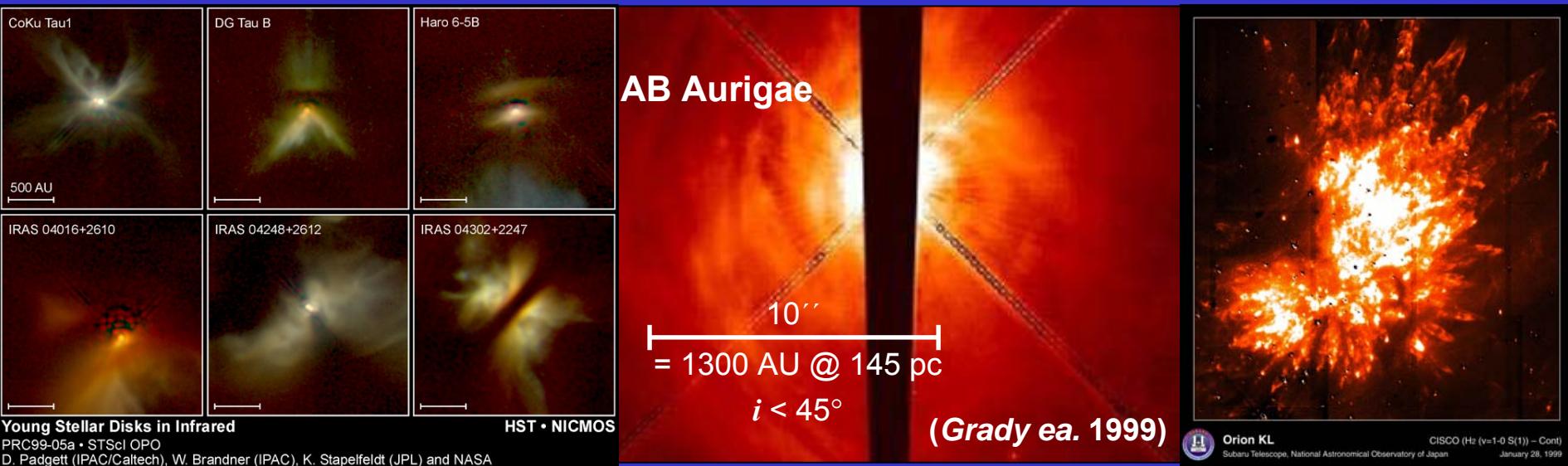


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# Disk around very young massive stars



T Tauri stars ☺ ☺ ☺

Herbig Ae stars ☺ ☺ ☺

mYSOs ???

# Importance of massive stars

Enormous impact on ISM and star clusters

- Outflows and jets
- UV radiation
- Nucleosynthesis
- Supernovae

Massive star formation is the only star formation mode observable in extragalactic systems.



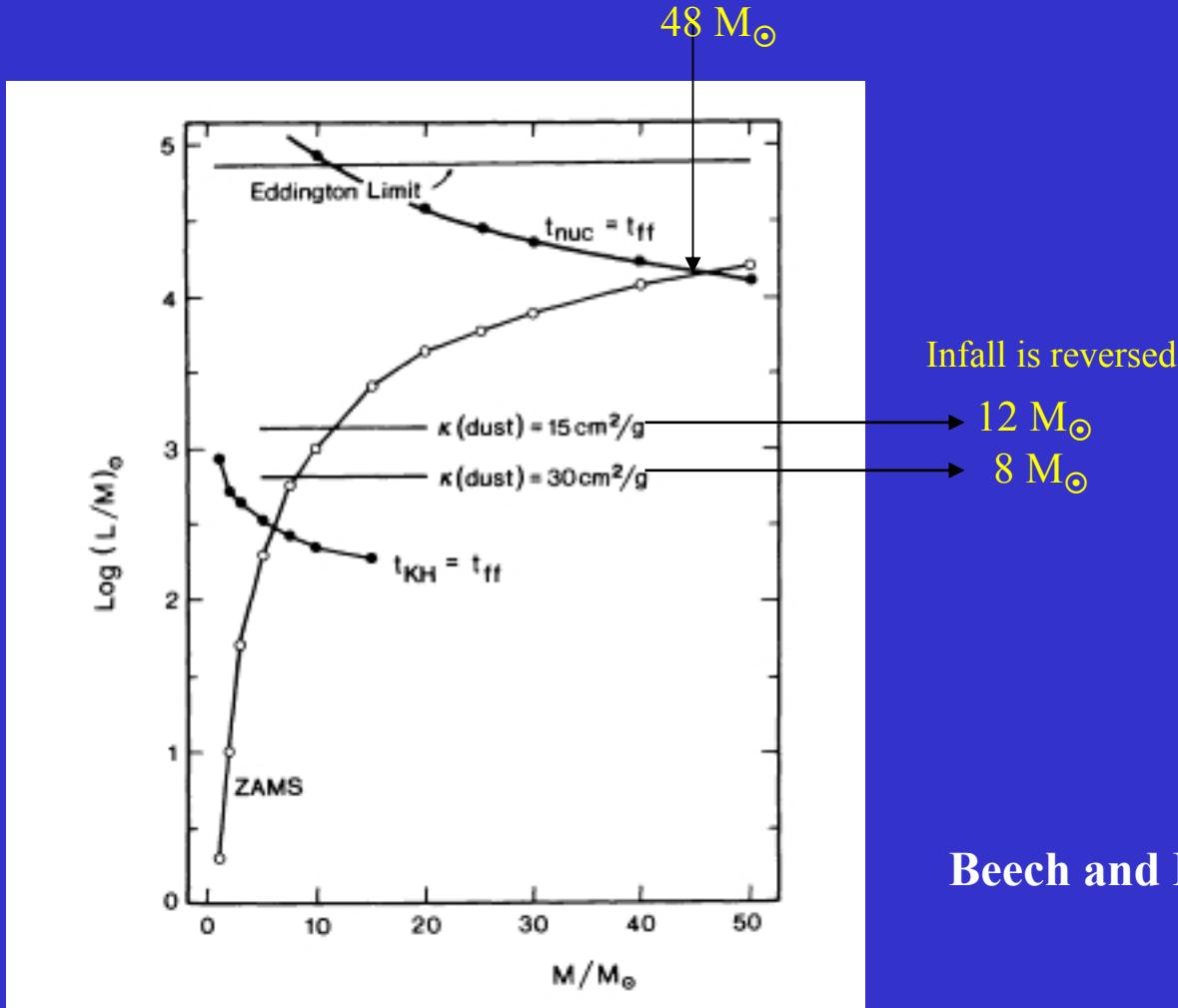
**Orion Nebula**

Subaru Telescope, National Astronomical Observatory of Japan

CISCO (J, K' & H<sub>2</sub> (v=1-0 S(1))

January 28, 1999

# Luminosity-to-mass ratio



High-mass stars: Mass larger than  $8 M_\odot$  – ZAMS B4 –  $10^3 L_\odot$

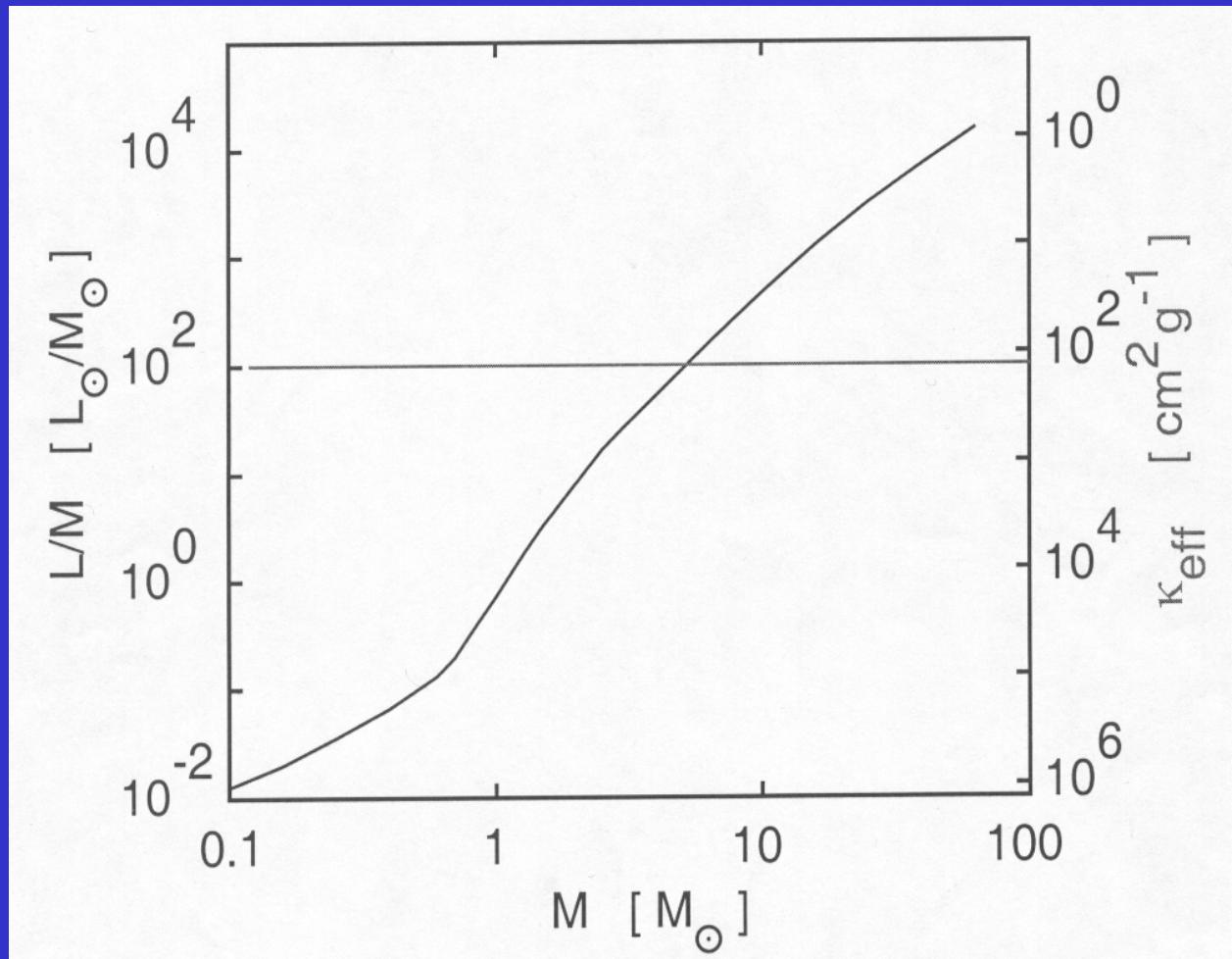
# Accretion Limit - Spherical Symmetry

( Kahn 1974, Yorke & Krügel 1977, Wolfire & Cassinelli 1987)

Gravity  
exceeds  
radiative  
acceleration

$$\frac{GM}{r^2} > \frac{\kappa_{\text{eff}} L}{4\pi r^2 c}$$

with       $L = L_* + L_{\text{acc}}$



$$\Rightarrow \kappa_{\text{eff}} < 130 \text{ cm}^2 \text{g}^{-1} \left[ \frac{M}{10M_\odot} \right] \left[ \frac{L}{1000L_\odot} \right]^{-1}$$

# Possible Solutions (2D)

- Formation of accretion disks: Ongoing accretion due to ram pressure for lower accretion rates than in 1D spherical case

(Nakano 1989, Nakano, Hasegawa & Norman 1995, Jyjina & Adams 1996, Yorke & Sonnhalter 2002)

- Anisotropic radiation field - “flashlight effect” (Yorke & Sonnhalter 2002)
- Increased flashlight effect by wind-driven cavities (Krumholz, McKee & Klein 2005a)

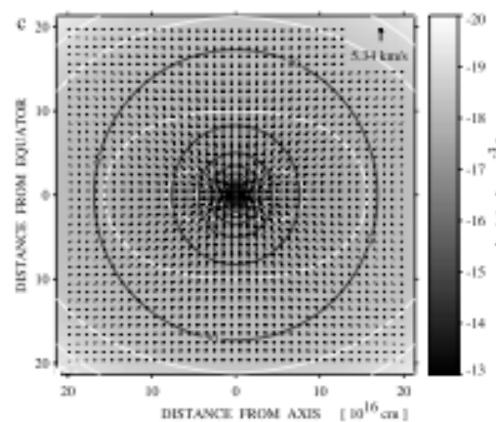


Fig. 9.—Distribution of density, velocity, and grain temperature for case G60 at evolutionary times as indicated in Table 4. Symbols and lines are as in Fig. 8.

Yorke & Sonnhalter (2002)

Krumholz, McKee & Klein (2005a)

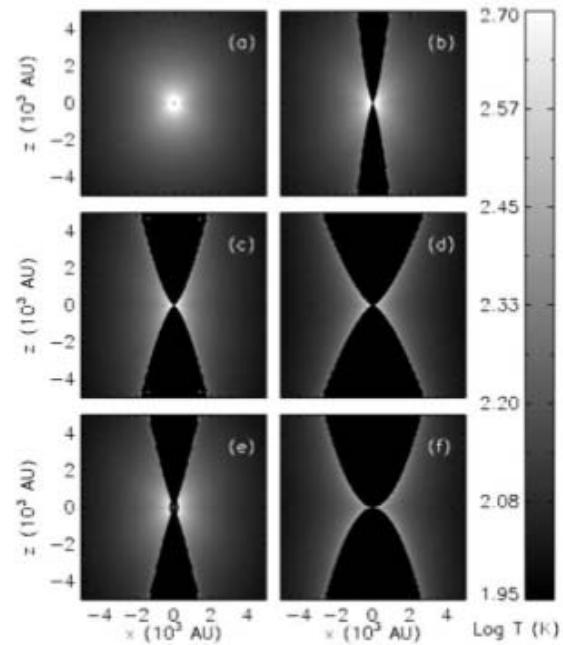
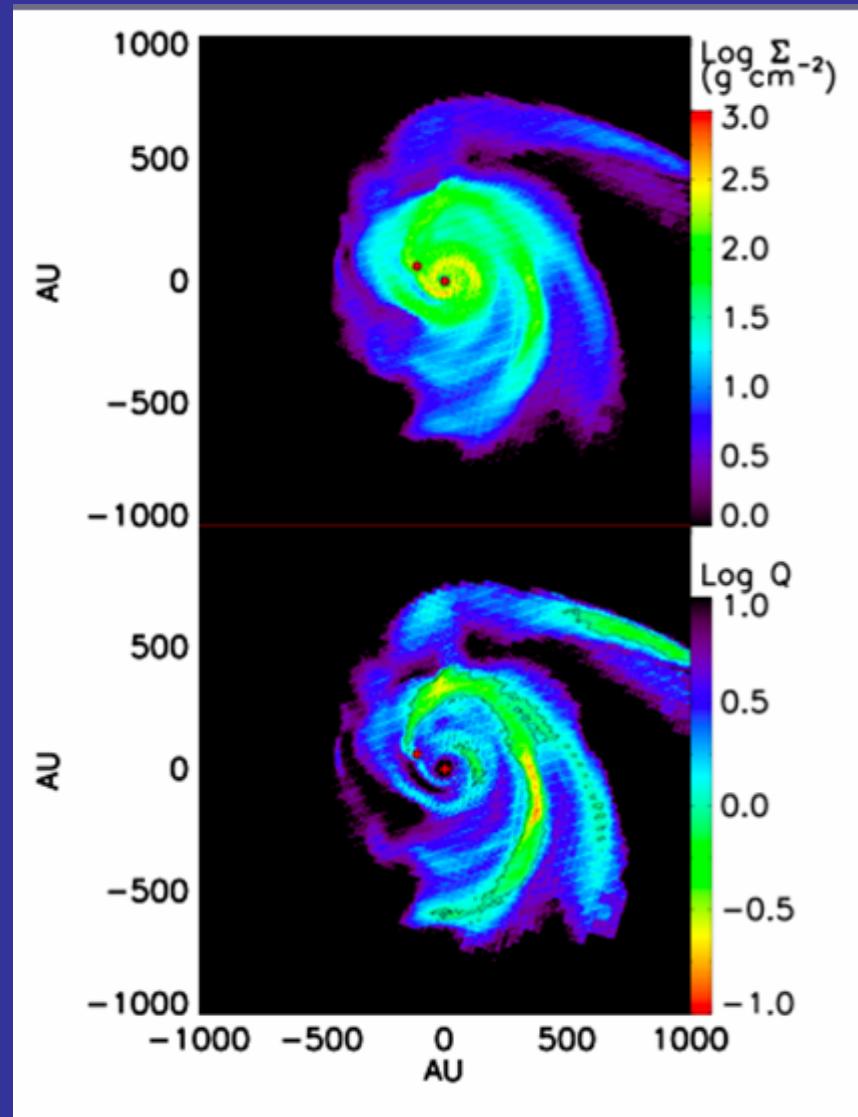


FIG. 1.—Color maps show the gas temperatures for each of our models. The models are (a) no wind cavity, (b)  $\theta_o = 5^\circ$ ,  $b = 1.5$ , (c)  $\theta_o = 10^\circ$ ,  $b = 1.5$ , (d)  $\theta_o = 15^\circ$ ,  $b = 1.5$ , (e)  $\theta_o = 10^\circ$ ,  $b = 1.25$ , and (f)  $\theta_o = 10^\circ$ ,  $b = 2.0$ . The white dots inside the cavity in panel c are the result of a minor code bug. [See the electronic edition of the Journal for a color version of this figure.]

# Disks, Accretion, Binaries

- $M_{\text{disk}} / M_* \approx 0.2 - 0.5$
- Global GI creates strong  $m = 1$  spiral pattern
- Disks accrete very rapidly;  $\alpha_{\text{eff}} \sim 1$
- Disks reach  $Q \sim 1$ , form fragments that migrate inward. Tight binaries likely result.



(Kratter & Matzner 2006,  
Krumholz ea. 2007, Kratter ea. 2008)

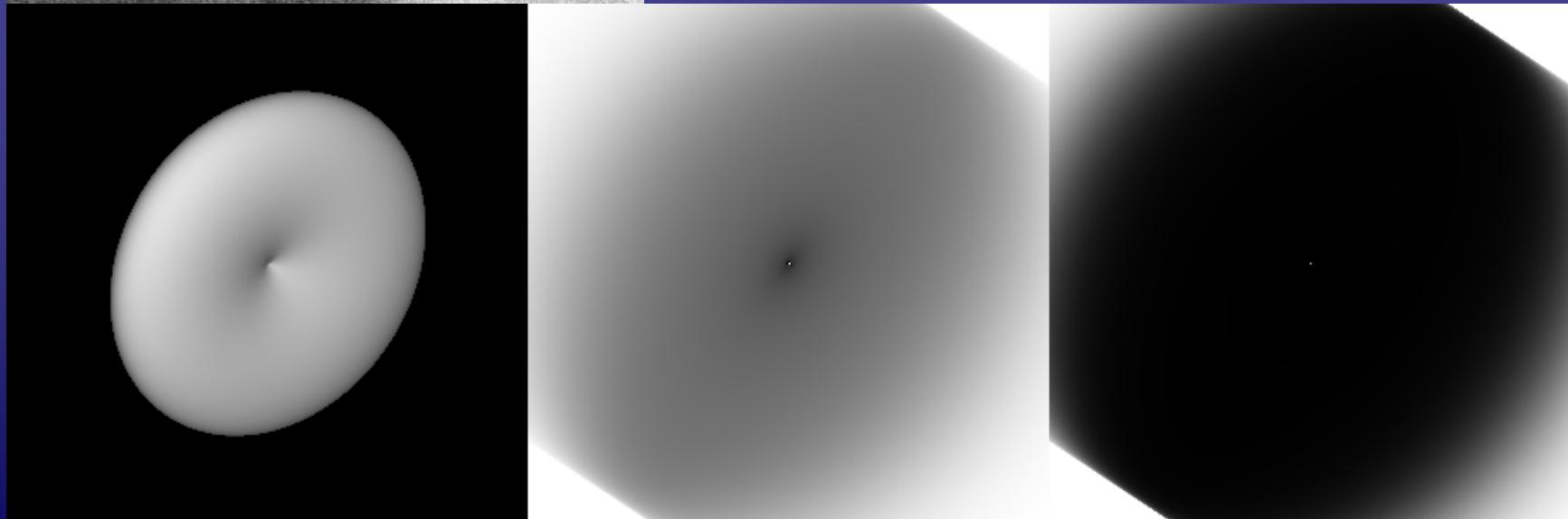
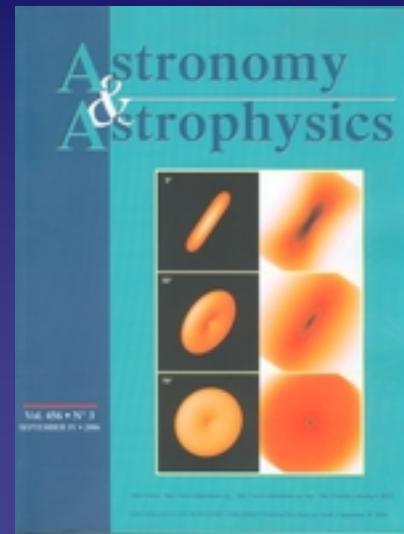
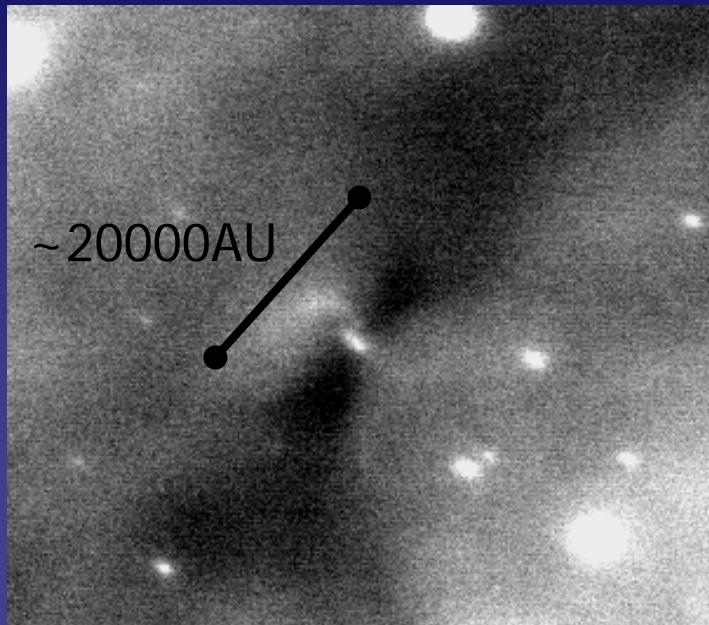
Surface density (upper) and Toomre Q (lower)

# The Challenges

- Very massive objects are rare
- Regions are at large distances (<1000AU gives <1'' for > 1kpc)
- Evolution is presumably fast (High accretion rates upward of  $10^{-4} M_{\text{sun}}/\text{yr}$  over timescales of  $10^5$  yrs)
- MSF regions have complex structure
- Luminosity determination (Resolution, External radiation fields, Non-spherical radiation fields, Underluminous objects (?))

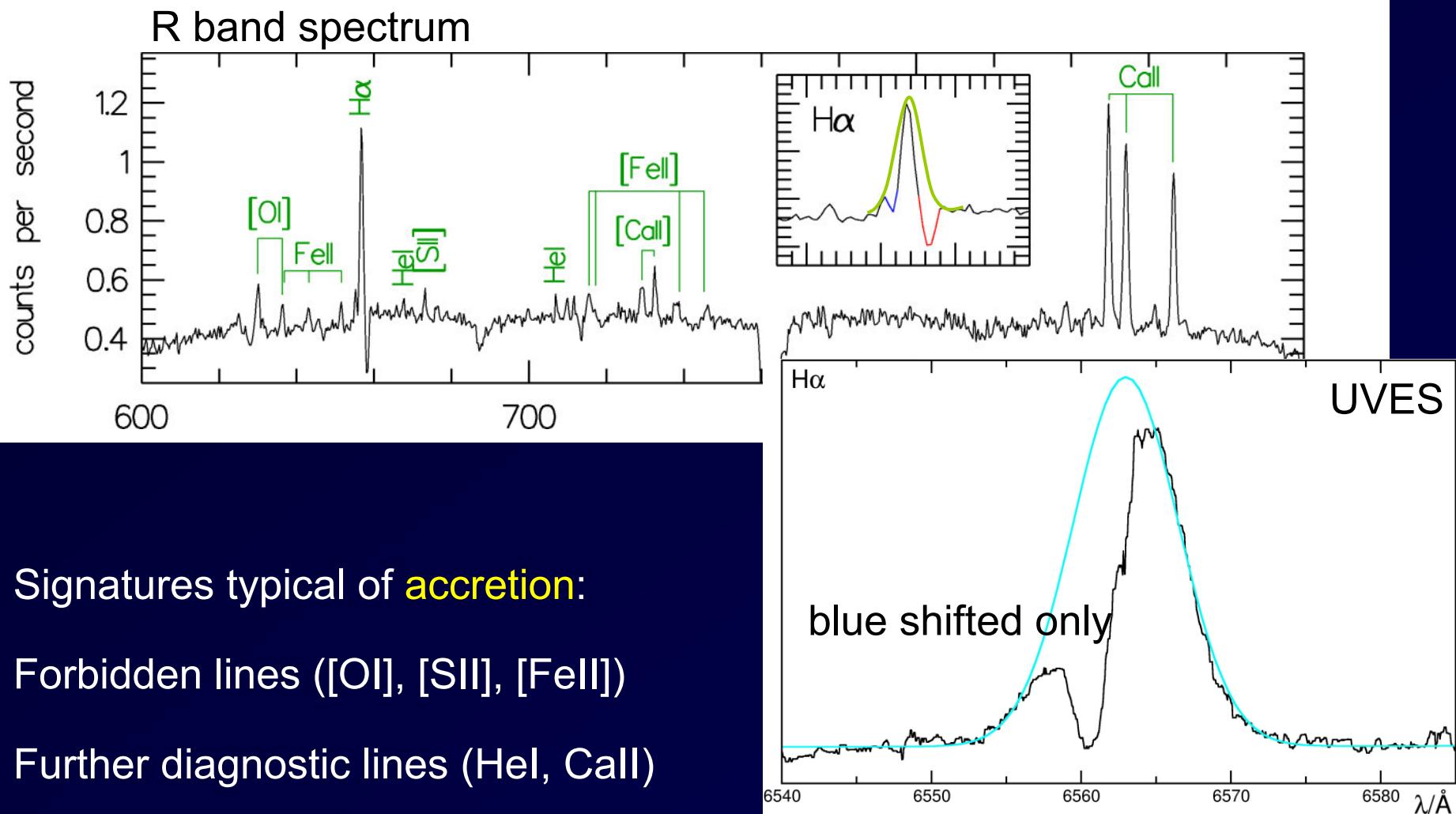


# The SO-1 disk candidate in M17



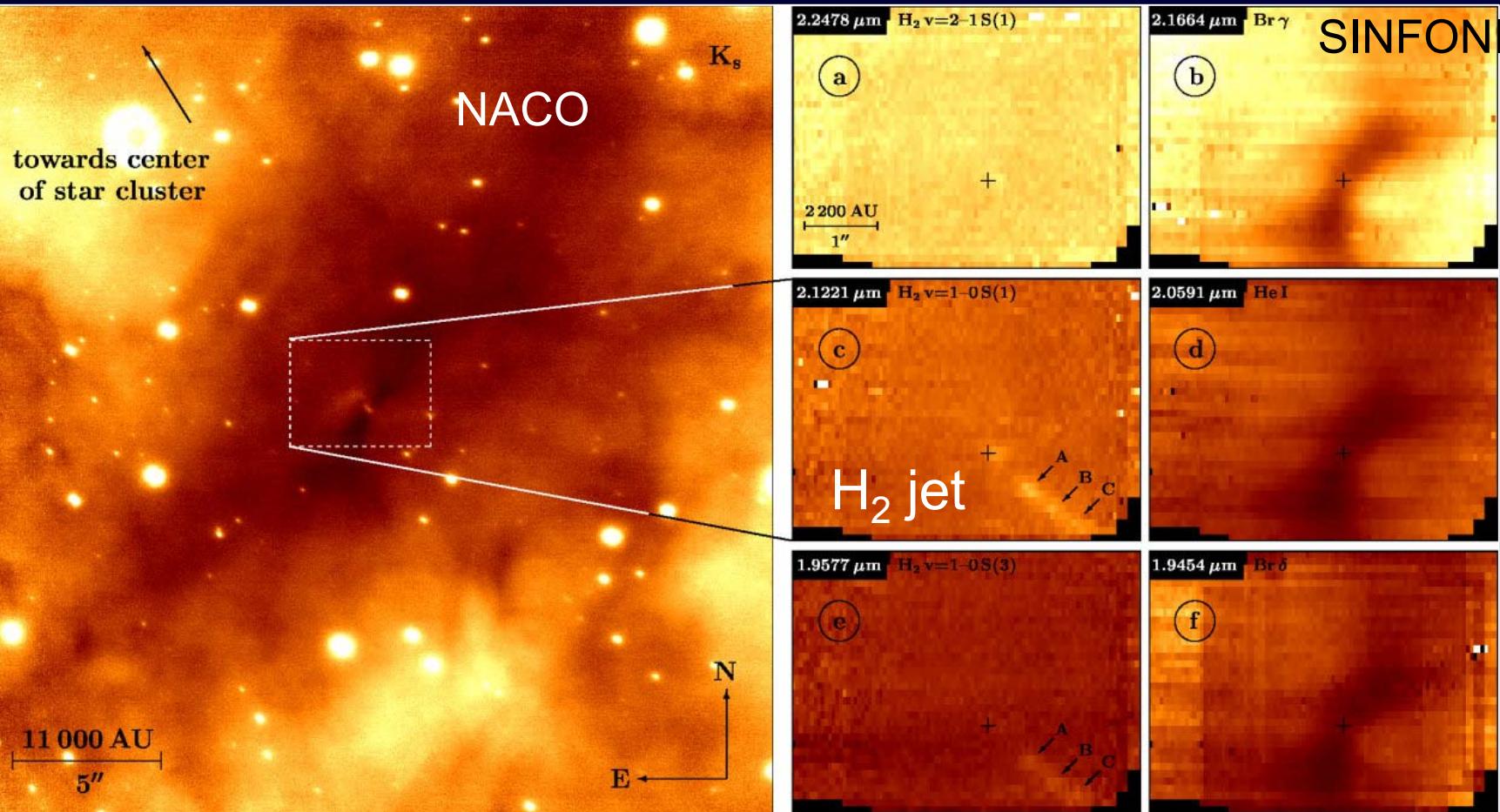
*Chini et al. 2004, Steinacker et al. 2006*

# M17-SO1 – An Accretion Disk



Variable P Cyg profile (normal and inverse) at H $\alpha$   
⇒ Outflow and infall

# M17-SO1 – An Accretion Disk



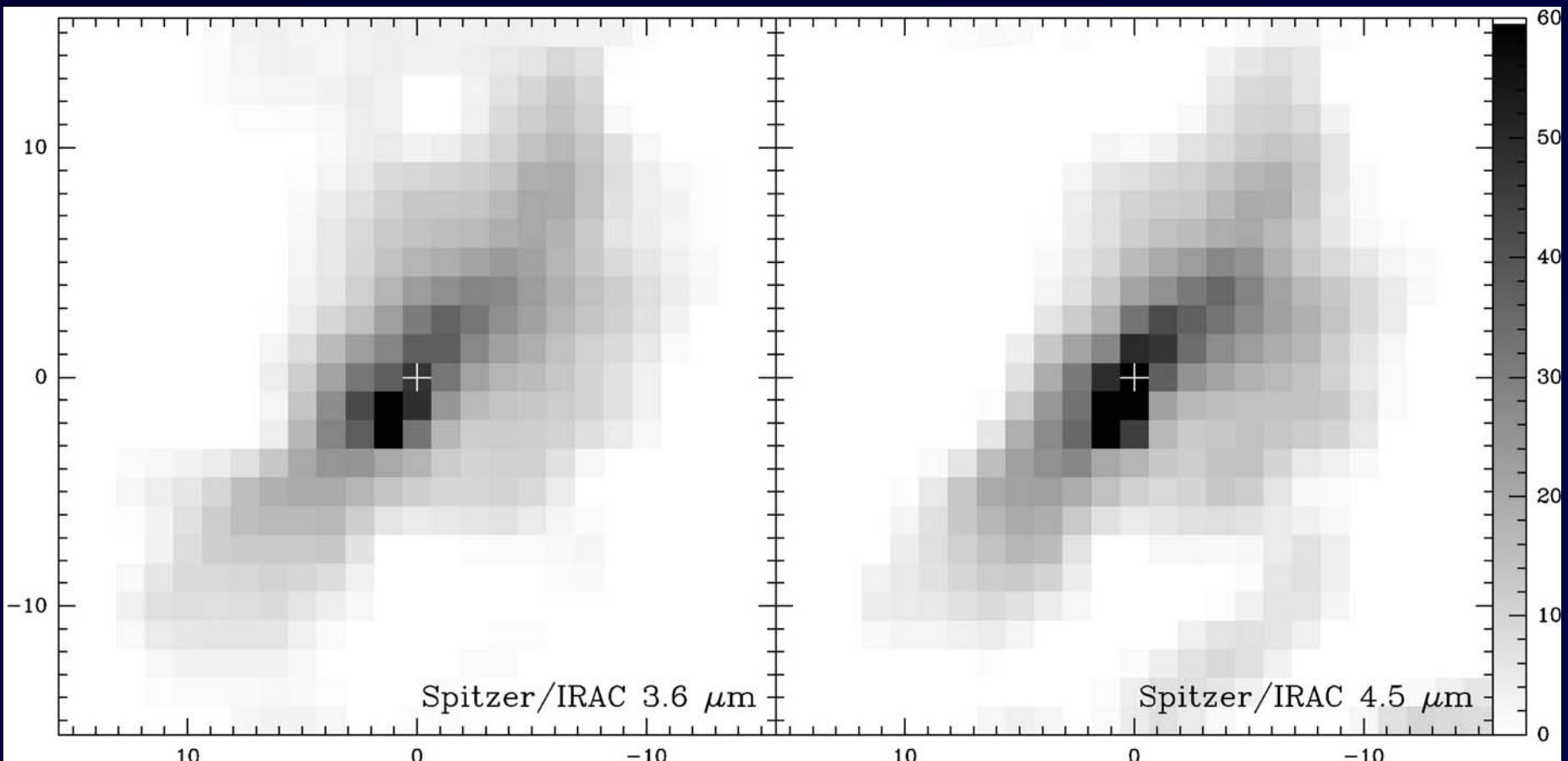
Nürnberg et al. (2007)

**H<sub>2</sub> jet up to 7200 AU to SW, but no counter-jet (extinction)**

$$\dot{M}_{acc} \approx 9.3 \times 10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$$

**Too high for low-mass  $\Rightarrow$   
High-mass protostar or FU Ori?**

# Do we really see a massive star + disk ?



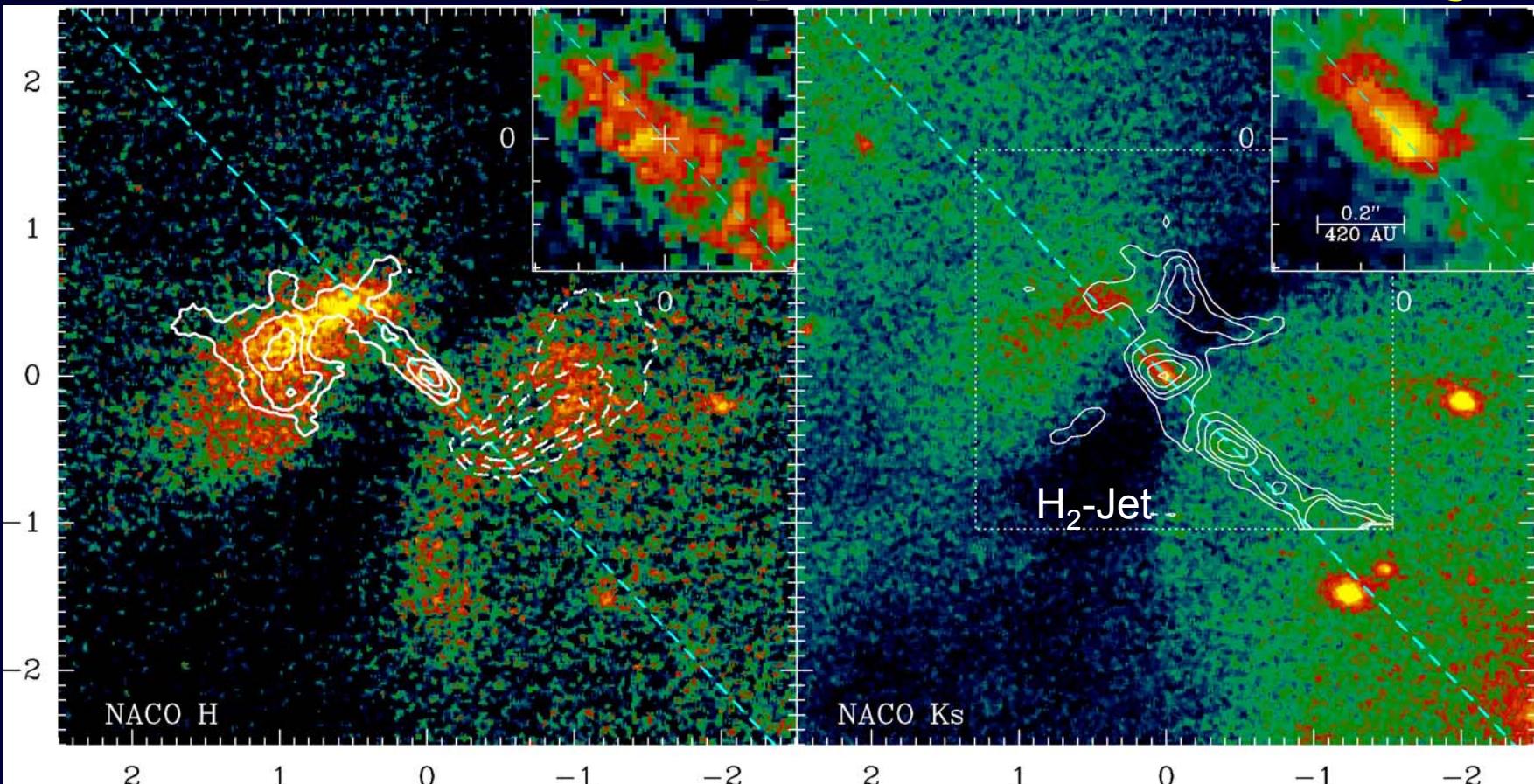
Photometry:  $> 2.8 M_{\odot}$

Extinction from modelling (Steinacker et al. 2006) and  
Spitzer MIR data:

Lower limits ( $A_V > 60$  mag)

Disk mass:  $0.02 - 5 M_{\odot}$

# Detection of a point source and jet



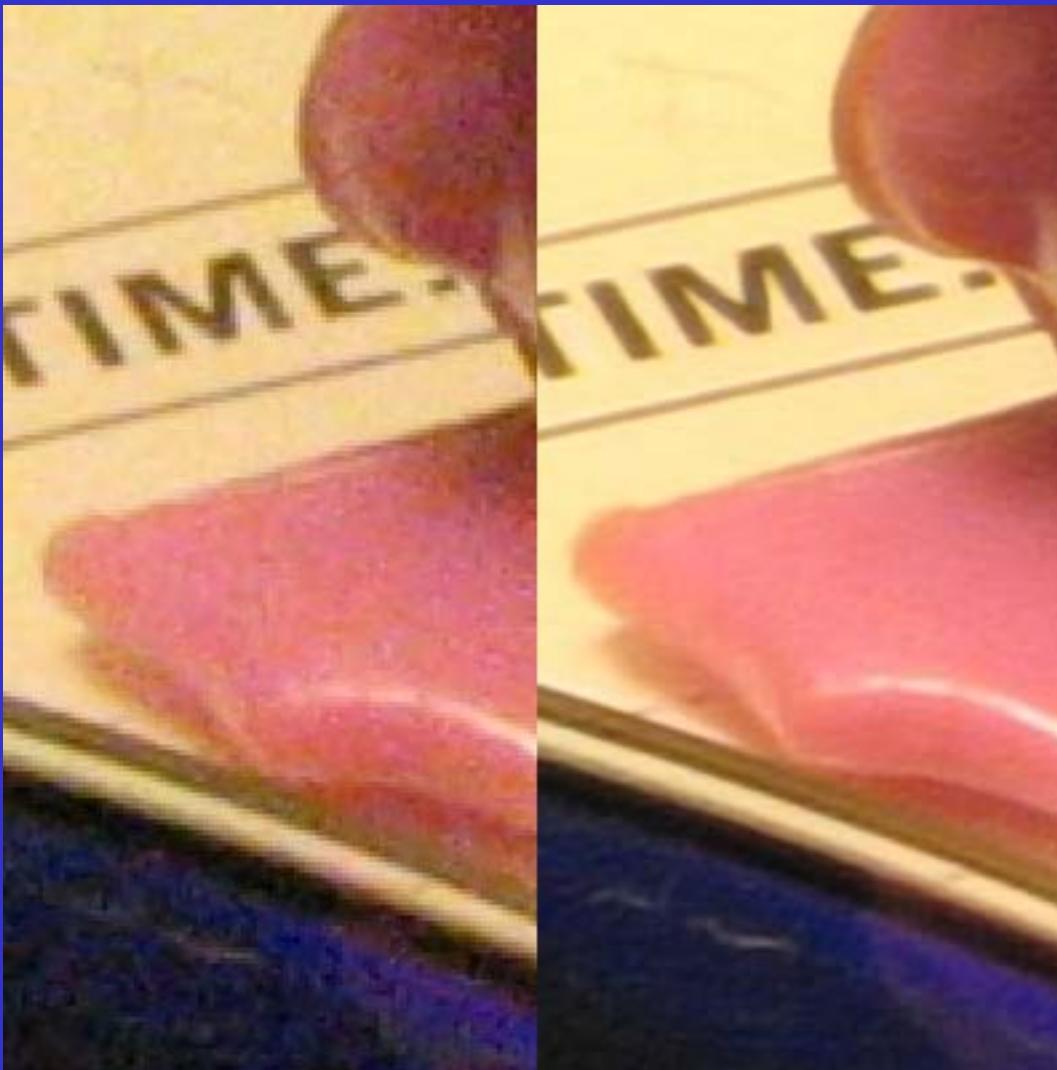
New data: Point source and jet structure

Nielbock et al.  
(2008)

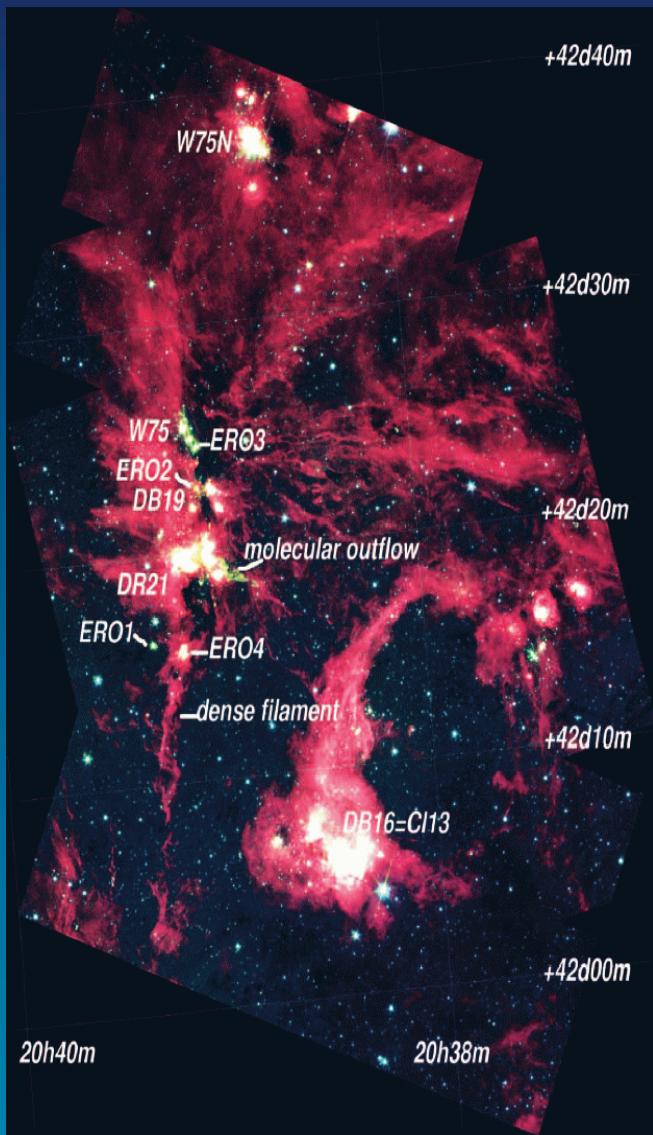
Star > 2.8 M<sub>sun</sub>      Disk > 0.02 - 5 M<sub>sun</sub>

# Resolution, Resolution, Resolution

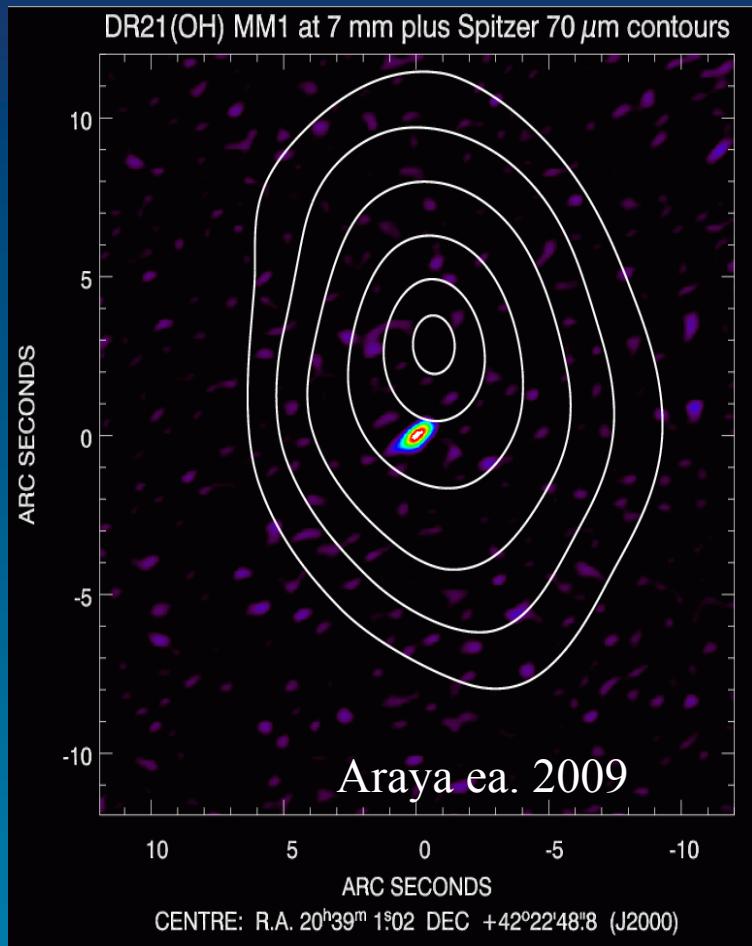
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# DR21(OH) MM1: Spitzer and VLA in concert



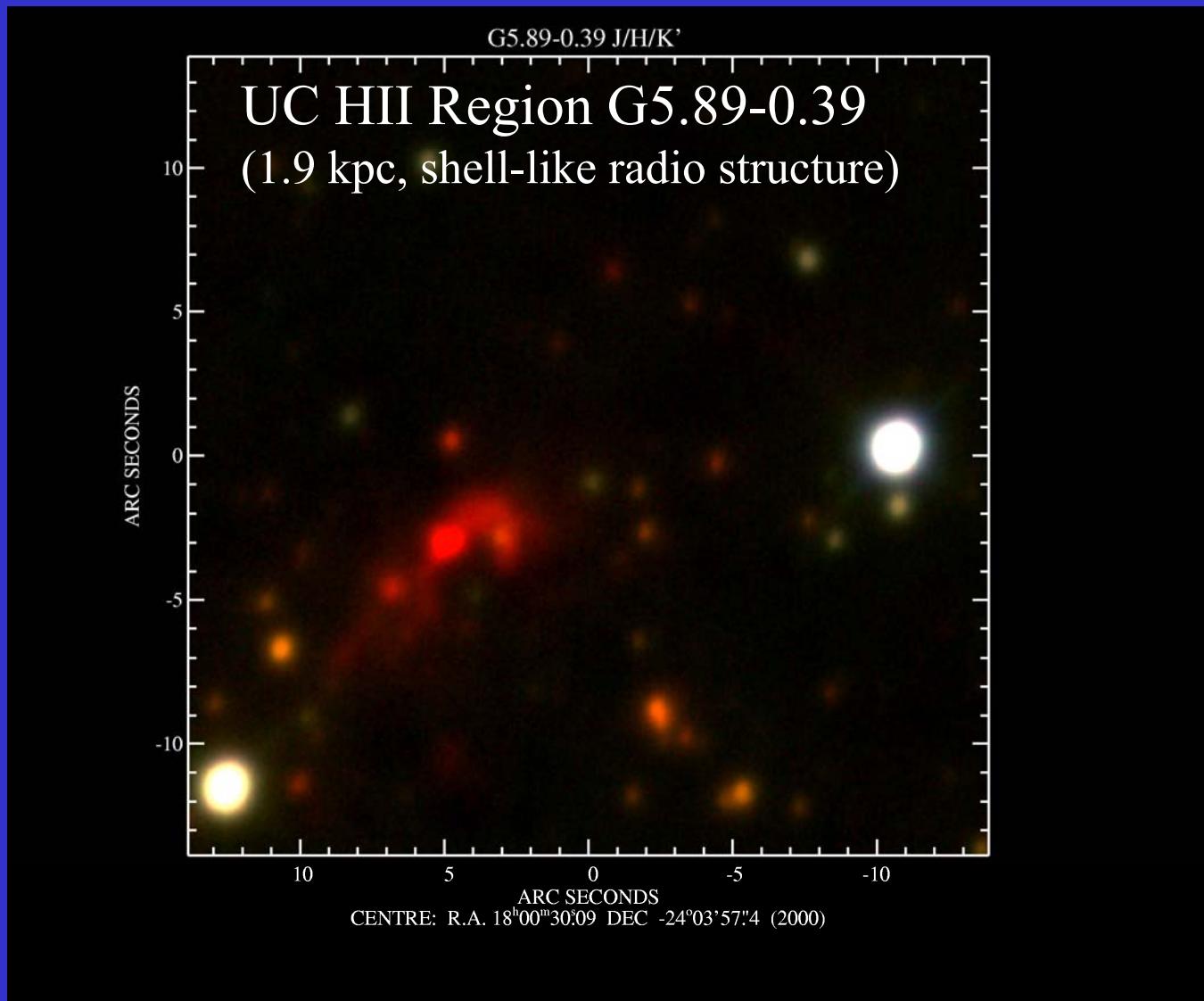
VLA 7 mm image vs MIPS 70  $\mu$ m contours



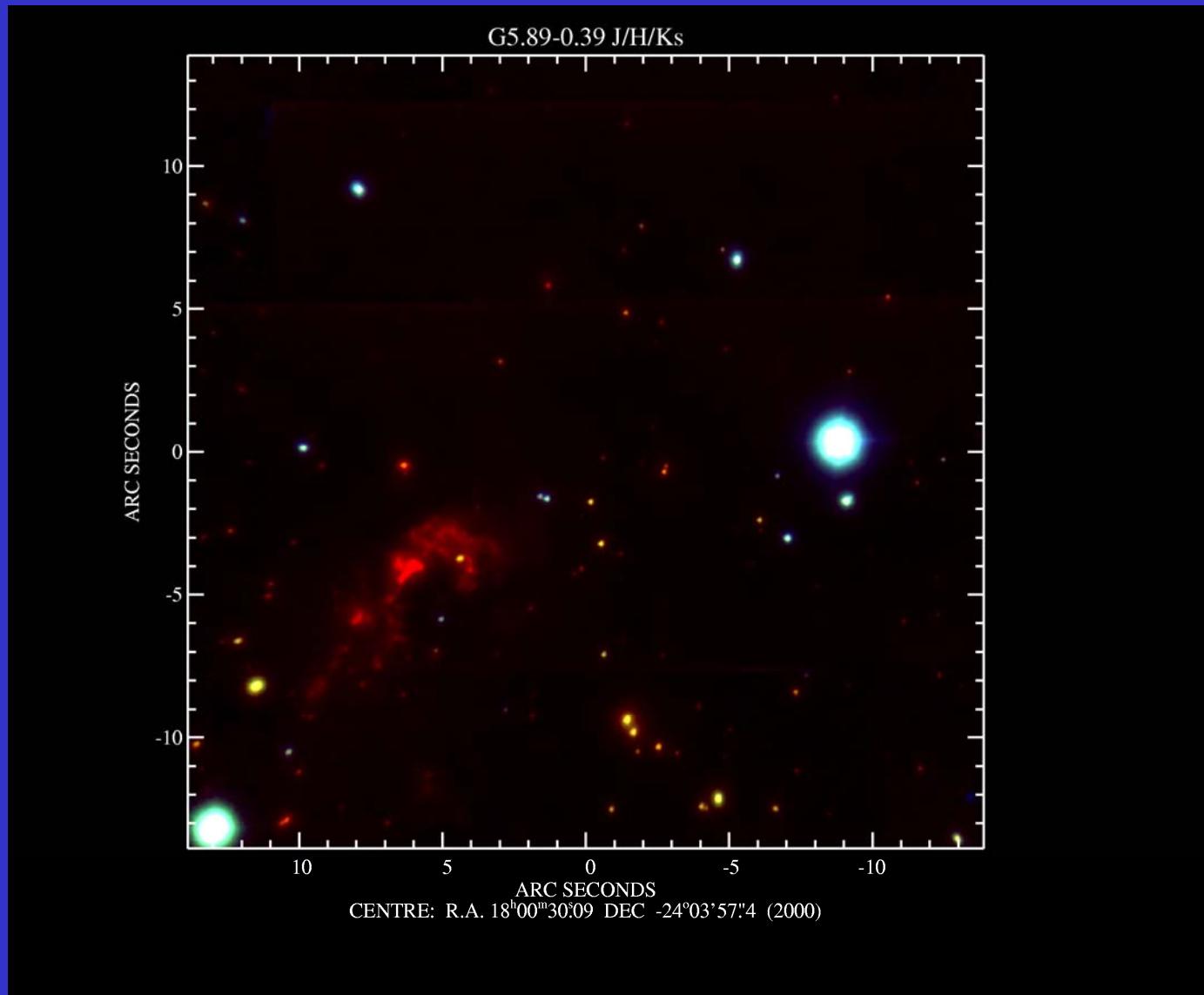
DR21 structure - IRAC (Marston et al. 2004)

**Disclaimer: This is not a Spitzer talk!**

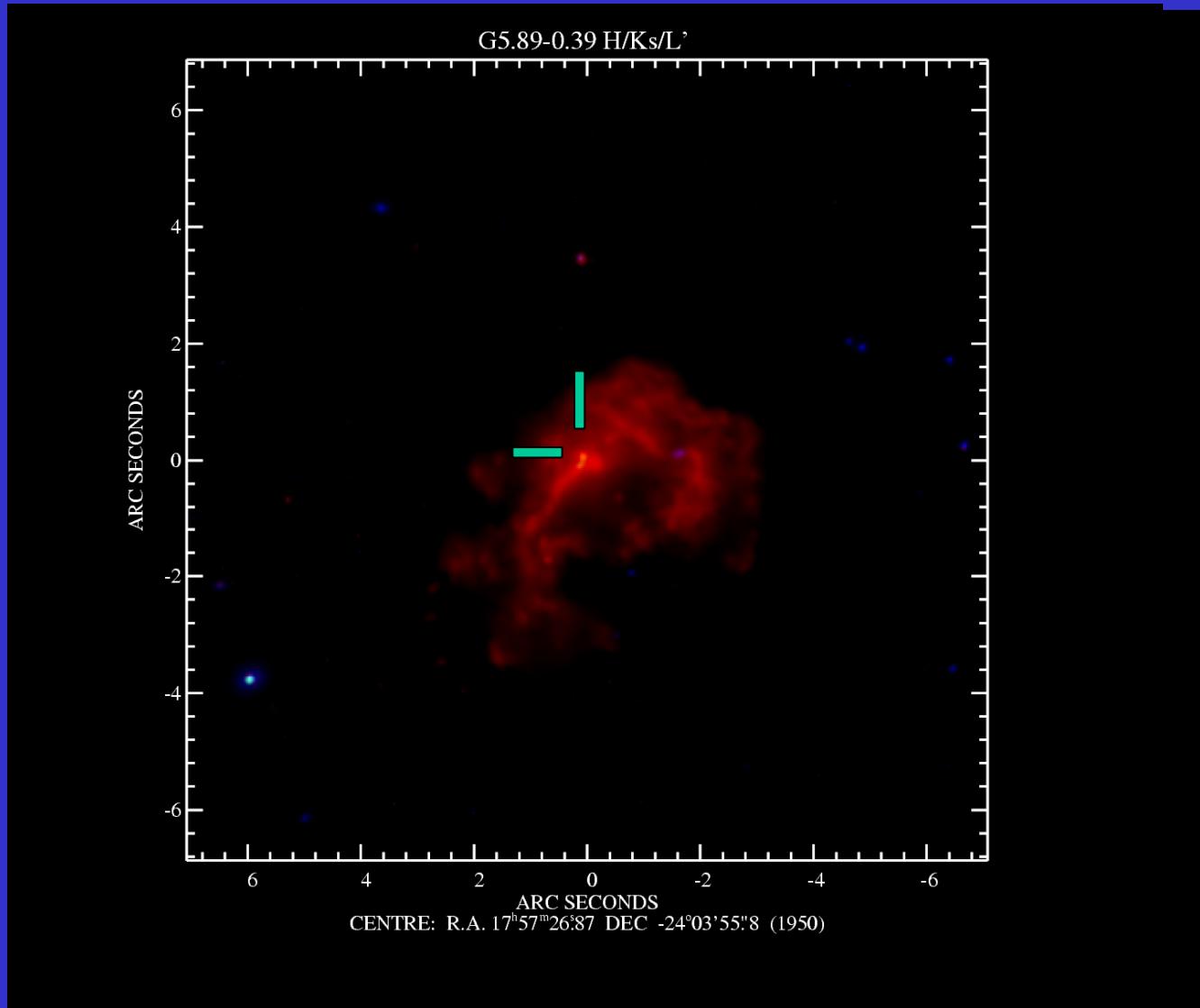
# 1999: ALFA / OMEGA @ 3.5m Calar Alto



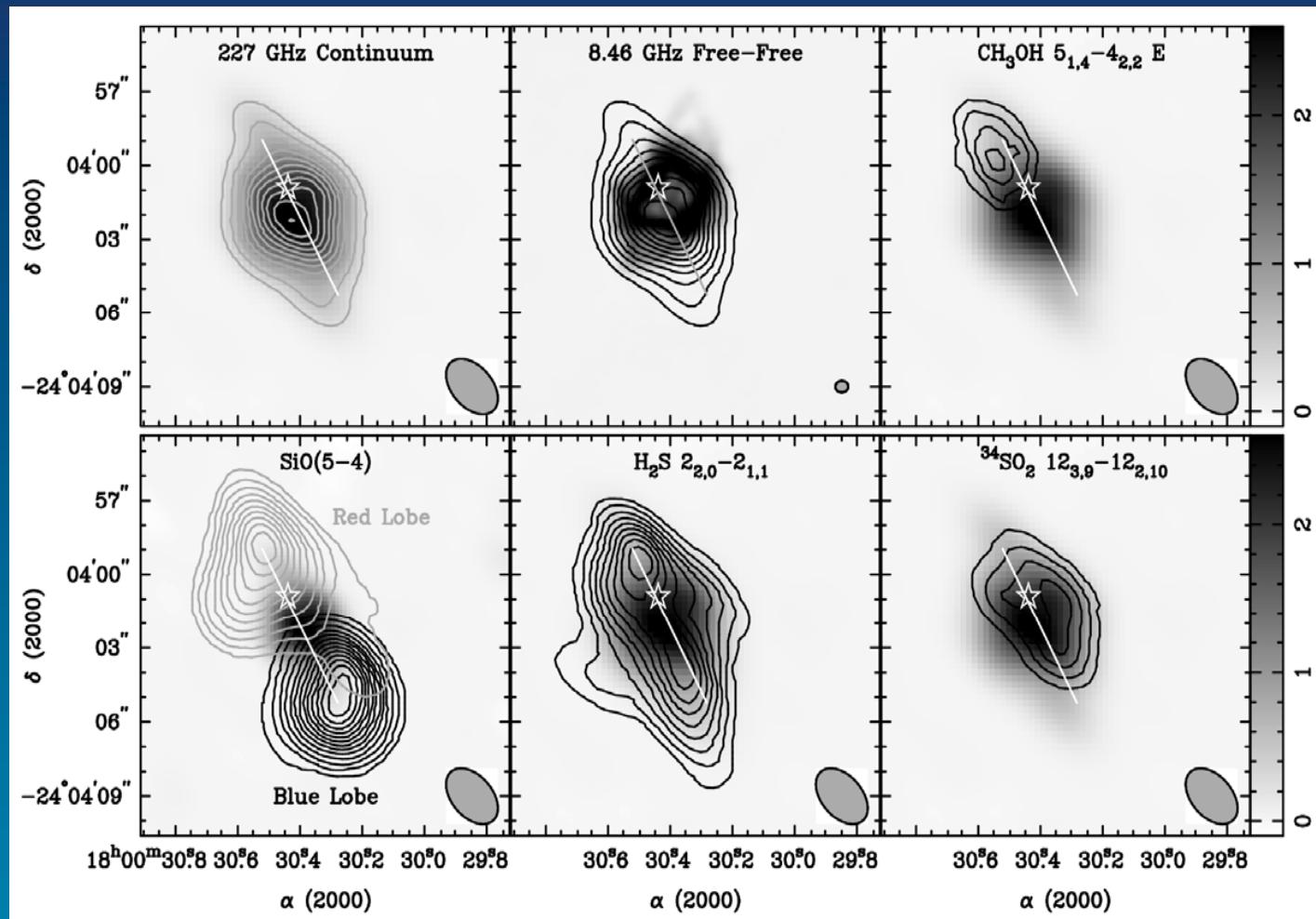
# 2002 NAOS-CONICA@ESO 8.0 m VLT UT4 „Yepun“



# 2002 NACO – New Wavelengths at sub-arcsecond scales



# SMA Observations

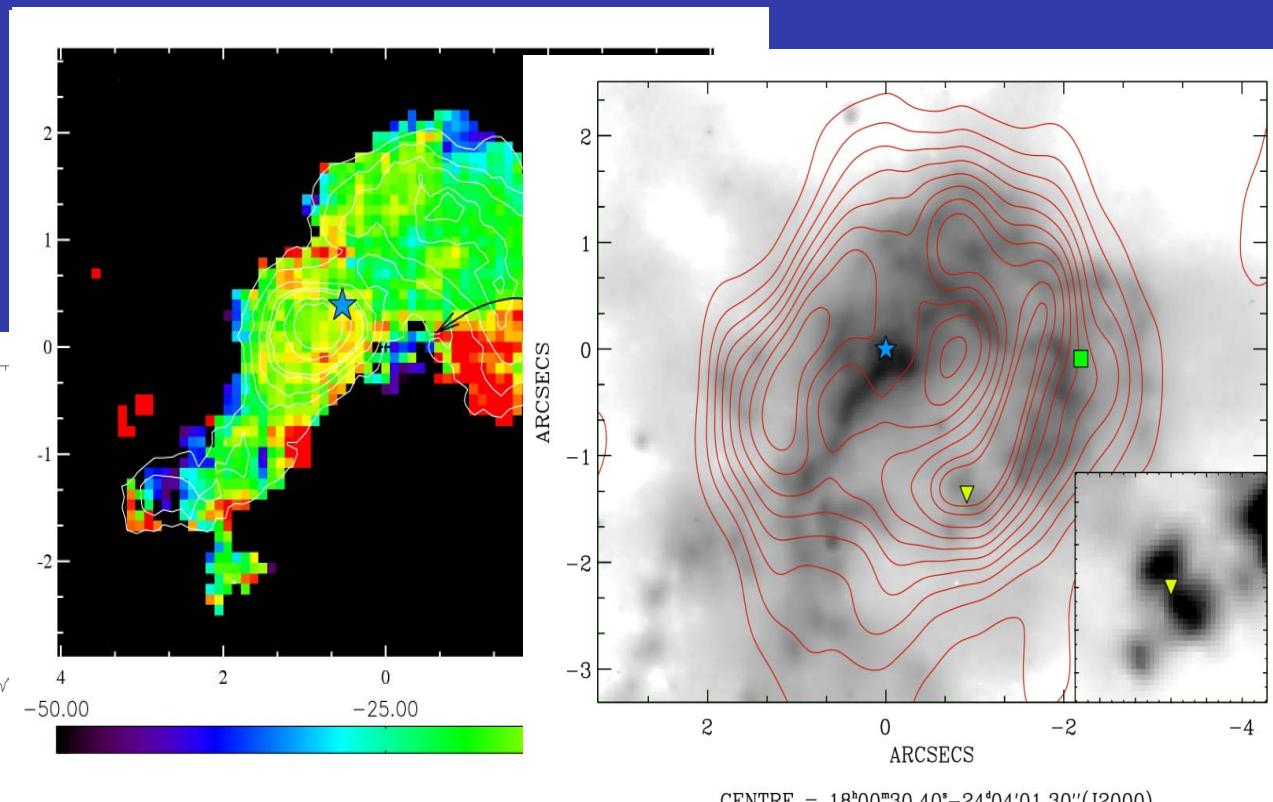
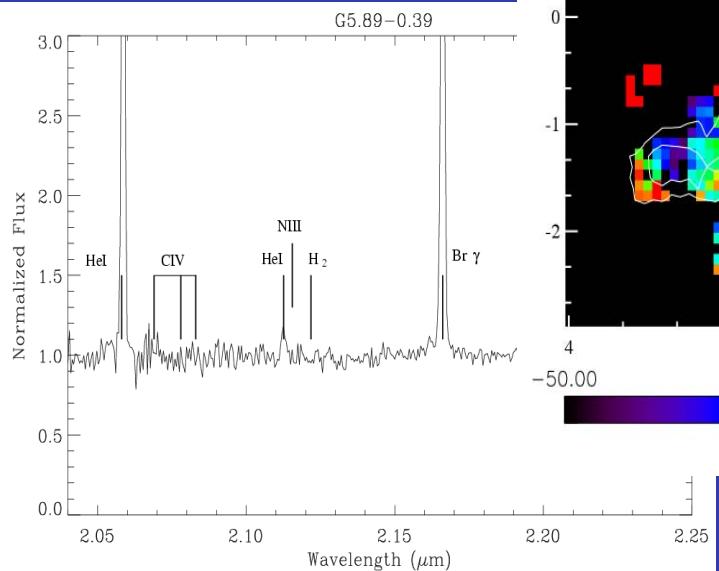


Sollins et al. (2004)

# G5.89-0.39: More than just a spherical UCHII region

Puga, Feldt,  
Henning, et al.  
2006  
D=1.9 Kpc

ADONIS/GraF Fabry-Perot spectroscopy revealing the Br gamma velocity structure of the UCHII region (colour-coding in km/s).



NACO long-slit spectrum of „central“ star  
confirms SpT “earlier than O7V”

NACO L' image + VLA 2cm contours.  
The symbols denote the central O5-O7 star, the  
centre of the Bry bipolarity, and the bipolar L'  
band structure related to the Sollins mm source  
(inset with more extreme L' cut levels for clarity)

# The Toolbox

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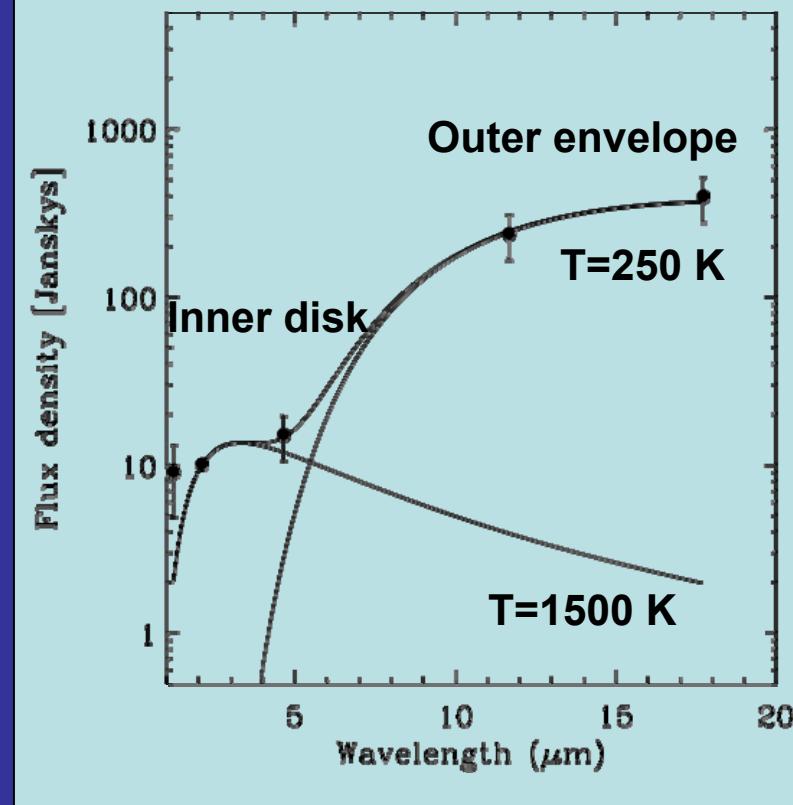
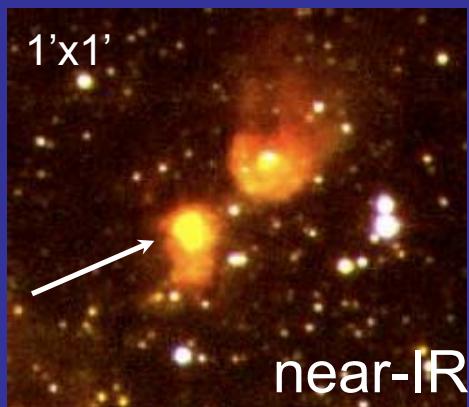
# Disk Tracers



- Extinction lanes, thermal infrared emission
- Infrared interferometry (e.g. MIDI @ VLT)
- NIR gas emission lines (CO)
- Millimeter continuum observations (incl. polarimetry)
- Non-thermal lines (SiO, CH<sub>3</sub>OH, H<sub>2</sub>O, OH, H rec. lines)
- Thermal lines (e.g. NH<sub>3</sub>, CS, C<sup>18</sup>O, SO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>3</sub>CN, HCOOCH<sub>3</sub>, H rec. lines)

Recent reviews: Cesaroni et al. (2006, 2007)

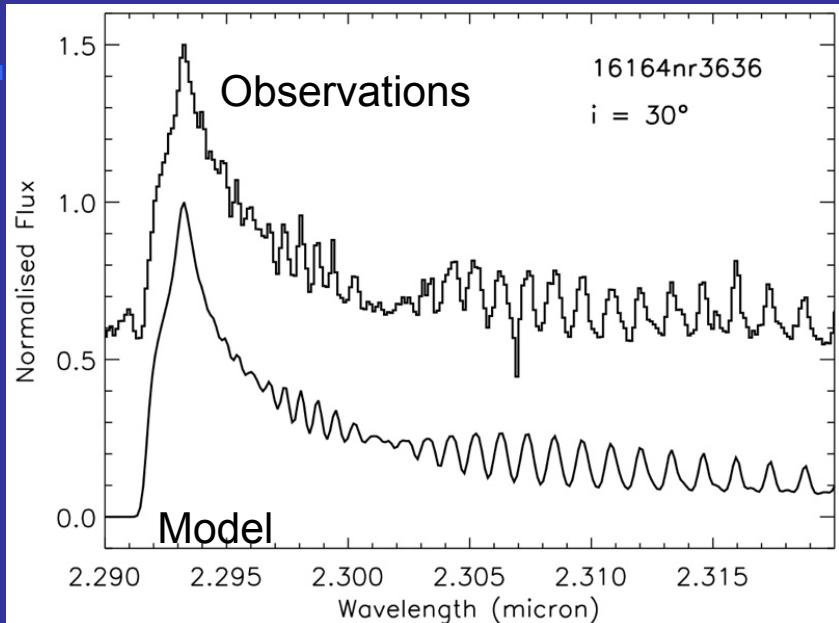
# IRAS 16164-5046



- Near-IR observations show the presence of a hot inner disk
- Mid-IR (TIMMI2) observations trace dust of a few 100 K and show an extended source ( $1.8'' = 6500 \text{ AU}$ ).
- An envelope is detected in the sub-mm (Karnik et al. 2001).
- Near- and mid-IR SED can be fitted by a 2 temperature blackbody, representing the inner disk and the outer envelope (Bik et al. 2008)

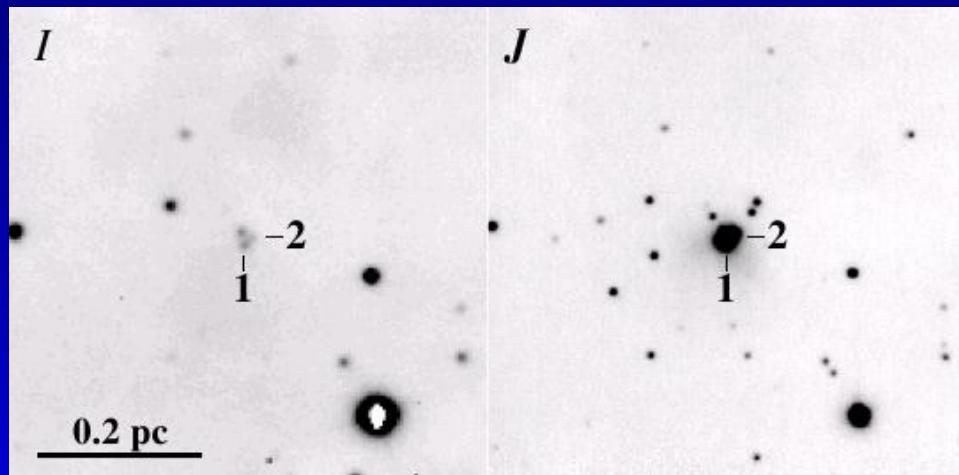
# IRAS 16164-5046

- VLT ISAAC spectra ( $R=10,000$ ) of CO bandheads (Bik & Thi, 2004)
- CO bandheads: Spectral profile can be explained with a Keplerian velocity profile
- Central star:  $\sim$ O7 based on ratio HeI/Br gamma (Hanson et al. 2002) in the small HII region surrounding this source

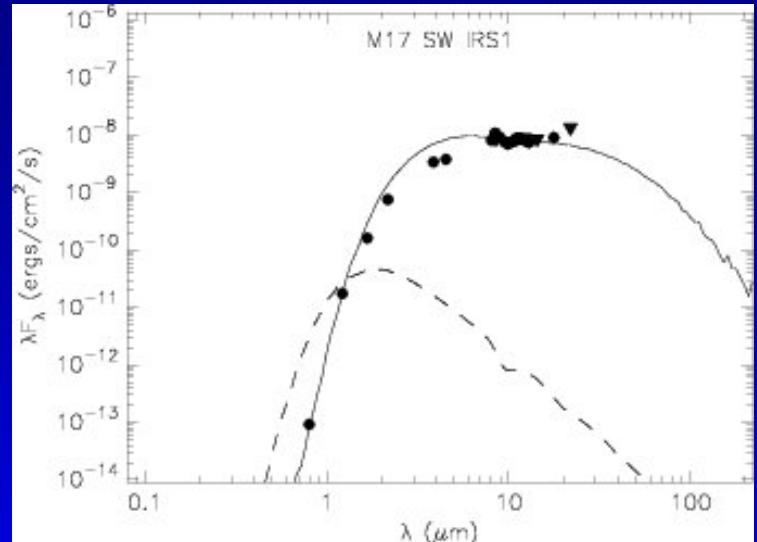


- Distance: 3.6 kpc
- Central star:  $\sim$ 30 Msun (O7)
- $T_{\text{ex}}(\text{CO})$ :  $\sim$ 4000 K
- $N(\text{CO})$ :  $\sim$ 4  $10^{20}$  cm $^{-2}$
- R (CO):  $\sim$  3AU

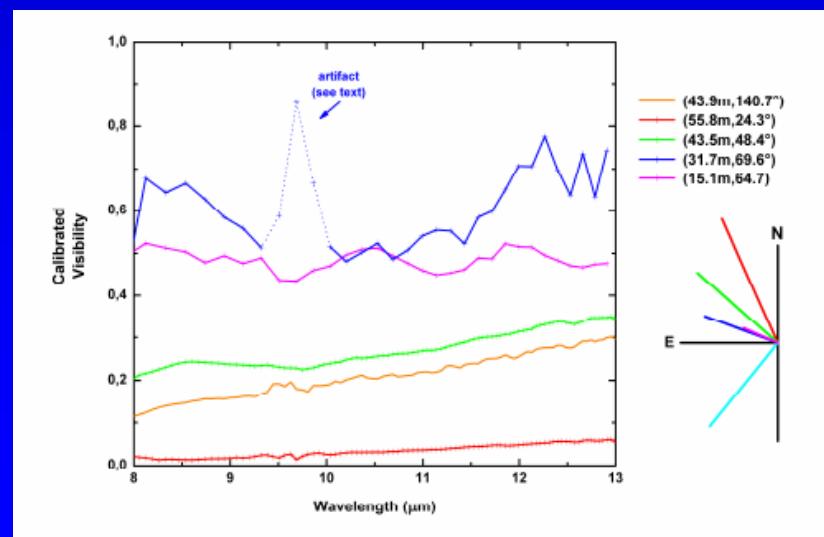
# The Kleinmann & Wright Object (KWO, M17 IRS 1)



VLT-ISAAC (J band, Chini 2004)

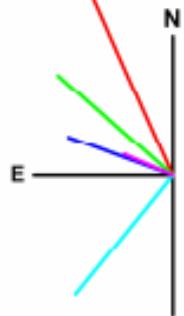
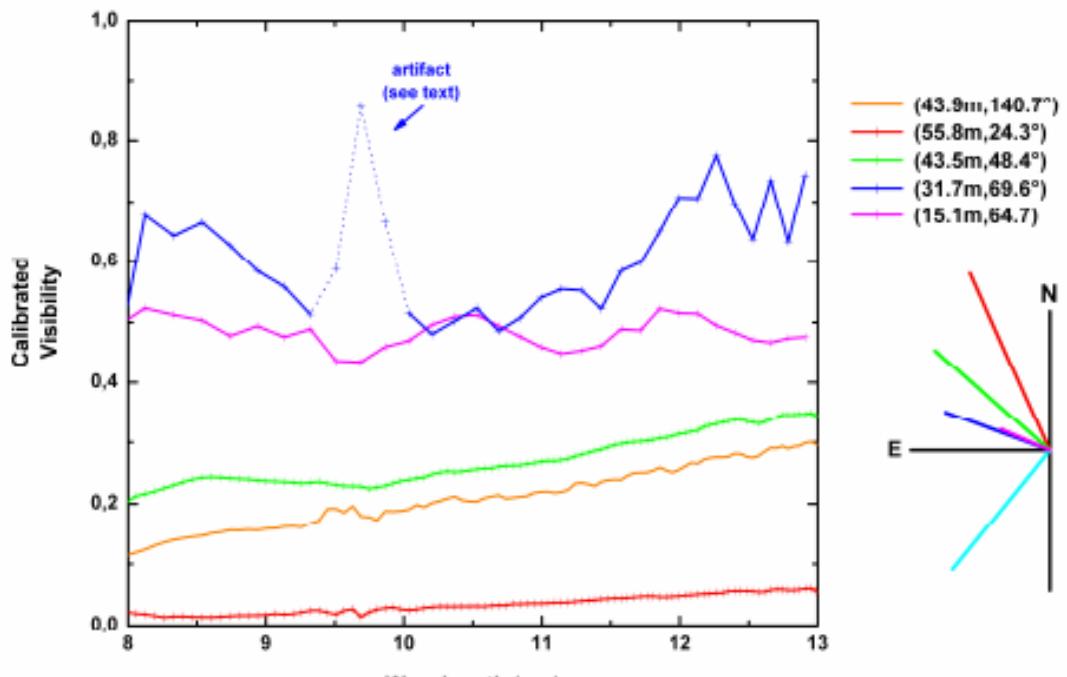


(D=2.2 kpc, L=2x10<sup>4</sup> L<sub>sun</sub>)



Follert ea. 2009

# Combination of SED fitting and interferometric data

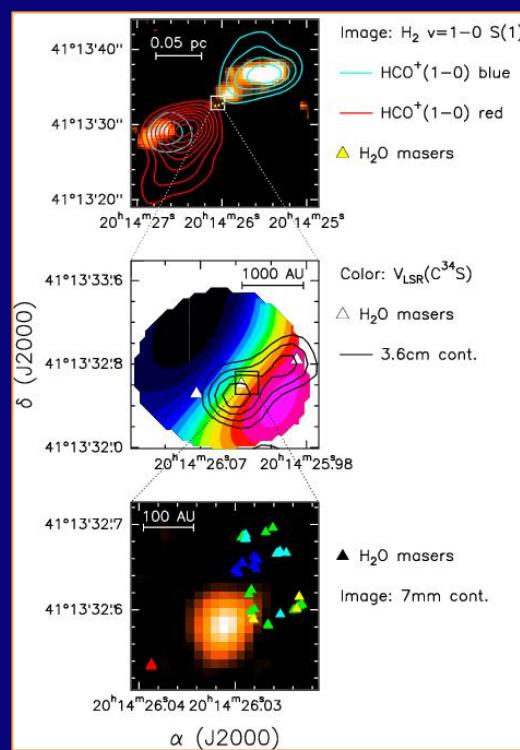


Comparison between synthetic and observed visibility curves

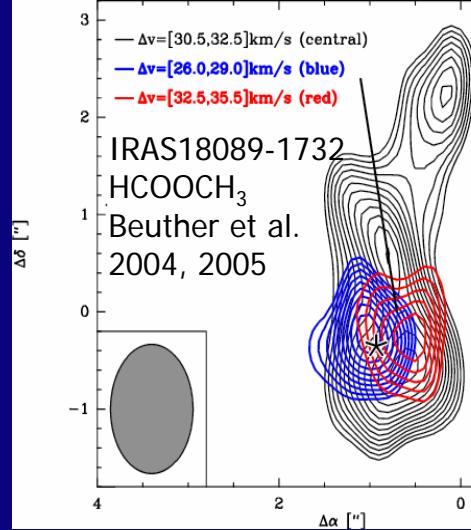
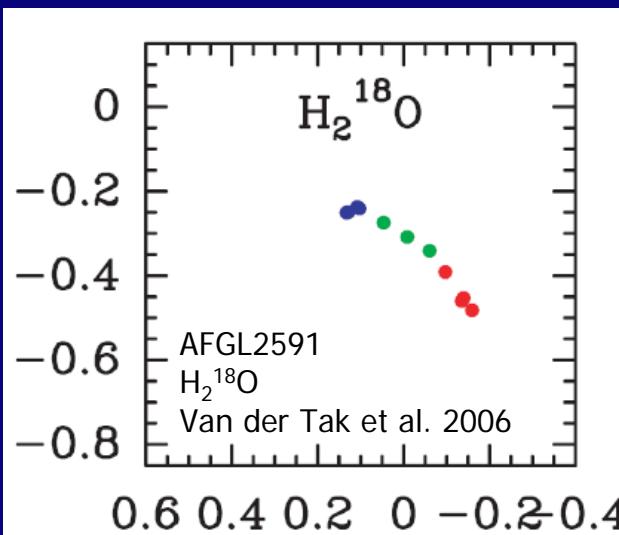
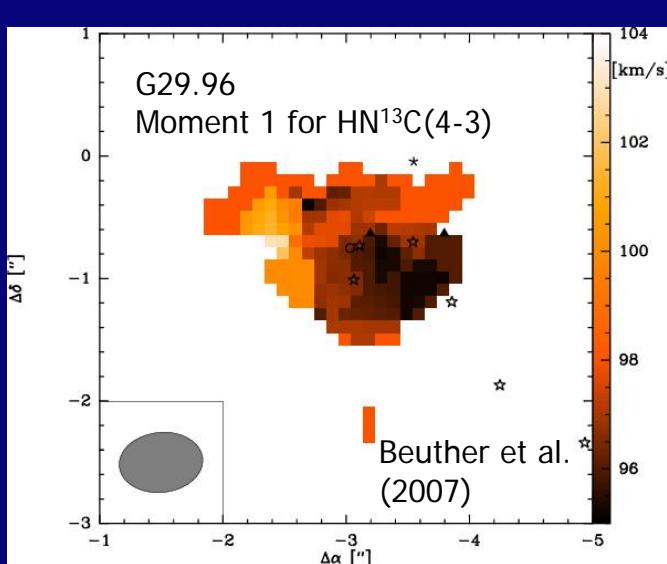
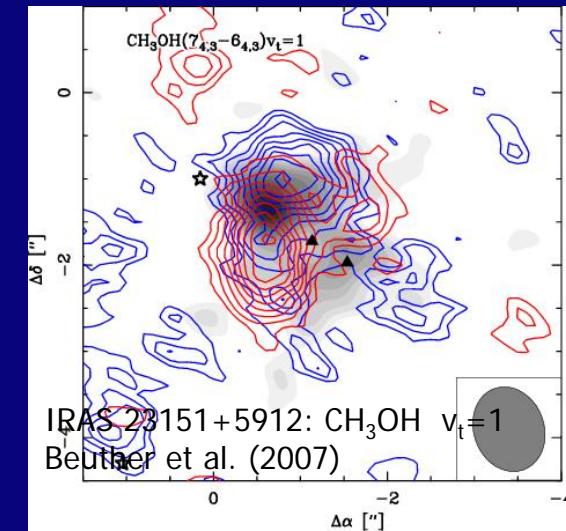
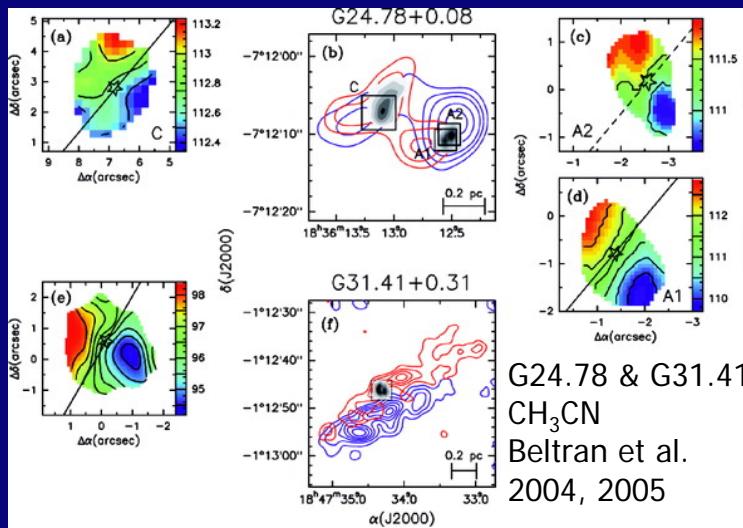
Synthetic image for best fitting model (smoothed) - RT code by B. Whitney '03, Fitting tool – Robitaille et al. 2006, 2007



# Potentially disk-tracing molecules



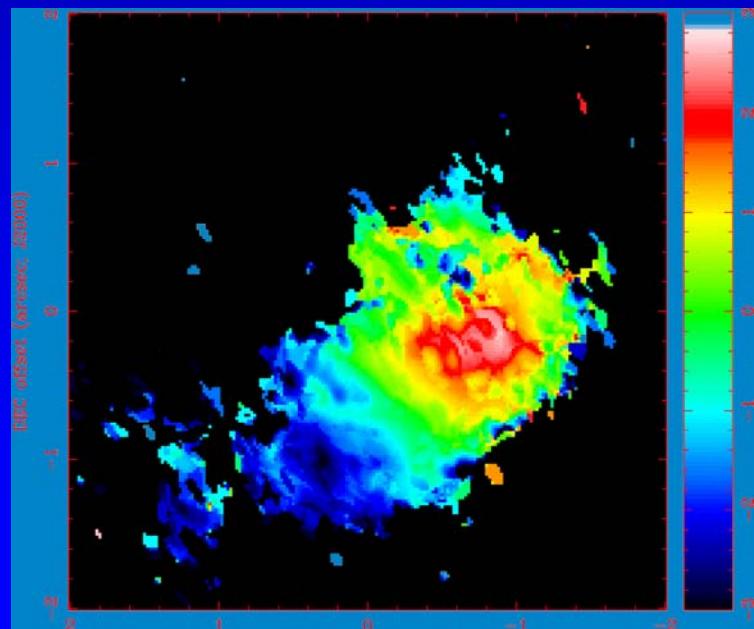
IRAS 20126+4104: CH<sub>3</sub>CN & C<sup>34</sup>S  
 Cesaroni et al. 1997, 1999, 2005



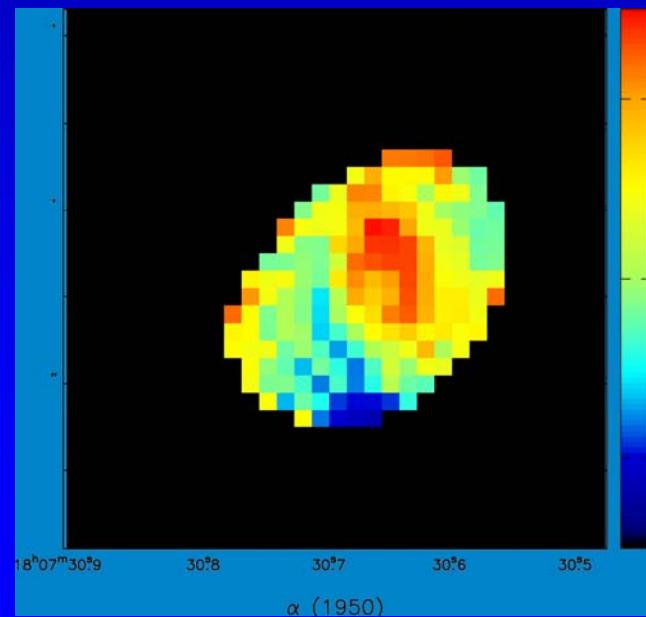
# Not all massive stars are the same!

Objects with luminosities larger than  $\sim 10^5$   $L_{\text{sun}}$  are often characterized by large ( $\sim 0.1$  pc), massive (few hundred  $M_{\text{sun}}$ ) rotating structures („circumcluster toroids“ – Cesaroni et al. 2006)

G 10.62-0.38 (Keto et al. 1998), G 24.78+0.08 (Beltran et al. 2004, 2005)



Mean velocity of molecular gas (NH<sub>3</sub>)  
Sollins et al. (2005)



Mean velocity of ionized gas (H66a)  
Keto (2002)

# Disks around Massive Young Stellar Objects?

- ★ **IRAS 20126 + 4104**;  $L = 1.3 \times 10^4 L_\odot$ ;  $d = 1.7 \text{ kpc}$   
 $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}, \text{NH}_3 (1,1), (2,2), \text{C}^{34}\text{S}(5-4), 3.6\text{cm continuum}, \dots$   
(Cesaroni et al. 1997, 1999, 2005; Zhang et al. 1998, 2001)

Disk diameter: 3200 AU, Mass:  $4 M_\odot$

- ★ **G 192.16 – 3.82**;  $L = 3 \times 10^3 L_\odot$  (B2);  $d = 2 \text{ kpc}$   
 $^{13}\text{CO}, \text{C}^{18}\text{O}, \text{H}_2\text{O}$  maser line; 2.6mm, 7mm, and 3.6cm continuum  
(Shepherd & Kurtz 1999, Shepherd et al. 2001)

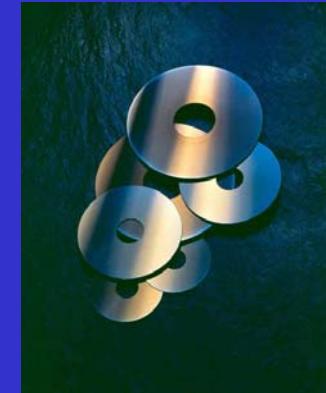
Disk diameter: 130AU; Mass: ~ few  $M_\odot$

Flattened rotating structure ( $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ ) ~ diameter of 1000AU

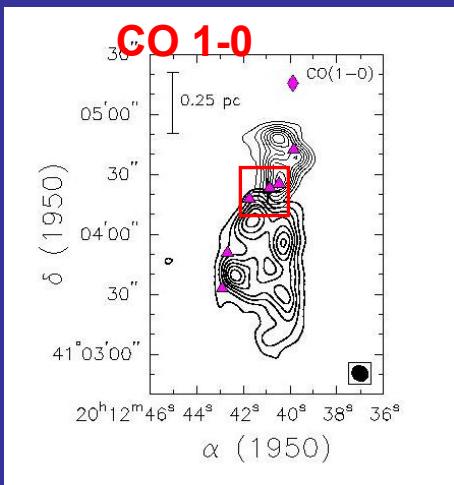
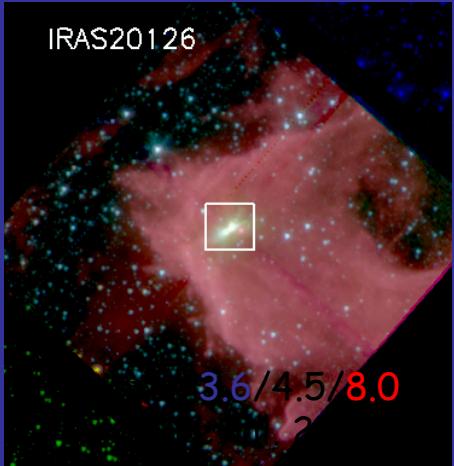
- ★ **AFGL 490**;  $L \approx 3 \times 10^3 L_\odot$  (B2);  $d = 1 \text{ kpc}$   
 $\text{CS}(2-1), \text{C}^{17}\text{O}, 3\text{mm continuum}, \dots$   
(Schreyer et al. 2002, 2006)

Disk diameter: < 250AU; Mass ~ few  $M_\odot$

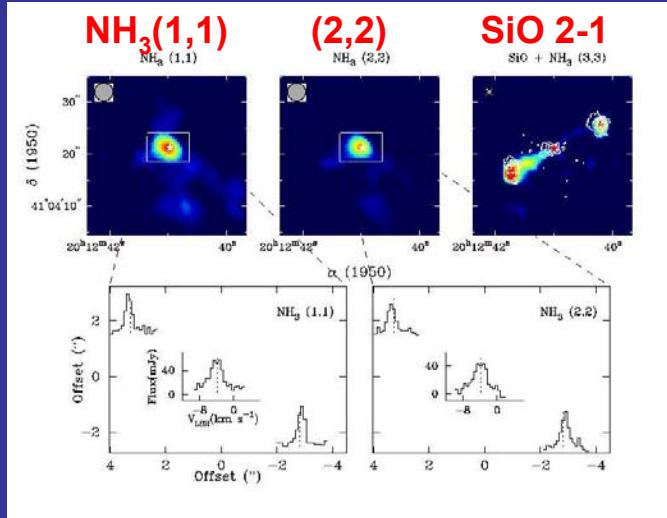
Flattened rotating structure 22000AU  $\times$  6000AU



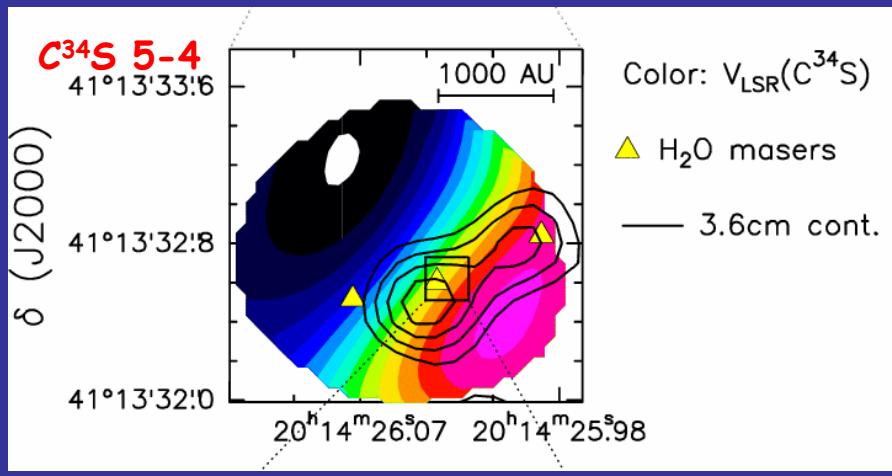
# IRAS 20126+4104



Shepherd et al. 99



Zhang et al. 98, 01



Cesaroni et al.  
97,99,05

SED:  $1.3 \times 10^4 L_{\text{sun}}$

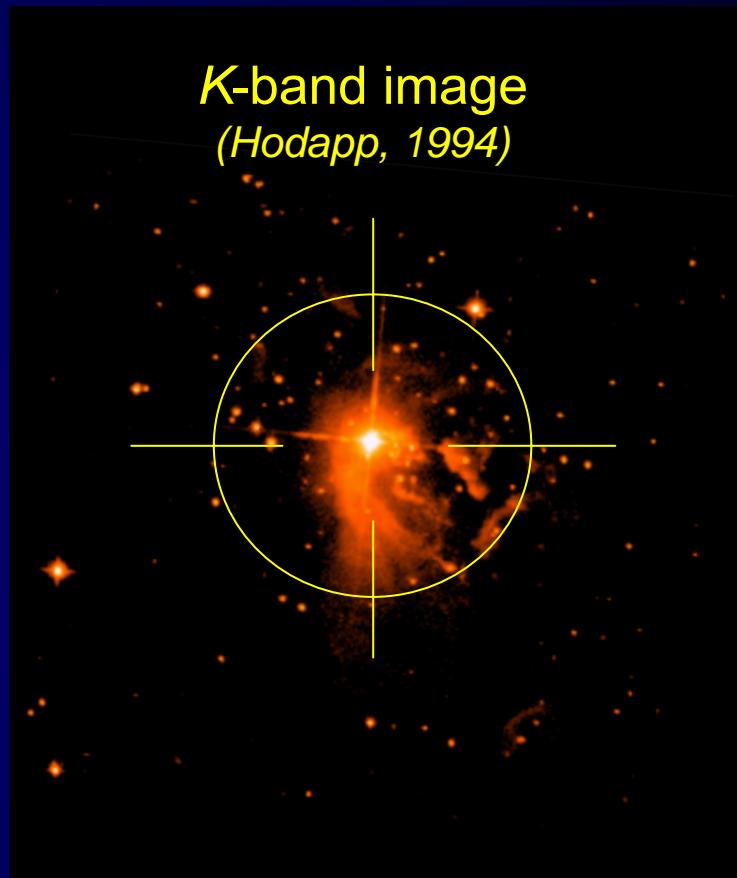
$M_* = 7-15 M_{\text{sun}}$

D=1.7 kpc

Evidence:  
Keplerian-like rotation  
Flattened Structure  
Jet-like outflow

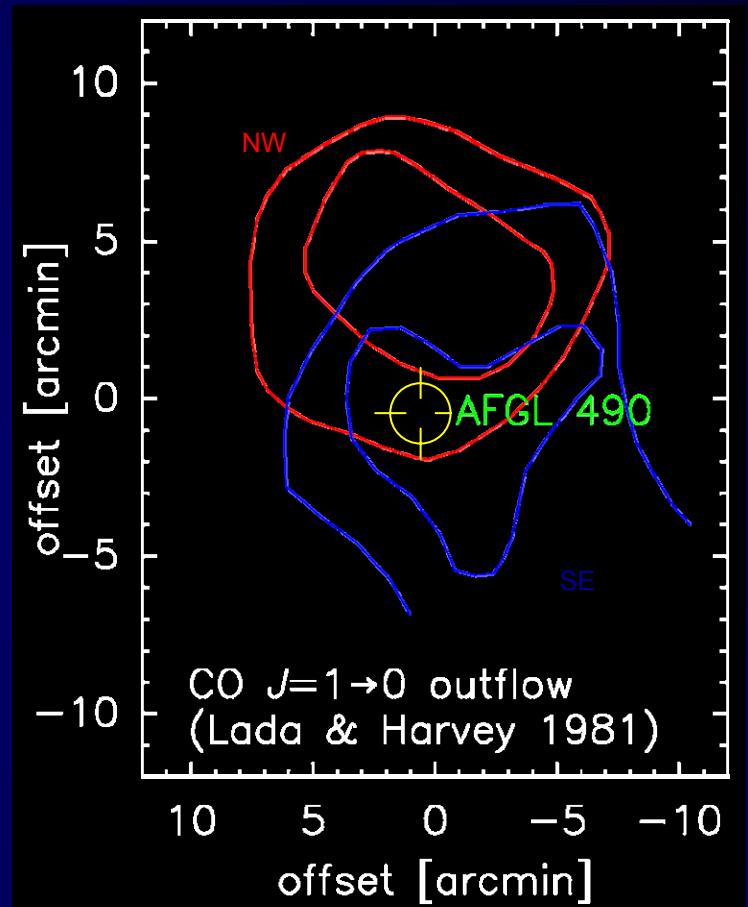
# AFGL 490 – Our example

- Optical: diffuse nebulosity,  
NIR: luminous source  
(Allen, 1972)
- $D \approx 1 \text{ kpc}$ ,  $L = 1.4 - 4 \times 10^3 L_{\text{sun}}$   
Spectral type B3-B2,  $M_{\star} = 8-10 M_{\text{sun}}$
- Typical properties of a Becklin Neugebauer Object:
  - weak continuum flux at  $\lambda \geq 1 \text{ cm}$
  - broad & strong Br $\alpha$  and Br $\gamma$(Bunn et al. 1995)
- Ionized region  $R \leq 100 \text{ AU}$   
(Simon et al. 1981, 1983)



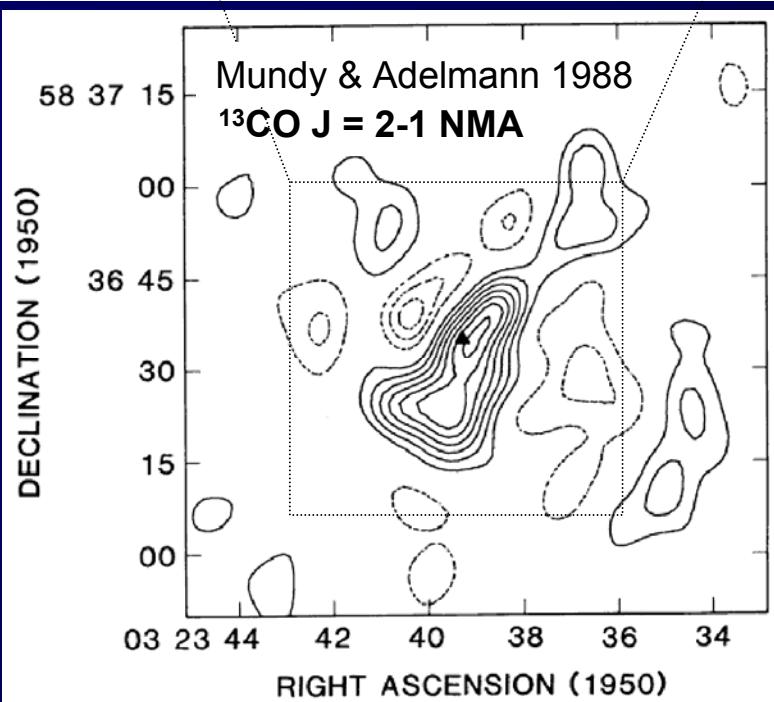
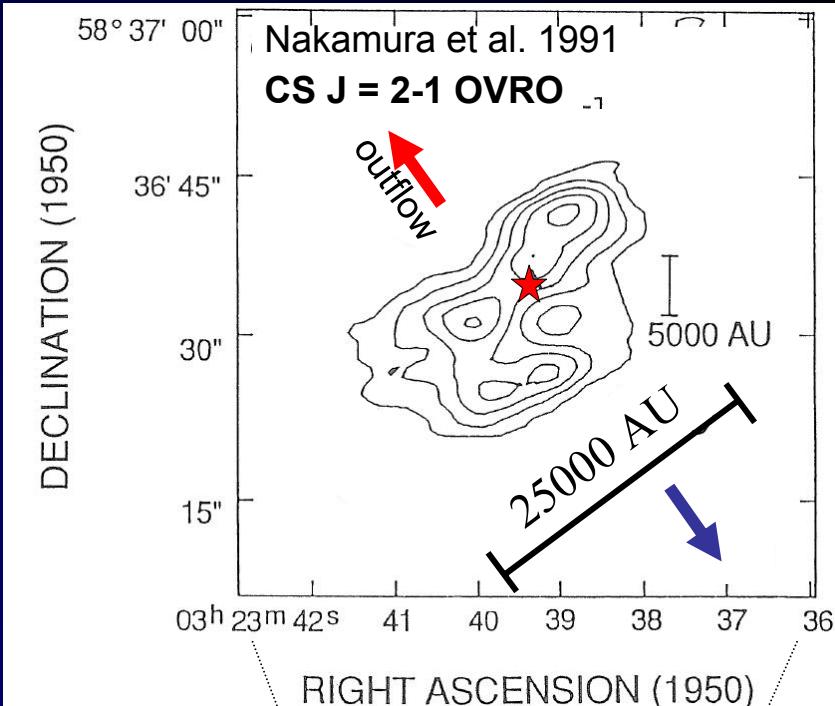
# AFGL 490 - What has been known before?

- Embedded in a dense cloud core  
(Hodapp 1994, Kawabe et al. 1984,  
Snell et al. 1984)
- Poorly collimated high-velocity  
outflow (Lada & Harvey, 1981)  
 $t_{\text{dyn}} \approx 2 \times 10^4$  yr (Churchwell, 1999)
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# Observational data for AFGL 490

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## JCMT & IRAM 30m Observations

Mapping in :

- CS  $J = 2-1, 3-2, 5-4, 7-6$ ,  $\text{C}^{18}\text{O } J = 2-1$ : IRAM 30m, JCMT
- Continuum SCUBA 450 $\mu\text{m}$ , 870 $\mu\text{m}$ ; 1.3mm MAMBO

## Plateau de Bure Interferometer Observations

Mapping in:

- CS  $J = 2-1 + \lambda 3\text{mm}$  ( $2.7'' \times 2.2''$ )
- $\text{C}^{34}\text{S } J = 2-1$ ,  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$  ( $1.8'' \times 1.4''$ )
- $\text{C}^{17}\text{O } J = 2-1 + \lambda 1\text{mm}$  ( $0.9'' \times 0.8''$ )



## VLA-CD Observations

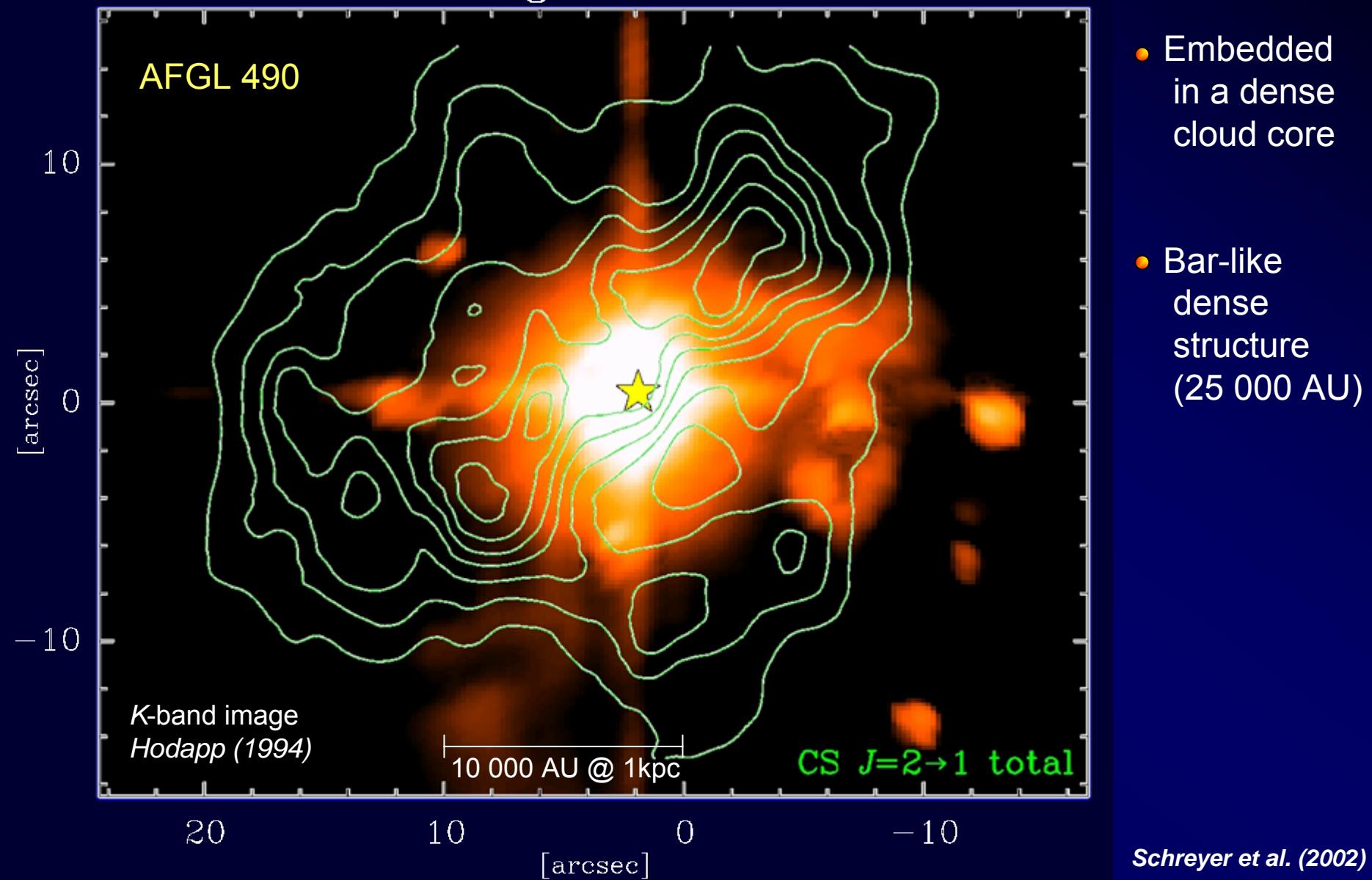
Mapping in:

- CS  $J = 1-0 + \lambda 7\text{mm}$



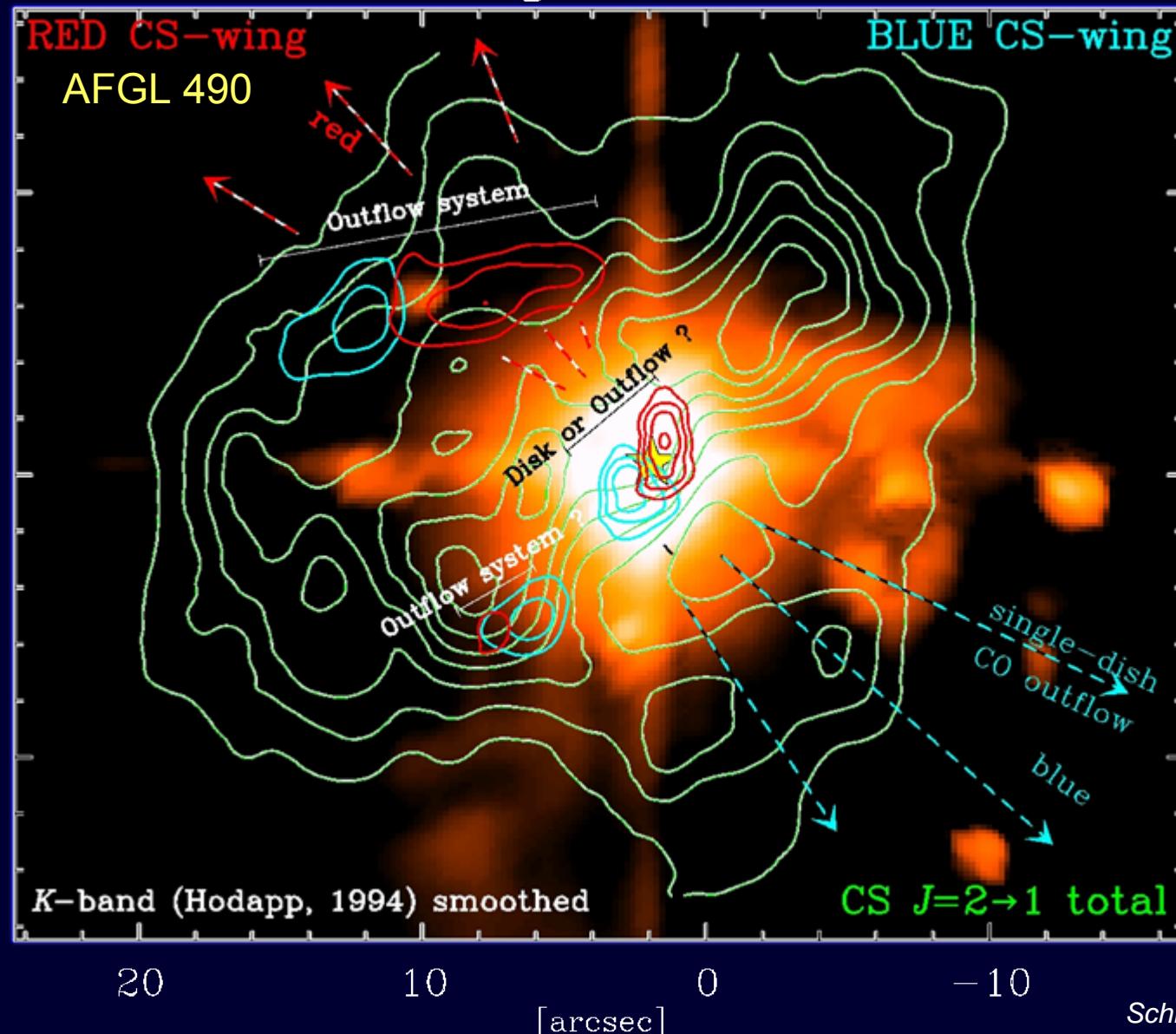
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## Plateau de Bure Interferometer Observations in CS $J = 2-1$



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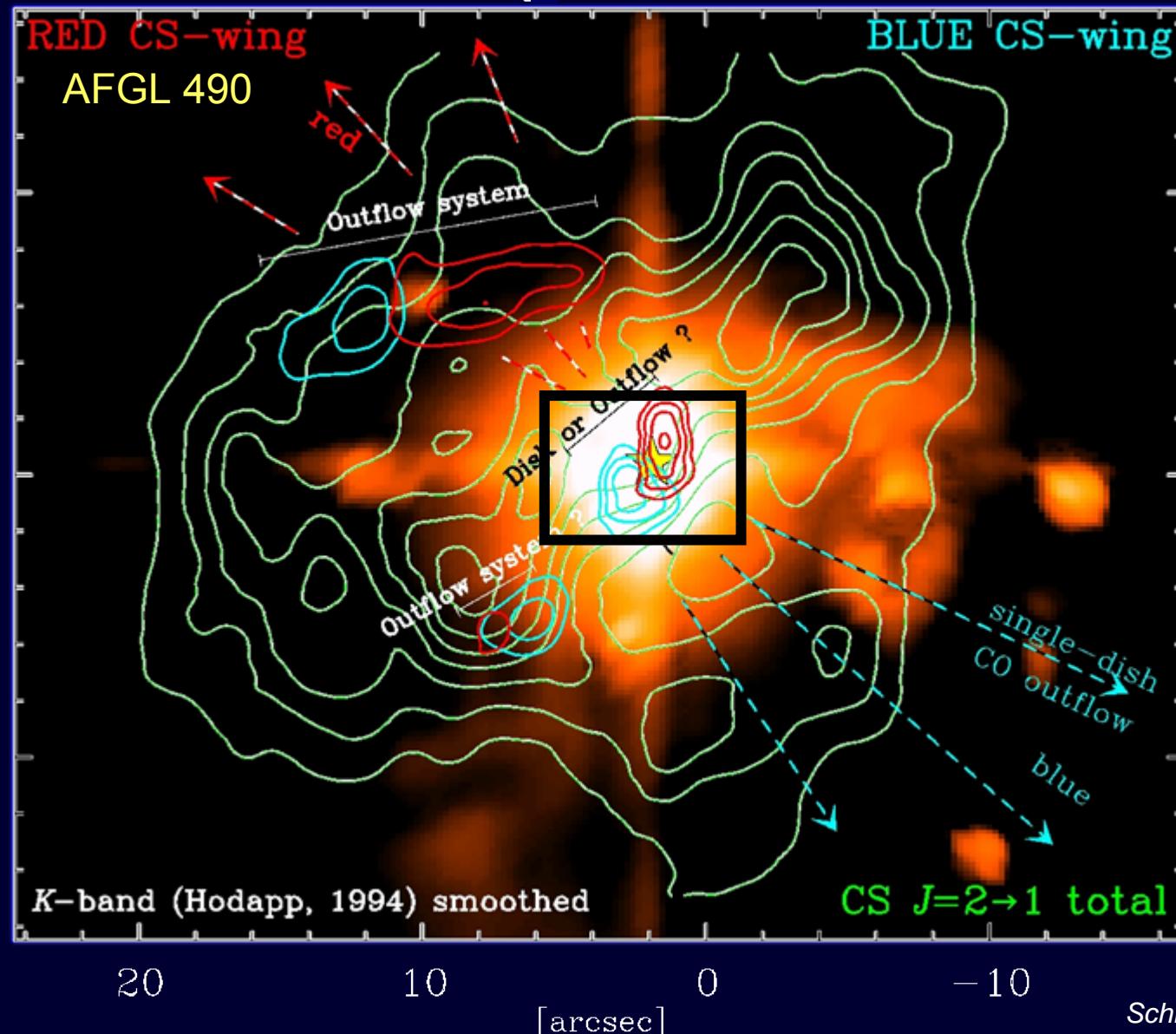
## Plateau de Bure Interferometer Observations in CS $J = 2-1$



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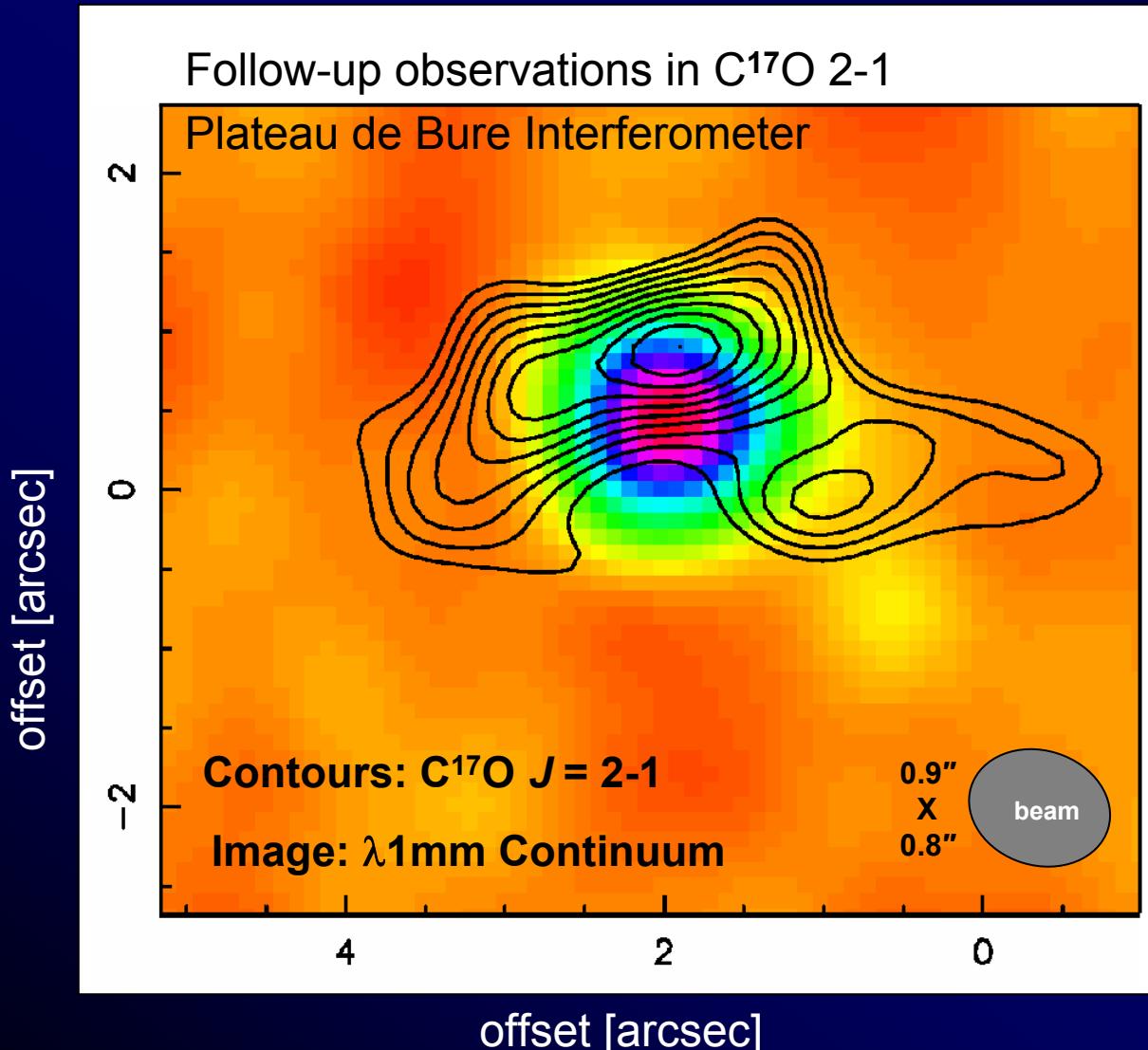
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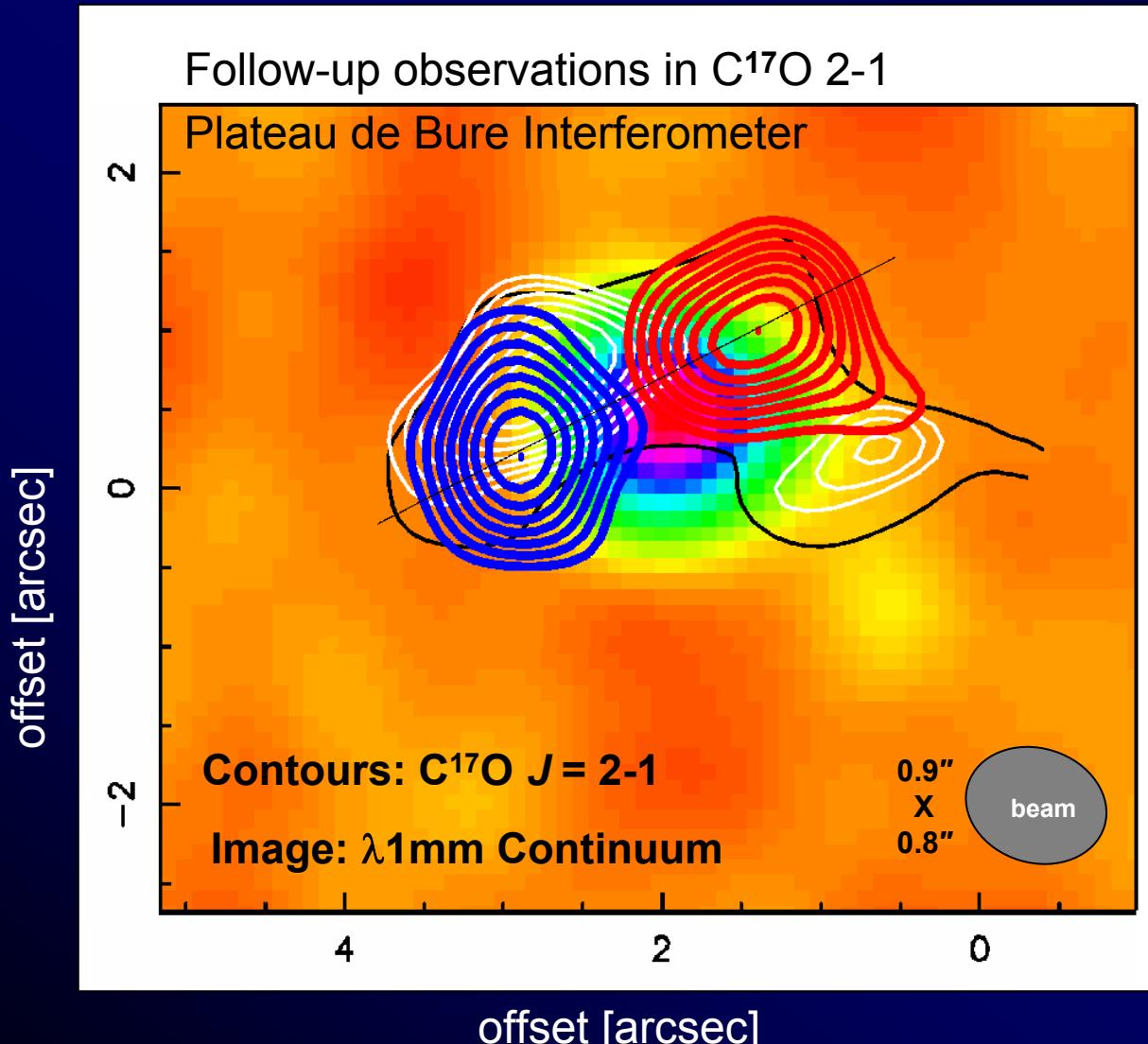
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Color-coded image:  
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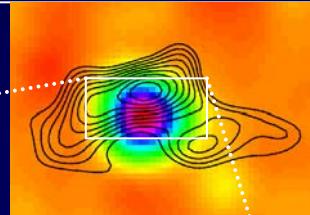
Red & blue C<sup>17</sup>O contour levels:  
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$V_{\text{lsr}}$ -Red: -12.5...-9.5 km/s  
 $V_{\text{lsr}}$ -Blue: -15.5...-13.4 km/s

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AFGL 490

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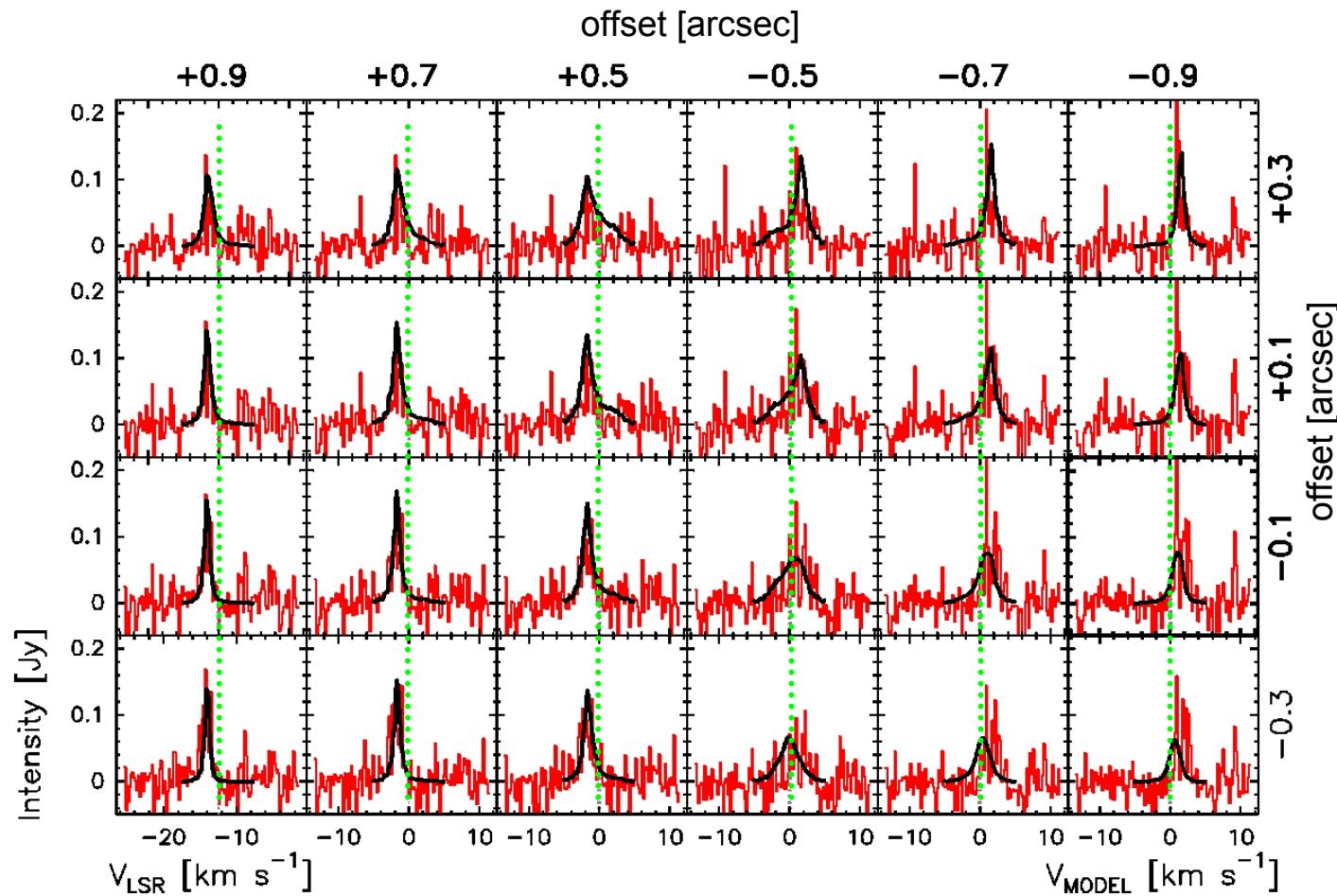


Complete cycle:

Step I  
2D model for the continuum emission

Step II  
1+1D modelling of the chemistry in the disk

Step III  
2D modelling of the line profile



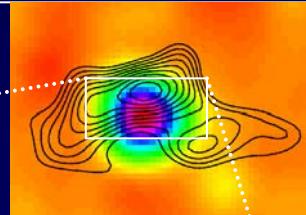
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Schreyer et al. (2006)

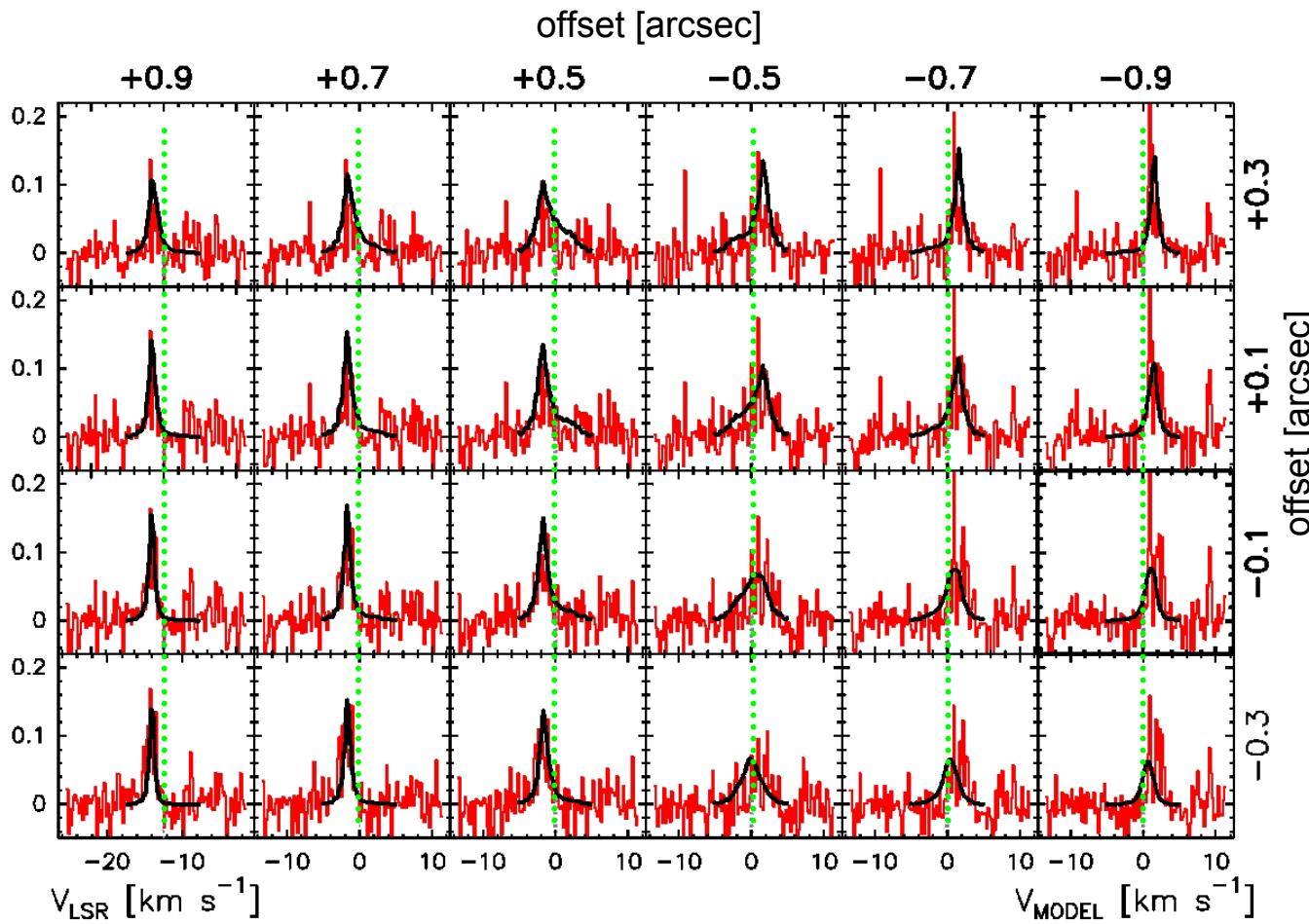
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Assumptions for  
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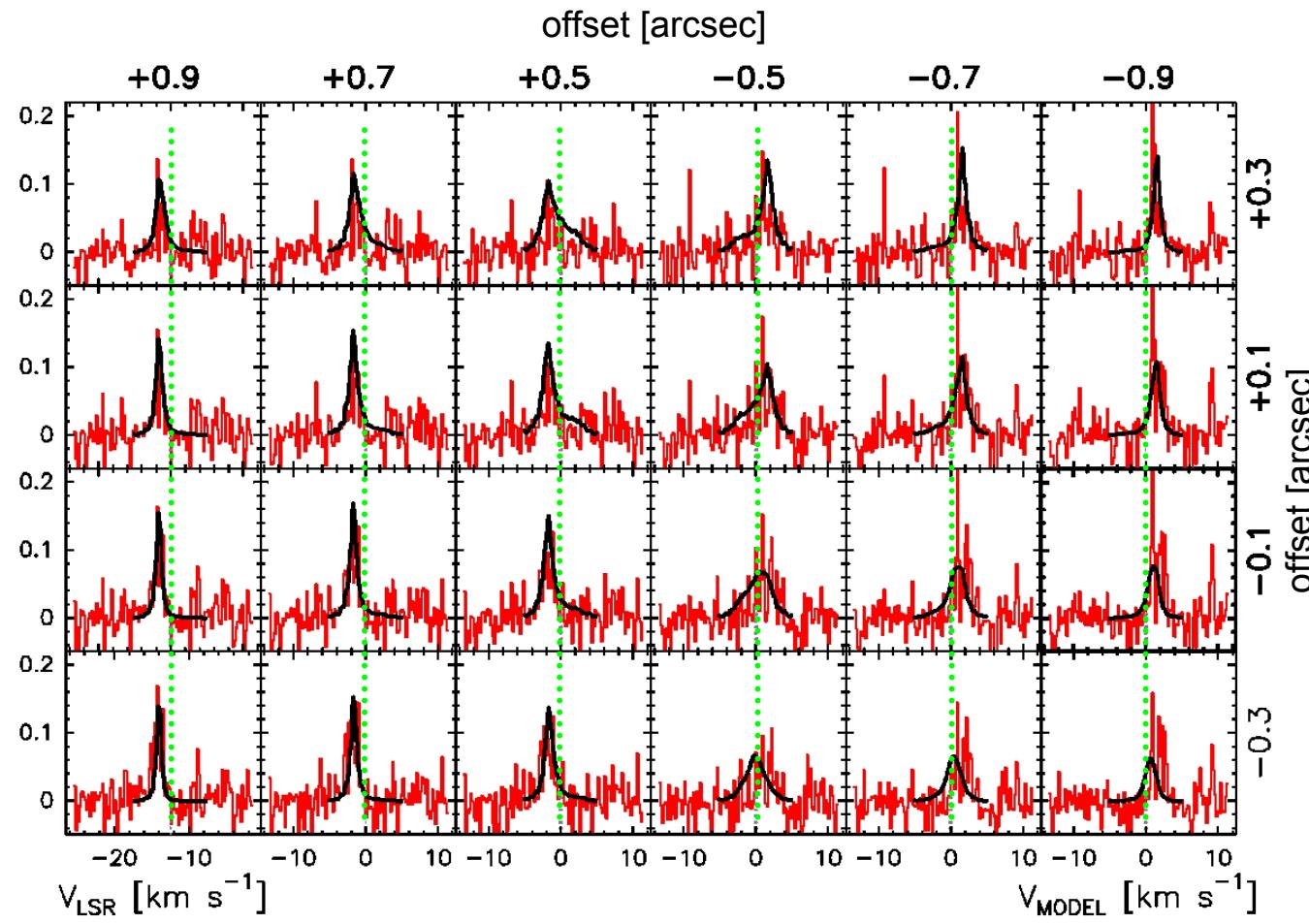
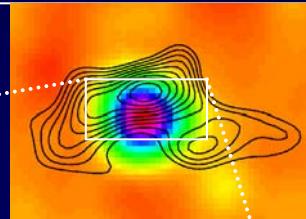
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- Flared-disk model
- Velocity profile  $V(r) = V_o(r_o/r)^{-s}$
- Surface density gradient  $\Sigma(r) = \Sigma_o(r_o/r)^{-p}$
- Dust grains: MRN-like size distribution (Mathis et al. 1977)
- $M_{\text{gas}} : M_{\text{dust}} = 100$
- Age: 0.1 Myr

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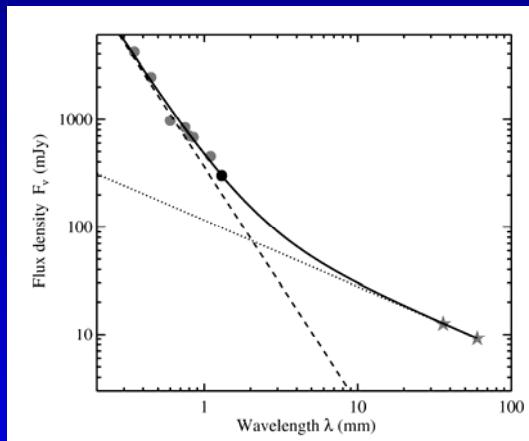
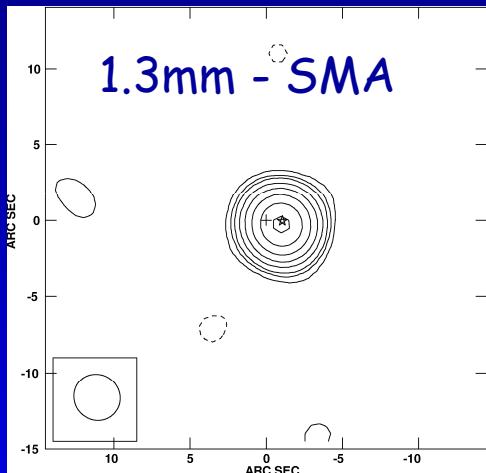
Best Fit Results:

- Inclination & position angle  $i = 30^\circ \pm 5^\circ$
- $M_\star = 8 \dots 10 M_\odot$
- $M_{\text{disk}} = 0.2 \dots 1 M_\odot$
- Velocity profile  $V(r) = V_o(r_o/r)^{-0.5}$
- Surface density gradient  $\Sigma(r) = \Sigma_o(r_o/r)^{-1.5}$
- Optical depth  $\tau < 0.01$
- $R_{\text{out}} = 1500 \text{ AU}$

# MWC 297



MIPS 24  $\mu\text{m}$



**B1.5,  $M_* = 10 \text{ Msun}$**

**$M_{\text{disk}} = 0.07 \text{ Msun}$**

**$R_{\text{disk}} \sim 80 \text{ AU}$**

**No detectable compact CO 2-1**

**Dust mass requires a flattened disk to be optically visible**

VLTi interferometry study (Acke et al. 2008)

NIR/MIR emission including the 10 micron

Silicate emission comes from very compact region (FWHM 1.5 AU)

No evidence for inner emission-free gap

**Manoj et al. 2007**

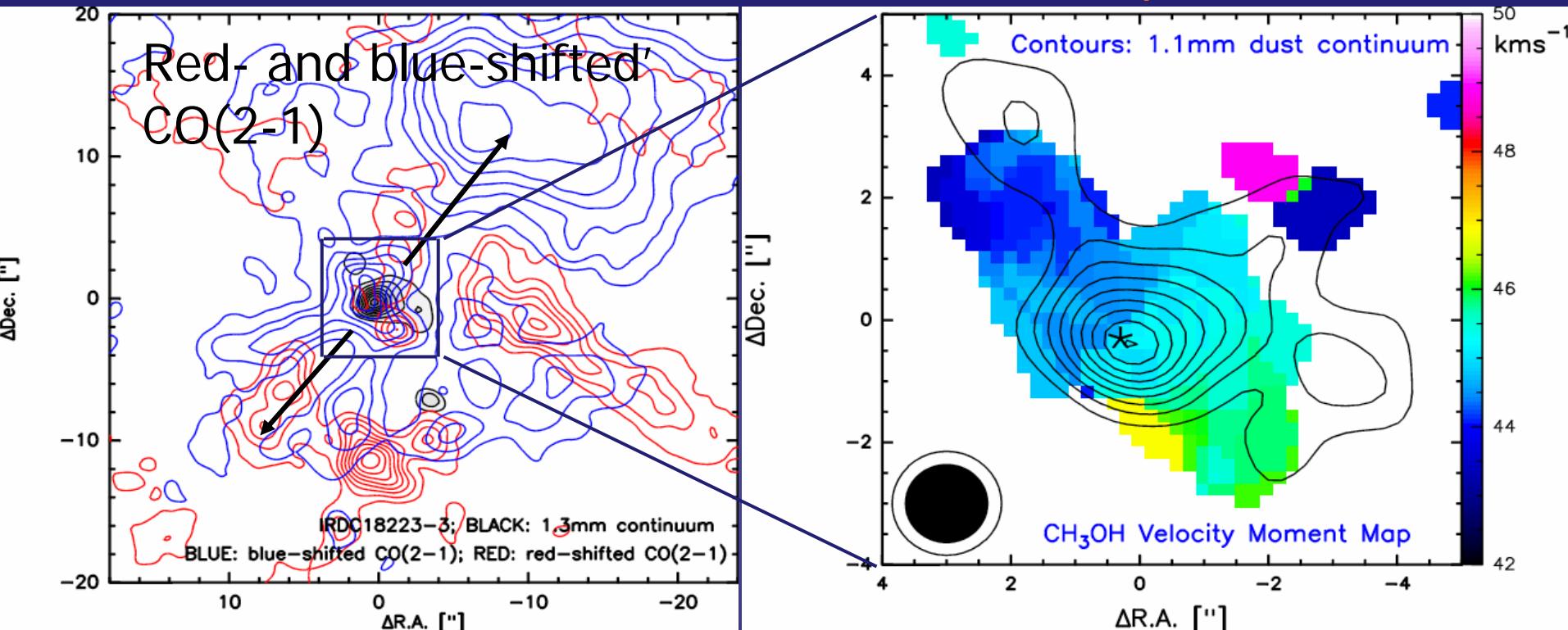
(see also the similar B0 star R Mon – Fuente ea. 03, 06; Alonso-Albi ea. 07)

# Evolutionary Stages



# Rotation and outflow at the onset of MSF

IRDC 18223-3, distance  $\sim 3.7\text{kpc}$

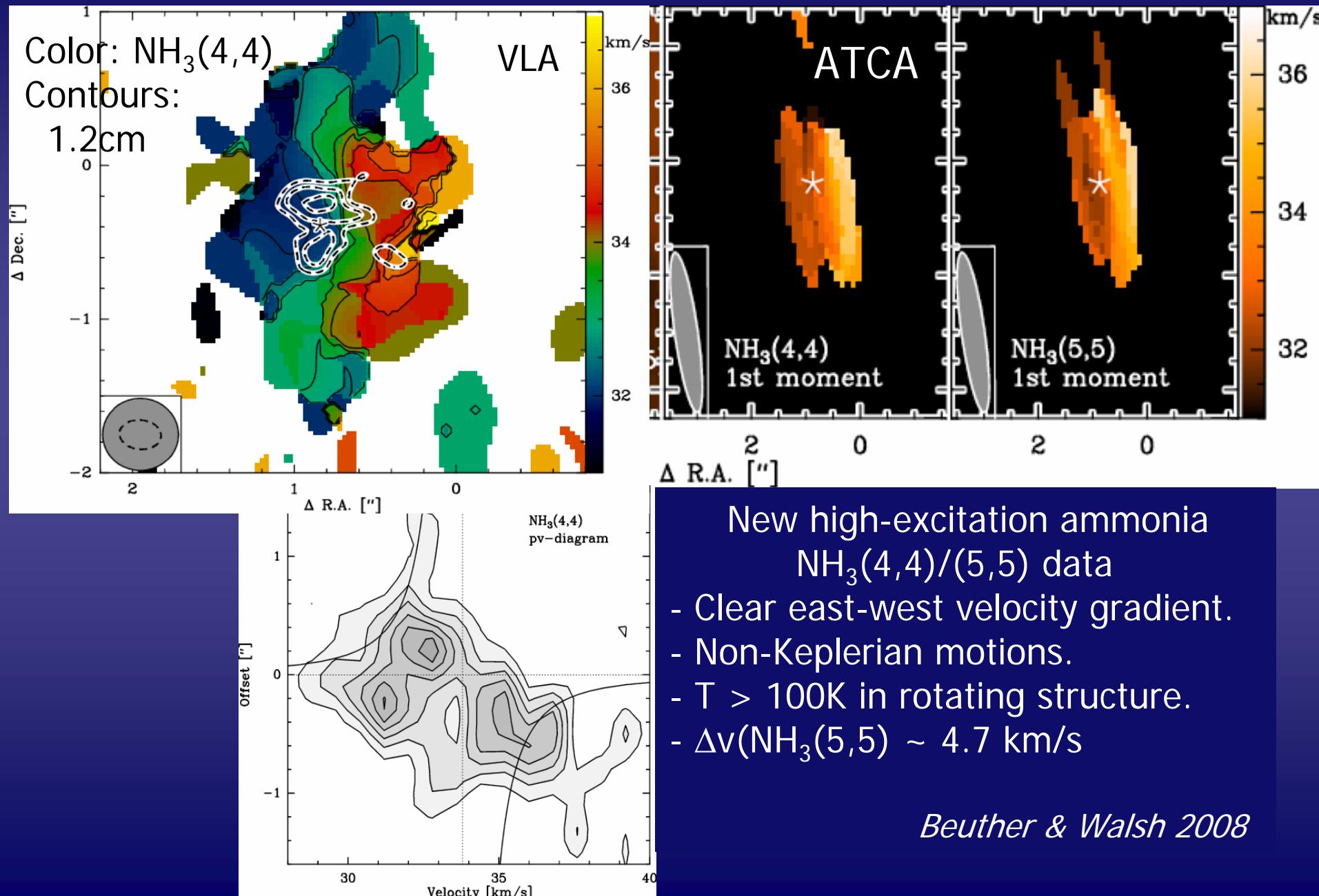


- Outflow wings  $\pm 15 \text{ km/s}$
- Outflow mass  $13 M_{\text{sun}}$
- Outflow rate  $3.5 \times 10^{-4} M_{\text{sun}}/\text{yr}$
- Dynamical age  $\sim 3.7 \times 10^4 \text{ yrs}$

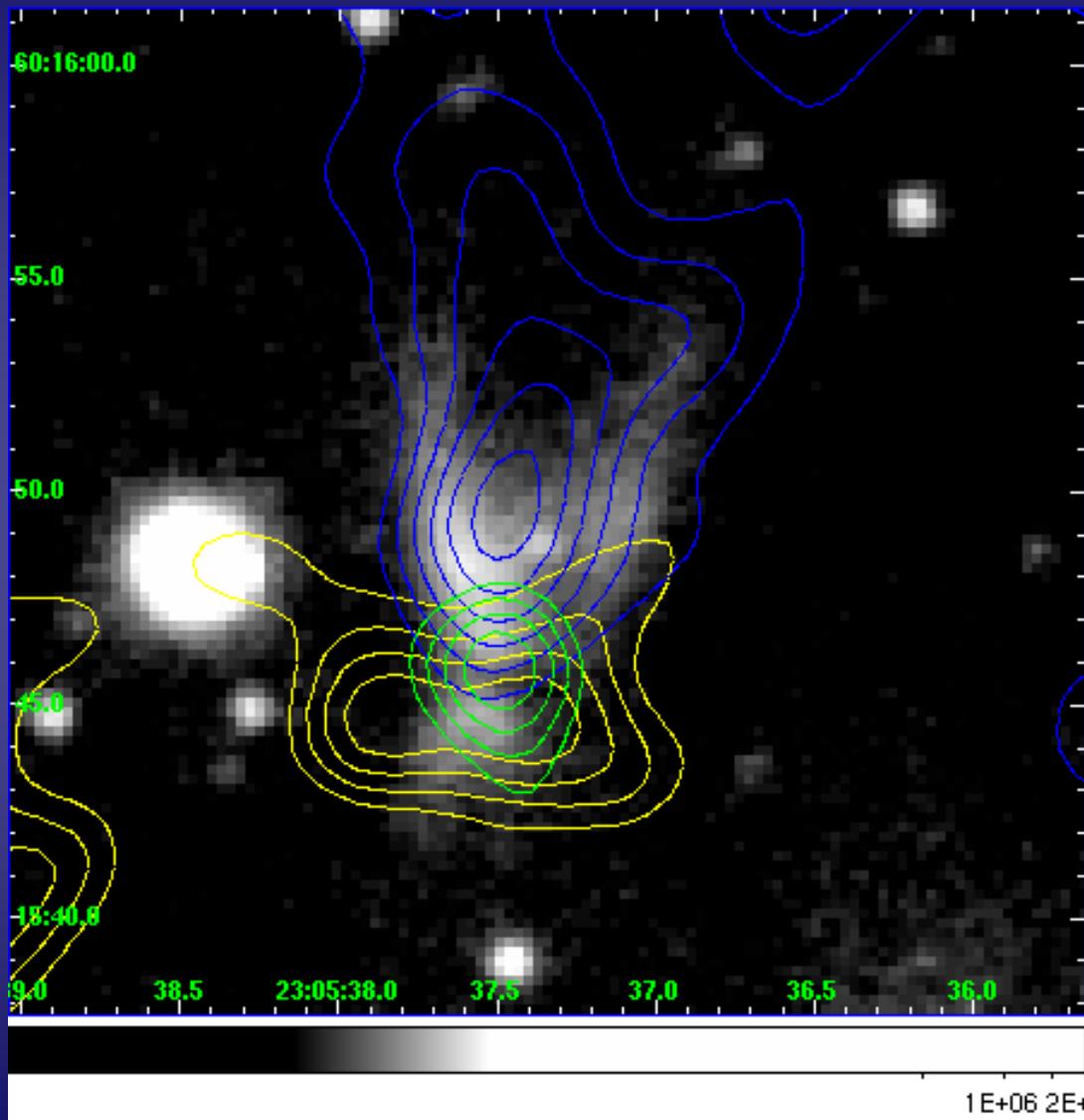
About  $50 M_{\text{sun}}$  in gas vs total  $500 M_{\text{sun}}$

- $\Delta v \sim 2.1 \text{ km/s}$
- Velocity spread  $\sim 2.5 \text{ km/s}$
- Structure size  $\sim 25000 \text{ AU}$
- Likely optically thick line?

# The Disk candidate in IRAS 18089-1732 (HMPO)



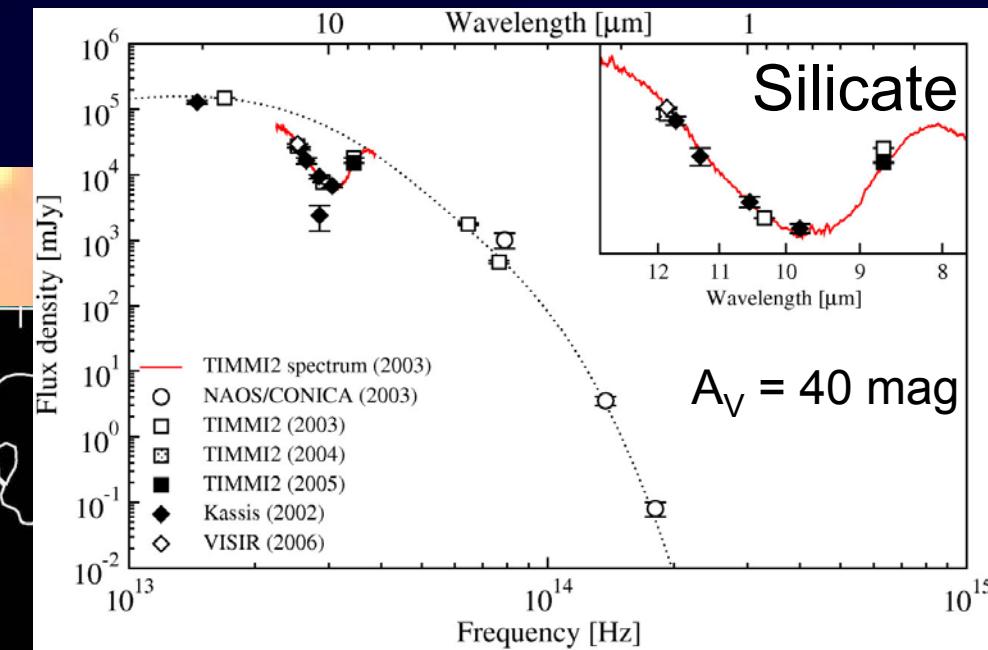
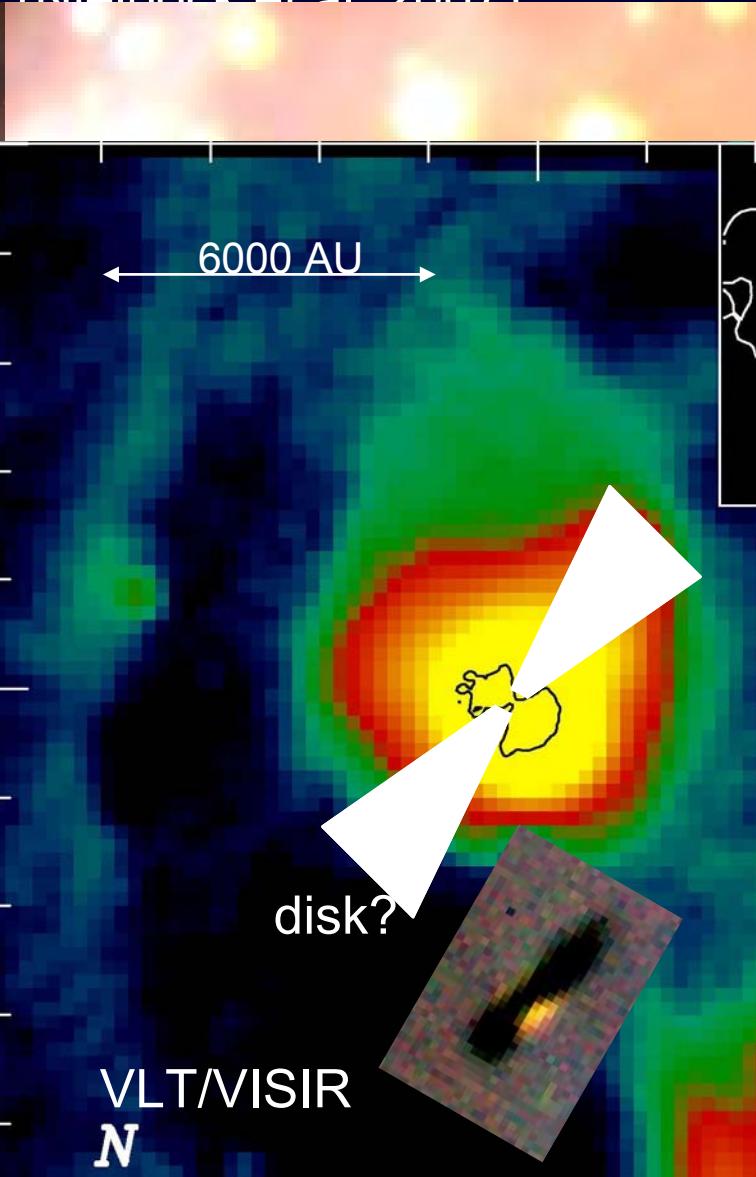
# A more evolved disk in MSF?



- SMA @ 1.3mm and about 5.6kpc
- Blue: CO(2-1)
- Green: 1.3mm continuum
- Yellow: C<sup>18</sup>O(2-1)
- No dust emission on large scales
- Gas mass  $\sim 5M_{\text{sun}}$
- $\Delta v(\text{C}^{18}\text{O}) \sim 0.8\text{km/s}$
- Size  $\sim 20000\text{ AU}$

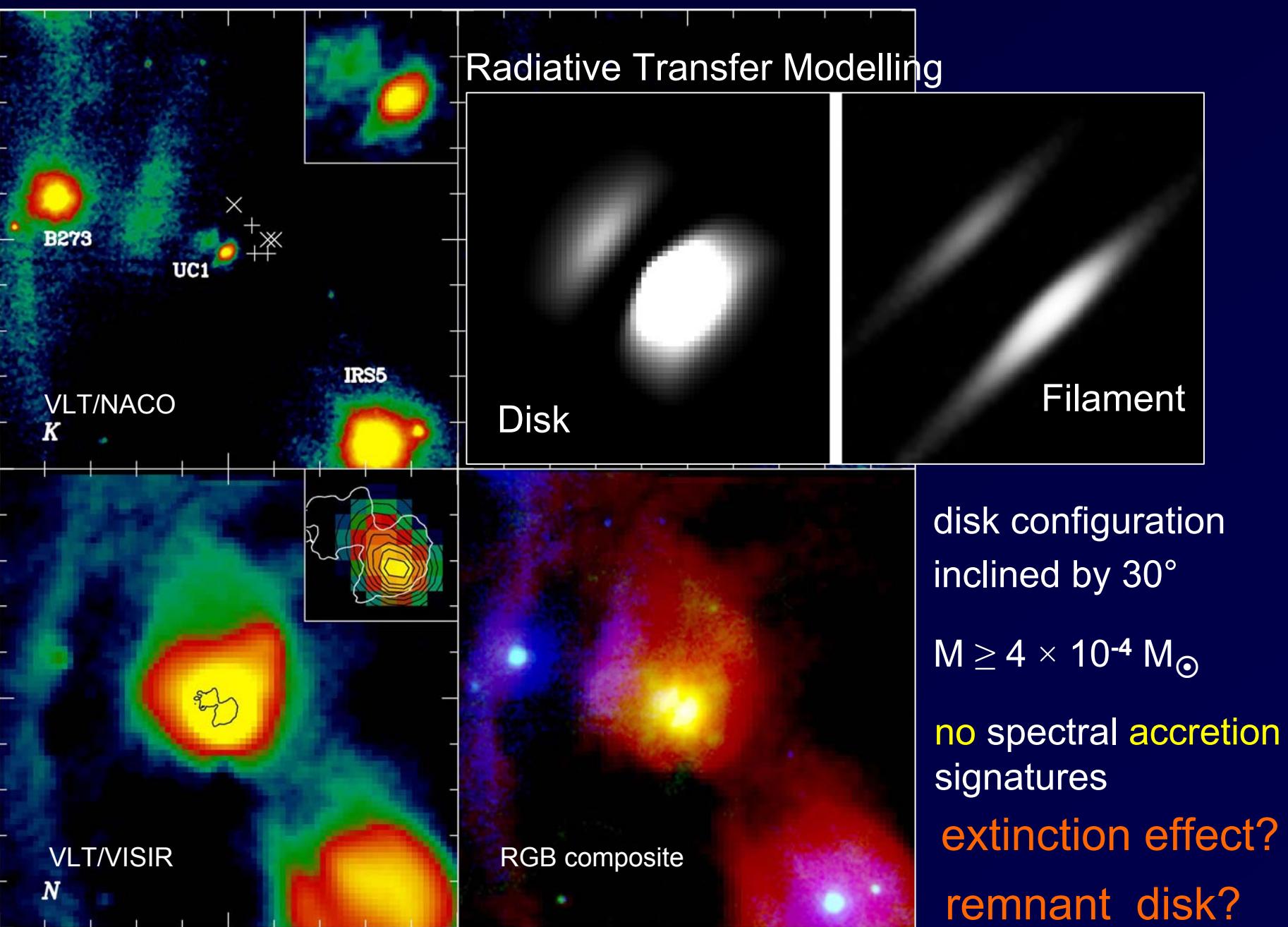
# M17-UC1

(Nielbock et al. 2007)



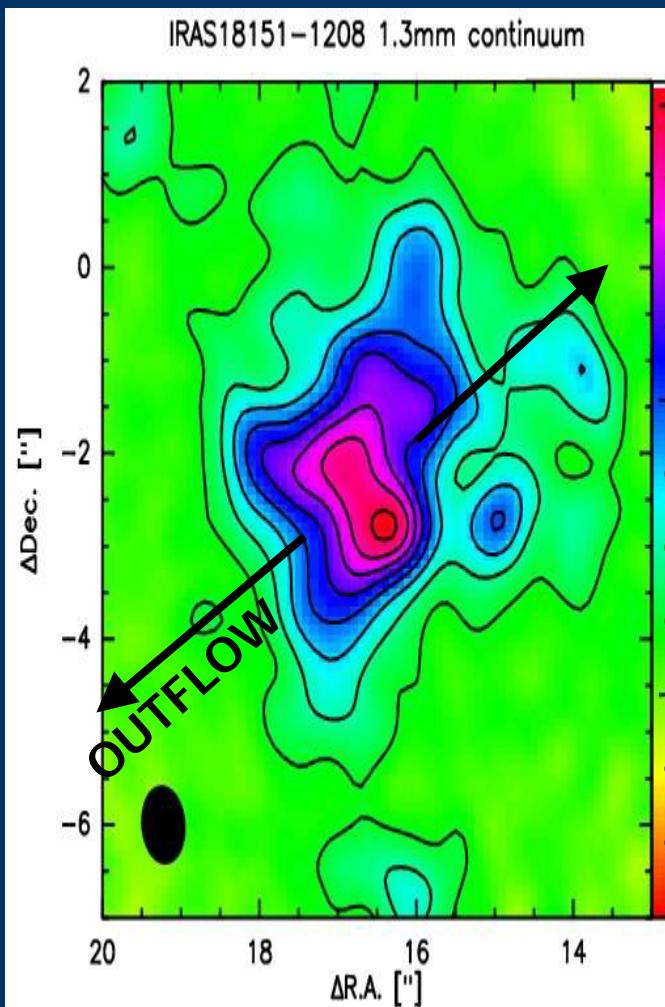
- LyC flux: B0-B0.5 V star
- Hyper-compact HII region (?)
- Shell of  $0.6 - 3.4 M_\odot$  (warm dust/gas)
- additional cool dust
- edge-on disk? (see Orion proplyd)

# M17-UC1 – Disk or Filament?

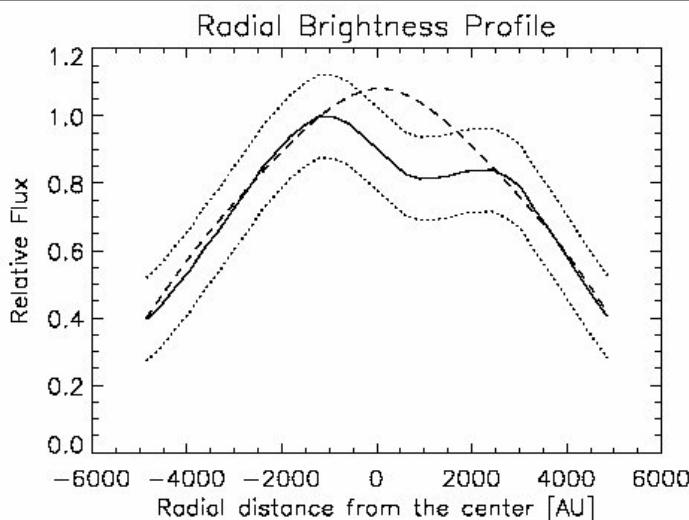


# RT modeling of a disk candidate in a high-mass protostellar object

Successful modeling of elongation detected orthogonal to the outflow orientation



	Low Mass: Butterfly Star	High mass: IRAS 18151- 1208
$\alpha$ , radial density parameter	2.37	2.37
$\beta$ , disk flaring parameter	1.29	1.29
$M_{\text{dust}}$	$0.07 M_{\odot}$	$3 M_{\odot}$
$R_{\text{out}}$ , radius at density=0	300 AU	5000 AU
$R_*, T_*, L_*$	$2R_{\odot}, 4000\text{K}, 0.92L_{\odot}$	$7.5R_{\odot}, 22500\text{K}, 14000L_{\odot}$



# The Hourglass Close to Her 36 (O7 star in M8)



HST Image in [OIII], [SII], H $\alpha$

# G5.97-1.17: The View of HST

Red: [SII]

Green: [H $\alpha$ ]

Blue: [OIII]

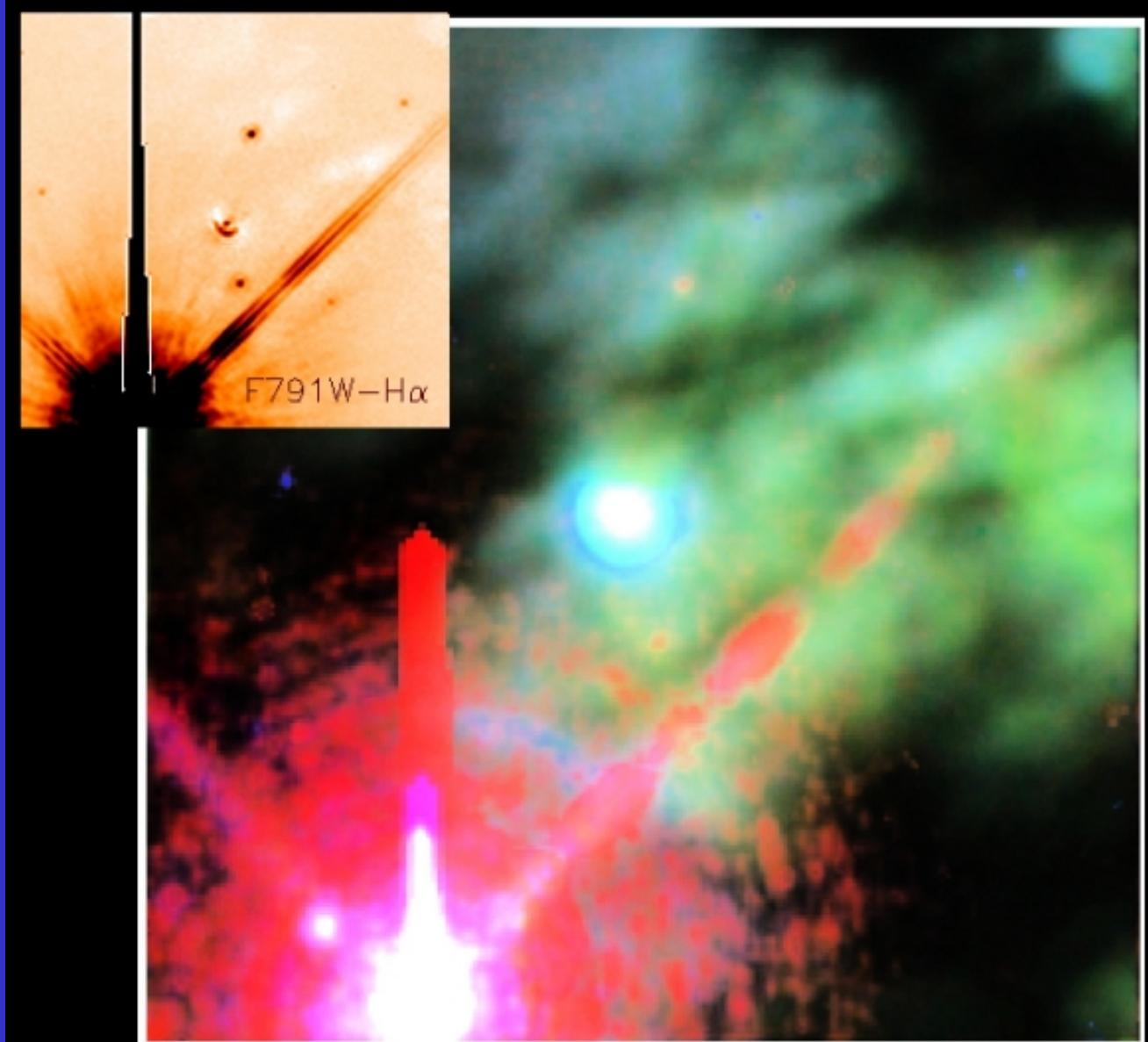
Her 36: O7 ZAMS  
Dist: 2.7"/0.024pc

Ext.:  $A_V = 5$  mag

$UV_{req} = 5.5 \times 10^{45} \text{ s}^{-1}$

$UV_{prov} = 3.8 \times 10^{45} \text{ s}^{-1}$

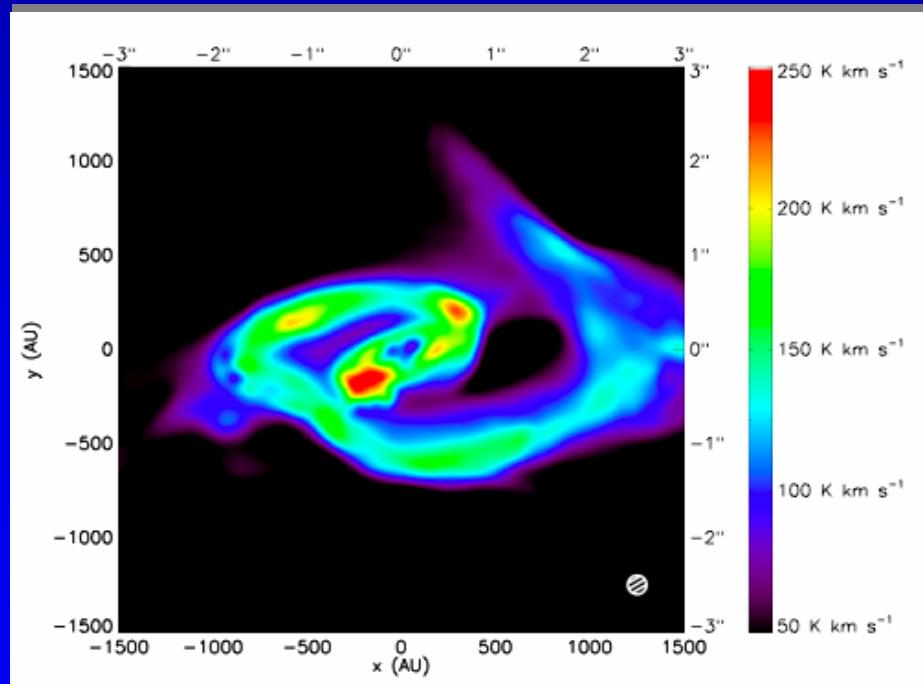
$\dot{M} = 7 \times 10^{-7} M_\odot \text{ yr}^{-1}$



(Stecklum, Henning, Feldt ea. 1998)

# Summary

- Disks around early B-type stars exist and disappear rapidly  
(Typical masses of a few  $M_{\text{sun}}$  and sizes of  $\sim 1000$  AU)
- No strong evidence for disks around O-type stars (small disks seem to be present – CO)
- We need to determine disk/torus kinematics ...



Integrated  $T_B$  in simulated 1000 s / pointing ALMA observation of disk at 0.5 kpc in  $\text{CH}_3\text{CN}$  220.7472 GHz (Krumholz, Klein, & McKee, 2007, ApJ, 665, 478)