

# PUBLICATIONS

NASA ADS records as of Oct 2023:

Total: 46 publications, 42 in refereed journals, > 4900 citations, h-index=26.

## I. First- and Second-Author Papers

10. **Yang, Q.**; Green, P. J. et al. (2023). *Accretion Power and the Broad Line Region in Real-time: Finding Galaxies Turning Into Quasars*. Near submission.
9. Zhuang, M.-Y.; **Yang, Q.**; Shen, Y. (2023) *High-cadence Extragalactic Legacy-fields Monitoring (HELM) with DECam*. Near submission.
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