

Planet Formation III

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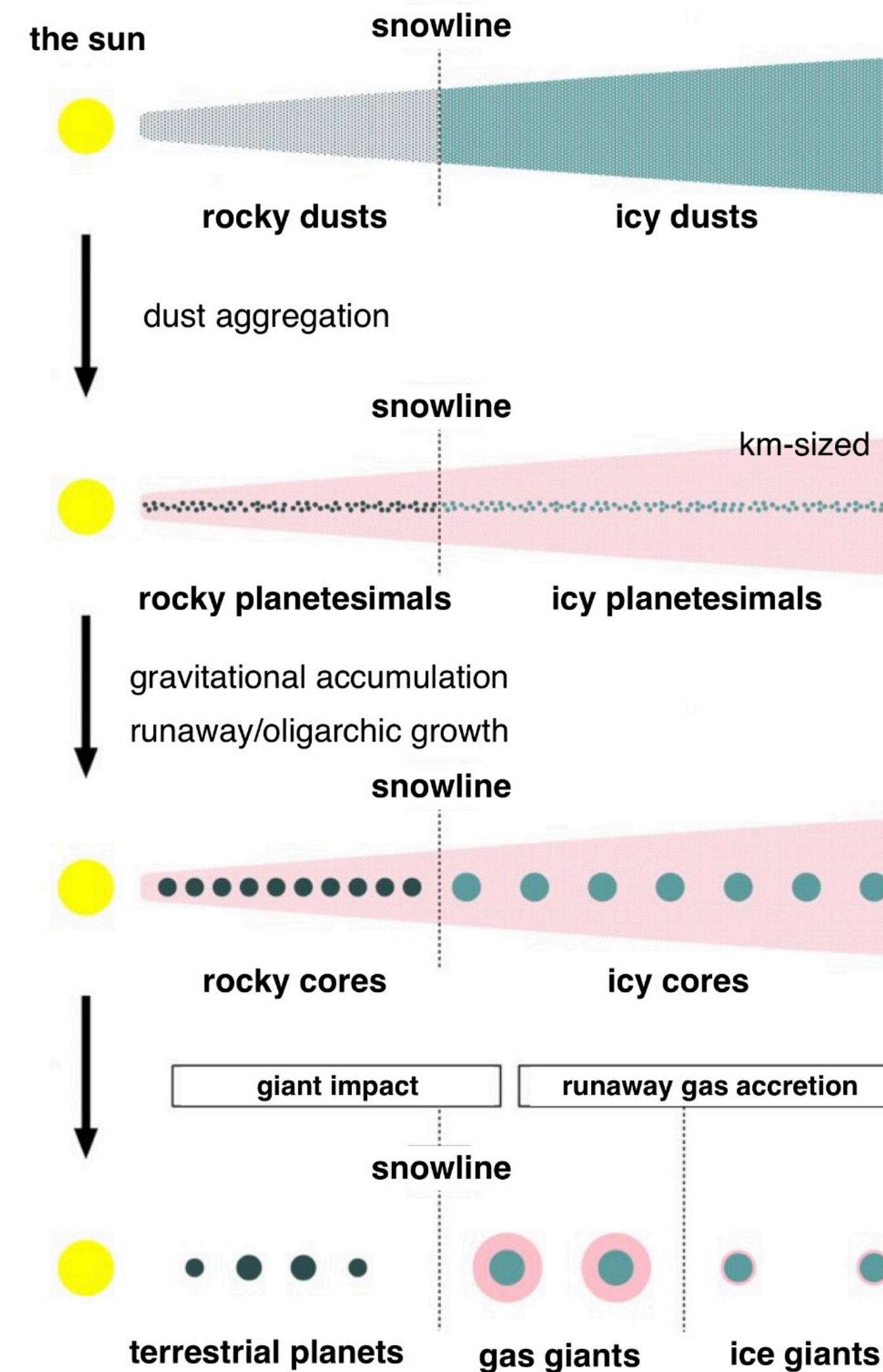
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Overview of topics on PLANET FORMATION

- ▶ Dust coagulation and dynamics
- ▶ Accretion of planetesimals/pebbles
- ▶ Formation of planets
 - Terrestrial planet formation
 - Giant planet formation
- ▶ Solar system formation
- ▶ Exoplanet formation (population synthesis)
- ▶ Disk-planet interactions



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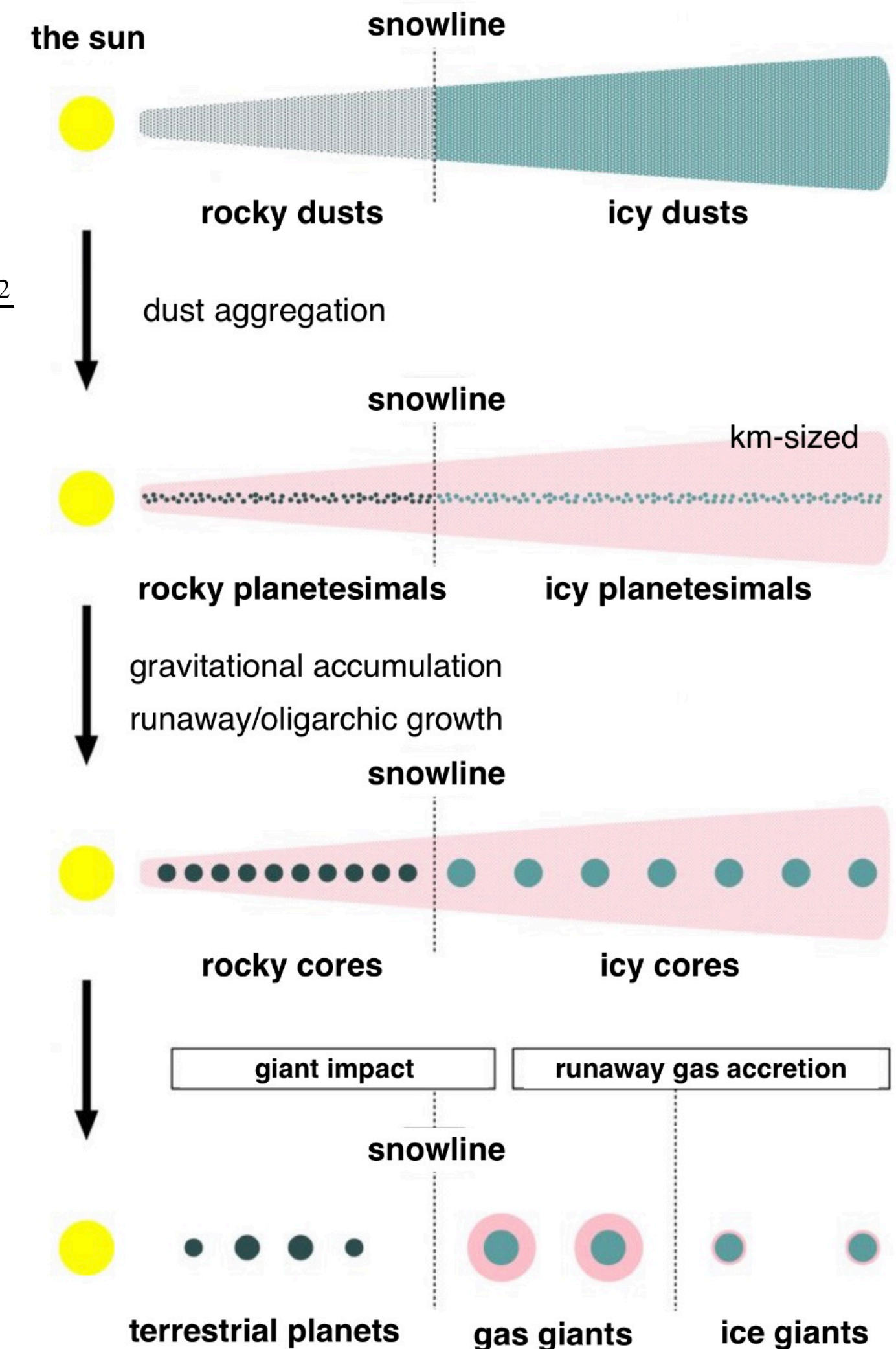
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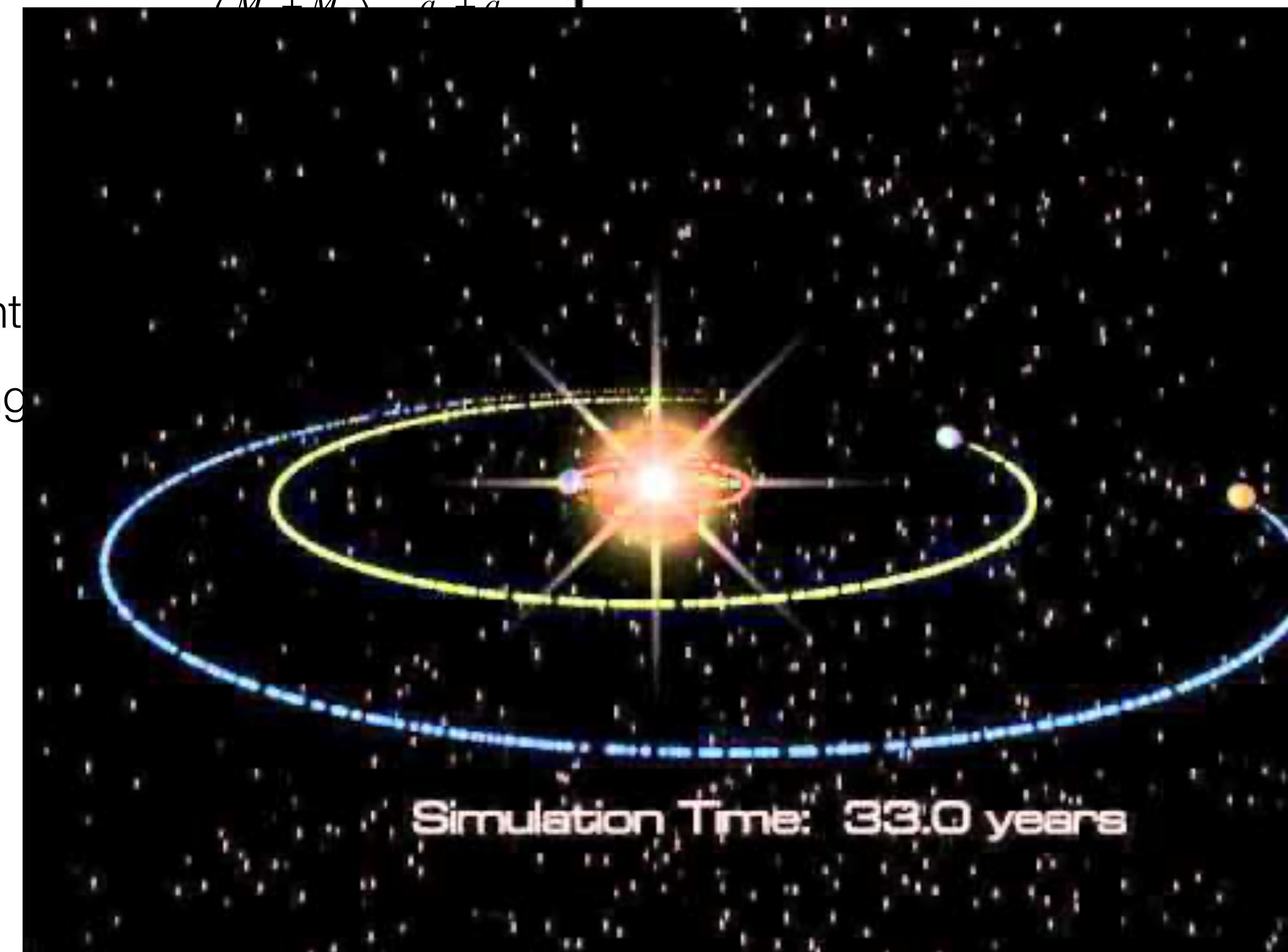
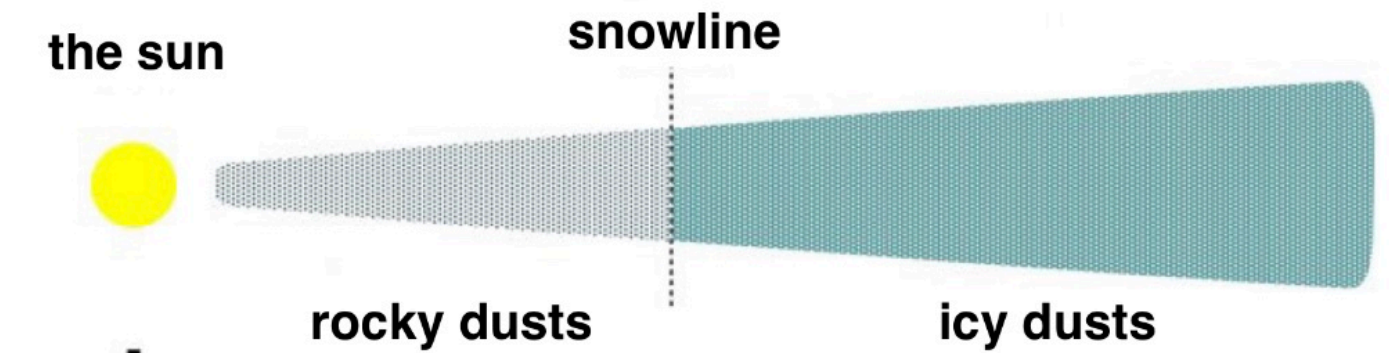
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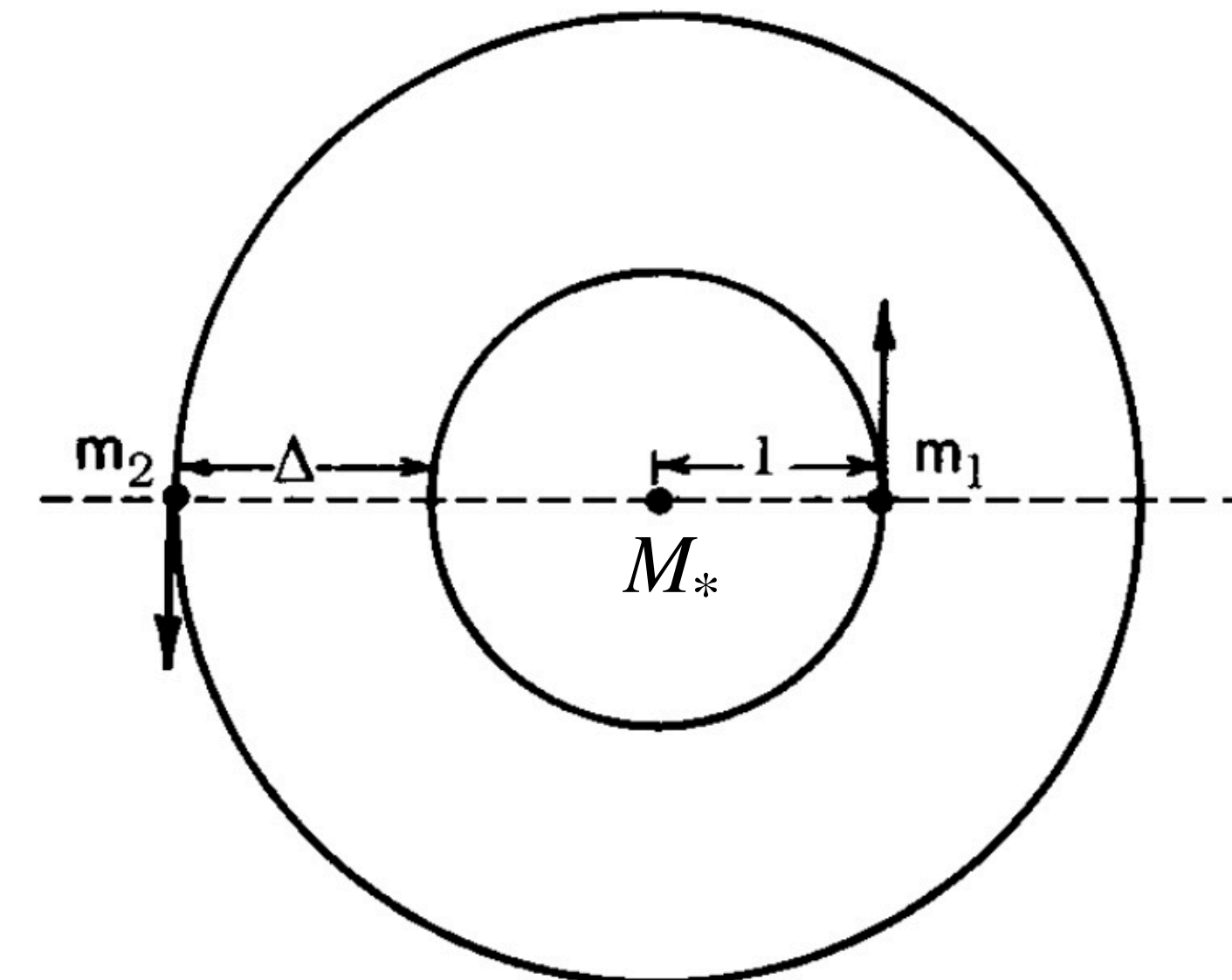
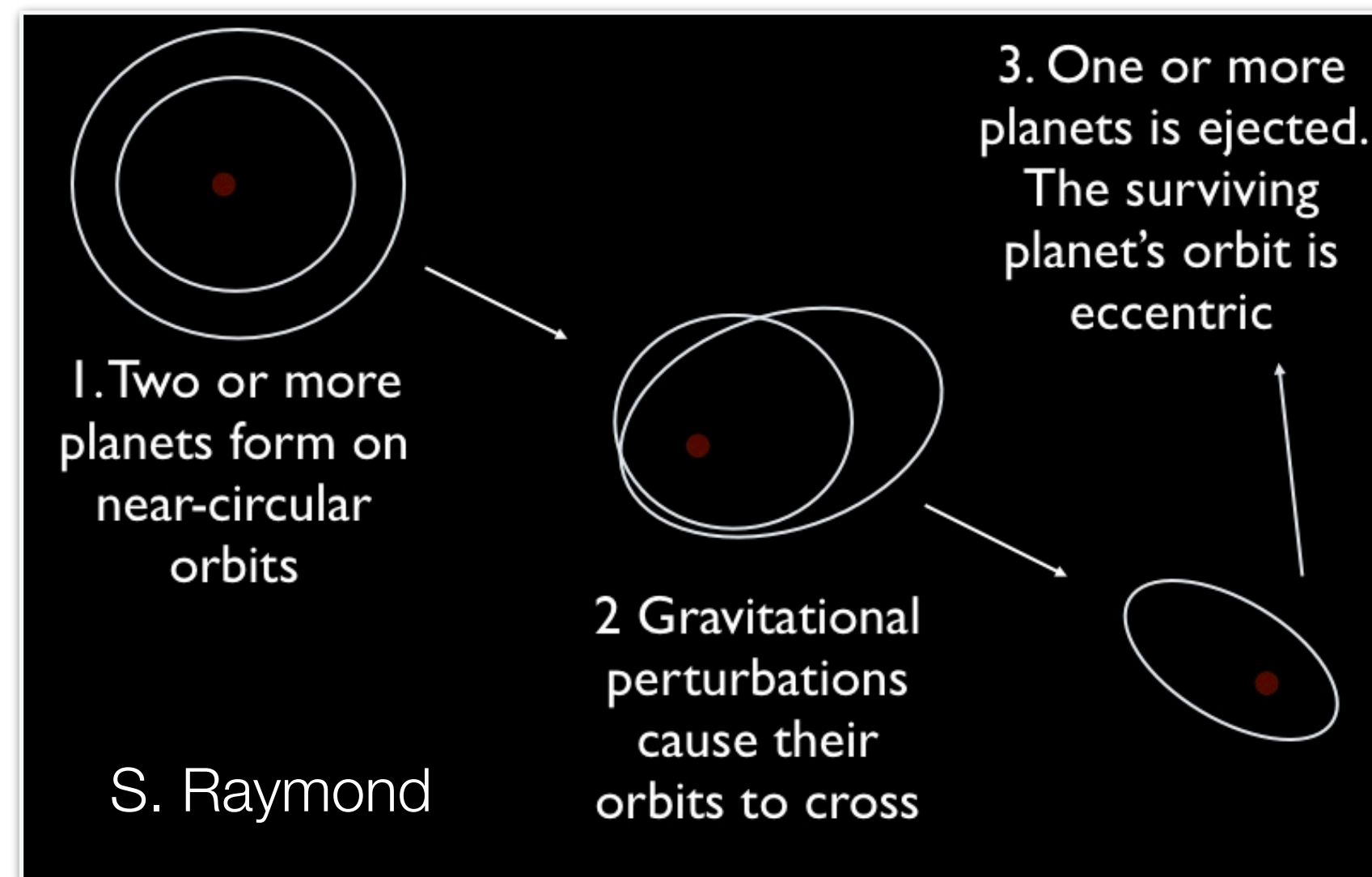


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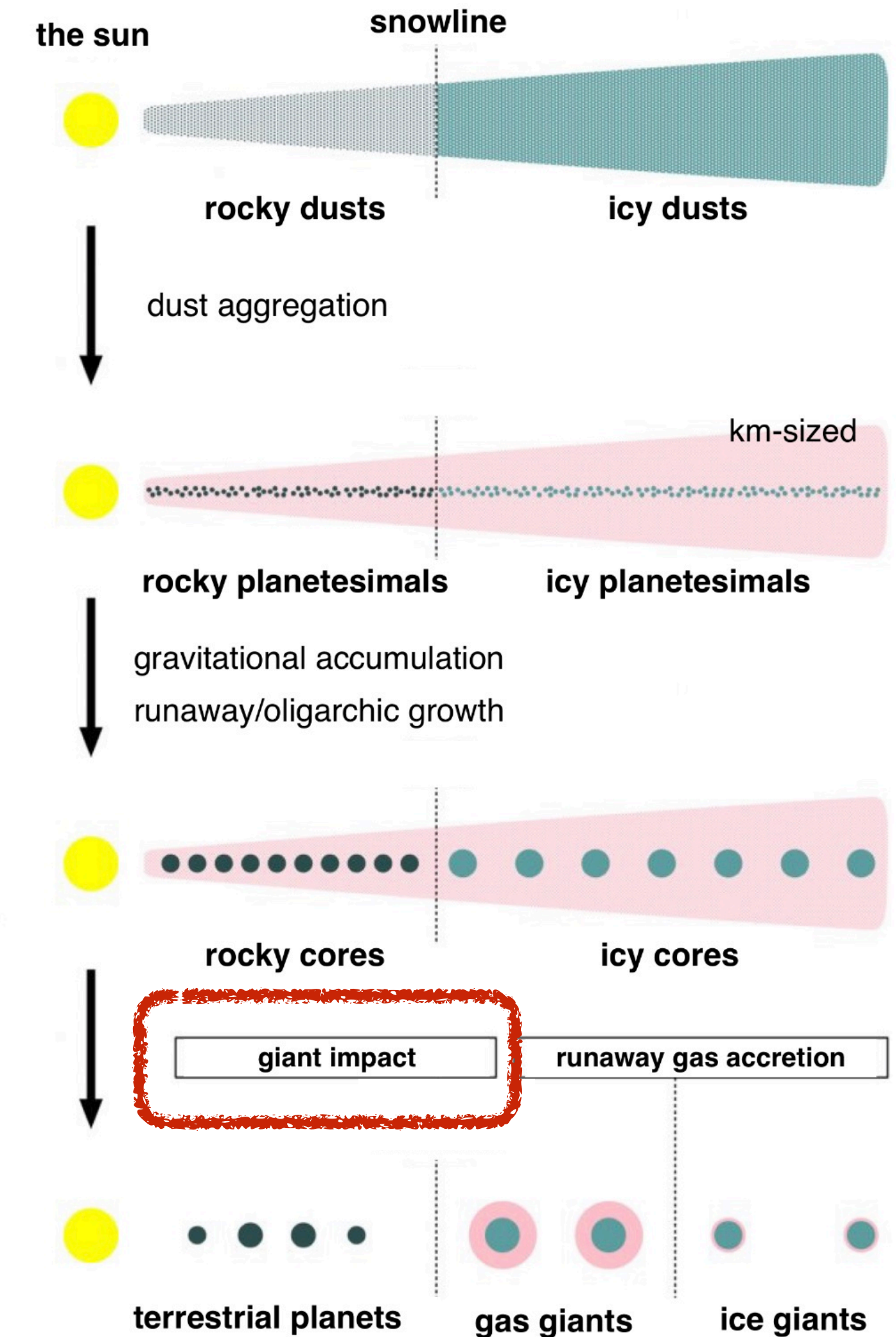
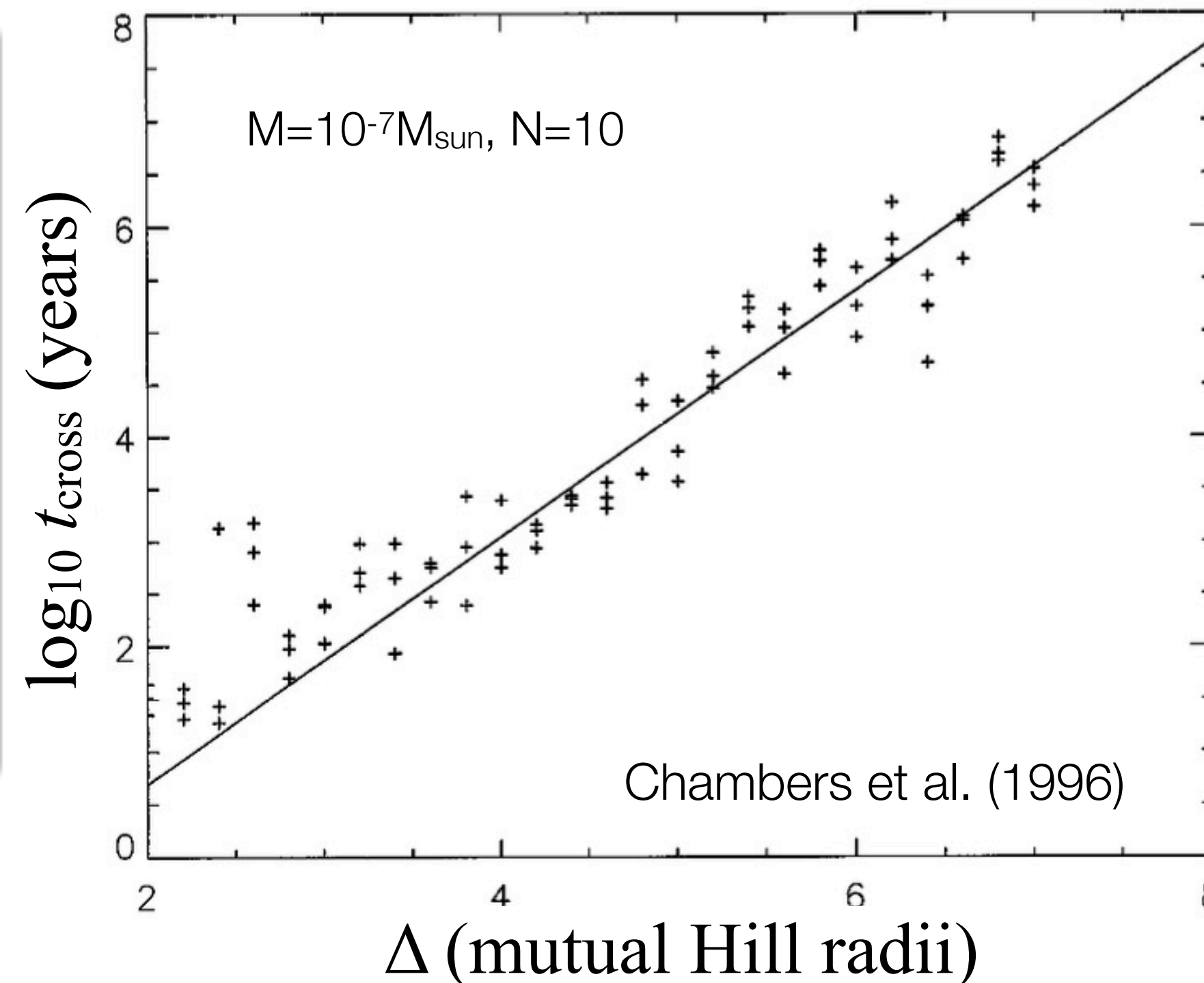
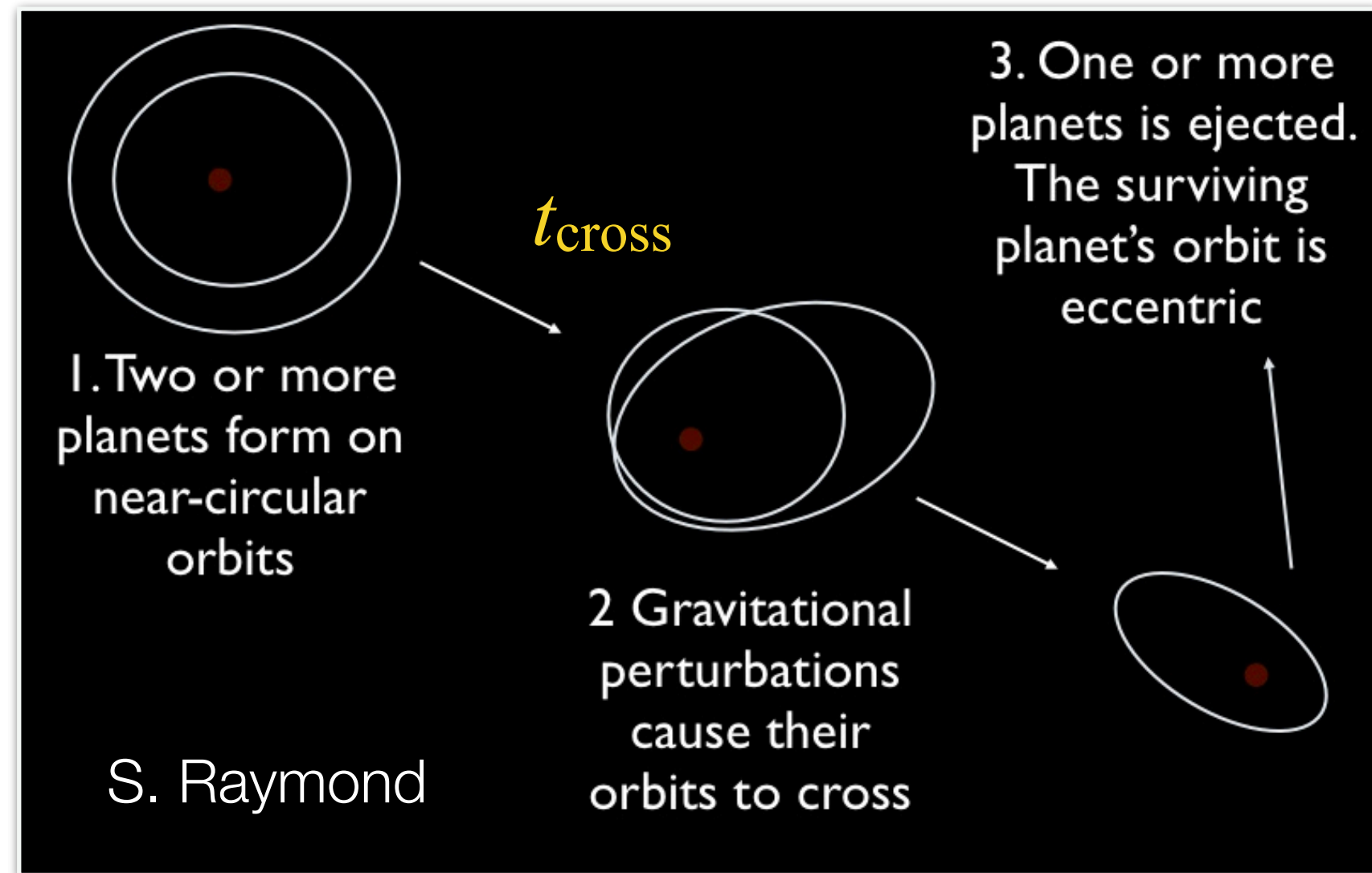
- ▶ A system with multiple planets becomes orbitally unstable (orbit crossing → collision, scattering) in a finite time
- ▶ If two planets have $e \sim i \sim 0$ and small M_p/M_{star} , they will not have a close encounter if their orbits are far enough apart

(Hill stability, Gladman 1993)

$$\Delta > 2.4 \left(\frac{M_1 + M_2}{M_*} \right)^{1/3} \left(\frac{a_1 + a_2}{2} \right) = 3.46 r_H \quad r_H = \left(\frac{M_1 + M_2}{3M_*} \right)^{1/3} \frac{a_1 + a_2}{2}$$



Stability of planetary system: Orbit crossing time



- ▶ Dynamical instability ← measured by the orbit crossing time, t_{cross}
- ▶ The degree of system instability depends on the properties of the system (eg, N , M , Δa , e) (e.g., Chambers et al. 1996, Yoshinaga et al. 1999, Zhou et al. 2007)

Stability of planetary system: Effects of gas damping

- ▶ Another condition of orbital instability: orbit crossing time < eccentricity damping time by gas (Iwasaki et al. 2002)

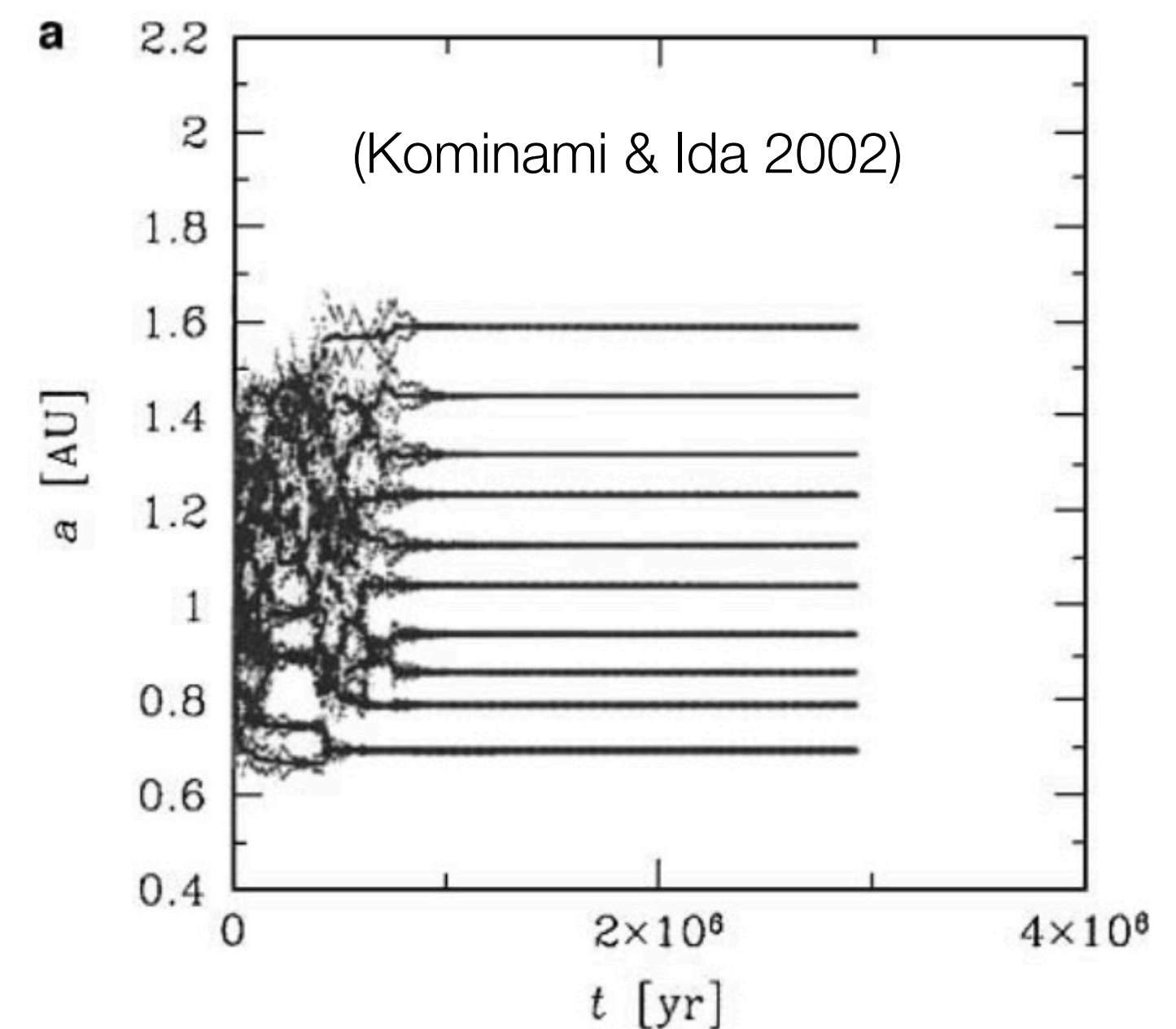
$$t_{\text{cross}} < t_{\text{wave}} = \left(\frac{M}{M_*}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{\Sigma_g r^2}{M_*}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{H}{r}\right)^4 \Omega^{-1} = 240 f_g \left(\frac{M}{M_\oplus}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{r}{1 \text{ au}}\right)^2 \text{ yr}$$

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$$f_g < 10^{-3} \left(\frac{t_{\text{cross}}}{1 \text{ Myr}}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{M}{0.1 M_\oplus}\right)^{-1} \left(\frac{r}{1 \text{ au}}\right)^2 \text{ yr}$$

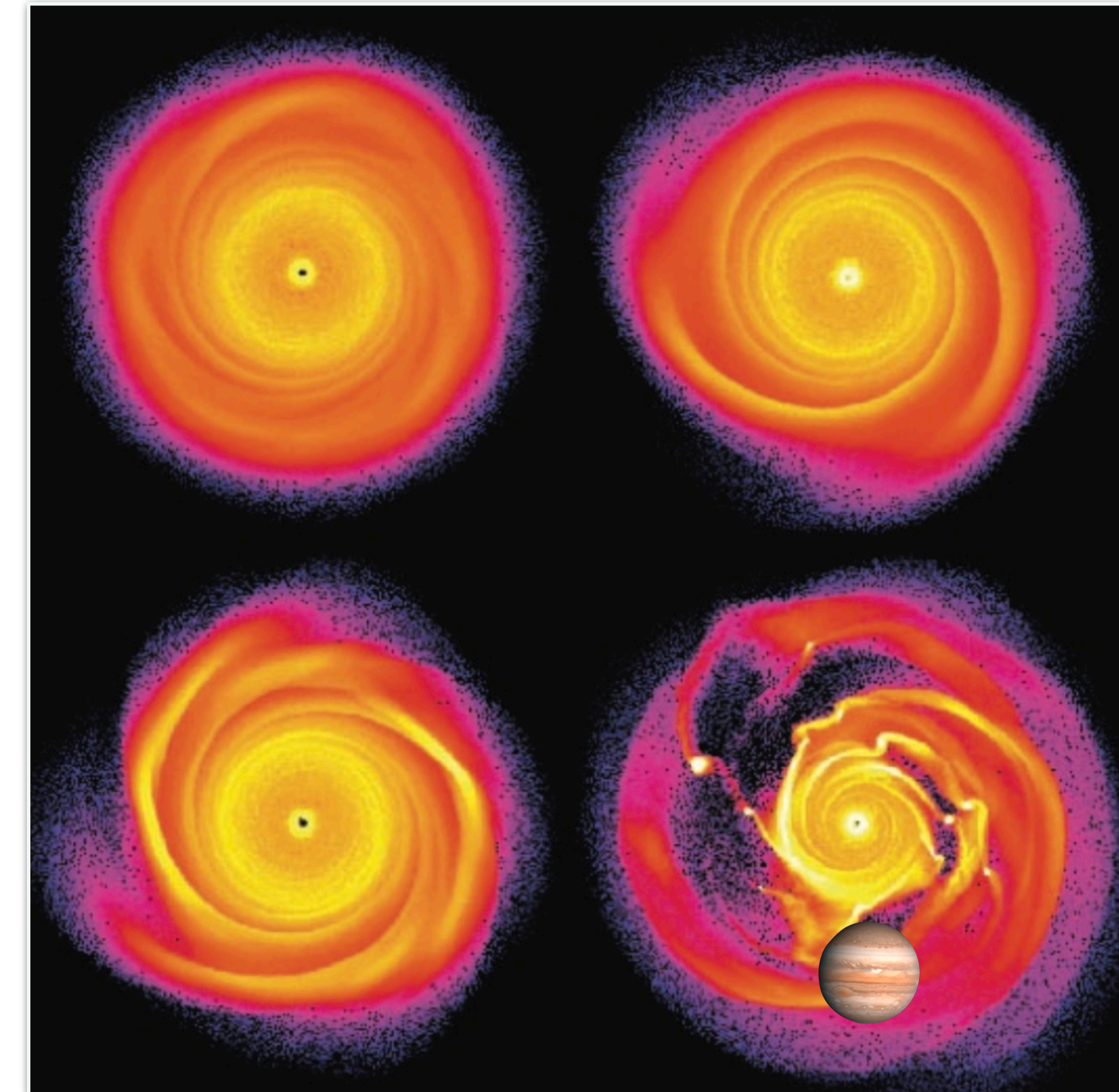
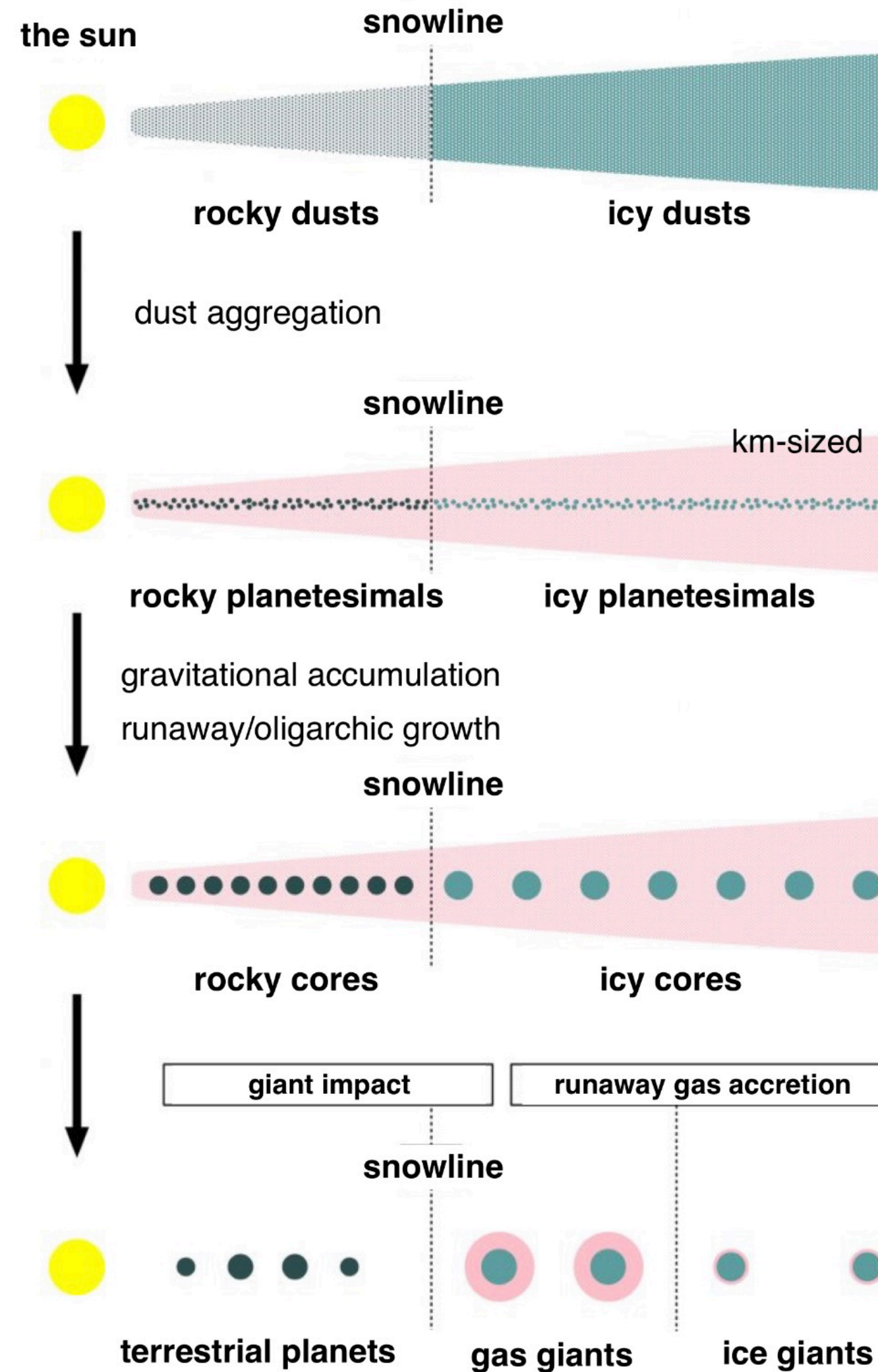
$$M \sim 0.5 M_\oplus, N=10, \Delta=8 \text{ Hill radii} \rightarrow t_{\text{cross}} \sim 0.1 \text{ Myr} \sim t_{\text{wave}} \sim 0.1 \text{ Myr}$$

- ▶ Dynamical instability requires gas dissipation (not necessarily complete)



Giant planets

- ▶ Next we see formation of giant planets
- ▶ Two models
- ▶ Core accretion (eg, Mizuno 1980)
- ▶ Disk instability
(eg, Cameron 1978; Boss 2003)



(Mayer et al. 2002)

Giant planets: Core accretion

▶ Large planets in the disk can gravitationally accrete an atmosphere

▶ A planet can have an atmosphere:

the kinetic energy of atmosphere < the gravitational potential of planet

$$c_s^2/2$$

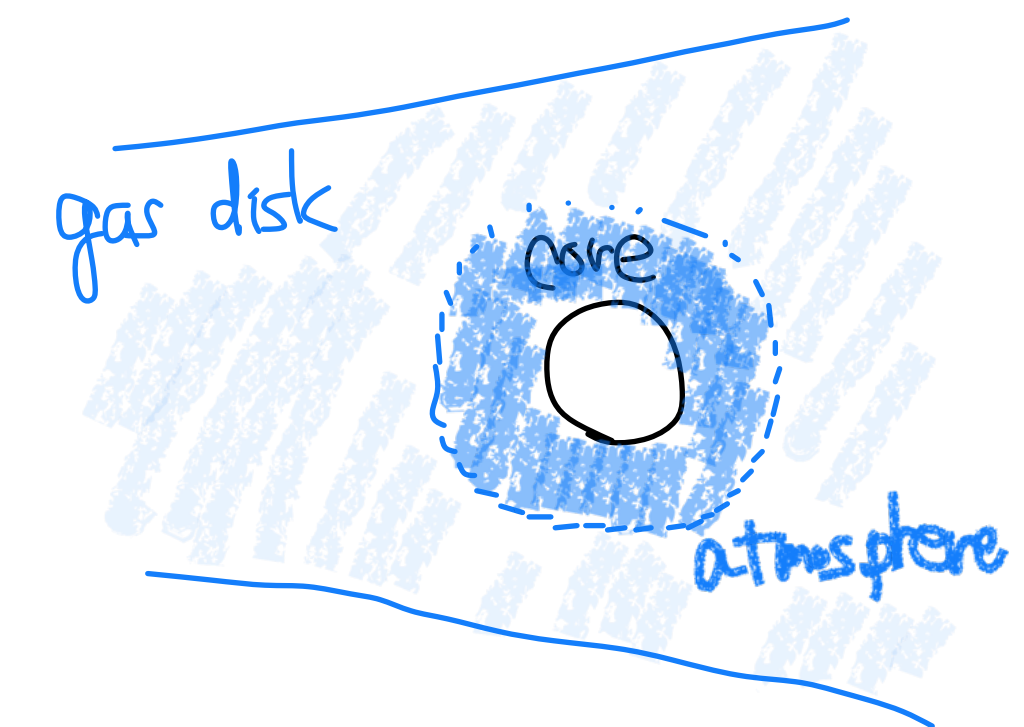
$$GM/R$$

▶ **Bondi radius:** Radius at which the two are balanced

▶ Minimum planetary mass that can have the atmosphere:

Bondi radius $R_B >$ planetary radius R

▶ For $T=300\text{K}$, planets with masses of about $0.01M_\oplus \sim$ Moon can have atmospheres



$$R_B = \frac{GM}{c_s^2} \simeq 3.3 \times 10^5 \left(\frac{M}{M_\oplus} \right) \left(\frac{T}{300 \text{ K}} \right)^{-1} \text{ km}$$

$$R = 7.8 \times 10^3 \left(\frac{M}{M_\oplus} \right)^{1/3} \left(\frac{\rho}{3 \text{ g/cm}^3} \right)^{-1/3} \text{ km}$$

Giant planets: Core accretion

- ▶ Condition to maintain stable equilibrium atmospheric structure:

the expansion due to pressure gradient = the gravity

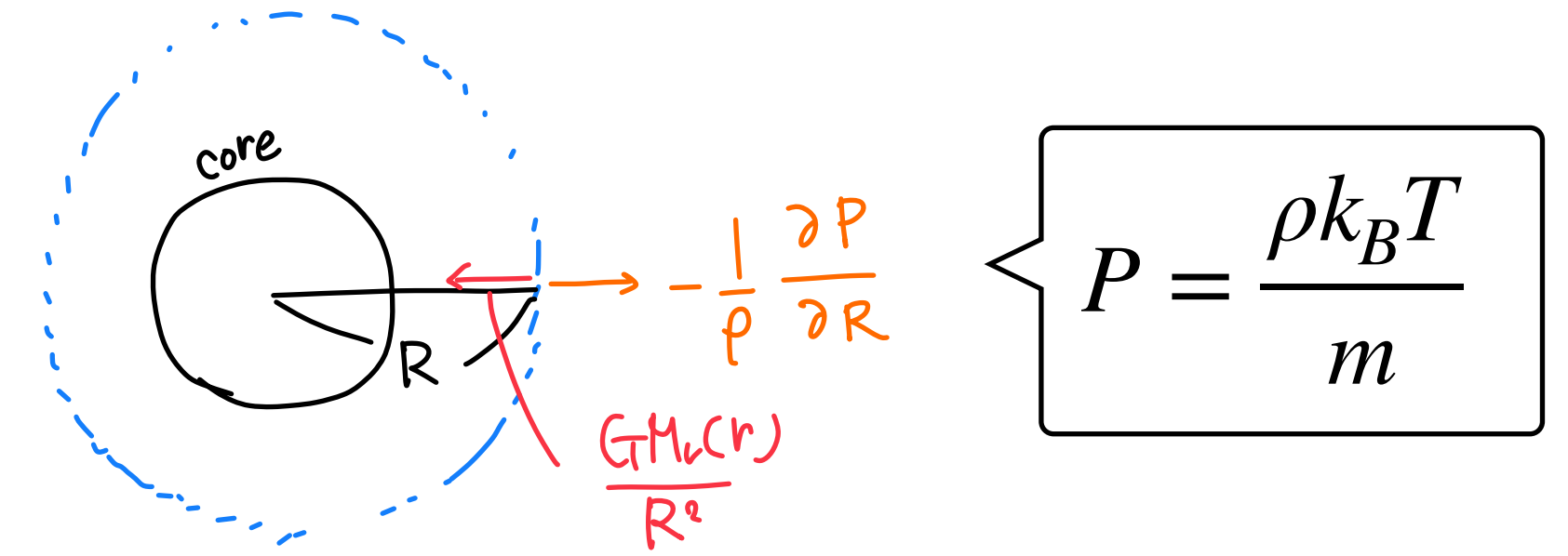
$$(1/\rho)\partial P/\partial r$$

$$GM_r/R^2$$

- ▶ If the core is too massive, there is no equilibrium solution
- ▶ **Critical core mass:** Upper limit mass with equilibrium atmosphere
- ▶ The pressure gradient is affected by the accretion heating

- ▶ Gas accretion rate (quasi-static):
- ▶ Gas inflow rate to the planet beyond the critical core mass is determined by the gravitational contraction of the atmosphere
- ▶ **Kelvin-Helmholtz time:** Total energy / energy radiation rate

- ▶ The accretion ends when the gas supply ends (disk dissipation)



$$M_{\text{crit}} \sim 10 \left(\frac{\dot{M}}{1 M_{\oplus}/\text{Myr}} \right)^{(0.2\sim 0.3)} \left(\frac{\kappa}{1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}} \right)^{(0.2\sim 0.3)} M_{\oplus}$$

$$t_{\text{KH}} \sim 10^7 \left(\frac{M}{10 M_{\oplus}} \right)^{-(2.3\sim 4)} \left(\frac{\kappa}{1 \text{ cm}^2/\text{g}} \right) \text{ yr}$$

Giant planets: Disk instability

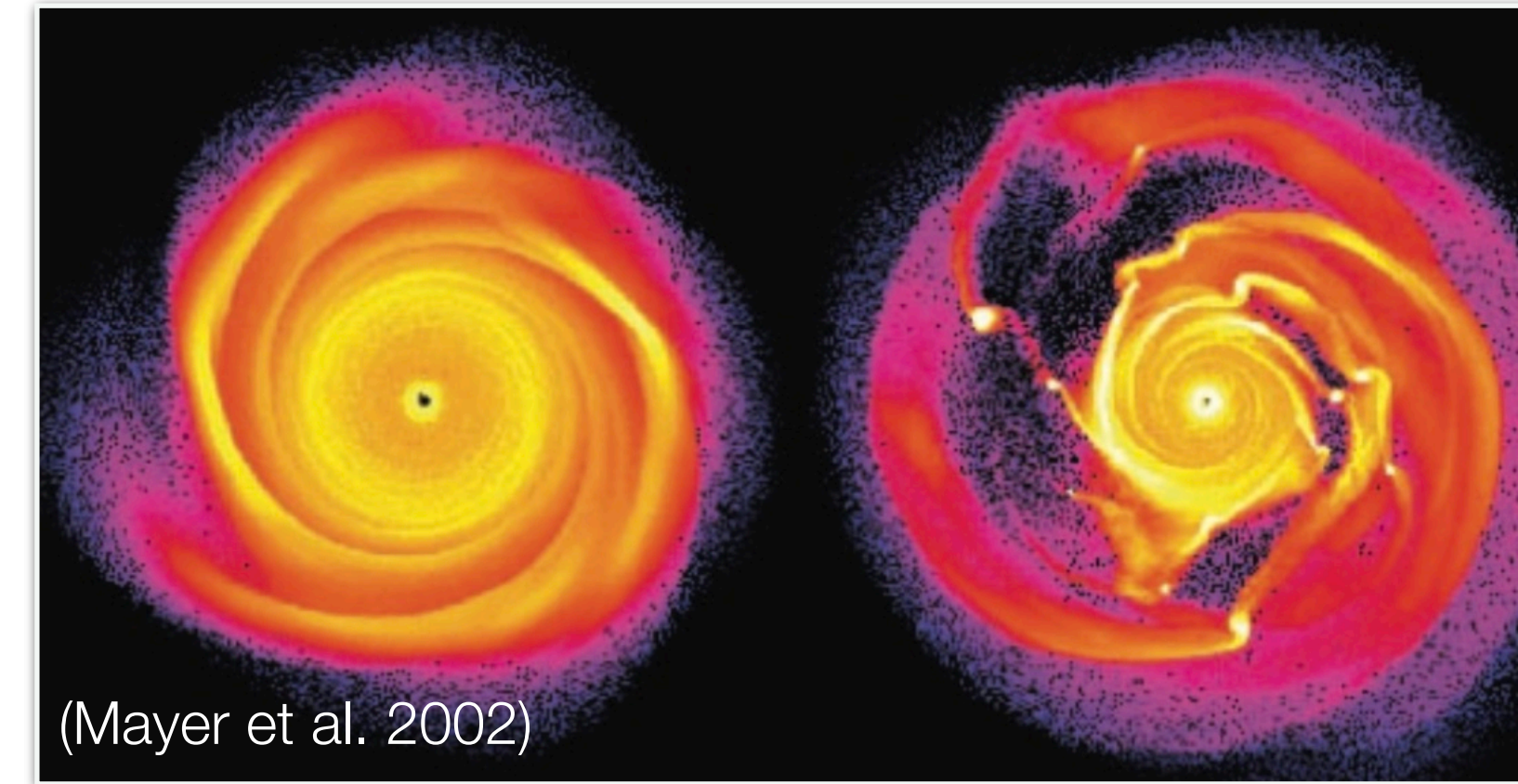
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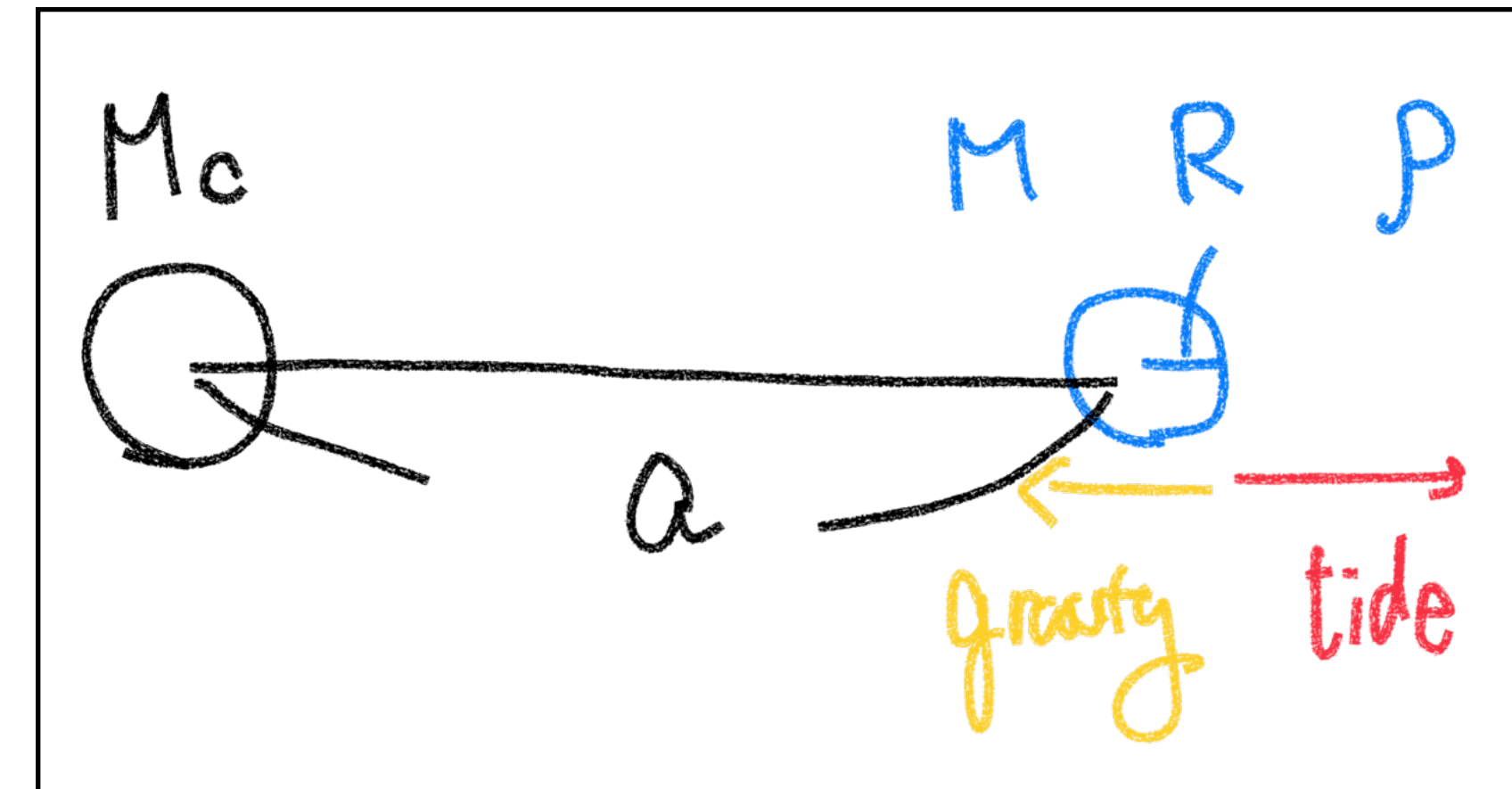
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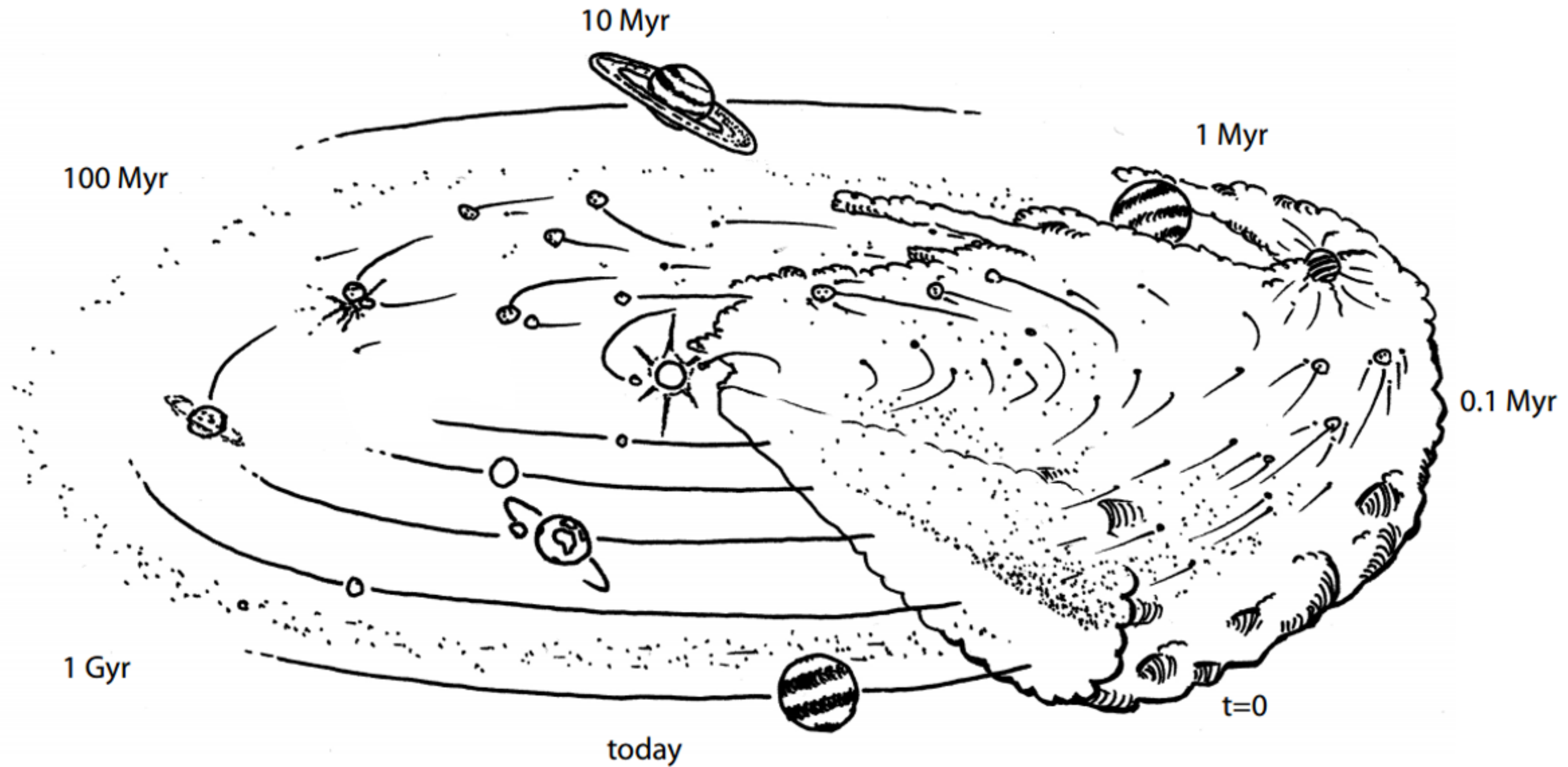
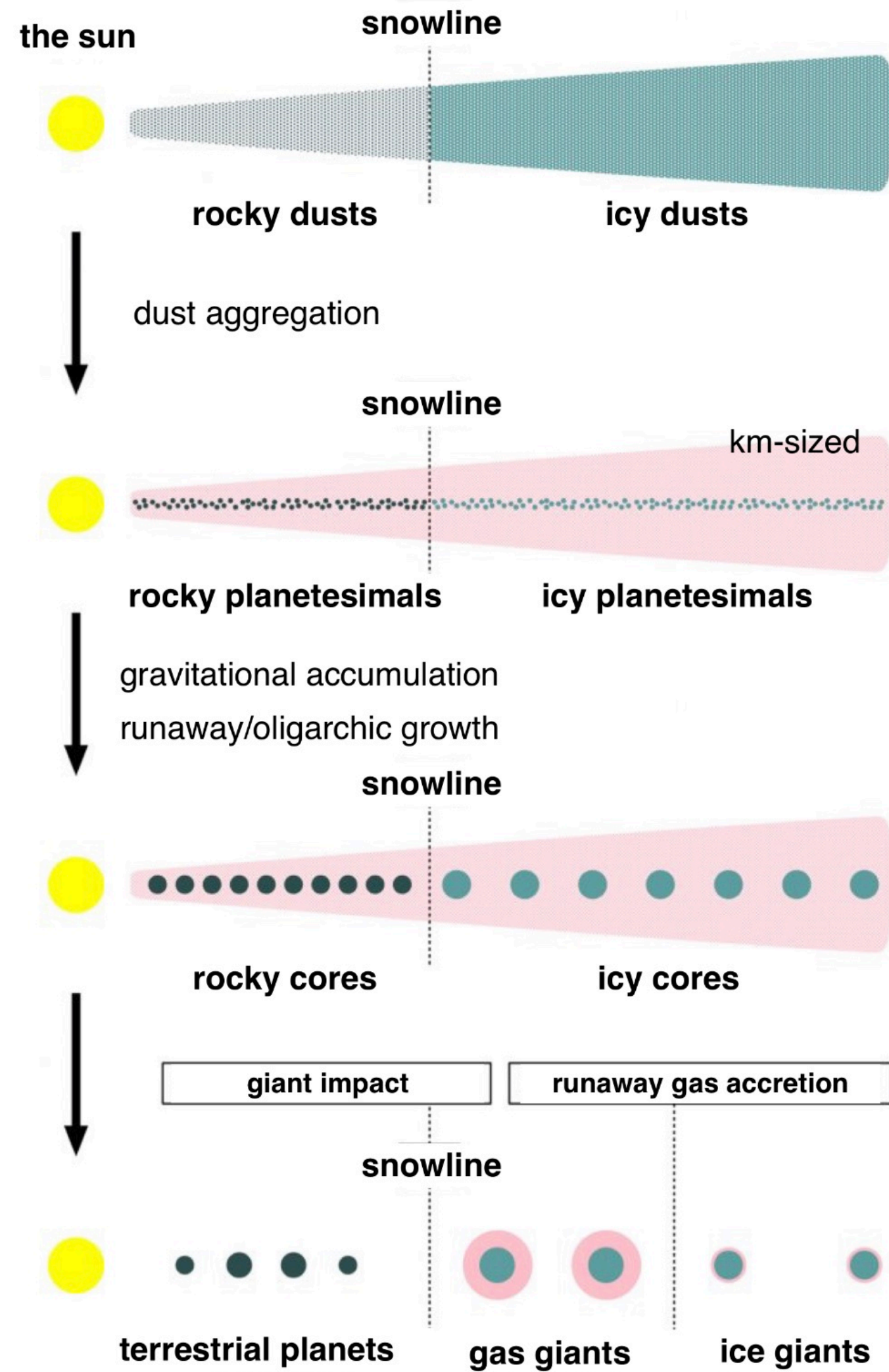
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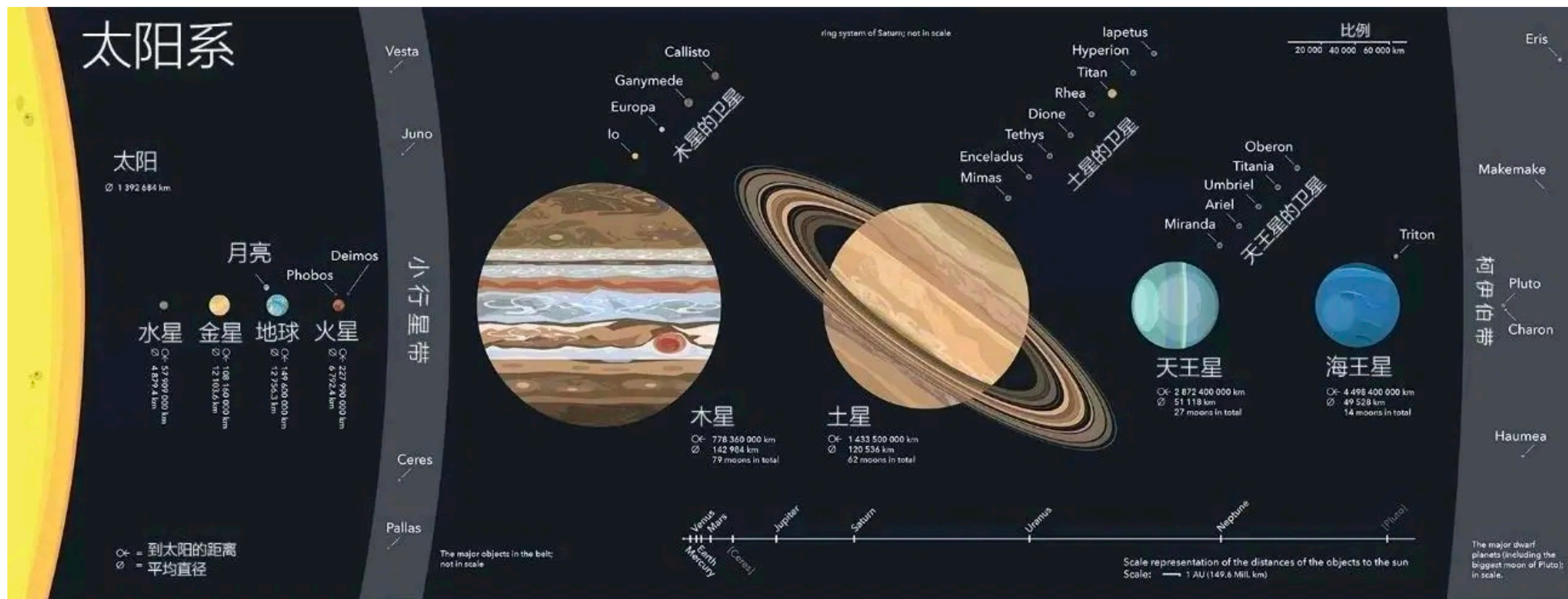
Summary





Solar system formation models and simulations

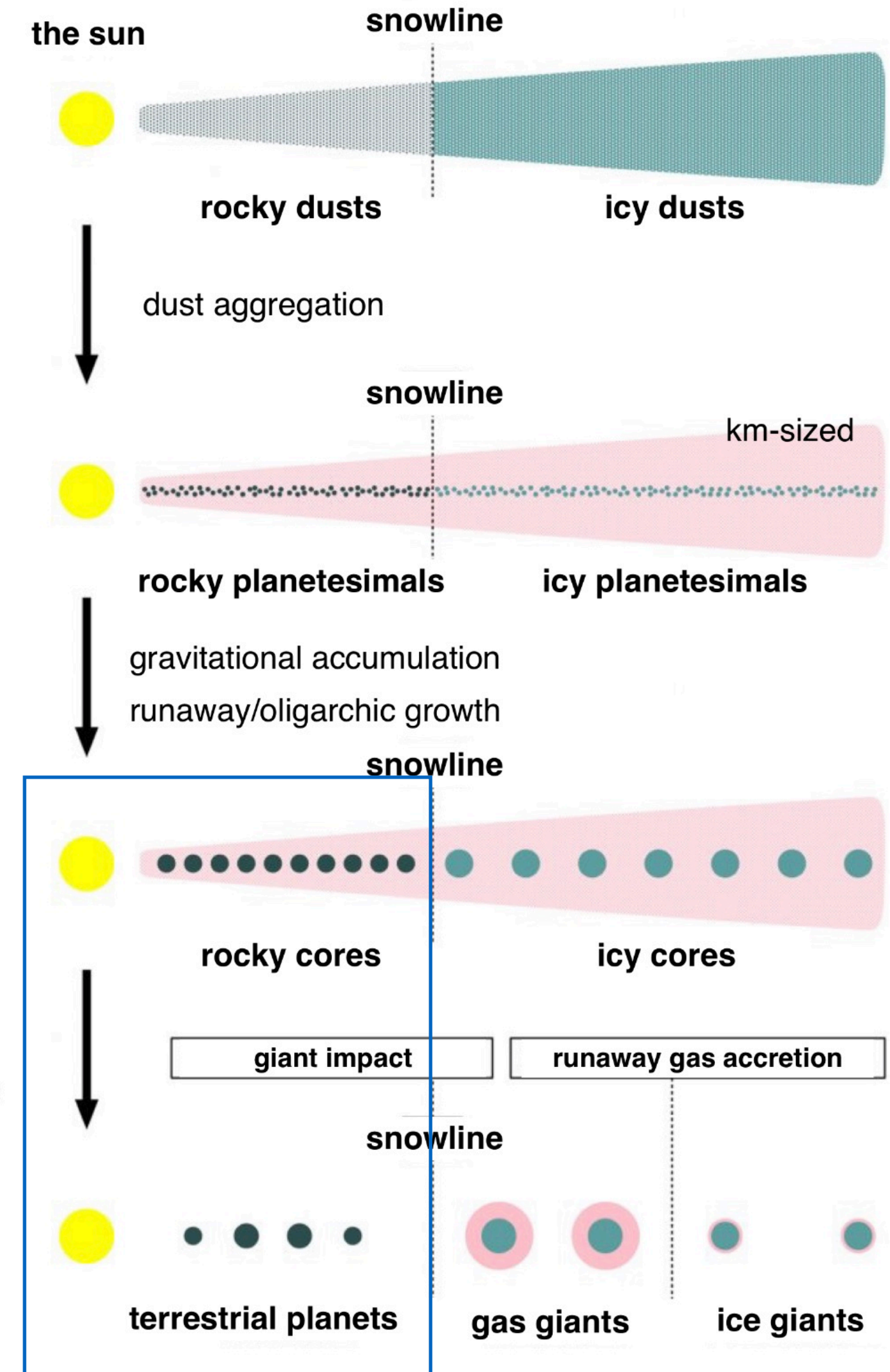
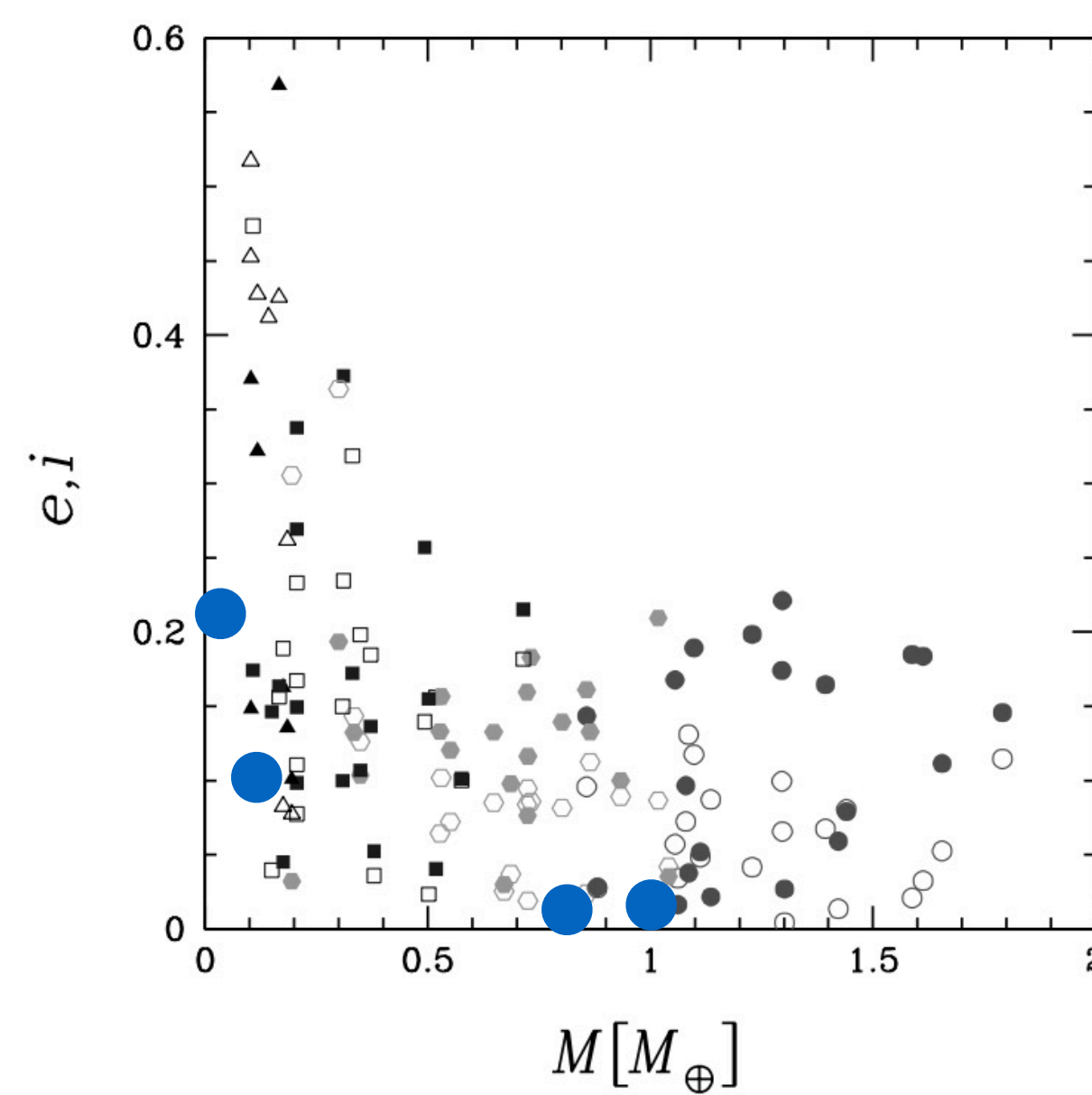
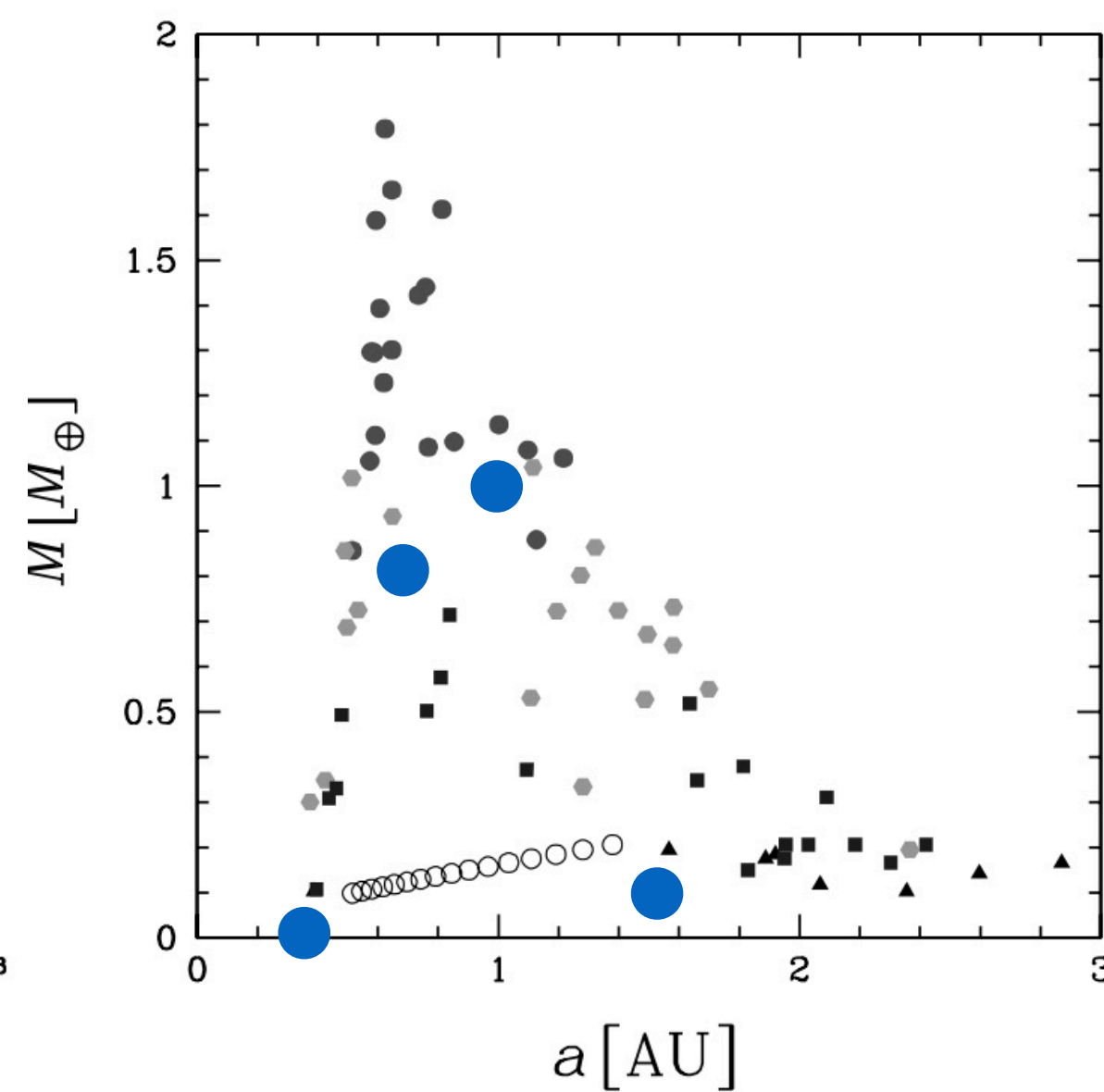
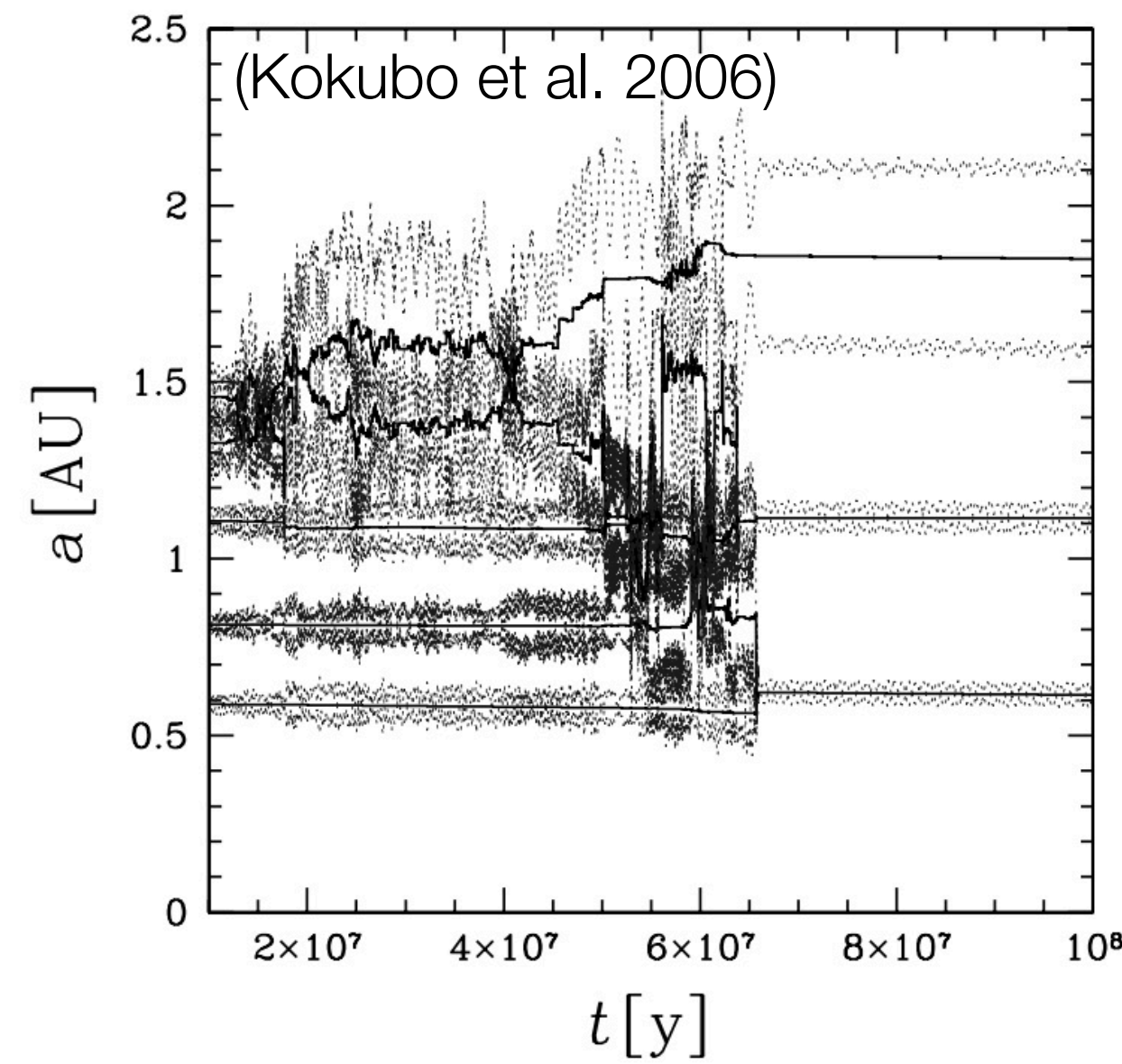




I will introduce some theoretical models that explain features in the solar system

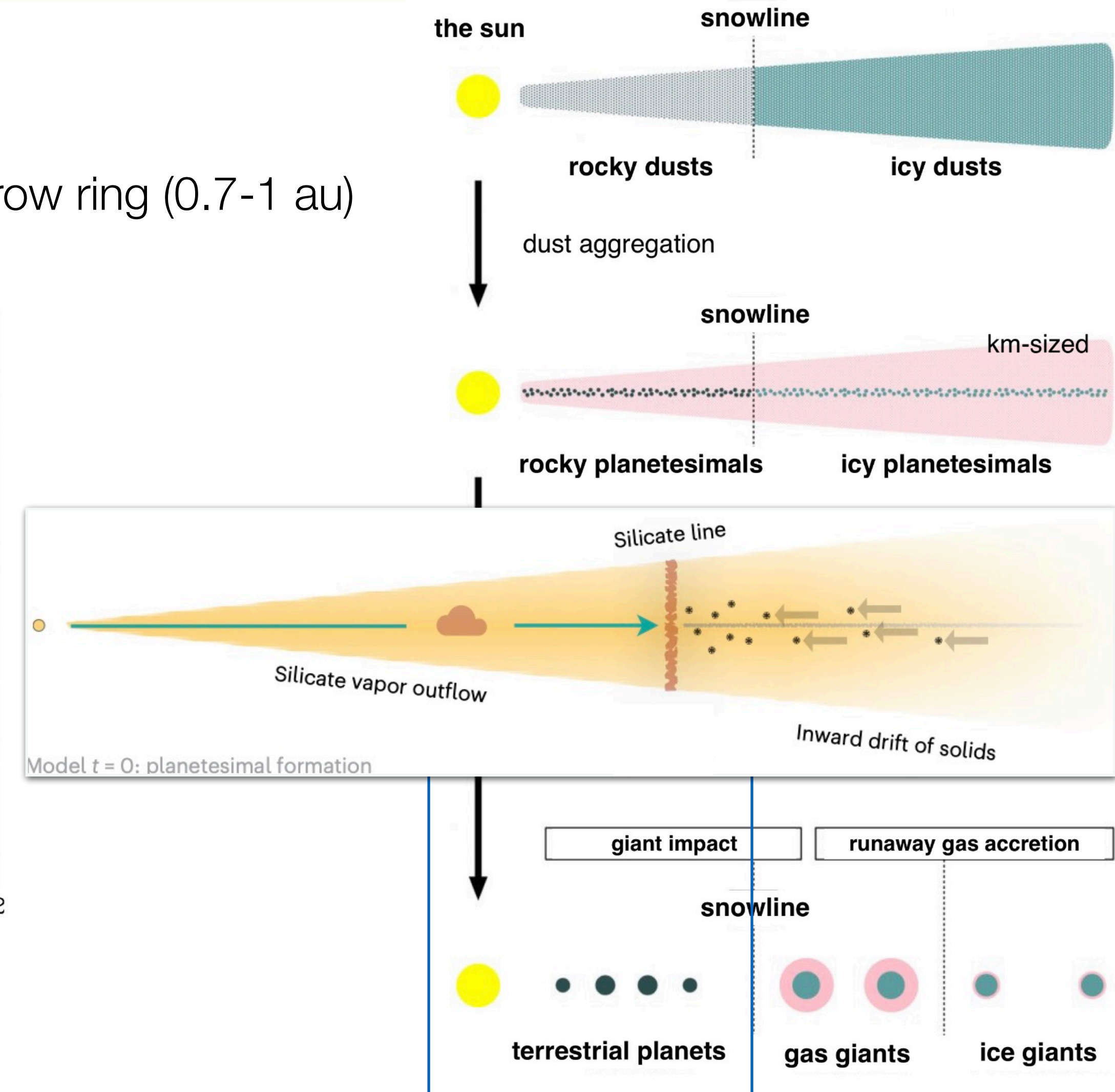
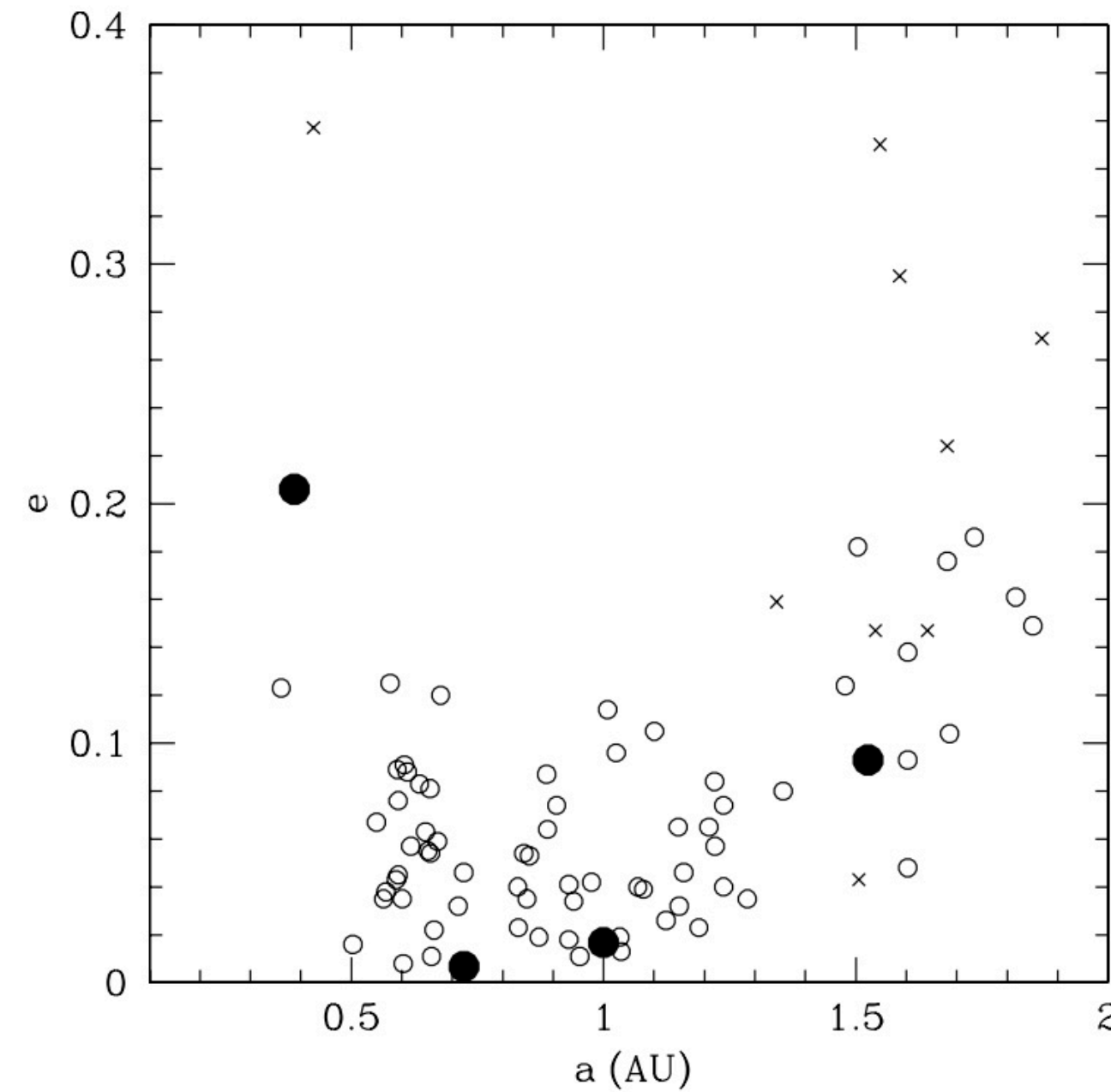
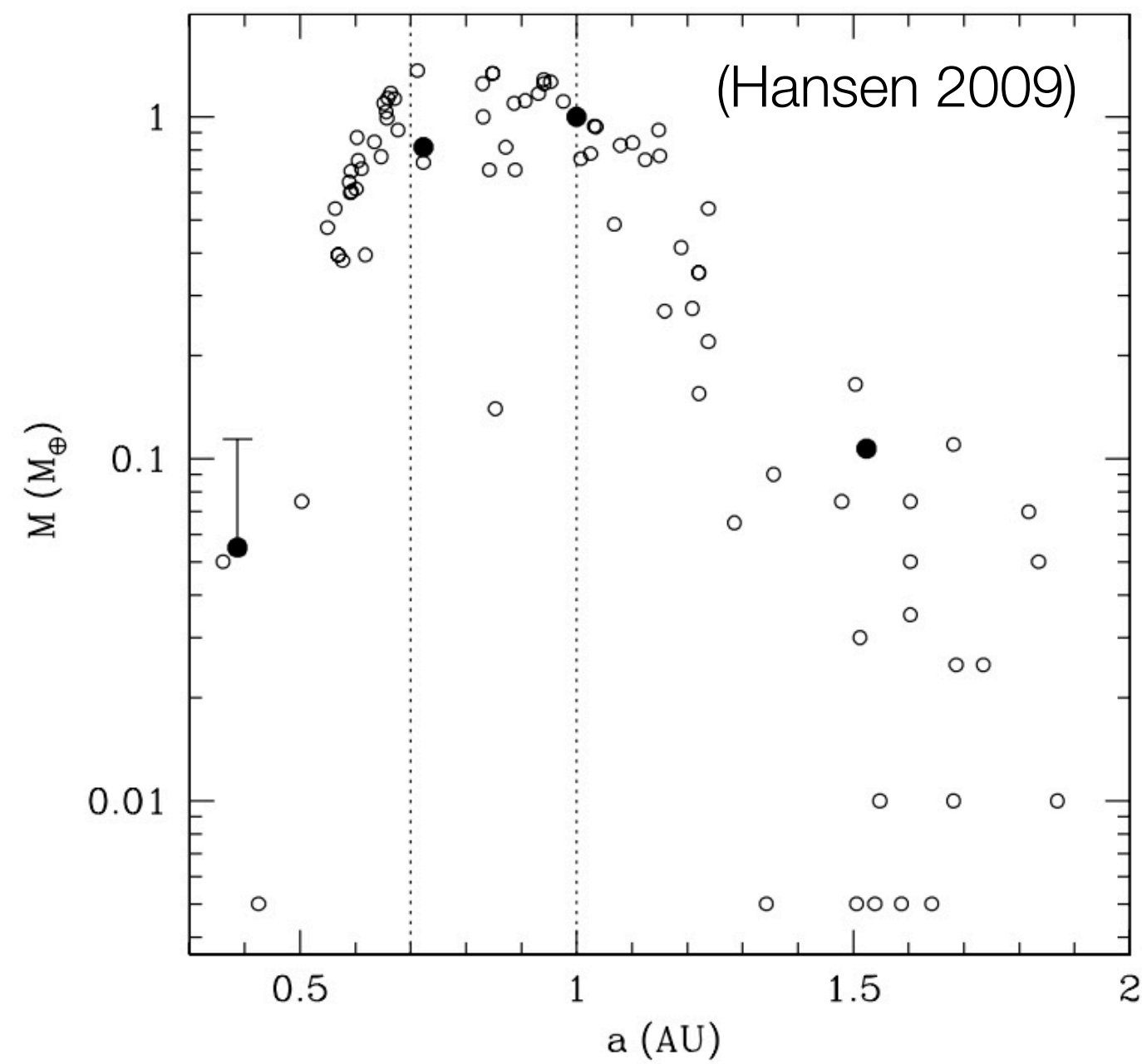
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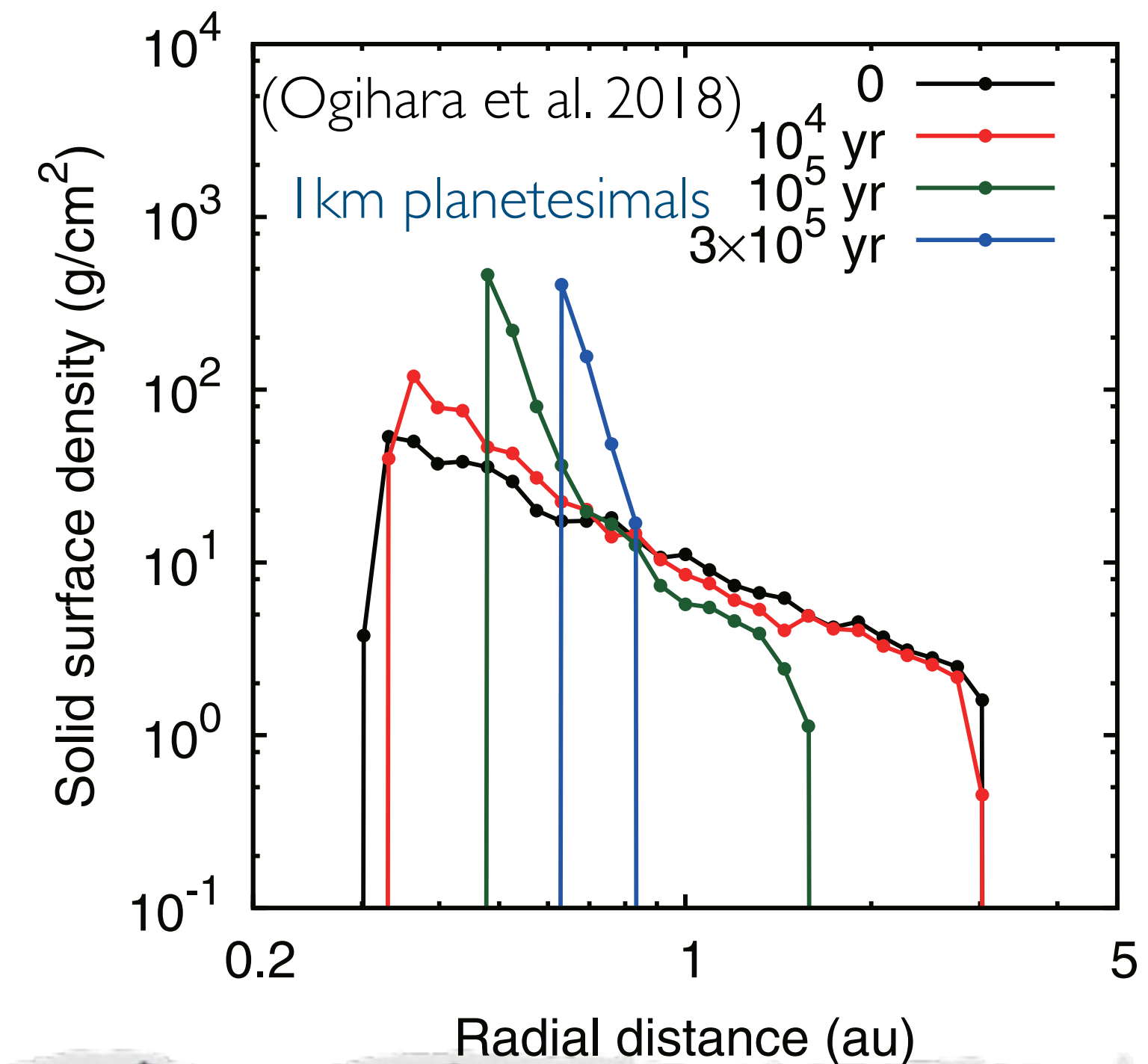
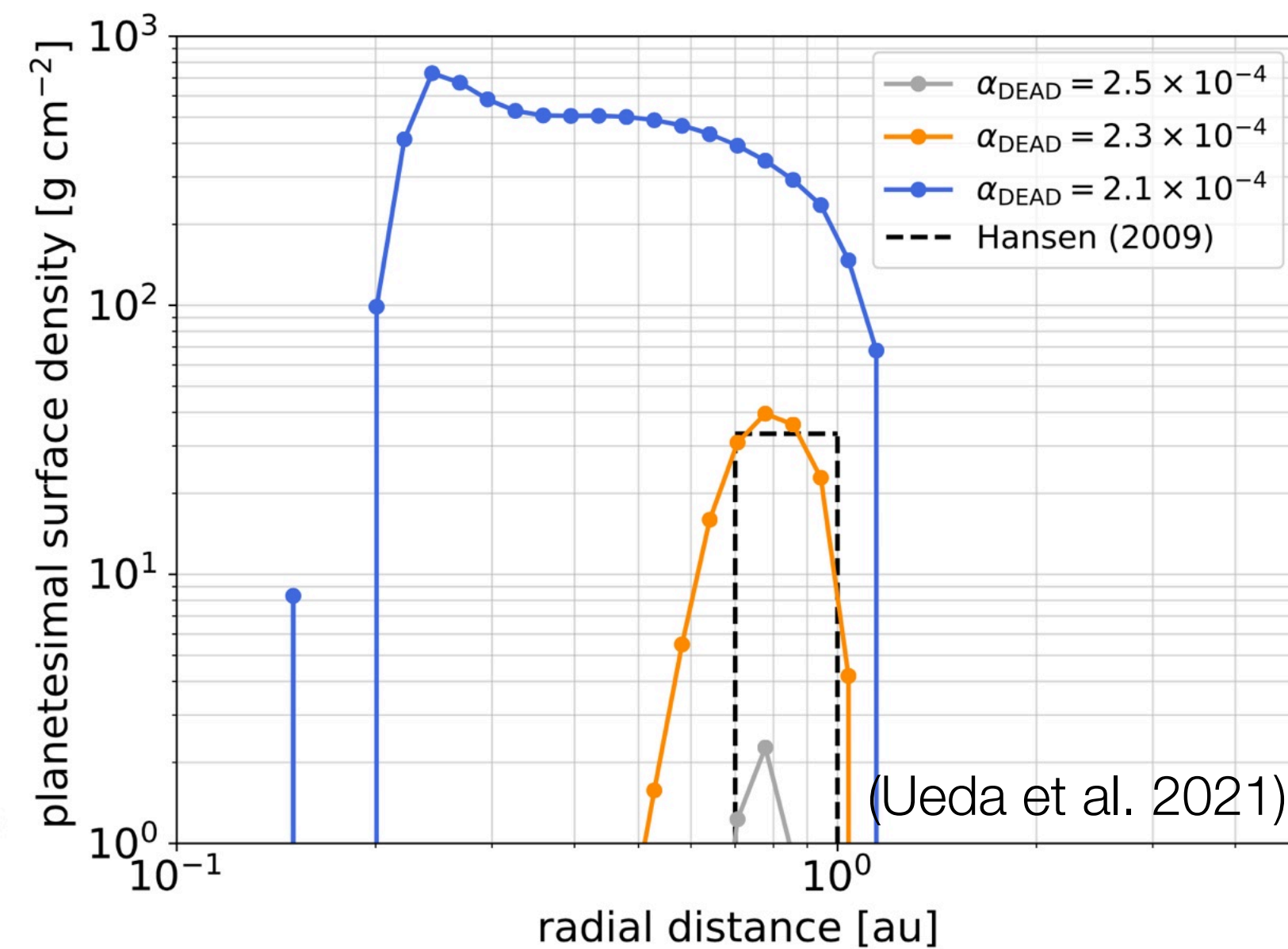
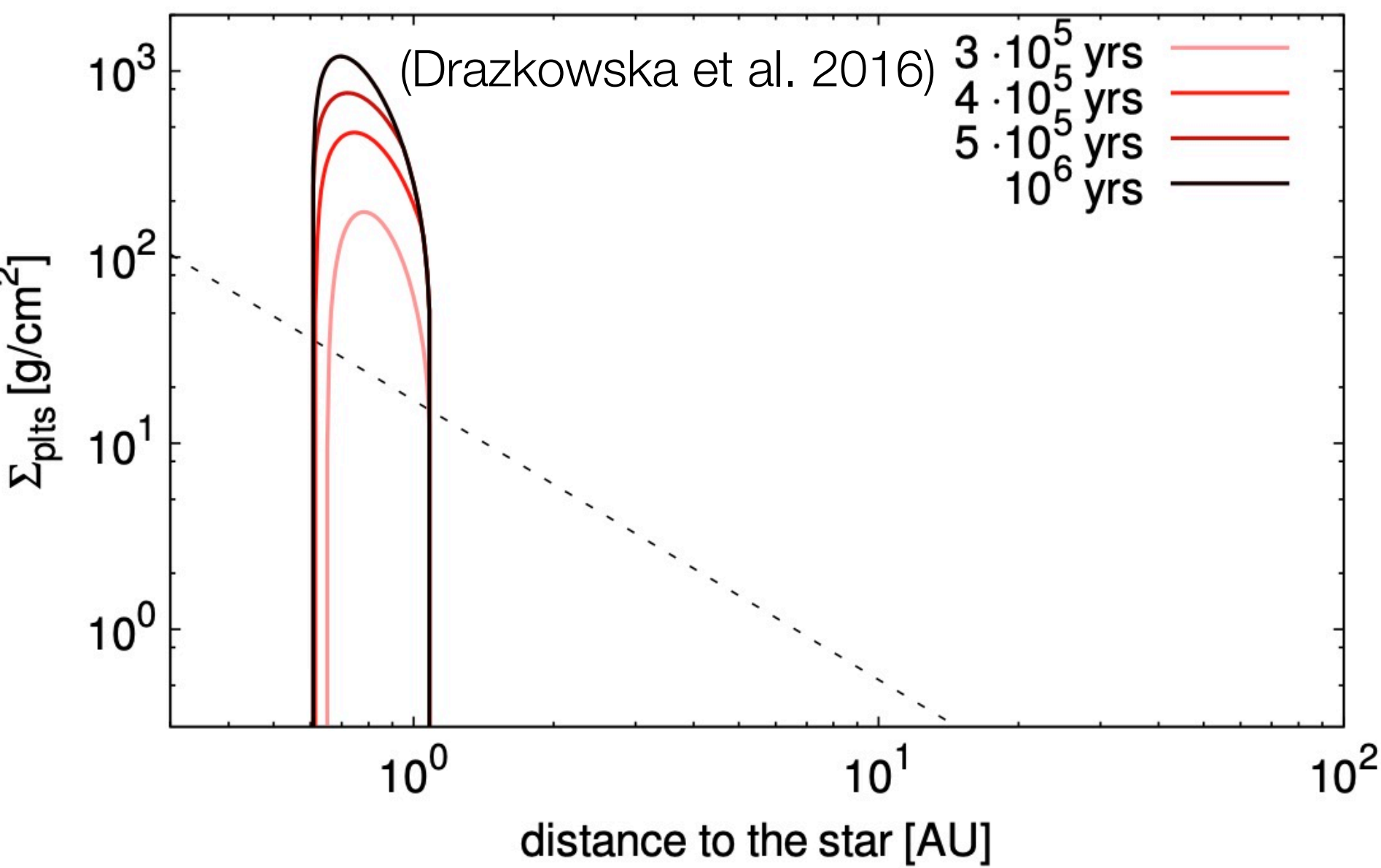
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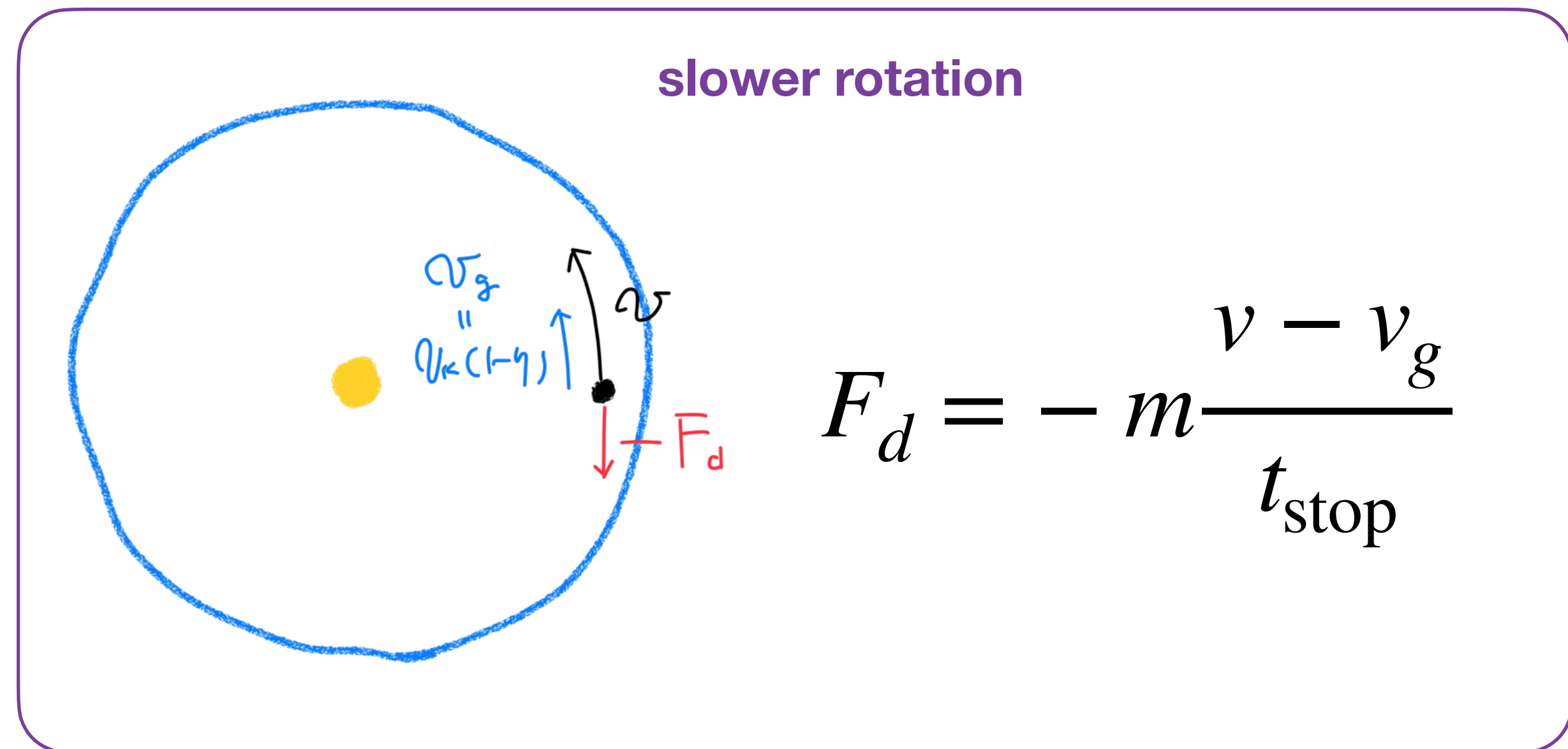
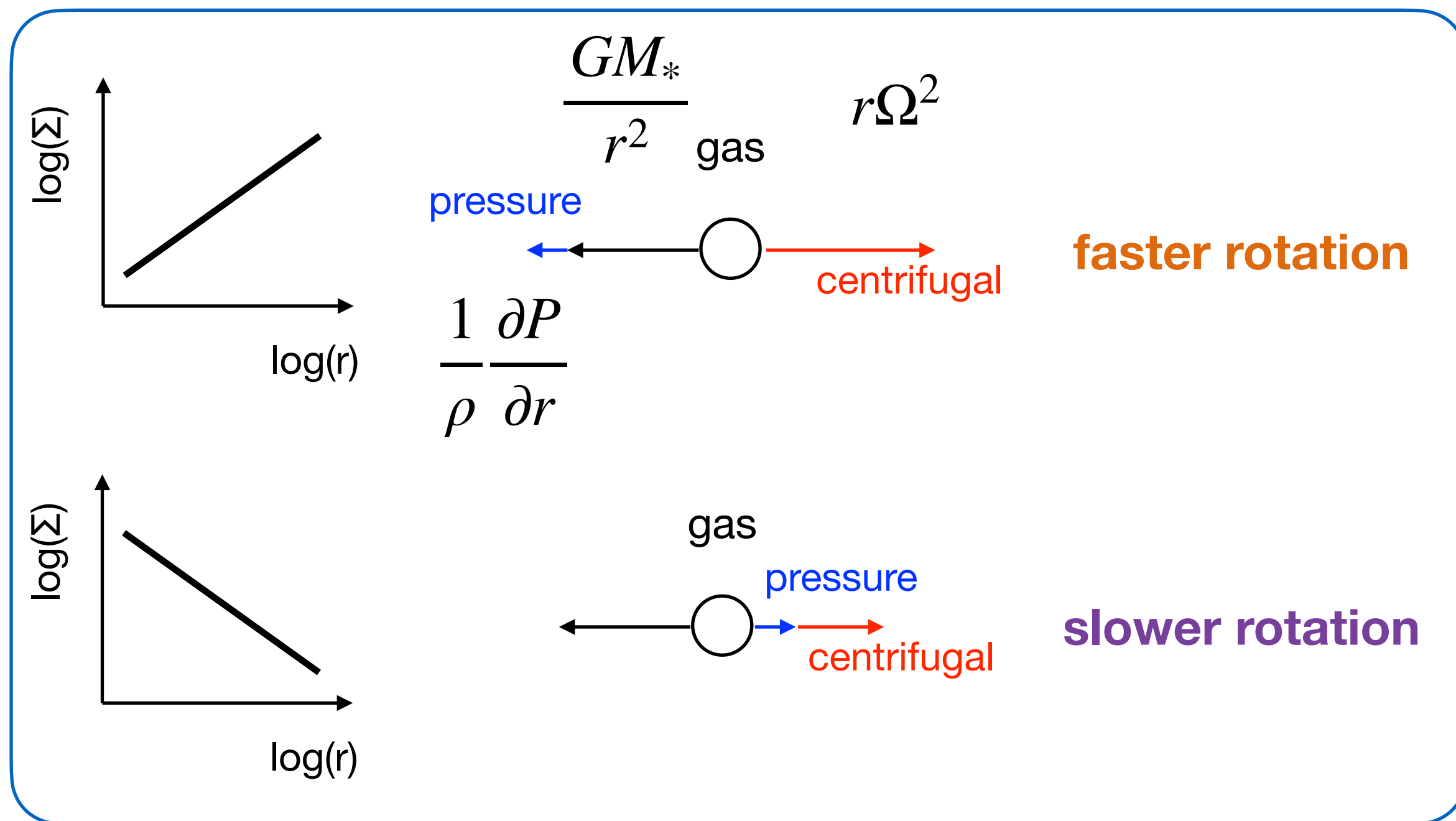
- ▶ Planetesimal formation by pebble pileup (Drazkowska et al. 2016), silicate sublimation line (Morbidelli et al. 2022), dead zone inner boundary (Ueda et al. 2019), convergent radial drift (Suzuki et al. 2016)
- ▶ Embryo formation by convergent radial drift (Ogihara et al. 2018)



Aerodynamical drag

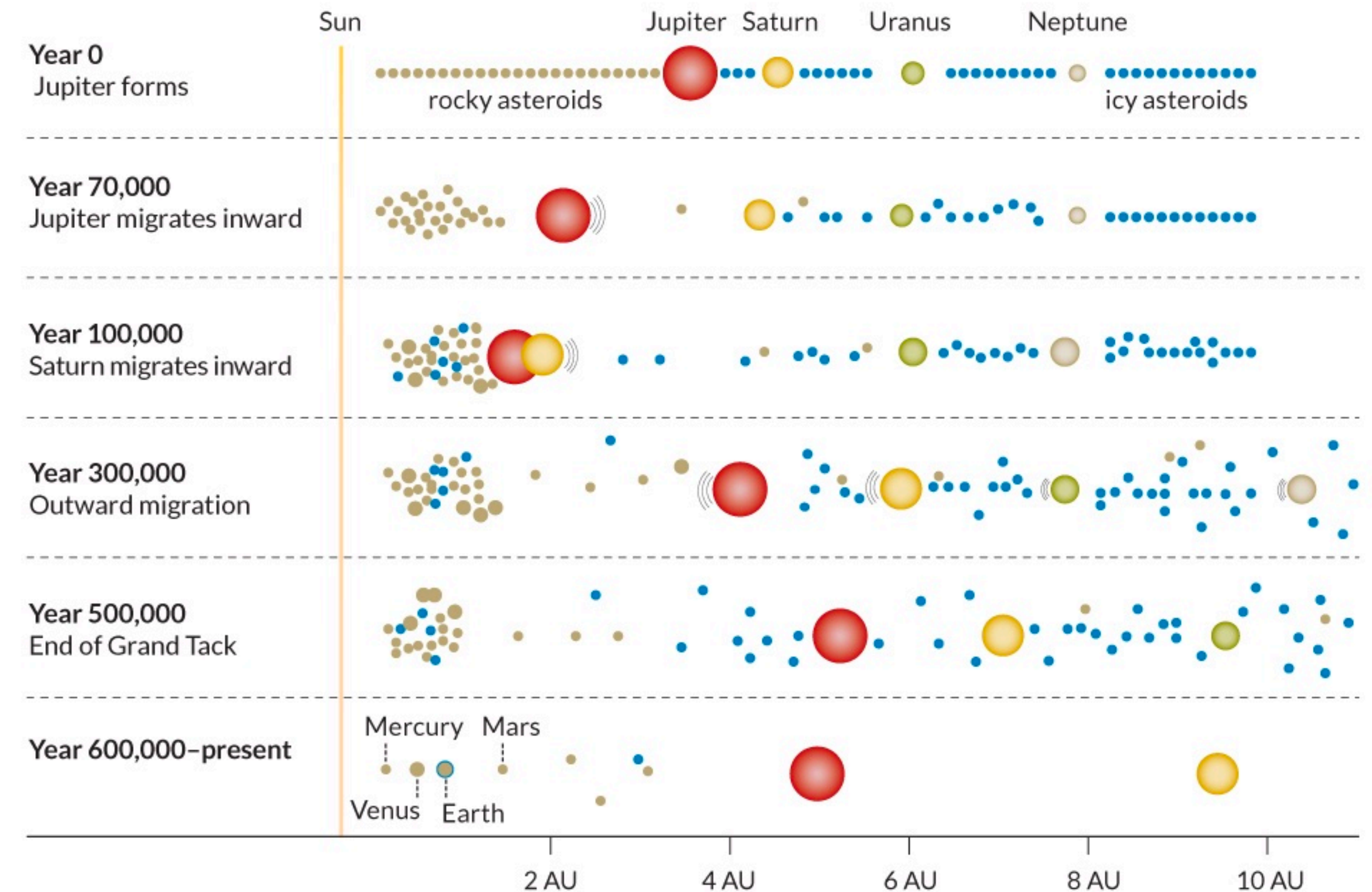
- ▶ Gas rotates different speeds depending on the density distribution

- ▶ Gas rotates **faster/slower** than solid → **tail/head** wind
→ **outward/inward** drift



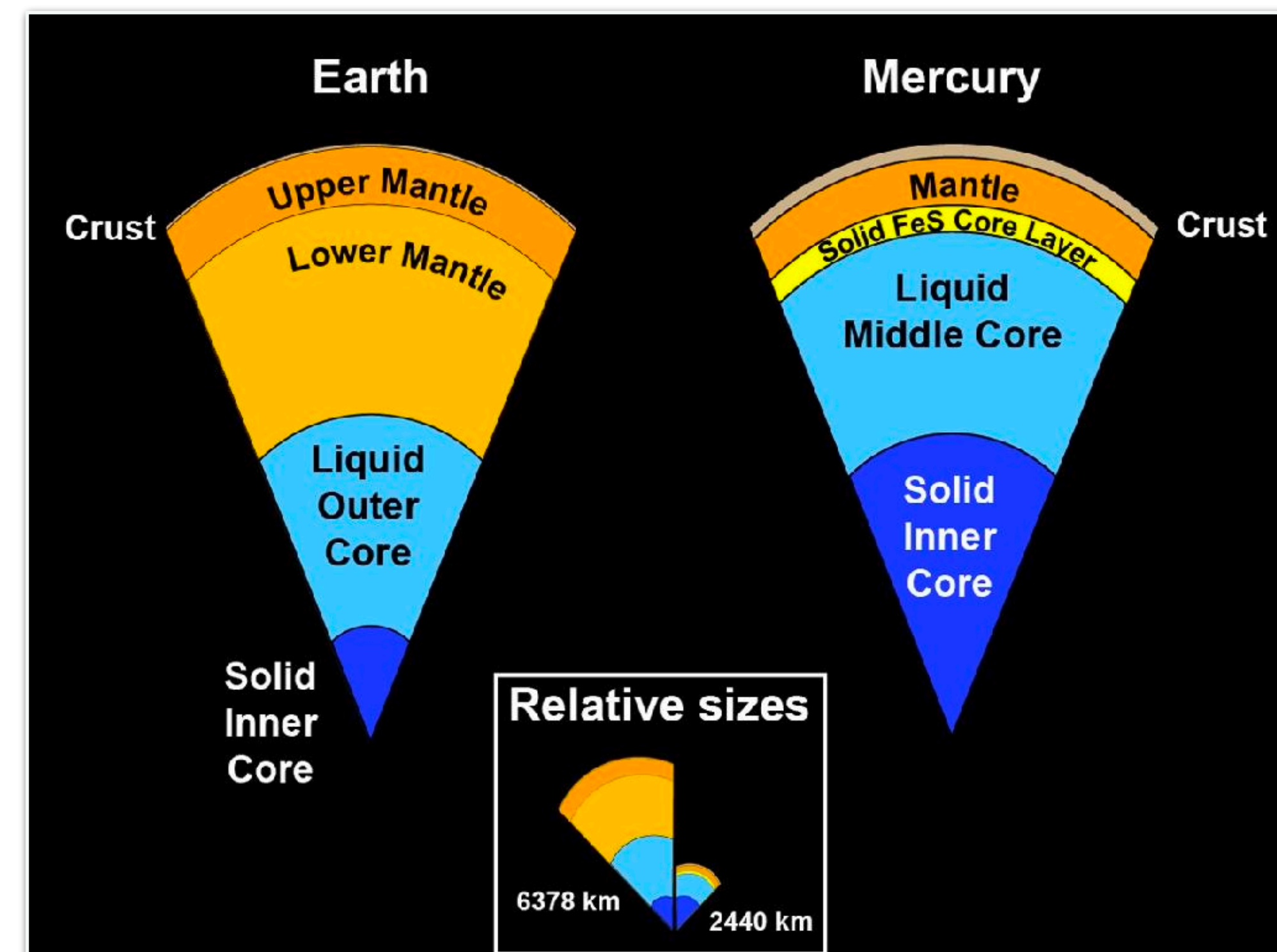
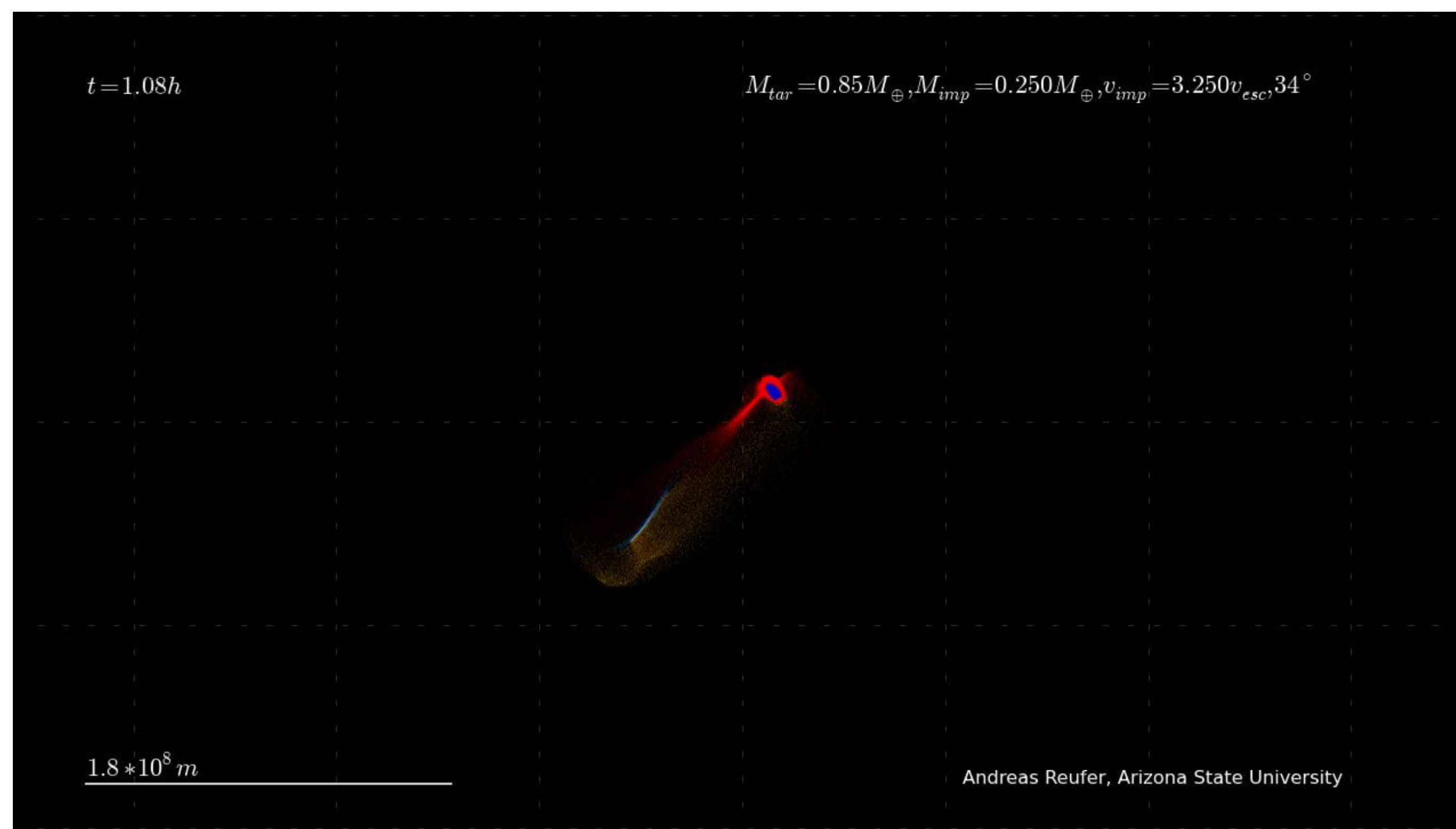
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- ▶ [Grand Tack model](#) (Walsh et al. 2011)
- ▶ Migration of Jupiter and Saturn
- ▶ Also explains mass deficit in solid surface density
- ▶ Connected to the initial condition of [Nice model](#)
- ▶ If gas accretion during migration is considered, giant planets exceed the current Jupiter and Saturn masses (D'Angelo & Marzari 2012, Tanaka et al. 2020)
- ▶ Fine-tuning is required so that giant planets are captured in a 3:2 MMR (eg, Pierens et al. 2014)



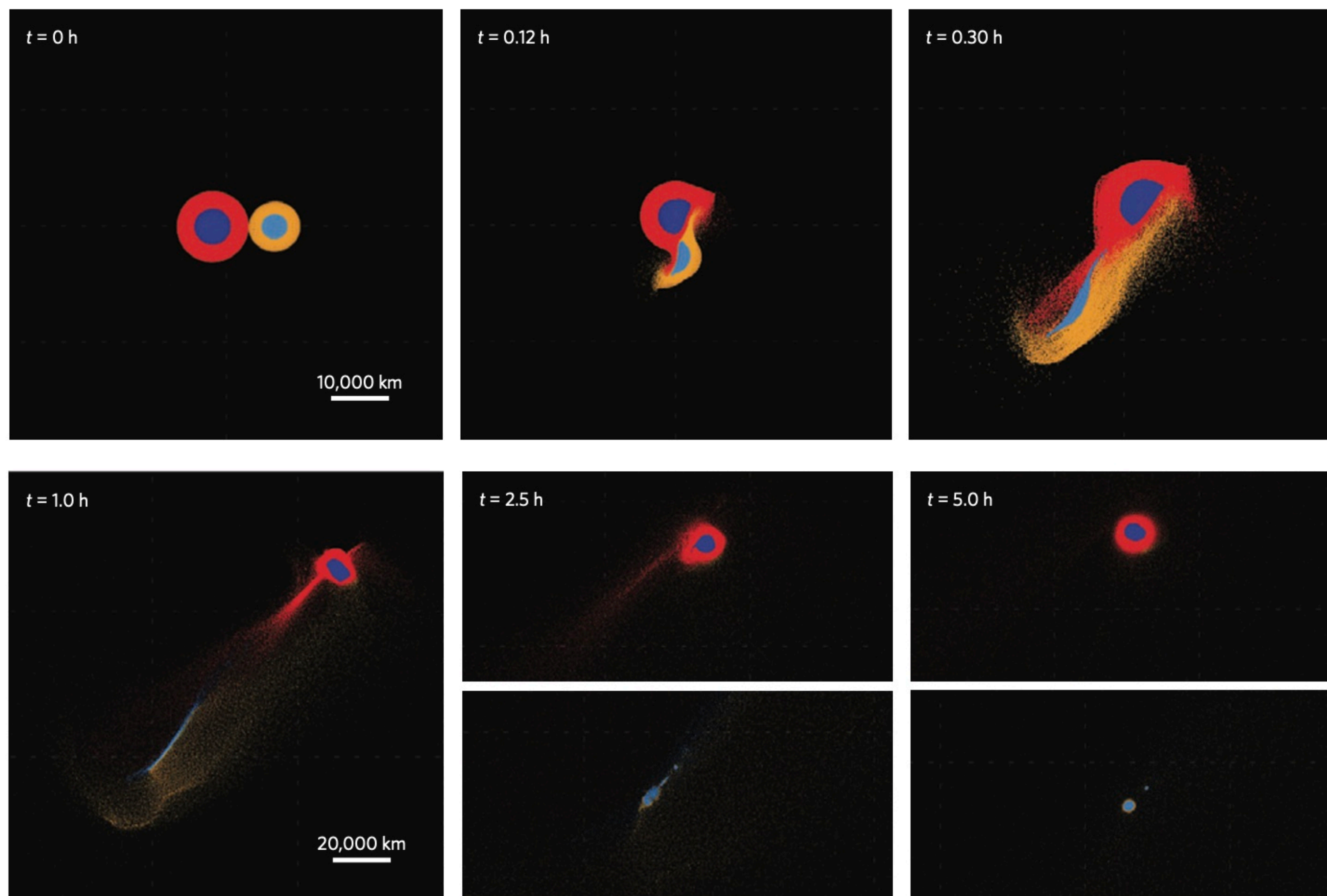
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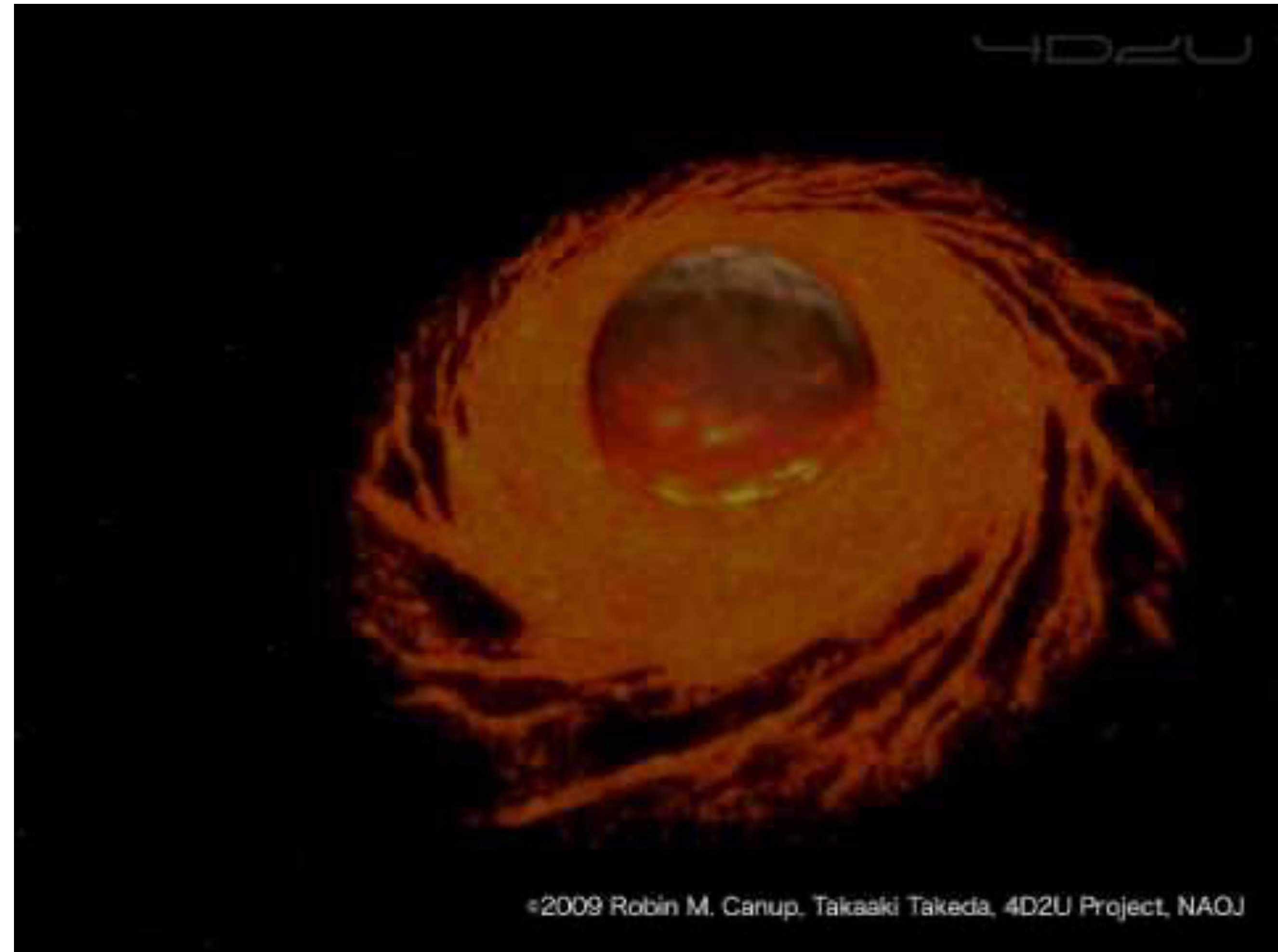
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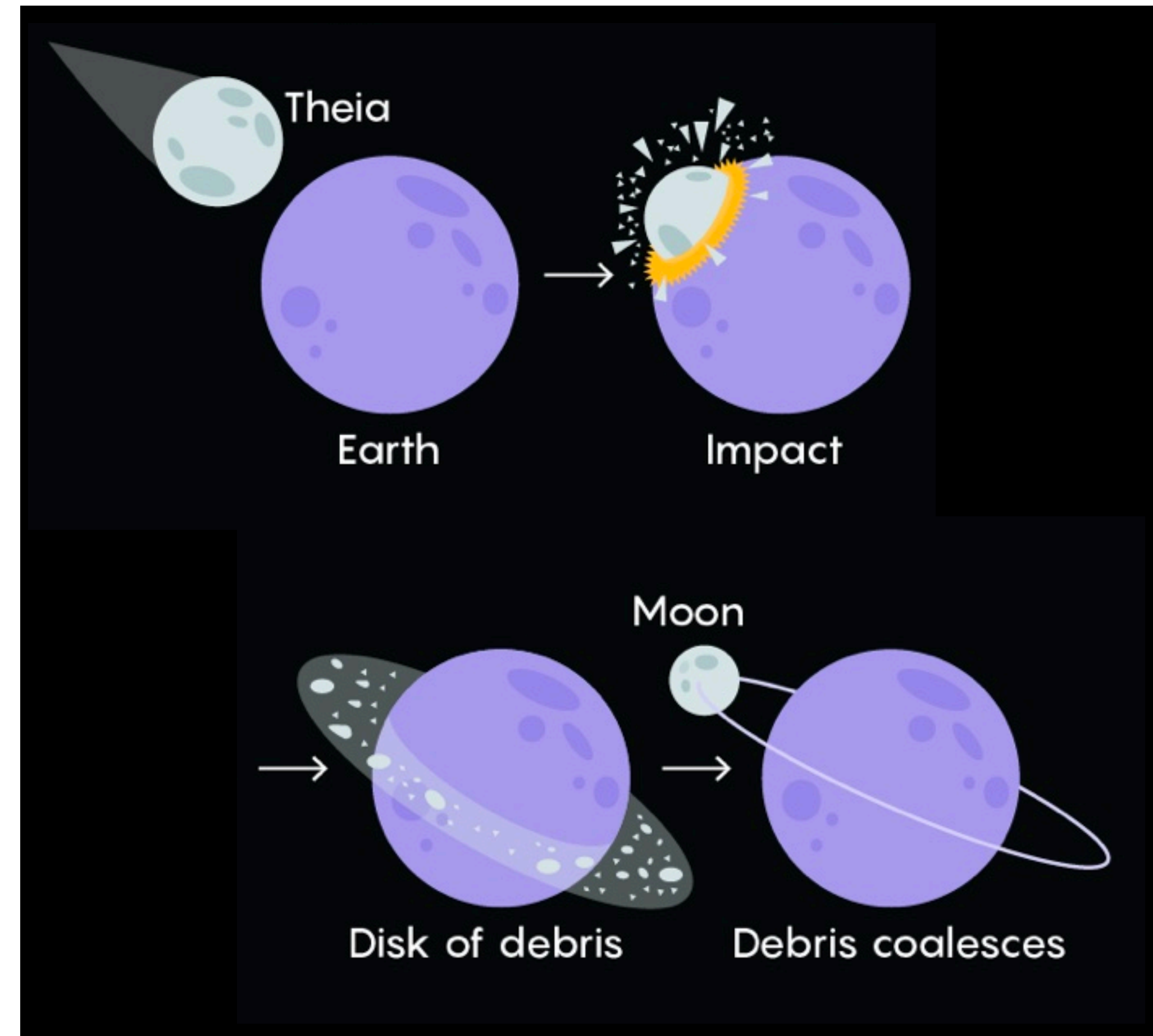
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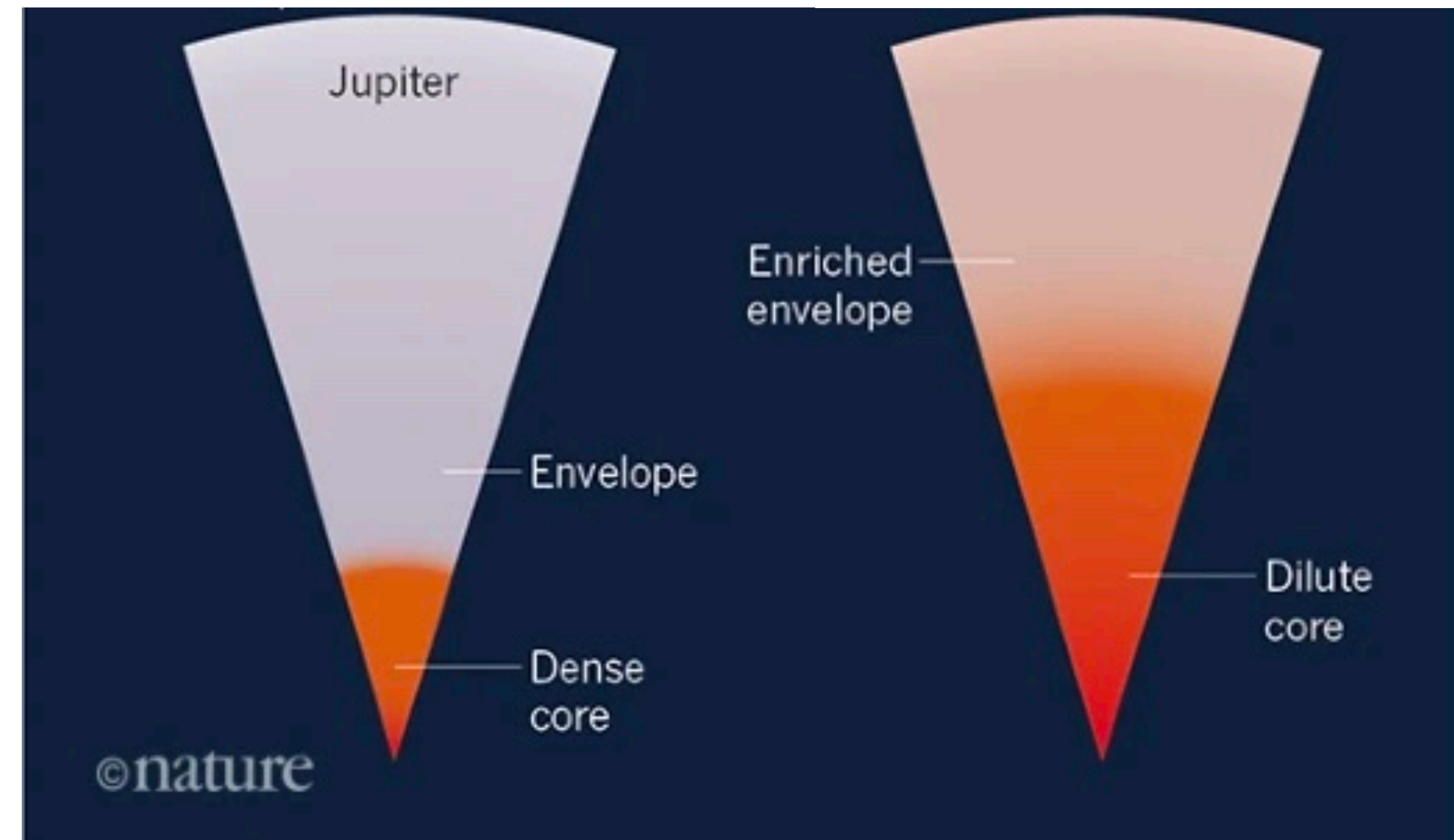
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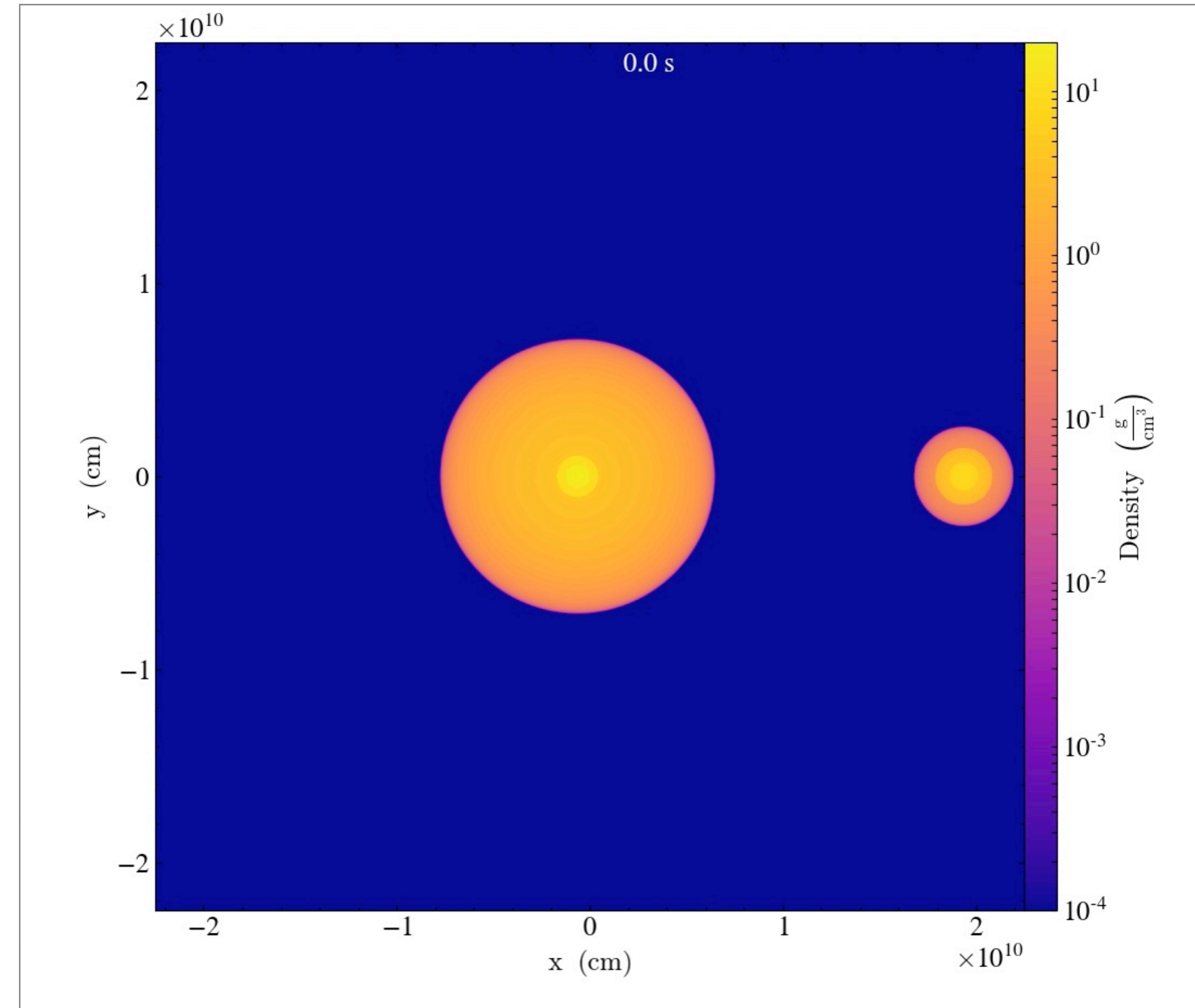
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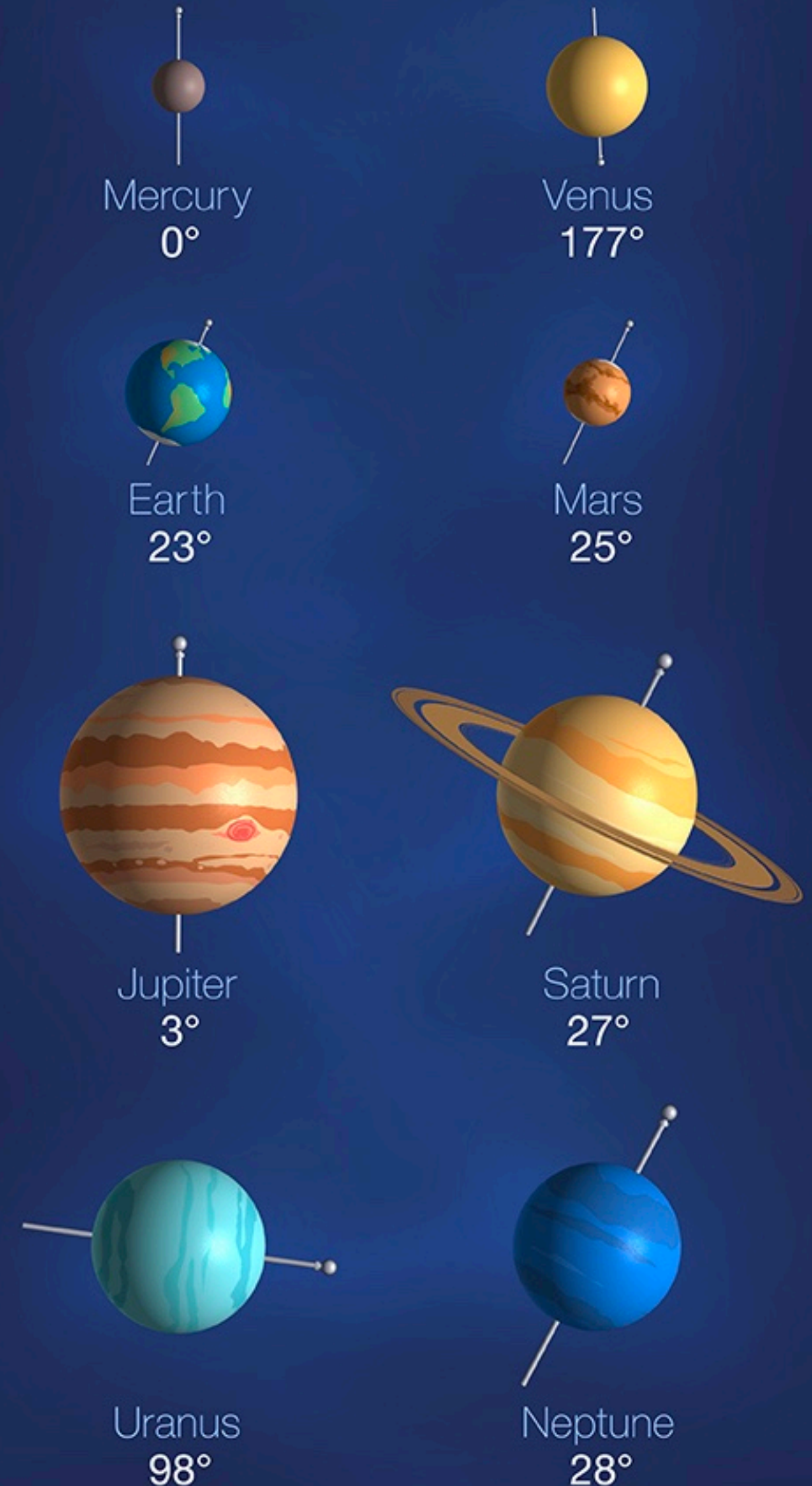
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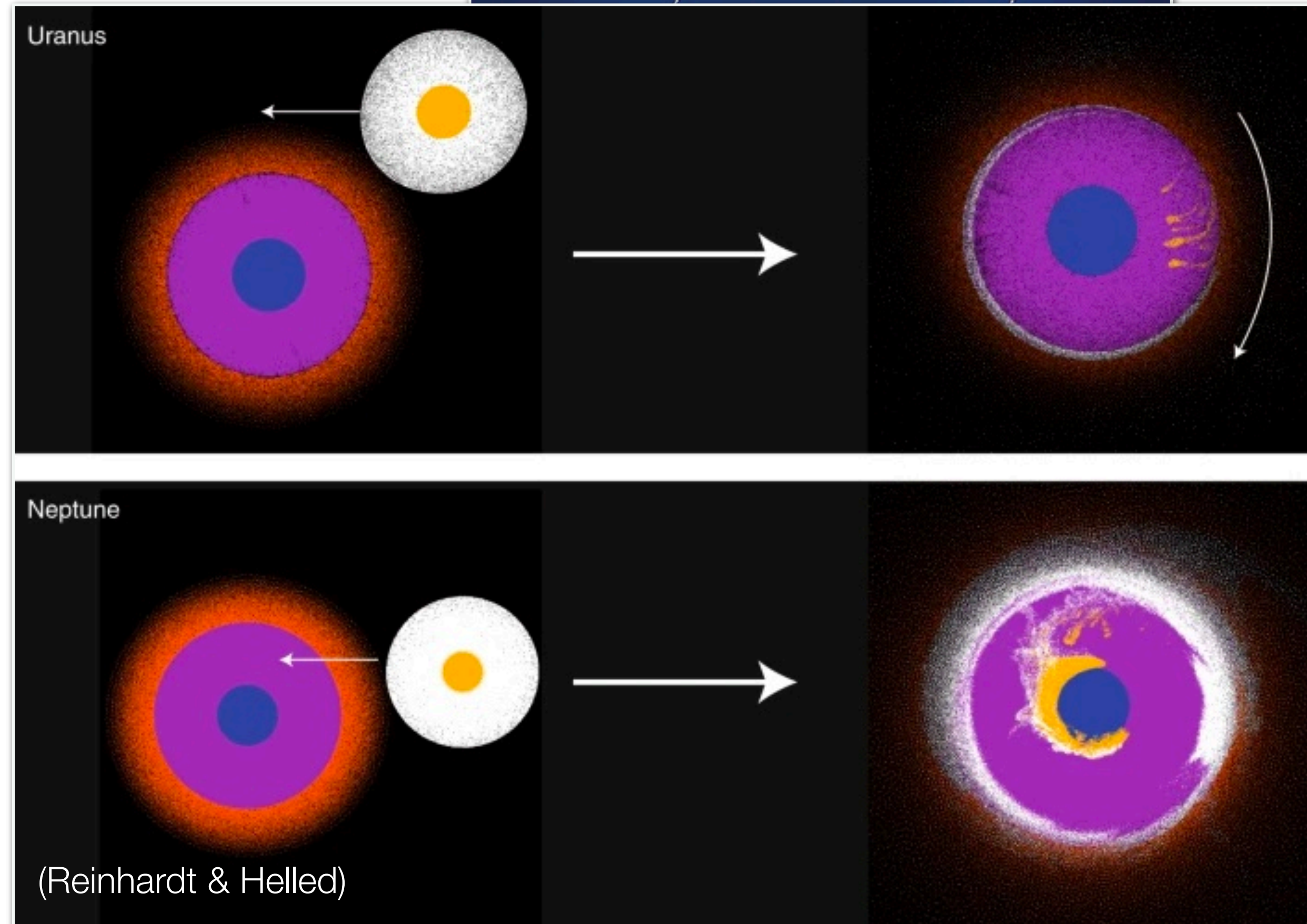
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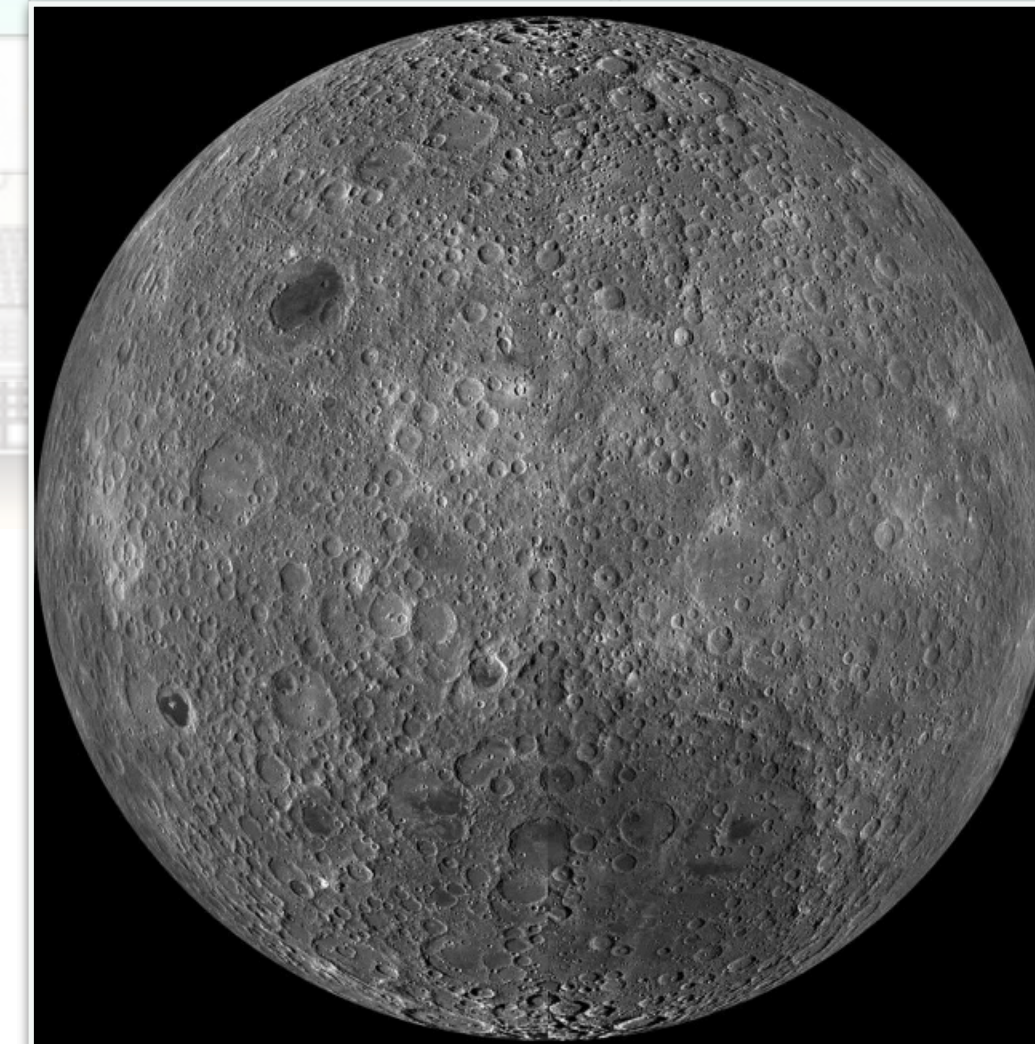
Venus
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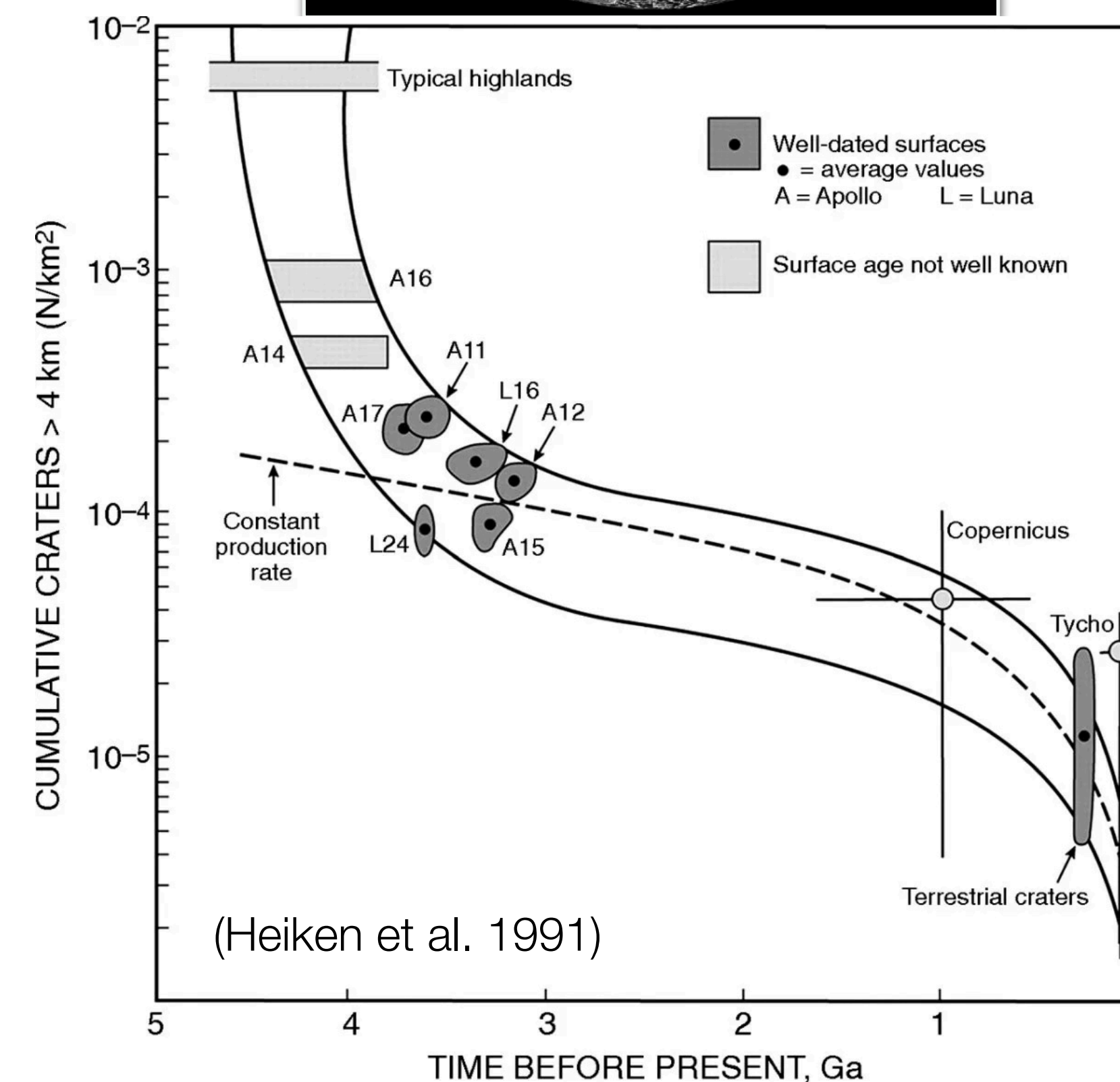
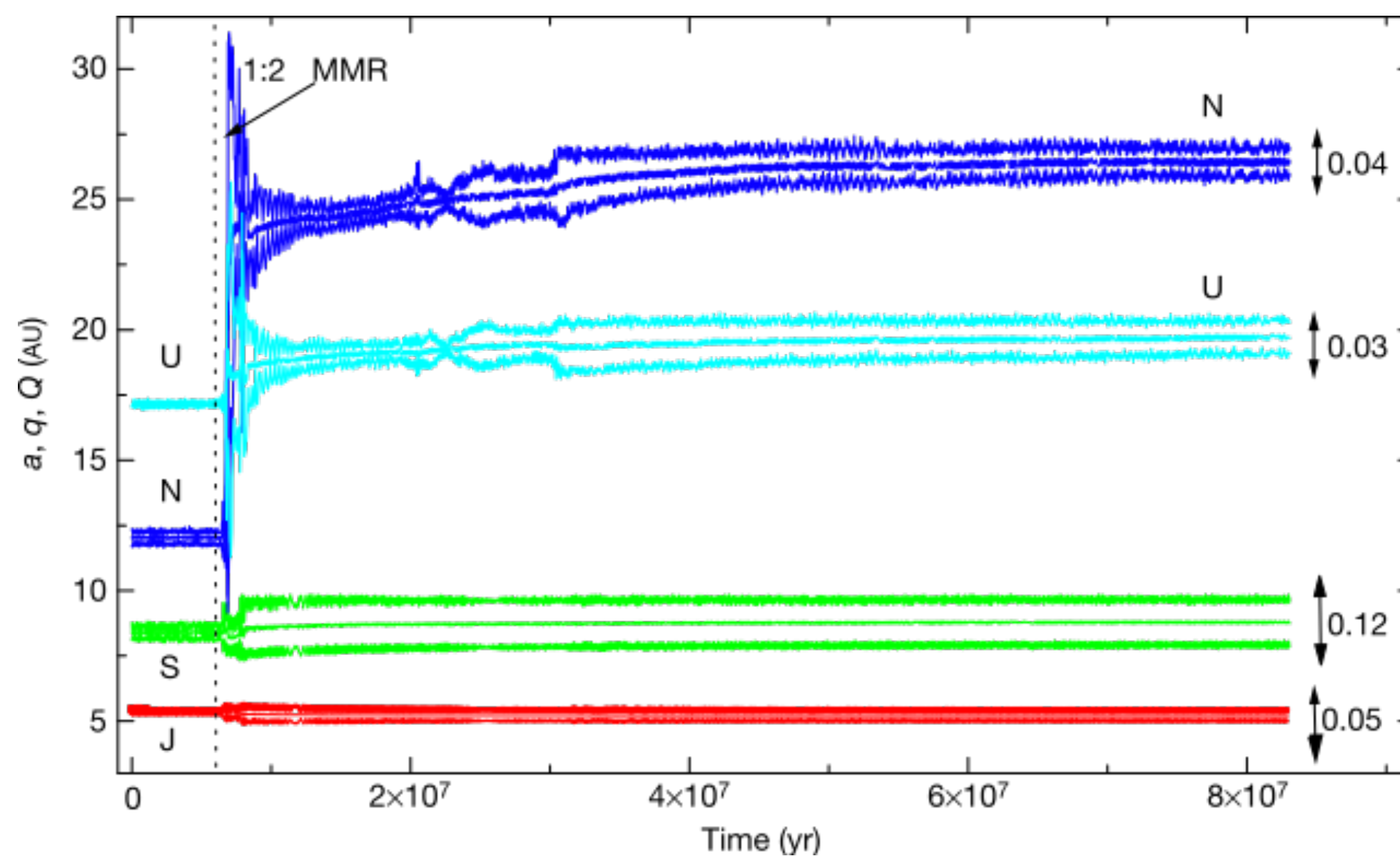
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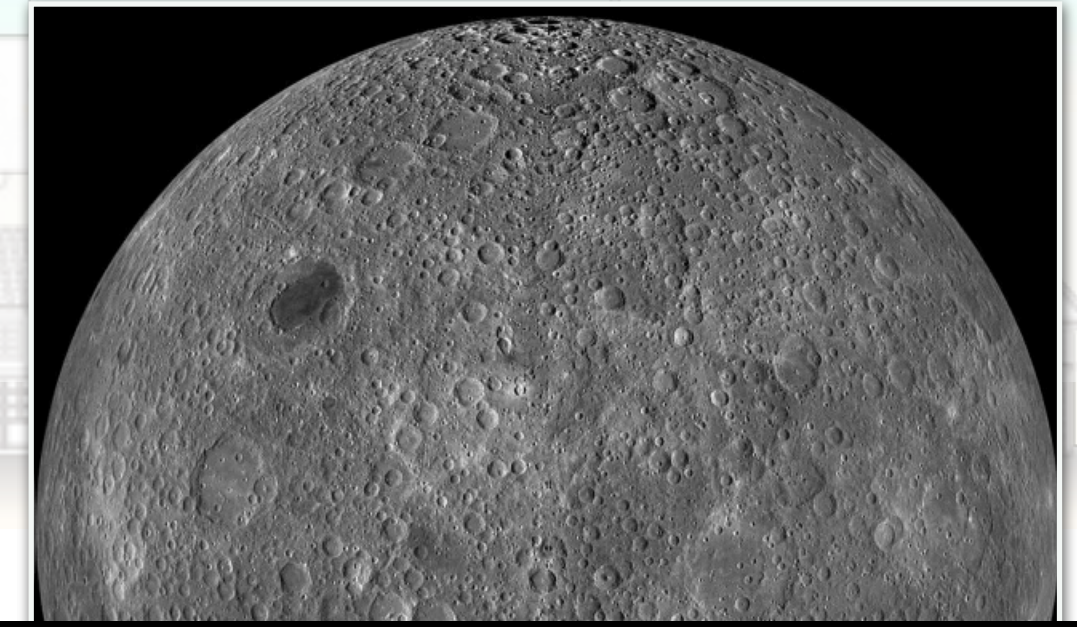


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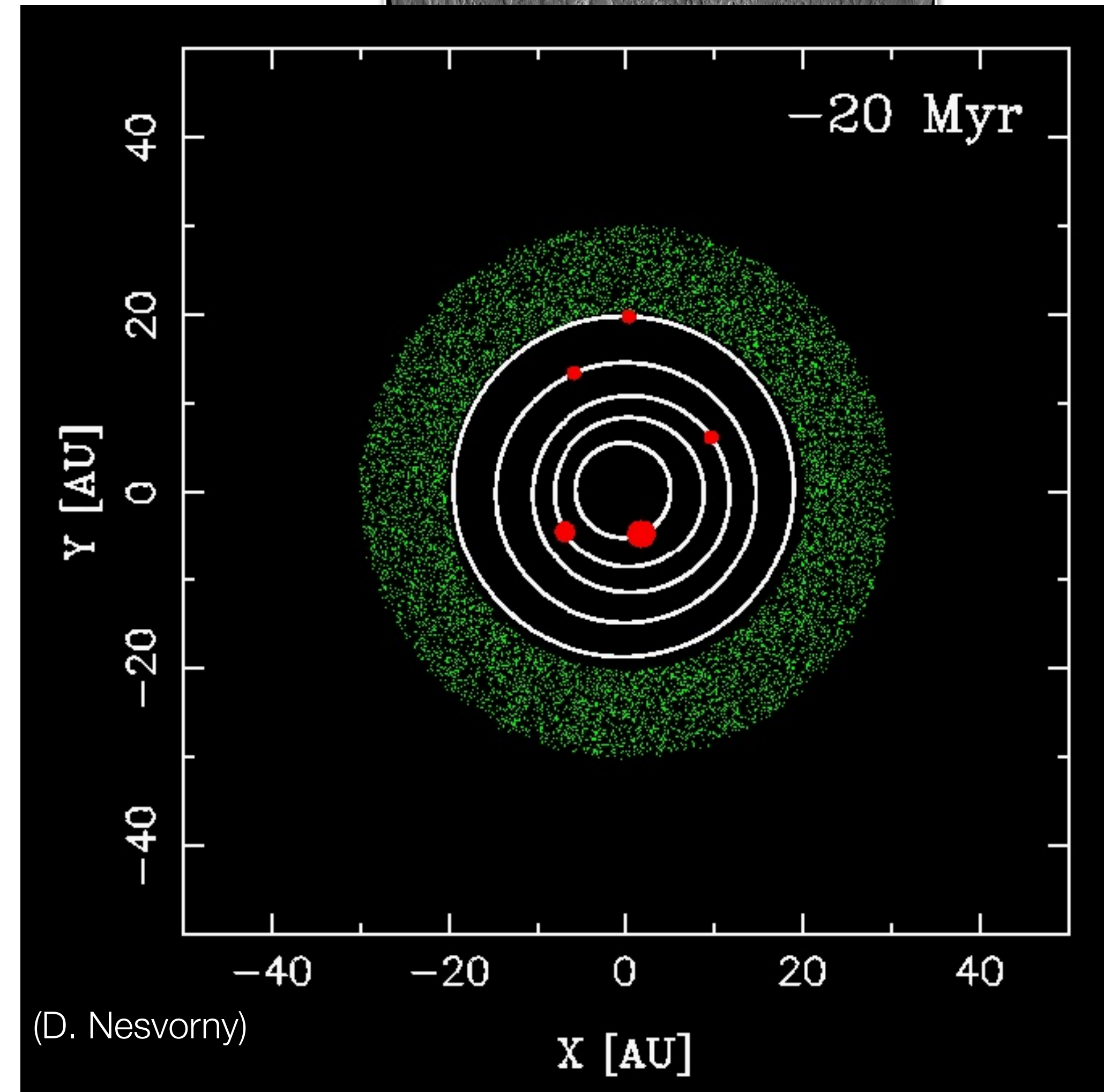
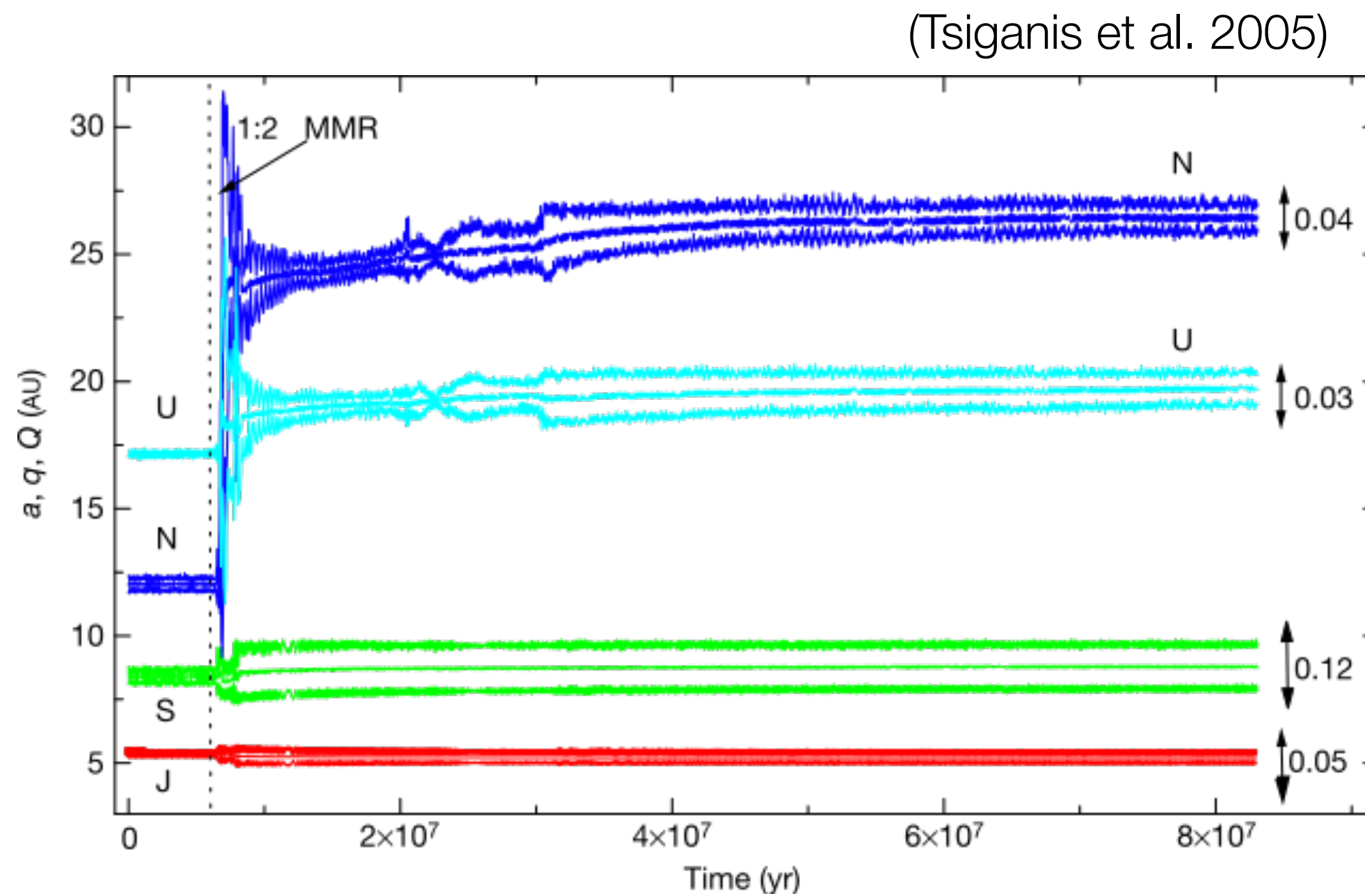


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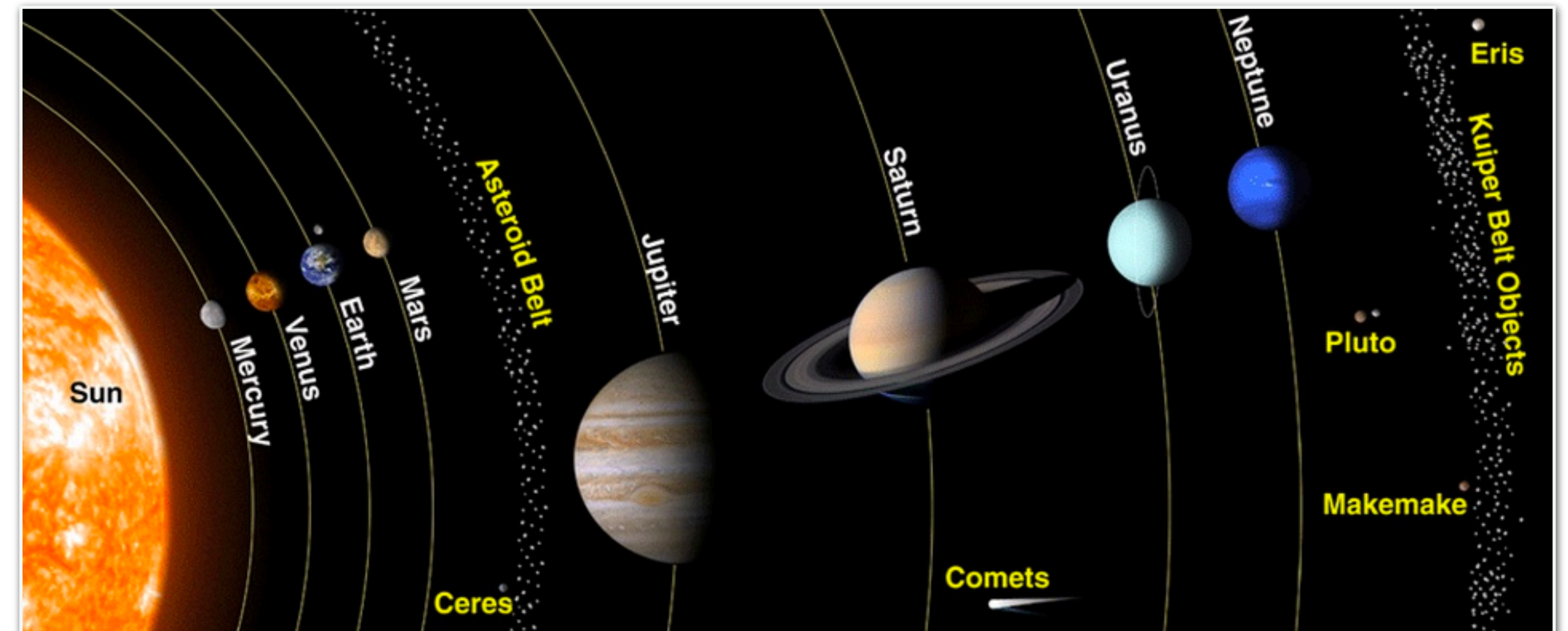
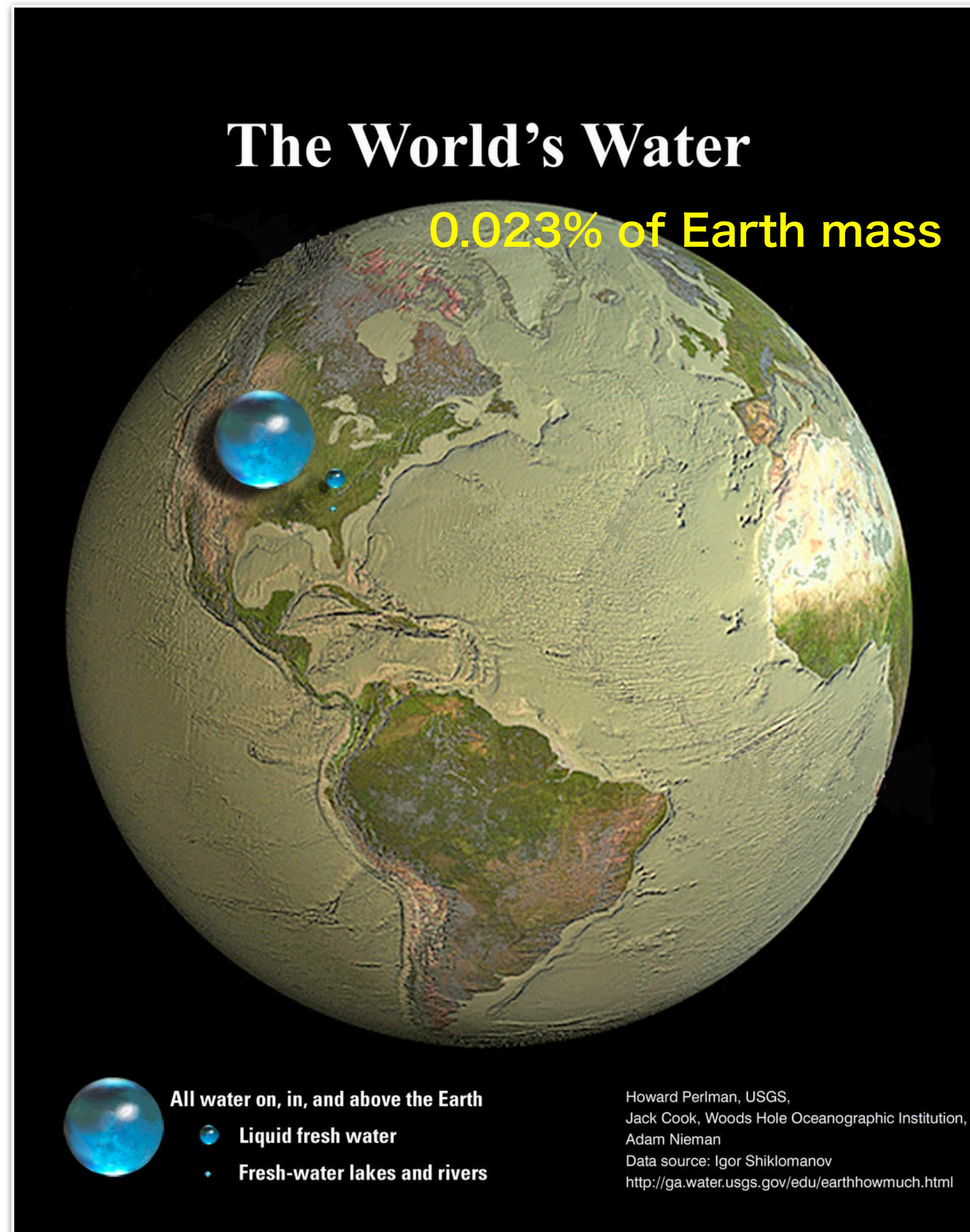
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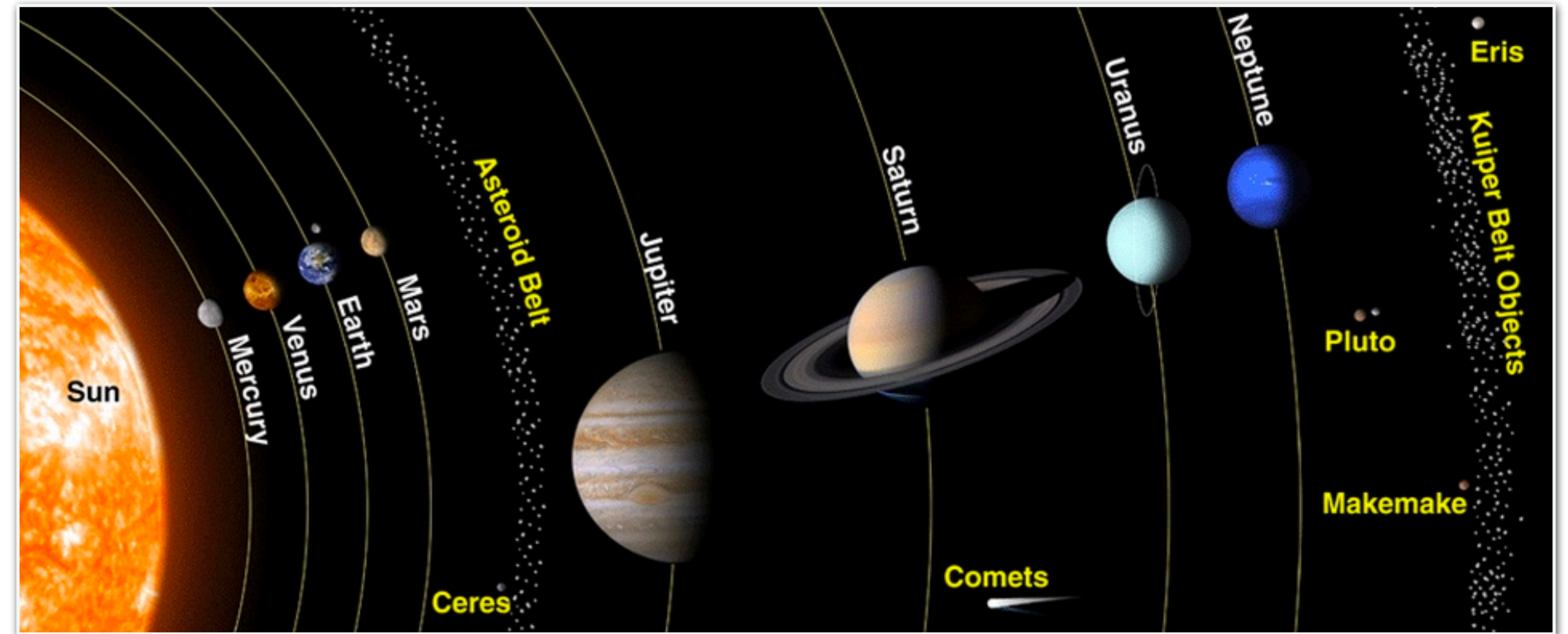
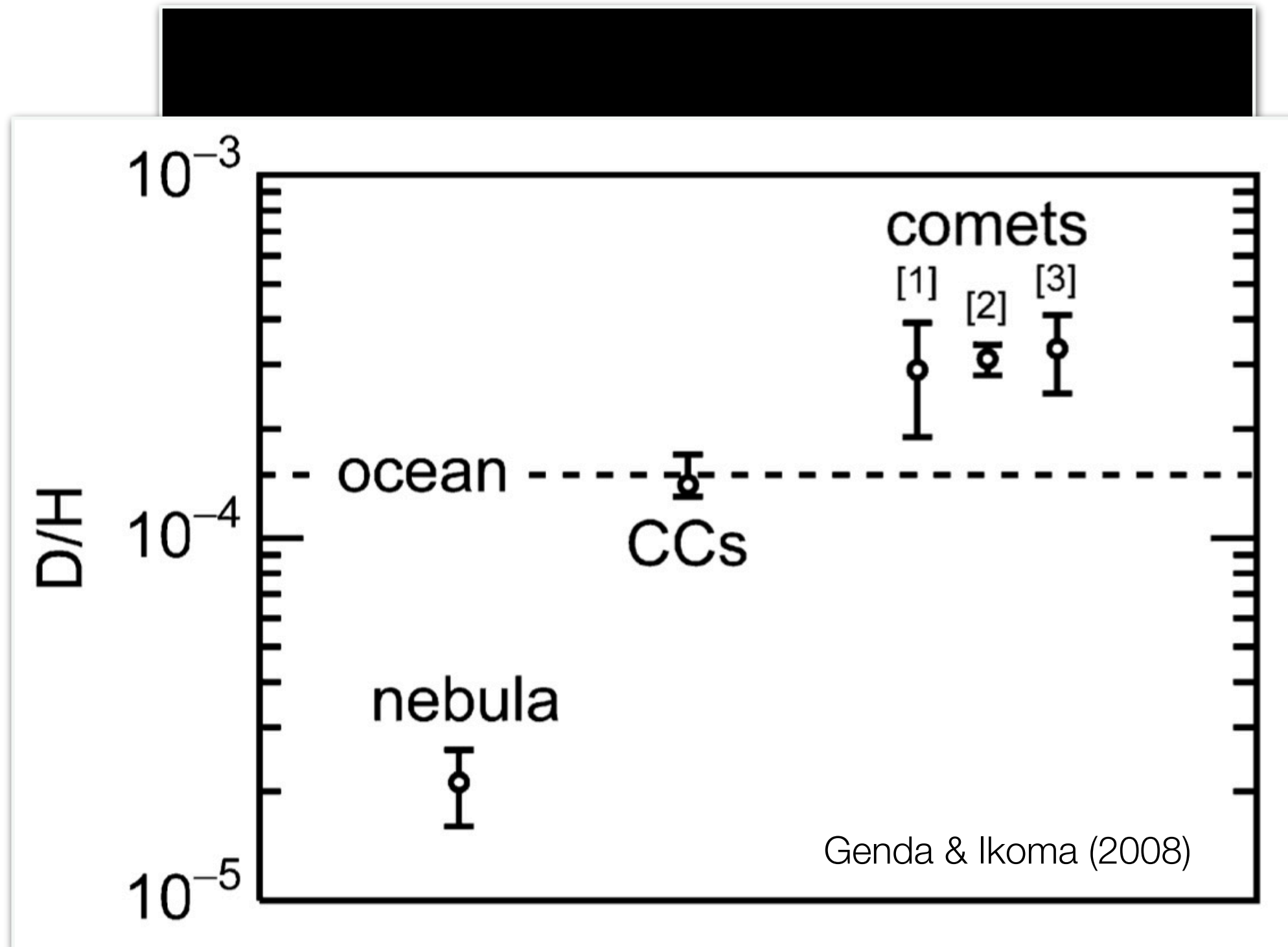


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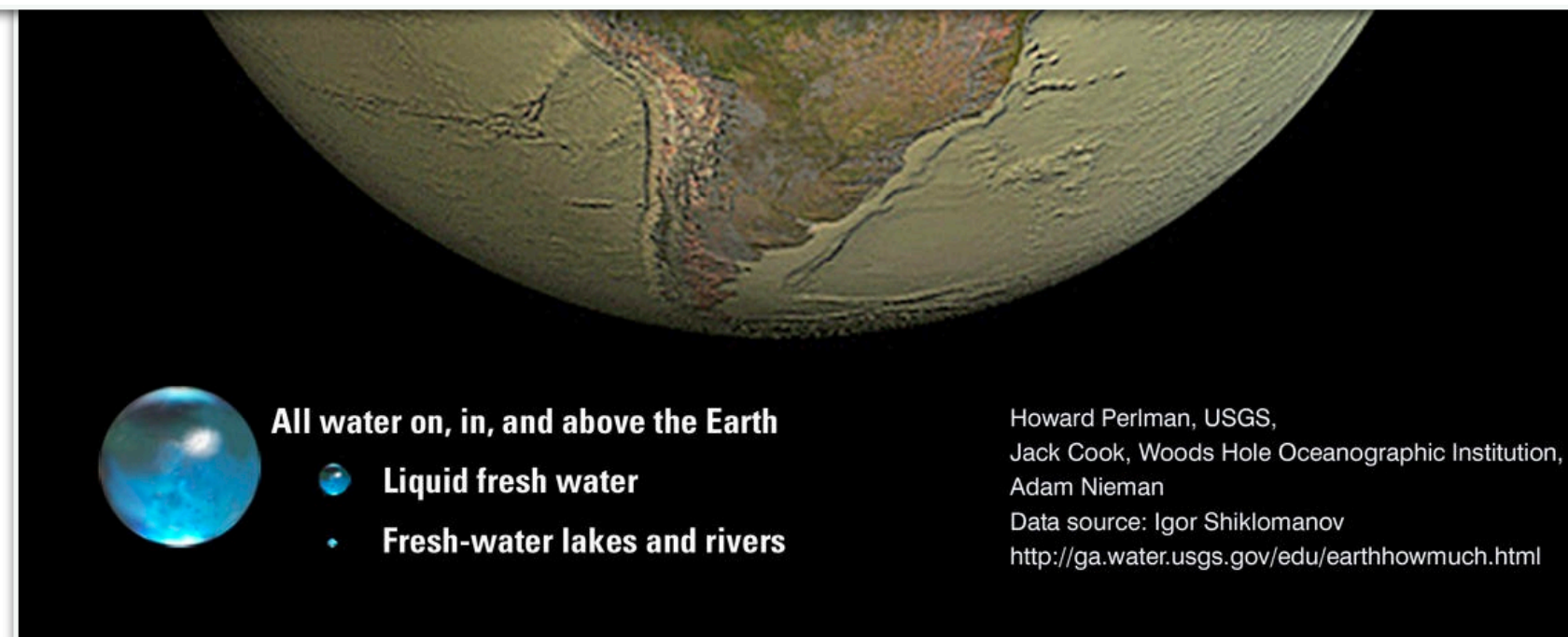
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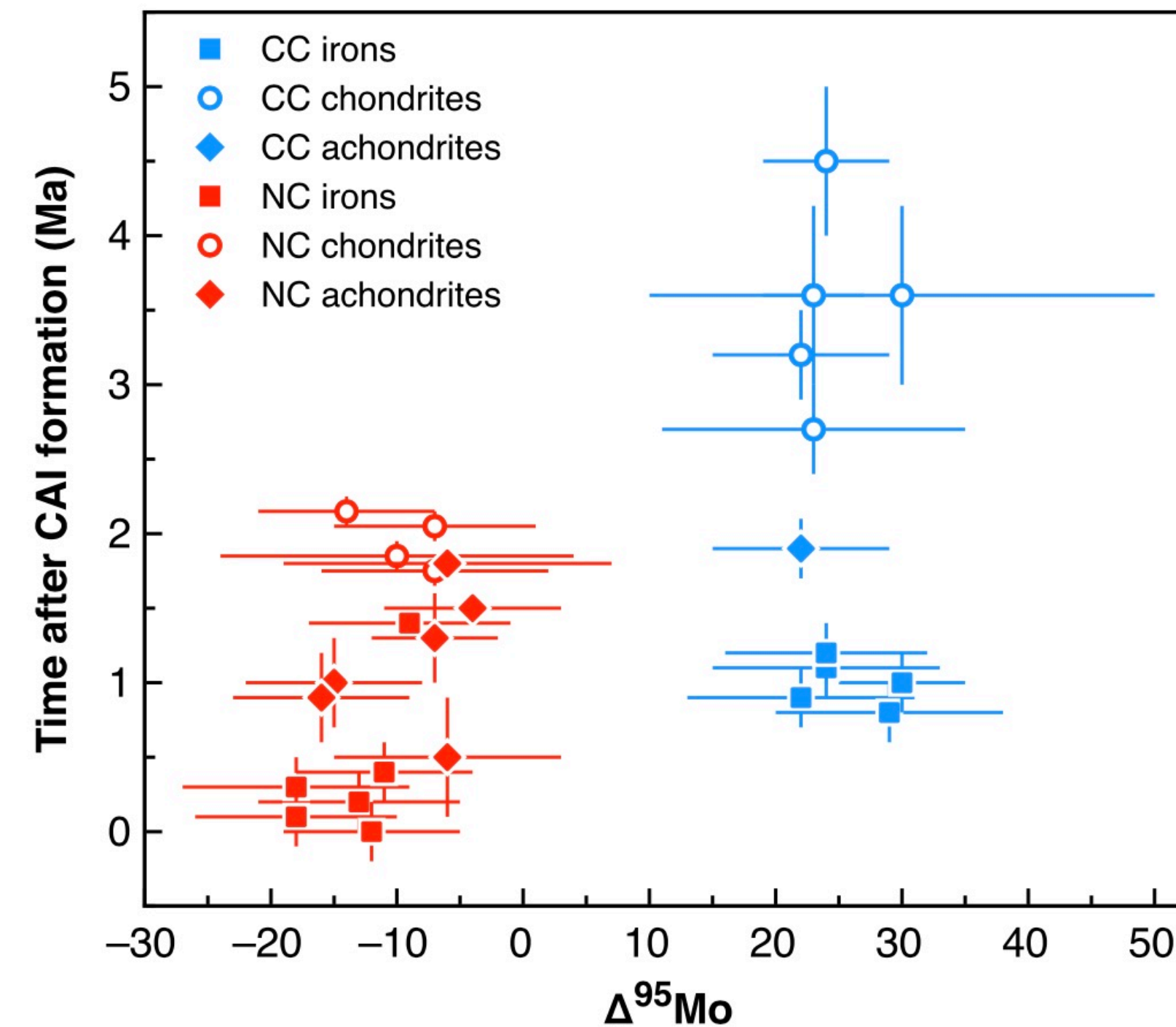
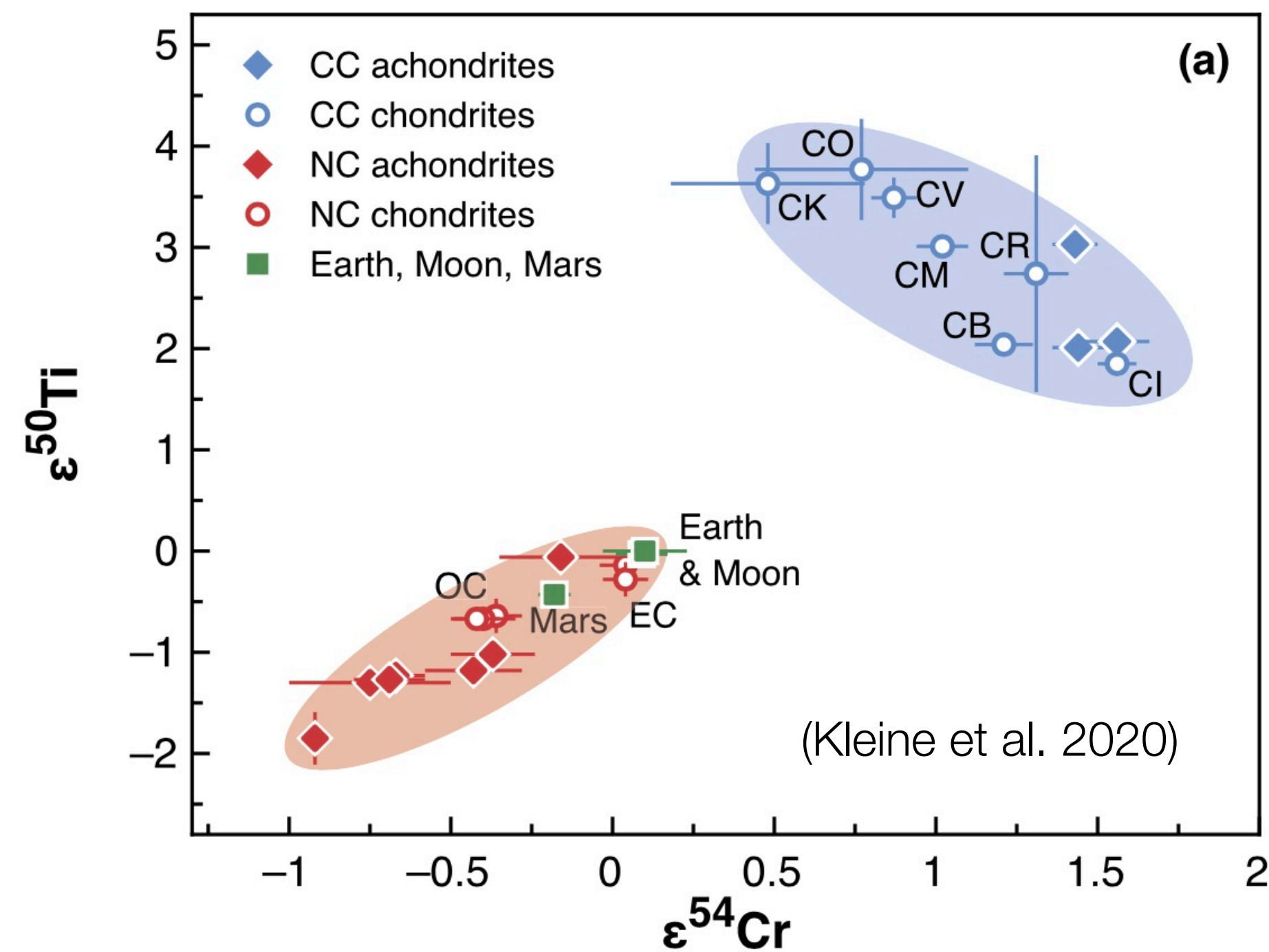
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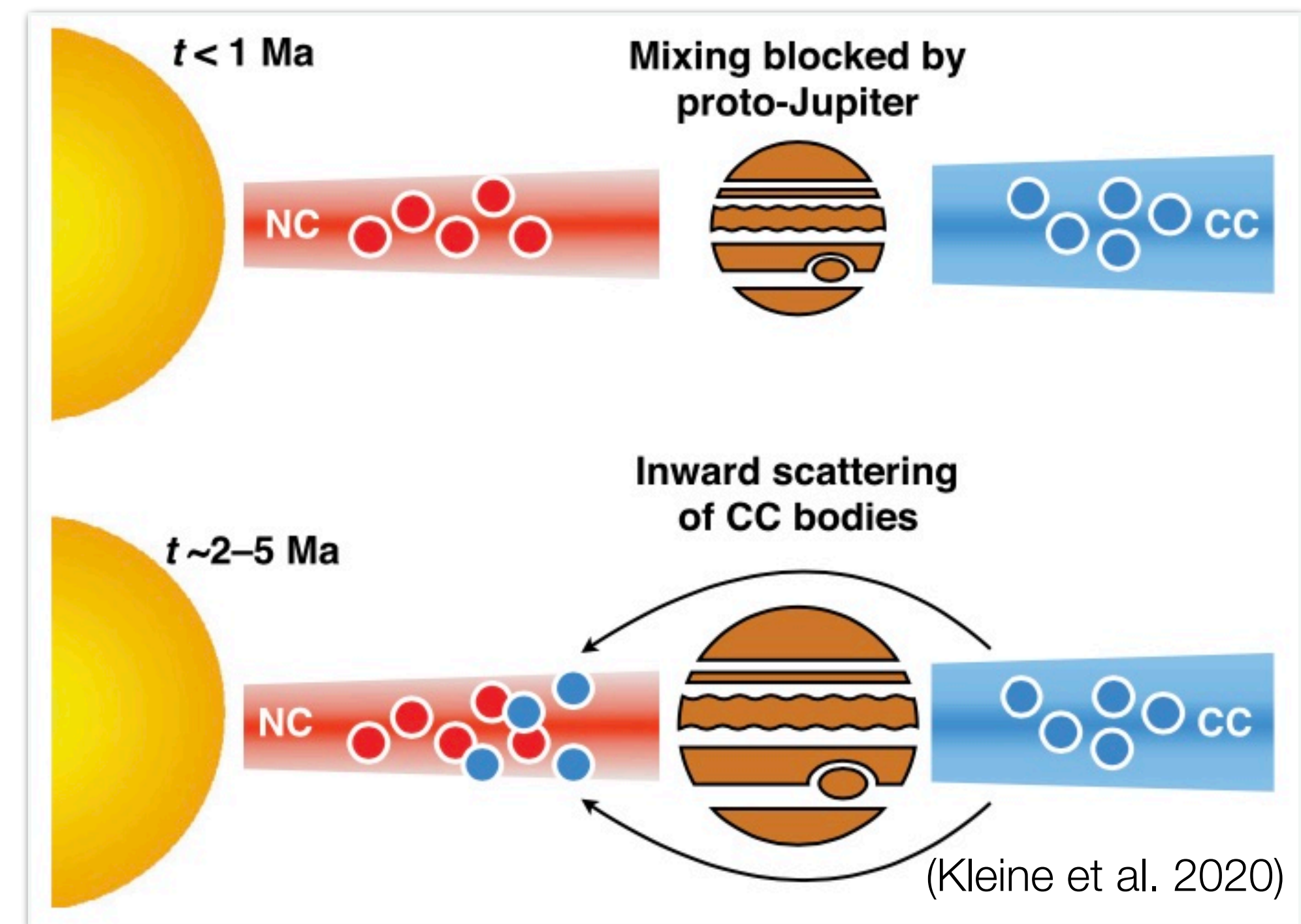
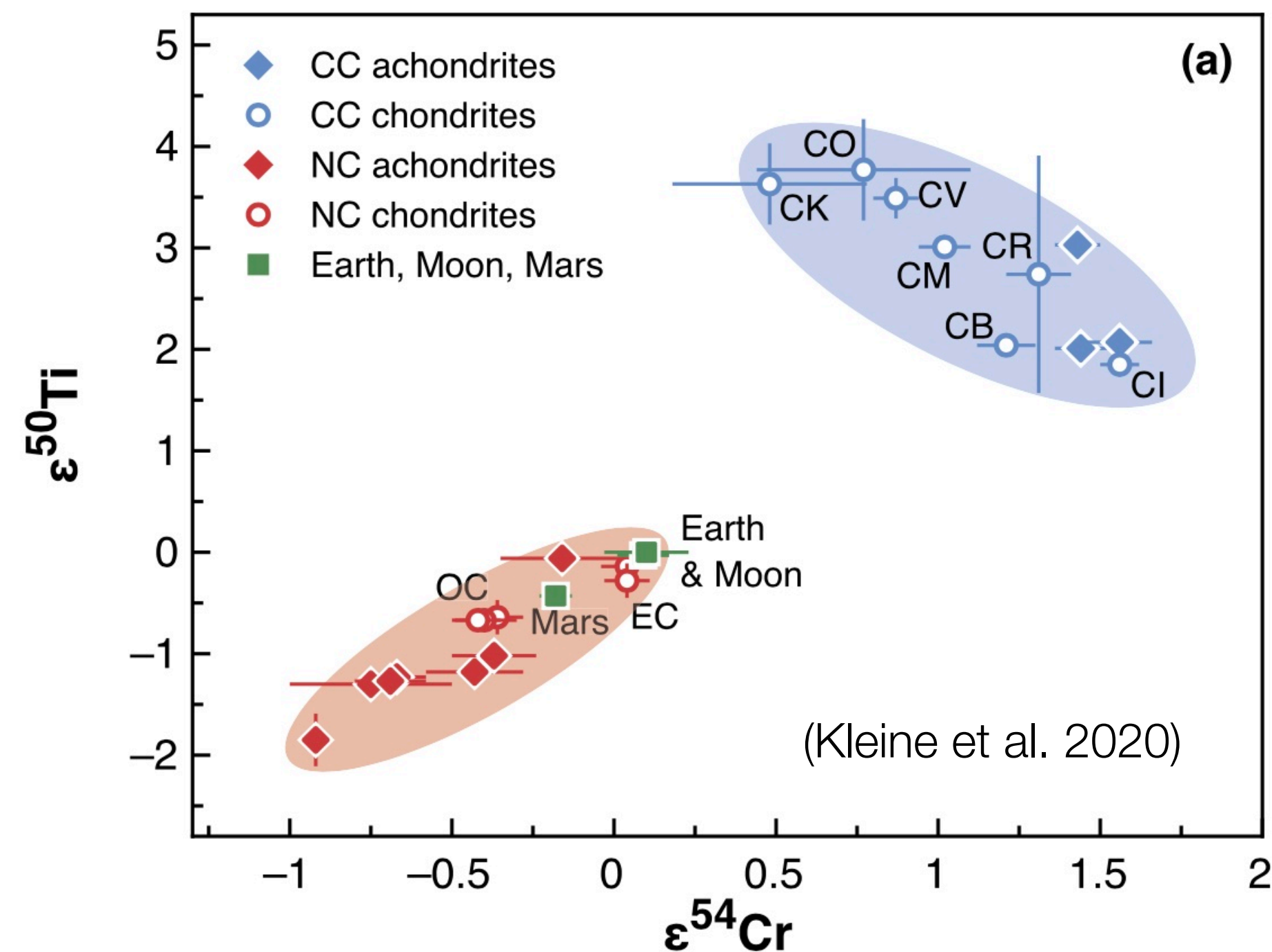
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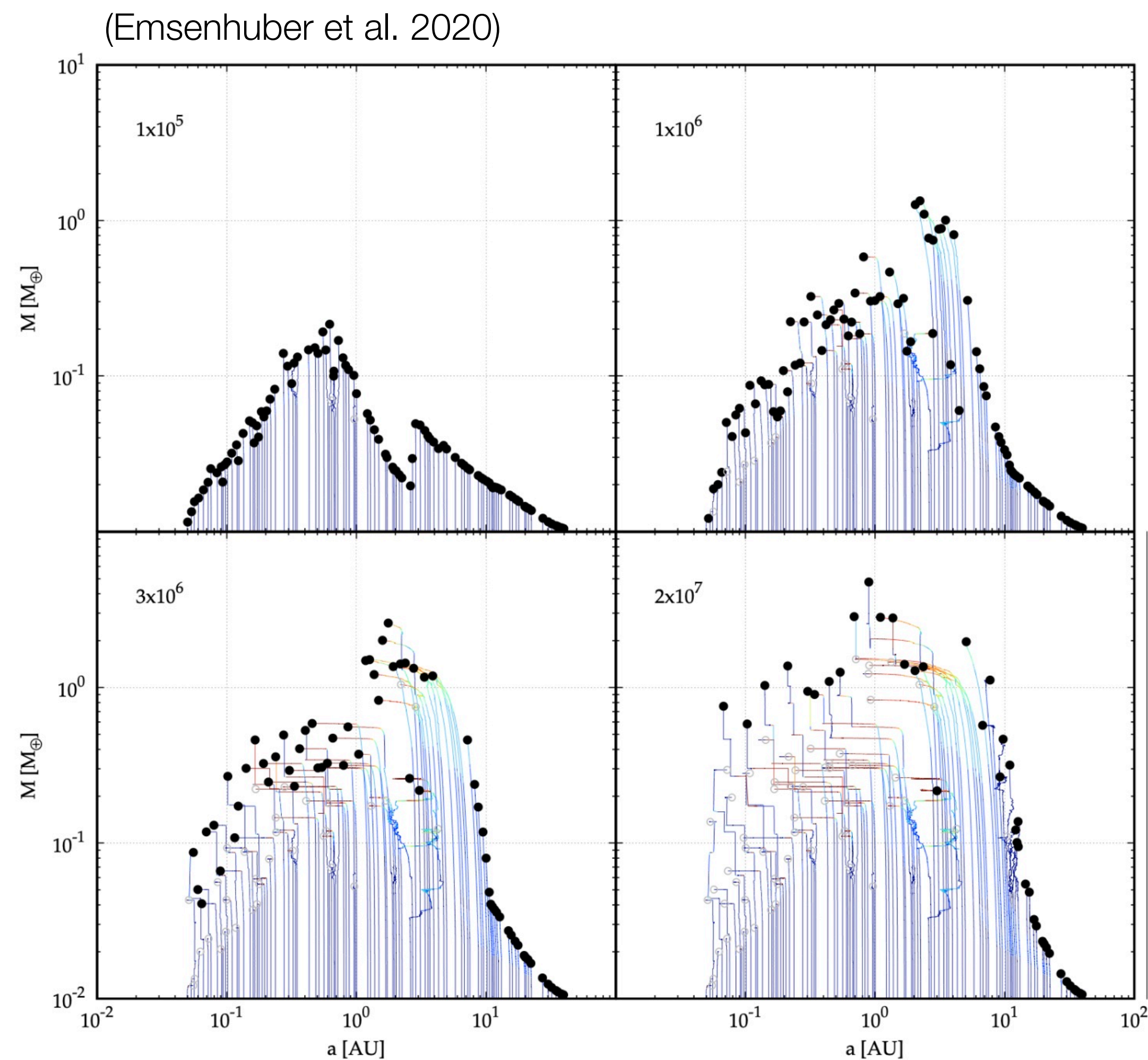


Planet formation models and simulations

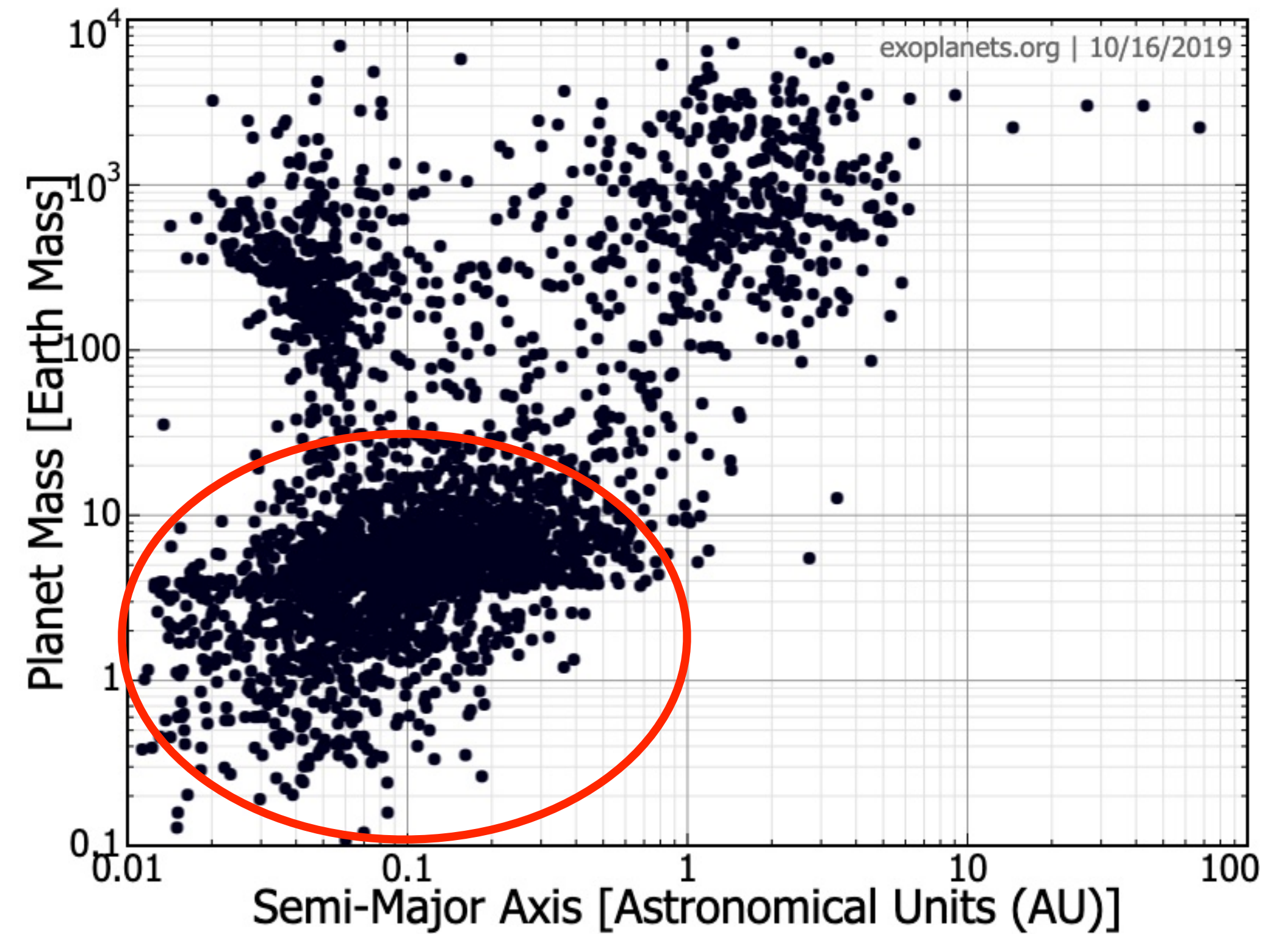
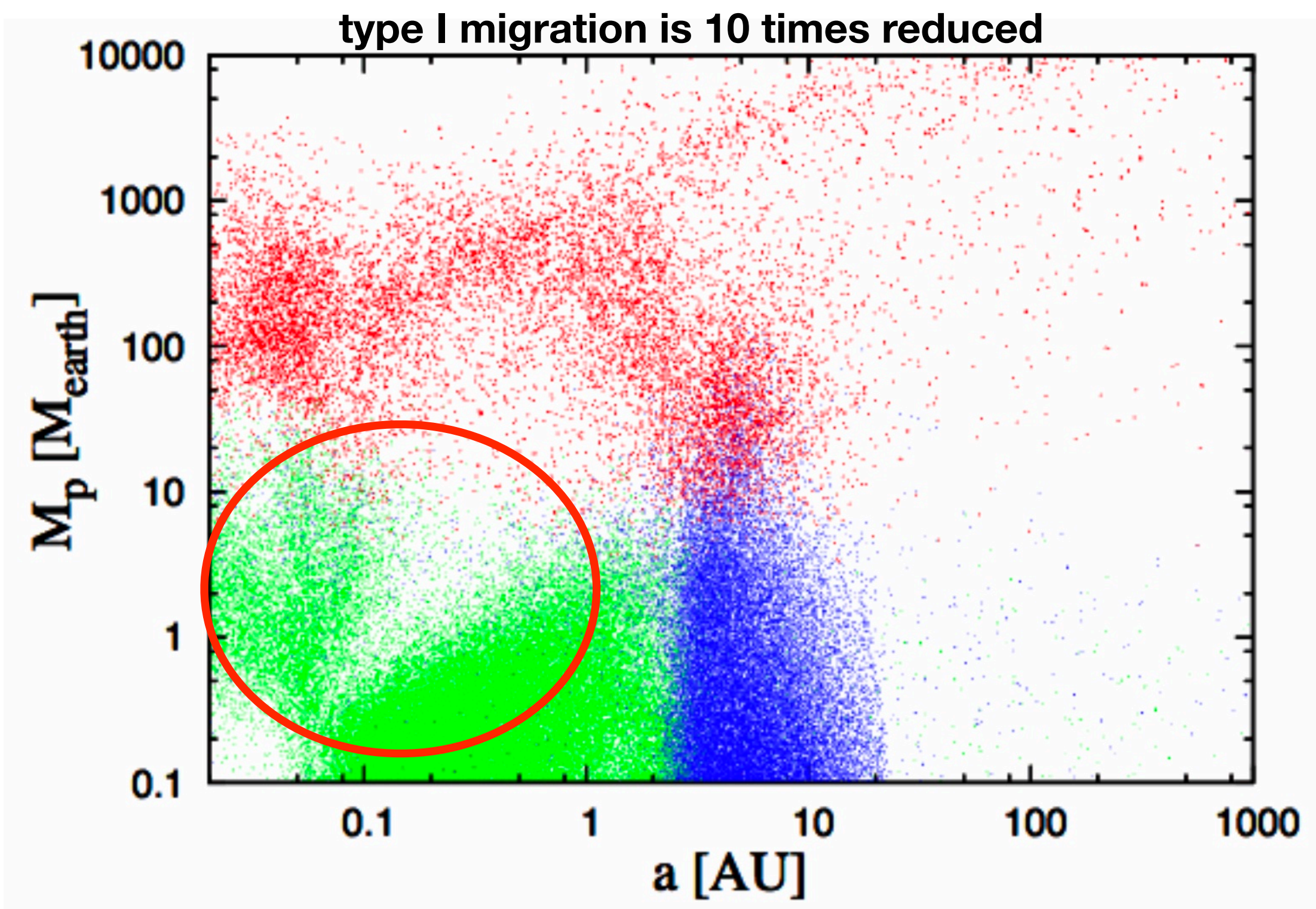


Population synthesis

- ▶ **Planet population synthesis:** There are many uncertainties in planet formation models (eg, disk mass, gas distribution). We can **treat these uncertainties as parameters**, and perform **a large number of simulations** with various values of the parameters.
- ▶ The results of the simulations are compared with observations (eg, occurrence rate, orbital distribution), which can lead to constrain the parameters.
- ▶ Famous models:
 - **Ida & Lin model** (2004ab, 2005, 2008ab, 2010, 2013)
 - **Bern model** (2009ab, 2011, 2012, 2013, etc.) → NGPPS (2020, 2021abc, etc.)
- ▶ Some physics (eg, pebble accretion, disk instability) not included.



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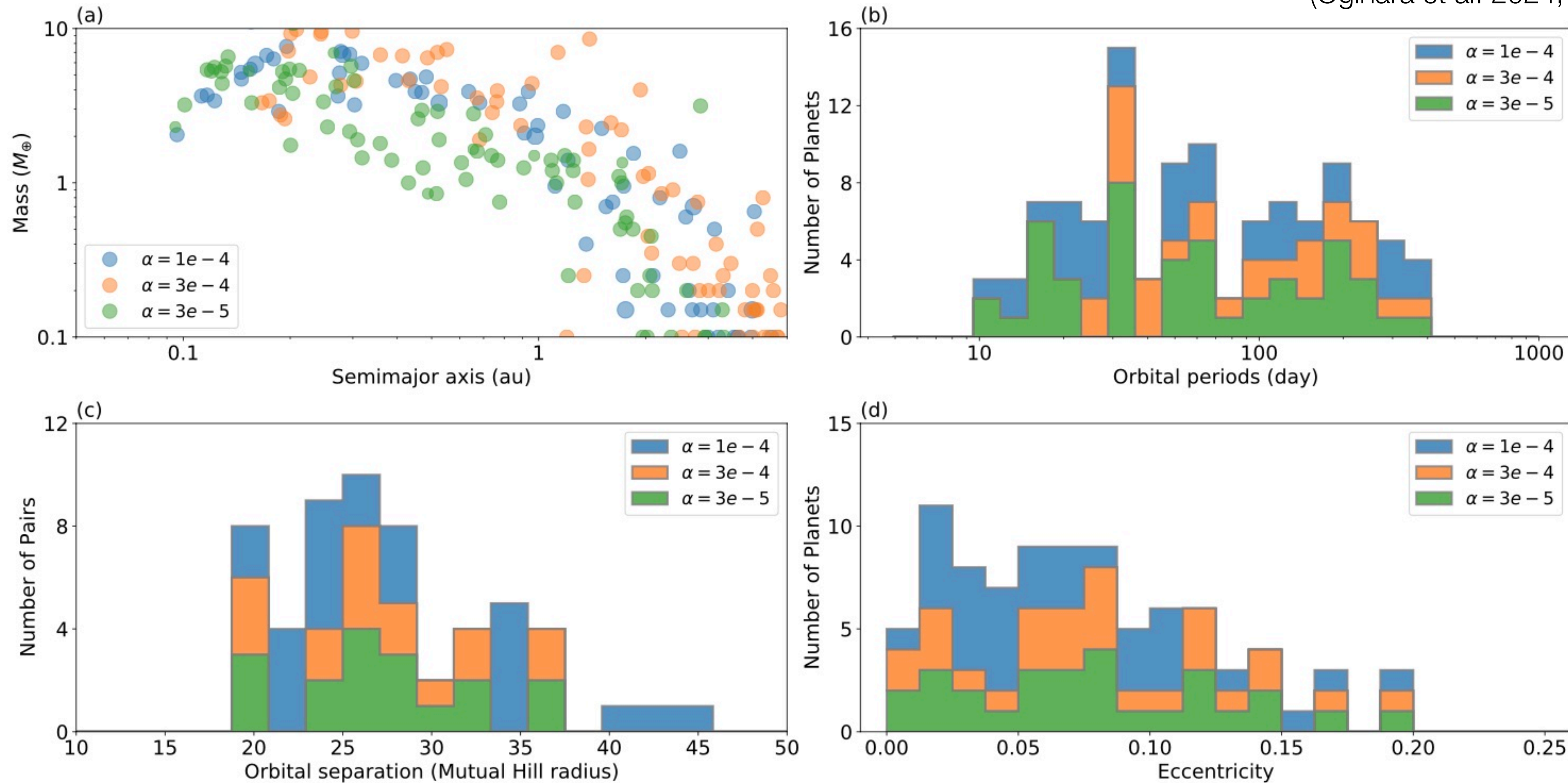


(Ida et al. 2013; see also Mordasini et al. 2014)

- ▶ There are several critical problems in small planet formation
- ▶ One problem is **rapid type I migration problem**
- ▶ Even if type I migration is artificially reduced by a factor of 10, we see a pileup of SENs at < 0.1 au

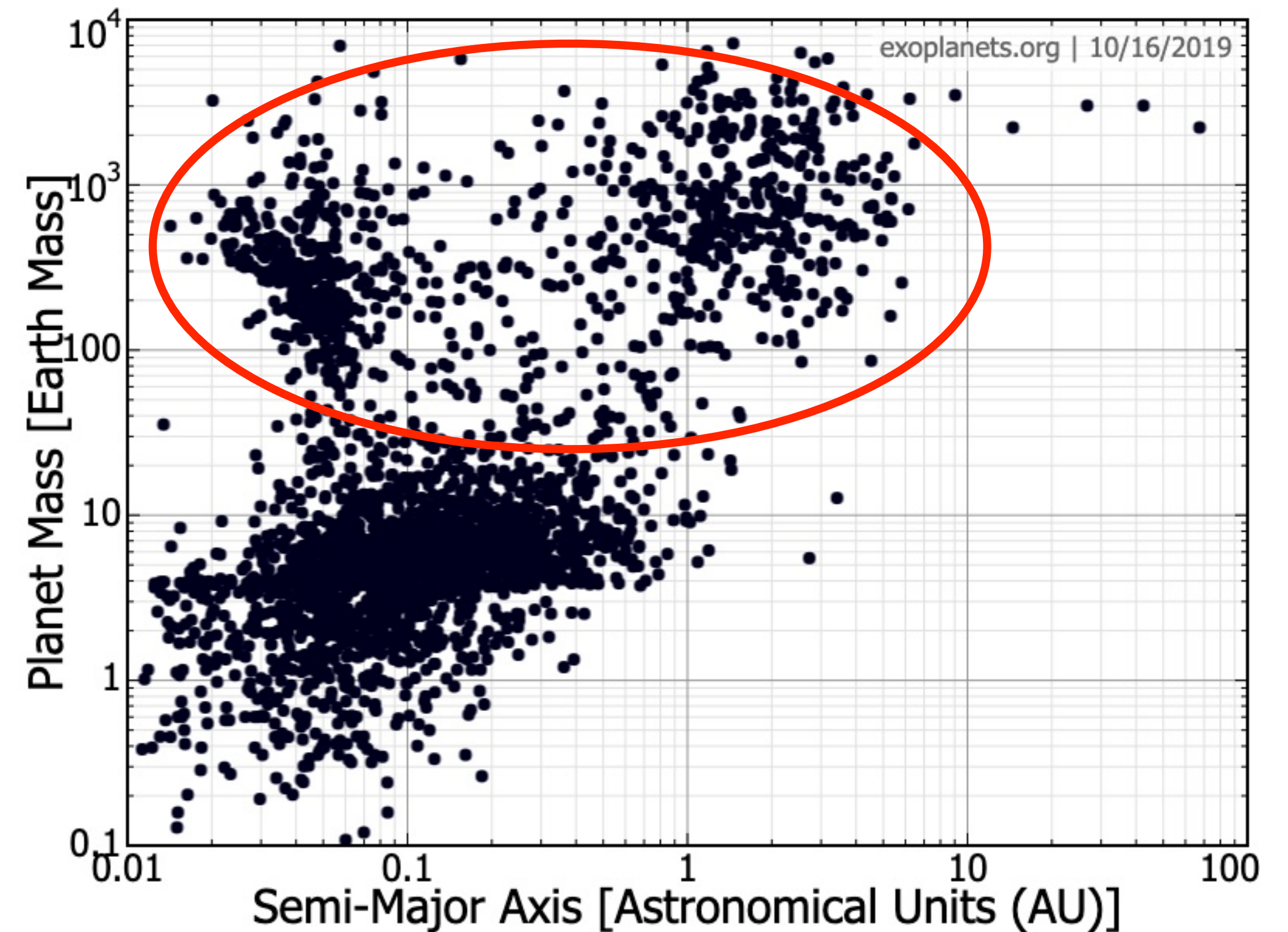
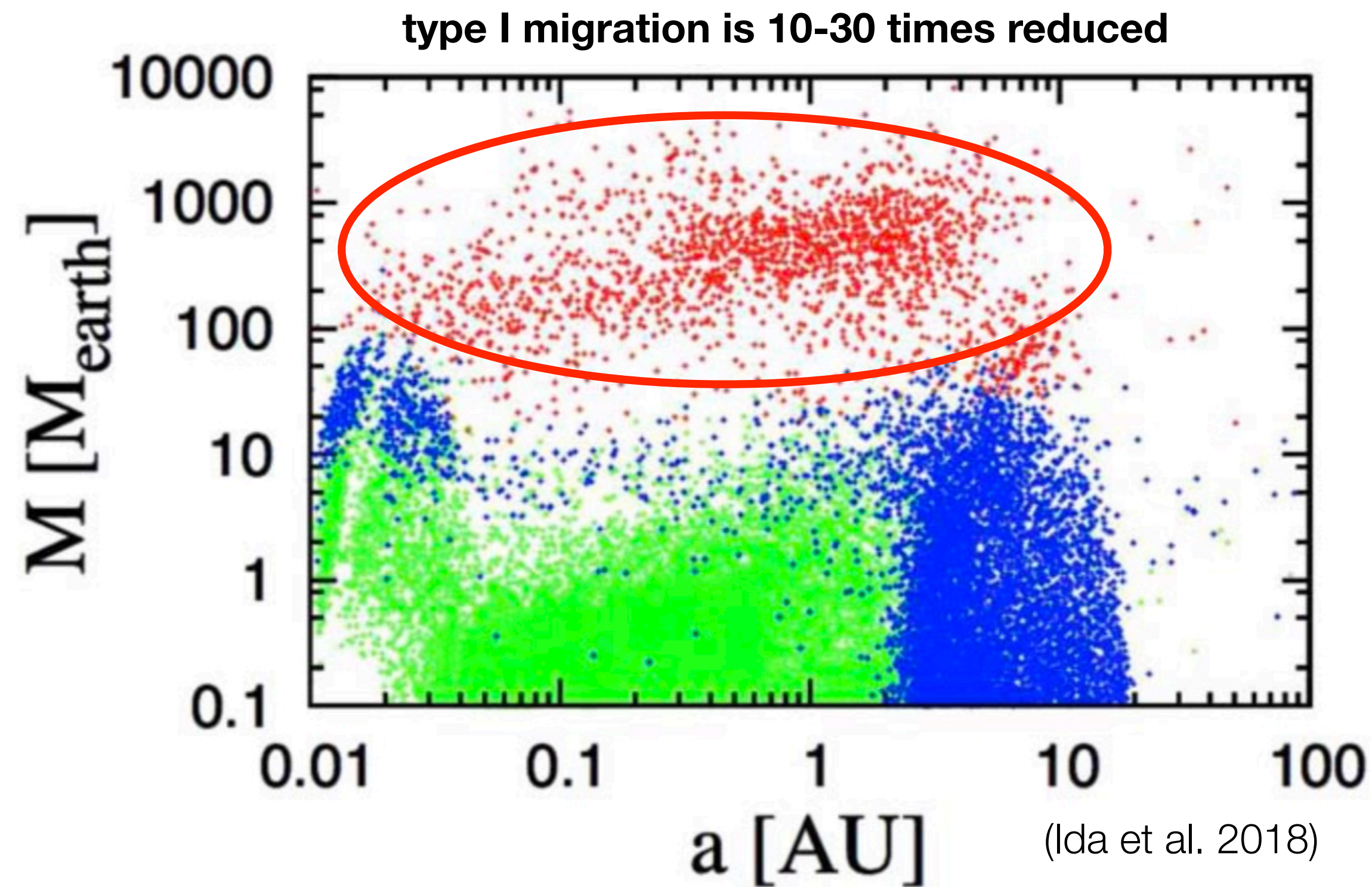
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(Ogihara et al. 2024, in press)



► Some recent studies by N-body simulation have successfully reproduce the characteristics of SENs

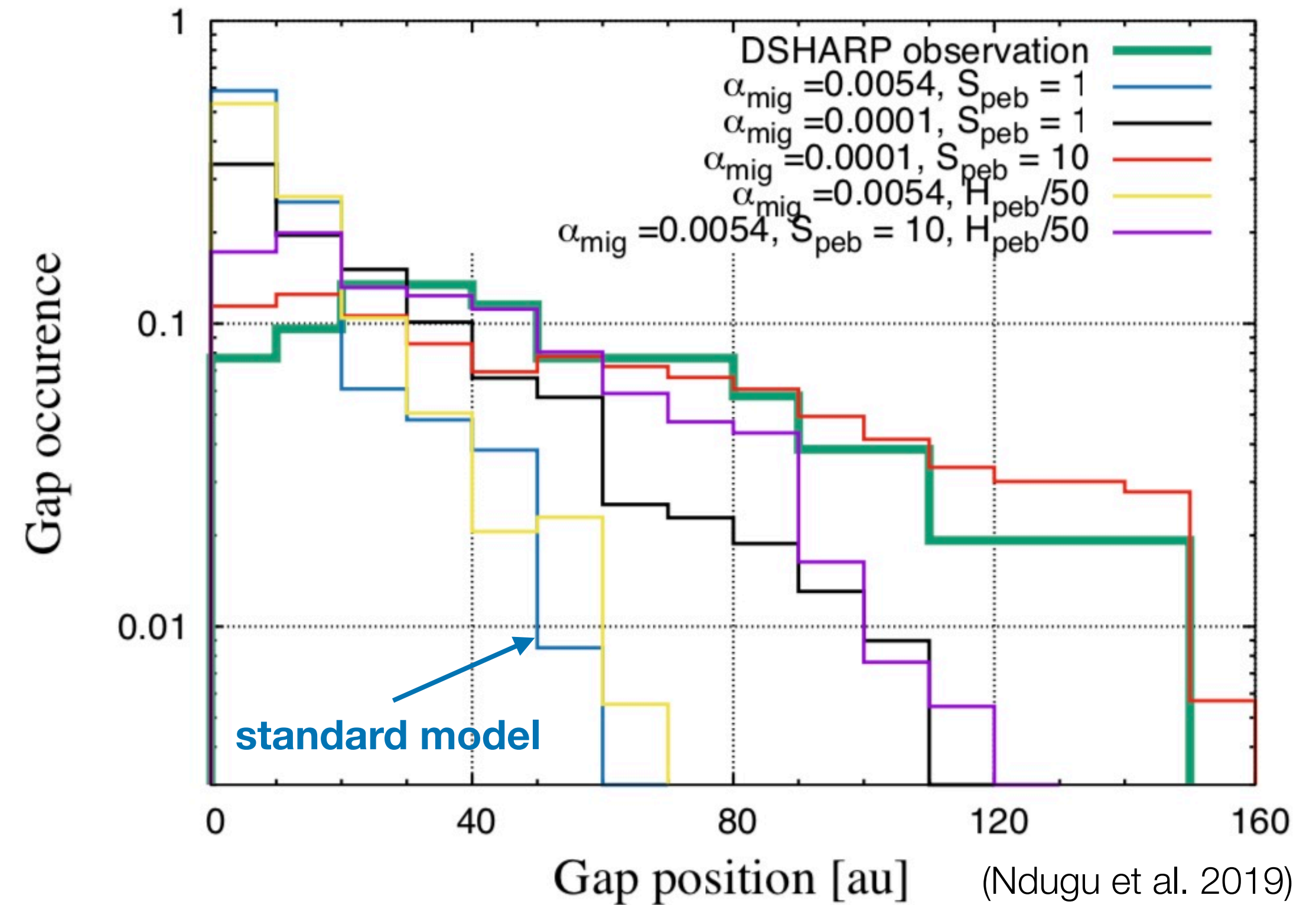
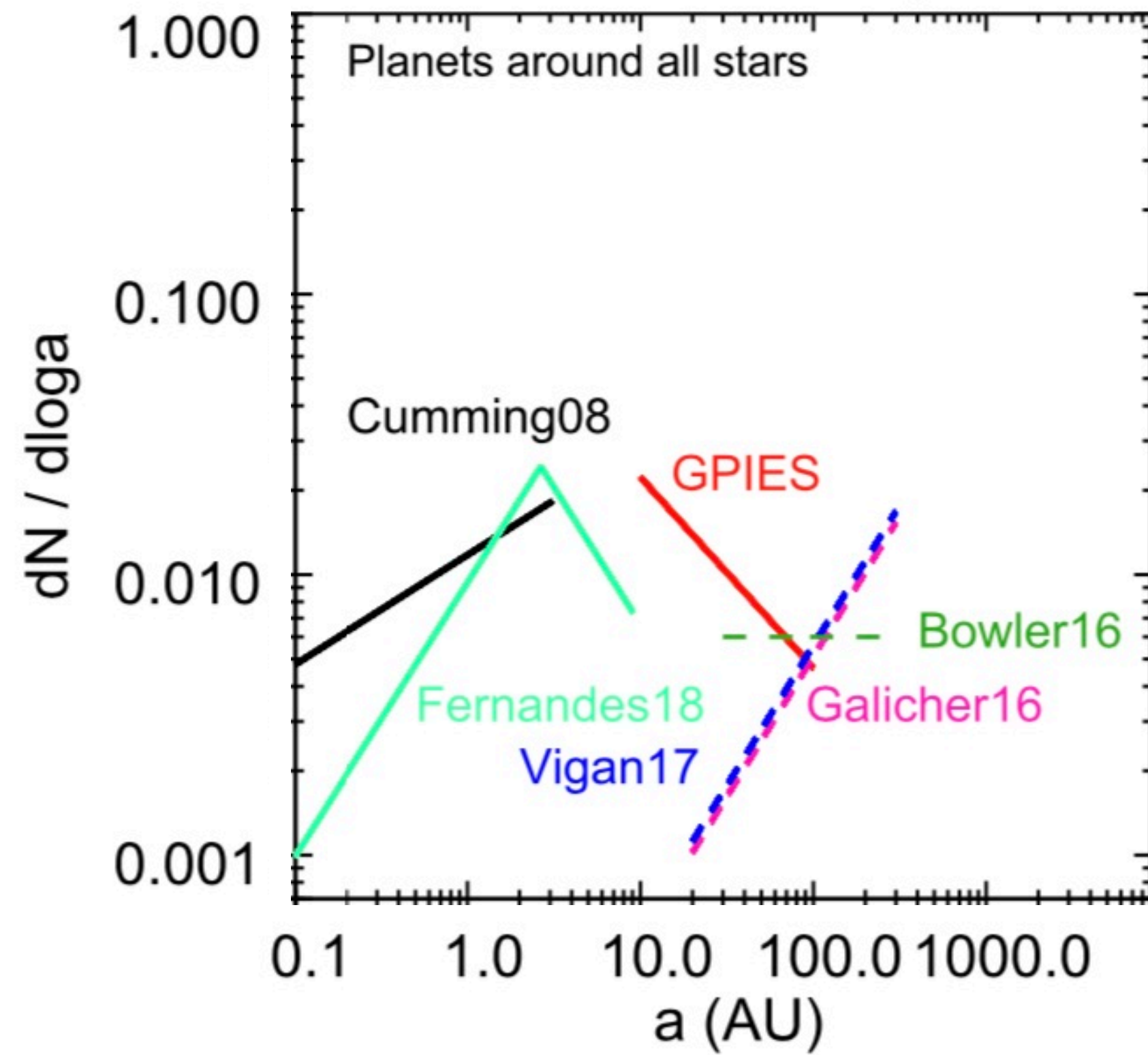
Giant planets



- ▶ There are also several critical problems in giant planet formation
- ▶ The problems include the **core growth problem** and the **orbital migration problem**
- ▶ Although there have been some updates to the type II migration model (Kanagawa et al. 2018), the orbital distribution of giant planets differs from observations

Occurrence rate

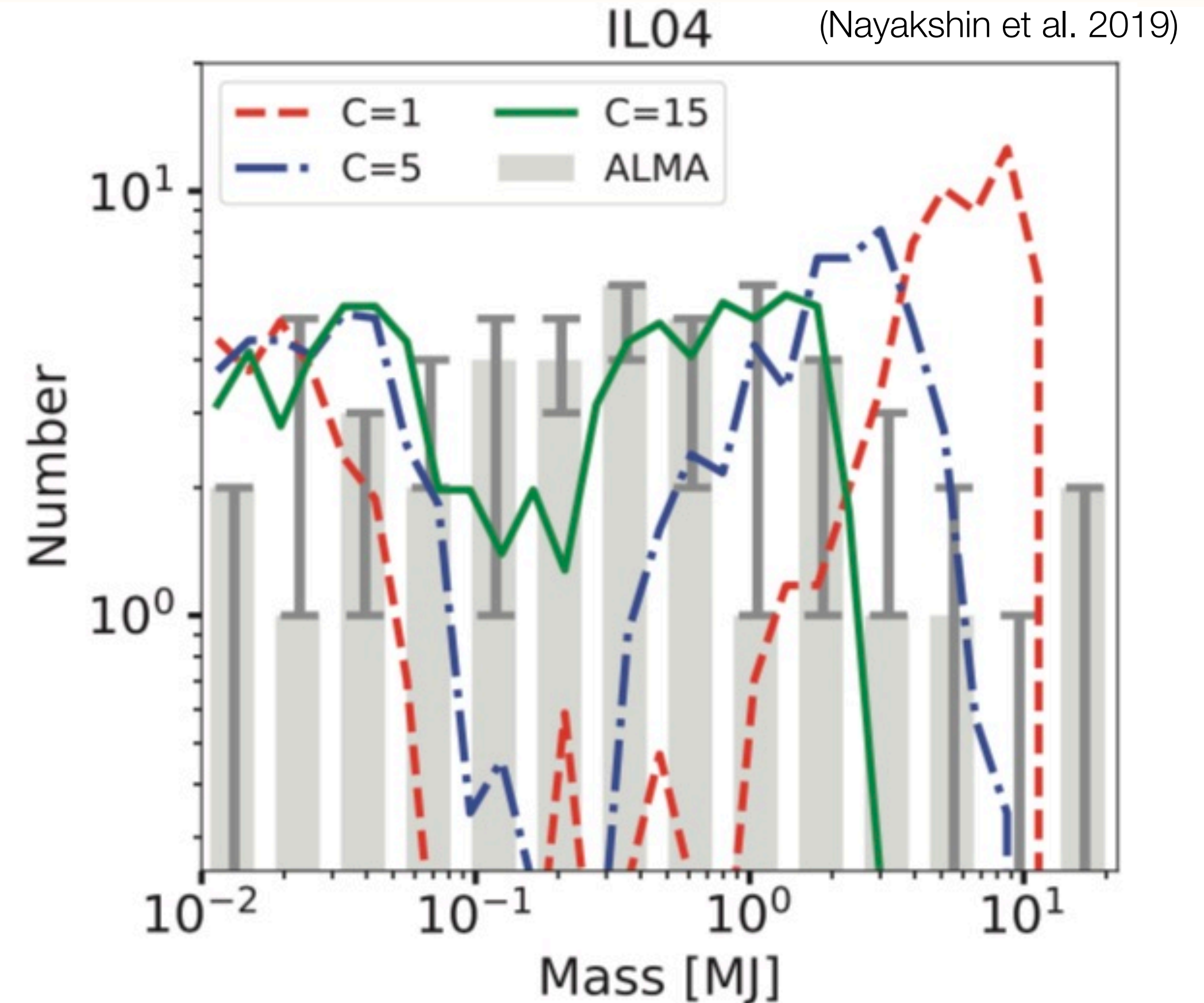
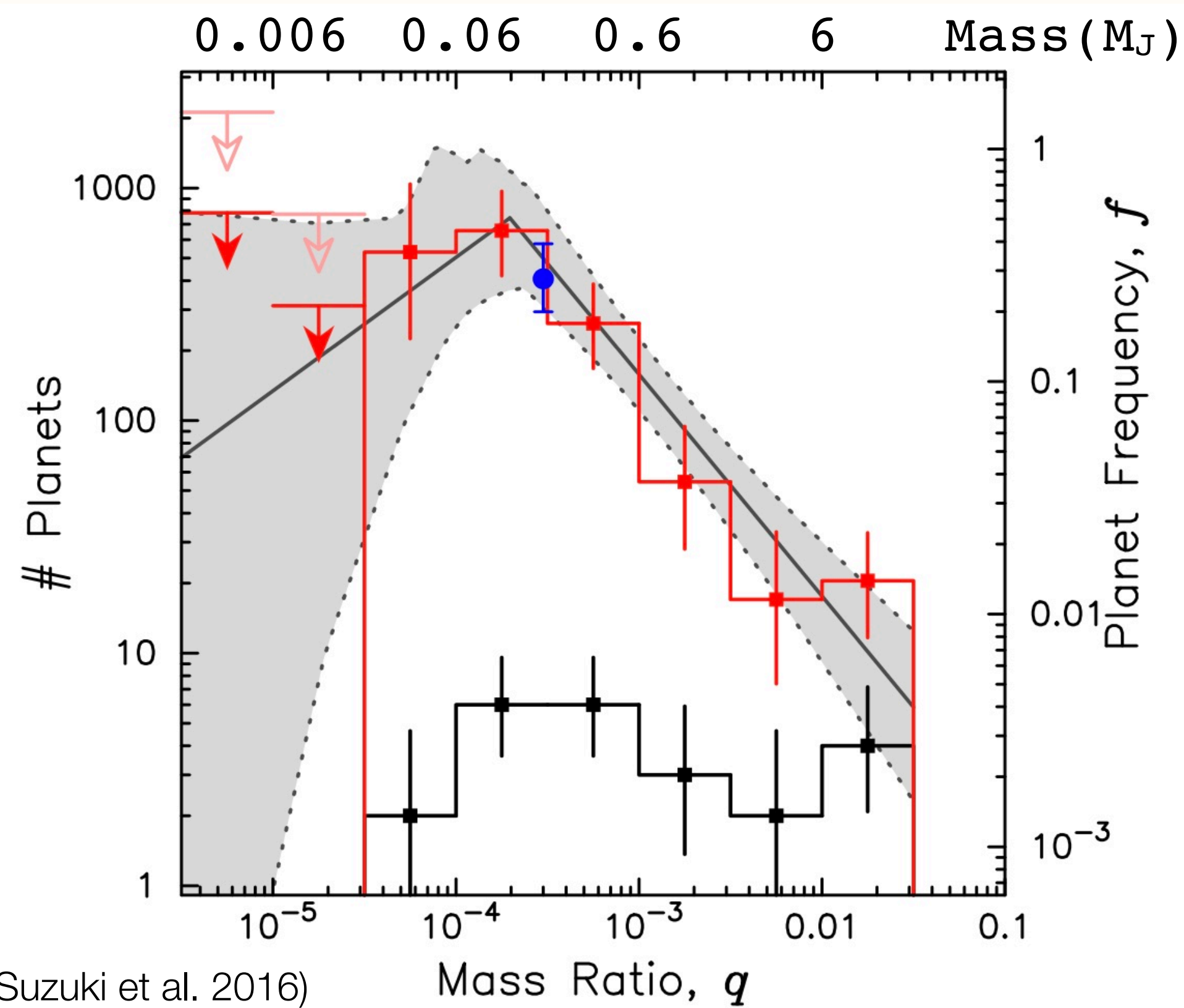
(from Nielsen et al. 2019) ——— Measured β



- ▶ Occurrence rates would be useful for development of planet formation theory
- ▶ Not much statistical theoretical studies yet

- ▶ The occurrence rate of CJs estimated by DSHARP (Huang+2018) cannot be reproduced by current simulations
- further investigation is required (eg, Lodato et al. 2019)

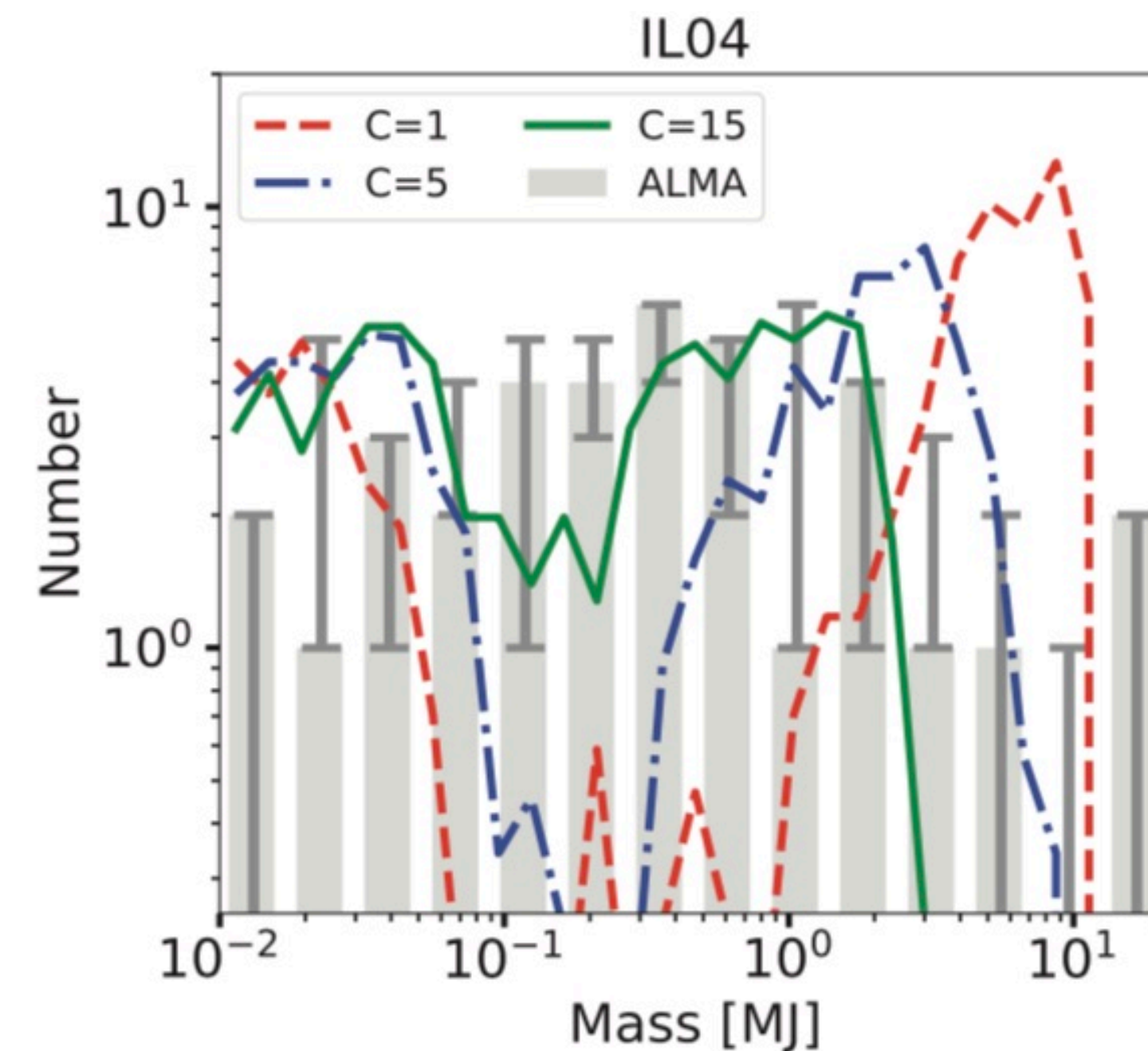
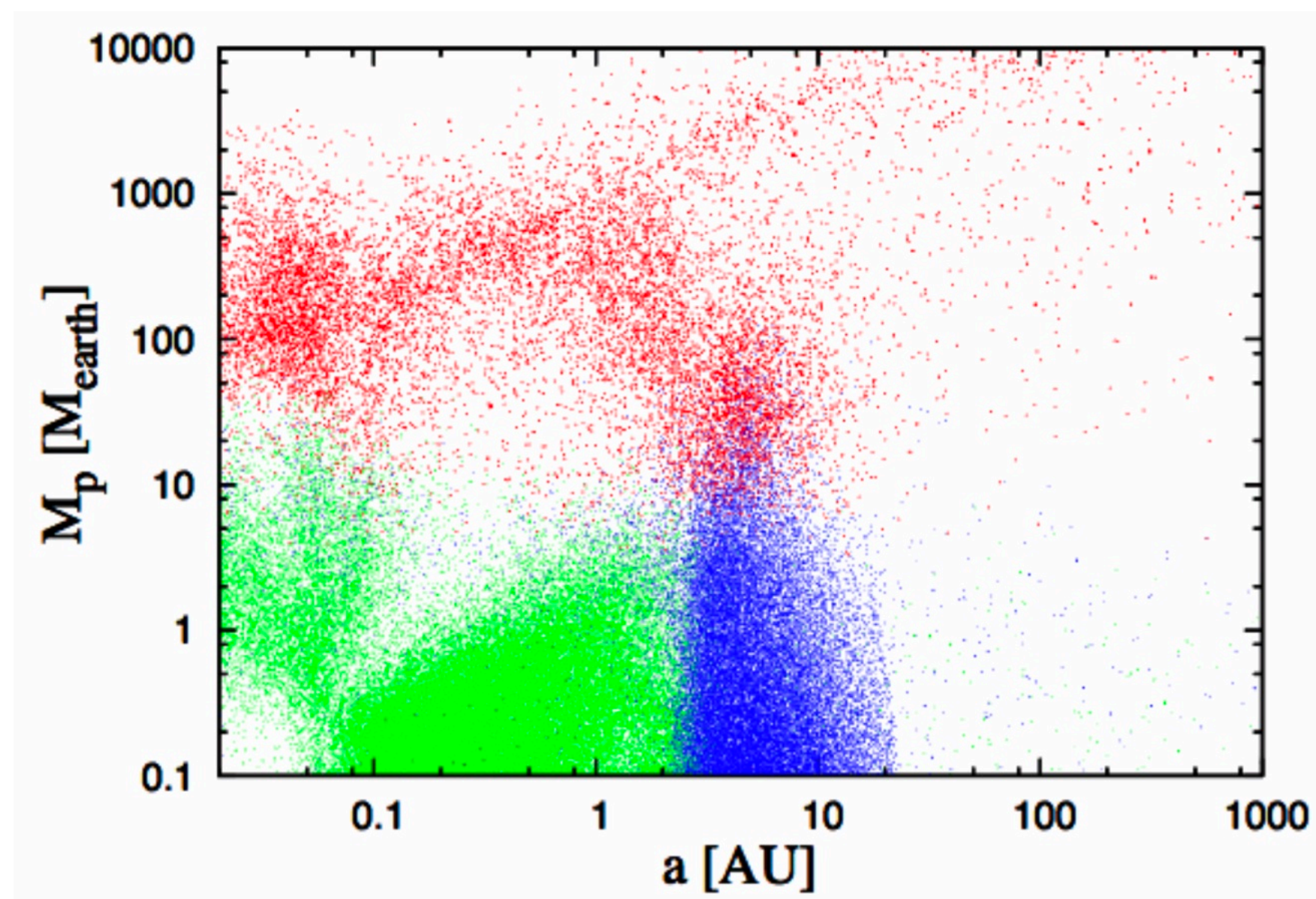
Mass distribution



- ▶ Mass distribution of cold planets is estimated by microlensing observations (→ new observations!?)
- ▶ A similar mass distribution is estimated by ALMA observations
- ▶ Population synthesis simulations predict a bimodal distribution (e.g., Ida et al. 2018)

Population synthesis

- ▶ The current planet population synthesis models can only roughly explain the observed properties of exoplanets
- ▶ This means that some physical processes included in the current model are probably incorrect
- ▶ Therefore, it is also important to perform [detailed study of each physical process](#) to identify important physical processes of planet formation and to gain a deeper understanding of such processes



Conclusions

▶ Further reading

- Textbooks: e.g., Astrophysics of Planet Formation (P. Armitage)
- Reviews: e.g., Protostars and Planets VII (PP7)
- But the textbooks are 10 years behind. You need to read the latest papers by yourself. Discuss the contents with various people.

▶ When doing planet research

- It would be helpful to think about the situation in the next 5-10 years
- You can do research that will get a lot of attention in the next 5-10 years
- You can also do something niche (on purpose)