

High Angular Observations of interacting binaries

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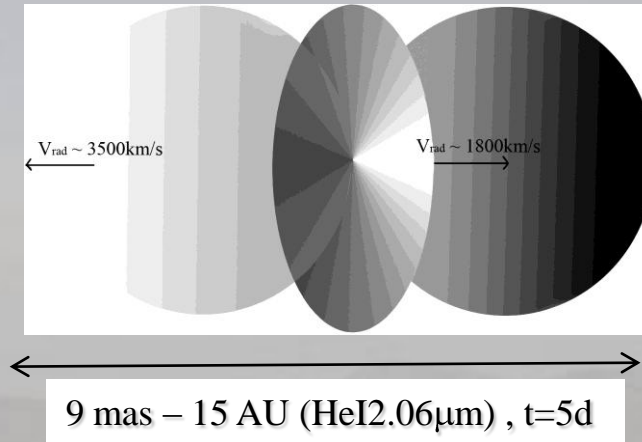


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What are the goals of these observations (*ultimately*):

- Detecting (embedded) interacting binaries (some many are yet to be discovered!)
- Isolate the engines that are at the origin of bi/multipolar nebulae,
- Detect the streams that form the circumbinary disks
- Study the temporal variability of the mass-transfer or discrete mass-ejection phenomenon,

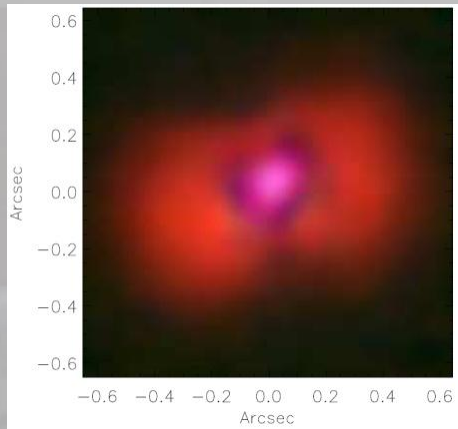
Novae: good laboratories for fast creation of highly bipolar nebulae



The recurrent RS Oph:

O'Brien et al. 2006,
Chesneau et al. 2007,
Bode et al. 2008...

Jet or shaping by equatorial
overdensity?



The classical V1280 Sco:

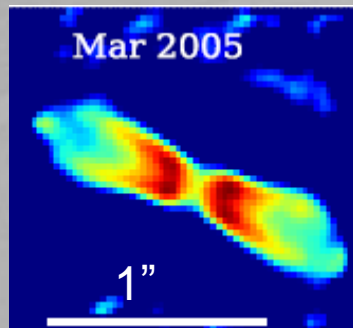
Chesneau et al. 2008,
Chesneau et al. 2012

Common envelop? Bipolar-
ejection from a spun-up WD?

The recurrent T Pyx: a near-pole on bipolar nebula

Chesneau et al., 2011

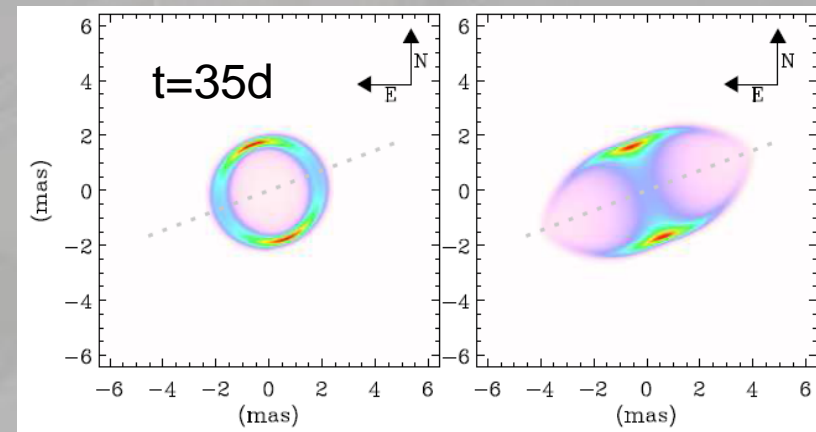
A strong magnetic field? Spun-up WD?

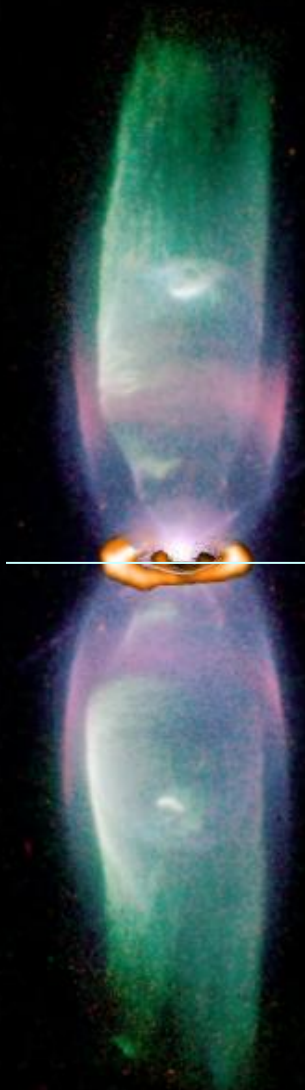


The classical V445 Pup:

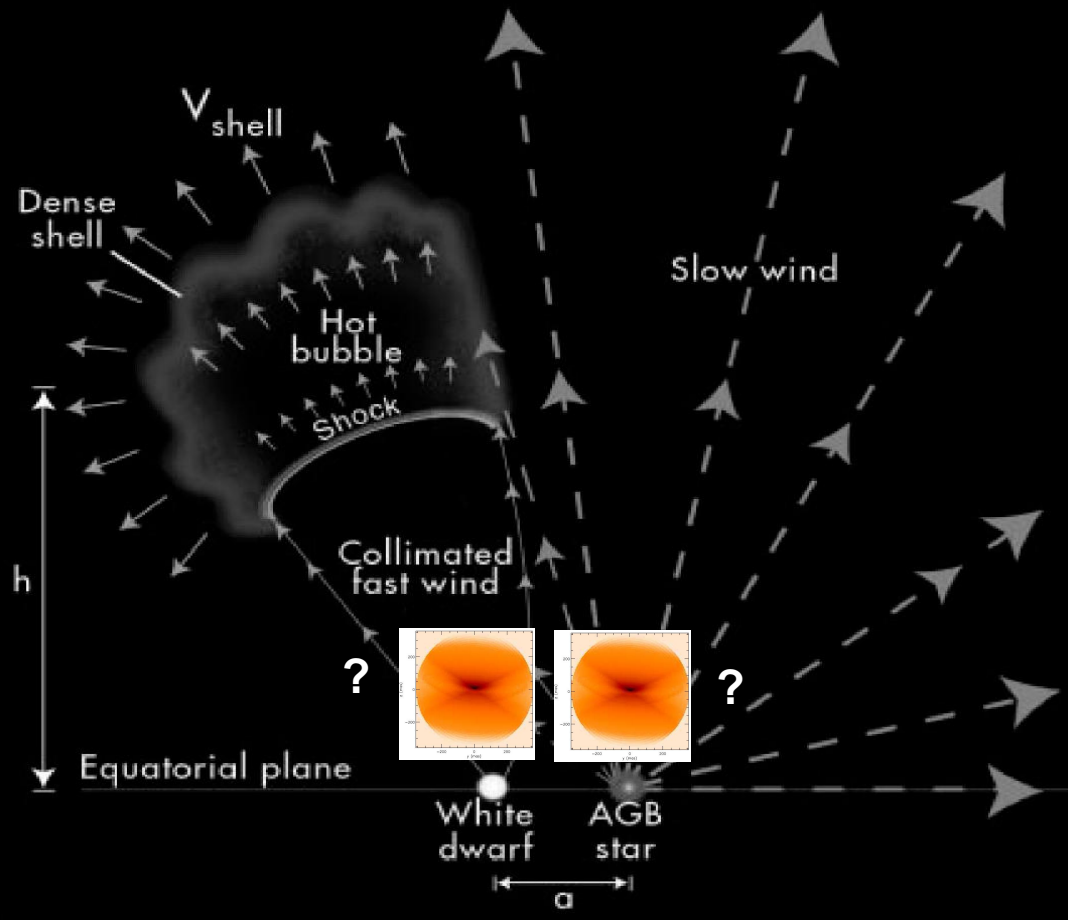
Woudt et al. 2009,

Shaping by equatorial
overdensity? Jet?





Interacting Winds Scenario



Soker & Livio (2001),

Lykou, Chesneau et al. 2010

1989

70 80 90
LSR Vel (km/s)

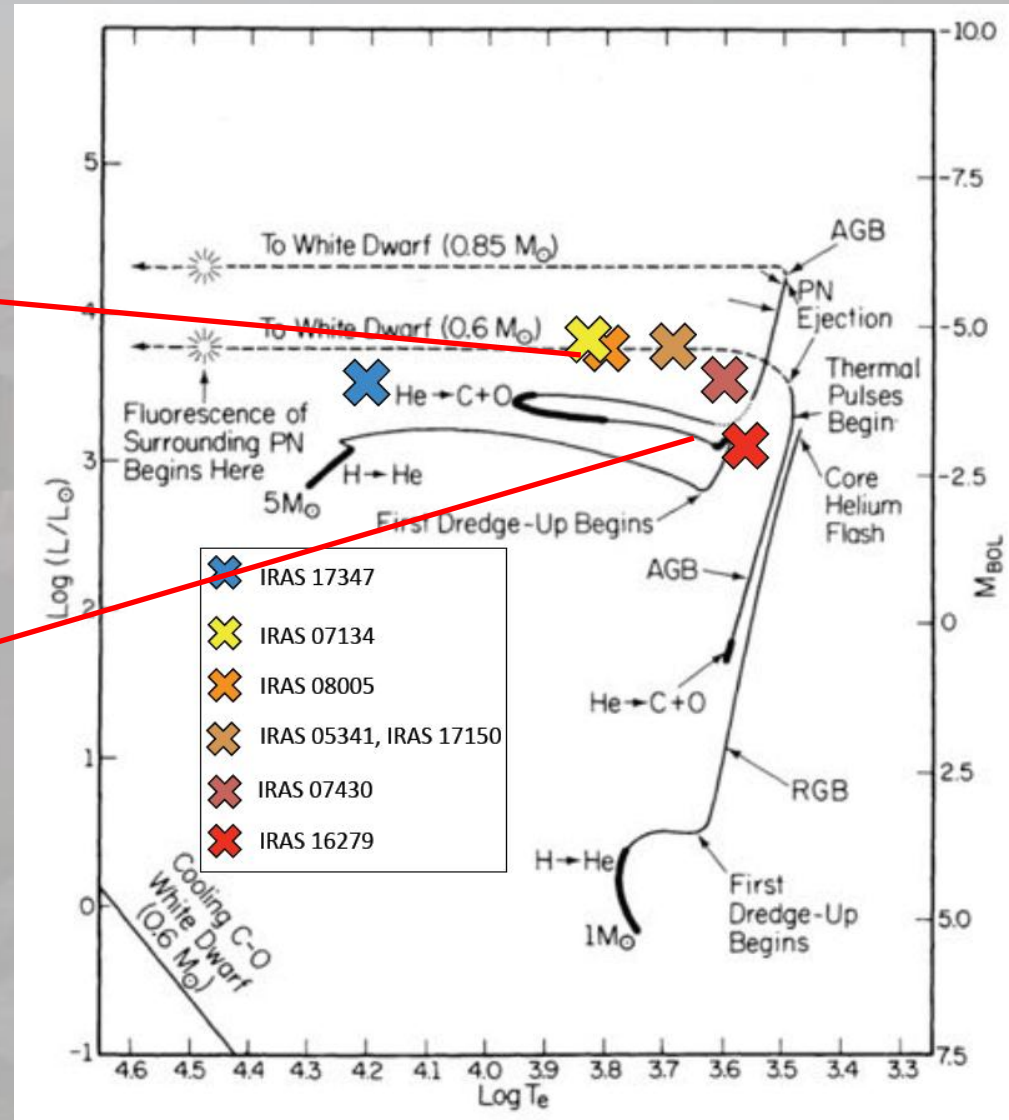
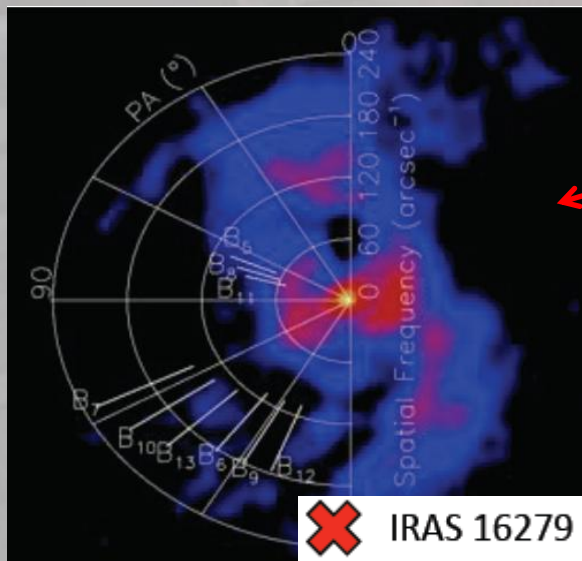
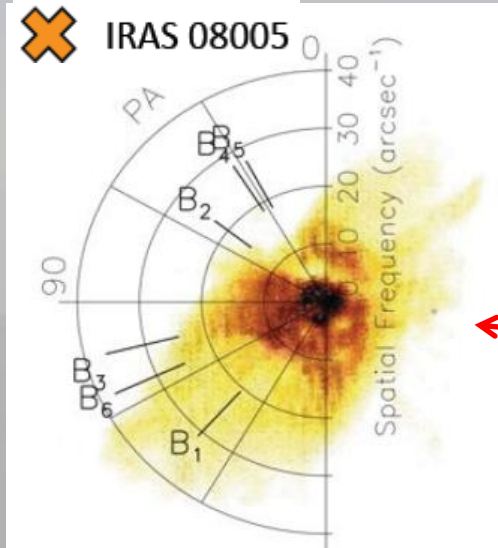
Castro-Carrizo et al. 2012

Corradi et al. 2012

Goal: detecting the engine in the core of bipolar PPNs (and symbiotics!)

PhD thesis: Stacey Bright (sup. O. De Marco/O. Chesneau)

See her poster!

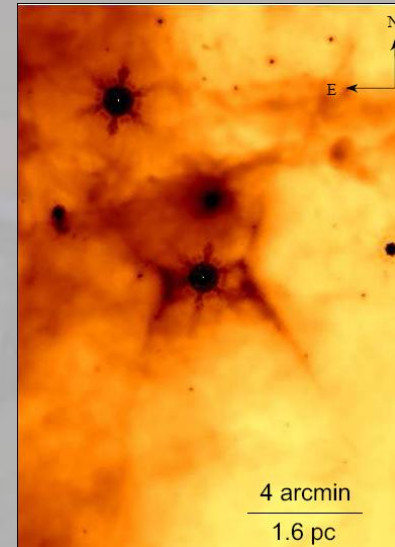


B[e] are all binaries!

Not a consistent spectral type. Mix of young and evolved sources (distance determination issue): SgB[e], HerbigB[e], PNB[e] (Lamers et al. 1998)

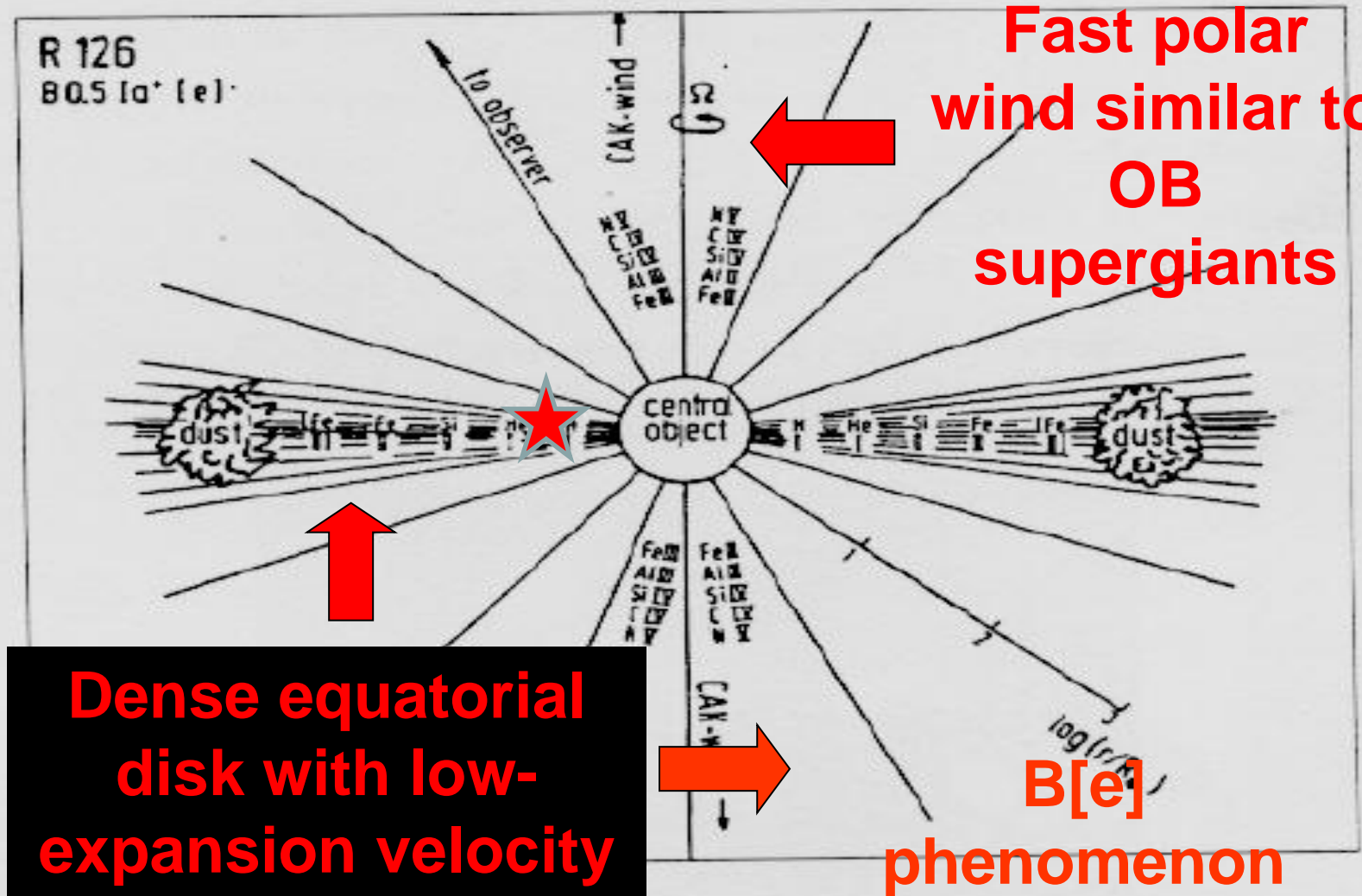
But virtually **ALL** the evolved sources whatever their luminosity class or status in evolution seem in binary systems!

- Miroshnichenko (2007a, b) proposal: the hot dust (1000-2000K) 'smoking gun' from a recent mass-transfer.
- MWC 300 is a binary (Domiciano et al. 2008, Wang et al. 2012), MWC 314 (binary containing a LBV Lobel et al.),
- V921 Sco, binary HerbigB[e] (Kraus et al. 2012a, b)
- B[e] from LMC, disk-like SEDs (Kastner et al. 2010).
- **MWC 349, massive and evolved binary (LBV)**
(Gvaramadze&Menten 2012)



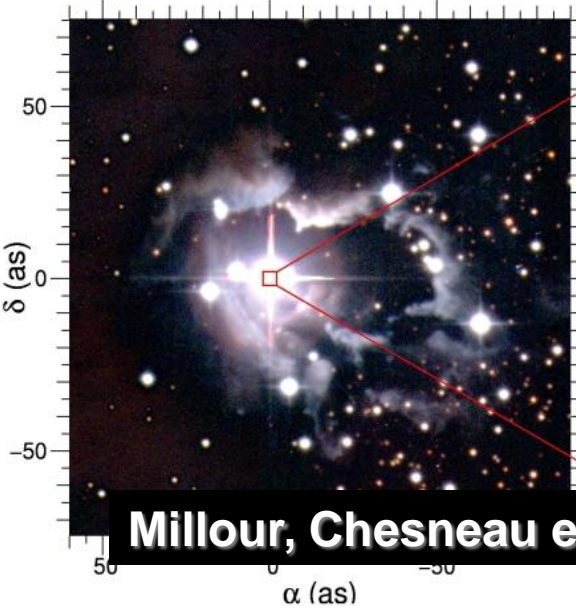
Well-defined bipolarity around evolved star is an indirect, yet clear evidence for binarity

Two-component wind (Standard Model for B[e]sg)

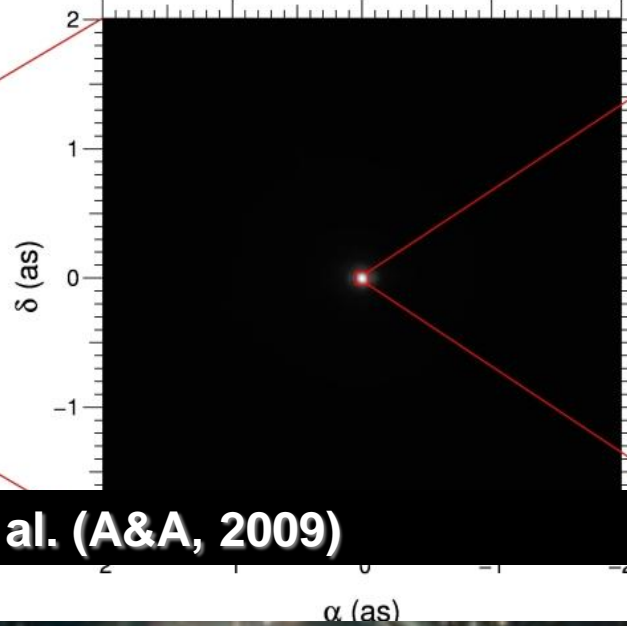


(Zickgraf et al., 1985)

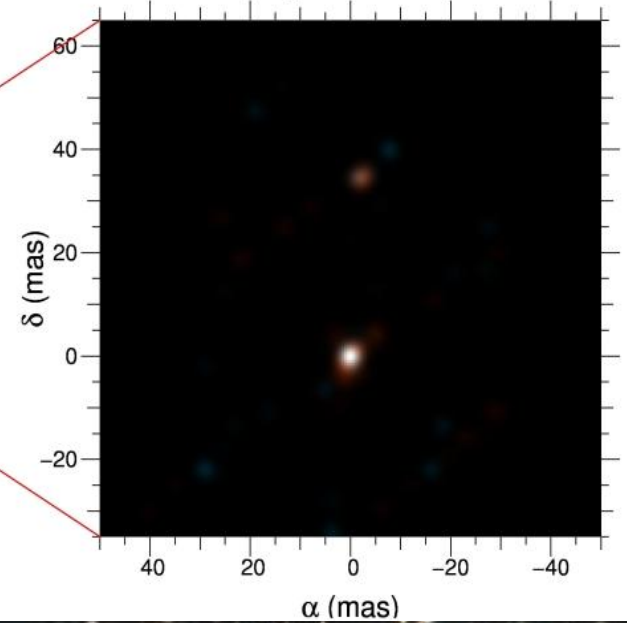
WFI (Visible)



NACO (K band)



AMBER (H+K bands)



Millour, Chesneau et al. (A&A, 2009)



HD 87643: close to face-on bipolarity?

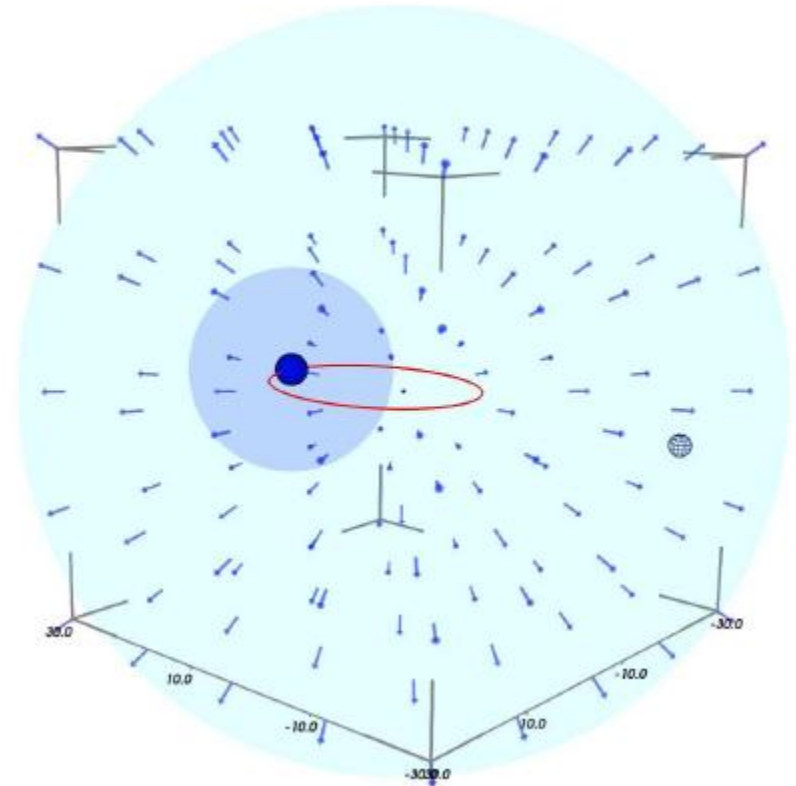
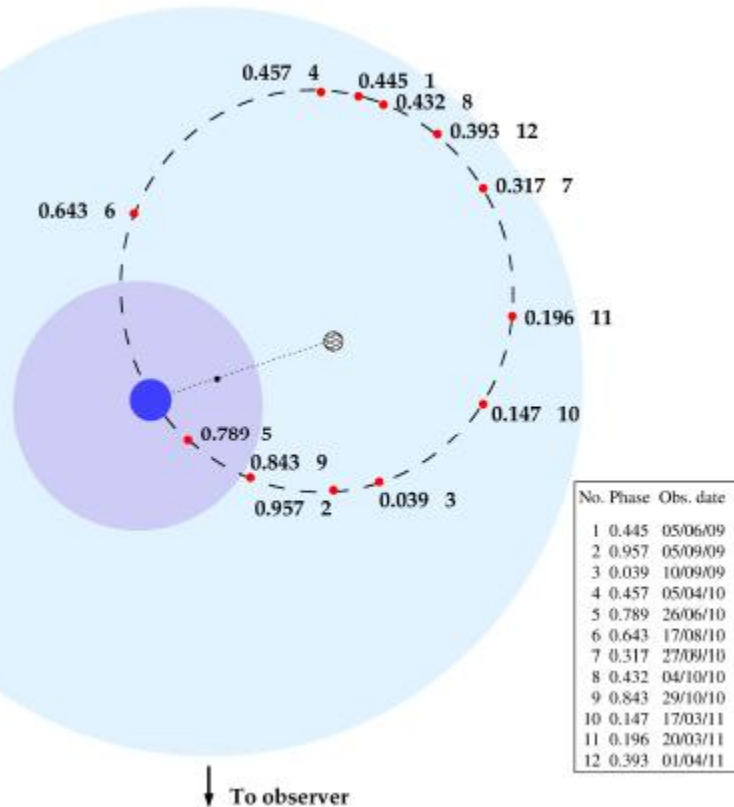
Current separation of the components: 34 mas (34-102 AU depending on D)

Large infrared excess (large amount of dust)

Two disks!!

Best hypothesis: regular catastrophic outburst at (some?) periastrons (each 6-15yrs, depending on eccentricity).

Disks and binarity: – MWC 314 (Lobel et al. 2013)



Yesterday: a B[e] star

Today: a 60d period, eccentric system ($e=0.26$) containing a LBV+ a less luminous supergiant

Disks and binarity: – HD62623 (A[e], an embedded Deneb)

Millour, Meilland, Chesneau, et al. 2011; Meilland et al. 2010

MIDI/VLT → parameters of the dusty disk
AMBER/VLT → image reconstruction in Br γ line.

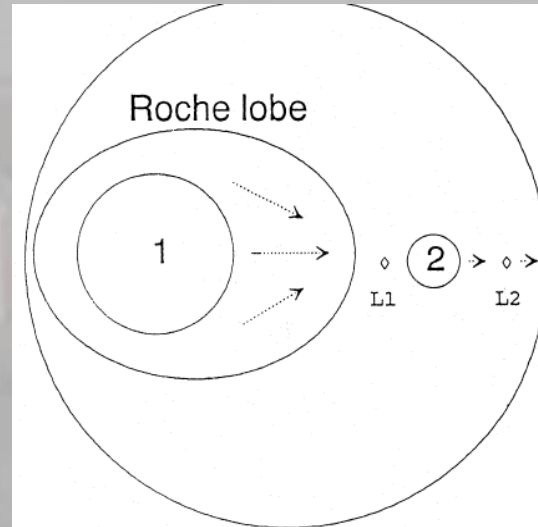
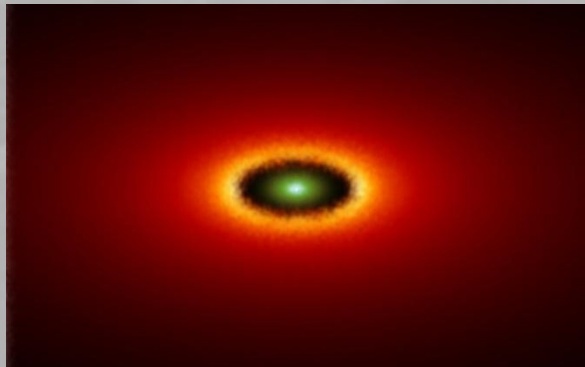
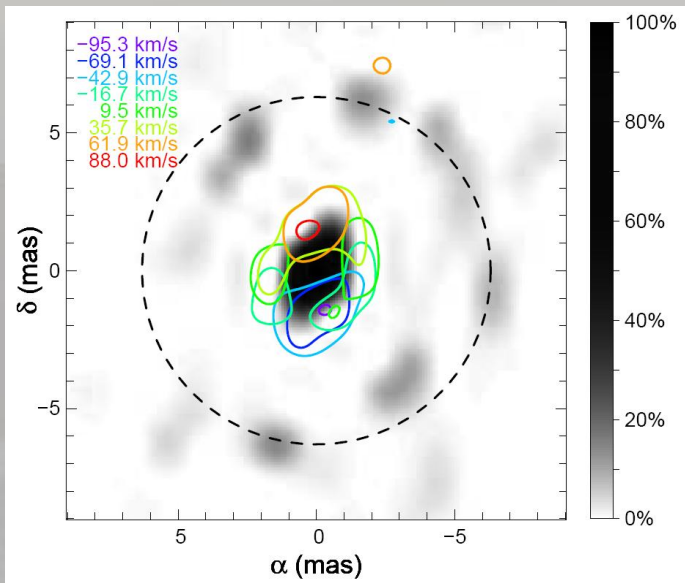


Fig. 10. Schematic representation of the model: mass loss through L_2

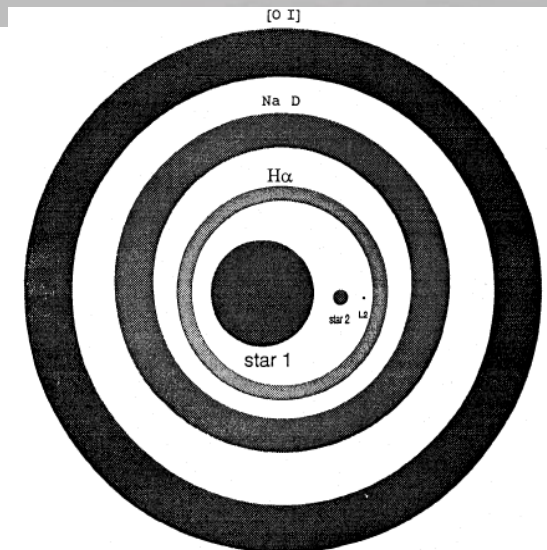


Fig. 11. Schematic representation of the model: extension of the circumstellar disk

Schematic model: Plets et al. 1995

The key: A low mass companion ($q \ll 1$) near the photosphere of the A supergiant

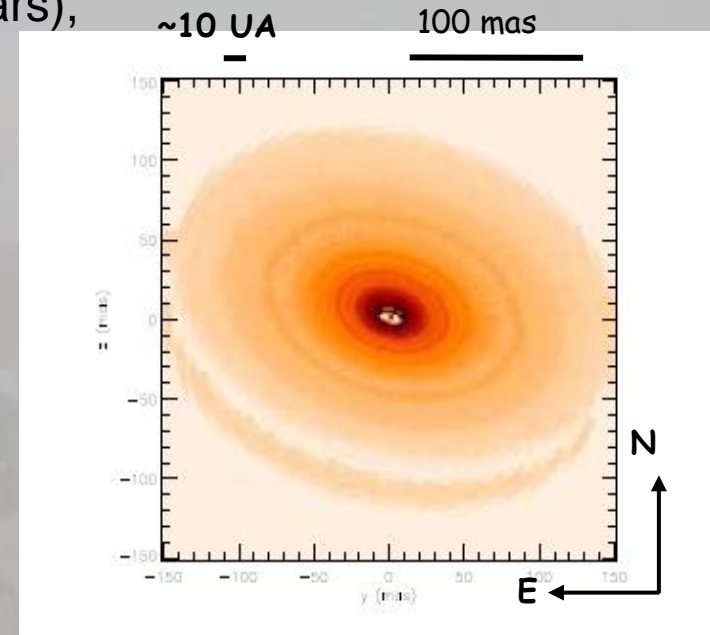


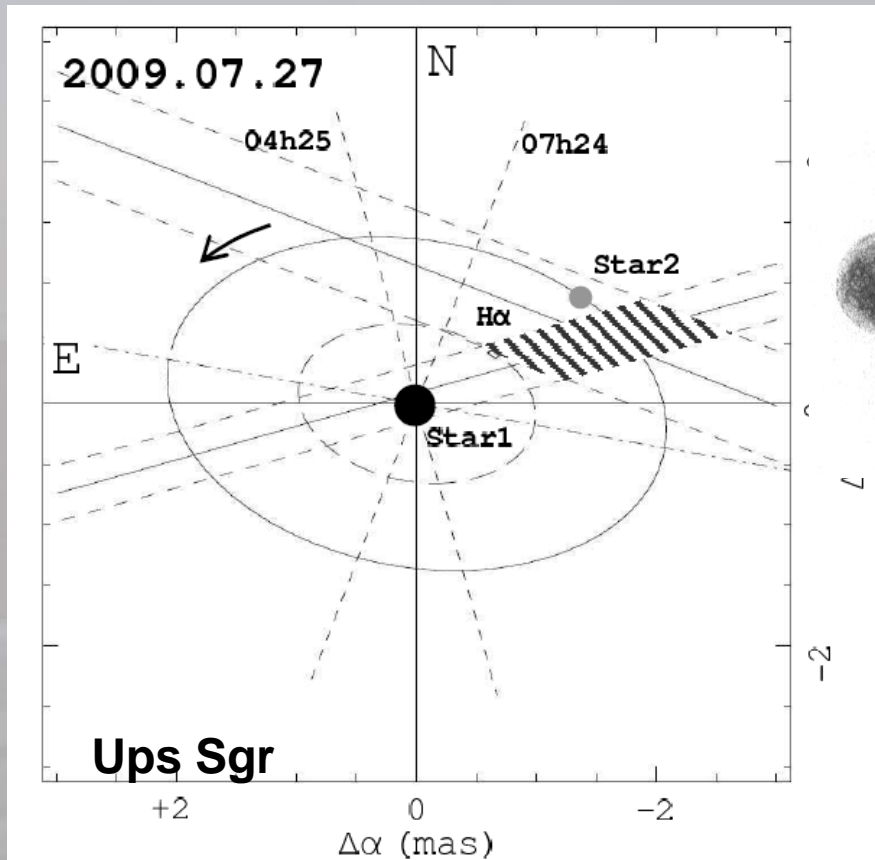
Disks and binarity- The hydrogen deficient Ups Sgr

Ups Sgr:

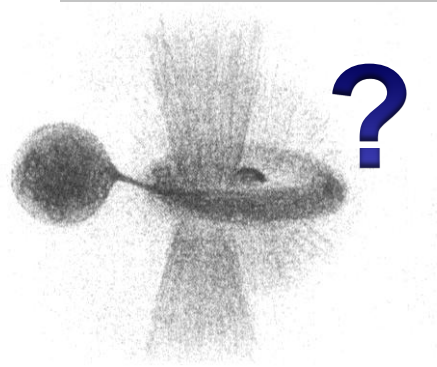
- the brightest of the Hydrogen **deficient** stars (HdB stars), A supergiant, Strong IR excess!
- SB2, $P \approx 137.9$ j, $dP/dt = -24$ s/yr
- Intense and variable **H α emission**

- ***MIDI/VLTI* mid-IR observations:** circumbary disk
(**Netolicky, Bonneau, Chesneau, Kousky et al. 2009**)
 - Inclination $i = 50^\circ$
 - Total mass of the system $> 15 M_\odot$

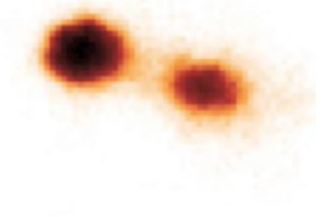




When begins the polar ejections?

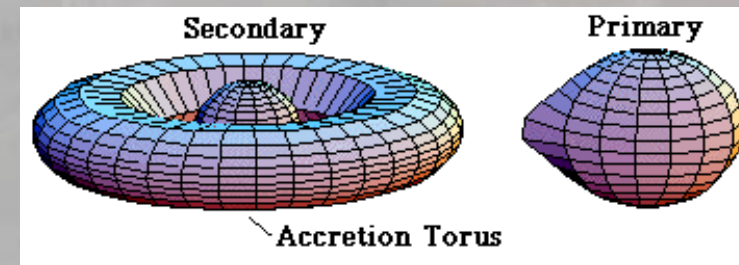


Beta Lyrae



CHARA reconstructed images

Zhao et al. 2008



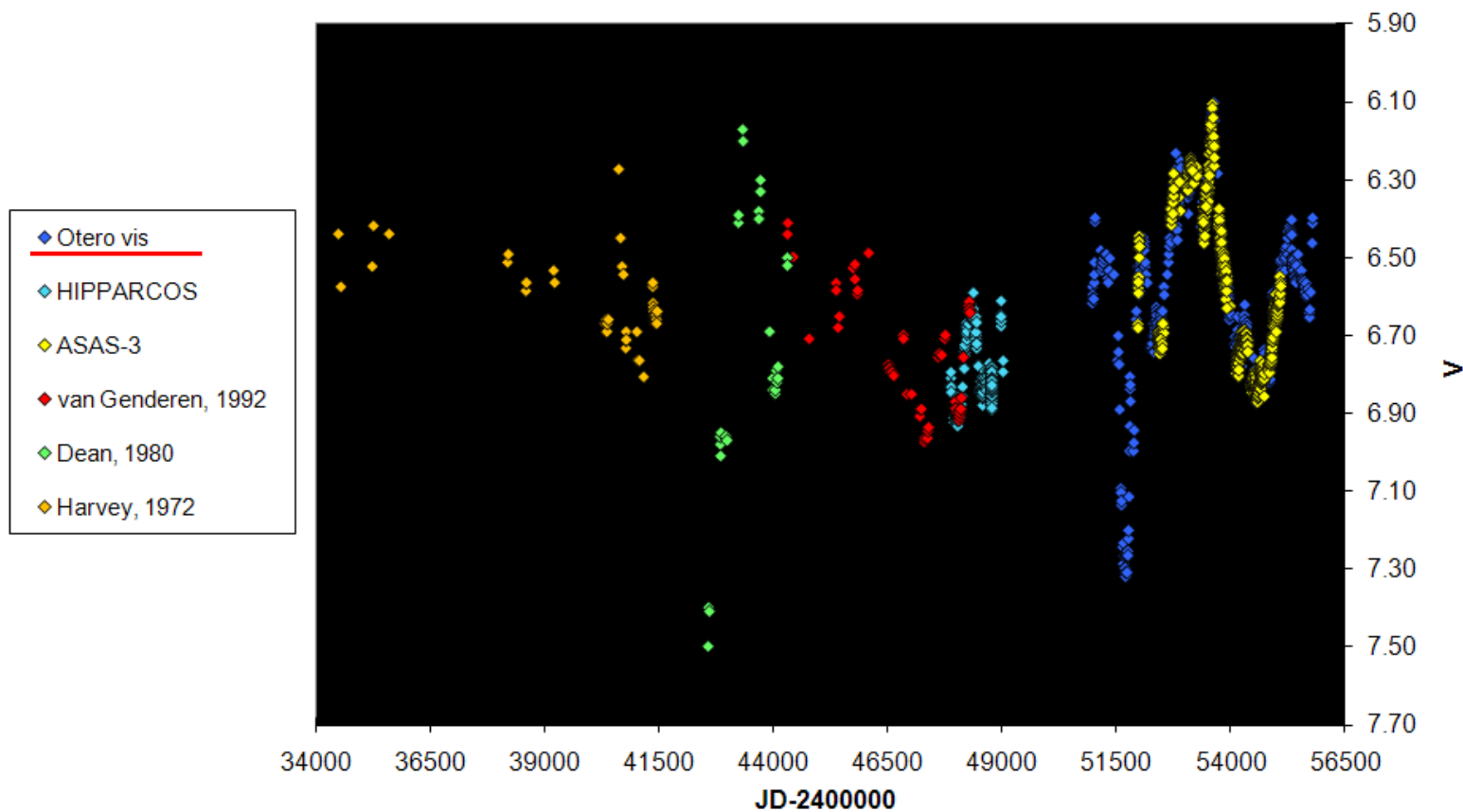
VEGA/CHARA visible observations → constraints on the size of the primary, flux from $H\alpha$, extended continuum flux... (Chesneau, Bonneau, Mourard et al. 2011)

1350 \pm 50 R_{sol}



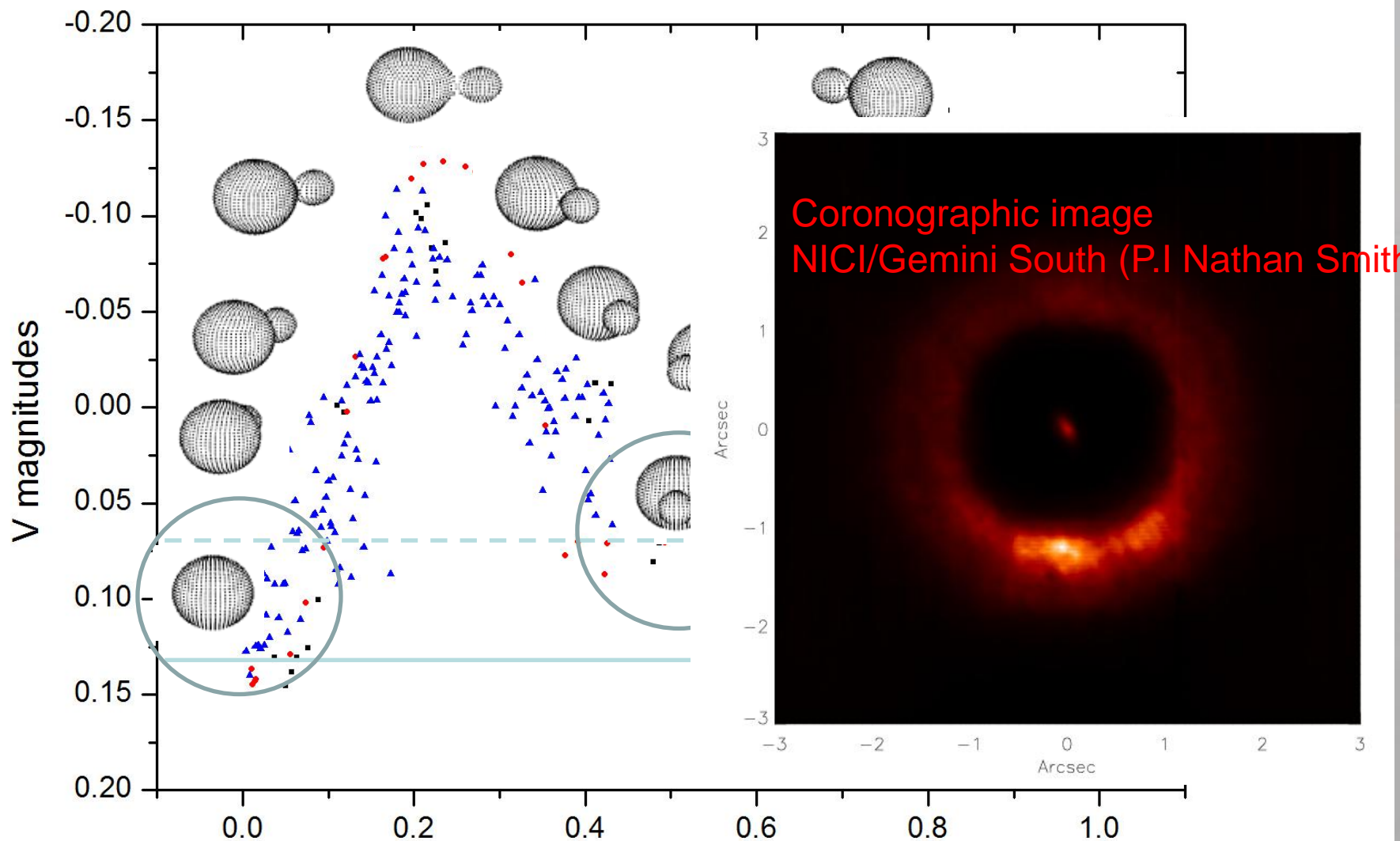
HR 5171 A (alias V766 Cen): an anonymous Yellow Hypergiant from G5Ia (~1950) \rightarrow K3Ia (~1990) and now?

V766 Cen



P=1333 d

Chesneau, et al. en préparation



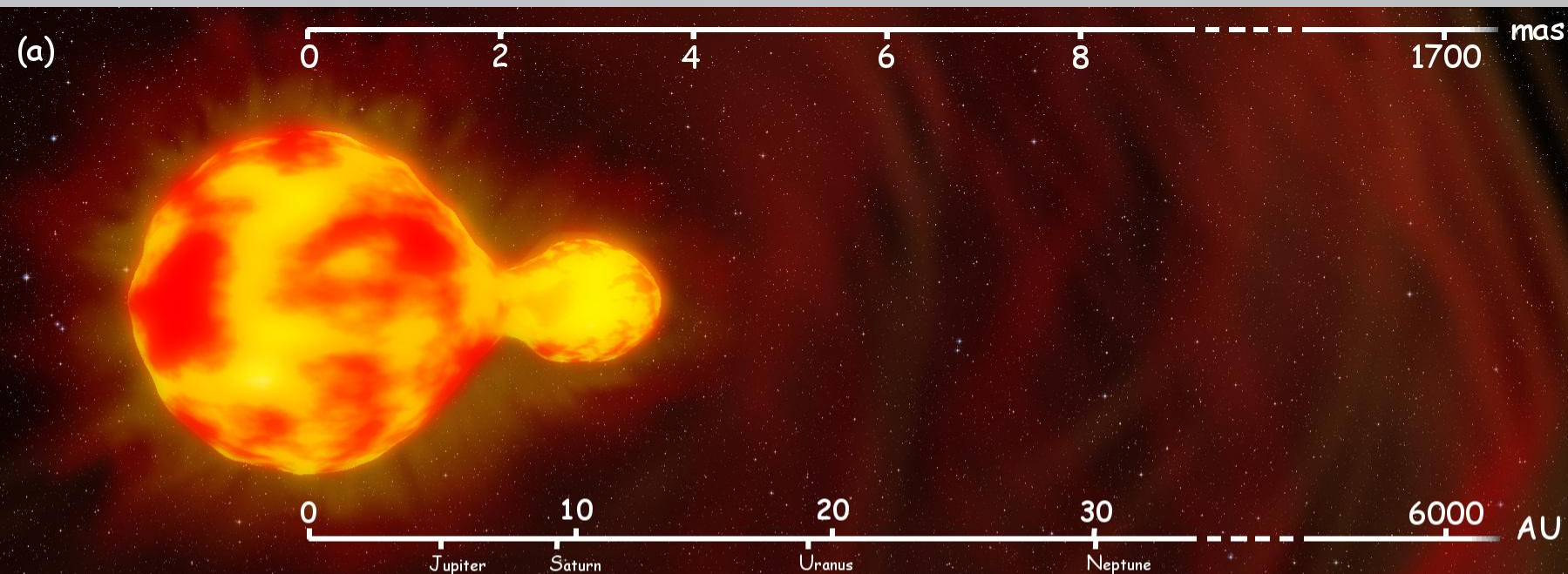
P=1333j → system mass~30-60Msol phase

CASE B interaction: large rotation (60 km/s! Warren et al. 1973), 'enveloppe stripping',

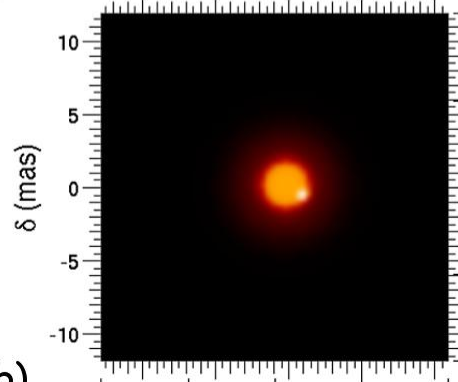
First detection of a massive common envelop system?

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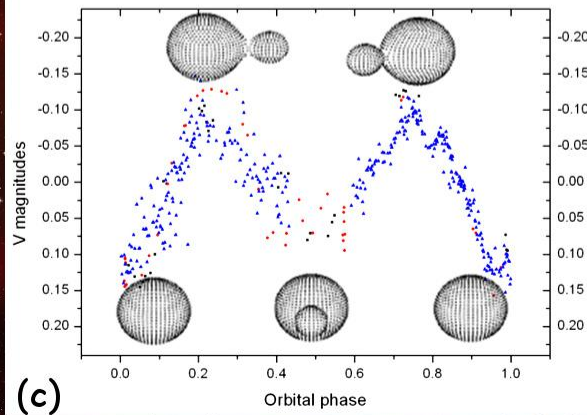
Future fast-rotating Wolf-Rayet star? Progenitor of a Long Gamma-ray burst?



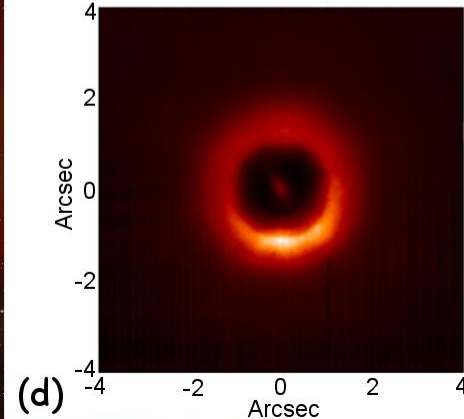
VLT/AMBER data



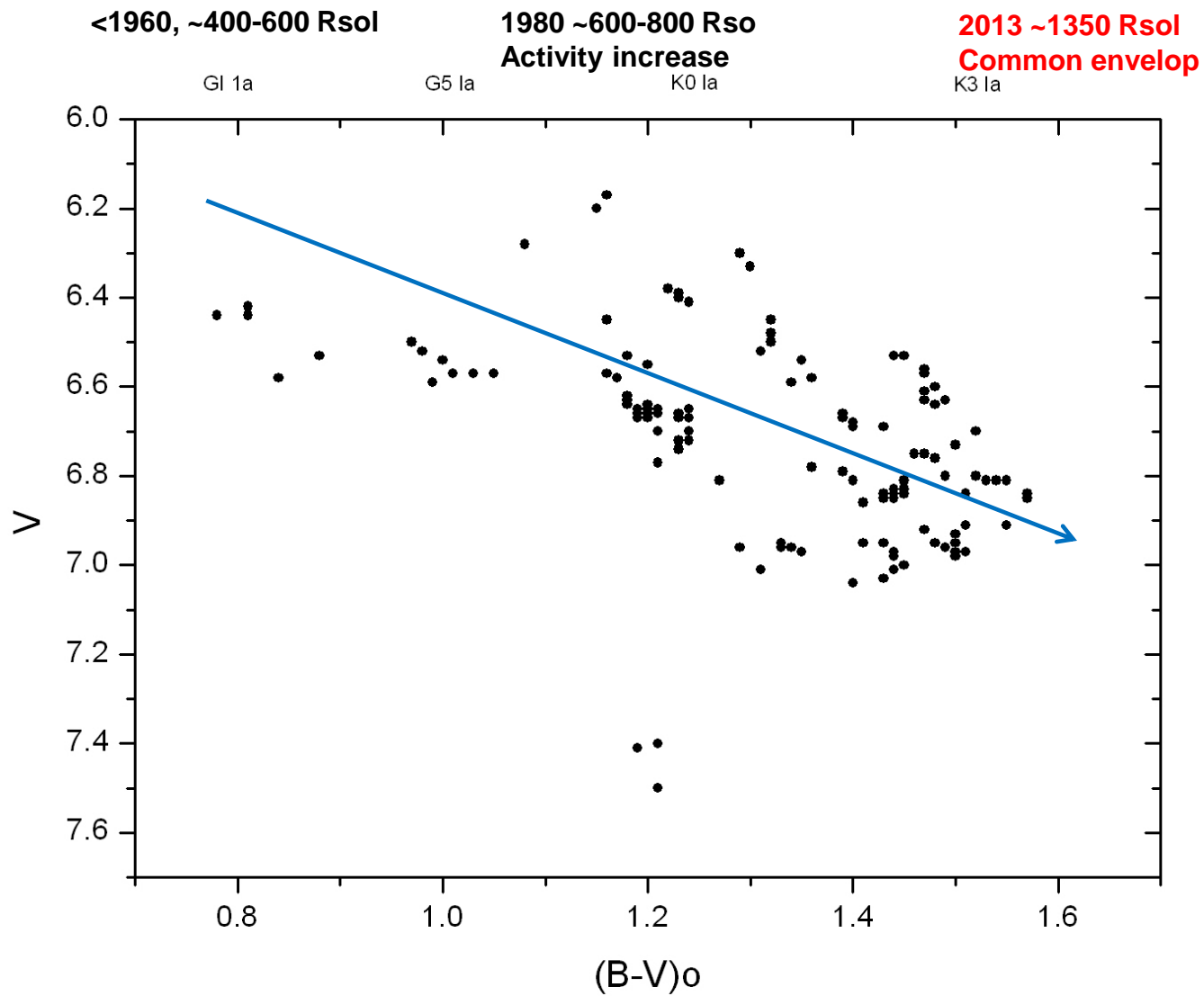
Photometric variations



GEMINI/NICI coronagraphic image



Historical evolution



Conclusions

- High spatial resolution observations provide new way to separate binarie stars even with *complex* environments,
- One can now get closer to the interacting binary engines
- The influence of a companion, even not massive on the extended, loosely bound atmosphere of a giant can be studied directly,
- Binary interaction is not a smooth process. It can be at the origin of violent and short-lived ejections that must be caught by observations.
- *These phenomena affect deeply the fate of massive stars becoming supergiant and the class of the supernova explosion*
- *These phenomena modifies deeply our view of the end of solar-type stars*