

HMRC phase I: initial results

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What we asked for:

Halo ID	Center RA [rad]	Center DEC [rad]	Center V _{res} [km/s]	Mass [M _{solar}]	Velocity Dispersion [km/s]	Radius [Mpc]	N _{gal}
1	0.82	0.14	500	10 ¹⁴	900	1	50



Halo properties

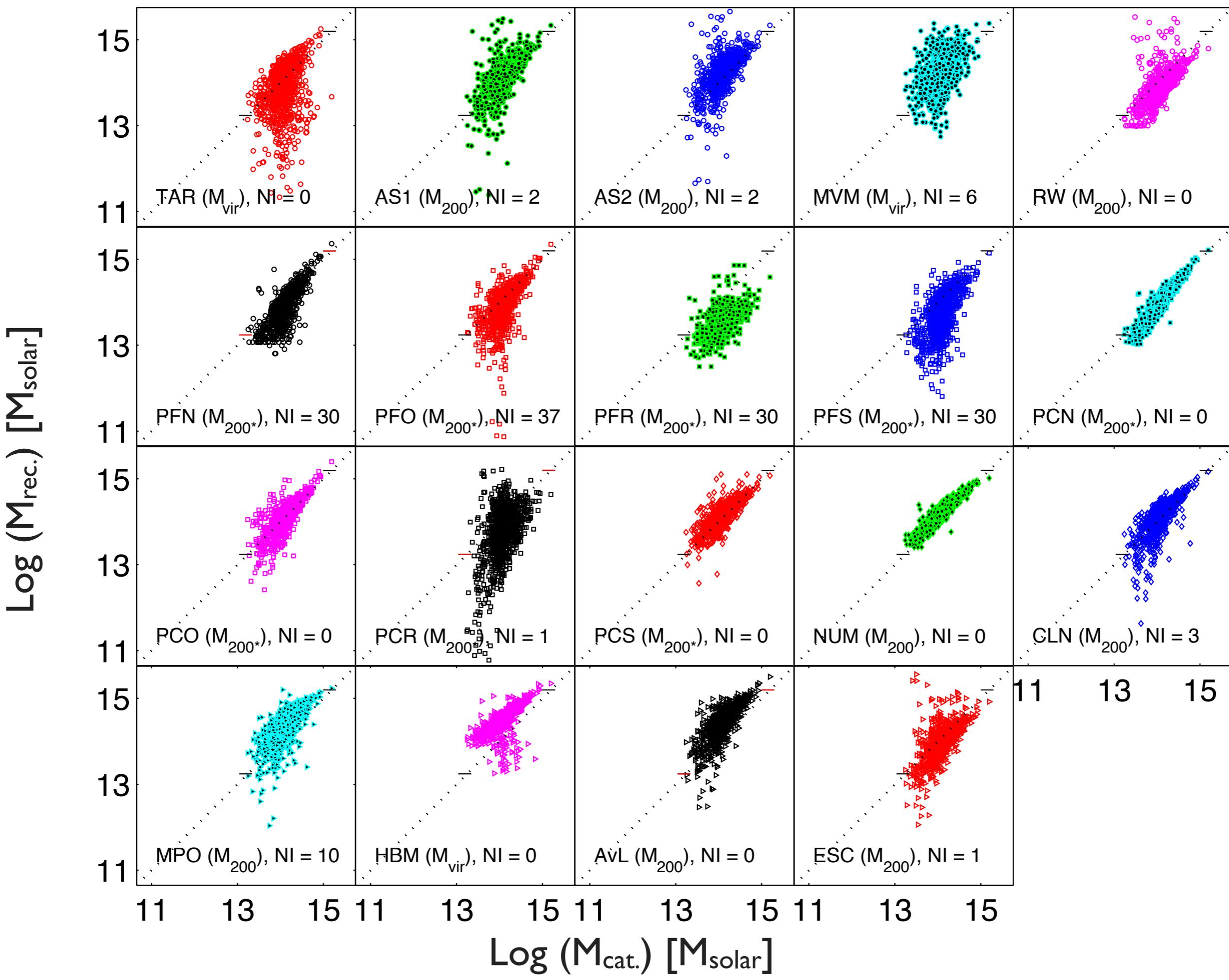
Halo ID	Galaxy ID
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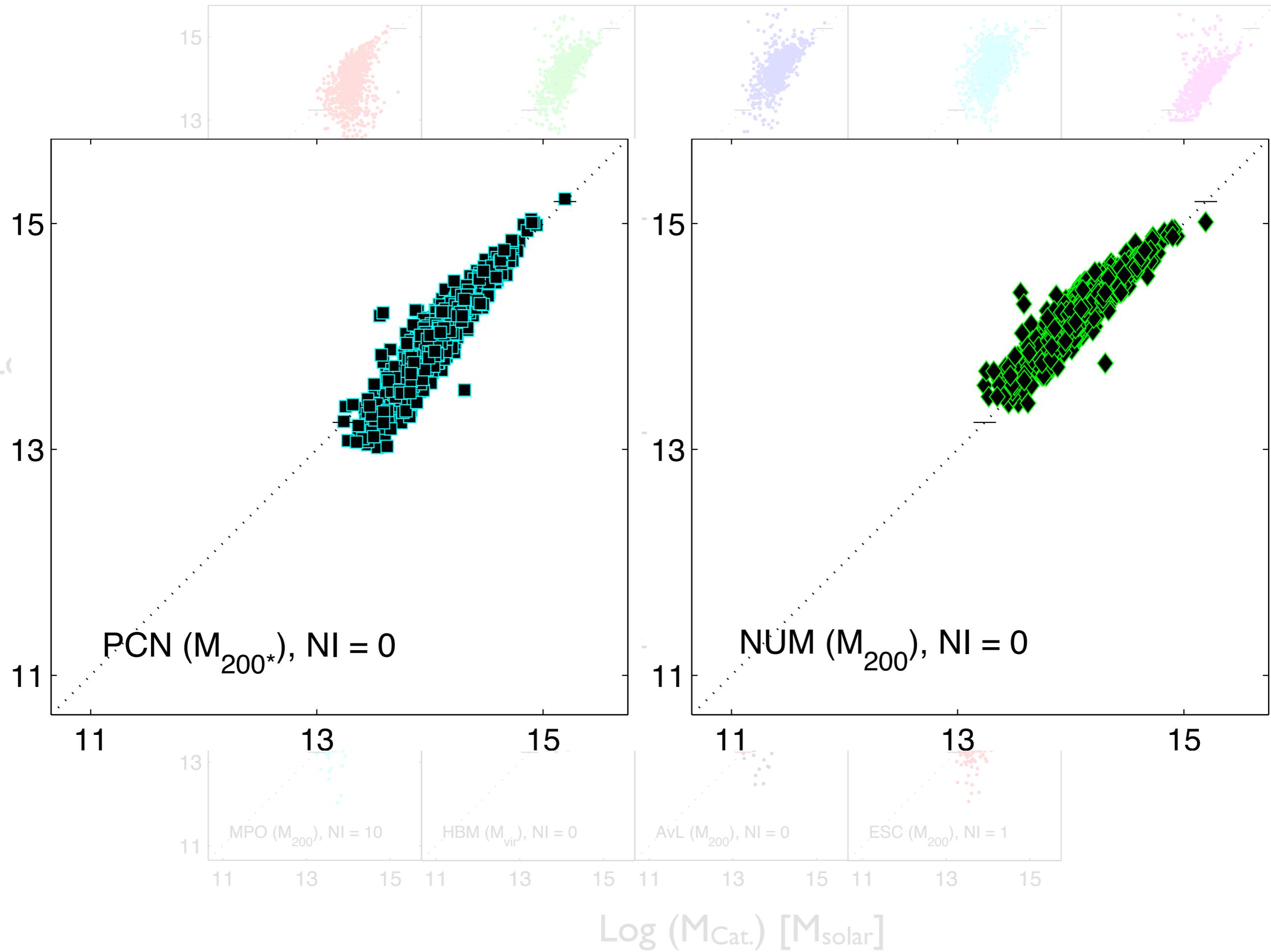


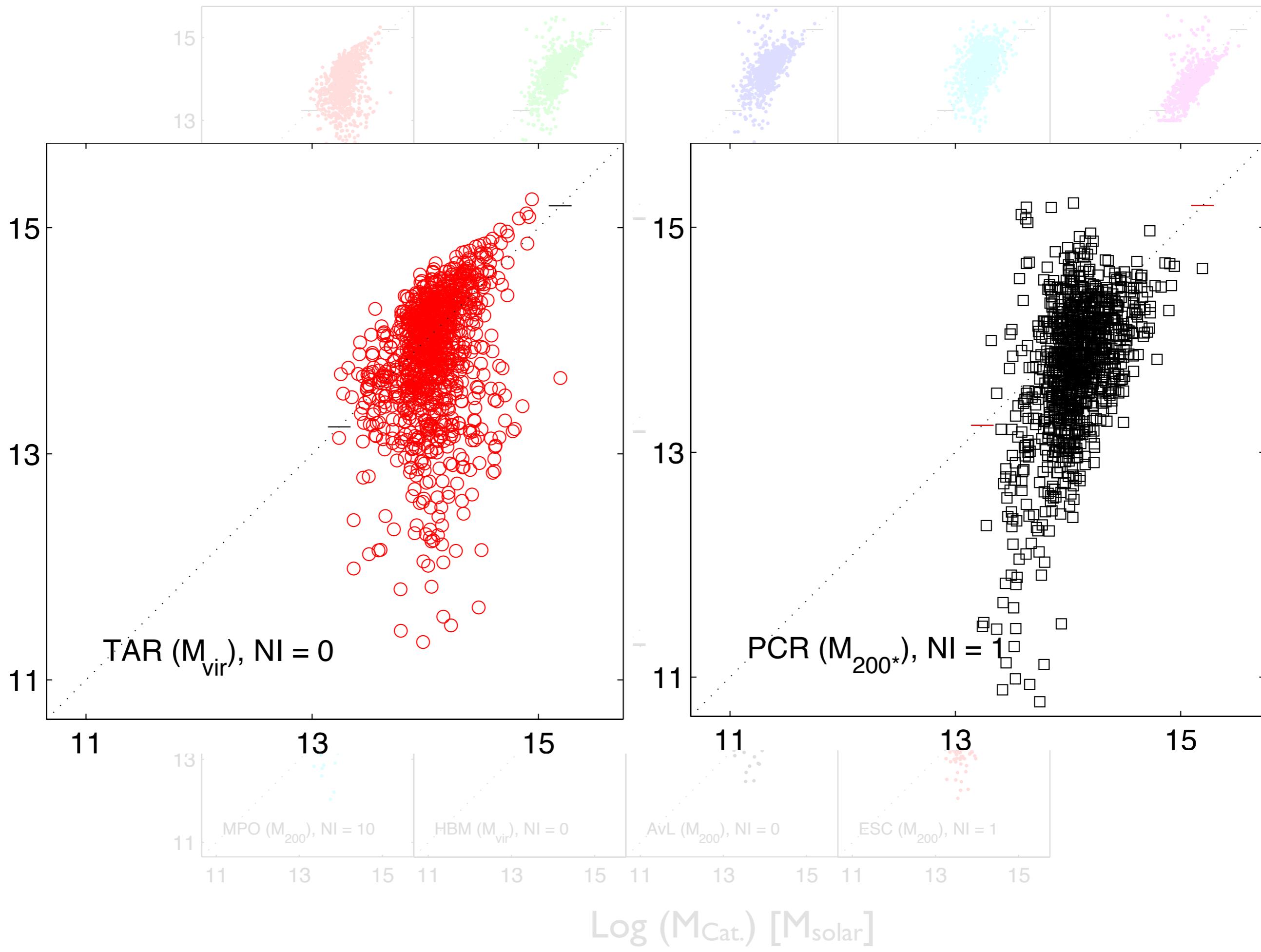
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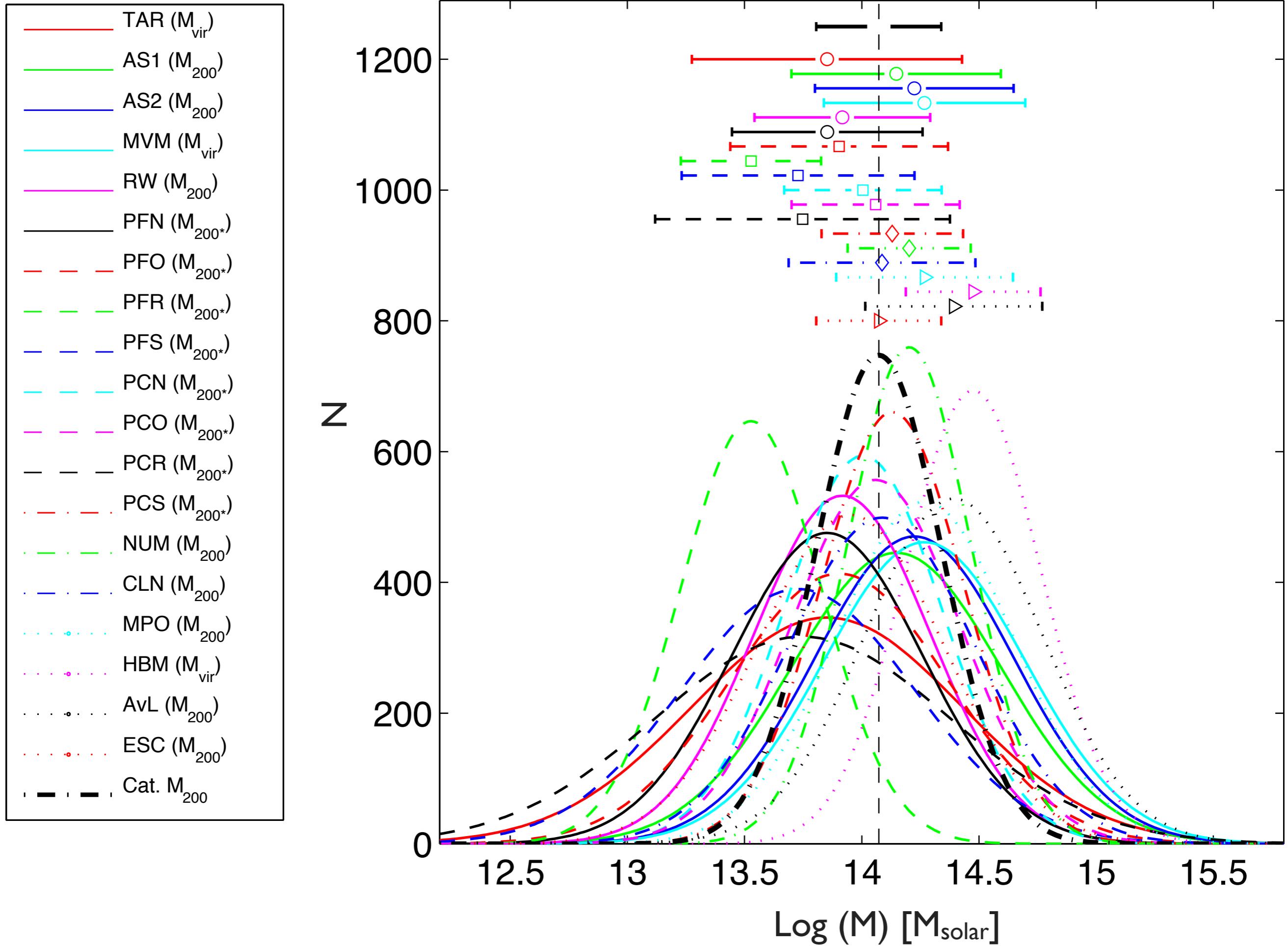


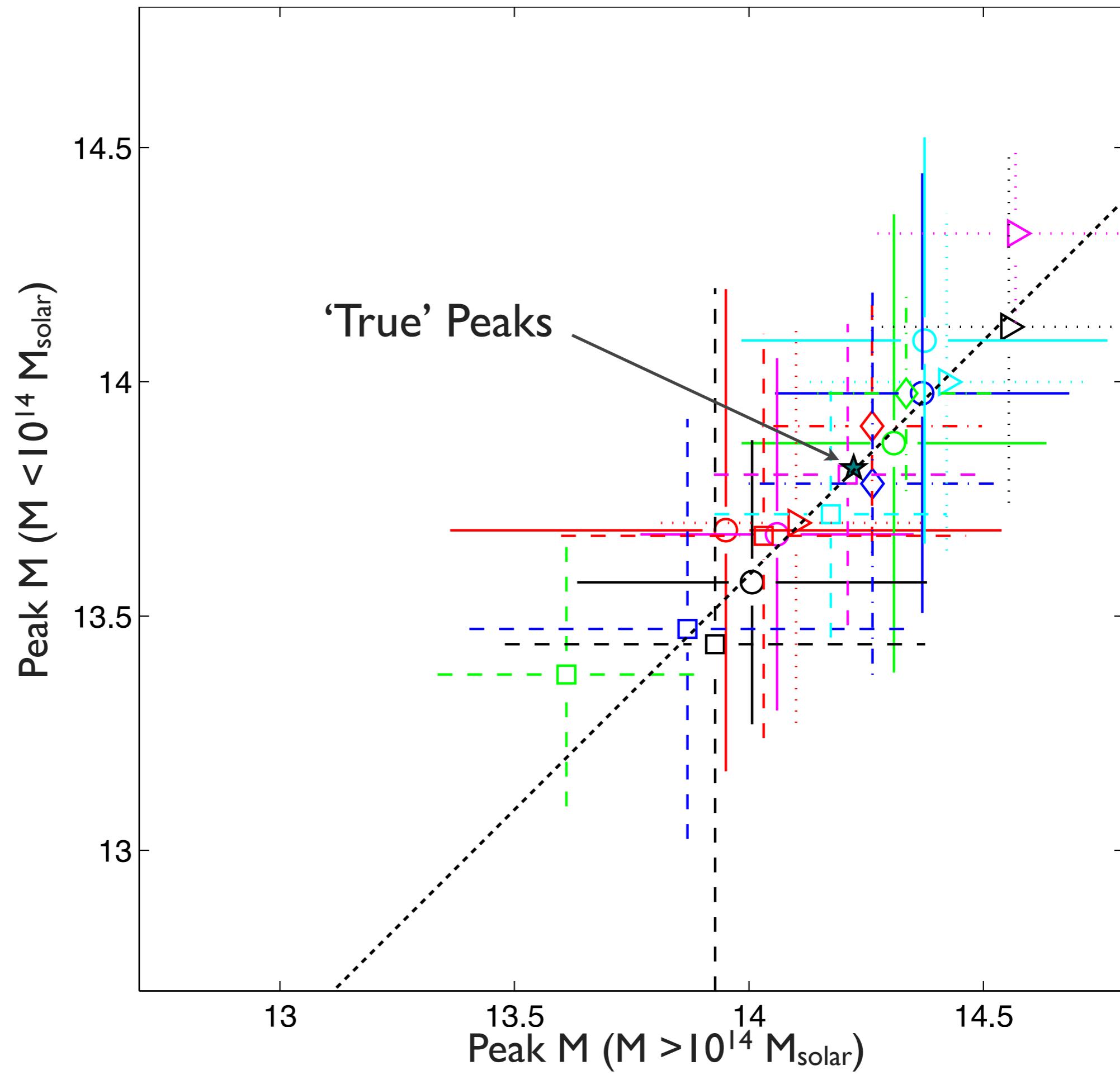
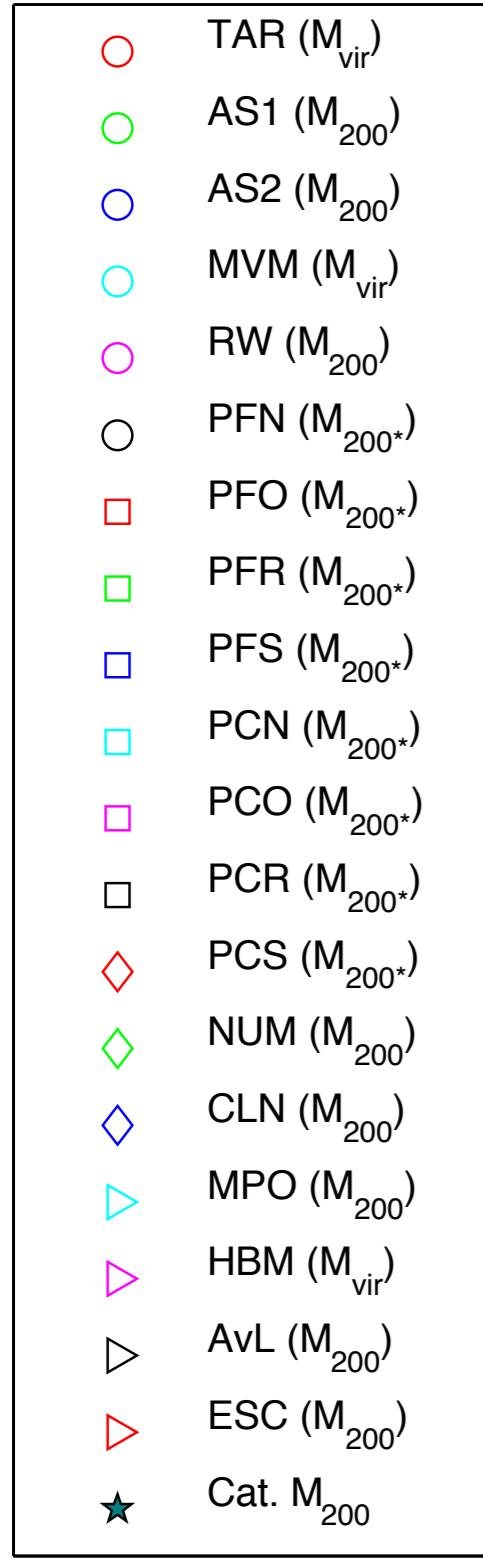




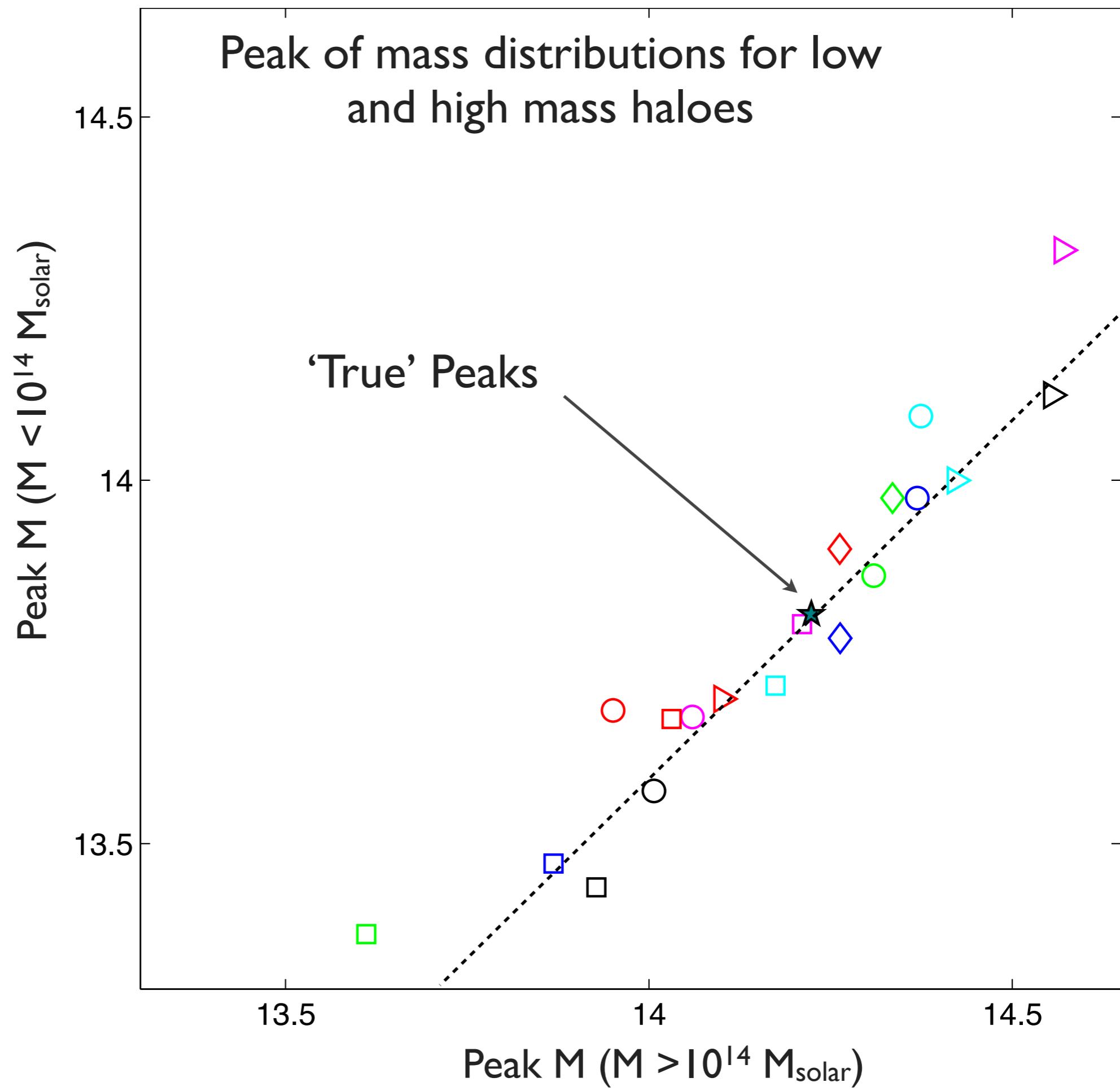
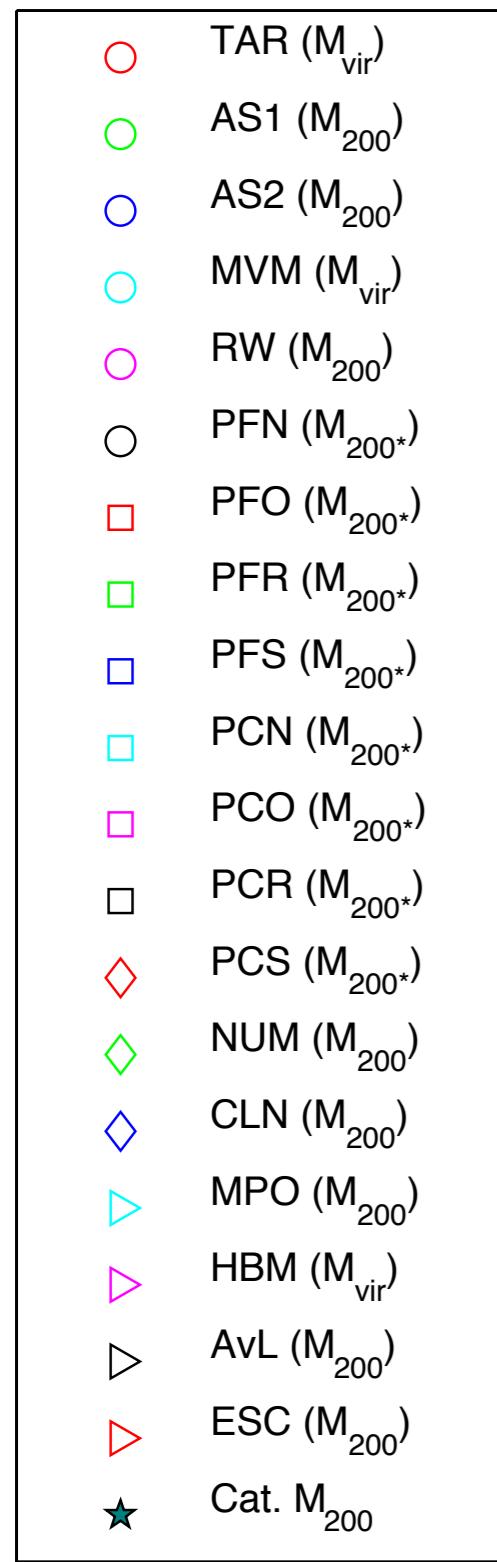
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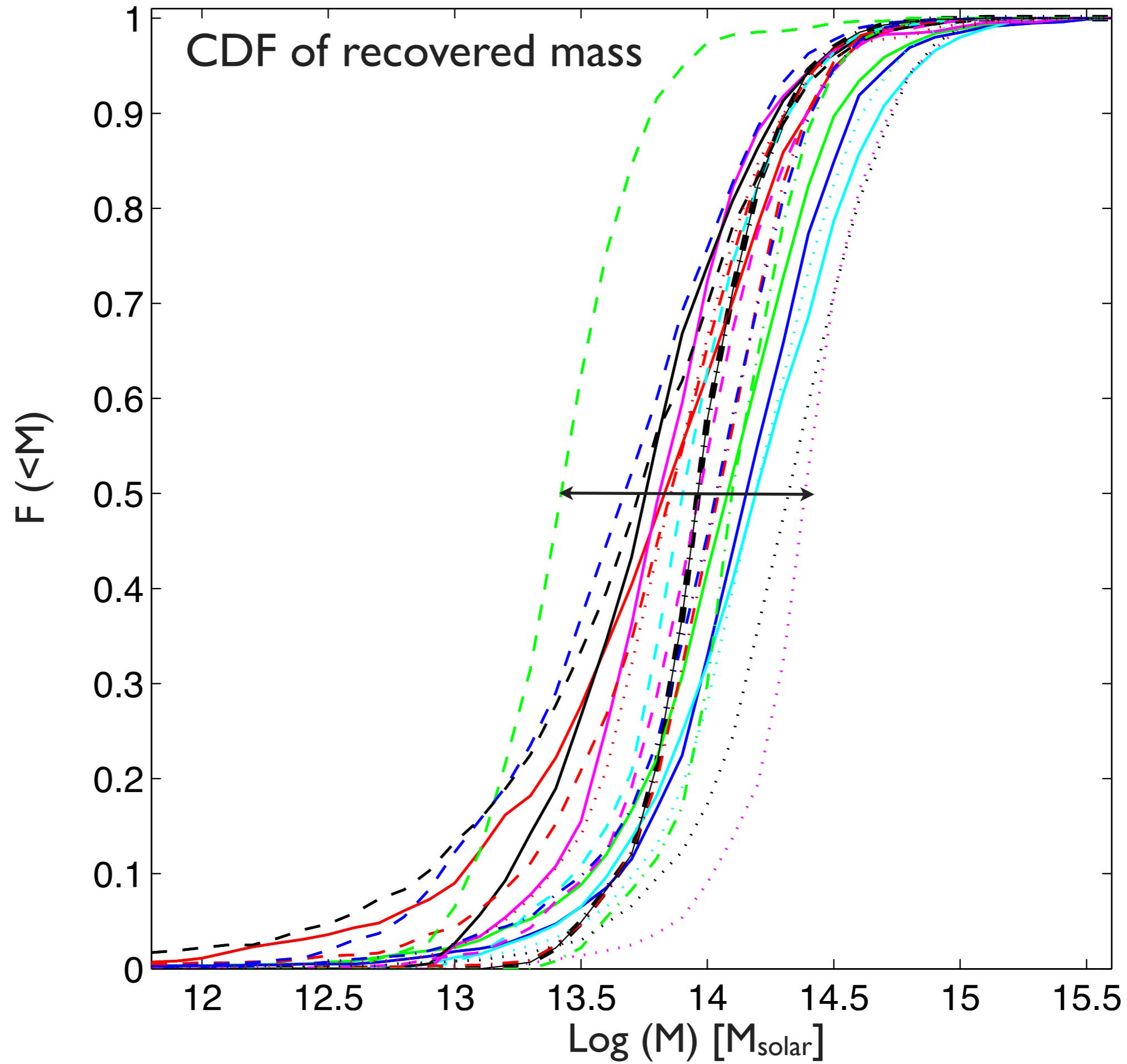
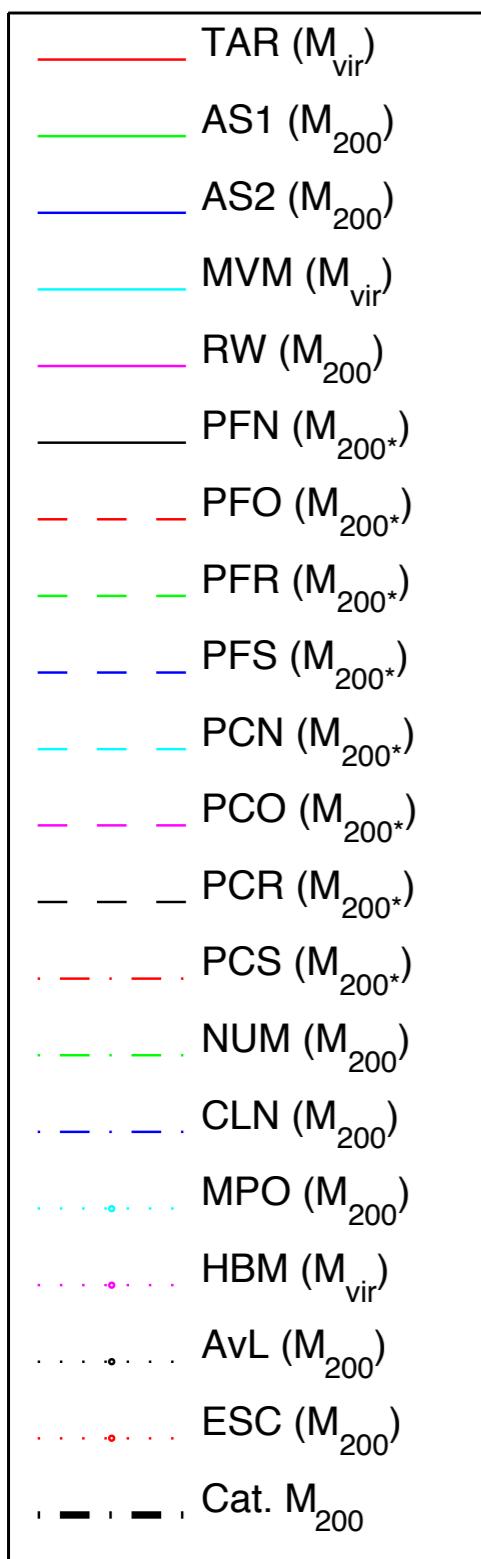
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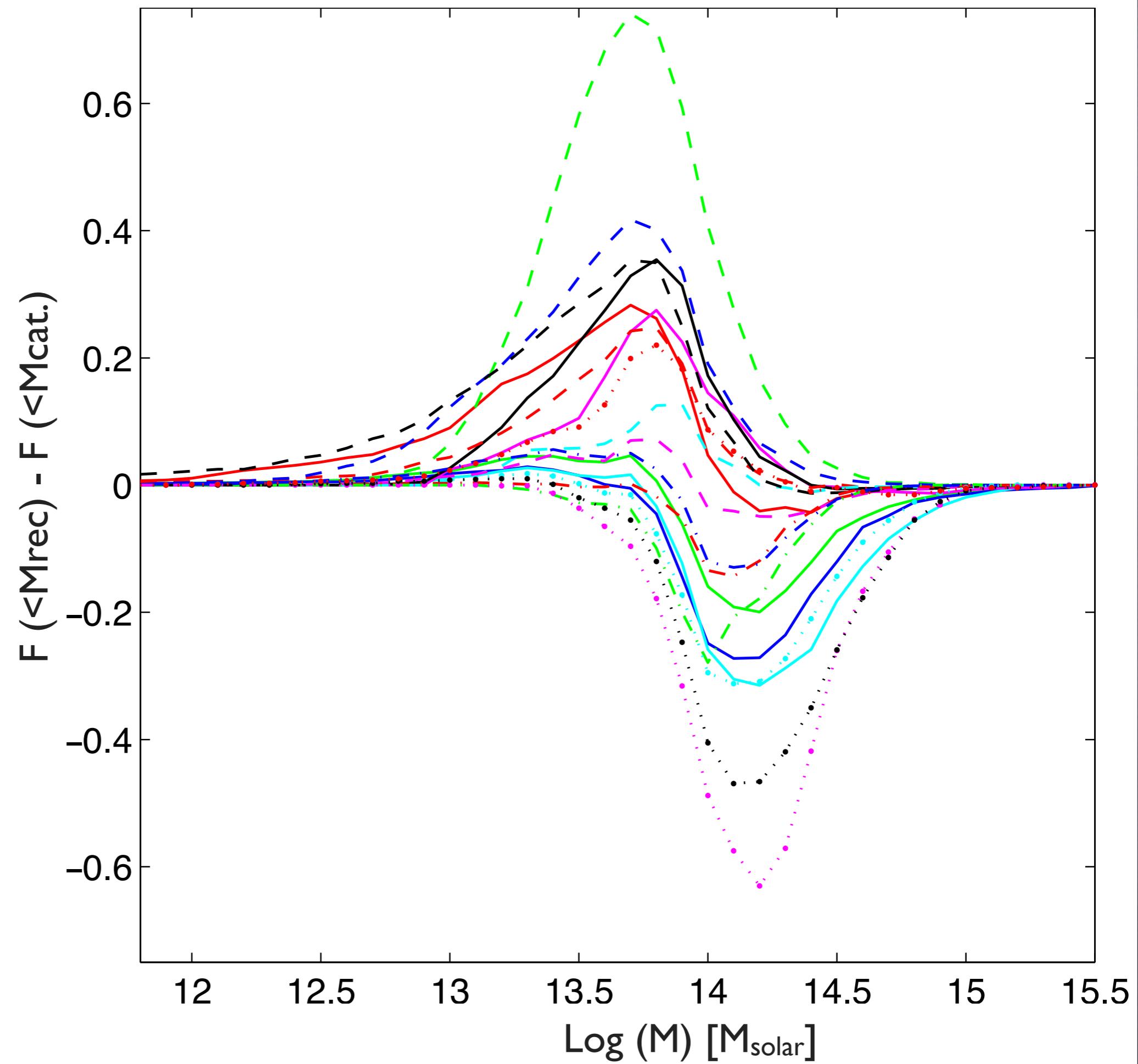
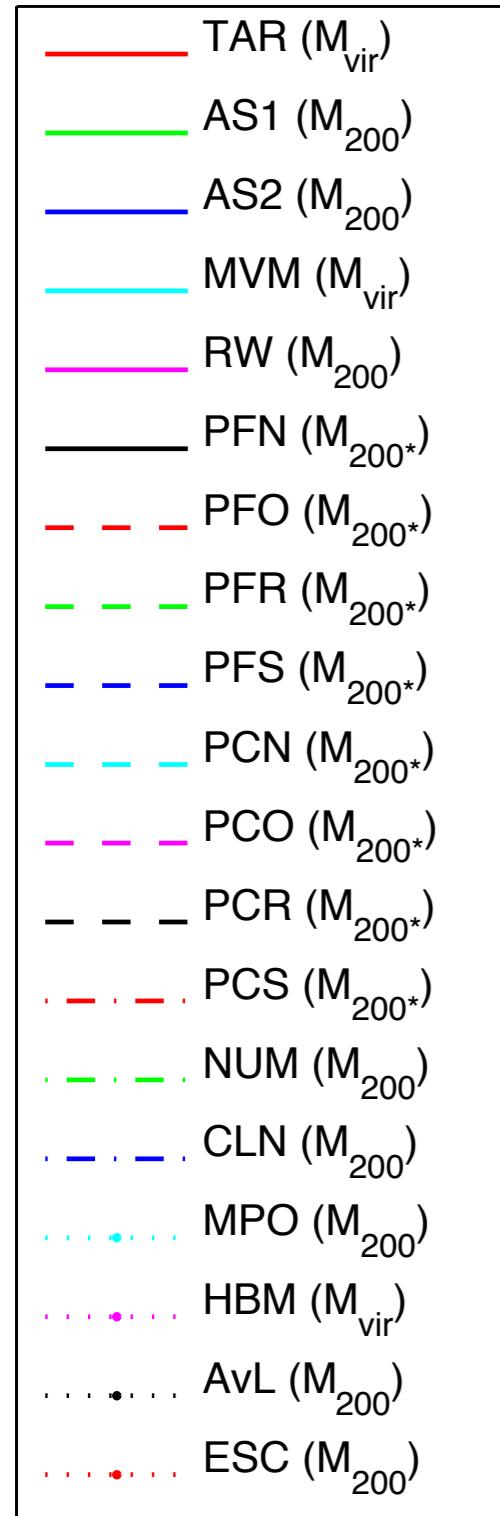




Peak of mass distributions for low and high mass haloes







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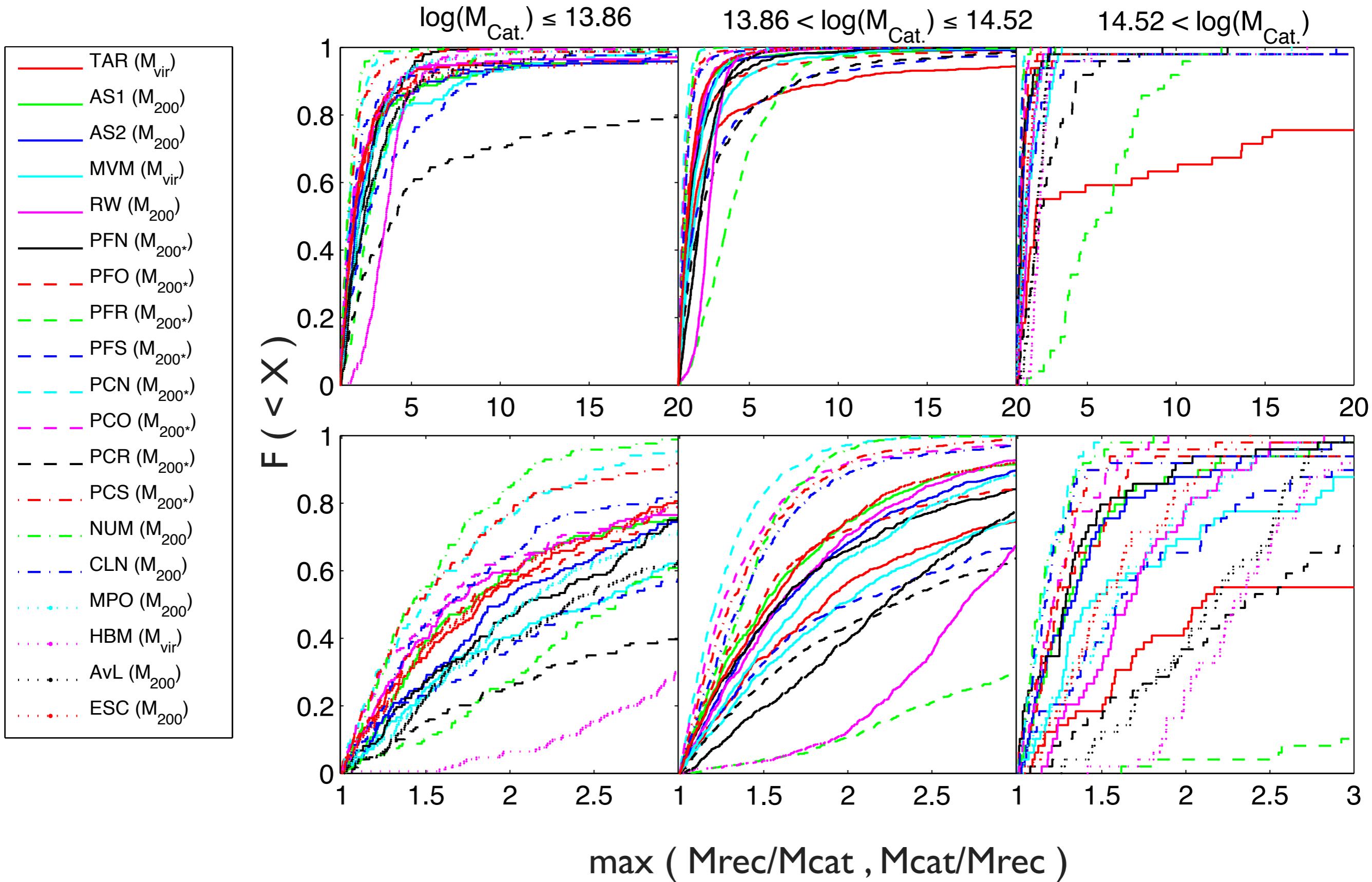
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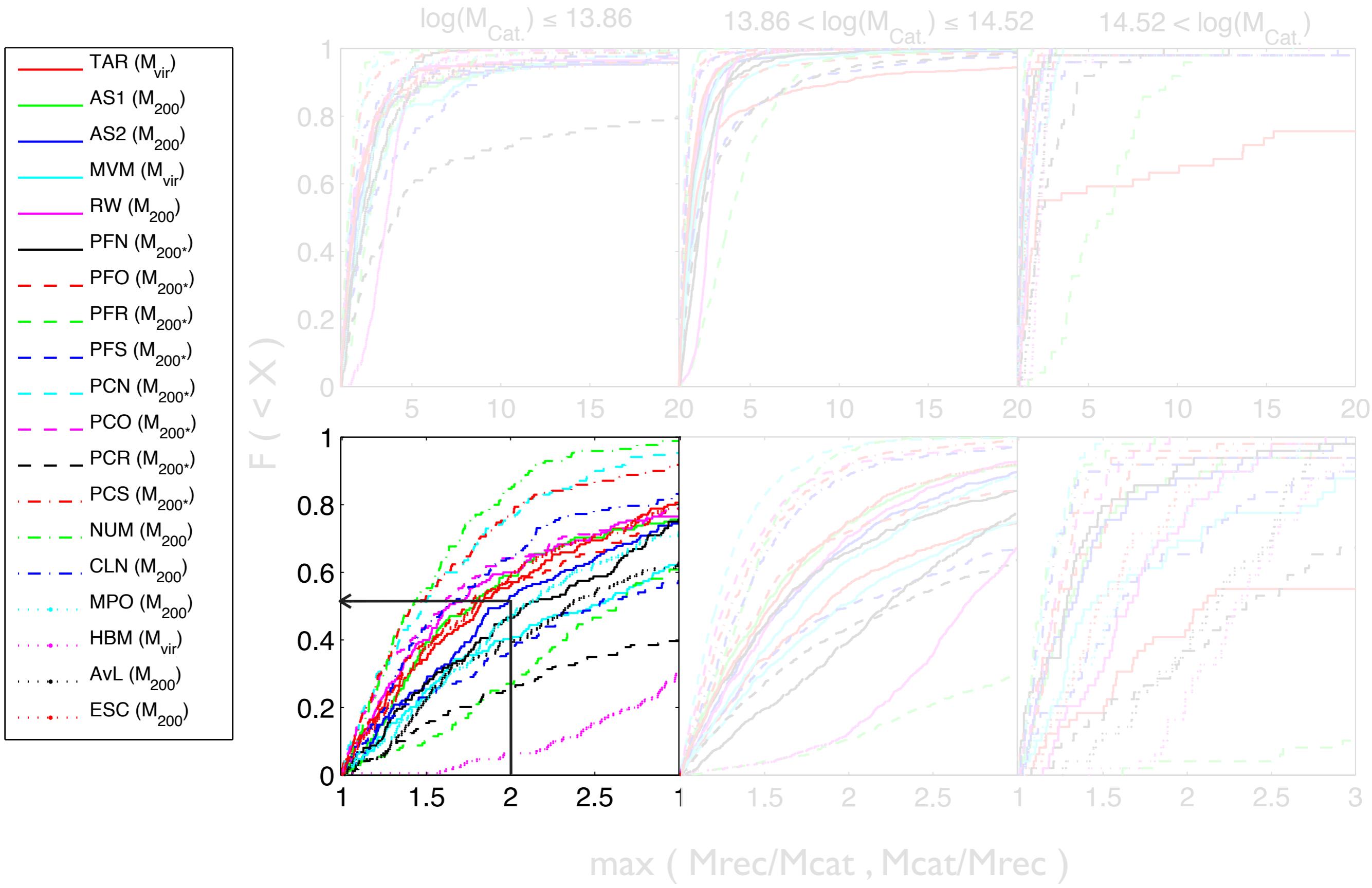
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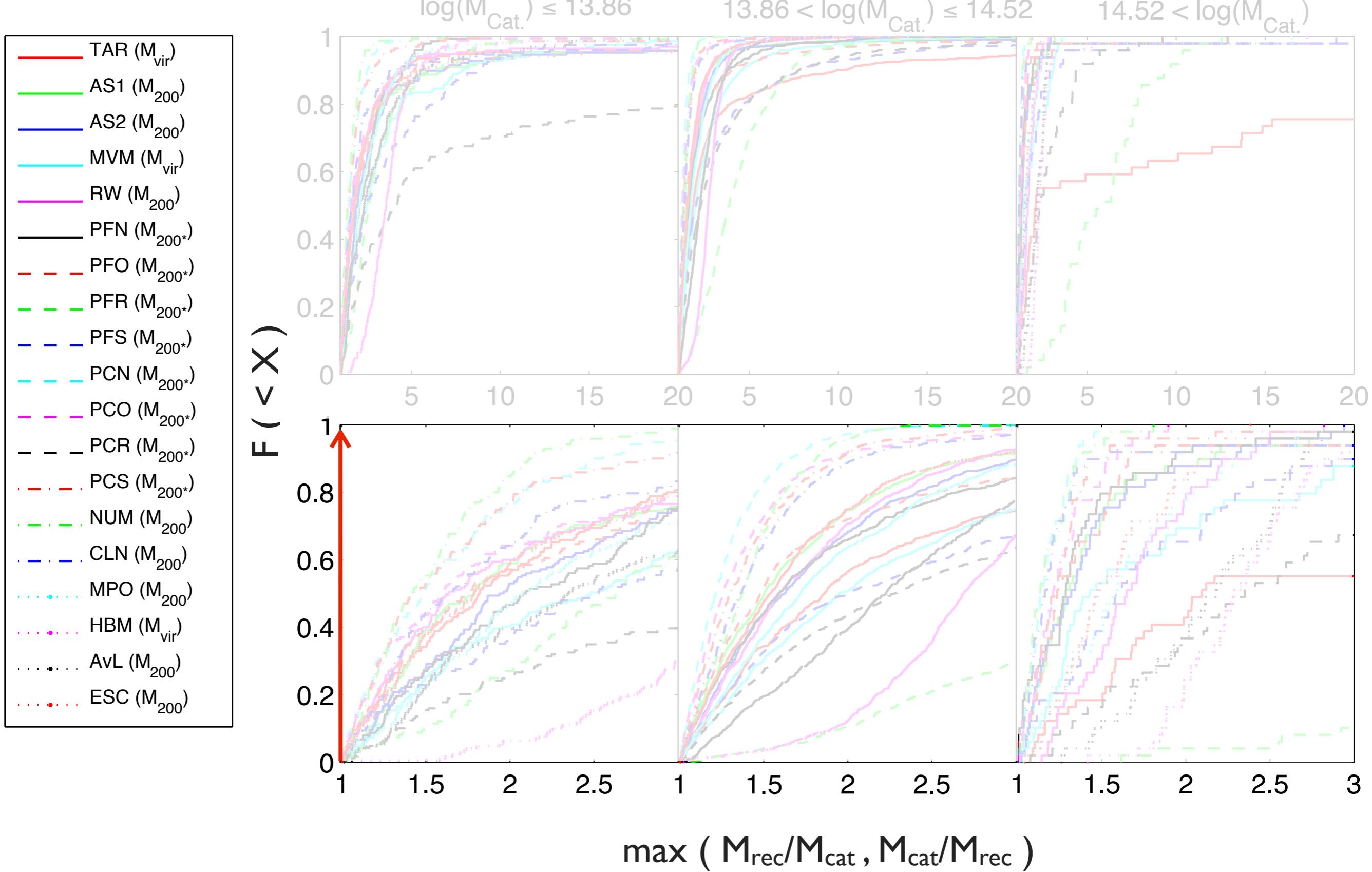
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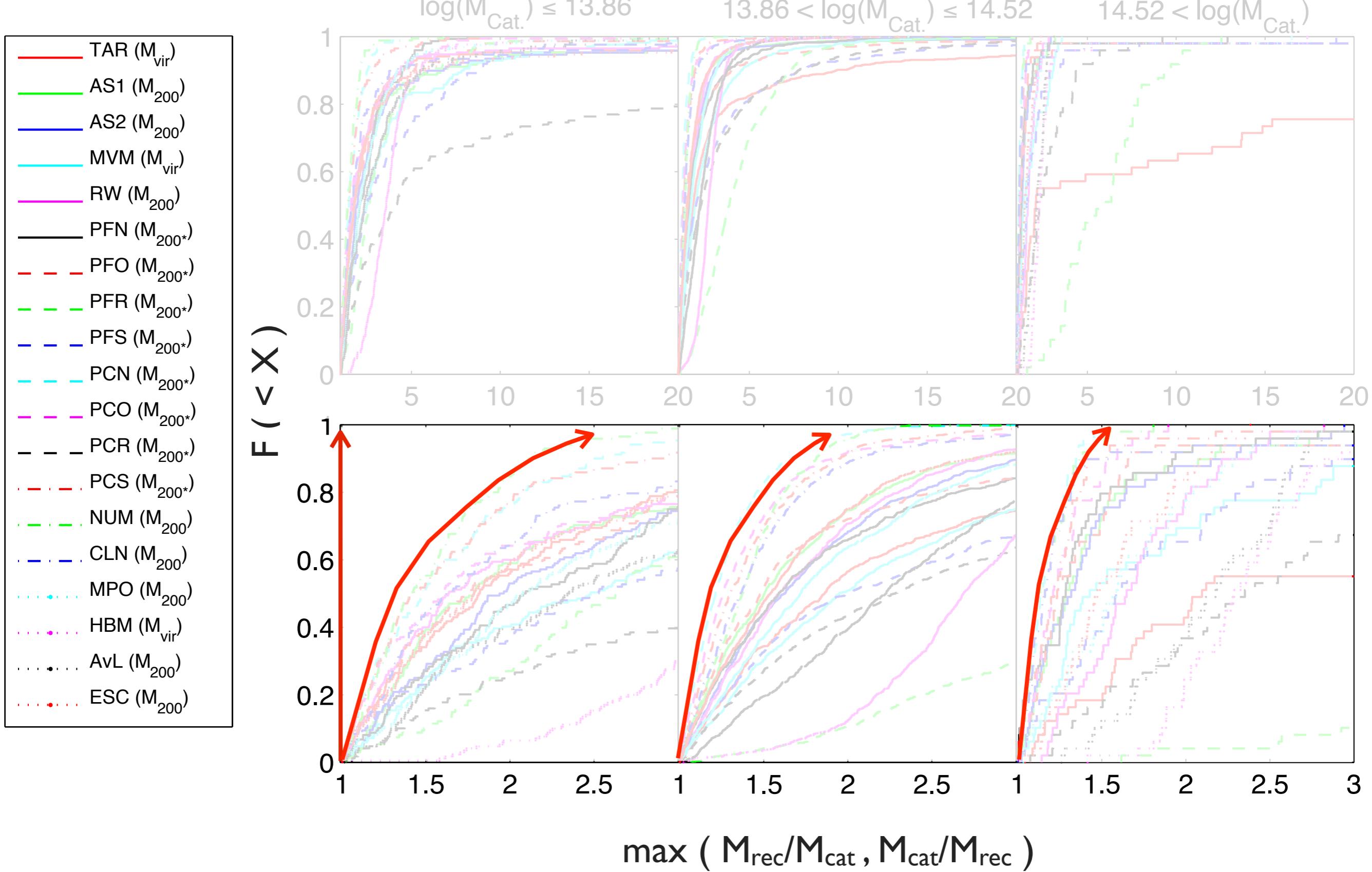
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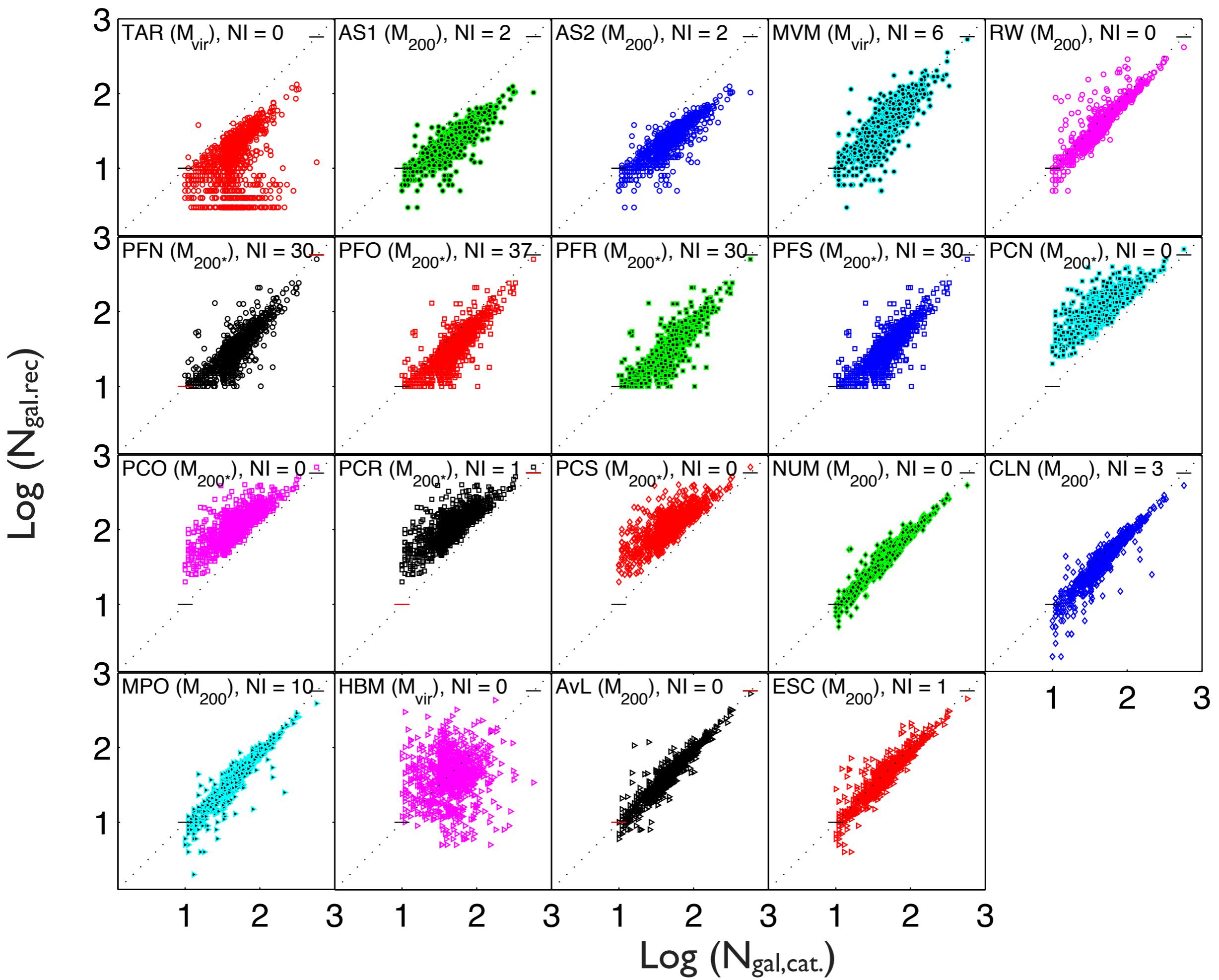


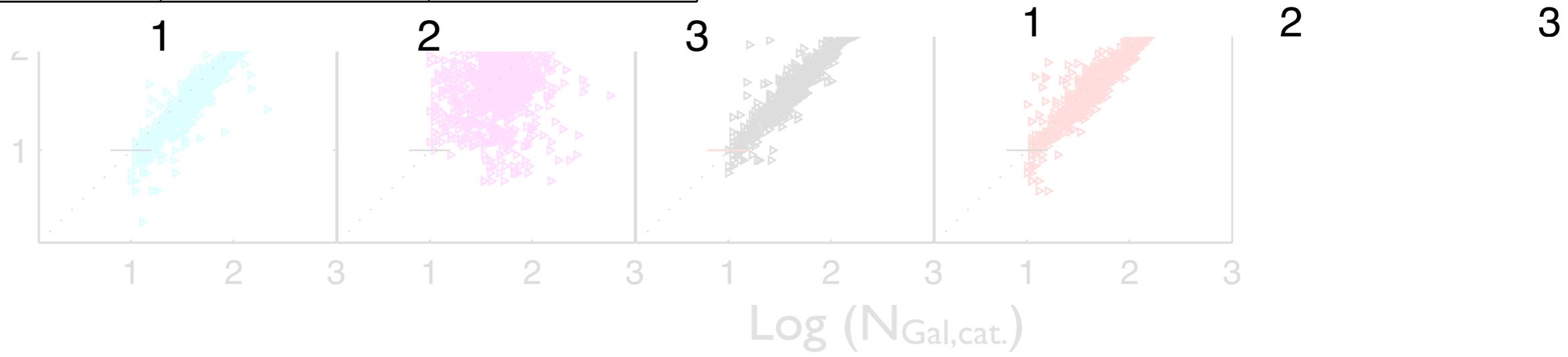
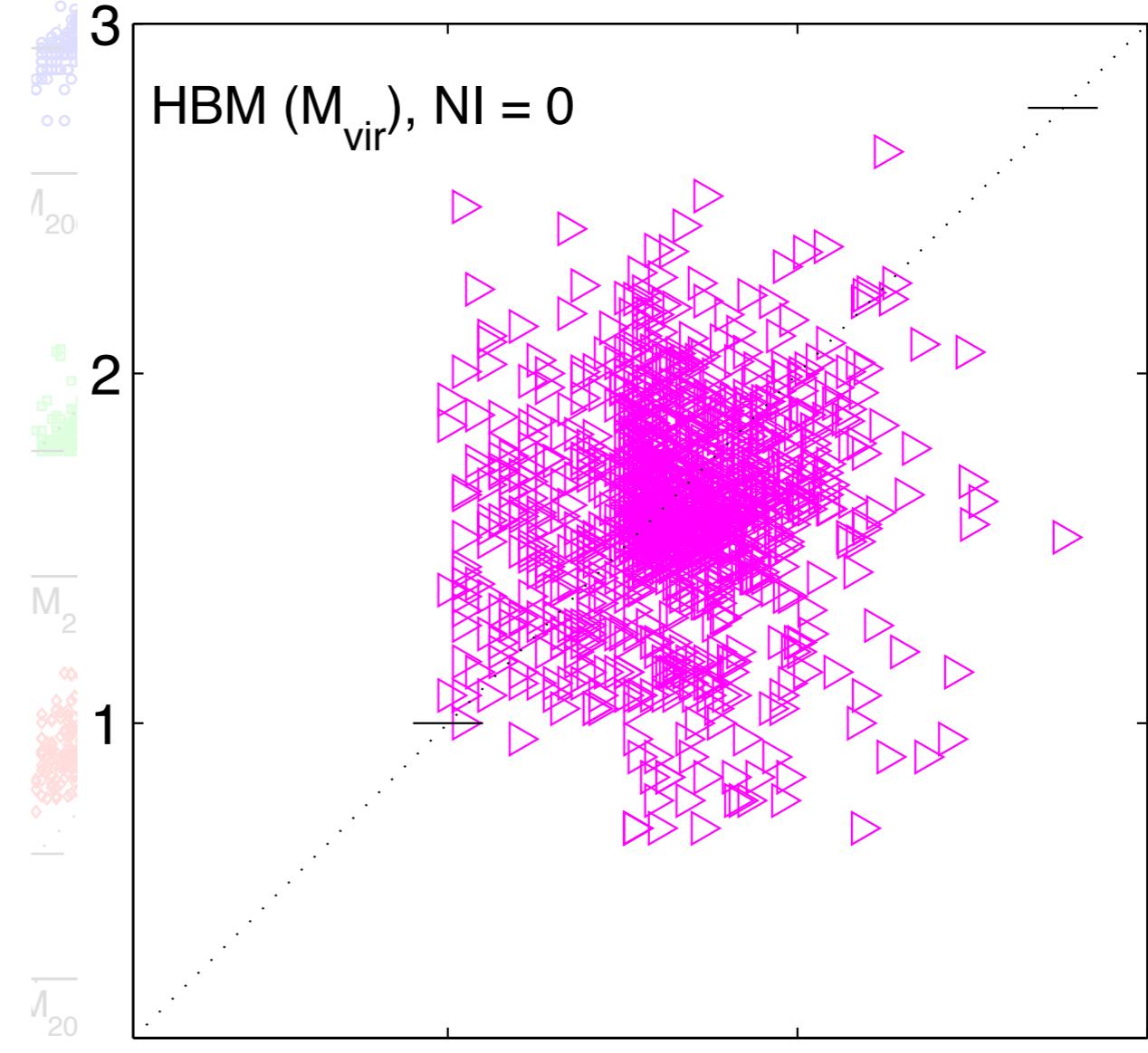
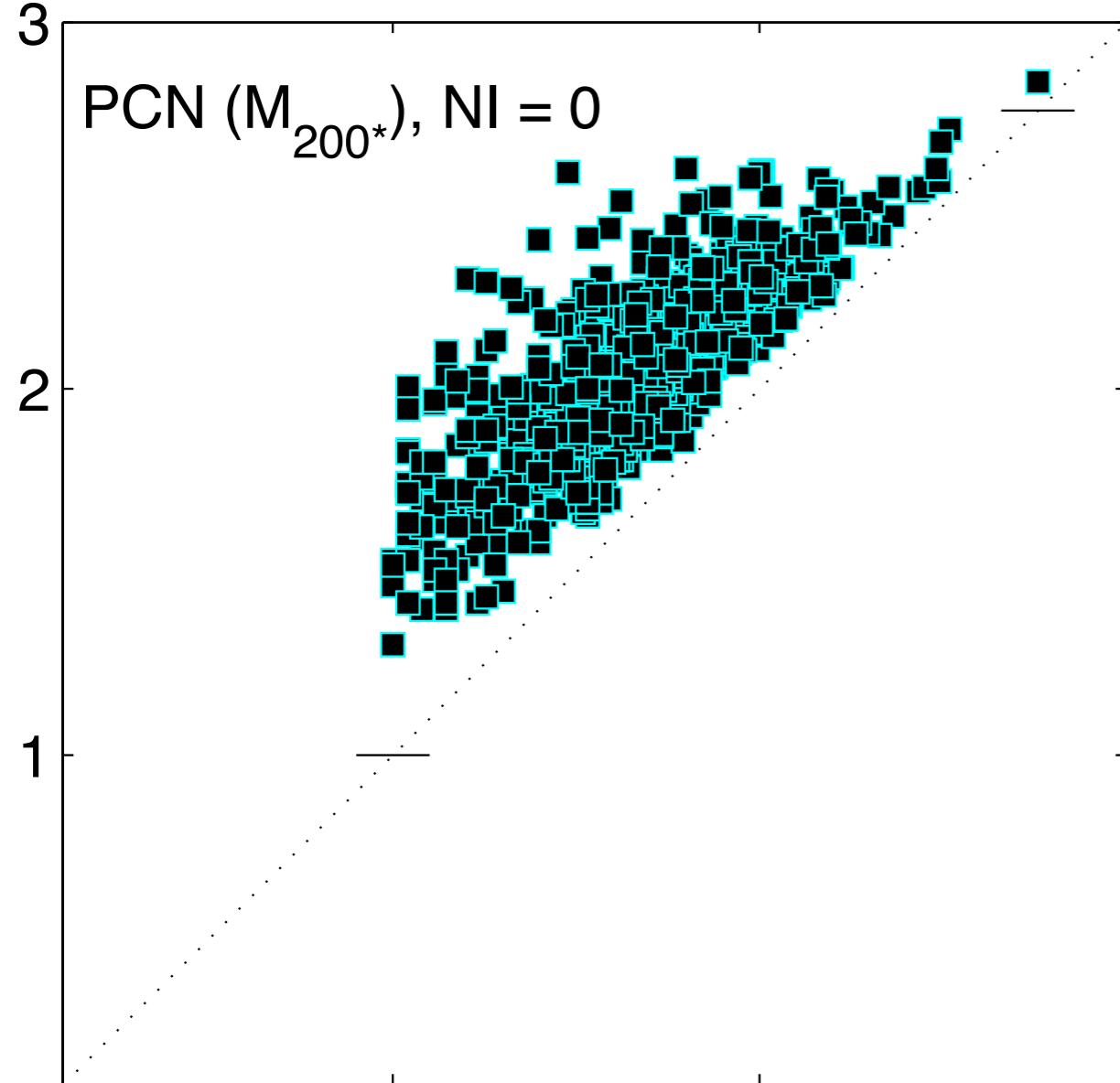
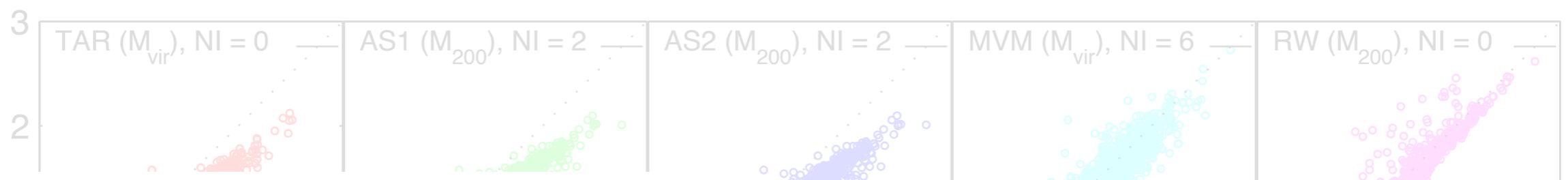
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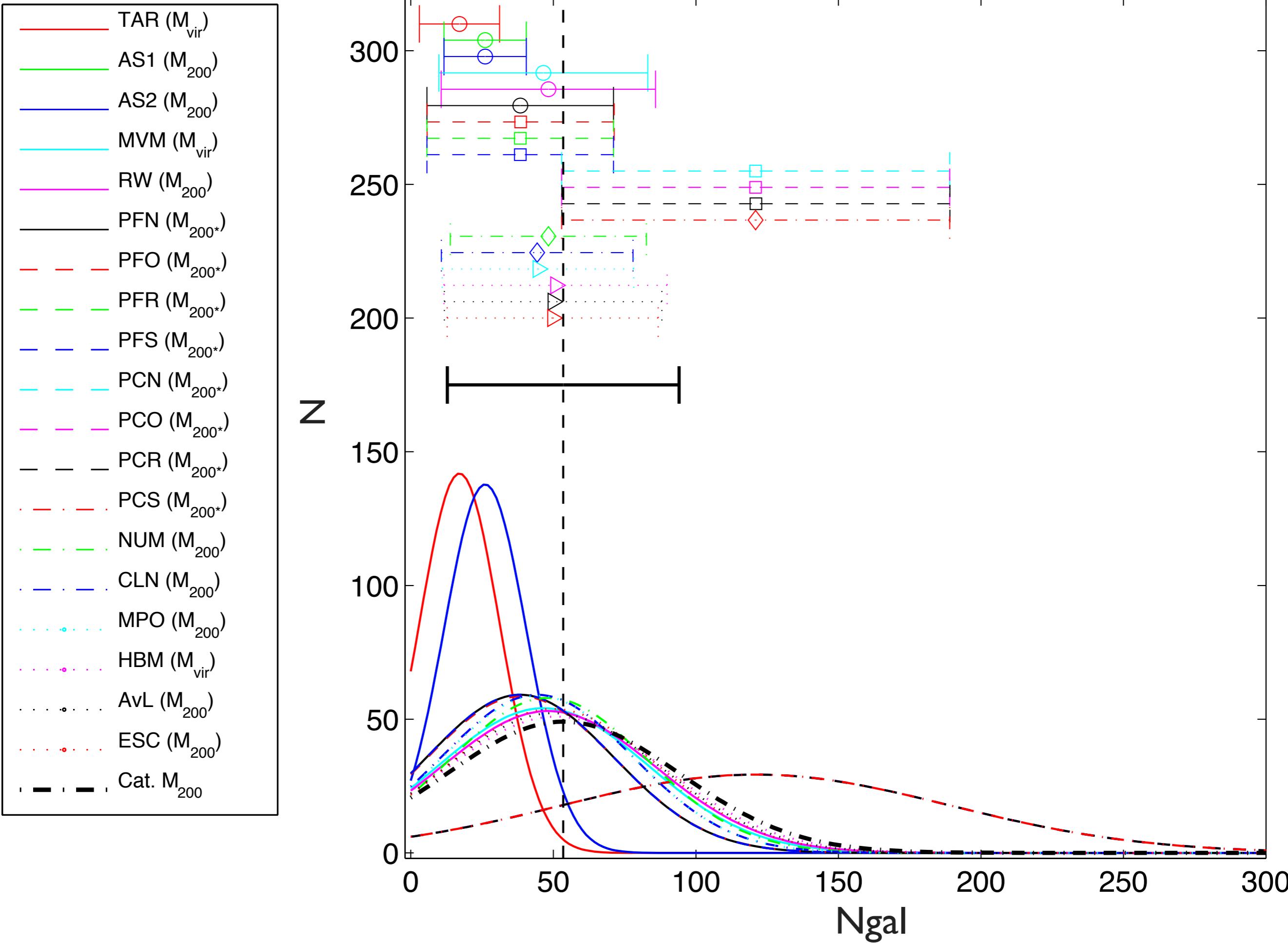
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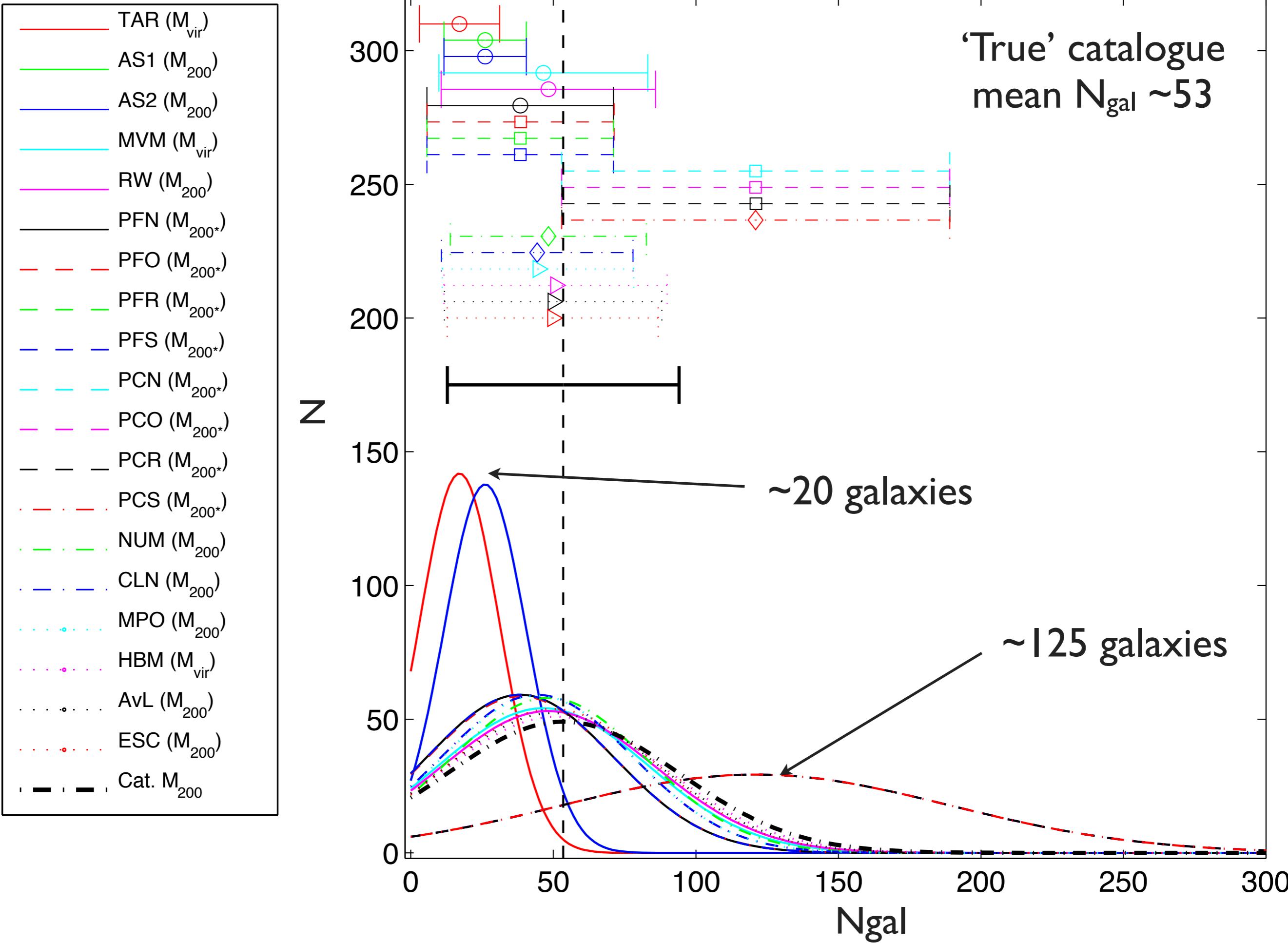




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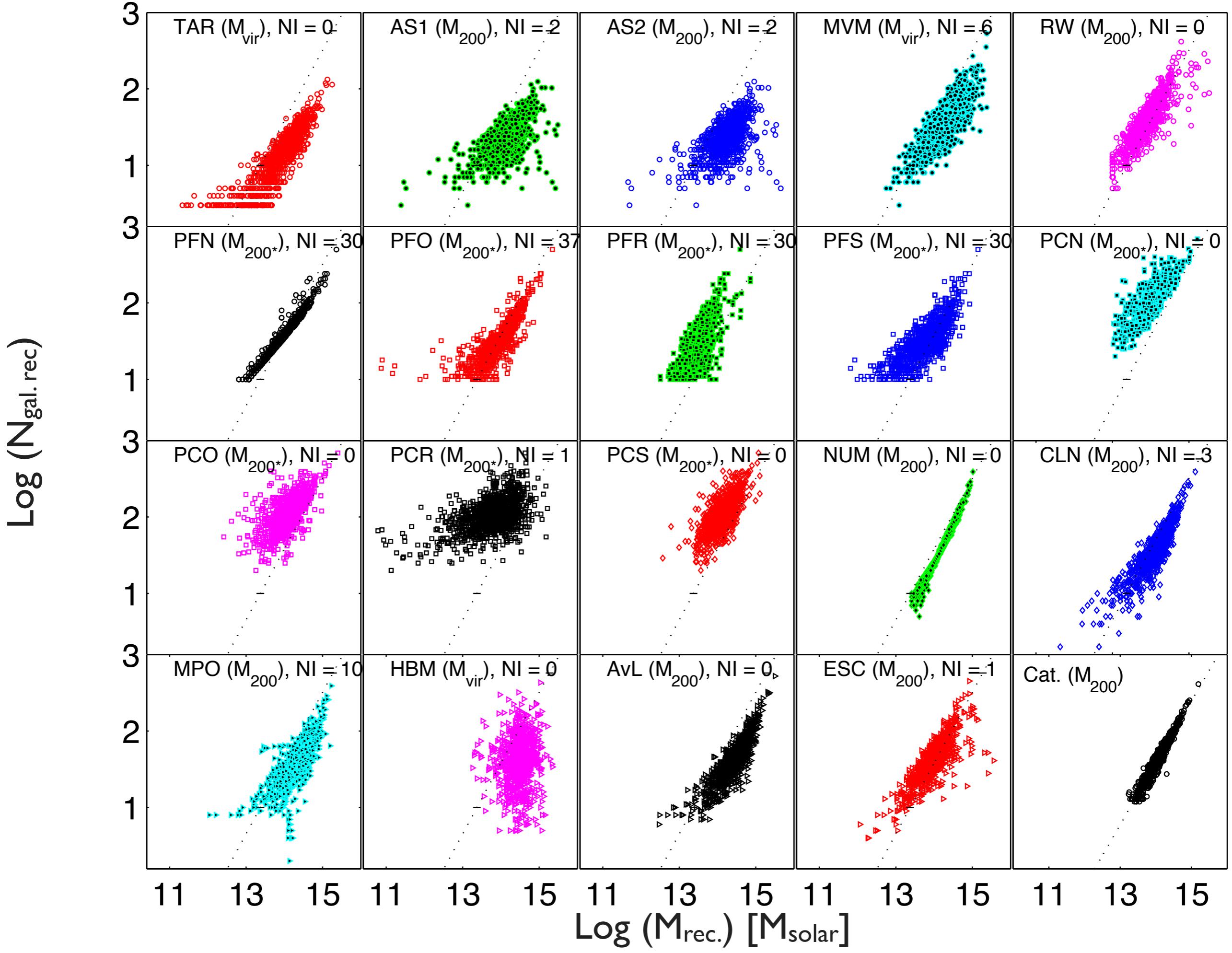
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Summary

- Majority of methods recover halo mass more accurately for higher mass haloes than lower mass haloes.
- Richness based methods within a cylindrical volume appear to recover more accurate masses than FoF based methods.
- Even methods with the lowest fractional deviations, on average, under- or over-estimate halo mass by $\sim 20\text{-}70\%$.
- The number of galaxies associated with each halo also varies substantially, from $N_{\text{gal}} \sim 20$ to $N_{\text{gal}} \sim 125$.

Next step: incorporate new methods, R_{200}/σ , phase 2!