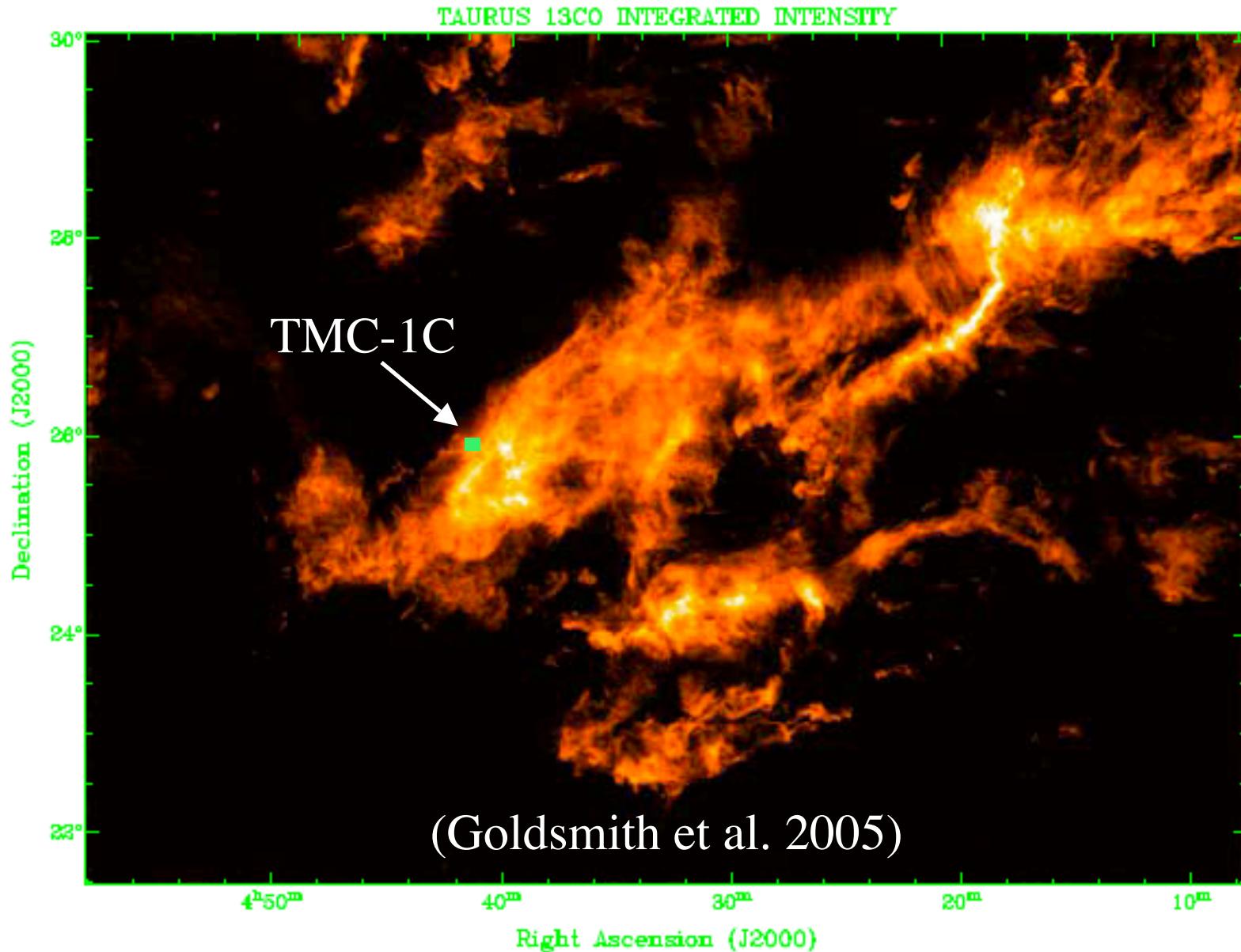


# The Wonders of TMC-1C

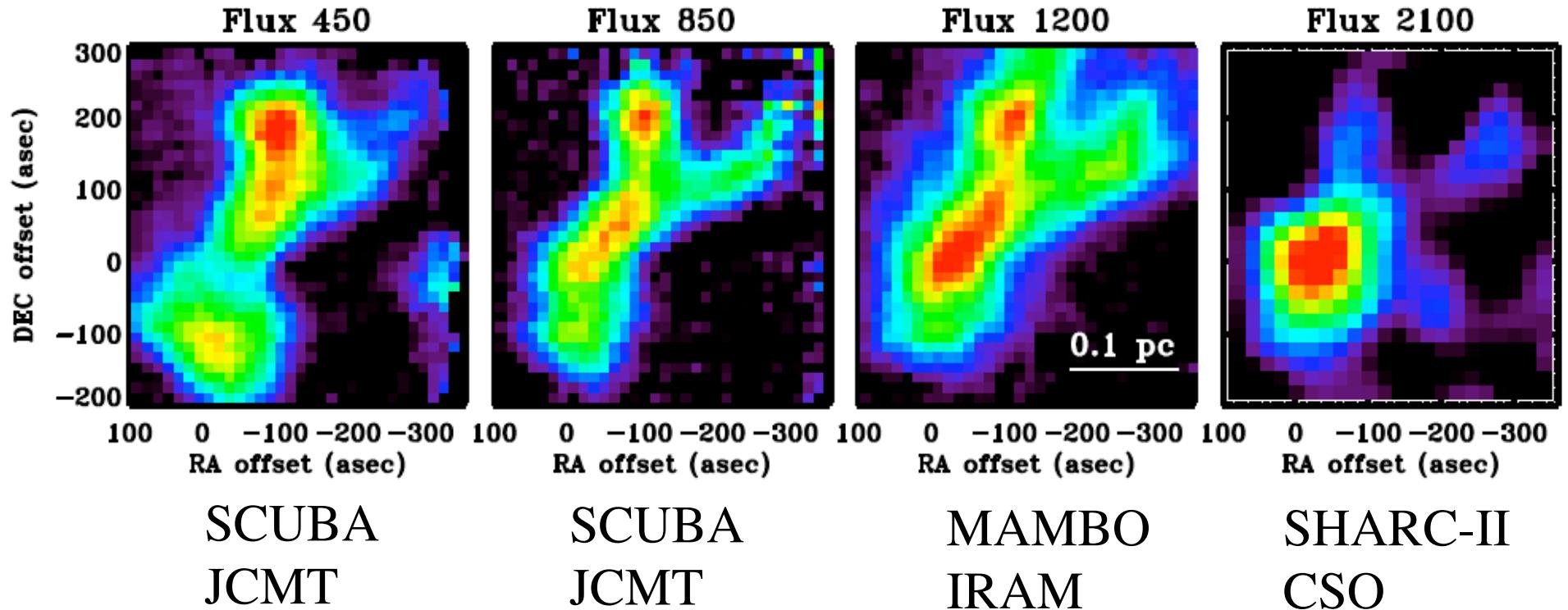
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# Taurus in $^{13}\text{CO}$ (1-0)



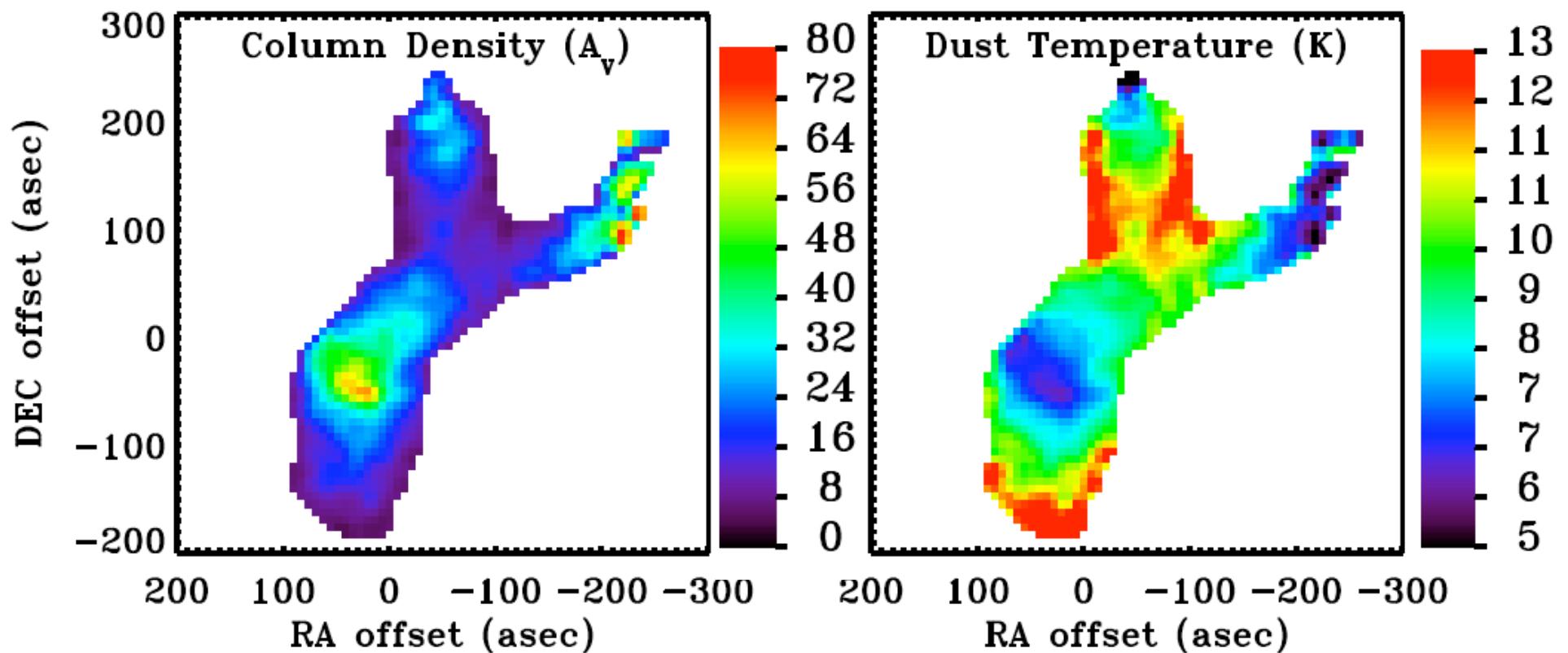
# TMC-1C Dust Emission



$$S_{\lambda} \propto N_H B_{\lambda}(T_d) \lambda^{-\beta}$$

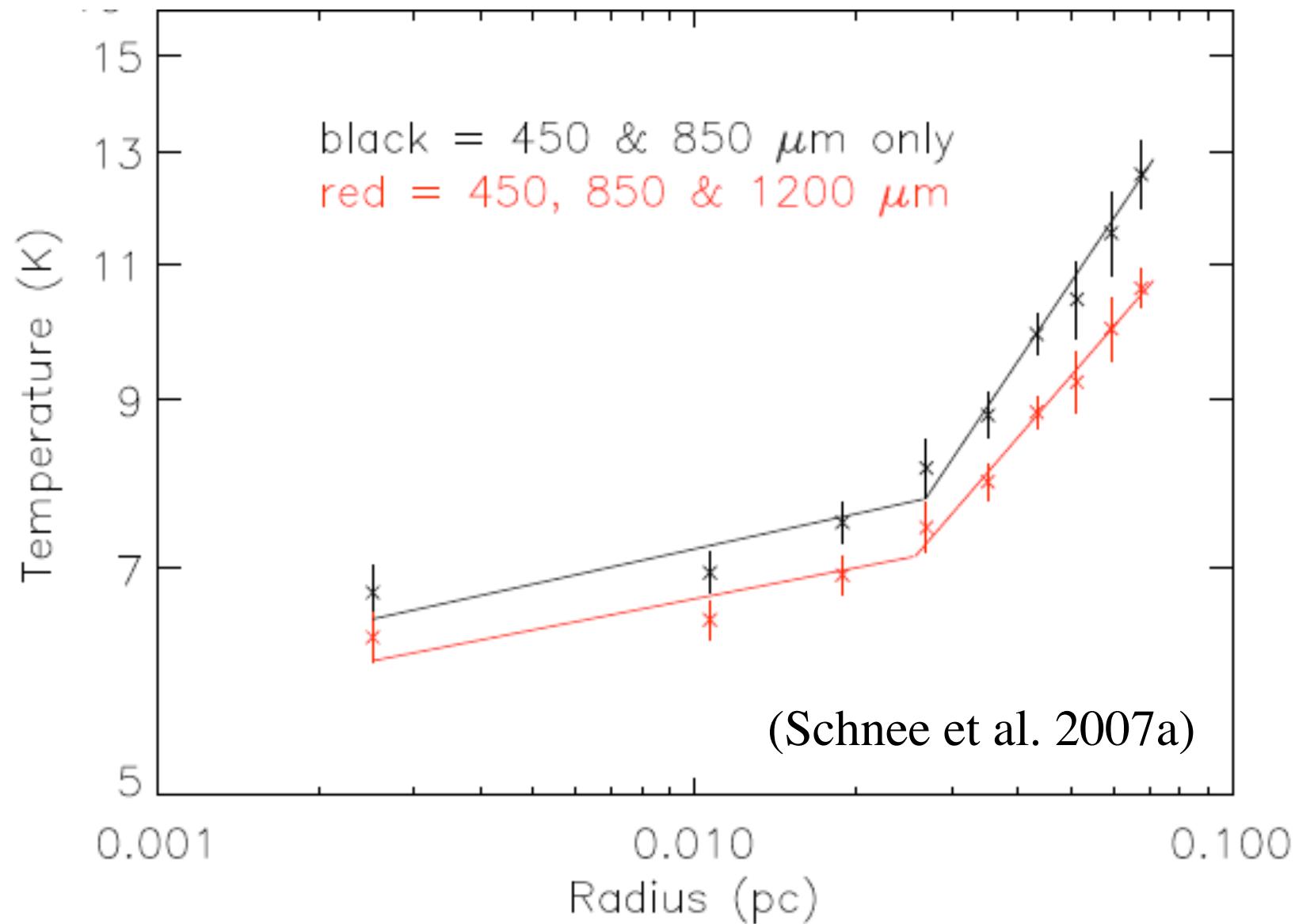
# Column Density & Temperature

$$\beta = 1.75$$



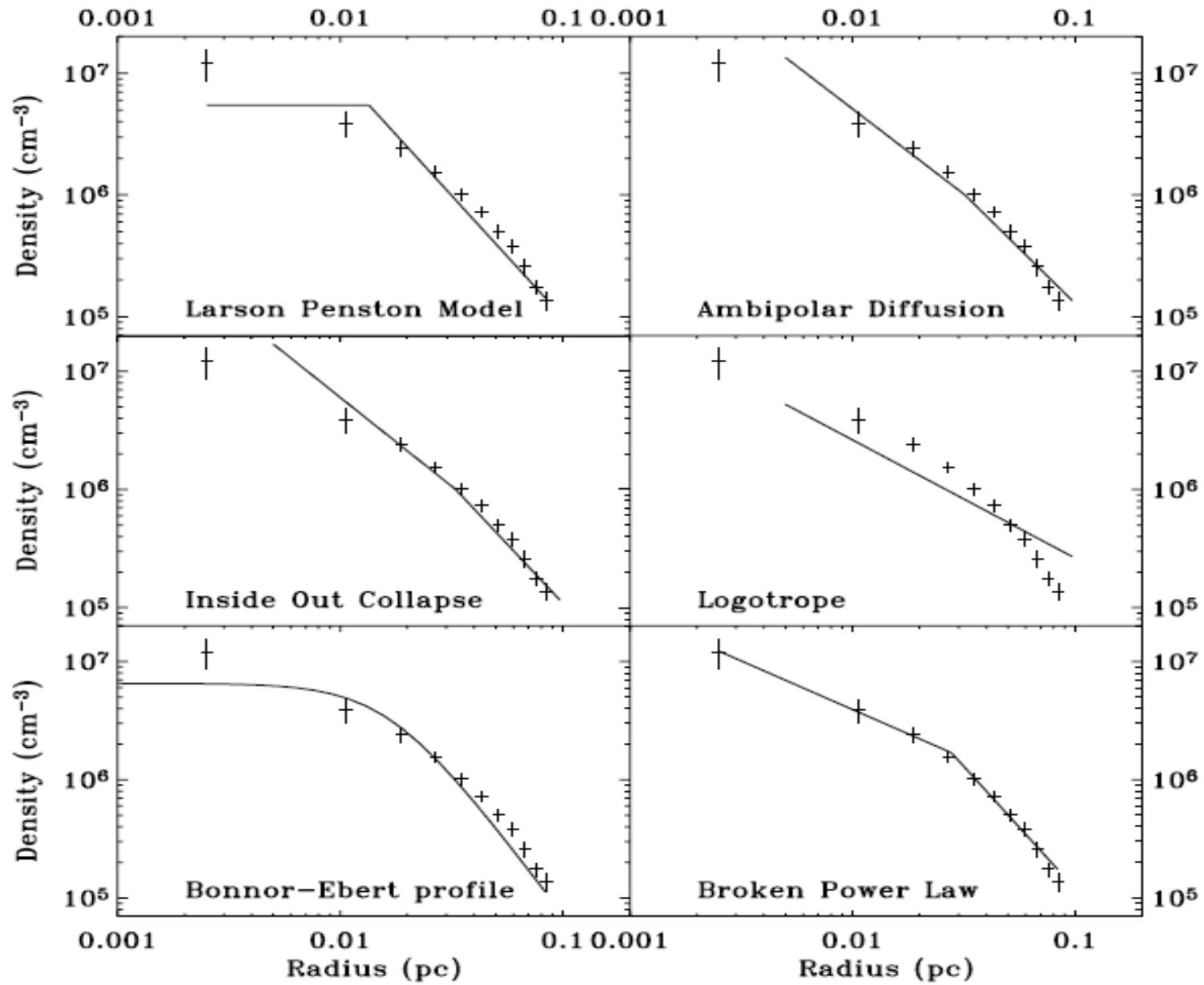
(Schnee et al. 2007a)

# TMC-1C Temperature Profile



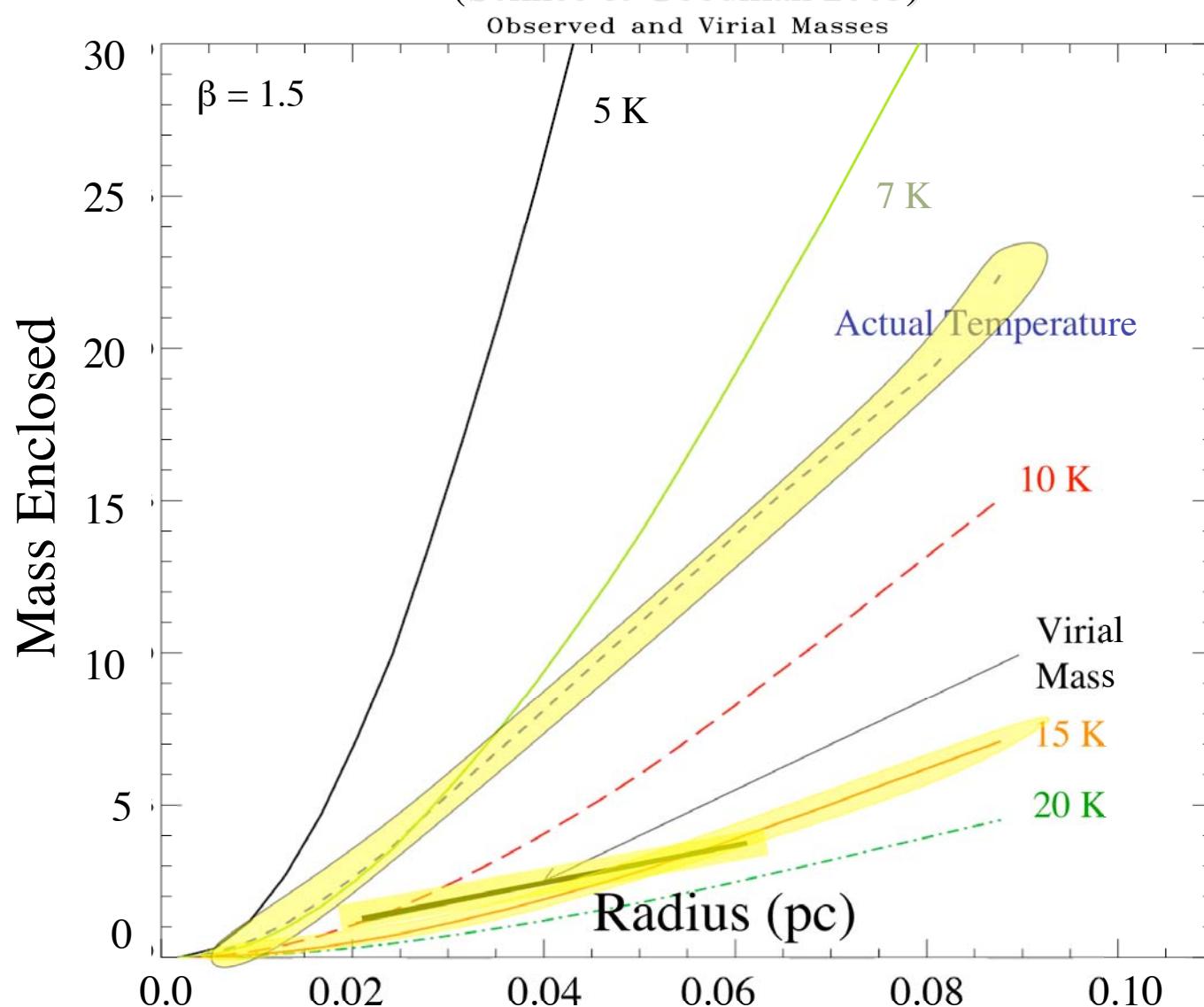
# Density From Dust Emission

(Schnee & Goodman 2005)



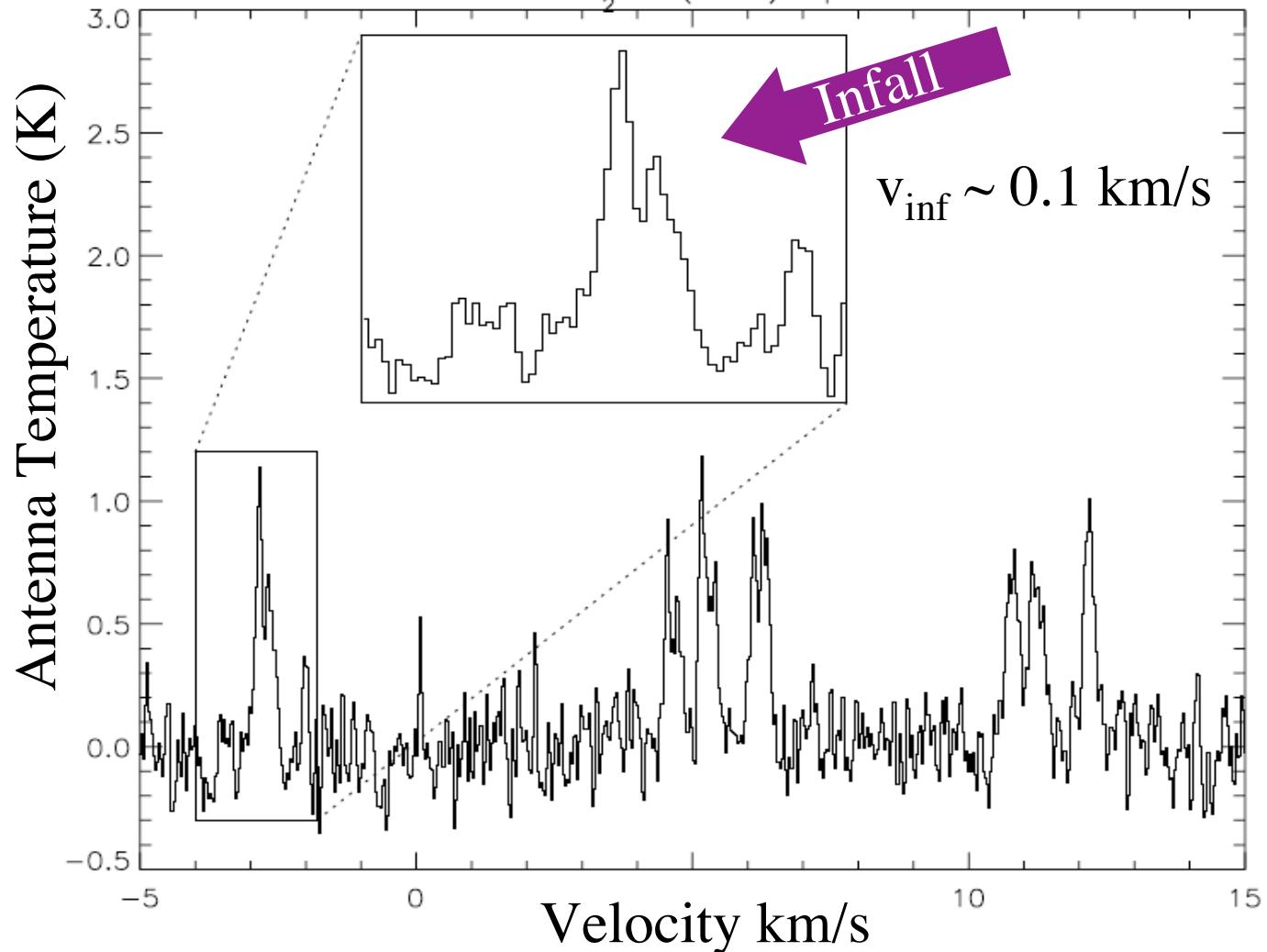
# Mass From Dust Emission

(Schnee & Goodman 2005)

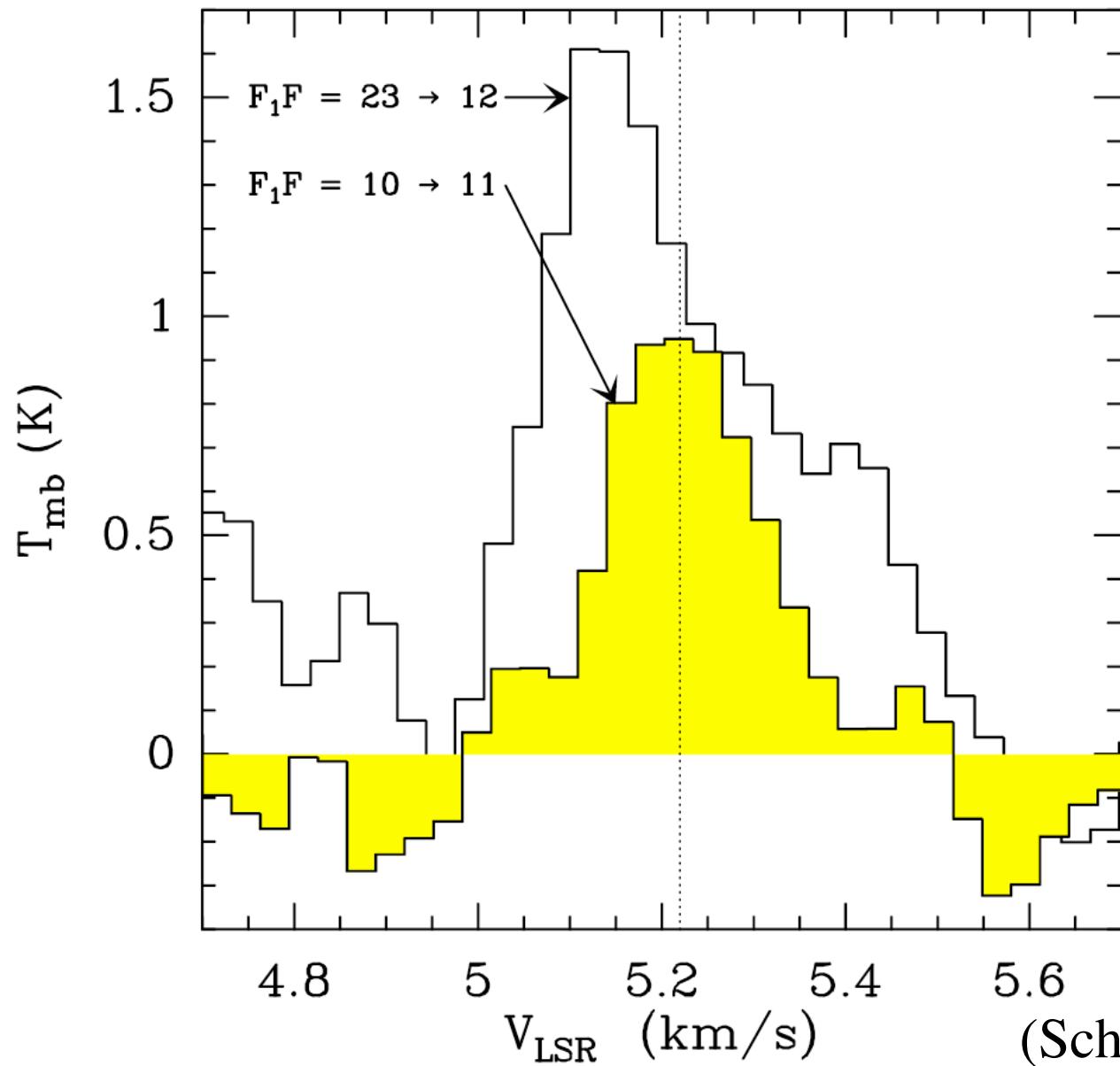


# $\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$ Spectrum

(Schnee & Goodman, 2005)  
TMC-1C  $\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$  (1-0) Spectrum

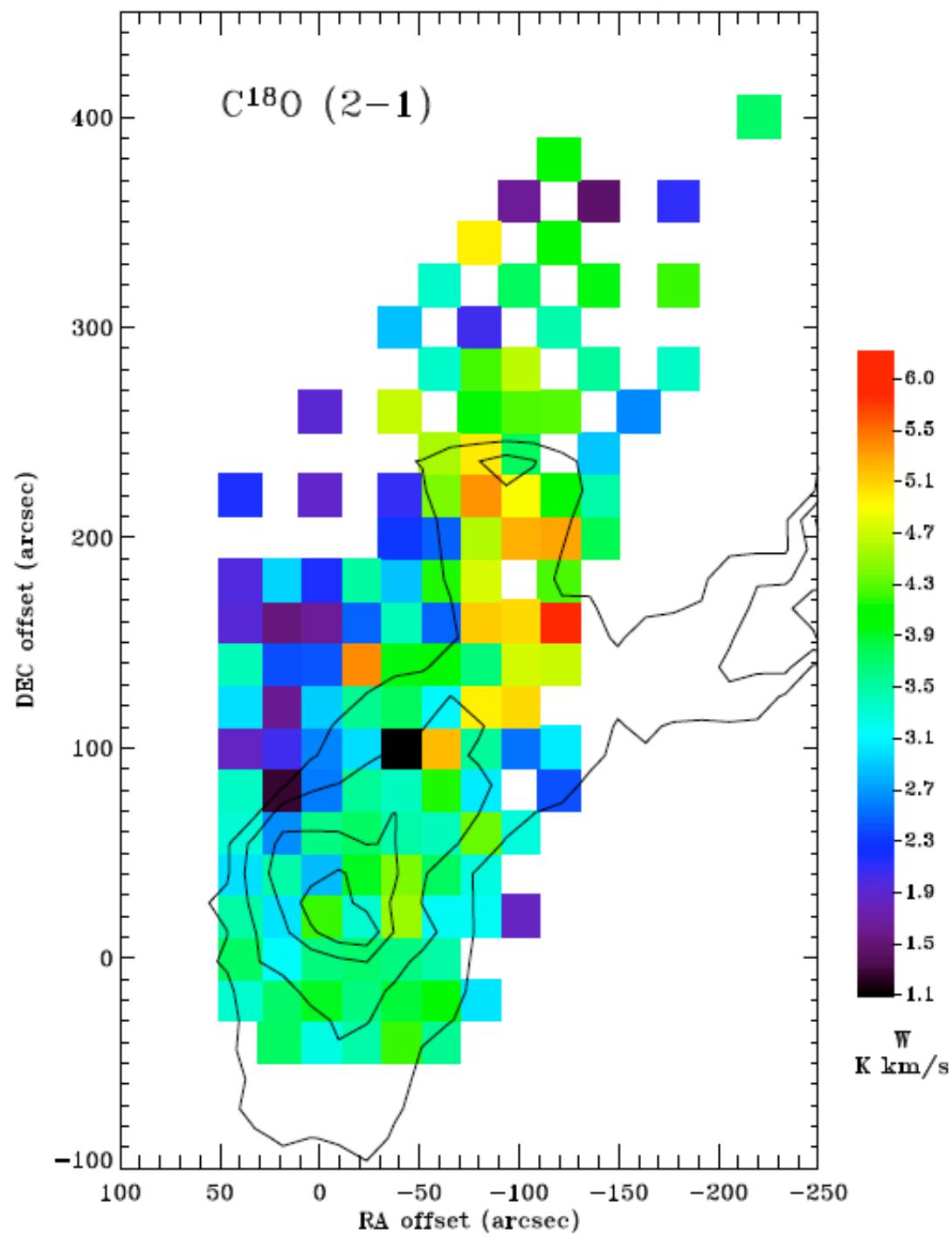


# $\text{N}_2\text{H}^+$ Infall



(Schnee et al. 2007b)

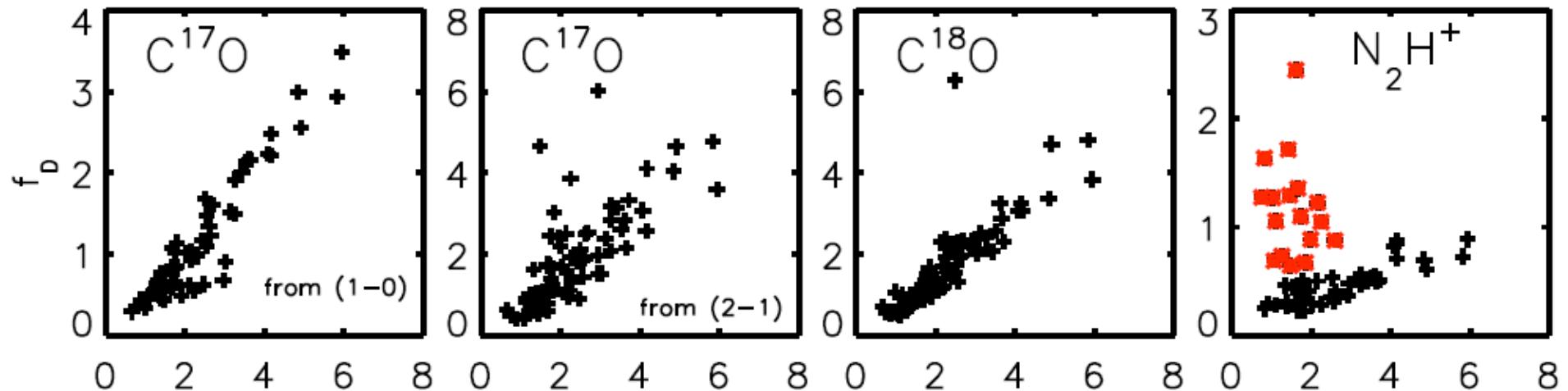
# Gas Depletion



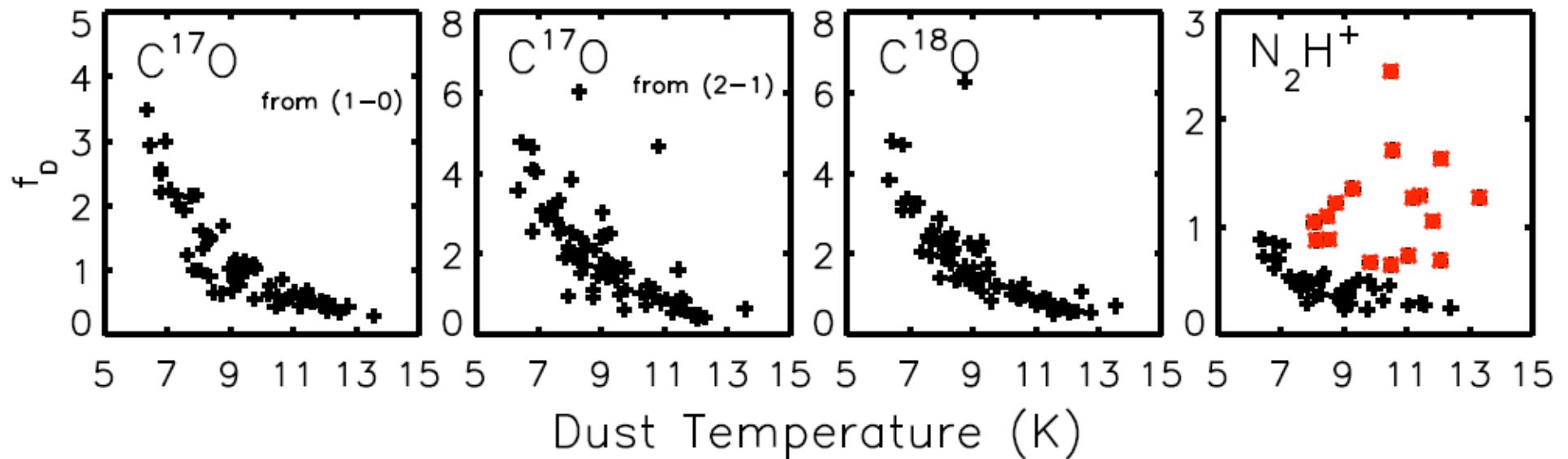
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# Depletion vs. $N_{\text{H}}$ and $T_d$

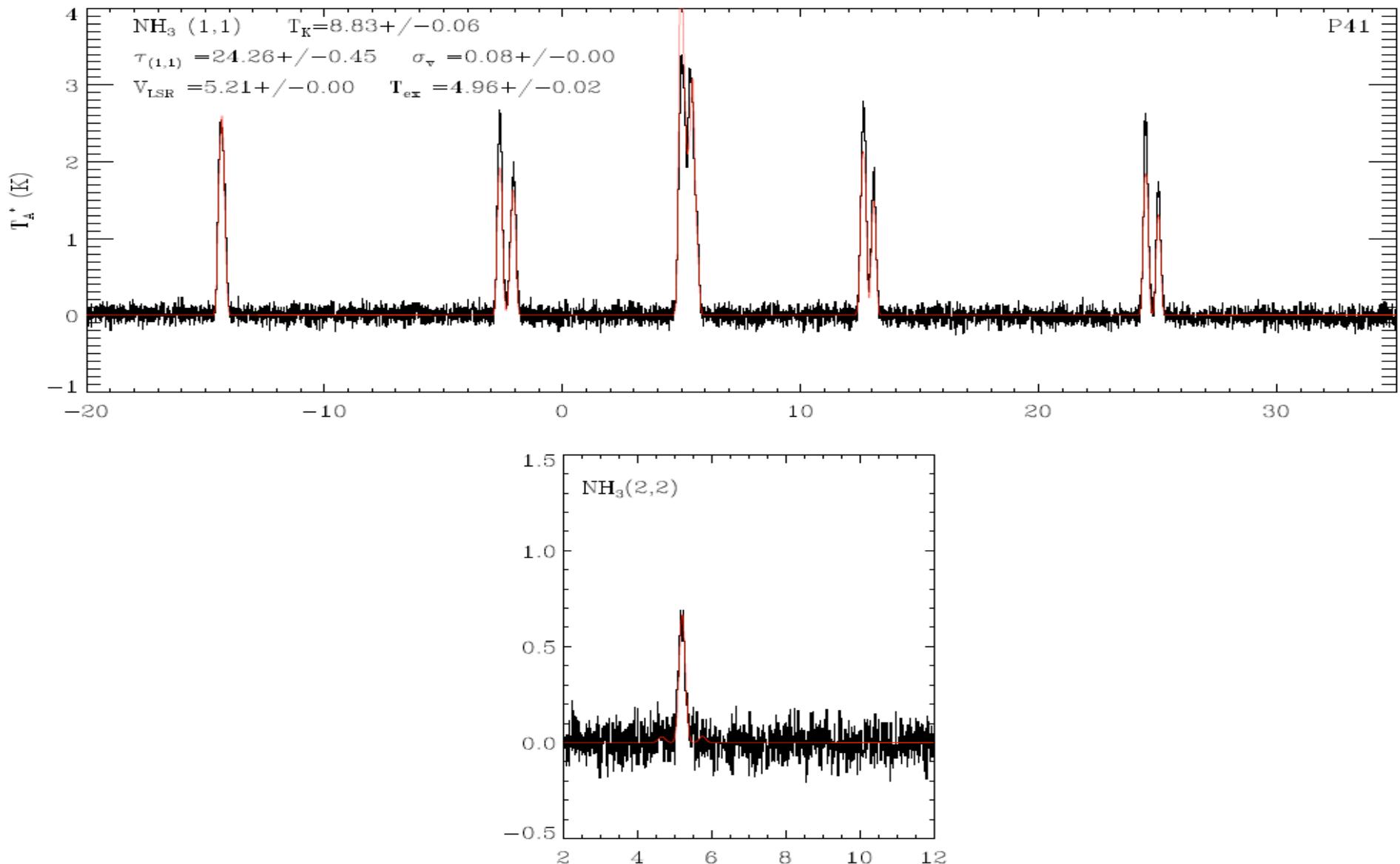
$N(\text{H}_2)/10^{22} \text{ (cm}^{-2}\text{)}$



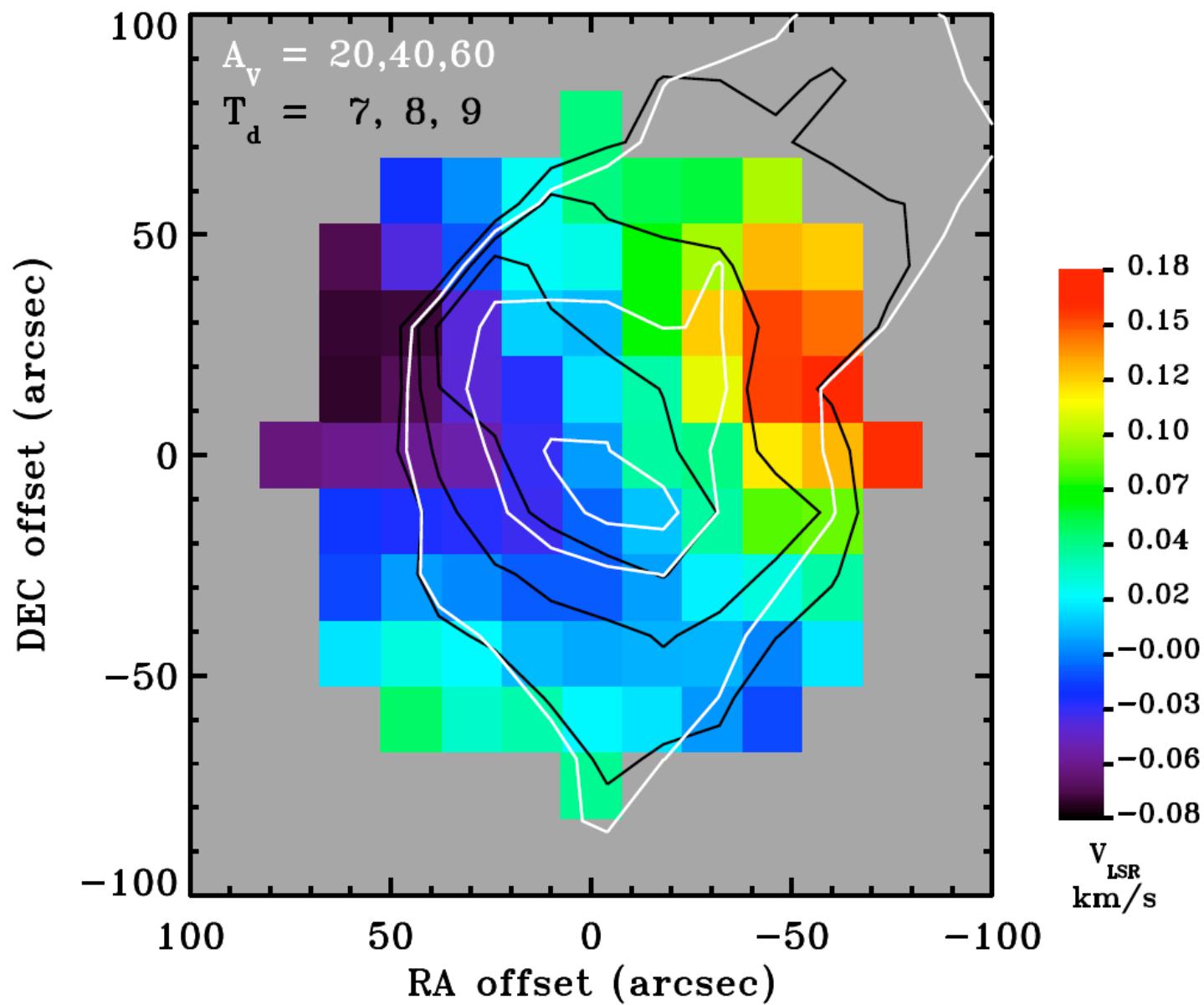
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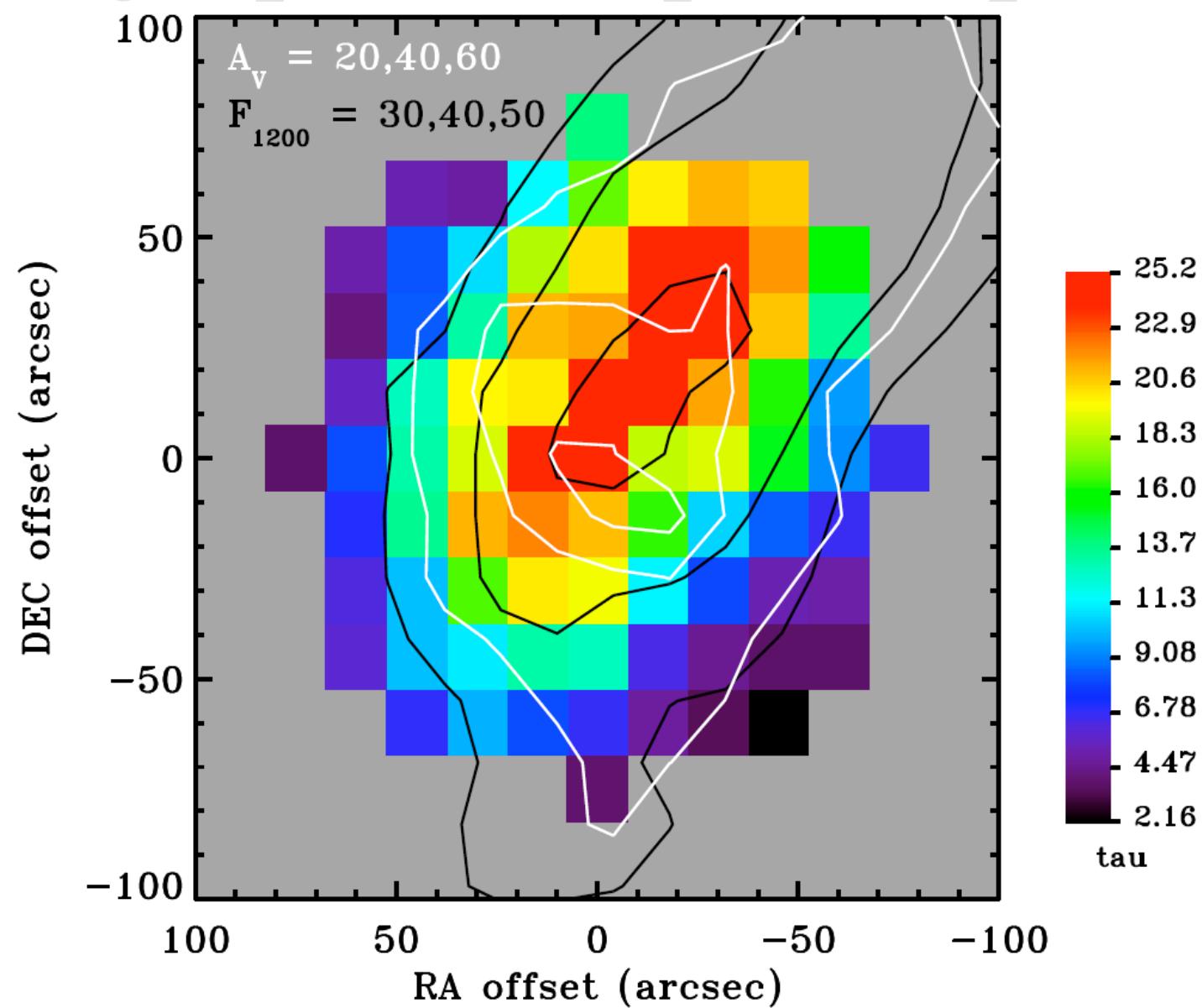
# NH<sub>3</sub> Spectrum - GBT



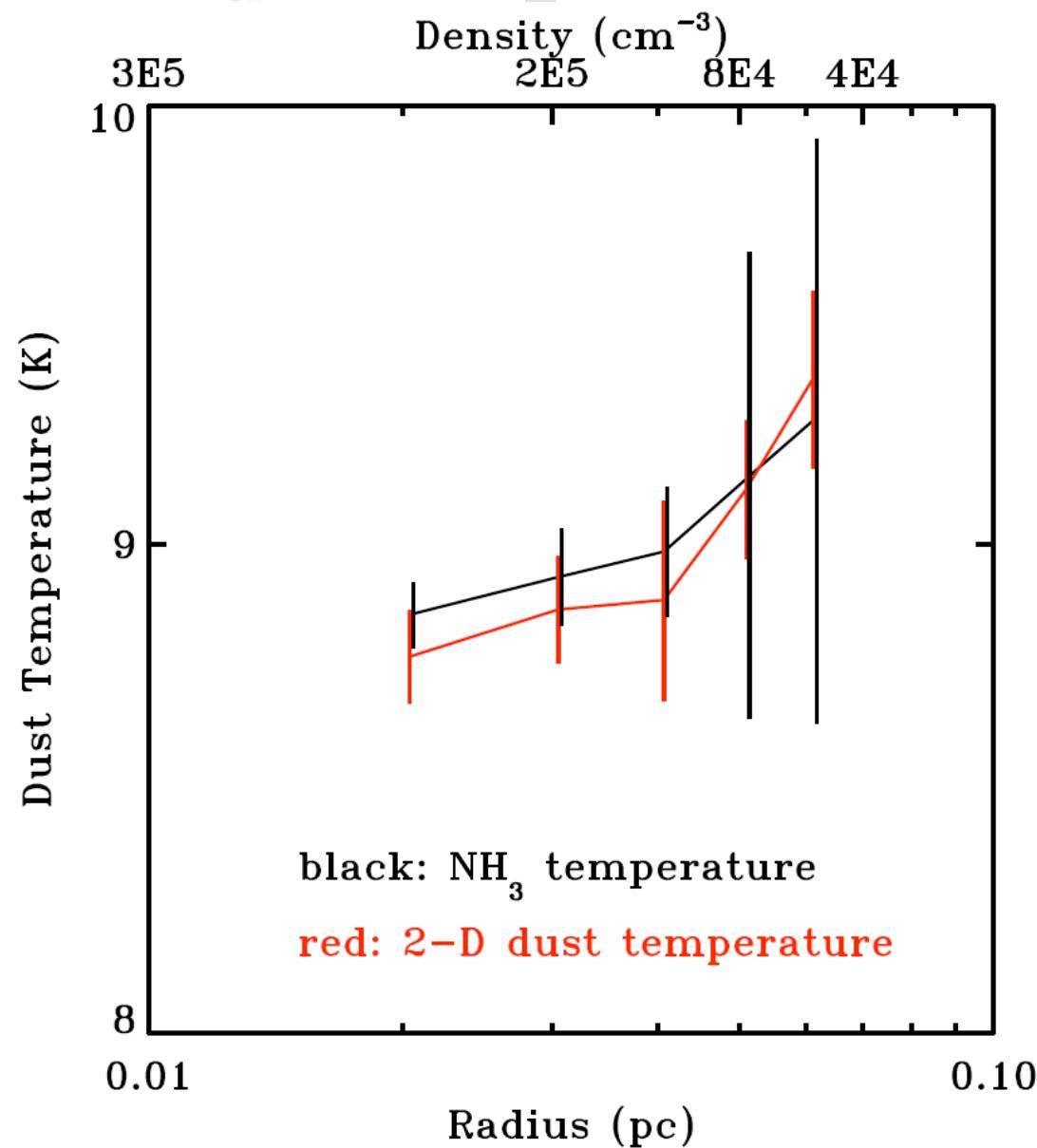
# $\text{NH}_3$ Velocity Map - GBT



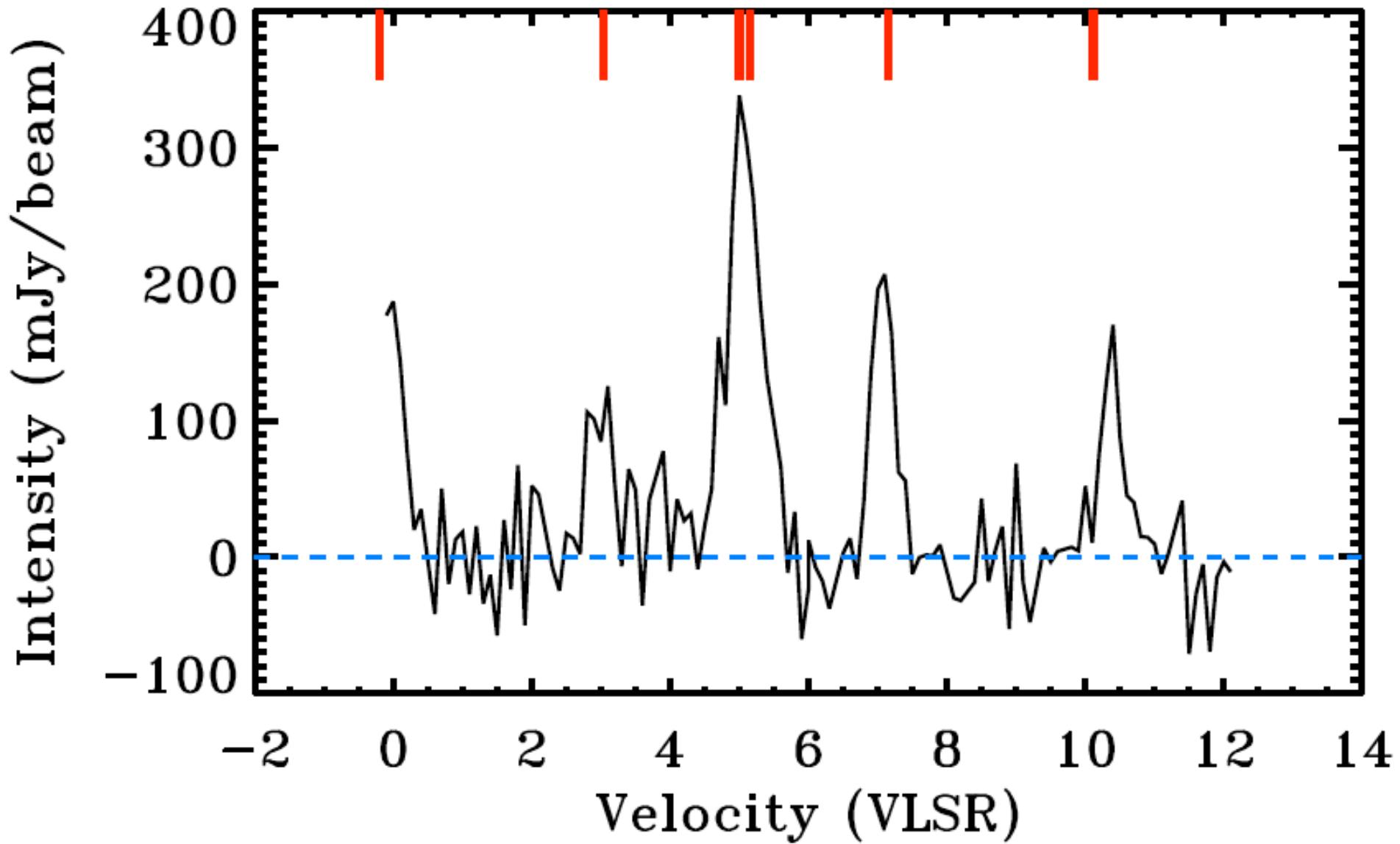
# $\text{NH}_3$ Optical Depth Map - GBT



# $\text{NH}_3$ & $T_d$ Temperature Profiles



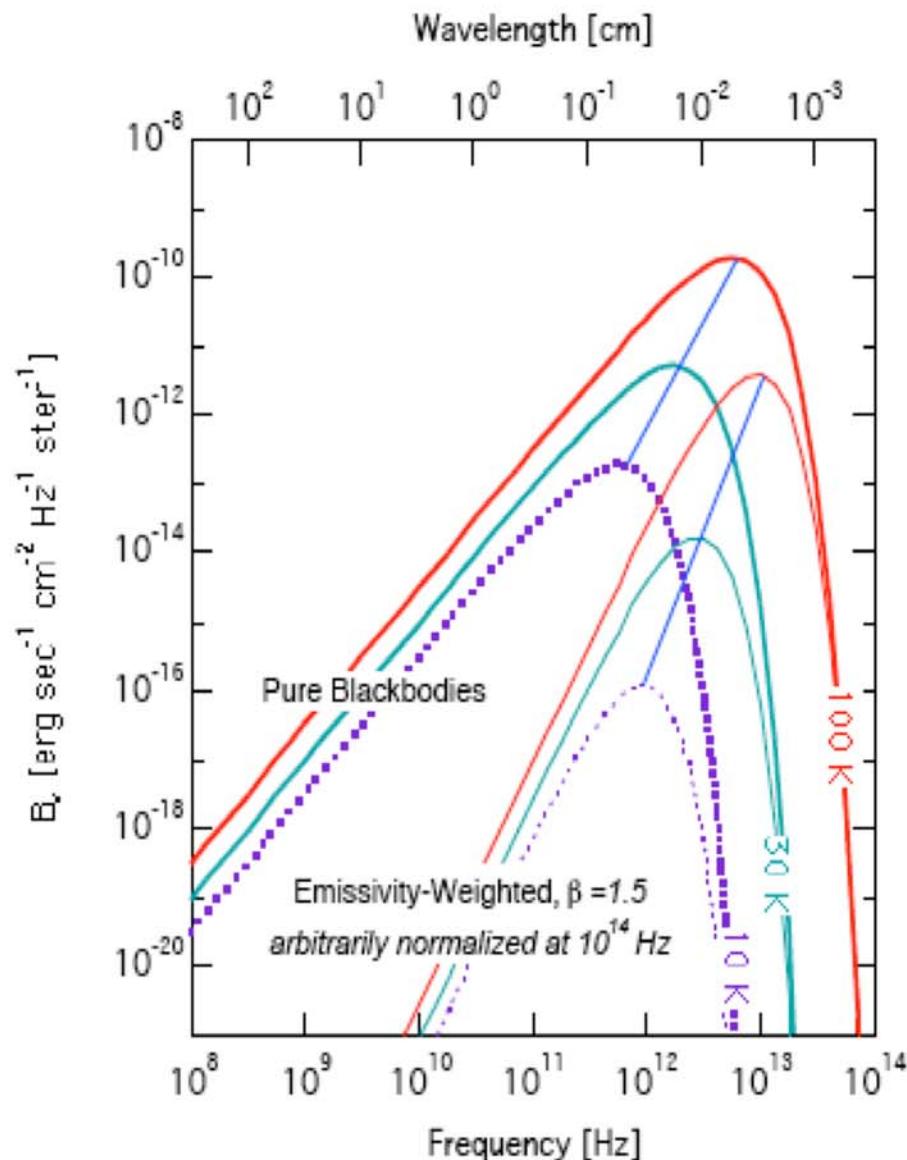
# $\text{NH}_2\text{D}$ Spectrum - CARMA



# TMC-1C Results

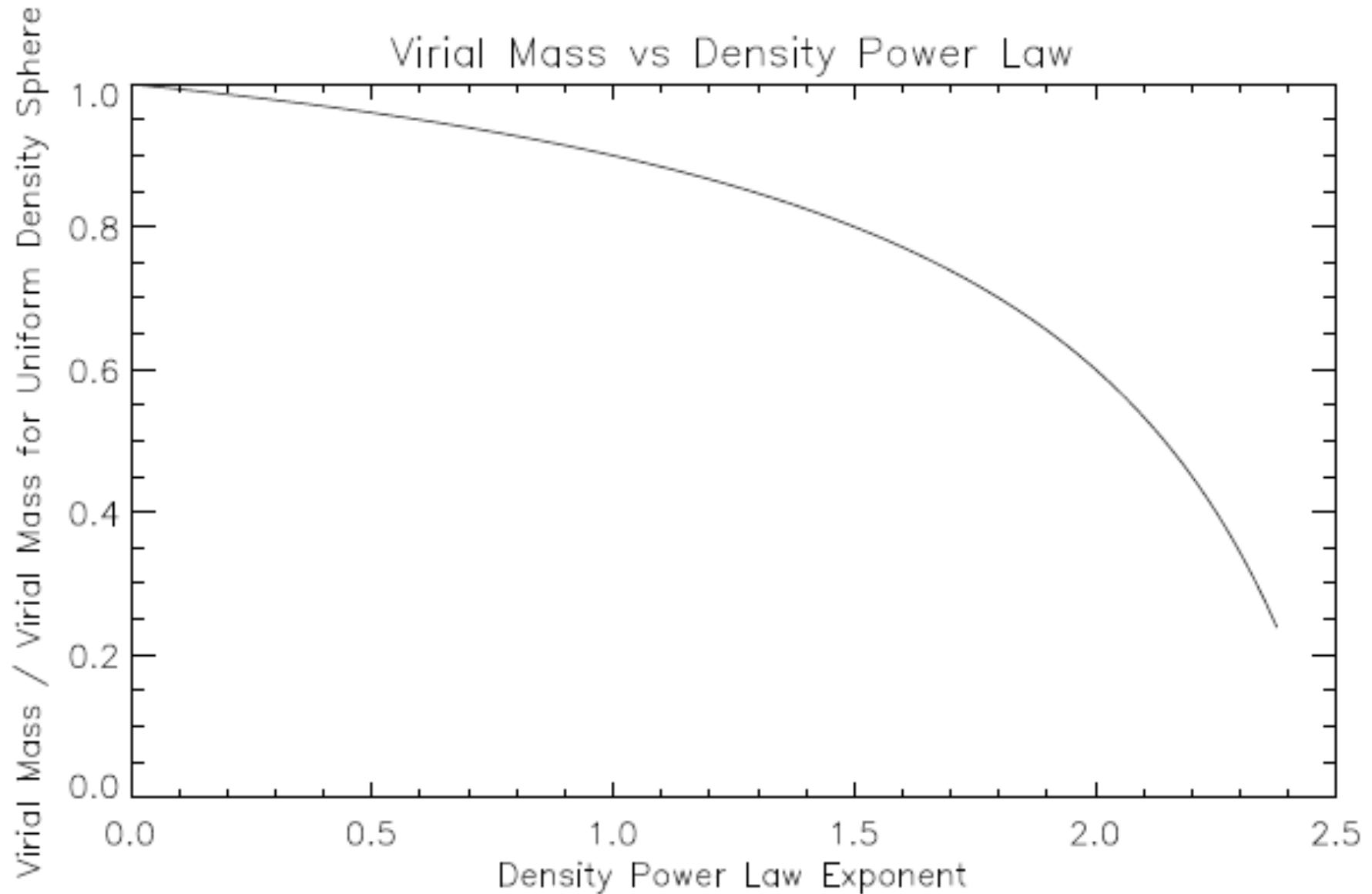
- Combine dust and gas observations to determine **dynamical state**
  - Out of virial equilibrium
  - Infall speed of  $\sim 0.1$  km/s
- **Every** observed tracer is **depleted**
  - Haven't yet checked NH<sub>3</sub> and NH<sub>2</sub>D
- The velocity field is ordered, but more complicated than pure rotation
- Future work: NH<sub>3</sub> analysis and deuteration study

# What Is Beta?



- ◆ Maximum emissivity is for pure blackbody,  $\beta=0$
- ◆ SED peaks move to longer  $\lambda$  for smaller  $\beta$
- ◆ Decreasing  $\beta$  gives you more flux at any  $\lambda$ , so...  
overestimating  $\beta$  will mean more mass required to produce observed flux
- ◆ **WARNING:** In theory,  $\beta$  is only a property of *individual* grains, but in “practice” it has come to include size distribution

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