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The Mopra Southern Galactic Plane CO Survey

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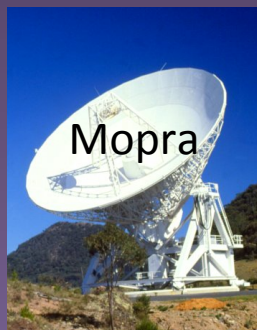
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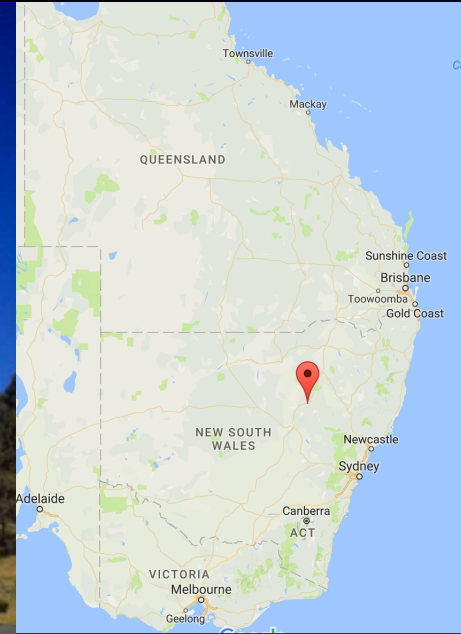
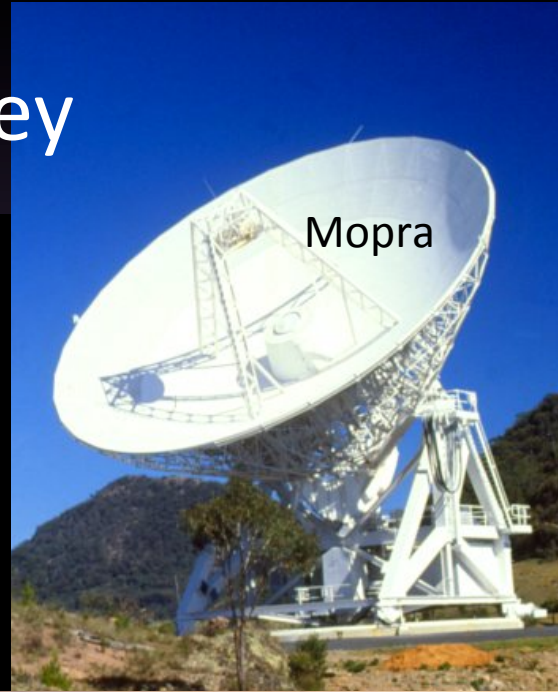
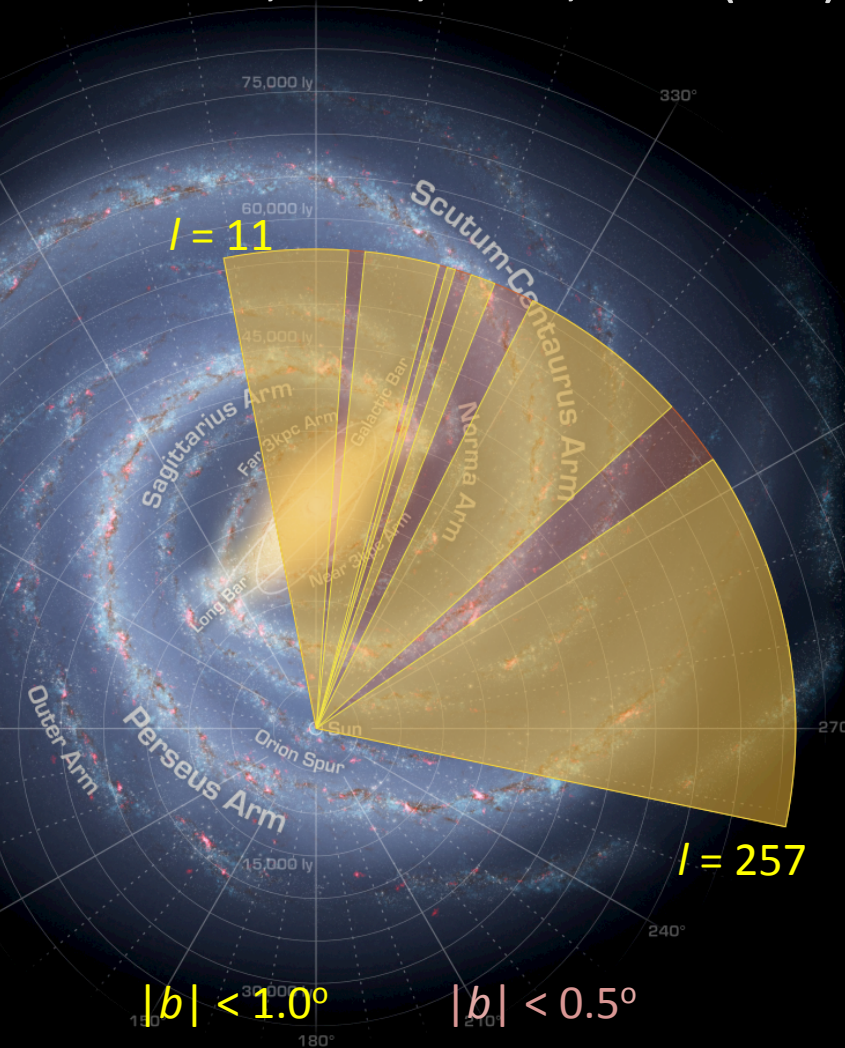
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^{12}CO , ^{13}CO , C^{18}O , $\text{C}^{17}\text{O}(1-0)$



Warrumbungle National park, Australia

CO GPS Observing Strategy

*Scans the Galactic plane at a speed of ~ 3 square degrees every 4 nights for orthogonal scans.

3mm

Frequency (GHz)	Isotopologue	V_{low} (km/s)	V_{high} (km/s)
110.1	^{13}CO 1-0	-475	+270
109.7	C^{18}O 1-0	-495	+255
112.3	C^{17}O 1-0	-235	+130
115.2	^{12}CO 1-0	-550	+525

7mm

CS(1-0)
SiO(1-0)
CH₃N, CH₃OH

12mm

NH₃(1,1)
NH₃(2,2)
NH₃(3,3)
H alpha

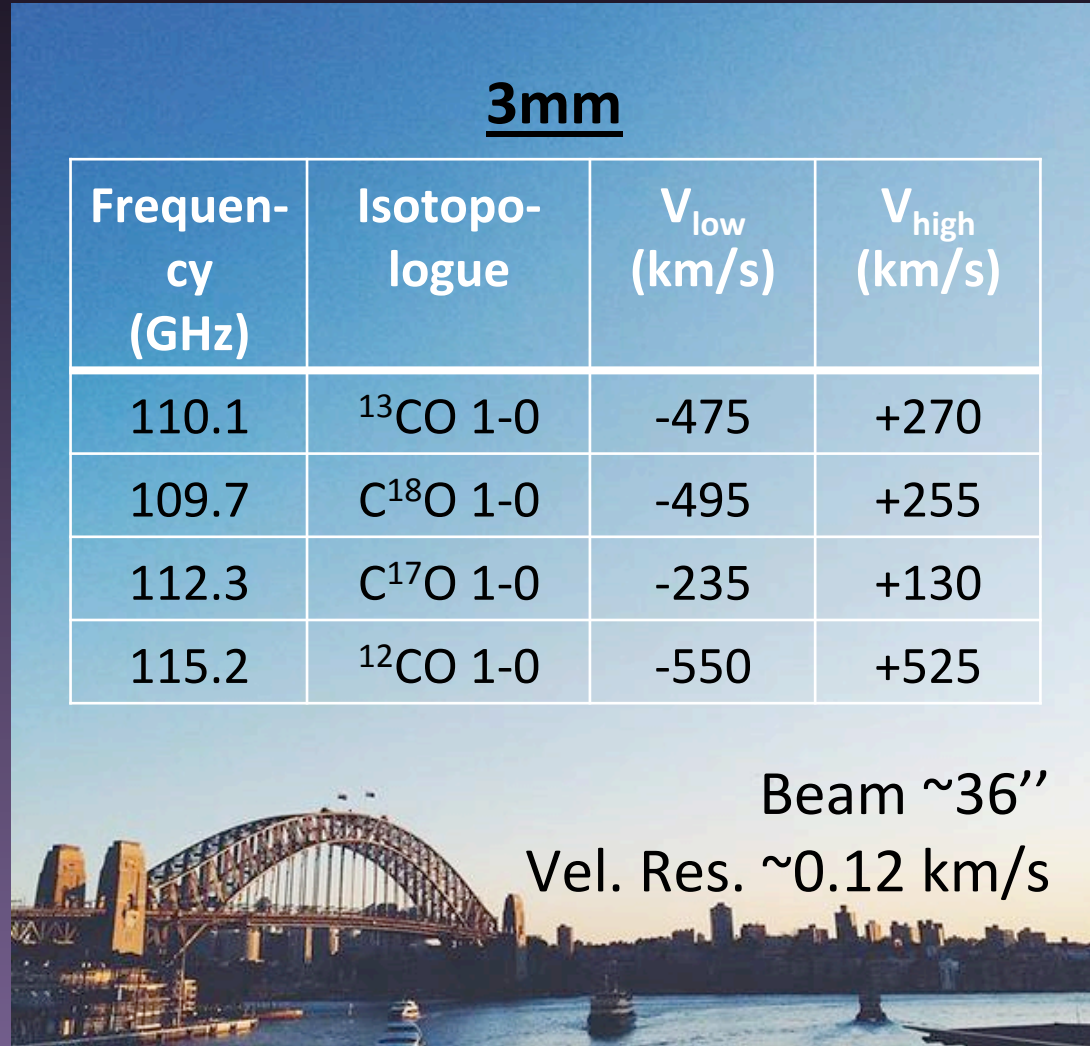
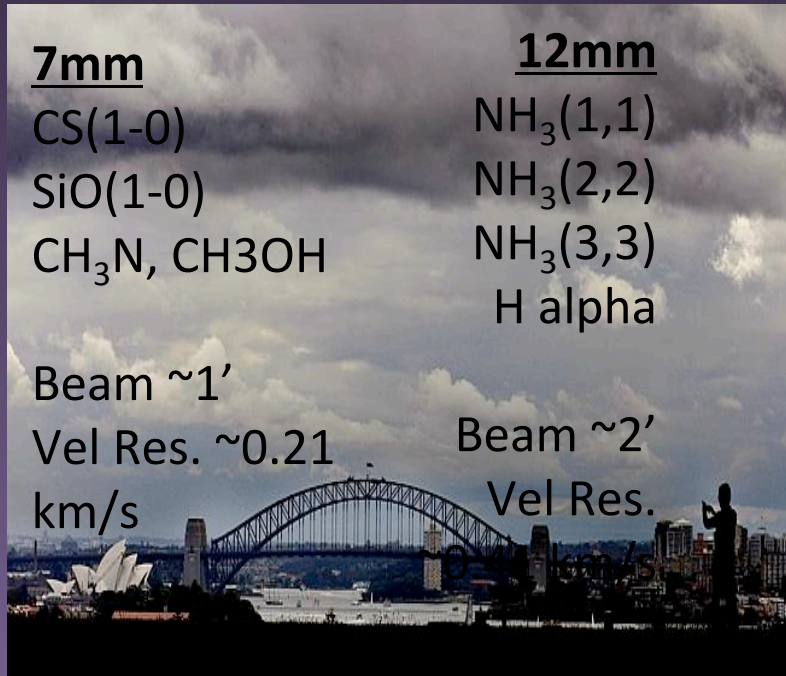
Beam $\sim 1'$

Vel Res. ~ 0.21
km/s

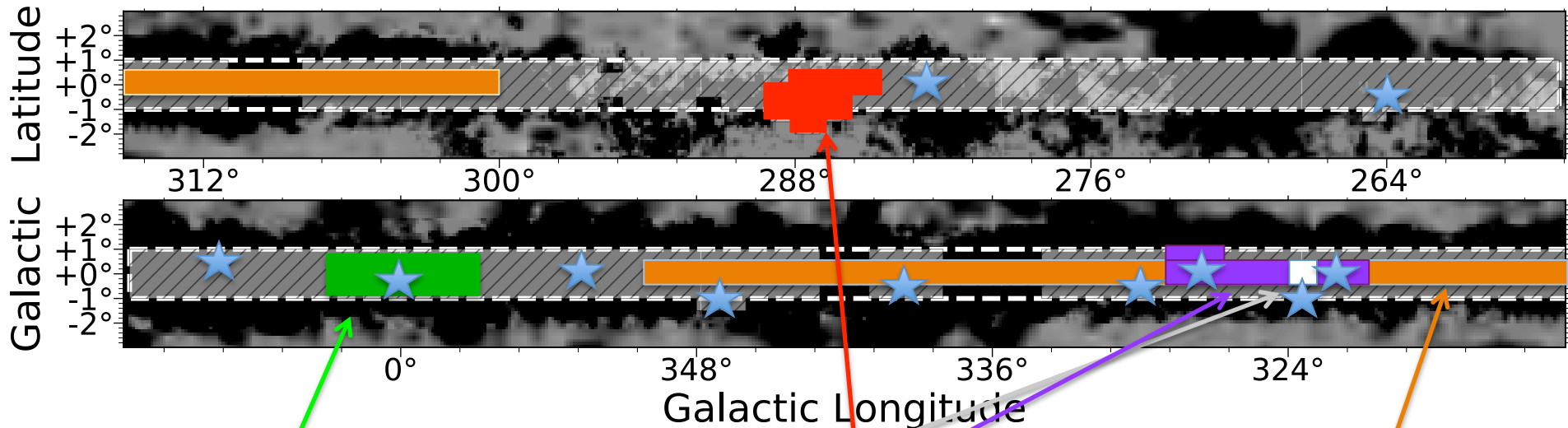
Beam $\sim 2'$
Vel Res.

Beam $\sim 36''$

Vel. Res. ~ 0.12 km/s



Mopra CO SGP Survey: Availability

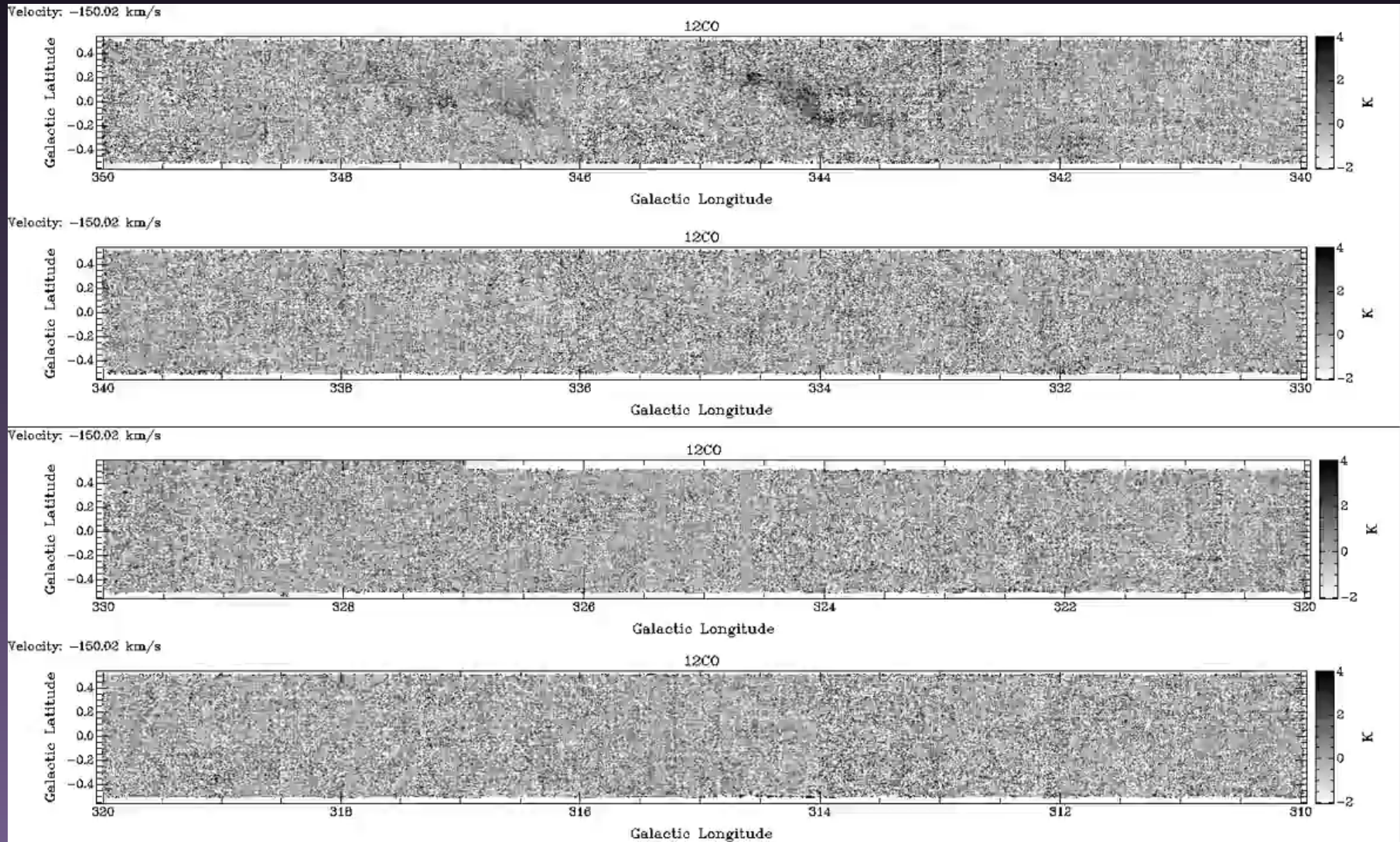


- Pilot region G328 (Burton, *et al.*, 2013)
- Data release I (Braiding, *et al.*, 2015)
- Data release II: Carina nebula (Rebolledo, *et al.*, 2016)
- Central Molecular Zone (Blackwell, *et al.*, in prep.)
- Data release III: G300 to G350, $|b| < 0.5$ (Braiding, *et al.*, 2018, accepted Feb)

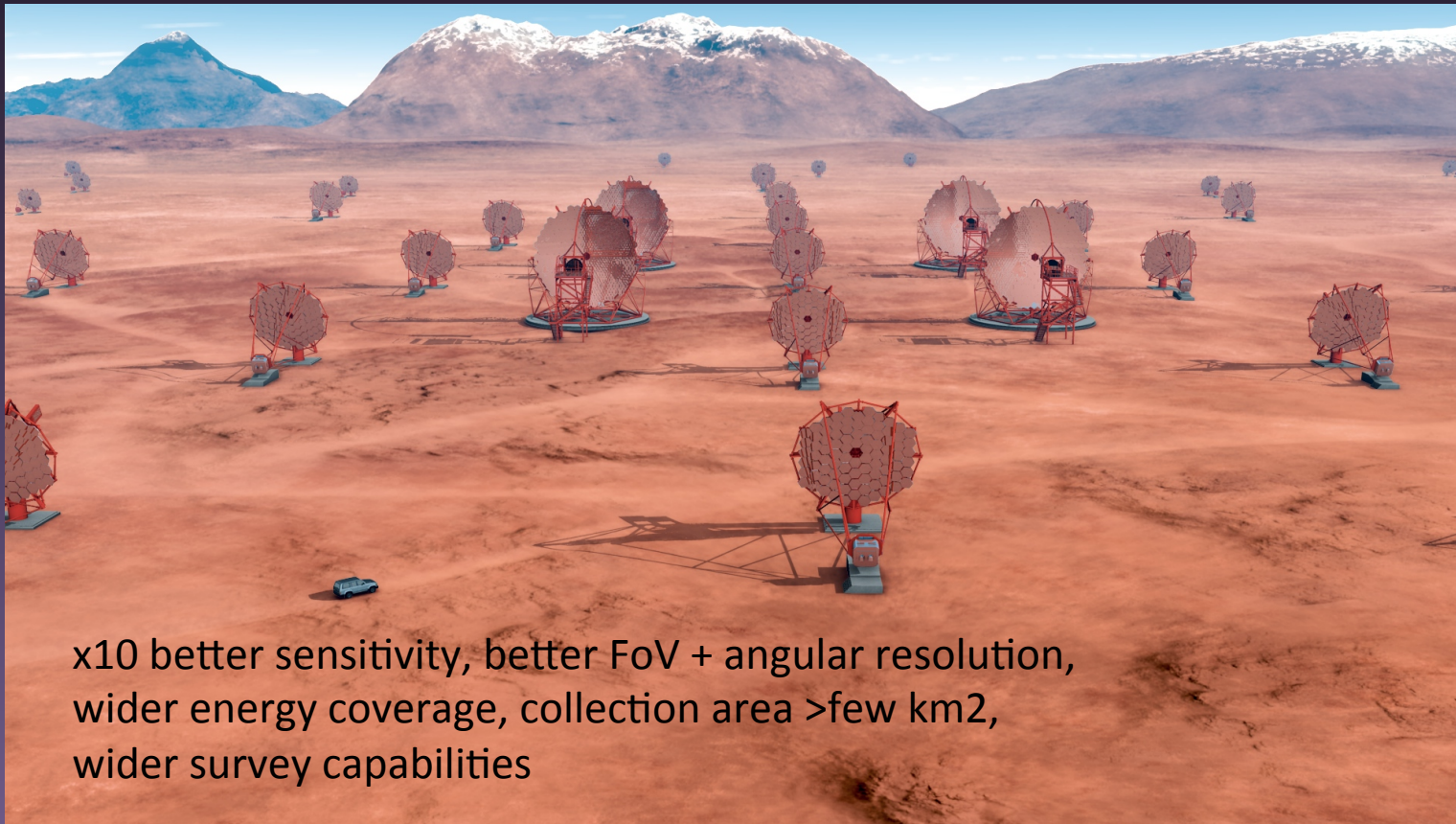
★ Other Mopra studies <http://www.physics.adelaide.edu.au/astrophysics/MopraGam/>

Data Release III (DR3)

$l=300 - 350^\circ$

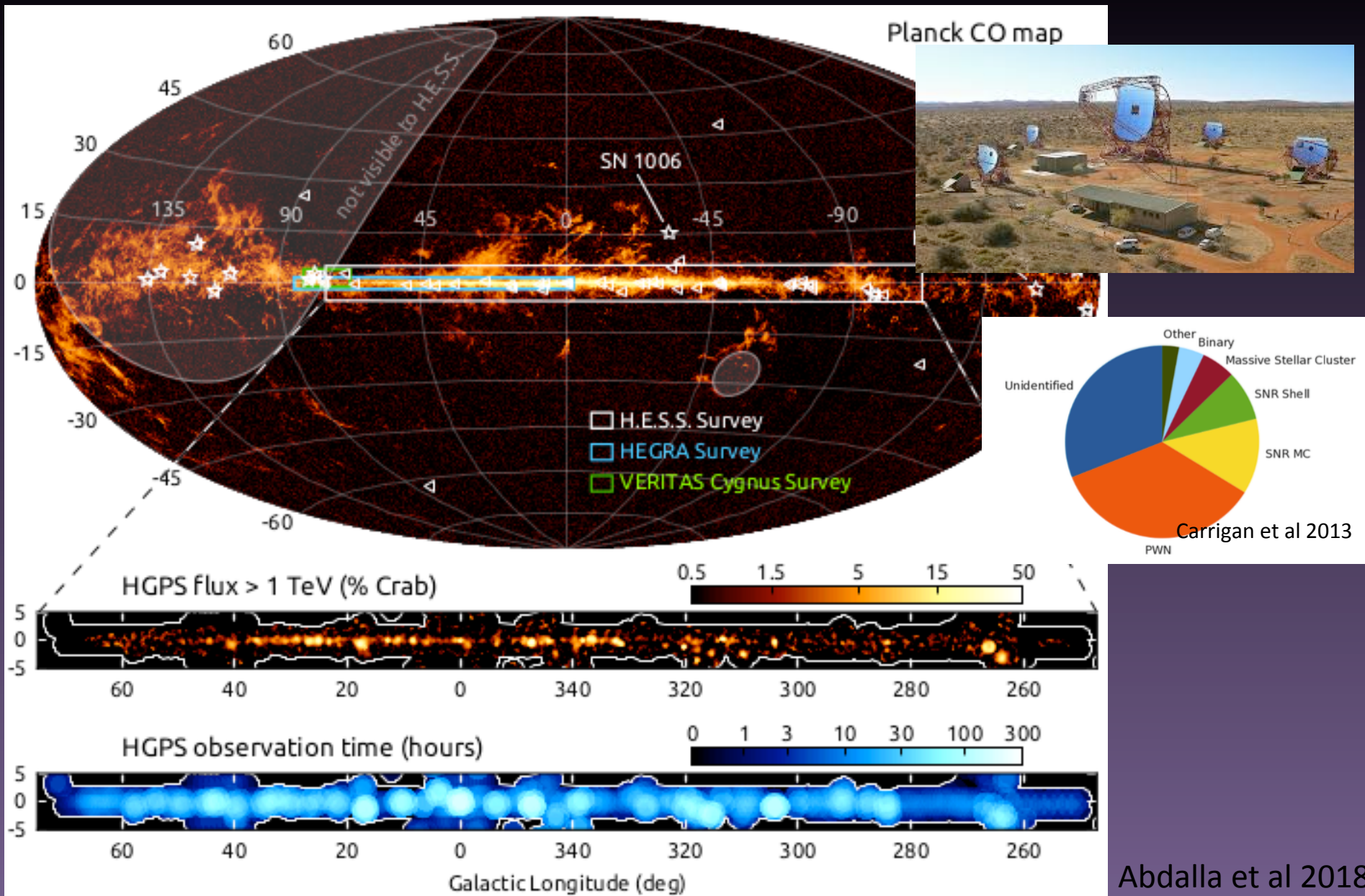


Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA): The next generation gamma-ray telescope

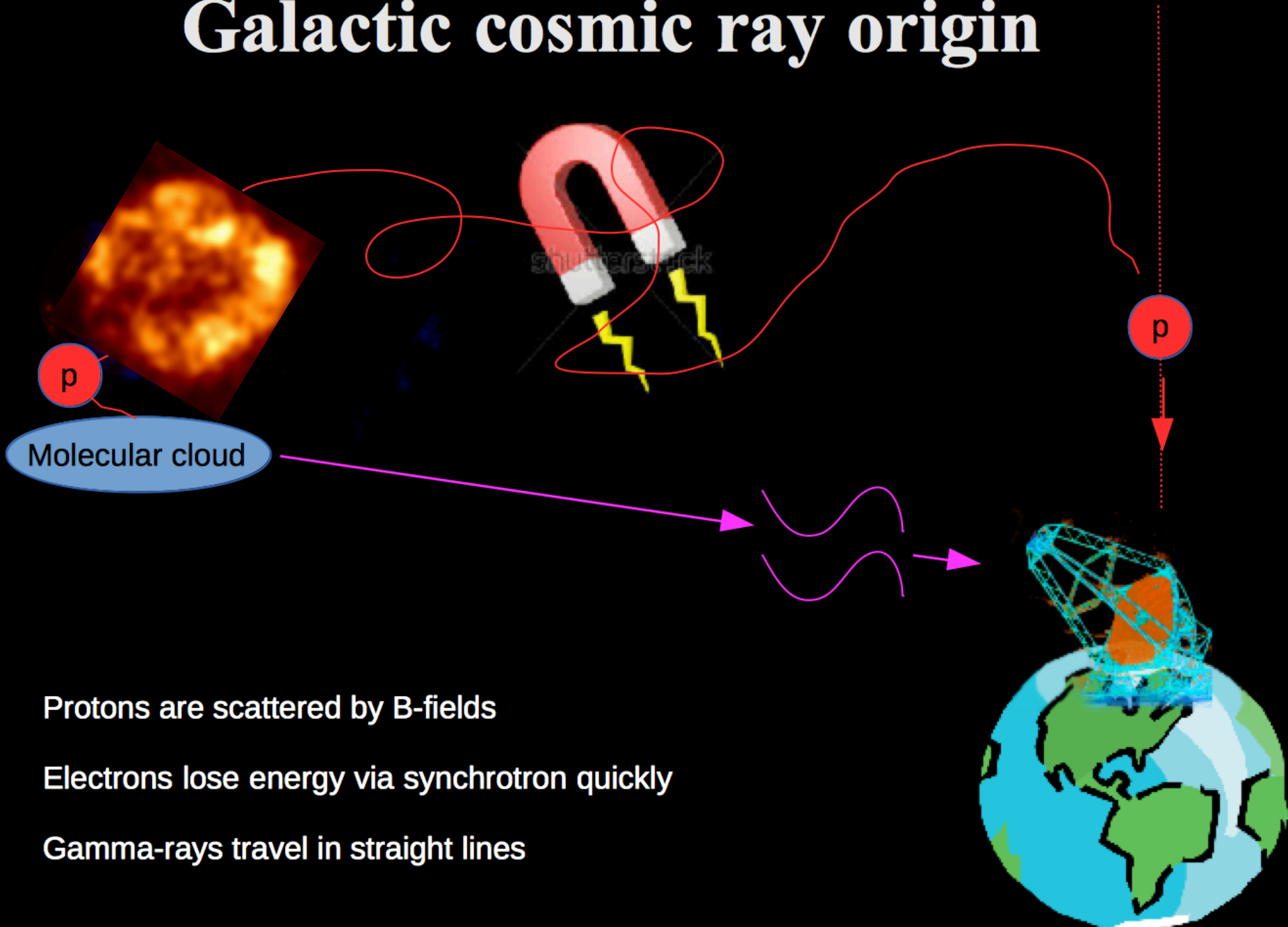


x10 better sensitivity, better FoV + angular resolution,
wider energy coverage, collection area >few km²,
wider survey capabilities

The HESS Galactic Plane Survey



Galactic cosmic ray origin



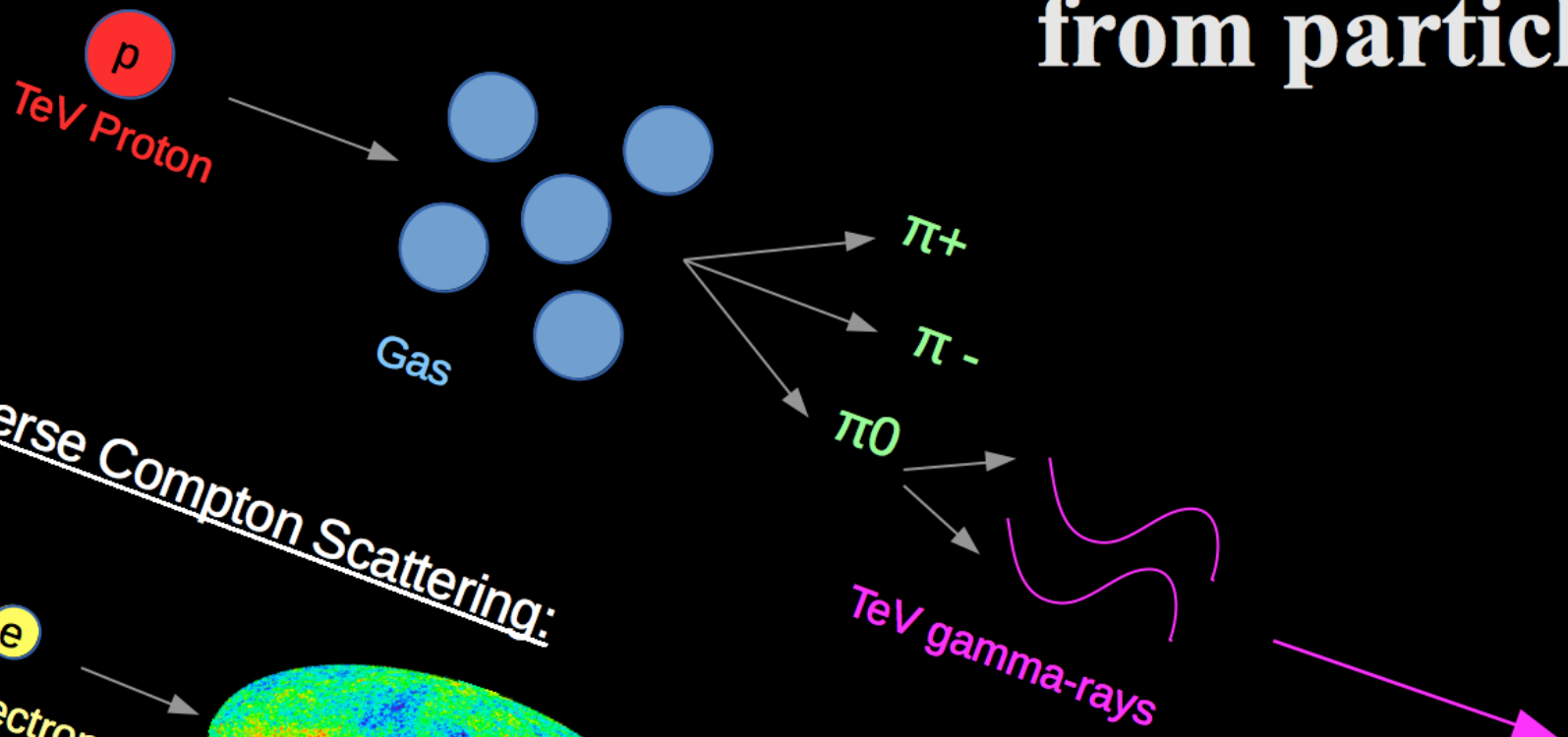
Protons are scattered by B-fields

Electrons lose energy via synchrotron quickly

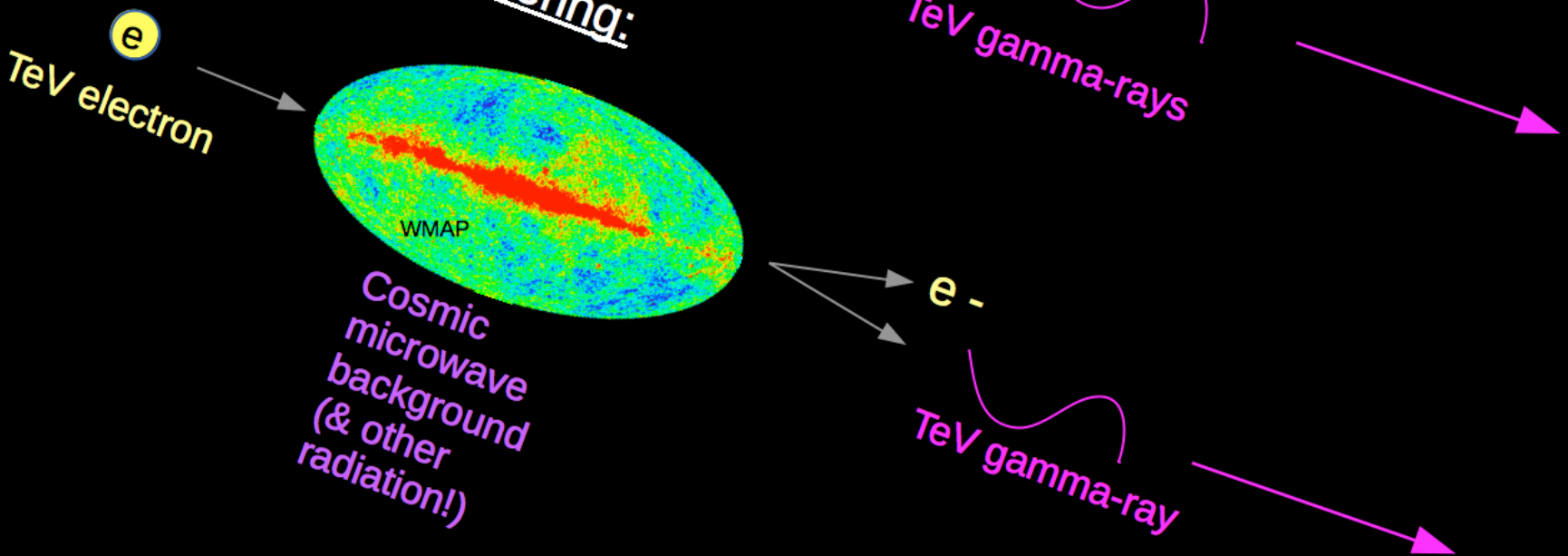
Gamma-rays travel in straight lines

Gamma-ray emission from particles

p-p interaction:

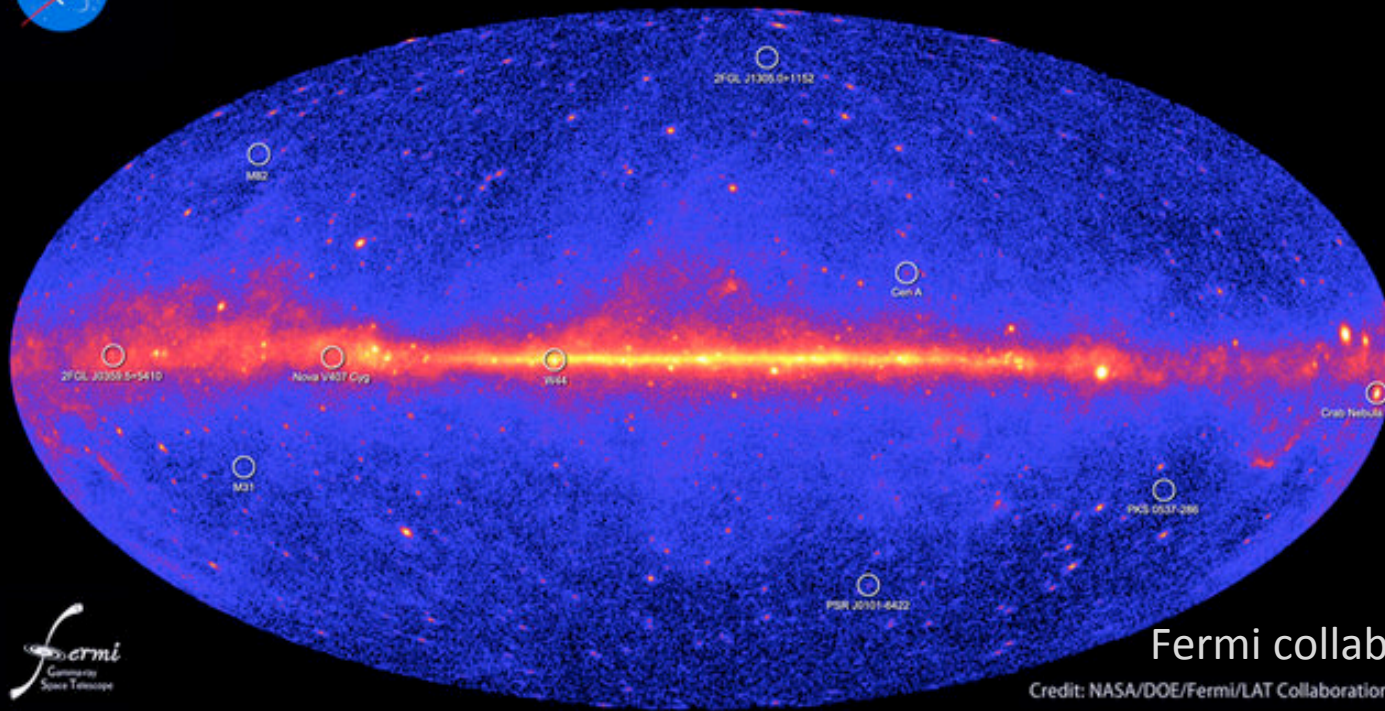


Inverse Compton Scattering:



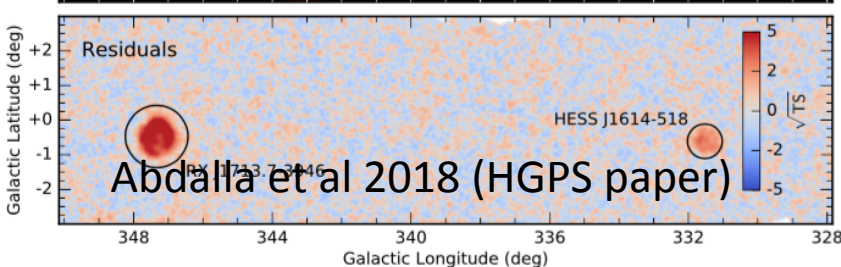
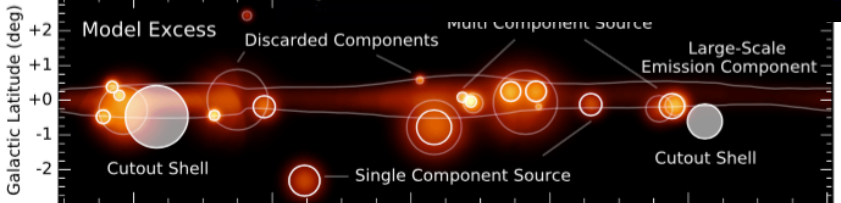
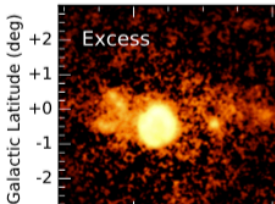


Fermi two-year all-sky map



Fermi collab.

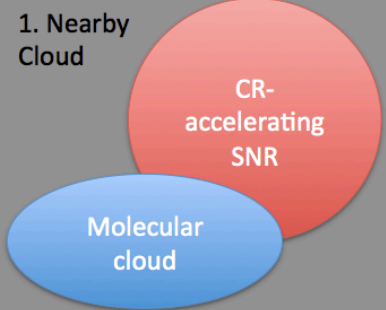
Credit: NASA/DOE/Fermi/LAT Collaboration



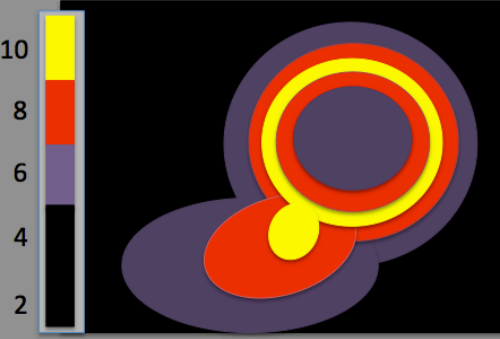
Abdalla et al 2018 (HGPS paper)

Looking for CR sources with gamma-ray astronomy

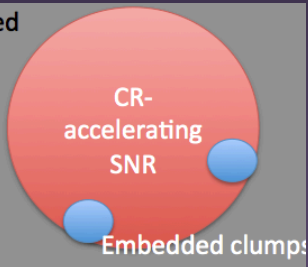
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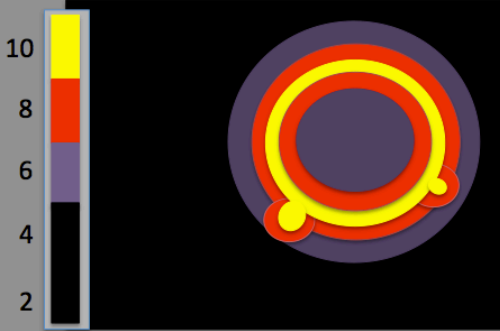
TeV gamma-ray significance



3. Embedded clumps



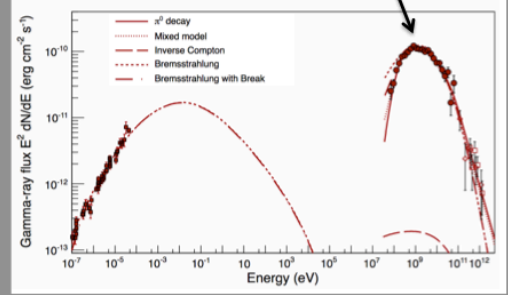
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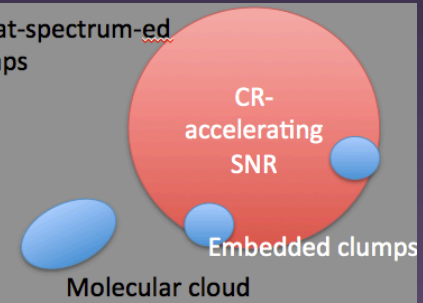
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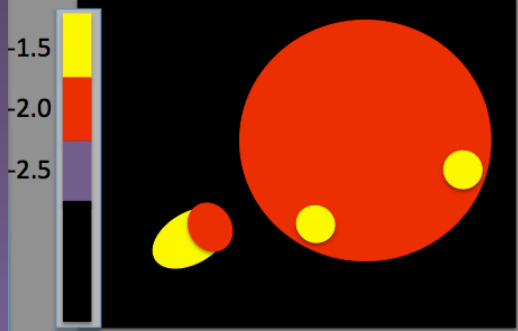
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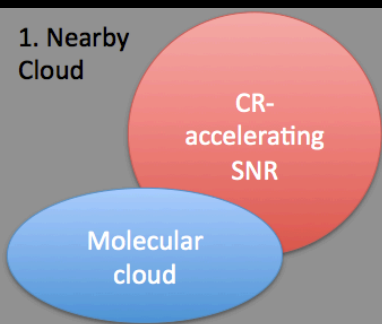
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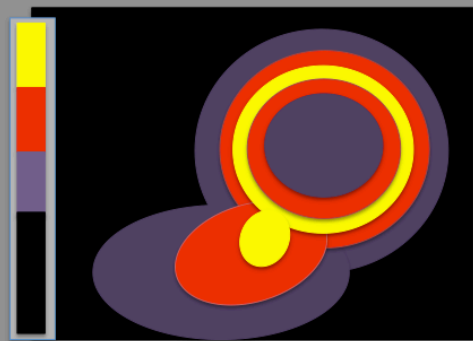
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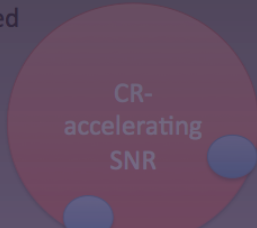
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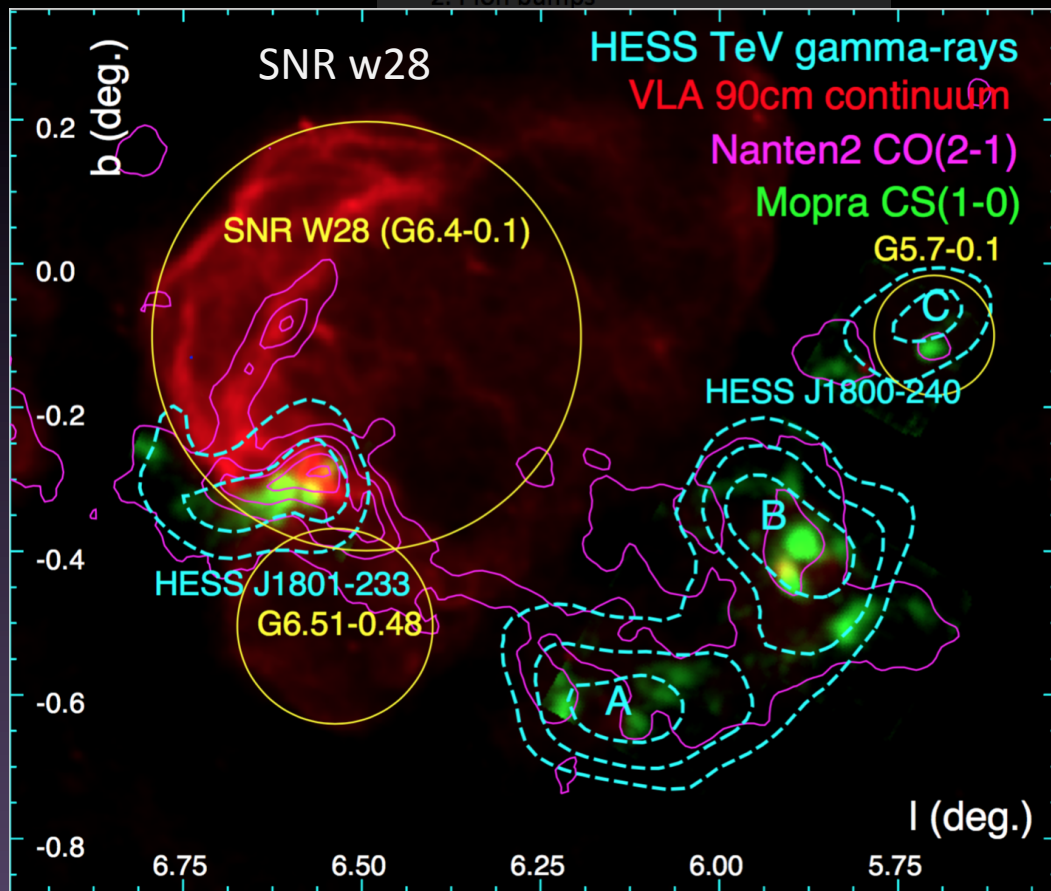
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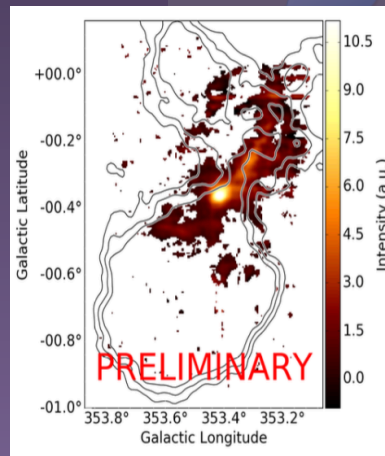
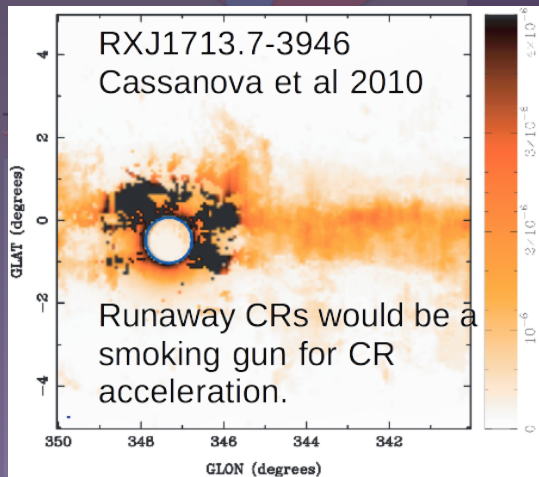
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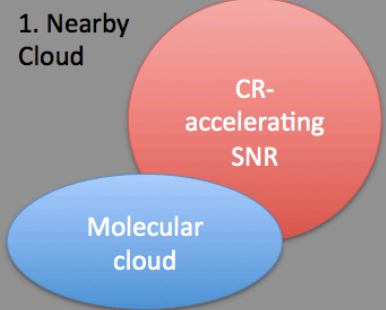
e.g.
 Aharonian et al 2005
 Fukui et al 2008
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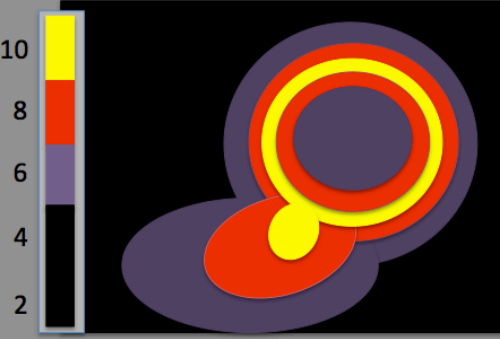
HESS J1731-347
 Prelim HESS TeV gamma-rays
 And Mopra CS(1-0) at 3.2kpc
 (Capasso et al 2017)
 (Note competing distance at
 5.2-6kpc, Fukuda et al 2014)

Looking for CR sources with gamma-ray astronomy

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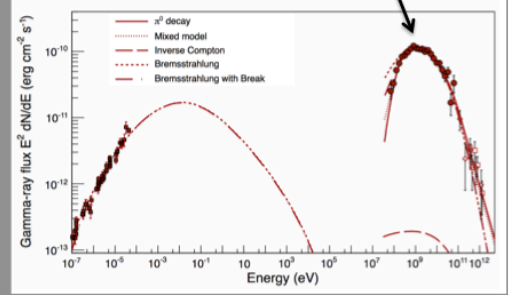
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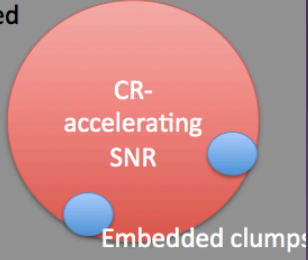
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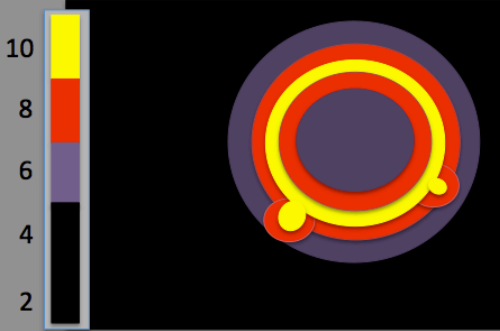
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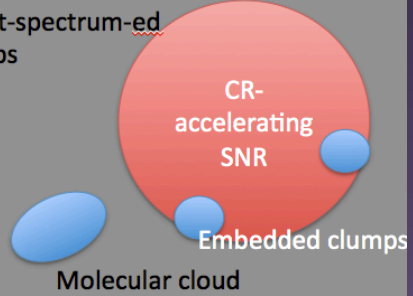
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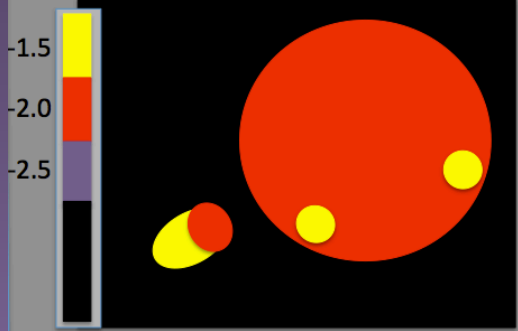
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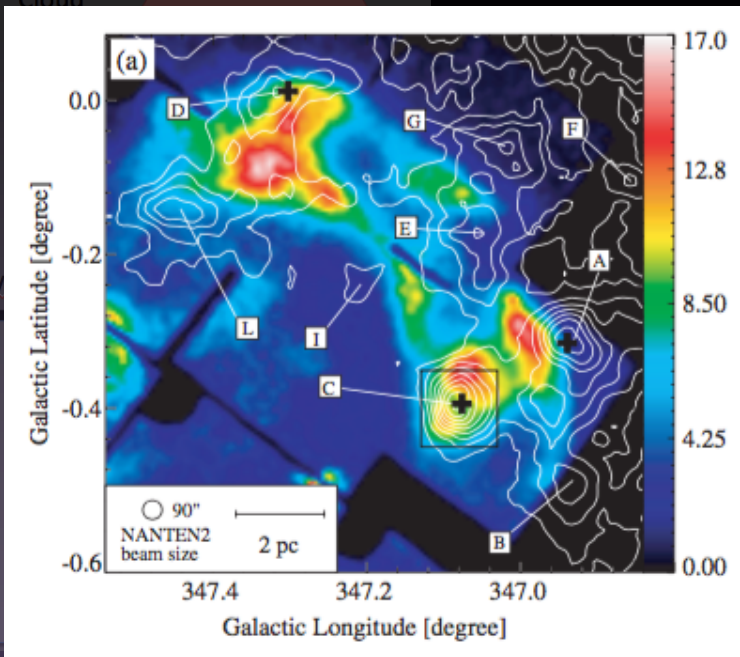
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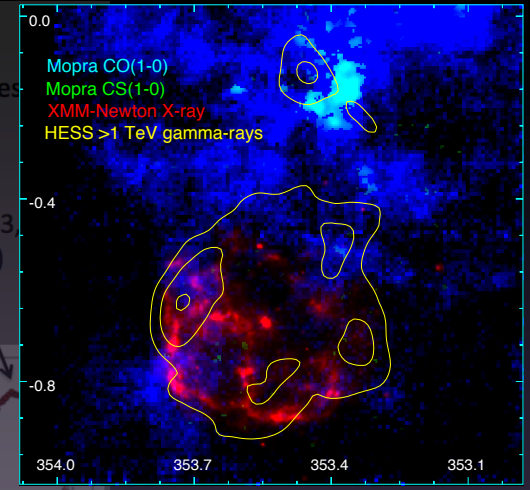
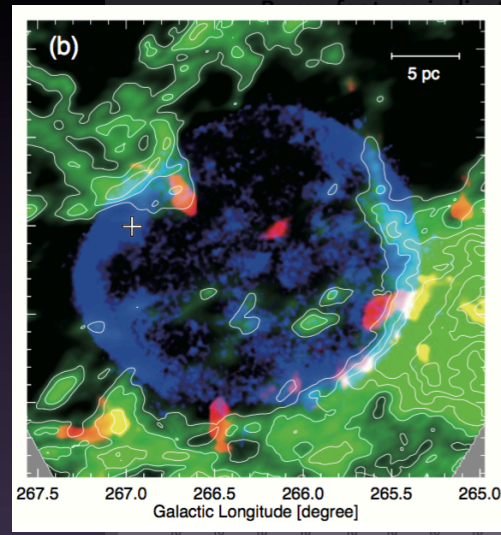
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RXJ1713.7-3946 (X-rays and CO, Sano et al 2010)



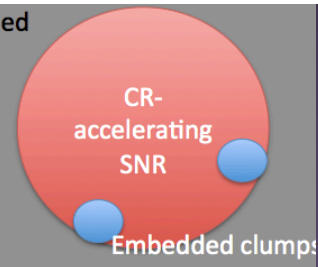
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HESS J1731-347 (see Fukuda et al, 2014)

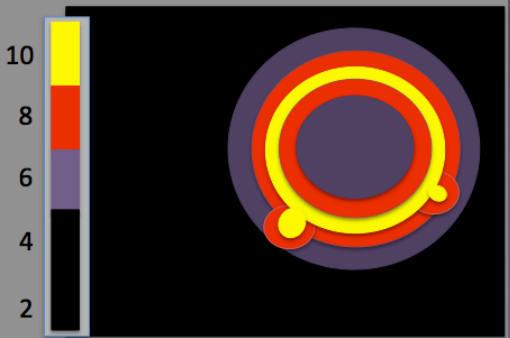
Vela Jr (HI, CO and gamma-rays, Fukui et al 2017)

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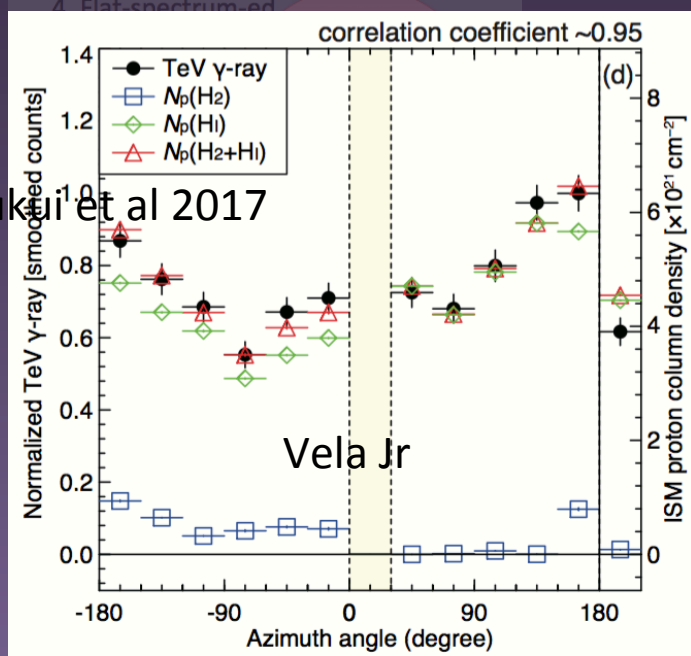


Fukui et al 2014

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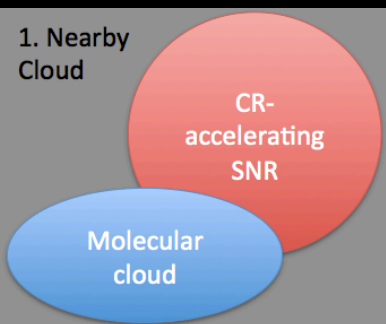


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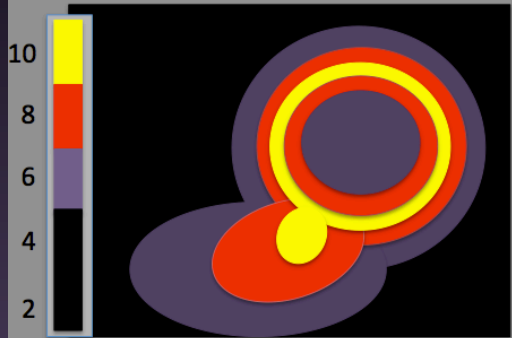


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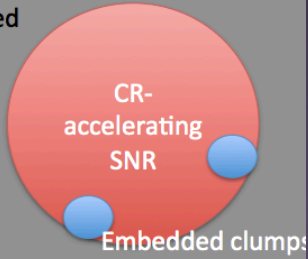
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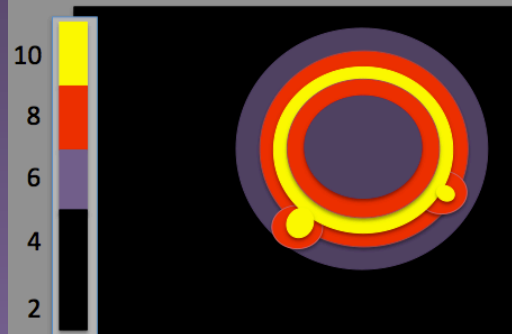
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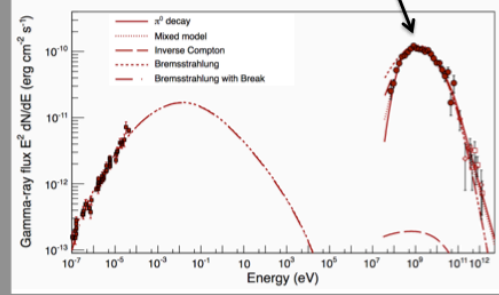
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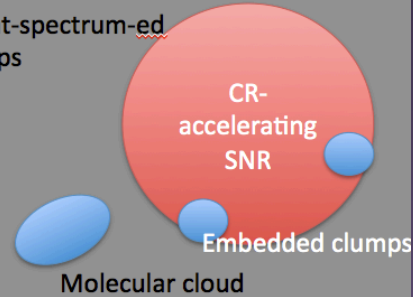
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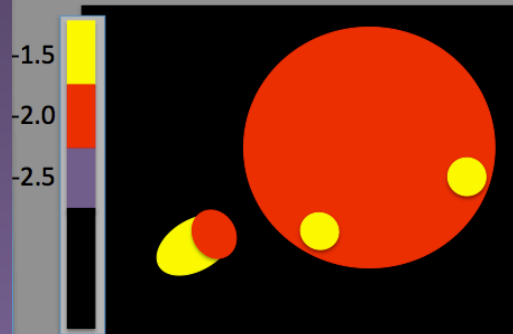
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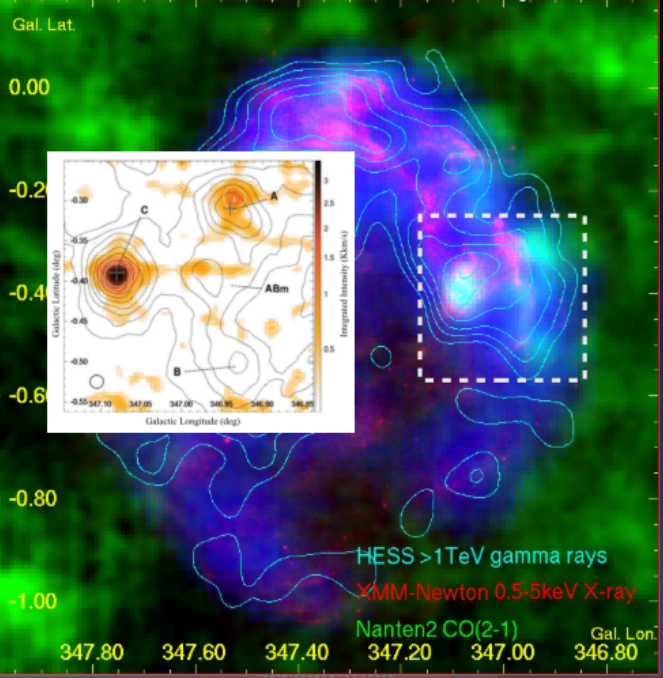


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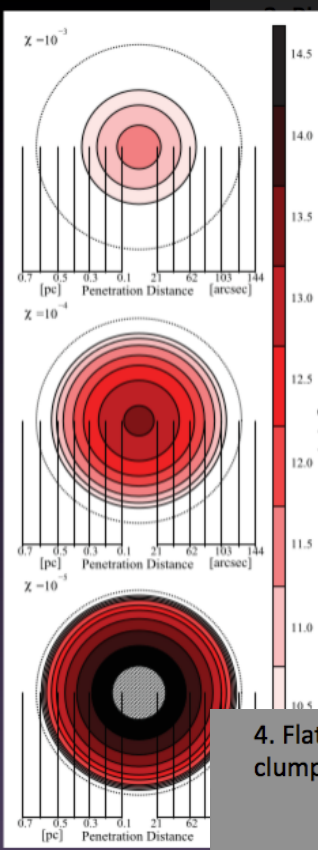


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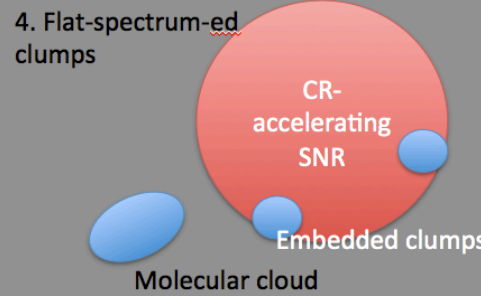
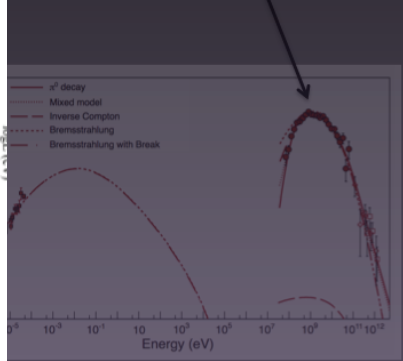
Diffusion into clumps?



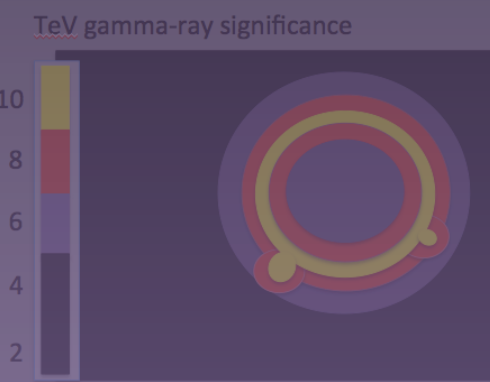
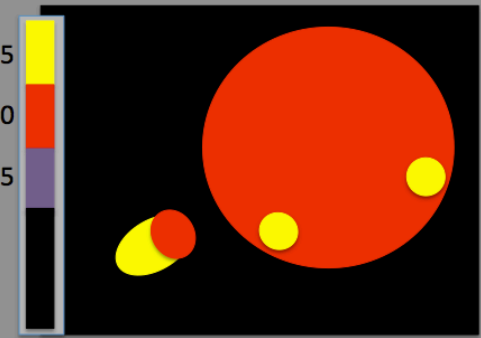
Maxted et al 2012



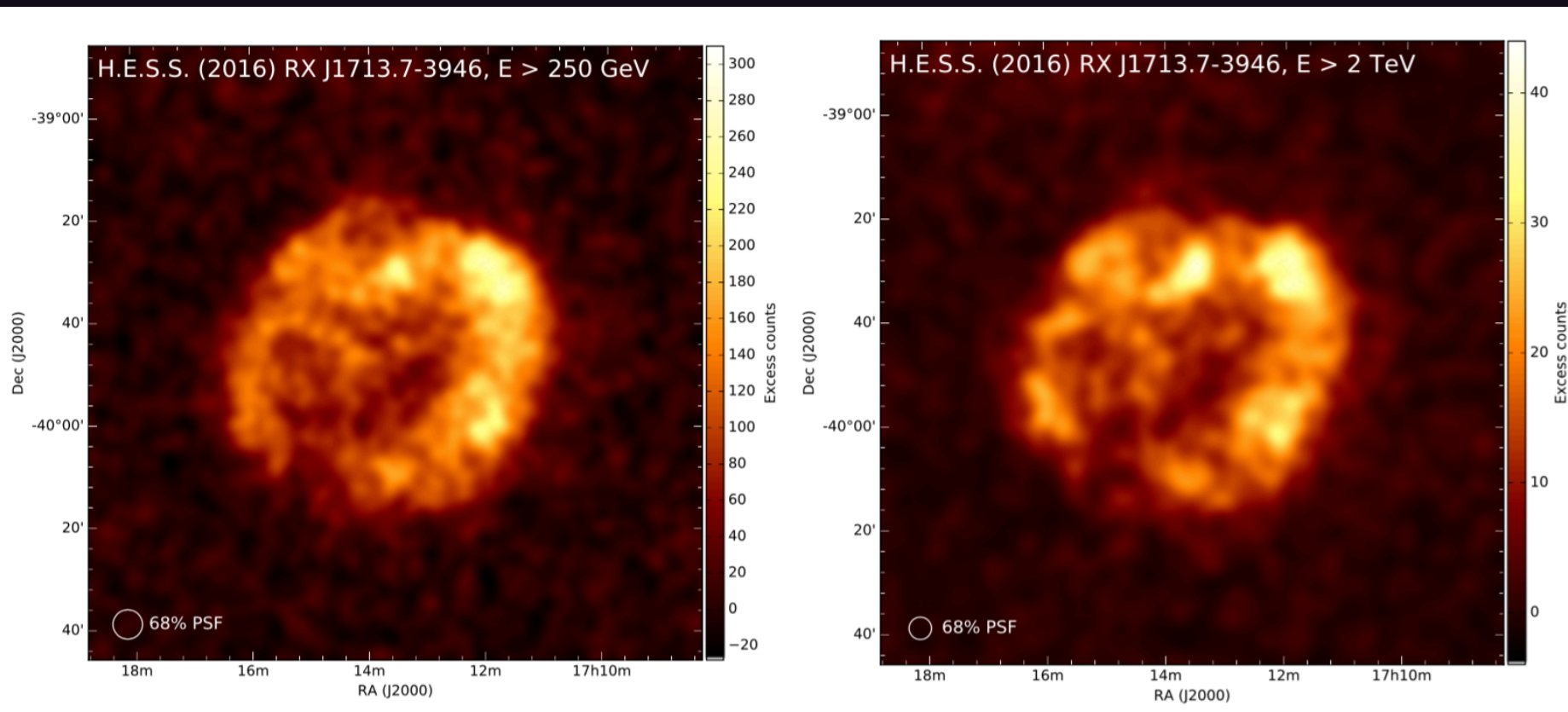
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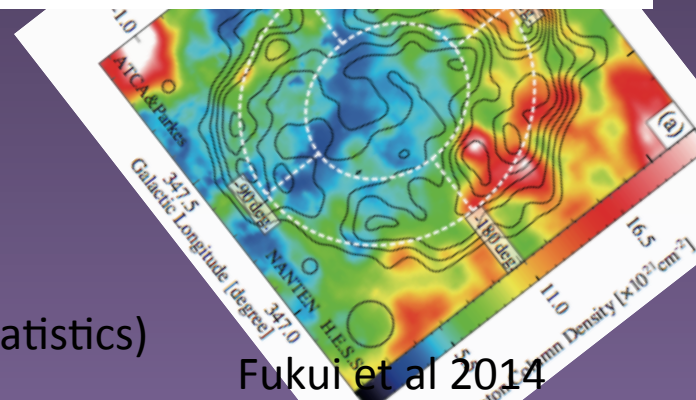
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H.E.S.S. angular resolution of 0.048° (0.036° above 2 TeV)

Current highest res gamma-ray image ~ 100 arcsec

No spectral variation on a scale of ~ 10 arcmin (limited by statistics)



The future –CTA (South)

