

# Ionized gas kinematics in local active galaxies: a comprehensive view of inflows and outflows.

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# Introduction

- Radial motions of the gas are fundamental to our understanding of the AGN phenomenon and for the proposed co-evolution of the SMBH and the bulge of the host galaxy.
- The most powerful outflows are simply too far away to be spatially resolved.
- In order to better constrain large scale outflows we are studying a sample of local AGN (Seyferts) with spatially resolved optical spectroscopy.

# The sample

- AGNs (Seyferts) from the Swift/BAT 60 month catalogue limited to observability by GMOS.
- $z < 0.06$
- $L_{2-10\text{keV}} < 10^{44} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$

Some of these galaxies have results individually published by the group: NGC 1365, NGC 1386, NGC 1667, NGC 2110, NGC 3081, NGC 7213 (Lena+2016, 2015; Schnörr-Müller+2017, 2014, 2016, 2014)

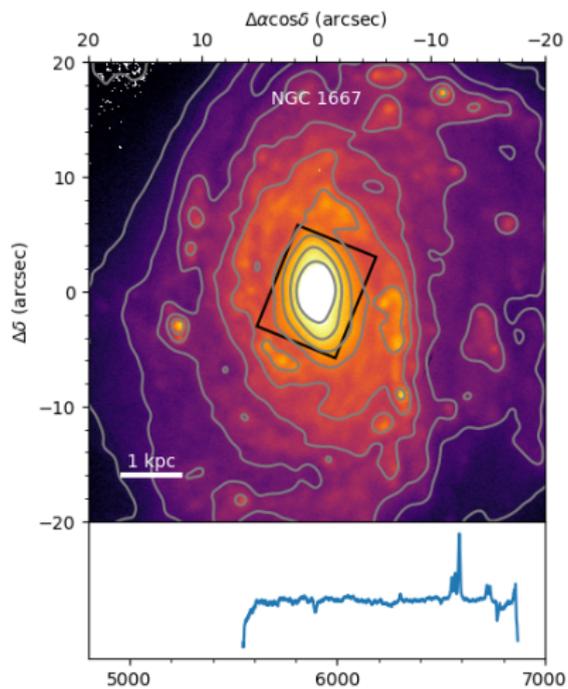
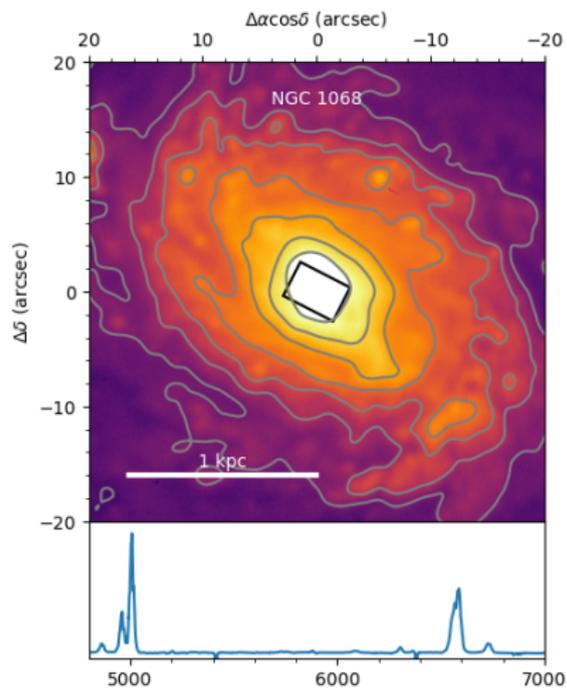
# Observations

- Data acquired with Gemini's GMOS (N & S)



- Optical IFU
  - $R \sim 2000 \rightarrow 50 \text{ km/s}$
  - Spectral coverage roughly  $4800\text{\AA} < \lambda < 7200\text{\AA}$
  - Seeing limited resolution, with a  $0.2''$  sampling.
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- Data reduction was carried out by fully automated pipeline based on Gemini's IRAF routines.

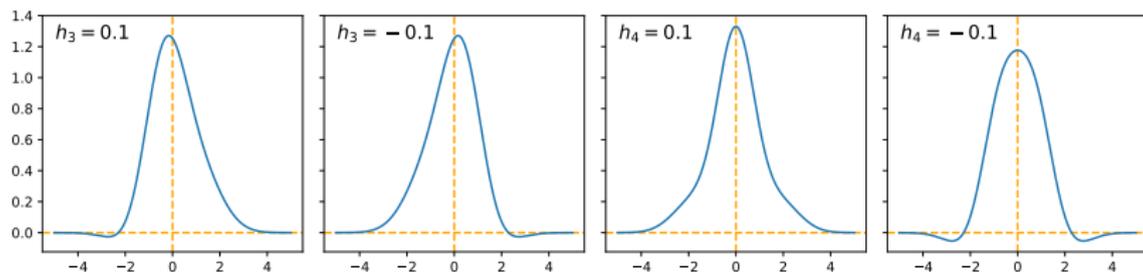
# FOV and spectra



# Modeling emission lines

## Gauss-Hermite polynomials

$$f(\lambda) = \frac{A}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(-\frac{(\lambda - \lambda_0)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \times \left\{ \frac{h_3}{\sqrt{6\pi}} \left[ 2\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\sigma}\right)^3 - 3\sqrt{2} \left(\frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\sigma}\right) \right] + \frac{h_4}{\sqrt{24}} \left[ 4 \left(\frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\sigma}\right)^4 - 12 \left(\frac{\lambda - \lambda_0}{\sigma}\right)^2 + 3 \right] \right\}$$

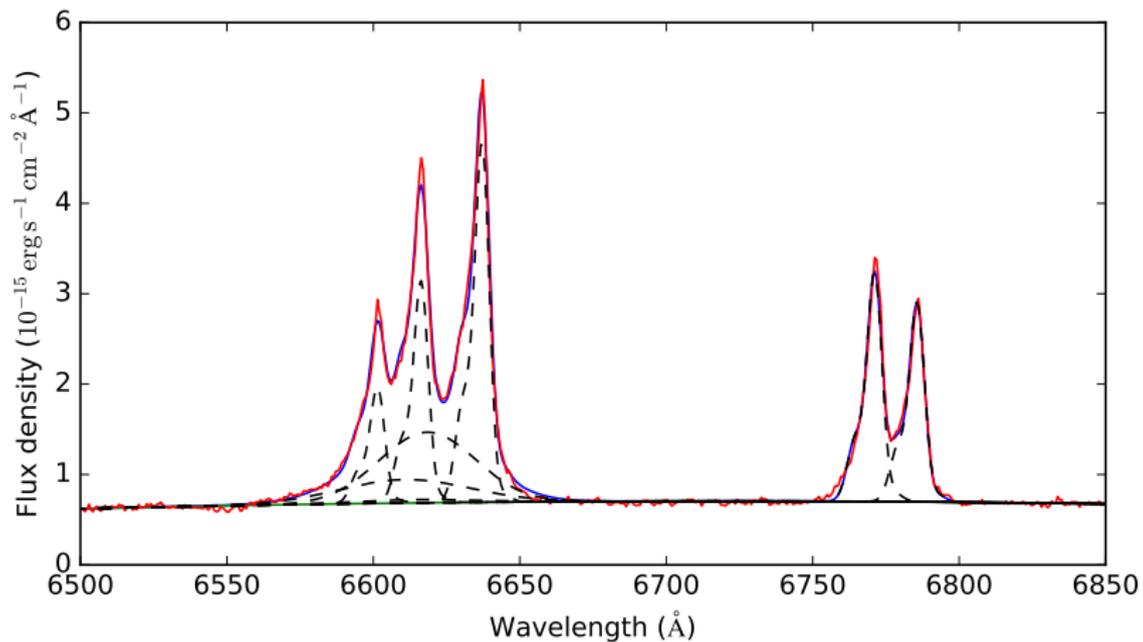


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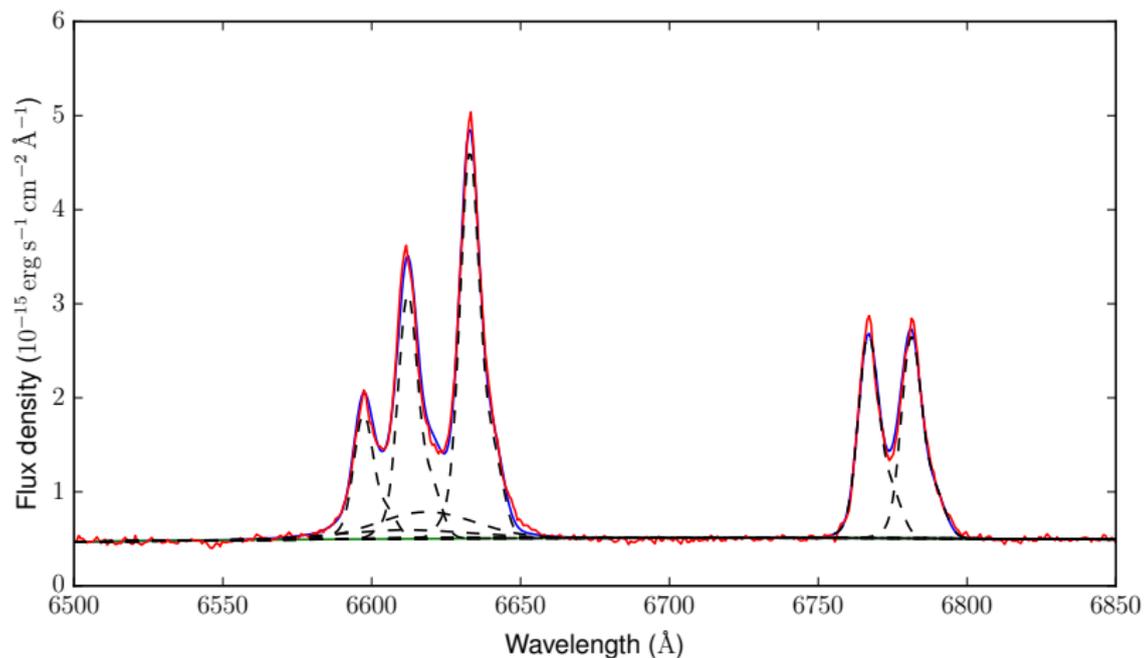
- The broad component profile of Sy1's is fitted only once, and only the total flux is subject to fitting in each spaxel.
- IFS line fitting code available at <https://bitbucket.org/danielrd6/ifscube>. Contributions are welcome!



# Modeling examples

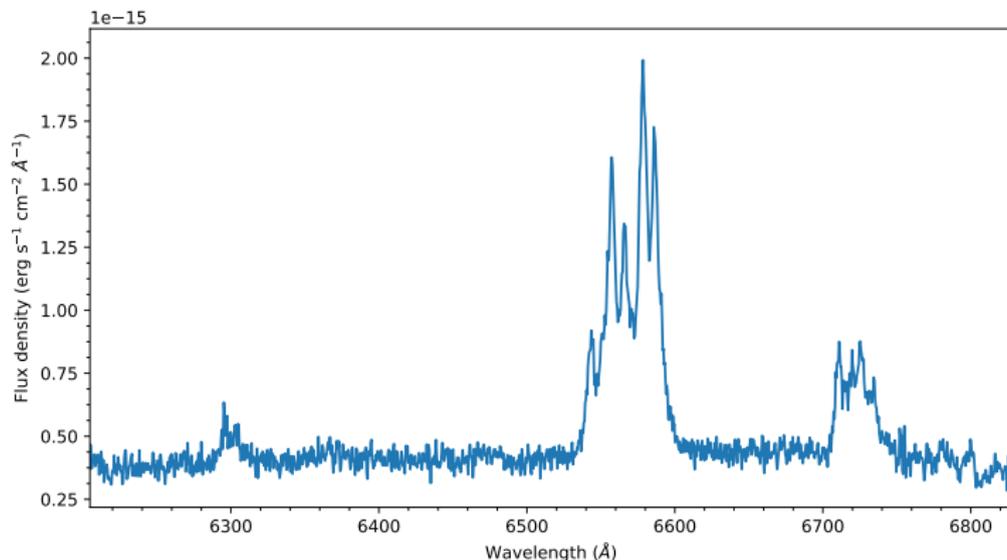


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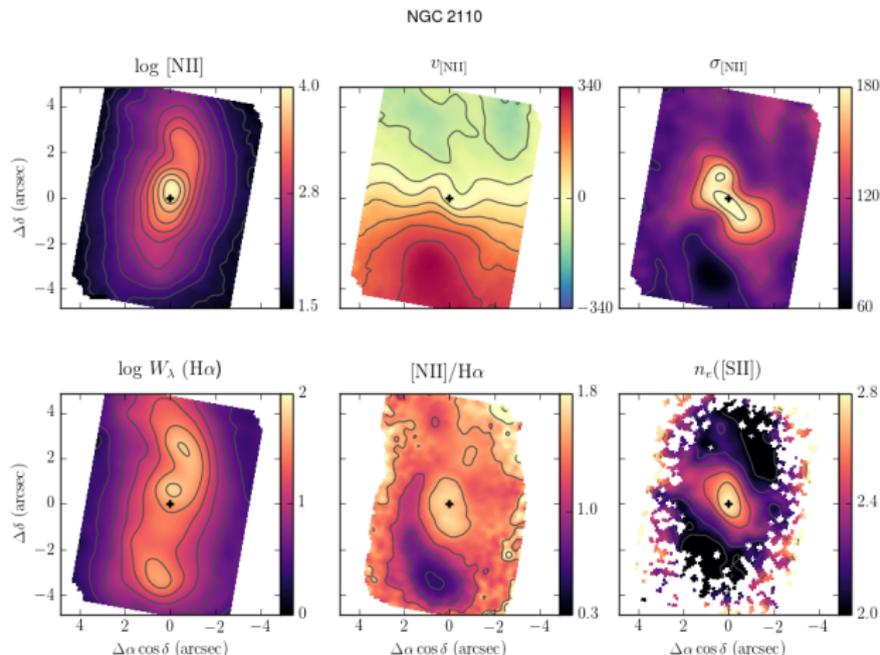


# Model limitations

- Not all galaxies can be modeled with such a simple model.
- Spectroscopically resolved components have to be modeled separately.
- NGC 1068 and NGC 5728 temporarily left out.



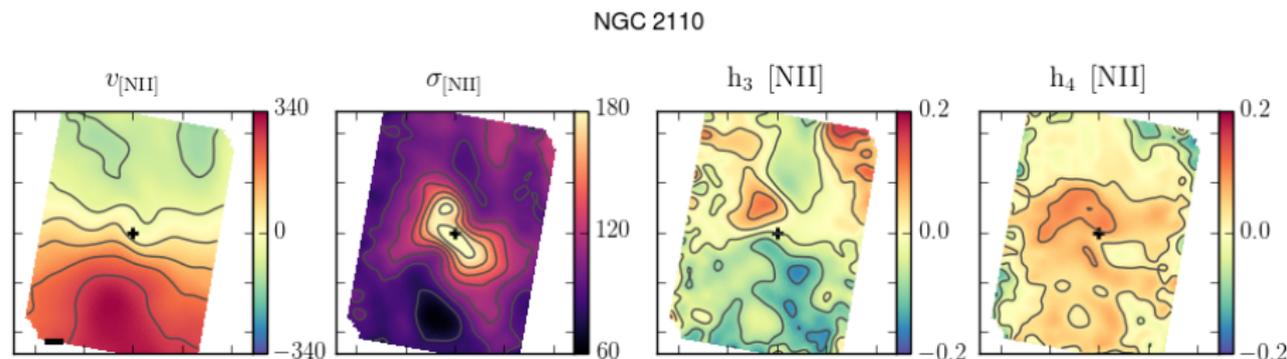
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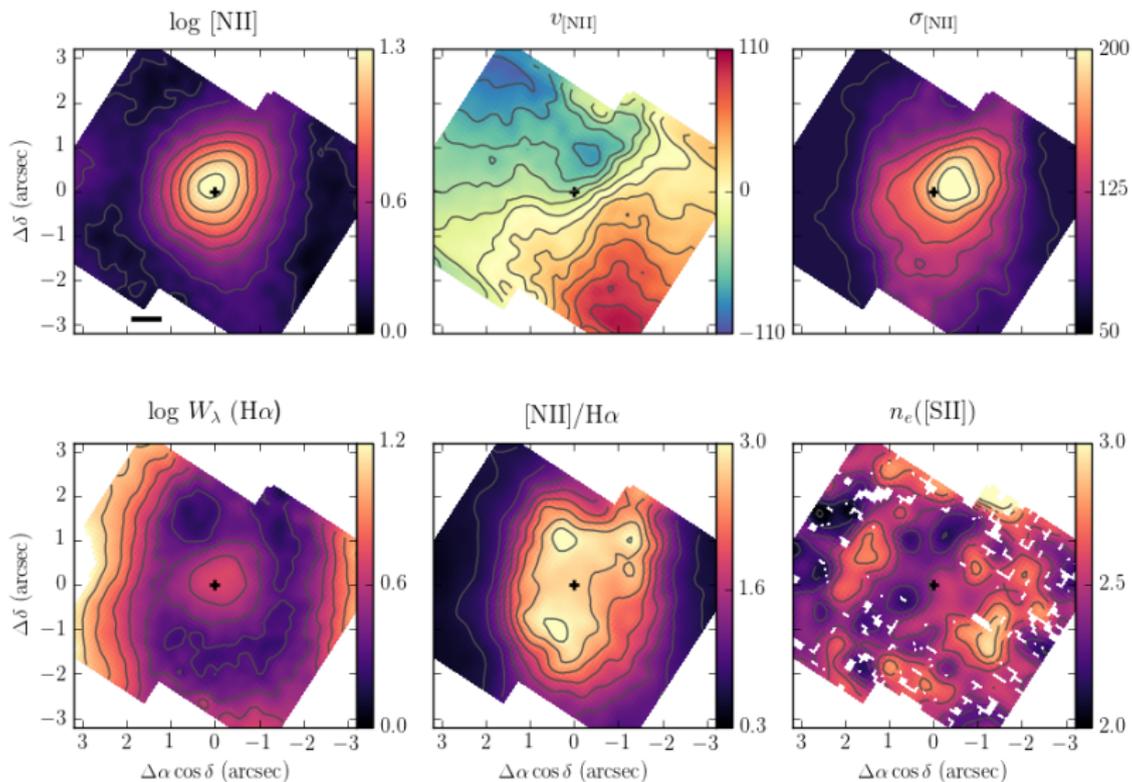
Units: velocities in km/s, fluxes in  $10^{-15} \text{ erg s}^{-1}$  and equivalent width in  $\text{\AA}$

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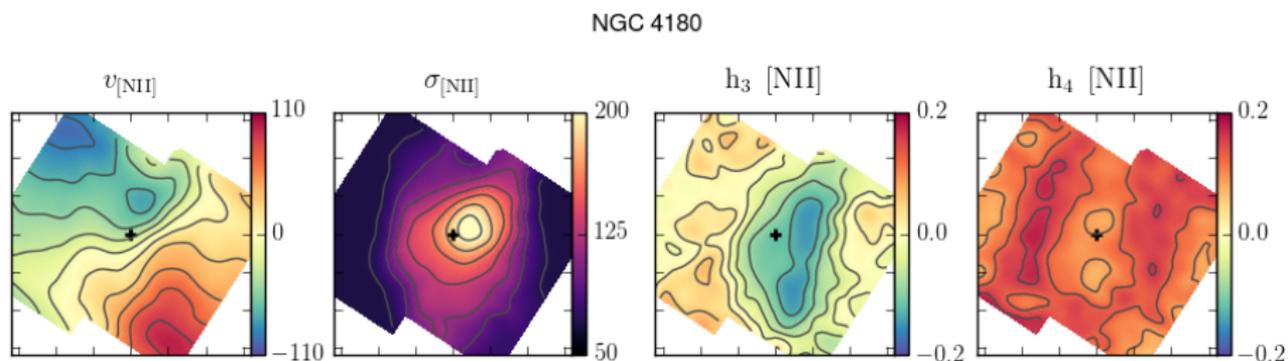
- The  $h_3$  coefficient reveals the presence of a component lagging behind the disk rotation. (8/19 galaxies)
- Positive values of  $h_4$  indicate two components of similar  $\sigma$  instead of one broad and one narrow component.



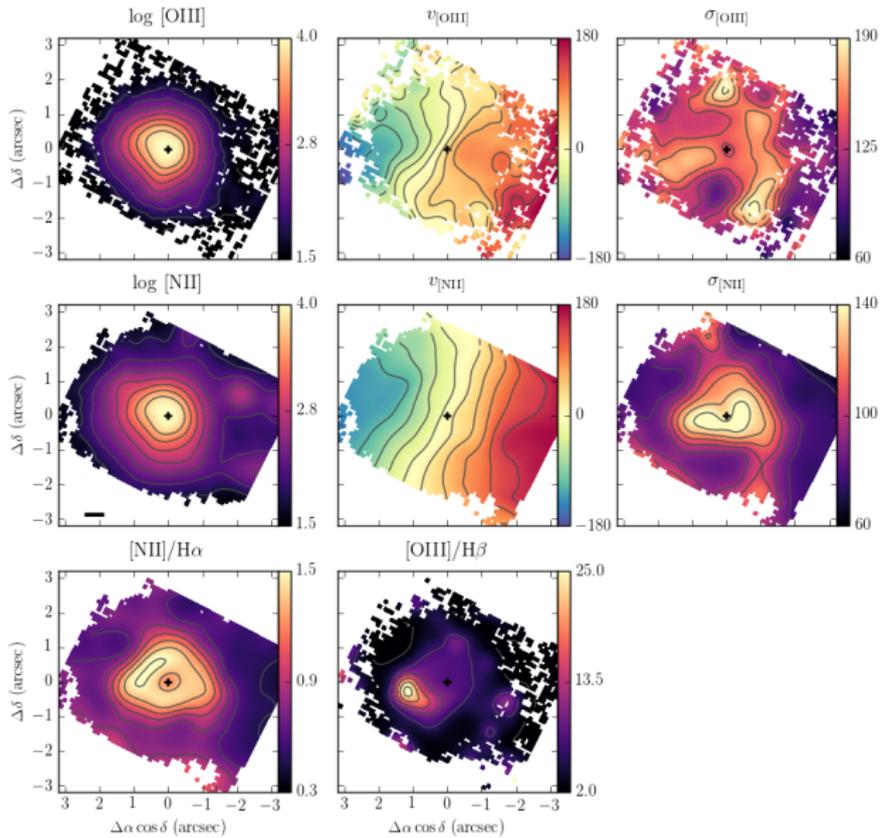
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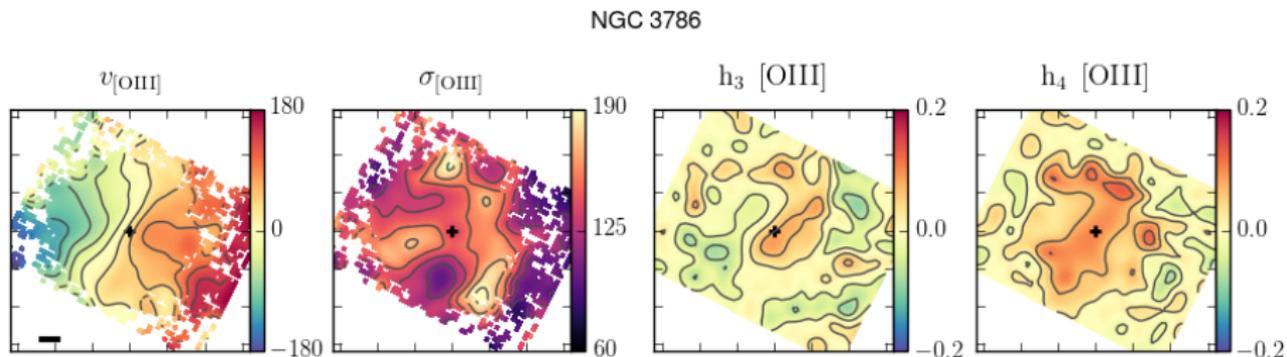
- In 5/19 galaxies the assymetry in line profiles is not co-planar with the disk rotation.



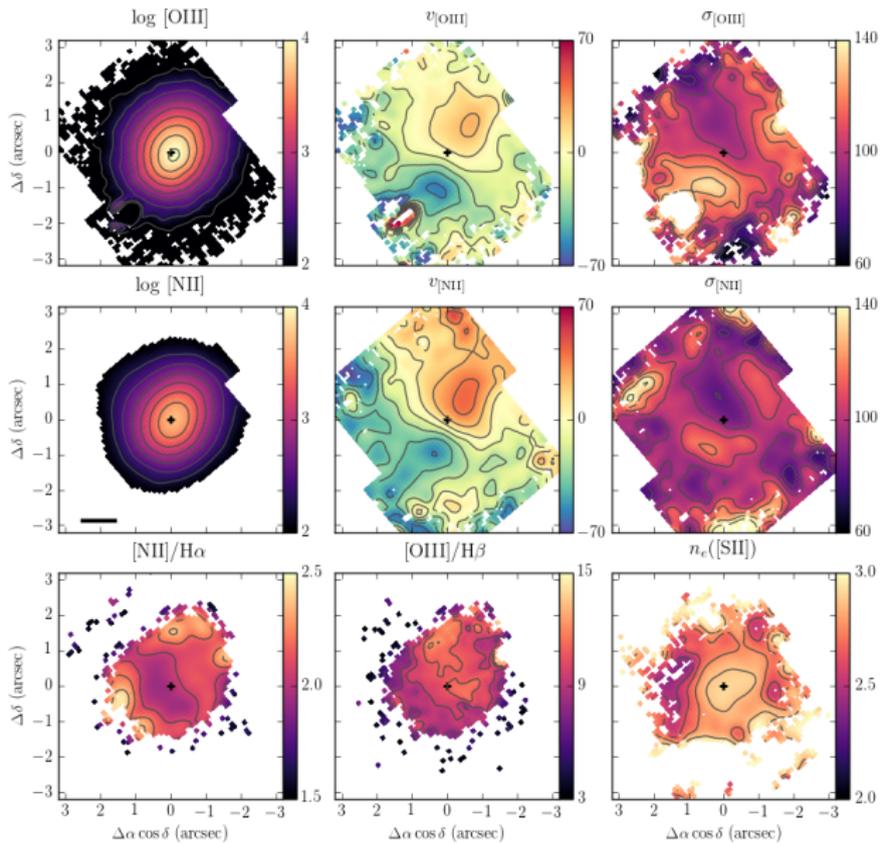
NGC 3786



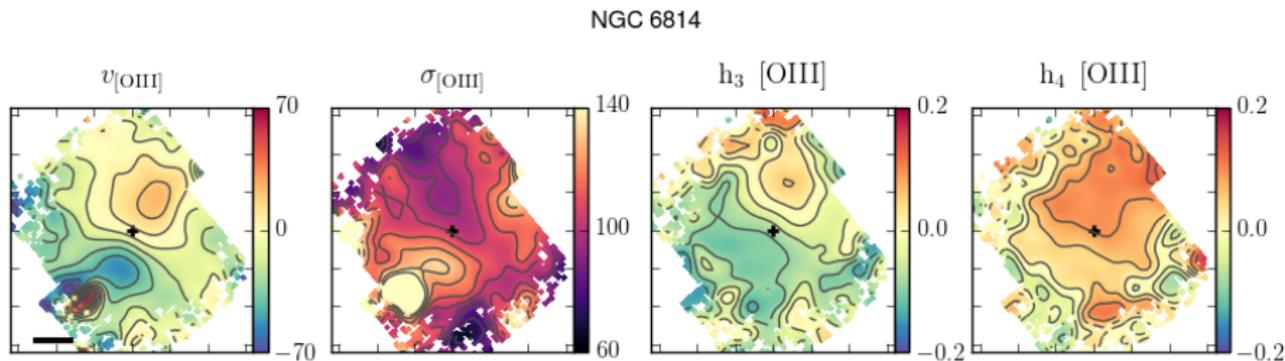
- 4/19 galaxies display no clear pattern of  $h_3$  and  $h_4$  coefficients with respect to the general rotation.



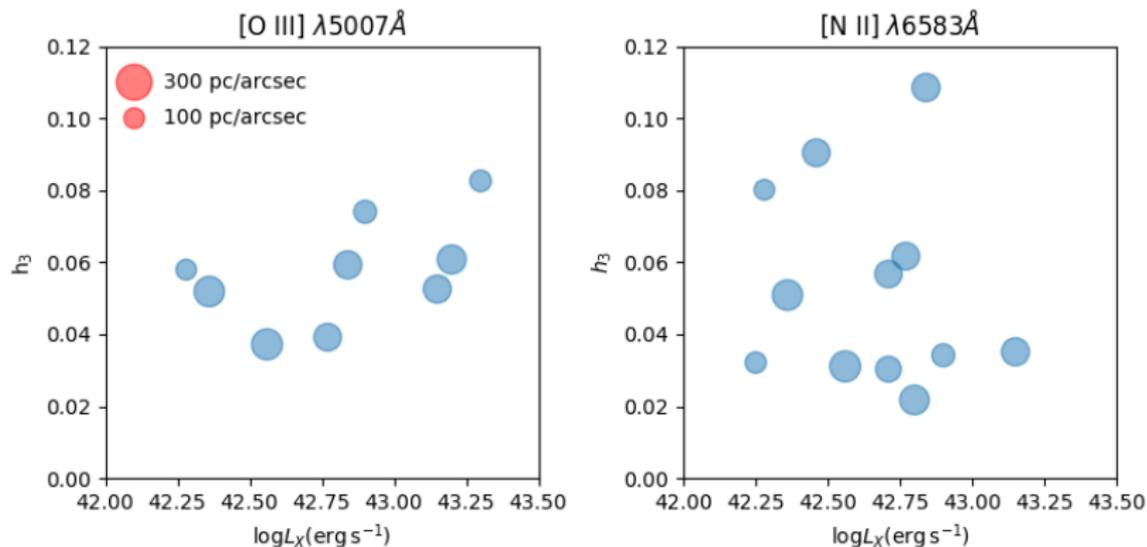
NGC 6814



- Only 2 galaxies show wings in the same direction of the rotation.



# Asymmetry and x-ray luminosity (PRELIMINARY!)



Median of the  $h_3$  coefficient.

Sizes are proportional to the projected scale of the galaxies.

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- Assymetry in the line profiles of [O III] weakly correlated with the X-Ray luminosity

# Future and ongoing work

- Quantify the inflow/outflow rates
- Fit disk rotation models.
- Compare the ionized gas kinematics to the stellar population history of the galaxies.