

Planet formation in stellar clusters

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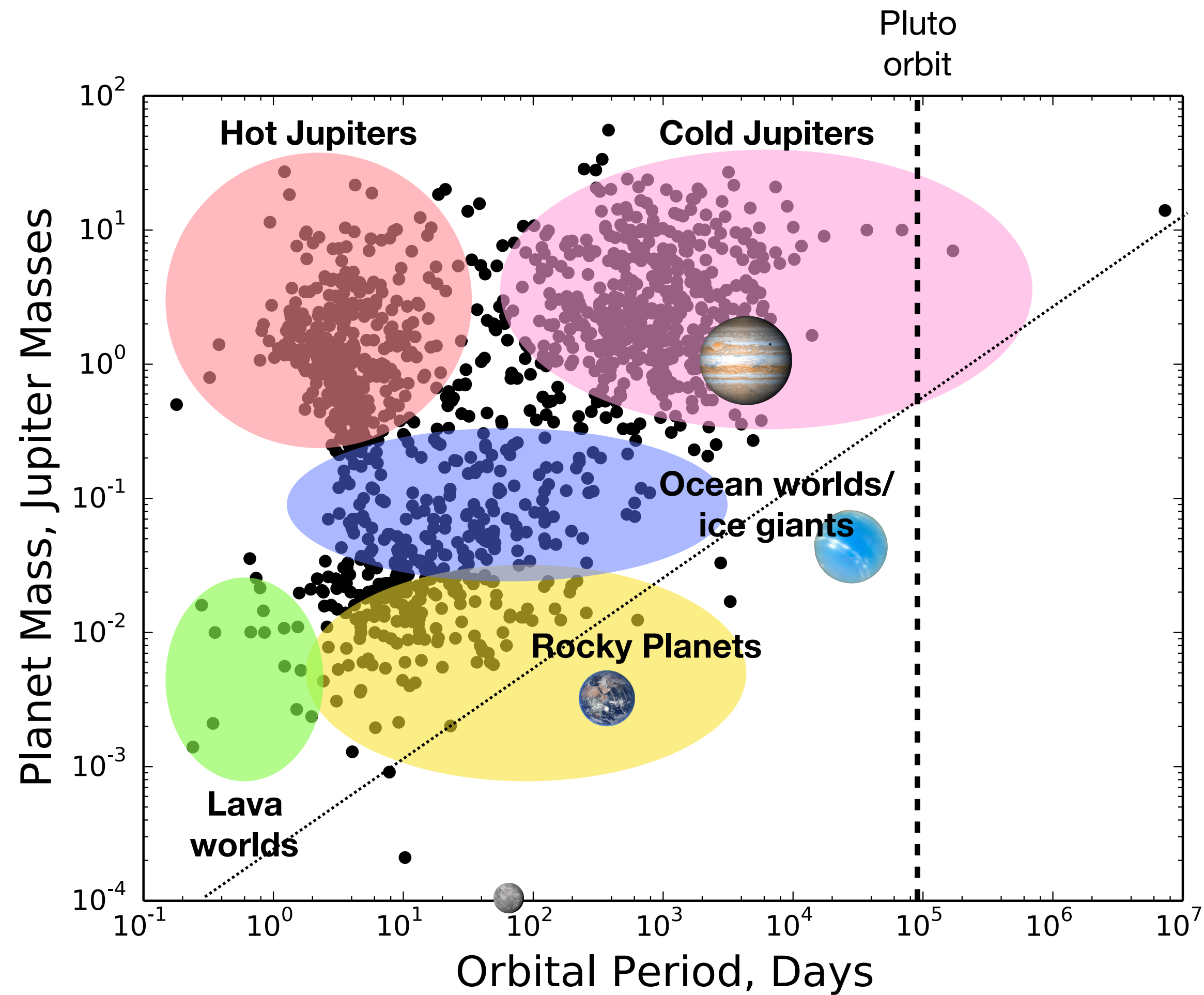
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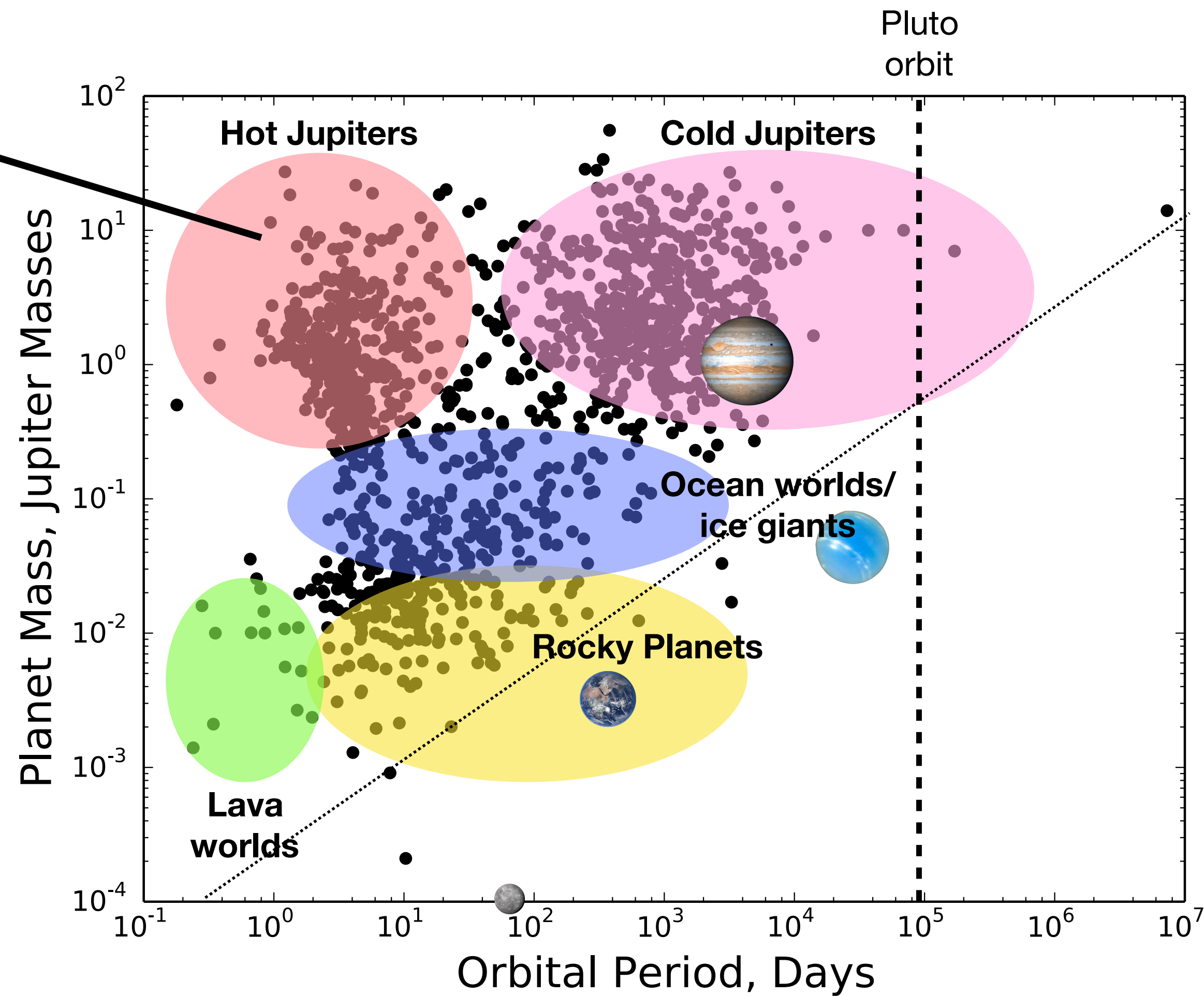
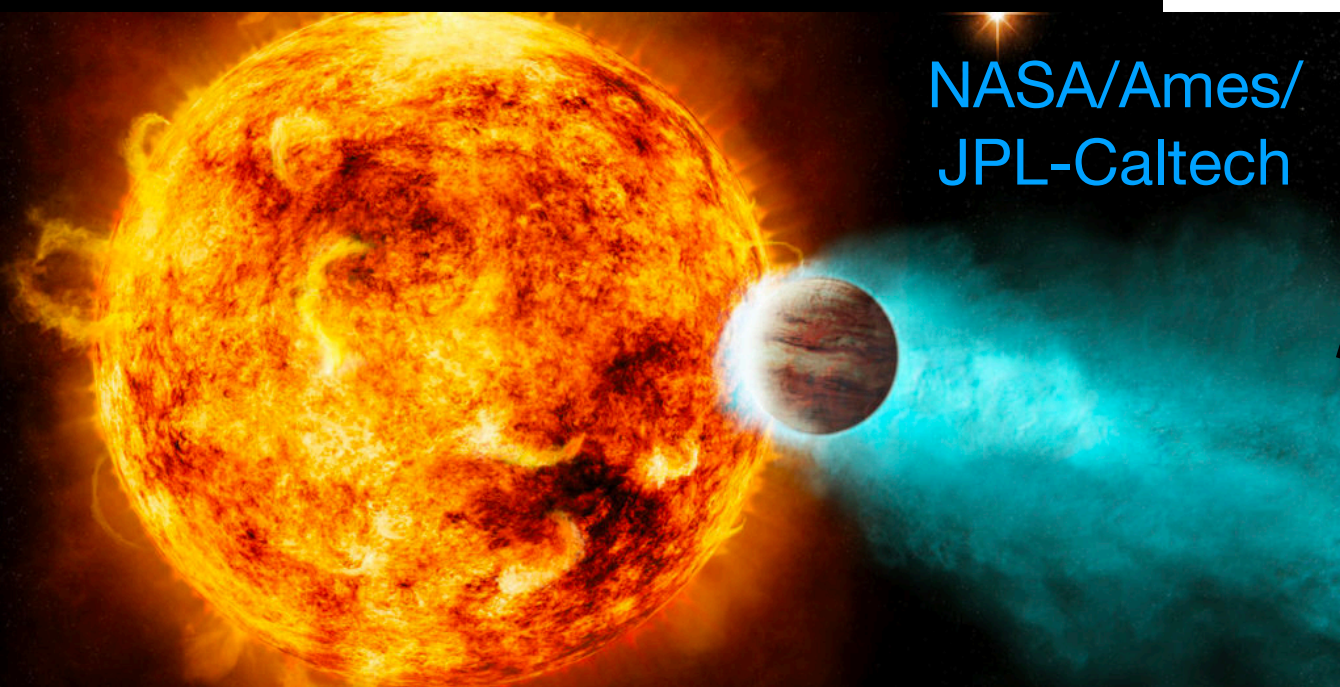
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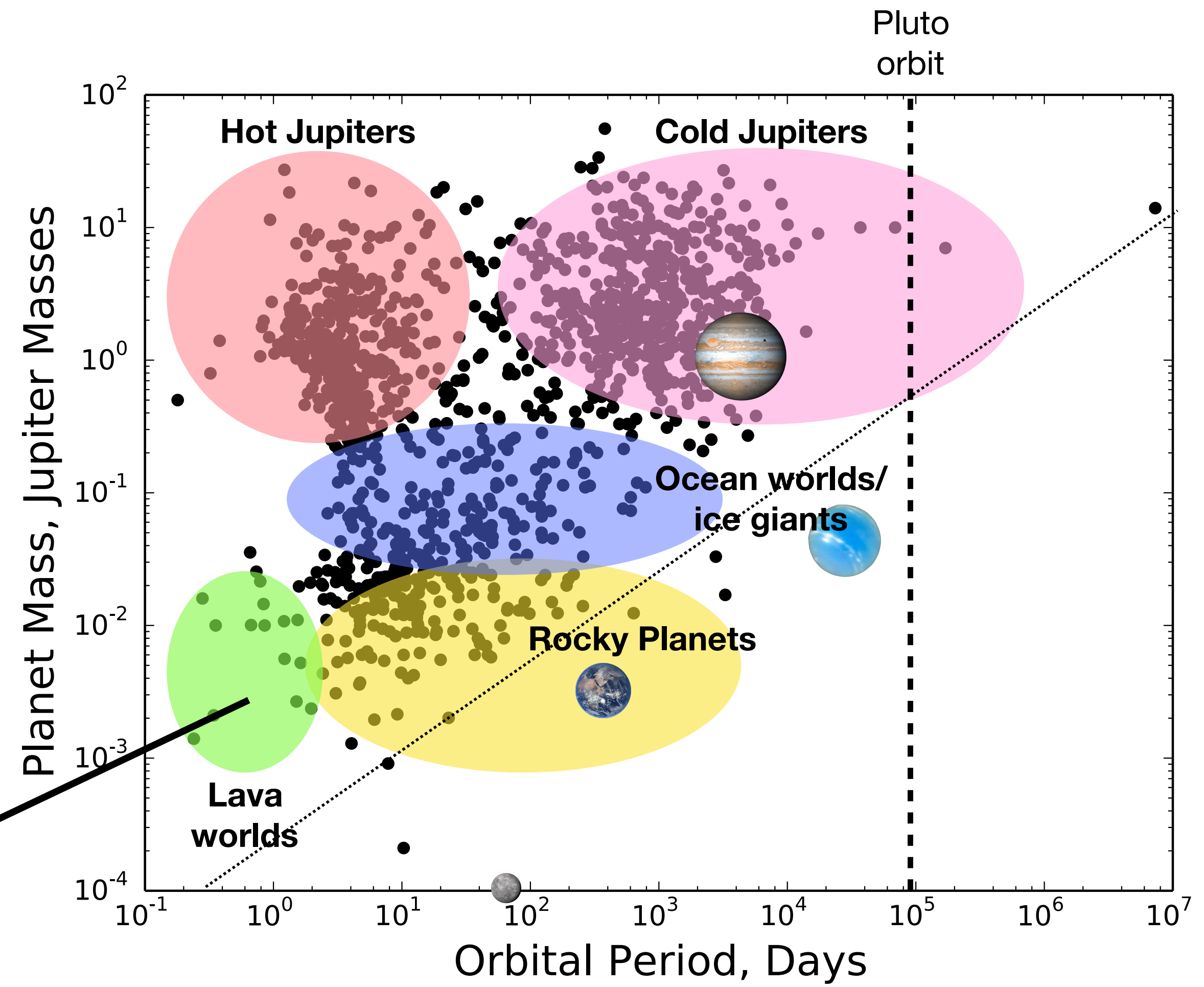
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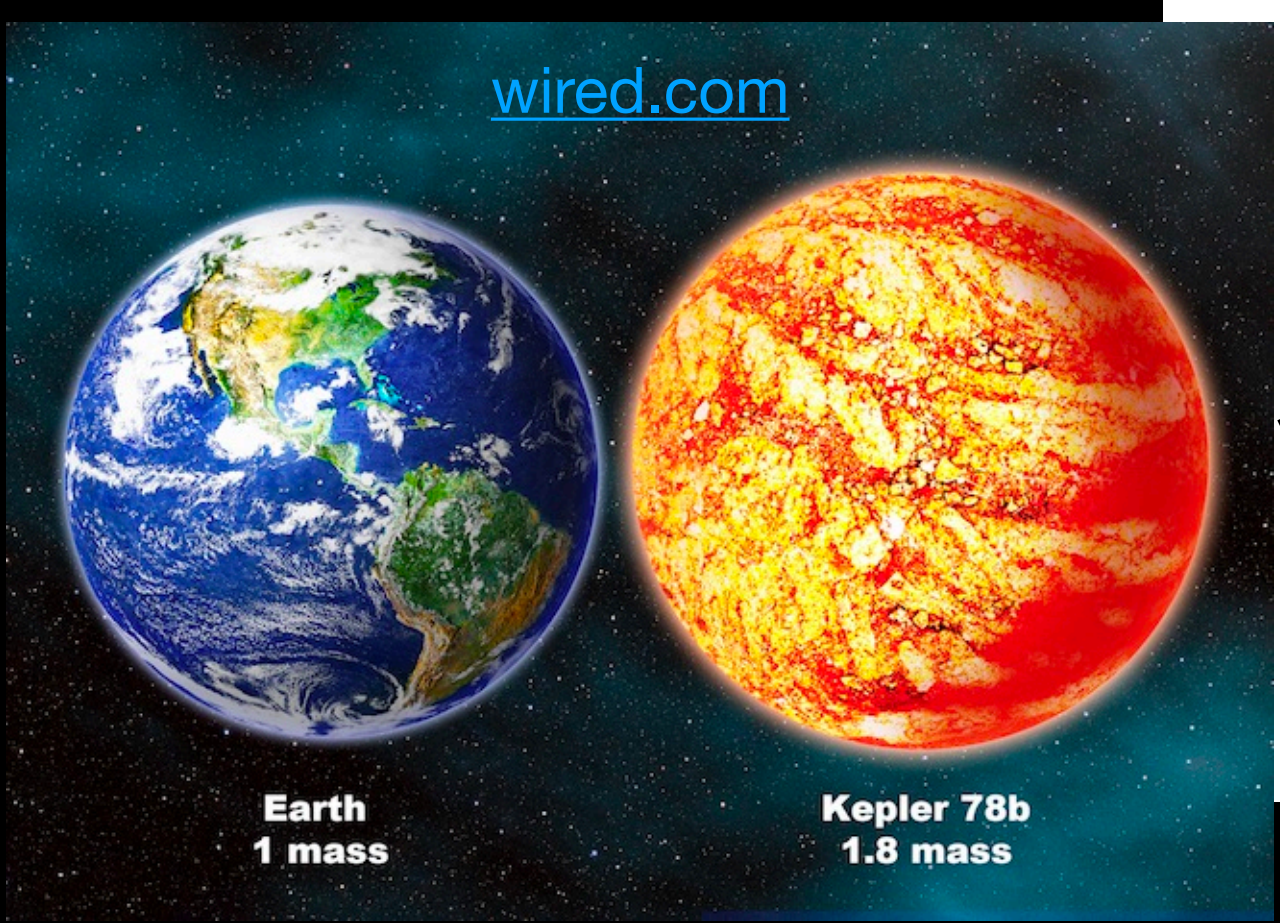


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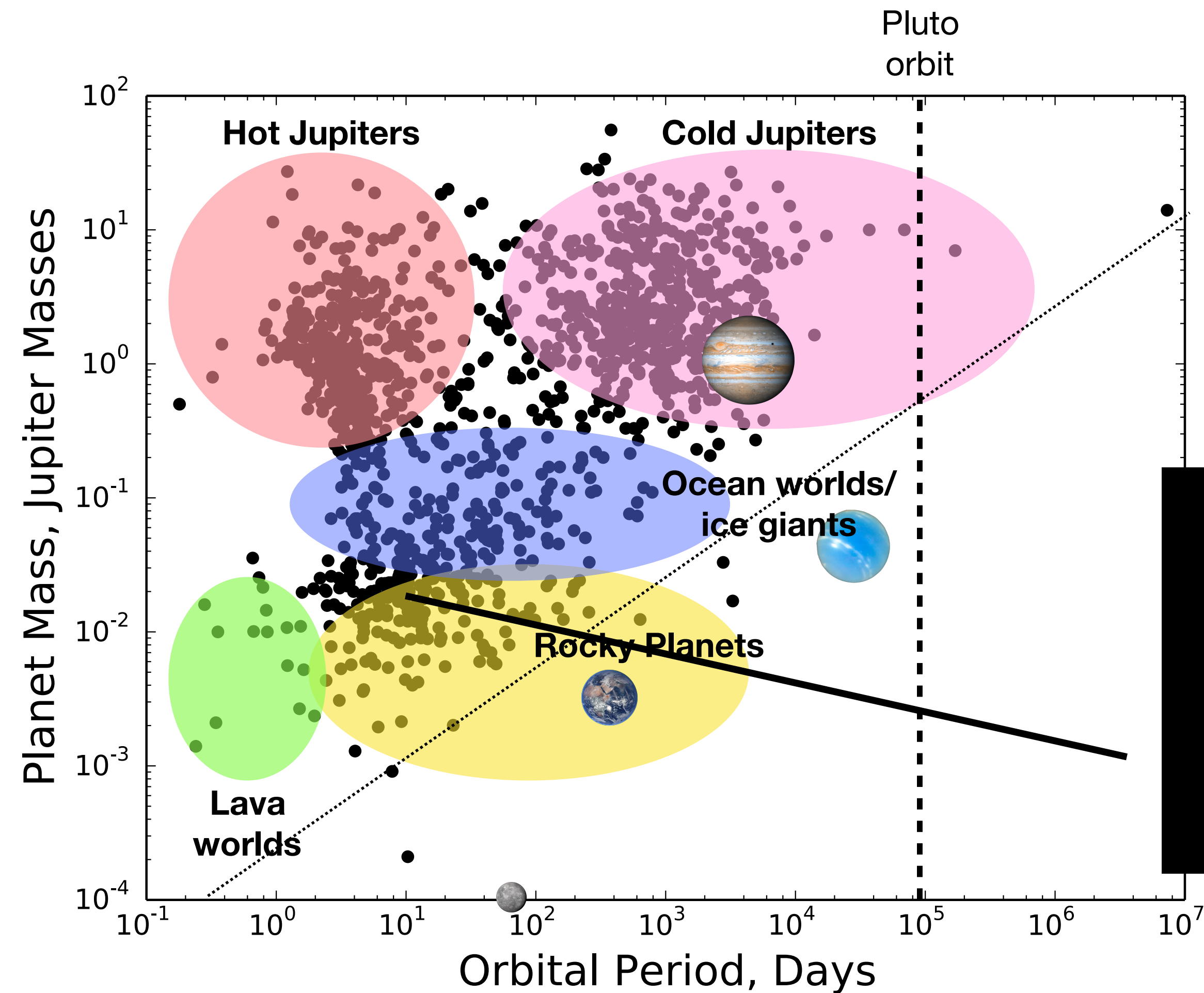
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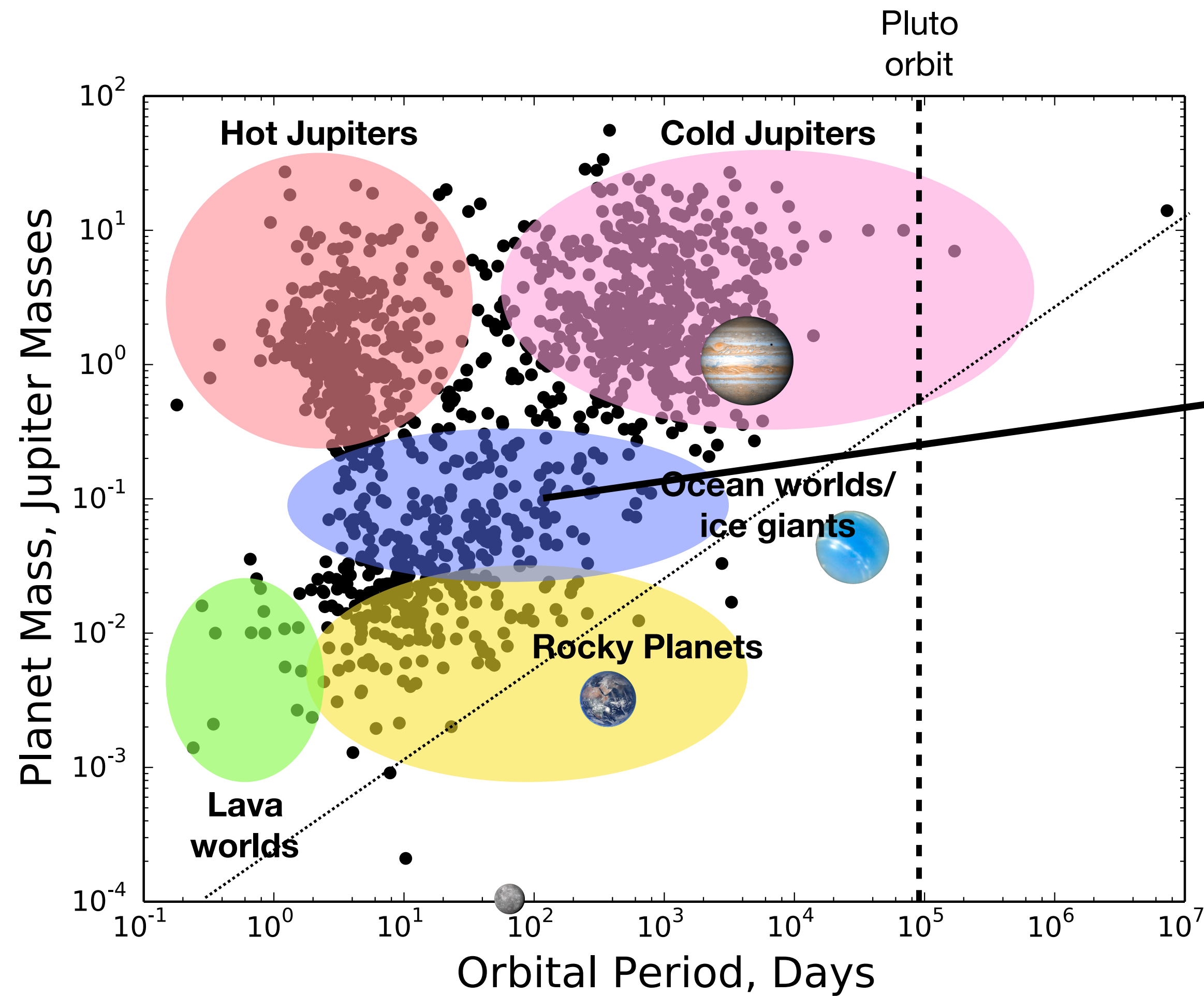


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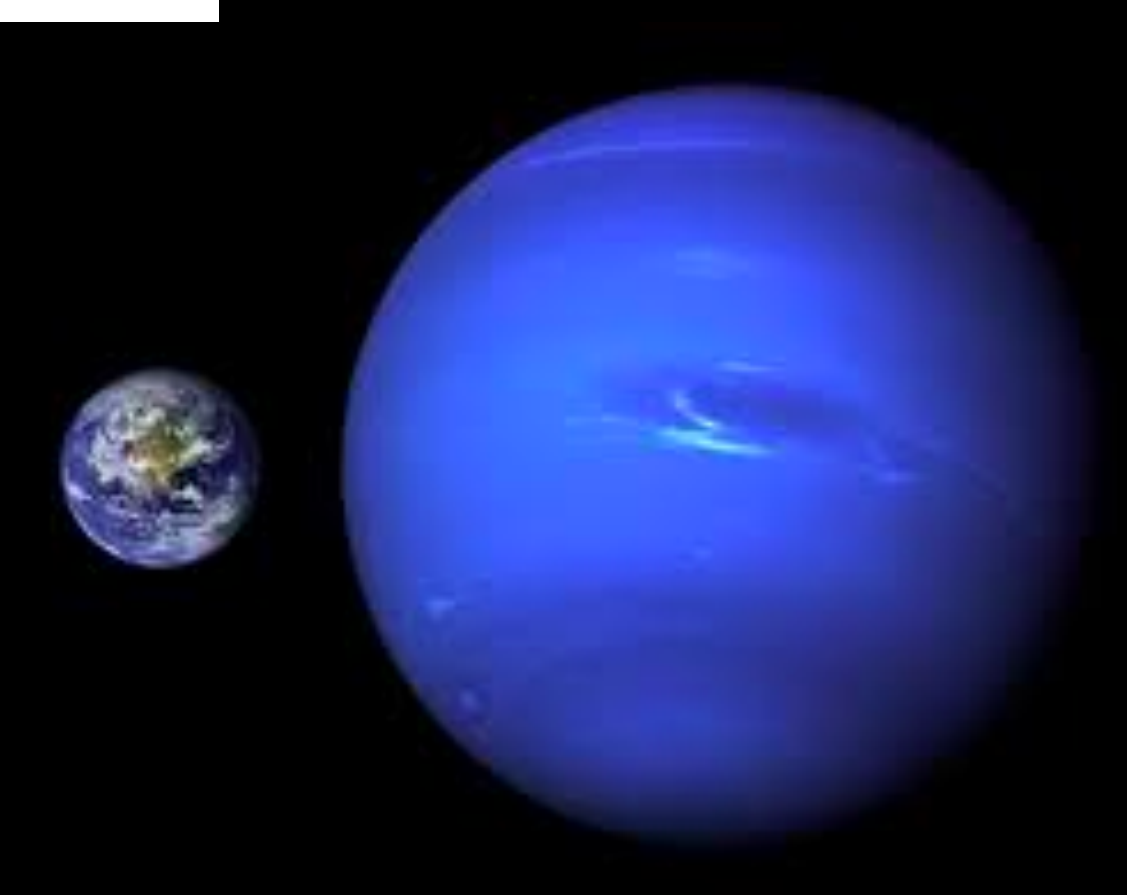


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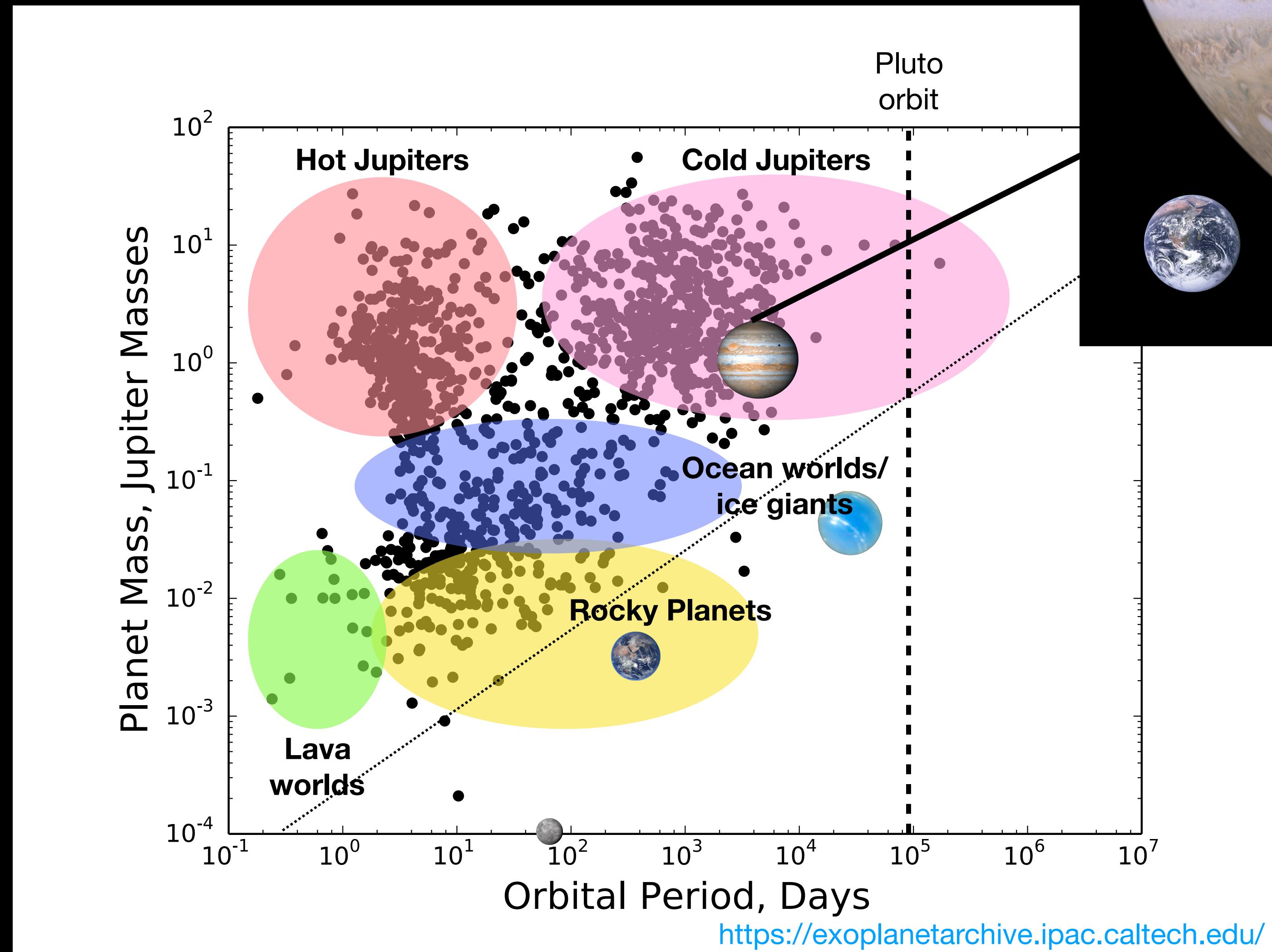
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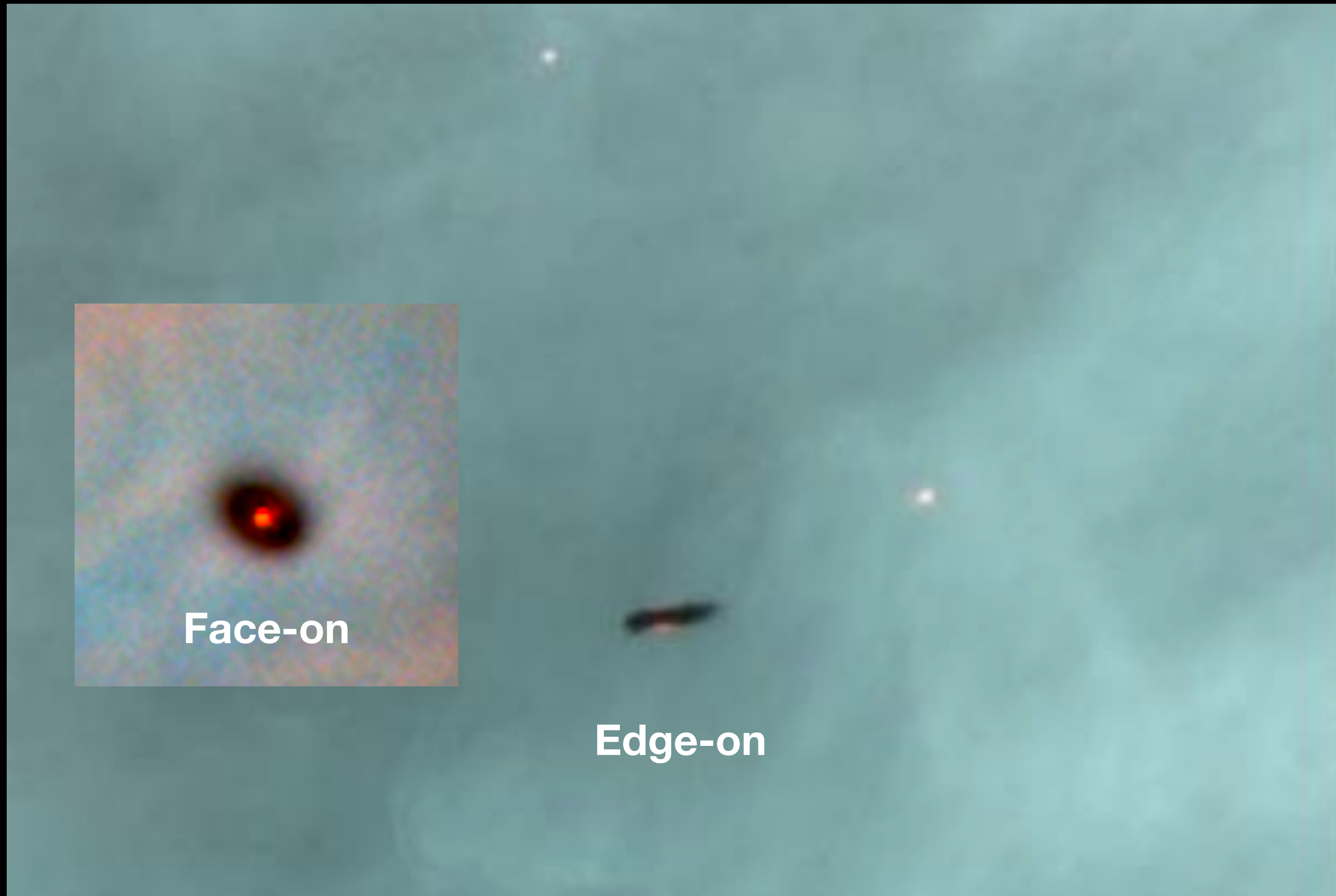
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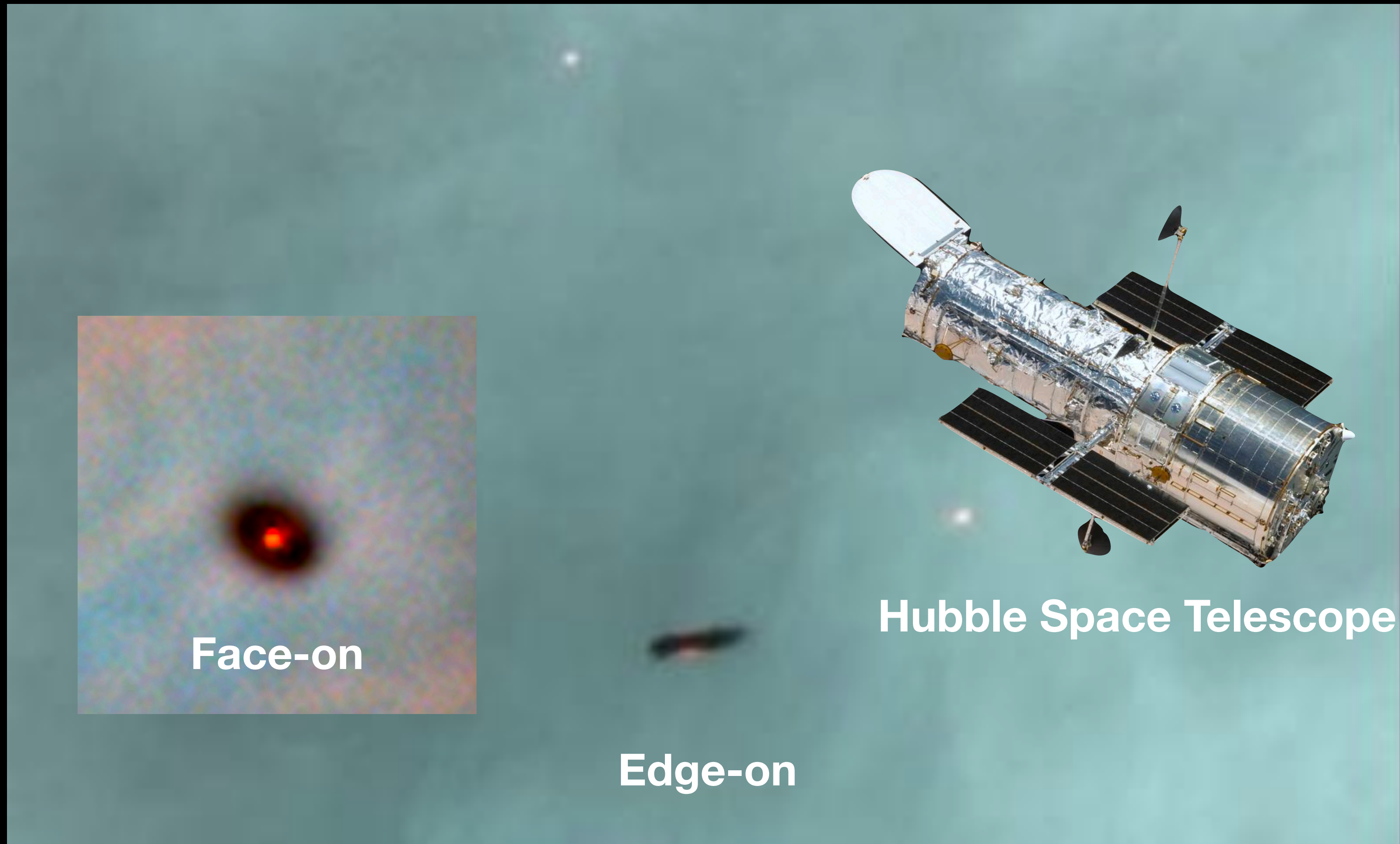
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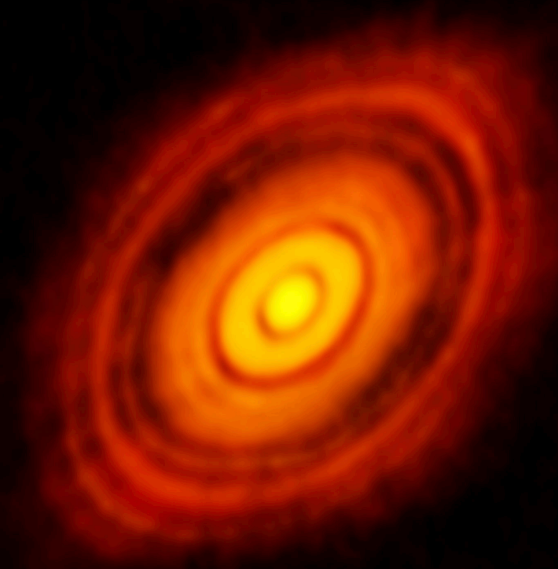
Hubble Space Telescope

Face-on

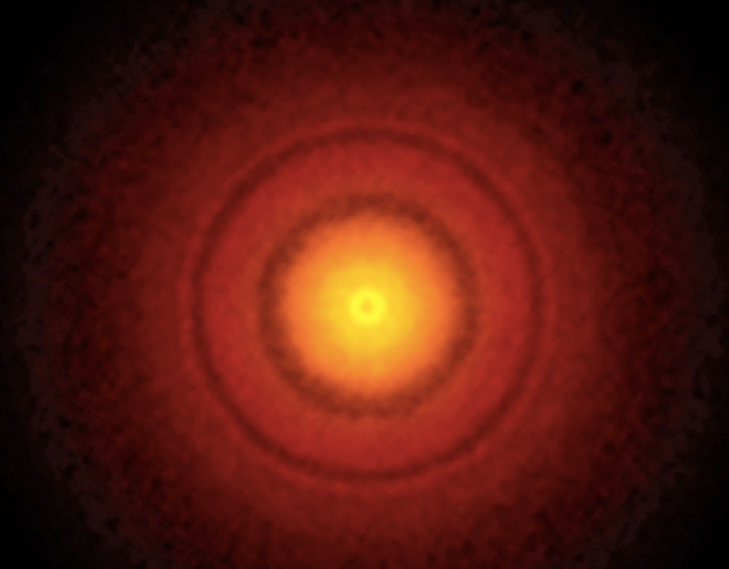
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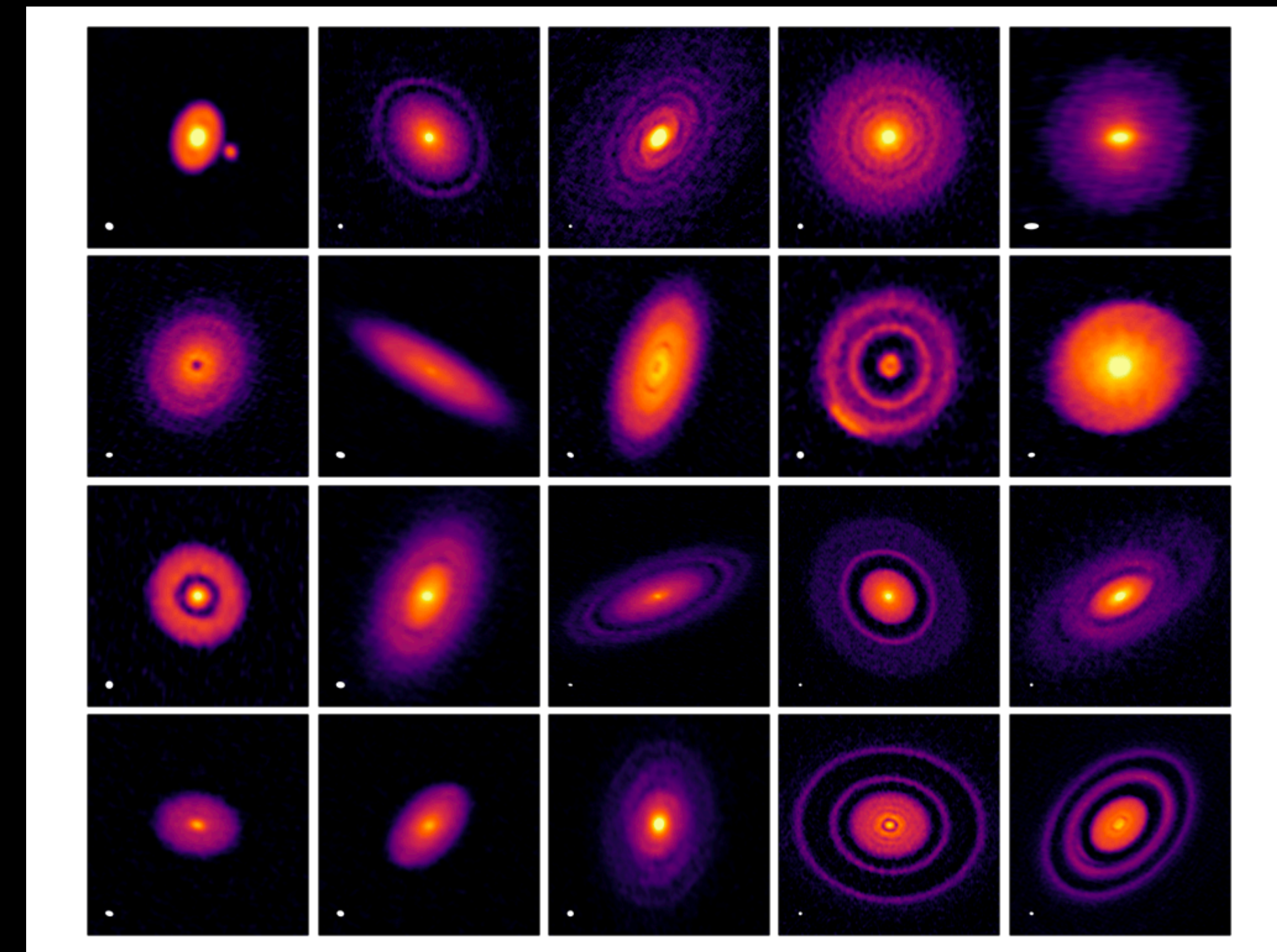
The modern view with ALMA



HL Tau
(ALMA partnership 2015)



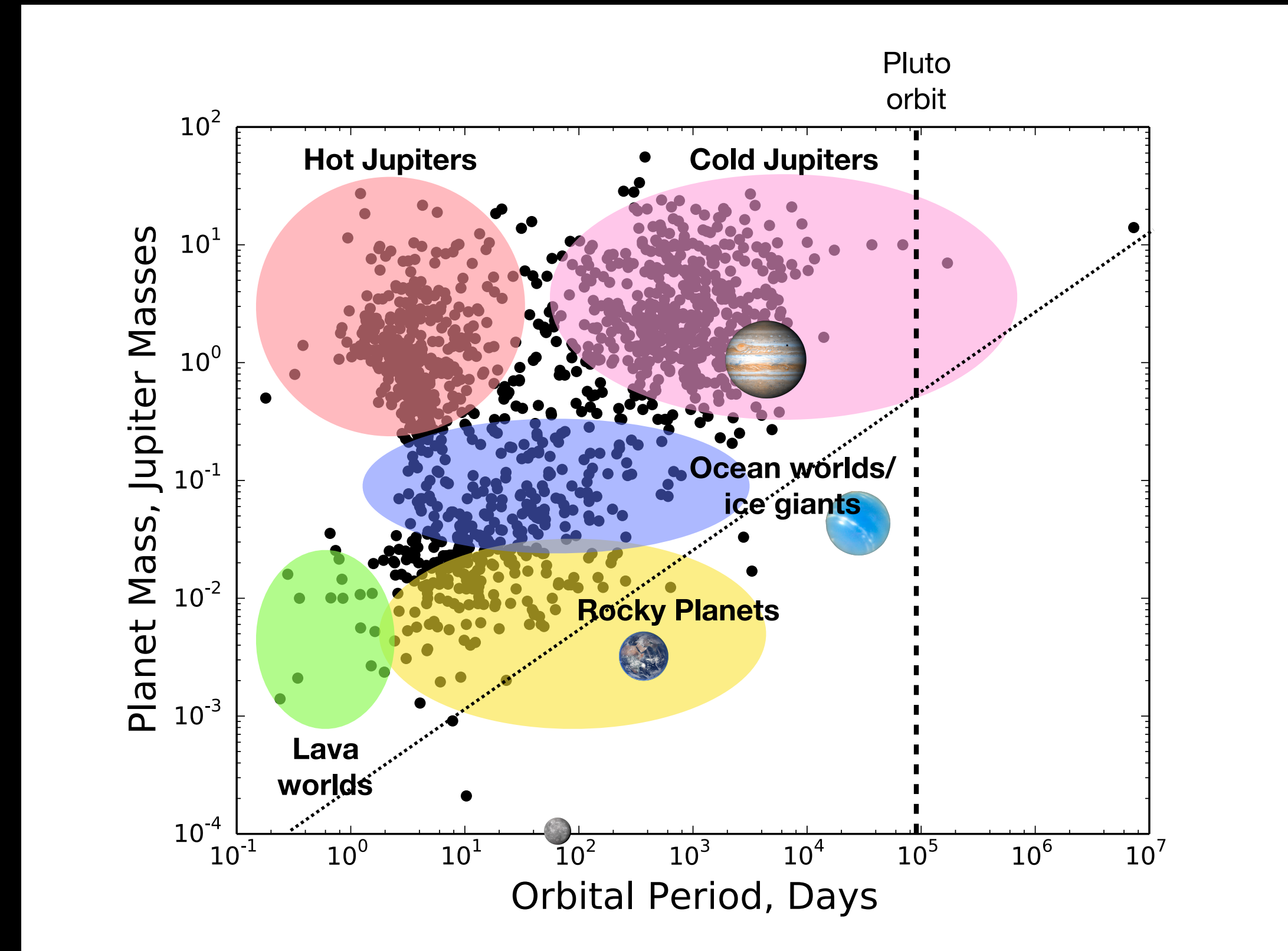
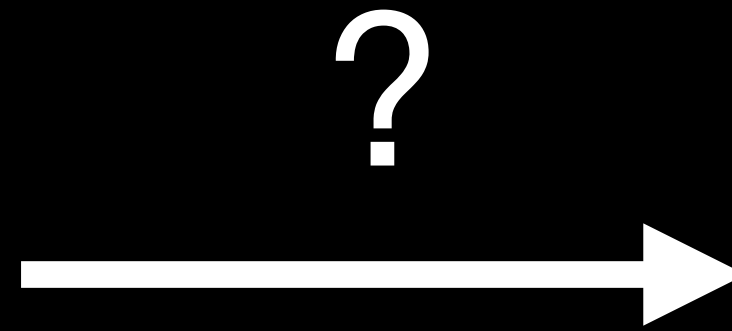
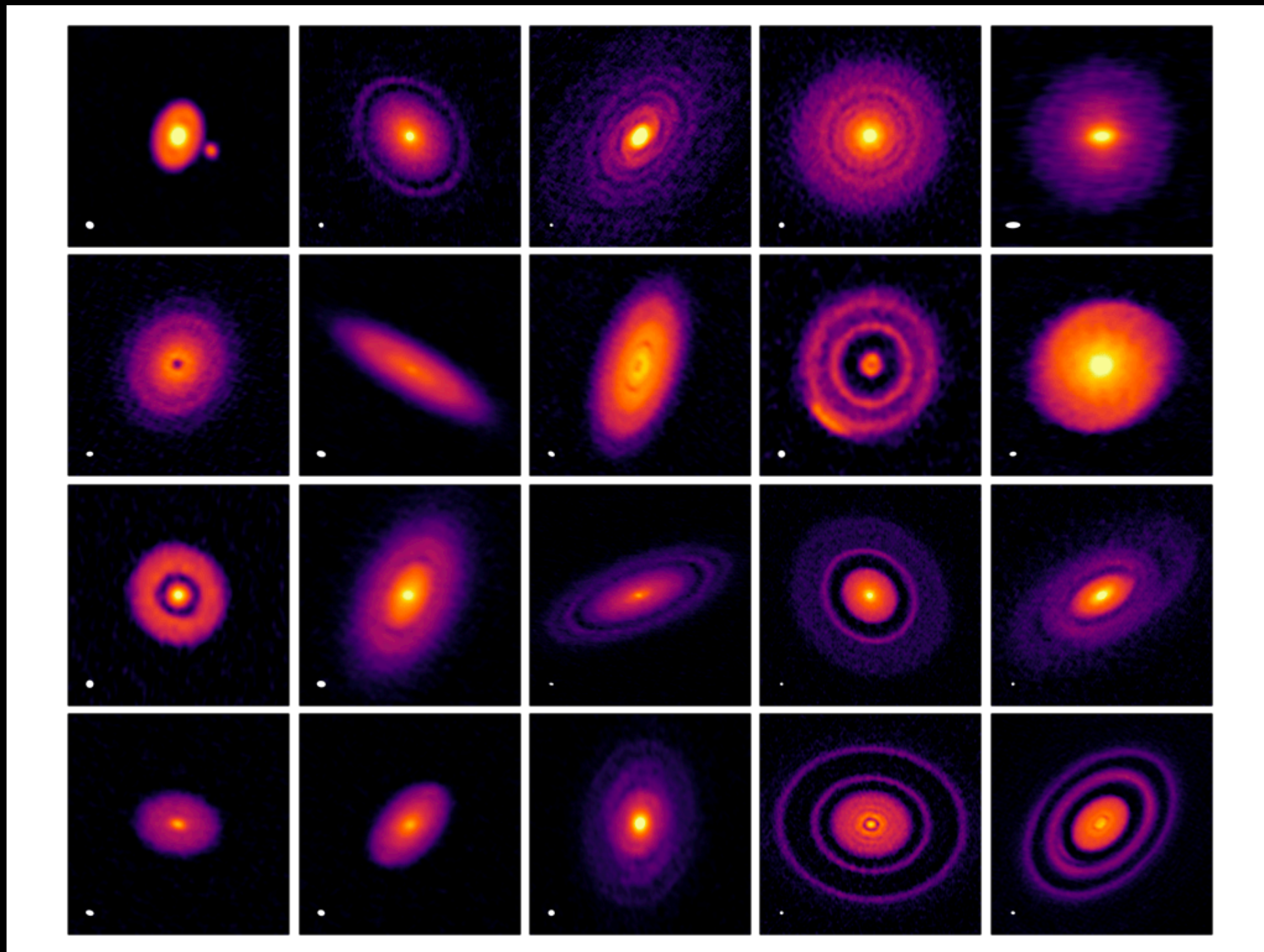
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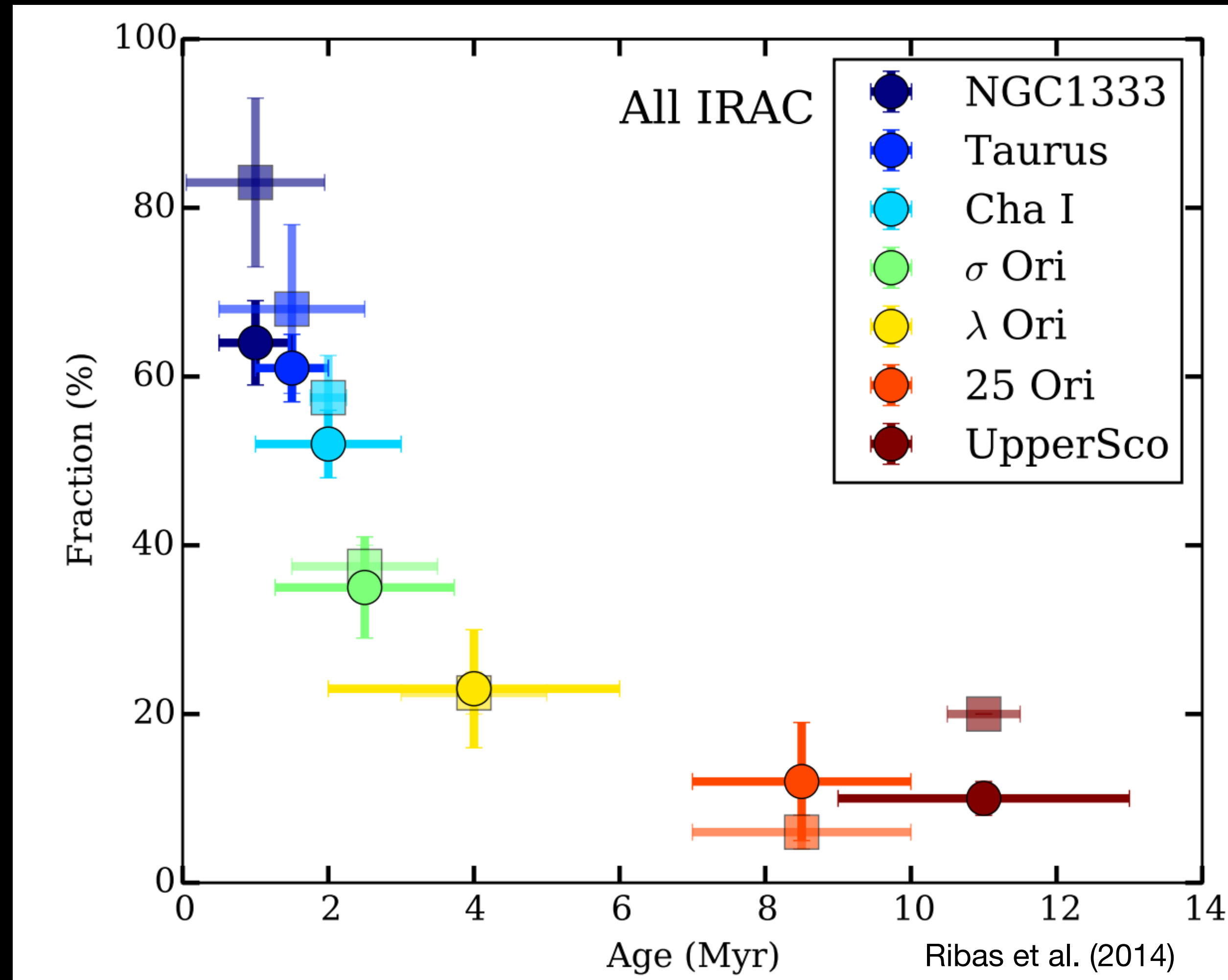


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Disc lifetimes



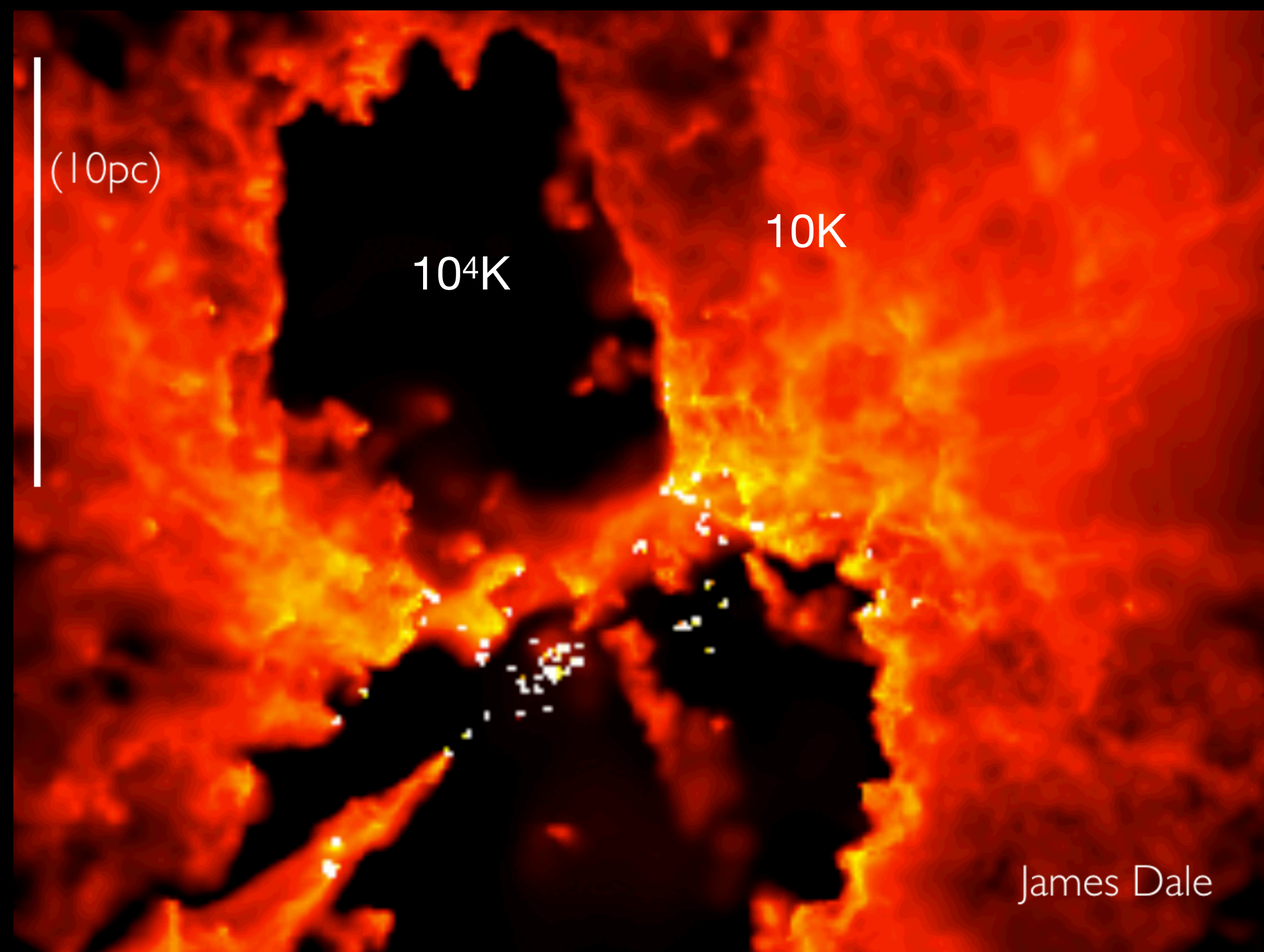
Most discs only last <3Myr

Planet formation has to happen early in the stars life

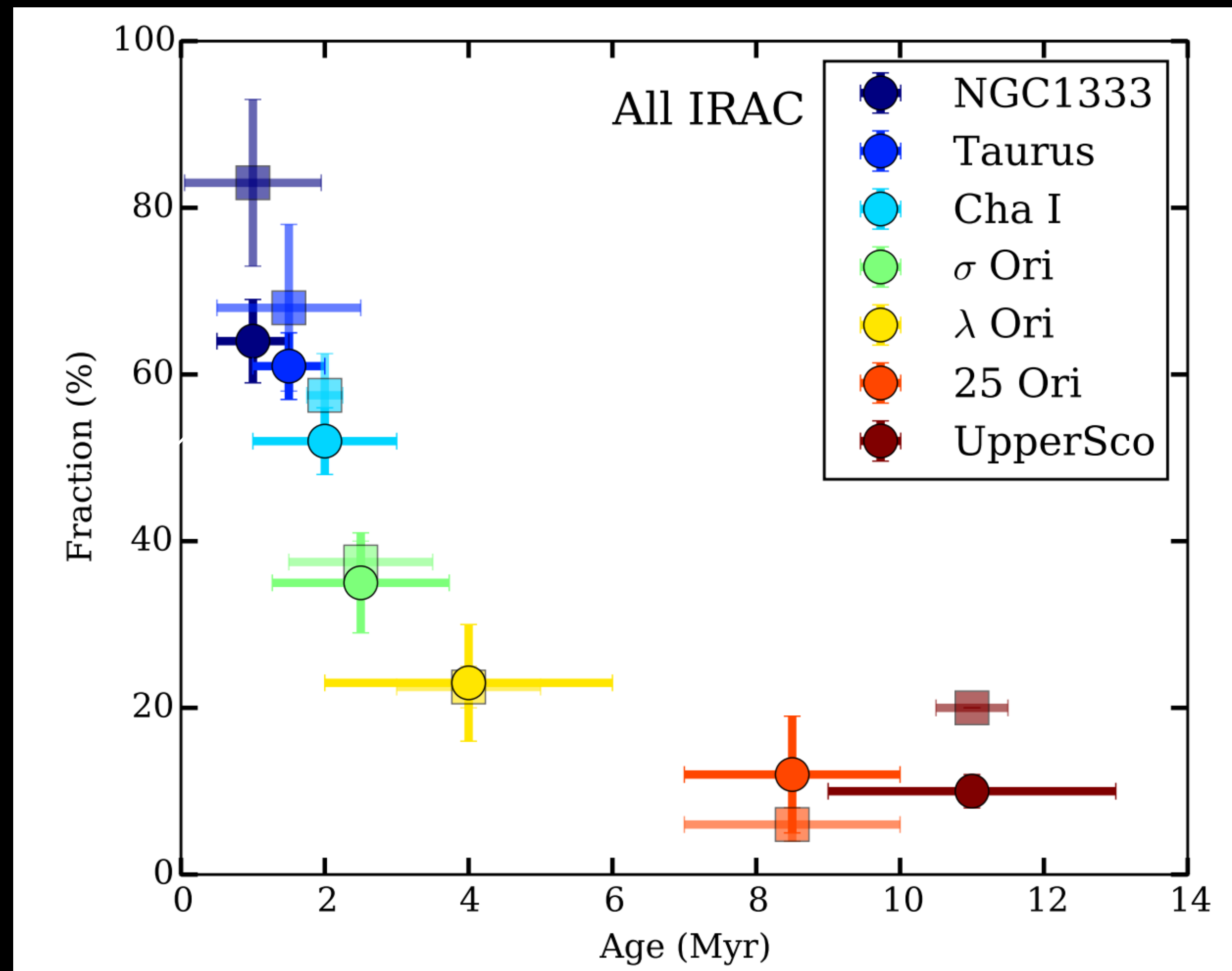
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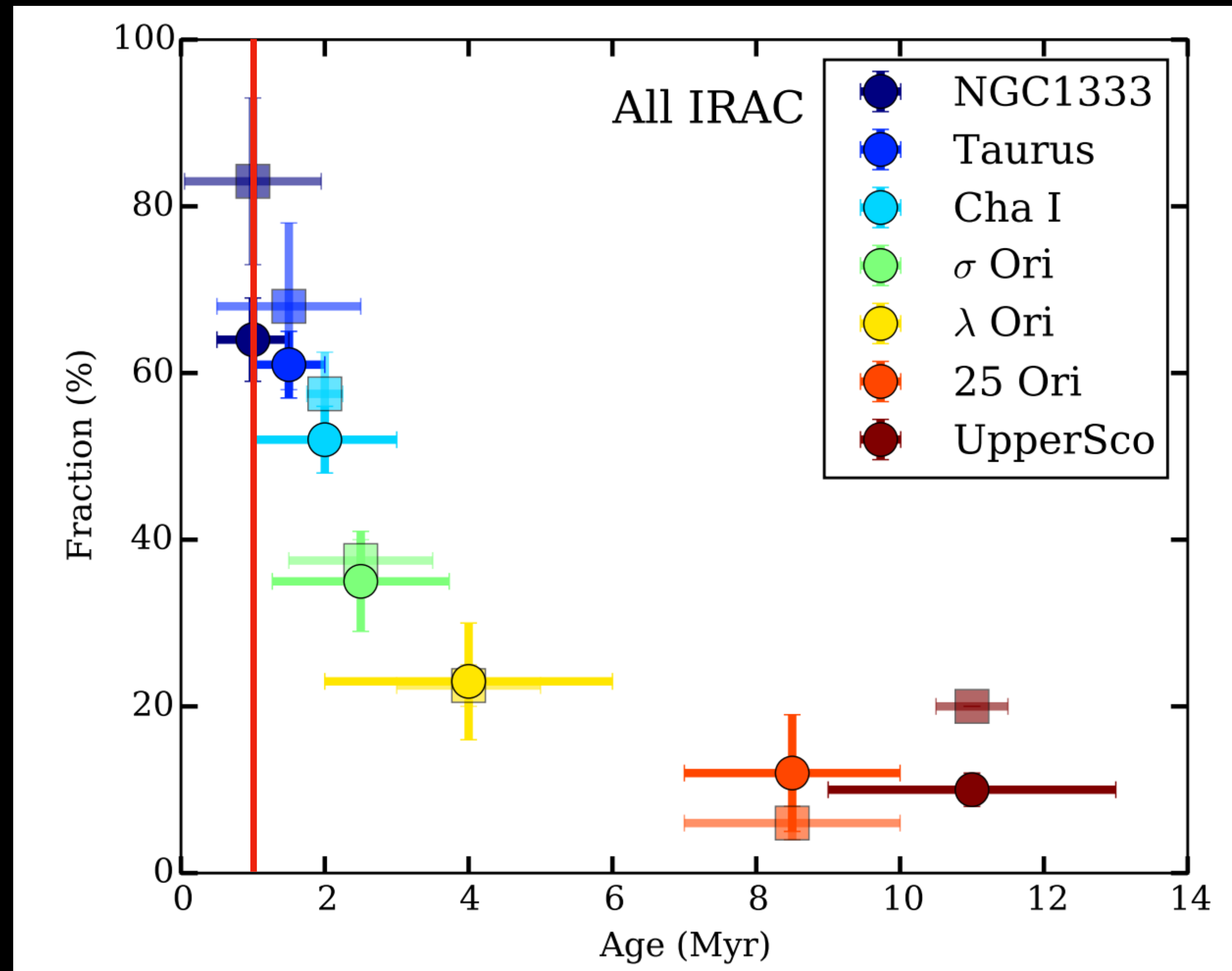
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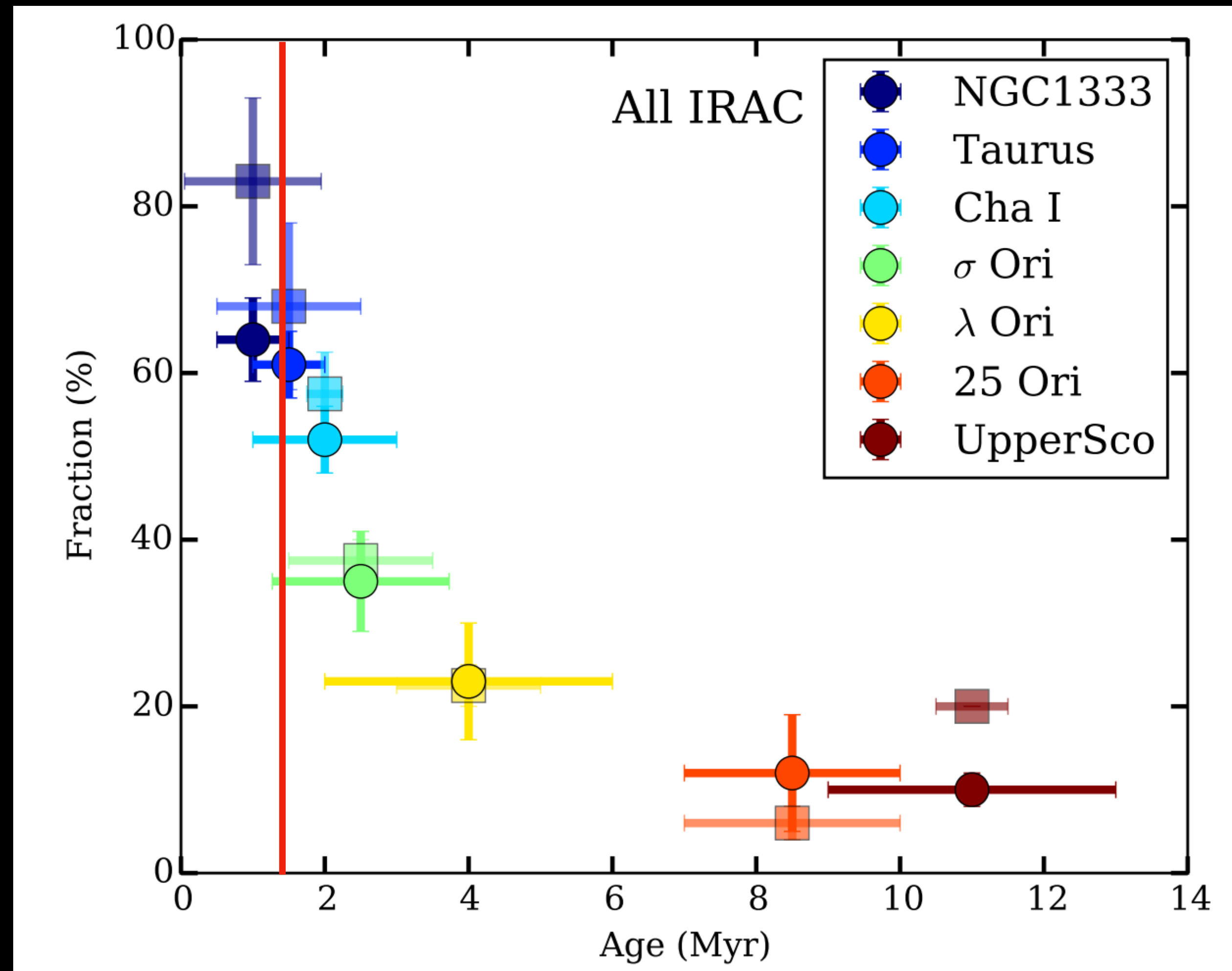
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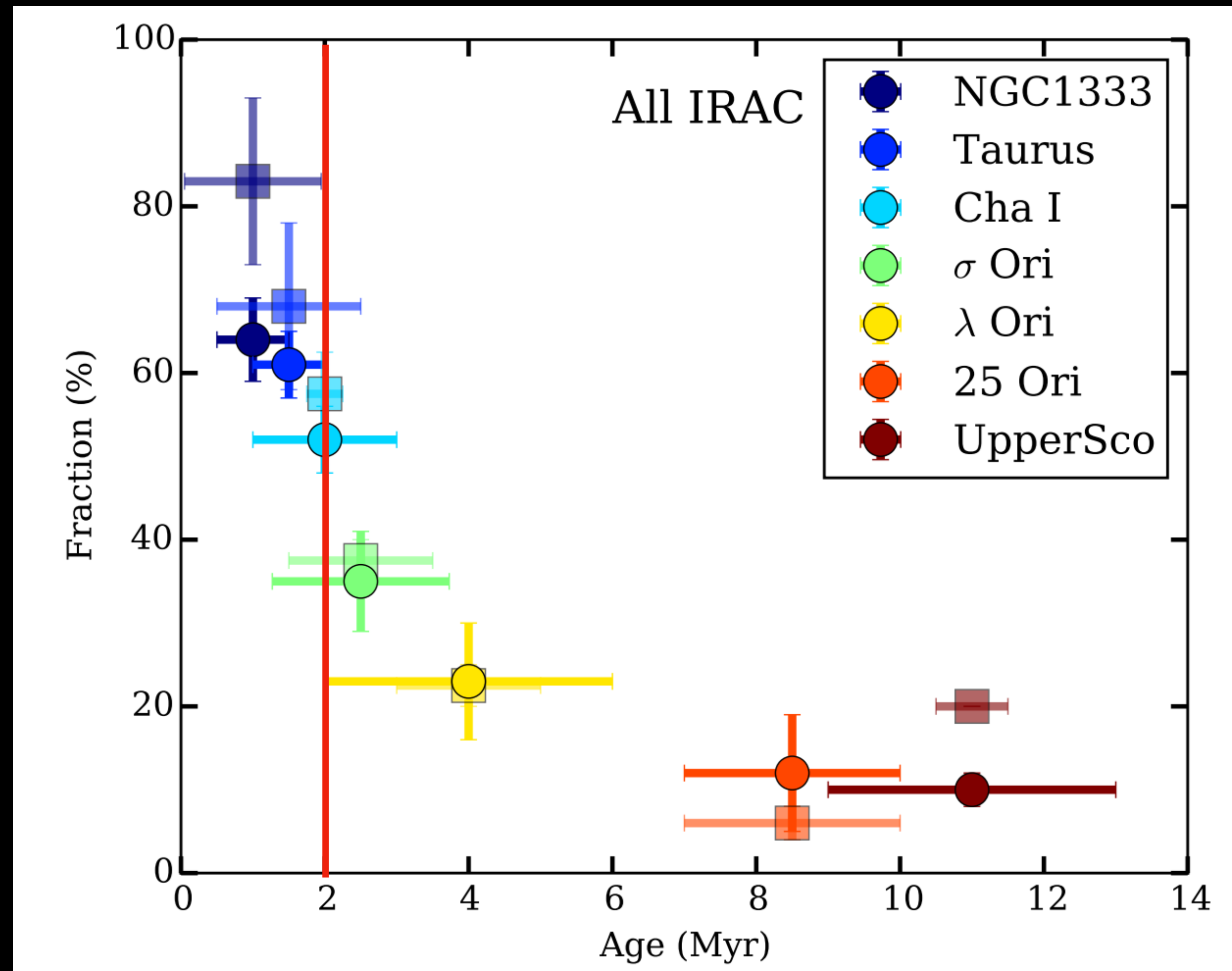
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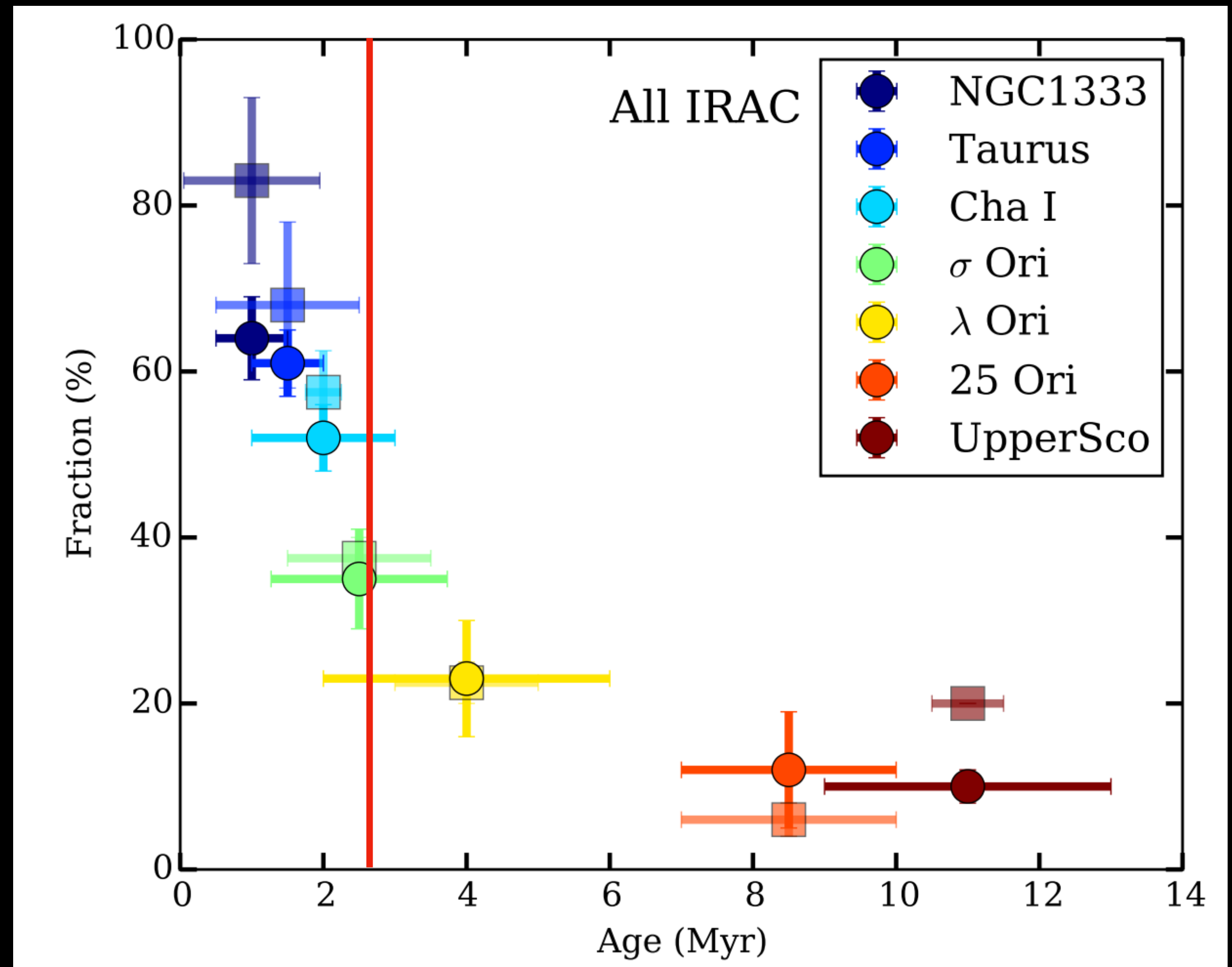
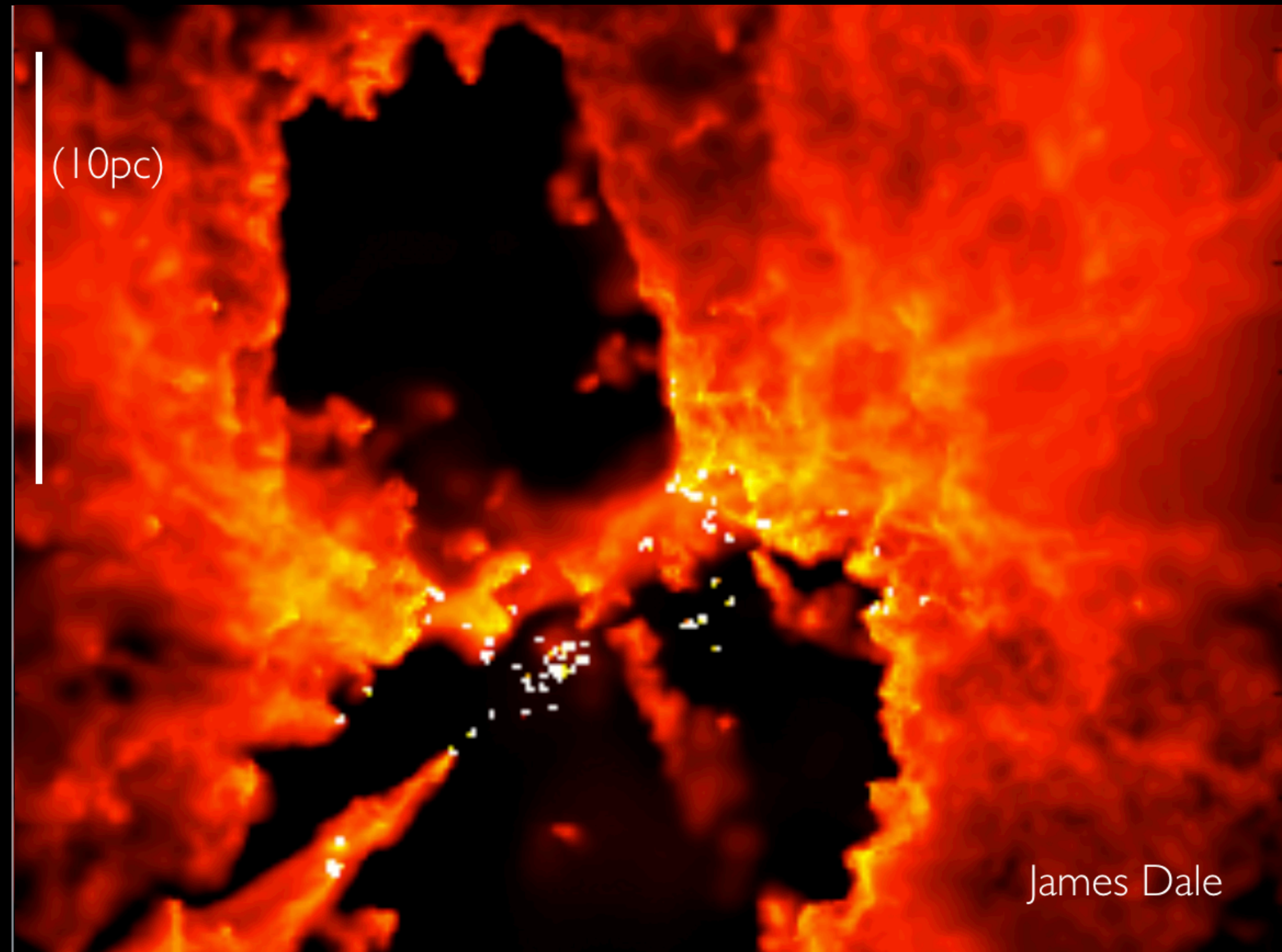
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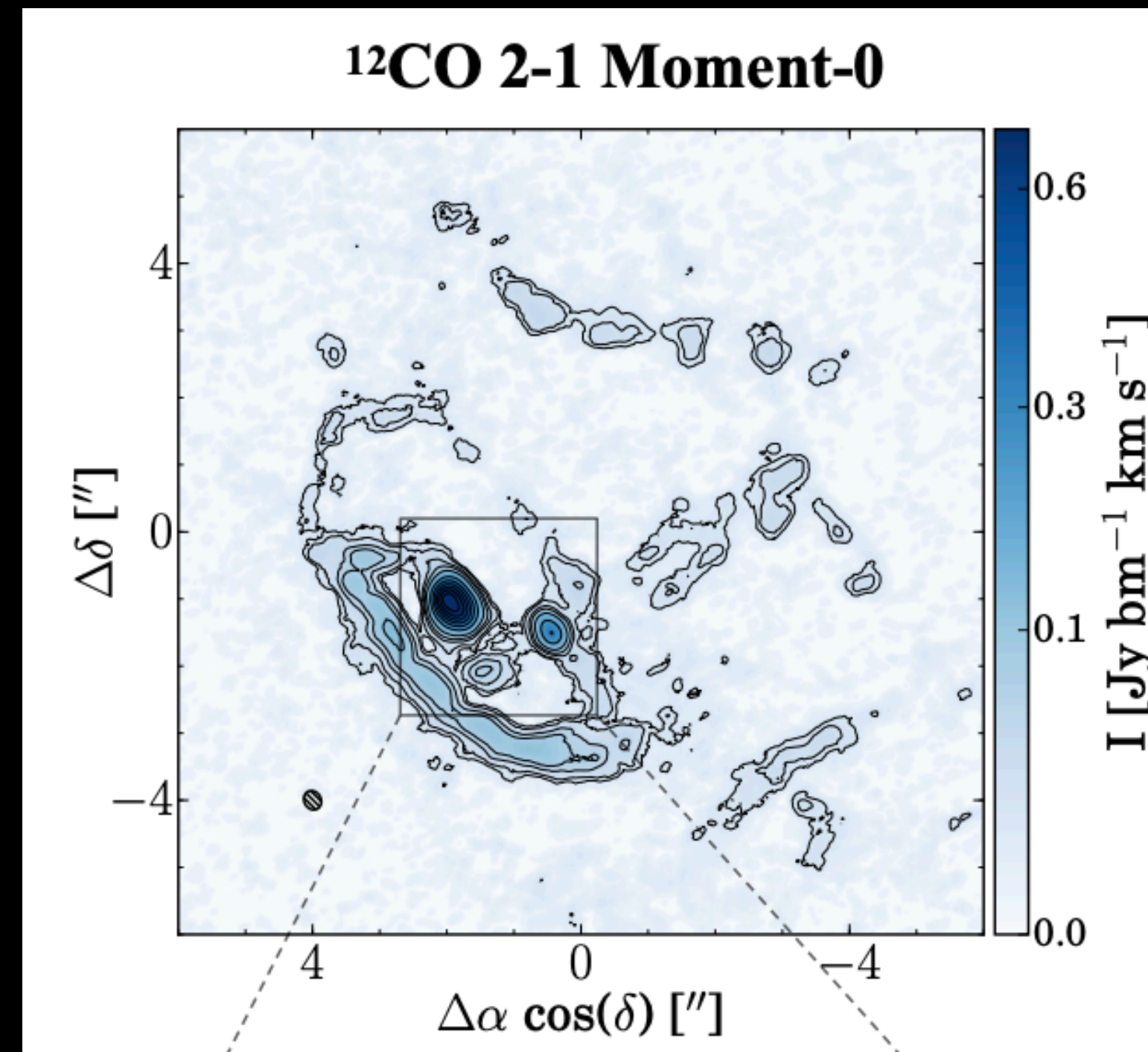
1. Gravitational interaction — close encounters

RW Auriga



100 AU

Dai et al. 2015



Rodriguez et al. (2018)

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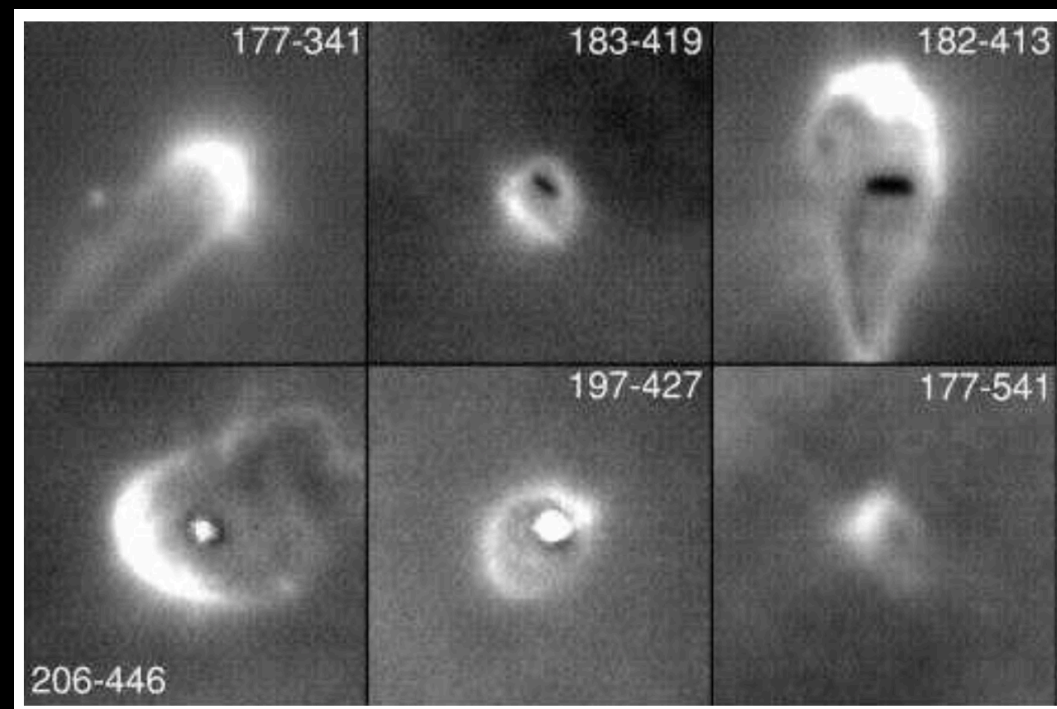


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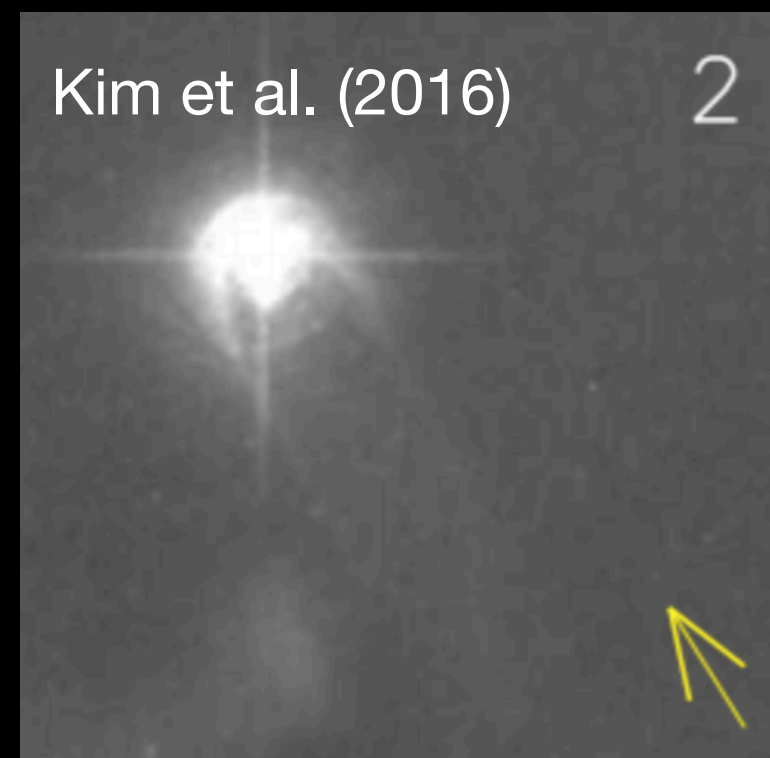
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UV field strength in multiples of Solar neighbourhood value (G_0)

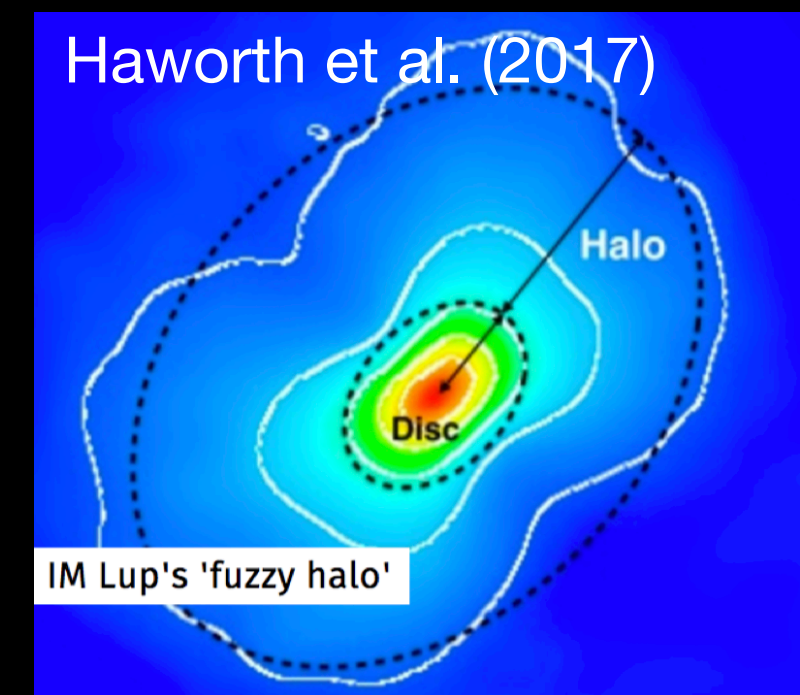
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e.g. O'Dell, Wen, McCaughrean

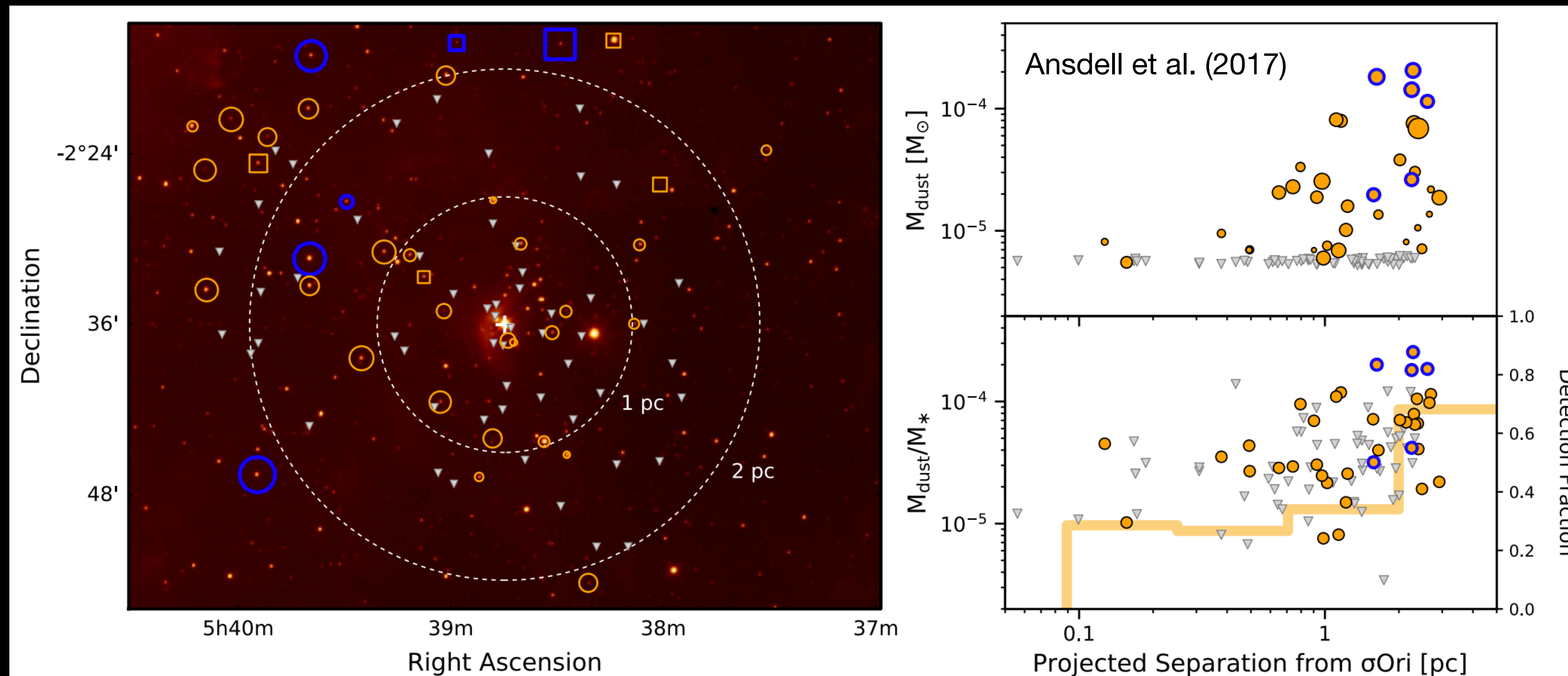


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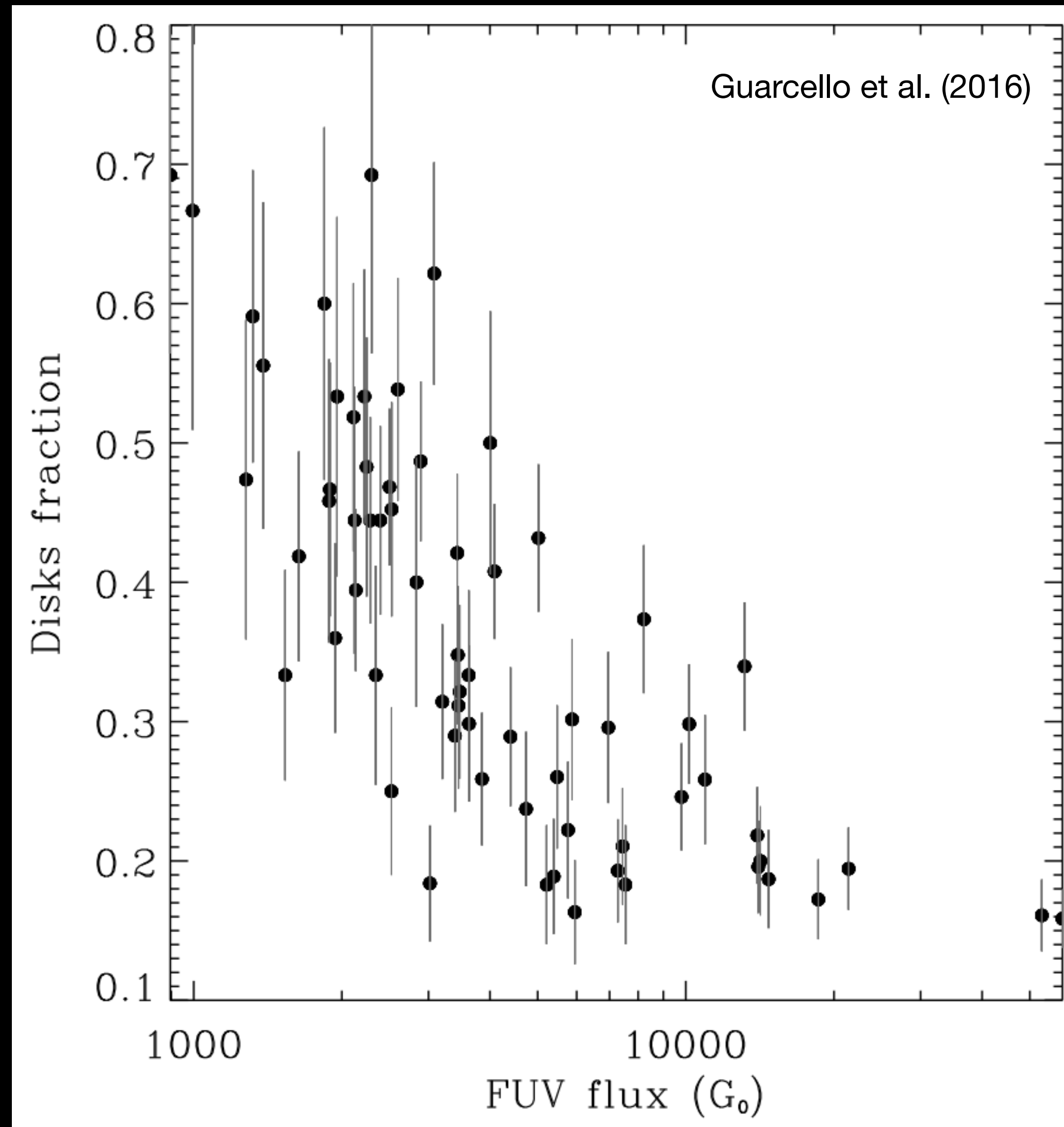
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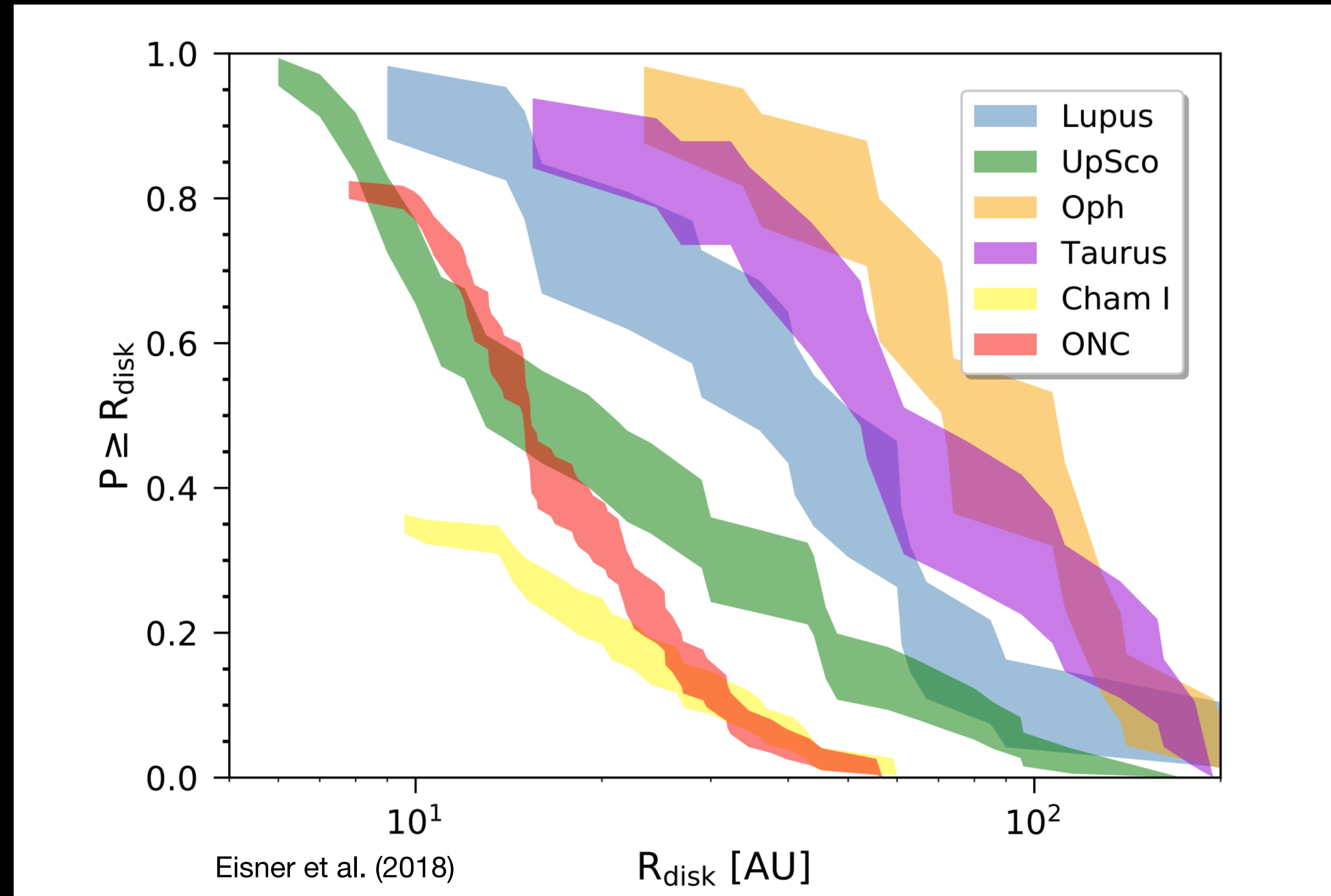
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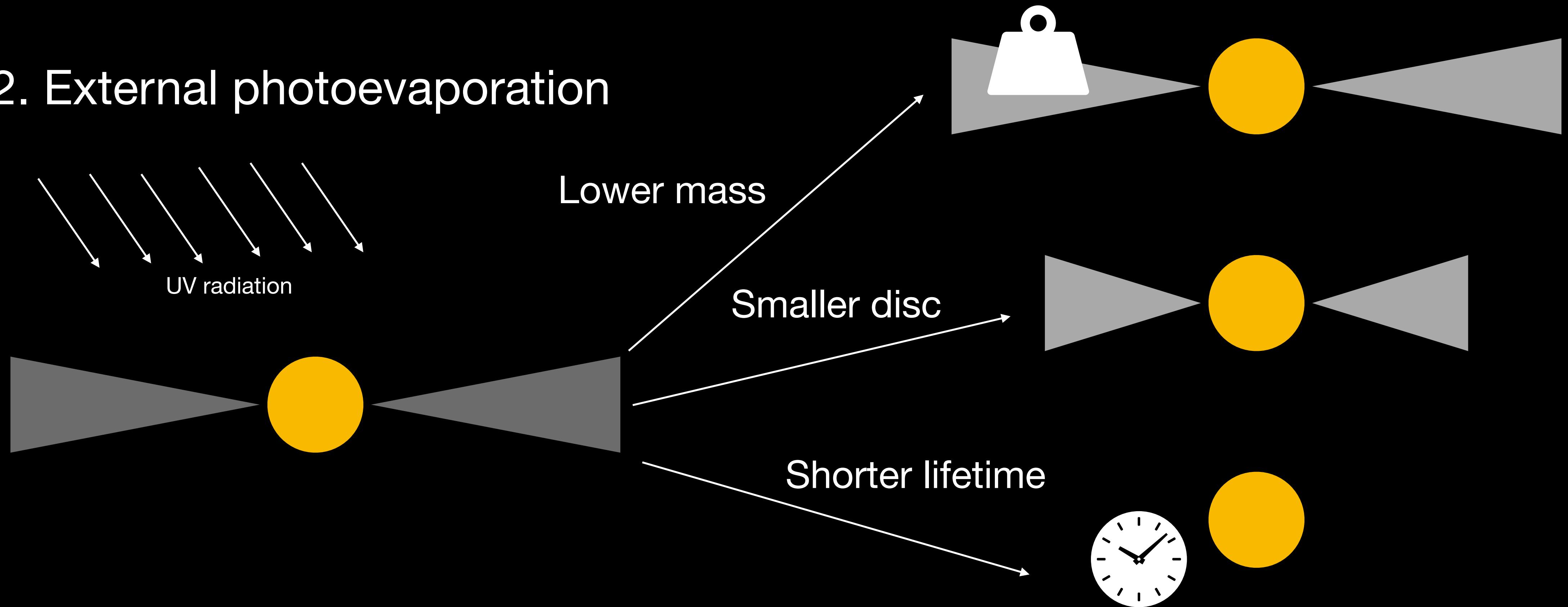
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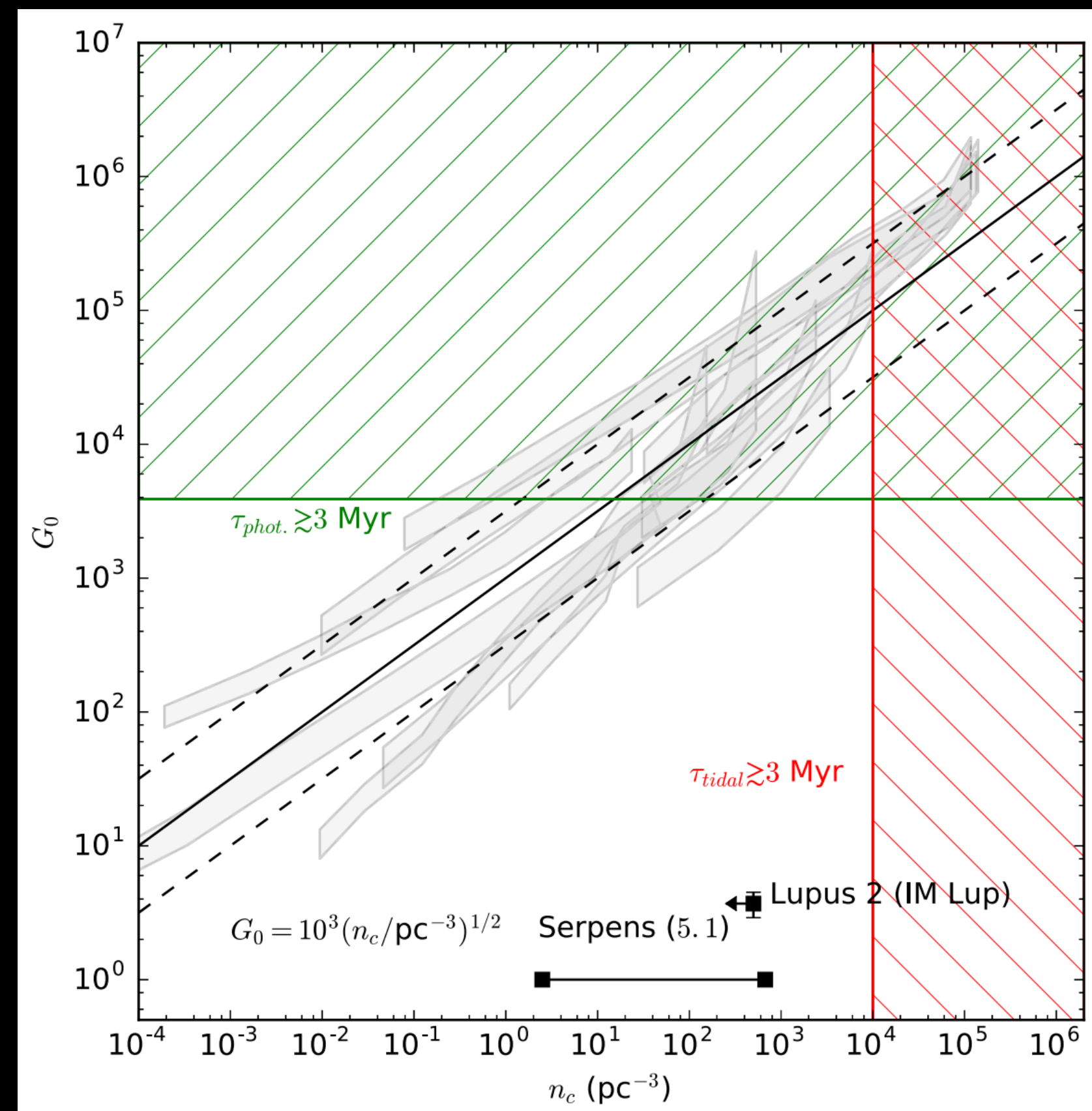
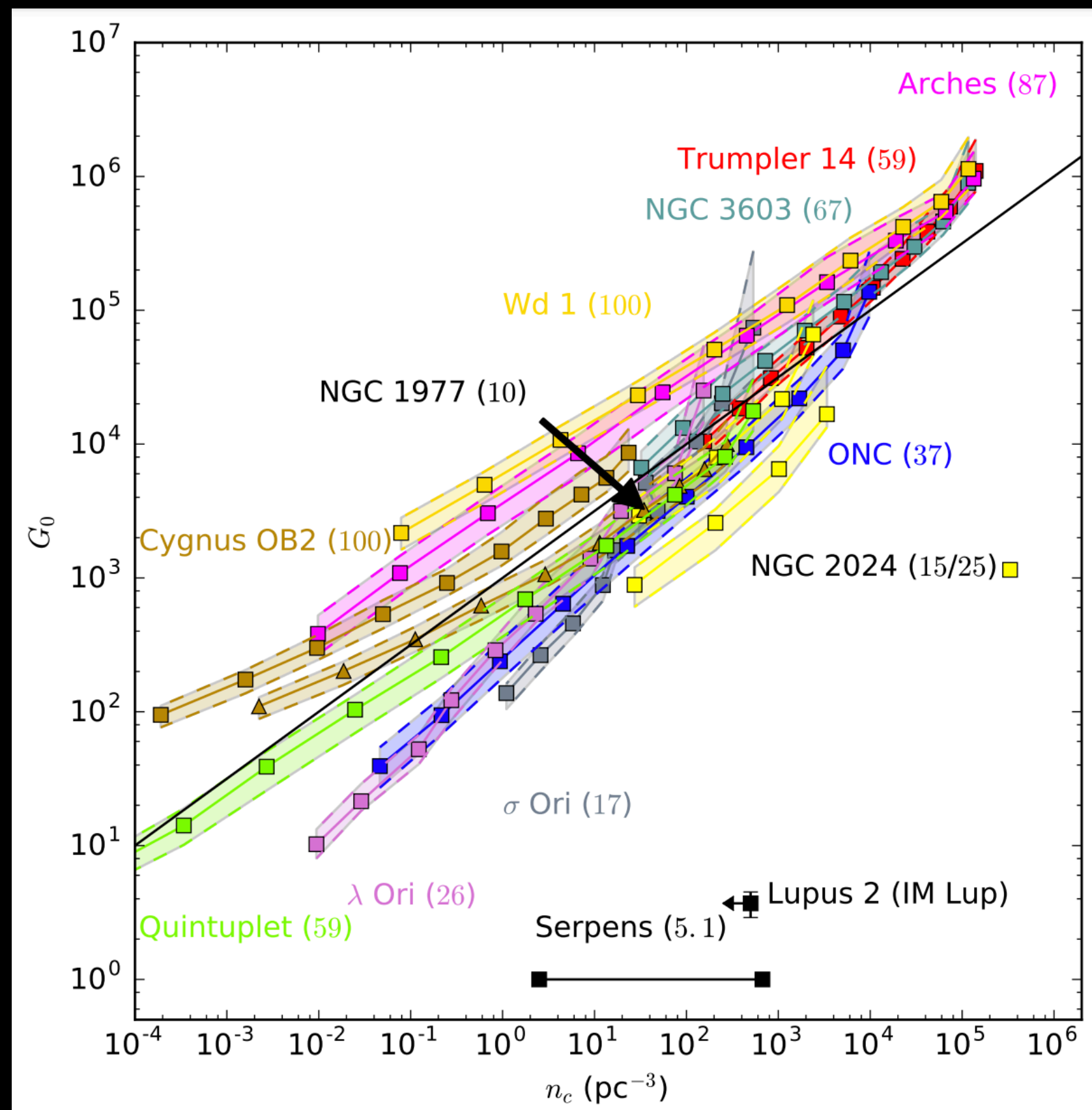


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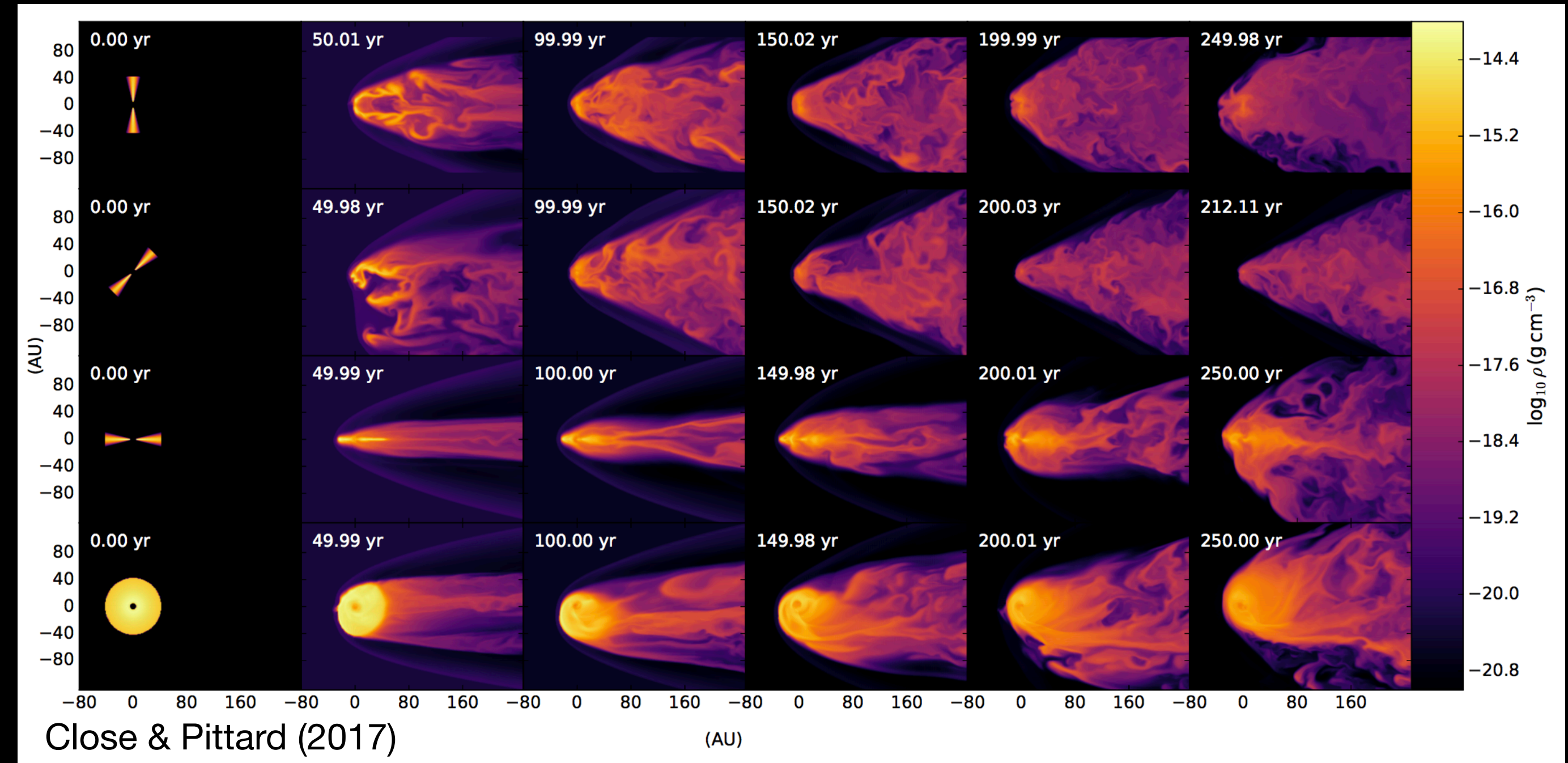
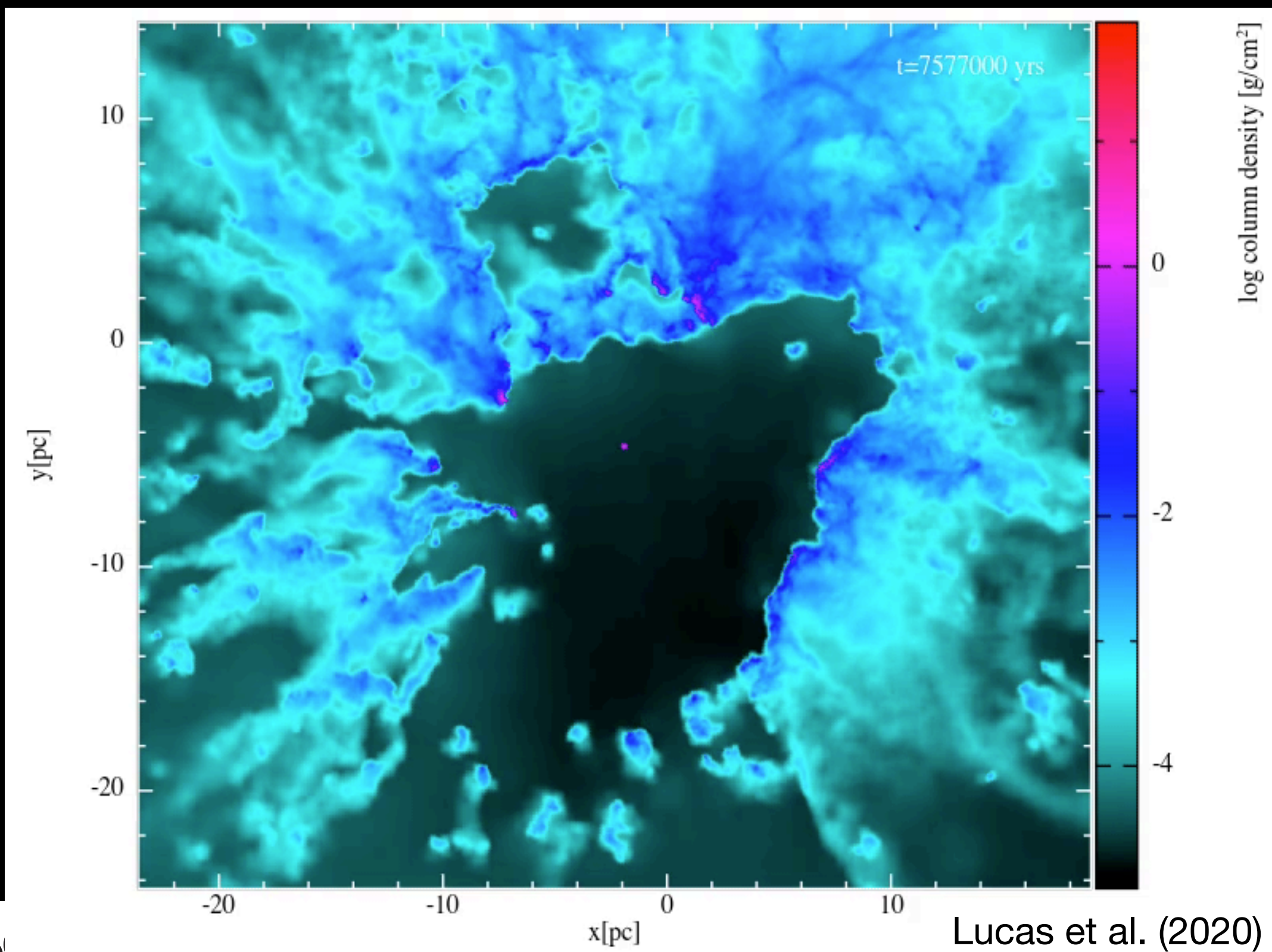
Encounters vs external photoevaporation



Winter et al. (2018)

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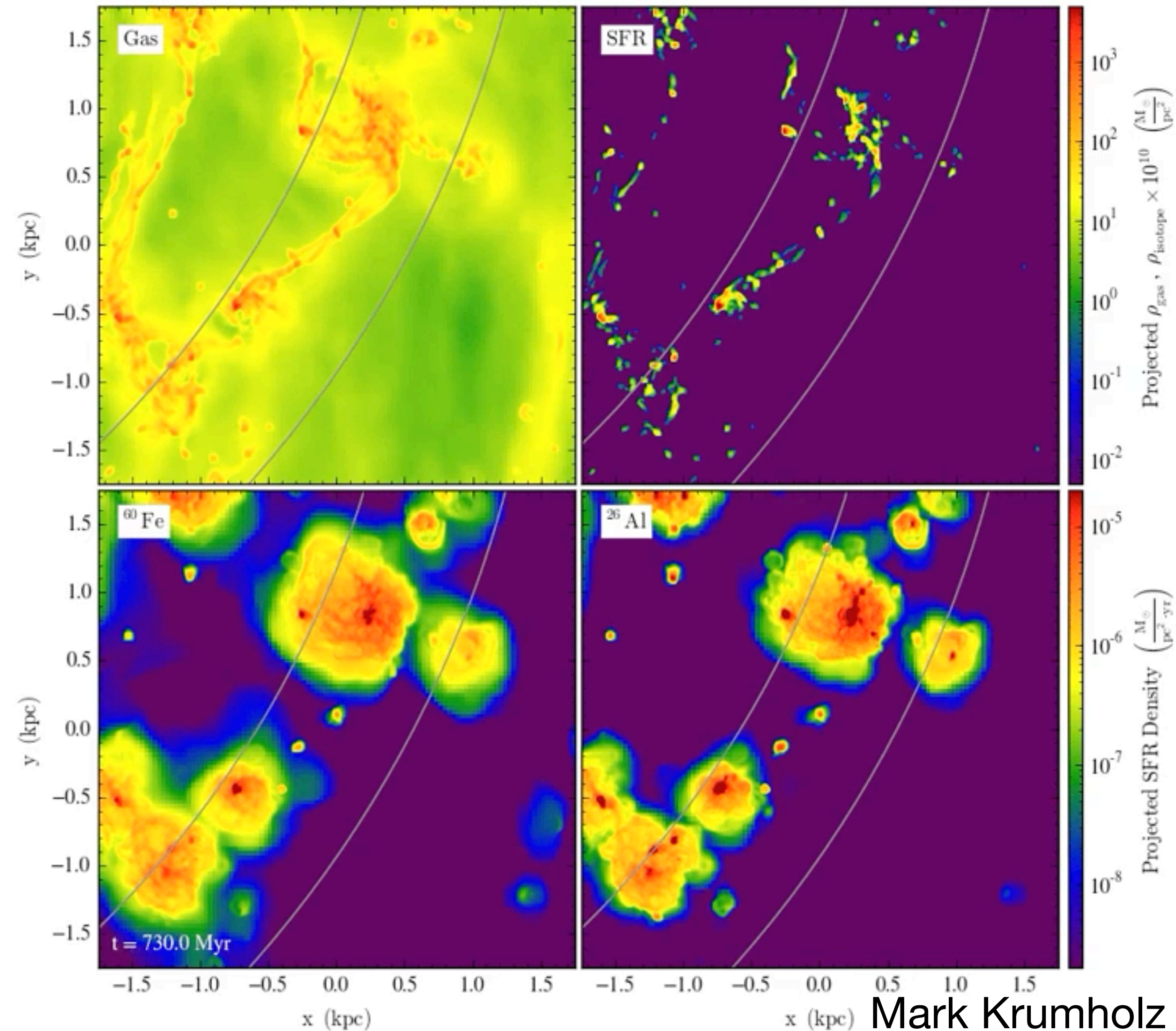
3. Supernovae?



Effect/importance not very well understood

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3. Supernovae? Chemical enrichment

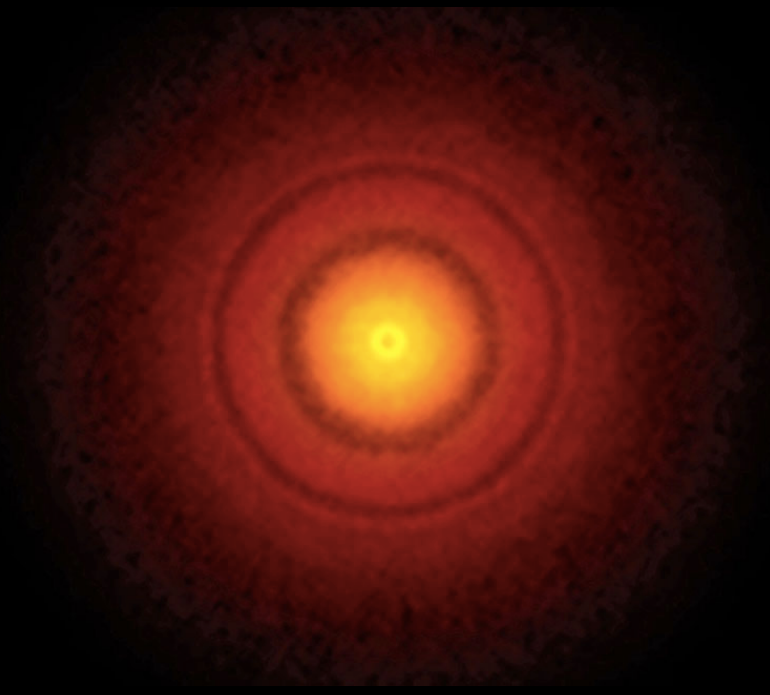


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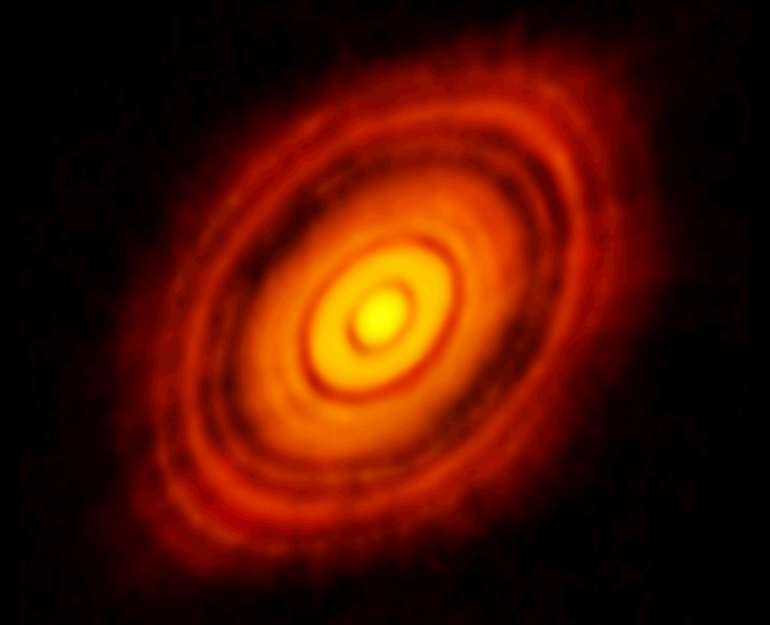
These are all quite close to the Sun

Their clusters are small and the UV radiation is weak

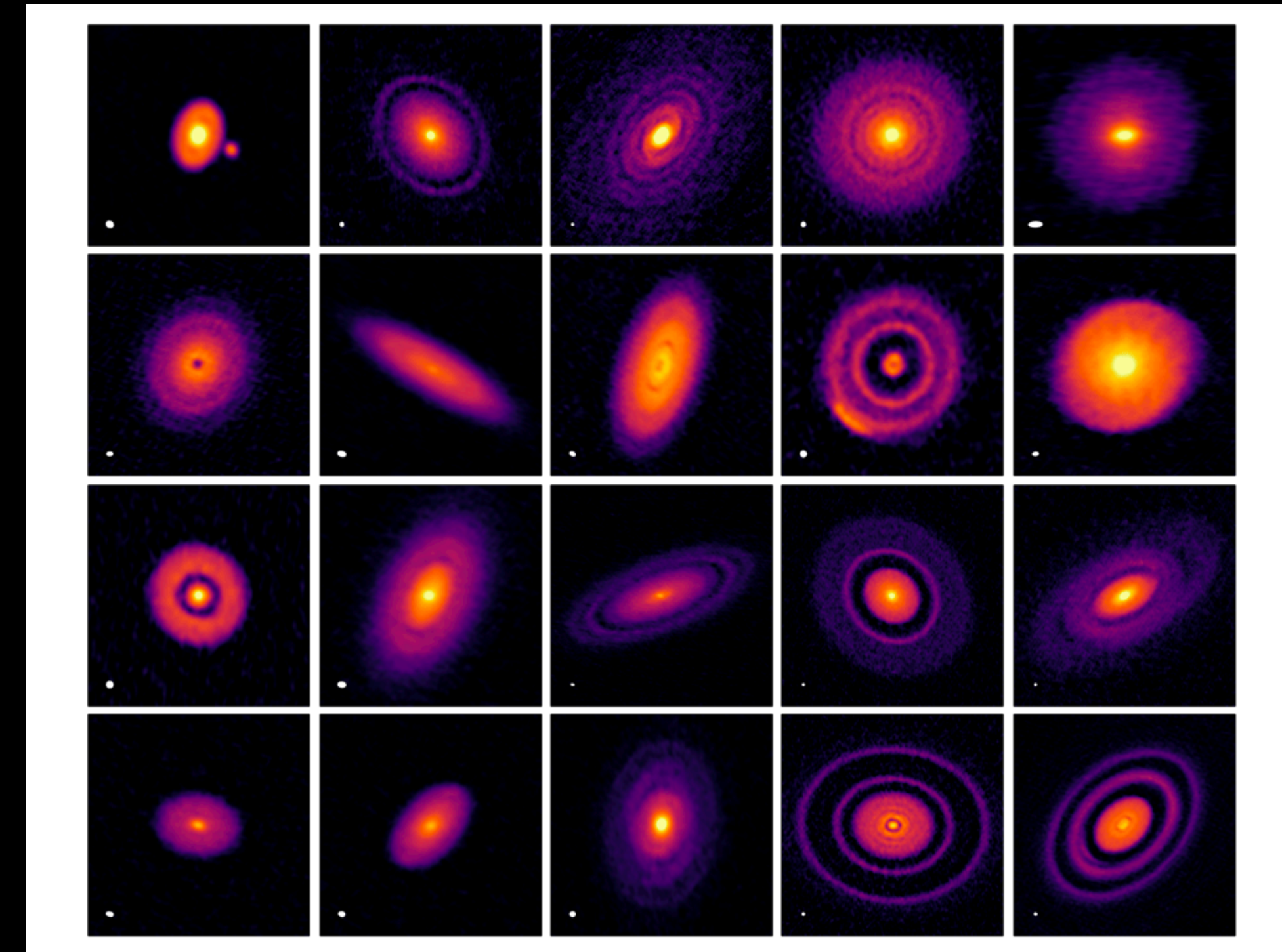
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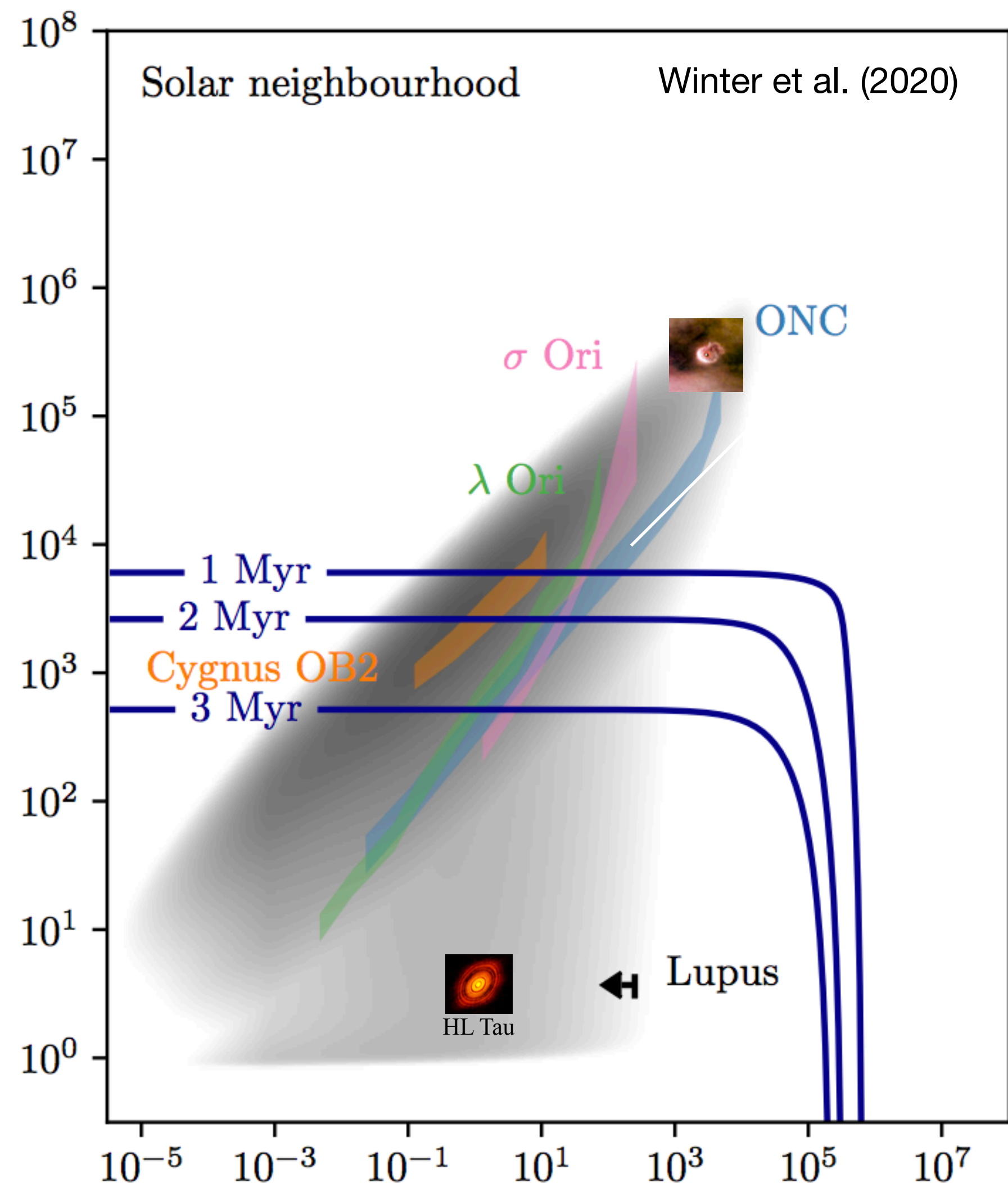
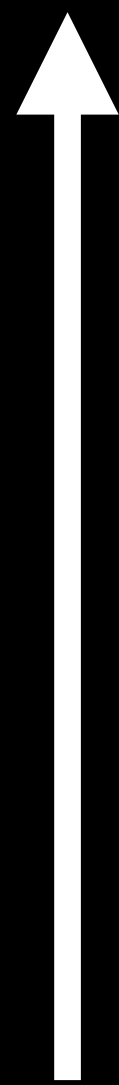
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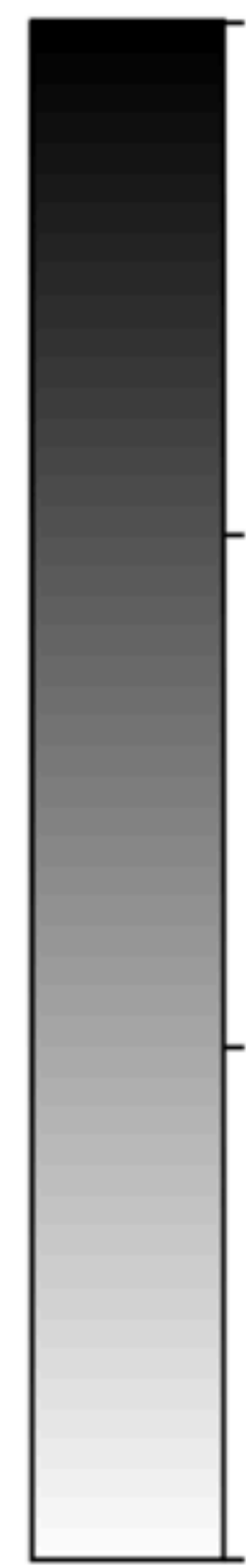
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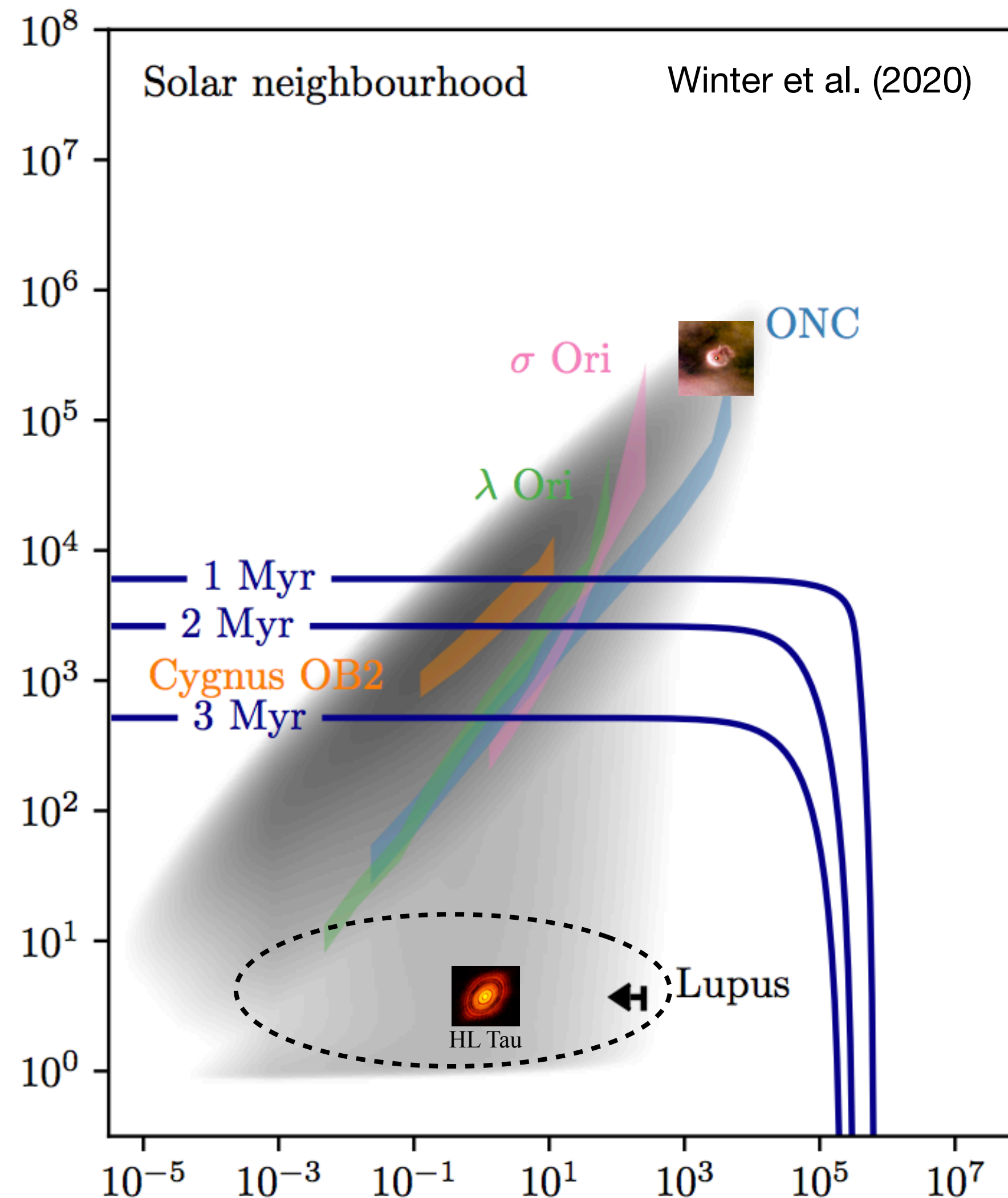
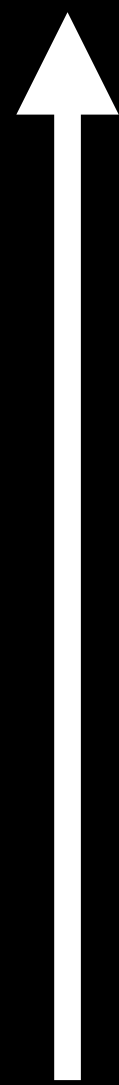


Least probable

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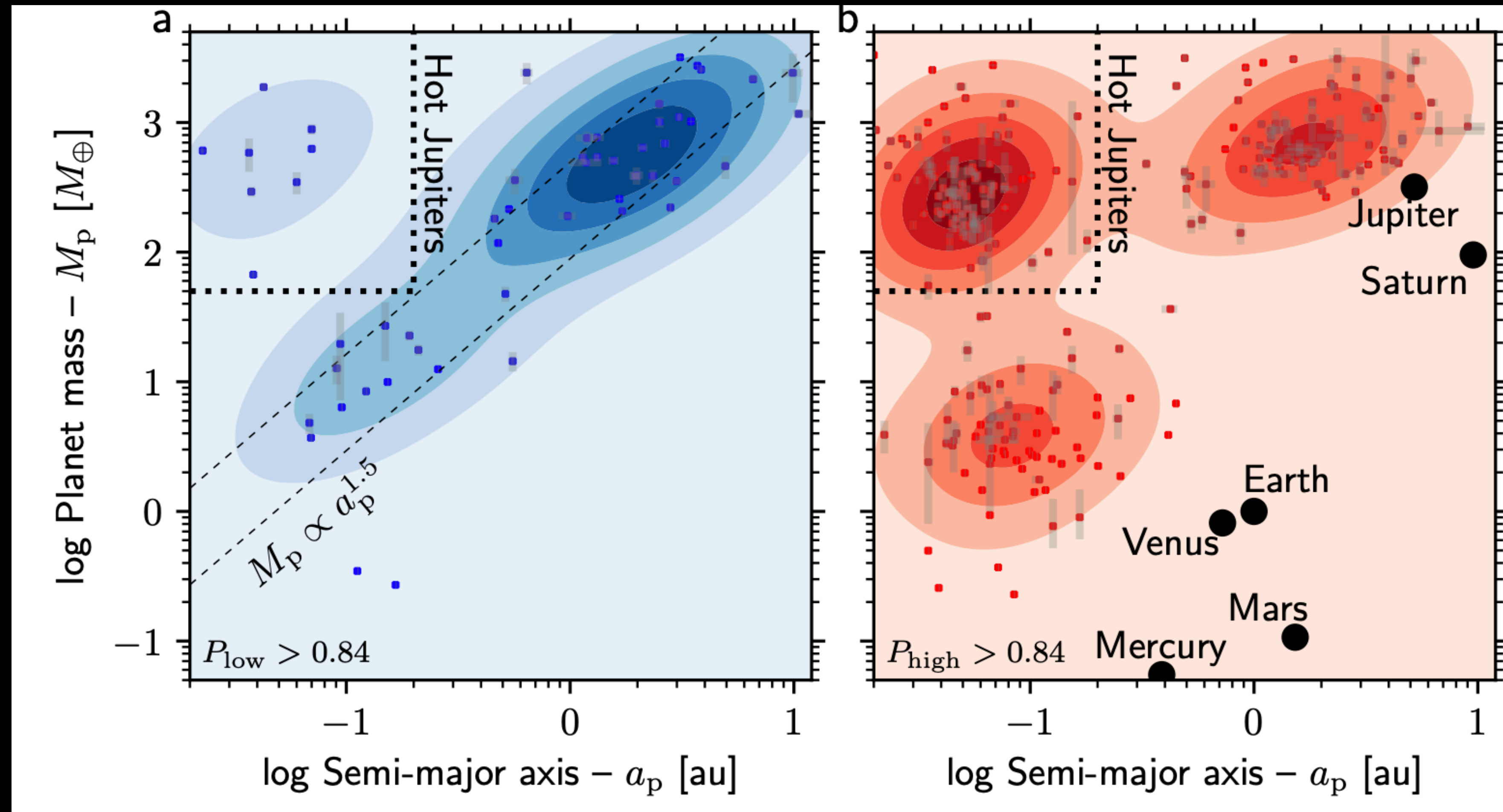


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Is this a problem?

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Evidence for planet sensitivity to environment



Winter et al. (2020c)

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“Planets form very quickly so environment is unimportant”

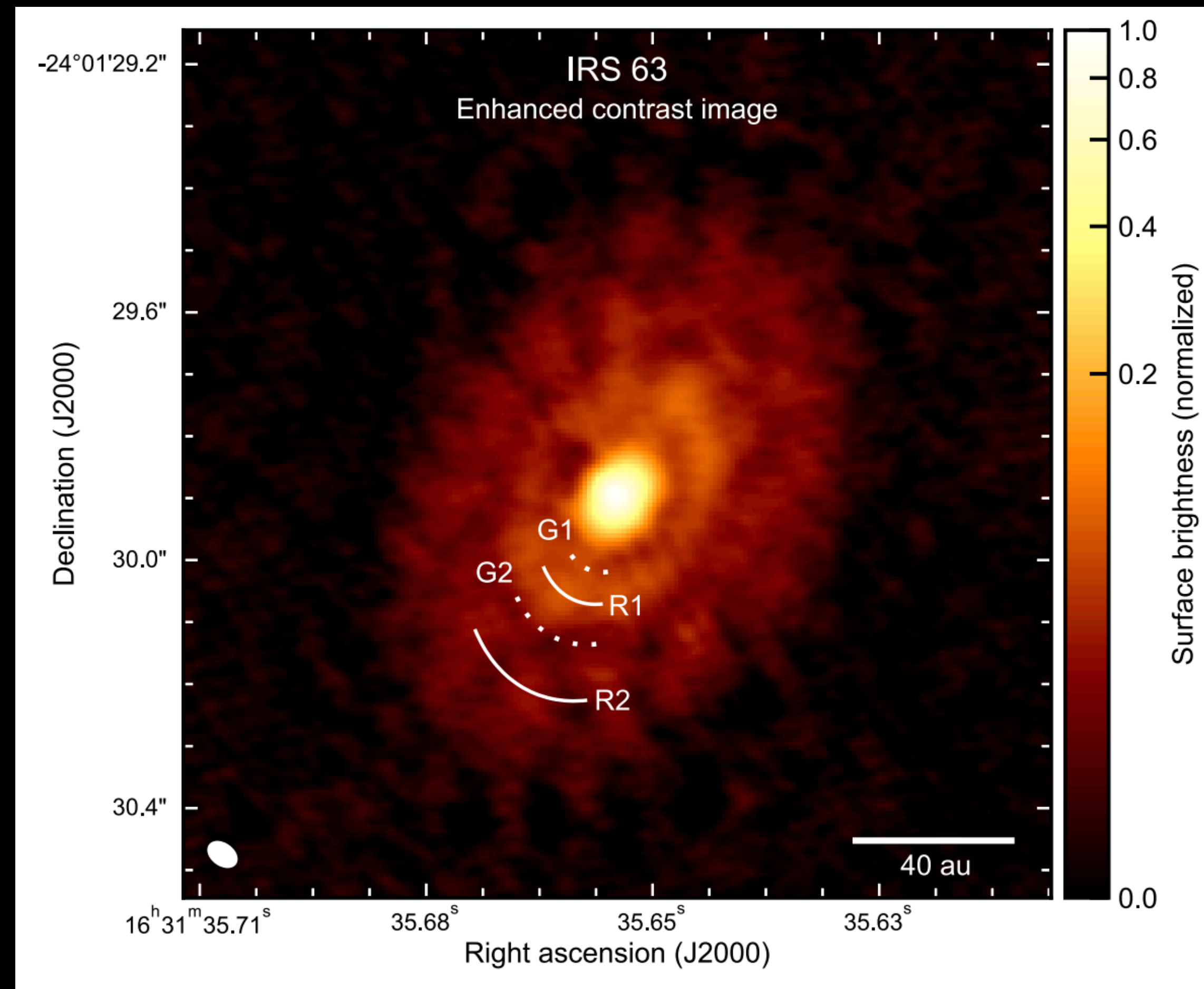
Evidence for early planet formation?

Rings in a 0.5 Myr old disc

Maybe due to planet formation

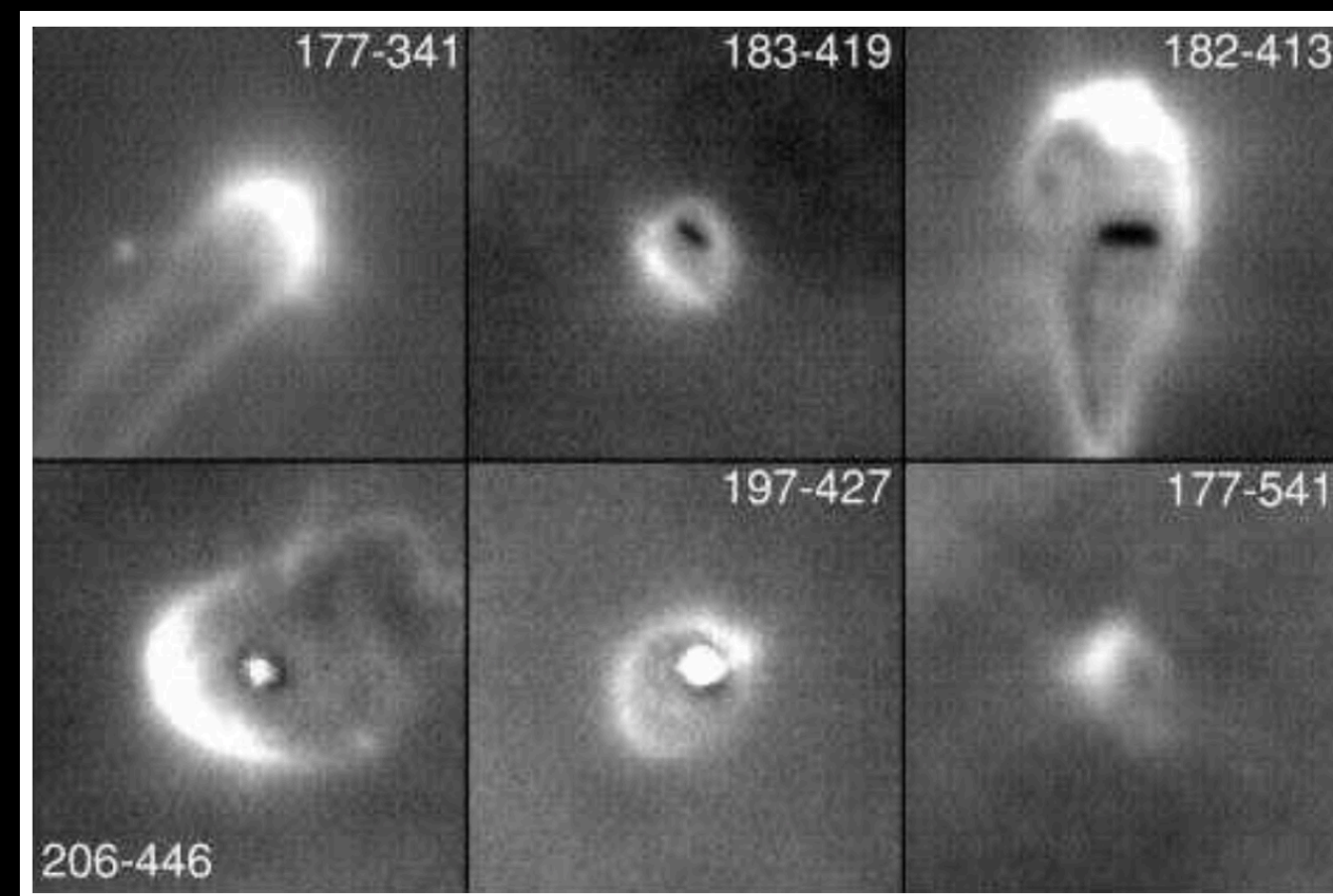
Maybe not...

Segura-Cox et al. (2020)



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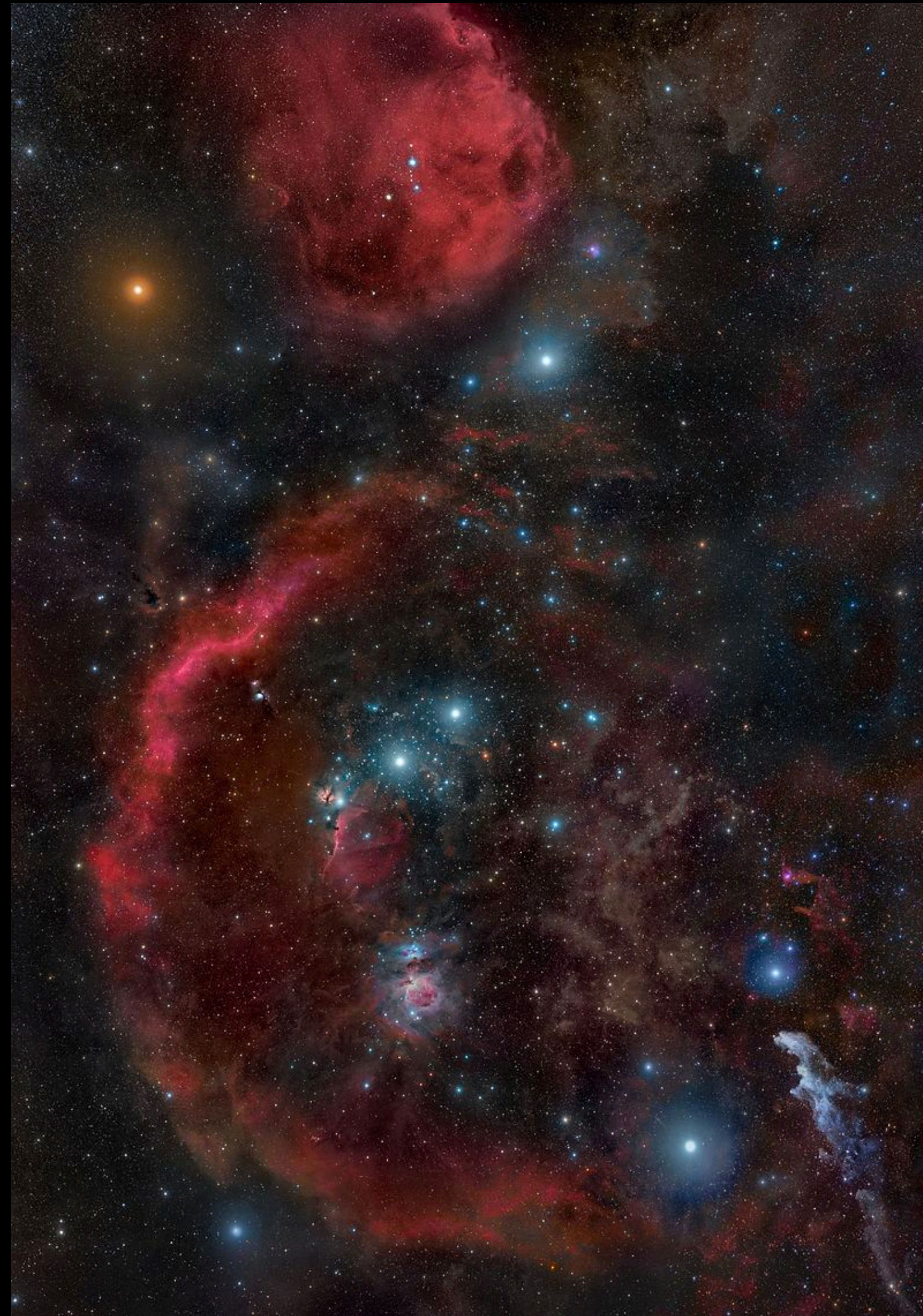
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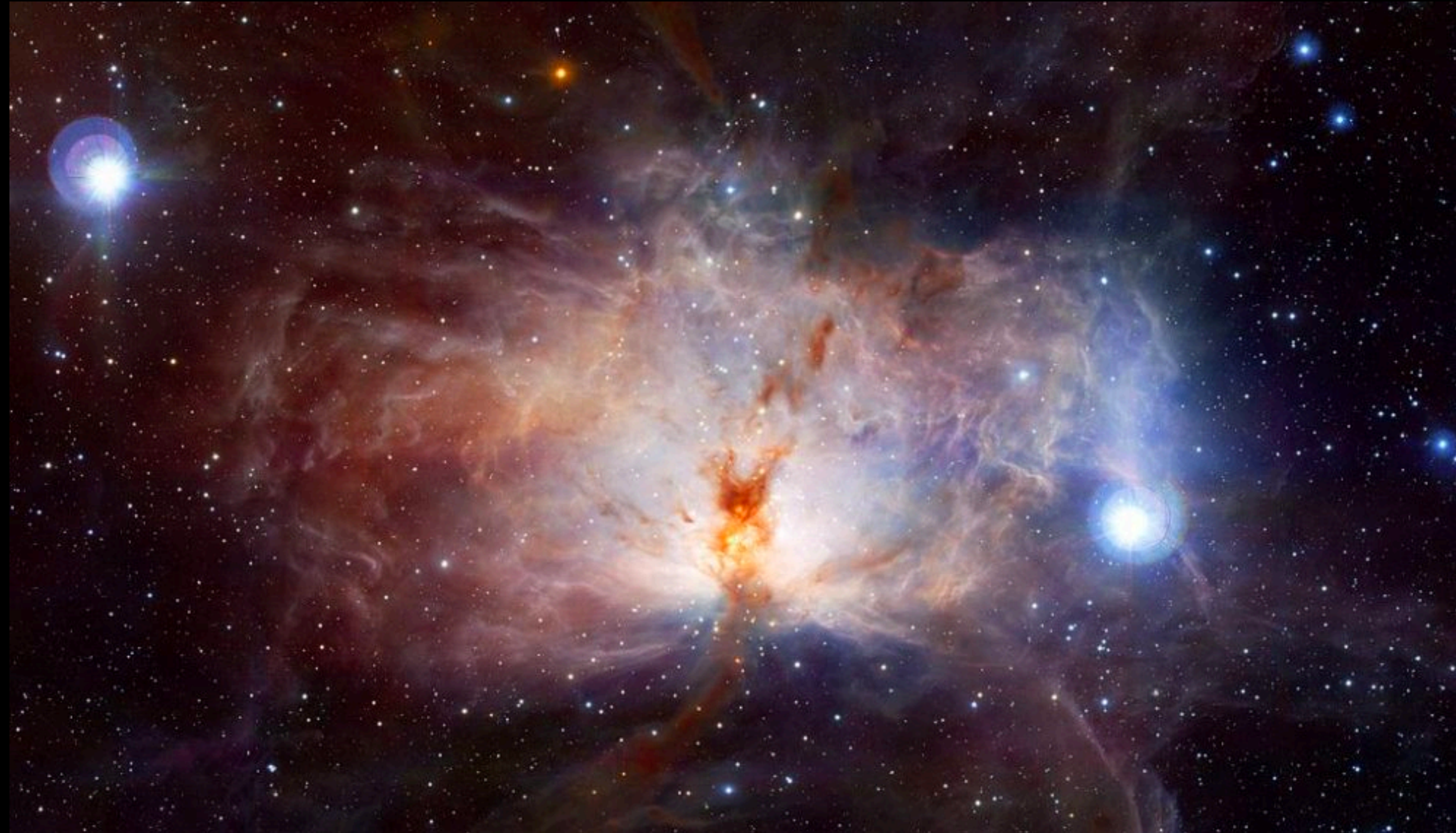
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Youngest star forming region in Orion

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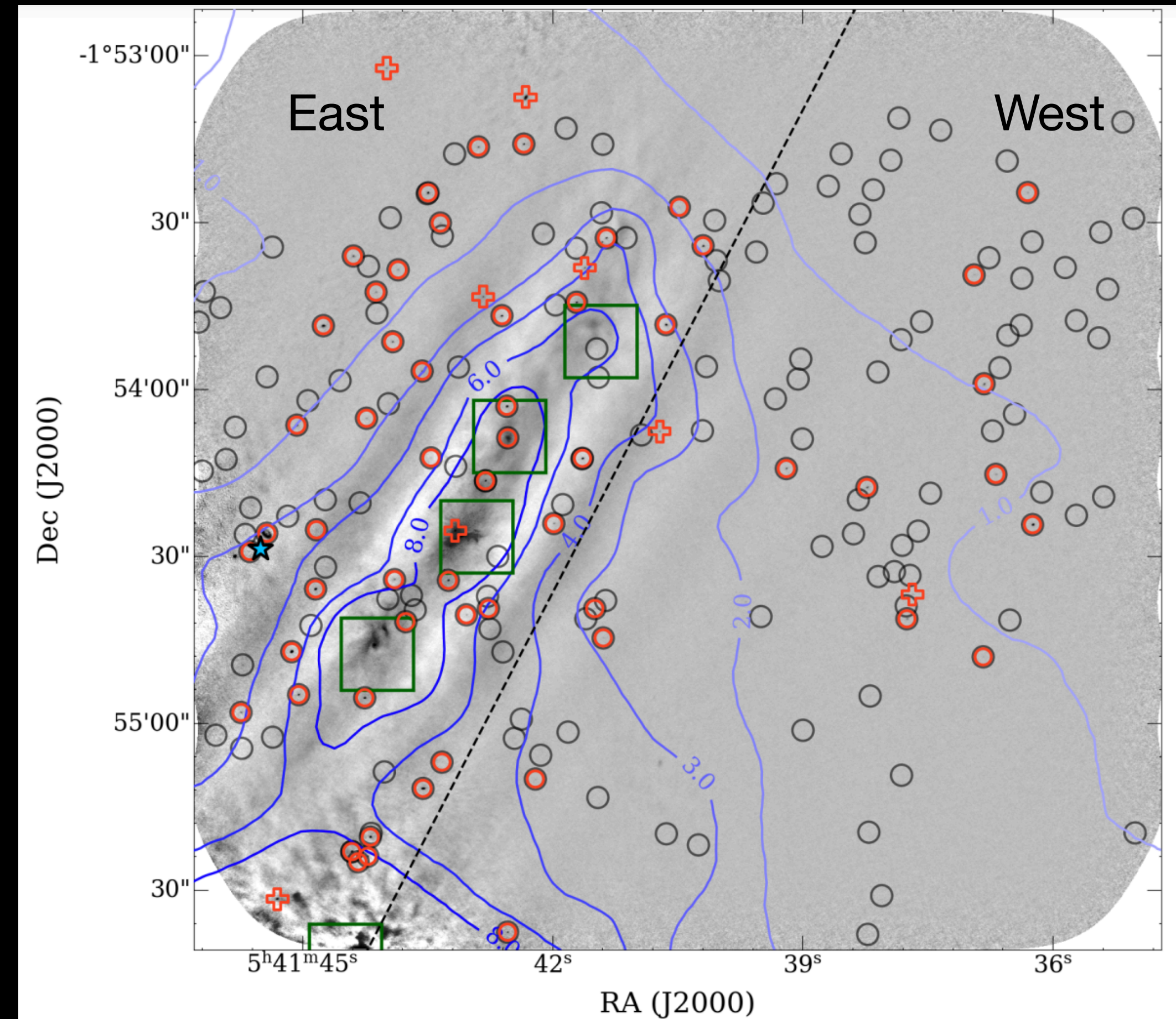
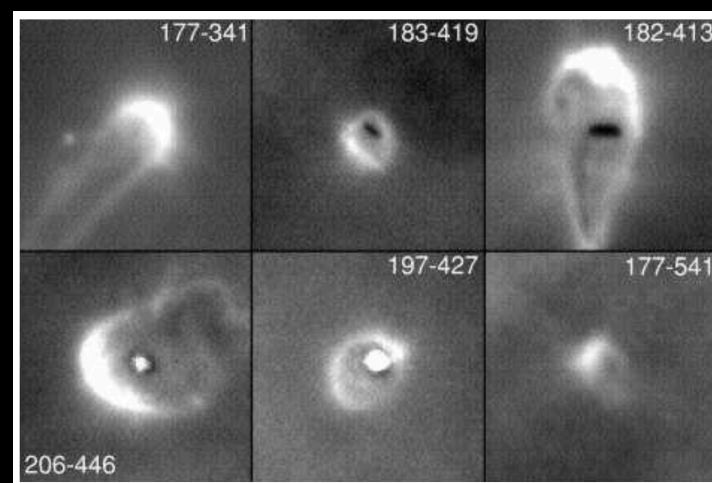
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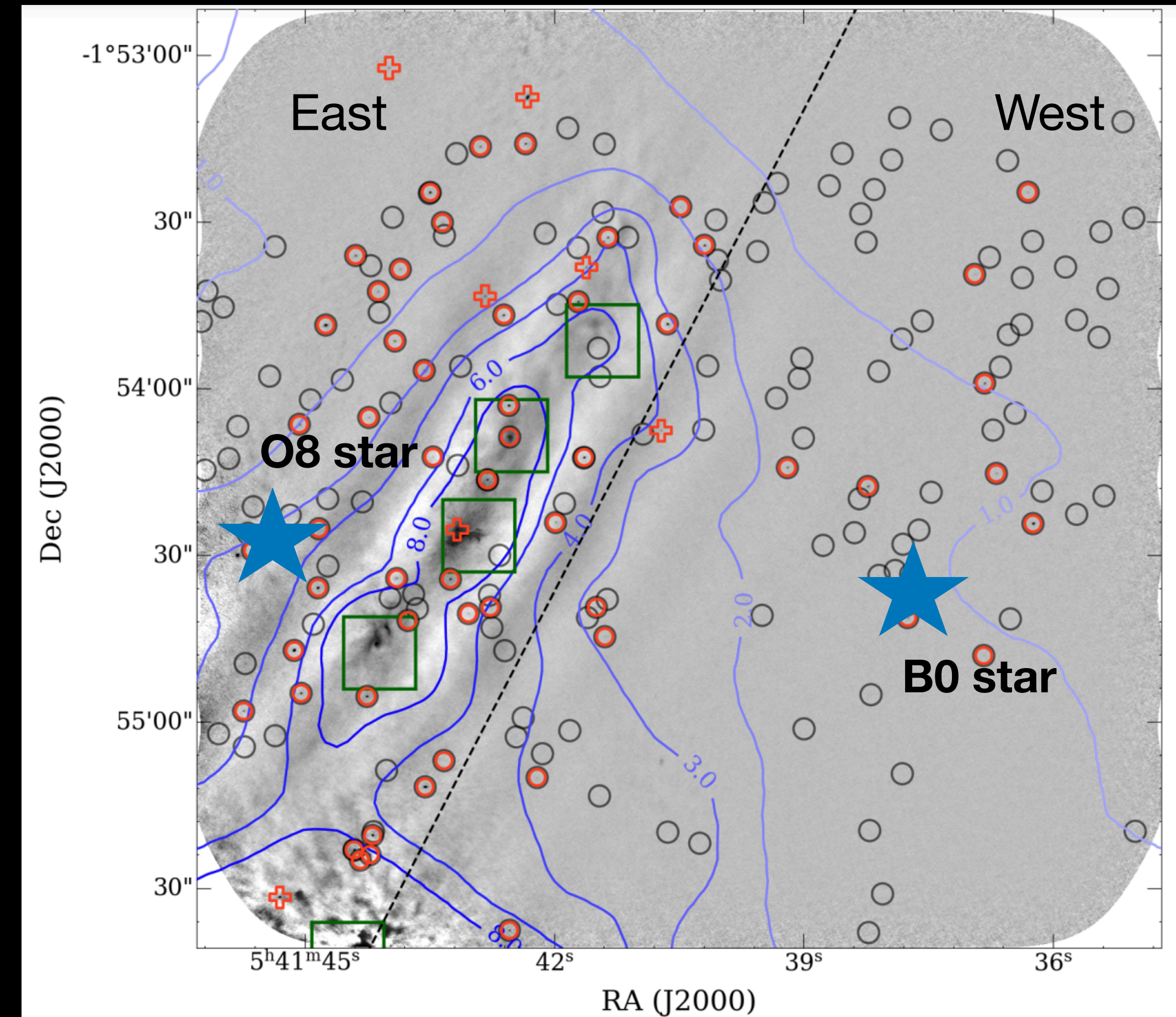
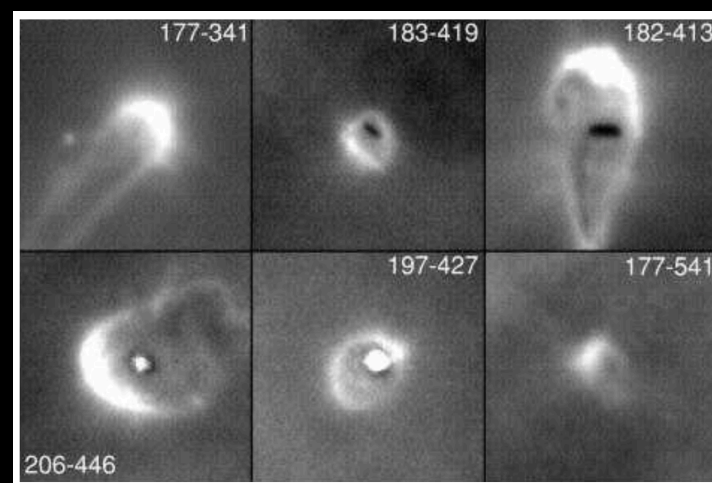
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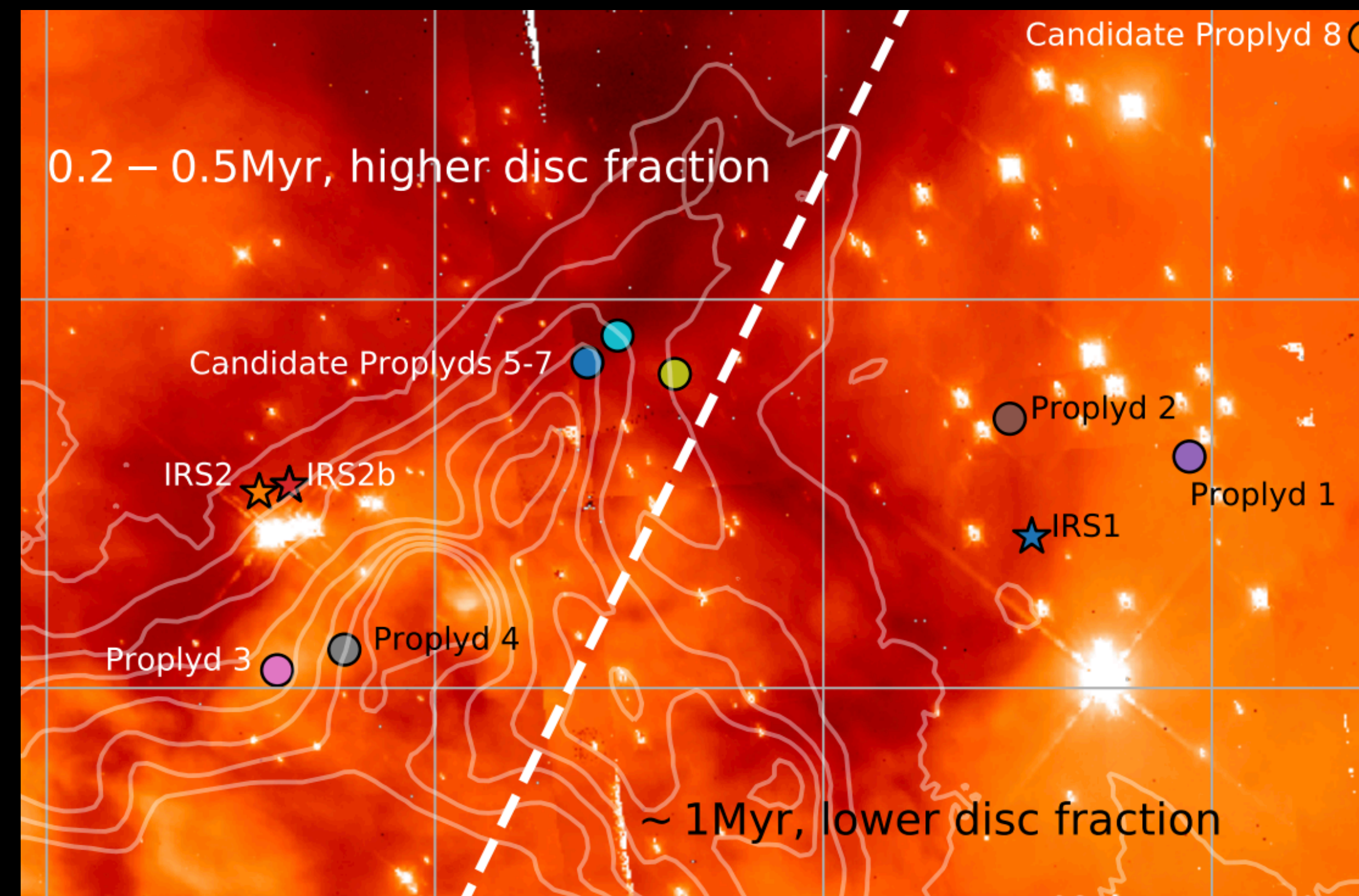
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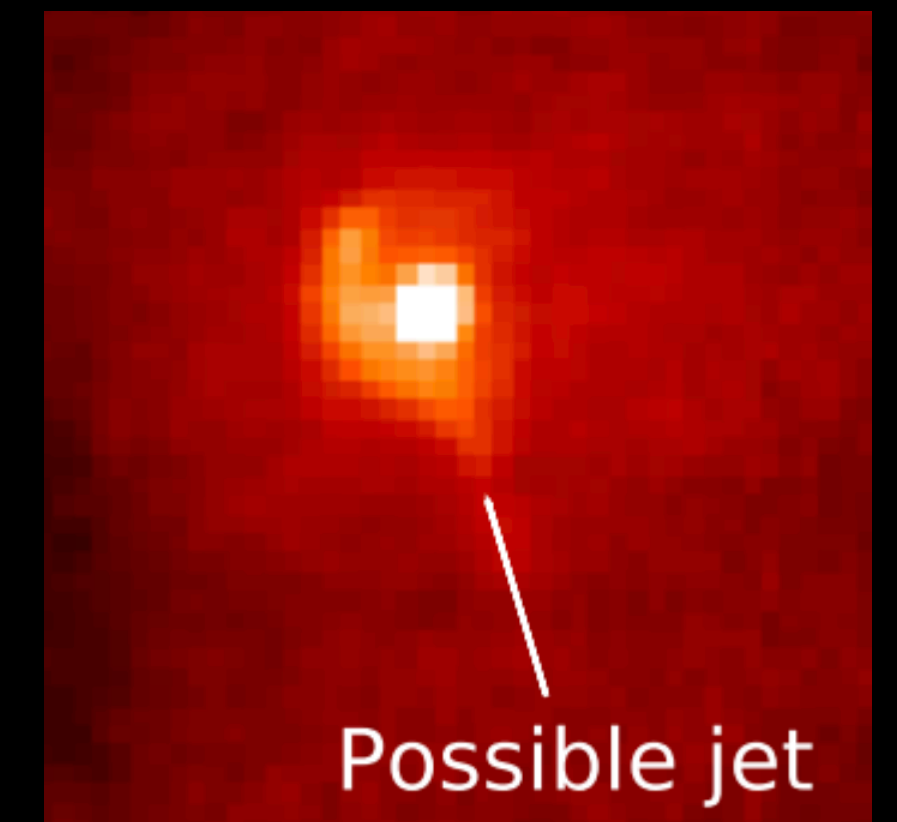
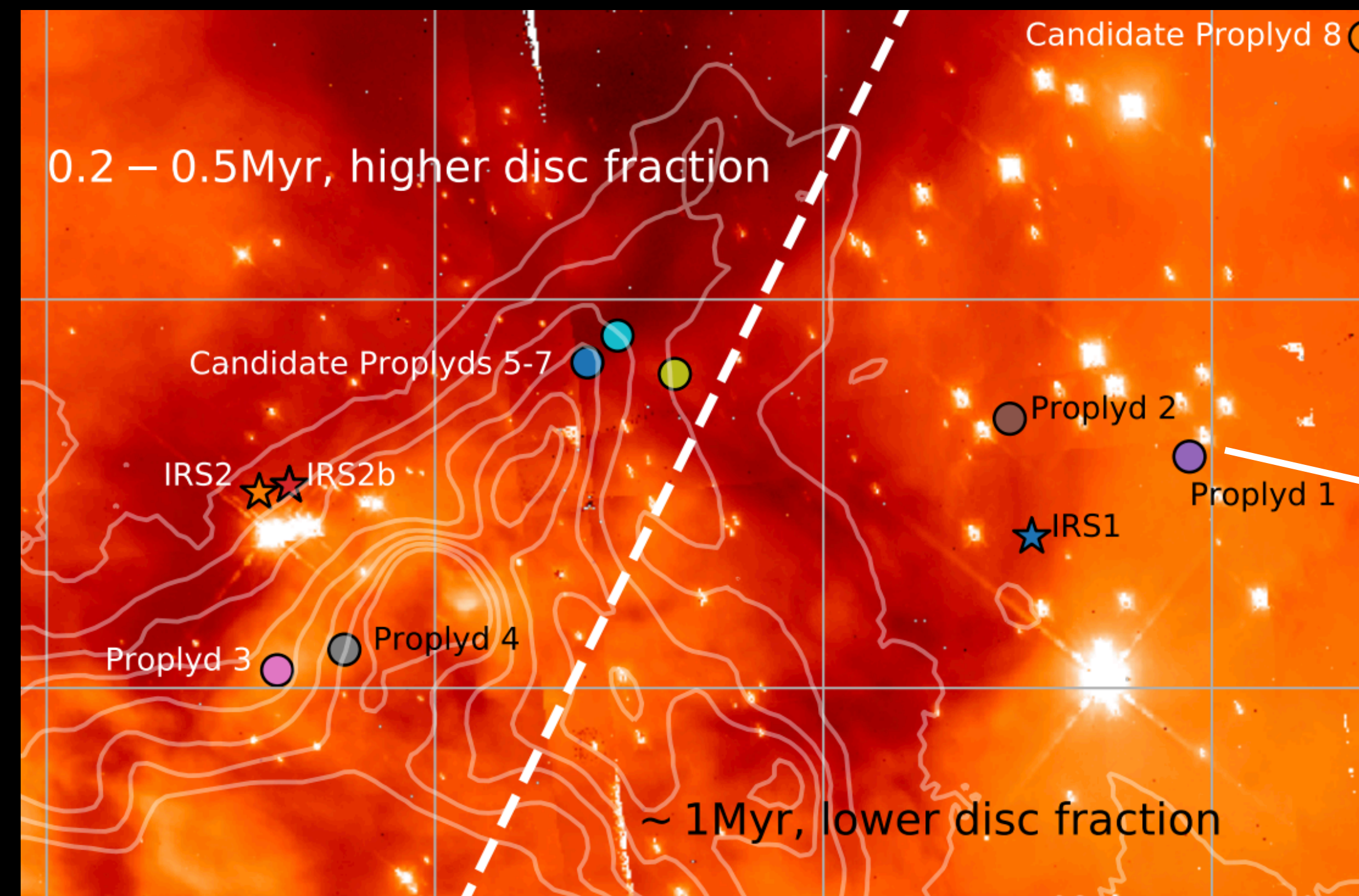
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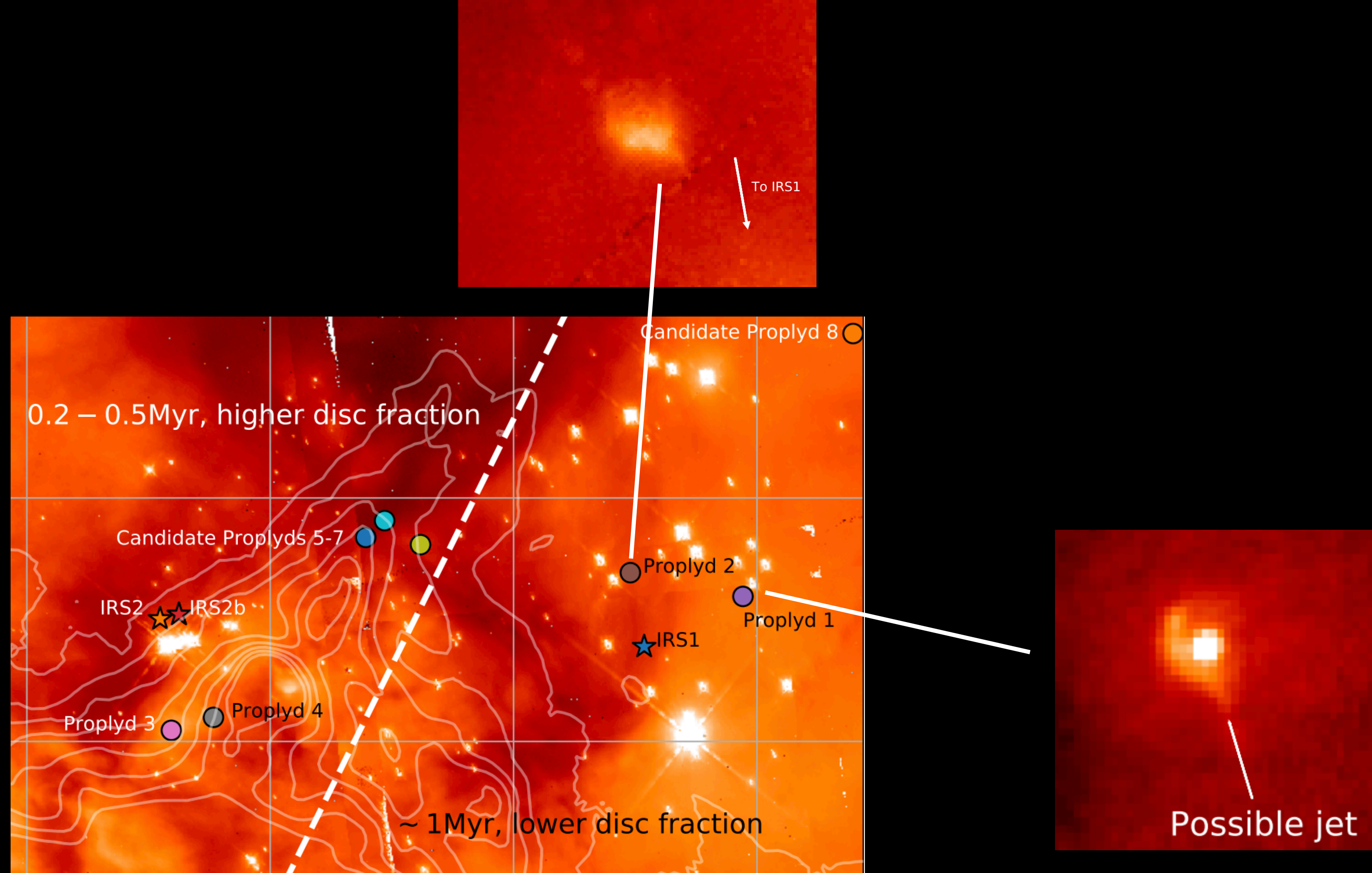
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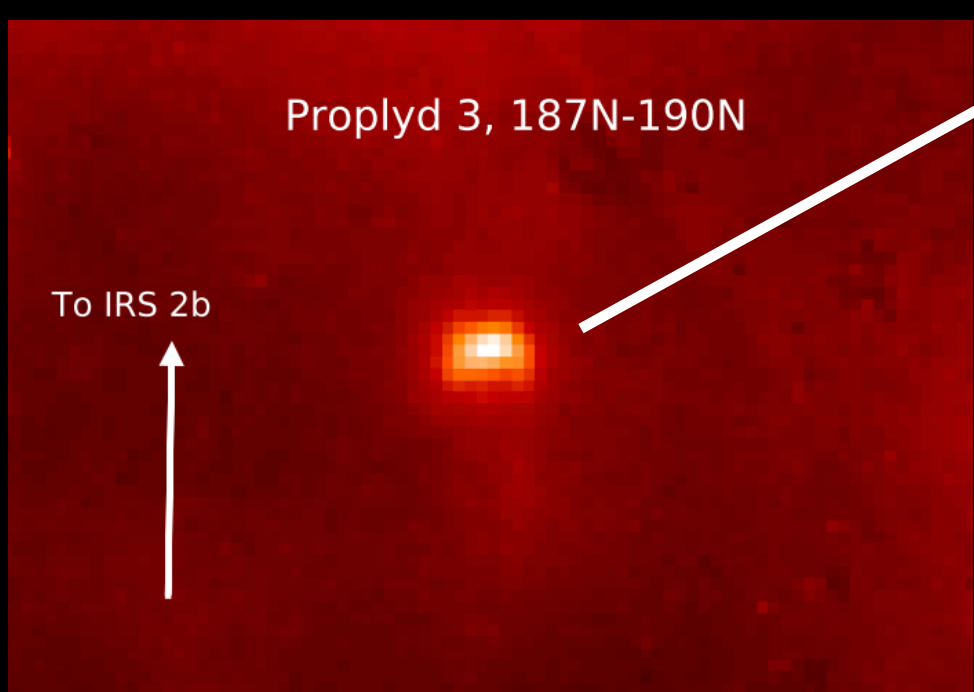
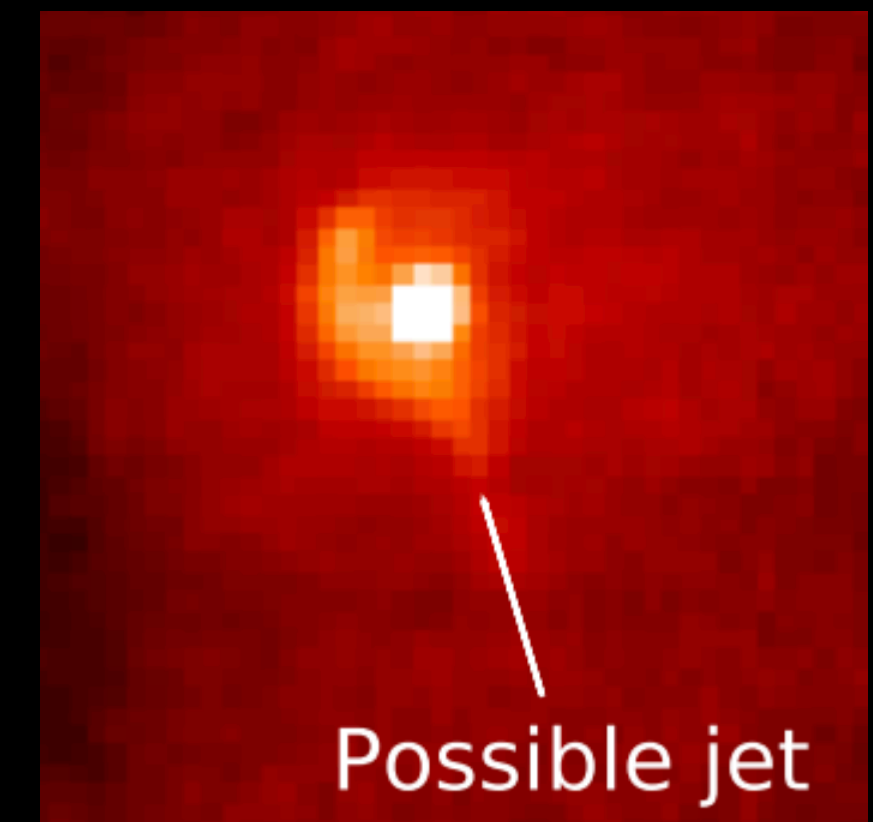
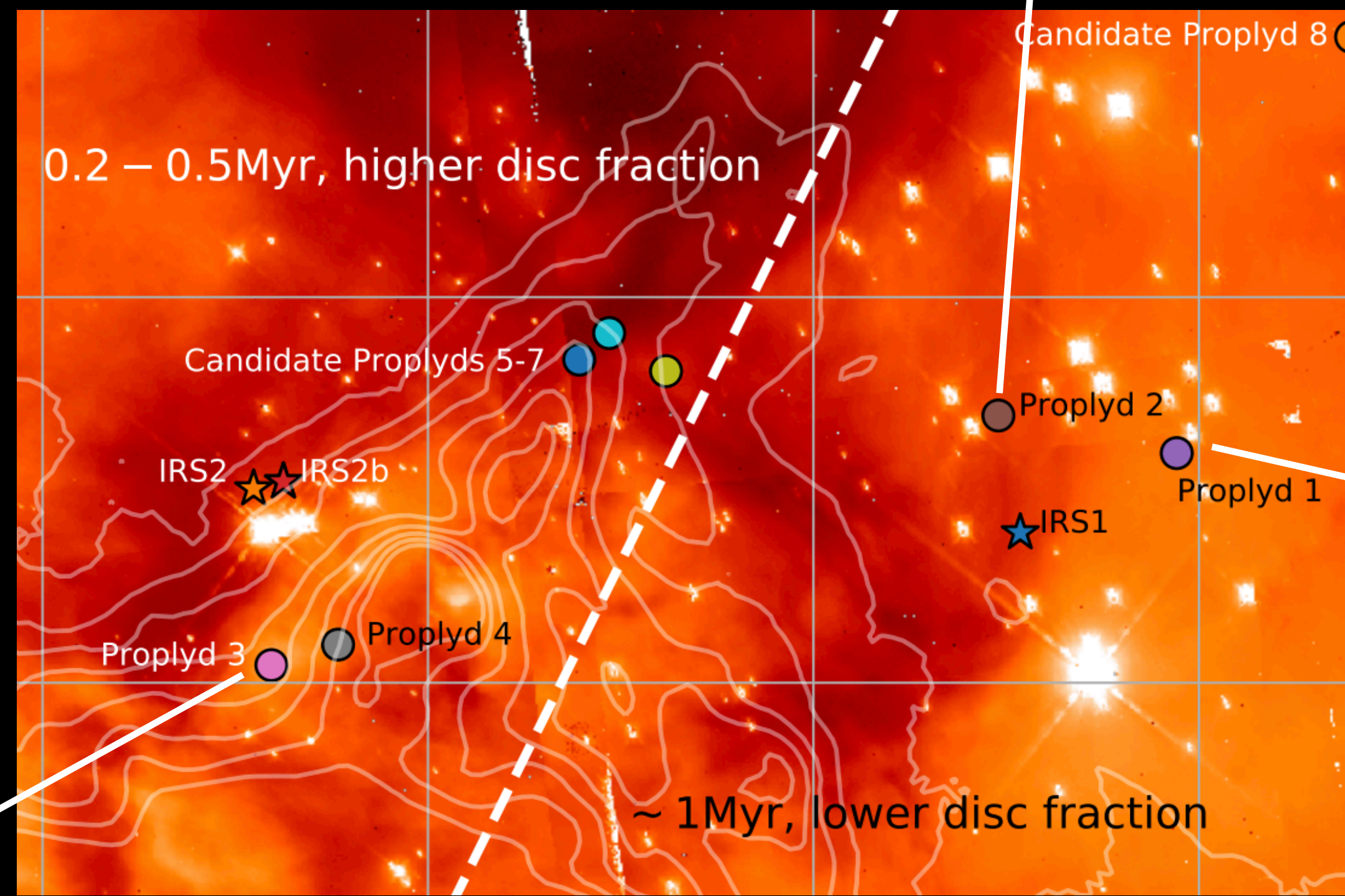
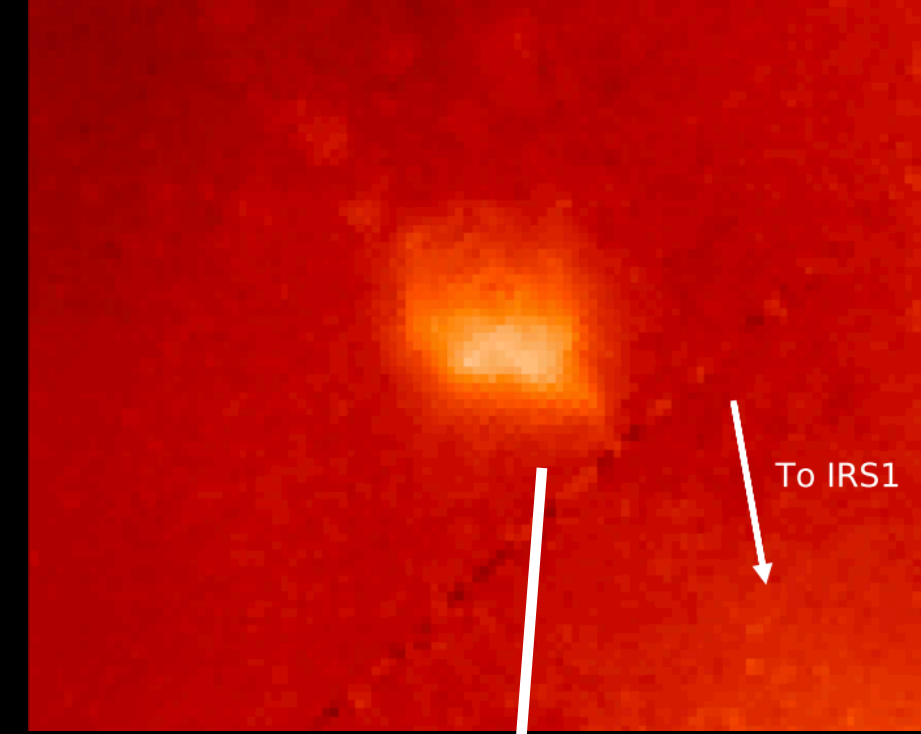
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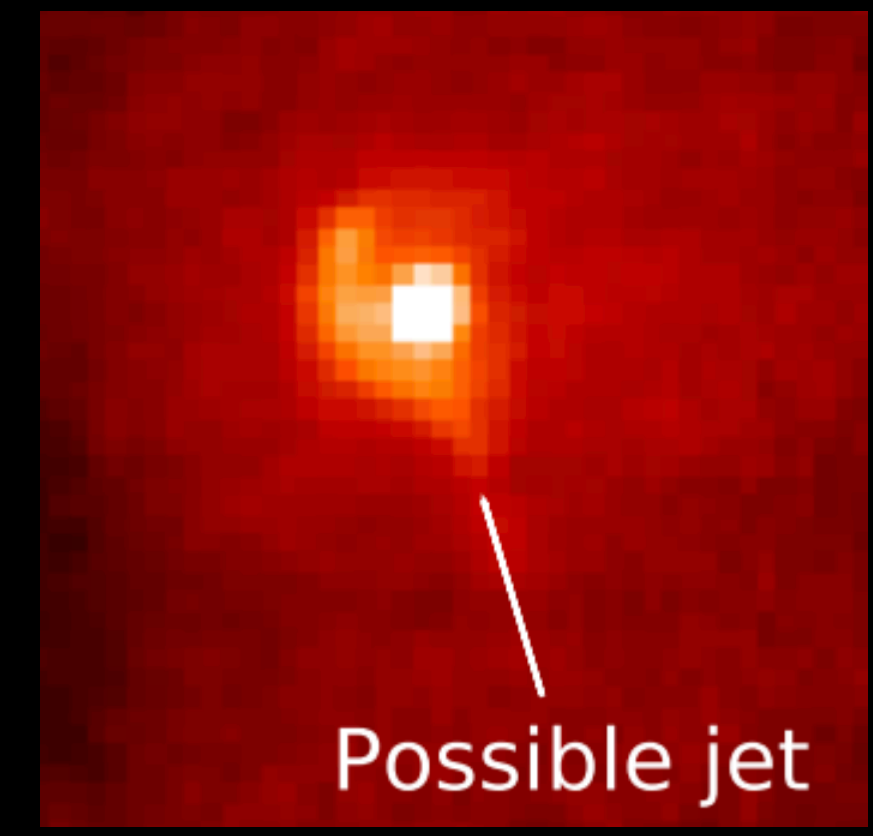
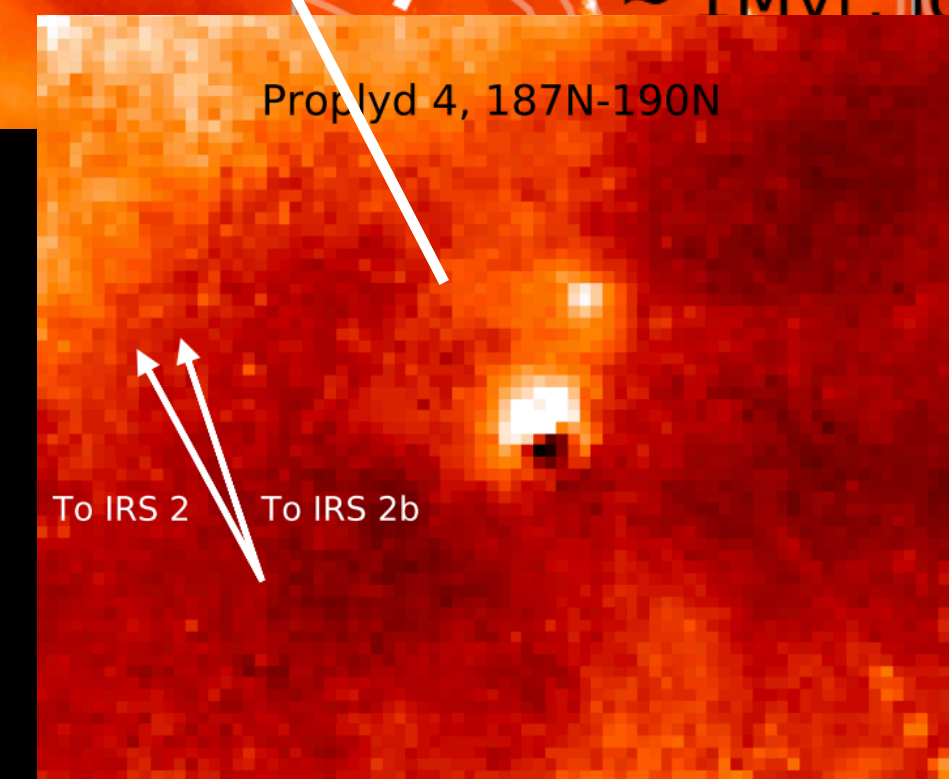
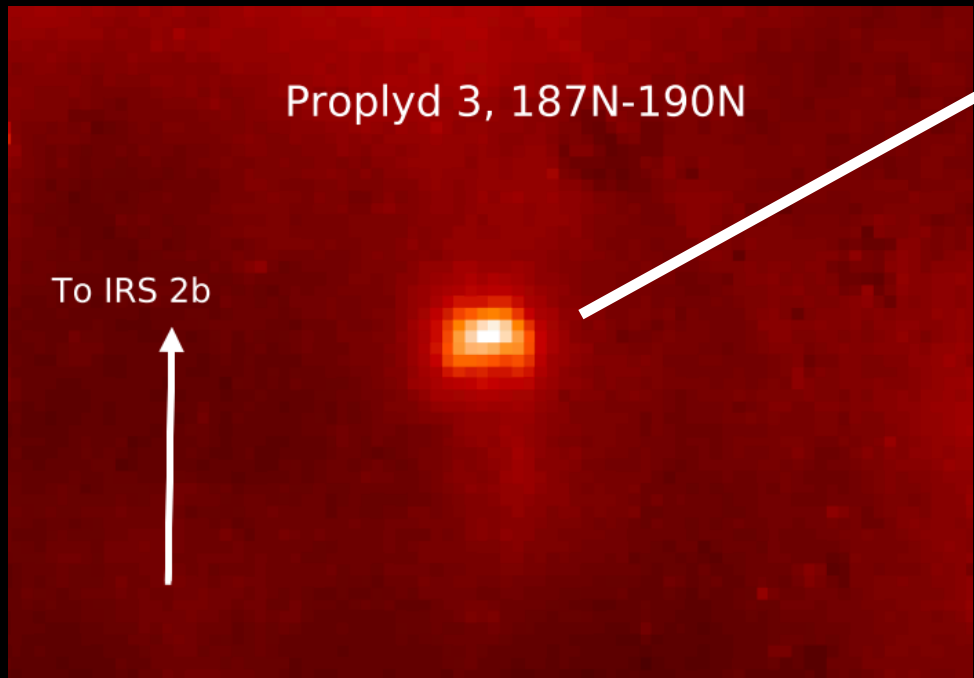
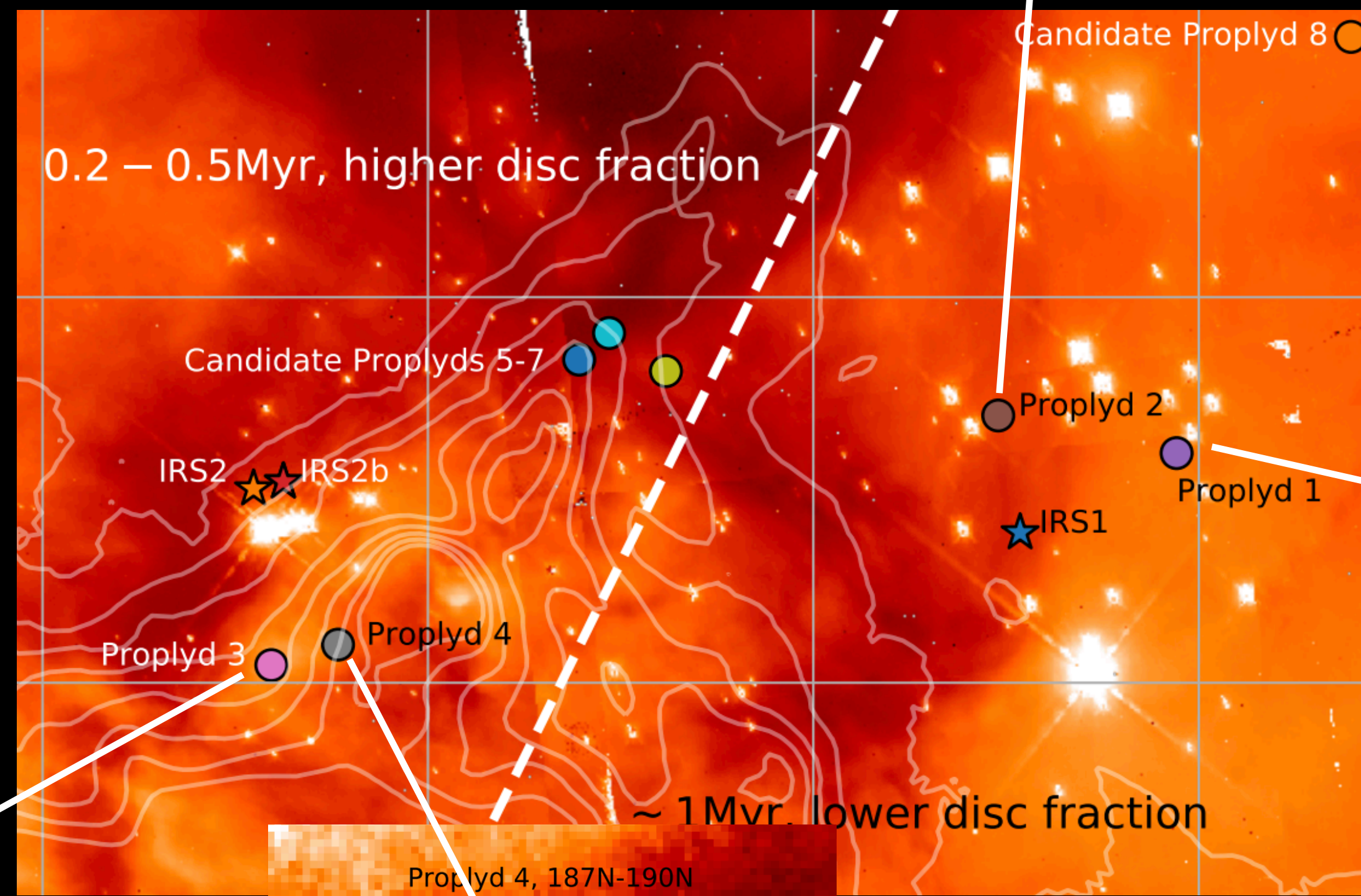
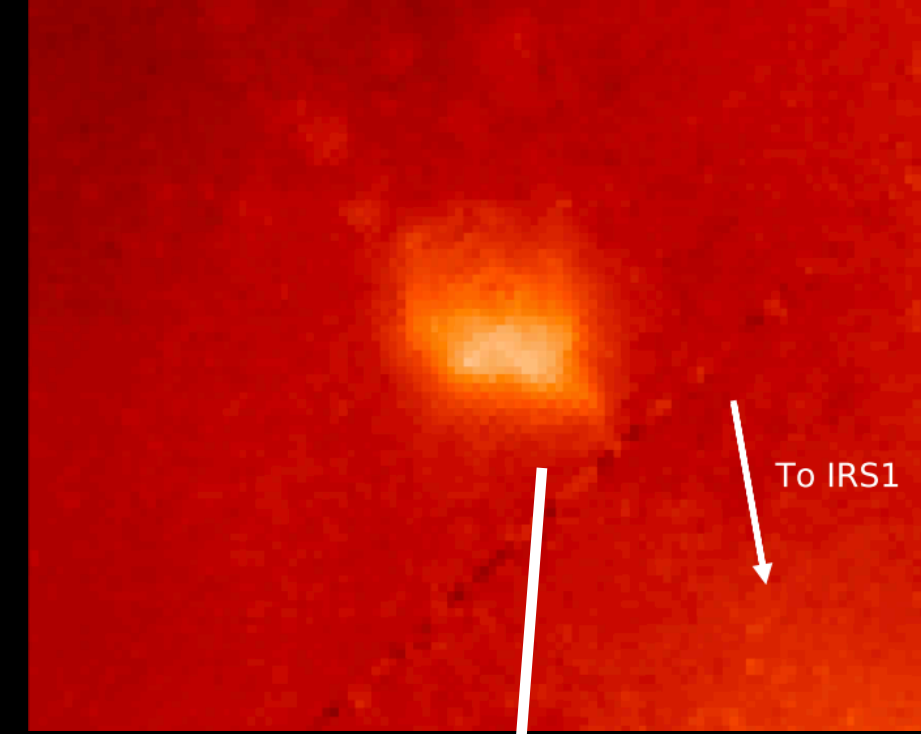


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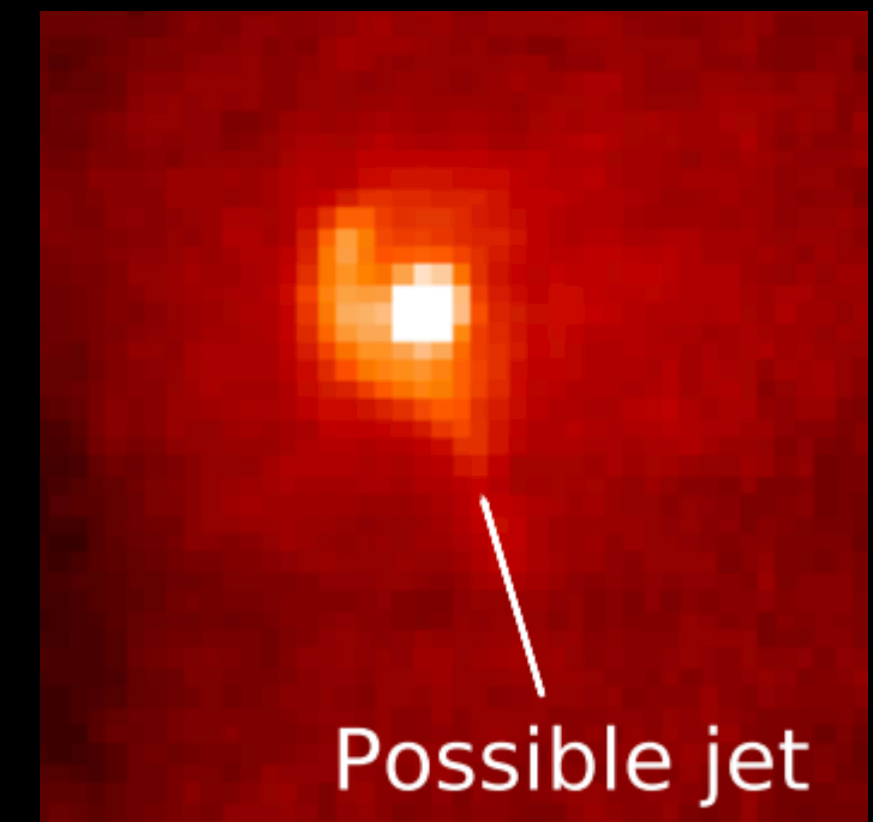
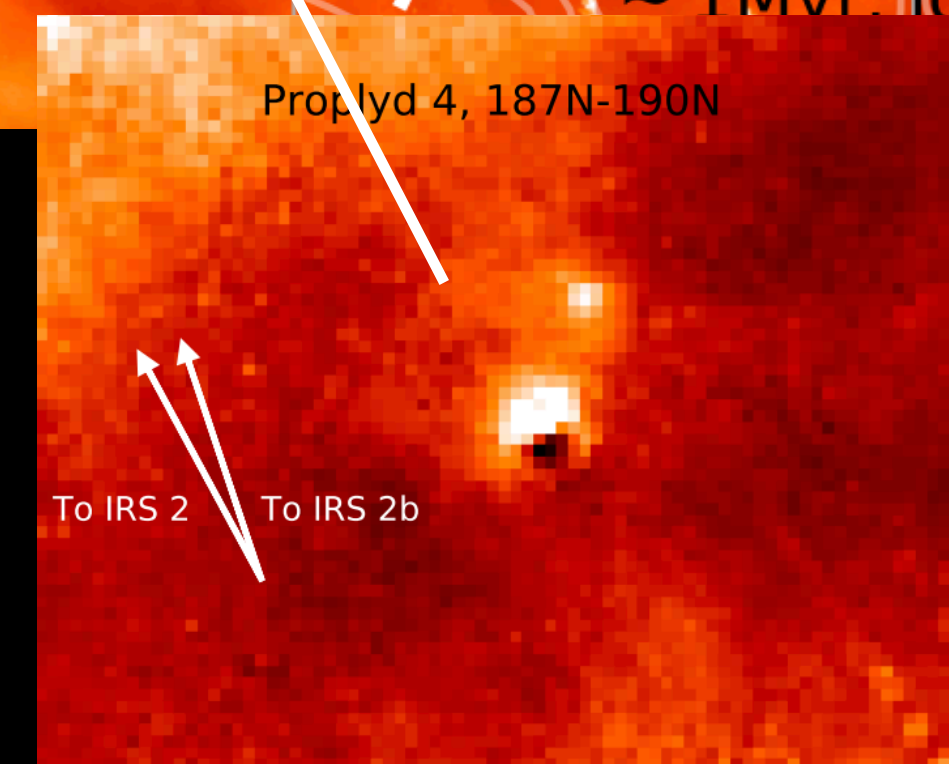
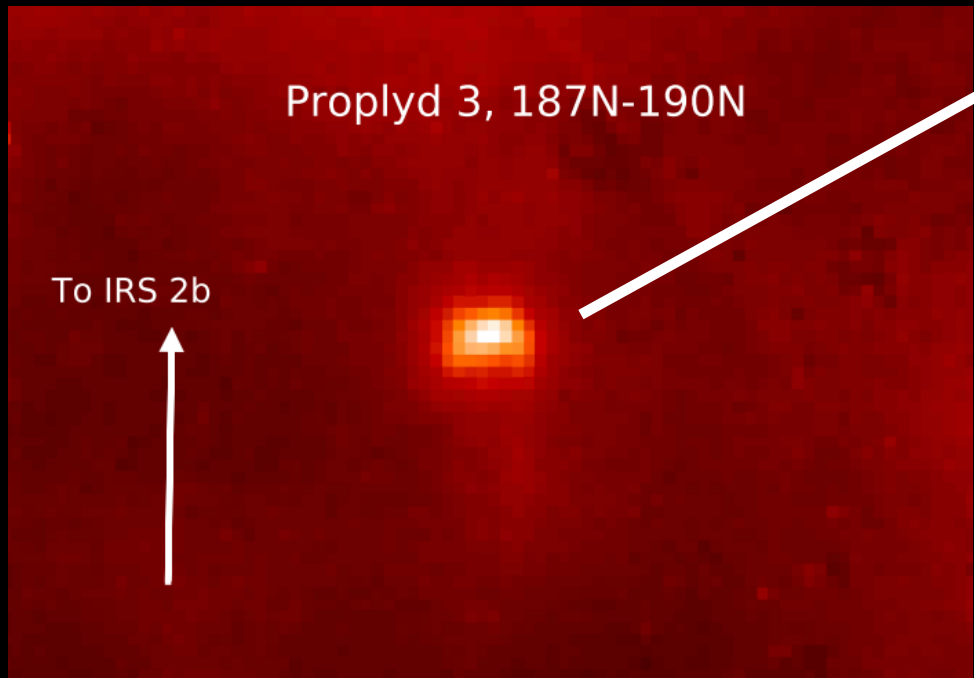
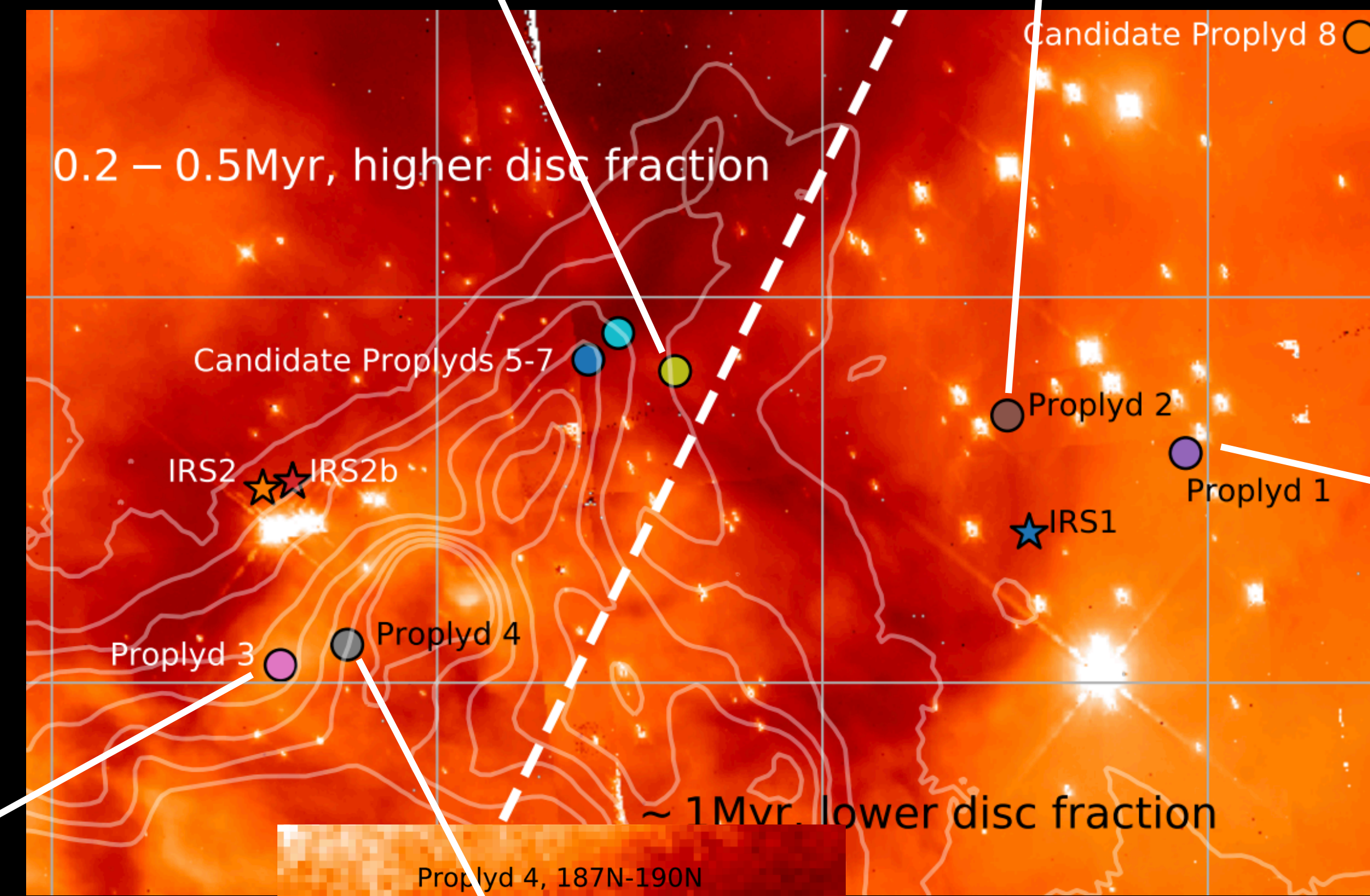
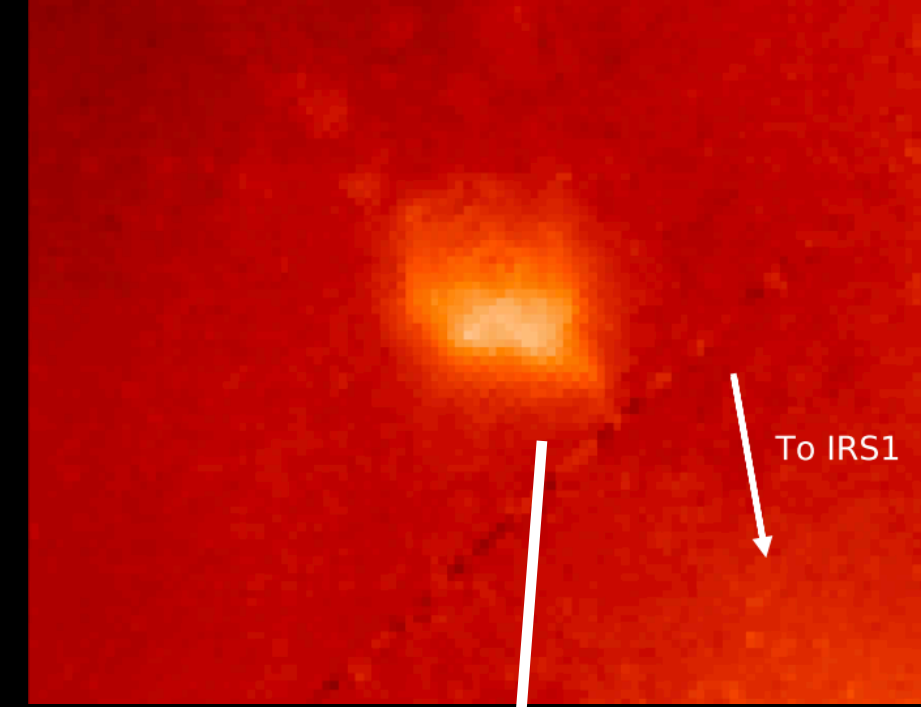
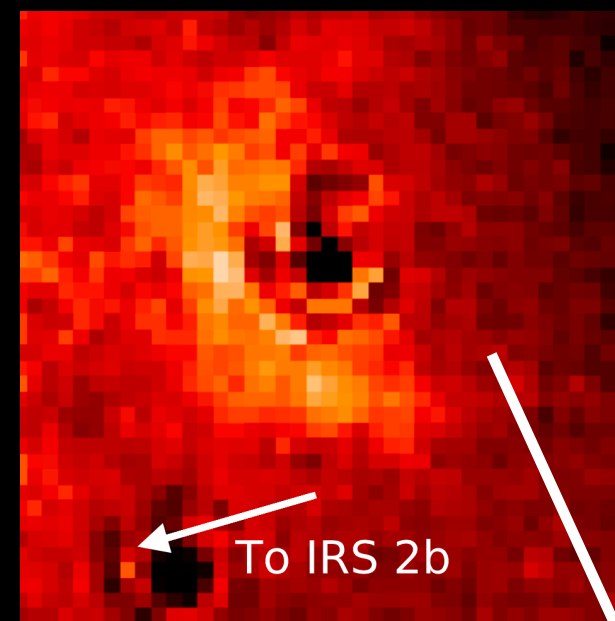
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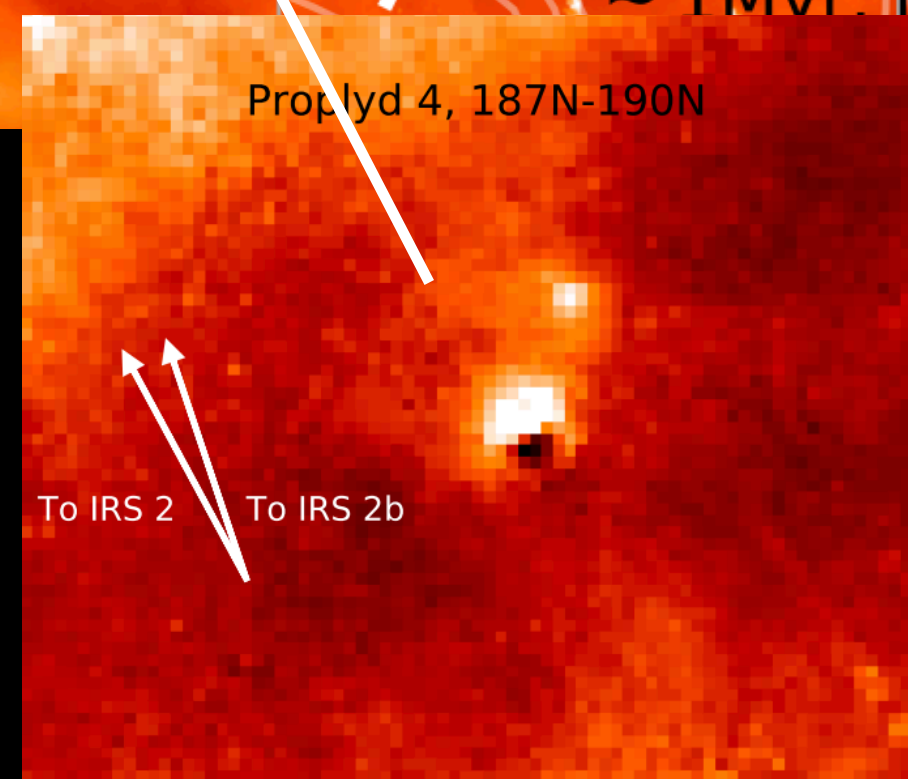
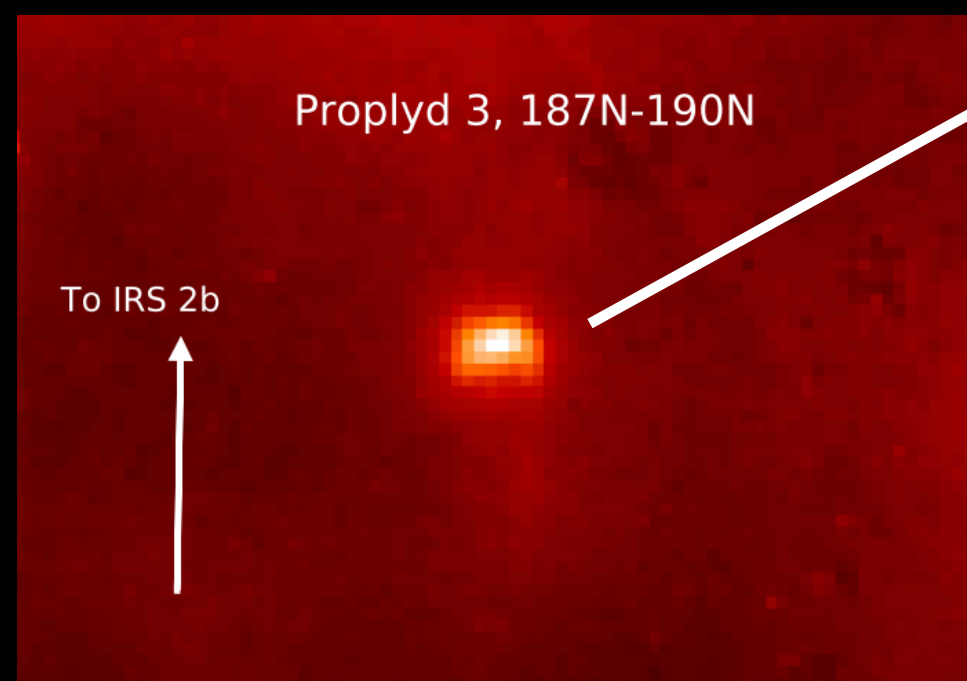
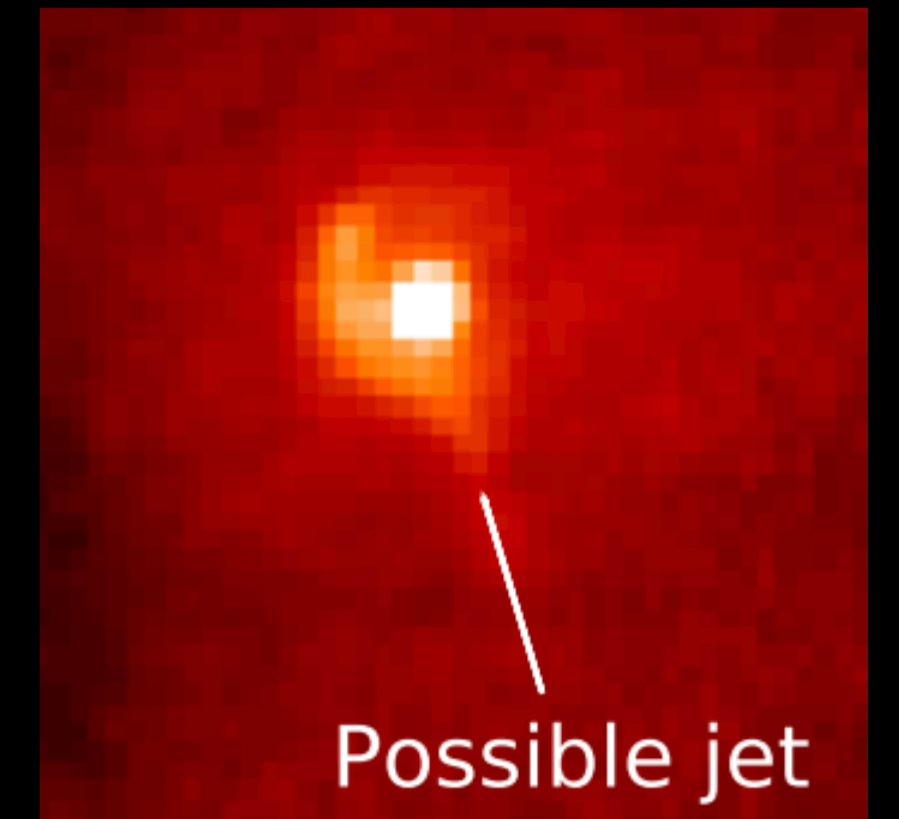
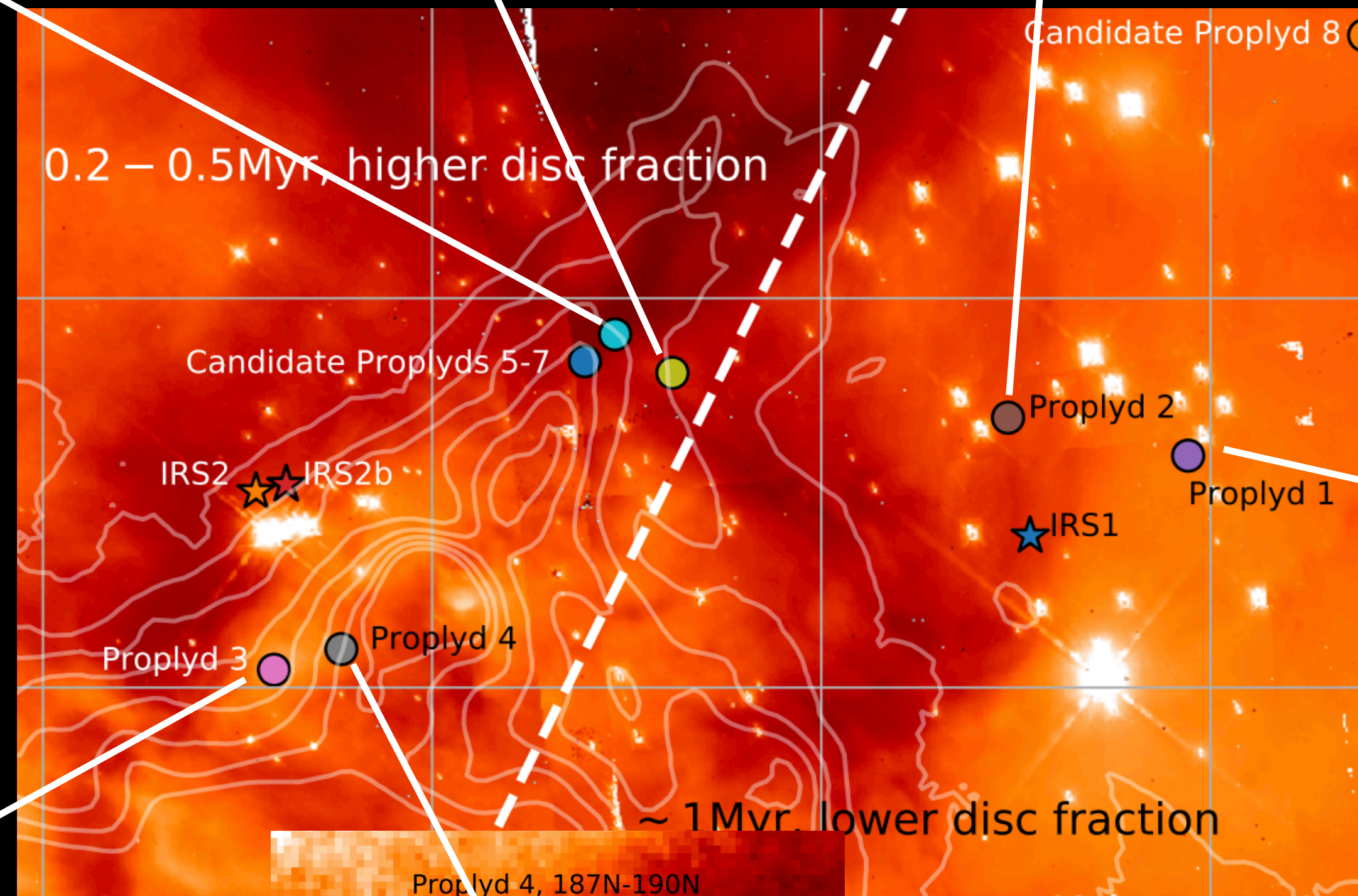
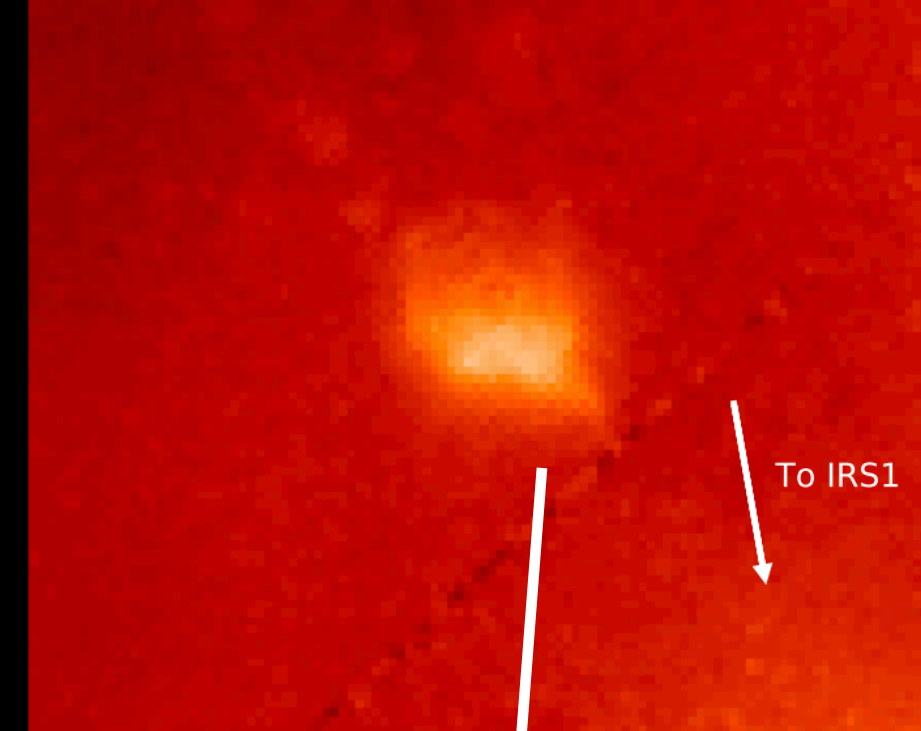
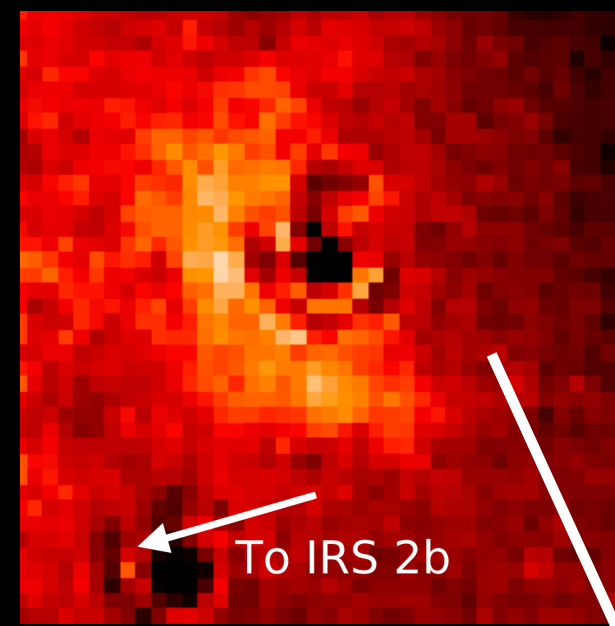
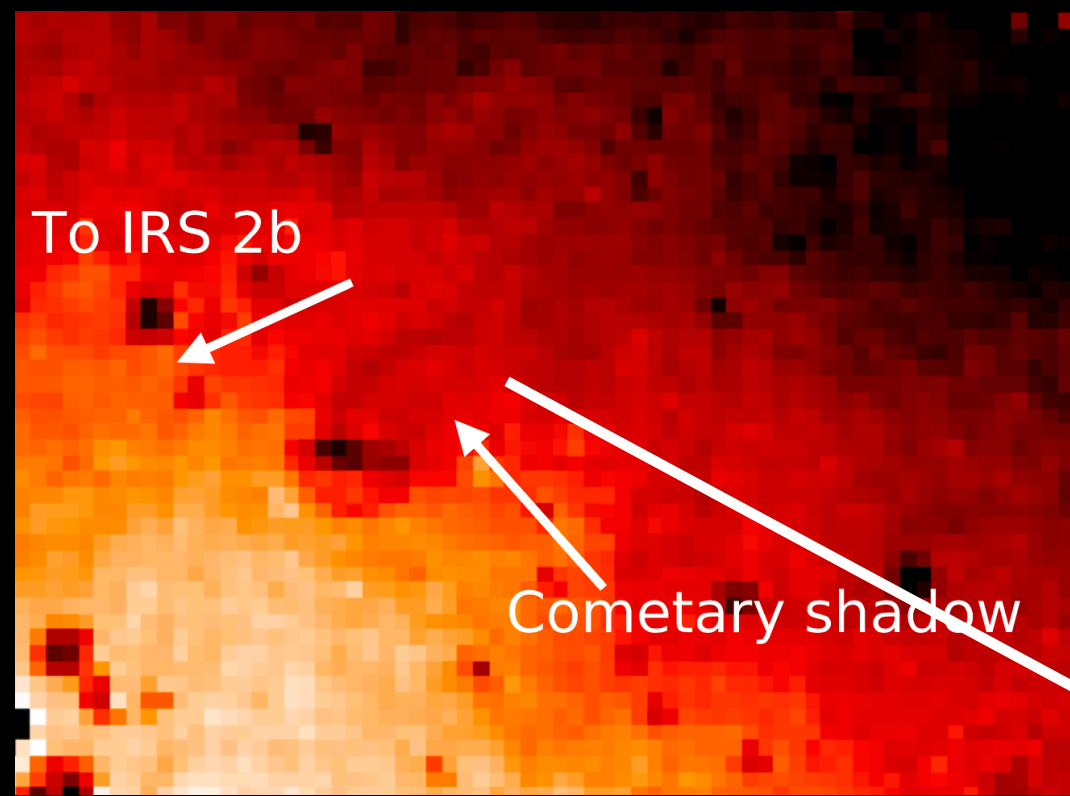
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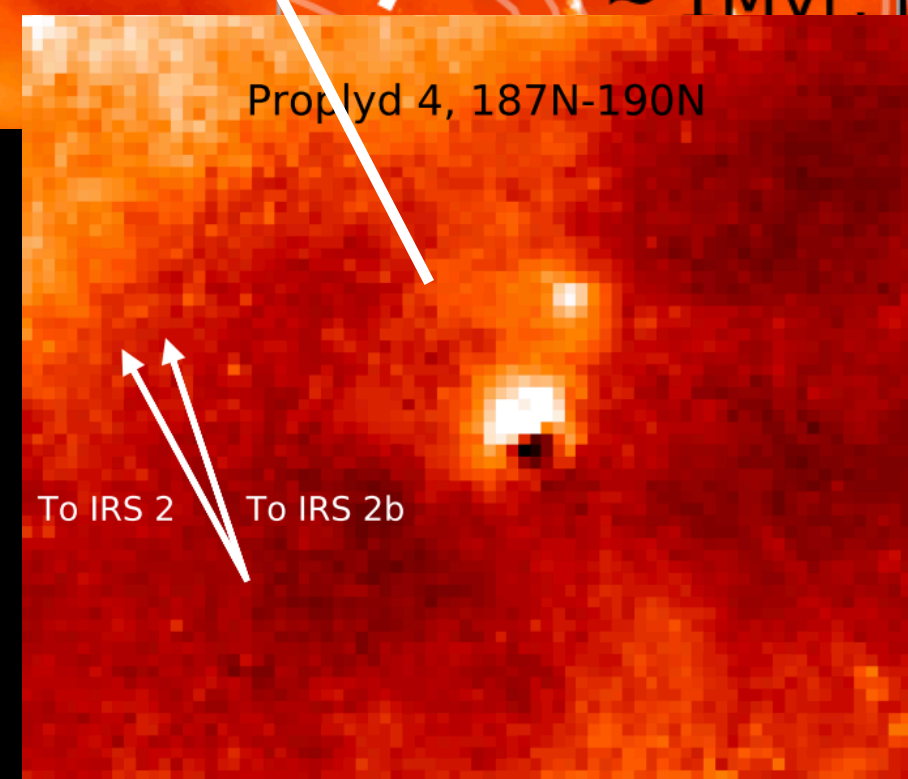
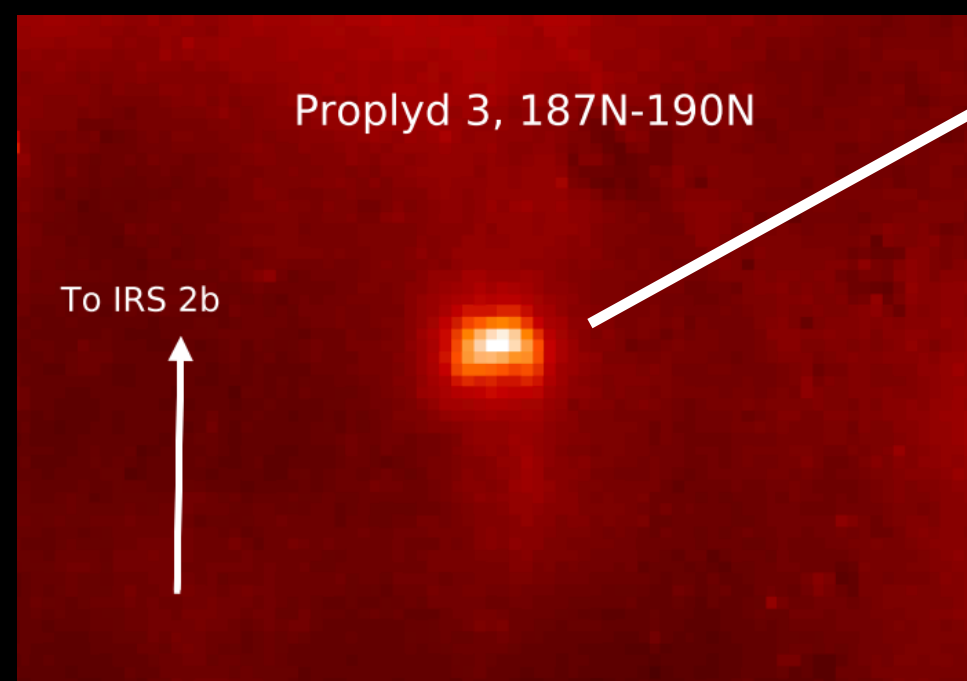
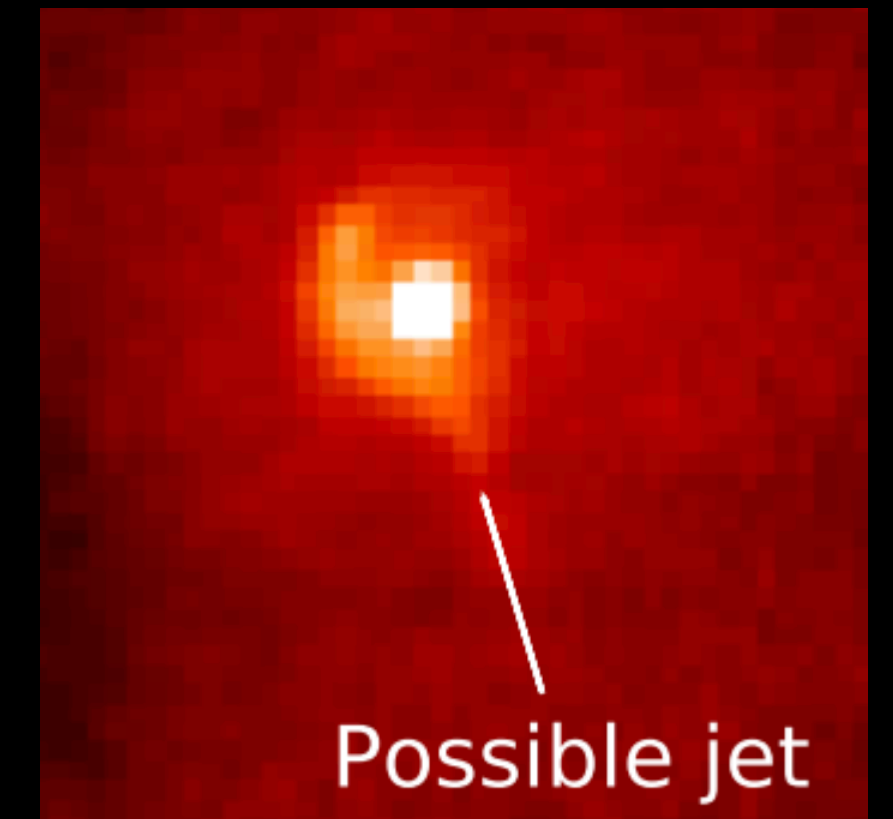
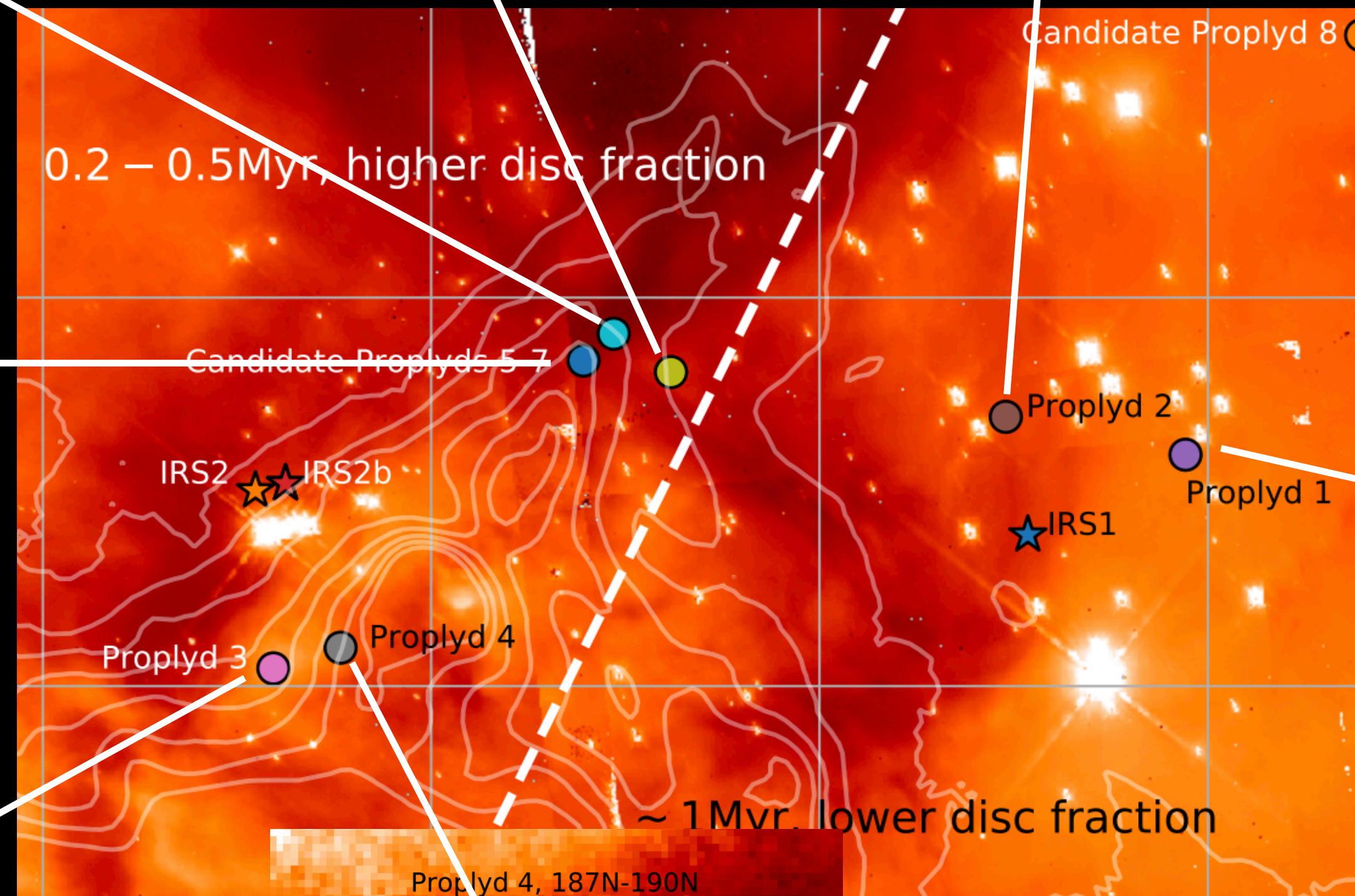
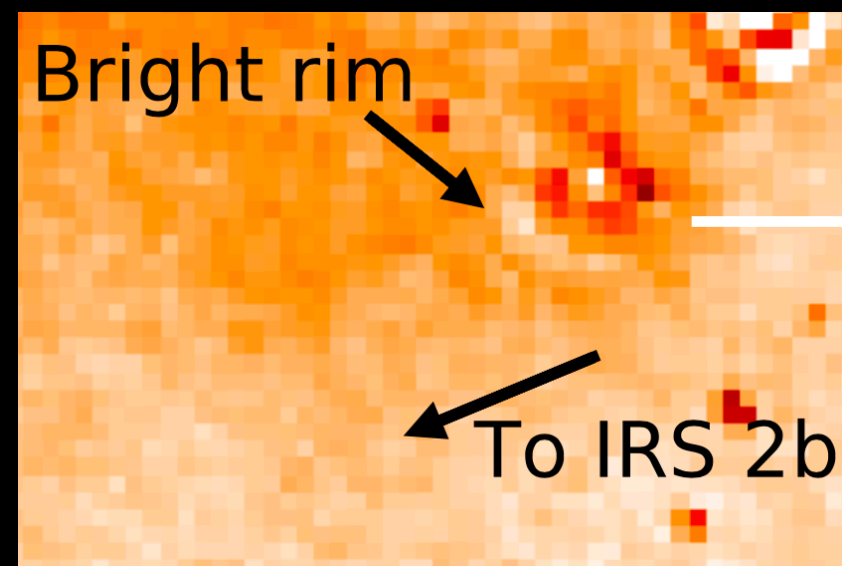
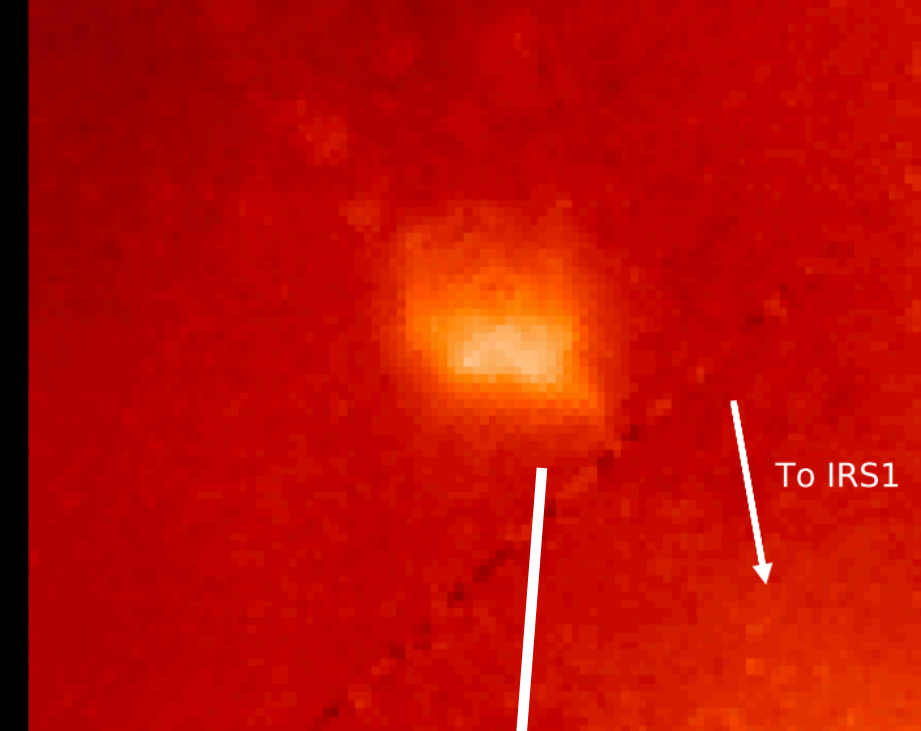
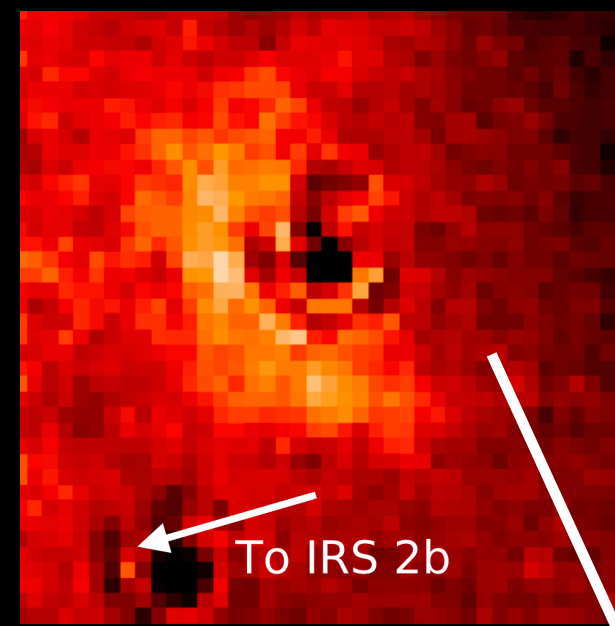
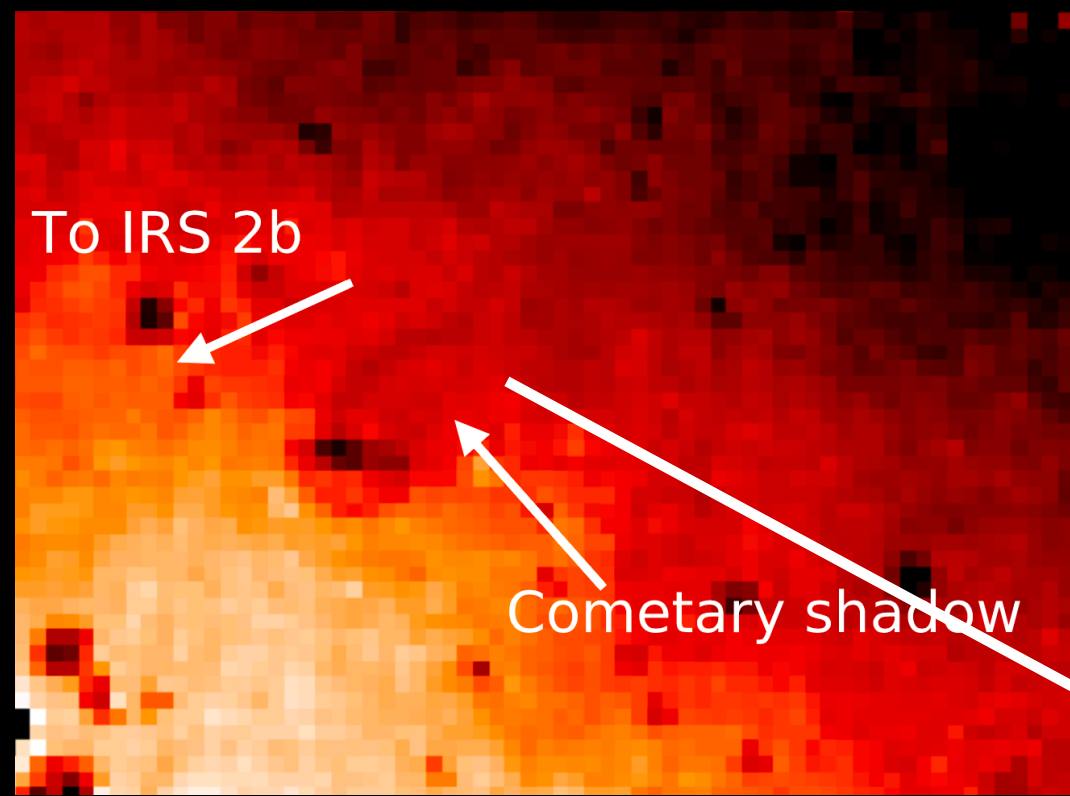
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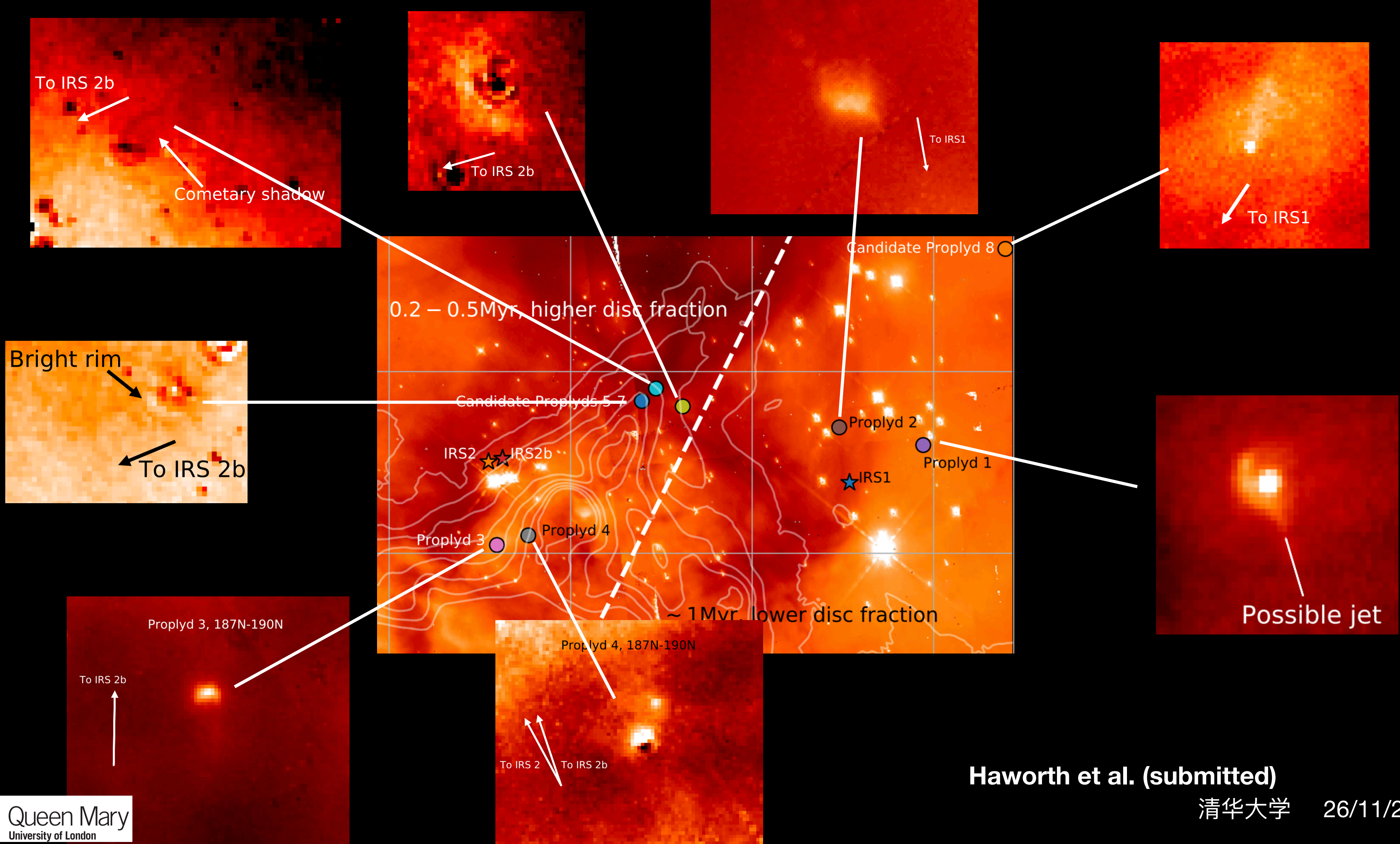
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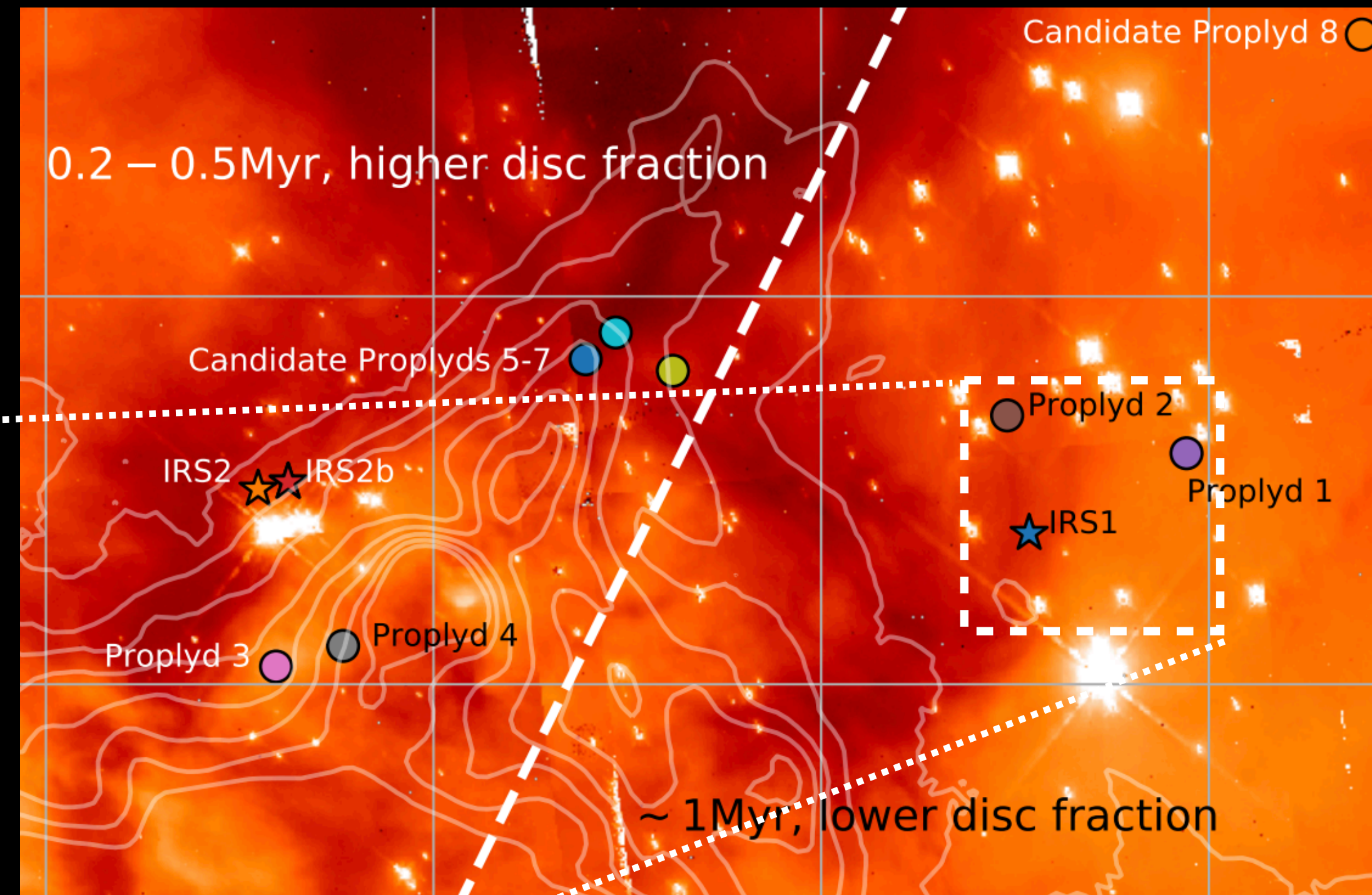
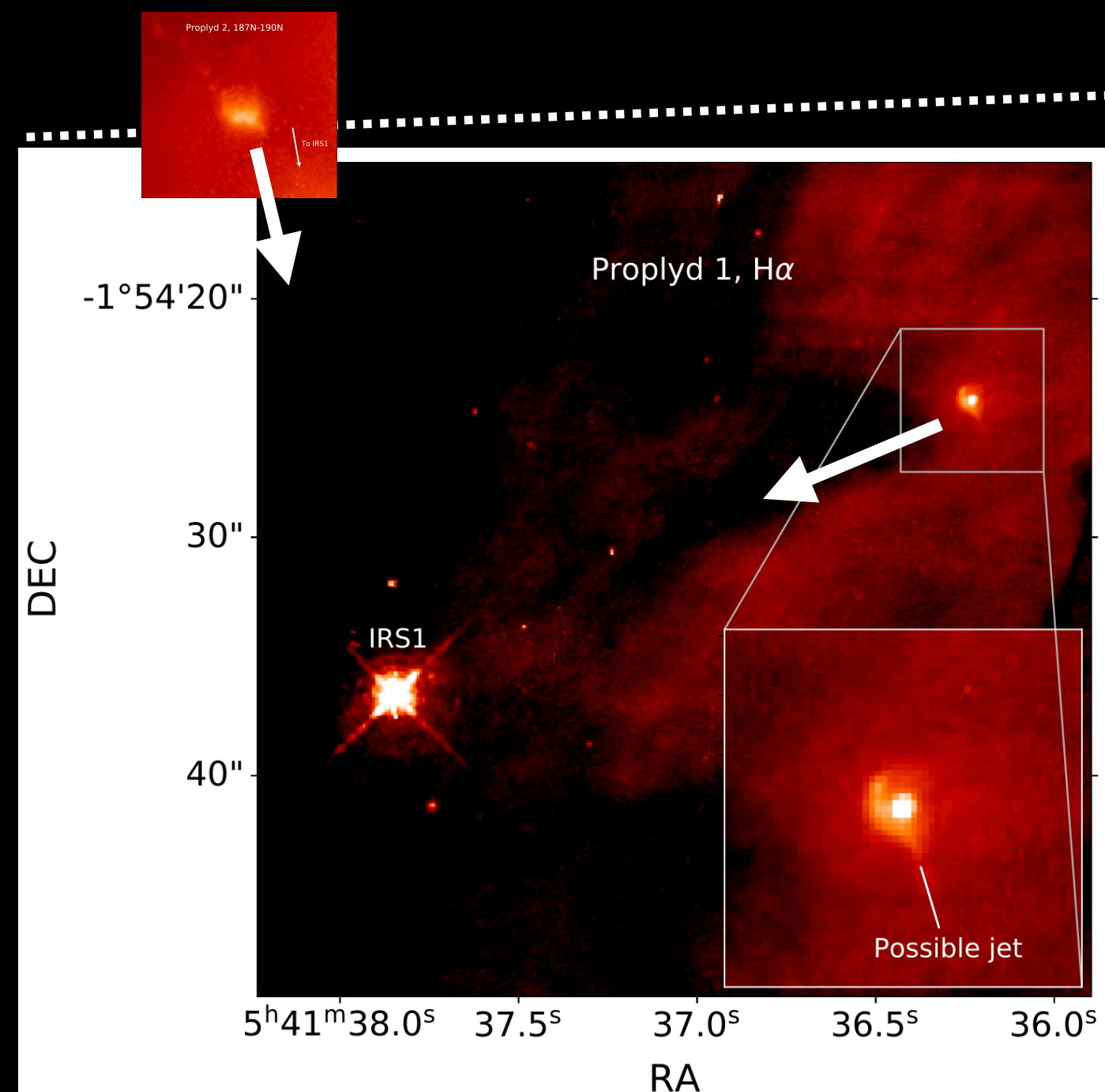


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Two important implications

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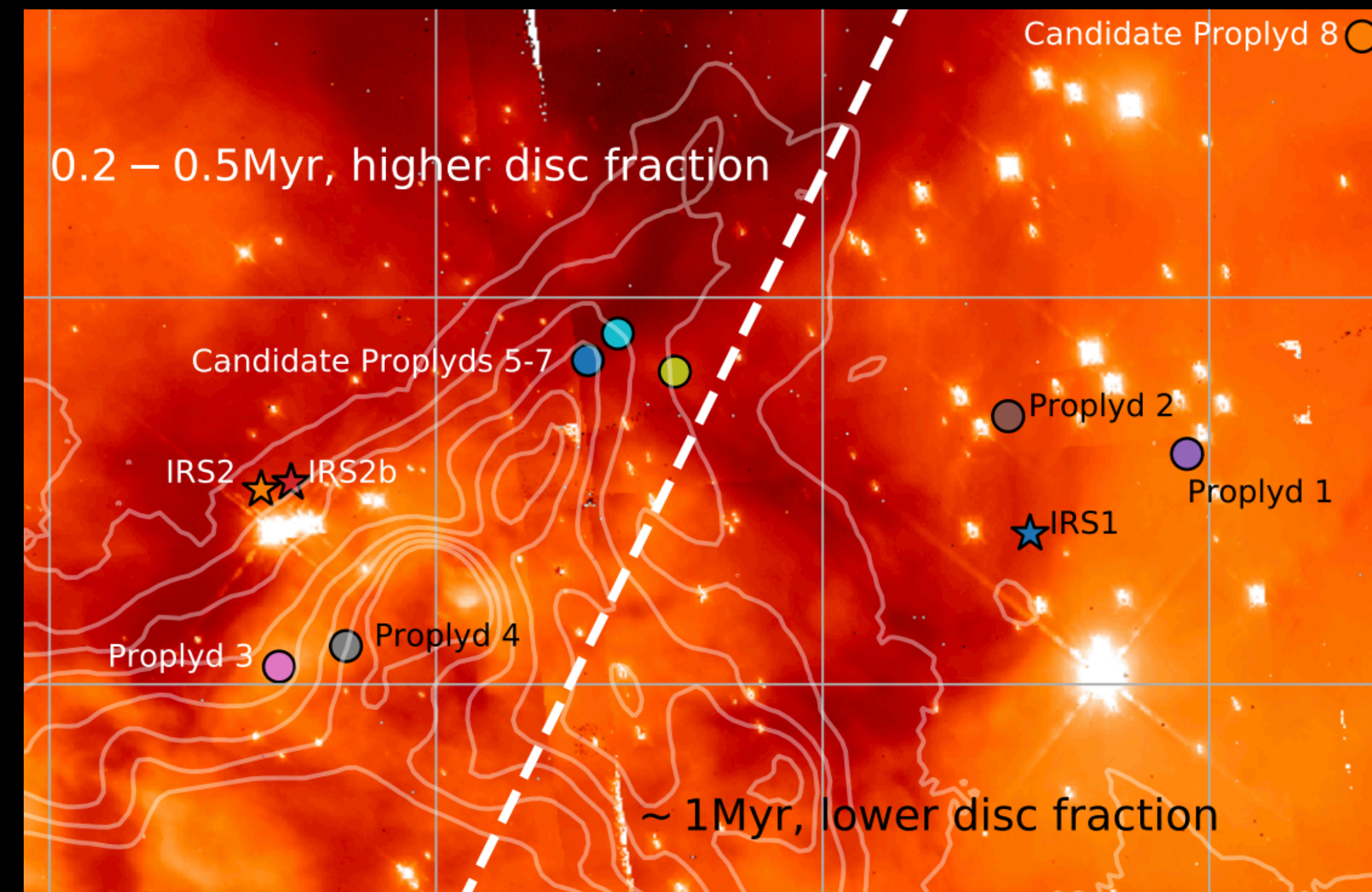
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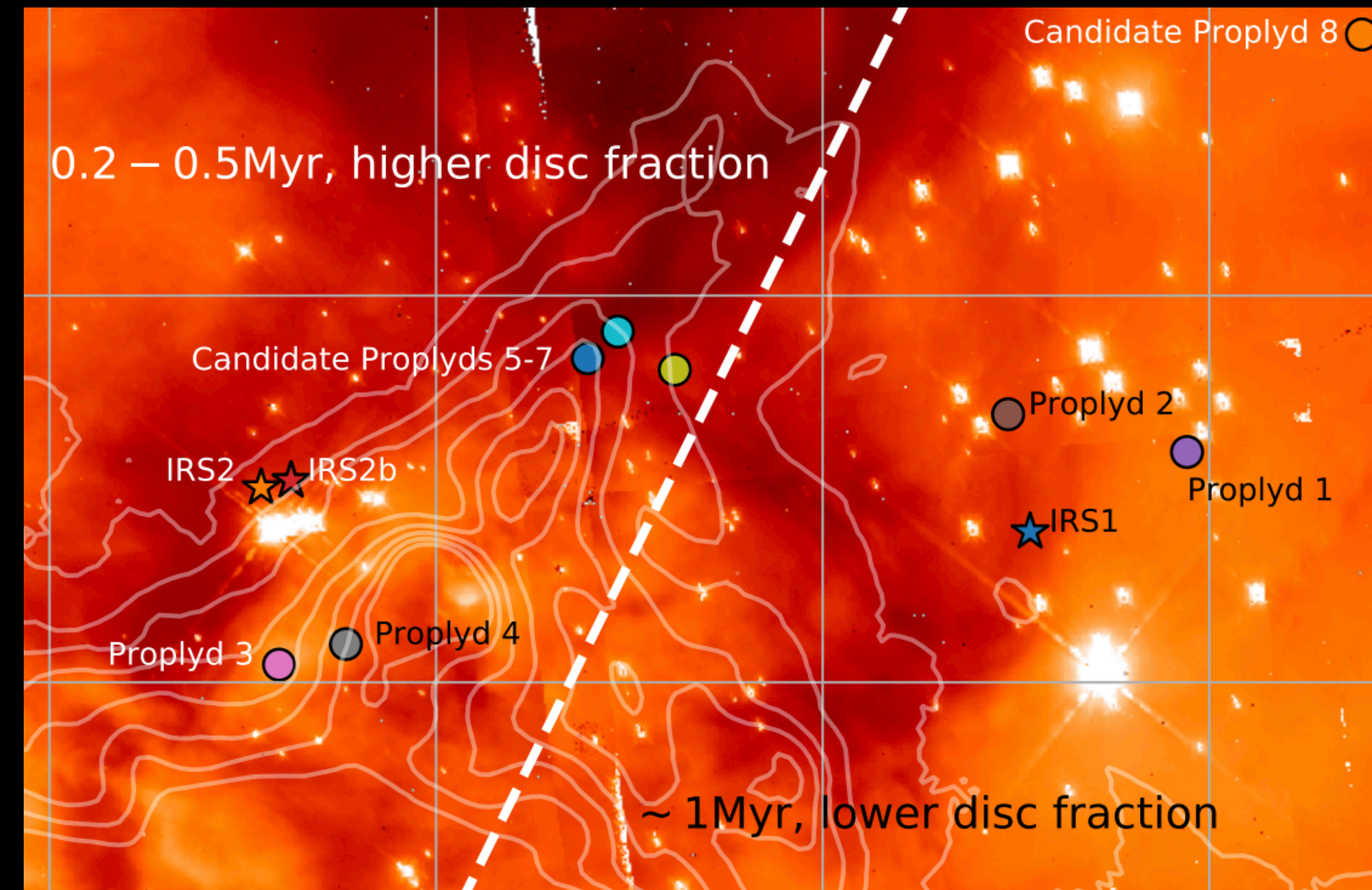
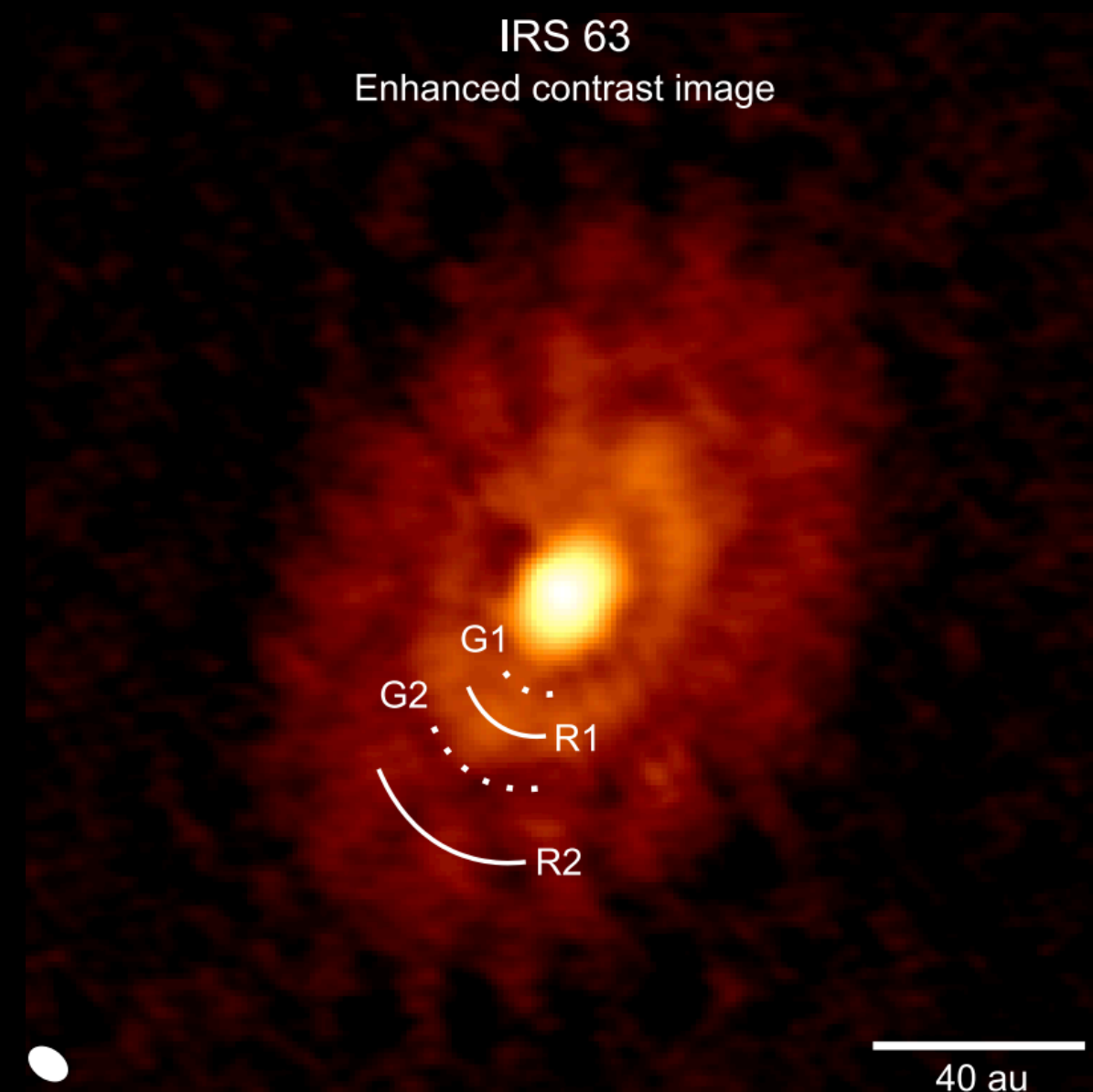
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So planet not necessarily safe, even if they form early (this is 0.5Myr)



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“Planets form early so environment is unimportant”

Maybe, maybe not. In NGC 2024 there is external photoevaporation at $< 0.5\text{Myr}$.

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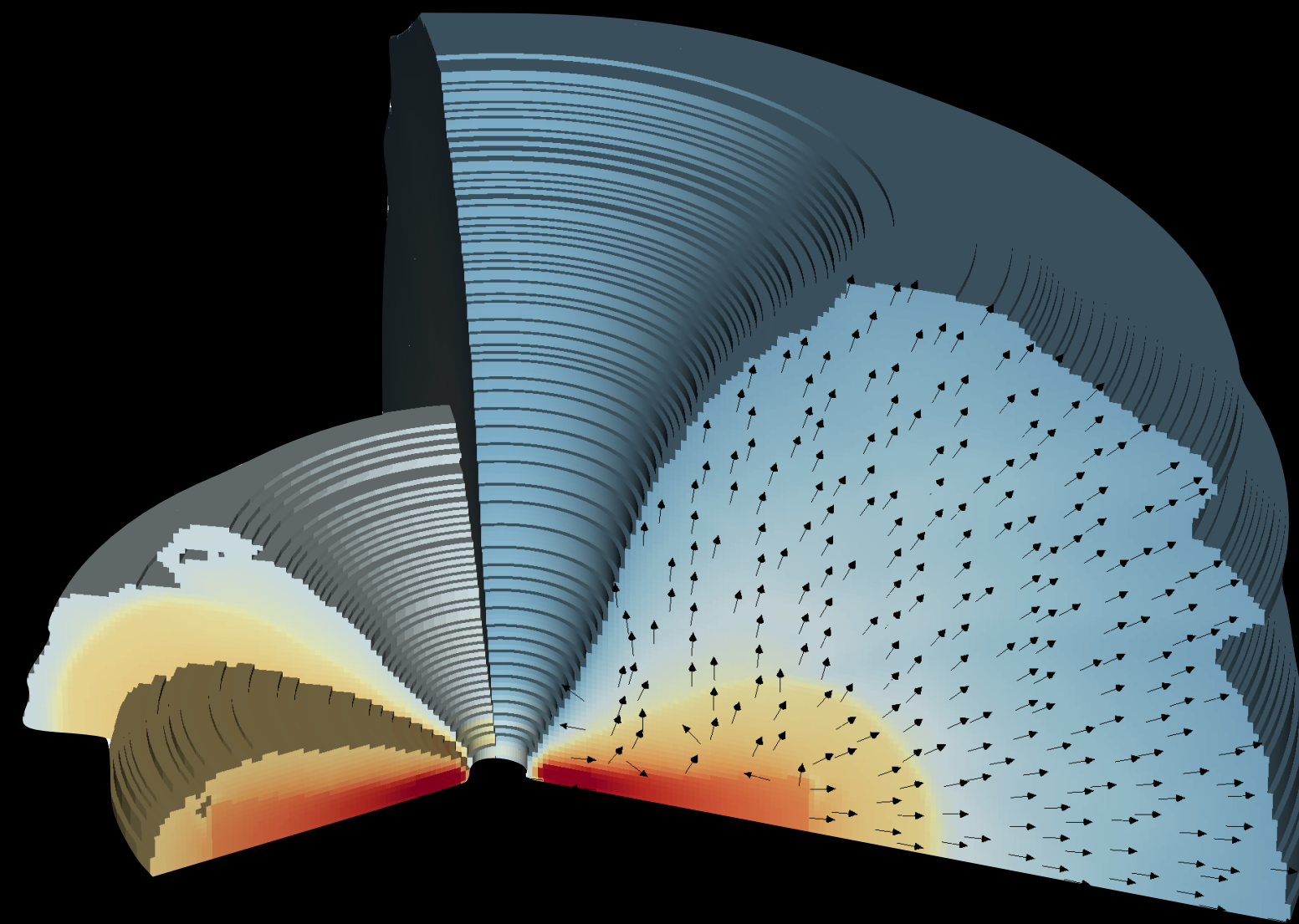
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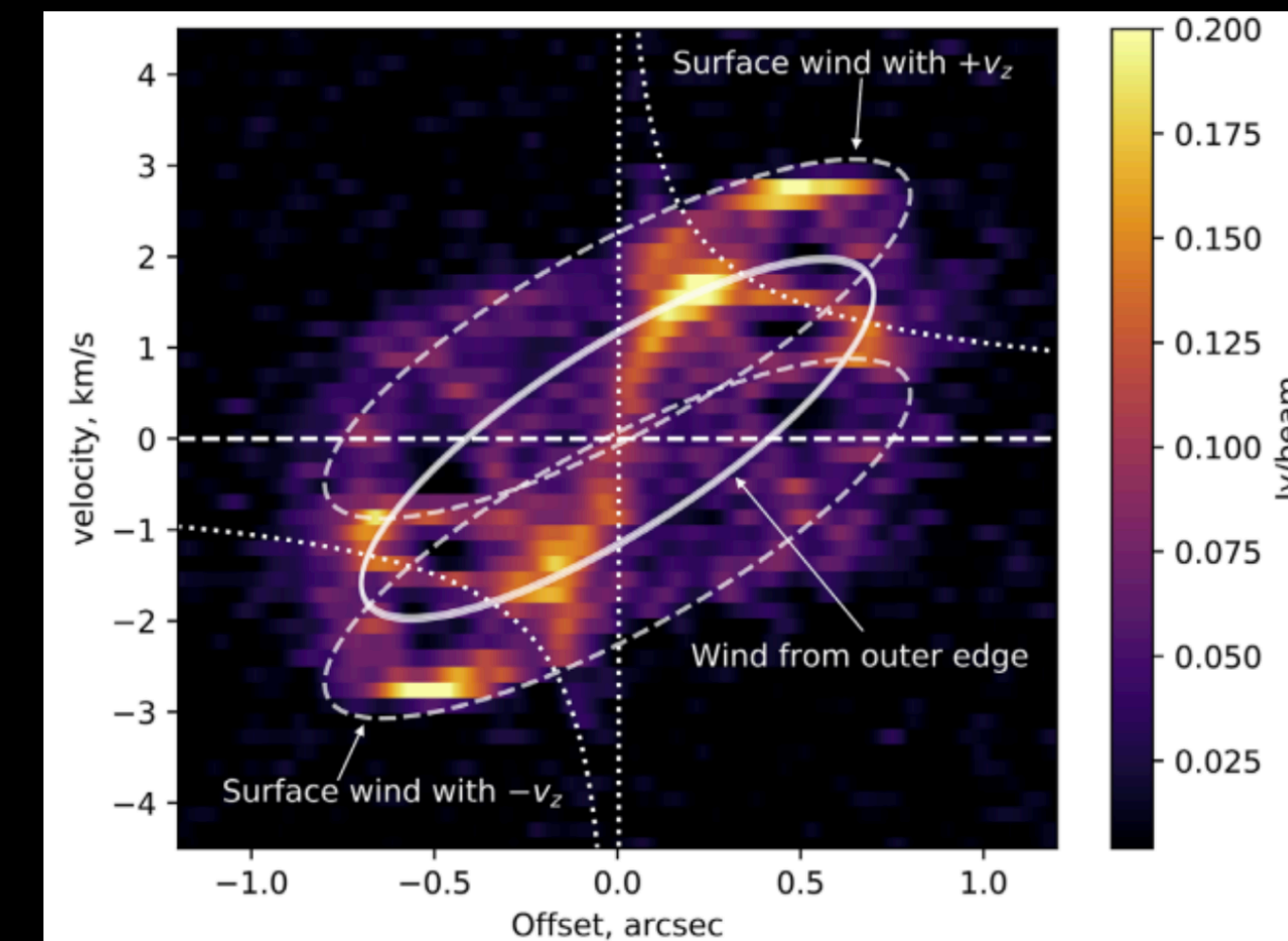
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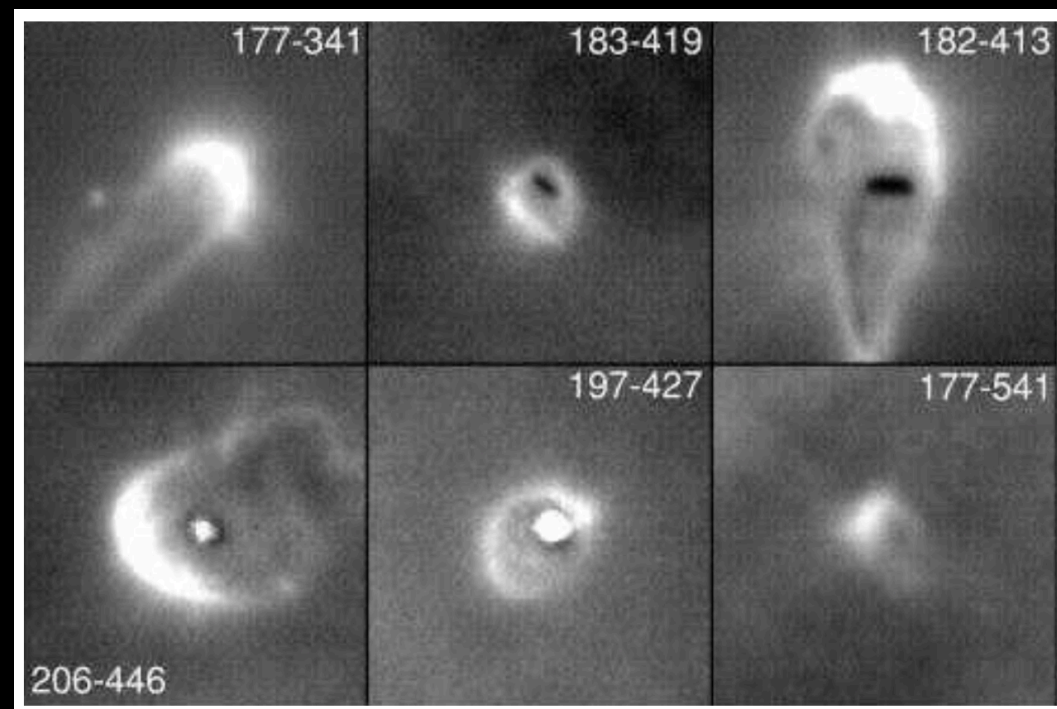
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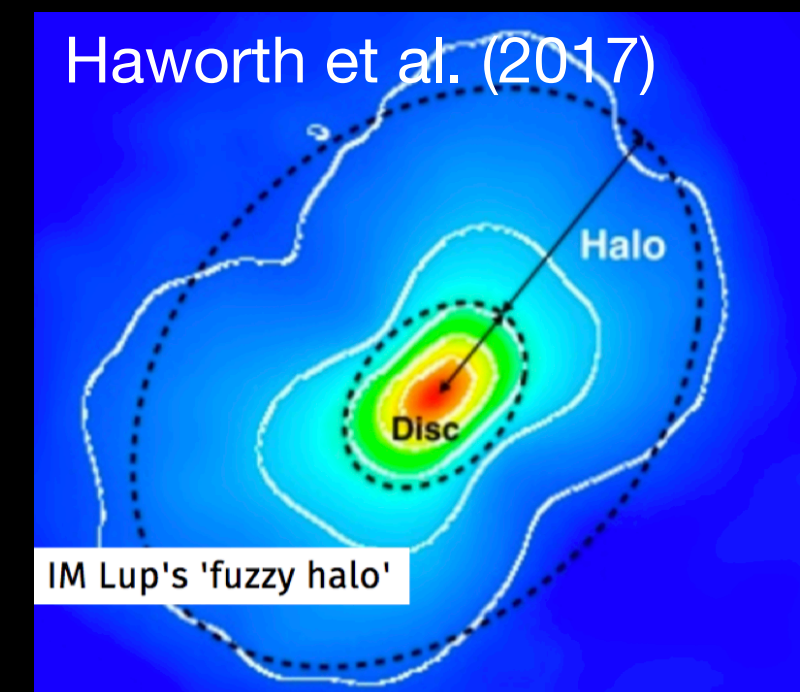
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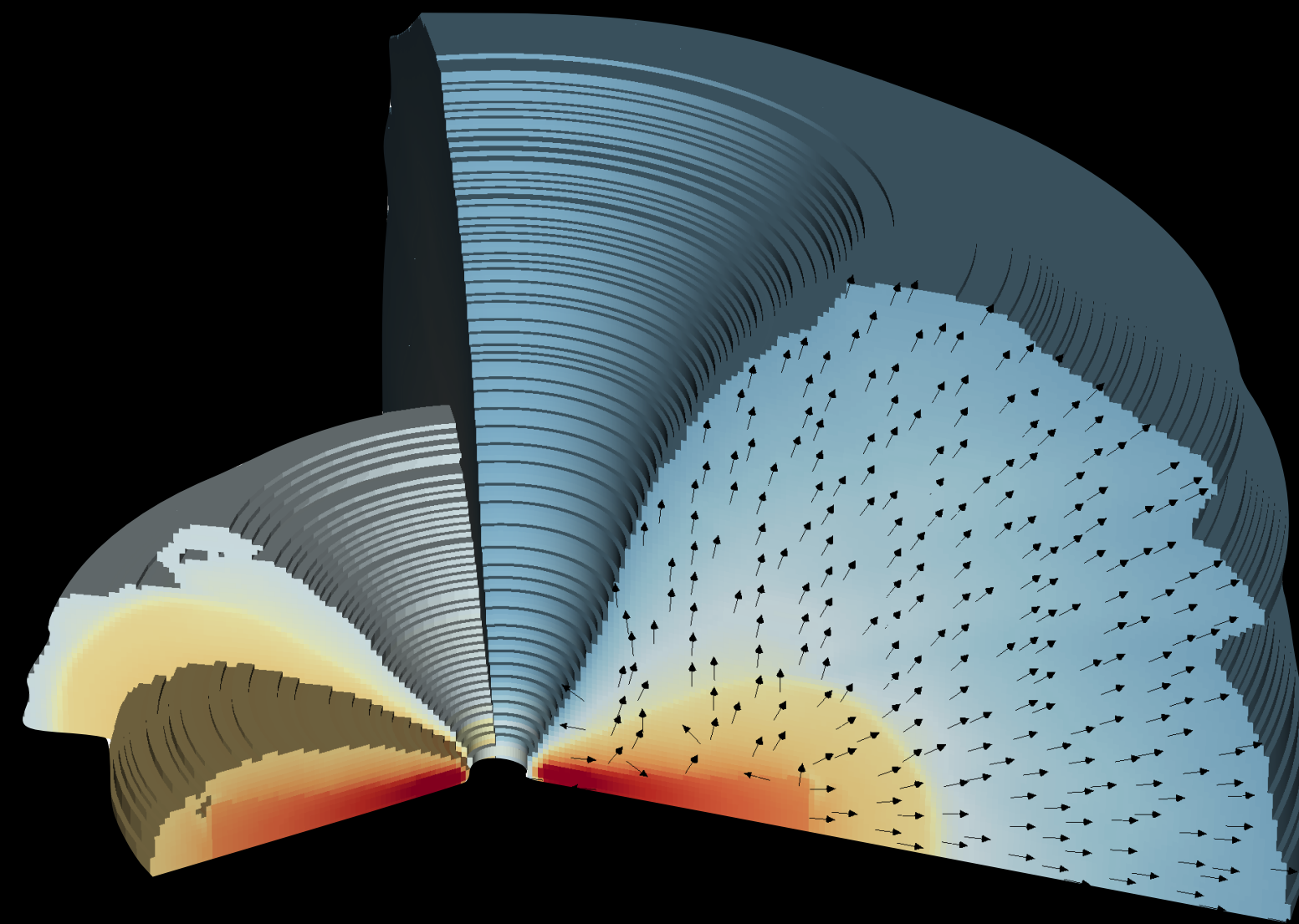


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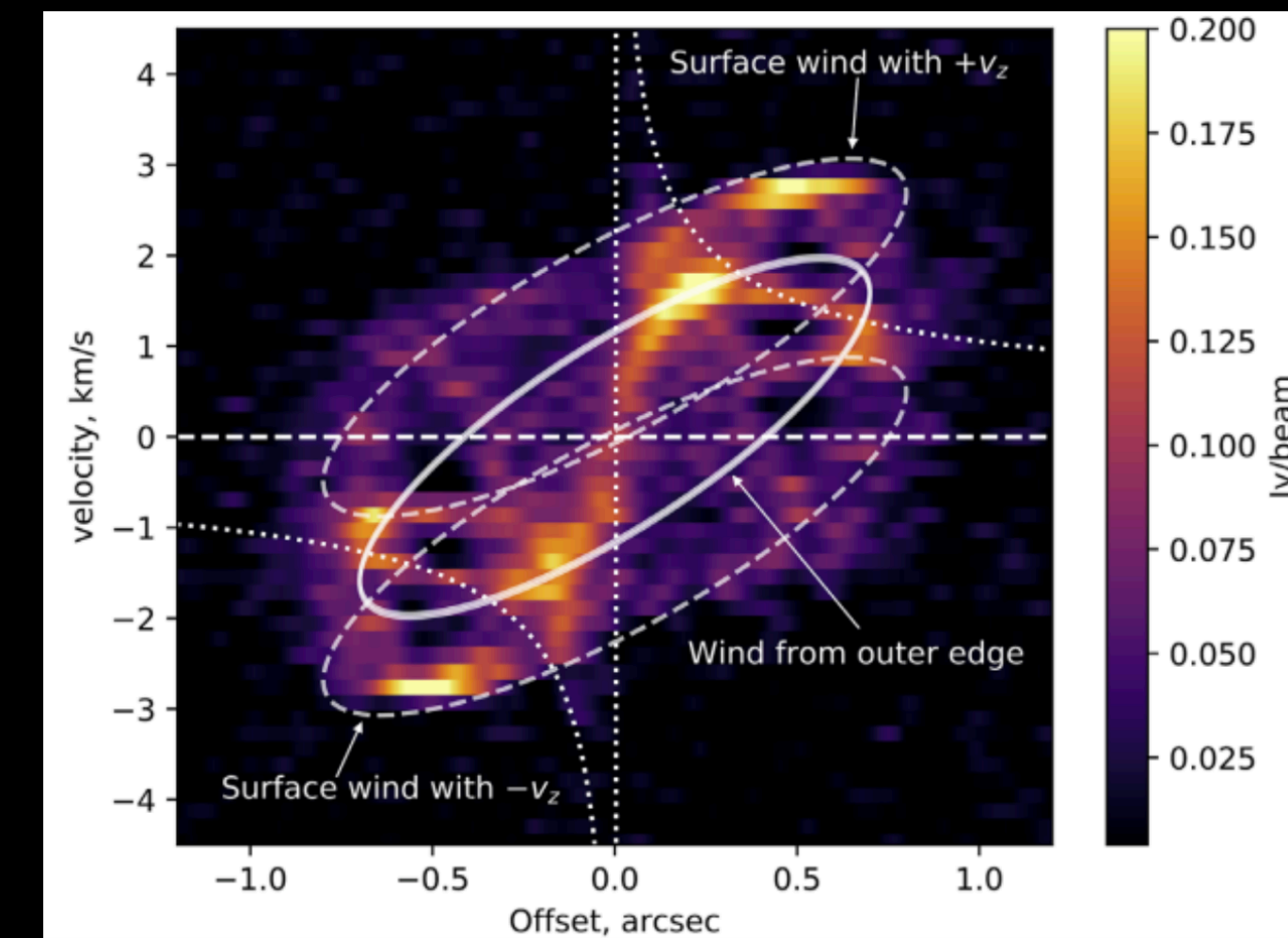
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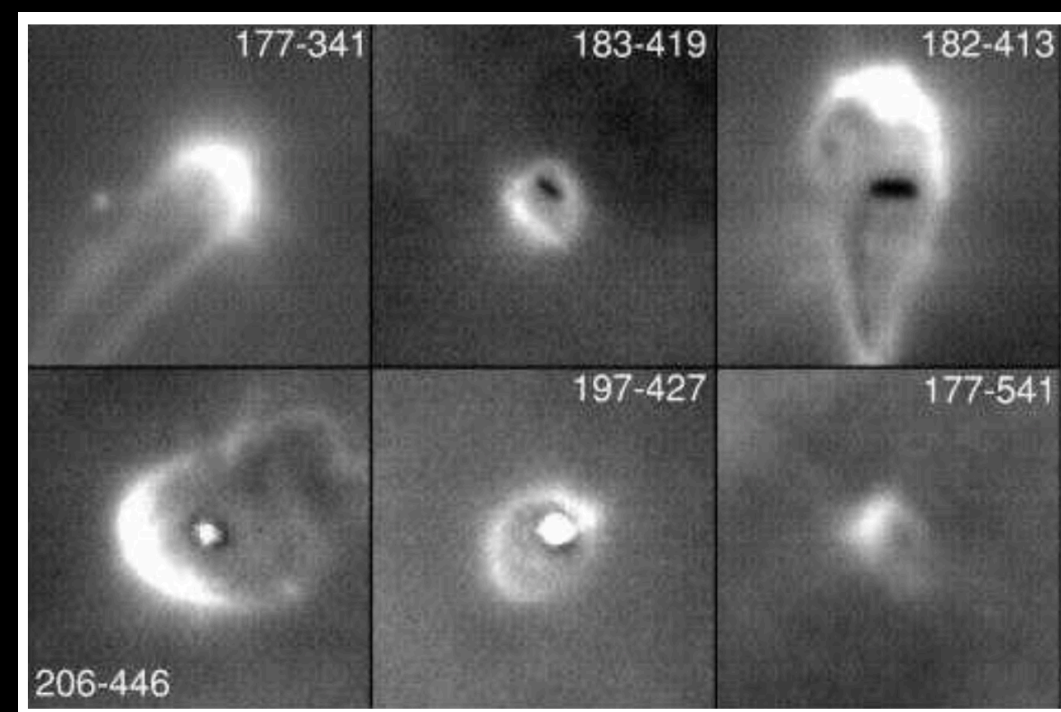
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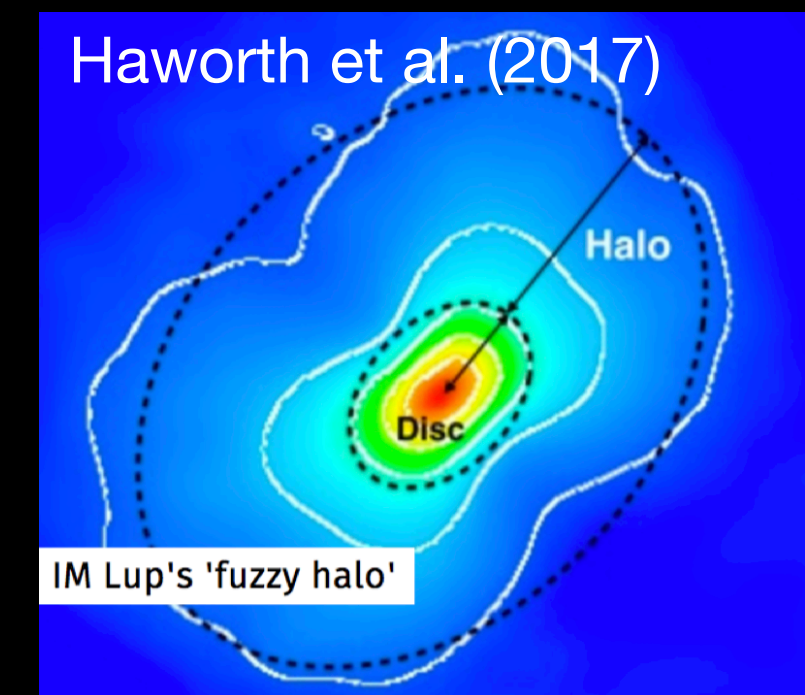
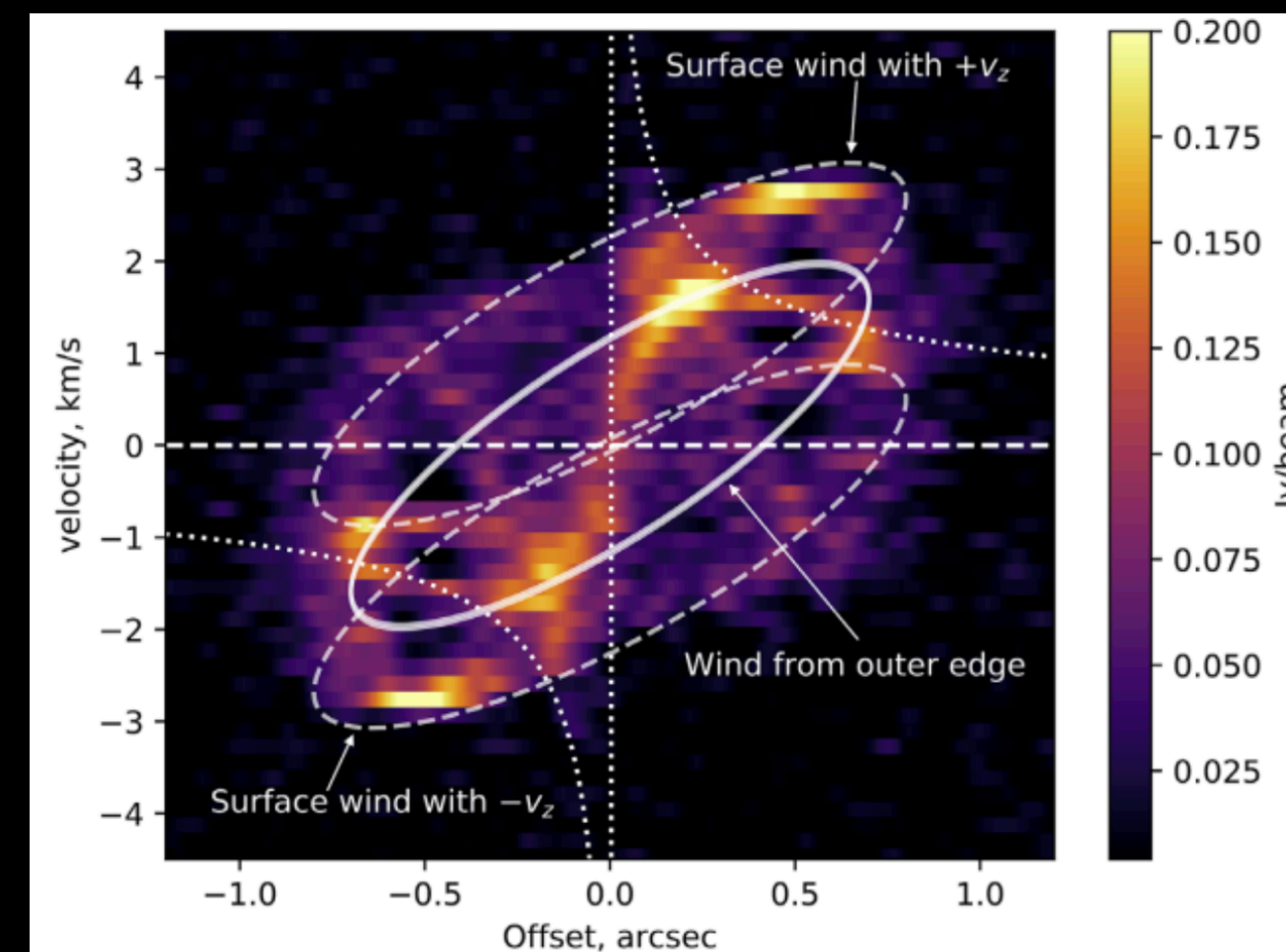
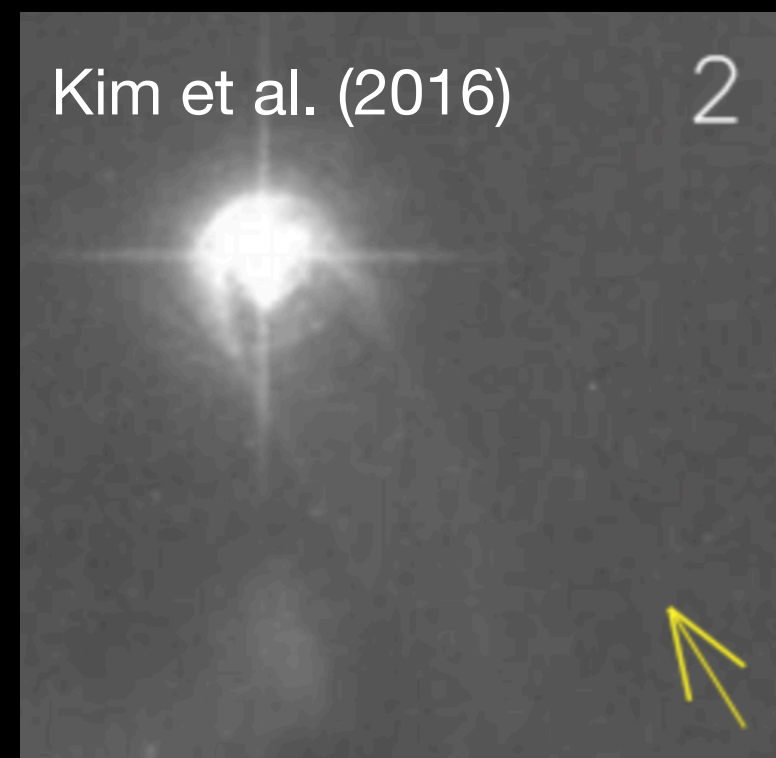
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Summary

Planet forming discs are not isolated systems!

Discs are certainly affected by radiation and dynamical encounters in the environment, even really early on as in NGC2024

Are planet populations affected too? We don't know yet

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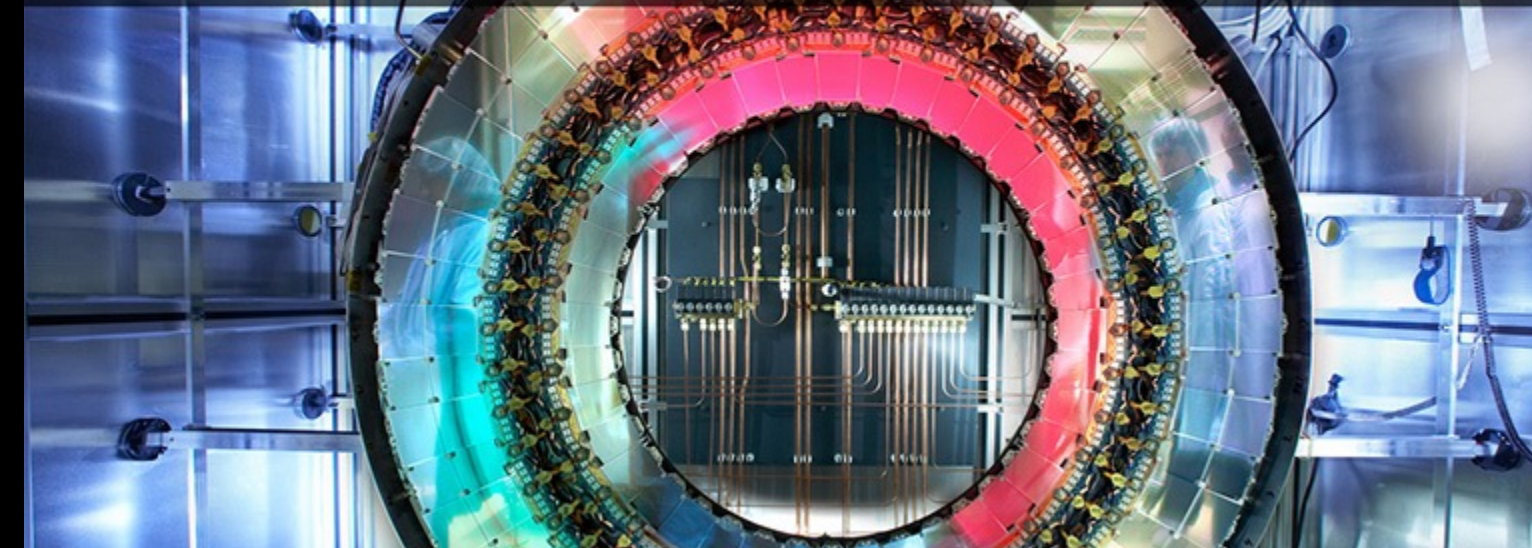
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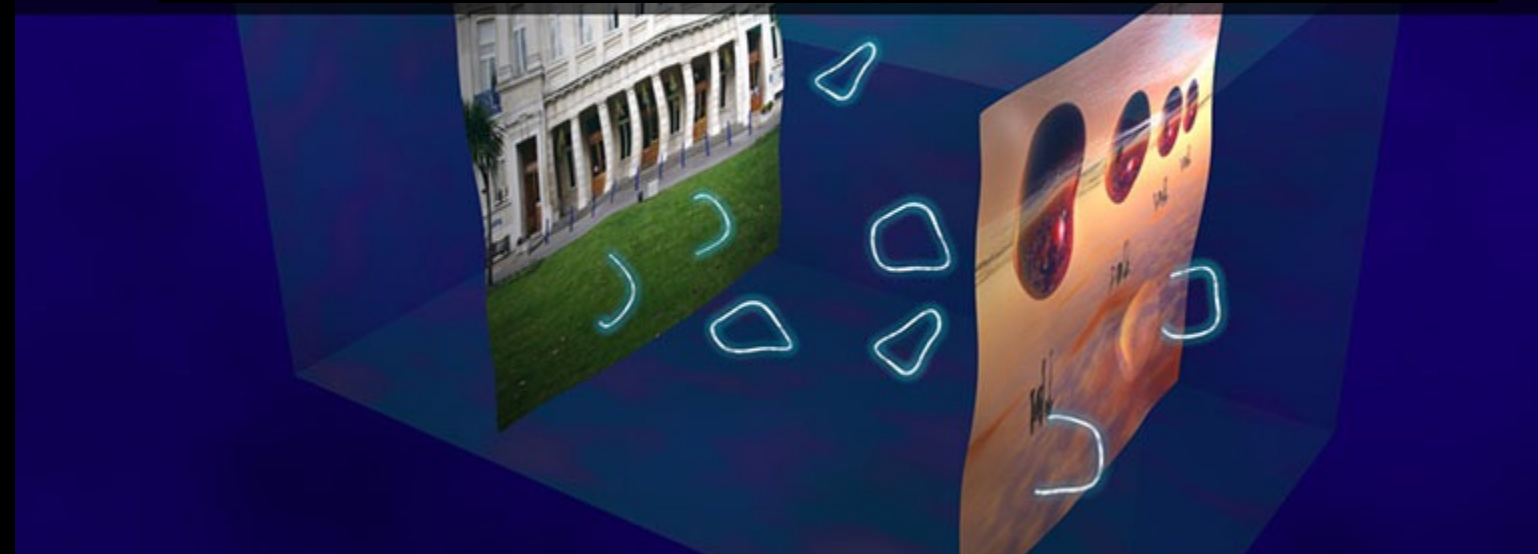
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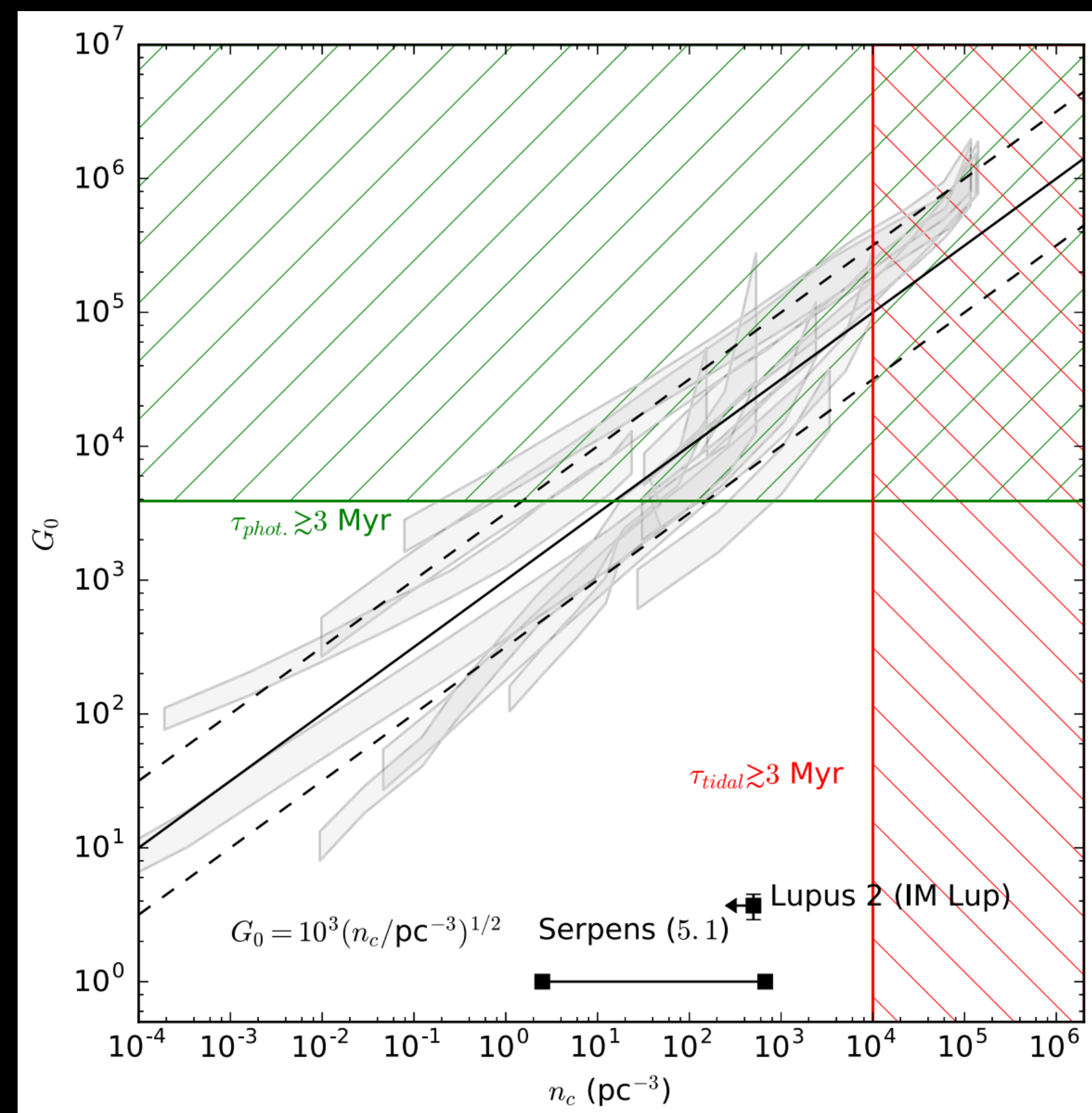
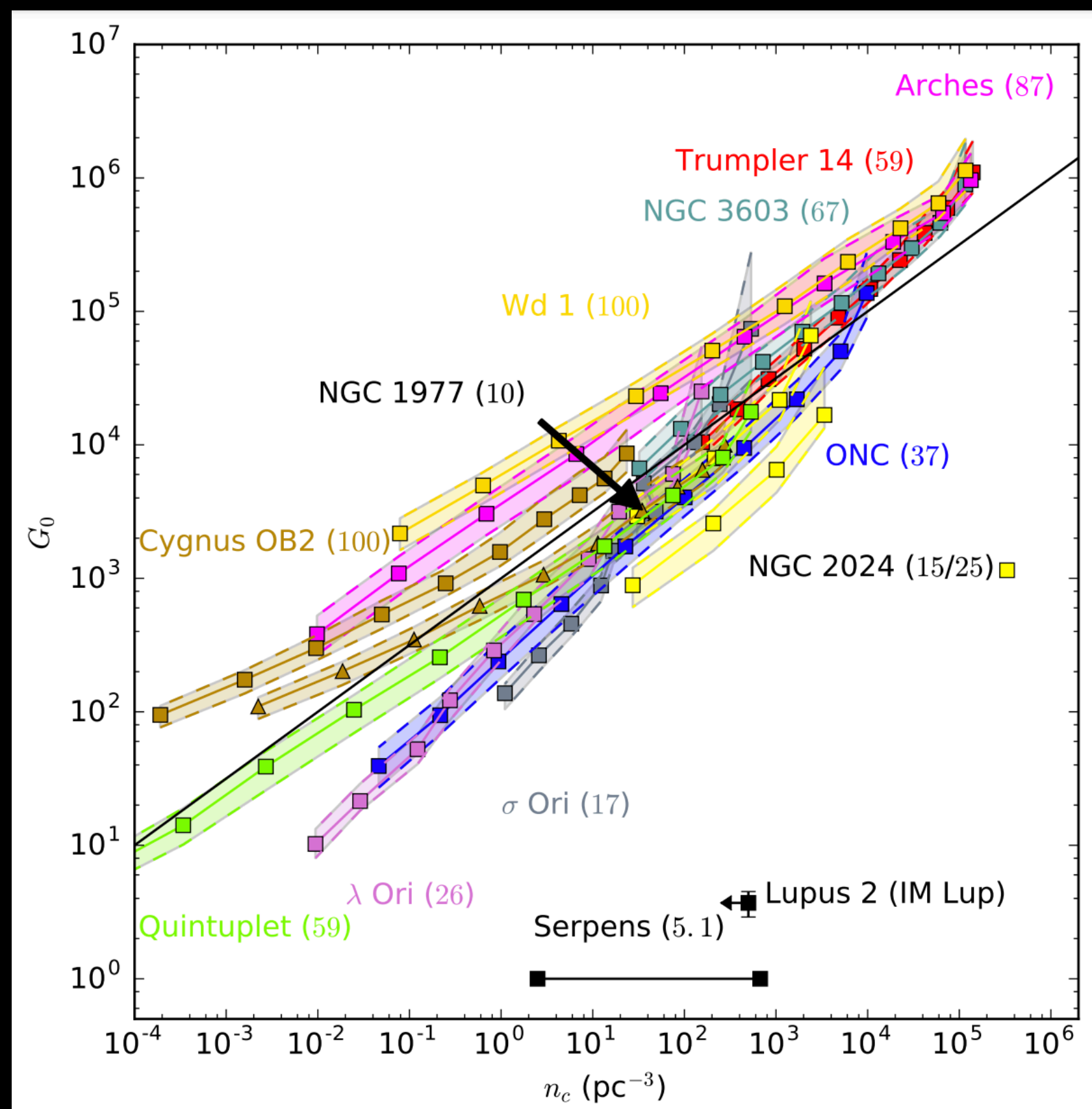
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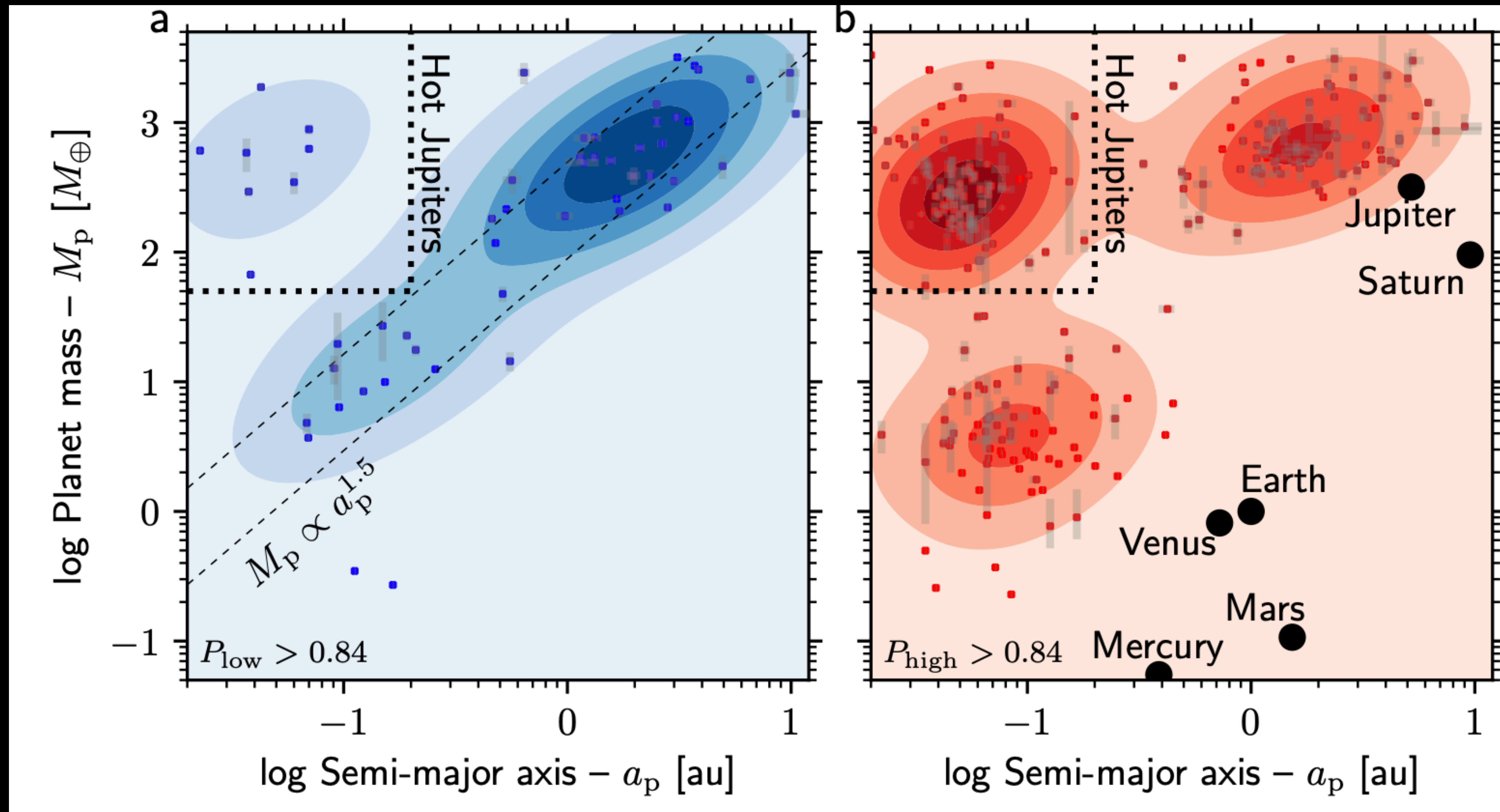
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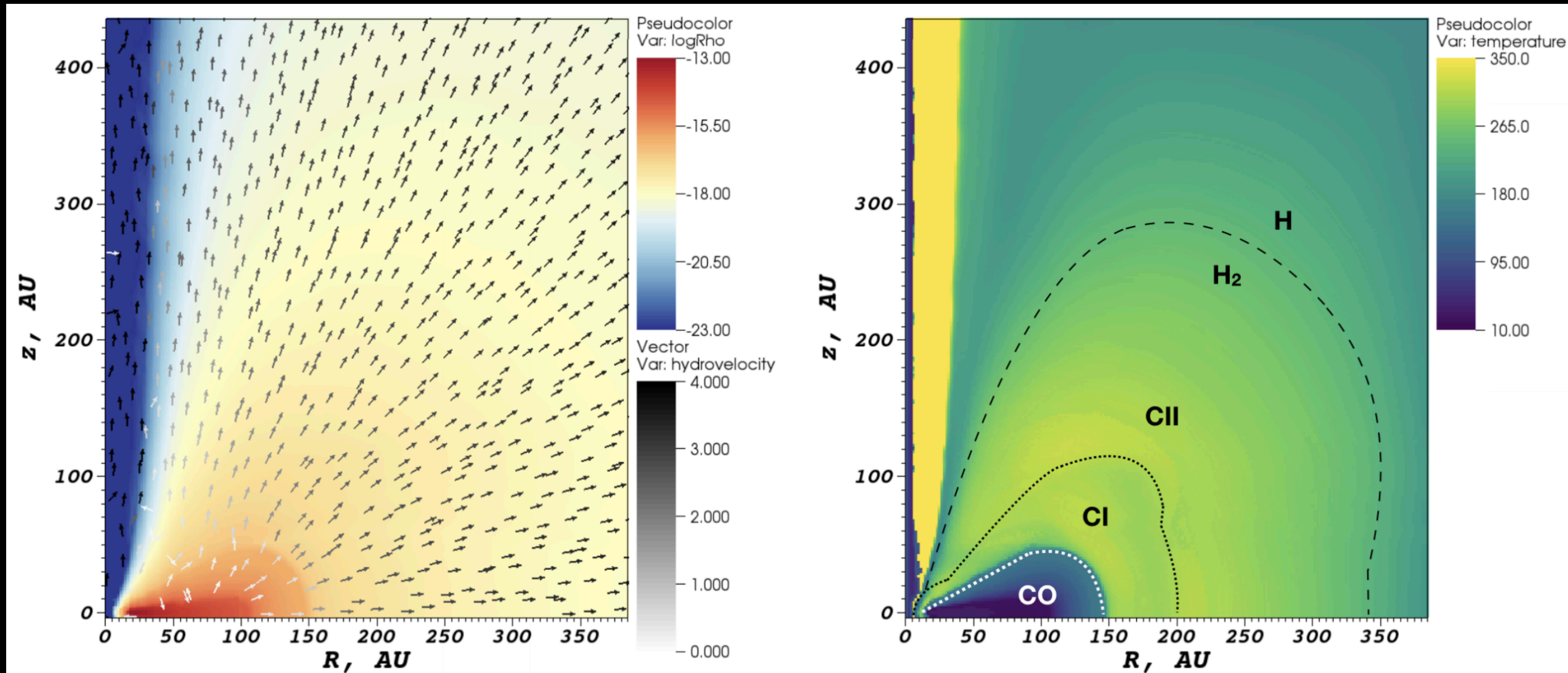
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Evidence for planet sensitivity to environment



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More on models



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Questions

What was important for the evolution most protoplanetary discs, gravitational encounters or external photoevaporation (or neither)?

Across what range of UV fields is external photoevaporation important?

Do the resulting planets actually care about environmental effects, or is it just the disc?