Xboötes: the 9.3 square degree Boötes field



"false-color" 0.5-7 keV X-ray image

* X-ray and infrared properties of AGN

* Using AGN to Map Cosmic Structure

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Outline of Talk

- Introduction
- What is the Xbootes Survey?
- Using Hectospec, Chandra, Spitzer to characterize AGN
- X-ray and IR properties of BLAGN
- Mapping the cosmic web with AGN
- The local environment of AGN
- Work in Progress

Multiwavelength Observations of the Boötes Field

VLA P-band	90 cm	7 sq. deg	100µЈу	100% complete
VLA L-band	21 cm	1 sq. deg.	15µЈу	100% complete
VLA (FIRST)	21 cm	9 sq. deg.	1mJy	100% complete *
Westerbork	21 cm	7 sq. deg.	8µЈу	100% complete
Spitzer/MIPS	24,70,160µm	9 sq. deg.	3.0,30,100mJy	100% complete *
Spitzer/IRAC	3.6,4.5,5.8,8.0µm	9 sq. deg.	6.4,8.8,51,50µЈу	100% complete *
NOAO	J,Ks	5 sq. deg.	23 mag	100% complete *
NOAO	K,Ks	9 sq. deg.	19.2 mag	100% complete *
NOAO	J,H	9 sq. deg.	21 mag	40% complete
NOAO	B _w ,R,I	9 sq. deg.	25.5-26.6 mag	100% complete *
NOAO	U	9 sq. deg.	25 AB mag	100% complete
NOAO	υ	1 sq. deg.	26 AB mag	100% complete
GALEX	FUV,NUV	1 sq. deg.	26 AB mag	100% complete
GALEX	FUV, NUV	9 sq. deg.	25 AB mag	in progress
Chandra	0.5-2.0 keV	9 sq. deg.	4,7x10 ⁻¹⁵ erg s ⁻¹ cm ⁻²	100% complete *
Chandra	2.0 -7.0 keV	9 sq. deg.	1.5x10 ⁻¹⁴ erg s ⁻¹ cm ⁻²	100% complete *
NOAO/Keck	spectroscopy	sparse	24 mag	in progress
MMT/Hectospec	spectroscopy	9 sq. deg.	R~20.5 mag	100% complete
Spitzer/IRS	spectroscopy	sparse		in progress

Bootes Survey Imaging Data

Optical photometry: NOAO DWFS photometry B,R,I,J,K (Januzzi & Dey 1999)







X-ray: Chandra XBootes survey (Murray et al. 2005, Kenter et al. 2005)126 ACIS fields @ 5 ksec each > 3000 X-ray sources



Infrared: Spitzer IRAC Shallow Survey (Eisenhardt et al. 2004)

The Bootes field was observed with the IRAC camera on Spitzer in four bands: 3.6, 4.5, 5.8, 8.0 microns.

~30,000 sources are detected in all four IRAC bands

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MMT Bootes Survey AGES survey w/ MMT/Hectospec

The first sample contains ~2000 broad line AGNs, 80 narrow-line AGNs, and 19,000 "normal" galaxies.





AGN and Galaxy Evolution Survey (AGES)

- MMT/Hectospec fiber spectrograph
- 300 fibers/field
- Complete galaxies I<19.5</p>
- Complete X-ray >4 cts and I<21.5
- ~27,000 targeted galaxies
- ~1,500 targeted X-ray selected
 - E.g., z=3.53 AGN with 12 X-ray counts. I=19.28, Lx=3x10⁴⁵ erg s⁻¹(0.5- 7keV)



CXOXB J142547.4+352719



(Urry & Padovani 1995)



(Manners 2002)

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log v (Hz)

16

17

18

14

-0.5

-1.0

12

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radio jet

broad line clouds



narrow line clouds



Sv

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Color-Selection of Obscured AGNs

Selection Criteria:

5σ in all IRAC bands
In IR AGN Wedge
NOAO R-band flux (1915 total)
Redshift > 0.7
Spectroscopic or Photo-z (1410)

~I/2 X-raydetected



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HR for IRAGN 2s corresponds to moderate obscuration, NH~3x1022 cm-2

HR~-0.5 for IRAGN 1s corresponds to a spectrum typical of Type 1 AGNs (photon index Γ =1.8)

Follow up Observations of IRAGN2



~250 cts/IRAGN

Source 96

data and folded model

z=0.92 nH=4.1±0.6×10²² cm⁻² Γ=1.70

Source 09

data and folded model



z=1.58 nH=2.9 \pm 1.0 × 10²² cm⁻² Γ =1.70

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* Using AGN to Observe the Cosmic Web

Xbootes 9.3 Square Degree Survey

Other Surveys		z=0	z=1	z=3	
 DEEP2 0.7 < z < 1.4 4 x 1 sq. deg 40.000 redshifts 	OCDM				
 2dF z<0.2 1500 sq. deg 200,000 redshifts 	SCDM				
 SDSS (~12 AGN /sq deg) z<2.3 6600 sq. deg 850,000 redshifts 	LCDM				
		lenkins et al 1998 (Ap.I 499 20-40)			

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X-Ray selected AGN and galaxies trace same structure at z<0.7 X-Ray sources continue to trace structure at z>0.7

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- X-ray Selected (1531)
- ~250 "galaxies"
- ~80 "narrow emission line"
- ~1200 "AGN'













AGN Environment

- Local Galaxy Density may impact:
 - Activity
 - Type

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Luminosity



Redshift Slice 0.41<z<0.43

Work in Progress



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- Re-survey 1/2 of Bootes to increase the number of AGN and measure variability
- Deeper exposures to extract spectra of IRAGN
- Shallow Survey in DEEP2
 - How does environment affect the AGN (XBONGS vs BLAGN)?
 - Why is X-ray emission less for IR brighter galaxies?Does cosmic structure change with redshift?



Chandra DEEP2 Observations

Fields 2 and 4

- •12 x 10 ksec exposures for each field
- some overlaps give 20-30 ksec total (not considered yet)

Use wavelet source detection

- •543 Field 2, 578 Field 4 to ~3x10⁻¹⁵ erg cm⁻²s⁻¹
 •347 Field 2, 388 Field 4 to
- $\sim 5 \times 10^{-15} \text{ erg cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1}$



Field 2: 16^h52^m +34^o55'

Field 4: 02h30m +00o00

DEEP2 Matches

Field 2

X-ray to photometric catalog¹
360/543 (within 2 arc-sec) 0.663
244/347 (>= 5) = 0.703
X-ray to Zcat_dr3_v1.0²
72 (z>0); 57 (0.7 < z < 1.4)
Potential w/hectospec I<22
174
136 (>=5)

Field 4

X-ray to photometric catalog¹
·390/578 (within 2 arc-sec) 0.675
·292/388 (>= 5) = 0.753
X-ray to Zcat_dr3_v1.0²
·86 (z>0); 60 (0.7 < z < 1.4)
Potential w/hectospec I<22
·188
·162 (>=5)

¹ Coil et al. 2004 ² Davis et al. 2003 ² Davis et al. 2007

AGN and LSS



Comoving Distance (Mpc)



Field 2

AGN and LSS



Comoving Distance (Mpc)



Field 4



12 arc-min







PDCS-1 Postman et al. (1996)

016 02 28 26.5 +00 32 20 119 0.50 0.75 4.26 87.8 32 ± 4 90 ± 9 178 0.50 1.94 6.48 108.6 35 ± 6 110 ± 16

redshift



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 $L_x=4x10^{43} \text{ erg cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} (0.5 - 7.0 \text{ keV})$ ($L_x=2x10^{43}\text{erg cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$)

redshift







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5 arcsec







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Deep2 spectrum



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O II (3727) Ne III (3869)



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Flux (0.5-7 kev)= $7x10^{-14}$ erg cm⁻²s⁻¹ Redshift z=1.07 L_x=4.4x10⁴⁴ erg s⁻¹

Deep2 spectrum

Future Plans More Optical Spectra for X-ray AGN • Hectospect at MMTO





174 + 188 possible new spectra to go with the 158 already in hand =>520
AGN accretion modes, host galaxies, and clustering (XBootes - Hickox 26.03)

Spitzer IRAC survey fields 2 and 4
 STAY TUNED