

The One Ring

Tracing the CO snowline of HD 163296 with DCO⁺

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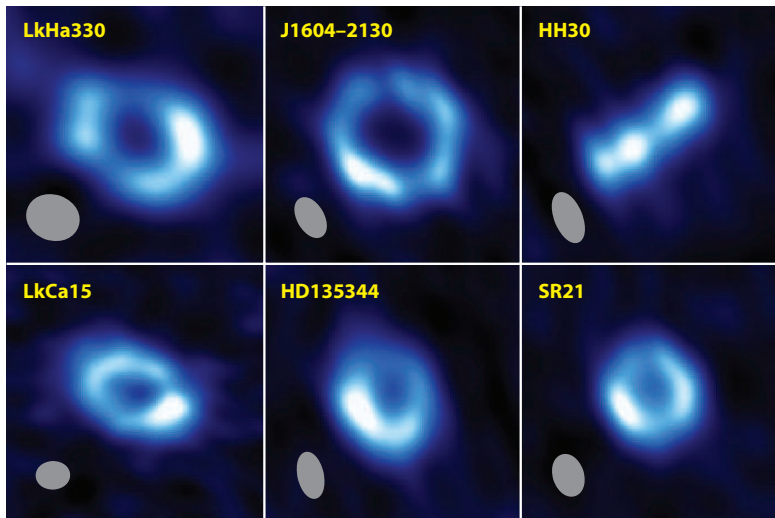
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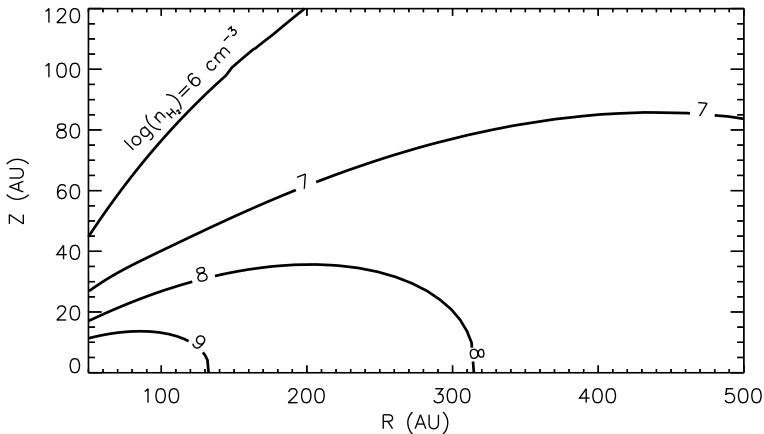
Progress in observing the midplane dust...



Williams & Cieza 2011

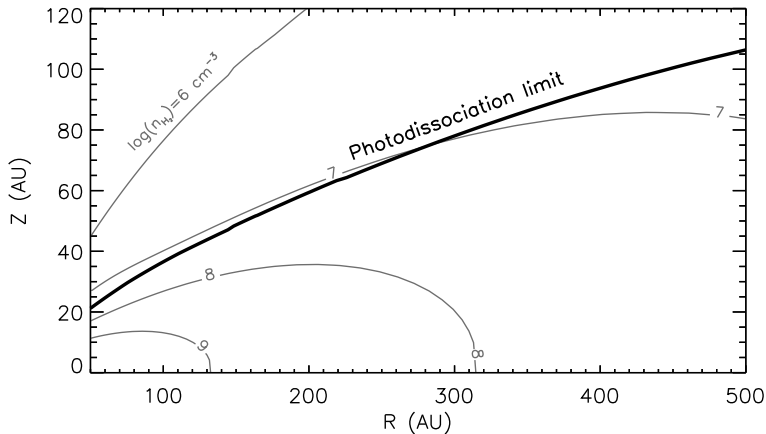
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H₂ dominates the mass but is largely unobservable



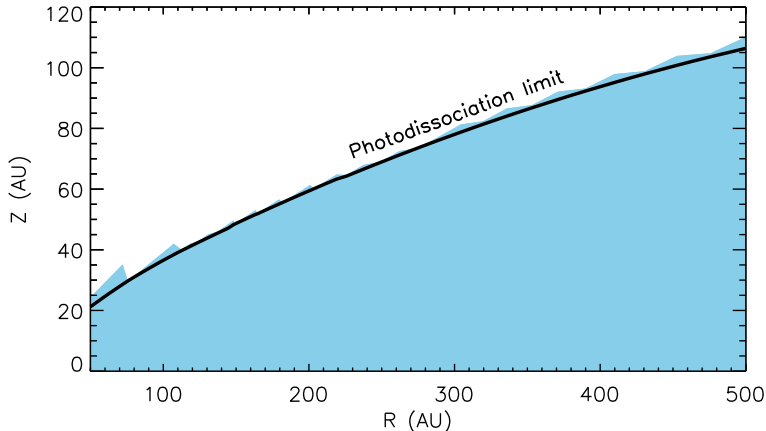
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At sufficient column depth, photodissociation becomes negligible



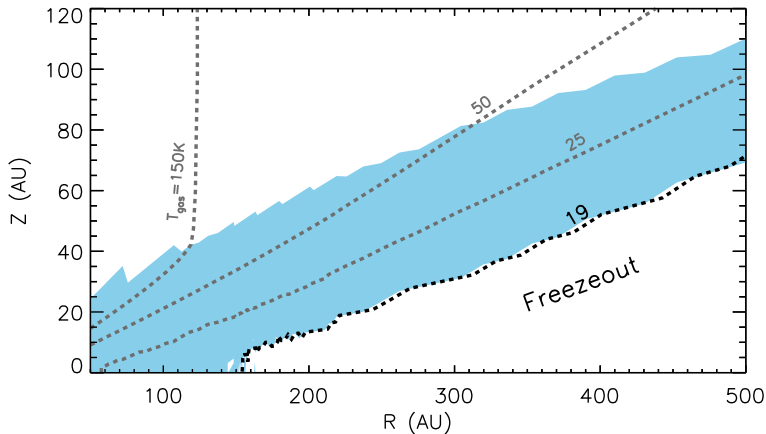
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Molecules such as CO can survive...



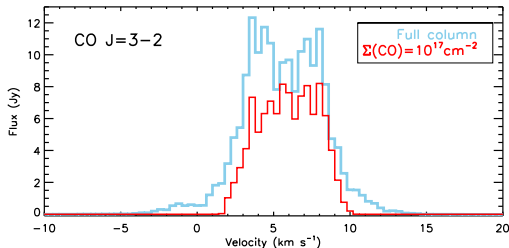
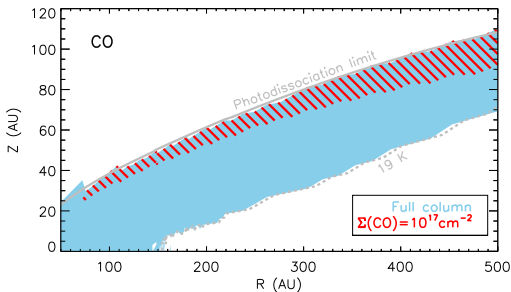
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... but will freeze out at low temperatures



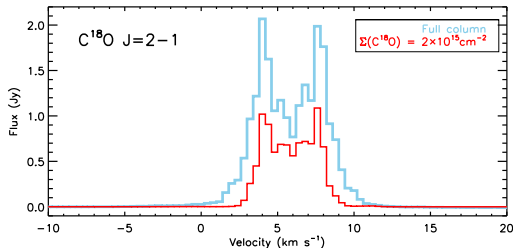
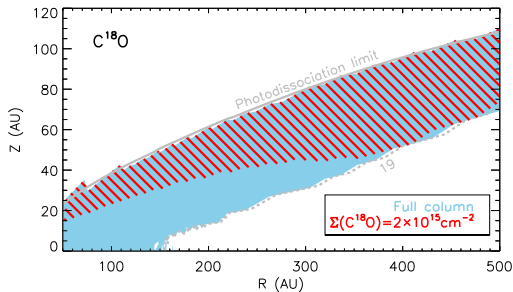
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Optically thick CO traces the disk surface



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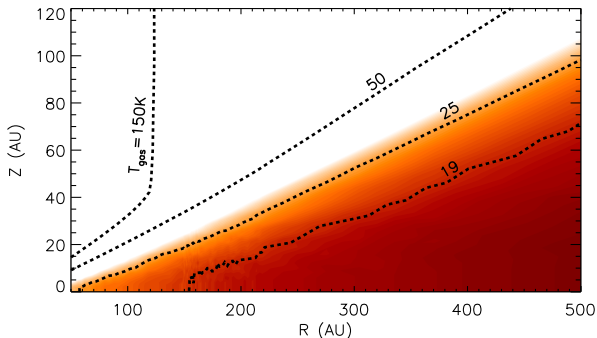
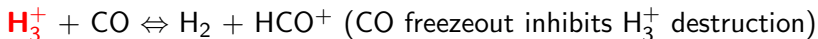
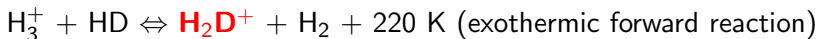
Isotopologues (e.g. $C^{18}O$) probe the midplane, but also the bulk gas



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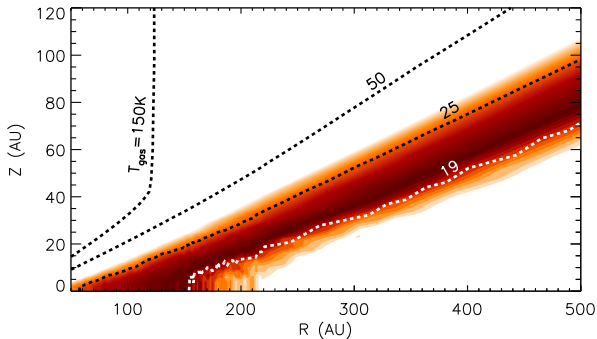
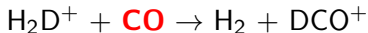
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Formation of progenitor molecules makes DCO⁺ abundance rise at low temperatures...



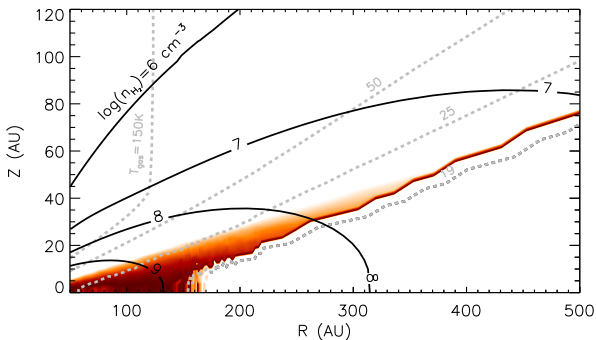
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... but CO freezeout will make DCO⁺ abundance fall at the CO snowline



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Brightest DCO⁺ emission is likely from the midplane near the CO-snowline



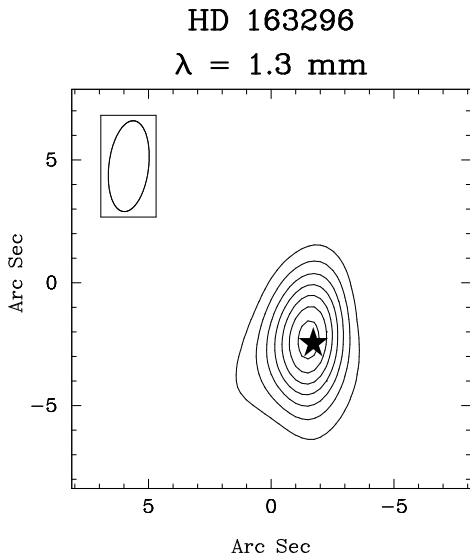
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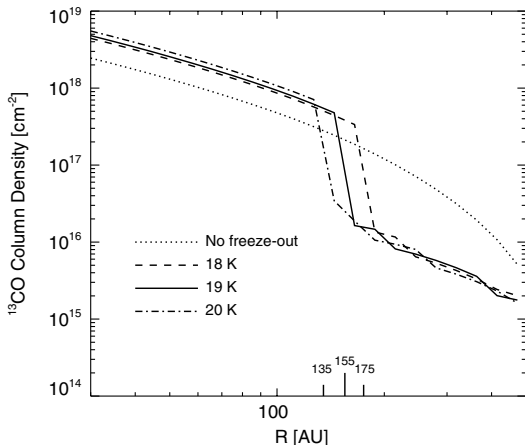


OVRO observations, Mannings & Sargent, 1997

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CO-snowline hinted at by fits to SMA ^{13}CO



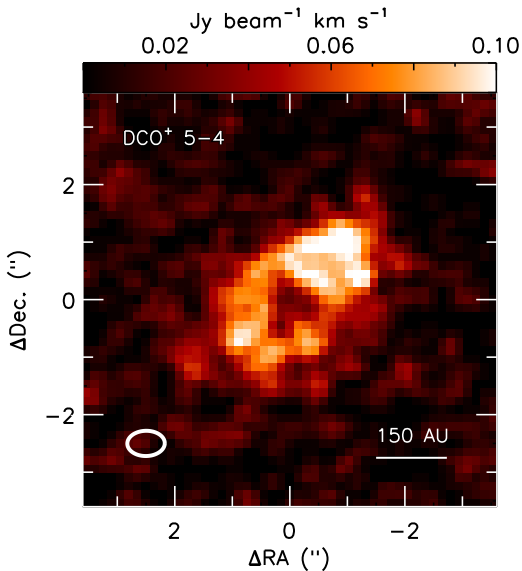
Qi et al. 2011

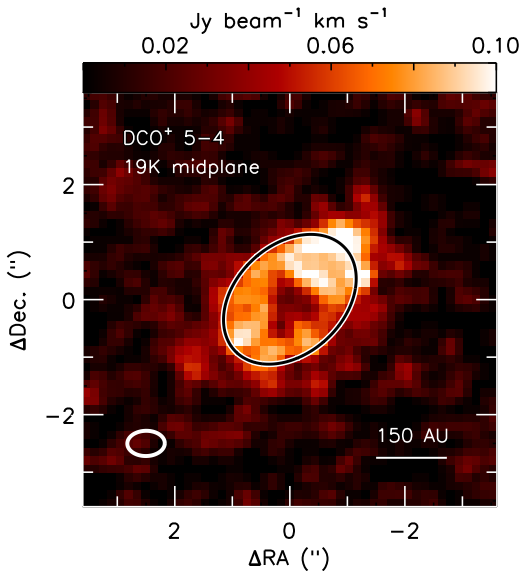
Science verification observations of HD 163296

- 5 SB in June and July 2012
- Band 7
 - CO $J=3-2$ (345.796 GHz)
 - HCO^+ $J=4-3$ (356.734 GHz)
 - H^{13}CO^+ $J=4-3$ (346.998 GHz)
 - DCO^+ $J=5-4$ (360.170 GHz)
- $0''.45 \times 0''.65$ beam
- 1 hour total time on-source

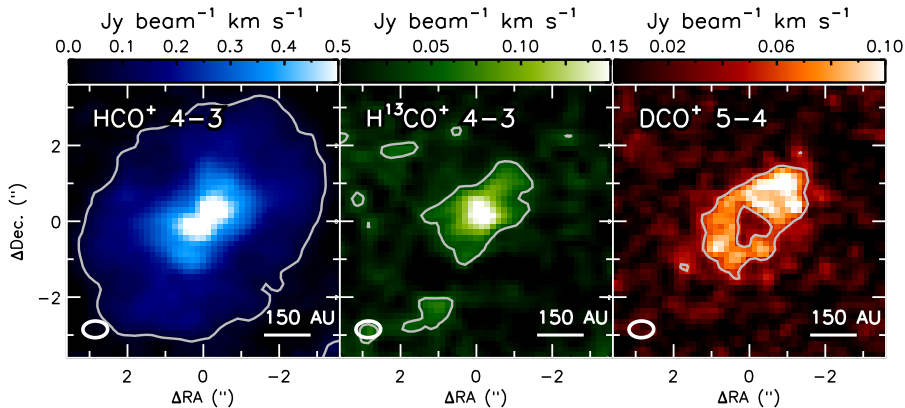


ALMA Photo: Tim van Kempen

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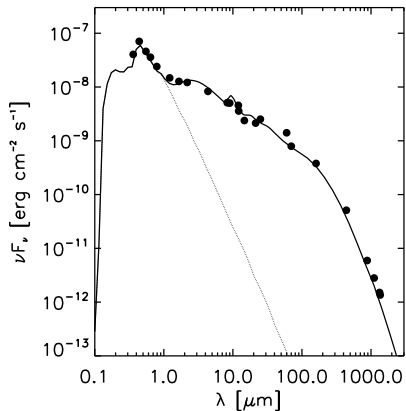
HCO^+ isotopologues for comparison



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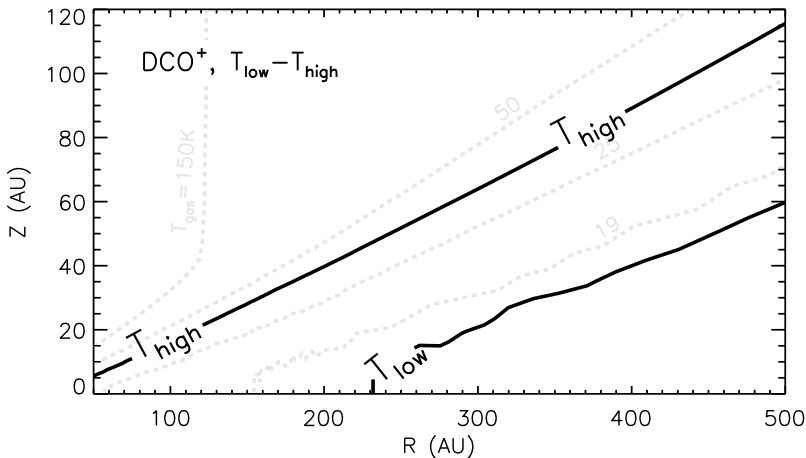
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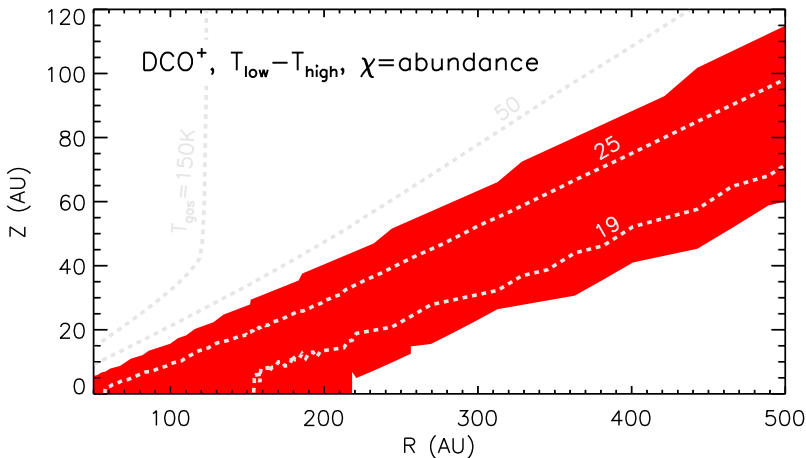
Physical model - parameterized approximation of Qi et al. 2011 best-fit model

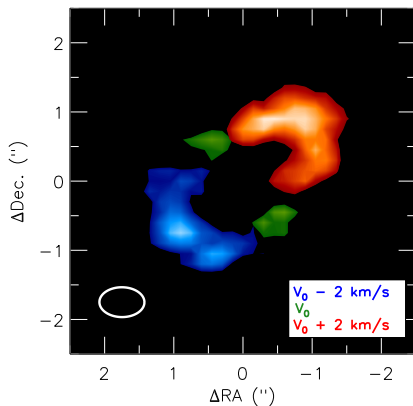
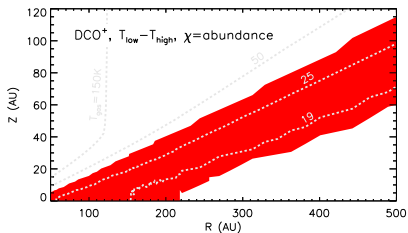


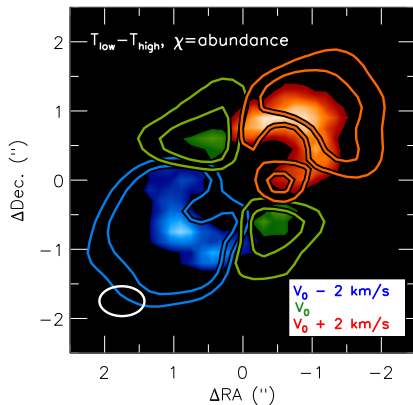
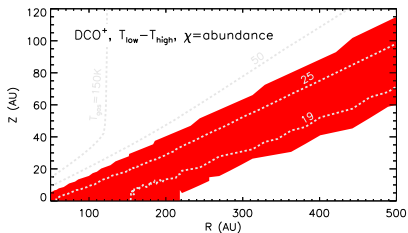
Transition	Model (Jy km/s)	Observed (Jy km/s)
CO 2-1	51	54.17 ± 0.39^a
^{13}CO 2-1	21	18.76 ± 0.24^a
C^{18}O 2-1	9	6.30 ± 0.16^a
CO 3-2	74	98.72 ± 1.69^a
C^{17}O 3-2	7	11.64 ± 0.76^a

^a Observed fluxes from Qi et al. 2011

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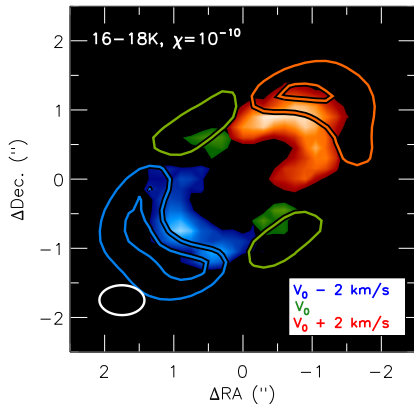
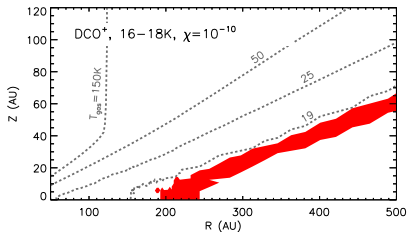
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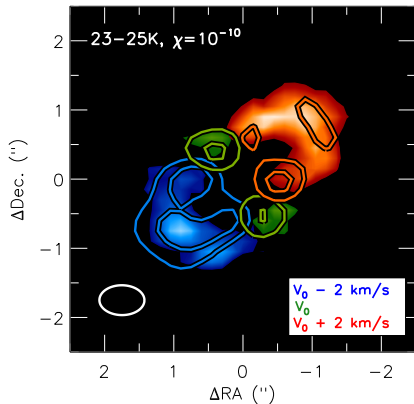
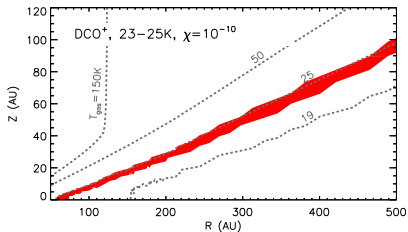
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Too cool: -3 K



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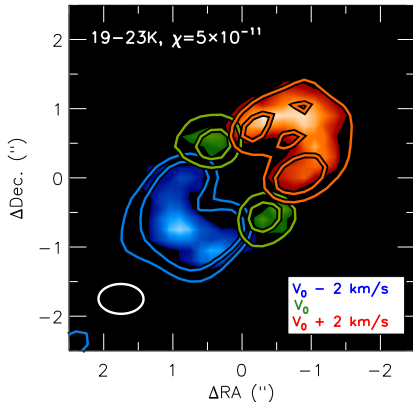
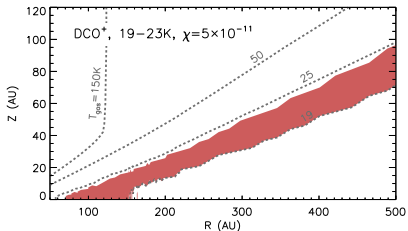
Too warm: + 4 K

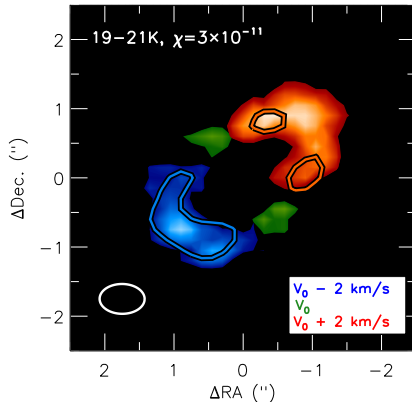
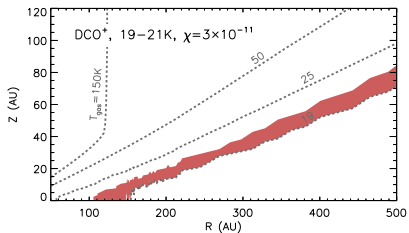


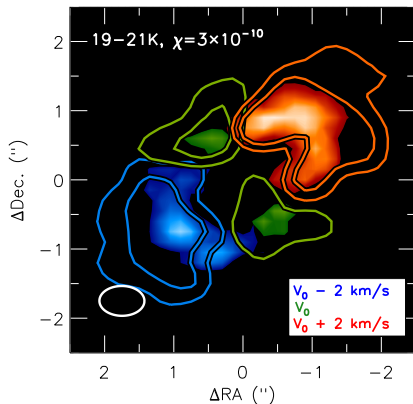
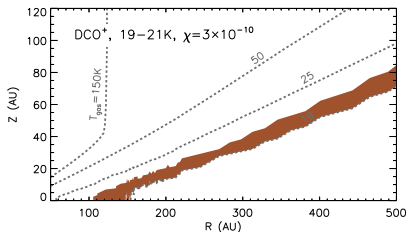
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Temperature range too broad:

$$\Delta T \times 2$$

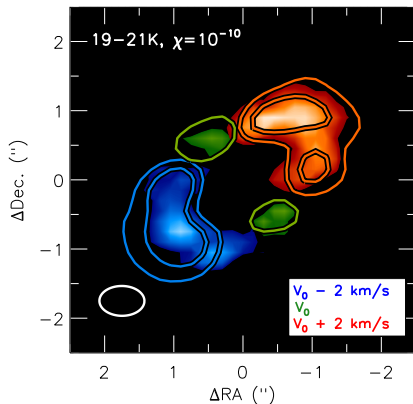
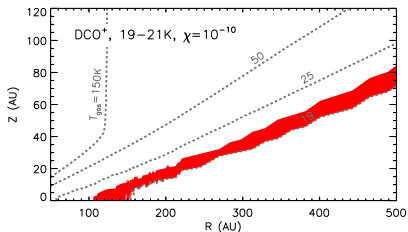


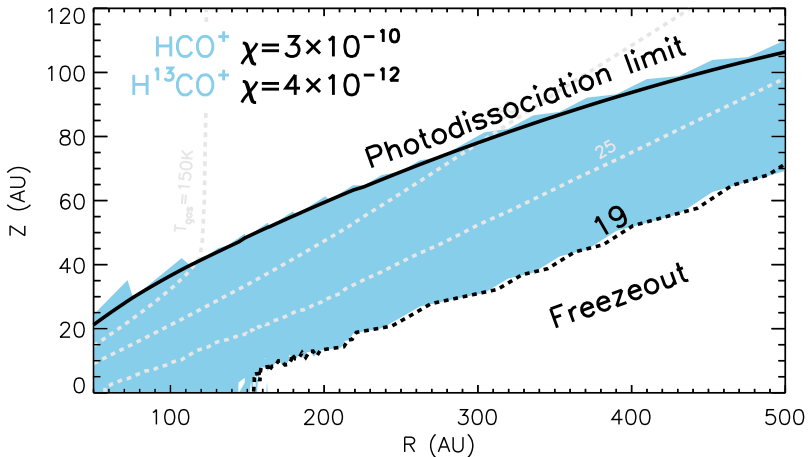
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Temperature: 19 - 21 K
Abundance: 10^{-10}

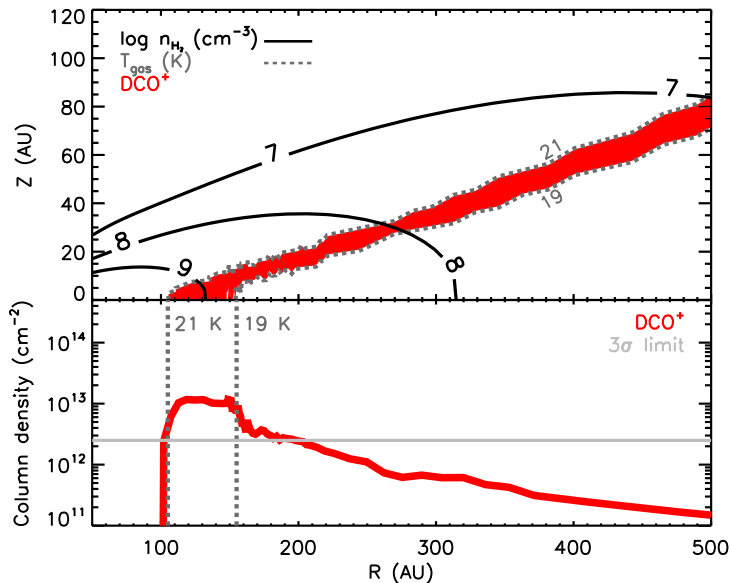


HCO⁺ & H¹³CO⁺

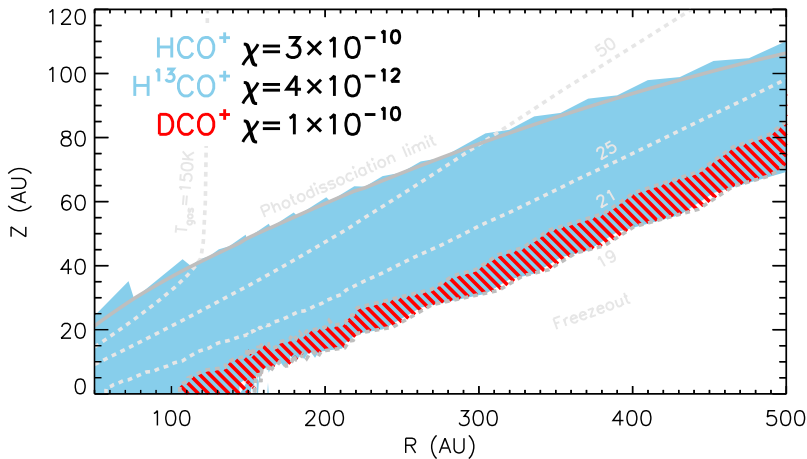
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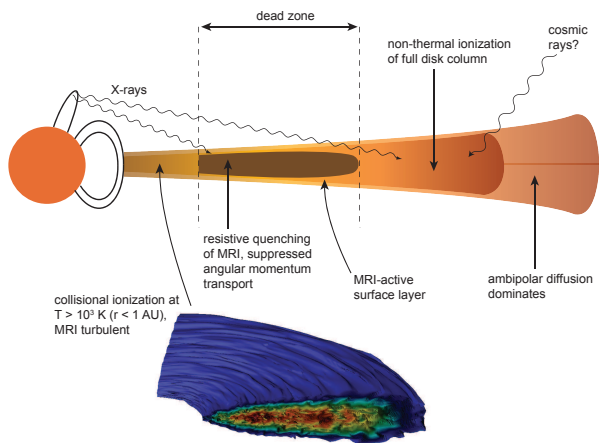
Ring morphology explained, and a localized probe



$$\text{Local } [\text{DCO}^+] / [\text{HCO}^+] \sim 0.3 \sim 10^4 \times [\text{D}/\text{H}]_{\text{ISM}}$$



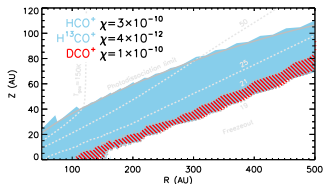
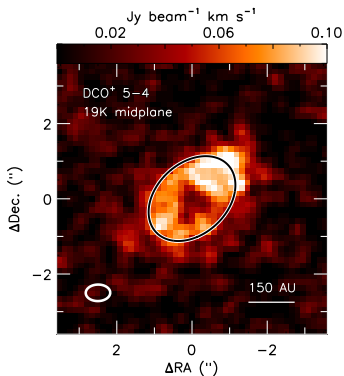
Ionization fraction $\gtrsim 10^{-10} \gg 10^{-13} \rightarrow$
 no 'dead zones' just inside CO snowline



Gammie 1996, Armitage 2011

Summary

- High resolution and sensitivity
ALMA images reveal a ring of DCO^+ $J=5-4$ emission
- DCO^+ emission from a narrow temperature range, 19–21 K
- Local $[\text{DCO}^+] / [\text{HCO}^+] \sim 0.3$,
 $\approx 10^4$ times the ISM $[\text{D}] / [\text{H}]$
- DCO^+ probes a highly specific
disk layer - one component of
"disk tomography"



Model comparison

