

# Multi-wavelength emission of M87 jet using self-consistent electron-to-proton temperature

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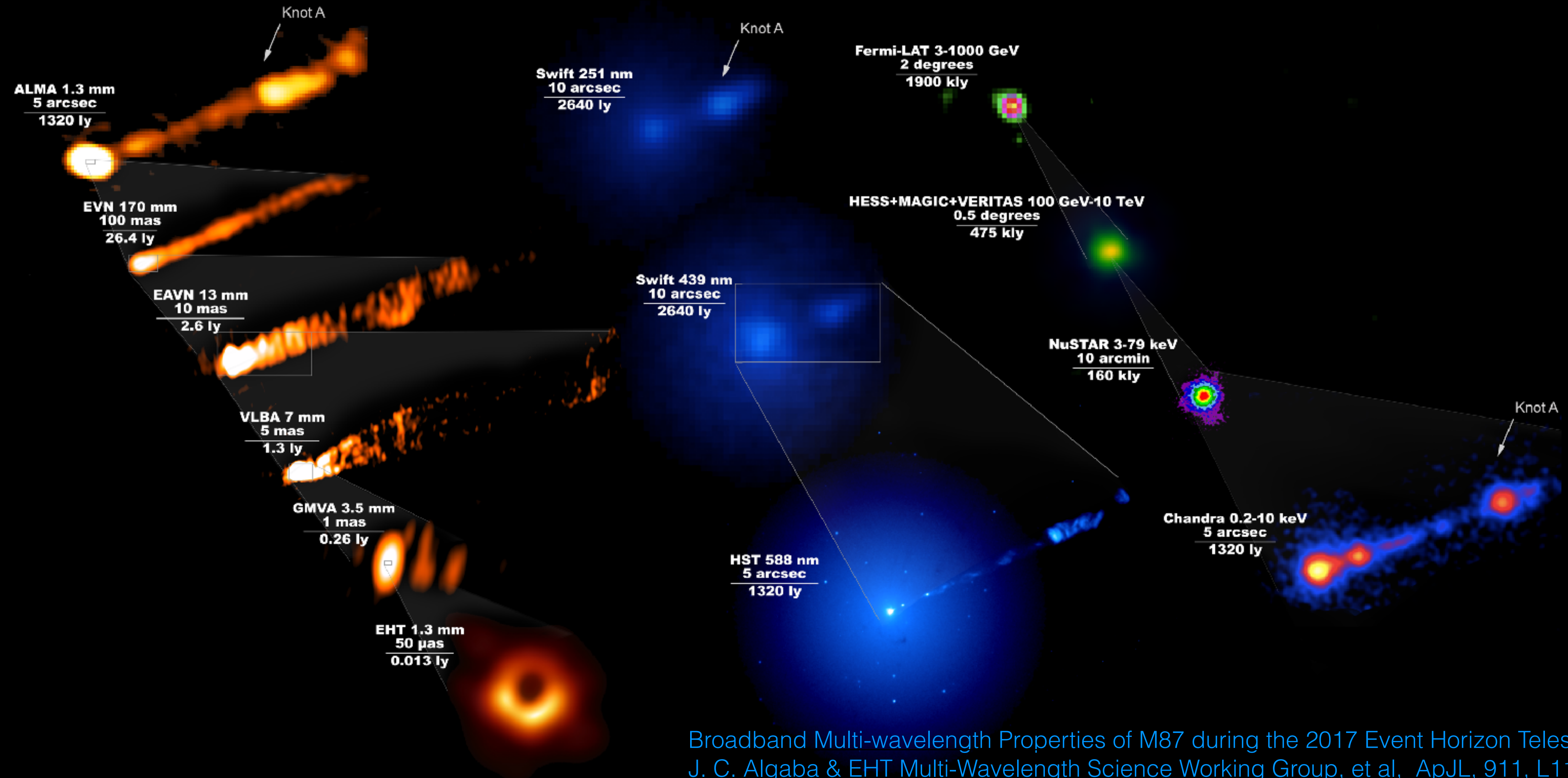
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# Simultaneous observation of multi-frequency emission of M87



Broadband Multi-wavelength Properties of M87 during the 2017 Event Horizon Telescope Campaign, J. C. Algaba & EHT Multi-Wavelength Science Working Group, et al, ApJL, 911, L11, 2021

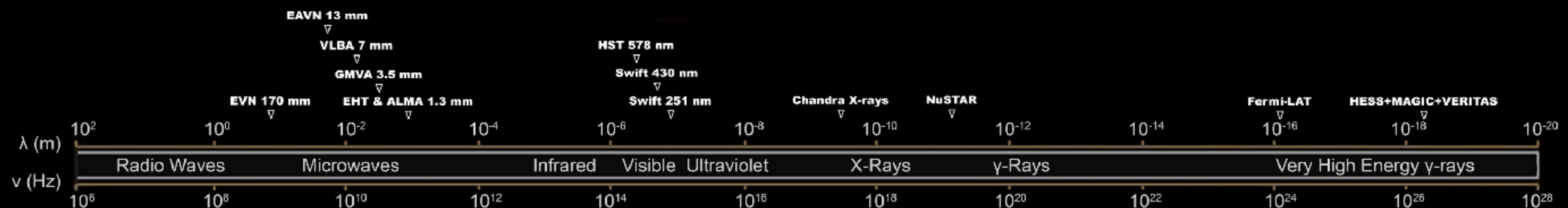


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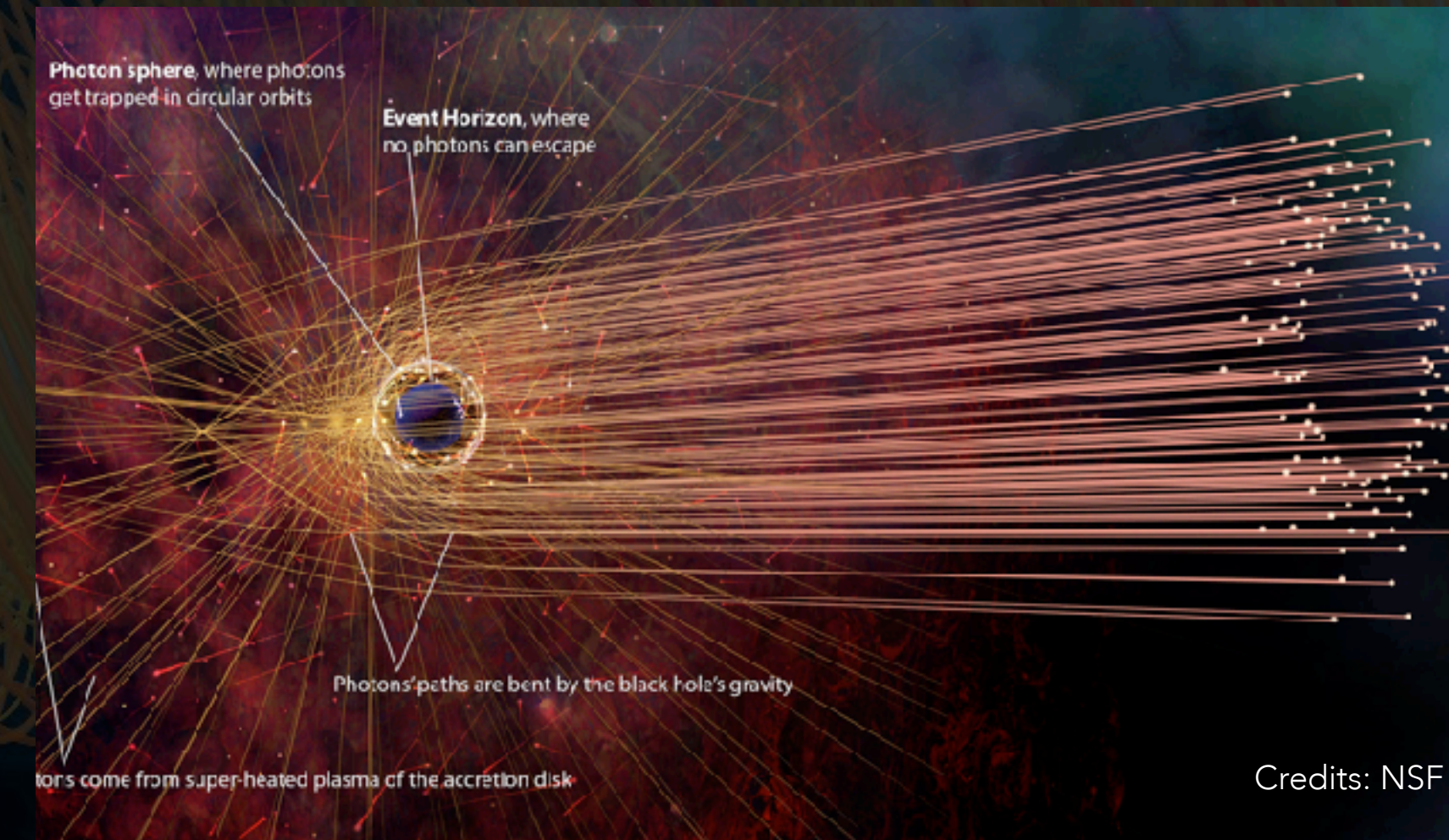
# Theory ↔ Observation

- GRMHD:
- Spacetime
  - Disc evolution
  - Magnetic field
  - Jet Launching & propagation

- GRRT:
- Microphysics
  - Emission model

- General Relativistic Magnetohydrodynamics
- General Relativistic Radiative Transfer
- Thermal & Non-Thermal Particles
- Synchrotron Emission
- Parametric temperature model

Geodesic trajectories around Black Hole



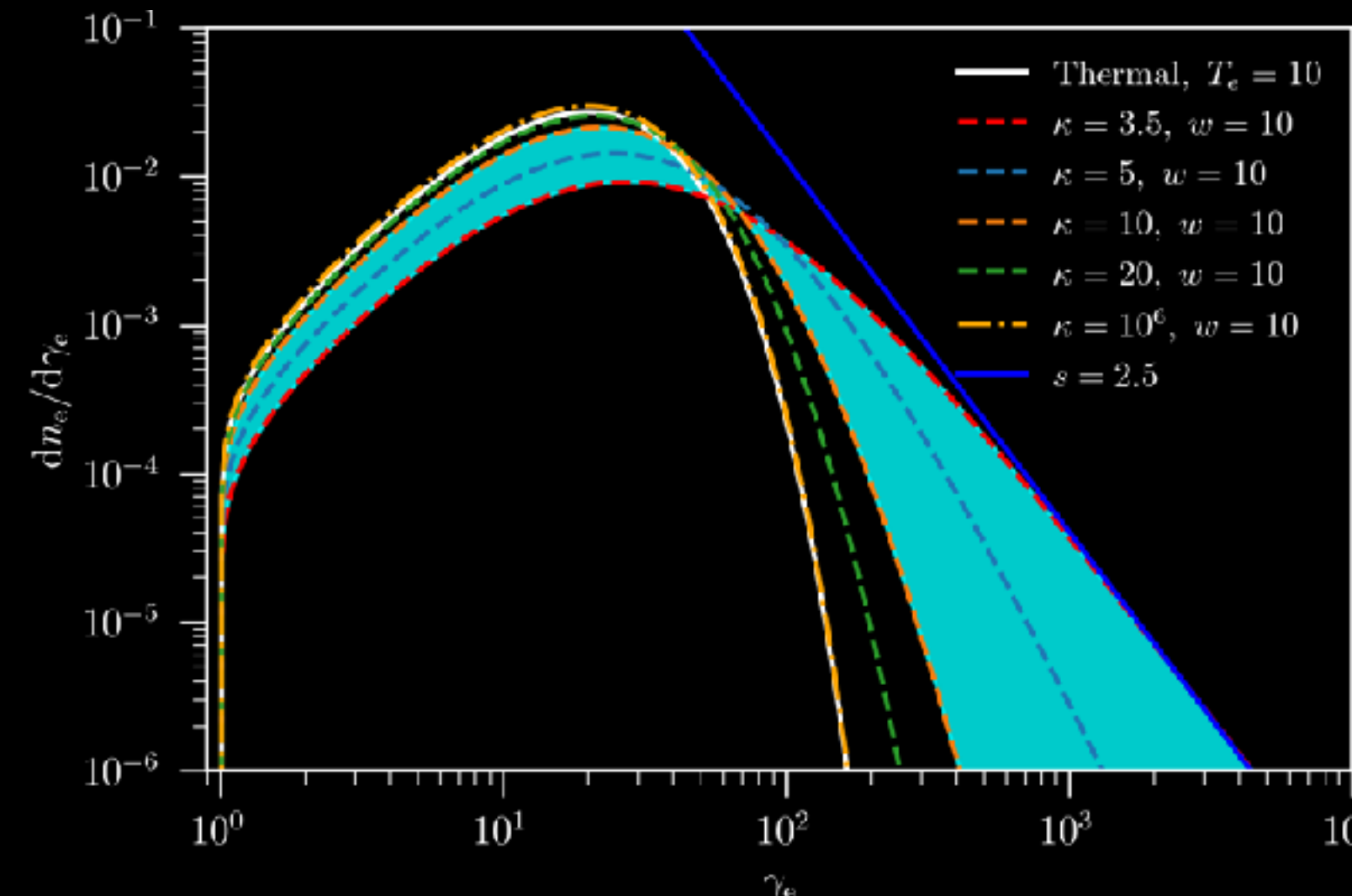
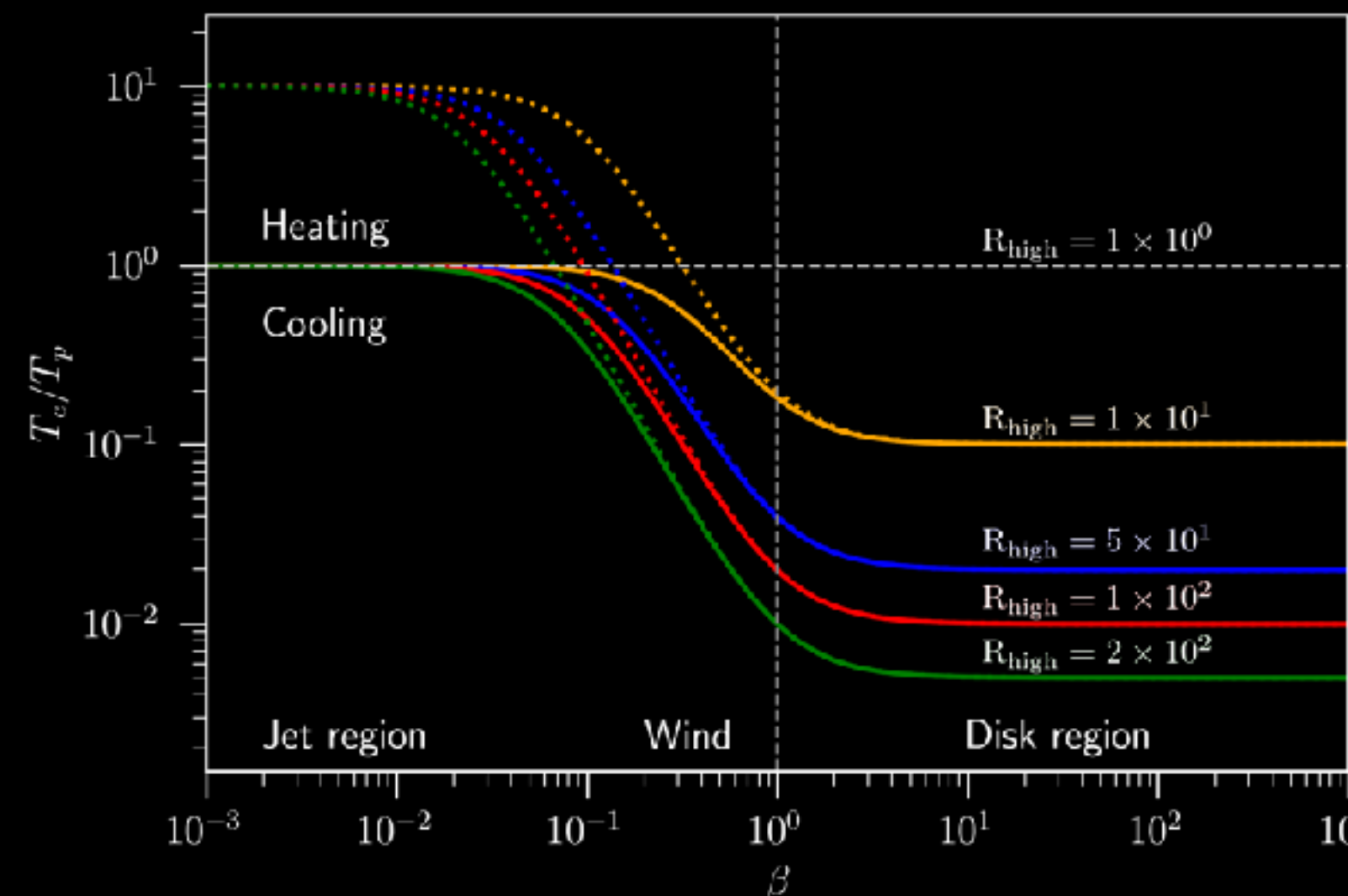
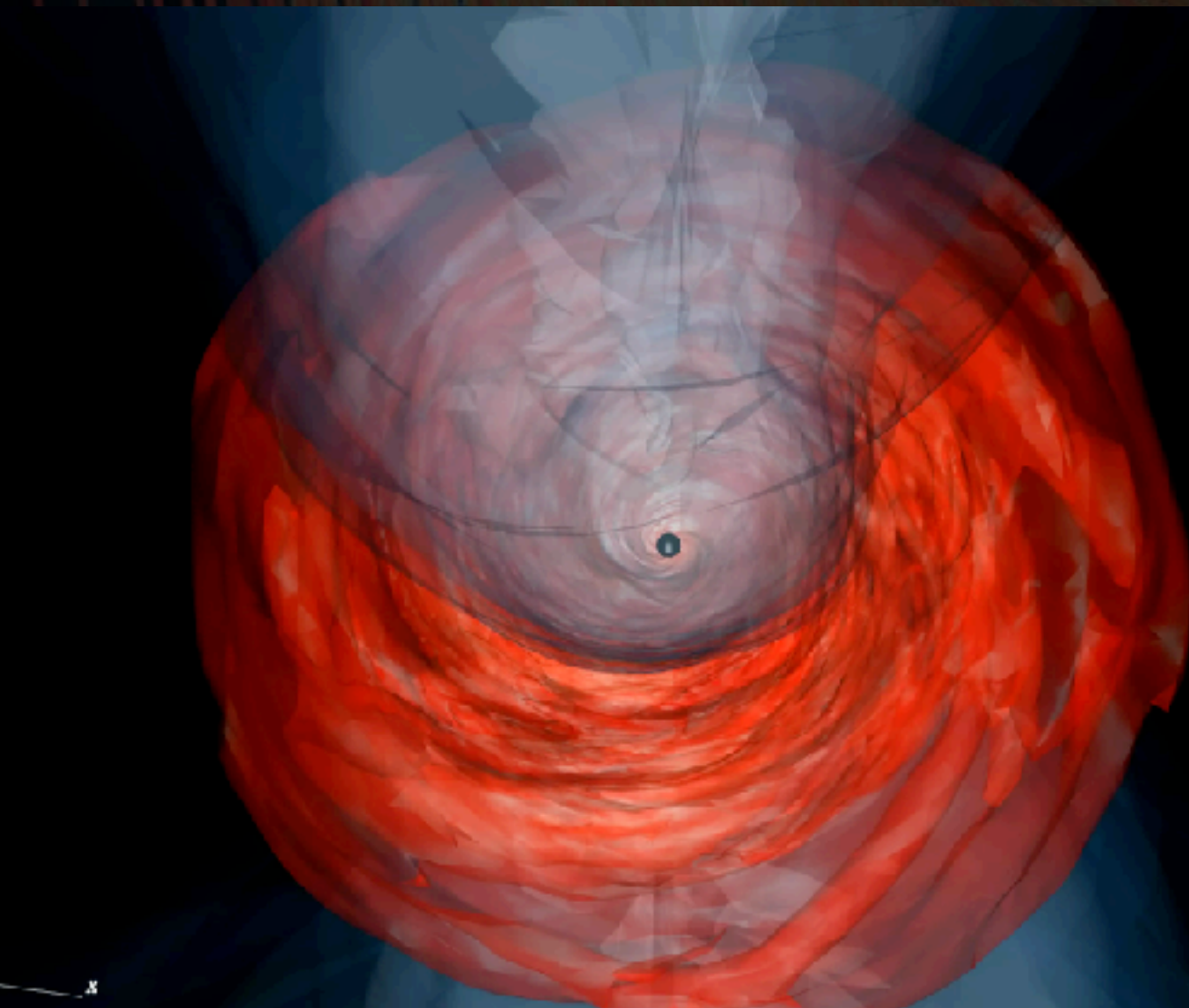
- Observations:
- Data comparison
  - Model optimization

- Theoretical prediction:
- Synthetic data
  - Image generation
  - SED modeling

GRMHD simulations

Electron Temperature (R-Beta Model)

Non-Thermal Electron Distribution Function





# GRMHD simulations with BHAC code

(<https://bhac.science/>)

O. Porth, Computational Astrophysics and Cosmology, 4(1), 1 (2017)  
 H. Olivares, Astronomy & Astrophysics, 629, A61 (2020)

## - Ideal GRMHD equations

$$\nabla_{\mu}(\rho u^{\mu}) = 0, \quad \nabla_{\mu} T^{\mu\nu} = 0, \quad \nabla_{\mu} *F^{\mu\nu} = 0,$$

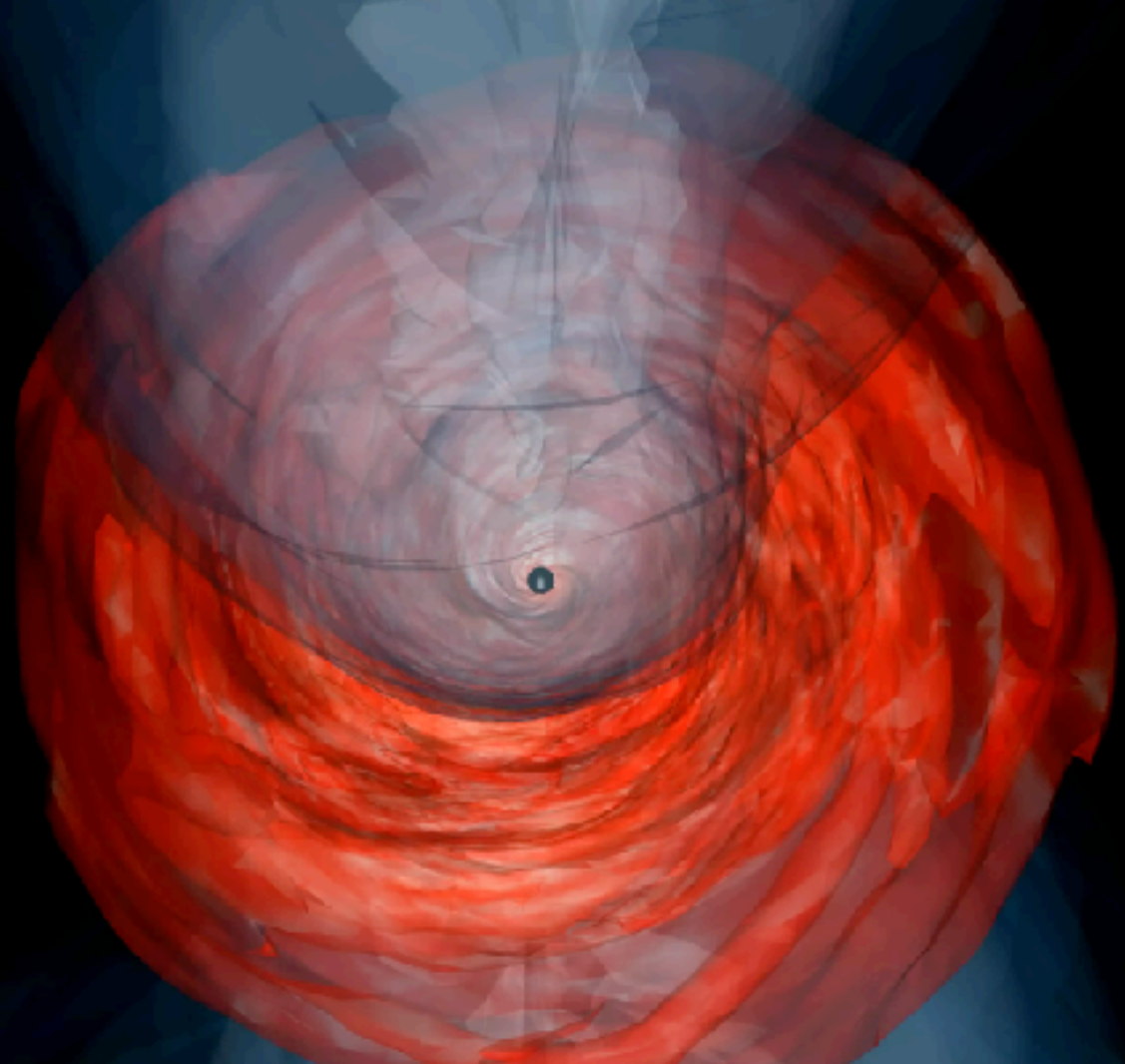
Perfect fluid with ideal gas EoS

- **Spacetime:** Kerr black hole with spins  
 $a_{\star} = -0.94, -0.5, 0.0, 0.5, 0.94$

- **Accretion model:** SANE & MAD

- Fishbone & Moncrief torus, constant angular momentum
- Weak poloidal magnetic field ( $\beta := p_{\text{gas}}/p_{\text{mag}} = 100$ ).
- SANE & MAD, ideal gas equation of state  $\hat{\gamma} = 4/3$ .
- Simulation time up  $t = 10000M$  (SANE) and  $15000M$  (MAD)

GRMHD simulations



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# GRRT simulations with BHOSS code

(Raytracing)

Z. Younsi et al (2012)  
 ACO et al (2022)

## - Radiative Transfer equations

$$\frac{d\tau_{\nu}}{d\lambda} = \gamma^{-1} \alpha_{0,\nu}, \quad \frac{d\mathcal{I}}{d\lambda} = \gamma^{-1} \left( \frac{j_{0,\nu}}{\nu^3} \right) \exp(-\tau_{\nu}),$$

$\mathcal{I} = I_{\nu}/\nu^3$  is the Lorentz invariant specific intensity

$I_{\nu}$  is the specific intensity,

$\tau_{\nu}$  is the optical depth,

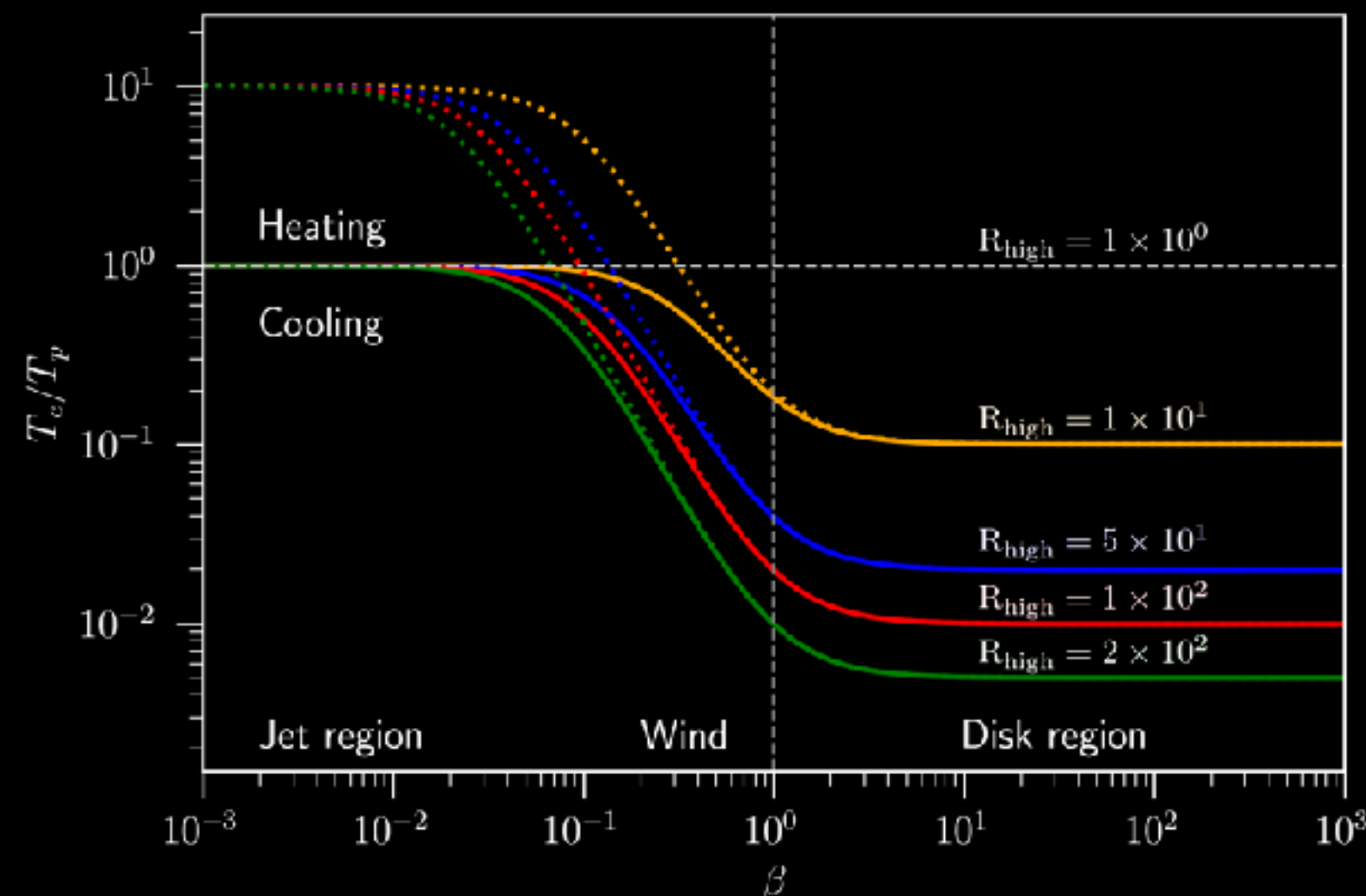
$j_{\nu}$  is the emission coefficients, and

$\alpha_{\nu}$  absorption coefficients at the frequency  $\nu$

$\gamma^{-1} = \nu_0/\nu = -k_{\alpha}u^{\alpha}|_{\lambda}/k_{\beta}u^{\beta}|_{\infty}$  is energy shift between observer's and co-moving frame

$k_{\alpha}$  is the wave vector of the photon.

Electron Temperature (R-Beta Model)



# Electron-to-Proton Temperature

$$\Theta_e = \frac{pm_p/m_e}{\rho T_{\text{ratio}}}, \quad T_{\text{ratio}} \equiv \frac{T_p}{T_e} = \frac{R_{\text{low}} + R_{\text{high}}\beta^2}{1 + \beta^2},$$

$T_e$  → Electron temperature     $m_e$  → Electron mass

$T_p$  → Proton temperature     $m_p$  → Proton mass

Moscibrodzka, M., Falcke, H., & Shiokawa, H. 2016, Astronomy & Astrophysics, 586, A38 (2016)

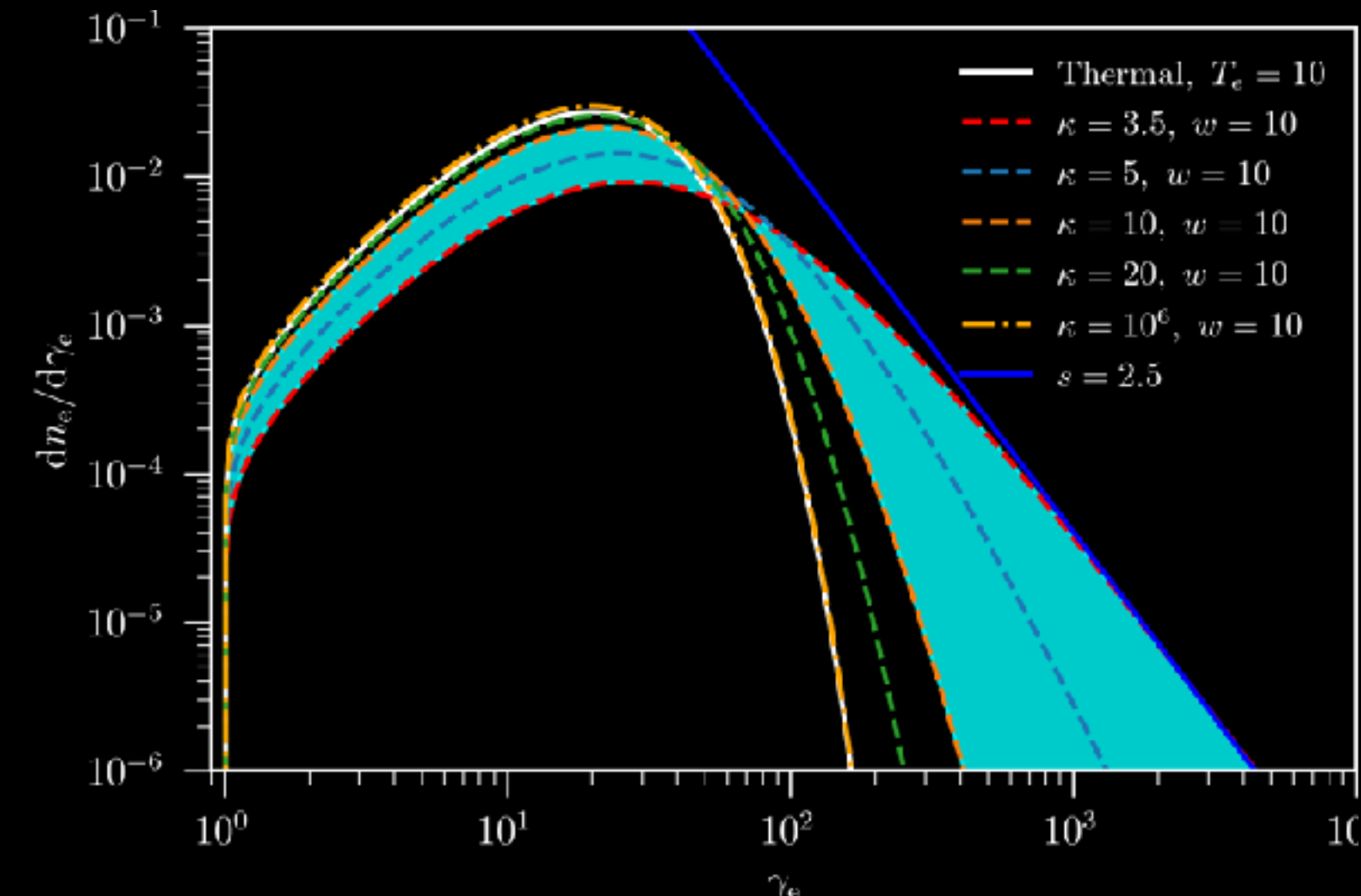
# Non-thermal eDF

$$\frac{dn_e}{d\gamma_e} = \frac{N}{4\pi} \gamma_e \sqrt{\gamma_e^2 - 1} \left( 1 + \frac{\gamma_e - 1}{\kappa w} \right)^{-(\kappa+1)}$$

$n_e$  is the density number of electrons,  $\gamma_e$  electron Lorentz factor,  $T_e$  electron temperature,  $w$  width of energy of the kappa distribution,  $\kappa$  power-law exponent of a non-thermal particle.

Vasyliunas (1968), Xiao et.al. 2006, Leung (2011), Pandya et. al. 2016

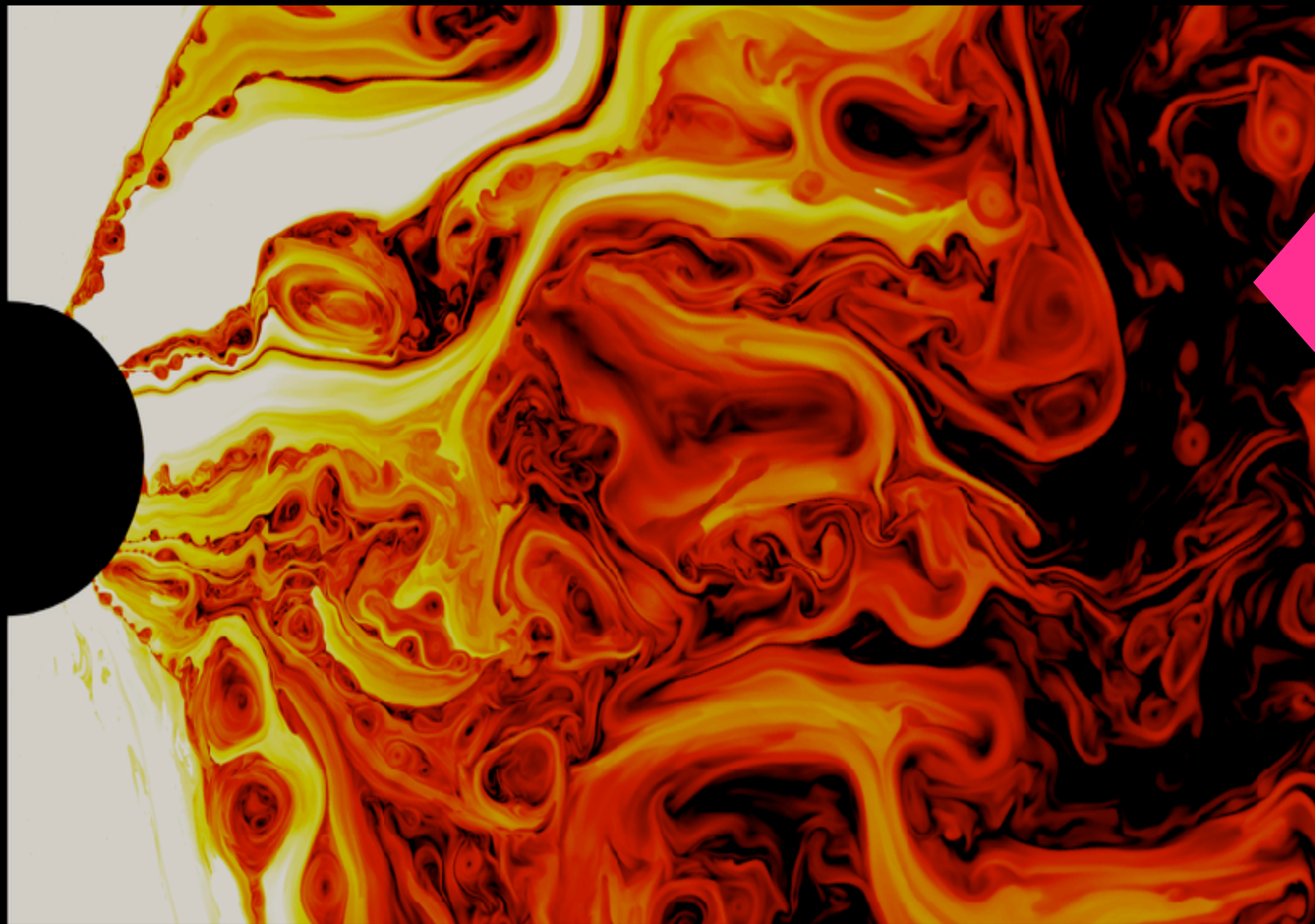
Non-Thermal Electron Distribution Function



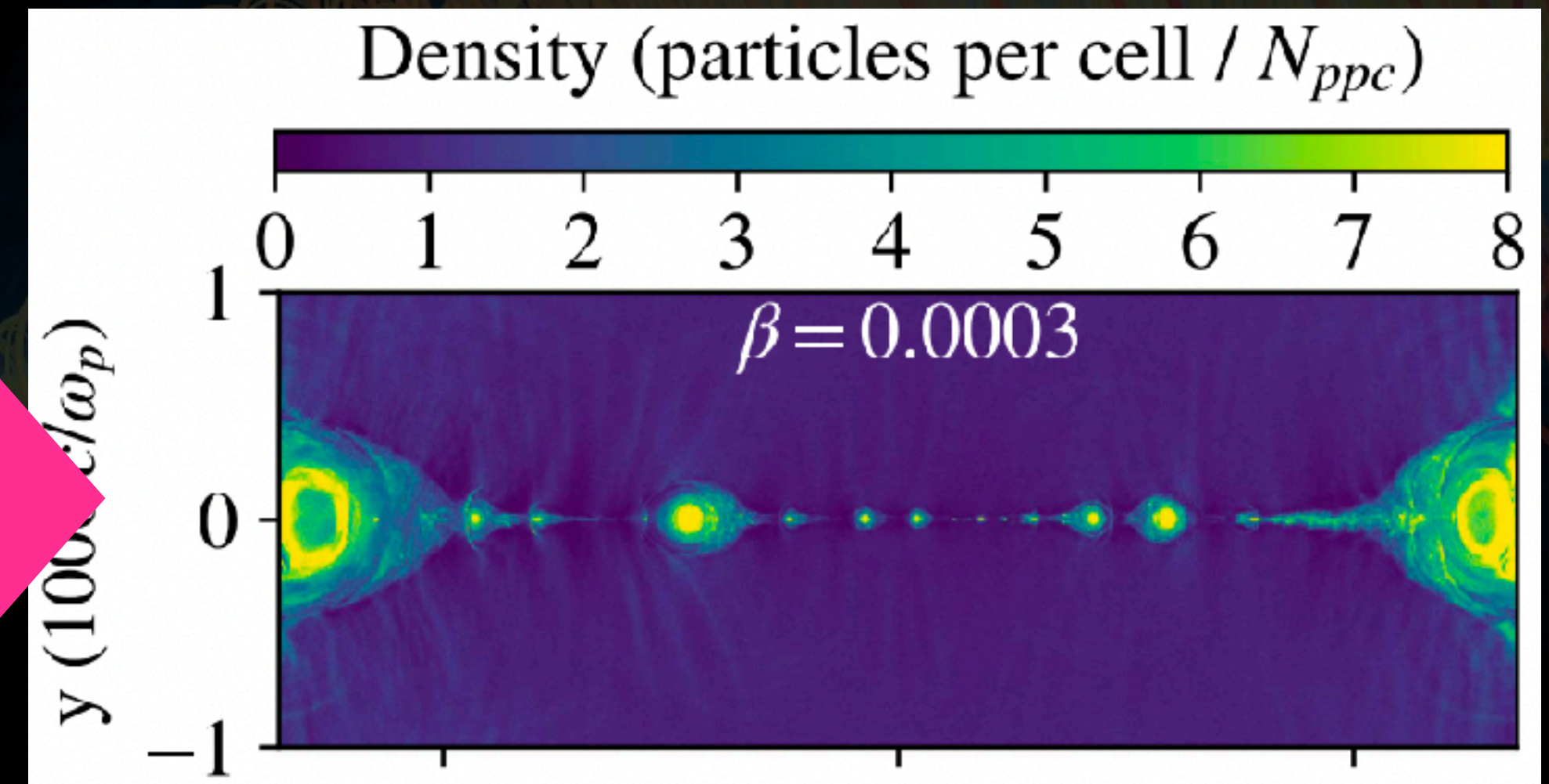


# From Micro to Macro scales: First Approach

Accretion onto a Black Hole



Harris Current Sheet (PIC simulations)



$$w := \frac{\kappa - 3}{\kappa} \Theta_e + \frac{\varepsilon}{2} \left[ 1 + \tanh(r - r_{\text{inj}}) \right] \frac{\kappa - 3}{6\kappa} \frac{m_p}{m_e} \sigma$$

$$\kappa := 2.8 + 0.7\sigma^{-1/2} + 3.7\sigma^{-0.19} \tanh(23.4\sigma^{0.26}\beta)$$

$r_{\text{inj}}$   $\rightarrow$  is the particle injection location

$\varepsilon$   $\rightarrow$  efficiency magnetic energy

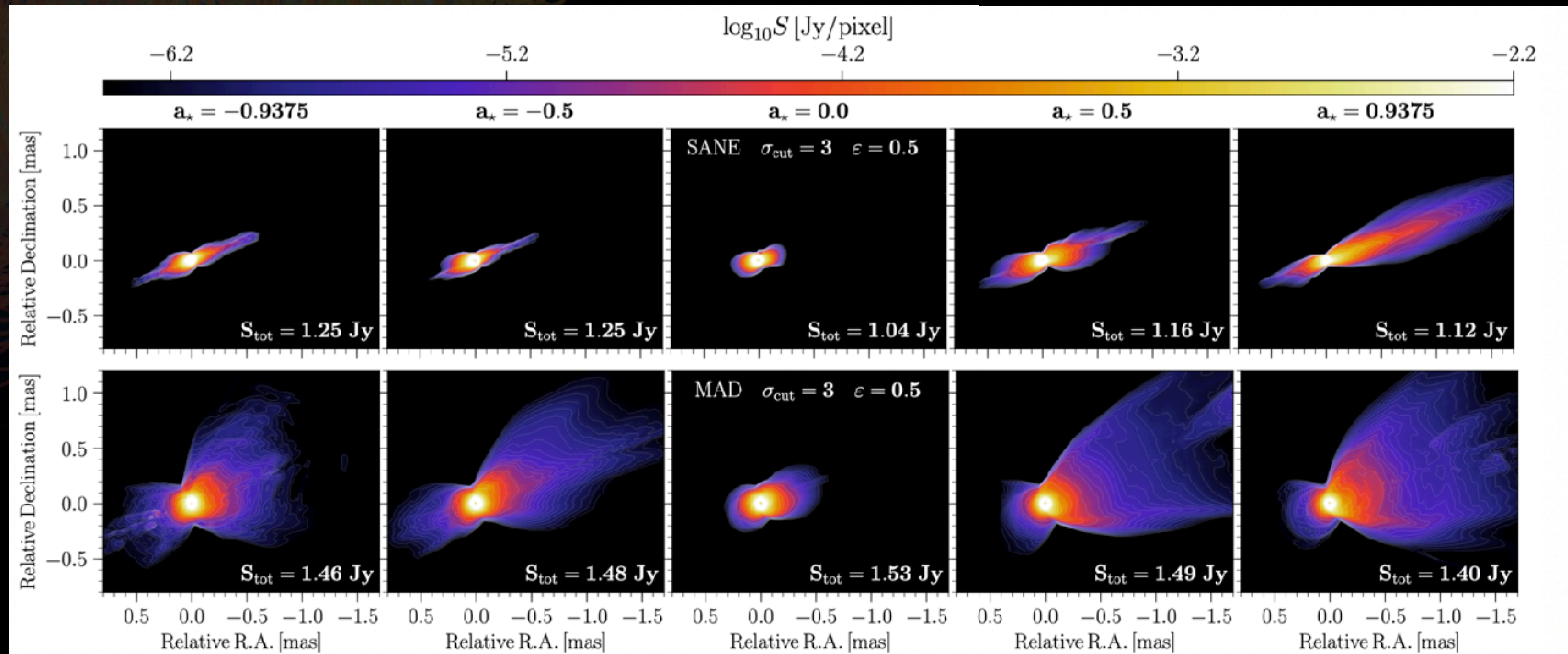
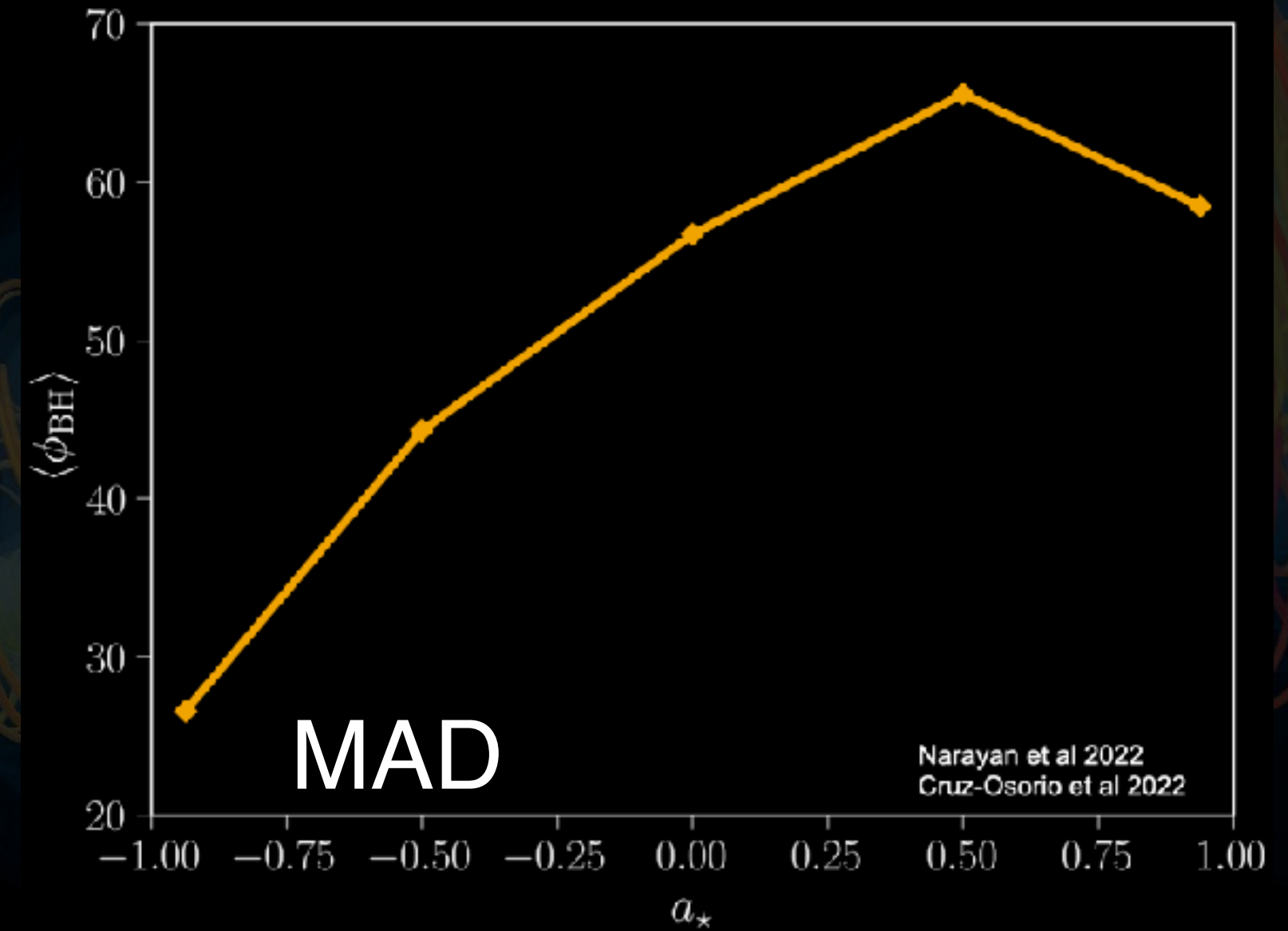
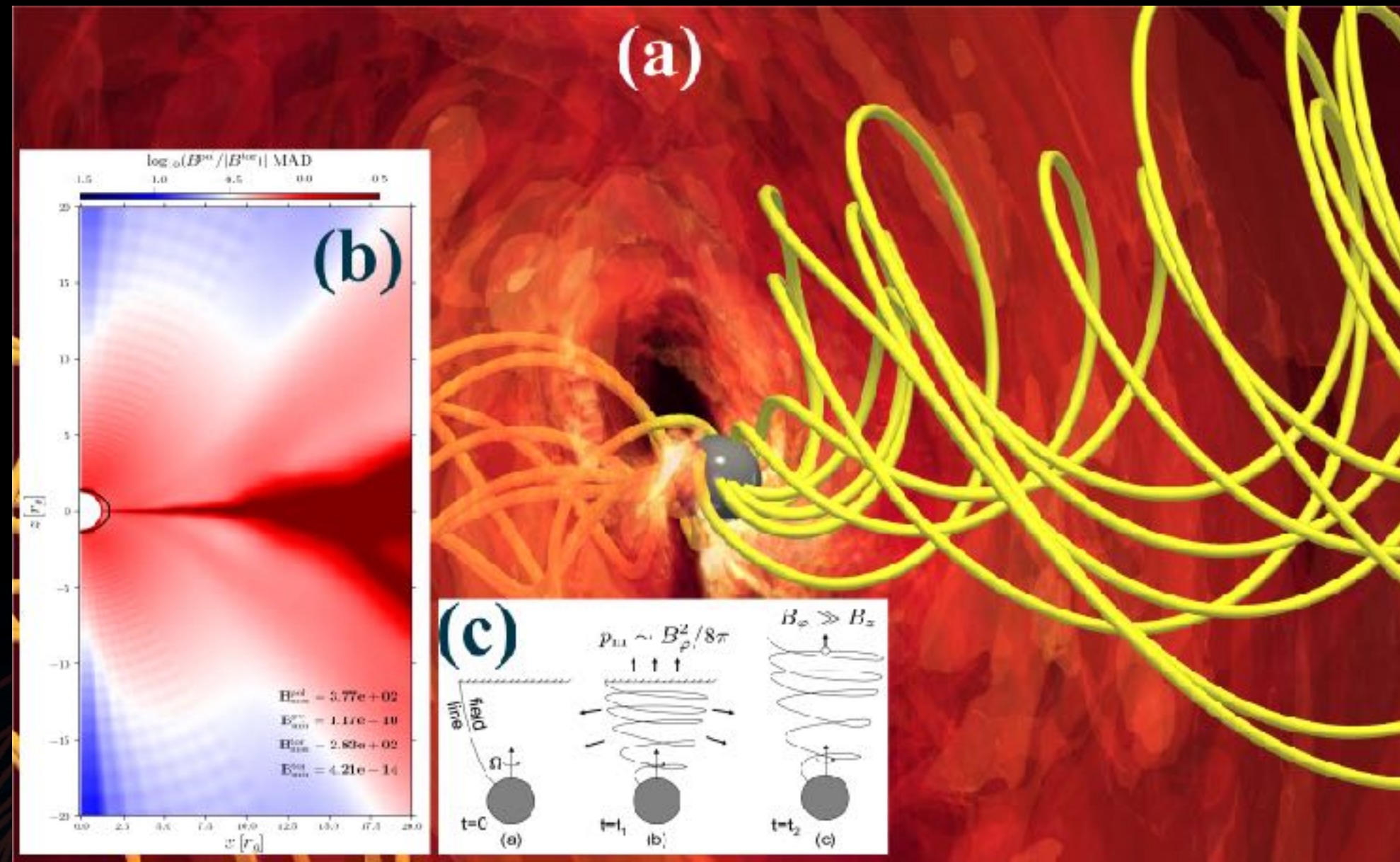
Bart Ripperda, Fabio Bacchini, Alexander A. Philippov ApJ 900 100 (2020)

Davelaar et.al. 2019, Ball et. al. 2018, Joonas Nättilä et. al. 2021,  
Comisso & Sironi 2018, 2019, Rowan et al 2017, Werner et al 2018, Sironi et al 2016.



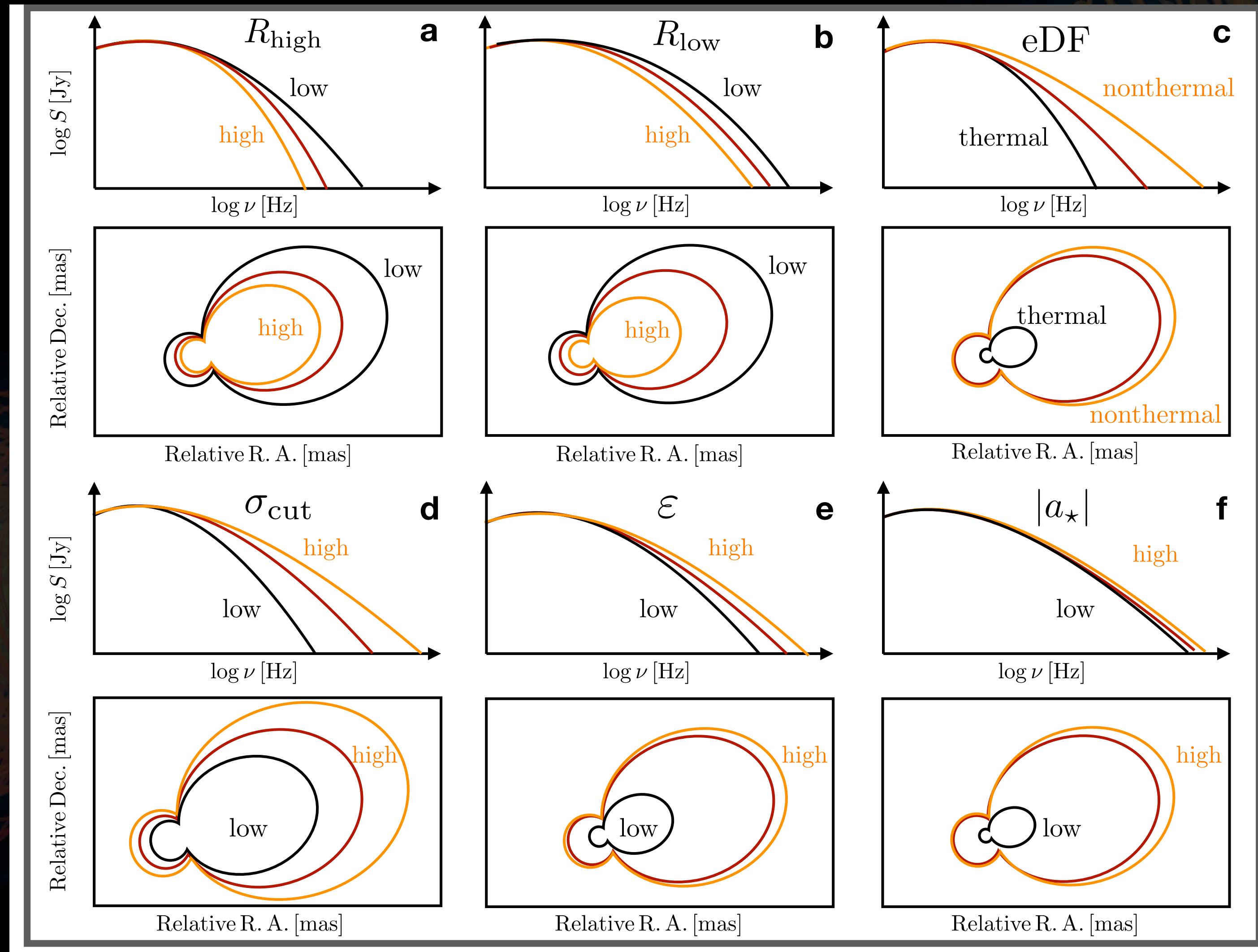
# Blandford-Znajek jet launching mechanism

Magnetic flux as function of BH spin





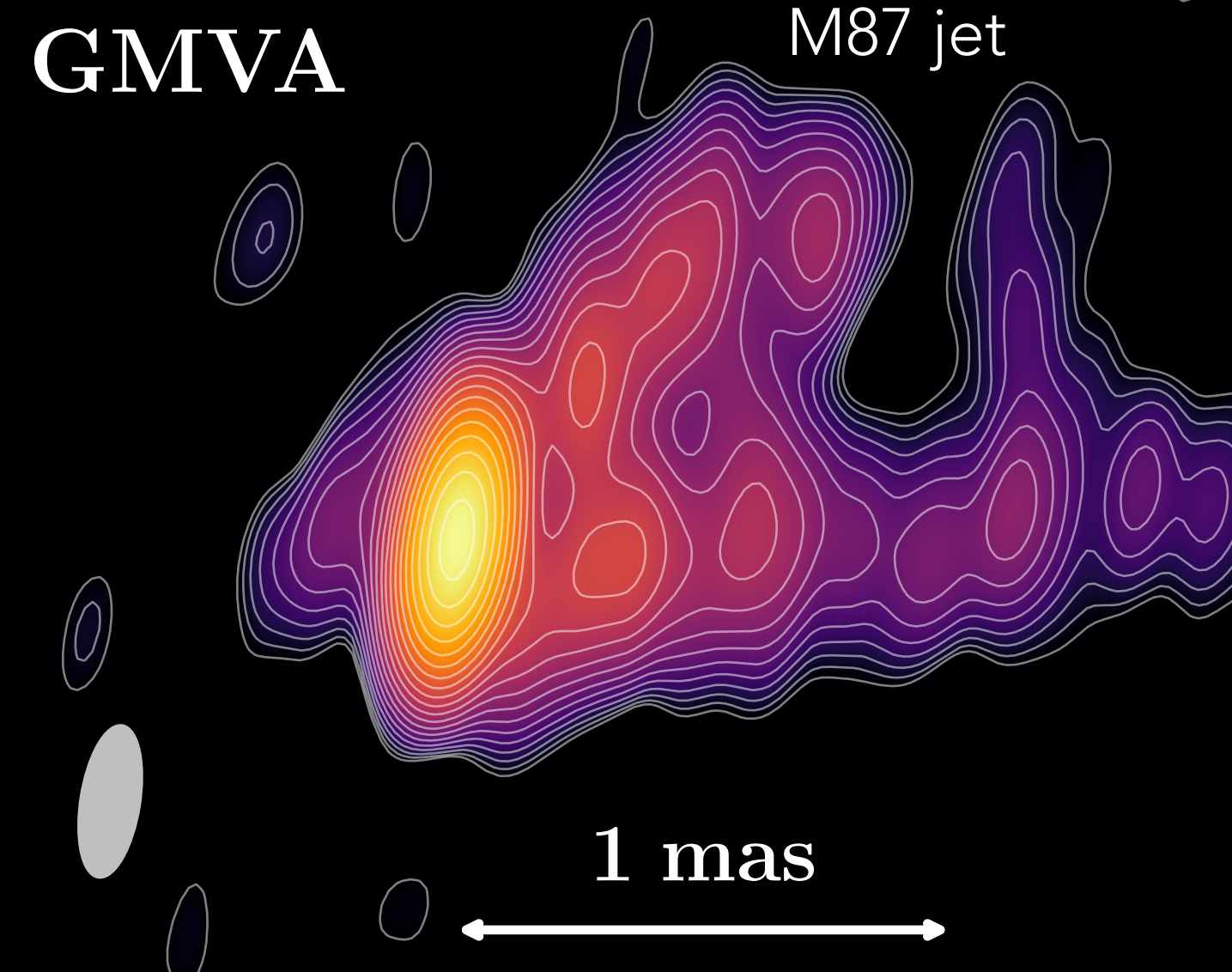
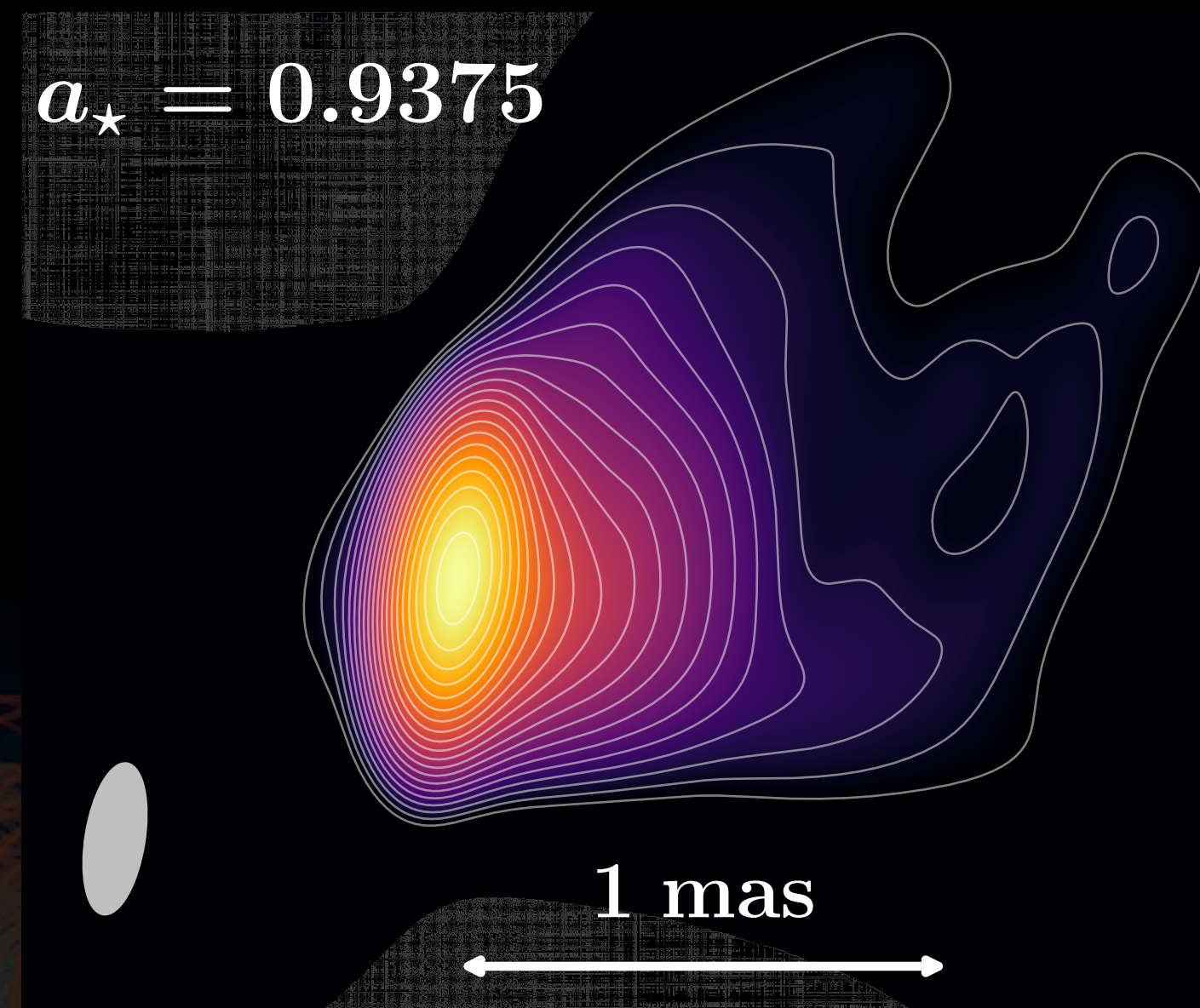
# Impact of parameters on SED & jet morphology



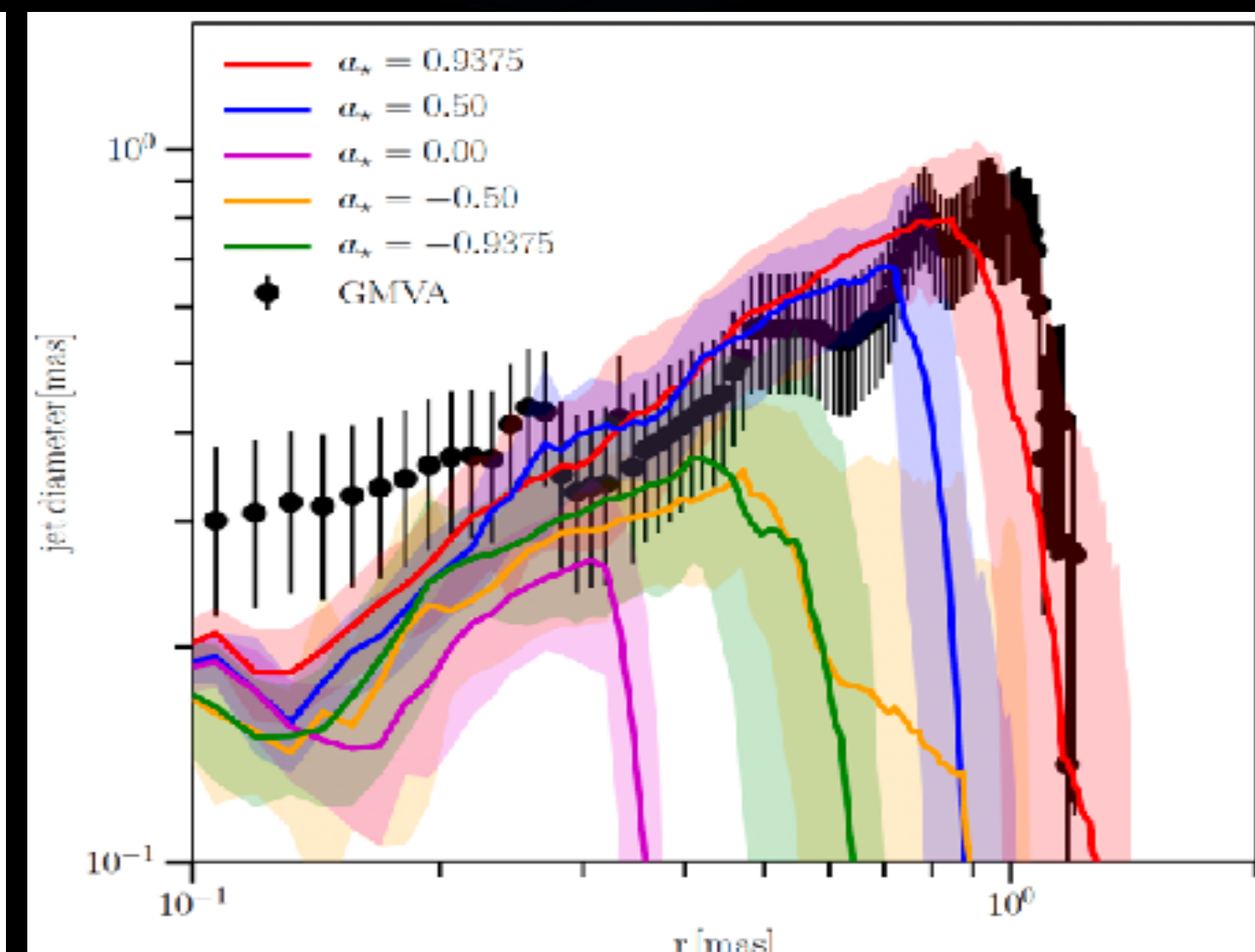
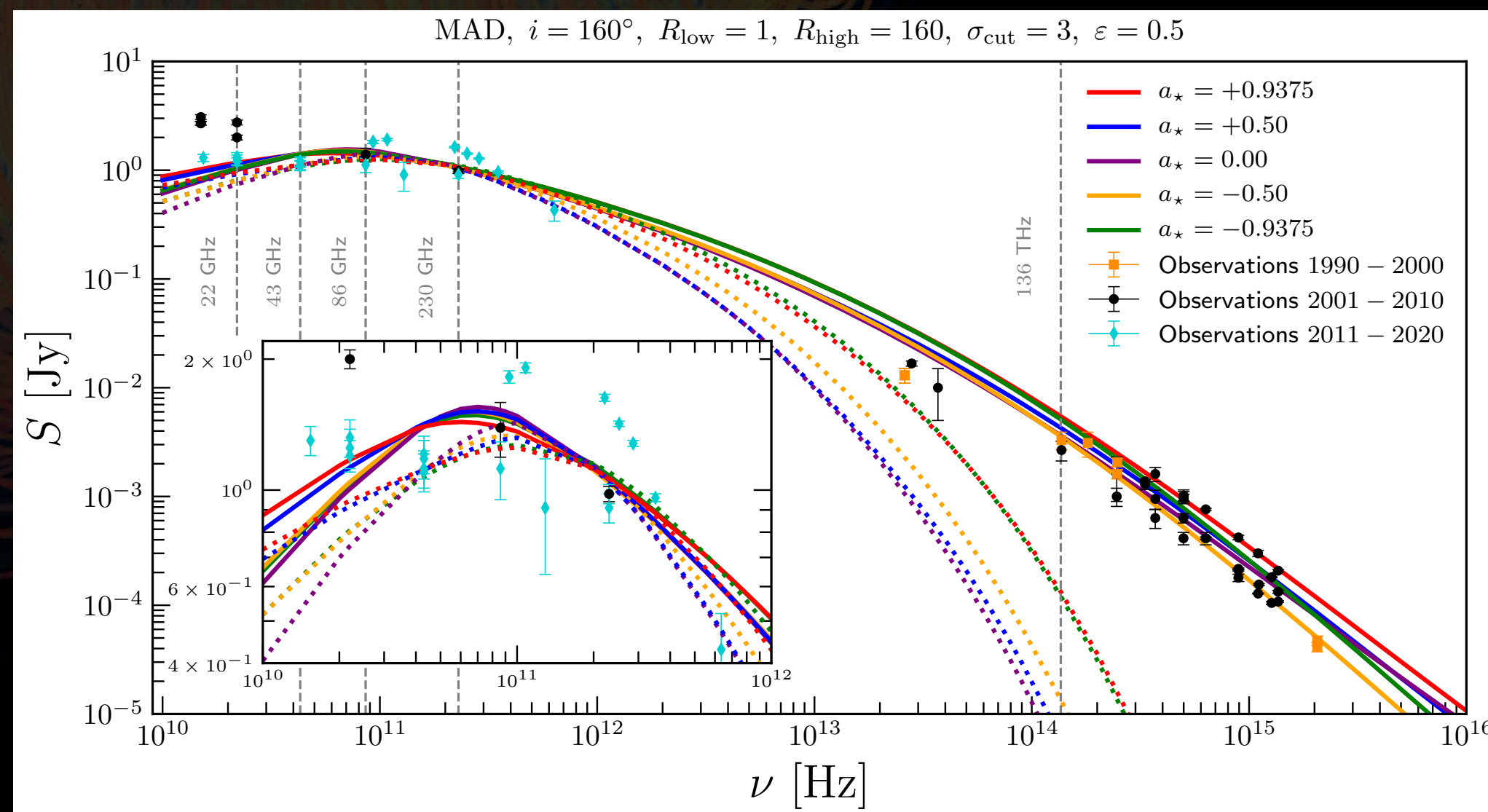
$$j_{\nu,\text{tot}} \propto \exp\left(-R_{\text{high}}^{2/3} \nu^{1/3}\right) + \nu^{-(\kappa-2)/2} \left[1/R_{\text{high}} + \epsilon\sigma\right]^{\kappa-2}$$



# M87 jet morphology, jet width & SED



GMVA: Kim et. al. Astronomy & Astrophysics 616, A188 (2018).

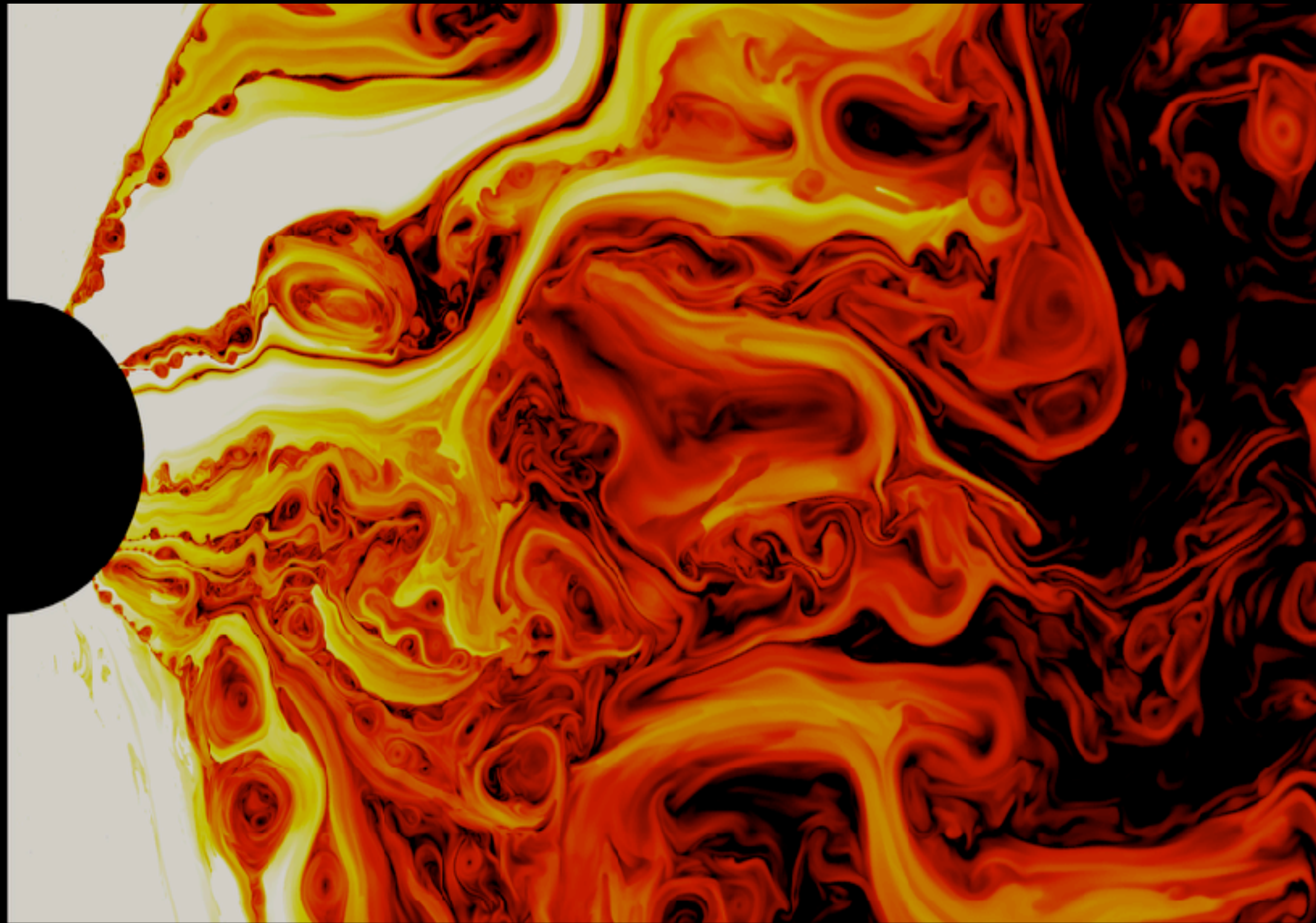


Spectrum:  
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 Akiyama et. al. 2015  
 Prieto et. al. 2016,  
 Kim et. al. 2018



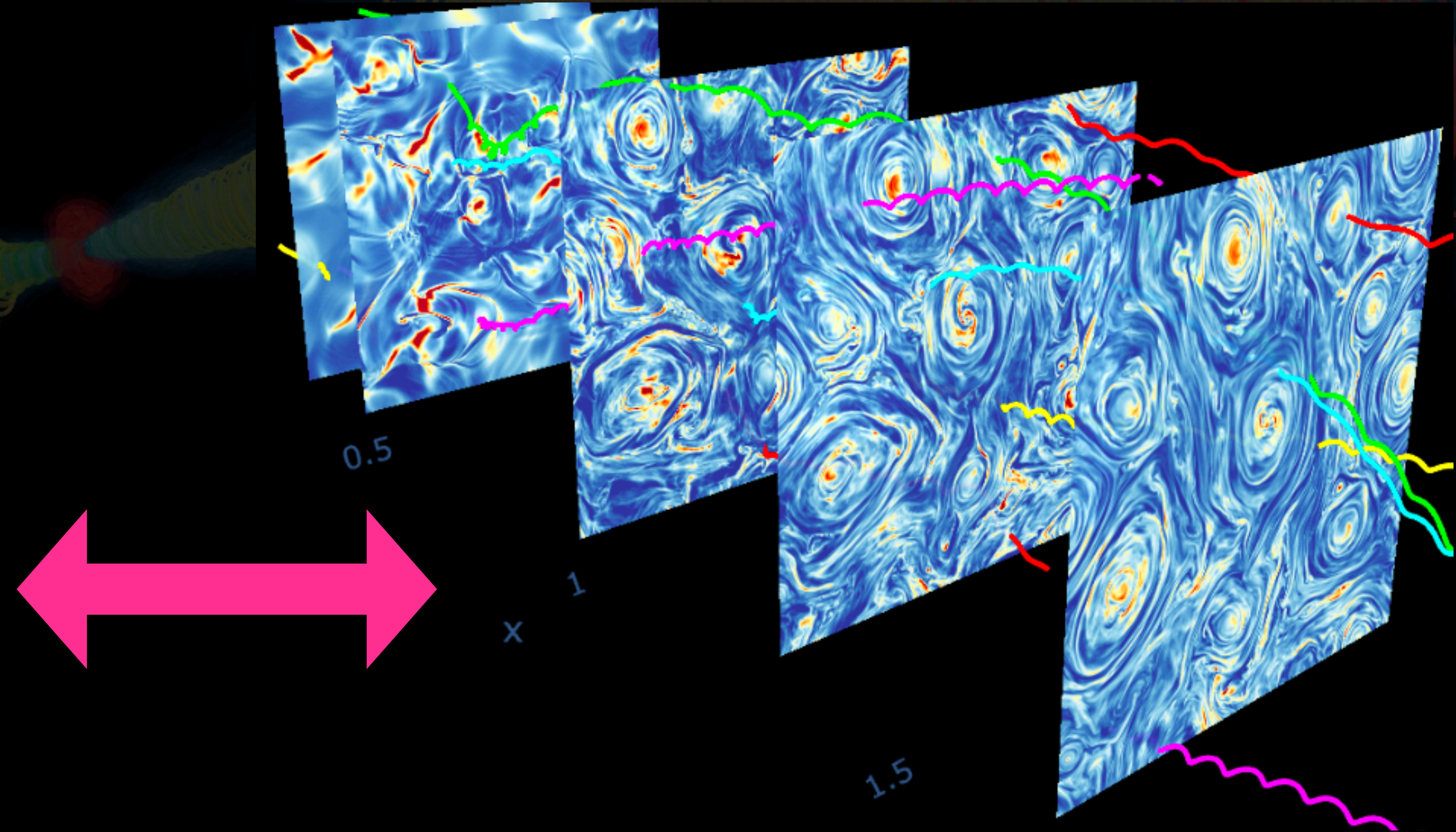
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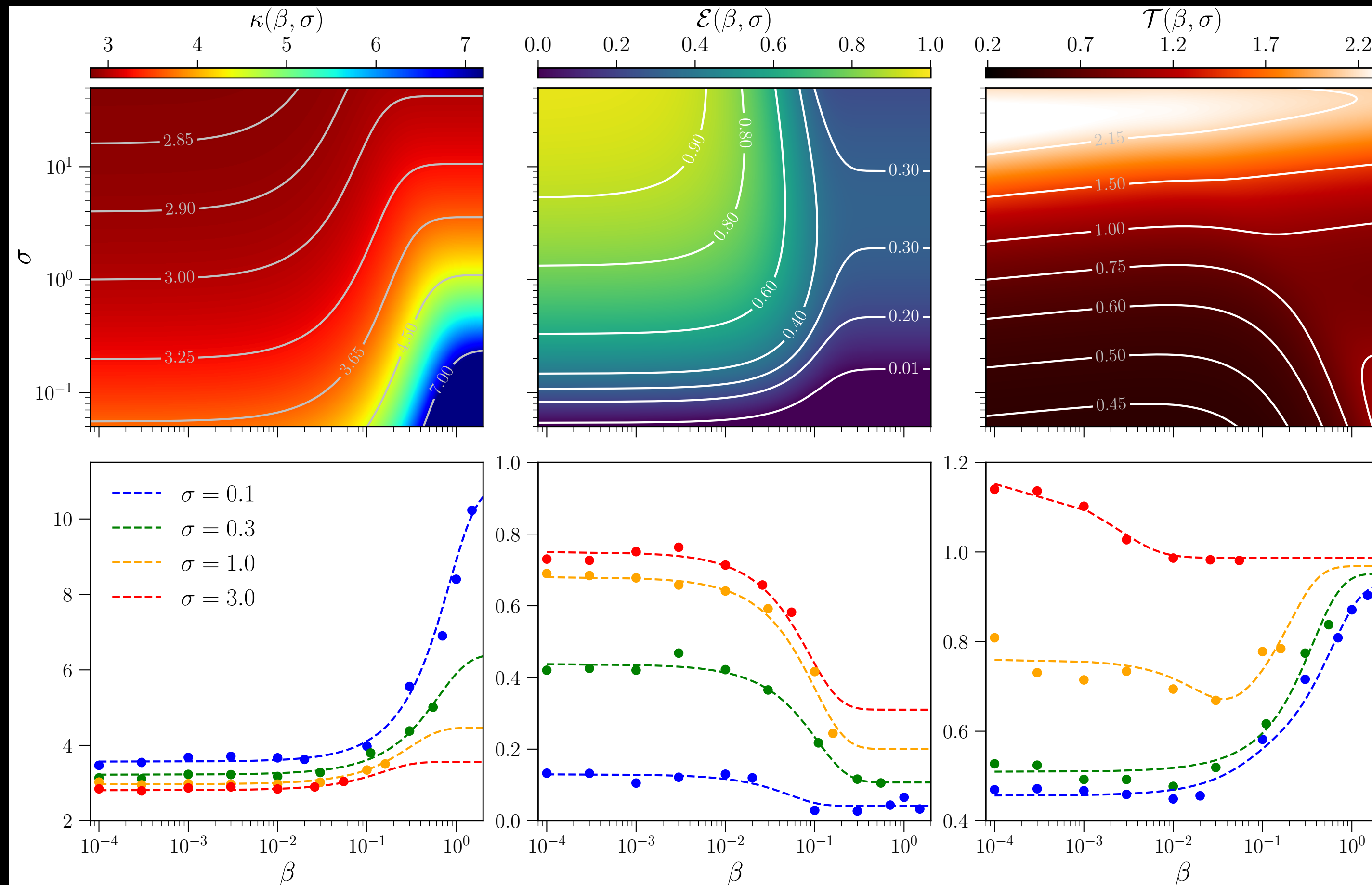
Turbulence (PIC simulations)



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# Power law, efficiency & electron-to-proton temperature from PIC turbulence simulations



Non-thermal power-law

$$\kappa(\beta, \sigma) = k_0 + \frac{k_1}{\sqrt{\sigma}} + k_2 \sigma^{-6/10} \tanh [k_3 \beta \sigma^{1/3}]$$

Efficiency to generate non-thermal particles

$$\mathcal{E} := \frac{\int_{\gamma_0}^{\infty} [dN/d\gamma - f_{\text{MJ}}(\gamma, \theta)] (\gamma - 1) d\gamma}{\int_{\gamma_0}^{\infty} (dN/d\gamma) (\gamma - 1) d\gamma}$$

$$\mathcal{E}(\beta, \sigma) = e_0 + \frac{e_1}{\sqrt{\sigma}} + e_2 \sigma^{1/10} \tanh [e_3 \beta \sigma^{1/10}]$$

Electron-to-Proton temperature ratio

$$\mathcal{T}(\beta, \sigma) = t_0 + t_1 \sigma^{\tau_1} \tanh [t_2 \beta \sigma^{\tau_2}] + t_2 \sigma^{\tau_3} \tanh [t_3 \beta^{\tau_4} \sigma]$$

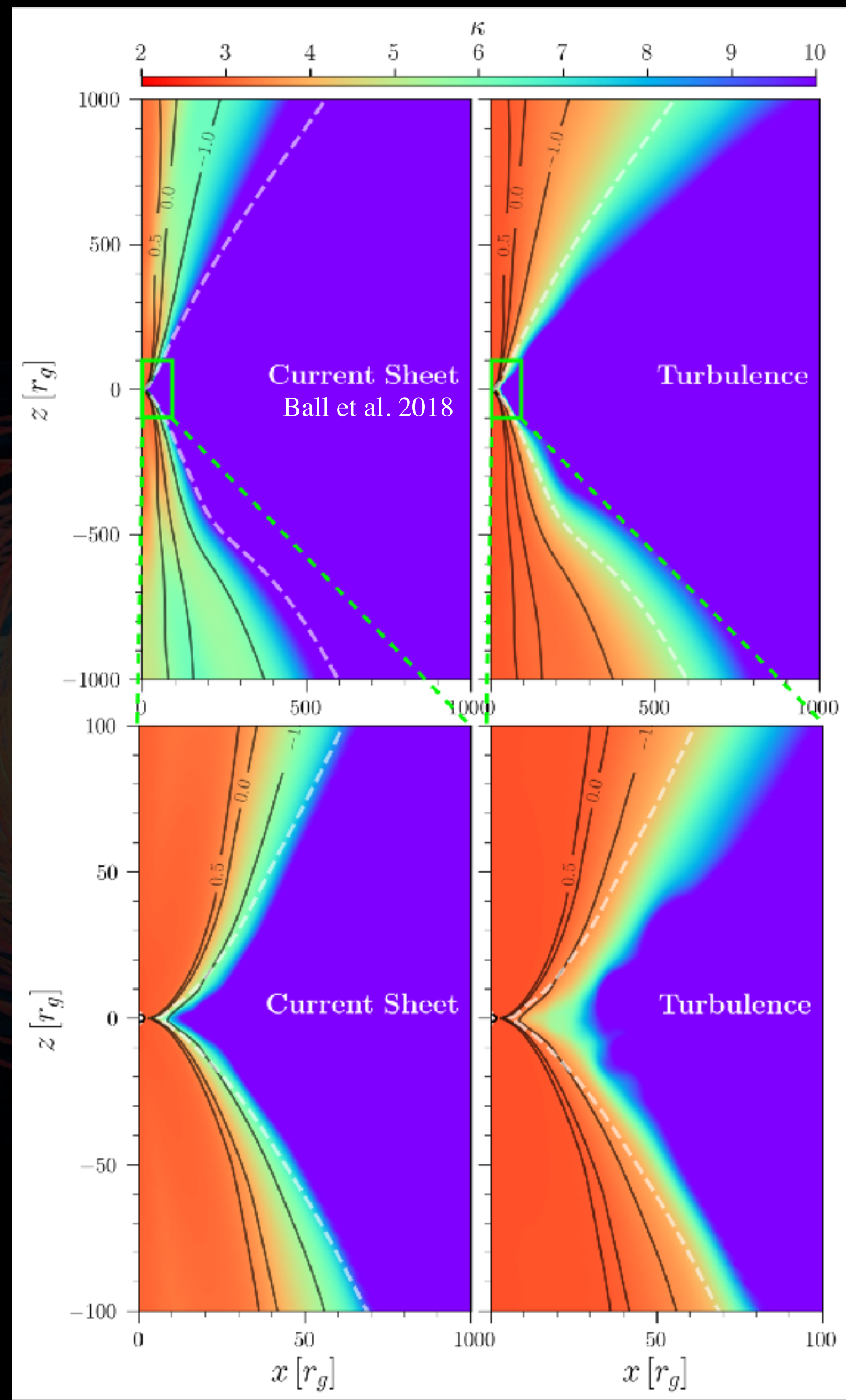
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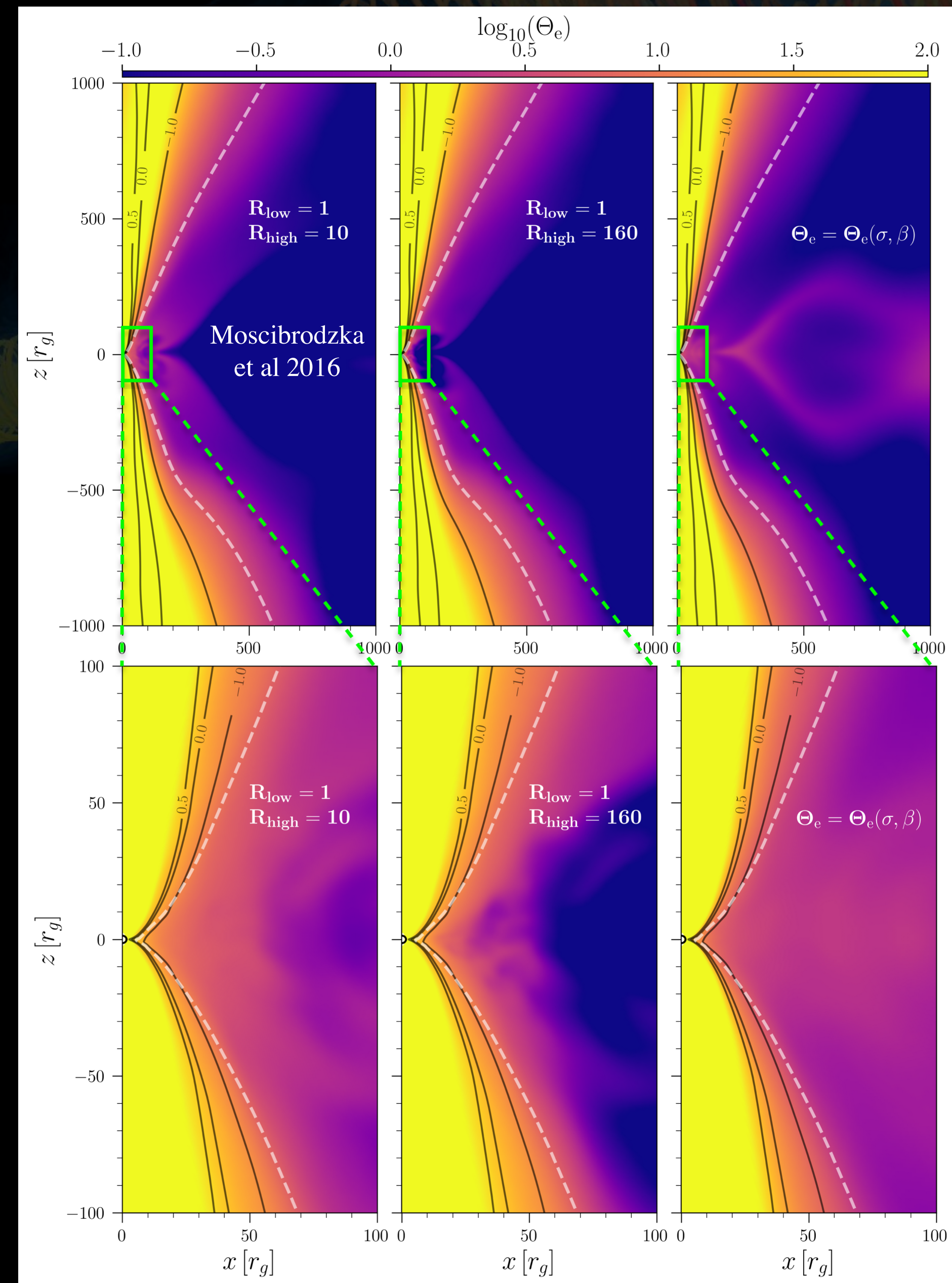


# Connection to the GRMHD simulations ...

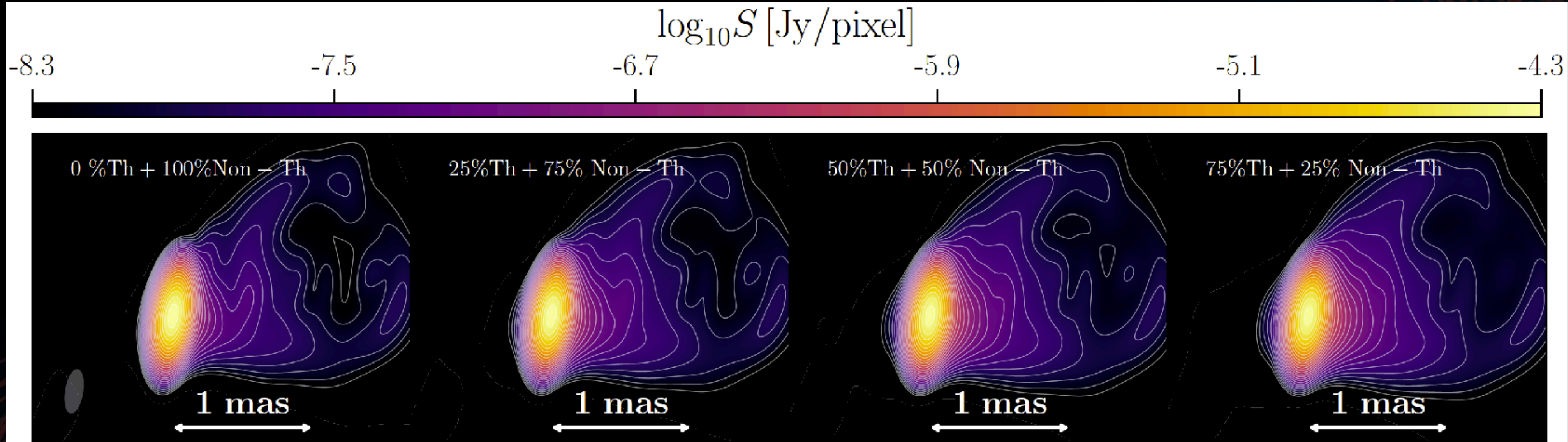
## Non-Thermal particle population



## Electron temperature



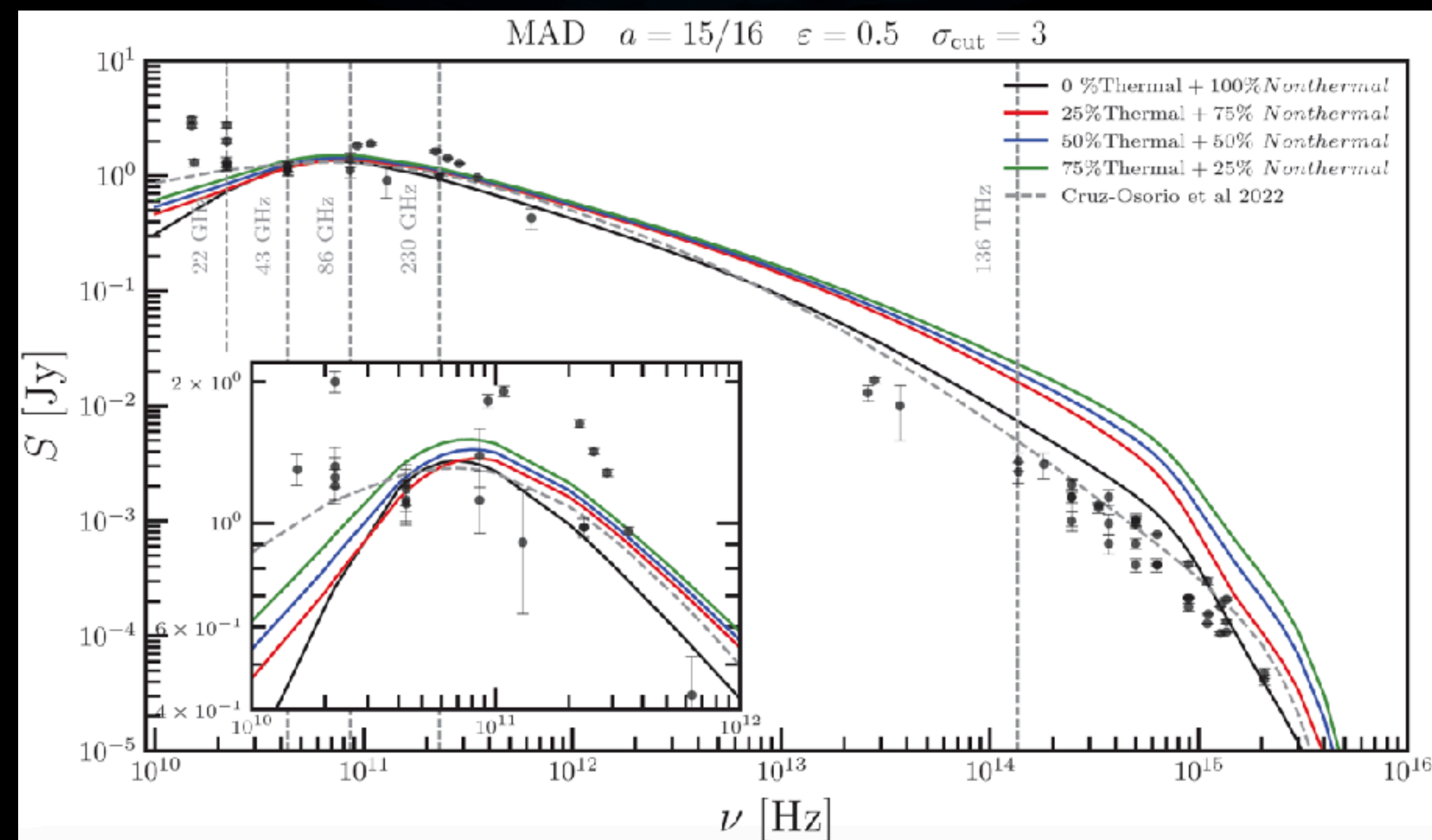




## Mixed Thermal & Nonthermal emission

$$j_\nu = (1 - \epsilon)j_{\nu,th} + \epsilon j_{\nu,Nonth}$$

$$\epsilon(\sigma, \beta) = \xi(1 - e^{-\beta^{-2}})(1 - e^{-\sigma^2/\sigma_{min}^2})$$





## Final Comments:

- ✓ Two electron-to-proton temperature models: R-beta and Nonparametric from PIC simulations
- ✓ Presented a phenomenological model of jet limb brightening
- ✓ Comparison of 86GHz GMVA image and observed multifrequency spectrum
- ✓ Constrained model parameters
- ✓ We explored the effects of using mixed thermal & nonthermal emission
- Microphysical plasma relations are useful for modelling of Black Hole shadows and Relativistic Jets