Searching for Substructure in Fornax Deep Survey (FDS) Dwarf Galaxies

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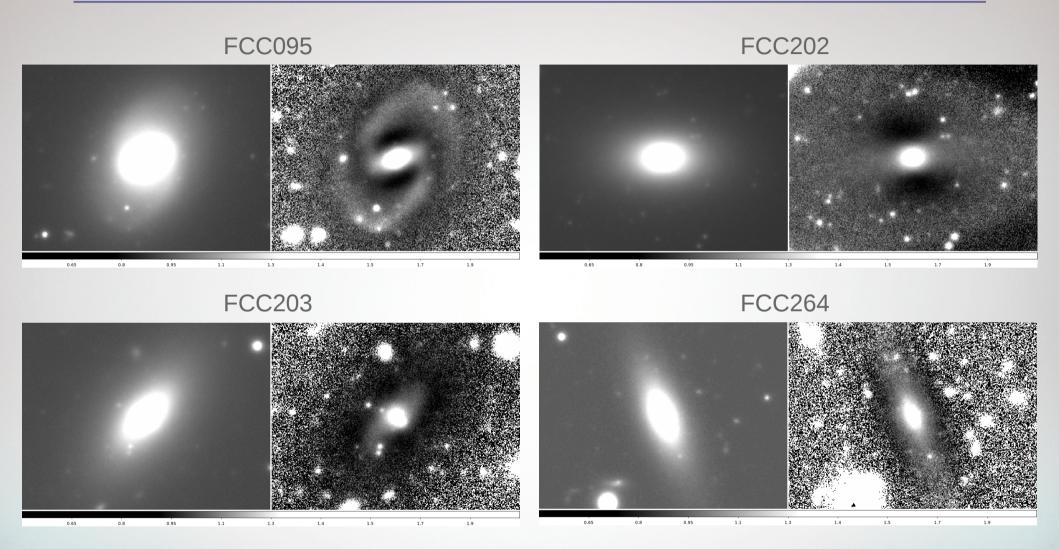
Procedure:

- Build gri coadded image cutouts of targets,
- Detect and mask interlopers using Source Extractor (Bertin & Arnouts 1996),
- Measure ellipticity and PA using IRAF Ellipse and build galaxy model,
- Build residual image and unsharp mask images to analyse.

coadded - model

coadded / smoothed with elliptical Gaussian kernels

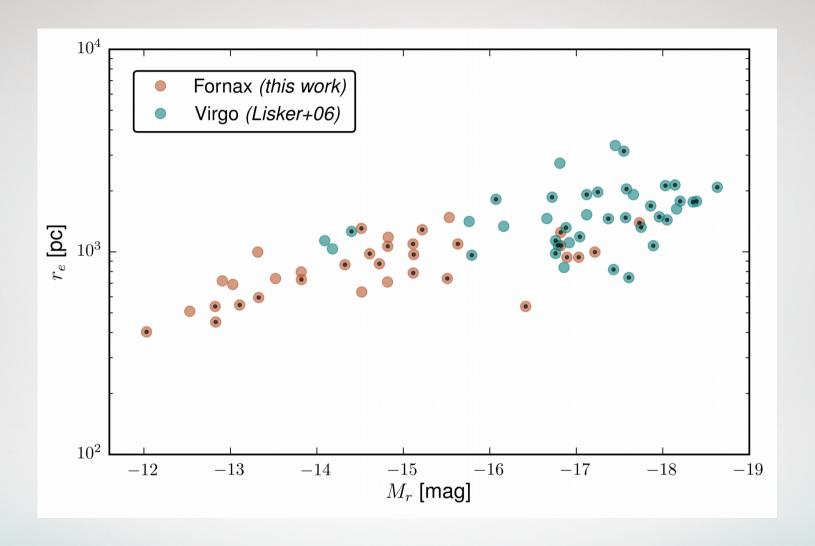
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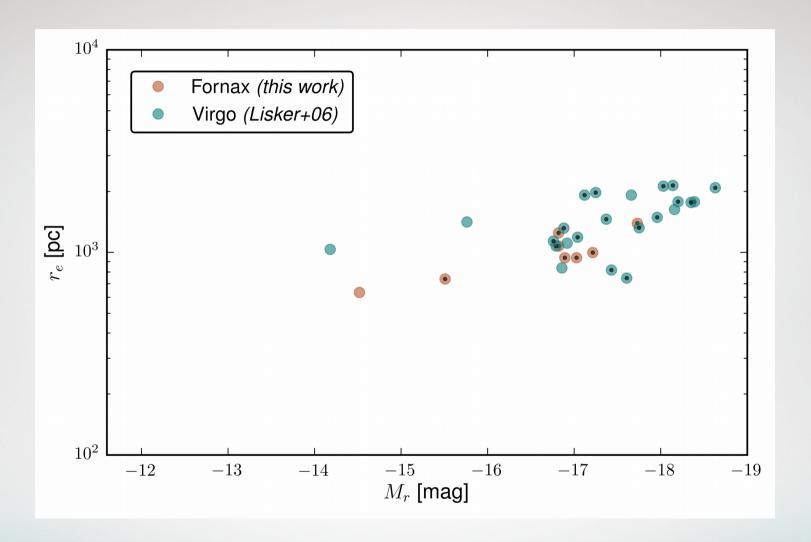
Results:

- 34 candidates with disk substructure,
- 8 fall in the certain/probable categories.

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Secure candidates with disk substructure:

Fornax: 8 Virgo: 24

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How are disky dwarfs formed?