

Preliminary result

# Realistic Sub-halo mass function

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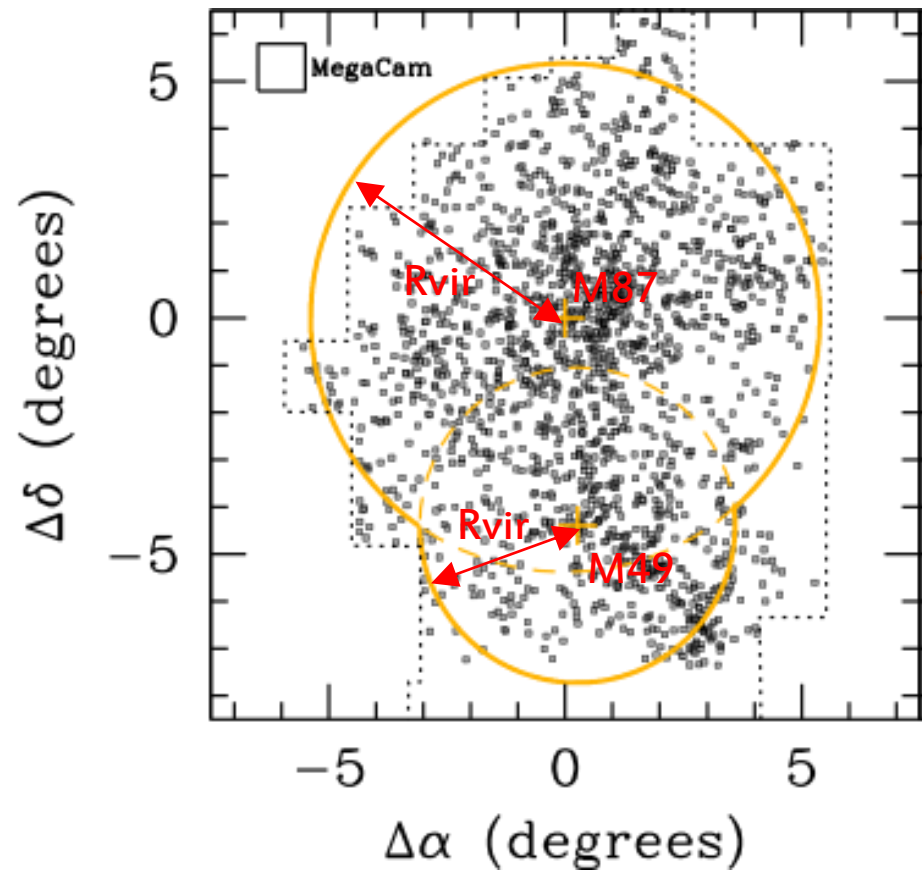
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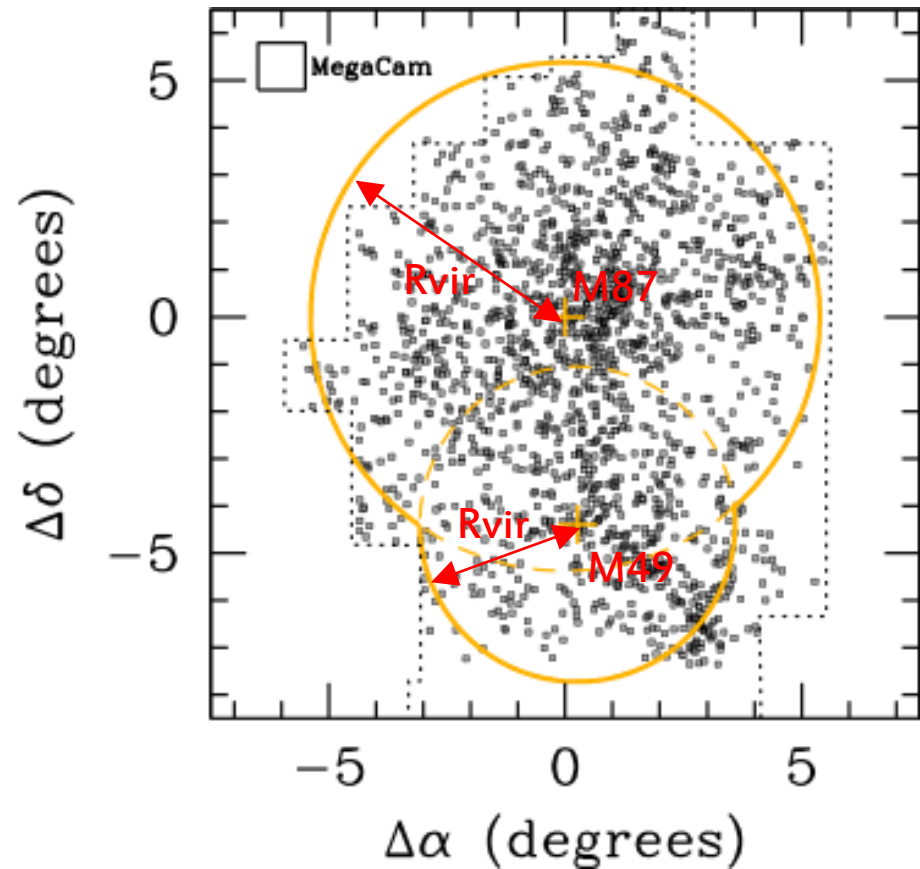
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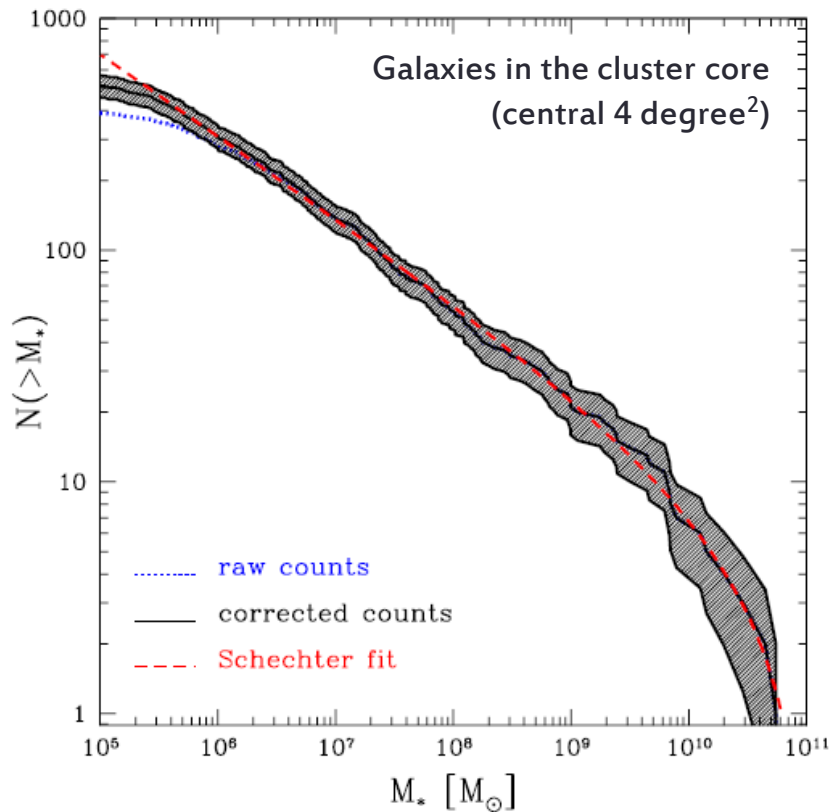


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(Binggeli et al. 1985)

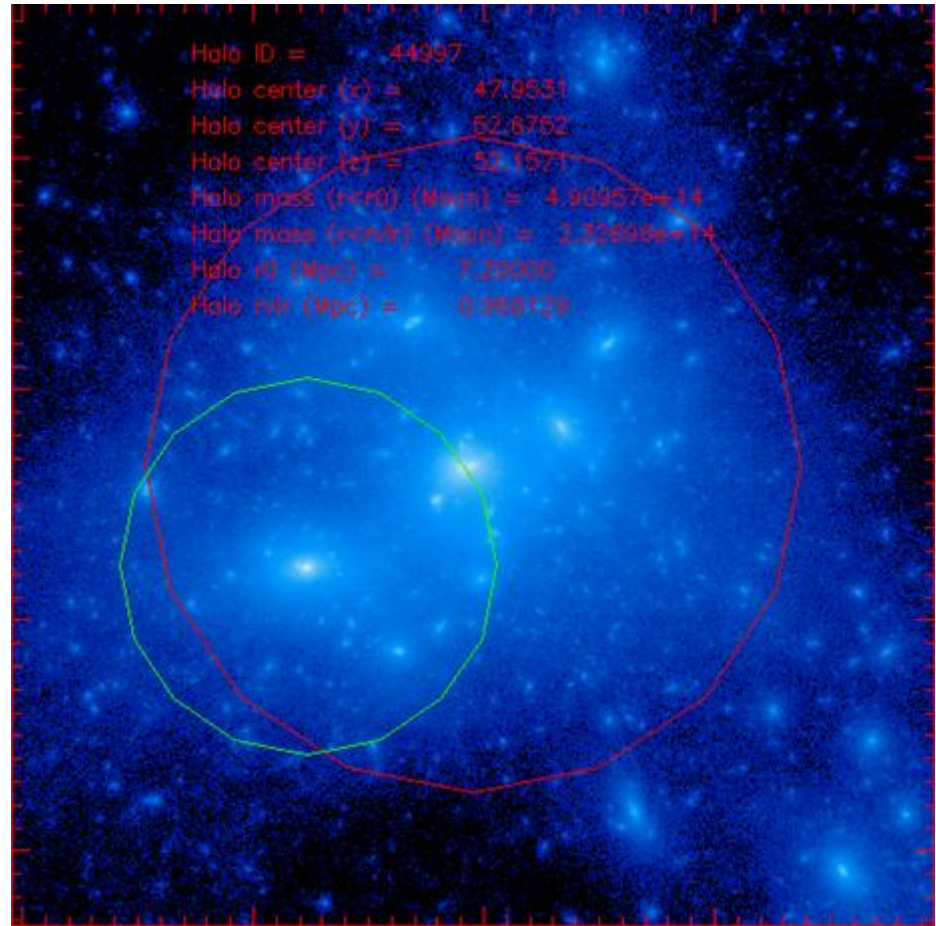
Identification of all Virgo cluster members is still ongoing.

-> Ferrarese et al. in prep.

# To characterize galaxies



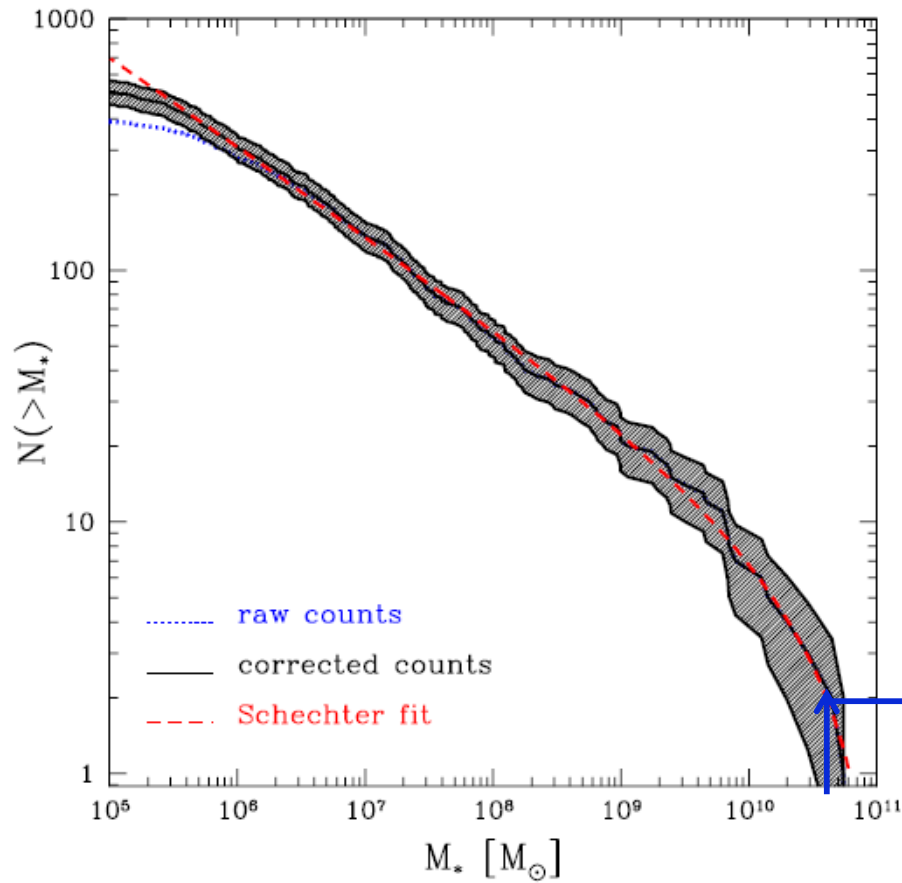
Luminosity from observation  
(FOV of NGVS)



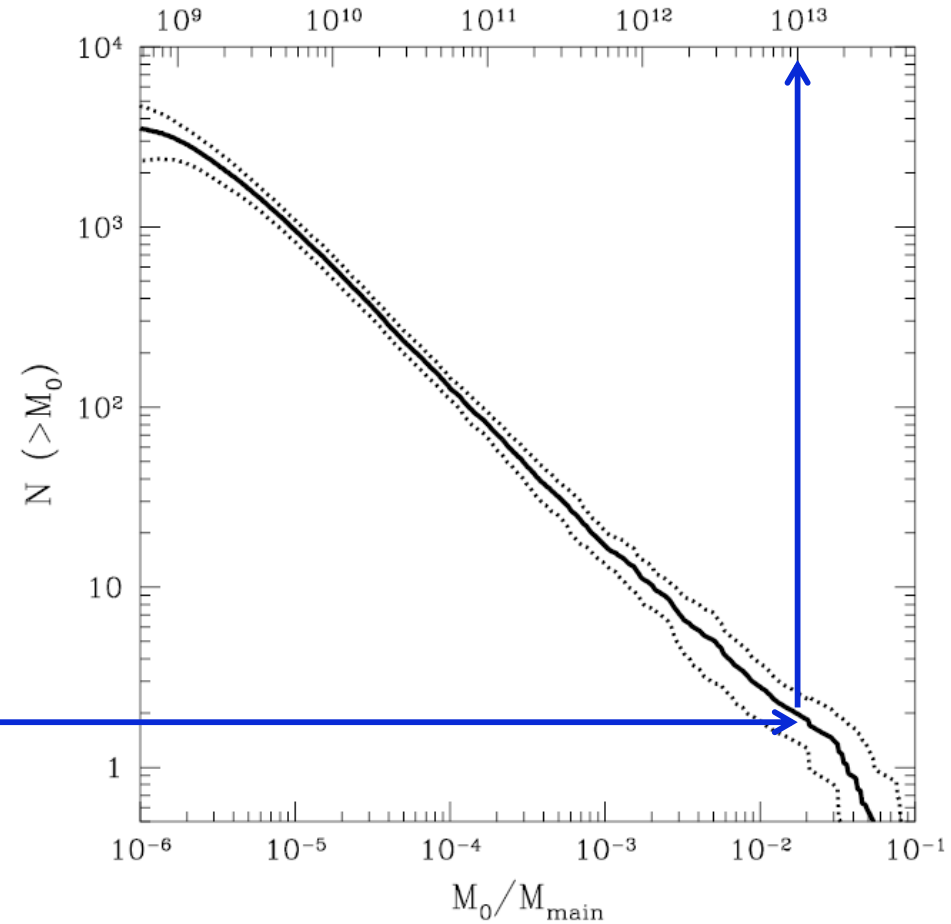
Mass from simulation  
(Virgo cluster-like halo)

# Abundance matching

## Stellar mass function

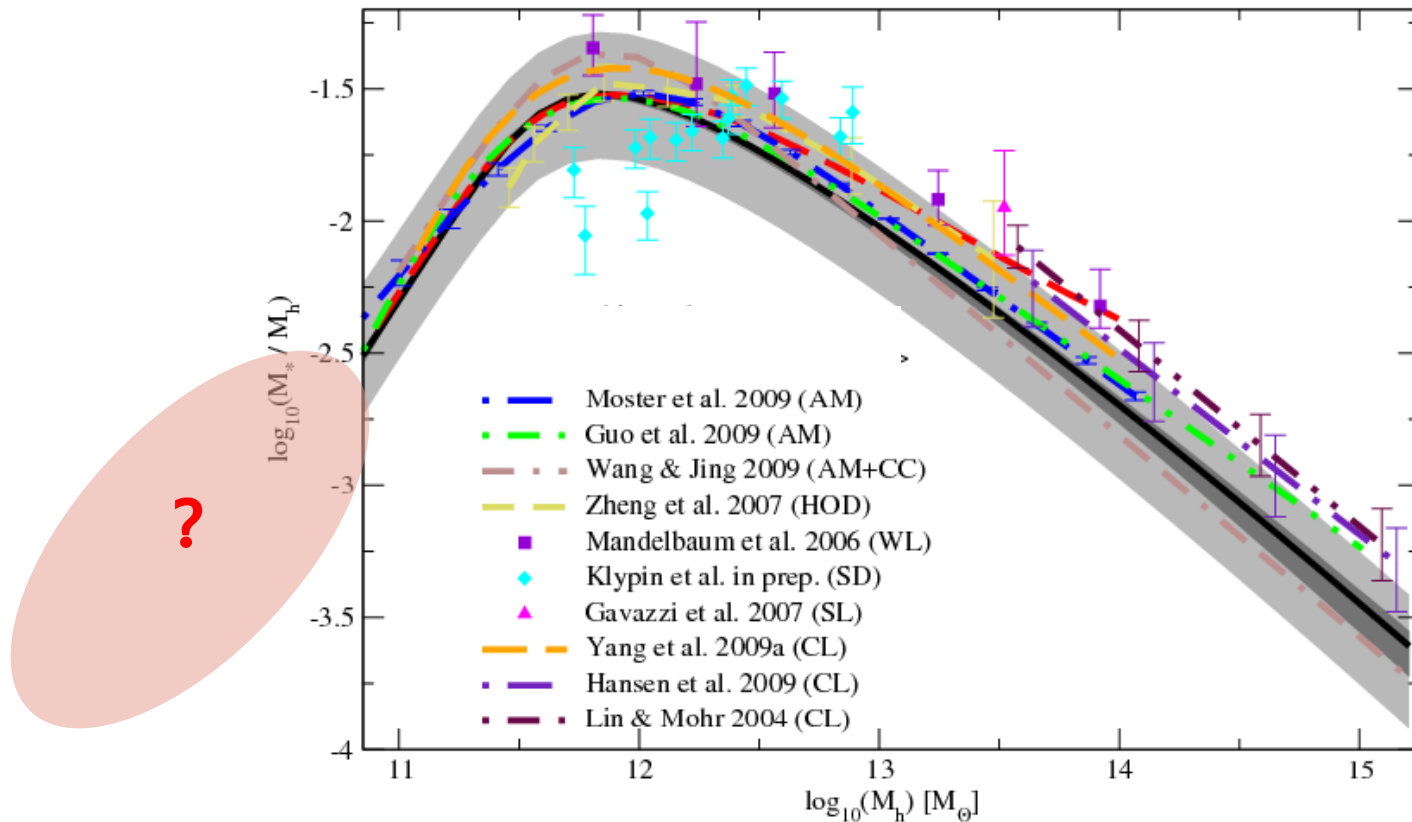


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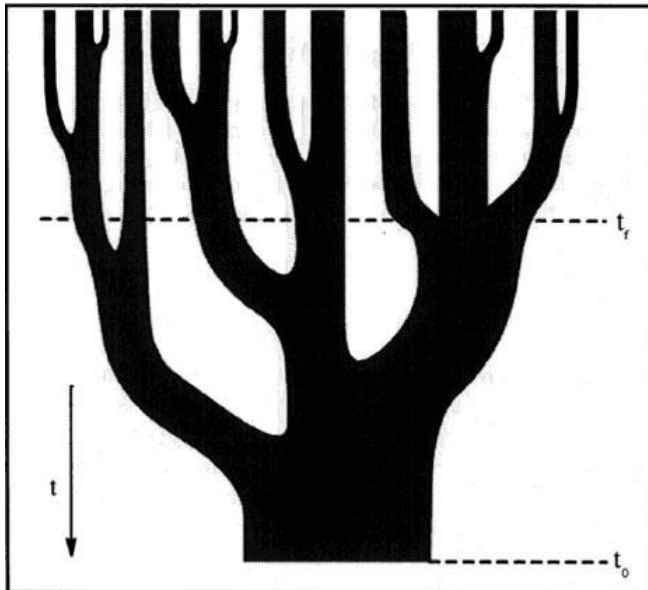
Model 0 : sub-halos identified by sub-halo finding algorithms (e.g. AHF, ROCKSTAR)

-> lower limit on the sub-halo MF

Model 1 : mini-halos that have merged with the main halo

-> using merging trees

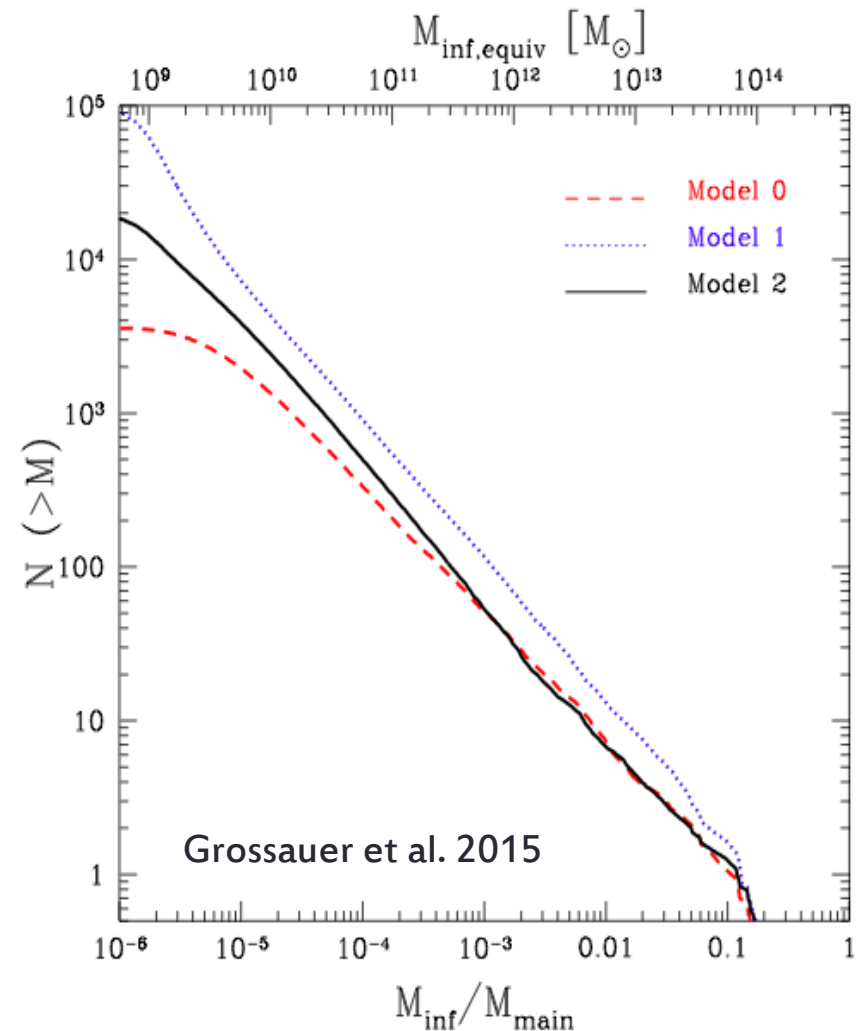
-> upper limit on the sub-halo MF



Model 2 : merging trees + pruning algorithms

-> **considering sub-halo survival/disruption**

-> the most realistic sub-halo MF





# Strategy of this work

We aim to construct the most realistic sub-halo mass function.

- Performing the **highest resolution simulation** for a Virgo cluster-like halo  
:  $M_{\text{vir}} = 2\sim 5 \times 10^{14} M_{\text{sun}}$ ,  $m = 3 \times 10^6 M_{\text{sun}}$ ,  $N_p(\text{main halo}) = \sim 40M$

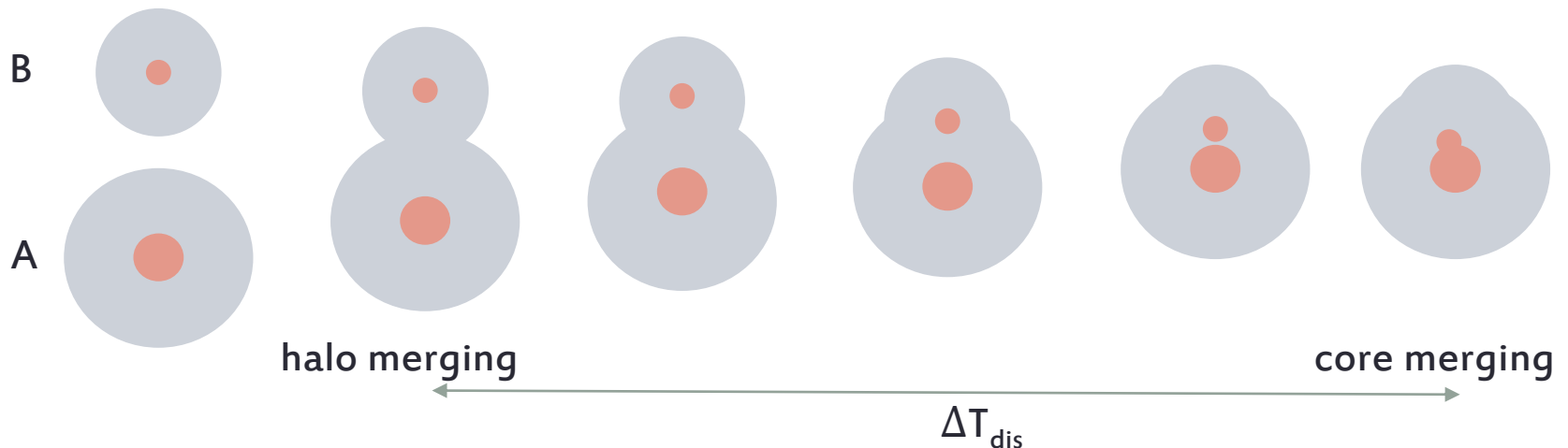
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- Tracing real survival/disruption of sub-halos **using their core structure**
- **Measuring disruption timescale as function of  $M_{\text{sub}}/M_{\text{main}}$ ,  $z$ , and  $\epsilon$**

$$\Delta T_{\text{dis}} = f(M_{\text{sub}}/M_{\text{main}}, z, \epsilon)$$

- Constructing realistic pruning algorithms for the merger trees



# Simulation

Cosmological zoom simulation using GADGET-2

Initial condition : Power-spectrum (CAMB) at  $z=199$  (using MUSIC)

Cosmology :  $\Omega_m=0.3$ ,  $\Omega_\Lambda=0.7$ ,  $h=0.68$ ,  $\sigma_8=0.82$ ,  $n_s=0.96$

Time resolution : 120 snapshots from  $z=9$  to  $z=0$

Target : **five different halos of  $M_{\text{vir}} = 2-5 \times 10^{14} M_{\text{sun}}$**

Halo identification : - Amiga Halo Finder (AHF) for sub-halo structures

- FoF algorithm for halos

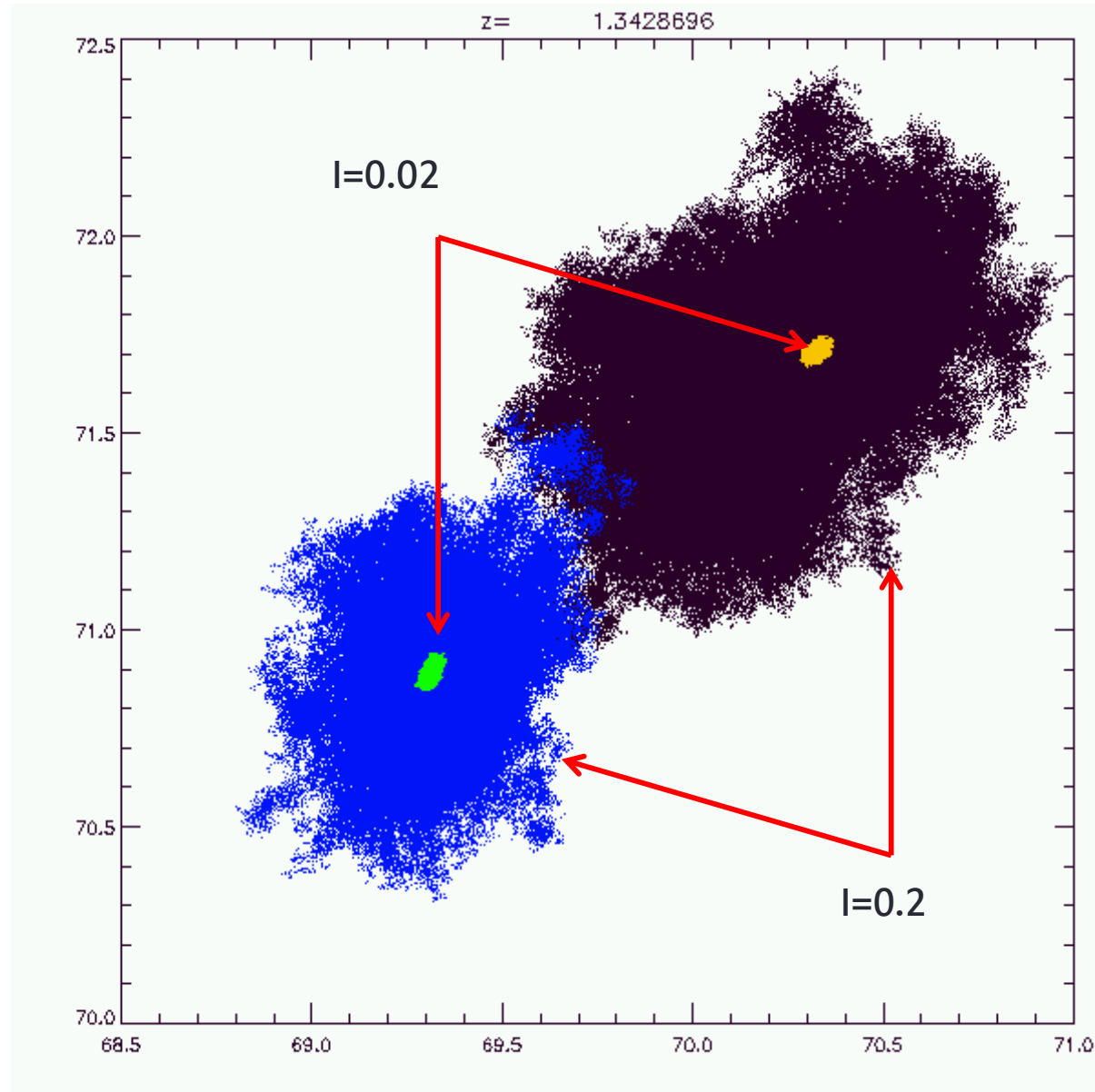
Model	Mass resolution [Msun]	# of particles for the main halo
Level 9	$1.70 \times 10^9$	$\sim 0.08 M$
Level 10	$2.13 \times 10^8$	$\sim 0.6 M$
Level 11	$2.66 \times 10^7$	$\sim 5 M$
Level 12	$3.32 \times 10^6$	$\sim 40 M$

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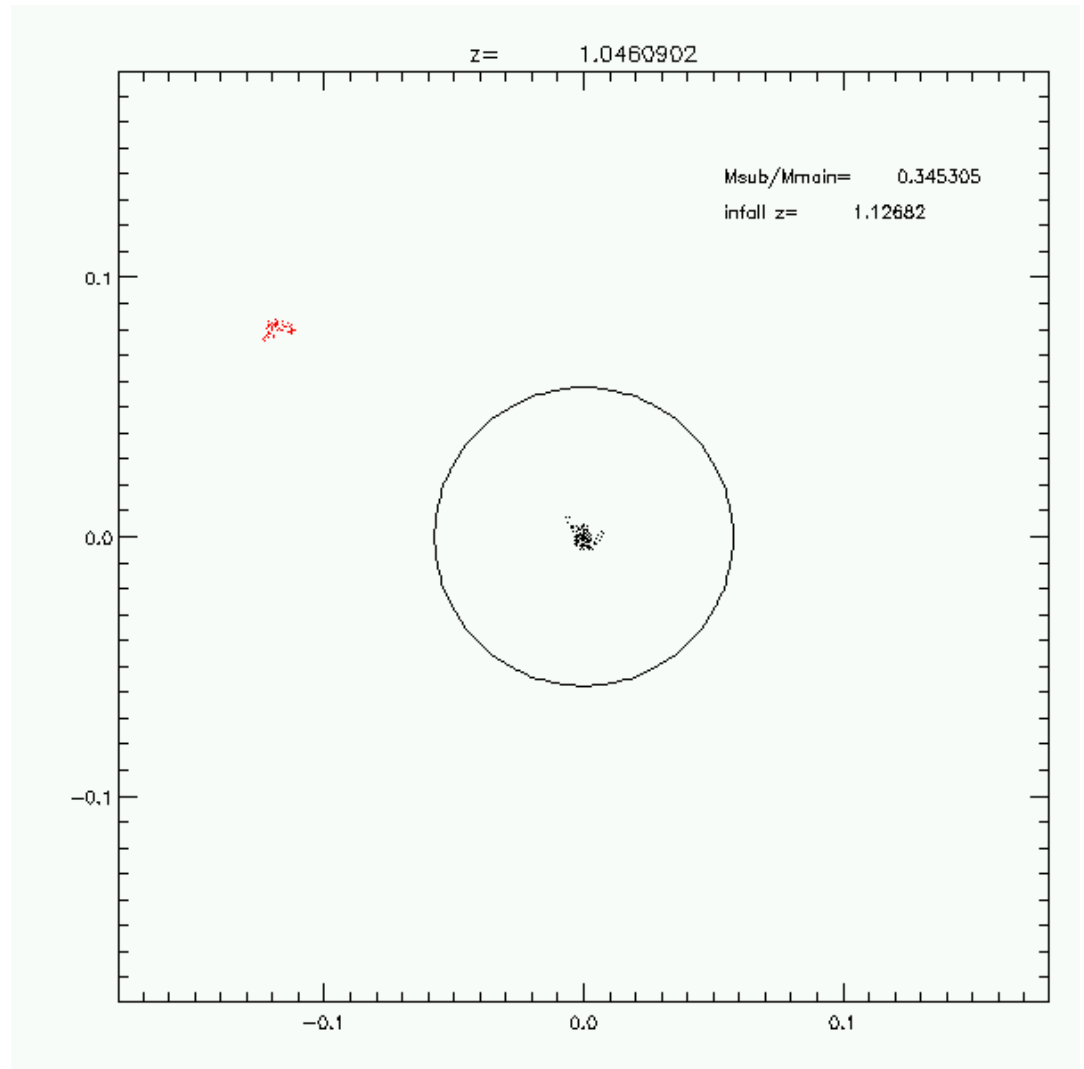
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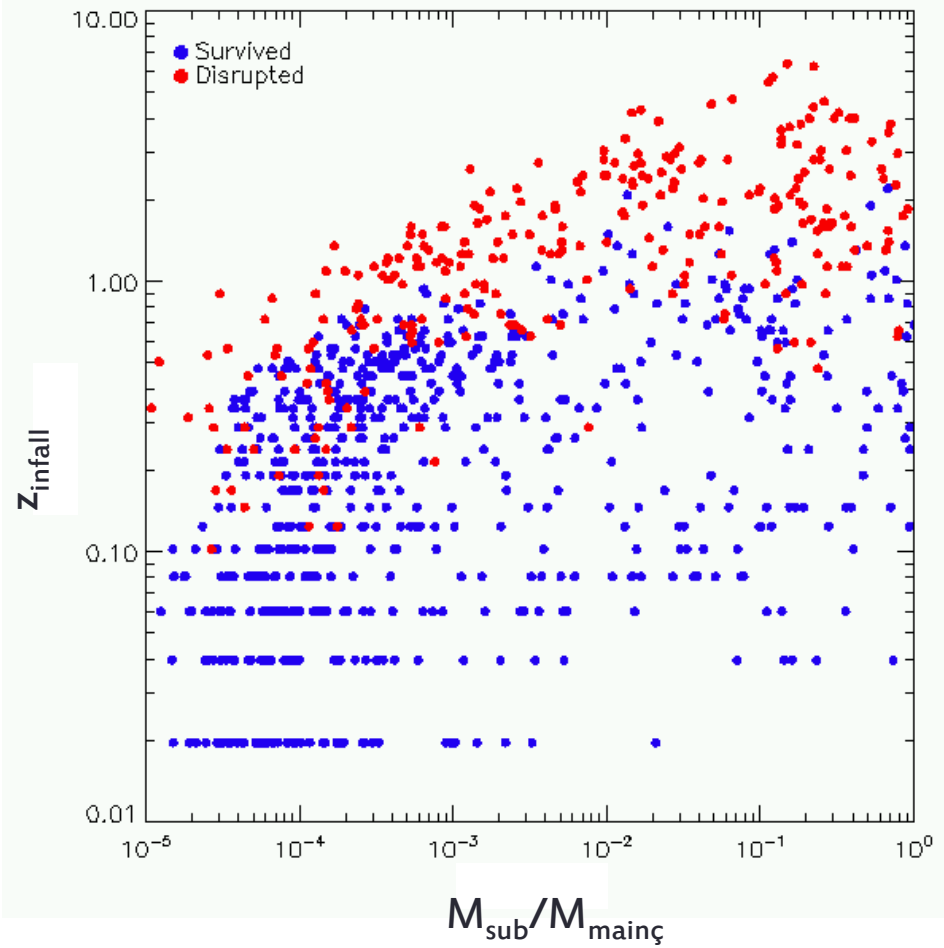
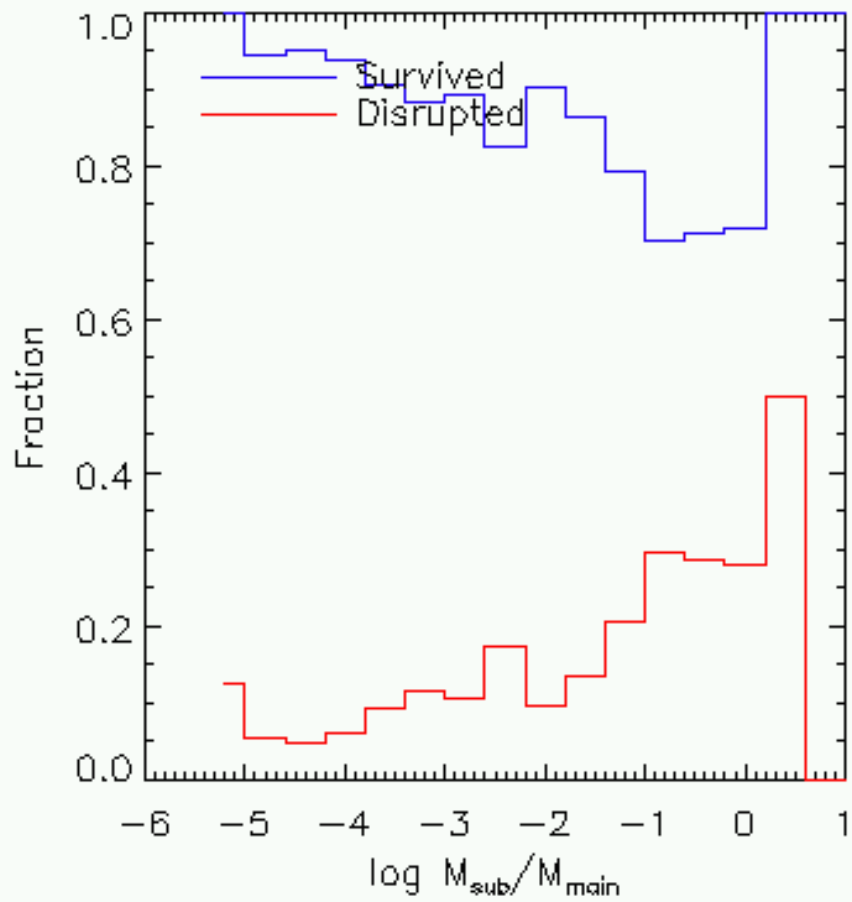
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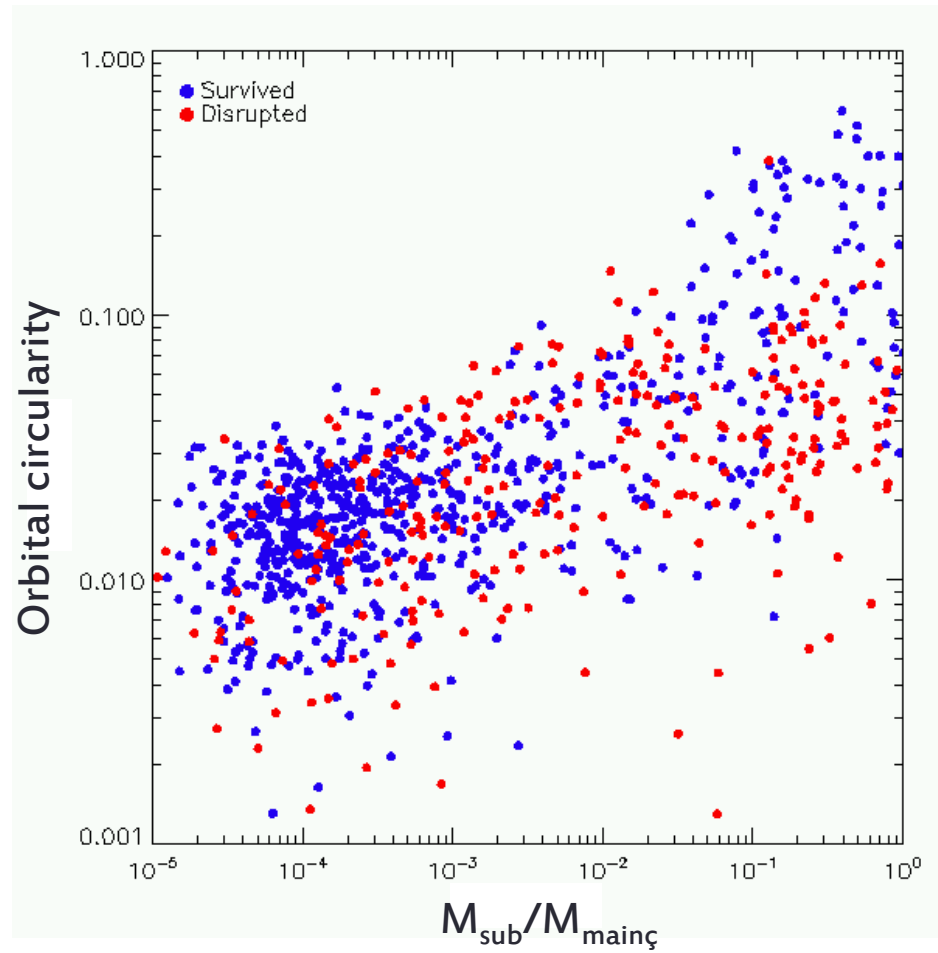
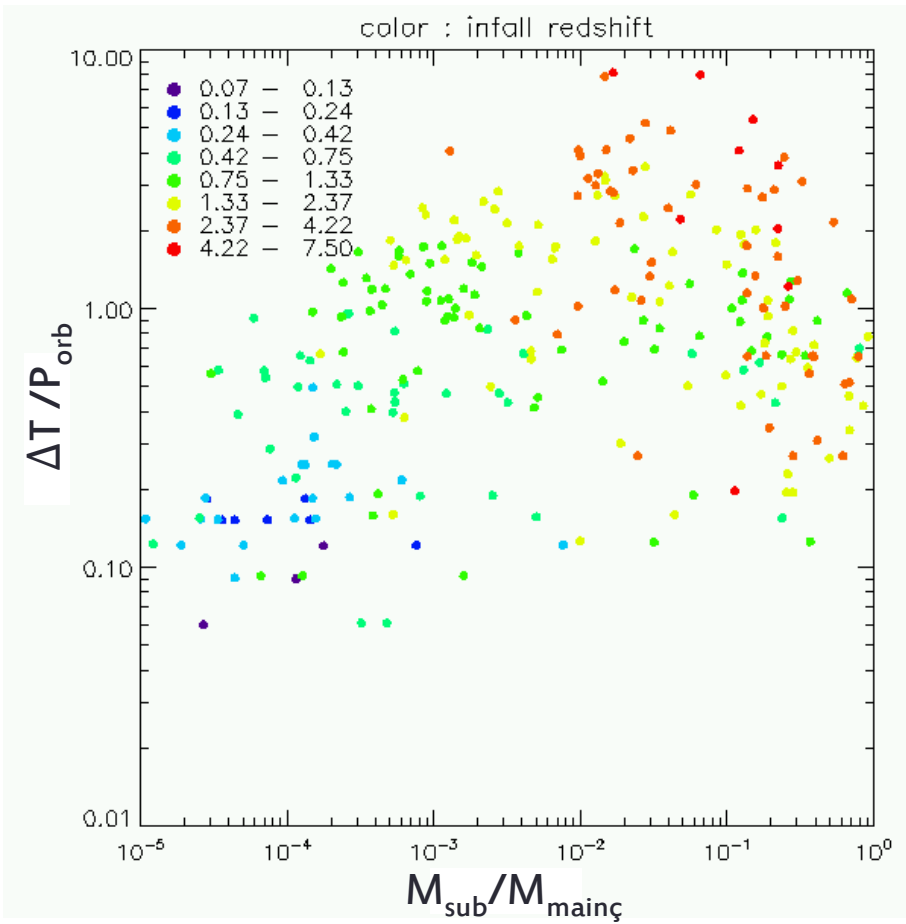
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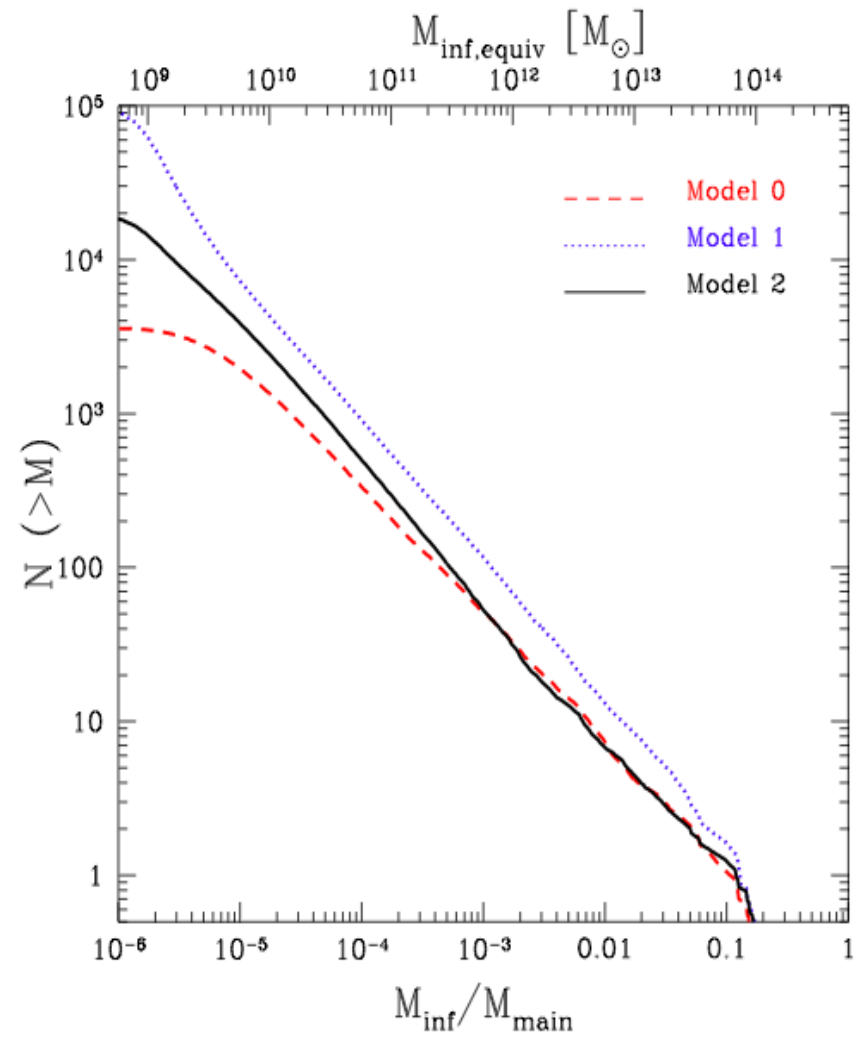
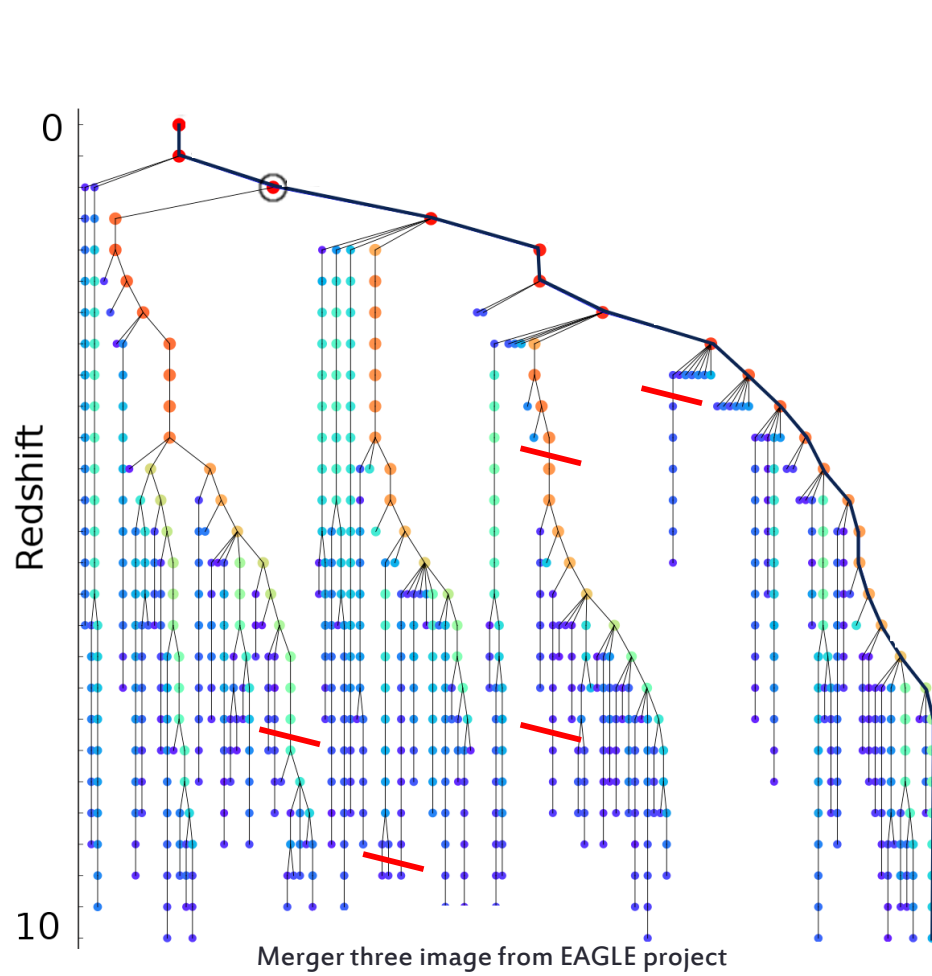
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# Summary

Galaxy catalog of a Virgo cluster from NGVS

- + Realistic sub-halo mass function (realistic disruption of sub-halos)

  - = M/L of individual galaxies

  - = M/L of low-mass galaxies

  - = mass growth history of individual galaxies