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# SURVEY OF DIRECT IMAGING: TECHNIQUES AND RESULTS

# DIRECT IMAGING OF EXOPLANETS

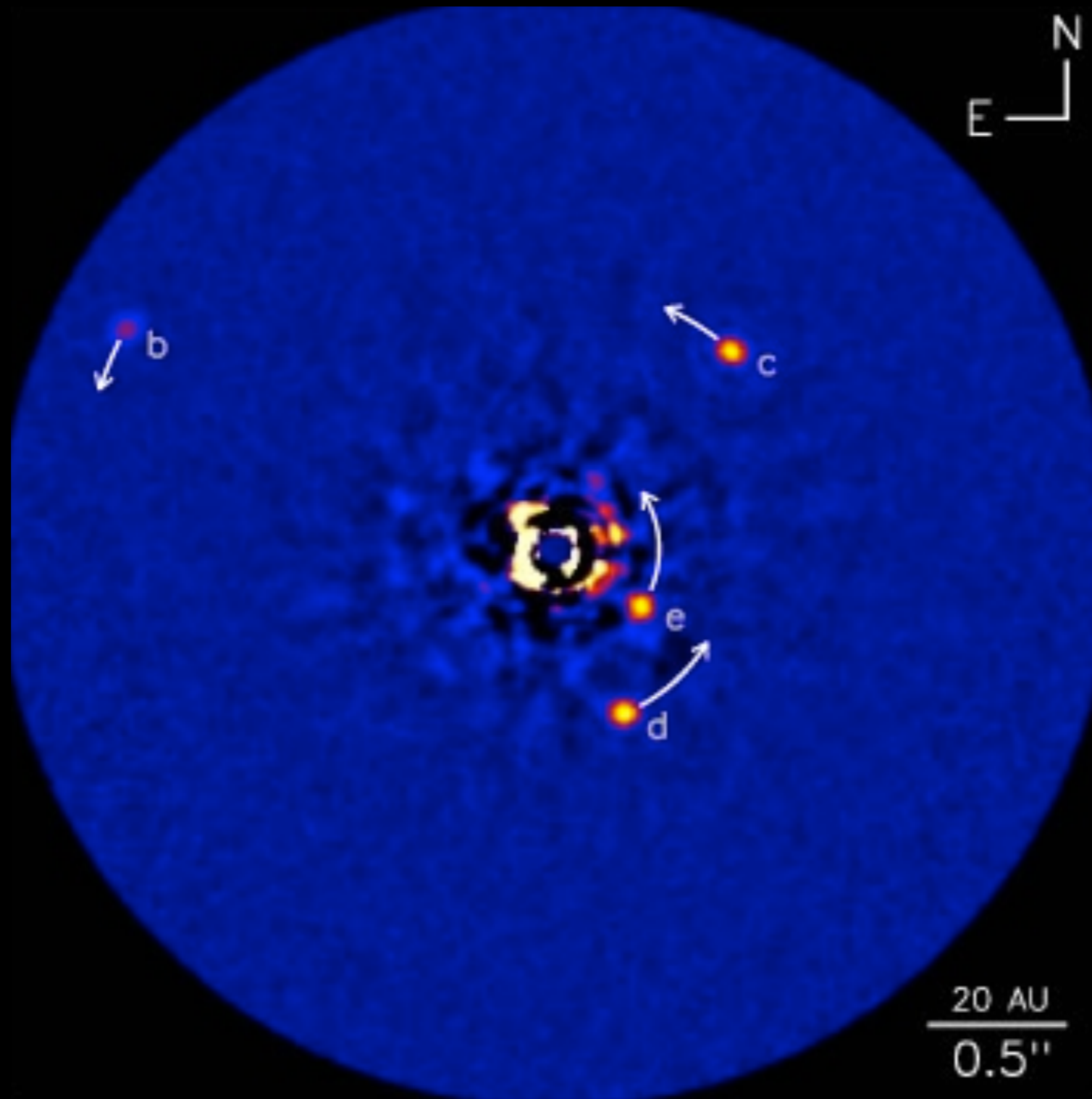
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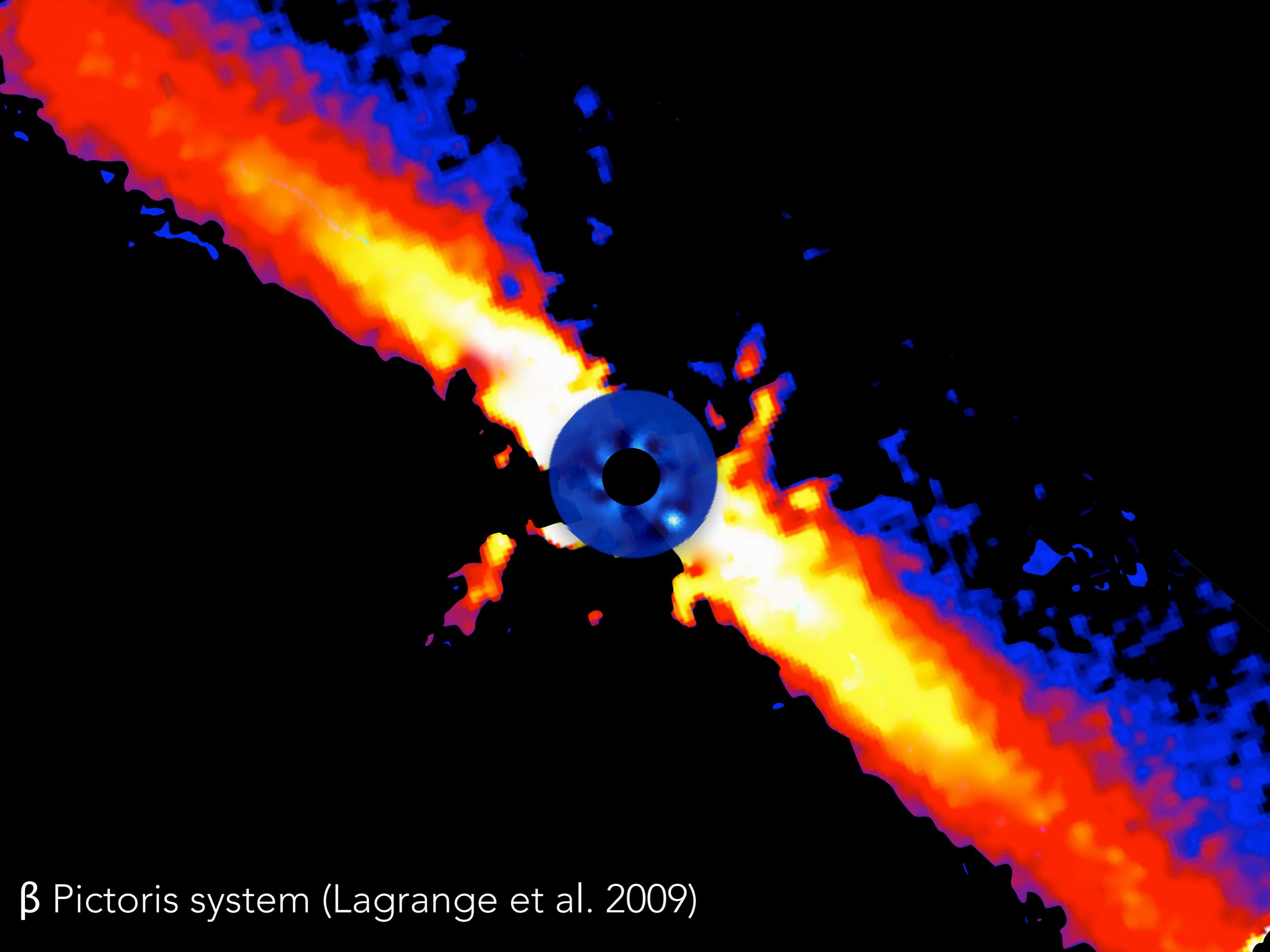
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# HR8799'S 4 GIANT PLANETS

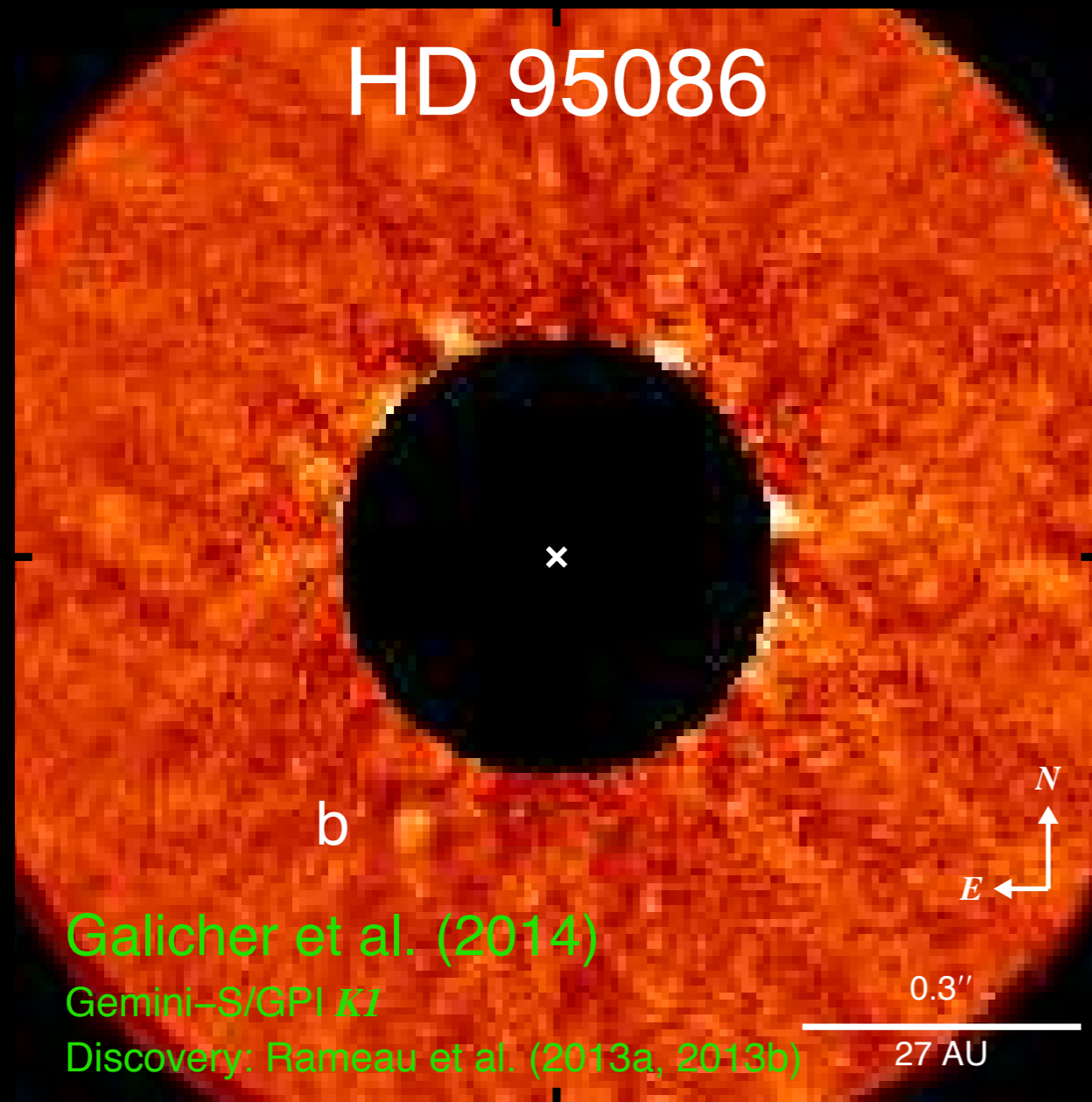


Marois et al. 2008 (2010)



$\beta$  Pictoris system (Lagrange et al. 2009)

HD 95086



Galicher et al. (2014)

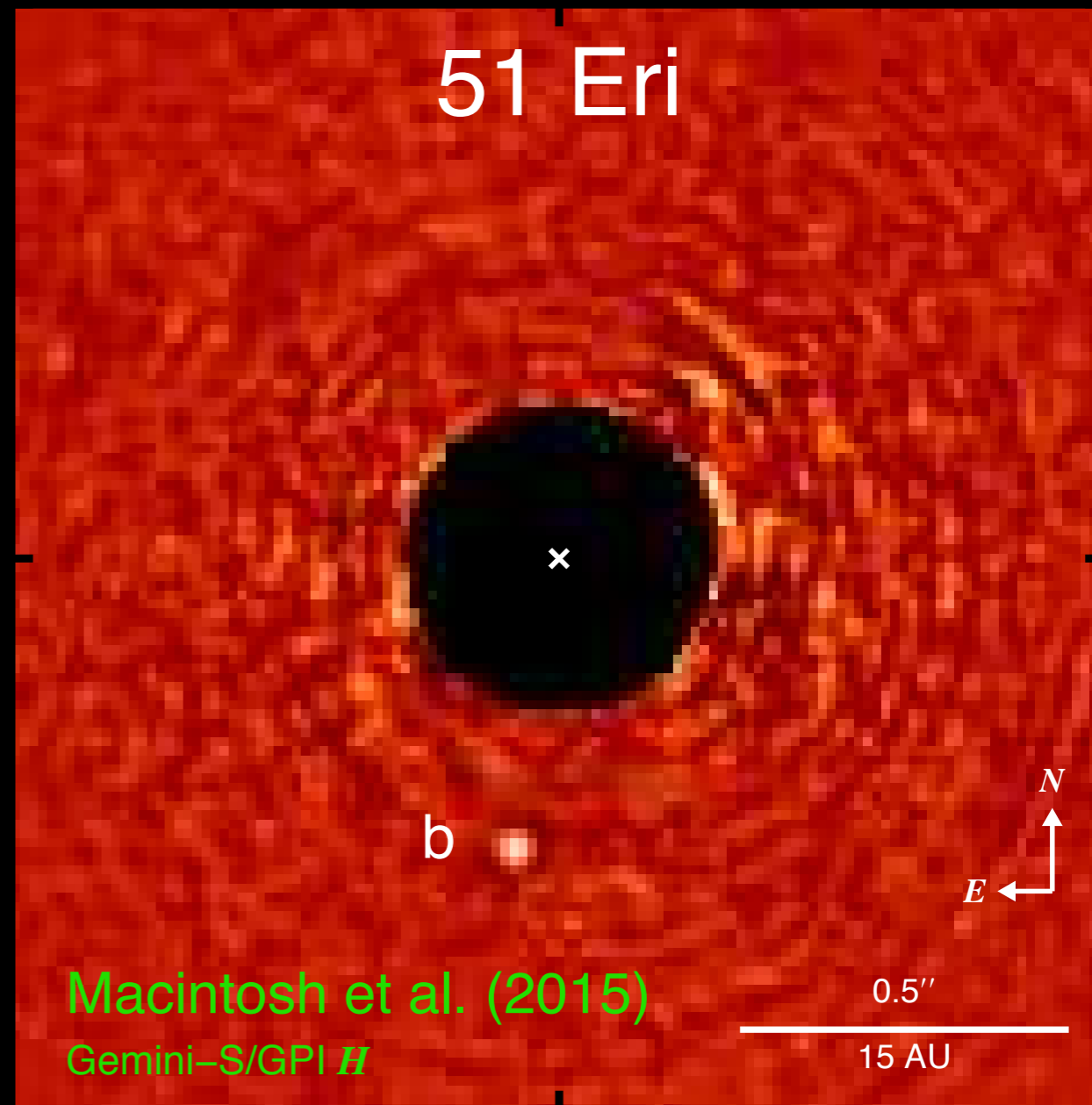
Gemini-S/GPI *K<sub>I</sub>*

Discovery: Rameau et al. (2013a, 2013b)

0.3''

27 AU

51 Eri



Macintosh et al. (2015)

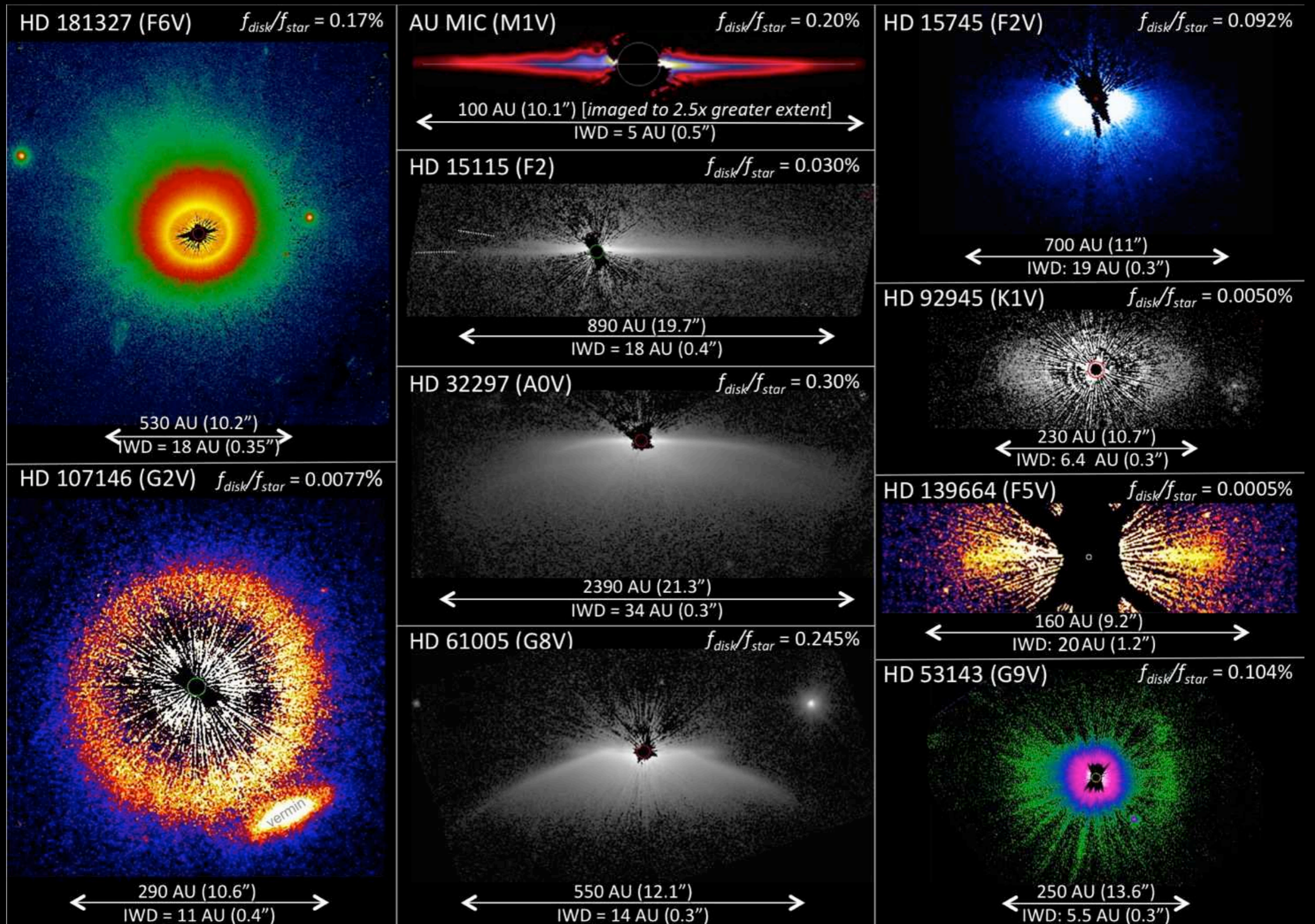
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0.5''

15 AU



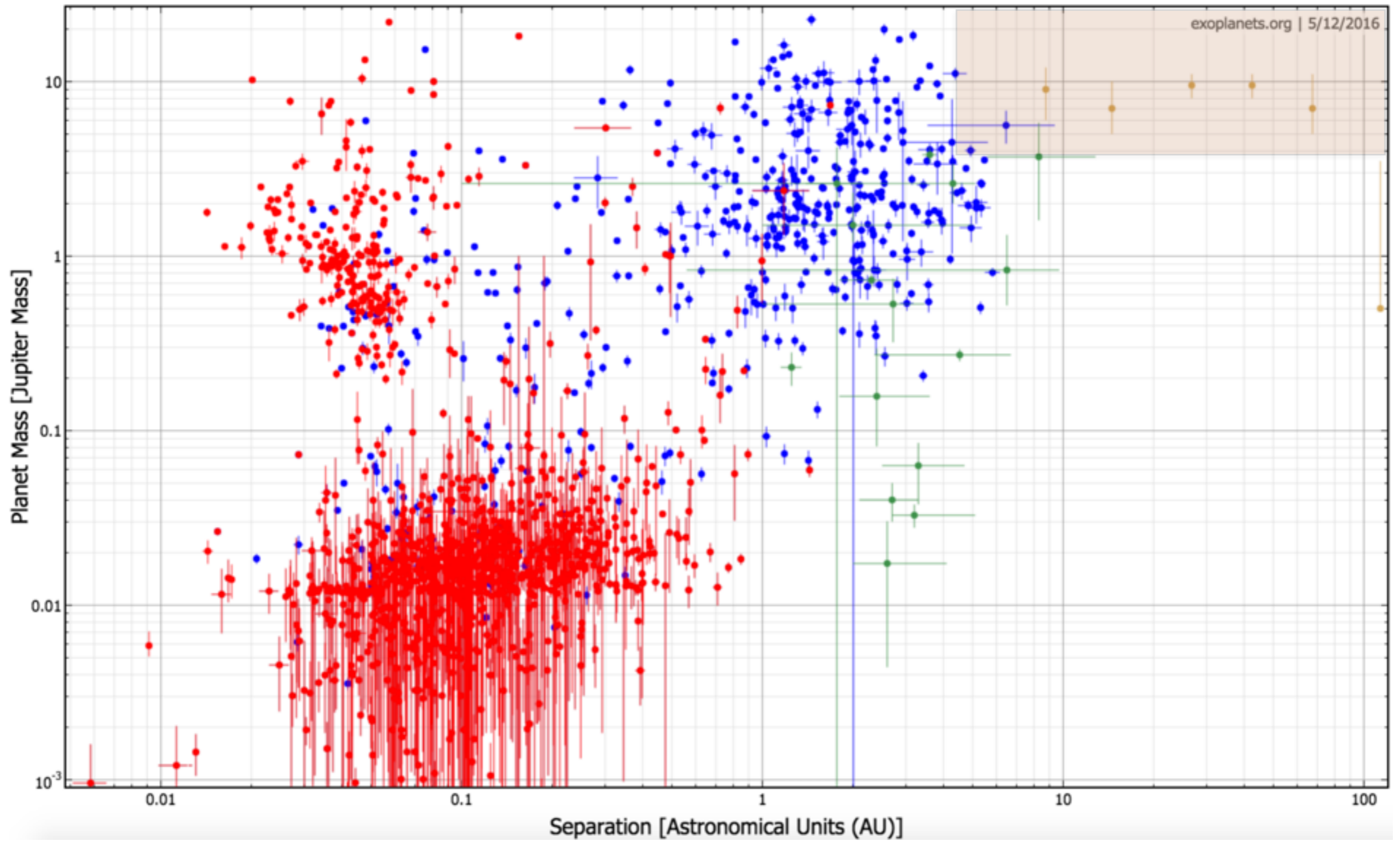
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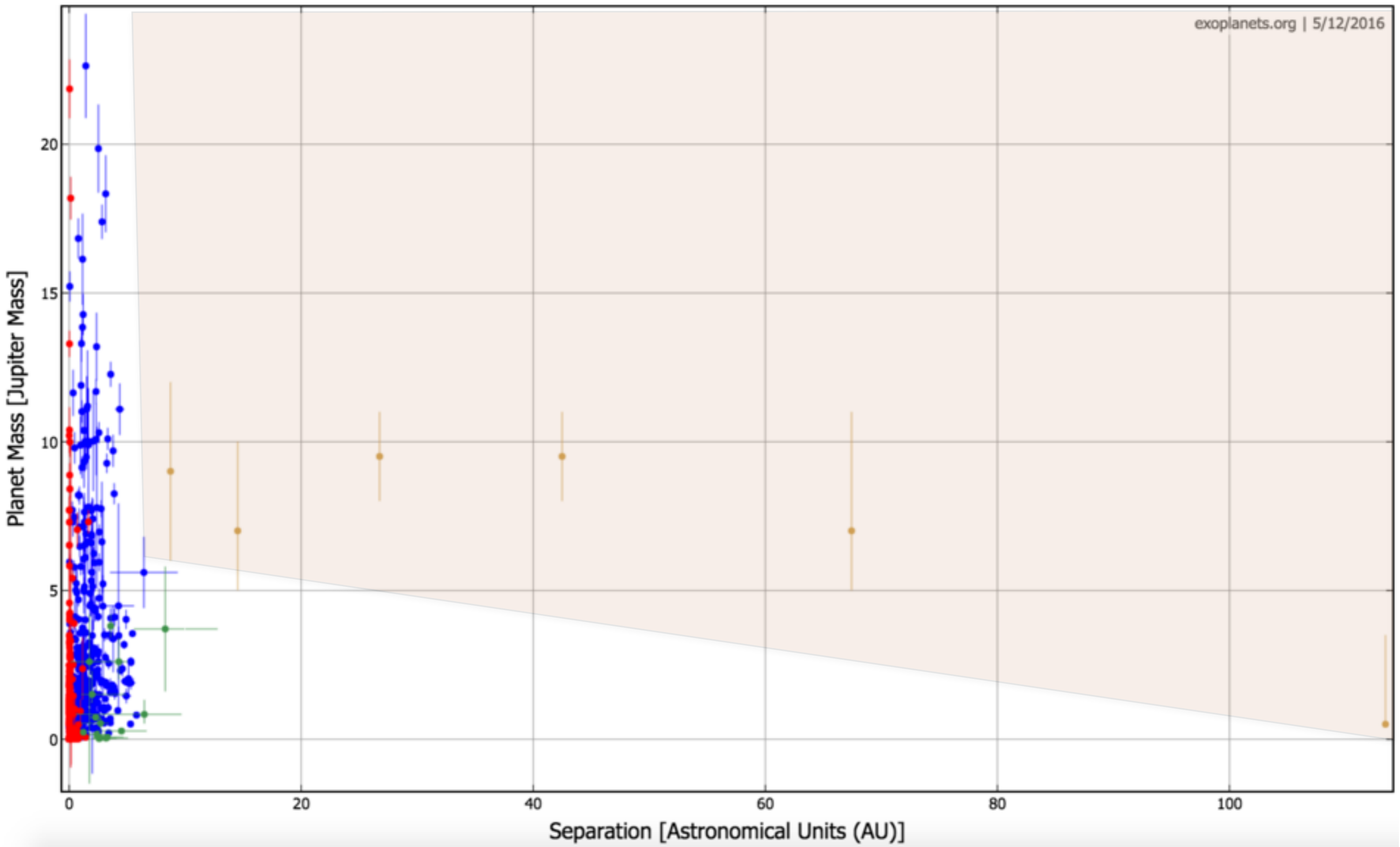


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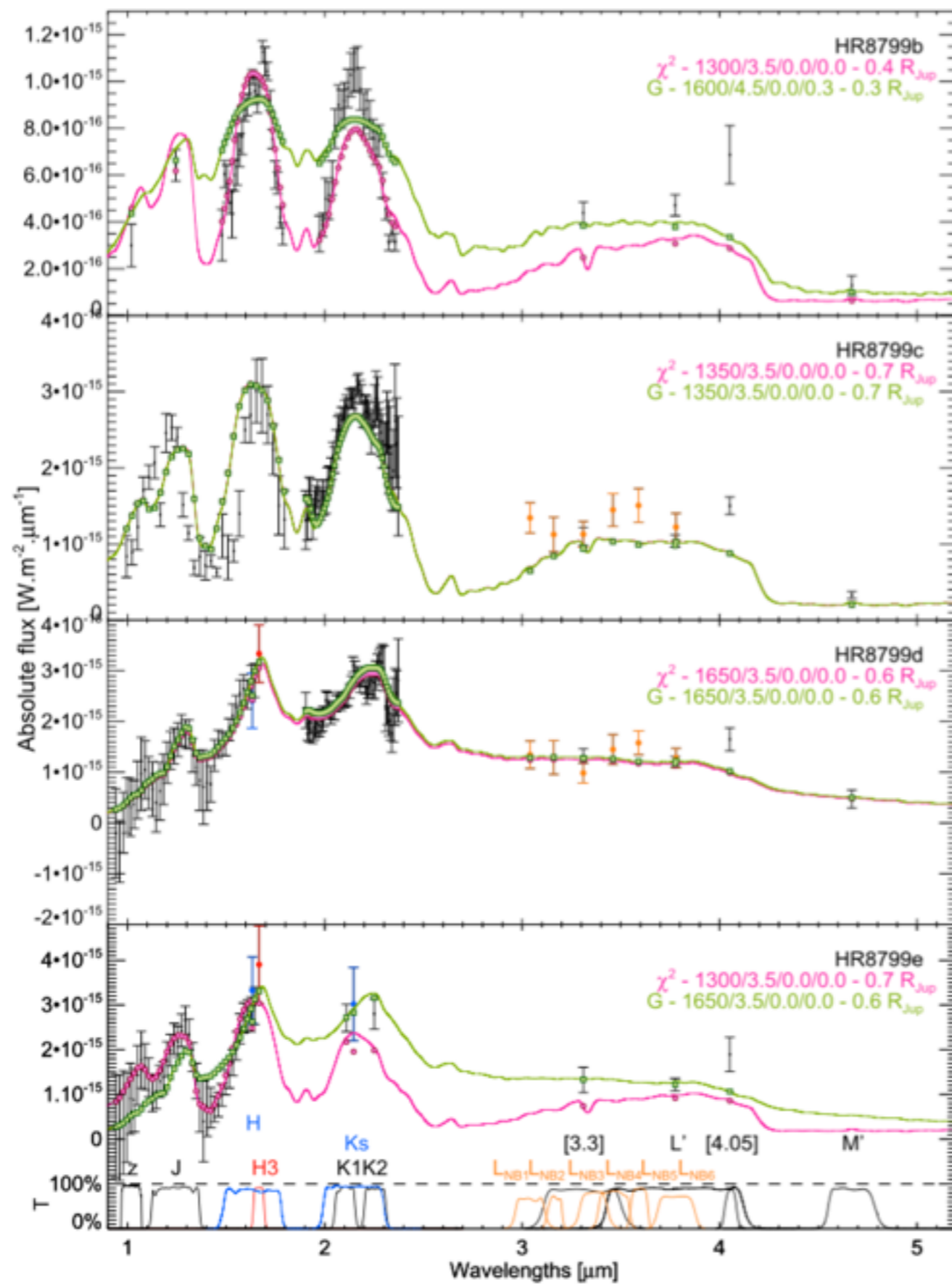




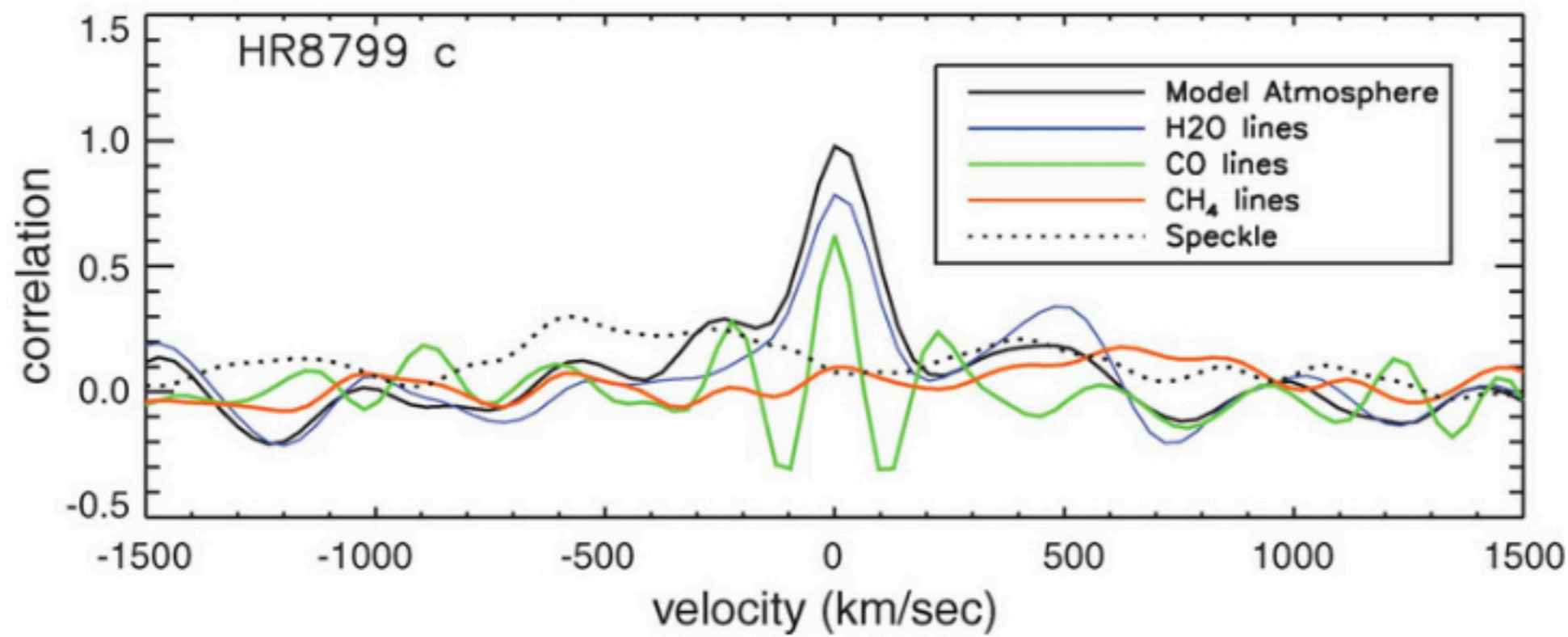
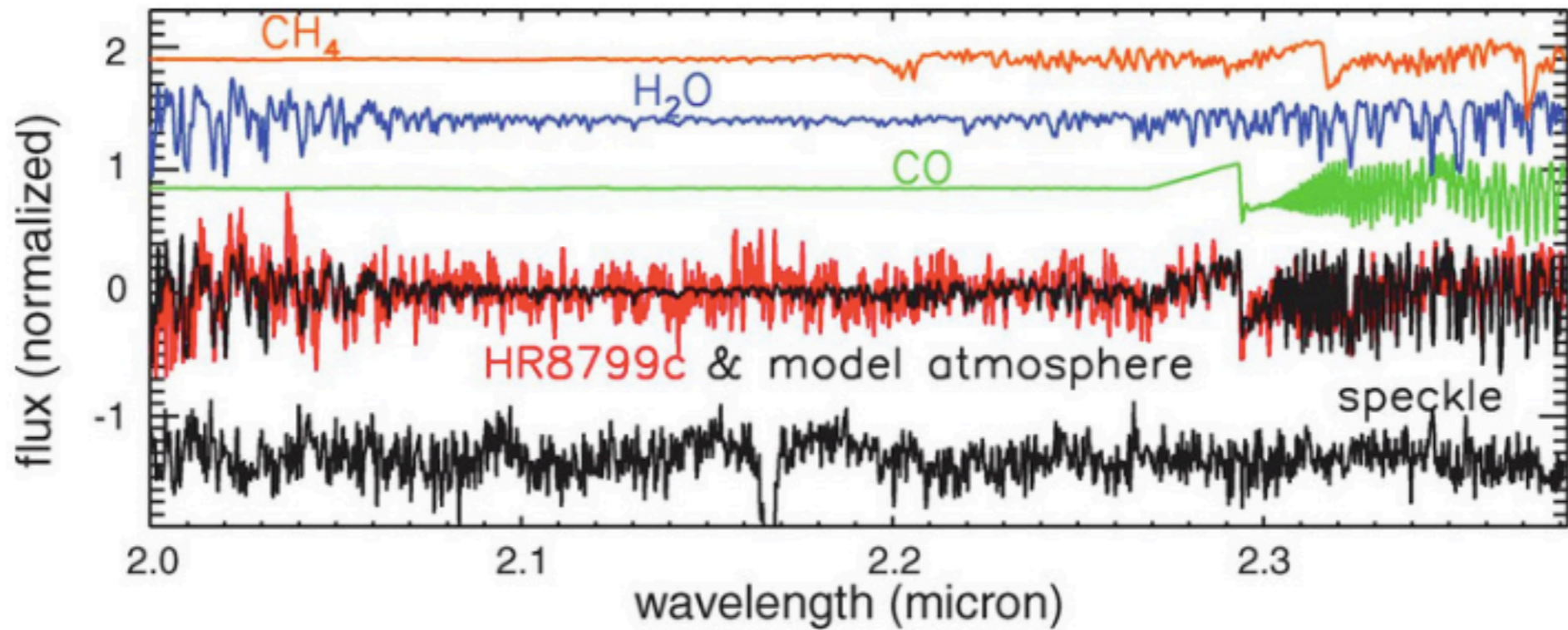


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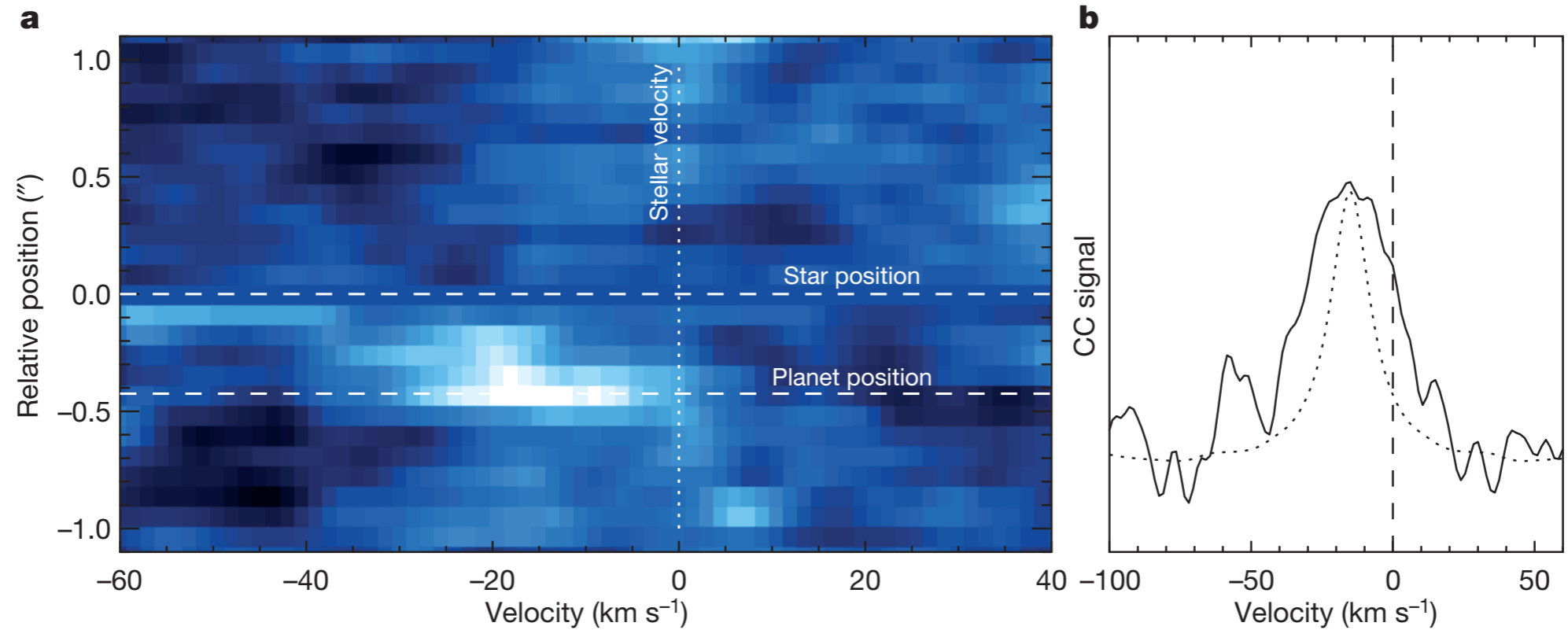
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Bonnefoy et al. 2014



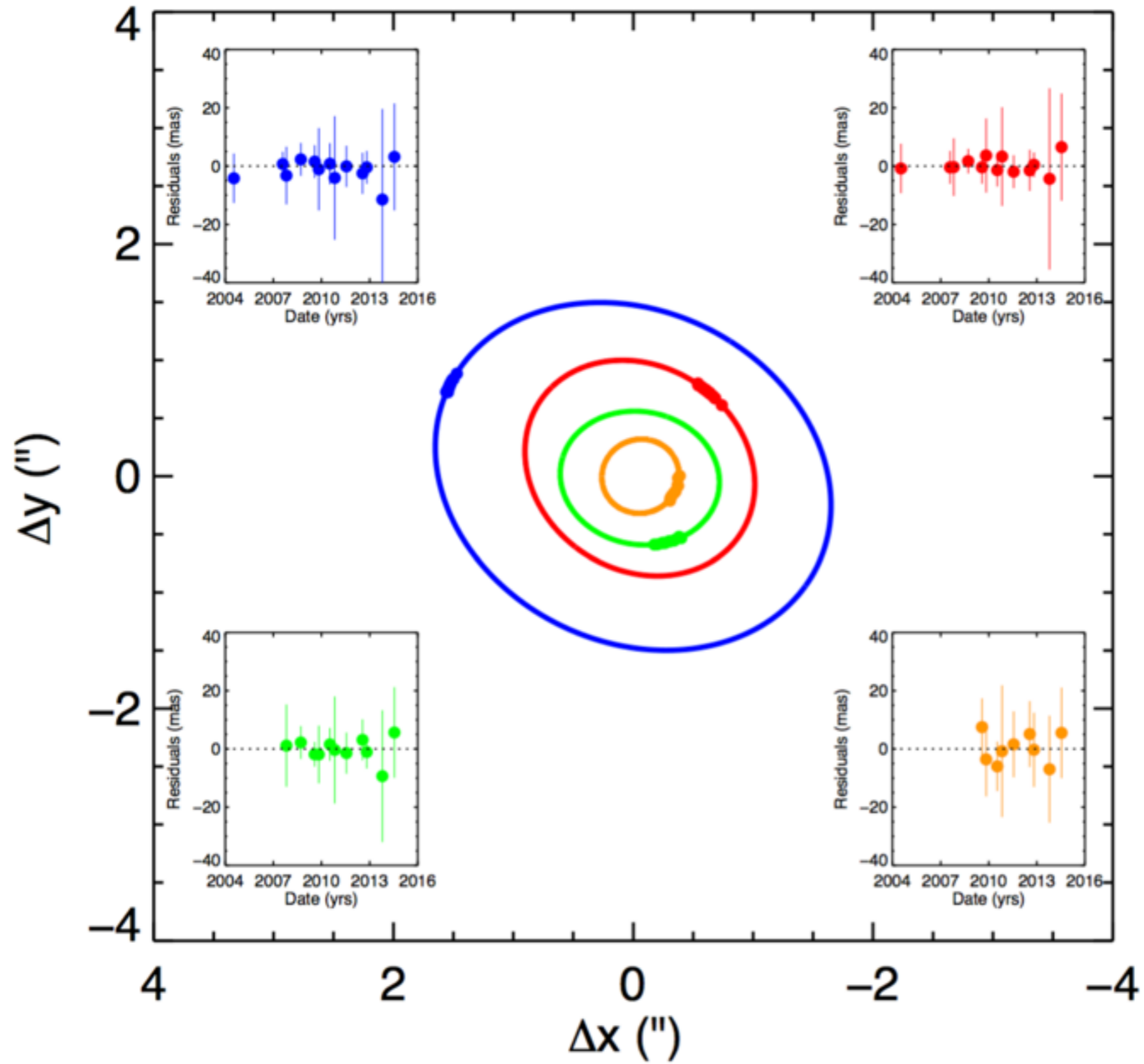
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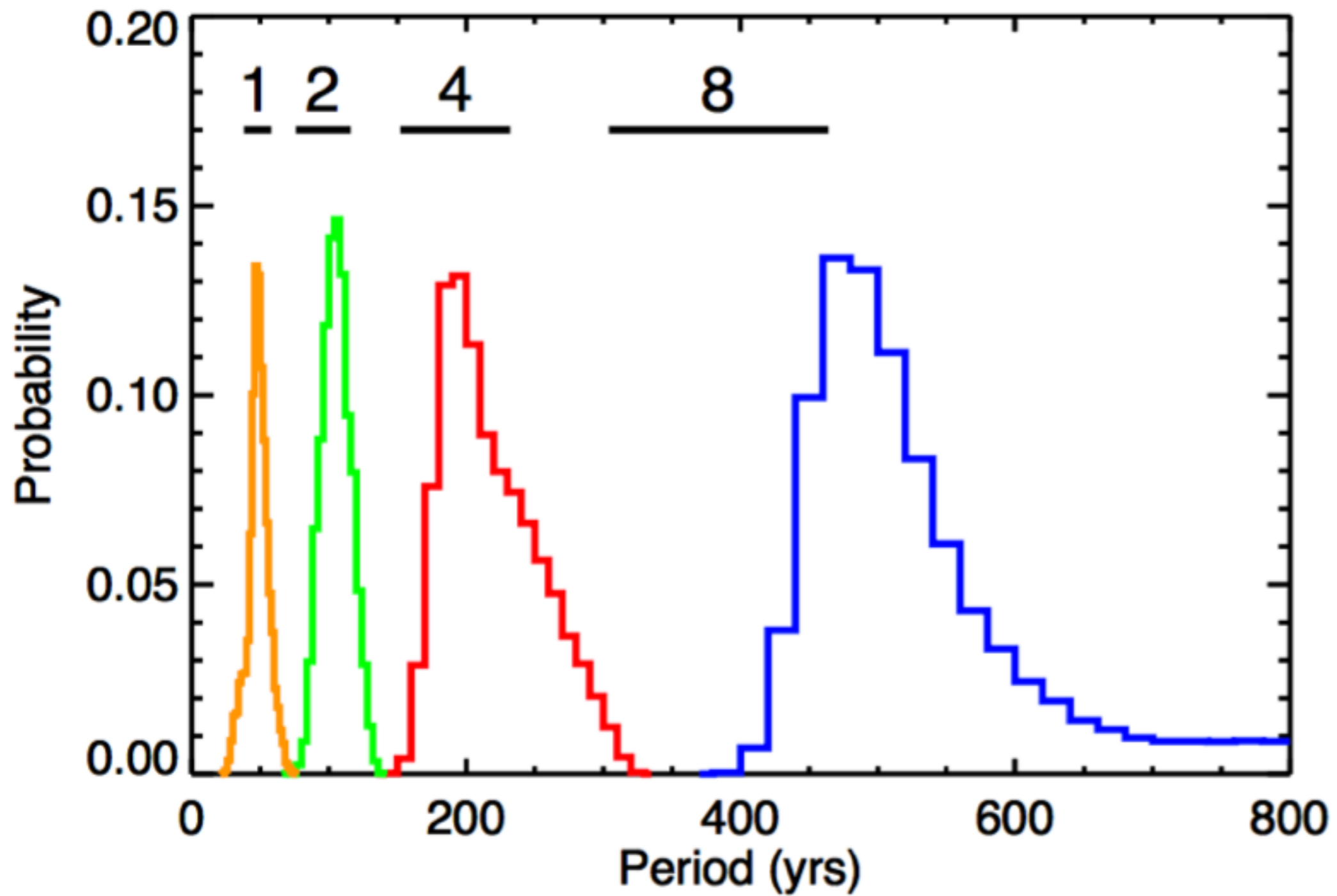


Snellen et al. 2014

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# BETA PICTORIS B ORBITAL MOTION MOVIE

**M. MILLAR-BLANCHAER et al. (2015)**

Credit: M. Millar-Blanchaer (Dunlap Institute) & F. Marchis (SETI Institute)



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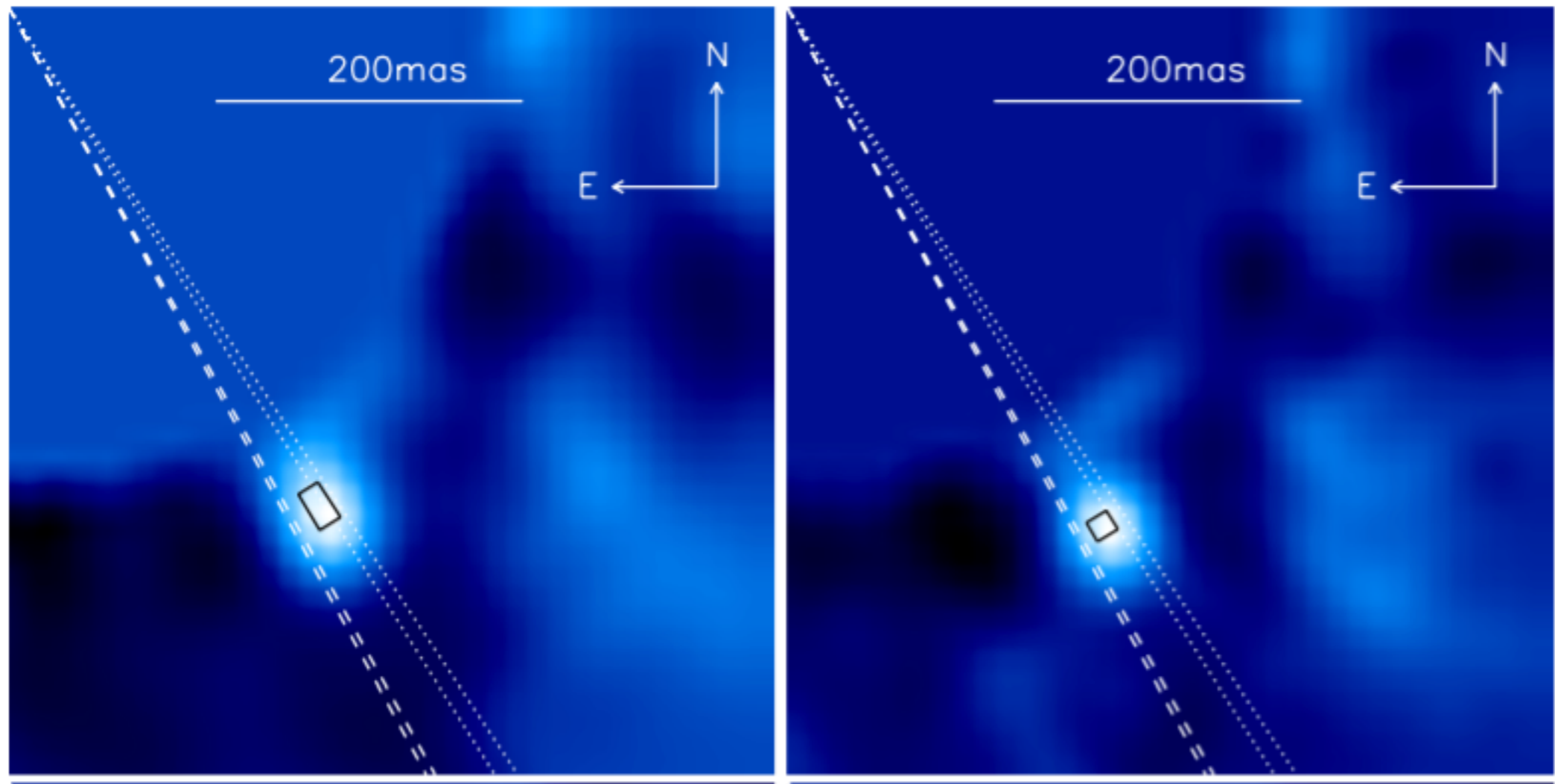
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# INTERACTION WITH HOST DISK



$\beta$  Pictoris b

Mawet, Absil, Milli et al. 2013



Lagrange et al. 2012



# HIGH CONTRAST IMAGING





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Where are the planets?

# HIGH CONTRAST IMAGING



Let's zoom in  
adjust contrast

# HIGH CONTRAST IMAGING



All the point sources  
in the field of view  
are stars!

# HIGH CONTRAST IMAGING



Stars are bright!





Sirius A

Sirius B (white dwarf)  
10,000 x fainter !



*“Imaging exoplanets directly is equivalent to spotting a tiny ember flying off a blazing campfire 200 km away, while looking through a dirty window.”*

**Angular separation:**

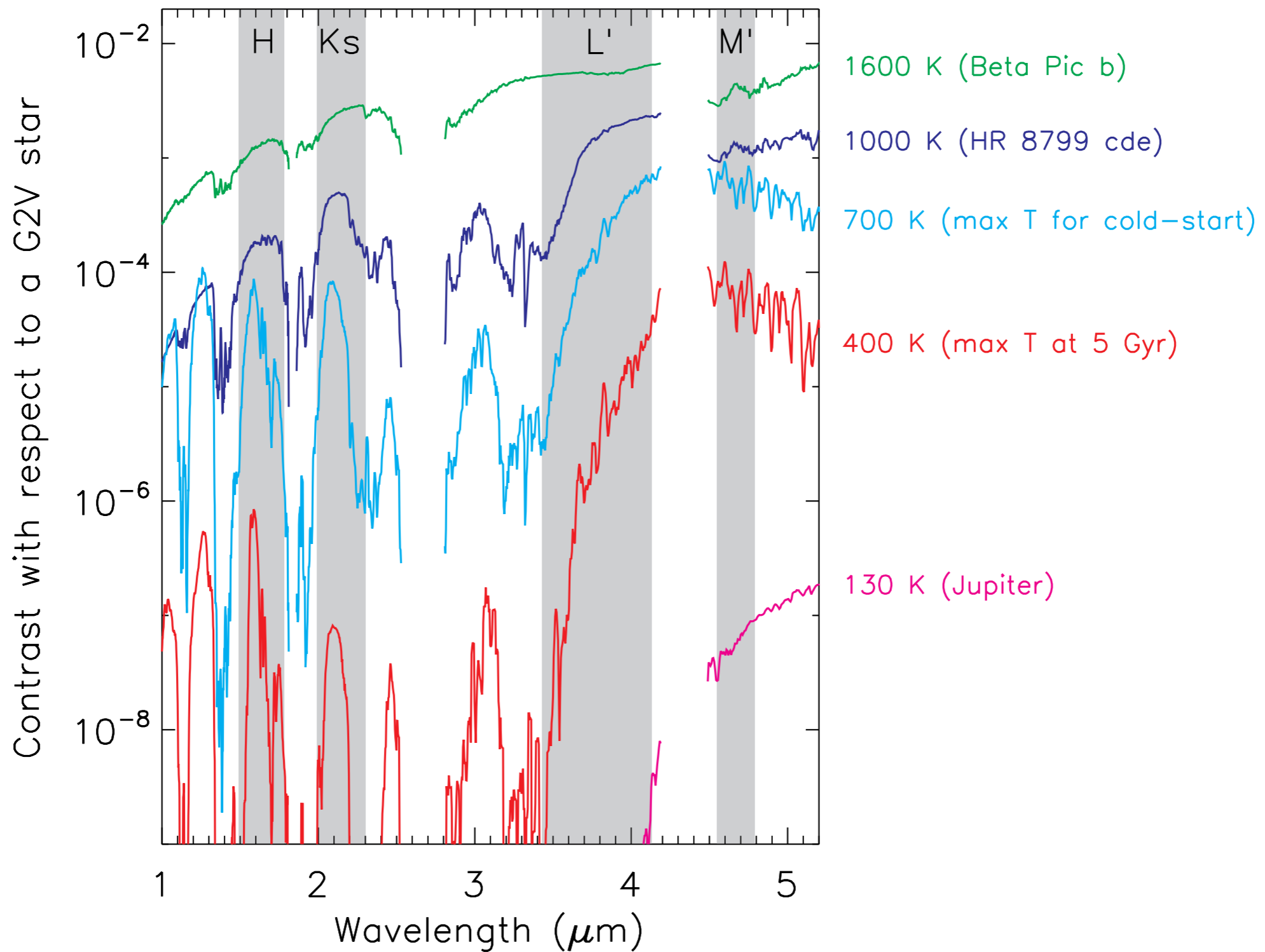
0".1, or 0.5  $\mu$ rad

**Planet to star contrast:**

$10^{-6}$  (hot young giant planets),

$10^{-10}$  Earth-like planets around Solar-type stars

# GIANT PLANET CONTRAST

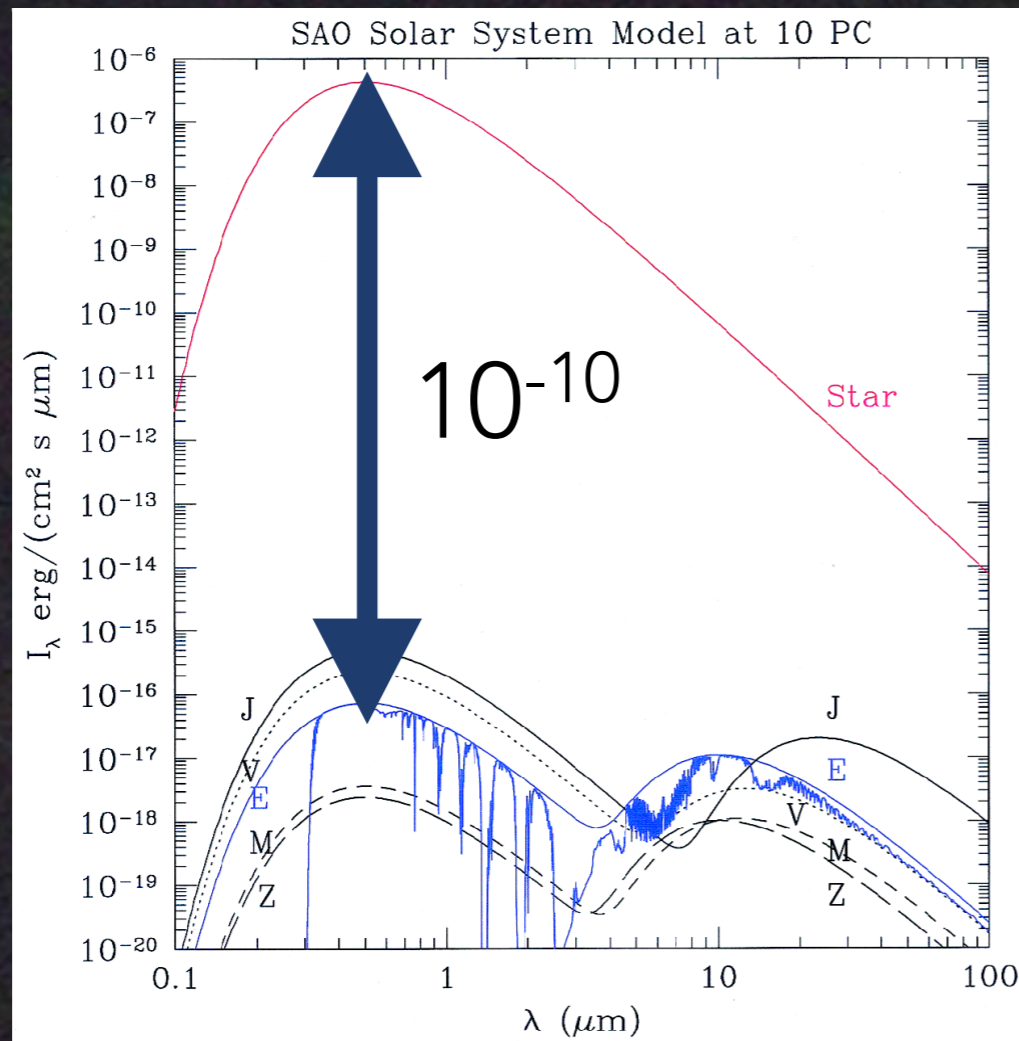




# (VERY) PALE BLUE DOT

Taken on Feb 14, 1990, by Voyager 1 from 3.7 billion miles

$10^{-10}$



DesMarais et al. 2002



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  - Post-processing
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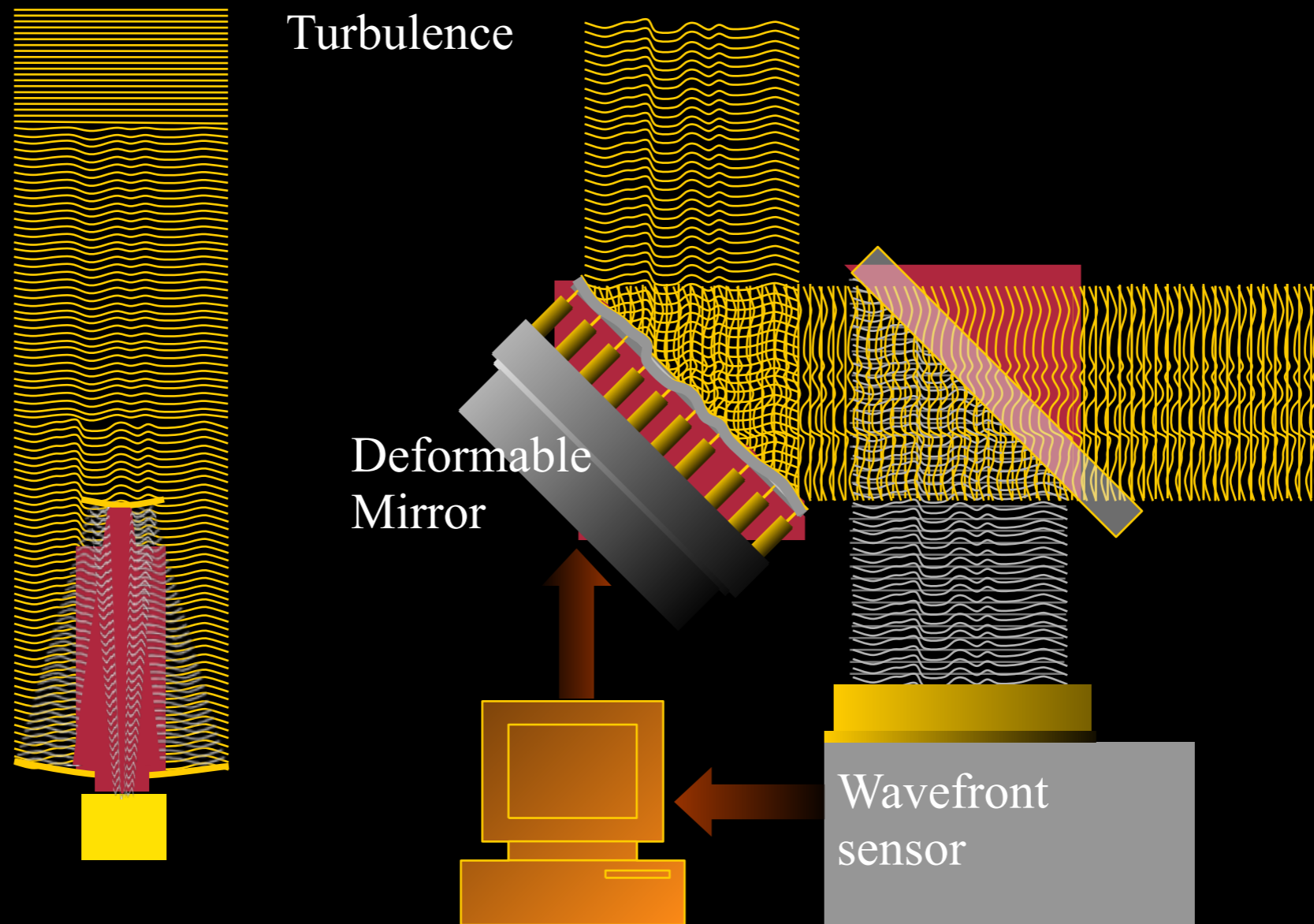


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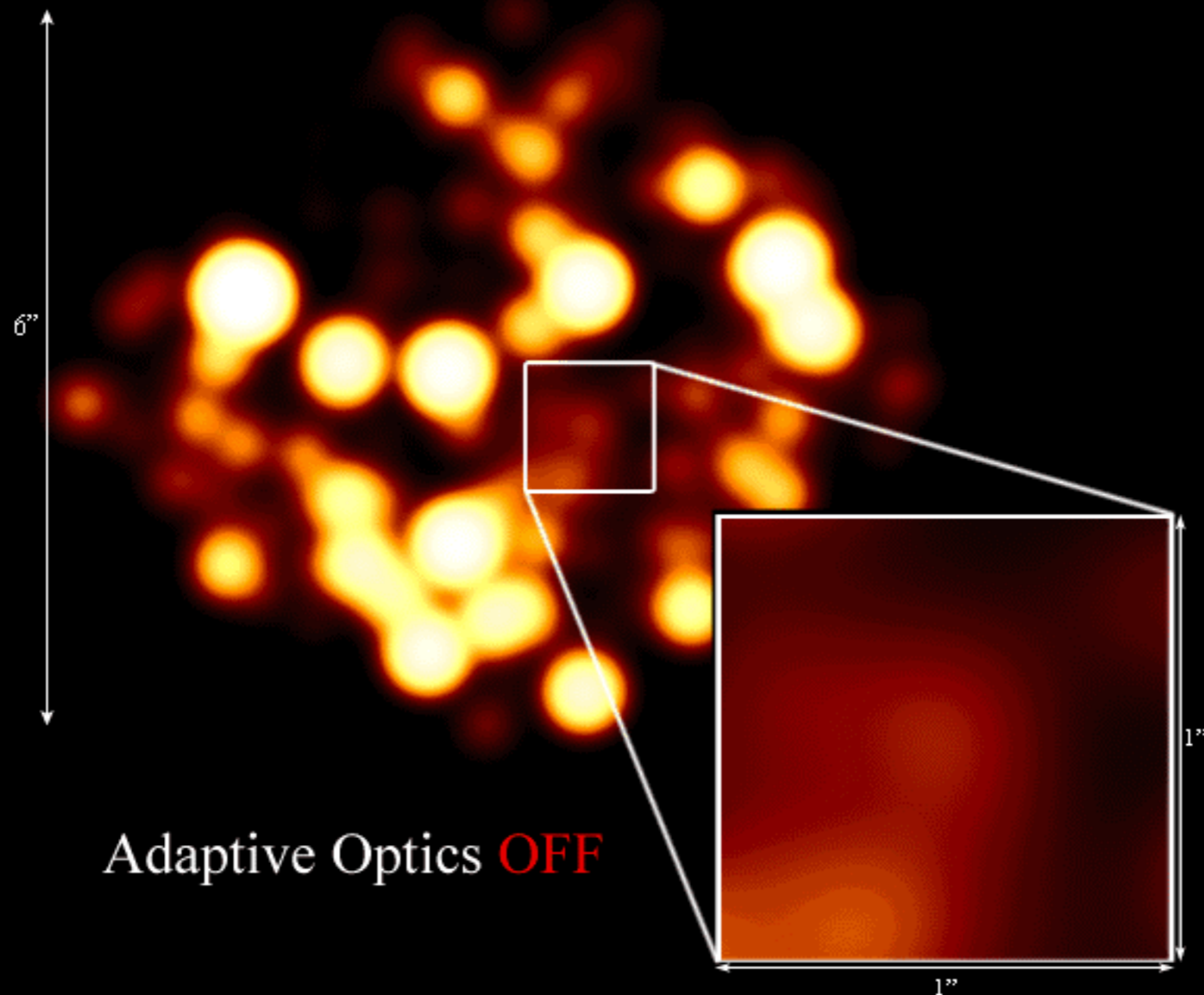
# ADAPTIVE OPTICS 101





# ADAPTIVE OPTICS IN ACTION

The Galactic Center at 2.2 microns





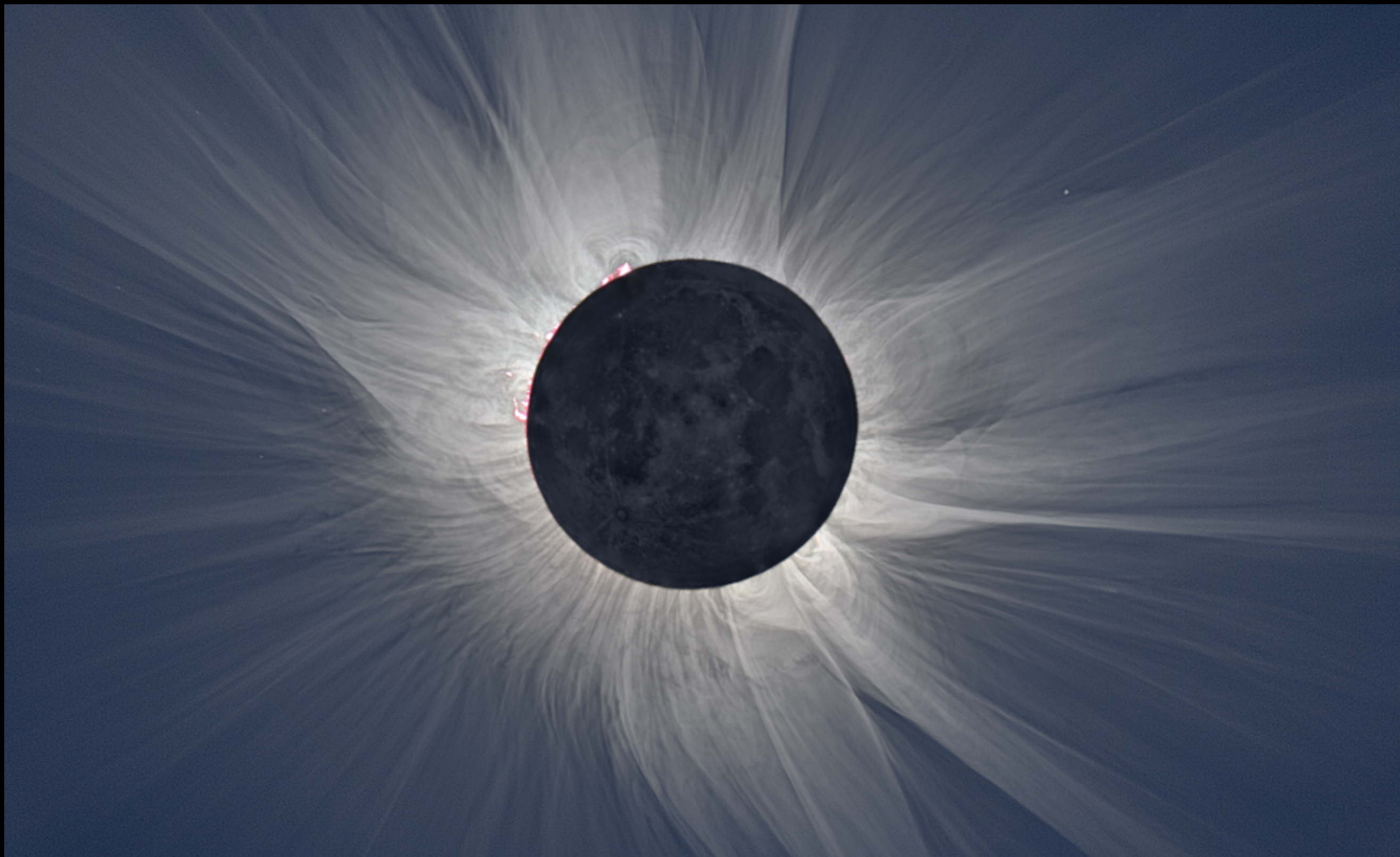
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# CREATING ARTIFICIAL ECLIPSES



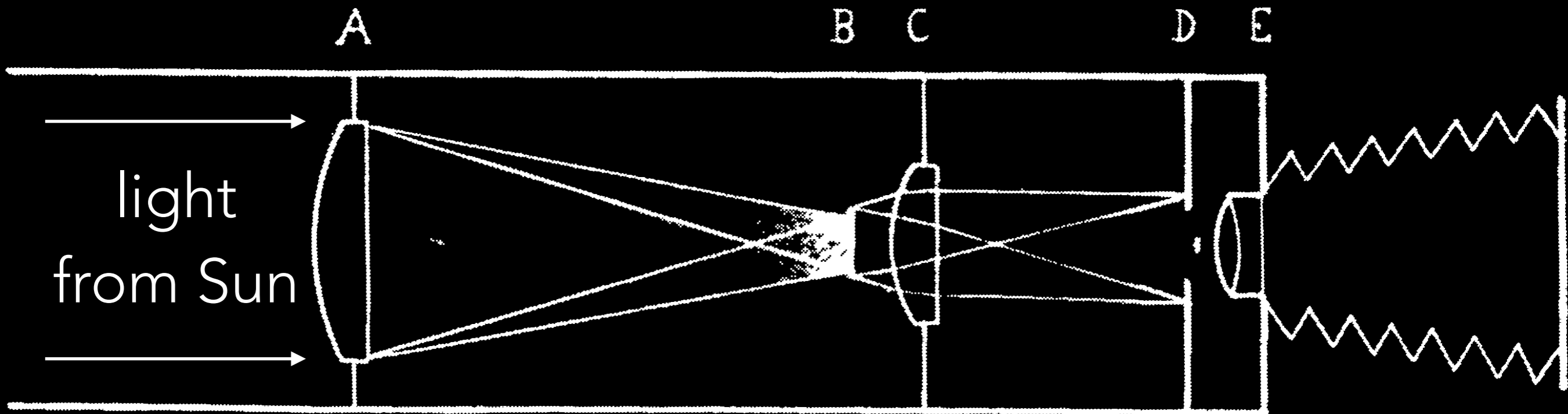


# CORONAGRAPHY, BERNARD LYOT 1930

“The rareness of total eclipses of the Sun, their short duration and the distances one has to travel to observe them have, for more than half a century, led astronomers and physicists to seek for a method which enables them to study the corona at any time.”

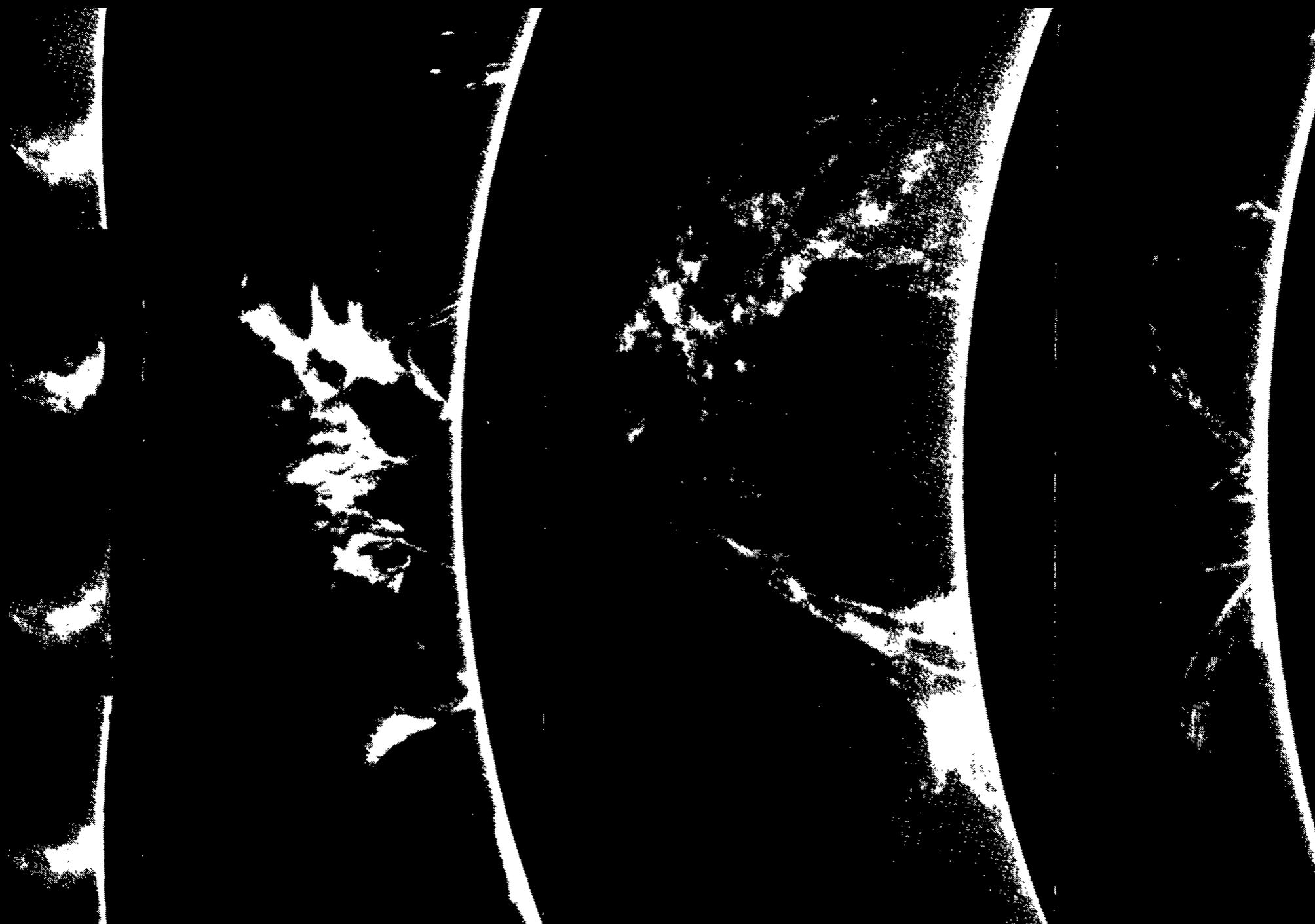


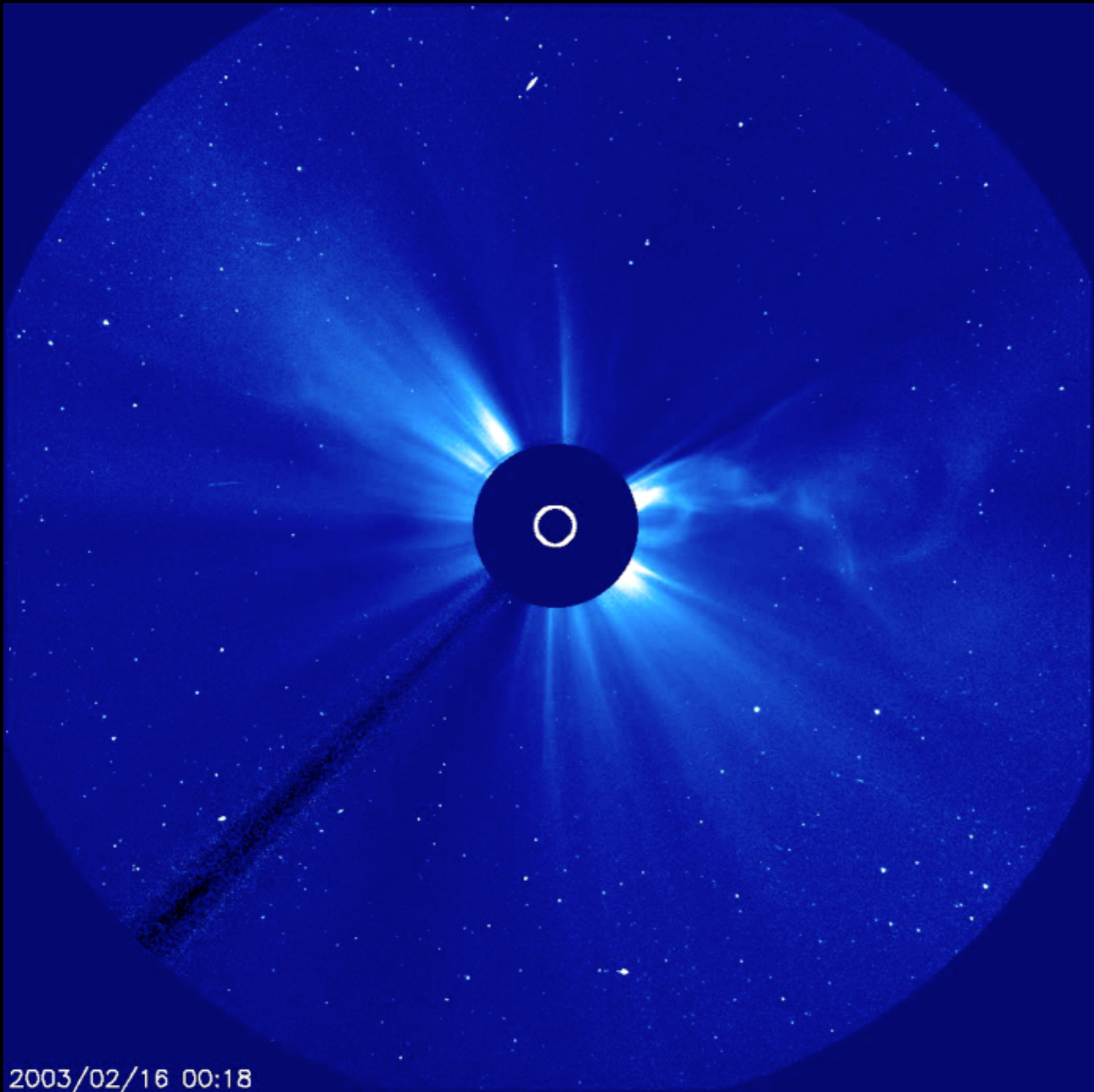
# LYOT'S CORONAGRAPH





# SOLAR CORONA IN 1930S WITH LYOT'S CORONAGRAPH!





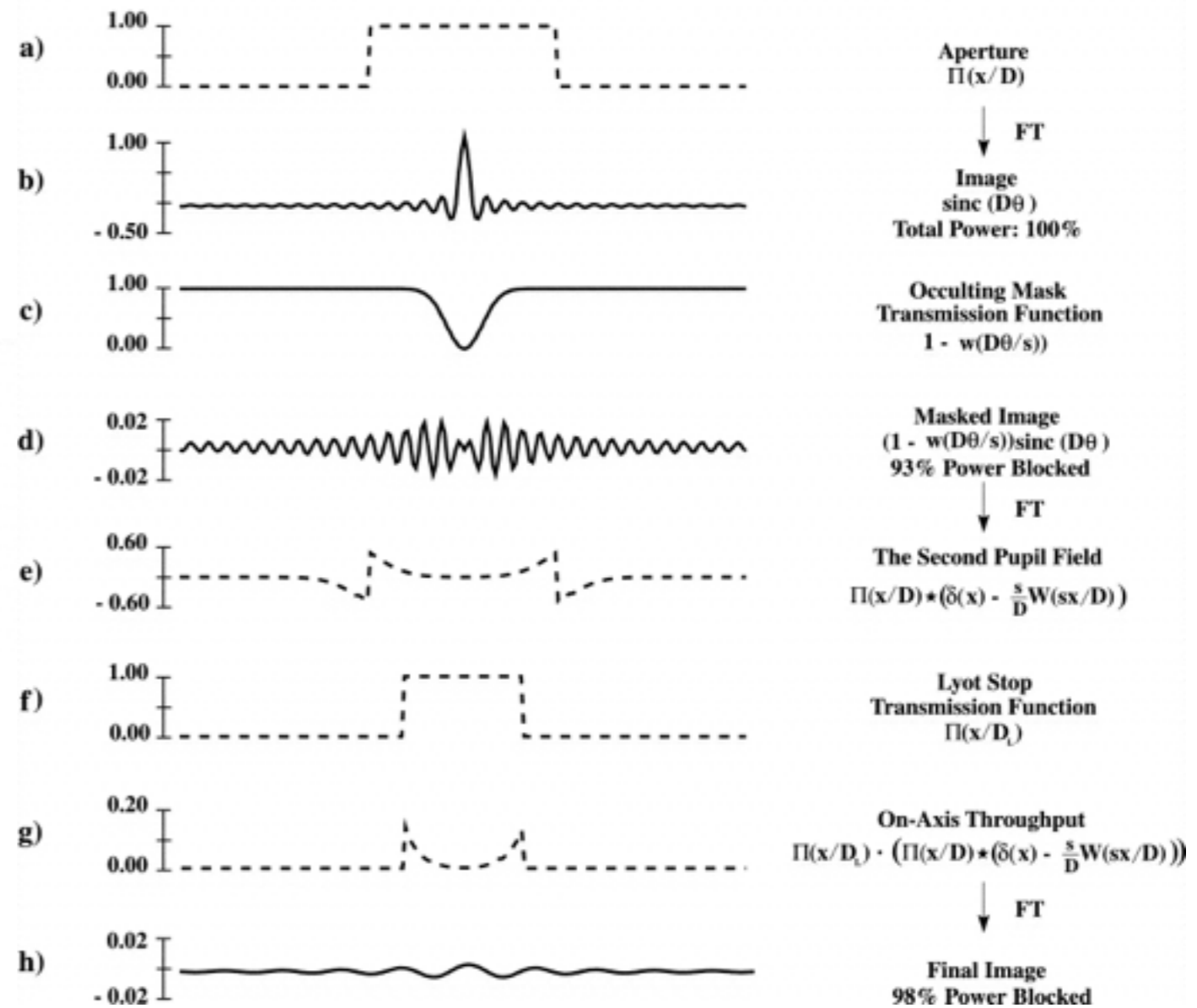
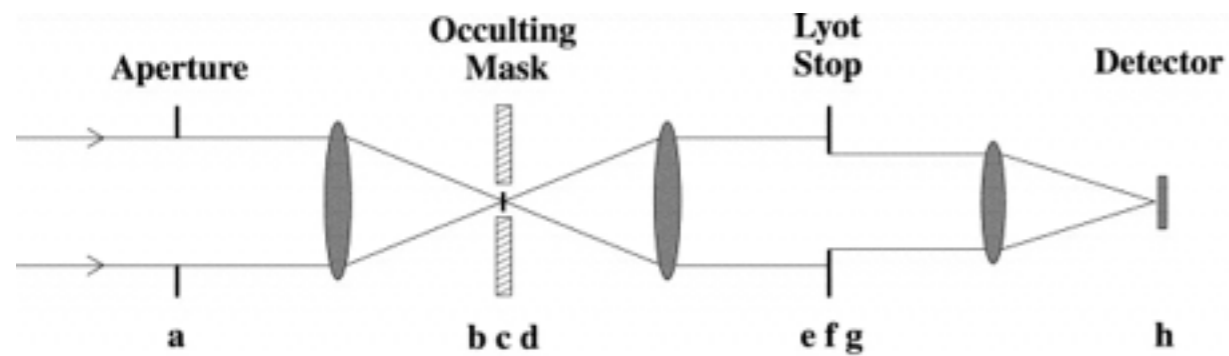
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# DEFINITION AND TERMINOLOGY

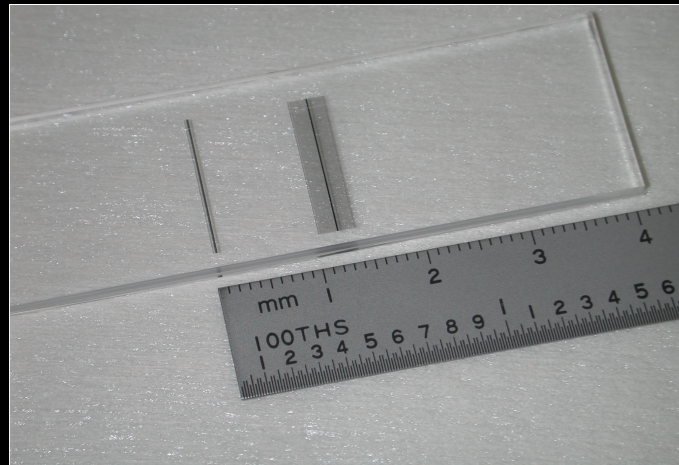
- *“A coronagraph is an optical device designed to suppress (or strongly attenuate) the on-axis coherent starlight while allowing the off-axis planet (or circumstellar disk) light to transmit through.”*
- Important definitions:
  - **Contrast:** The ratio of the peak of the stellar point spread function to the noise at the planet location.
  - **Inner Working Angle:** The smallest angle on the sky at which the needed contrast is achieved and the planet is reduced by no more than 50% relative to other angles.
  - **Throughput:** The ratio of the open telescope area remaining after high-contrast is achieved.
  - **Bandwidth:** The wavelengths at which high contrast is achieved.
  - **Sensitivity:** The degree to which contrast is degraded in the presence of aberrations.



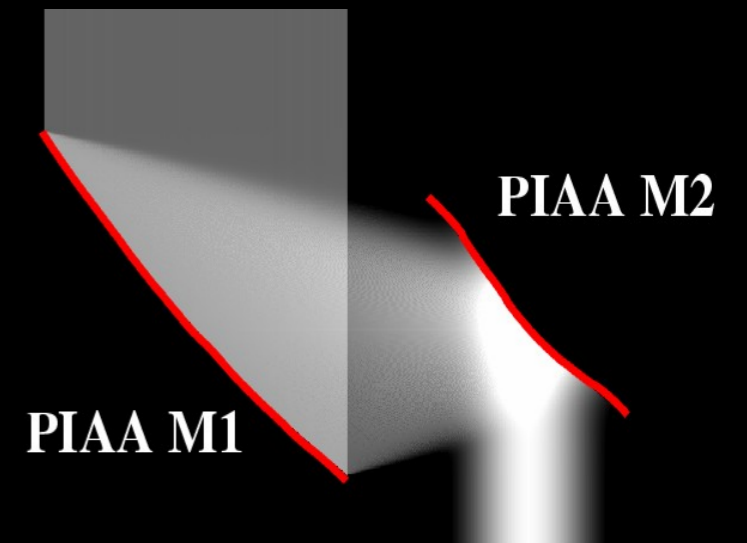
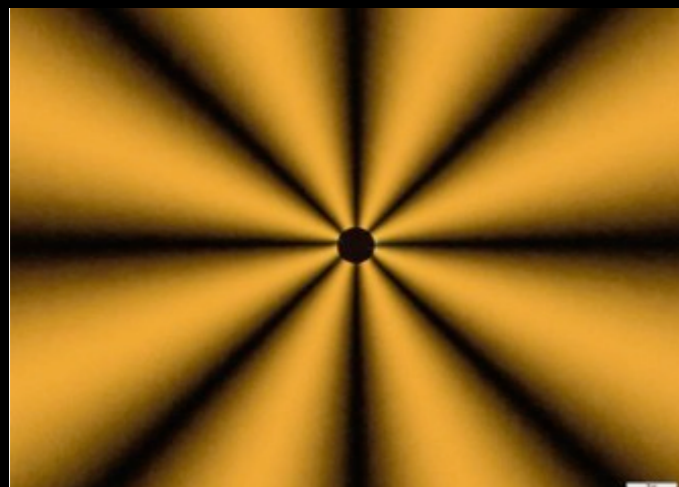
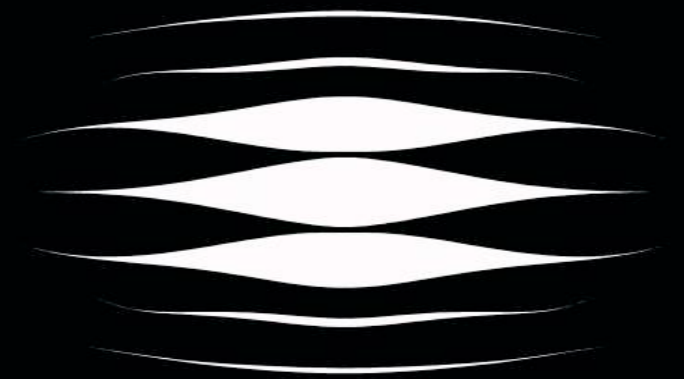
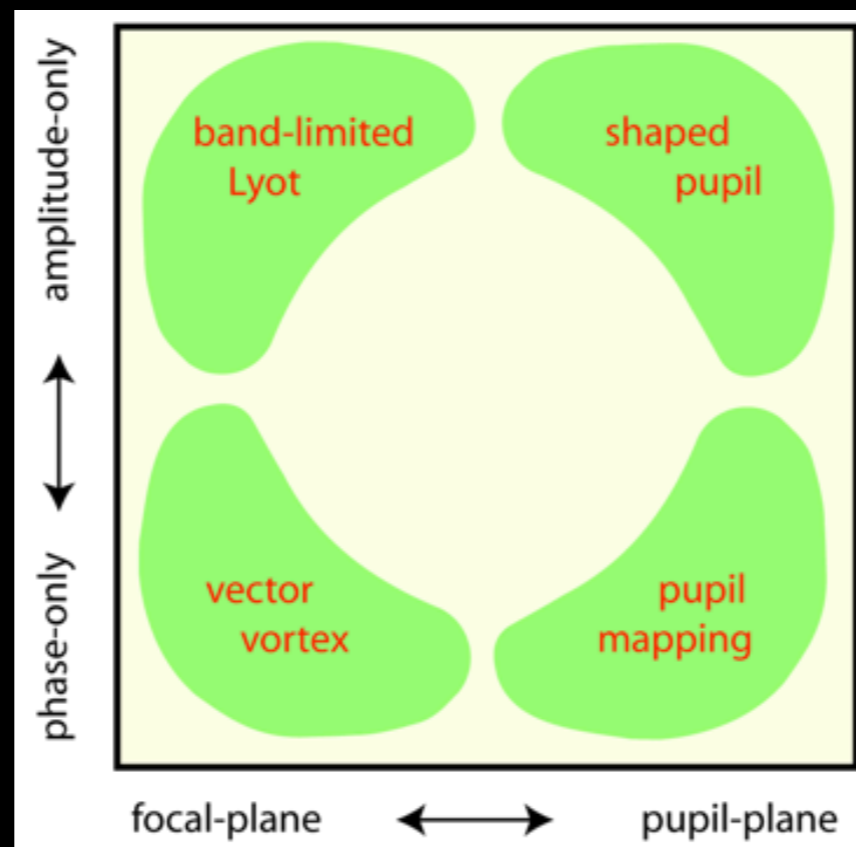
# LYOT CORONAGRAPH CONT'D: STEP BY STEP



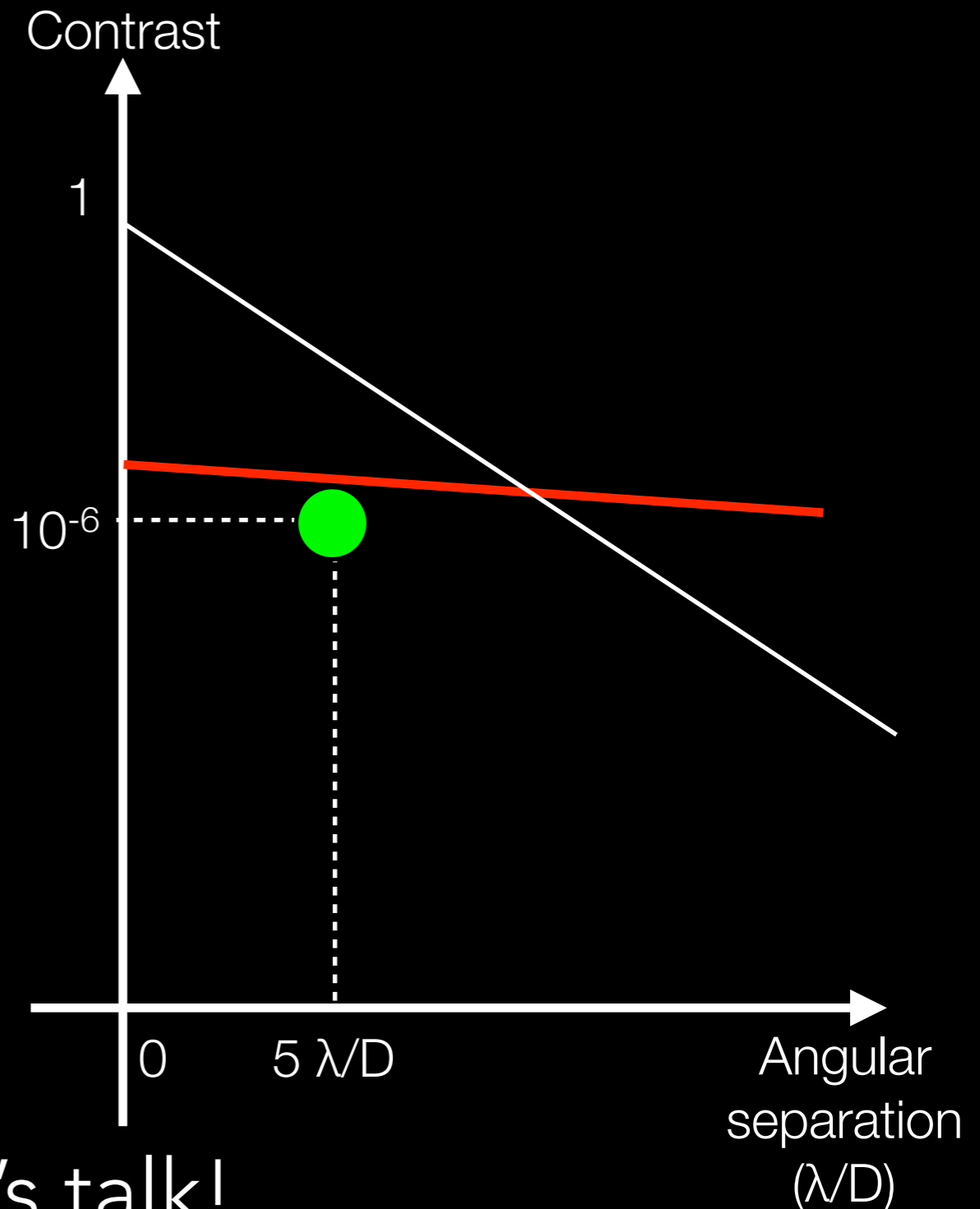
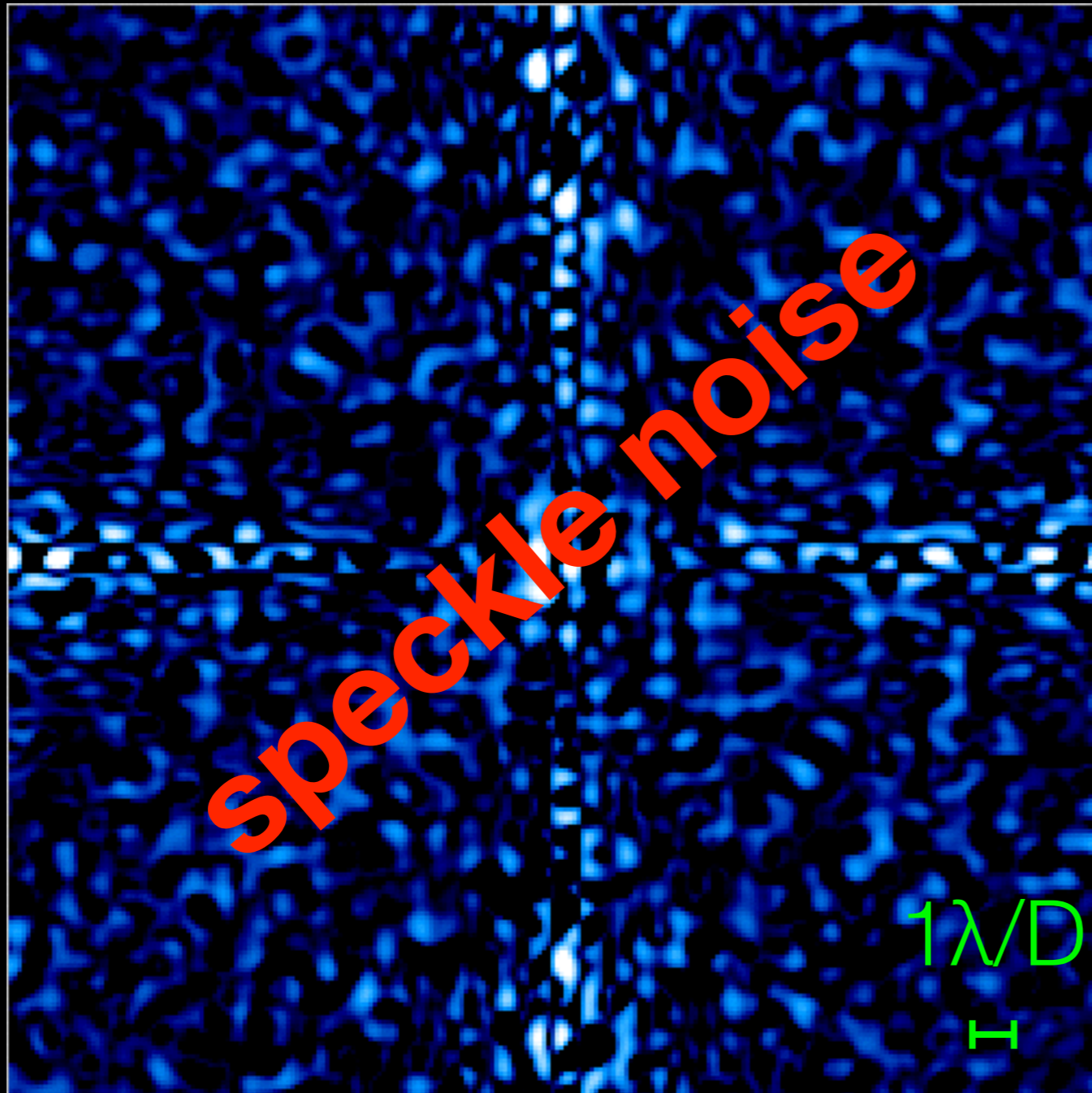
# GAMUT OF CORONAGRAPHY



J. Trauger (JPL)



DO YOU SEE THE PLANET AFTER THE CORONAGRAPH? NO?



See Laurent's talk!





Red pill:  
image plane  
wavefront sensing  
& control

Blue pill:  
differential  
imaging

I'll have both!

# WAVEFRONT CONTROL & CORONAGRAPH IN ACTION



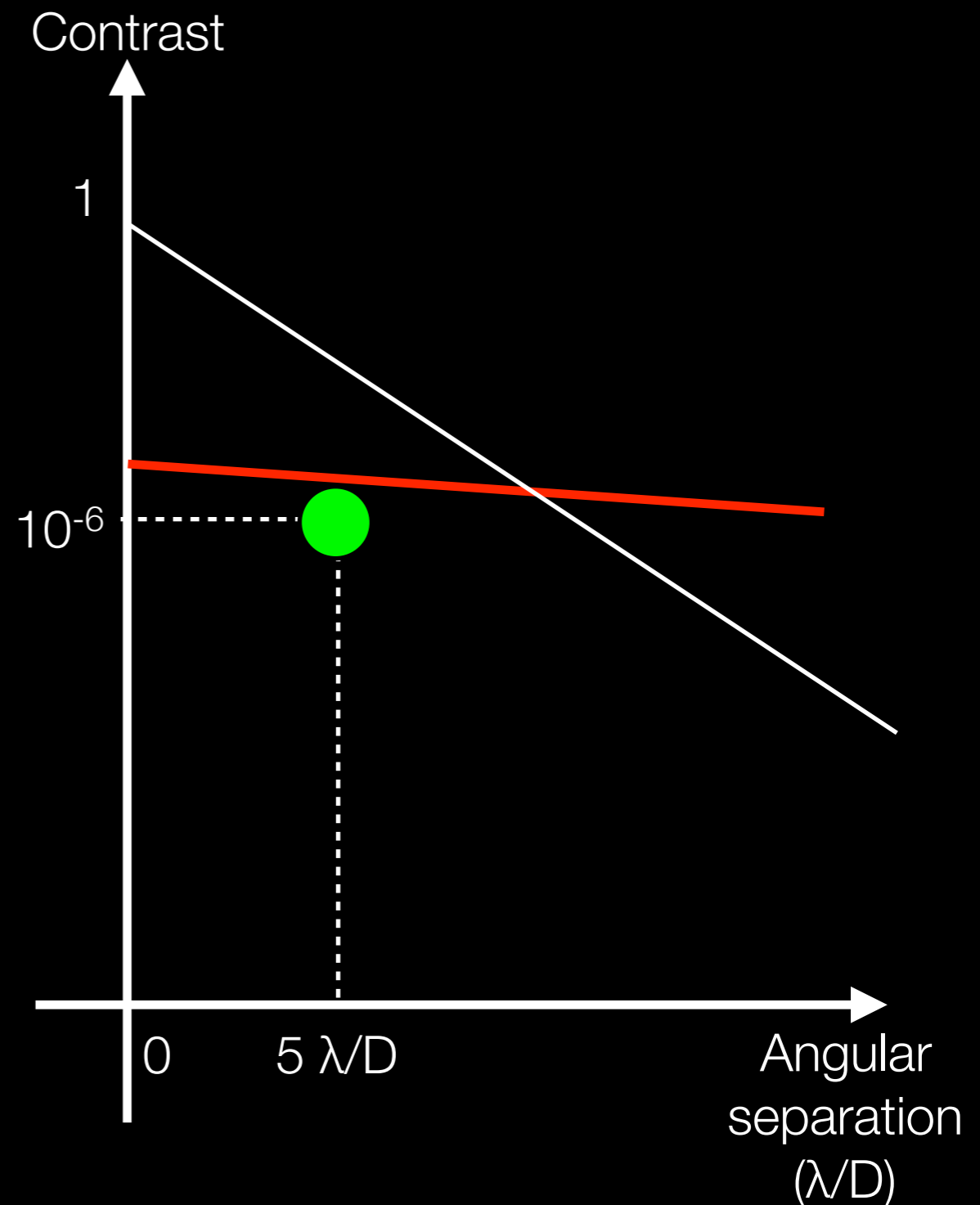
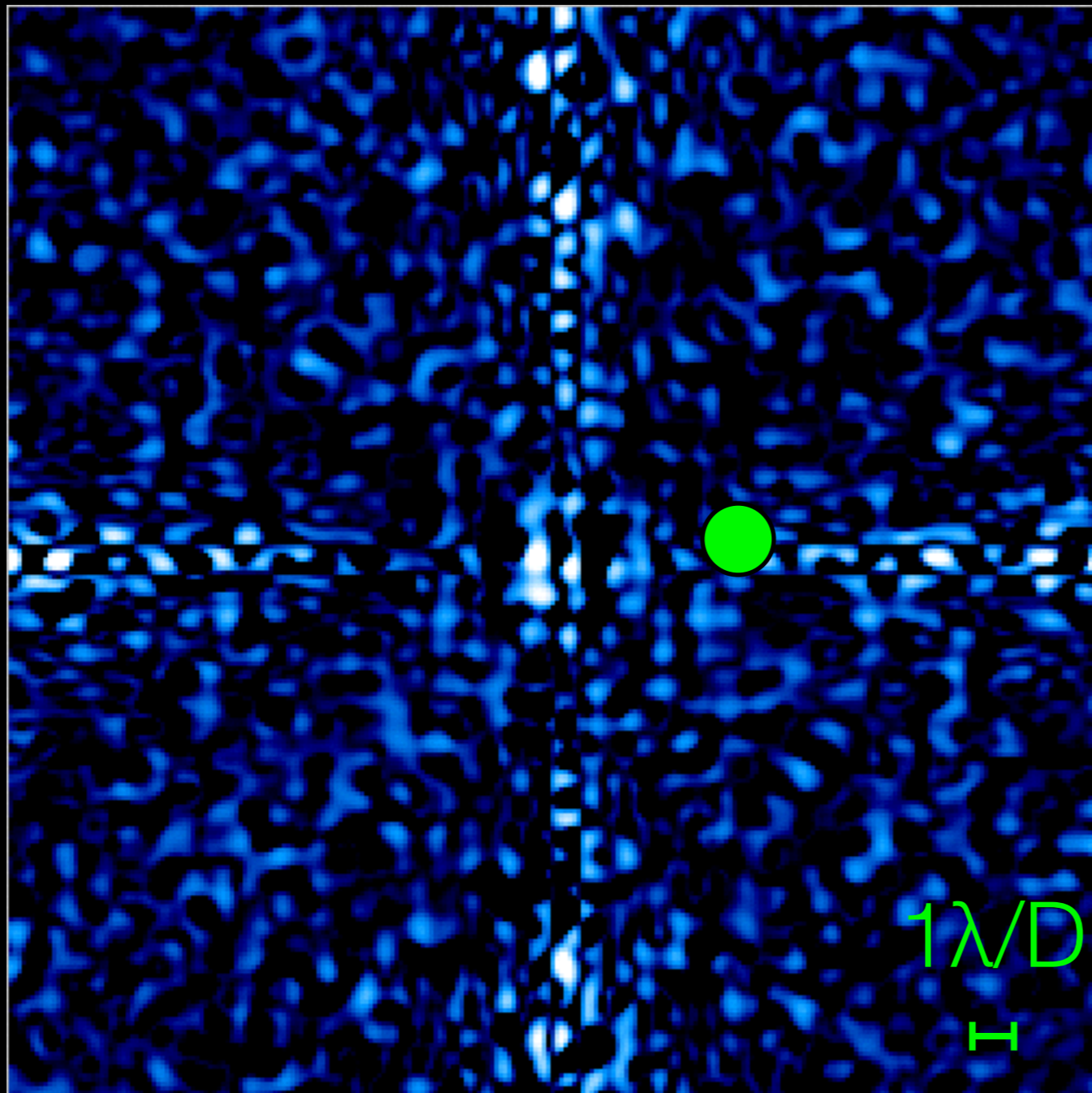
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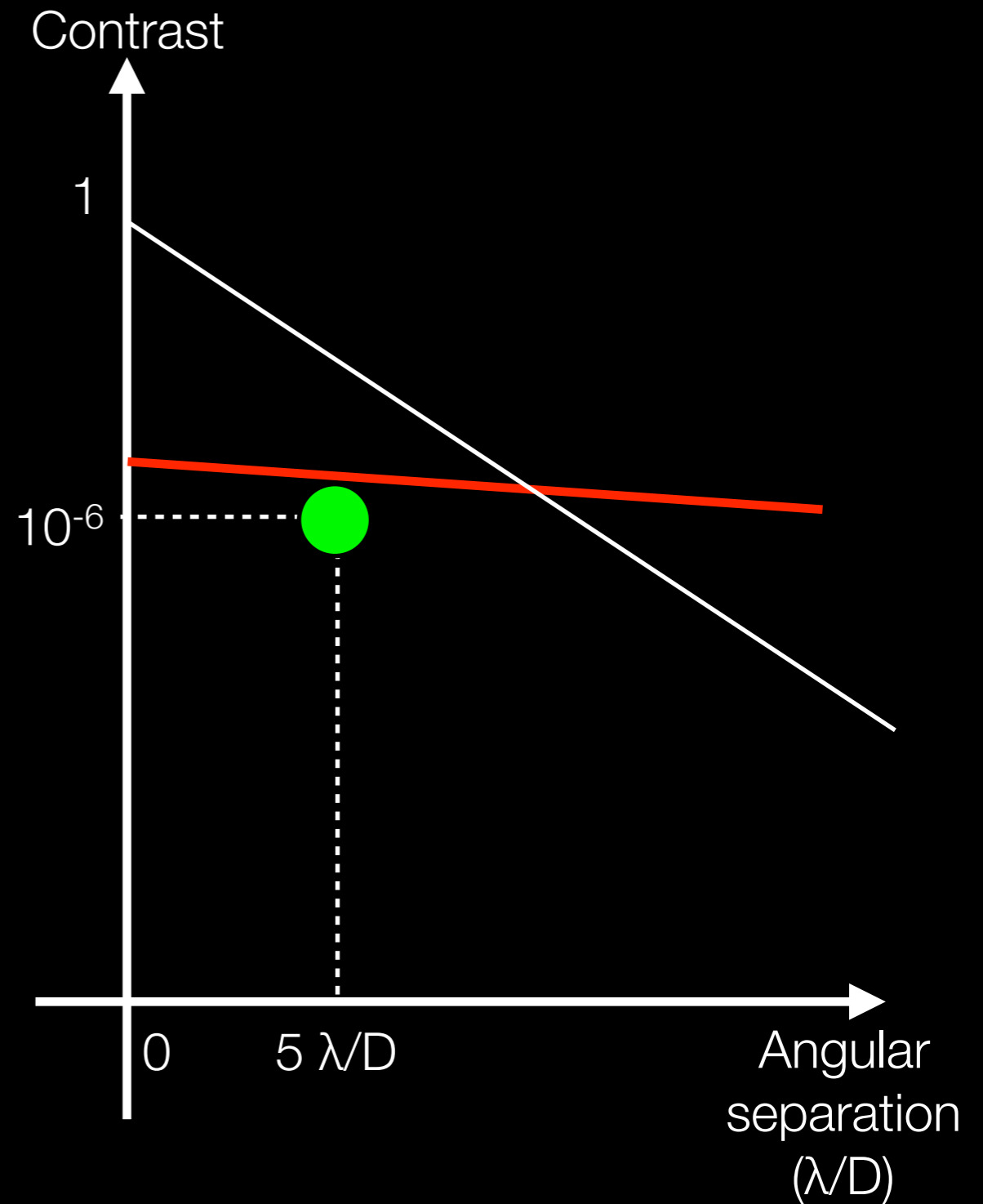
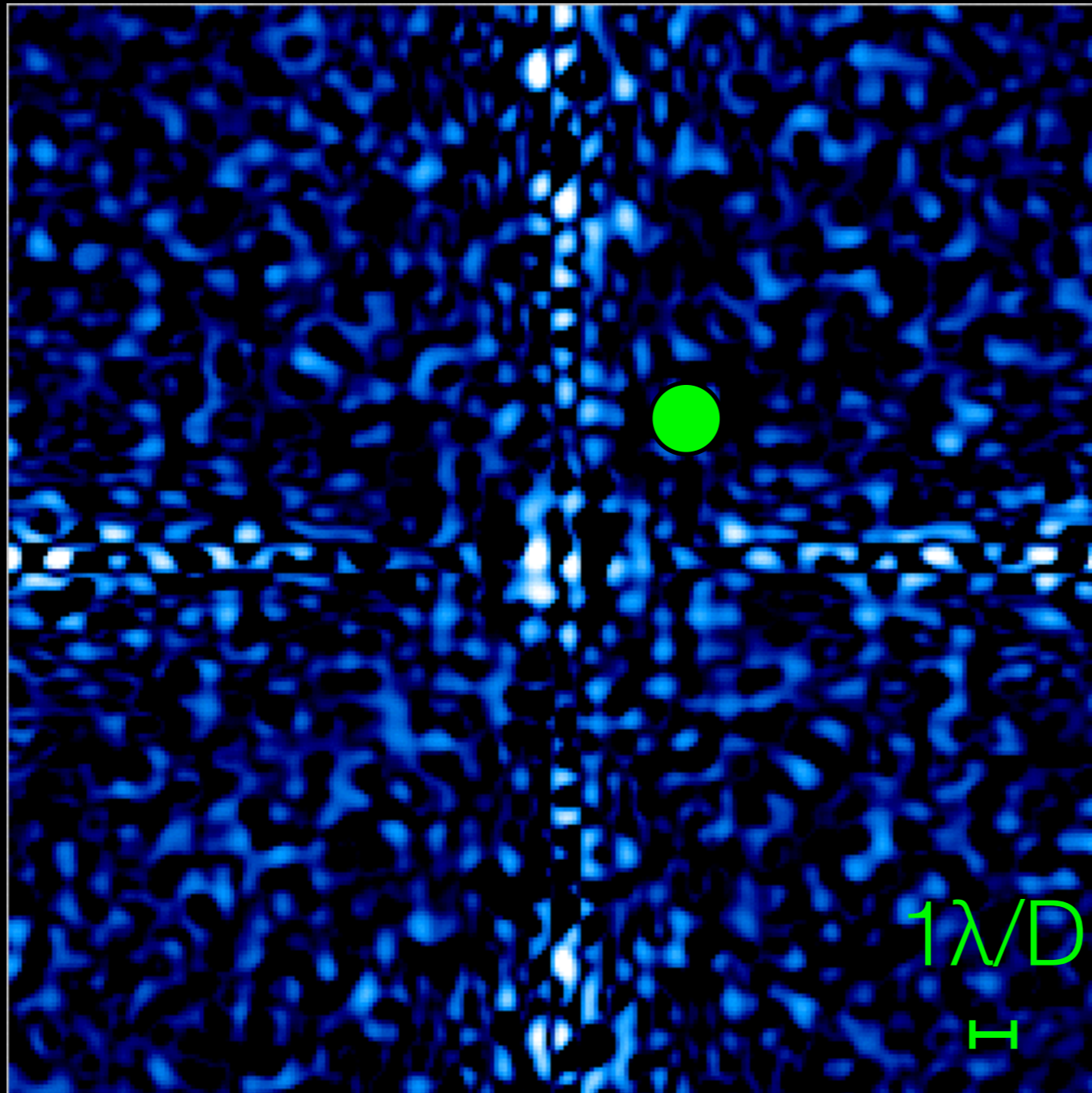




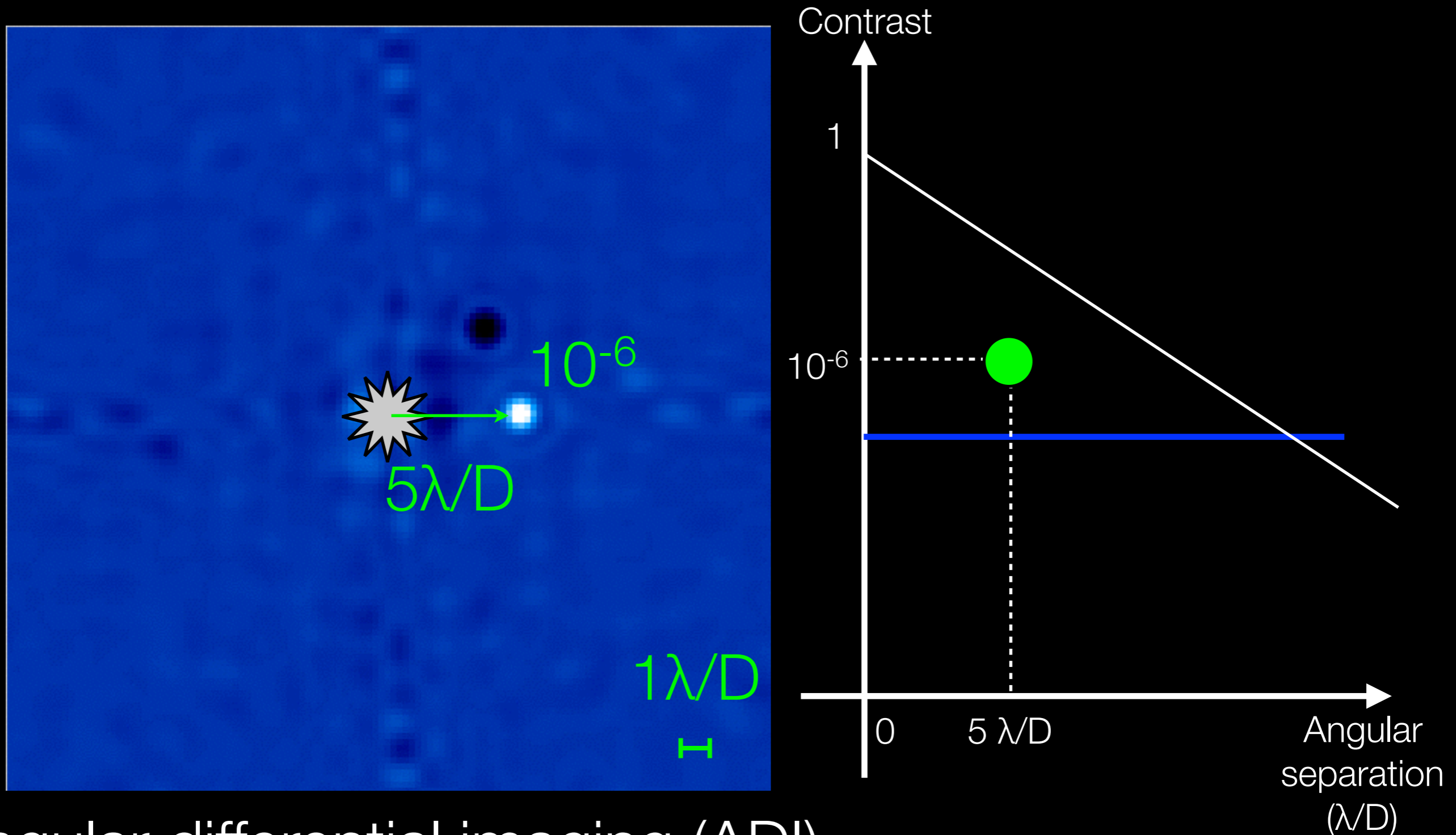
# THE PLANET IS 10-1000 FAINTER THAN THE SPECKLE NOISE FLOOR



# ROLL TELESCOPE BY $45^\circ$

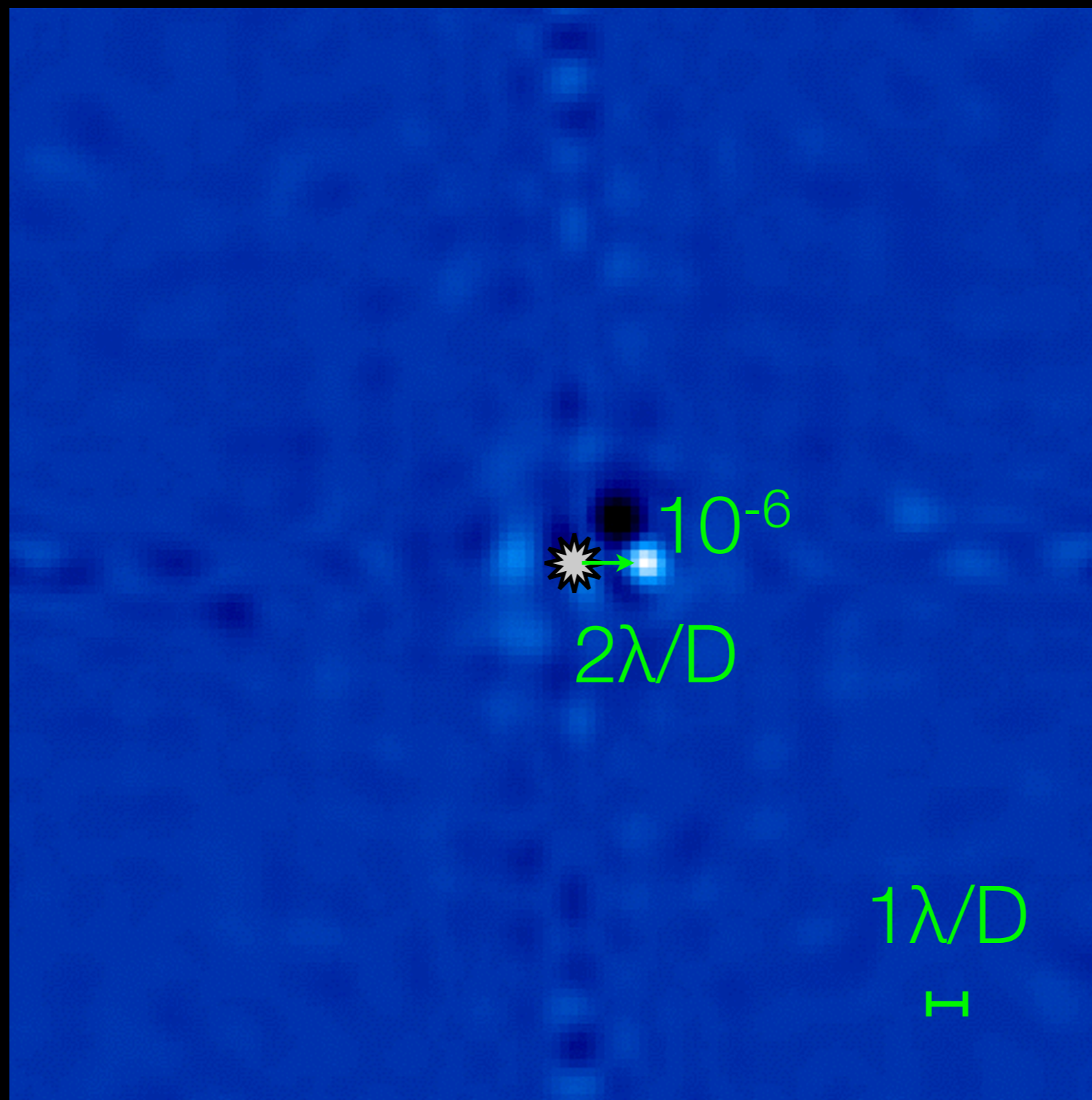


# SUBTRACT BOTH IMAGES

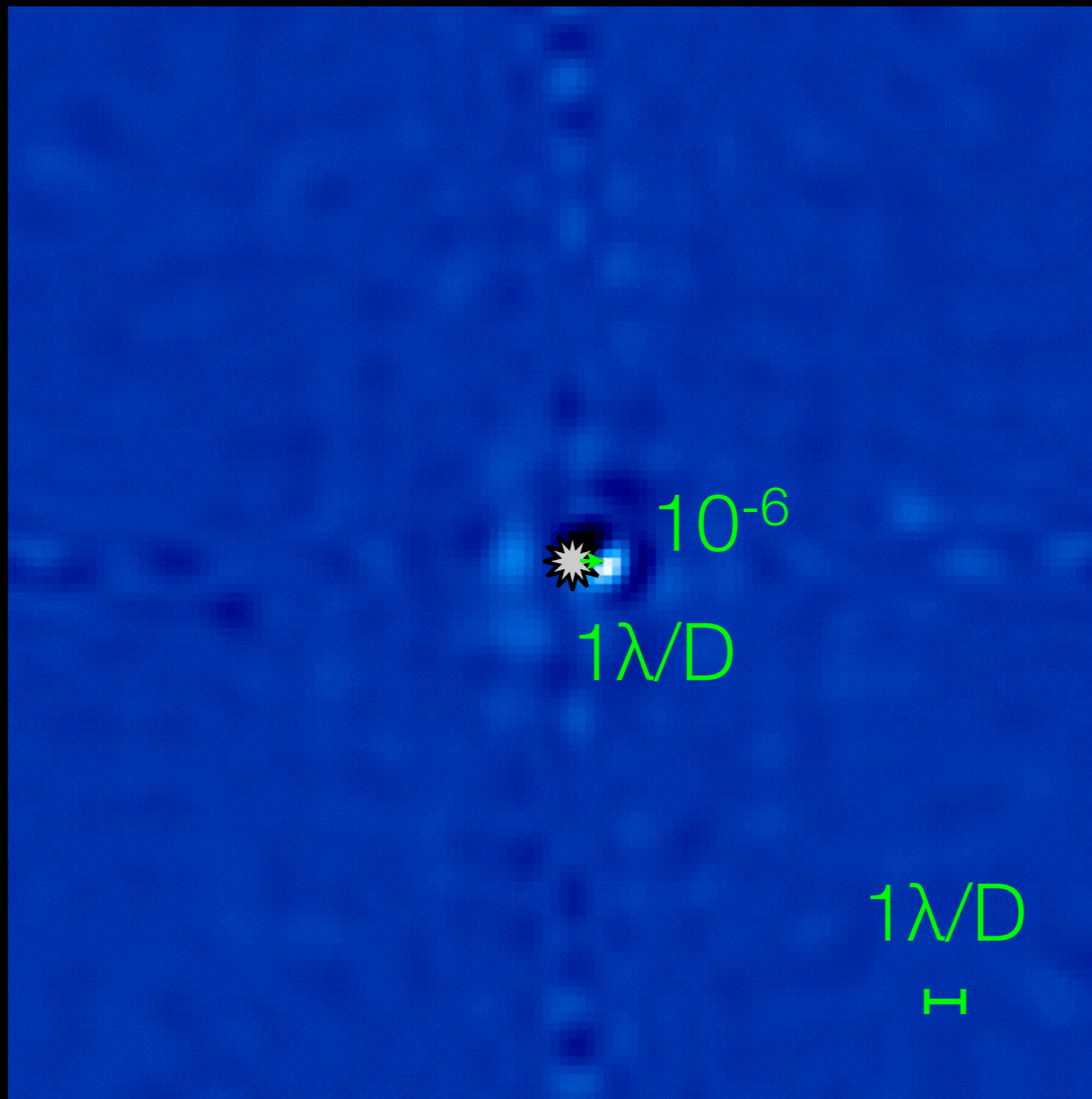




# ADI AT SMALL ANGLES (IWA)

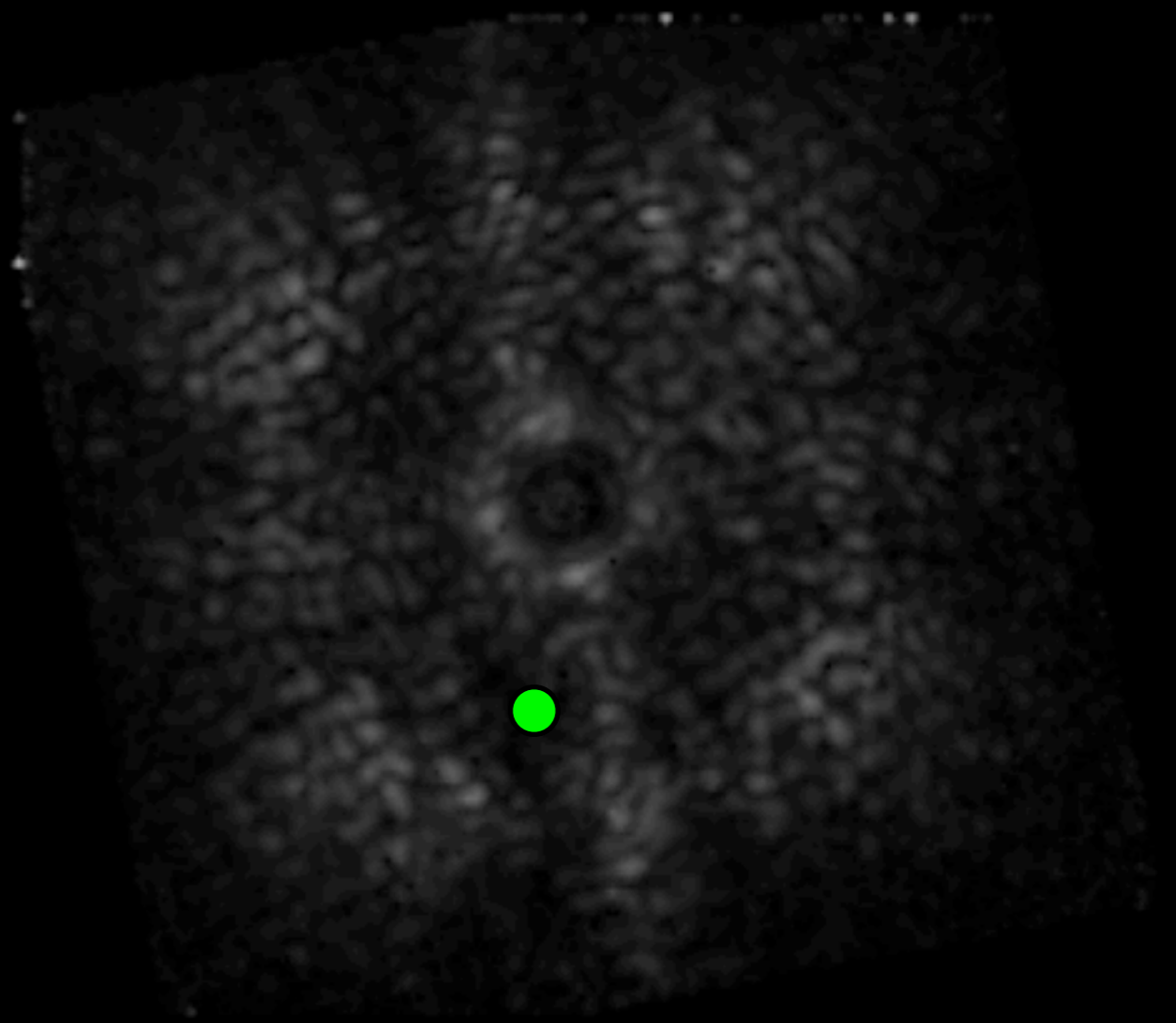


# EXOPLANET SIGNAL SELF-SUBTRACT



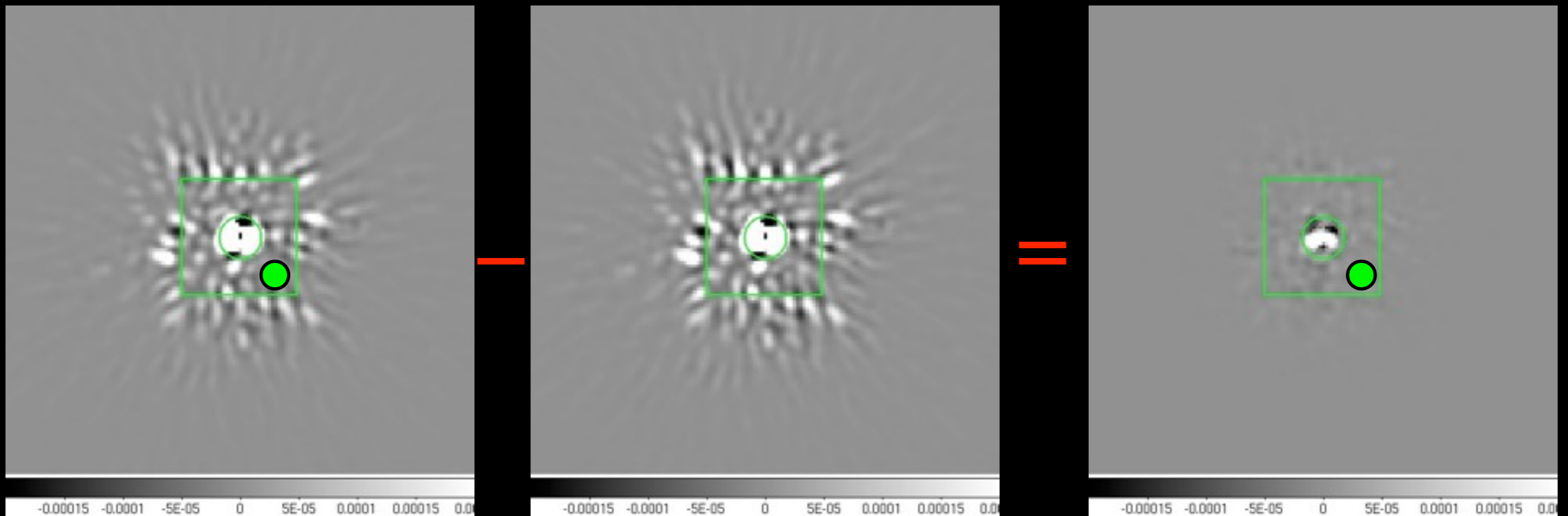
# SPECTRAL DIFFERENTIAL IMAGING (SDI)

- Requires dual beam imagers or integral field spectrographs = hyperspectral imaging
- Speckles scale as  $\lambda$
- Real objects don't move
- Suffers from self subtraction at small IWA too





# REFERENCE STAR DIFFERENTIAL IMAGING (RDI)



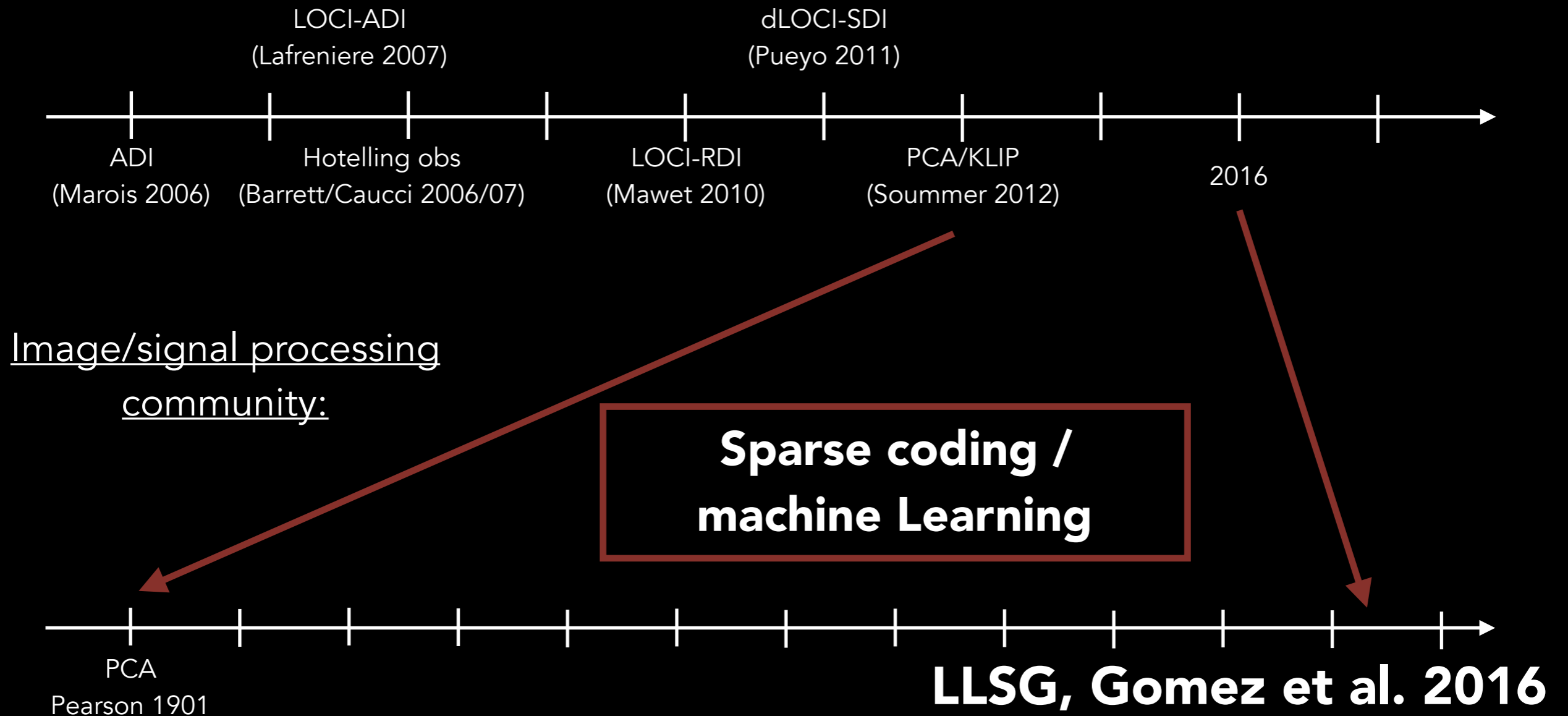
- Observe another similar star close in time, with as little telescope motion as possible
- Polarization differential imaging (PDI)
  - ➔ NO geometrical limitations at small IWA

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# OPTIMAL WAY OF COMBINING DATA



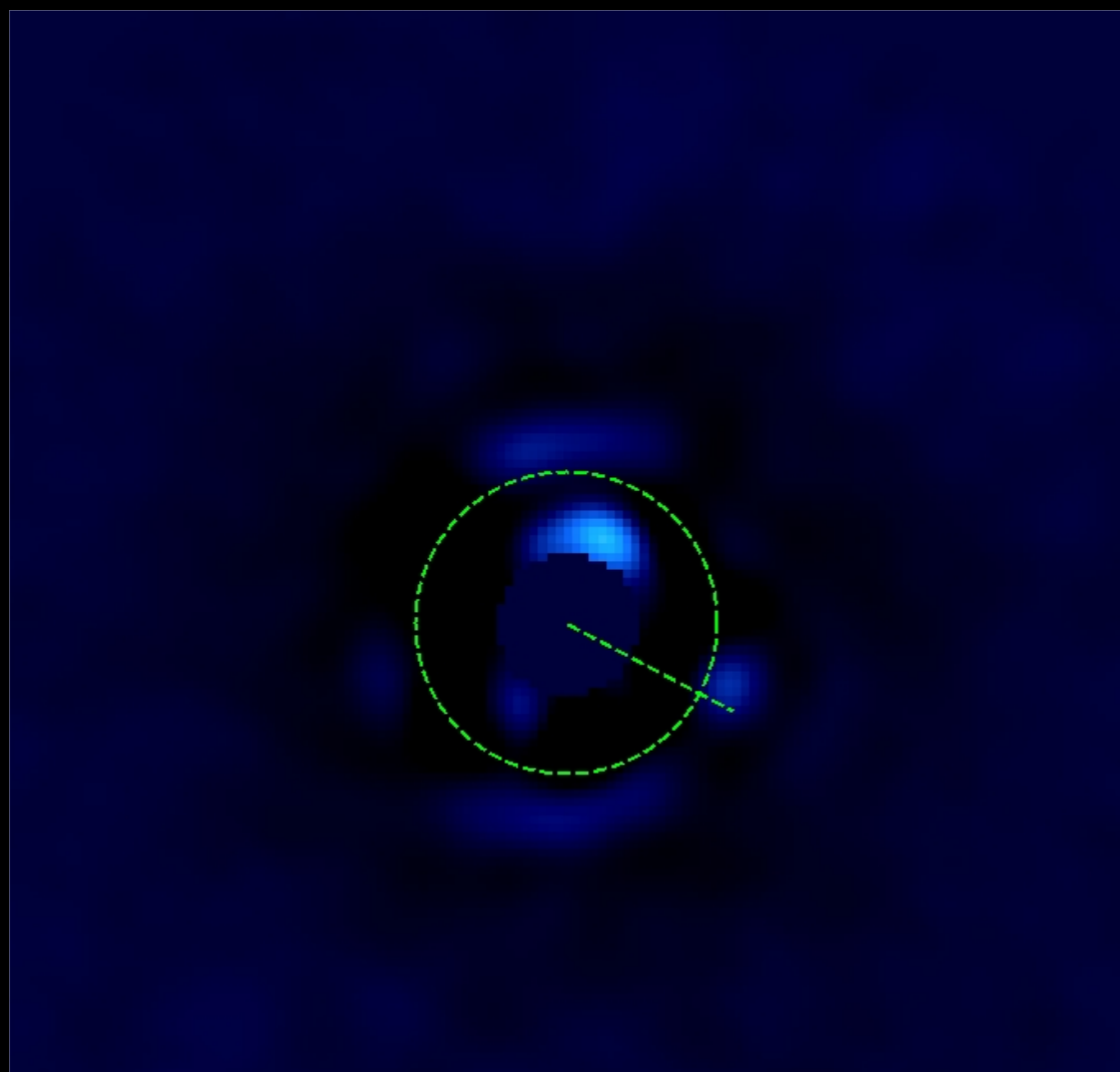
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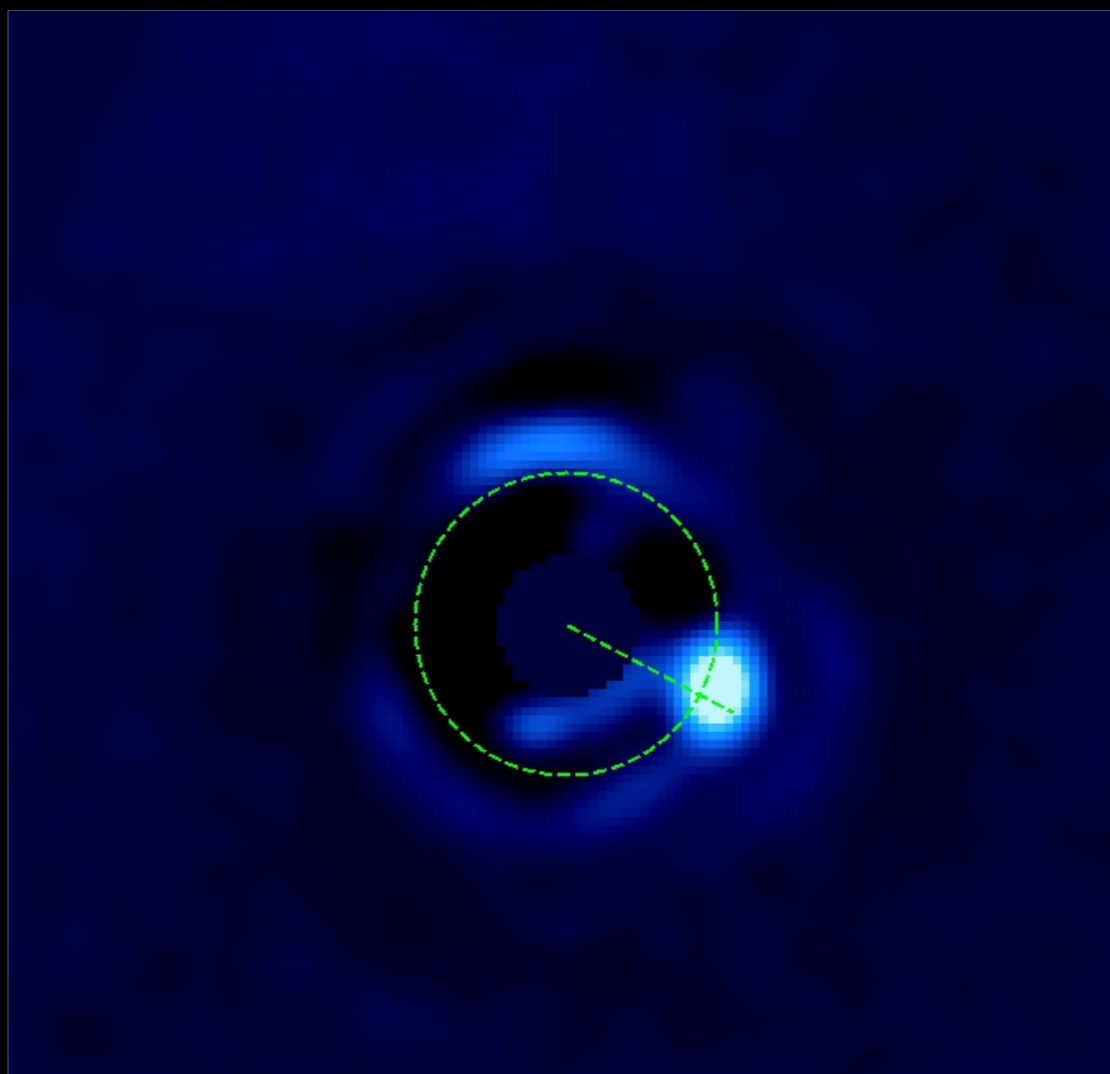
# MACHINE LEARNING?

- For a given instrument, during its 10+ year lifetime, a library of 1000s realizations of reference images can be assembled
- Using PCA-like methods, a low-rank approximation of the PSF can be built
- This method can be very powerful as it is not affected by the self-subtraction bias of ADI, and SDI

EXAMPLE: LEARNING THE LOW-RANK APPROXIMATION  
FROM A LIBRARY OF REFERENCE IMAGES



ADI



RDI

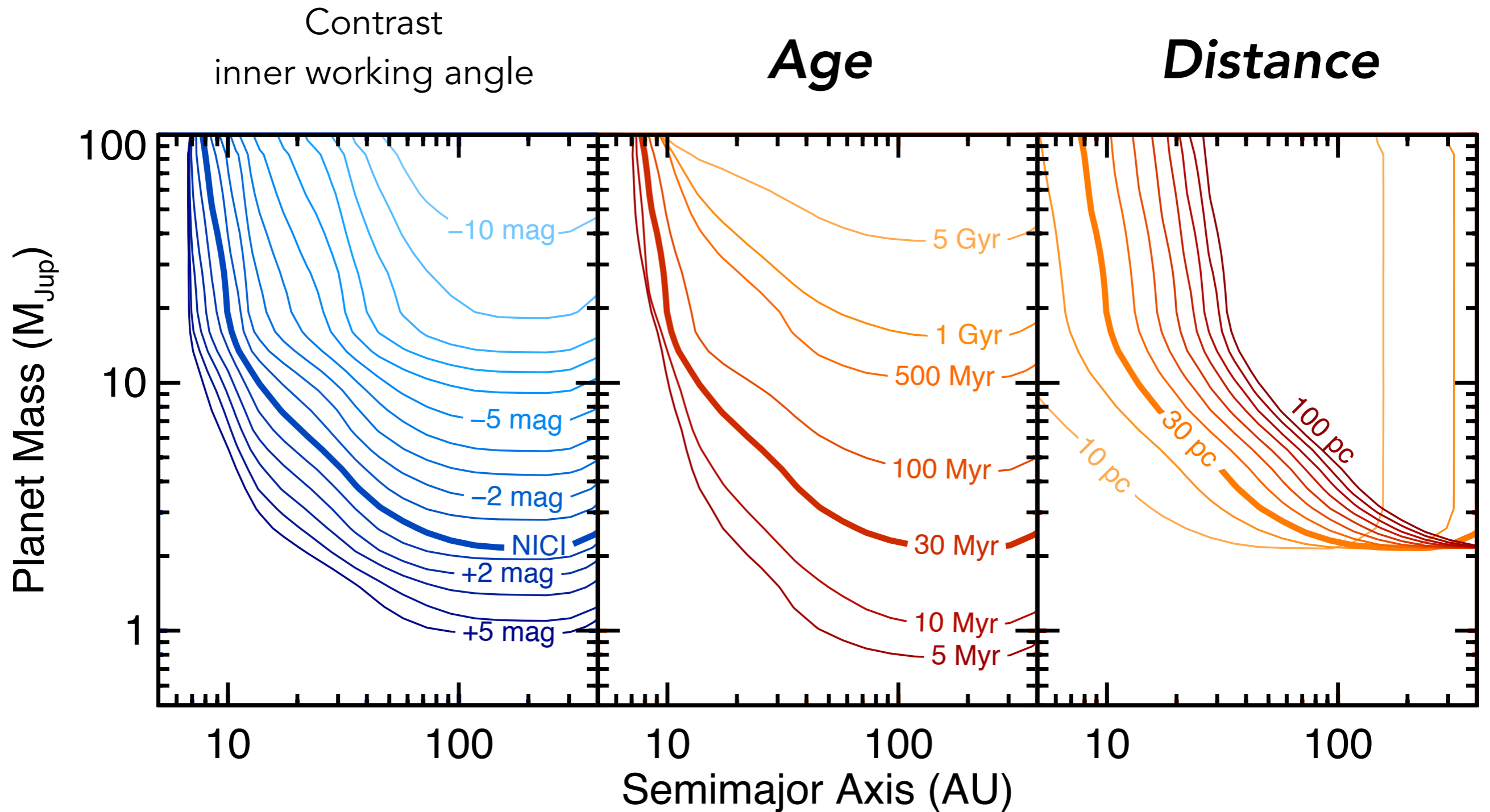
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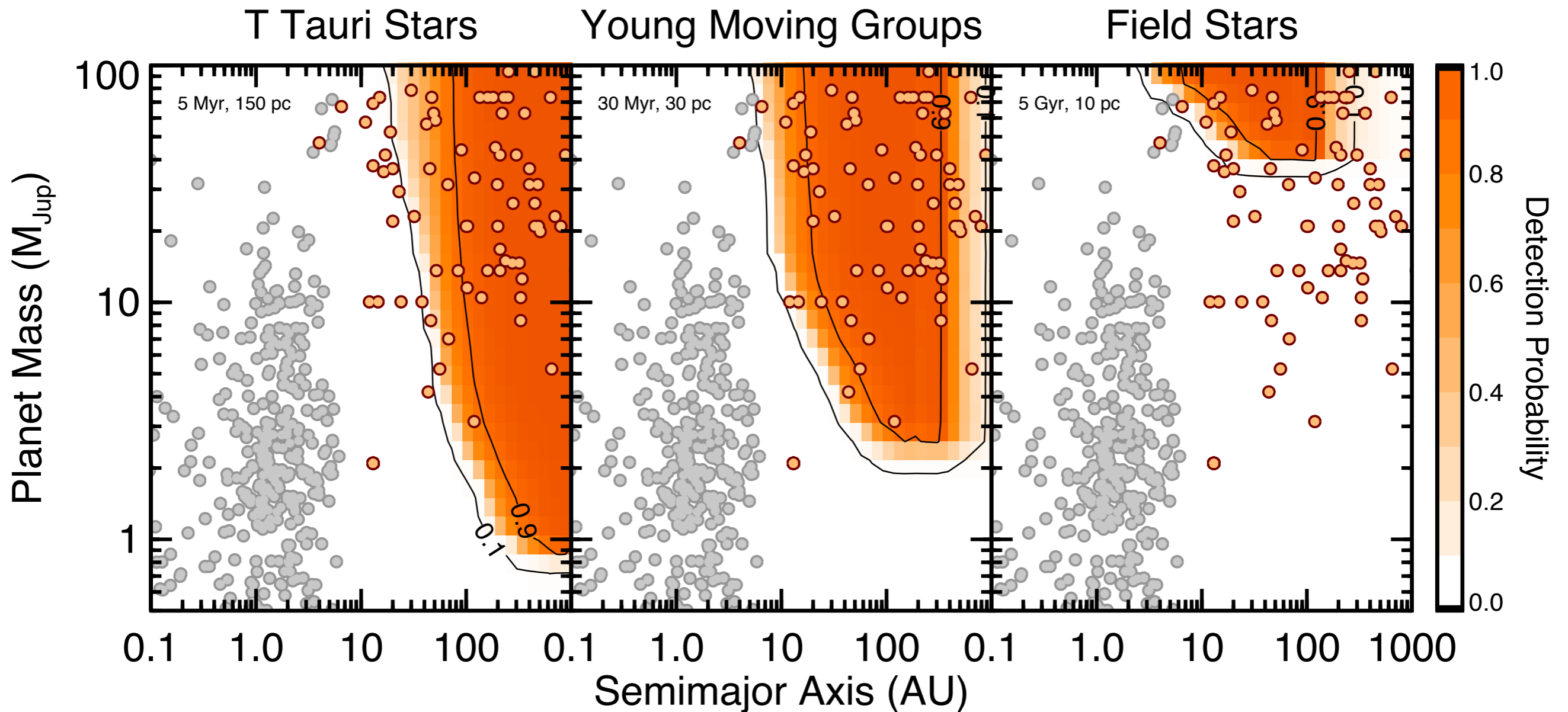


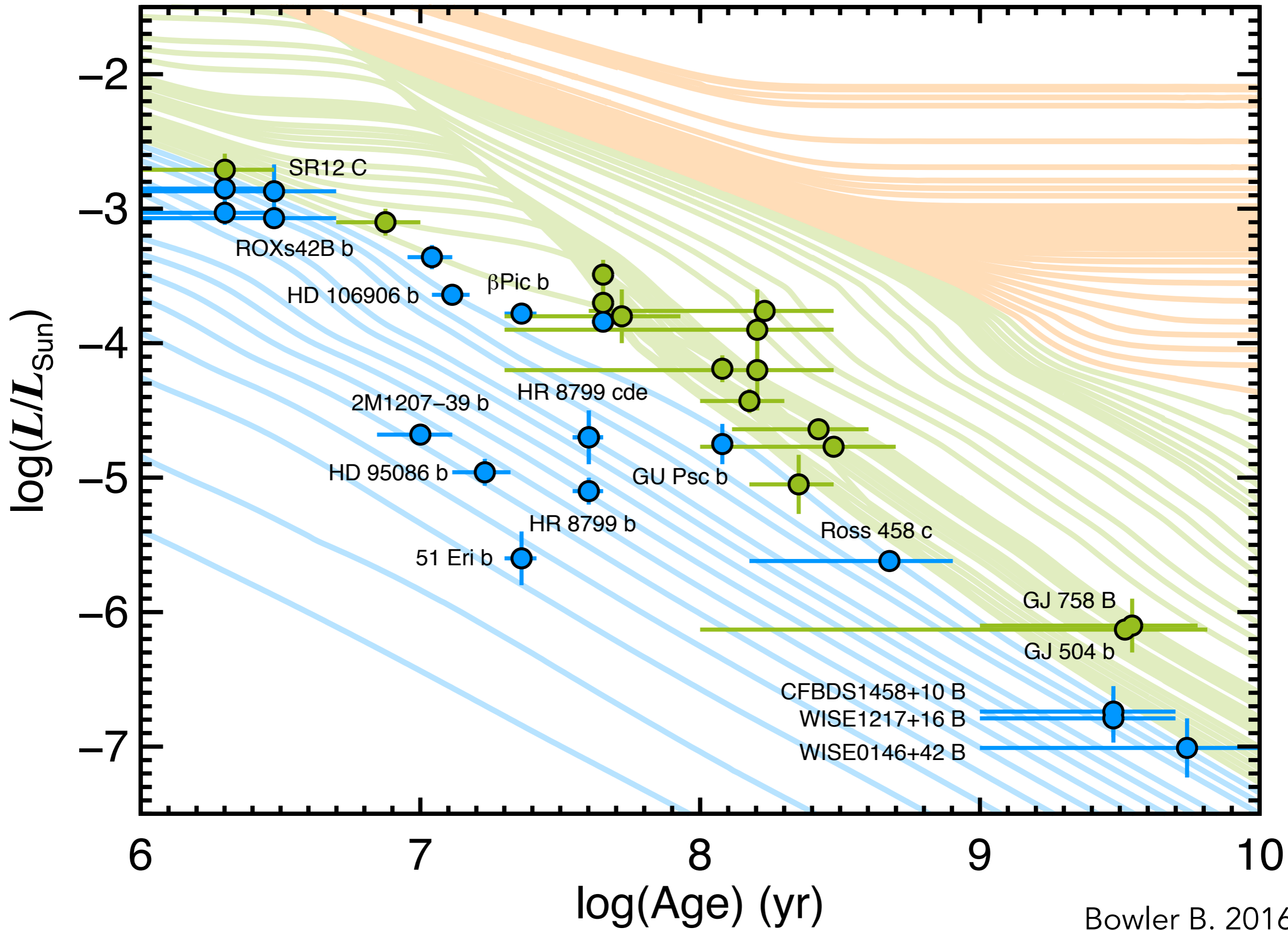


# DIRECT IMAGING SENSITIVITY DRIVERS



# INFLUENCE OF STAR SAMPLE ON DIRECT IMAGING SENSITIVITY

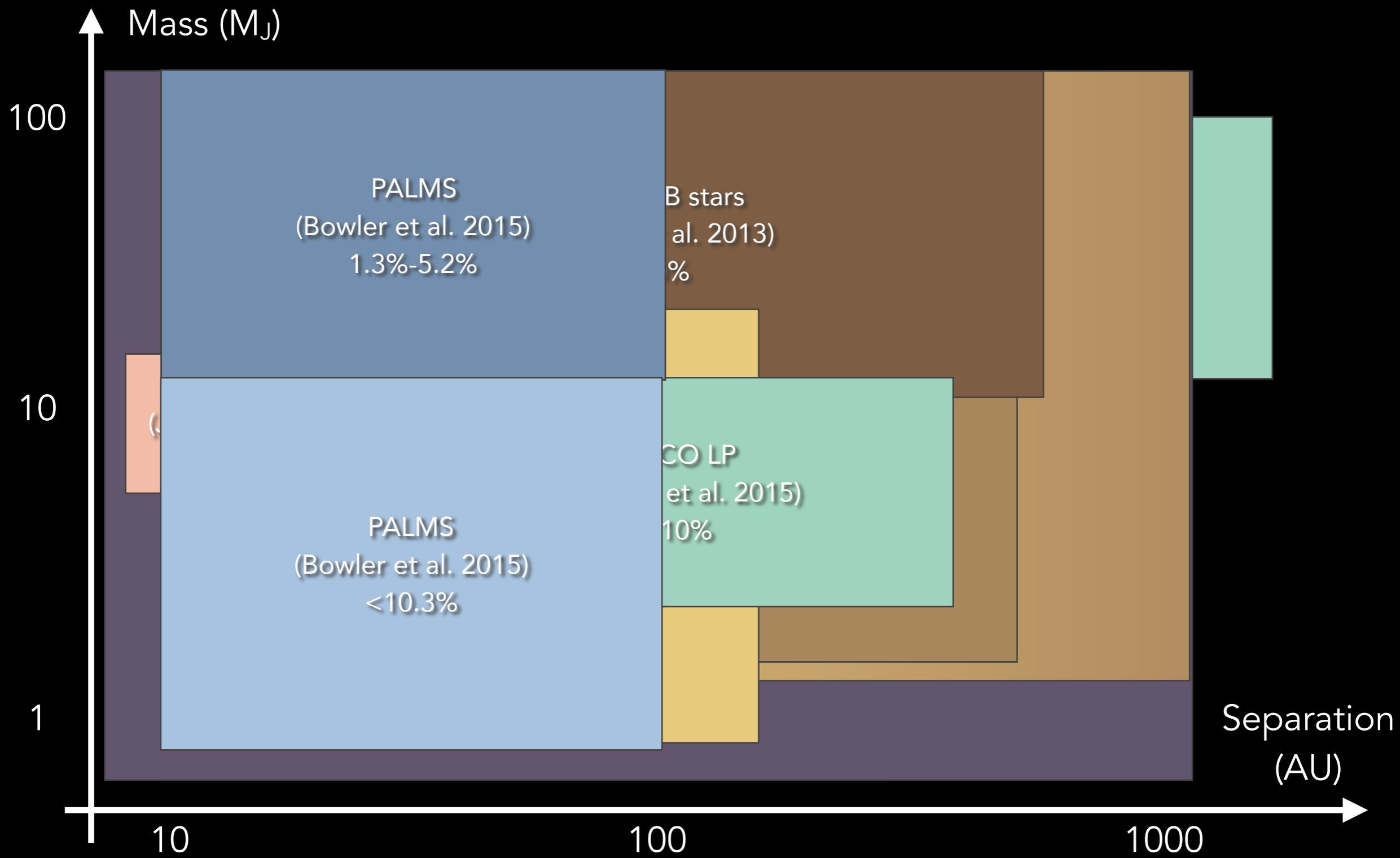






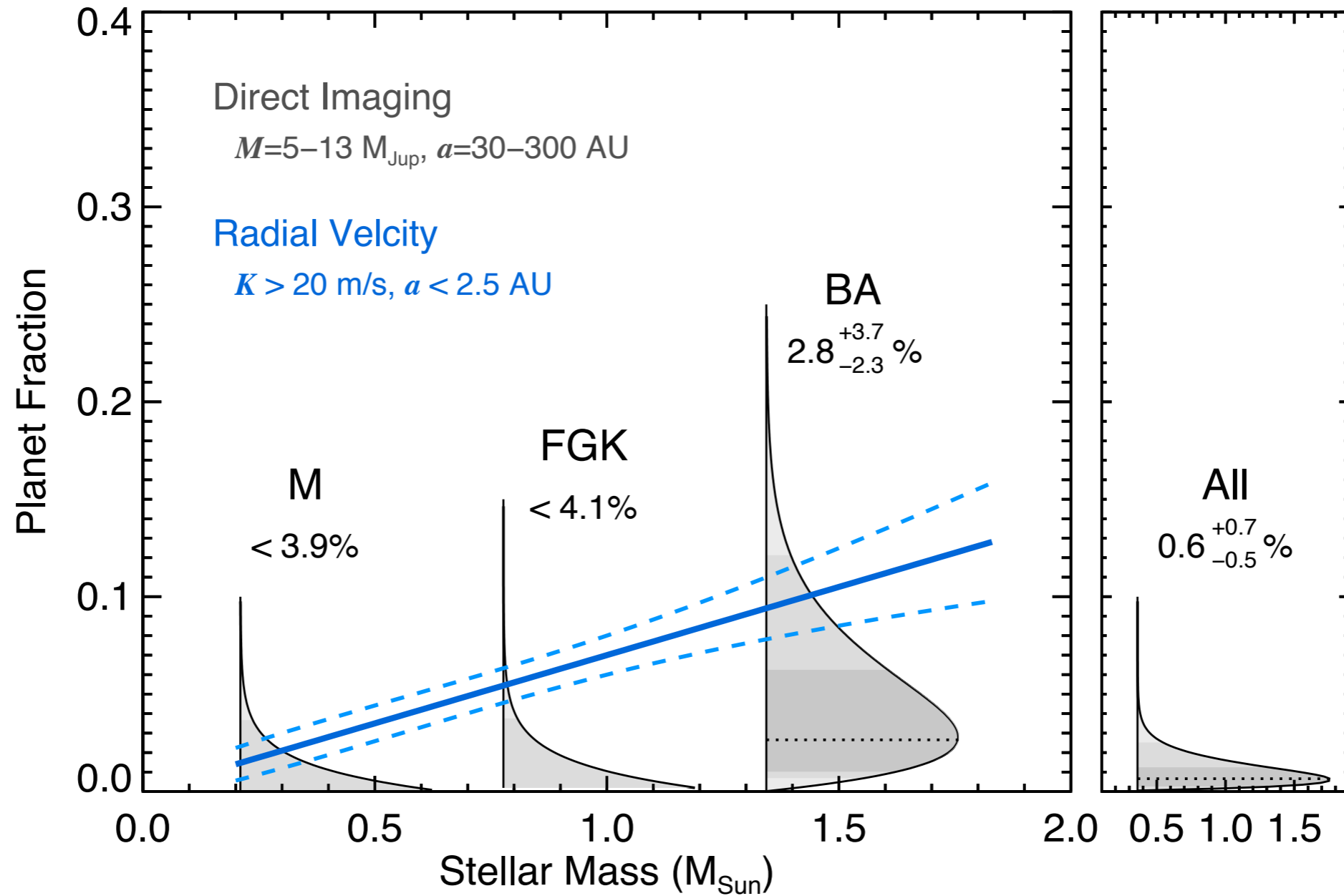
RESULTS OF FIRST GENERATION  
DIRECT IMAGING SURVEYS

Reference	Telescope	Instr.	Mode	Filter	FoV ("×")	#	SpT	Age (Myr)
Chauvin et al. (2003)	ESO3.6m	ADONIS	Cor-I	<i>H, K</i>	13 × 13	29	GKM	≲50
Neuhäuser et al. (2003)	NTT	Sharp	Sat-I	<i>K</i>	11 × 11	23	AFGKM	≲50
	NTT	Sofi	Sat-I	<i>H</i>	13 × 13	10	AFGKM	≲50
Lowrance et al. (2005)	HST	NICMOS	Cor-I	<i>H</i>	19 × 19	45	AFGKM	10–600
Masciadri et al. (2005)	VLT	NaCo	Sat-I	<i>H, K</i>	14 × 14	28	KM	≲200
Biller et al. (2007)	VLT	NaCo	SDI	<i>H</i>	5 × 5	45	GKM	≲300
	MMT		SDI	<i>H</i>	5 × 5	–	–	–
Kasper et al. (2007)	VLT	NaCo	Sat-I	<i>L'</i>	28 × 28	22	GKM	≲50
Lafrenière et al. (2007)	Gemini-N	NIRI	ADI	<i>H</i>	22 × 22	85		10–5000
Apai et al. (2008) <sup>a</sup>	VLT	NaCo	SDI	<i>H</i>	3 × 3	8	FG	12–500
Chauvin et al. (2010)	VLT	NaCo	Cor-I	<i>H, K</i>	28 × 28	88	BAFGKM	≲100
Heinze et al. (2010a,b)	MMT	Clio	ADI	<i>L', M</i>	15.5 × 12.4	54	FGK	100–5000
Janson et al. (2011)	Gemini-N	NIRI	ADI	<i>H, K</i>	22 × 22	15	BA	20–700
Vigan et al. (2012)	Gemini-N	NIRI	ADI	<i>H, K</i>	22 × 22	42	AF	10–400
	VLT	NaCo	ADI	<i>H, K</i>	14 × 14	–	–	–
Delorme et al. (2012)	VLT	NaCo	ADI	<i>L'</i>	28 × 28	16	M	≲200
Rameau et al. (2013c)	VLT	NaCo	ADI	<i>L'</i>	28 × 28	59	AF	≲200
Yamamoto et al. (2013)	Subaru	HiCIAO	ADI	<i>H, K</i>	20 × 20	20	FG	125 ± 8
Biller et al. (2013)	Gemini-S	NICI	Cor-ASDI	<i>H</i>	18 × 18	80	BAFGKM	≲200
Brandt et al. (2013)	Subaru	HiCIAO	ADI	<i>H</i>	20 × 20	63	AFGKM	≲500
Nielsen et al. (2013)	Gemini-S	NICI	Cor-ASDI	<i>H</i>	18 × 18	70	BA	50–500
Wahhaj et al. (2013) <sup>a</sup>	Gemini-S	NICI	Cor-ASDI	<i>H</i>	18 × 18	57	AFGKM	~100
Janson et al. (2013) <sup>a</sup>	Subaru	HiCIAO	ADI	<i>H</i>	20 × 20	50	AFGKM	≲1000





# OCCURRENCE RATES FROM FIRST GENERATION SURVEYS



# DIRECT IMAGING DISCOVERIES

TABLE 1  
DIRECTLY IMAGED PLANETS AND PLANET CANDIDATES WITH MASSES  $\lesssim 13 M_{\text{Jup}}$

Name	Mass ( $M_{\text{Jup}}$ )	Luminosity ( $\log(L_{\text{Bol}}/L_{\odot})$ )	Age (Myr)	Proj. Sep. (AU)	NIR SpT	Orbital Motion?	Pri. Mult.	Pri. Mass ( $M_{\odot}$ )	References
Close-in Planets (<100 AU)									
51 Eri b	$2 \pm 1$	$-5.6 \pm 0.2$	$23 \pm 3$	13	T4.5–T6	Yes	S	1.75	1, 2, 3
HD 95086 b	$5 \pm 2$	...	$17 \pm 4$	56	...	No	S	1.6	4, 5
HR 8799 b	$5 \pm 1$	$-5.1 \pm 0.1$	$40 \pm 5$	68	~L/Tpec	Yes	S	1.5	6–9
LkCa 15 b <sup>a</sup>	$6 \pm 4$	...	$2 \pm 1$	20	...	Yes	S	1.0	10–13
HR 8799 c	$7 \pm 2$	$-4.7 \pm 0.1$	$40 \pm 5$	38	~L/Tpec	Yes	S	1.5	6–9
HR 8799 d	$7 \pm 2$	$-4.7 \pm 0.2$	$40 \pm 5$	24	~L7pec	Yes	S	1.5	6, 8, 9
HR 8799 e	$7 \pm 2$	$-4.7 \pm 0.2$	$40 \pm 5$	14	~L7pec	Yes	S	1.5	8, 9, 14
$\beta$ Pic b	$12.7 \pm 0.3$	$-3.78 \pm 0.03$	$23 \pm 3$	9	L1	Yes	S	1.6	15–18
Planetary-Mass Companions on Wide Orbits (>100 AU)									
WD 0806-661 b	$7.5 \pm 1.5$	...	$2000 \pm 500$	2500	Y?	No	S	$2.0^b$	19–21
Ross 458 c	$9 \pm 3$	$-5.62 \pm 0.03$	150–800	1190	T8.5pec	No	B	0.6, 0.09	22–26
ROXs 42B b	$10 \pm 4$	$-3.07 \pm 0.07$	$3 \pm 2$	140	L1	Yes	B	0.89, 0.36	27–31
HD 106906 b	$11 \pm 2$	$-3.64 \pm 0.08$	$13 \pm 2$	650	L2.5	No	B	1.5	32, 33
GU Psc b	$11 \pm 2$	$-4.75 \pm 0.15$	$120 \pm 10$	2000	T3.5	No	S	0.30	34
CHXR 73 b	$13 \pm 6$	$-2.85 \pm 0.14$	$2 \pm 1$	210	$\geq M9.5$	No	S	0.30	35
SR12 C	$13 \pm 2$	$-2.87 \pm 0.20$	$3 \pm 2$	1100	M9.0	No	B	1.0, 0.5	29, 36
TYC 9486-927-1 b	12–15	...	10–45	4500	L3	No	S	0.4	37, 38
Planetary-Mass Companions Orbiting Brown Dwarfs									
2M1207–3932 b	$5 \pm 2$	$-4.68 \pm 0.05$	$10 \pm 3$	41	L3	No	S	0.024	39–42, 9
2M0441+2301 Bb	$10 \pm 2$	$-3.03 \pm 0.09$	$2 \pm 1$	1800/15	L1	Yes	B/S	0.2, 0.018	43–45

# DIRECT IMAGING DISCOVERIES

Candidate Planets and Companions Near the Deuterium-Burning Limit

1RXS J1609-2105 B	14 ± 2	-3.36 ± 0.09	11 ± 2	330	L2	No	S	0.85	46-49
2M0103-5515 b	13-35	-3.49 ± 0.11	45 ± 4	84	...	Yes	B	0.19, 0.17	50, 51, 9
2M0122-2439 B	12-27	-4.19 ± 0.10	120 ± 10	52	L4	No	S	0.4	51, 52
2M0219-3925 B	14 ± 1	-3.84 ± 0.05	45 ± 4	156	L4	No	S	0.11	53
AB Pic B	13-30	-3.7 ± 0.2	45 ± 4	250	L0	No	S	0.95	54, 55, 39
CFBDSIR J1458+1013 B	5-20	-6.74 ± 0.19	1000-5000	2.6	Y0:	Yes	S	0.01-0.04	56, 57
DH Tau B	8-22	-2.71 ± 0.12	2 ± 1	340	M9.25	No	S	0.5	58, 35, 13
Fomalhaut b	~2	...	440 ± 40	119	...	Yes	S	1.92	59-62
FU Tau B	~16	-2.60	2 ± 1	800	M9.25	No	S	0.05	63
FW Tau b	~10-100	...	2 ± 1	330	pec	No	B	0.3, 0.3	27, 29, 64
G196-3 B	12-25	-3.8 ± 0.2	20-85	400	L3	No	S	0.43	65-67, 51, 42
GJ 504 b	3-30	-6.13 ± 0.03	100-6500	44	T:	Yes	S	1.16	68-71
GJ 758 B	10-40	-6.1 ± 0.2	1000-6000	29	T8:	Yes	S	1.0	72-75
GSC 6214-210 B	15 ± 2	-3.1 ± 0.1	5-10	320	M9.5	No	S	0.9	48, 29, 76, 77
HD 100546 b	~10 ± 5	...	5-10	53	...	No	S	2.4	78-80
HD 100546 c	<20	...	5-10	13	...	No	S	2.4	81
HD 203030 B	12-30	-4.64 ± 0.07	130-400	490	L7.5	Yes	S	0.95	82, 83
HN Peg B	12-31	-4.77 ± 0.03	300 ± 200	800	T2.5	No	S	1.07	84, 85
κ And b	12-66	-3.76 ± 0.06	40-300	55	L1	No	S	2.8	85-87
LkCa 15 c <sup>a</sup>	<10	...	2 ± 1	15	...	Yes	S	1.0	12, 13
LkCa 15 d	<10	...	2 ± 1	18	...	Yes	S	1.0	12, 13
LP 261-75 B	12-26	-4.43 ± 0.09	100-200	450	L4.5	No	S	0.22	88, 51
ROXs12 B	16 ± 4	...	8 ± 3	210	...	Yes	S	0.9	27, 31
SDSS2249+0044 A	12-60	-3.9 ± 0.3	20-300	17/2600	L3	No	S/S	...	89
SDSS2249+0044 B	8-52	-4.2 ± 0.3	20-300	17	L5	No	S	0.03	89
VHS1256-1257 b	10-21	-5.05 ± 0.22	150-300	102	L7	No	B	0.07, 0.07	90, 91
WISE J0146+4234 B	4-16	-7.01 ± 0.22	1000-10000	1	Y0	Yes	S	0.005-0.016	92
WISE J1217+1626 B	5-20	-6.79 ± 0.18	1000-5000	8	Y0	No	S	0.01-0.04	93

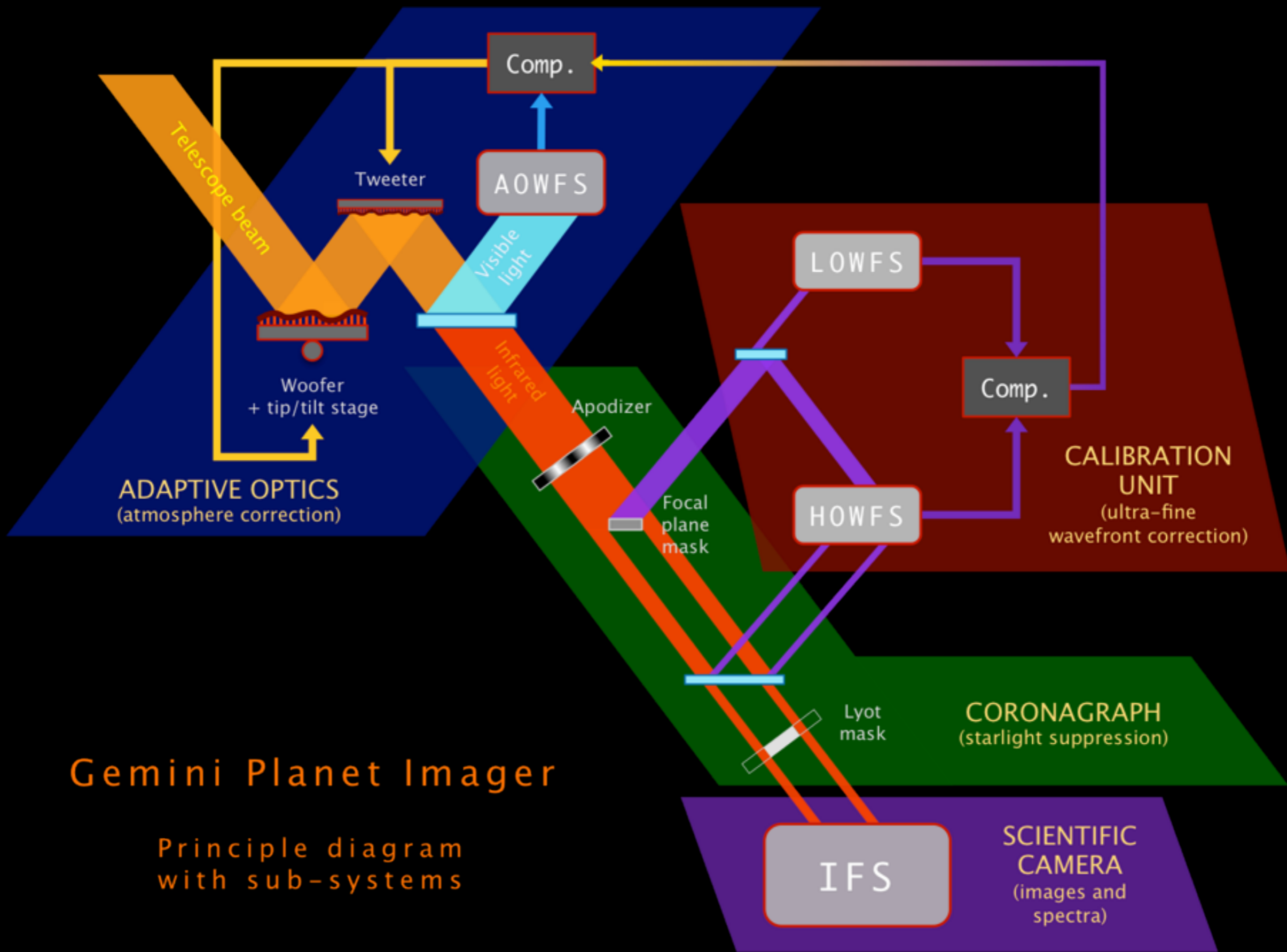


SECOND GENERATION  
DIRECT IMAGING FACILITIES

# 2ND GENERATION: 1ST GENERATION ON STEROIDS

- More DOF, faster AO
- Better optics => excellent wavefront quality
- Optimized for stability => slow thermal & mechanical drifts
- Speckle control strategies are fully built in!

Instrument	Telescope	AO	Wavelength ( $\mu\text{m}$ )	Ang. res. (mas)	Coronagraph
P3K-P1640/SDC	Hale 200"	64-SH	1.1–2.4	45-90	APLC/VC
SPHERE	VLT	40-SH	0.5–2.4	15-55	Lyot/APLC/FQPM
GPI	Gemini South	48-SH	0.9–2.4	23-55	APLC
SCE <sub>x</sub> AO	Subaru	14-C & 48-P	0.55–2.4	15-55	PIAA/SP/VC
MagAO-Clio2/VisAO	Magellan	25-Pyramid	0.55–5	18-160	Lyot(+APP)
LMIRCAM	LBT'	30-Pyramid	2–5	60–120	APP+VC



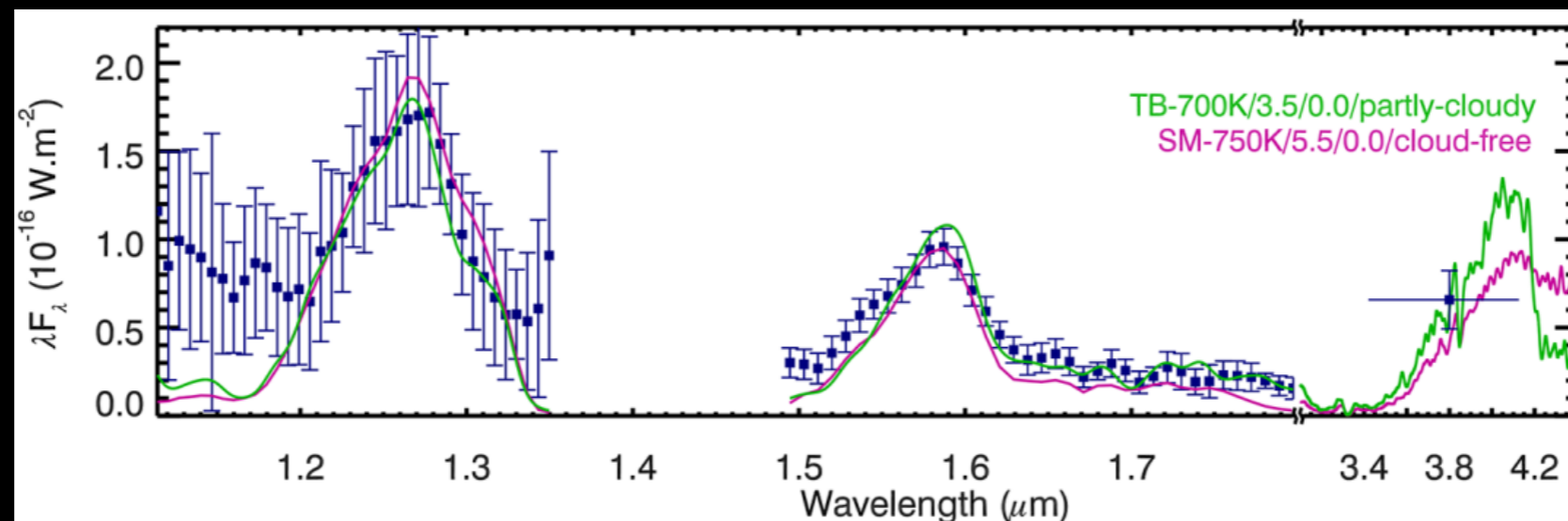
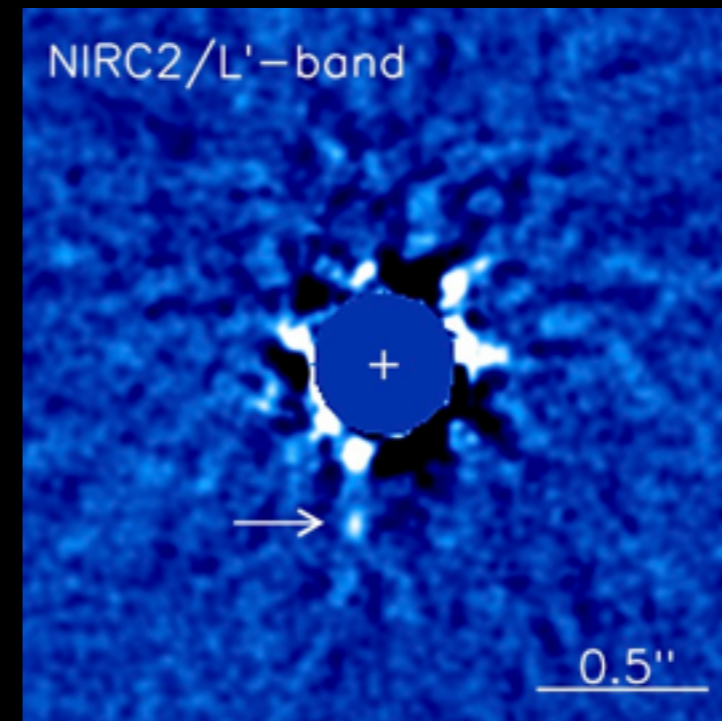
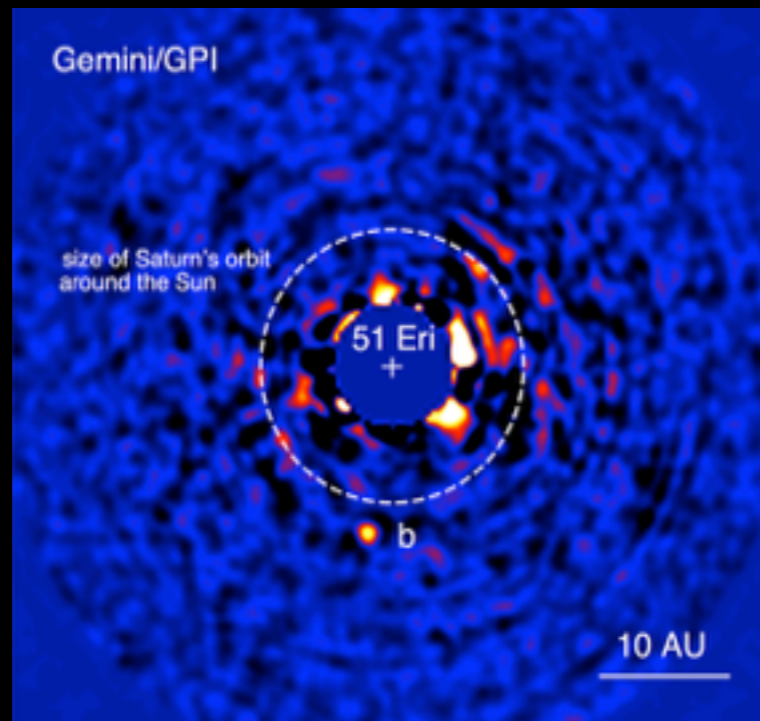
# Gemini Planet Imager

Principle diagram  
with sub-systems



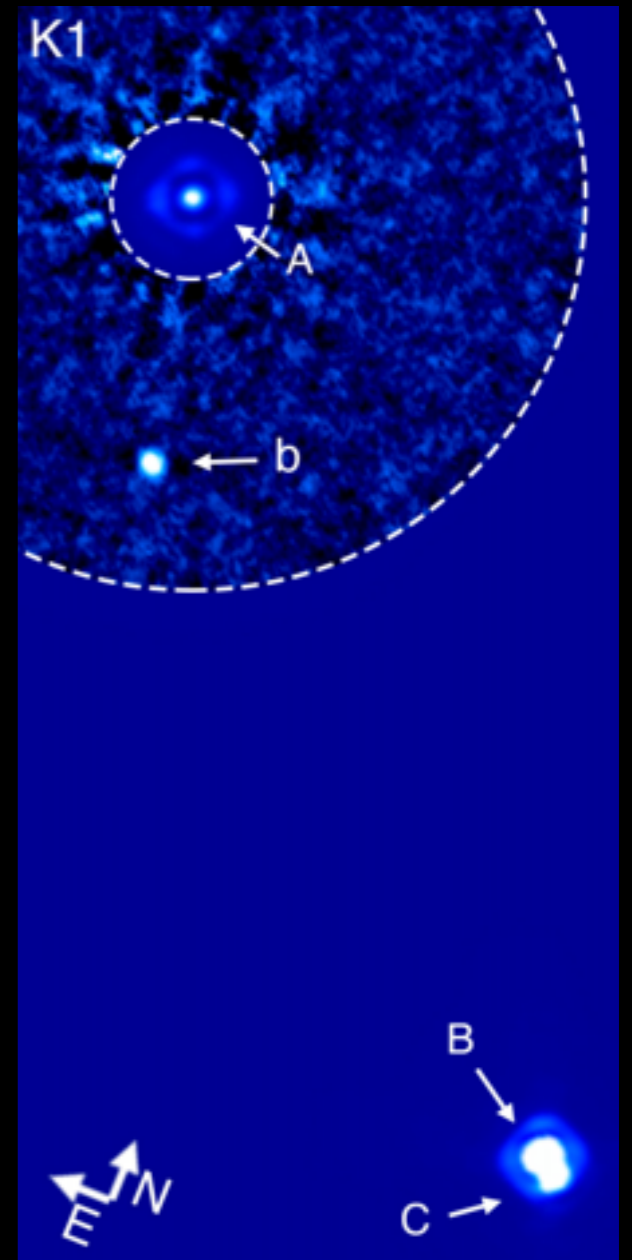
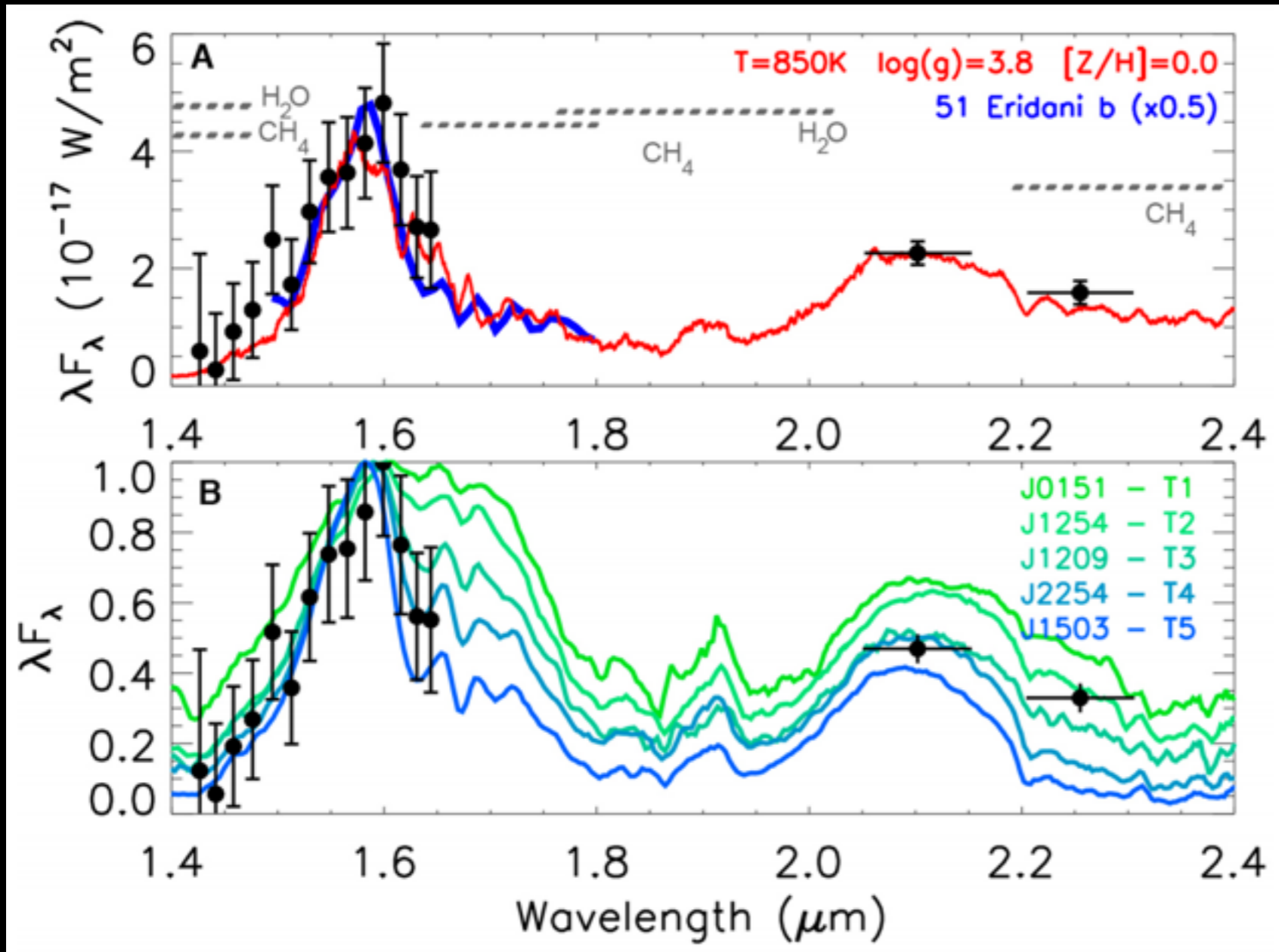
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# RECENT RESULT FROM SPHERE

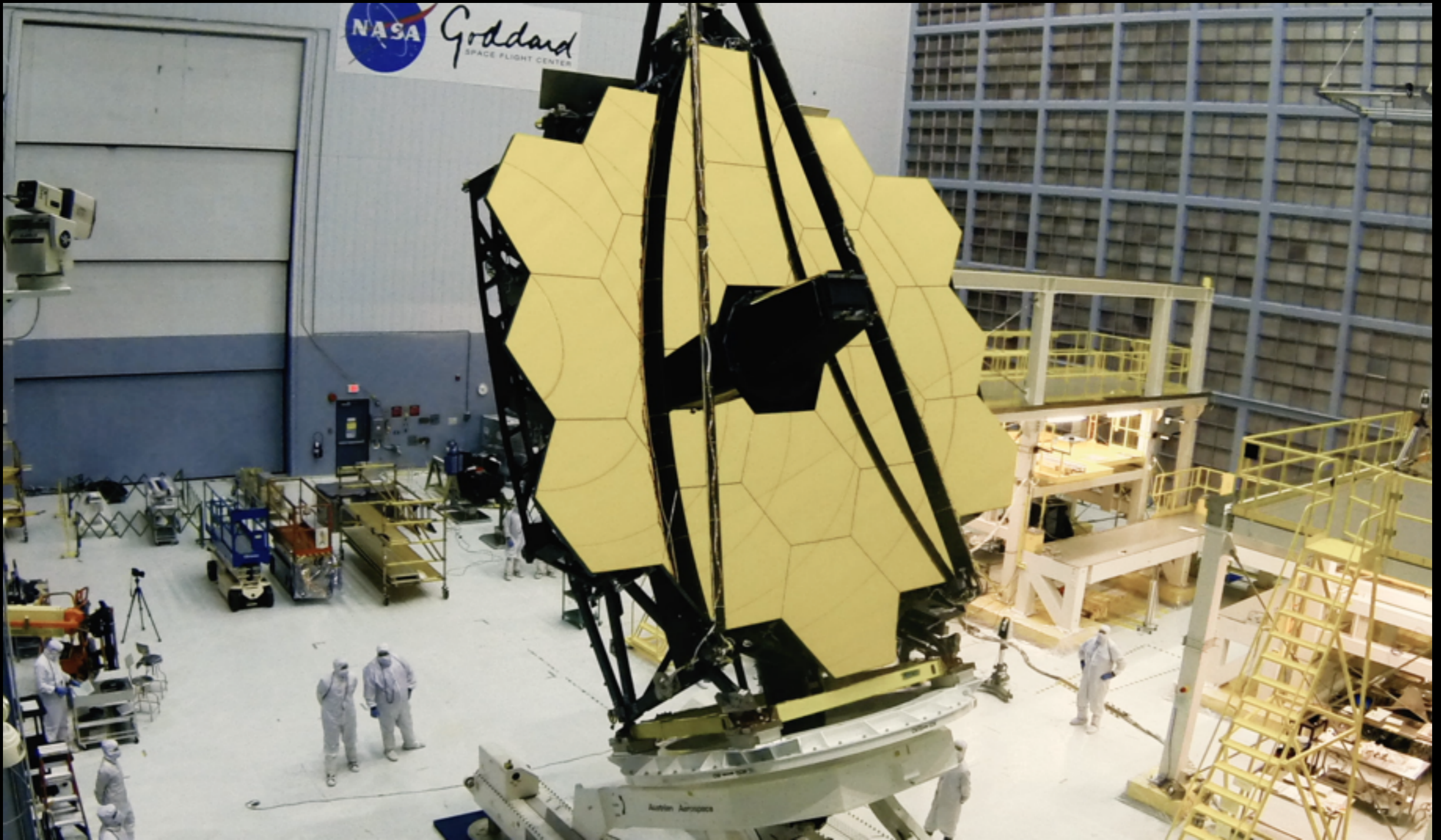
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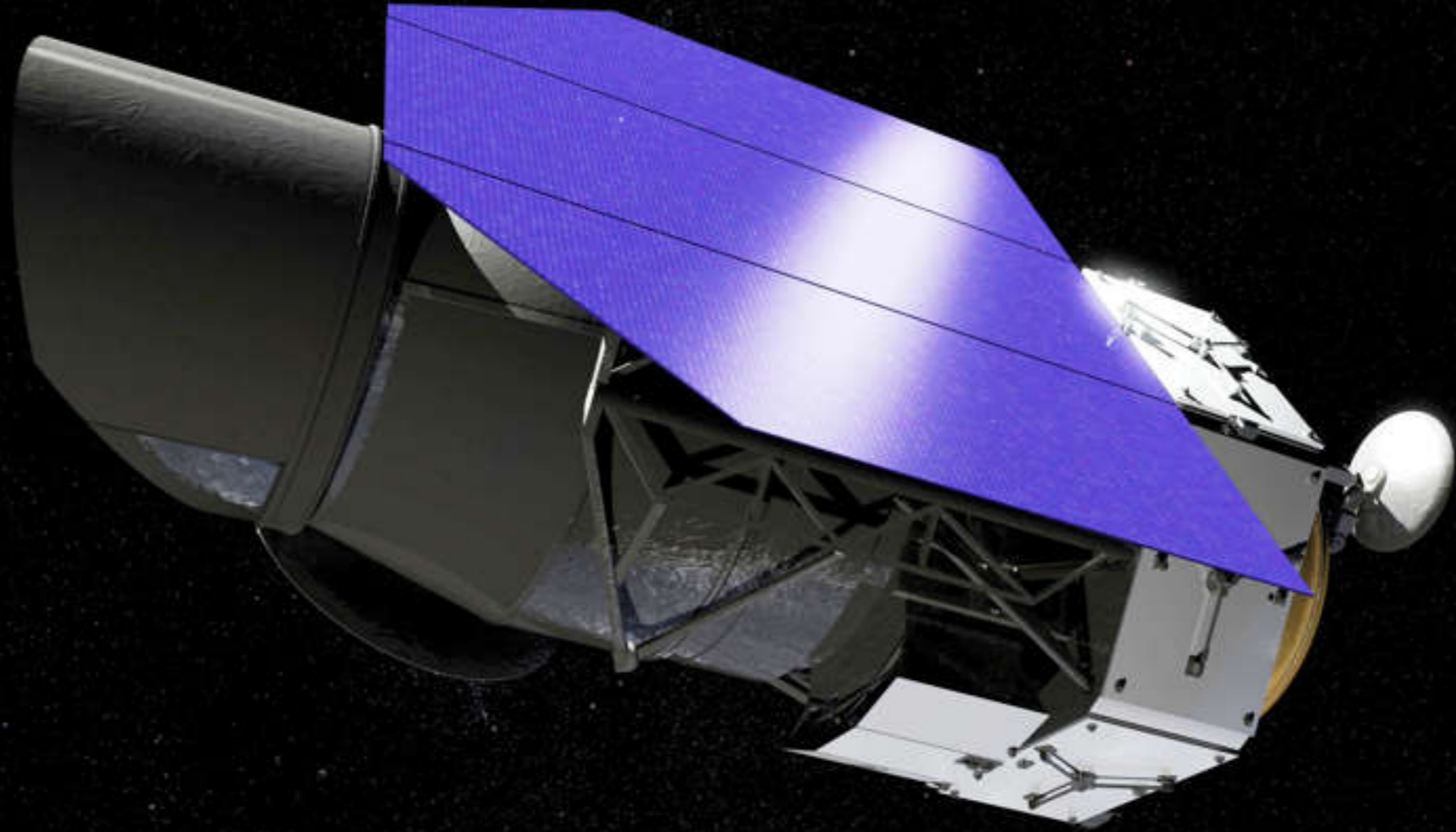
# JAMES WEBB SPACE TELESCOPE



See Chas's talk on Friday!



# WFIRST-CORONAGRAPH



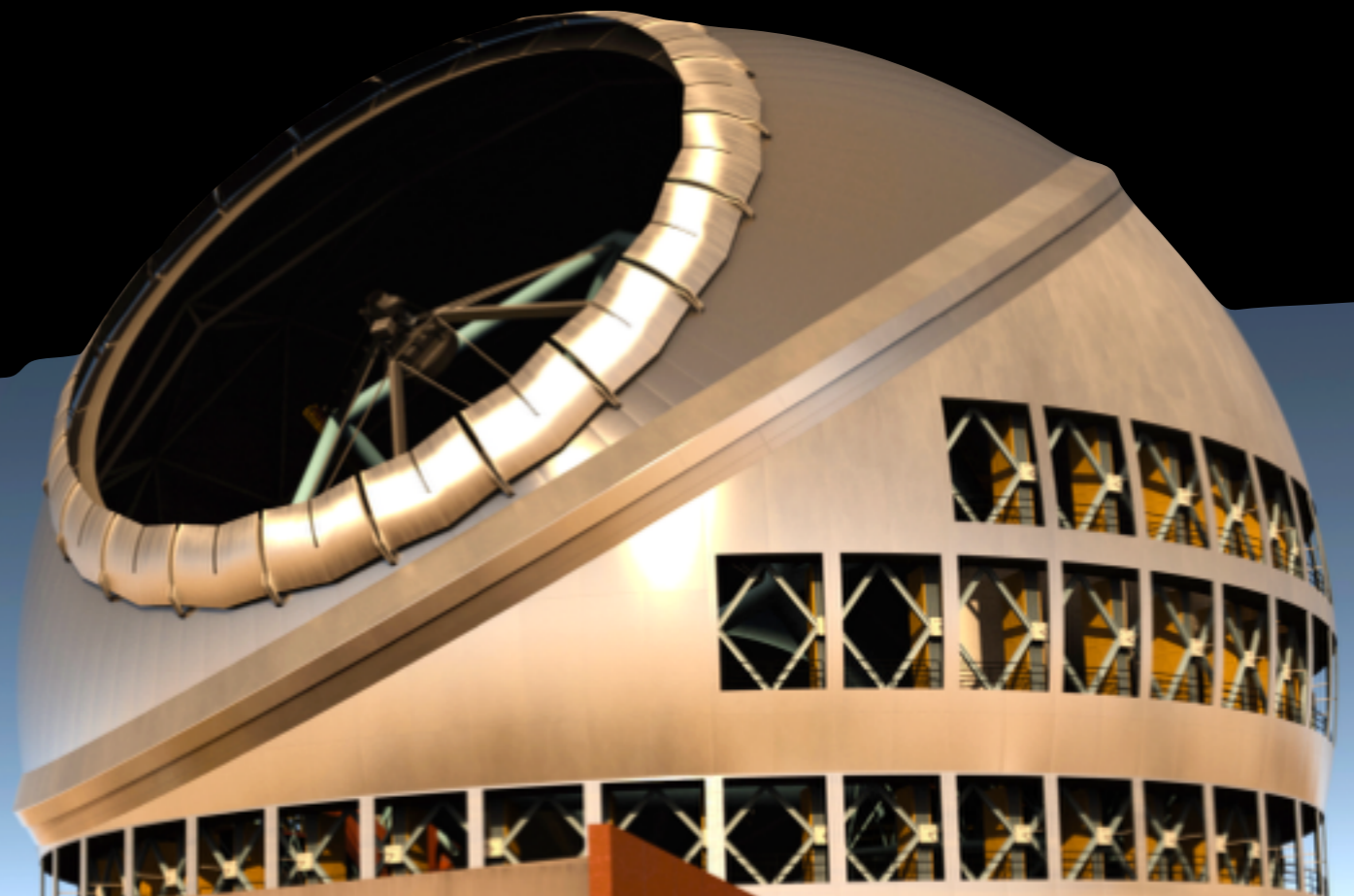
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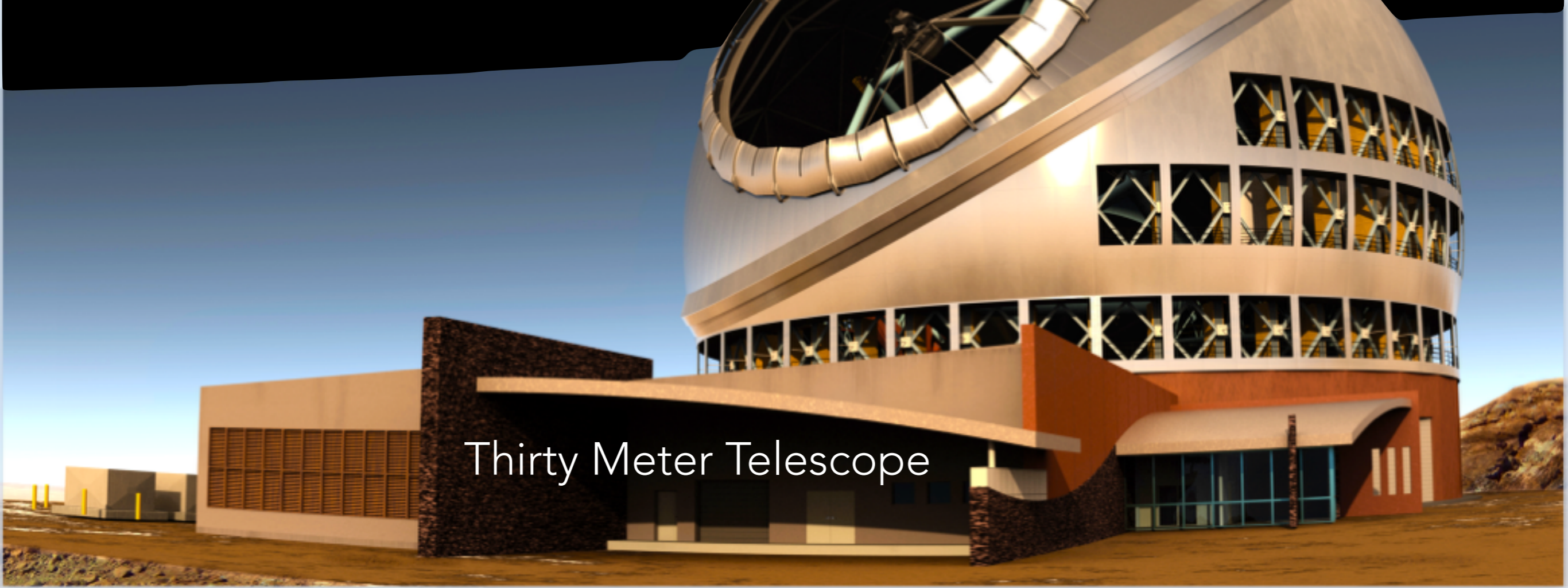
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**TELESCOPES OF TOMORROW WILL BE BIGGER!**

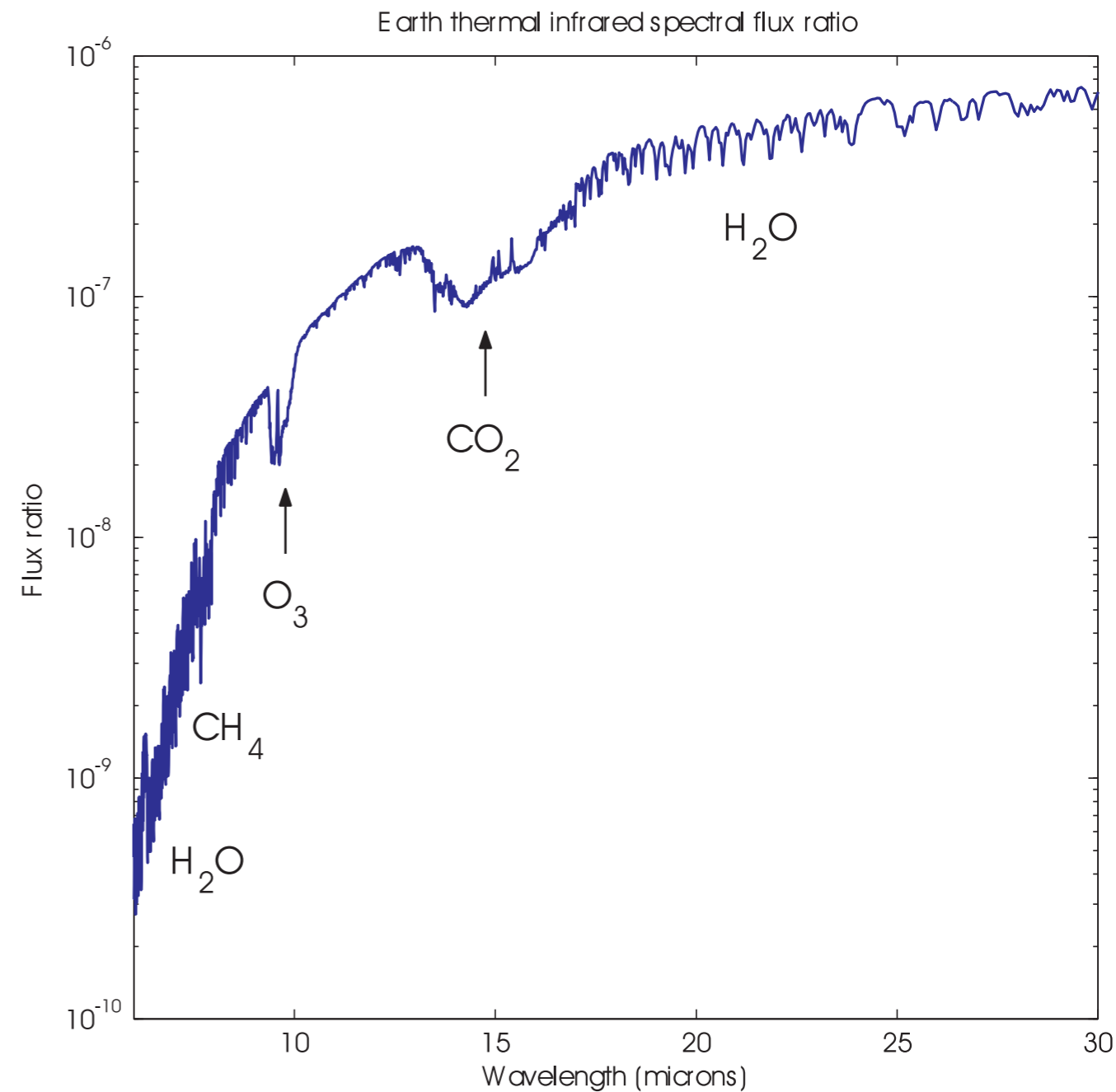
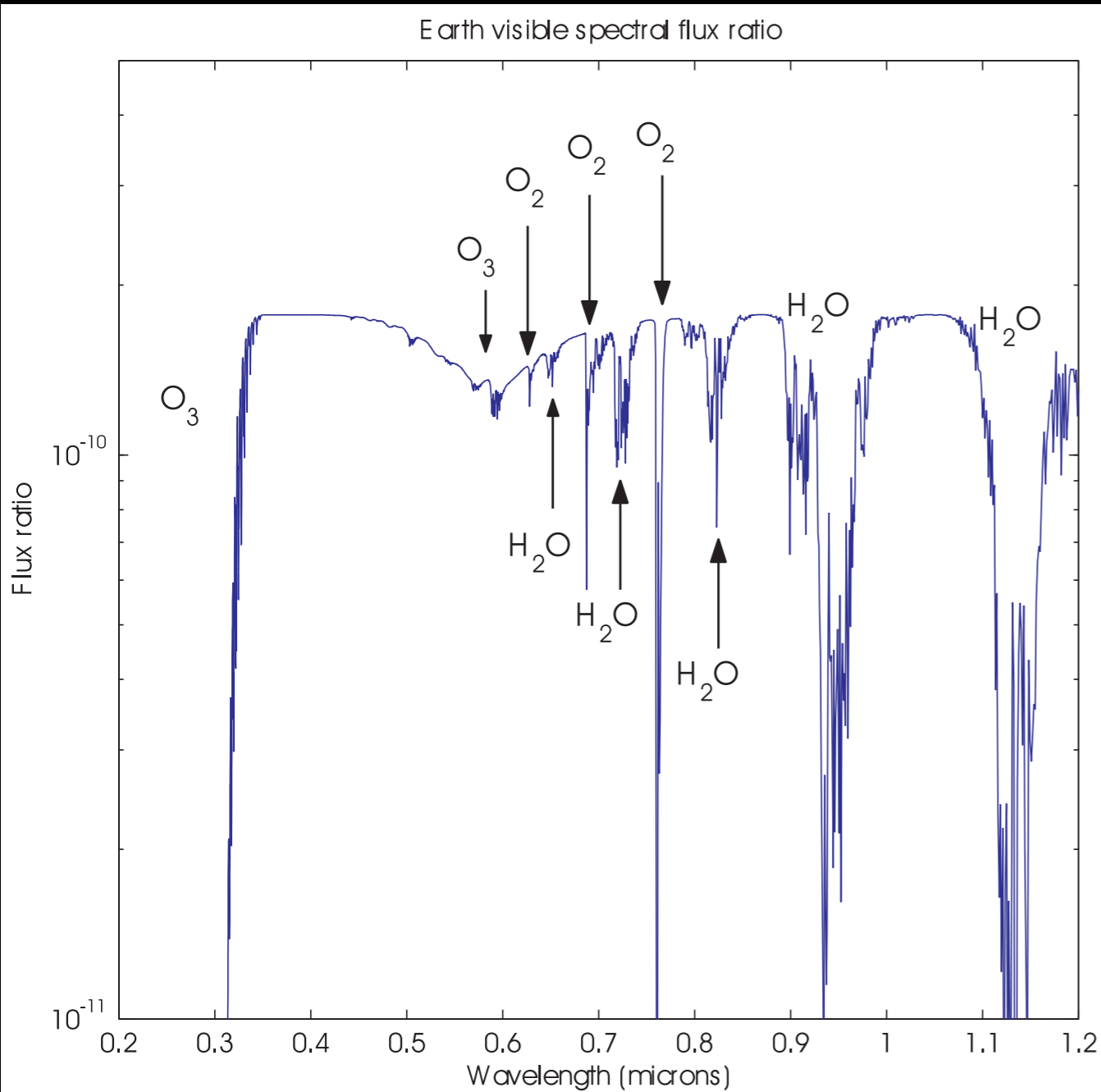
**BIGGER IS BETTER!**



Thirty Meter Telescope

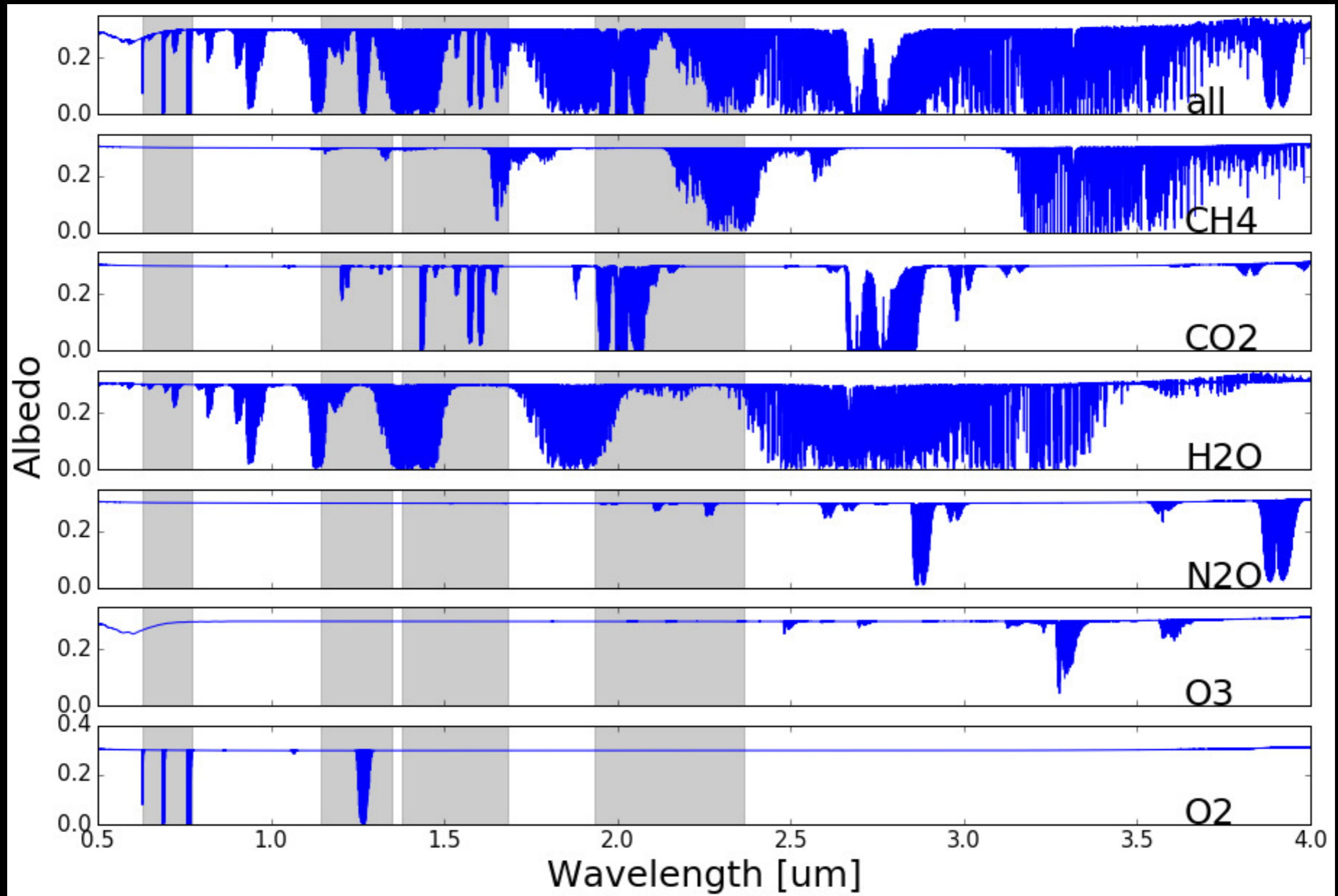


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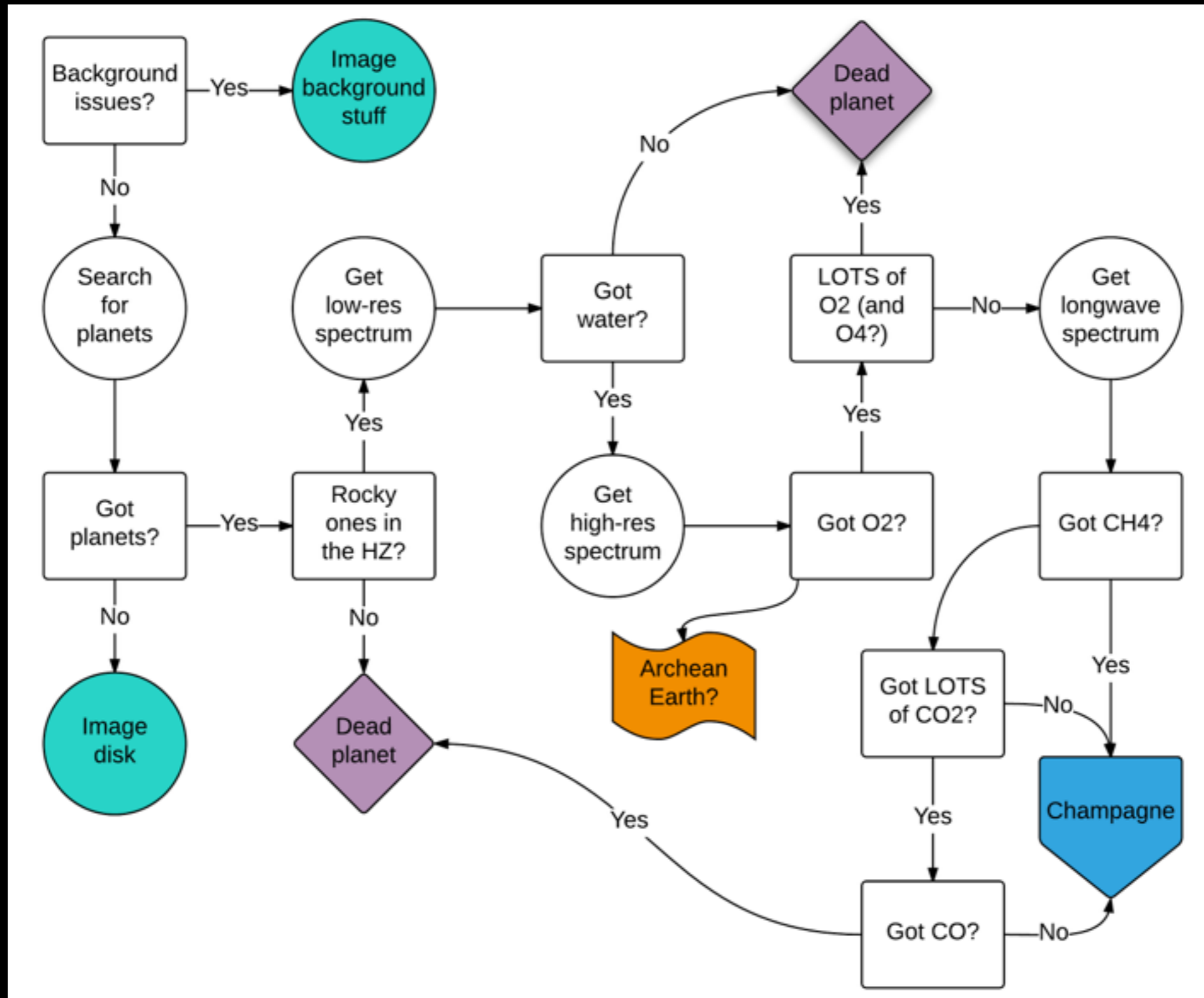


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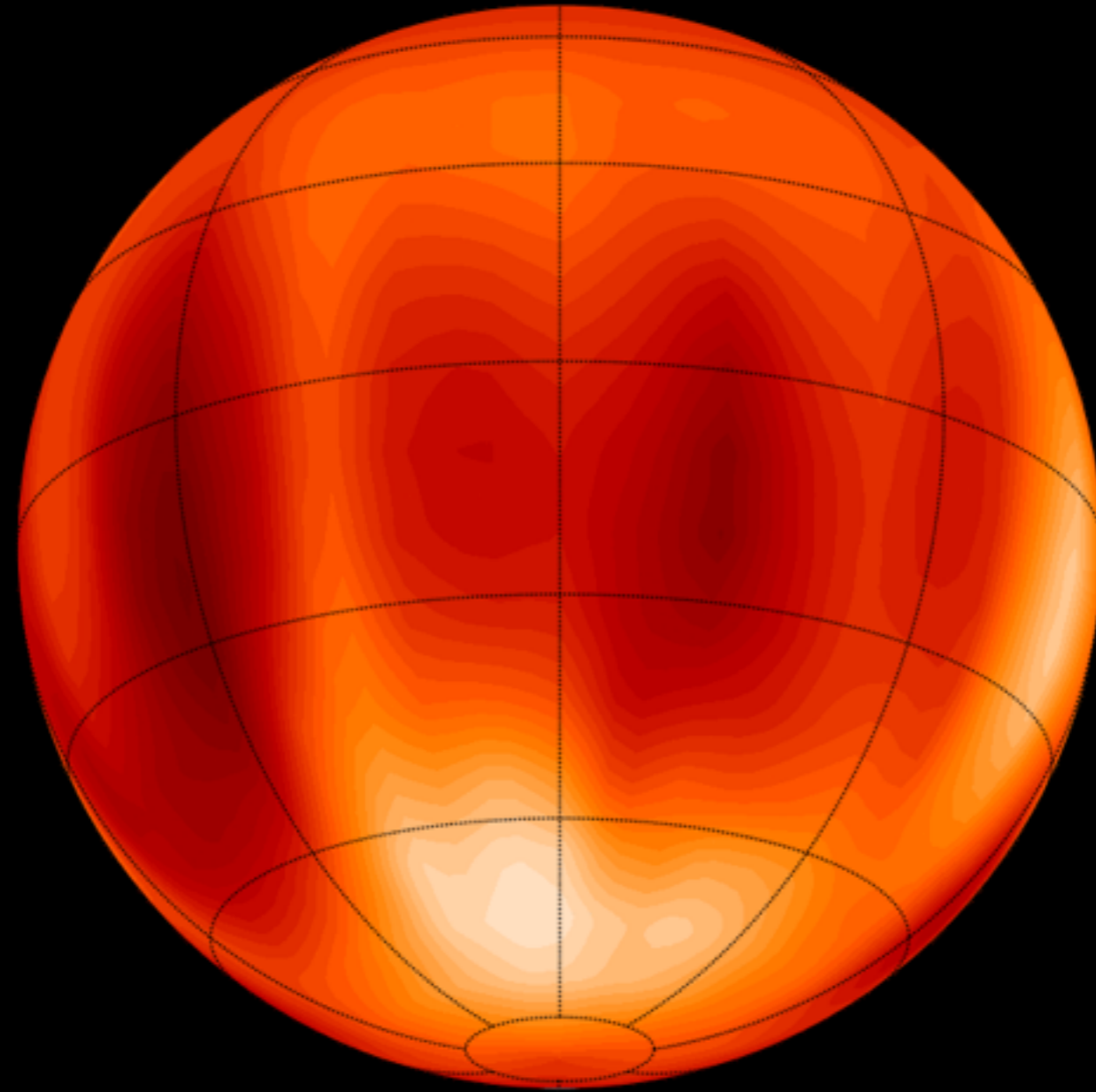




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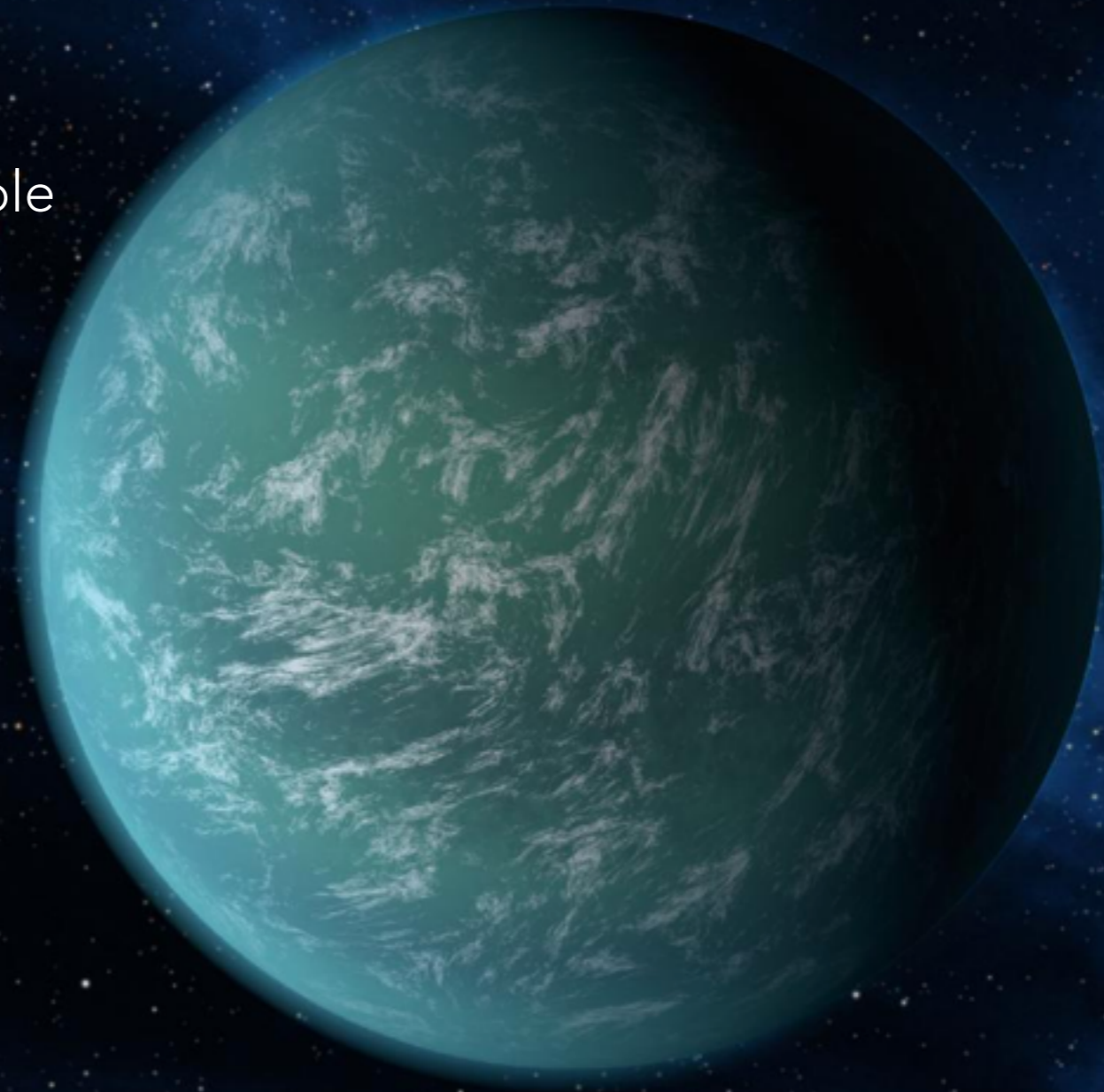
# DOPPLER MAPPING OF GIANT PLANETS



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