AGN Feedback In Galaxy Groups

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Groups and Clusters



NASA, ESA, CXC/NRAO/STScI, B McNamara (Univ of Waterloo and Ohio Univ) Gitti et al, ApJ, 2010

Numerical Setup



PLUTO code (grid based code)

Spherical (r, θ , Φ) coordinates min($\Delta r = 5 \text{ pc}$)

 $M_{200} = 2 \times 10^{13} M_{sun}$

Jet mass loading factor:

 $\dot{M}_{
m jet} v_{
m jet}^2 = \epsilon \dot{M}_{
m acc} c^2$ Where,

∈ →accretion efficiency;
v_{jet} = 0.1 c



The Feedback cycle











Inflow-Outflow



Baryon Fraction



Mode of Accretion



Credit: NRAO/AUI/NSF; D Berry/SkyWorks; ALMA

Infalling Gas in Our Simulation



Stochastic Low Angular Momentum Cold Gas



Summary

- Cold mode AGN feedback control the catastrophic cooling flow in galaxy groups.
- AGN Feedback is unable to change the baryon fraction within R₂₀₀ dramatically.
- Different observables like jet power, cold gas mass, entropy etc evolve similar to galaxy clusters.
- Accretion of cold gas is stochastic with formation of no galactic scale disc.

