

Top: the MeerKAT Telescope Bottom: region of the Euclid Deep Field South observed with MeerKAT



SKA (precursors) and Euclid Team up:

Exploring the galaxy - halo connection at cosmic noon and beyond

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A Radio Window on Galaxy Evolution



Forming stars through cosmic time

Galaxy evolution

Radio surveys:

- 1) unique role in probing jetted AGN populations
- 2] unbiased view of SFG and AGN populations (no dust extinction/gas obscuration effects)
- 3) unique role in probing HI properties of galaxies and AGN





The promise of new generation radio surveys

A radio window on galaxy formation and evolution:

- > Jetted AGN populations
- Complete (unbiased) view of SFG and AGN down to RQ regime to cosmic noon and beyond





LoTSS-Deep DR1 (Tasse+2021; Sabater+2021) DEEP2 (Mauch+2020; Matthews+2021)

Role of obscured SF in SFRD

LoTSS Deep DR1

- novel observational constraints on <u>radio SFRD</u>
- NB: 10x statistics with respect to COSMOS (2 deg²)





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Obscured SF at z>3

NIR-faint / dark dusty massive galaxies at high redshift (deep NIR / JWST + Spitzer)

- How important are optically dark / NIR faint galaxies for SFRD at z > 3?
- Are dusty SFGs at z >3, progenitors of massive local early type galaxies ? .
- Are they preferentially living in dense environments?



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Modeling obscured SF



Novel semi-empirical model for SFGs

- NIR redshiftdependent galaxy stellar mass functions (Weaver+23; this work)
- galaxy main sequence (Popesso+23)

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SFR-radio lum. Relations (McCheyne+21; Delvecchio+21)



Role of Jetted AGN in galaxy evolution

- Kinetic power density remains flat to z>3 over a range of masses
- SFG become the main radio AGN hosts at z>1
- first constraints to simulations
- Is jet-induced feedback relevant also at high-z and low stellar/halo mass?



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The added value of Euclid

Euclid launched 2022: wide survey (\gtrsim 14k deg²) + three deep fields \rightarrow 1 mag deeper

- > Multi-band Photometry: IYJH + ugriz from ground-based telescopes
- > Multiple observations (medium/deep fields)
- > VIS near-HST quality (0.2" PSF): Weak lensing
- > Slitless Spectroscopy: optimized for $H\alpha$ line over 1<z<2 range
 - Hα line over 0.4<z<1.82
 - Multiple em. Lines over 0.89<z<2.69
 - SFR (H α), metallicity (Oxygen lines, blue grism)
 - resolved spectra
 - line ratios (0.89<z<2.69) \rightarrow AGN id. and classification
 - access to Ly α line at z>6 \rightarrow probe EoR

- ightarrow source ids, SED fitting ightarrow photo-z, host galaxy properties, ...
- ightarrow variability ightarrow AGN duty cycles
- → DM halo properties
- reconstruction of LSS at cosmic noon

Wider cosmological context





Wechsler & Tinker 2018

Euclid Deep Fields (EDF)

Euclid will complement the wide survey ($\gtrsim 14 \text{k} \text{ deg}^2$) with three dark fields visited multiple times over 6 years 2023-2029 (calibration purposes) $\rightarrow 1$ mag deeper than wide survey



EDF-North @ LOFAR

- **EDF North** observed by LOFAR: LoTSS-Deep (400h in total)
- □ **10 deg2** (Bondi+ 2024) DR1 70h
- □ Int. baselines (Bondi+in prep.) \rightarrow down to 0.3" resolution (Euclid match)
- **Optical identifications and photo-z** (Bisigello+ in prep.)







Euclid Deep Fields @ MeerKAT

- EDF-Fornax observed by MeerKAT: MIGHTEE L-band (Jarvis+2017) 8 deg2 / LADUMA U-Band (Blyth+2016) 4 deg2
- EDF-South observed by MeerKAT: Pl project (Prandoni+ in prep.) 23 deg2 [118h allocated for a pilot survey]



Added Value of EDF-South

• Largest (23 deg²) and only one fully surveyed at radio band

- doubles Euclid/Radio Joint Deep coverage (EDFN~10 deg²; EDFF~8.3 deg²
- essential for multi-parameter characterization (mass, SFR, dust, AGN type, halo mass...) at cosmic noon
- Rare/ high-z populations (sample variance)
- Large connected area: EDFS ~ 95 x 210 Mpc comoving at z=1.75
 - trace LSS and clustering properties of selected populations at different redshifts





LH -inner 1.4 deg²) - Bonato+2021



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Brienza+ in prep.



Take-home messages

Deep radio fields unique for galaxy evolution studies:

- unbiased SFRs & census of dusty galaxies at z>3
- Role of jet-mode AGN feedback at high-z
- HI role in galaxy assembly and in fueling/feedback AGN cycle

Euclid Deep Fields unique for studying link between galaxies/AGN and underlying DM distribution, up to the rarest populations/extreme environments

- Spectroscopy for 0.4<z<2.7, optimized for 0.9<z<1.8 \rightarrow accurate gal. redshifts & LSS at cosmic noon
- Near-HST VIS imaging (0.2" PSF) + WL + photo-z provide Dark Matter halo properties vs z
- ♦ Near-HST VIS imaging + slitless spectroscopy → resolved 3D studies z~1

Ongoing & planned radio surveys of EDFs with LOFAR/LOFAR 2.0 and Mk/Mk+ Stay tuned!