

DYNAMICS AND FLOWS:

THE COMPLEX MASSIVE STAR FORMING REGION W33A



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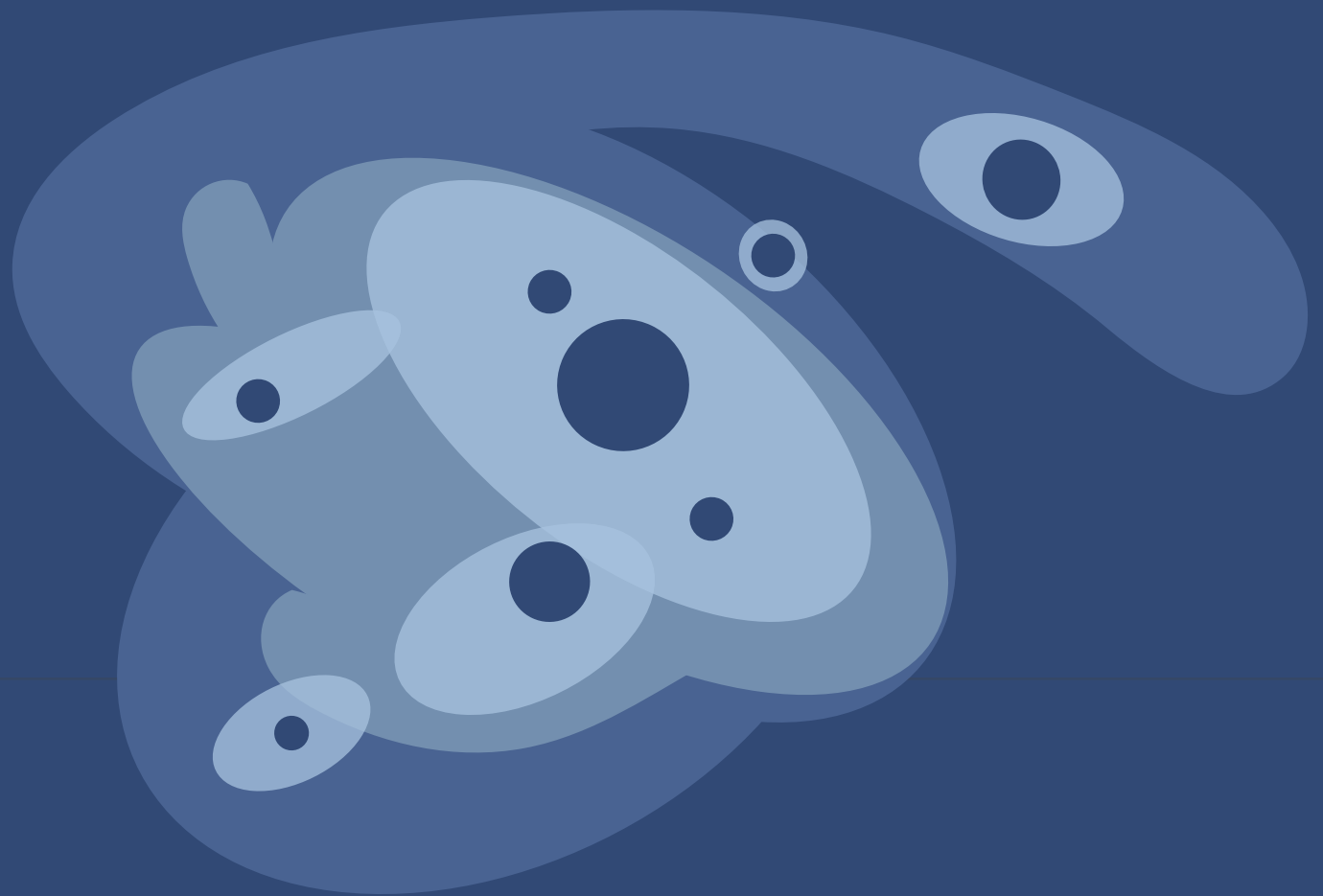
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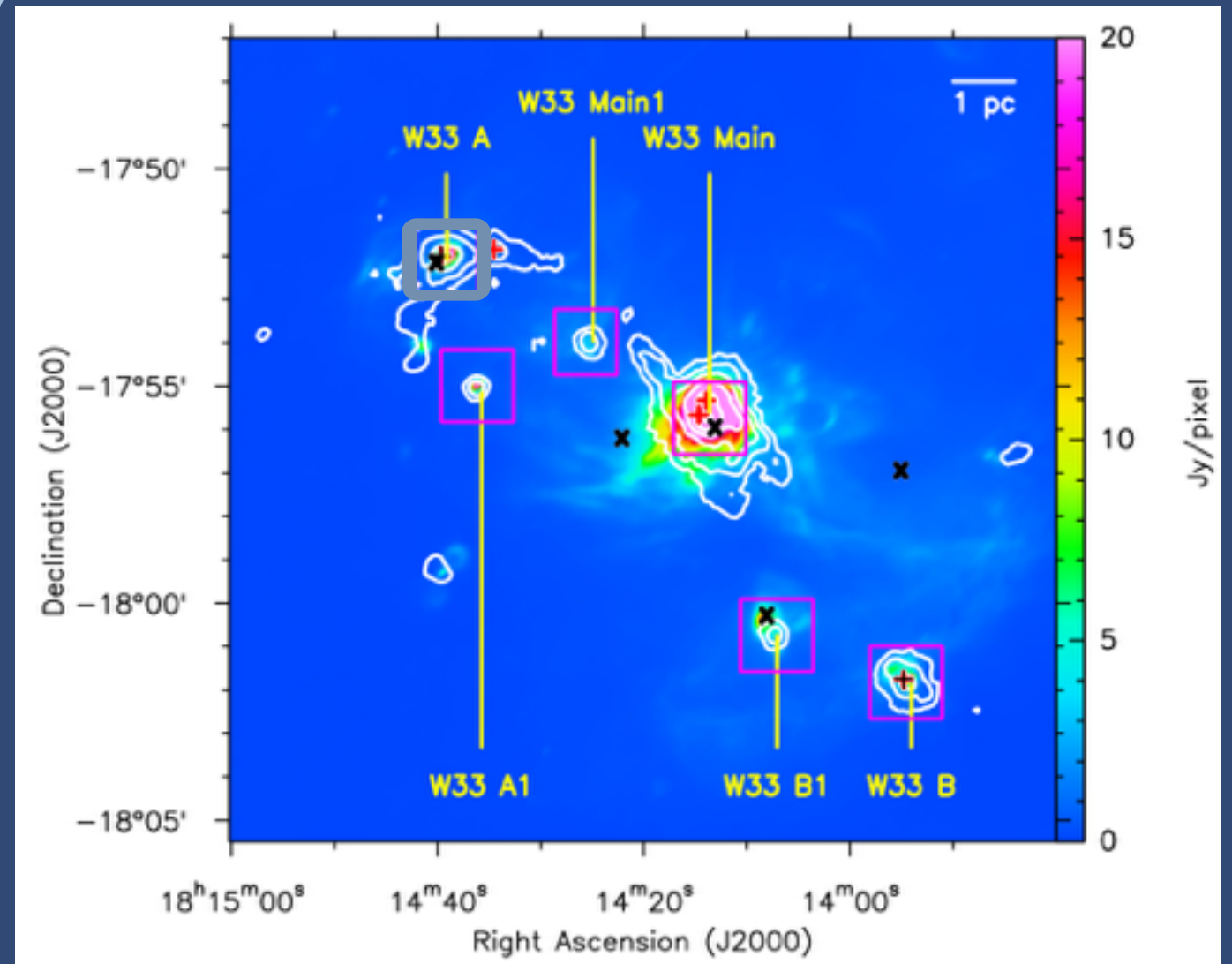
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- ✦ **Clump collapse and core accretion...**
- ✦ **...after fragmentation, becomes competitive..?**
- ✦ **...filaments and 'fibres' interconnect sources, are these accretion flows ?**

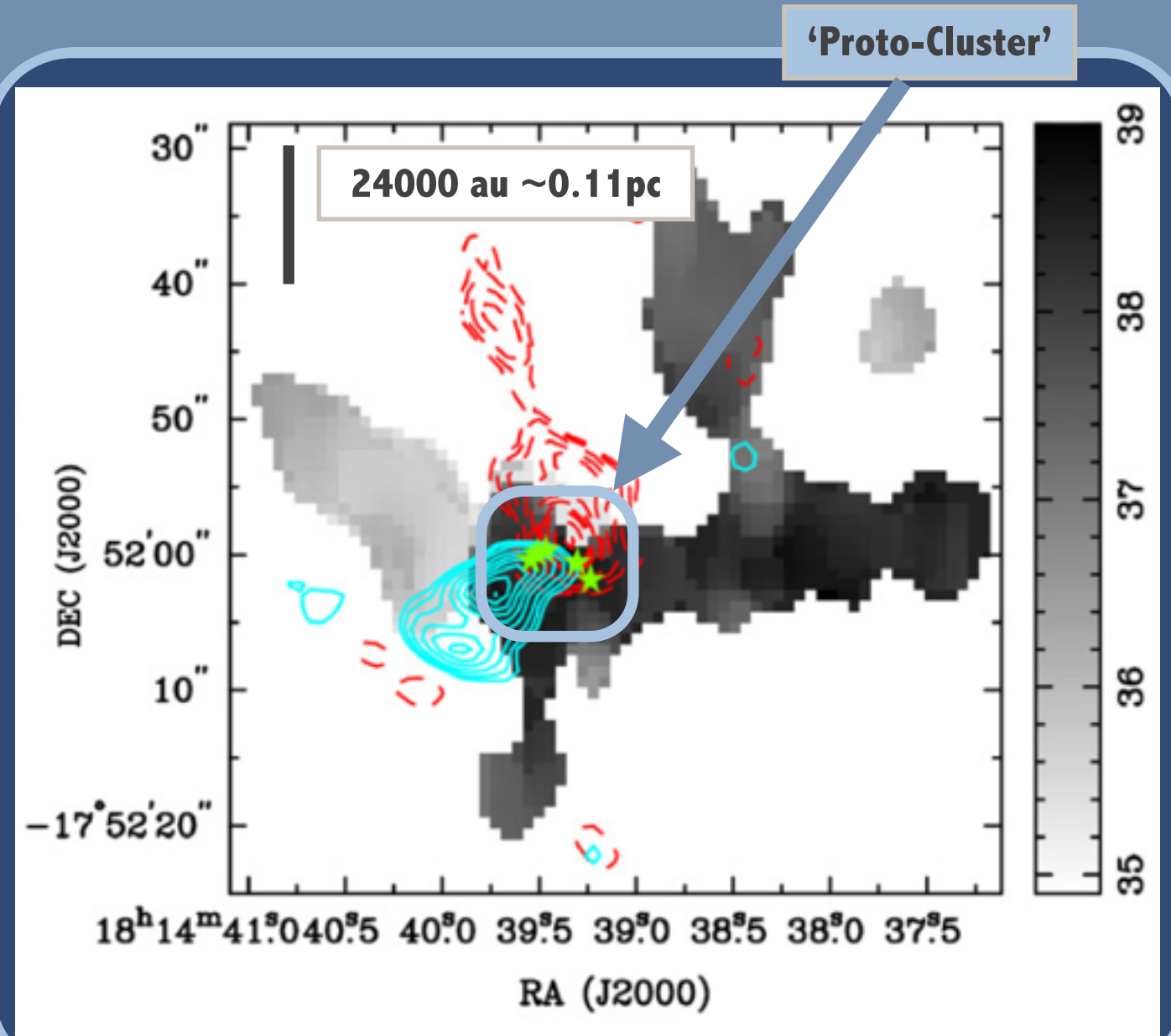
THE W33 REGION

- ✦ **W33 - 10pc scale**
- ✦ **Close ~ 2.4 kpc**
- ✦ **W33A forming at least 1 massive star**
- ✦ **$\sim 3.2 \times 10^4 L_{\odot}$**



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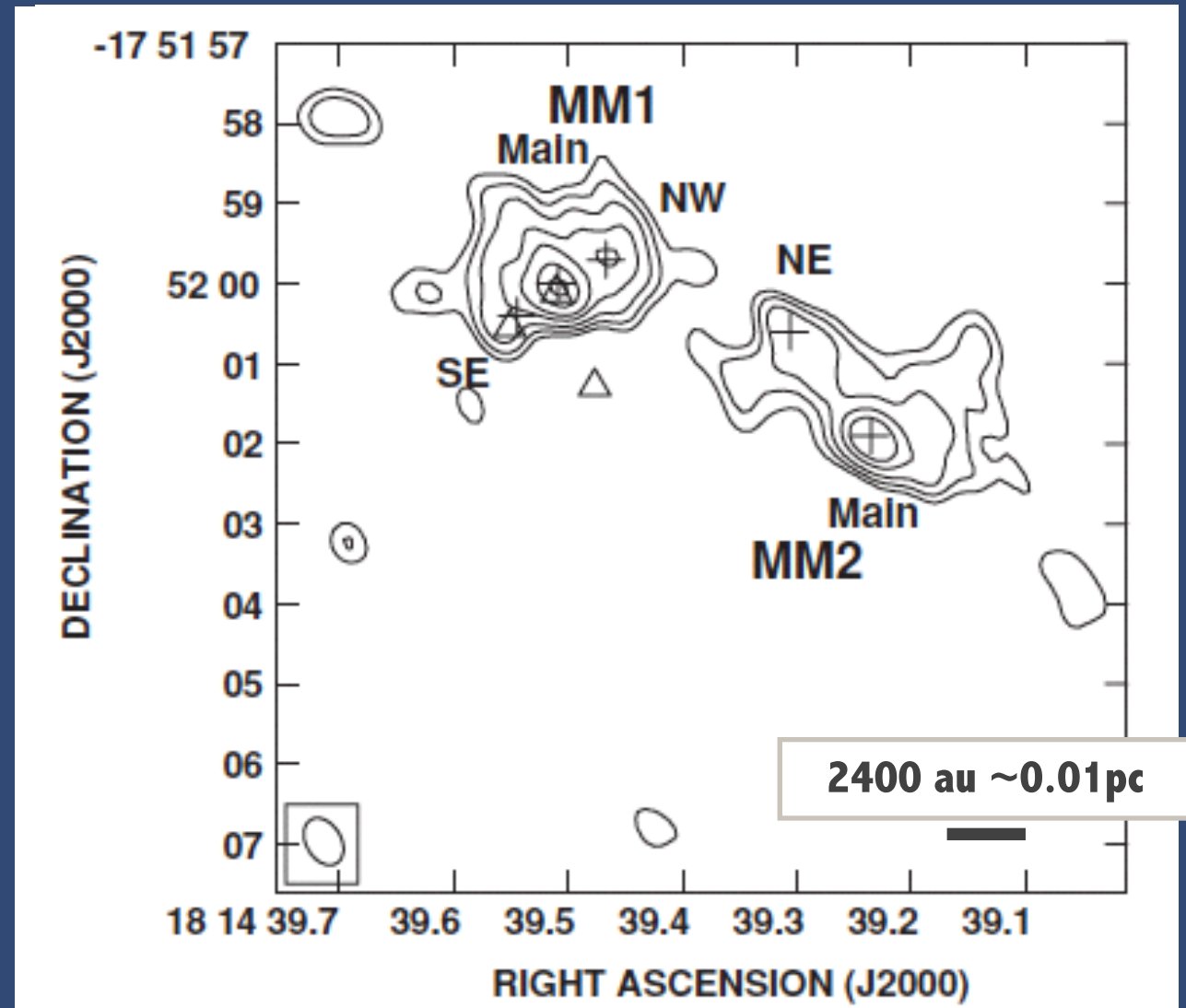


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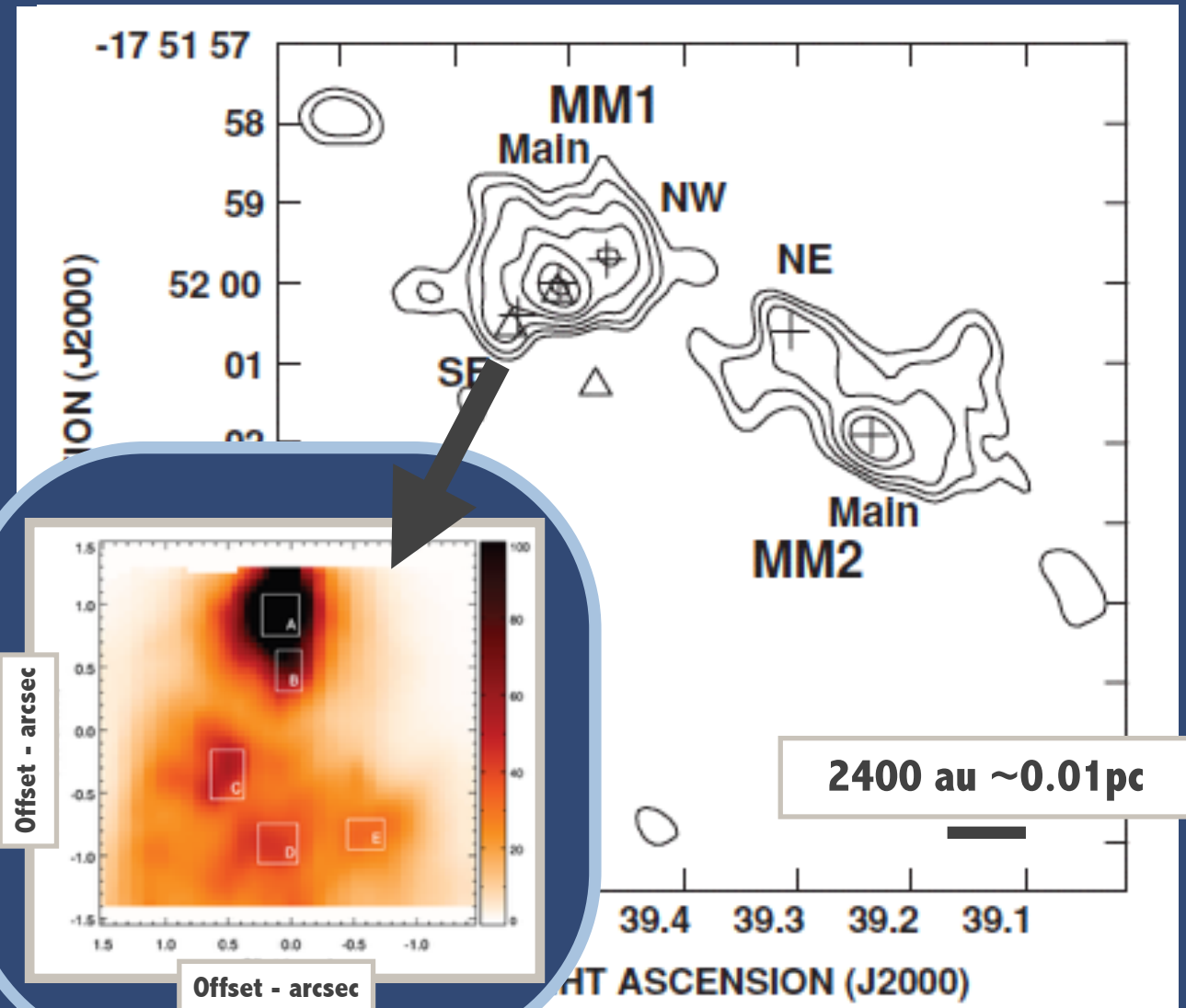
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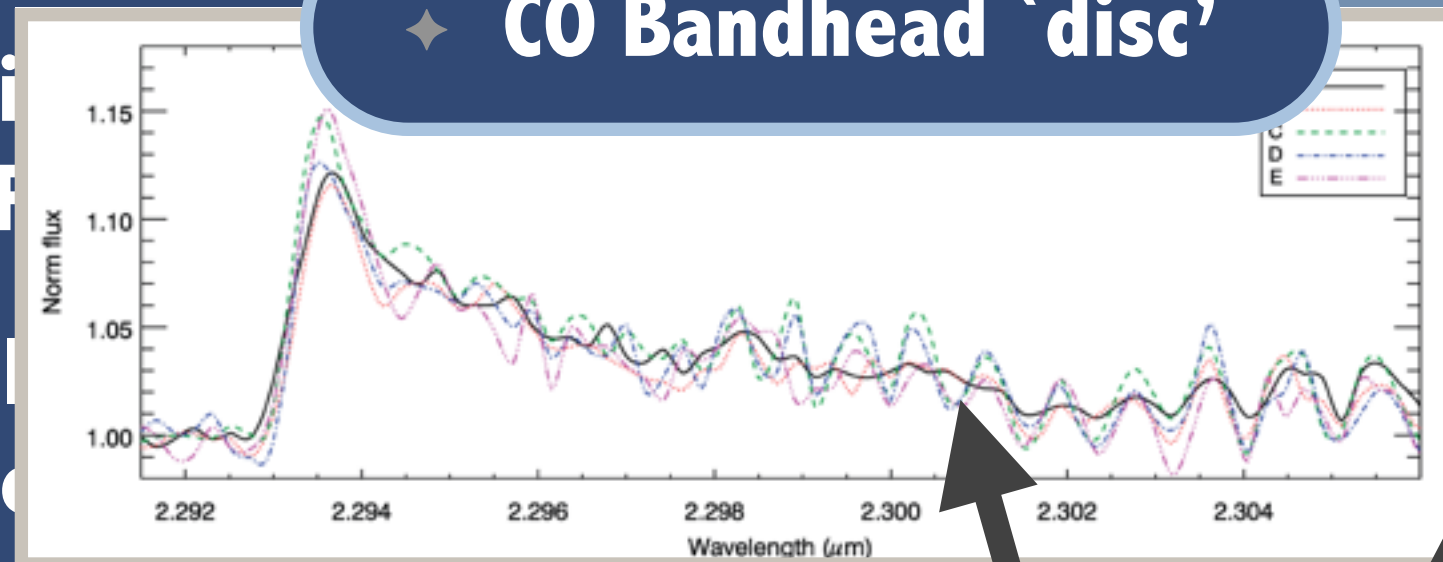
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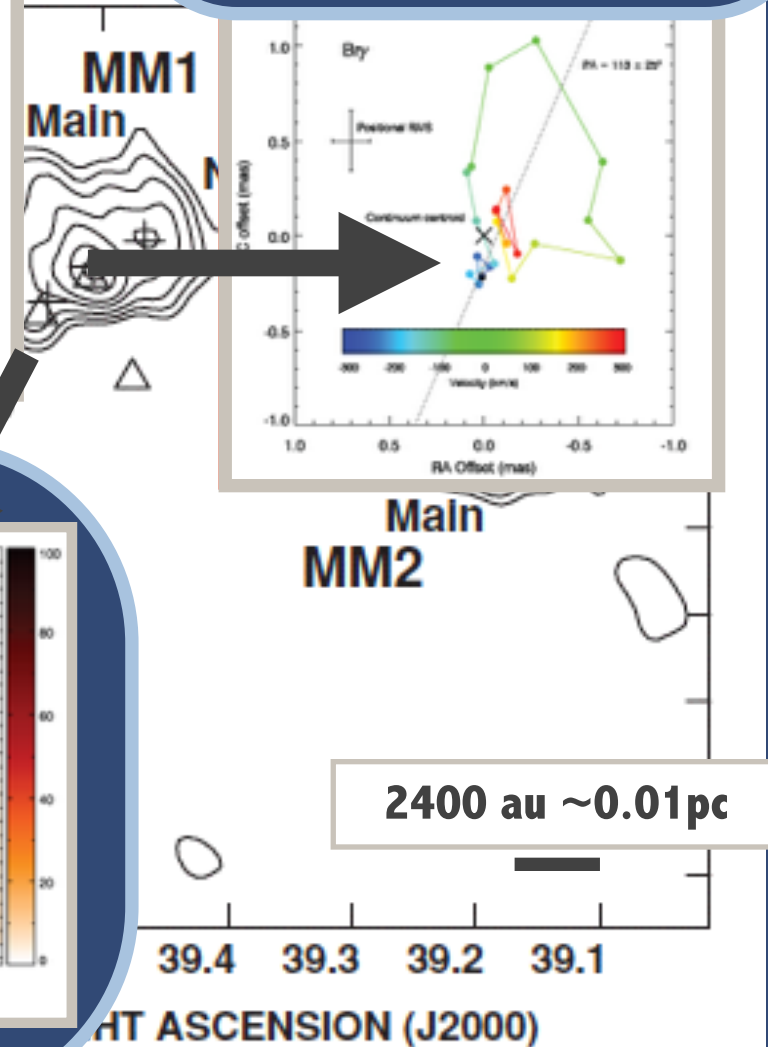
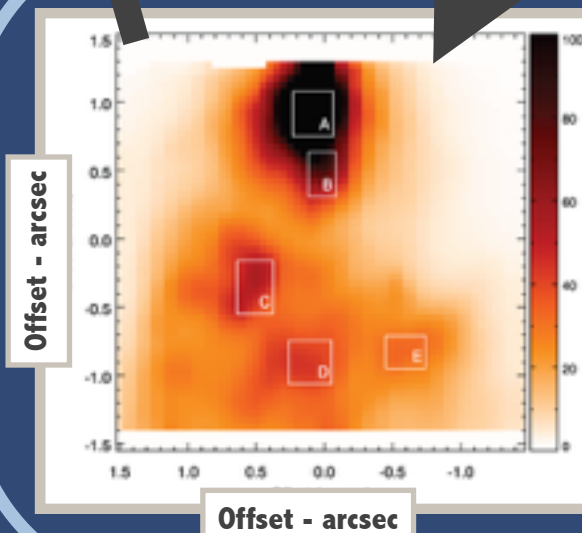
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Bry - Jet



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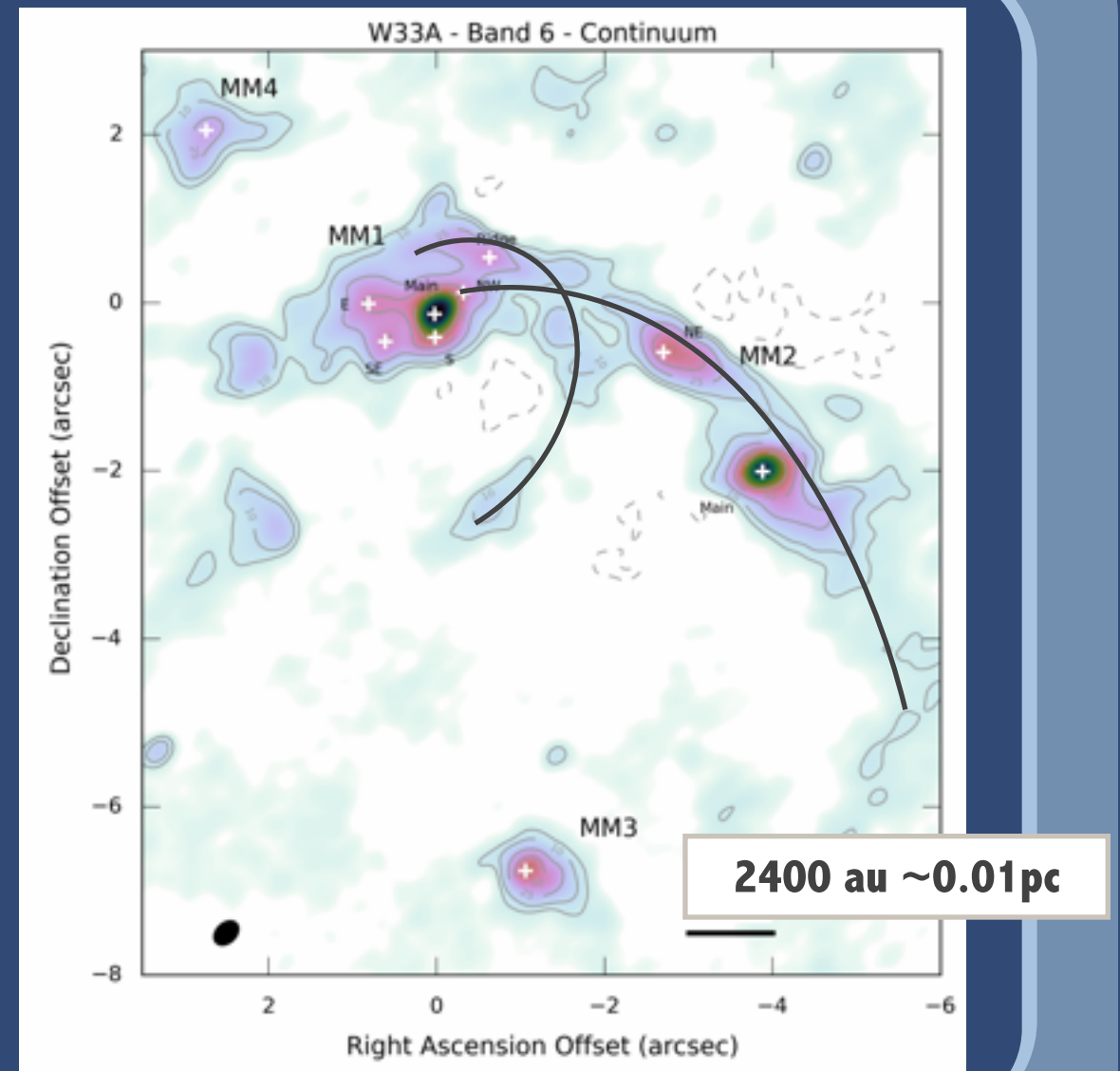
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THE ALMA PERSPECTIVE

- ★ **MM1 fragments**
- ★ **Many more cores**
(MM1 $\sim 2.45 M_{\odot}$, MM2 $\sim 4.60 M_{\odot}$,
MM3 $\sim 0.08 M_{\odot}$, MM4 $\sim 0.63 M_{\odot}$)
Gas mass (not stellar) $T \sim 80 - 600 \text{ K}$
- ★ **MM1 & MM2 joined by dust 'filament'**

'Core Scale'



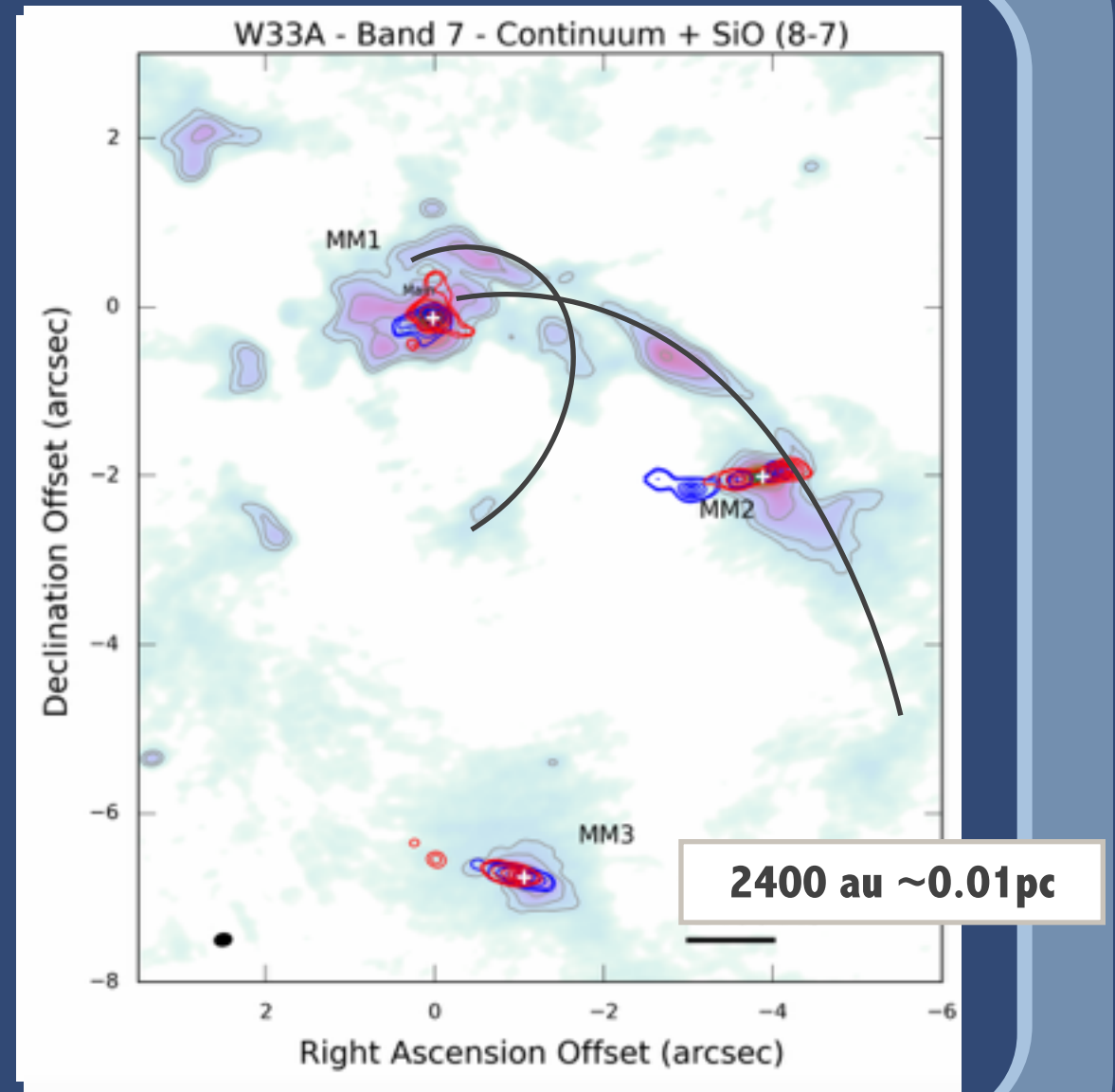
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- ★ **Band 6 - 230GHz - $0.33'' \times 0.24''$**

THE ALMA PERSPECTIVE

- ✦ Structures are coherence at Band 7
- ✦ SiO 8-7 jets

'Core Scale'



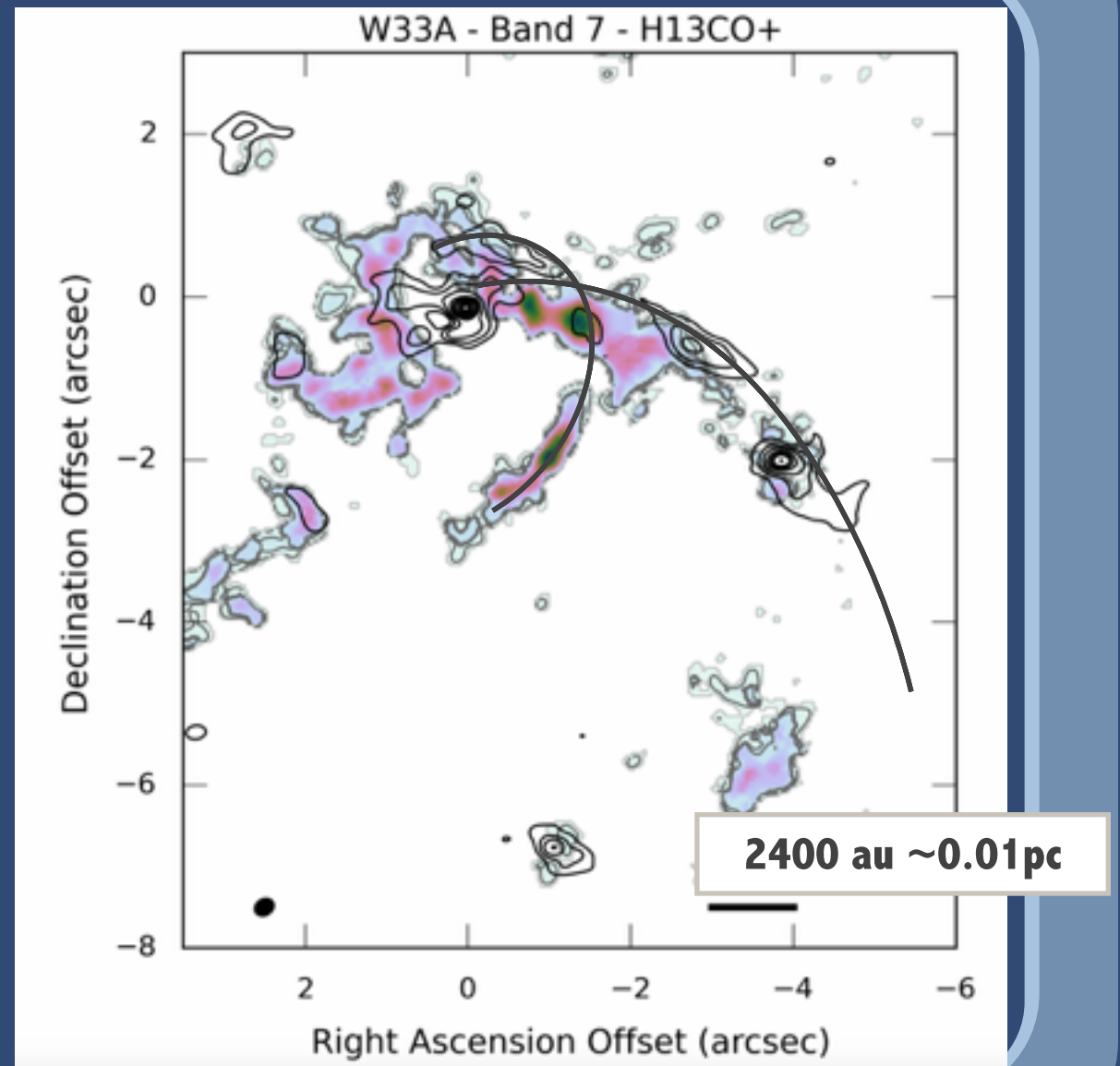
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- ✦ Band 7 - 330GHz - $0.21'' \times 0.14''$
 ~ 500 AU

THE ALMA PERSPECTIVE

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- ✦ Co-spatial with the dust continuum
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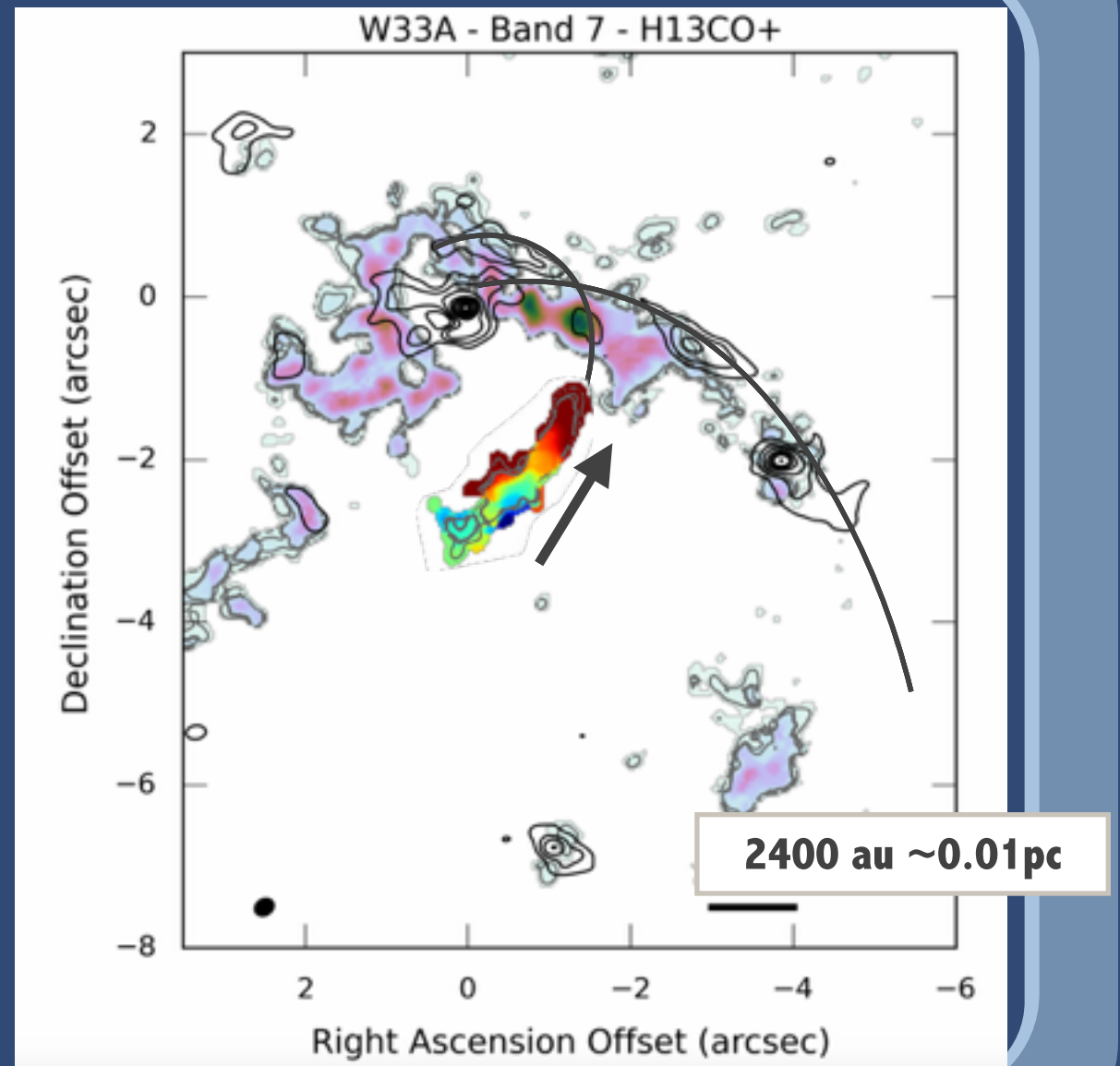
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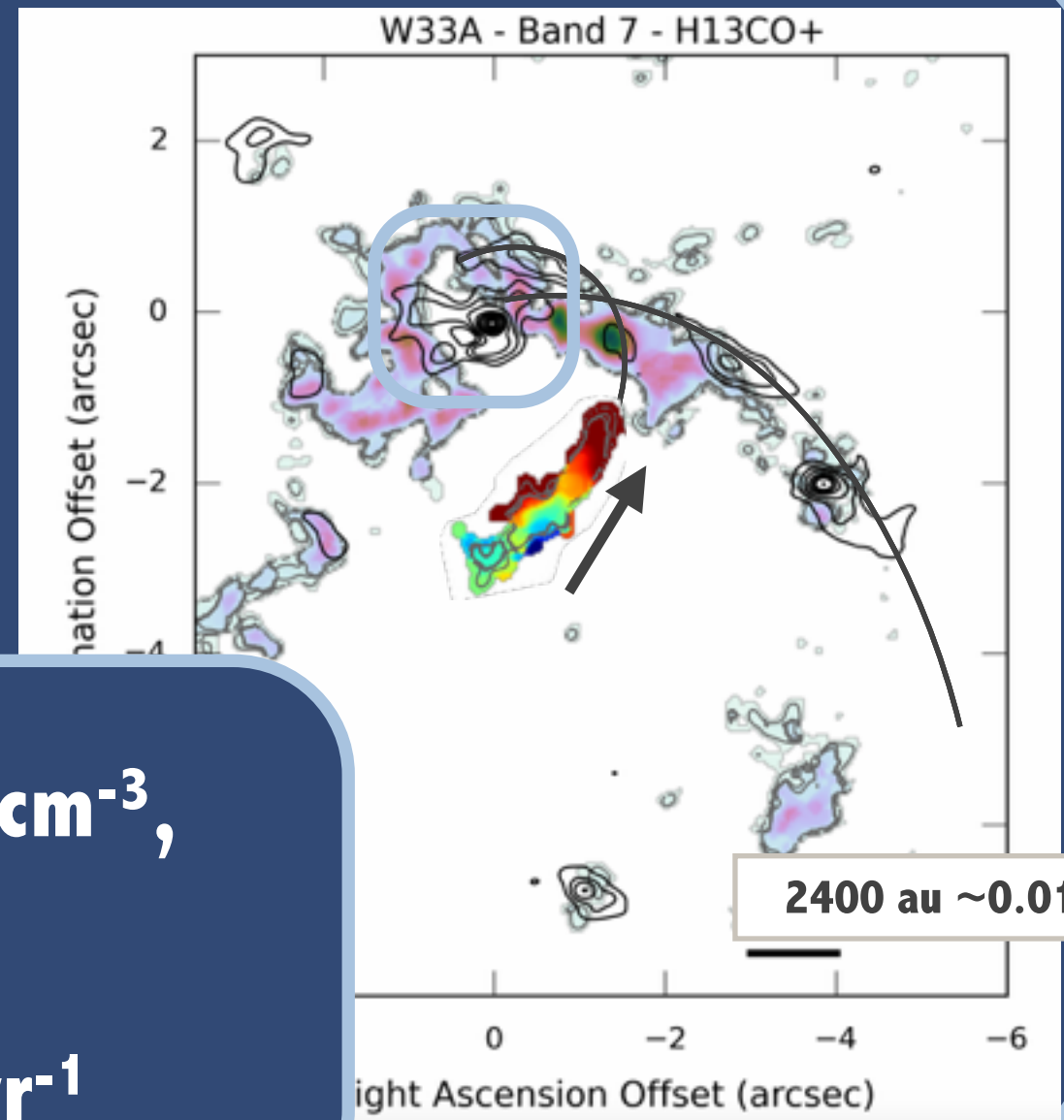
- ★ $v = 3 \text{ km s}^{-1}$, $\rho_{\text{H}_2} \sim 5 \times 10^7 \text{ cm}^{-3}$,

- ★ $A \sim \pi r^2$, $r \sim 0.15''$

- ★ Mass Flow $\sim 5 \times 10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$

- ★ Gravitational collapse

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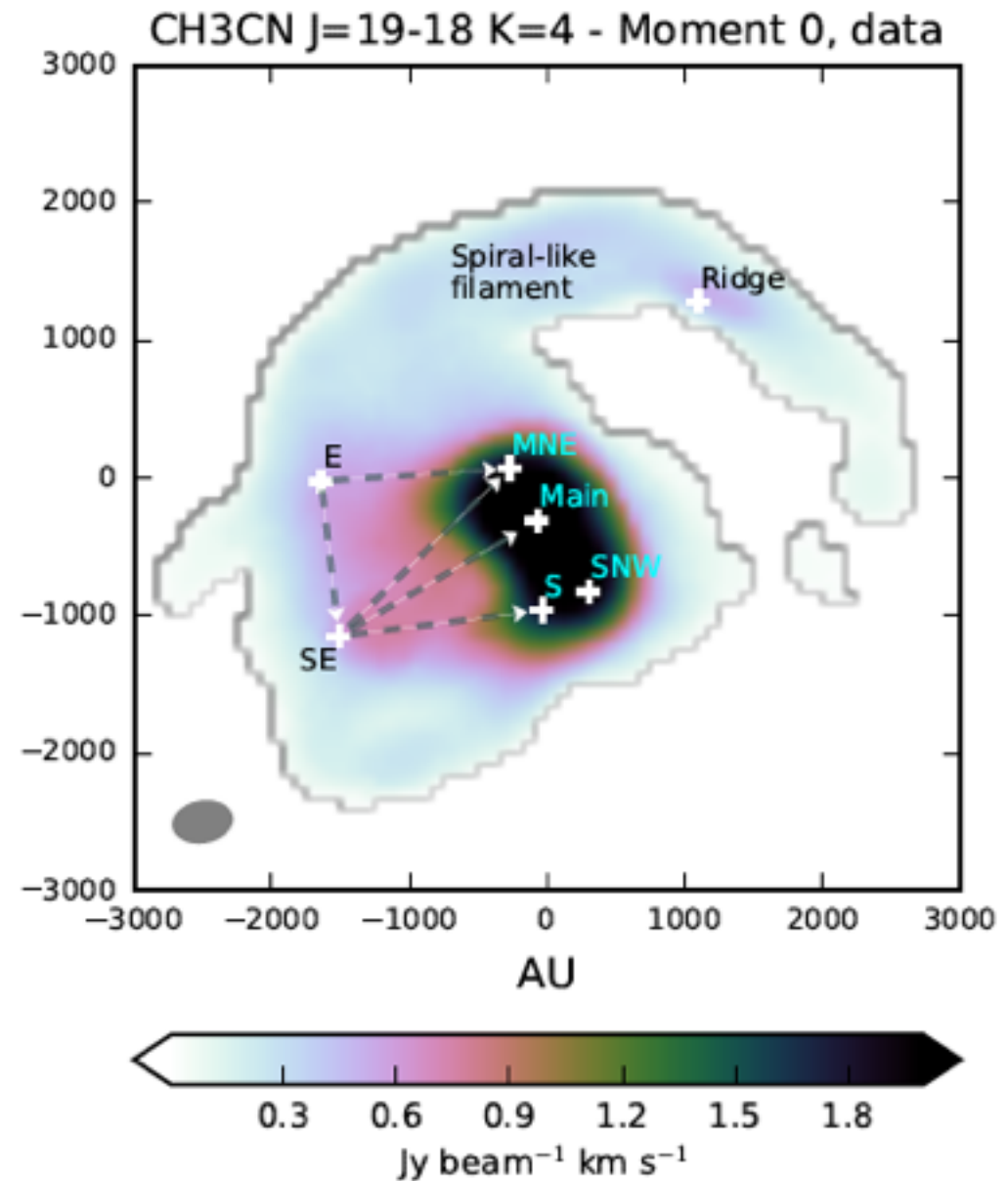
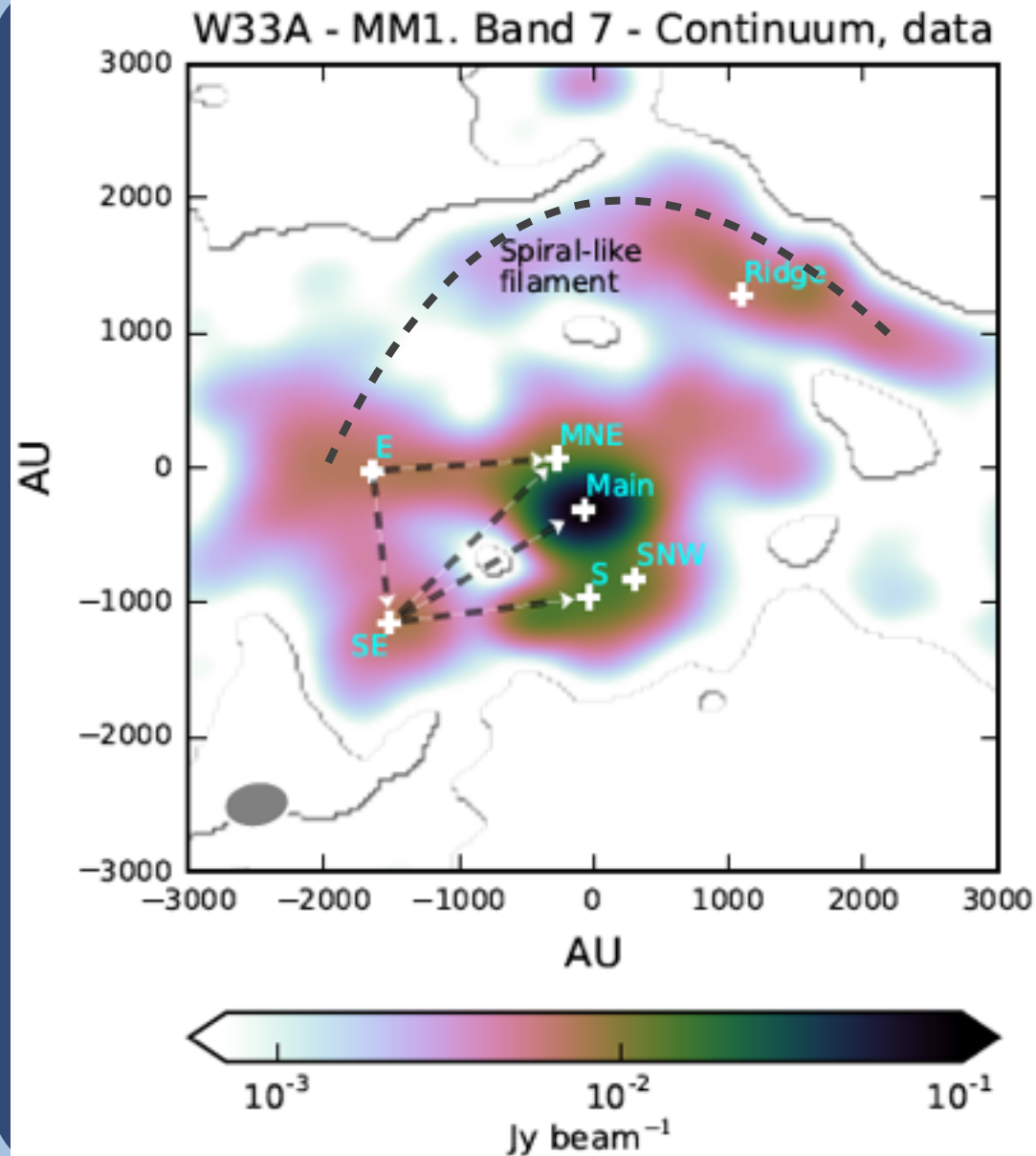
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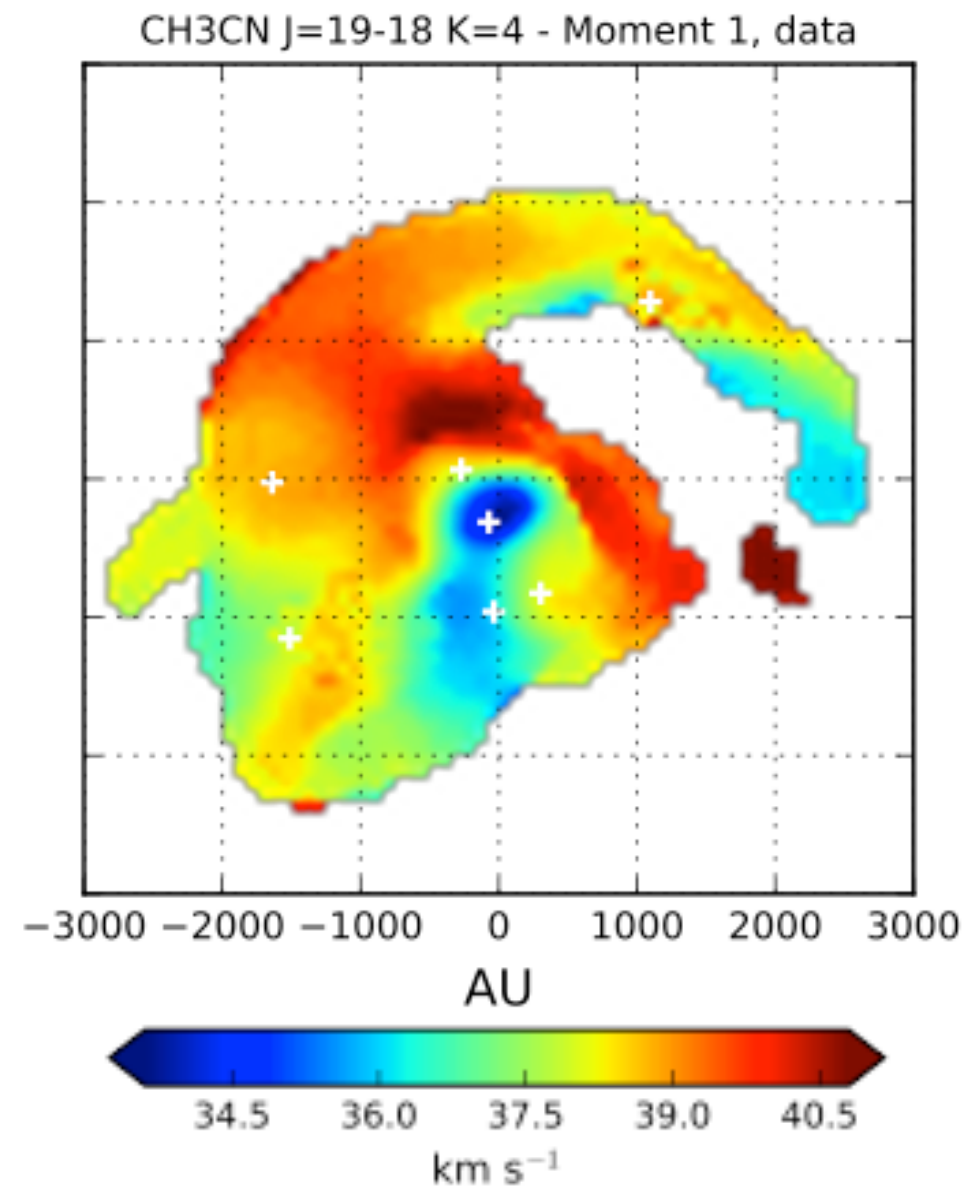
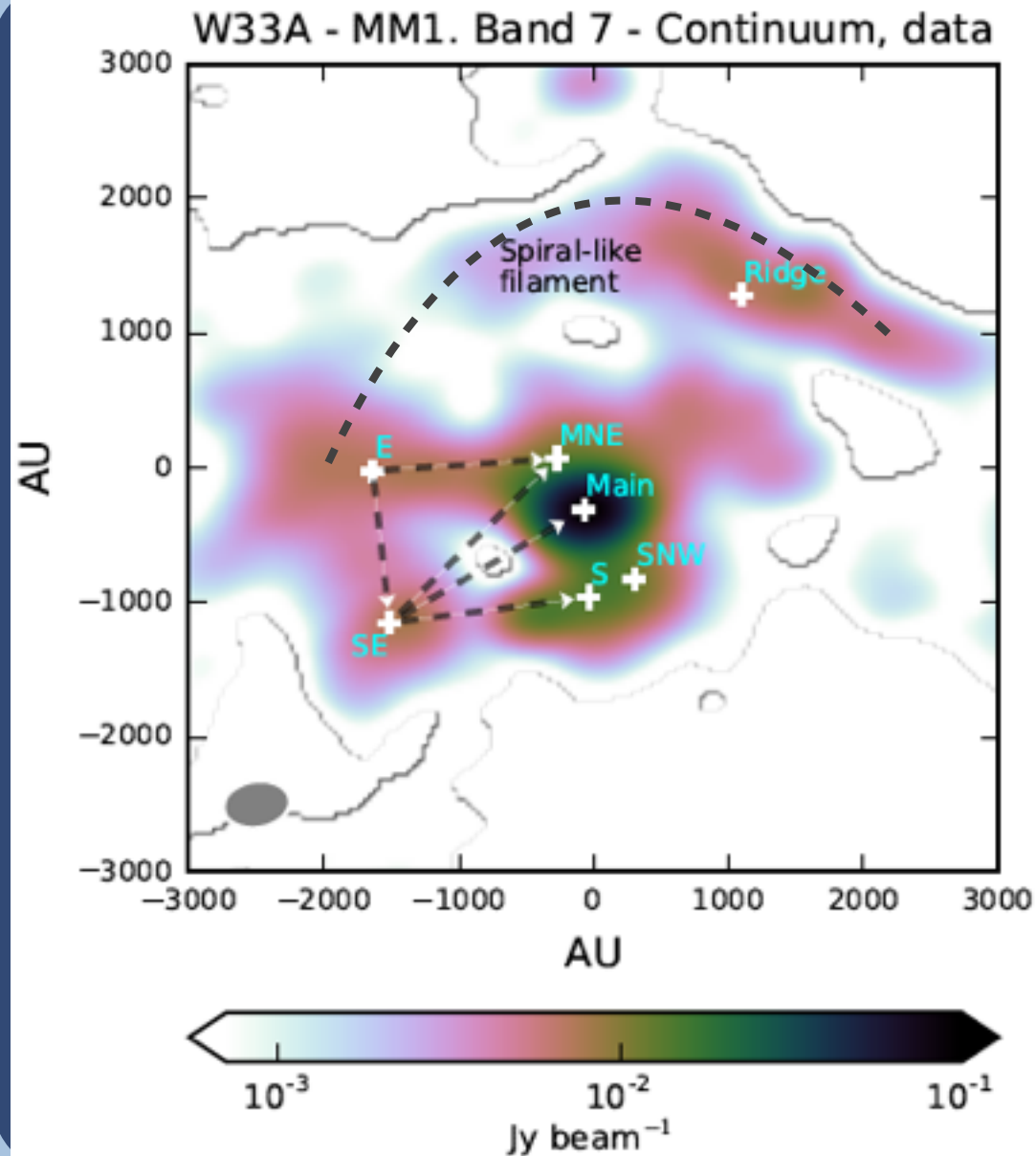
- ✦ See the substructure - multiple sources?
 - feeding filaments? - spiral structure?

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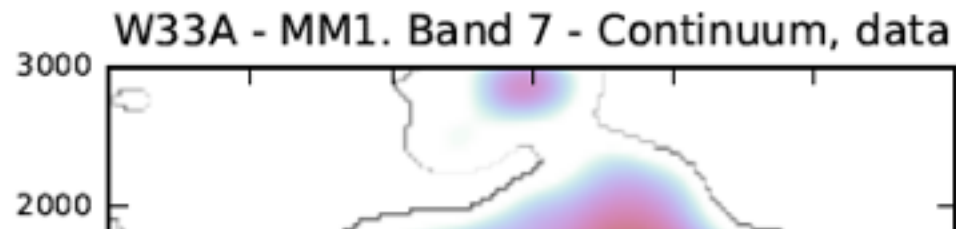
- ✦ **Moment 1 - many gradients, no clear ‘single’ disc**

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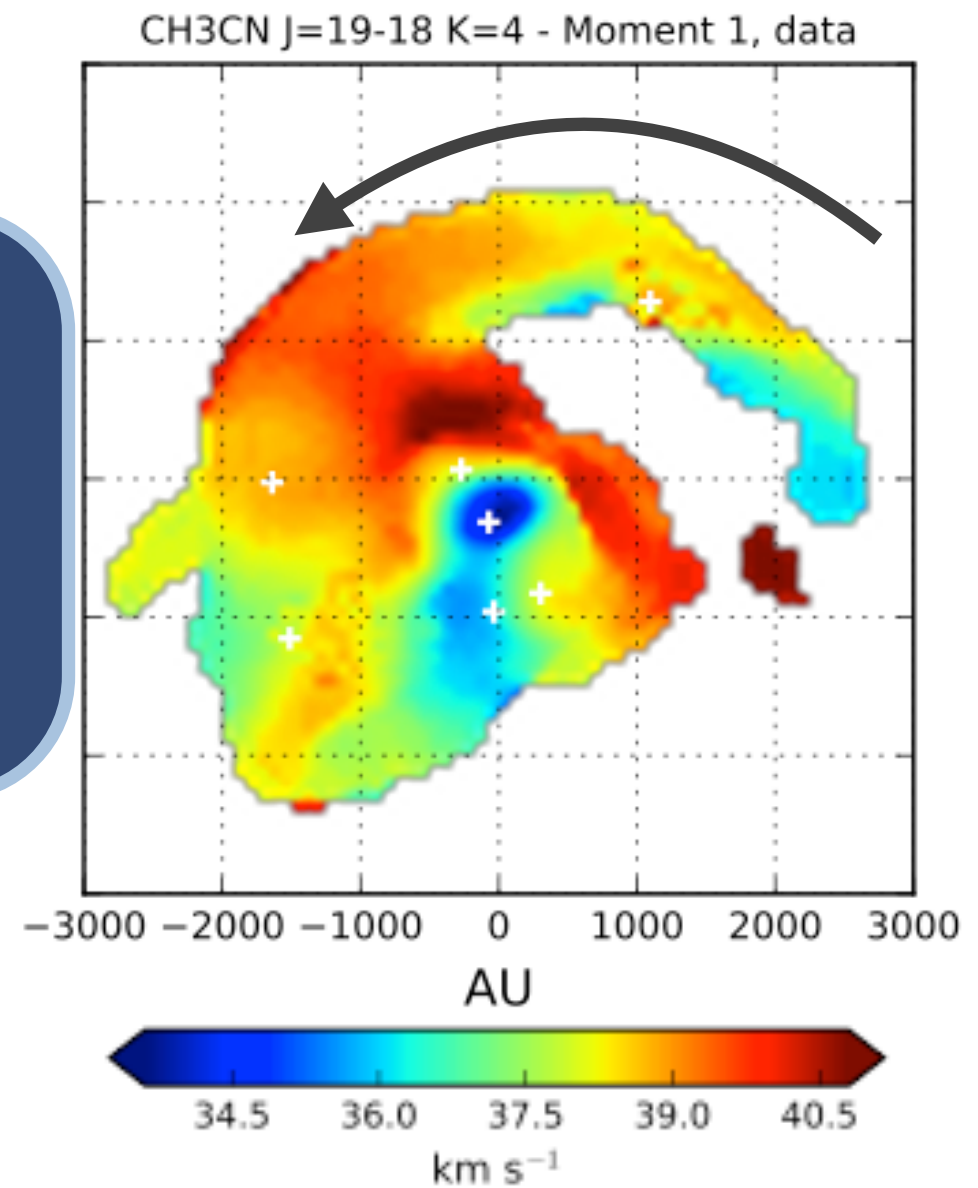
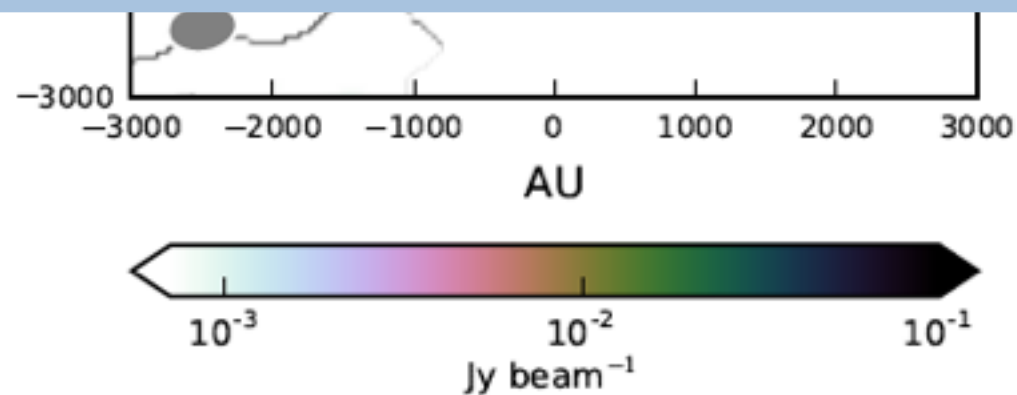
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✦ Mass Flow $\sim 1.5 \times 10^{-4} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$



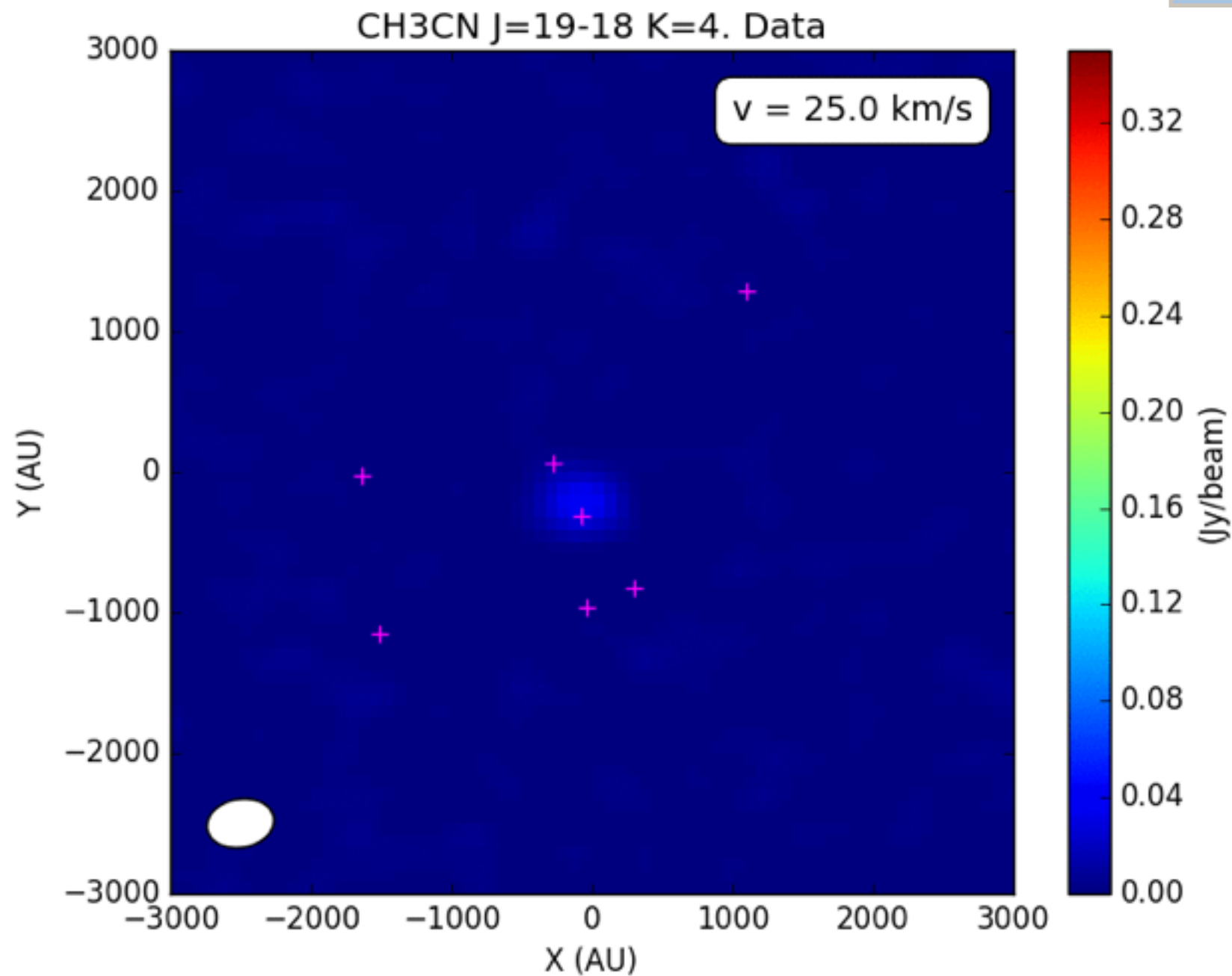
✦ Spiral ‘feeding-filament’ has clear gradient

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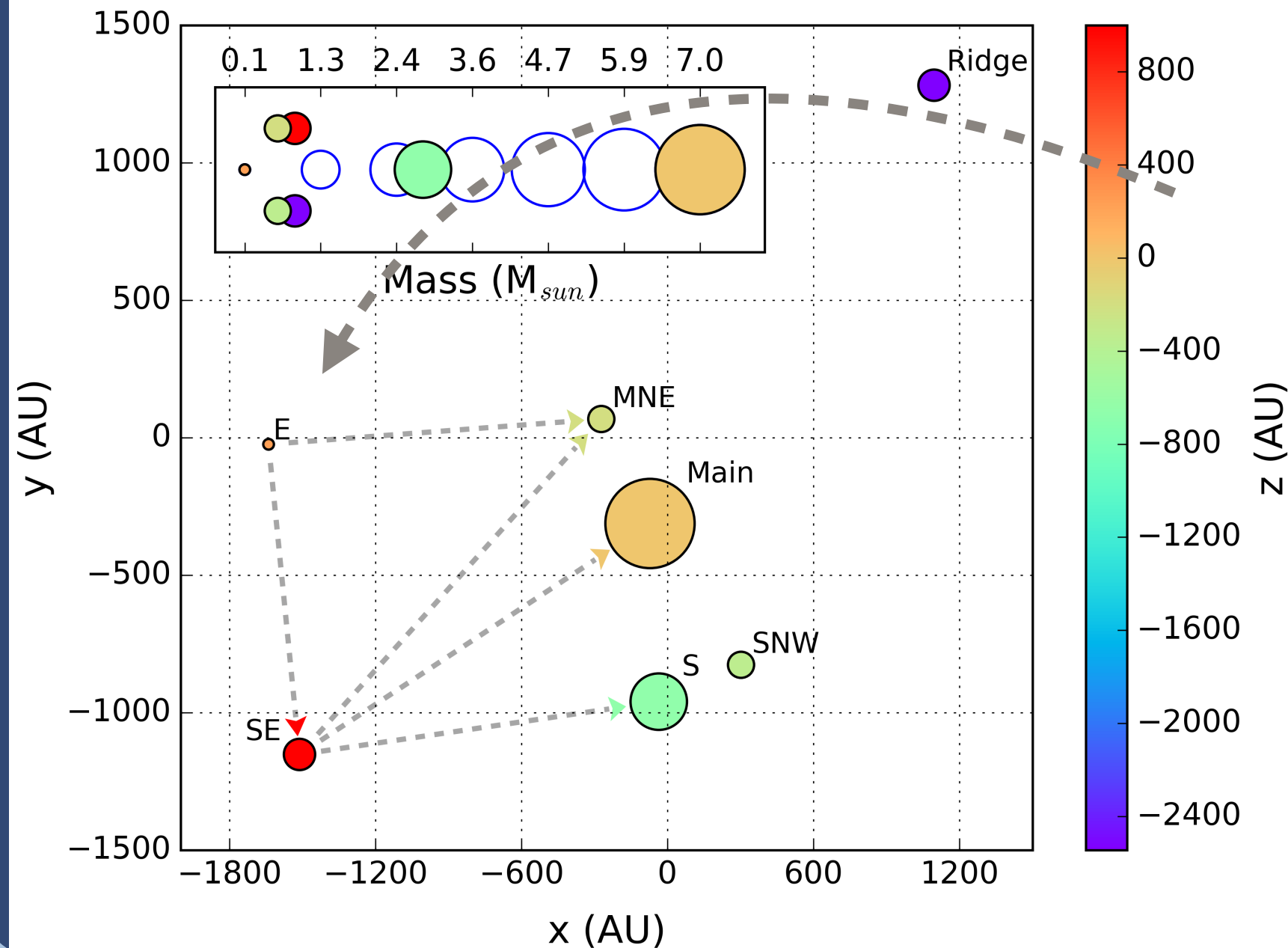
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✦ CH₃CN (19-18) K=4 $V_{\text{LSR}} = 38.4 \text{ km/s}$

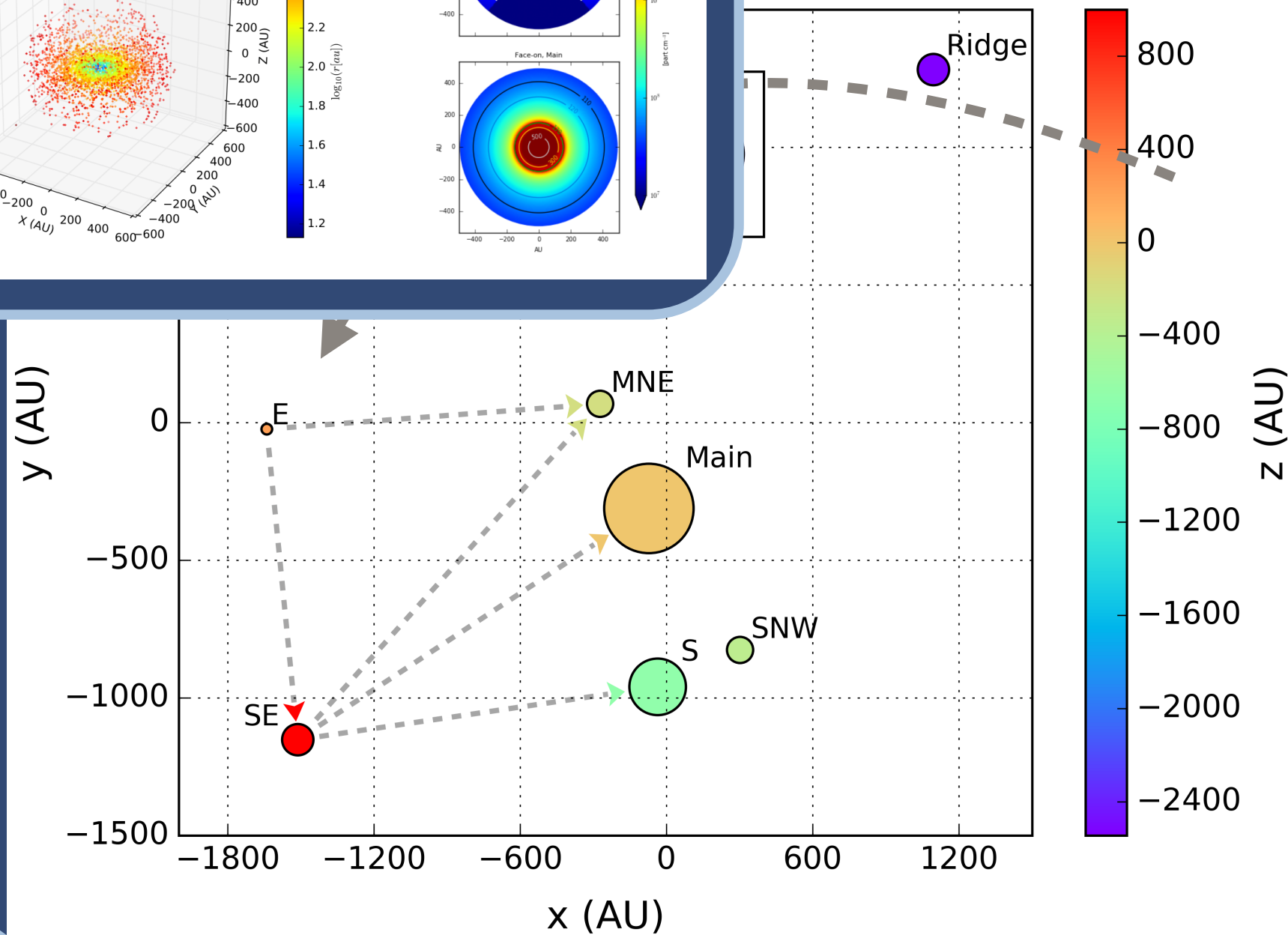
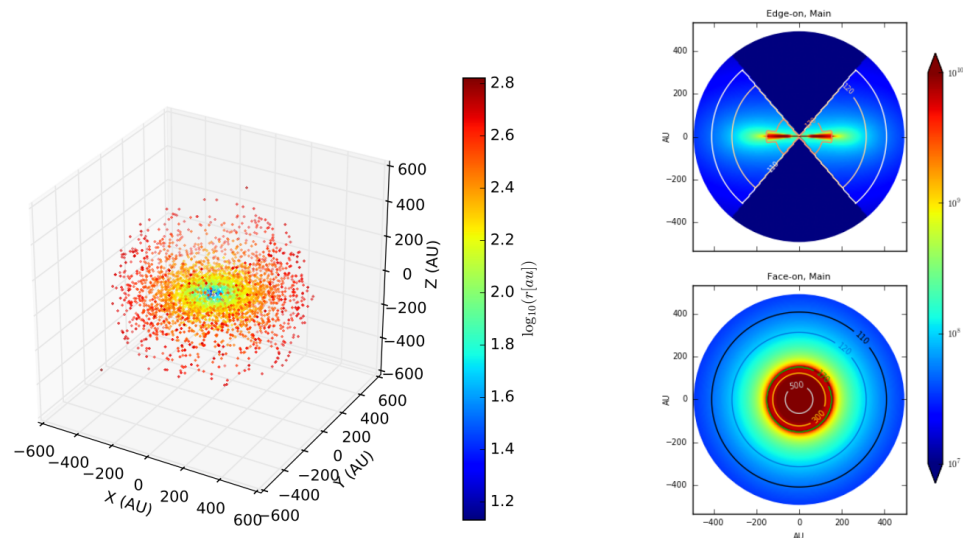
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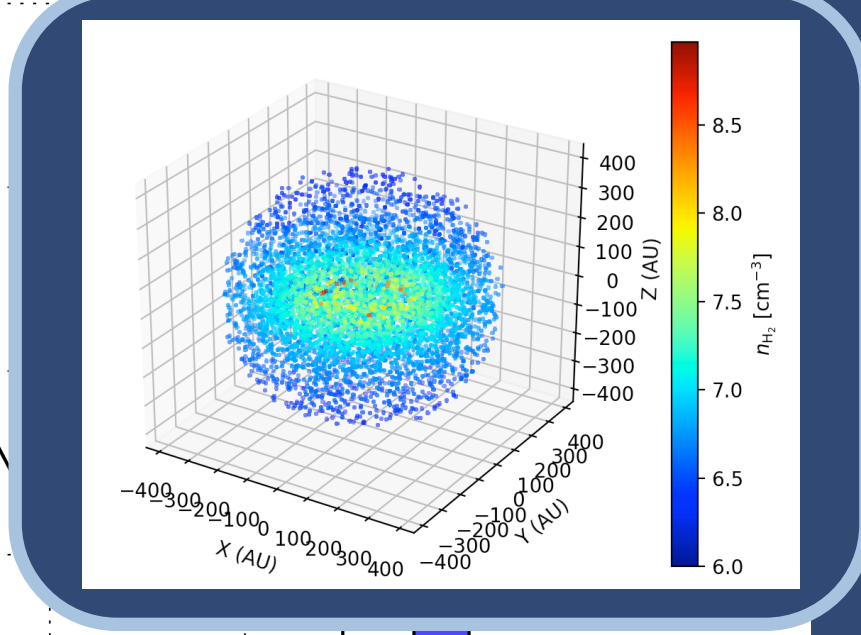
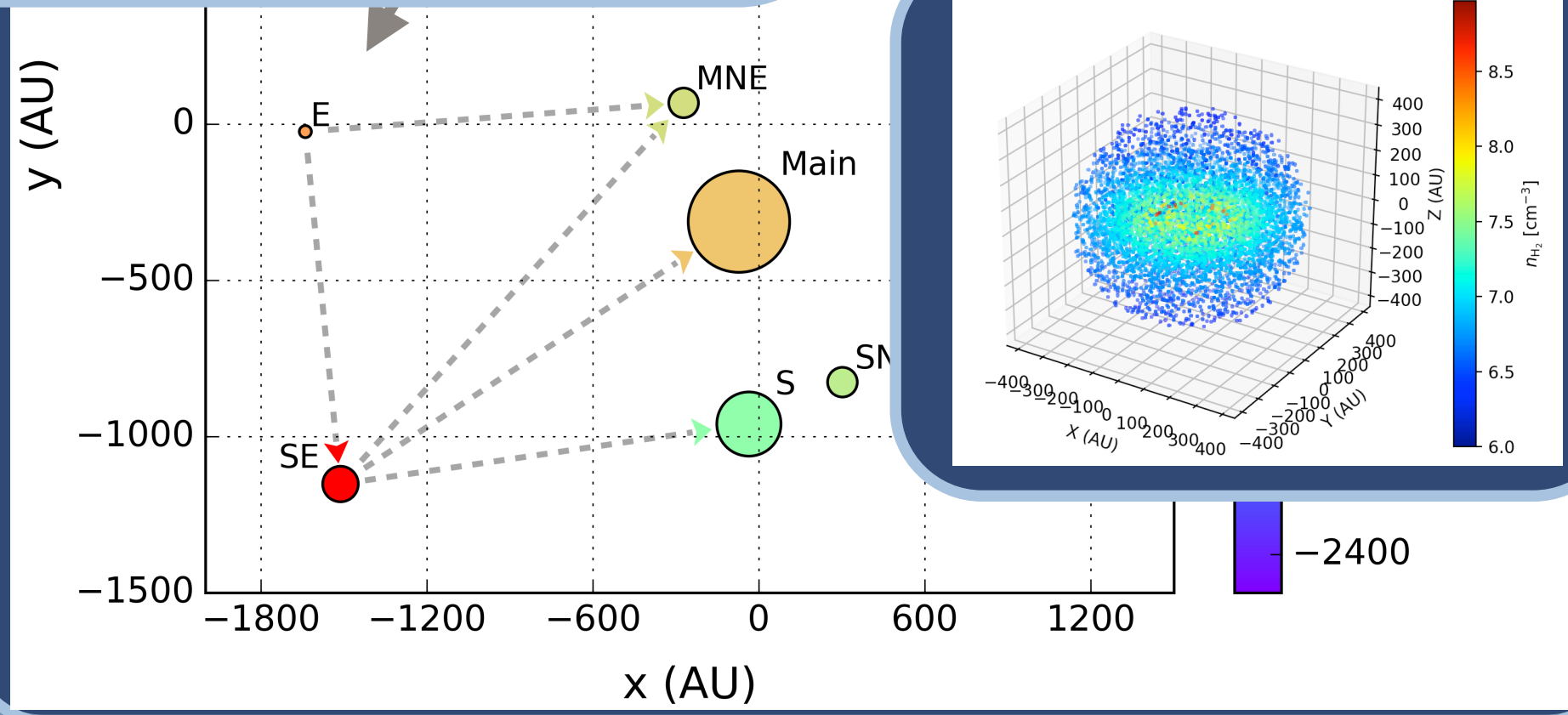
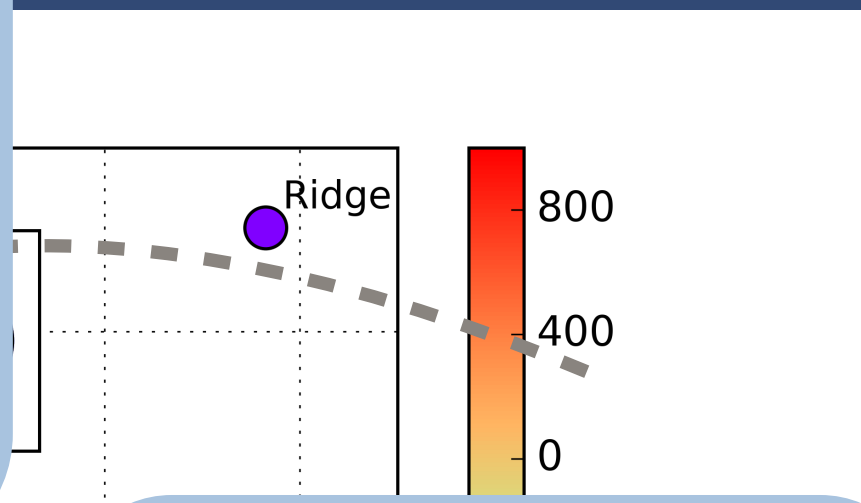
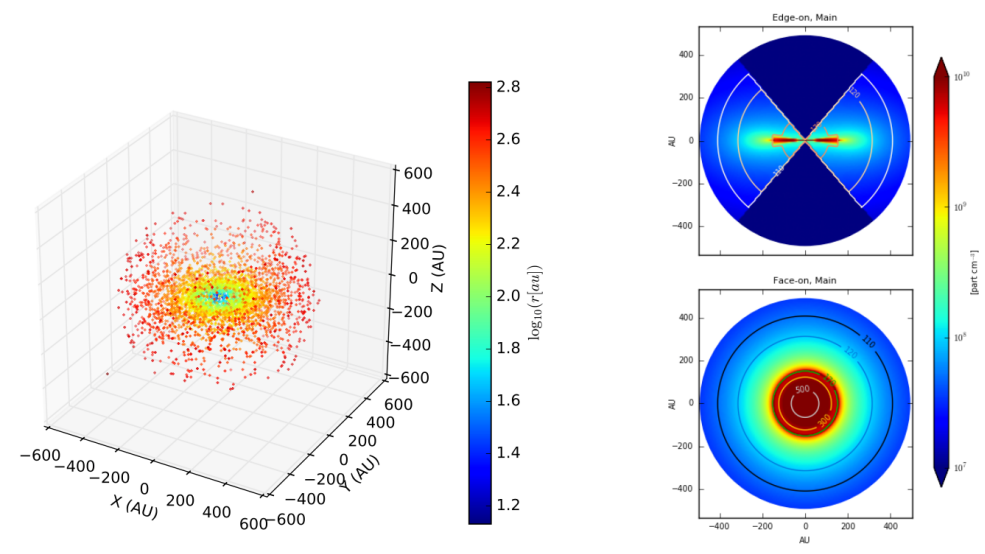
★ **3D environment - based on velocity gradients set position in +/-Z direction**

The resulting 3D distribution and 2D profiles:



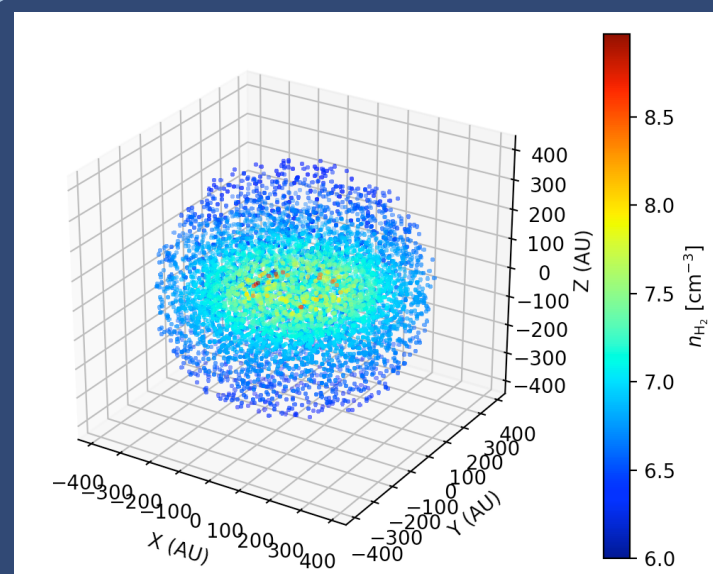
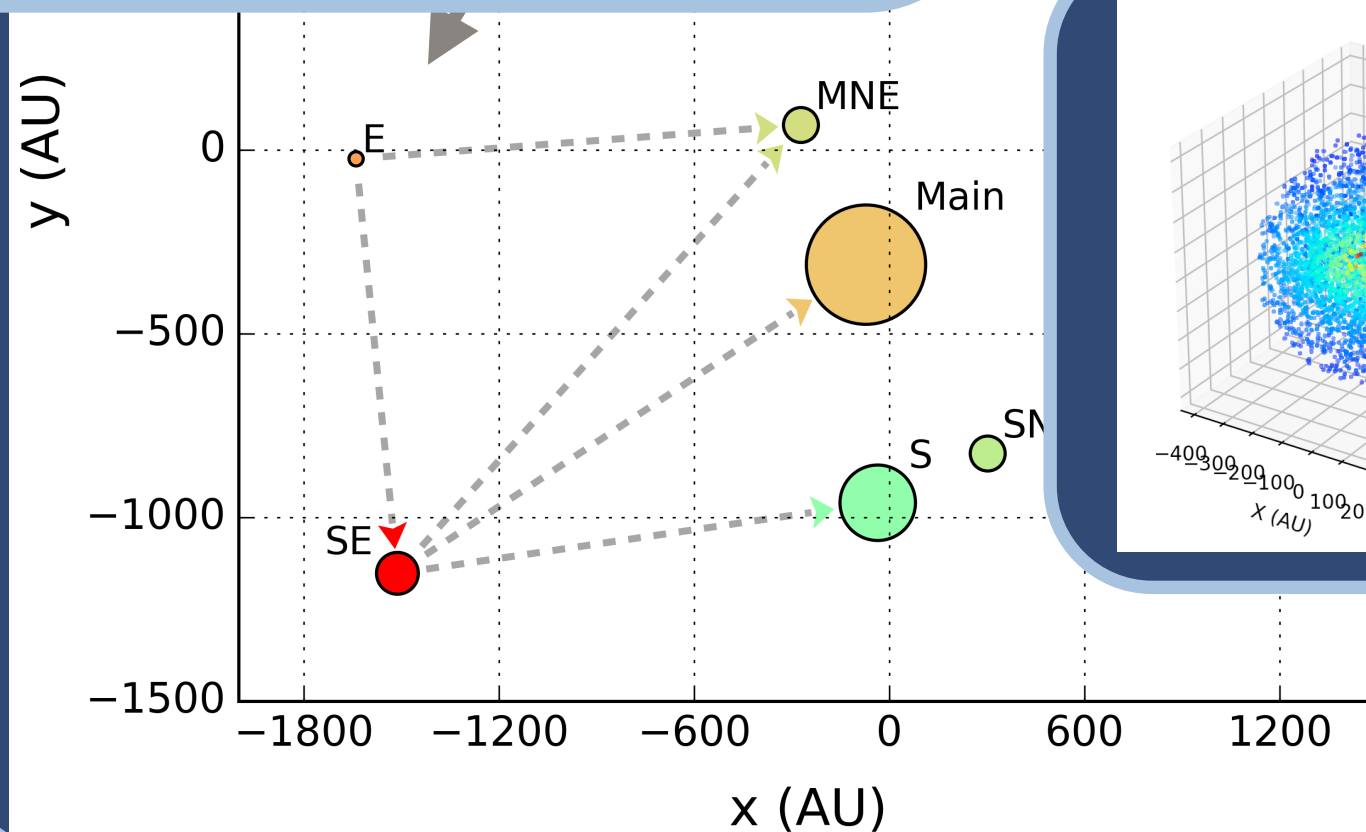
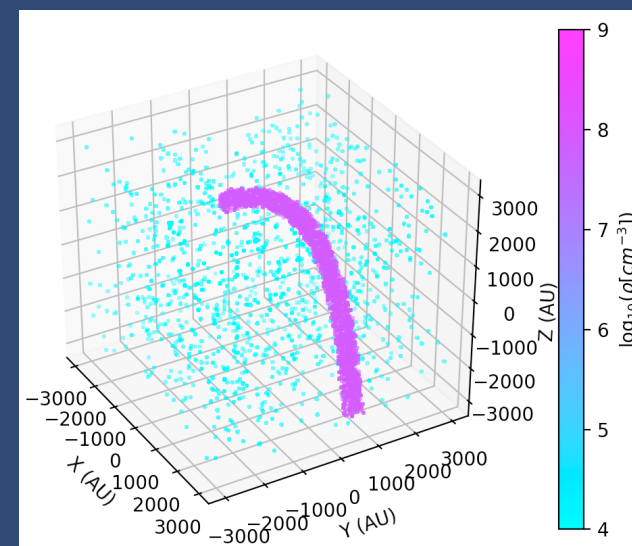
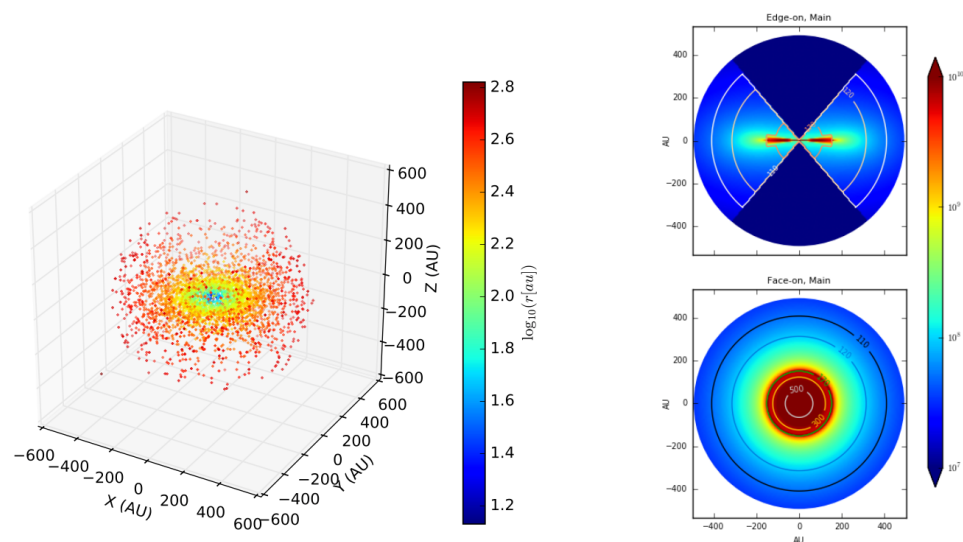
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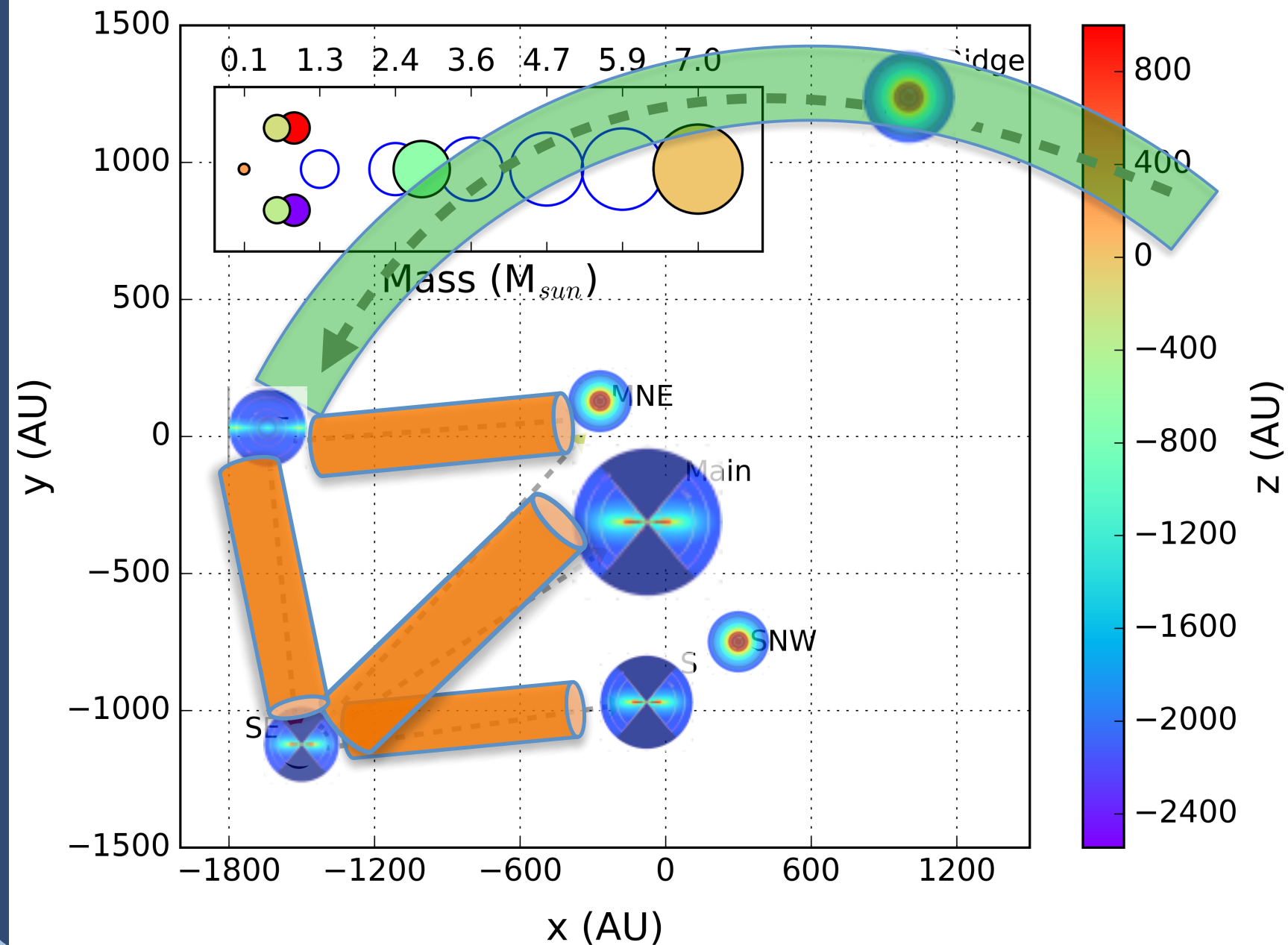
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- ✦ Parabolic filament falling to centre of system mass
- ✦ Connecting filament cylinders dominated by most massive source

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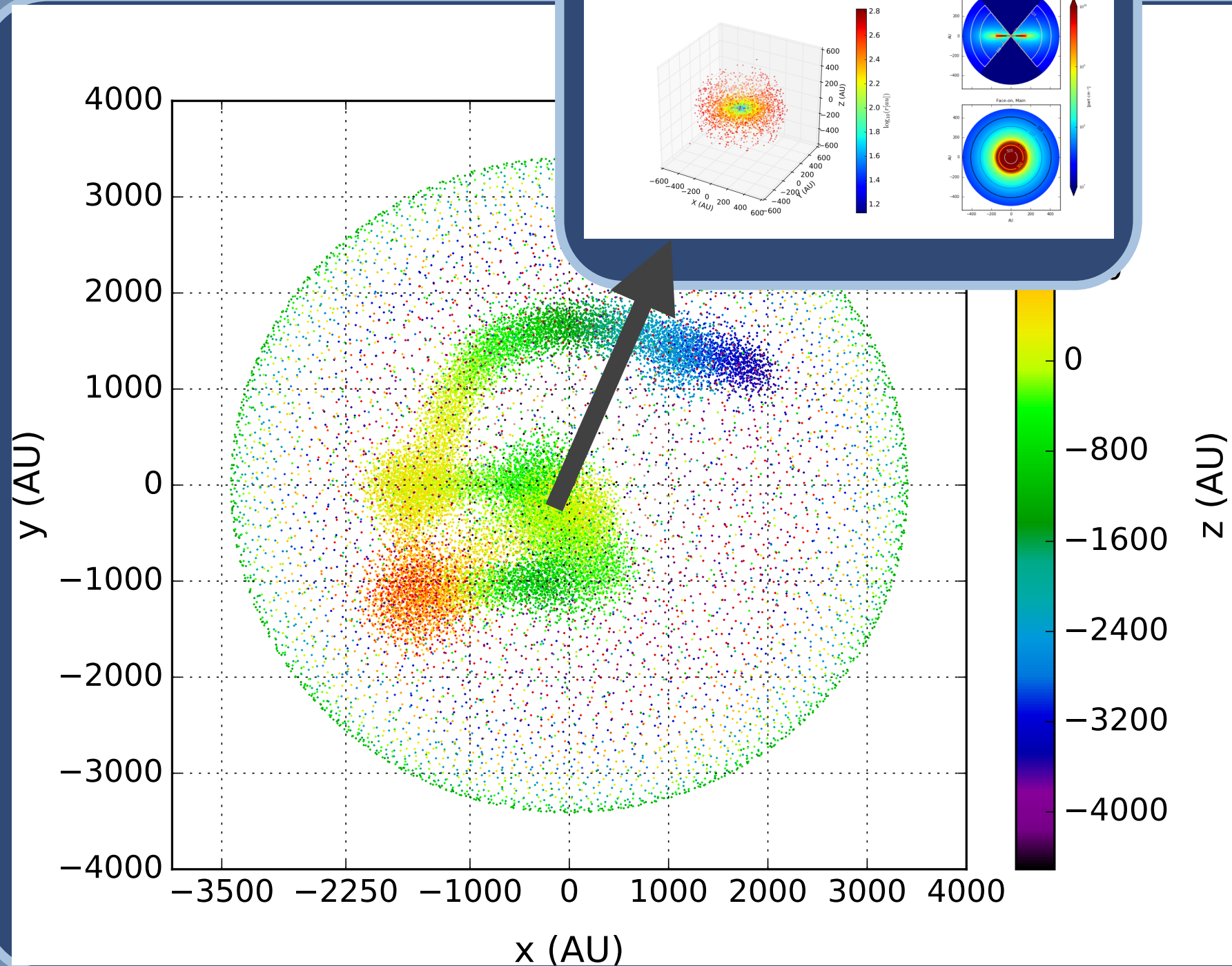
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✦ All local grids to combine for a global model grid (LIME -> CASA sim)

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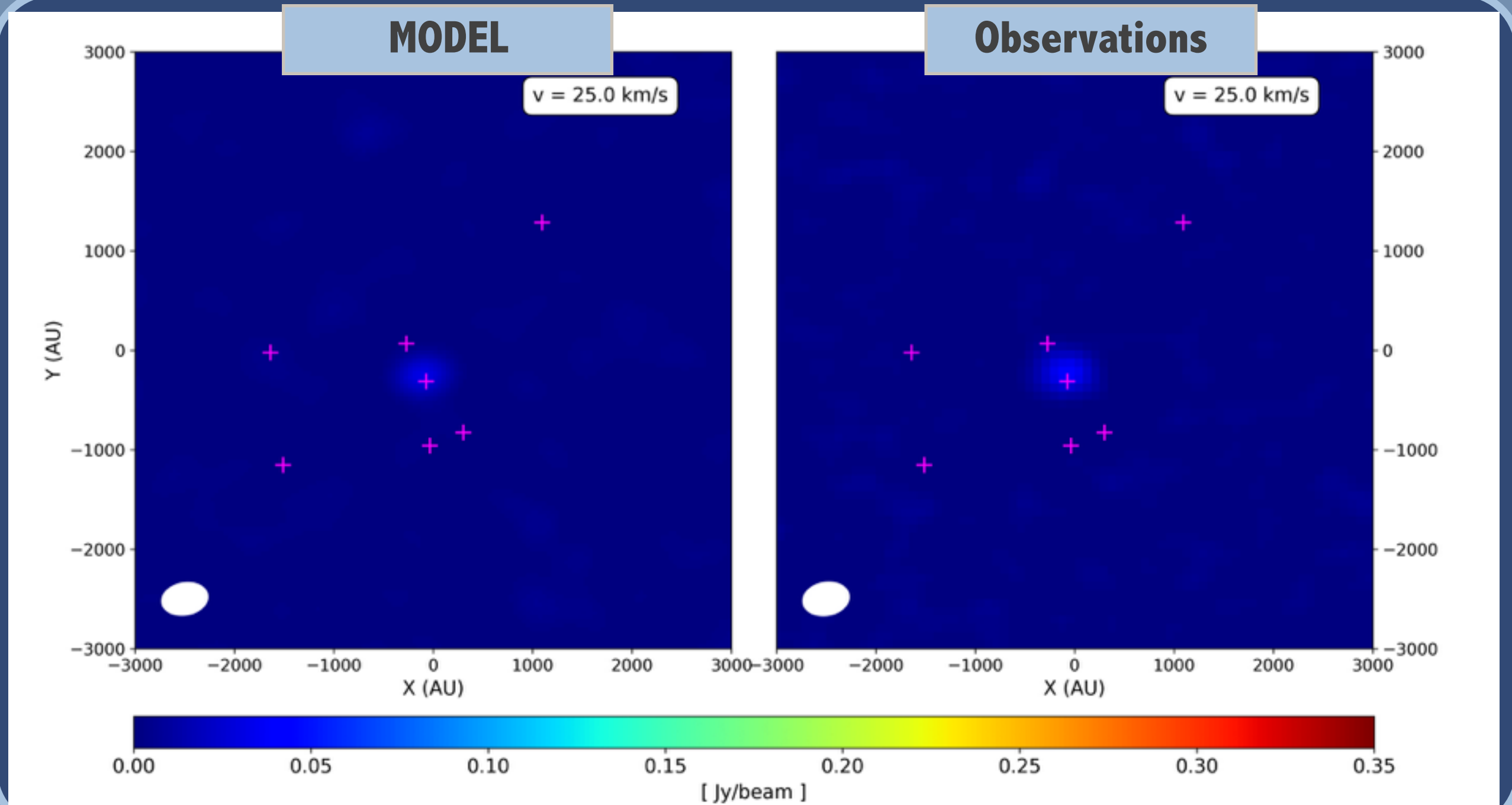
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✦ Global grid (8000 x 8000 x 8000au) - incorporating of local grids

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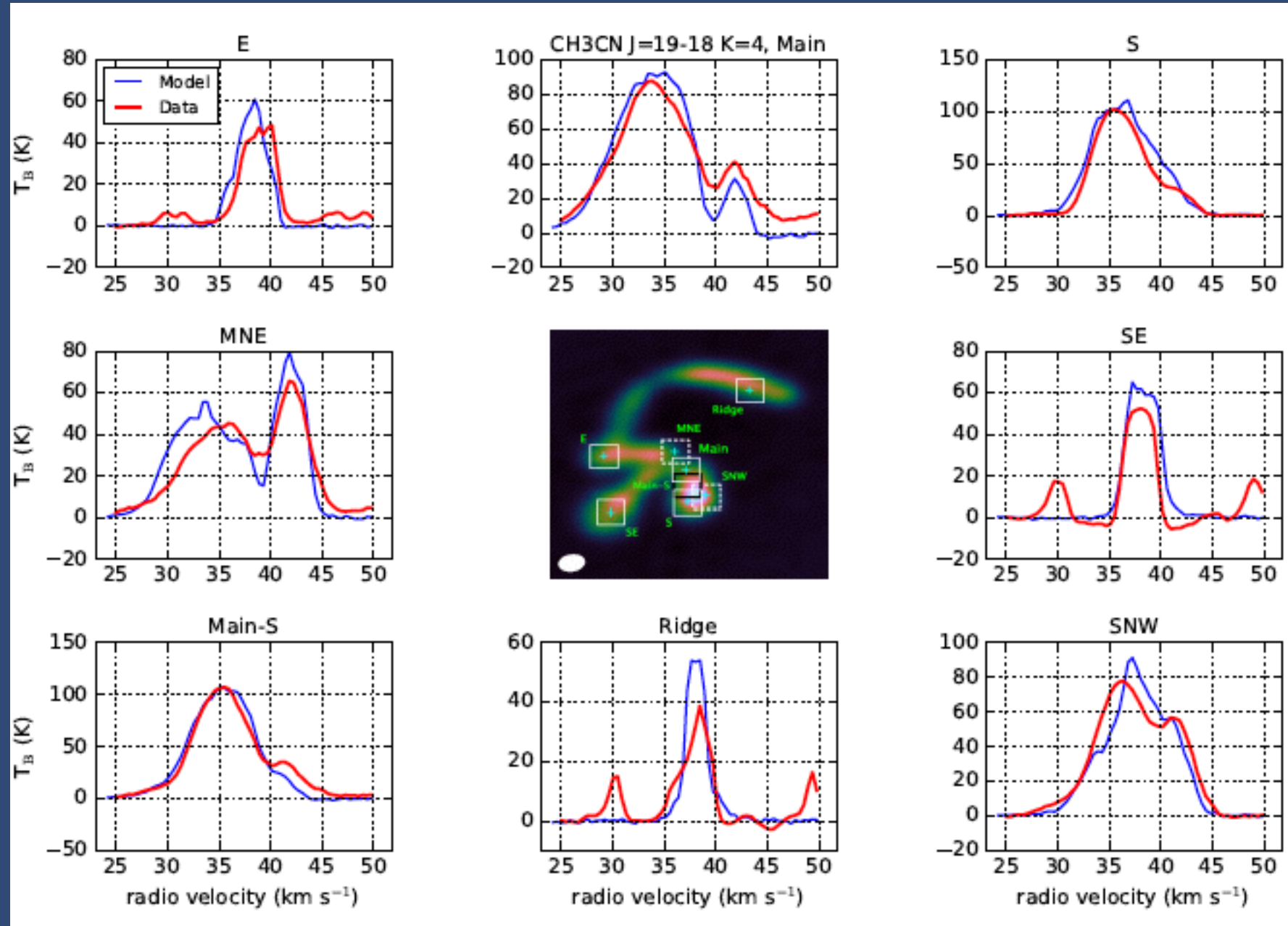
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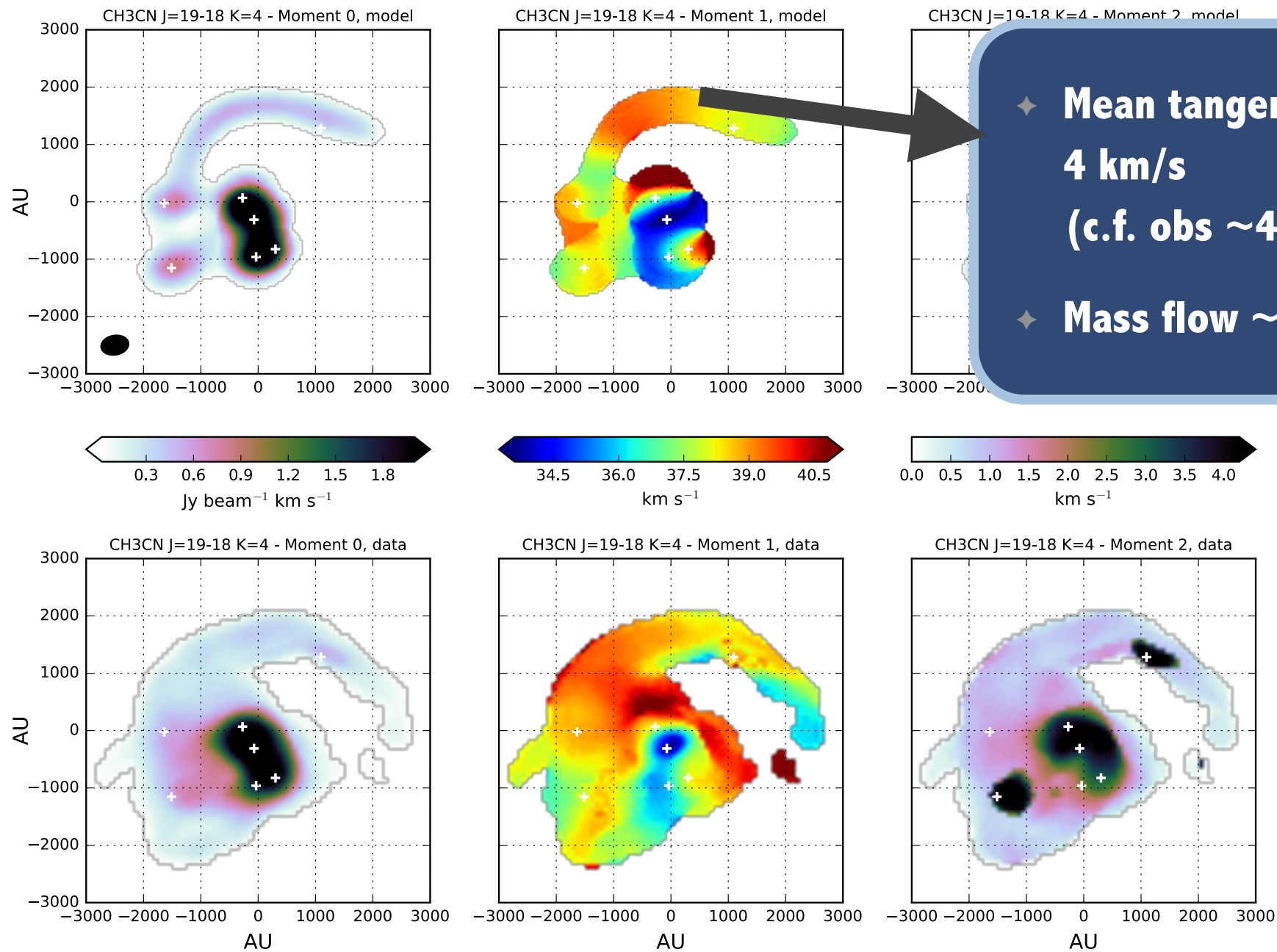
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✦ Matching of spectral features - fluxes and line widths

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- ✦ Mean tangential velocity = 4 km/s (c.f. obs ~4.3km/s)
- ✦ Mass flow $\sim 4.7 \times 10^{-4} M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$

✦ CH₃CN (19-18) K=4 - Mom 0, Mom 1, Mom 2 comparison

CAVEATS & CLARIFICATIONS

- ✦ **First order representation**
- ✦ **Not designed to be a unique model - limited by data**
- ✦ **Large scale envelope is not included - local only**
- ✦ **Isothermal, constant density 'cylinder' filaments**
- ✦ **Comparisons with other tracers are required**
- ✦ **Disc **are** required to match mm flux on small scales**
- ✦ **In current framework, MM1 Main is $7M_{\odot}$, with $1 \times 10^4 L_{\odot}$**
- ✦ **Model accretion rates $\sim 4 \times 10^{-4} - 1 \times 10^{-5} M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$, consistent with obs. 'flow' estimates**
- ✦ **Filament mass flows $\sim 0.2 - 5 \times 10^{-5} M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$**

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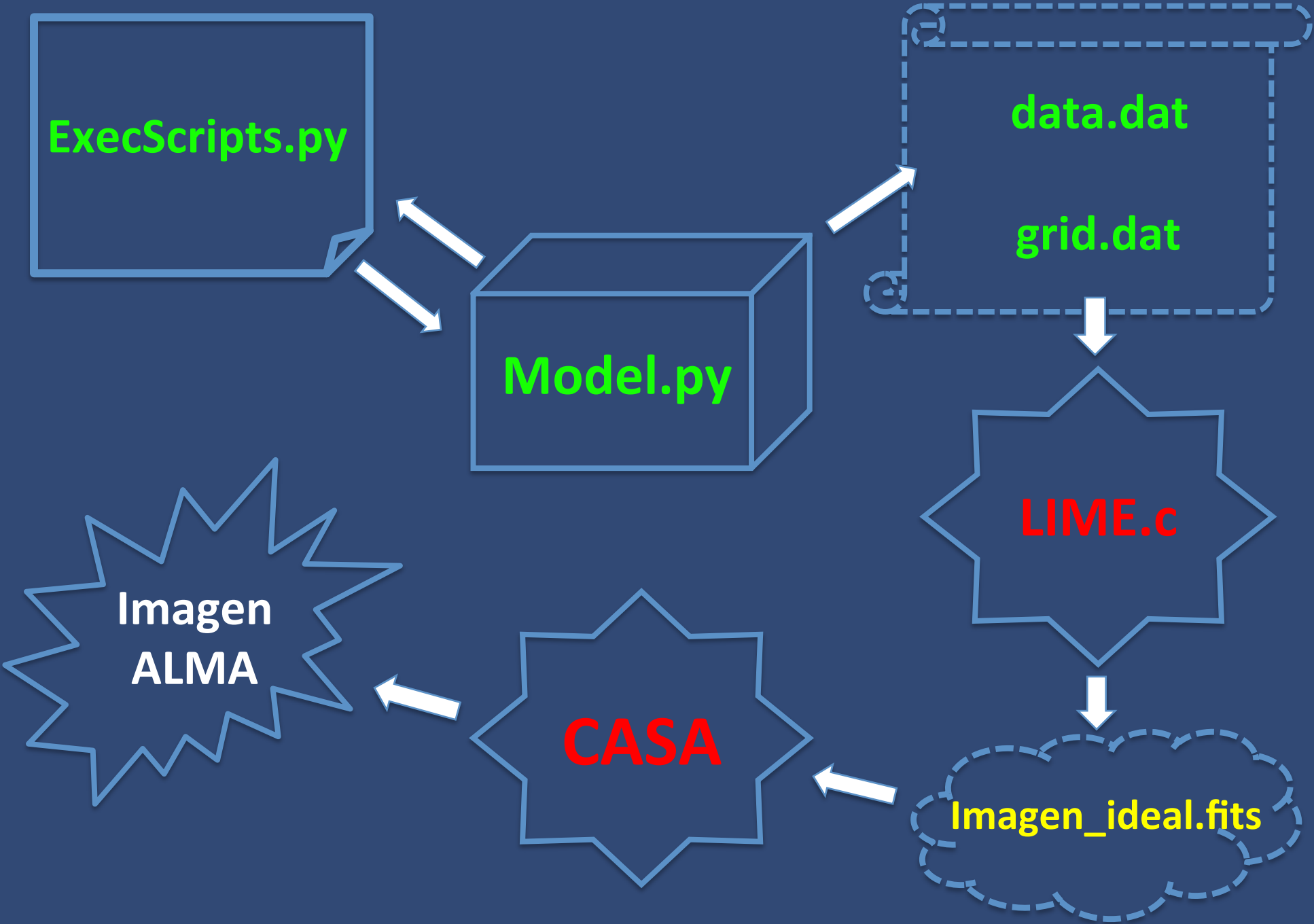
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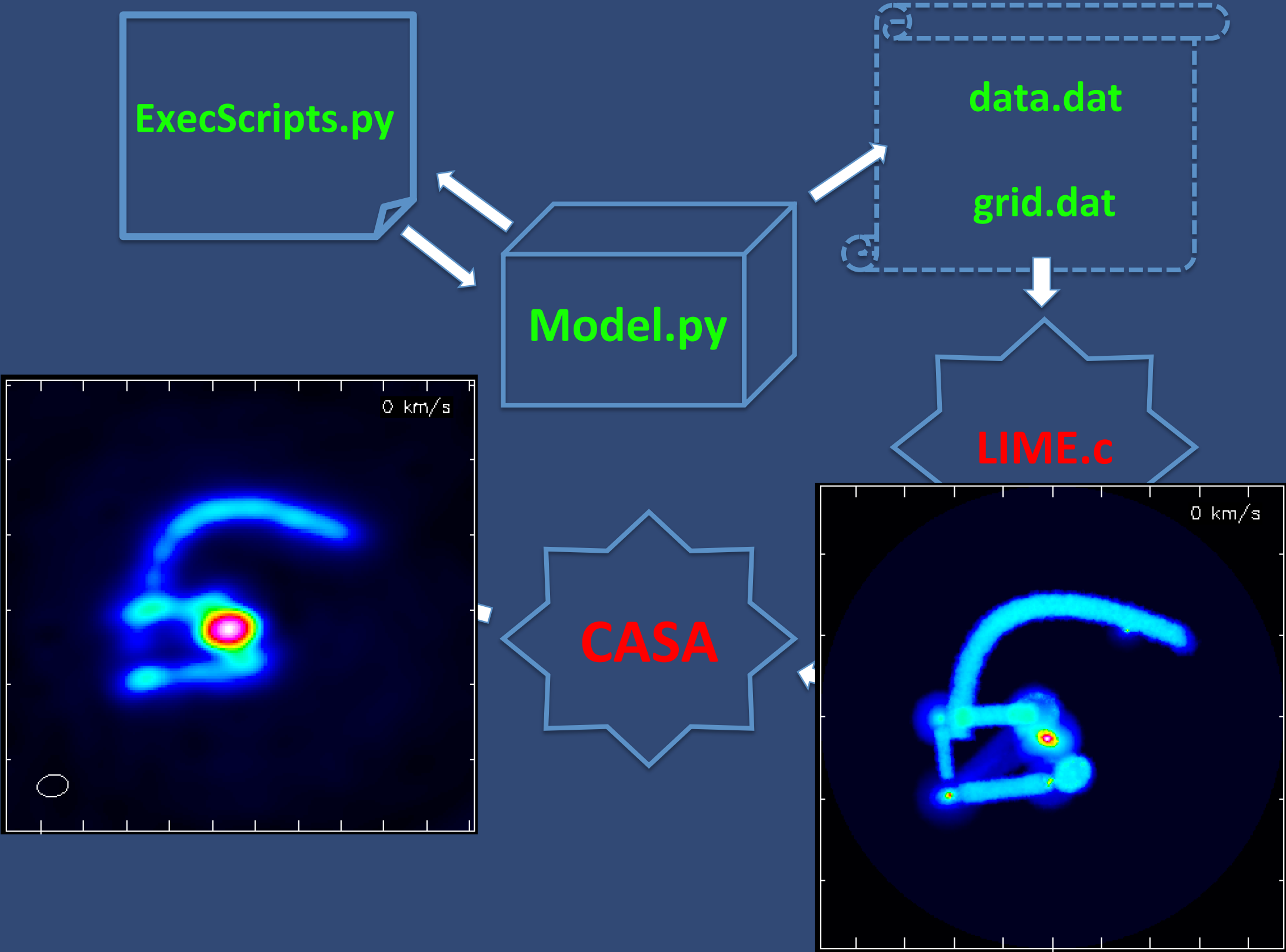
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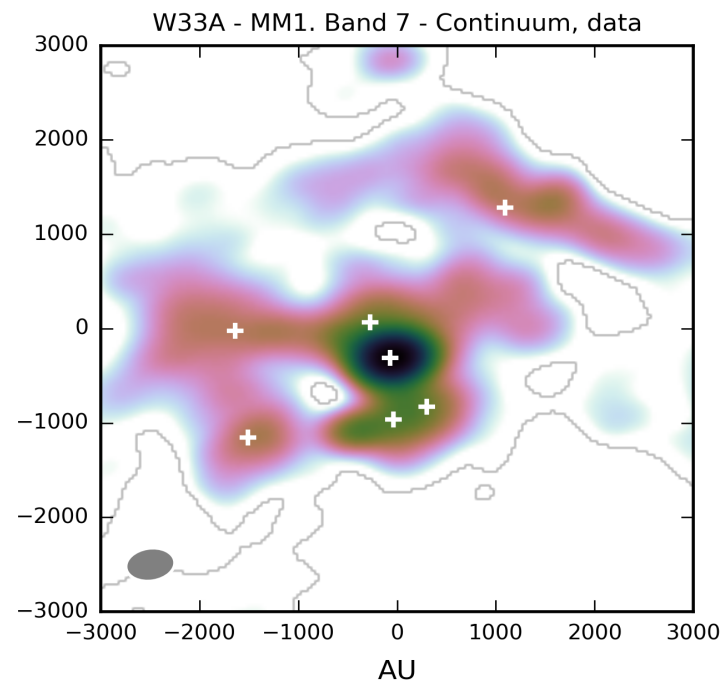
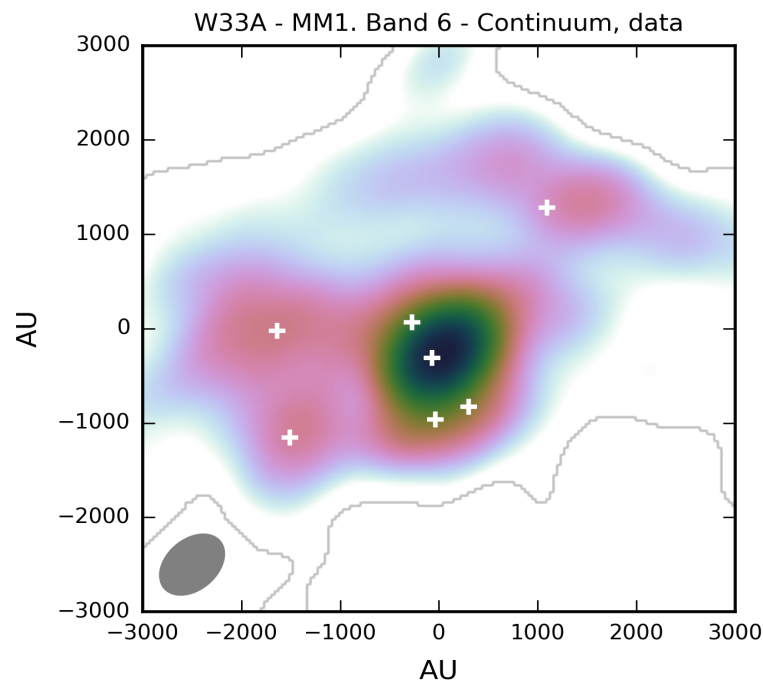
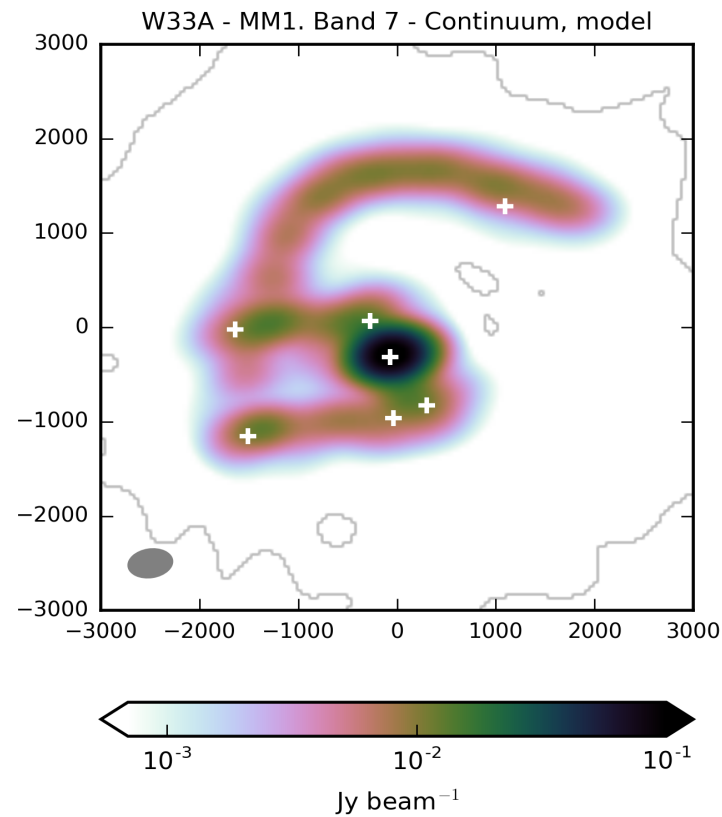
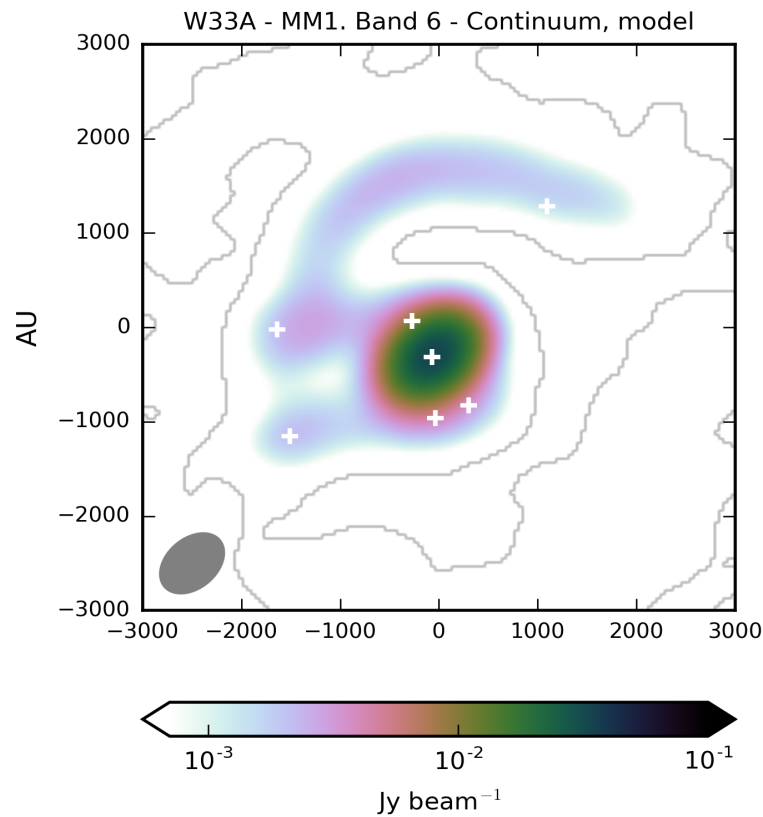
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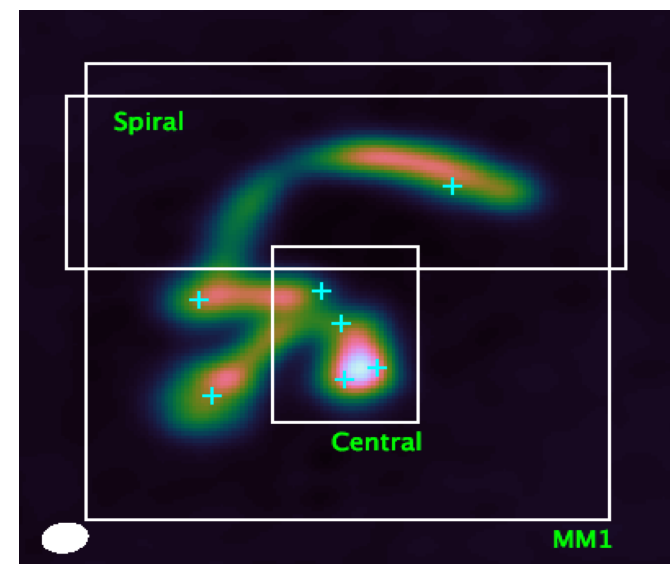
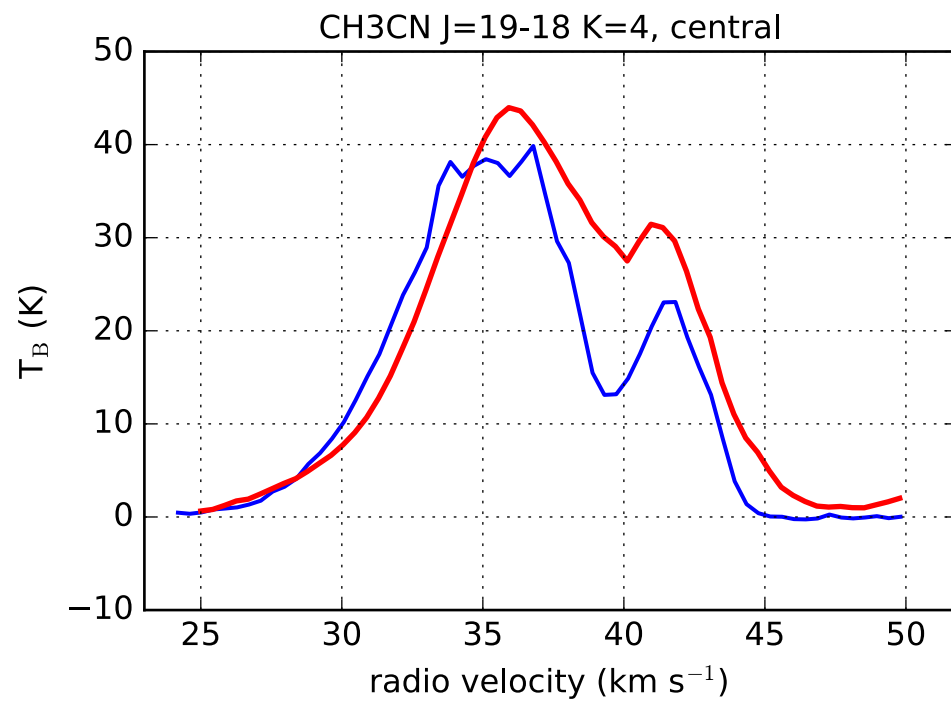
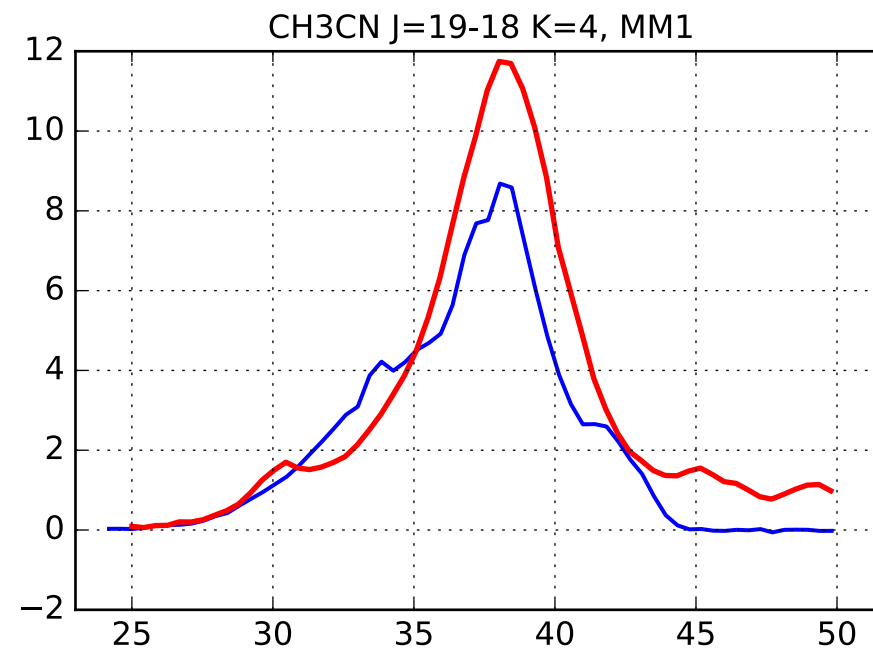
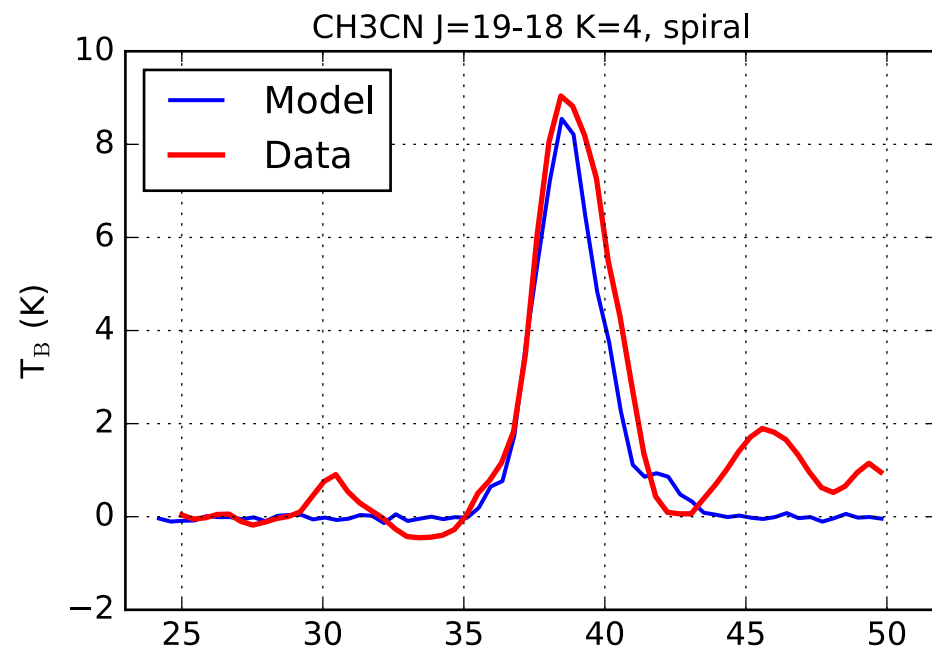


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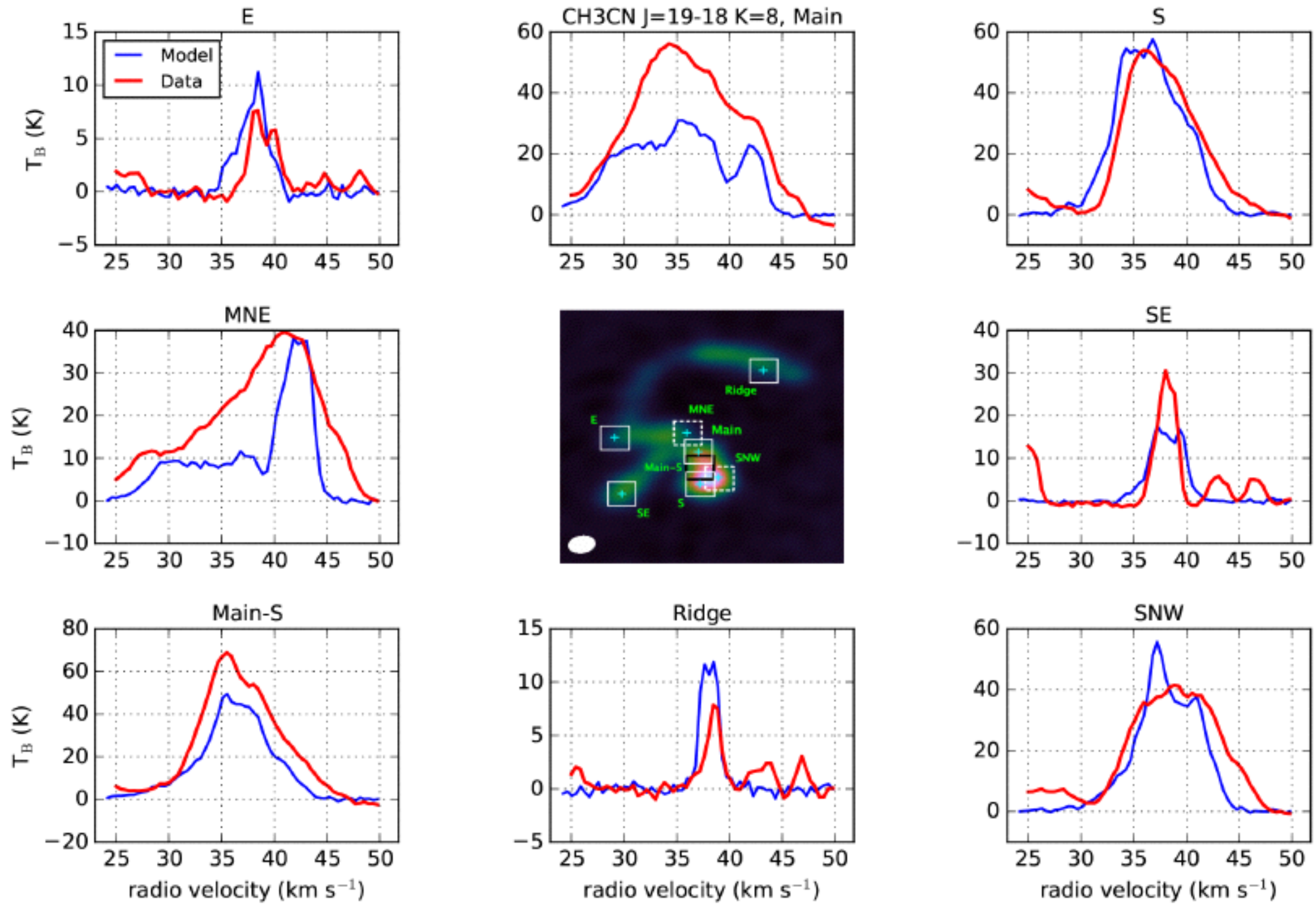


- ◆ **Dust is ISM with $\beta = 1.7$**
- ◆ **Cores are not separated at this resolution**
- ◆ **Needs a disc for mm emission**
- ◆ **Fluxes within 10-20%**
- ◆ **Calculated beta is $\sim 0.0-0.5$, RJ is not valid**
- ◆ **Where RJ is met becomes optically thick (i.e. in Main)**

LARGE REGIONS



K=8



MODEL EQUATIONS

$$\rho_{\text{disc}}(z, R) = \rho_0(R) \exp\{-z^2/2H^2(R)\},$$

$$\rho_{\text{env}}(r, \theta) = \rho_{\text{e0}}(r/R_{\text{d}})^{-3/2} \left(1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\cos \theta_0}\right)^{-1/2} \\ \times [1 + (r/R_{\text{d}})^{-1}(3 \cos^2 \theta_0 - 1)]^{-1},$$

$$\rho_{\text{gas}} = \rho_{\text{disc}} + \rho_{\text{env}}.$$

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$$T_{\text{disc}} = B_{\text{T}} \left[\left(\frac{3GM_{\star}\dot{M}}{4\pi R^3\sigma} \right) \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{R_{\star}}{R}} \right) \right]^{1/4},$$

$$T_{\text{env}}(r) \propto r^{-0.33}$$

$$T_{\text{gas}} = \frac{T_{\text{disc}}\rho_{\text{disc}} + T_{\text{env}}\rho_{\text{env}}}{\rho_{\text{disc}} + \rho_{\text{env}}}.$$

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$$\vec{v}_{\text{disc}} = \sqrt{GM_{\star}/R} \hat{\phi},$$

$$v_r(r, \theta) = - \left(\frac{GM_{\star}}{r} \right)^{1/2} \left(1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\cos \theta_0} \right)^{1/2}, \\ v_{\theta}(r, \theta) = \left(\frac{GM_{\star}}{r} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{\cos \theta_0 - \cos \theta}{\sin \theta} \right)^{1/2} \left(1 + \frac{\cos \theta}{\cos \theta_0} \right)^{1/2}, \\ v_{\phi}(r, \theta) = \left(\frac{GM_{\star}}{r} \right)^{1/2} \frac{\sin \theta_0}{\sin \theta} \left(1 - \frac{\cos \theta}{\cos \theta_0} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{\text{gas}} = \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\text{disc}}\rho_{\text{disc}} + \mathbf{v}_{\text{env}}\rho_{\text{env}}}{\rho_{\text{disc}} + \rho_{\text{env}}},$$

DISC + ENVELOPE = DISC + ENV

EXTRAS

- ✦ **Spiral - orbital energy conservation - i.e $2GM/r$, also radial infall set by sound speed to give a velocity dispersion**
- ✦ **Filaments are cylinders where $KE = GPE$ and gives Vel**
- ✦ **Iterative build up - envelopes, then inc discs for mm density**