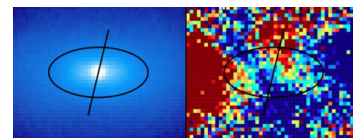
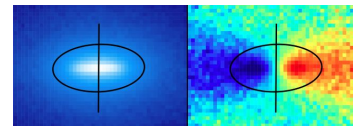


Massive ellipticals in Illustris

how to make a **fast** rotator
into a **slow** rotator



- Born a **fast** rotator
- Major **mergers** alter galaxy
- but tend to **disrupt**
- Those with **gas** recover quickly
- Those without don't
- Larger galaxies -> less gas
- Larger galaxies -> more mergers
- When merger rate > recovery rate
-> **slow** rotator

