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Supernova dust formation and destruction in the JWST era

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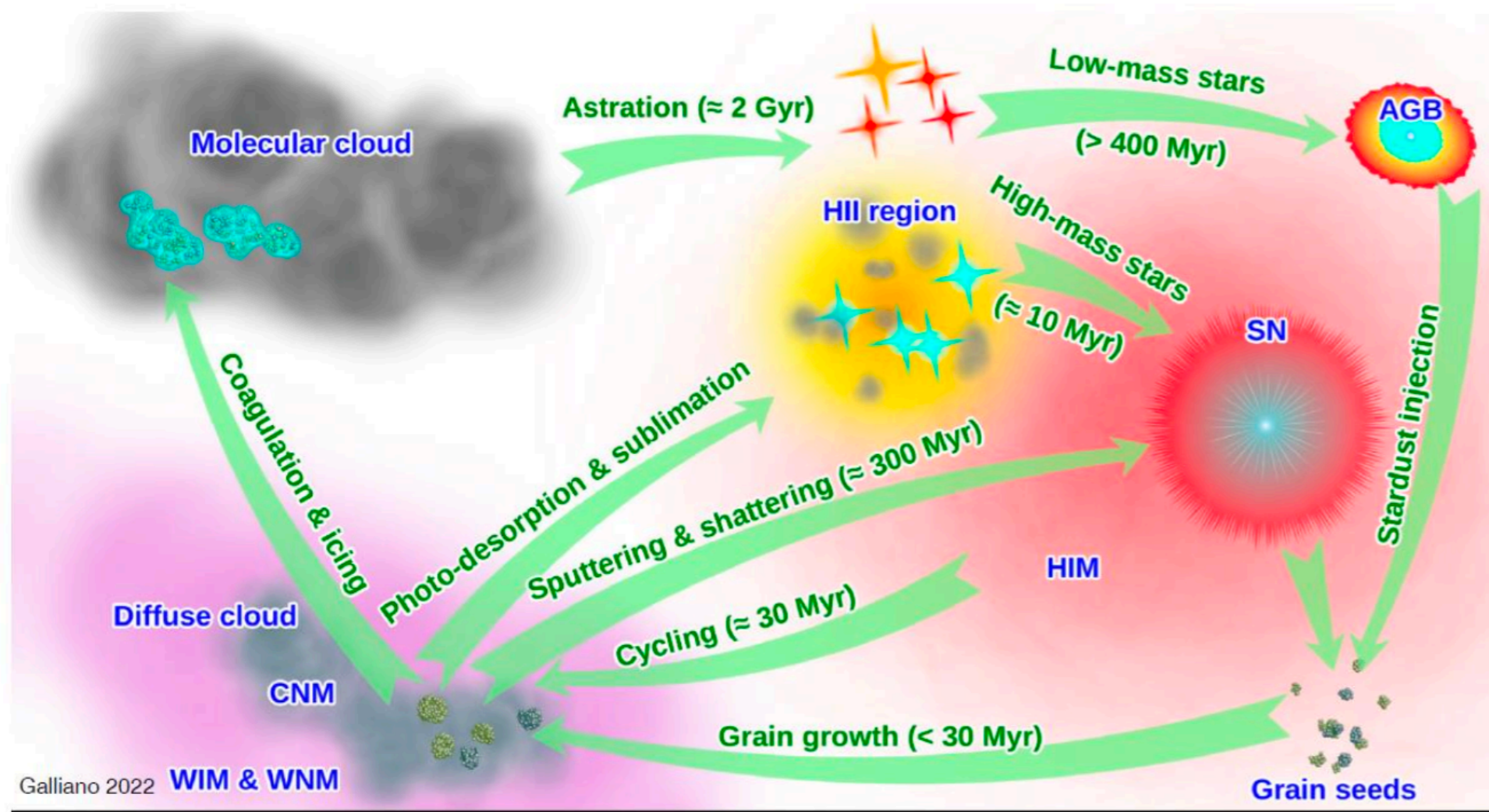


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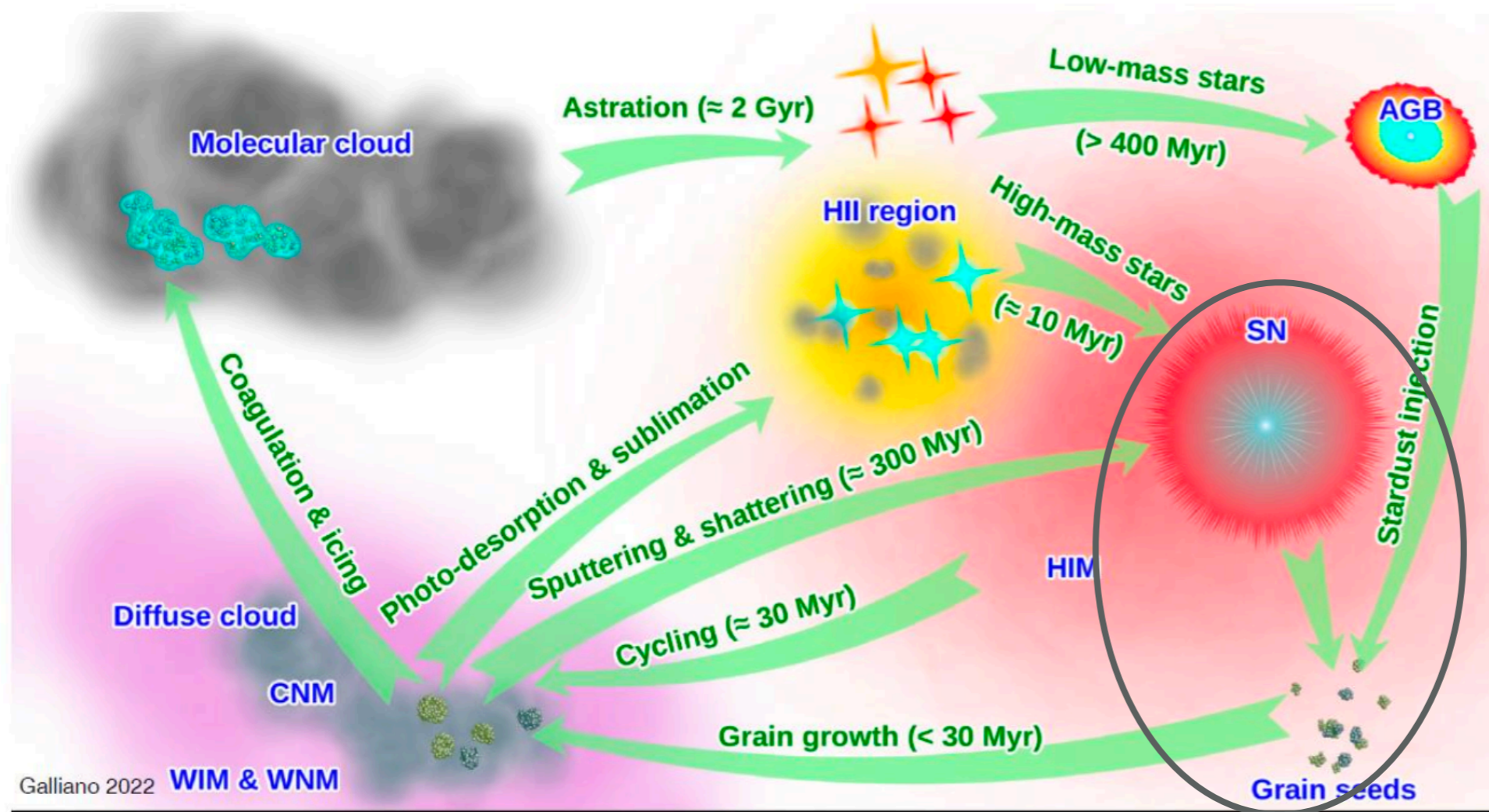


DustOrigin
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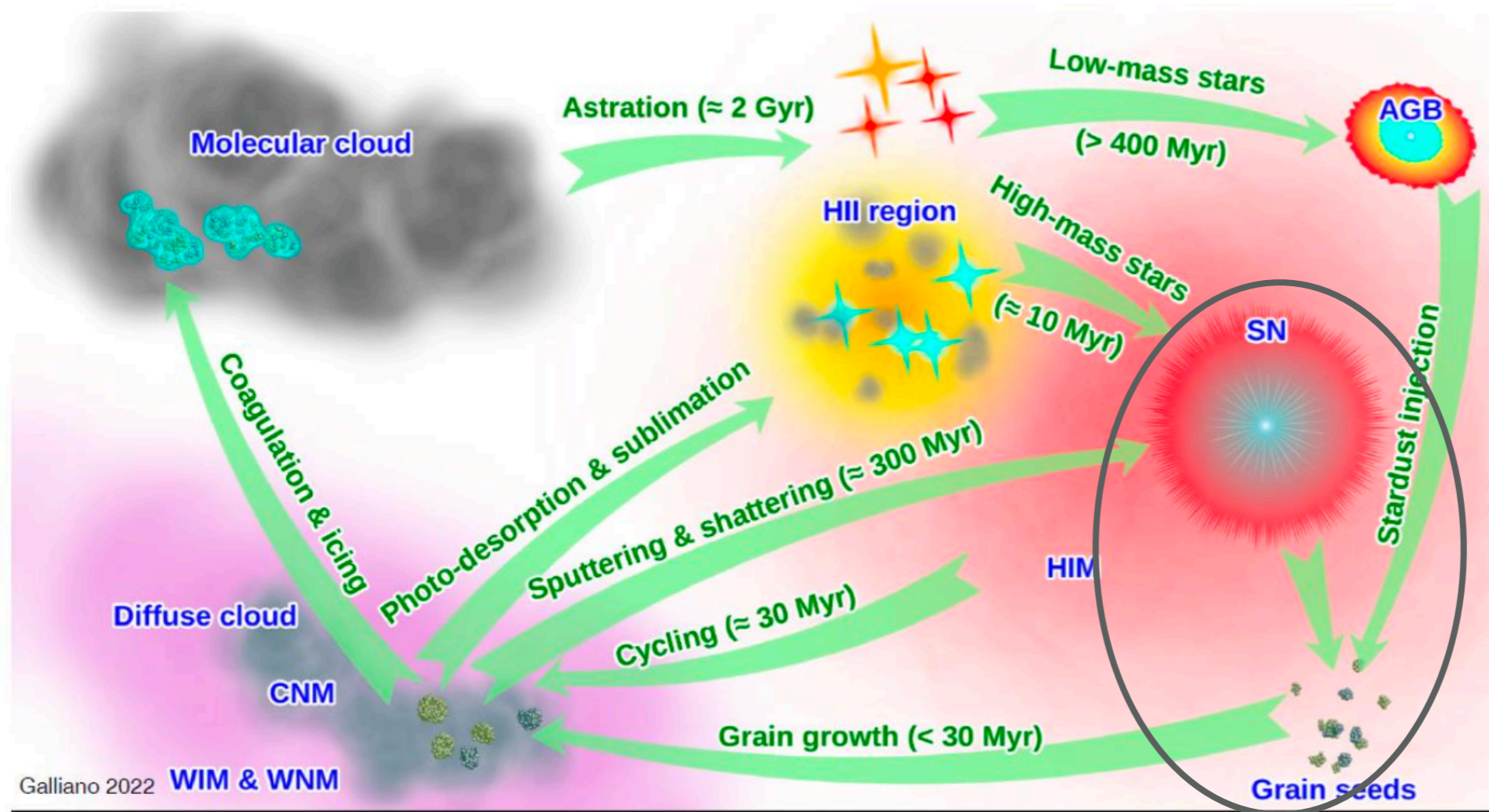


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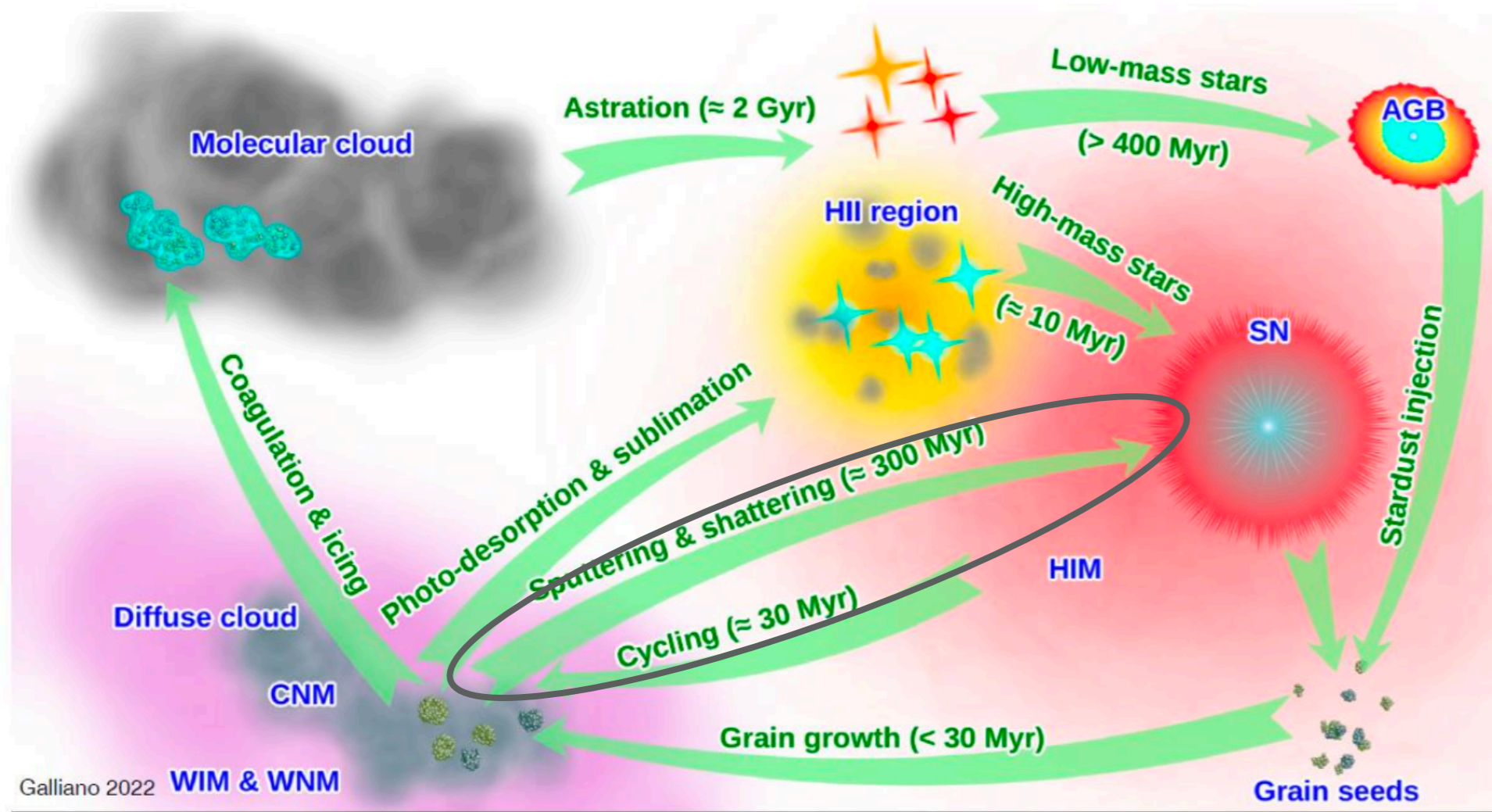
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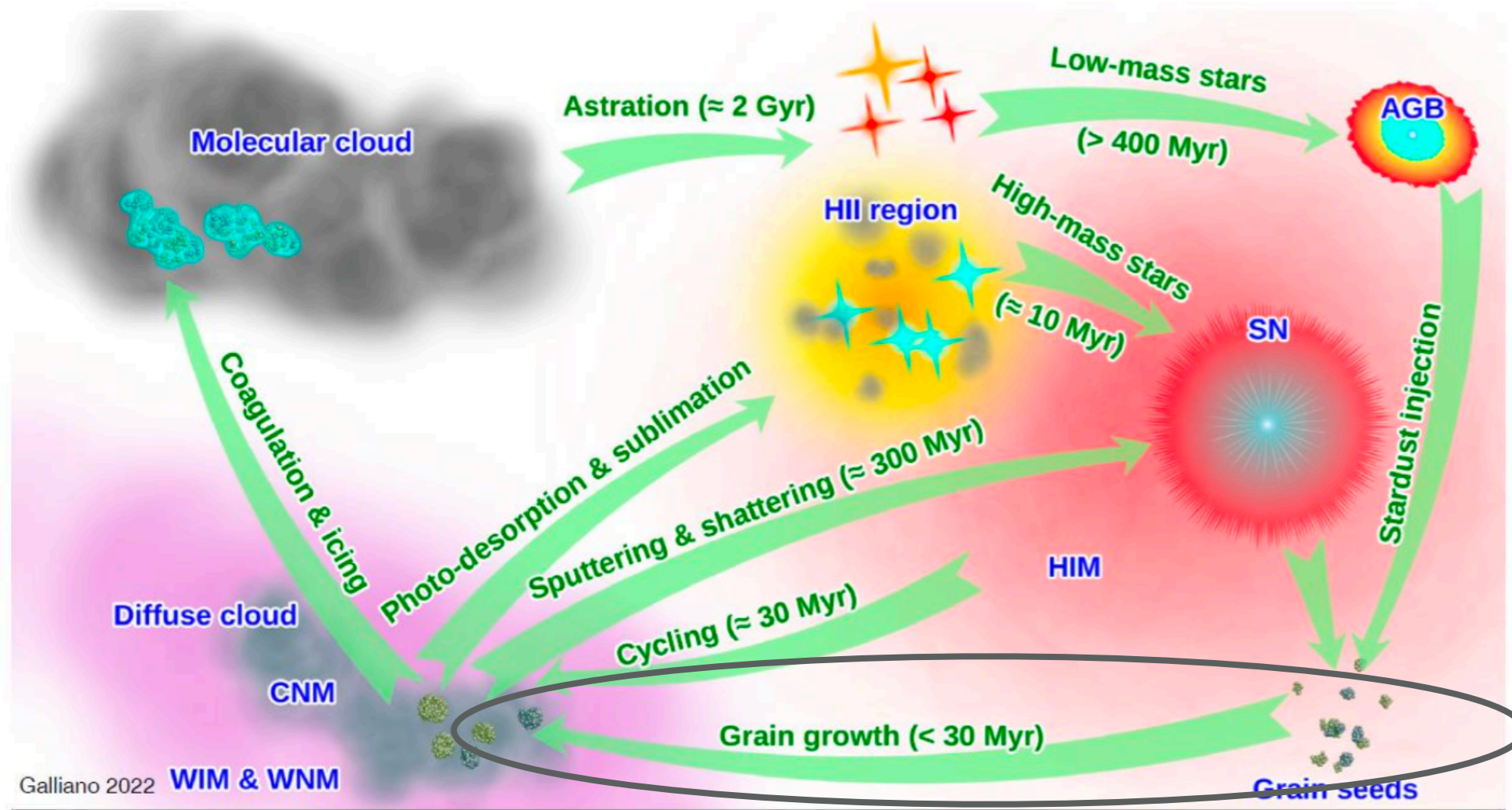
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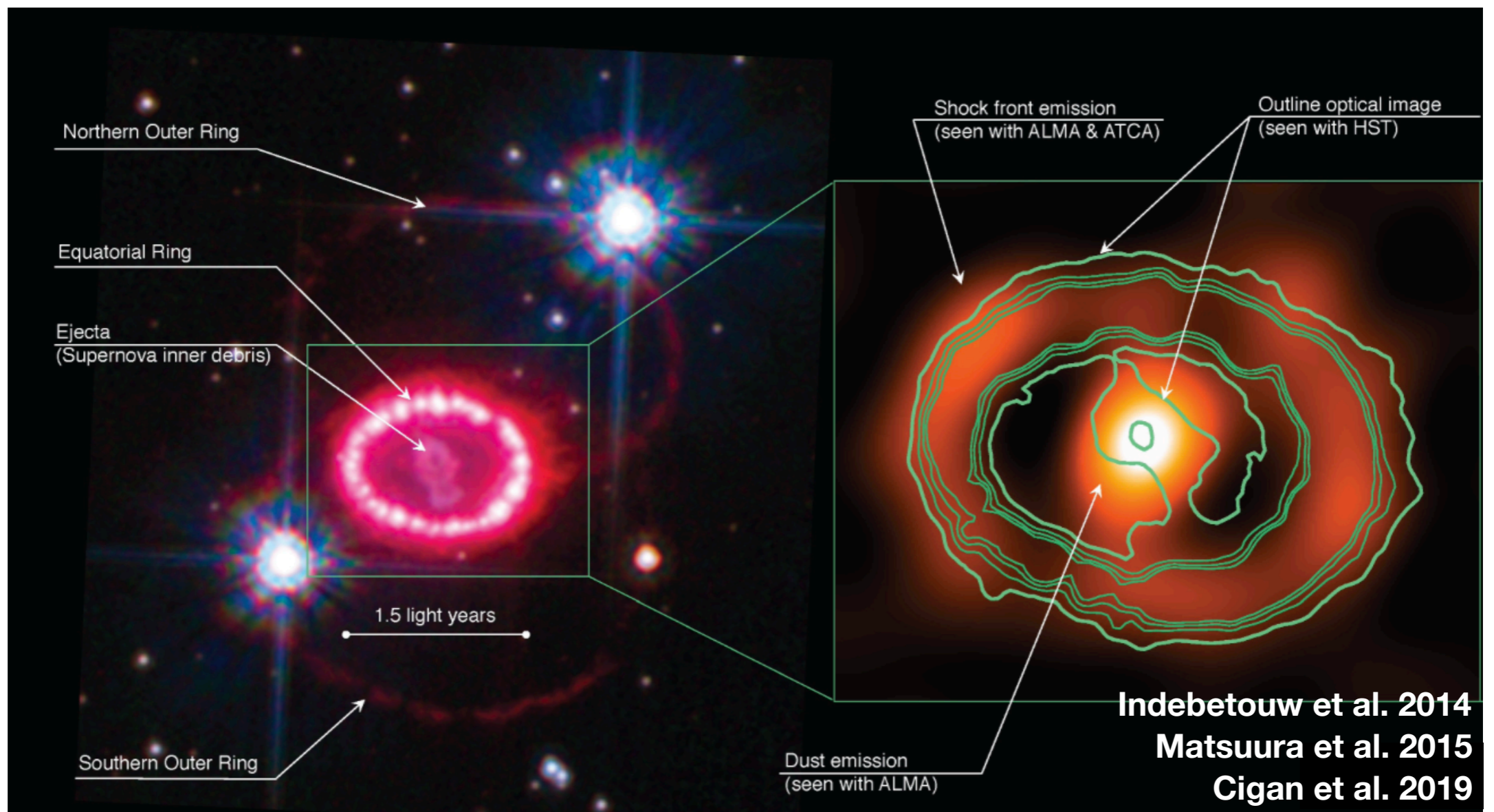


**SN are NET dust destroyers. We need another source of dust: grain growth?
This is a problem especially at high redshifts where galaxies only a few
100 Myrs after the Big Bang show large masses of dust!**

Dust formation in SN(R)s

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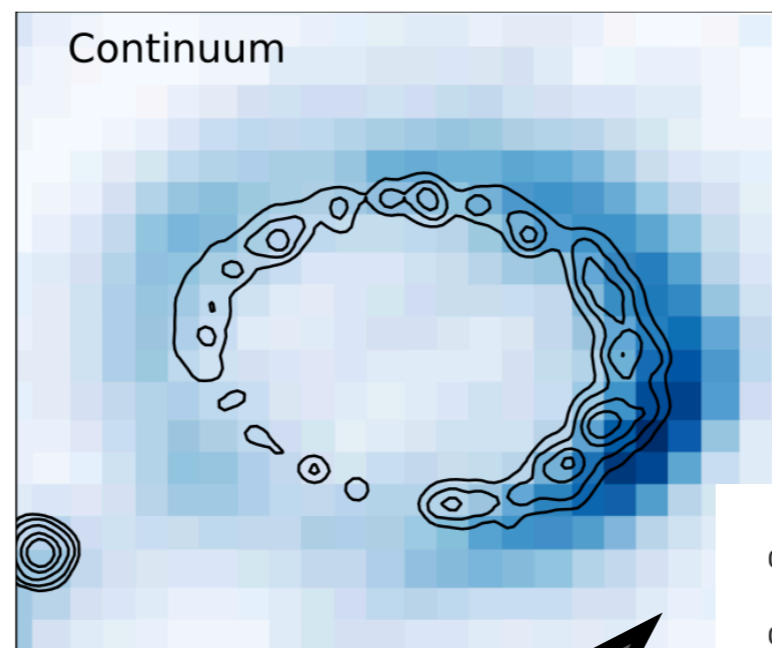
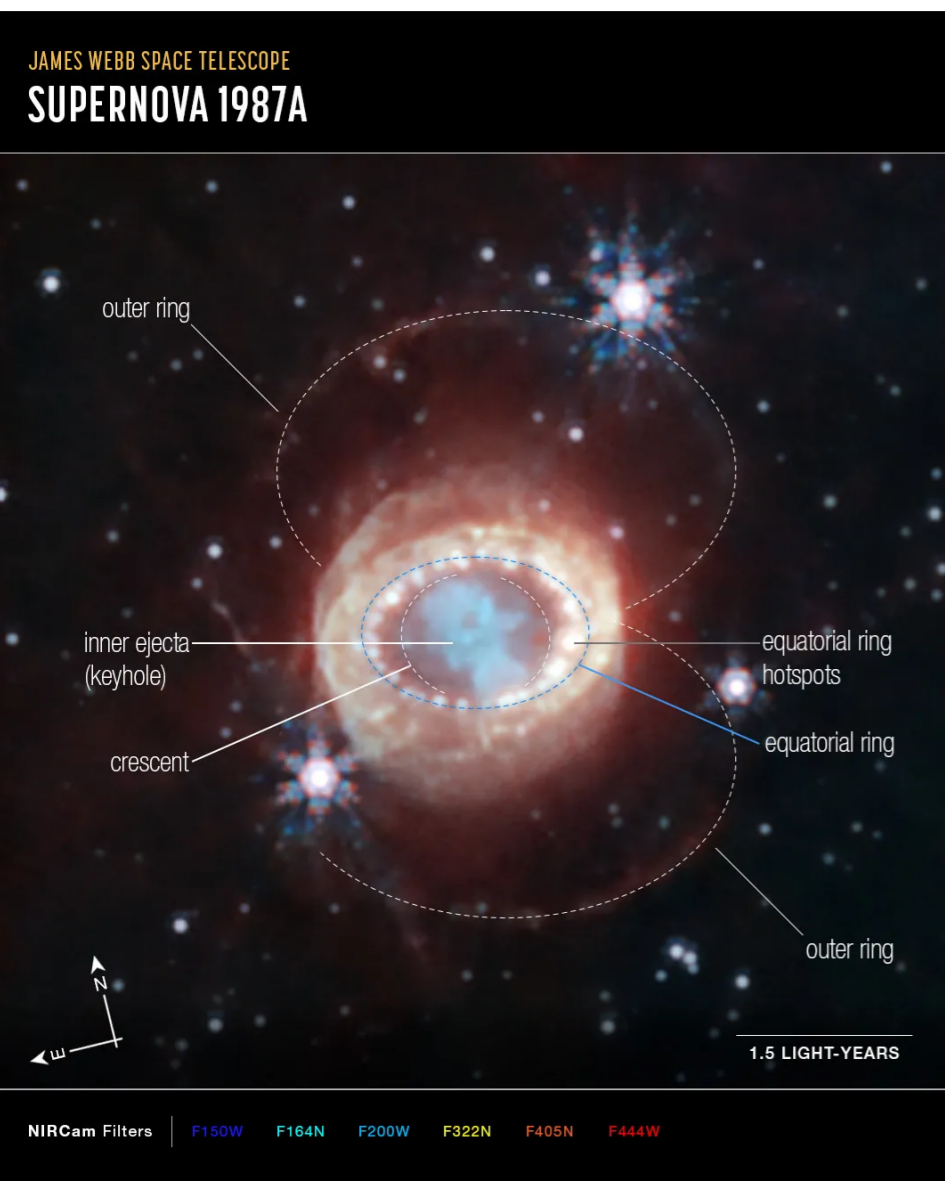
Large dust mass detection of 0.2-0.7 Msun only 30 years post-explosion



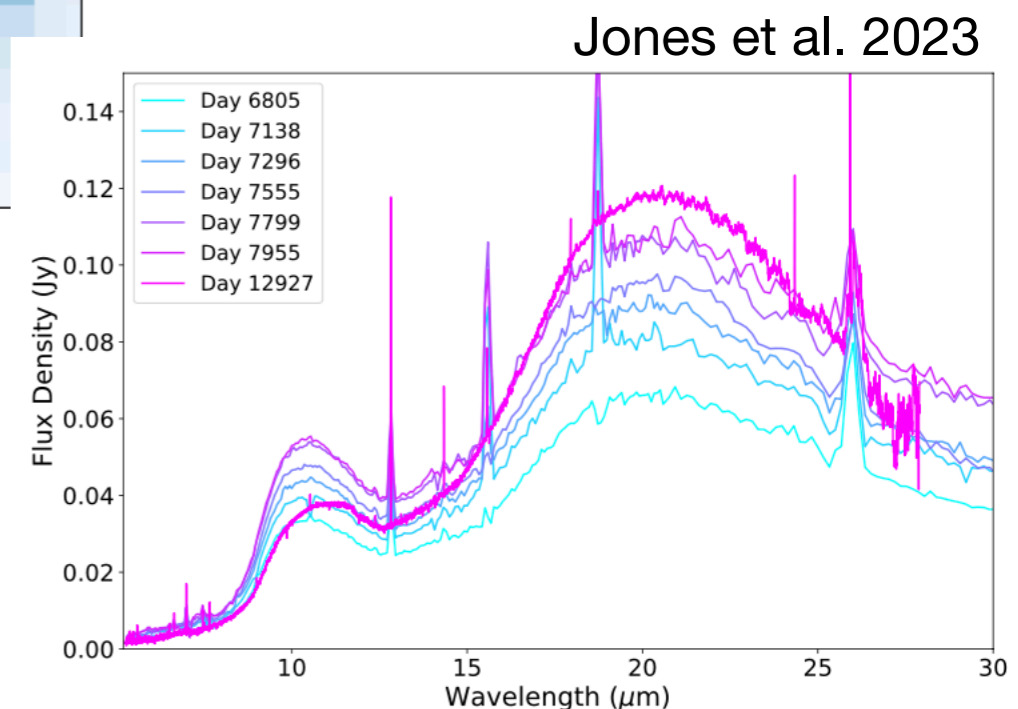
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New JWST data will allow to study dust destruction in detail !

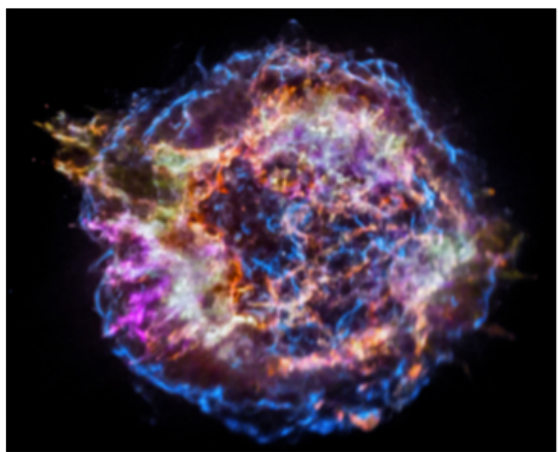


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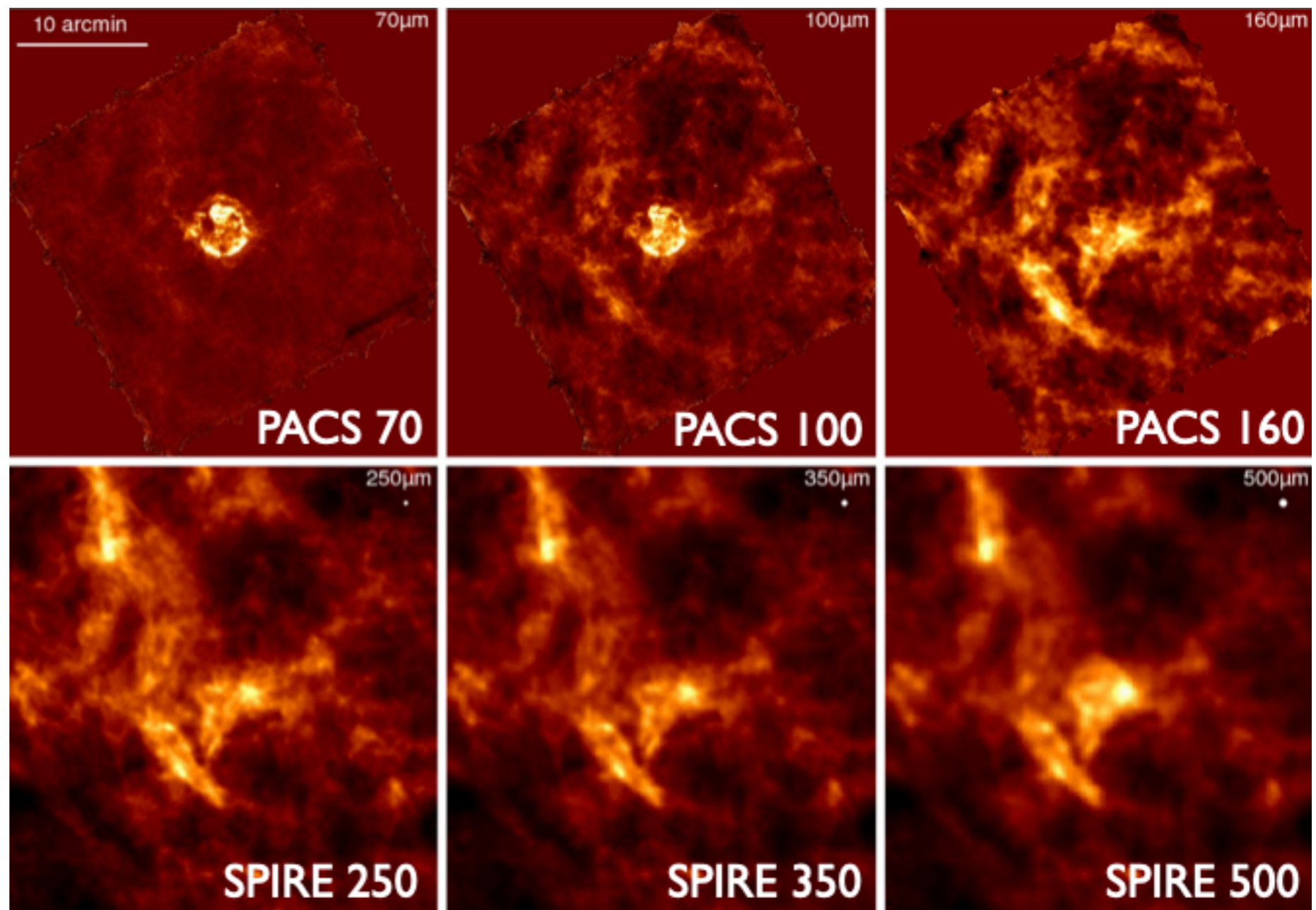


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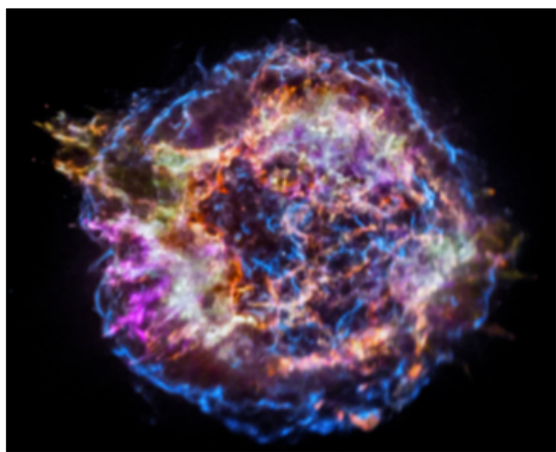
Cassiopeia A
Type IIb



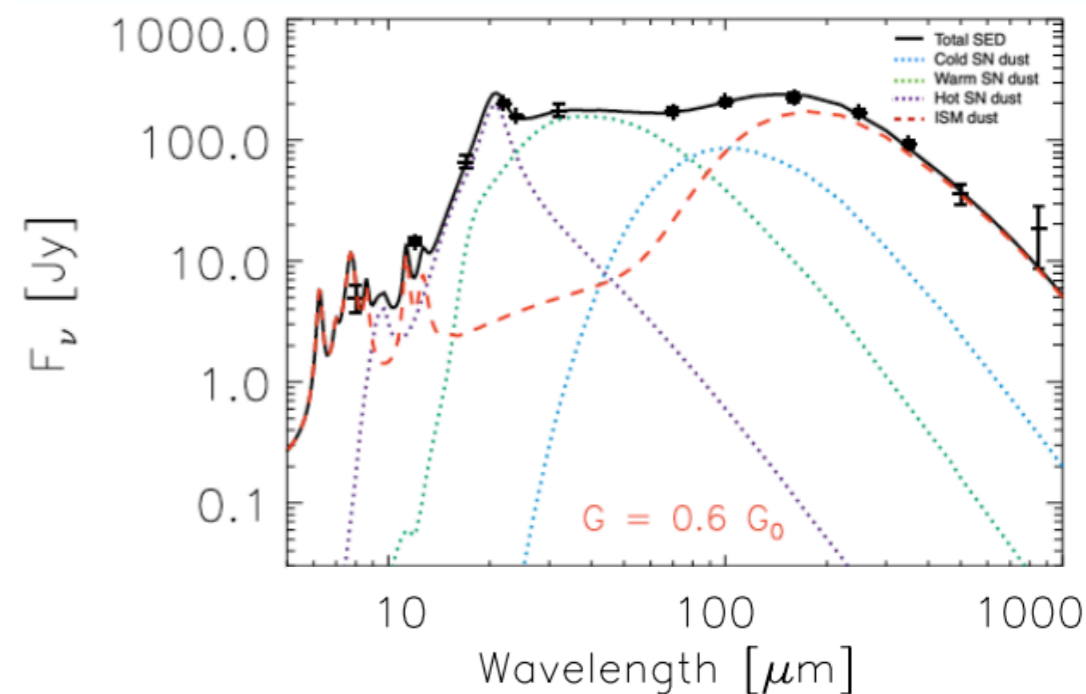
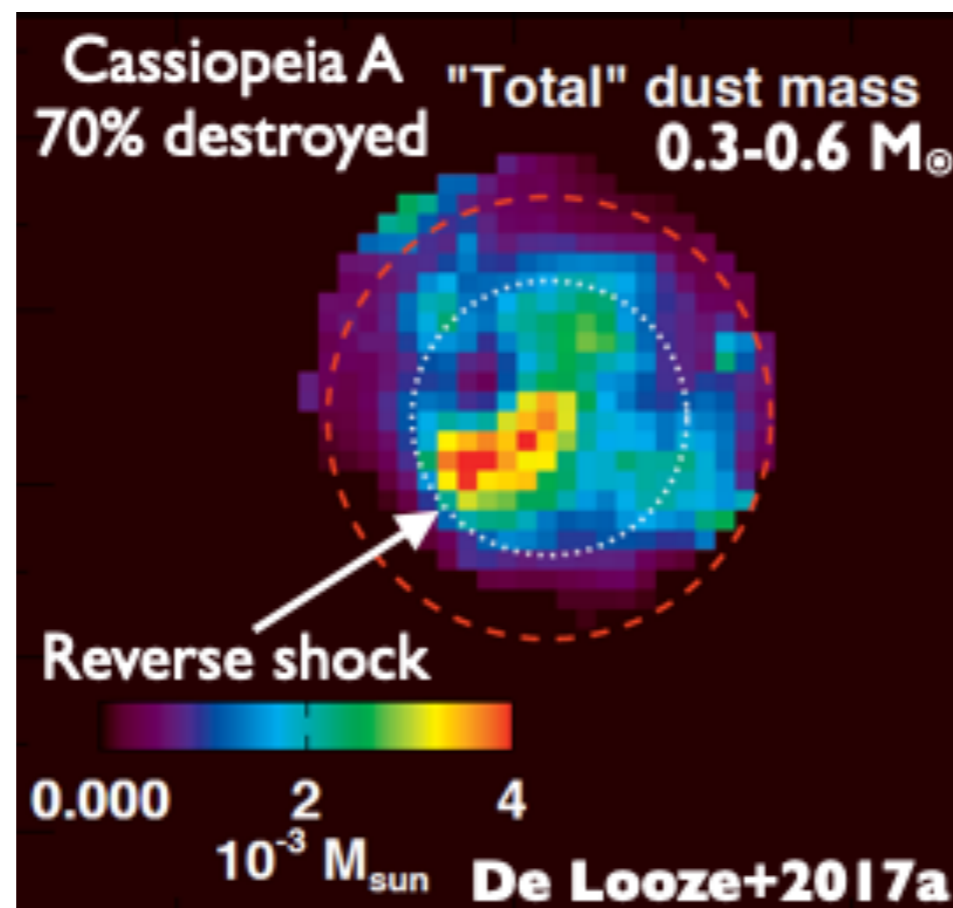
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- Main difficulty in disentangling all emission components.
- High mass $0.3-0.6 M_{\text{sun}}$ of dust.
- Most of the dust inside reverse shock.



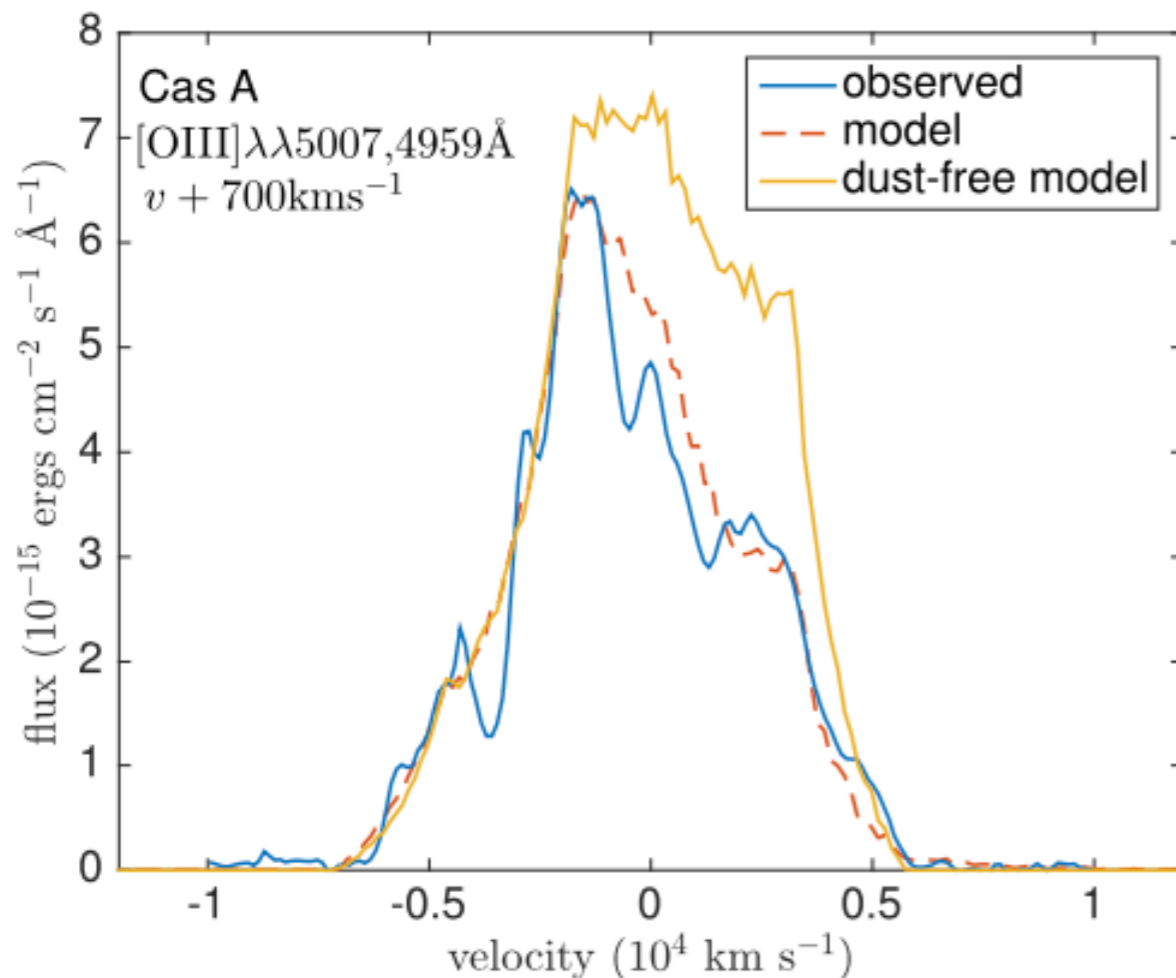
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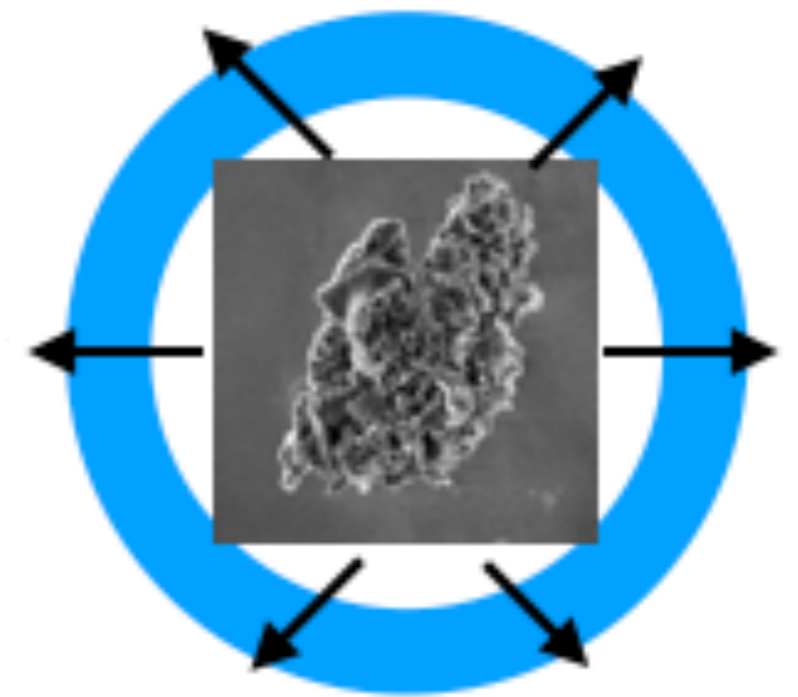
+ Independent dust mass estimates ($0.5-1.0 M_{\text{sun}}$):

Dust formation in SN(R)s

Cas A: modelling optical line profile asymmetries



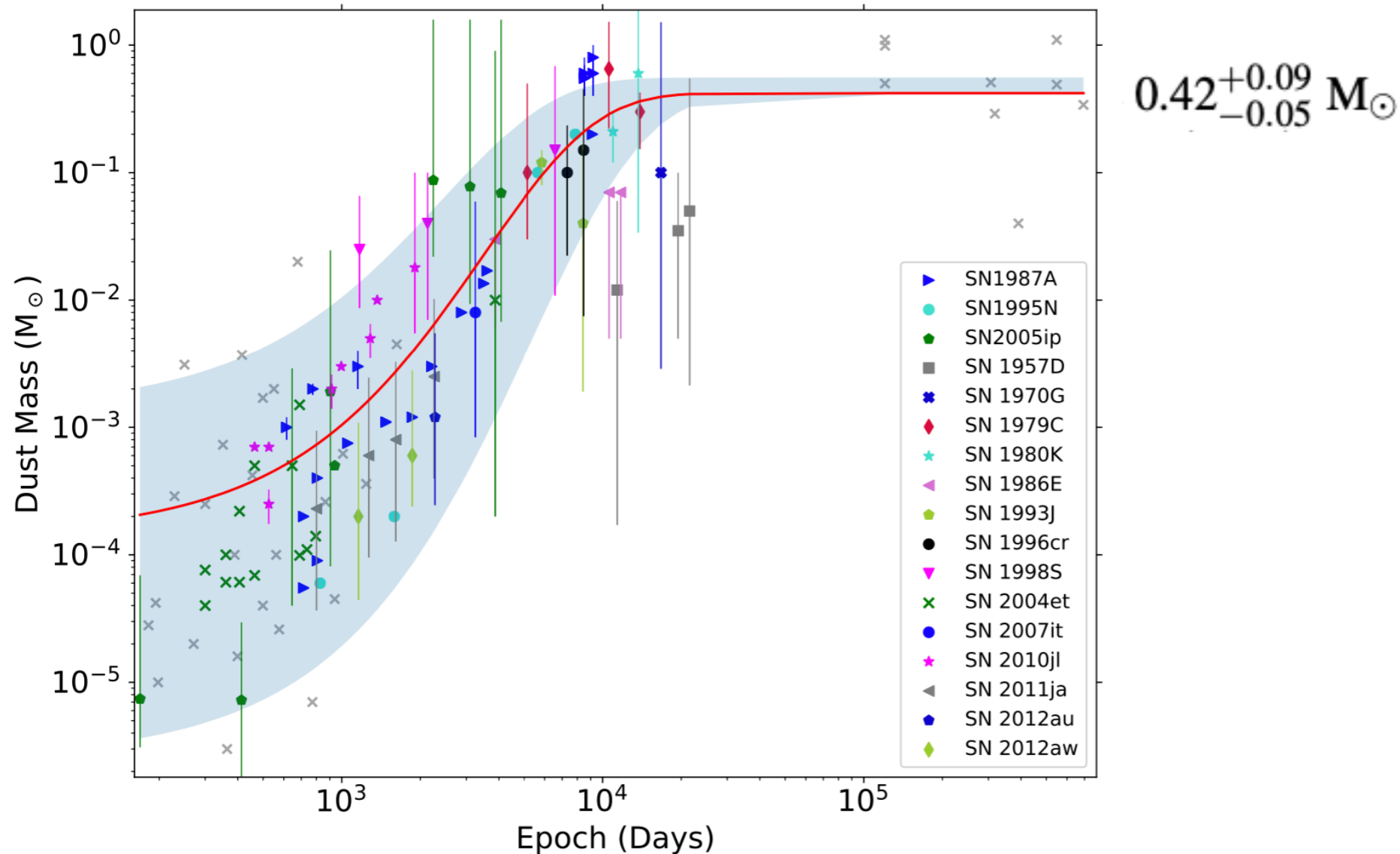
Observer



blue-shifted **redshifted**

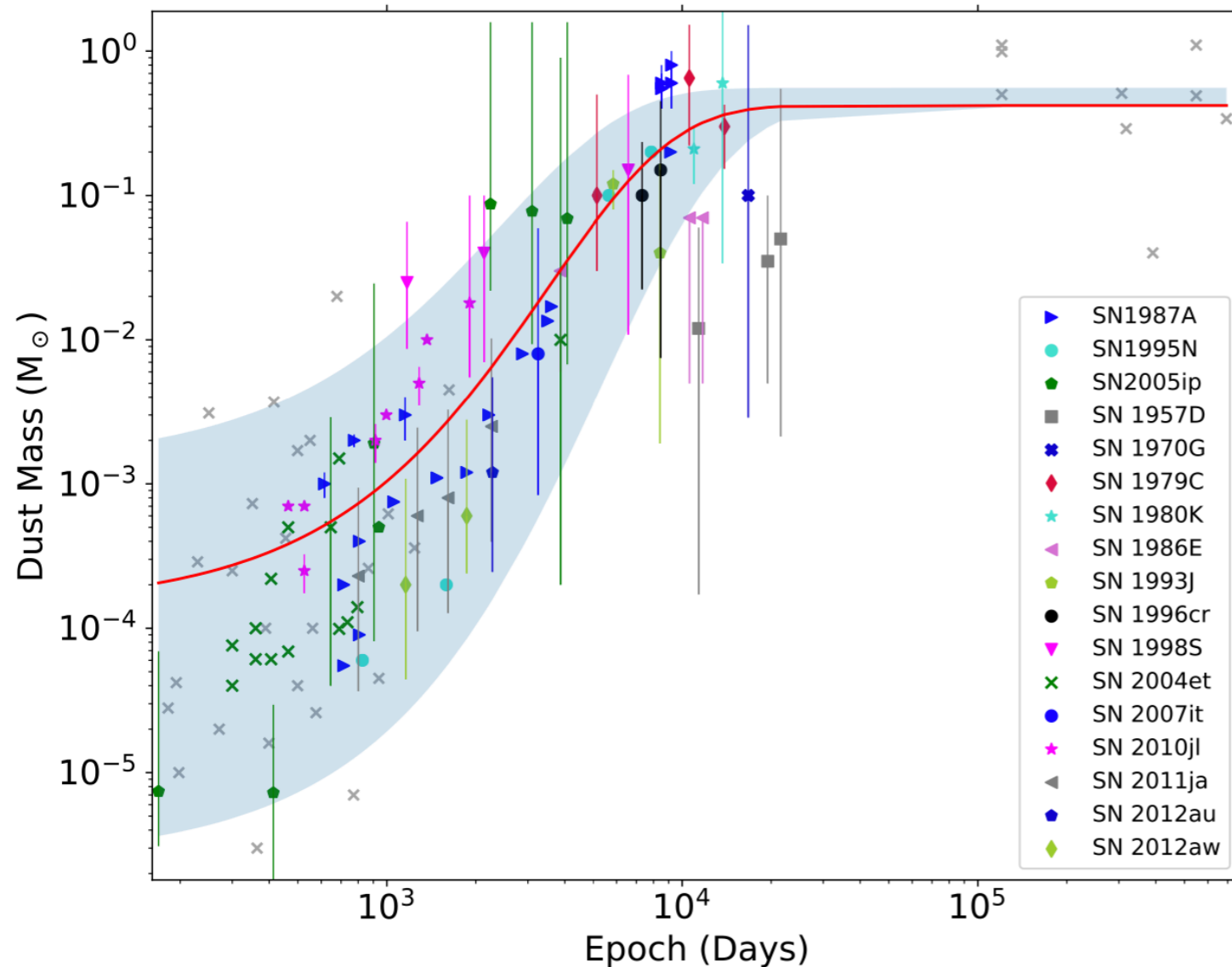
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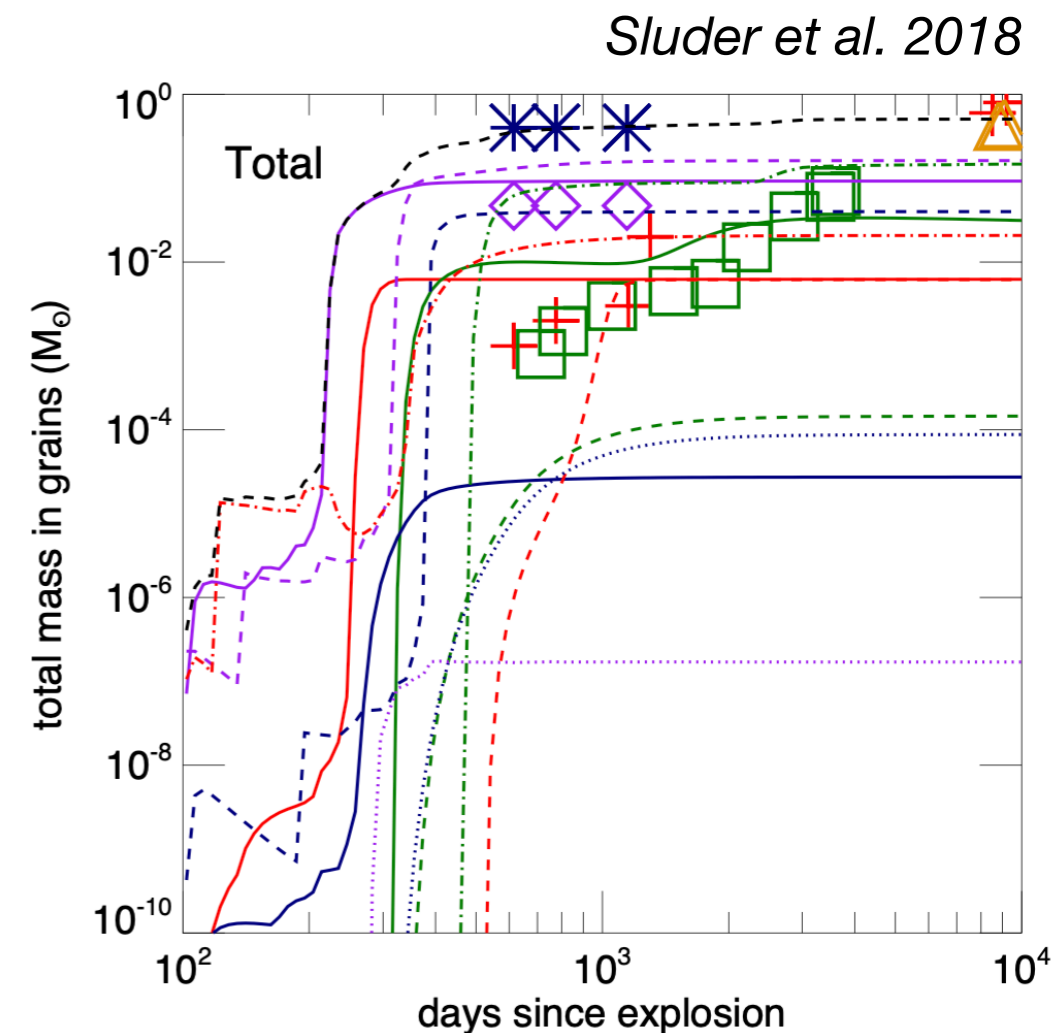
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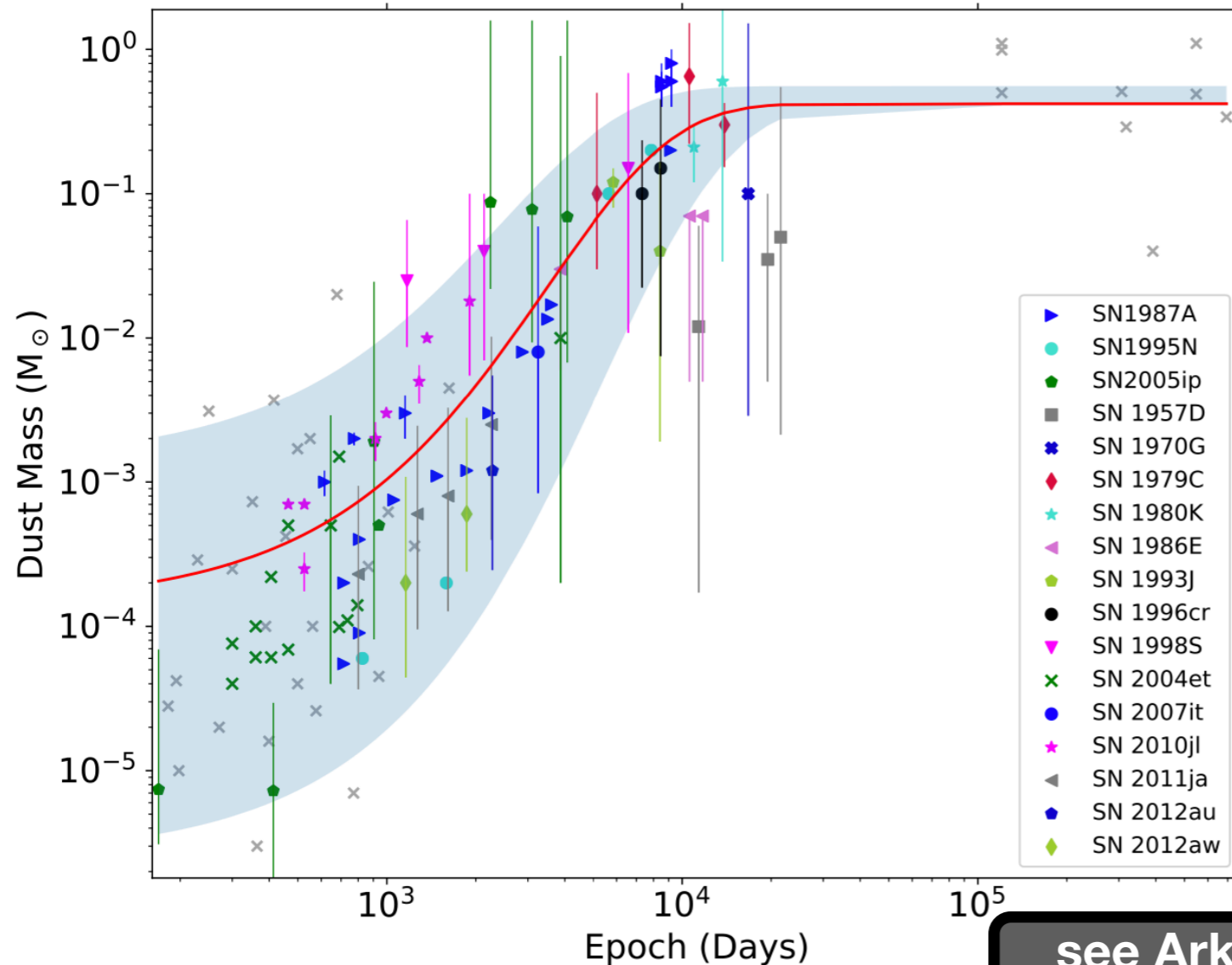
Niculescu-Duvaz, Barlow, et al. 2022

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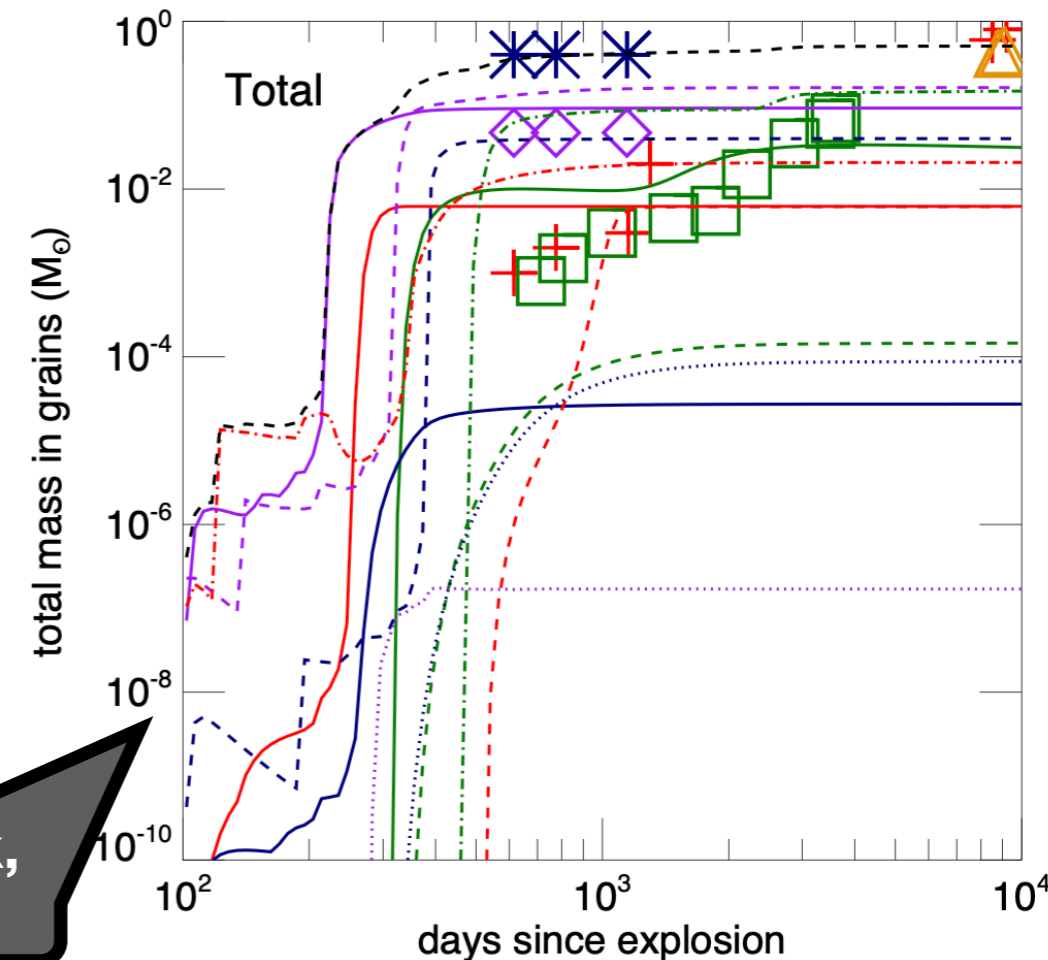
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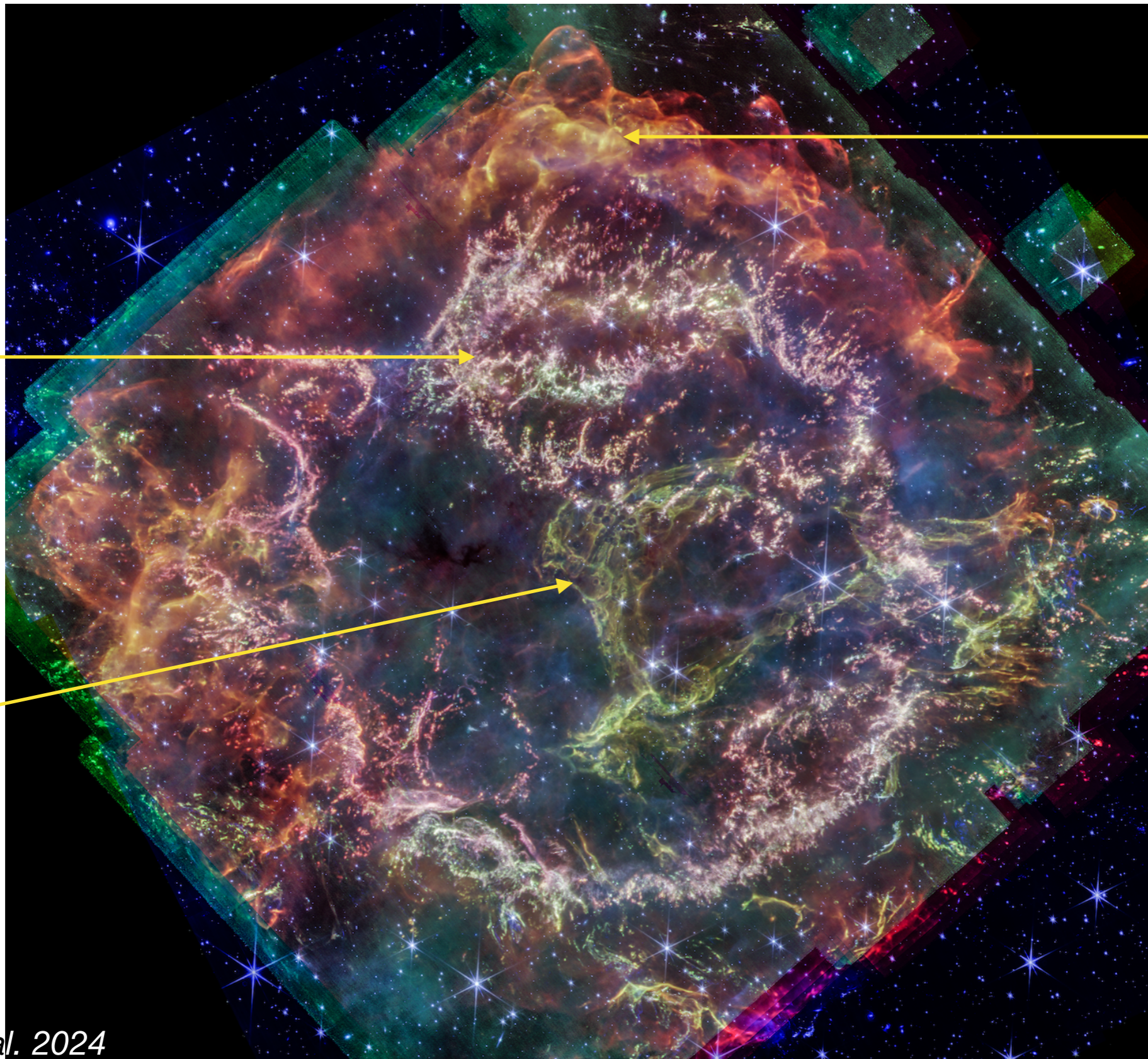
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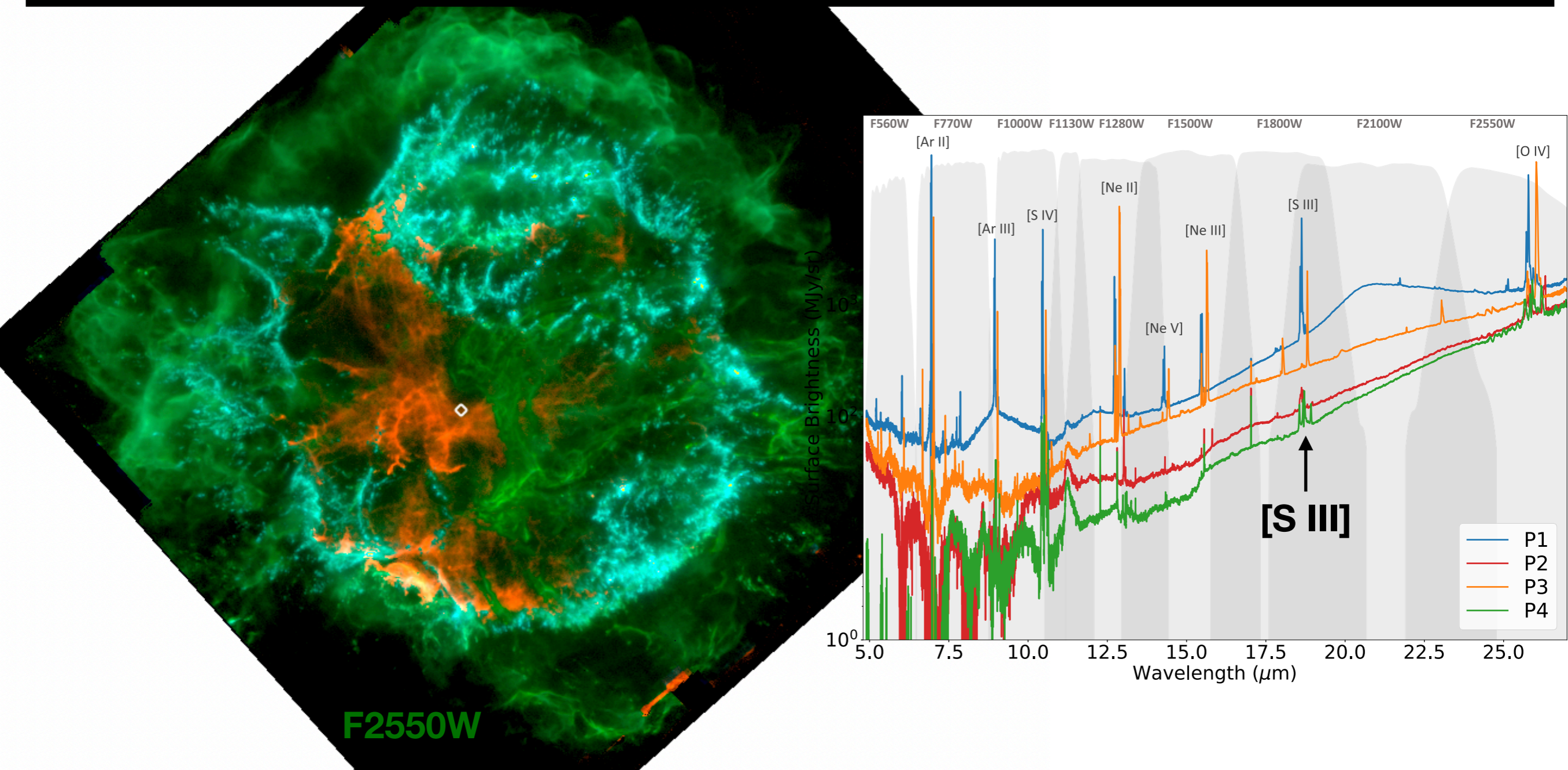
Circumstellar material shocked by the SN blast wave

Processing of SN ejecta in the reverse shock

Newly identified "green monster" structure: unclear origin?

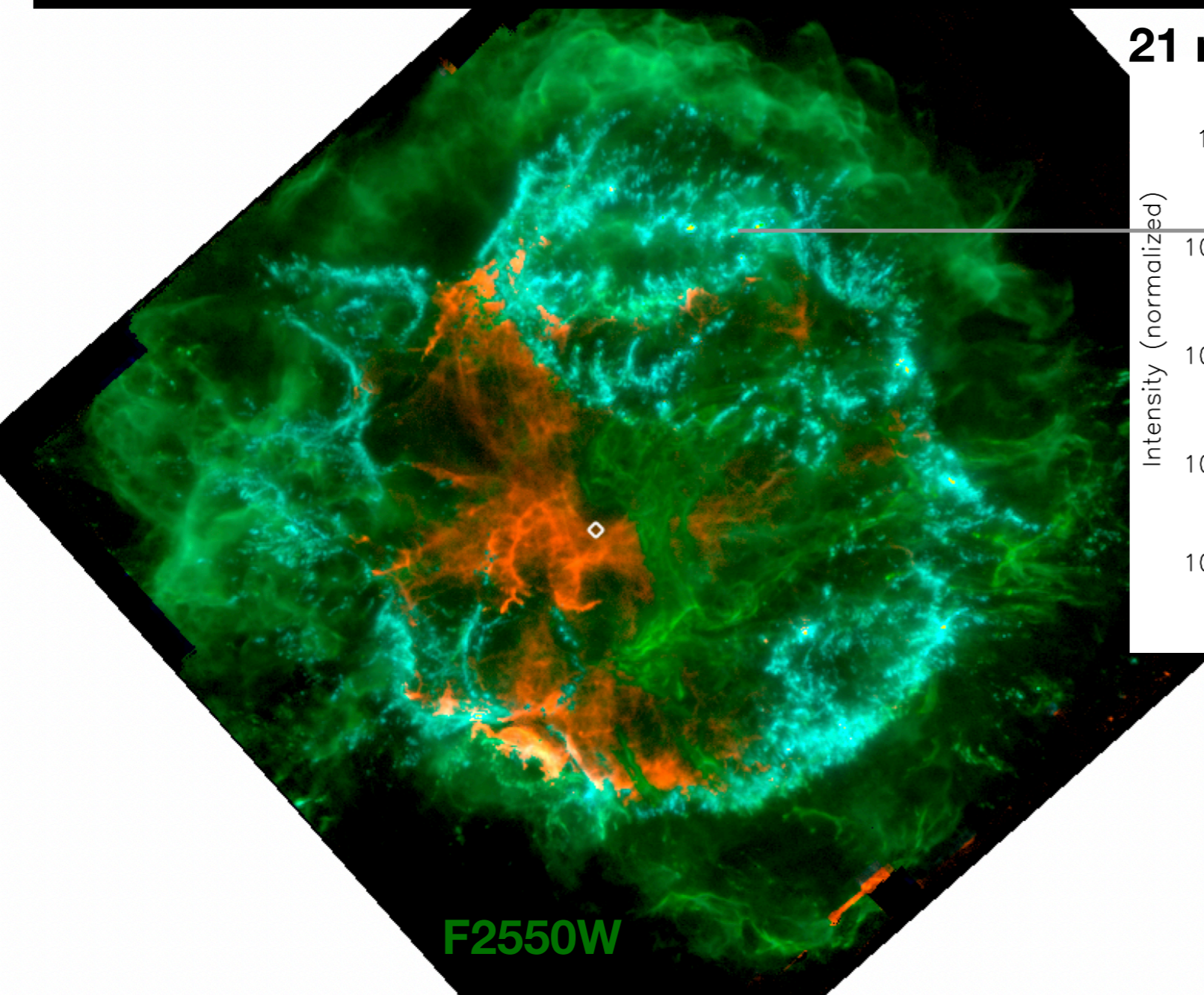
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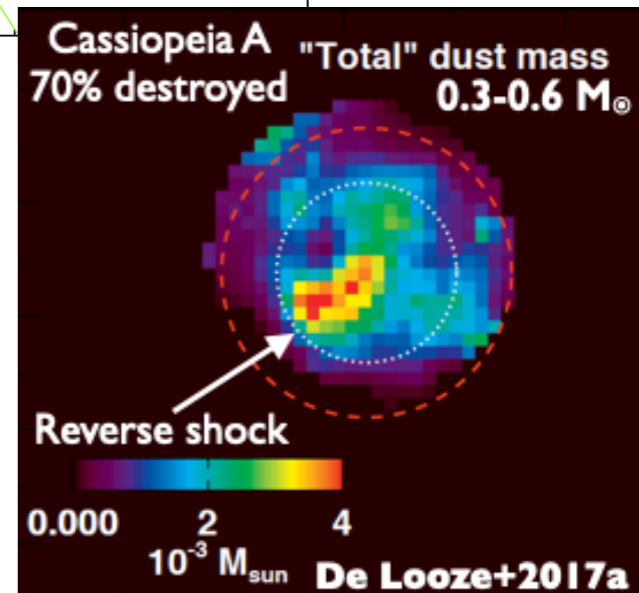
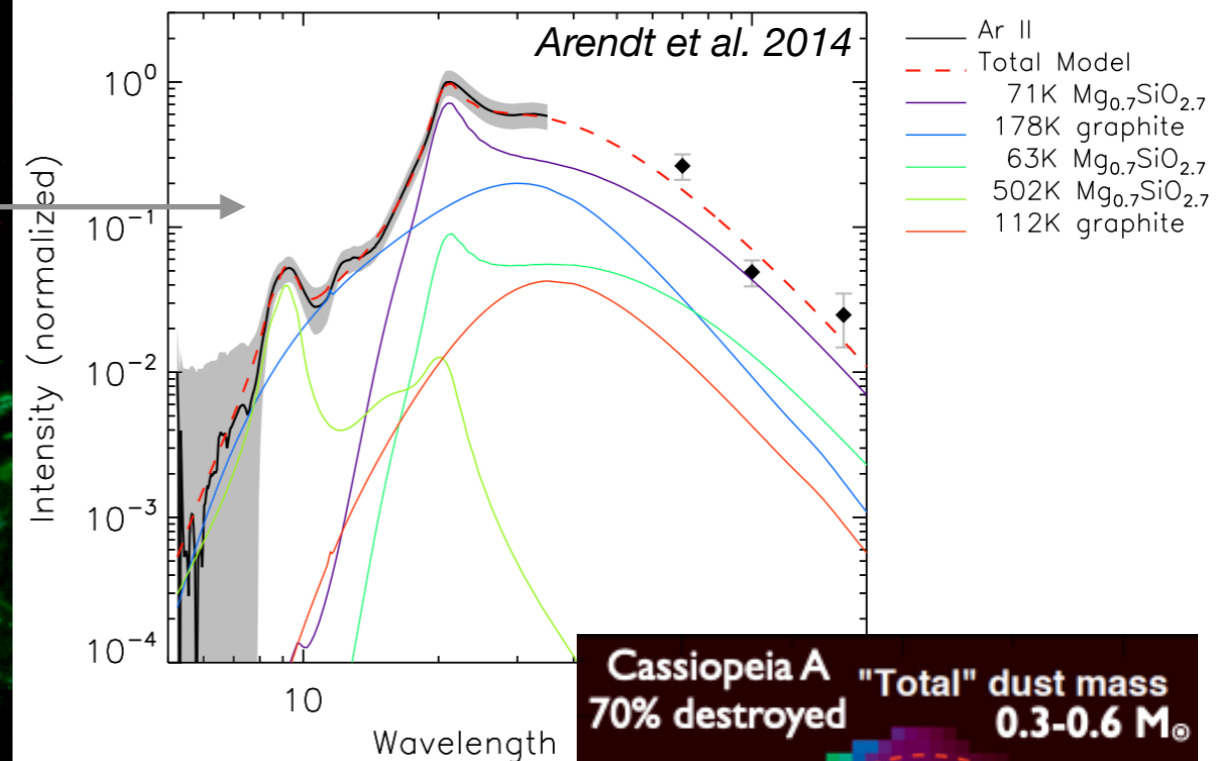


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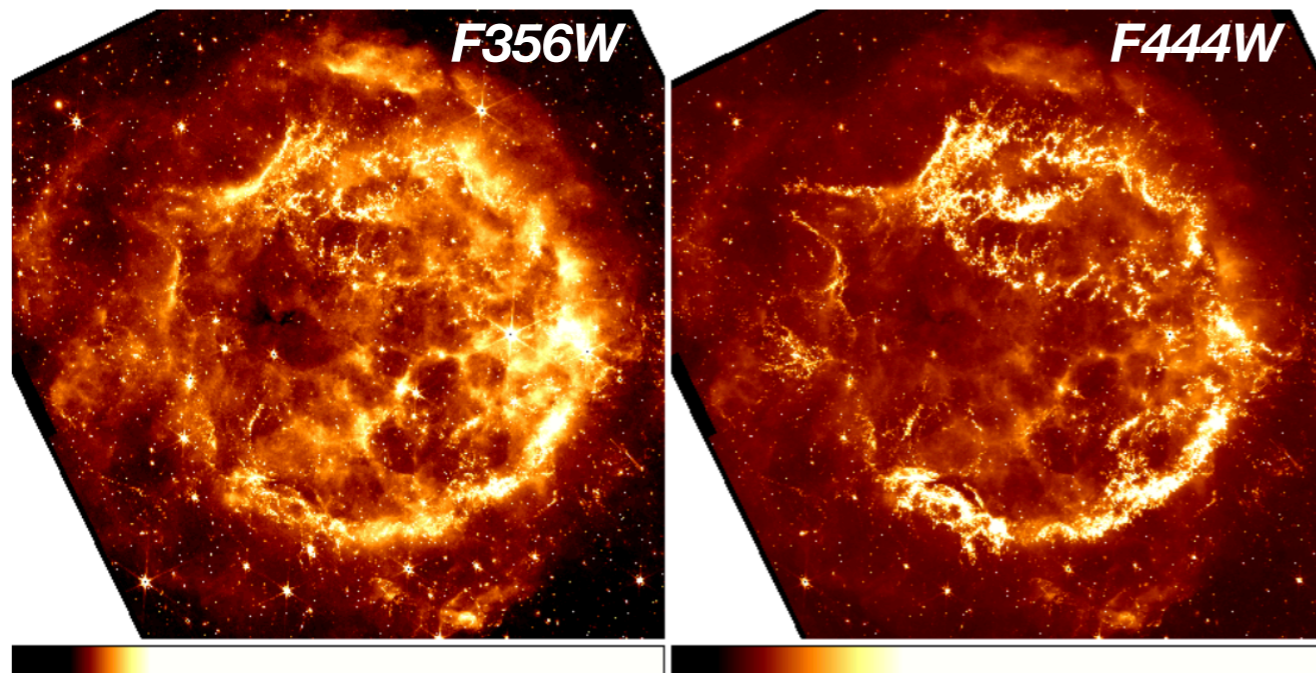


21 micron-peak dust ($\text{Mg}_{0.7}\text{SiO}_{2.7}$)

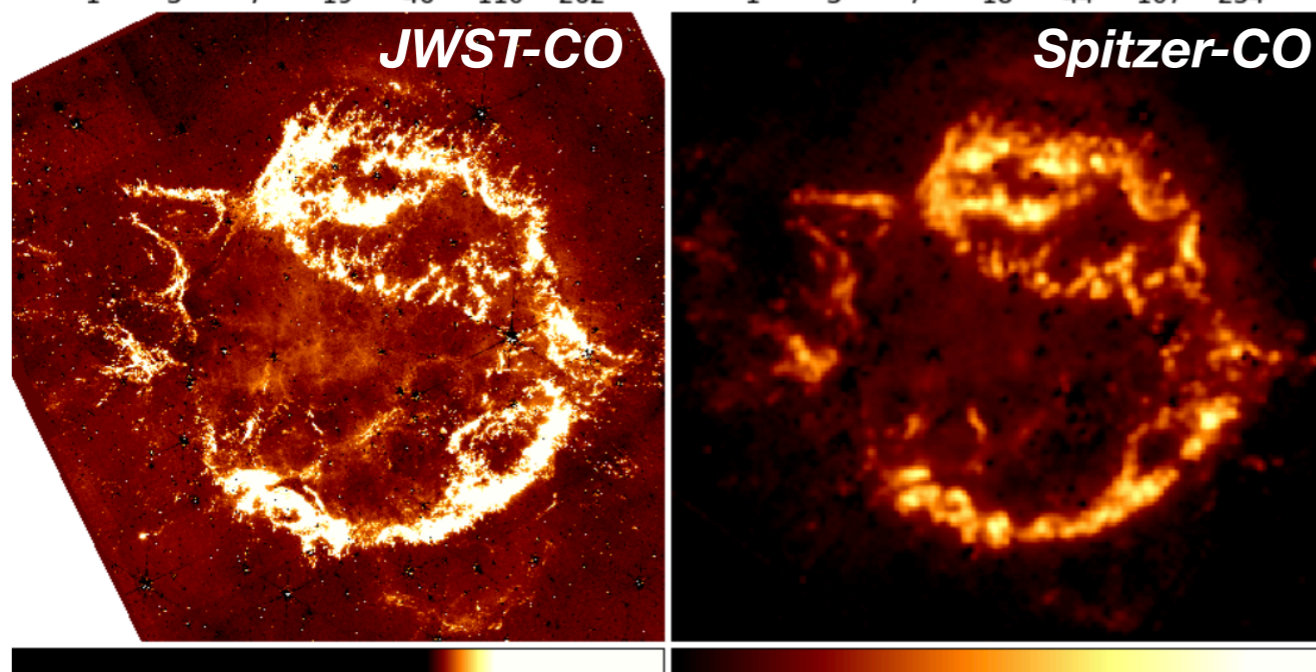


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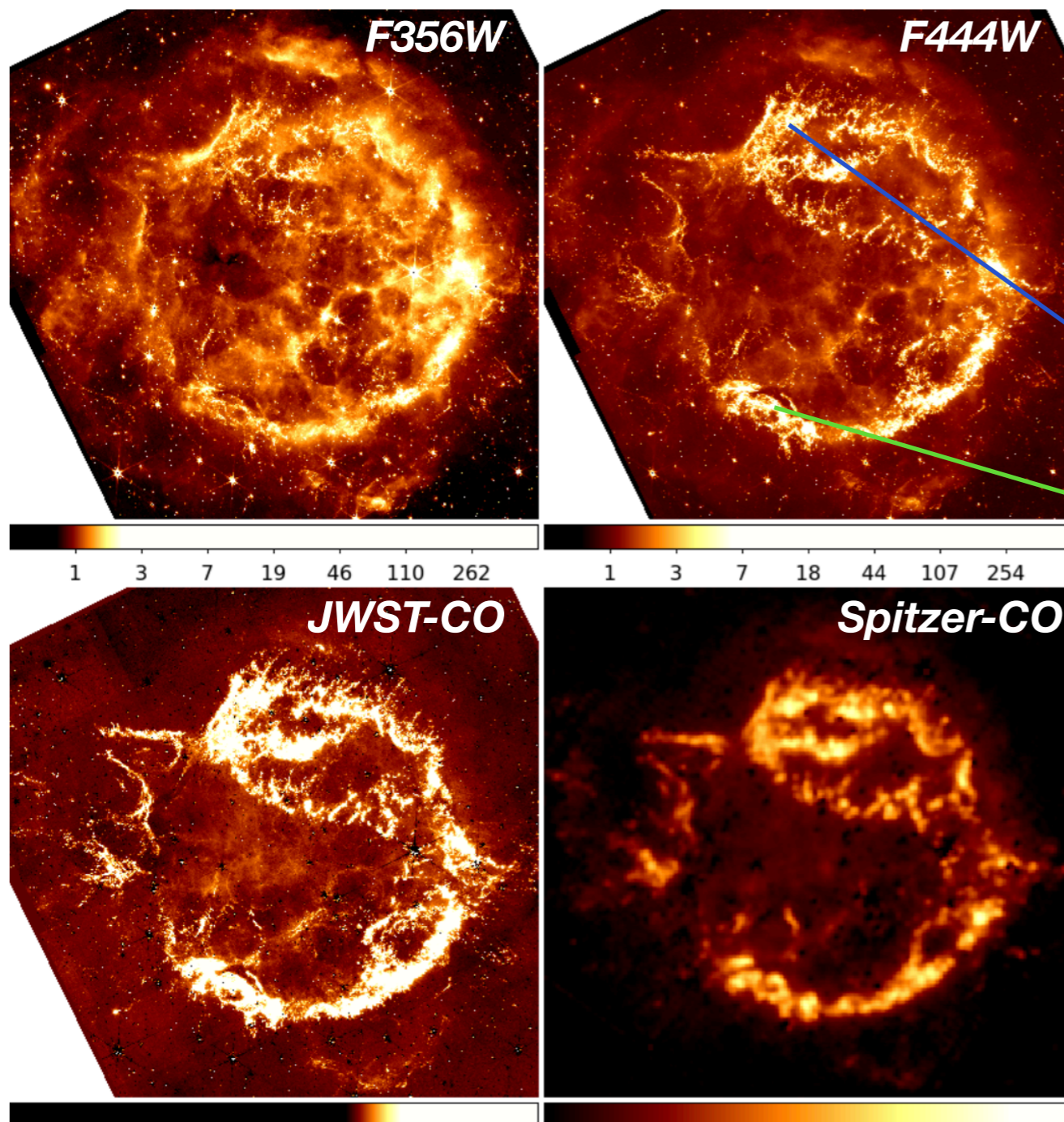


JWST-NIRCAM images

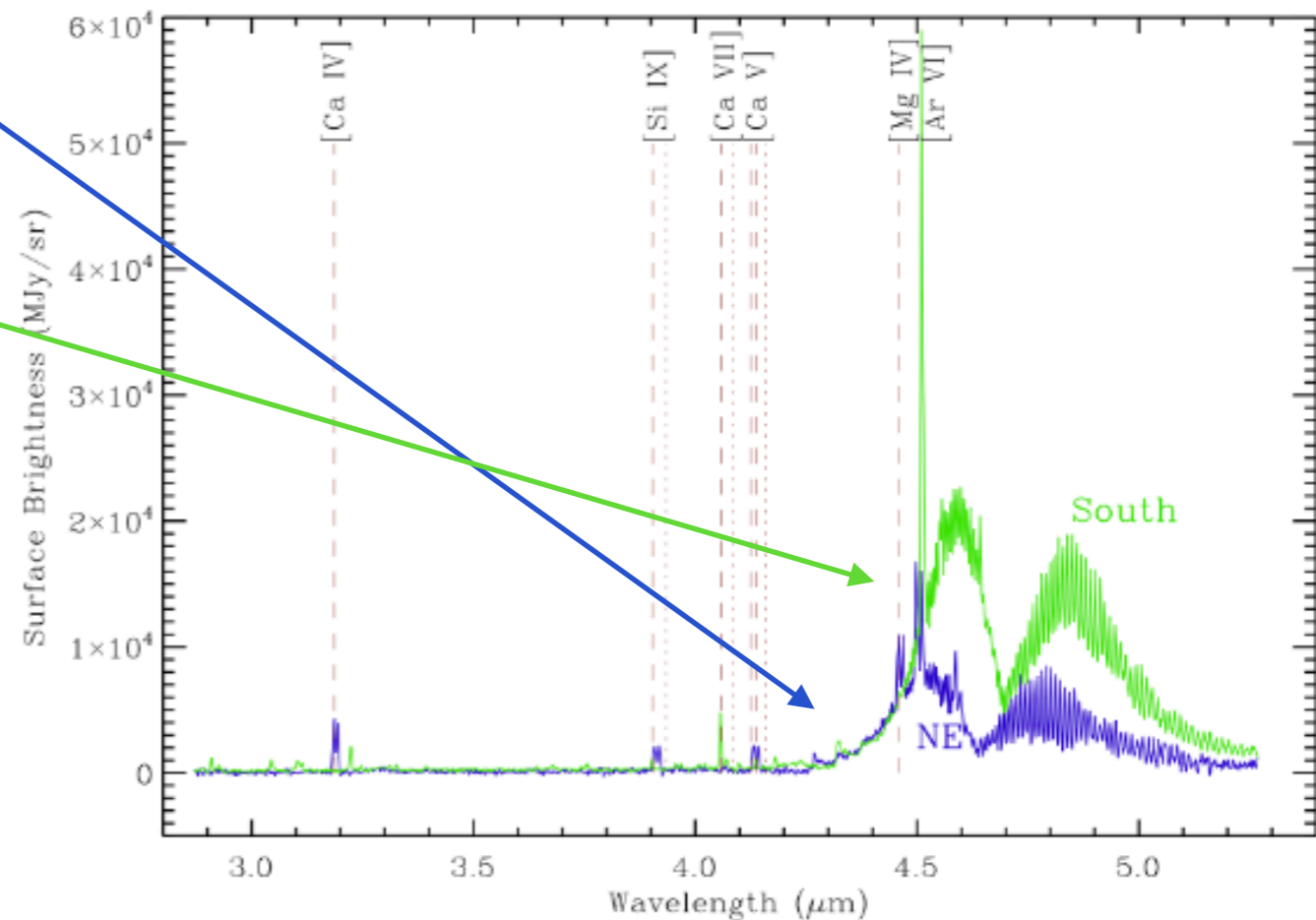


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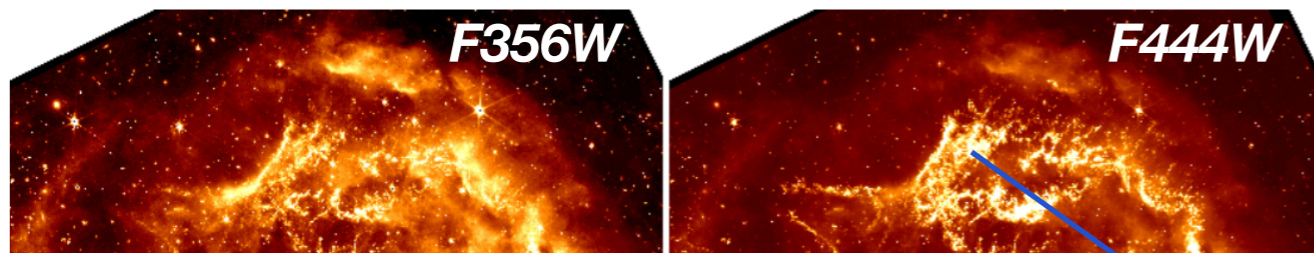


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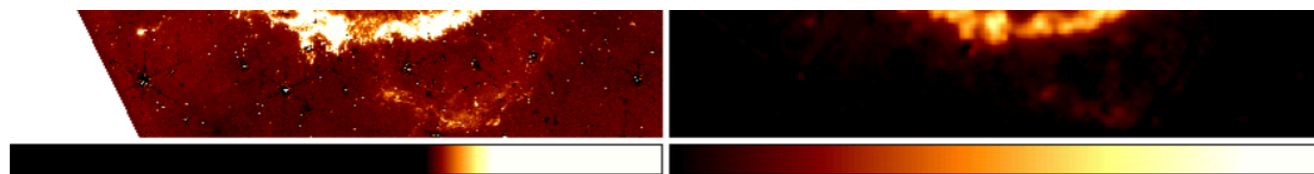
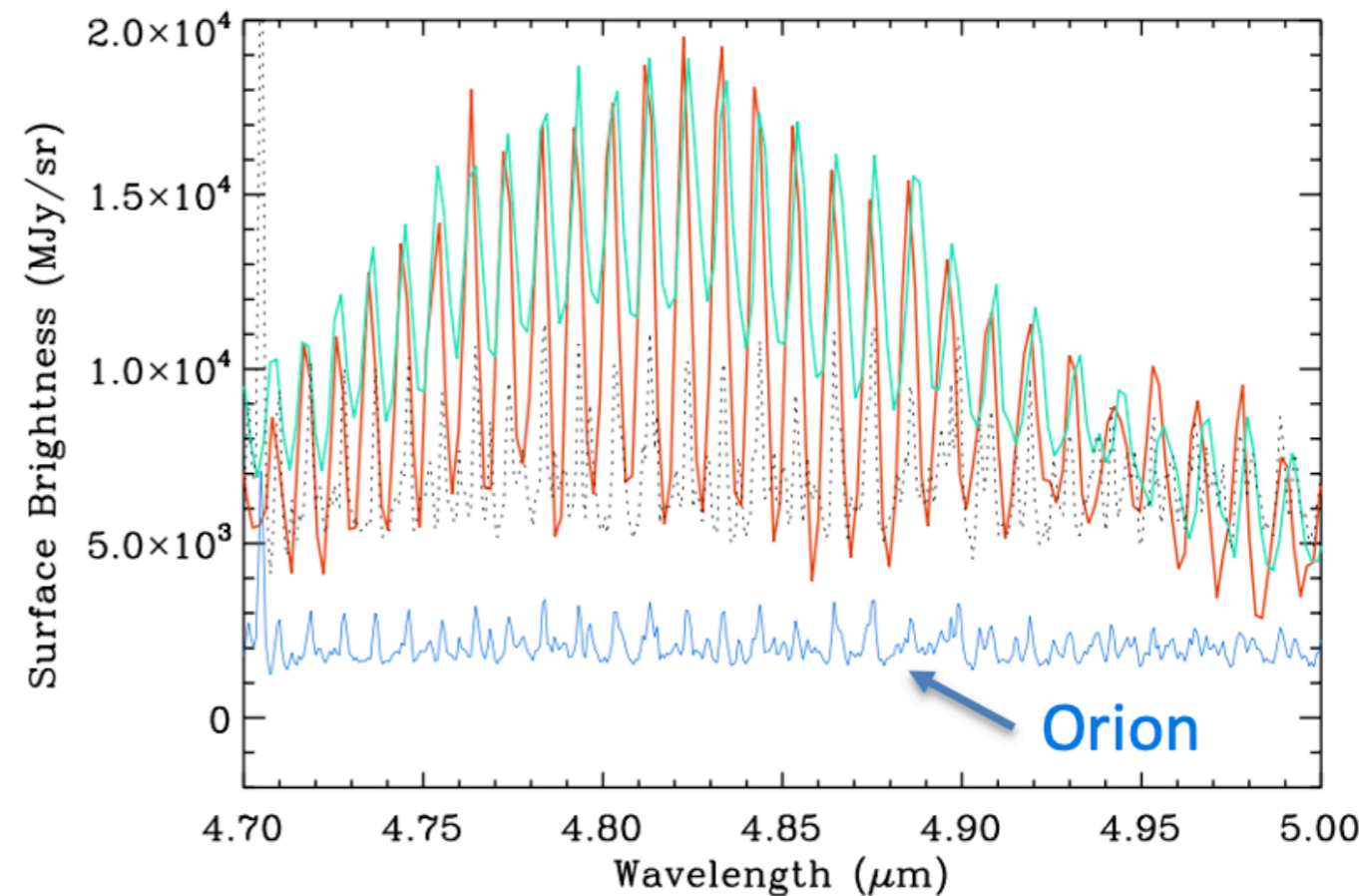
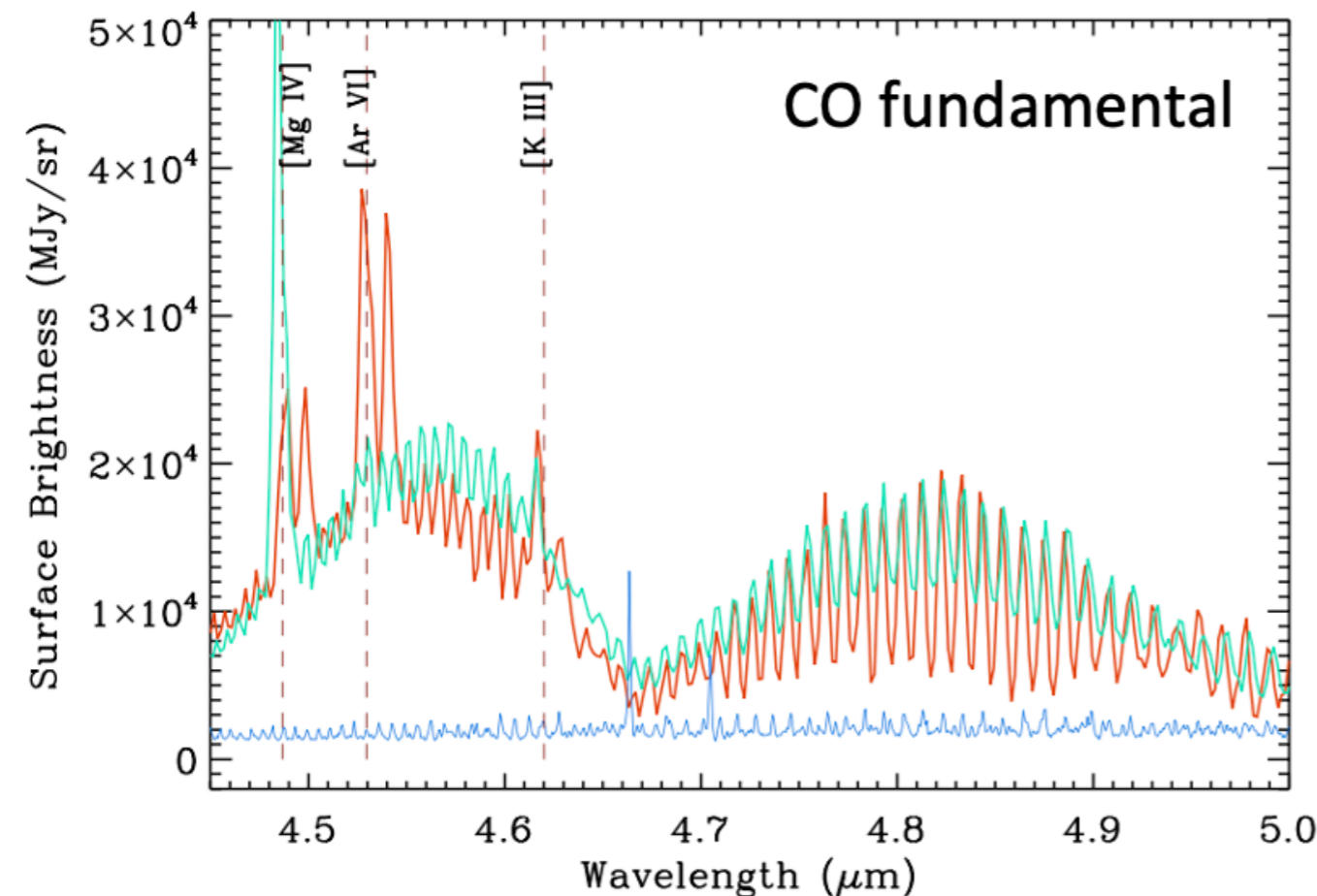


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Line width suggests CO comes from post-shock gas

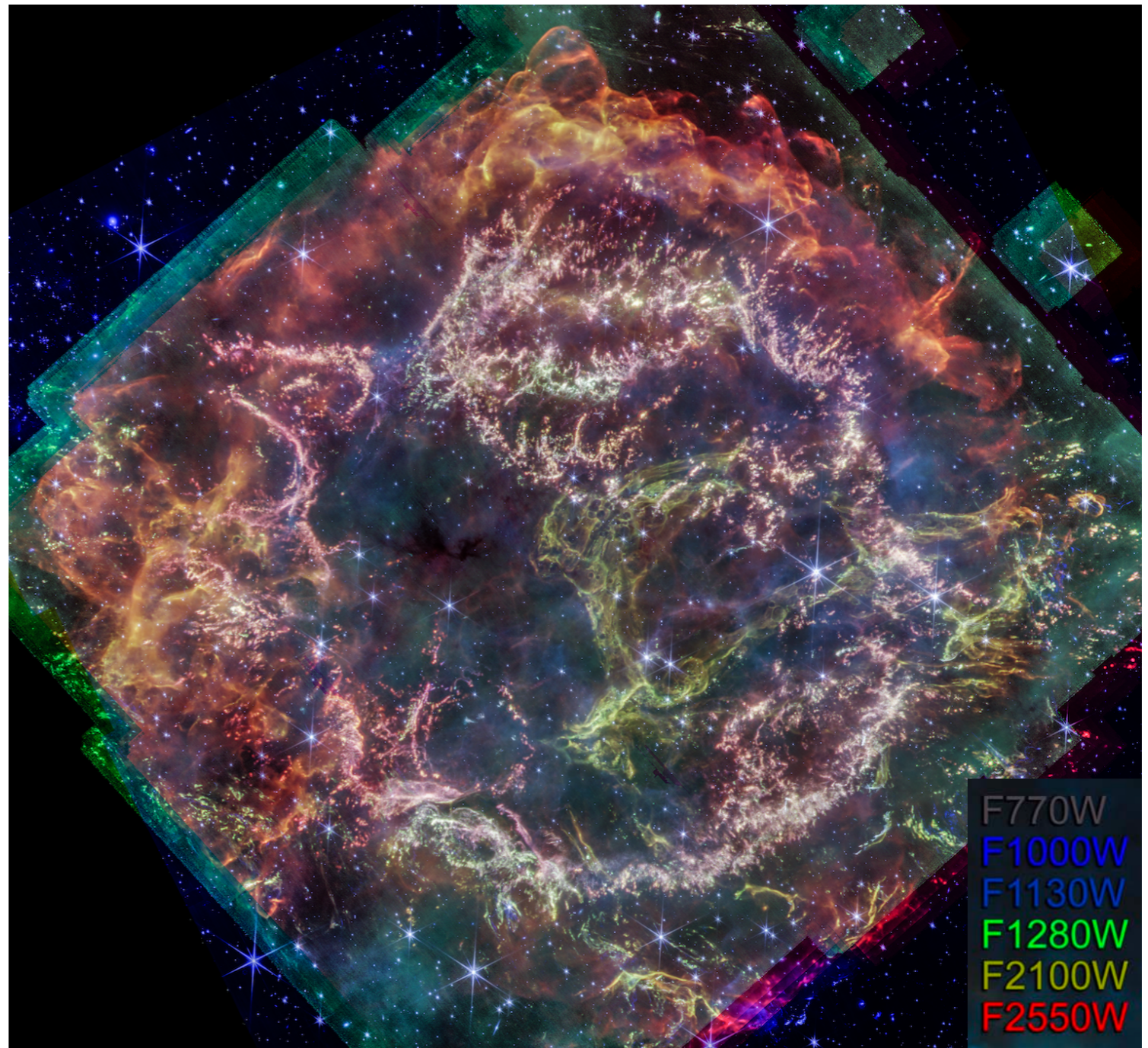


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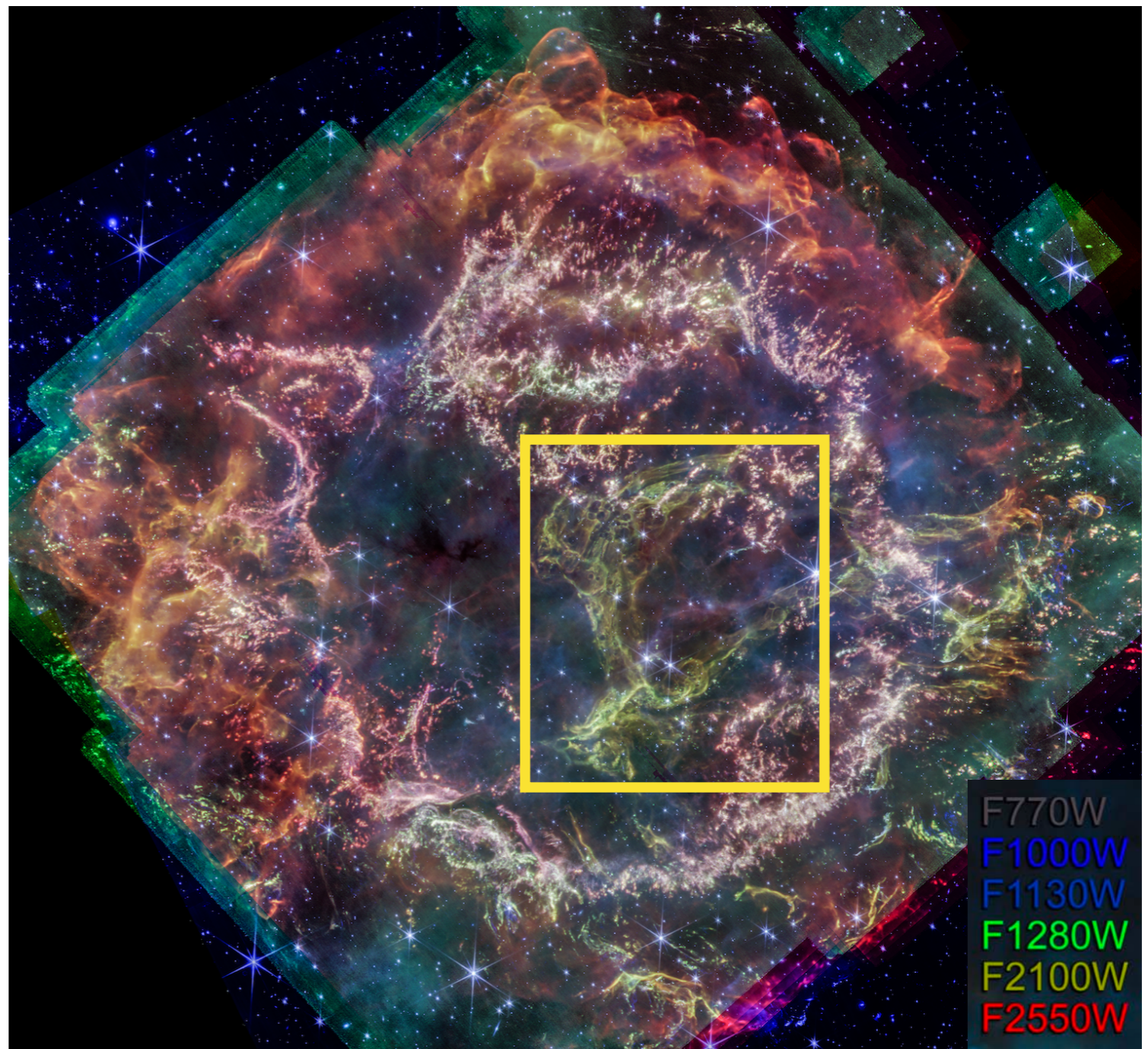


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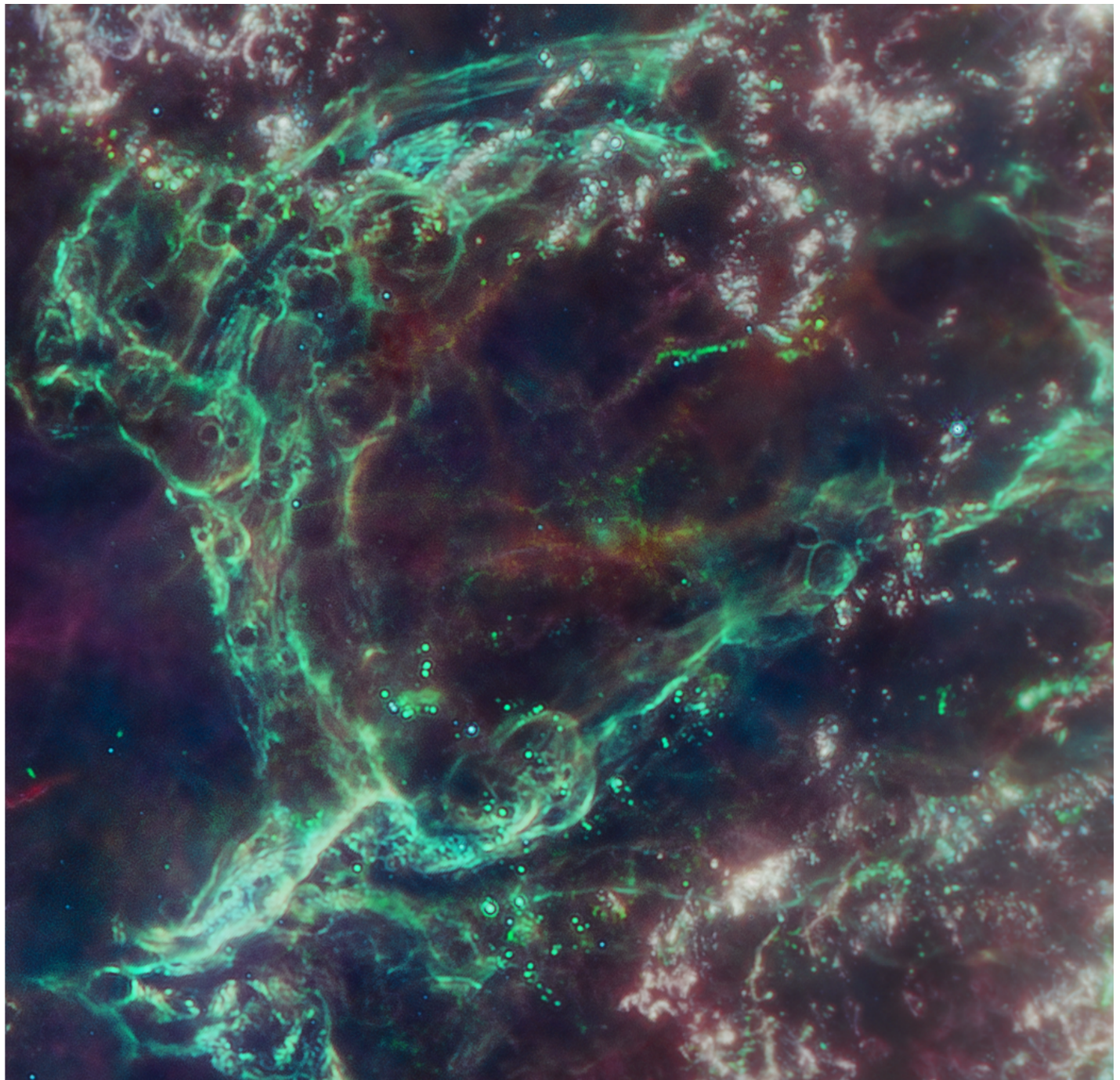


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The nature of the “green monster”

**Look at all those holes
with rings around!**

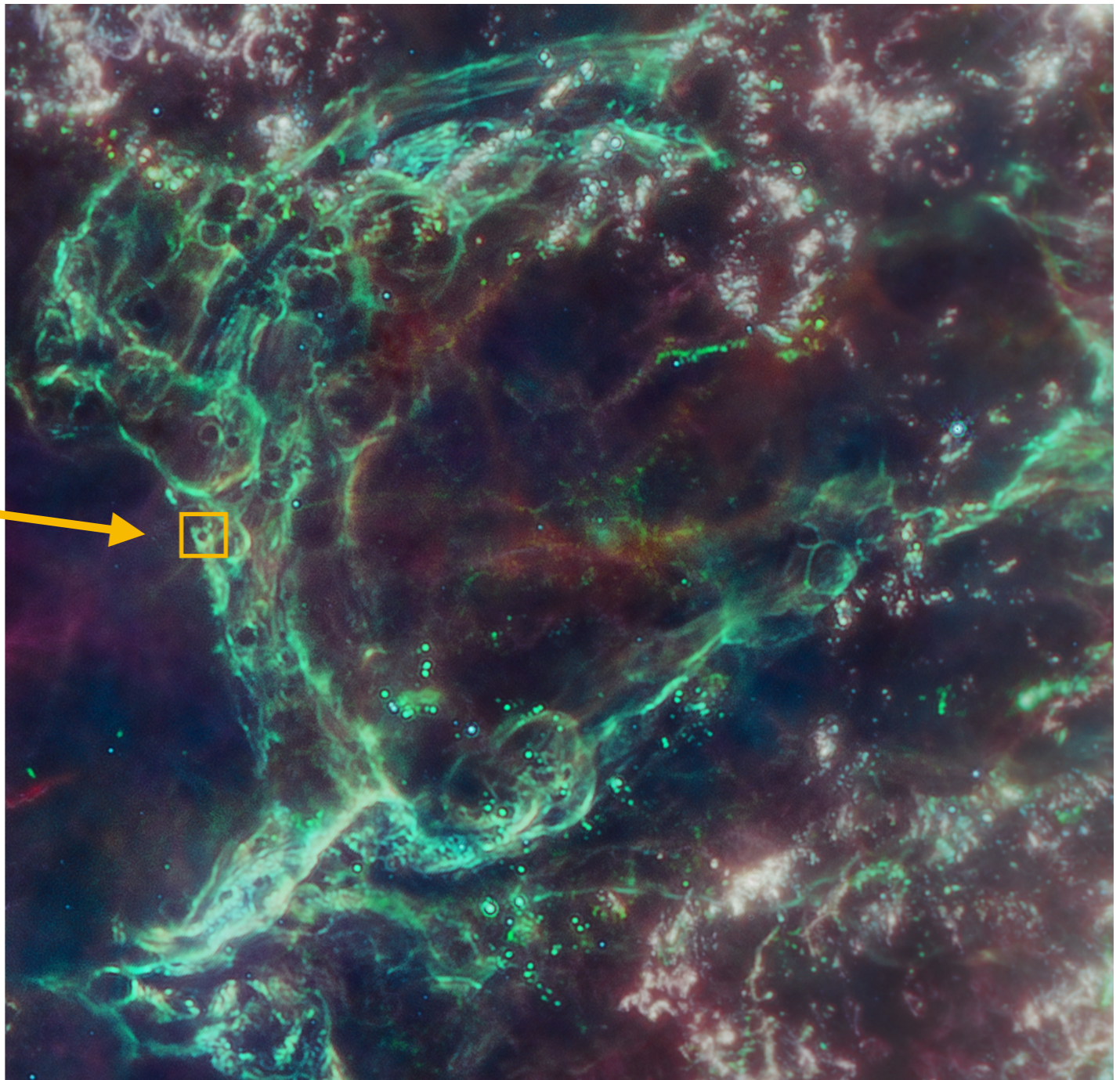


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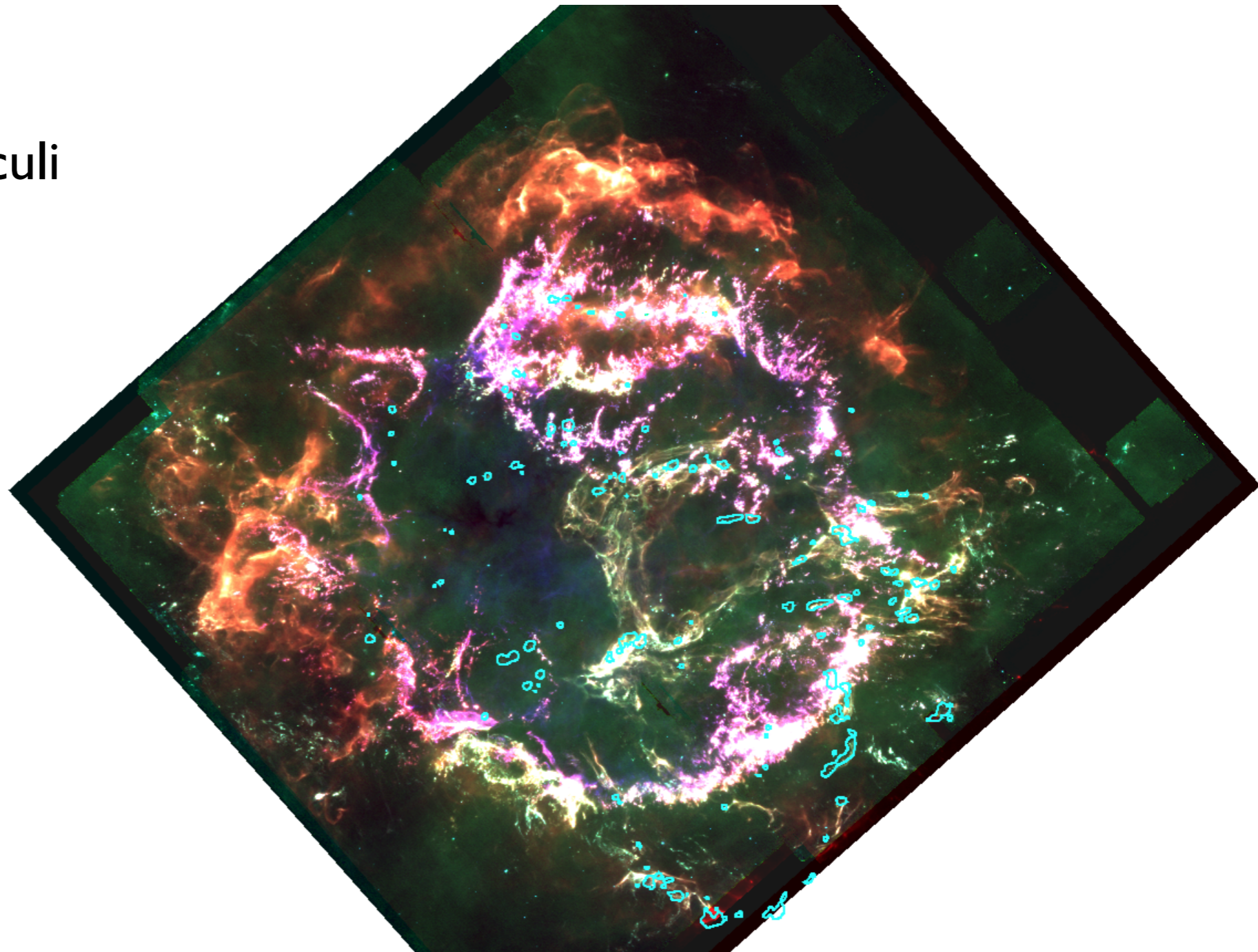
Insights from
MRS observations



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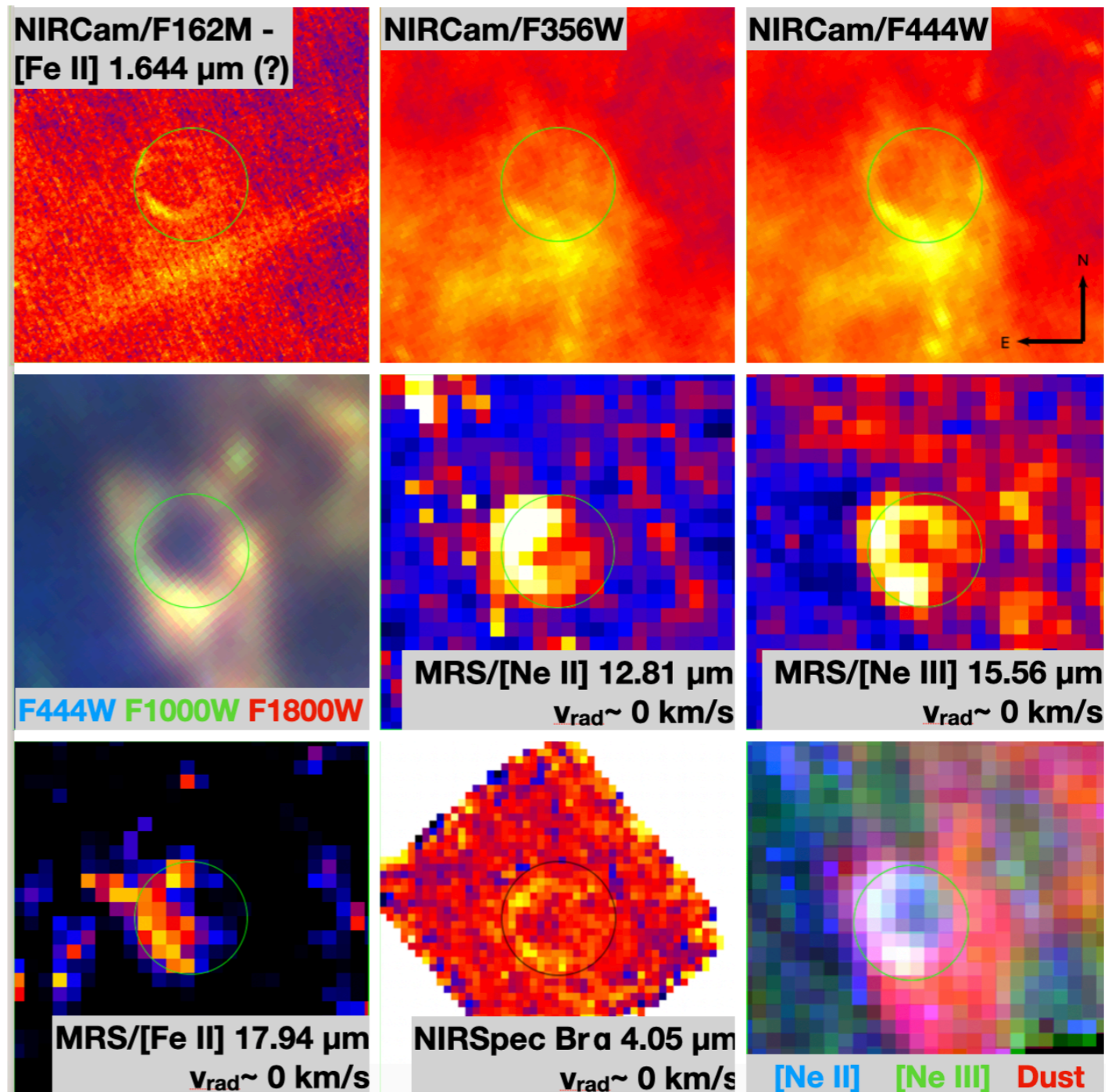
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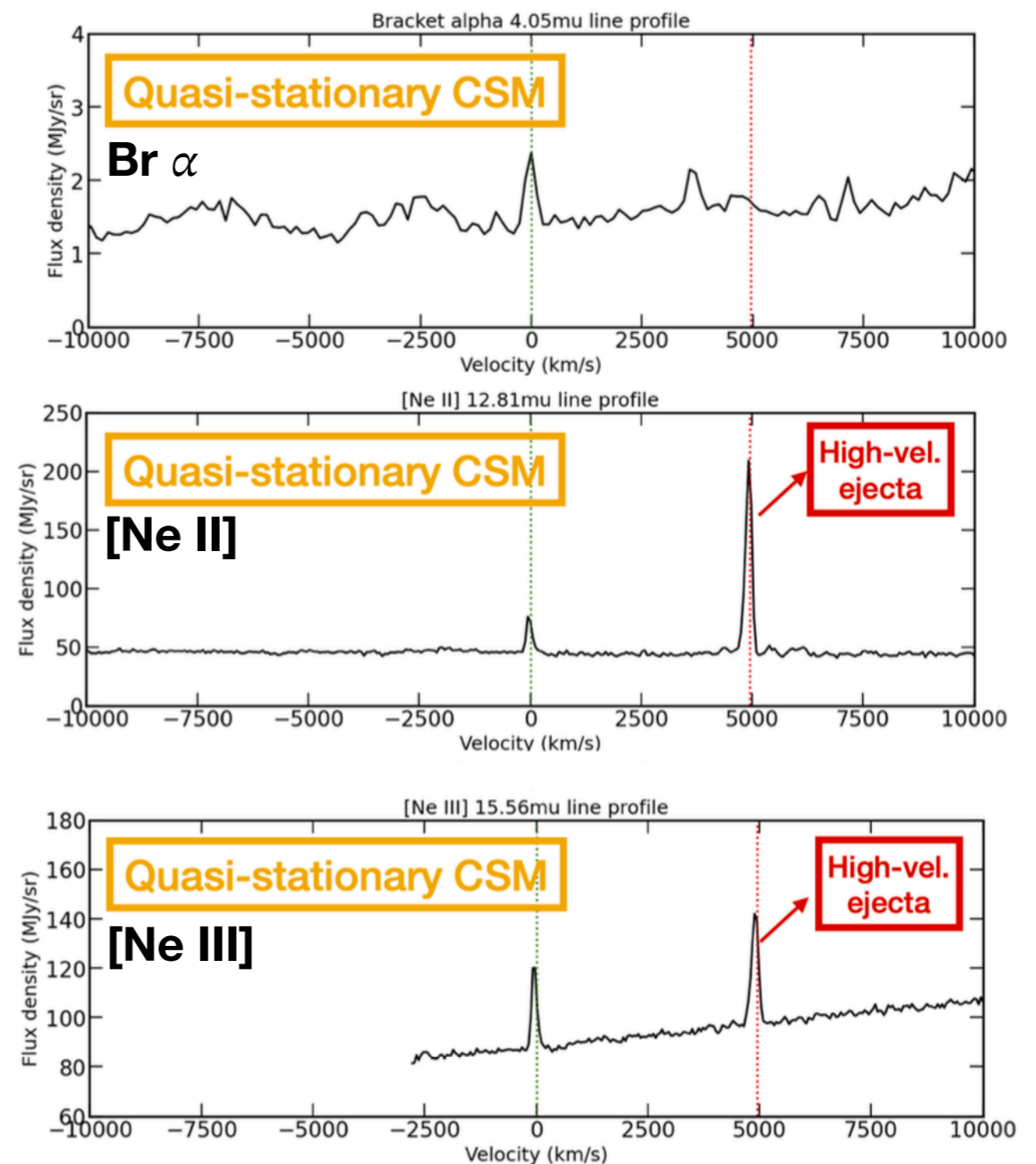
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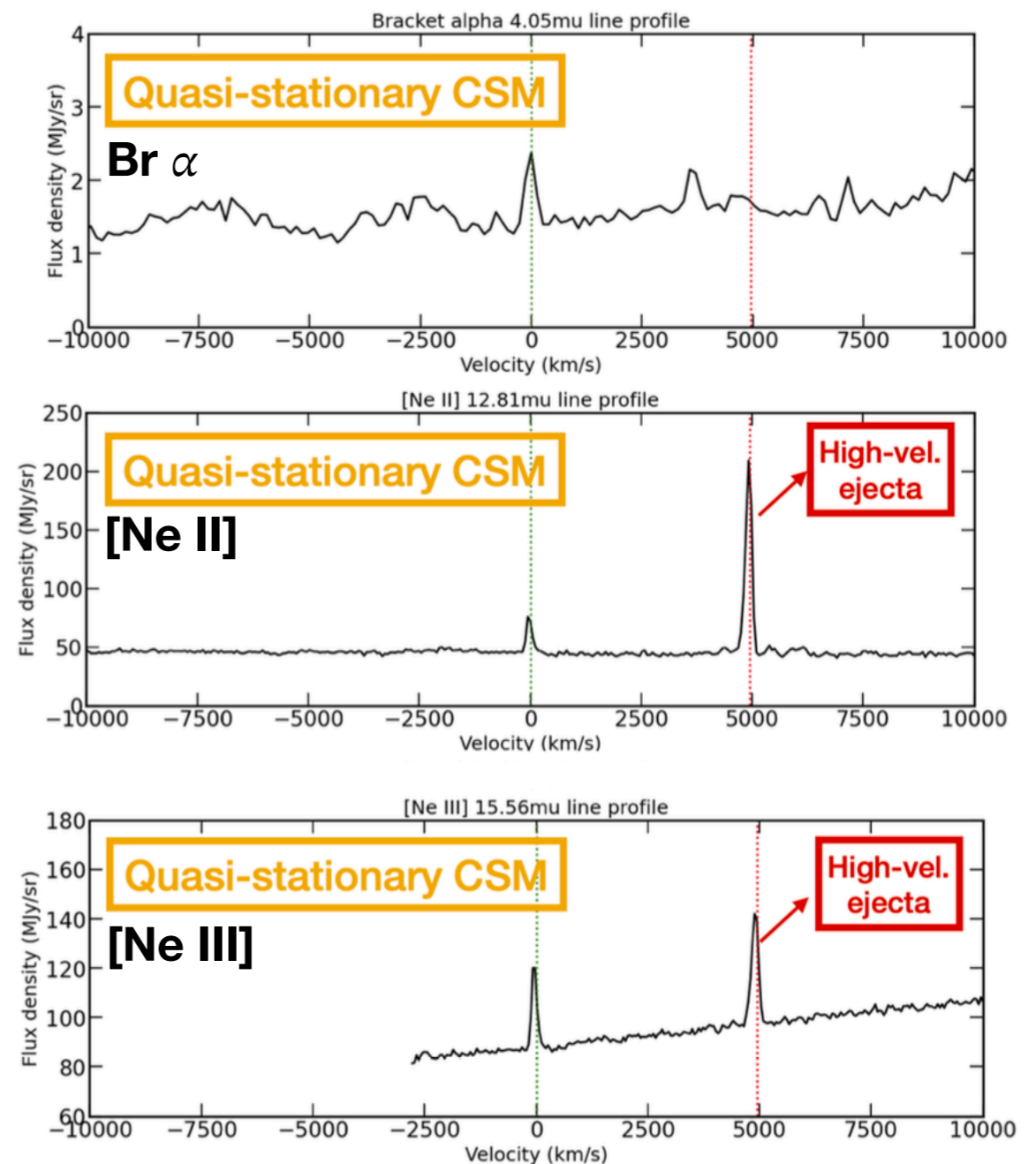


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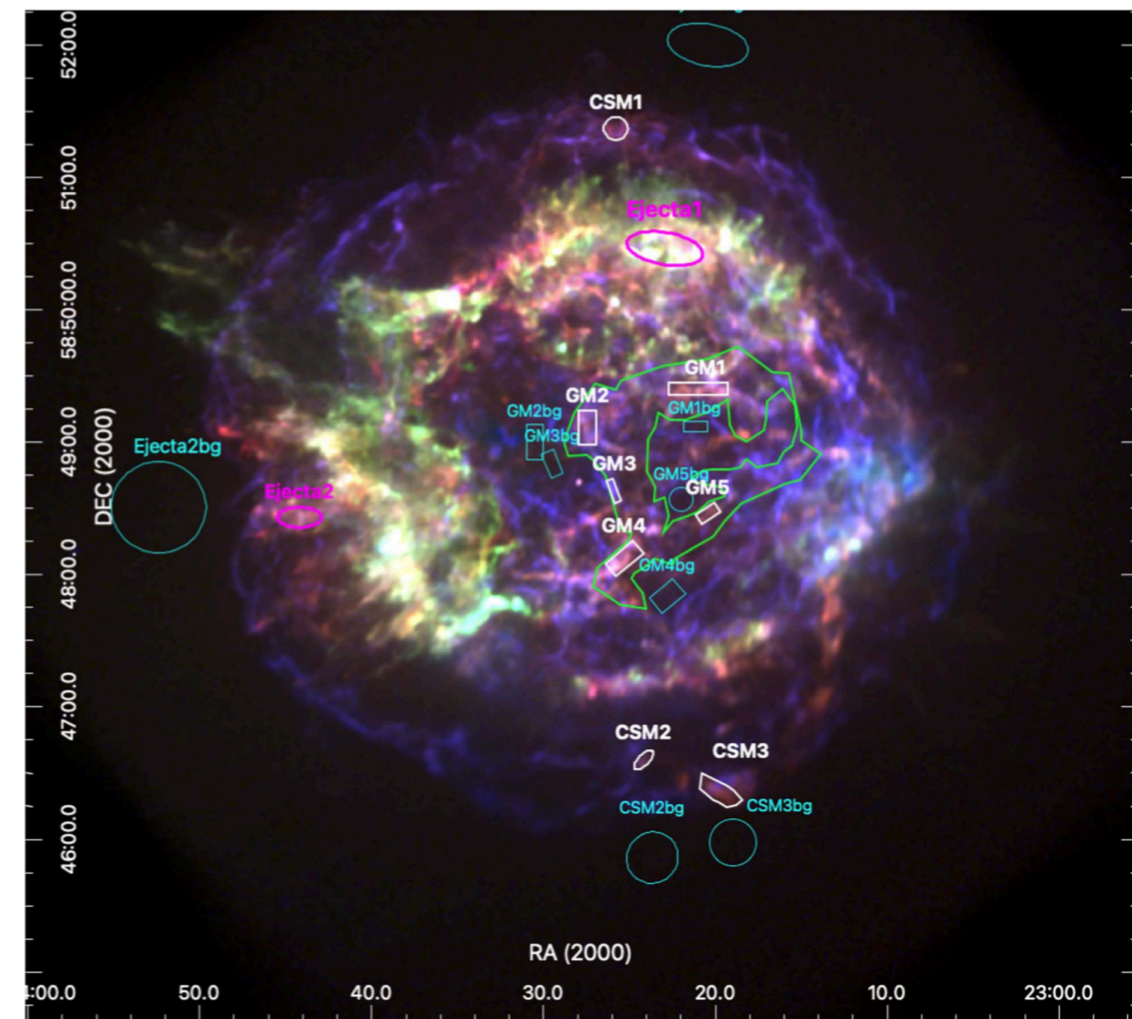
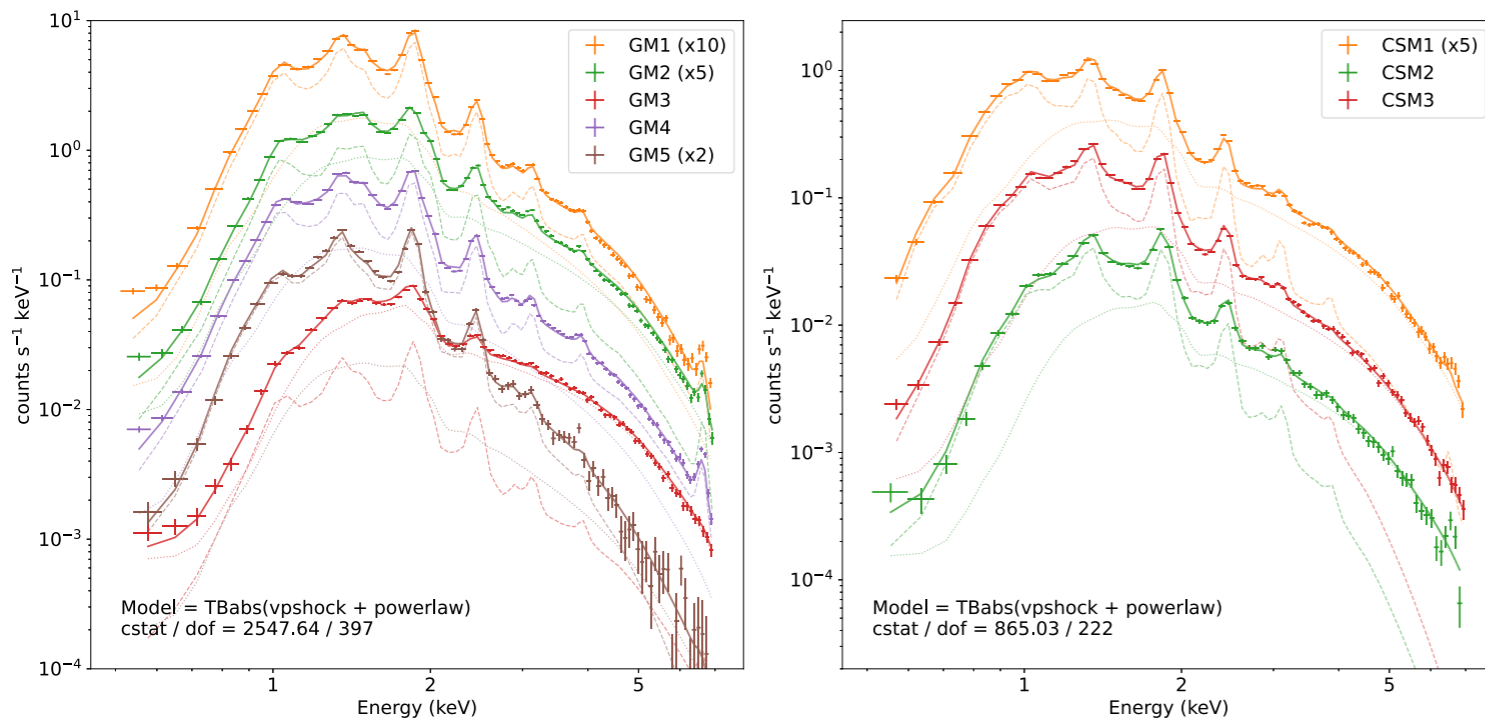
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2. JWST = dominated by dust
3. Forward shock impact



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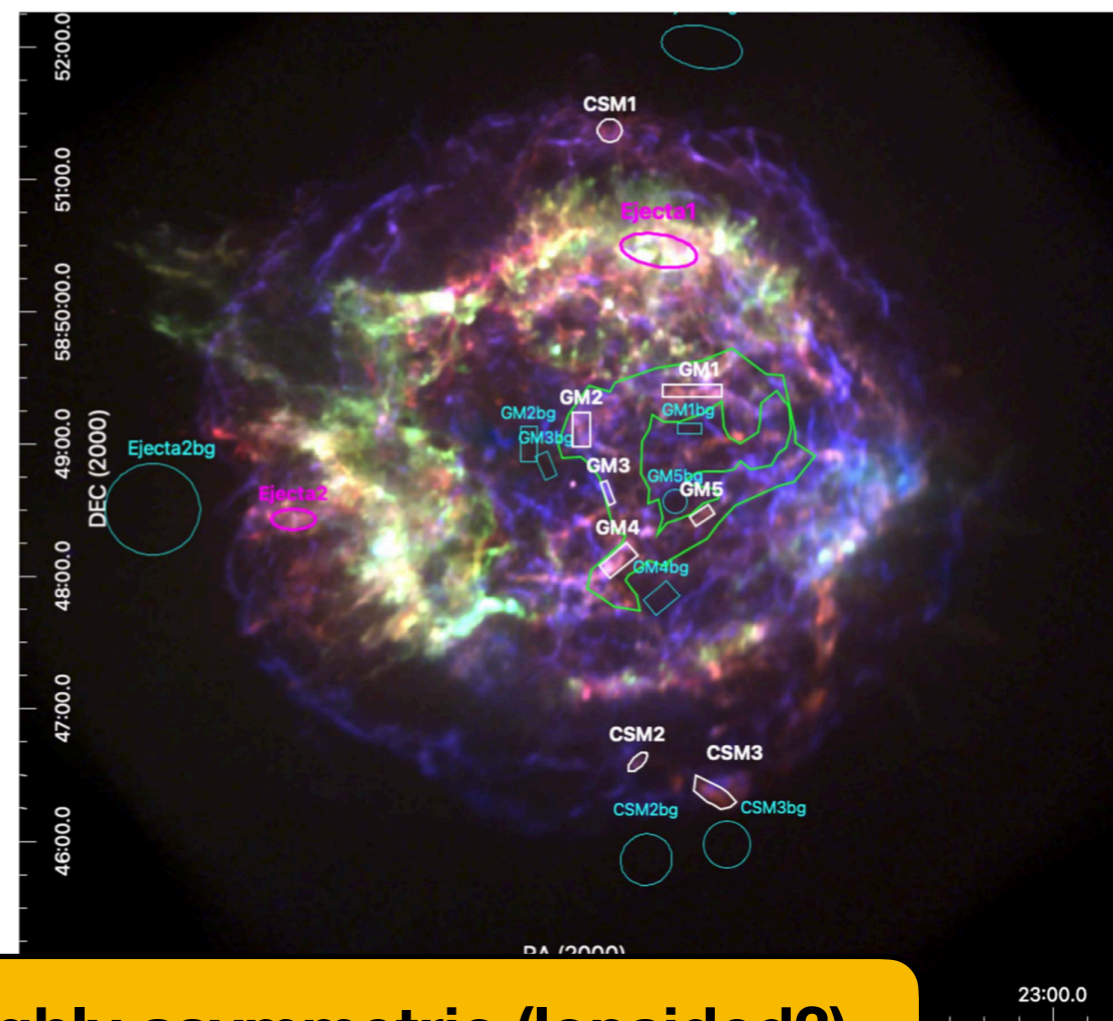
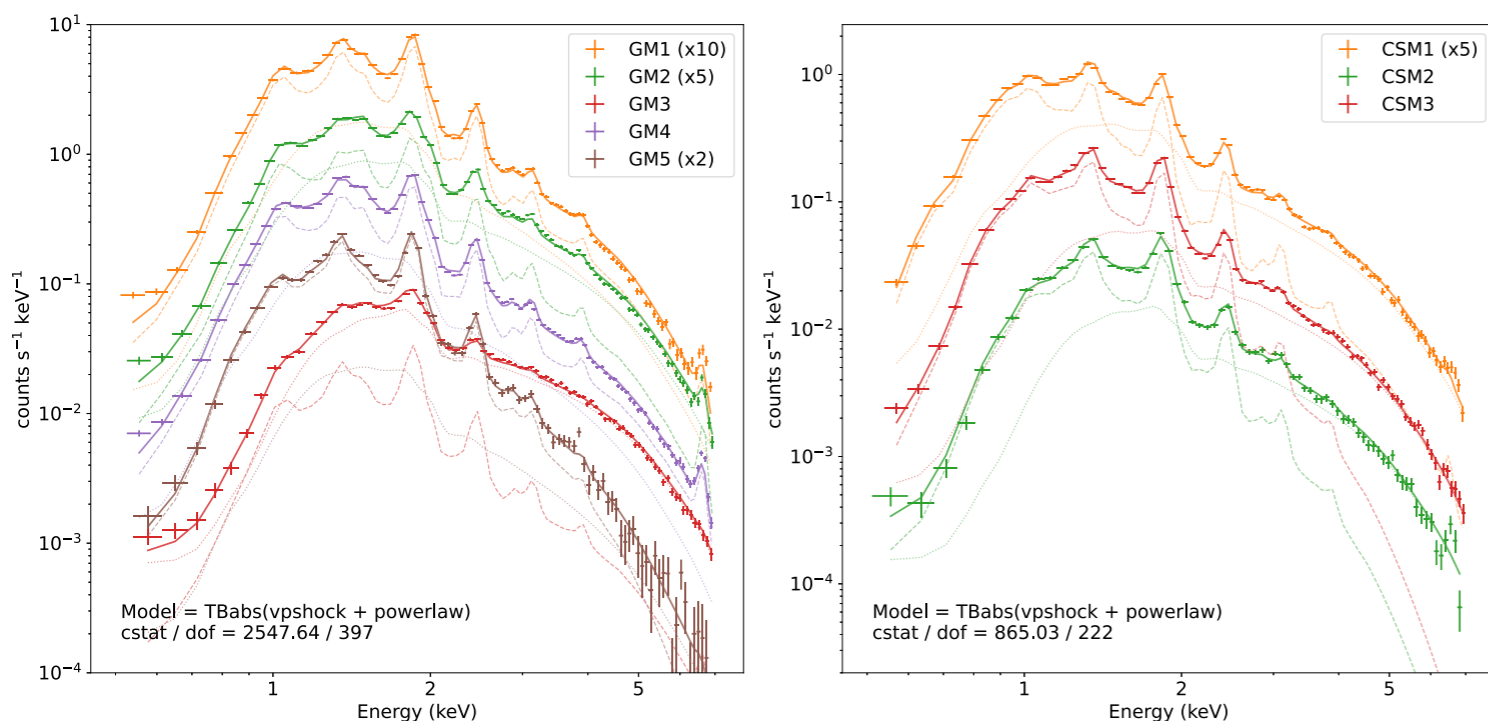
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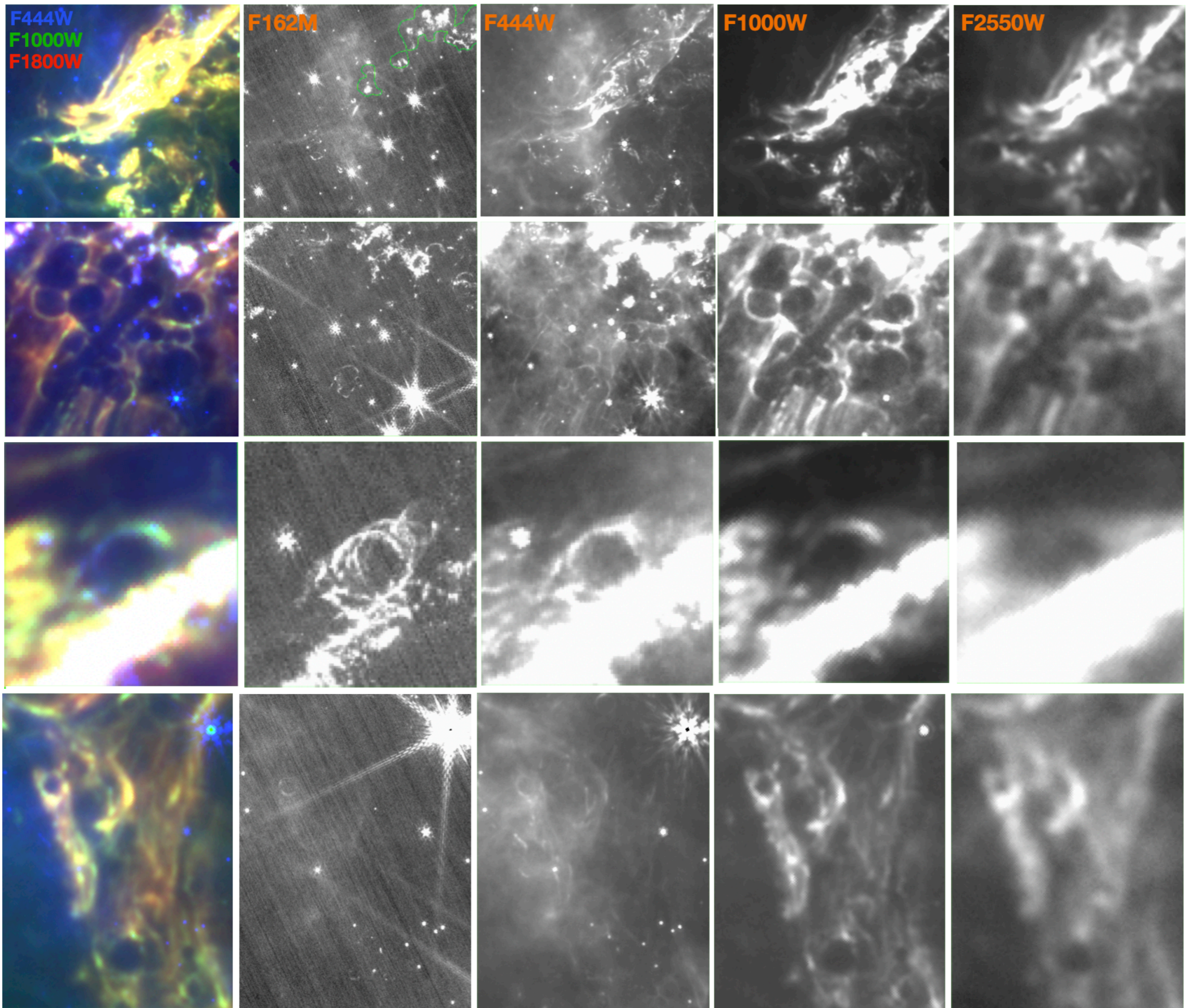
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- * Highly asymmetric (lopsided?) dense mass loss phase
- * Strong clue for binary scenario?

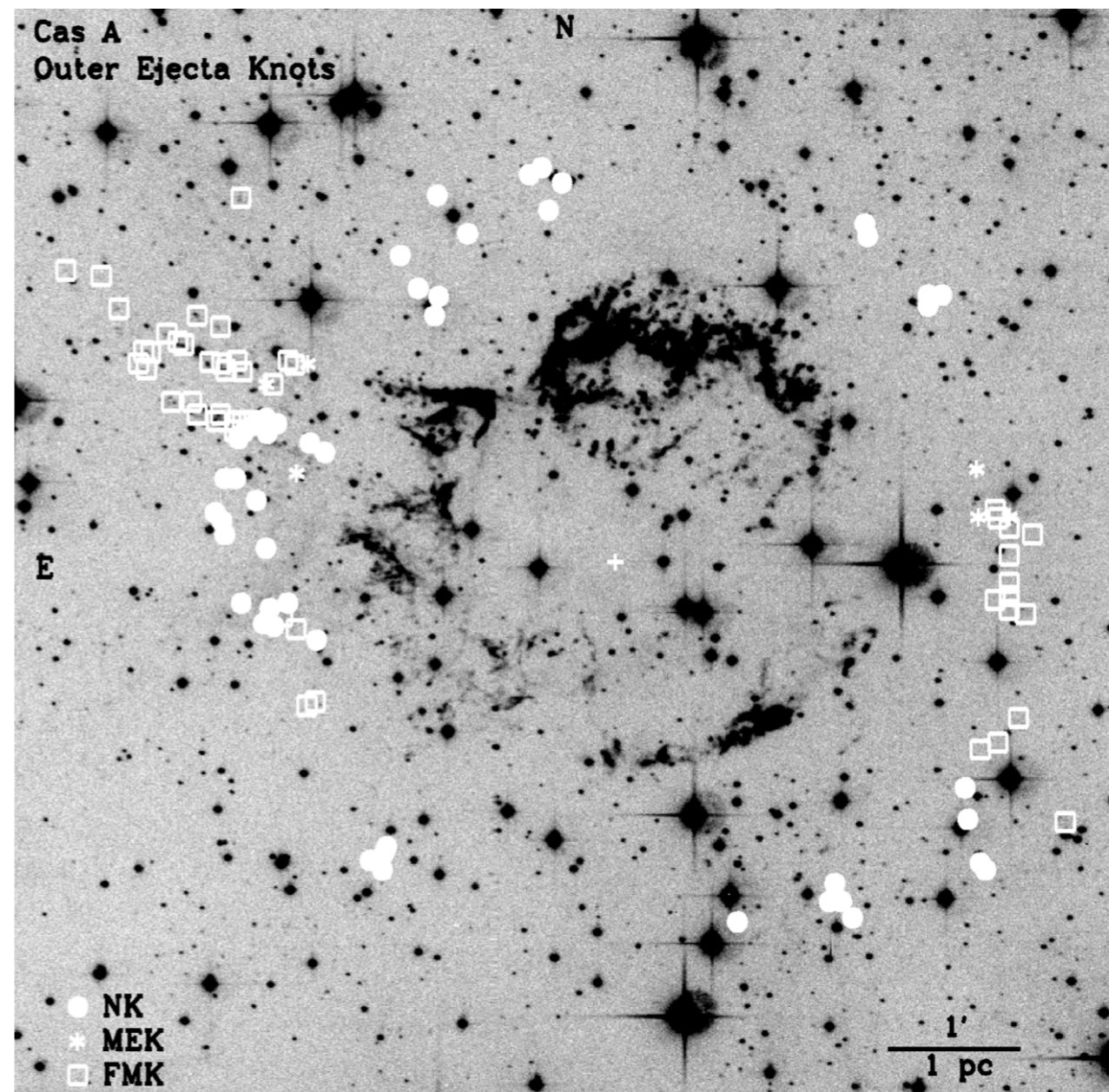


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Fesen et al. 2001

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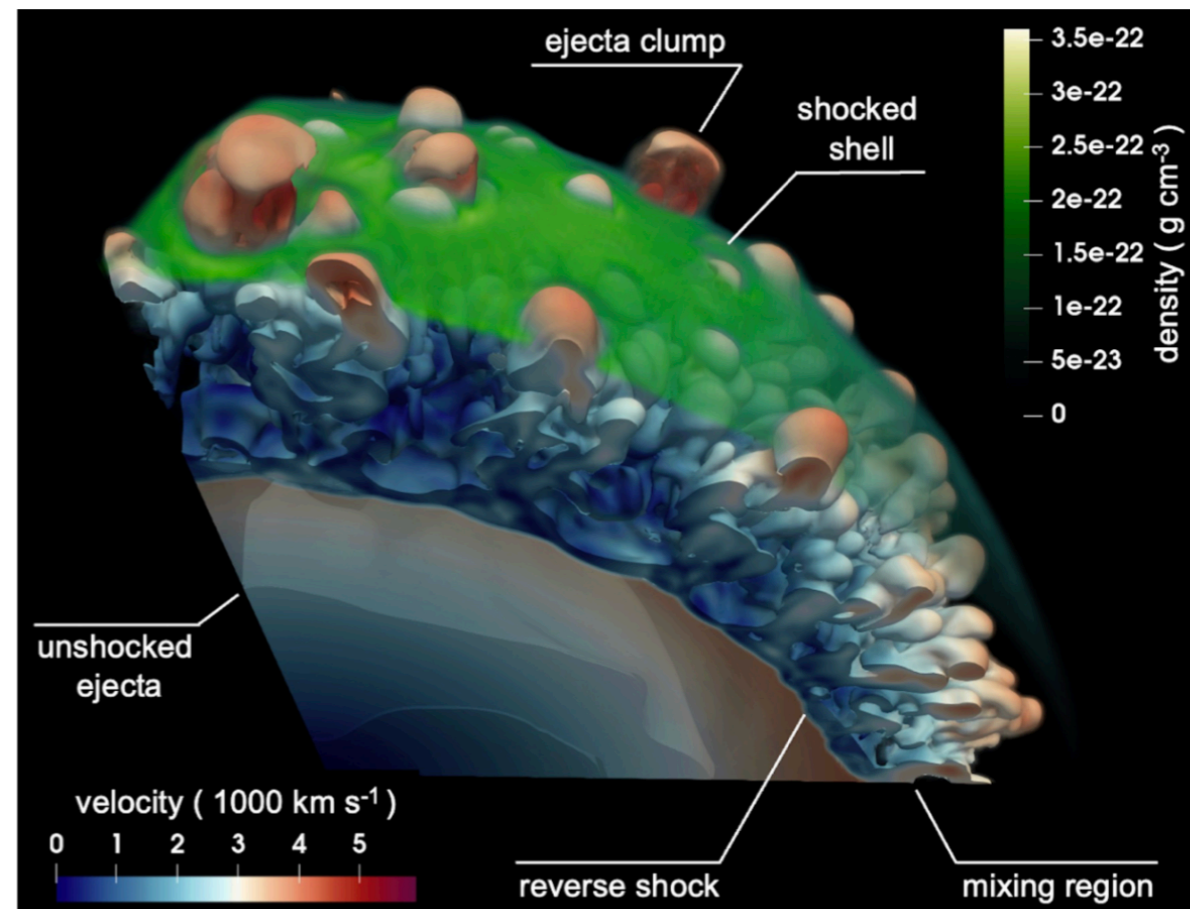
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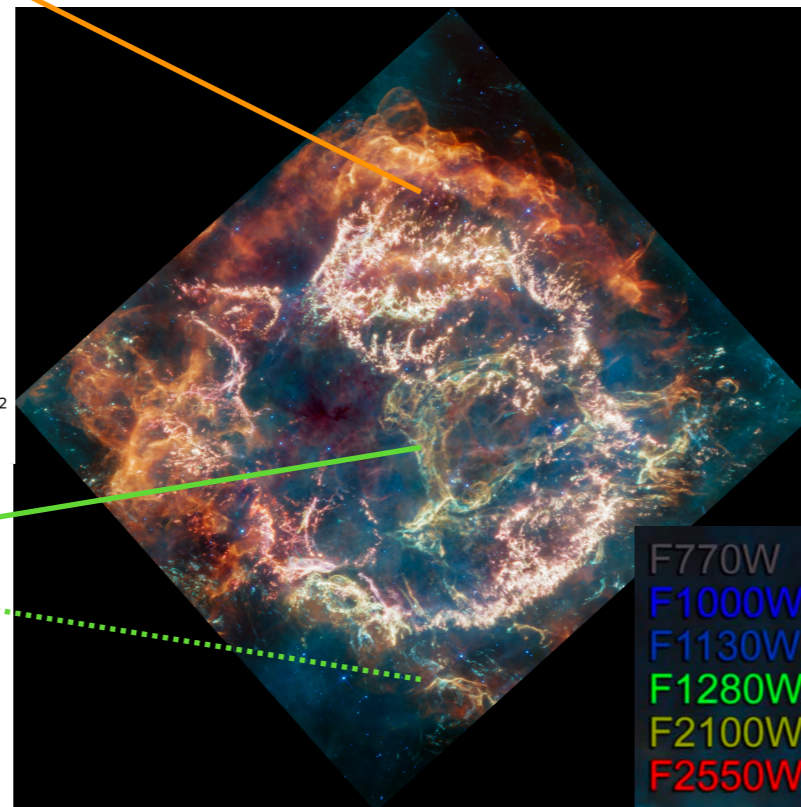
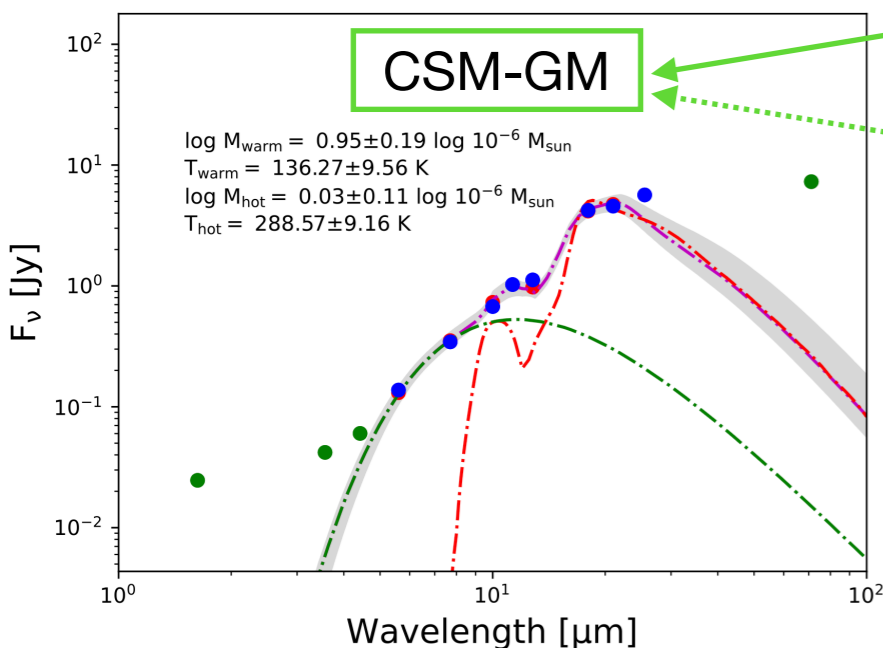
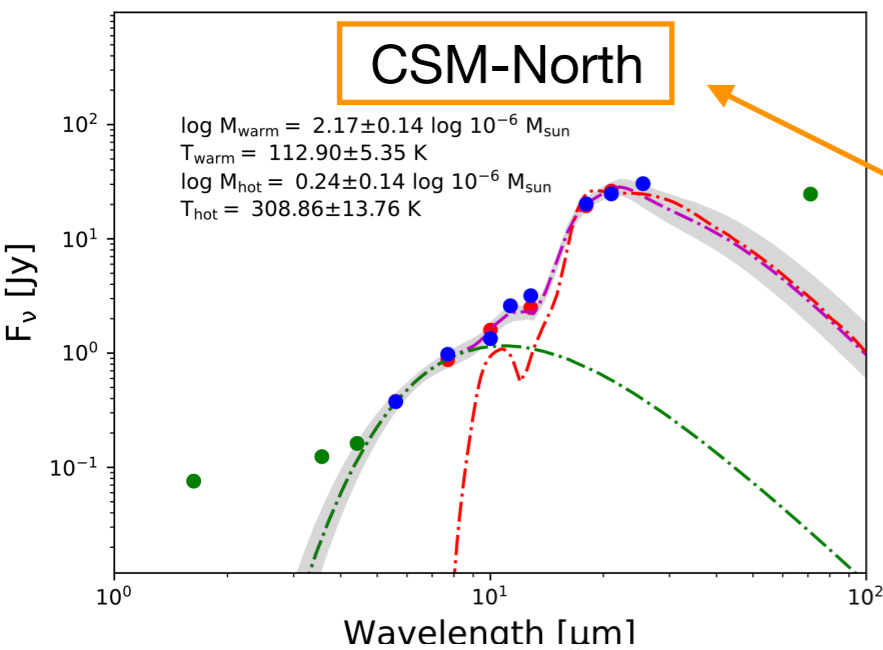
See Orlando's talk

Orlando et al. 2022



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How does the Green Monster differ from other CSM phases?



- * Both SEDs fitted well with silicate grains ($\text{Mg}_{2.4}\text{SiO}_{4.4}$, MgFeSiO_4)
- * Differences due to grain sizes and/or heating mechanisms.
- * If the GM consists of CNO processed material (like QSFs), then C/Si formation should be inefficient.

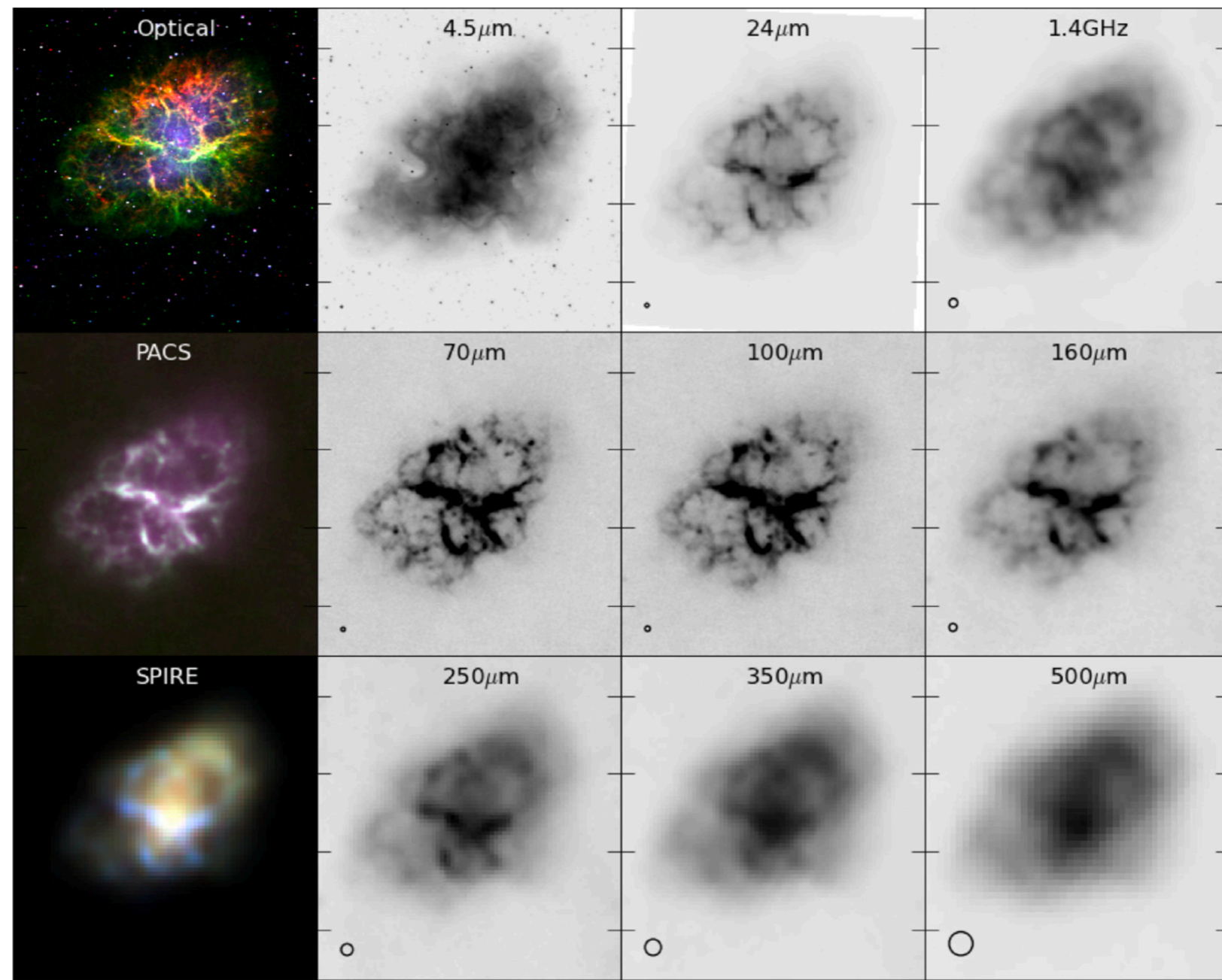
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Crab Nebula: dust masses from infrared dust emission (Herschel)



**Crab Nebula
= pulsar wind
nebula**

(electron capture SN?)



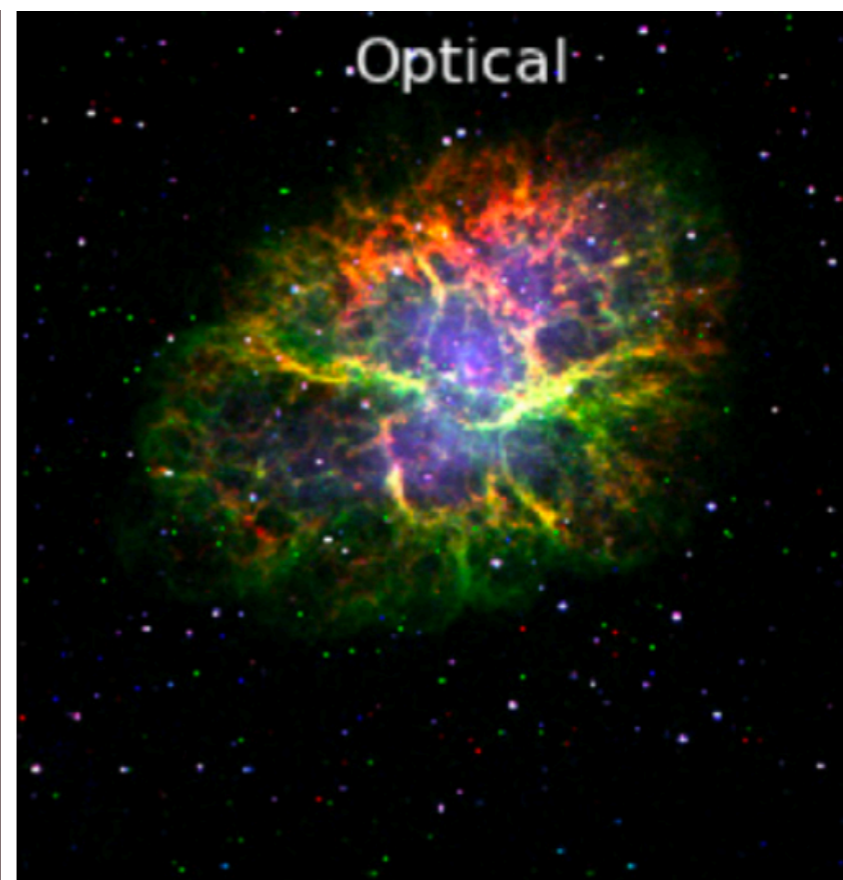
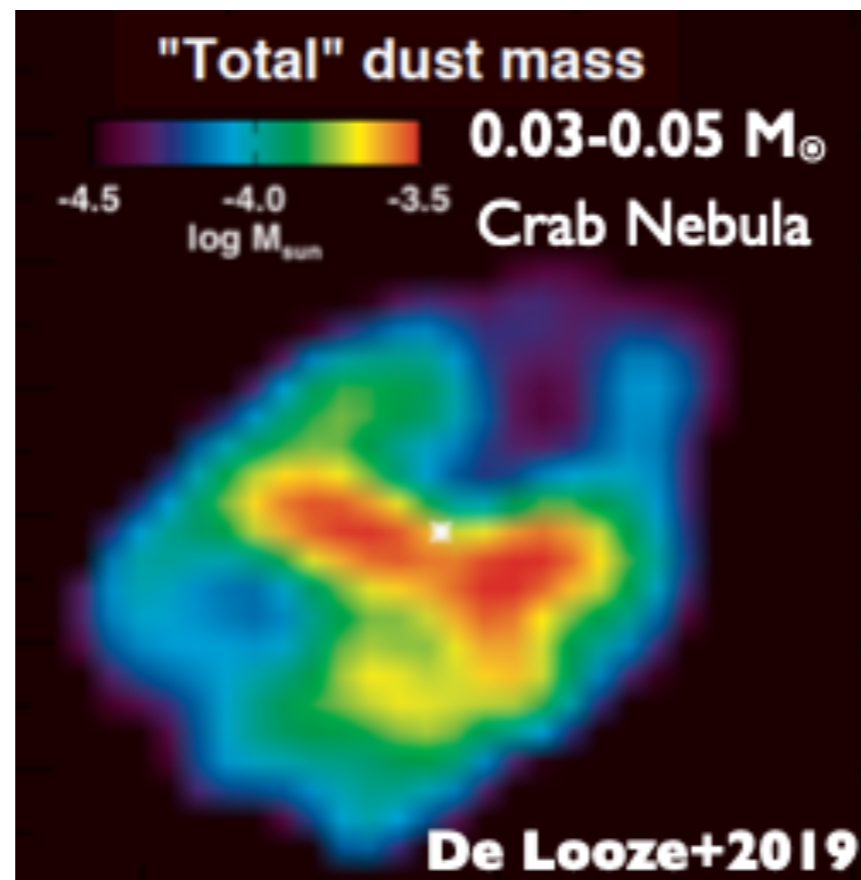
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- Dust mass is concentrated along dense filaments visible also in the optical
- Dust condensation efficiency of $\sim 10\%$ (similar to Cas A)

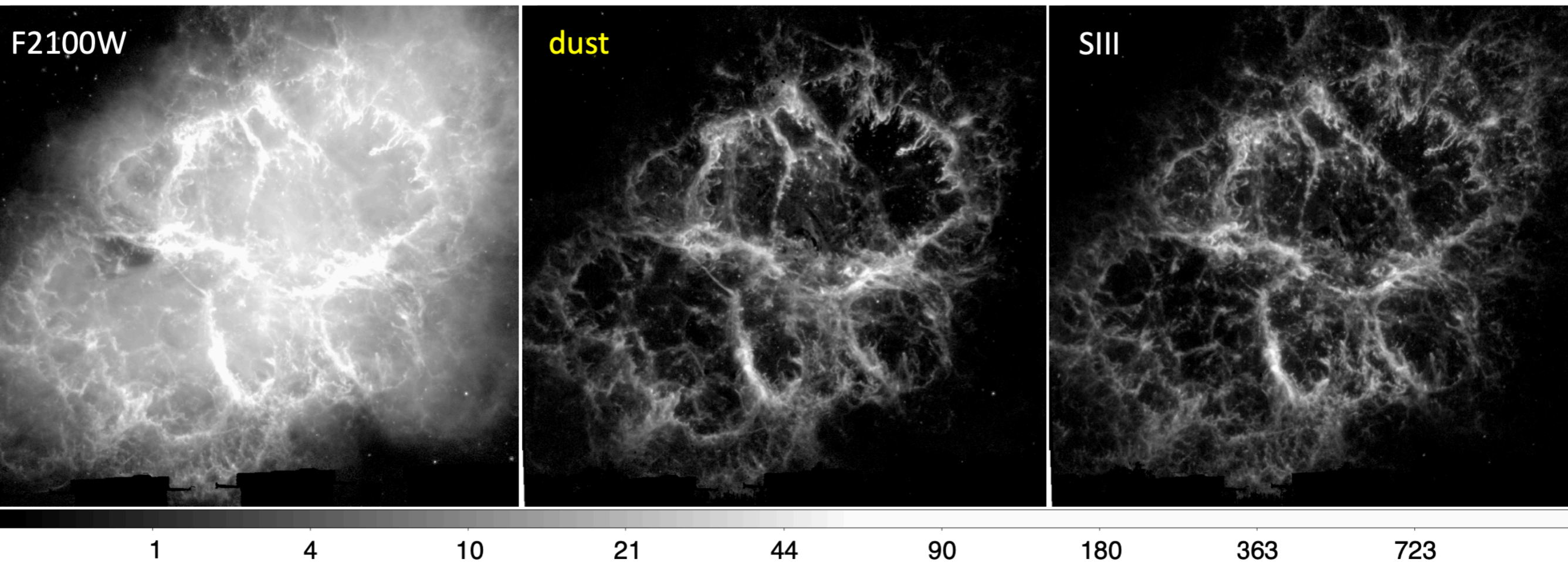


Crab Nebula



Dust formation in SN(R)s

Crab Nebula with JWST



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warm dust
cooler dust

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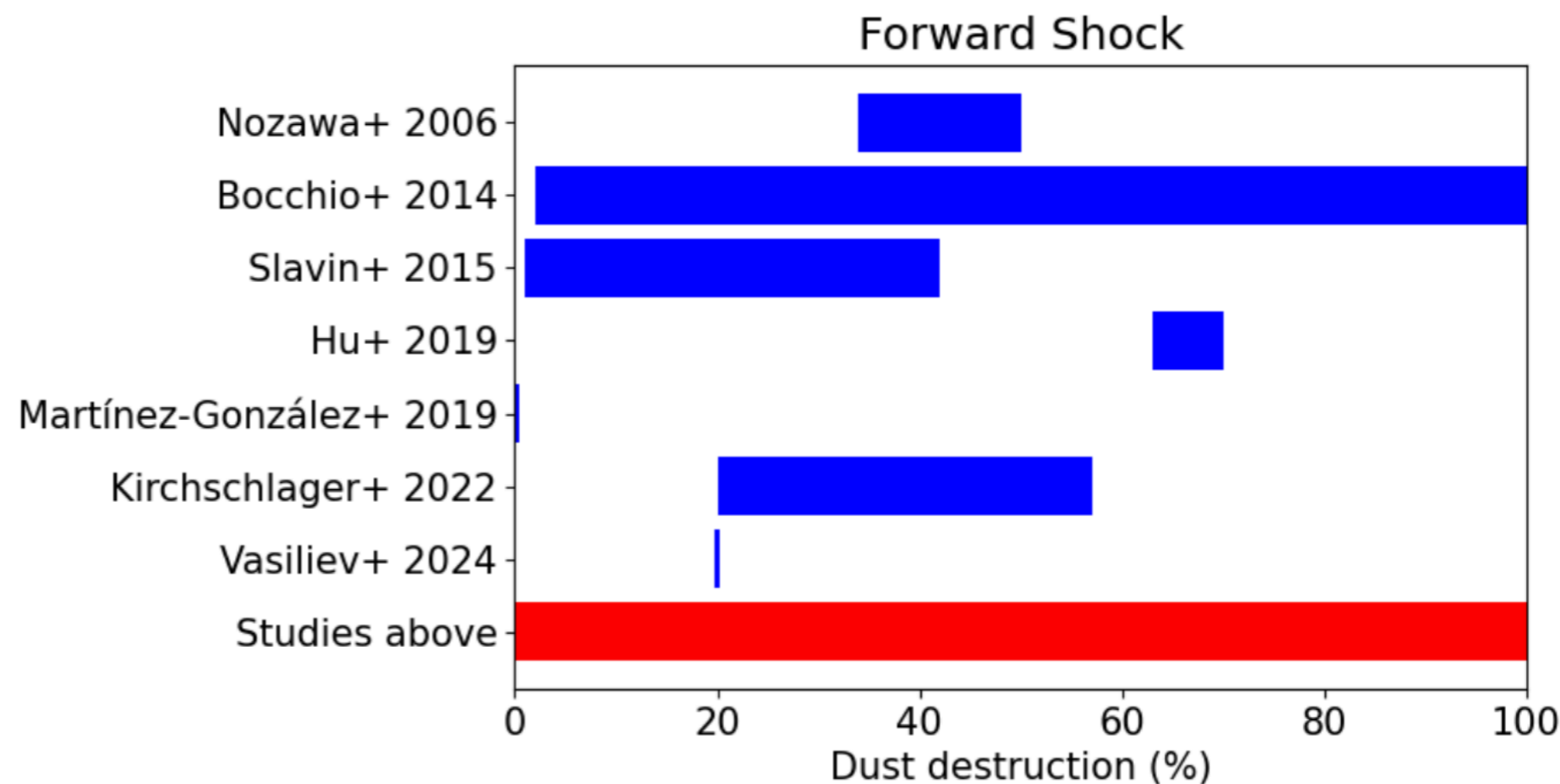
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Talk by Tea

Dust destruction in SNR

How much dust will a single SN destroy through the blast wave*

- No consensus in the community!
- Step away from steady shock (Slavin et al. 2015)
- ISM is not homogeneous!

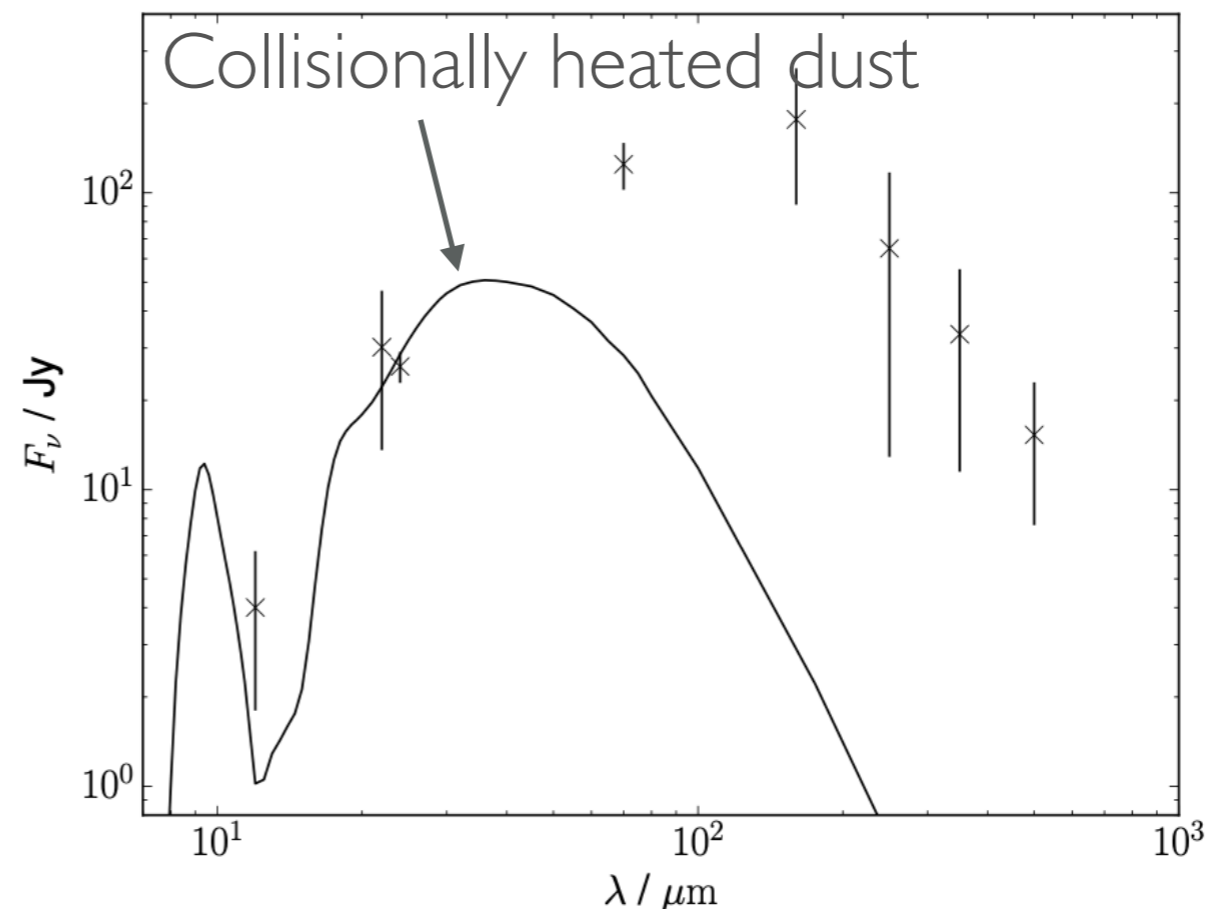
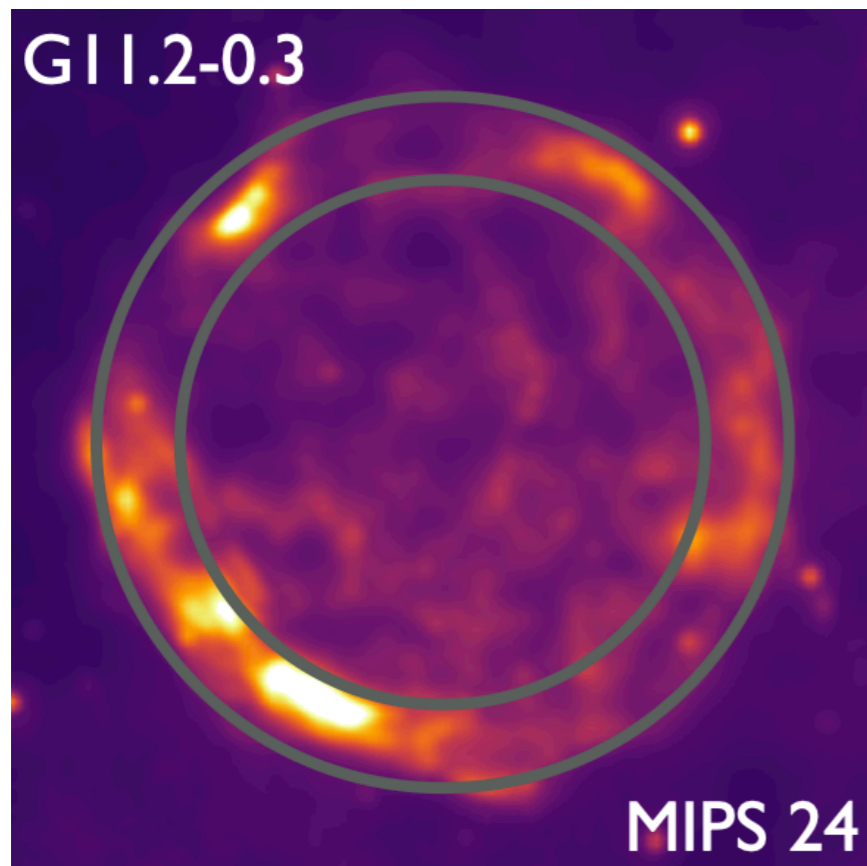


* the SN reverse shock can destroy the newly formed dust

Dust destruction in SNR

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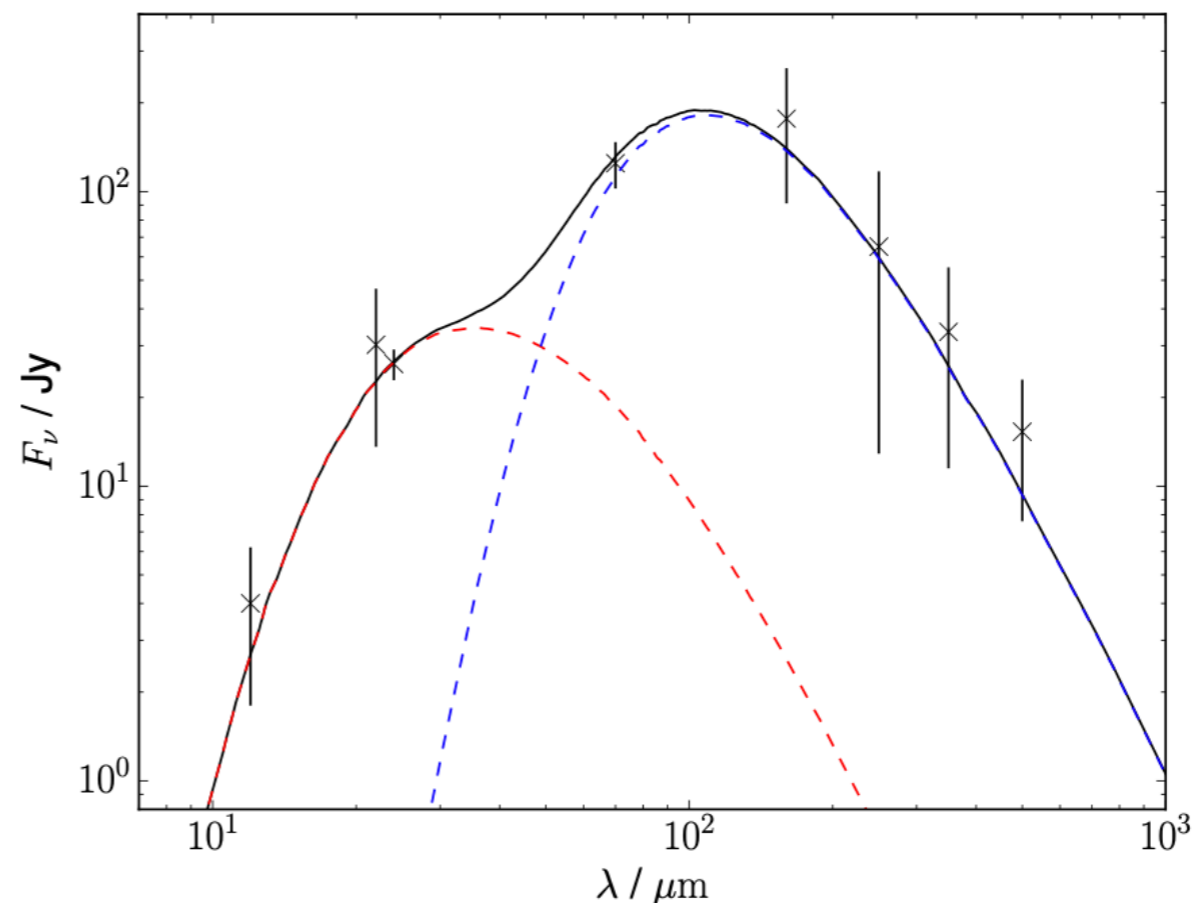
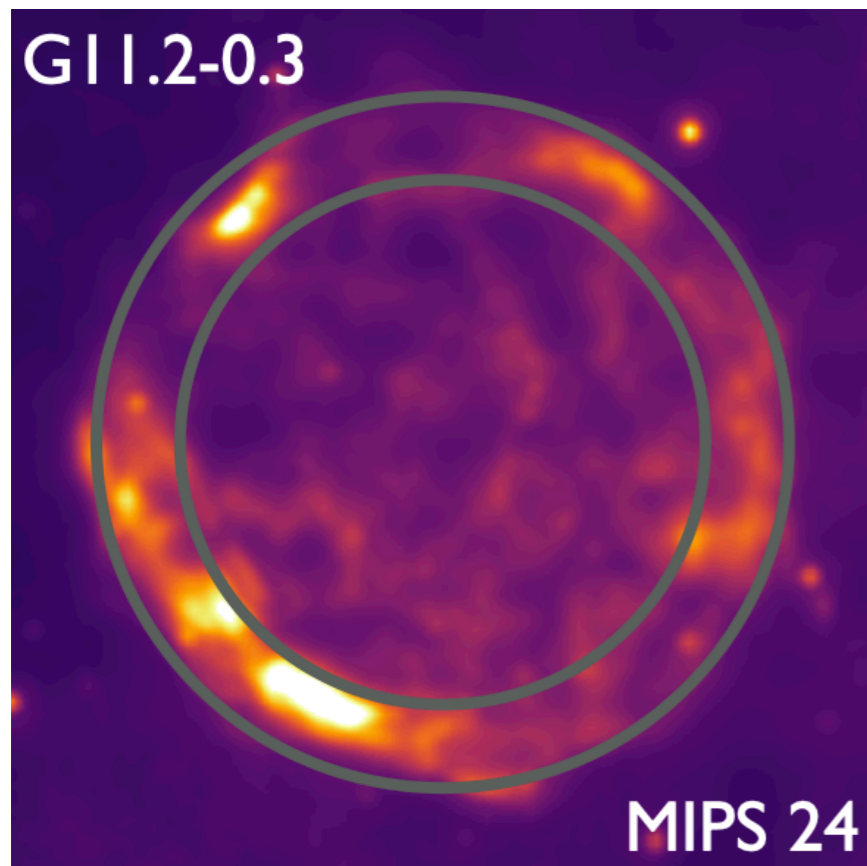
- Step 1:** Extract multi-wavelength emission in an annulus around SNR
- Step 2:** Model X-ray properties to constrain electron T and density
- Step 3:** Model collisional dust heating



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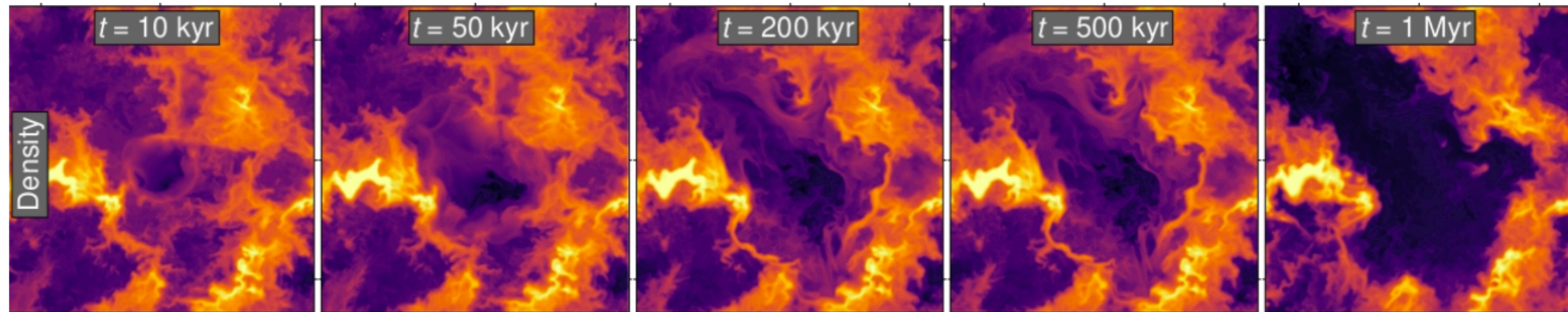
Observations suggest “cold” dust component that is able to shield from SN shocks
==> homogeneous models for dust destruction are not reliable



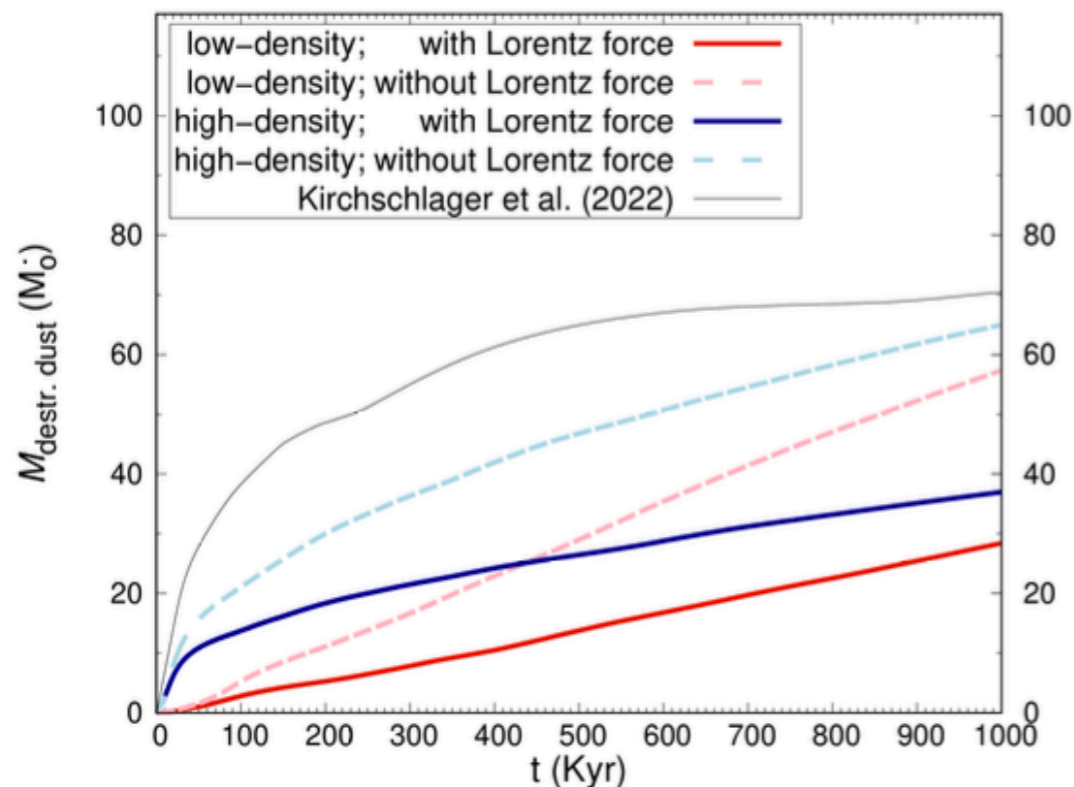
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Inhomogeneous ISM

Kirchschlager et al. 2024



Multiphase ISM as initial condition:
~40 SN explosions in the ISM (Gent et al. 2021)

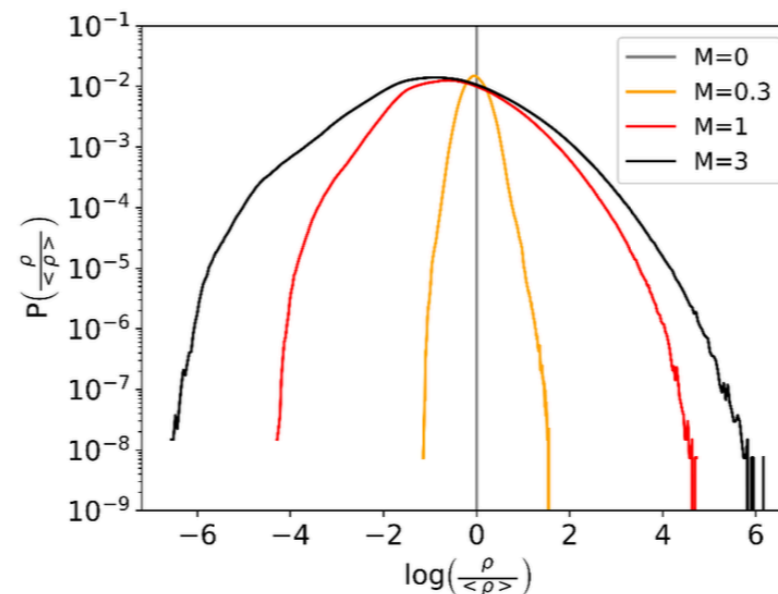


- ~70 solar masses (homogeneous ISM)
- ~60 solar masses (inhomogeneous ISM)
- 30 – 40 solar masses (inhomogeneous ISM plus magnetic field)

Dust destruction in SNR

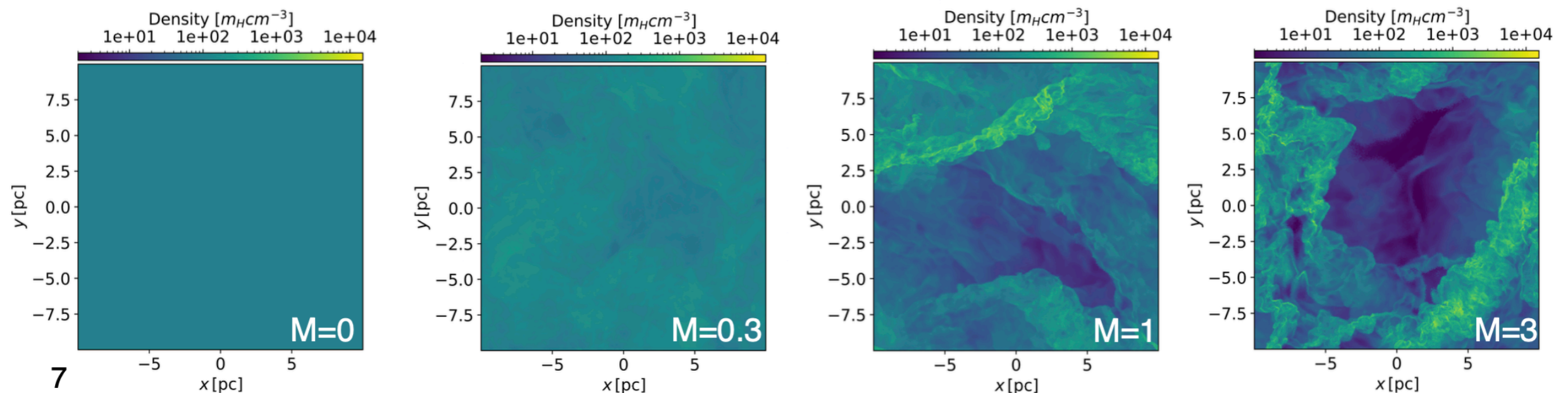
New efforts underway, I: first SN going off in turbulent molecular cloud

- * 3D MHD Arepo
- * Turbulent ISM with $n_H=100/\text{cm}^3$
- * Different density contrasts



homogeneous

strong turbulence

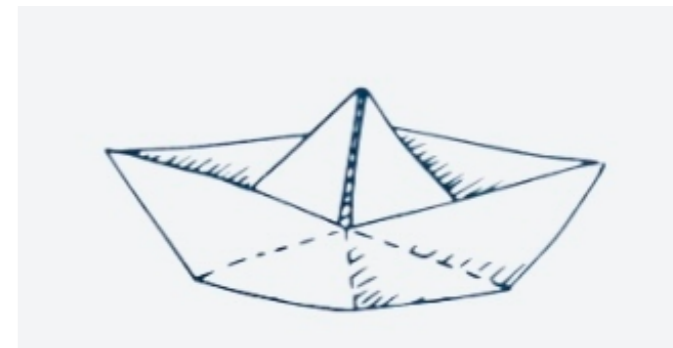


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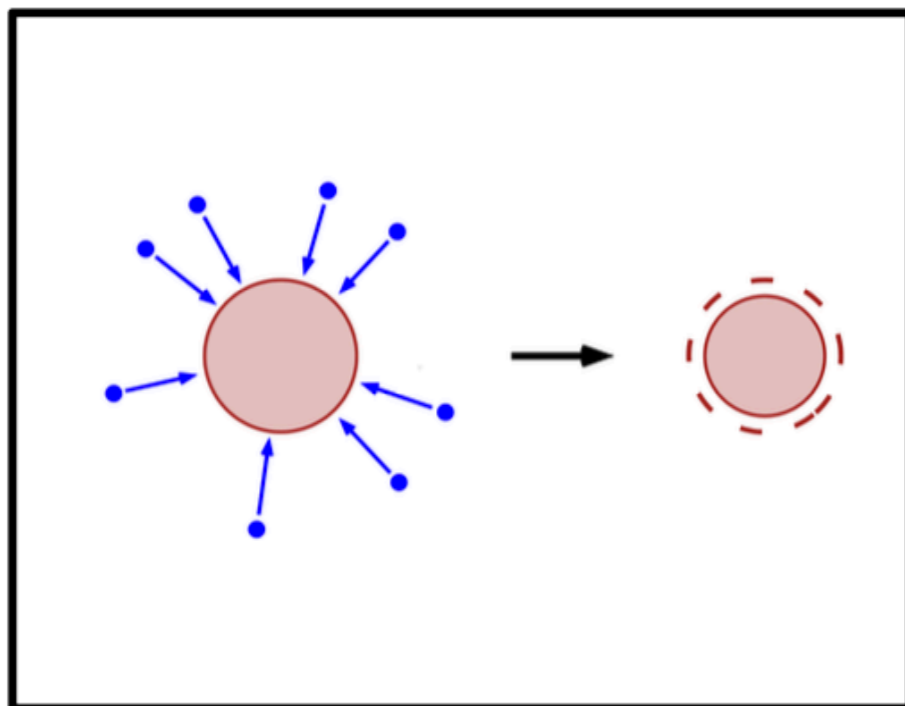
Including the effects of dust in post-processing

The “**Paperboats**” code (*Kirchschlager et al. 2019*) including

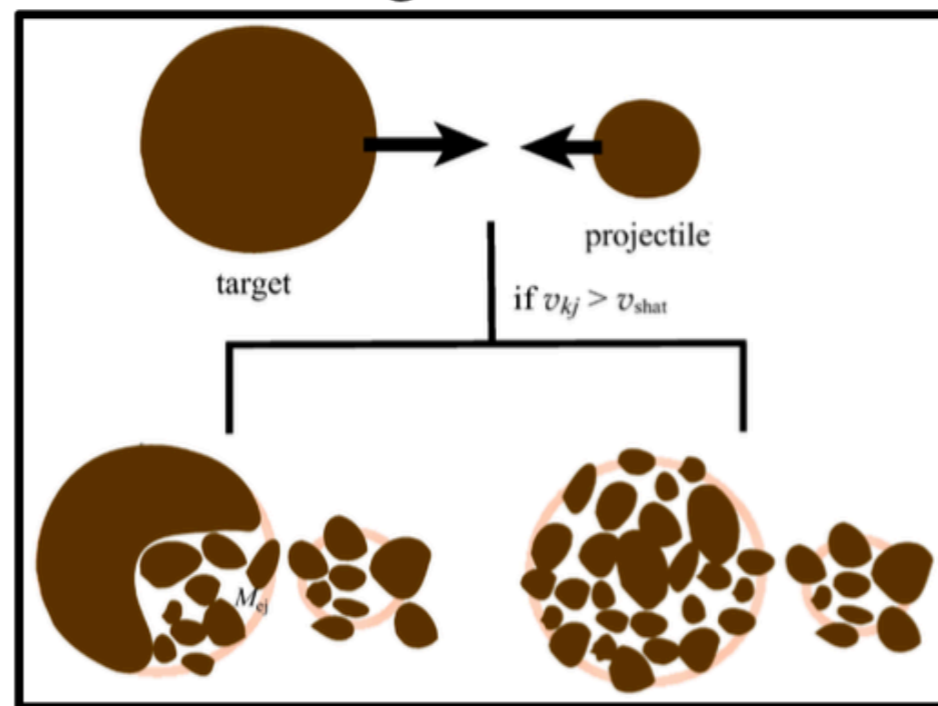
- transport of dust (gas and plasma drag)
- magnetic fields
- grain processing (sputtering, fragmentation, vaporisation and bouncing)



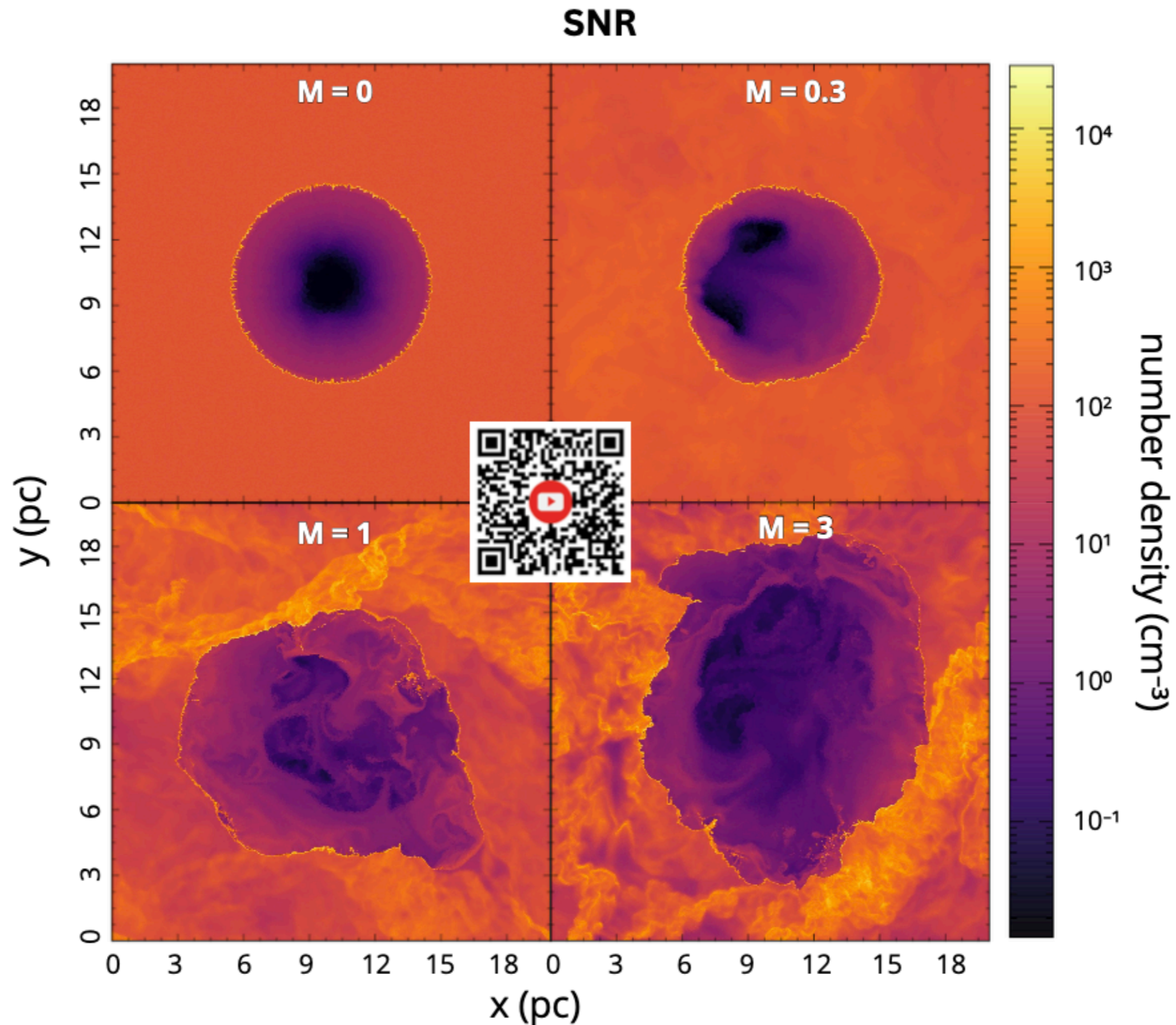
Sputtering



Grain-grain collisions



Results



Dust destruction in SNR

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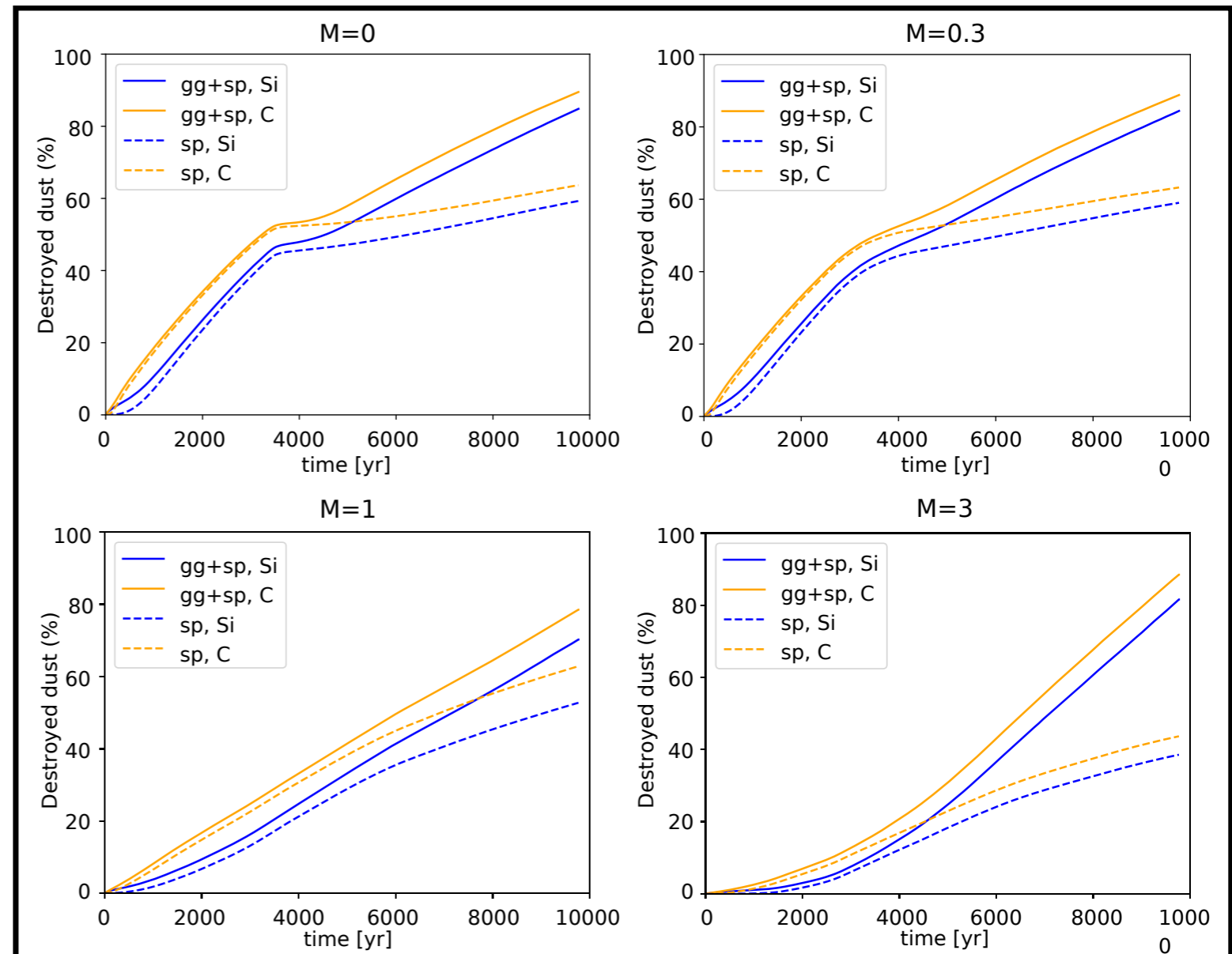
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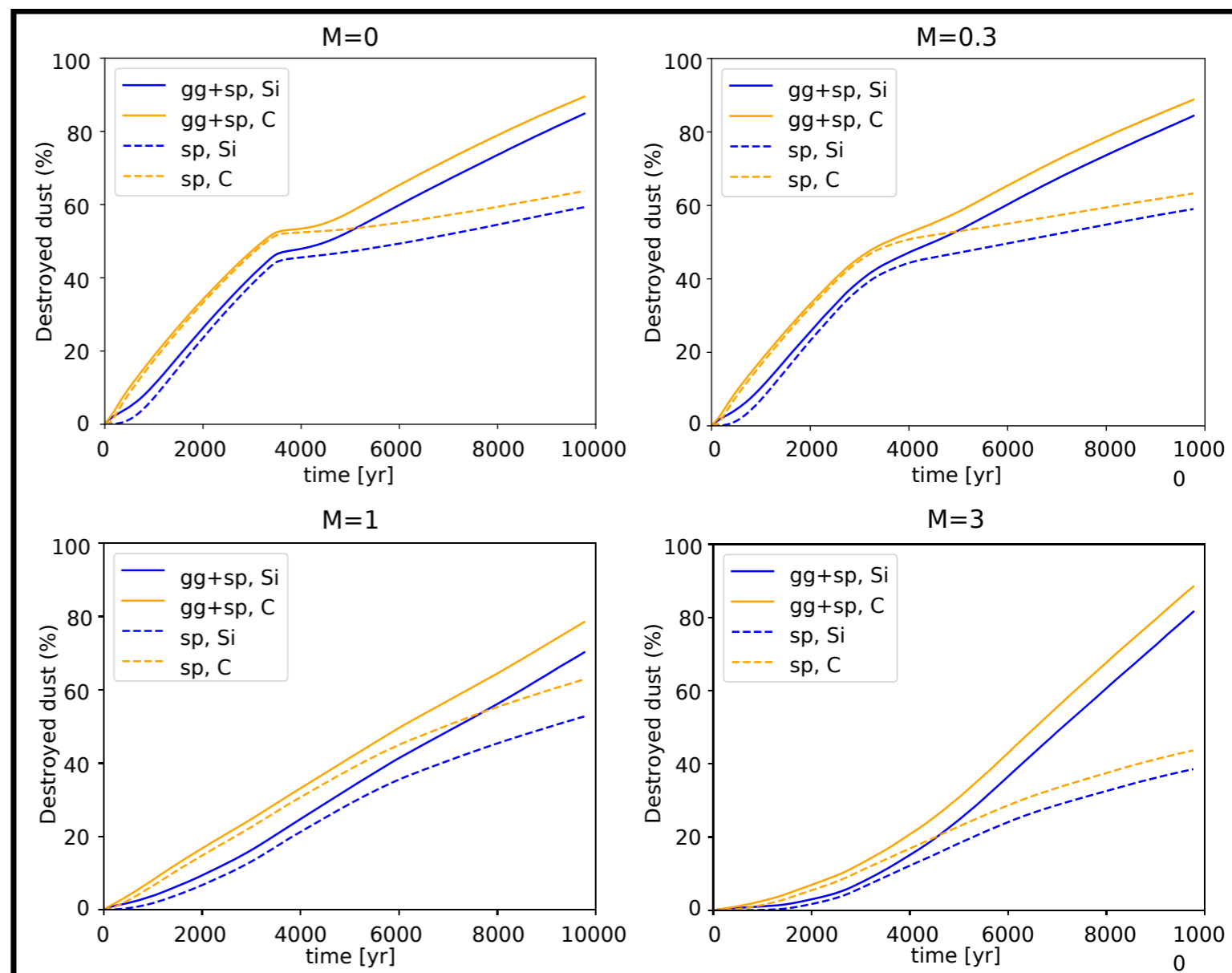
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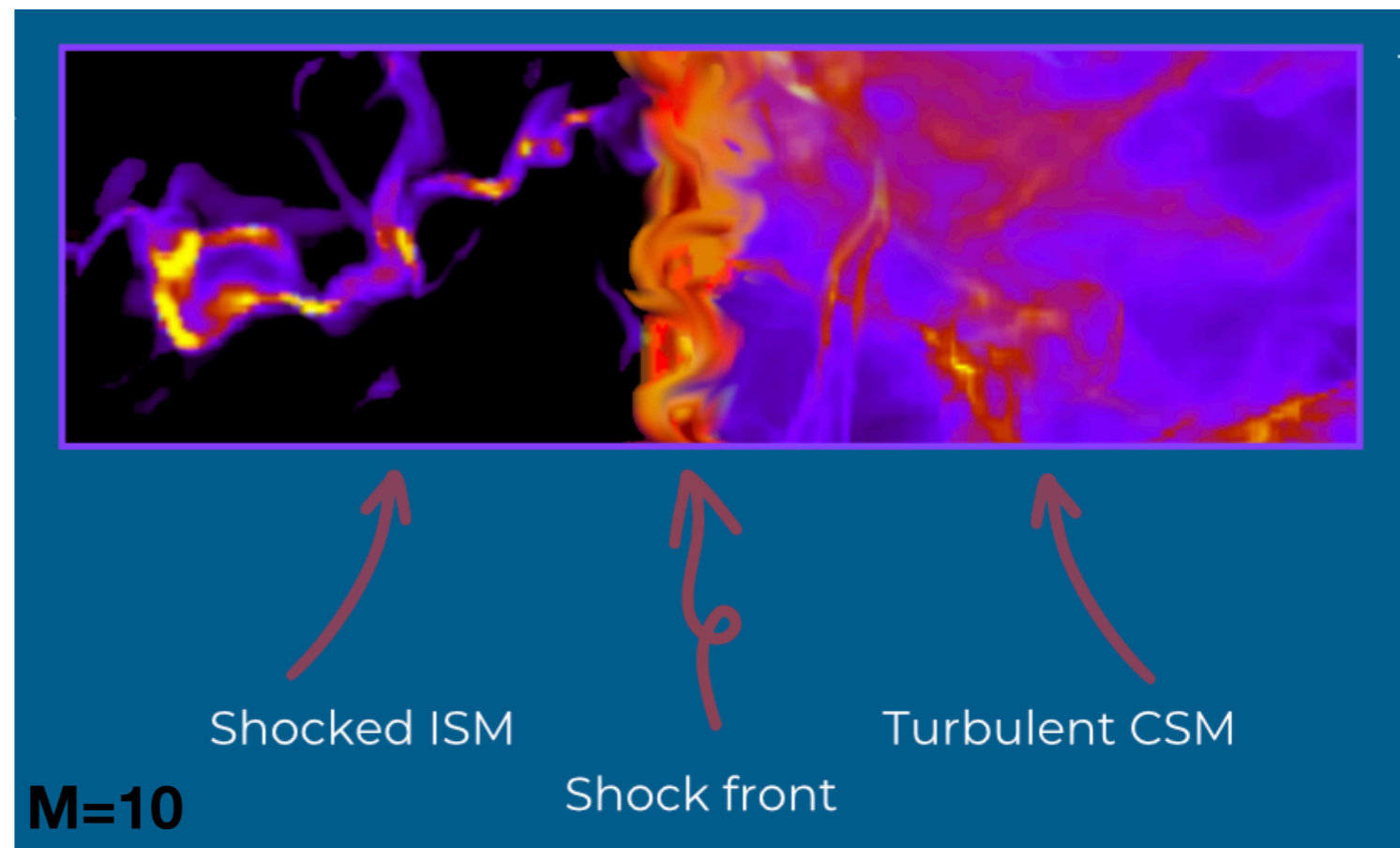


Dust destruction in SNR

New efforts underway, II: plane-parallel shock fronts @ \neq velocities

Set-up:

- * Plane parallel shock front at velocities $v=1000$ to 6000 km/s
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Dust destruction in SNR

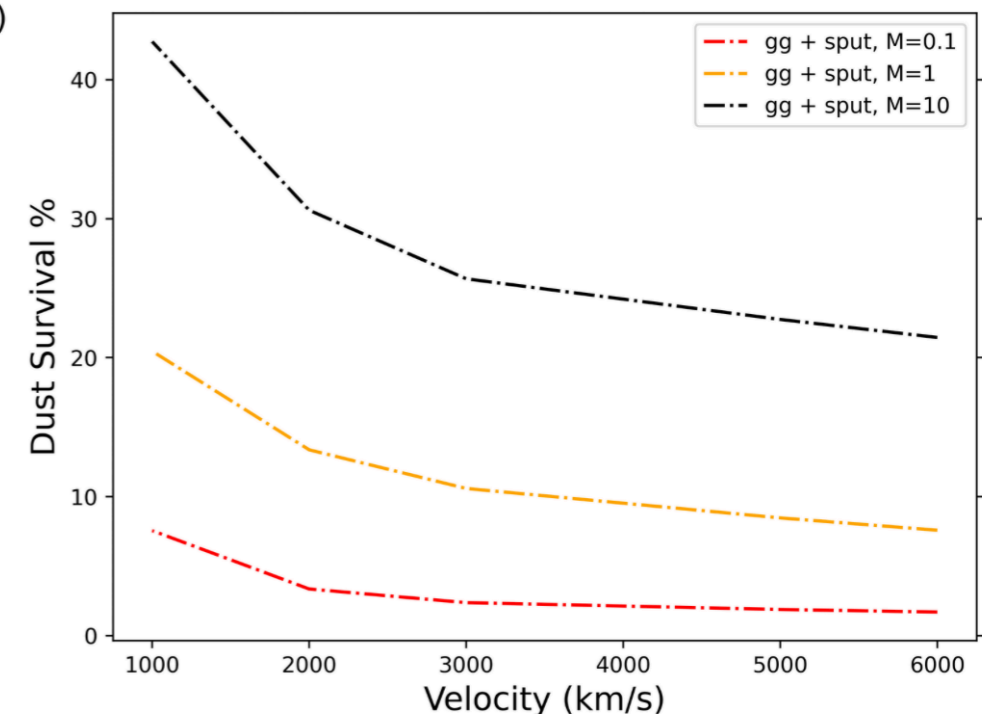
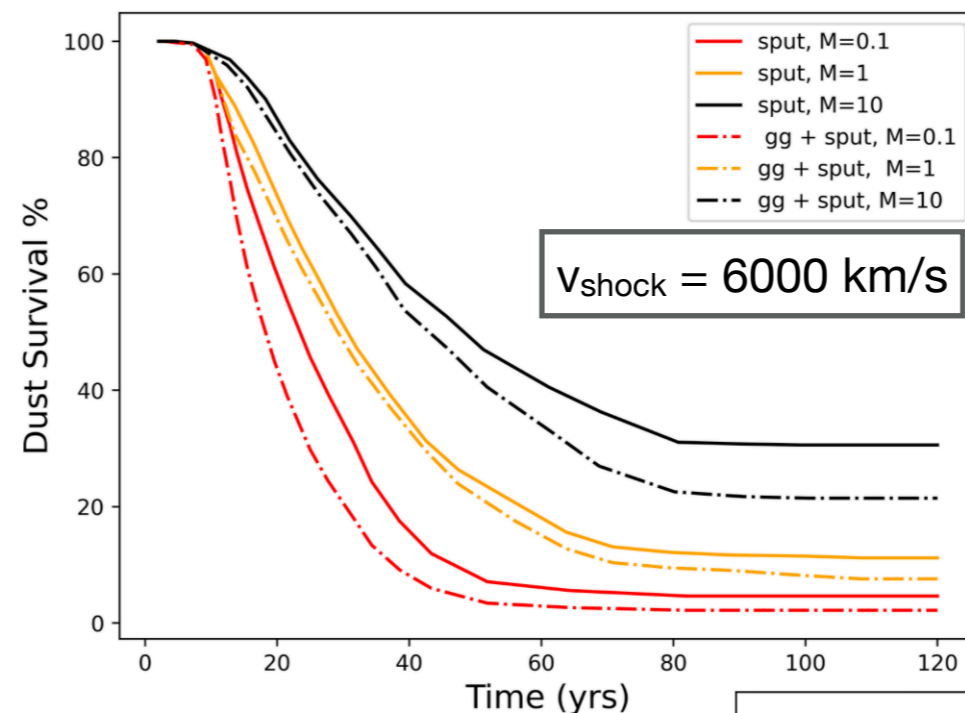
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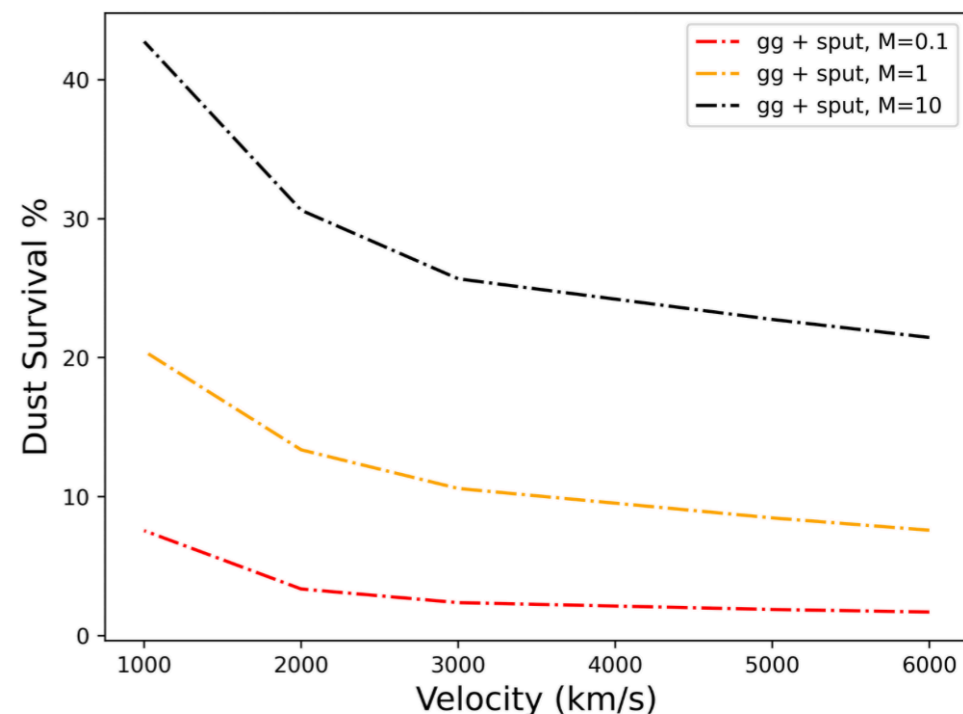
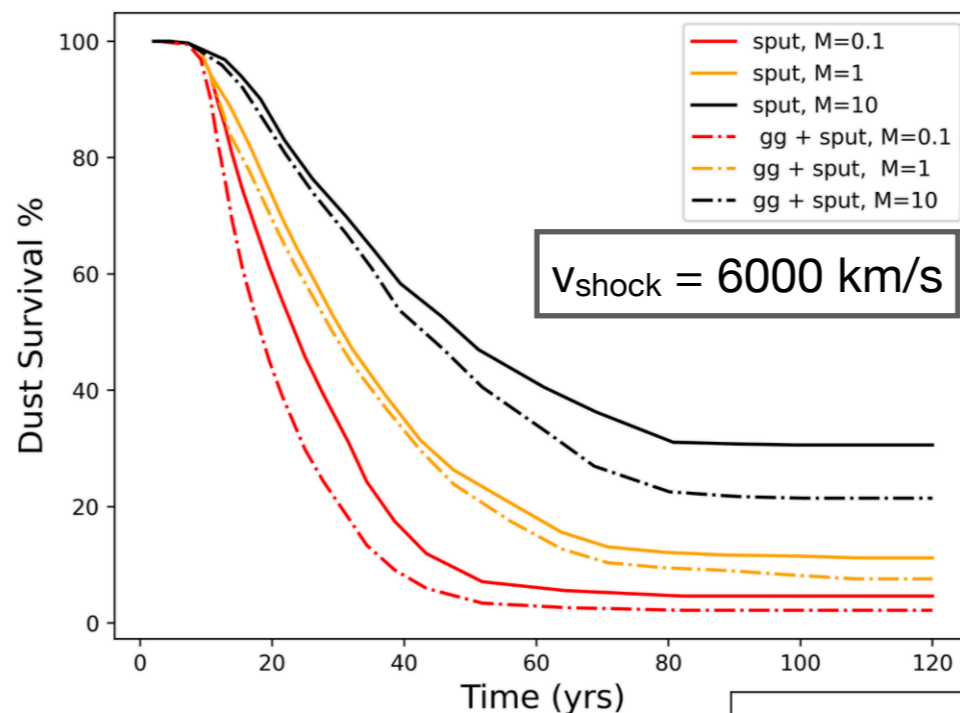
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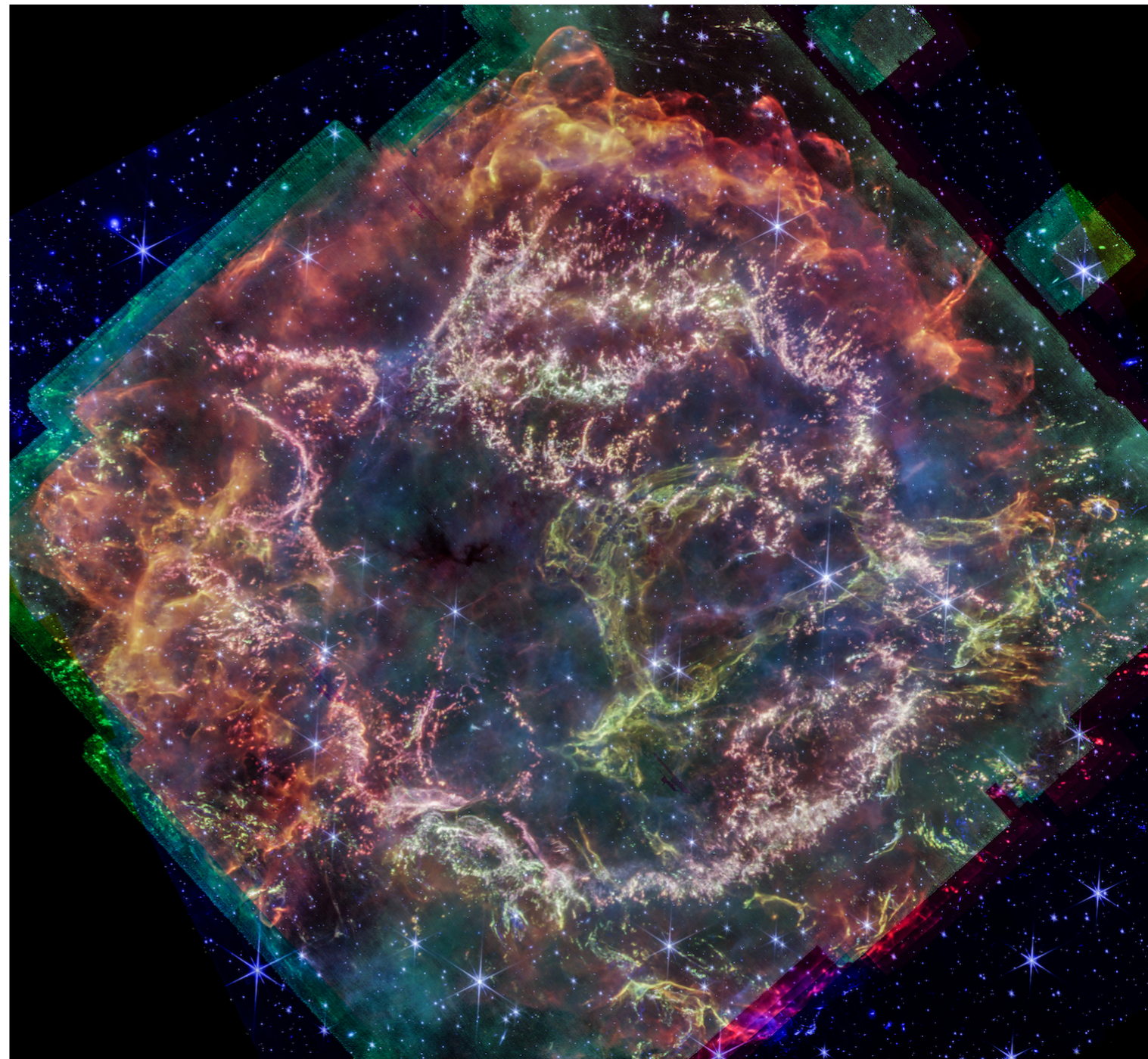
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Conclusions

1. SNe efficiently produce dust (0.5-1 M_{sun})
2. SNe = NET dust destroyers
3. SN blastwave still efficiently destroys dust in turbulent media, but less efficiently (by a factor of ~ 2) for high-density contrasts
4. Green Monster dense CSM in front of Cassiopeia A
=> asymmetric mass loss
=> binary system



Extra

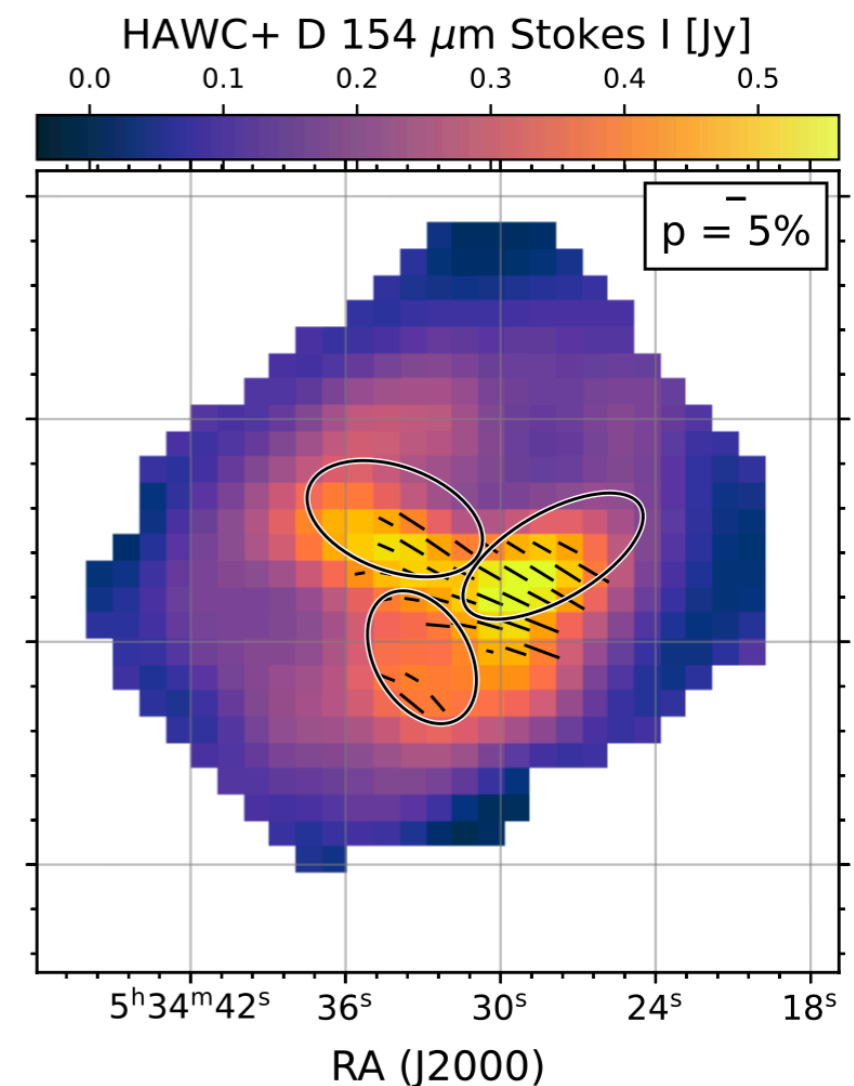
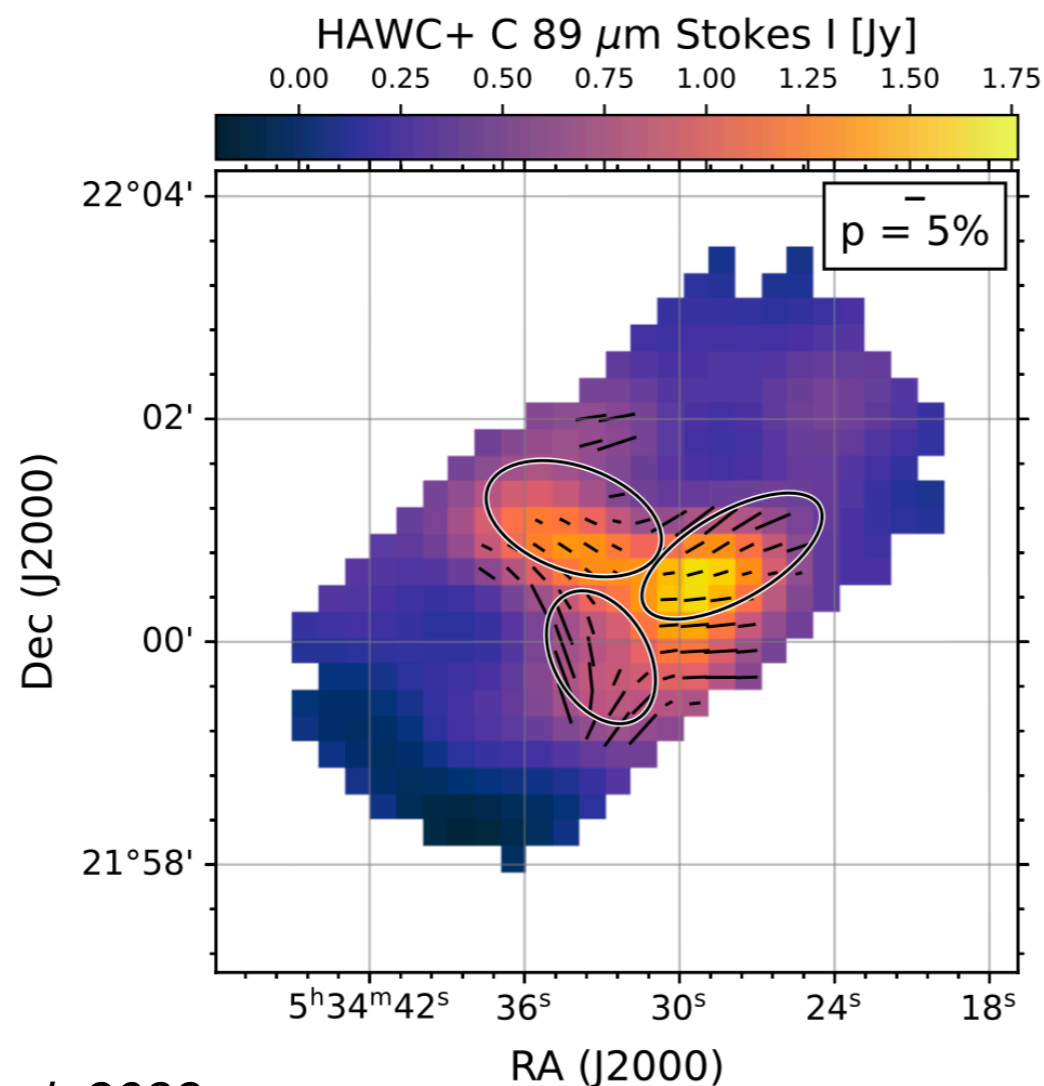
Dust formation in SN(R)s

Crab Nebula: dust masses from dust polarisation emission

SOFIA polarisation fractions in two far-infrared wavebands
(after correcting for synchrotron polarisation)



Crab Nebula



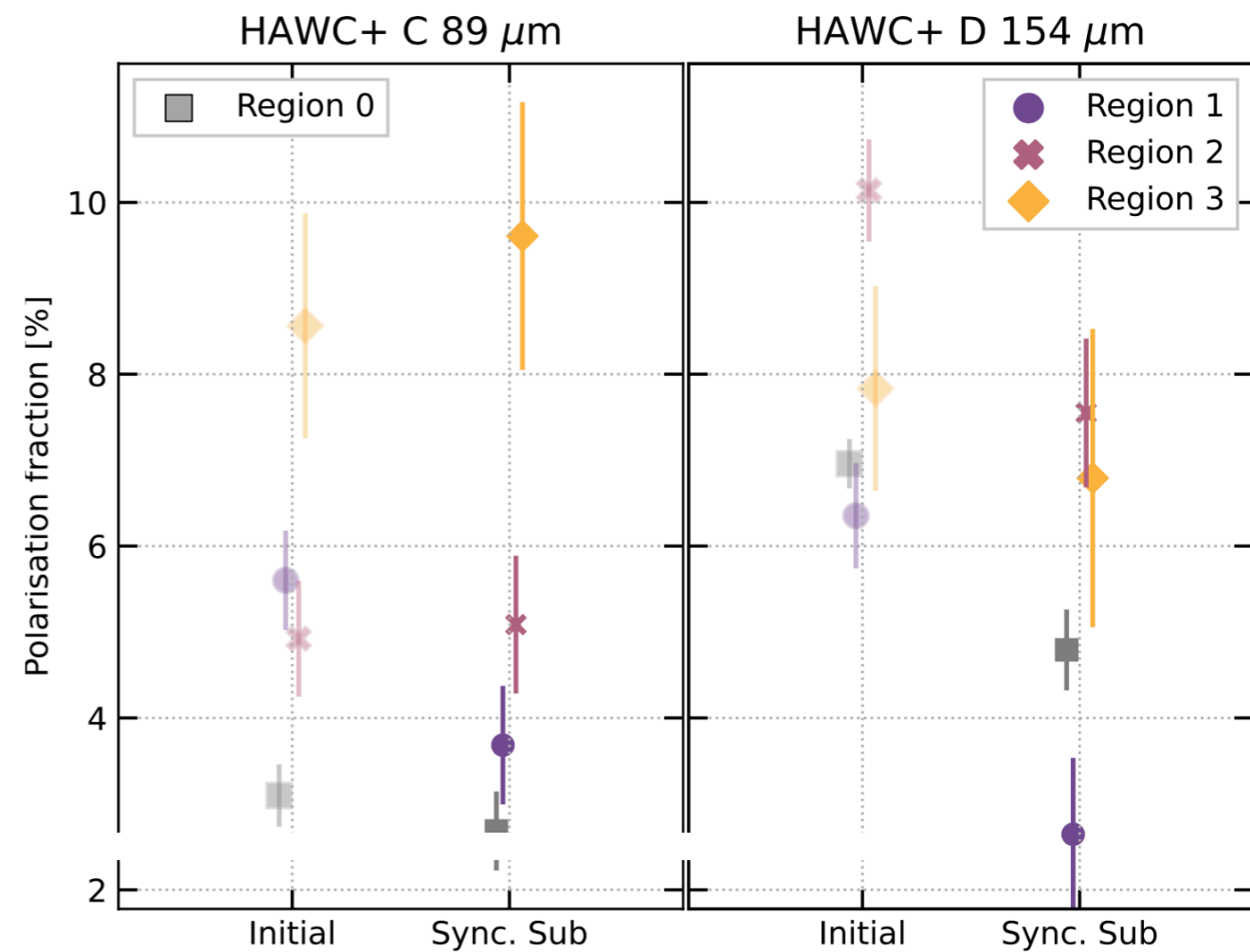
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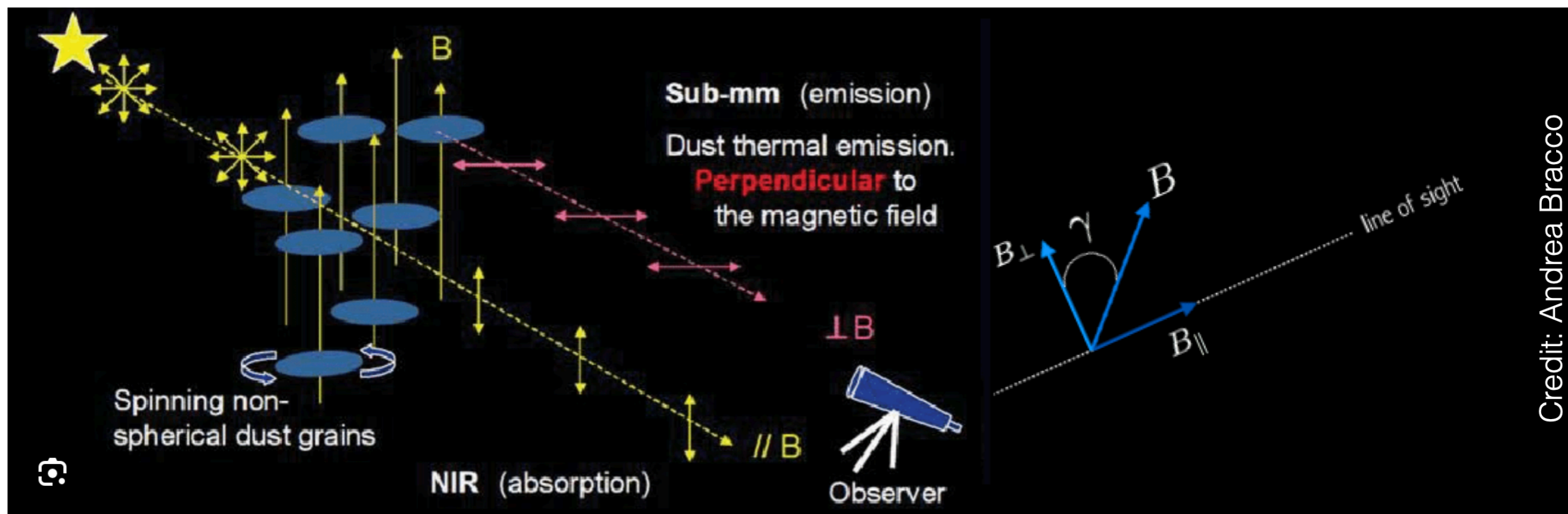
Crab Nebula

- Low dust polarisation fractions $p < 10\%$
- Large grains ($> 0.1 \mu\text{m}$)
- Carbon mass fractions $\sim 12\text{-}70\%$



I. Dust formation in SN(R)s

Method B+: dust masses from dust polarisation emission



Non-spherical grains align their axis of maximal inertia with the local magnetic field orientation.

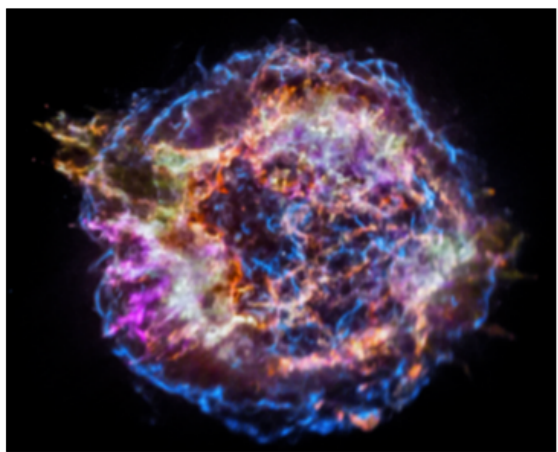
Assumption: carbonaceous grains do not align, only silicate grains with sizes of 0.1 micron and larger

The polarisation fraction depends on the angle between the local magnetic field and the plane of the sky.

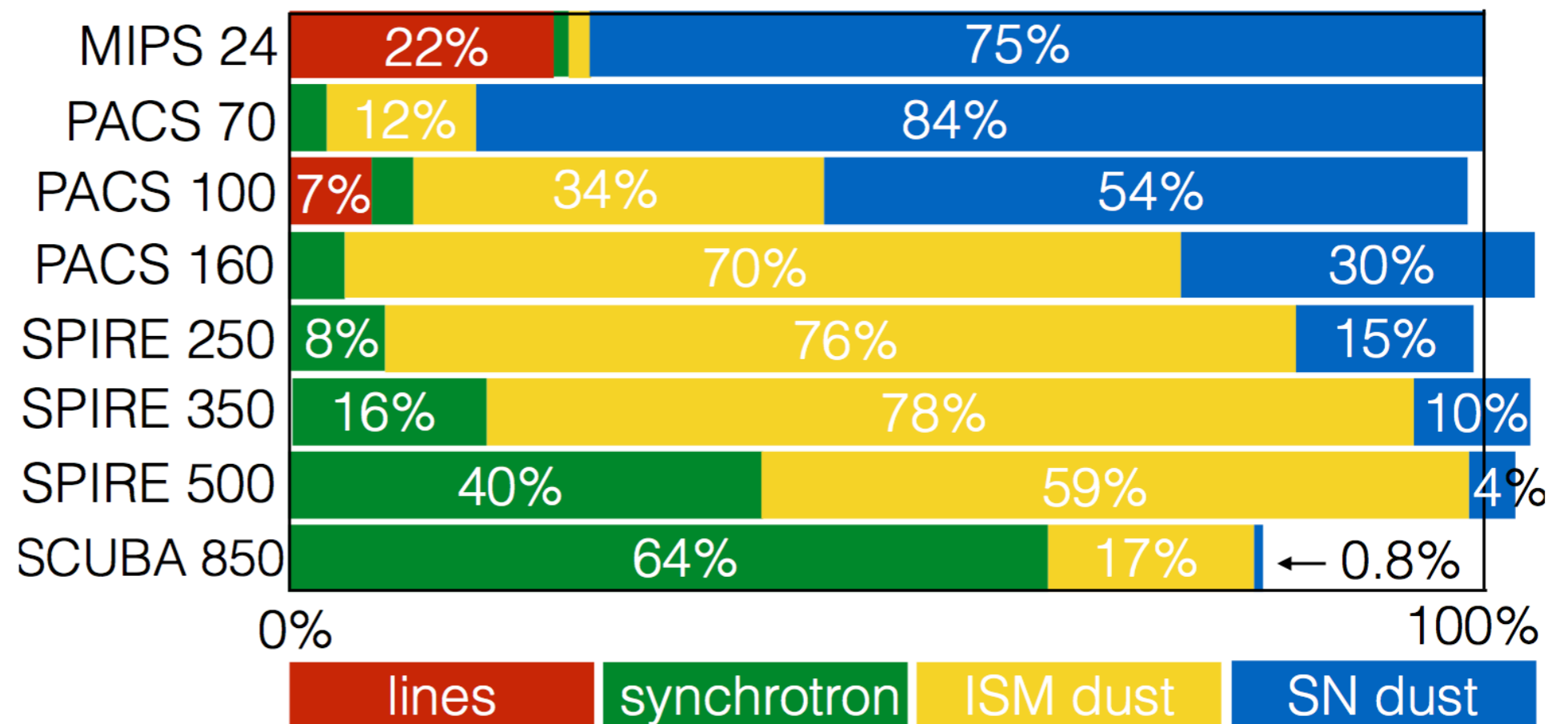
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Method B: dust masses from infrared dust emission (Herschel)

Main difficulty in constraining SN dust mass is contribution of various emission processes!



Cassiopeia A



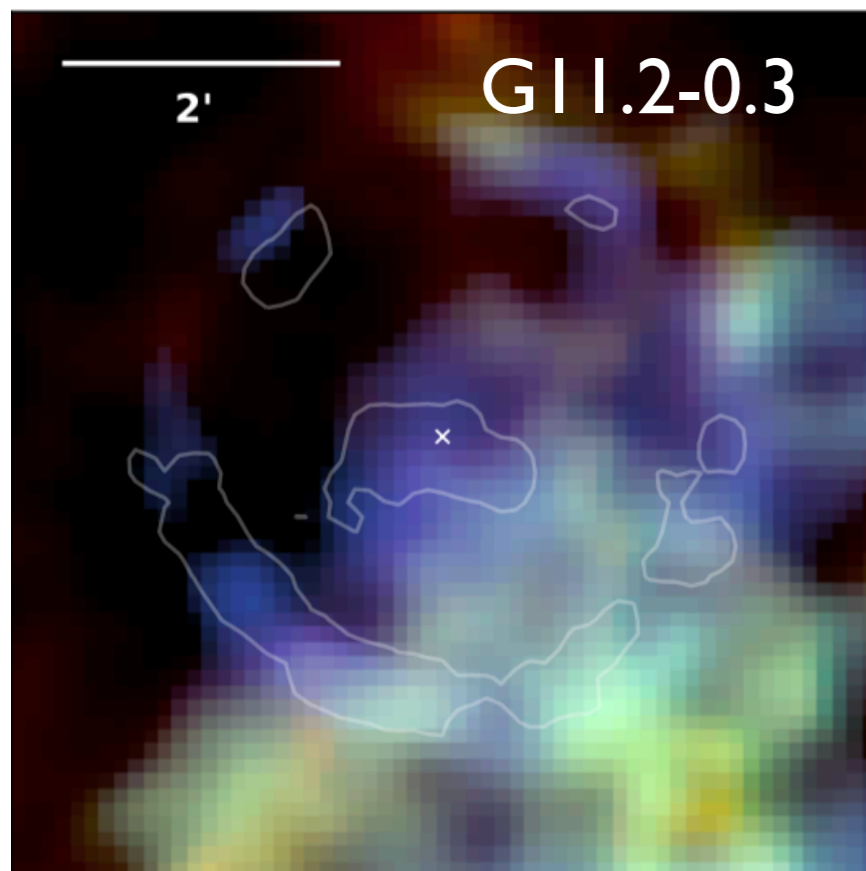
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Dust masses for other Galactic SNe (Herschel)

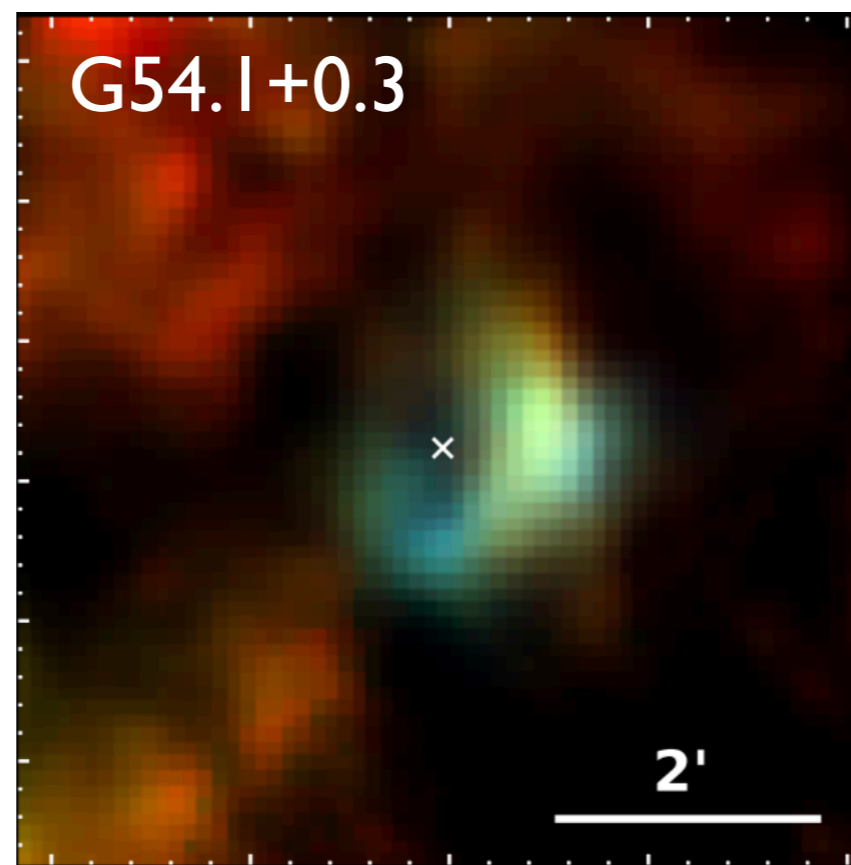
Study of the HiGAL dataset : 39/190 SNRs (~20%) SNRs have a FIR detection!

70 160 250

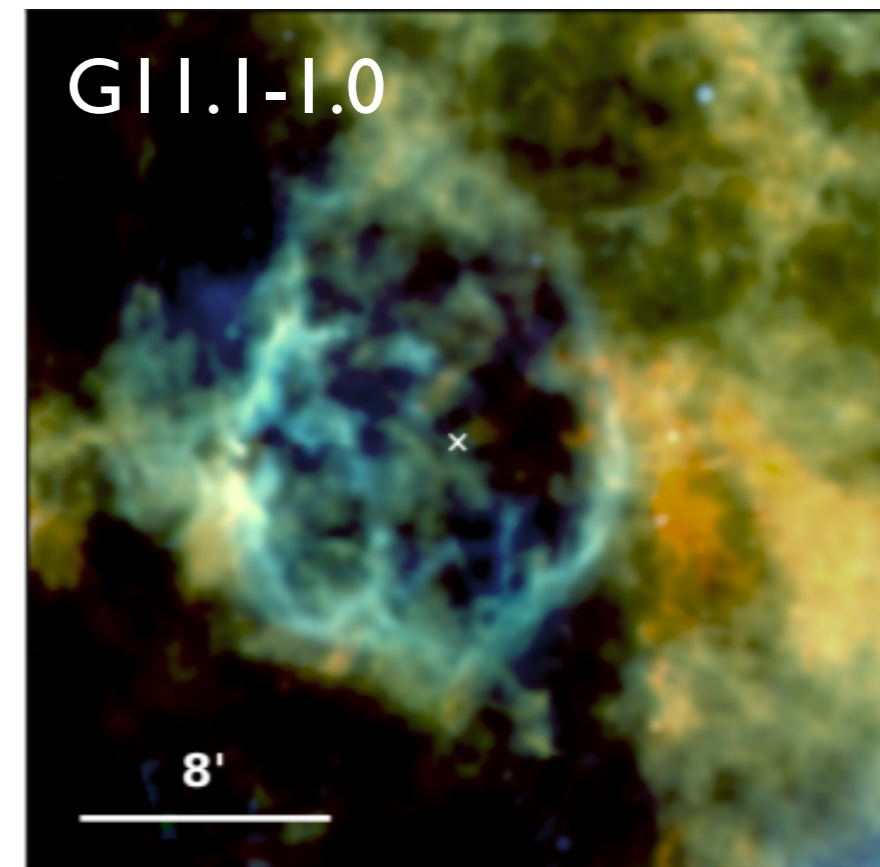
Chawner+2019, 2020



8/29: central dust detection



4/29: dust in pulsar wind nebulae



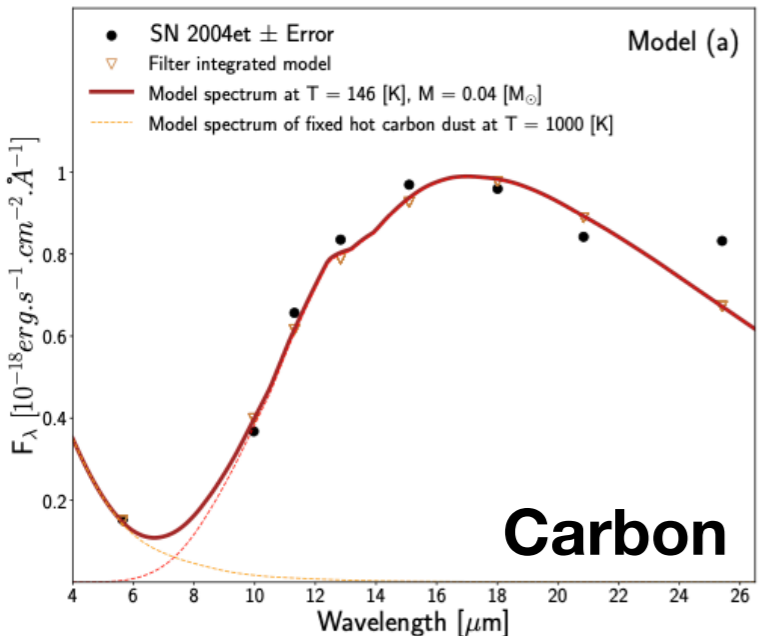
23/29: dust in outer shell: ejecta or swept up dust?

Extragalactic SNe with JWST

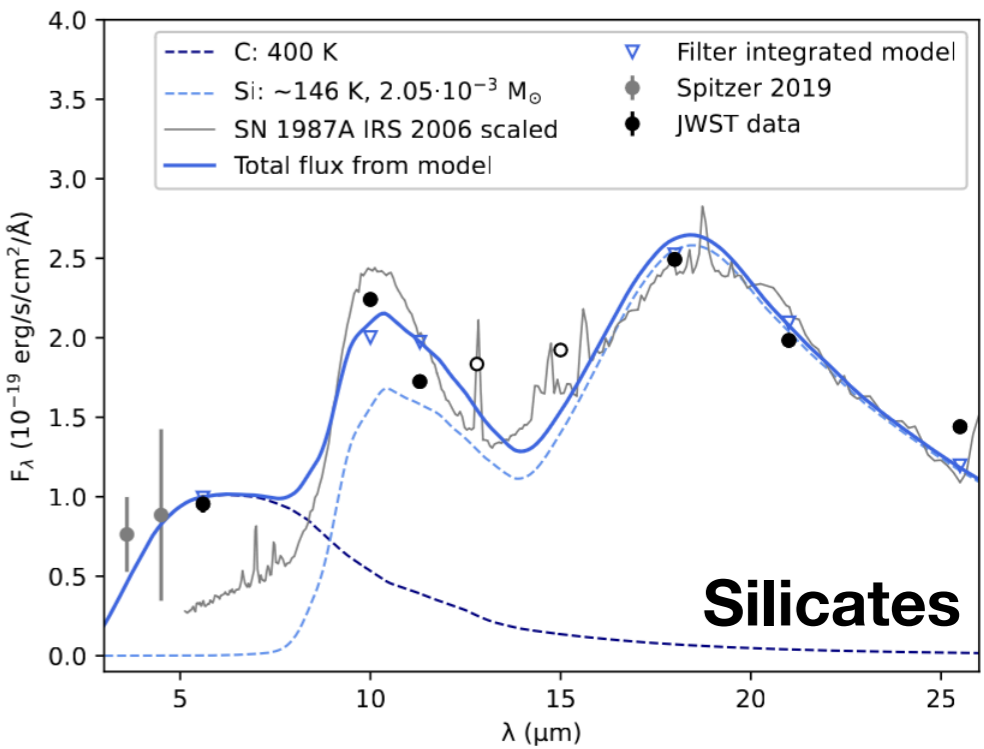
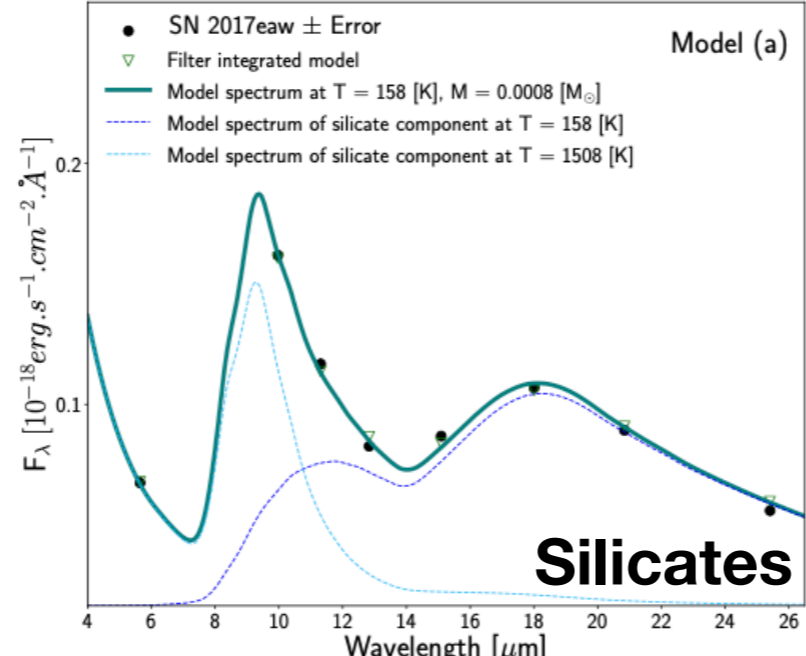
JWST has the sensitivity to pick up on warm SN dust in external SNe!

Type IIP SNe SN2004et and SN2017eaw host $>0.014 M_{\text{sun}}$ and $>0.0004 M_{\text{sun}}$ of dust

Type IIL SN SNI980K with $0.002 M_{\text{sun}}$ of dust: pre-existing or new dust?



Shahbandeh et al. 2024



Zsiros et al. 2024

Talks by Shahbandeh and Ashall

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