Grading Rubric : ASTR400B Research Assignment 2

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**A Introduction 8.5 / 10**

Each of the below points should be a separate paragraph in your introduction.

1. Define the Proposed Topic. 0/1
2. State why this topic matters to our understanding of galaxy evolution. 2/2
3. Overview our current understanding of the topic. 2/2
4. What are the open questions in the field? 2/2
5. Cite at least 3 journal papers. Use BibTex for formatting citations 1/1
6. Include at least one figure with caption from those papers to motivate your work. 1.5/2

**B. The Proposal 8/ 10**

They must answer each of the below questions as separate subsections.

1. What specific question(s) will you be addressing? 1/1
2. How will you approach the problem using the simulation data? Here you should outline the codes you’d need to write. It can be in general terms. 4/5
3. Include at least one figure that illustrates your methodology. 2/2
4. What is your hypothesis of what you will find? Why do you think this will occur? 1/2

**C. Misc. 5 /5**

1. Proper Grammar 1/1
2. Included a bibliography 1/1
3. In Latex and ApJ/MNRAS formatting 2/2
4. On Time/On Github 1/1

**TOTAL** 21.5**/25**

**Late Penalty:**

* if submitted on due date, but after 5 PM  **(-5 points).**
* Proposals will **not be accepted** after the due date.

**Comments: -1: define proposed topic in the introduction, -0.5: need better resolution for Fig 1, -1: you would need to investigate disk and halo particles within a certain radius since some particles might get flung out and you don’t want to consider them. Talk to us. -1: for your hypothesis - there is no gas in the simulation, so star-formation cannot occur.**