ICM flow patterns in ram pressure stripping — lessons from nonquasi-steady-state stripping

Mock X-ray image

1 Mpc

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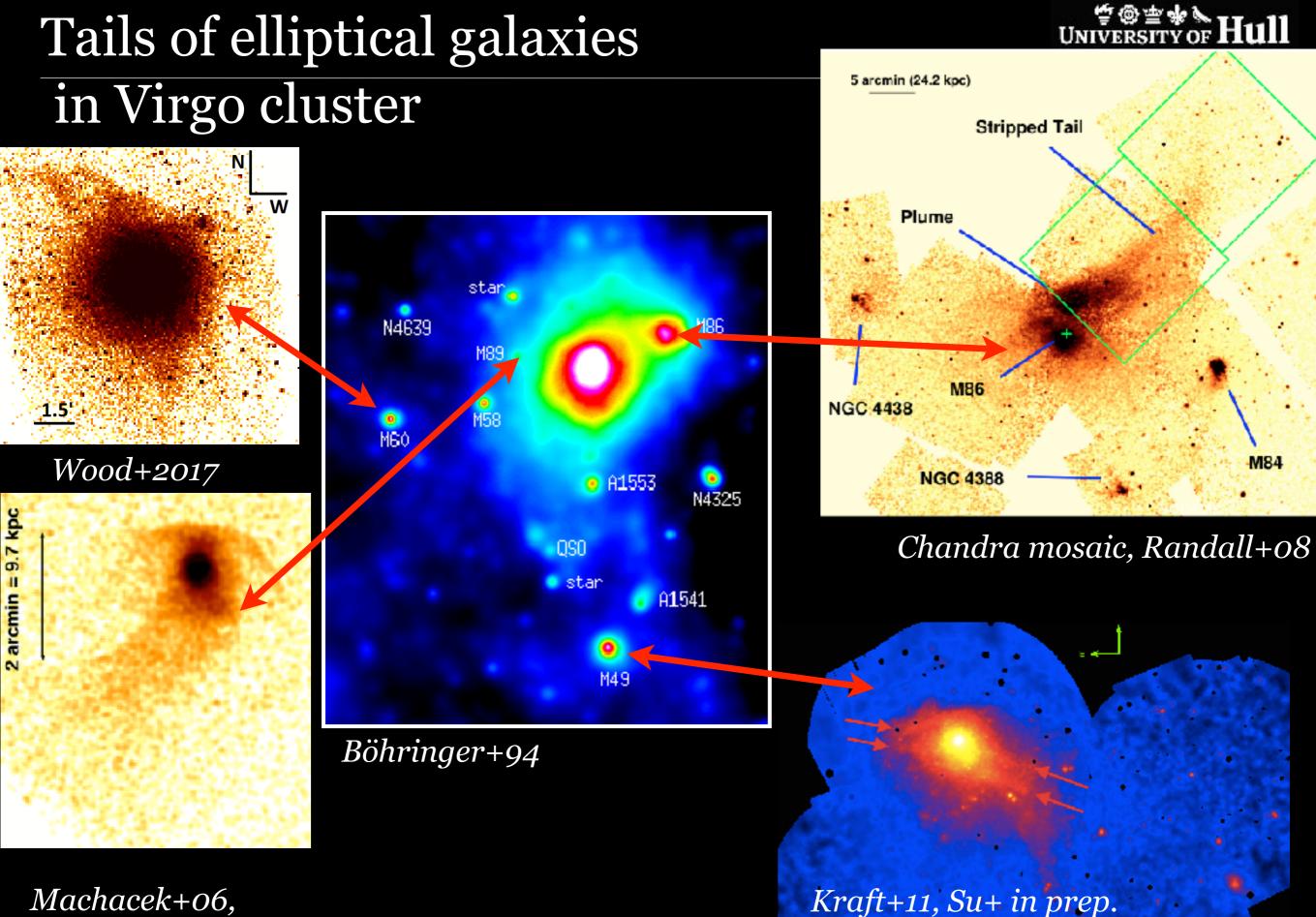
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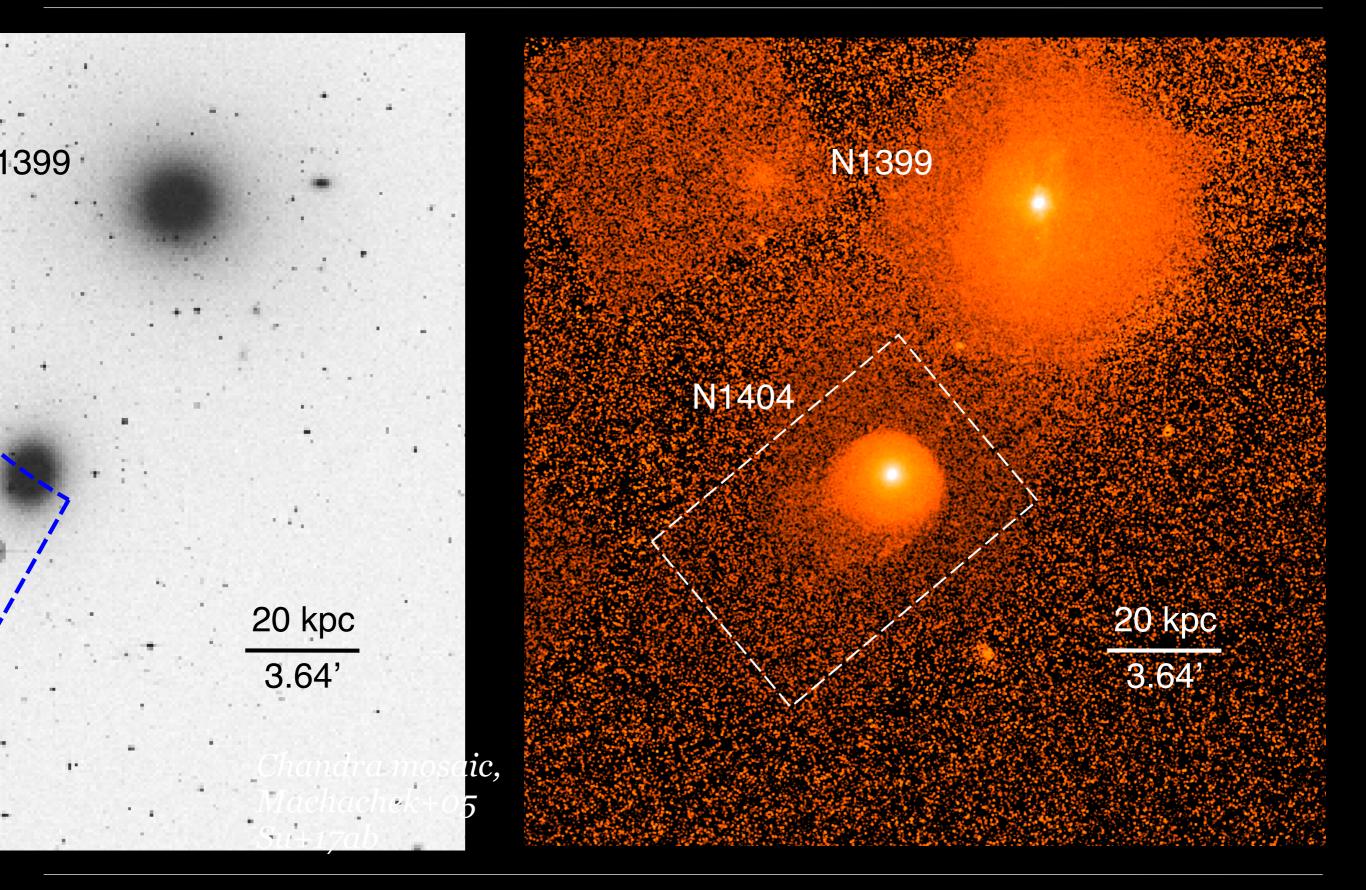
Goals

- Flow patterns in most simple case stripping of a spherical galaxy's hot atmosphere
- Observable features in different "infall stages"
- What could it mean for stripping of spirals?

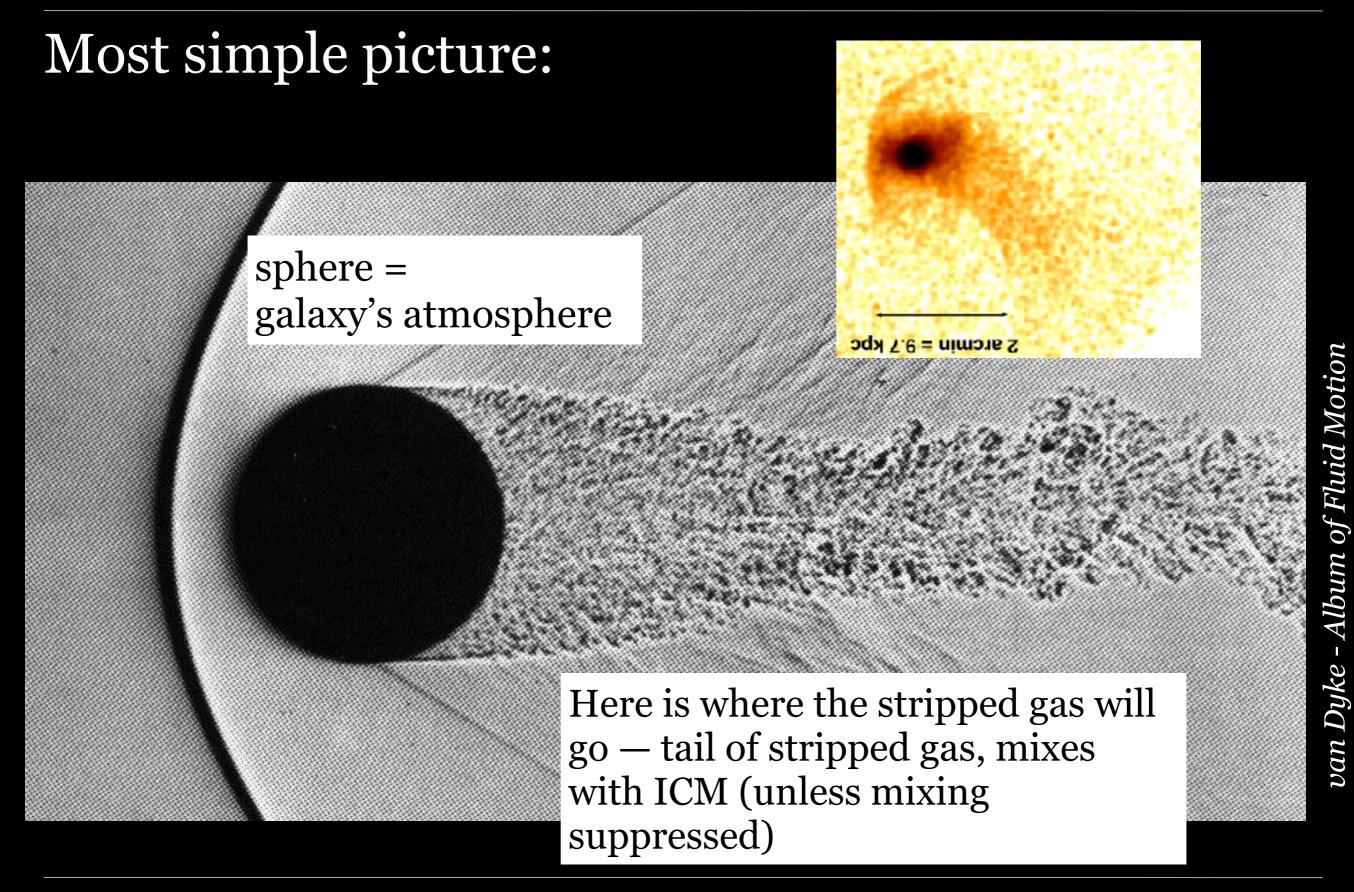


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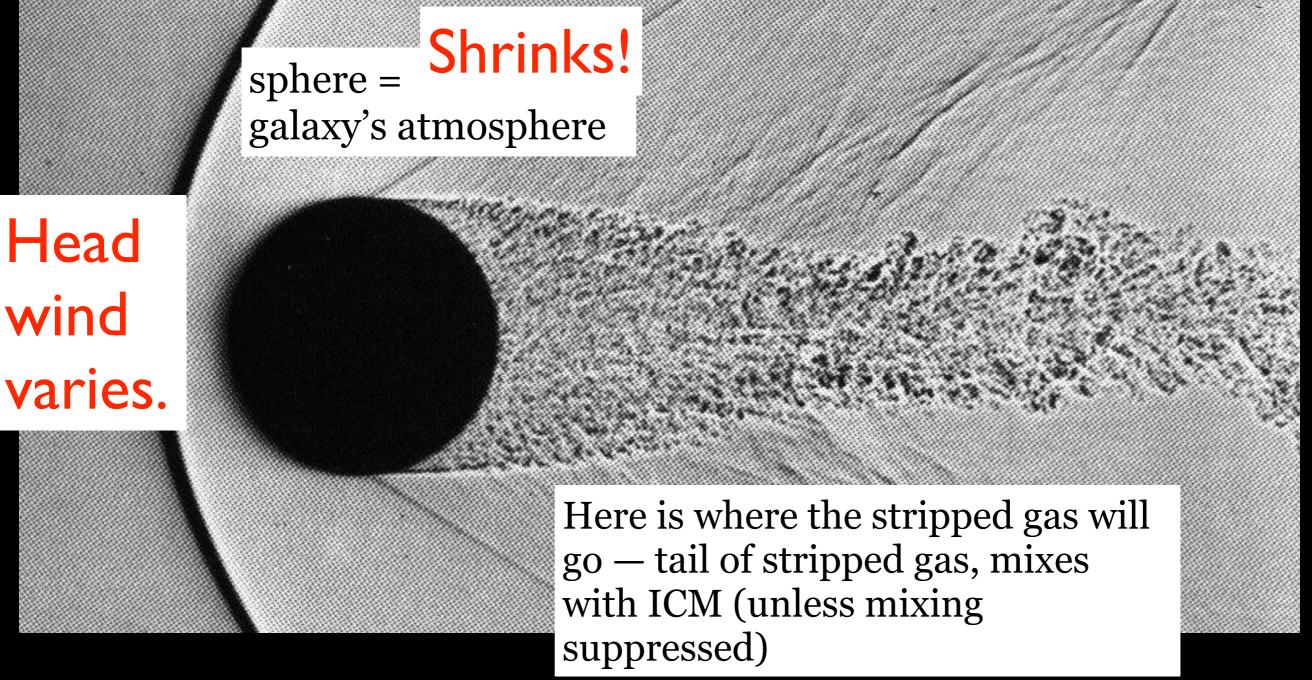


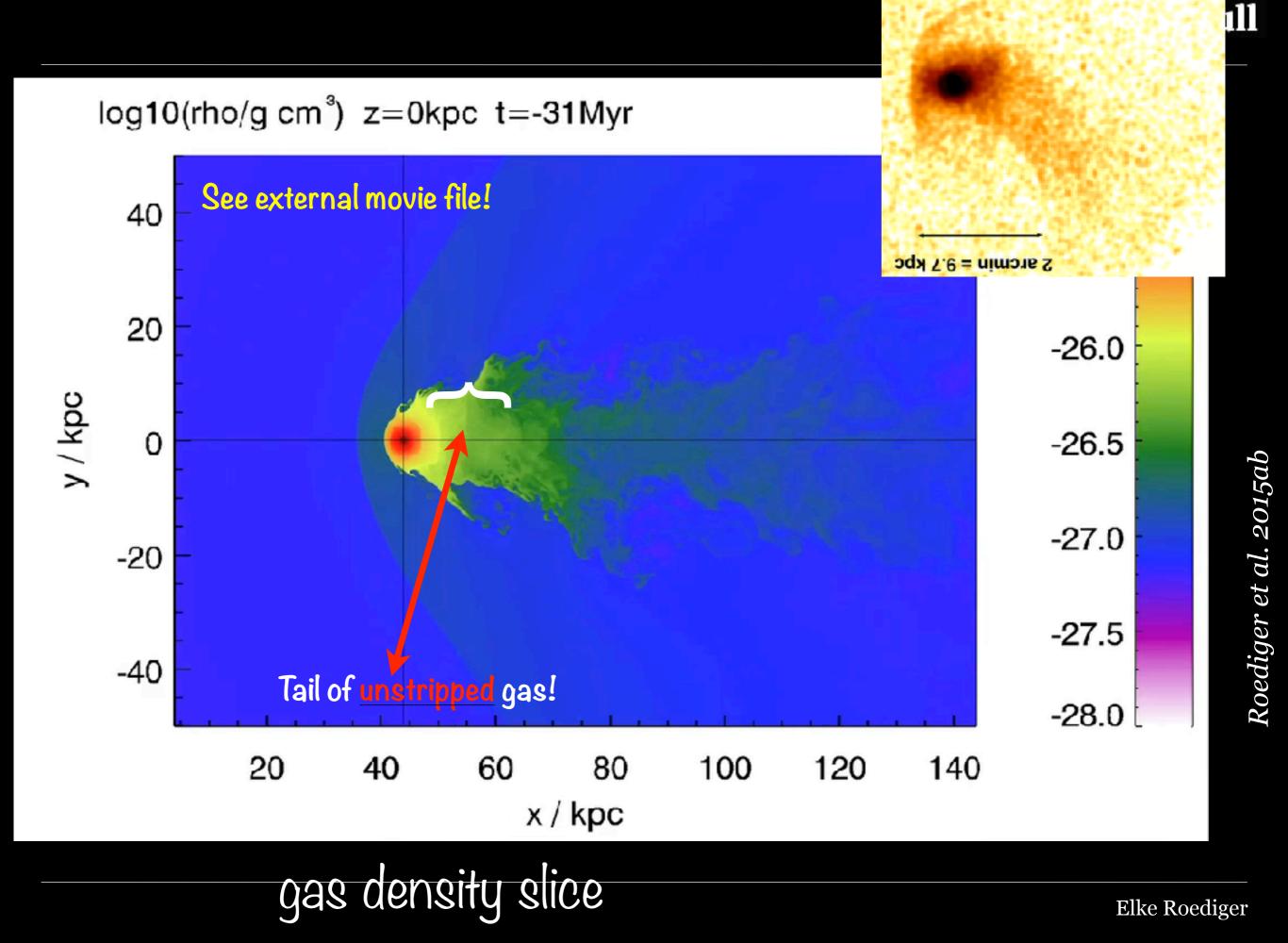


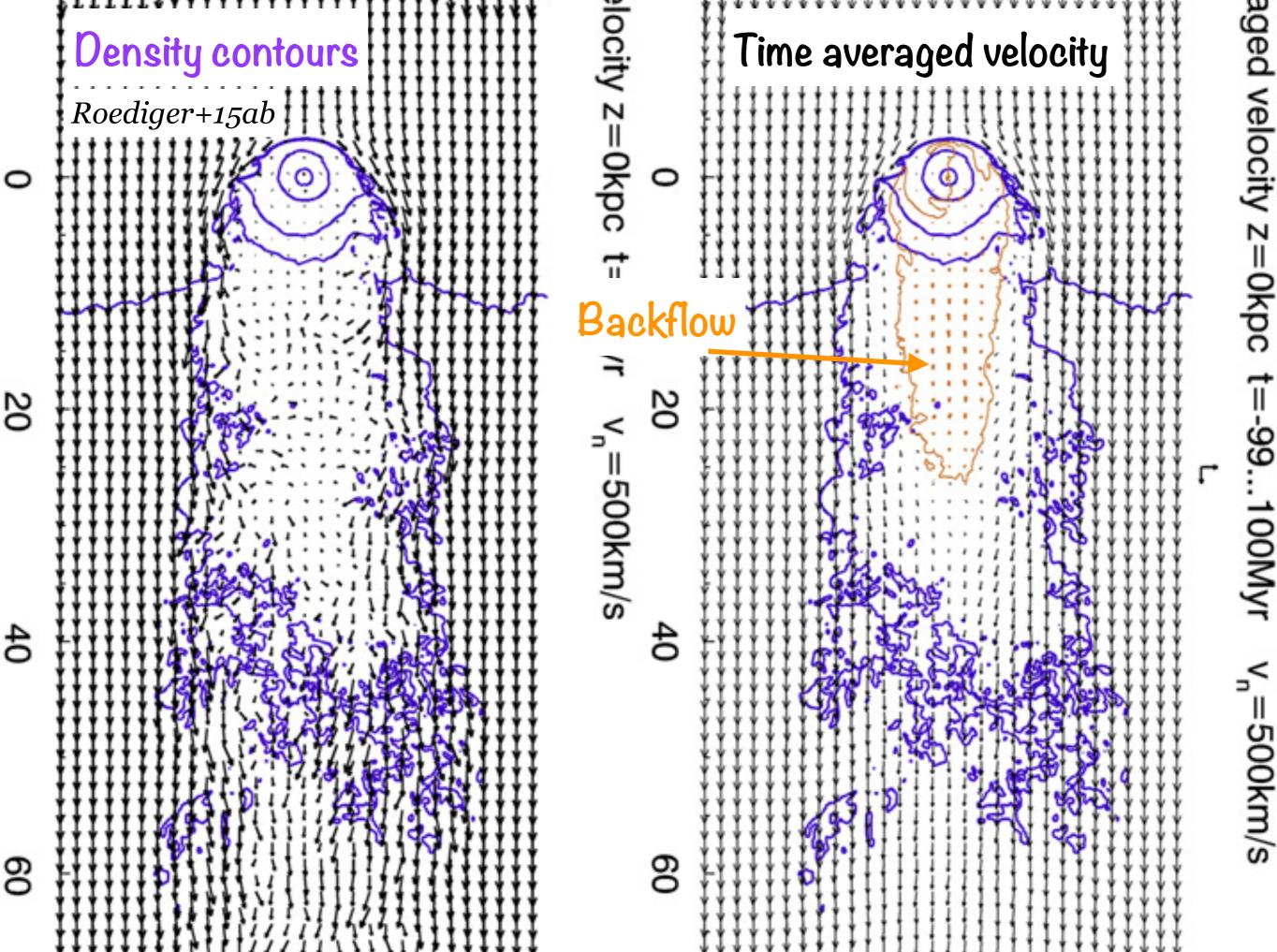


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Most simple picture — quasi-steady state!



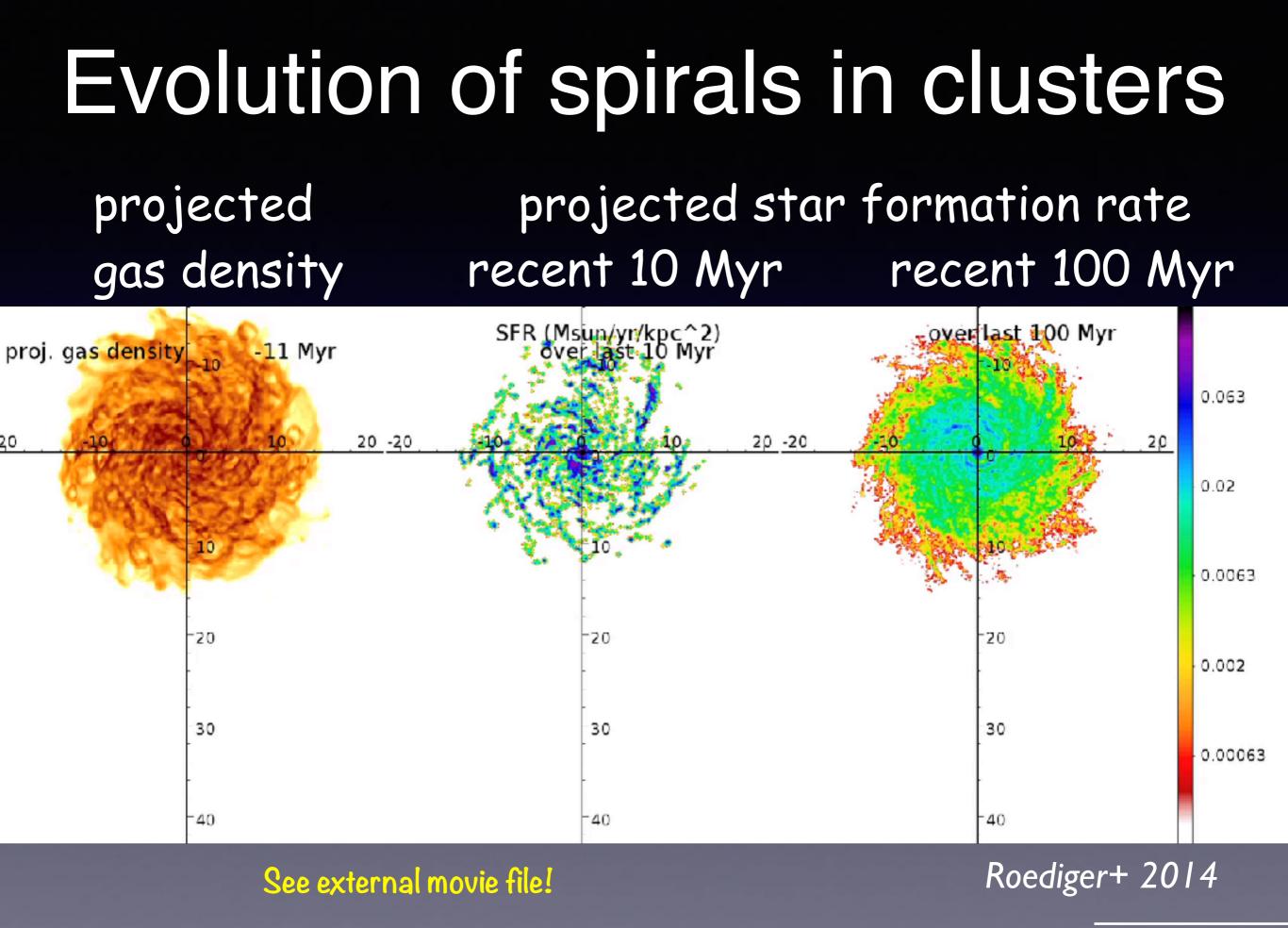




aged velocity z=0kpc

t=-99

=500km/s



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Ram pressure deforms galaxy's gas, true stripping takes time.

—> Most observed tails probably are remnant tails rather than tails of *stripped* gas.

The recent head wind history has big impact on stripped galaxy's appearance.

Need to understand dynamics along with additional physics, or we may be misled.