

MAGIX

A Generic Framework for Science Analysis and Modelling

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Prototype DALIA

MOTIVATIONS FOR A GENERIC INTERFACE

Models difficult to use

Need to learn a format or a language

Some models are complementary but implemented in different environments, e. g. :
dynamics+chemistry+radiative transfer

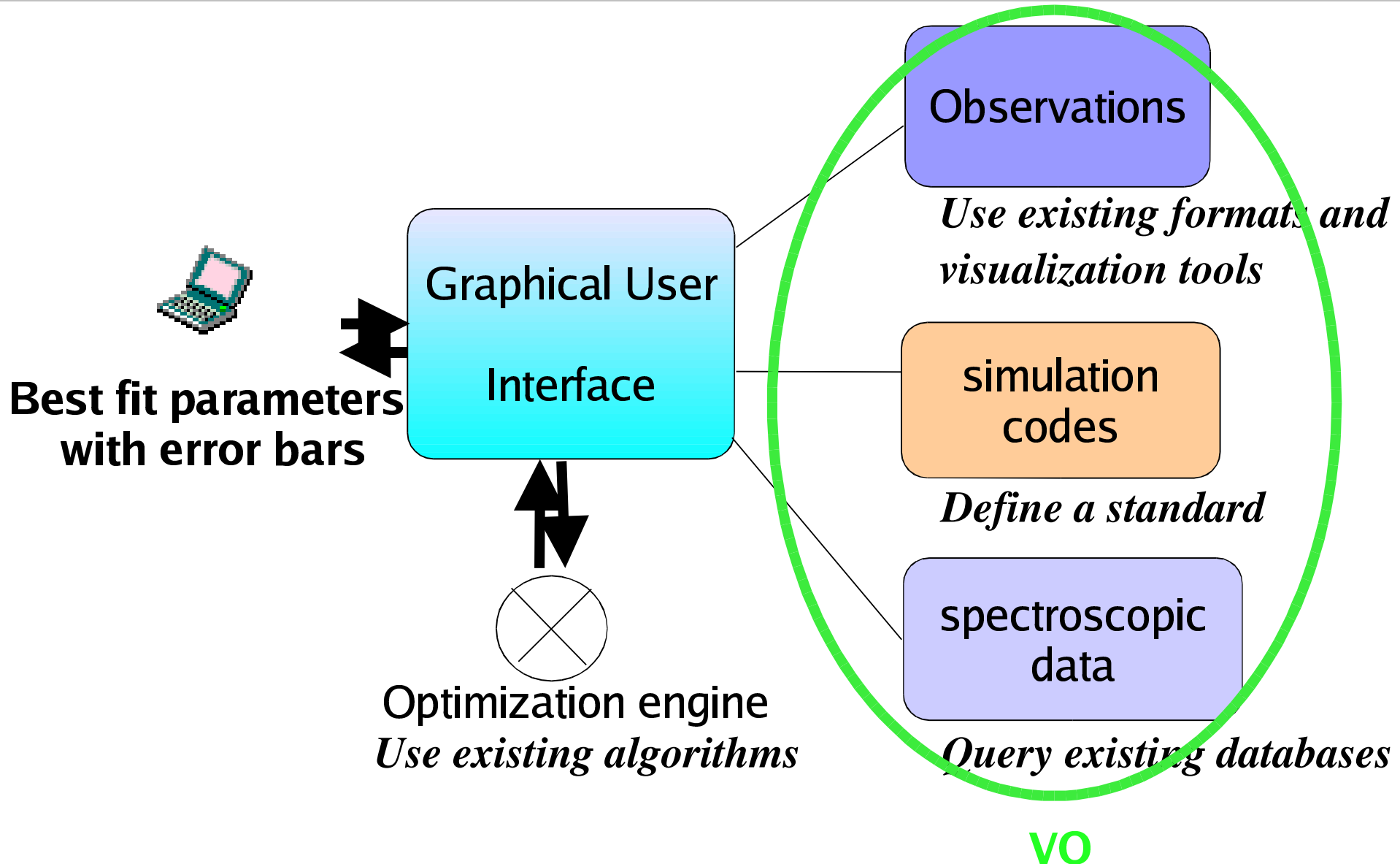
Common needs

Optimization loop to fit the model to the data
with **constraints** and error estimation

Interactivity (control the model parameters)

Spectroscopic data --> query spectro databases

A GENERIC INTERFACE FOR MODELIZATION



THE PROTOTYPE, DALIA

Main functionalities

Edit parameters of a model to create a first guess

Fit the model to the data (1D, 2D, 3D) via optimization

Constrain the parameters

Include spectroscopic data from molecular databases

Allow to introduce any new model code (Fortran, C...)

Implementation

GUI in JAVA

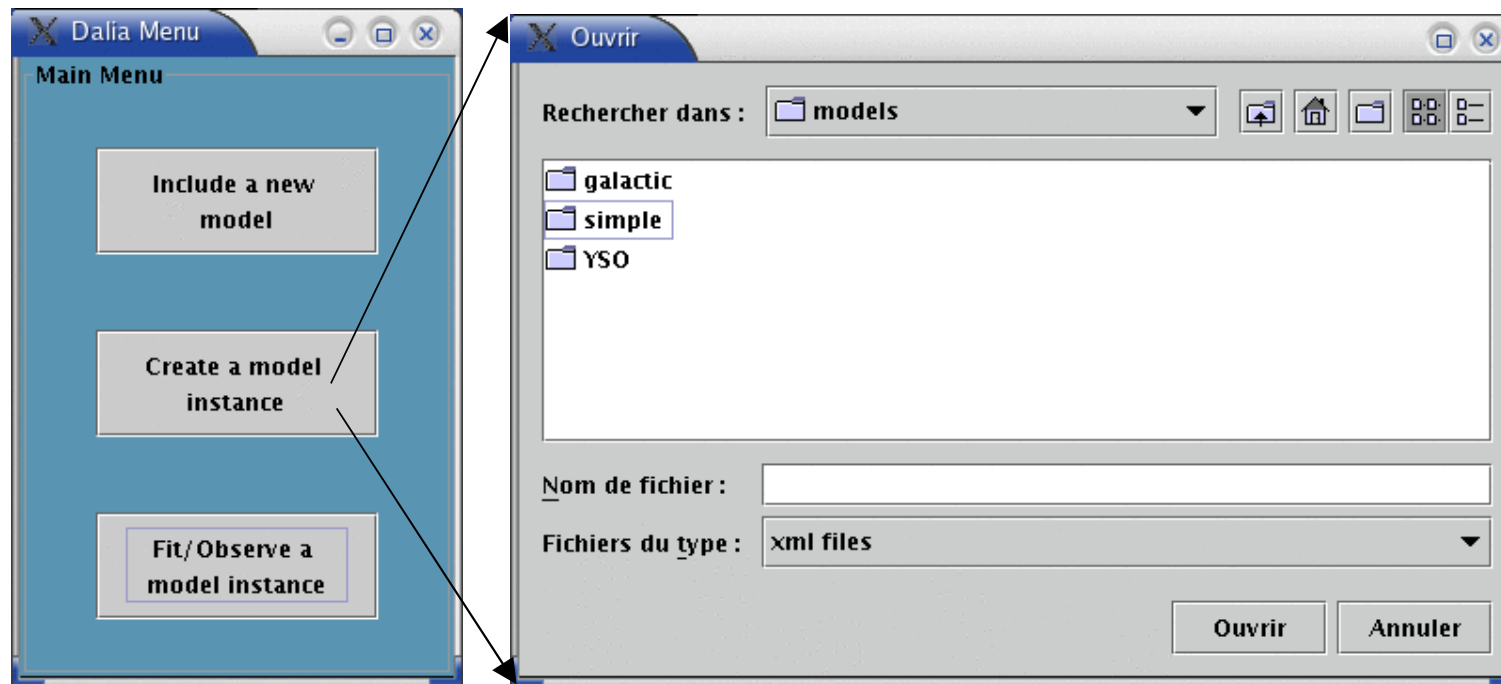
Description of simulation codes in XML following a “schema”

Interface GUI/models: ASCII for params and FITS for data

Visualization: Specview (spectra) imageJ (2d & 3d)

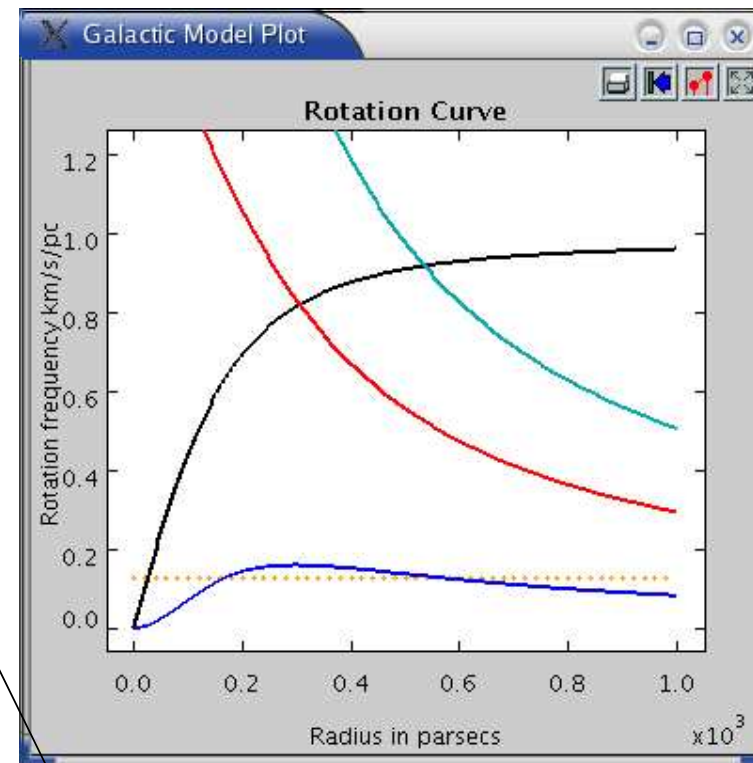
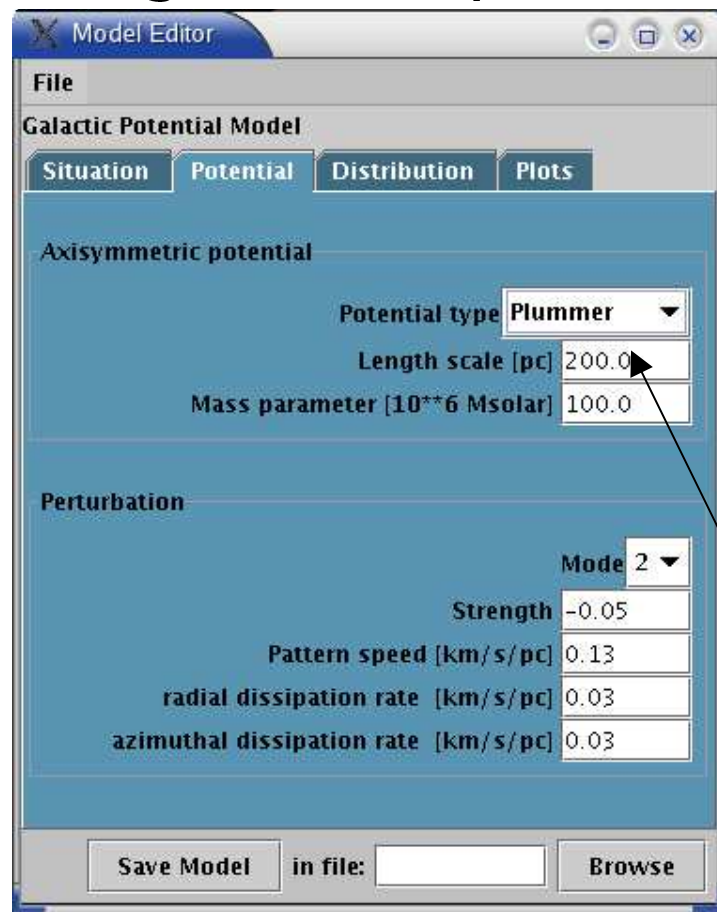
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Create a model instance (first guess)



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- Create a model instance of a galactic model
GUI generated by the XML description of the simulation code



Choices

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Data Dialog

spectrum

spectrum.fits

Load a n

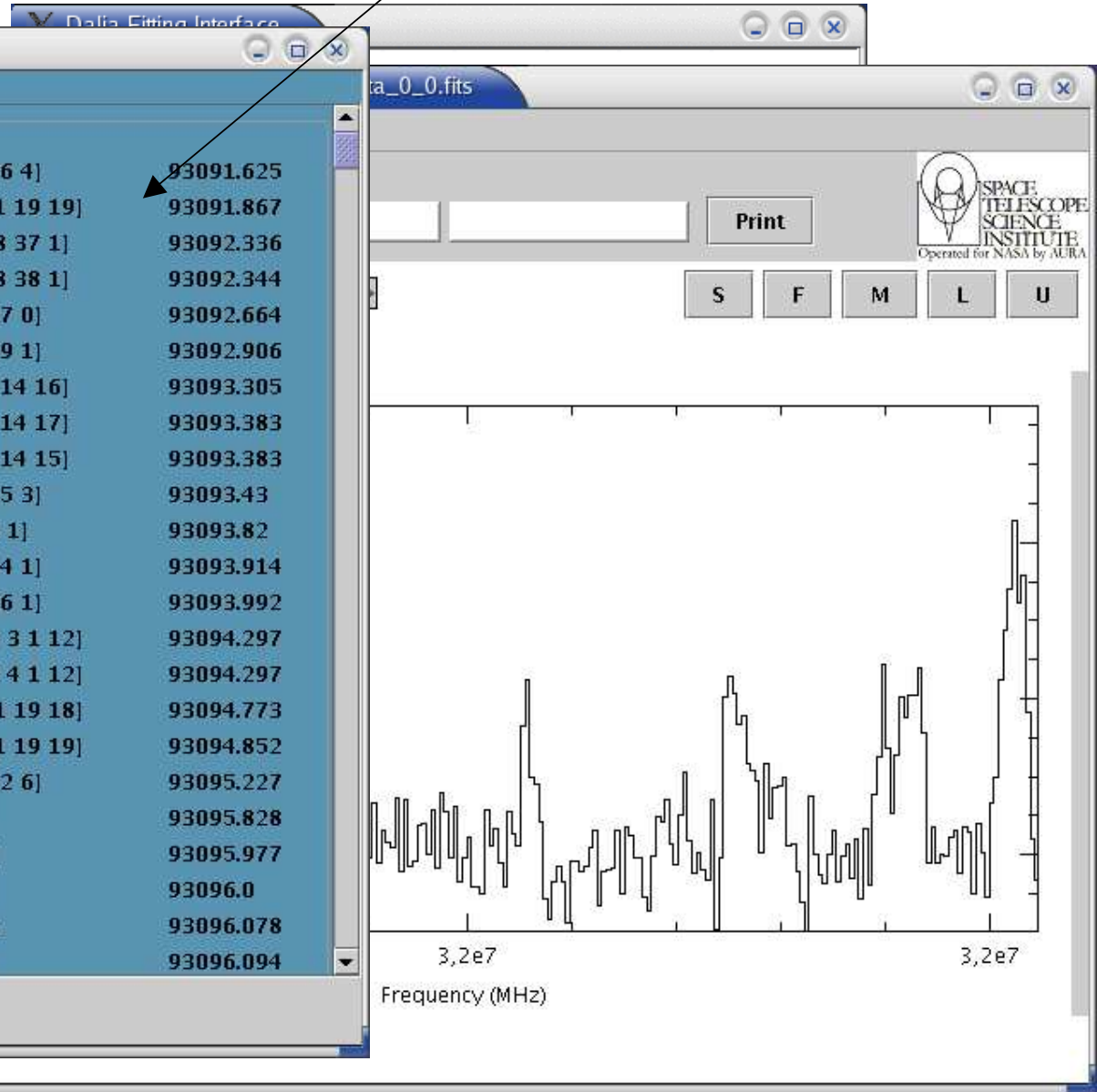
Spectral lines Dialog

spectrum.fits

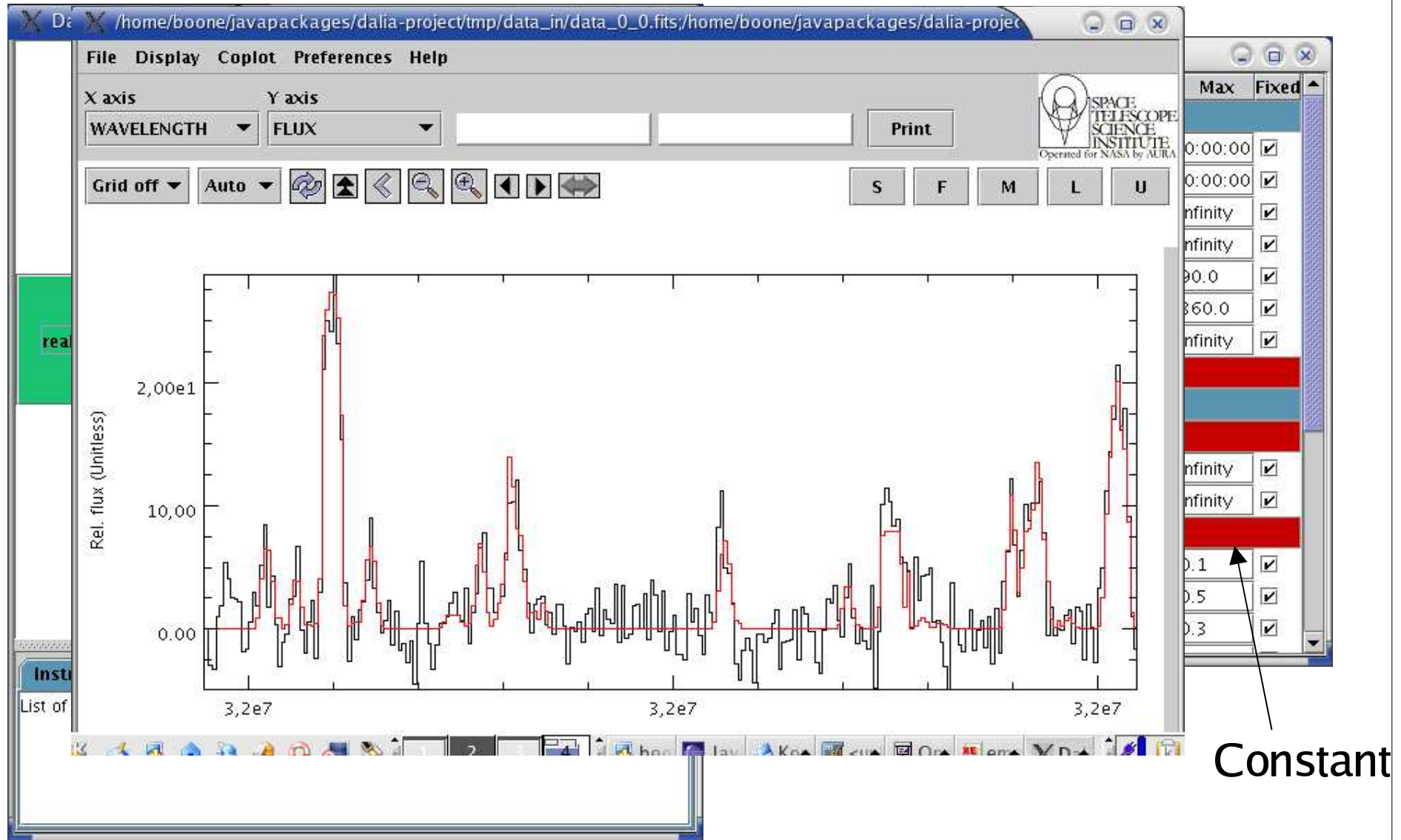
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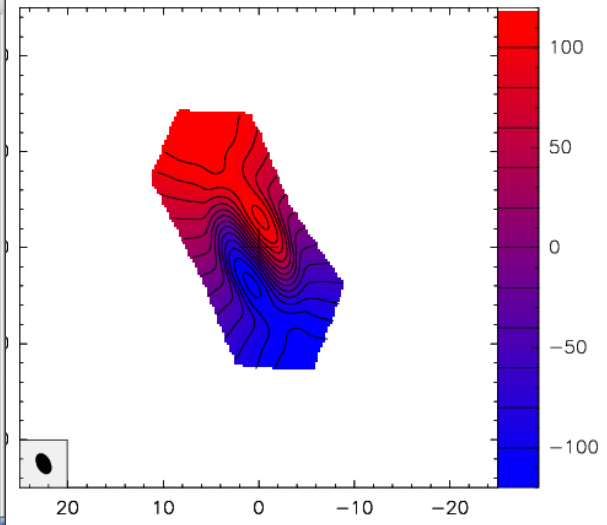
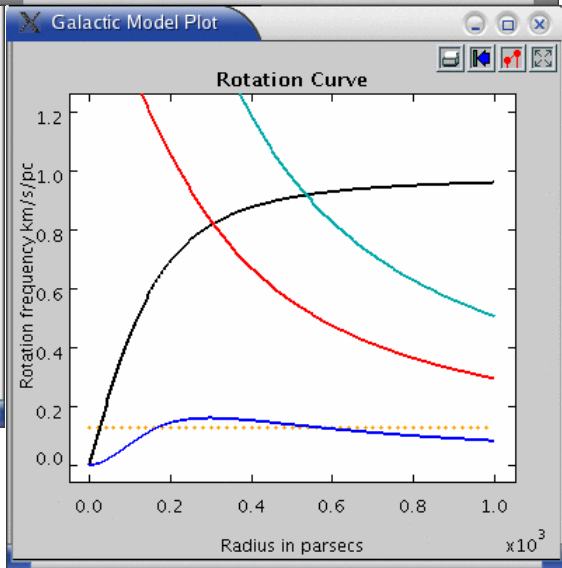
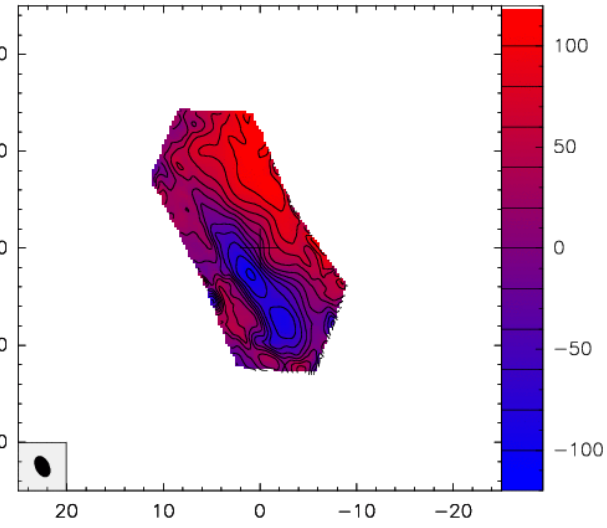
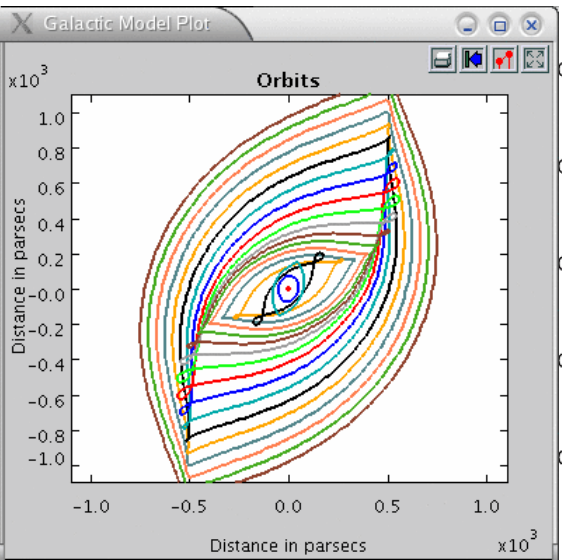
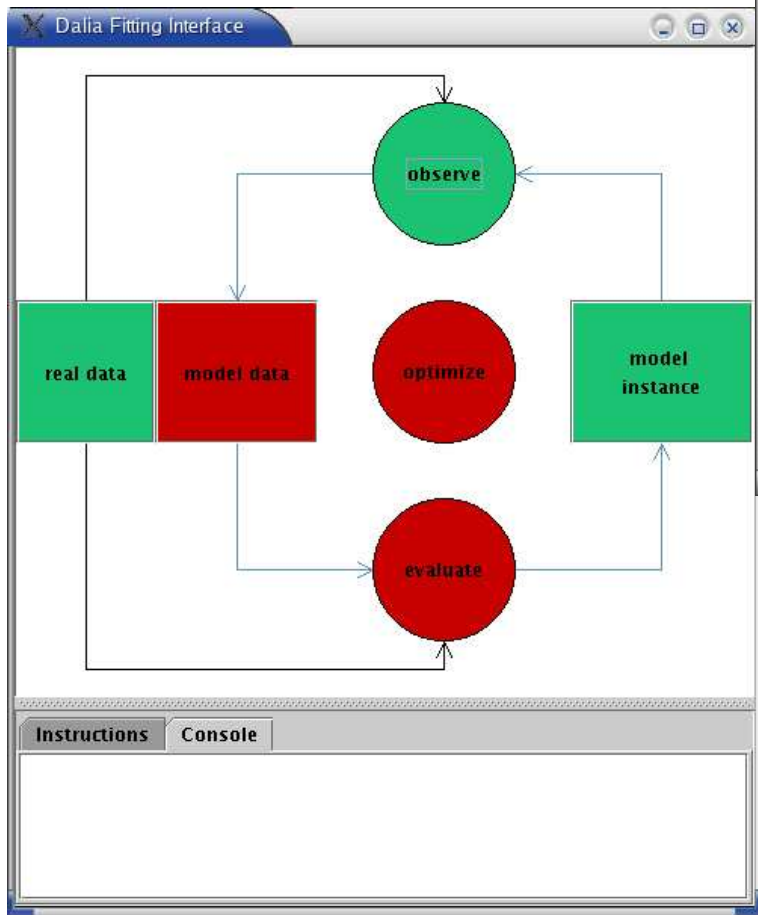


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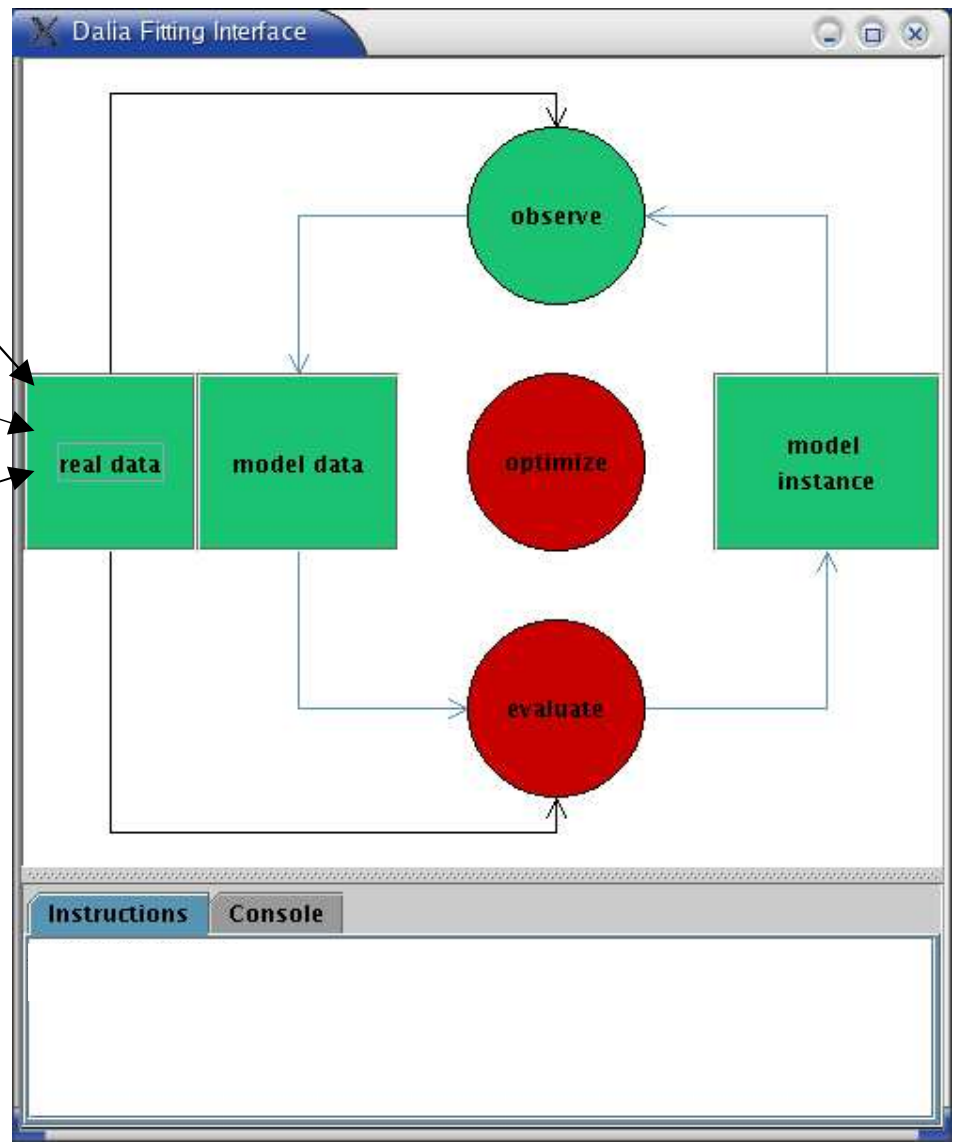
NGC 4569



CO(3-2)
SMA

CO(2-1)
PdBI

CO(1-0)
PdBI



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IVOA standard

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MOTIVATIONS FOR SHARING SIMULATION CODES

Same motivation as for data sharing

Allow multiwavelength and large number statistics

--> multiwavelength and “multi-physics” analysis

Check published results

--> reproducibility of theoretical models

Rewarding for instrument developers

--> rewarding for code publishers

+ required by data sharing

Many different physical processes covered by data

CHALLENGES

Same as for data sharing

Some don't like to share data with other teams (a few only)

--> some do not like to share their code (great majority!)

Data can be misinterpreted by non-specialists ("dangerous")

--> simulation codes can be misused by non-specialists

Need to define standards

Additional problems specific to codes

Need to define 2 standards: code description AND protocol

Binaries can not be standard: portability

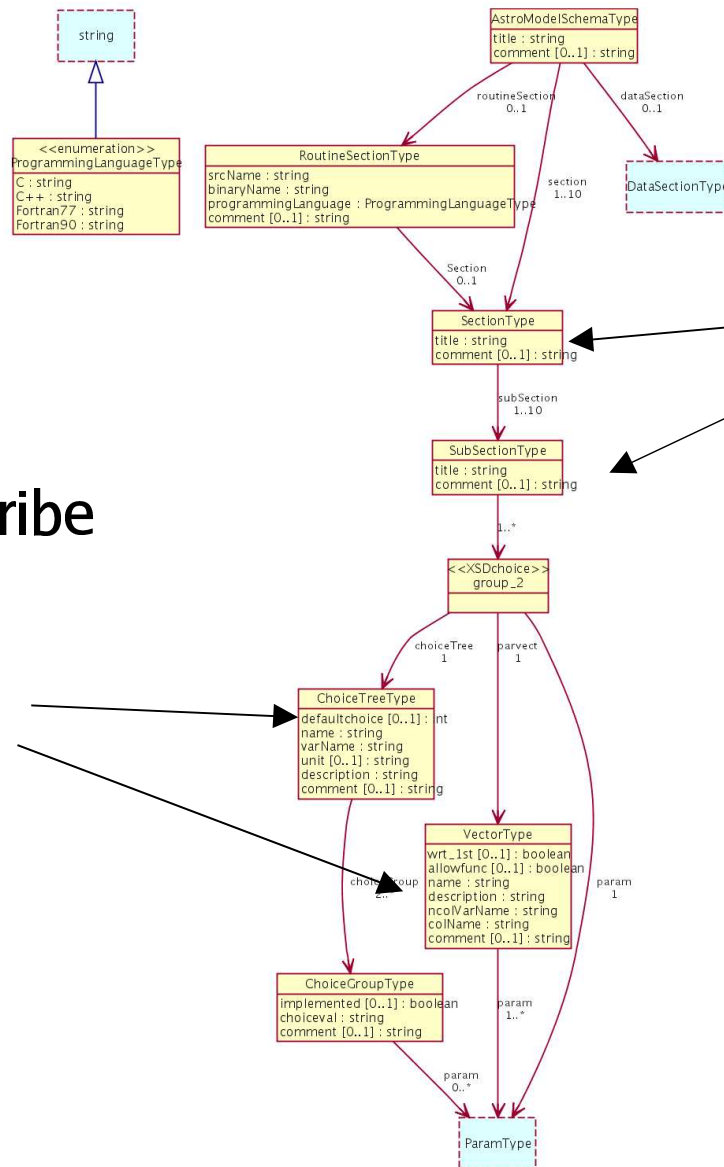
Different types of information required

- Inputs related to the *astrophysical source*
inclination, size of disk etc...
- Inputs related to *instrumental effects*
psf, etc ...
- Inputs related to the *algorithm* used in the code
number of particles
--> New data model for parameter sets
- Inputs related to general *knowledge in physics*
frequency(ies) of the transition(s) considered (H α or CO etc...) for the emission
--> Point to Atomic Line data model (e.g. Dubernet et al)
- Output dataset(s)
number of axes, nature of axes, ...
--> Point to Characterisation, Spectrum data models

Parameter Model Requirements

- To **structure** the parameter set (Sections, Subsections...)
--> The code provider may structure the parameters according to their physical meaning to help the user to catch the physics behind
- Allow for **dynamical** description
 - Hierarchy (a parameter determines a subset of parameters)
 - Tables (several parameters can be vectors of variable length)
- Allow **information on the numerical code** (program) to be included (native language, variable names used in the code)
--> help user/application to implement protocol for data exchange with code (generate pieces of codes in the native language)

The UML Schema

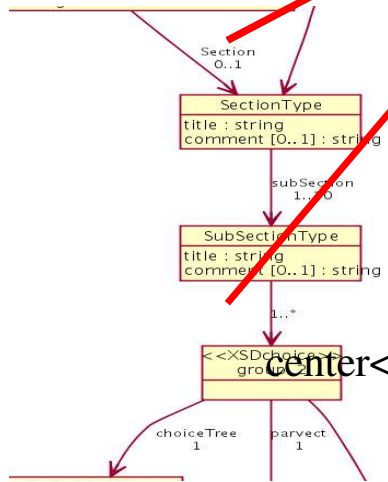


Objects to structure the description of parameter sets

Objects to describe dynamical parameter sets

Structured parameter set

UML



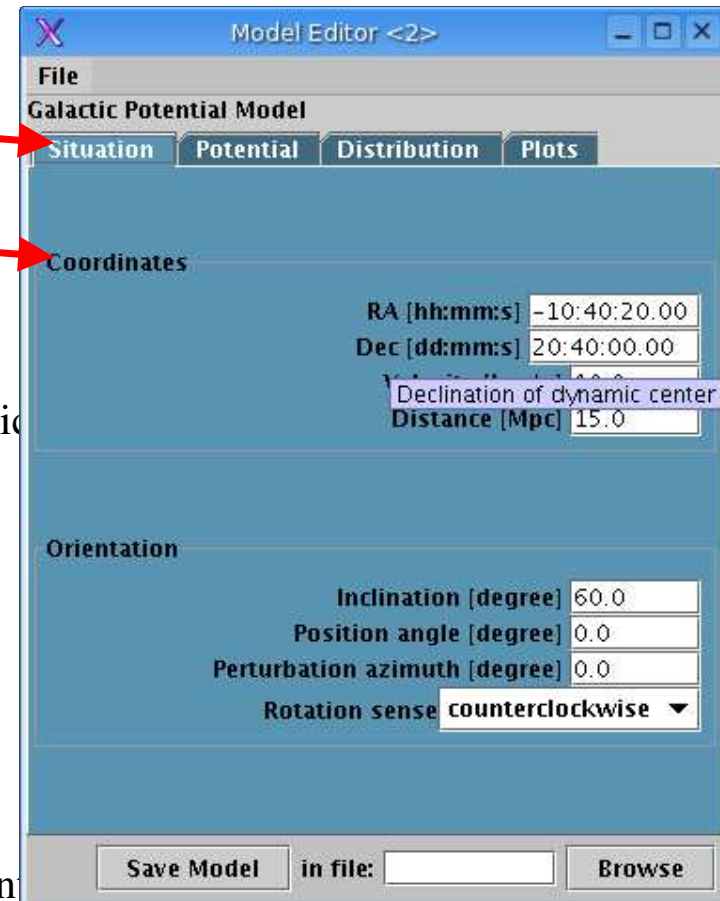
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DALIA GUI

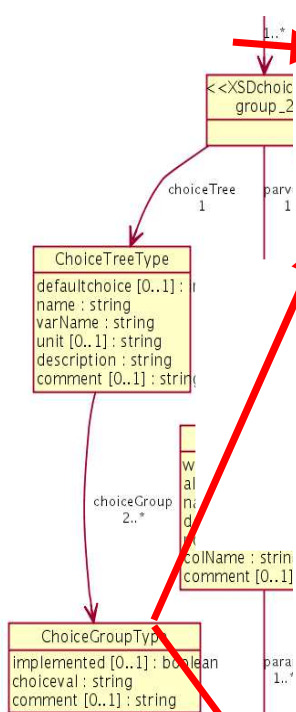


Hierarchy in a dynamical parameter set

UML

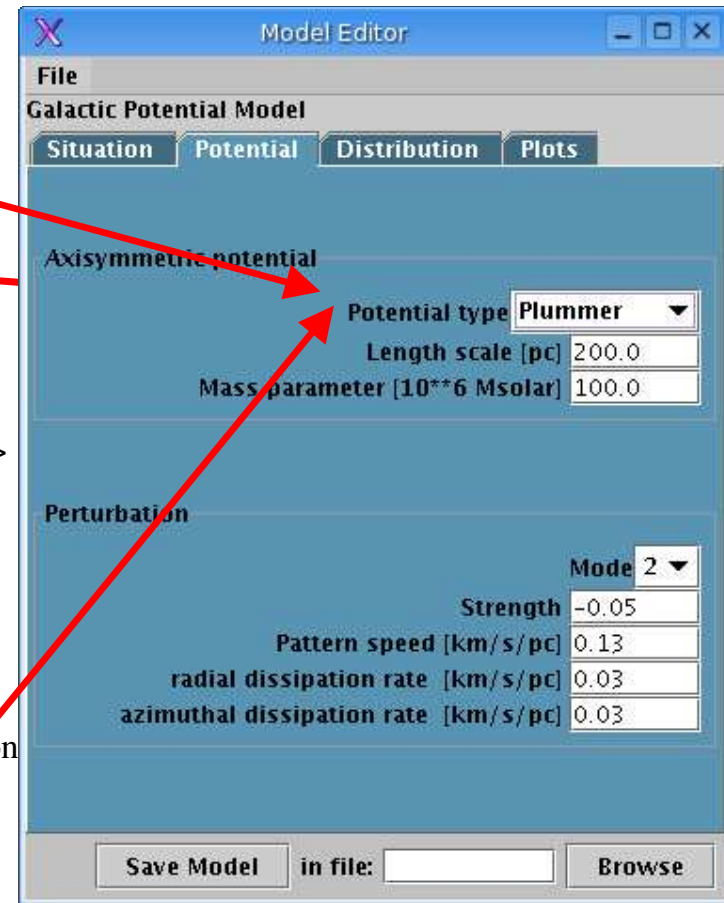
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DALIA GUI



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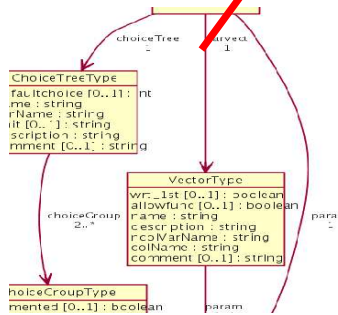


Dynamical table of parameters

UML

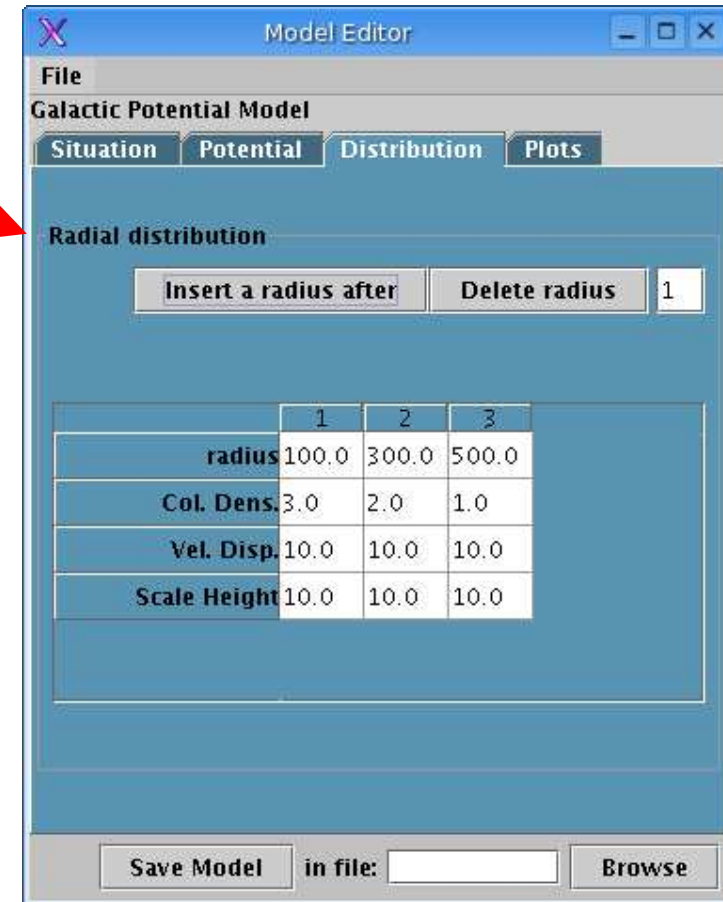
XML INSTANCE

DALIA GUI



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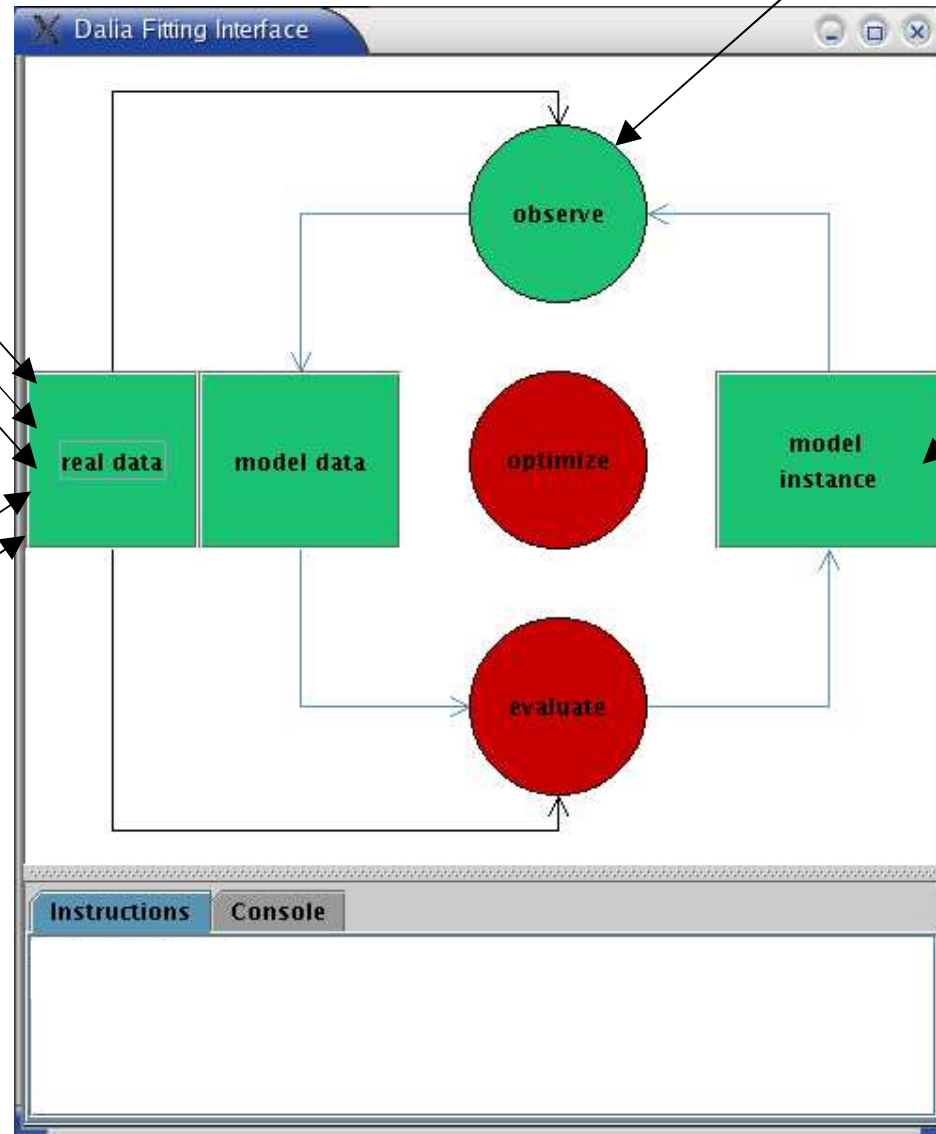
Perspectives

- Publish numerical models for data analysis through a Registry
 - Share « instances » of models in the sense of an instance of parameter set:
 - e.g. result of a model fit = values of the best fit parameters
--> need to define a data model for instances of parameter sets
- ==> share theoretical knowledge at the same level as the observations**

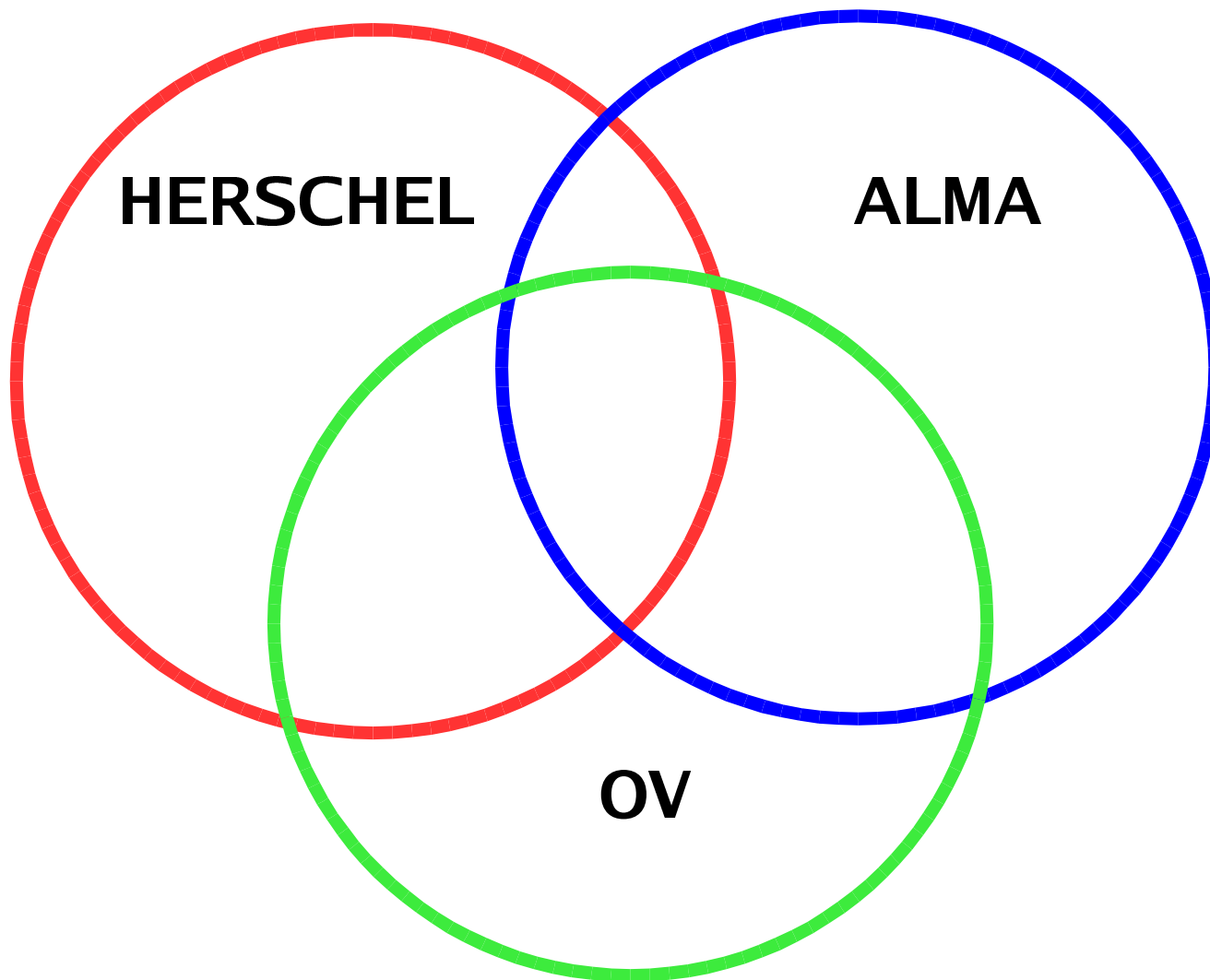
Old data from archives

Simulation code
from database

Old optimal
model instance
from archives



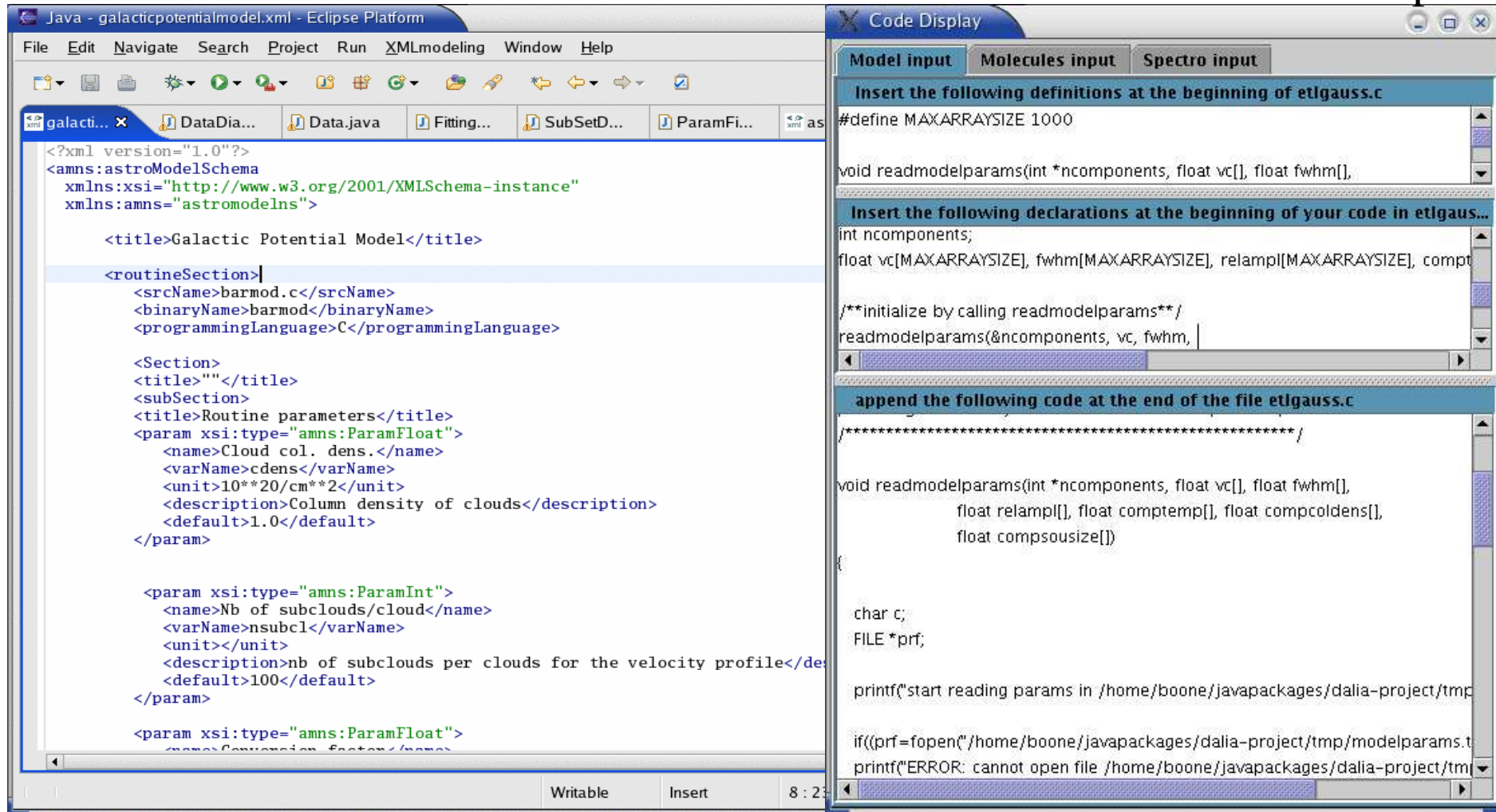
New observations



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XML file describing the model

Pieces of C-code be included in the model code to read input



Summary

- **new generation of software for science analysis and knowledge sharing**
- **a concept: “wrapping rather than re-inventing”**
- **DALIA, JAVA interface with most of the functionalities soon complete**
- **Remains to include**
 - use different models in line, e.g. Dynamics+Radiative Transfer
 - > interoperability, workflow**

Outlook

- **Generic software**

- Any data (1D, 2D, 3D,...), any model
- Standard for models --> Virtual Observatory
- Can also be used for simulation (Monte Carlo)
- All wavelengths, Not only astronomy?

- **Possible extensions**

- Association with computing resources: server (web service), paralel computing
- Association with archive facilities (VO) for the data but also for the model codes and the model instances

Outlook

- **Wish of the community to share models (?)**
- **Models should be well documented**
- **Development open to the community**
MPIfR + Observatoire de Paris +Strasbourg+...

Plateau de Bure (IRAM) 6x15m $\lambda=[1, 3]$ mm



Pico Veleta (IRAM) 30m



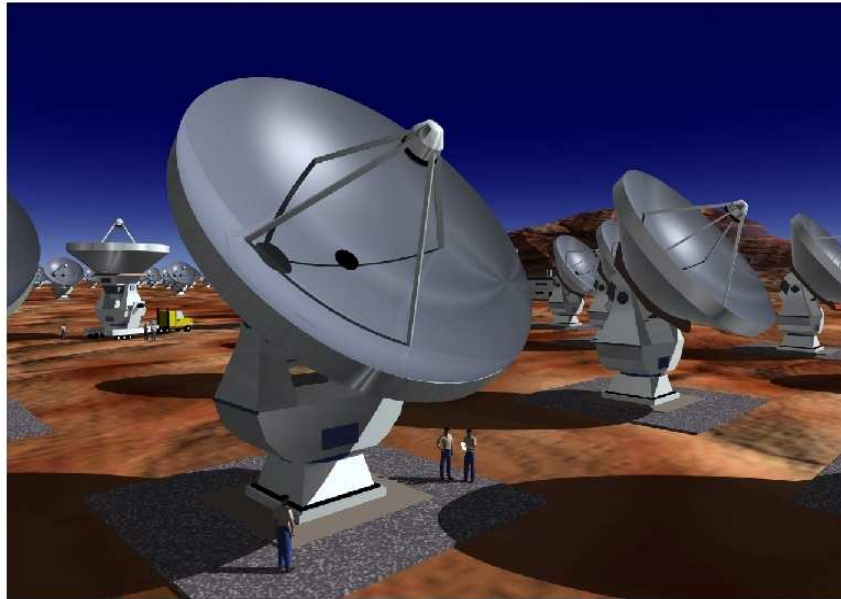
SubMillimeter Array (Harvard+Taiwan) 8x6m $\lambda=[0.3, 1.7]$ mm



Atacama Pathfinder Experiment (MPIfR+ESO) 12m $\lambda=[0.3, 1]$ mm



Atacama Large Millimeter Array 64x12m $\lambda=[10, 0.35]$ mm



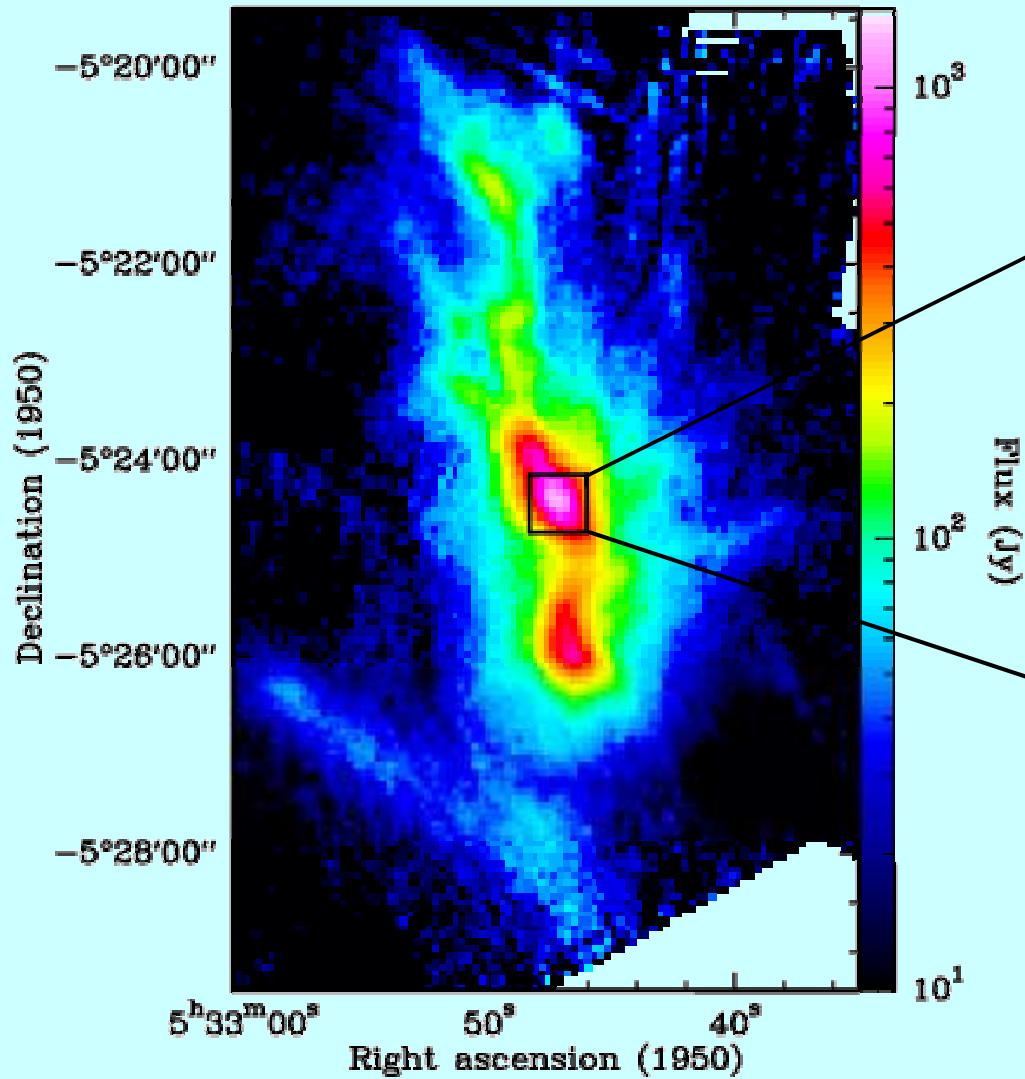
Herschel (ESA) 3.5m $\lambda=[60, 670]$ mu



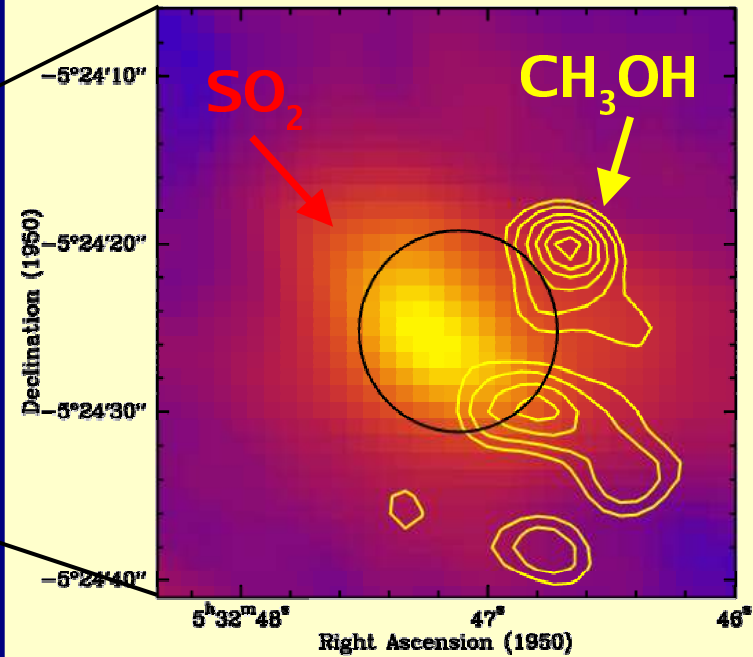
Example I – Line surveys

- **Early stage of star formation: Hot Core**
 - Extremely rich chemistry triggered by high temperature and density and enriched by the evaporation of the icy mantles of grains
-> “line forest”
 - Submm range privileged:
 - High energy transitions
 - Light hybrids (OH, CH, H₂O...) have fundamental level in submm
 - Infrared pumping -> measure of background

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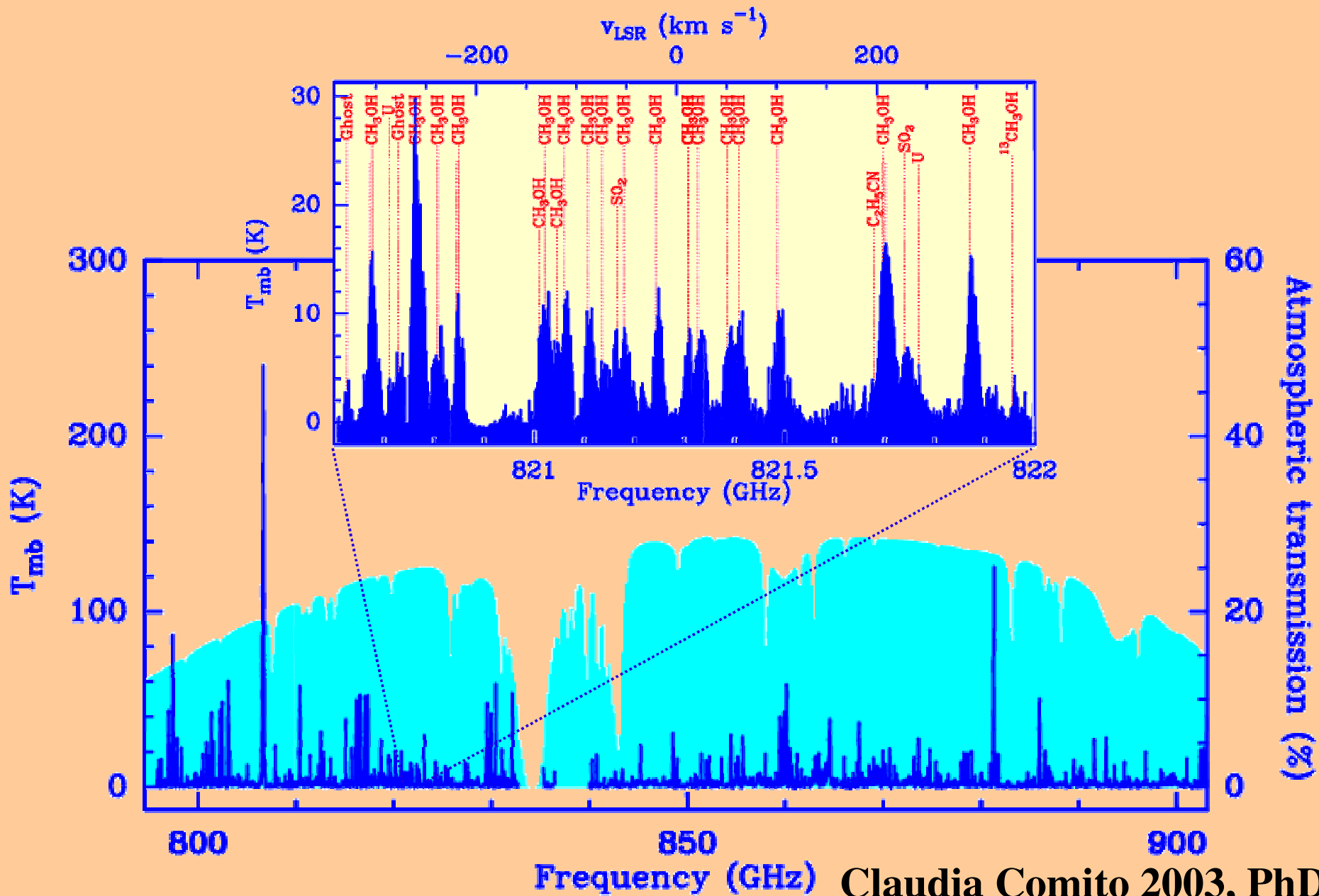


Lis et al., 1998

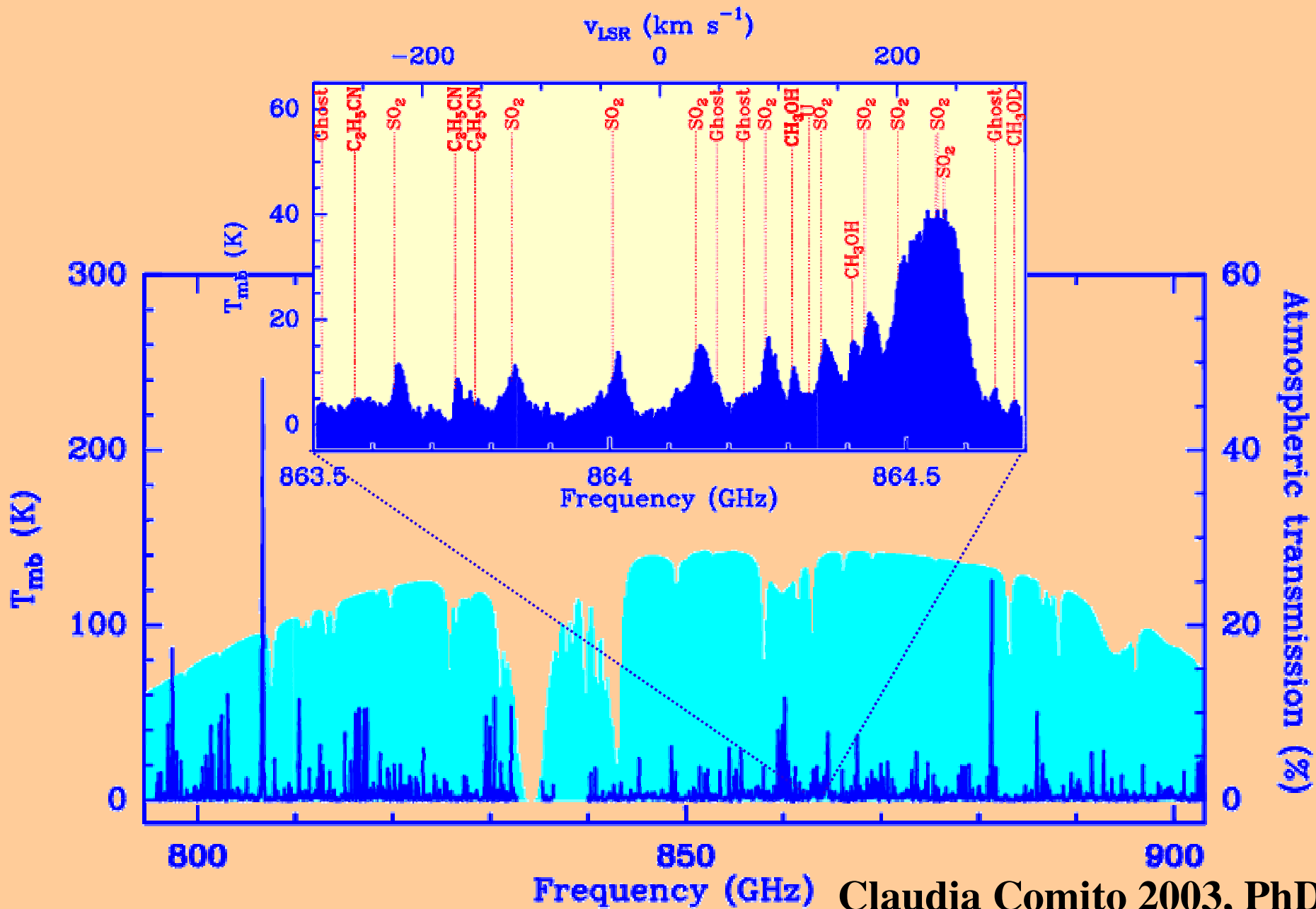


Wright et al., 1996

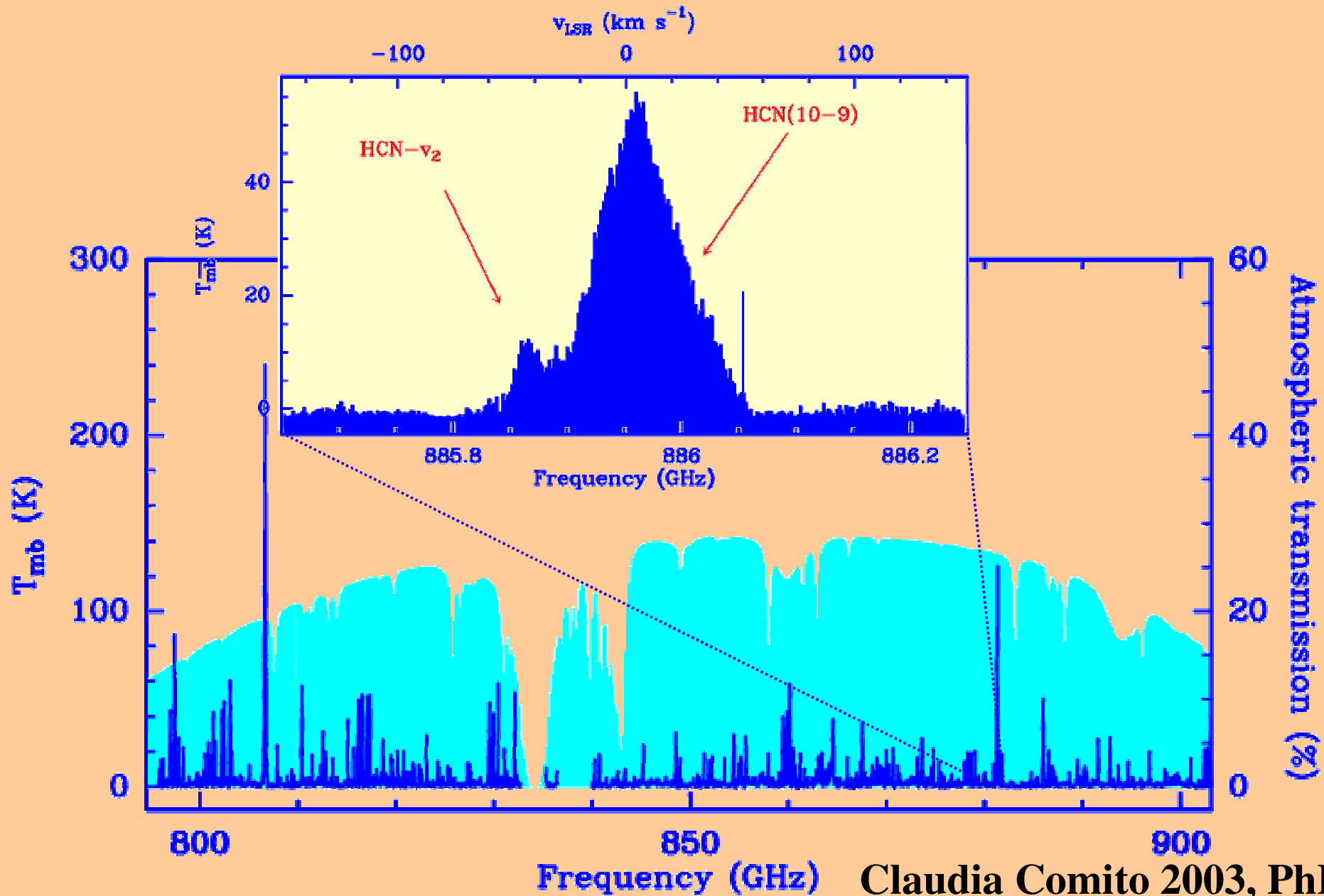
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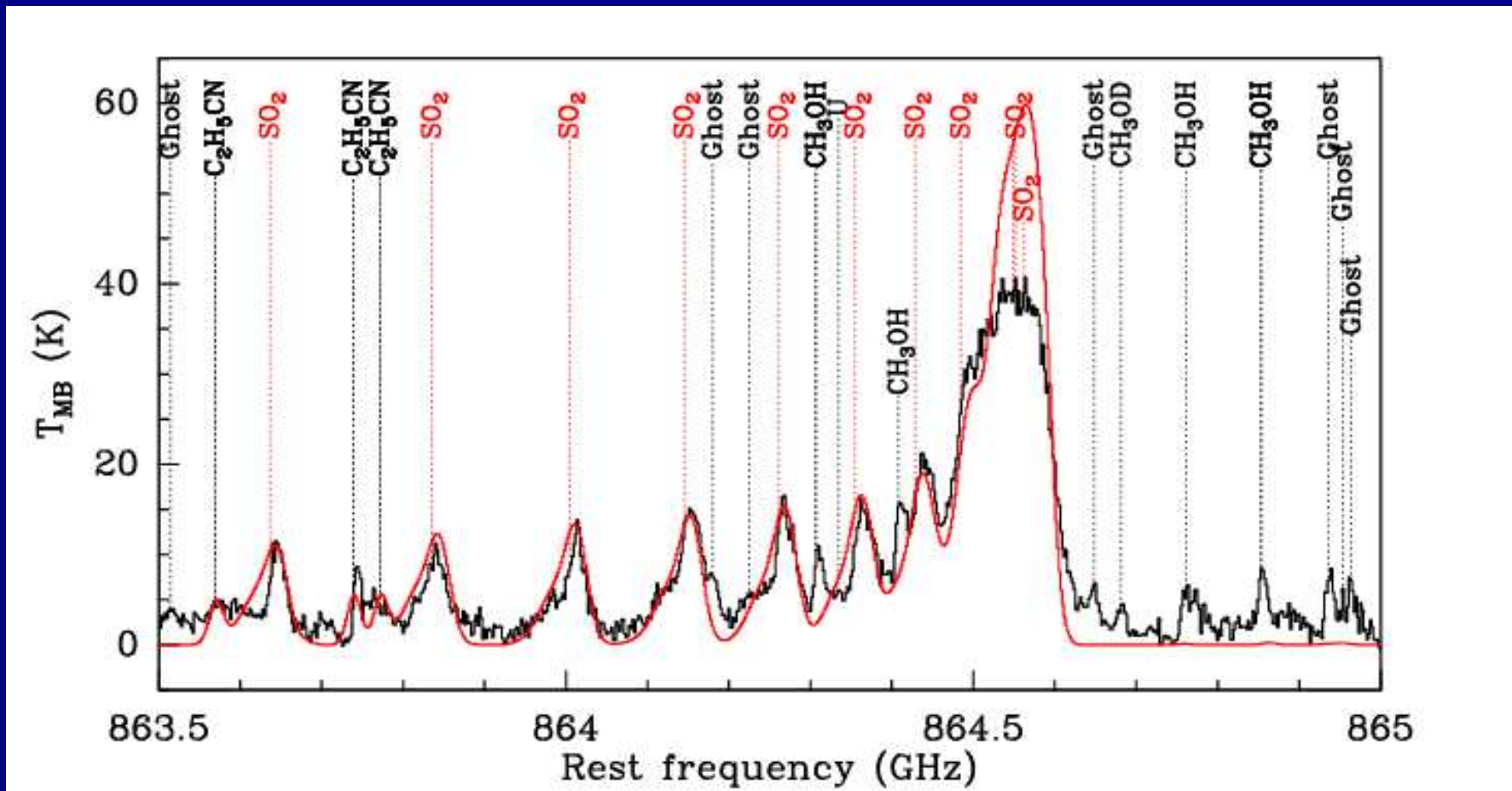


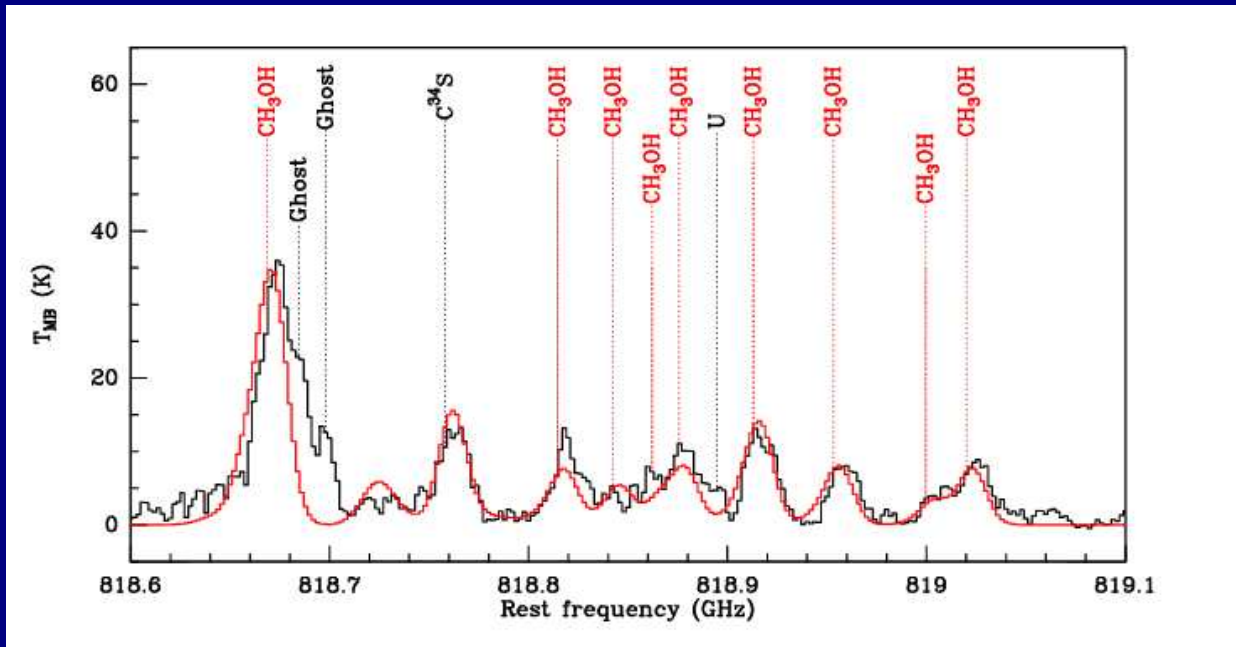
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ANALYSIS OF THE DATA

- ✓ *the whole spectrum is fitted at once (Schilke et al. 1997)*
- ✓ *LTE using molecular database (JPL, Cologne)*
- ✓ *fits source size, T_{ex} , column density, line width and velocity*
- ✓ *fits all lines of a species and isotopomers at once
⇒ takes intra-species line blends and optical depth effects explicitly into account!*
- ✓ *fits all species at once ⇒ takes inter-species line blends into account!*

GOOD FIT: SO₂

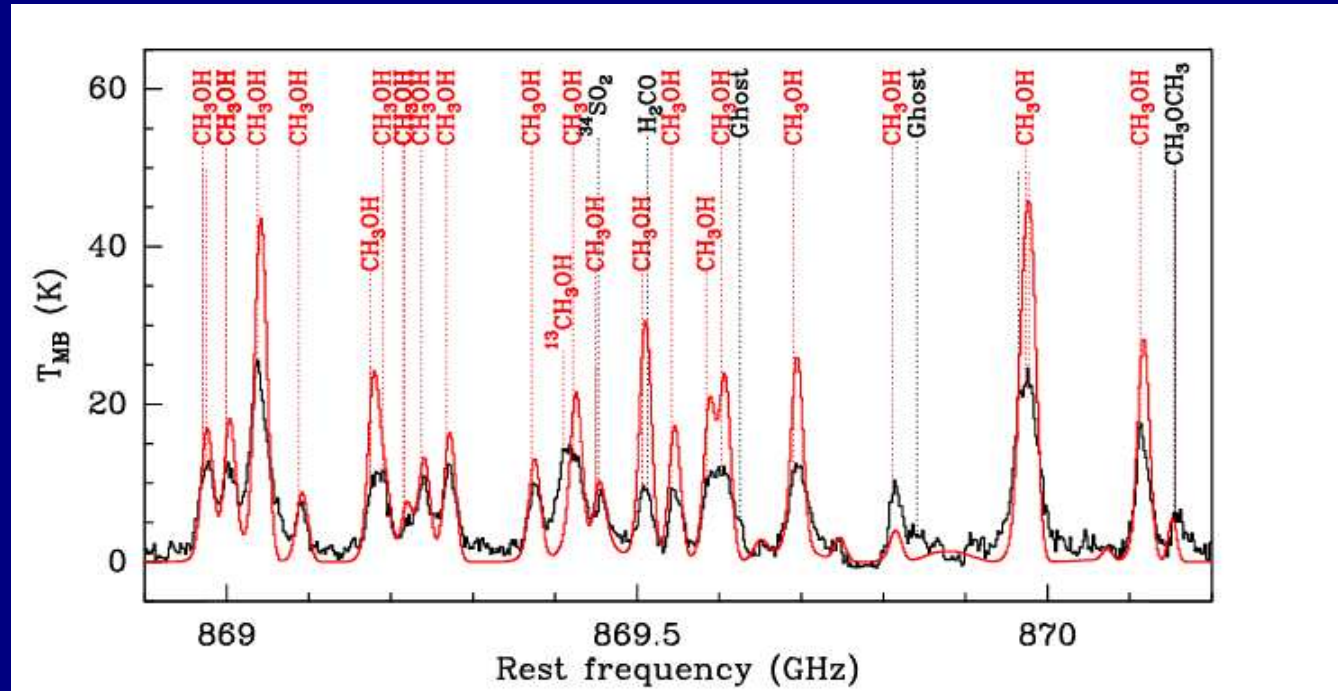




CH₃OH:

← GOOD FIT...

... AND BAD FIT -->



850-GHz SURVEY: HIGHLIGHTS

*With the CSO, we have surveyed the molecular emission of Orion-KL in the 850-GHz band (HPBW=11"). **First systematic study in this frequency range!***

- ✓ *541 features, 929 transitions from 26 species: even at 350 micron, **very rich spectrum!** Orion-KL "prototypical hot core"??*
- ✓ *Cooling mostly via SO_2 , CH_3OH emission. CO , SO , HCN , H_2CO also contribute significantly.*
- ✓ *Emission from heavy molecules dominating at lower frequencies (e.g., $HCOOCH_3$) disappears. **Small hydrides (H_2CO , H_2S , HDO ...) kick in!***

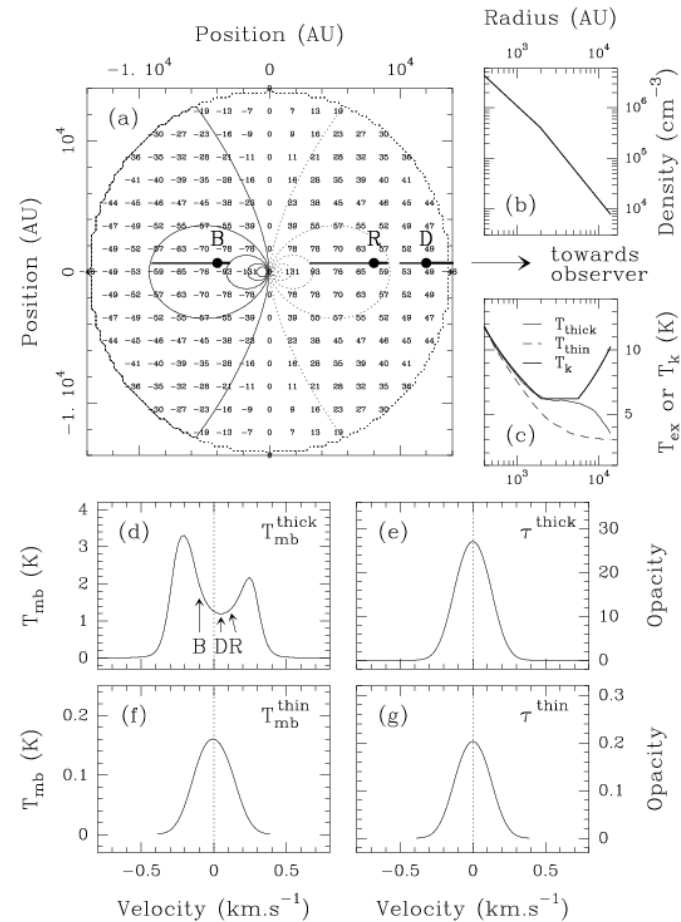
850-GHz SURVEY: HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ *Chemical dichotomy Hot Core – Compact Ridge well represented in the data (complex O-bearing molecules associated with CR, N-bearing species associated with HC).*
- ✓ *First detections: HNCO ($K_a=1\rightarrow 0$) transitions @902 GHz trace the dust radiation field; tentative NH₂ (so far only found in SgrB2), building block of the ammonia chemistry --> FOLLOW-UP OBSERVATIONS!*
- ✓ *Whole-spectrum LTE analysis carried out for the first time: consistent results, room for improvement (LVG...). Fundamental for future large submm surveys.*

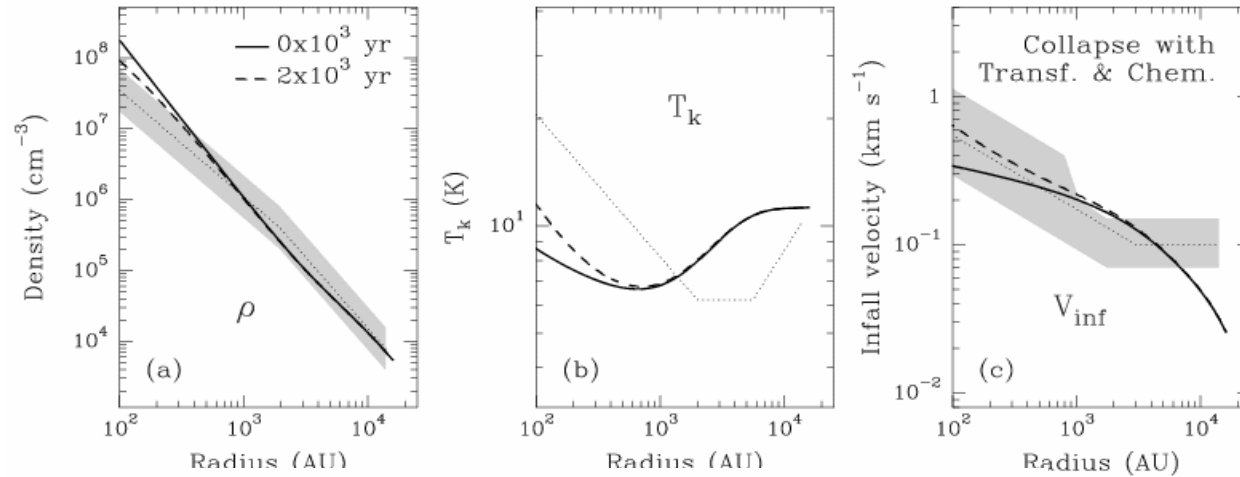
Example II – protostellar collapse

- **Protostellar envelopes**

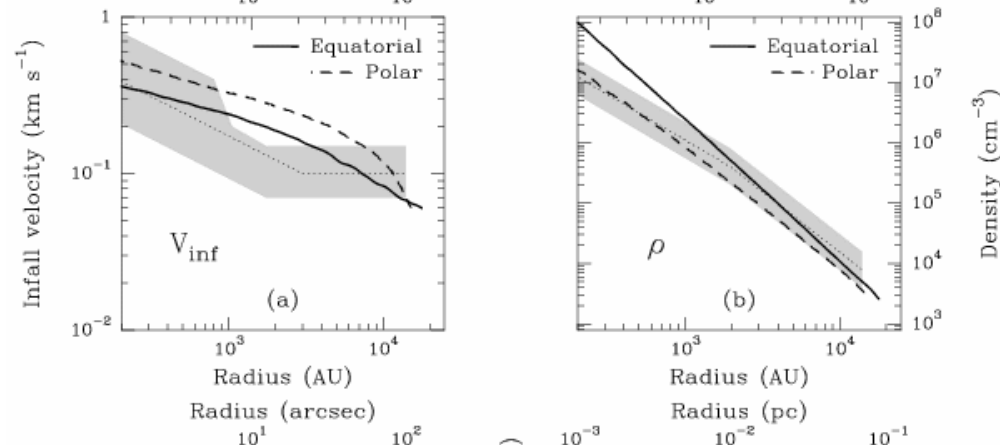
- Understanding the protostellar collapse
- The profiles of many lines allow to select the collapse models the closest to reality



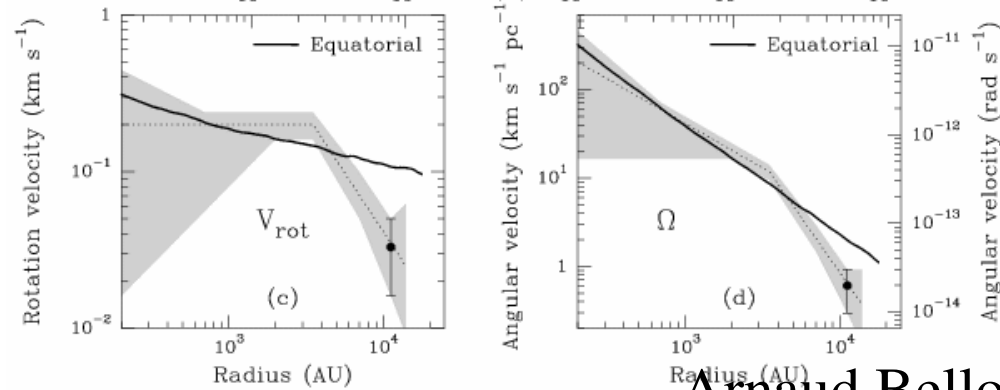
Protostellar collapse models



Lesaffre 2002



Hennebelle 2003,
2004



Arnaud Belloche 2002, PhDT

Example II – protostellar collapse

Collapse model



Radial profiles

Temperature

Density

velocity

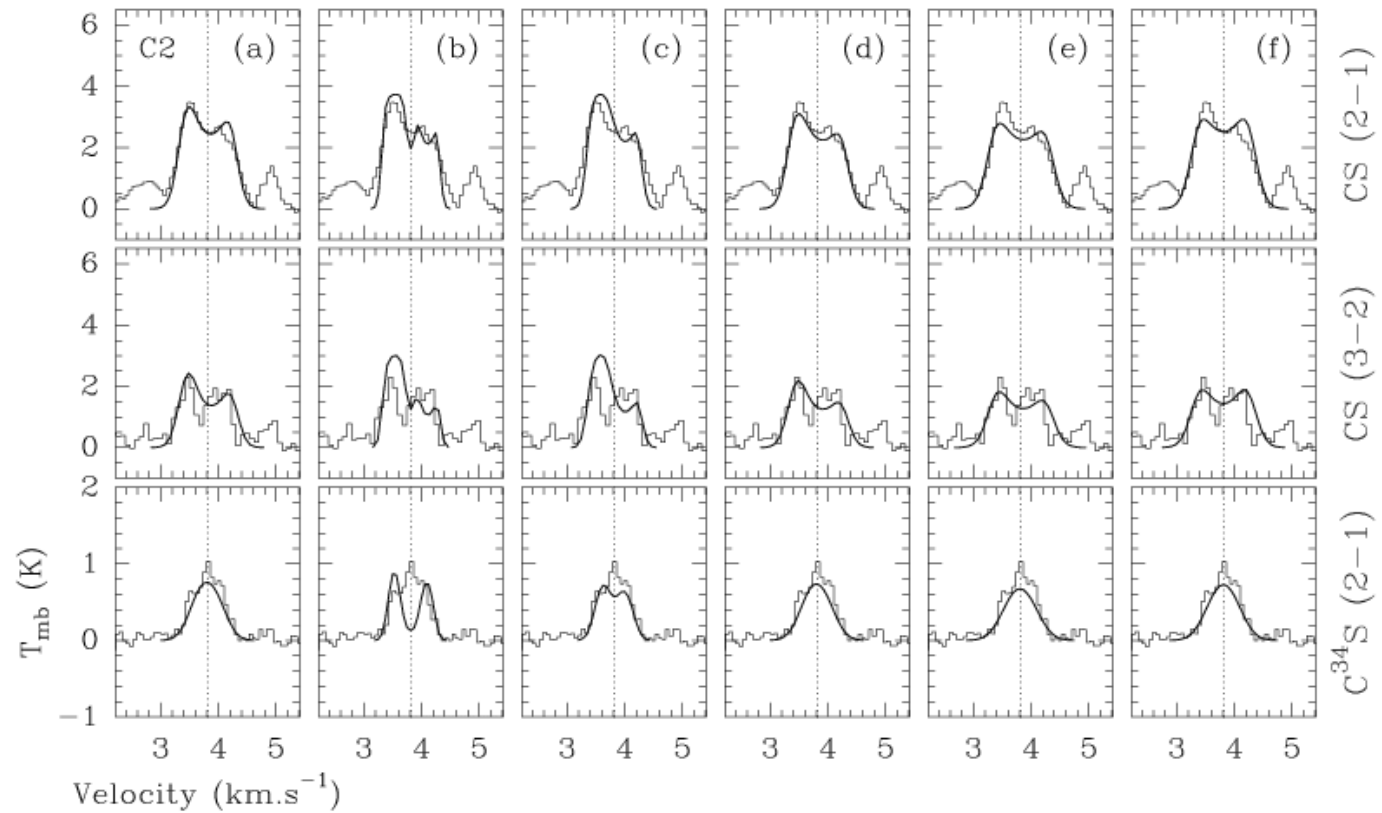


Radiative Transfer
BERNES-MAPYSO



Simulated spectra

$V_{\max} =$	0.2	$V_{\text{inf}} =$	0.3	0.2	0.1	0.05	0.0	km.s^{-1}
$\Delta V_{\text{turb}} =$	0.45	$\Delta V_{\text{turb}} =$	0.2	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	km.s^{-1}
$R_{\max} =$	8500							AU



Example II – protostellar collapse

Collapse model



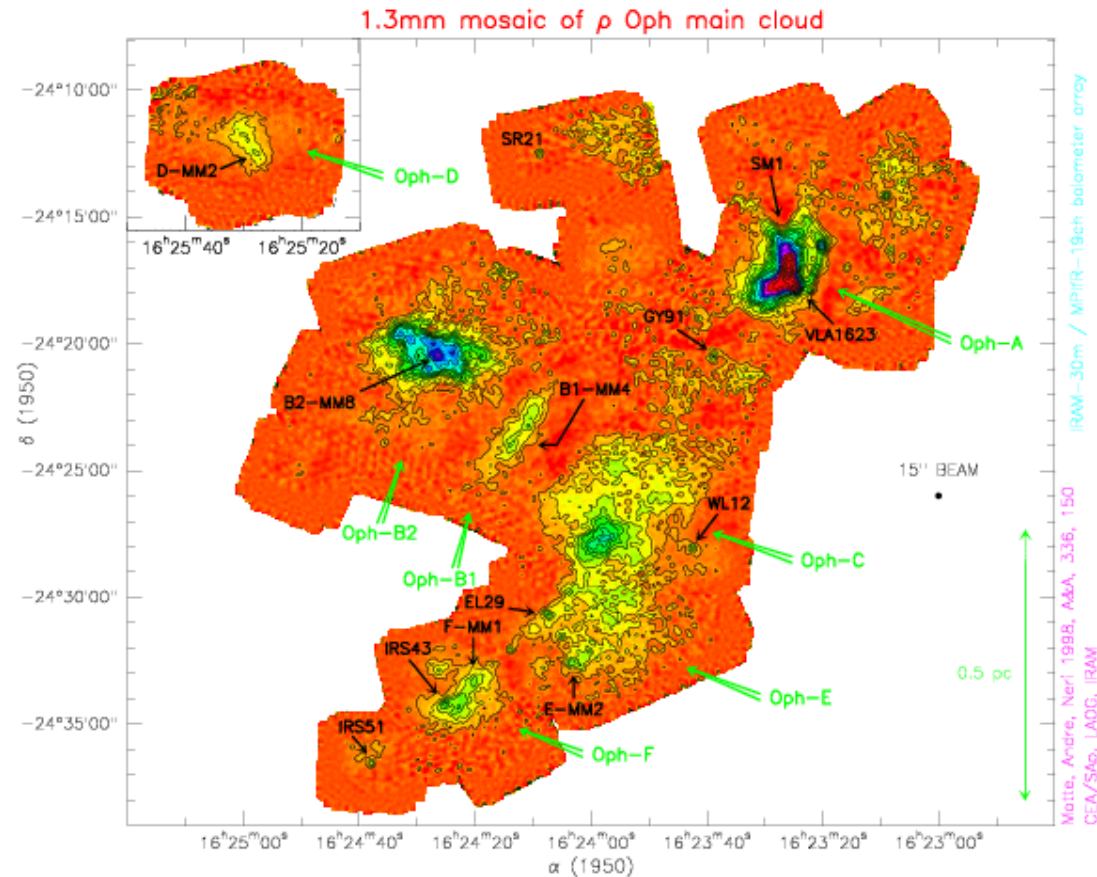
density profile



Radiative Transfer
DUSTY



Simulated continuum map



Arnaud Belloche 2002, PhDT

Example III – Galactic dynamics

- **Gas kinematics in the center of galaxies**
 - Evolution of galaxies
 - AGN fueling
 - Black Hole growth
 - Starburst/AGN connection

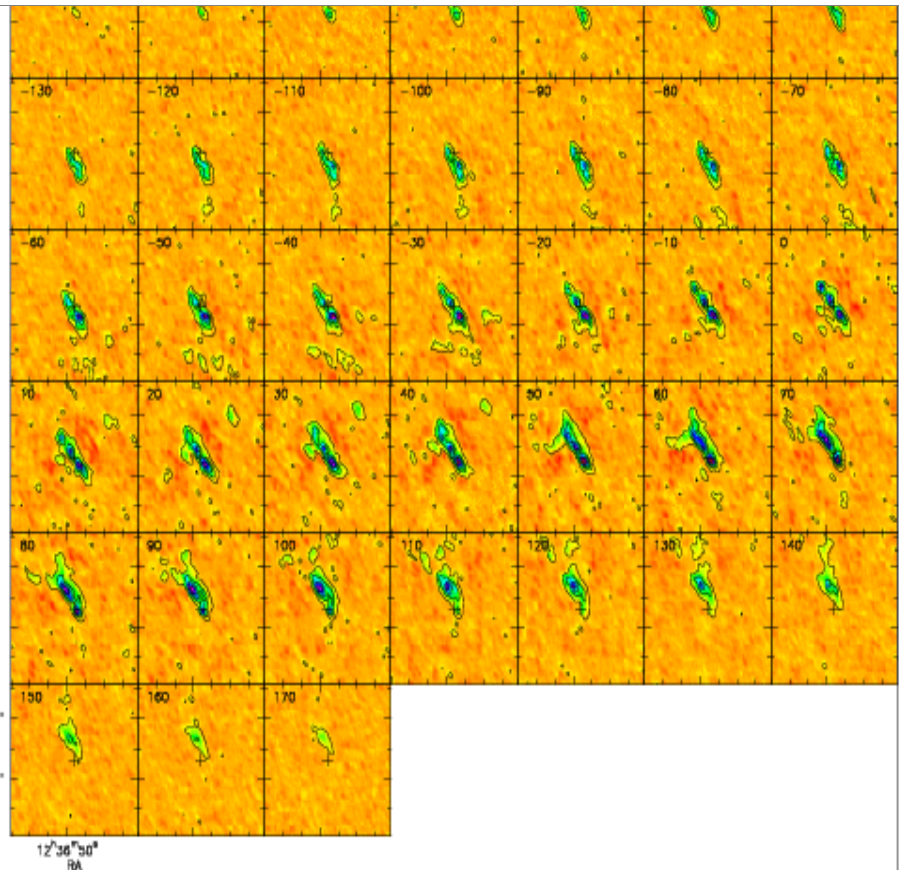
Example III – Galactic dynamics

- **NUGA survey** (PI: S. Garcia-Burillo, F. Combes)
 - Survey of 12 nearby active galaxies with IRAM Plateau de Bure Interferometer CO(1-0) and CO(2-1)
 - Get a new insight into the dynamics of the inner 1kpc with a resolution $<100\text{pc}$
- **Kinematic modeling**
 - Use assumptions on orbits to reproduce observations
 - The aim is to “deproject” the data to obtain a 6D description

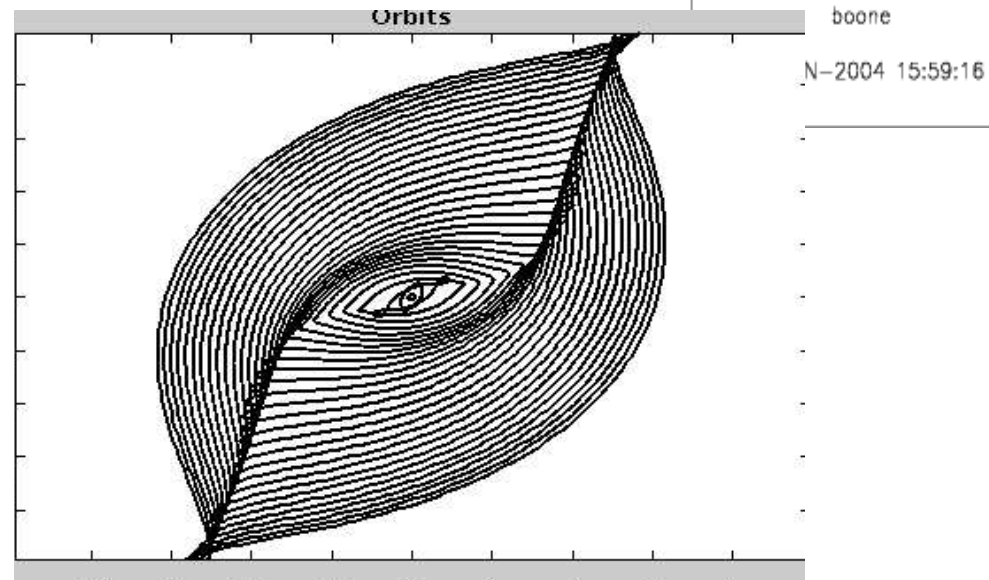
3D
(RA, Dec, Vr)



6D
(X, Y, Z, Vx, Vy, Vz)



Source: N4569
Line: CO(1-0)
Frequency: 115.362 GHz
Beam: 2.33 x 1.46 PA 27°
Levels : (Jy/beam)
8.4E-03 0.0504 0.0924 0.1344 0.17
Box marking: VELOCITY
Channels: [5,42]



Example III – Galactic dynamics

- **Try several models based on different prescriptions**
 - Tilted rings
 - Bar potential
 - Arbitrary orbital parameters variations

Examples summary

- **EX I (line surveys)**
 - Link to spectroscopic databases
 - Ability to easily control a large number of params
 - Radiative transfer
- **EX II (protostellar envelopes)**
 - Several models in line (dynamics + radiative transf.)
 - Several kinds of data (spectra+images)
- **EX III (galactic dynamics)**
 - Need ability to compare different kinematic models to data cubes