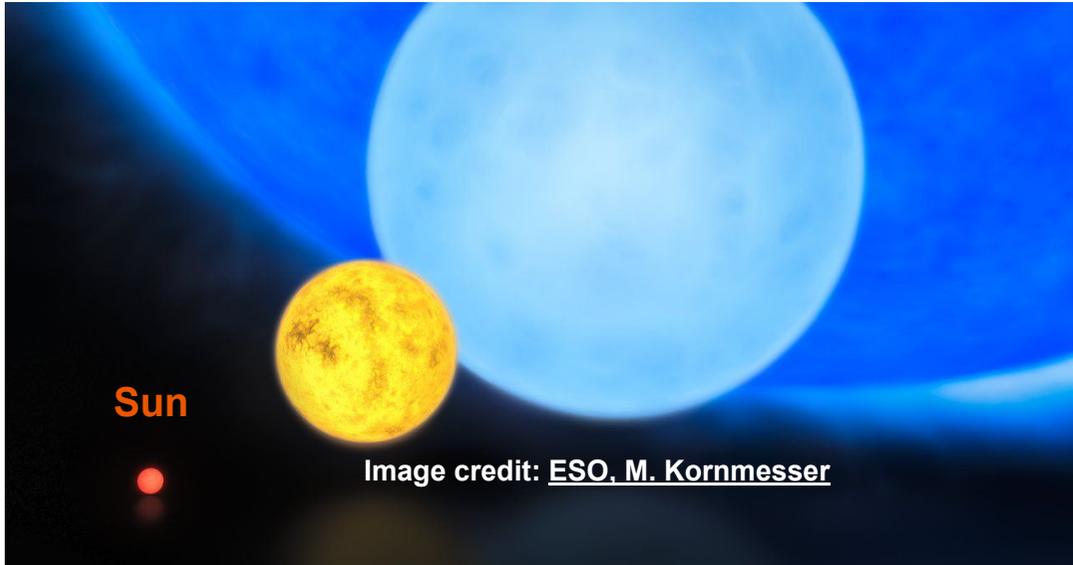


# High-resolution spectroscopy of ionized plasmas in the Universe

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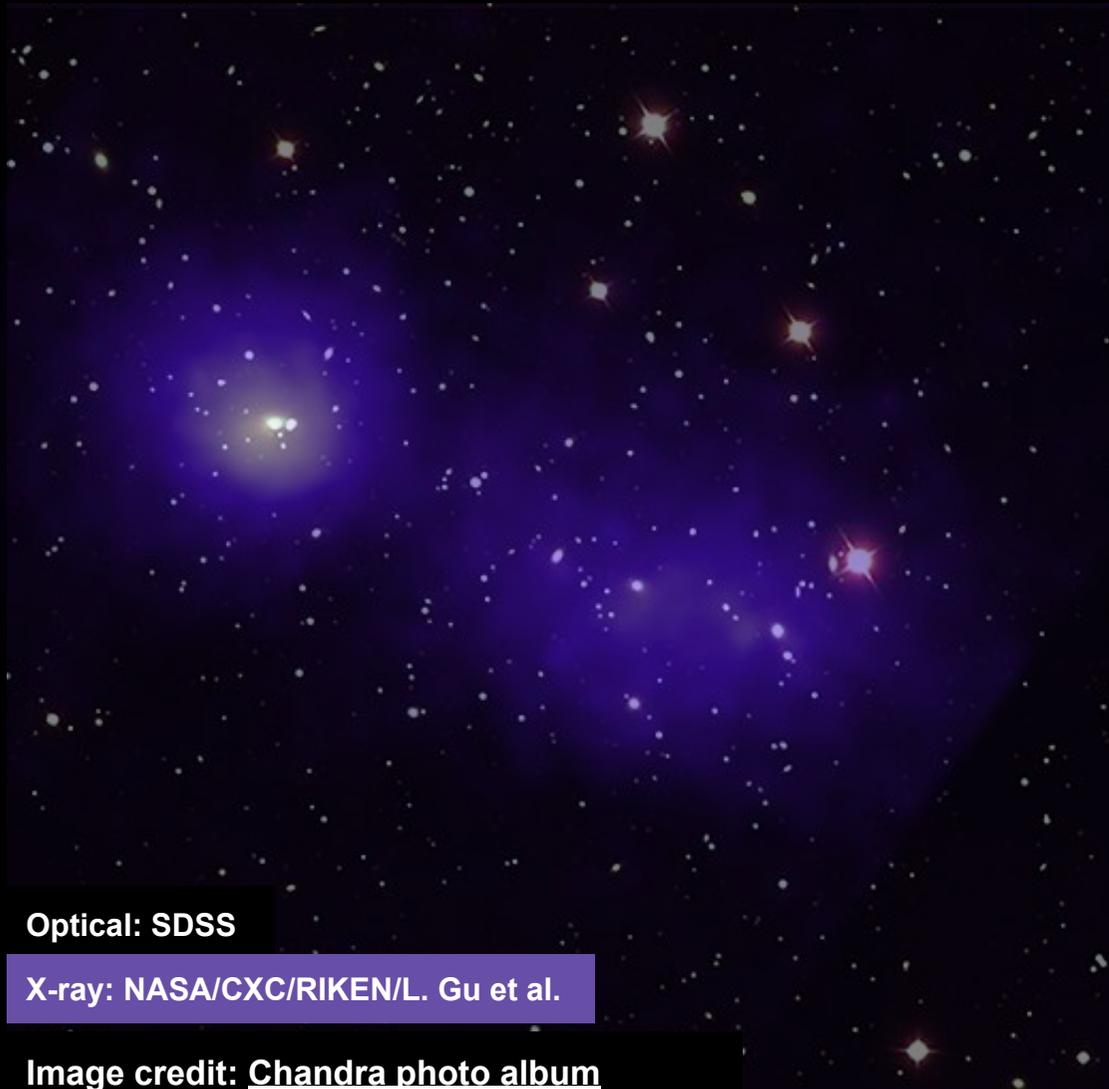


# Galaxies, stars, and black holes in the Universe

cosmo social distance



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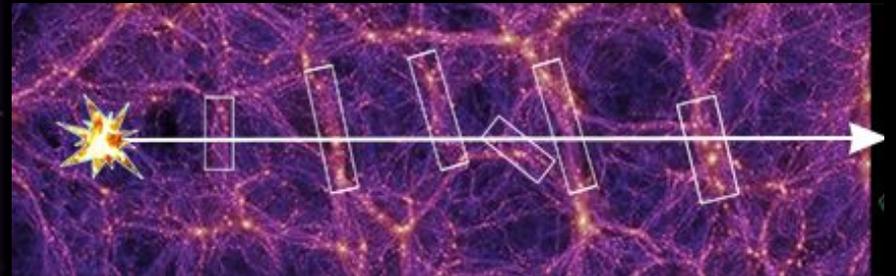
Optical: SDSS

X-ray: NASA/CXC/RIKEN/L. Gu et al.

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**Ionized plasmas**



**Black holes, stars, and galaxies.**

# CIELO-RGS



A catalog of ~12000 lines from ~1600 RGS spectra (stellar coronae, XRBs, SNRs, AGN, galaxies, etc.)

RGS Spectrum

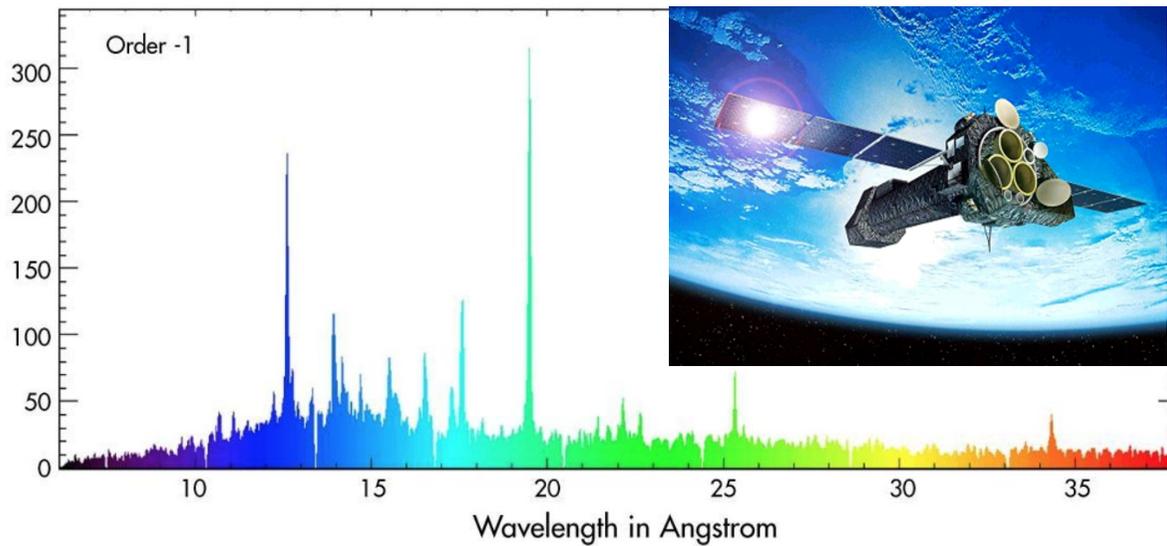
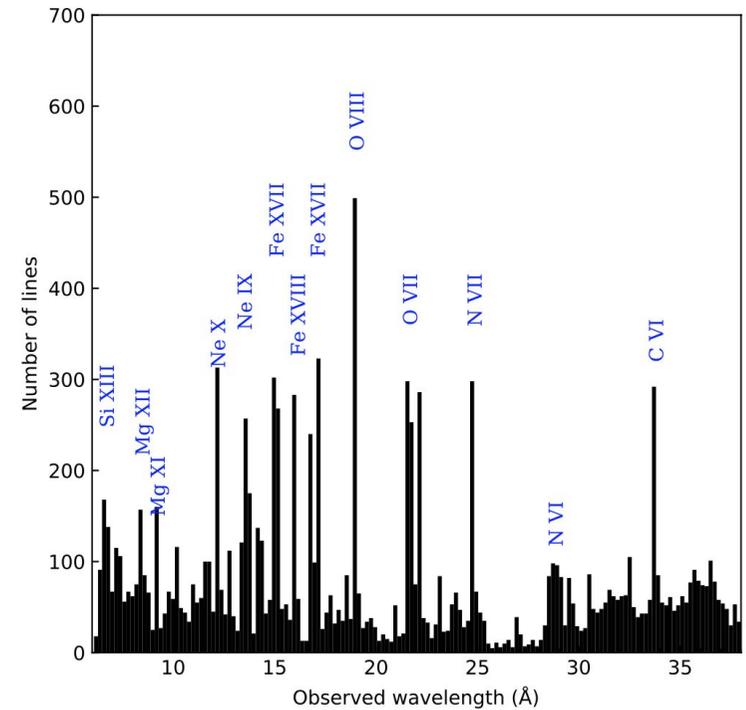


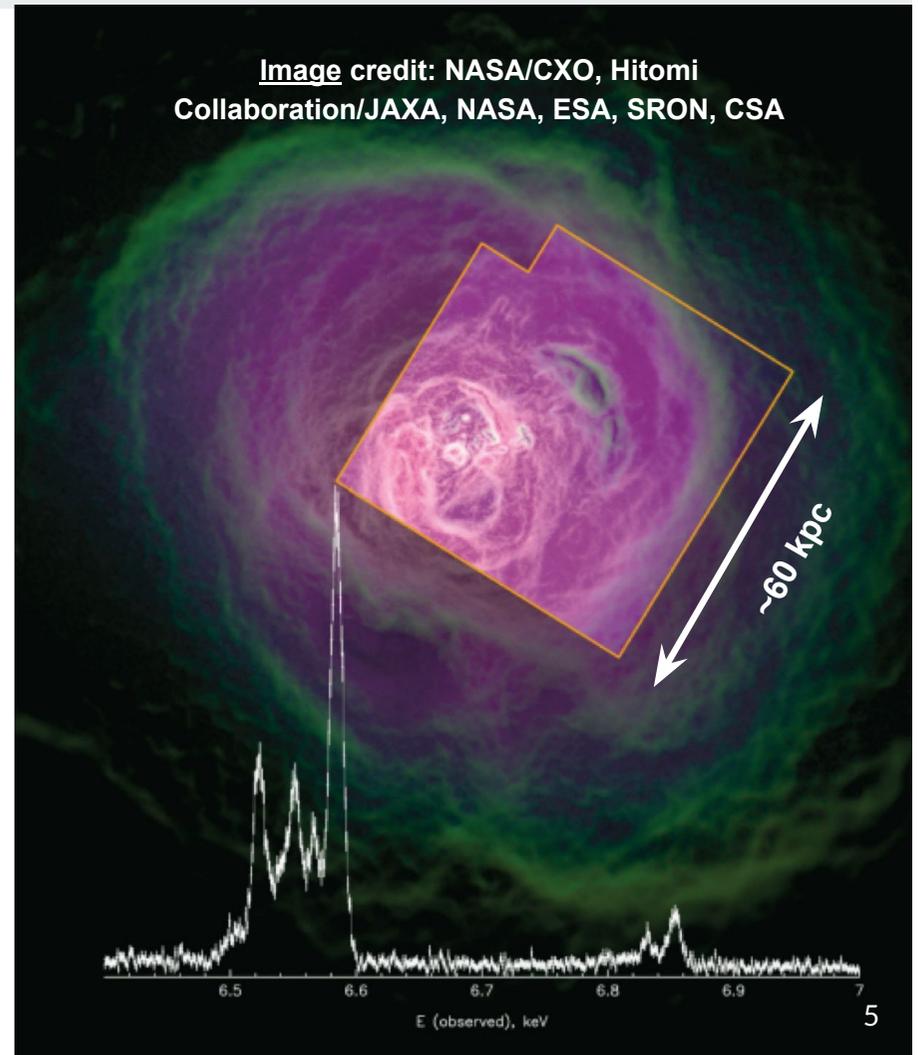
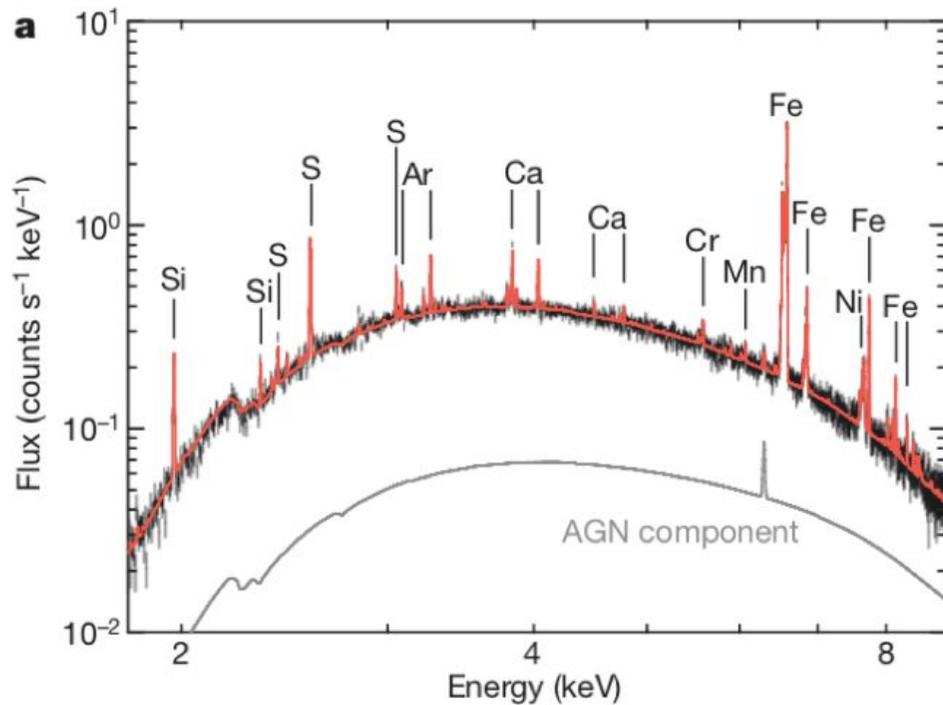
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[Mao et al. 2019c](#)



# Perseus galaxy cluster

[Hitomi collaboration, 2017, Nature](#)



# Supernova (SN)

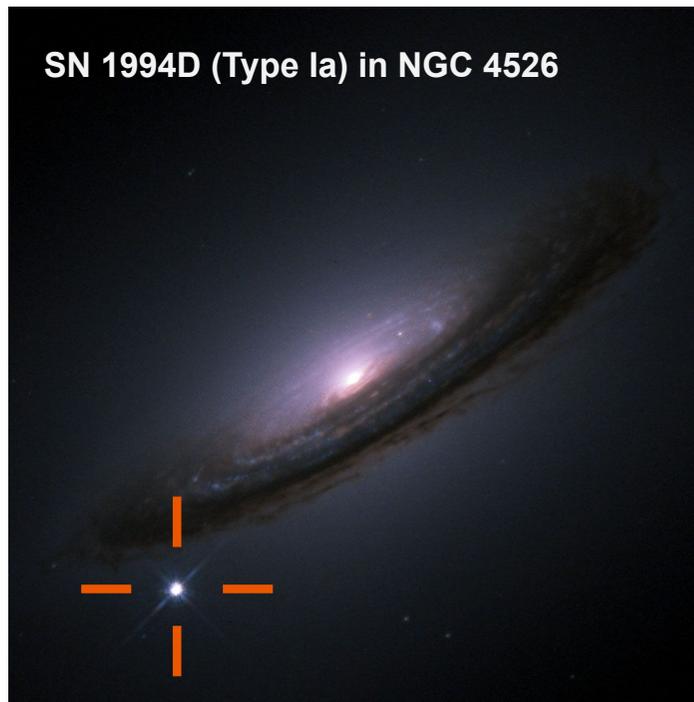


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Location of elements in supernova remnant Cassiopeia A (Type IIb)

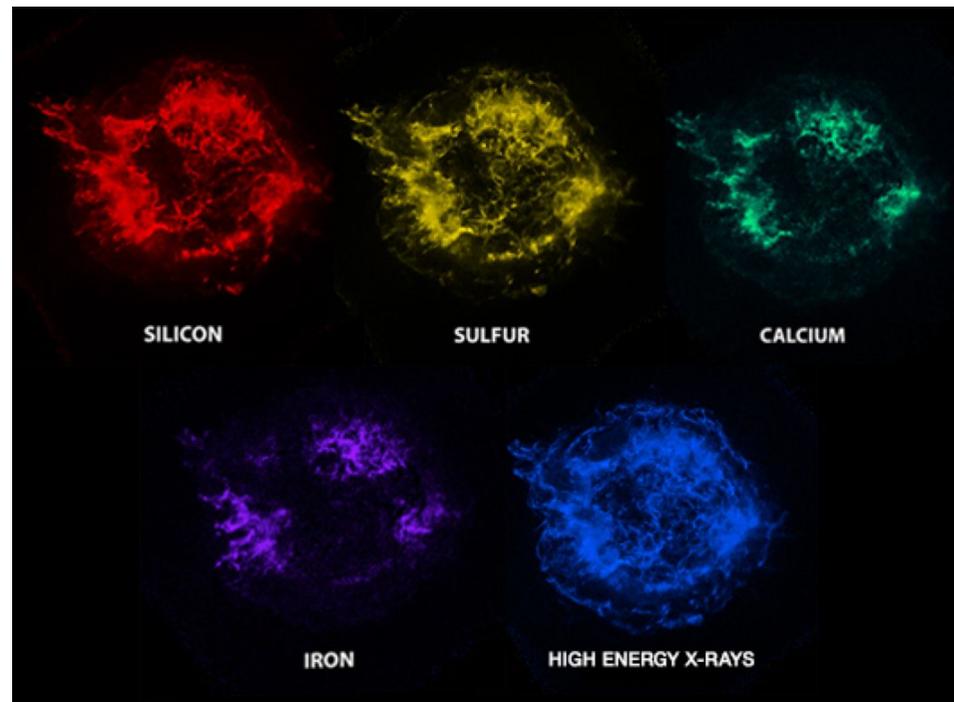
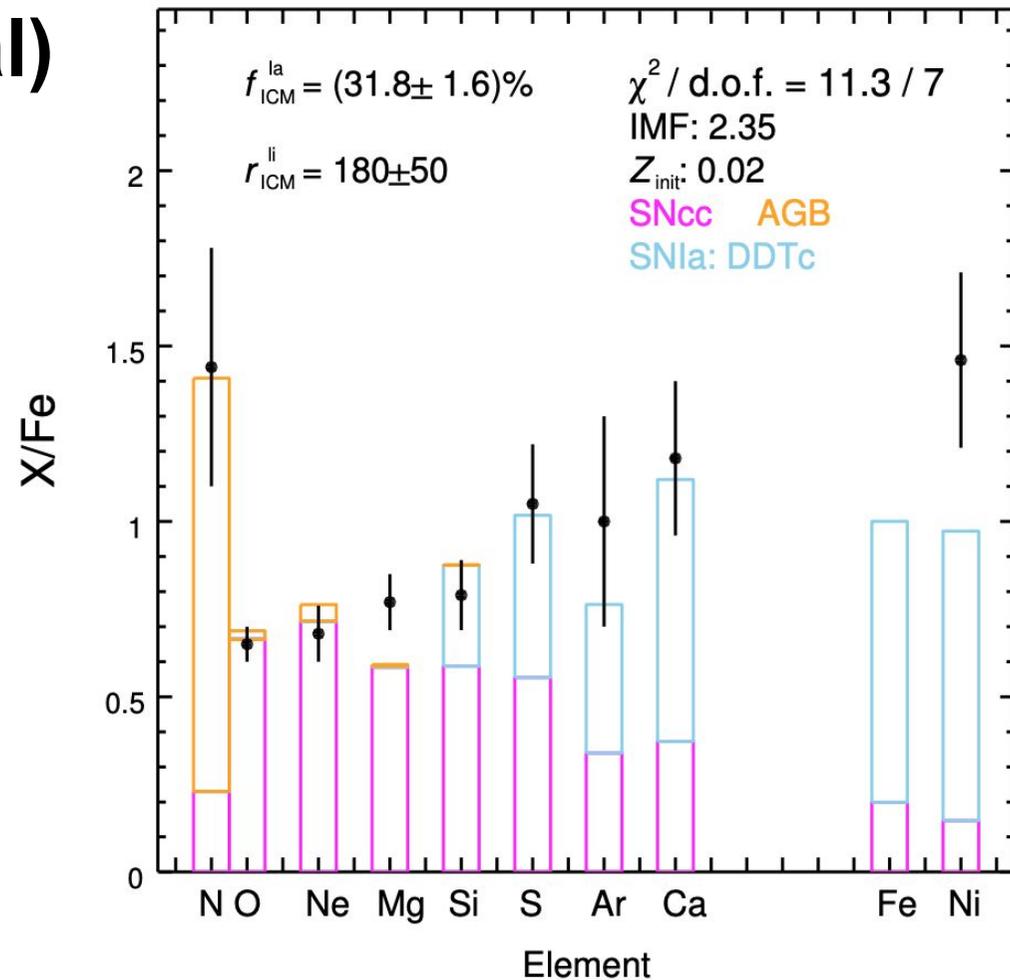


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# NGC 5044 (elliptical)

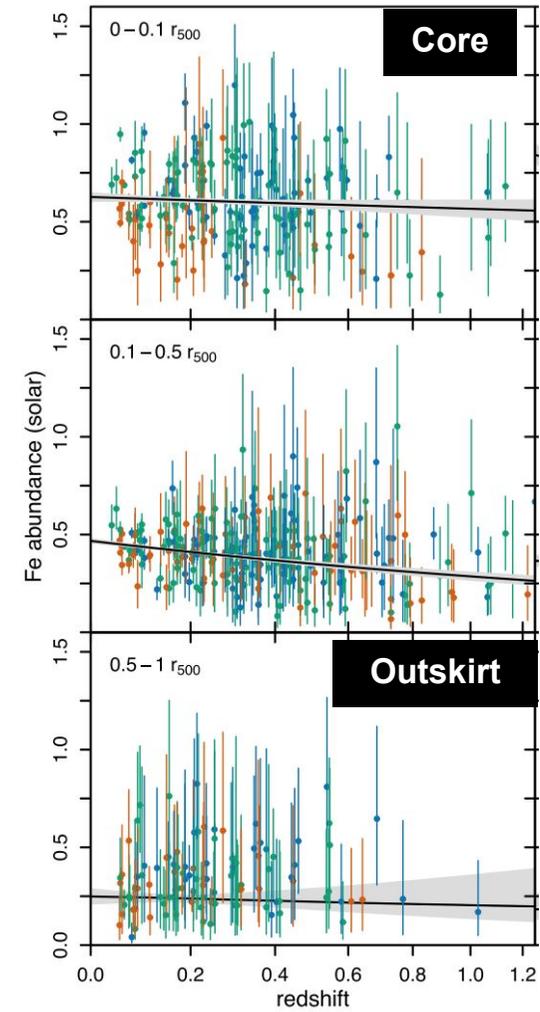
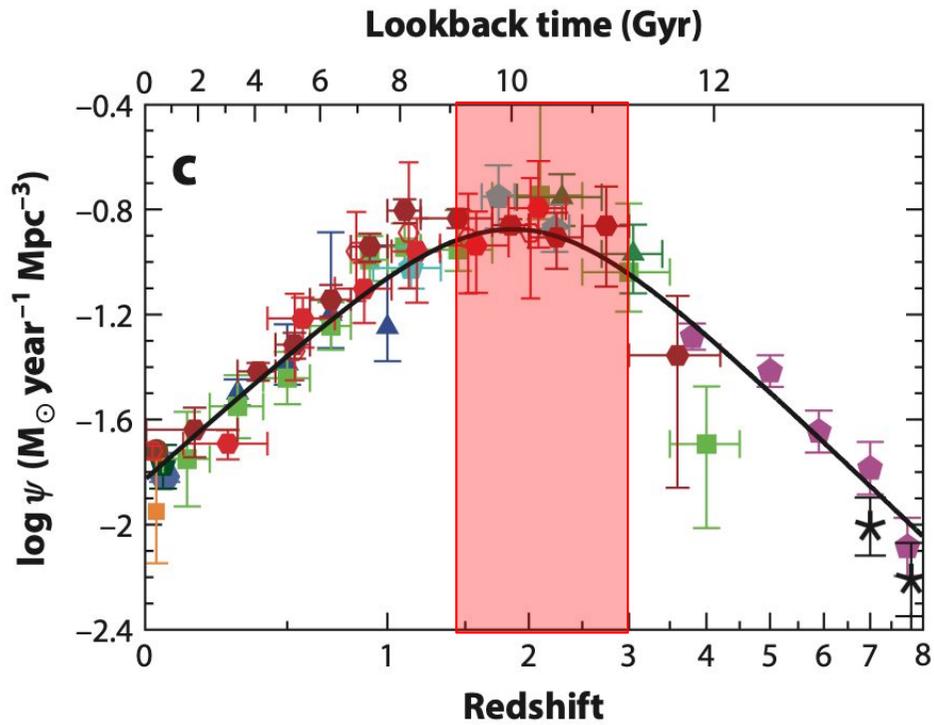
- Type Ia supernovae (SNIa): the main metal factory of Fe and Ni
- Core-collapse supernovae (SNcc) are the main metal factory of O to Mg
- AGBs: the main metal factory of N
- Still more to learn

[Mao et al. 2019a](#)



# Early enrichment

[Madau & Dickson, 2014, ARAA](#)



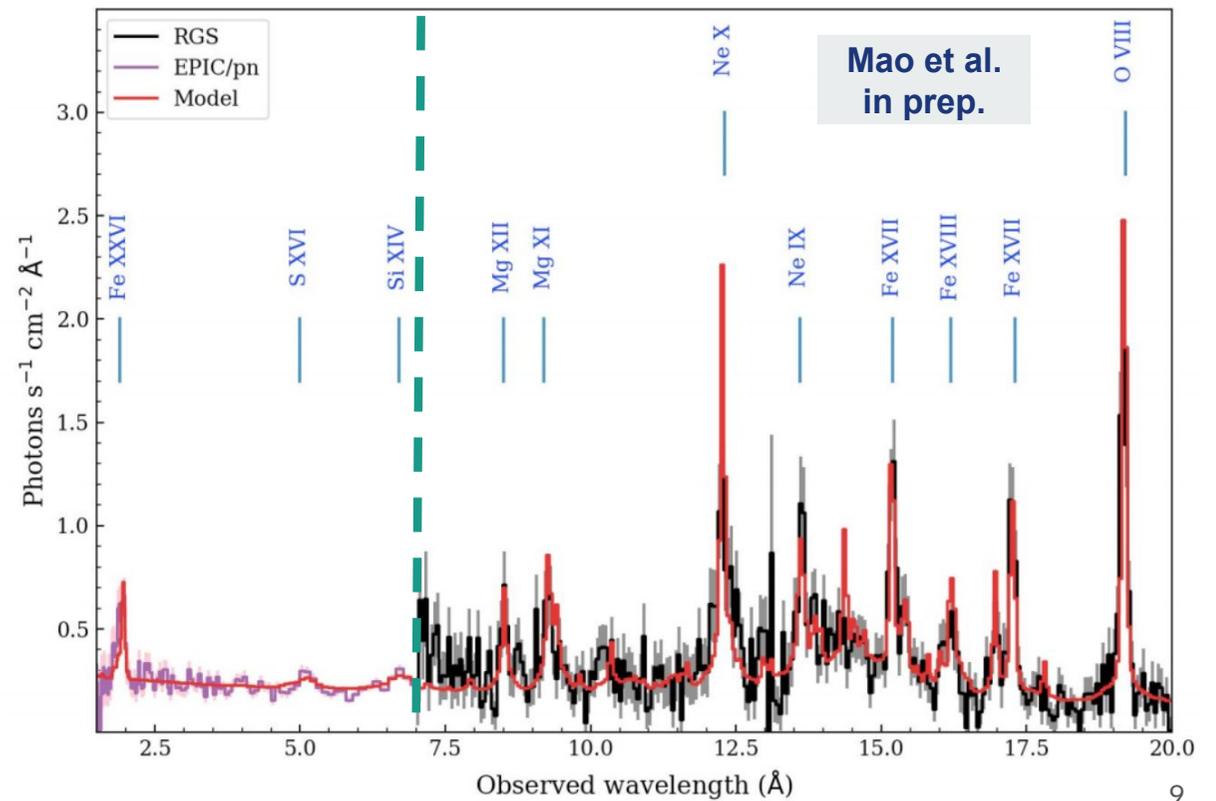
[Mantz et al. 2017](#) (see also [Ettori et al. 2015](#) and [McDonald et al. 2016](#))

# Arp 299 (LIRG)



## Missing high-mass SNcc progenitors (Smartt 2015)

- Theory: SNcc from massive stars with 8 to 40  $M_{\text{sun}}$
- Observation: SNcc from massive stars up to 25  $M_{\text{sun}}$



# AGN ionized winds

- Warm absorber (WA)
- Ultrafast outflow (UFO)
- Obscuring wind

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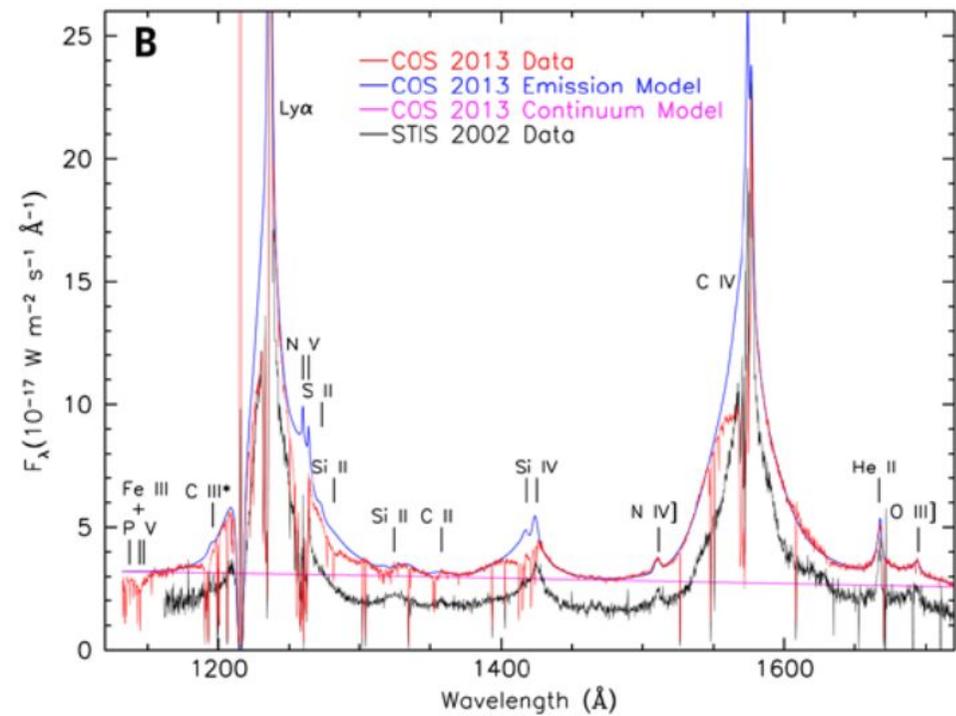
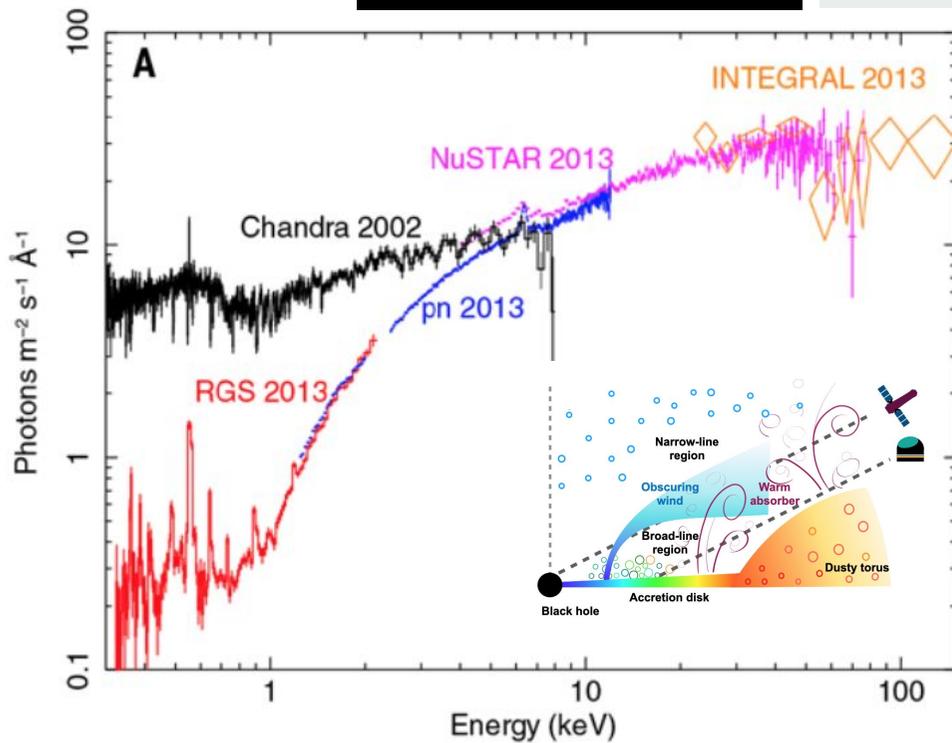
Artist impression of AGN winds  
Image credit: NASA

# NGC 5548 (Seyfert 1)

X-ray: XMM-Newton,  
Chandra, NuSTAR,  
INTEGRAL

[Kaastra et al. 2014, Science](#)

UV: Hubble Space Telescope  
STIS or COS

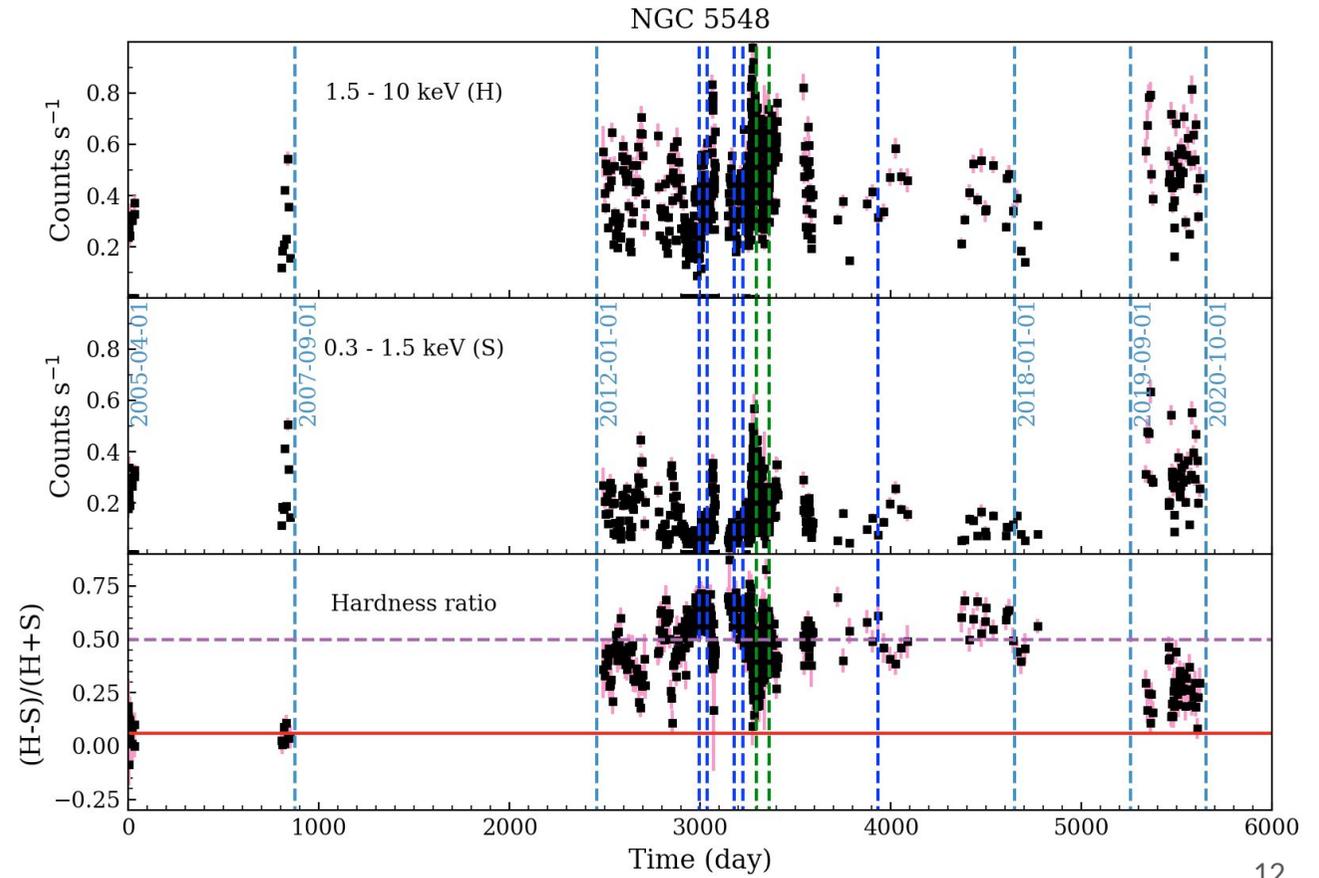
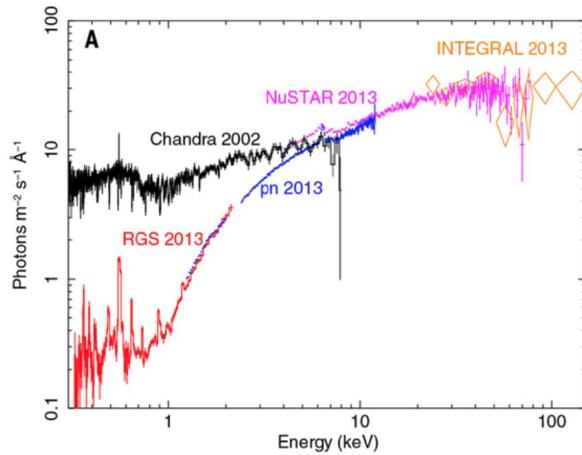




# Hardness ratio

Long lasting

- NGC 5548
  - [Kaastra et al. 2014](#)

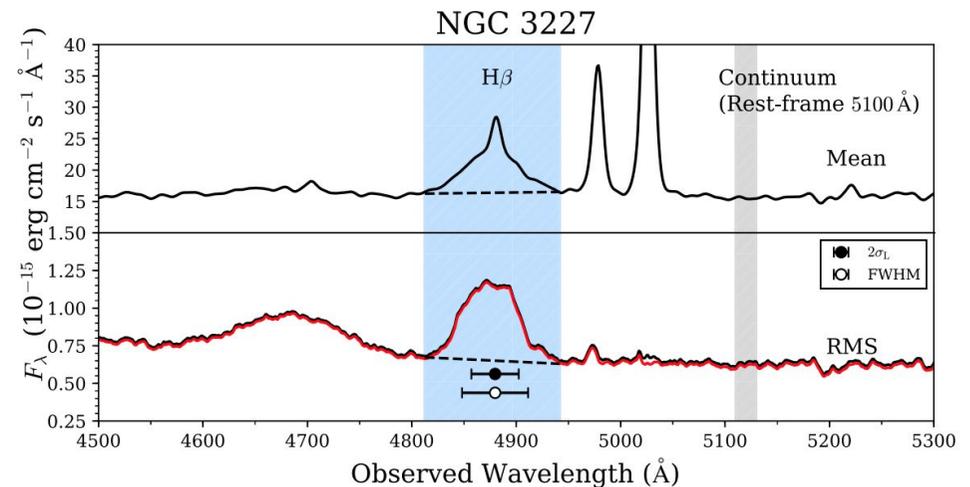
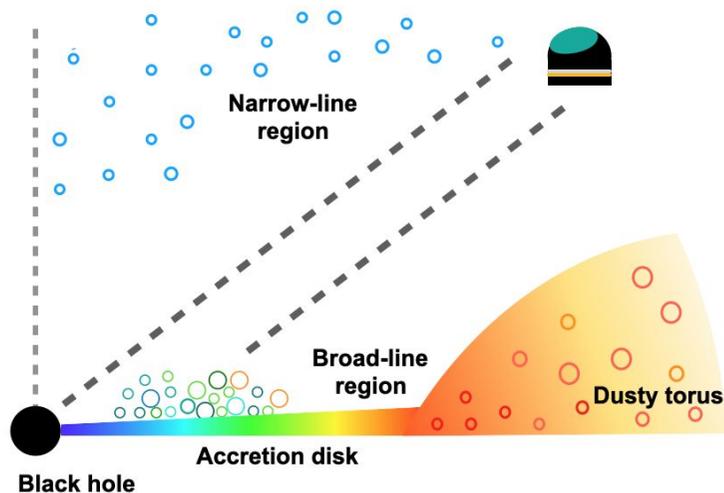


# Reverberation mapping

- Textbook anatomy
  - [Urry & Padovani \(1995\)](#)
- Broad-line region
  - Reverberation mapping →  $M_{\text{SMBH}}$

$$M_{\text{BH}} = f \left( \frac{c\tau\Delta V^2}{G} \right),$$

[De Rosa et al. 2017](#)

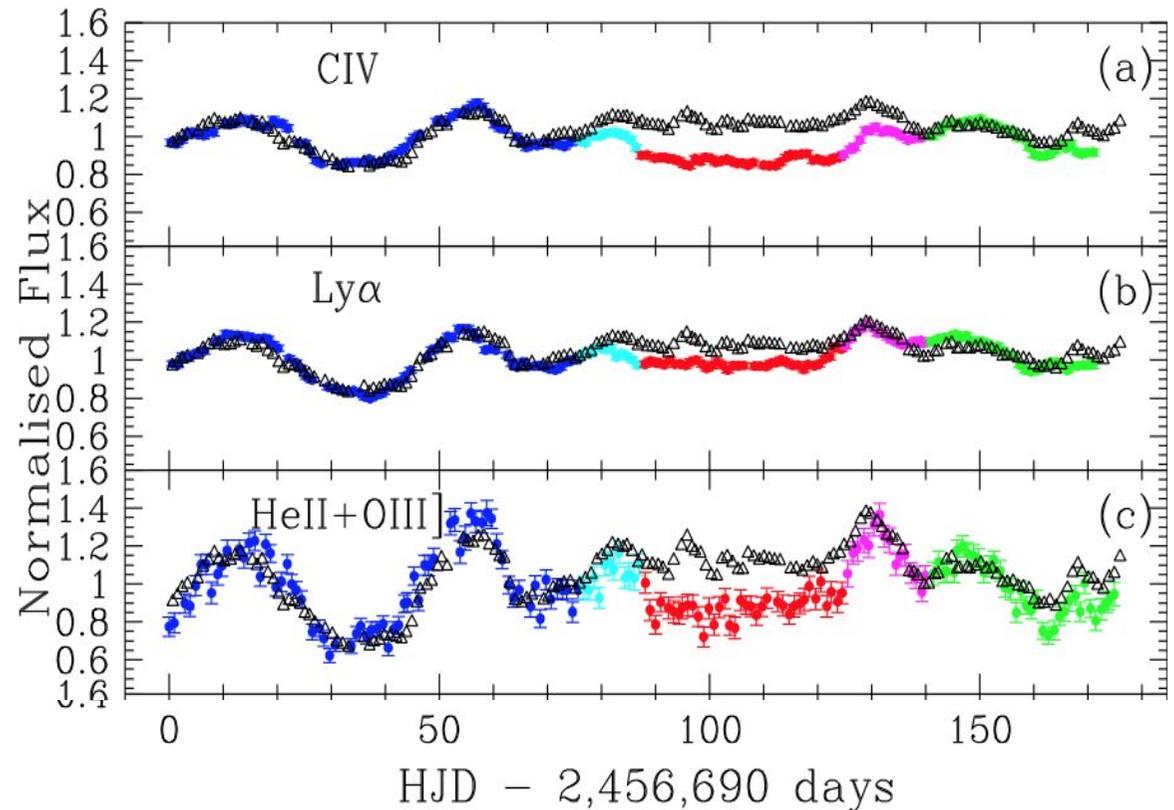


# Broad (em.) line holiday

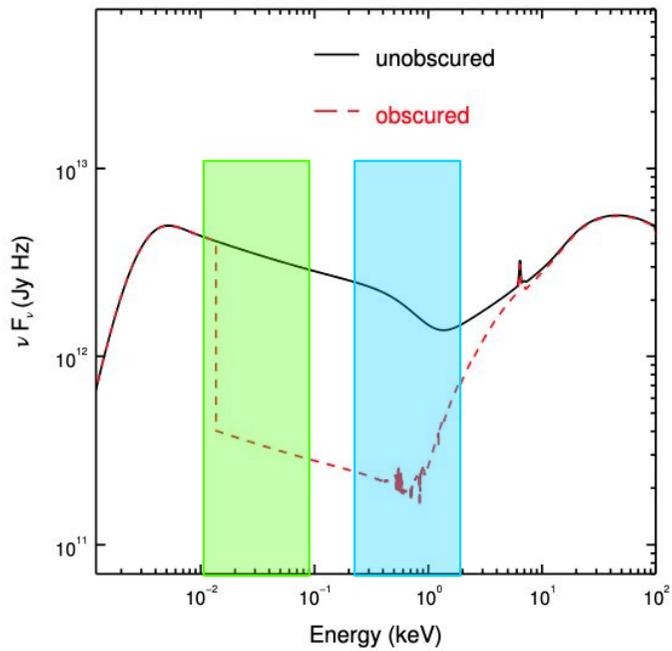
Goad et al. 2016

## NGC 5548

- In 2014, ~70 days of holiday where the broad emission line decorrelates the continuum

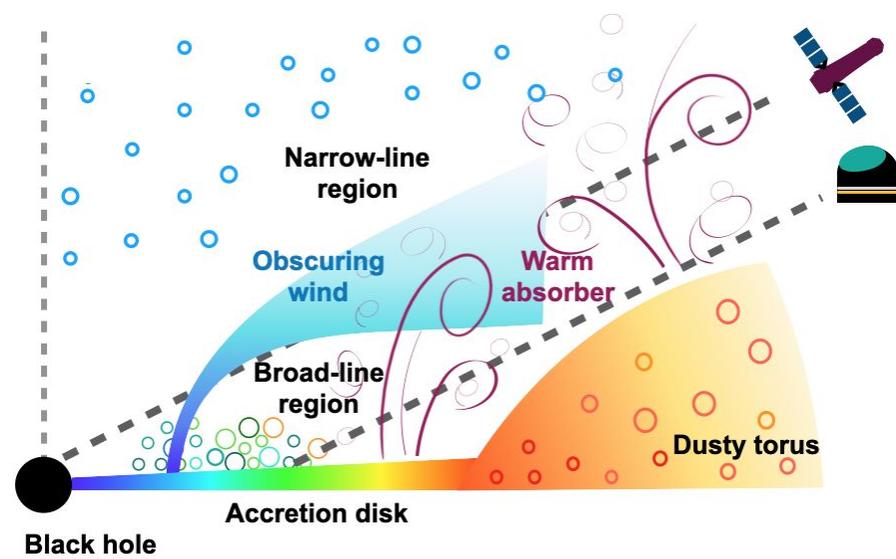


# When the wind blows



**UV**    **Soft X-ray**

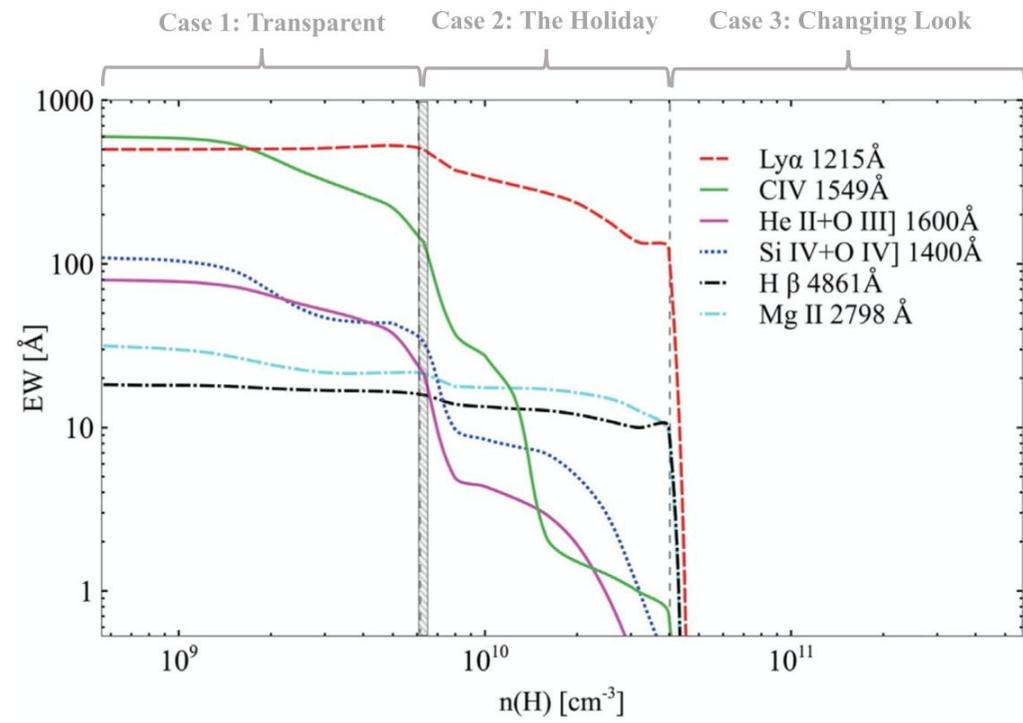
[Mehdipour et al. 2015](#)



# Obscuring effect



[Dehghanian et al. 2019](#)



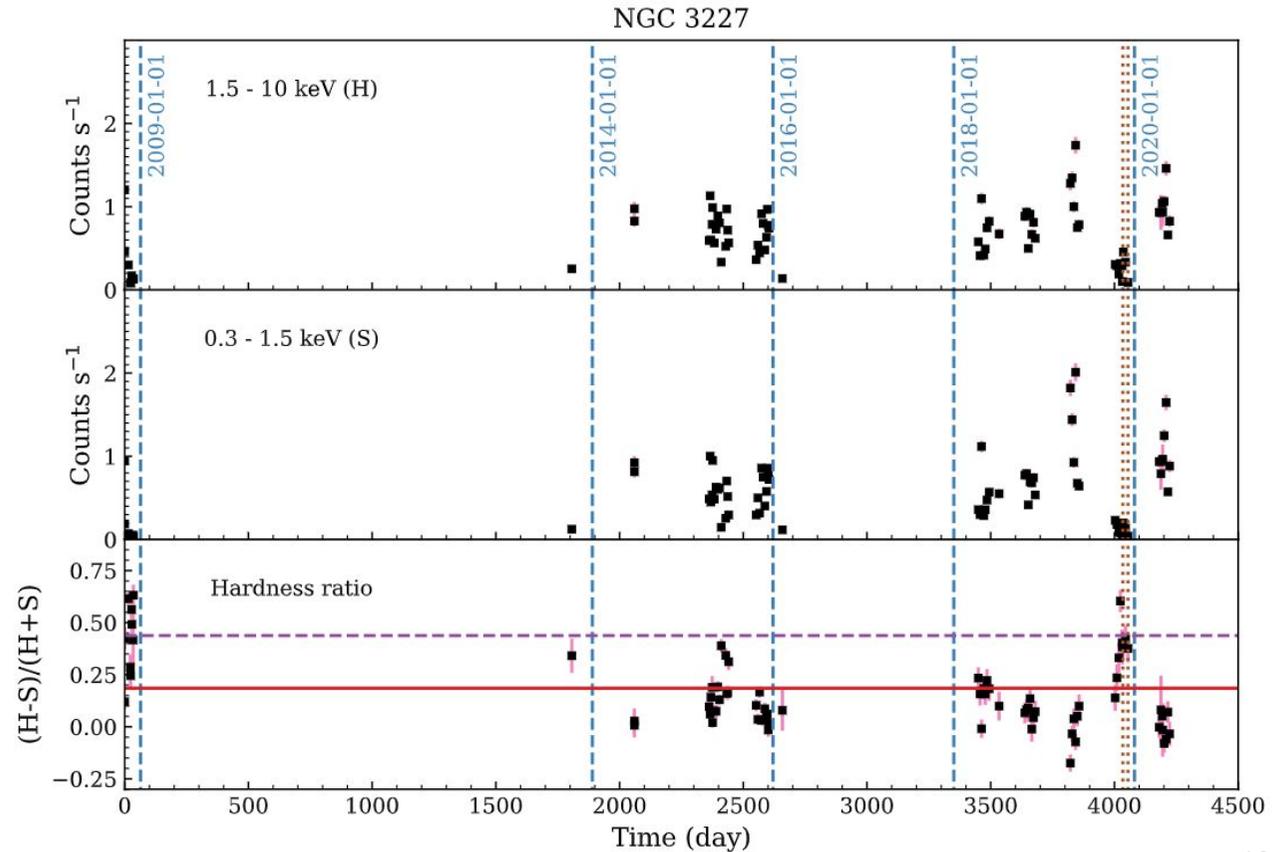


# Obscuring wind



## Long-lived Short-lived

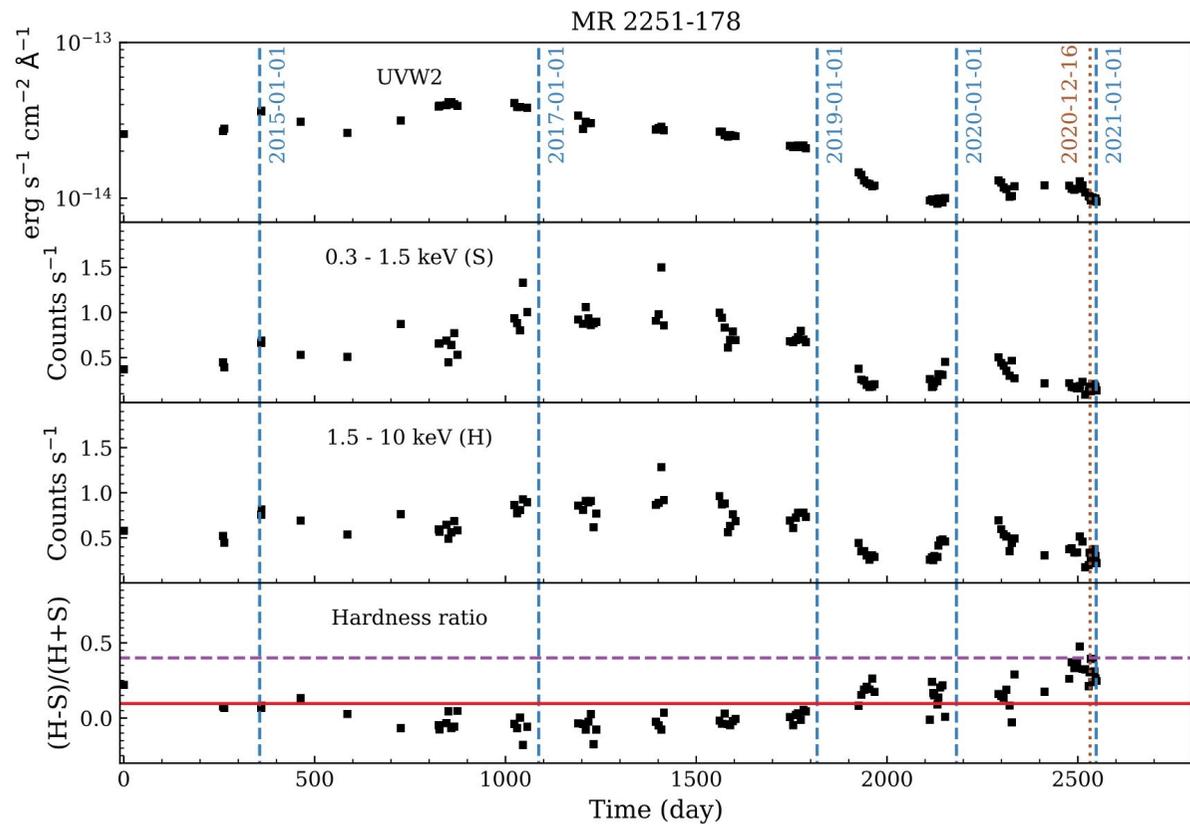
- **NGC 5548**
  - [Kaastra et al. 2014](#)
- **Mrk 335**
  - [Longinotti et al. 2019](#)
- **NGC 985**
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- **NGC 3783**
  - [Mehdipour et al. 2017](#)
- **NGC 3227**
  - [Mao et al. in prep.](#)



# MR 2251-178 (quasar)

Long-lived Short-lived  
Unknown (yet)

- **NGC 5548**
  - [Kaastra et al. 2014](#)
- **Mrk 335**
  - [Longinotti et al. 2019](#)
- **NGC 985**
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# Opportunities and challenges

[Hitomi collaboration, 2016](#)

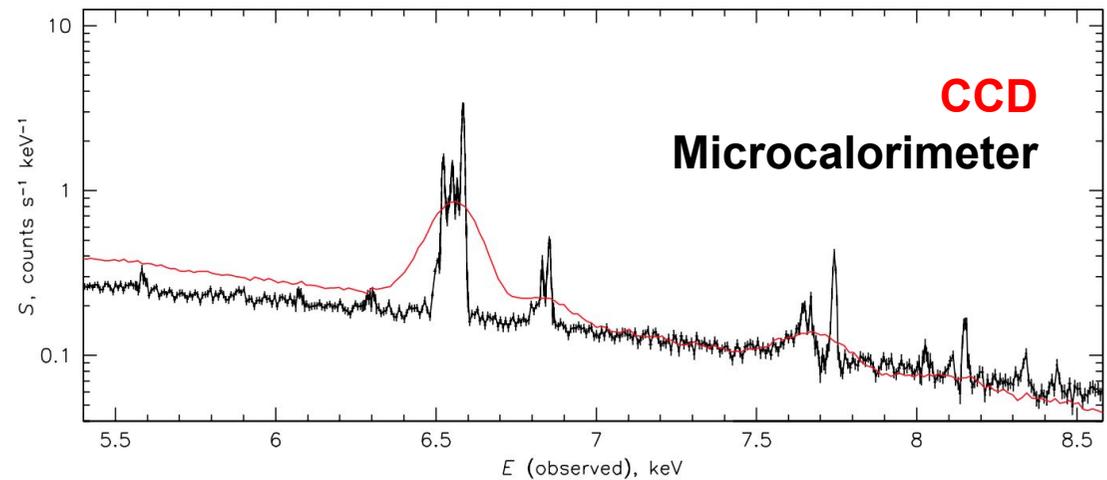
## Plasma codes

- AtomDB/APEC v3.08
- CHIANTI v8.0
- SPEX v3.03.00

## Uncertainty

- Fe abundance: 16%
- Statistical: ~1%

[Hitomi collaboration, 2018, PASJ, 70, 12](#)  
[\(The Atomic Paper\)](#)



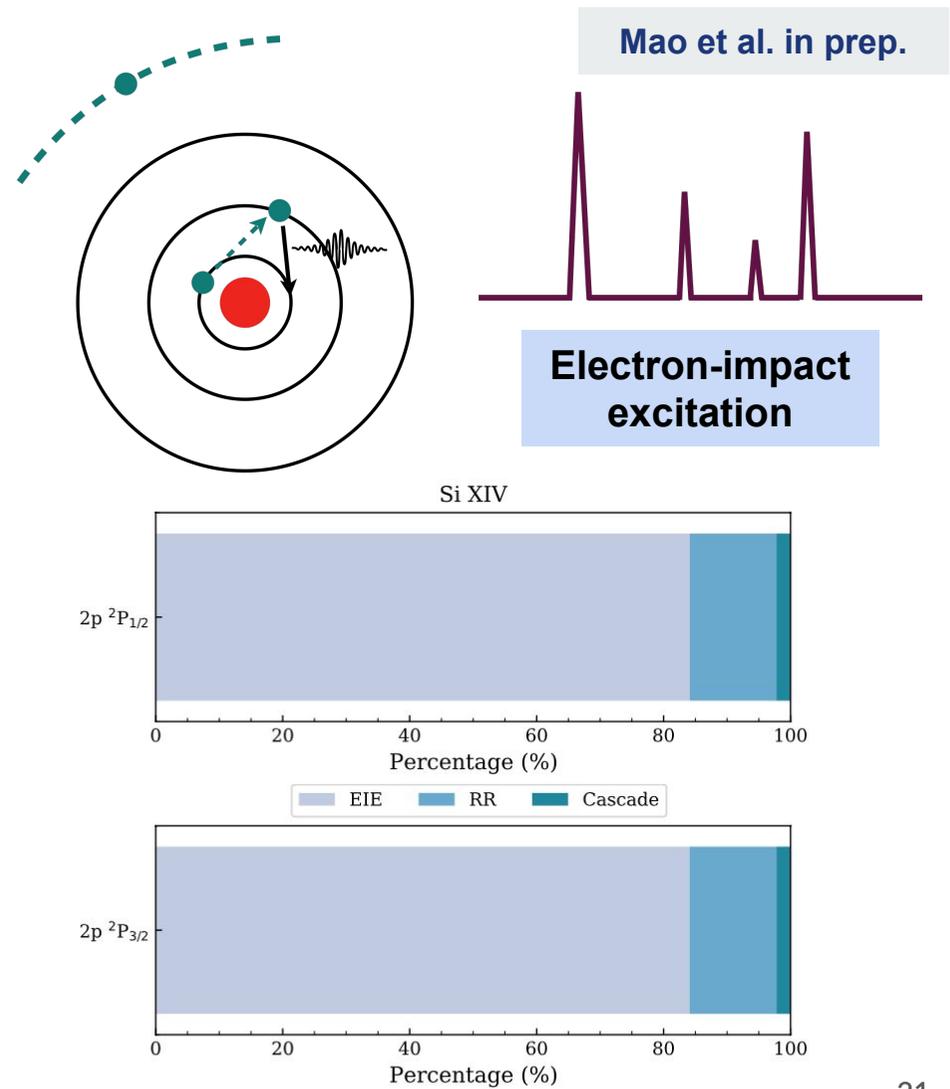
Hitomi  
Image credit:  
[ISAS](#)

# Atomic data

Plasma codes are built on a large and ever-increasing amount of atomic data

- (de-)Excitation
  - Electron
  - Proton
- Ionization
  - Photon
  - Electron
- Recombination
  - Radiative + dielectron
  - Charge exchange

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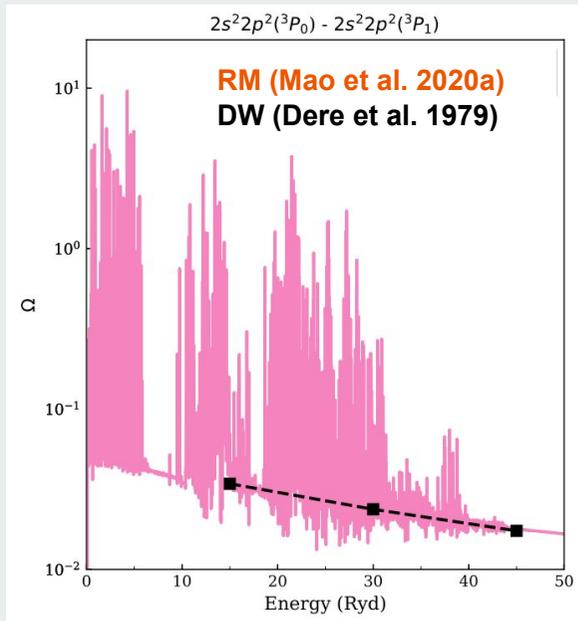


# Electron-impact excitation

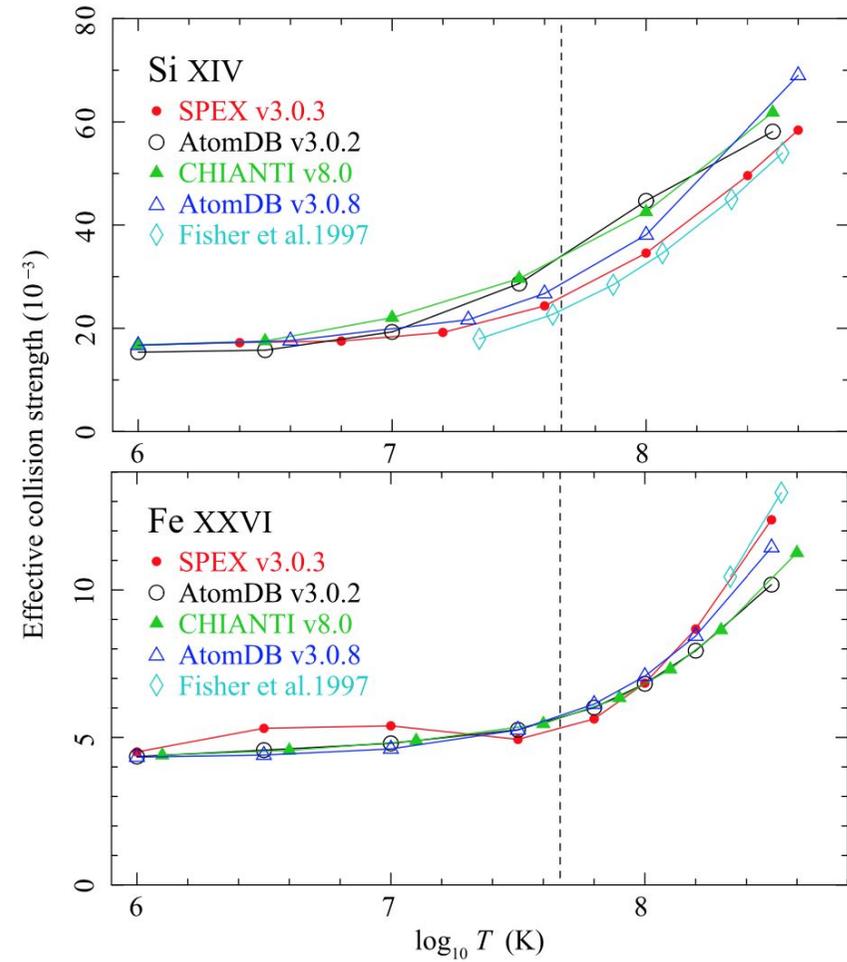


- Distorted wave (DW)
- R-matrix (RM)

Mao et al. 2020a



Hitomi collaboration, 2018, PASJ, 70, 12



# Summary

- High-resolution spectroscopy of ionized plasmas linking black holes, stars, and galaxies
  - AGN classical and obscuring winds
  - Chemical enrichment of hot atmosphere of galaxies
  - Continuous development of plasma codes (incl. atomic data)



Thank you !



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