

The rest-frame optical sizes of massive galaxies with suppressed star formation at $z \sim 4$

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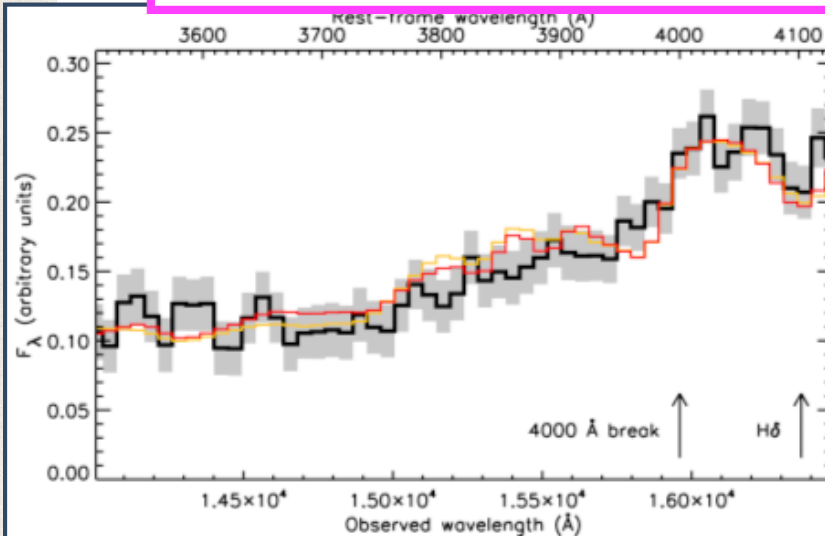
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1. Introduction: Massive quiescent galaxies at high redshift

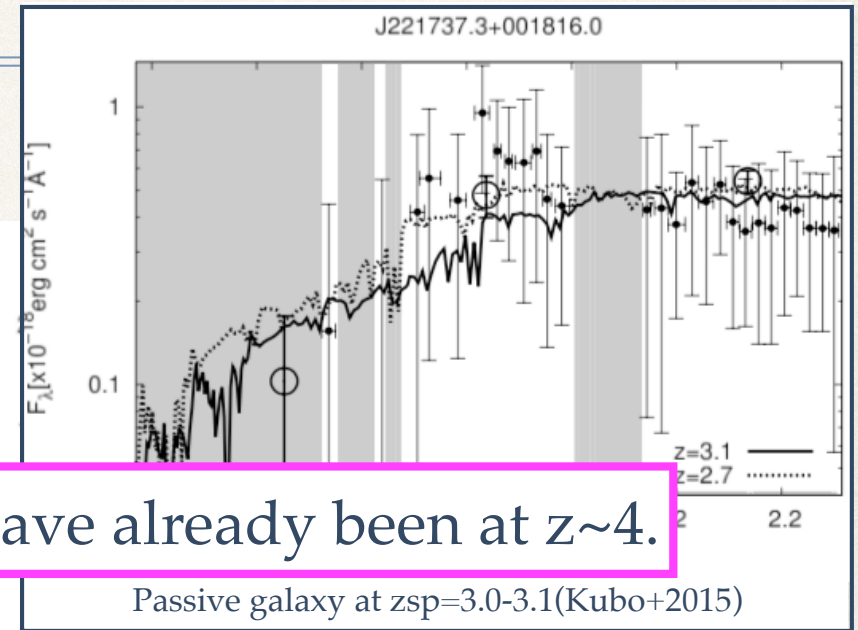
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Passively
evolving

Quiescent galaxies (early-type like) have already been at $z \sim 4$.

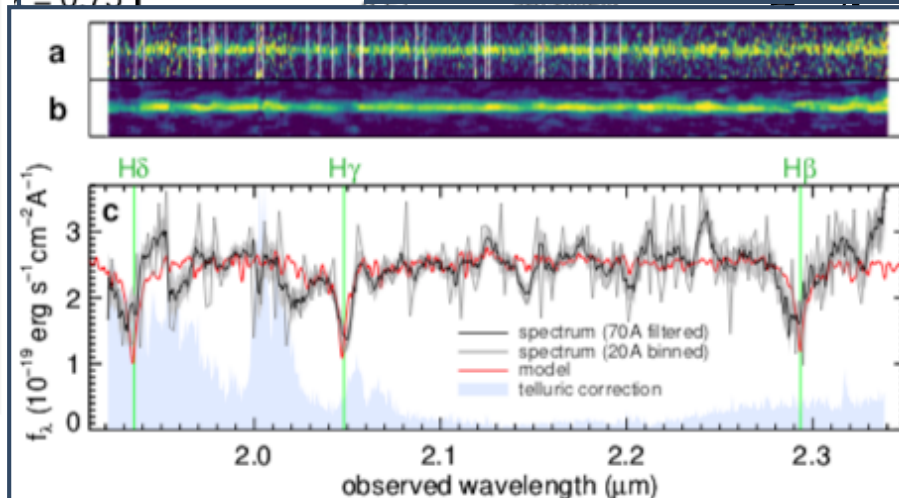


Passive galaxy at $z_{\text{sp}}=2.993$ (Gobat+2012)

rest-frame UVJ diagram in va



Passive galaxy at $z_{\text{sp}}=3.0-3.1$ (Kubo+2015)

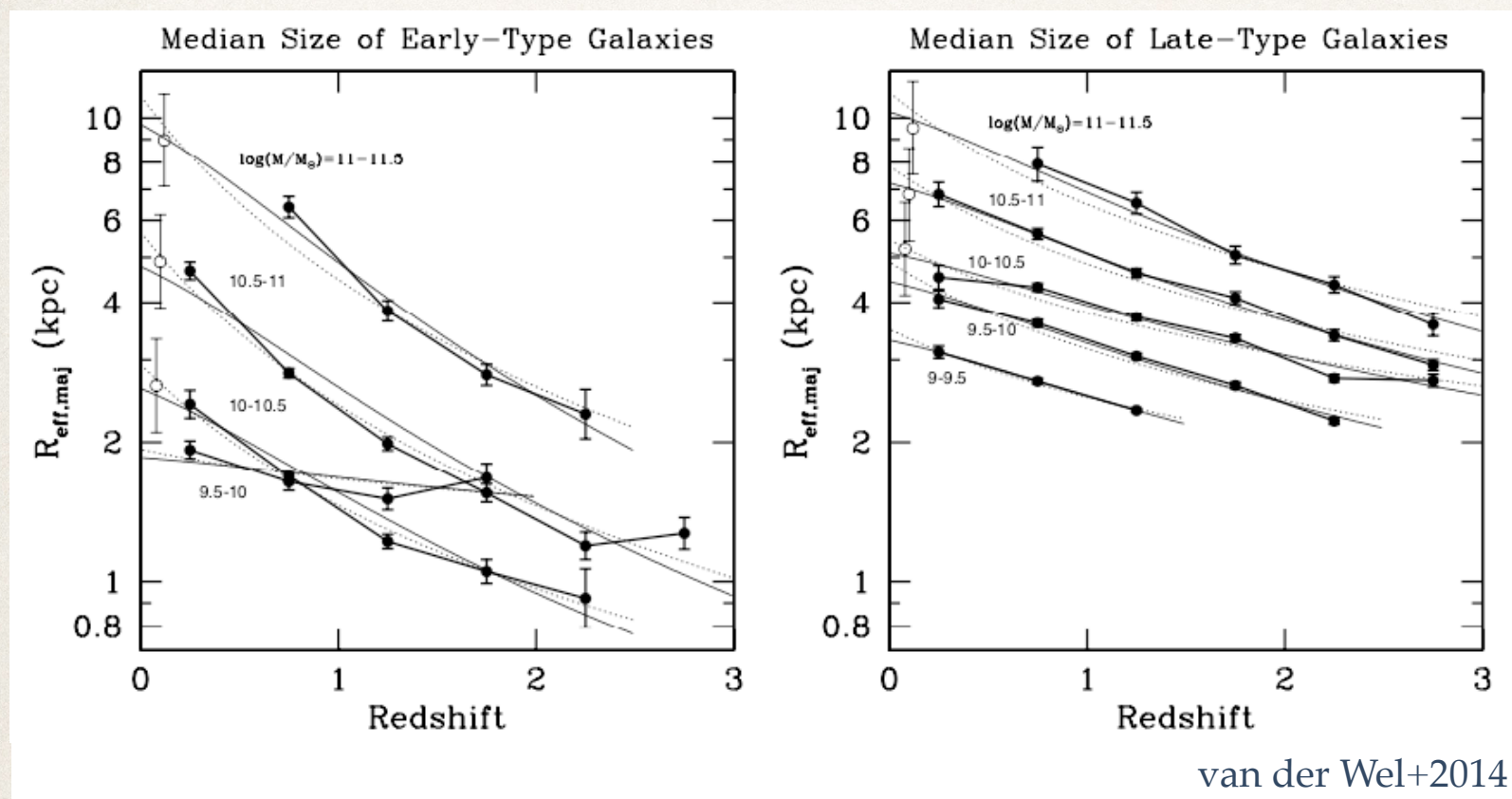


$z_{\text{sp}}=3.717$ quiescent? galaxy (Glazebrook+2017)

formation
photo-z, and
specific SFRs

1. Introduction:

Size growth of galaxies

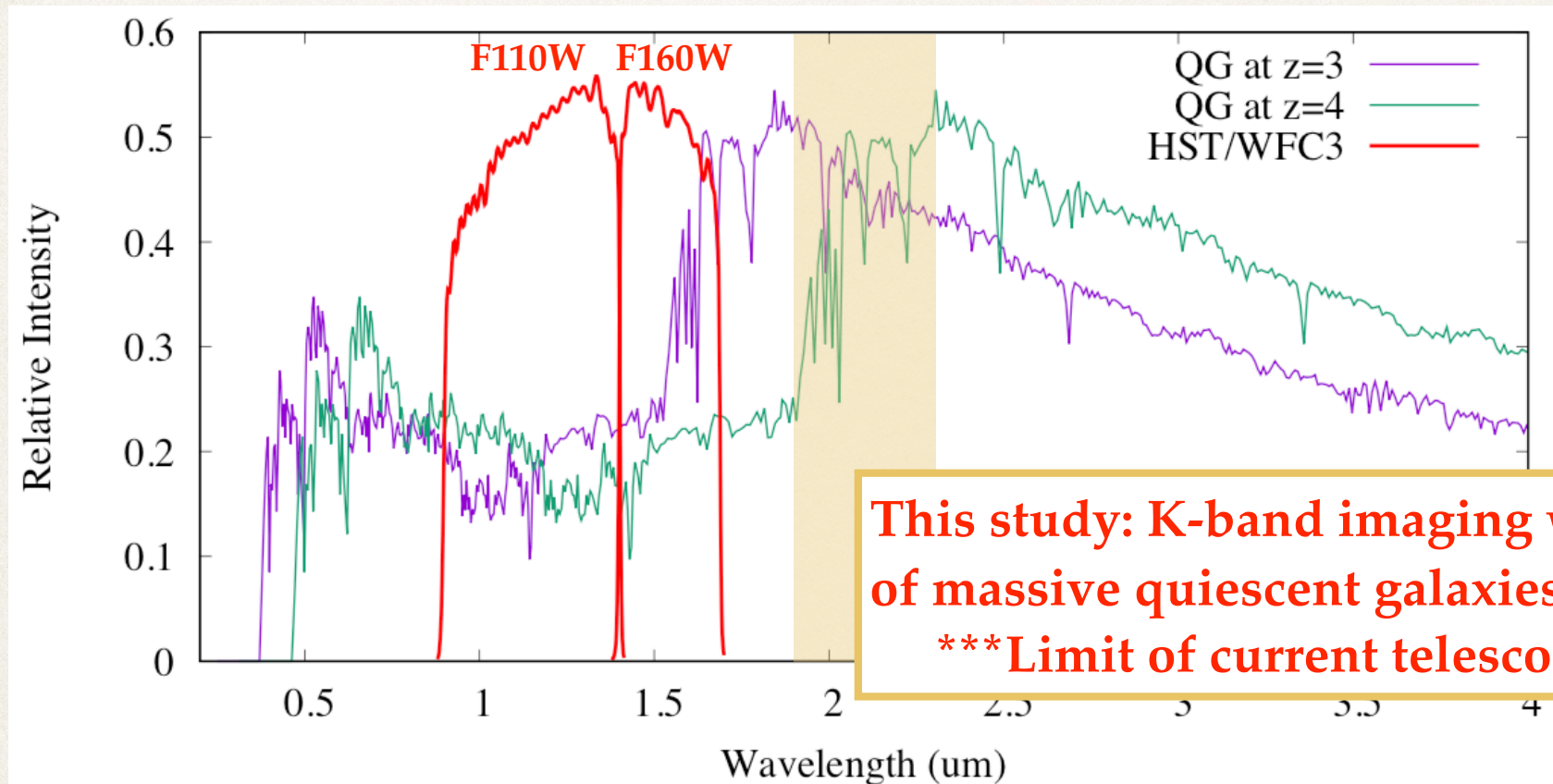


at $z > 3$?

- ❖ Typical size of galaxies becomes compact with redshift
- ❖ Large size growth of early-type galaxies
- ❖ What is the driver of this strong size growth? minor mergers? adiabatic expansion? change of typical mass of quenched galaxies?

1. Introduction:

Size growth at $z > 3$?

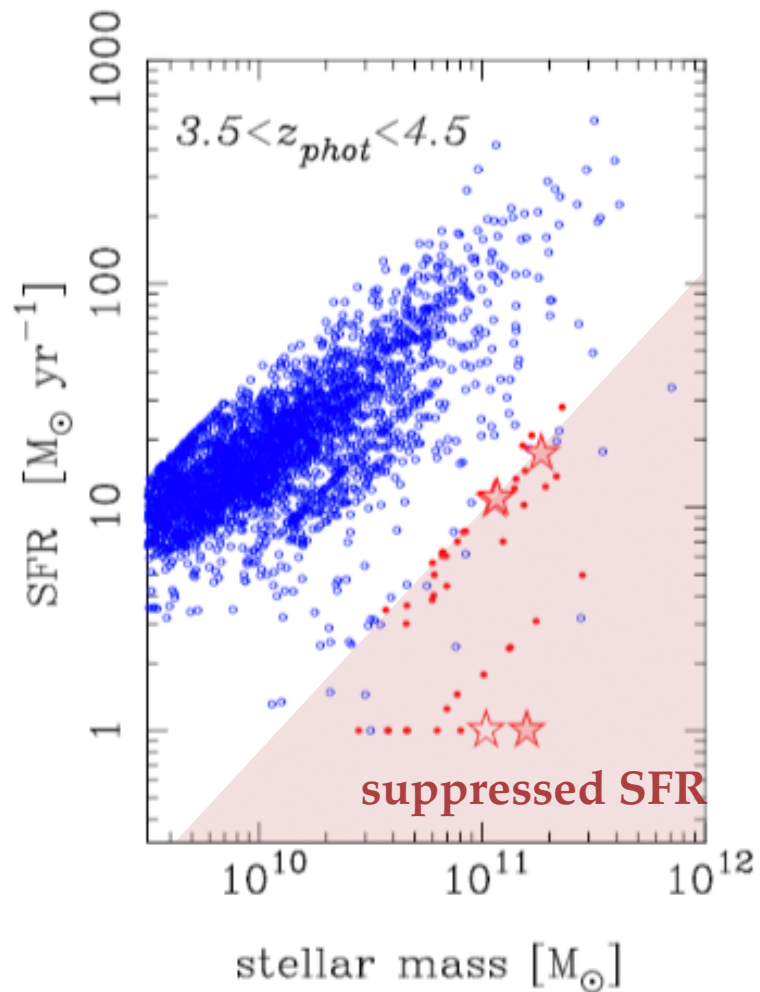


- ❖ To compare the size correctly, deep and high resolution imaging at rest-frame optical is needed.
- ❖ But the bandpass of HST is shorter than 1.7 μm ...

2. Target: Massive quiescent galaxies at $z=4$ from SXDS survey

- ❖ Massive quiescent galaxies at $z \sim 4$ are selected from SXDS field
- ❖ uBVRizJHK, IRAC photometric catalog for 10^5 objects in $\sim 0.7 \text{ deg}^2$
- ❖ Estimating photometric redshift from a custom code (Tanaka et al. 2015) where $\sigma(\Delta z / (1+z)) = 0.029$
- ❖ Selecting galaxies with suppressed star formation at $3.5 < z_{\text{phot}} < 4.5$

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Fig.1 M^* v.s. SFR

Selecting galaxies with specific SFR of $<10^{-9.5} \text{ yr}^{-1}$

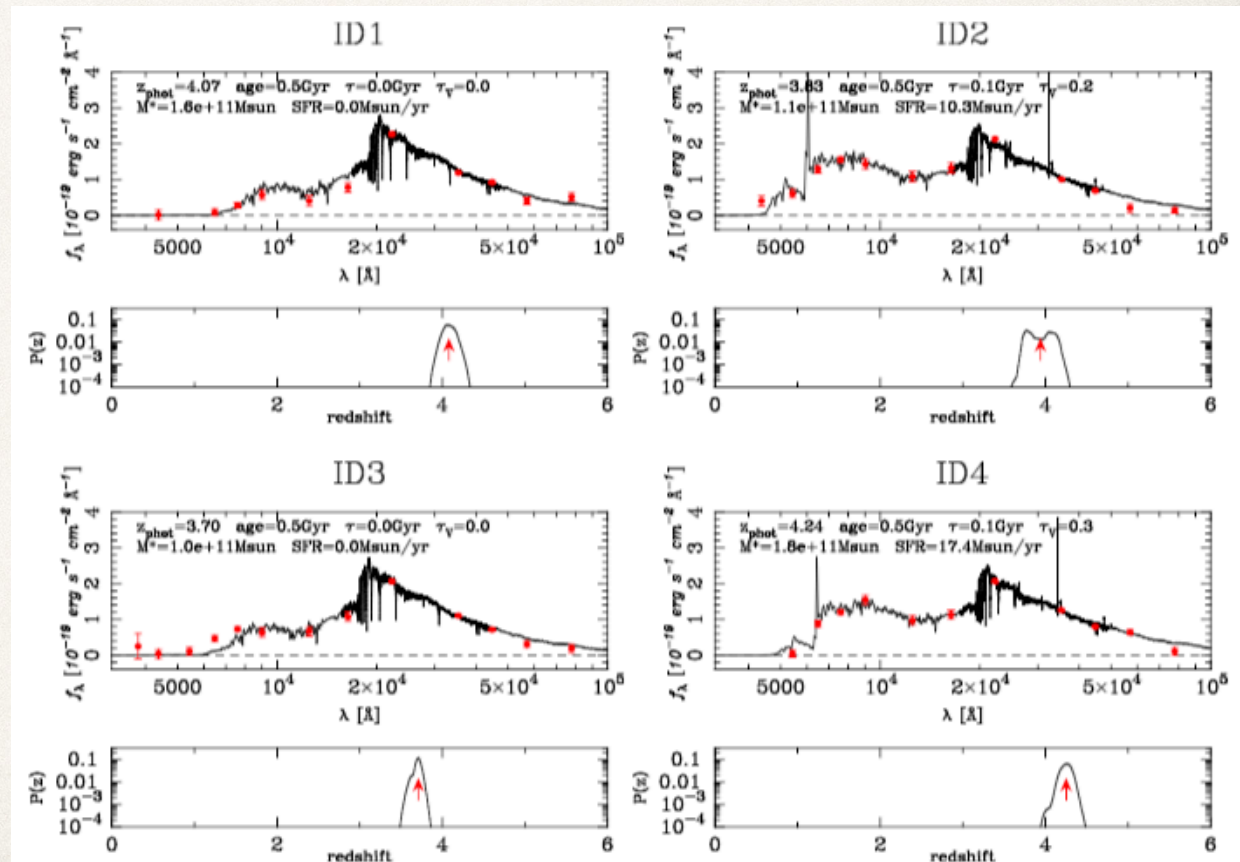


Fig.2 SEDs of quiescent galaxies

3. Observation: IRCS-AO K-band imaging

- ❖ We conduct the K'-band imaging of the brightest five ($KAB=22.5-23$) quiescent galaxies at $z\sim 4$ with Subaru IRCS-AO188 on Sep. 2016 (PI: M. Tanaka).
- ❖ LGS or NGS are used in stable condition. Data is reduced with standard manner for IRCS.
- ❖ 0.3~1 h total exposures for each target. FWHM PSF = $0''.15\sim 0''.23$.

Table 2. Summary of observations

ID	R.A.	Dec	EXPTIME	ZEROPOINT	depth ^a	separation ^b	FWHM PSF ^c
	(h:m:s)	(d:m:s)	(min)	(mag)	(mag)	(arcsec)	(arcsec)
1	02:19:01.511	-05:18:29.07	33	25.43	24.7	72(33)	0.17
2	02:17:59.073	-05:09:39.89	18	25.43	24.6	53(34)	0.21
3	02:17:22.781	-05:17:33.34	35	25.41	24.9	48(16)	0.15
4	02:17:19.833	-04:43:34.75	43	25.43	25.0	41(38)	0.23
5	02:16:58.232	-05:08:35.21	54	25.41	25.0	37(13)	0.19

4. Size measurements

4.1 Flux completeness

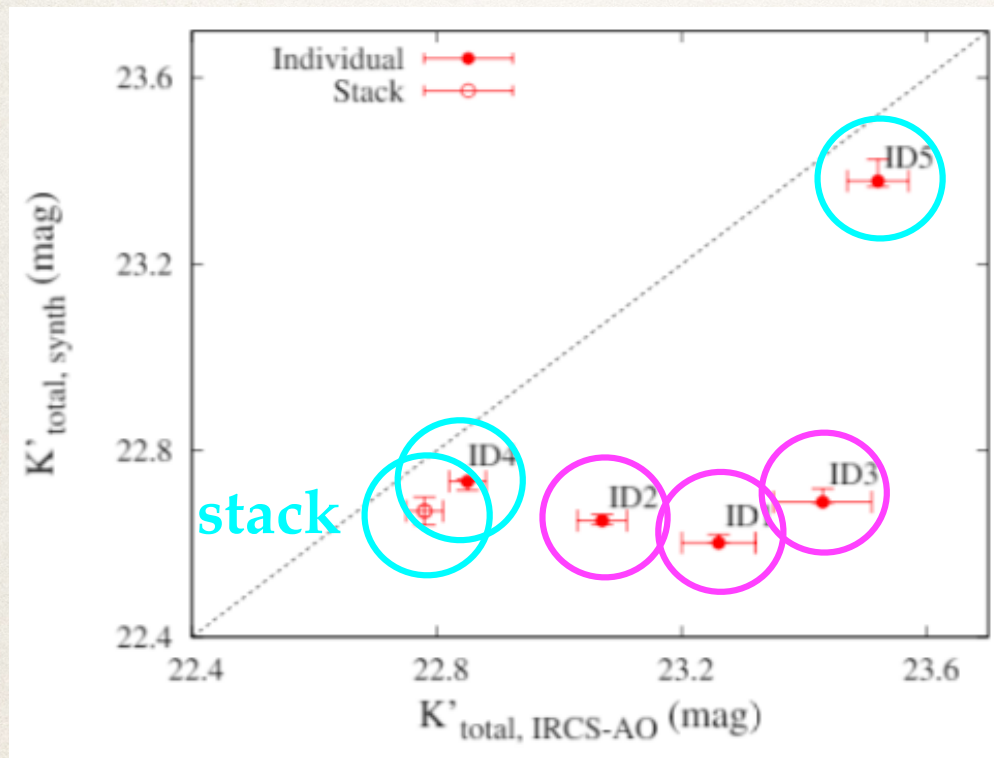


Fig.3 Total magnitudes in IRCS-AO K' v.s. K' (WFCAM K corrected by SED fitting)

- ✧ Flux completeness of our targets on our IRCS-AO K'-band compared with deeper K-band image with WFCAM.
- ✧ Total fluxes of ID1~ID3 measured on our K'-band is not complete compared with those measured on deep K-band image of WFCAM
- ✧ Flux incompleteness is small for ID4, ID5 and stack.

4. Size measurements

4.2 GALFIT fitting and errors

- ❖ The images of galaxies are fitted to Sersic models using GALFIT (Peng 2010).
- ❖ Since the PSF is marginally nonuniform ($\Delta\text{FWHM} \sim 0''.03$) and our targets are very small ($r_e \sim 1\text{kpc}$), Sersic indices cannot be constrained well ($\sigma(n) \sim 2.3$)
- ❖ χ^2 of Sersic model fits are only marginally better than those of PSF model fits... **Not well resolved. The measured sizes can be upper limit value.**

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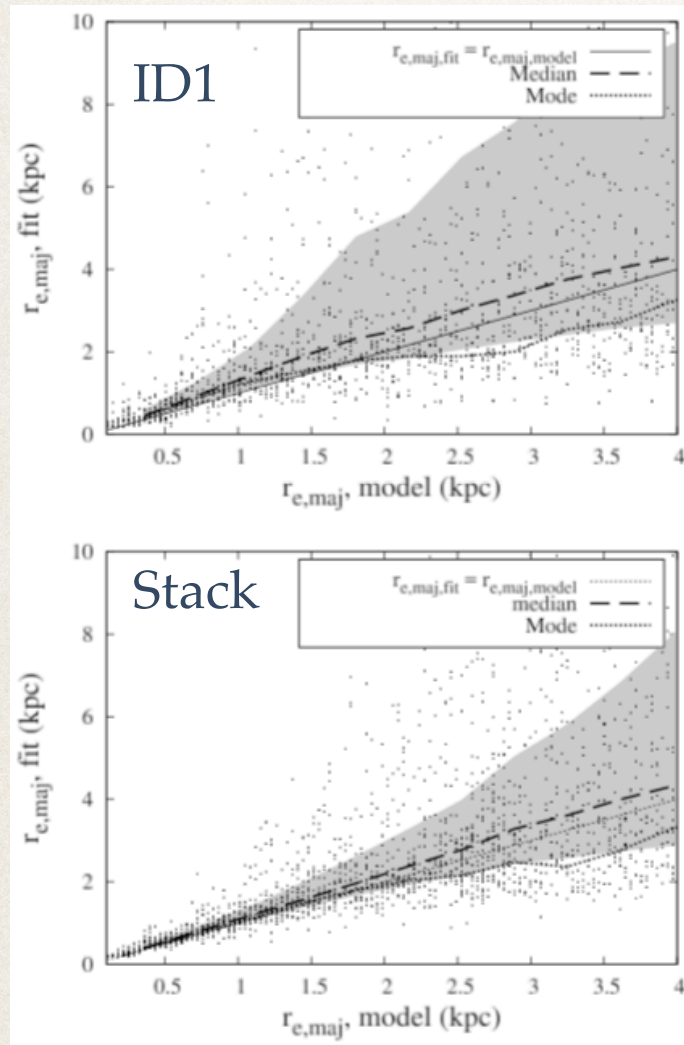


Fig.4 Simulated size errors

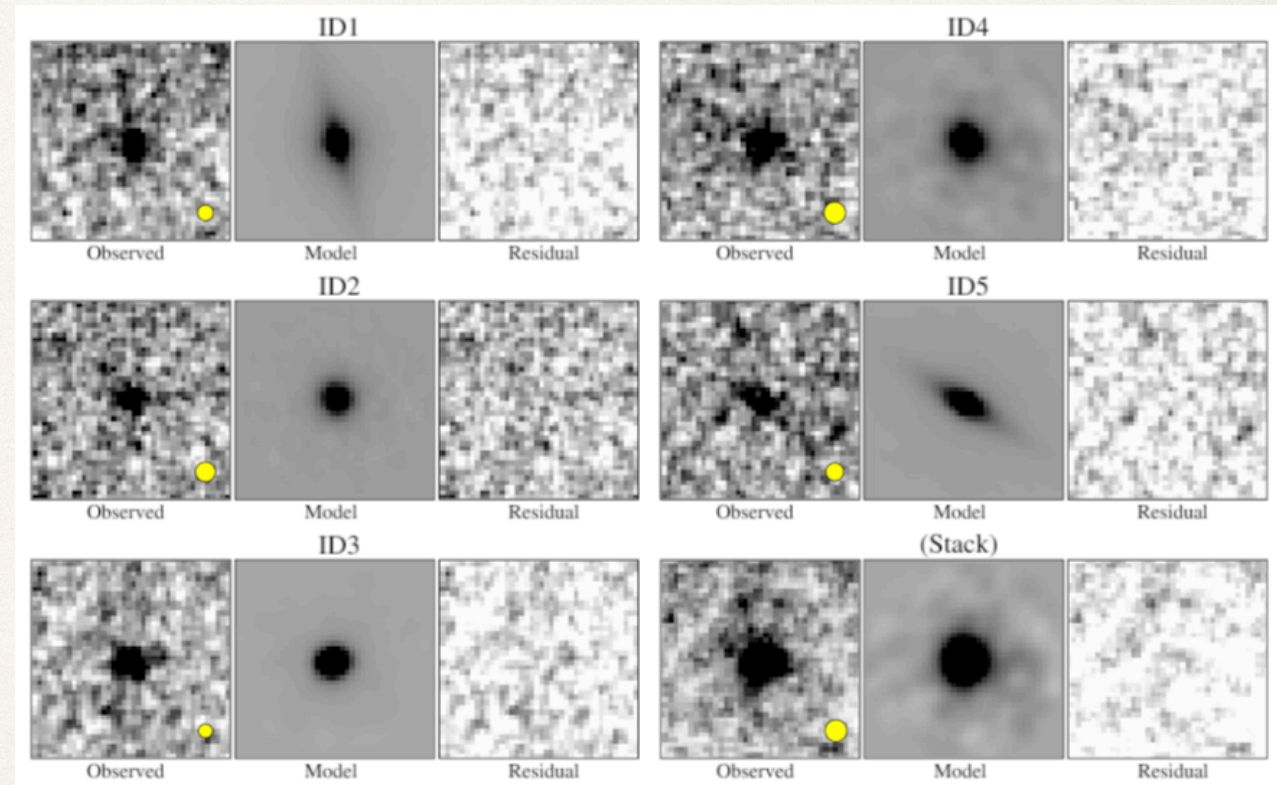


Fig.5 Observed, model and residual images

Stack: $\Delta r_e \pm 0.2$ kpc for $r_e \sim 1$ kpc in typical

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4.3 Results

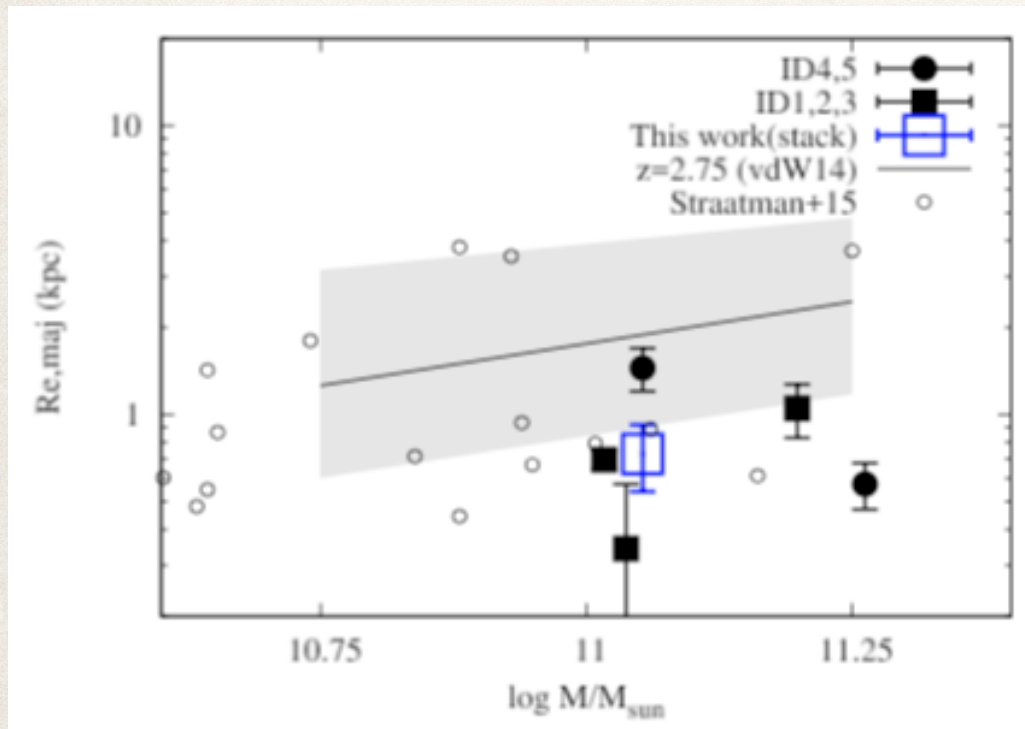


Fig.6 Mass-size relation at $z=4$

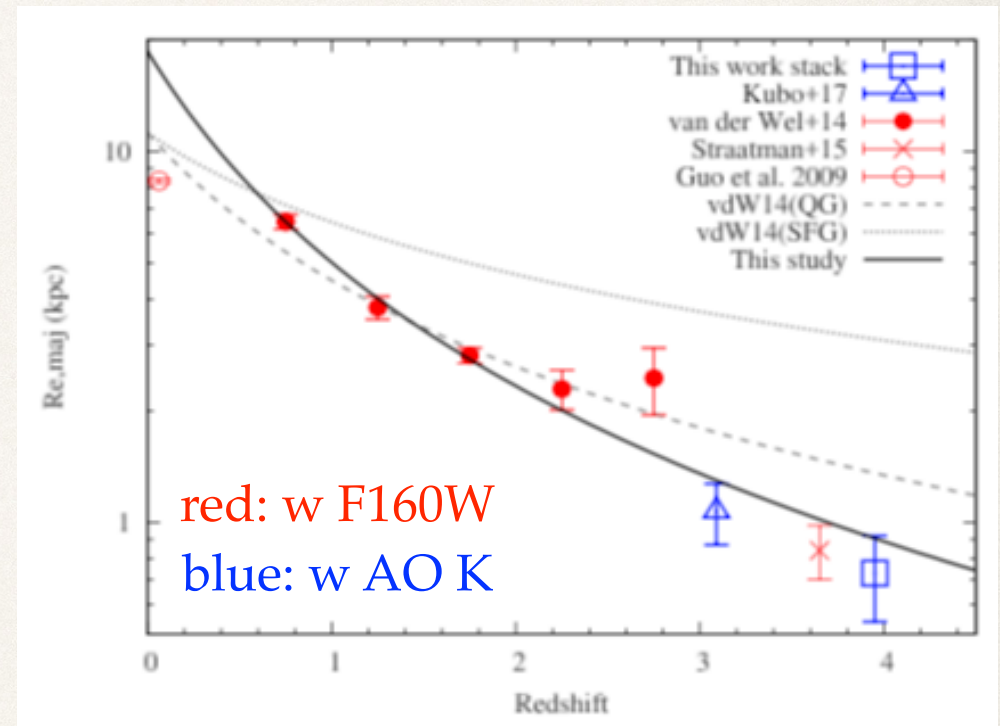


Fig.7 Size-redshift relation for $M^*=10^{11} \sim 10^{11.5} M_{\text{sun}}$

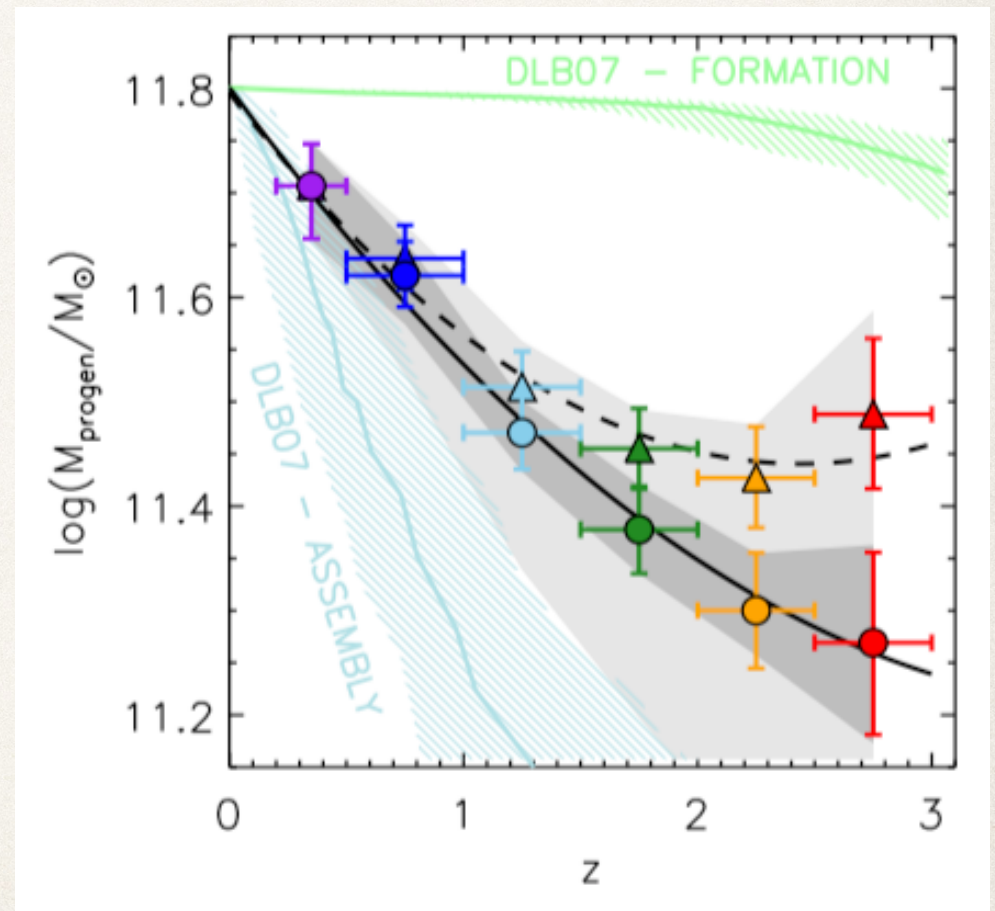
- ❖ Size evolution of massive quiescent galaxies continues at $z>3$.
- ❖ Adding the results at $z>3$, steeper size growth is favored.
- ❖ Note that our result at $z=4$ can be just an upper limit...

5. Discussion

- ❖ Size evolution at constant mass = typical size of galaxies at each redshift.
- ❖ \neq evolution history of individual galaxies.
- ❖ In this section, we interpret our results into the size-stellar mass growth history of massive-end galaxies today.

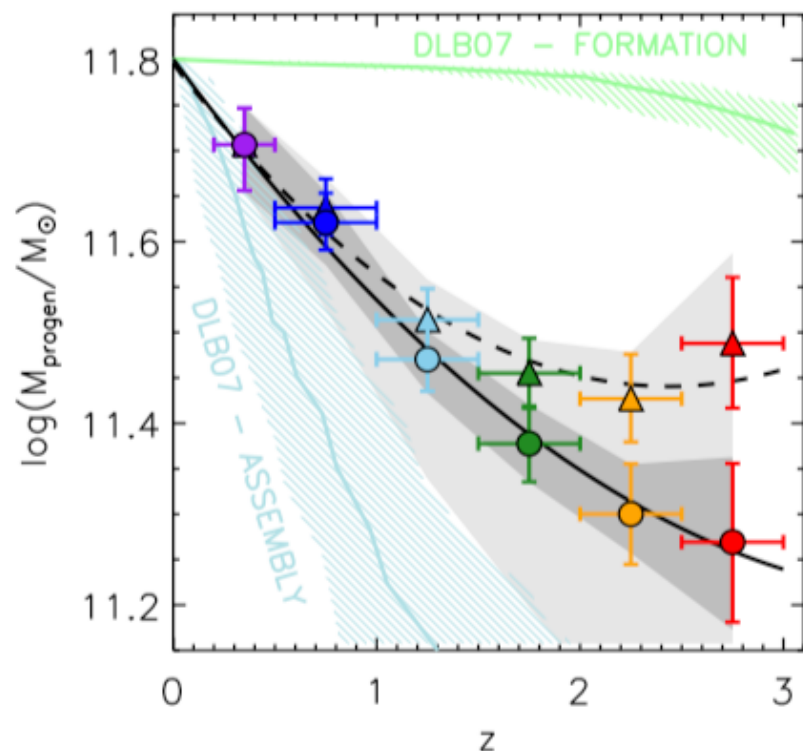
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- ❖ Marchesini et al. (2014)... draw the stellar mass evolution of ultra-massive galaxies (UMGs) today with abundance matching technique.
- ❖ Our targets are roughly on their M^* -redshift relation.
- ❖ We can draw the size growth history of UMGs from $z=0$ to 4 by combining the stellar mass-redshift relation (Marchesini+14) and size-stellar mass relation at each redshift (van del Wel +2014)



Stellar mass evolution of UMGs(Marchesini+14)

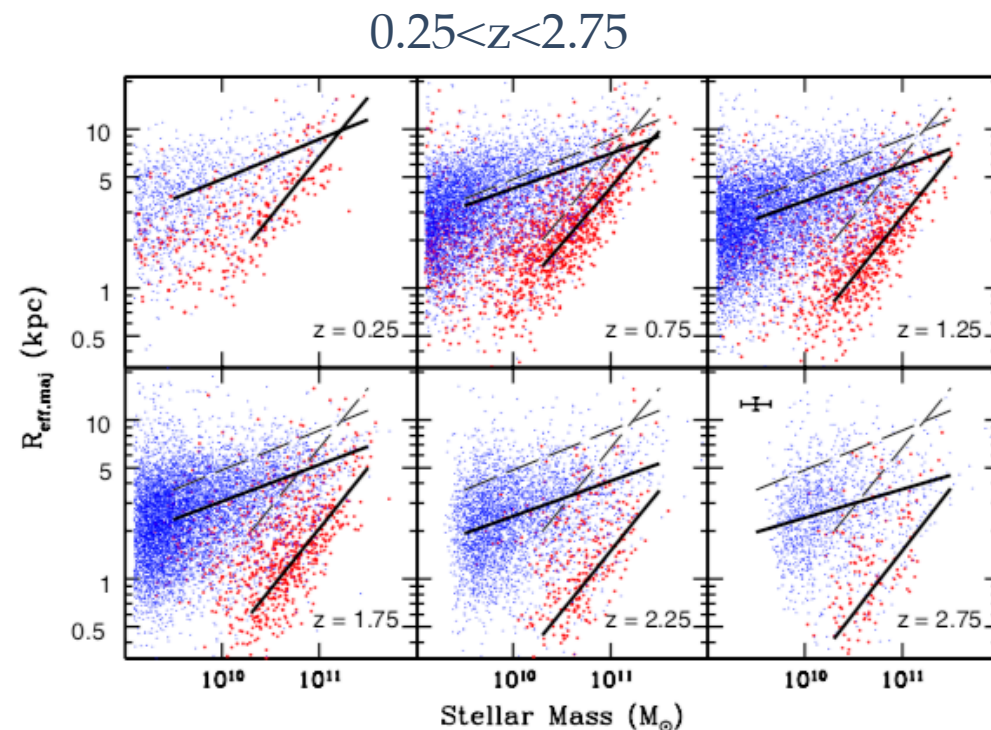
Stellar mass of UMG progenitors



Stellar mass of the progenitors of UMG at each redshift from Marchesini+14 (Note that the relation at $z > 3$ is just an extension of that at $z < 3$)

Stellar mass \rightarrow size

$z=0$: the size of UMGs ($M^* \sim 10^{11.8}$) Msun in SDSS (Guo et al. 2010)



Use the size- M^* relation of van der Wel+14

$z > 3$

Since the stellar mass of the progenitors from Marchesini+14 is similar to our sample, we just use observed sizes.

Size-stellar mass growth history of UMGs

5. Discussion

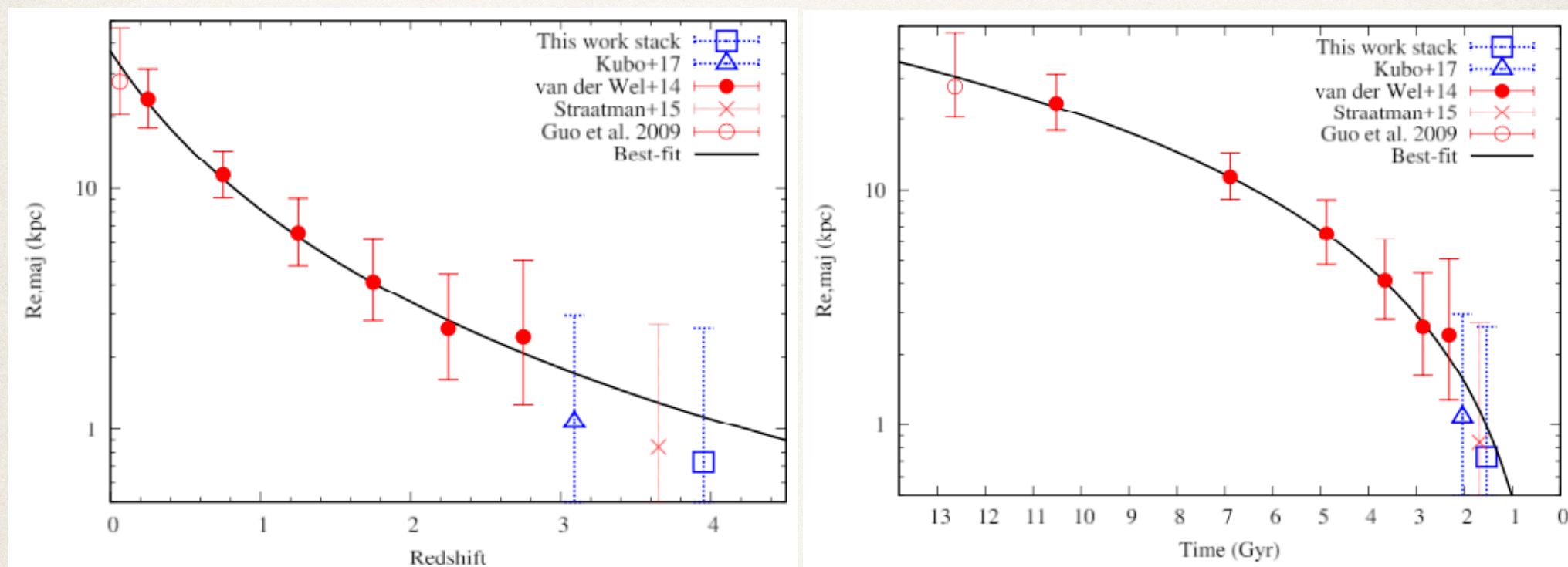


Fig.8 Size-redshift(left) and Size-Cosmic time(right) relations of UMGs

- ❖ Rapid growth at early time.
- ❖ Size-redshift: $re / kpc = A \times (1+z)^B$ where $A = 37.1 \pm 2.3$ and $B = -2.2 \pm 0.1$
- ❖ Size-Cosmic time: $\log(re / kpc) = A + B \log(t / Gyr)$ where $A = -0.31 \pm 0.04$ and $B = 1.63 \pm 0.05$

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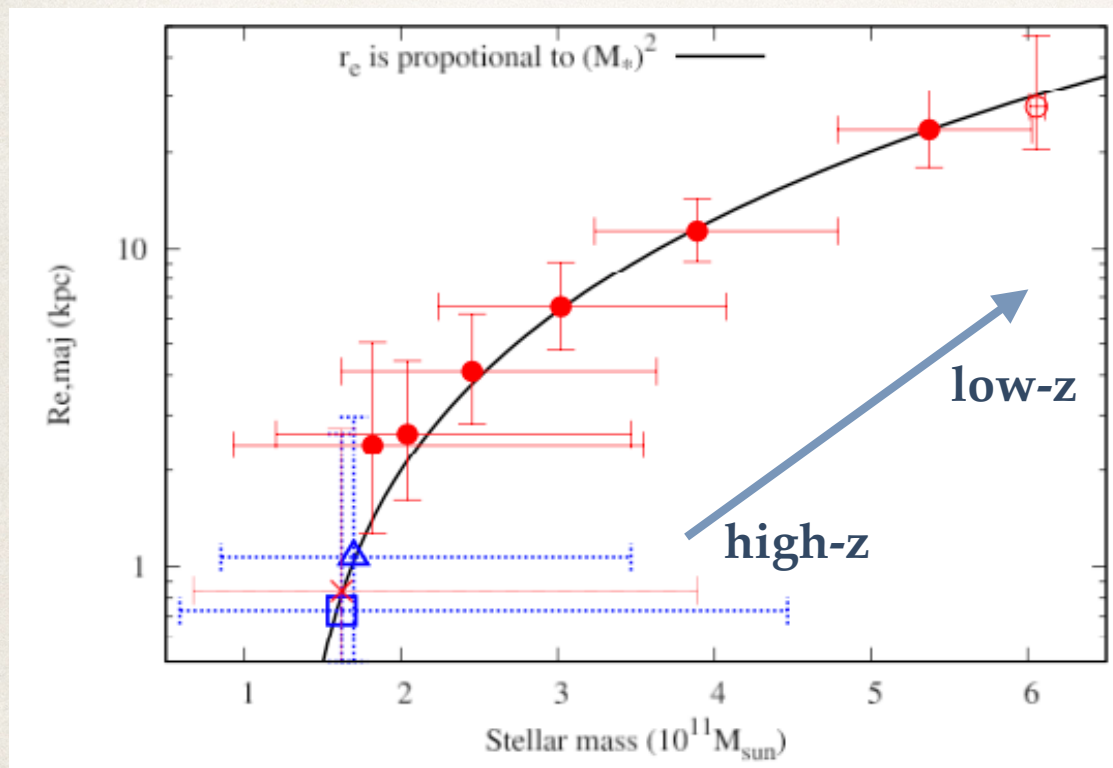


Fig.9 size-stellar mass growth of UMGs

- ❖ UMGs grow as $Re \propto M_*^2$... size evolution driven by minor dry mergers (Naab et al. 2009; van Dokkum et al. 2010)
- ❖ Similar size growth history for massive-end galaxies was predicted in IllustrisTNG simulation (Genel et al. 2018).

6. Conclusion

- ❖ We select massive galaxies suppressed star formation at $z=4$ from ~ 0.7 deg² of SXDS field.
- ❖ Then we conducted the K-band imaging of the brightest five of them by using IRCS-AO on Subaru Telescope to evaluate their sizes.
- ❖ We draw the size evolution of massive quiescent galaxies in rest-frame optical at up to $z=4$ for the first time. The typical size of massive quiescent galaxies continues to become small up to $z=4$.
- ❖ We interpret our results into the size evolution of UMGs today and found that their size-stellar mass growth history is similar to that driven by minor dry mergers.

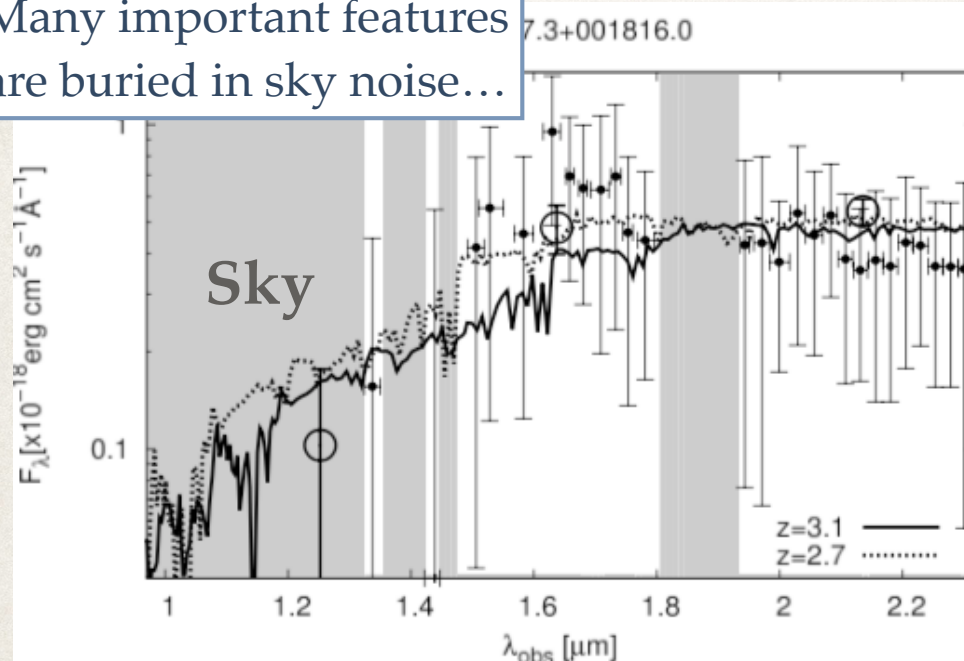
7. Requirement (of LUVOIR and ELTs)

- ❖ We found,
 - ❖ Size evolution continues at $z=4$ at least.
 - ❖ **$<0''.1$ resolution is needed** to obtain non-upper limit size of galaxies at $z \geq 4$ (even at massive-end). **PSF uniformity of $<<0''.01$ is also needed.**
 - ❖ 10-m class AO K-band imaging of galaxies at $z > 3$ is very hard...
- ❖ Further questions:
 - ❖ Size evolution at $z > 4$?
 - ❖ Size evolution of lower mass ($M^* < 10^{11} M_\odot$) descendents?
 - ❖ Rest-frame optical (not affected by dust) morphologies of dusty starburst galaxies at $z > 3$: plausible adjacent progenitors?
 - ❖ Sersic indices?
 - ❖ Kinematic evolution? How fundamental plane built?
 - ❖ Radial gradient of stellar population?

Hardly achieved with HST and 10m class ground based telescopes+AO (and JWST?)

7. Requirement (of LUVOIR and ELTs)

Many important features are buried in sky noise...



NIR spectroscopy of QG at $z=3$ with Subaru (Kubo+2015)

JWST Spatial resolution

Filter	Wavelength (μm)	PSF FWHM (arcsec)	PSF FWHM (pixel)
F200W	1.989	0.066	2.141
F356W	3.568	0.115	1.830
F444W	4.408	0.145	2.302

- ❖ To confirm redshift and study kinematics of quiescent galaxies at $z > 3$, we need to see from space.
- ❖ However, to study morphologies, JWST may not be enough: we need deep (> 27 mag) imaging at $\approx 2\mu\text{m}$ with small and stable PSF (FWHM $\ll 0''.1$ & $\Delta\text{FWHM} \ll 0''.01$).

LUVOIR and ELTs are necessary!