

**Magnétisme photosphérique/circumstellaire
des étoiles froides évoluées
et autres apports insoupçonnés de la spectropolarimétrie...**

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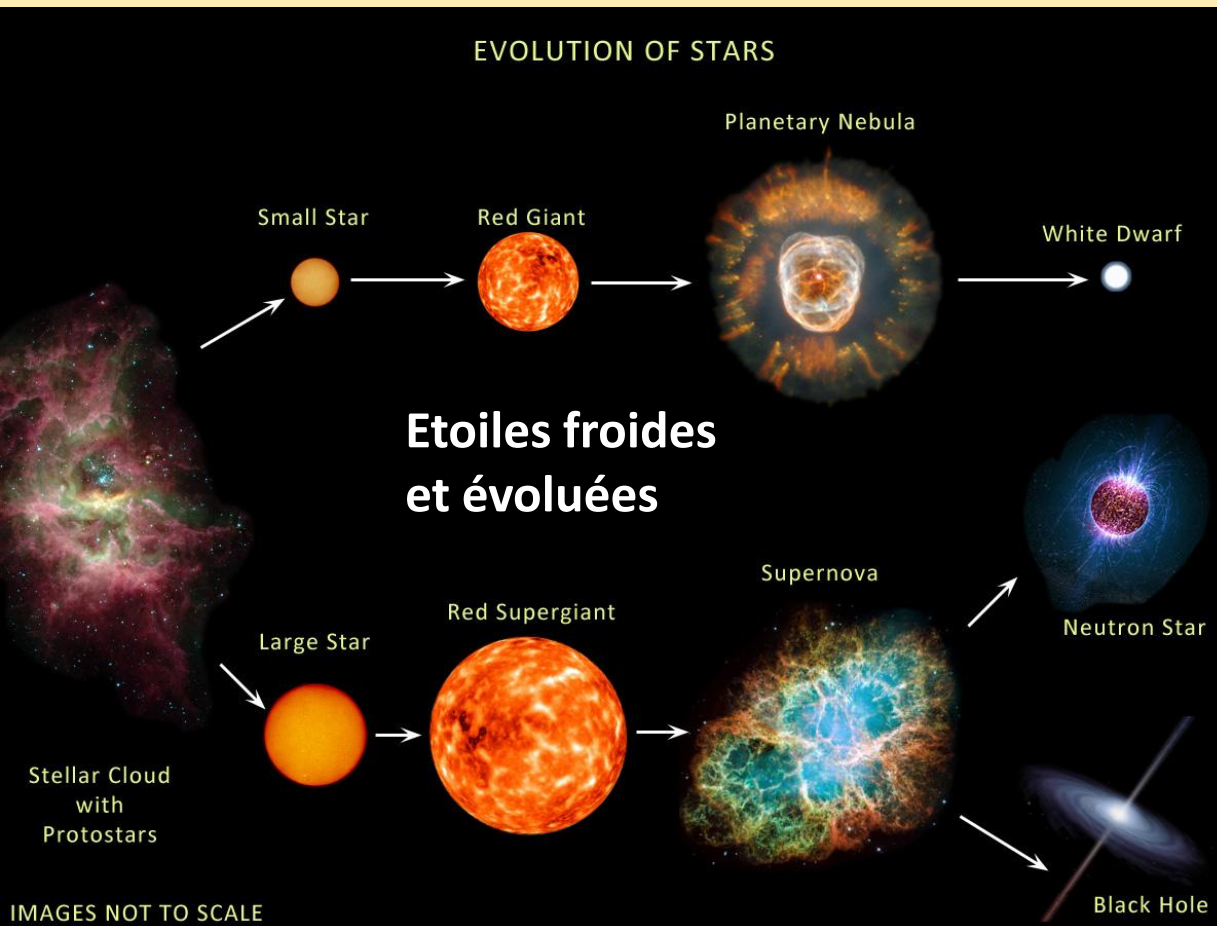
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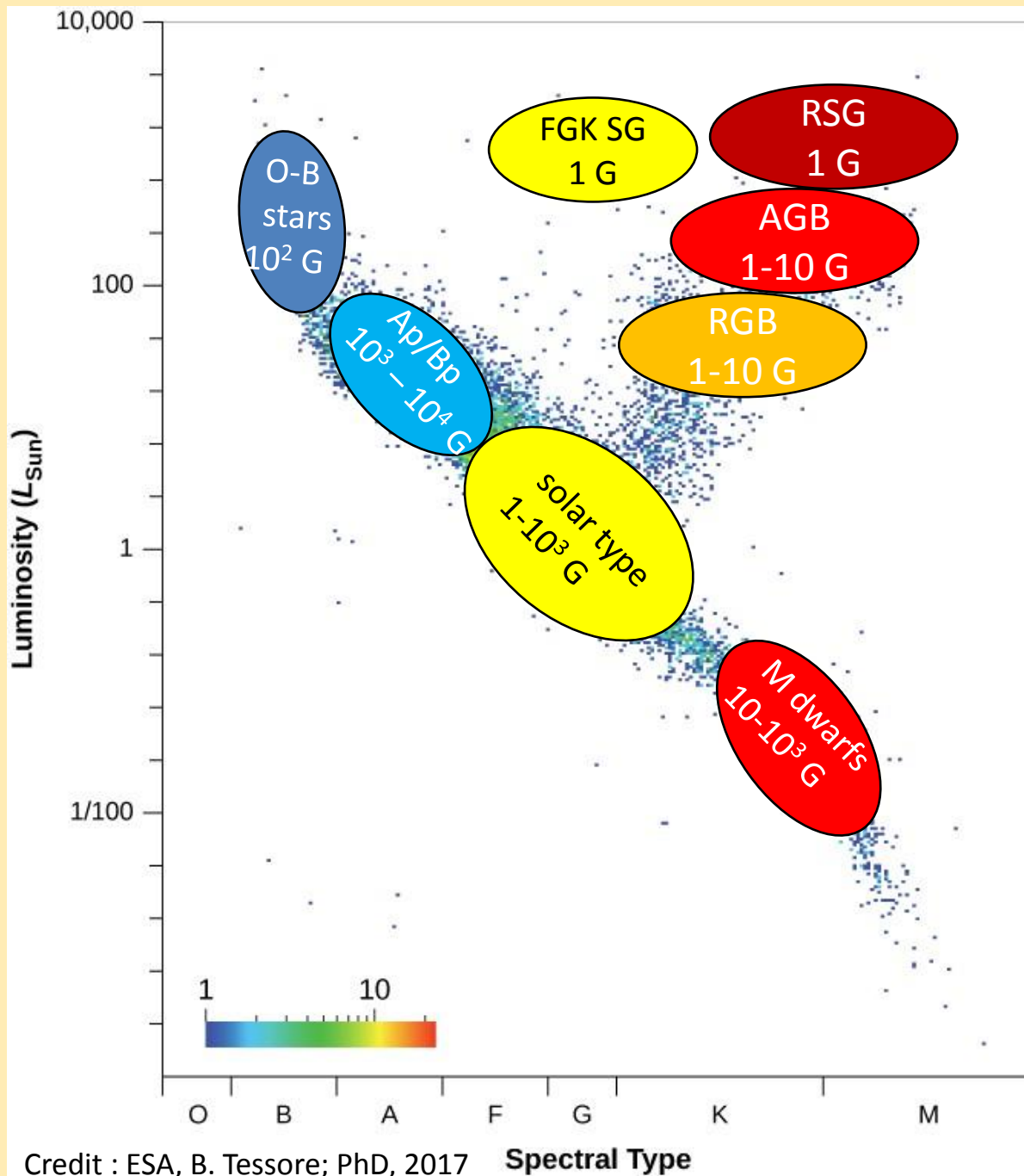
2- **AGB/Post-AGB** :

connecter le magnétisme de surface et dans l'ECS

3- **Géantes Rouges** :

Magnétisme de surface le long de la branche des géantes

1- **RSG** : Focus sur **Bételgeuse**



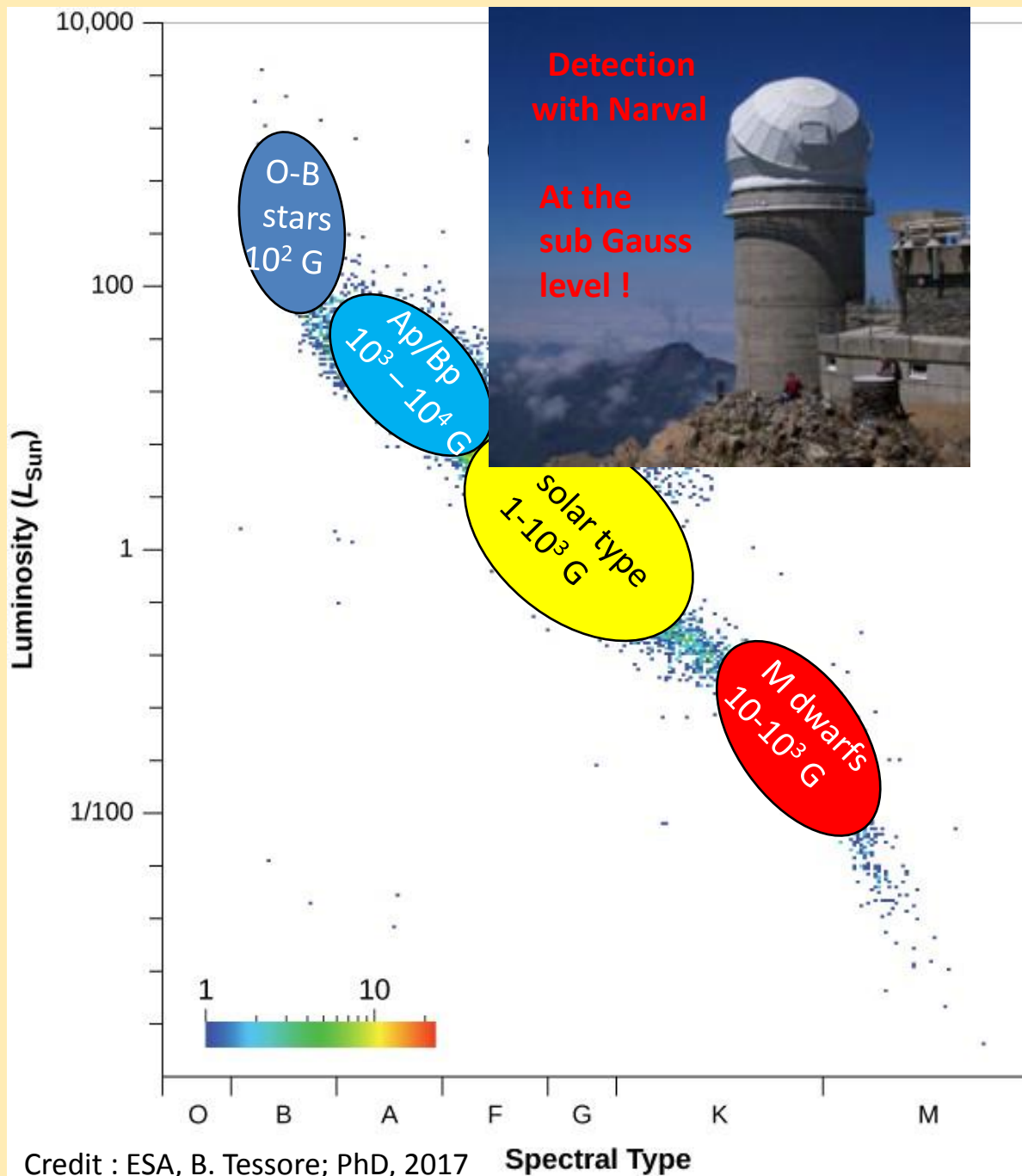
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Magnetic HR Diagram

(from 15 years of spectropolarimetry)



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Cool Evolved Stars

RGB, RSG stars : core He-burning phase

AGB stars : He- and H-shell burning phase

$$T_{\text{eff}} = 4000\text{-}2500 \text{ K} ; \log g = 0 - 2$$

Convection :

Large-scale convective motions in an **extended atmosphere** with a **few giant cells** at the surface
(Schwarzschild, 1975 ; see also papers from Stothers)

Radiative hydrodynamic simulations

(Chiavassa+ 2010 ; Freytag, 2015)

Pulsations :

In **AGB** (Miras) : pulsations are expected to generate shocks (also in some Post-AGB)

In **RSG** : convection is expected to generate supersonic motions and shocks

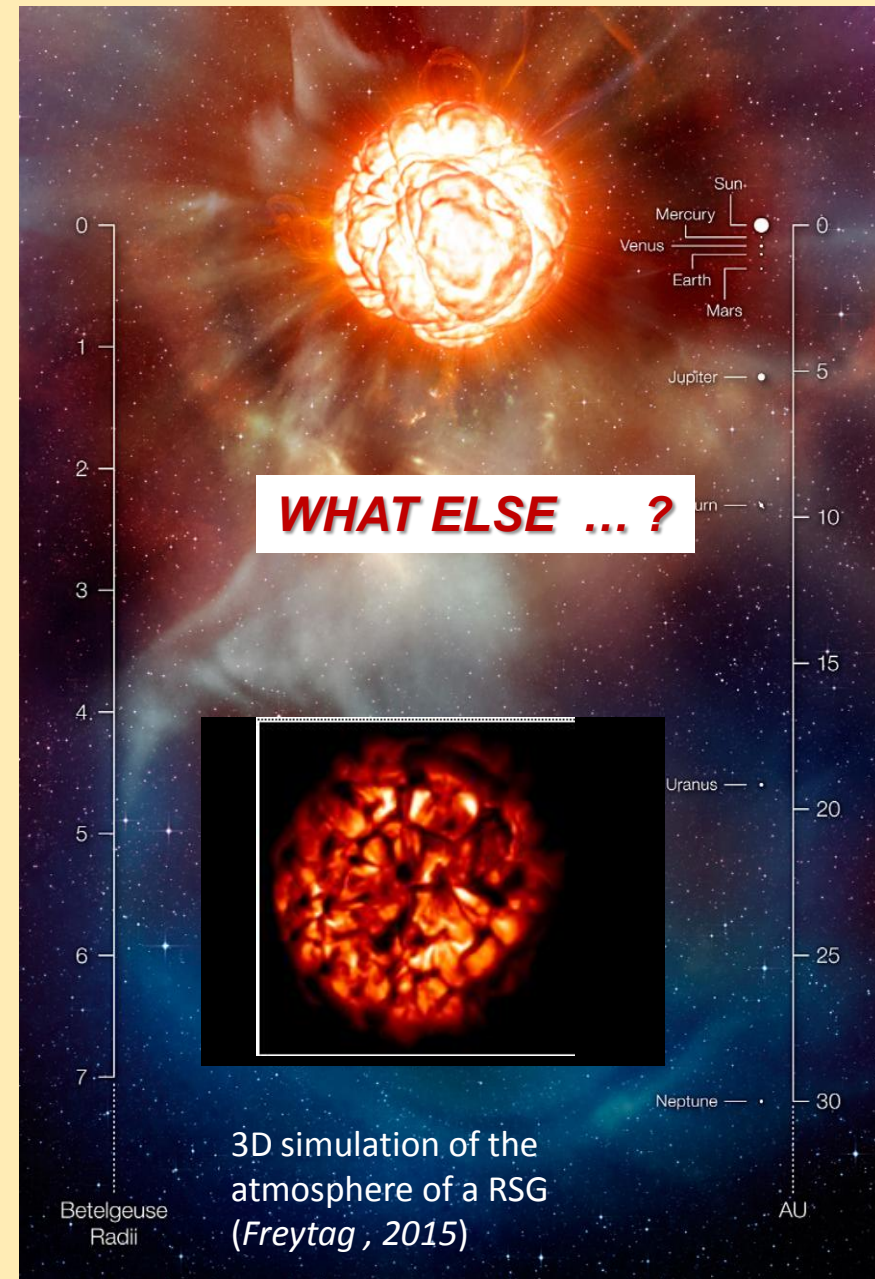
Mass loss : up to $10^{-4} M_{\odot}/y$

Radiation pressure on dust (Höfner, 2011)

+ levitation due to shocks

Convection triggered mass loss (Josselin+2007)

⇒ **Photospheric and atmospheric dynamics**



Spectropolarimetry :

Circular and Linear Polarisation



ESPADO@CFHT
2004+
3.60m Telescope



Narval@TBL
2006+
2m Telescope



HARPSpol@ESO
2009+
3.60m Telescope

Spectral Range : 375 – 1050 nm
Spectral Resolution : 65 000

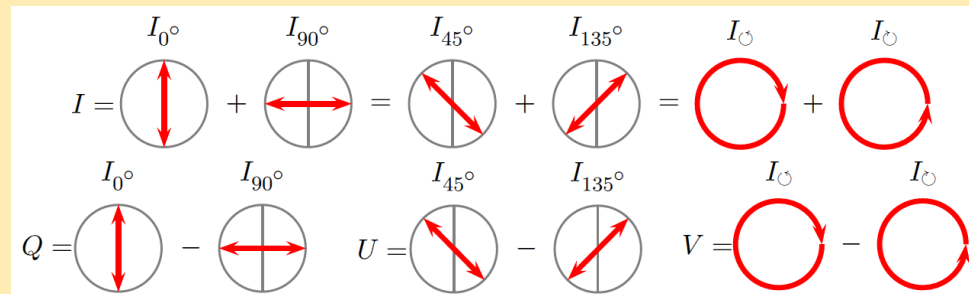
Spectral Range : 380 – 690 nm
Spectral Resolution : 115 000

Simultaneous measurements in two polarisation states :

⇒ Stokes I (unpolarised) spectrum
+ Stokes V (circularly) or Stokes U
or Stokes Q (linearly) polarised spectrum

⇒ Polarisation **within spectral** (atomic) lines

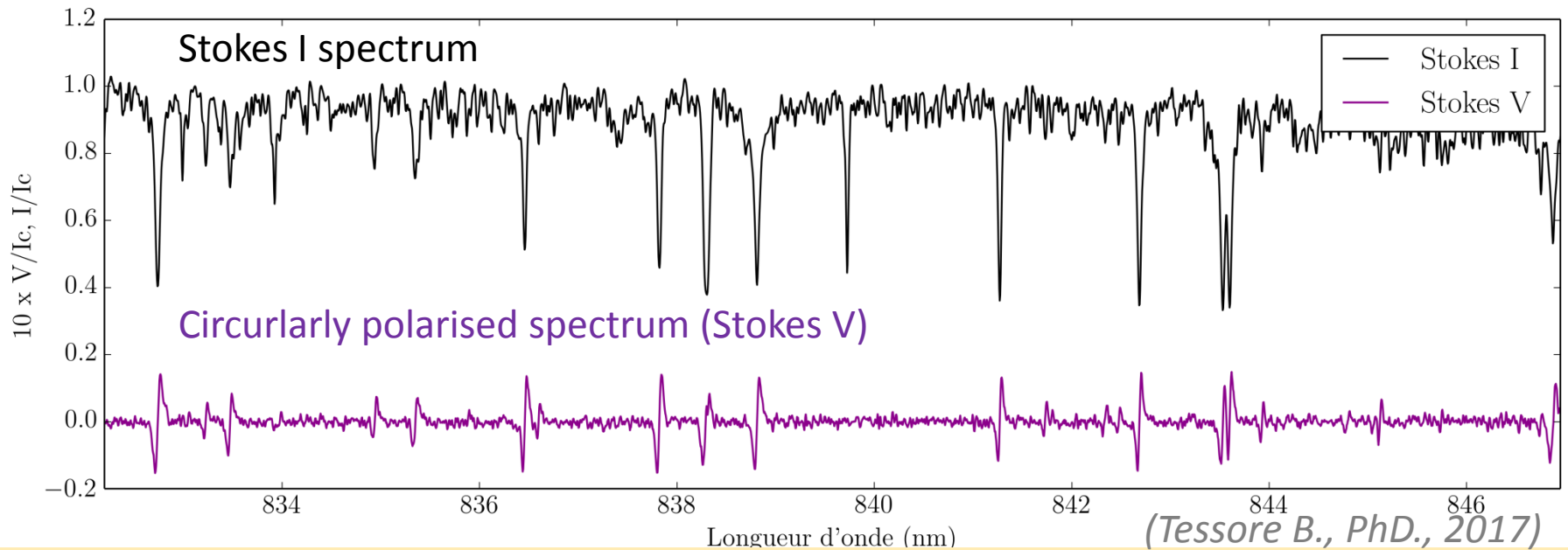
Polarimetric sensitivity $\sim 10^{-4}$ of the unpolarised continuum



Spectropolarimetric data : what do they look like ?

The M Dwarf AD LEO

Spectral Type = M4V ; $T_{\text{eff}} = 3400 \text{ K}$; $\log g = 5.0$



- Classical *S-type* Zeeman profile associated to individual atomic lines

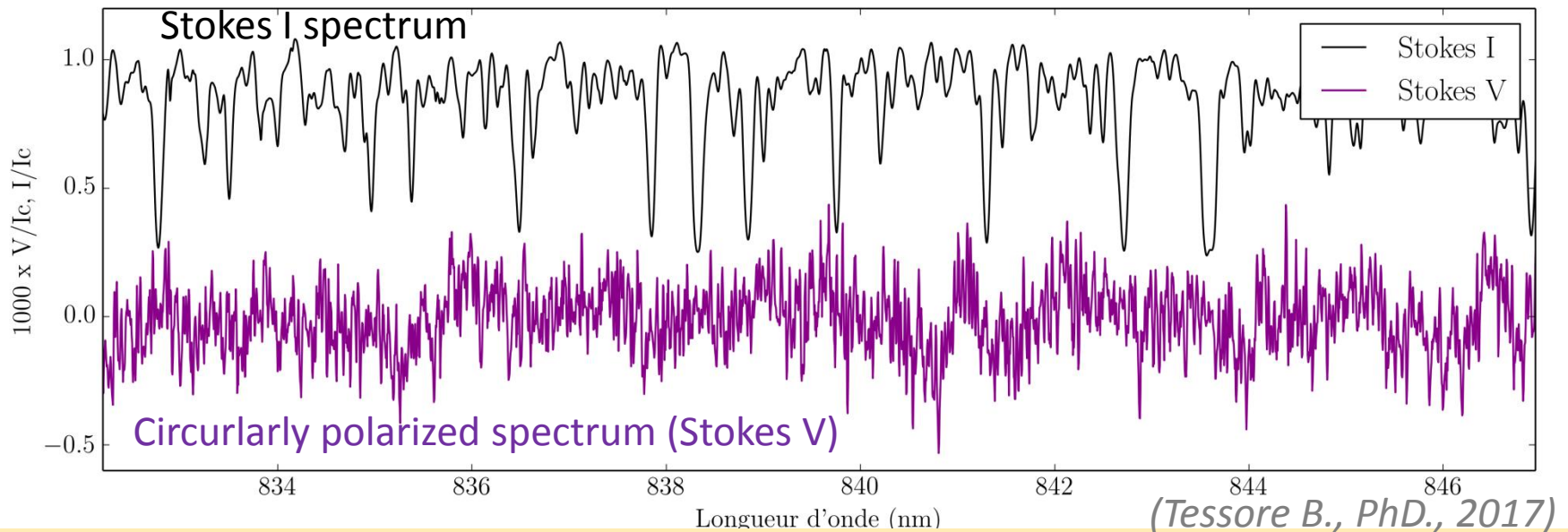
- Estimation of the longitudinal component of the magnetic field :

BI = 200 G (Morin et al., 2008)

Spectropolarimetric data : what do they look like ?

The Red Super Giant Betelgeuse

Spectral Type = M2I ; $T_{\text{eff}} = 3500 \text{ K}$; $\log g = 0.0$

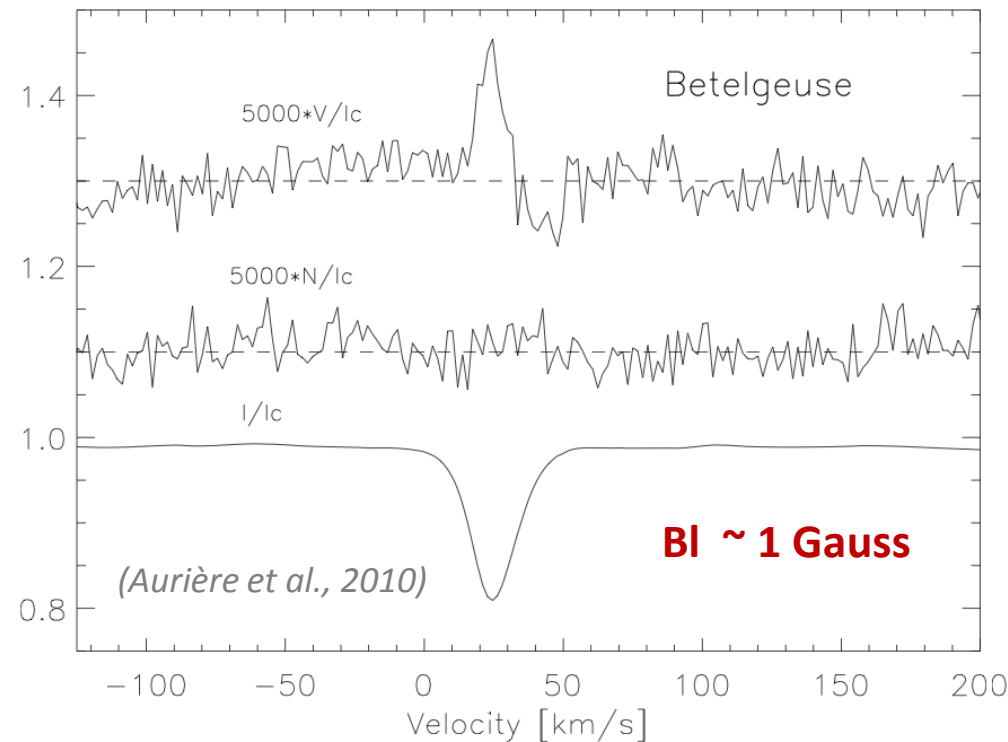


⇒ The field is too weak to allow its measurements from individual atomic lines

⇒ Need to use a multi-lines method (LSD software, *Donati et al., 1997*)
exploring the **whole spectral domain** in the visible : 380 nm – 1100 nm

Circular Polarisation :

Zeeman detection : sub-Gauss field



Mean Zeeman shift of a transition

$$\Delta\lambda_B = \frac{\lambda_0^2 e B}{4\pi m_e c^2} = 4.67 \times 10^{-12} \lambda_0^2 g_{eff} B$$

g_{eff} : **Landè factor** (sensitivity of a transition to B)

If **weak magnetic field** (< 100 G) :

Polarised signatures undetectable at the level of individual lines

=> **A multiplex approach** over the observed spectral range (thousands of **atomic lines** involved)

The Least Square Deconvolution (L.S.D.)

(Donati et al., 1997)

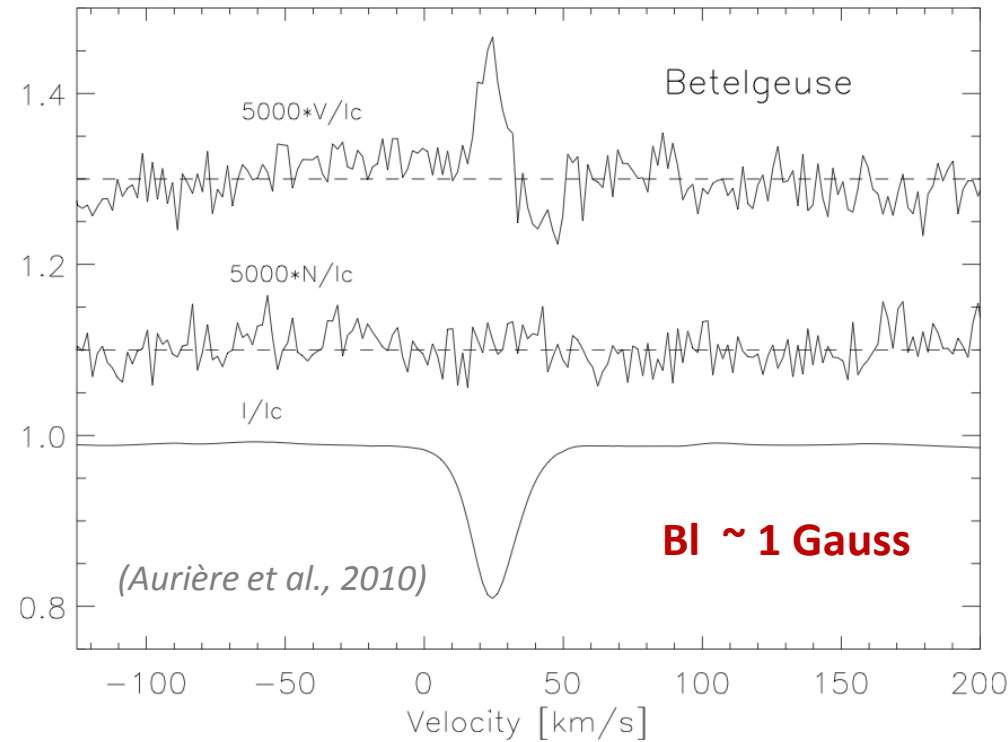
Estimation of B_l , the **Longitudinal Component of the Magnetic Field** :

$$B_l(G) = -2.14 \times 10^{11} \frac{\int v V(v) dv}{\lambda_0 g_{eff} c \int [I_c - I(v)] dv}$$

First-order moment method
(Rees & Semel, 1979)
adapted to LSD profiles.

1- RSG: Surface Magnetism

Zeeman detection : sub-Gauss field



Bételgeuse : M2 lab

Teff = 3650 K

(Levesque et al., 2005)

$P_{rot} = 36 \pm 8$ years

(Kervella et al., 2017)

$Ro \sim P_{rot} / \tau_{conv}$

=> $R_o > 100$!!

not able to sustain a
 α - ω type dynamo



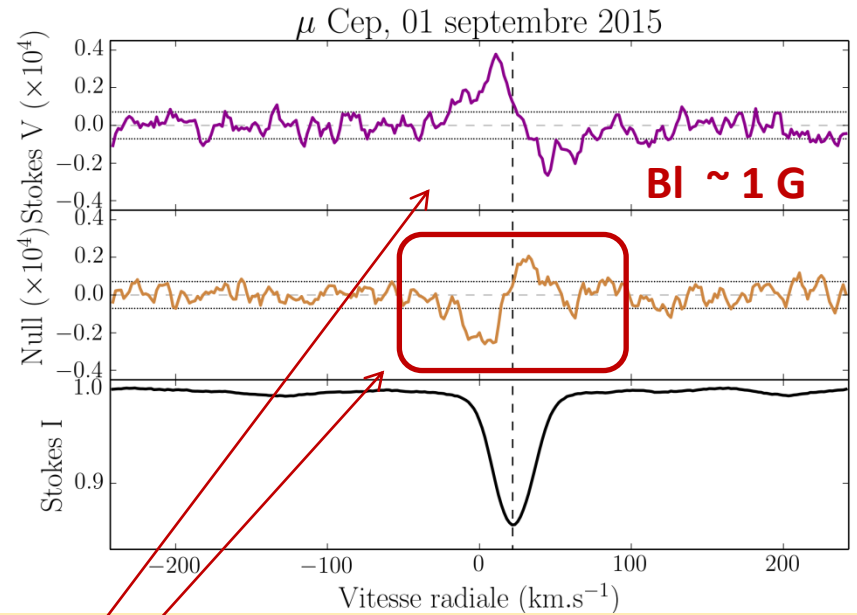
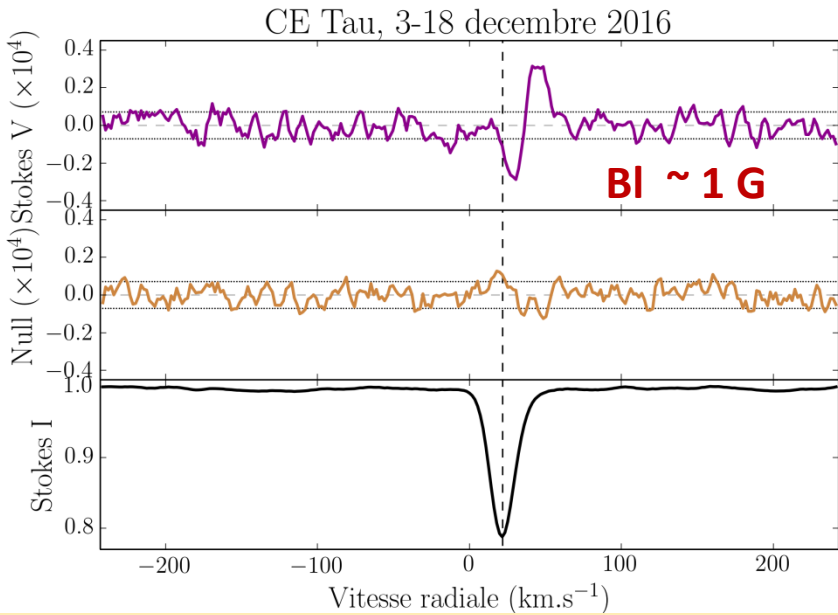
MHD simulations

(Dorch & Freytag, 2003)

The large-scale convective motions can generate **small-scale dynamo action**,
and thus transitory fields.

But the geometry of magnetic field remains unknown !

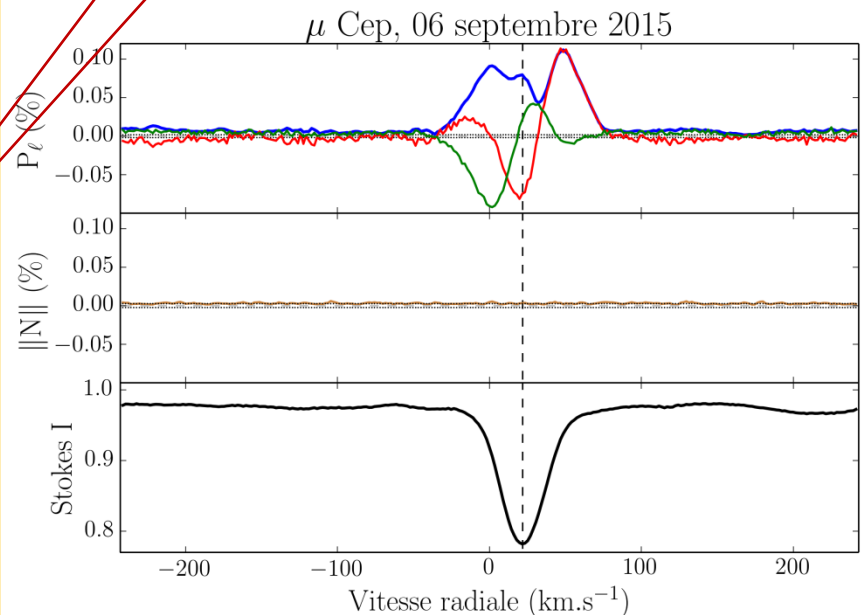
Two new detections of surface field in M-type RSG



Detection of strong linear polarisation
 $V \ll U \ \& \ Q \Rightarrow$ Non Zeeman origin

\Rightarrow Crosstalk from linear polarisation

(Tessore et al., 2017 and Tessore B., PhD., 2017)

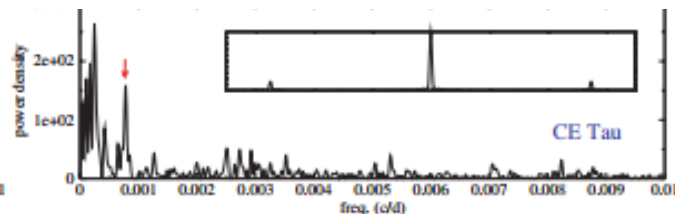
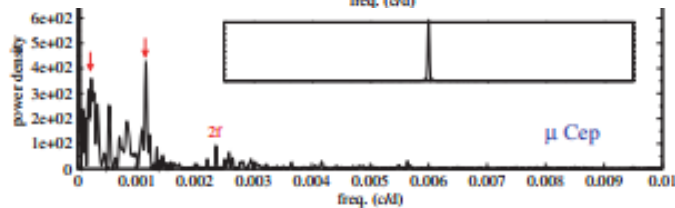
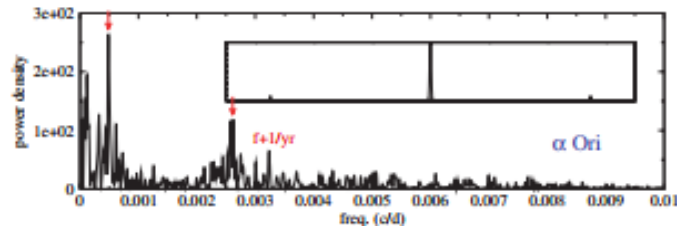
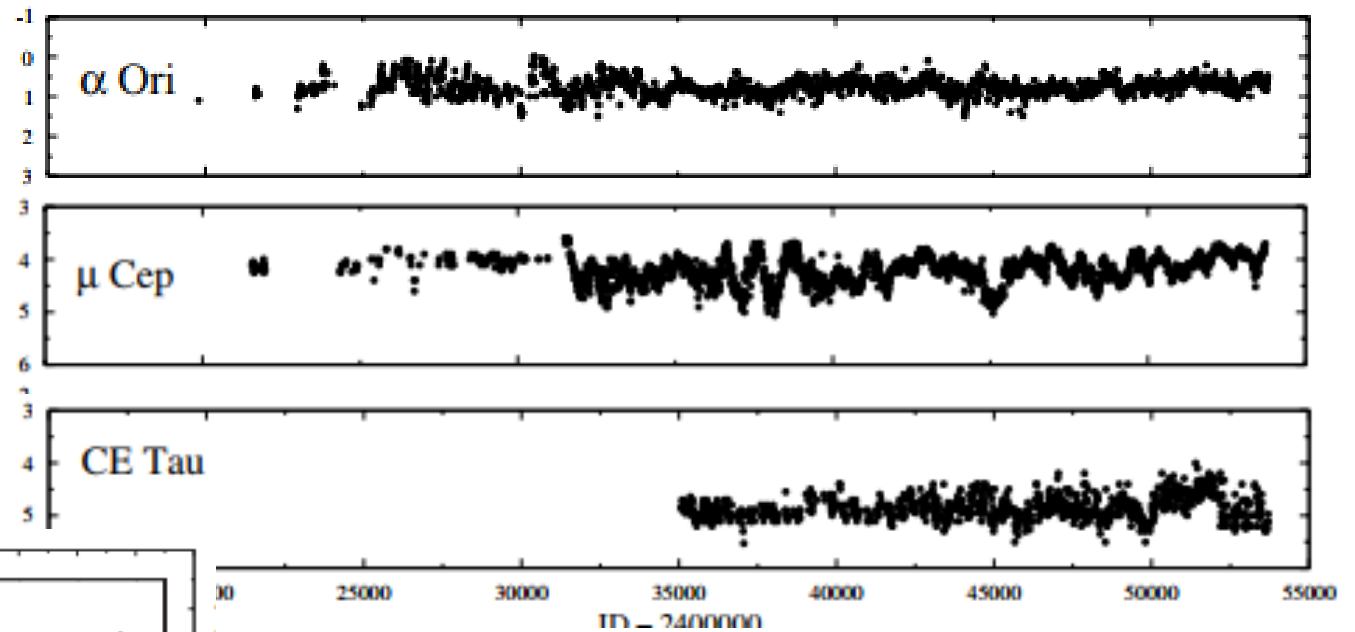


Light variations and characteristic timescales in RSG

AAVSO light curves
of RSG variables
(10-d bins)

(Kiss et al., 2006)

Power density spectra
of AAVSO data
(insets : spectral window)



α Ori : $P_1 = 388 \pm 30$ d $P_2 = 2\,050 \pm 460$ d (LSP)

μ Cep : $P_1 = 860 \pm 50$ d $P_2 = 4\,400 \pm 1\,060$ d

CE Tau : $P_1 = 1\,300 \pm 100$ d

Betelgeuse :

**A spectropolarimetric
monitoring along**

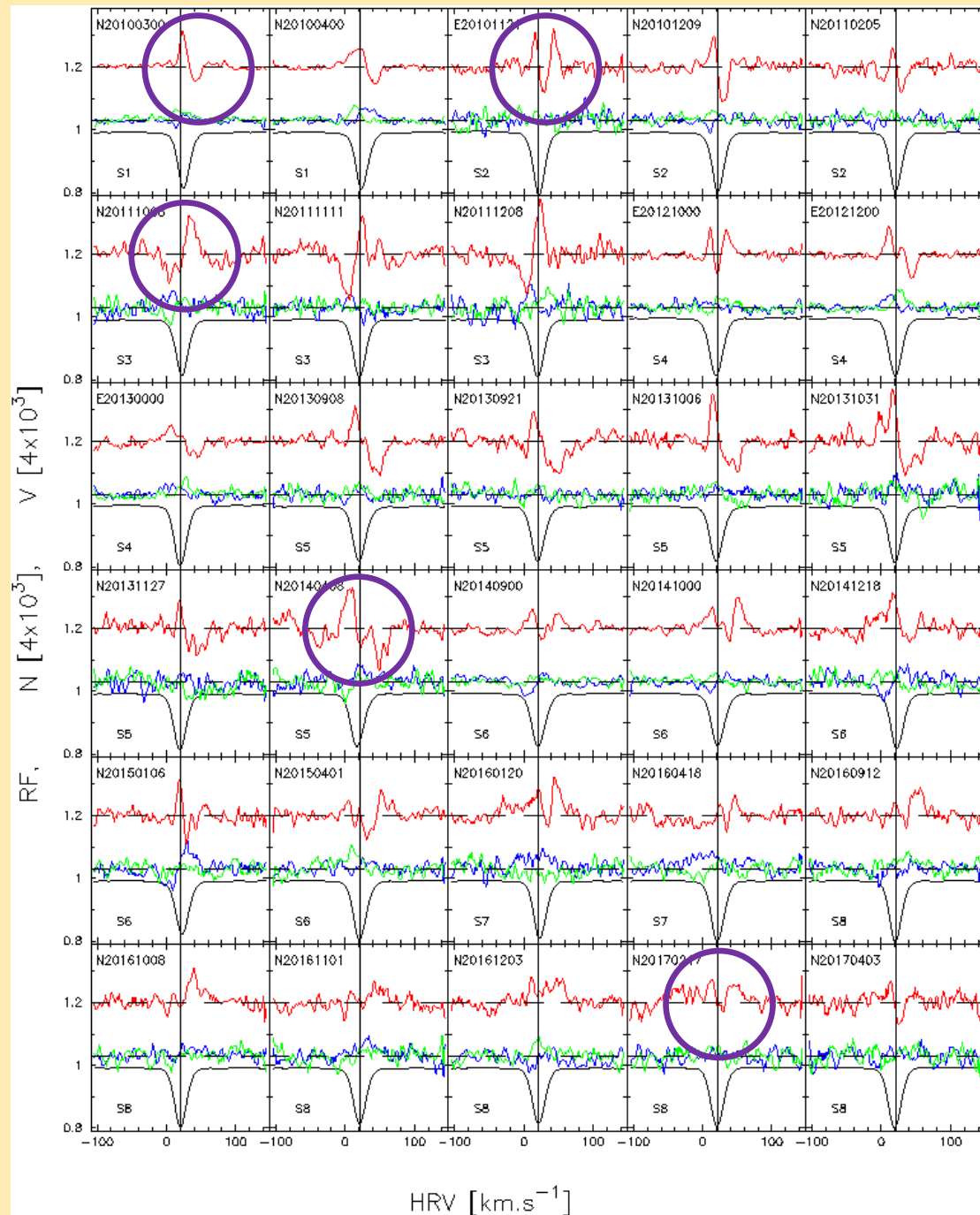
7 years !

From march 2010 to April 2017
over 8 seasons
(still in progress in QUVI)

Any periodicity ?

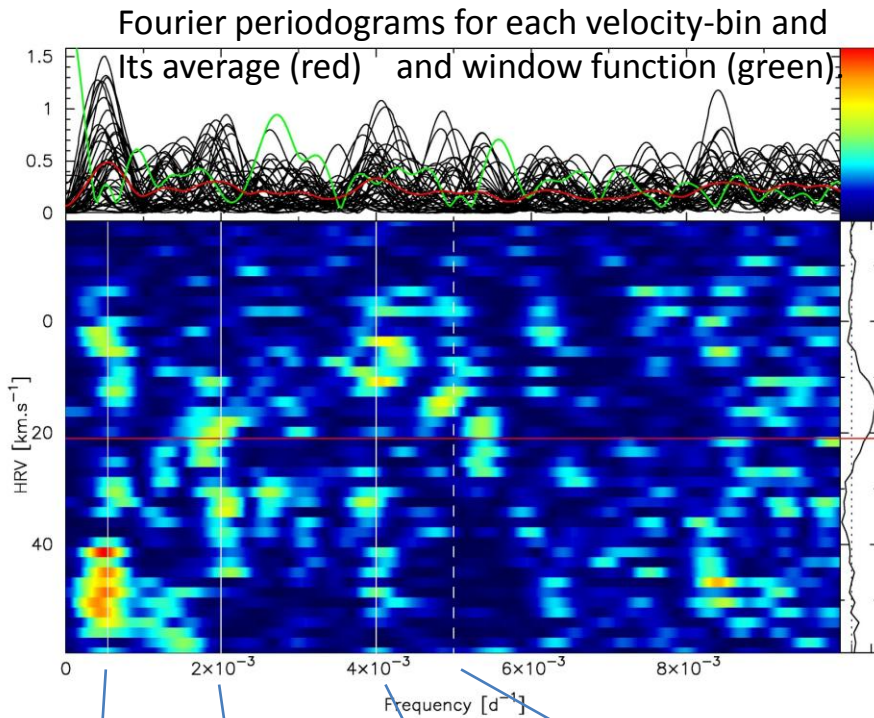
Magnetic spot(s) model

(Mathias et al., 2018)



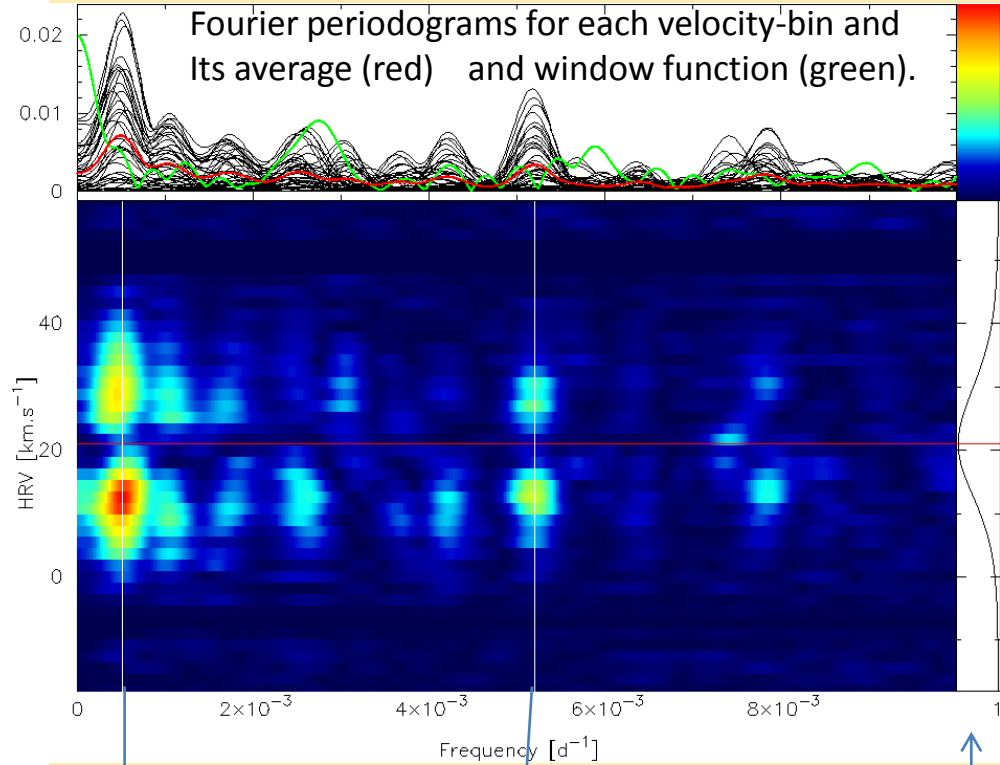
2D Fourier analysis (CLEAN analysis)

Stokes-V parameters (30 data)



1850 d 500 d 250 d 200 d

Stokes-I parameters (150 data)



1850 d 200 d mean-I profile (star velocity)

Characteristic timescales (Mathias et al., 2018)

A common information (@ 1850 d) in both Stokes V and Stokes I parameters !

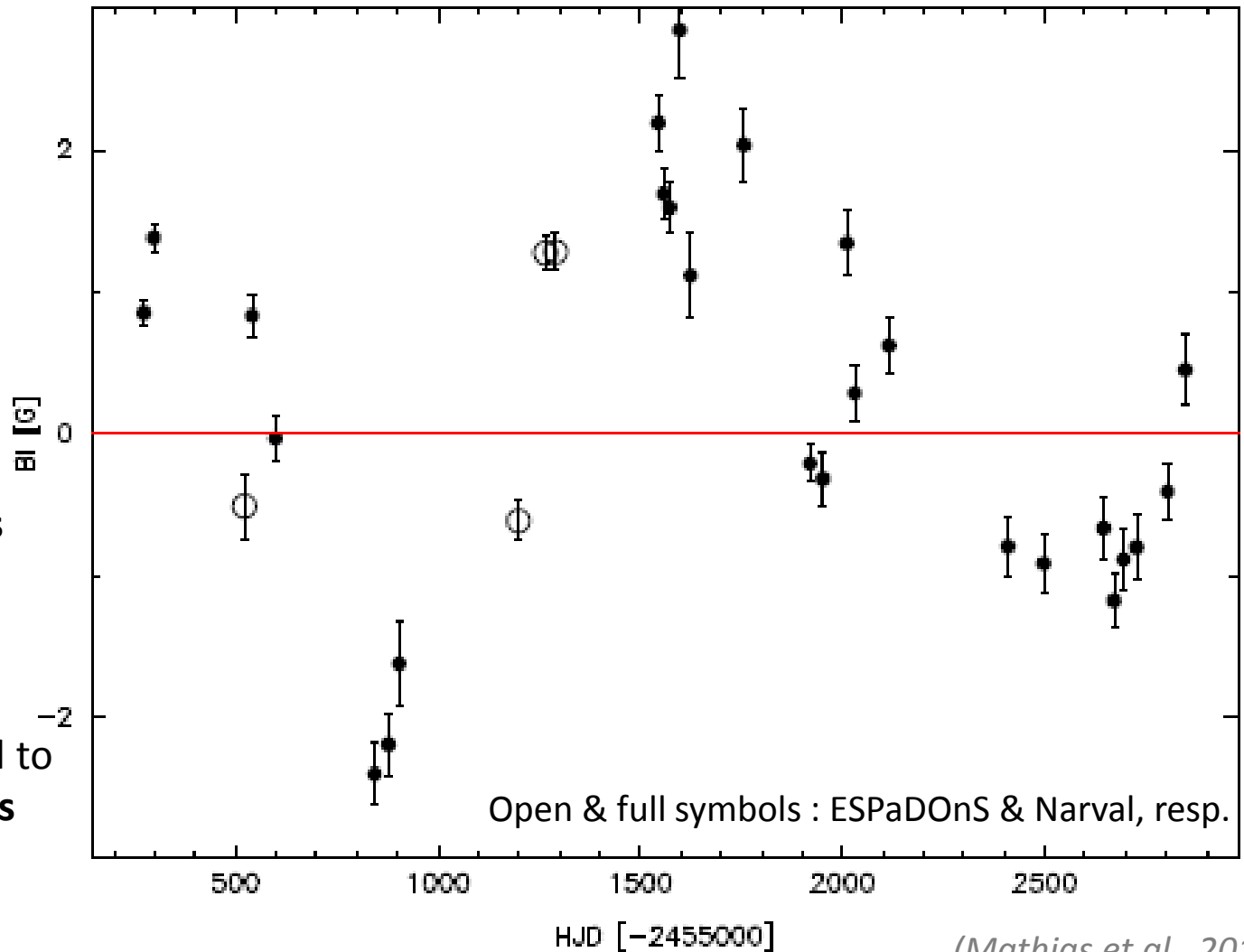
Evolution of the longitudinal component $B\ell$ along the 8 seasons.

A 1 850 d *period* ?

A connexion to the Long Secondary Period (LSP) ?

LSP : origin from convective motions
(*Stothers, 2010*)

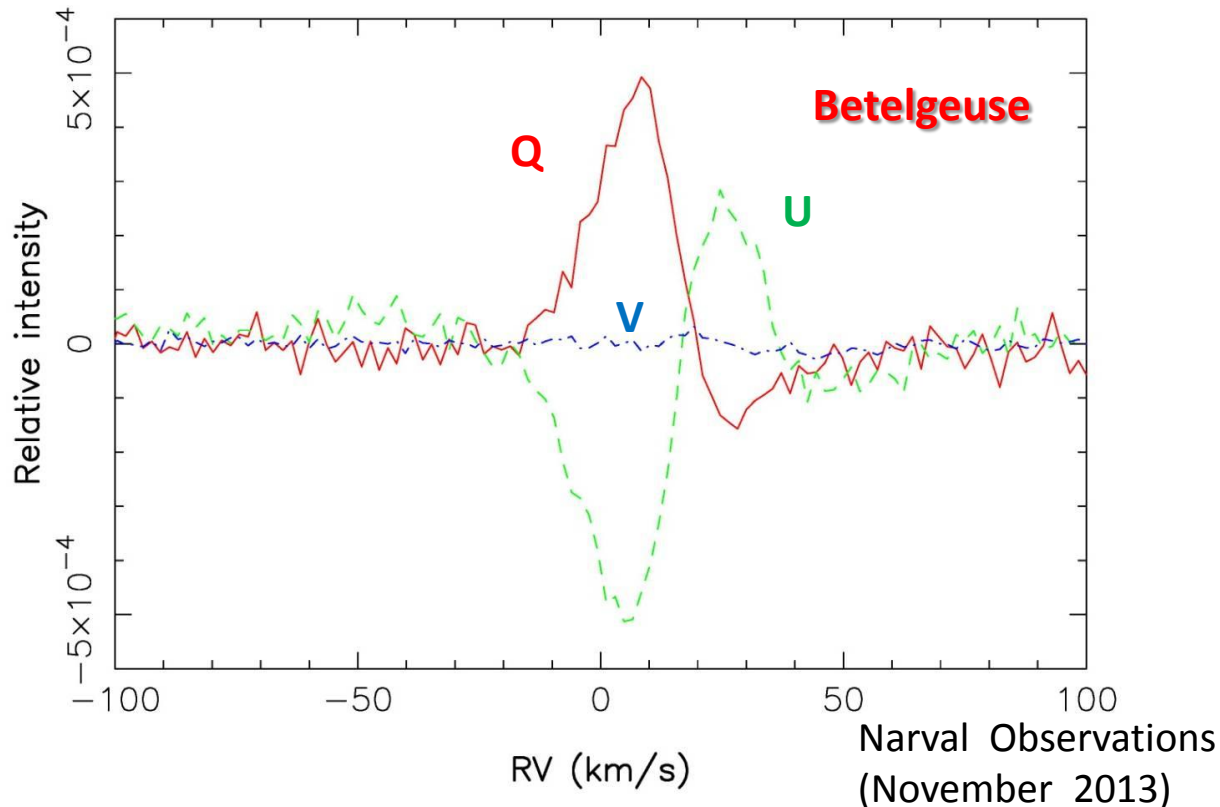
Surface magnetism might be connected to a **long term process** e.g. the turnover timescale of giant convective cells.



(*Mathias et al., 2018*)

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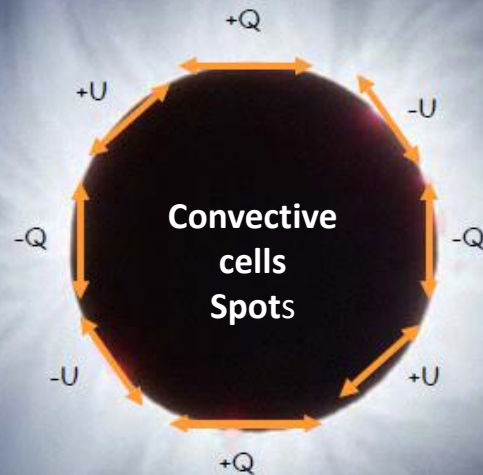
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But why there is a net signal after integrating over the disk?



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Cf. solar case

Line depolarisation of the continuum polarised by Rayleigh scattering.

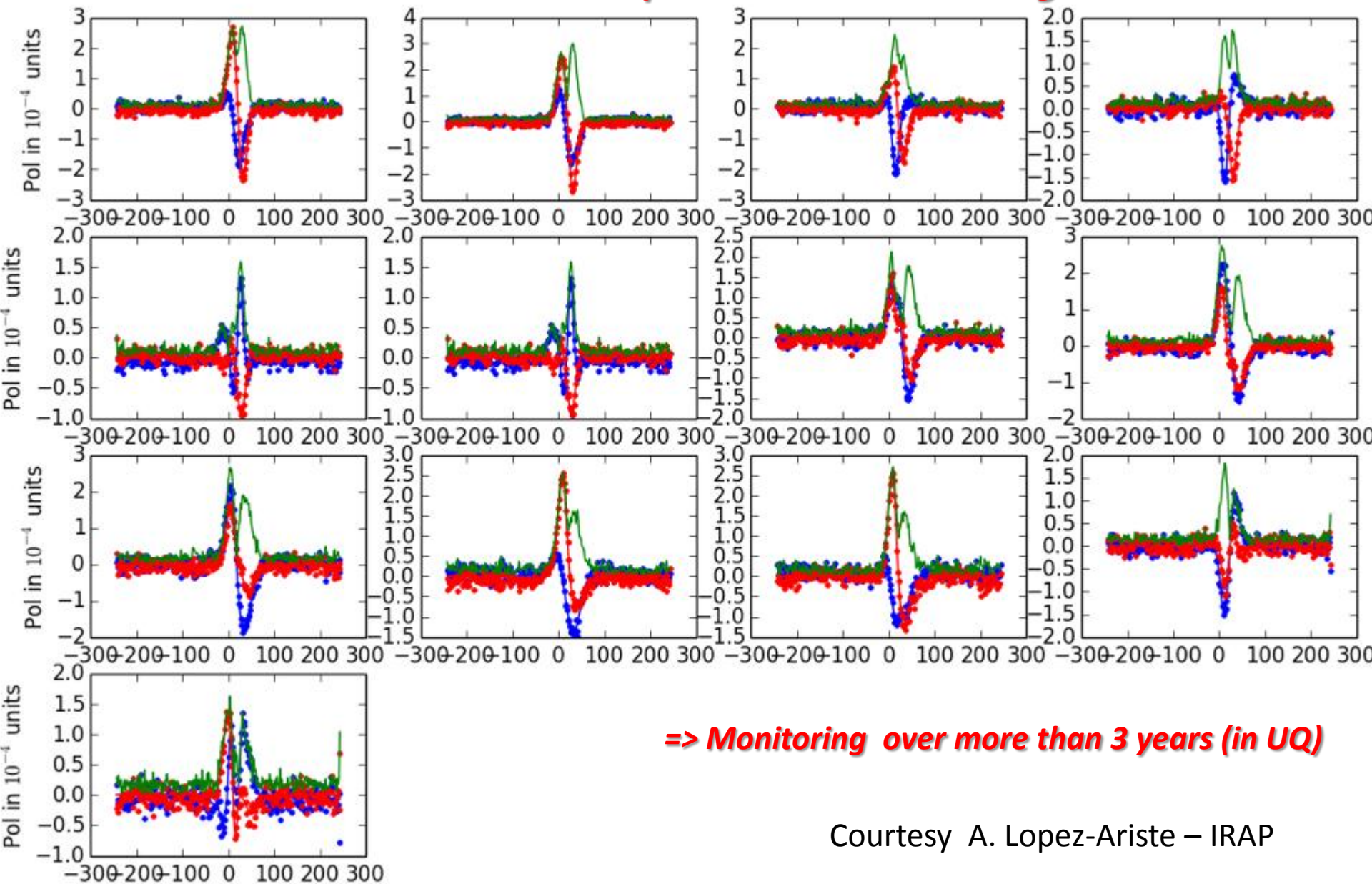


Potential diagnostic of photospheric asymmetries ...

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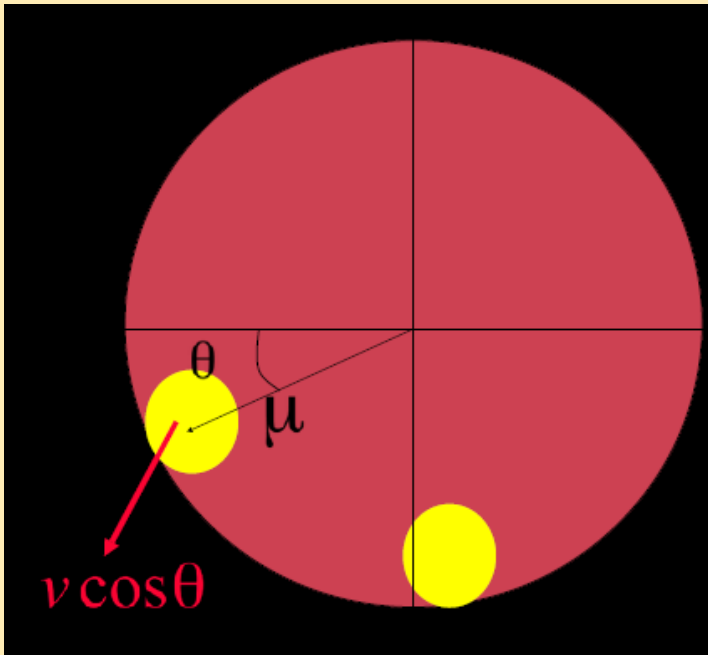
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Time variable linear polarisation in Betelgeuse !



=> Monitoring over more than 3 years (in UQ)

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$$\tan 2\theta = \frac{U}{Q}$$

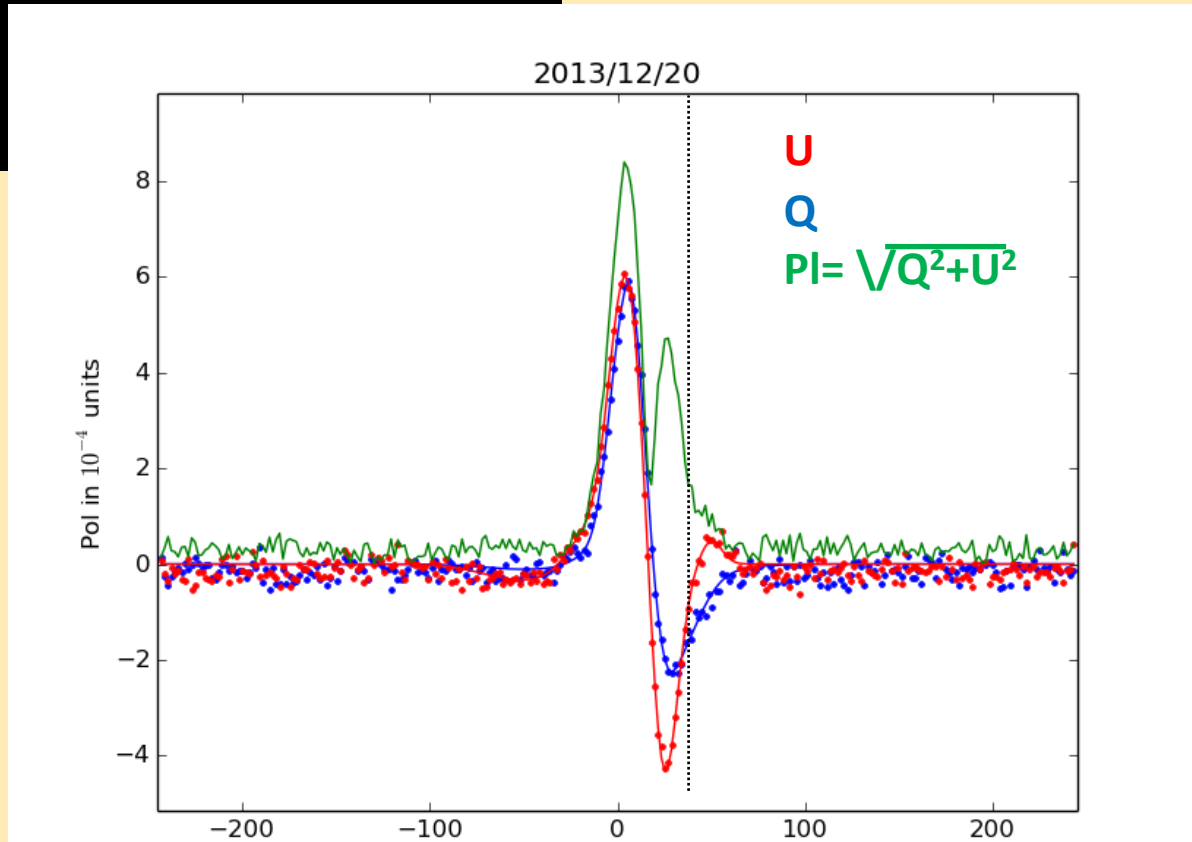
$$Q^2 + U^2 = B \sin^2 \mu$$

$$\Delta\lambda = \frac{v}{c} \cos \mu$$

A geometrical interpretation

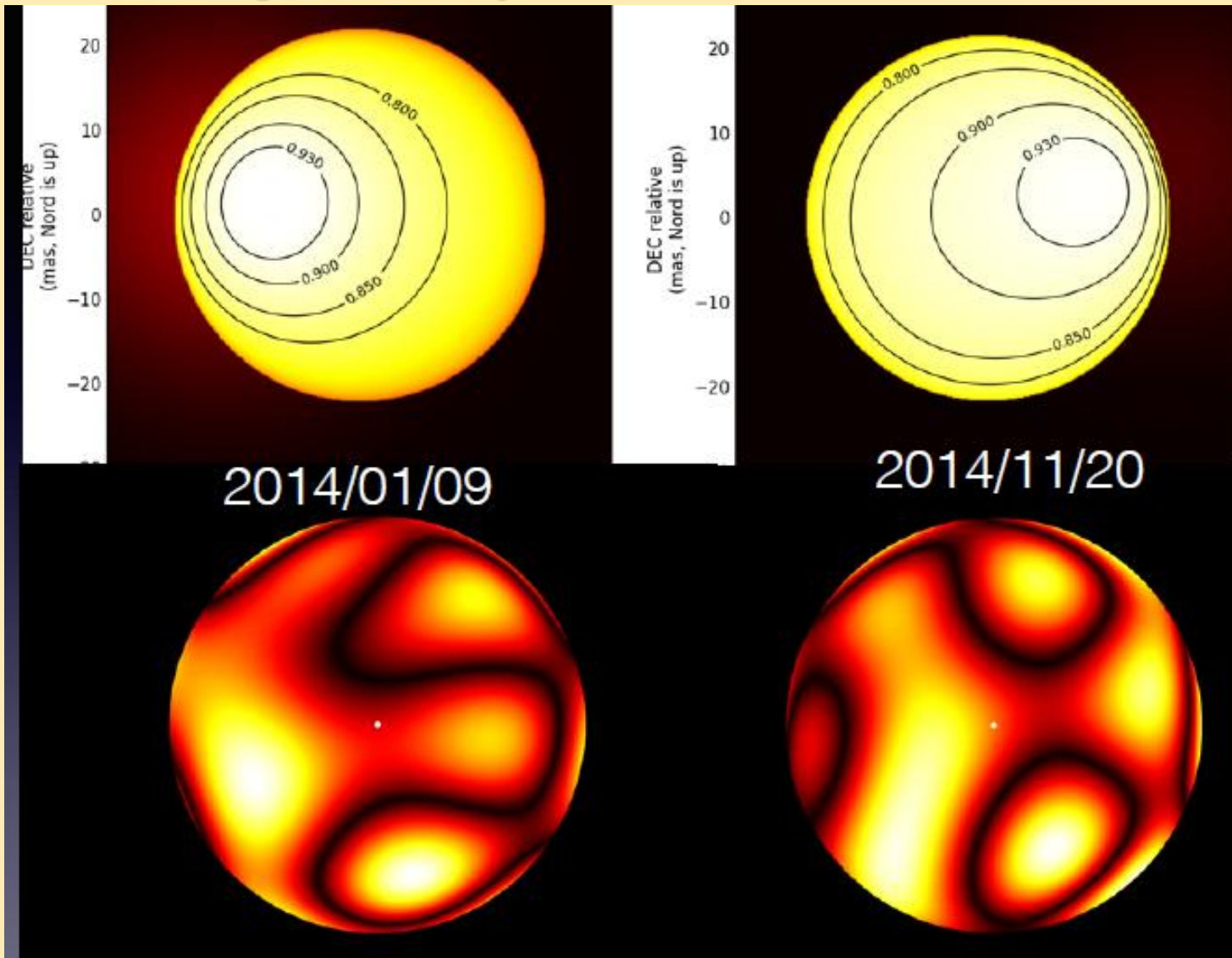
**position/brightness of spots
vs
observational parameters**

=> surface location and relative brightness of the spots inducing anisotropies in the radiation field.



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Betelgeuse : confrontation to VLT/PIONIER data

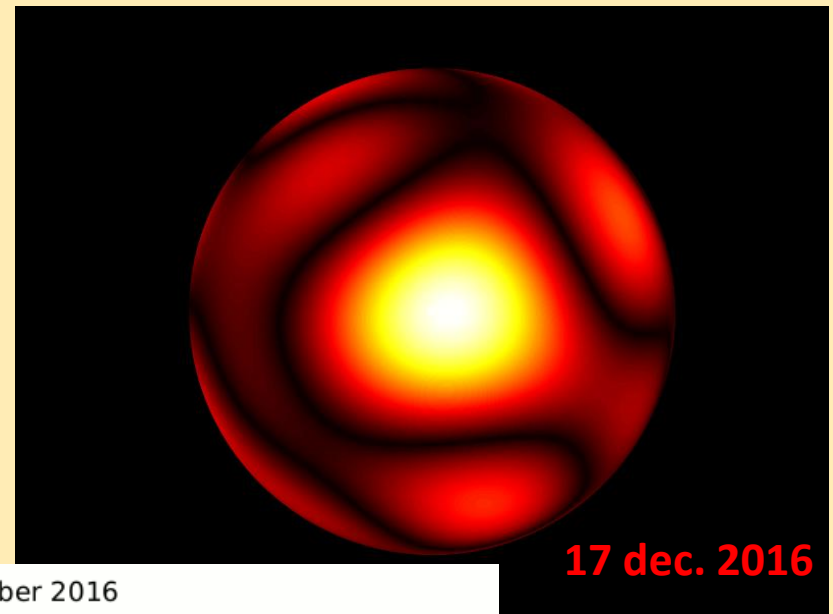
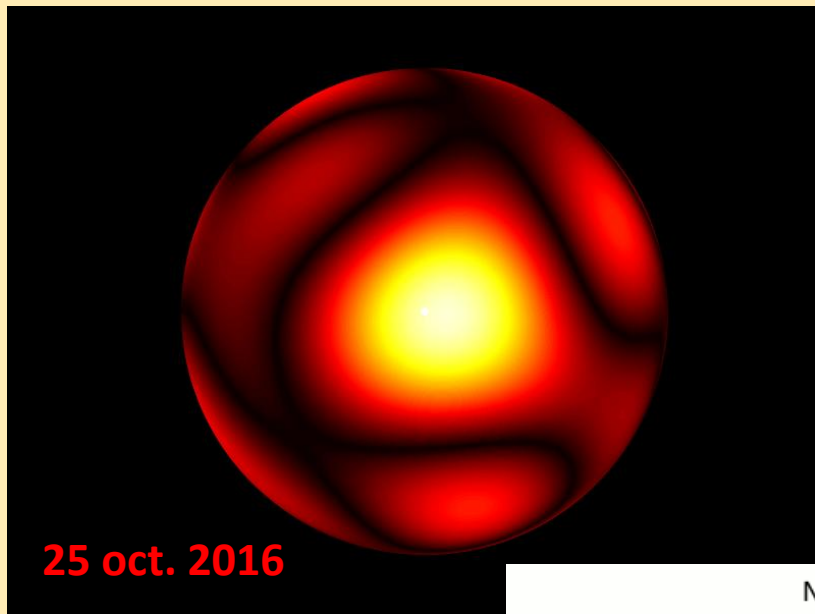


single spot model
(Montargès+ 2016)

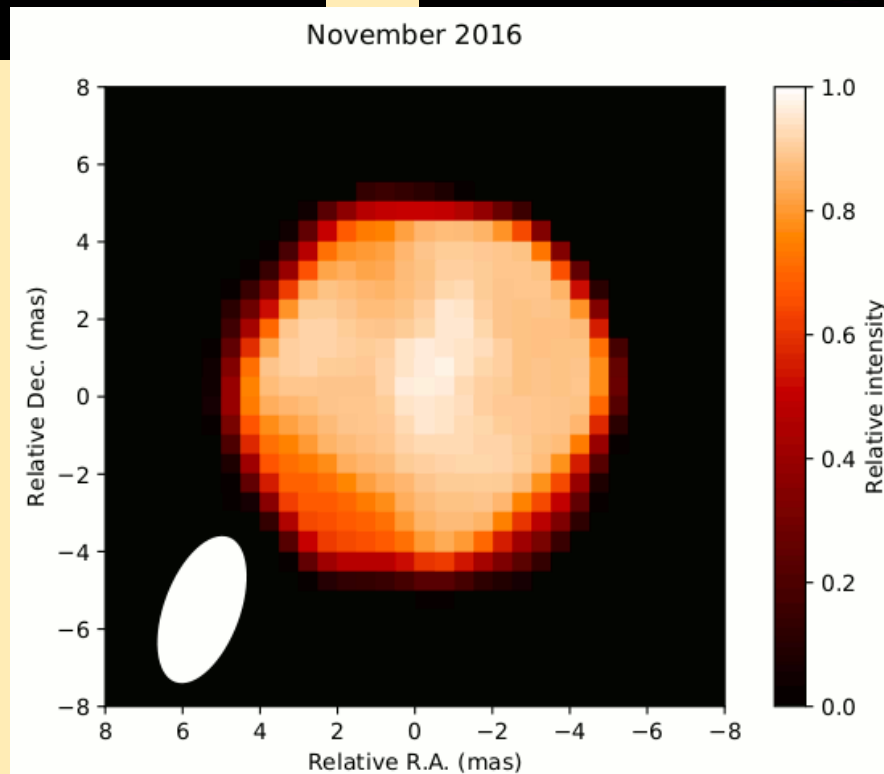
spectropola.
maps

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CE Tau : Spectropolarimetry vs VLT/PIONIER image reconstruction



Tessore+2018, en préparation



SQUEEZE
image reconstruction
(Baron+2010)

Montargès+2018

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Magnetic field strength and structure in Circumstellar Envelope (CSE) from :

Circular polarization

=> Line of sight component of Magnetic Field + constraints on its geometry

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(compactness and strength) :
maser circular polarization
 (sub)-mm regime

Typical molecules
 probing different zones in CSE

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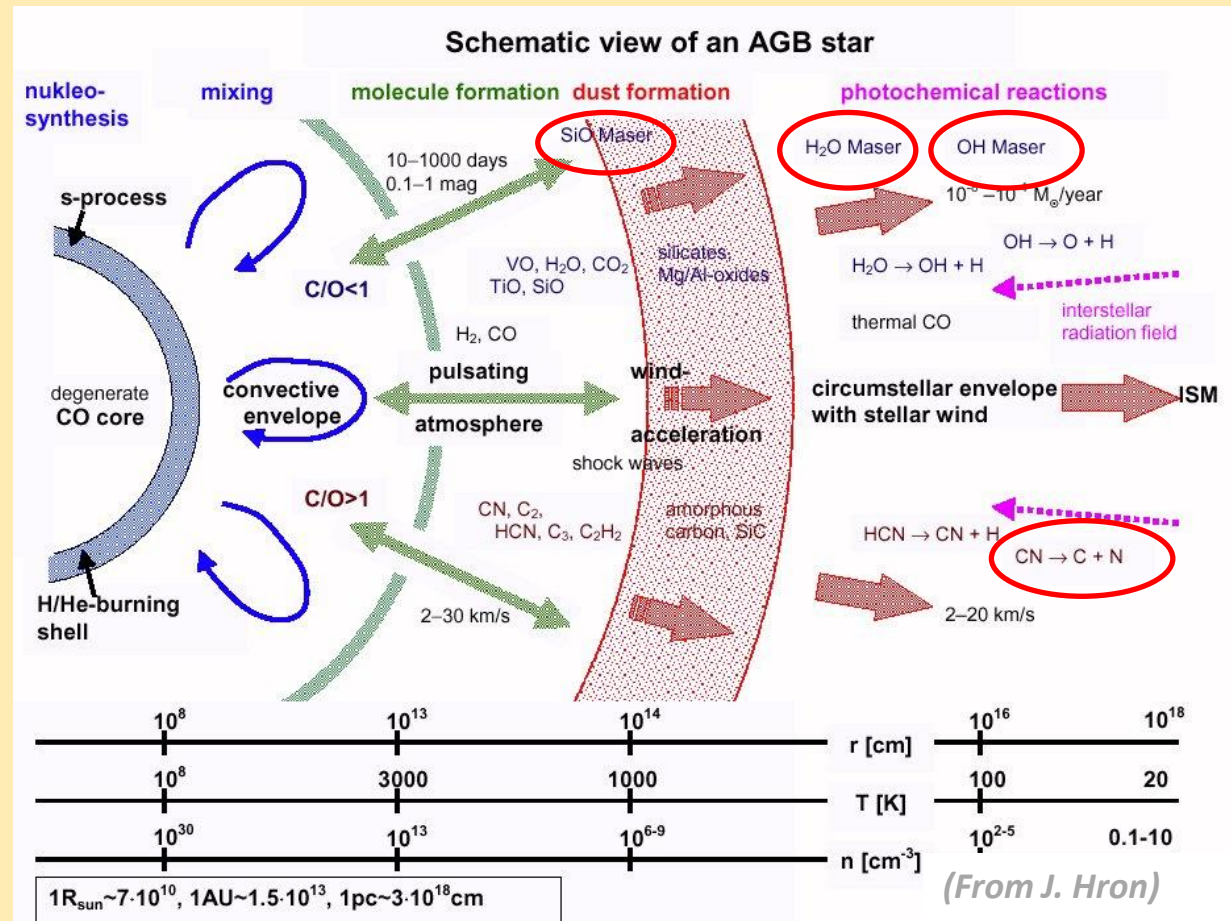
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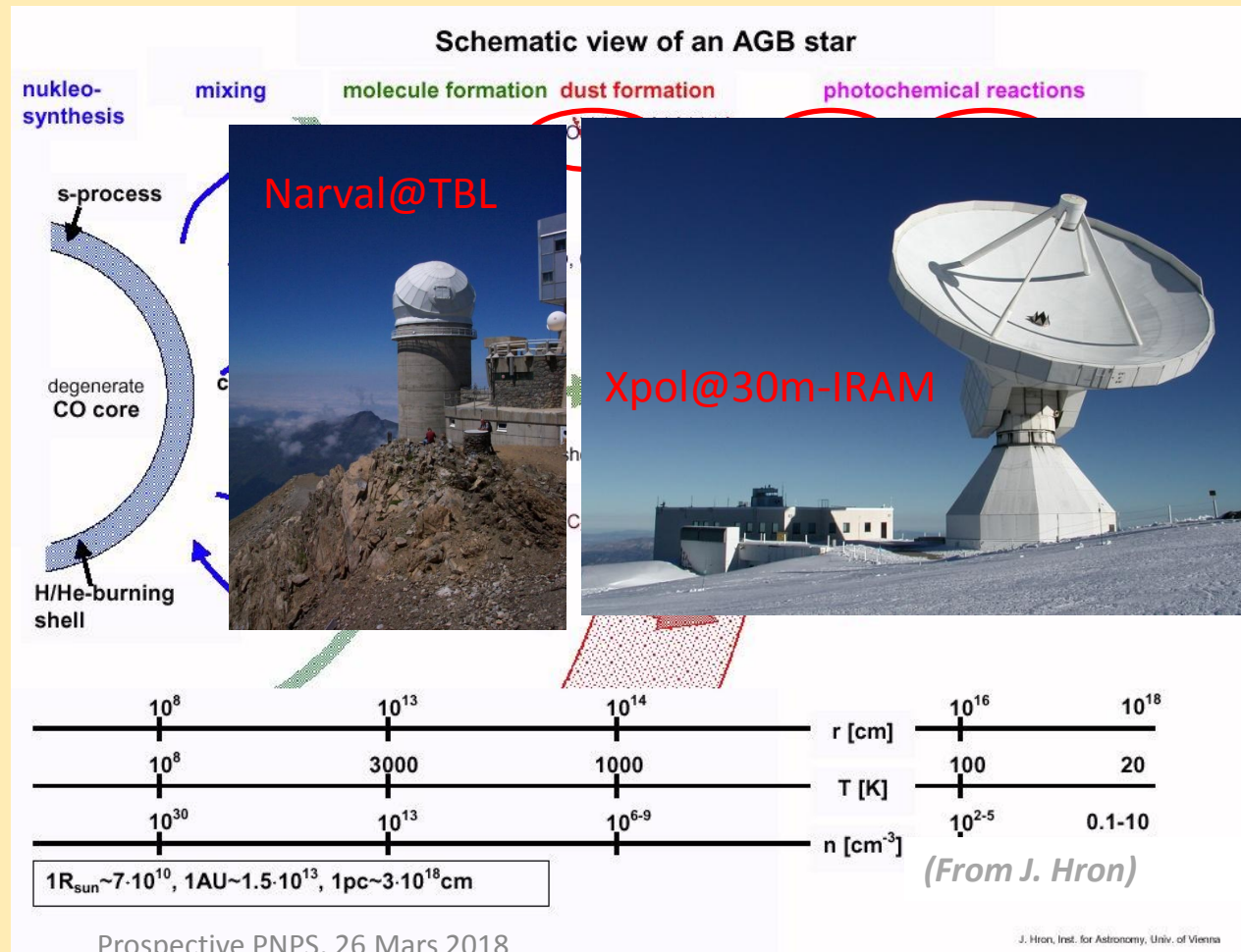
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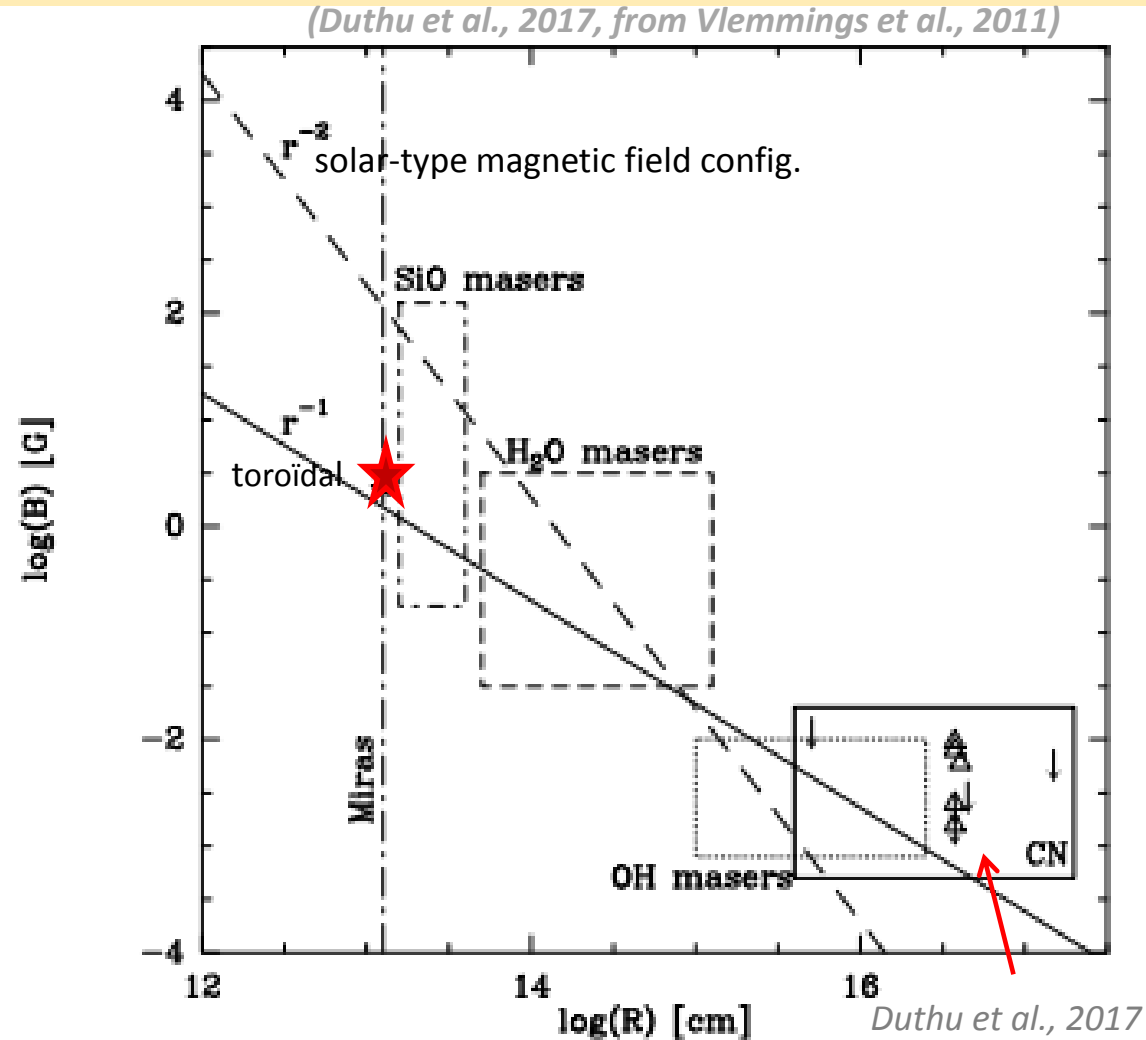
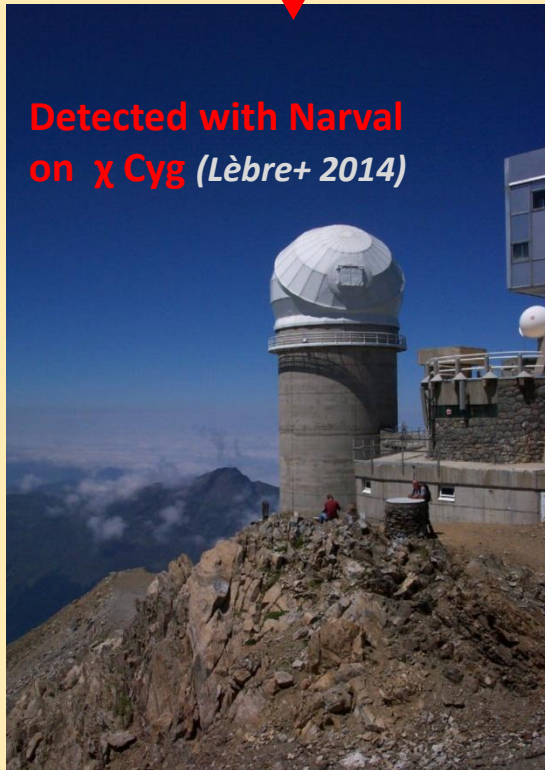


Magnetic field strength vs. radius relation

as indicated by current maser polarization observation of Miras, carbon stars, ..

Extrapolating the $1/r$ law (toroidal field) toward the photosphere

→ the magnetic field strength at the stellar surface of Mira stars could be of the order of a few G.

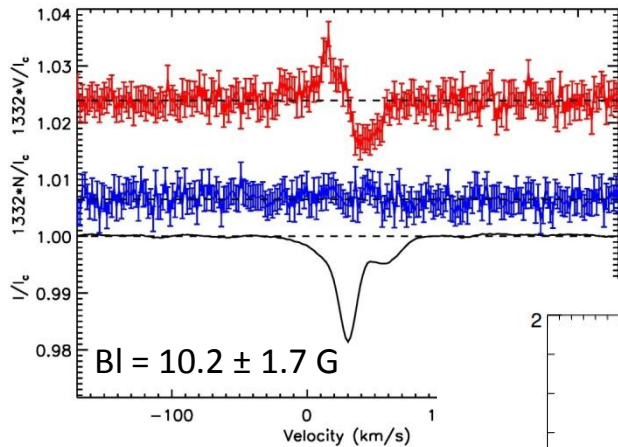


Post-AGB stars (incl. Pulsating RV Tauri stars)

RV Tauri stars

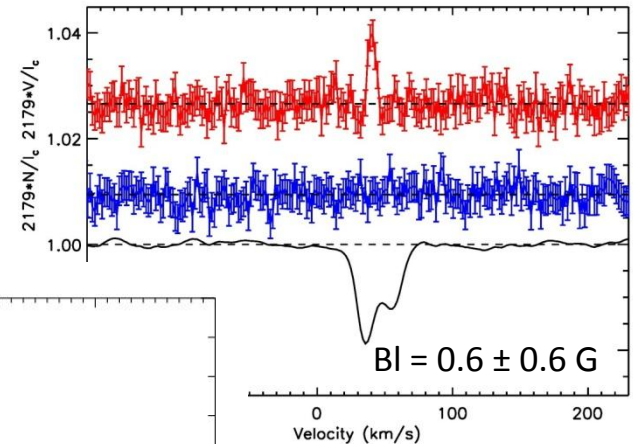
The first positive detections of a photospheric magnetic field (*Sabin et al., 2015*)

U Mon (ESPaDOnS april 2014)
pulsation period ~ 92 days

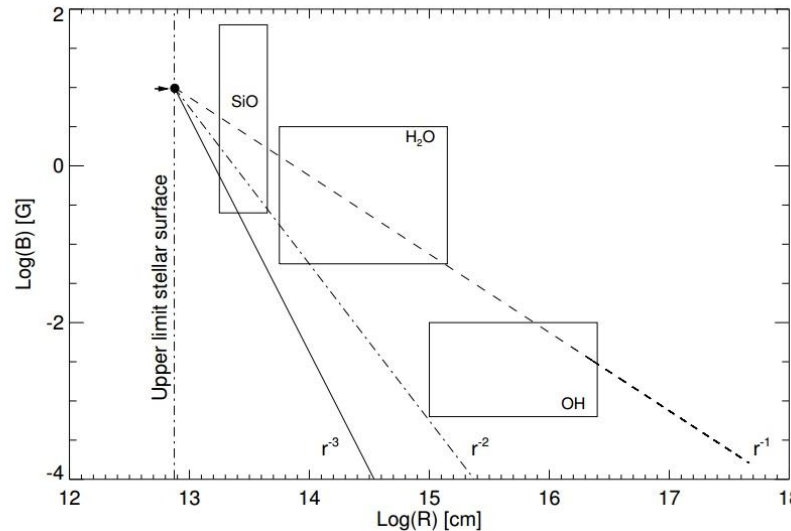


Impact of atmospheric shock waves?

R Sct (Narval july 2014)
pulsation period ~ 142 days

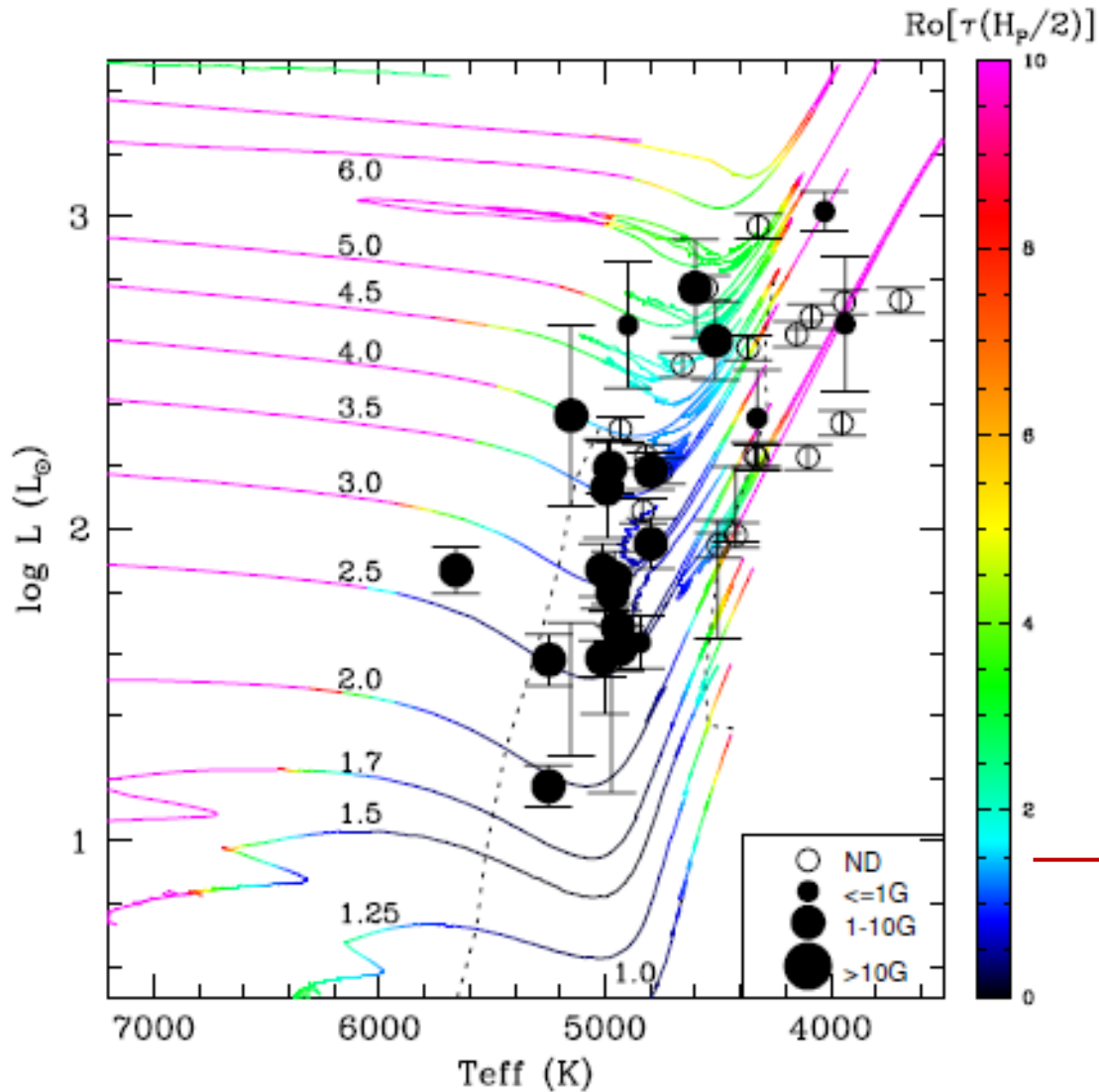


Prediction of maser strengths in the envelope of U Mon ?



Favoring again toroidal field (*Sabin et al., 2015*)

Theoretical trends with Rossby number for G-K giants



Evolution (from the ZAMS to the tip of RGB/AGB) of the **Rossby number** (Ratio of inertial to Coriolis force)

$$Ro = Prot / \tau$$

Magnetic Strip :
1st D-up and core He burning phase

α - ω type dynamo

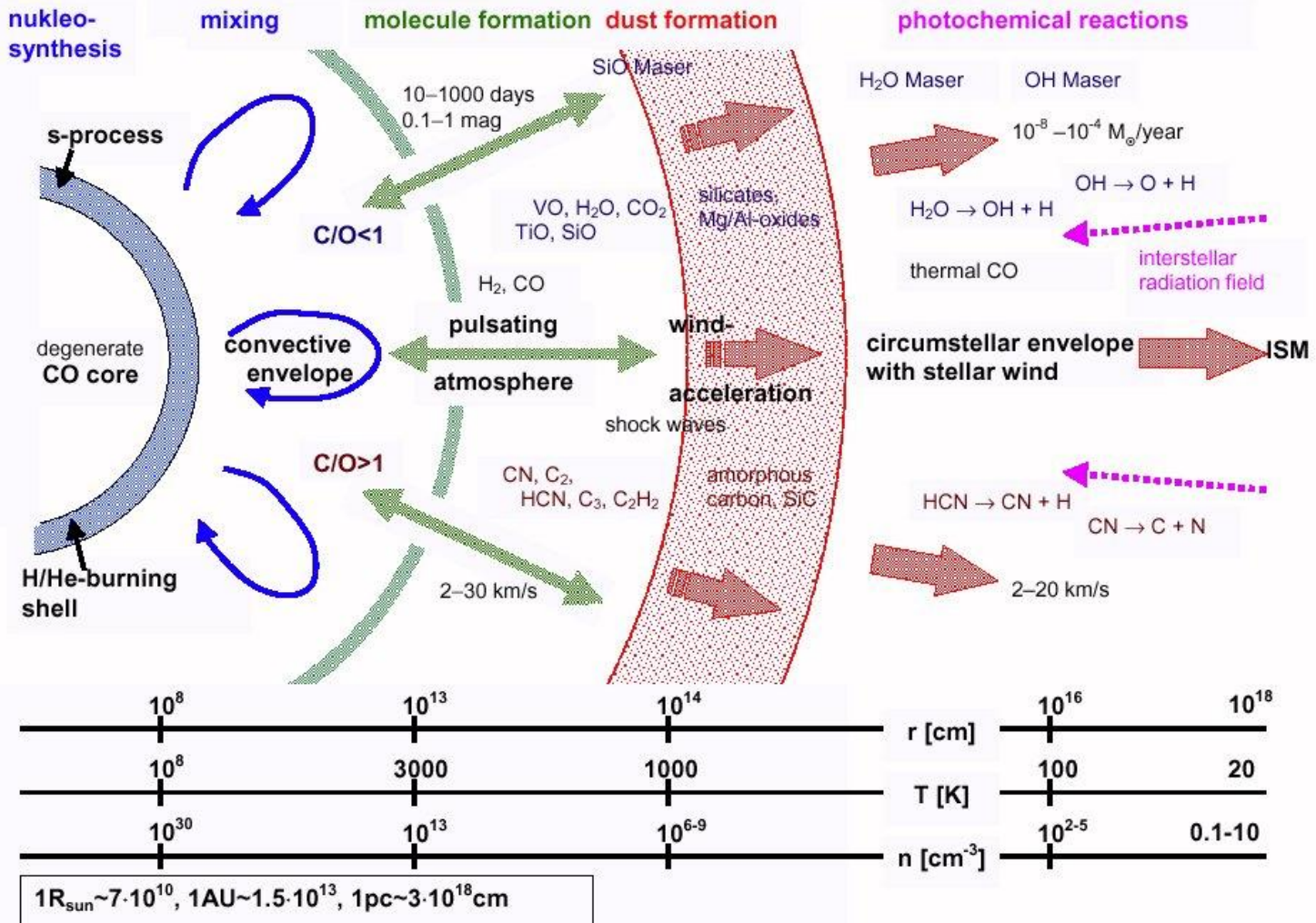
$R_o \sim 1 \Rightarrow$ Magnetic Strip !

(Charbonnel et al., 2017)

(Observations: Aurière et al., 2015)

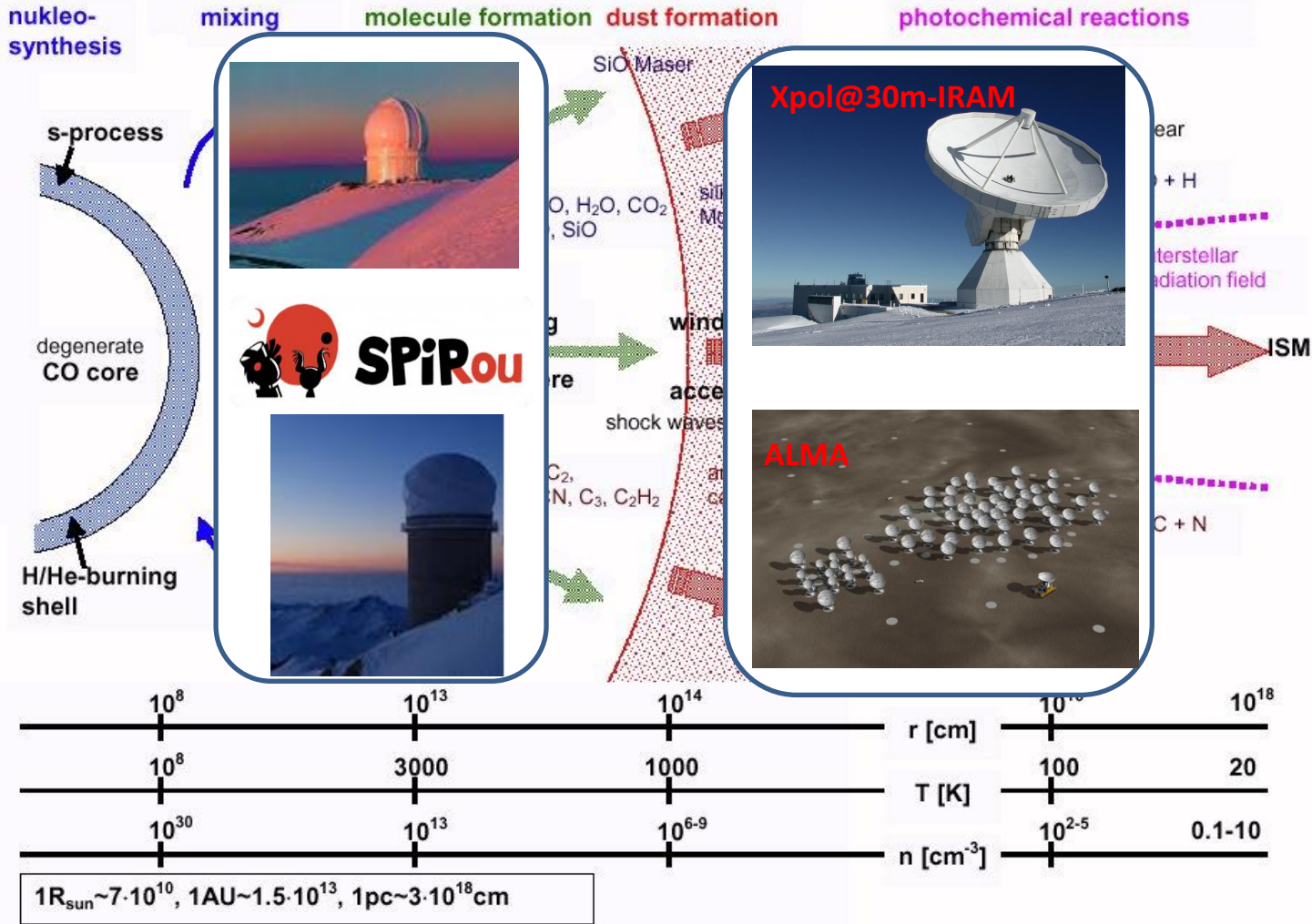
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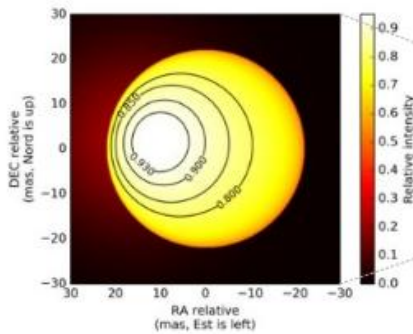
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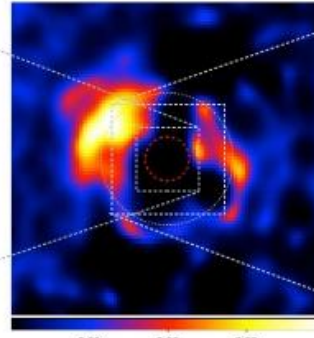
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Neo-Narval@TBL

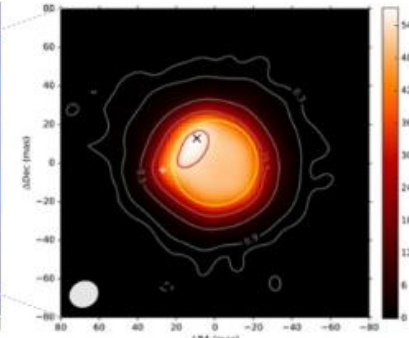
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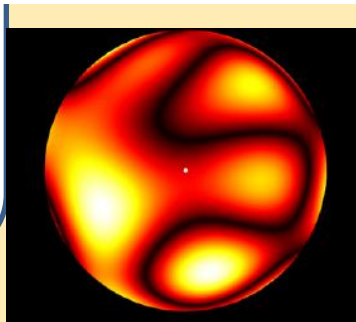
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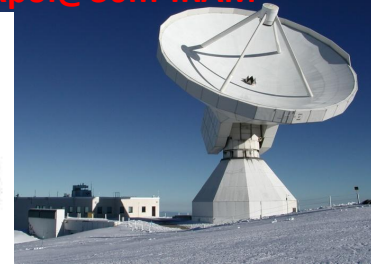


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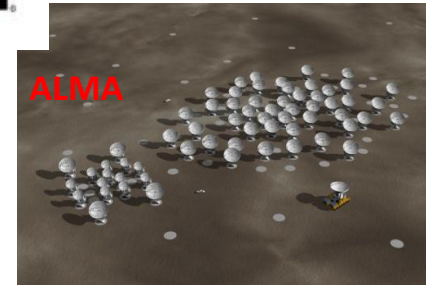


Exploitation des raies moléculaires :
besoin de listes de raies et de facteurs de Landé
(oxydes TiO, VO, ZrO et molécules carbonées CN, CH, CO, C₂)

Xpol@30m-IRAM

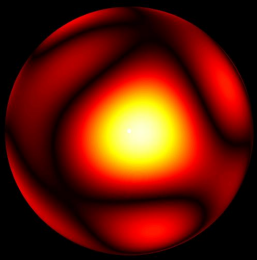


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