

Spectroscopy in Space

& the SPACE project

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Space Spectrographs

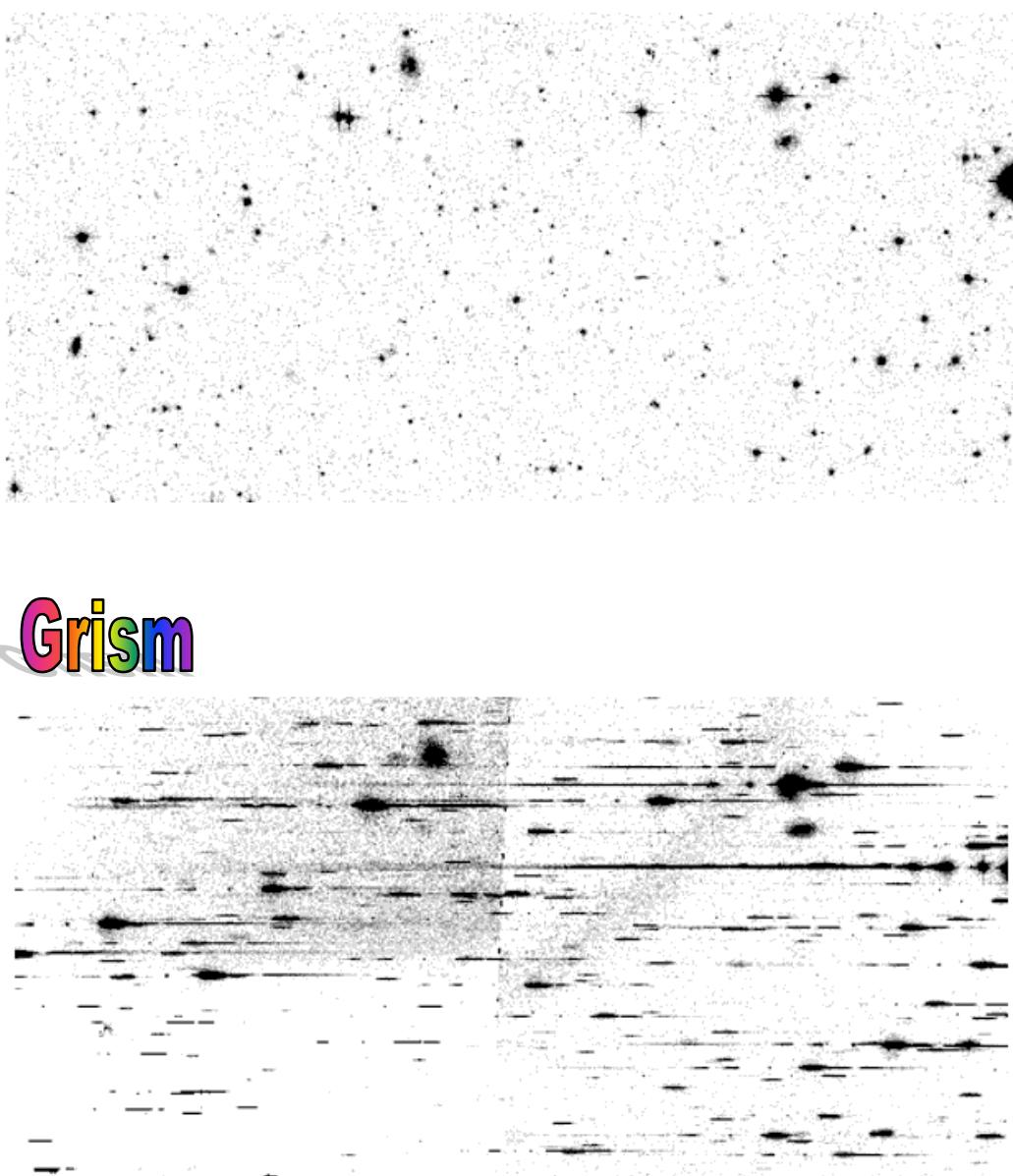
Low background - No sky emission line/absorption

- **Hubble**
 - *STIS Single slit - UV/Visible spectrograph*
 - ACS Grism - NICMOS Grism
 - *COS (UV spectrograph)*
 - WFC3 grism Visible+NIR
- **JWST**
 - NIRSPEC: Multi-Slit (micro-shutter) + Slicer
- **Future Dark Energy Mission**
 - SNAP, ADEPT, DESTINY, **SPACE**

ACS Grism

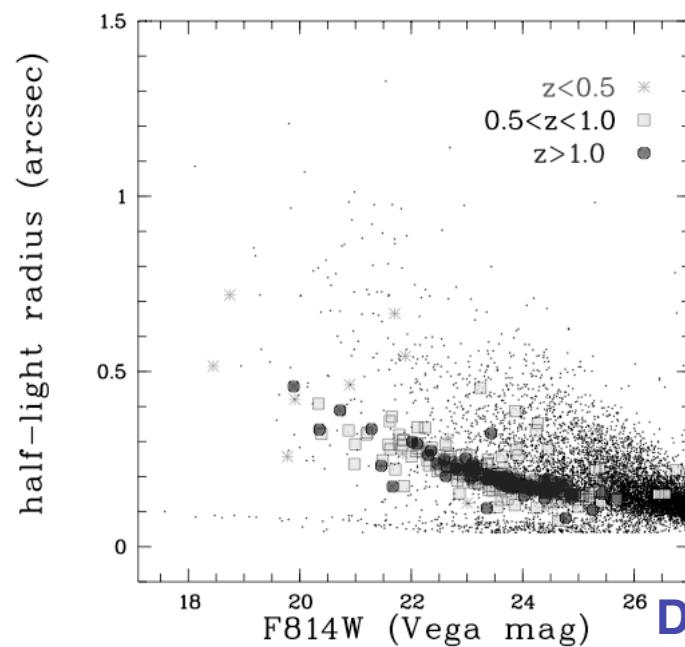
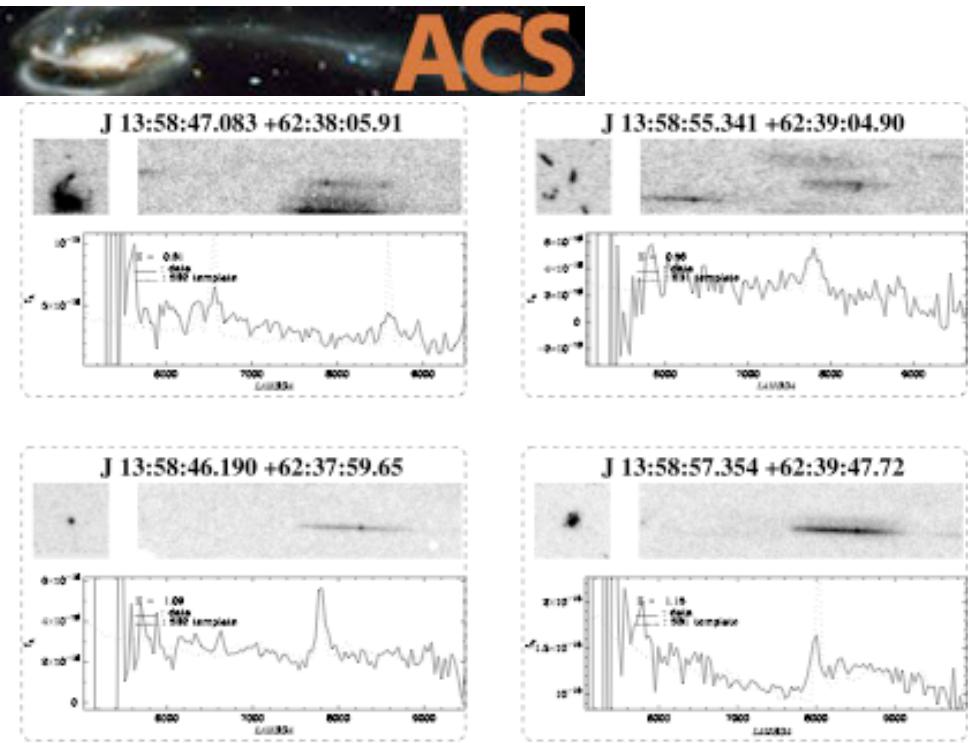
- ACS WFC - G800L grism
- Resolution 70-130 from ~6500-9500 Angstrom
- Sensitivity AB~24 (7000A) in one orbit (~2000 sec)
- ACS grism parallel survey
- GRAPES

Direct image

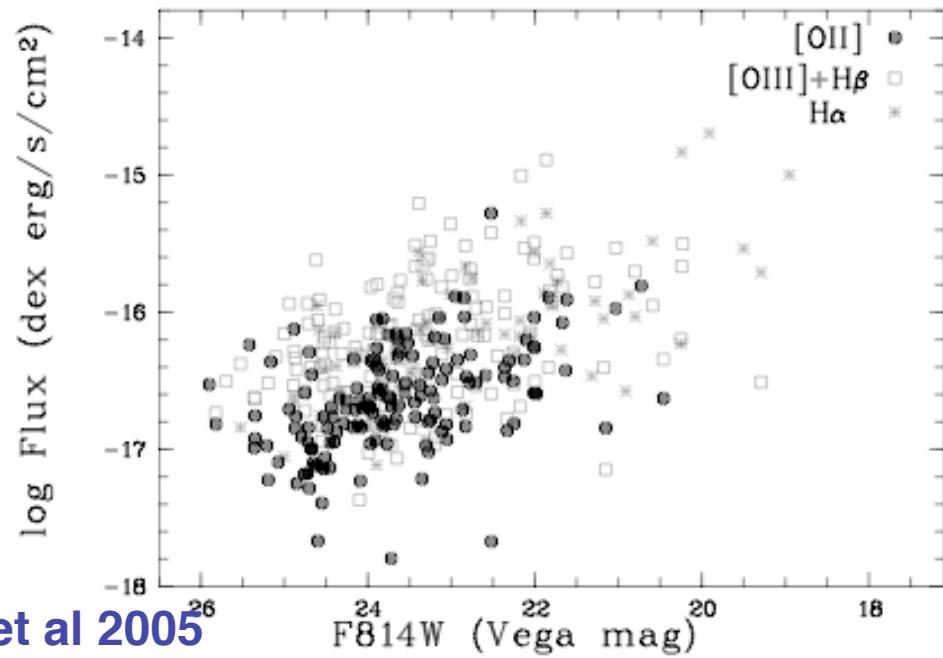


ACS Grism Parallel Survey

- 11 fields ($\sim 120 \text{ arcmin}^2$), exposure time larger than **12ksec**
- 600 compact Emission Line Galaxies (ELG) [**5 gal/arcmin²**] with $z < 1.6$ and 3sigma flux limit $> 5\text{e-}18 \text{ cgs}$ (iAB~26)
- Bias towards compact galaxies with strong emission lines.



Drozdovsky et al 2005



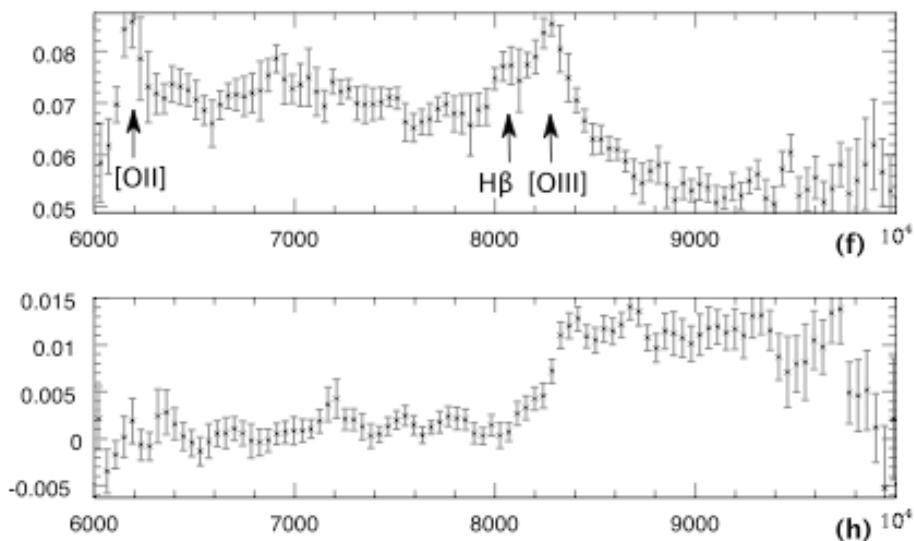
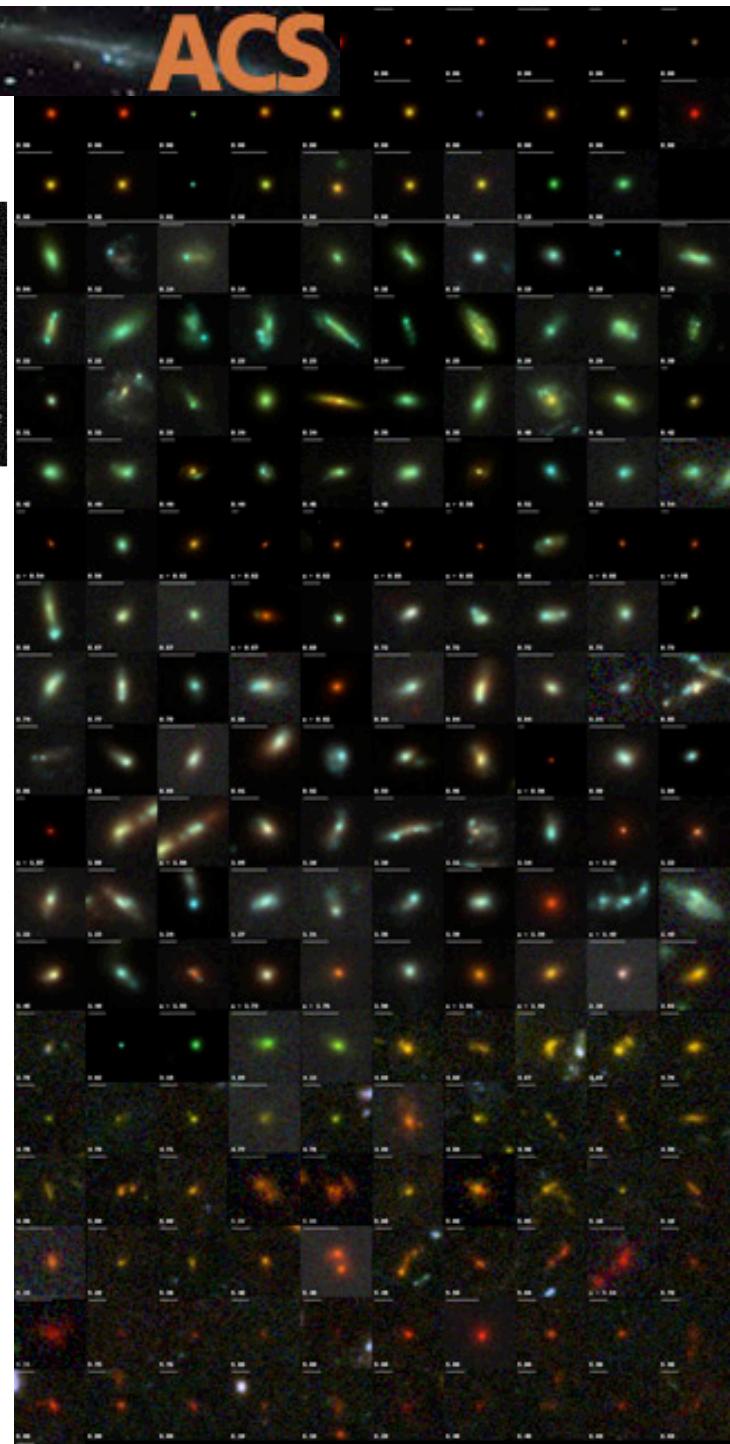
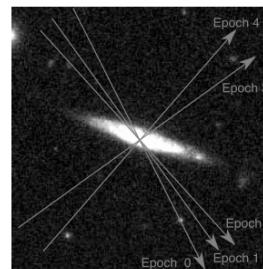
Advanced Camera for Surveys



ACS

GRAPES: ACS Grism on HUDF

- 1 ACS field (11arcmin^2) - 40 orbits (92 ksec) - aiming to get the deepest spectra
- 5 directions
- 5200 galaxies down to $z(\text{AB}) \sim 29$
- 1600 spectra extracted with a significance of 10 down to $z(\text{AB}) \sim 27$

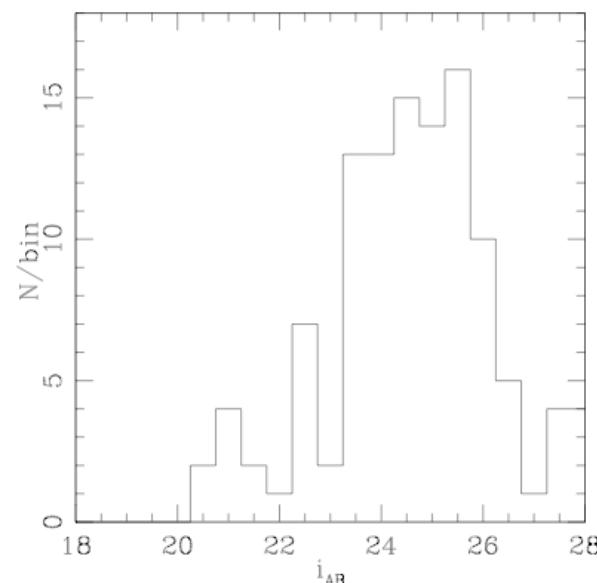


Pirzkal et al 2004

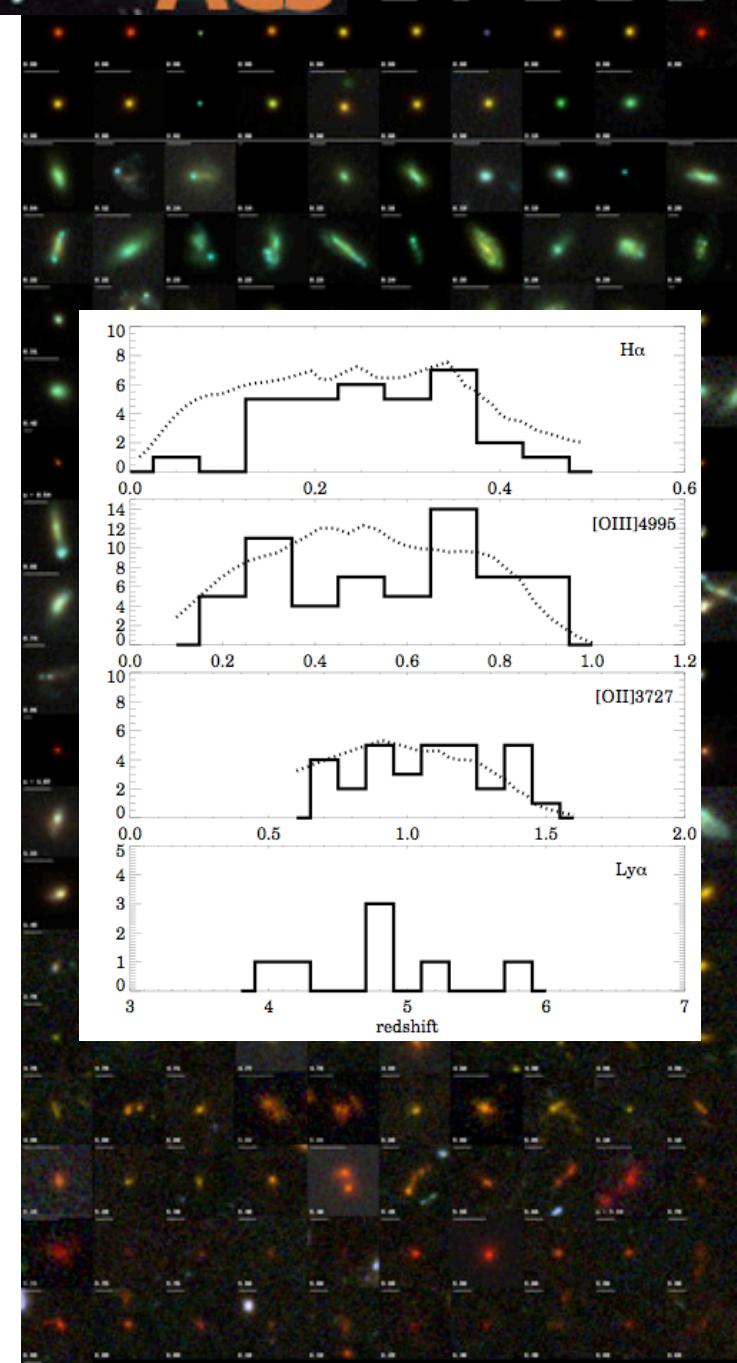


GRAPES: ACS Grism on HUDF

- In the ~90ksec data, 115 line emission objects are identified [~10 per arcmin²]
- this correspond to typically 1 out of 10 galaxies down to iAB=26.5 (*not optimal wavelength range*)
- 40% are fainter than iAB=25 (ground based limit)
- Redshift are based on Halpha, OII, OIII or Ly-alpha



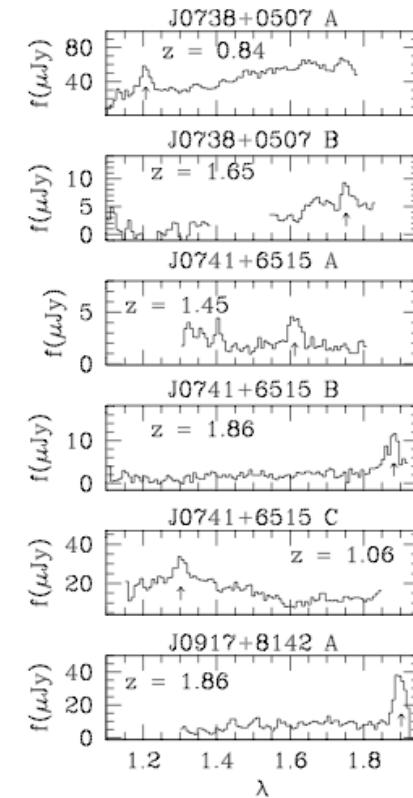
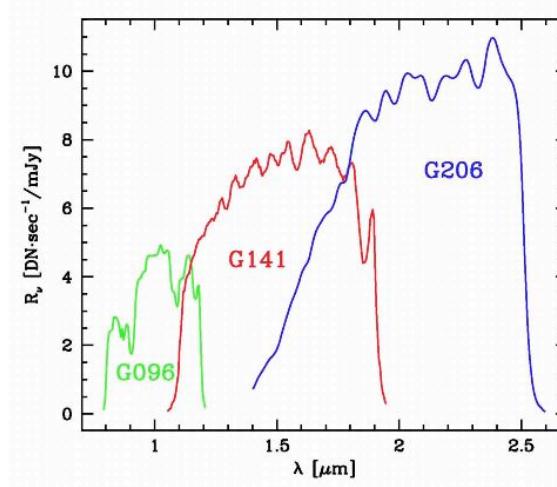
Xu et al 2007





NICMOS

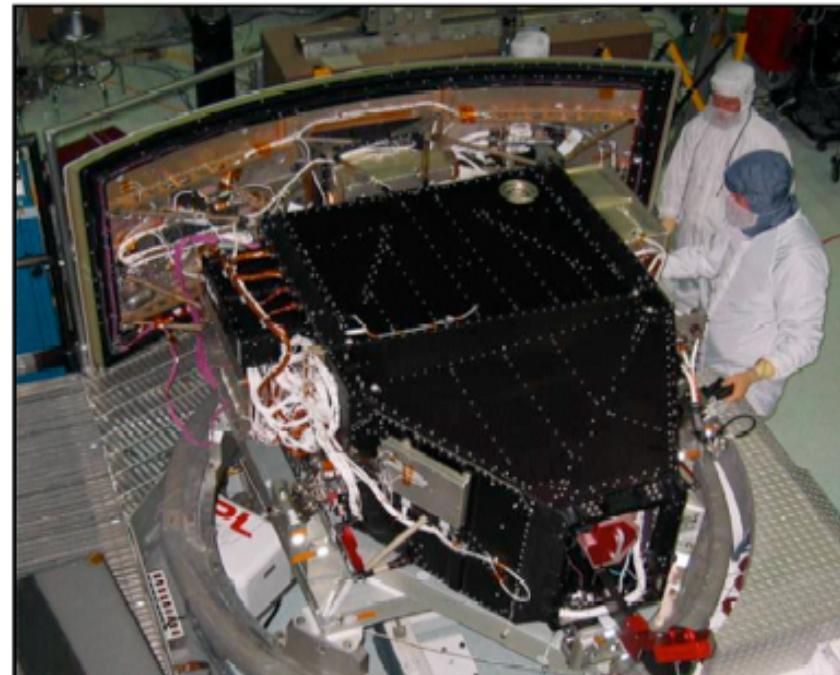
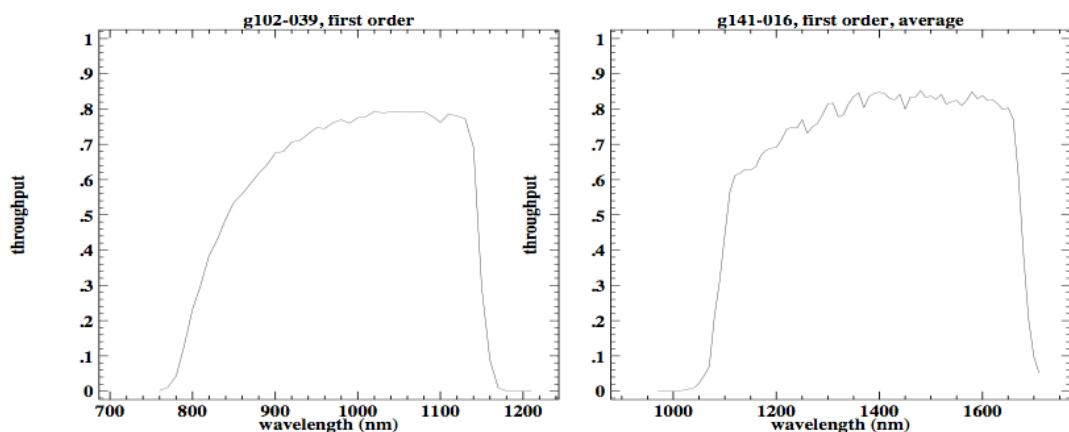
- 50x50 arcsec²
- 3 grisms with resolution of ~100
- G141 covers 1.1 to 1.8 micron, throughput ~12%
- NICMOS grism Parallel (McCarty et al 1999)
 - 64 arcmin²
 - ~1.8ksec exposure
 - 33 ELG mostly Halpha $H_{AB} \sim 22$
 - Density of: 0.5 per arcmin²
- Hubble-Legacy Archive of NICMOS G141 grism in progress



Wide Field Camera 3

WFC3

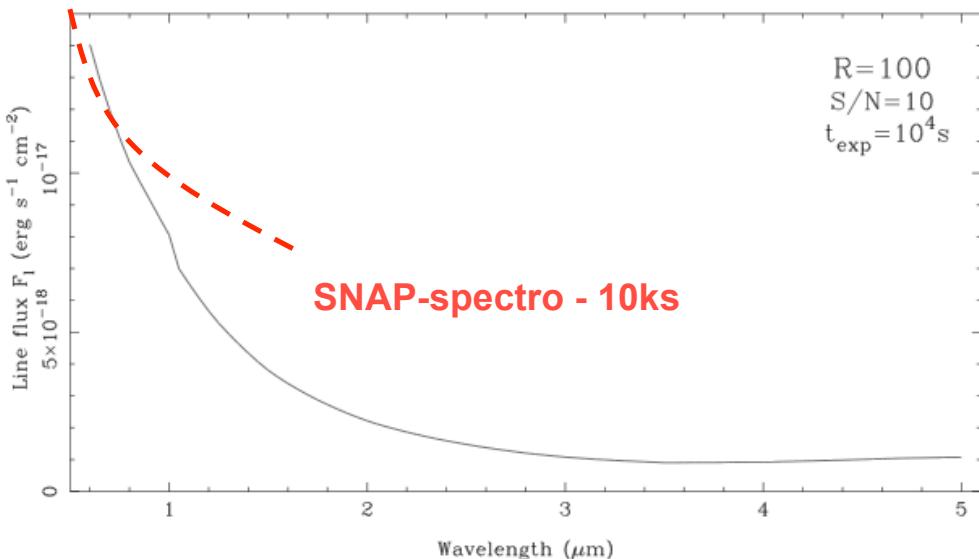
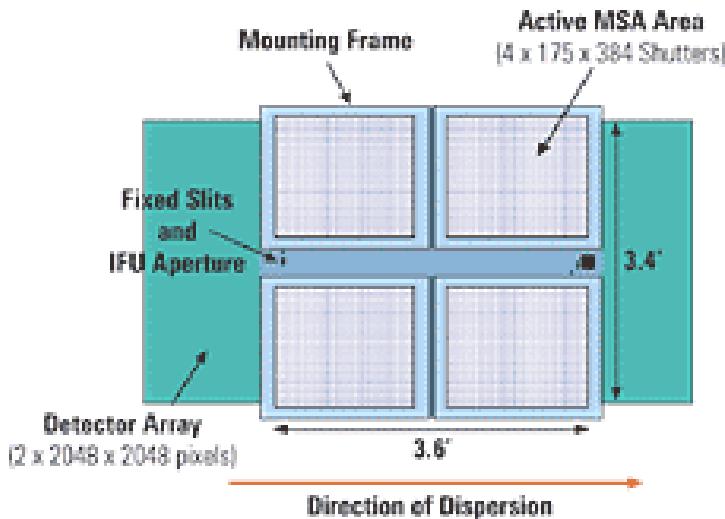
- $2.5 \times 2.5 \text{ arcmin}^2$ in NIR
- 3 grisms
 - 1 UV ($R \sim 70$),
 - 2 NIR: $R \sim 210$: 800-1150nm & $R \sim 130$: 1100-1700nm
- High performance NIR detectors => sensitivity much better than NICMOS
- Throughput $\sim 30\%$
- ~ 30 more efficient than NICMOS grism
- Servicing mission August 2008 !!!

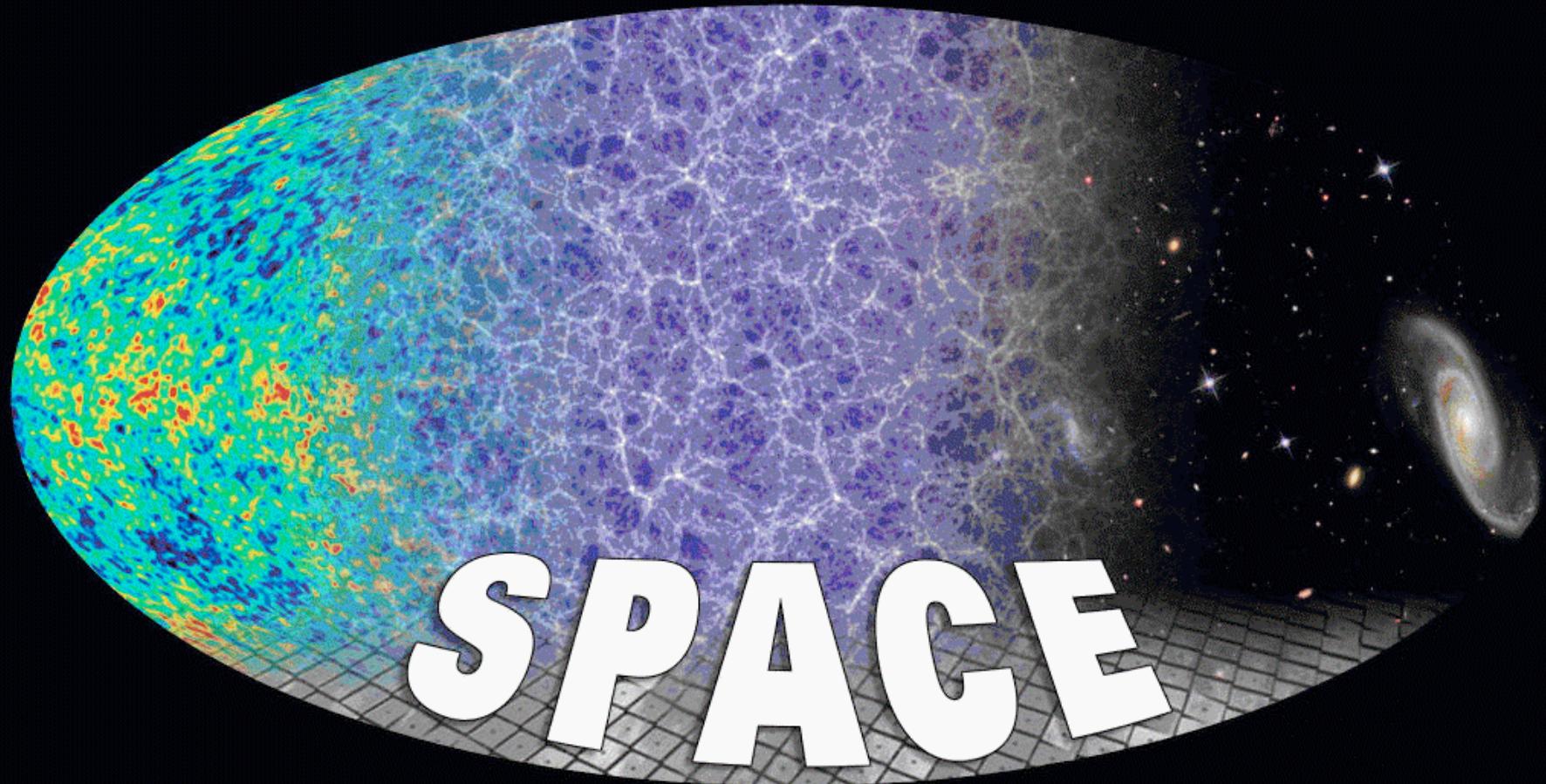




JWST/NIRSPEC

- 6.5m telescope
- NIRSpec design provides 3 modes:
 - R~100 resolving prism mode (0.6 to 5 microns)
 - R~1000 multi-object mode using micro-shutters (100 slits, 3 gratings from 1 to 5 micron)
 - R~2700 integral field unit (slicer) or long-slit spectroscopy mode.
- NIRSPEC field of view will be ~3.4x3.4 arcmin
- Comparison with SNAP spectrograph - note the high efficiency! (NIRSPEC has many mirrors)





SPectroscopic All-sky Cosmic Explorer

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<http://urania.bo.astro.it/cimatti/space/>

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Main Scientific Goal

To address the key questions of cosmology

3D evolutionary map of the Universe during the last 10 Gyr

High accuracy constraints on Dark Energy equation of state (BAO, growth of structure, clusters, SN, ...)

Growth rate of cosmic structures

Accurate P(k) and its turnover (complementary to CMB)

Formation and co-evolution of galaxies/AGN in all environments

The end of Dark Ages : *luminous* galaxies and QSOs up to $z \approx 10+$
(complementary to JWST)

Requirements for a 3D (spectro)mapping mission for Cosmology

*Need to improve in survey size and depth compared to SDSS and other planned/foreseen spectroscopic projects (BOSS, WFMOS, etc ...).
HOW?*

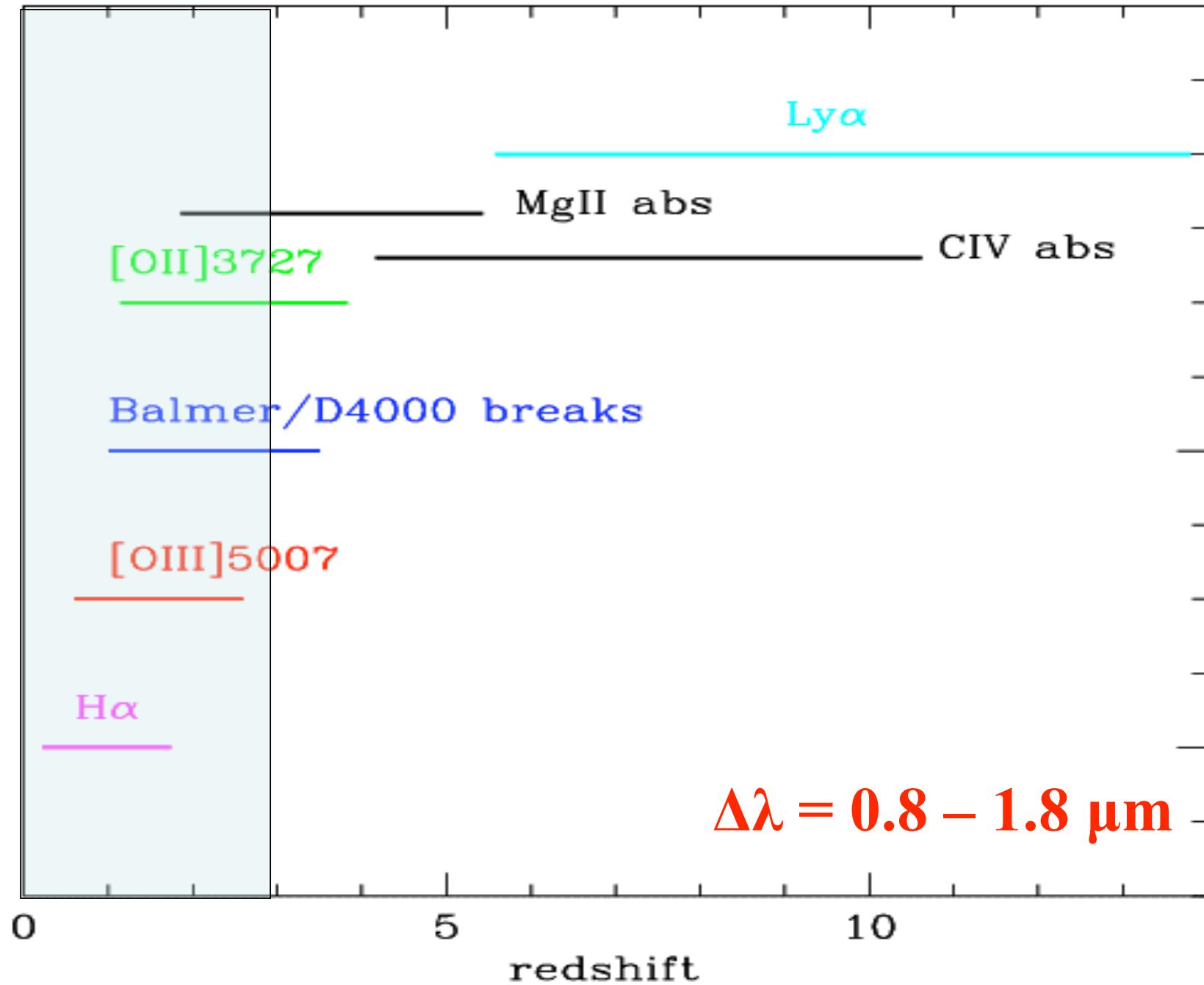
Observation of a huge volume of the Universe
($>>10^6$ spectra; $> 10,000 \text{ deg}^2$, $0 < z < 3$)

Spectroscopic accuracy (not only redshift, but line width, and line ratios ...) [better than photometric redshift]

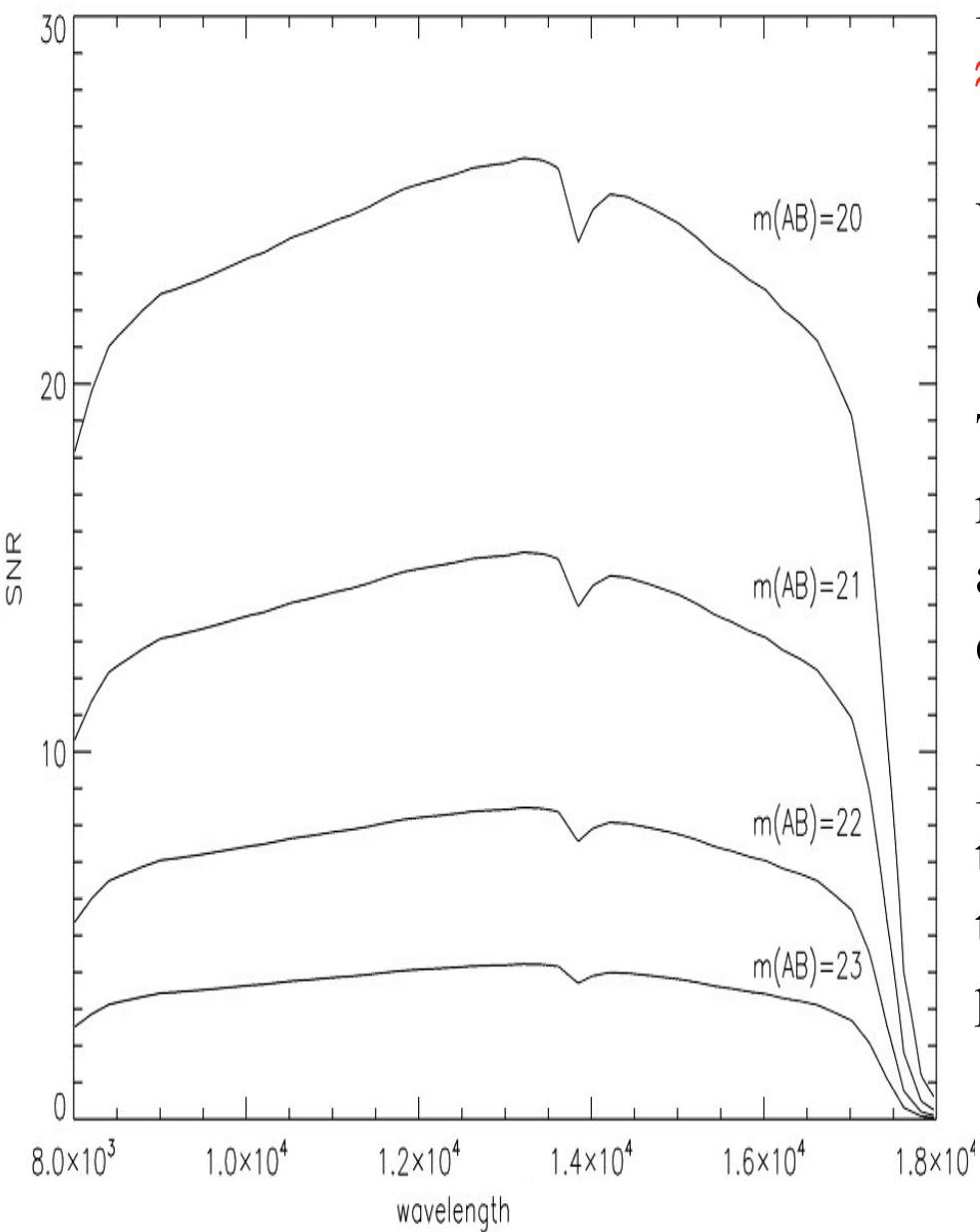
- Wide-field, high “multiplexing”, high survey speed
- High sensitivity : slit spectroscopy (more sensitive than slitless)

A space-based mission in the near-infrared

- Sample selected in the near-IR to $m_{AB} \approx 23$: $0 < z < 3$, weak k-corrections, all galaxy types (including E/S0), stellar mass-selected, less affected by dust extinction
- near-IR Sky background is 500-1000 times lower in space
- No OH emission lines, no telluric absorptions
- Near-IR spectroscopy : rest-frame optical strongest features visible at all redshifts, E/S0 galaxies, Ly- α up to $z \approx 10^+$
- Moderate spectral resolution (spec-z efficiency, aim to resolve H α and [N II])
- SPACE concept: Digital Micro Mirrors (DMDs)



SPACE Sensitivity



Estimated SNR of SPACE spectra in
 $\approx 900\text{s integration and R=400}$.

We used detector parameters typical
of WFC3/IR flight candidates.

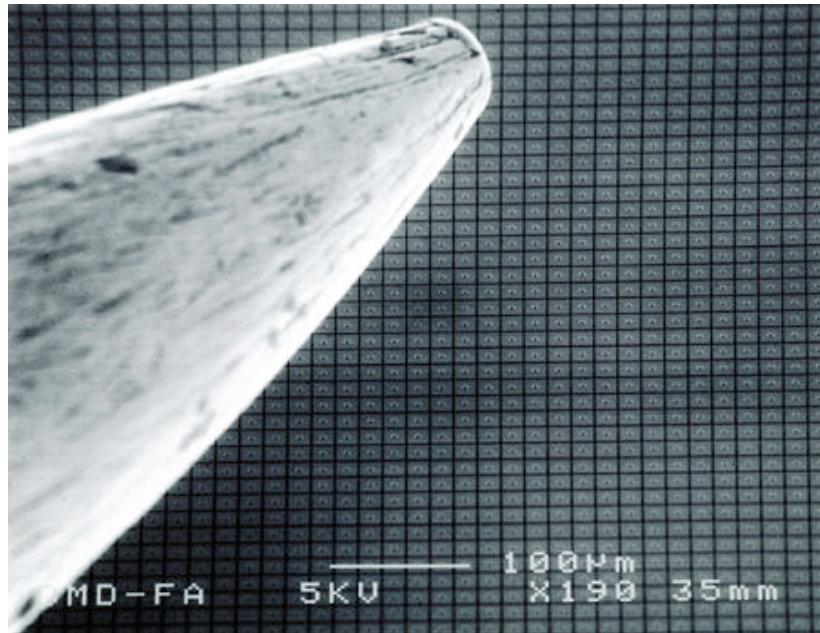
Transmission efficiencies of all
reflective and refractive components
are those of the WFC3/IR optical
coating.

Light losses due to the prism
thickness are included, together with
the most recent zodiacal background
prediction for SNAP (also at L2)

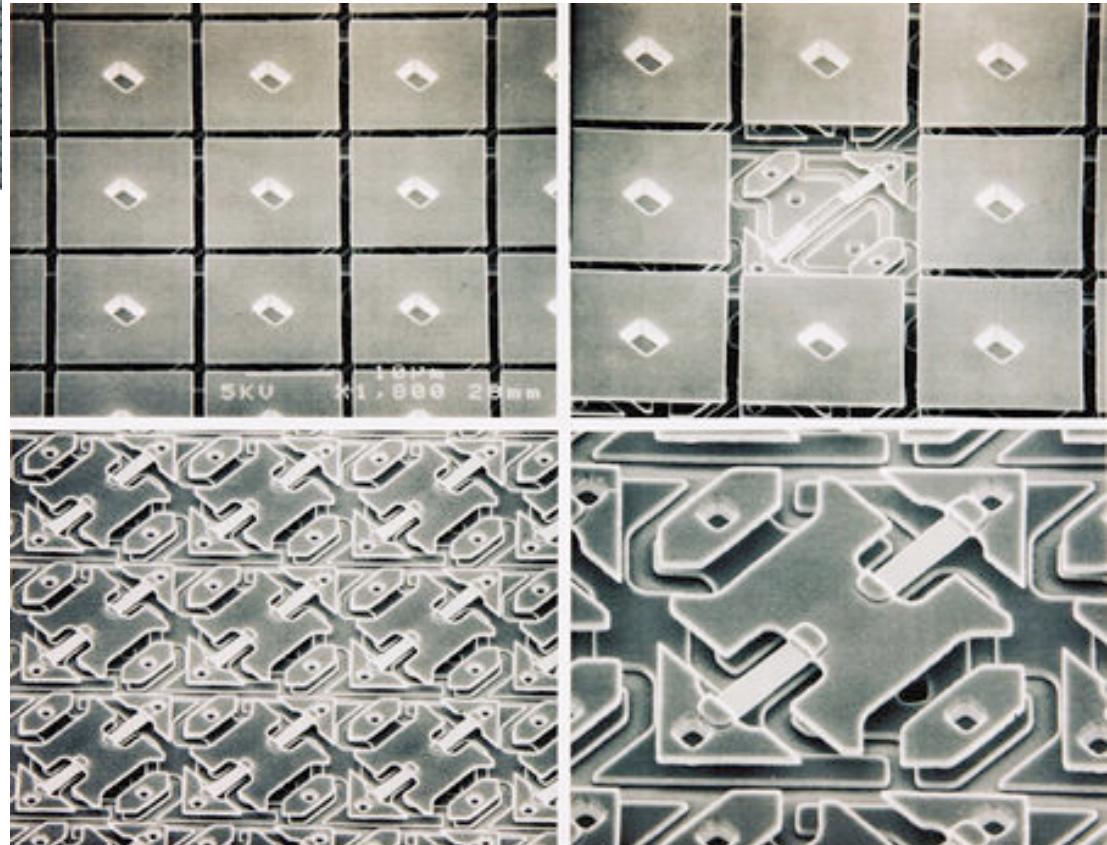
SNR ≈ 3 for AB ≈ 23

Digital Micromirror Devices (DMDs)

- Square mirrors, $14 \times 14 \mu\text{m}$
- Up to 2048×1080 elements
- Tilt angle $\pm 12^\circ$



Transit time: $20\mu\text{s}$
Frequency: $\sim 7\text{KHz}$
Contrast on/off ~ 400 on IRMOS
- 1 hr: 25 million cycles
- 1 month: 1.8 billion cycles
- 10 years: 2.2 trillion cycles

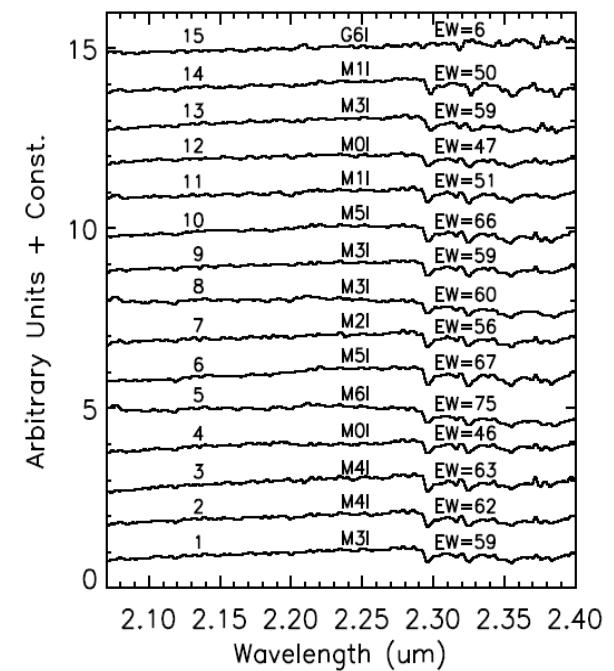
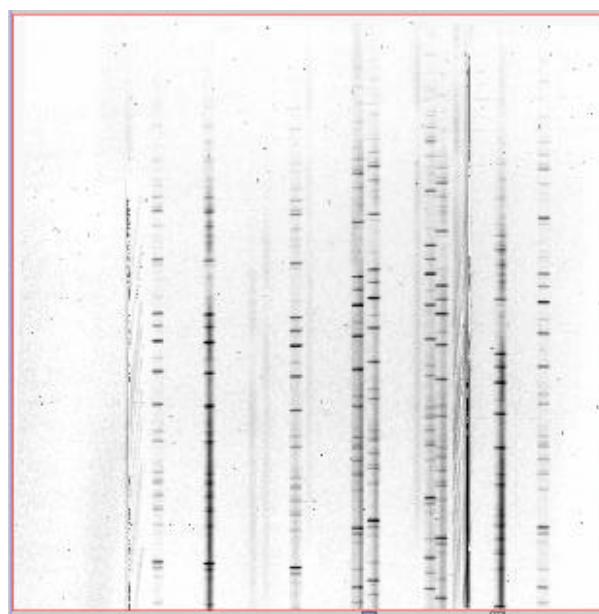
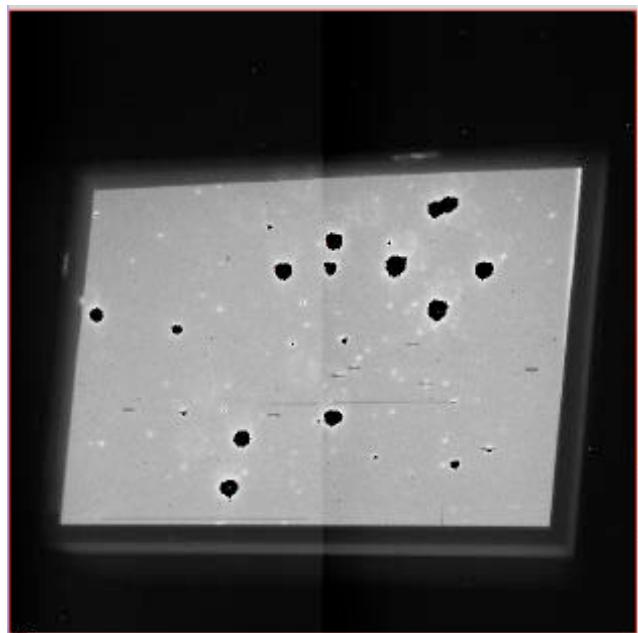
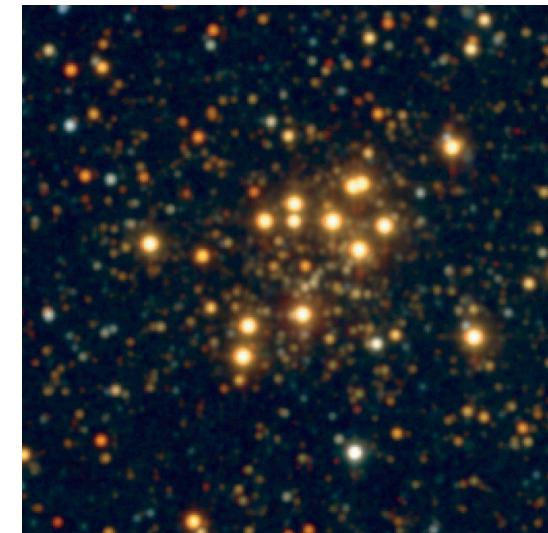
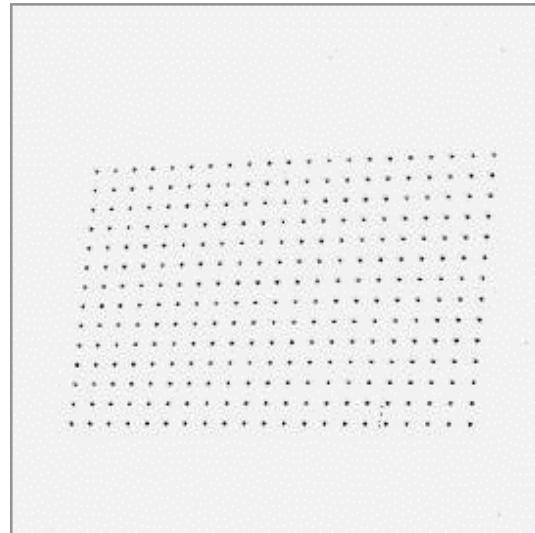


DMDs already work in Astronomy: IRMOS @KPNO

<http://www.noao.edu/kpno/manuals/irmos/>

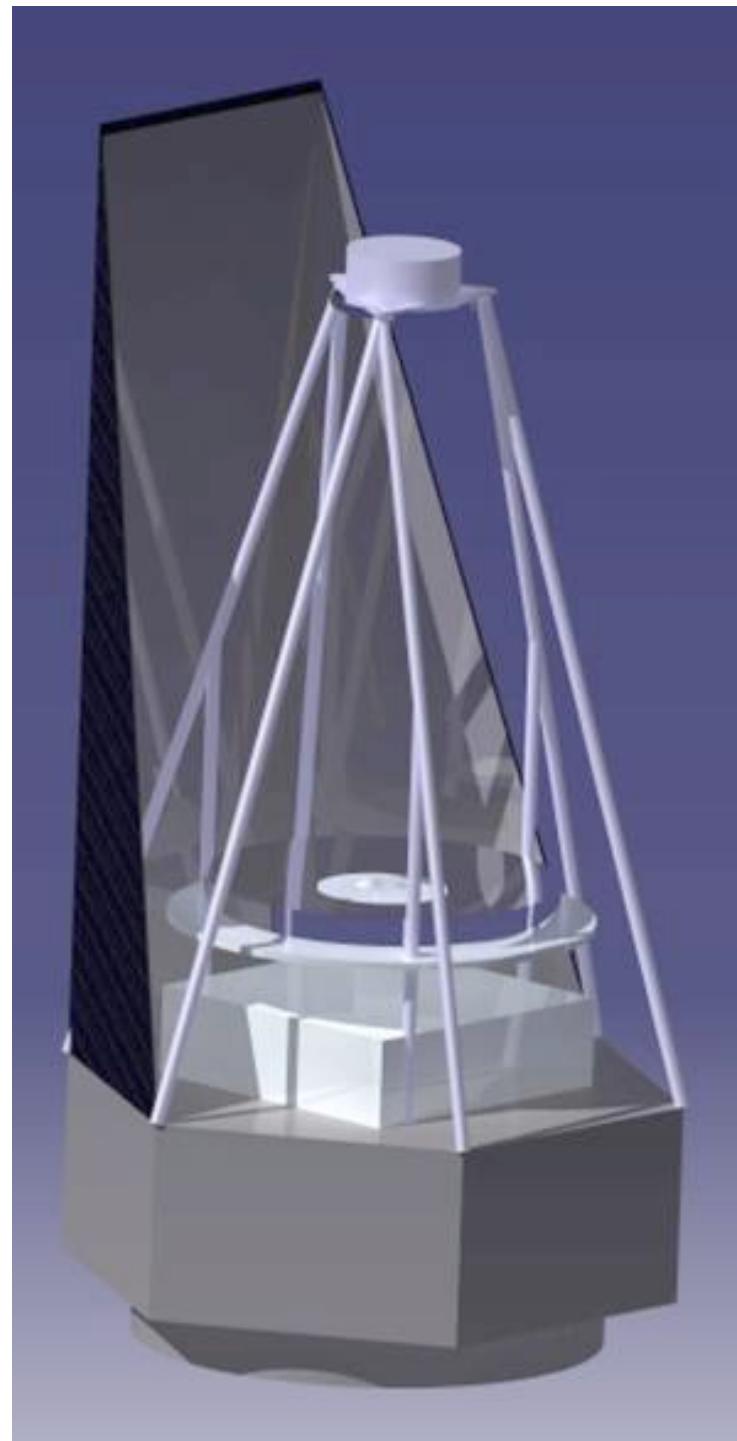


Figure 8: Texas Instruments DMD in test dewar operating at -50C in IRMOS custom socket (without baffle). Note Lakeshore thermal diode mounted at top.



Spectroscopy simulations

- Realistic $N(z)$ and galaxy sky distributions for $H < 23$ ($\approx 50,000$ gal deg $^{-2}$)
- VVDS/zCOSMOS software (Bottini et al. 2005, PASP, 117, 996)
- Spectra are not allowed to overlap in wavelength by the software
- Spectra are separated by 2 pixels in spatial direction
- Best compromise for the instrumental parameters :
0.375''/pix, 2 pix DMD $^{-1}$ along λ (0.7'' slit width), 15Å/pix,
 $R \approx 400$, spectrum length, width = 670 pixels, 2 pixels
- ≈ 6000 non-overlapping spectra over 51'x27' (0.4 deg 2),
31% random sampling
- 85% – 95 % success rate in redshift measurements



SPACE MISSION SUMMARY

Telescope diameter	1.5m
Optical configuration	<i>Ritchey-Chrétien</i>
Wavelength range	0.8 - 1.8 μm
Optical quality	<i>Diffraction limited $\lambda > 0.65 \mu m$</i>
Pointing stability	<i>0.1" rms/ 30min</i>
Overall mass	<i>1486 kg</i>
Data rate	<i>1.5Mbit/s</i>
Orbit/Launcher	<i>L2/Soyuz</i>
Launch date	<i>Mid 2017</i>
Mission Duration	<i>5 years</i>
Partners	<i>ESA-NASA- European Agencies</i>

SPACE INSTRUMENT CHARACTERISTICS

Total field of view	51' x 27' (0.4 sq. degrees)
Nr. and type of DMDs	4 CINEMA chip (2048x1050)
Total nr. of micromirrors	8.8 million
Mirror field of view	0.75" x 0.75"
Number of spectra	~ 6,000 simultaneous
Detector Pixel size	0.375" x 0.375"
Dispersing element	Prism R~400; 0.8-1.8 μm
Imaging filters	z, J, H, narrow band
Detector	HgCdTe 0.4-1.8μm, 2k x 2k, QE >75% average
Nr. of detectors	16 (4 mosaics of 2x2 chips)
Detector Temperature	~145 K
Spectroscopy sensitivity	SNR ≈ 3 for AB ≈ 23 with t ≈ 900 s
Readout noise	5e-/multiple read
Observing modes	Broad- and narrow-band imaging, multi-slit spectroscopy

SPACE survey programs

“*All-sky*” near-infrared **imaging & spectroscopic** survey of $\frac{3}{4}$ of the sky ($3\pi \text{ sr}$). Sample selected in *H*-band ($\text{AB} < 23.0$). Random sampling rate of 1/3 → \approx Half-billion galaxies at $0 < z < 3$ with spectroscopic redshifts, AND quasars **up to $z \approx 12$**

Deep near-infrared imaging and spectroscopy of **10 deg²** down to $H(\text{AB}) < 25$. About 2 million galaxies and AGN at $2 < z < 10$. (90% random sampling rate) + **Type Ia Supernovae to $z \approx 2$.**

Galactic plane survey

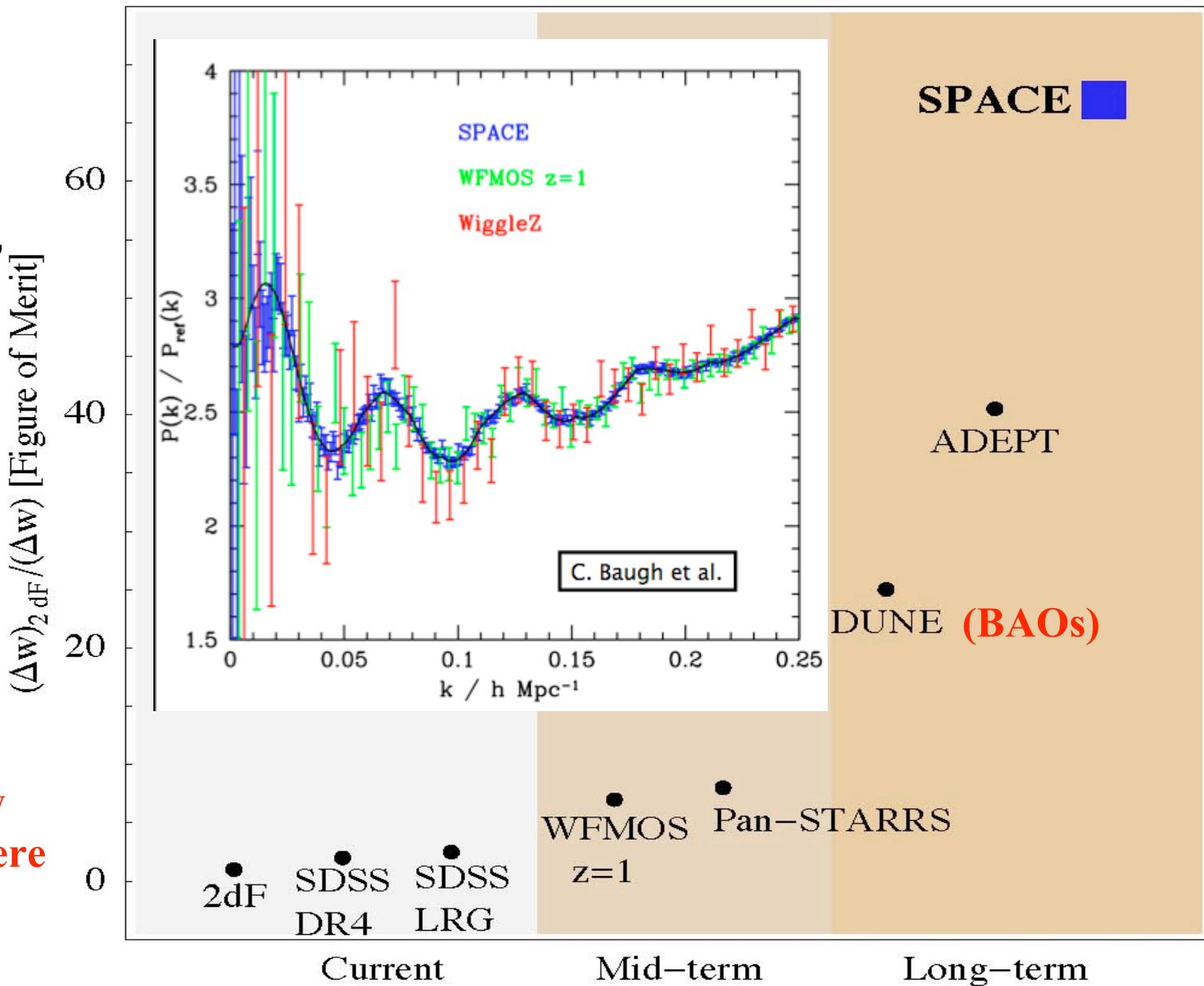
Open time for Guest Observer programs

BAO performance for constant w

SPACE BAO alone is a Stage IV project ($>10x$ improvement), even when survey is restricted to $H=22$ and $20,000 \text{ deg}^2$

Y. Wang et al.

Constant w assumed here
 $(w_a = 0)$
→ $\Delta w = \Delta w_0$

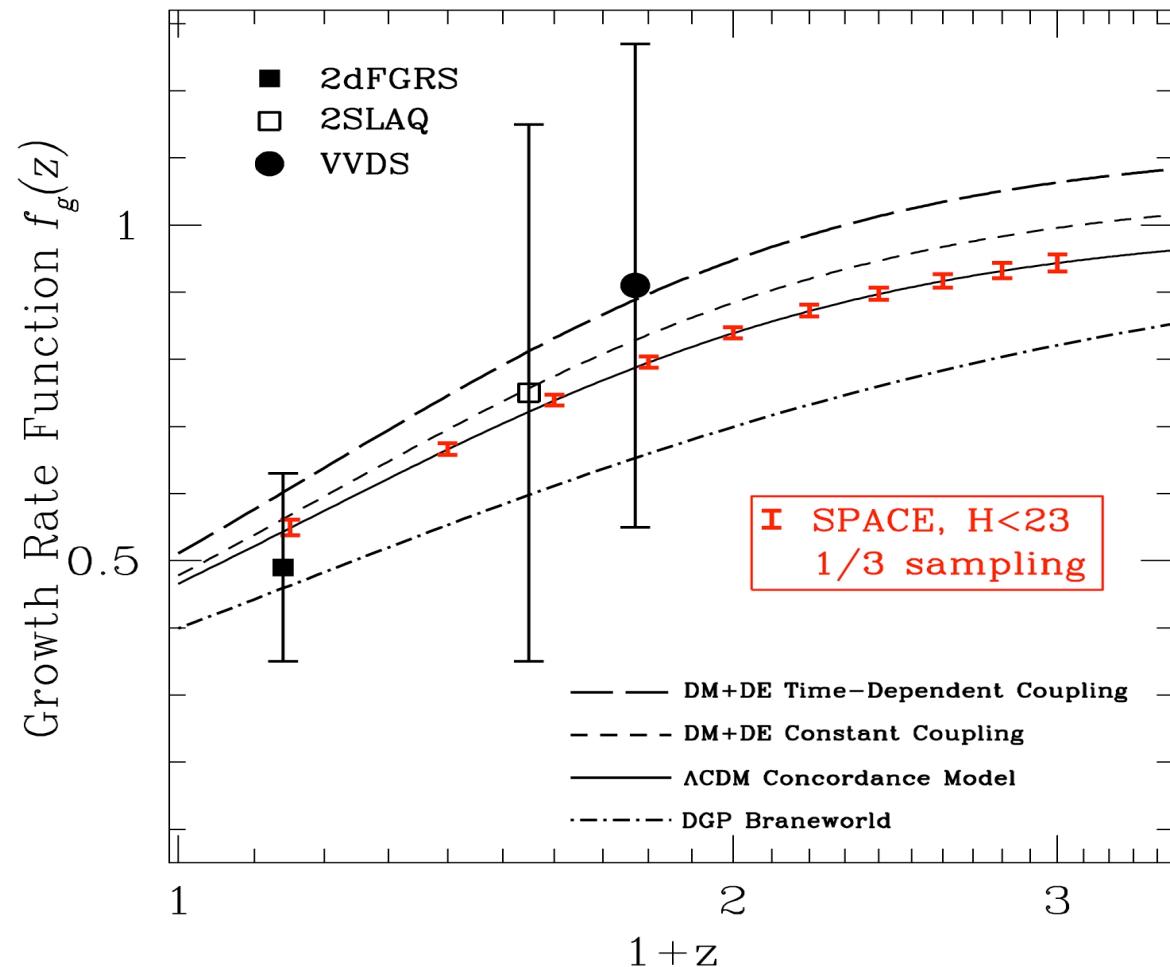


SPACE and the growth factor

- ~50 million galaxies per bin
- Accuracy <3% in each bin
- bias factor from CMB and/or higher-order clustering (unprecedented statistics)
- Growth rate from different classes of objects (LRG, groups, clusters?)

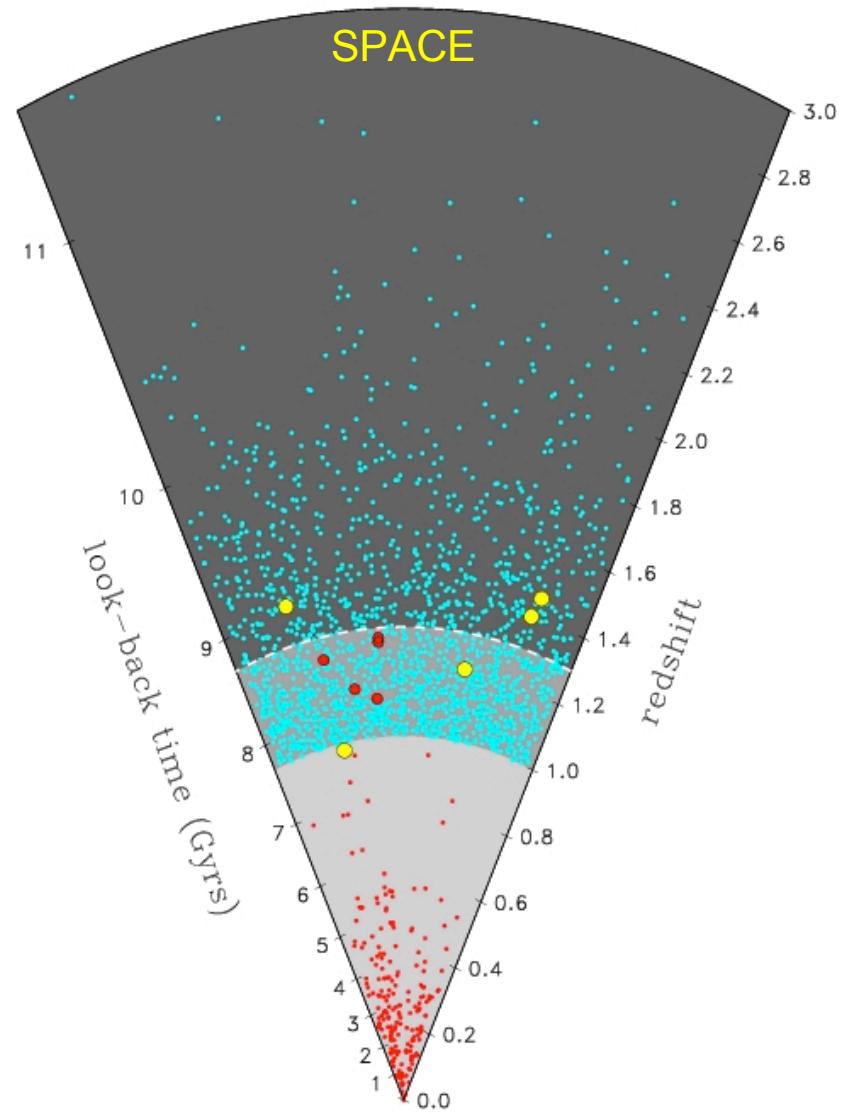
Guzzo et al. 2008
Nature (VVDS result)

$$f_g(z) = [\Omega_m(z)]^\gamma$$

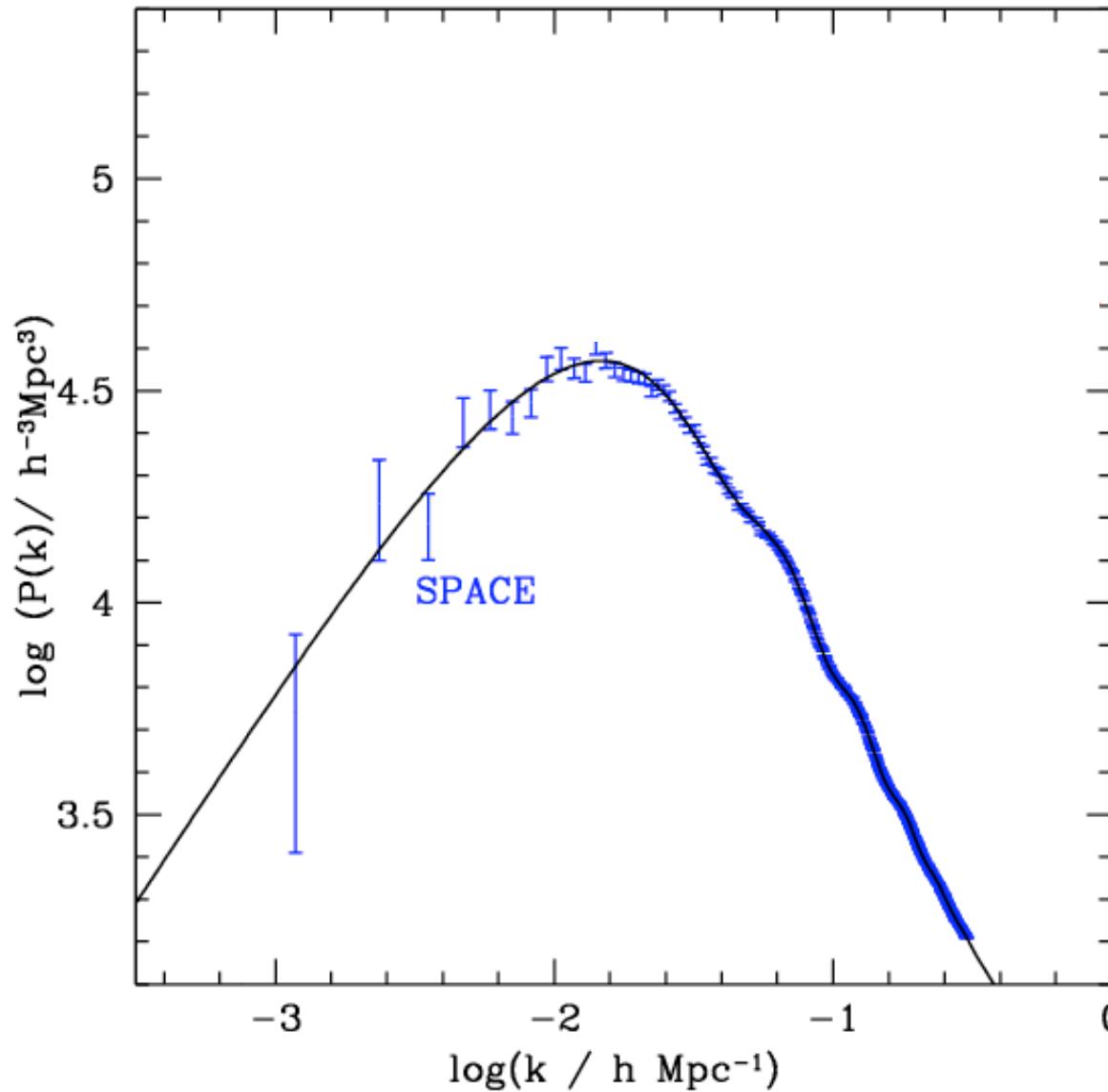


Galaxy Clusters

- *SPACE* will provide spectroscopic confirmation for all clusters detected in the next generation SZ, X-ray large area surveys (SPT, eROSITA)
- **Near-IR selection:** *SPACE* alone will identify 10^5 clusters directly in 3D, and will provide *mass calibration* for complementary cluster surveys
 - This will make next generation cluster surveys tools of precision cosmology
- *SPACE* will unveil the first bona fide structures virializing at $z \approx 2$
- **Expected counts (H<23):**
10-20 cluster/deg²,
40-50% at $z > 1$ ~5% at $z > 2$
- Detection of all clusters at $M > 10^{14} M_{\odot}$ at $z > 1$ which carry a strong leverage on cosmology
- $P(k)$ of clusters



SPACE and $P(k)$



Spectrum of CMB temperature fluctuations C_ℓ and matter $P(k)$ subject to different parameter degeneracies ($\Omega_m h^2$ and $\Omega_m h$)

Combination of CMB (Planck) and $P(k)$ (SPACE):
→ break degeneracies

P(k) turnover :

- direct probe of primordial fluctuations
- position and shape depend on matter density, baryonic and neutrino fractions
- slope at $k < k_{\text{turnover}}$ constrains models of inflation

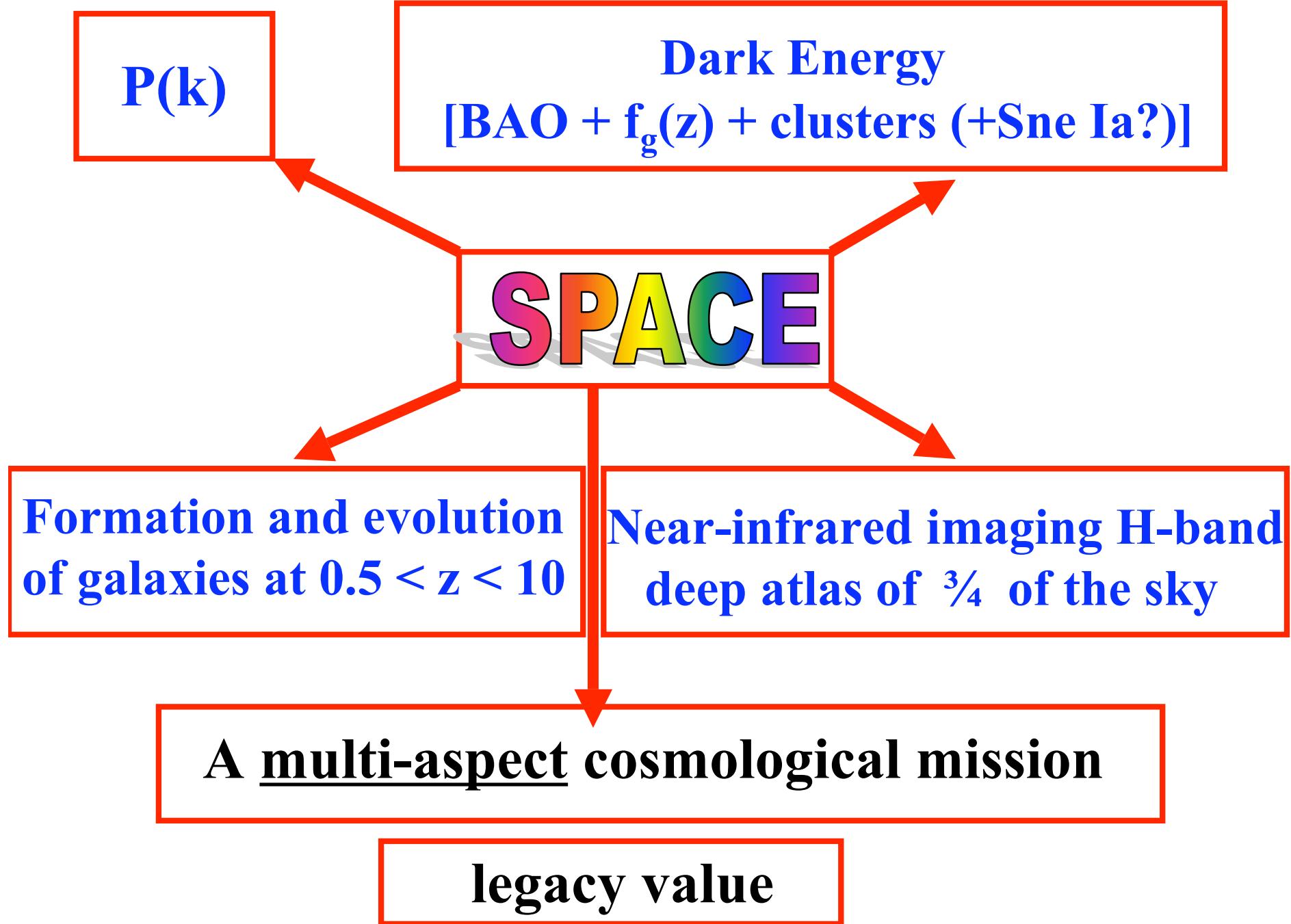
***SPACE* and galaxy evolution (with spectroscopic redshift and spectra !)**

SPACE All-Sky Survey :

- Co-evolution of galaxies and AGN at $0 < z < 2$
- Rare QSOs at $7 < z < 10+$

SPACE Deep Field (10 deg² to H<25) :

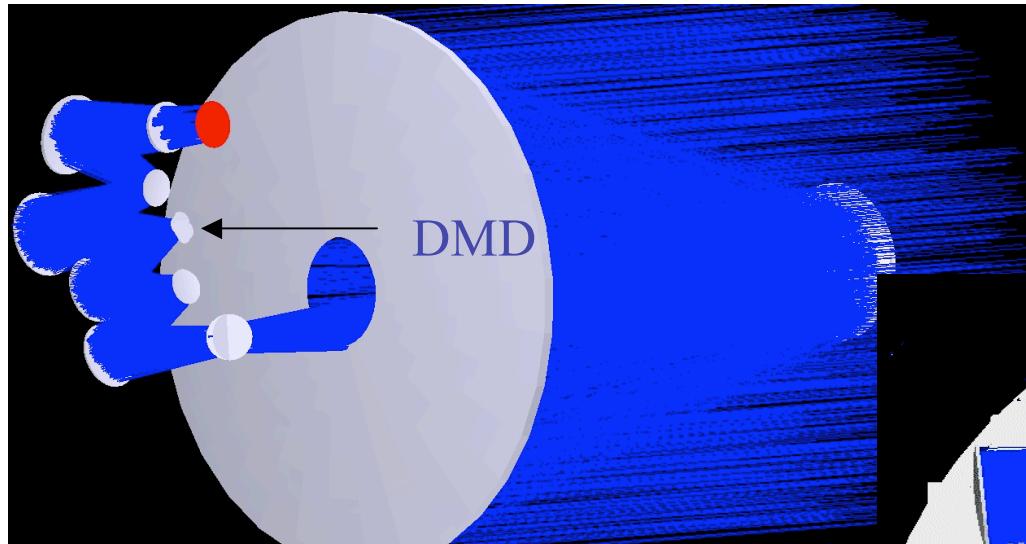
- Co-evolution of galaxies and AGN at $2 < z < 7+$
- z,J,H color-selected galaxies at $7 < z < 10$ to $H < 26$ ($N > 1000$)
- Narrow-band imaging : Ly α emitters at $z > 7$ with very faint continuum ($N > 1000$), luminous Pop III objects (HeII-1640)
- Spectroscopic follow-up of Type Ia SNe



E-DEM-CAT Boundary Conditions

- M-Class, **ESA cost cap = 300 M€**
- Science case: Dark Energy/Cosmology: Weak-Lensing + BAO spectroscopy + others (SN, Clusters ...)
- Mission duration: ideal = 4 years, maximum = 5 years
- Telescope : 1.2m diameter (smaller than SPACE: 1.5m)
- *IR focal plane* : minimize the number of arrays (e.g. 60 for DUNE)
- *Spectroscopy* : reduce the 4-channel of SPACE to 1-channel ?
- Metric: DETF FOM metric adopted (DUNE and SPACE had different metric in their proposals) in order to optimize the DEM mission concept

Merged optical concept with 4 spectrograph



Layout of the 4
spectrographs
(LAM design)

Grange et al (LAM)

Based on the DUNE design
0.1 deg² per channel for the
spectrograph

