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Resolving the inner disk of the Herbig star **MWC480** at
mid-infrared wavelengths:
Suspect for a Vortex in the inner disk part

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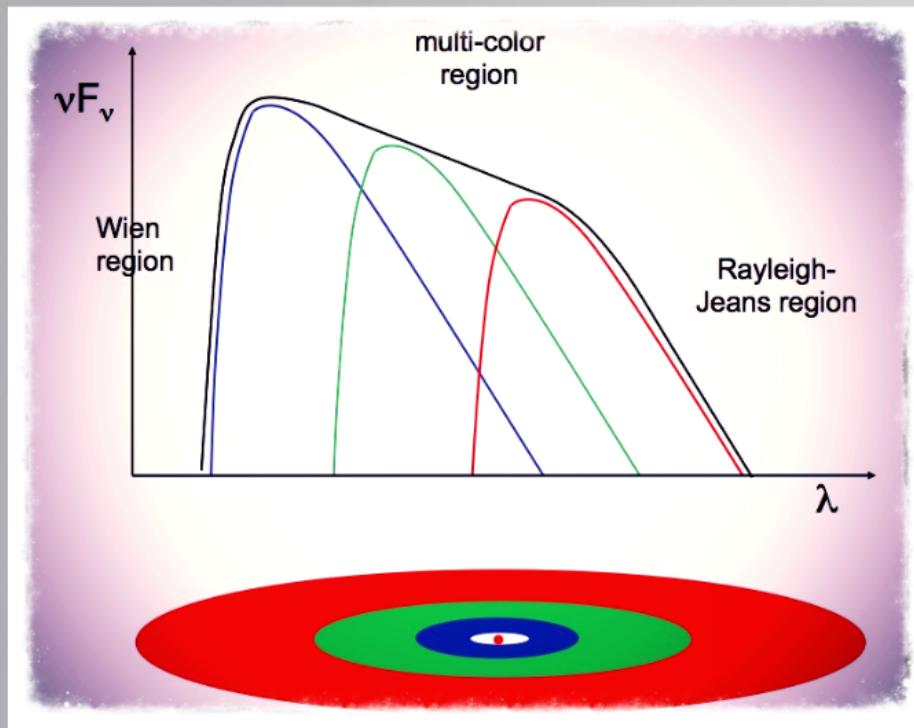
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I. Introduction

SED (Spectral Energy Distribution)



*Probing distinct regions of the star,
envelope, disk,....*

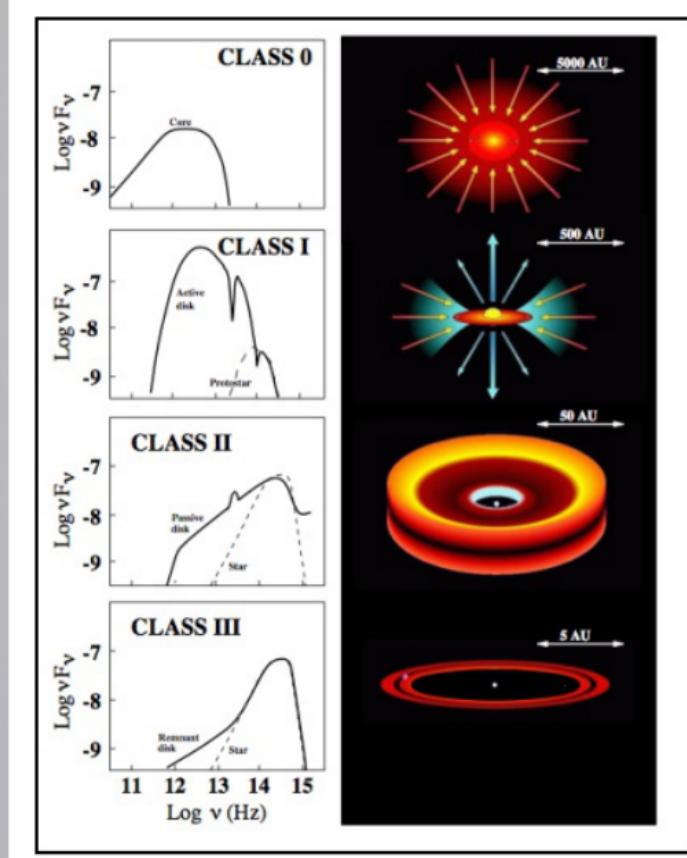




I. Introduction

SED 

A tool to know the process of star formation



I. Introduction

MWC480 (HD31648) Presentation

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D (pc)	SpType	$M_\star [M_\odot]$	$R_\star [R_\odot]$	$L_\star [L_\odot]$	Age(Myr)
137±31	A2/3ep+sh	1.8	2.1	23.7	6

- (1) : Van Leeuwen *et al.* (2007)
- (2) : Thi *et al.* (1994)
- (3) : Simon *et al.* (2000)
- (4) : Mannings *et al.* (1997)
- (5) : Mannings *et al.* (1997)
- (6) : Mannings *et al.* (1997)

I. Introduction

MWC480 (HD31648) Presentation

- The existence of a Keplerian disk around this star at mm wavelengths.

→ Mannings et al. (1997); Simon et al. (2000); Pietu et al. (2007)

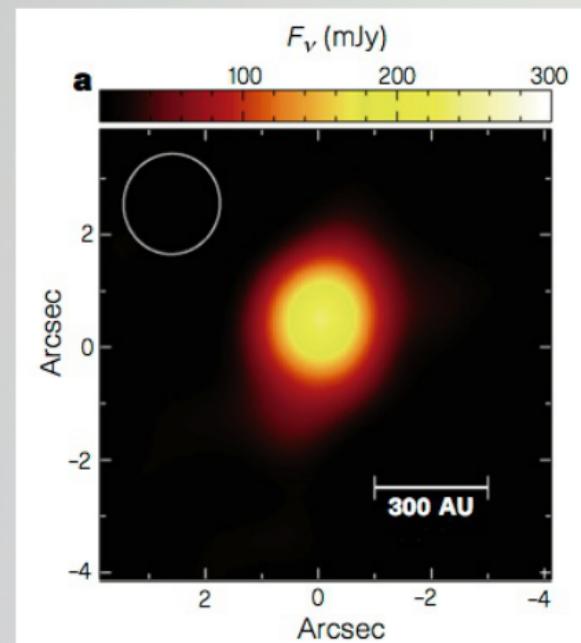
- IR excess, 2.2 - 12.5 micron

→ Sitko (1981)

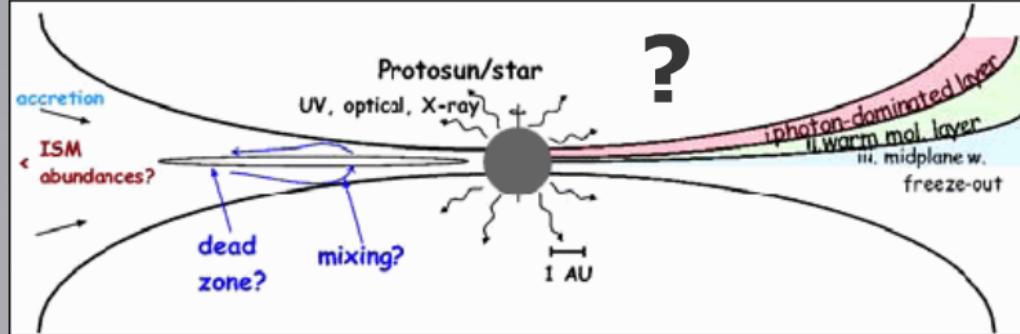
- Thermal dust millimeter-continuum and gaseous CO emission

Disk with an extent of 85 AU and inclination of 30

→ Mannings & Sargent (1997)



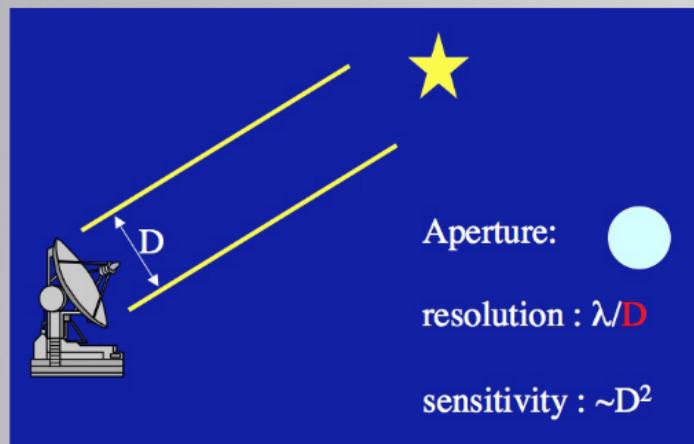
II. Observations



To understand how planetary systems form in the dusty disk around PMS:

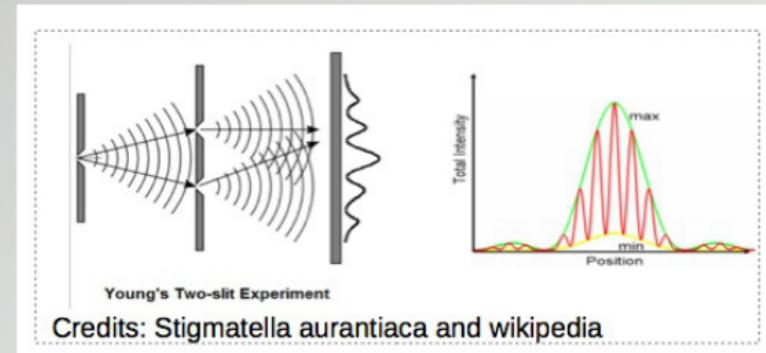
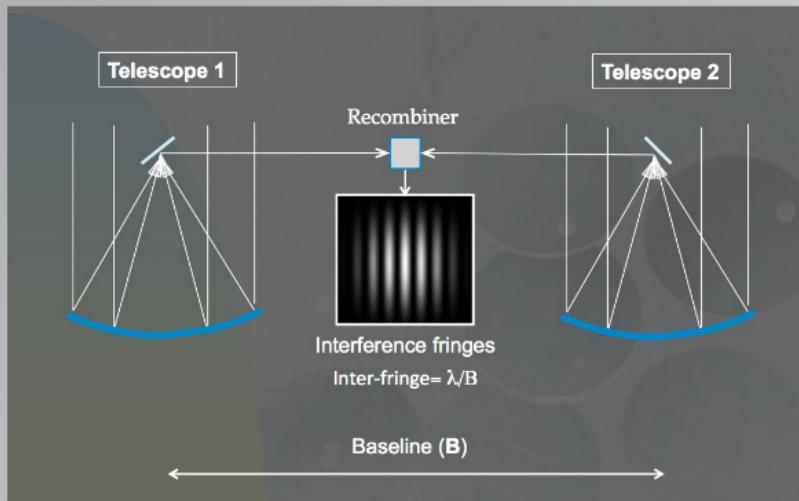
A detailed knowledge of the structure and evolution of these disks is required

*Very difficult to spatially resolve these regions
with current telescopes*

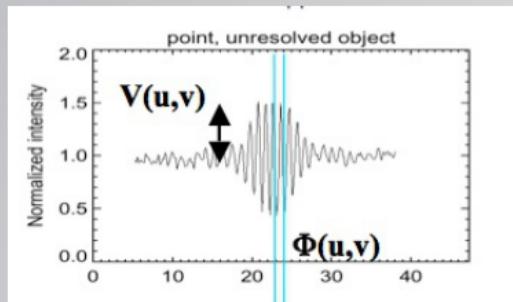


II. Observations

i. Interferometry :



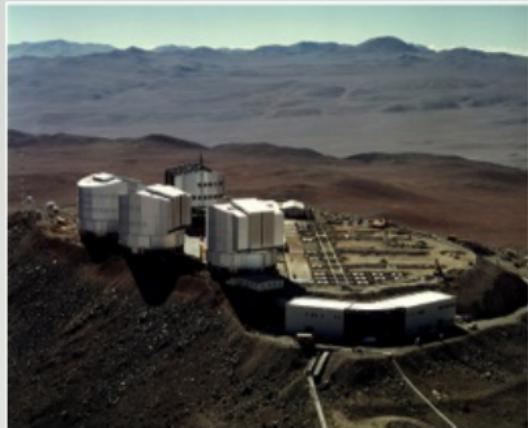
Credits: Stigmatella aurantiaca and wikipedia



$$\hat{V}(u,v) \xrightarrow{FT} I(\alpha,\beta)$$

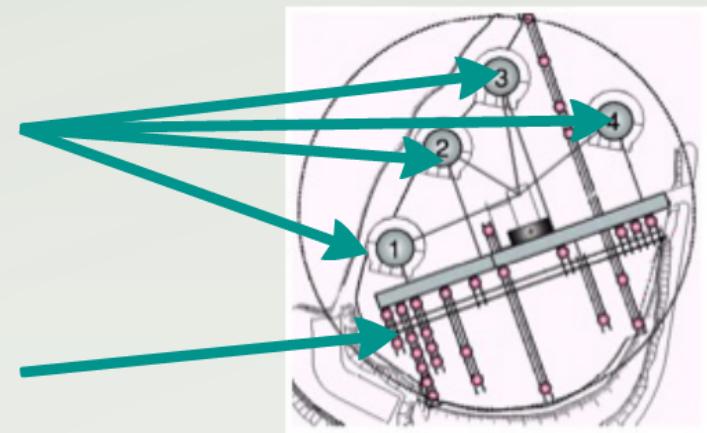
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*VLT (Very Large telescope Interferometer)
/ MIDI (Mid- Infrared Instrument)*



*4 Telescopes
UT Fixed D=8.2m*

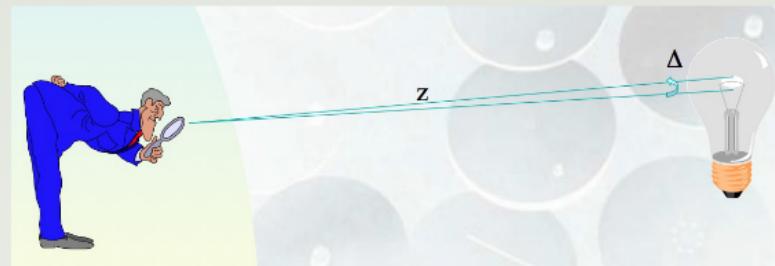
*Auxiliary Telescopes
AT movables D=1.6m*



MIDI :

- 1) Mid-infrared (in N band) 8-13 microns
- 2) 2 telescopes
- 3) Visibility modulus and differential phase
- 4) Low spectral resolution ($R=200$)
- 5) Maximum spatial resolution of 12 mas at 10 micron

II. Observations



Instrument	Telescopes	Date	B_p [m]	Origin
MIDI	UT2-UT3	2007-02-4	42.8	Di Folco et al. (2007)
KI	K1-K2	2008-11-18	84.90	Keck Archive
MIDI	K0-J3	2013-12-29	28.55	Our observations

The orientation of the projected baseline for 2007 MIDI observations → 50°

The orientation of the projected baseline for 2013 MIDI observations → 140°

III. 2D Semi-analytical models

For Herbig stars, e.g. MWC480

Developed by:

N. Jamilahmadi, S. Flament, B. Lopez, Ph. Berio (2012)

*A Semi-analytical model:
For symmetrical disks including dust
For asymmetrical disks (wall, vortex)*

Made for interpretation of observations:

Compute photometric (SED) and interferometric observations

III. Semi-analytical models

1) Intensity map

$$B_\lambda(T_r) \left[1 - \exp\left(-\frac{\tau_{\lambda,r}}{cosi}\right) \right] \rightarrow \text{Brightness of the pixels of the image}$$

$$\tau_{\lambda,r} = \Sigma_r \kappa_\lambda \rightarrow \text{Dust opacity} \rightarrow \text{Thi et al. 2010}$$

1) Intensity map \leftrightarrow Visibility



III. Semi-analytical models

$$T_r = T_{in} \left(\frac{r}{r_{in}} \right)^{-q}$$

Where

$$T_{in} = T_g = T_\star \left(\frac{R_\star}{2r_{in}} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

q ranges 0.5 (flared disks) to 0.75 (flat disks)

(Pringle et al. 1981; Adams et al. 1988; Hillenbrand et al. 1992)

$$\Sigma_r = \Sigma_{in} \left(\frac{r}{r_{in}} \right)^{-p}$$

Where

$$\Sigma_{in} \propto M_{dust}$$

p ranges 1 (constant mass accretion rate at constant viscosity) to 1.5 (MMSN : Minimum Mass Solar Nebula)
(Chiange & Goldrich 1997; Dullemond et al. 2001; Eisner et al. 2009)

$$\tau_{\lambda,r} = \Sigma_r \kappa_\lambda$$

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$$\Sigma_r = \Sigma_{in} \left(\frac{r}{r_{in}} \right)^{-p}$$

$$\tau_{\lambda,r} = \tau_{\lambda,in} \left(\frac{r}{r_{in}} \right)^{-p}$$

Where

$$\tau_{\lambda,in} = \Sigma_{in} \kappa_\lambda$$



III. Semi-analytical models

Enter parameters

Stellar parameters:

- 1) Temperature
- 2) Stellar radius
- 3) Distance

BrY emission parameters:

- 1) Optical depth
- 2) Temperature
- 3) Inner and outer radius

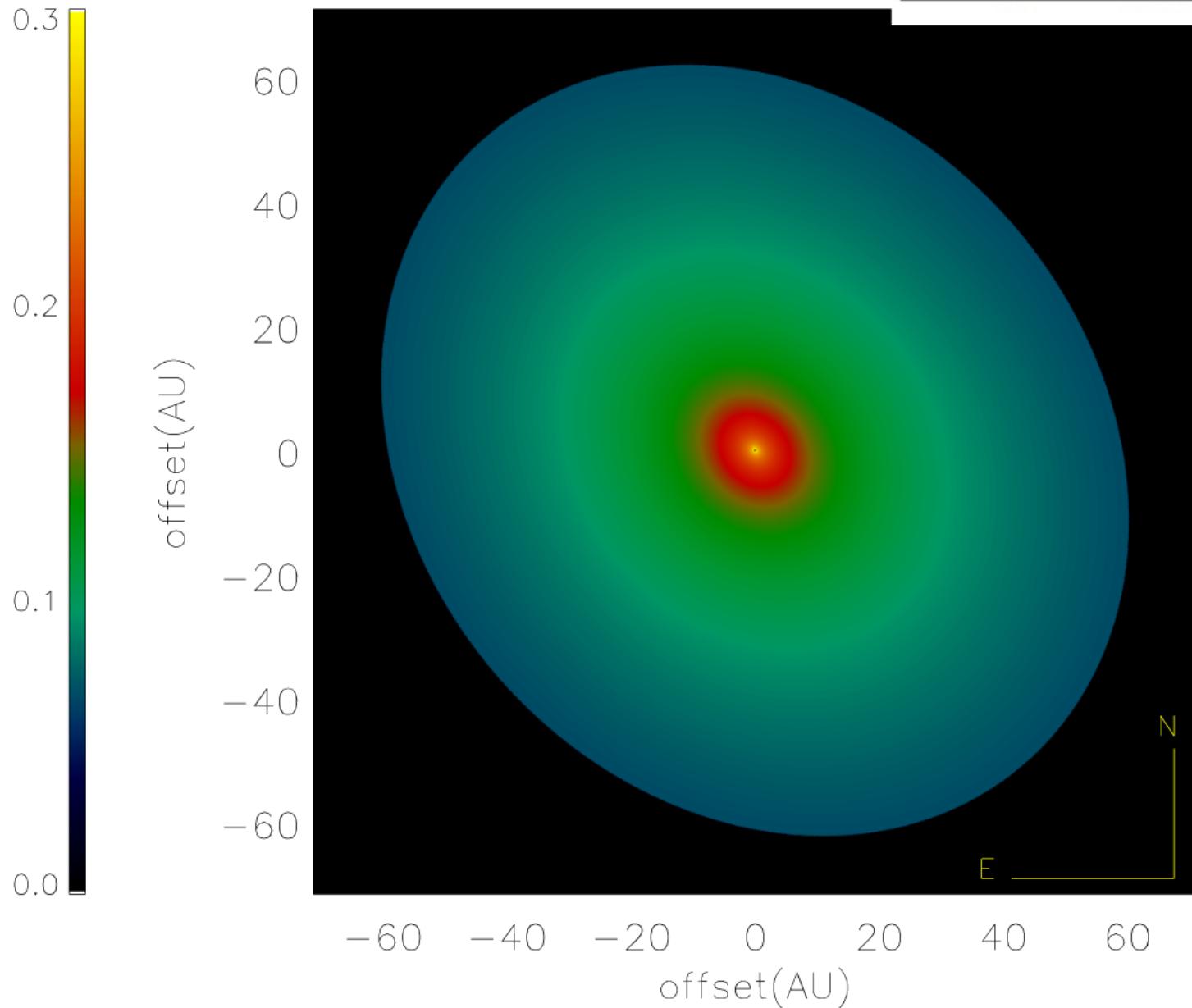
Dust emission:

- 1) Mass of dust
- 2) Inner and outer radius
- 3) Inclination & P.A.
- 4) p & q
- 5) Optical depth

i. Symmetrical models

1) Single disk

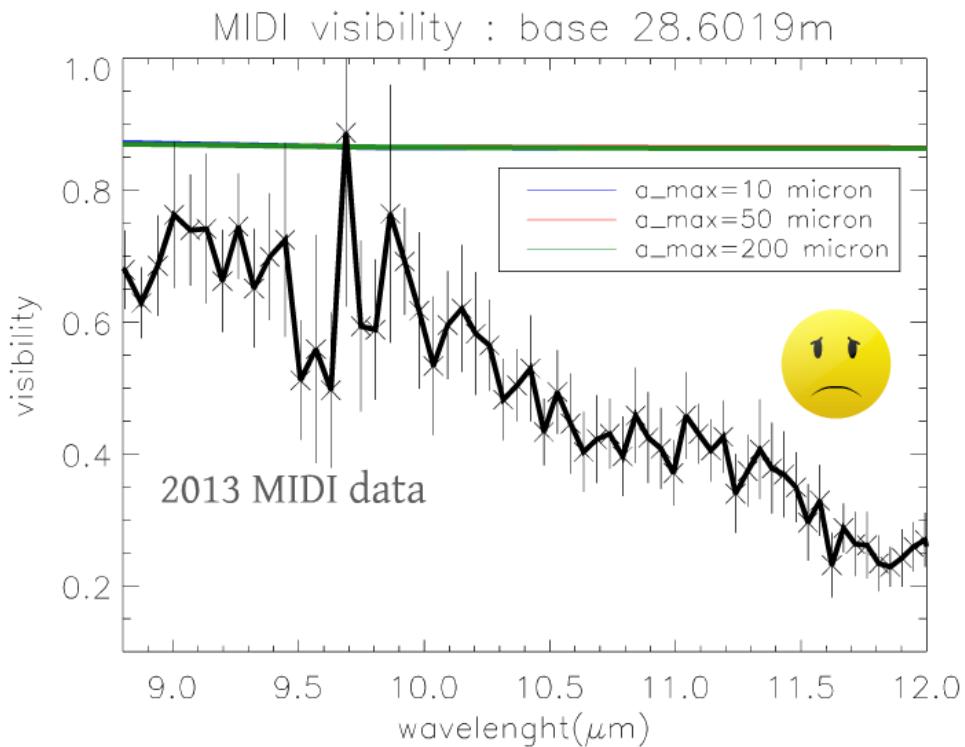
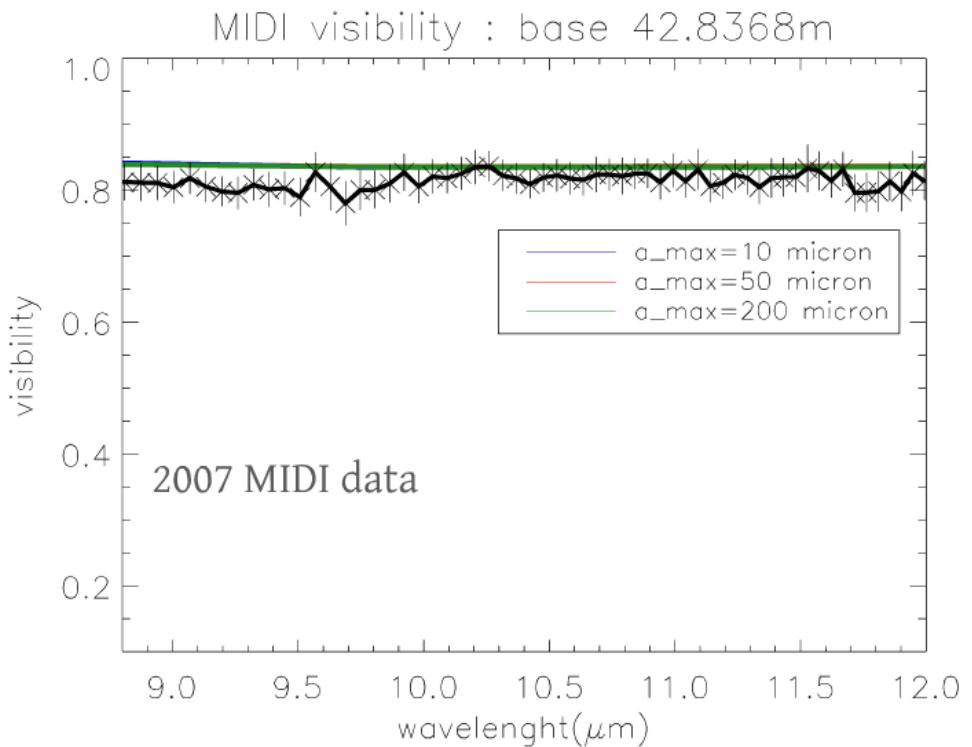
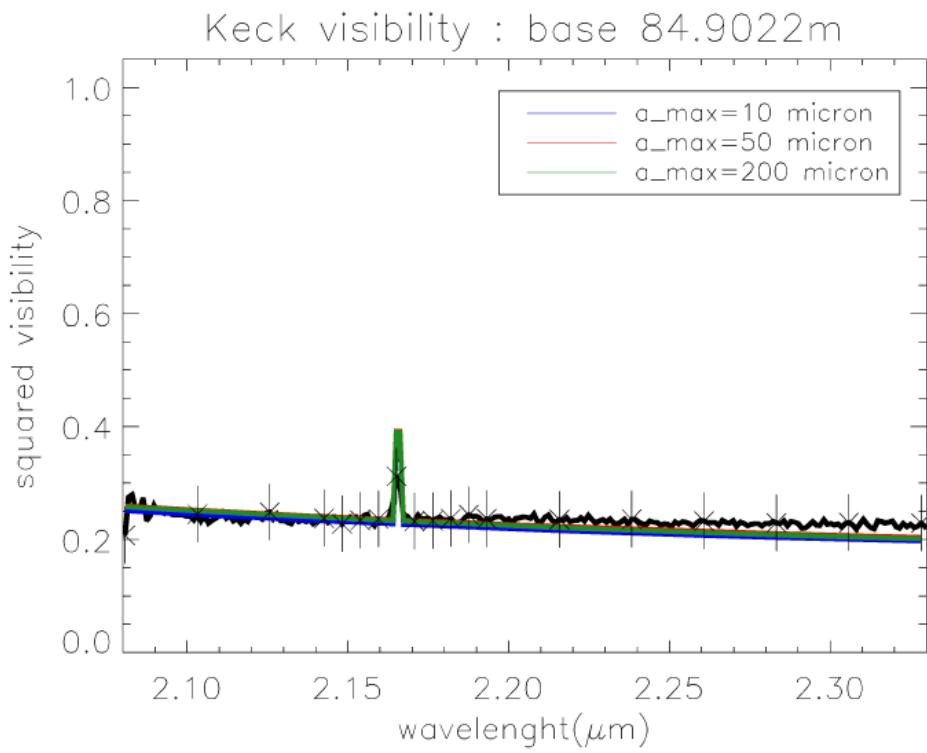
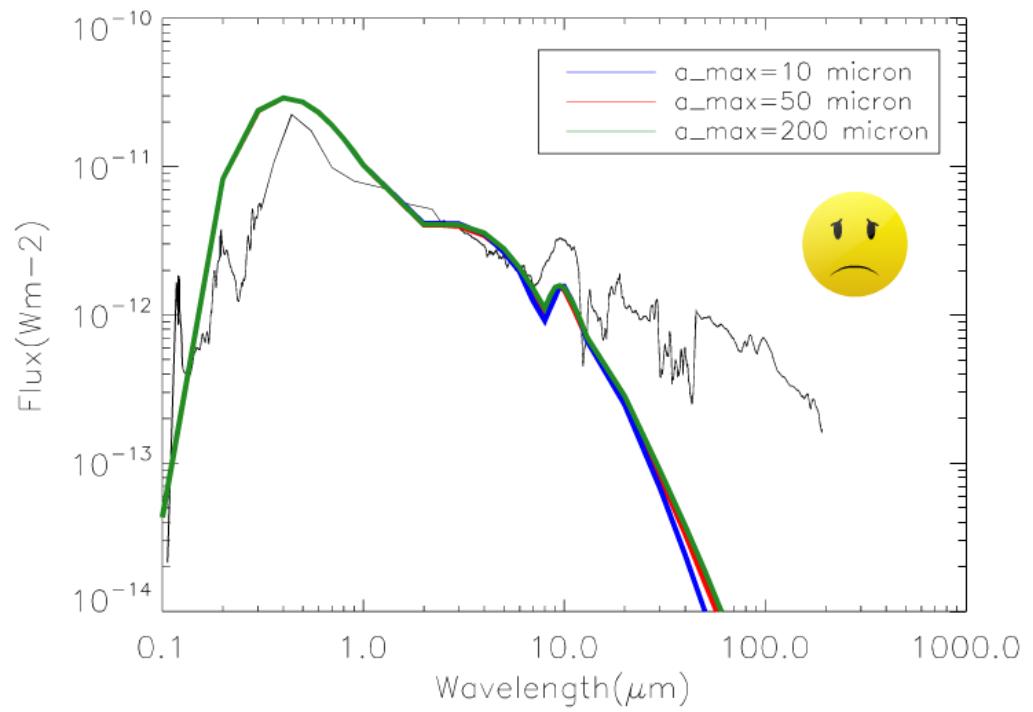
(Watt.m⁻².m⁻¹)^{0.05}



Free parameters:

- 1) Mdust
- 2 p & q
- 3) r_in & r_out
- 4) Inclination & P.A.
- 5) Optical depth

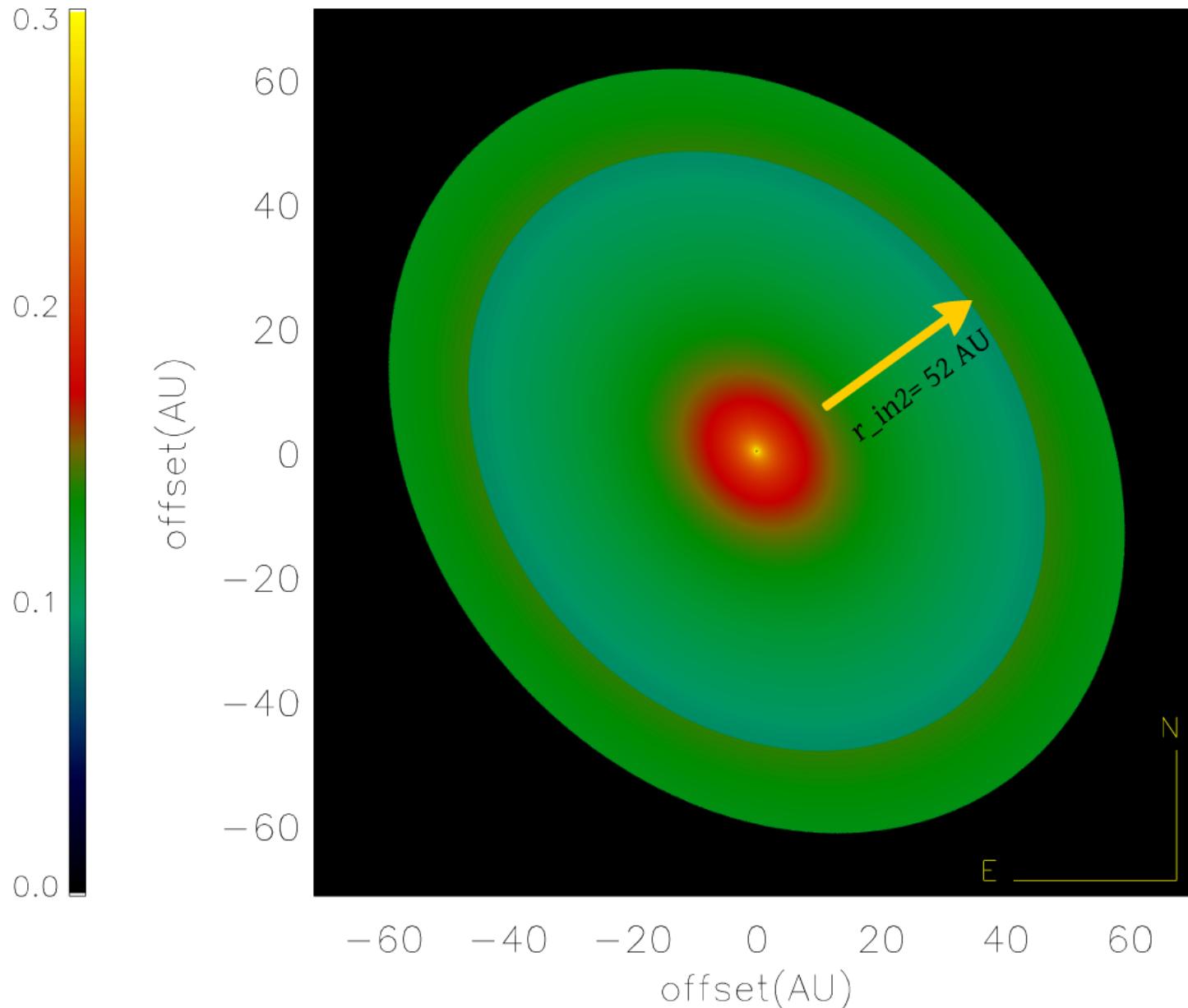
Parameters	Best value	Range
M_{dust} ($a_{max}=10 \mu m$)	$2.4 \times 10^{-11} M_{\odot}$	$10^{-12}...10^{-9} M_{\odot}$
M_{dust} ($a_{max}=50 \mu m$)	$0.5 \times 10^{-10} M_{\odot}$	$10^{-12}...10^{-9} M_{\odot}$
M_{dust} ($a_{max}=200 \mu m$)	$10^{-10} M_{\odot}$	$10^{-12}...10^{-9} M_{\odot}$
p	1.5	0.1...1.98
q	0.5	0.4...0.9
r _{in}	0.22AU	0.1...0.4AU
T _{in}	Calculated from Eq.4	
r _{out}	60AU	8...100AU
i	37°	20°...80°
P.A.	58°	10°...300°
$\tau_{\lambda,in}$	Calculated from $\Sigma_{in}\kappa_{\lambda}$	



i. Symmetrical models

2) Attached disks

(Watt.m⁻².m⁻¹)^{0.05}



Free parameters :

- 1) Mdust1 & Mdust2
- 2 p1 & q1 ; p2 & q2
- 3) r_out1
- 4) r_in2
- 5) Optical depth 1 & 2

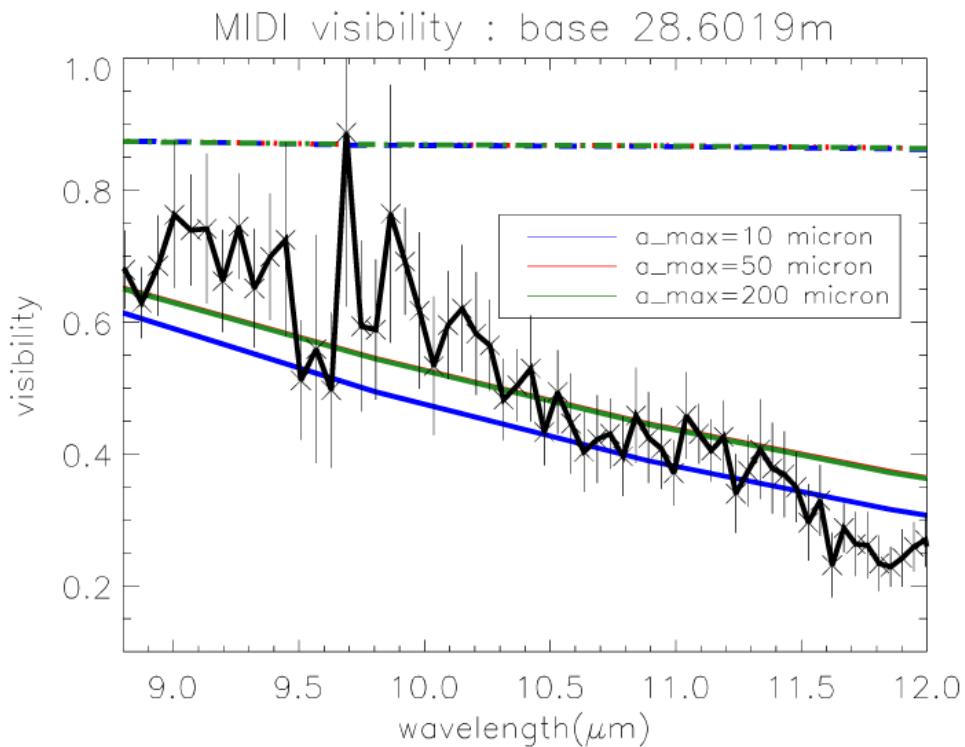
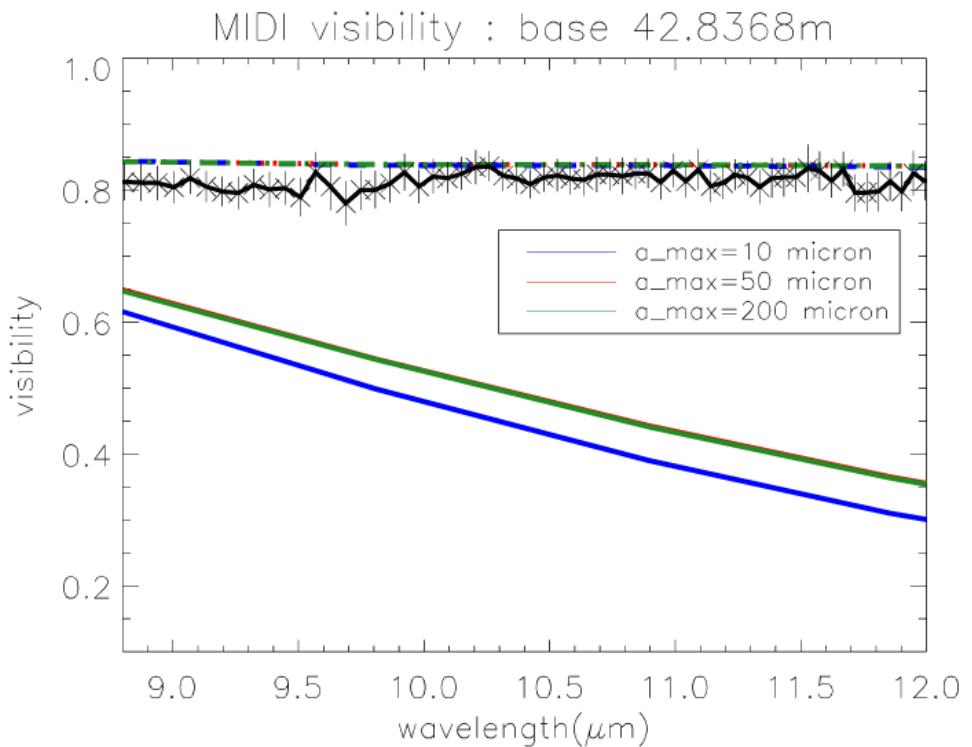
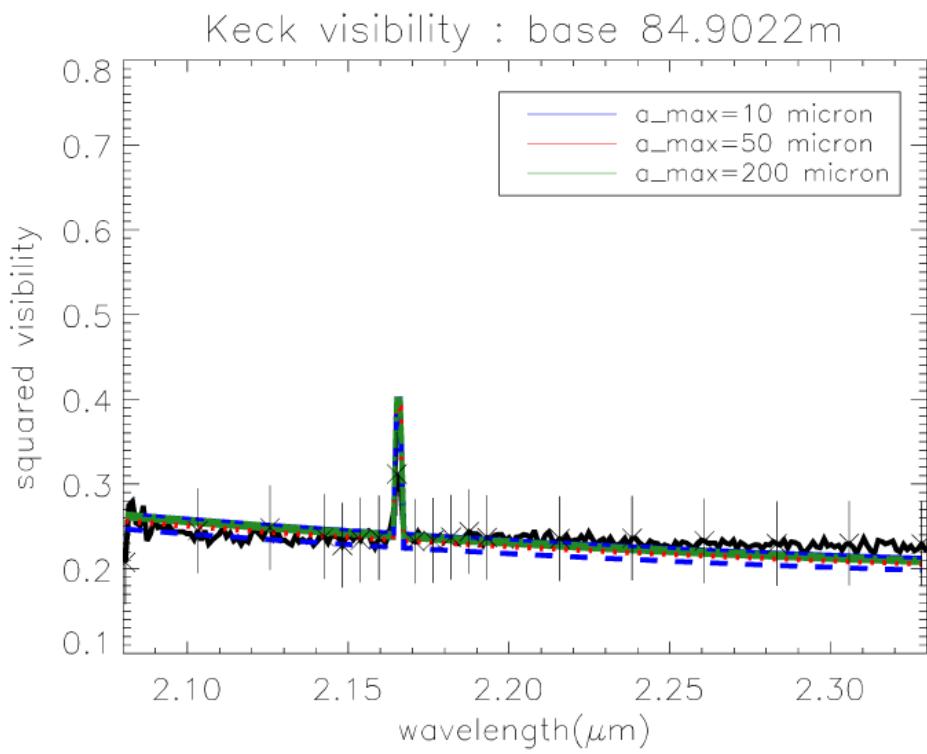
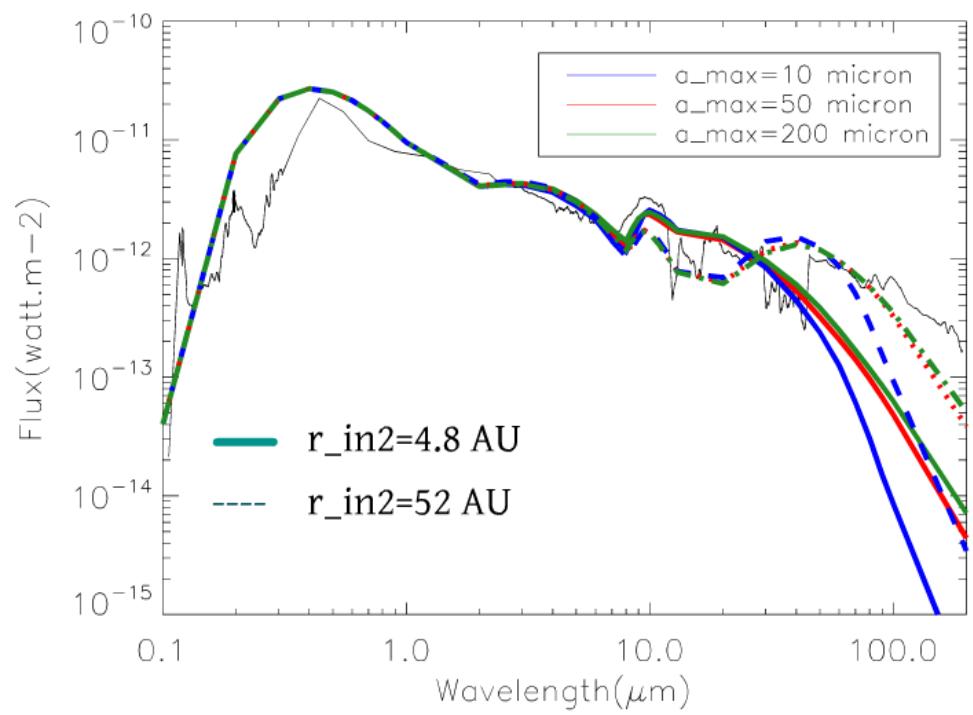
Inclination= 37°

P.A. = 58°

r_{in1}= 0.22 AU

r_{out2}= 62 AU

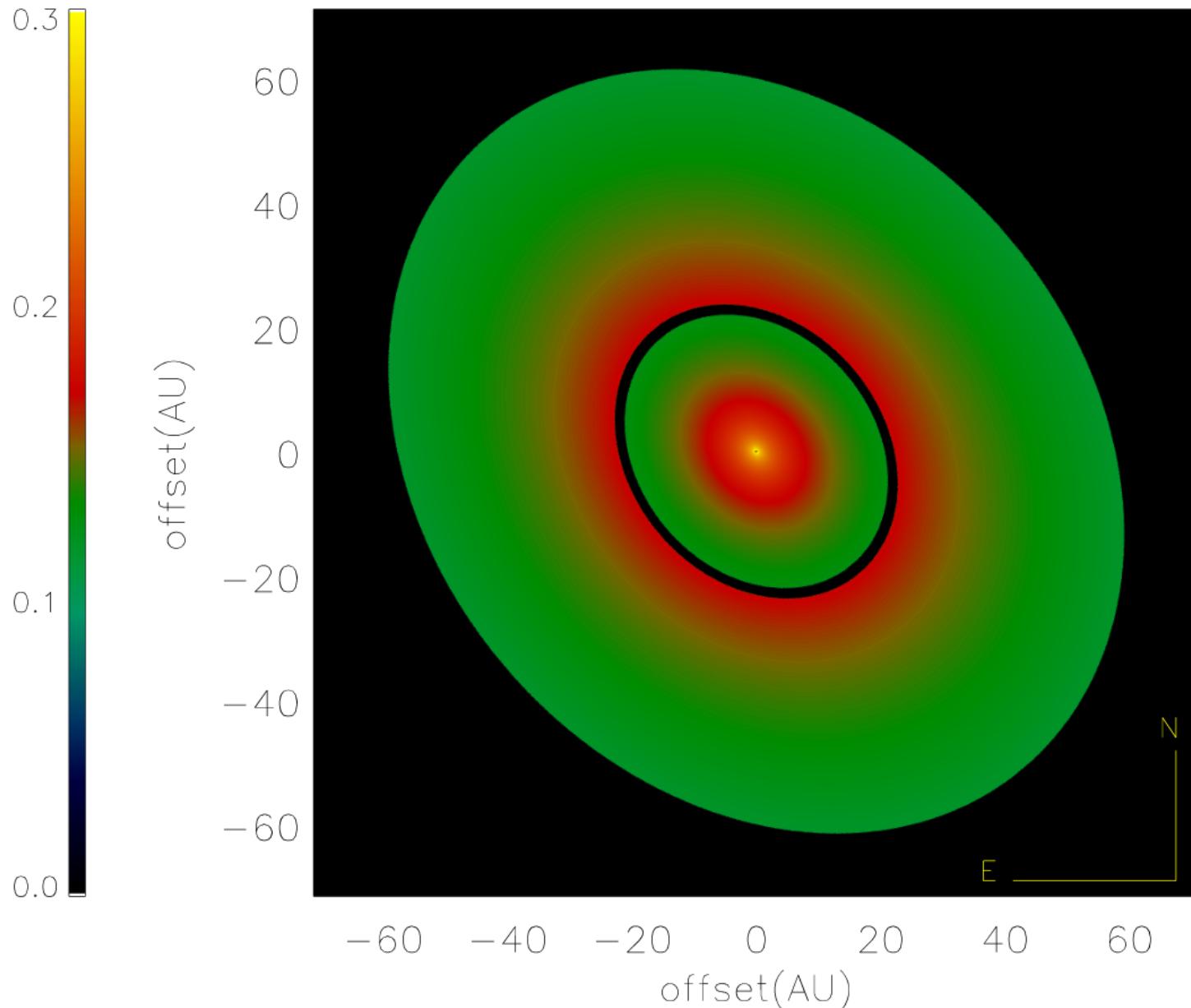
A first immediate interest
the model infrared radiation



i. Symmetrical models

3) Detached disks

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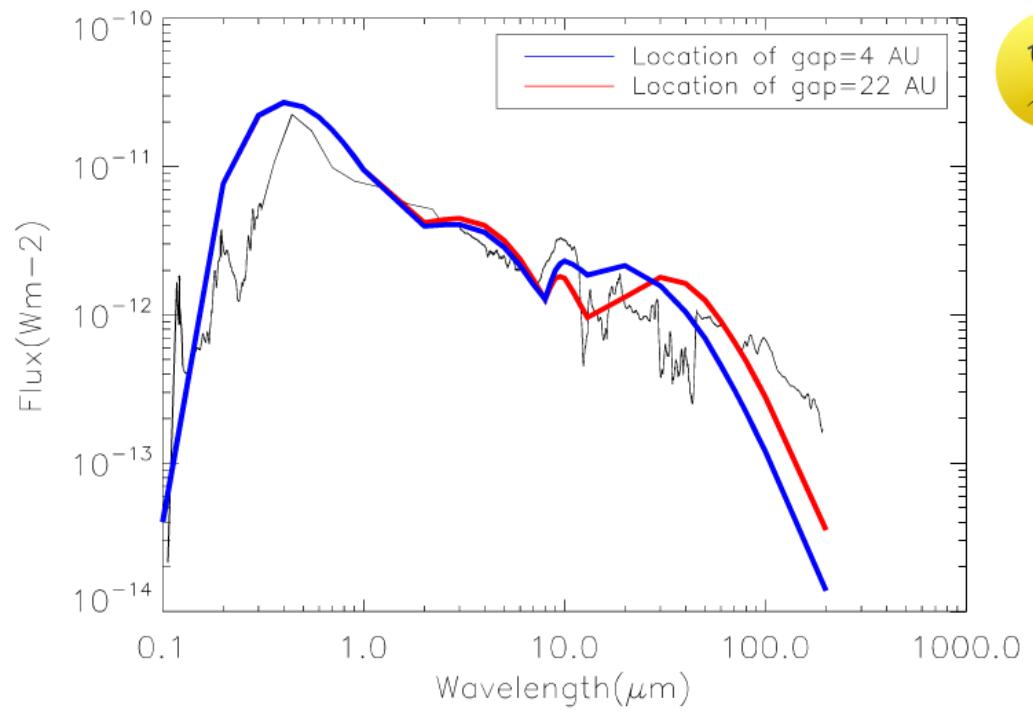


Free parameters :

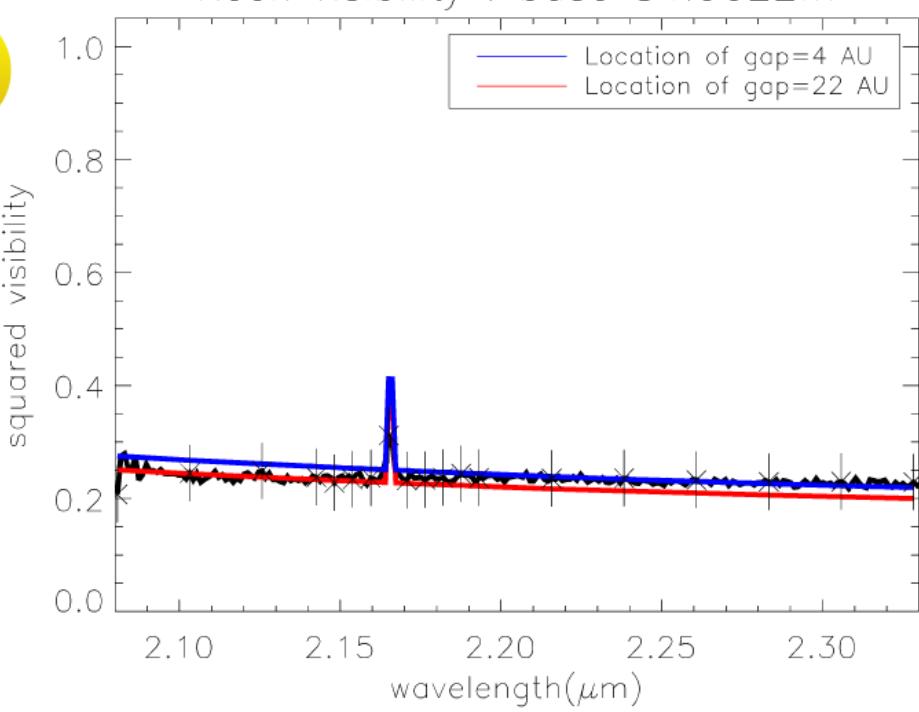
- 1) Location of the gap
- 2) M_dust1 & M_dust2
- 3) Width of the gap
- 4) Optical depth

Parameters	Best value	Best value	range
Location of the gap	$r_{out1}=4$ AU	$r_{out1}=22$ AU	
M_{dust1}	$2 \times 10^{-11} M_{\odot}$	$4 \times 10^{-8} M_{\odot}$	$10^{-12} \dots 10^{-7} M_{\odot}$
M_{dust2}	$0.6 \times 10^{-10} M_{\odot}$	$0.6 \times 10^{-7} M_{\odot}$	$10^{-11} \dots 10^{-6} M_{\odot}$
Width of the gap	2 AU	3 AU	1-6 AU

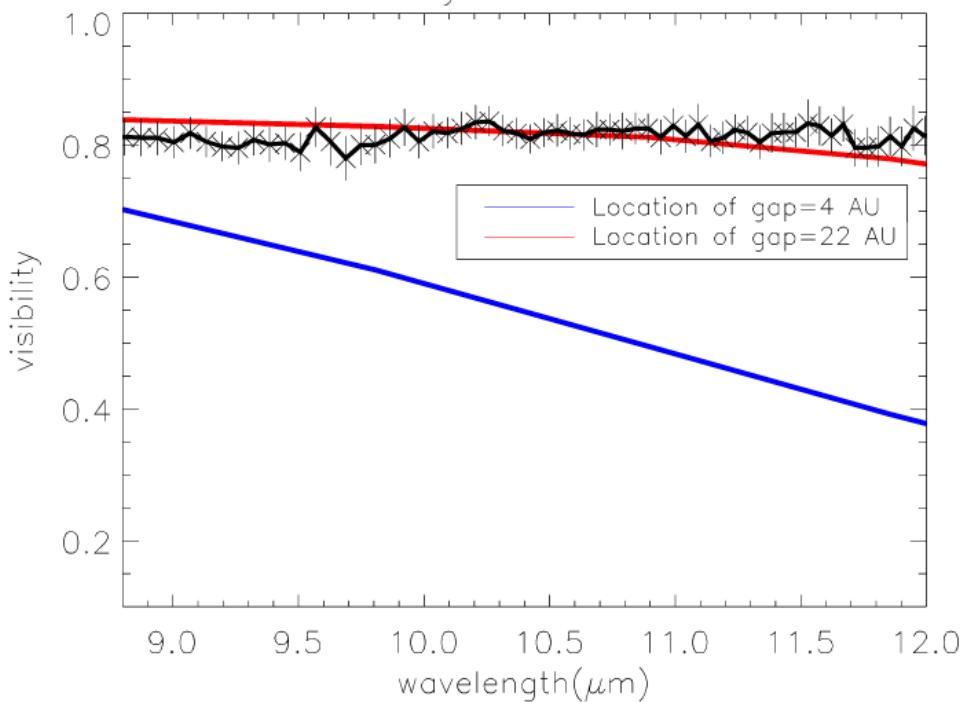
Inclination: 37°
P.A. : 58°
 $r_{in1}= 0.22$ AU
 $r_{out2}= 62$ AU
 $p1=1.5$ & $p2= 0.6$
 $q1=0.5$ & $q2= 0.5$



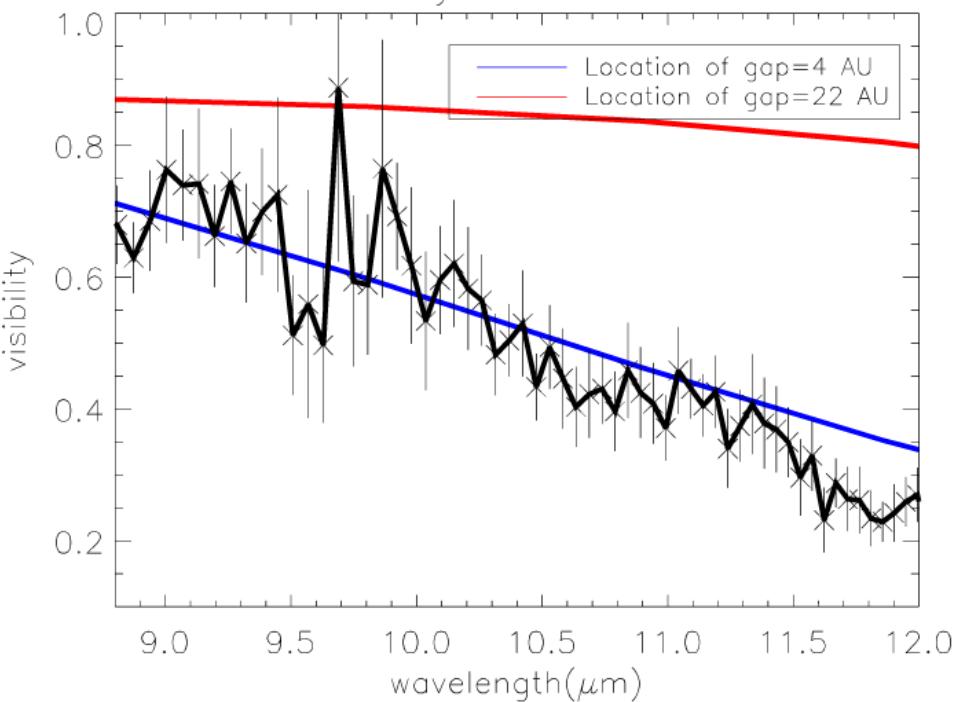
Keck visibility : base 84.9022m



MIDI visibility : base 42.8368m



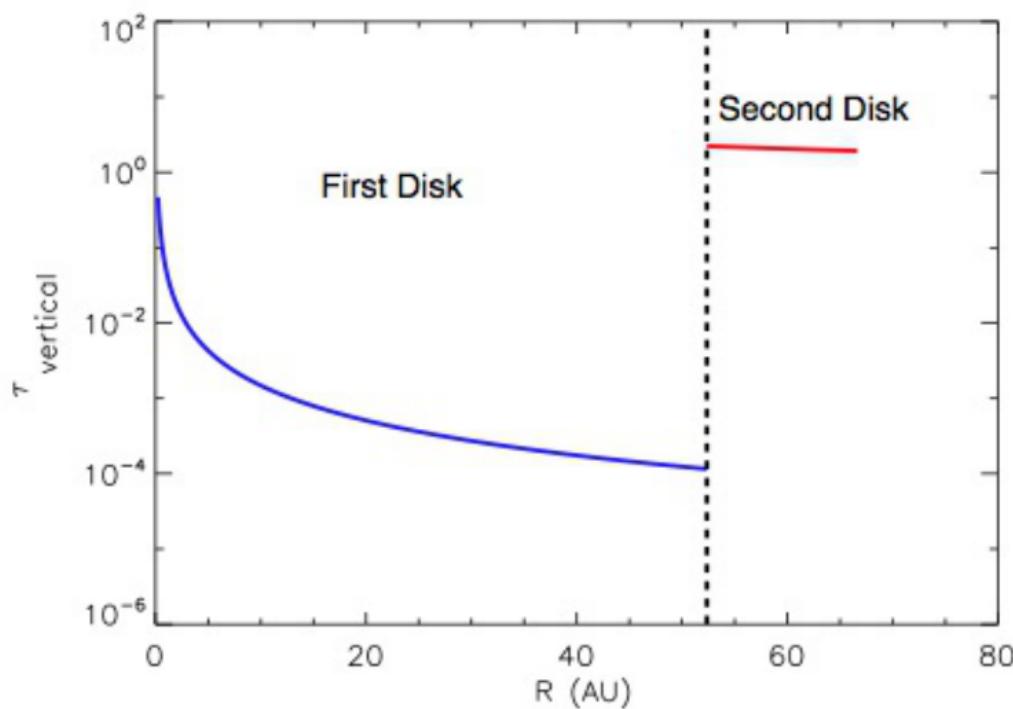
MIDI visibility : base 28.6019m





ii) Asymmetrical models:

1) Wall in attached disks model



h_τ →

The atmosphere height wherever the optical depth = 1

$$\tau_{\lambda,r} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} d\tau_\lambda = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \kappa_\lambda \rho_{r,z} dz \quad \rightarrow$$

$$\tau_{\lambda,r} = \int_{h_\tau}^{\infty} \kappa_\lambda \rho_{r,z} dz \approx 1$$

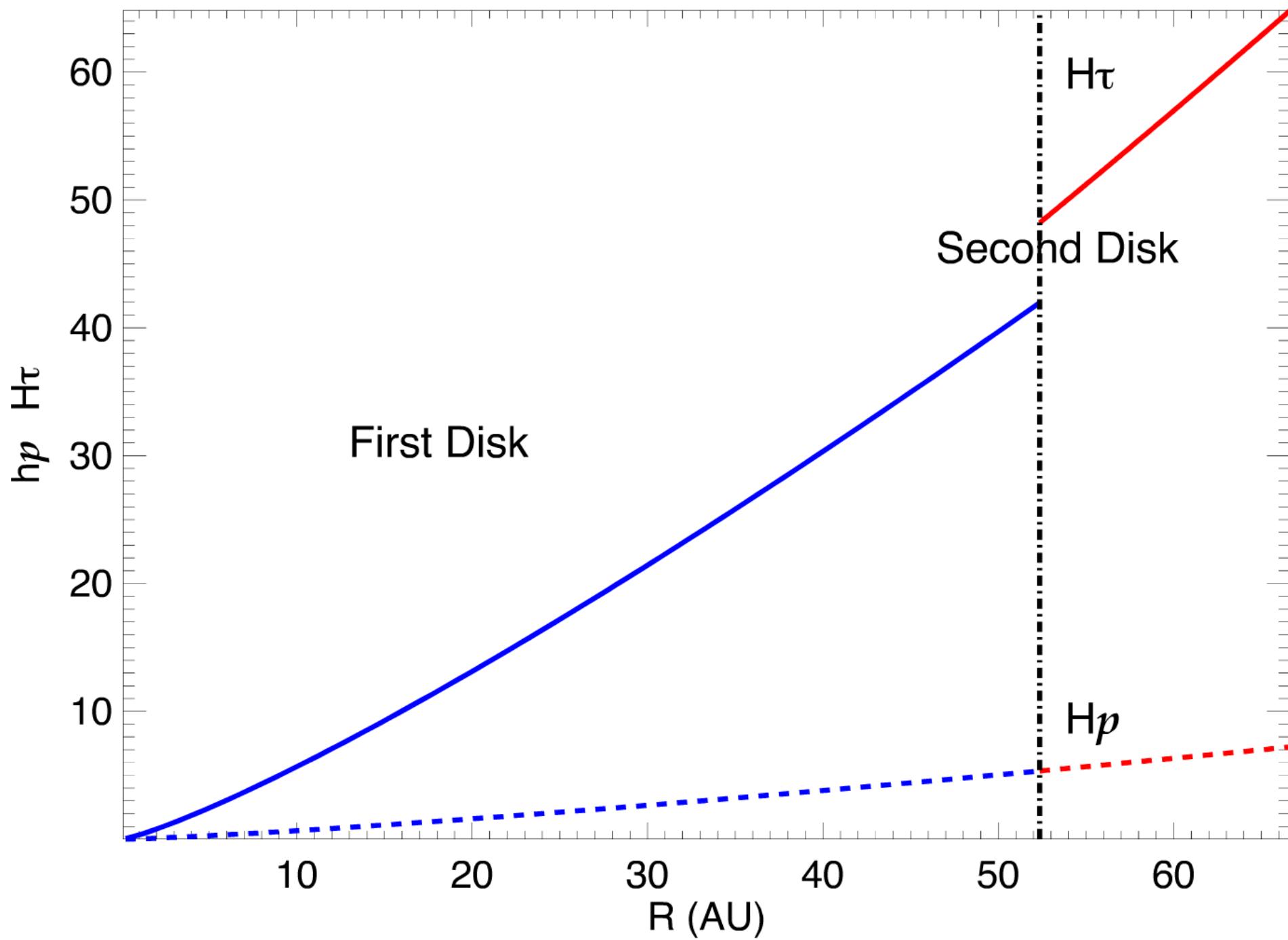
From Hydrodynamical equilibrium:

$$\rho_{r,z} = \rho_r \exp \left(-\frac{z^2}{2h_p(r)^2} \right) \quad \rightarrow$$

$$h_p(r) = \left(\frac{T_r}{T_c} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{r^{\frac{3}{2}}}{R_*^{\frac{1}{2}}} \right)$$

Pressure scale



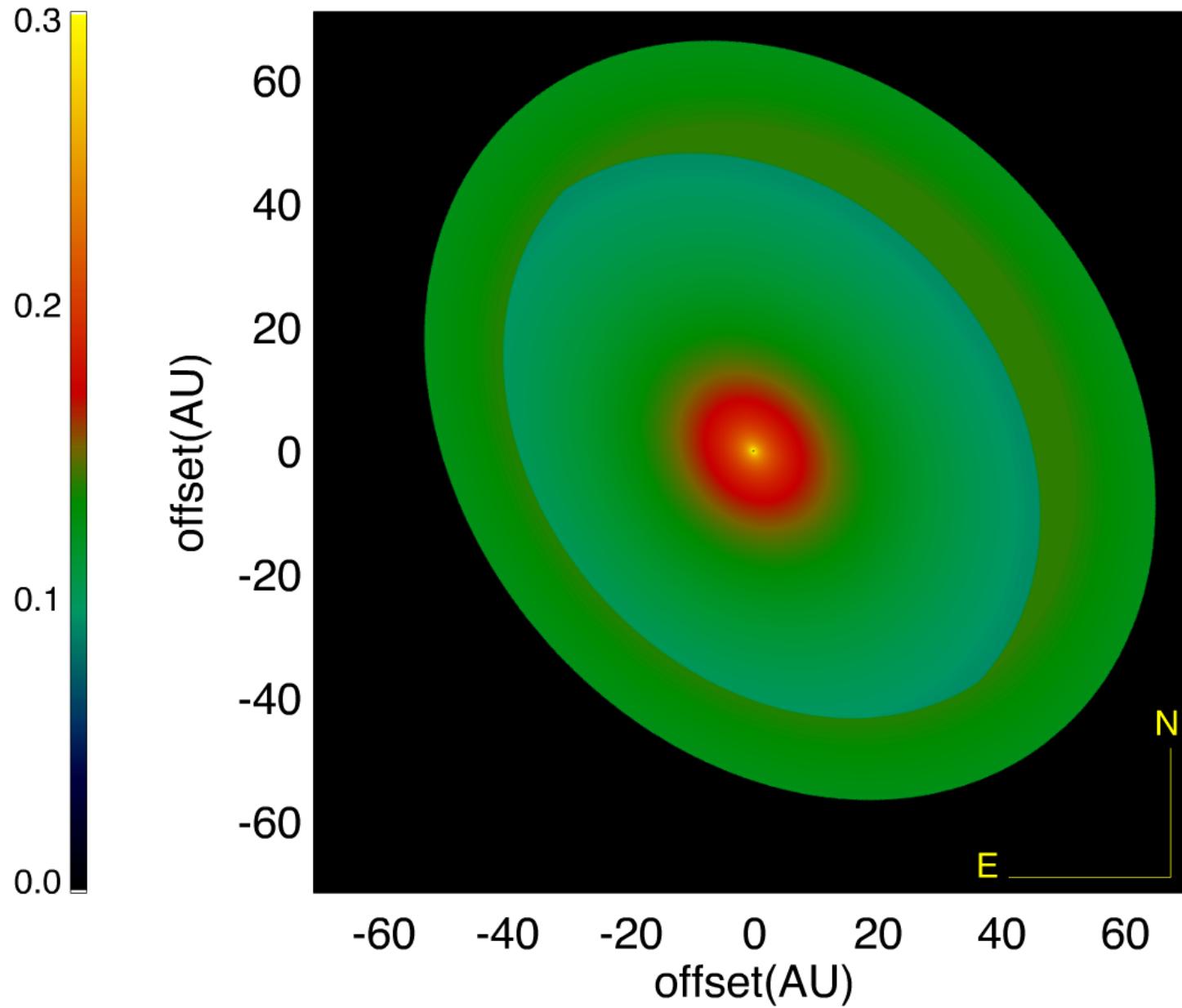


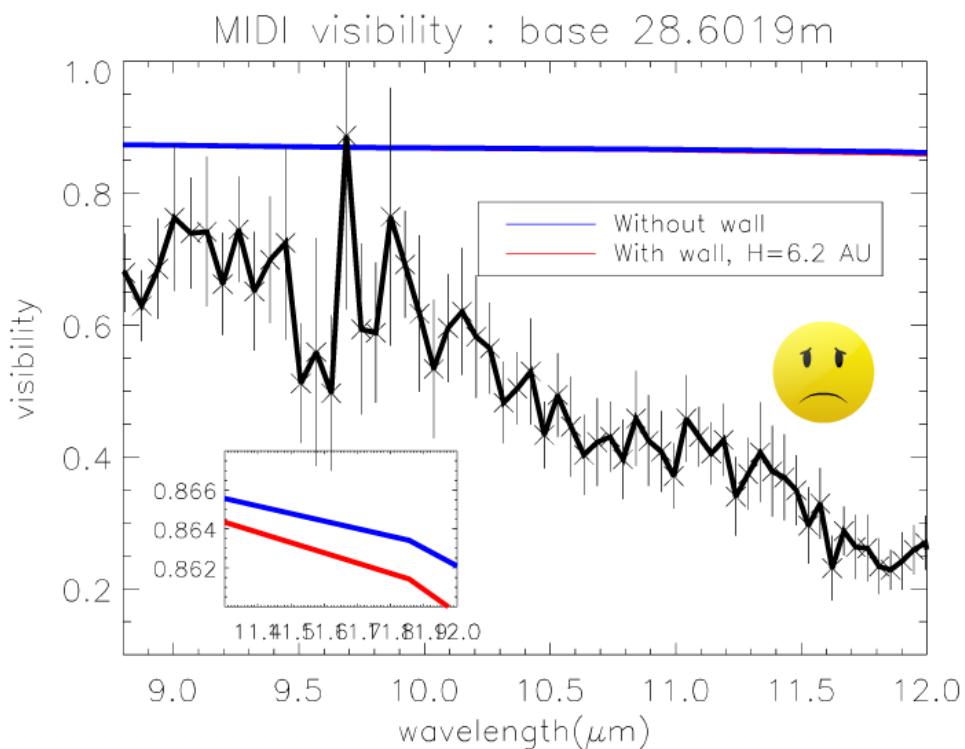
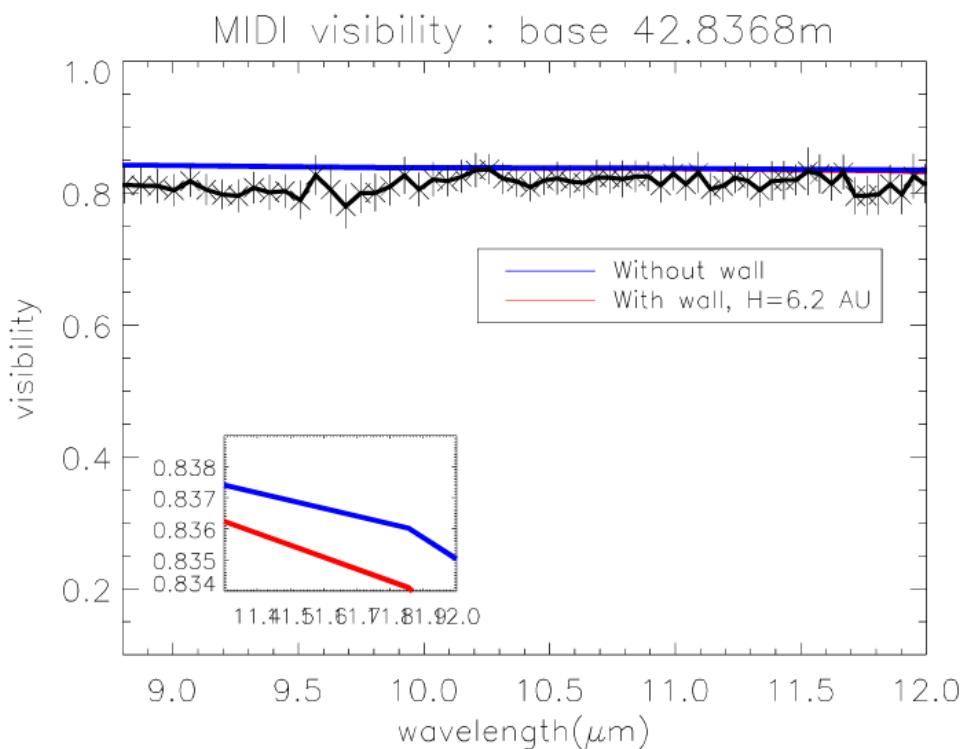
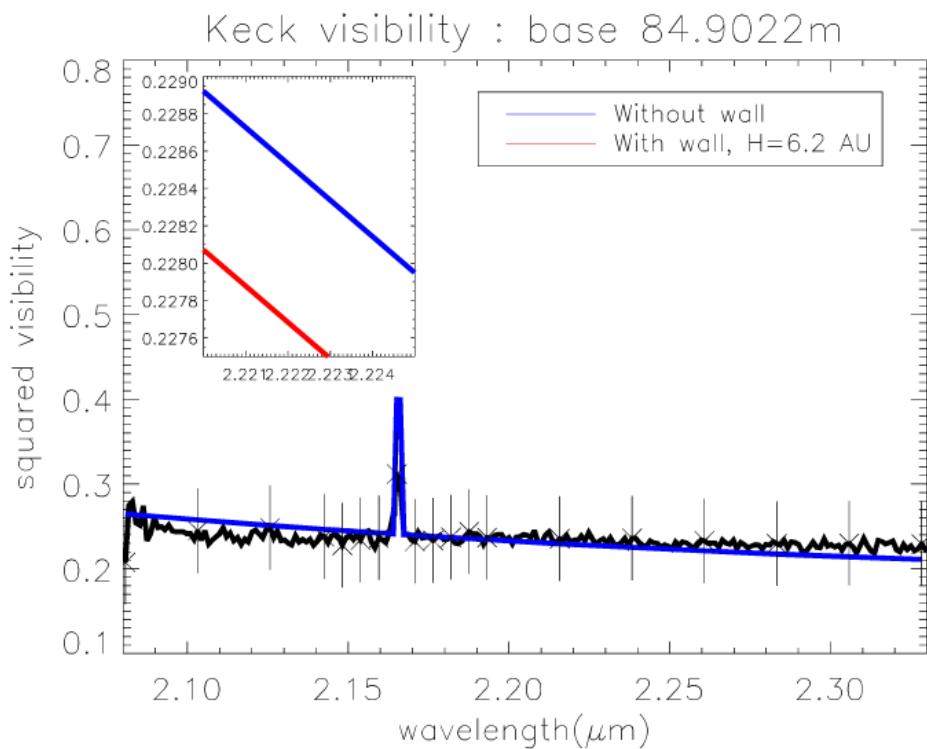
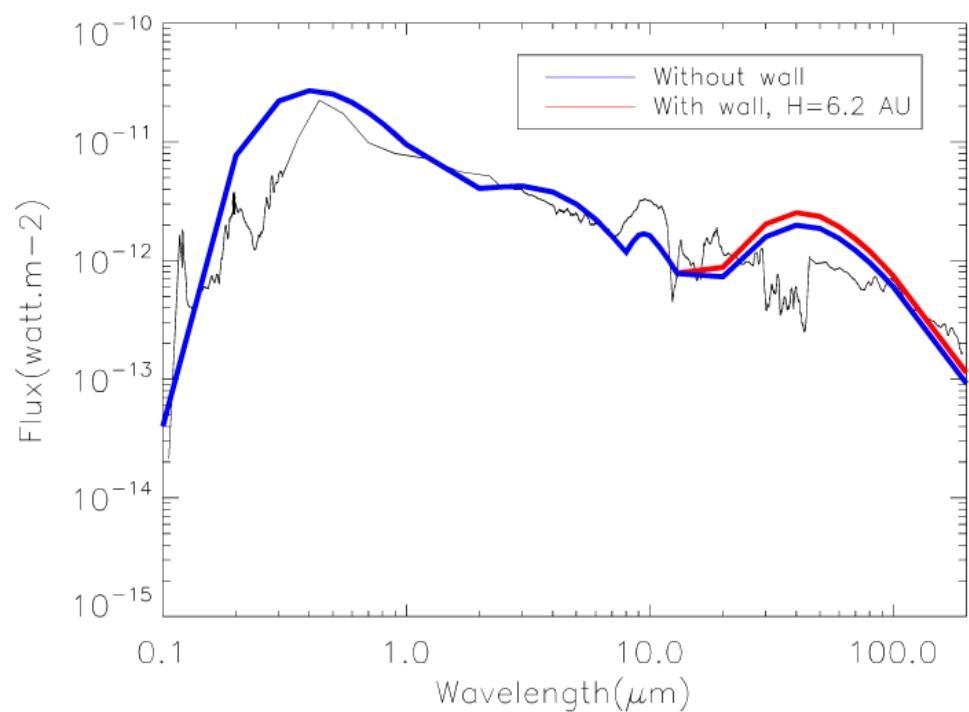
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1) Wall in attached disk models

For $r_{in2} = 52$ AU

$(\text{Watt} \cdot \text{m}^{-2} \cdot \text{m}^{-1})^{0.05}$

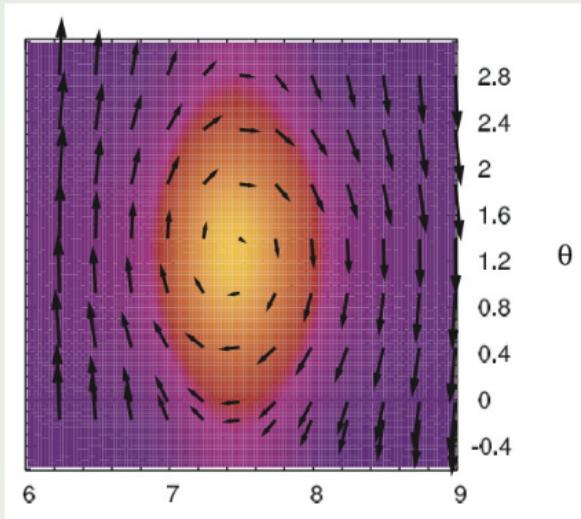




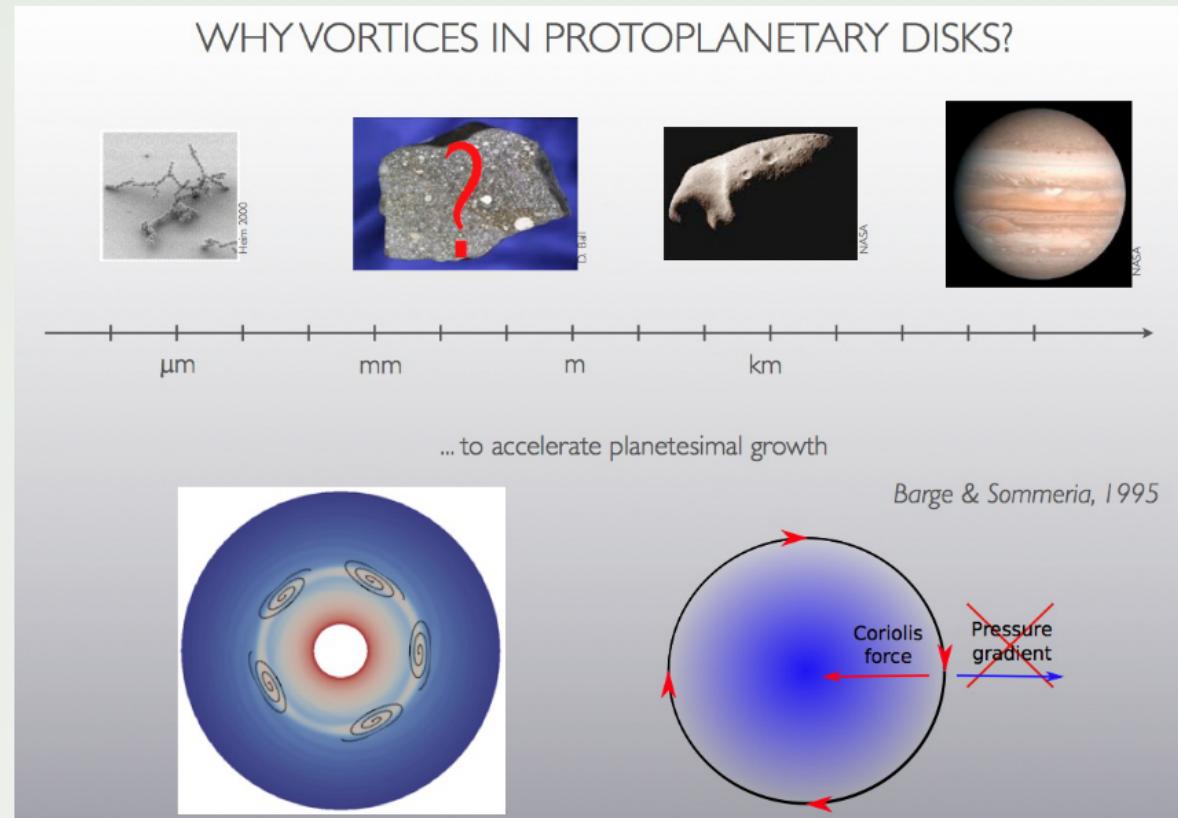


ii) Asymmetrical models:

3) Vortex model



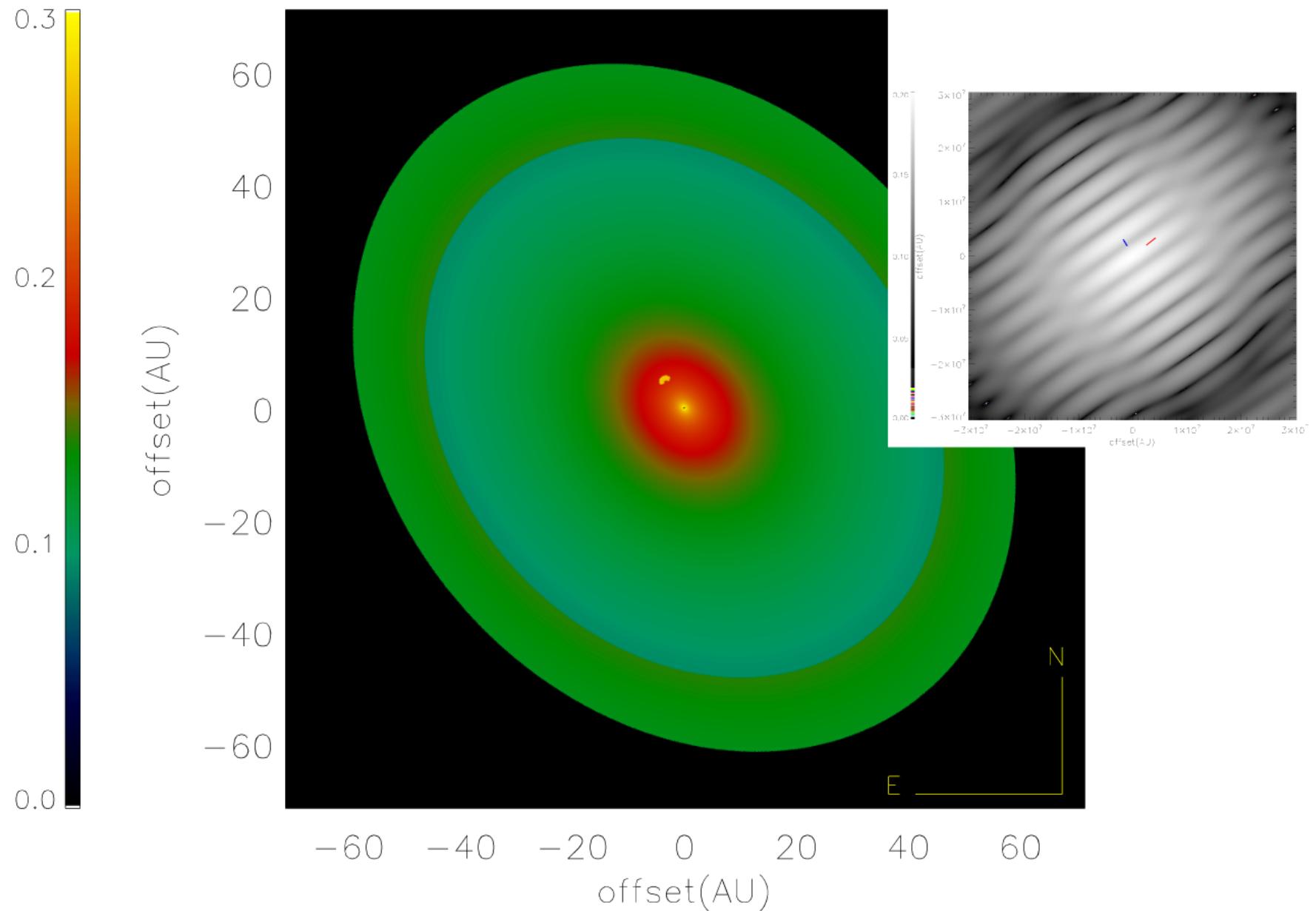
The vortex capture mechanism was studied by :
(Barge & Sommeria 1994;
Tanga et al. 1996;
Johanson et al. 2004, ...)

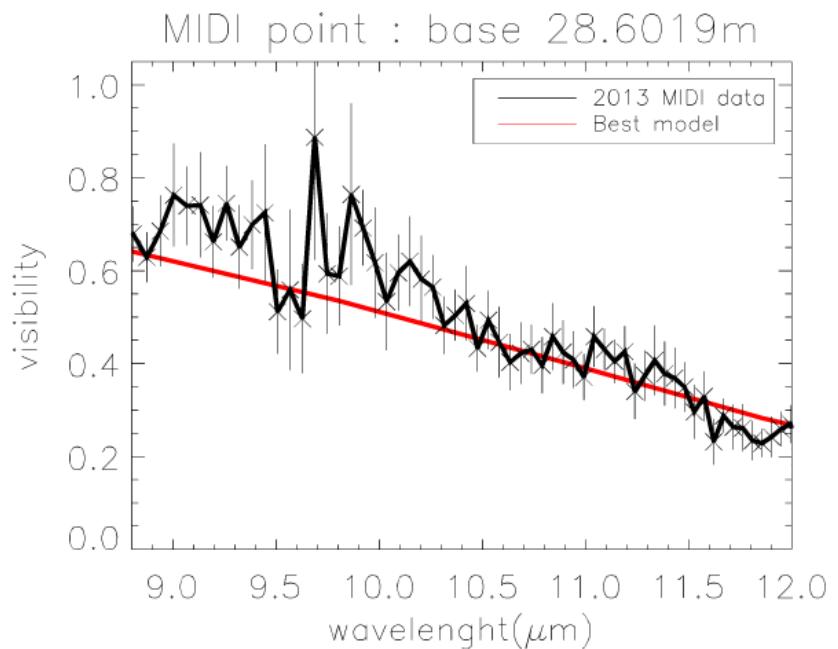
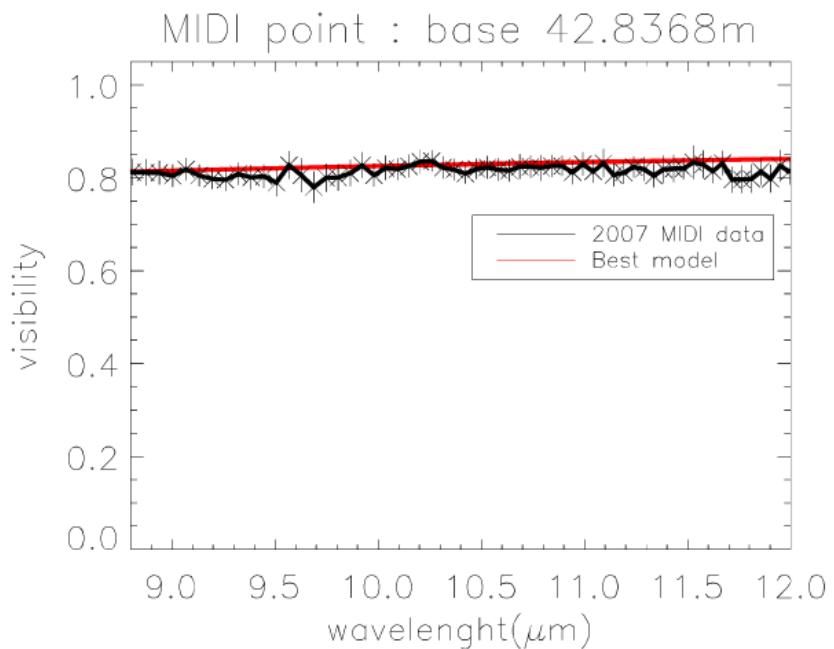
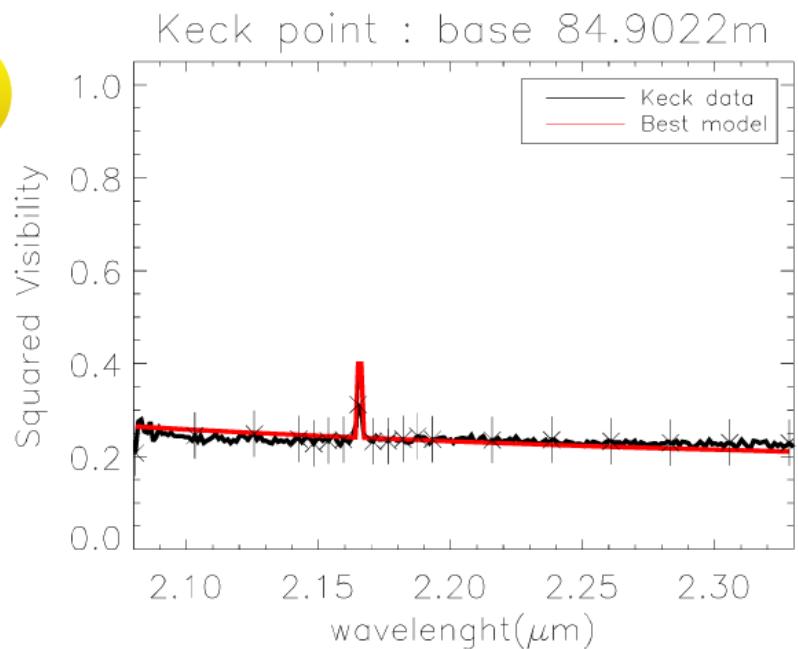
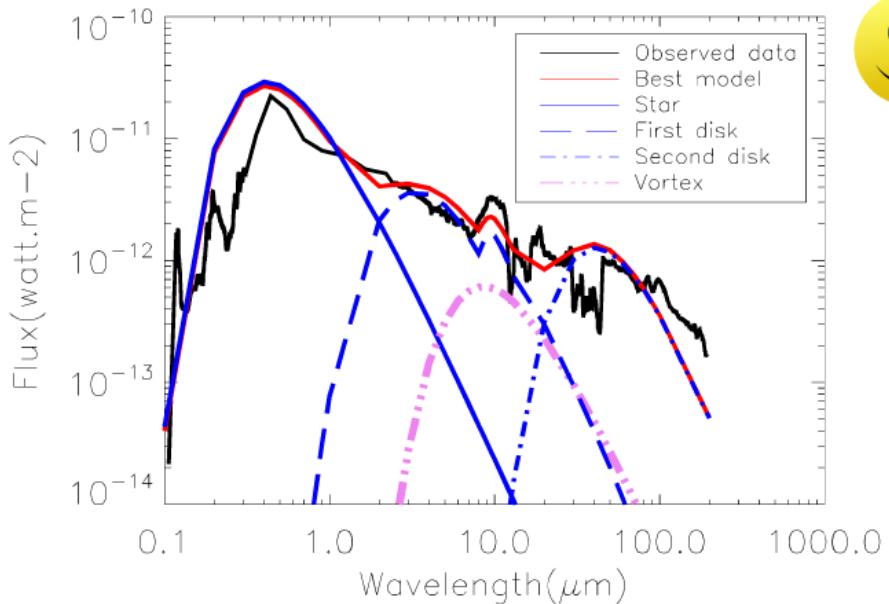


ii) Asymmetrical models:

2) Vortex in attached disks model

$(\text{Watt} \cdot \text{m}^{-2} \cdot \text{m}^{-1})^{0.05}$





IV. Conclusions

- *Symmetrical models (One single disk, attached disks, detached disks) are not consistent with our 2007 and 2013 MIDI data simultaneously.*
- *Asymmetrical wall model does not have significant effect in our model to reproduce our data.*
- *The only way we found to reproduce all the measurements is, considering an azimuthal asymmetry as a vortex in the inner component of attached disks model.*
- *It is expected that this azimuthal structure at less than 10 AU has changed its position between the 2007 and 2013 observations.*

Thank you for attention ...