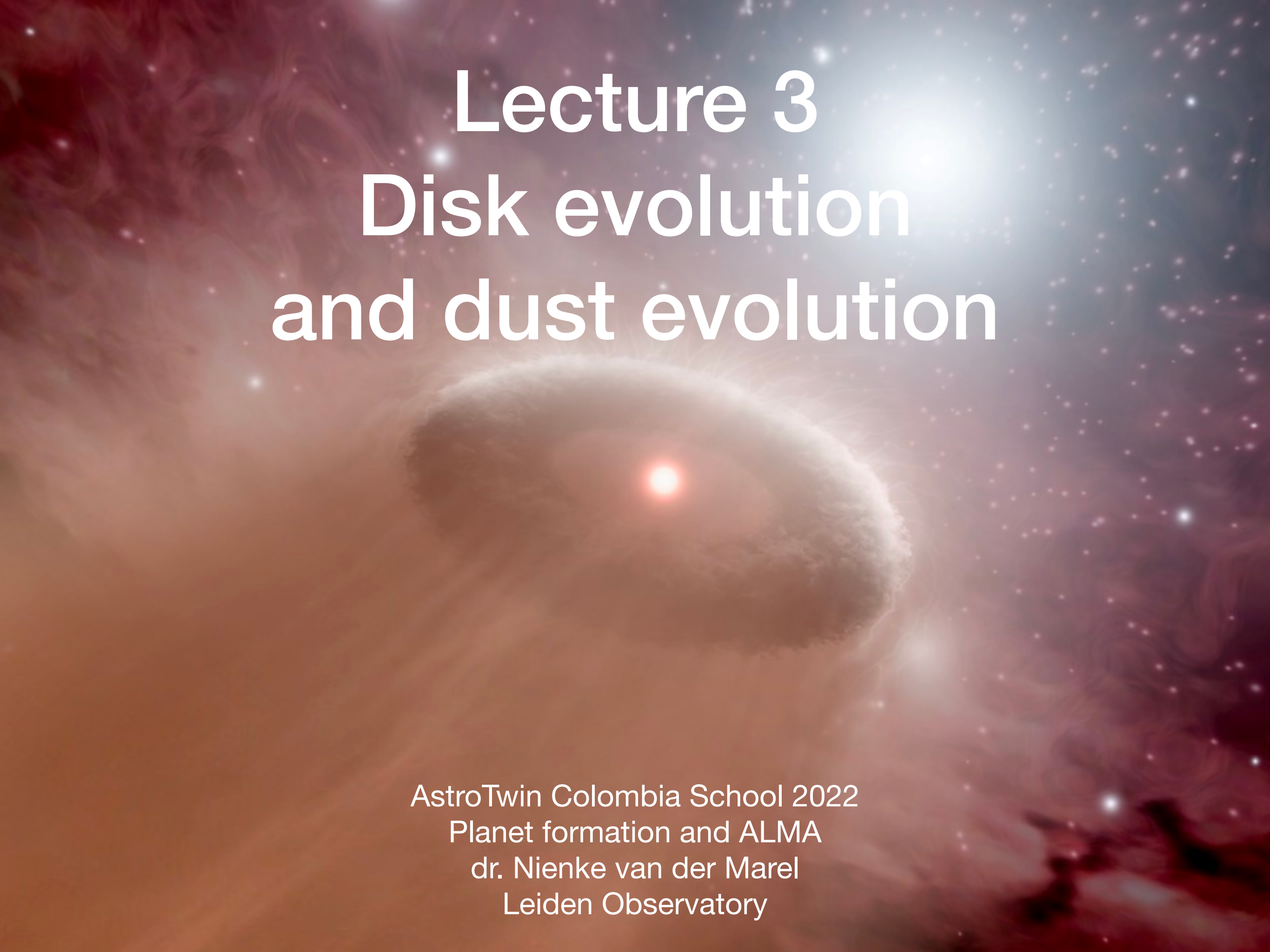


Lecture 3

Disk evolution and dust evolution

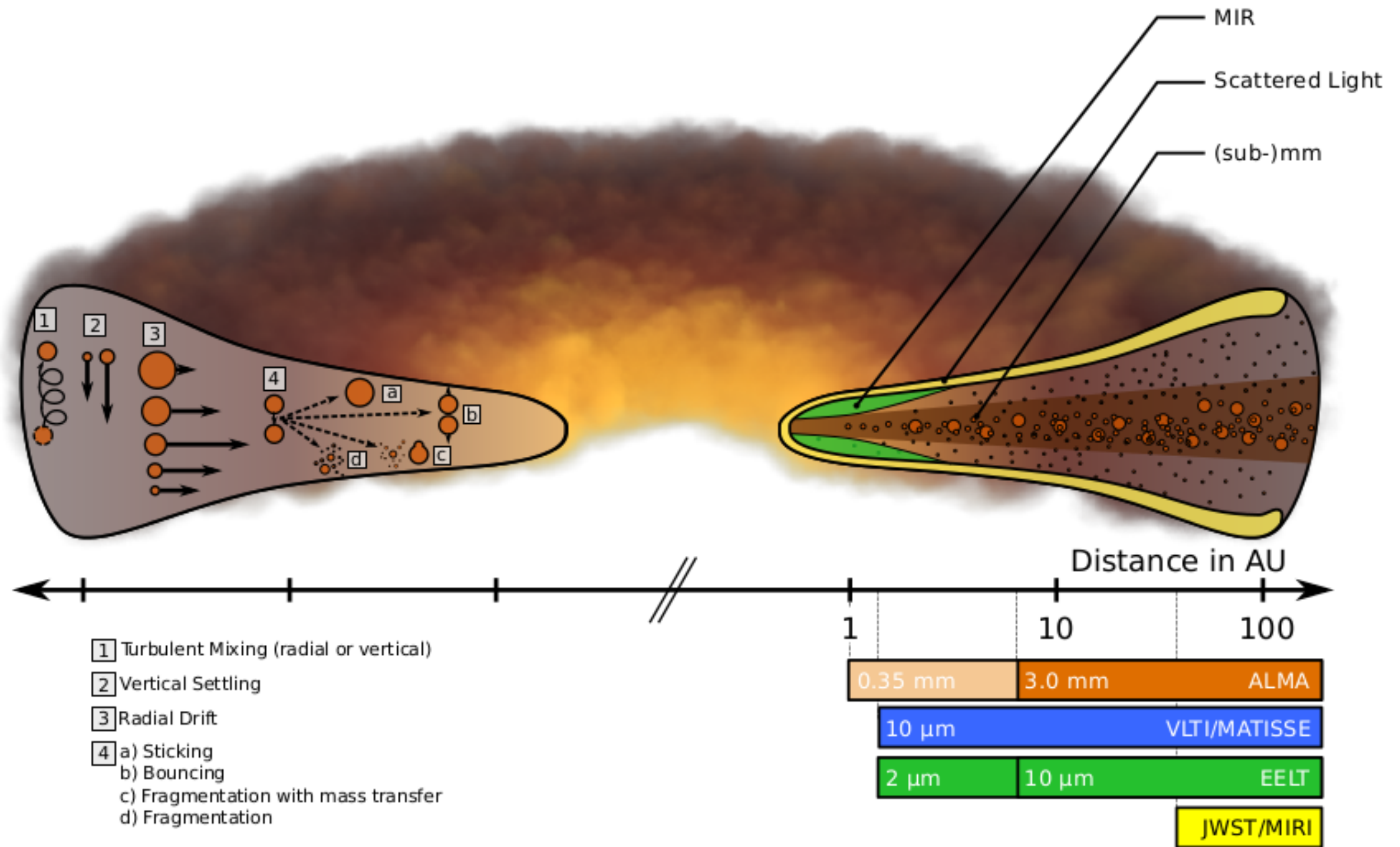
A large, glowing protoplanetary disk (proplyd disk) with a bright central star, set against a background of a starry space with nebulae. The disk is shown in cross-section, revealing its structure and the central star. The background is a deep red and purple nebula with many small stars.

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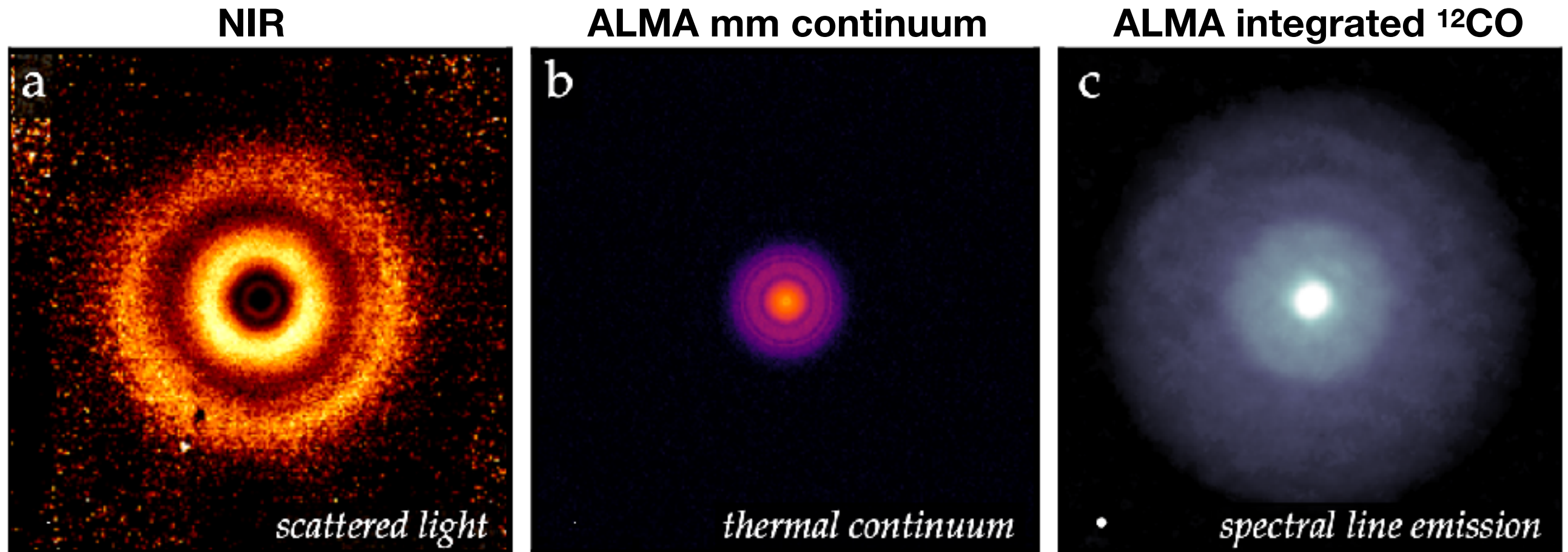
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General picture



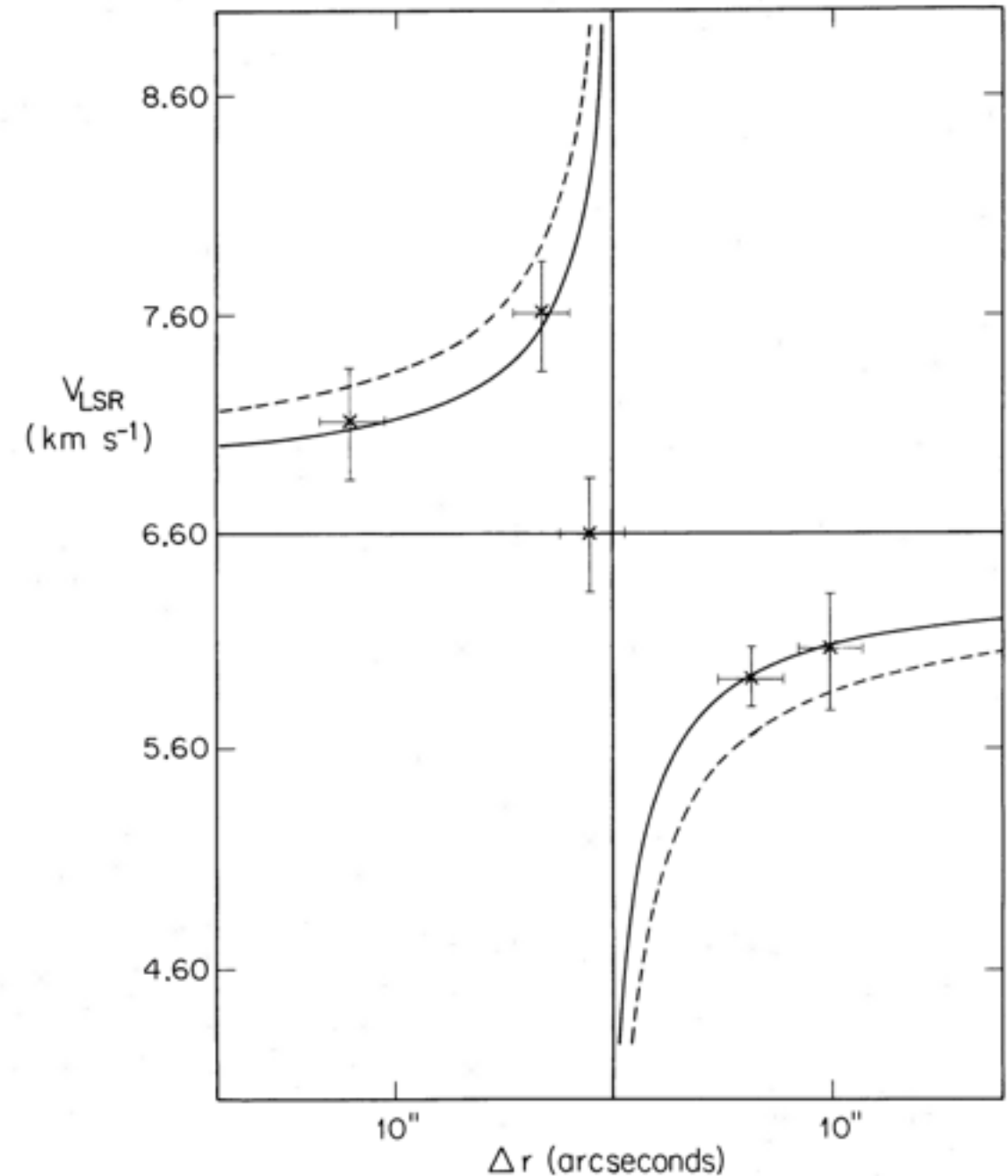
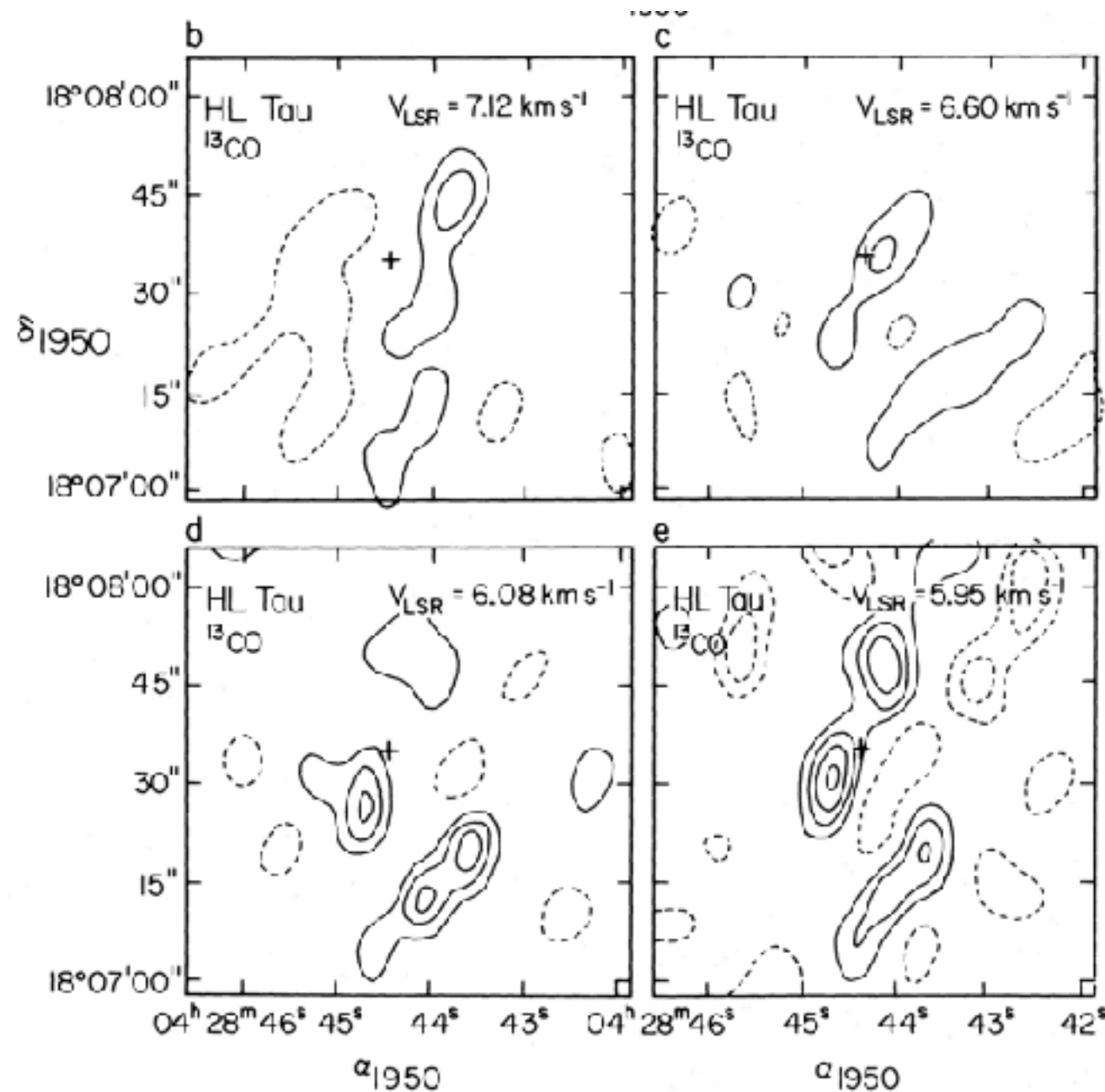
Dust structure disk: ISM ratio gas/dust = 100/1

General picture



Gas and millimeter dust show very different distributions,
and gas is the bulk component of the disk

How did we know gas is present?



Spatially resolved ^{13}CO 1-0 emission around HL Tau in 1987: Keplerian!

Sargent & Beckwith 1987

How do we know gas is present?

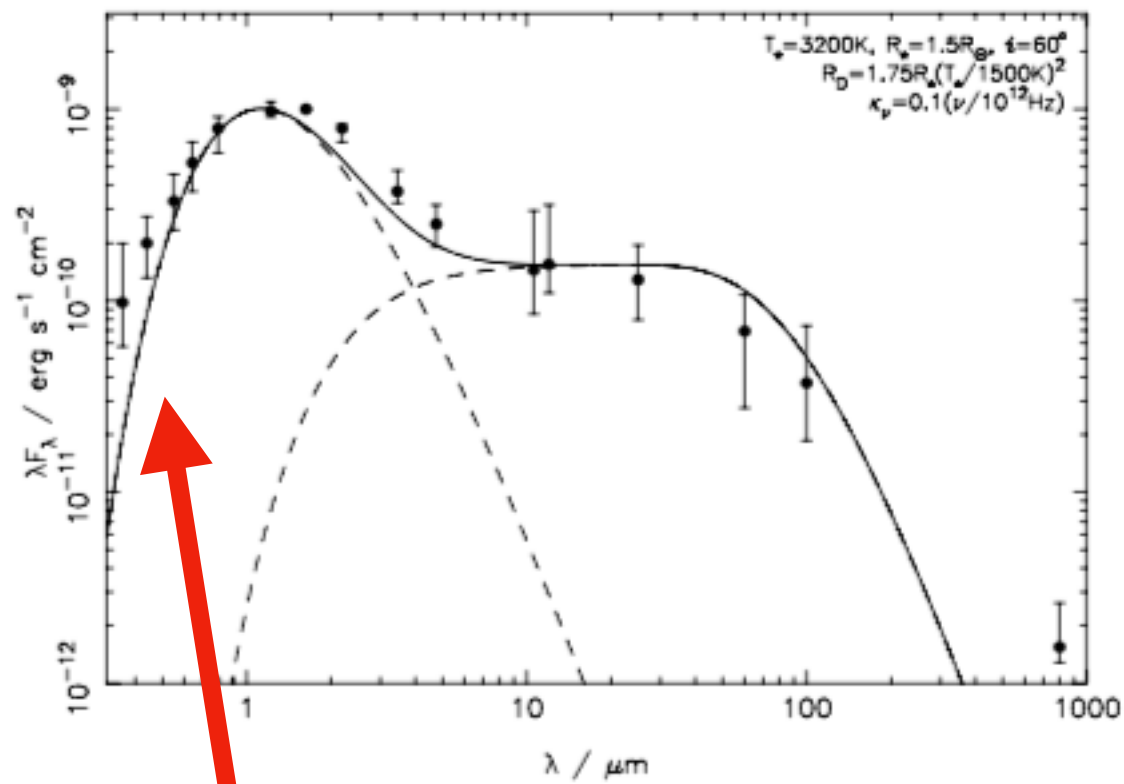


Accretion

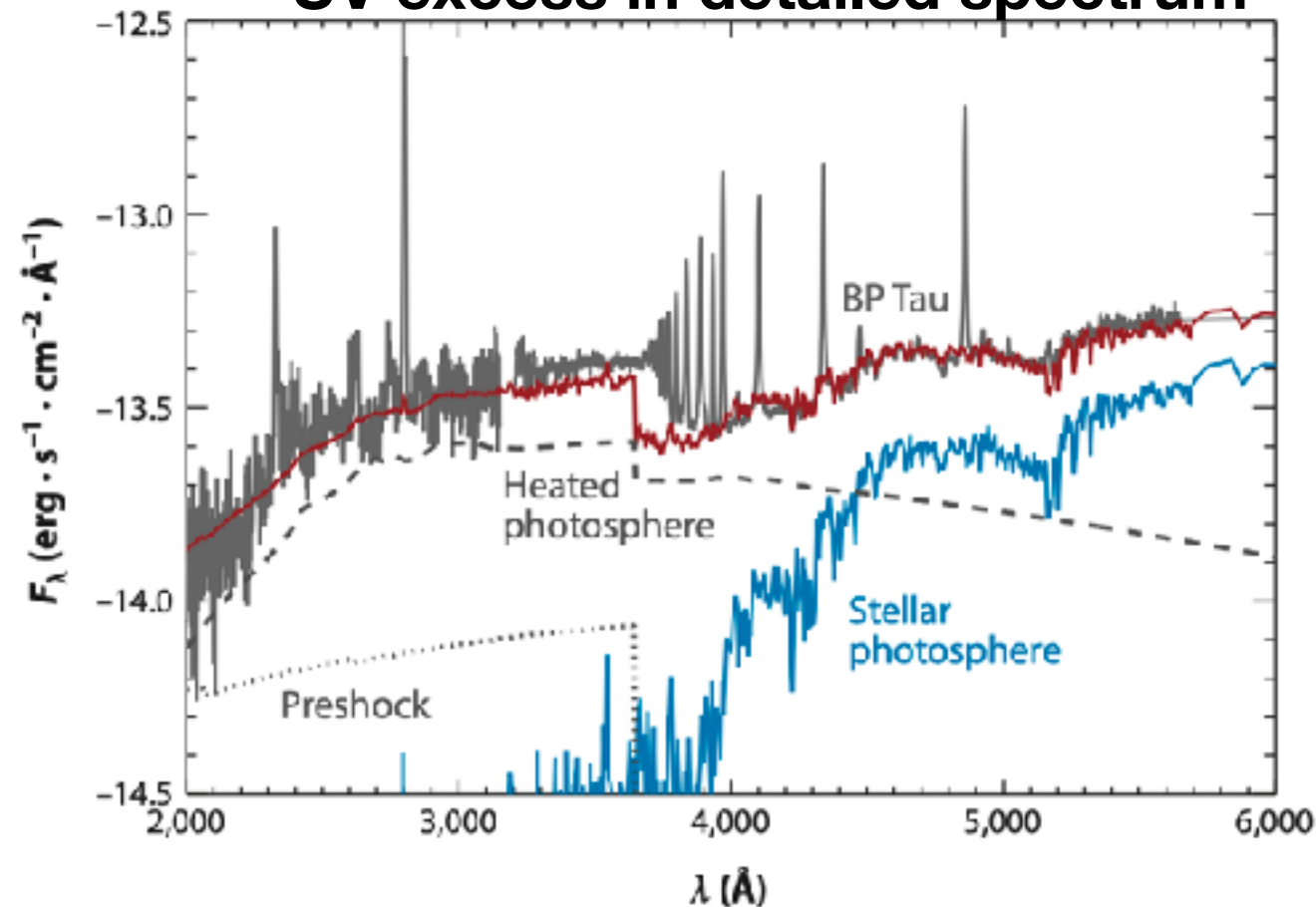
How did we know gas is present?

=> Accretion

UV excess in SED



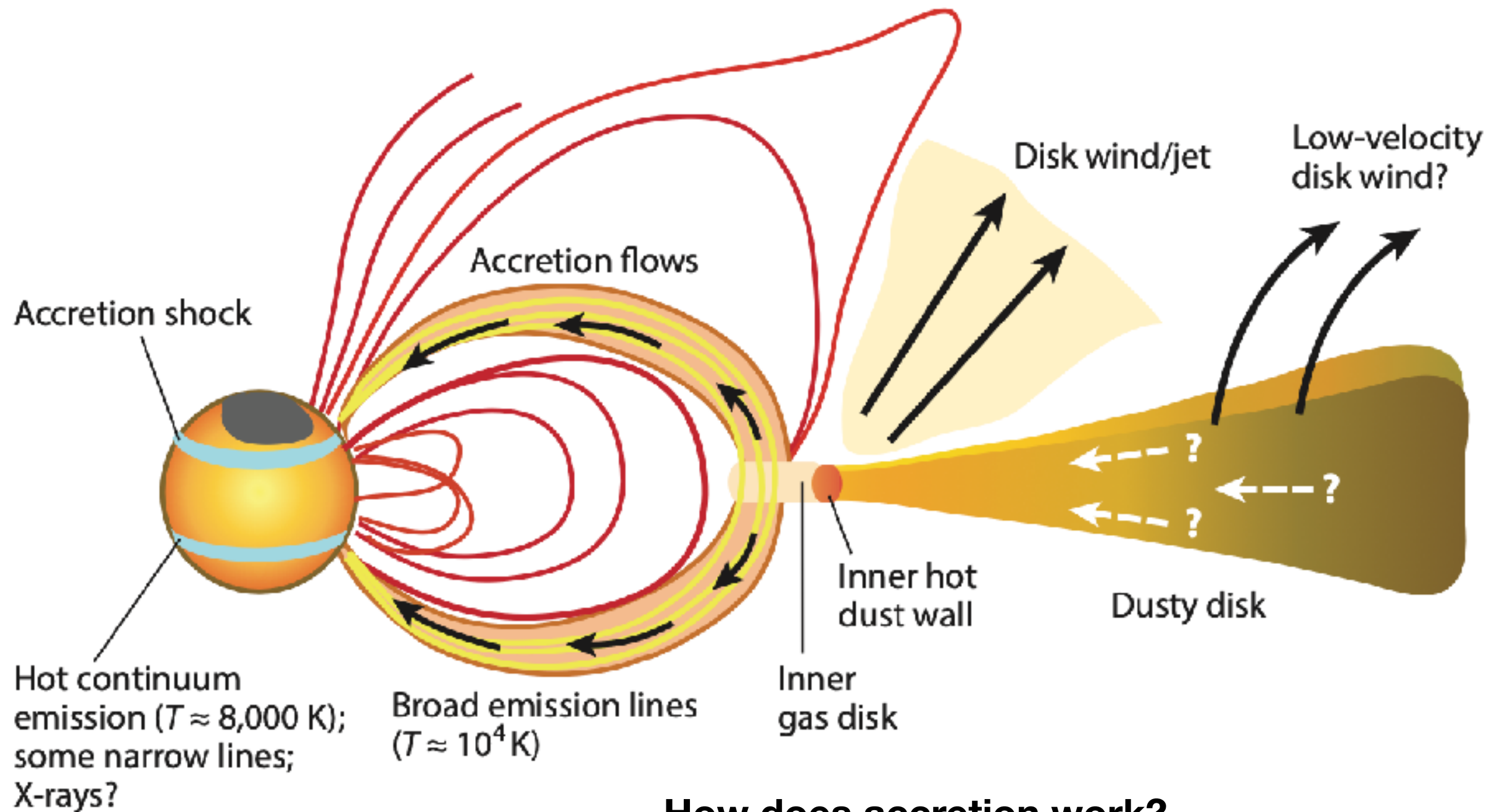
UV excess in detailed spectrum



UV accretion luminosity L_{acc} can be converted to accretion rate $\dot{M}_{\text{acc}}$ ($M_\odot \text{yr}^{-1}$).

Alexander et al. 2006
Hartmann et al. 2016

Accretion

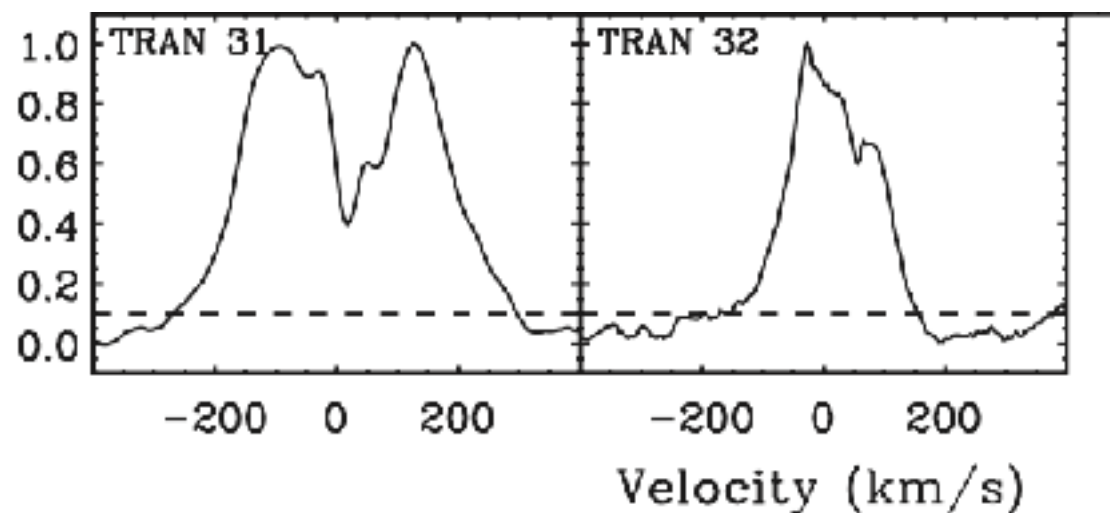


How does accretion work?

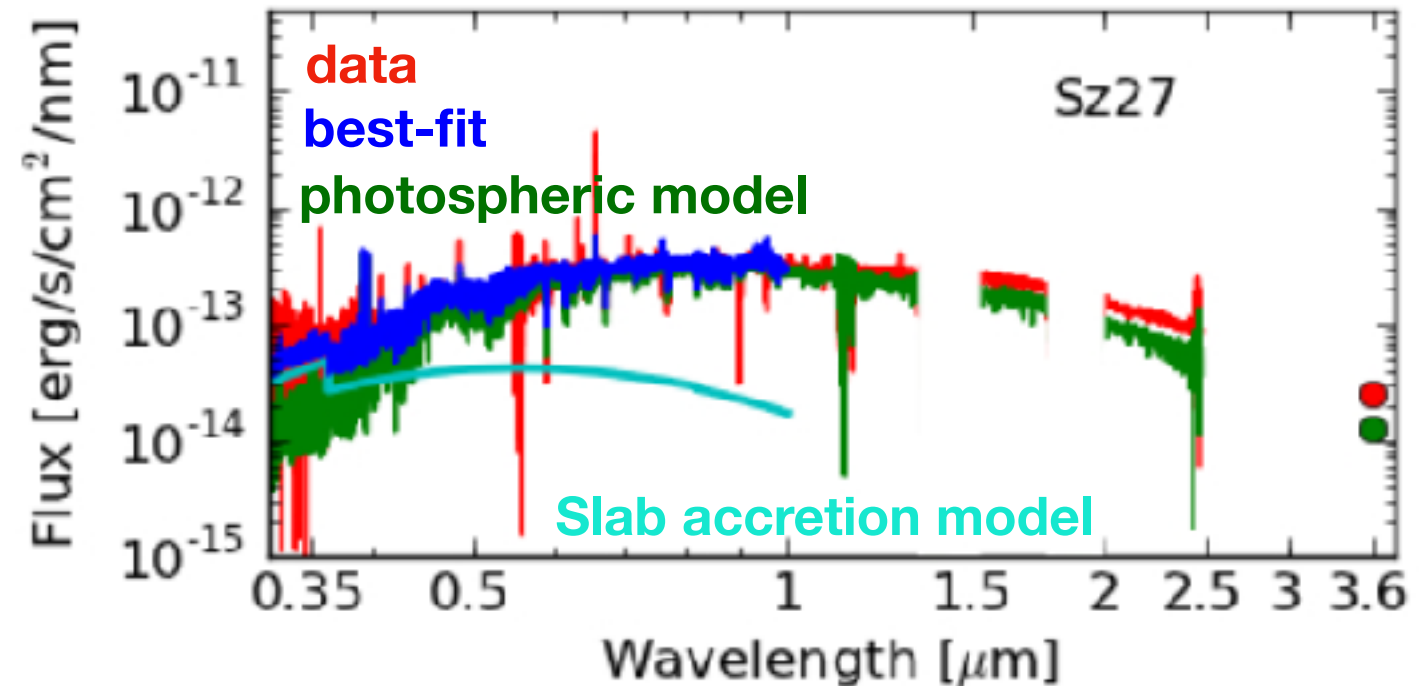
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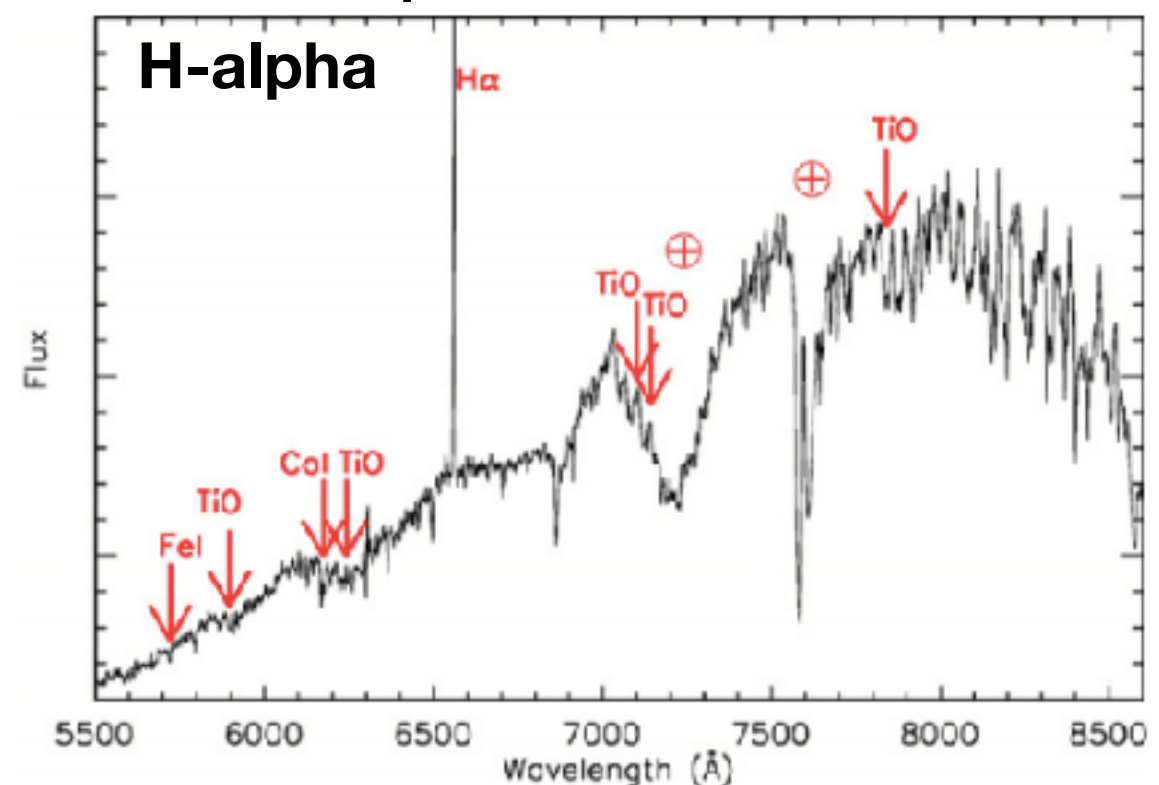
Measure accretion by
combination of UV excess
and width of H-alpha line



Careful: in several papers in 90s and 00s, the width of the H-alpha line (equivalent width, 10% width) is converted to M_{acc} as well. Don't trust these values as these lines also have contributions from disk winds and chromospheric activity. Proper analysis requires full spectra from UV to NIR (X-shooter)



Derivation accretion in optical spectroscopy often together with fitting the spectral type based on various spectral features

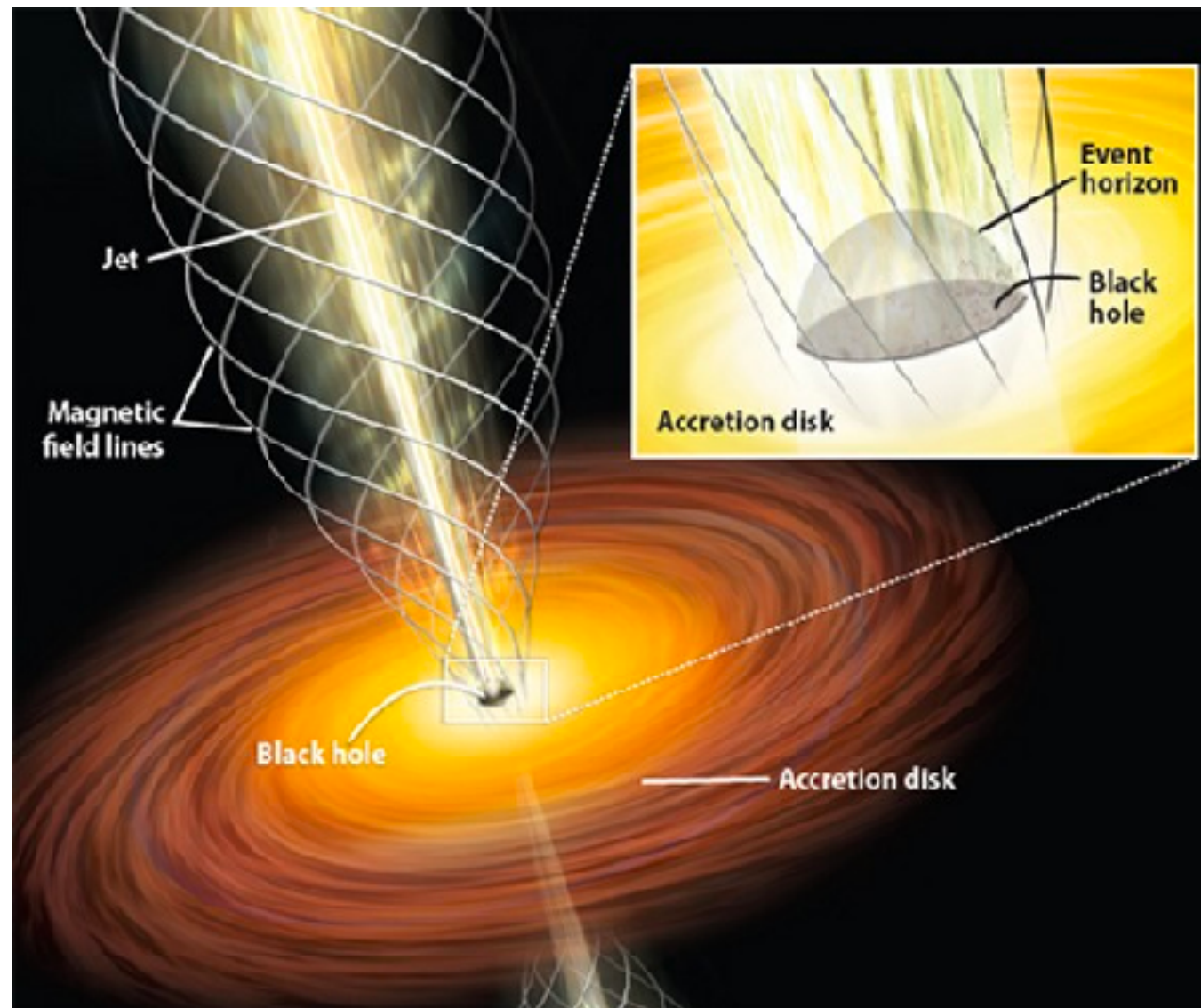


Manara et al. 2014

Alcala et al. 2014

Cieza et al. 2010

If material falls inwards onto star



Classical accretion disk model:

**material moving inwards:
angular momentum must be preserved somehow**

Similar physics as for black hole accretion disks

Angular momentum transport: the Solar System

The present-day solar system as a process end-state

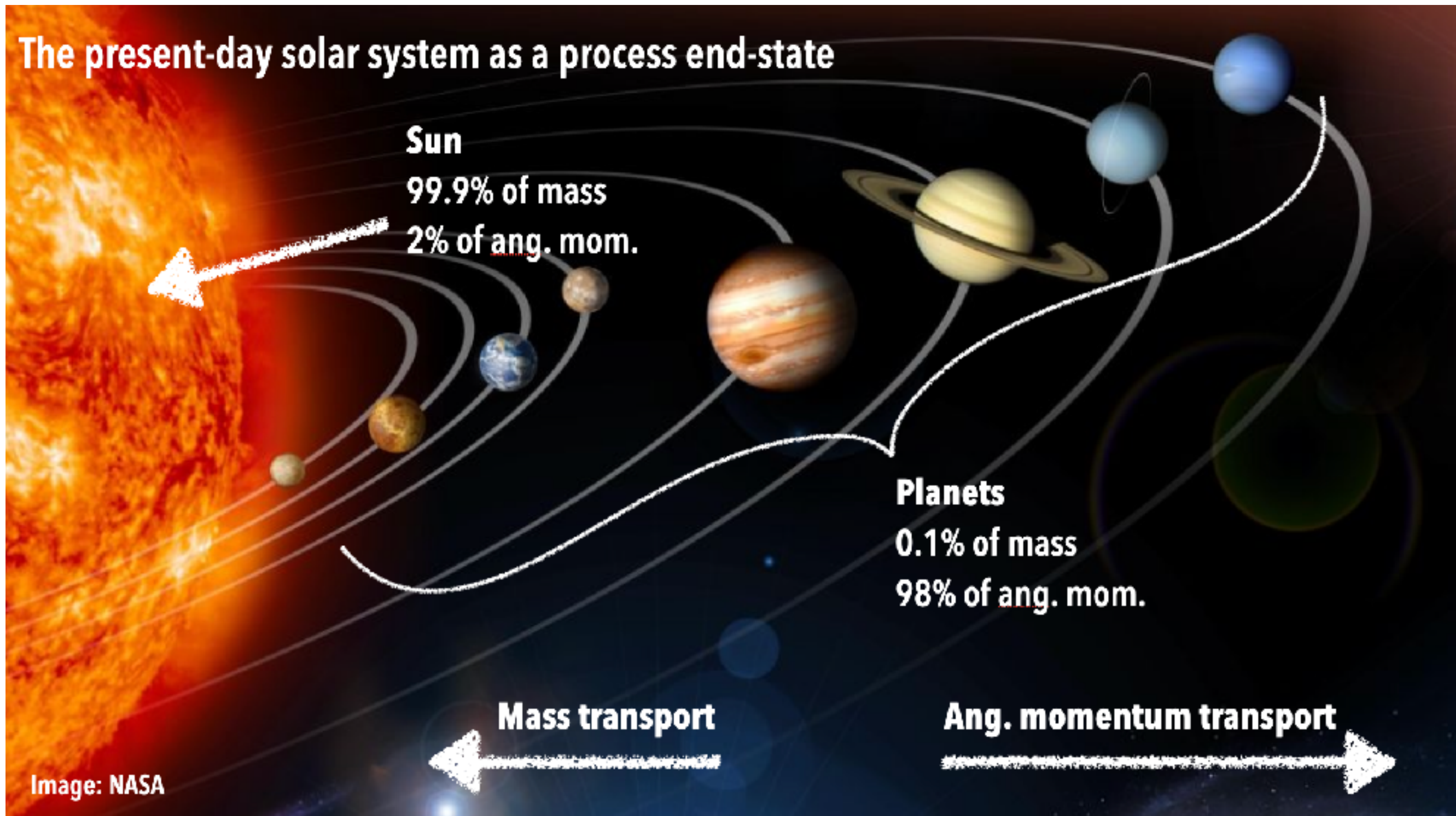
Sun
99.9% of mass
2% of ang. mom.

Planets
0.1% of mass
98% of ang. mom.

Mass transport

Ang. momentum transport

Image: NASA



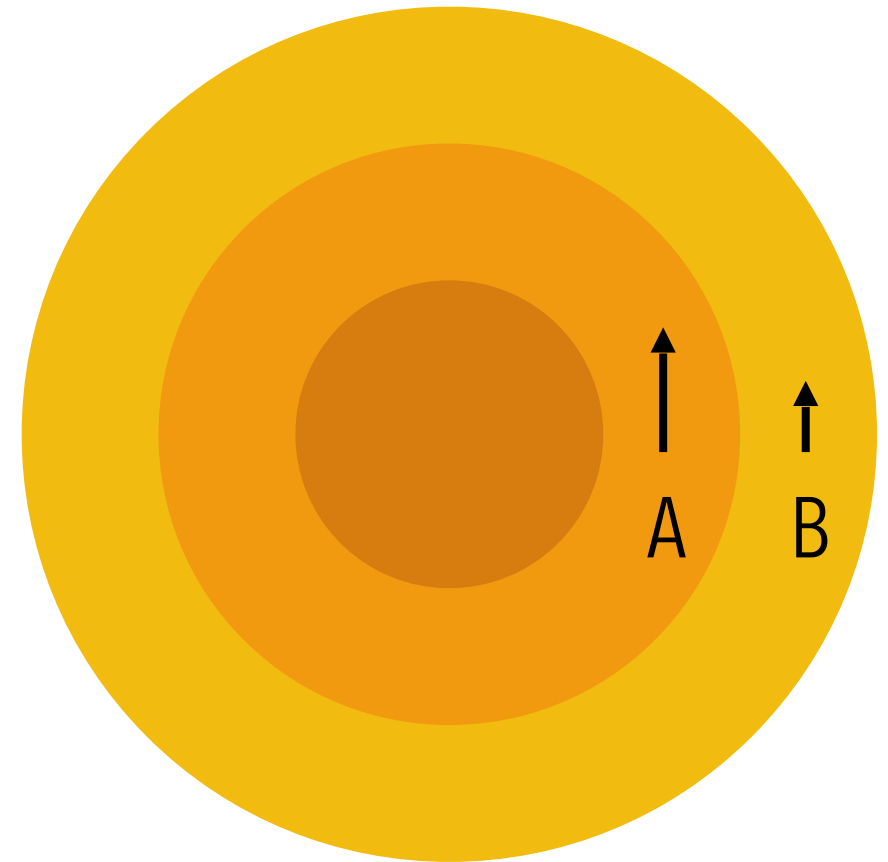
Angular momentum transport

- Ring A moves faster than ring B.
- Friction between A & B slows A down, speeds B up. Therefore ang. mom. transferred from A to B.

- Specific angular momentum for a Keplerian disk:

$$l = r v_{\phi} = r^2 \Omega_K = \sqrt{GM_* r}$$

- So if ring A loses angular momentum (but forced to keep Kepler orbit), it must move inward!
- Ring B moves outward (unless there are additional external rings C, D, etc.).



Viscous evolution: diffusion equation

Disk surface density (g cm⁻²)

Excess ang. mom. infalling material

Mass flux infalling material

$$\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial t} - \frac{3}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[r^{1/2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (\Sigma \nu r^{1/2}) \right] - \frac{2 S(r, t) J(r, t)}{\Omega} - S(r, t) = 0$$

Viscosity of disk material

Angular momentum

Viscous evolution: diffusion equation

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial t} - \frac{3}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[r^{1/2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (\Sigma \nu r^{1/2}) \right] - \frac{2 S(r, t) J(r, t)}{\Omega}} - \cancel{S(r, t)} = 0$$

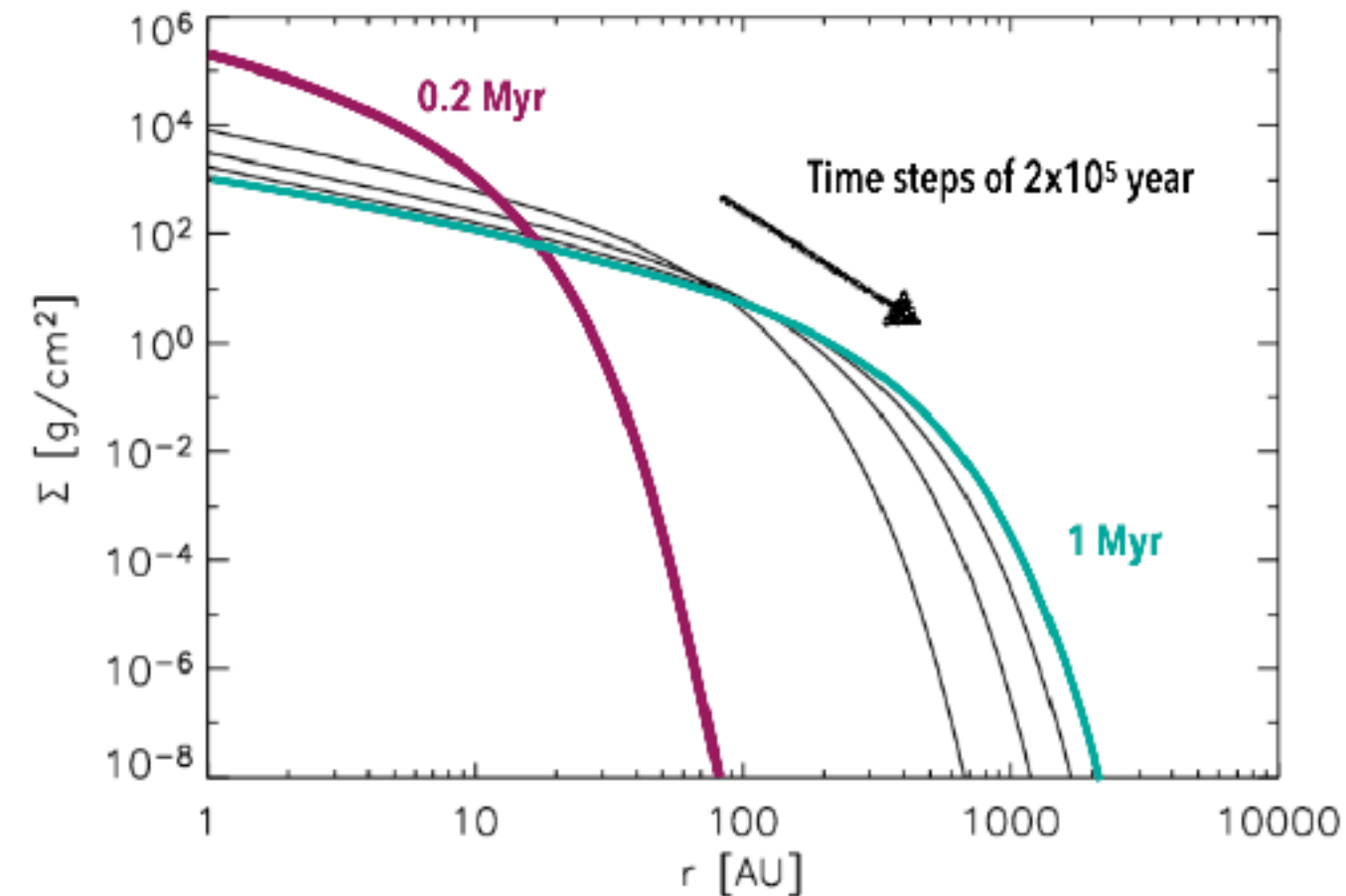
- $S(r, t)$ initially large, but becomes negligible by T Tauri phase.
- Therefore the viscous term dominates diffusion equation at these later times.

Self-similar solution (Lynden-Bell & Pringle 1974):

$$\Sigma(R, t) = \frac{M_0}{2\pi R_c^2} (2 - \gamma) \left(\frac{R}{R_c} \right)^{-\gamma} T^{-\eta} \exp \left(-\frac{(R/R_c)^{(2-\gamma)}}{T} \right)$$

$$T = 1 + t/t_v, \quad \eta = (5/2 - \gamma)/(2 - \gamma), \quad t_v = R_c^2 / 3(2 - \gamma)\nu(R_c).$$

Viscous evolution



- Mass flow requires both:
 - angular momentum transport
 - energy dissipation
- ∴ **Need viscous stress**
- What is origin of viscosity?

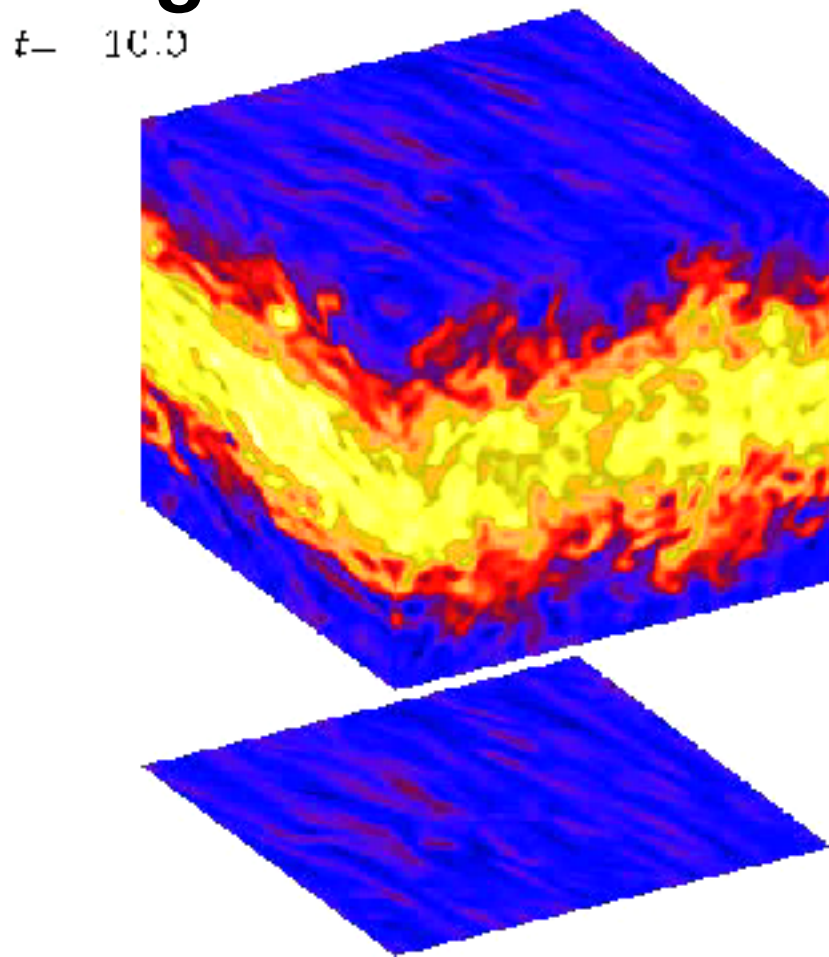
Origin viscosity

- Molecular viscosity: much too small
- Turbulent viscosity → introduce effective viscosity
 - $\nu_{\text{eff}} = \frac{2}{3} \alpha_s c_s H$
 - c_s =sound speed
 - H =pressure scale height disk $\approx$ half thickness $\approx c_s/\Omega$
 - α_s = dimensionless efficiency factor
 - *Goal theories*: calculate α_s a priori
 - *In practice*: some value of α_s is assumed which satisfies observations

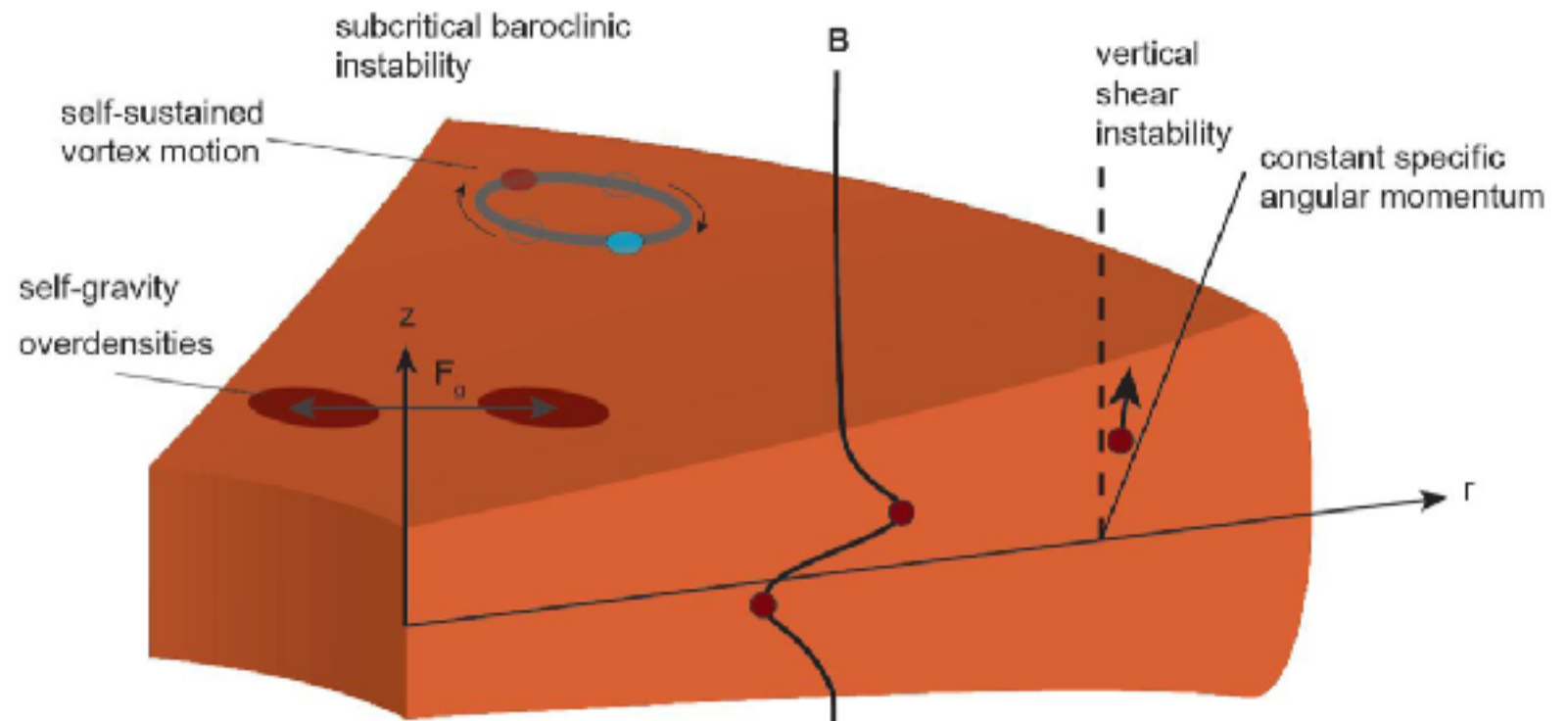
α -disk theory

Origin viscosity: turbulence

Various processes can generate turbulence in disks.



Simulation
small box in disk



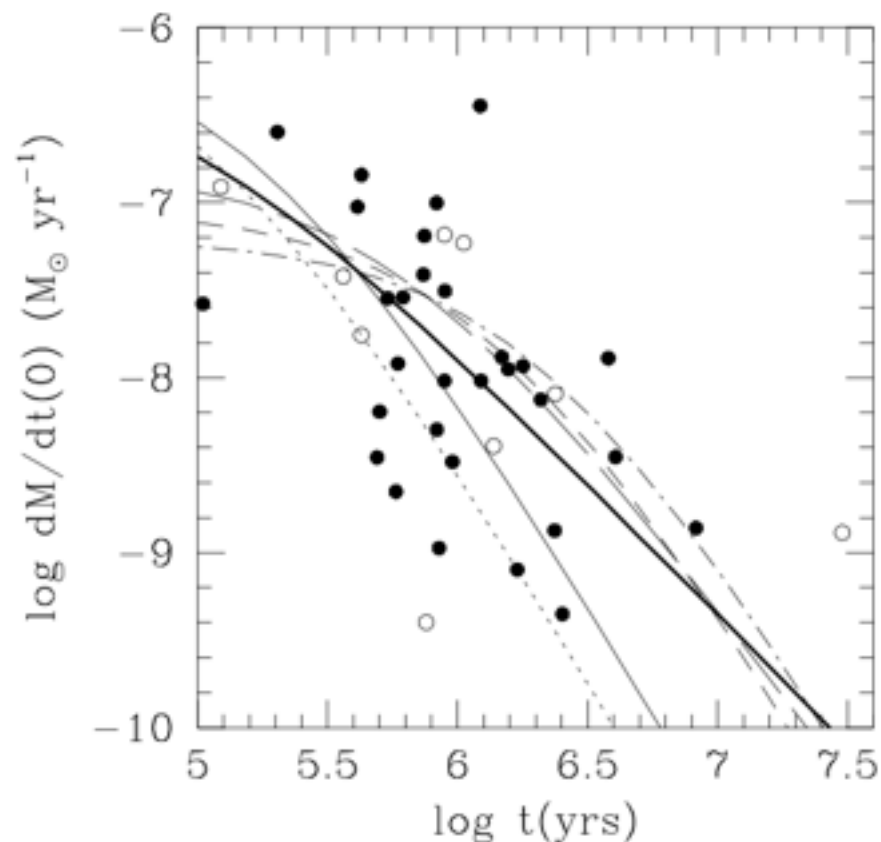
Most popular:

MRI (magneto-rotational instability):

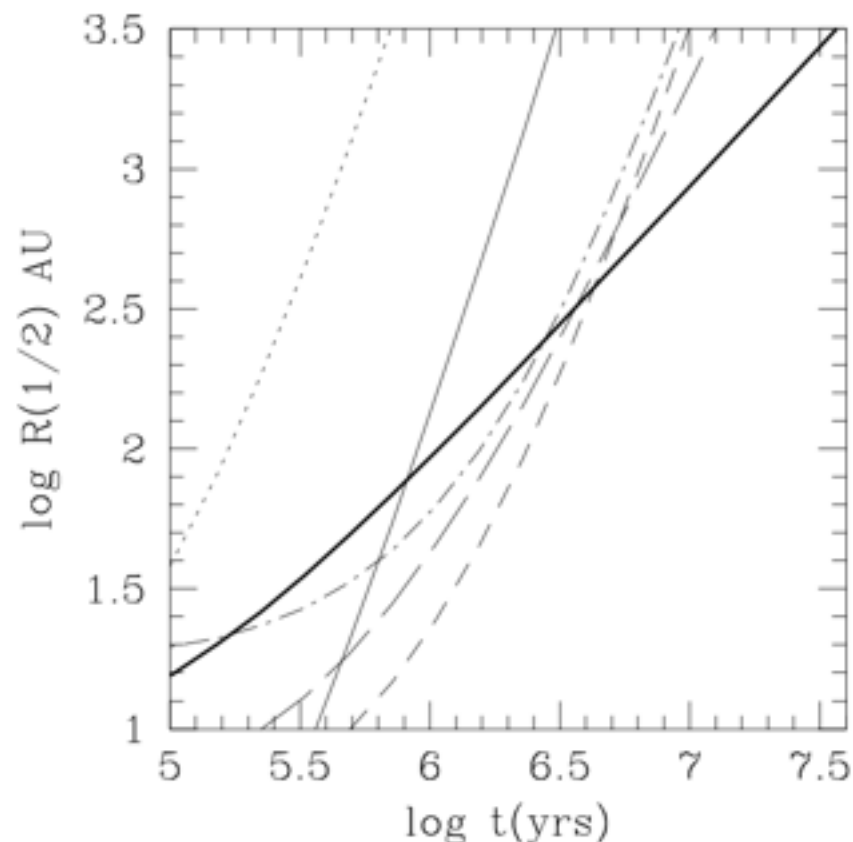
assumes gas disk material to be ionised (radiation/collision) and therefore tied to magnetic field in ideal MHD: displacement through circular motion (orbiting) results in destabilising force (fluid instability) => turbulence

Viscous disk model

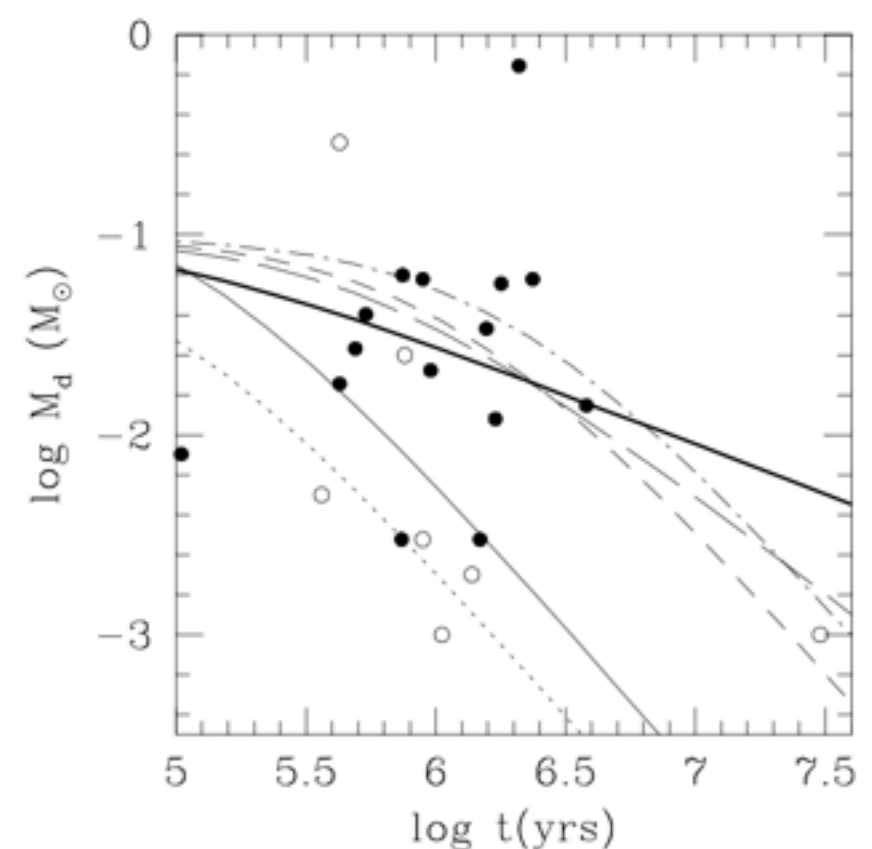
Predictions compared with observations (1998)



Accretion rate drops



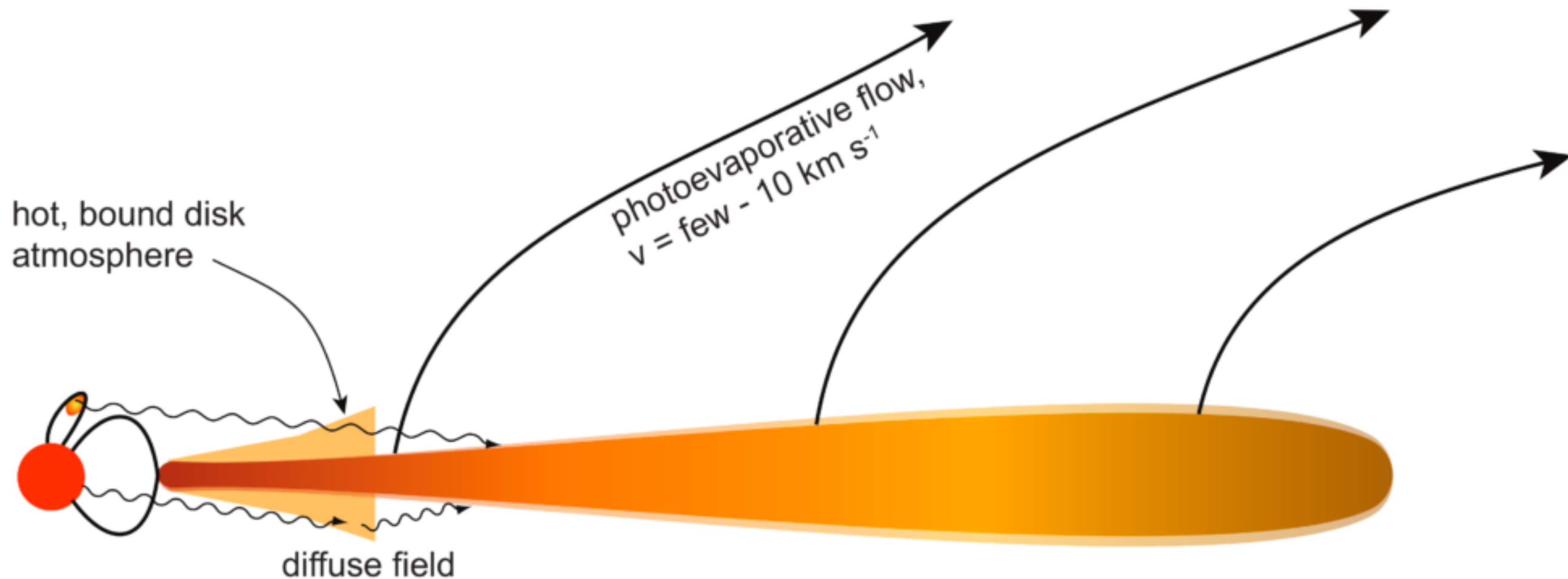
Disk radius rises



Disk mass drops

Consistent with
 $\alpha_s \sim 10^{-2}$ and
disk lifetime of 2-3 Myr

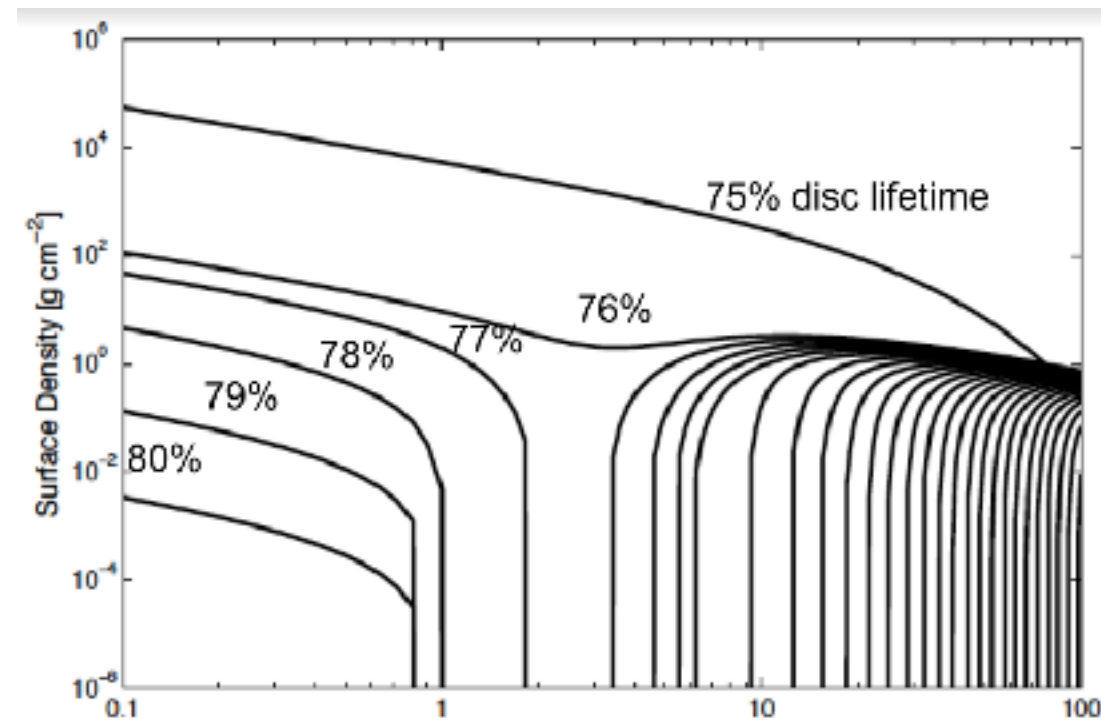
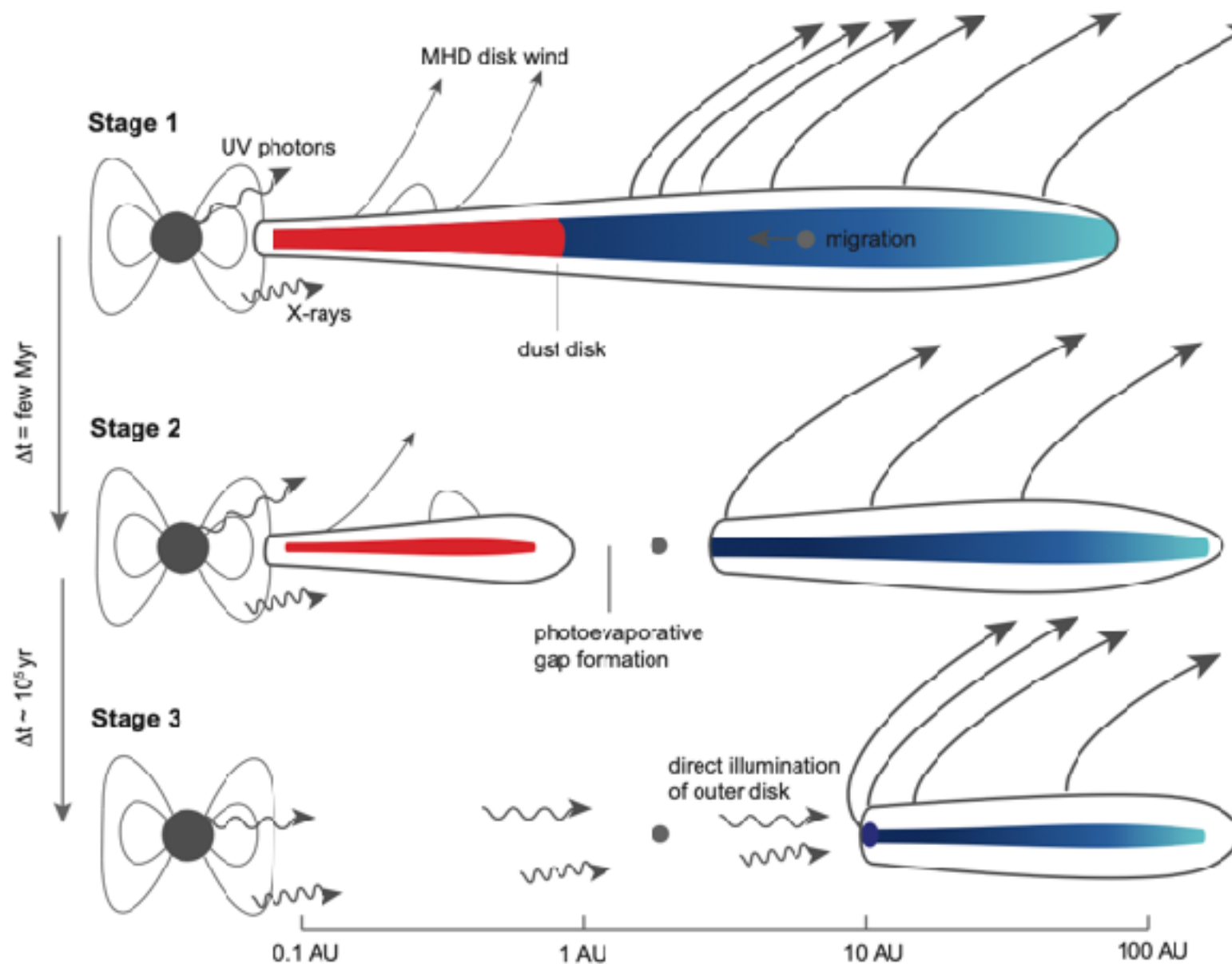
Photoevaporation



UV radiation from the star heats up the surface layers of the disk: when above the escape velocity: material blown away as photo evaporative wind

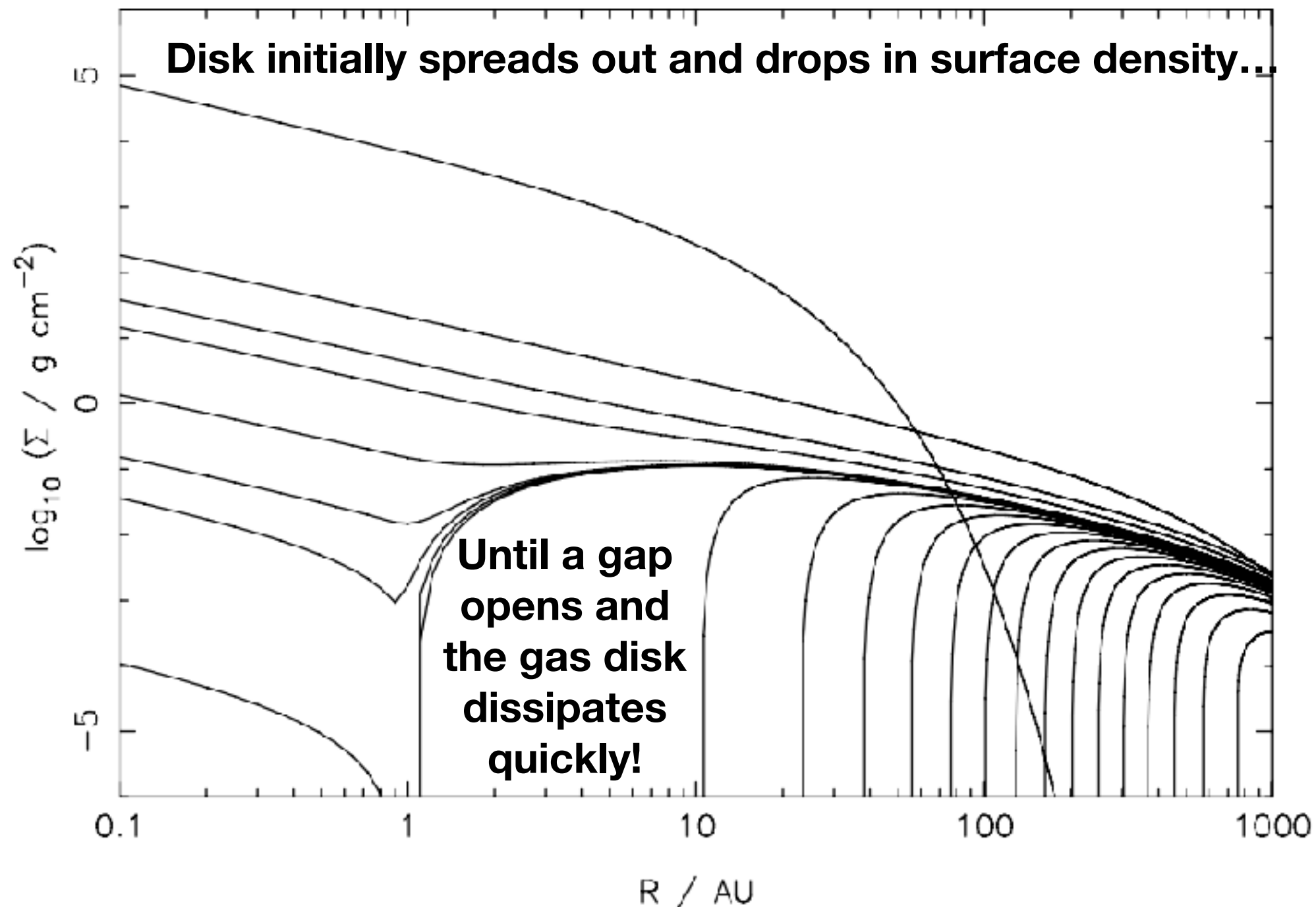
As long as accretion rate is high, material is continuously replenished, but when accretion rate has dropped too much...

Photoevaporation



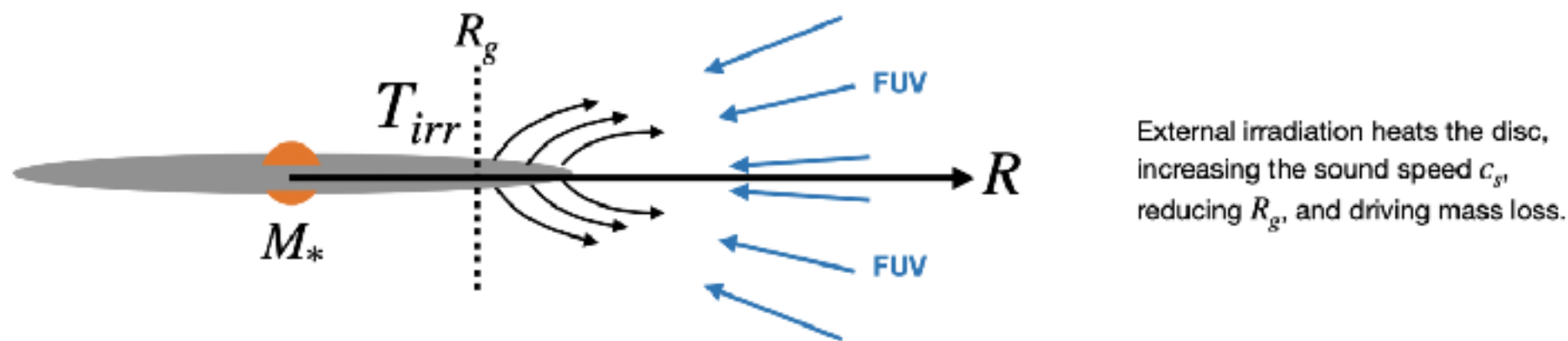
Photoevaporation and disk evolution

Evolution of surface density: $M_{\star}=1M_{\odot}$, $\phi=10^{42}\text{s}^{-1}$

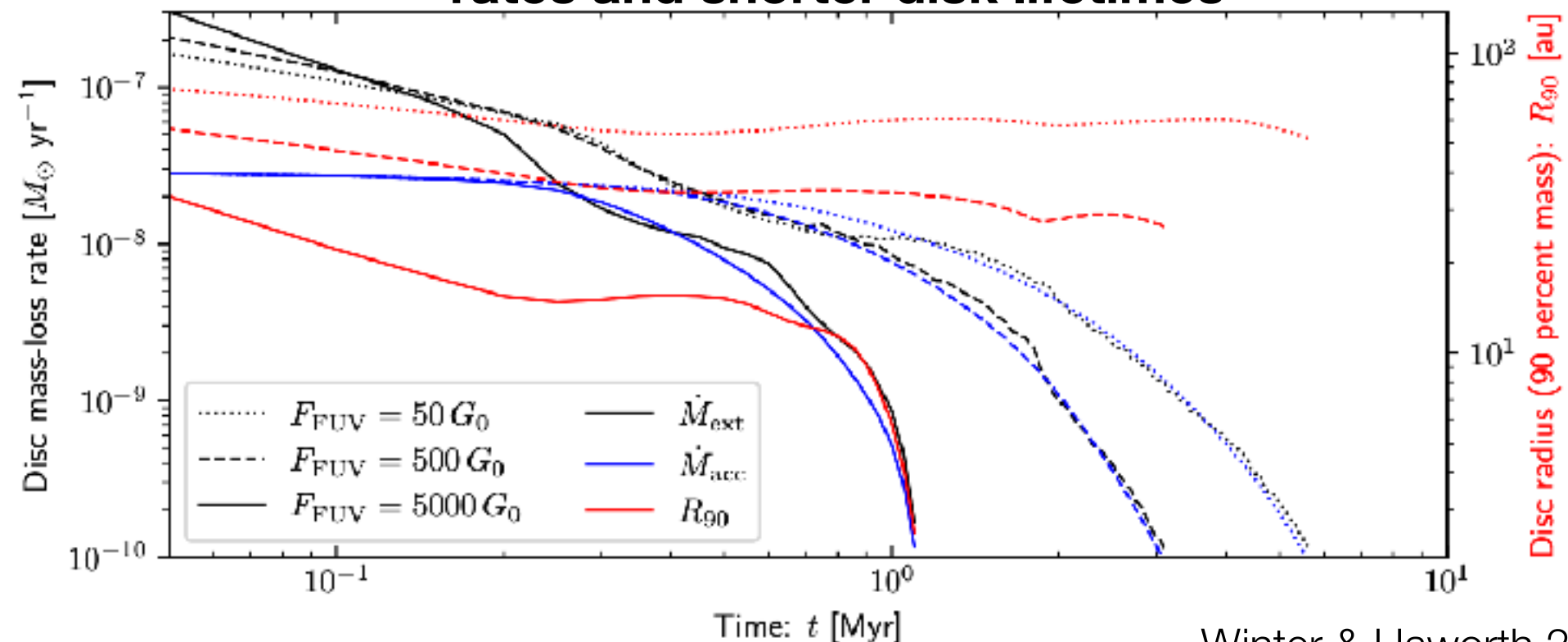


External photo evaporation

External UV radiation fields (nearby OB-stars!) can also lead to photo evaporation, but then in the outer disk



Stronger UV-fields lead to faster mass-loss rates and shorter disk lifetimes

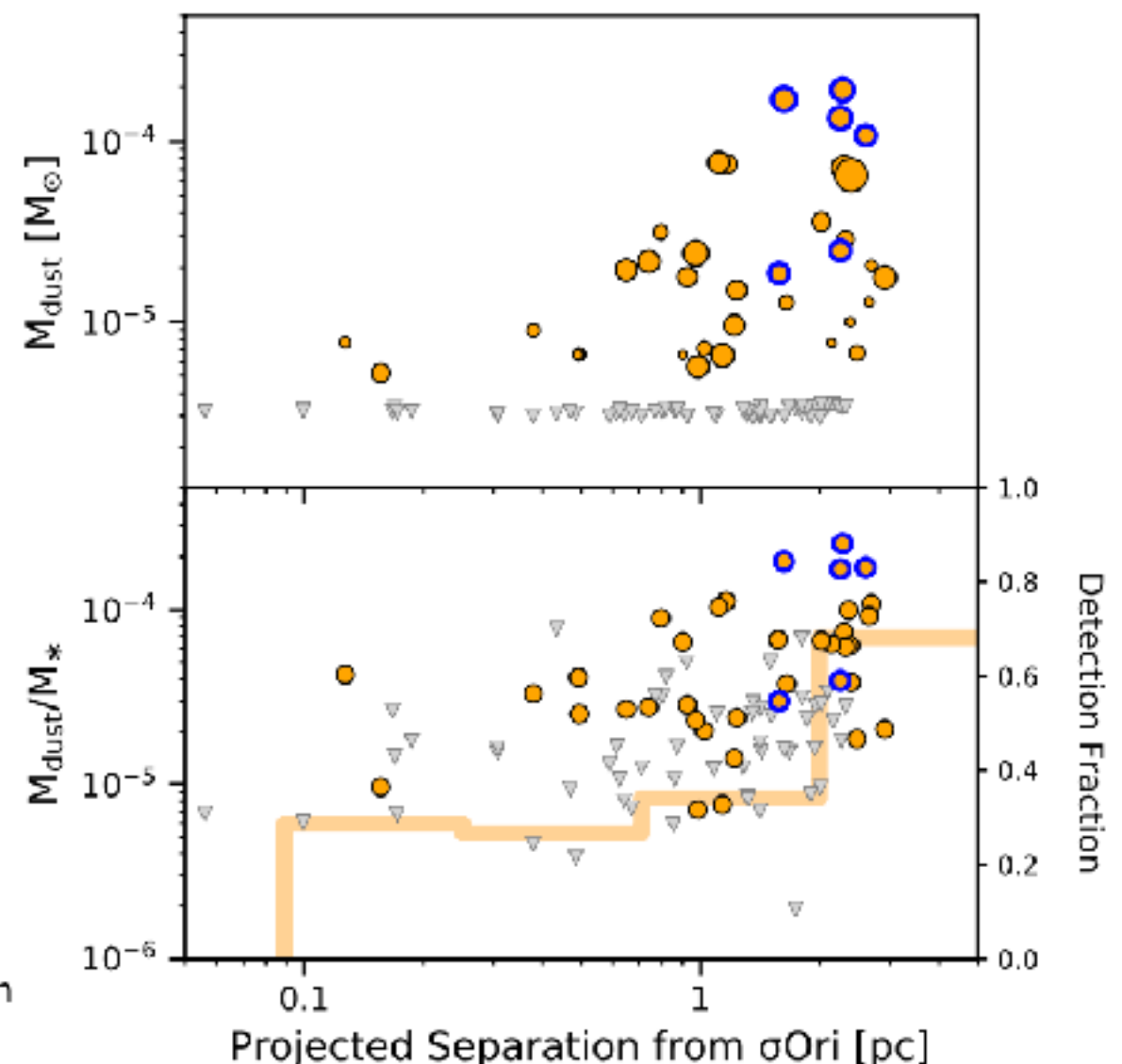
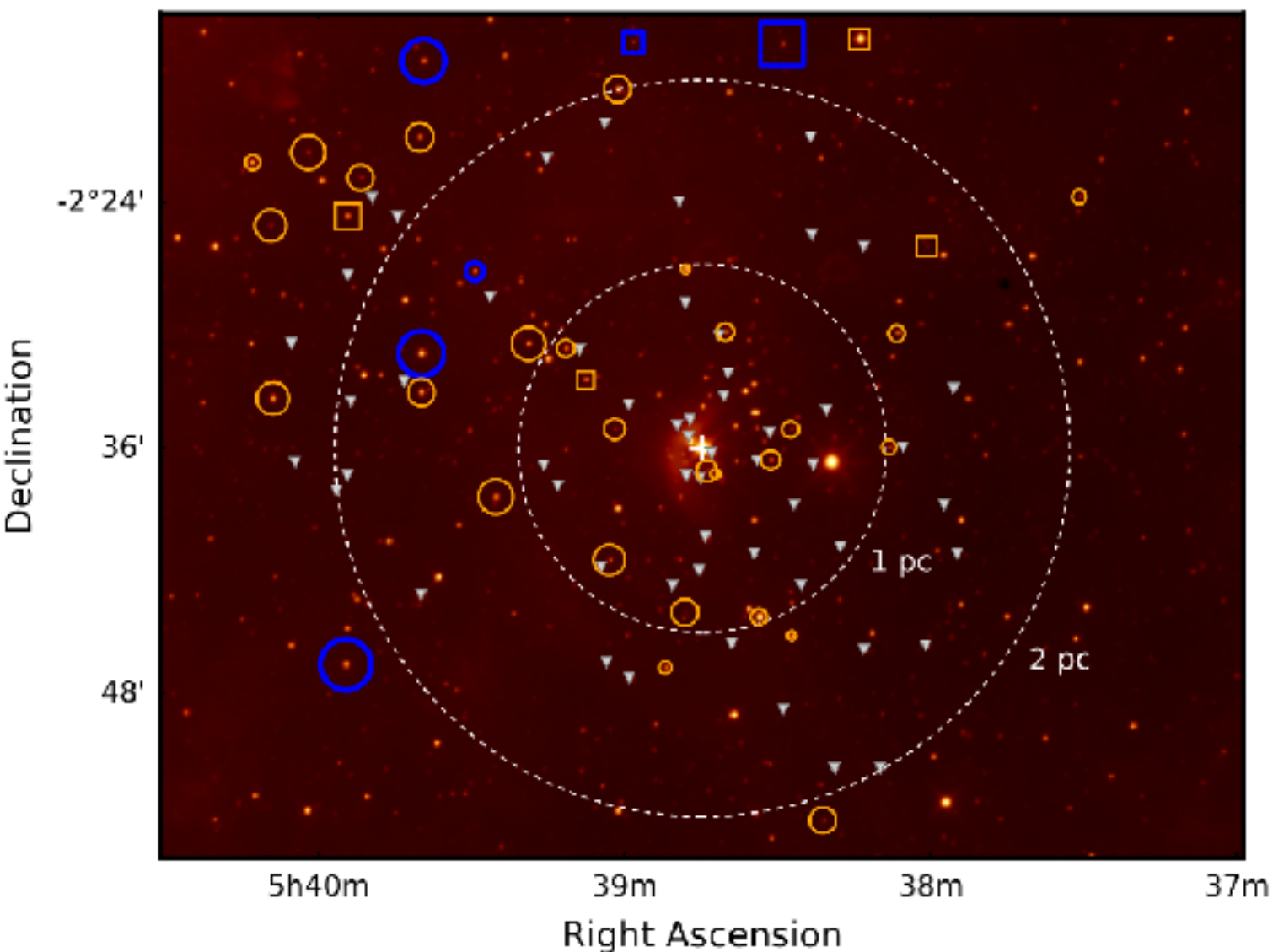


Observational evidence external photo evaporation

ALMA protoplanetary disk study in sigma Orionis region: O star

Gas detections

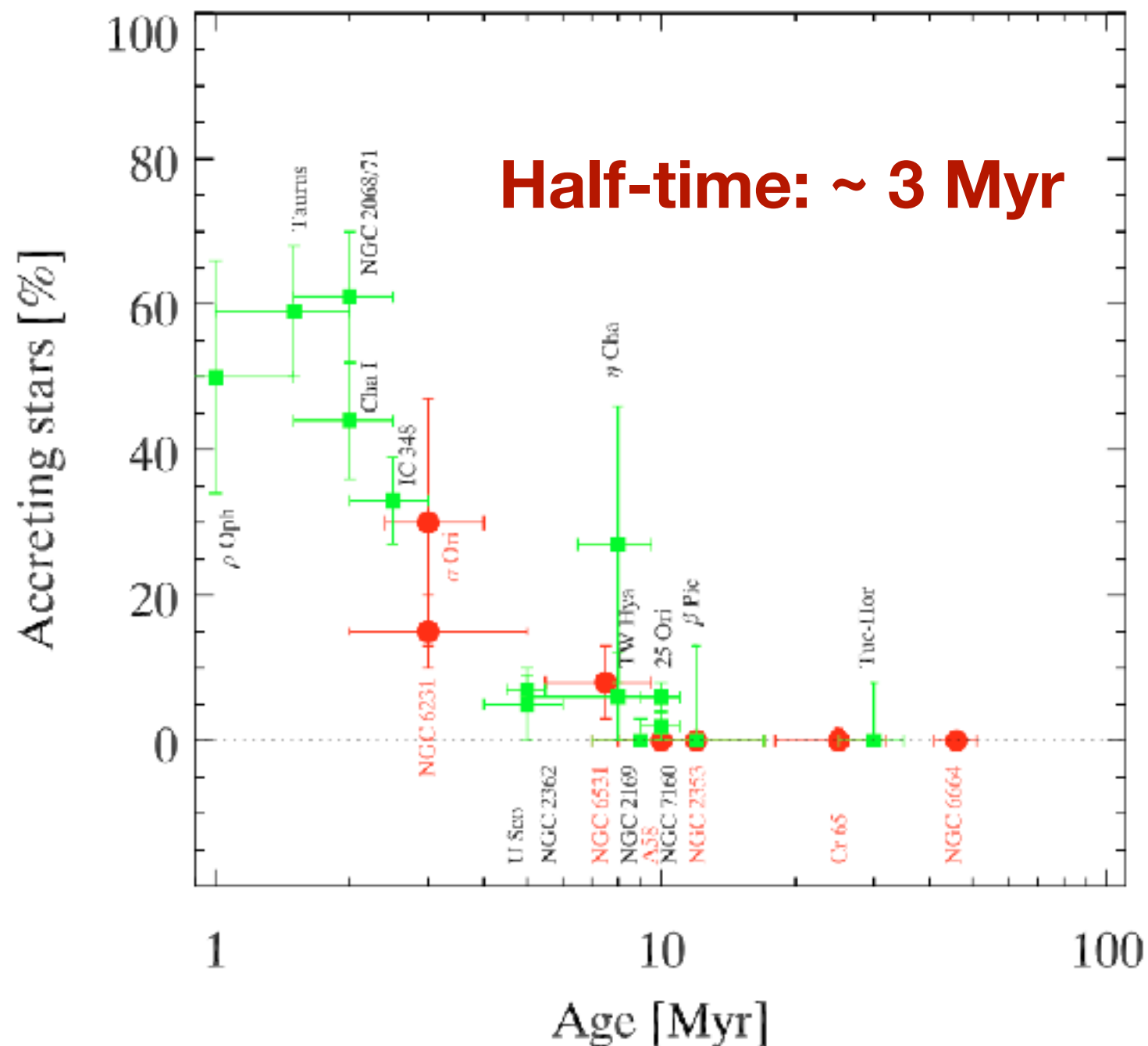
Dust detections



Gas-rich disks further away from O star and also
massive dust disks are lacking at small separation

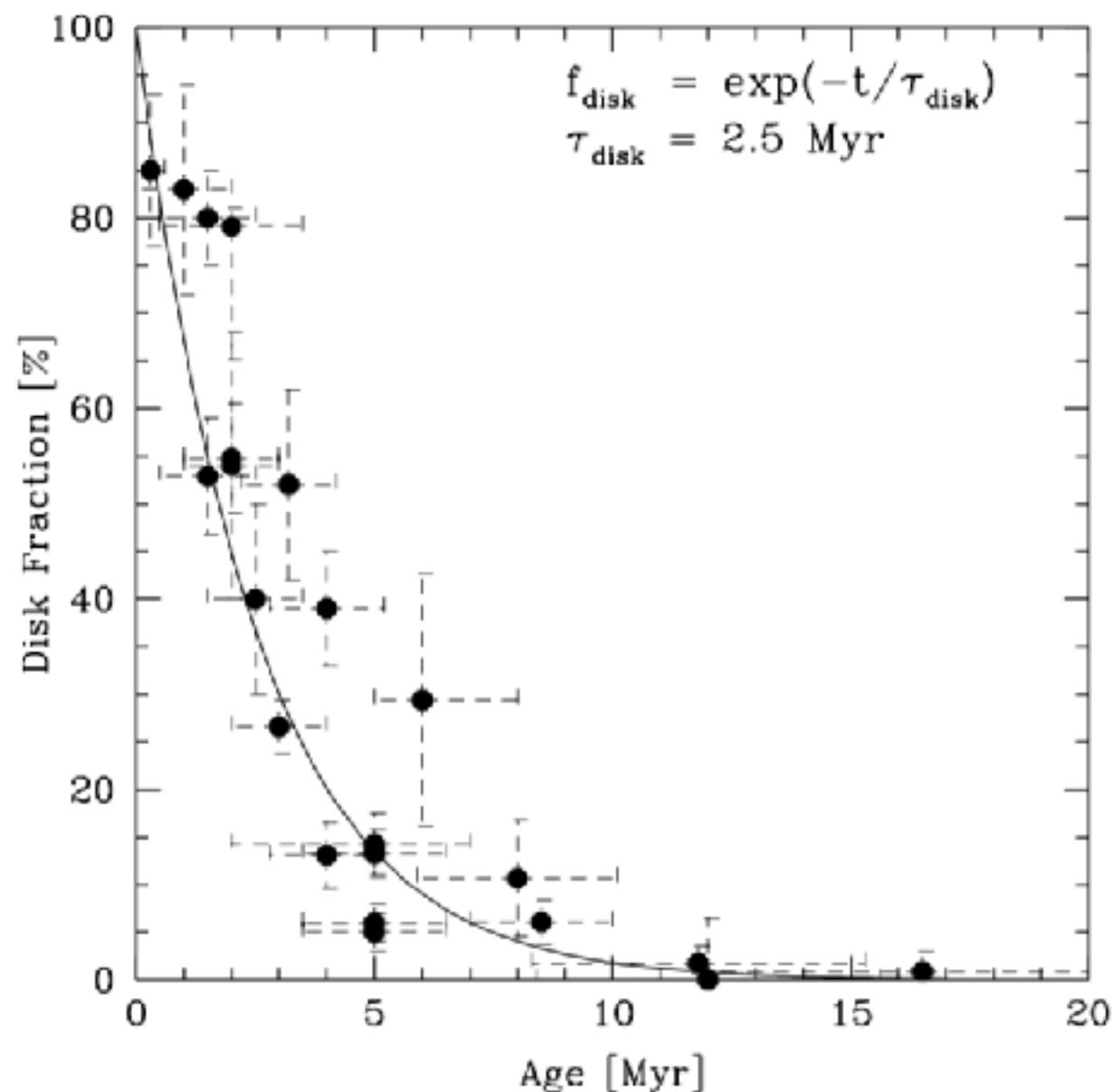
Disk lifetime: how long are stars accreting?

Approach: compute fraction of stars in a cluster that are still accreting and plot them as function of age



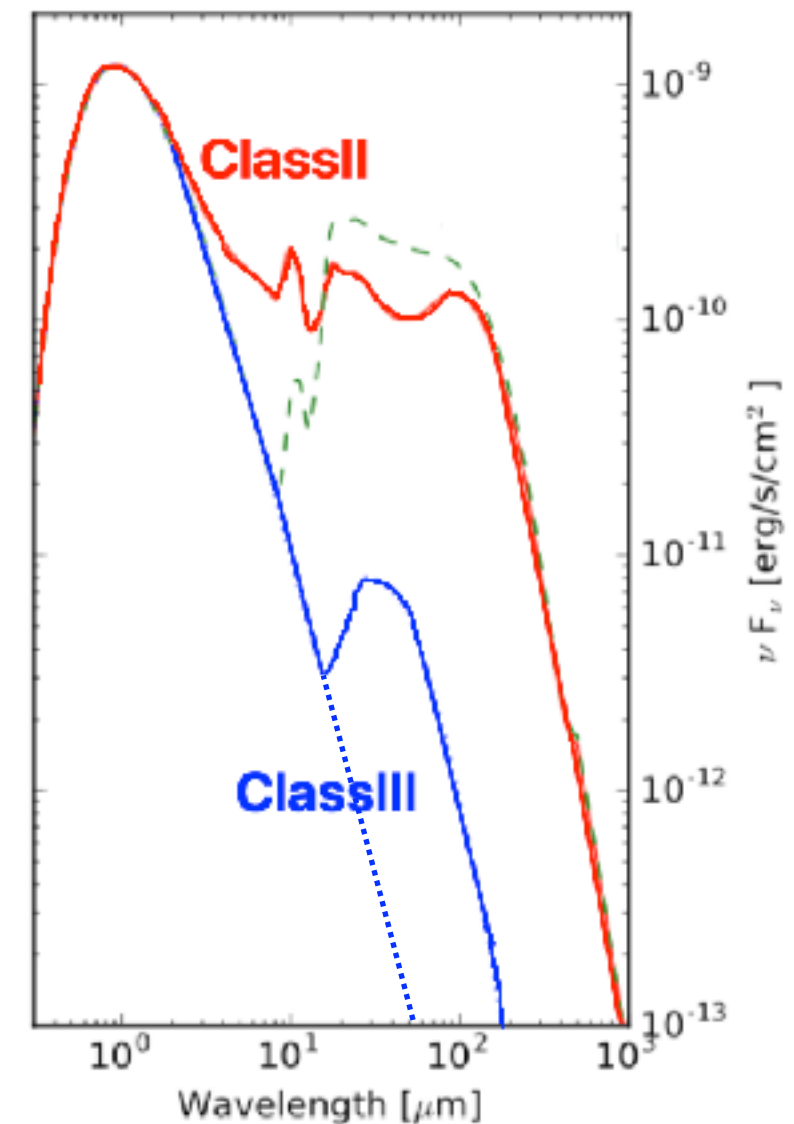
Disk lifetime: alternative (IR)

Approach: compute fraction of stars in a cluster that have a dusty disk (strong IR excess) and plot them as function of age



**SED with strong
IR excess: disk**

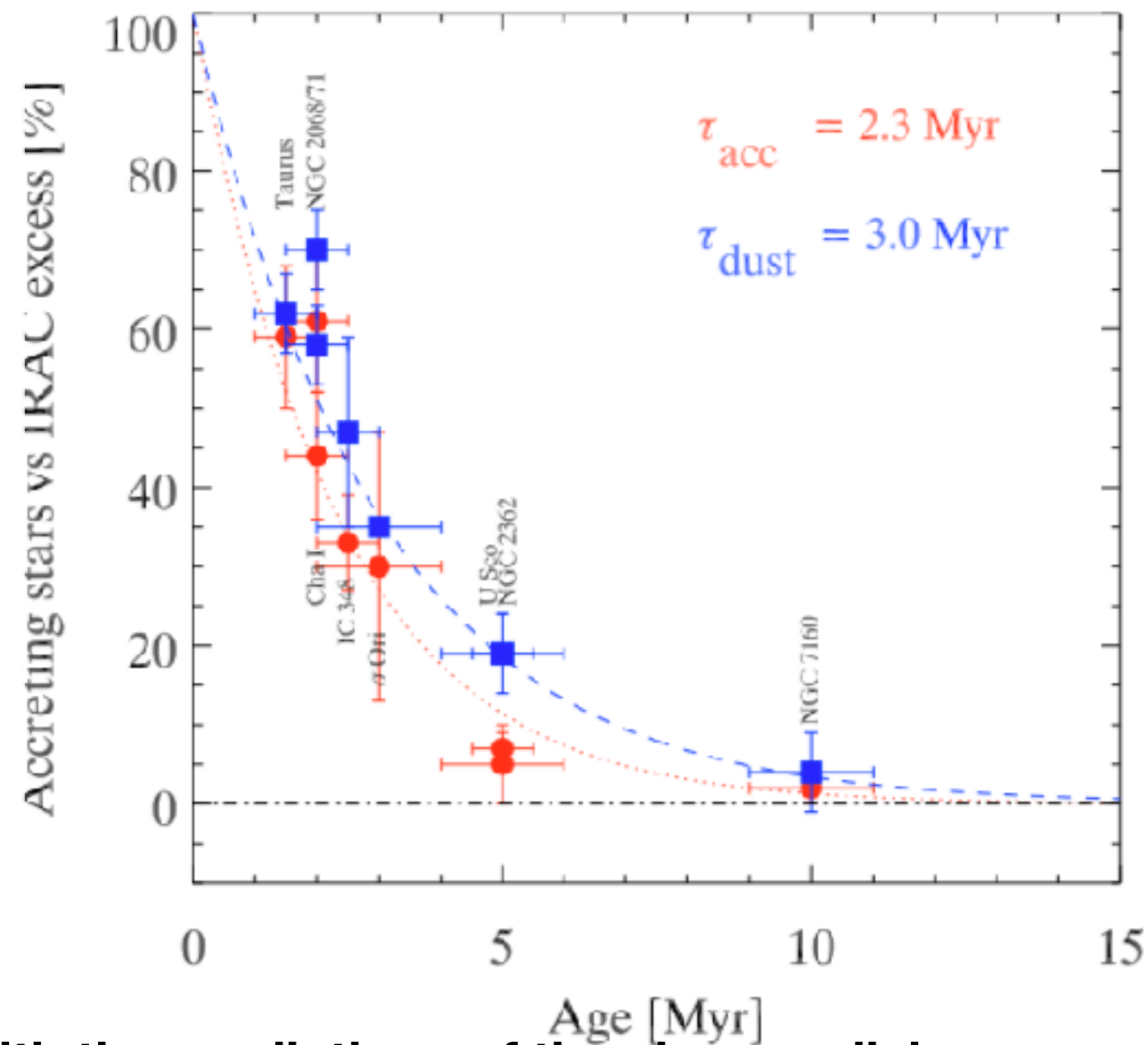
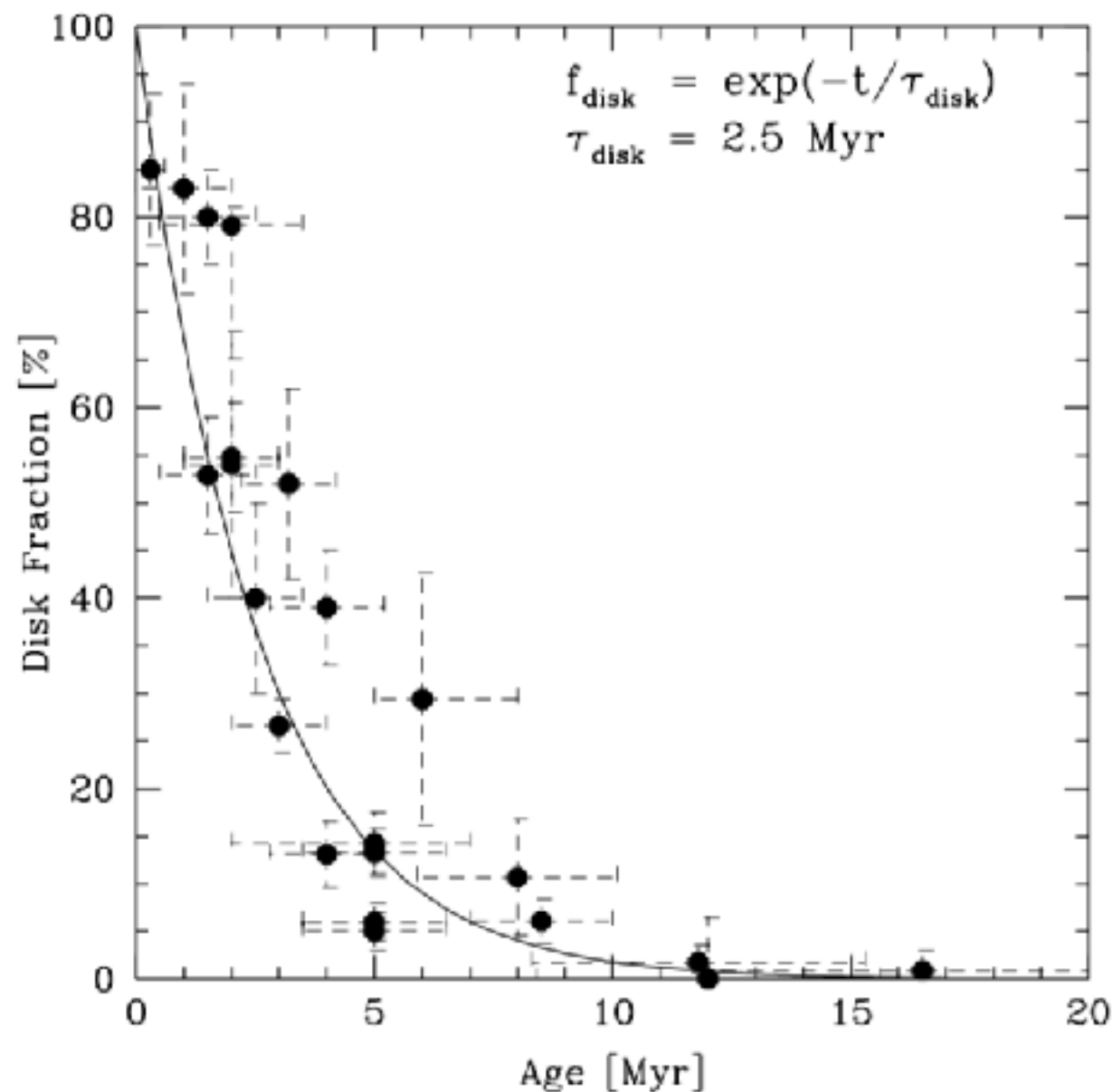
**SED with weak/
no IR excess:
disk-less**



Disk lifetime

Basically a match! So accretion and IR excess both trace the presence of a gas disk

Fedele et al. 2010



The lifetime of 2-3 Myr matches well with the predictions of the viscous disk model for $\alpha \sim 10^{-2}$ and is still used as the disk lifetime in most disk evolution and planet formation models

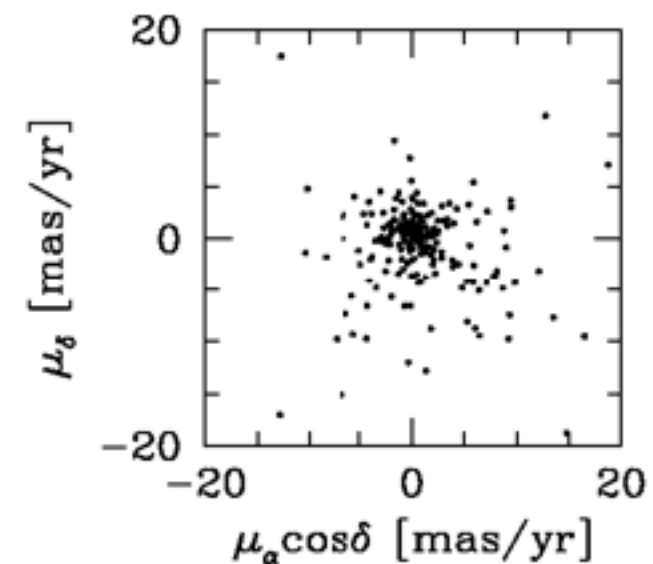
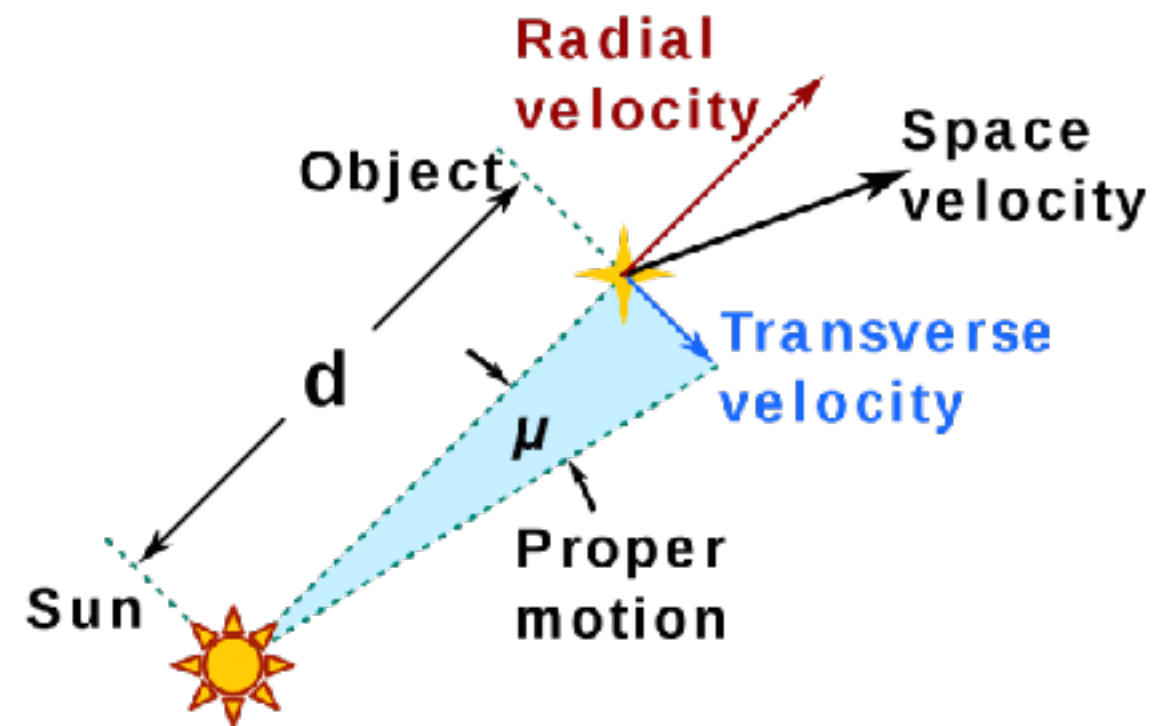
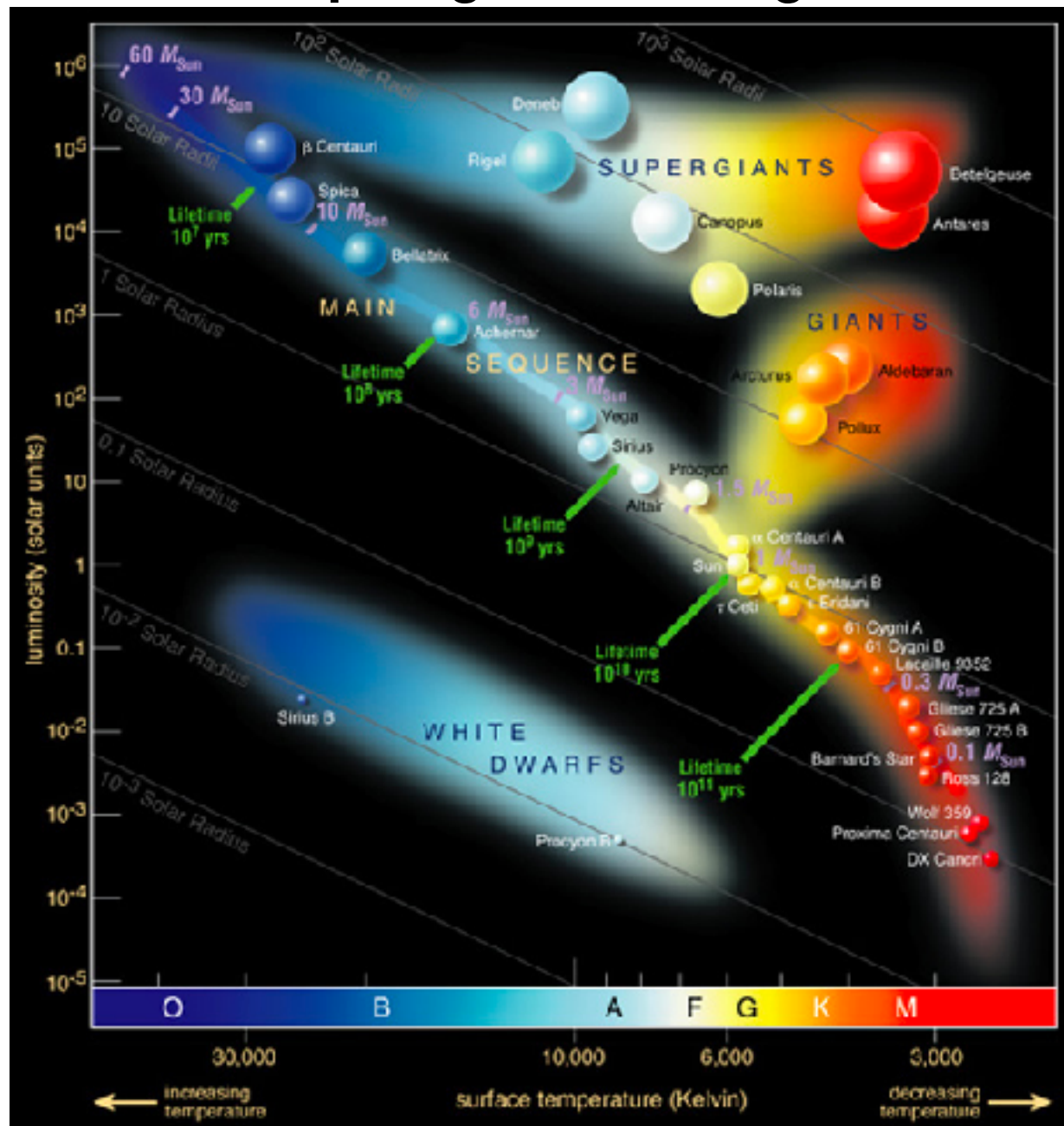
Large uncertainties on age, cluster membership and environment!

How do you measure the age of a group of stars?

How do you measure the cluster membership of a group of stars?

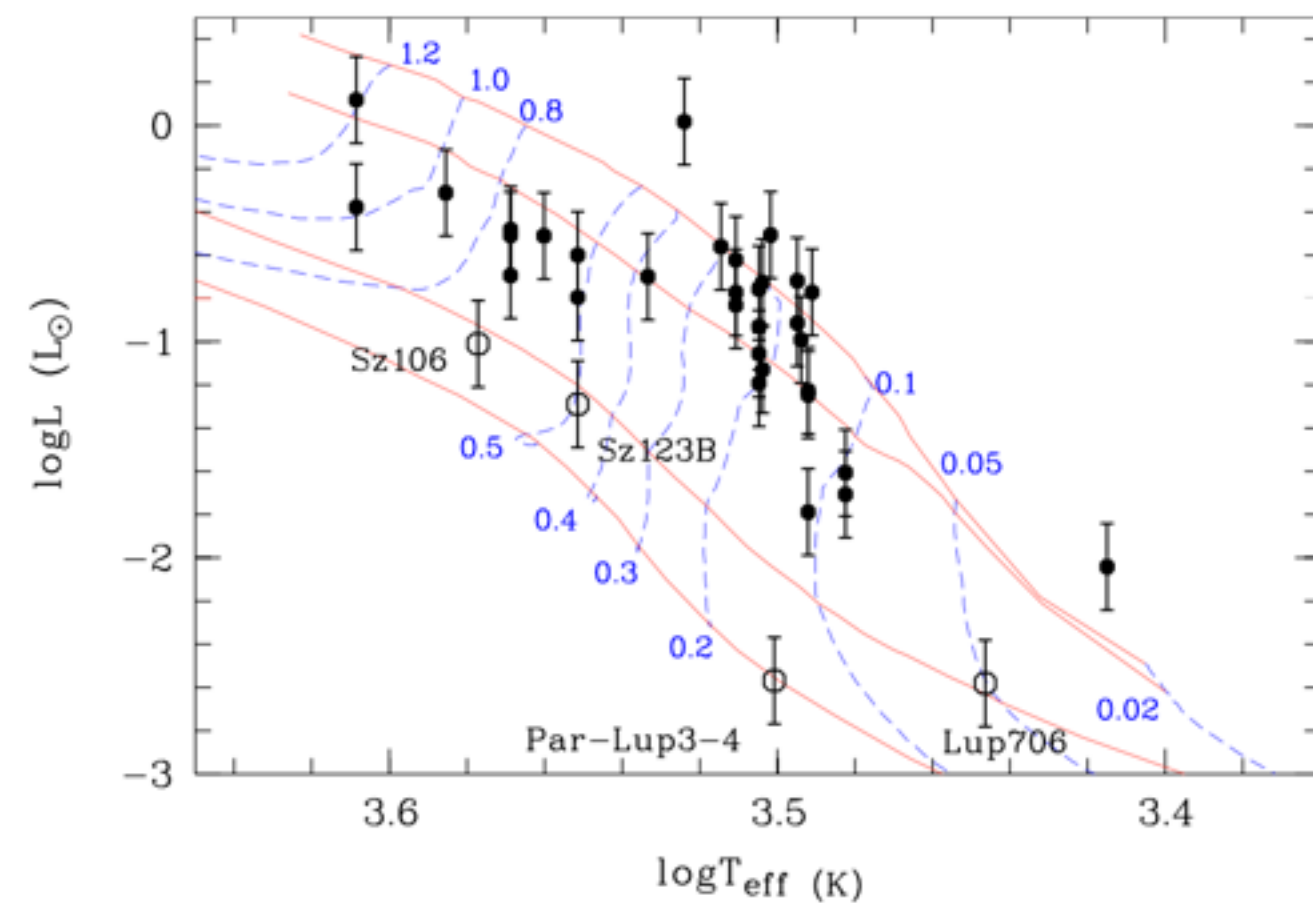
Large uncertainties on age, cluster membership and environment!

Herzsprung Russell diagram



Large uncertainties on age, cluster membership and environment!

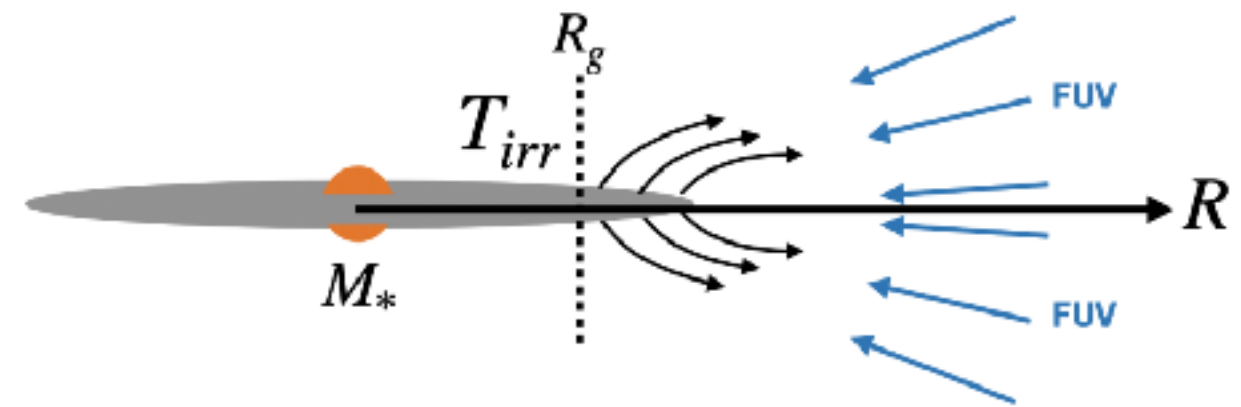
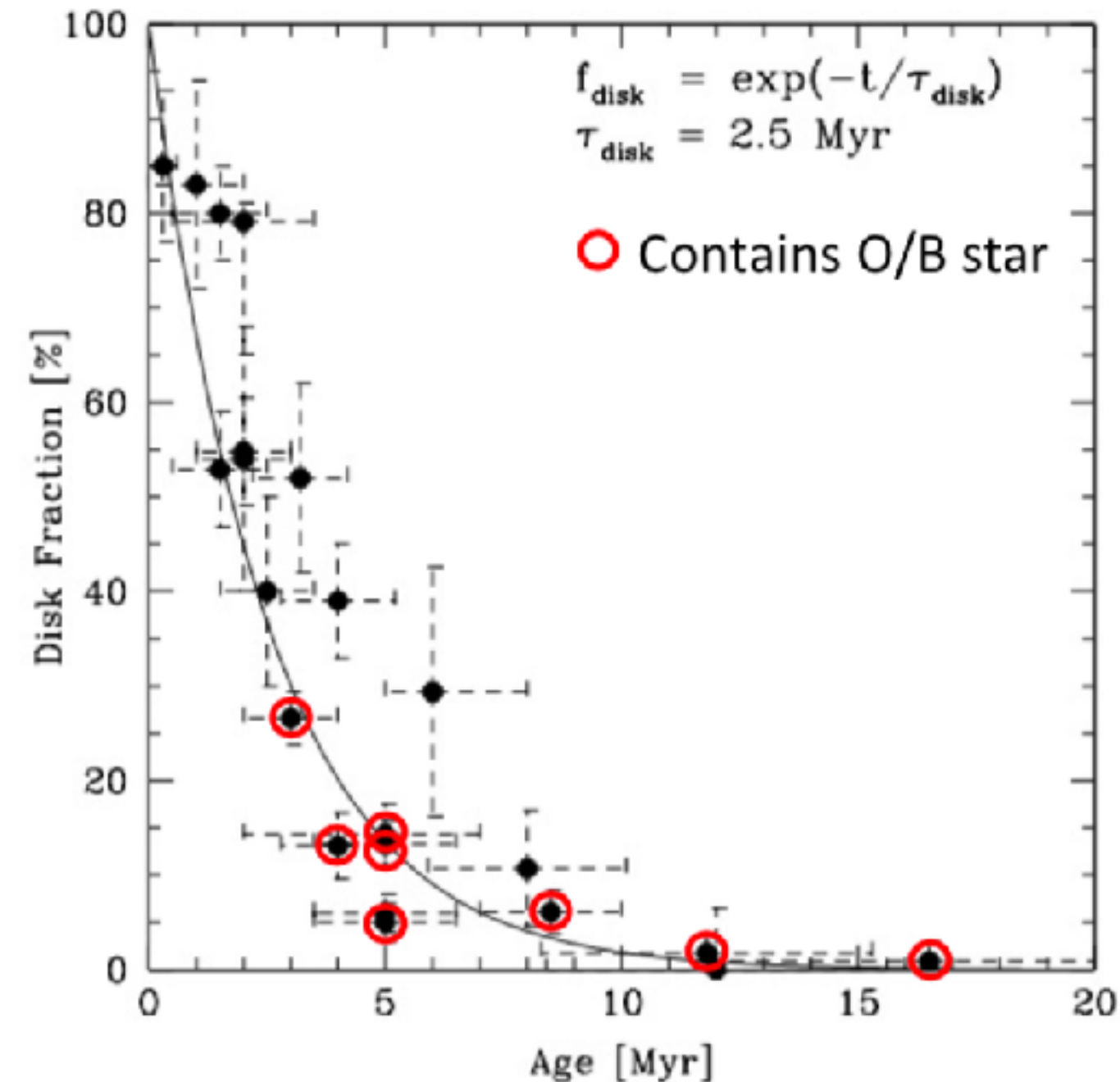
Isochrones of Lupus stars



Gaia DR2 (2018): individual parallax and proper motion of young stars in nearby clusters

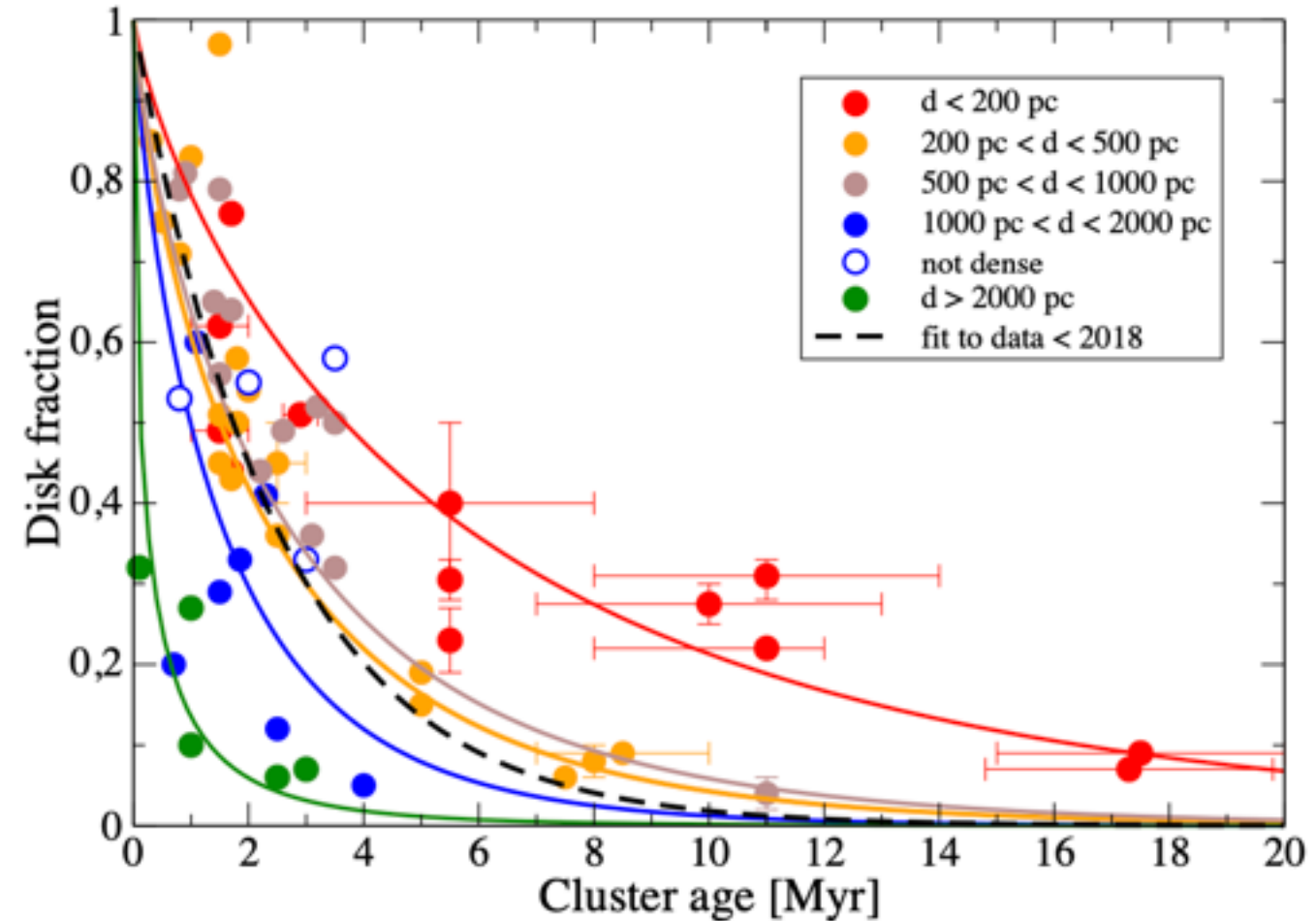
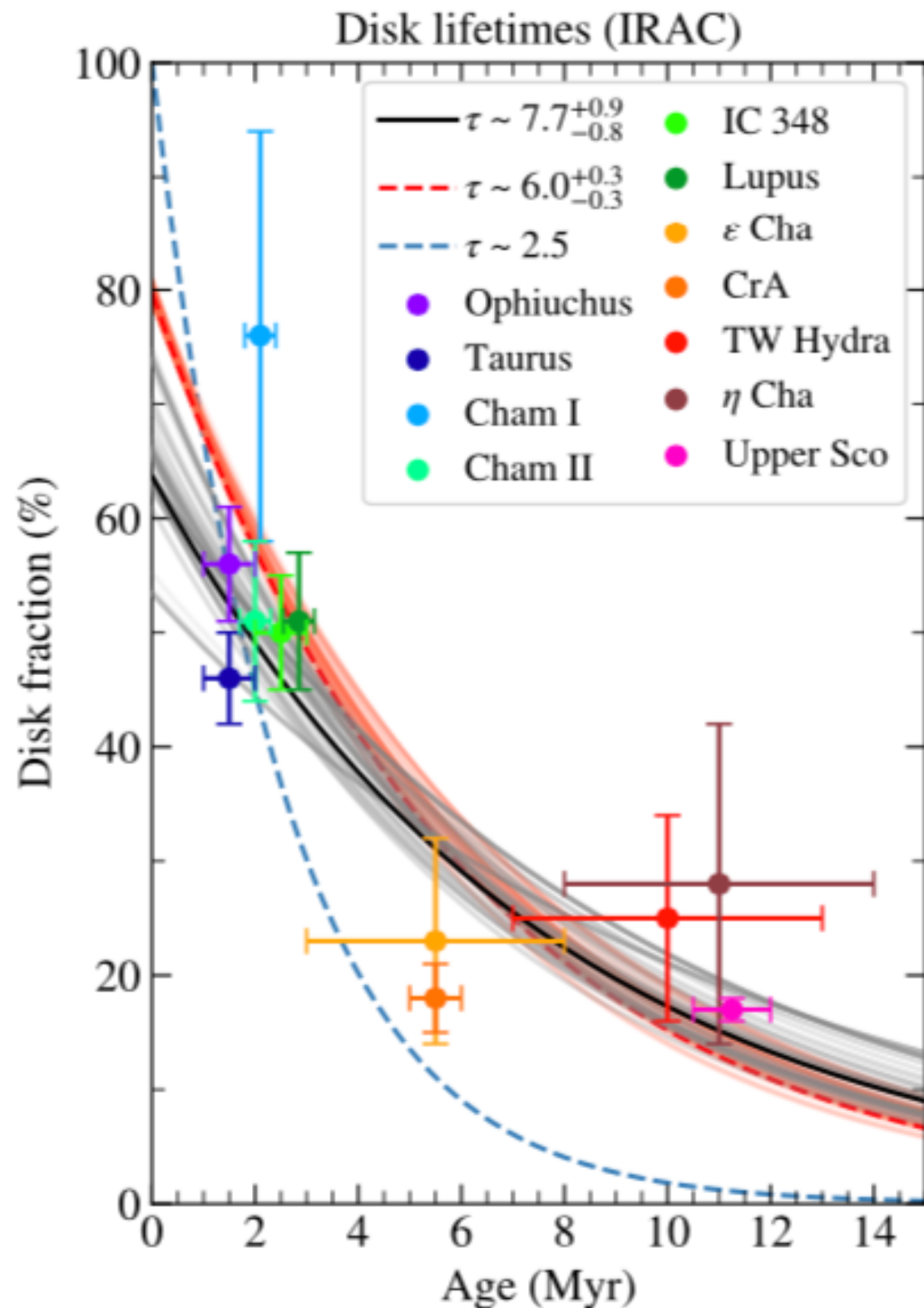


Environment?



Many of the clusters in these early studies contain an OB star, and their disk lifetime is thus affected by their environment

New disk lifetime

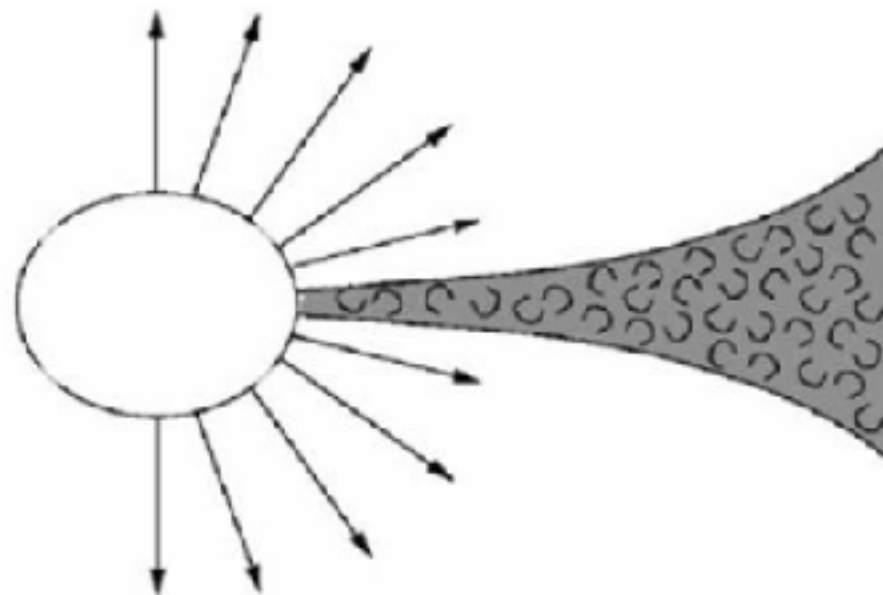


When only including the clusters without OB-stars, the disk lifetime is closer to 8 Myr!

**RECENT
RESULT!**

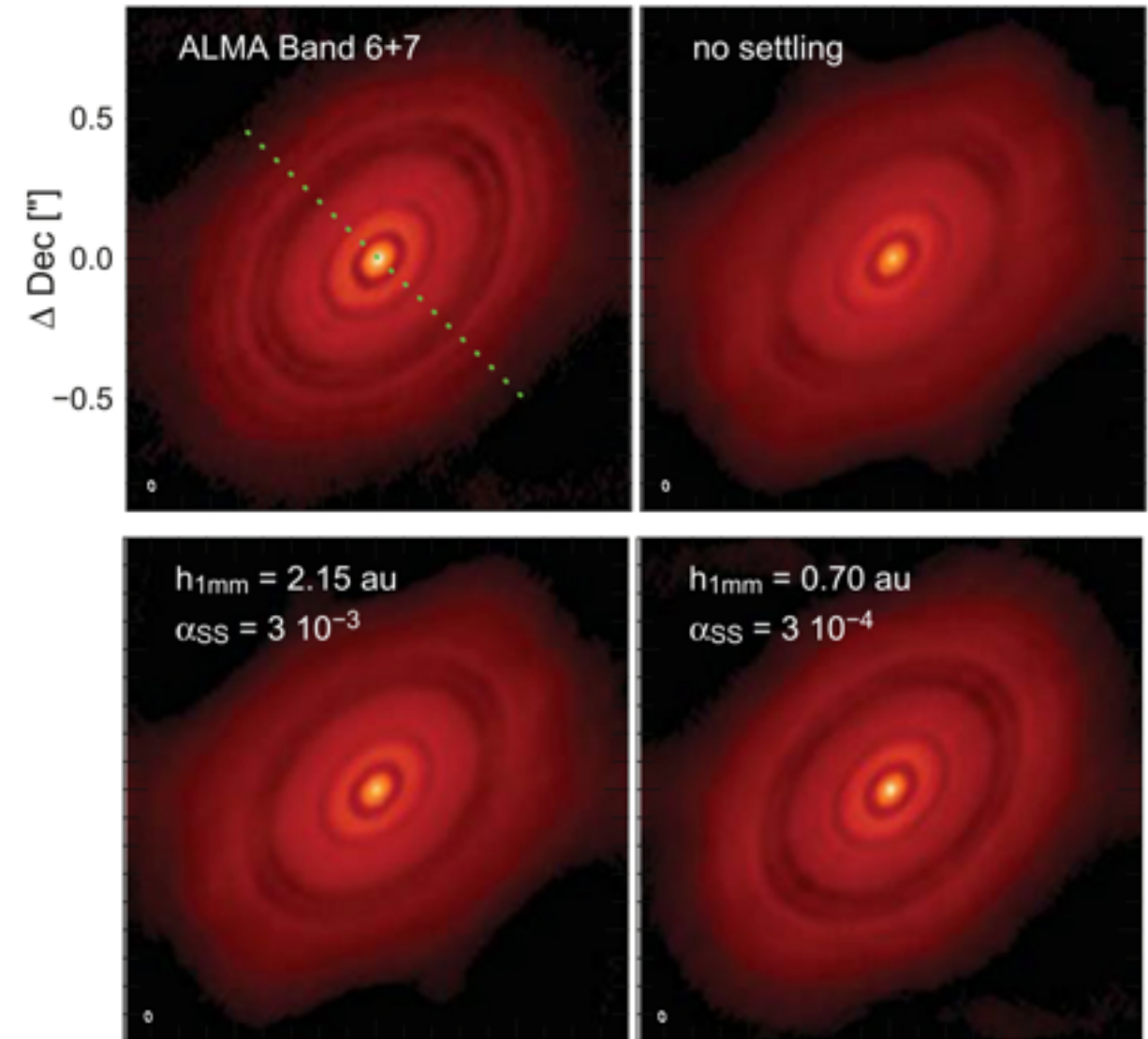
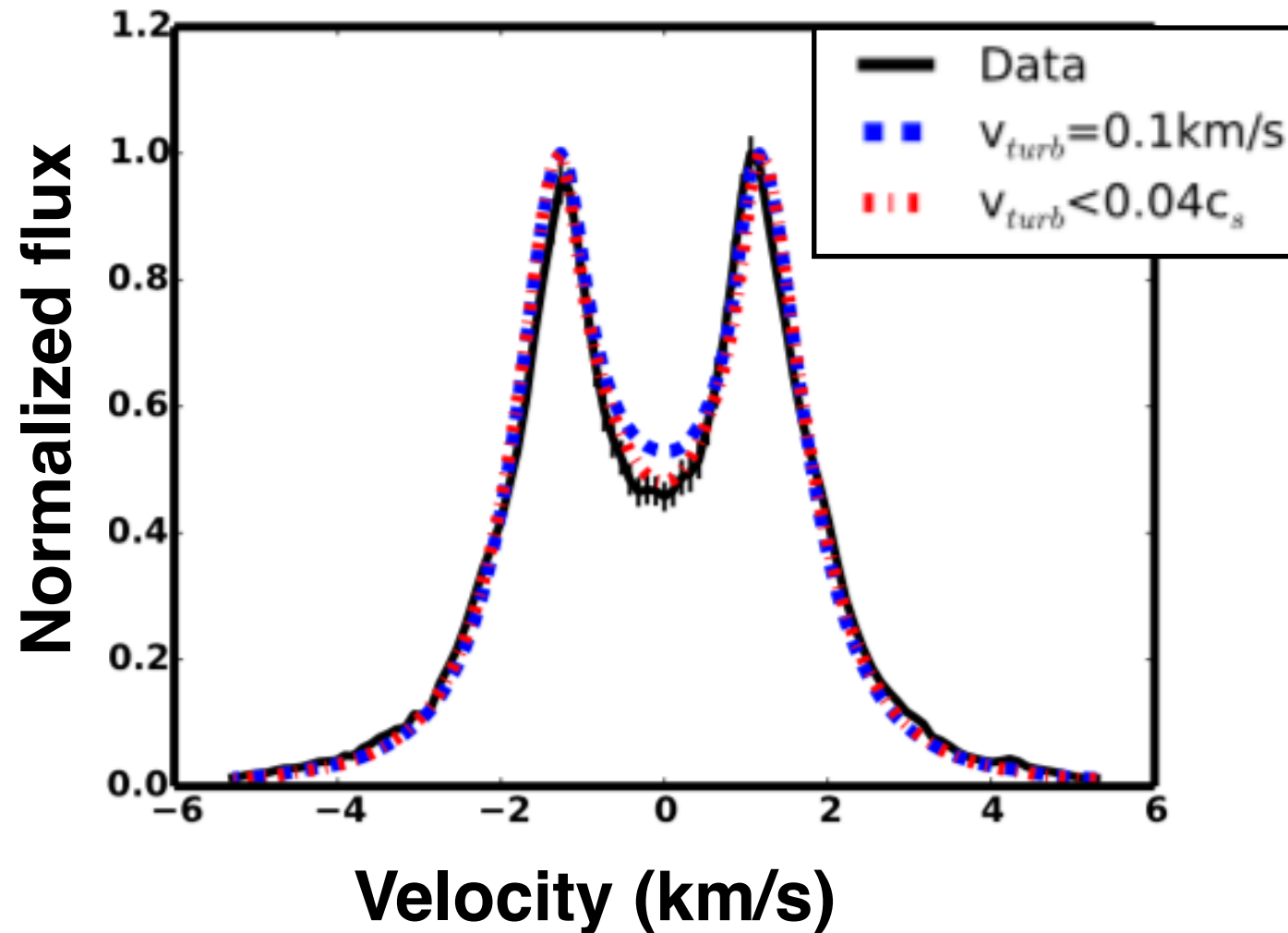
Turbulence

- Recall: parameter α_s (viscosity) used to parametrize the turbulence in the disk
- Hartmann et al. 1998: $\alpha_s \sim 10^{-2}$ consistent with observations.
- Turbulence parameter is important in many hydrodynamic and dust processes in the disk: many indirect constraints from observations



Line broadening and extreme dust settling

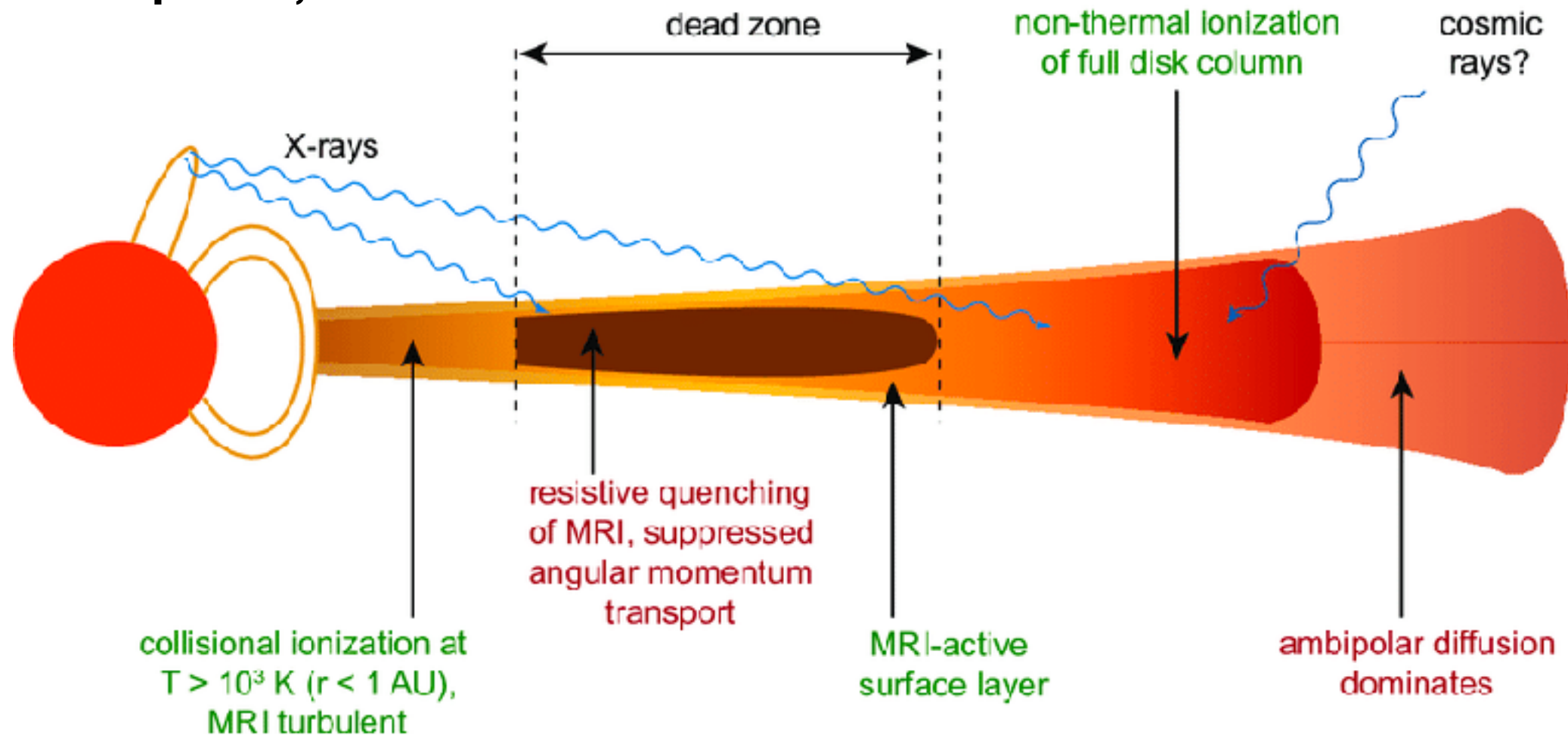
CO line profile: very little pressure broadening



Vertical height of mm grains:
very settled => very low vertical turbulence

MRI efficiency?

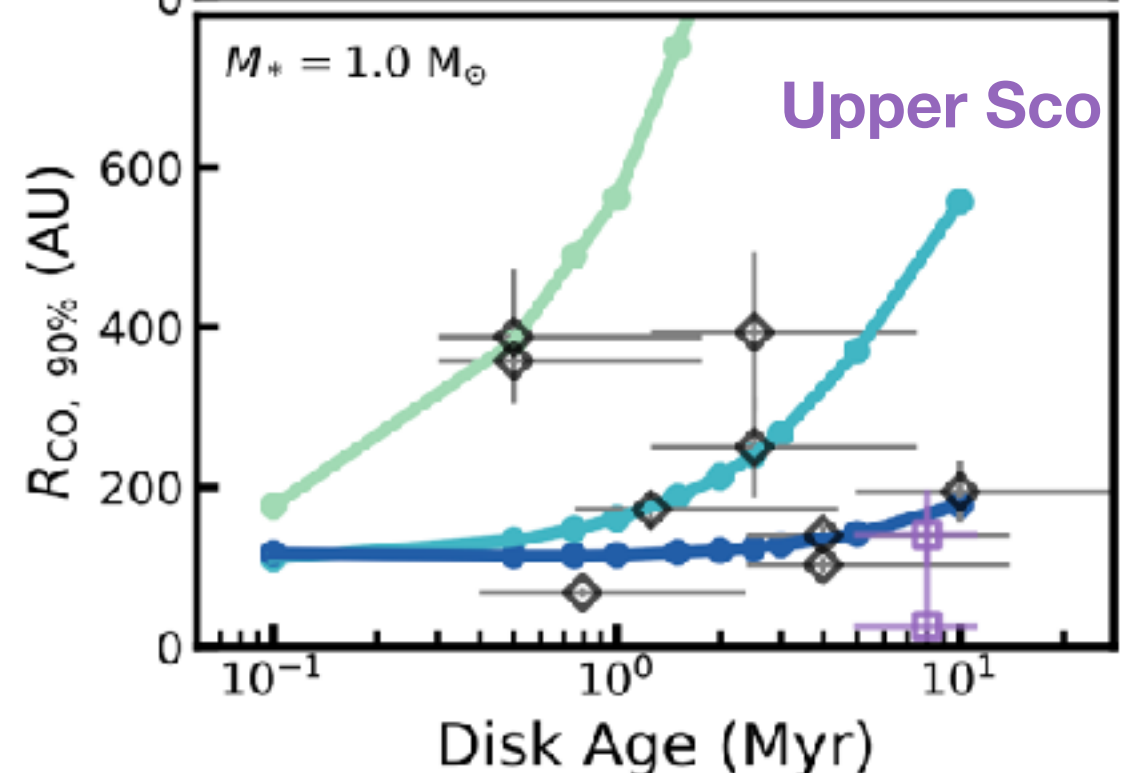
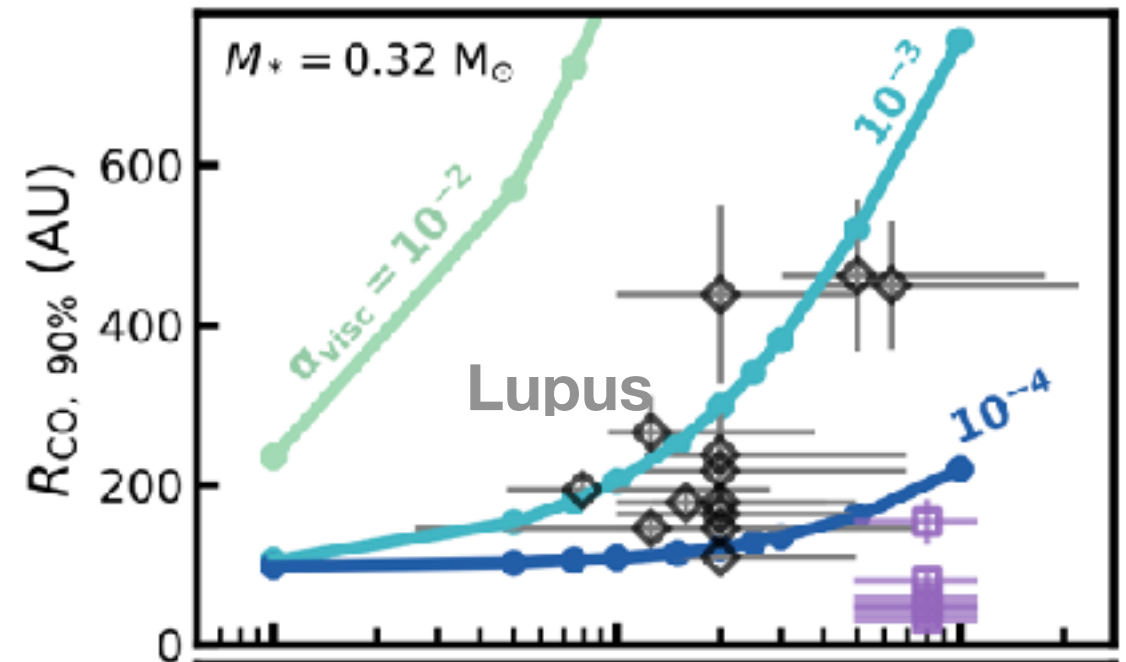
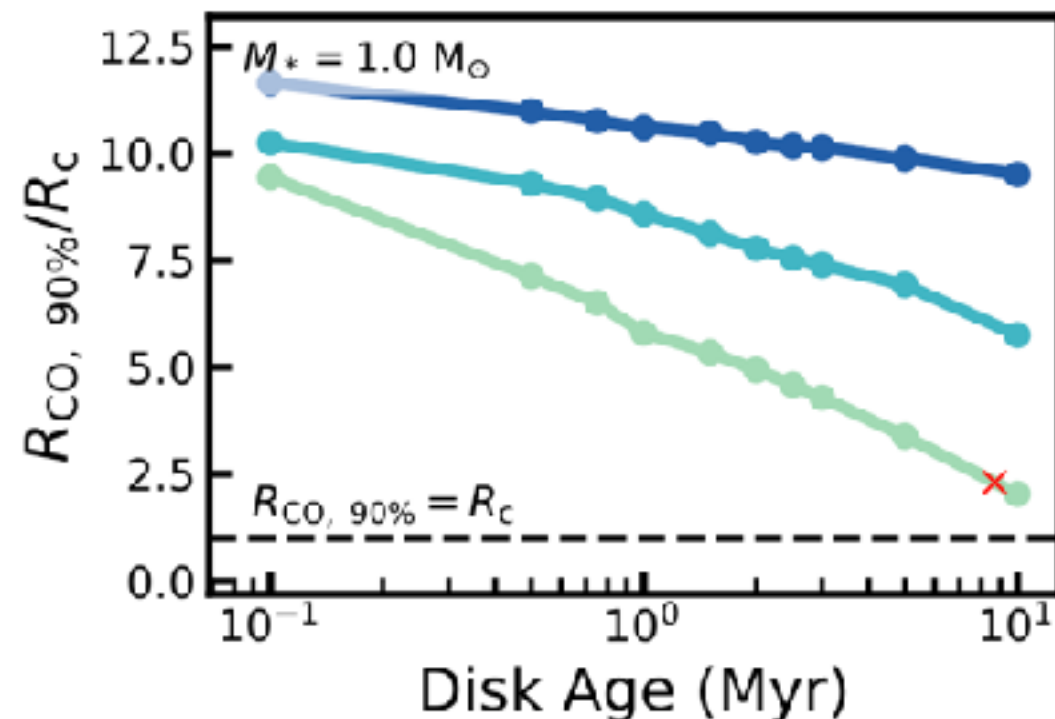
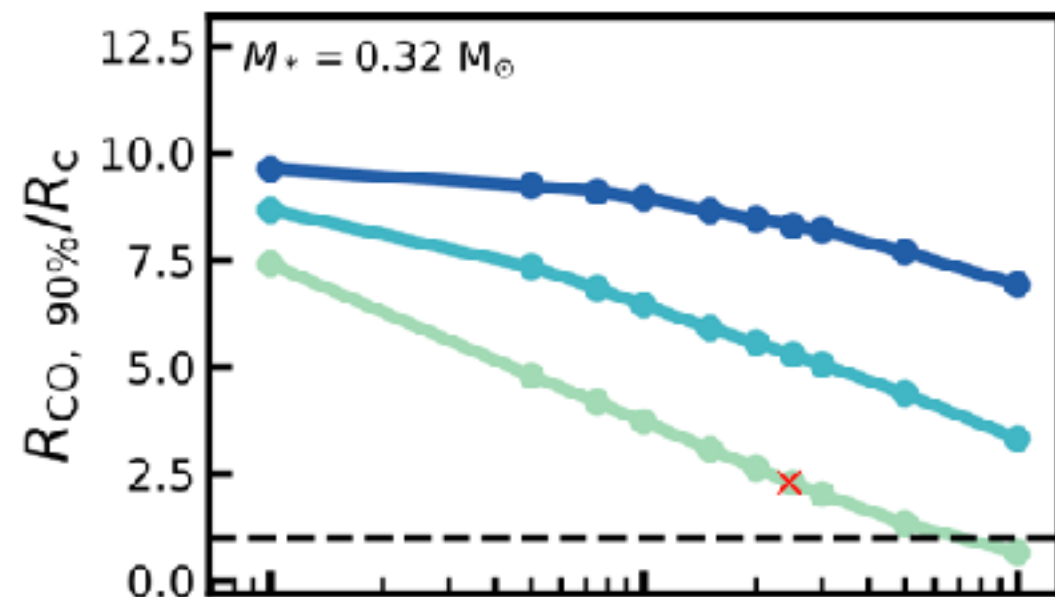
**Lower turbulence when including non-ideal
MHD effects in disks:
MRI only efficient
in simplified, ideal MHD conditions**



**If MRI is suppressed, the turbulence is naturally very low
and cannot transport angular momentum**

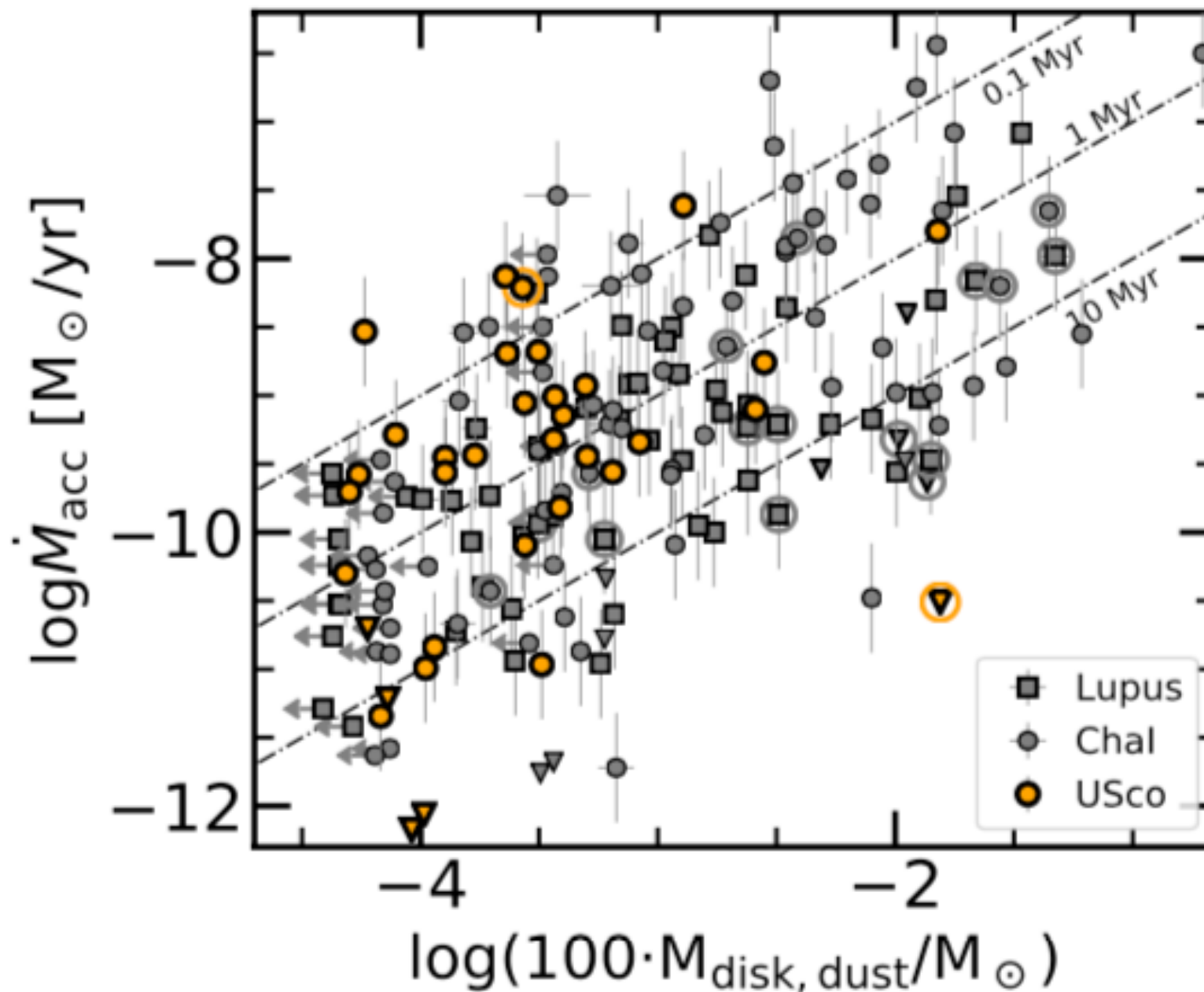
Evidence viscous spreading?

Using a viscous disk model to compute ^{12}CO emission (observable in disks with ALMA as gas disk size tracer)



CO observations appear to be consistent with $\alpha < \sim 10^{-3}$

Accretion rates over time



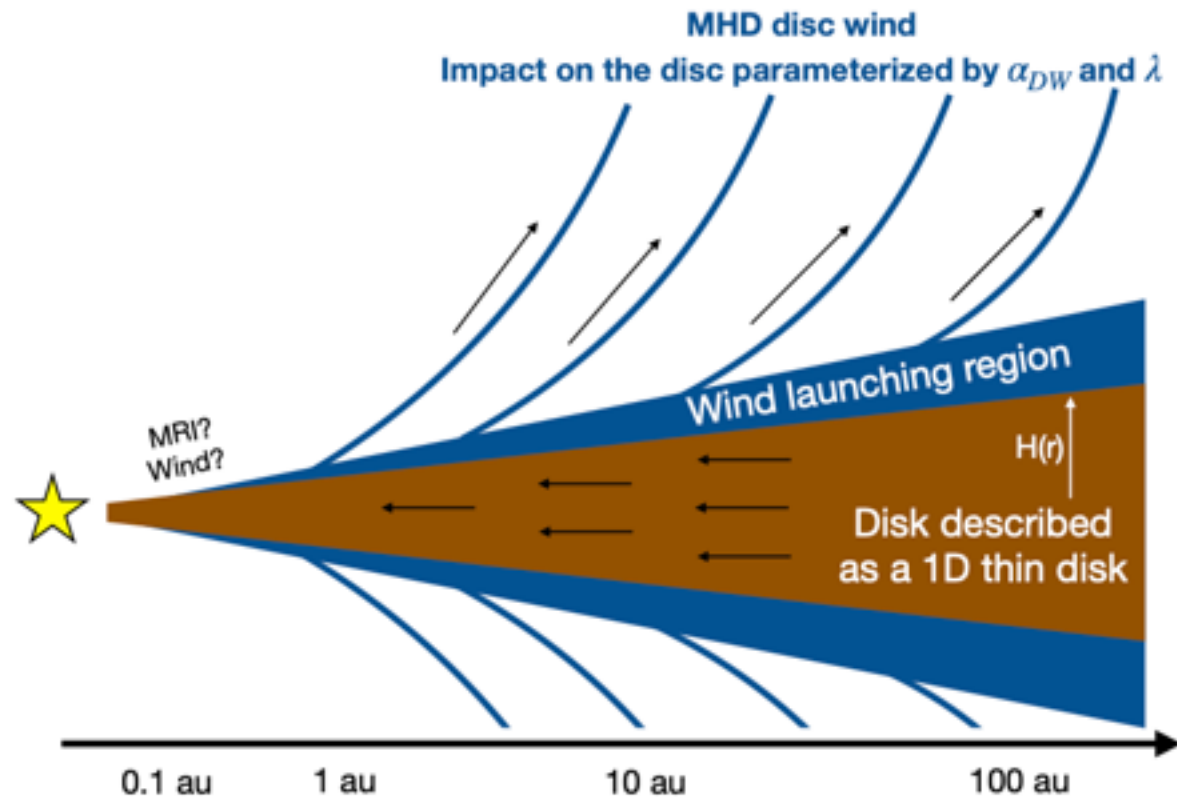
Accretion rates in young stars in Upper Sco region (10 Myr) are similar and equally scattered as those in Lupus: NO strong decrease over time as expected from viscous model?

(2 Myr)

(10 Myr)

Is there an alternative way to get rid of angular momentum?

Alternative: MHD disk wind model



Old viscous model:

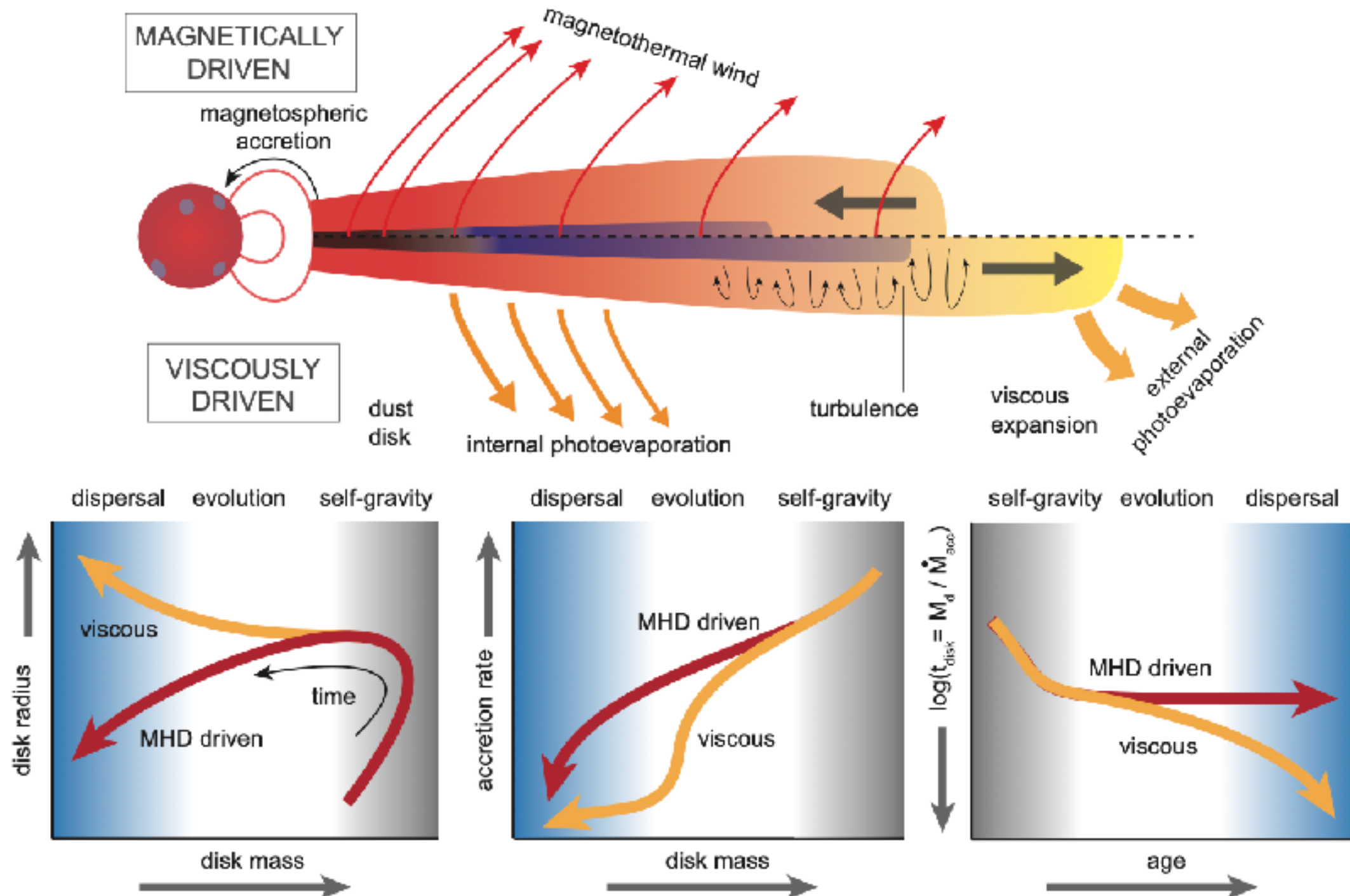
$$\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial t} - \frac{3}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left[r^{1/2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} (\Sigma \nu r^{1/2}) \right]$$

New terms:

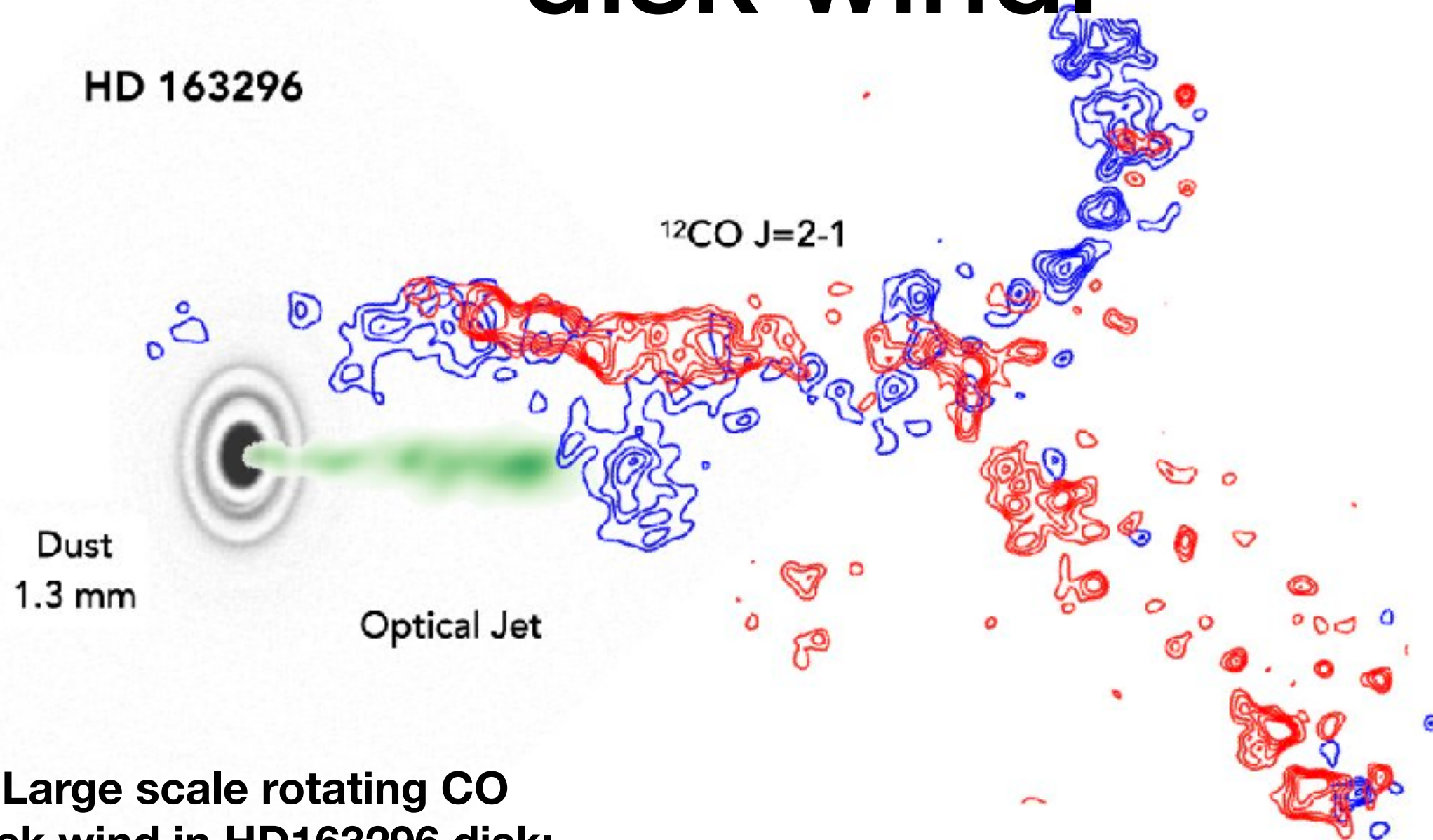
$$\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial t} = \frac{3}{2r} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} \left(\frac{\alpha_{DW} \Sigma c_s^2}{\Omega} \right) - \frac{3\alpha_{DW} \Sigma c_s^2}{4(\lambda - 1)r^2 \Omega}.$$

$$\lambda \equiv \frac{L}{r\Omega(r)}$$

Differences between viscous and MHD wind



Observational evidence disk wind!

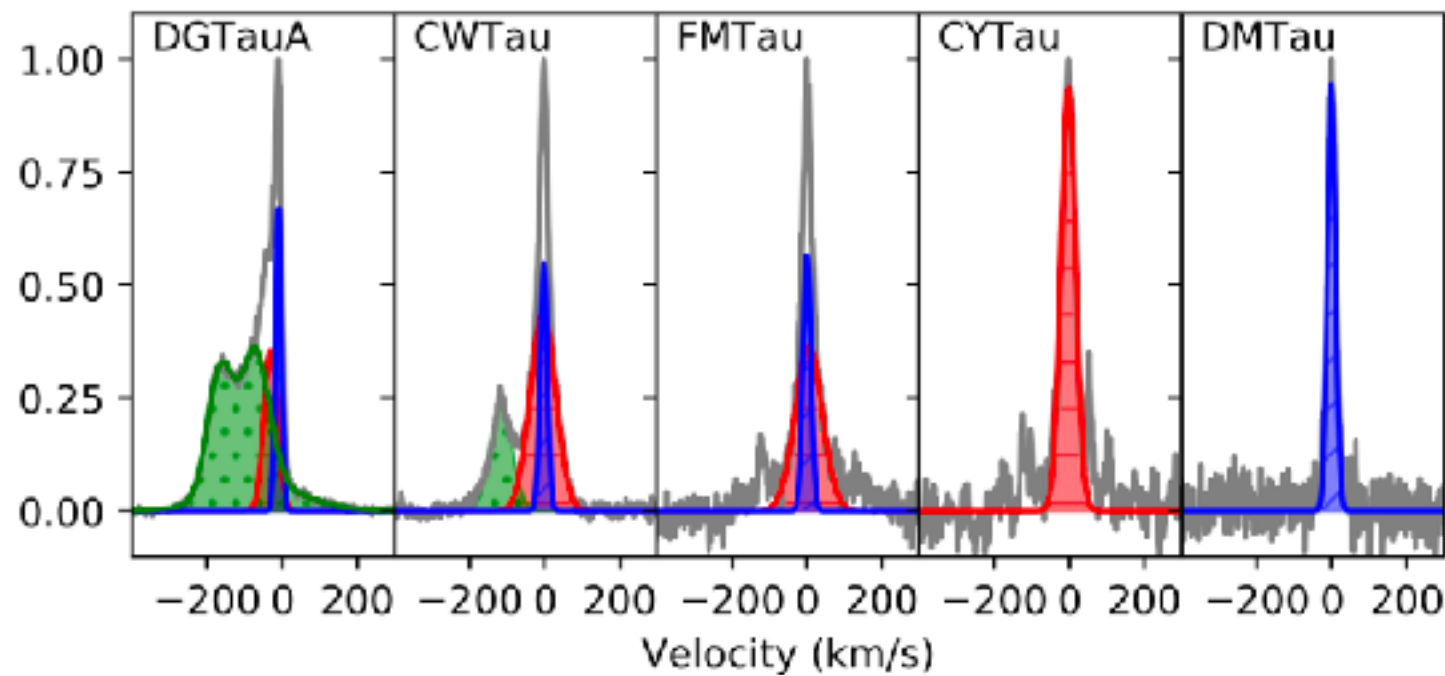
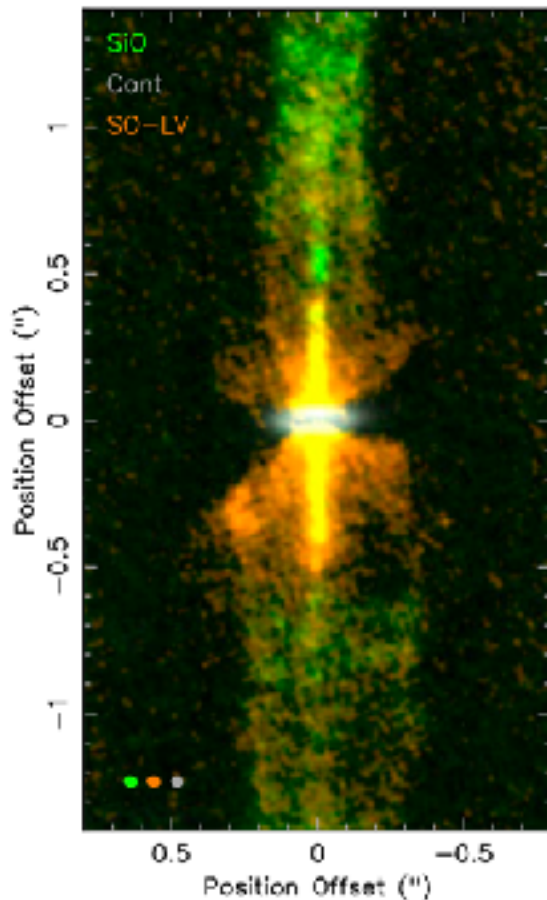


**Large scale rotating CO
disk wind in HD163296 disk:
Mass-loss rate is $\sim 10^{-6} M_{\text{sun}} \text{ yr}^{-1}$,
5-50 times the accretion rate:
Such a large ratio is consistent
with MHD disk wind,
not photo evaporative wind**

**So far, this is the only one, but
this is the brightest
protoplanetary disk by far with
such deep CO observations...**

Disk winds

Spectrally resolved [OI] λ 6300 profiles



Property	Class 0	Class I	Class II
$\dot{M}_{\text{acc}}$ ($M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$)	$\sim 10^{-5} - 10^{-6}$	$\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-9}$	$\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-12}$
R_{gas} (au)	$\lesssim 50 - 300$	$\lesssim 50 - 700$	$\lesssim 20 - 600$

Jets (HVC)

molecular tracers	CO, SiO, SO, H ₂	H ₂	H ₂
atomic tracers	[S II], [Fe II]	H α , [O I], [S II], [Fe II]	H α , [O I], [S II], [Fe II]
semi-opening angle ($^{\circ}$)	$\sim 1 - 4$	$\sim 1 - 4$	$\sim 1 - 5$
$\dot{M}_{\text{jet}}$ ($M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$)	$\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-7}$	$\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-8}$	$\sim 10^{-7} - 10^{-10}$
$\dot{M}_{\text{jet}}/\dot{M}_{\text{acc}}$	~ 0.2	$\sim 0.2 - 0.1$	~ 0.1

Winds (LVC)

molecular tracers	SO, SO ₂	H ₂ , CO	H ₂ , CO
atomic tracers	unknown	[O I], [S II]	[O I], [S II]
semi-opening angle ($^{\circ}$)	$\sim 20 - 45$	$\sim 20 - 40$	$\sim 25 - 35$
$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}}$ ($M_{\odot}/\text{yr}$)	$\sim 10^{-5} - 10^{-7}$	$\sim 10^{-6} - 10^{-7}$	$\sim 10^{-8} - 10^{-11}$
$\dot{M}_{\text{wind}}/\dot{M}_{\text{acc}}$	~ 1	~ 1	$\sim 0.1 - 1$
Specific AM* (au km/s)	20-100	40-250	20-300
r_{geom}^* (au)	20-120	7-40	5-10
r_{MCW}^* (au)	0.3-40	0.8-32	0.5-3

Many detections of winds, both low- and high-velocity in many different lines:
no clear picture yet on origin

Summary gas evolution

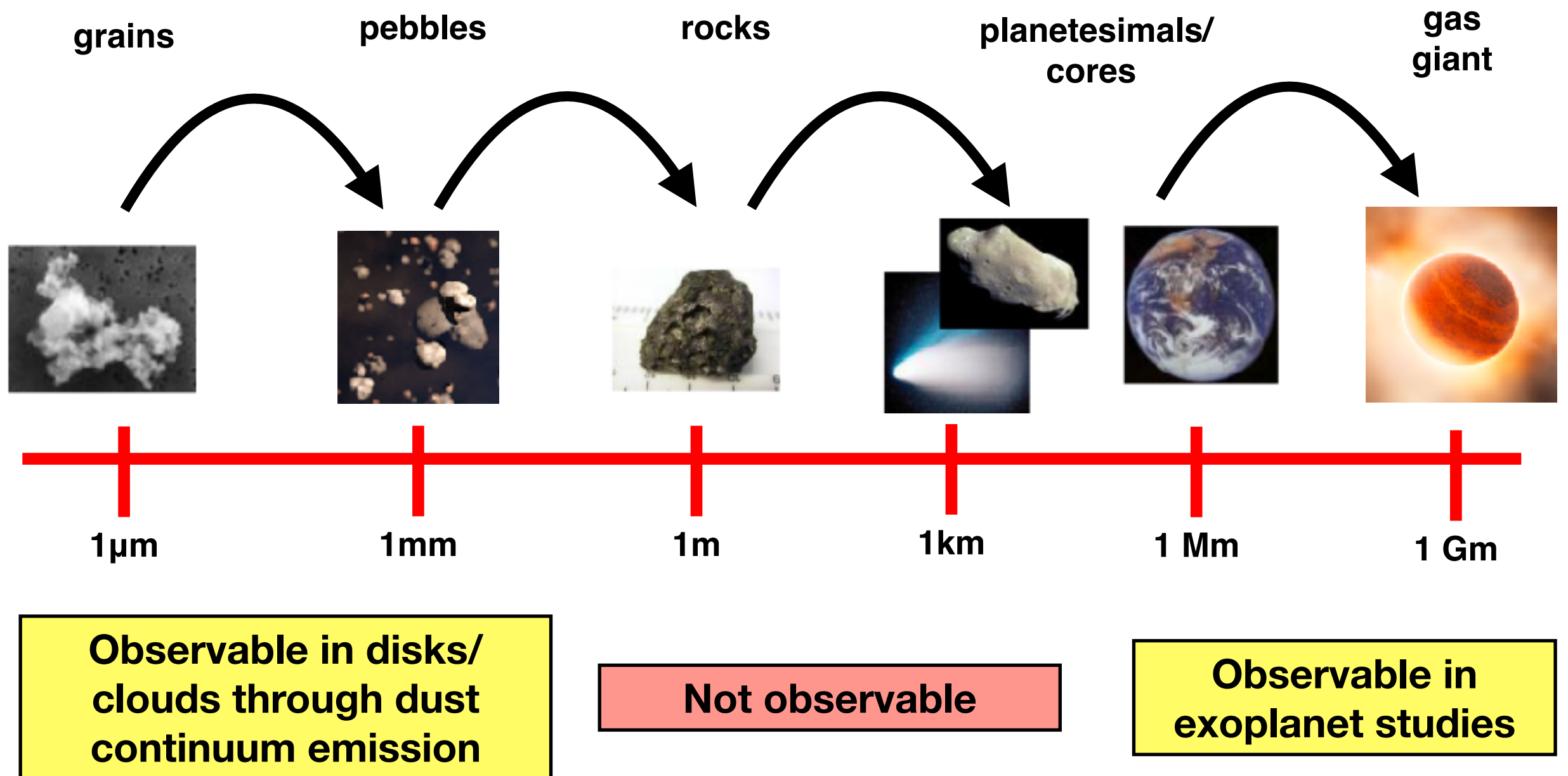
- Gas disk difficult to trace and disk evolution still poorly understood
- Many studies use the classical viscous disk model with high α and longer disk lifetimes, which may not be valid
- Important to remember that mm-dust does not follow the gas as the result of dust evolution (coming up...)

The image shows a vast number of dust grains, ranging from tiny specks to larger, more complex clumps. The grains are illuminated from the upper left, creating bright highlights and deep shadows that emphasize their irregular, porous, and sometimes aggregated structures. The background is a deep, dark blue-black, making the illuminated grains stand out. The overall composition suggests a dynamic environment where dust is constantly evolving through processes like coagulation and fragmentation.

Dust evolution

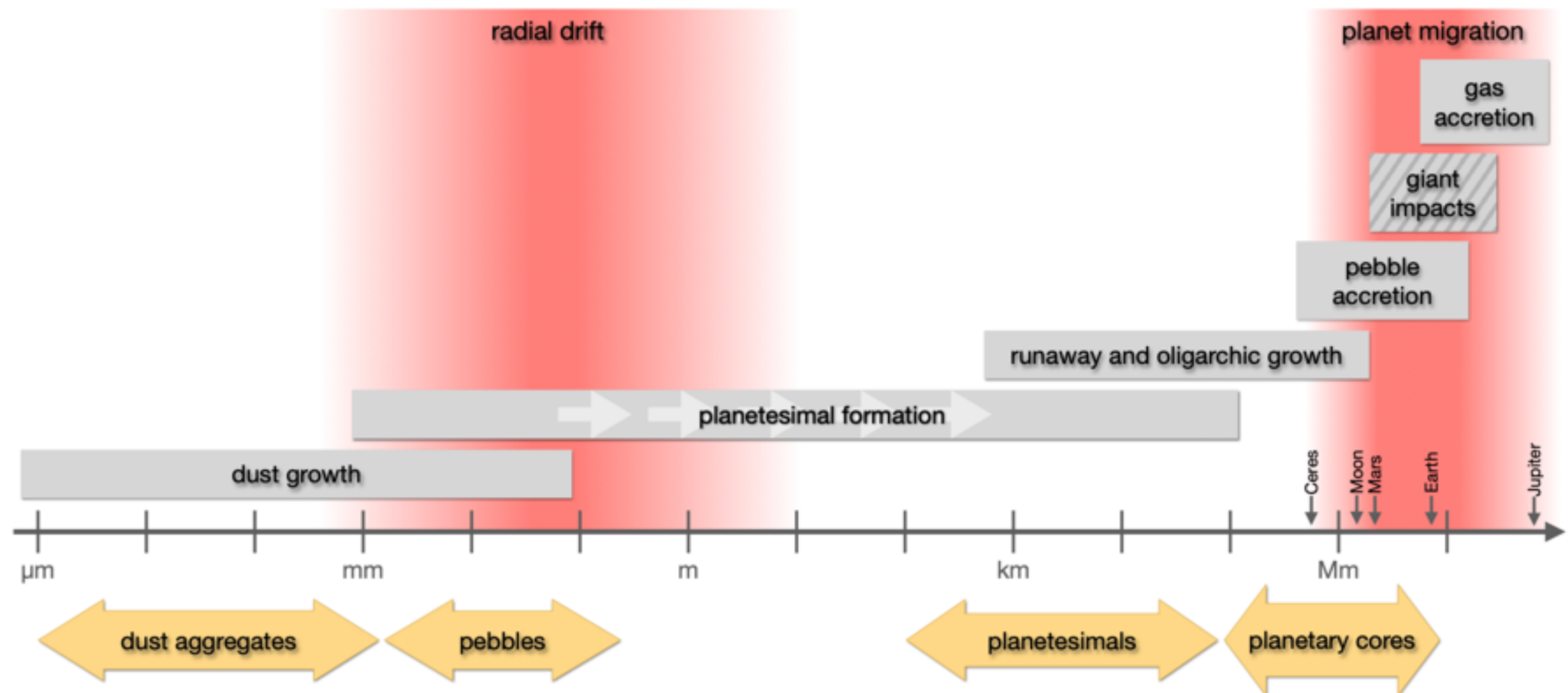
Dust growth

In order to form planets you have to grow many orders of magnitude....



Planet formation process

...and growth happens in many steps which are often analysed separately



Today we just focus on the growth of pebbles in disks: next steps towards planet formation on Friday!

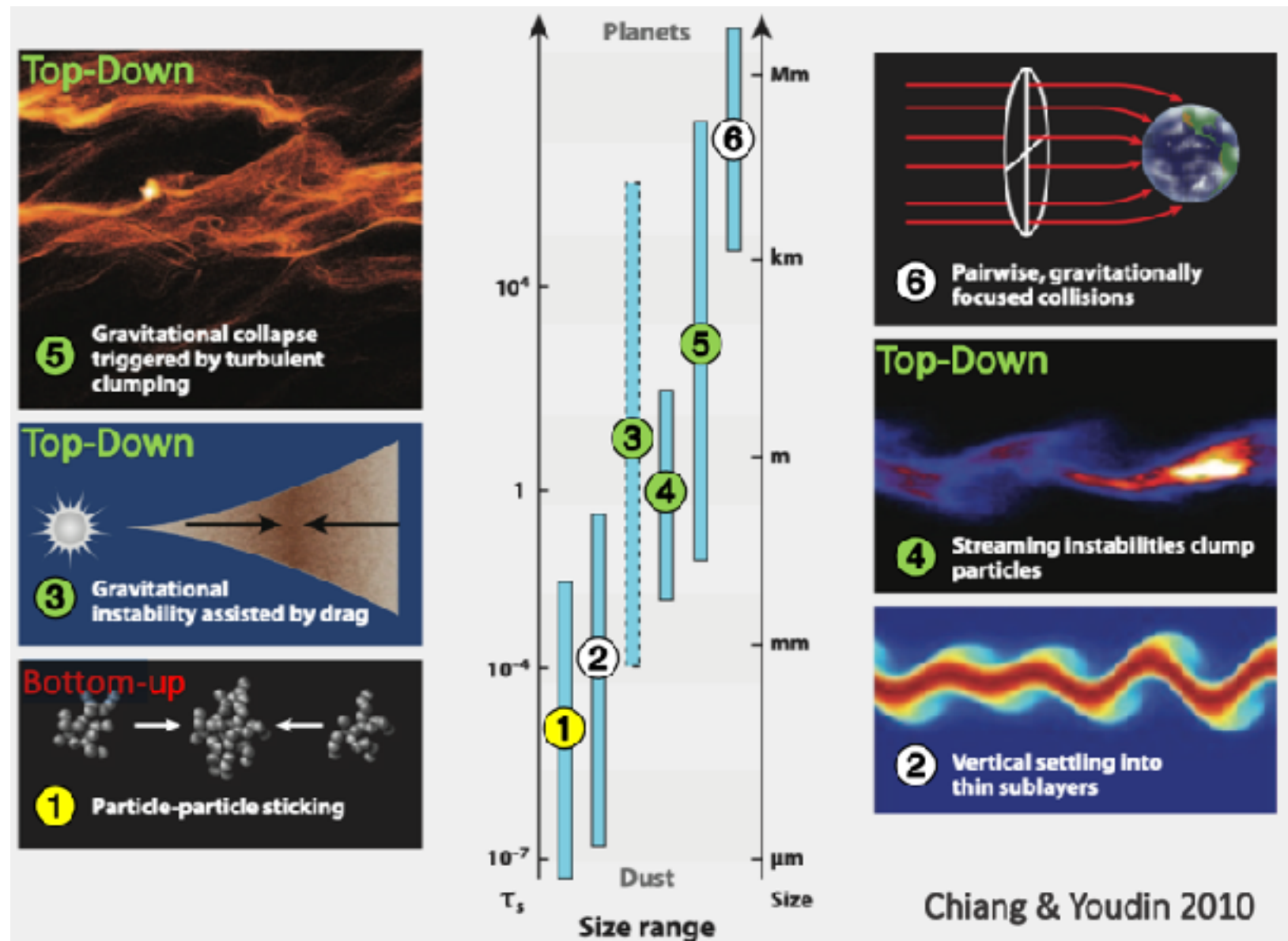
Dust growth

Bottom-up:

Dust evolution (coagulation, fragmentation,...,with several barriers incl. drift, fragmentation, bouncing, ...)

Top-Down:

Gravitational collapse of pebble clouds to form planetesimals



Coagulation through collisions

- Coagulation/sticking:
 - Van der Waals forces
 - Electrostatic/magnetic forces
 - Hysteresis (low-velocity)
- What determines outcome collision?
 - Composition (incl. ices)
 - Monomer size distribution
 - Structure (porous, compact, fractal)
 - Impact velocity
- What determines collision frequency?
 - Cross section
 - Number density
 - Relative velocities

**=> many of these efficiencies
figured out
by lab experiments!**

Possible outcomes of collisions

Collisions do not always lead to growth

Sticking (S)



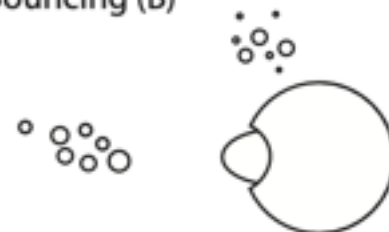
Sticking (S)

Bouncing (B)



Bouncing (B)

Mass Transfer (MT)



Mass Transfer (MT)

Fragmentation (F)

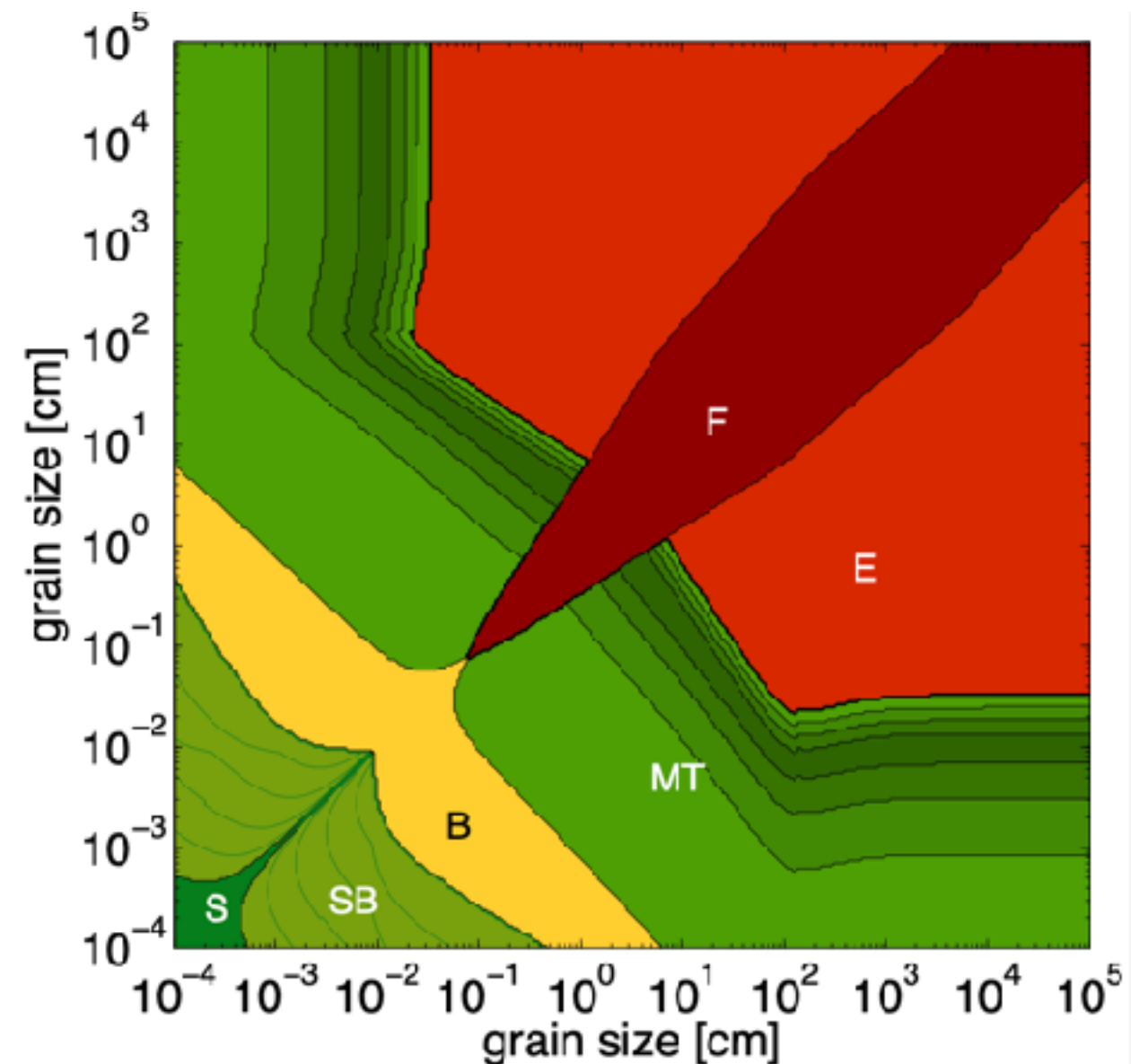


Fragmentation (F)

Erosion (E)

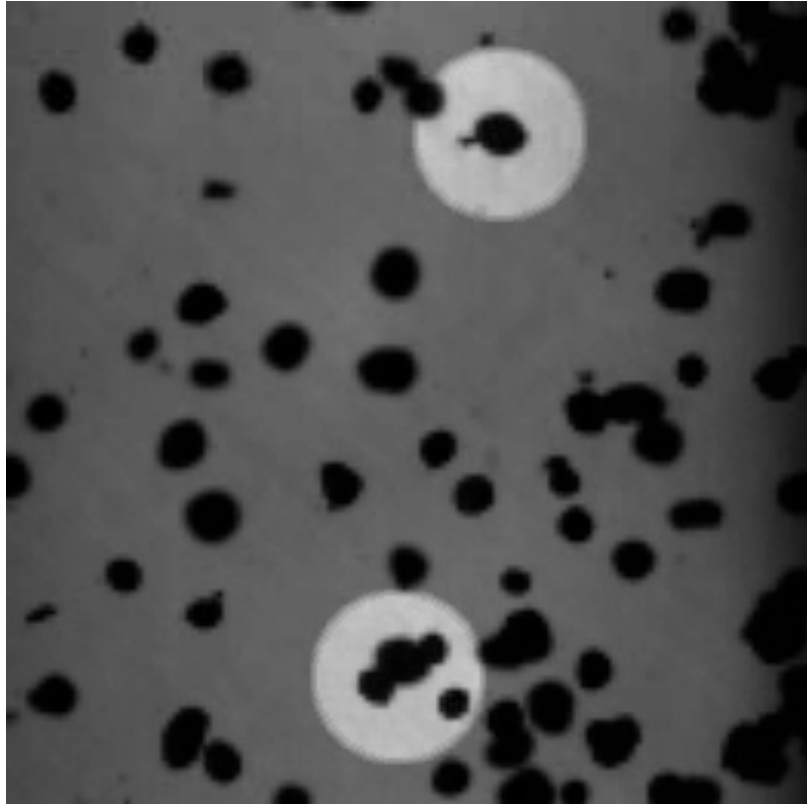


Erosion (E)

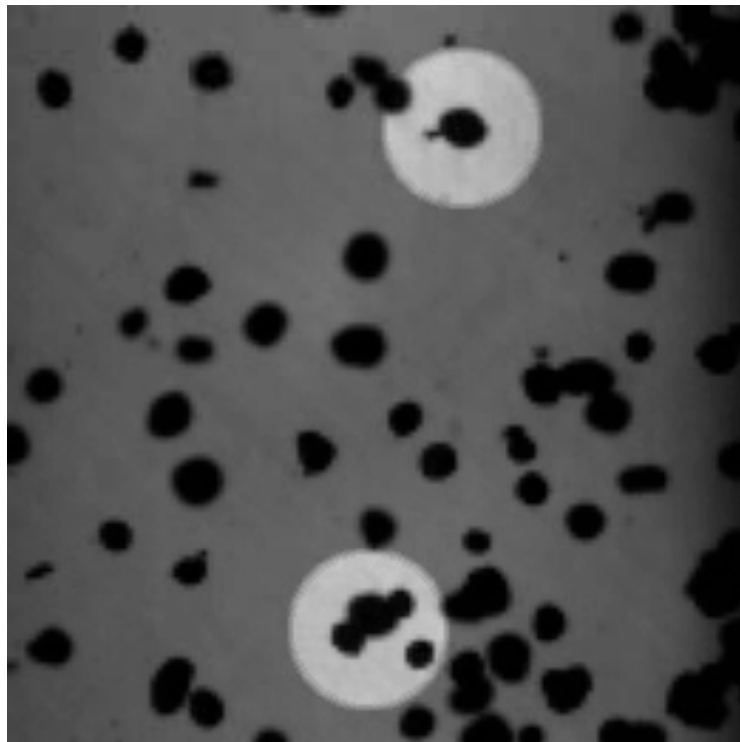


Collision outcome

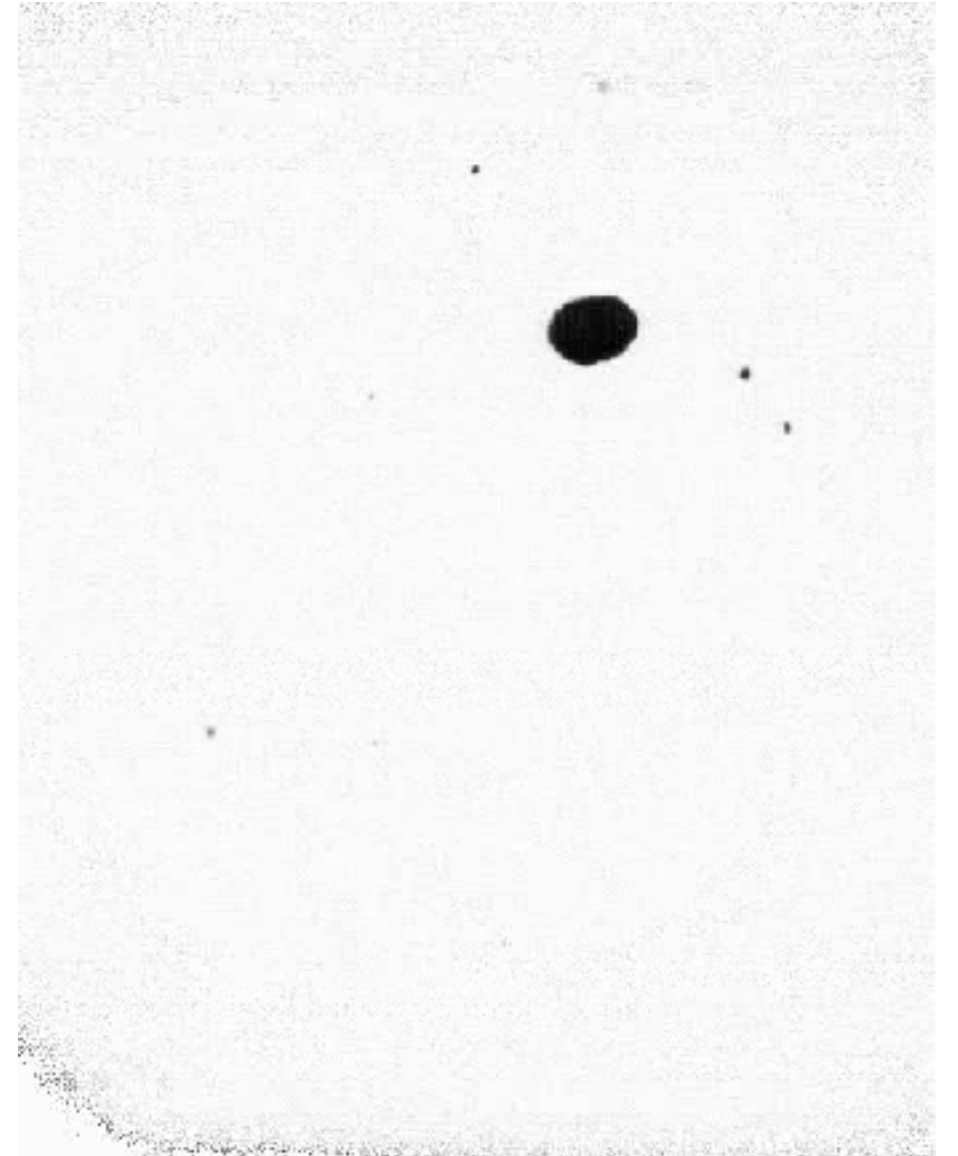
Sticking



Bouncing

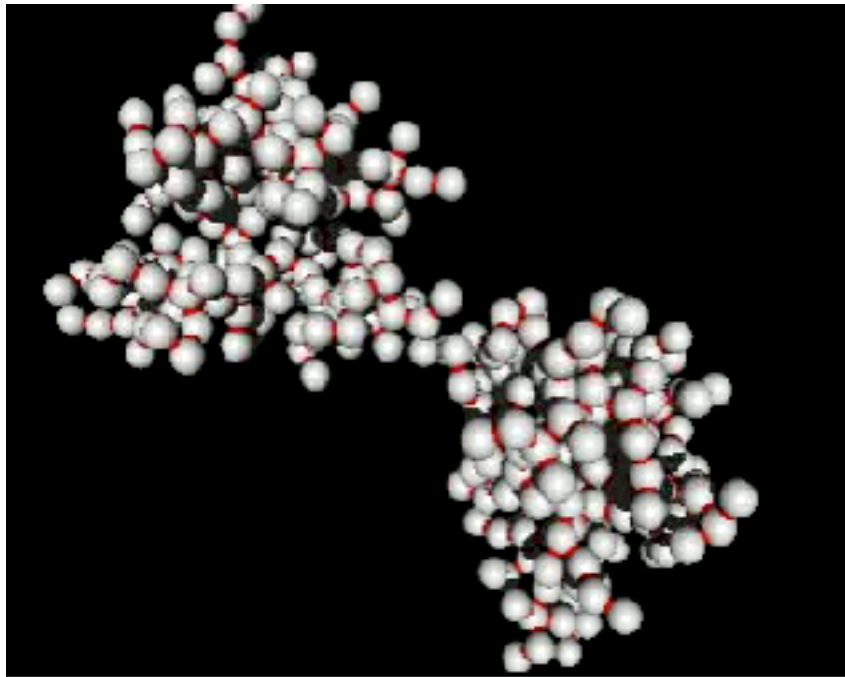


Fragmentation

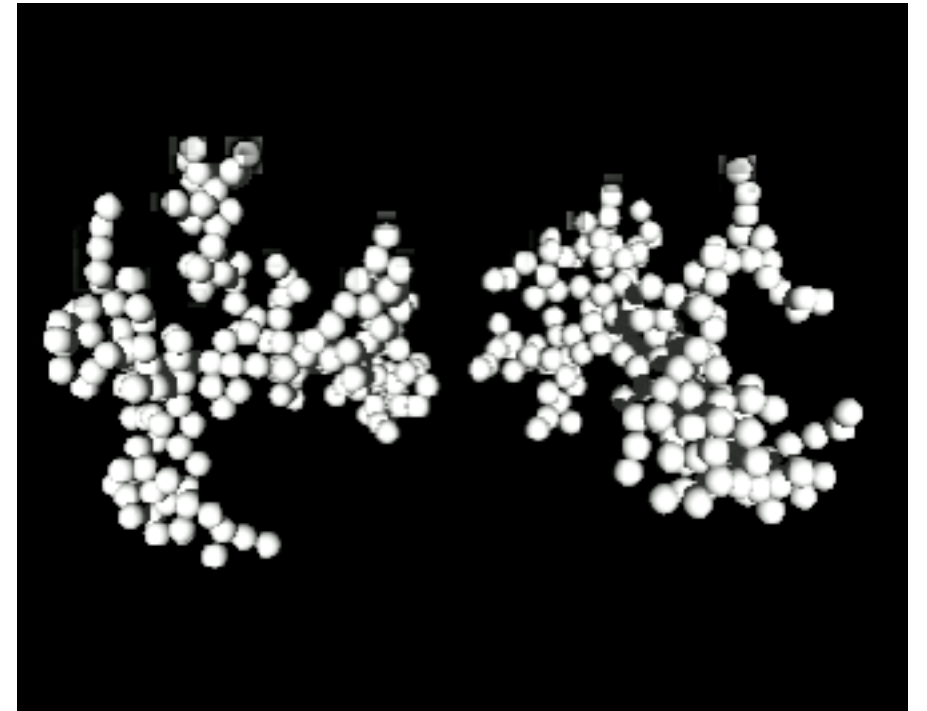


Collision outcome

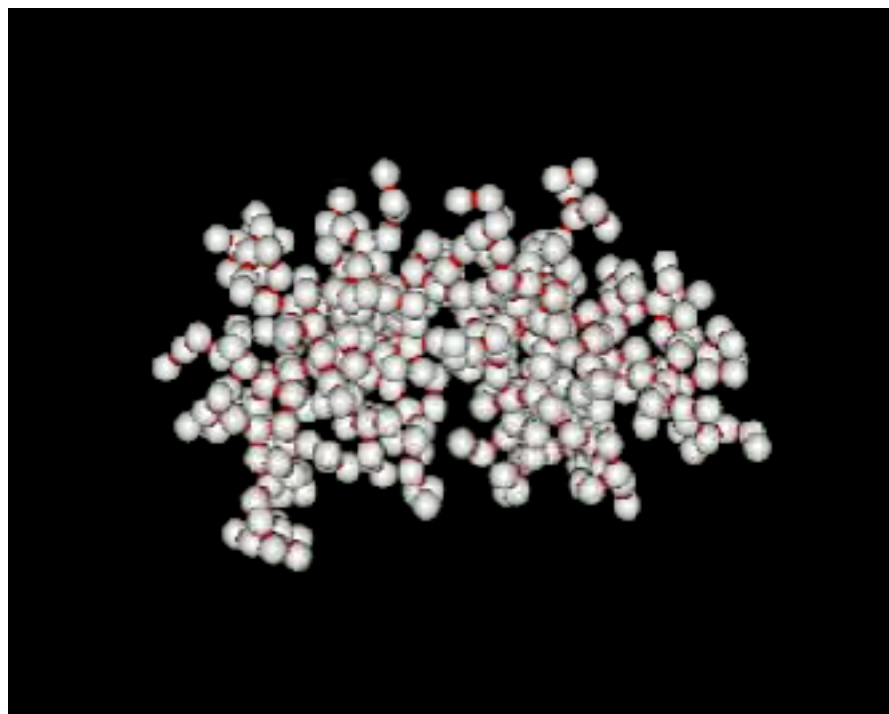
Also numerical work, particularly
of fractal structures!



**Coagulation &
compactification**



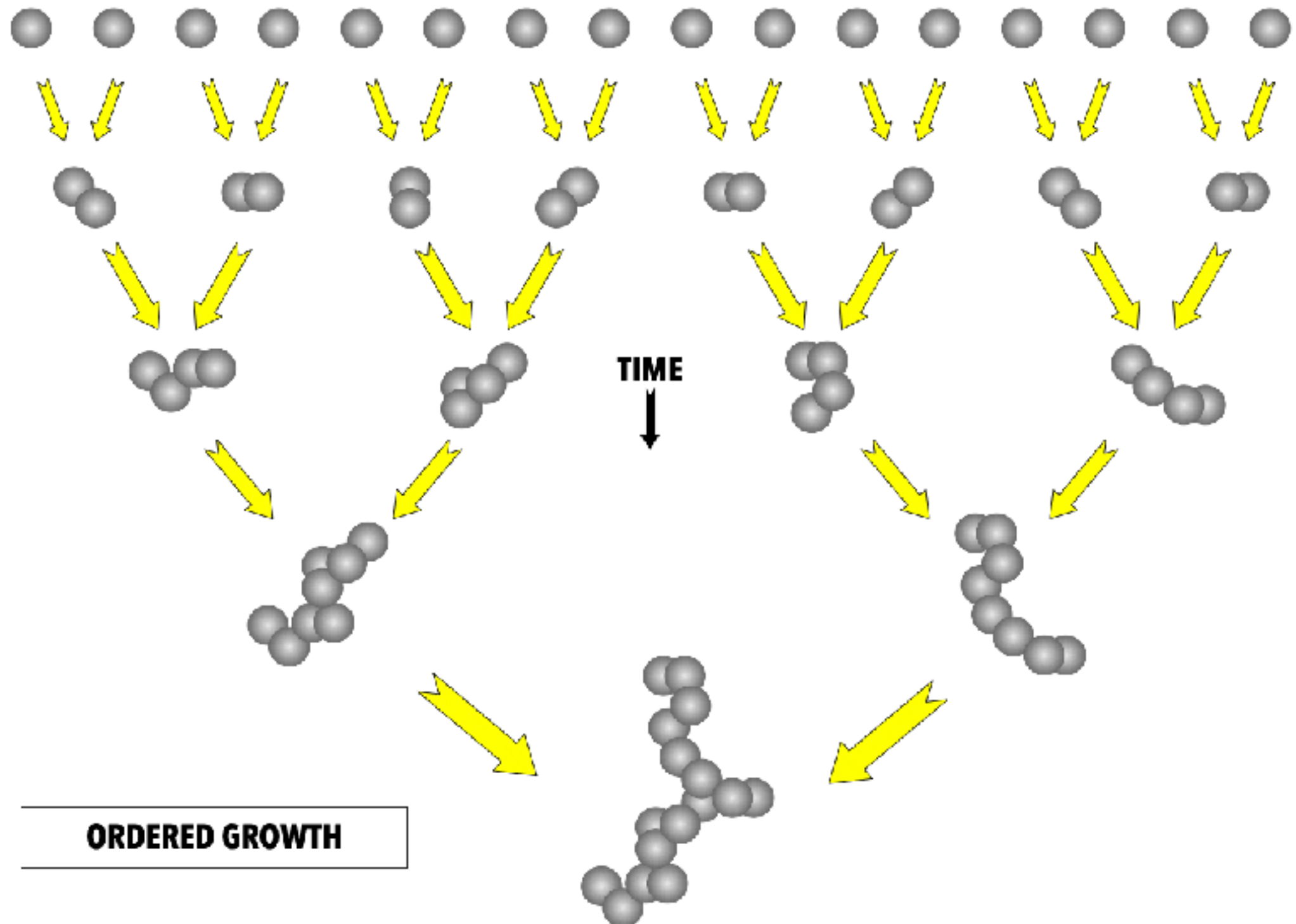
Fragmentation



Courtesy of Paola Pinilla

Dust growth

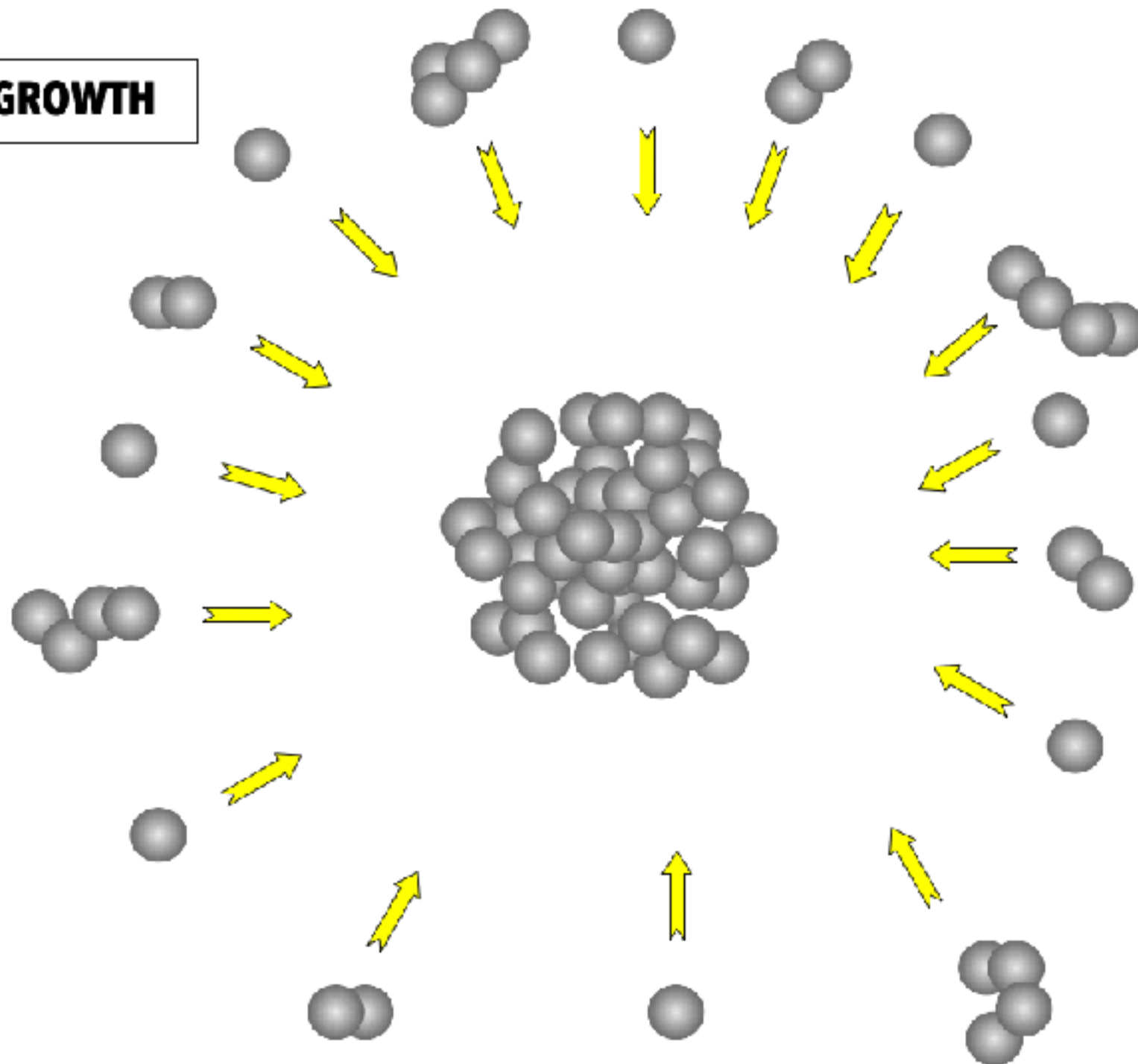
Small dust grains: ordered growth



Dust growth

As soon as you have some larger dusty embryos: polydisperse growth

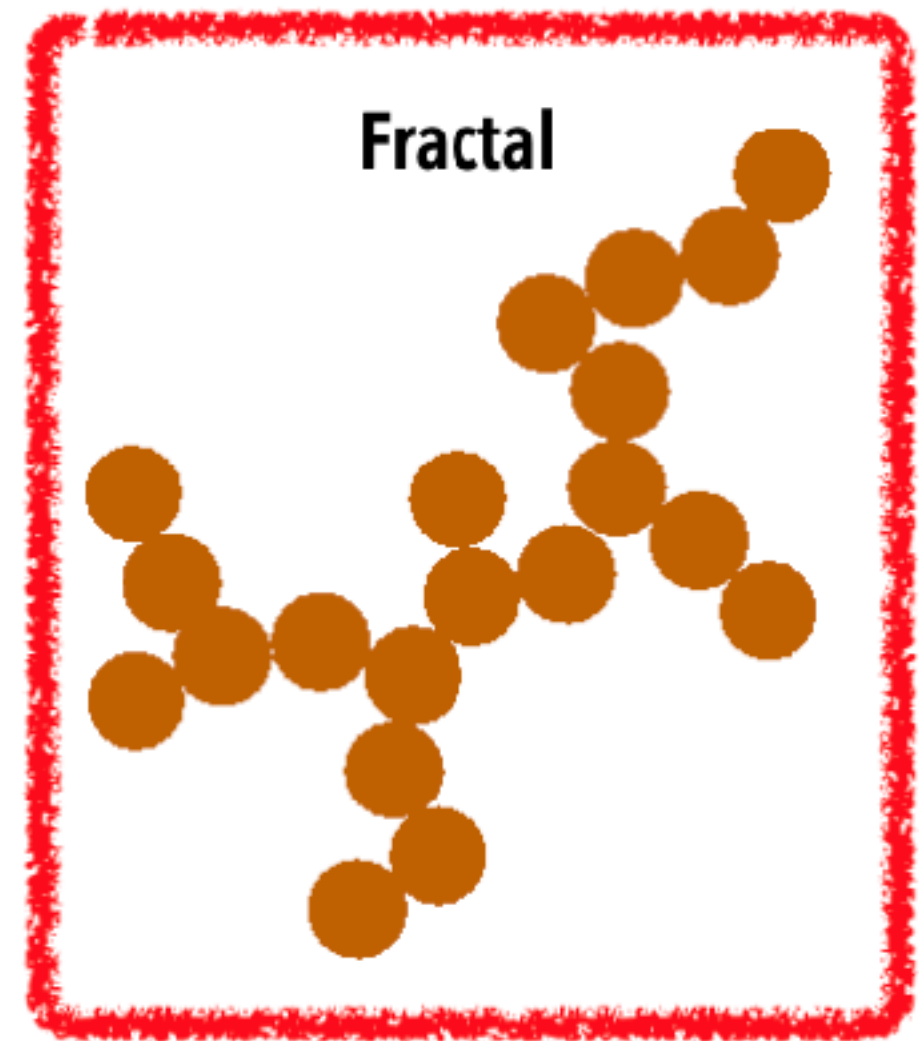
POLYDISPERSE GROWTH



Dust growth

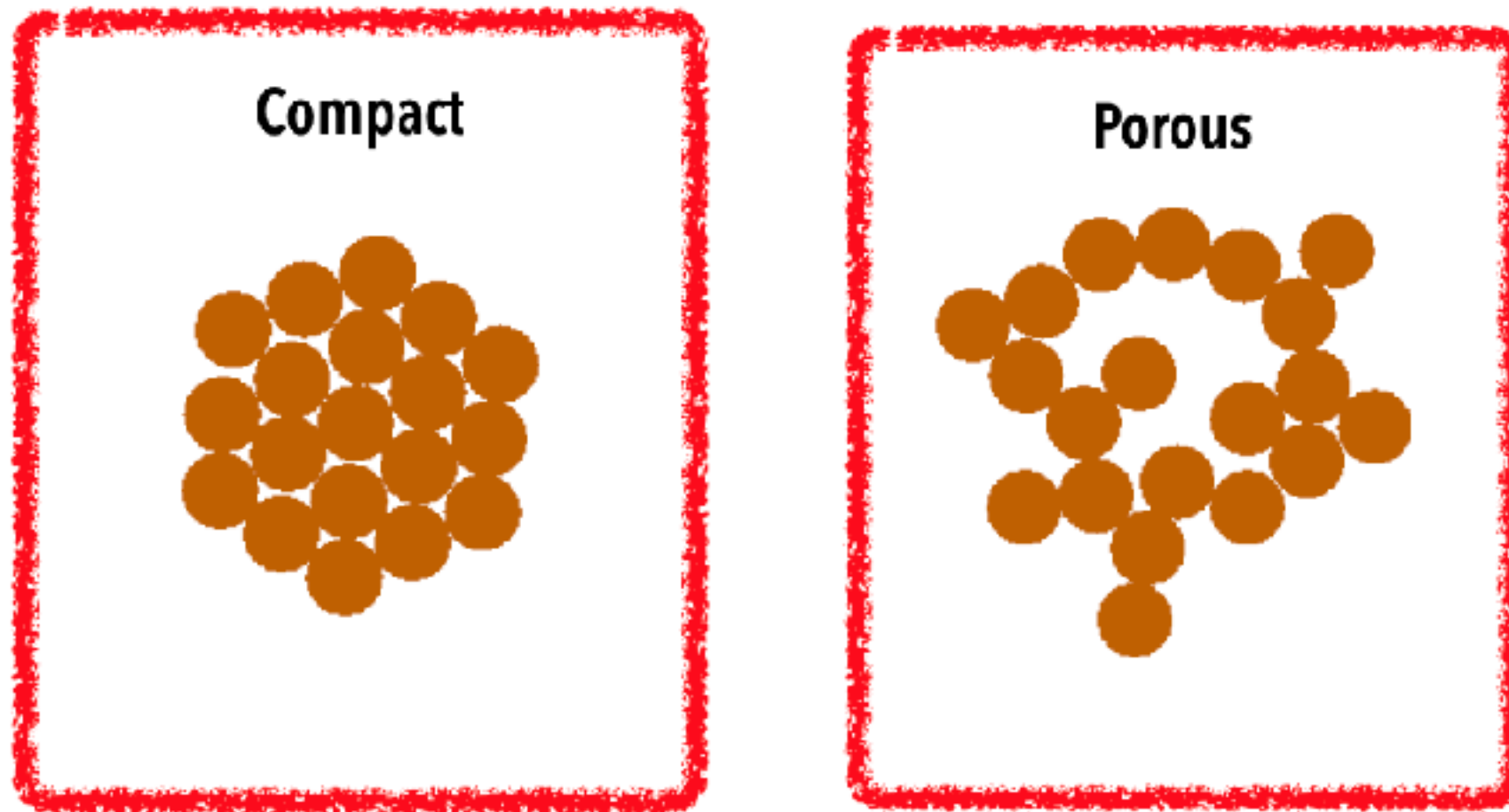
Lab experiments show that fractal dust is most easily produced by low-velocity (hit-and-stick) collisions

- Produced by cluster-cluster aggregation (ordered growth)
- Very high d/m , i.e. very slow settling
- $d/m \propto m^\alpha$ with $-1/3 < \alpha < 0$



Higher velocity (impact) results in either compactification or (highest velocity) fragmentation

Dust growth



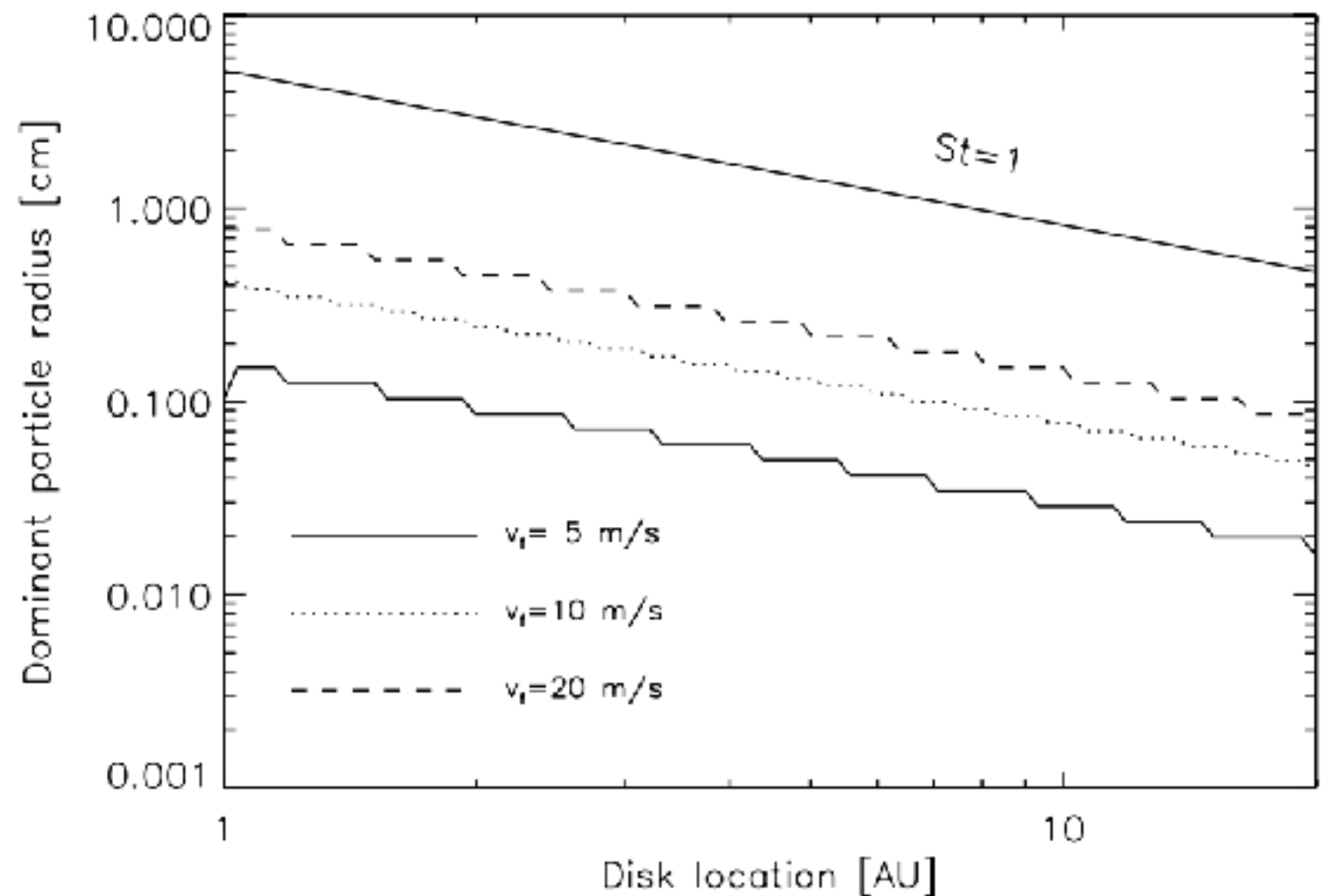
- Produced by particle-cluster aggregation (polydisperse growth), if anything
- Lowest possible d/m , i.e. fastest settling velocity
- $d/m \propto m^{-1/3}$ (but slightly higher for porous)

Fragmentation barrier

- In a balance of coagulation and fragmentation, there is a maximum particle size depending on the local conditions:

$$a_{\max} \simeq \frac{4\Sigma_g}{3\pi\alpha\rho_s} \frac{v_f^2}{c_s^2},$$

Fragmentation velocity usually taken as 10 m/s in the outer disk based on lab experiments, but can be lower in presence of ices: often assumed as 1 m/s inside H₂O snowline

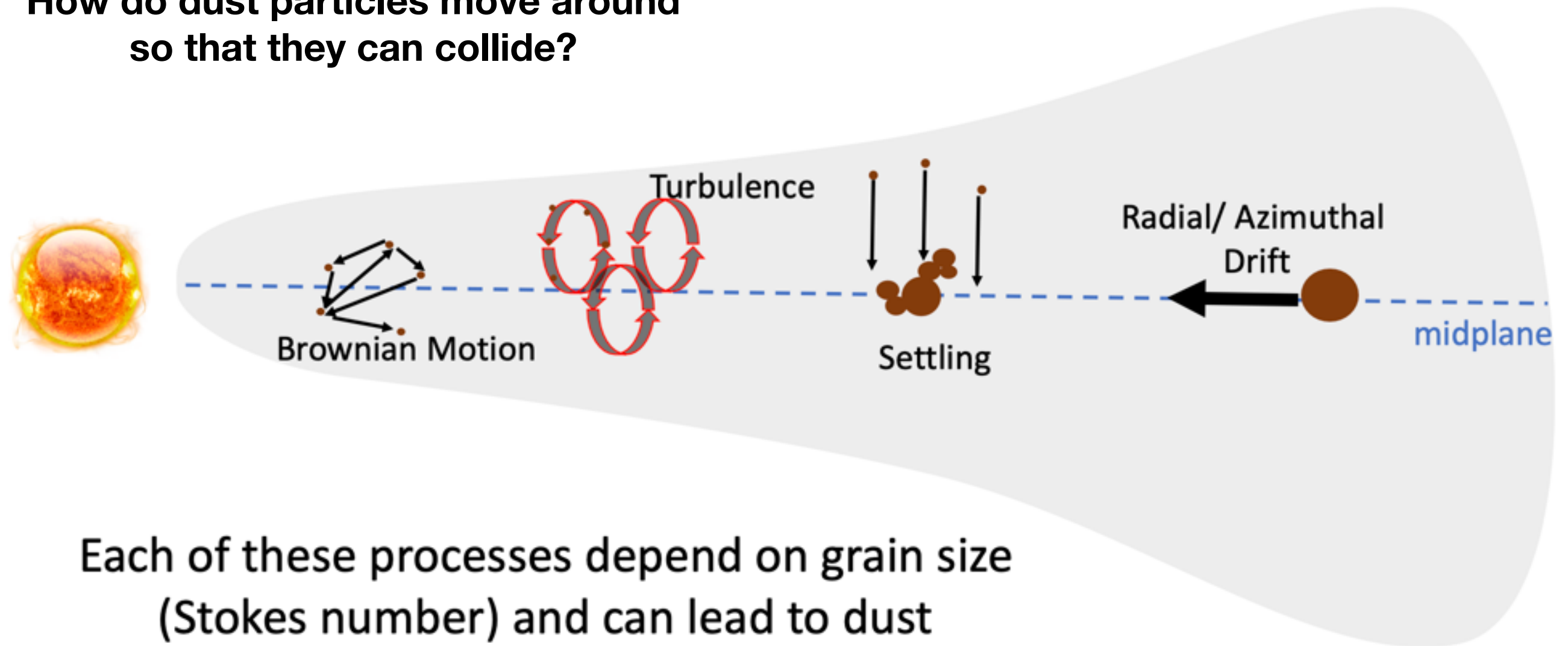


Why is it lower for icy dust grains?

Brauer et al. 2008
Birnstiel et al. 2010

Dust movement in a disk

How do dust particles move around so that they can collide?



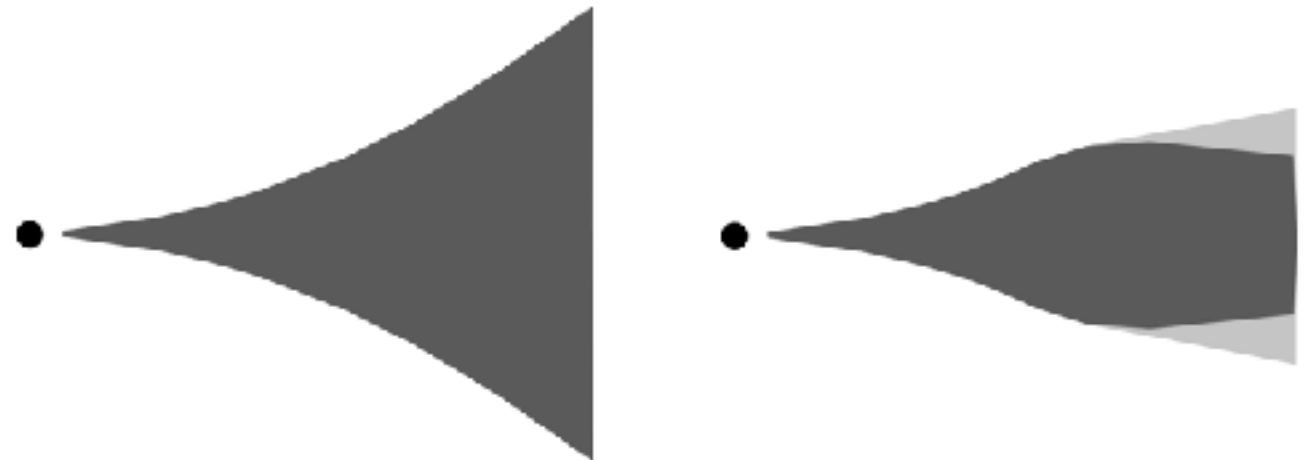
Each of these processes depend on grain size (Stokes number) and can lead to dust collisions

Settling

Settling of large grains:

$$v_{\text{sett}} = -z\Omega_K^2 t_{\text{fric}} = -\frac{3\Omega_K^2 z m}{4\rho c_s \sigma},$$

$$t_{\text{sett}} = \frac{z}{v_{\text{sett}}} = \frac{4\sigma}{3m\Omega_K^2} \rho c_s.$$



Balance between settling and stirring

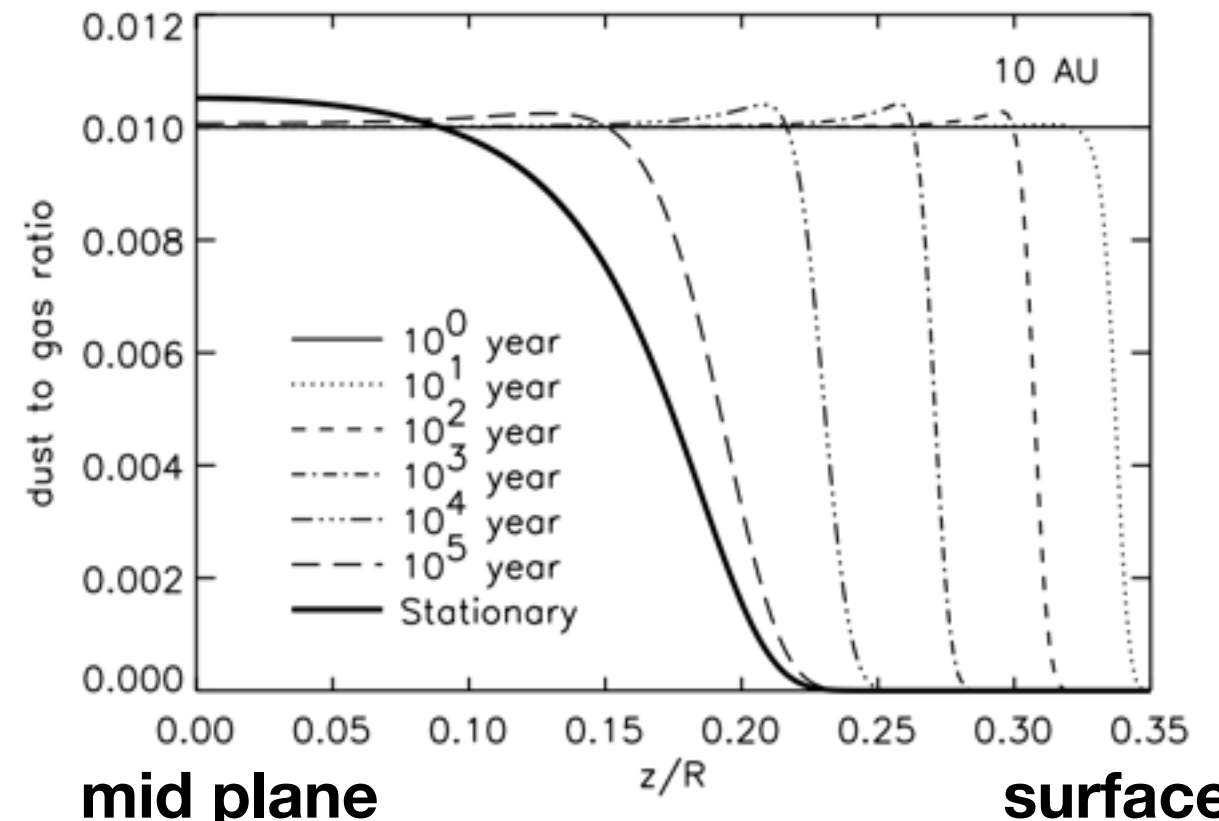
$$t_{\text{stir}} = \frac{z^2}{D_d} = \frac{Sc}{\alpha\Omega_K} \frac{z^2}{H_p^2}.$$

$$Sc = (1 + St),$$

**Result: large grains settle to midplane,
small grains remain in the surface**

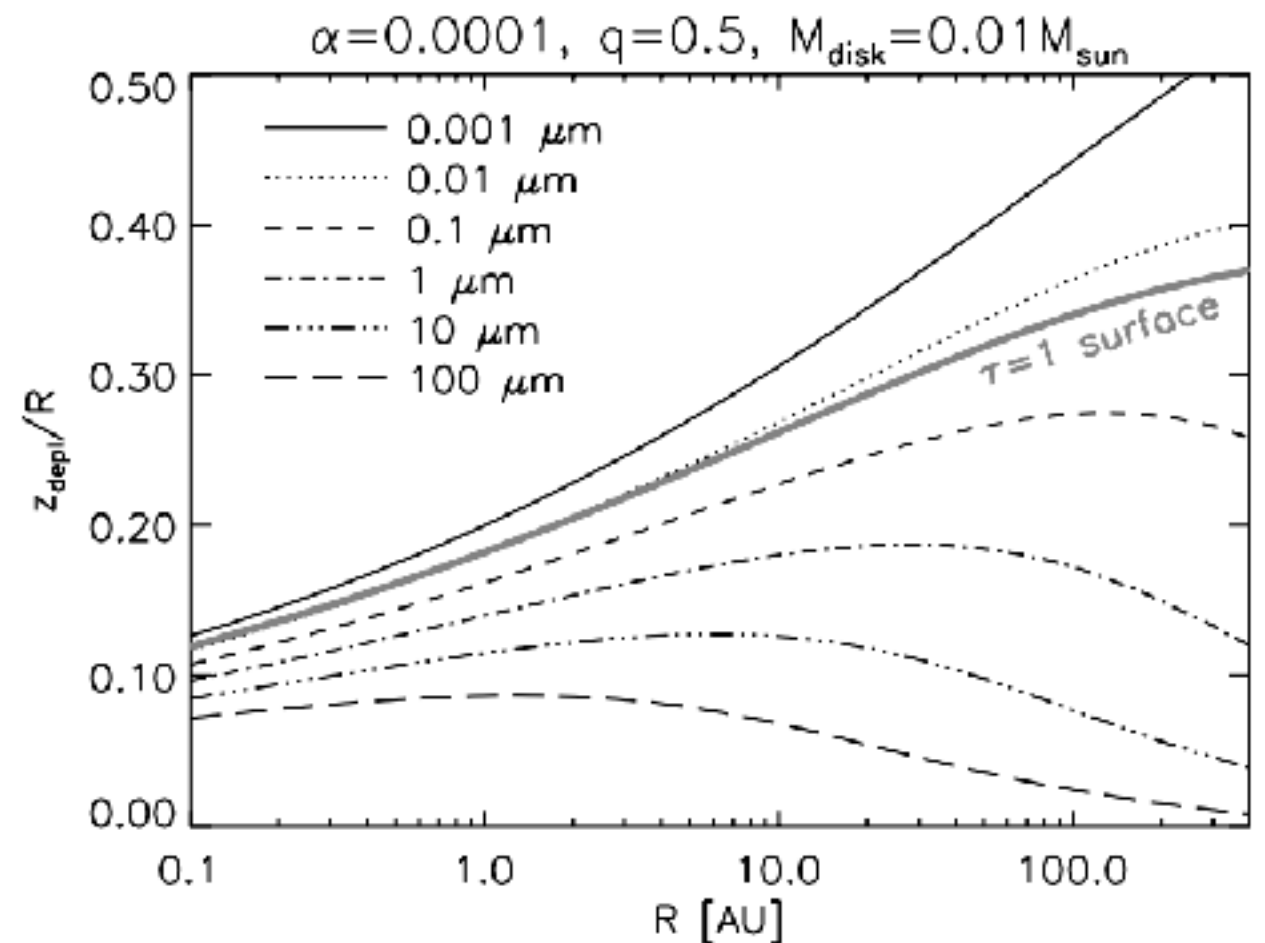
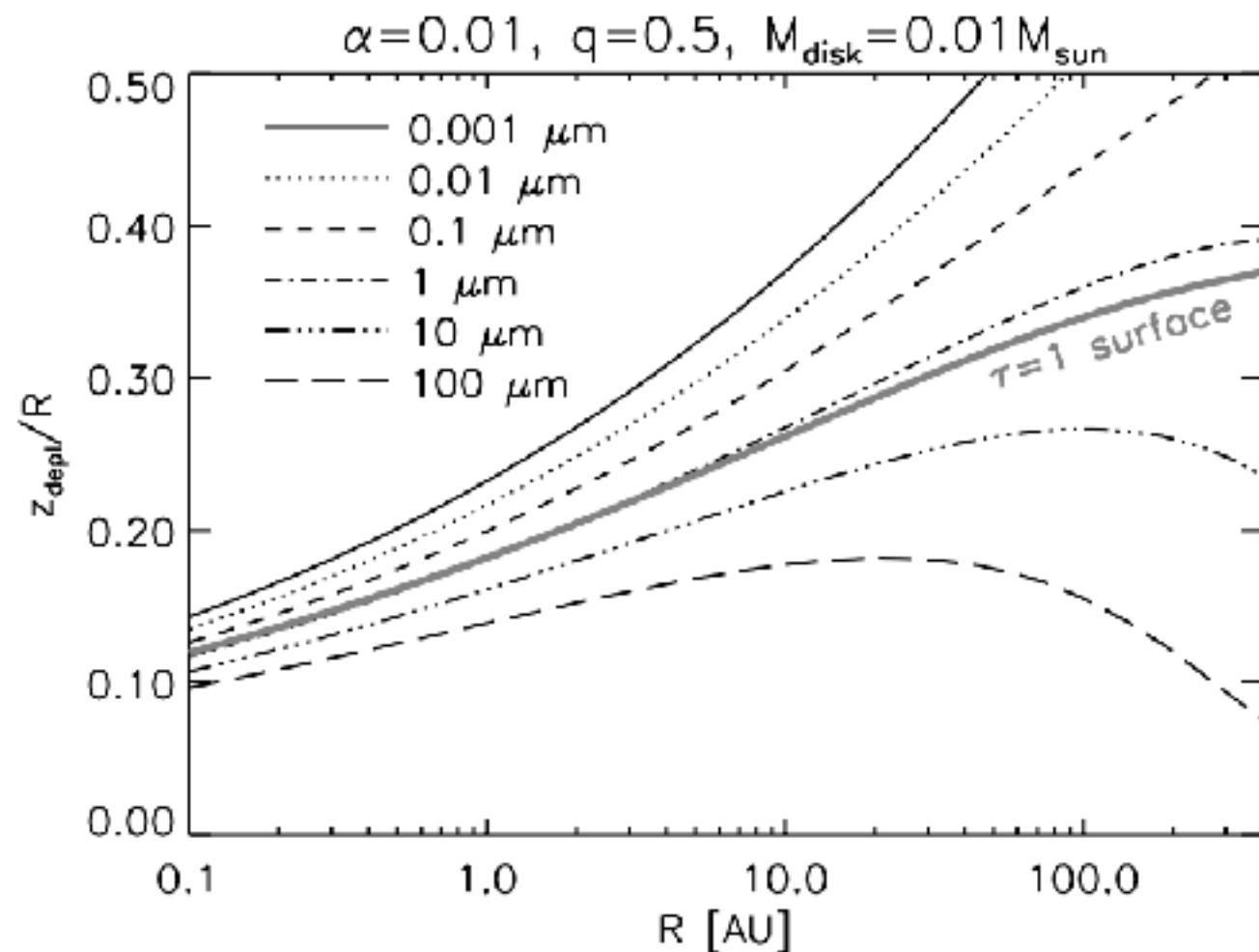
**Also, large grains grow further through
settling through sedimentation**

Increase dust-to-gas ratio in mid plane



Settling

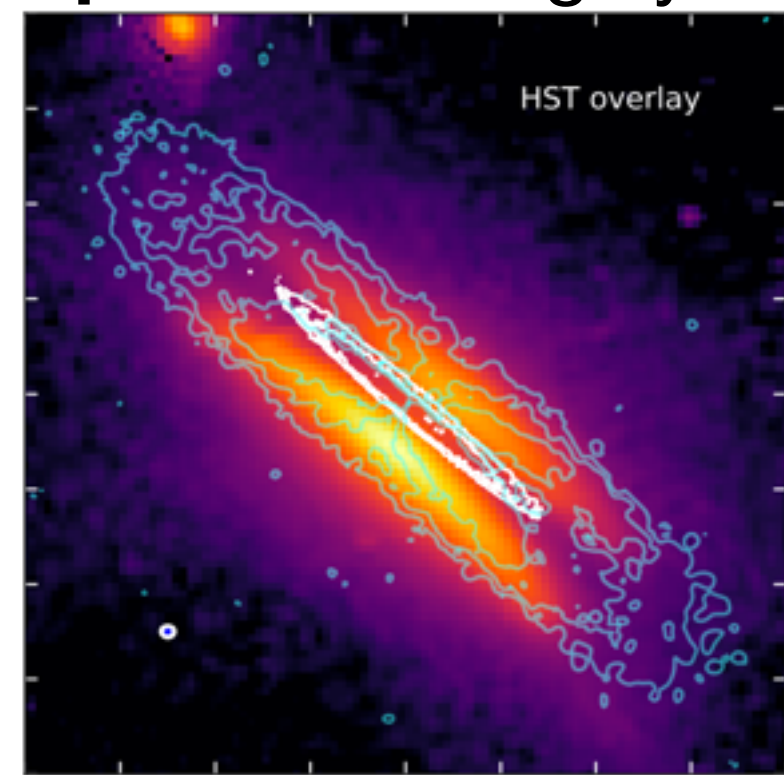
Strong dependence on turbulence (alpha) in the disk!



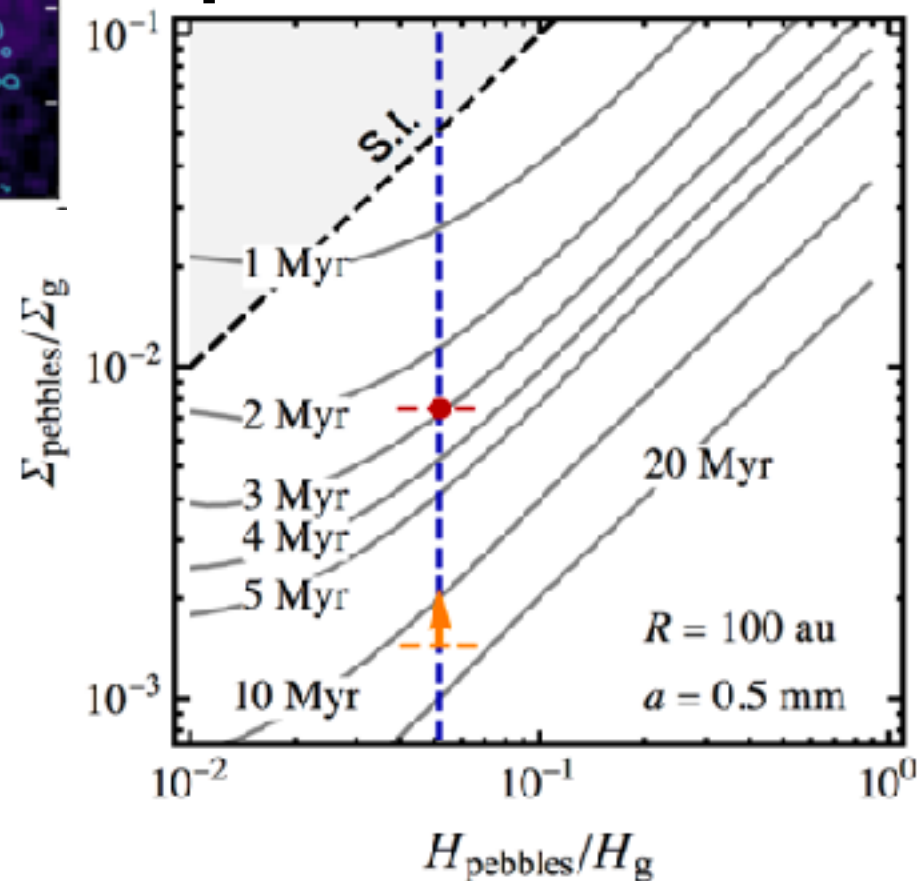
**Remember how we used
turbulence measurements
earlier today?**

Settling

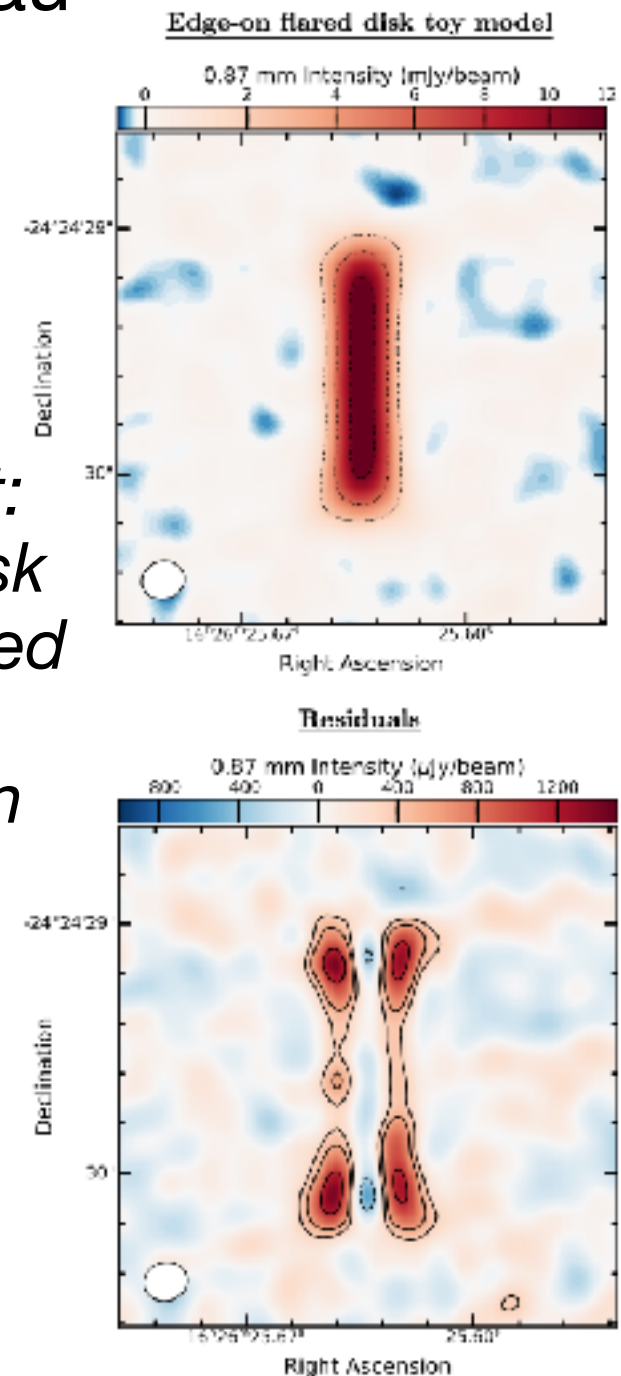
Oph163131: highly settled mm-dust disk with $h=0.5/100$ au



**High settling:
pebble accretion**



*In contrast:
Class 0 disk
shows flared
mm-dust
distribution*



Radial drift

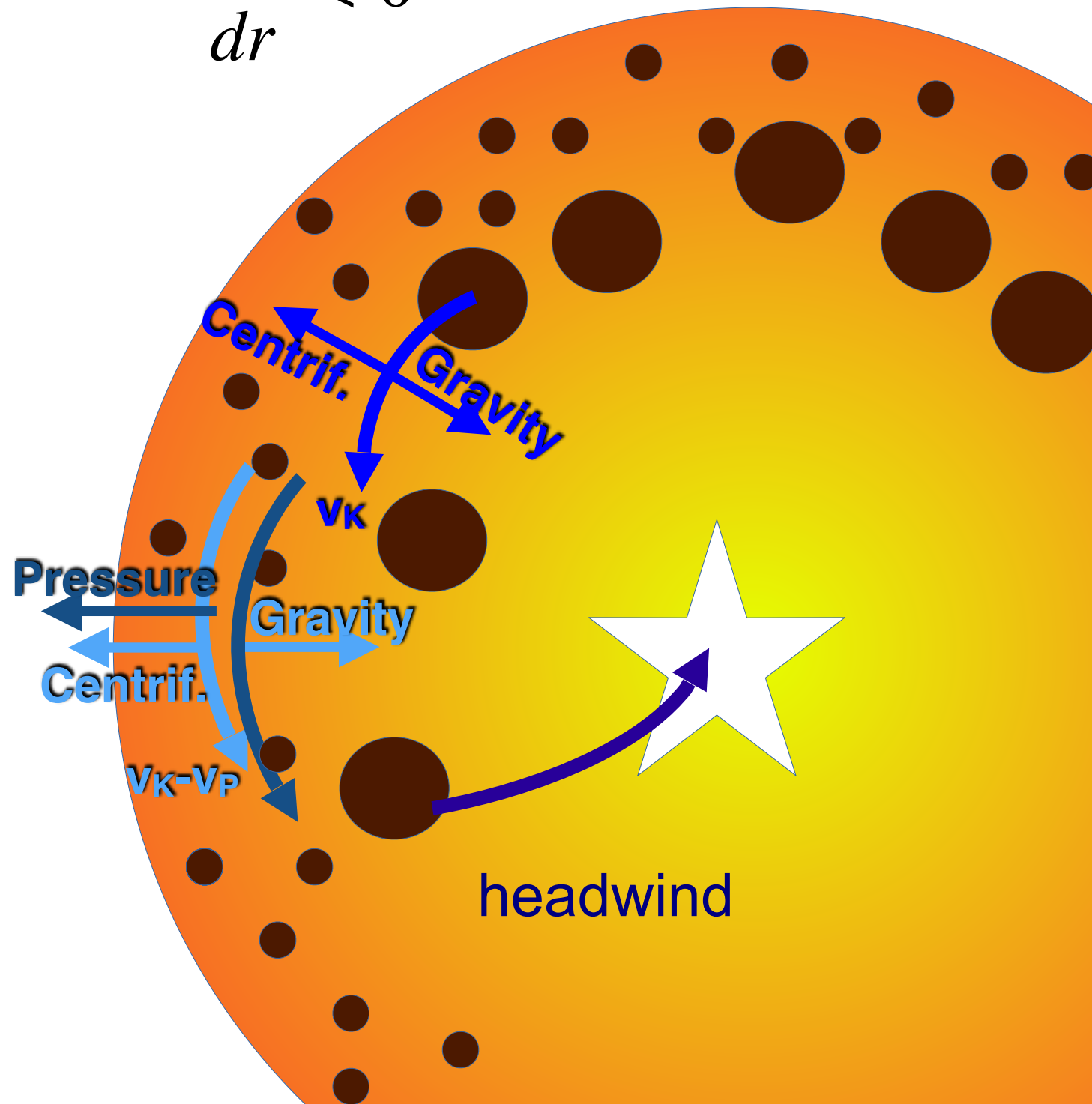
- Gas disk has a pressure gradient $\frac{dp}{dr} < 0$
 - Radial inward drift dust

$$\frac{v_{\phi}^2}{r} = \frac{GM_{\star}}{r^2} + \frac{1}{\rho} \frac{dP}{dr}$$

pressure force

$$v_{\phi} \approx v_K \cdot (1 - \eta)$$

(0.5% slower than Keplerian)



What sets the radial drift?

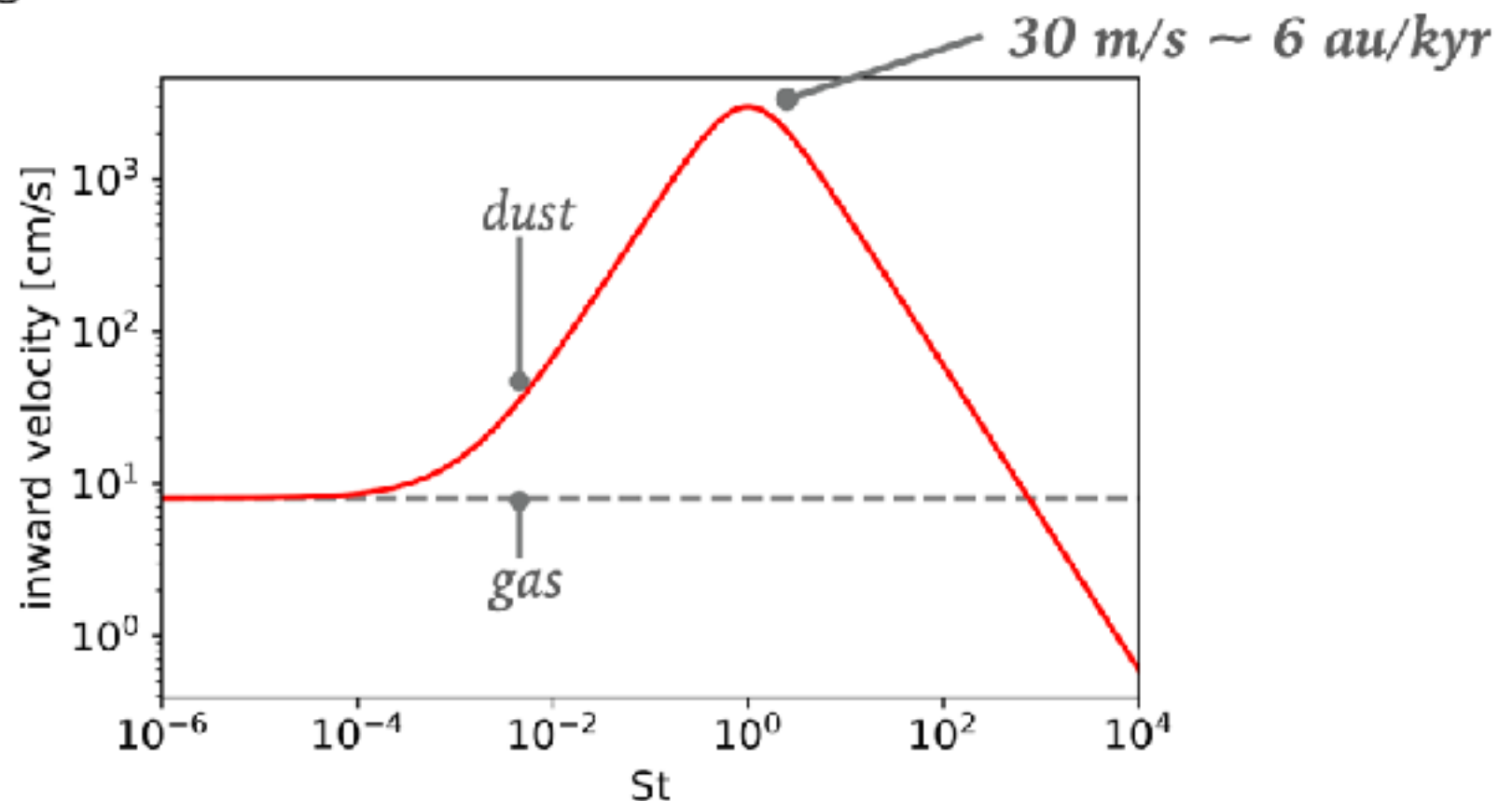
- Stokes number: property of particle

$$\text{St} = \frac{t_{\text{stop}}}{t_{\text{orb}}} = \frac{\pi a \rho_{\bullet}}{2 \Sigma_{\text{gas}}} \quad (\text{'Epstein regime'})$$

a = grain size

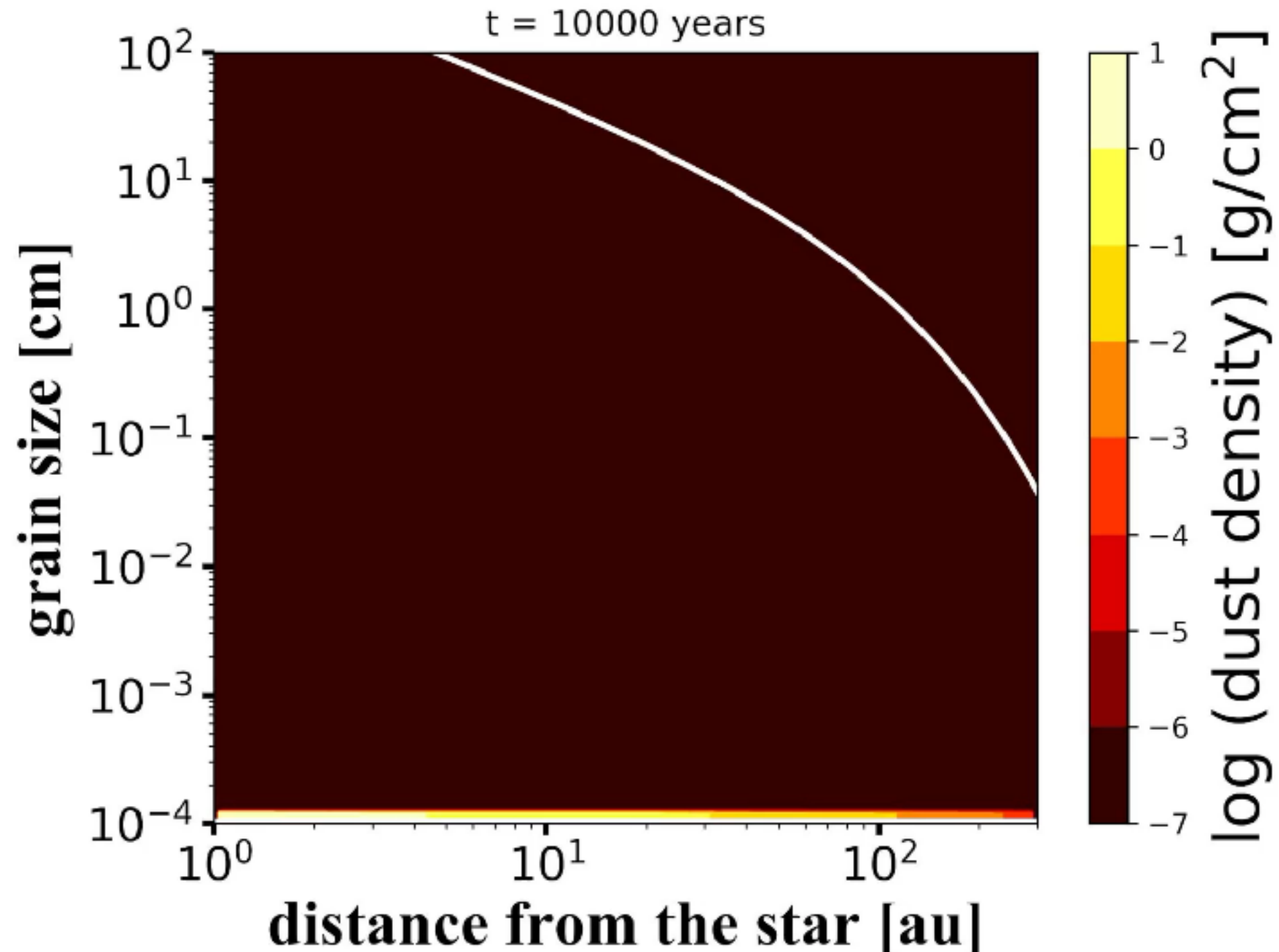
Gas surface density

Drift velocity based on
Stokes number

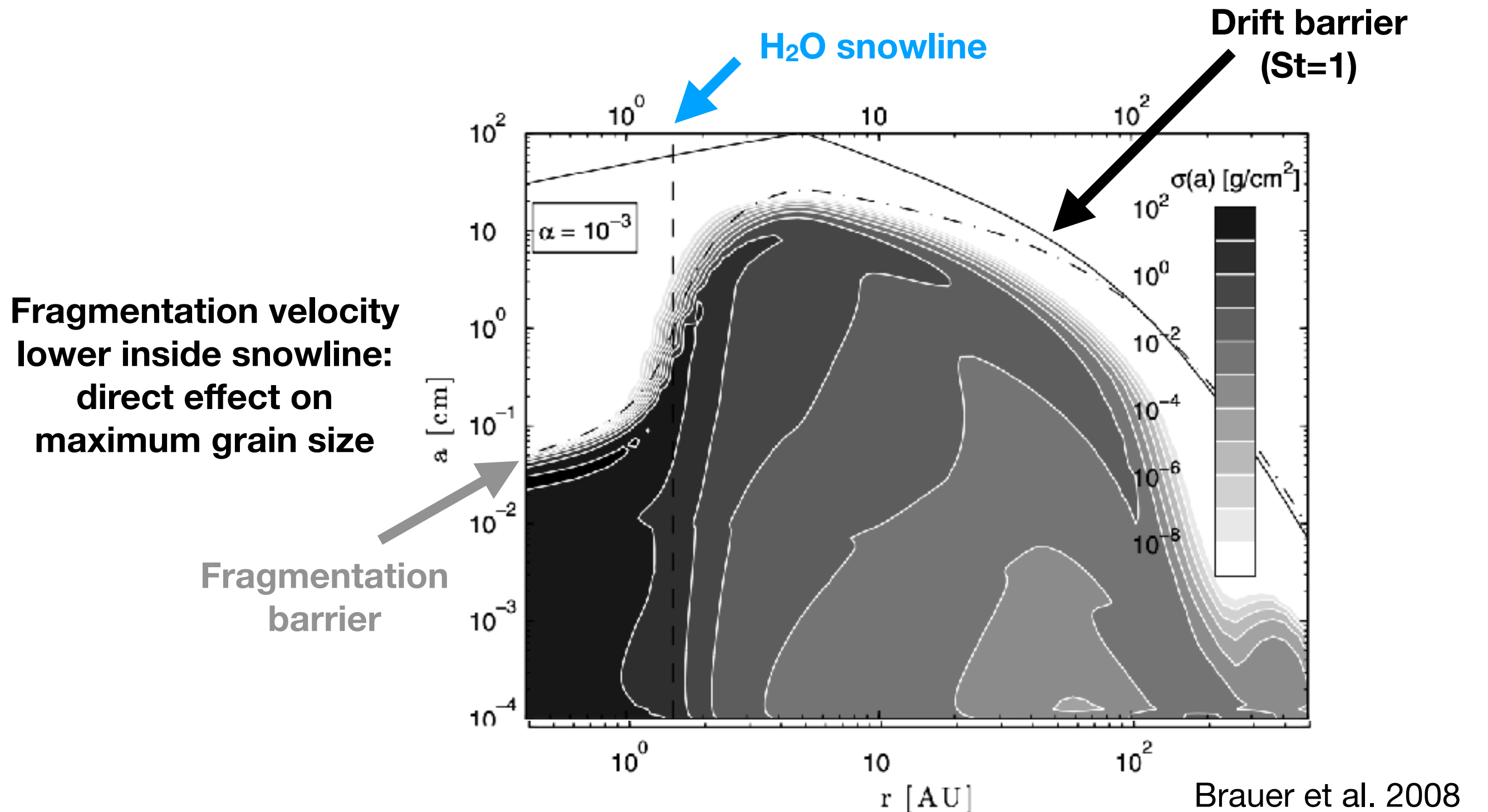


Dust evolution with radial drift

Gas disk evolution, radial drift, coagulation and fragmentation all affect each other: need for simulations combining all the effects



Fragmentation inside the snowline

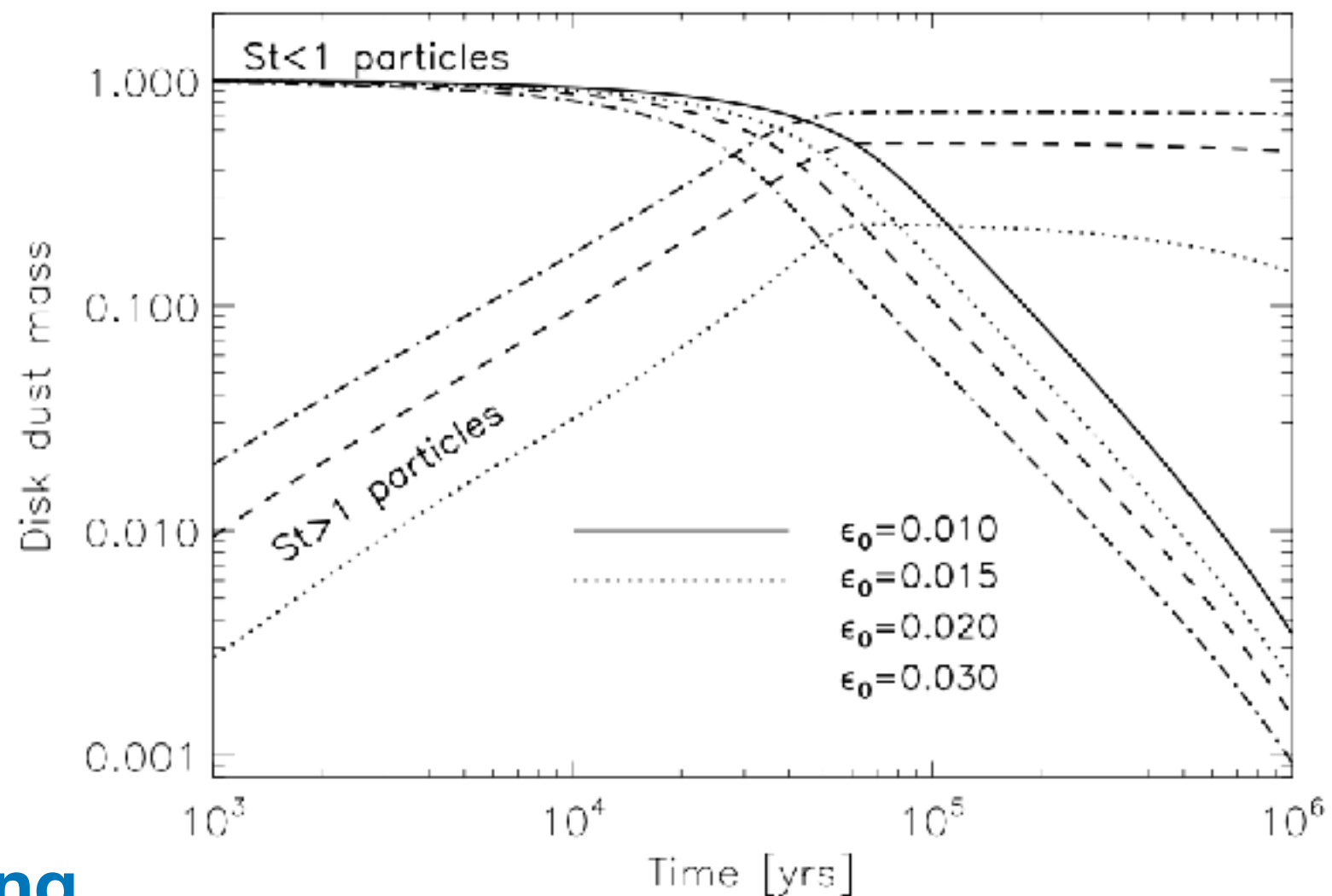


The radial drift problem

- Due to radial drift, grains cannot grow beyond millimetre sizes at 100 au: how to grow planets?
=> Radial drift problem or radial drift barrier

- Also called:
meter-size barrier:

when is radial drift affecting meter-size dust grains?

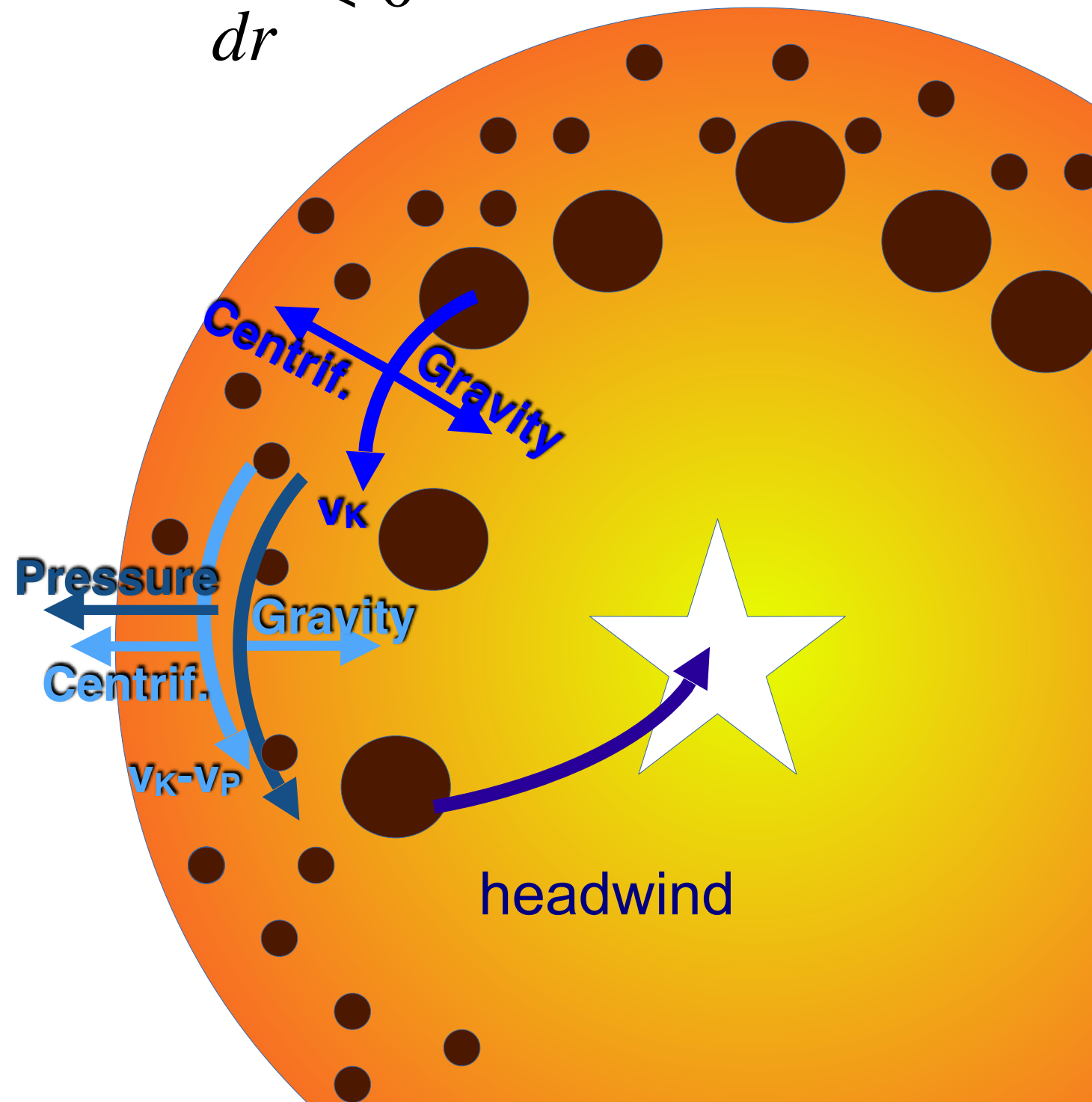


Dust mass decreases rapidly as a result of radial drift, but we still observe mm-dust emission in disks of 1-10 Myr: how?

Recall: radial drift

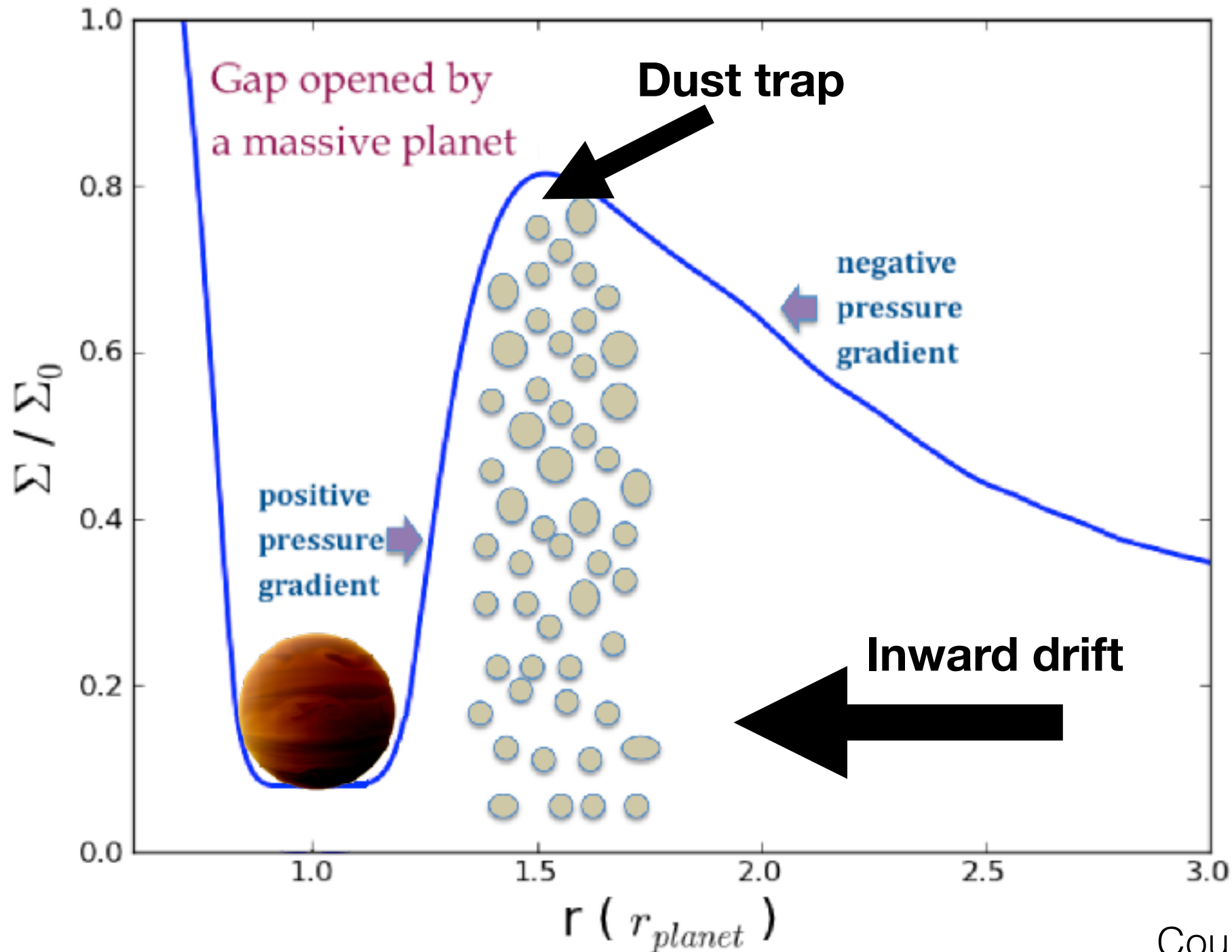
- Gas disk has a pressure gradient $\frac{dp}{dr} < 0$
 - Radial inward drift dust
- **Large particles move towards high pressure**

=> Need pressure bump to prevent radial drift



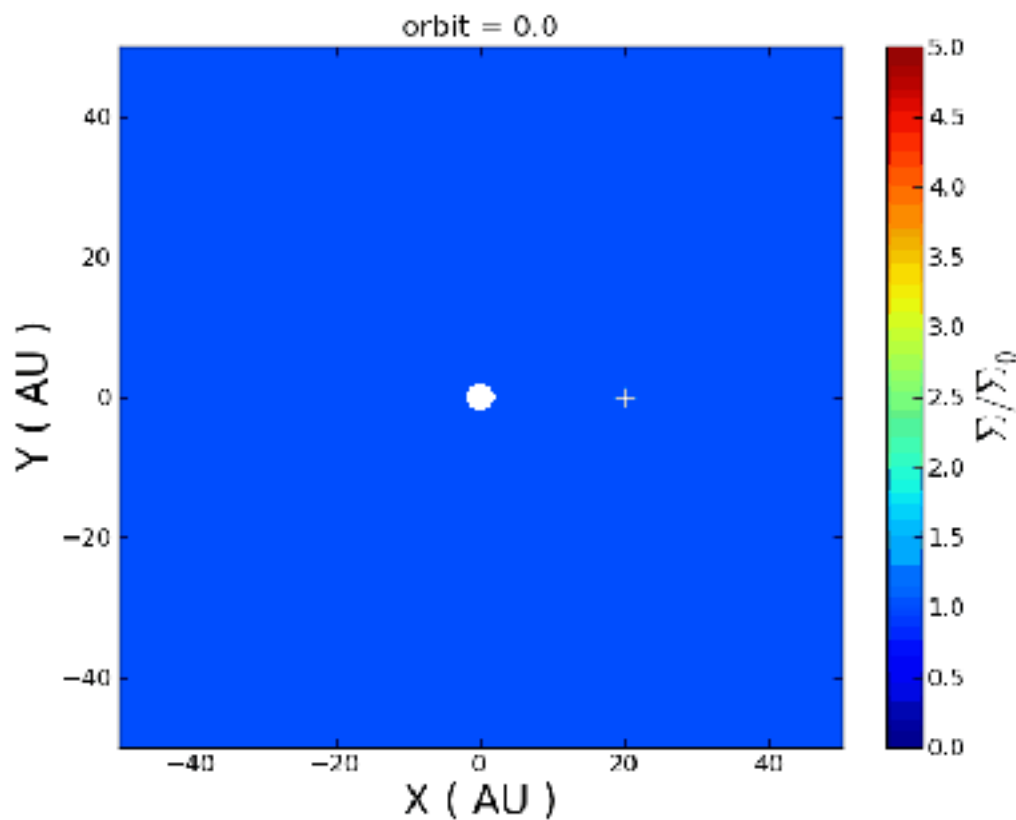
Pressure bump/dust trap

A forming planet will carve a gap in the gas distribution: at the outer edge you naturally get a pressure maximum

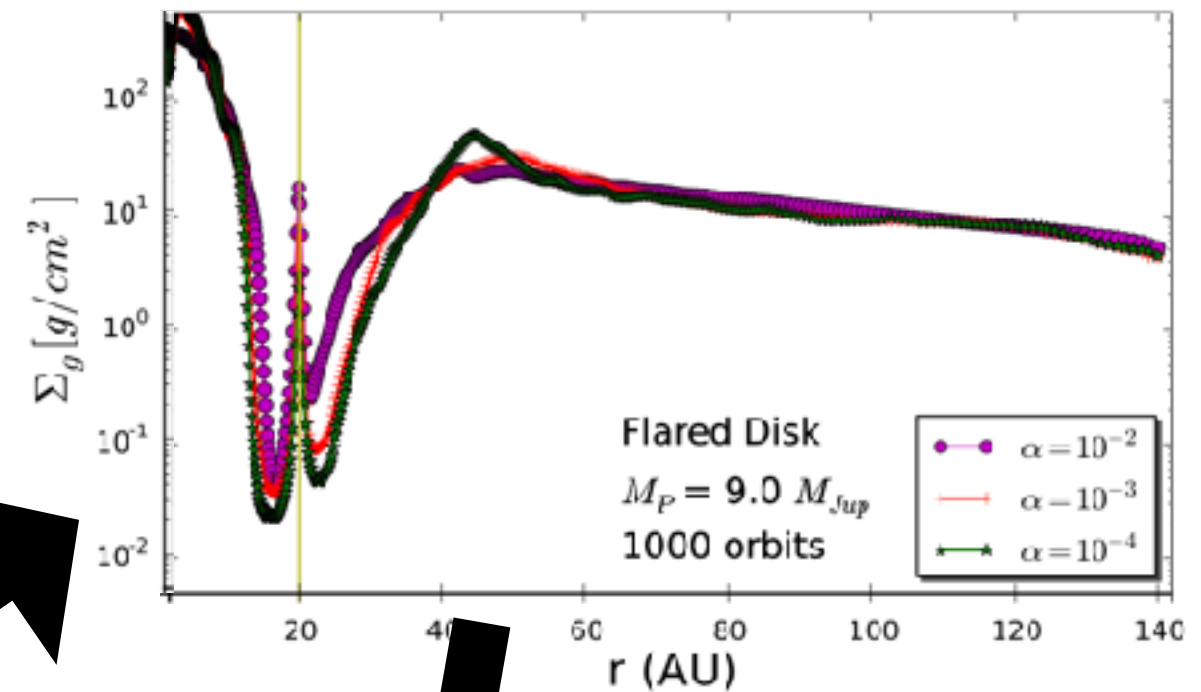


Pressure bump

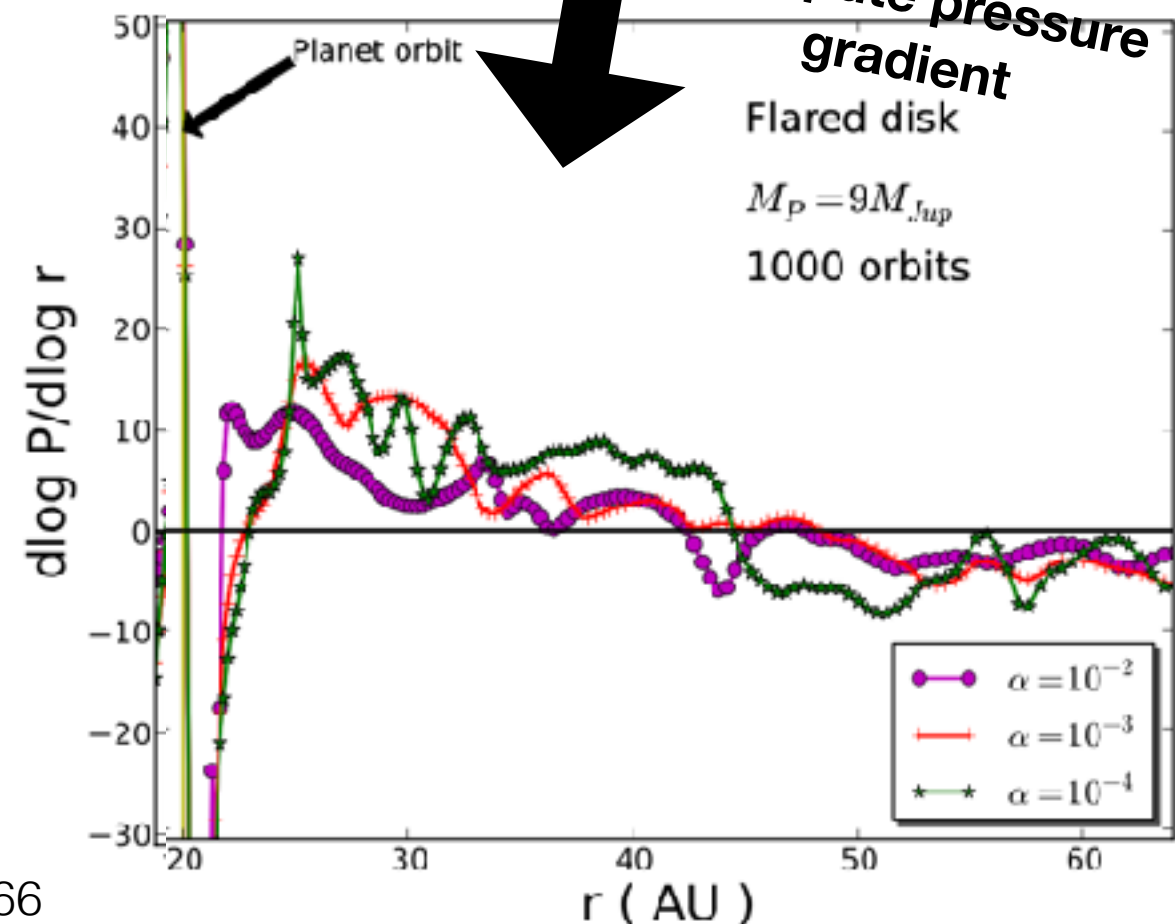
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Azimuthally
average

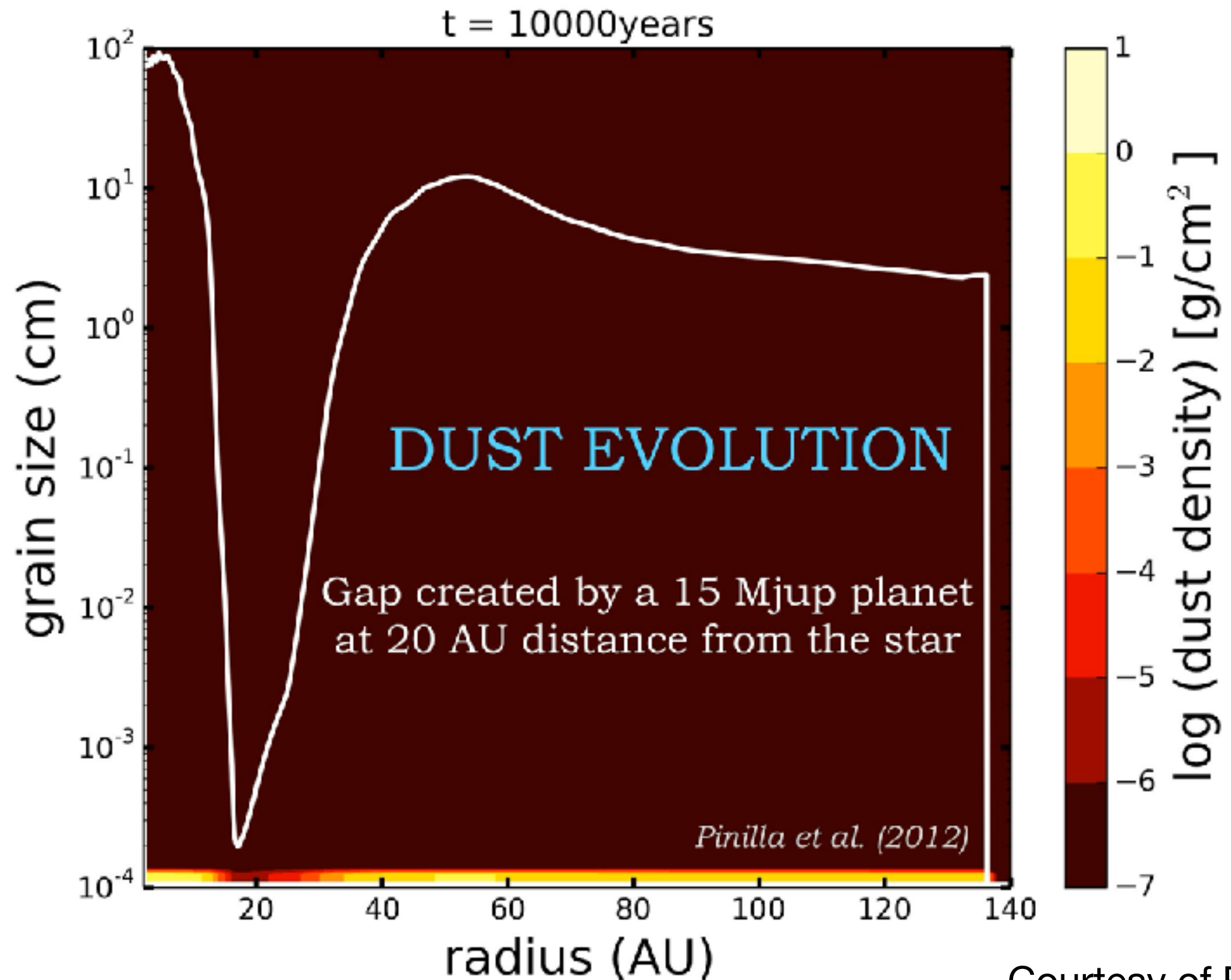


Compute pressure
gradient



Pressure bump/dust trap

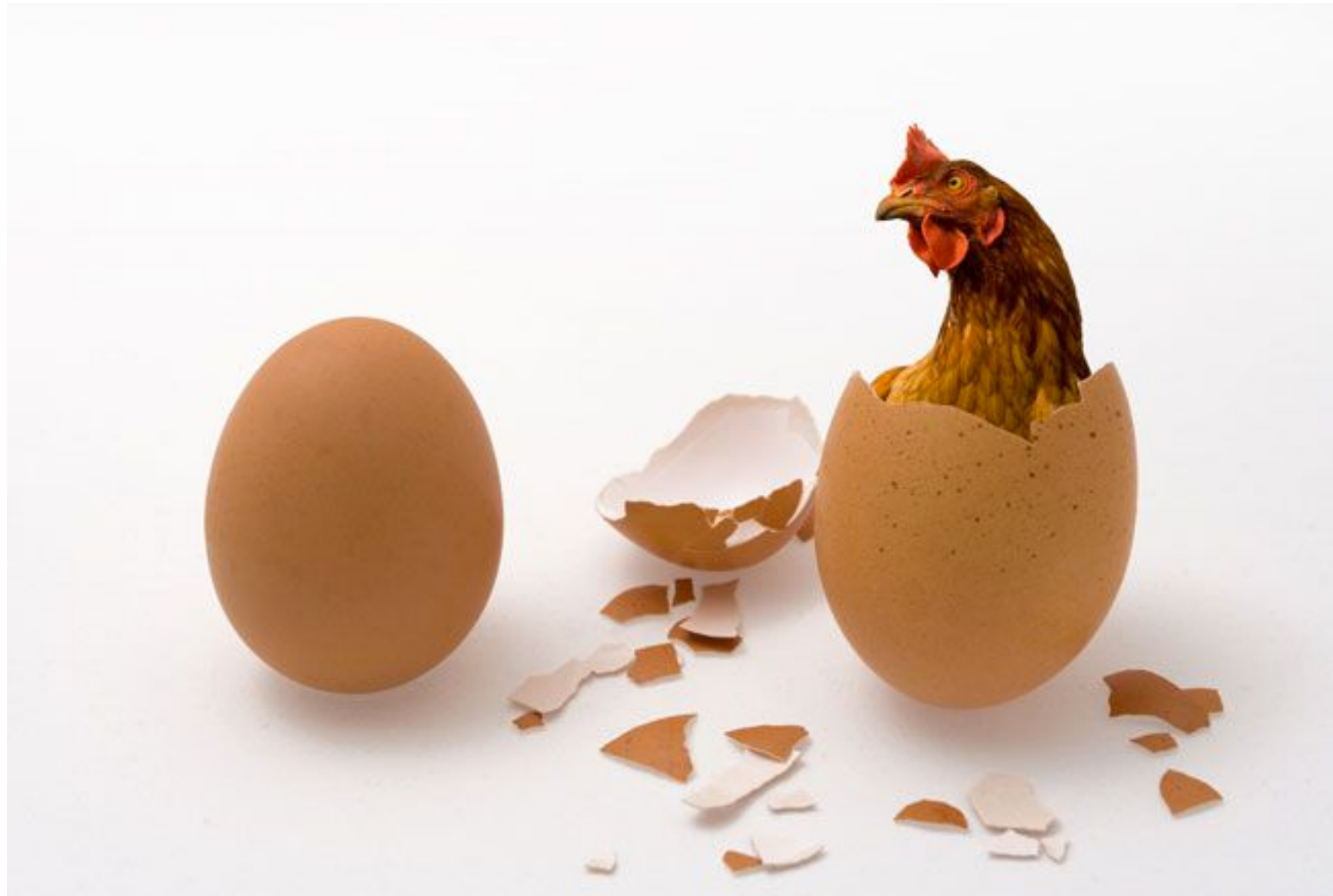
Now we run the same dust evolution simulation but with a planet-carved gap



Courtesy of Paola Pinilla

Why is this scenario not the ultimate solution for planet formation?

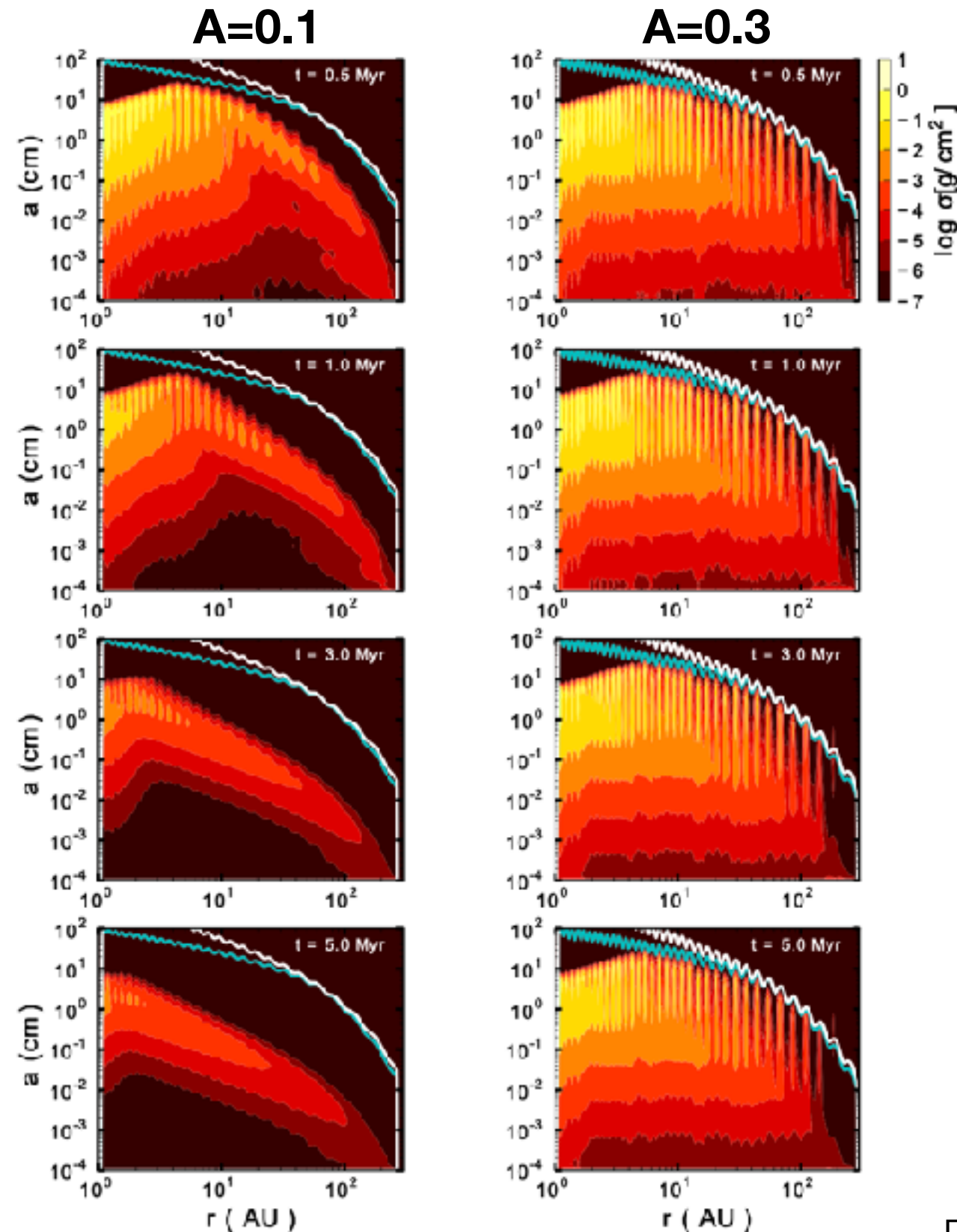
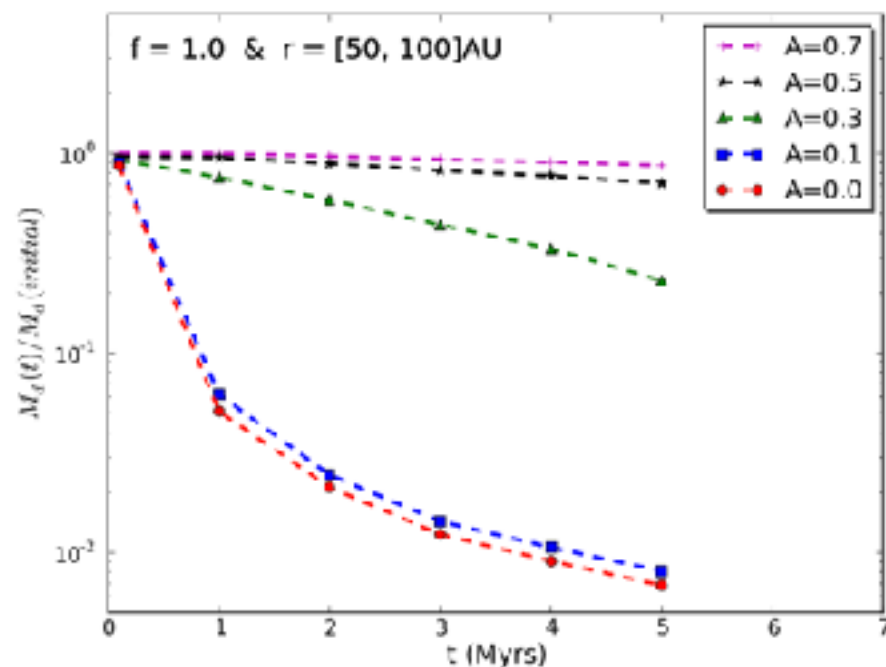
Problem:
dust traps require planets?



Dust trapping

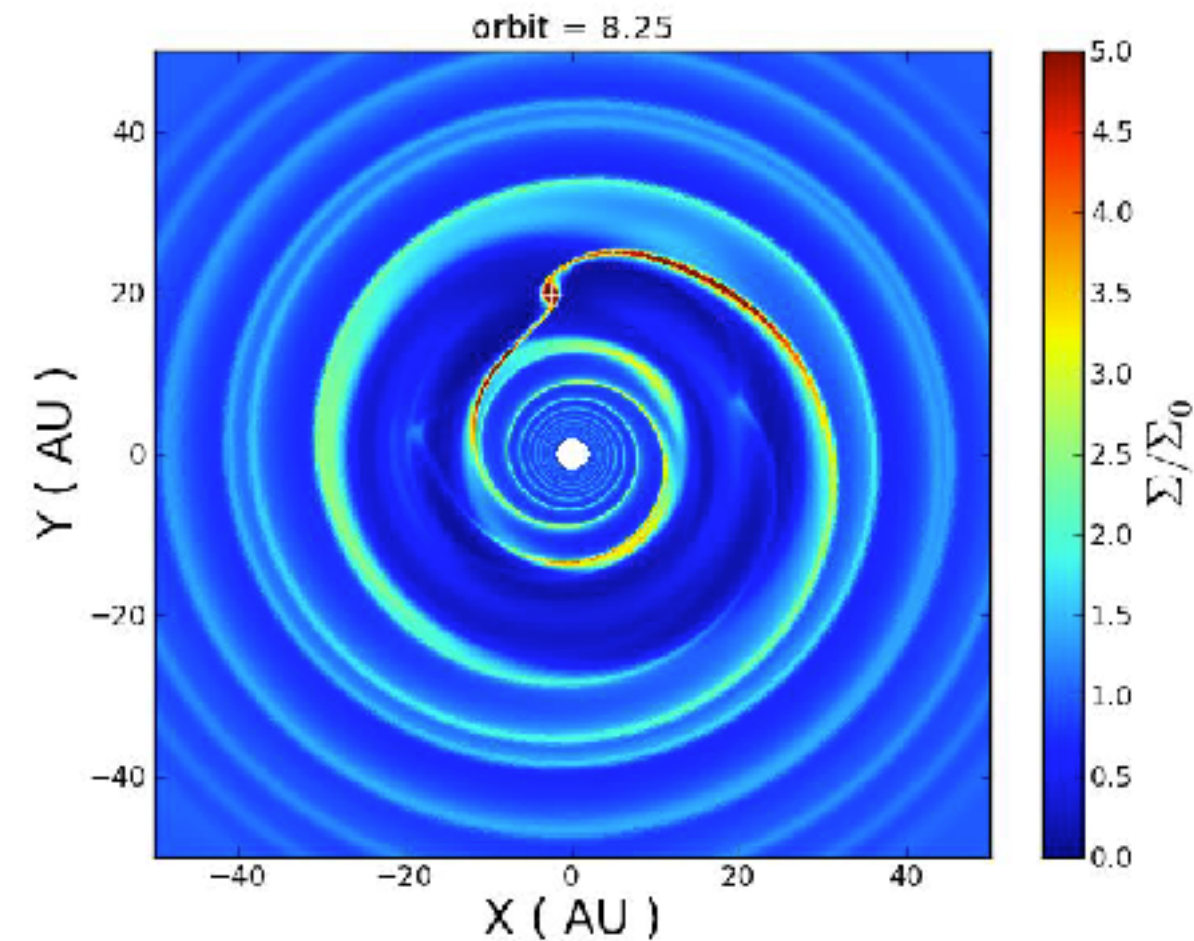
Initially, the idea of dust traps was more general: any perturbation in the pressure profile (e.g. zonal flows) would trap dust, maintaining the mm-dust particles

See example here: effect of small-amplitude variations in gas surface density on dust particles



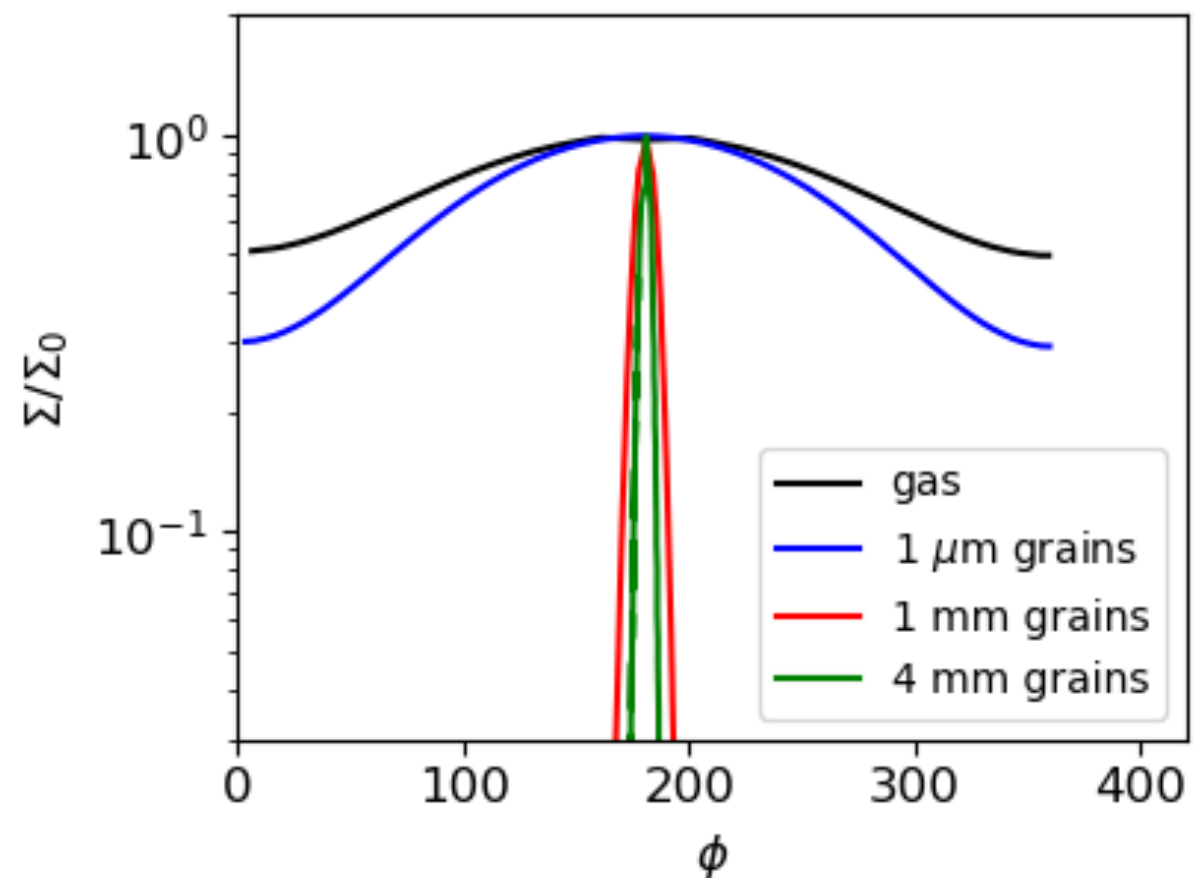
Special case of dust trapping: azimuthal overdensity

More on
asymmetries in
Lecture 4



**Rossby Wave Instability can
lead to vortices in the disk,
which are azimuthal gas
overdensities which trap dust**

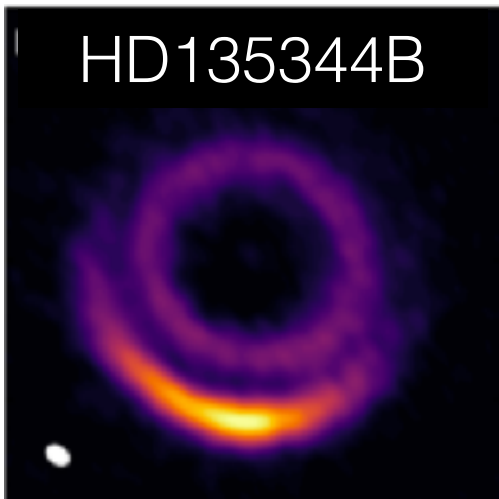
**Dust evolution:
small azimuthal concentration
of gas leads to strong
concentration of mm grains**



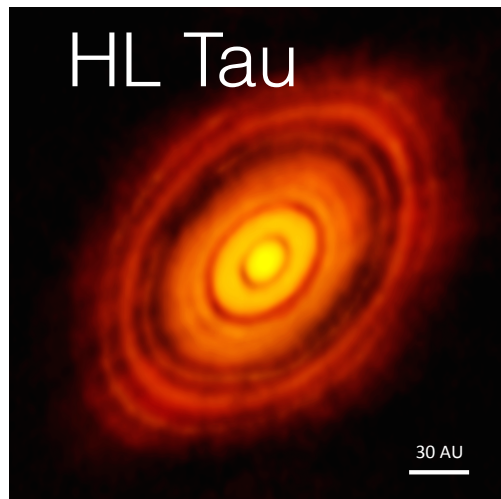
Many dust traps!

More on
substructures in
Lecture 4

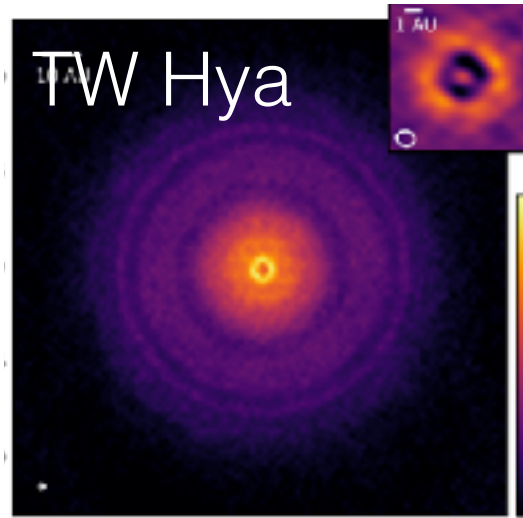
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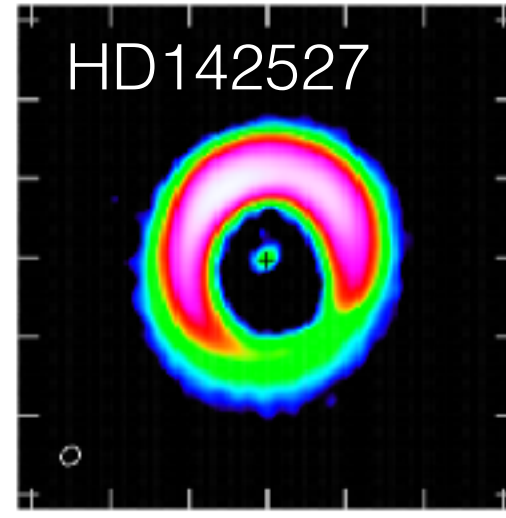
HL Tau



TW Hya



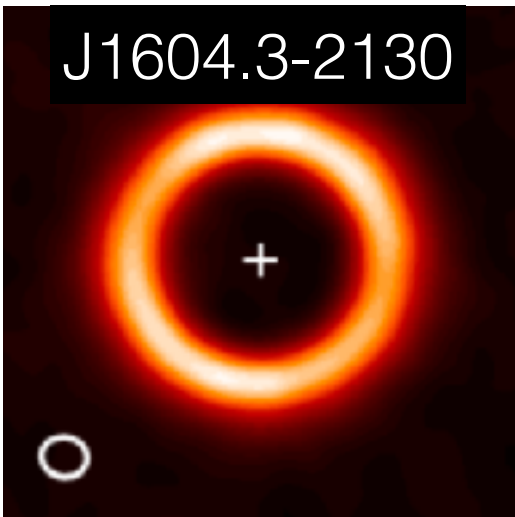
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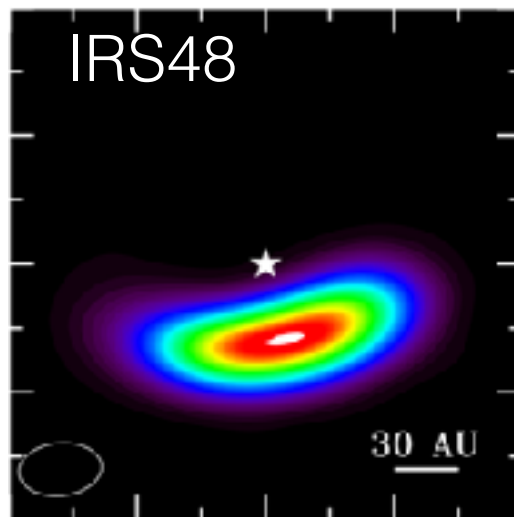
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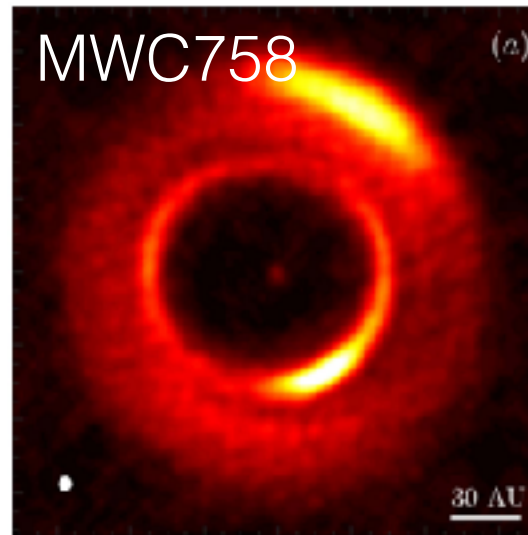
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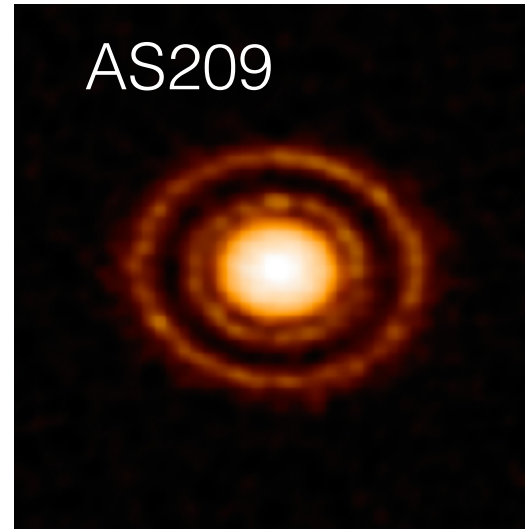
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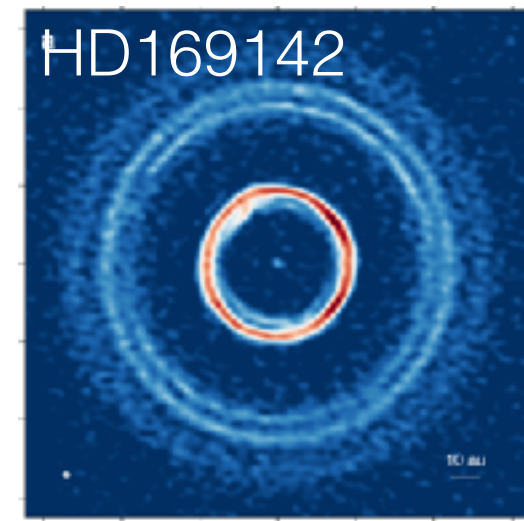
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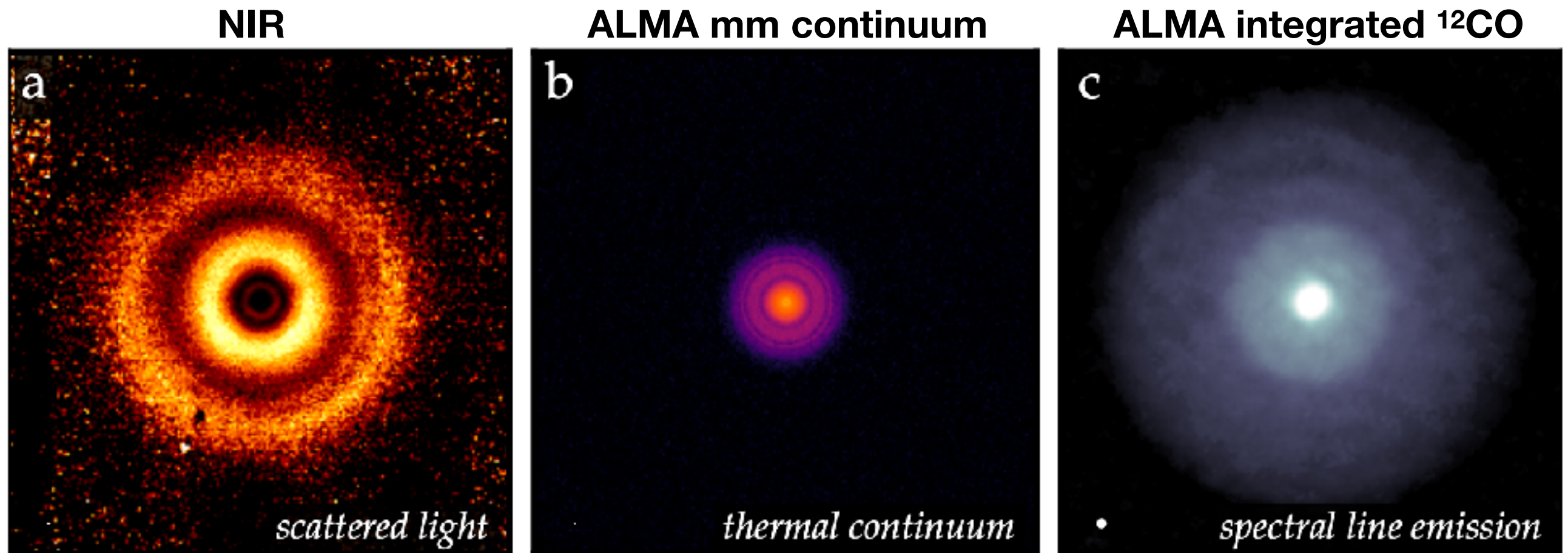
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**Large diversity: unclear
whether they are all caused by
planet gaps or other types of
pressure bumps**

ALMA et al. 2015; Andrews et al. 2016,
2018; Boehler et al. 2017, Cazzoletti et
al. 2018; Dong et al. 2018; Fedele et al.
2017; Isella et al. 2016; Perez et al. 2019;
Van der Marel et al. 2013, 2016a & 2020

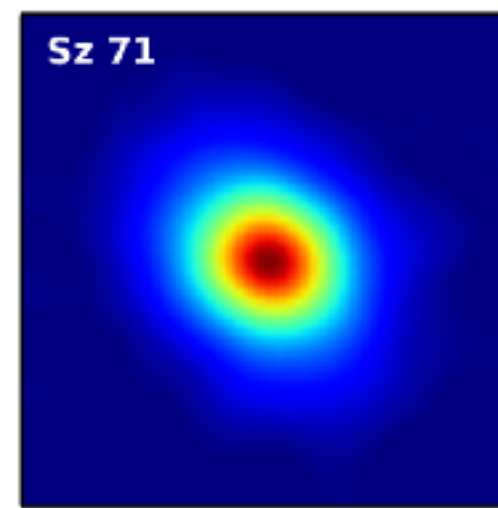
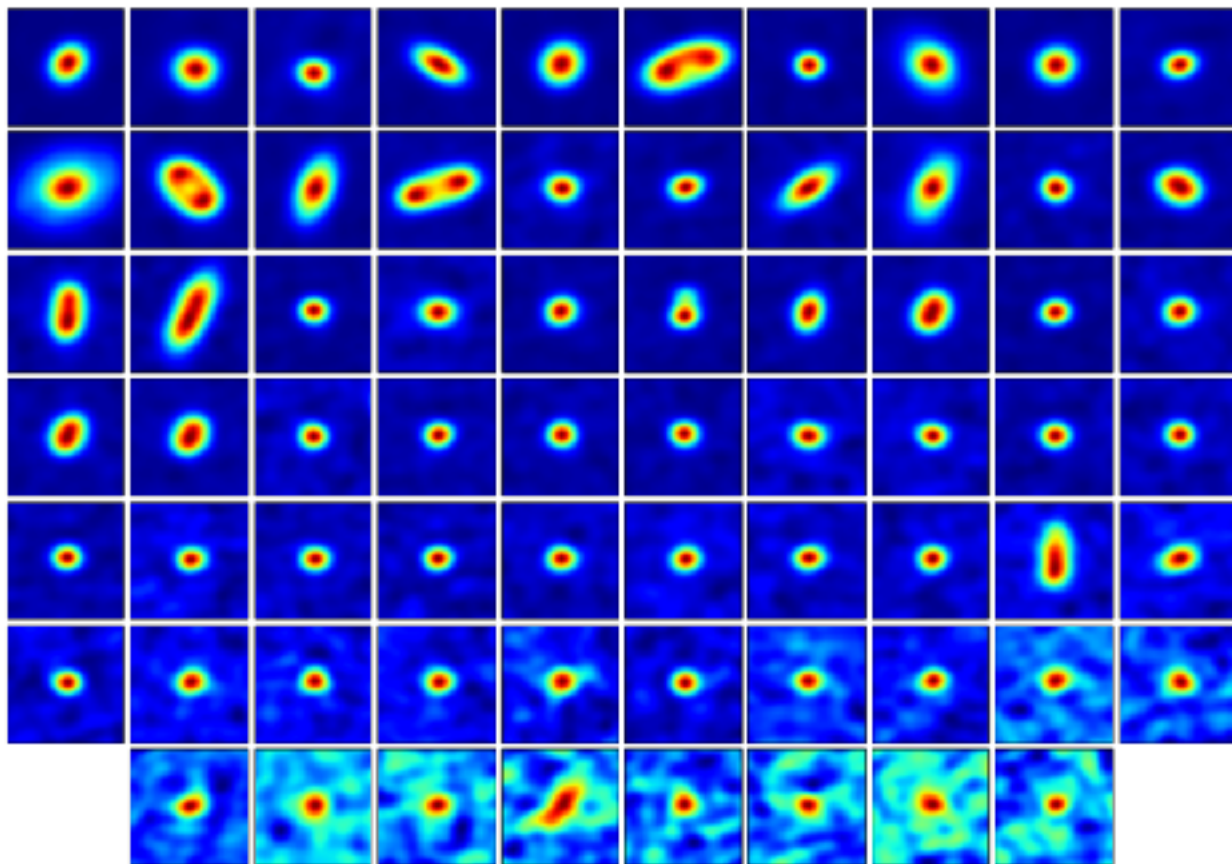
Observational evidence for dust transport



Dust has clearly drifted inwards compared to the gas!

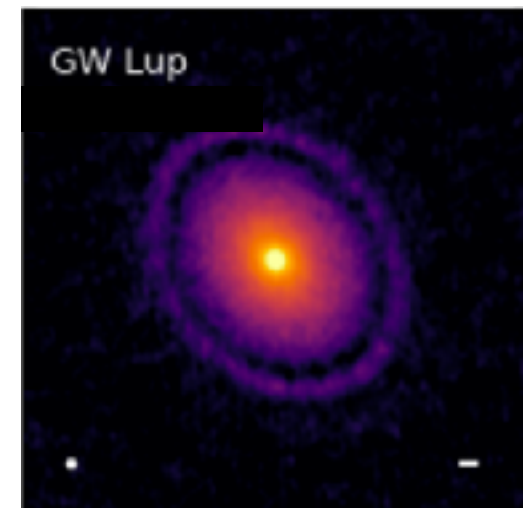
Testing observations

- Major issue: need high-resolution observations of disks, whereas many of the early observations (<2018) of complete surveys were done at moderate 0.25'' resolution
- Low-res observations do not show dust traps, even if present
- Alternative: look at other observables such as size



(0.30'')

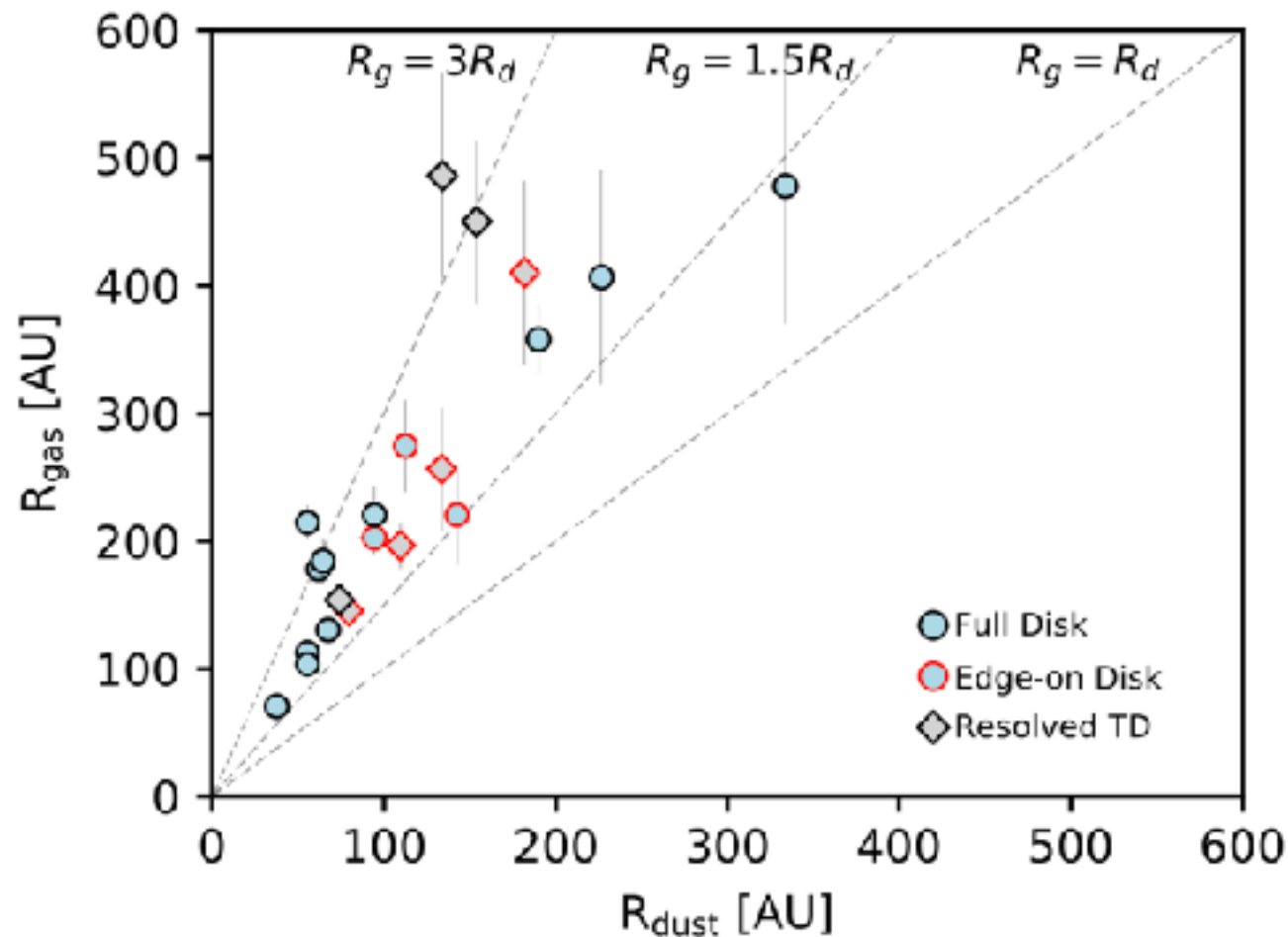
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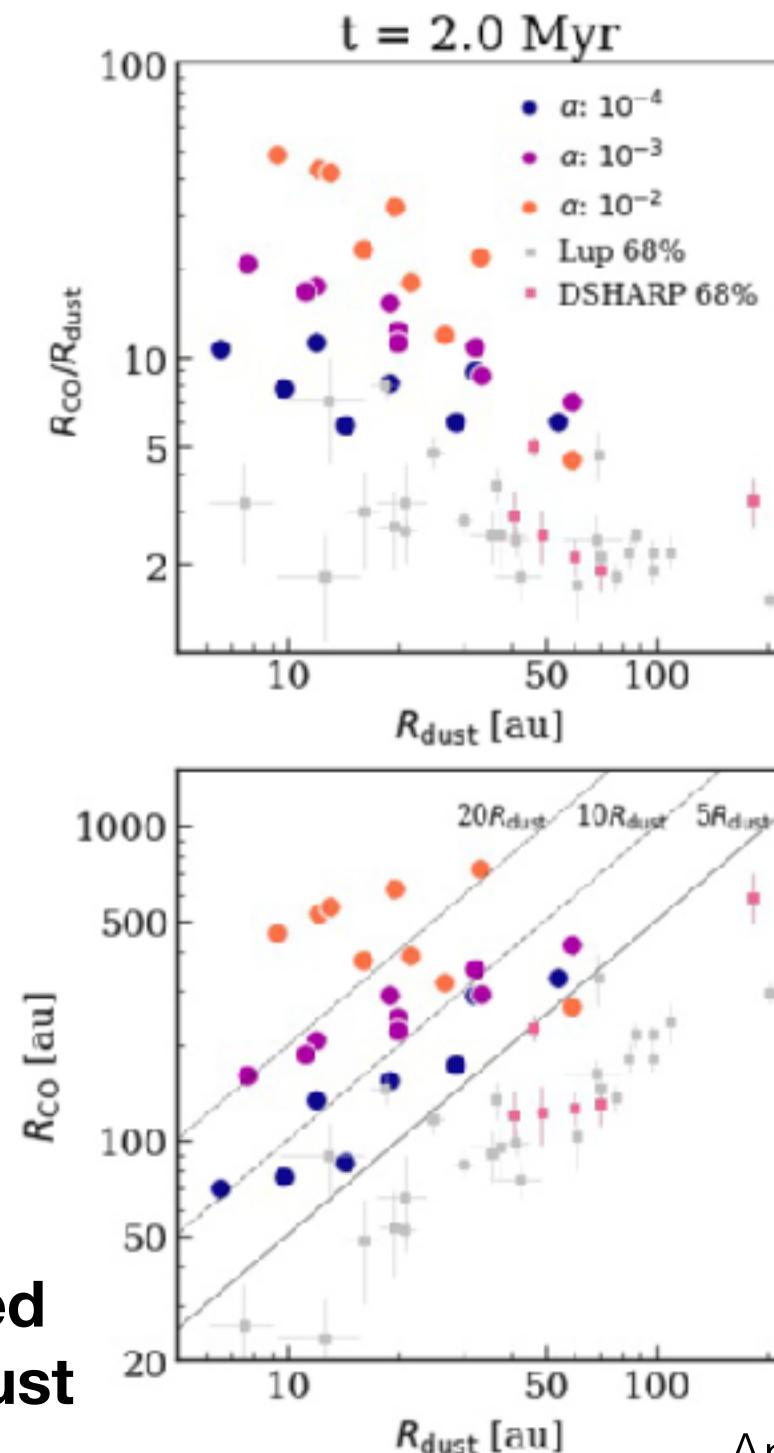
(0.04'')

Observational evidence: Gas-to-dust size ratios

**Lupus disks: gas sizes from ^{12}CO ,
dust sizes from continuum, typically 2-3**



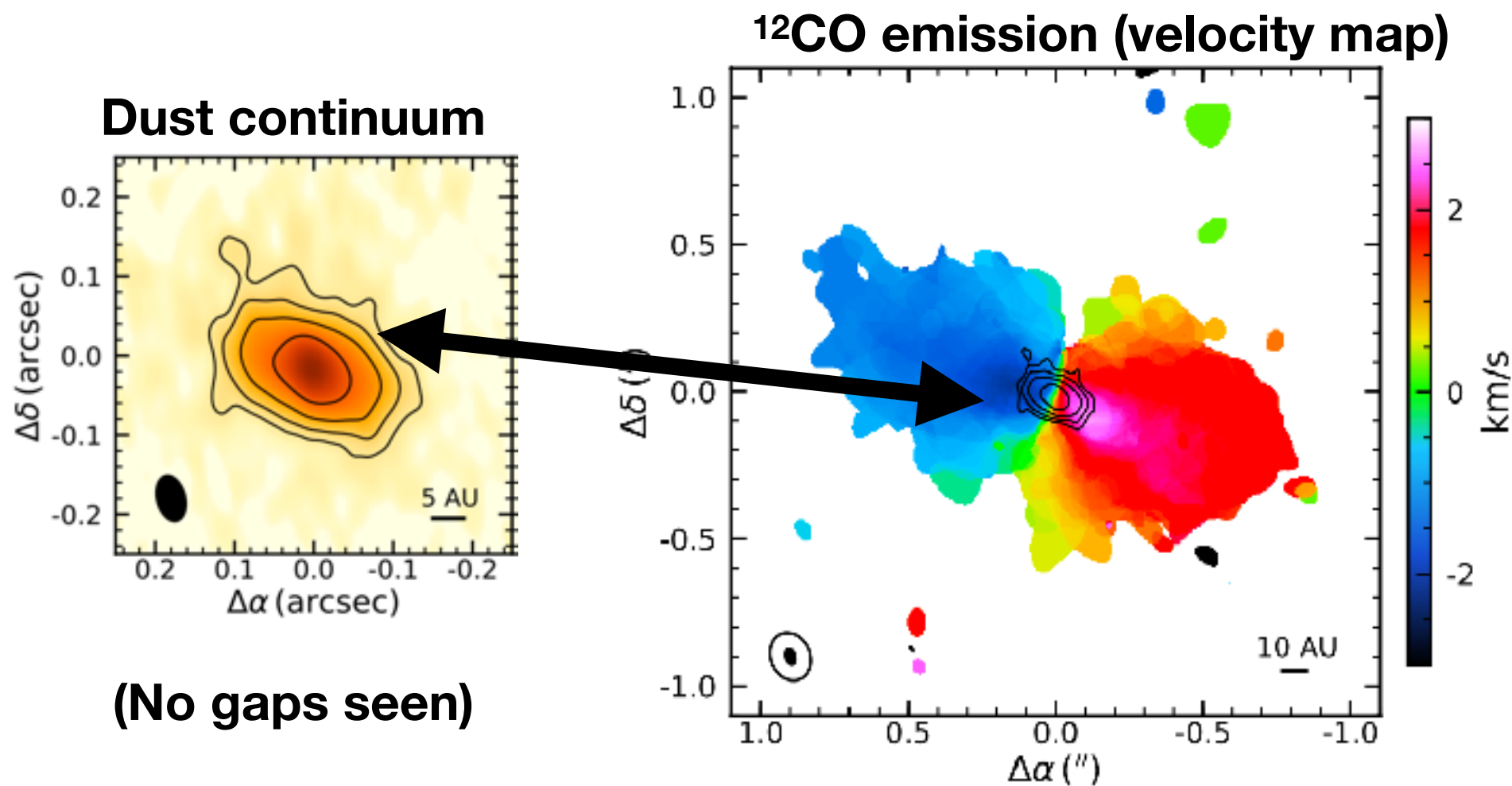
**Typical dust evolution models of drift-dominated
disks result in much higher ratios: dust traps must
be present in these disks!**



Gas-to-dust size ratio

Most extreme example

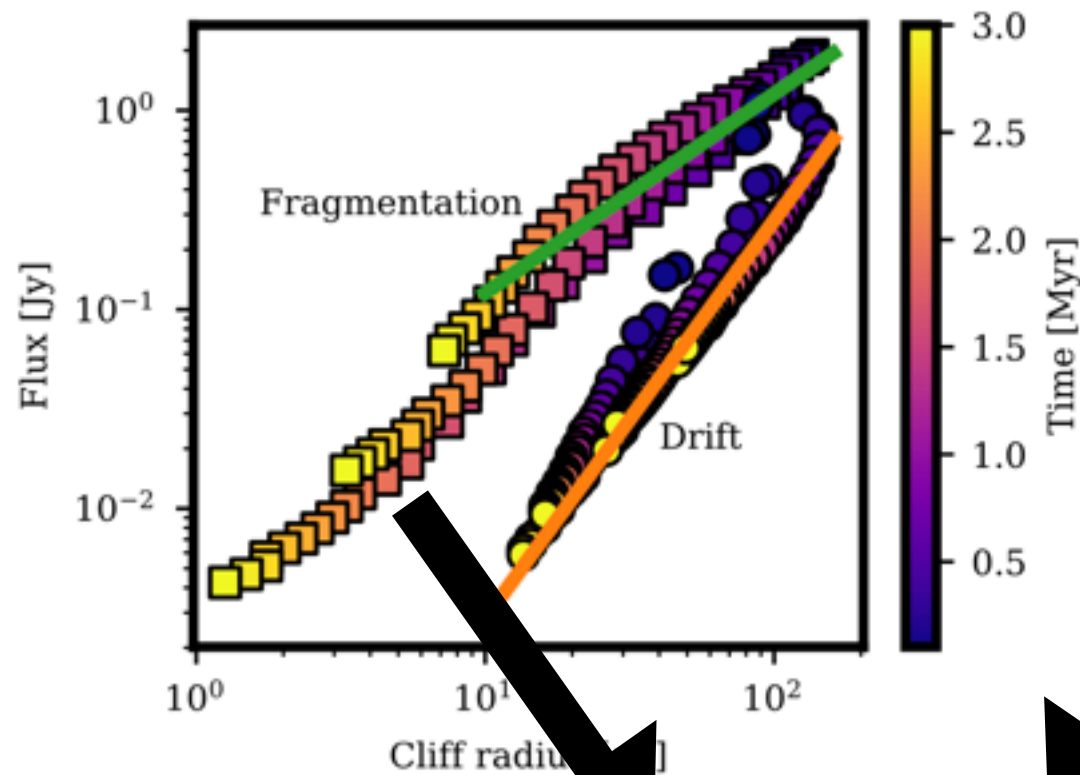
CX Tau (at high resolution of $0.04''$!) with a ratio of >6 :



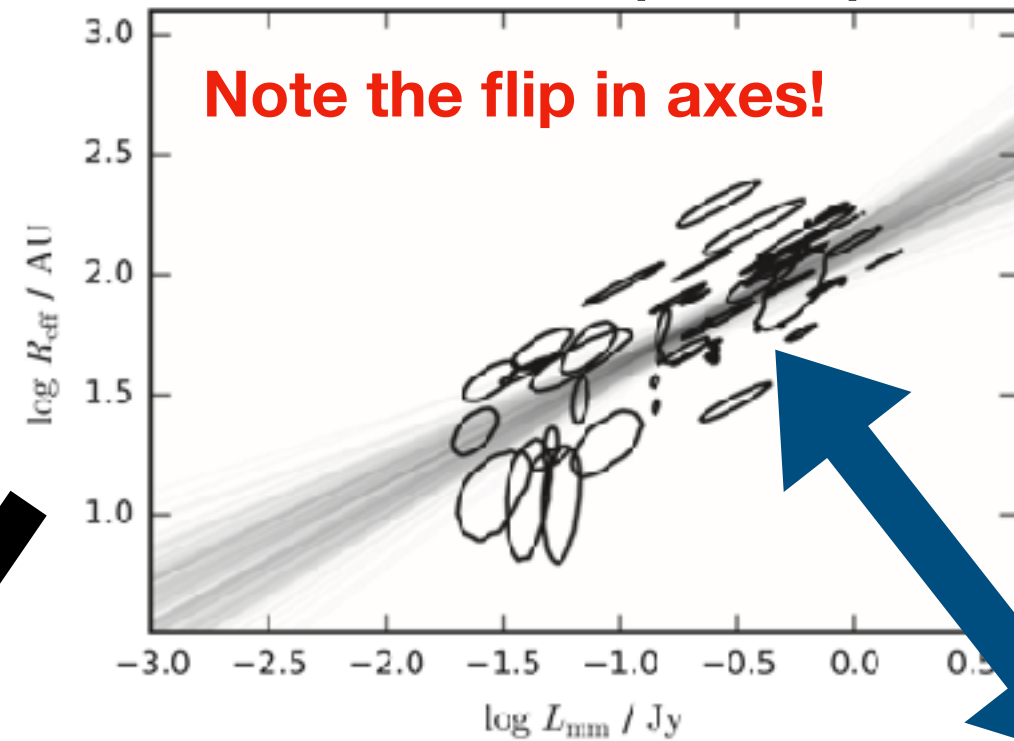
This may be a case of a drift-dominated disk, but very few small disks have been resolved at high spatial resolution

Observational evidence: the size-luminosity diagram

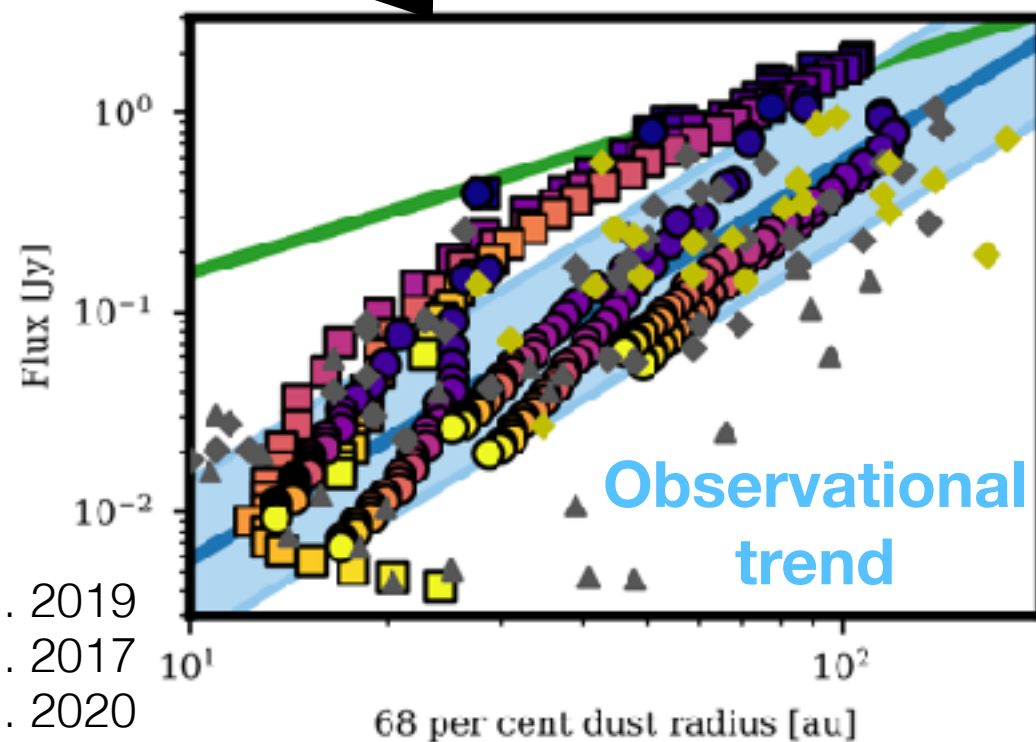
Dust evolution models



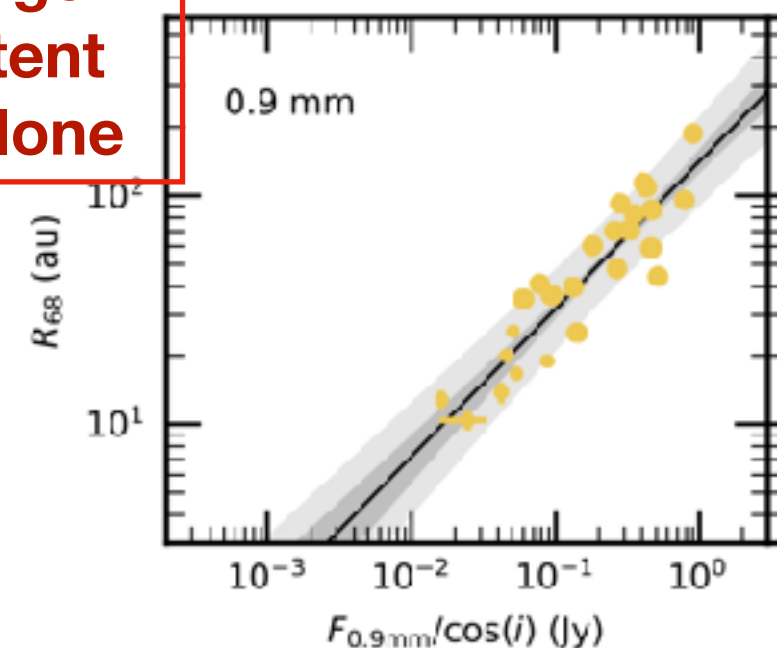
Observations (Taurus)



Observations (Lupus)



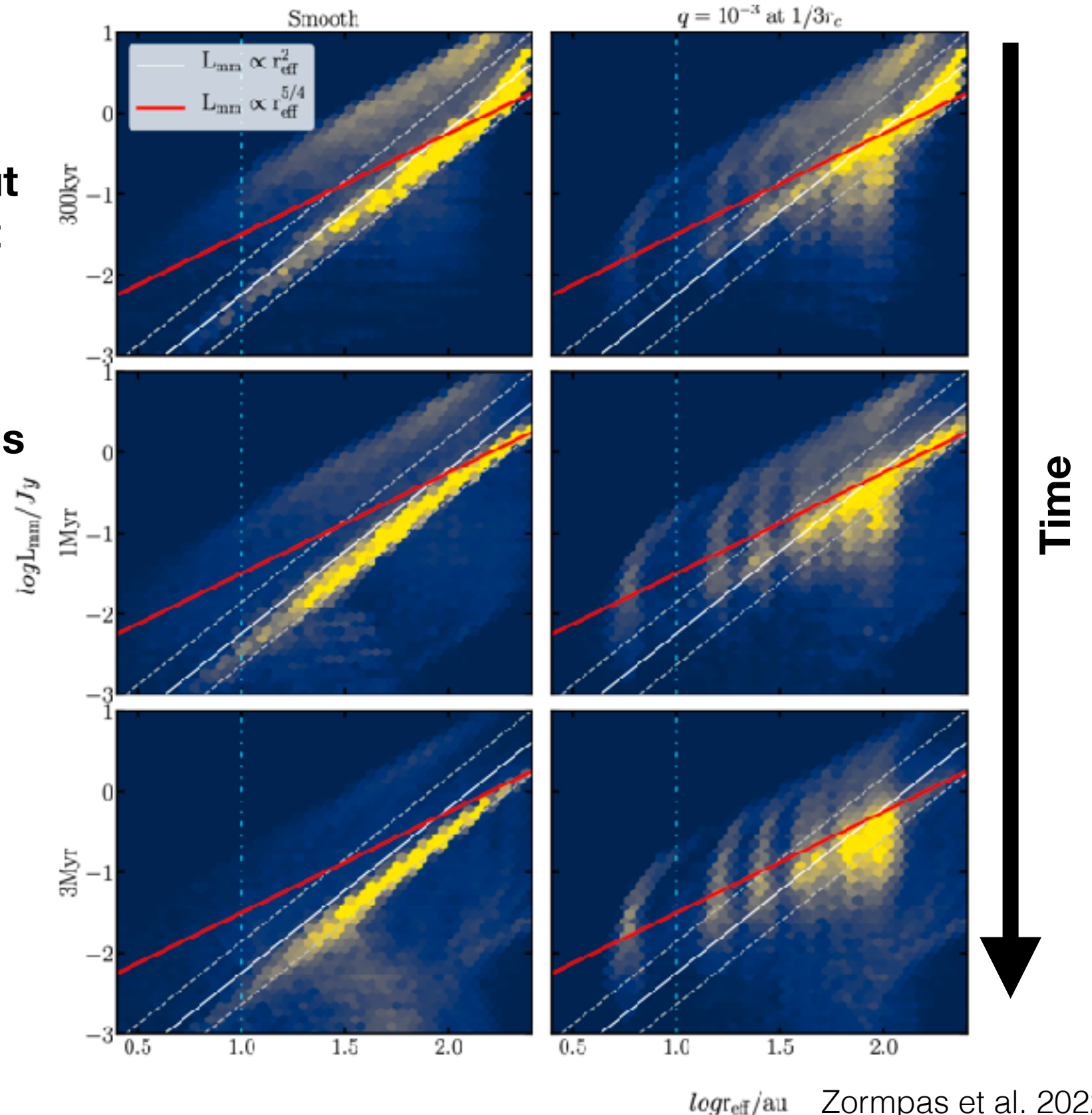
Inconclusive: large
scatter inconsistent
with radial drift alone



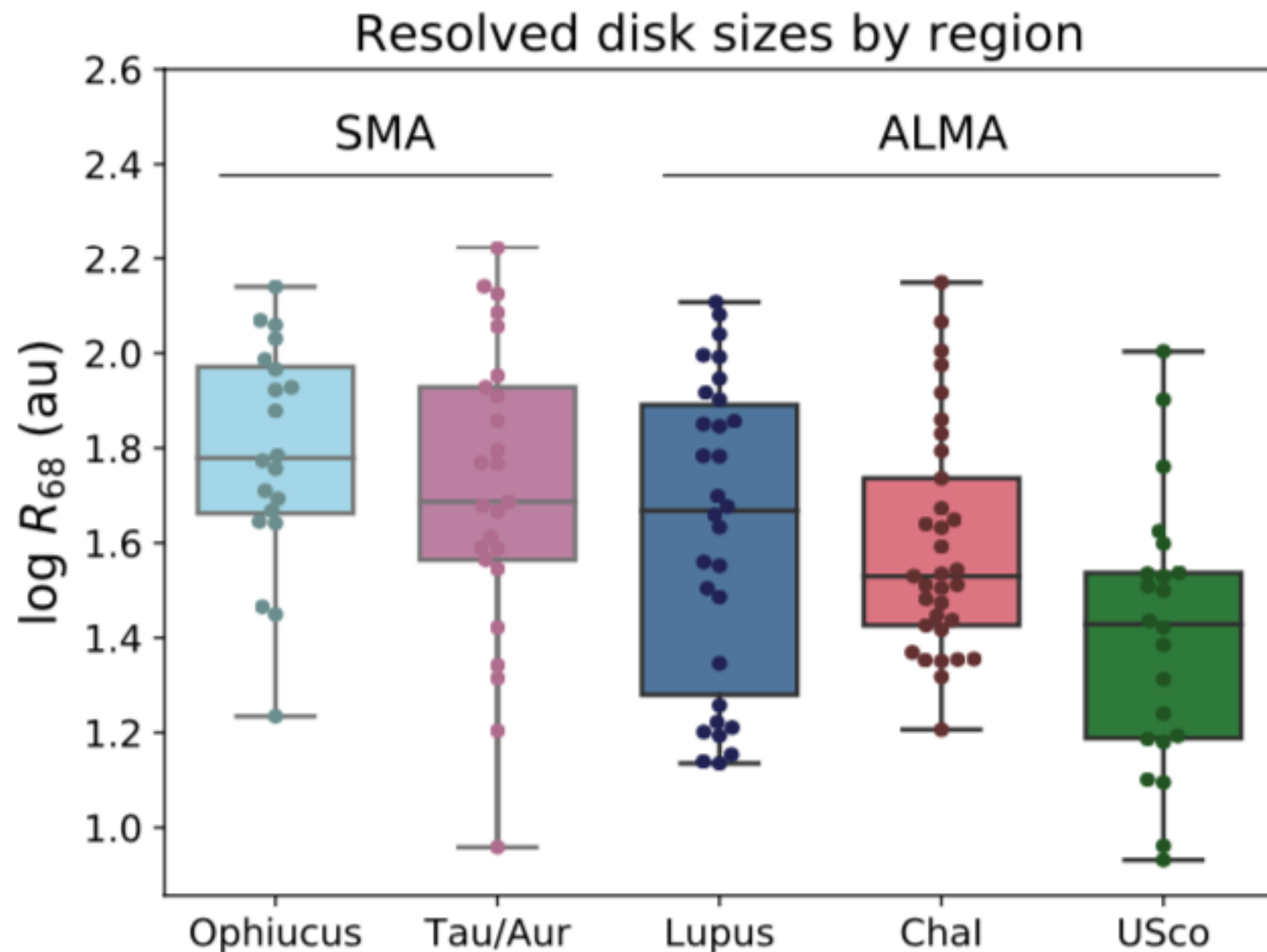
Observational evidence: the size-luminosity diagram

Another set of dust evolution simulations, now with and without dust traps as the result of planet gaps (q planet mass ratio)

Slope in size-luminosity diagram is different, but not distinguishable for larger disk sizes (>20 au)



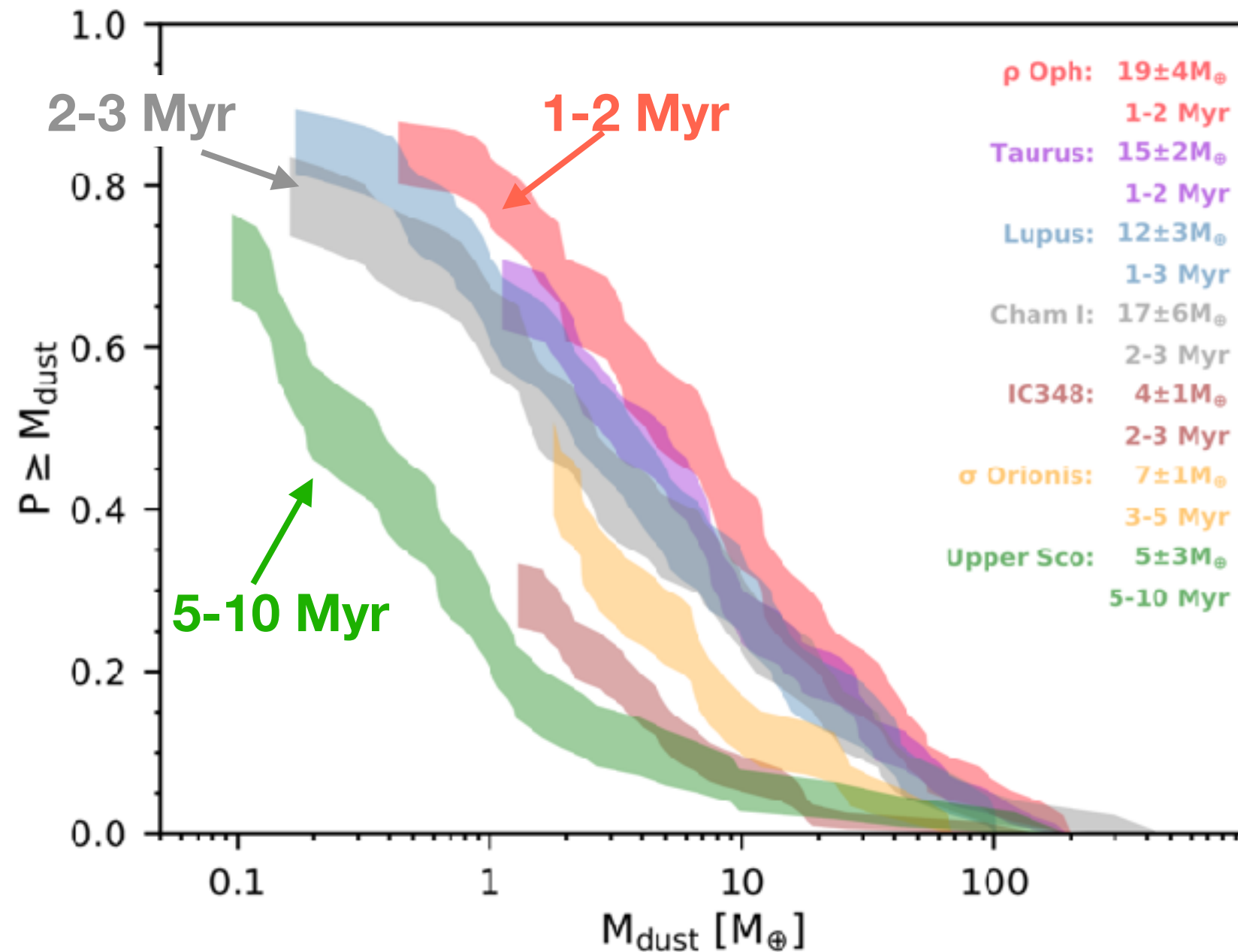
R_{dust} evolution



Overall, dust disk size decreases with time, but with significant scatter: consistent with radial drift?

M_{dust} evolution

More on dust mass
evolution
in Lecture 5



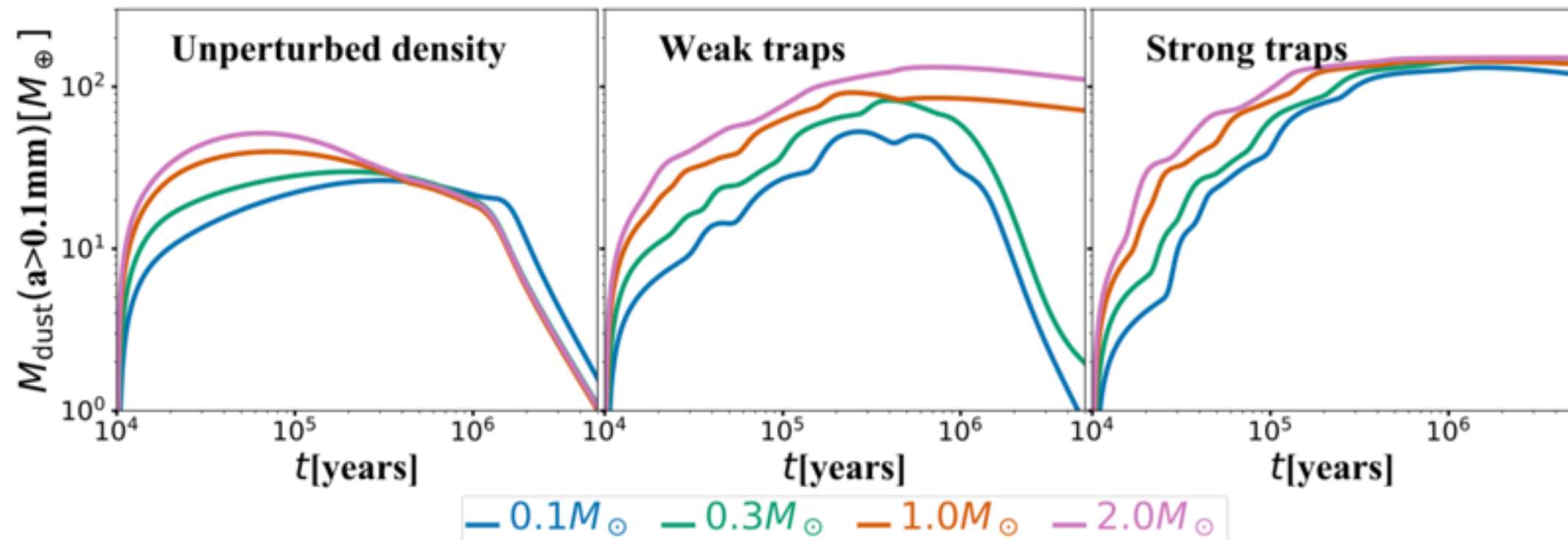
$$M_{\text{dust}} = \frac{F_{\nu} d^2}{\kappa_{\nu} B_{\nu}(T_{\text{dust}})}$$

(Use $\kappa \sim 2.3$ at 230 GHz,
see Andrews et al. 2013)

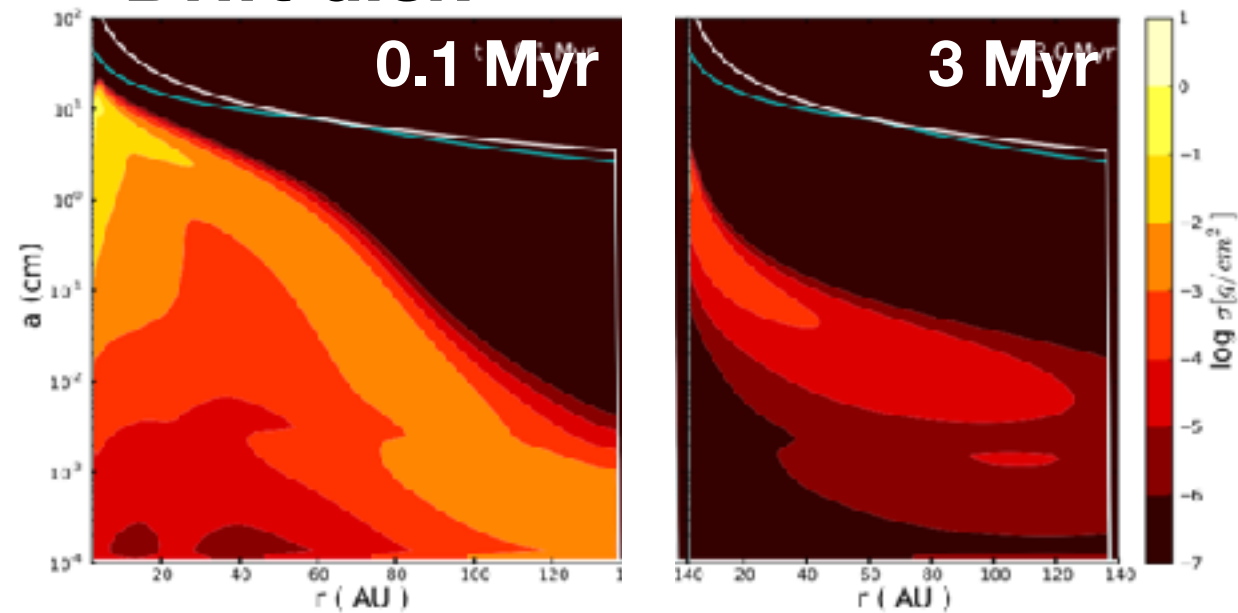
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M_{dust} evolution

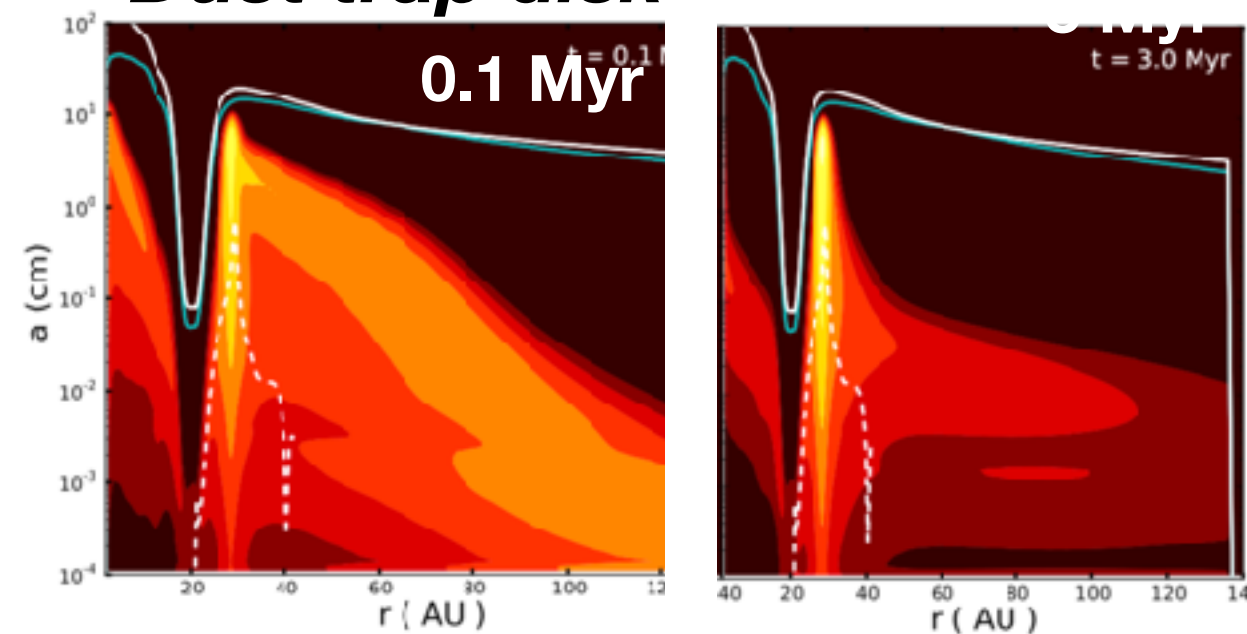
Disk dust mass decreases rapidly (factor 20 in 5 Myr) through radial drift



Drift disk



Dust trap disk

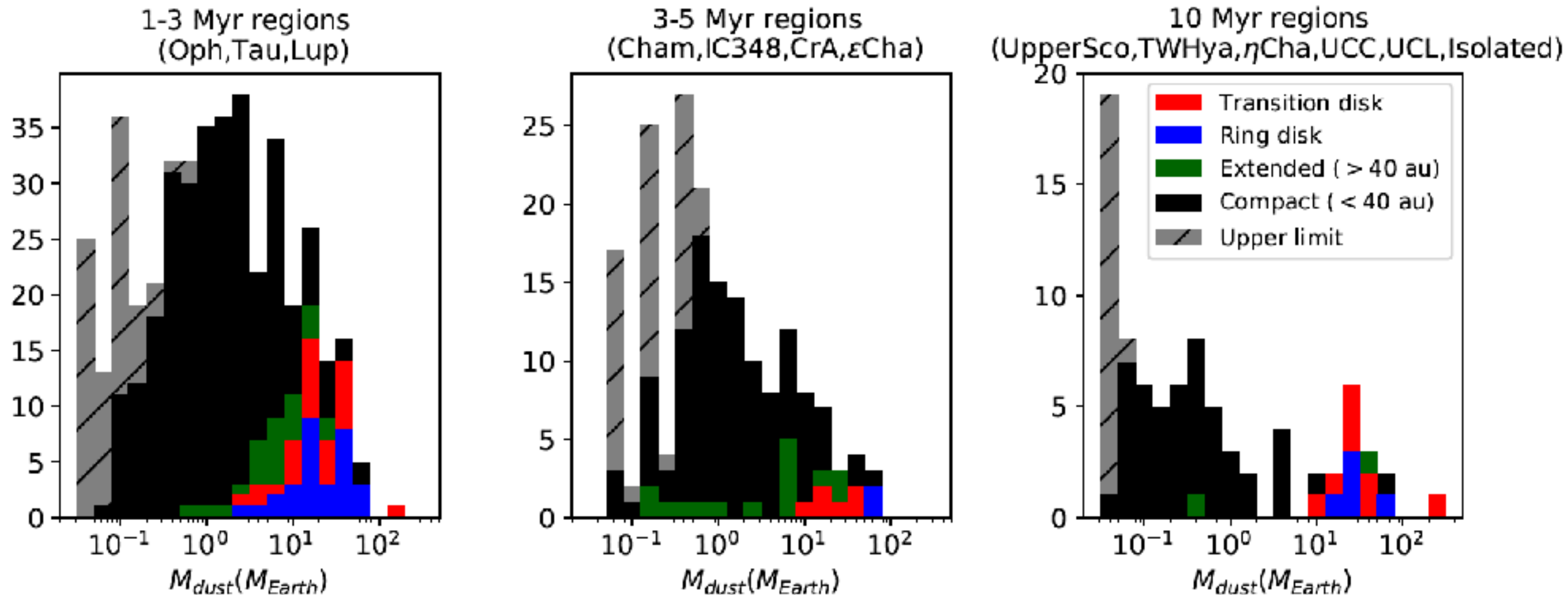


Summary

- Dust evolves separately from the gas.
- Dust evolution depends on the presence or absence of pressure bumps
- In case of radial drift, dust mass decreases much more rapidly than accretion rates and gas disk mass:
=> important argument not to use dust mass as tracer gas mass (see also Lecture 5)
- Dust evolution timescales depend on a number of unknown parameters such as fragmentation velocity, sticking efficiency and turbulence
- For proper observables, gas and dust evolution needs to be combined

Disk dust evolution

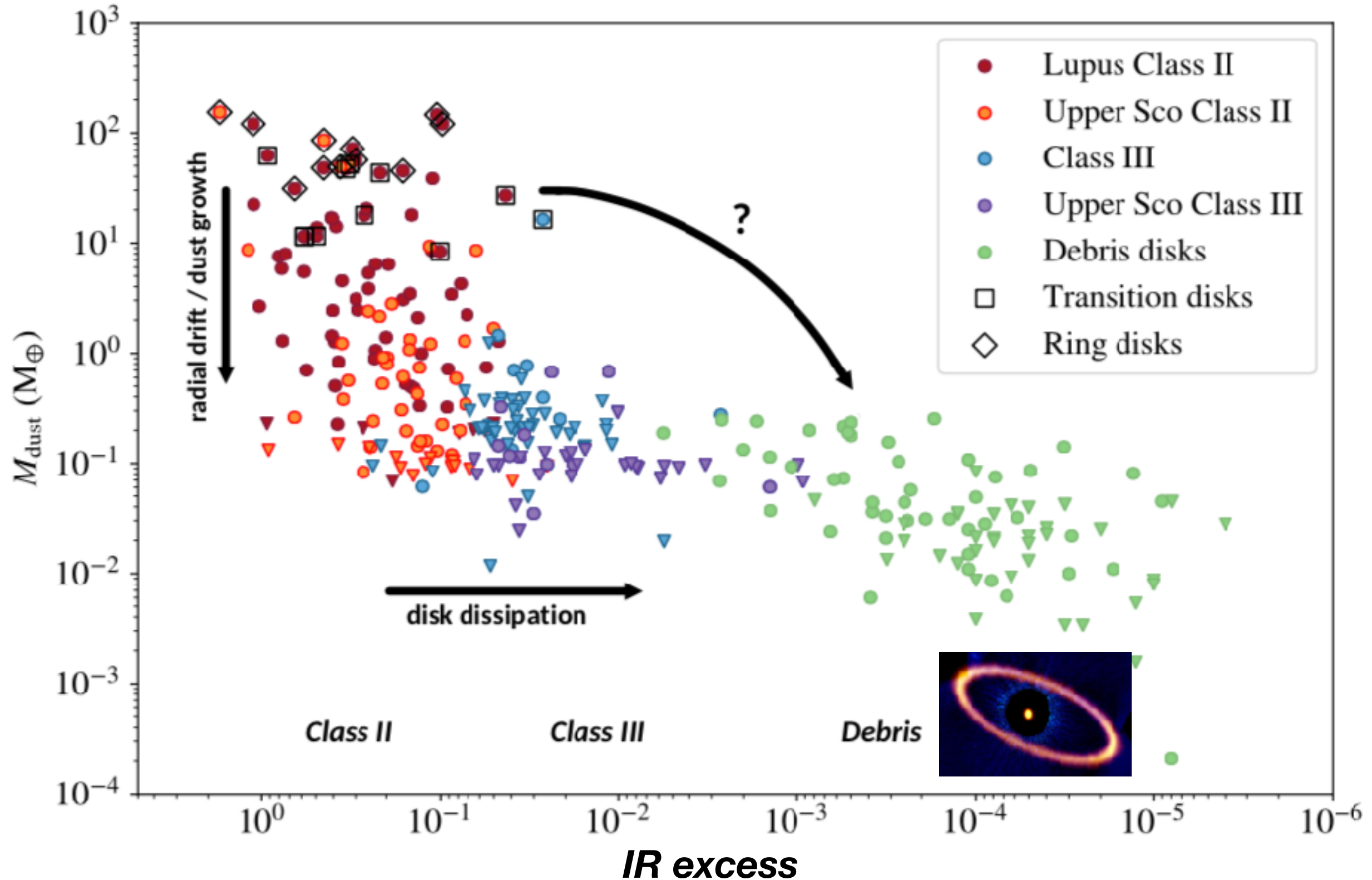
Distribution dust masses as function of age and disk type



Age

Two separate evolutionary pathways:
the gapped disks and compact disks

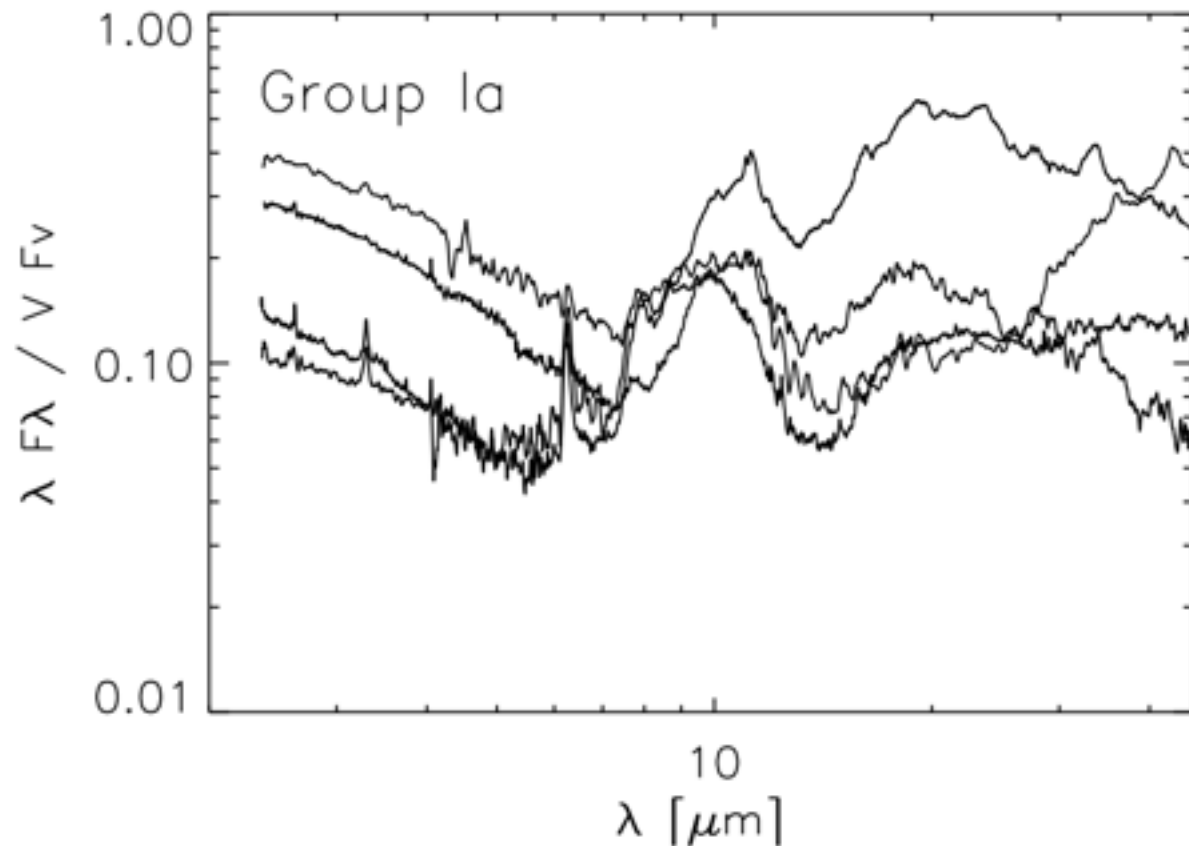
Disk evolution to debris disks



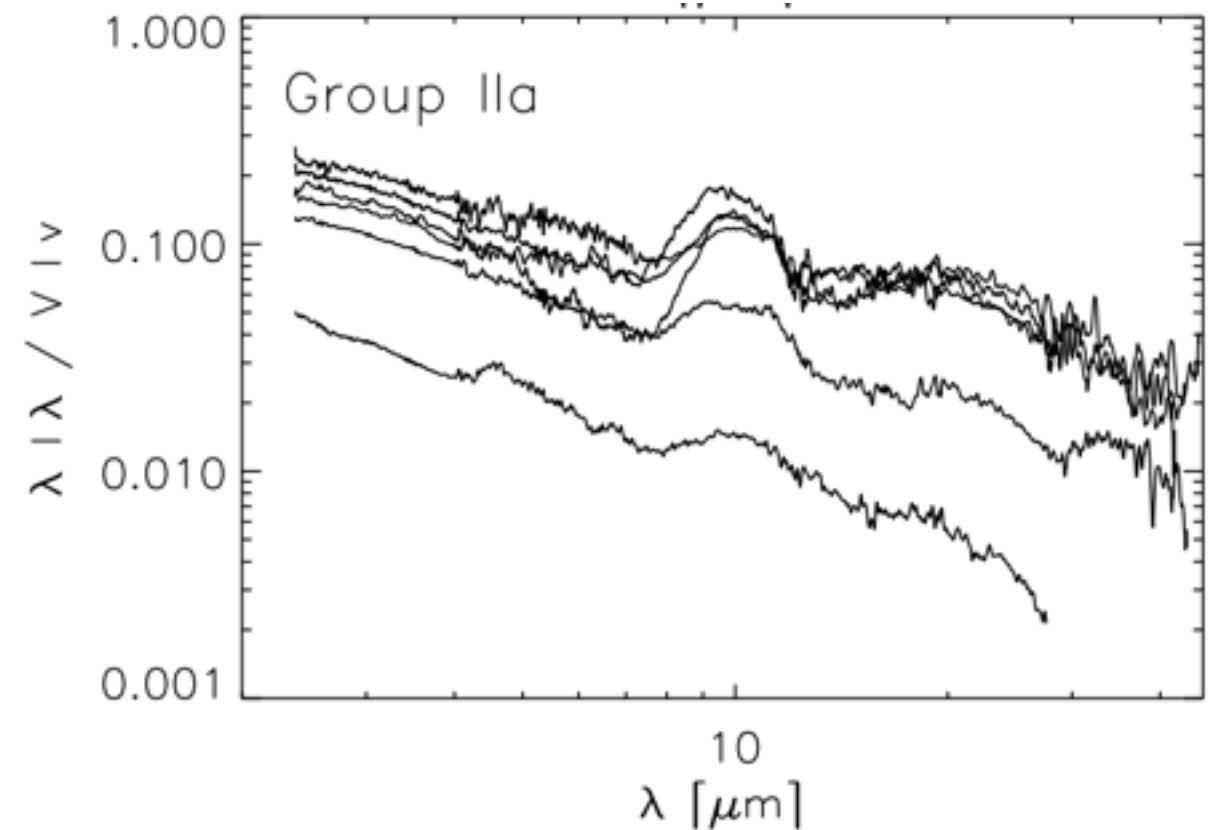
Are gapped disks progenitors
of debris disks?

Disk evolution in Herbig stars

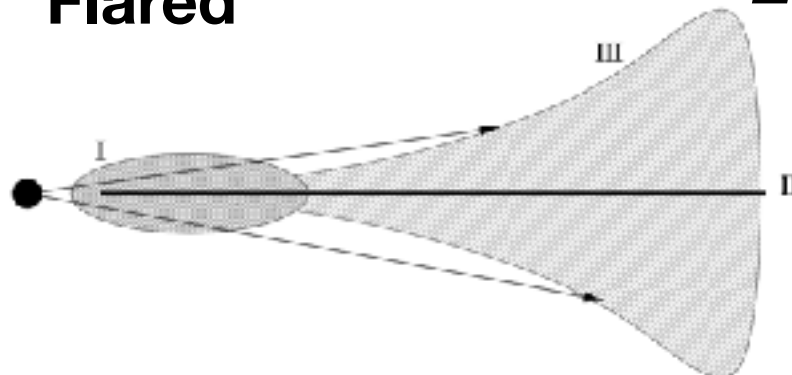
Infrared classification:
Group I



Group II



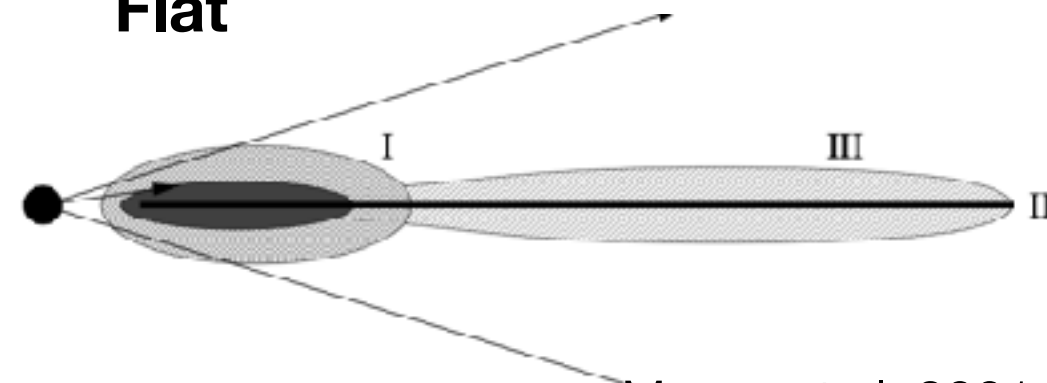
Flared



*Evolutionary sequence
of settling?*

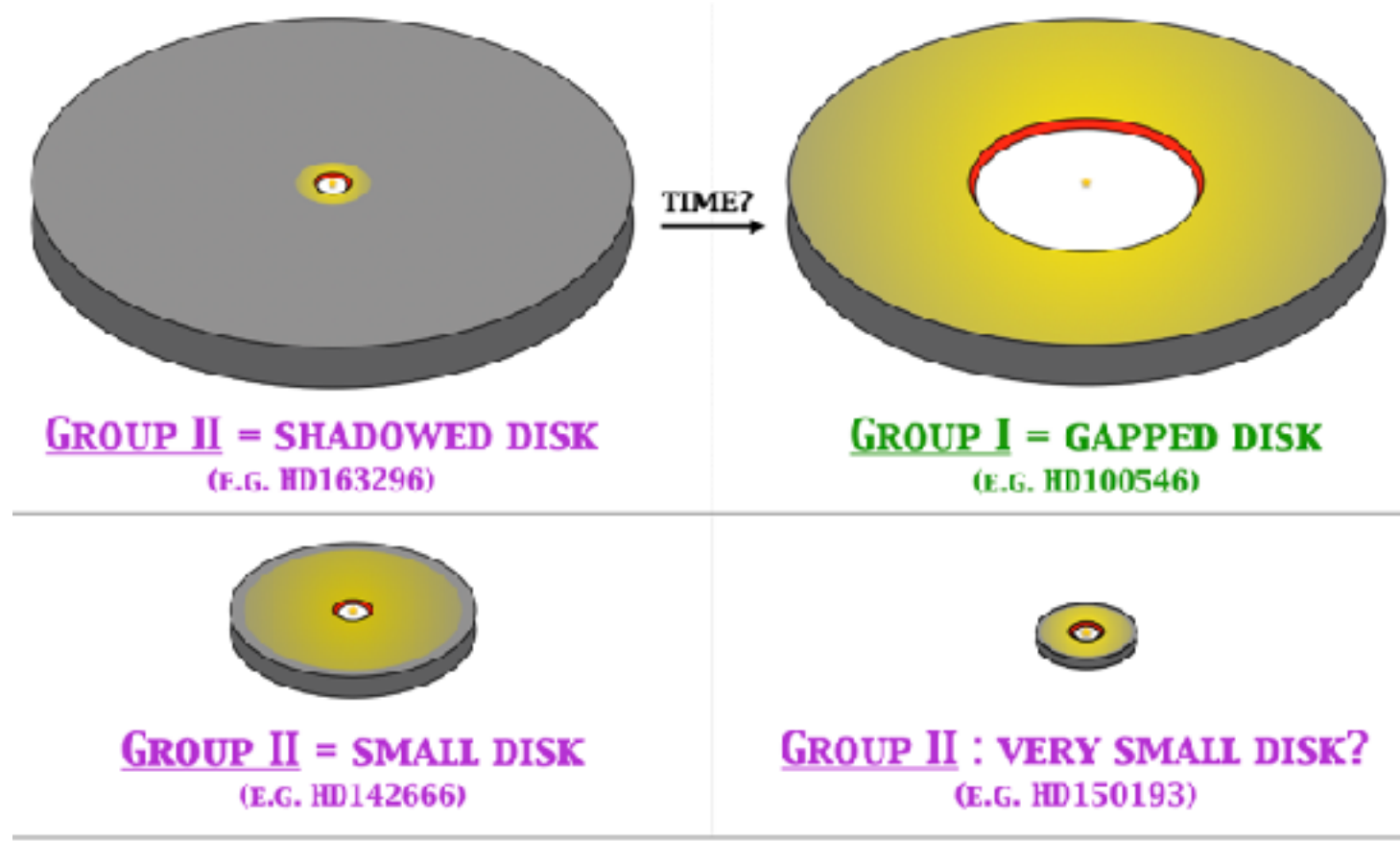


Flat

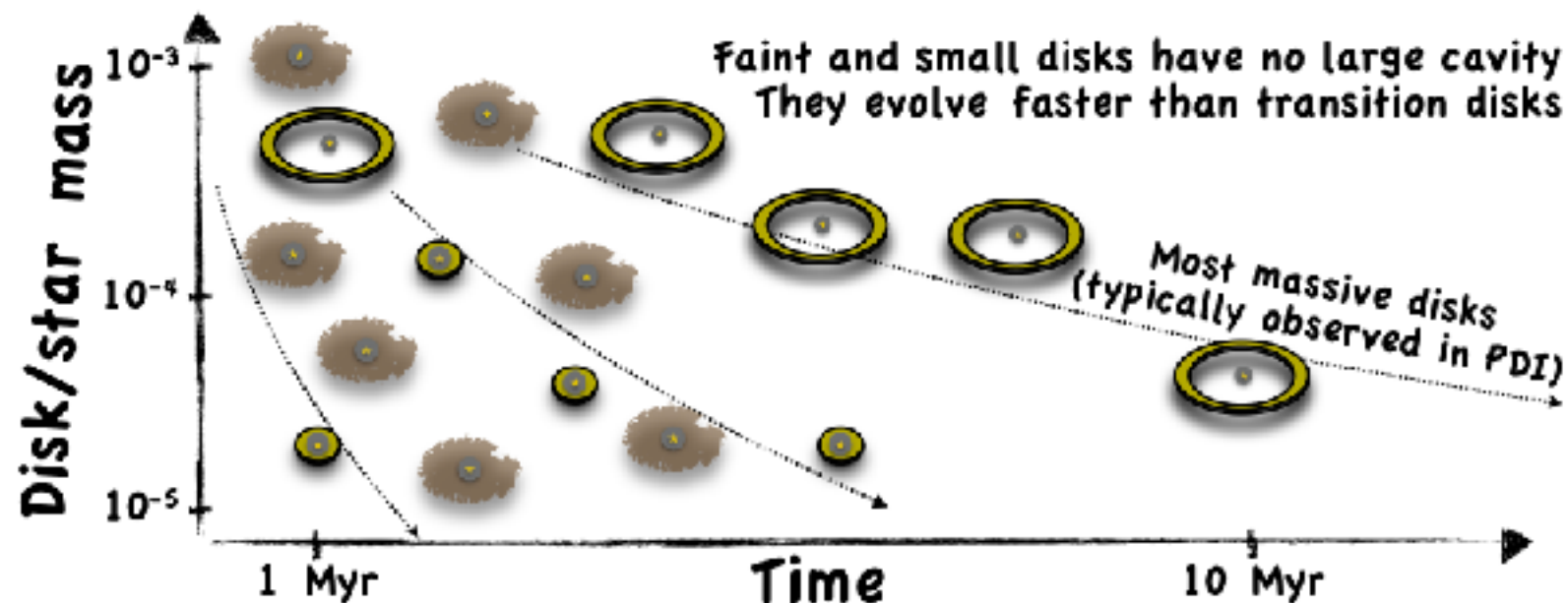


Disk evolution in Herbig stars

Group I disks all have inner cavities, while Group II disks do not: evidence against evolutionary sequence

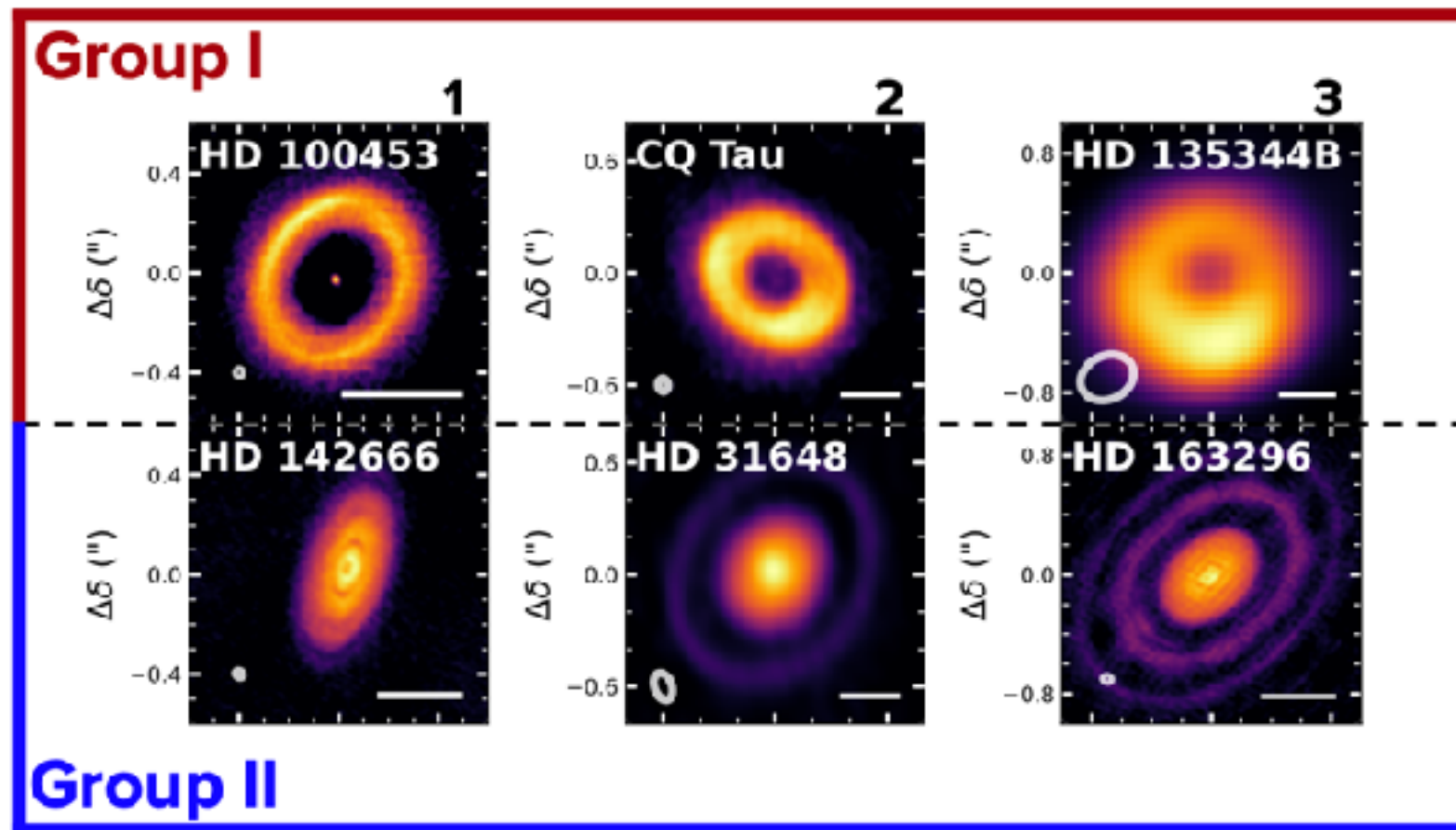


Instead: two paths of evolution!

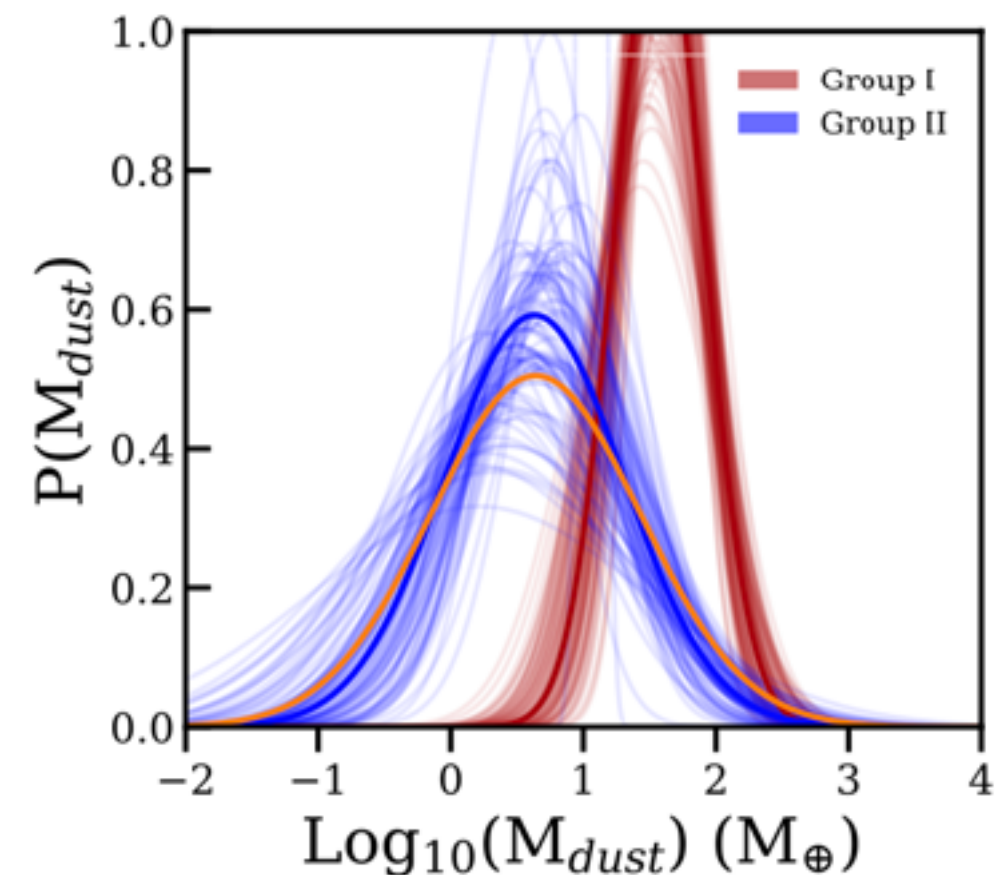


Disk evolution in Herbig stars

This evolutionary pathway is also seen in ALMA observations in the mm-dust distribution



Group I disks have large scale gaps and high dust mass (trap) and Group II disks are generally more compact (drift) with some outliers



Questions?

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