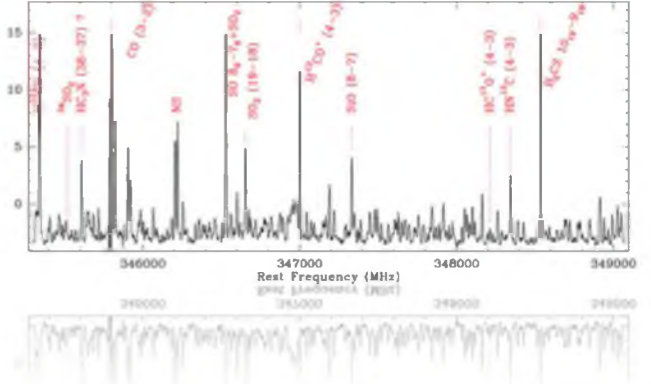
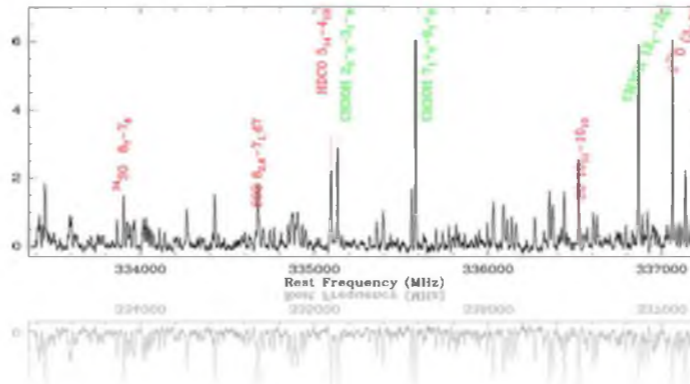
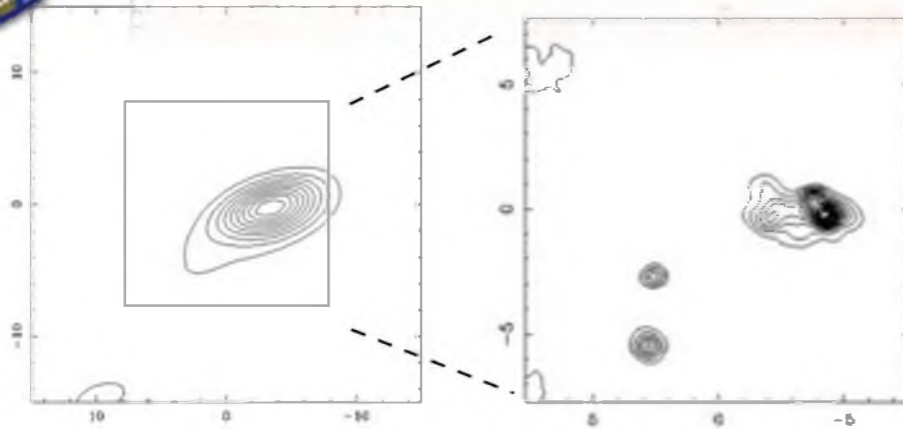


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The hunt for young Galactic protoclusters

From ATLASGAL to SPARKS... and ALMA-IMF

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ATLASGAL

MPG: Schuller (PI), Menten, Wyrowski, Urquhart, Csengeri, Beuther, Henning, Linz, Schilke
ESO: Walmsley, Bontemps, Cesaroni, Deharveng, Herpin, Lefloch, Molinari, Motte, Minier, Nyman, Reveret, Risacher, Russeil, Schneider, Testi, Zavagno
Chile: Bronfman, Contreras, Garay, Mardones

SPARKS

Csengeri (PI); Bontemps; Wyrowski; Menten; Urquhart; Leurini; Motte; Schuller; Testi; Bronfman; Beuther; Chapillon, Longmore; Commercon; Henning; Palau; Tan; Fuller; Peretto; Duarte Cabral; Traficante, Bouscasse, Lin

ALMA-IMF

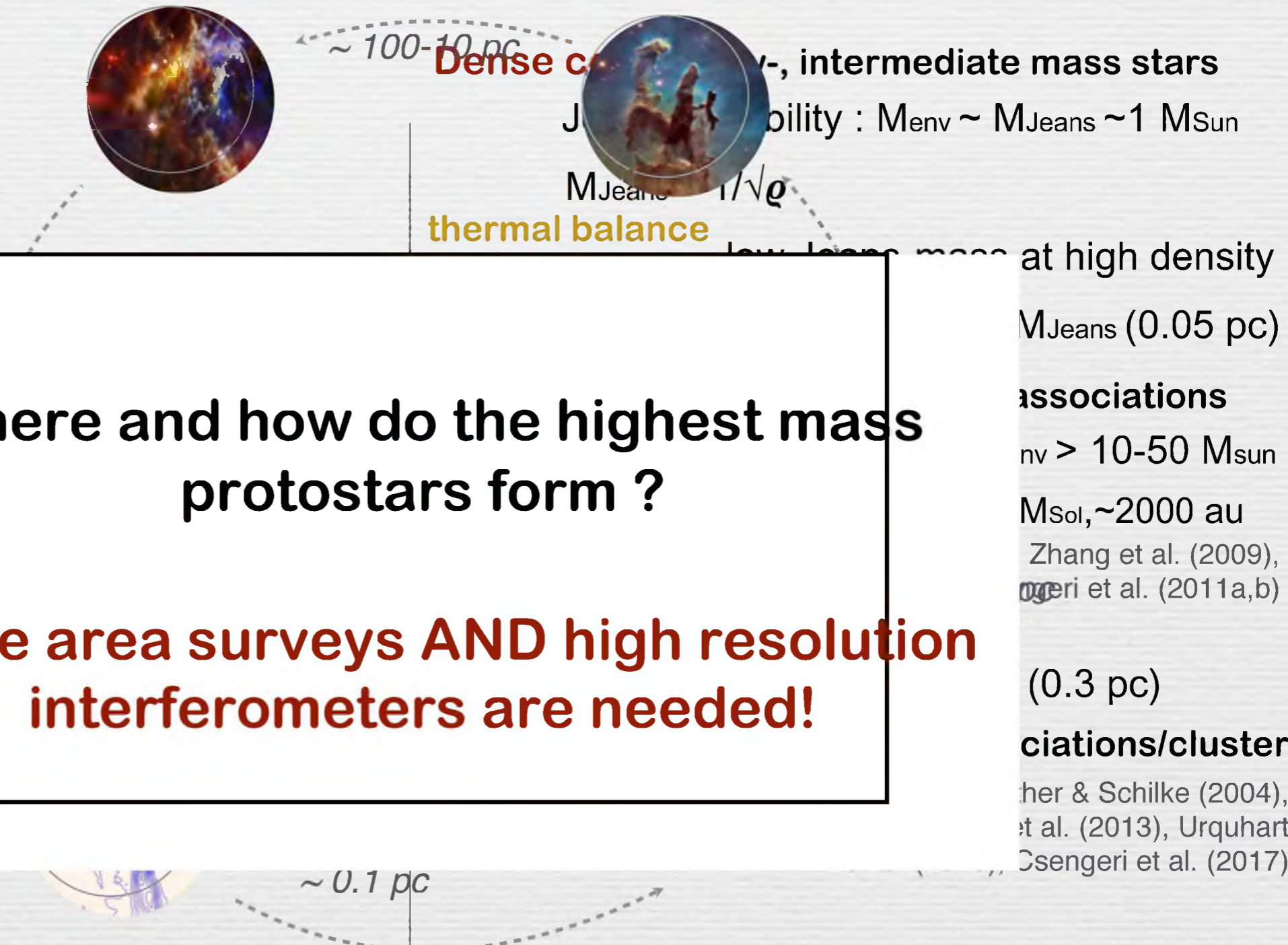
Motte (PI); Ginsburg (co-PI); Sanhueza (co-PI); Louvet (co-PI); Bontemps; Csengeri; Herpin; Molet; Guzman; Bally; Battersby; Svoboda; Di Francesco; Galvan-Madrid; Bronfman; Nguyen Luong; Nakamura; Nony; López-Sepulcre; Gusdorf; Hennebelle; Braine; Ohashi; Tatematsu; Sakai; Lu; Chen; Reyes; Finger; Menten; Rosolowsky; Gomez;



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Origin of high-mass (proto)stars and clusters ?

Massive stars ($M > 8 M_{\text{sun}}$) play a crucial role in the life cycle of the ISM, and galaxies.



Where and how do the highest mass protostars form ?

Large area surveys AND high resolution interferometers are needed!

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Searching for the precursors of massive stars and clusters

- **APEX/ATLASGAL survey: a complete view of the cold dust in the inner Galaxy**

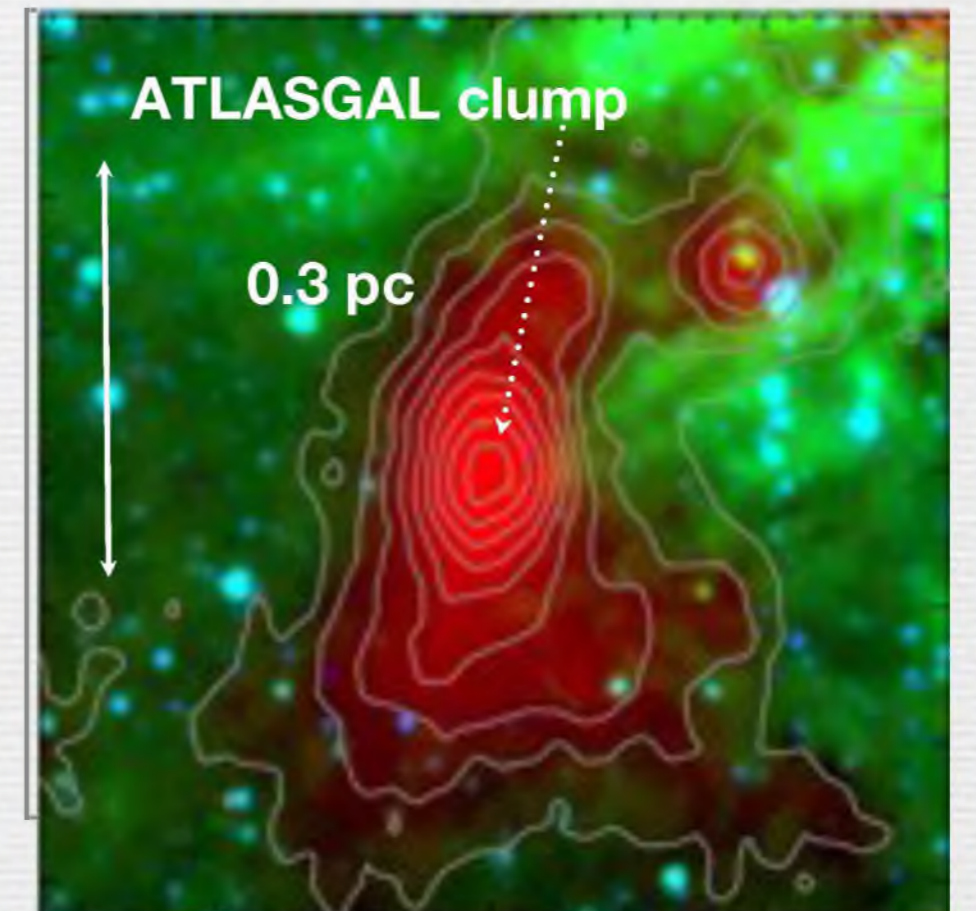
Catalogs of sources: Schuller et al. (2009), Csengeri et al. (2014),
Urquhart et al. (2018)

Filaments: Li et al. (2016), Mattern et al. (2018)

Distances : Wielen et al. (2012, 2015)
Urquhart et al. (2018)

Dust properties: König et al. (2017)

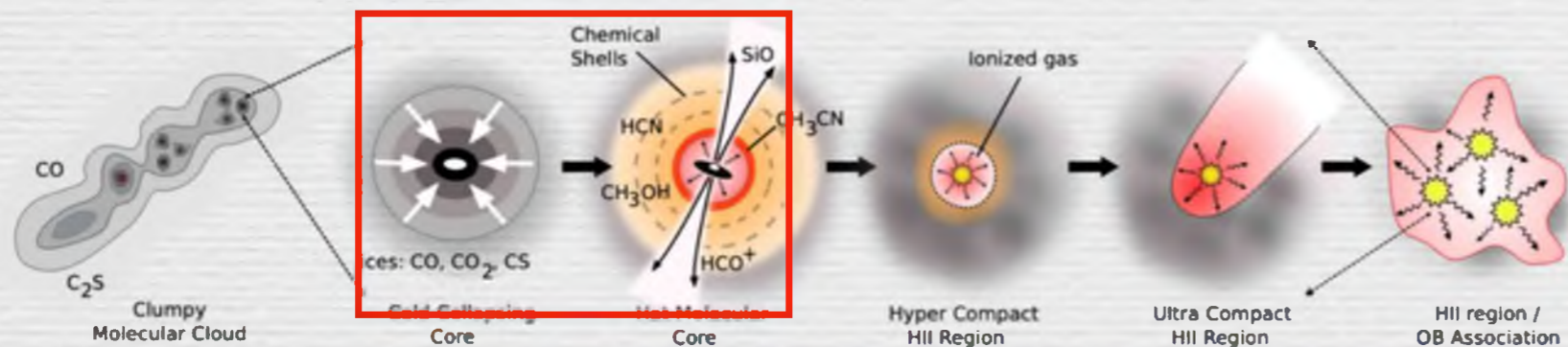
Spectral surveys: Giannetti et al. (2014)
Csengeri et al. (2016b), Urquhart et al. (2019)



870 micron (ATLASGAL) ; 22 micron ; 3.4 micron (WISE)

- **Precursors of rich clusters : flux limited sample of infrared quiet massive clumps with high surface density**

Csengeri et al. (2017a)



from C. Purcell <http://www.physics.usyd.edu.au/~cpurcell/professional/figures.php>

ATLASGAL: identify the youngest precursors of OB type stars and clusters

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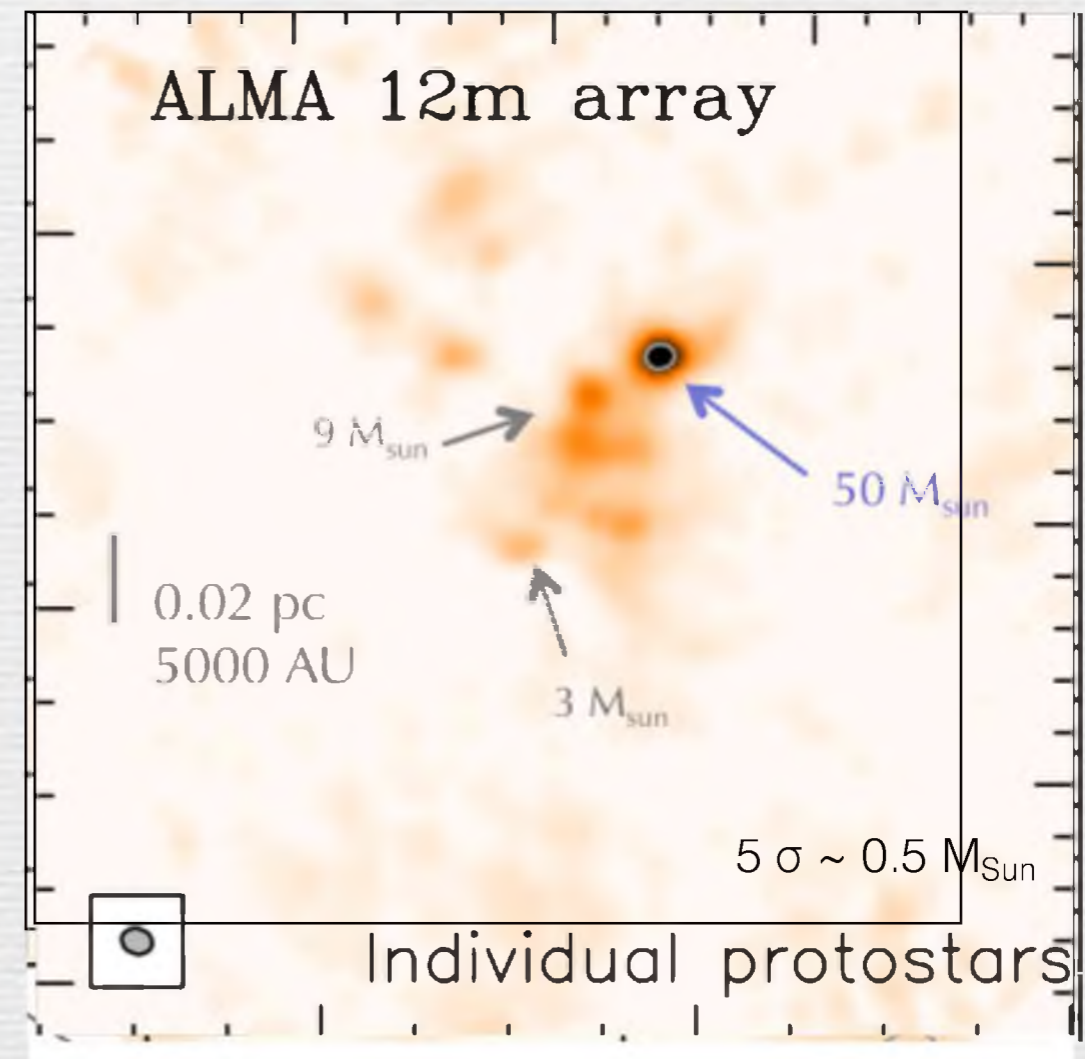
Search for high-mass Protostars with ALMA Revealed up to Kilo-parsec Scales

- 35 ATLASGAL selected infrared quiet clump observed with ALMA
 - ▶ 70% of all such objects within 5 kpc (flux limited sample!)
 - ▶ homogenous, representative sample of early stage massive clumps

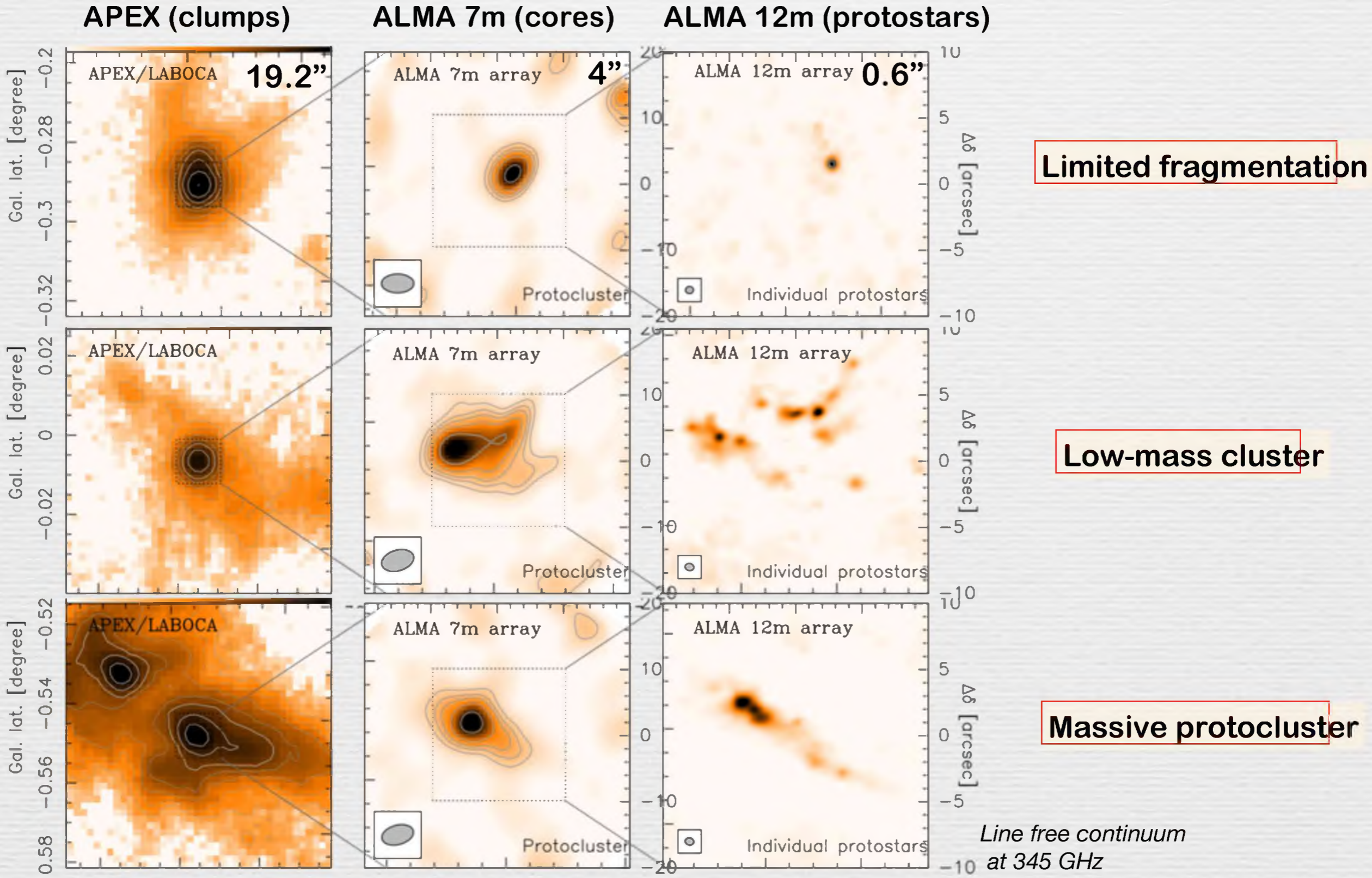
- Band 7 at ~2000 au resolution
- Continuum and lines



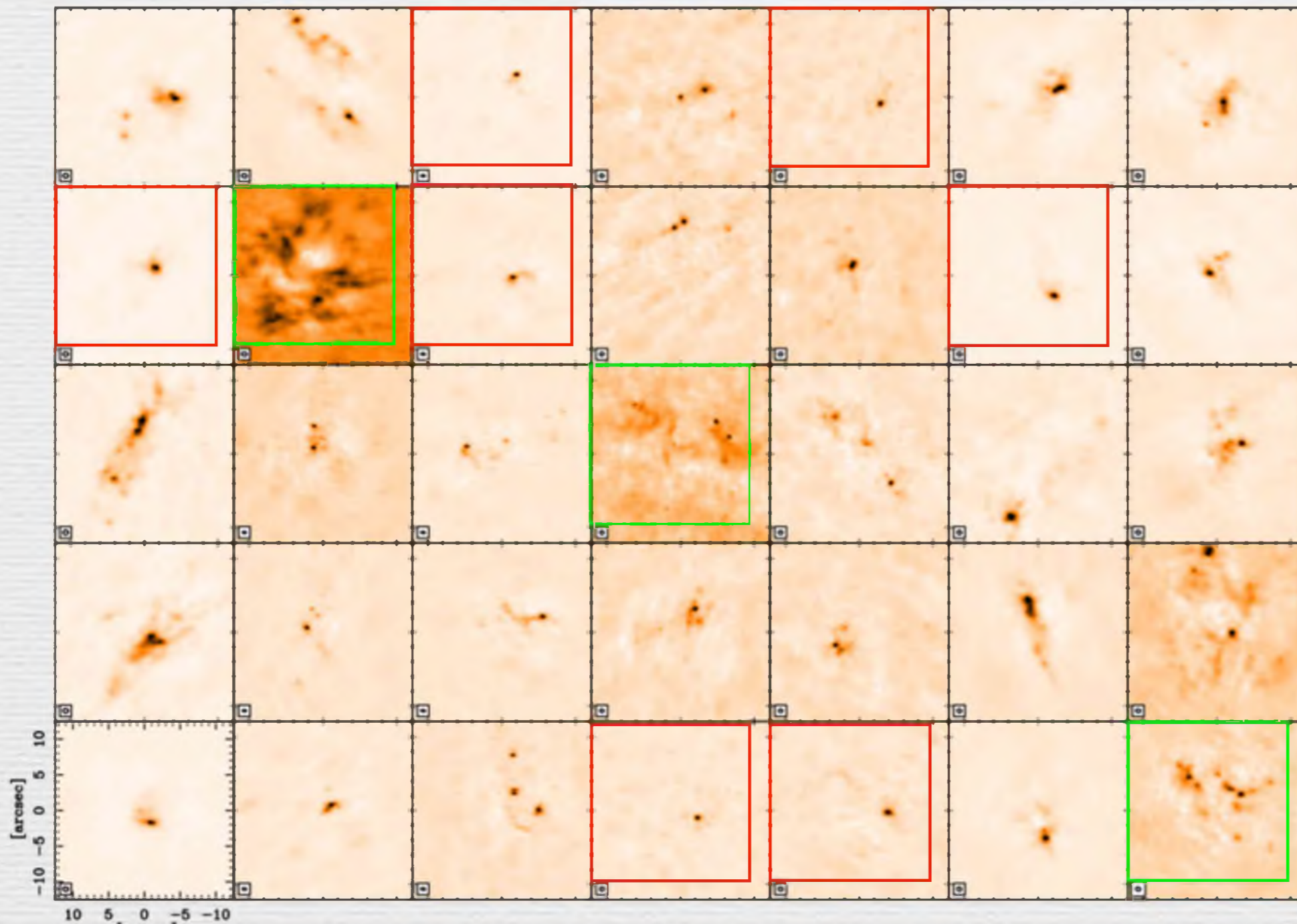
**Fragmentation, outflows,
kinematics, chemistry on all scales**



SPARKS: fragmentation



SPARKS reveals high-mass protostars



Line free continuum
at 345 GHz

Statistically constrain the properties of high- mass protostars

- >60 protos. $M_{\text{env}} > 10 M_{\text{sol}}$
- ~30 protos. $M_{\text{env}} > 30 M_{\text{sol}}$

Envelope size

~ 3000 - 5000 au

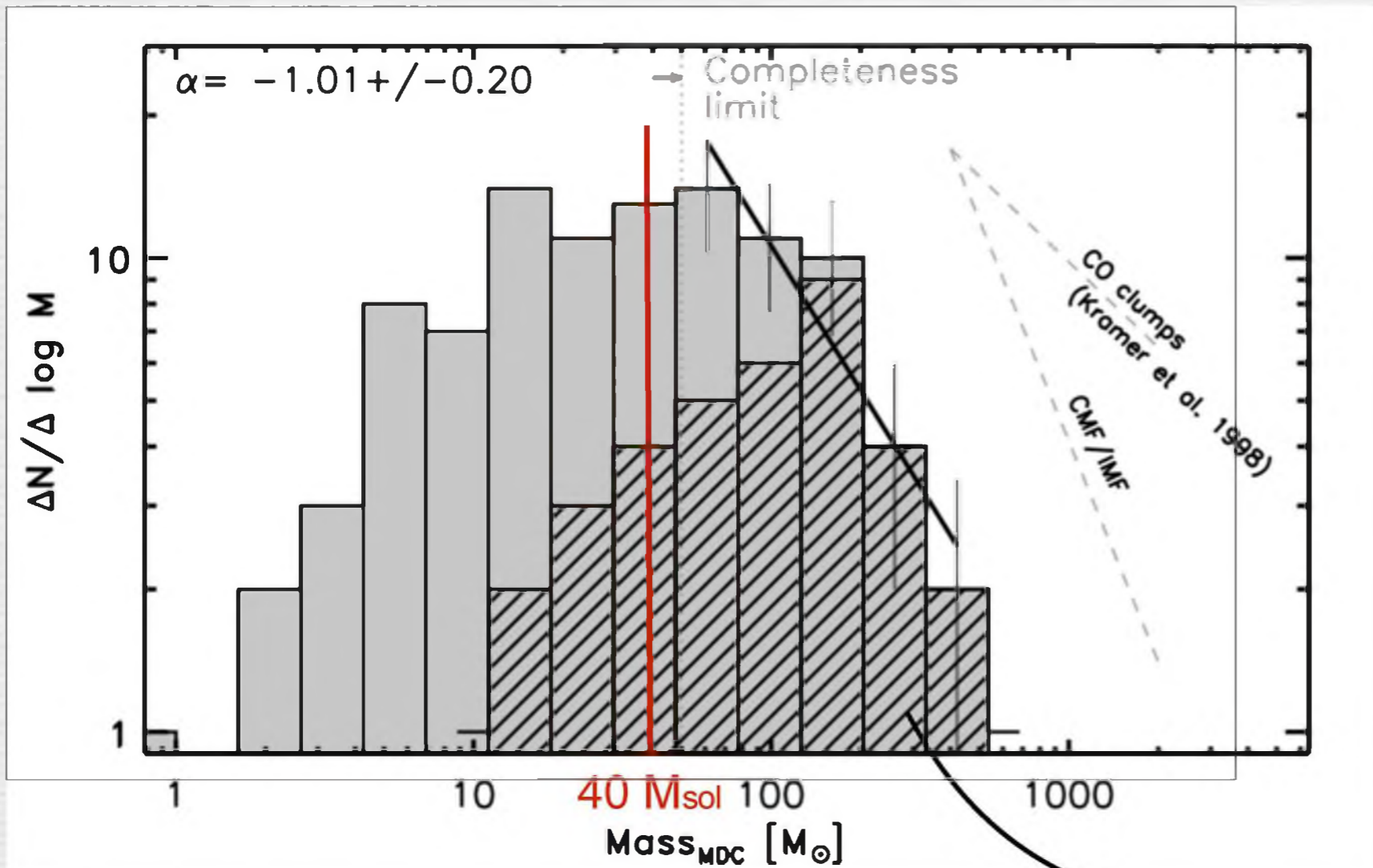
Fragmentation

- Single fragments:
7 (20%)
- Low-mass cluster:
3 (9%)
- Few massive fragments:
71%

Diverse fragmentation properties

Palau et al. (2013),
Beuther et al. (2018) – CORE NOEMA Large Programme,
Lin et al. (2019) – SABOCA study

Massive dense cores form at an early stage



A large fraction of the cores are massive

- Most clumps (80%) host already massive dense cores (MDCs)

▶ **MDCs are formed early on**

- **MDC mass distribution is shallower than the IMF**

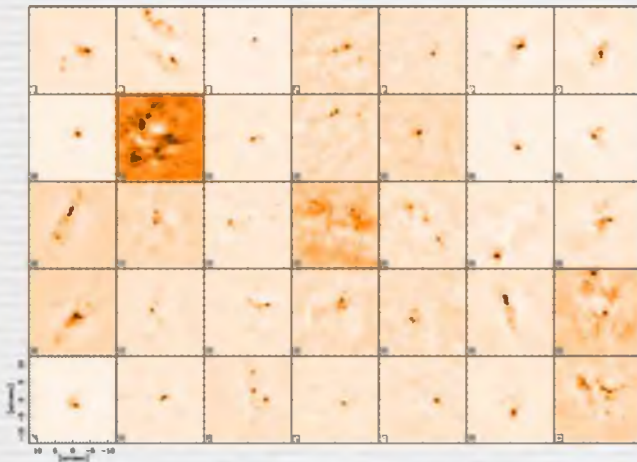
see also Motte et al. (2018), Nature Astronomy

maximum core mass per clump

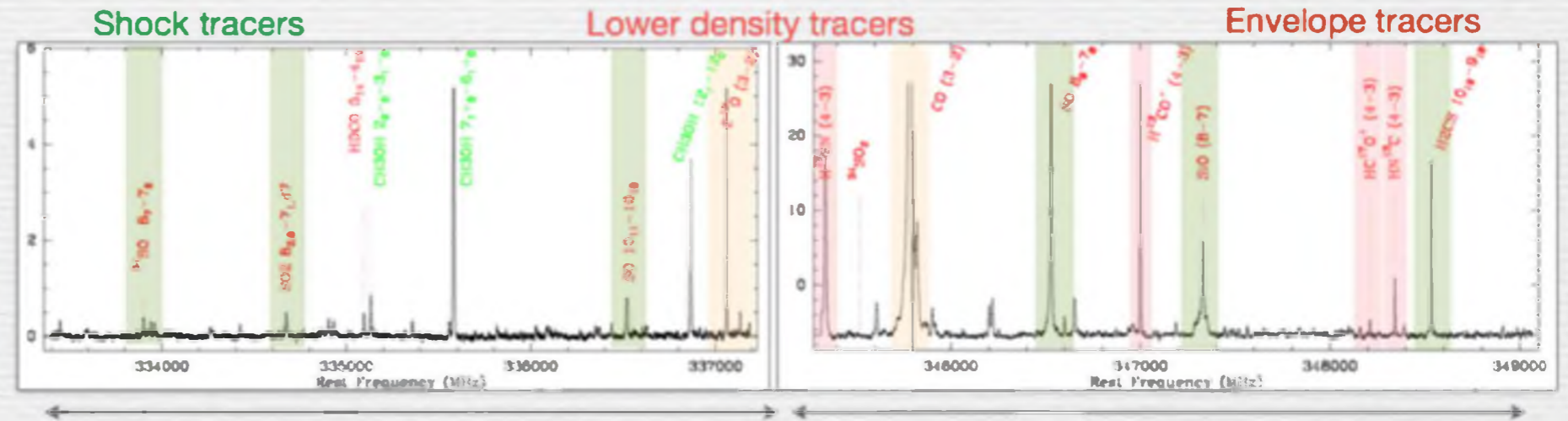
Conclusions:

- **limited number of fragments, early appearance of MDCs:** fragmentation is not compatible with pure gravo-thermal processes
- **compatible with a fast collapse setting in at parsec scales :** exceptionally strong B field or turbulence needed for virial equilibrium

High-mass envelopes: organised velocity field

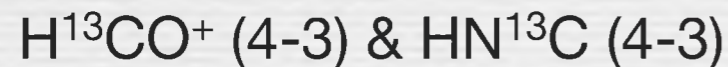


Line free continuum
at 345 GHz



7.5 GHz instantaneous spectral coverage

- Tracers of dense gas:



$n > 10^5 - 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}$

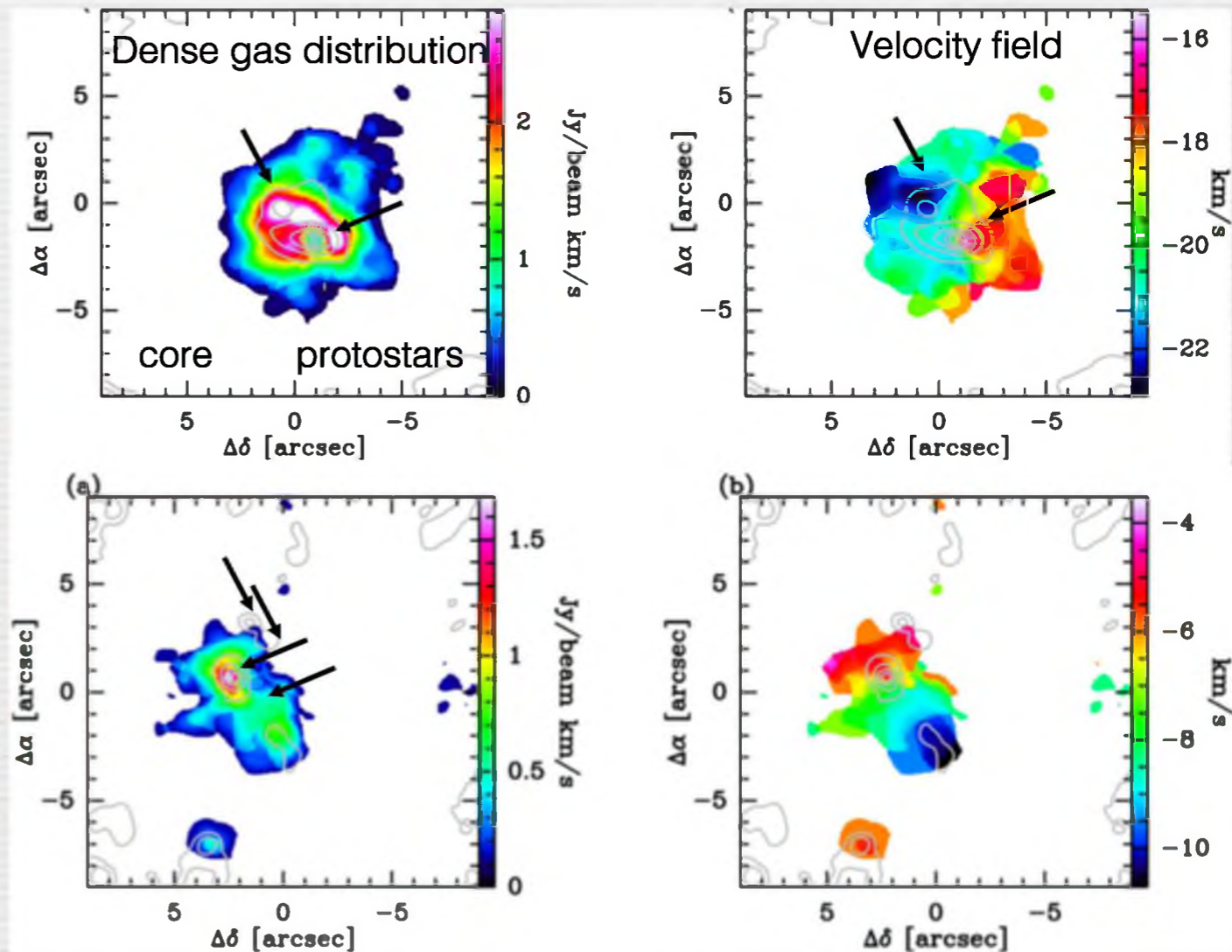
H^{13}CO^+ (4-3) is the most extended

- Kinematics of dense gas reveals highly ordered motions : supersonic turbulence, but line-widths are relatively low

$\Delta v \sim 3 \text{ km s}^{-1}$

- Bonfand et al. (in prep) : Molecular content of high-mass envelopes

Master thesis of L. Bouscasse



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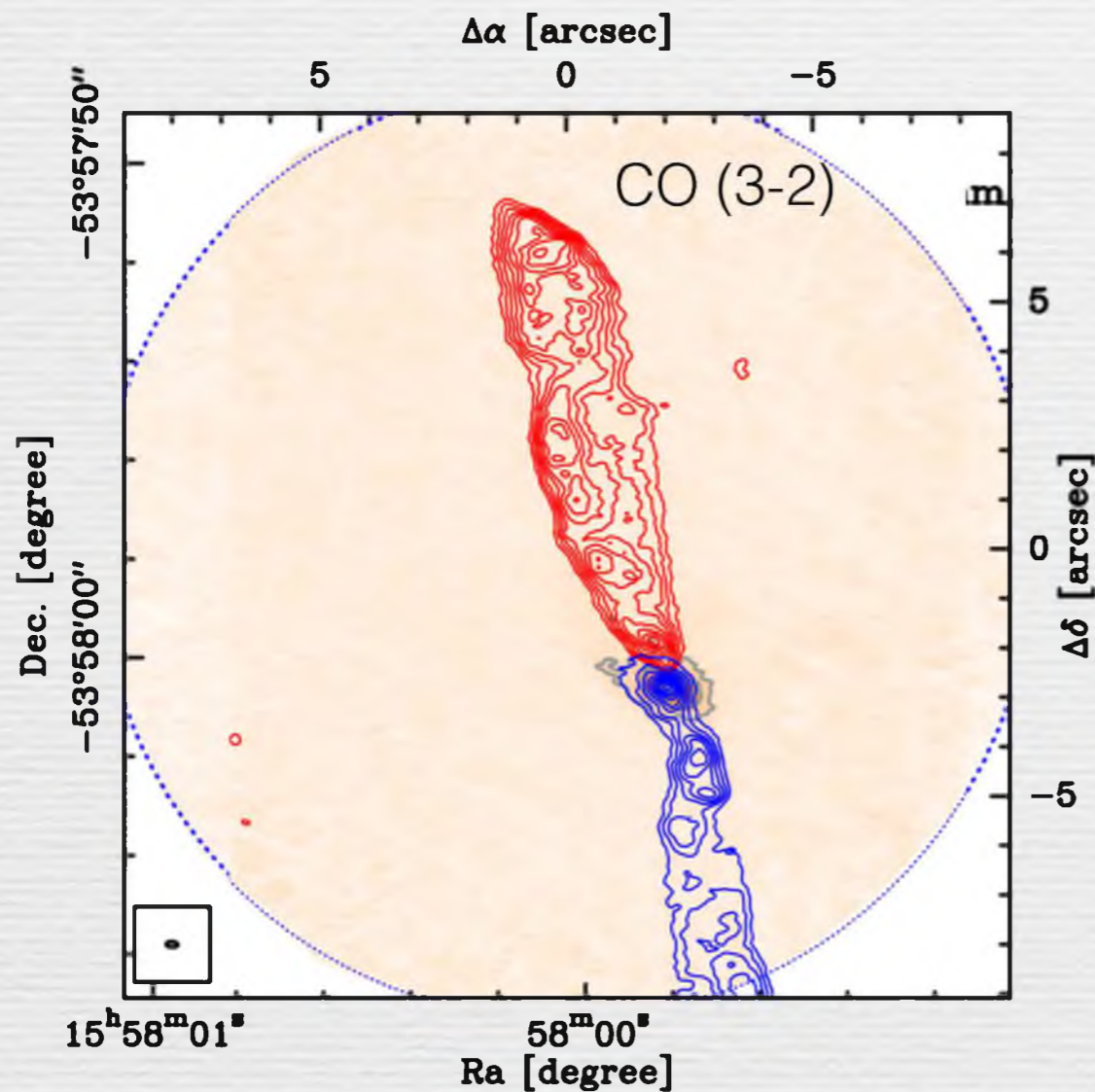
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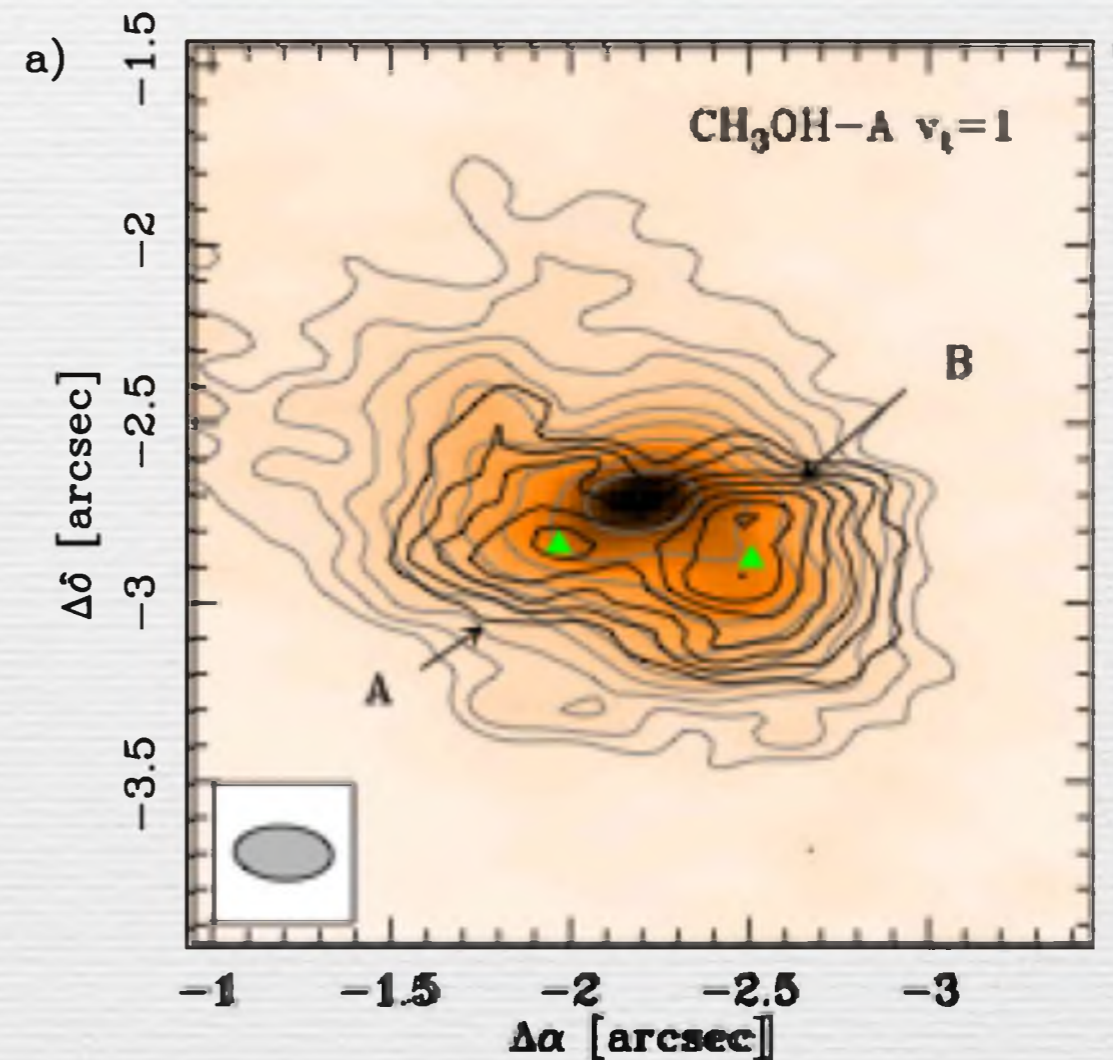
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Case study: a high-mass protostar in its main accretion phase

- 650 M_{\odot} clump and a **single compact object** : current protostellar mass $\sim 15 M_{\odot}$ (from L_{bol})
- $M_{\text{env}} \sim 130 M_{\odot} \longrightarrow 50 M_{\odot}$ expected final stellar mass (**O4-O5** type star)



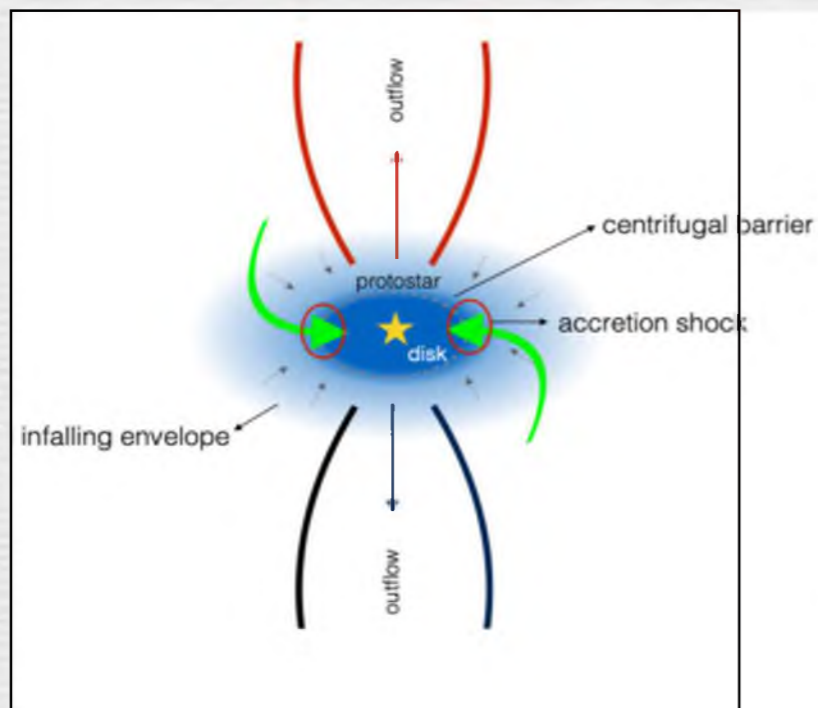
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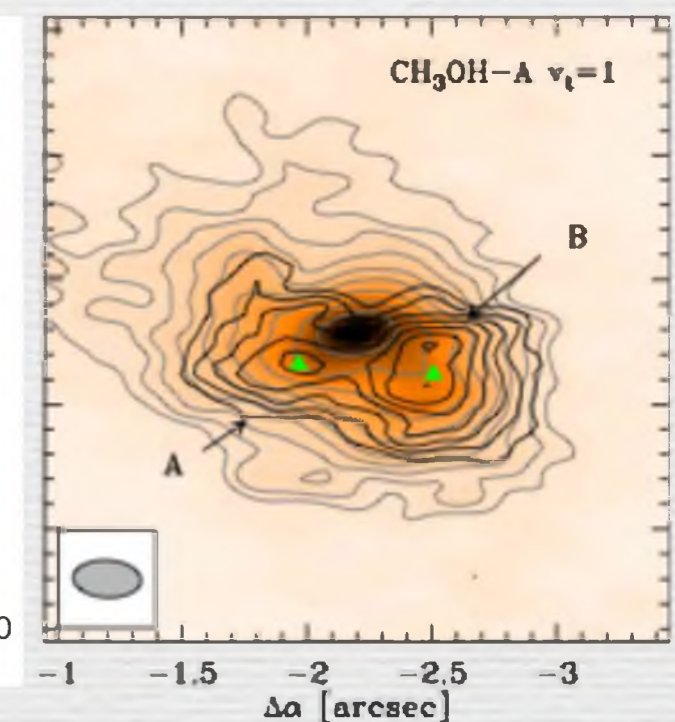
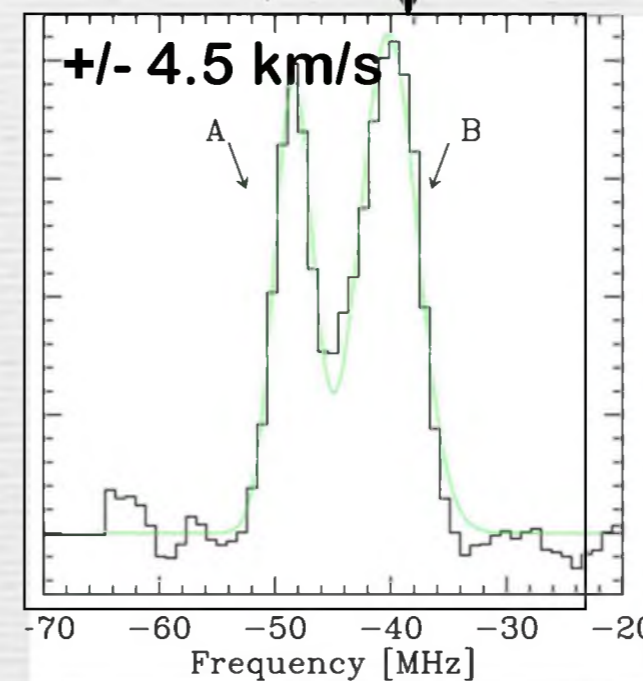
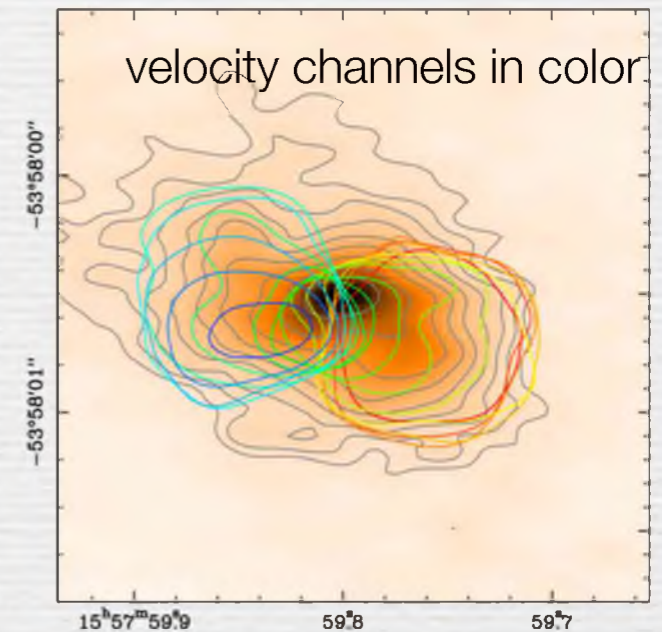
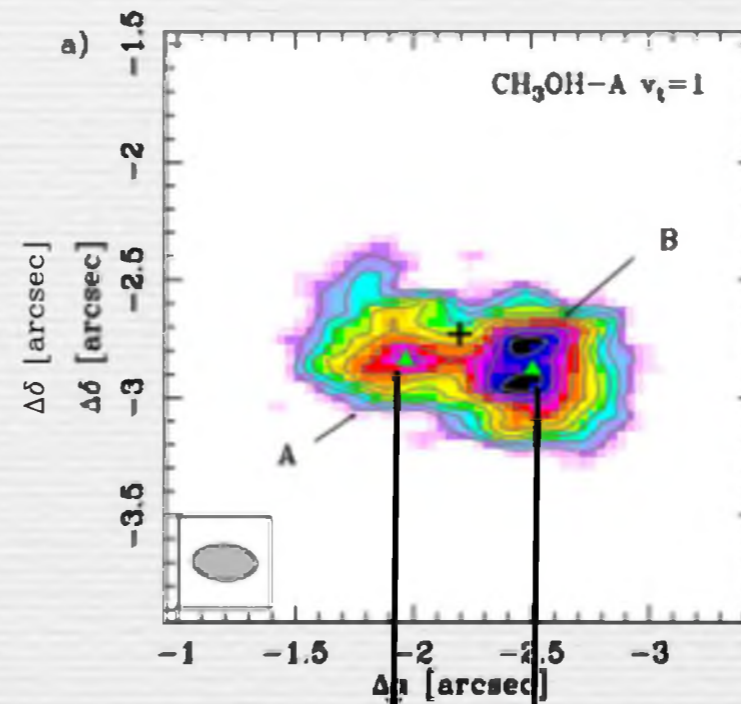
G328.2551-0.5321: Accretion shocks at the centrifugal barrier

- $\text{CH}_3\text{OH } v_t=1$:
 - peaks offset from the protostar
 - two velocity components
- Increase of CH_3OH abundance by shocks

→ centrifugal barrier



(adapted from Sakai et al. 2014, Nature)

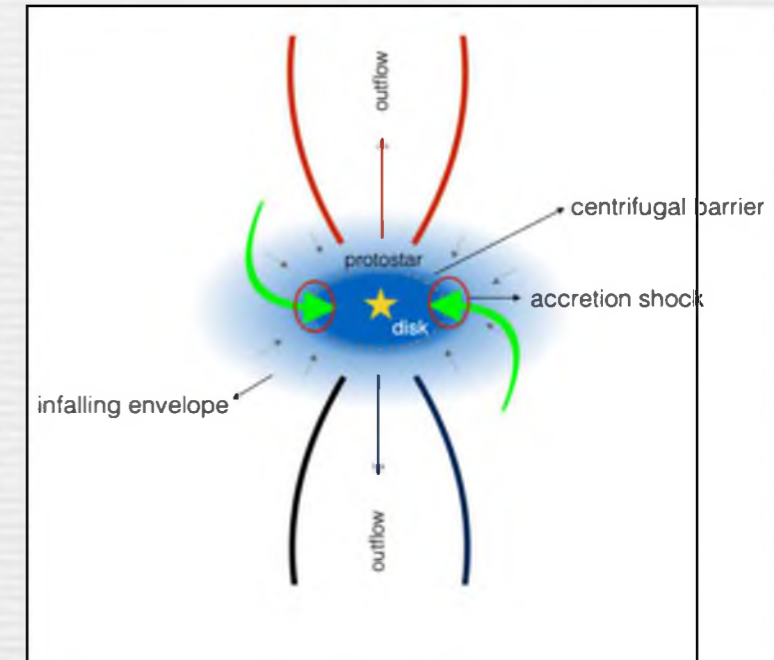
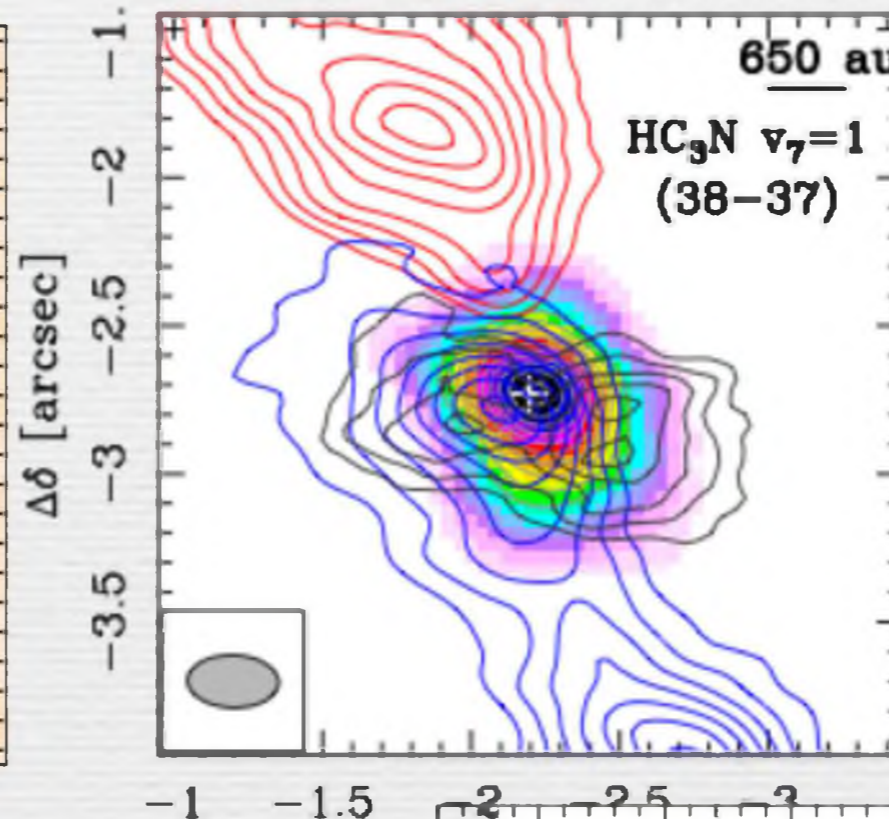
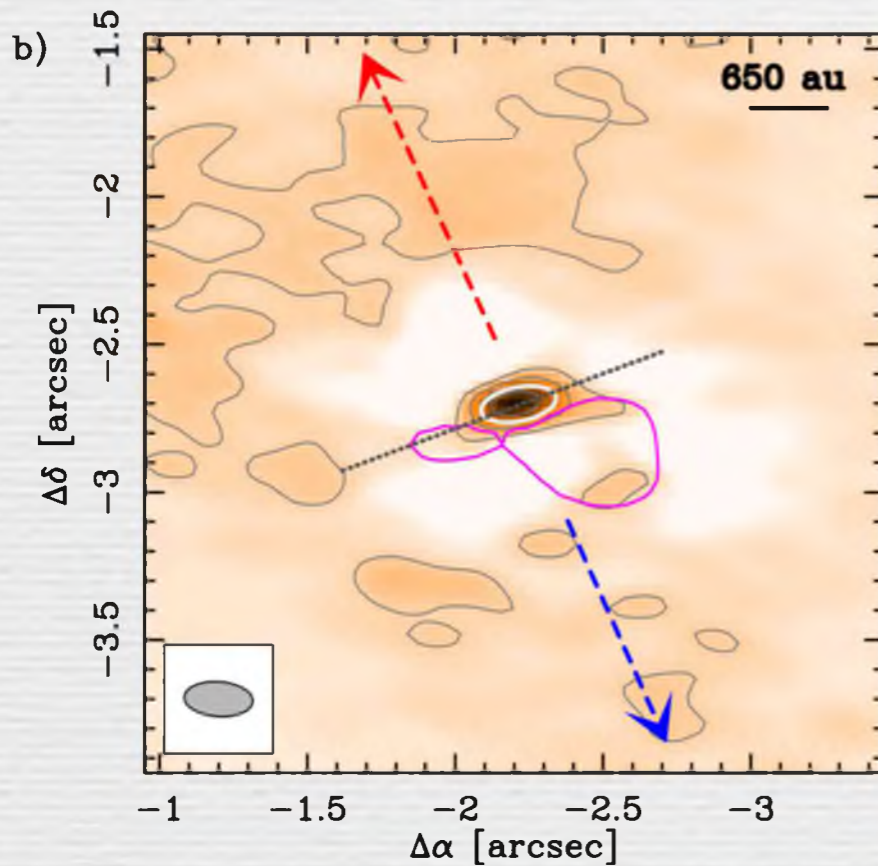


Csengeri et al. (2018)

G328.2551-0.5321 : First hints for an accretion disk?

Image plane analysis: residual emission after a 2D Gaussian fitting

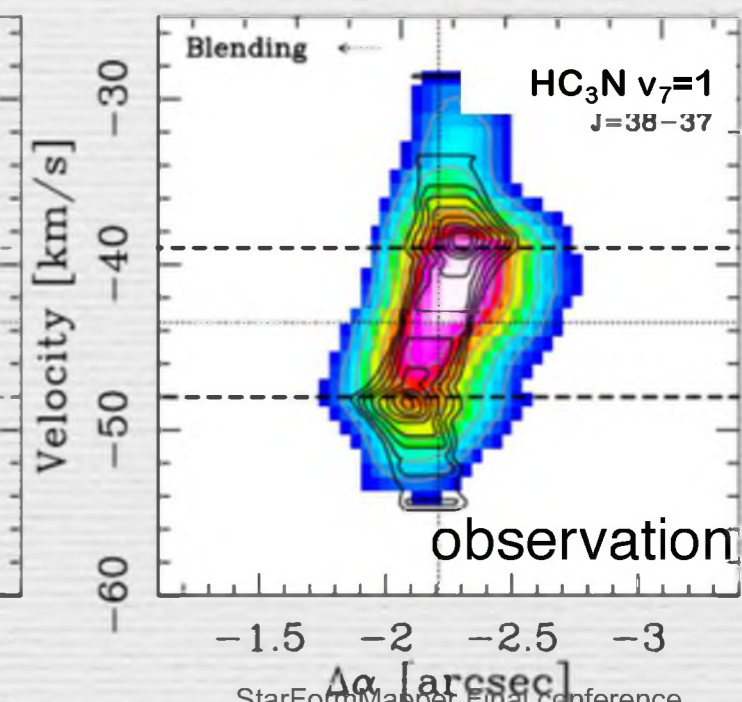
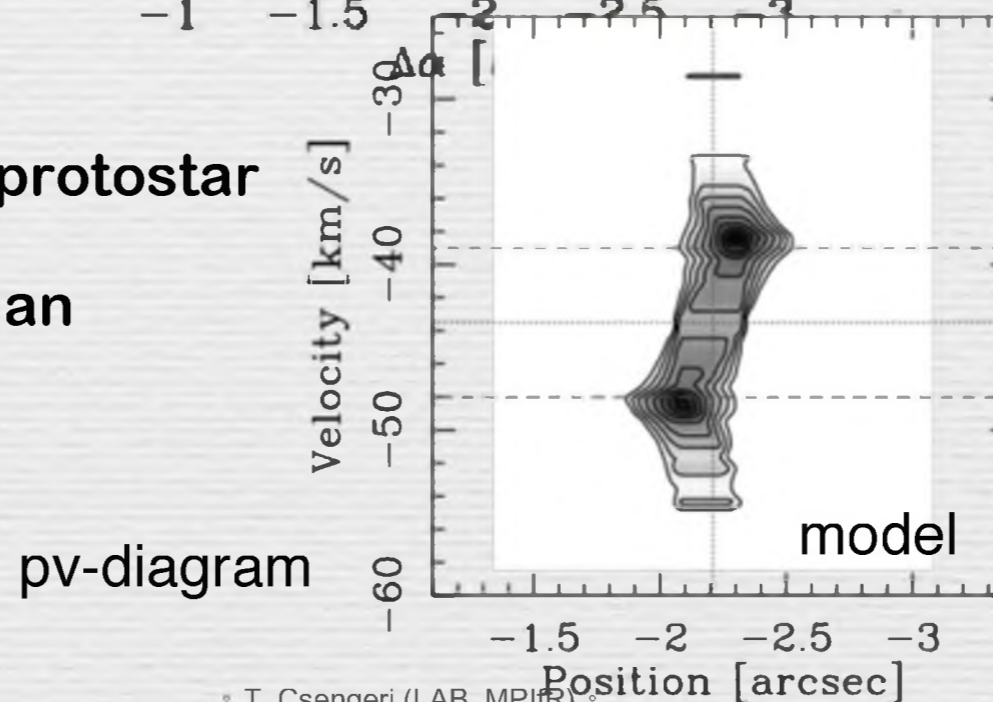
→ **Compact dust component: deconvolved radius of ~ 250 au**



(adapted from Sakai et al. 2014, Nature)

- $\text{HC}_3\text{N } v_7=1$: peaks on the protostar

Compatible with Keplerian disk models!



Case study: large abundance of COMs towards the accretion shocks

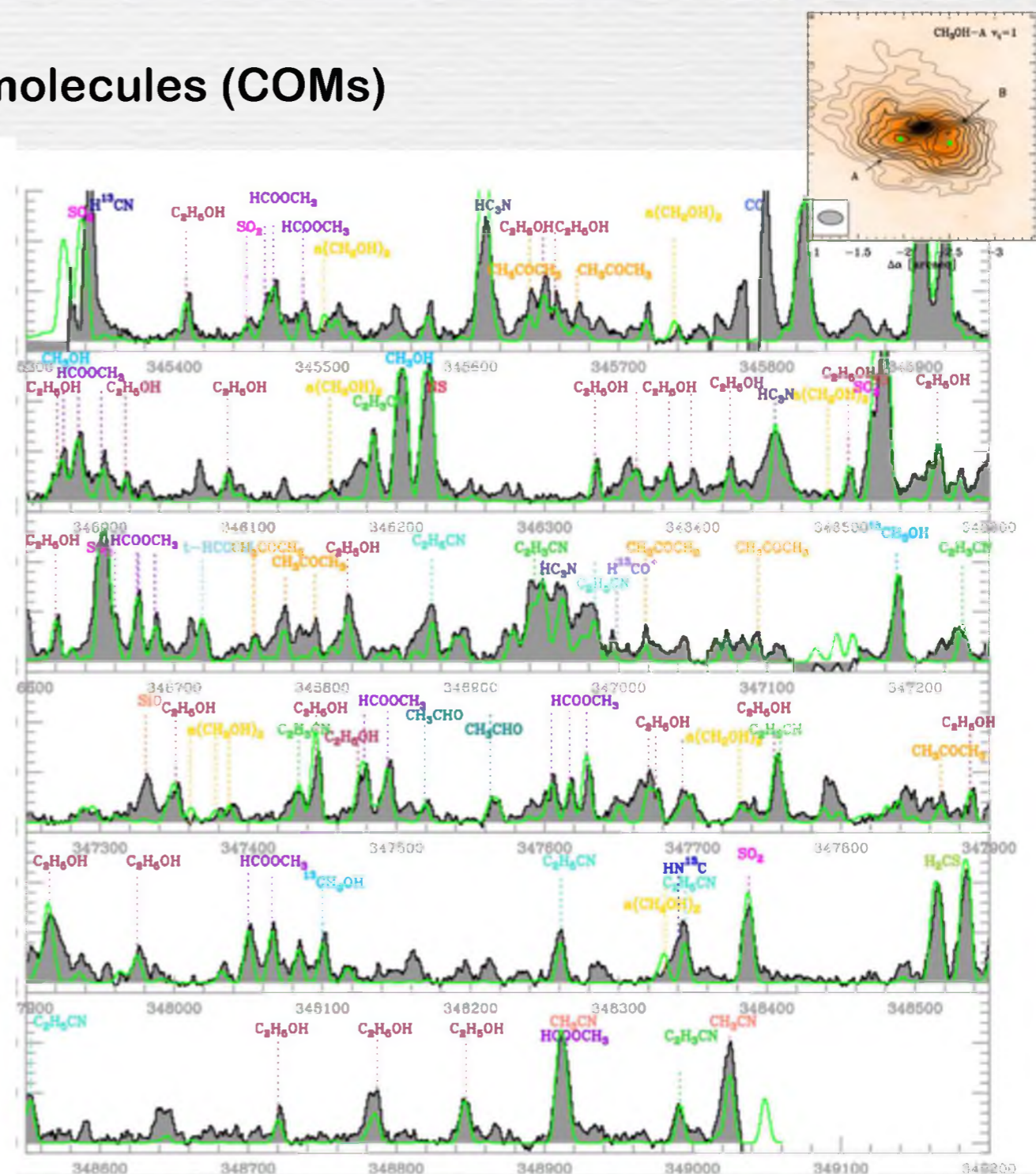
Significant emission of complex organic molecules (COMs)

• Fitting through WEEDs:

- CH₃OH (methanol)
- CH₃OCHO (methyl formate)
- C₂H₅OH (ethanol)
- CH₃COCH₃ (acetone)
- a(CH₂OH)₂ (ethylene glycol)
- t-HCOOH (formic acid)
- CH₃CHO (acetaldehyde)
- C₂H₃CN (vinyl cyanide)
- C₂H₅CN (ethyl cyanide)
- HC(O)NH₂ (formamide)
- HDO (deuterated water)

• Physical conditions:

- T ~ 180 K, N(CH₃OH) ~ 10¹⁹ cm⁻²



Spectrum extracted towards one of the shock positions

Csengeri et al. (2019, subm.)

Chemical Differentiation on < 2000 au scales

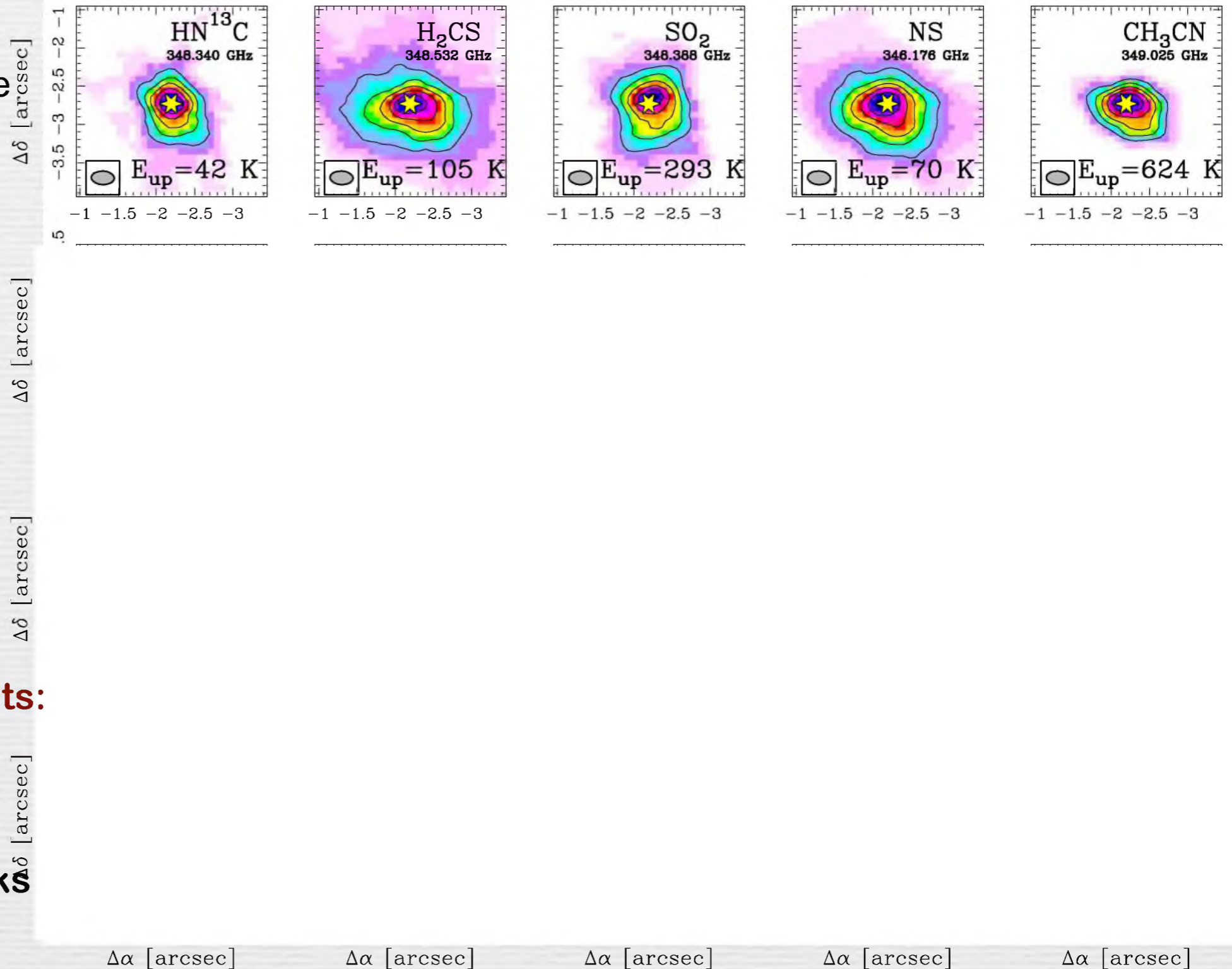
Most of the COMs arise from warm gas

Different spatial morphology between O-bearing and N-bearing COMs

Especially with CN group

3 physical components:

- inner envelope
- Protostar+disk
- Accretion shocks



Csengeri et al. (2019, subm.)

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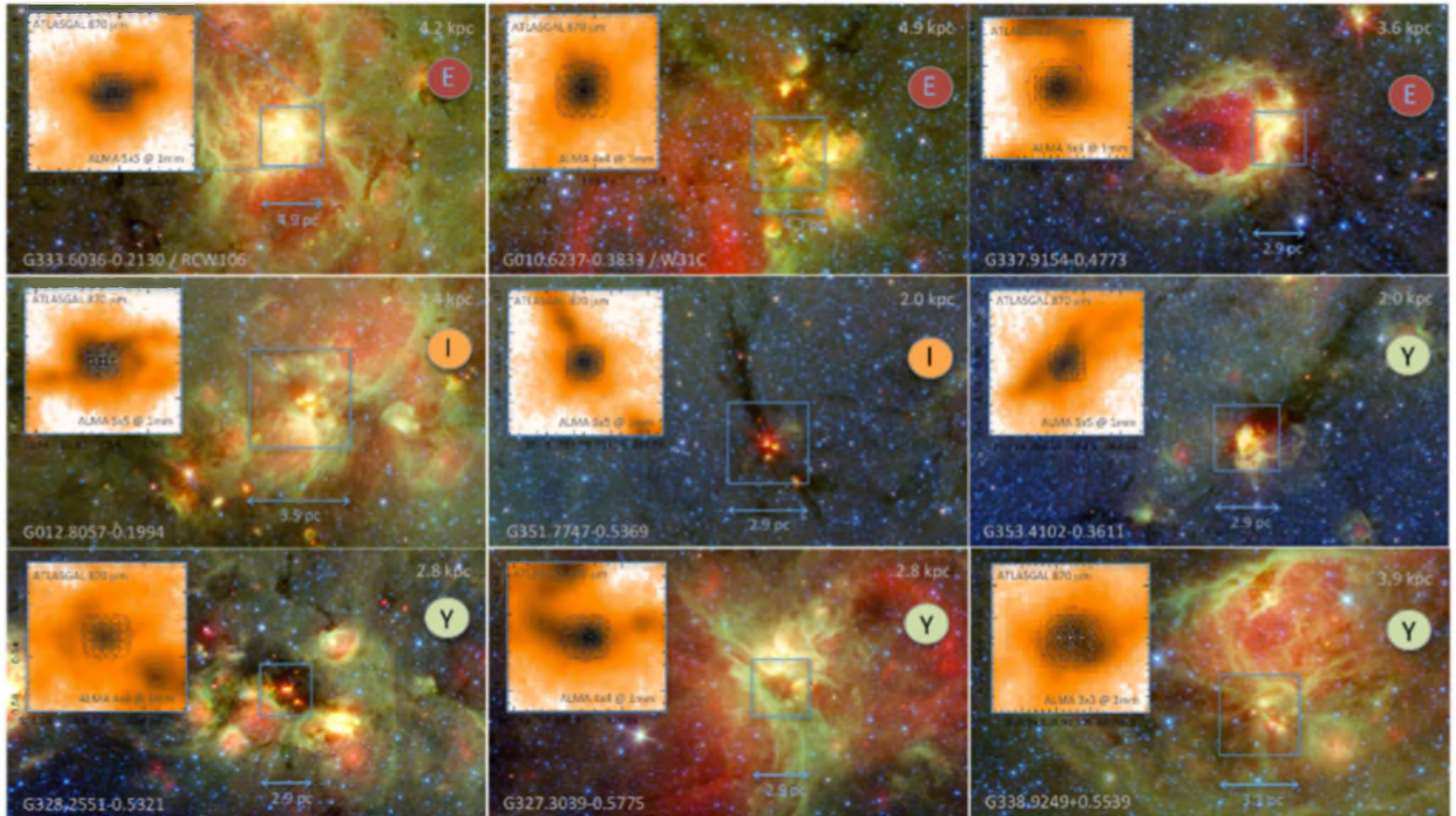
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ALMA-IMF: Origin of the IMF?

Mapping 15 Galactic star forming regions over a range of evolutionary stage



PI: F. Motte



Summary

1. Based on large area surveys statistical studies are now feasible at high angular resolution and high sensitivity with ALMA

- Statistically constrain fragmentation properties, and envelope properties
- SPARKS reveals a large number of high-mass protostars ($M_{\text{env}} \sim 60 M_{\text{sol}}$)
- diverse fragmentation properties: single protostars vs. protoclusters

2. Case study: precursor of an O4-O5 star - physical properties

- $M_{\text{env}} \sim 130 M_{\text{sol}}$: single collapsing envelope
- **accretion shocks** at the centrifugal barrier, first indication for an accretion disk at 250 au

3. Case study: precursor of an O4-O5 star - chemical properties

- ~10 COMs identified
- **increase of temperature and abundance of COMs at the accretion shocks**
- **qualitatively similar picture to low-mass star formation**