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- **WP 1: Physical Parameter Estimates from Photometric SEDs** The goal is to develop a method to estimate the physical parameters of galaxies in the EU- z PHZ and work with them on implementing the algorithm(s) developed.
- **WP 2: Physical parameter estimate from spectra.** This WP will complement the photometric SEDs by providing metallicity, ionization diagnostics and dust attenuations. This work is linked to WP 1.
- **WP 3: Galaxy evolution in different environments.** This WP should cover the full range of environments from voids through filaments to the densest (i.e. clusters). This WP should be strongly linked to EU-LE3, the cluster science.
- **WP 4: Galaxy morphology.** This WP is in charge of specifying algorithms for galaxy detection with Euclid data, and organisation of relevant science. Links to other WPs.
- **WP 5: Passive galaxies.** Detection and characterisation of passive galaxies.
- **WP 6: Theoretical models.** WP to determine what theoretical simulations are needed and to develop them. This will be place to discuss feedback to and from the simulations.
- **WP 7: Galaxy & AGN evolution and lensing.** This work package should cover the evolution of galaxies and AGNs and their lensing. It would be expected to have strong links to SWG-WL and to the other WPs when the group is established.
- **WP 8: Multi-wavelength synergies.** This WP should deal with both optical and non-optical electromagnetic spectrum. It should provide scientific guidance on the use of science-optimised multi-wavelength analysis methods and act as a bridge between the different WPs (e.g. SKA-precursors, SPICA, X-ray missions etc). This WP is expected to have strong links to the other WPs.
- **WP 9: Type 1 and 2 AGN.** Methods to identify and study the evolution of AGNs and ensure that issues specific to AGNs are catered for. Links to most other WPs.
- **WP 10: High- z objects ($z > 4$? and $z < 7$)** Identification and study of high- z objects. Bridging the gap with SWG PU and members of this WP would be expected.
- **WP 11: Distribution functions.** Devise methods for calculation of distribution functions.

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WP 1: Physical Parameter Estimates from Photometric SEDs

Aim of the WP

The goal of this WP is to contrast different methodologies for SED estimation and provide inputs to OU-PHZ and work with them on implementing the algorithm(s) deemed best. The WP should be tightly linked to OU-PHZ.

Members

Please enter your name below if you are interested in joining this WP:

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- Bianca Garilli
- Marco Scodeggio

Scientific questions

- * **Scaling laws**: can theory and observations be reconciled ?
- * **Morphology**: can we trace back the genesis of Sp/E ? Role of mergers ?
- * **Environment**: how galaxy evolution is affected by environment effects ?
- * **Cosmic SFR history**: what caused the rapid decline of the cosmic SFR history since $z \sim 1-2$?
- * **Black holes**: which process connects the growth of black holes and stars in order to end up with $M_{\text{BH}} \sim M_{\text{bulge}}/1000$?
- * **Mass function**: models predict an overabundance of moderately massive galaxies as compared to observations, is this also true at high z ?

The scientific power of Euclid for the study of the cosmic evolution of galaxies and AGN

- * VIS spatial resolution → morphology, mergers, dynamical instabilities (0.16")
- * NIR spectroscopy → $H\alpha$, $H\beta$: SFR, dust extinction
 - $[OIII]/H\beta$ vs $[NII]/H\alpha$: AGN
 - $[OII]$, $[OIII]$, $H\beta$: metallicities (R_{23})
- * deep NIR imaging → Stellar masses
- * wide fields → 2 pt correlation fct : DM halo masses
- * → 3D density, environment (field, groups, clusters)
- * → rare objects :
 - luminous SF objects statistics x 100 vs JWST
 - $>4 \times 10^{11}$ Msun at $z > 1.8$ (1 gal./sq.deg !!!)
- * depth (L^*-2 mag @ $z < 2$) → large dynamics on luminosity function
- * → assembly of red sequence up to $z \sim 2$ (instead of 1)

Scaling laws

can theory and observations be reconciled ?

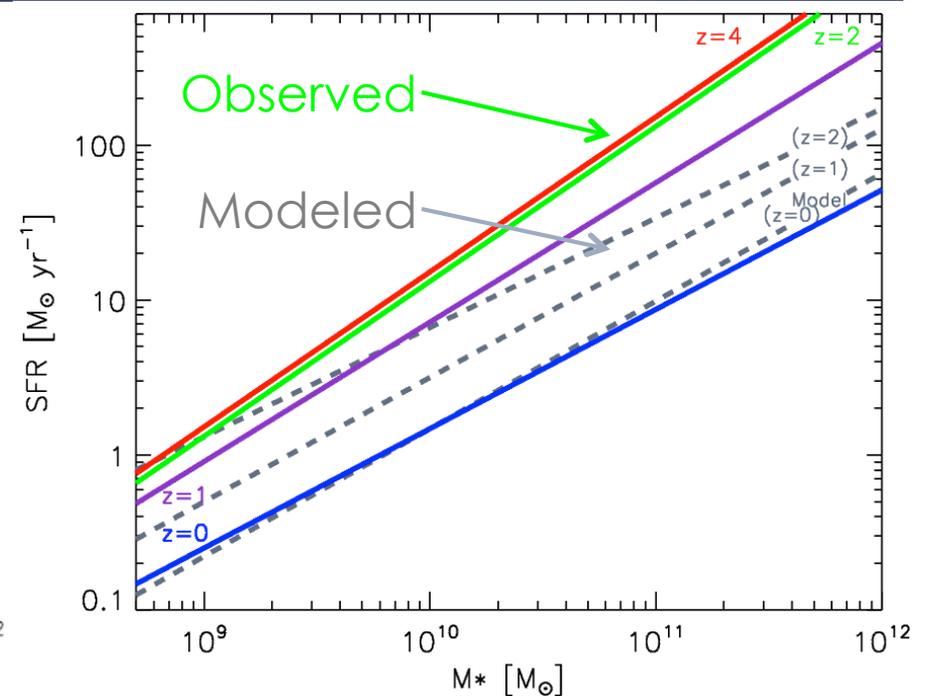
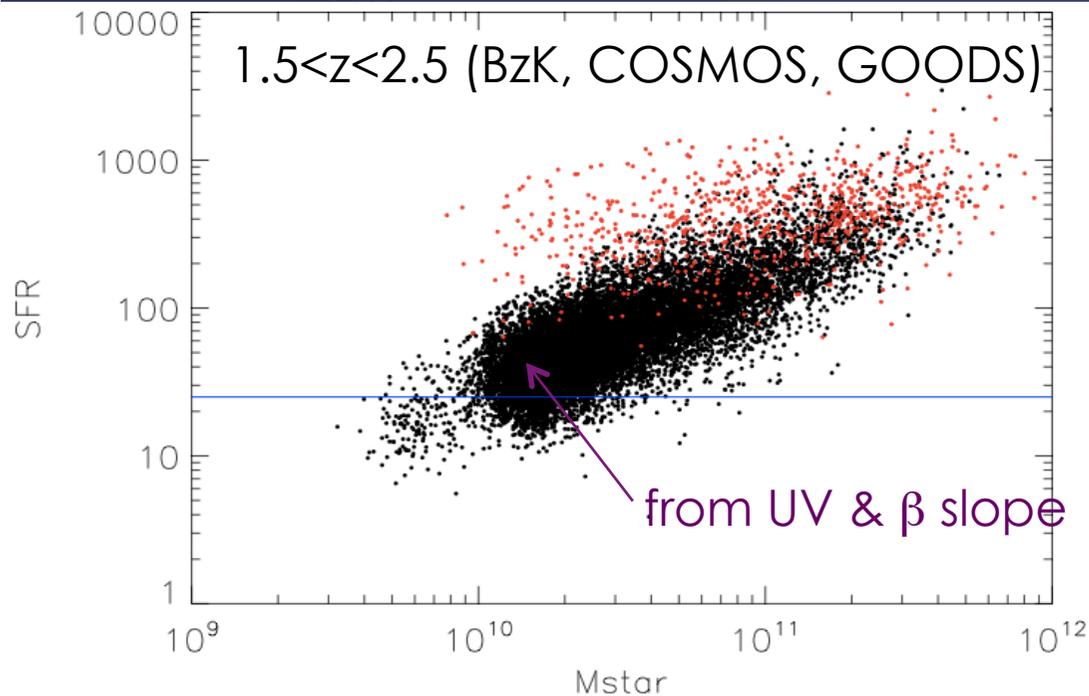
Slope, width, normalization, redshift evolution of SFR – M^* relation depend on its origin, role of feedback (e.g. larger width at low masses for SN).

+ 3rd dimension: metallicity (FMR= fundamental mass relation)

SFR corrected for extinction ($H\alpha$, $H\beta$) for 300 000 galaxies $1.06 < z < 2.05$ ($SFR > 20 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$)

and metallicities from R_{23} index ($[OII]$, $[OIII]$, $H\beta$) for 80 000 galaxies within $1.68 < z < 2.05$ (peak of SFR density) with $SFR > 25 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$ vs SDSS 100 000 at $z \sim 0.1$

$$R_{23} = \frac{F([OII]\lambda 3727) + F([OIII]\lambda 4959) + F([OIII]\lambda 5007)}{F(H\beta\lambda 4861)}$$

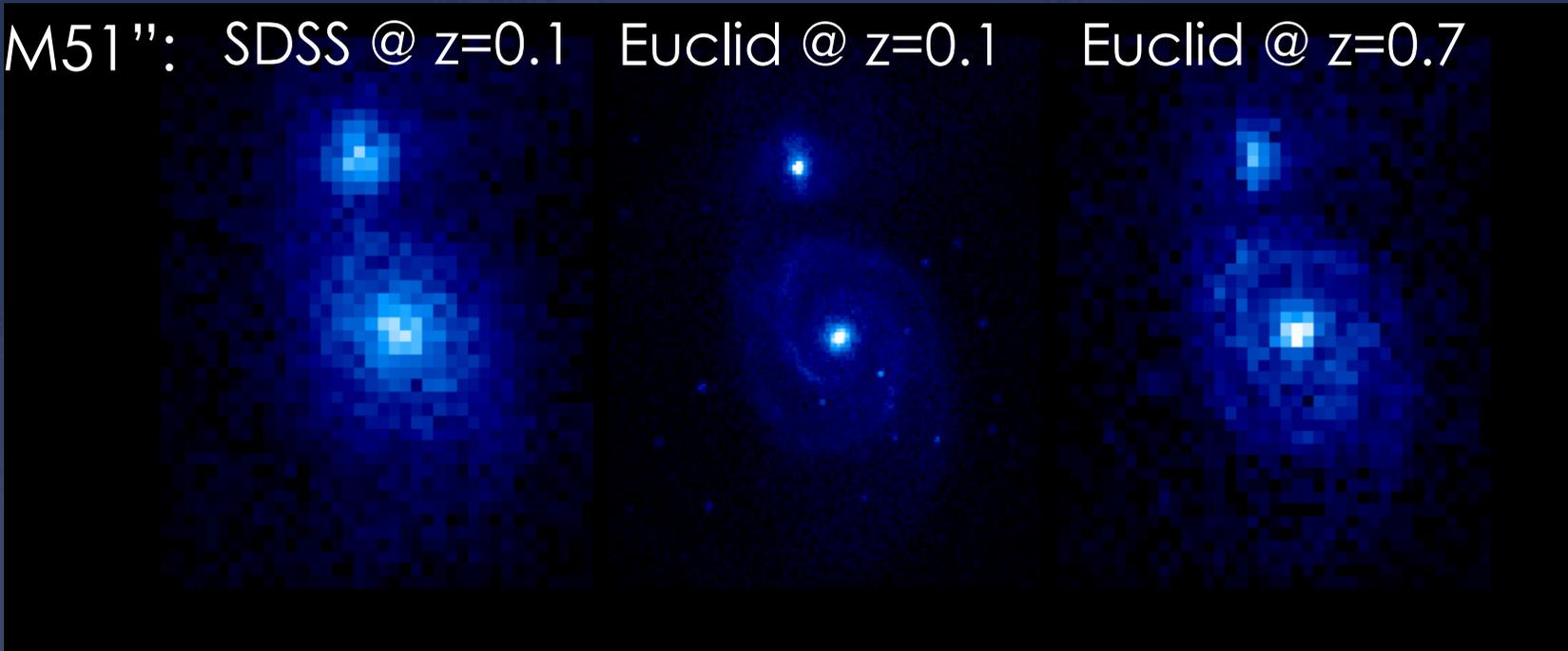


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High quality imaging : FWHM \sim 0.16" \rightarrow 1.3 kpc resolution at \sim all z

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a $5 \times 10^{10} M_{\odot}$ galaxy at $z \sim 2$ (3-4 kpc)
($>$ 5-10 times better than groundbased)

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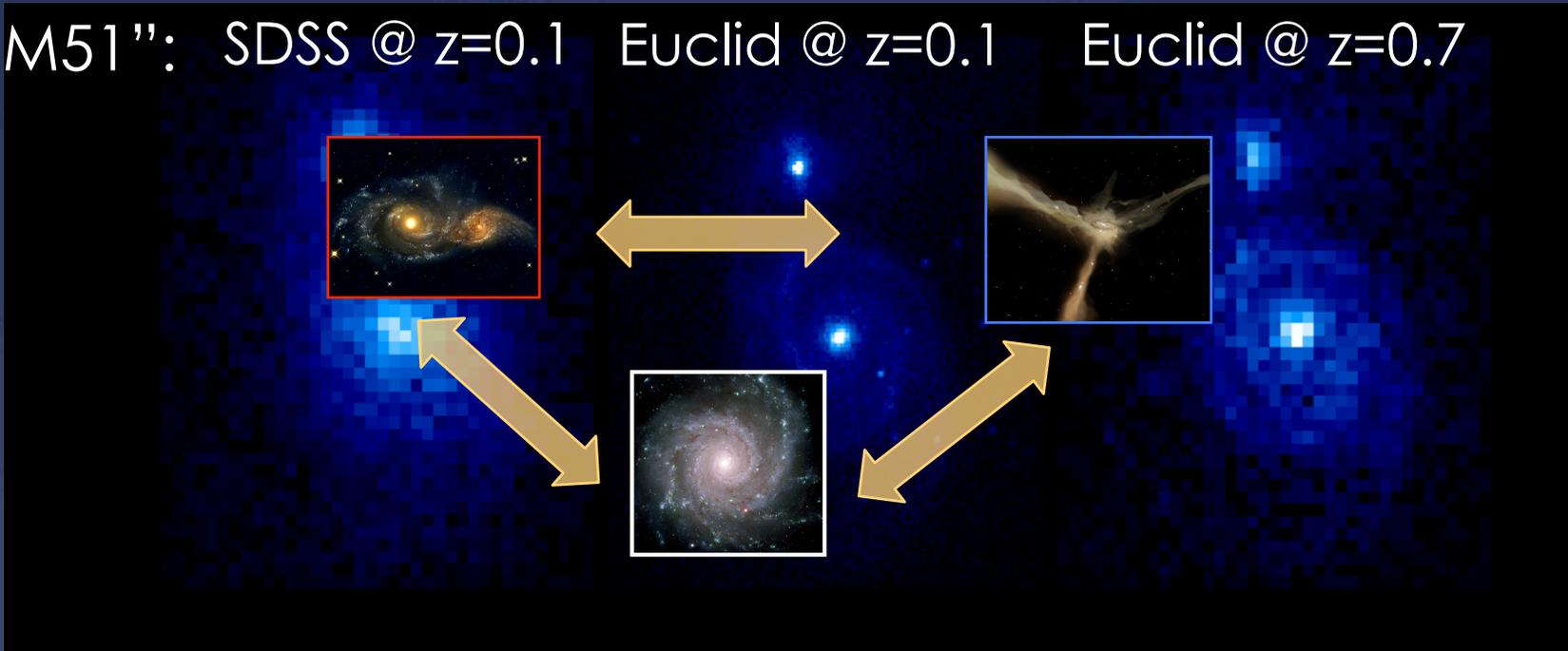
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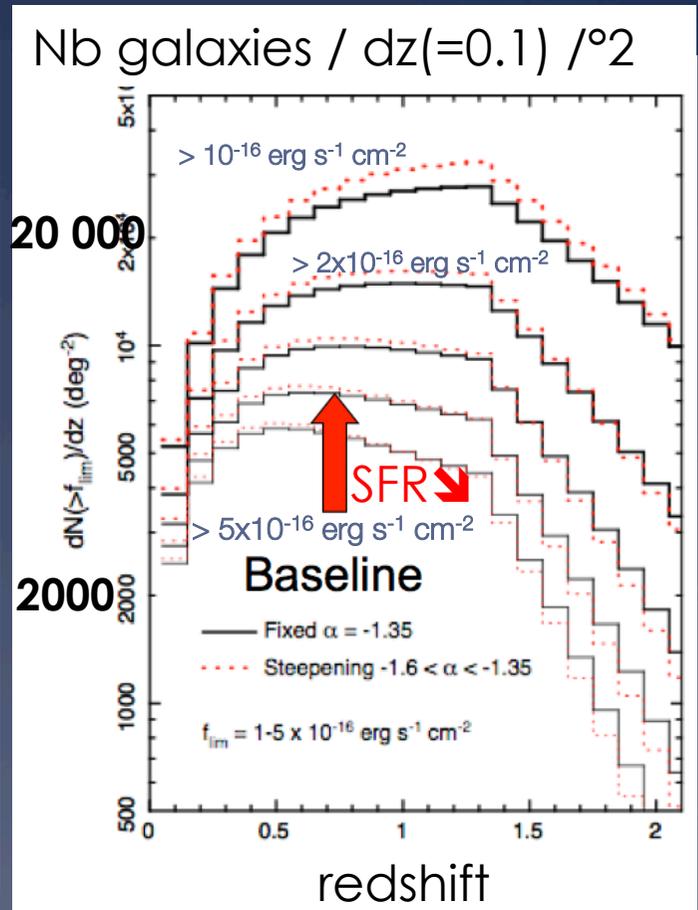
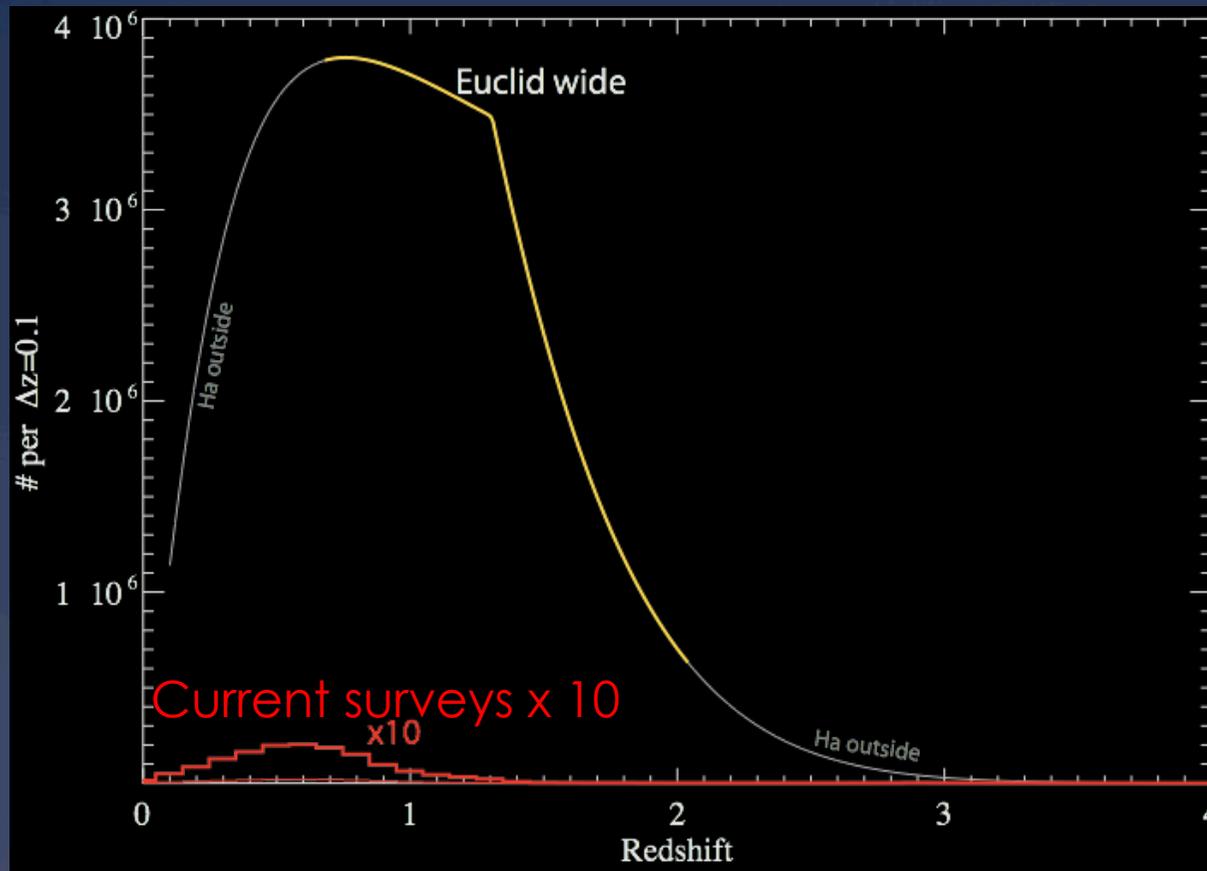
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Environment : Slitless spectroscopy

relative roles of (SFR, M^* , environment) in galaxy mass assembly

50 million redshifts (completeness >45%)
 $> 3 \times 10^{-16} \text{ erg s}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2}$

$\sim 10^6$ per $\Delta z=0.1$ in z spectroscopic
 ($> 10^7$ with phot- z 's)
 >> SDSS : $\sim 10^6$ spectra **in total**
 → Euclid = 1 SDSS / $\Delta z=0.1$



narrow bins of mass, type, SFR and environment
 → main mechanisms of galaxy mass assembly

Euclid in context

SFR History

* 3D-HST: 248 orbits of HST grism over 600 sq.arcmin, PSF FWHM 0.13" on well studied "CANDELS" fields (GOODS-S, UDS, EGS, COSMOS)
→ 10 000 redshifts at $z > 1$, $\text{SFR} > 1.5 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$ at $z=1$ and $15 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$ at $z=2$

→ JWST/NIRSPEC will increase the depth but on known targets !

vs Euclid: 300 000 galaxies $1.06 < z < 2.05$ ($\text{SFR} > 20 M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$) in DEEP and 1 million in WIDE → sharpness on $\text{H}\alpha$ LF with 0.4% precision down to $0.1 L^*$ at $z=1.5$ (faint end slope and SFR density with precision $< 1\%$!)
⇒ will allow us to constrain the multi-parameter physics causing the redshift evolution, unique access to the way SFR change with mass and redshift

Morphology

* HST: few hundred galaxies at $z > 1$

vs Euclid

x 10 000 for galaxies with a z_{spec} !

x 500 000 for galaxies with a z_{phot} !

⇒ ability to measure merger rate up to $z \sim 6$ instead of $z \sim 1$

⇒ + merger / AGN connection **AGN**

⇒ BPT AGN selection $[\text{OIII}]/\text{H}\beta$ vs $[\text{NII}]/\text{H}\alpha$ for bright enough galaxies where the separation of $[\text{NII}]$ vs $\text{H}\alpha$ is feasible ($F(\text{H}\alpha) > 10^{-15} \text{ erg.s}^{-1} \text{ cm}^{-2}$) else MEx (Juneau +11)

Euclid legacy in numbers

| What | Euclid | Before Euclid |
|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Galaxies at $1 < z < 3$ with good mass estimates | $\sim 2 \times 10^8$ | $\sim 5 \times 10^6$ |
| Massive galaxies ($1 < z < 3$) w/ spectra | $\sim \text{few} \times 10^3$ | $\sim \text{few tens}$ |
| H α emitters/metal abundance in $z \sim 2-3$ | $\sim 4 \times 10^7 / 10^4$ | $\sim 10^4 / \sim 10^2?$ |
| Galaxies in massive clusters at $z > 1$ | $\sim 2 \times 10^4$ | $\sim 10^3?$ |
| Type 2 AGN ($0.7 < z < 2$) | $\sim 10^4$ | $< 10^3$ |
| Dwarf galaxies | $\sim 10^5$ | |
| $T_{\text{eff}} \sim 400\text{K}$ Y dwarfs | $\sim \text{few} \times 10^2$ | < 10 |
| Strongly lensed galaxy-scale lenses | $\sim 300,000$ | $\sim 10-100$ |
| $z > 8$ QSOs | ~ 30 | None |