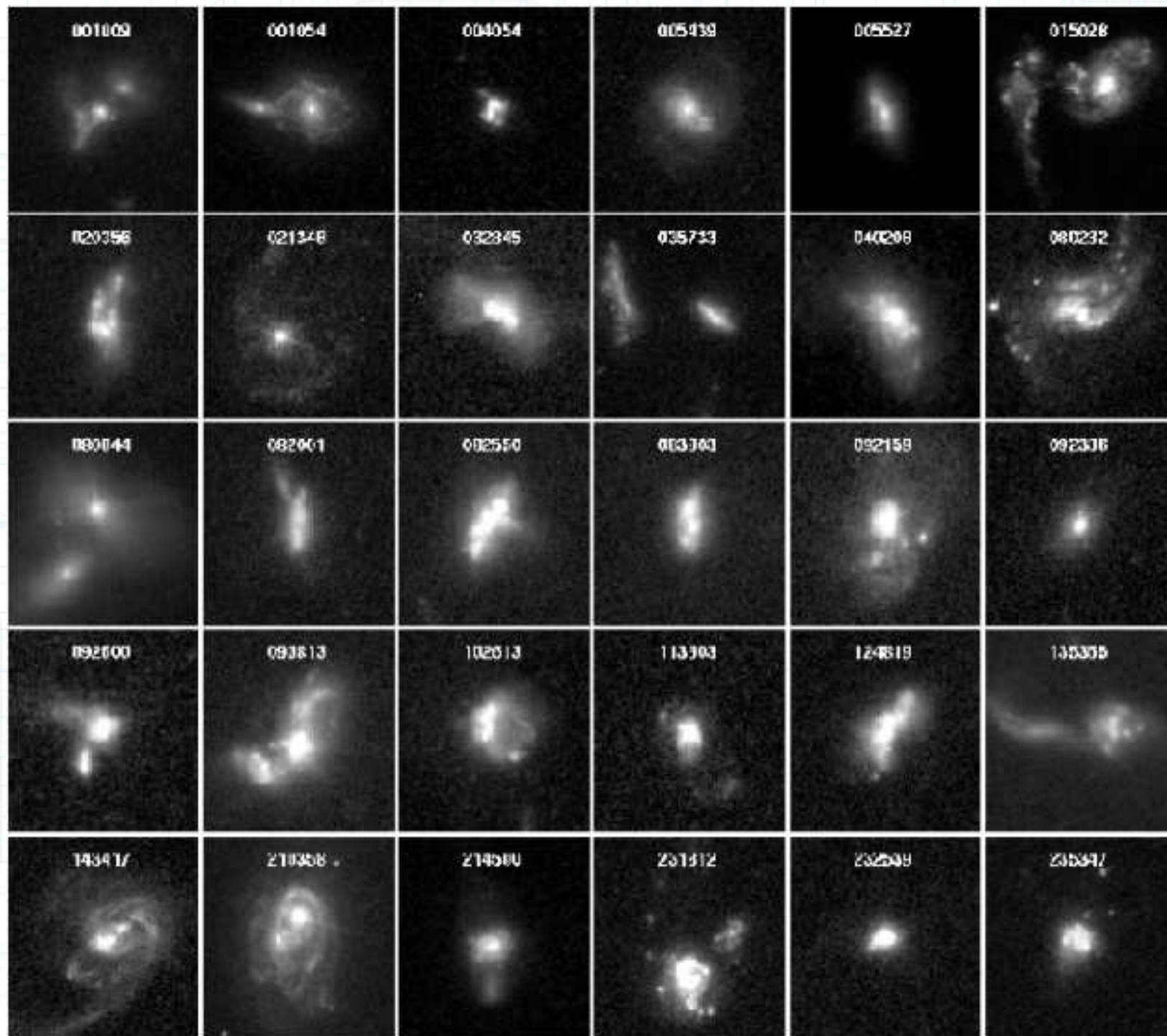
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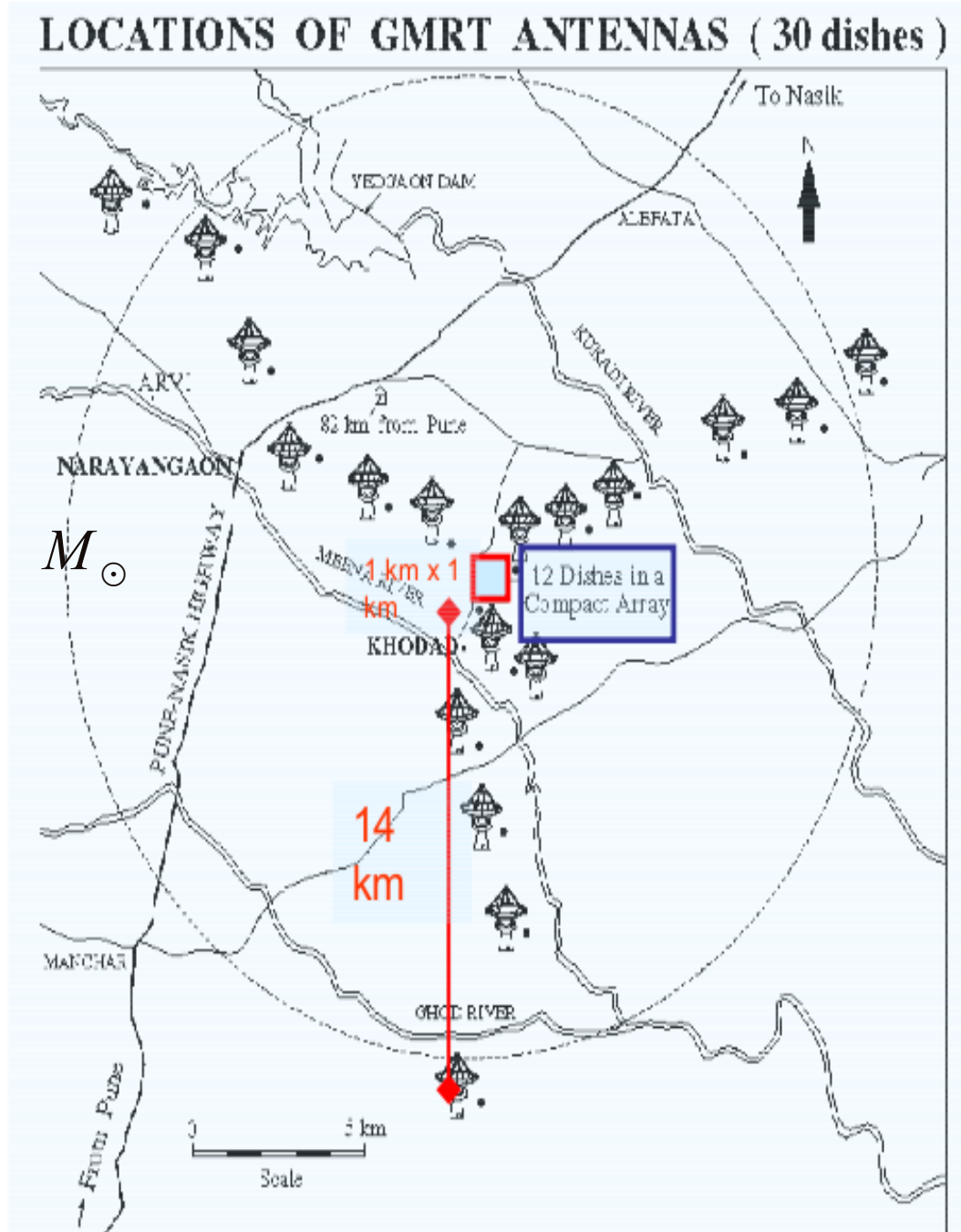
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- **Latitude : 19 deg N**
- **Longitude : 74 deg E**
- **About 70 km N of Pune, 160 km E of Mumbai.**
- **30 dishes; 45 m diameter**
 - **12 dishes in central compact array**
 - **Remaining along 3 arms of Y-array**
- **Total extent : 14 km radius**
 \Rightarrow **resolution of a 28 km size antenna is achieved !**



No.	Name	RA (J2000)	Dec (J2000)	z	HI freq. (Mhz)
1.	005527	00h 55m 27.5s	-00° 21' 48.7"	0.167	1217.1
2.	015028	01h 50m 28.4s	13° 08' 58".4	0.147	1238.4
3.	032845	03h 28m 45.9s	01° 11' 50.8"	0.142	1243.8
4.	080844	08h 08m 44.3s	39° 48' 52.3"	0.091	1301.9
5.	093813	09h 38m 13.5s	54° 28' 24.9"	0.102	1288.9
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Status of the project

- Finishing primary calibration steps (using AIPS) :
 - set calibrator source (3C48, 3C147)
 - flagging bad data (RFI, dead antennas)
 - bandpass calibration
 - gain calibration
- Starting self-calibration
- The next step : - make continuum image
(detecting companion, SFR)
 - detecting HI

Summary

- LBG can be used to study evolution of high- z galaxies
- There are rare nearby Lyman break analog that has similar properties as LBGs that provide us with unique opportunity to study its evolution in great details



Thank you