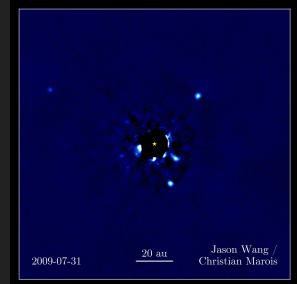




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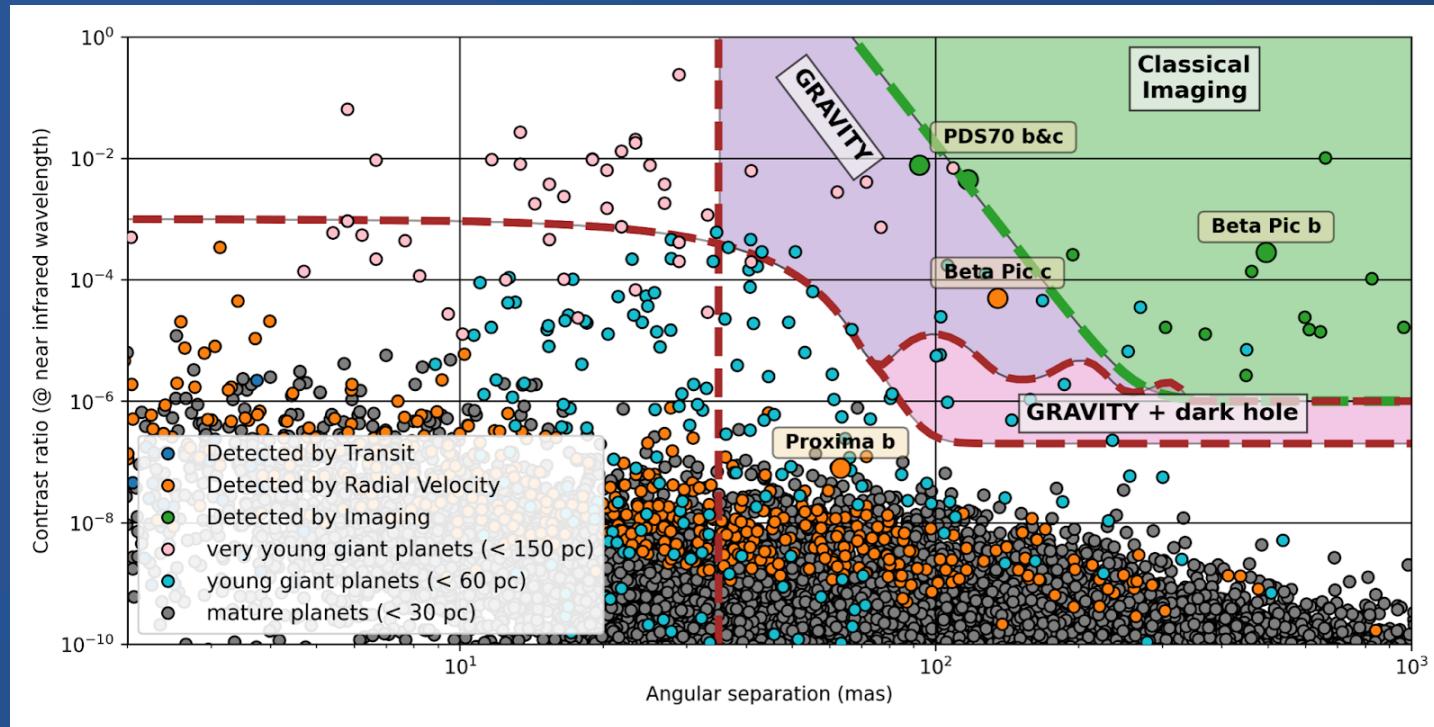
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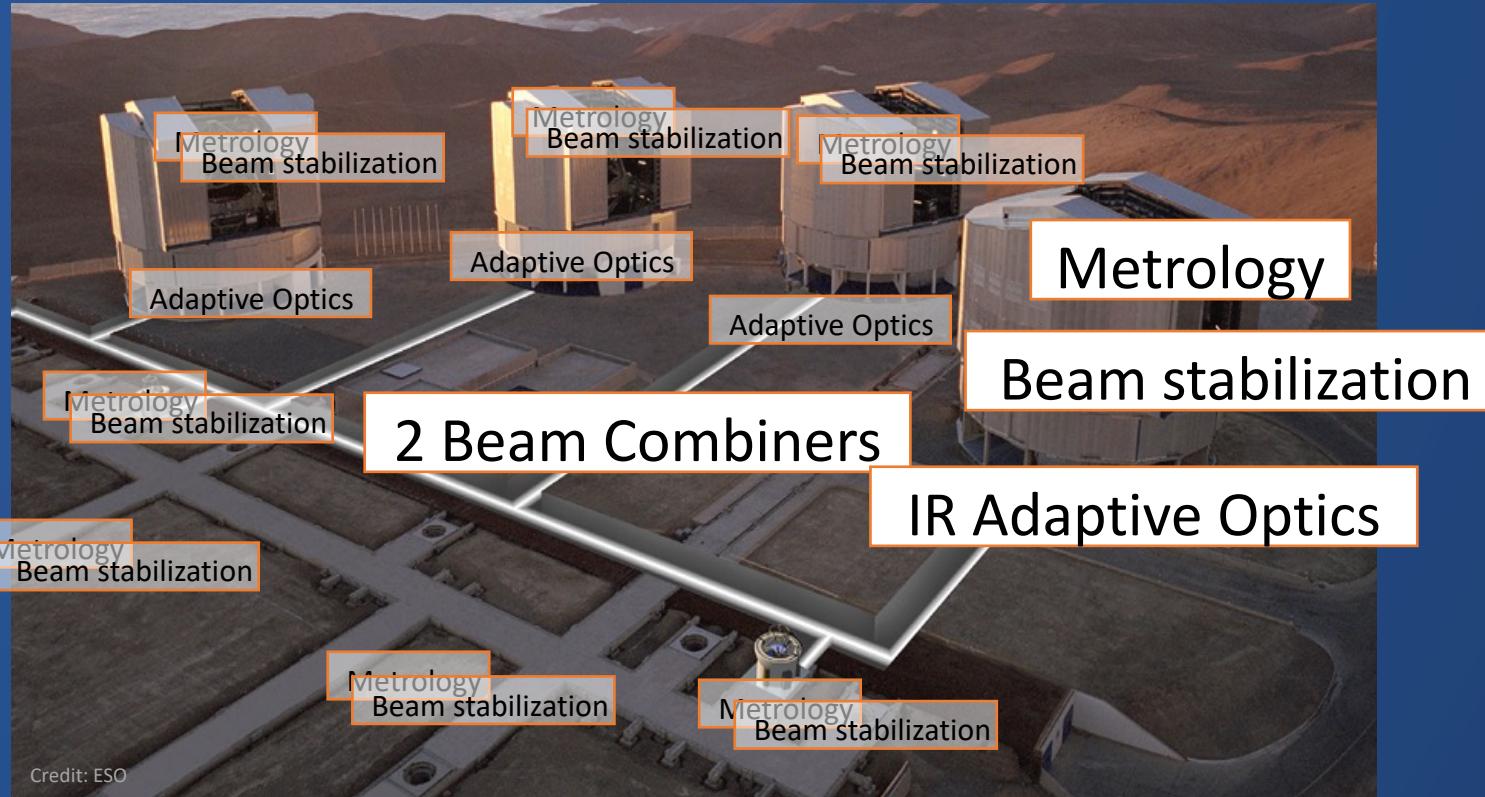
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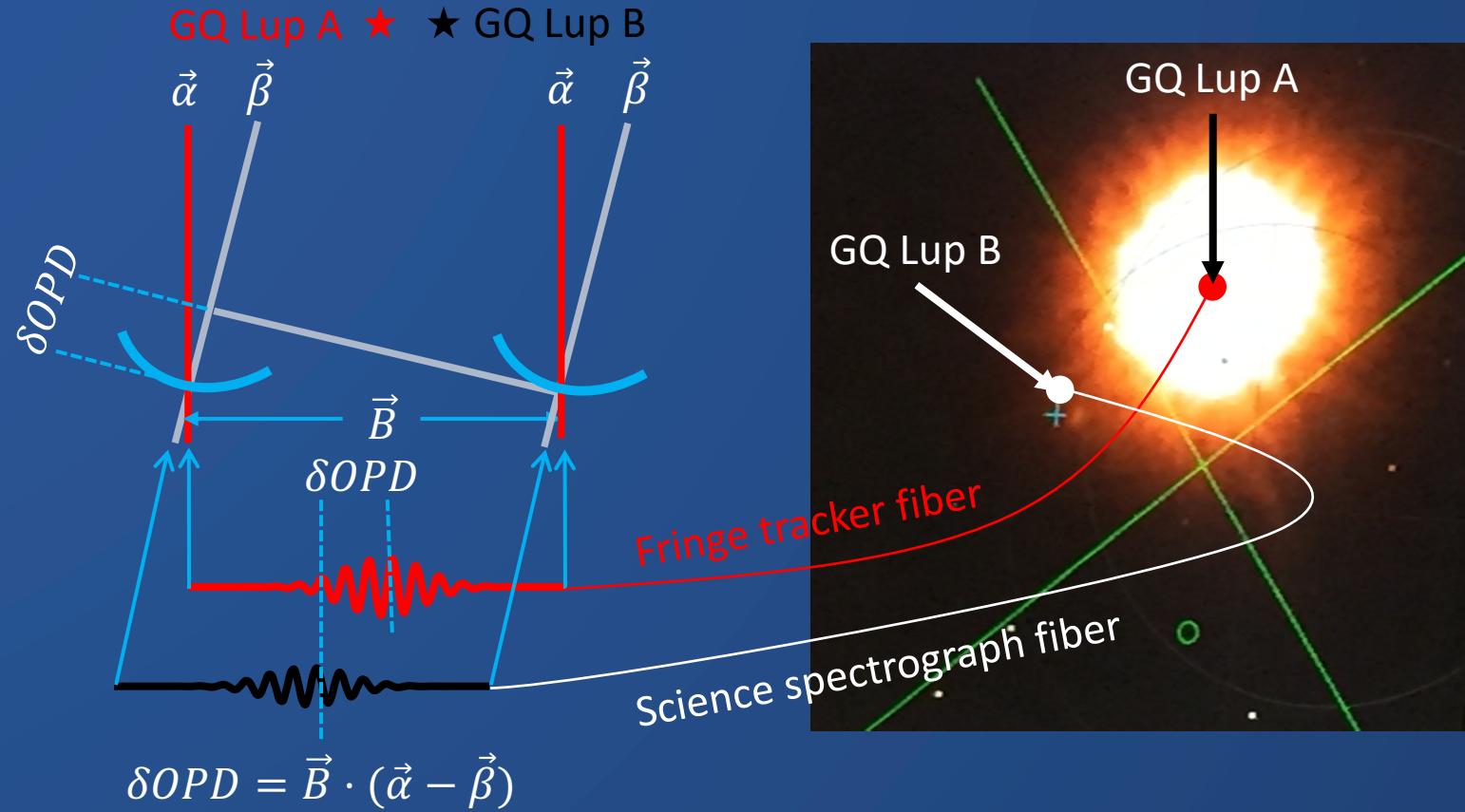
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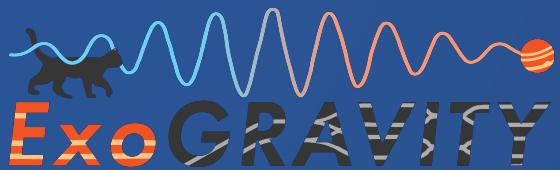
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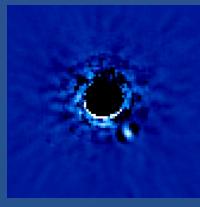
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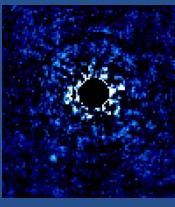
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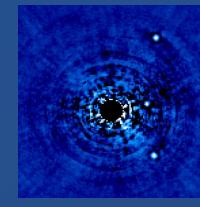
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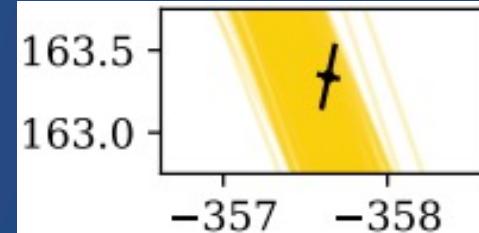


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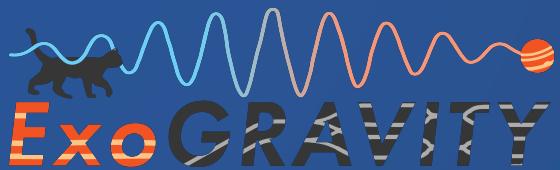
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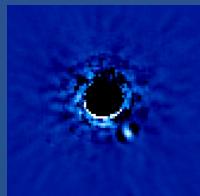


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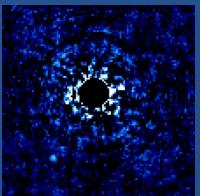
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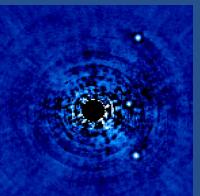
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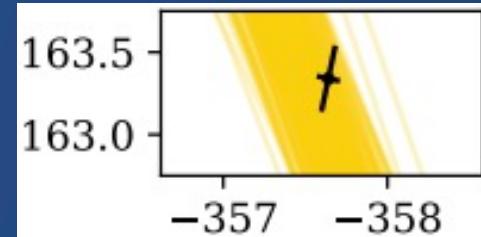


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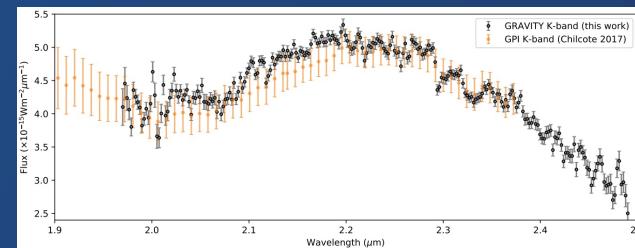
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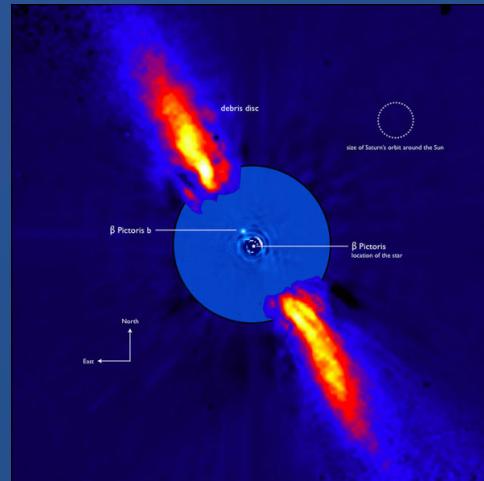
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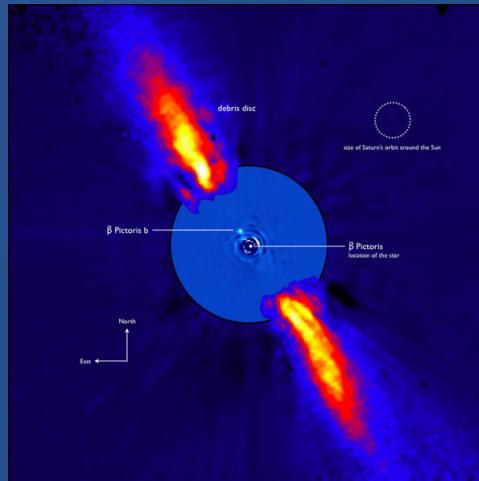
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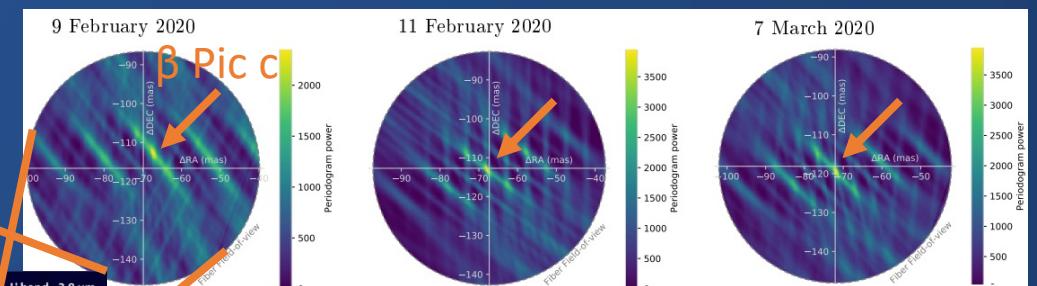
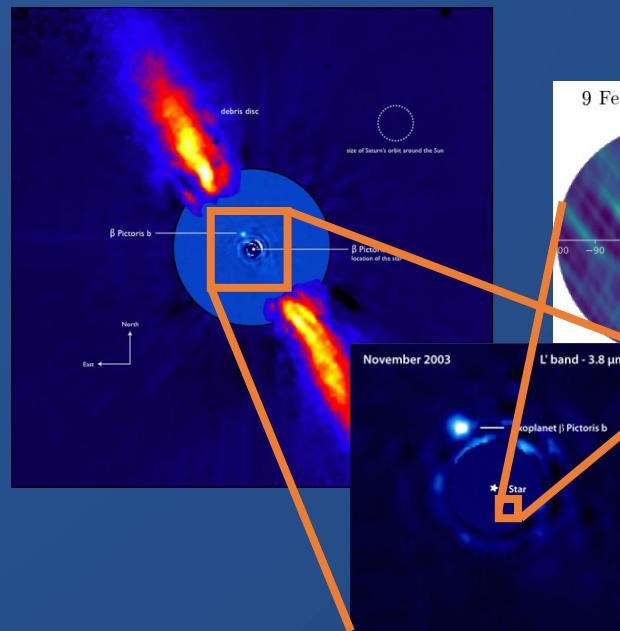
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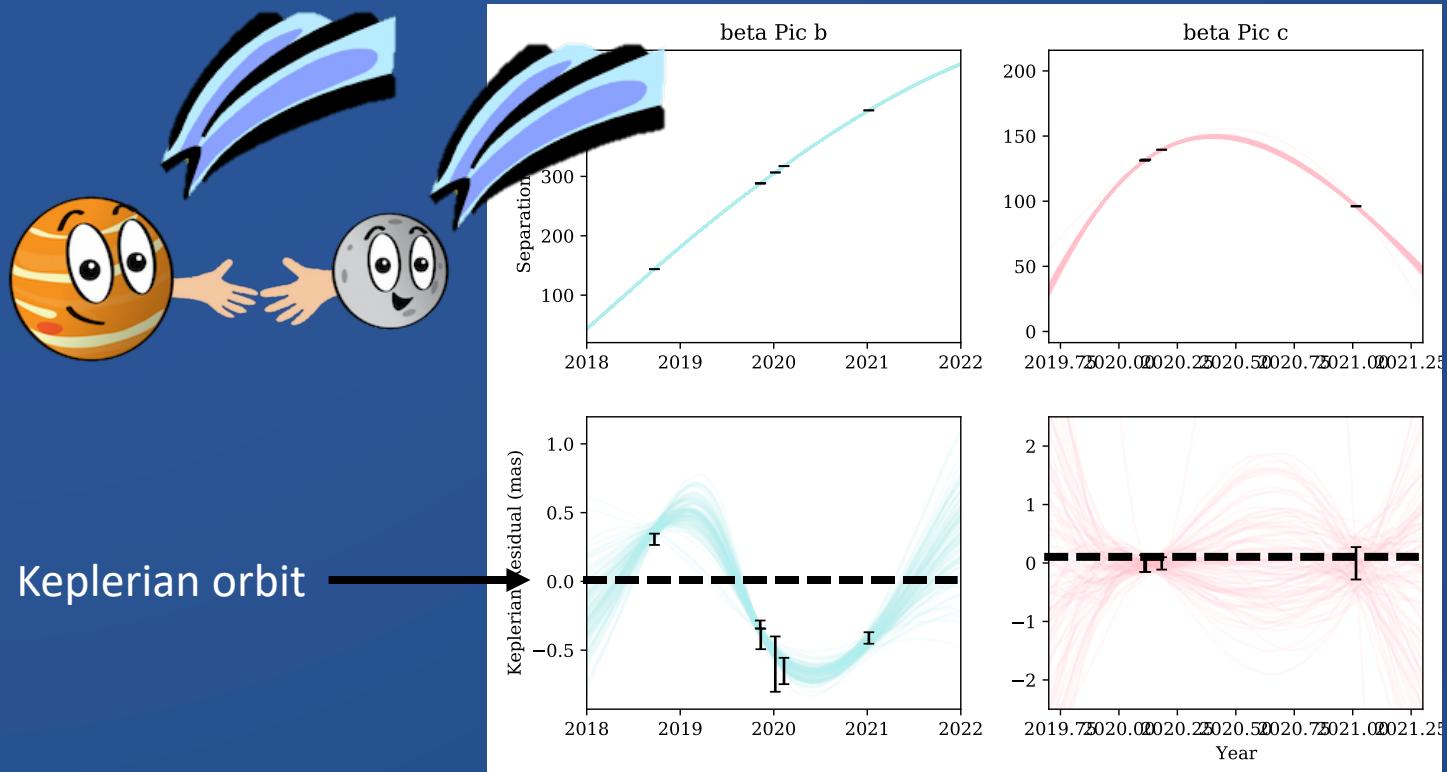


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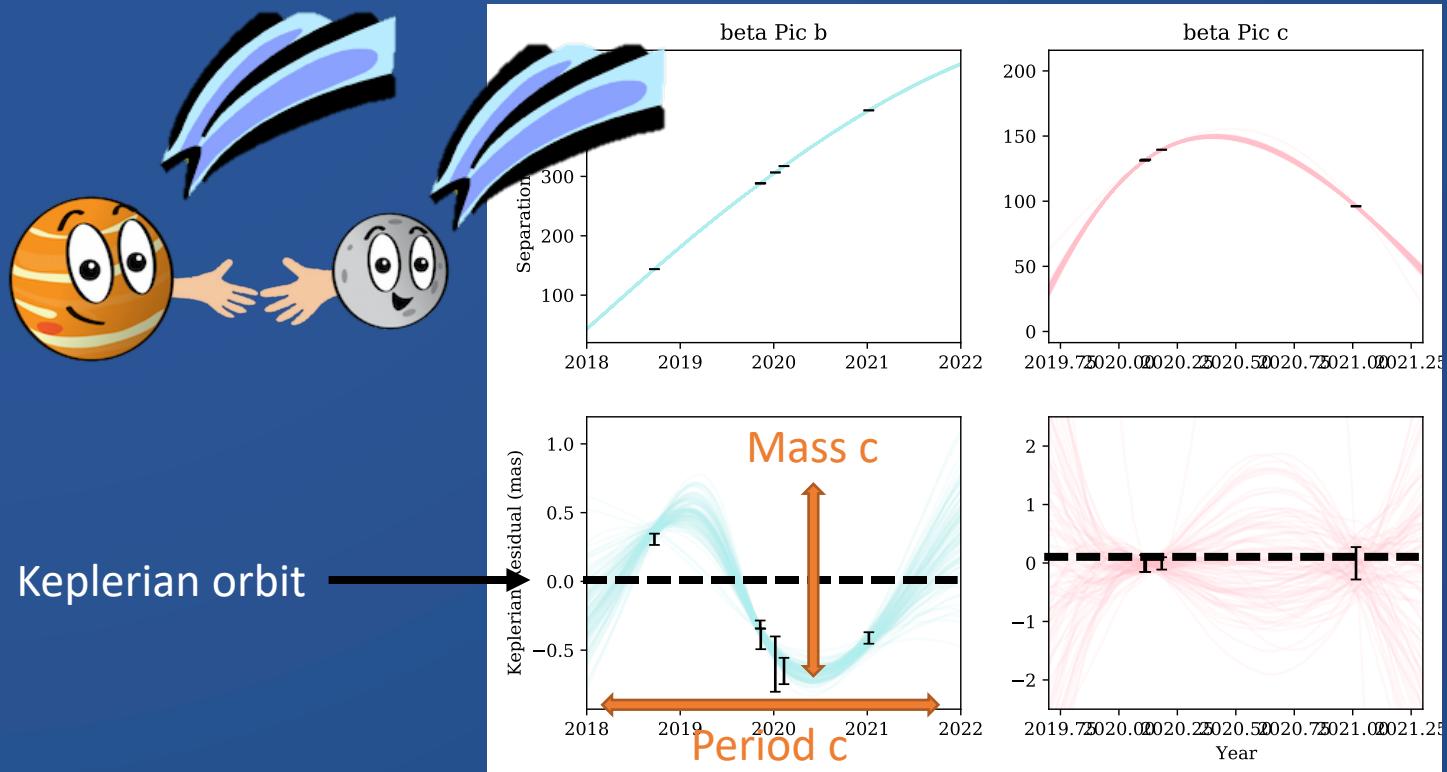
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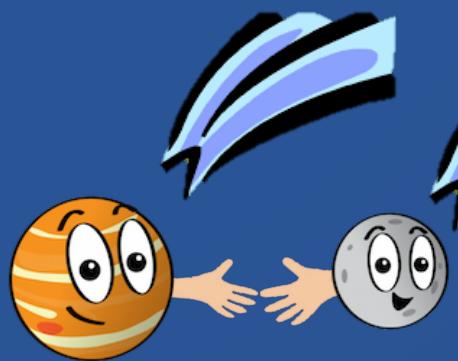
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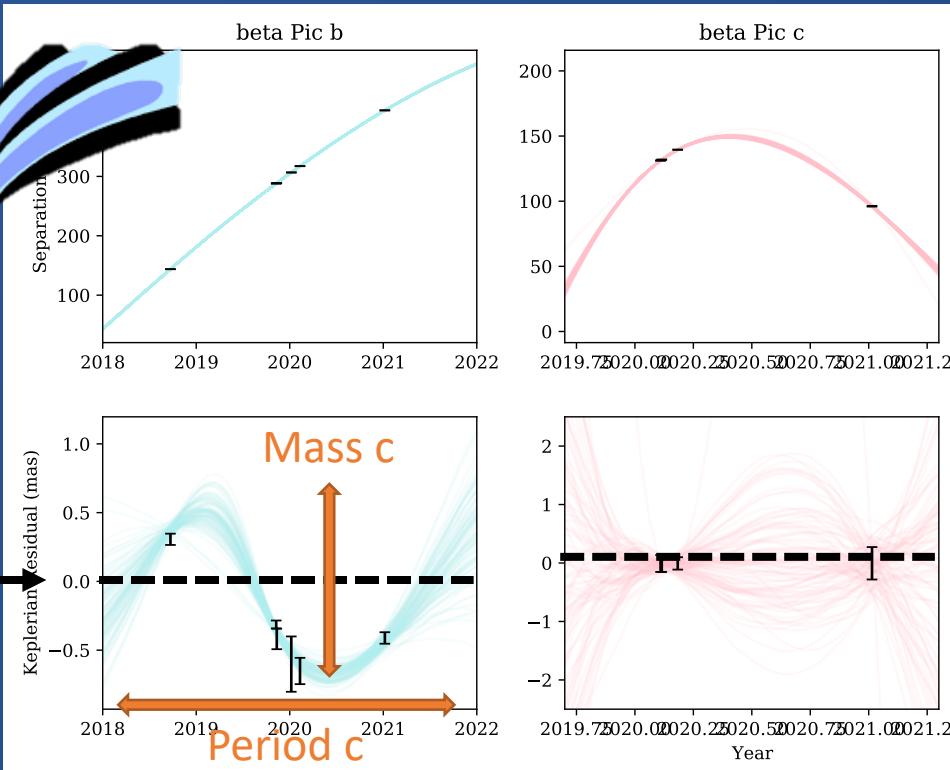
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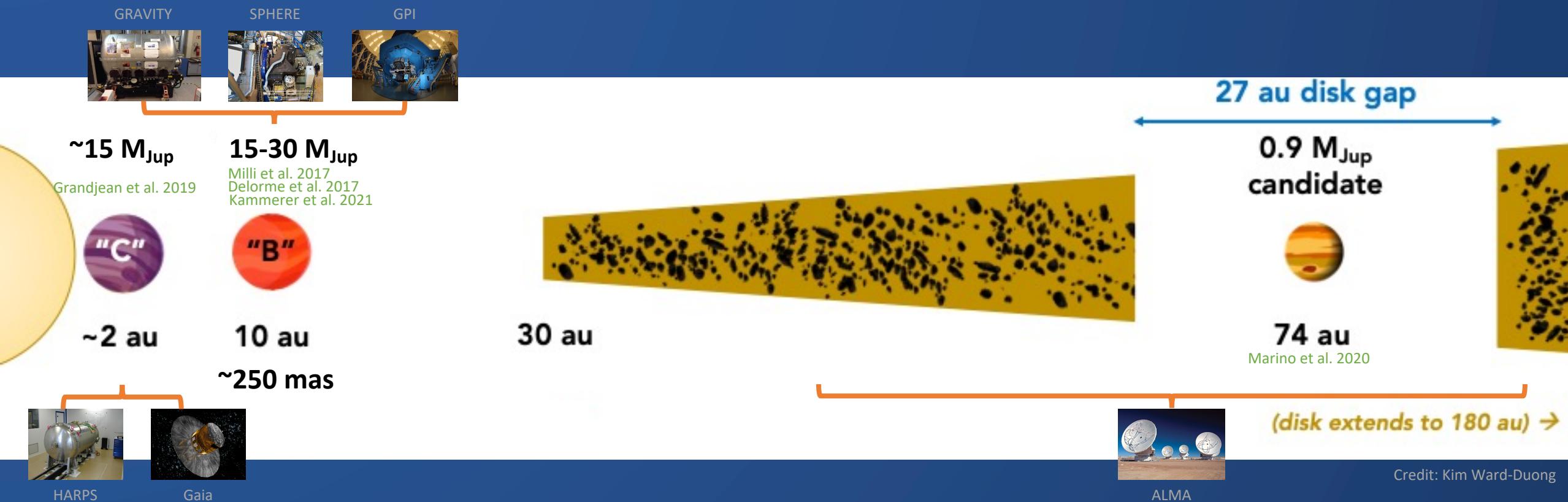
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Independent mass constraints
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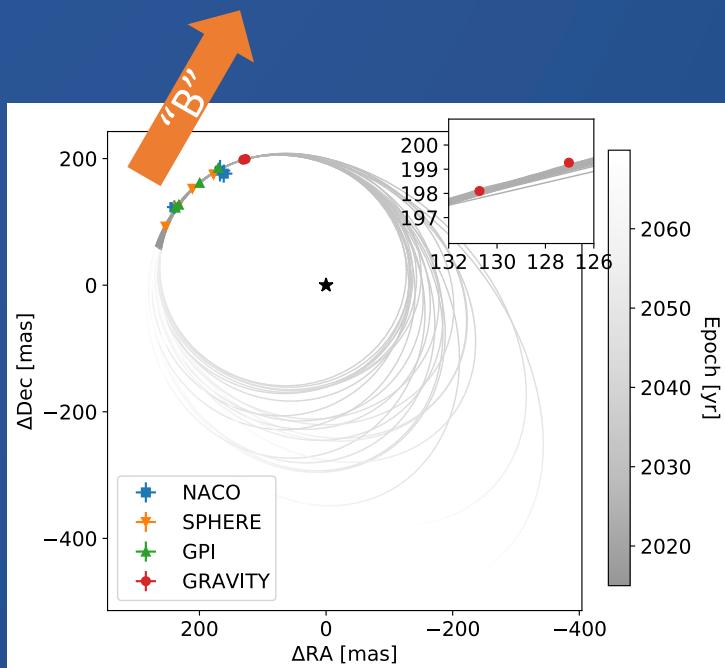
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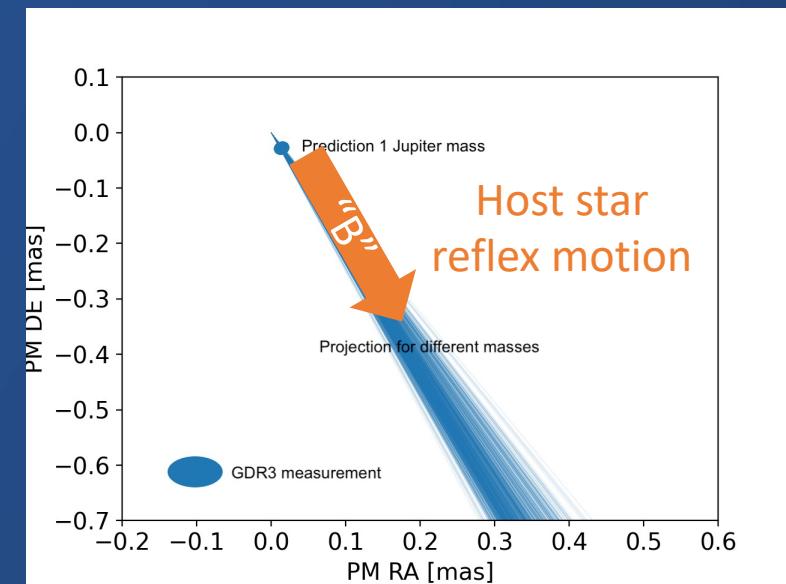
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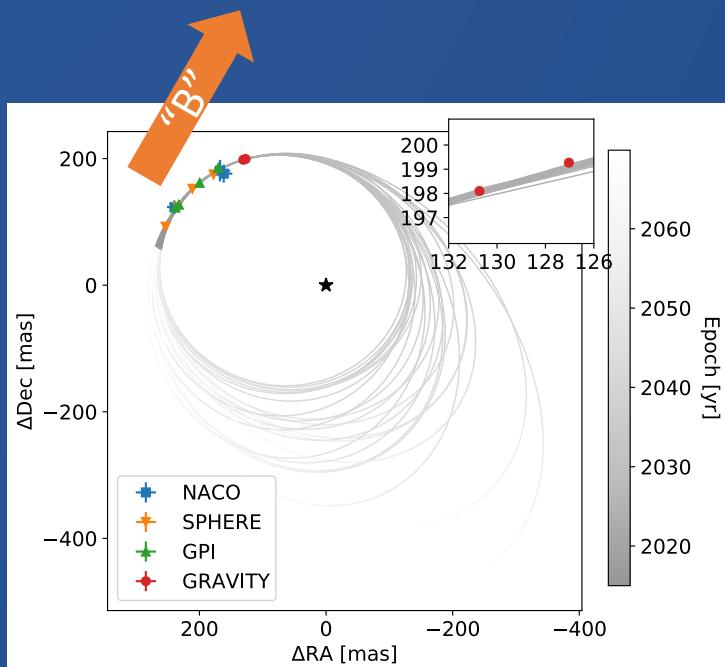
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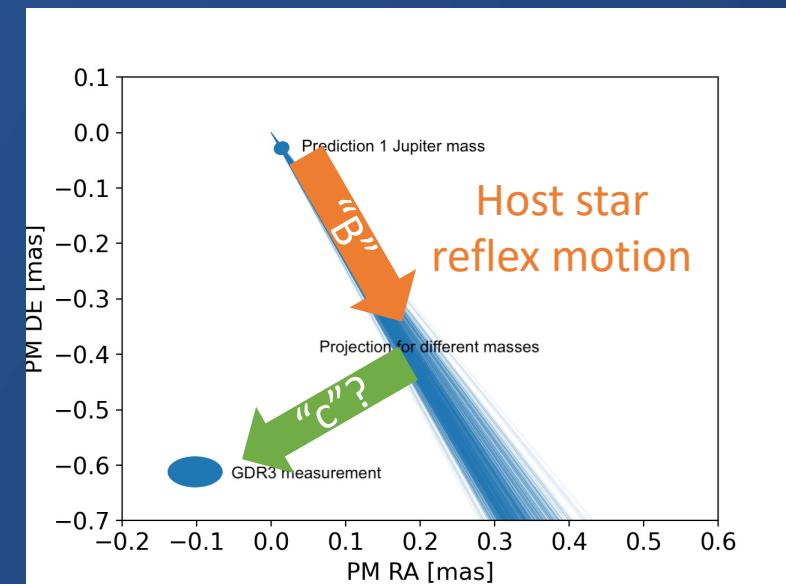
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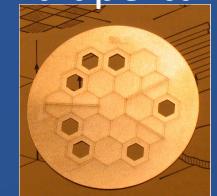
JWST

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Credit: NASA



JWST and aperture mask



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Gives access to small separations (70-400 mas)

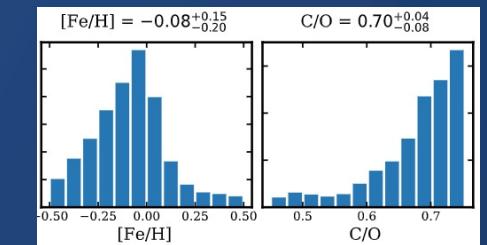
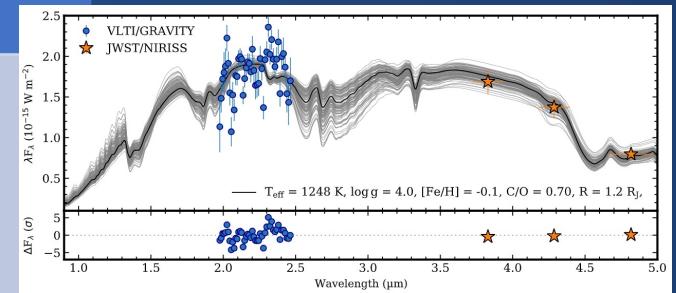
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- Cloud composition & origin

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- GO 2297
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- Formation signatures

Combine GRAVITY + JWST...



...get Fe/H and C/O constraints