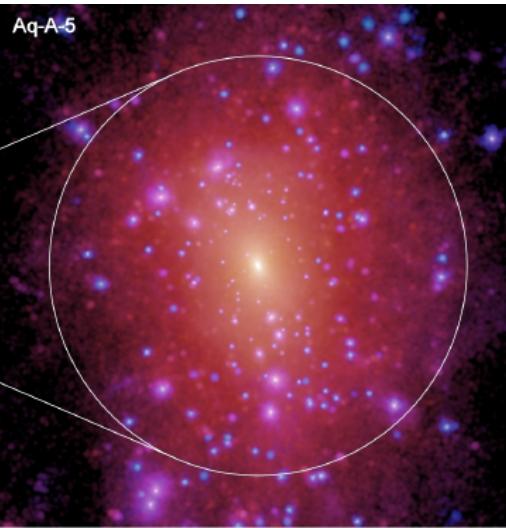
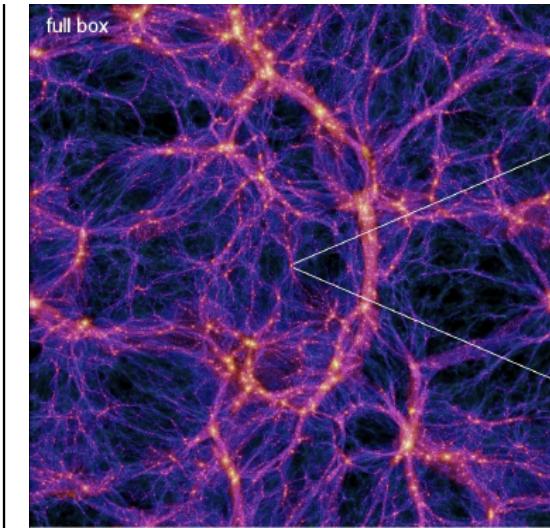


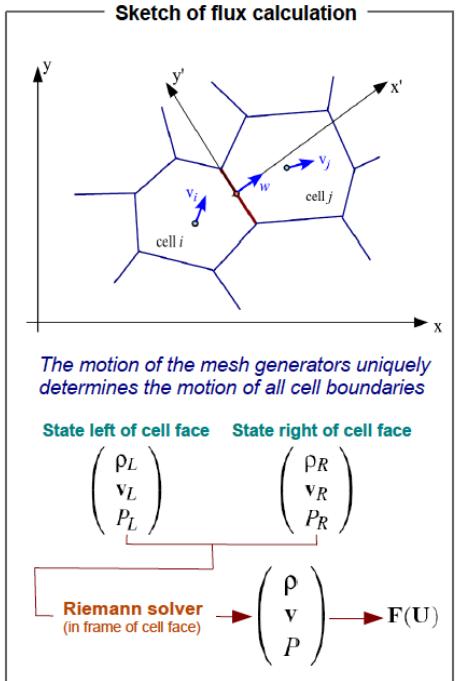
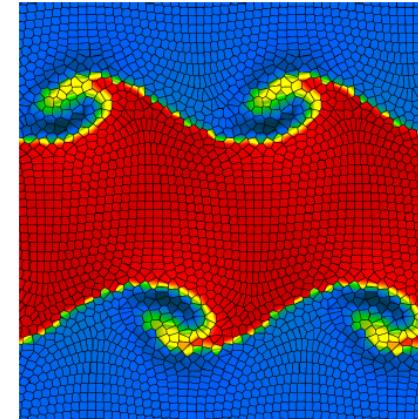
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100 Mpc

Simulated with the moving-mesh code AREPO (Springel 2010):

Low numerical viscosity, low advection errors



General procedure:

- Halo selection criteria at $z=0$ from parent EAGLE DMO box
 - $5 \times 10^{11} < M_{\text{vir}}(z=0) < 2 \times 10^{12}$
 - weak isolation criterion
(located $> 9 R_{\text{vir},i}$ of any i -th halo more than 3% of target halo *at z=0*)
- Go back to $z=128$, increase resolution of region around $z=0$ halo particles
- Add gas elements
- Re-run simulation with *galaxy formation model*

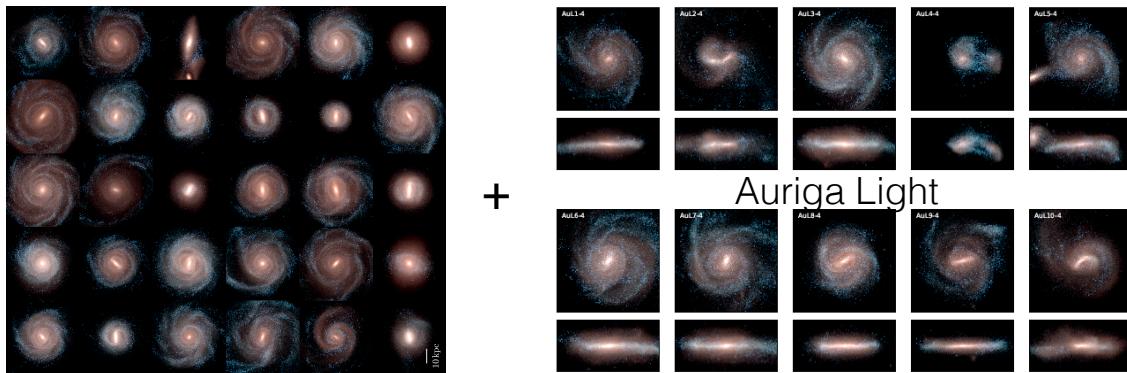
Galaxy formation model

- Star formation
- Reionisation ($z=6$)
- Metal line cooling
- Mass & metal enrich.
(Type Ia & AGB)
- SNII feedback
- Black hole growth
- Radio & quasar AGN feedback
- Magnetic fields

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Completed simulations:

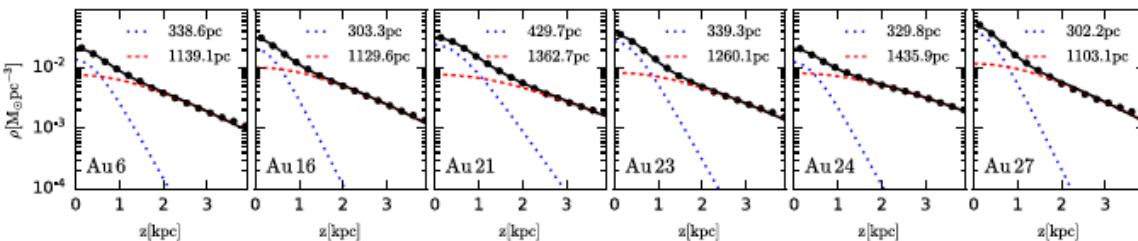
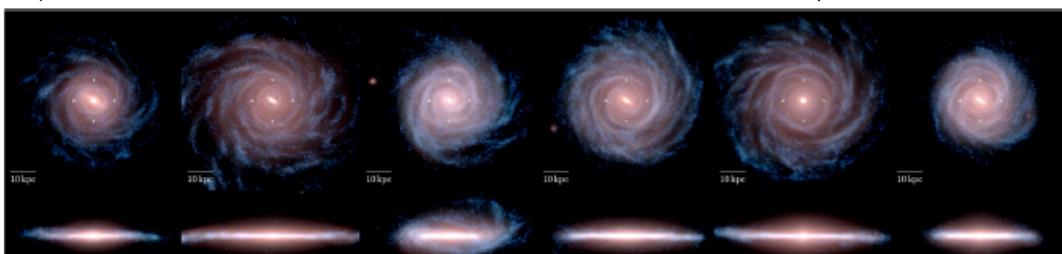
- 40 sims @ standard res (level 4): star mass res $\sim 10^4$ Msun, soft. ~ 300 pc



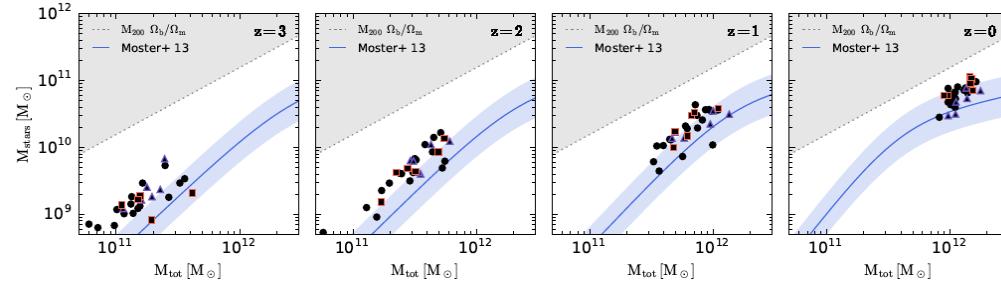
$1 \times 10^{12} < M_{\text{vir}}(z=0) < 2 \times 10^{12}$
(Auriga, 30 haloes, Grand+17)

$5 \times 10^{11} < M_{\text{vir}}(z=0) < 1 \times 10^{12}$

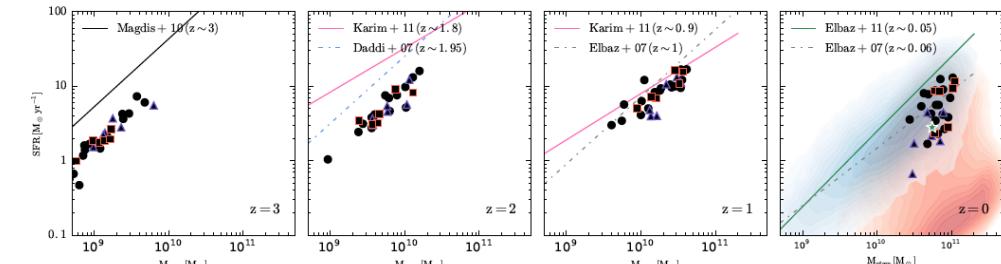
- 6(+1) sims @ level 3 res: star mass res $\sim 10^3$ Msun, soft. ~ 100 pc



Simulations evolve parallel to the stellar mass-halo mass AM relation



SFR vs. Mstar generally well reproduced over time



Systems generally, **disc-dominated, rotationally supported, star-forming late-type galaxies**

