



Mining the kinematics of discs to hunt for planets in formation: results from exoALMA

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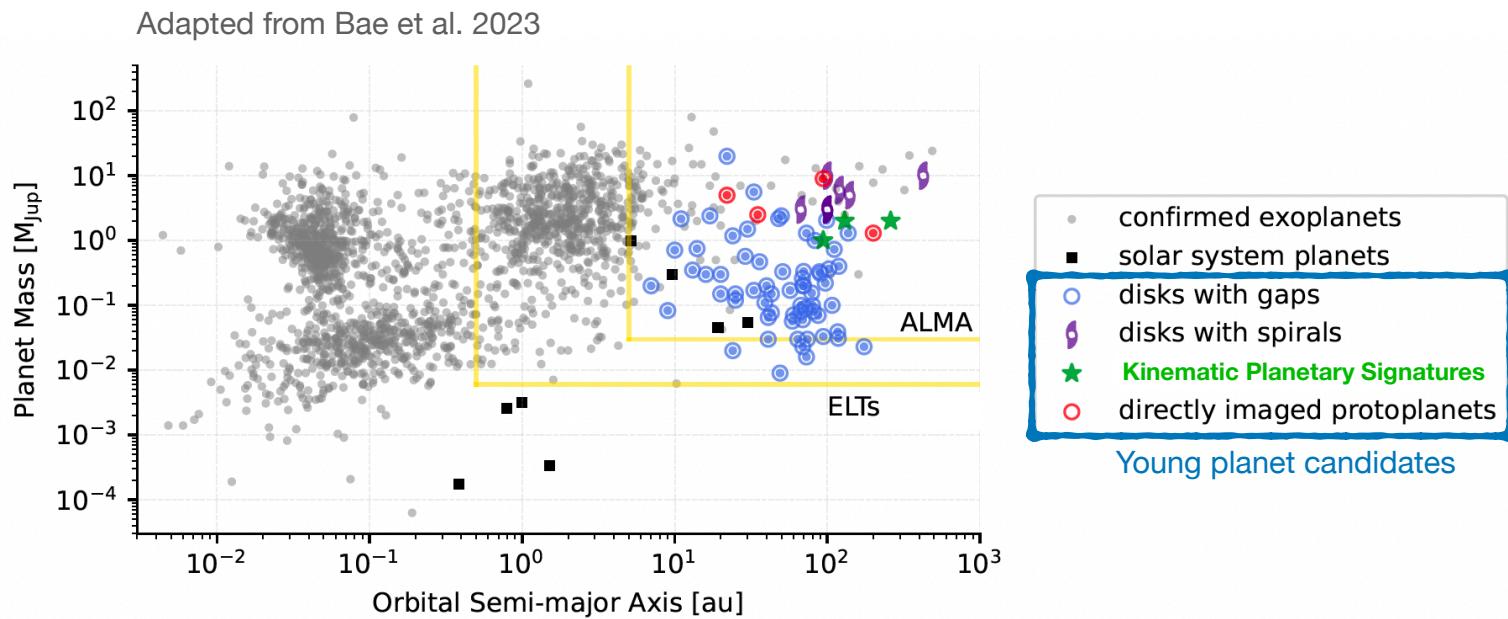


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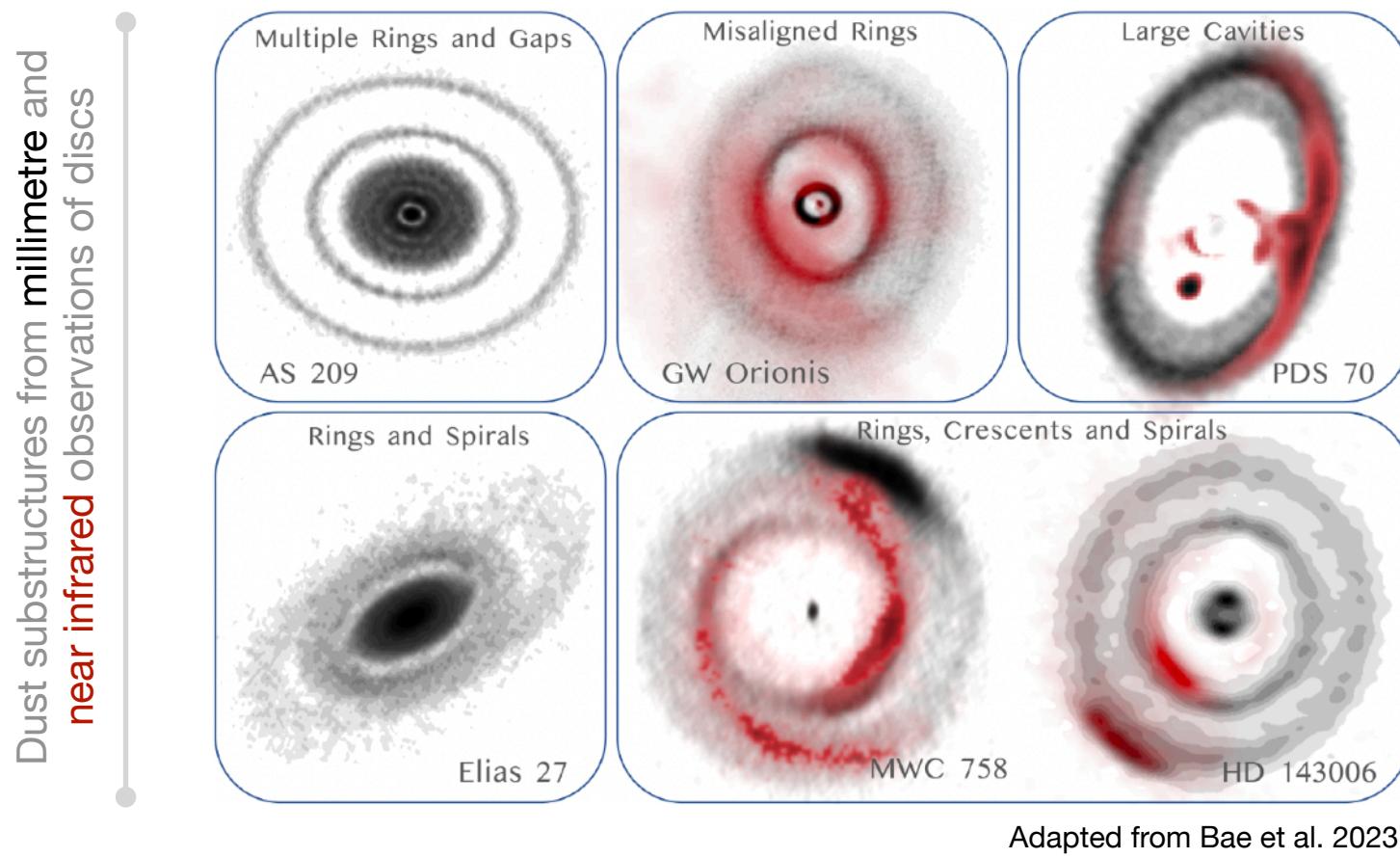
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Distribution of mature and young exoplanets

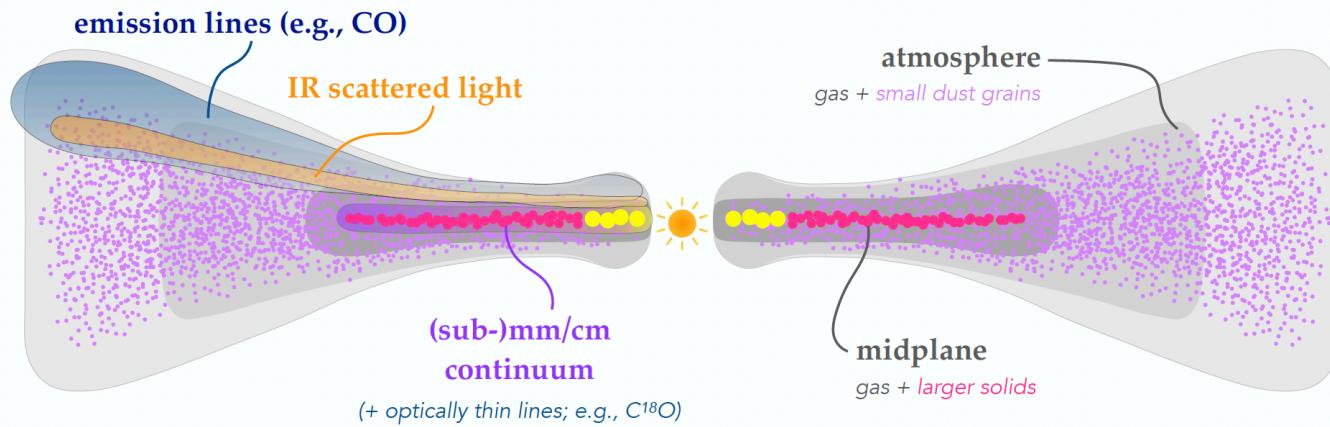


Young massive planets can significantly influence disc evolution and the diversity of fully formed exoplanets

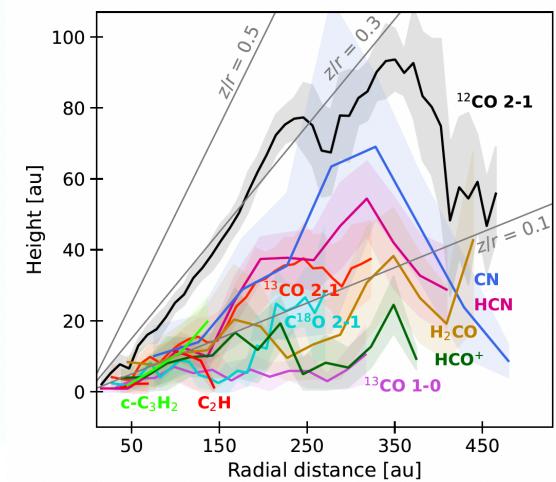
Dust substructures can be indicative of planet presence, but not always...



Luckily, we also have access to the gas disc through molecular line emission

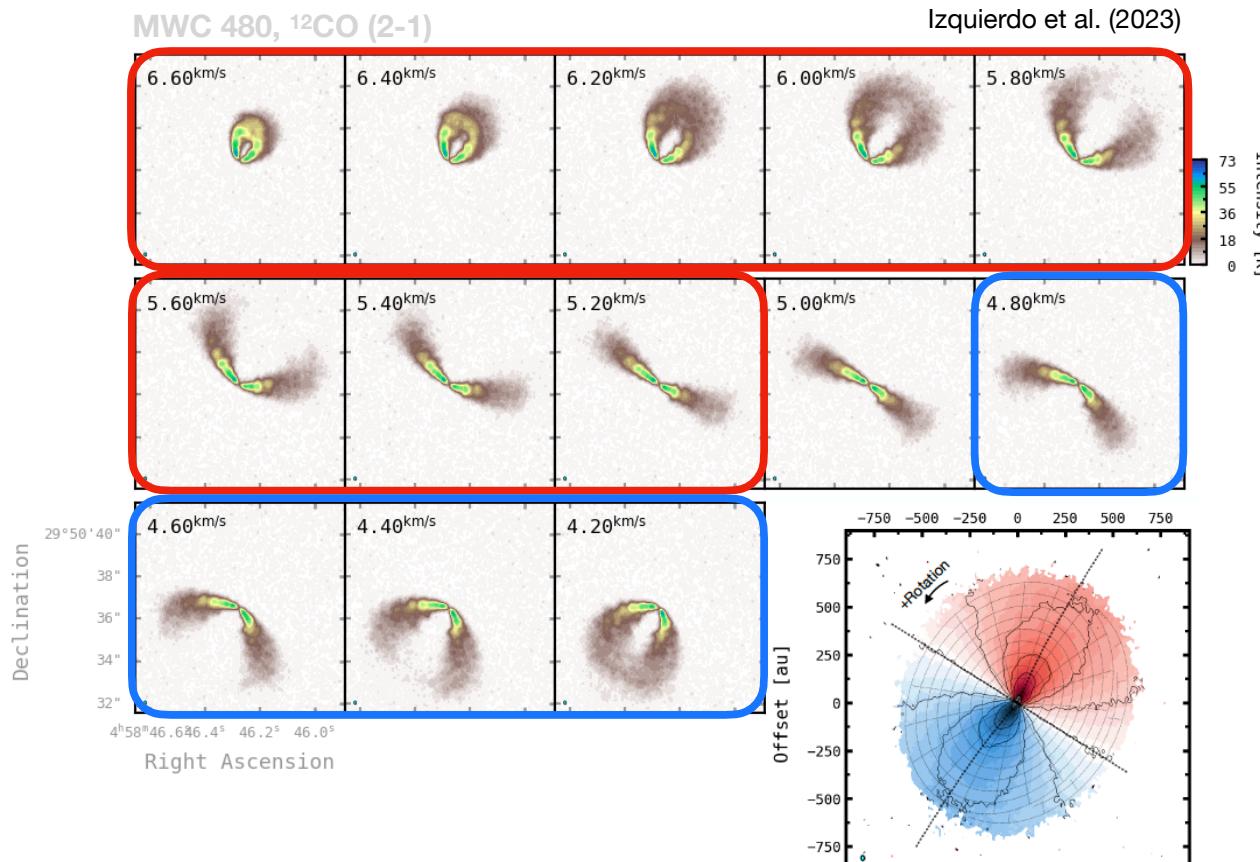


Andrews (2020)



Paneque-Carreño (2023)

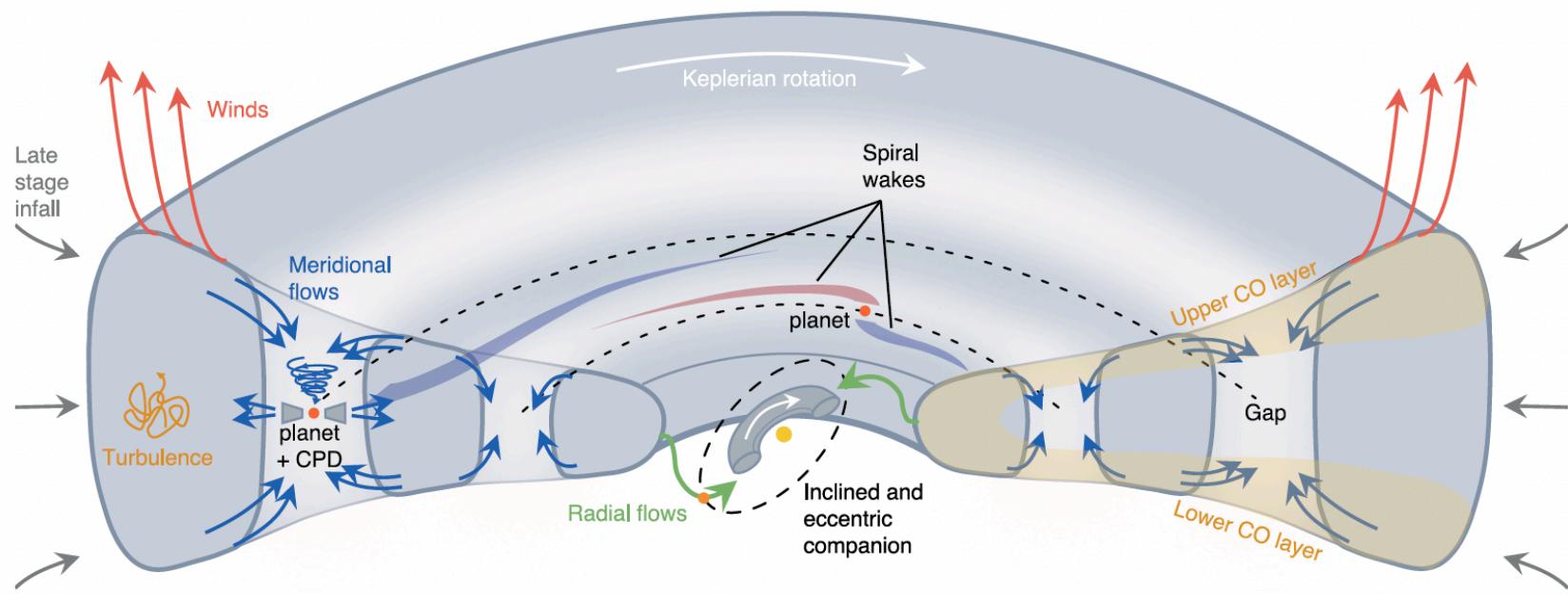
Molecular line emission responds to the disc dynamical structure too



Data from ALMA large program MAPS (Öberg et al. 2021)

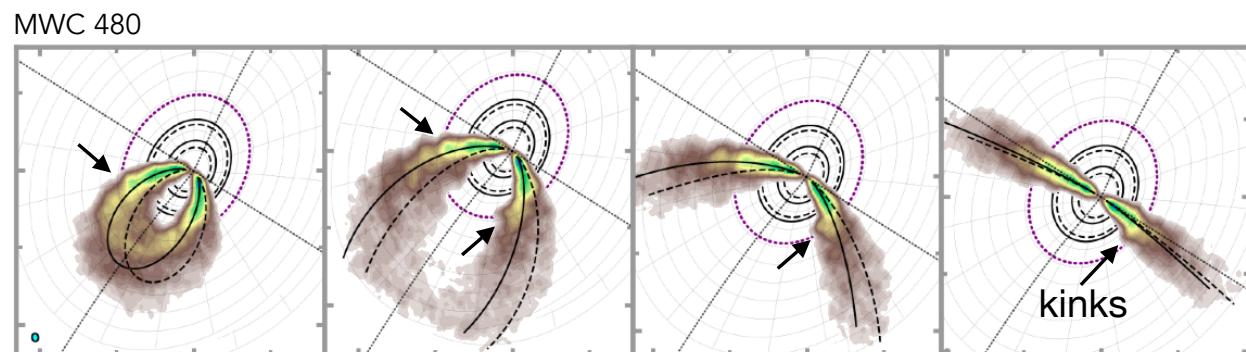
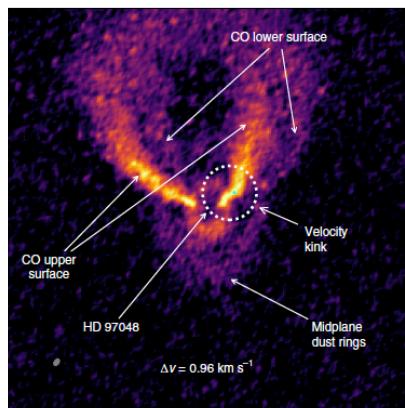
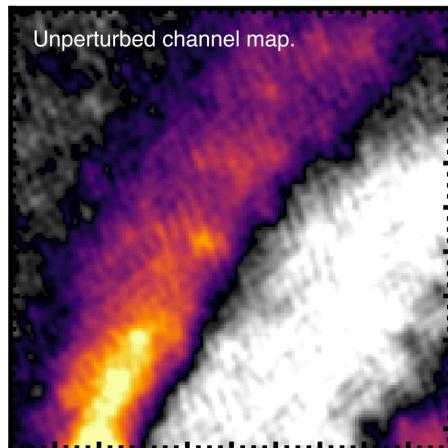
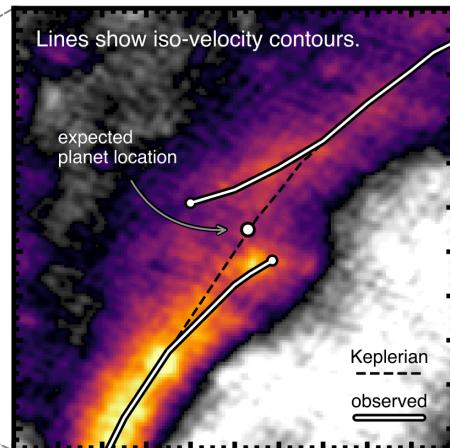
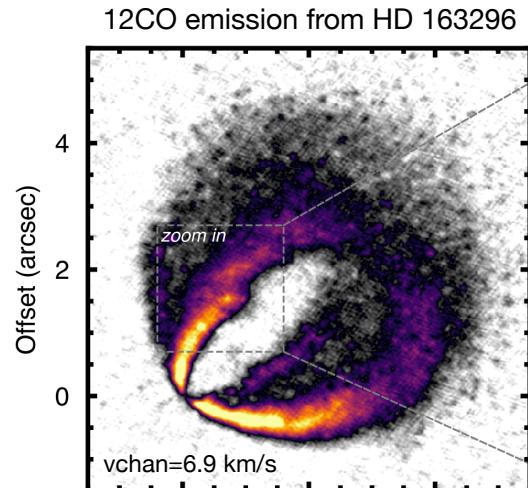
Planet-disc interaction results in characteristic kinematic features...

- Azimuthal and meridional flows
- Localised velocity perturbations and spirals
- Increased velocity dispersion



Credits: Pinte et al. (2023 PPVII)

...observable through molecular line emission



HD 97048

Pinte et al. (2018-2020), DDC. (2020), Teague et al. (2021, 2022), Izquierdo et al. (2022, 2023)

What sets the amplitude of the kinks?

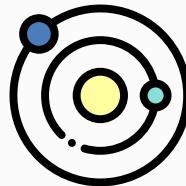


The logo features the word "exo" in white lowercase letters, with a blue elliptical arc passing through the "o". To the right, the word "ALMA" is written in large white capital letters. A blue elliptical arc also passes through the top of the "A" and the middle of the "L". Below "ALMA", the words "First Results" are written in blue lowercase letters.

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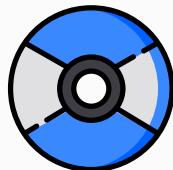
exoALMA was designed to understand the ubiquity of velocity perturbations



Planet hunting



Dynamical structure of discs



Physical structure of discs

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15 sources (the biggest and brightest)



3 lines (^{12}CO , ^{13}CO and CS)



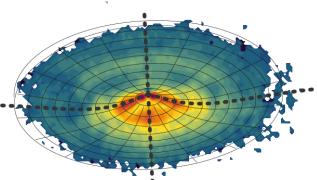
180+ hours (12m and 7m arrays)

Imaging and calibration built on DSHARP and MAPS approaches

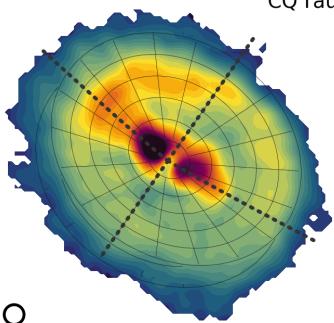
Andrews et al. (2018), Öberg et al. (2021), Leeroy et al. (2021), Teague et al. (exoALMA I), Loomis et al. (exoALMA II)

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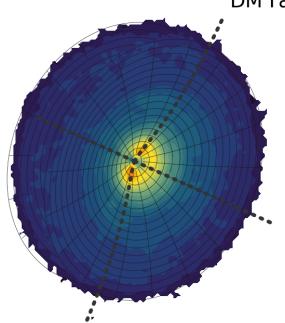
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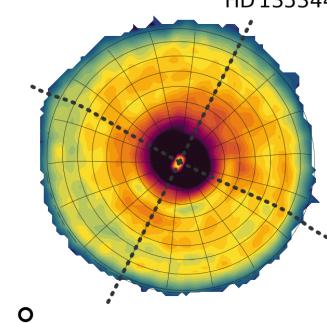
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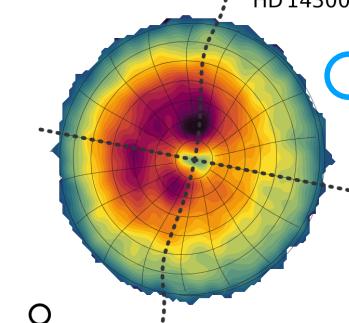
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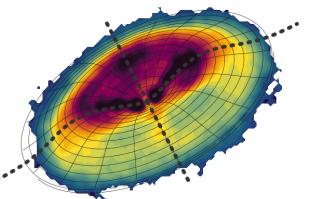
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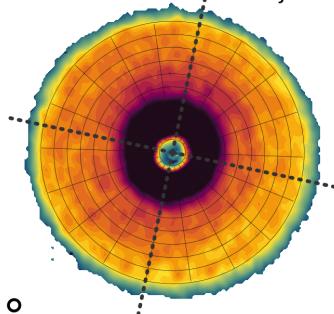
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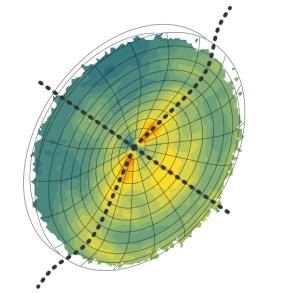
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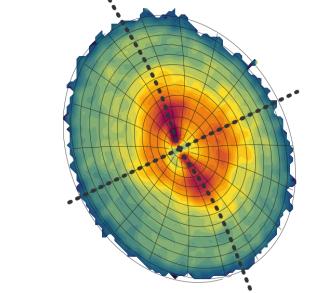
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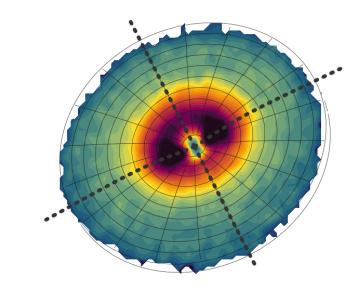
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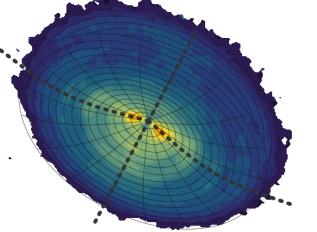
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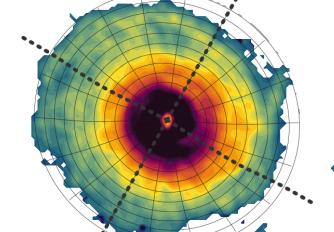
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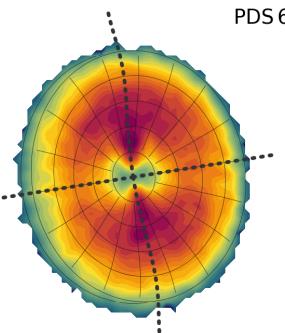
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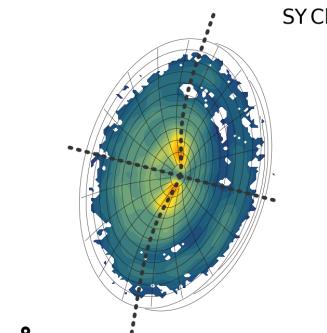
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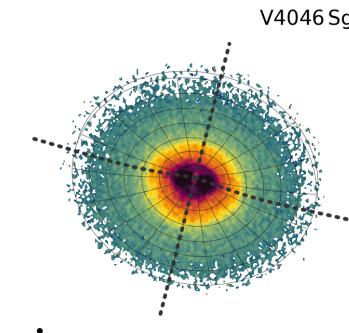
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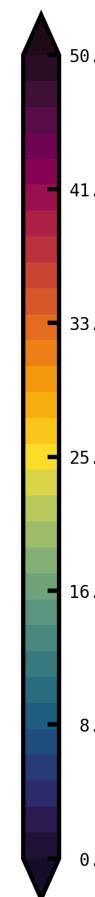
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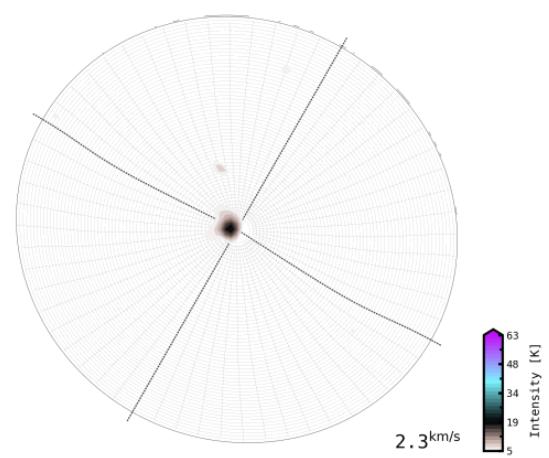
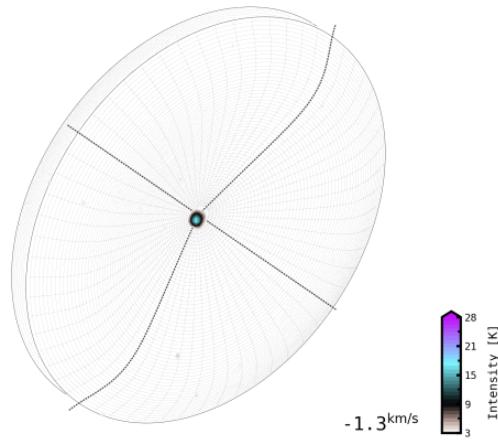
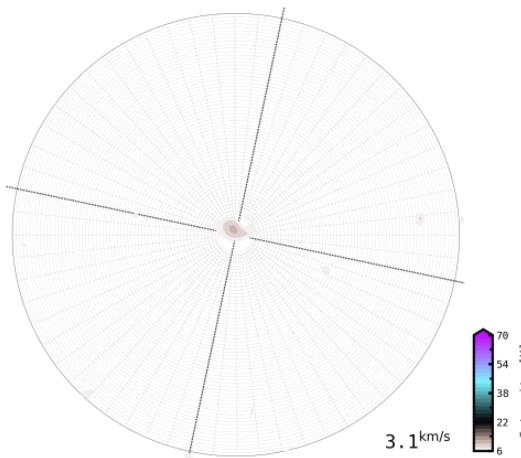
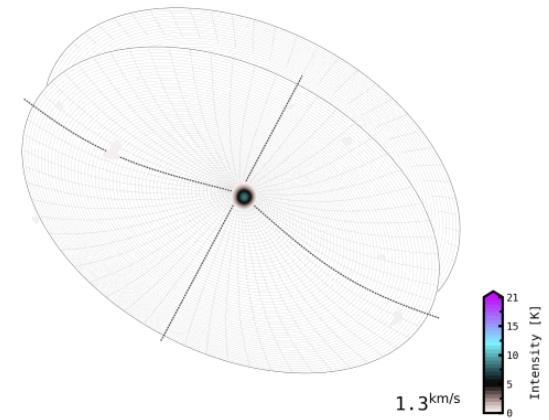
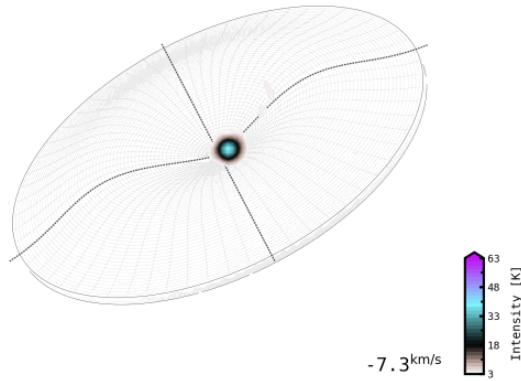
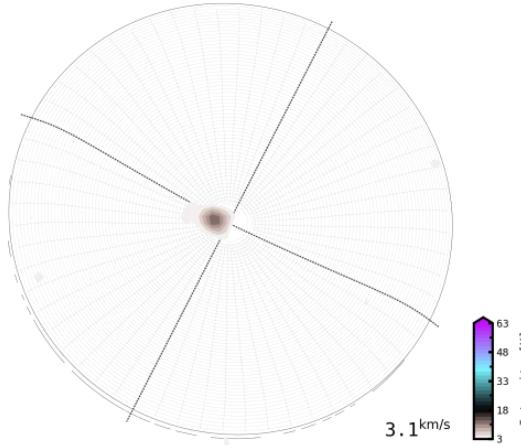


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Neptune's orbit

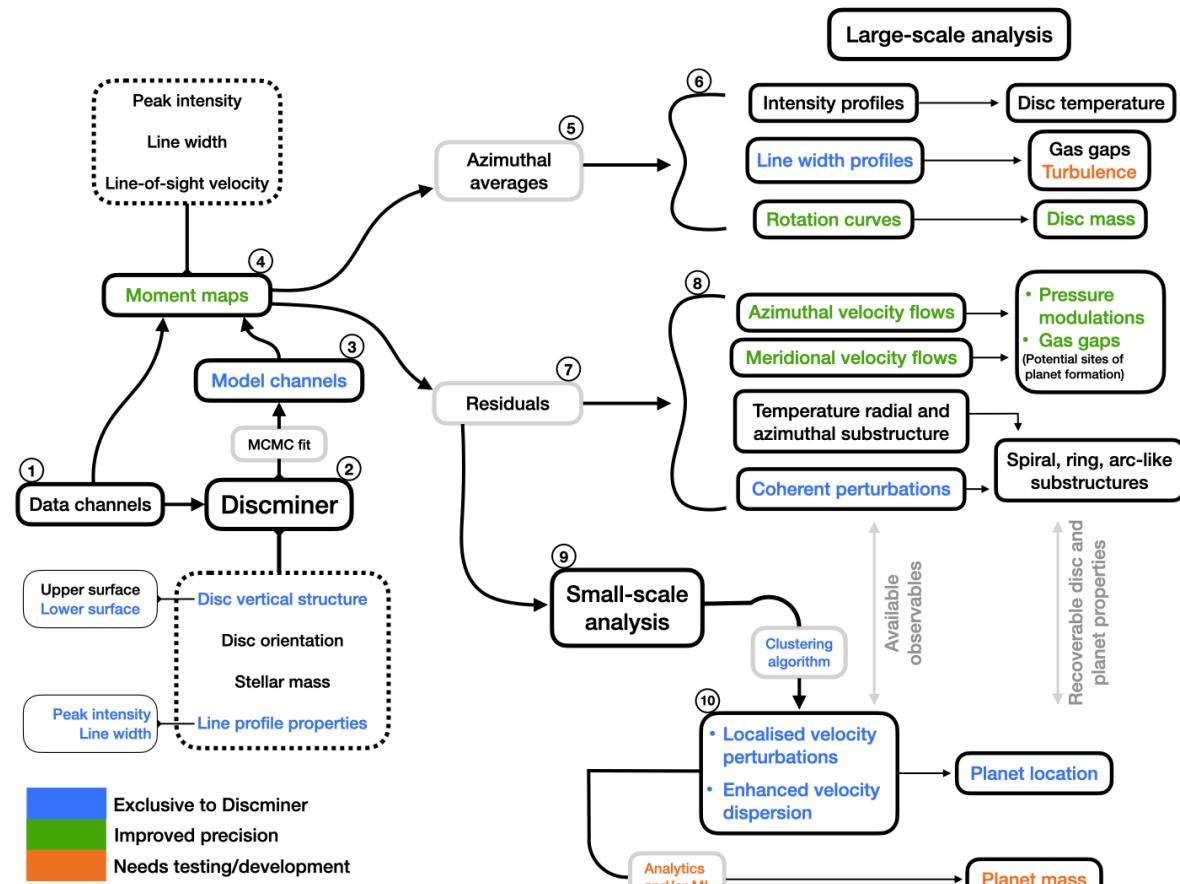
Kinks are common across exoALMA targets



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DISCINER enables a uniform 3D (de-)composition of the data



Planet hunting

Dynamical structure

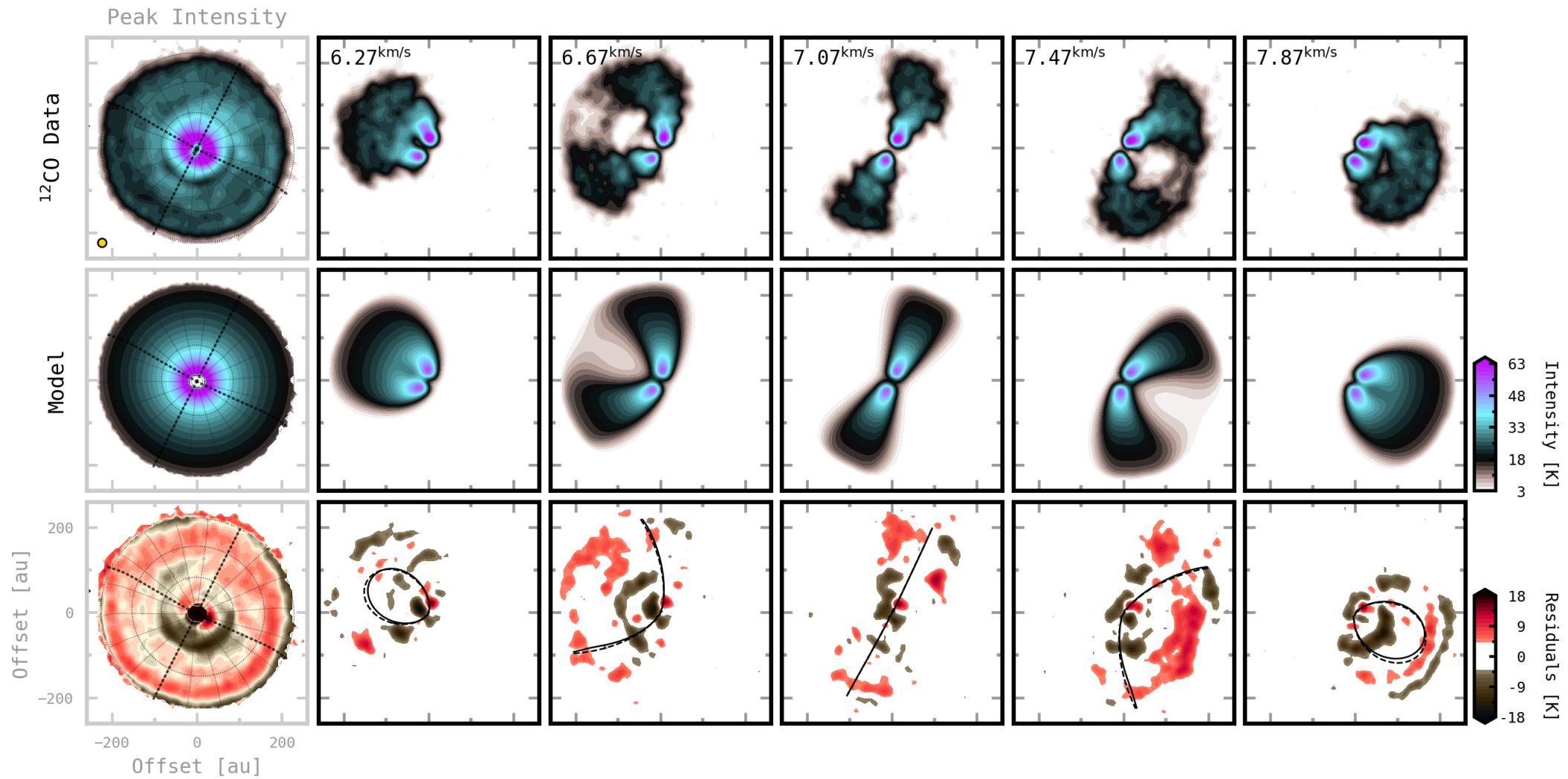
Physical structure

exoalma.com/software for the full array of software developed and used by exoALMA

Izquierdo et al. (exoALMA IV)

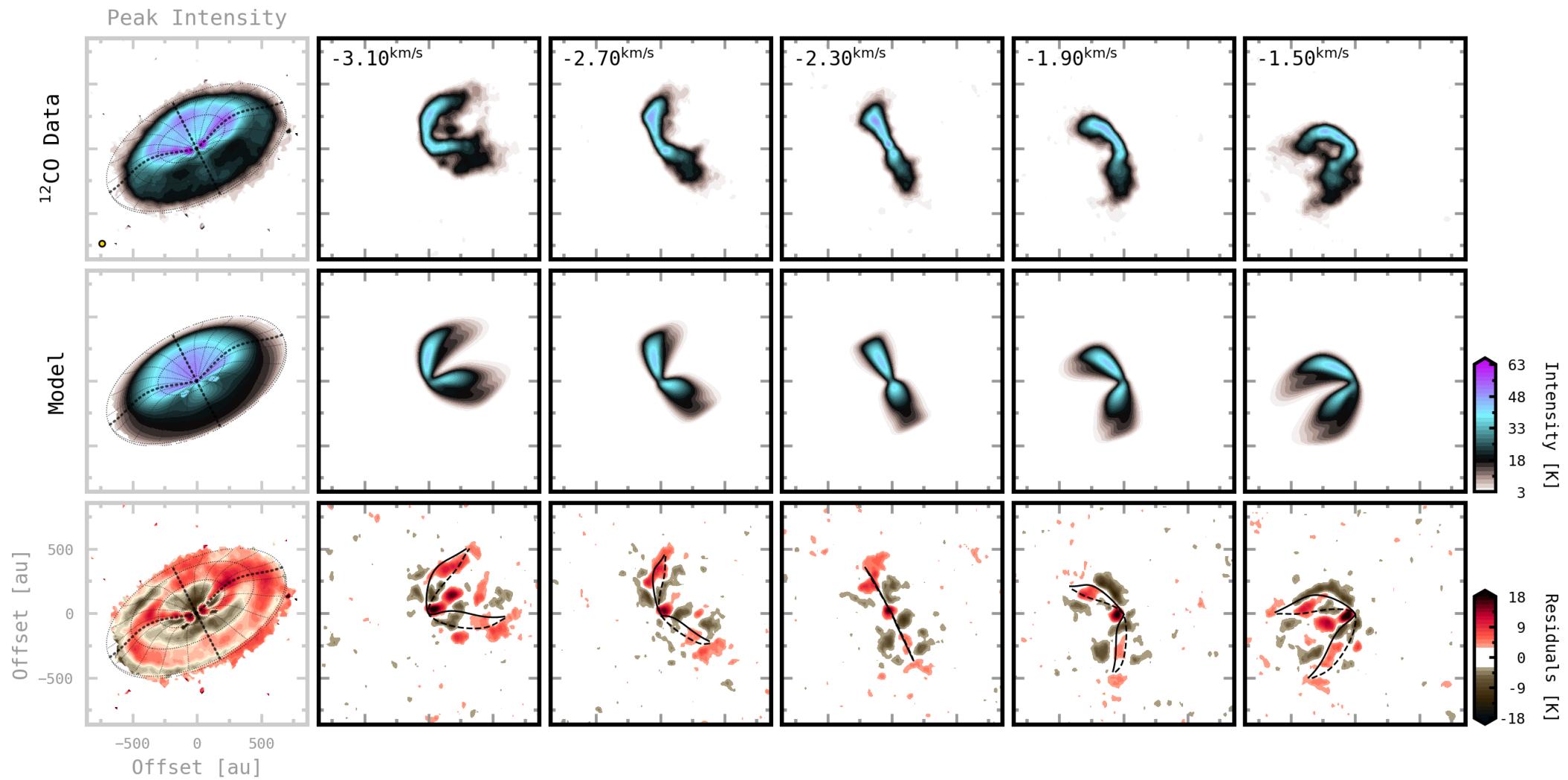
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Face-on models

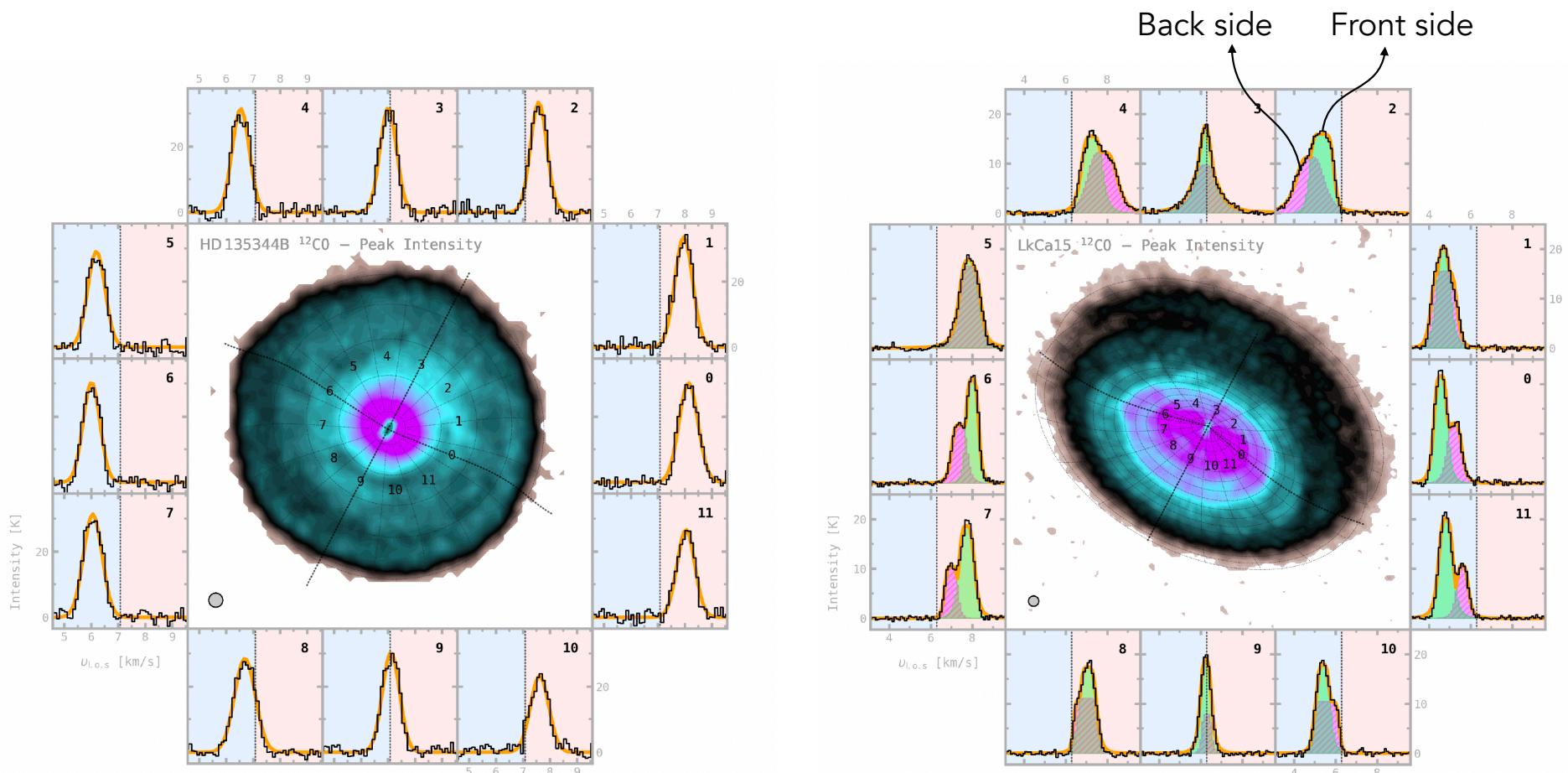


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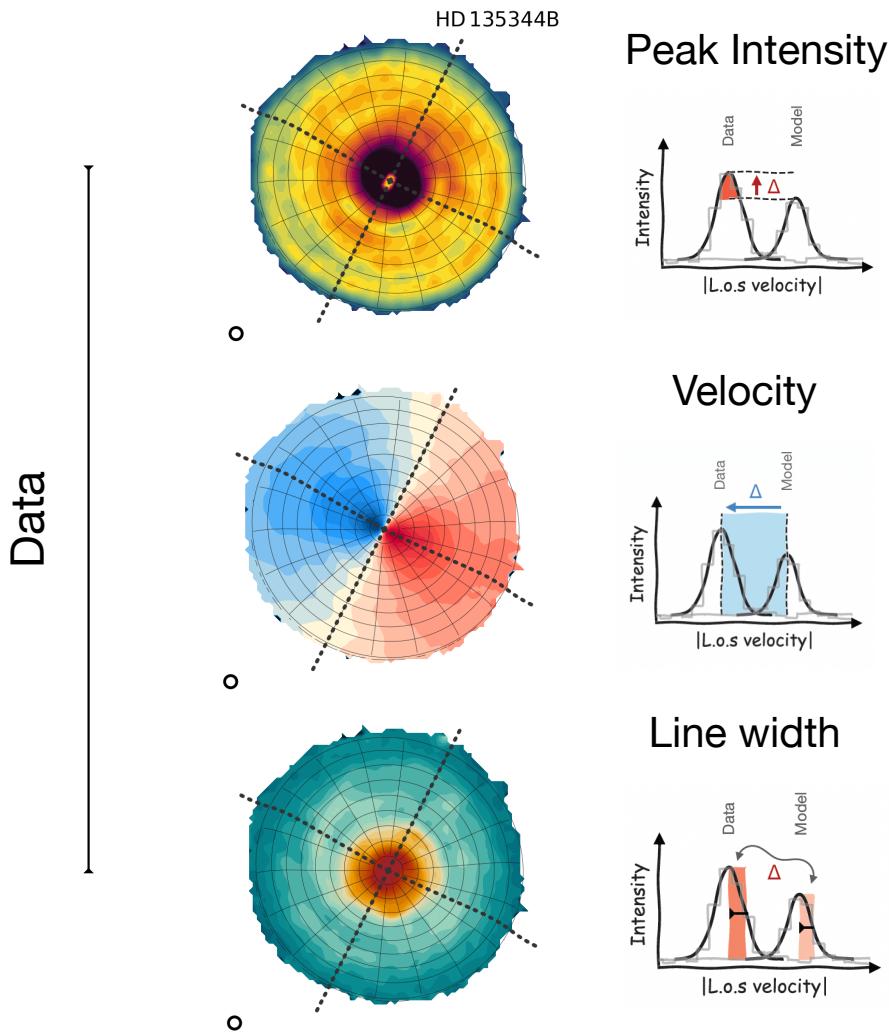
Inclined models with back side contribution



Dynamical and physical structure are encoded in molecular line properties

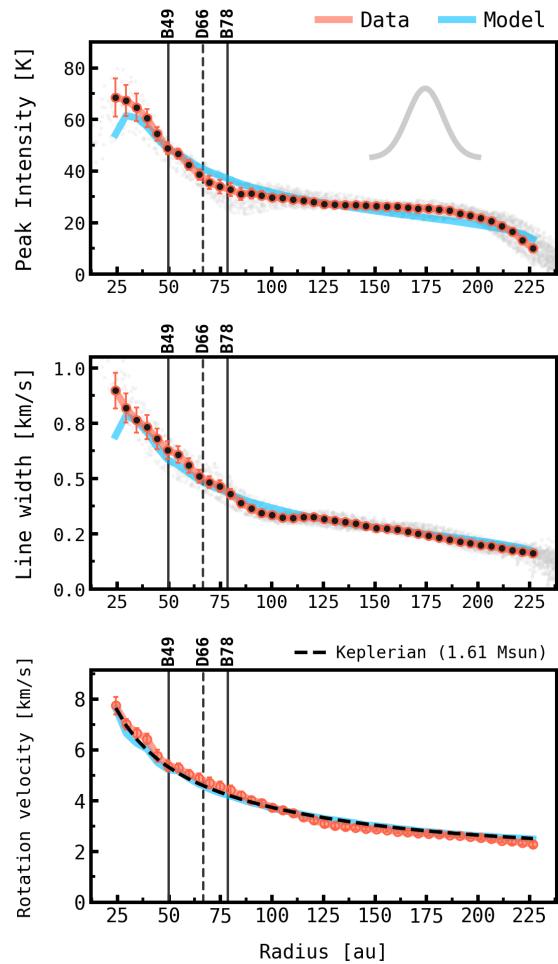


Extraction of line profile properties

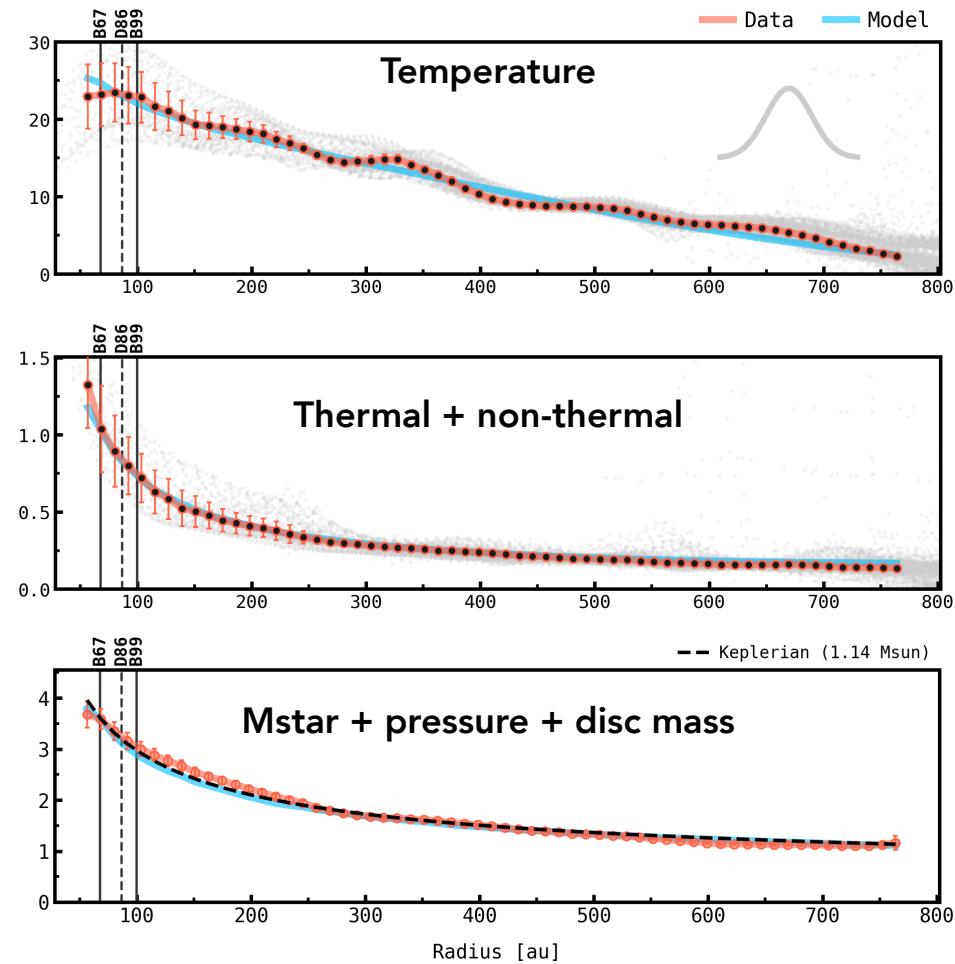


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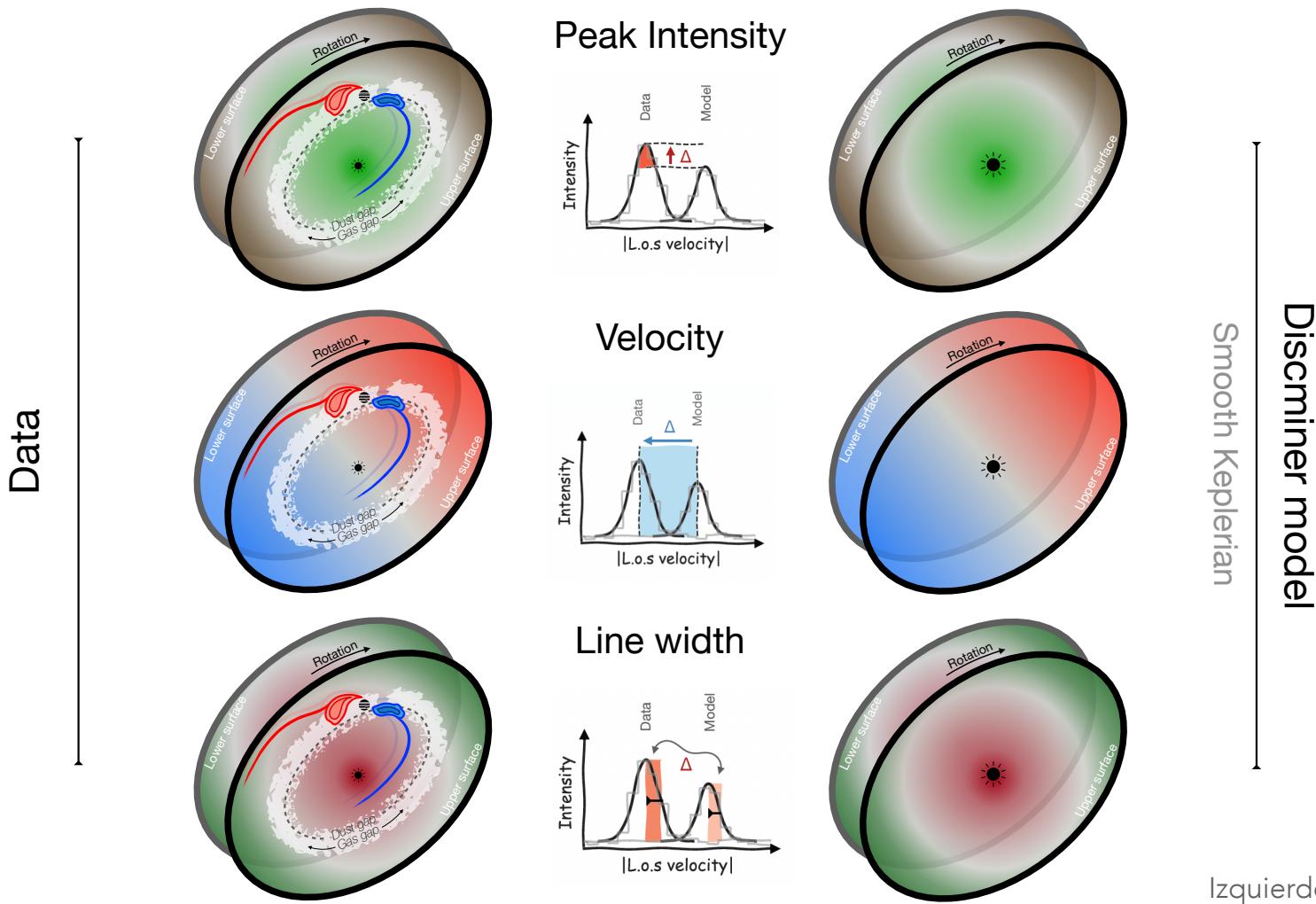
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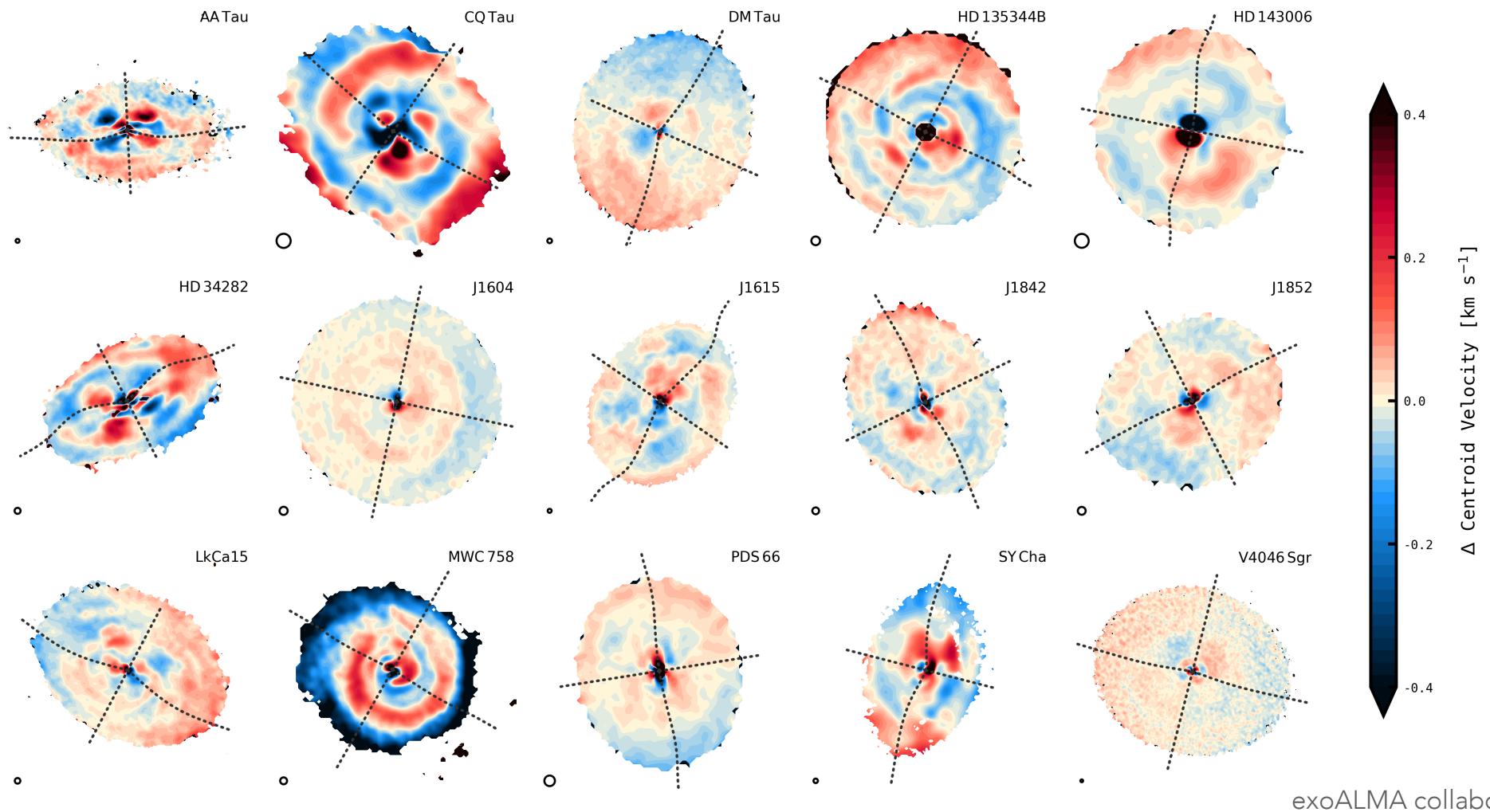
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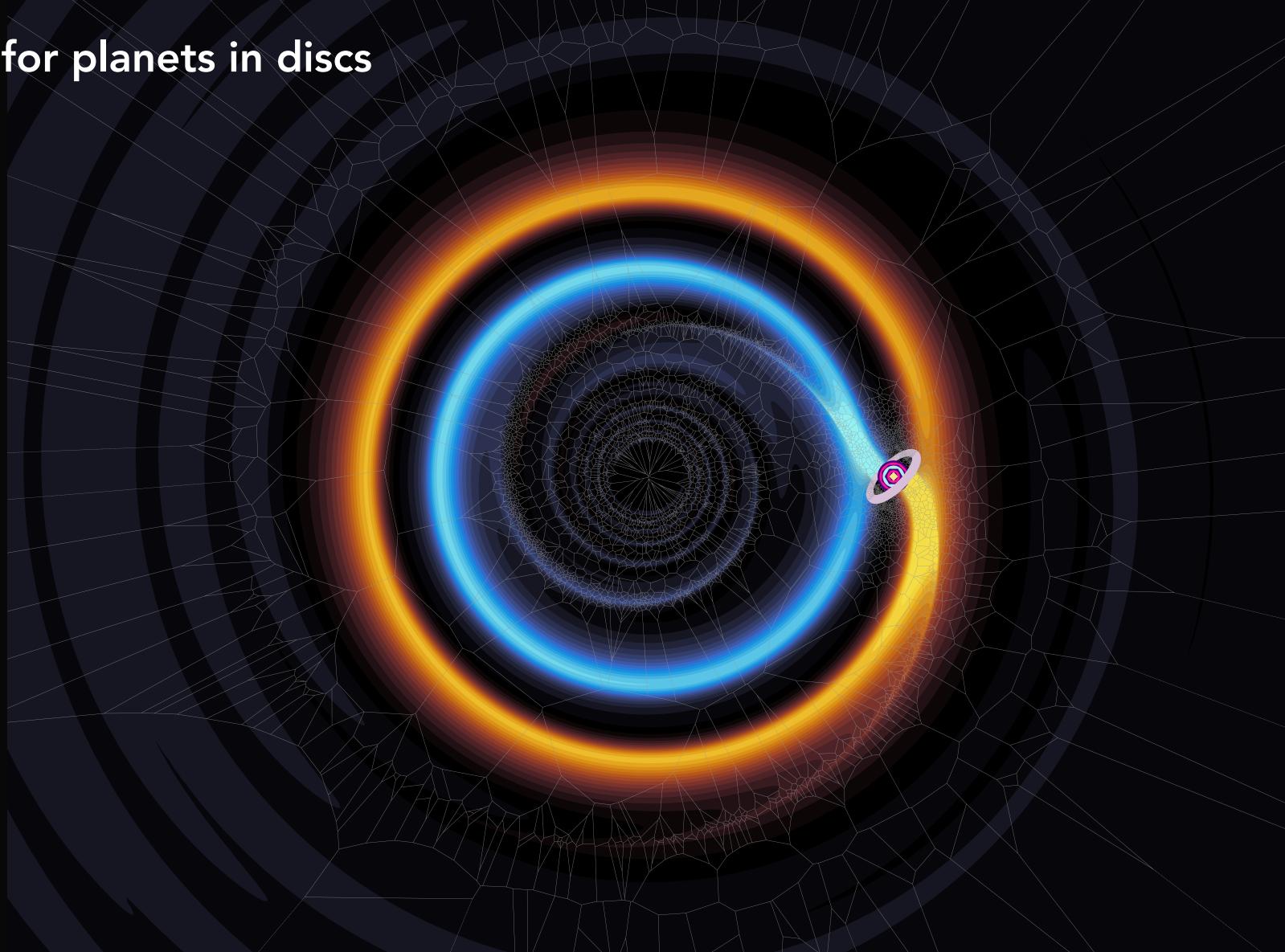


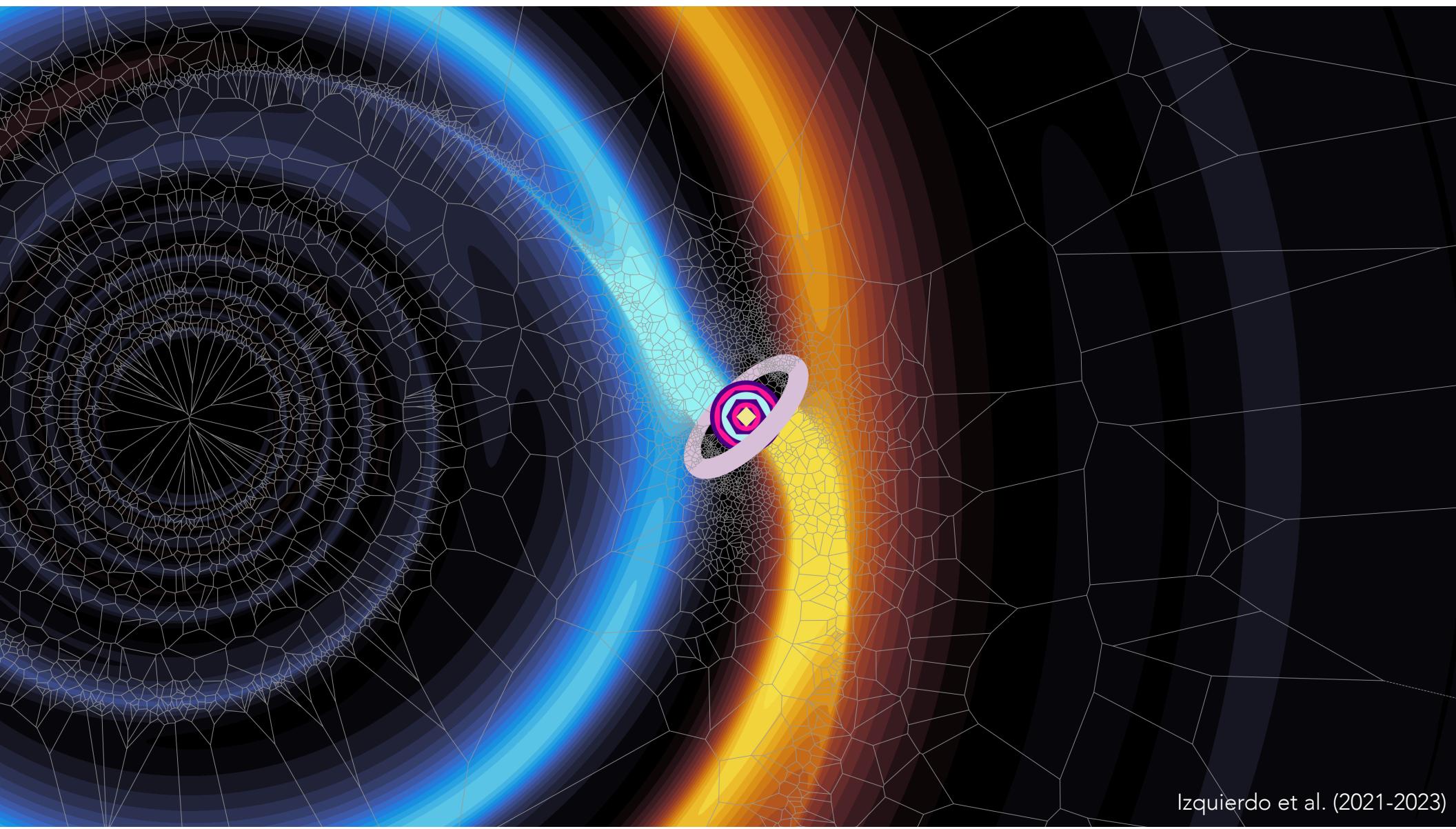
Prominent non-Keplerian motions



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Hunting for planets in discs



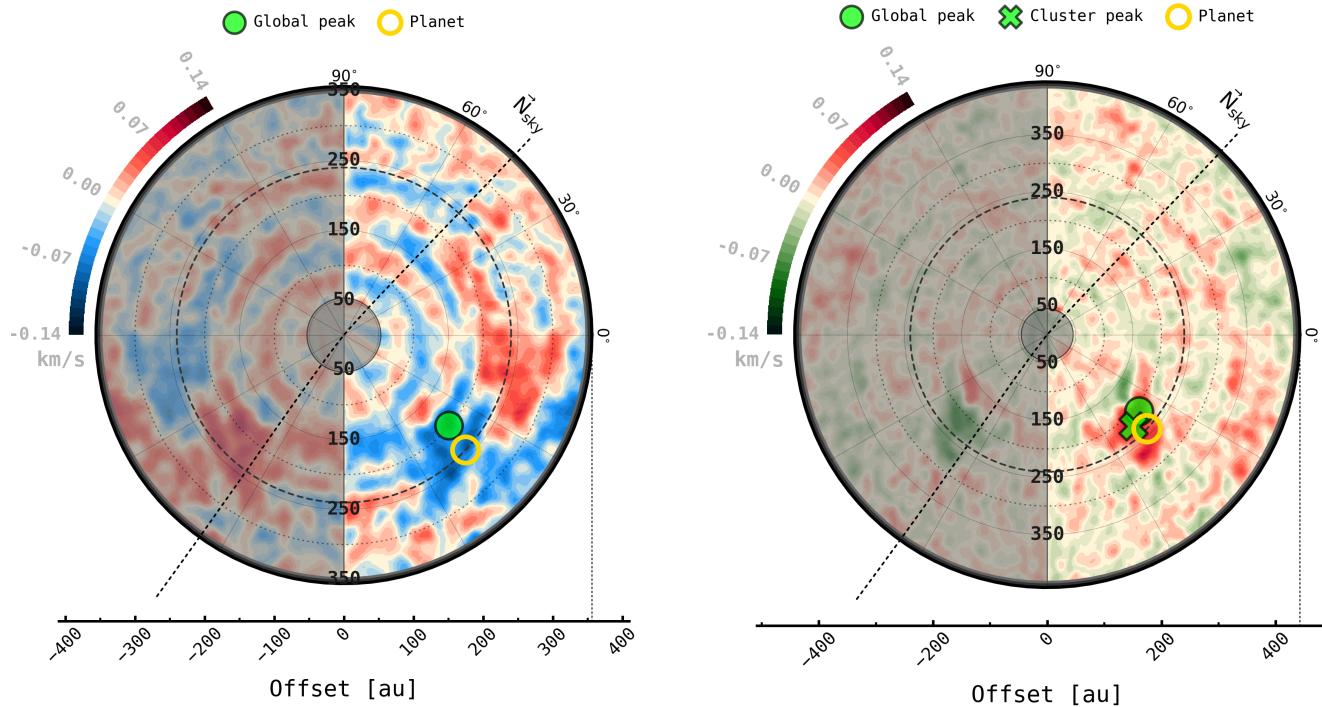


Izquierdo et al. (2021-2023)

Observable planet-driven signatures

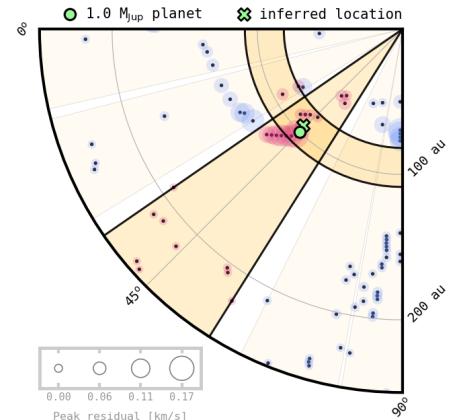
Localised high-amplitude velocities and line width increments
are great tracers of the planet location

Peak and clustered folded residuals around planet



Observable planet-driven signatures

Validated the use of line width increments as planet tracers using synthetic observations



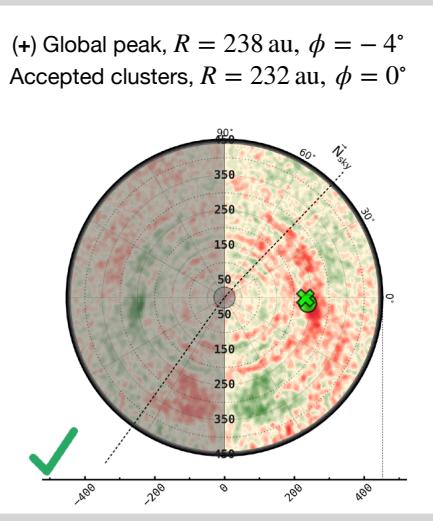
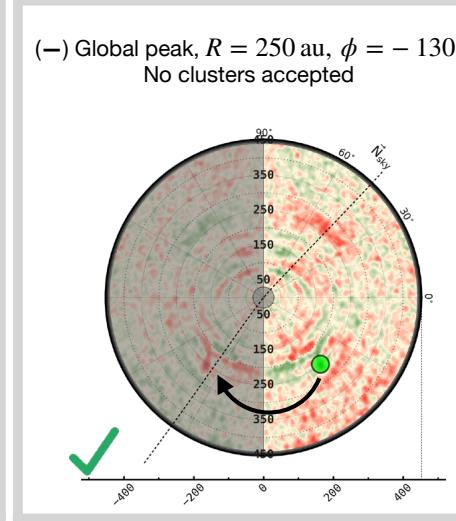
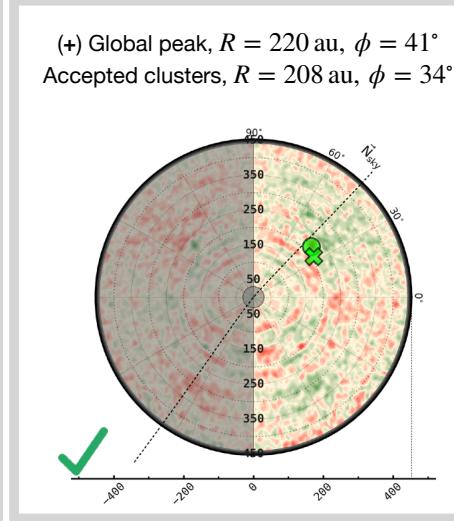
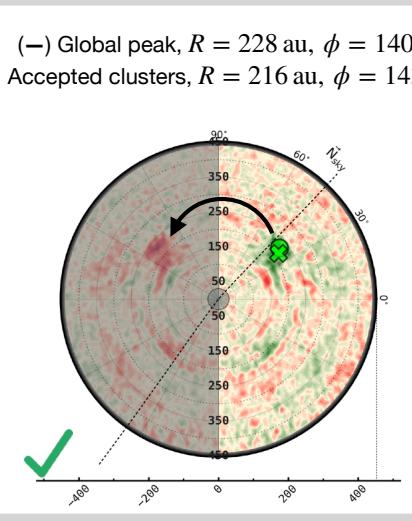
$$R_p = 240 \text{ au}, \phi_p = 137^\circ$$

$$R_p = 240 \text{ au}, \phi_p = 47^\circ$$

$$R_p = 240 \text{ au}, \phi_p = -133^\circ$$

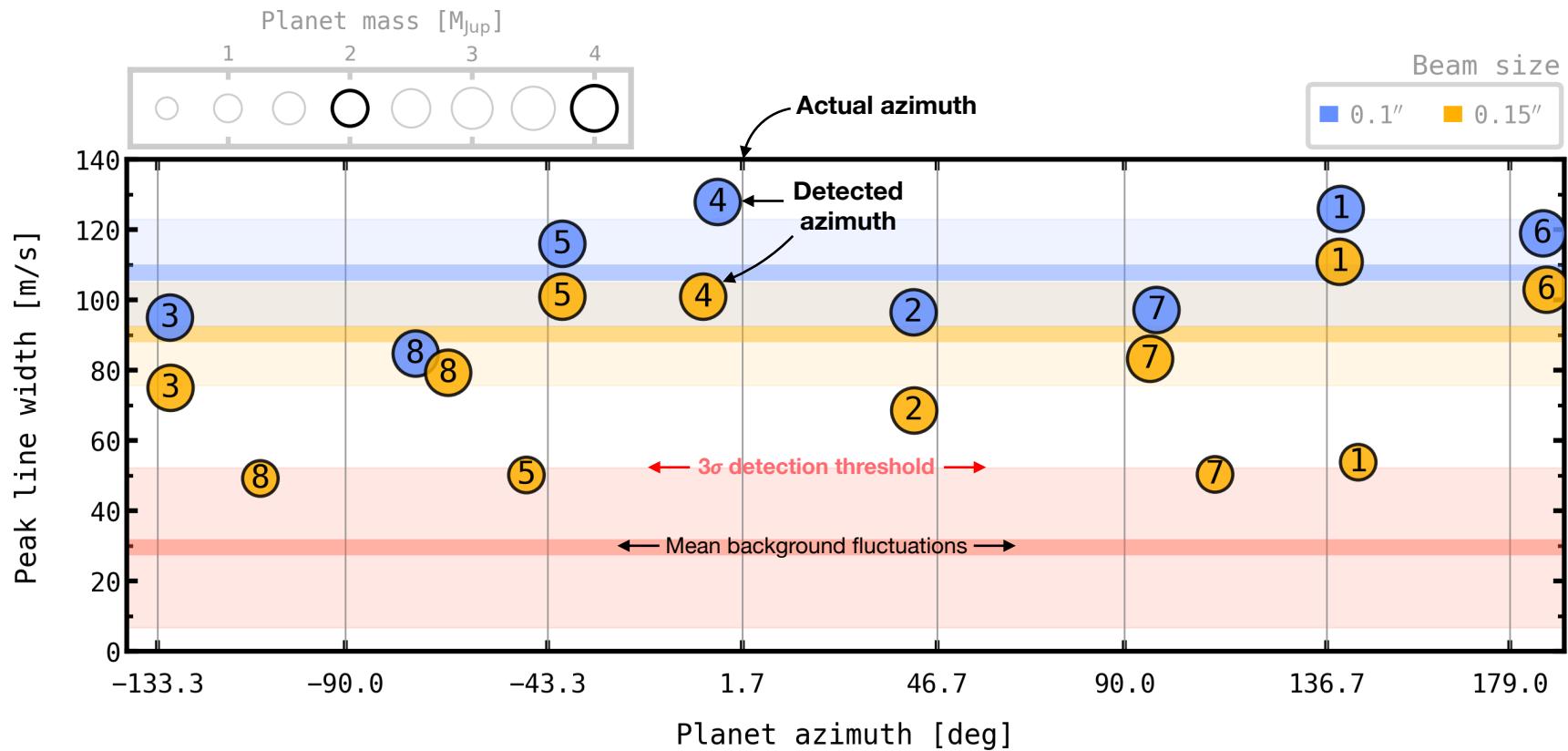
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Line widths



Izquierdo et al. (exoALMA IV), Facchini et al. (exoALMA TBD)

Peak line width vs planet azimuth and mass



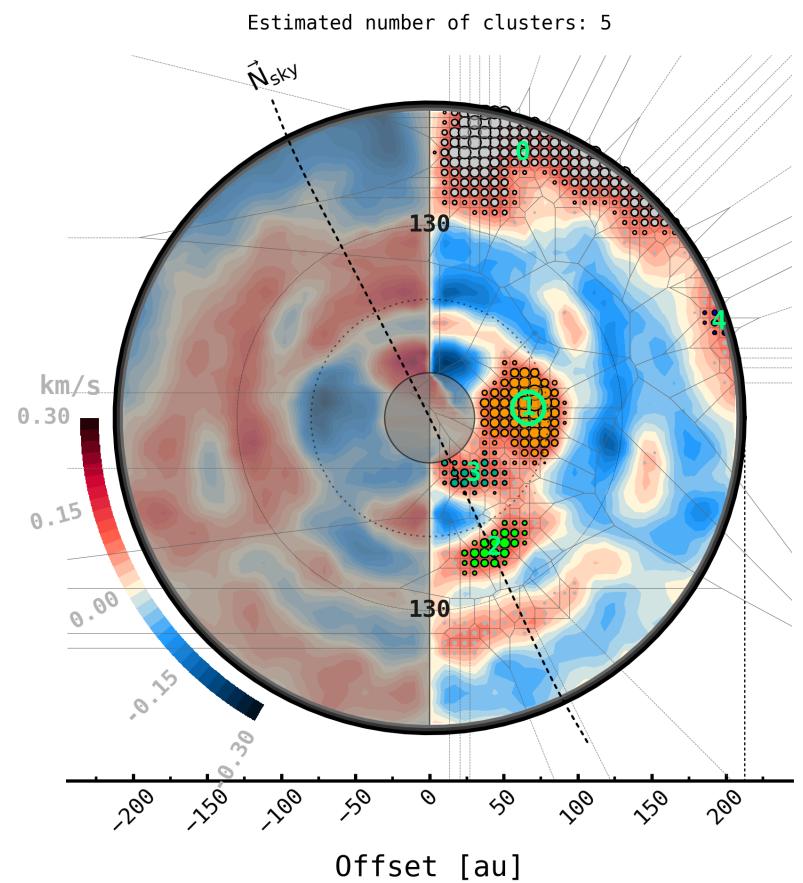
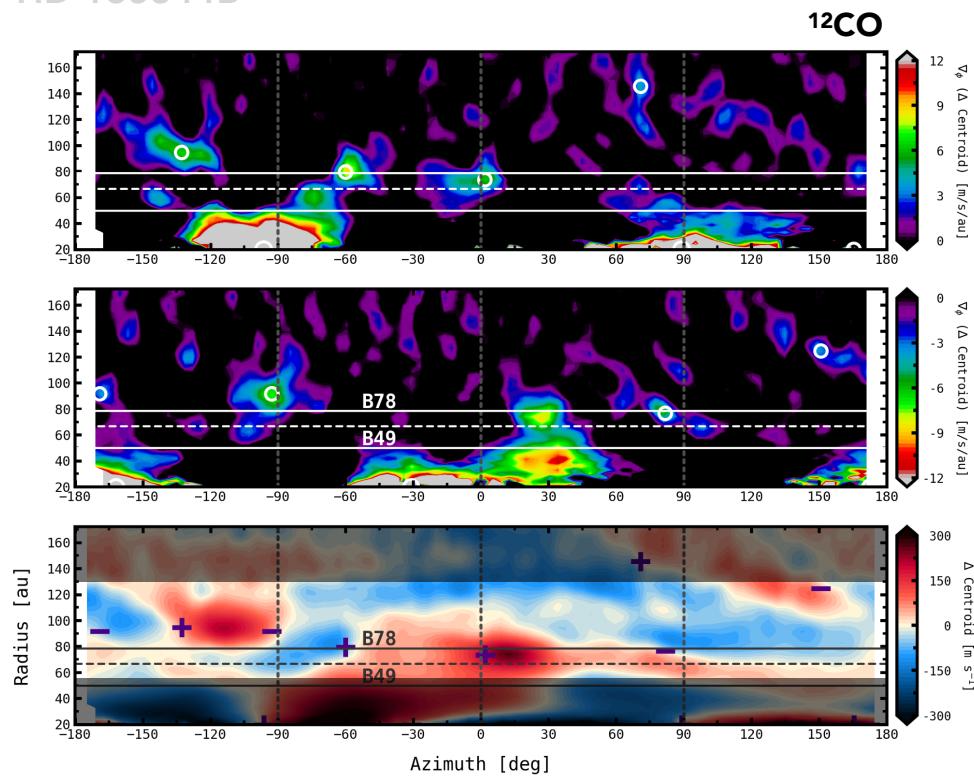
Detection technique yields a precision of ~5deg and ~10 au.

Minimum recoverable planet mass ~2M_{Jup}

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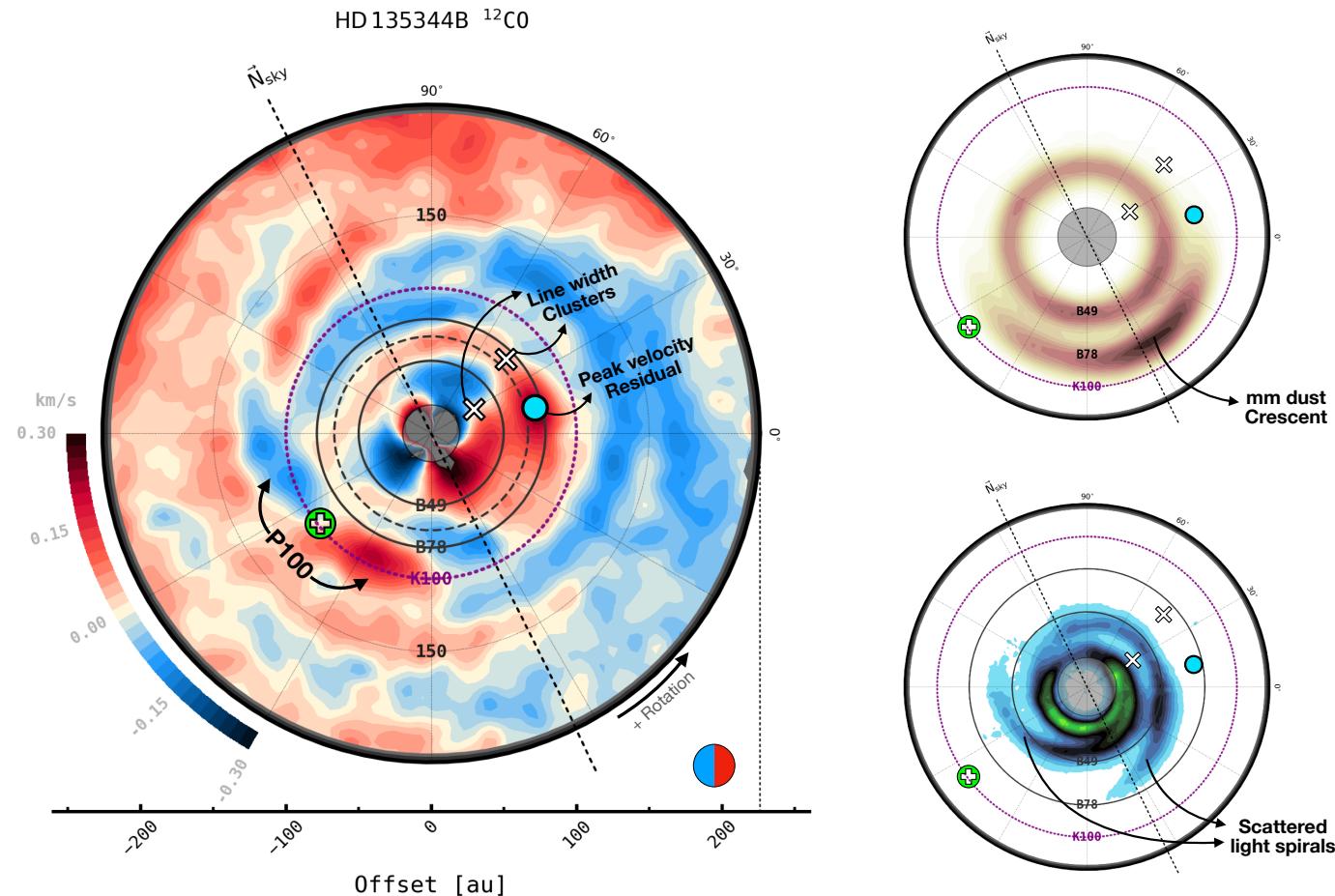
Currently looking for planet signals in exoALMA targets

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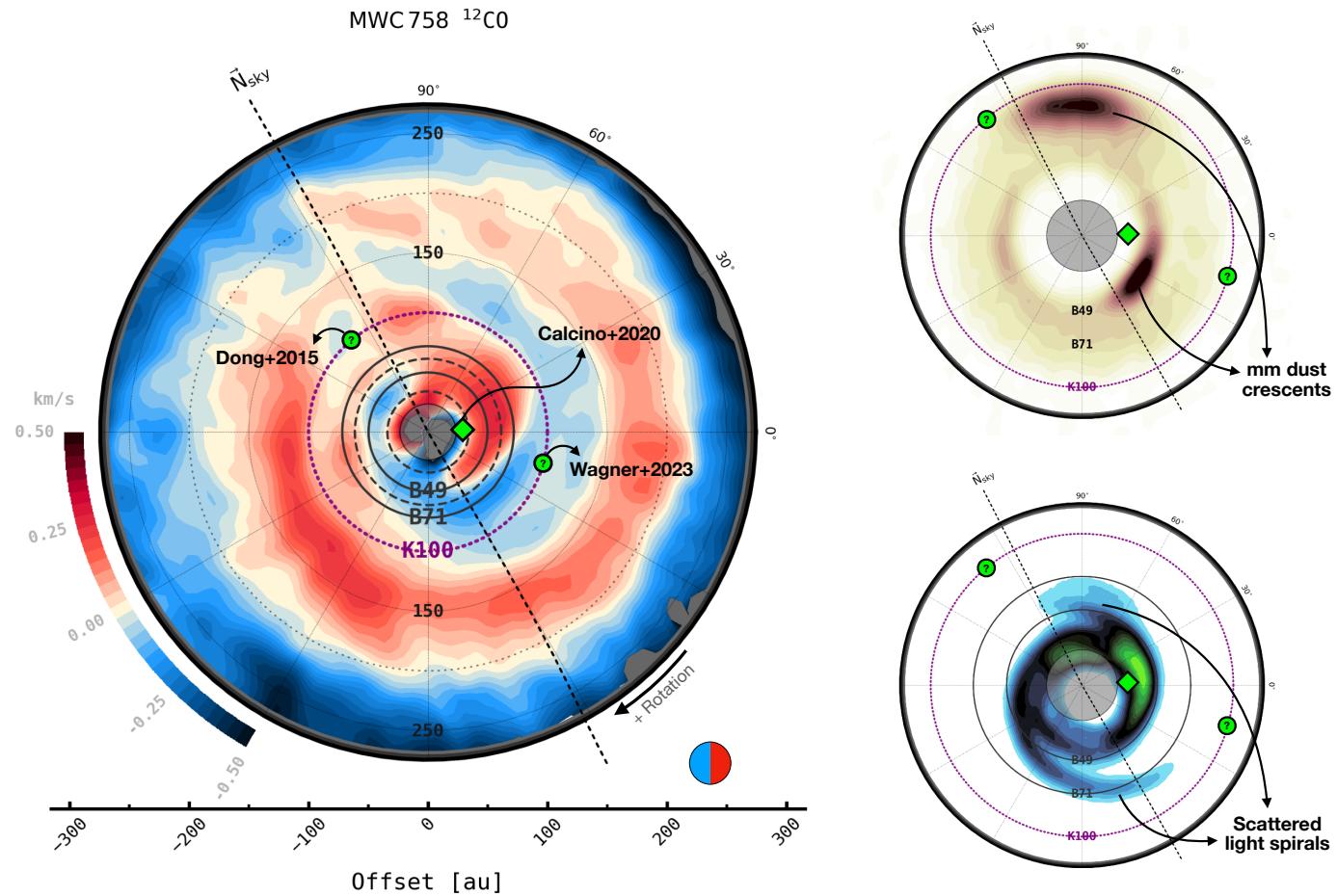
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HD135344B: Localised signatures in the vicinity of dust substructures



Izquierdo et al. (exoALMA IV), Facchini et al. (exoALMA TBD)

MWC758: Large-scale signatures; inner massive companions?

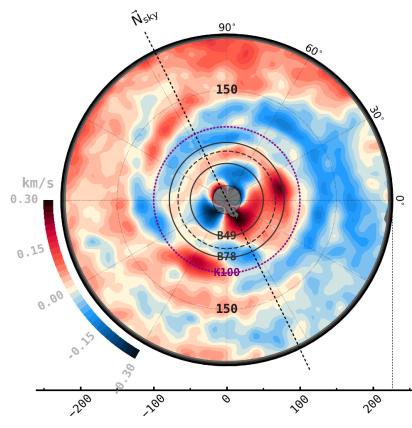


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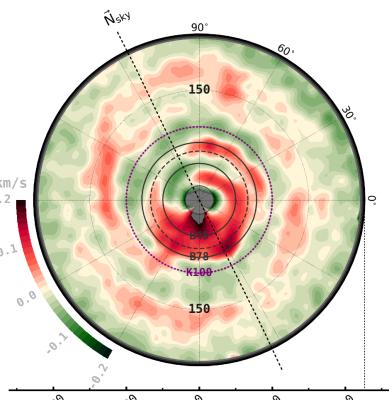
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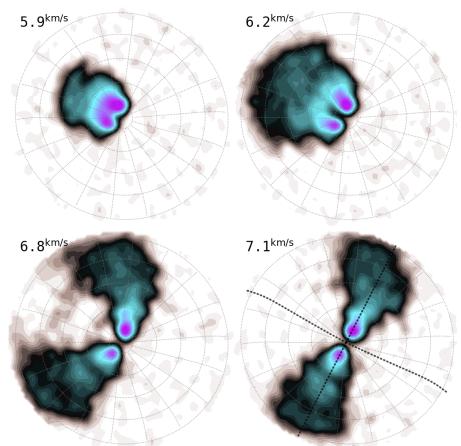
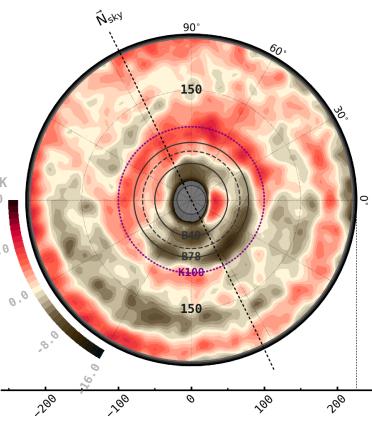
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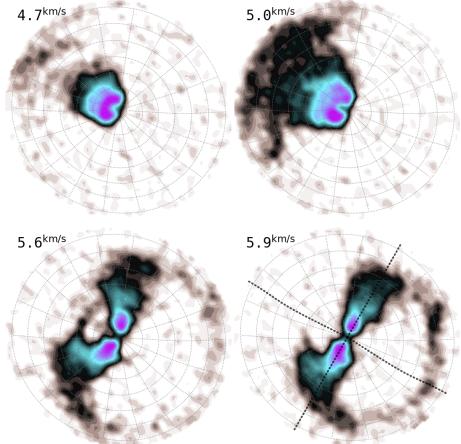
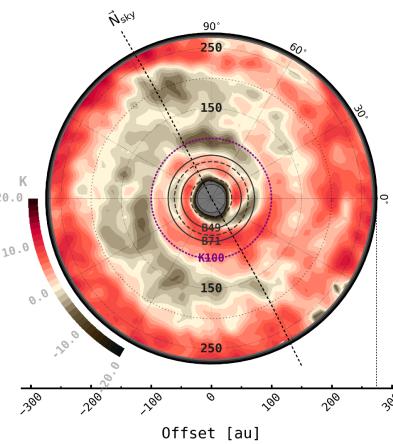
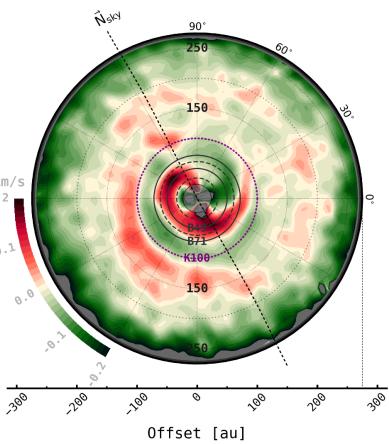
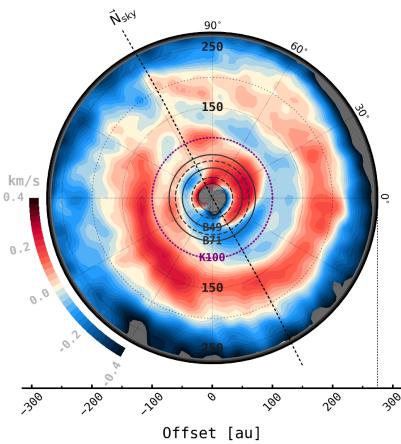
Line width



Peak intensity



MWC 758



Summary

- ✓ The majority of our discs are exceptionally dynamic. Nearly all discs appear to host gas temperature and kinematic substructures.
- ✓ Precise mapping of multiple molecular lines allows us to **hunt for planets** and to perform a **3D tomography** of the **disc's physical structure**.
- ✓ Line broadening is a solid tracer of planets. When coupled with velocity analysis, it provides a robust method to determine both planet **azimuth** and **radial location**.



[First wave of papers expected early 2025]



