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# MULTI-WAVELENGTH CHARACTERIZATION OF RING SUBSTRUCTURES IN HD 169142

# DISK SUBSTRUCTURES IN THE PLANET FORMATION PARADIGM

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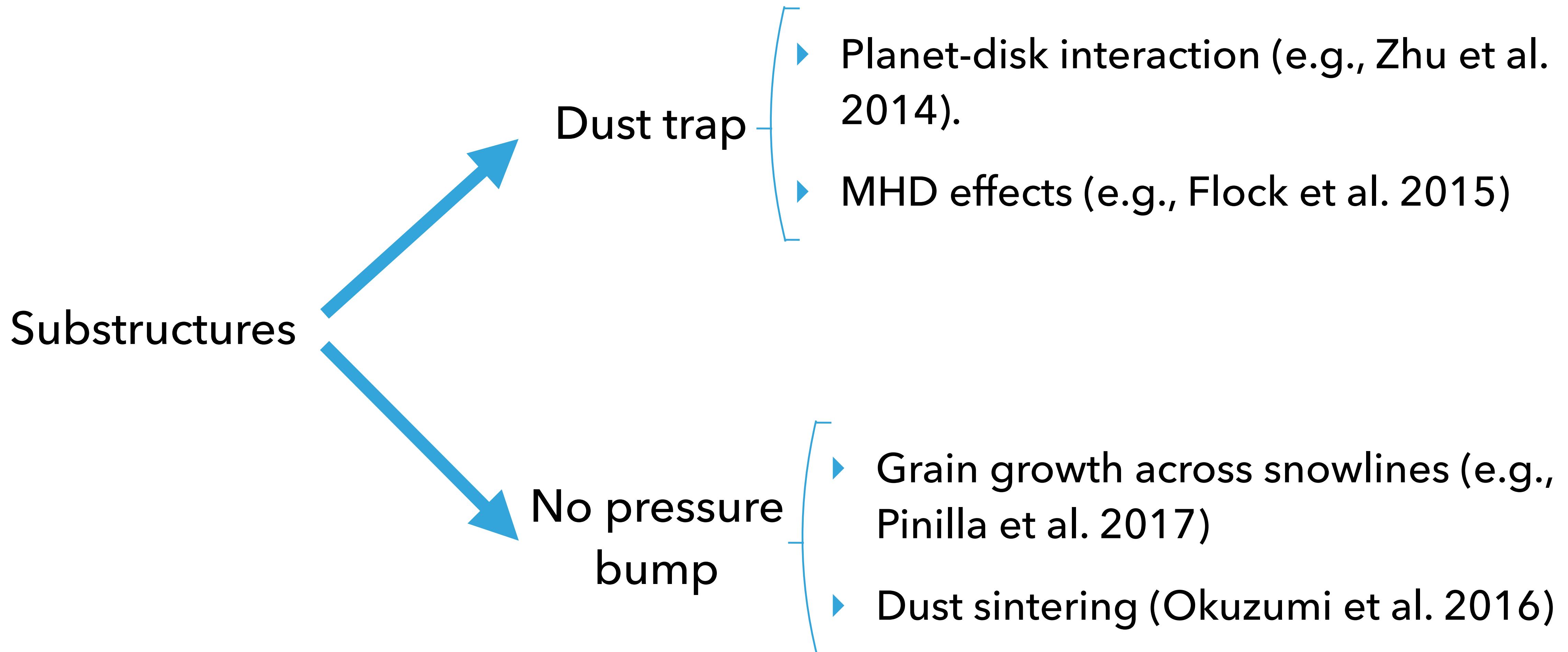
- ▶ Disk substructures are mostly ubiquitous (e.g., talks by J. Huang, G. Herczeg, L. Pérez).
- ▶ Could be a key piece of the dust evolution process:

Dust radial drift + fragmentation → Maximum particle size of ~1 m

Solution: non-smooth gas distributions  
i.e., pressure bumps to trap the dust.

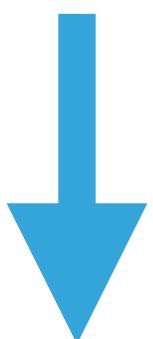
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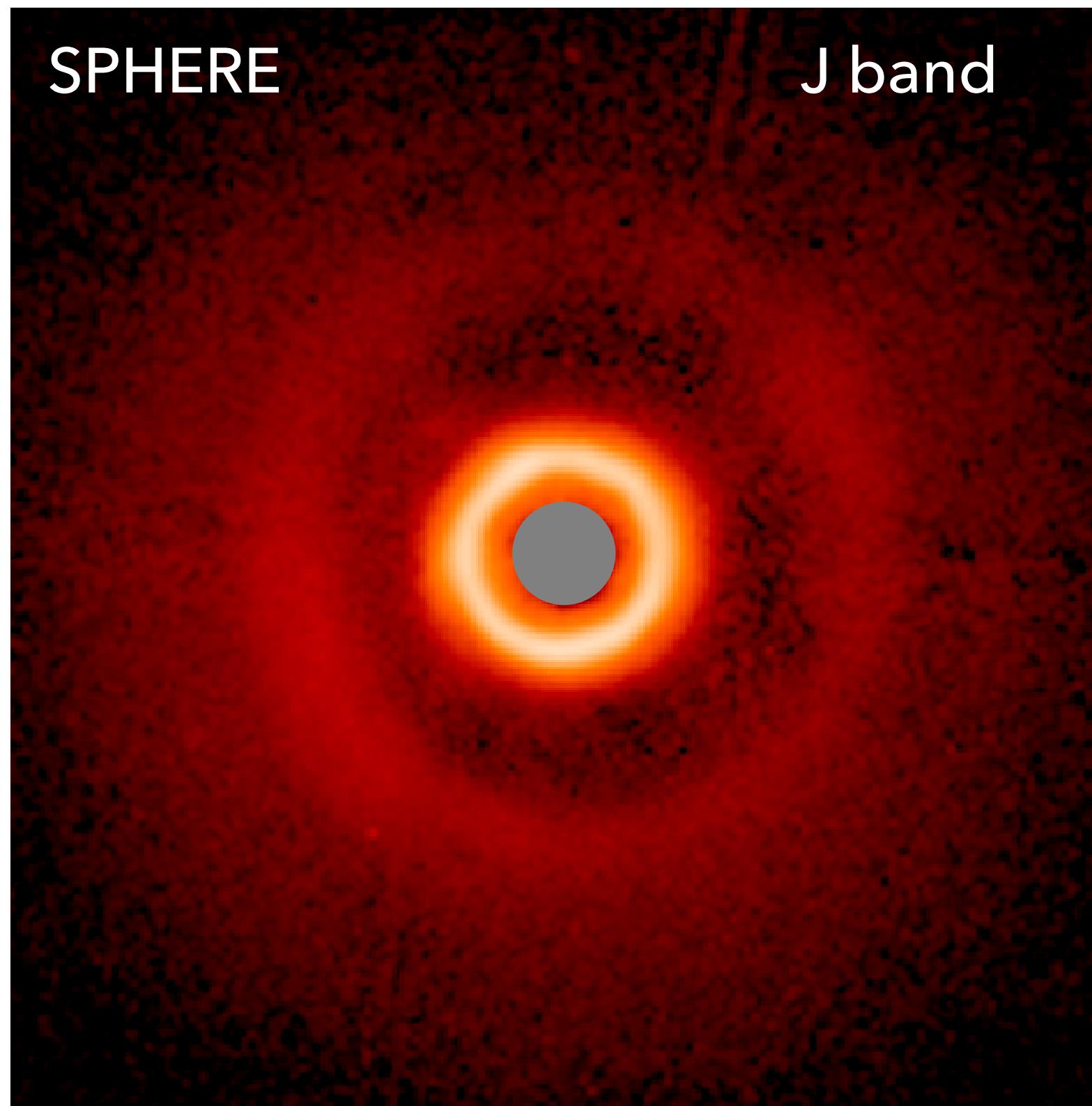
- ▶ Are disk substructures the smoking gun of dust traps?
- ▶ Are substructures enhancing the dust growth?

**Characterizing dust content of substructures is key to understand their origin and role.**



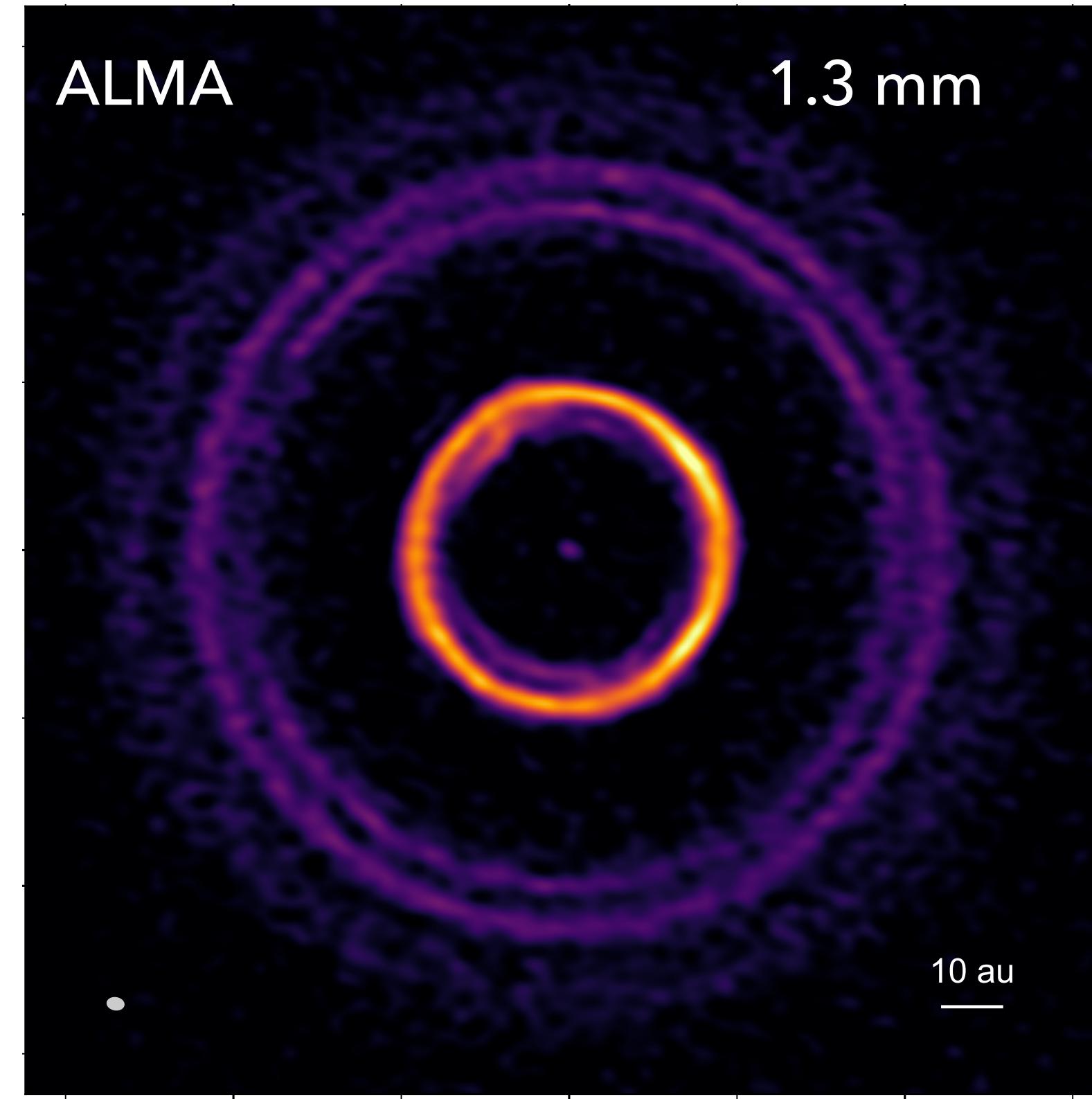
Multi-wavelength observations in the (sub-)mm

# HD 169142



SPHERE

J band

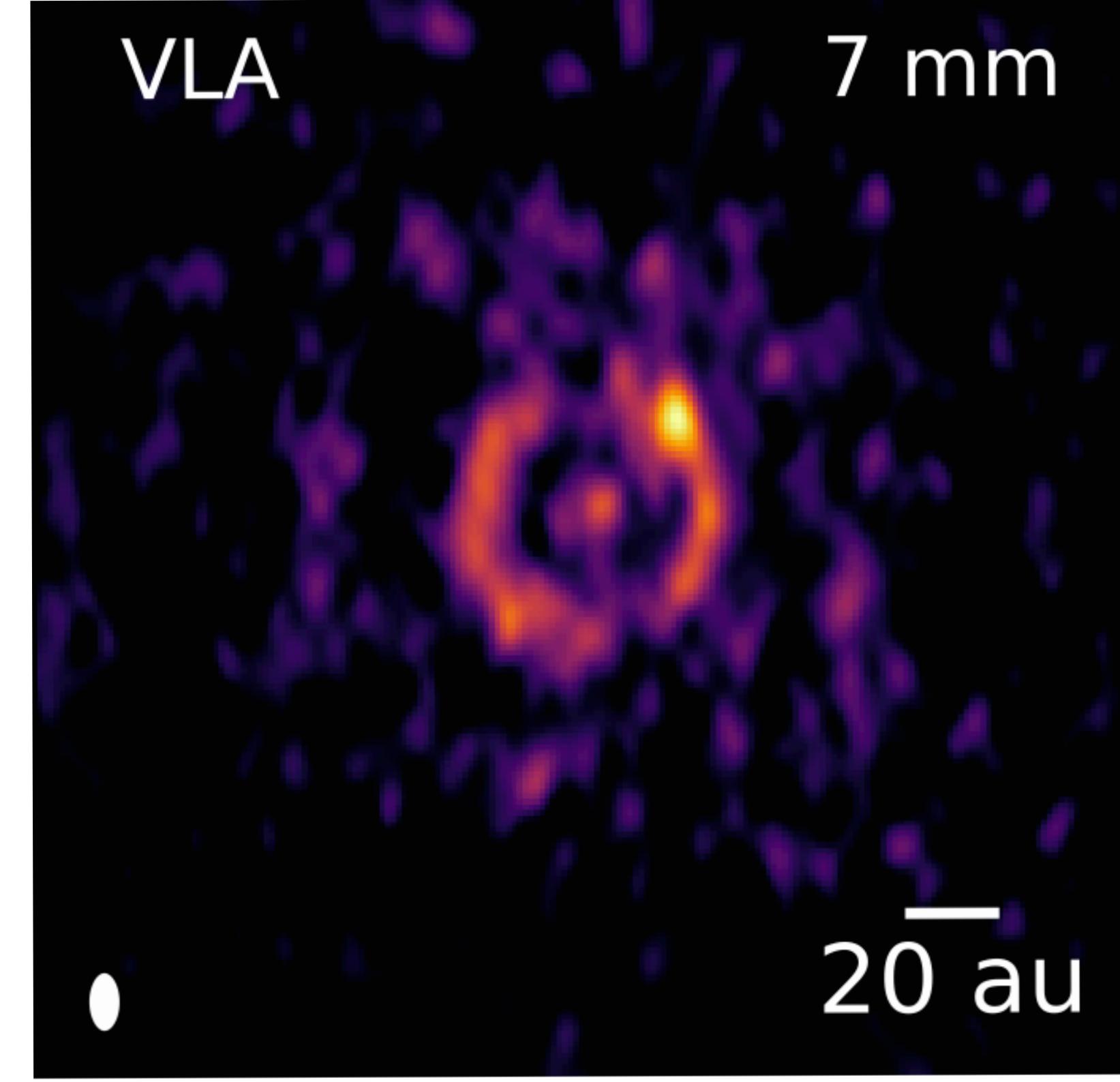


ALMA

1.3 mm

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10 au



VLA

7 mm

20 au

Pohl et al. (2017)

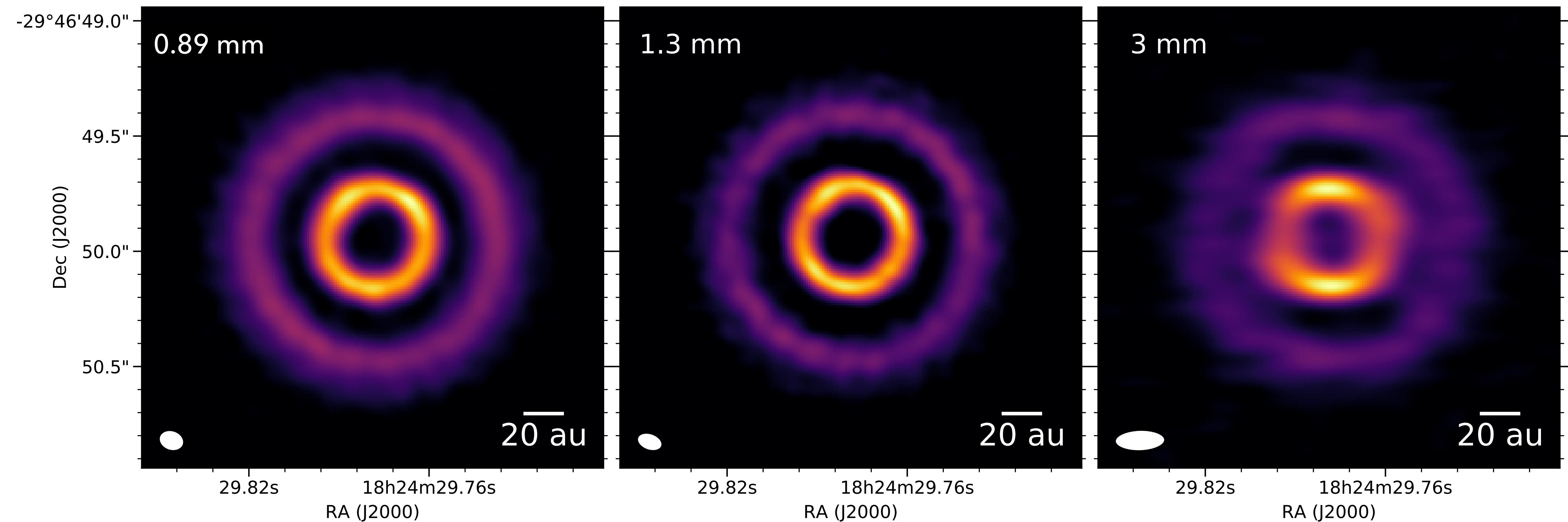
Talk by S. Pérez; Pérez et al. (2019)

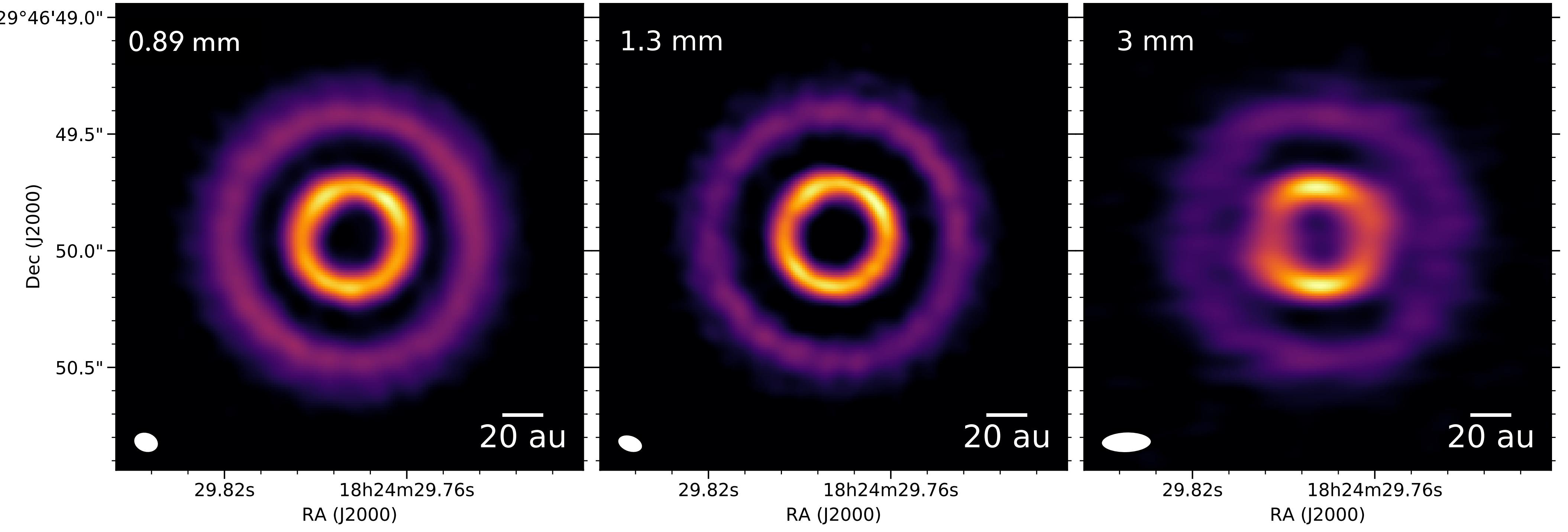
Macias et al. (2017)

# MULTI-WAVELENGTH ALMA OBSERVATIONS

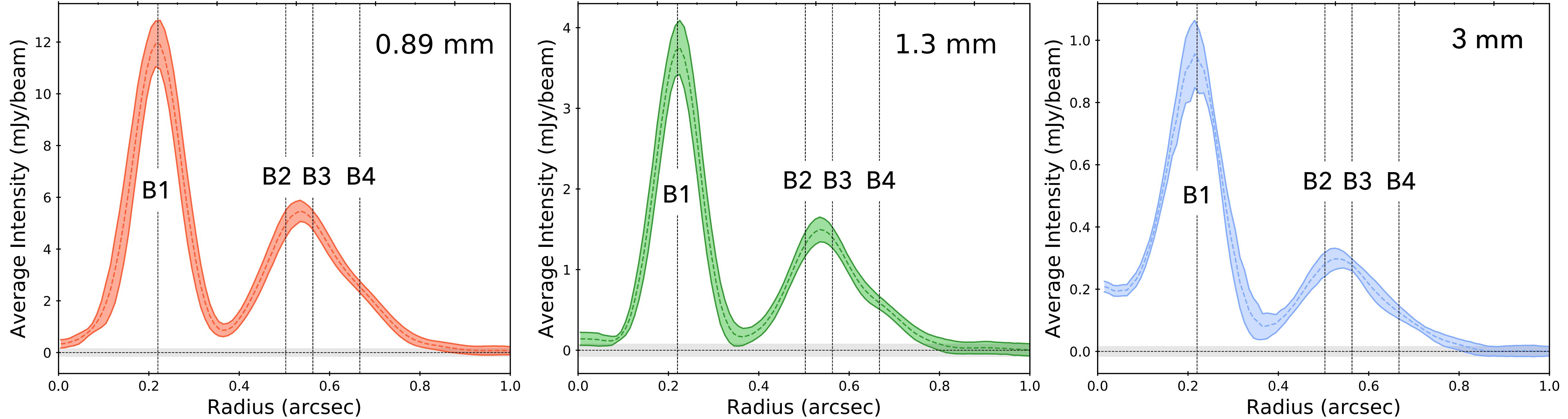
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- ▶ Archival band 7 (0.89 mm) and 6 (1.3 mm) data.
- ▶ New band 3 (3 mm) observations.
- ▶ Angular Resolution  $\sim 0.1$  arcsec ( $\sim 12$  au)





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$T_d[r]$  → Power law

$\tau_0[r]$     $\beta[r]$  → Power law + 3 rings

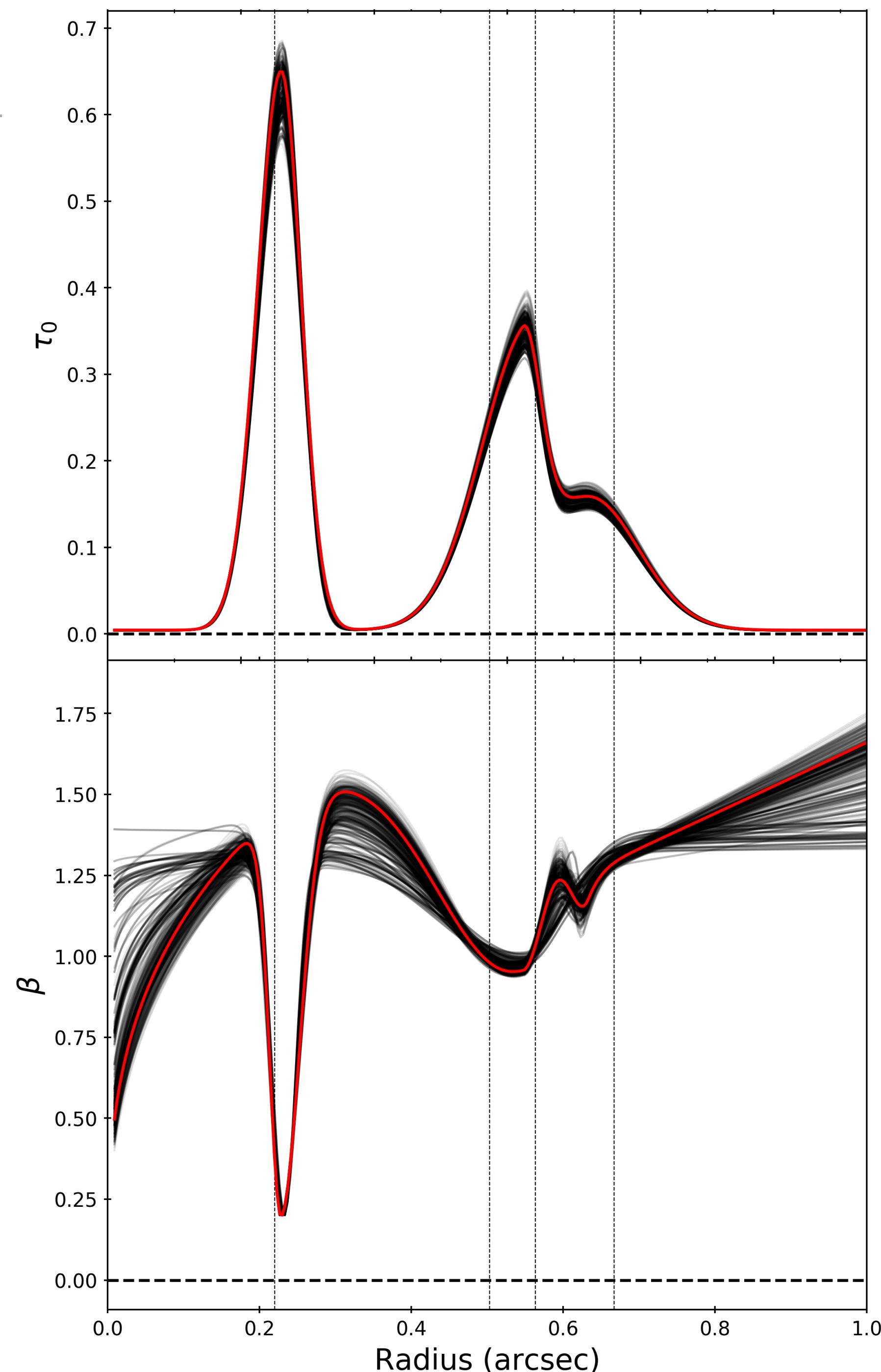
↓ + inclination, PA, position offsets

MCMC

# RINGS AS ACCUMULATIONS OF PEBBLES

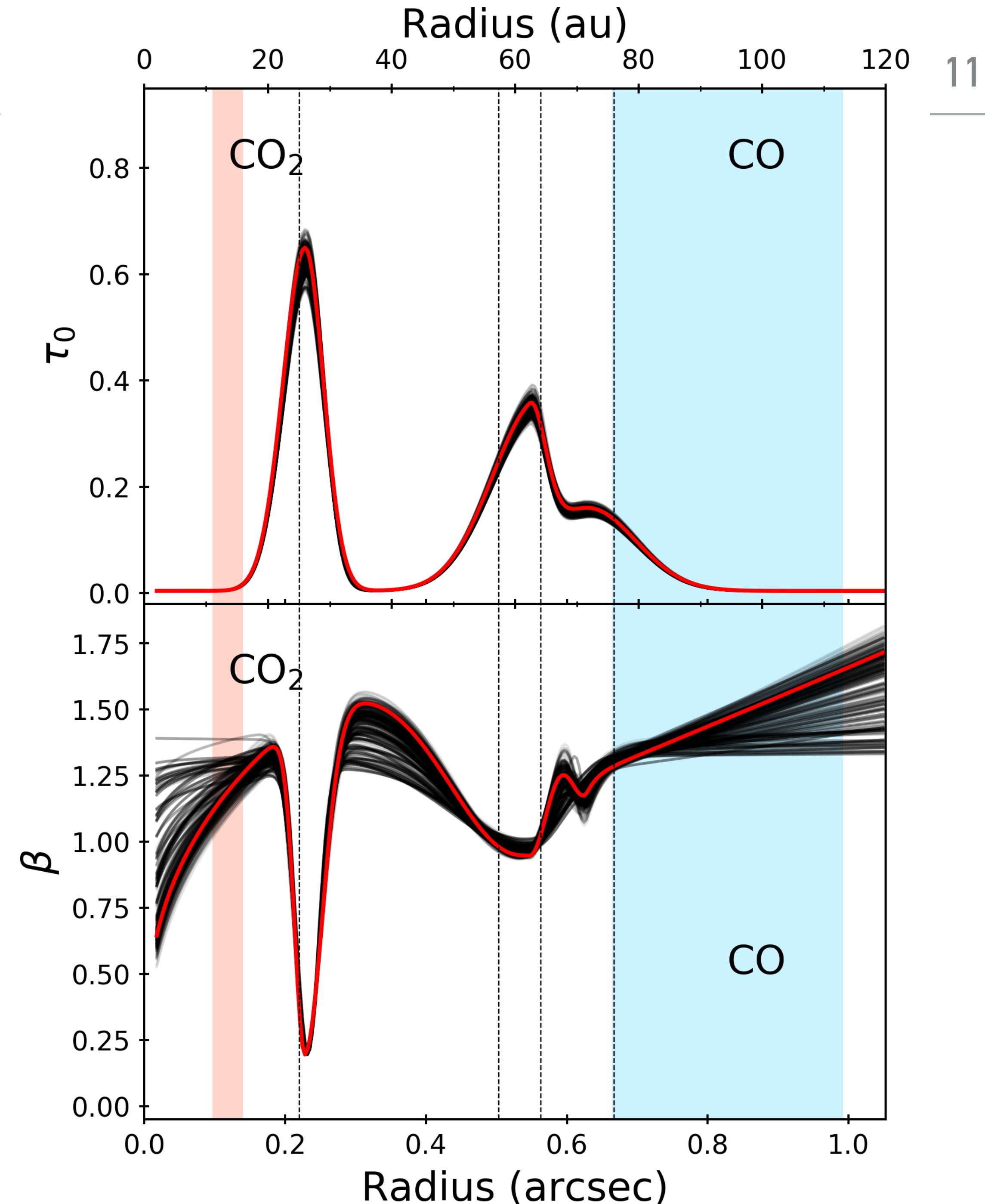
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- ▶ We can discard snowlines as a main driver of substructures.
- ▶ Rings are likely associated with pressure bumps.
- ▶ Disk probably harbors multiple giant planets (Pohl et al. 2017; Bertrand et al. 2018).



# DUST PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION

- ▶ Dust opacities as in DSHARP (Birnstiel et al. 2018) and  $n(a) \propto a^{-p}$

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$\beta$

$\kappa_0$

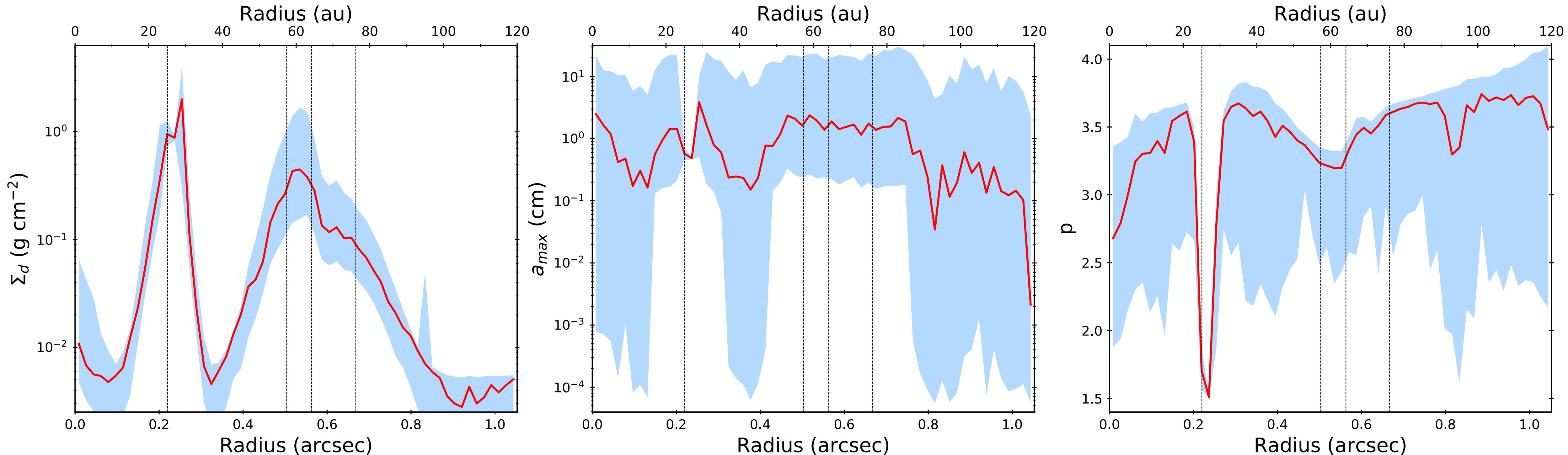
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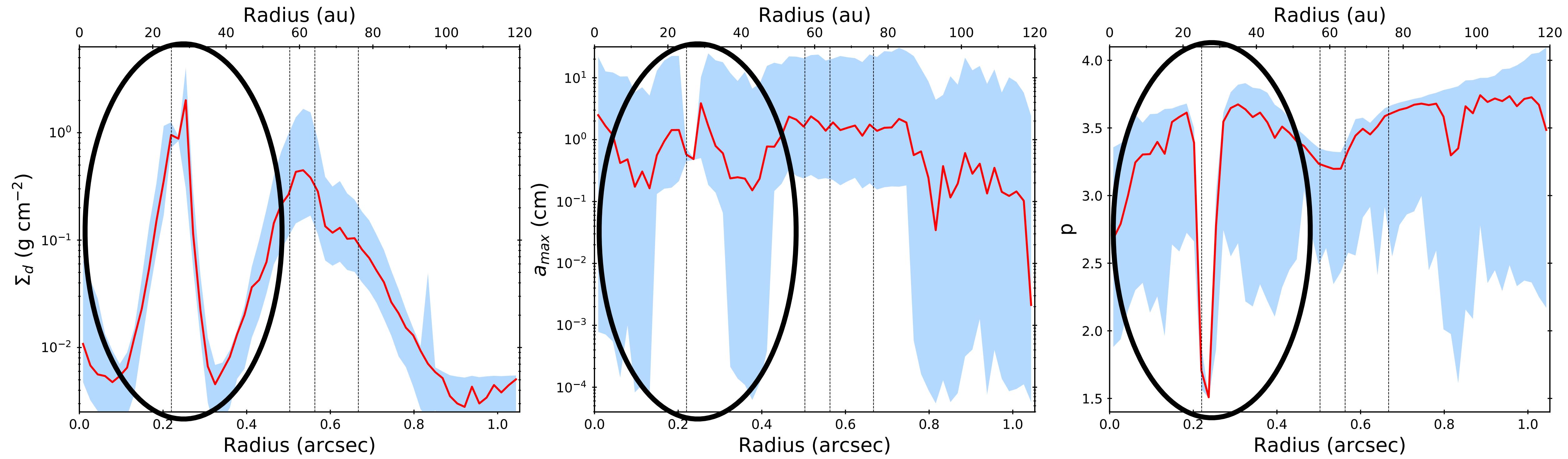
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- ▶ Dust mass =  $160^{+250}_{-90} M_\oplus$
- ▶ Maximum grain size: 2 mm - 20 cm
- ▶  $p = 3.5$  in gaps (ISM-like)



# INNER RING HARBORS A STRONG BUILD-UP OF LARGE PARTICLES

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- ▶  $\tau_0 \sim 0.7$
  - ▶  $\beta \sim 0.25$
  - ▶ Max grain size  $\sim 1$  cm
  - ▶ Slope  $p \sim 1.5$
  - ▶ dust-to-gas mass ratio  $\sim 1$   
(with  $\Sigma_g$  from Fedele et al. 2017).
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- ▶ Streaming instability?
  - ▶ Scattering?

- ▶ ALMA  $\sim 0.1''$  ( $\sim 12$  au) data at 0.89 mm, 1.3 mm, and 3 mm of HD 169142.
- ▶ Discard: snowlines as the origin of main substructures in HD 169142.
- ▶ Confirm: substructures are associated with pressure bumps trapping large particles: potential sites for further planetesimal formation.
- ▶ Inner ring might contain appropriate conditions for streaming instability.
- ▶ Future prospects:
  - More targets.
  - More resolution: Cycle 6  $\sim 0.05''$  @ 3 mm (PI: Macias).
  - (More) scattering.
  - More wavelengths: VLA.

# THANKS!

