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Combining X-rays and QSO spectroscopy to probe the intracluster and circumgalactic medium

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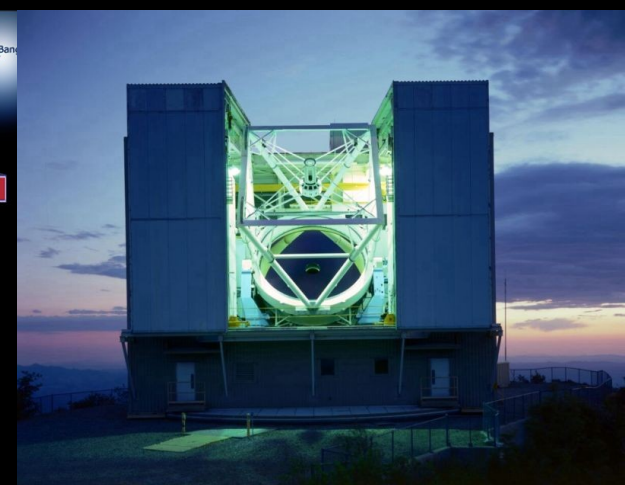
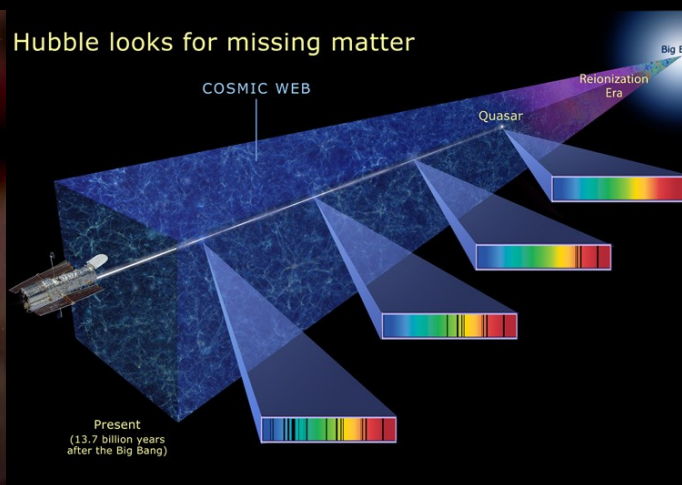
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Data Sources

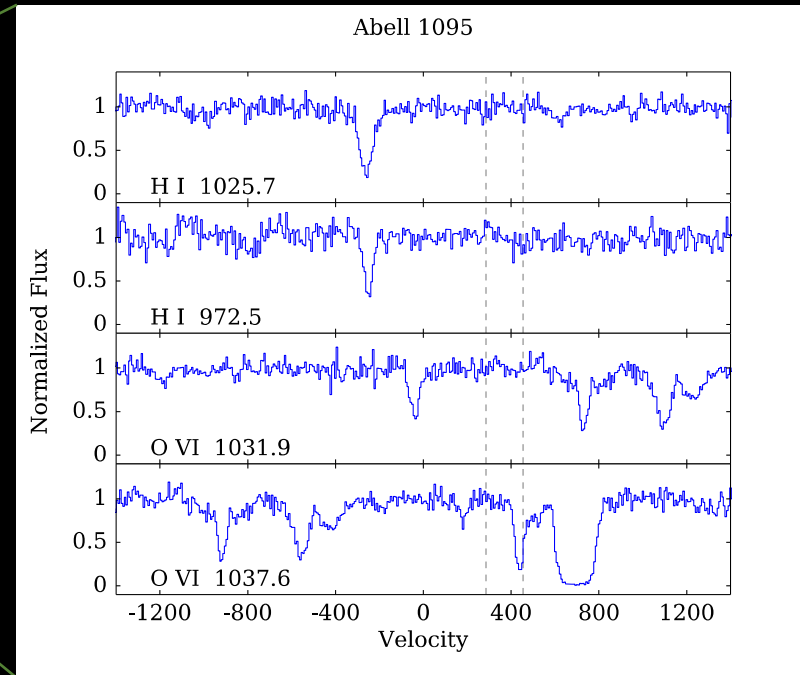
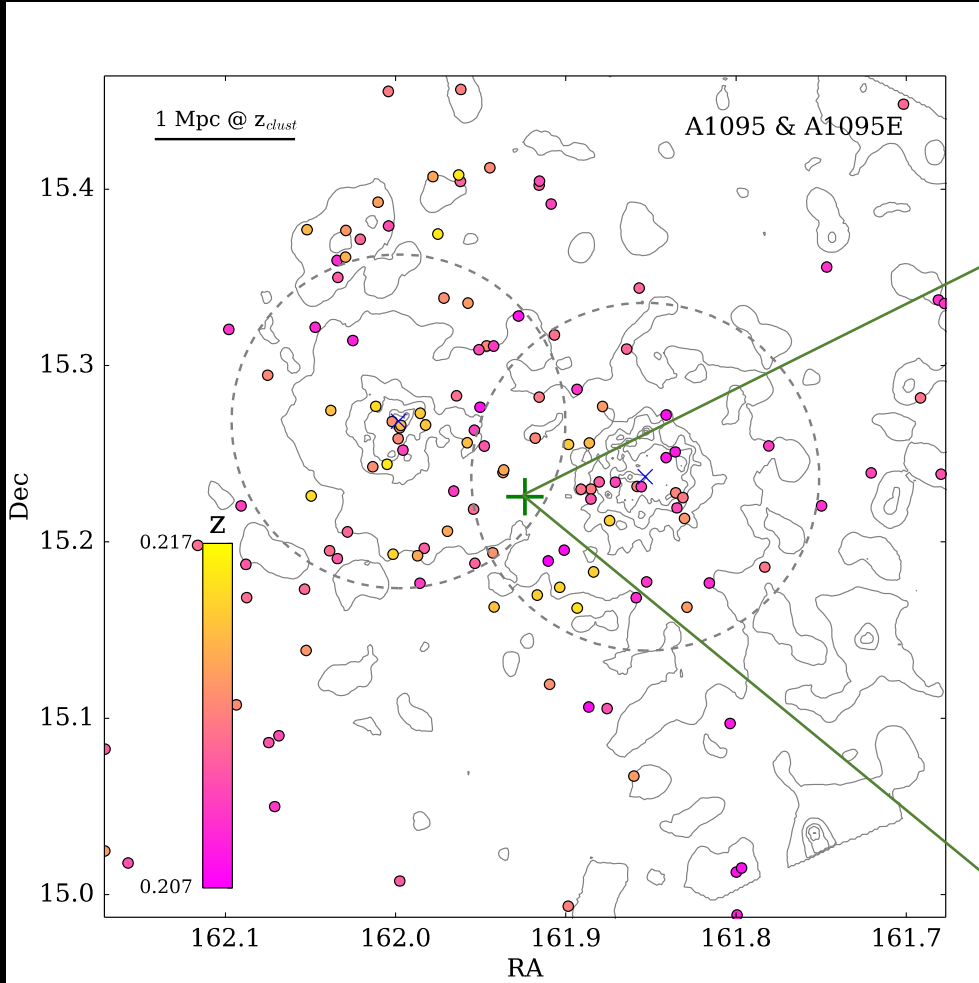
- X-ray imaging/spectroscopy from XMM-Newton and Chandra
- UV spectroscopy of background QSO from HST/COS
- Optical spectroscopy of galaxies from MMT/Hectospec



Putting it all together r clusters

3 sightlines

1000s of galaxies



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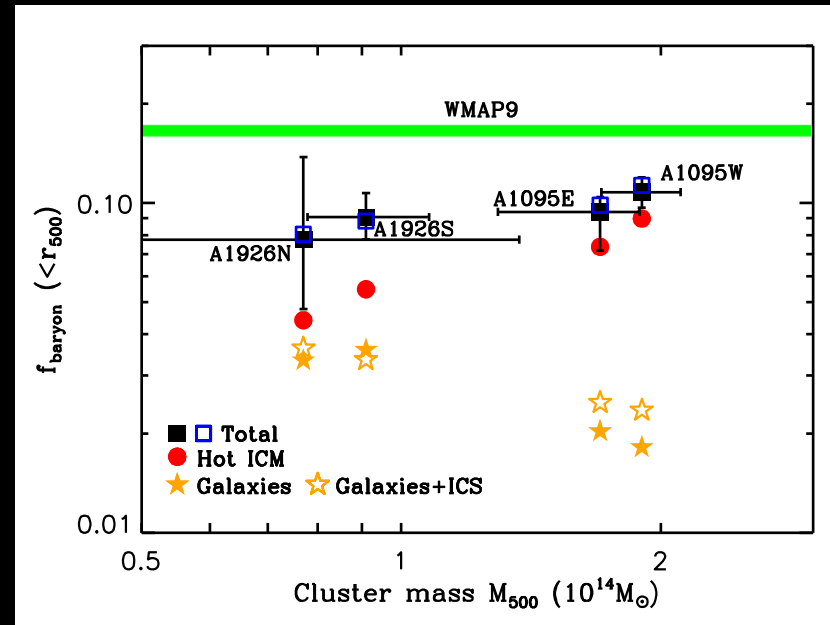
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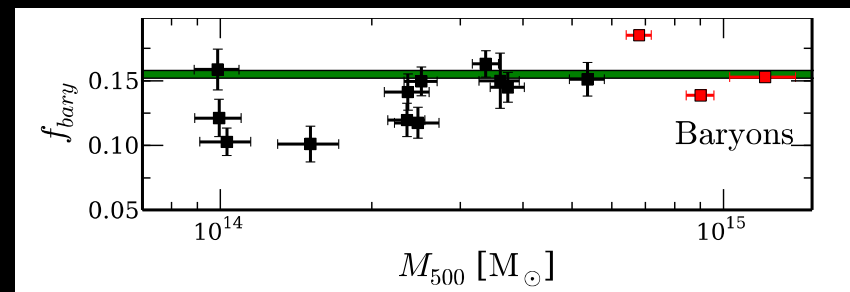
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Missing Mass in Galaxy Clusters

- Universal Baryon Fraction: ~15-17 %
- Amount estimated from hot gas/intracluster light/stars: ~10 %
- Large fraction of baryons 'missing'
- Missing fraction dependent on total cluster mass



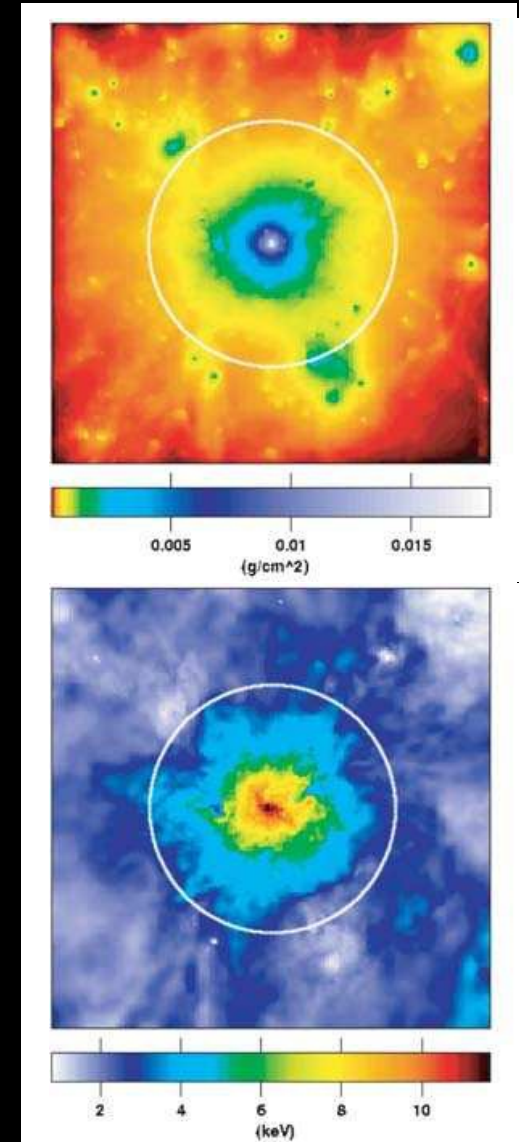
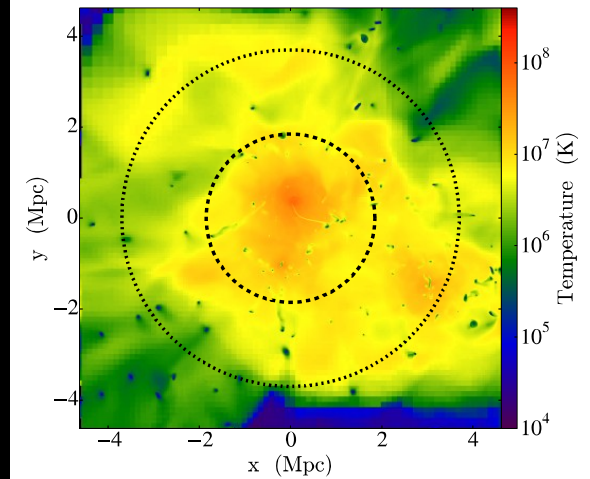
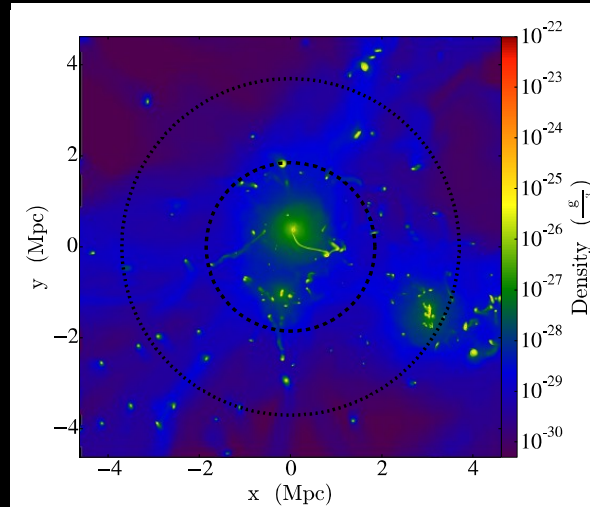
Ge & Wang 2016



Gonzalez et al. 2013

Where could the baryons be hiding?

- Warm-hot ionized gas
 - $T = 10^5 - 10^6$ K
- radii $> R_{500}$
- IGM: radii $\gg R_{200}$



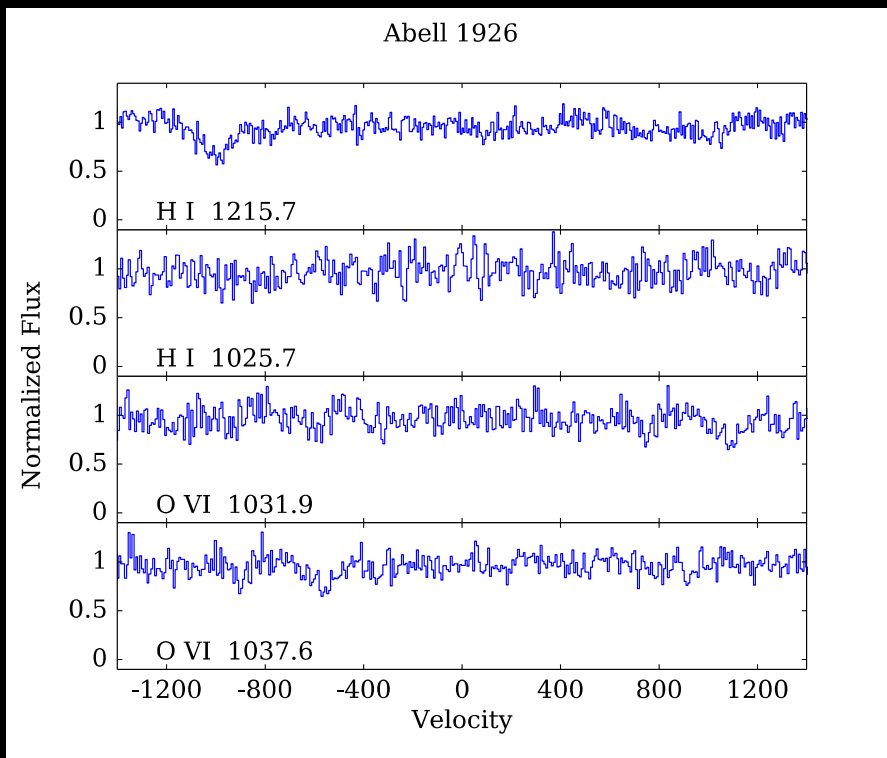
Emerick et al. 2015

Roncarelli et al. 2006

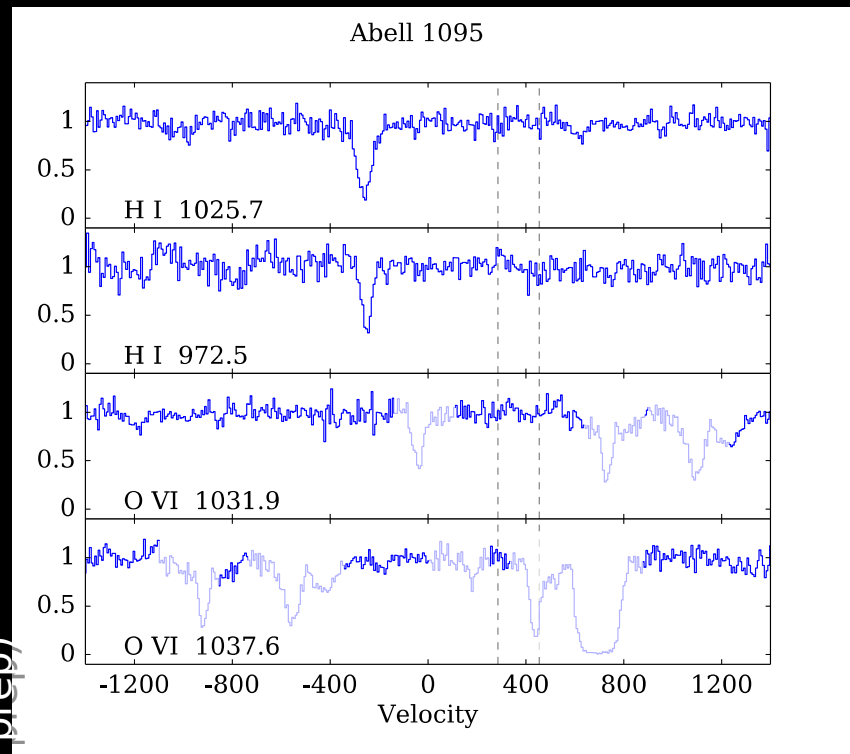
QSO spectroscopy probing warm-hot gas

- O VI absorption
 - Strong doublet in the UV
 - Tracer of collisionally ionized gas
- Broad H I absorption
 - Extremely sensitive to H I gas
 - Line profile broadened by thermal and non-thermal motions

Absorption line results from HST/COS



No O VI!



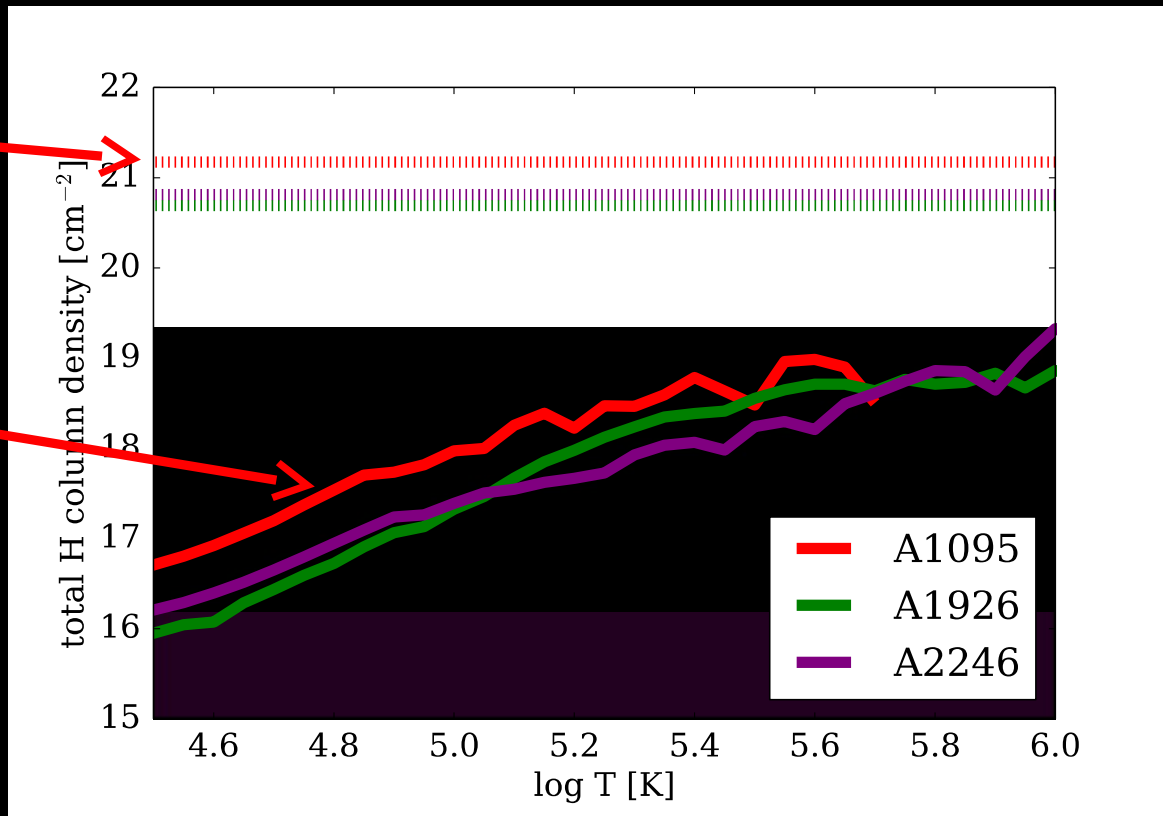
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Warm-hot contribution to baryon budget

Hot gas from X-rays

Limits on warm-hot gas from UV QSO spectra



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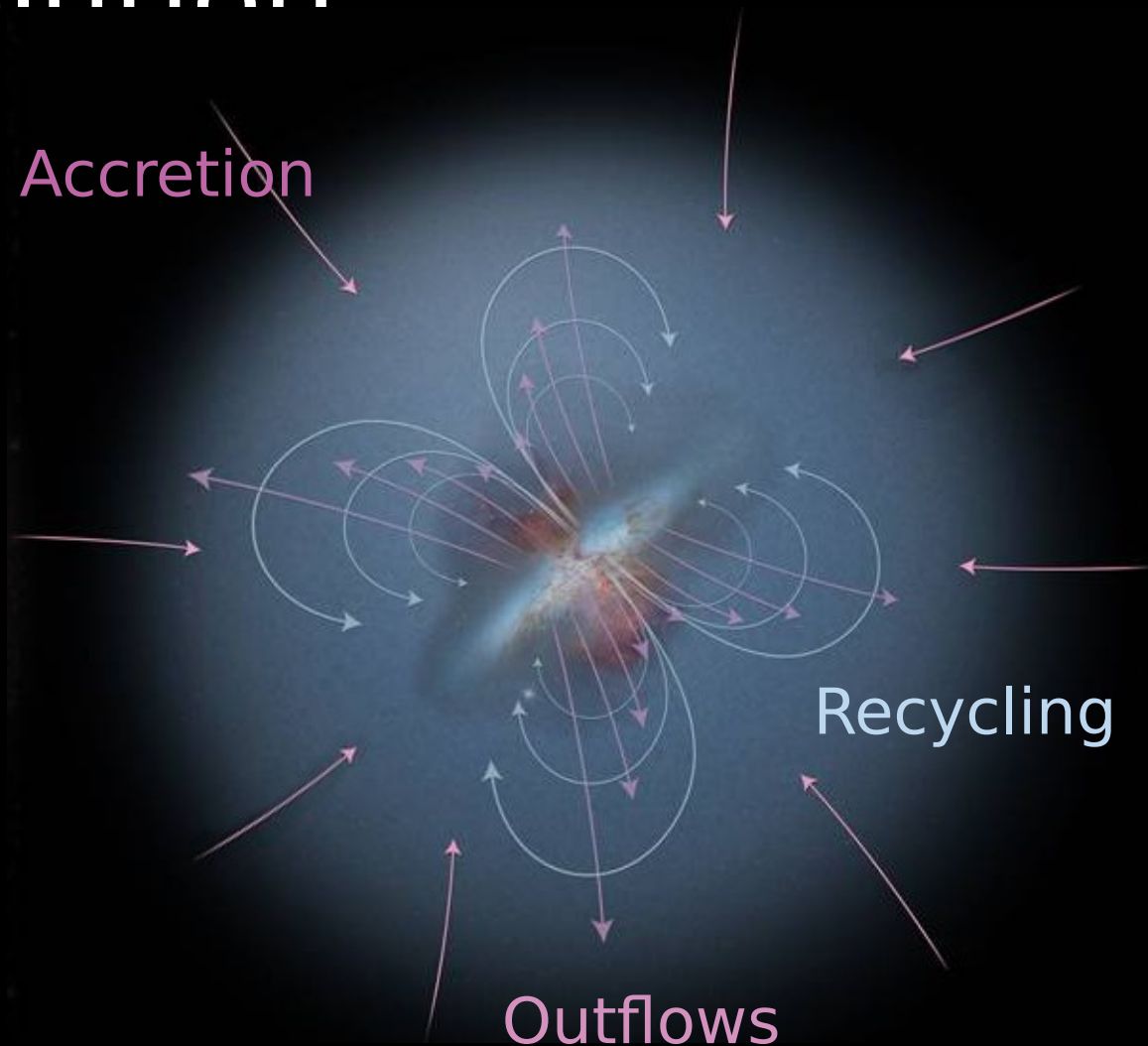
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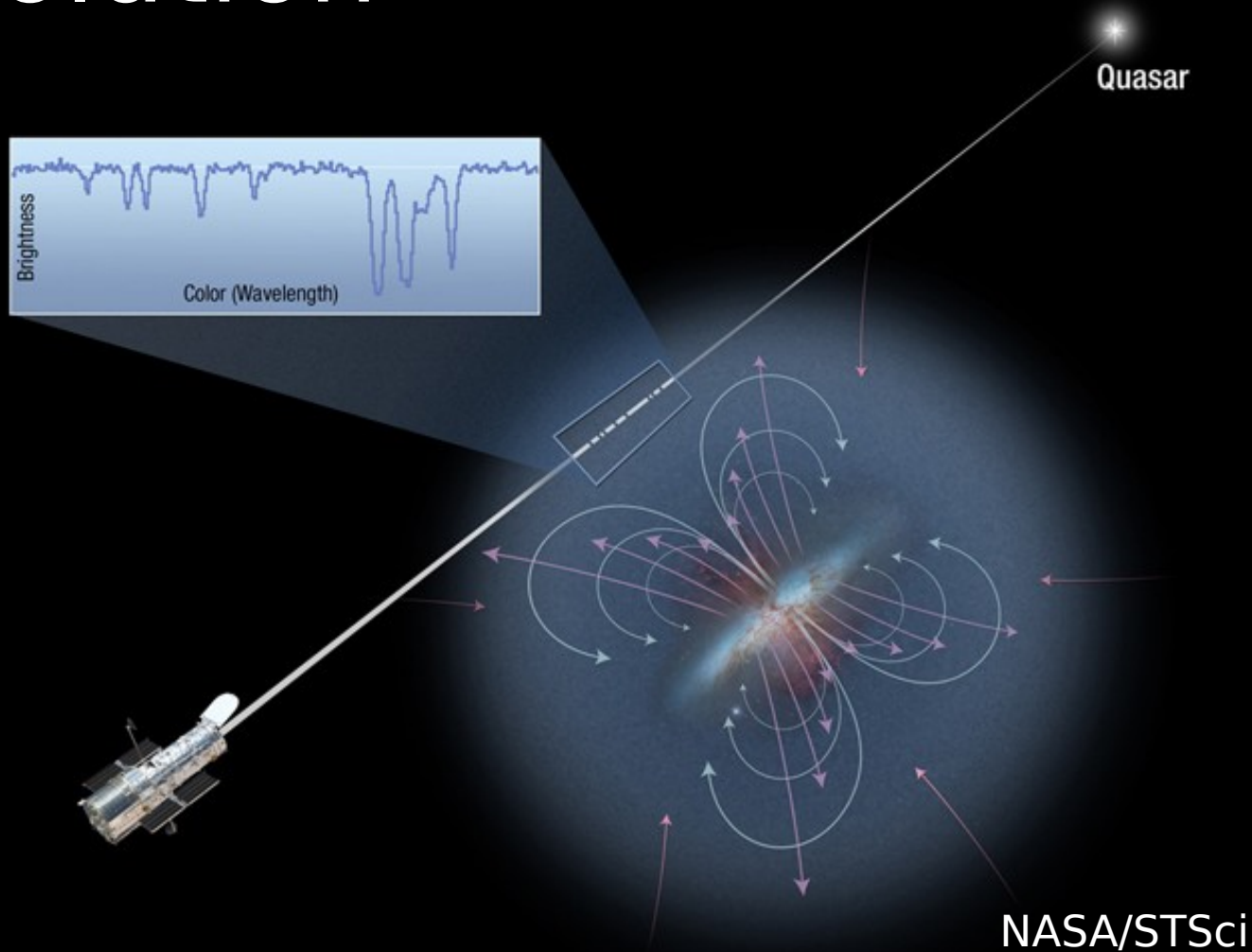
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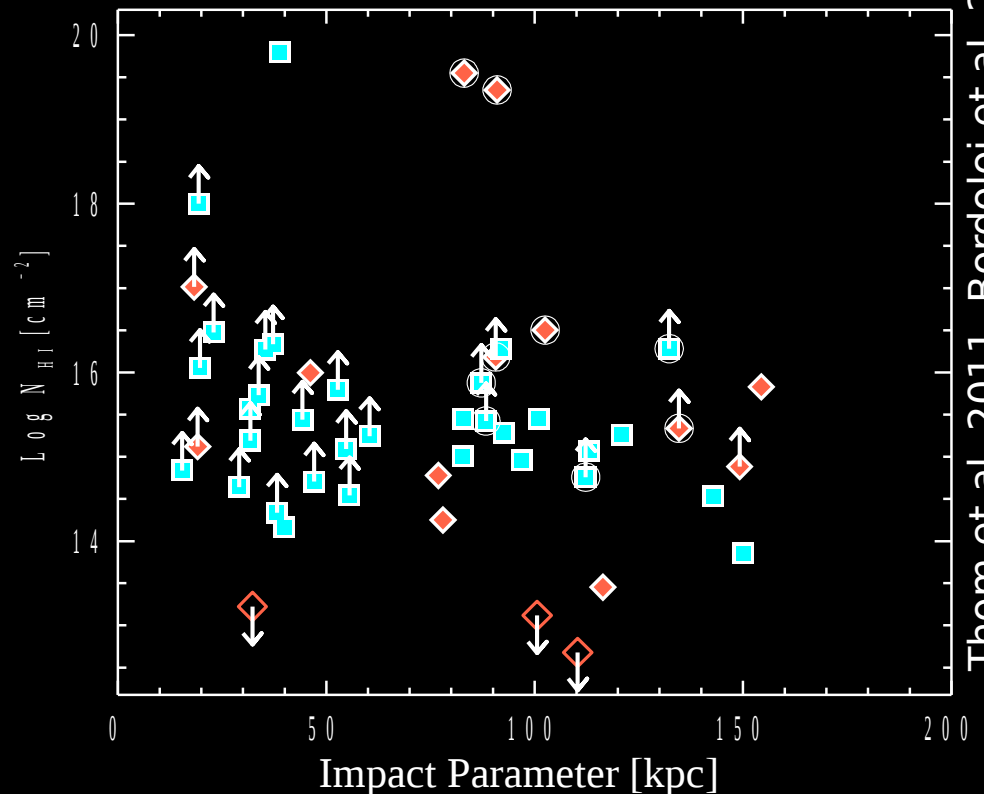


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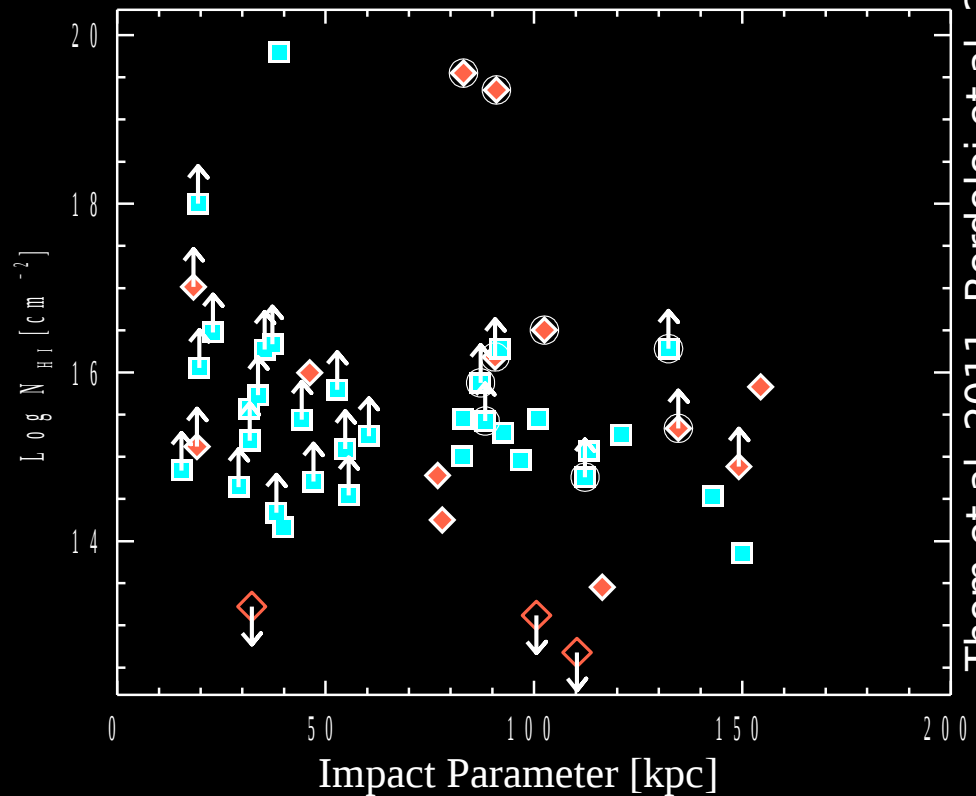


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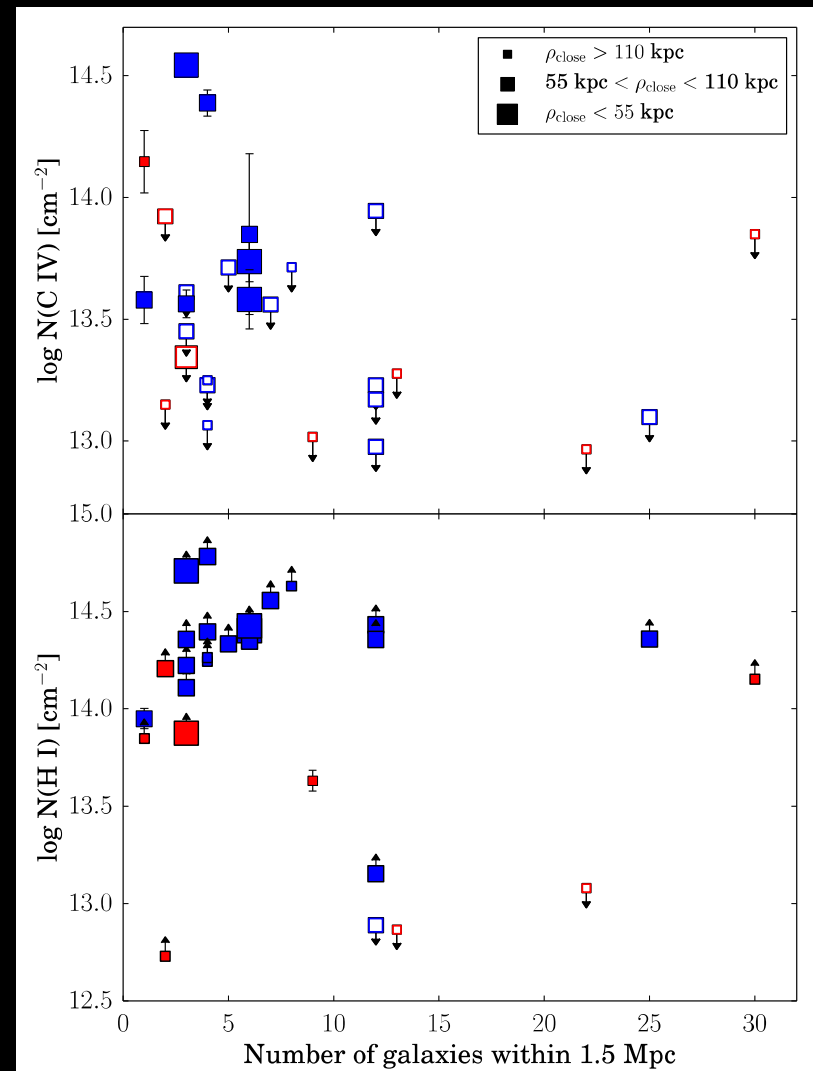
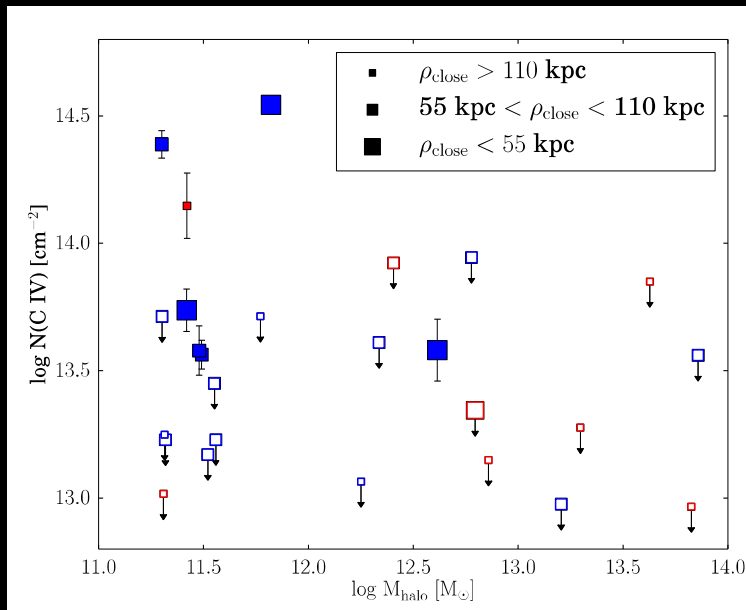
* For isolated galaxies



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The CGM and environment

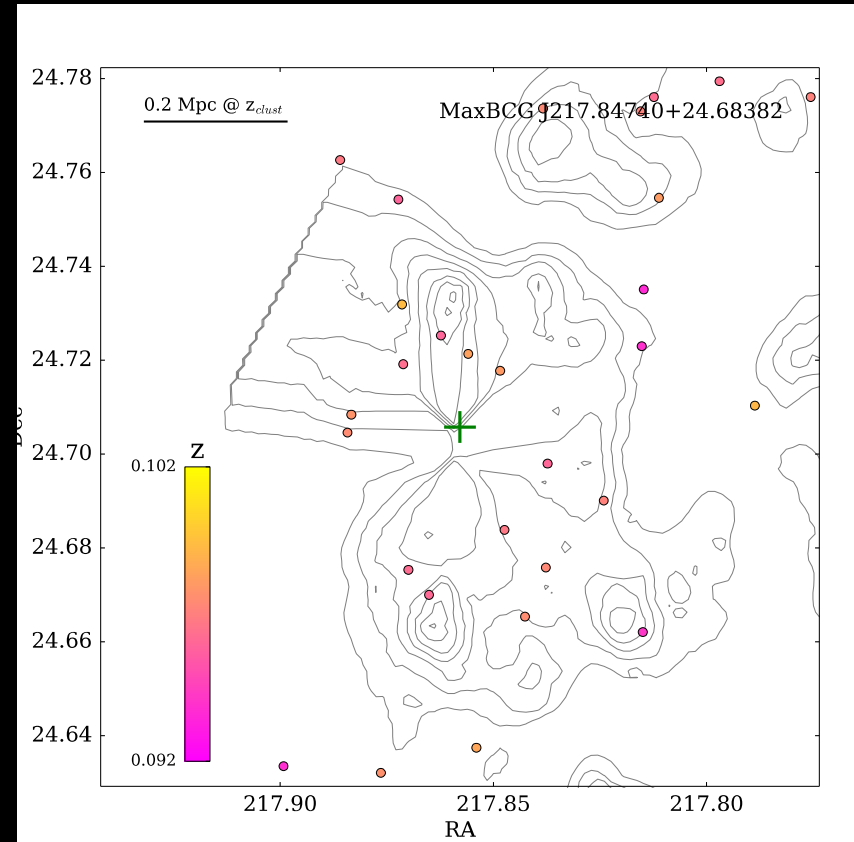
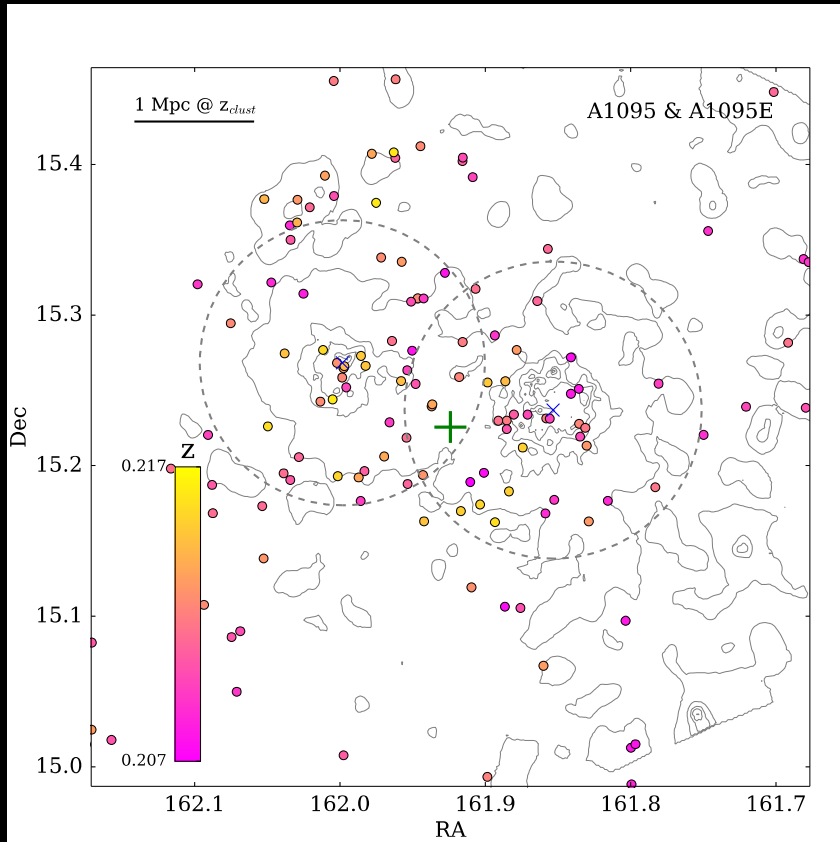
- Detection rate of CGM C IV plummets at high density ($M_{\text{halo}} \sim 10^{12.5} M_{\text{sun}}$)
- H I is detected in CGM of galaxies at all densities



Burchett et al.

2016

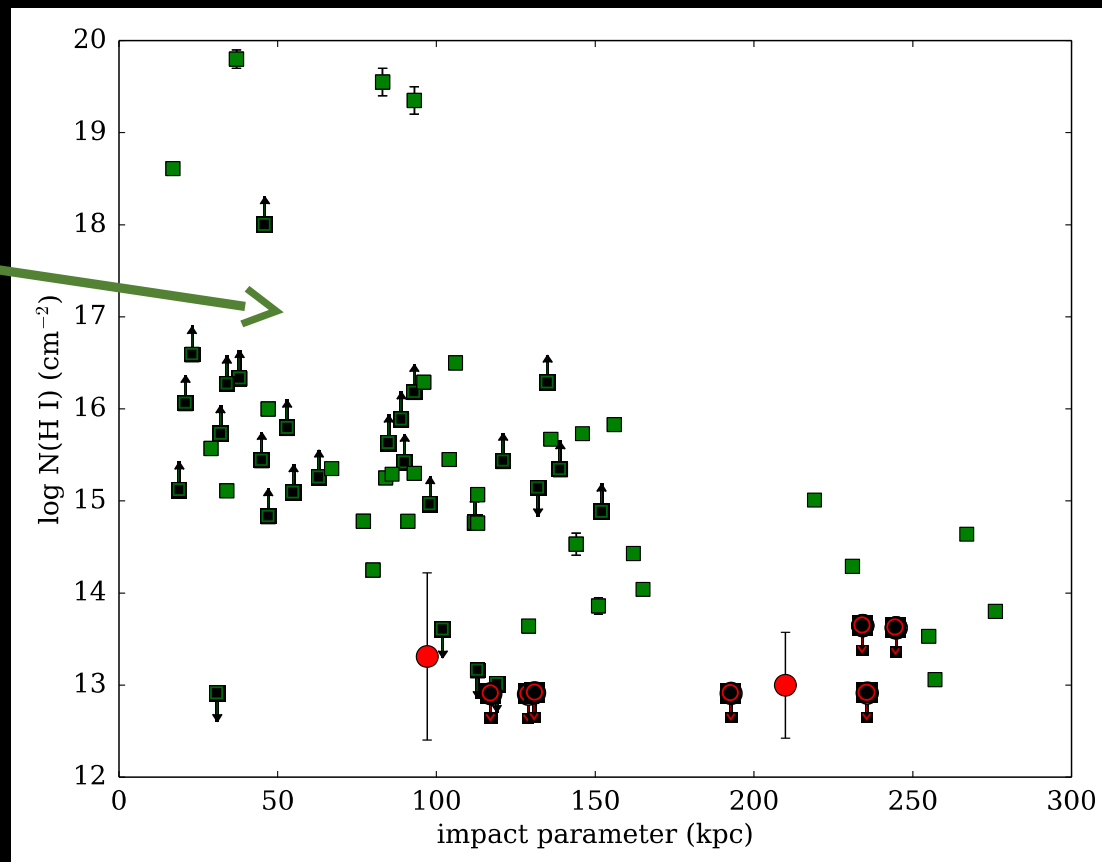
CGM probed by our survey



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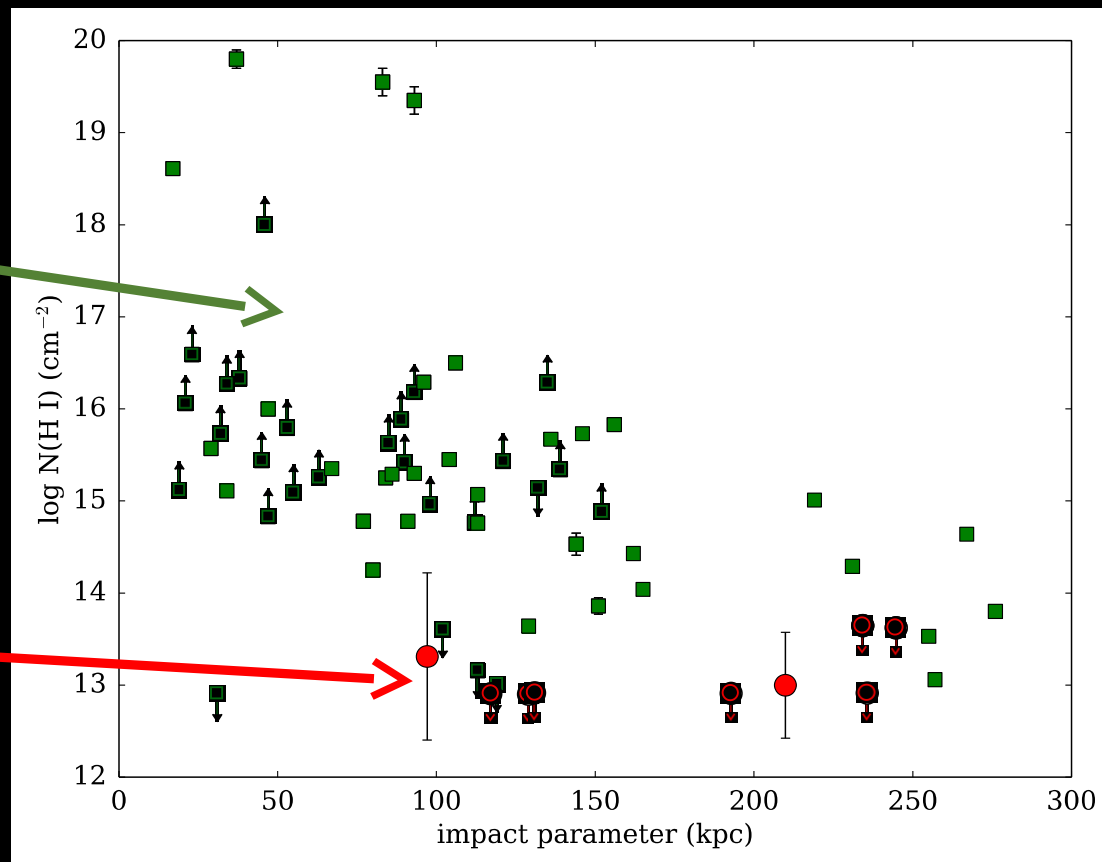


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...but not in our cluster galaxies



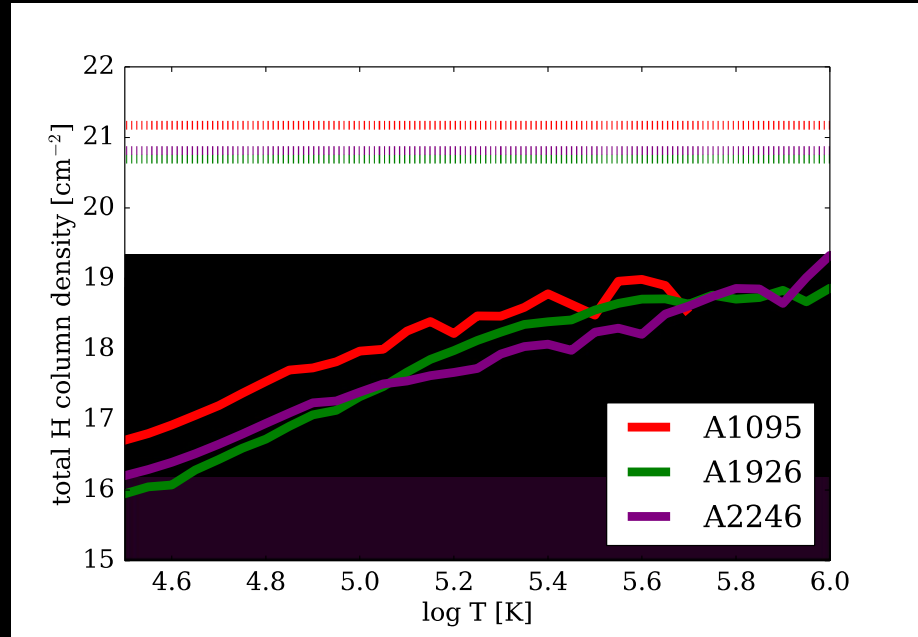
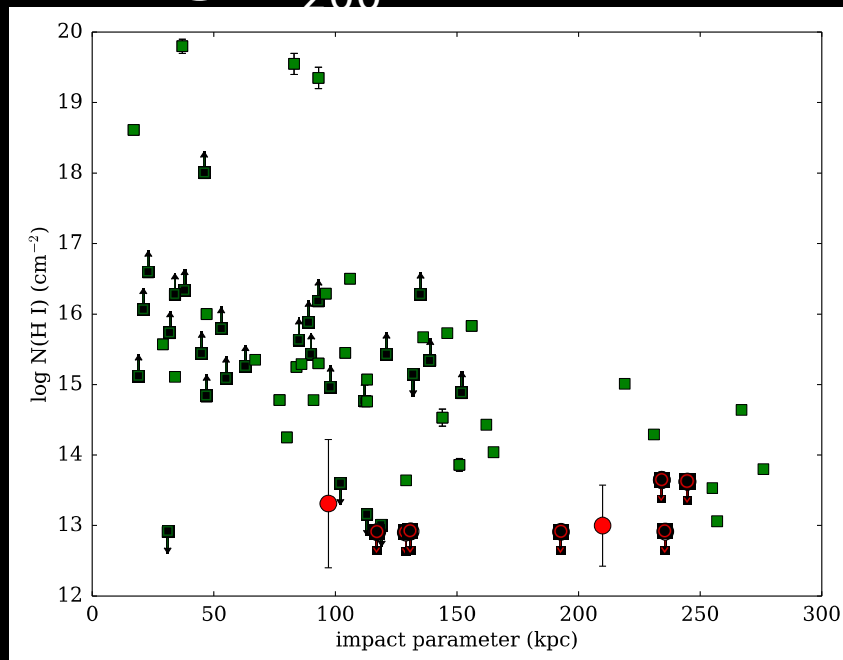
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Toward the future

- Science drivers: parameter space
 - Cluster mass and richness
 - Dynamical states of clusters
 - Redshifts to cover different UV diagnostics
- Getting the data
 - UV
 - HST/COS observations of new QSOs
 - Growing COS archive
 - X-ray
 - Chandra
 - Characterizing higher redshift clusters
 - Resolving local substructure around individual galaxies

Conclusions

No evidence for significant reservoir in 10^{5-6} K gas at $<1.5 R_{200}$



Clusters show extreme examples of CGM dependence on environment