High-resolution Observations of Molecular Gas Kinematics in Nearby Galaxies

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WISDOM Project – weigh SMBHs





I: NGC 3665 SMBH mass Onishi+17, MNRAS, 468, 4663



II: NGC 4697 SMBH mass Davis+17a, MNRAS, 468, 4675



IV: NGC 5064 SMBH mass Onishi+ in prep.

... and more!

III: NGC 4429 SMBH mass Davis+17b, MNRAS, in press

Supermassive black hole (SMBH) in galaxies



Larger galaxy, heavier BH coevolution? need larger sample

SMBH mass – velocity dispersion (Msigma), galaxy luminosity, bulge mass, etc.

Ferrarese & Merrit 2000, McConnel & Ma 2013, Kormendy & Ho 2013, Läsker+ 2014, Savrognan+ 2015, etc.

Why WISDOM weighs SMBHs?



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1. Stellar kinematics

 \sim 70% (thus \sim 50) of the whole sample target biased to early-types

McConnell et al. 2011: NGC 4889, NGC 3842

2. Ionized gas kinematics

Disturbed sometimes Not many was successful

Walsh et al. 2013: M87

3. megamasers

Systems themselves are rare

Miyoshi et al. 1995: NGC 4258

Why WISDOM weighs SMBHs?



4. mol. gas kinematics

target any types of galaxies dynamically cold started recently (Davis+13) potential targets in ubiquity

Onishi et al. 2017a:NGC 3665

How WISDOM weighs SMBHs?



Observe the kinematics from an emission line (normally CO)

Model a mass distribution (stars+SMBH)

Set up

parameters/assumptions (inclination, disc thickness, etc.)

Fitting

(use rotation curve or data cube)

Weighing SMBHs with ALMA (and CARMA)



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Onishi et al. 2017

NGC 3665:

SAO fast rotator, w/ radio jet (Parma+1986 etc.)

Observed CO(2-1) with CARMA (PI: M. Bureau) @ 0".6 (100pc) beam

 $M_{BH} = 5.75^{+1.49} \times 10^8 M_{sun}$ $M/L=1.45\pm0.04$ ($M/L_{sun. H}$)



NGC 4697:

E6 fast rotator, CO (2-1) observed at 0".5(~30pc) beam with ALMA Cycle 3 (PI: M. Bureau) $M_{BH}=1.3^{+0.18}_{-0.17}\times10^{8}M_{sun}$ M/L=2.14^{+0.04}_{-0.05} (M/L_{sun, /})

consistent with stellar dynamics method $^{2}1.6 \times 10^{8}M_{sun}$ (Gebhardt+03)





Davis et al. 2017b

NGC 4429:

S0 fast rotator, CO (3-2) observed at 0".18(~14pc) beam with ALMA Cycle 2 (PI: M. Bureau) $M_{BH}=1.5^{+0.1}_{-0.1}\times10^8M_{sun}, M/L=6.59-8.25 (M/L_{sun, r}) with a power-law radial profile$





Onishi et al. in prep.

NGC 5064:

SA, CO (2-1) observed at 0".14(~28pc) beam

with ALMA Cycle 3 (PI: K. Onishi)

 $M_{BH} = 1.61^{+1.06}_{-0.64} \times 10^{8} M_{sun} M/L = 0.390 \pm 0.005 (M/L_{sun, H})$



RA offset (arcsec)

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Davis et al. 2017b

~48 pc radius hole

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- Tidal force?... needs >9x10⁴cm⁻³ to survive within the inner radius.
 possible, but do not truncate at the outer radius.



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Outer truncation radius ~650 pc, both seen w/ CO(3-2).

• Likely occurred from the combination of stability and tidal force. Should also account for AGN radiation (though LLAGN; Nyland+16).





Preliminary; Onishi+ in prep.

NGC 4501:

SA, Sy2, CO (2-1) observed at 0".63(~50pc) beam

with ALMA Cycle 3 (PI: K. Onishi)



Preliminary; Onishi+ in prep.

NGC 4501:

SA, Sy2, CO (2-1) observed at 0".05x0".03 (~5pc!) beam with ALMA Cycle 3 (PI: K. Onishi) & ACA (PI: L. Liu)



H₂, stars (Mazzalay+14 w/ SINFONI) kinematics



[N II], H α (Reppetto+17 w/ GMOS) kinematics

observed @0".77~60 pc



CO ~50pc resolution non-circular motions detected.

Trying the same for high-res (~5pc) but too much noise..



Subtracted a preliminary velocity field from the observation to obtain non-circular motions.

*CO being comparable to warm molecular, but not to ionized gas!



Seyfert 2 galaxy with an outflow of cold (and warm) molecular gas. Ionized gas is not very perturbed (though we need a higher S/N).



Our high-res ALMA data possibly leads to an AGN feeding process.

Summary and conclusions -1. SMBH mass measurements



Molecular gas method seems to produce decent results. (will be more powerful with more observations!)

The next step for the M- σ relation is ..

- origin of the scatter?
- systematic error among different methods?

Summary and conclusions –2. GMC/molecular gas properties and non-circular motions

- High-res observations of CO at nearby galaxies (typically @<30pc) can also be used for several topics:
 - GMC properties (Utomo+15)
 - Gas disc properties (Davis+17b)
 - Non-circular motions (e.g., Combes+14)
- These could lead to detailed studies of both star formation and SMBH growth → again, coevolution!