

Dynamical and kinematical effects of self-gravity in planet forming discs

Self-gravitating discs

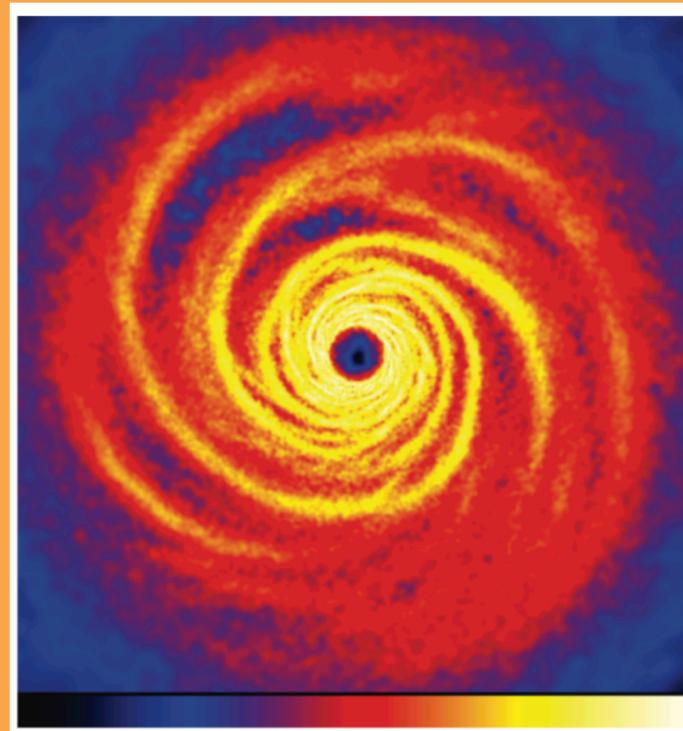
- Three main effects

Dynamical

- Ang. mom. transport
- Fragmentation
- Dust concentration

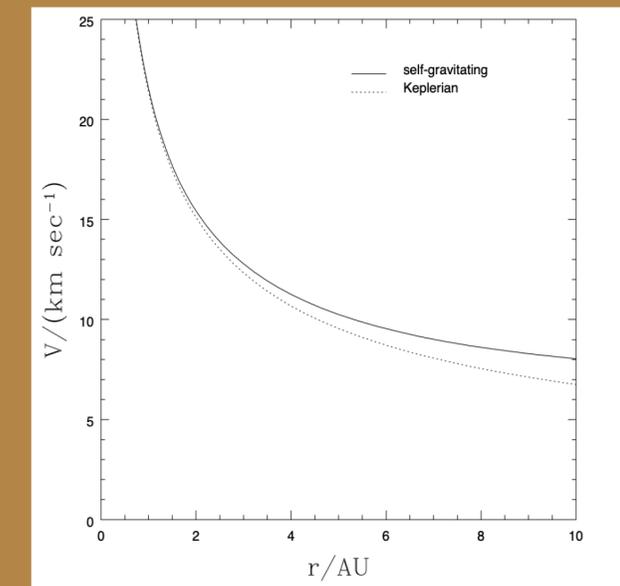
Morphological

- Spiral structure



Kinematical

- Rotation curve
- GI "wobble"



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Note that for a Keplerian disc

$$Q = \frac{c_s \kappa}{\pi G \Sigma} \simeq \frac{c_s \Omega}{\pi G \Sigma}$$

For a marginally stable disc with $Q \sim 1$

$$\frac{M_{\text{disc}}}{M_{\star}} \simeq \frac{H}{R} \lesssim 1$$

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What is the critical cooling for fragmentation?

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behaviour

From 2D simulations (Gammie 2001)

$$\beta \simeq 3$$

From 3D simulations (Rice et al 2005)

$$\beta \simeq 6 - 7$$

Non-convergence? (Meru & Bate 2011, 2012)

$$\beta \gtrsim 10 - 15$$

Convergence! (Deng et al 2017)

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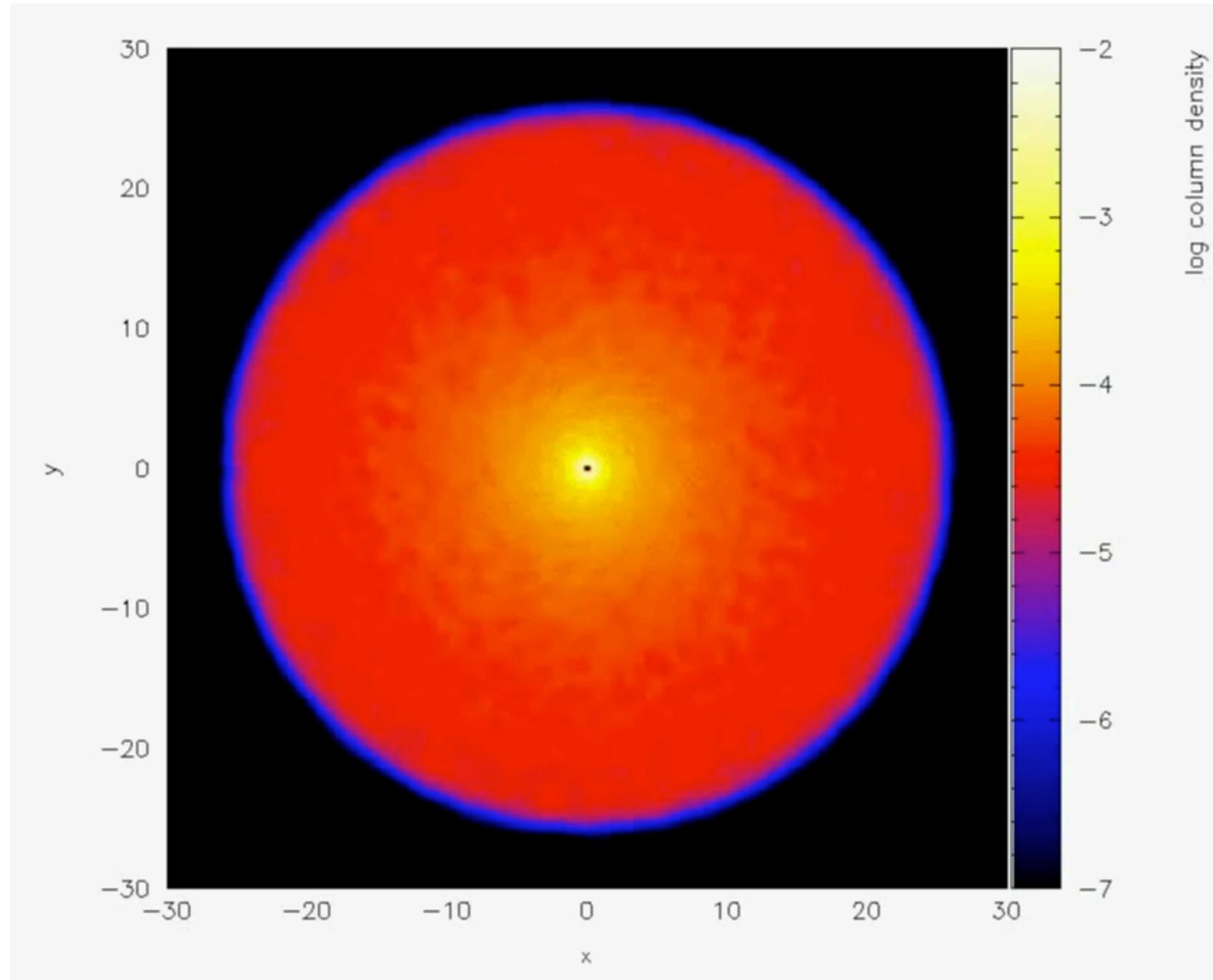
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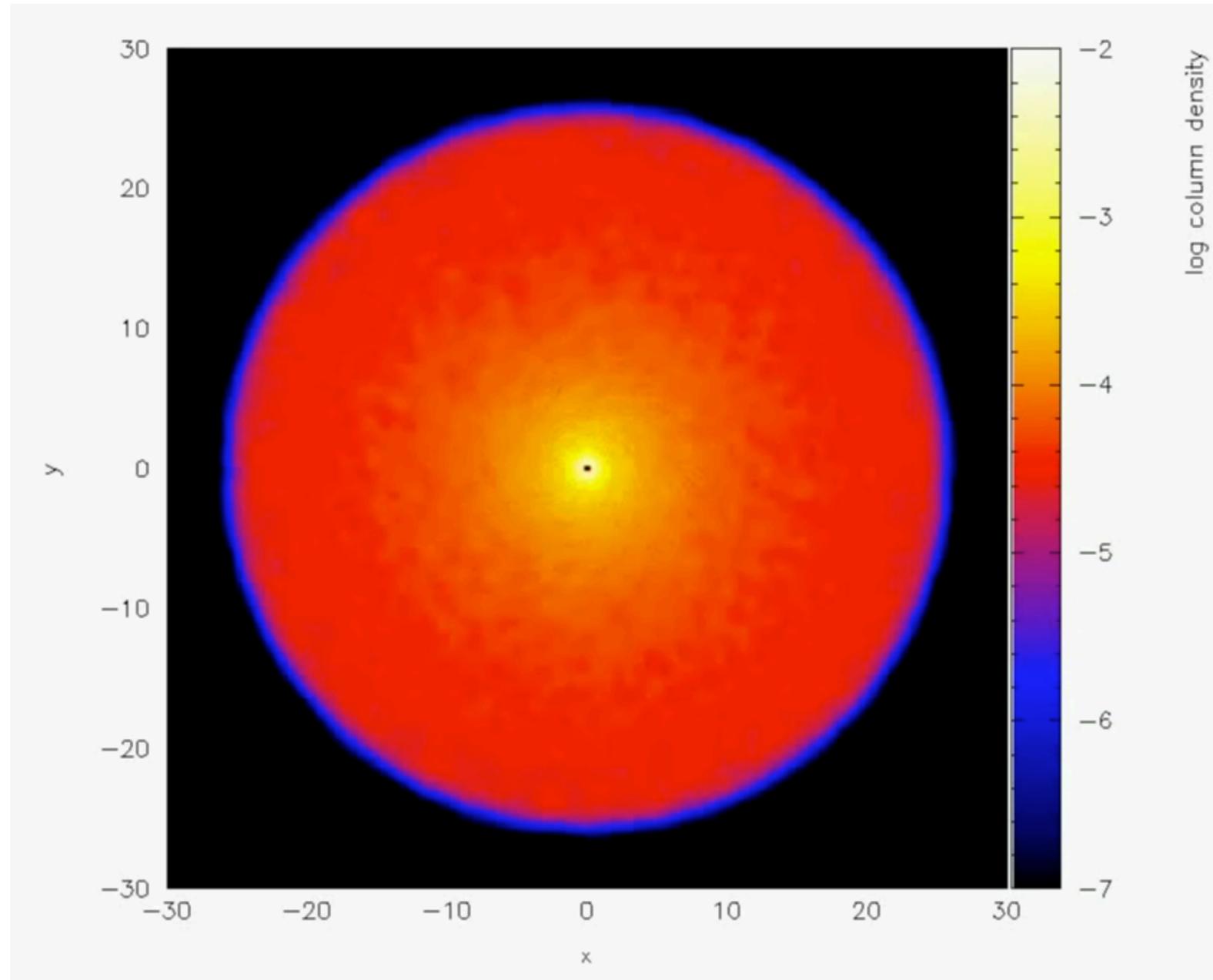
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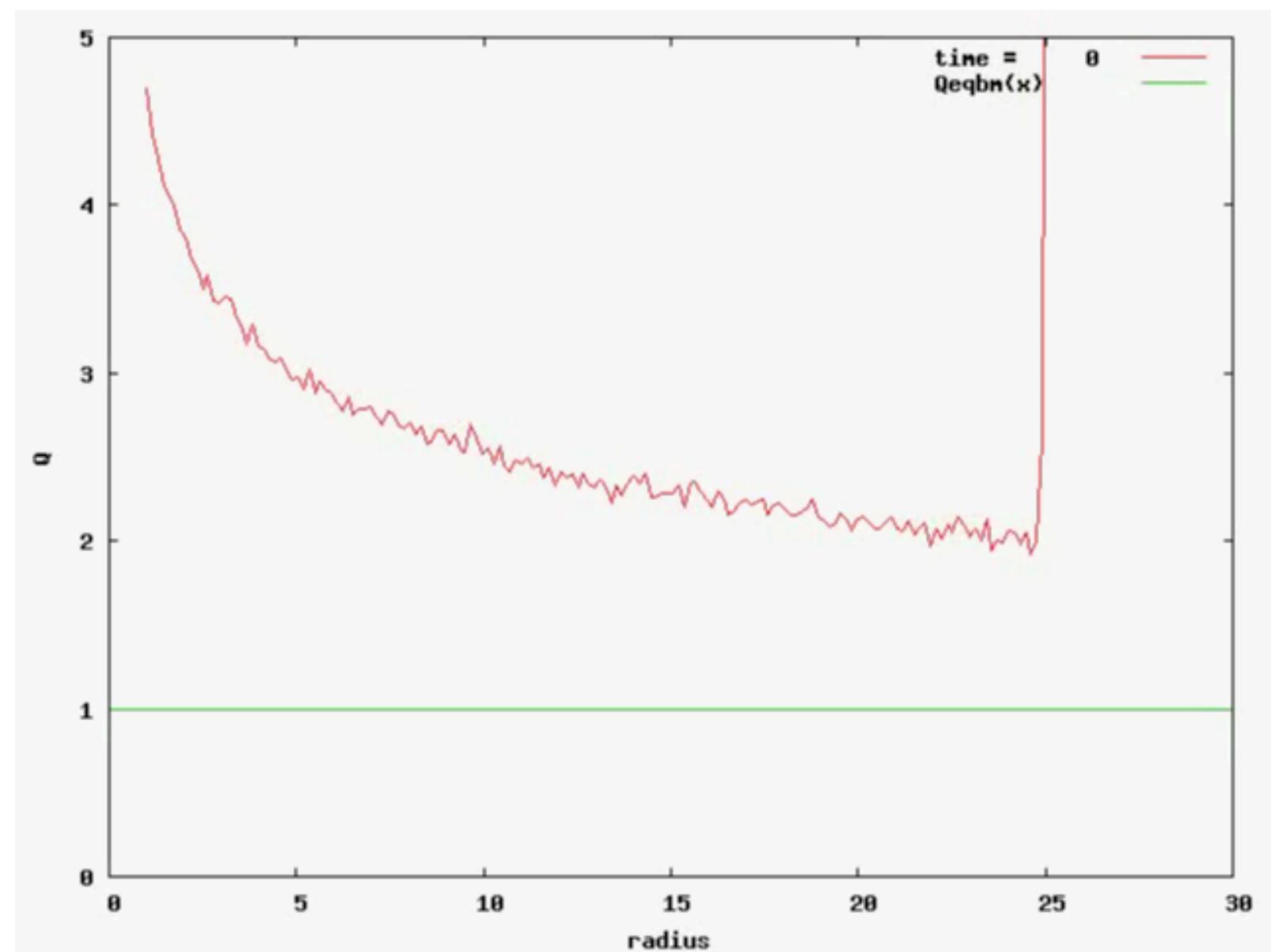
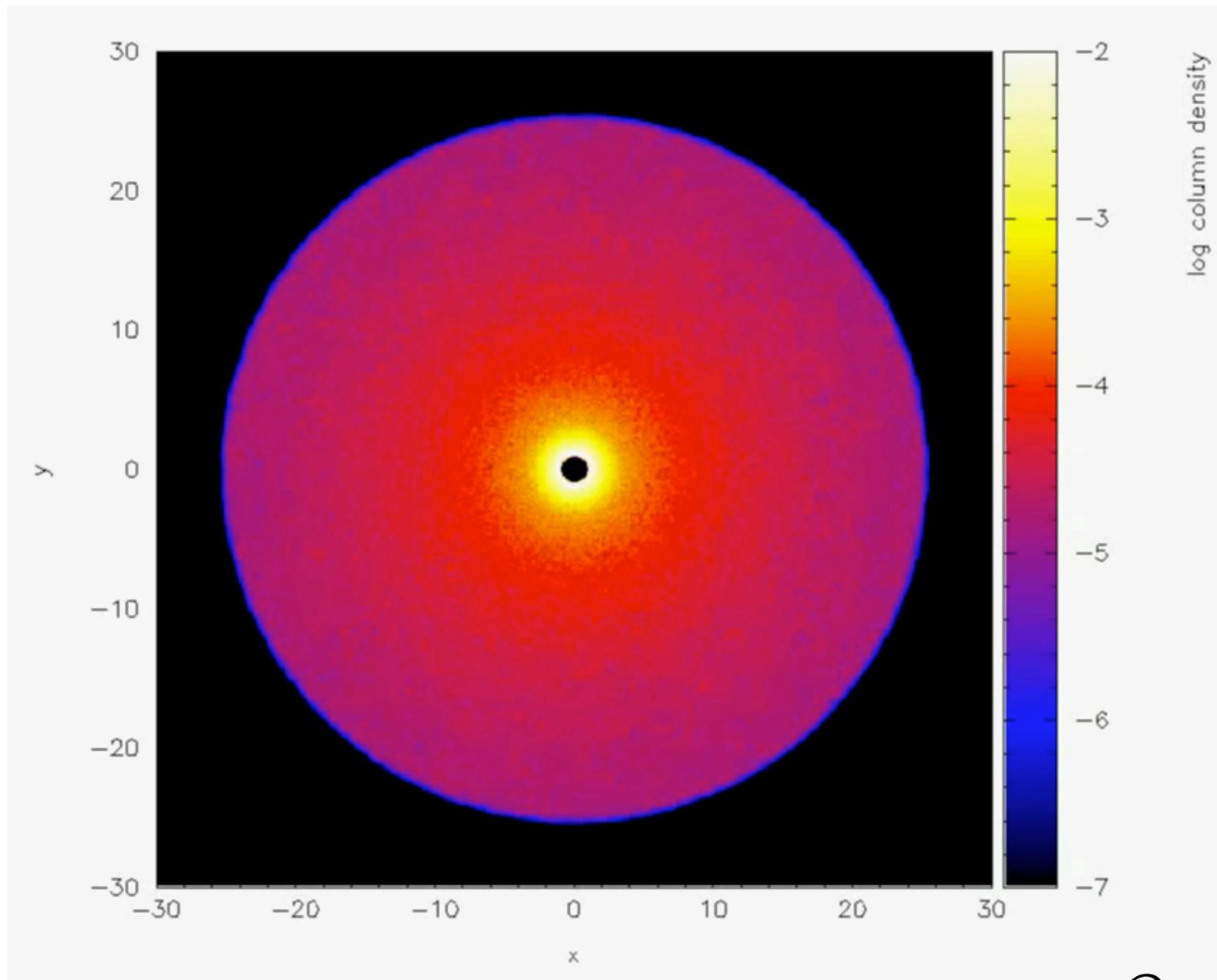
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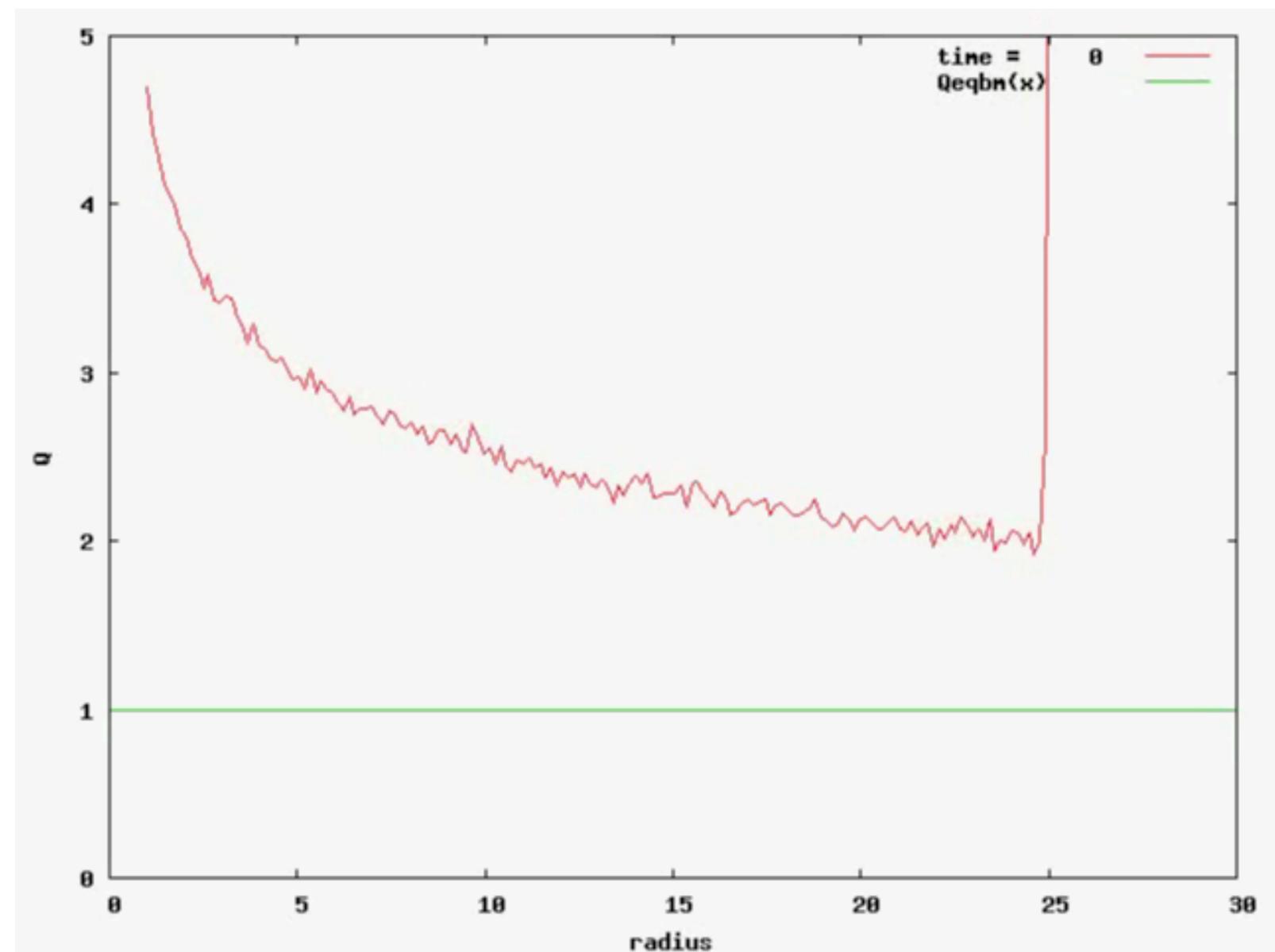
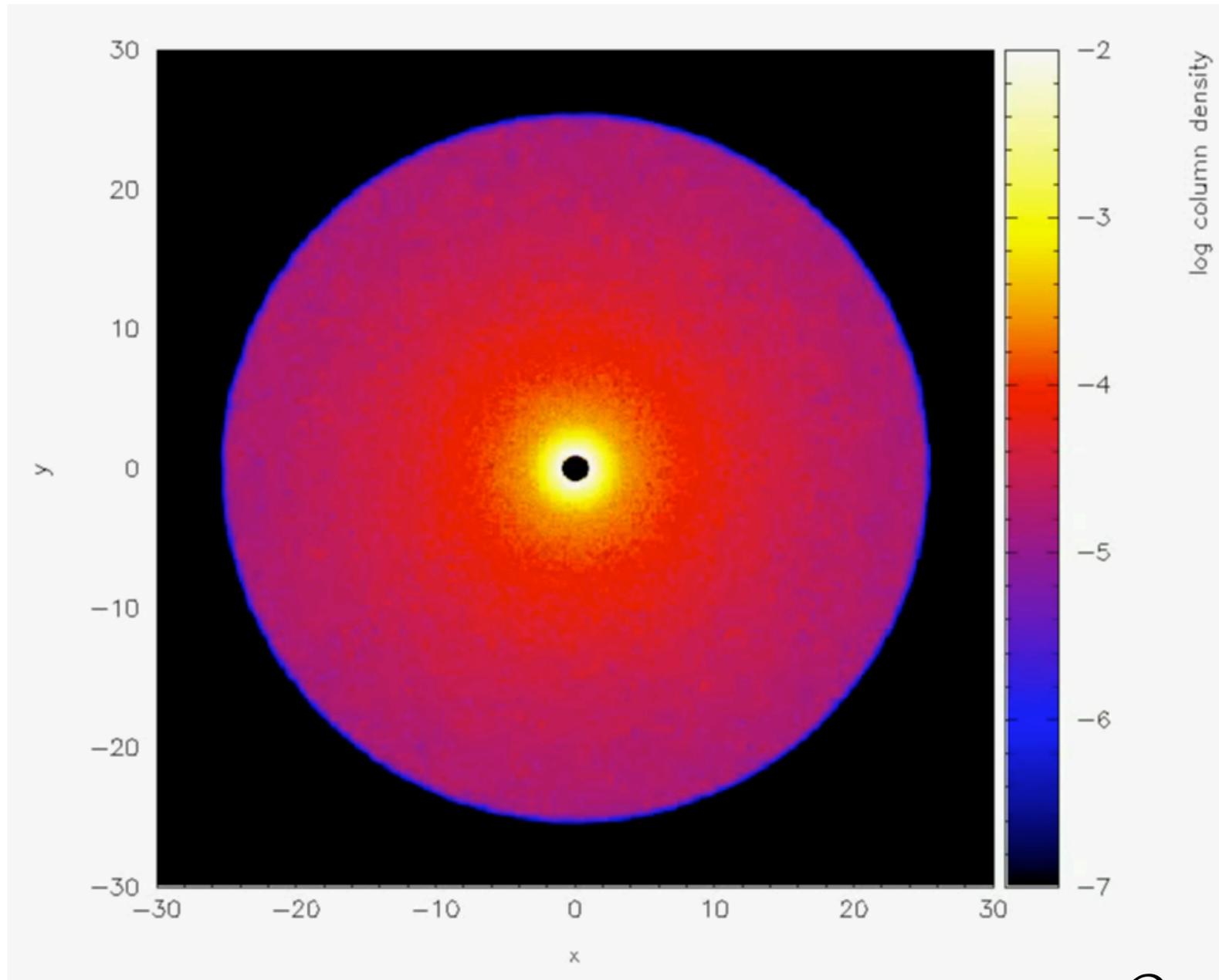
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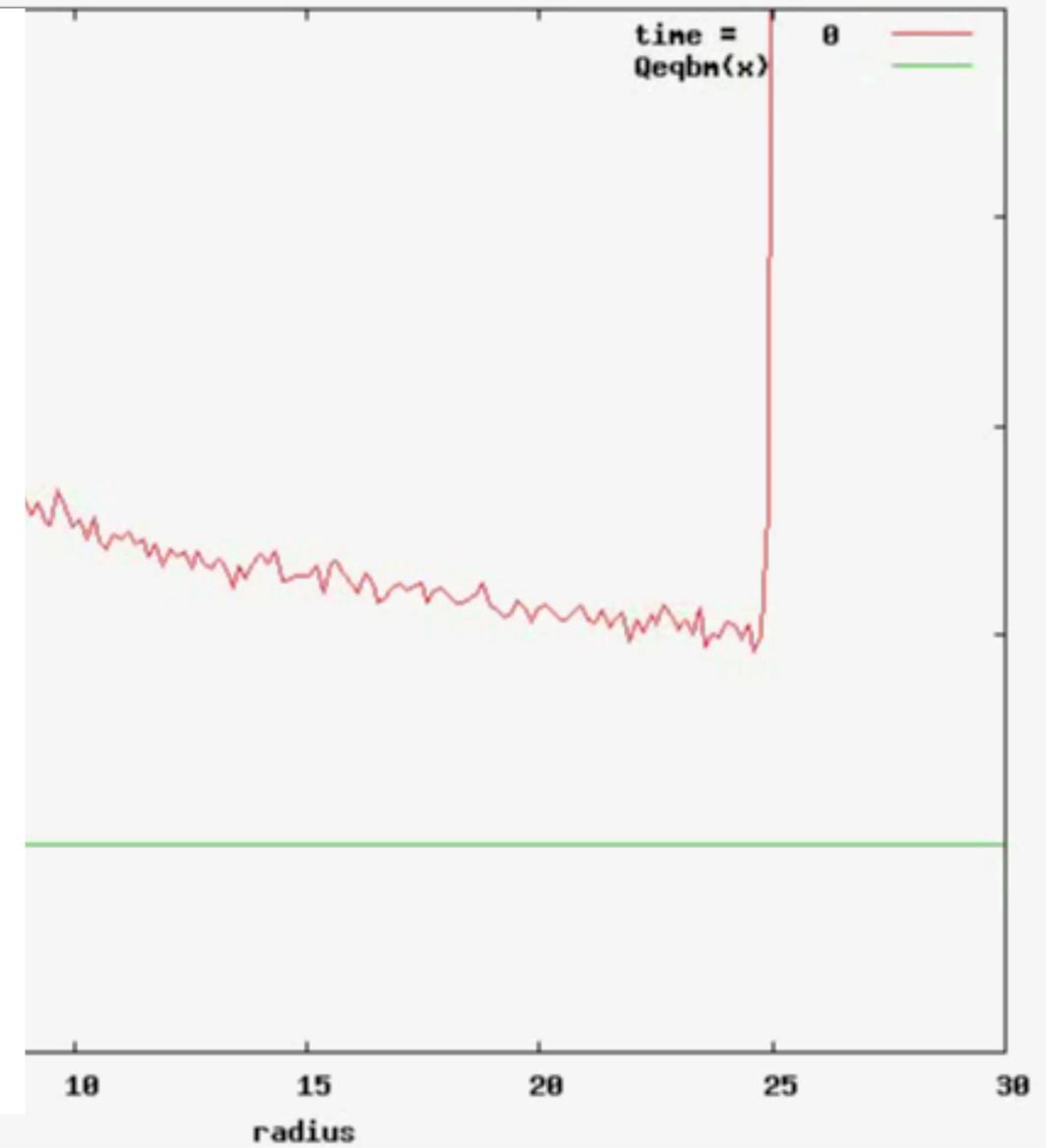
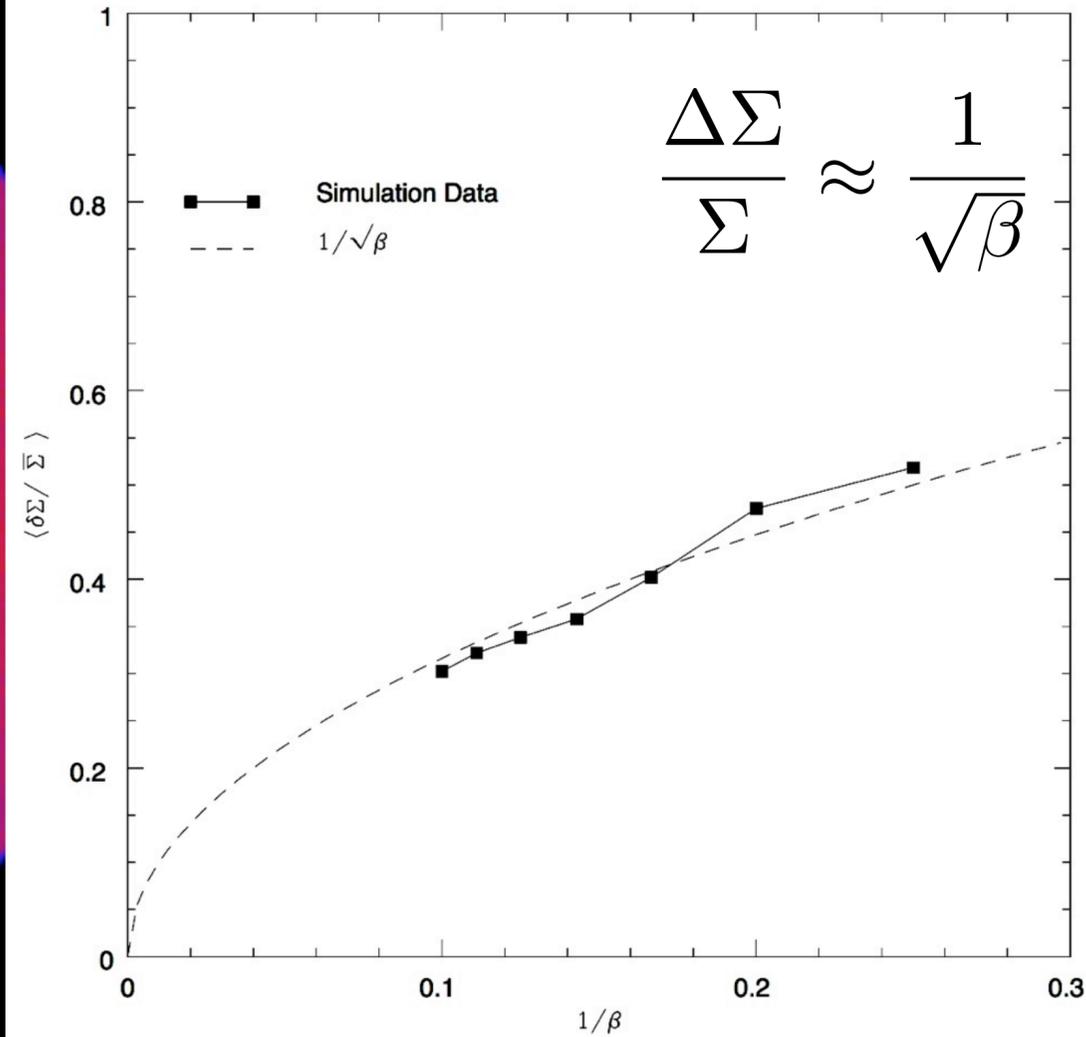
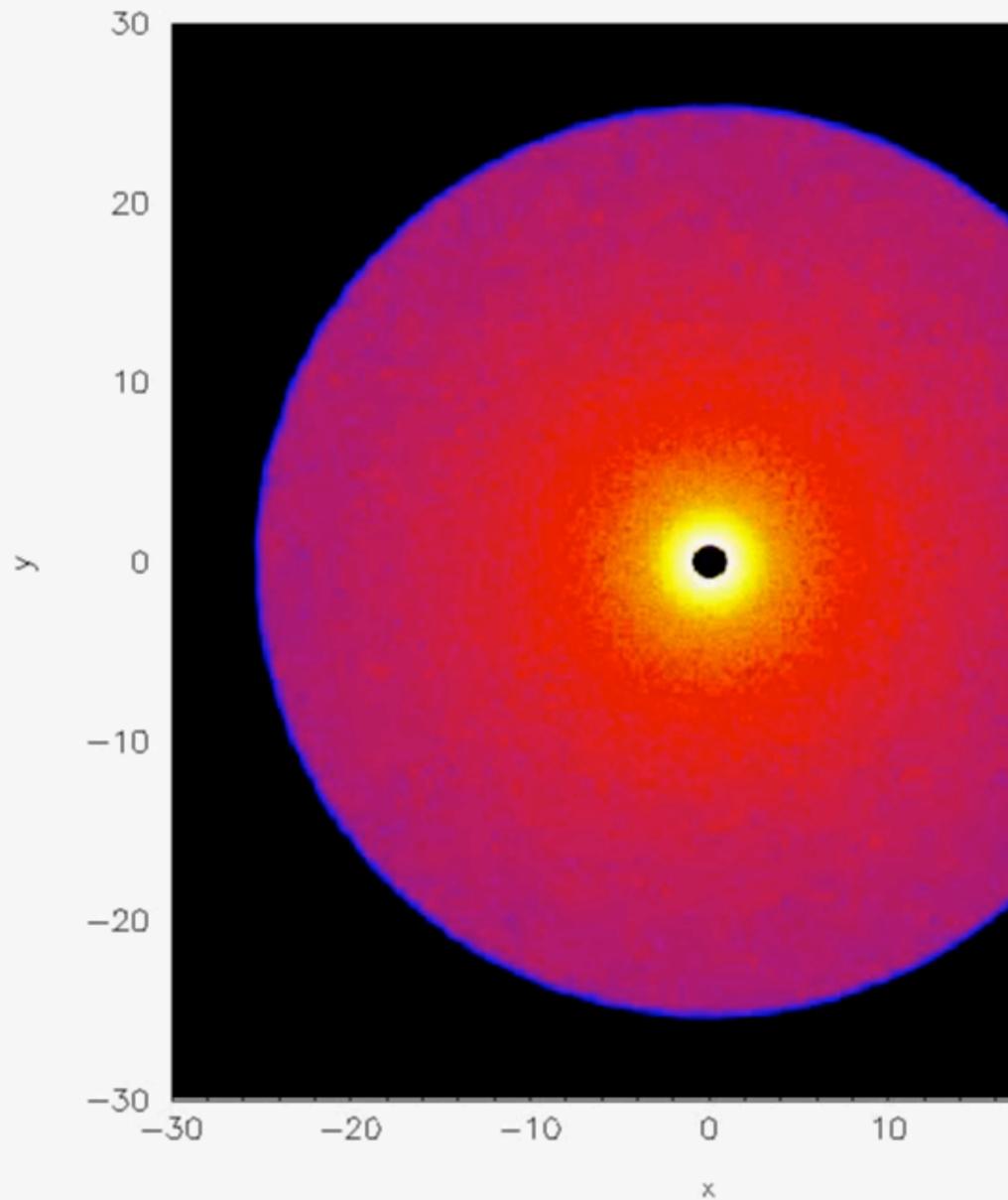
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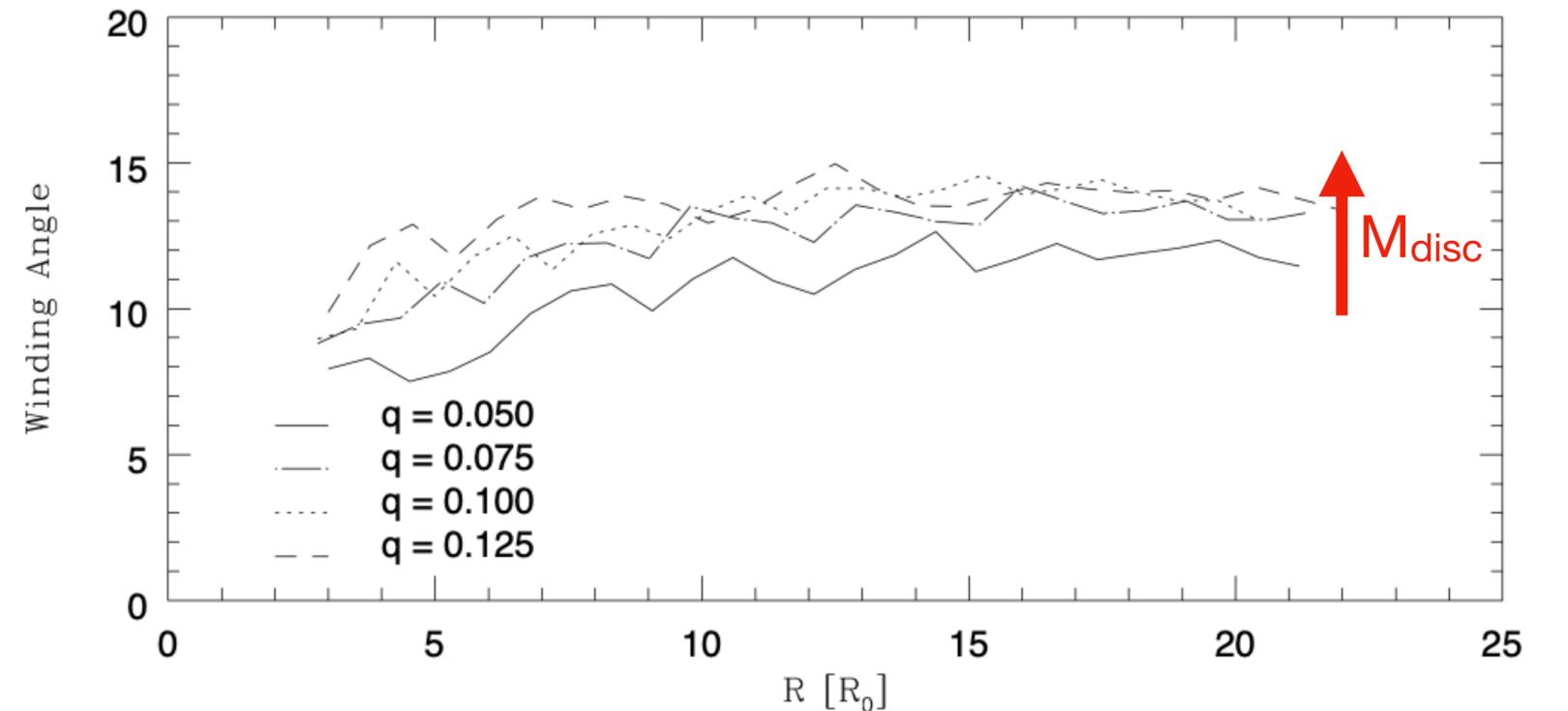
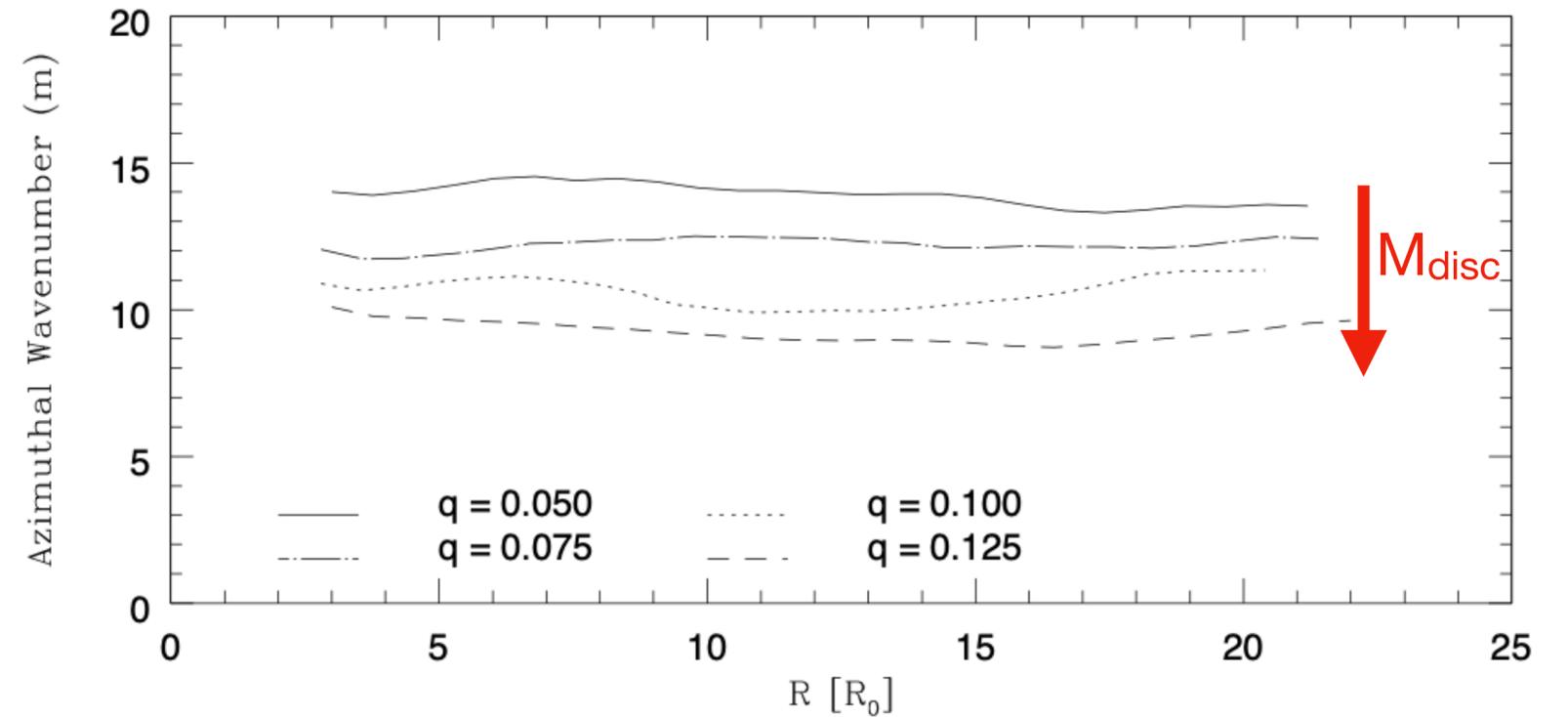
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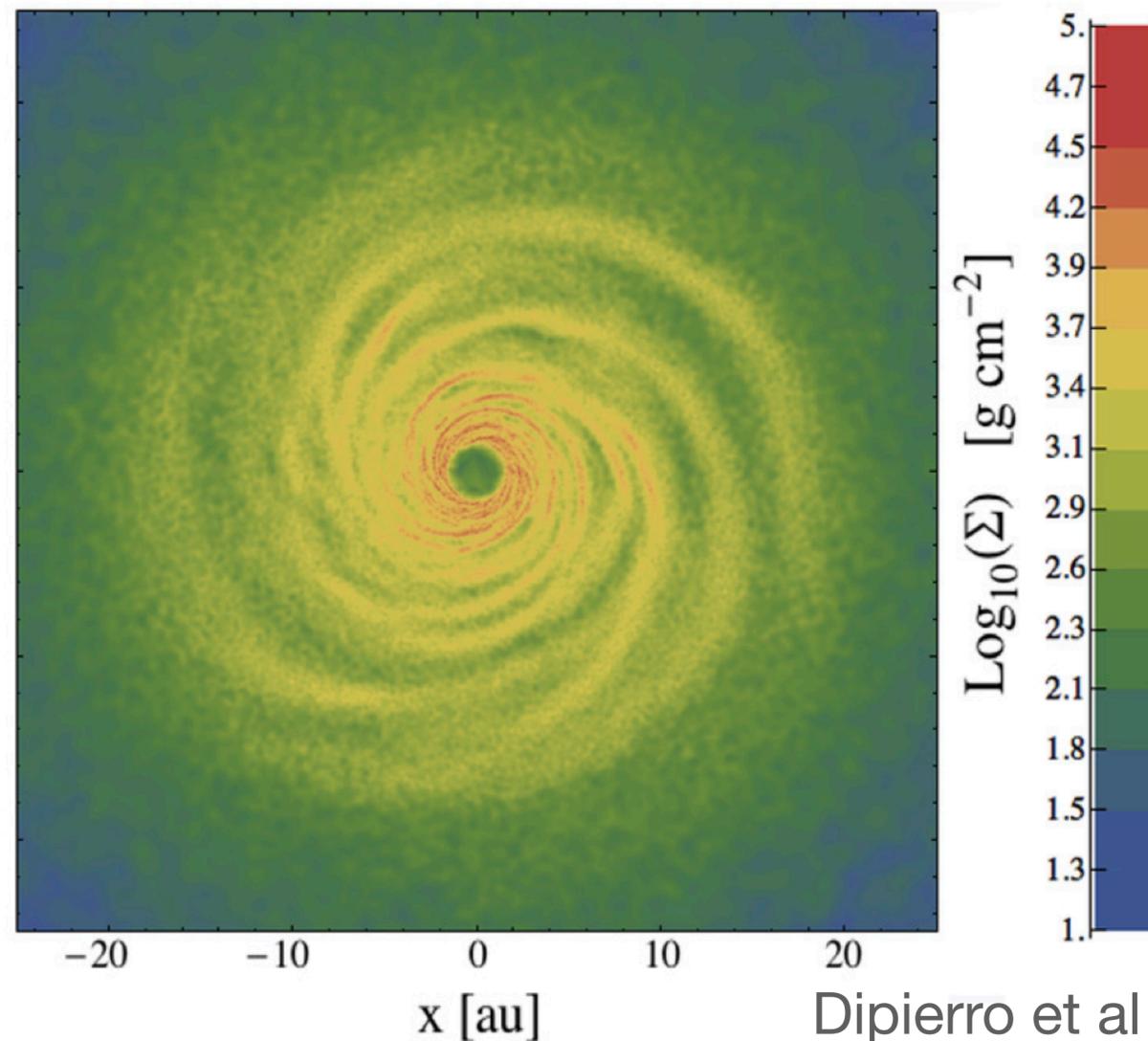
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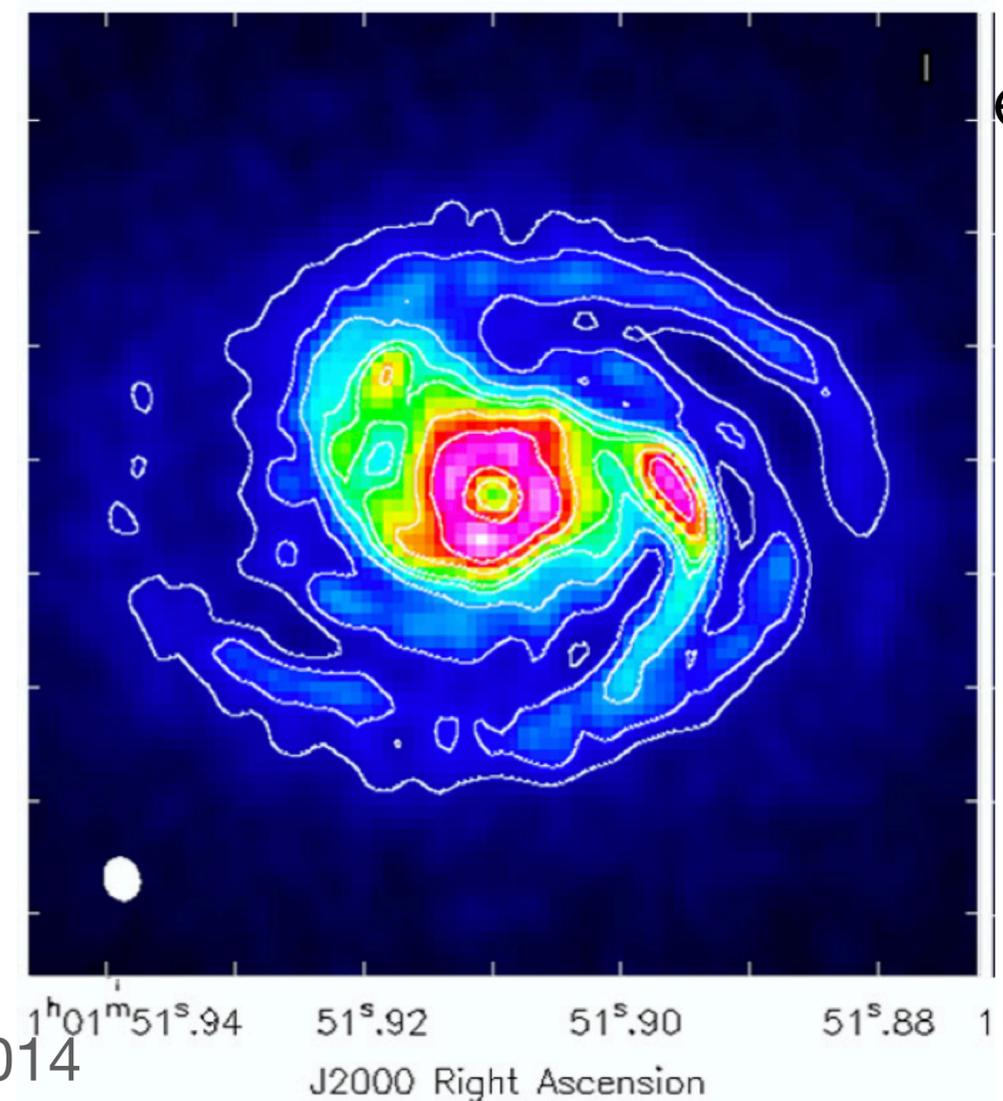
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Dipierro et al 2014

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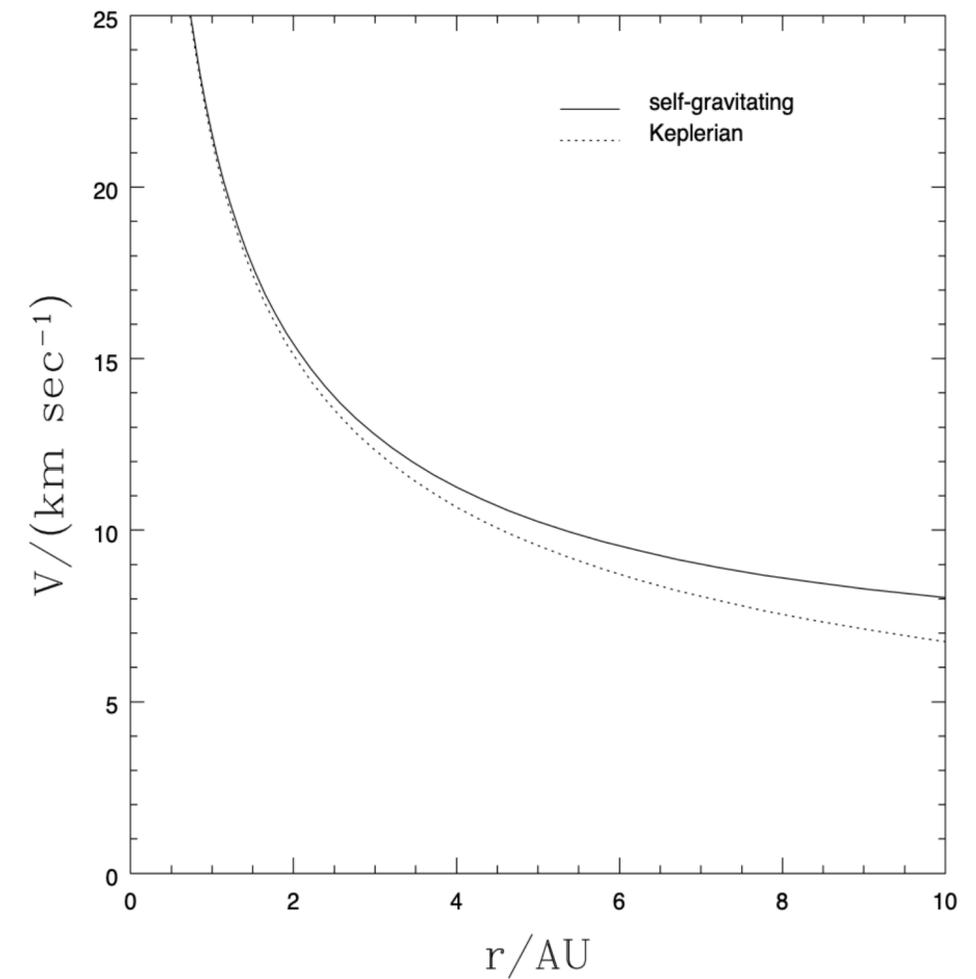
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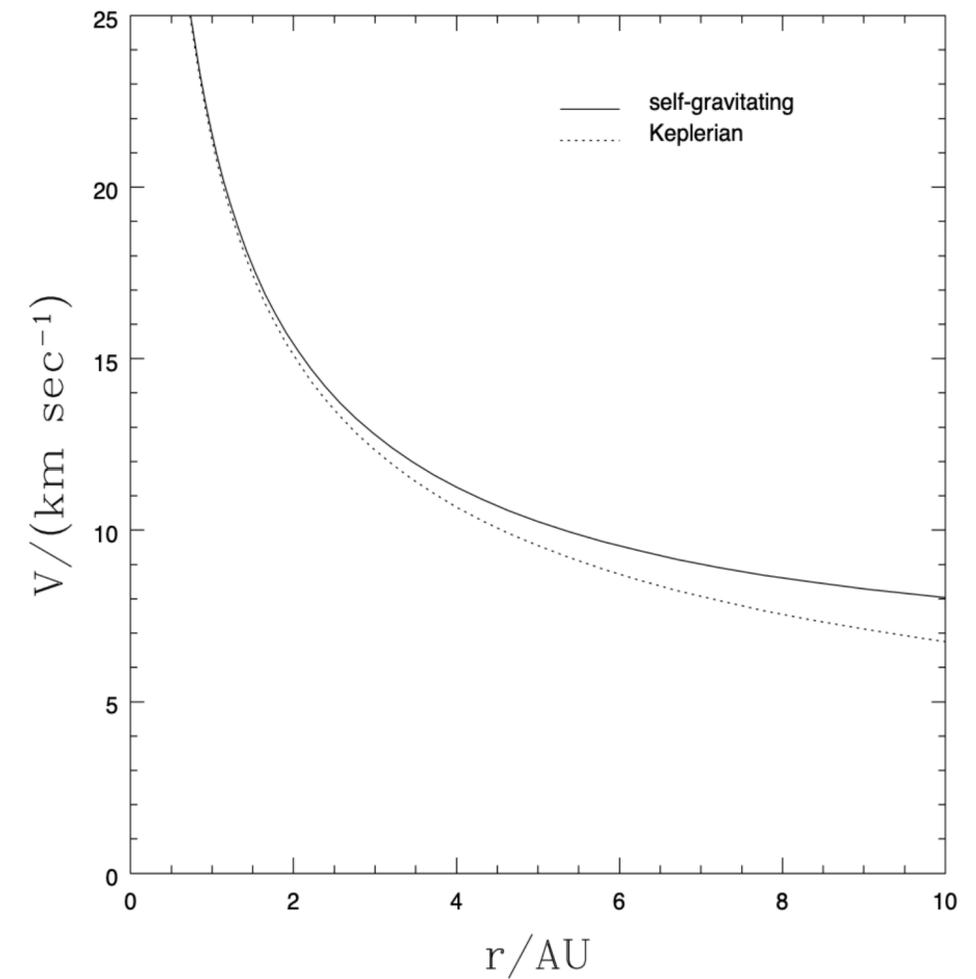
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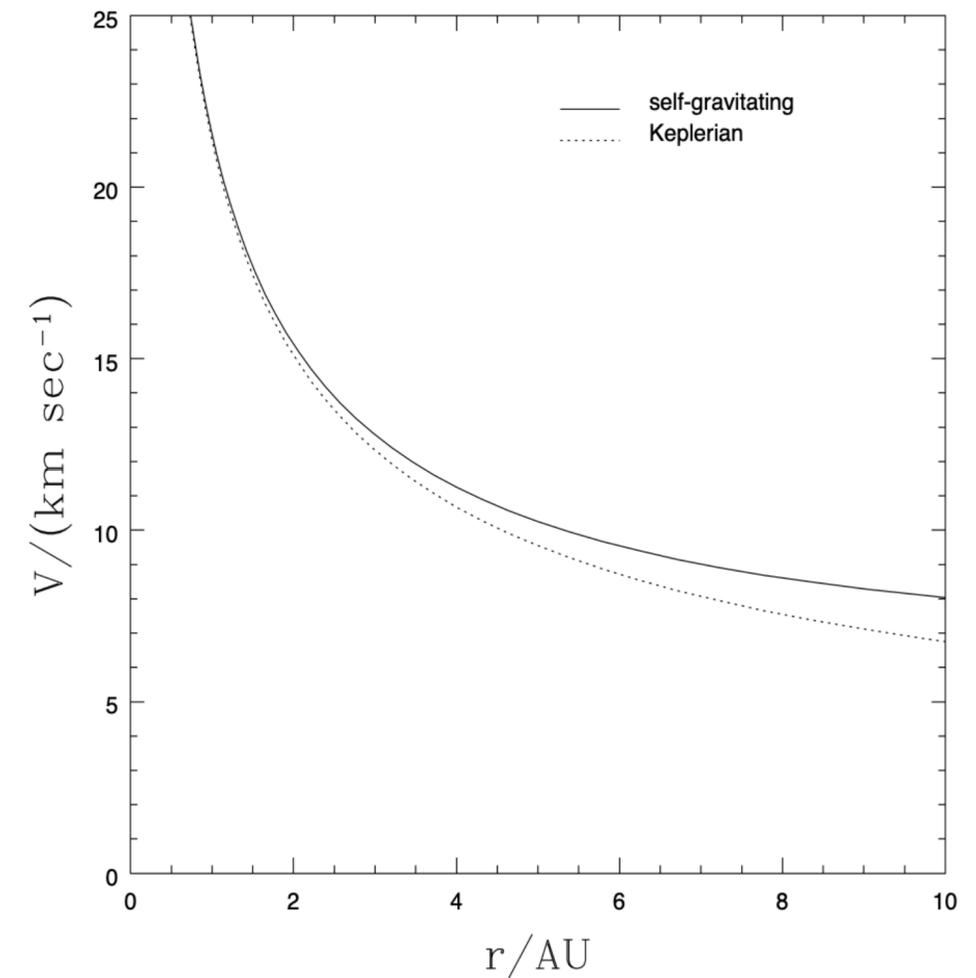
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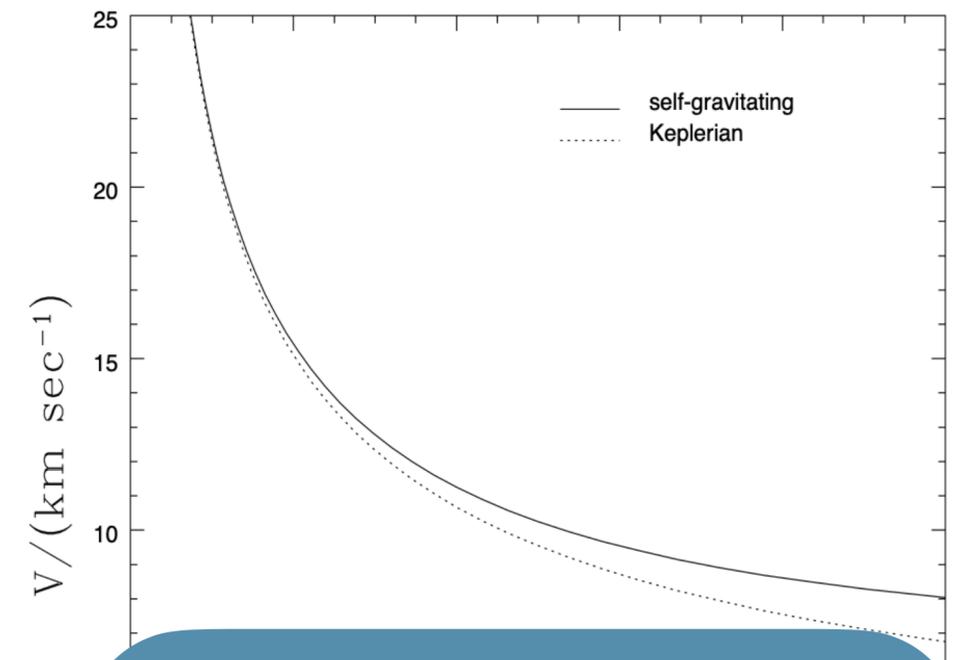
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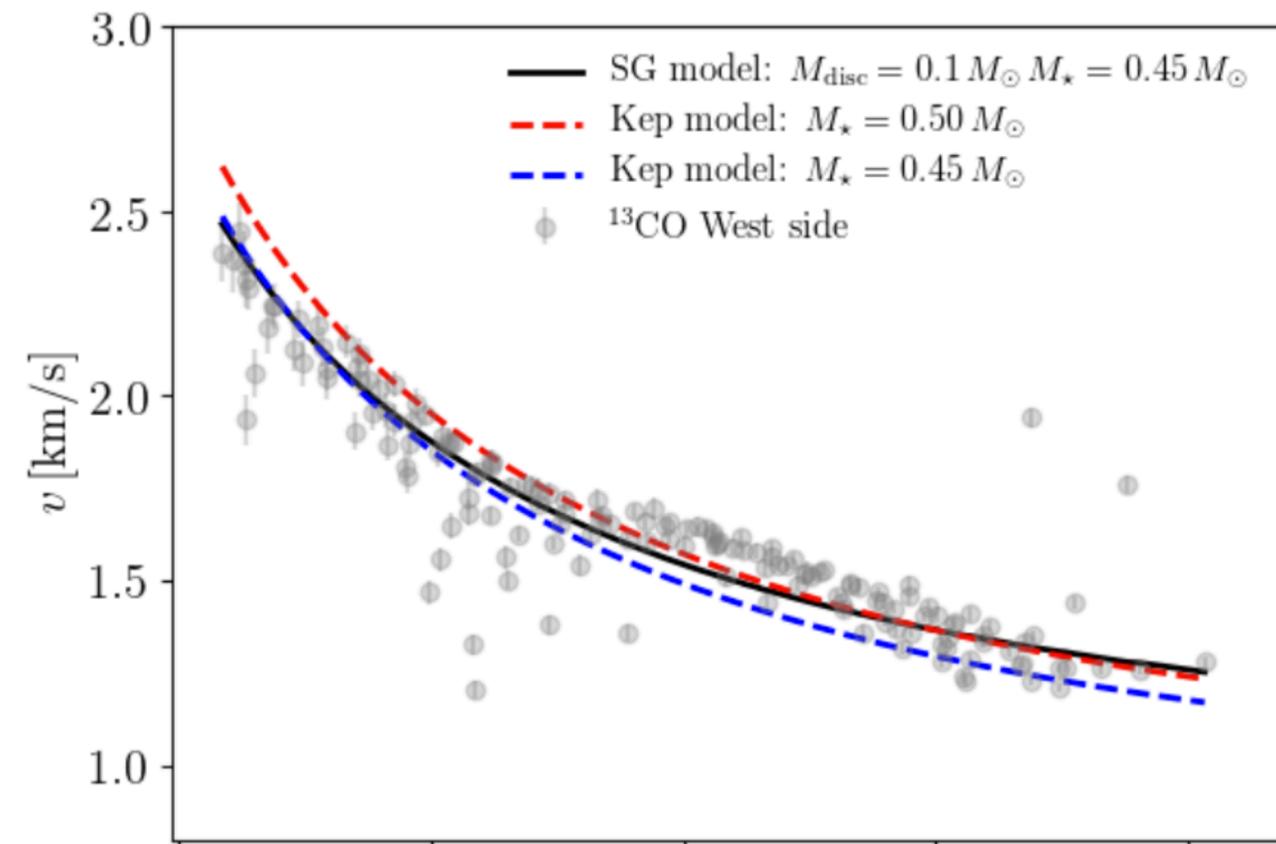
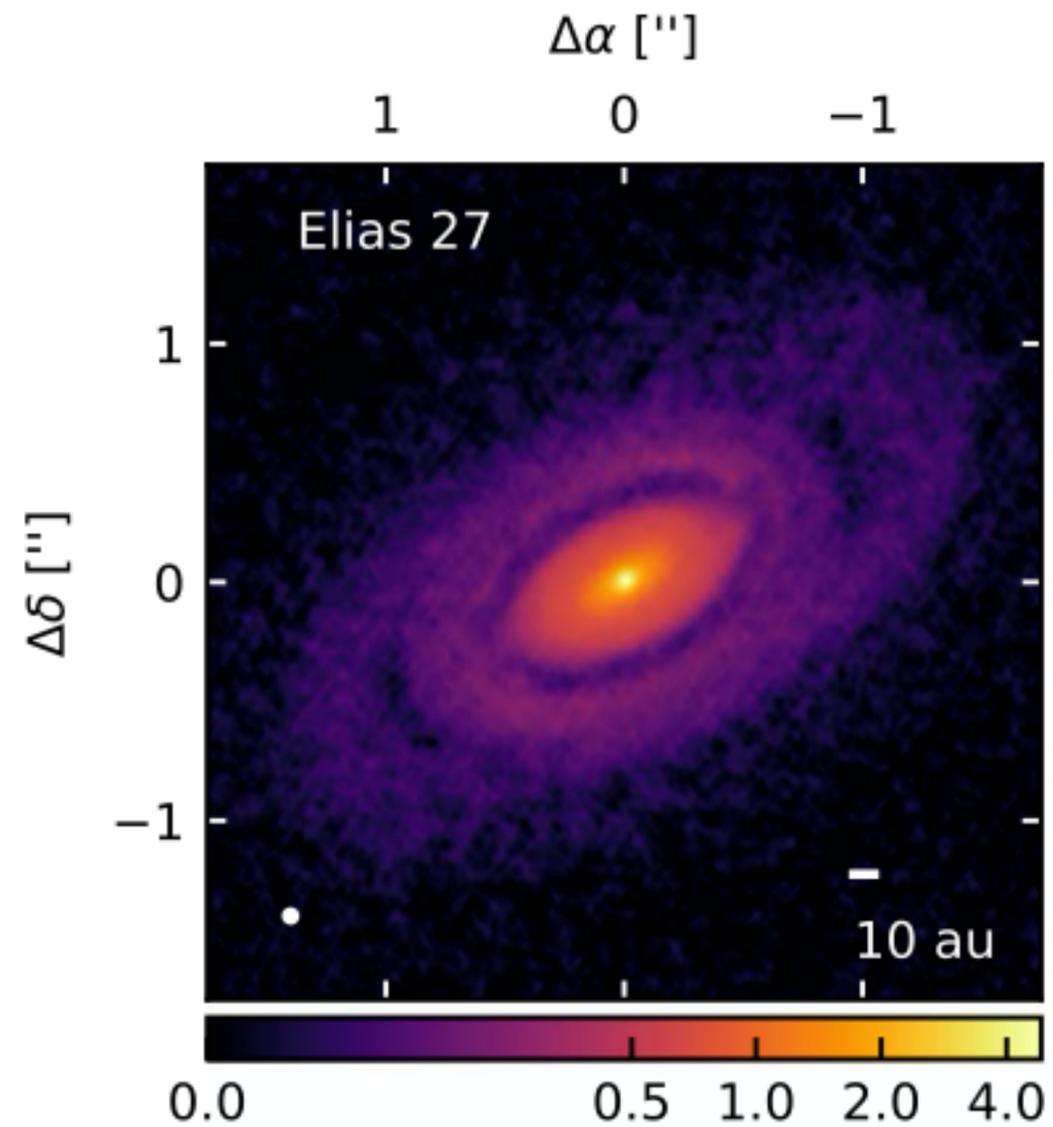


Disc contribution to rotation curve comparable to pressure terms even for discs that are gravitationally stable, $M_{\text{disc}}/M_\star \sim (H/R)^2$

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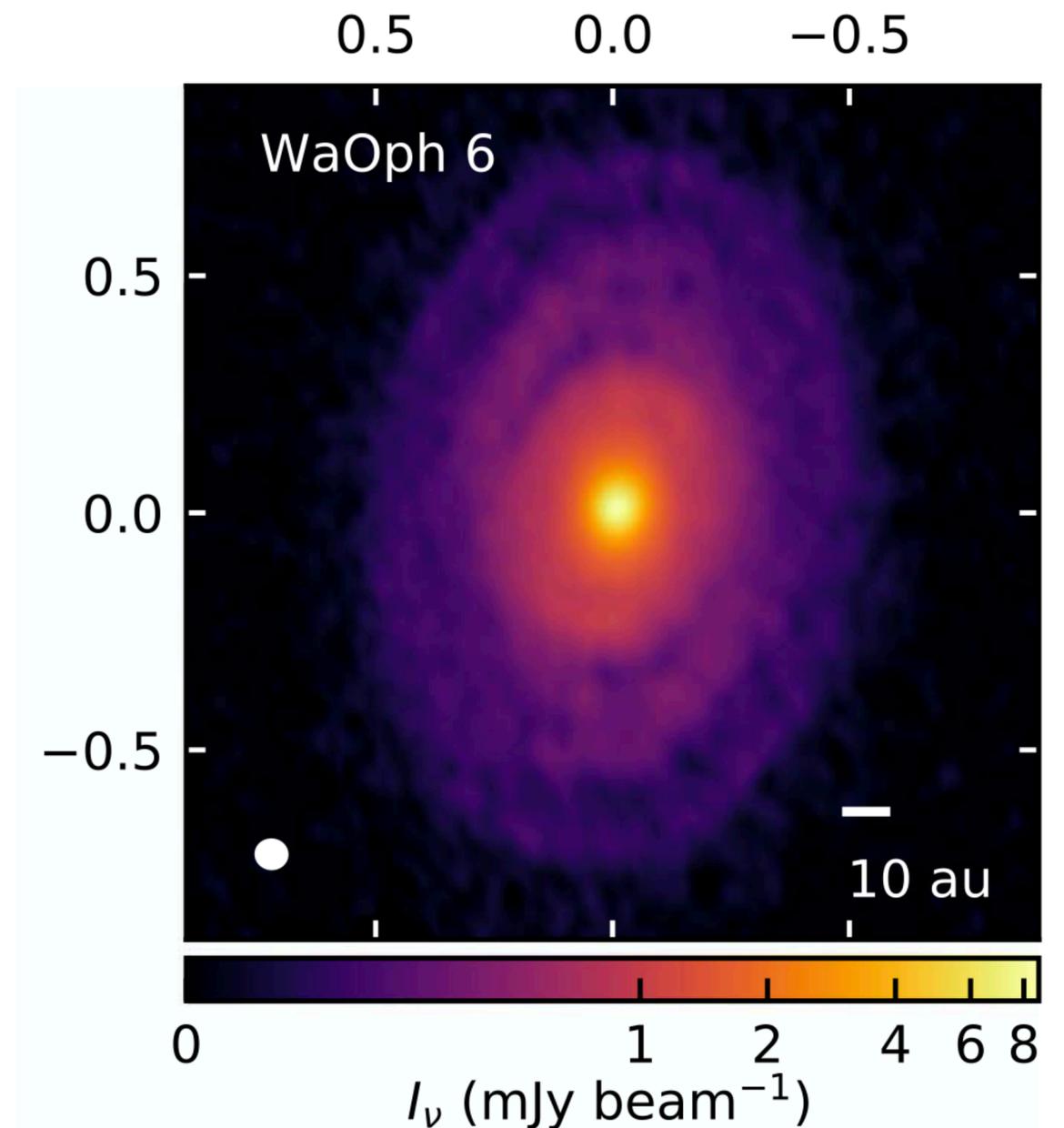
Is it possible to measure such deviations from Keplerianity?

- Yes! See Veronesi et al (2021) for Elias 2-27 (and Benedetta's talk tomorrow!)



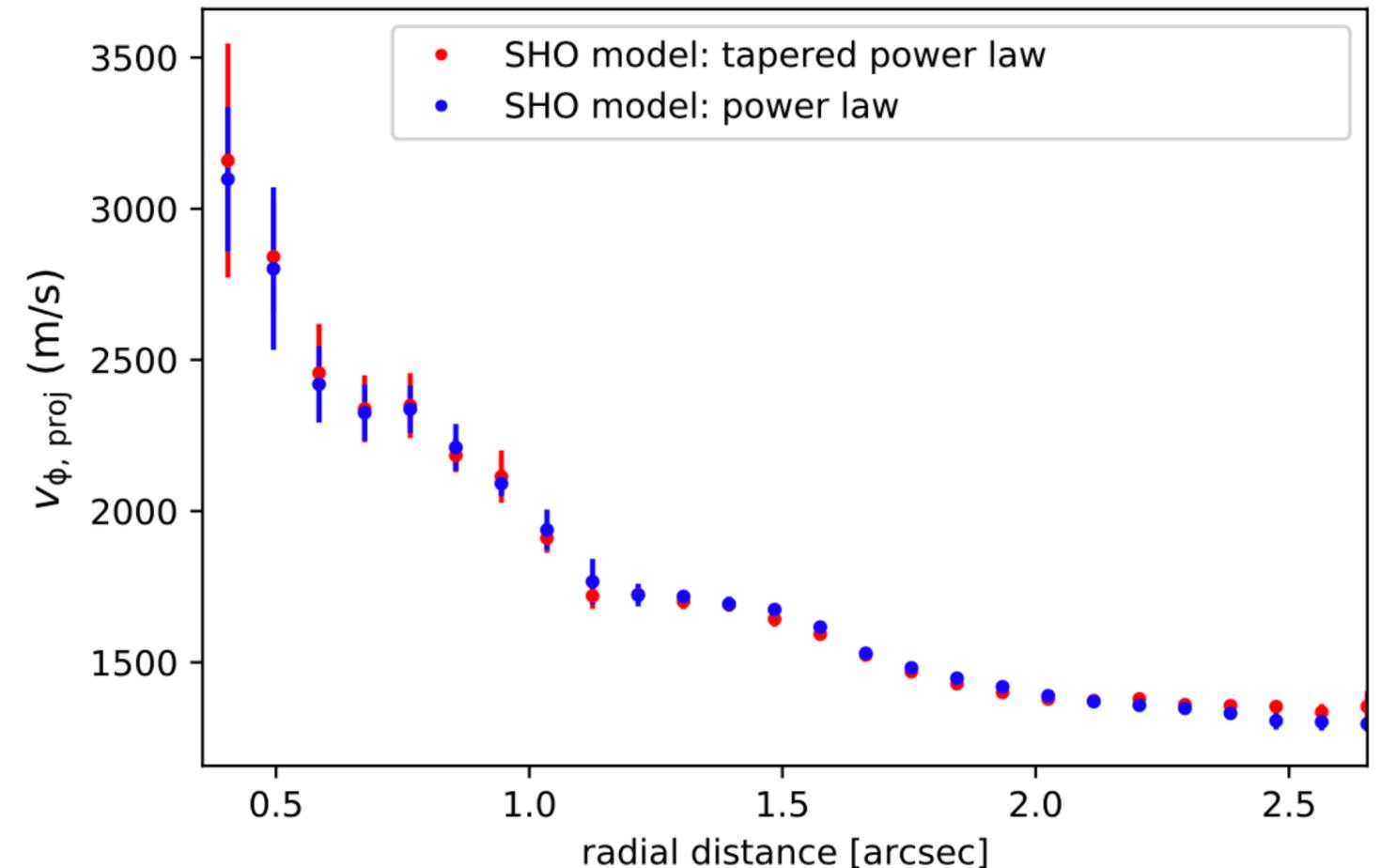
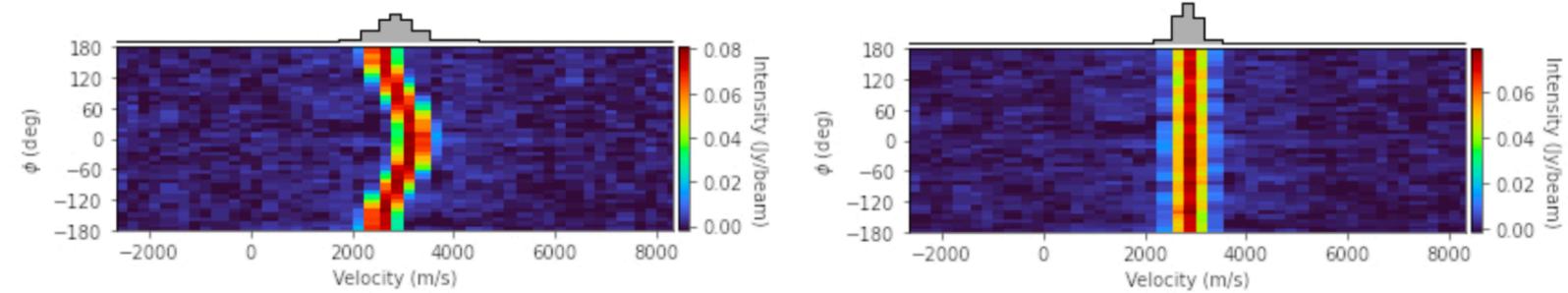
Can we apply the same technique to other sources?

- In DSHARP, also Wa Oph 6 shows evidence of a spiral structure (Huang et al 2019)
- We tested the robustness of the measurement by fitting for the disc mass in different ways:
 - Retrieve the rotation curve using EDDY tools (Teague 2019)
 - Fit for the whole velocity datacube using DISCMINER (Izquierdo et al 2021)
- Data taken from archival Cycle 3 ^{12}CO observations, with $0.3''$ angular resolution and 0.25 km/sec spectral resolution



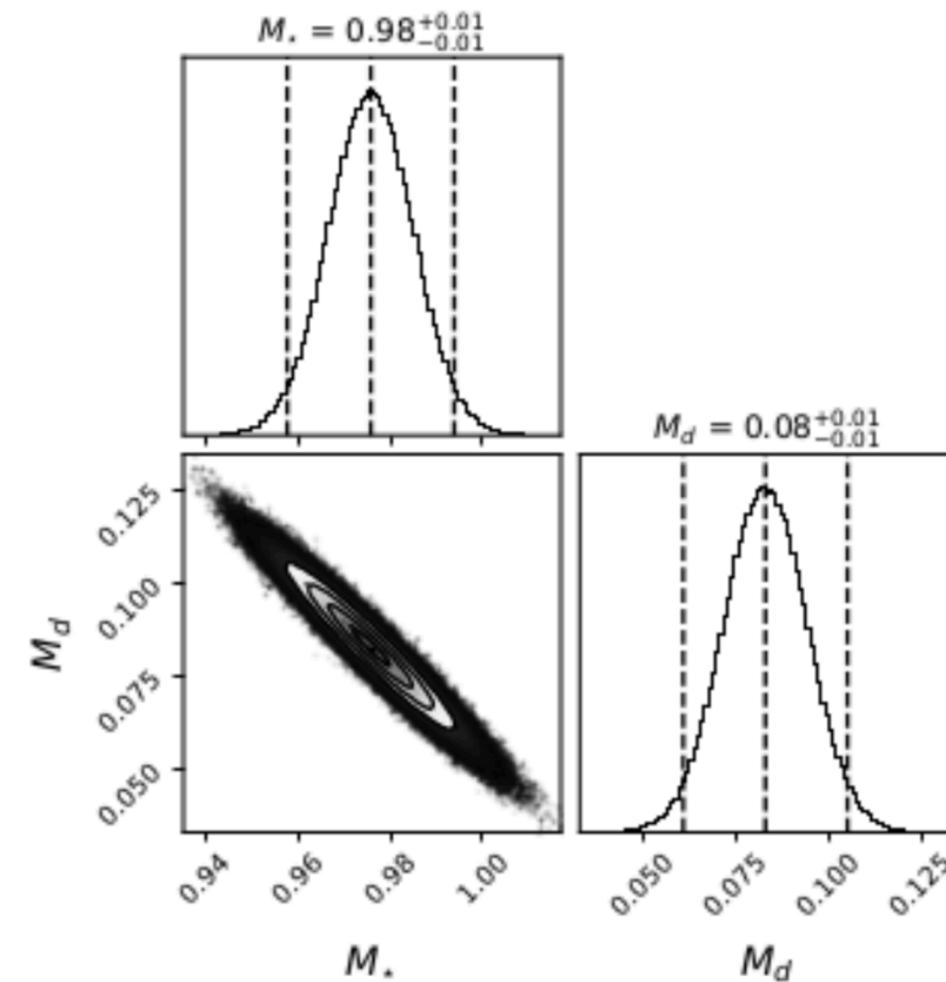
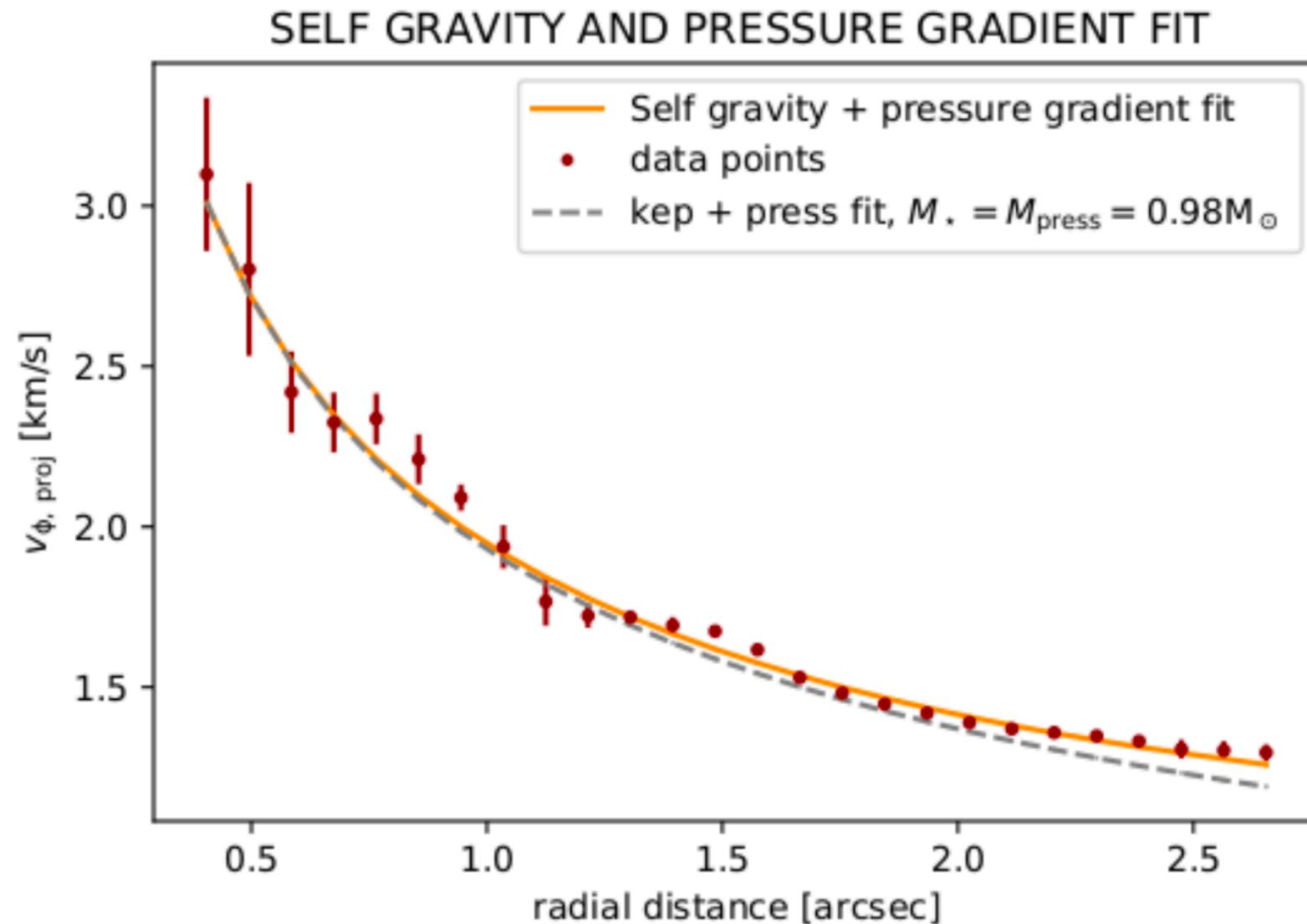
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- First retrieve the disc geometry and emission layer height (either using Eddy or Pinte et al 2018 method)
- Then use Eddy's SHO model to retrieve rotation curve



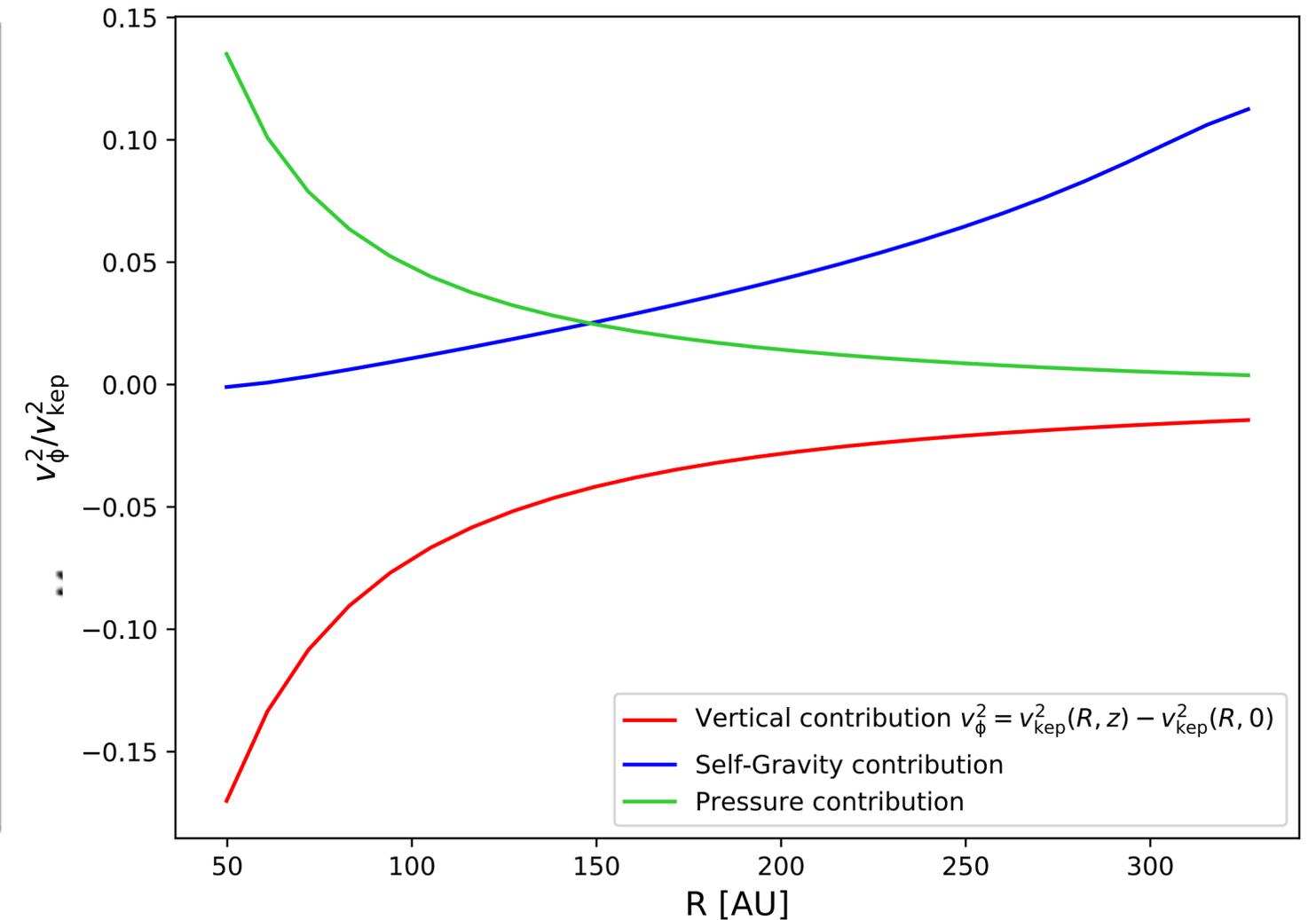
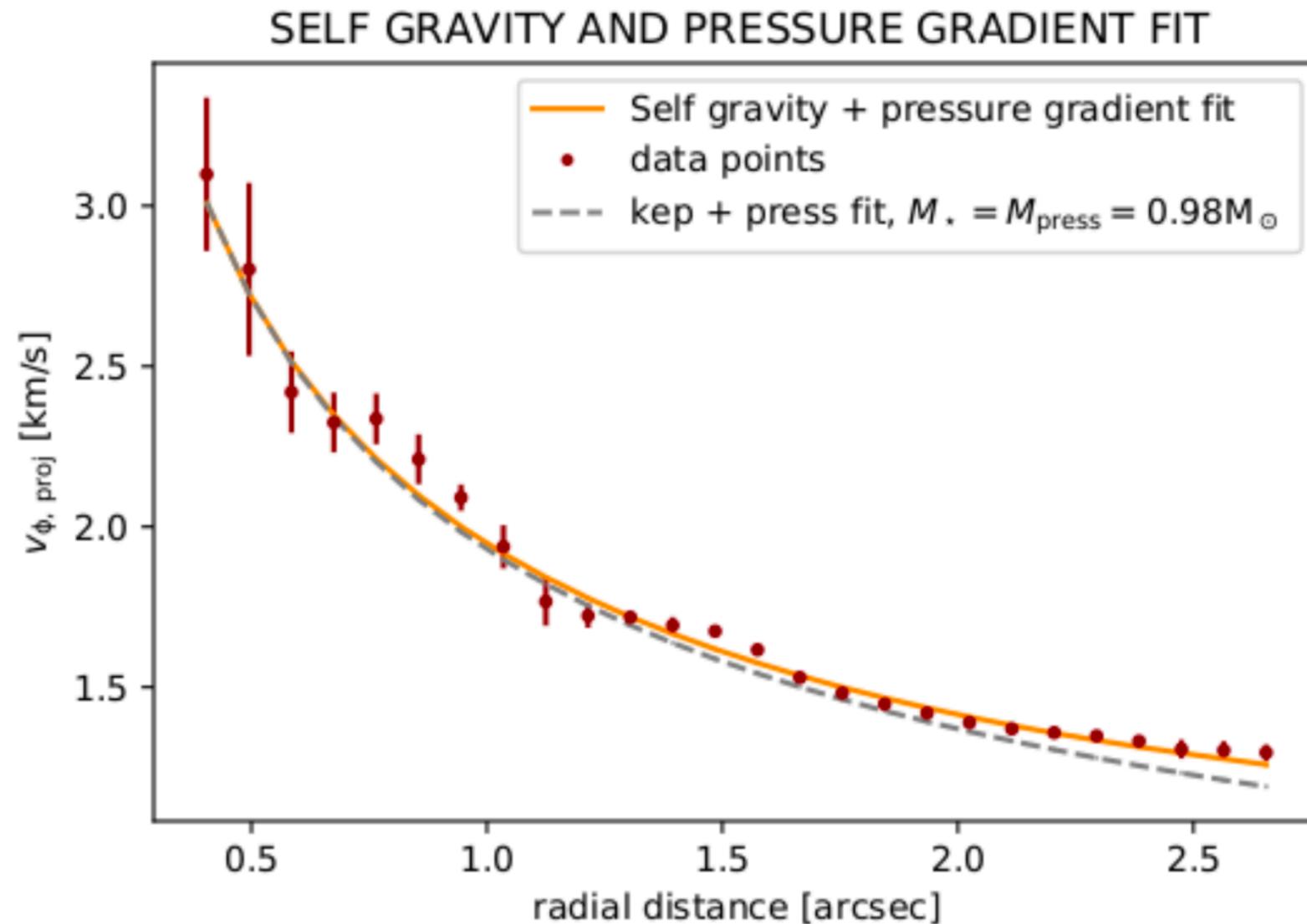
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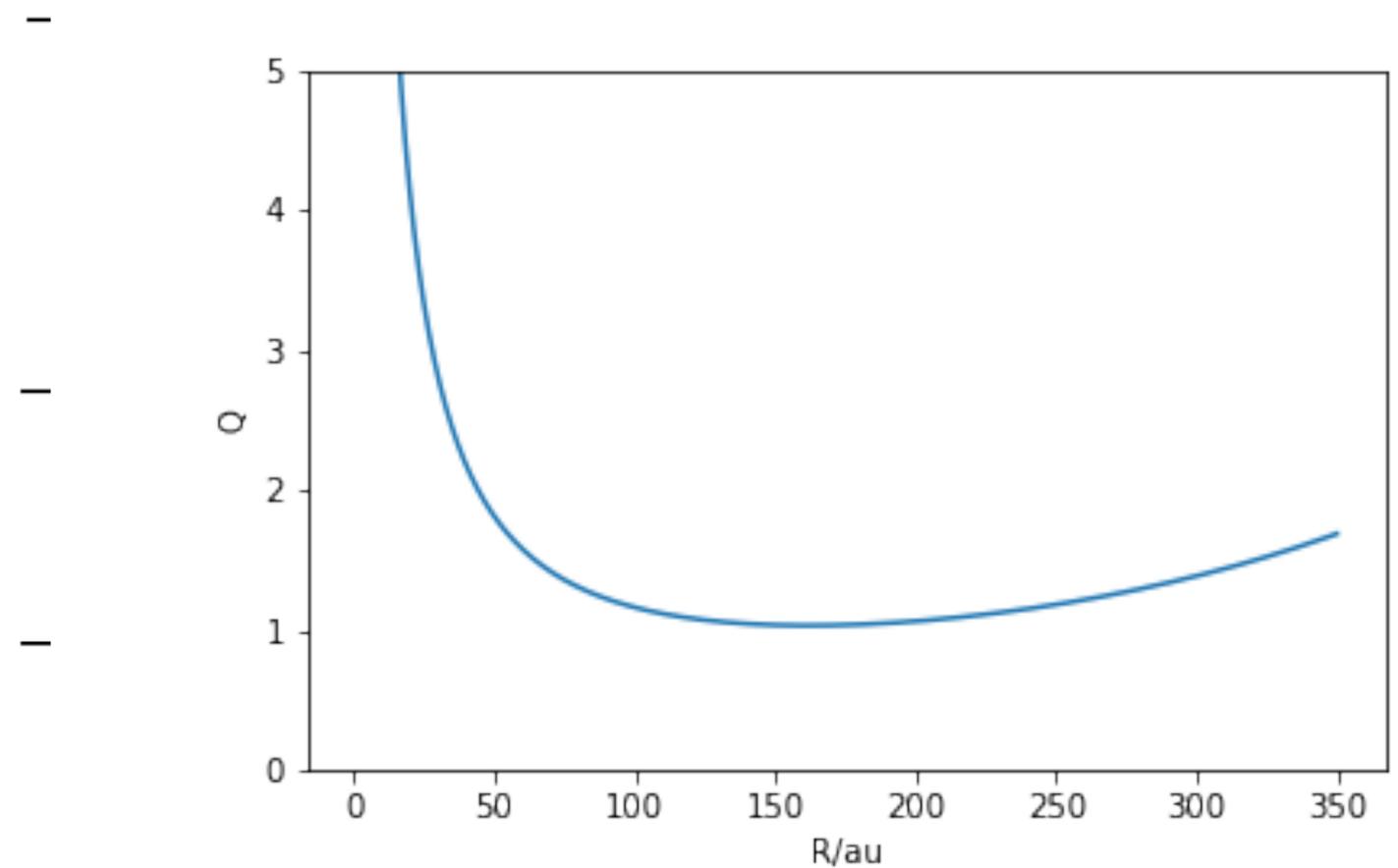
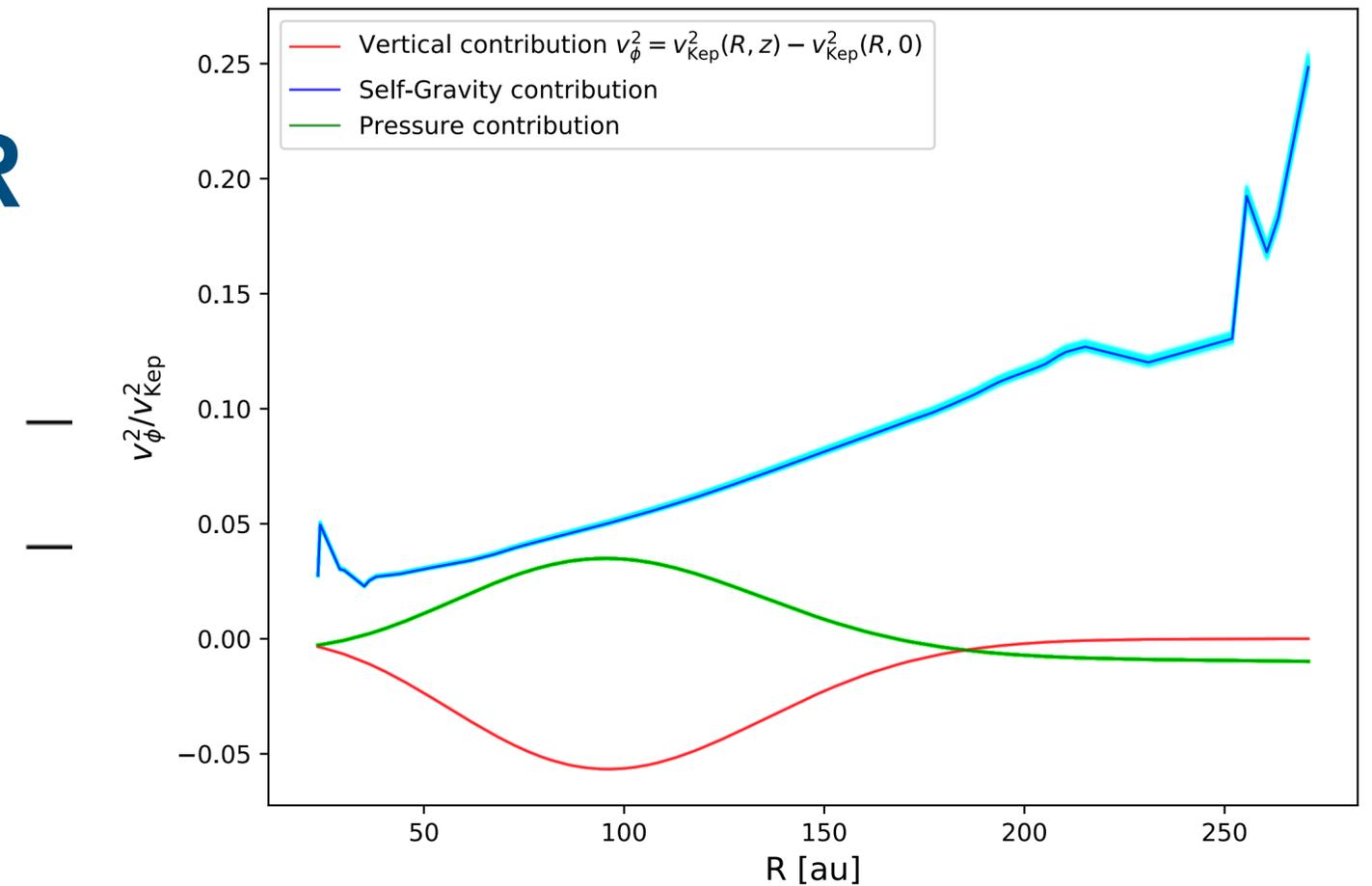
Method 2: Use DISCMINER

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- Andrews et al (2009): $M_{\text{dust}} \sim 7.7 \cdot 10^{-4} M_{\text{sun}} \rightarrow \text{gas/dust} \sim 103$

| | $M_{\star} [M_{\odot}]$ | $M_{\text{disc}} [M_{\odot}]$ |
|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
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| KEP tp. law | $1.086^{+0.007}_{-0.007}$ | |
| KEP fix | $1.1056^{+0.0008}_{-0.001}$ | |
| SG p. law | $1.0337^{+0.001}_{-0.0009}$ | $0.0873^{+0.0002}_{-0.0001}$ |
| SG tp. law 2 | $1.0527^{+0.001}_{-0.0008}$ | $0.0580^{+0.0002}_{-0.0004}$ |
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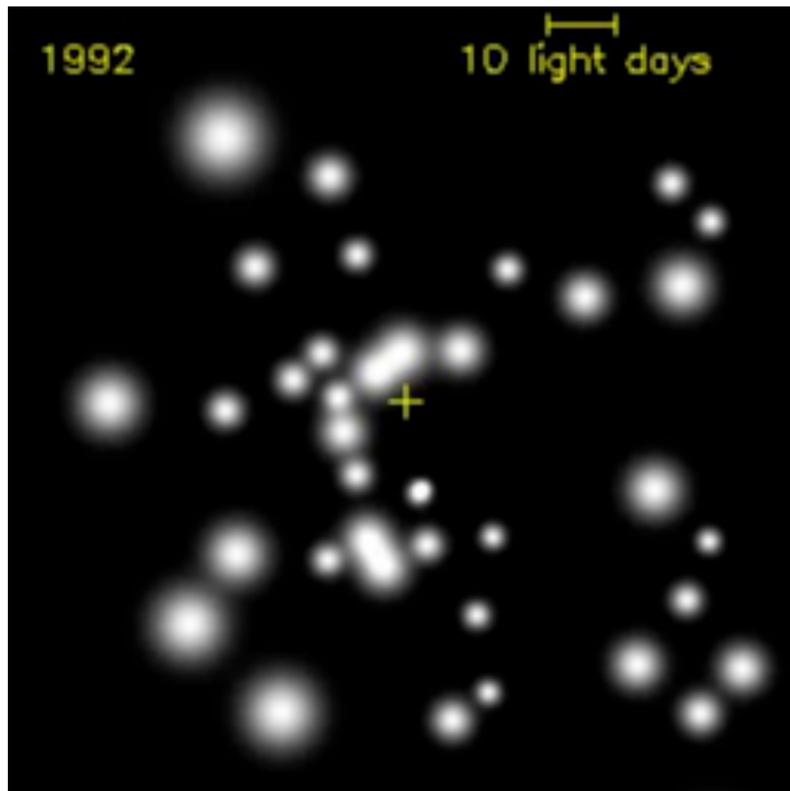


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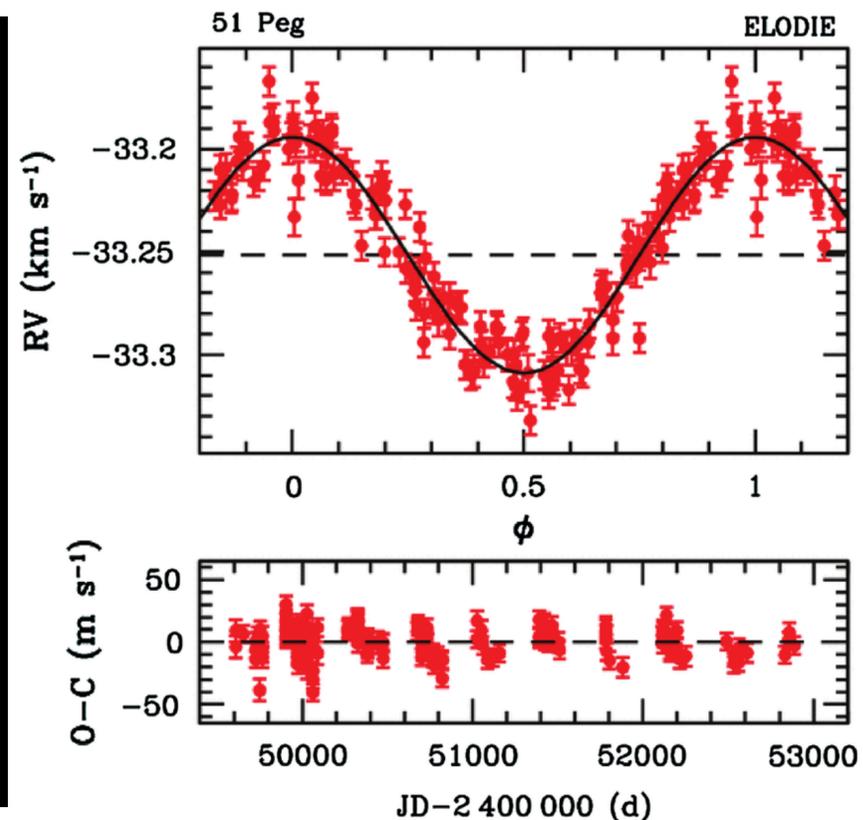
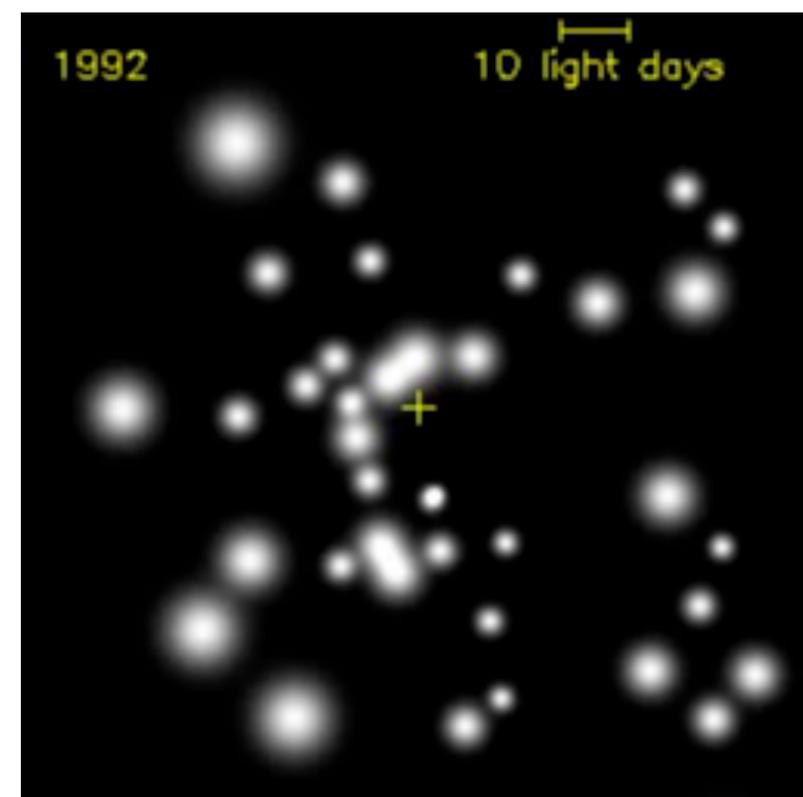
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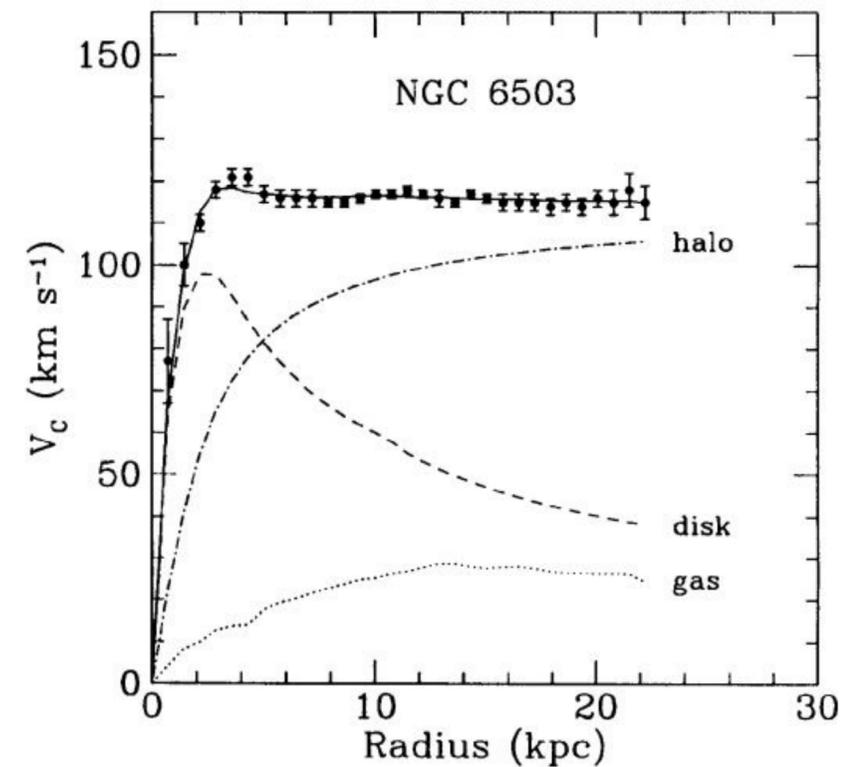
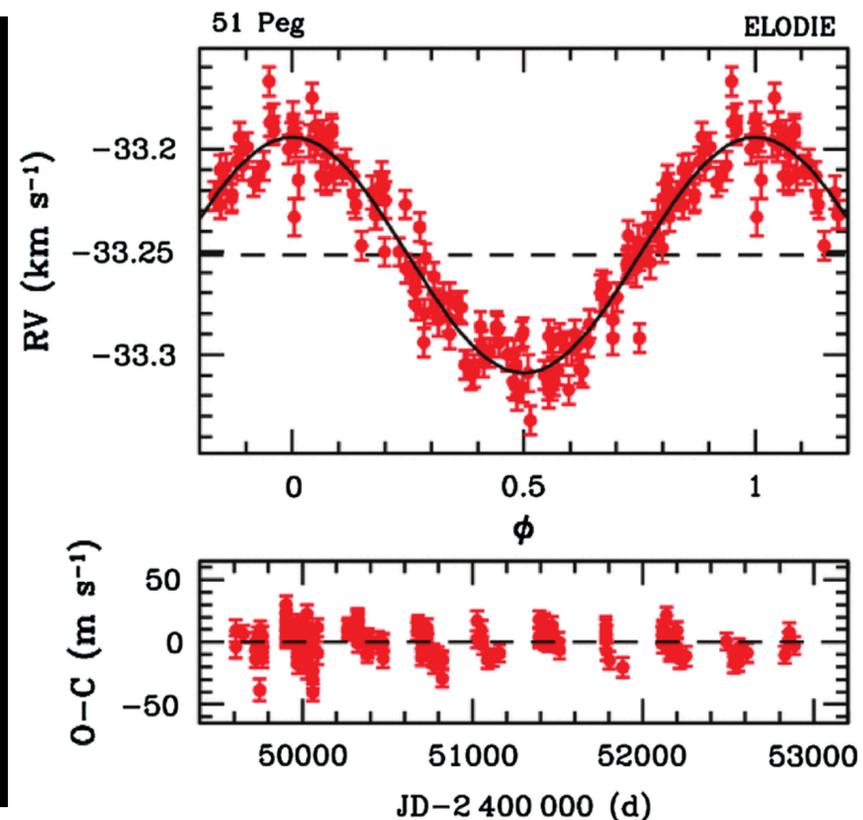
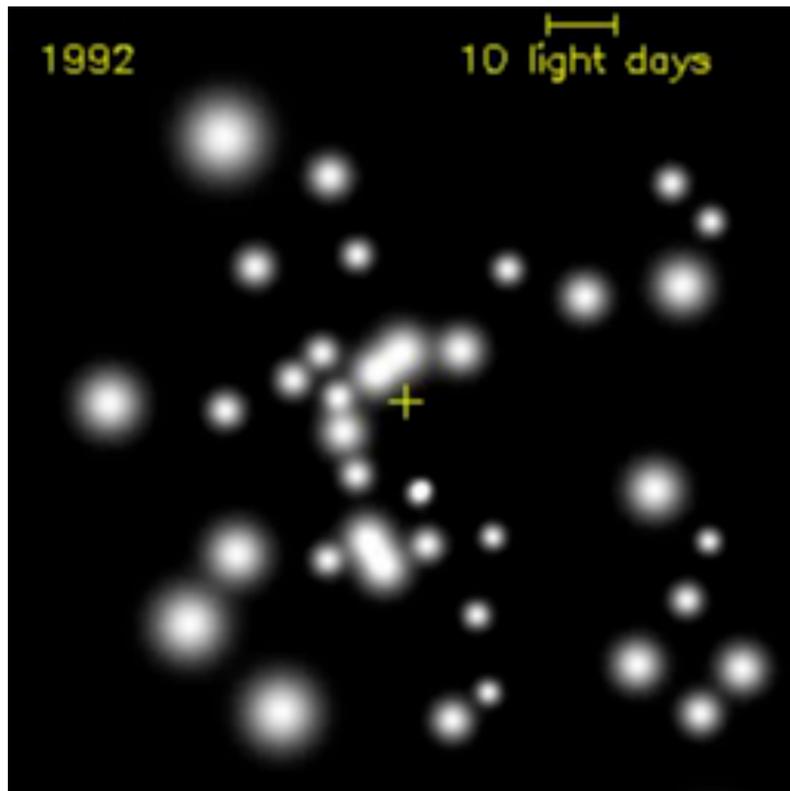
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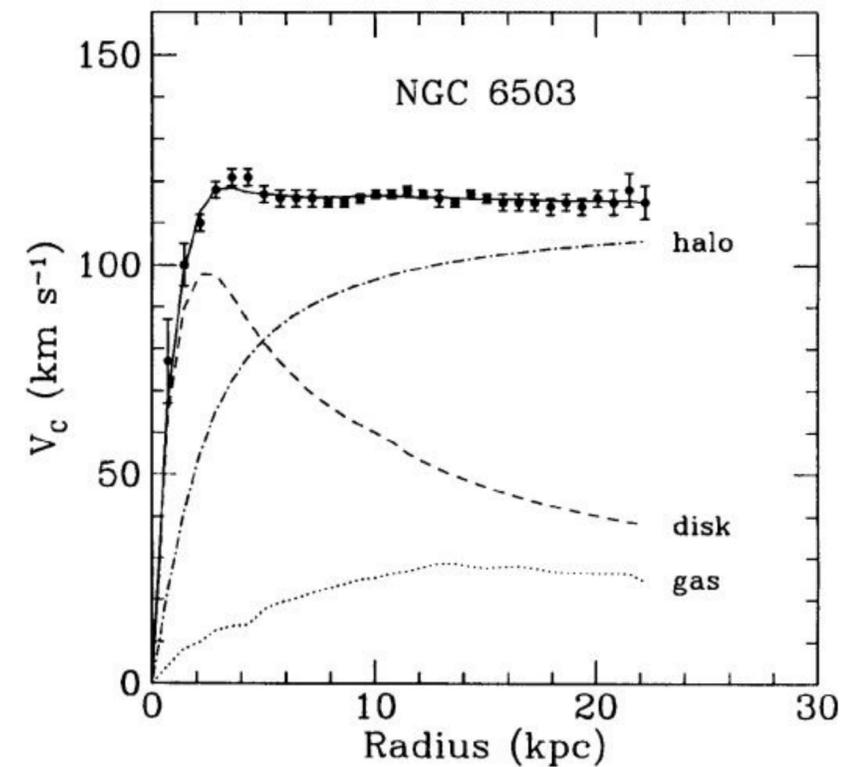
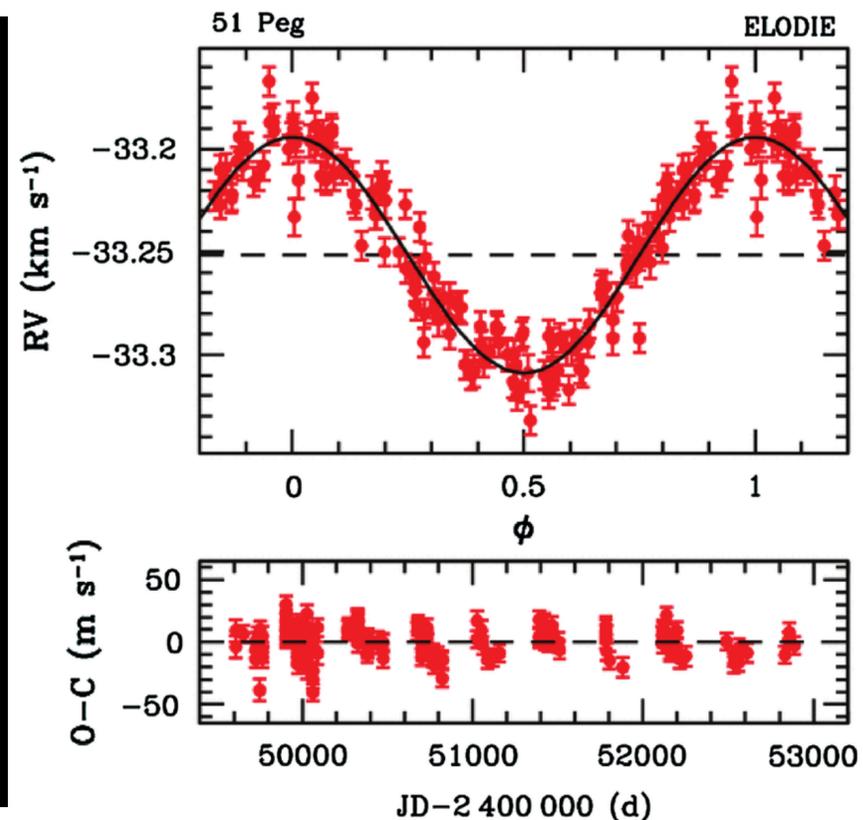
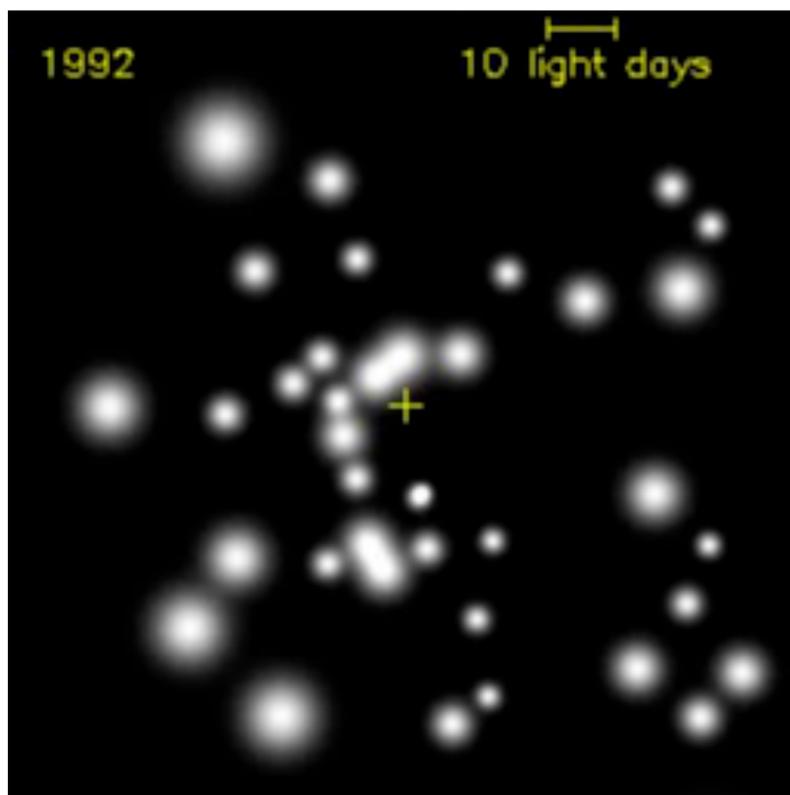
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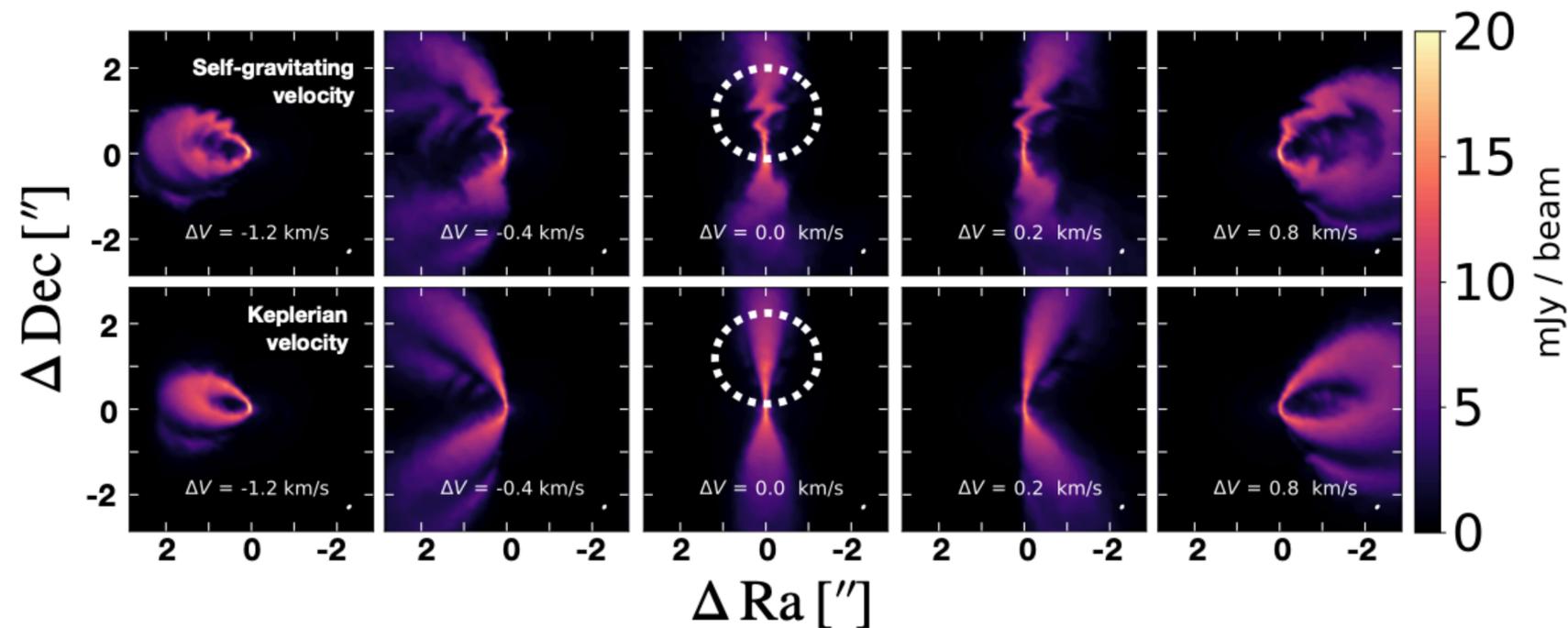
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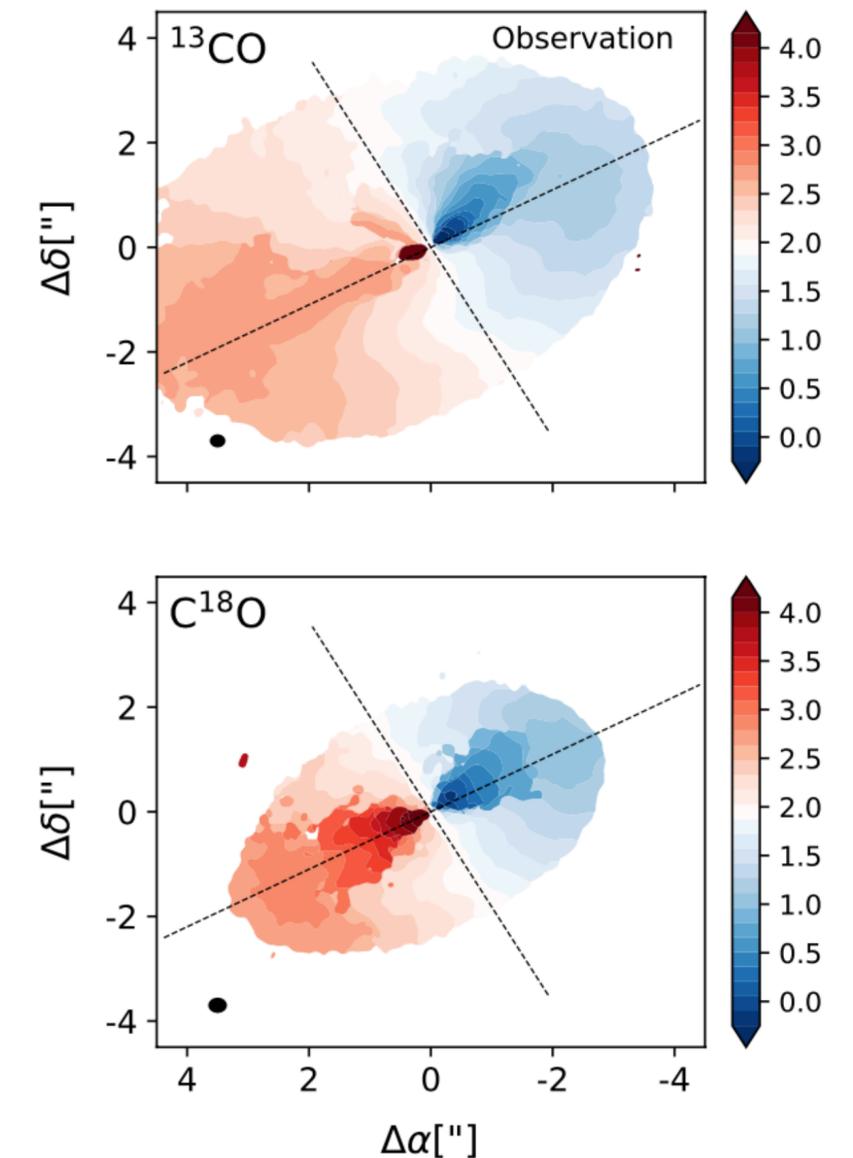
Looking at GI perturbations: the “wobble”

Longarini, GL et al (2021), ApJL, in press

- Hall et al. (2020) show that the spiral structure induced by GI has characteristic wiggles in the channel maps, as observed in Elias 2-27



- Compute analytically the velocity perturbations due to the spiral in a self-gravitating discs (in the same way as can be done for a planet, see Bollati et al, 2021)



Paneque Carreno et al 2021

Constrain dynamically the cooling rate from the GI-wiggle

Longarini, GL et al (2021), ApJL, in press - see also Terry et al (2021), MNRAS, submitted

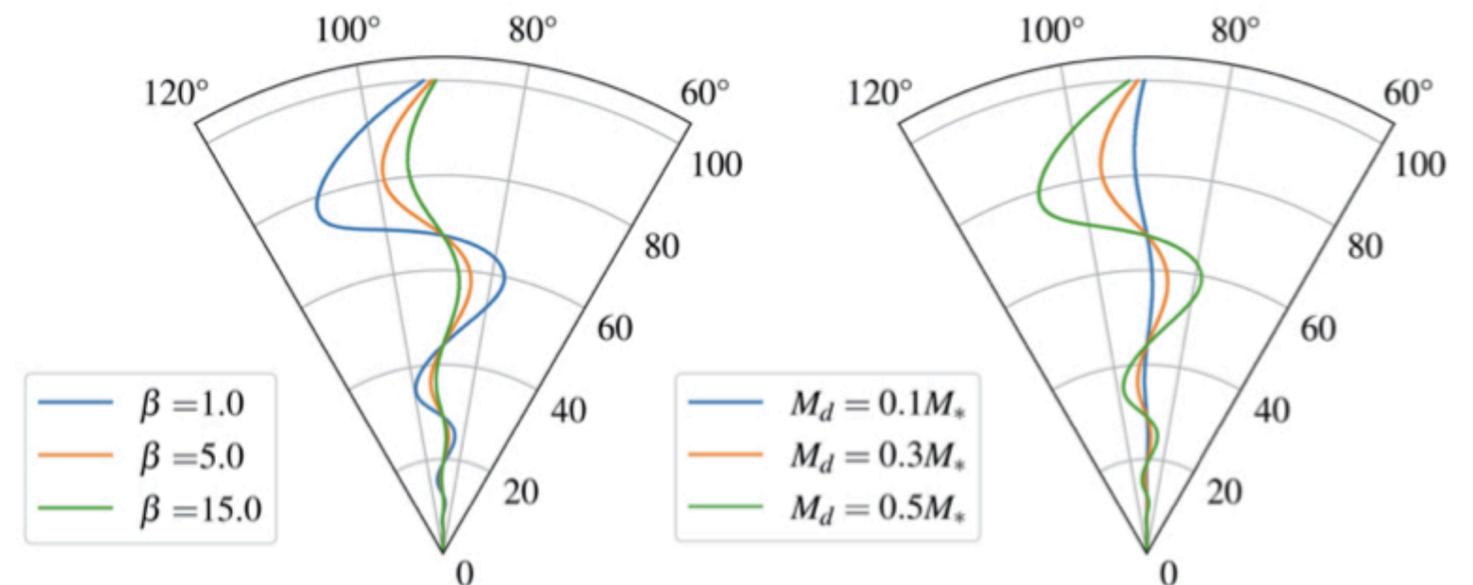
- Use the standard WKB approximation, for nearly Keplerian discs
- Assume that the density perturbation scales with the cooling rate (Cossins et al 2009)

$$\frac{\delta\Sigma}{\Sigma} = \chi\beta^{-1/2}$$

- Obtain velocity perturbations (after some maths!) and wiggle

$$\delta u_r = 2im\chi\beta^{-1/2} \left(\frac{M_d(r)}{M_\star}\right)^2 u_k$$

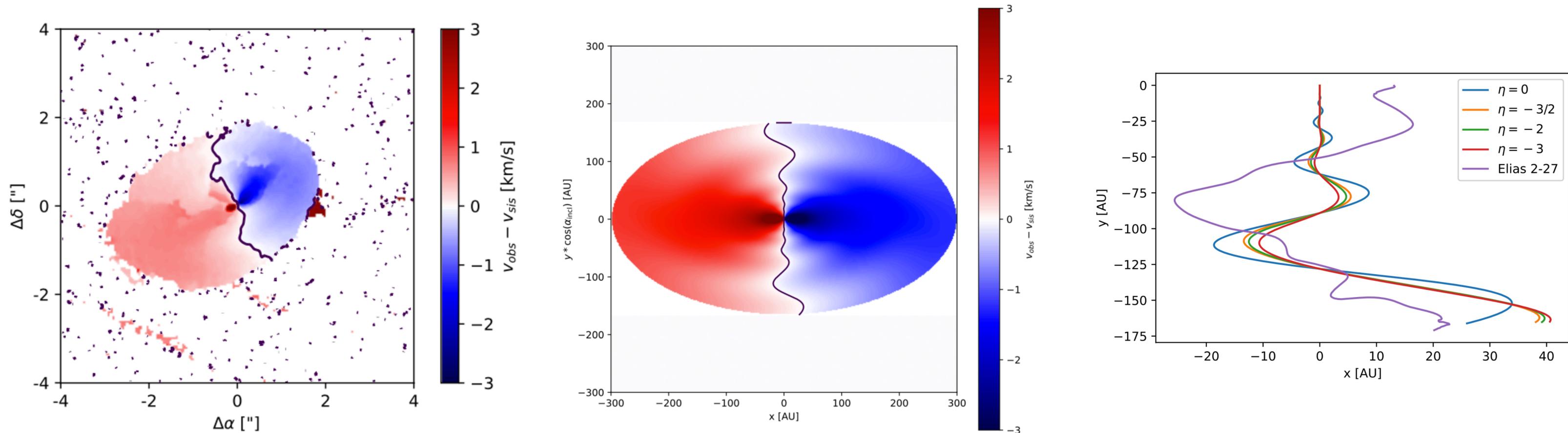
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Constraining the outer cooling time in Elias 2-27

Longarini, GL et al, in prep - Bachelor Thesis of E. Arrigoni in Milano

- Apply model to Elias 2-27
- Match wiggle amplitude (std. dev. of zero velocity channel)
- Best match with $\beta \sim 6.7-8.3$



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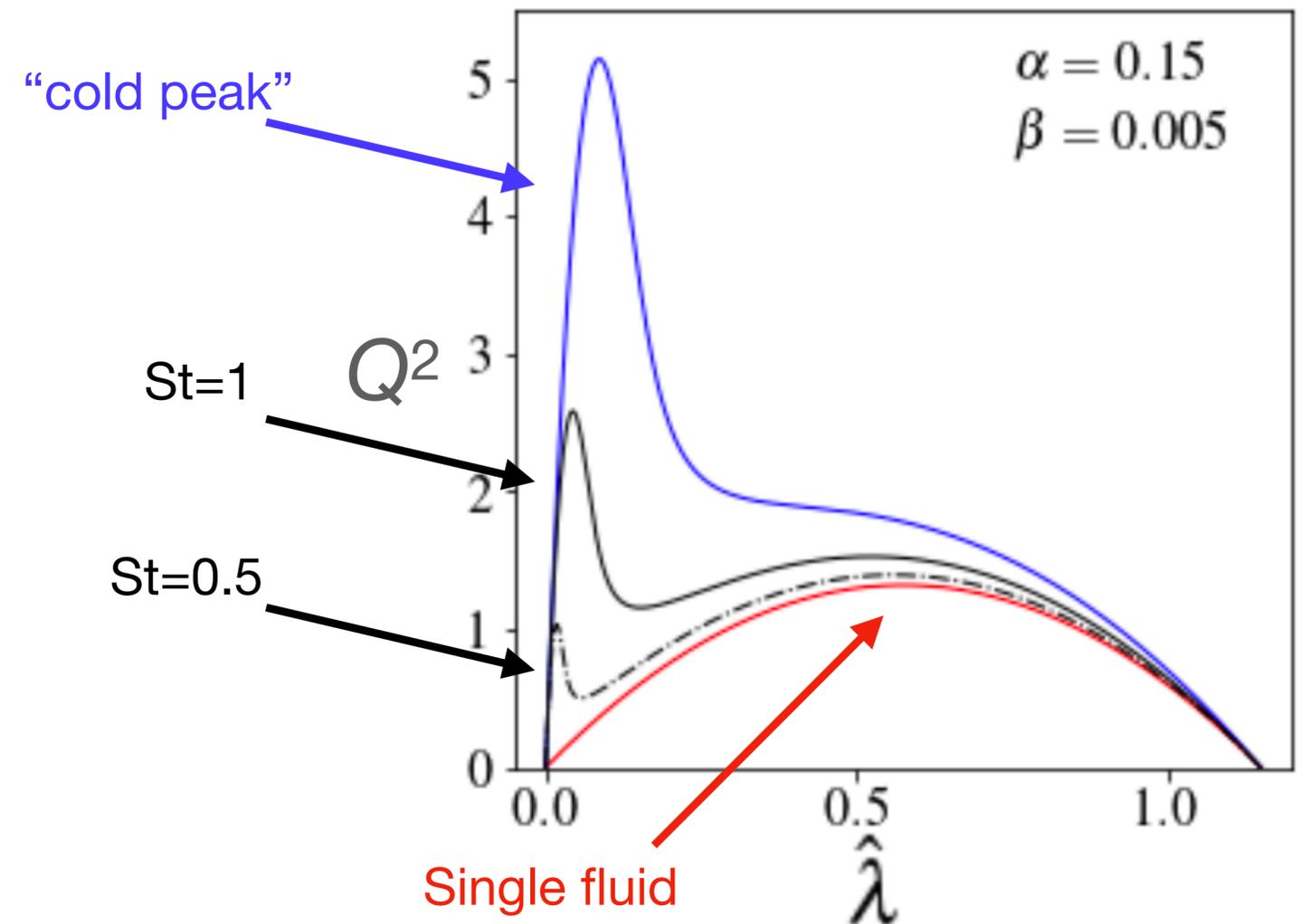
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$$\beta = (\sigma_{\text{dust}} / c_s)^2$$

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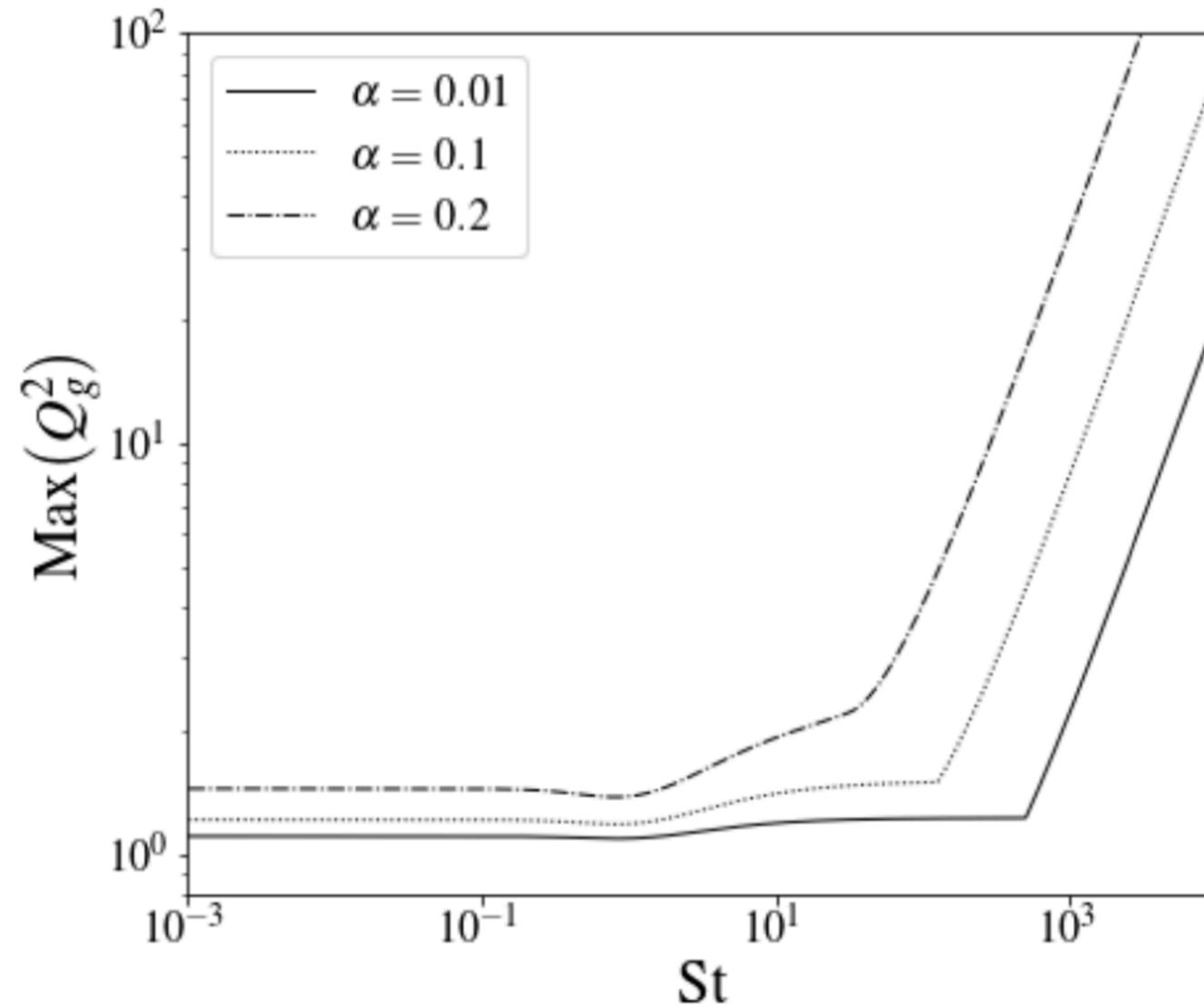
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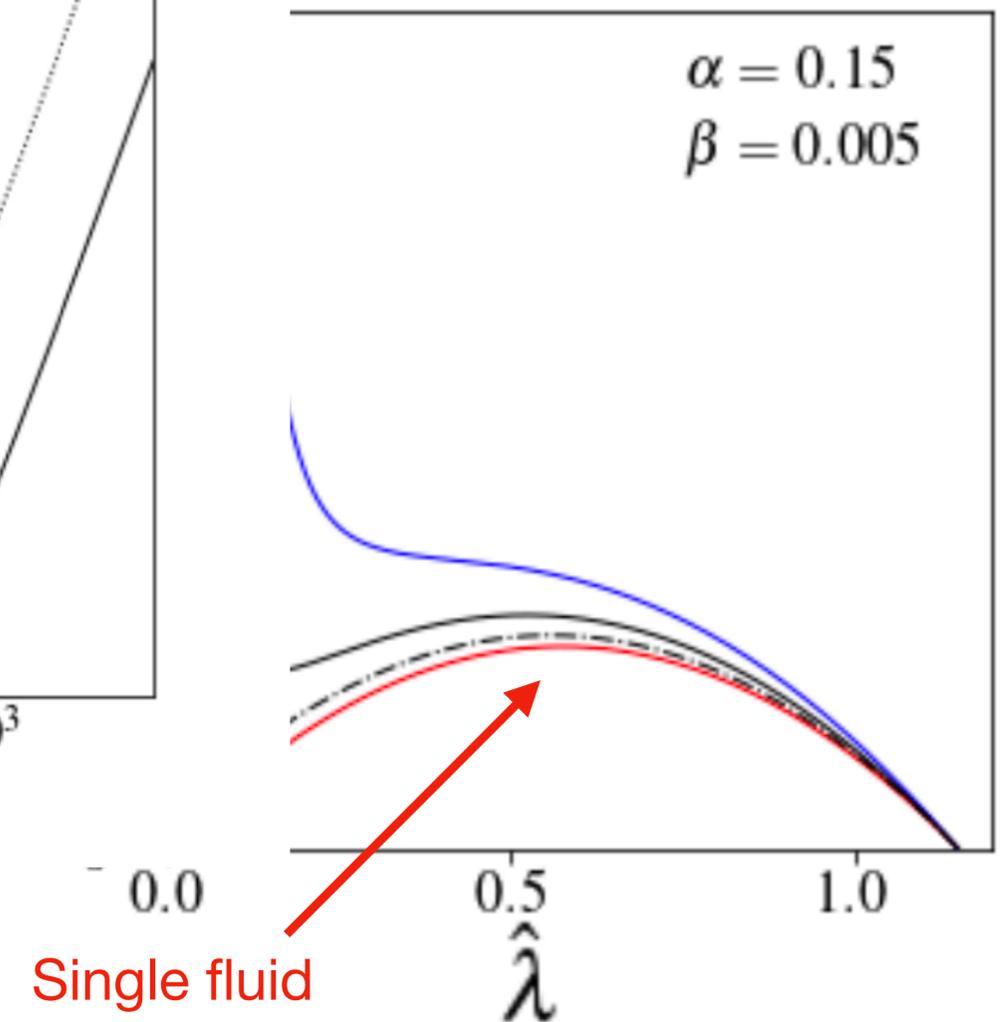
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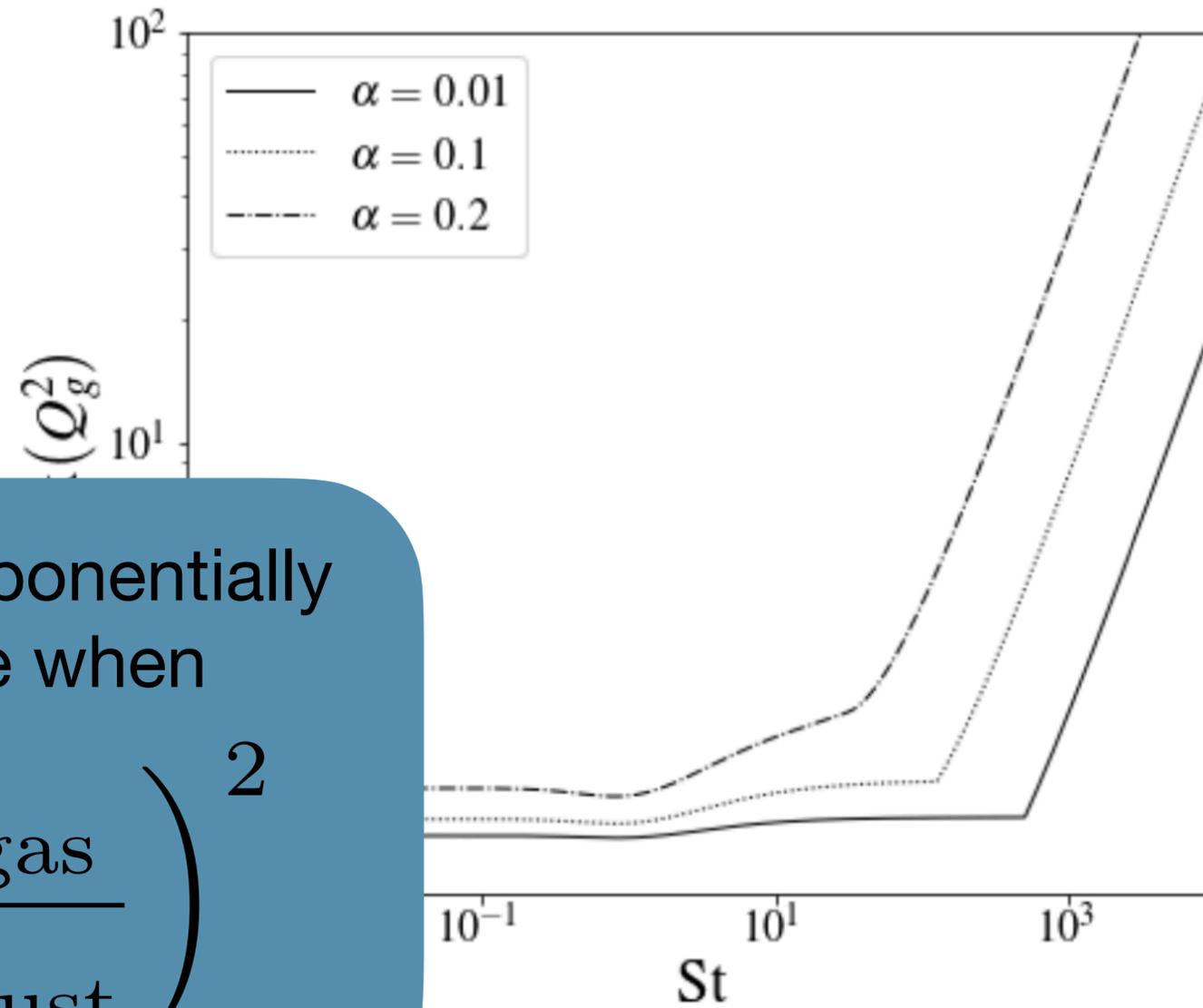
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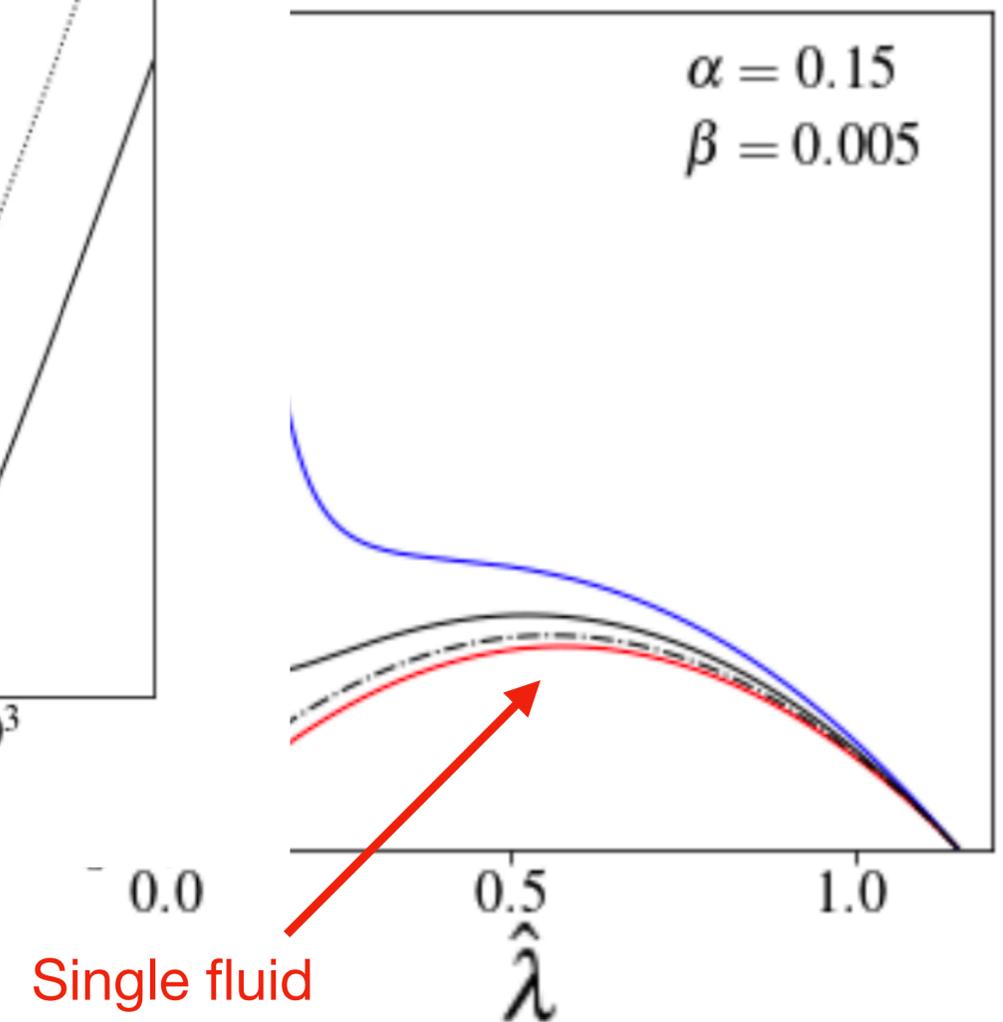
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Disc becomes exponentially more unstable when

$$St \gtrsim \left(\frac{\Sigma_{\text{gas}}}{\Sigma_{\text{dust}}} \right)^2$$



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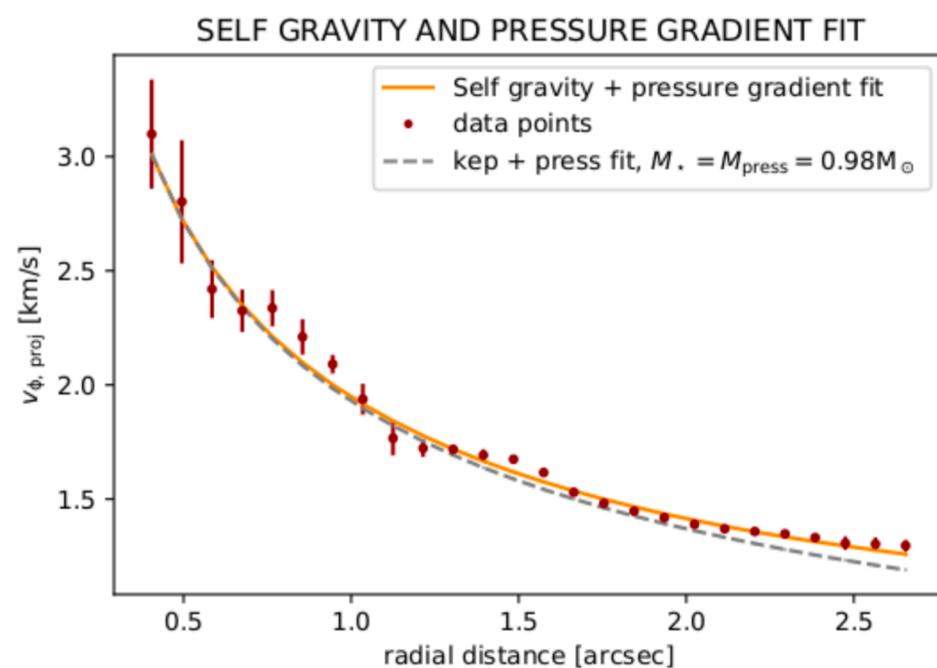


Conclusions

Self-gravity affect the disc in several ways

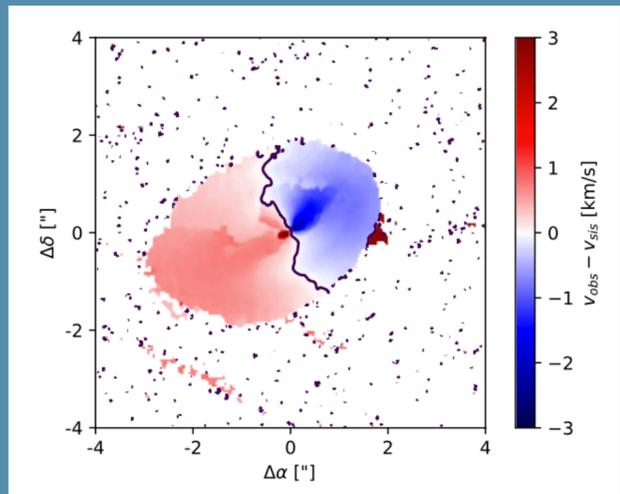
- Dynamics: angular momentum transport, fragmentation
- Morphology: spiral structure
- Kinematics: Overall rotation curve, GI wiggle

- Through rotation curve it is now possible to measure dynamically the disc mass! Done for **Elias 2-27** and **WaOph6**
- In general disc masses consistent with a dust/gas ratio ~ 0.01



Through the GI wiggle possible to measure the cooling rate of the outer disc

- Done for Elias 2-27 \rightarrow Close to fragmentation boundary



Analytical models of dust stability with self-gravity



path to planetesimal/core formation?