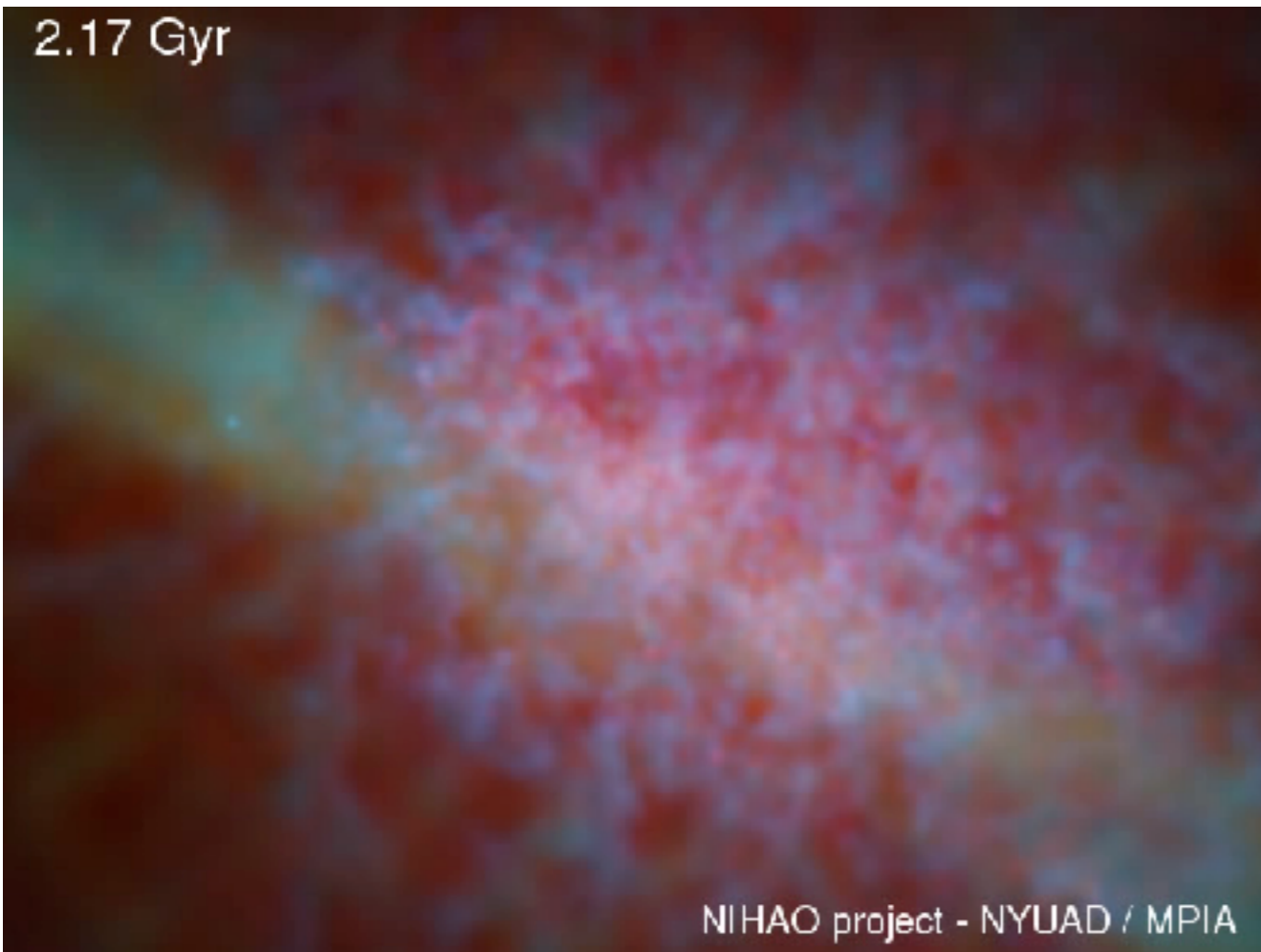


Dark Matter halo response to gas inflows and outflows

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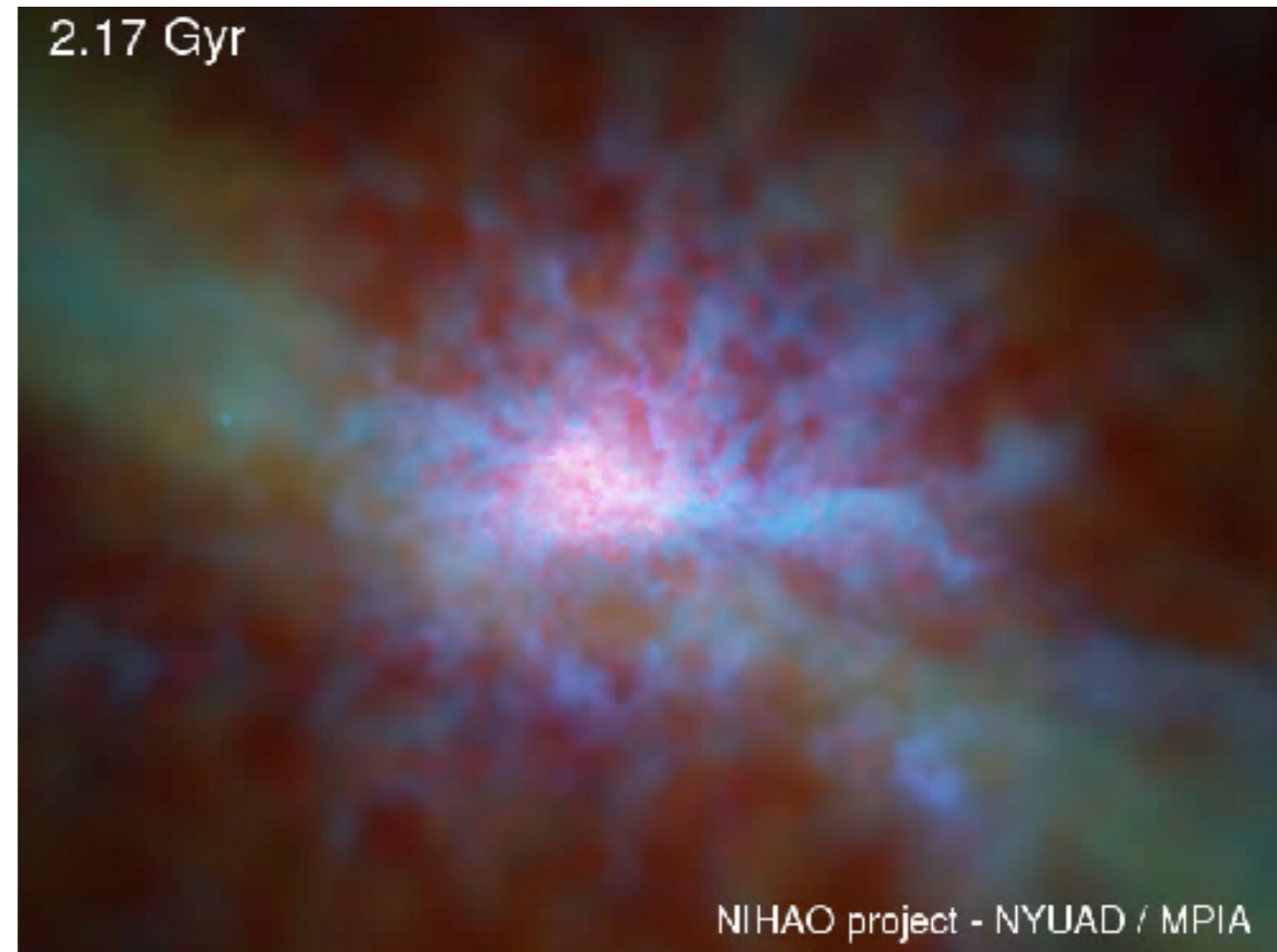
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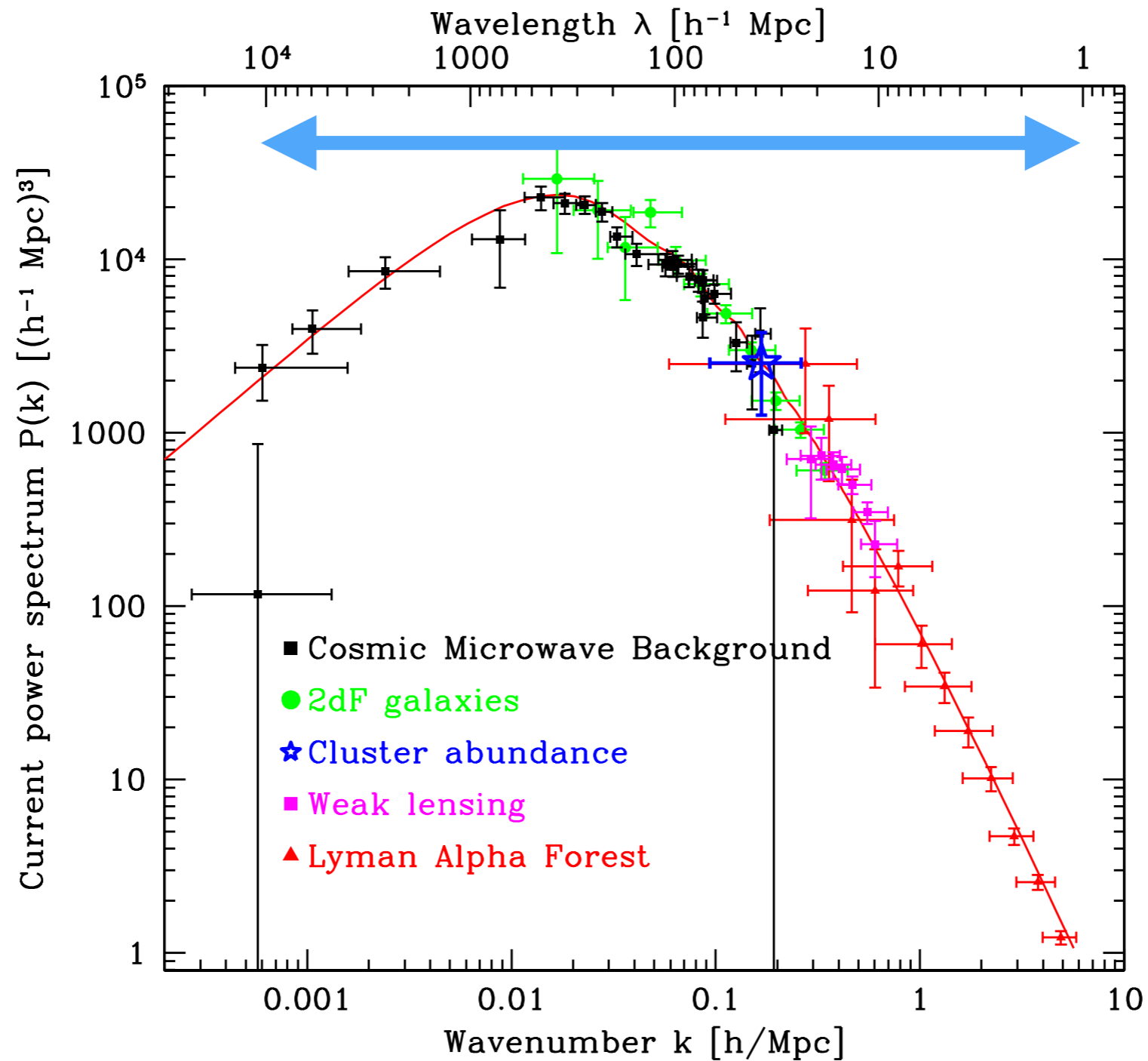
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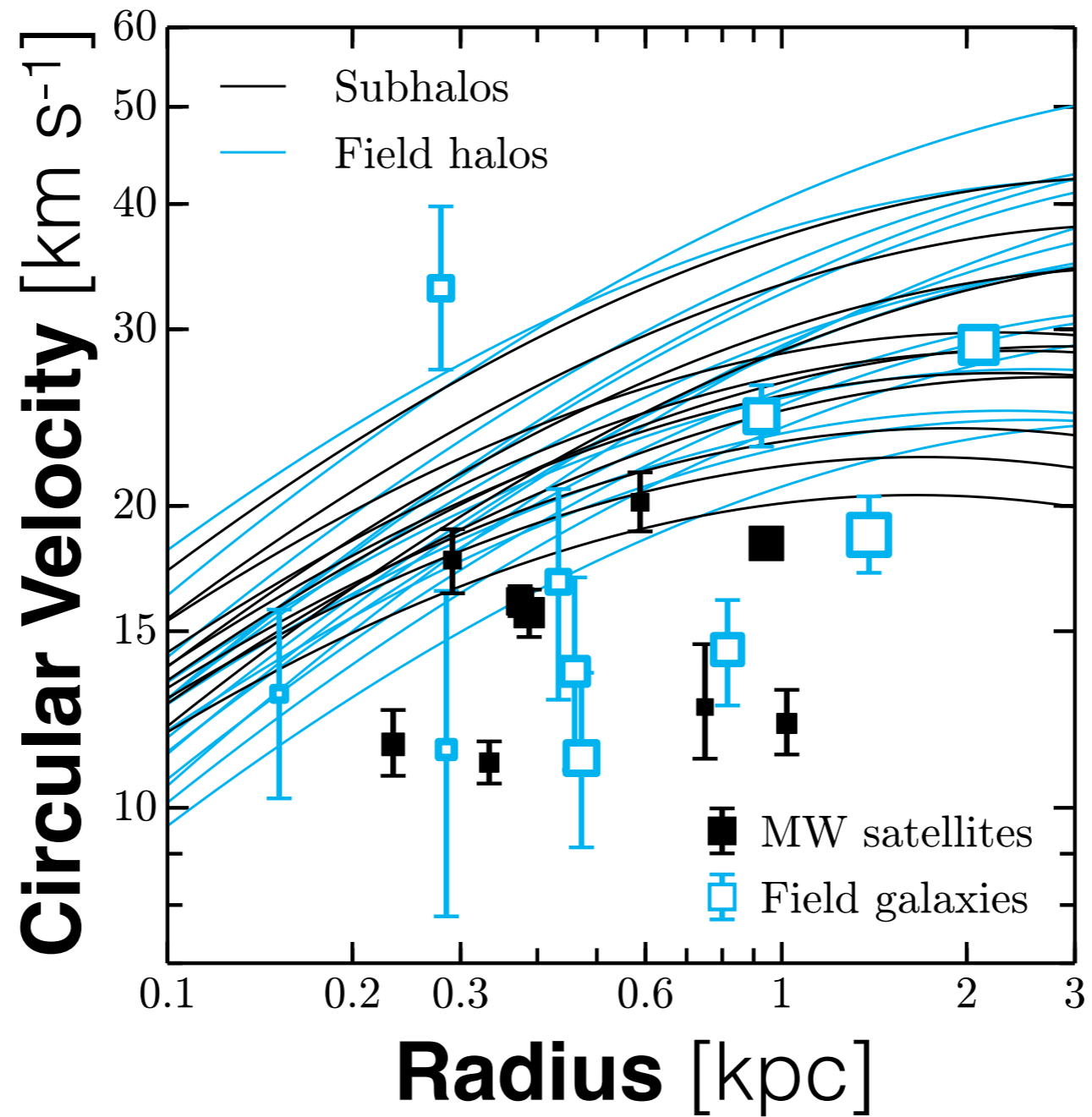
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Cold Dark Matter works on large scales



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Cold Dark Matter fails on small scales

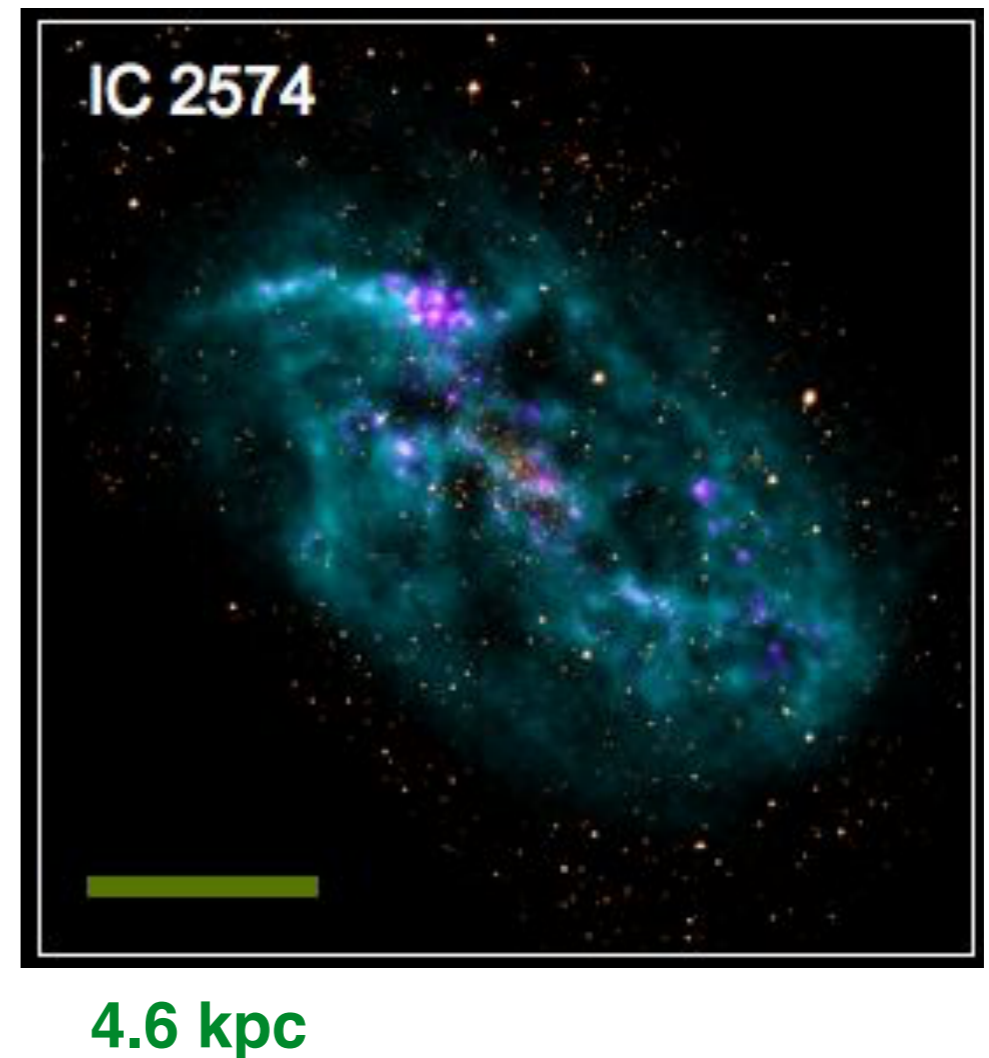
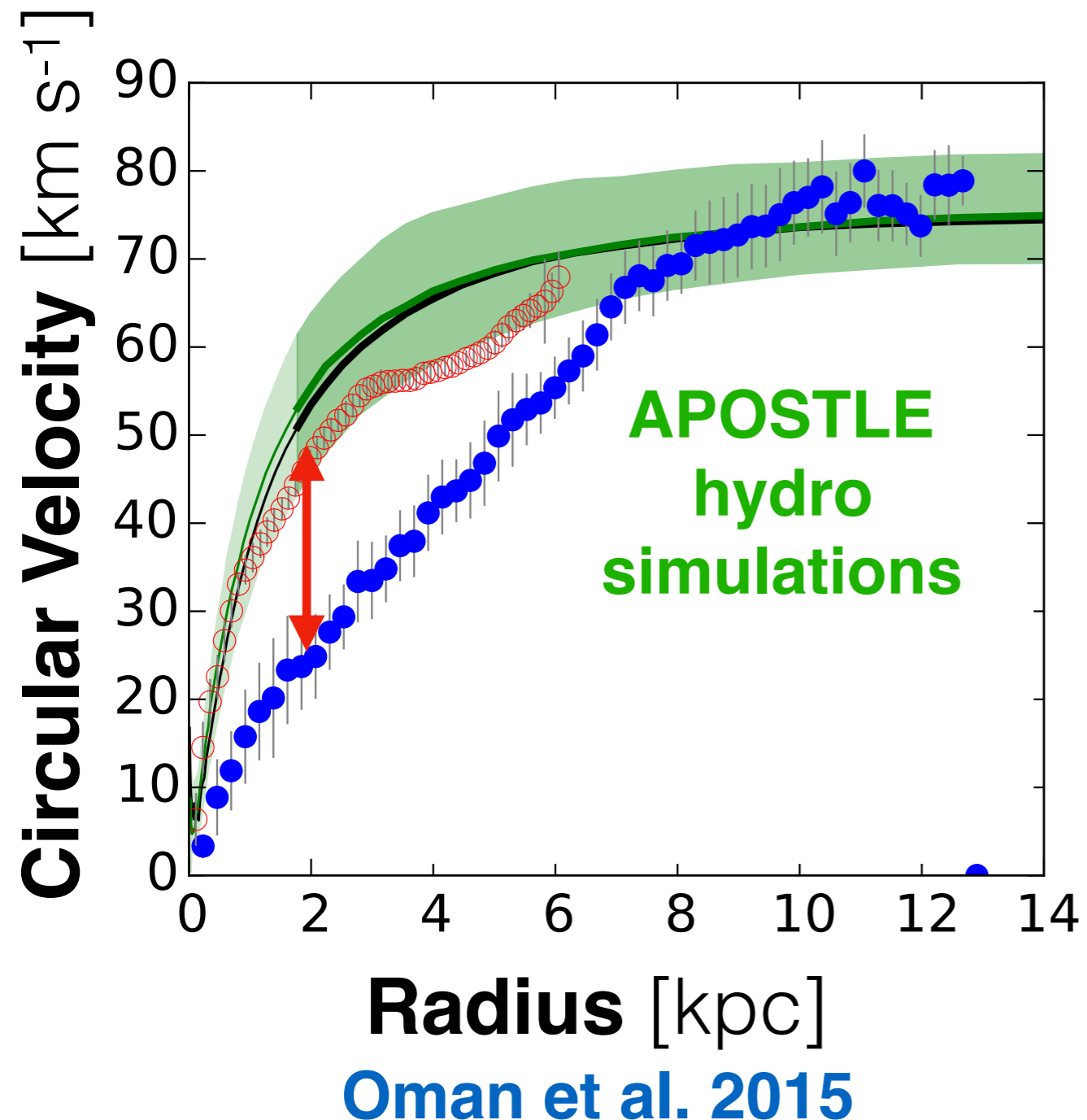


Garrison-Kimmel, Boylan-Kolchin, Bullock, Kirby 2014

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Moore et al. 1994, Flores & Primack 1994, de Blok et al. 2001, 2008, ...

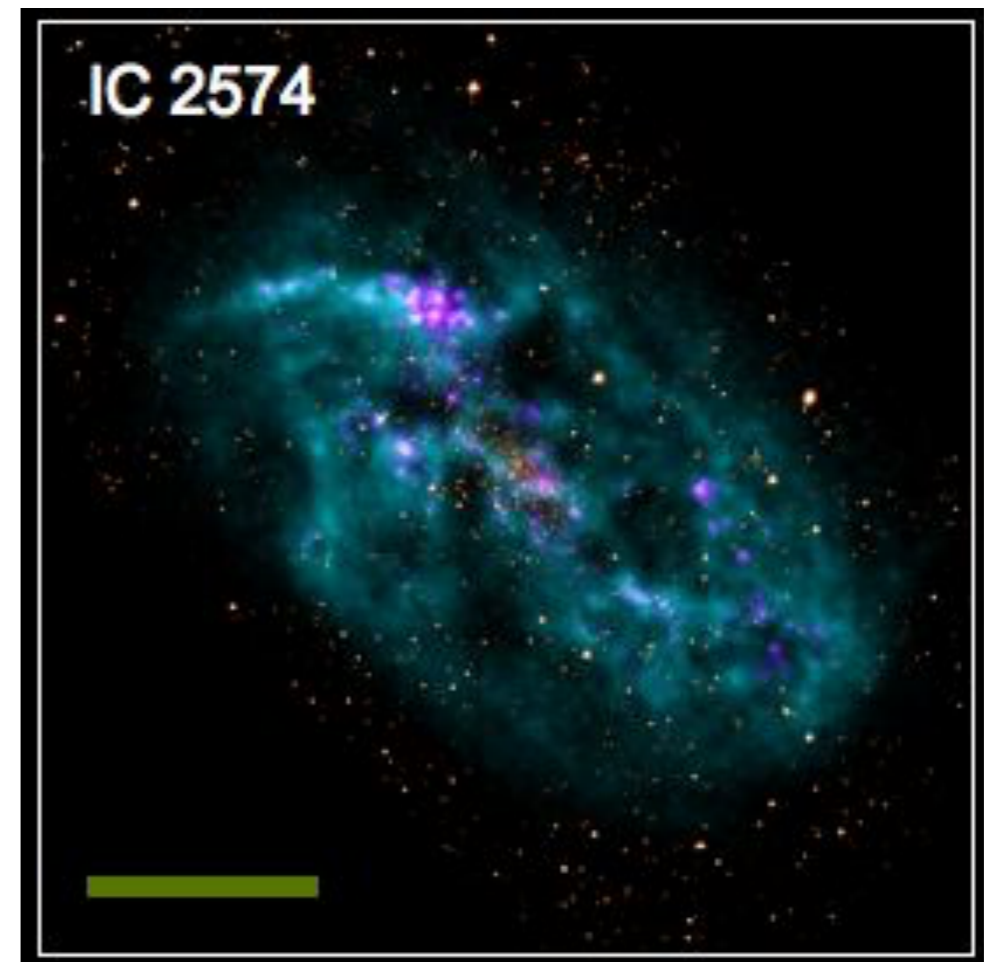
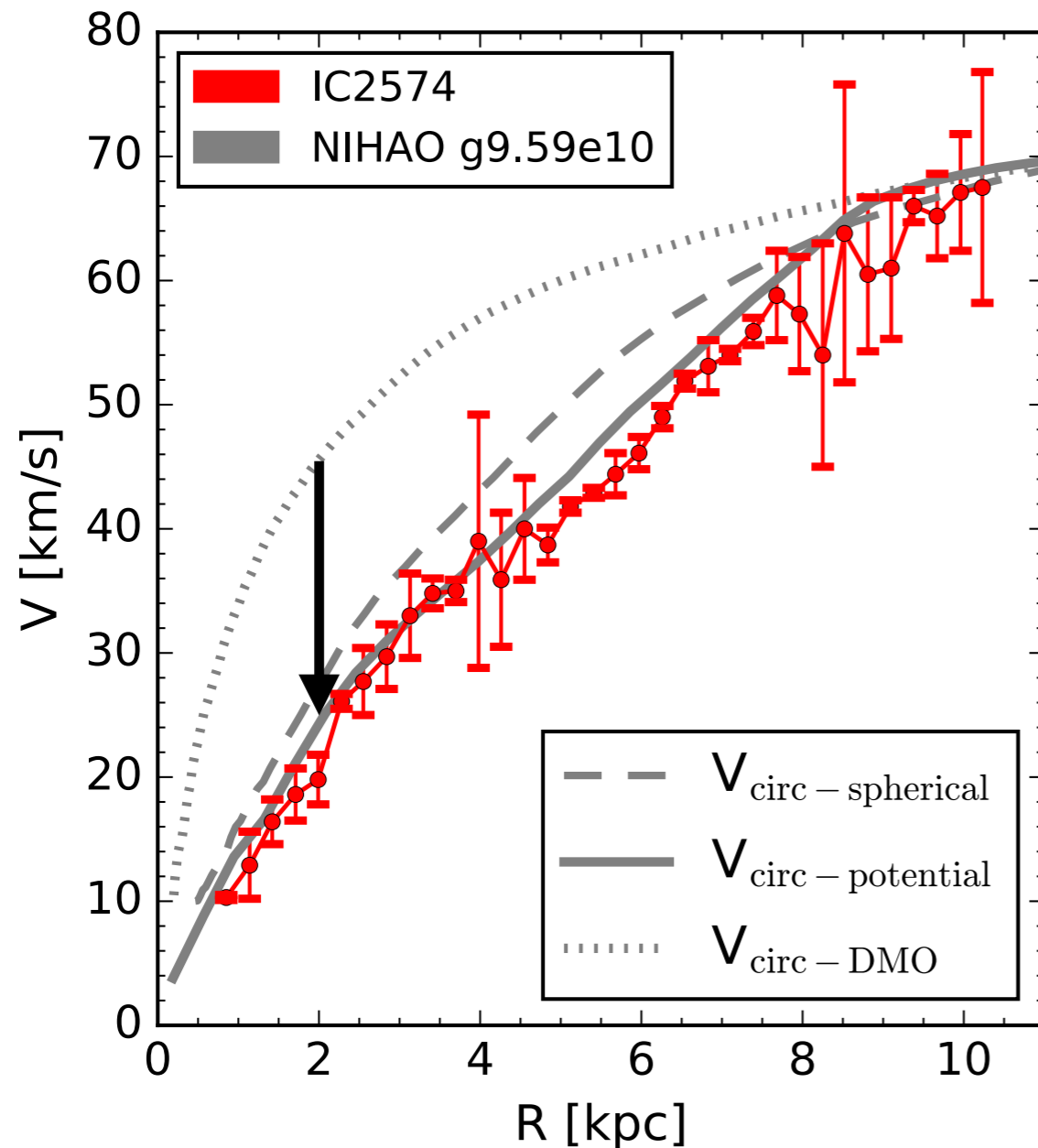
Discrepancy: Factor ~ 2 in velocity \Rightarrow factor ~ 4 in mass



Cold Dark Matter works on small scales

SN driven gas outflows **can** expand the dark matter halo

e.g., Navarro, Eke, Frenk 1996; Read & Gilmore 2005; Mashchenko et al. 2006, 2008; Governato et al. 2010; Pontzen & Governato 2012; Teyssier et al. 2013; Di Cintio et al. 2014a,b; Chan et al. 2015; Trujillo-Gomez et al. 2015



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What determines how **Galaxy Formation** modifies the **Dark Matter** distribution in LCDM simulations?

$$\boxed{M_{\text{star}} / M_{\text{halo}}}$$

Star Formation Efficiency

$$\boxed{n}$$

Star Formation Threshold

Toy Model

Consider a shell of radius r_i and mass M_i

Adiabatic Inflow
(Blumenthal+1986)

$$\frac{r_a}{r_i} = (1 - f_{\text{in}}), \quad \frac{M_a}{M_i} = \frac{1}{(1 - f_{\text{in}})}.$$

Contraction

Impulsive Outflow

$$\frac{r_f}{r_a} = \frac{1 - f_{\text{out}}}{1 - 2f_{\text{out}}}, \quad \frac{M_f}{M_a} = 1 - f_{\text{out}}.$$

Expansion

1 cycle $f_{\text{out}} = \beta f_{\text{in}}$

$$\frac{r_f}{r_i} = \frac{(1 - \beta f_{\text{in}})(1 - f_{\text{in}})}{1 - 2\beta f_{\text{in}}}, \quad \frac{M_f}{M_i} = \frac{1 - \beta f_{\text{in}}}{1 - f_{\text{in}}}.$$

N cycles

$$\frac{r_f}{r_i} = \left[\frac{(1 - f_{\text{in}})(1 - \beta f_{\text{in}})}{1 - 2\beta f_{\text{in}}} \right]^N, \quad \frac{M_f}{M_i} = \left[\frac{1 - \beta f_{\text{in}}}{1 - f_{\text{in}}} \right]^N$$

Toy Model

N cycles $\beta=1$ $r_f/r_i = (1 - 2f + f^2)^N / (1 - 2f)^N$

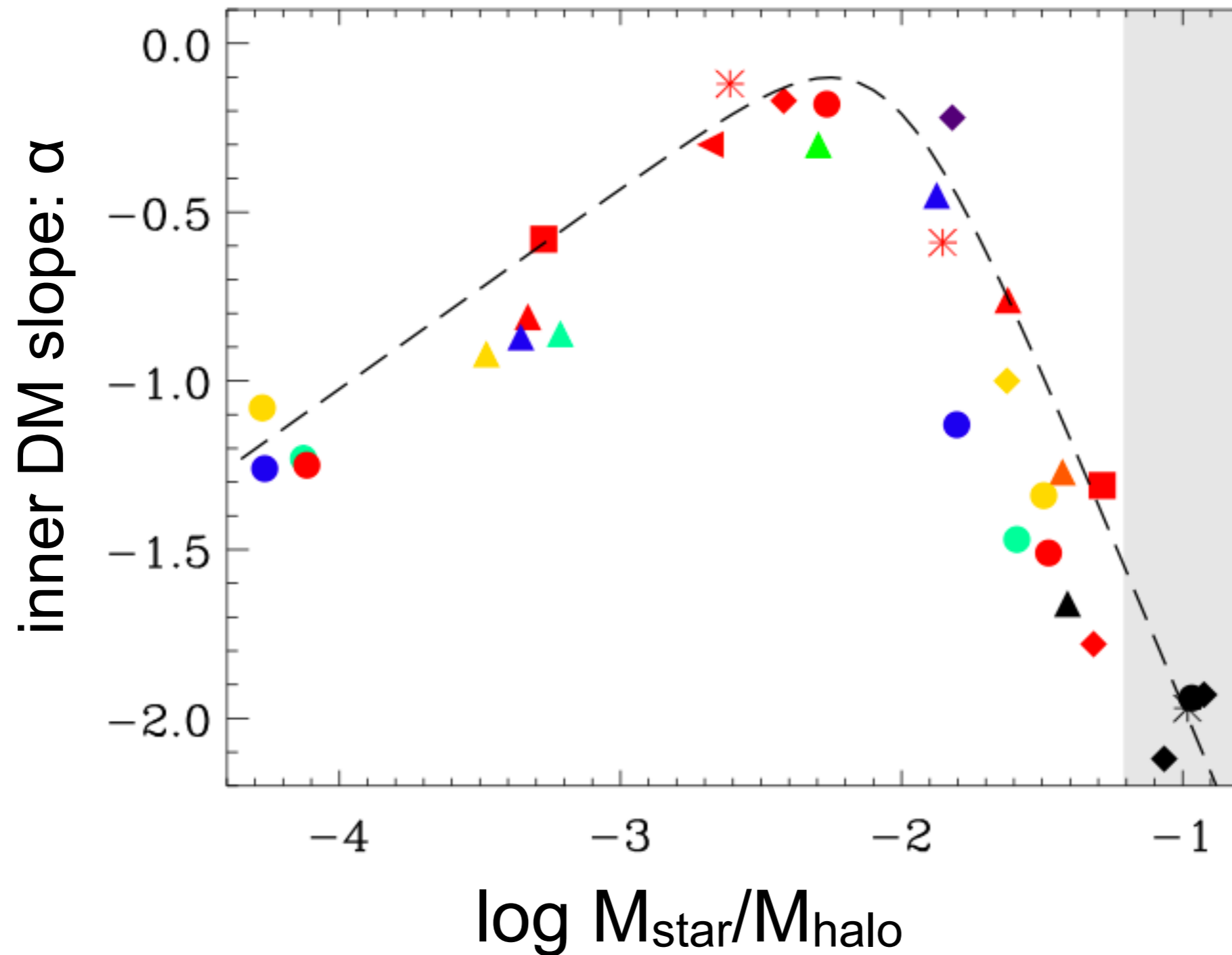
Net Expansion

$$r_f/r_i = 1 + N f^2 + O(f^3)$$

- Need many cycles, with $f \gtrsim 0.1$ to generate significant expansion
- If outflow events are small, then halo cannot expand much

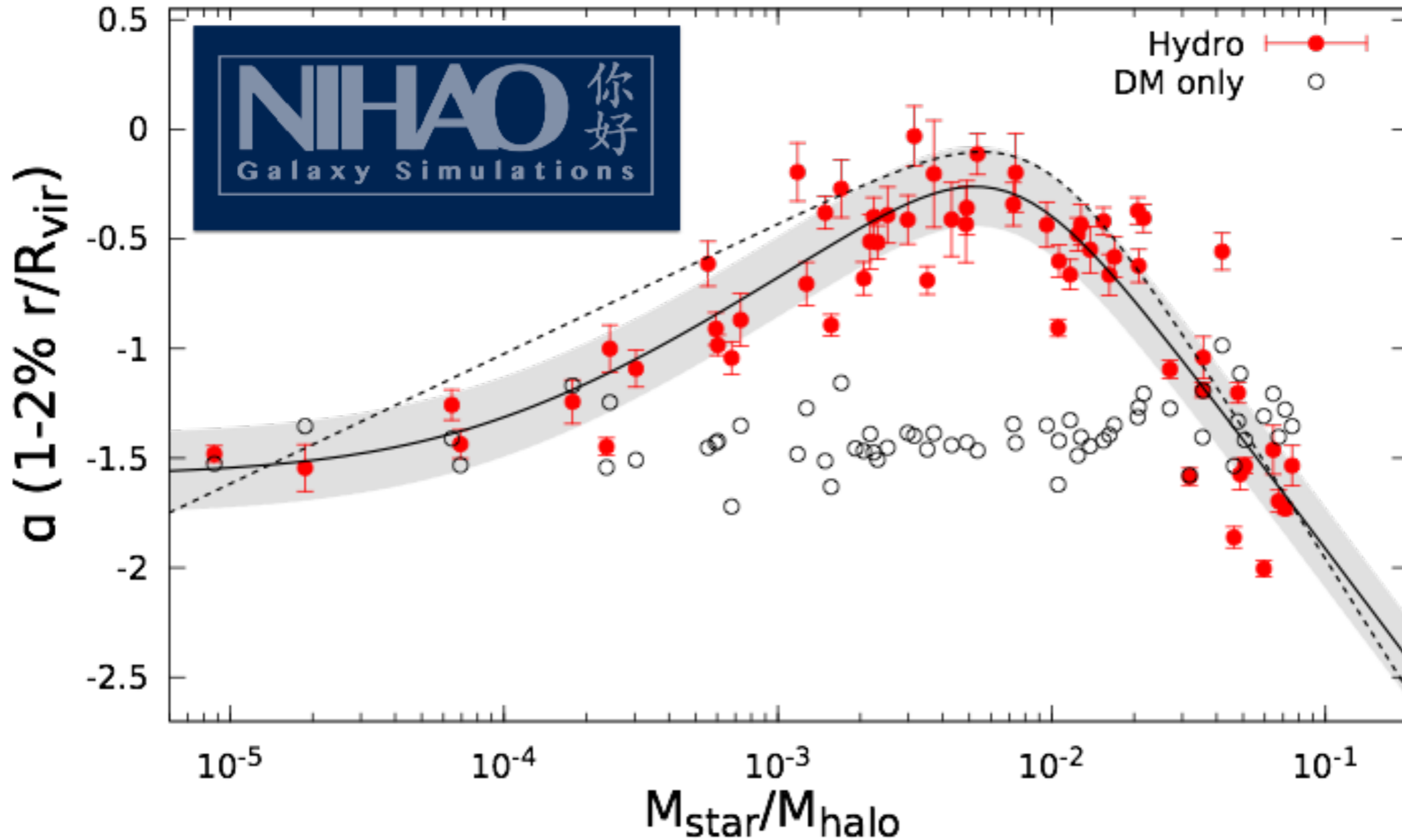
Halo Response depends on Star Formation Efficiency

Di Cintio et al. 2014a, MaGICC simulations (Stinson et al. 2013)



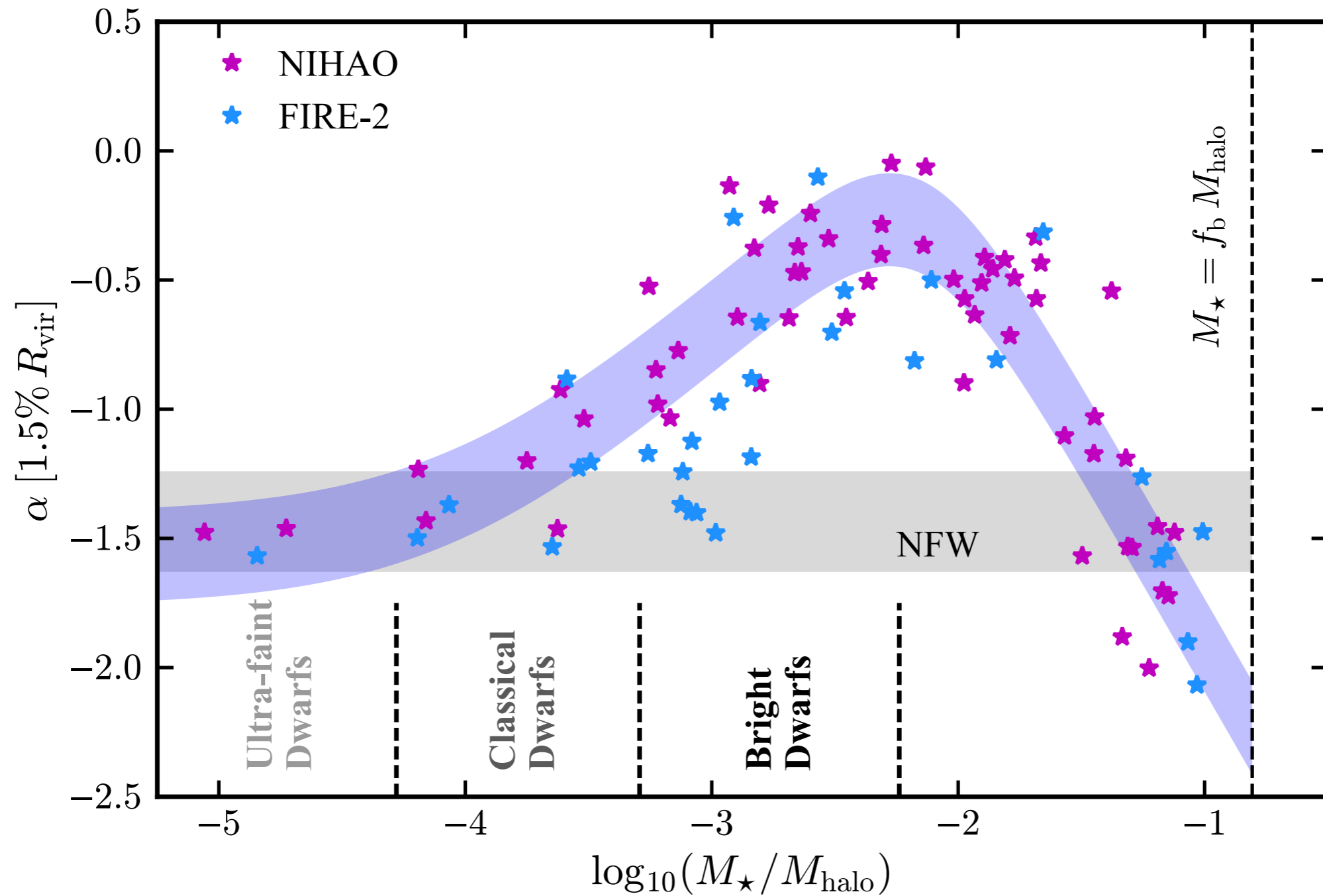
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Tollet et al. 2016, MNRAS, 456, 3542



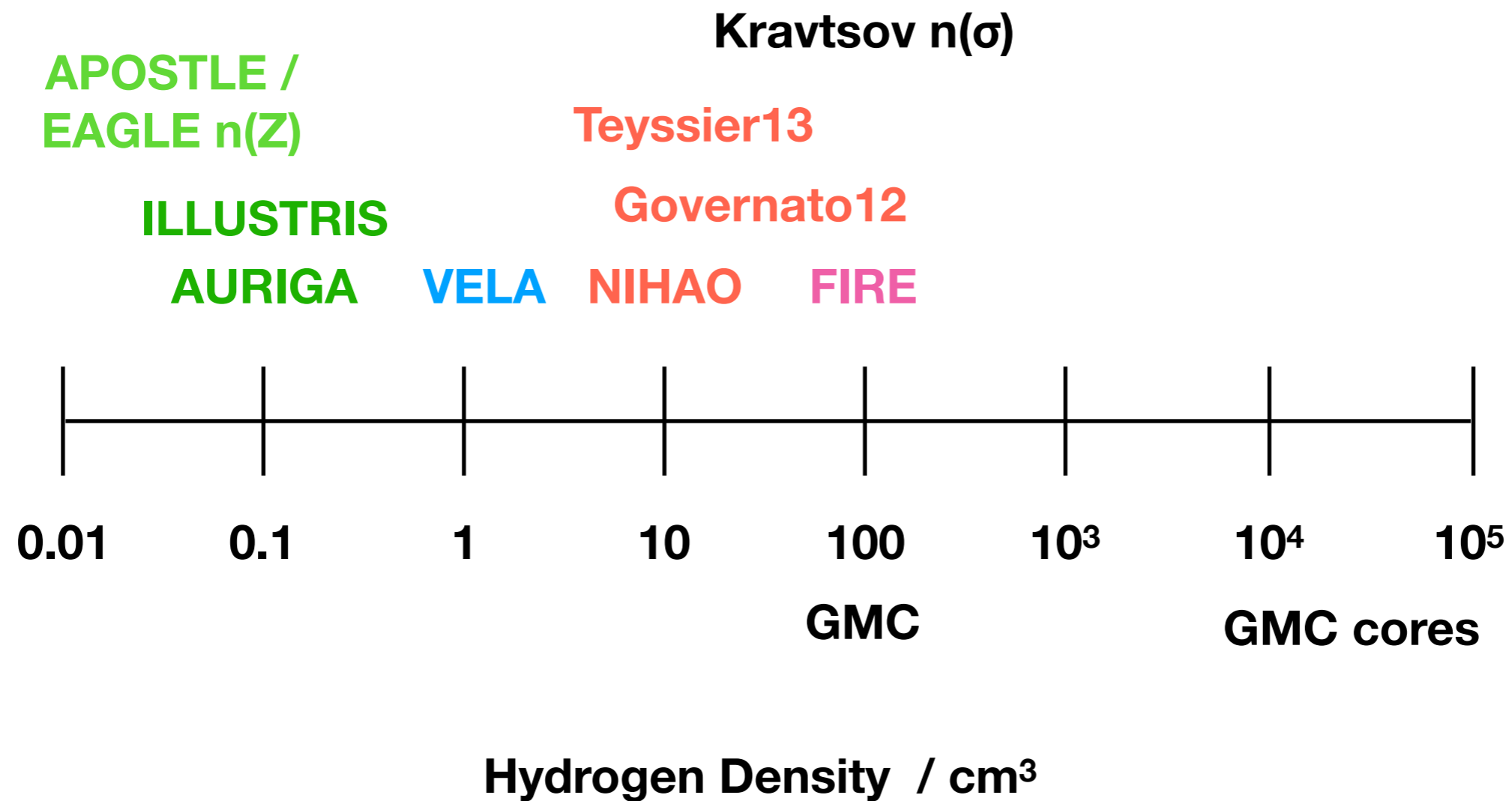
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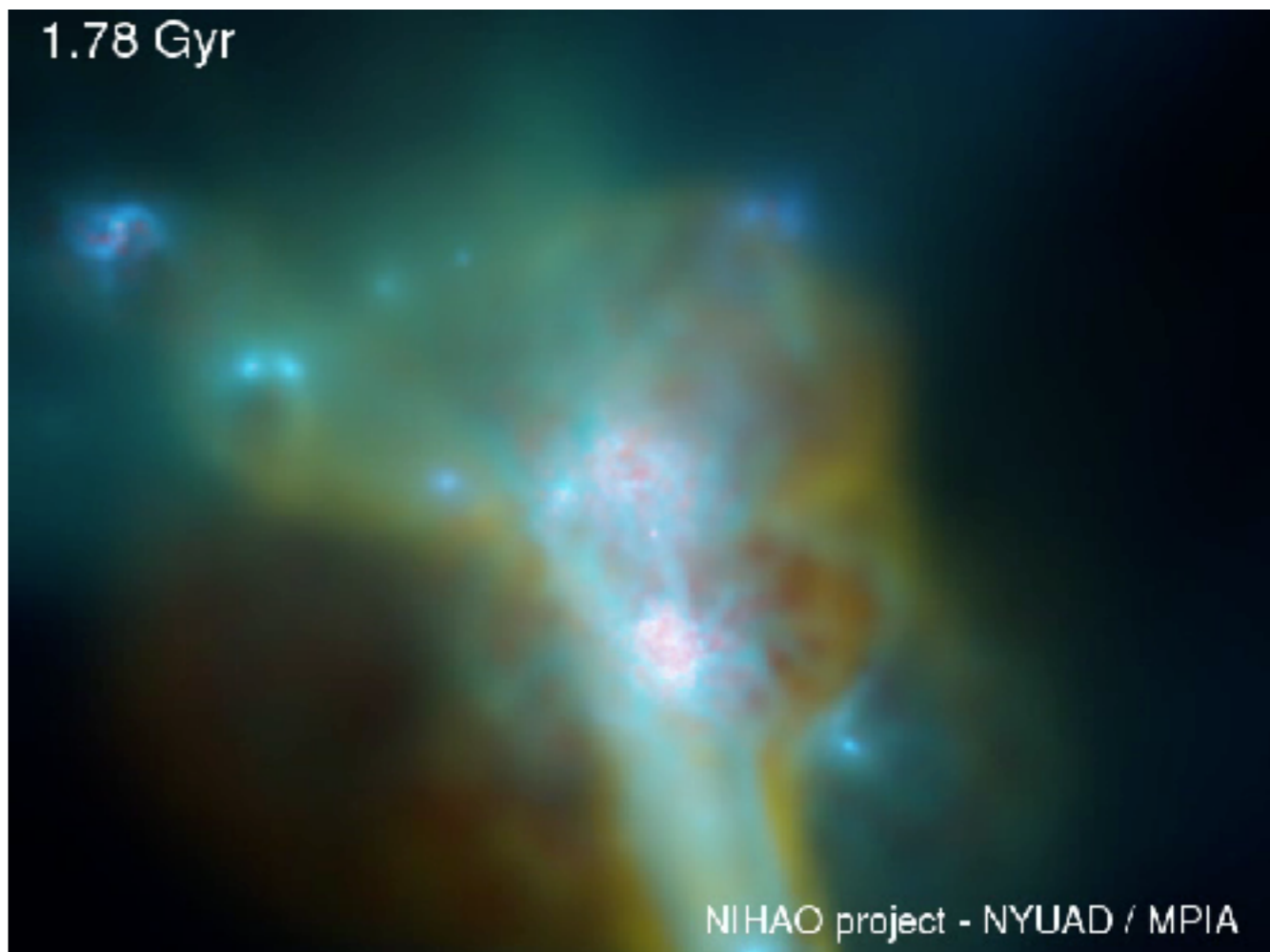
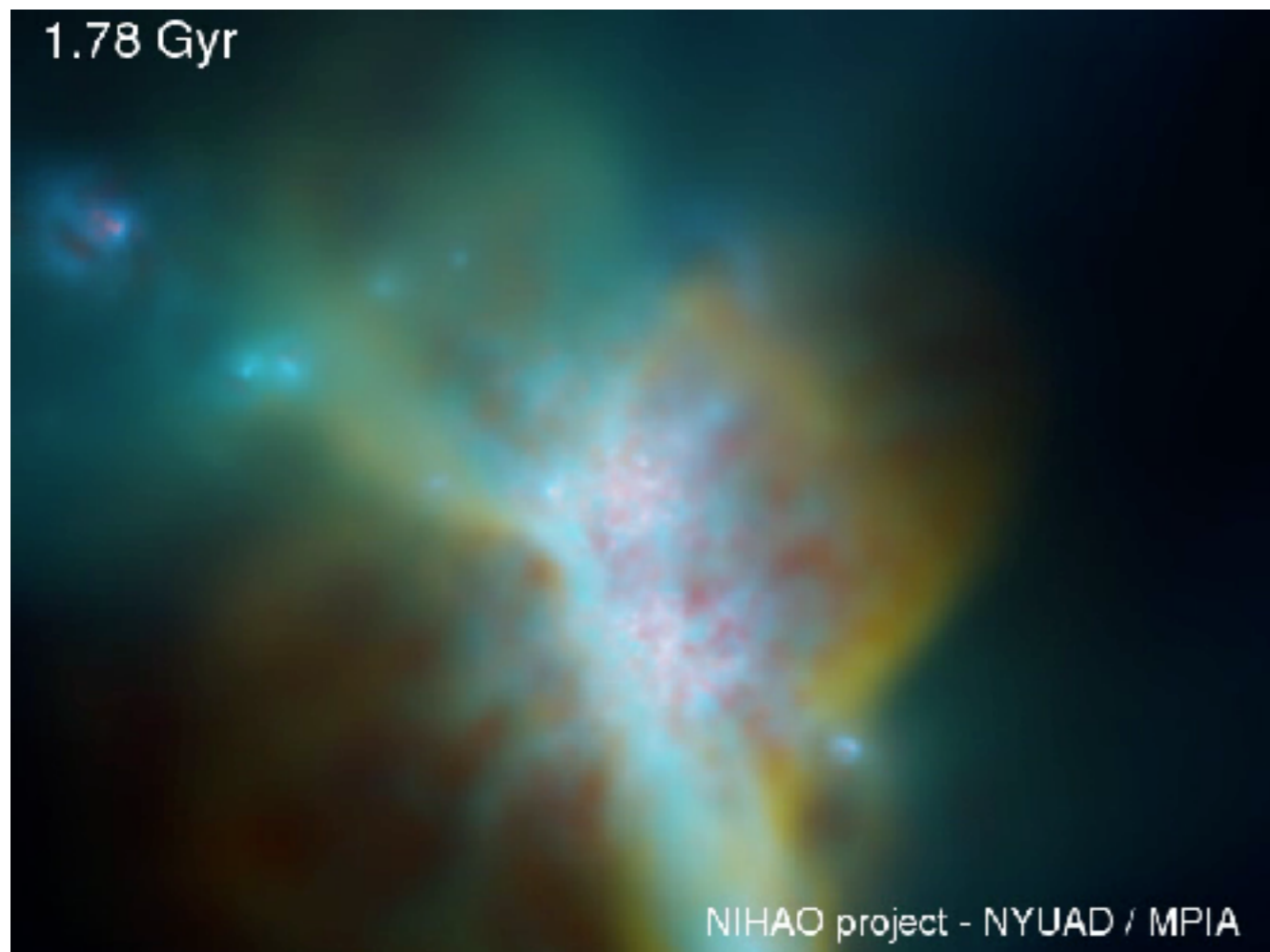
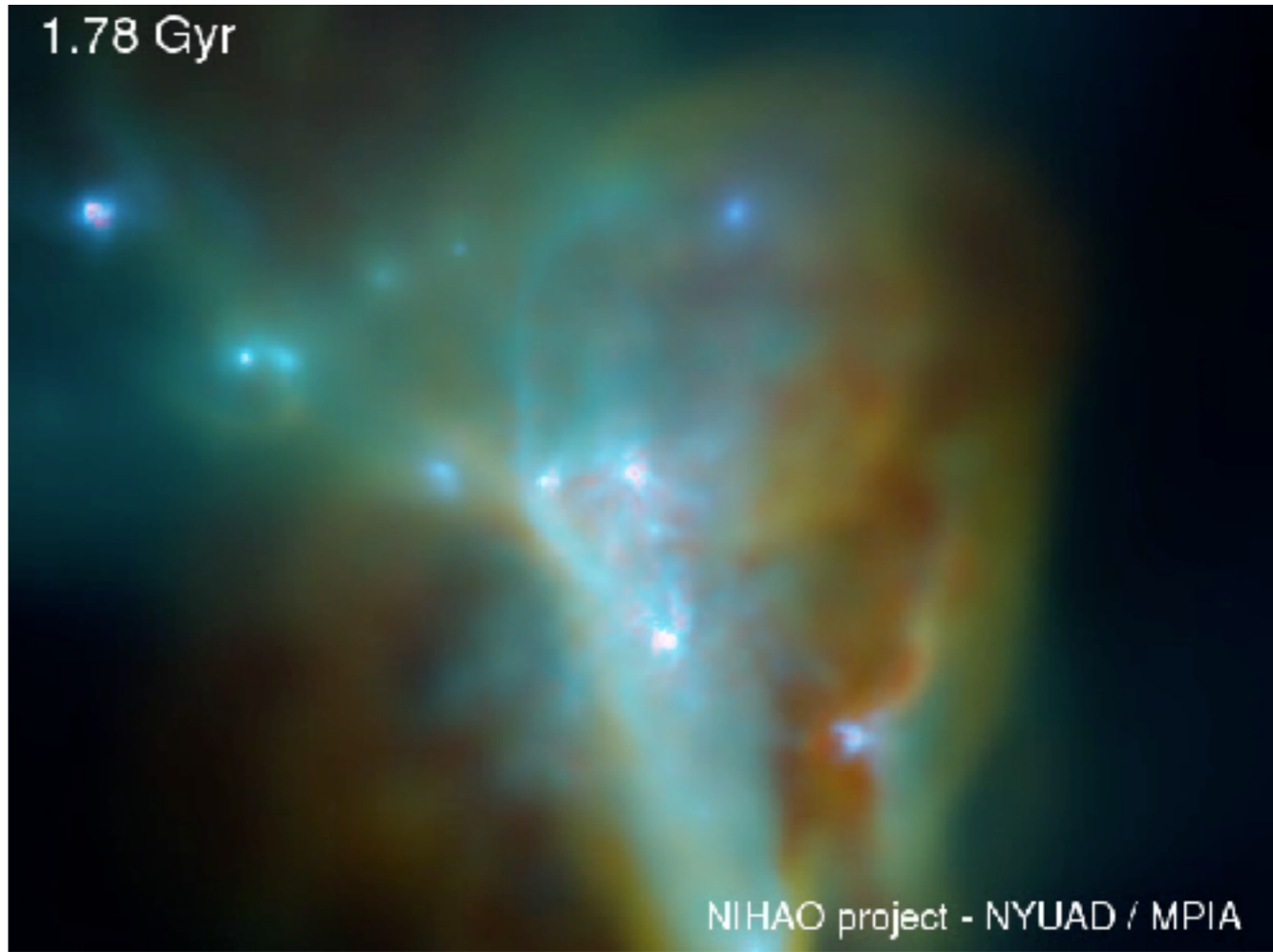
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Star Formation Threshold is a common sub-grid parameter in galaxy formation simulations

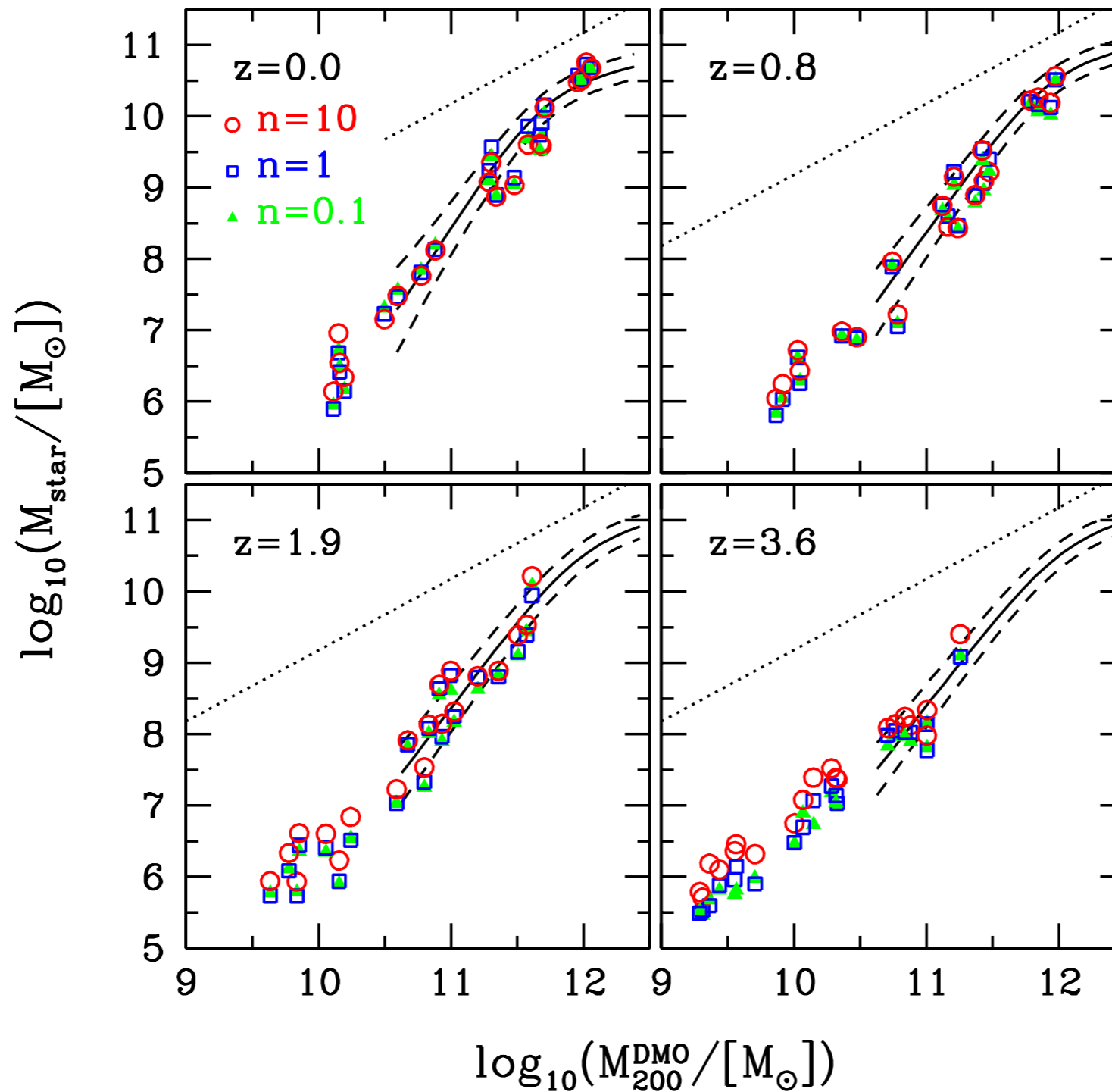


Re-simulate 20 NIHAO haloes with three SF thresholds

$n=10, 1, 0.1 \text{ n}_H \text{ cm}^{-3}$



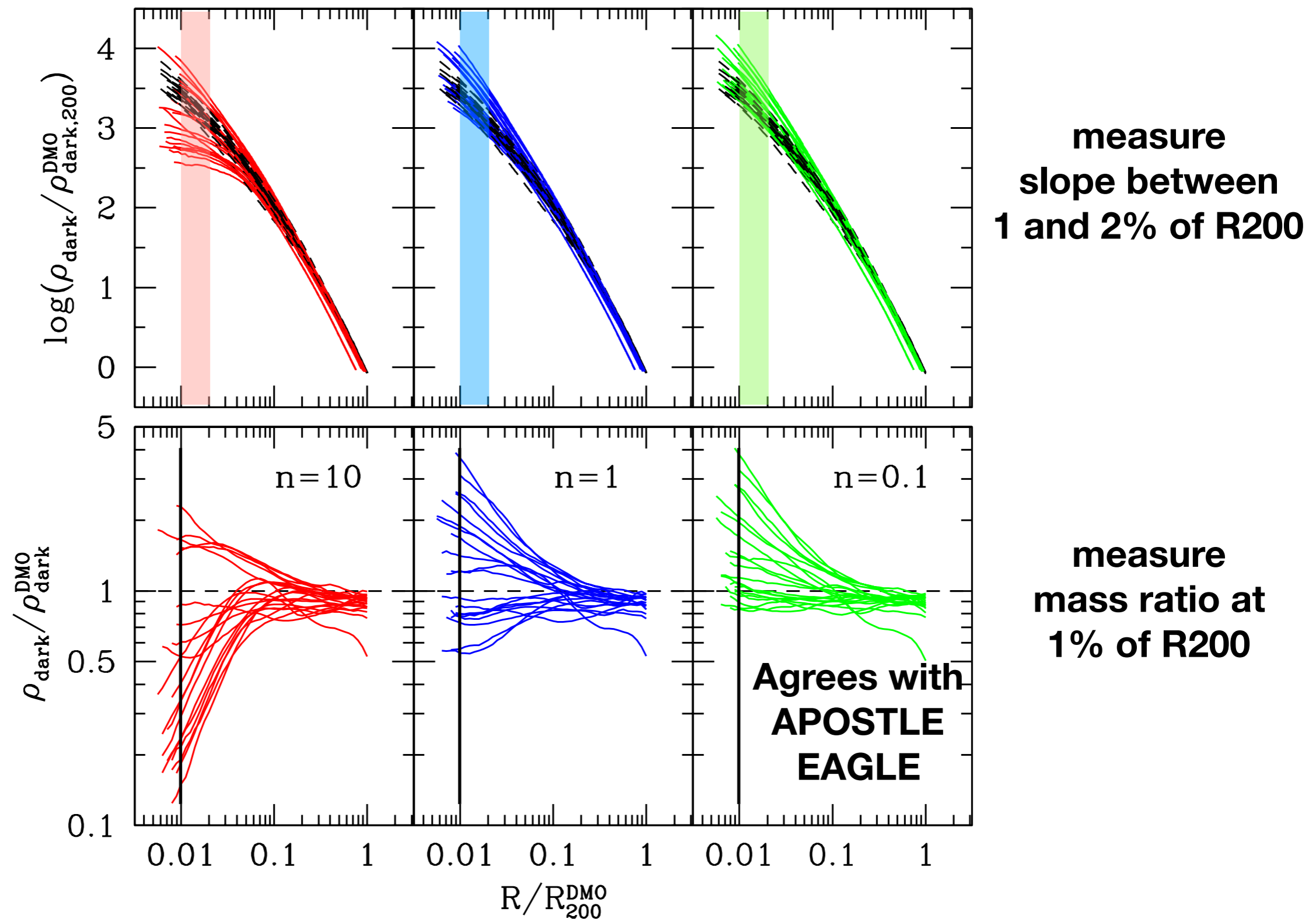
Stellar Mass vs Halo Mass



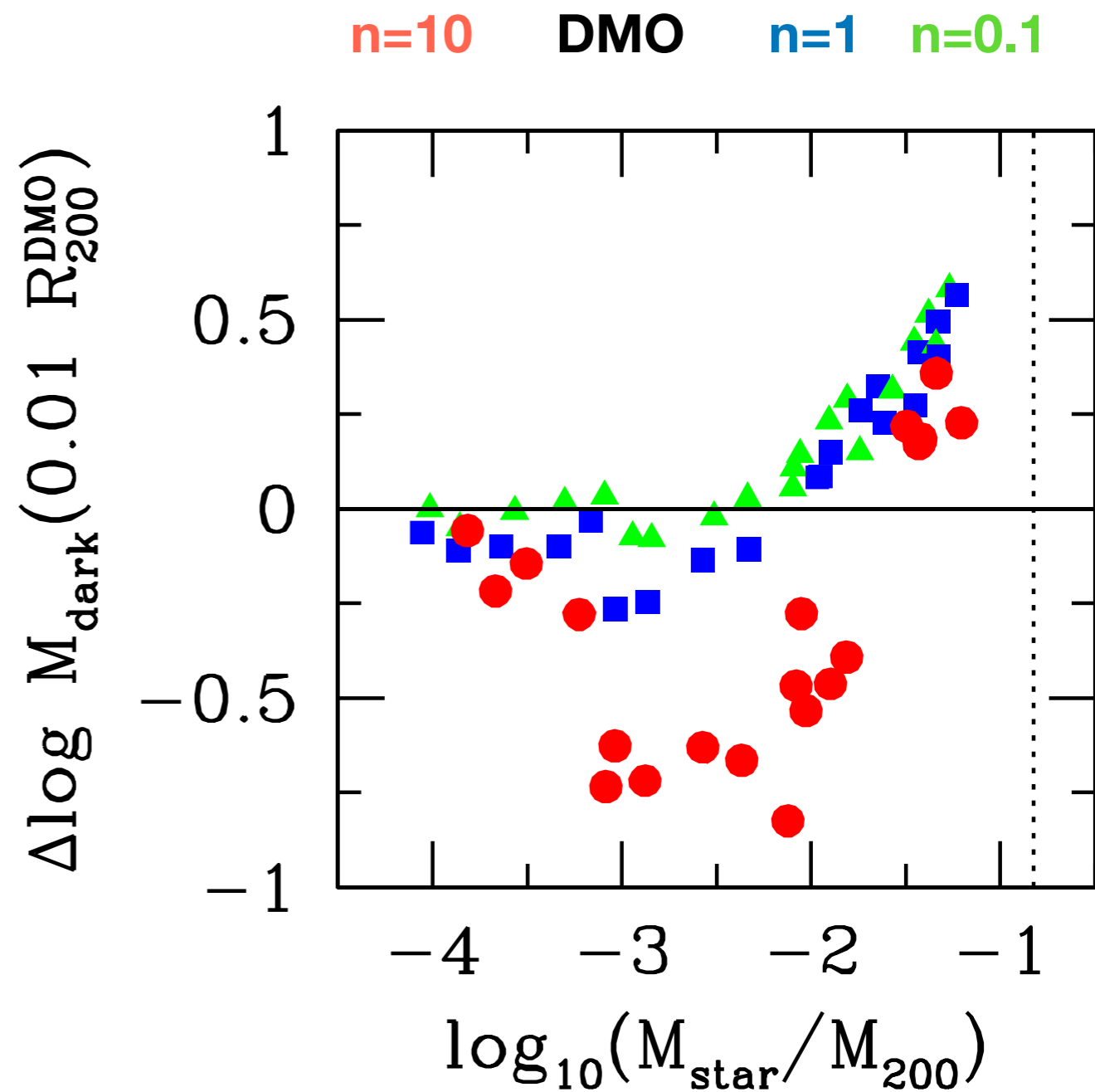
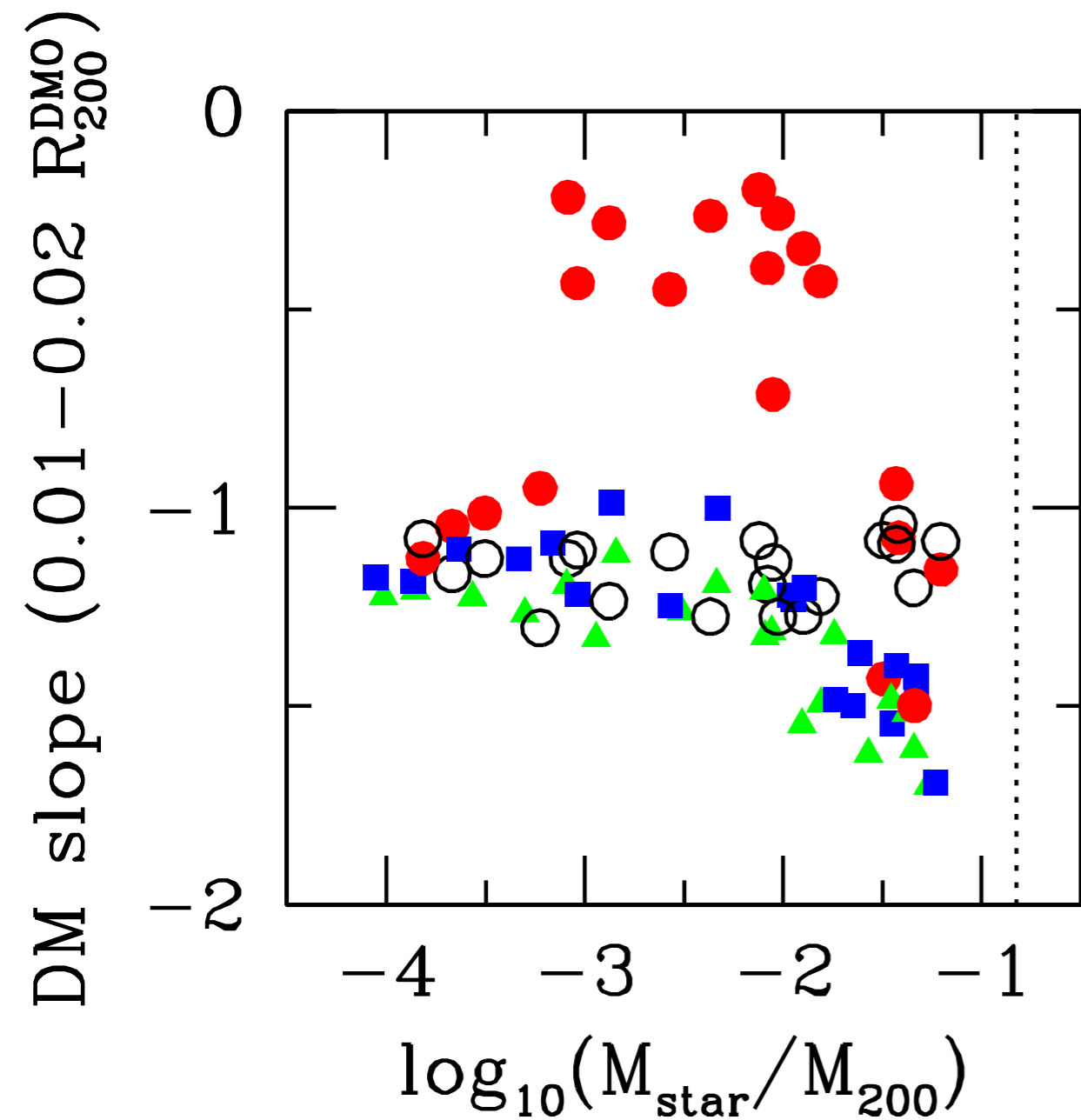
Abundance Matching
Moster et al. 2018

re-calibrated
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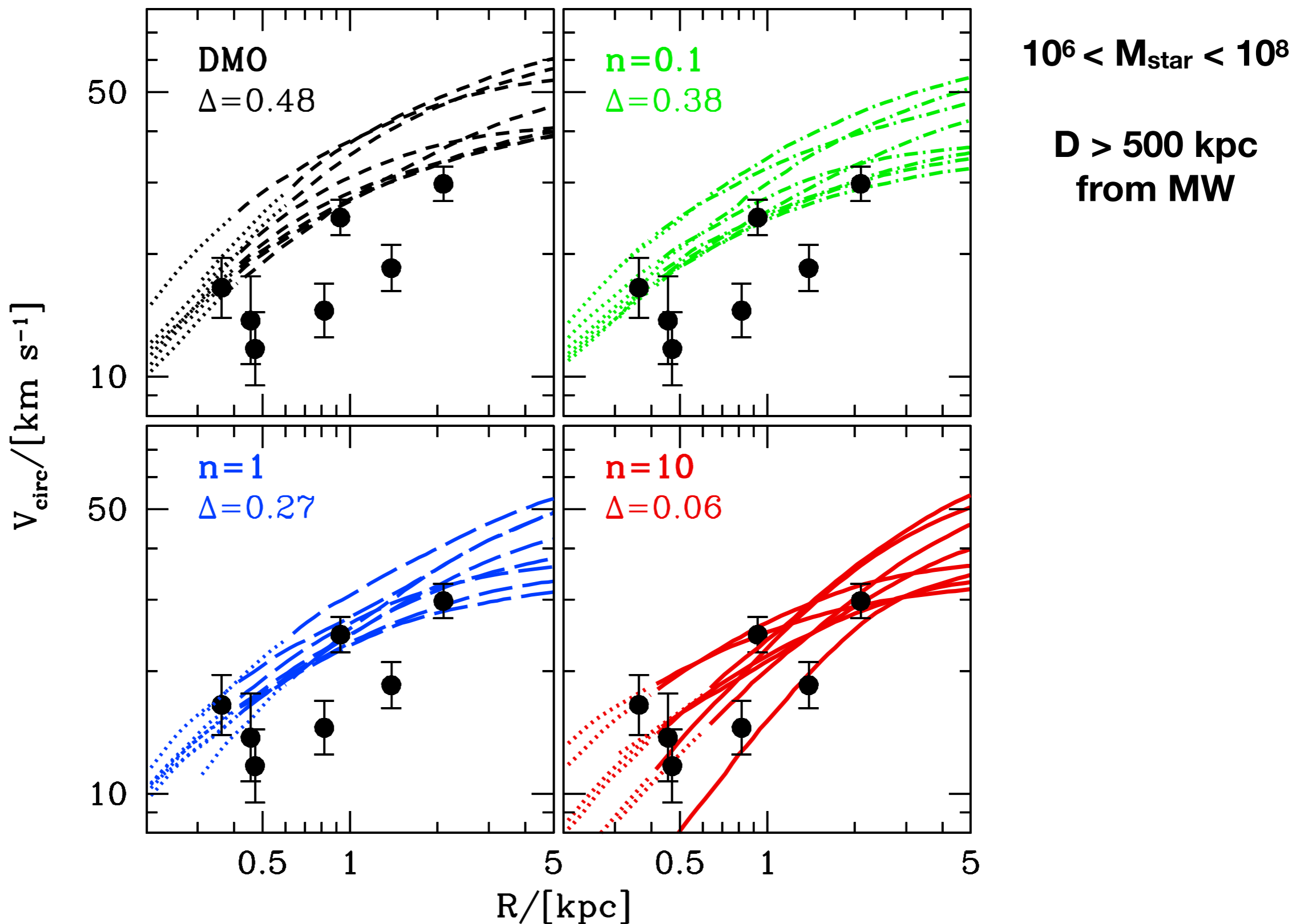
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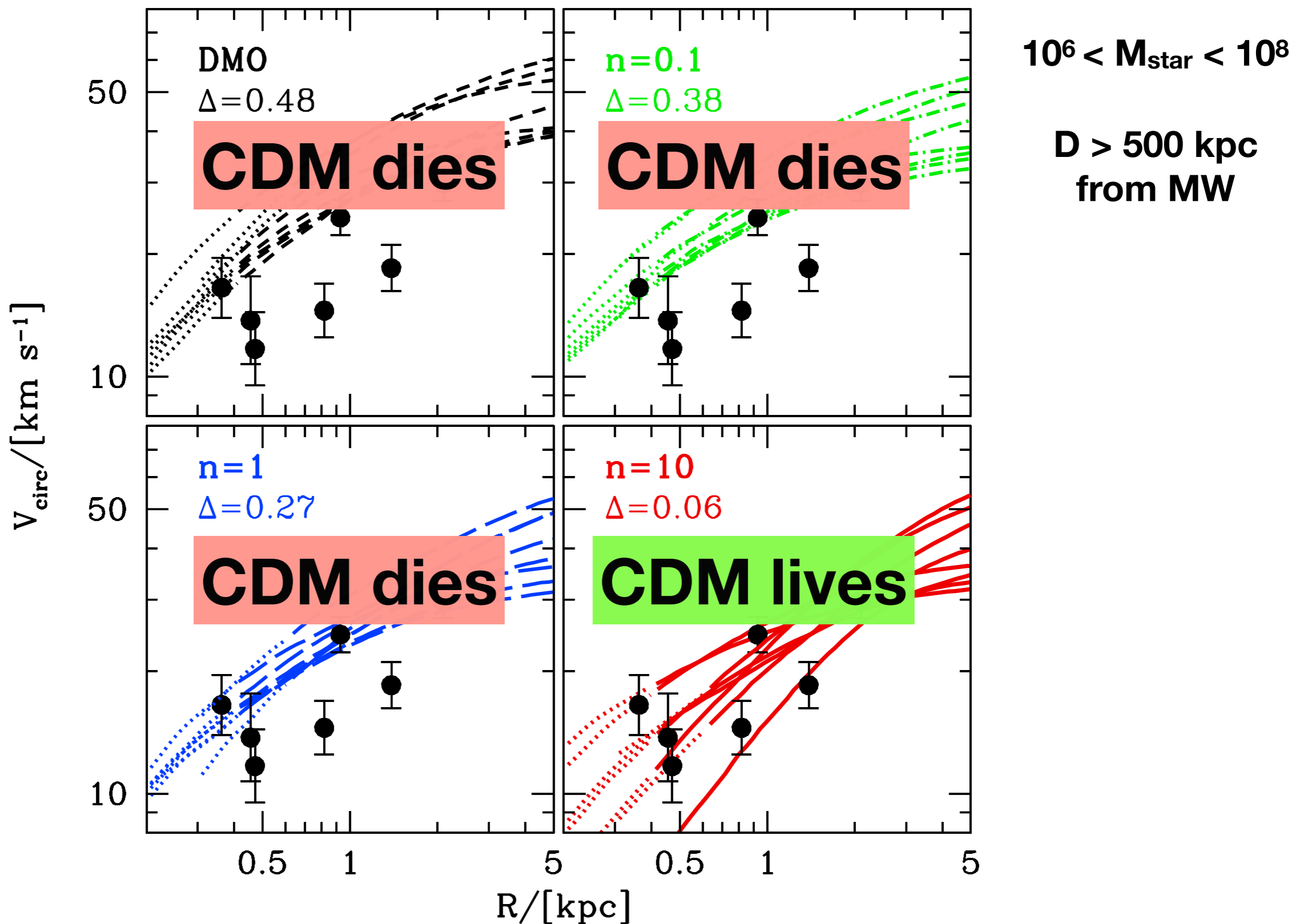
Halo Response depends on ($M_{\text{star}}/M_{\text{halo}}$, n)



TBTf problem for field Dwarf Galaxies



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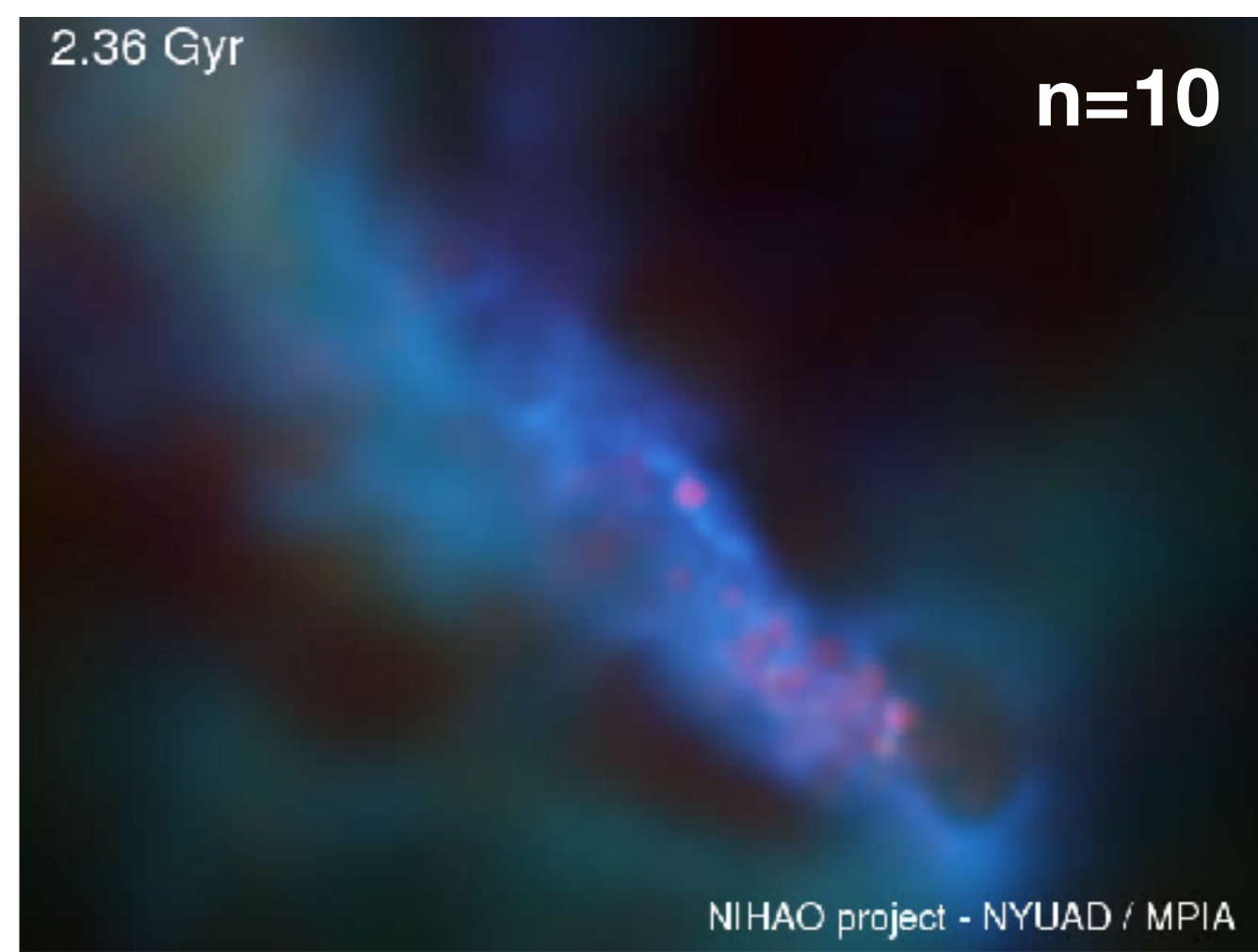
**How do we test which SF
threshold is most realistic?**

Re-simulate 20 NIHAO haloes with three SF thresholds

$n=10, 1, 0.1 \text{ n}_H \text{ cm}^{-3}$

2.36 Gyr

$n=10$



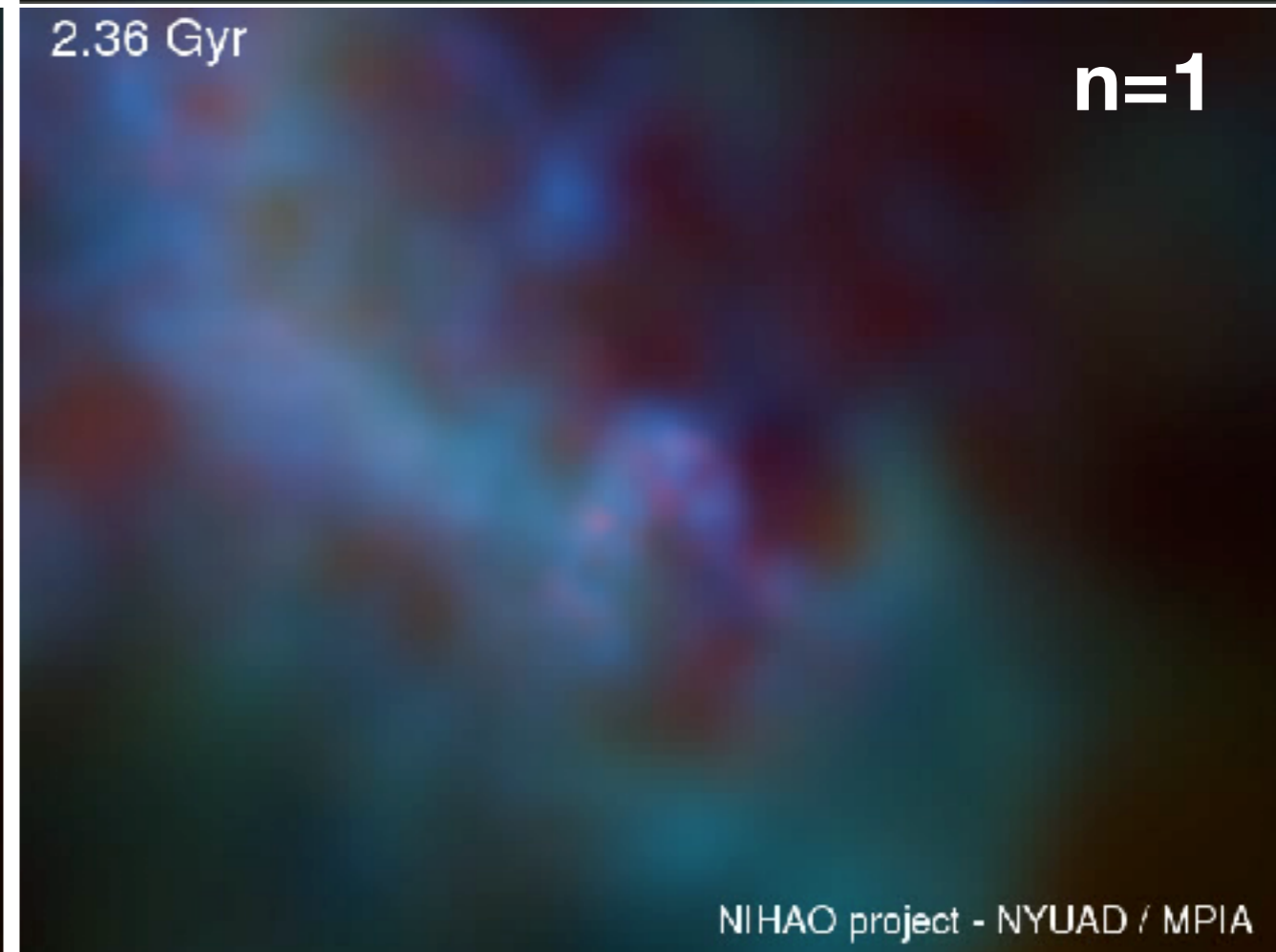
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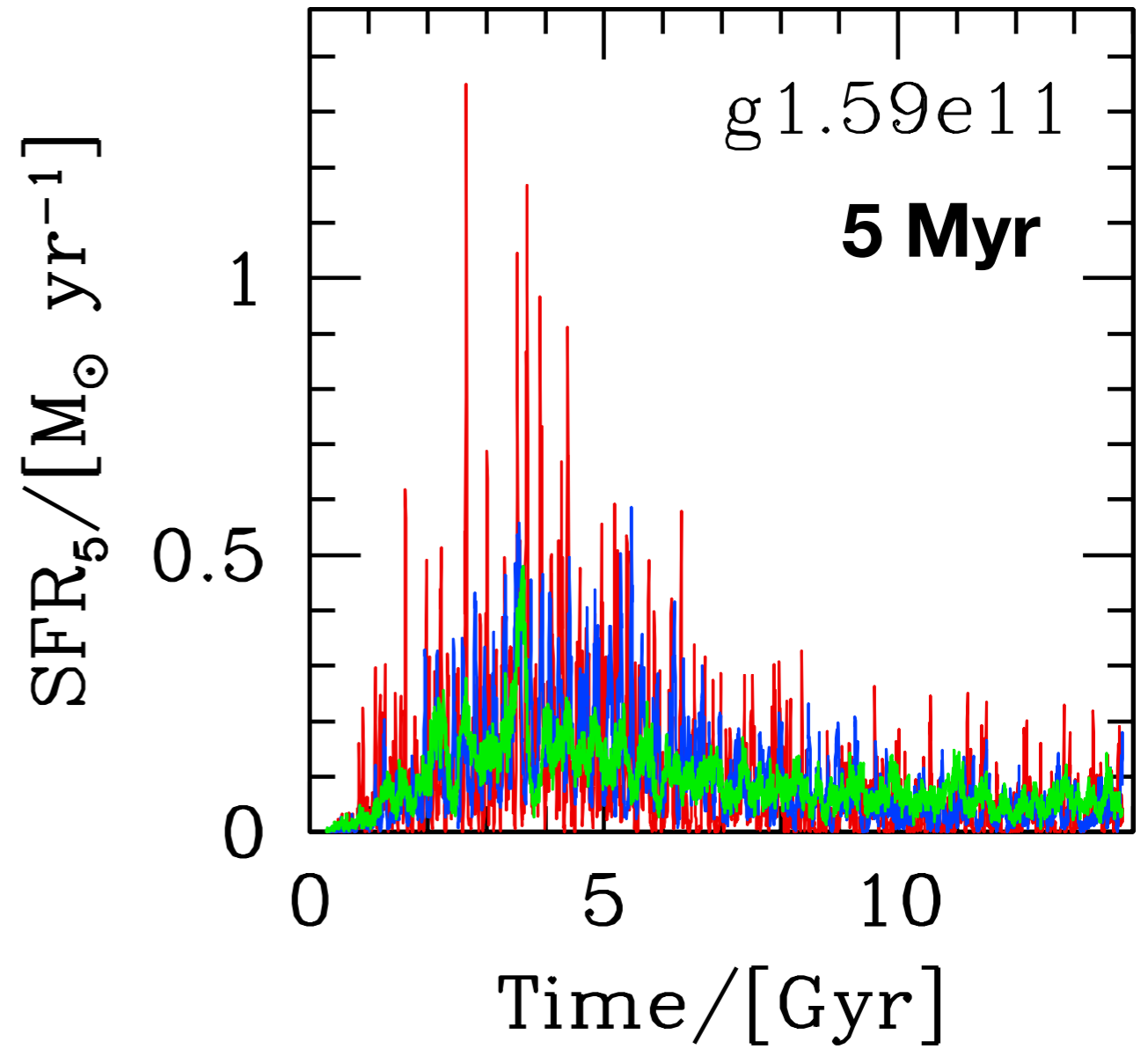
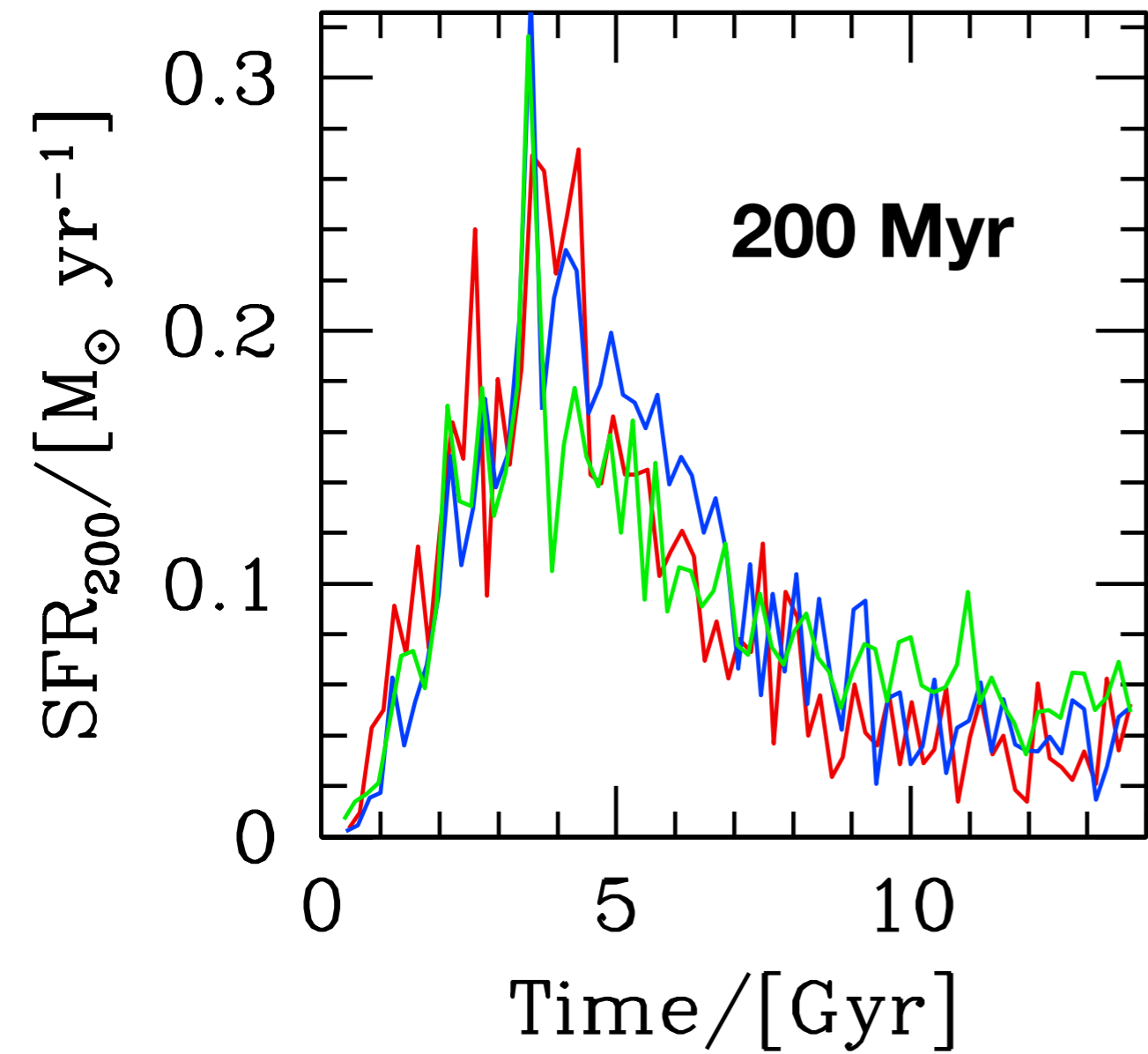


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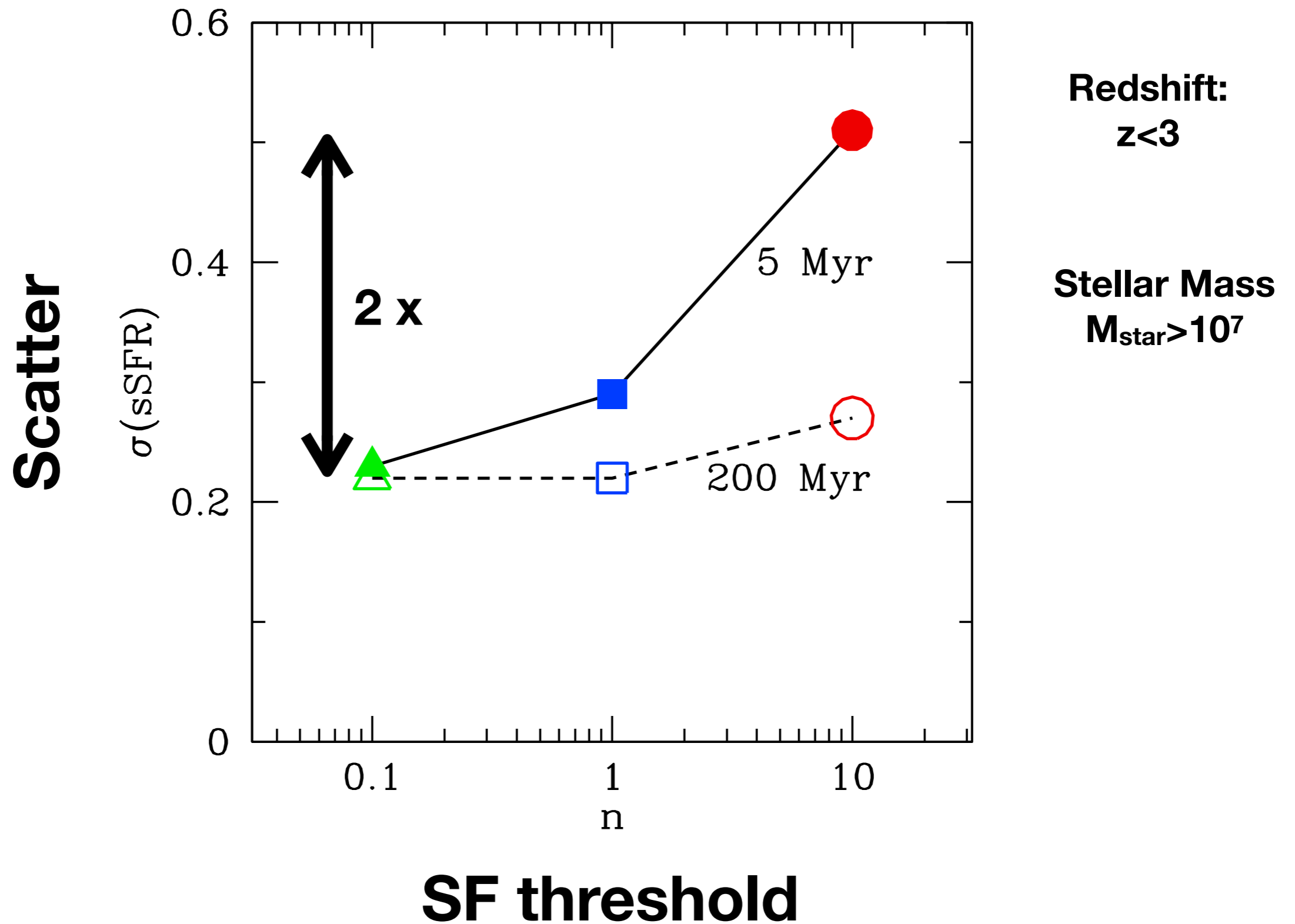
$n=1$



Higher SF threshold gives more bursty SFH



Scatter in SFR - M_{star} Relation



Summary

- **Low threshold** star formation ($n \leq 1$) EAGLE / APOSTLE / ILLUSTRIS produces **cuspy haloes** (\Rightarrow CDM fails!)
- **High threshold** star formation ($n \geq 10$) NIHAO/FIRE produces **expanded haloes** when $0.001 < M_{\text{star}}/M_{\text{halo}} < 0.01$ (CDM ok)
- Field galaxies in LG with $M_{\text{star}} \sim 10^7$ favor high threshold (Need more observations to improve statistics)
- High threshold yields **2x larger scatter** in sSFR measured over 5 Myr timescale. Testable with H α ?