An overview of PWNE

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PULSAR WIND NEBULAE

SNRs WITH

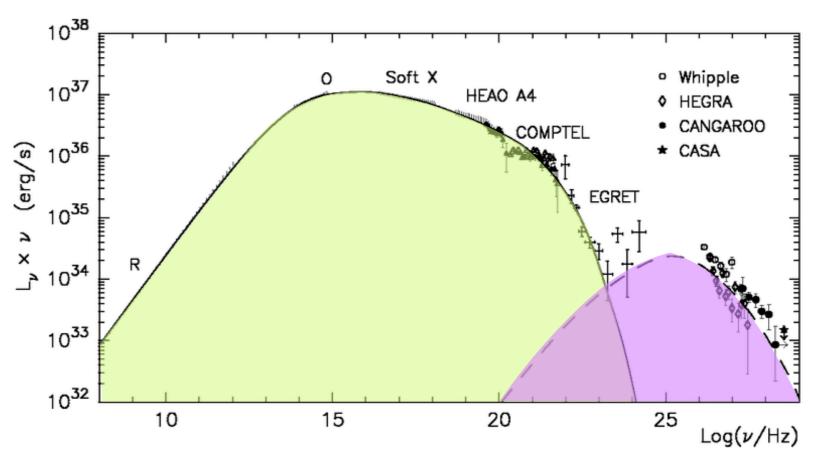
- CENTER FILLED MORPHOLOGY
- FLAT RADIO SPECTRUM

$$F_{\nu} \propto \nu^{-\alpha}, \quad \alpha < 0.5$$

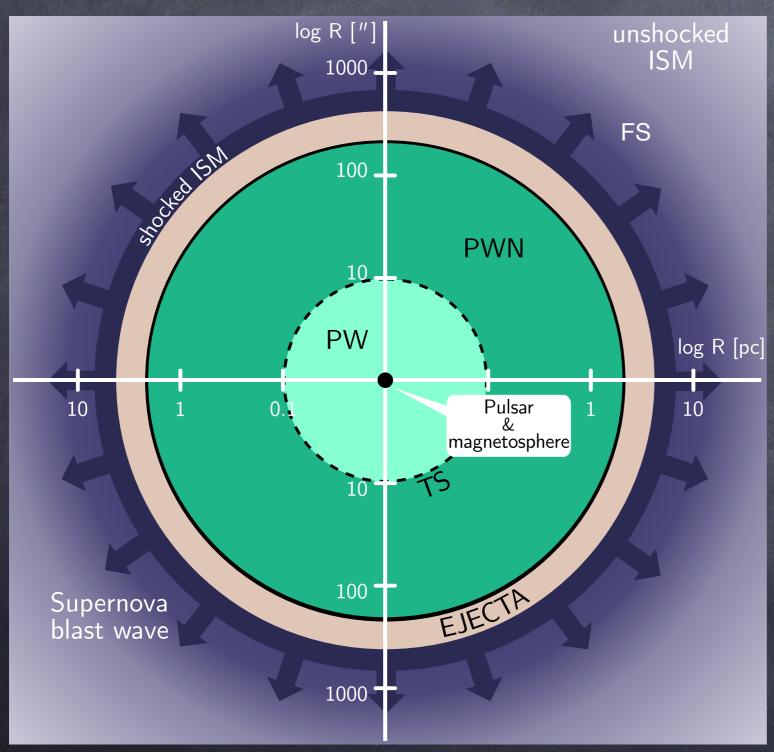


BROAD BAND NON-THERMAL SPECTRUM

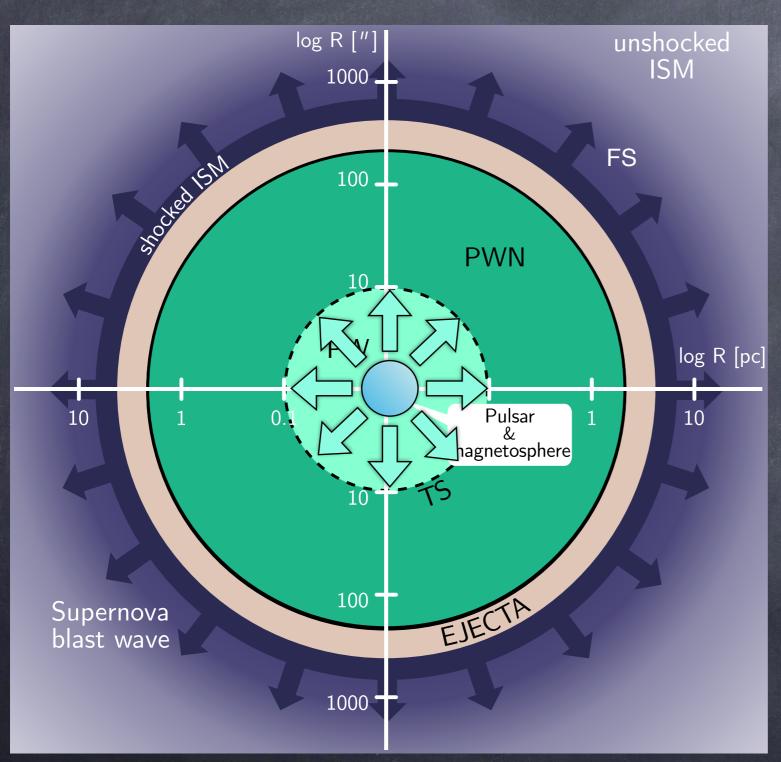
CRAB NEBULA spectrum [adapted from Atoyan & Aharonian 1996]



synchrotron radiation by relativistic particles in the nebular B field Inverse Compton scattering with local photon field



Adapted from Kennel & Coroniti 1984 [Del Zanna & Olmi 2017]



CENTRAL PULSAR



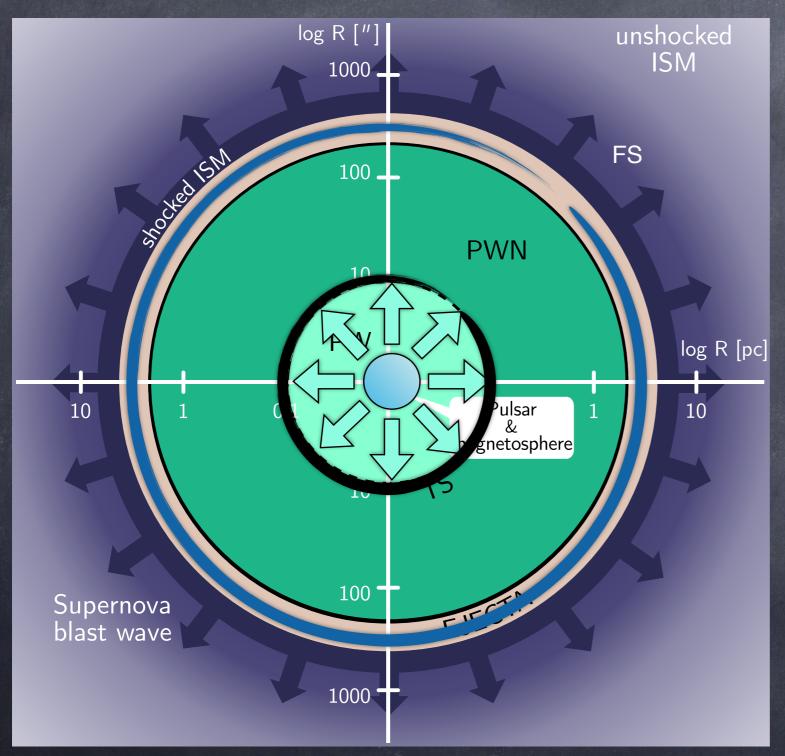
RELATIVISTIC MAGNETIZED

WIND

manly made of e+-e- pairs

(maybe a minority of ions)

Adapted from Kennel & Coroniti 1984 [Del Zanna & Olmi 2017]



Adapted from Kennel & Coroniti 1984 [Del Zanna & Olmi 2017] INTERACTION WITH EJECTA

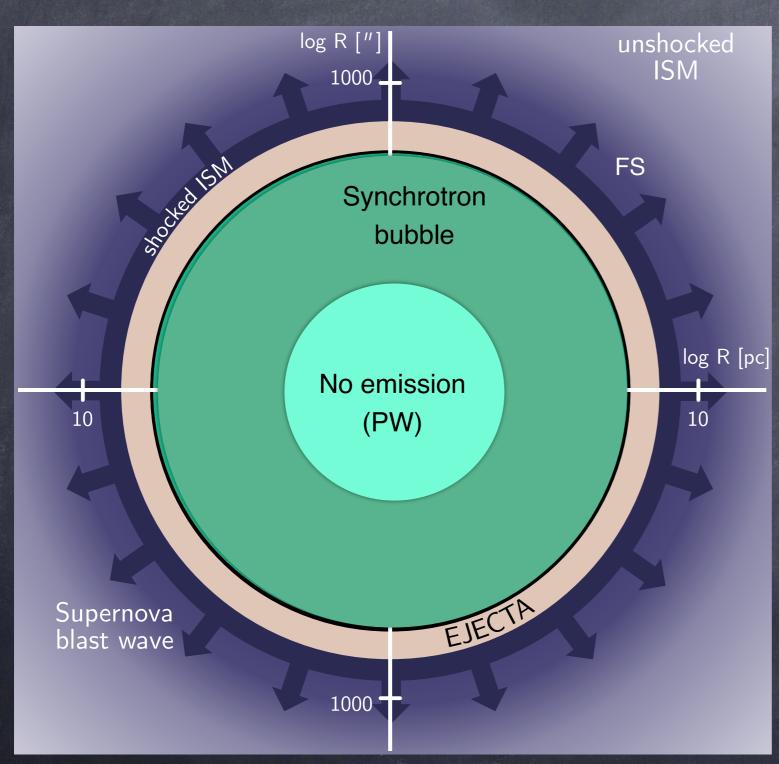
CAUSES A SHOCK AND A

REVERSE SHOCK

TERMINATION SHOCK
POSITION FROM
PRESSURE EQUILIBRIUM

$$\frac{\dot{E}}{4\pi cR_{TS}^2} = P_{PWN} = \frac{\dot{E} t}{4\pi R_N^3}$$

$$R_{TS} = \left(\frac{v_N}{c}\right)^{1/2} R_N$$

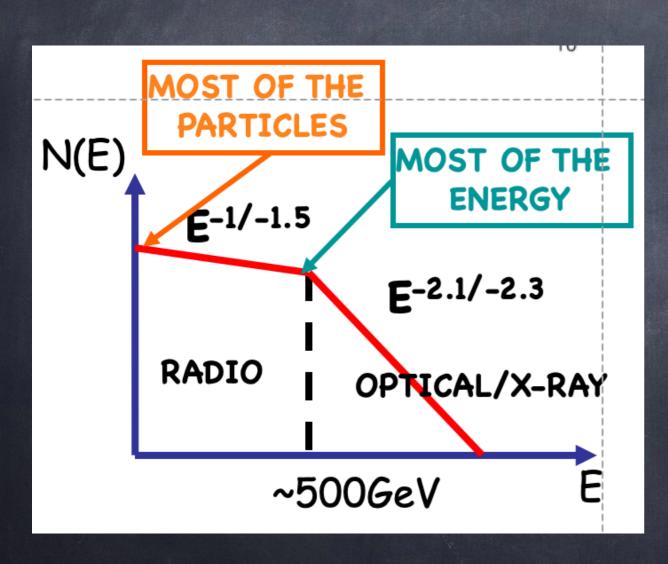


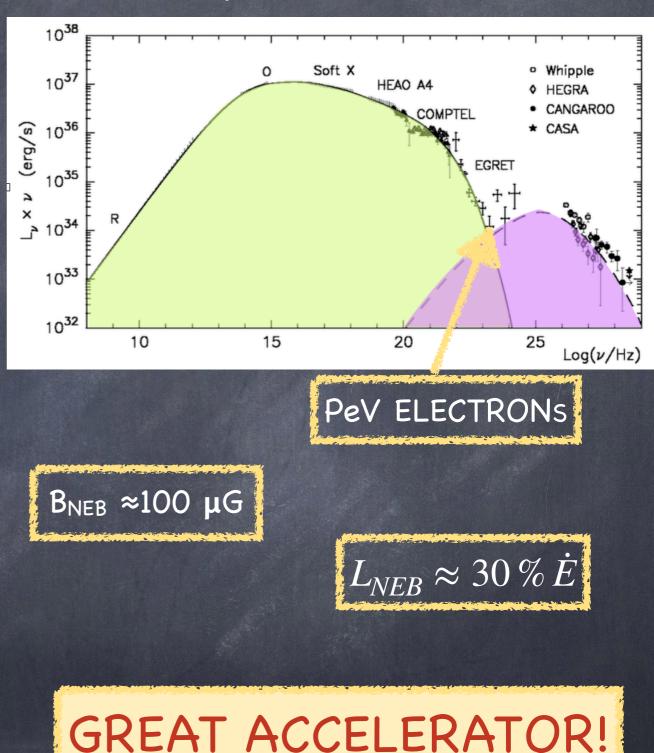
$$R_{TS} = \left(\frac{v_N}{c}\right)^{1/2} R_N$$

DISSIPATION AND
PARTICLE
ACCELERATION AT TS

Adapted from Kennel & Coroniti 1984 [Del Zanna & Olmi 2017]

EMITTING PARTICLES





ONE ZONE MODELS

(Pacini & Salvati 1973, EA+ 2000, Bucciantini+ 2011....)

MAIN OPEN QUESTIONS

WHAT WE KNOW:

- MOST EFFICIENT ACCELERATORS IN NATURE
- ACCELERATION IN THE MOST HOSTILE ENVIRONMENT
- MAIN ANTIMATTER REPOSITORIES IN THE GALAXY
- ENERGY FLUX THAT LEAVES THE PSR

$$\dot{E} = \kappa \dot{N}_{GJ} m_e \Gamma c^2 \left(1 + \frac{m_i}{\kappa m_e} \right) (1 + \sigma)$$

WE DO NOT KNOW:

- WHAT THE ACCELERATION MECHANISM(S) IS (ARE)

POSSIBILITIES DEPEND ON

WIND COMPOSITION (IONS? κ ?)

WIND MAGNETIZATION (σ ?)

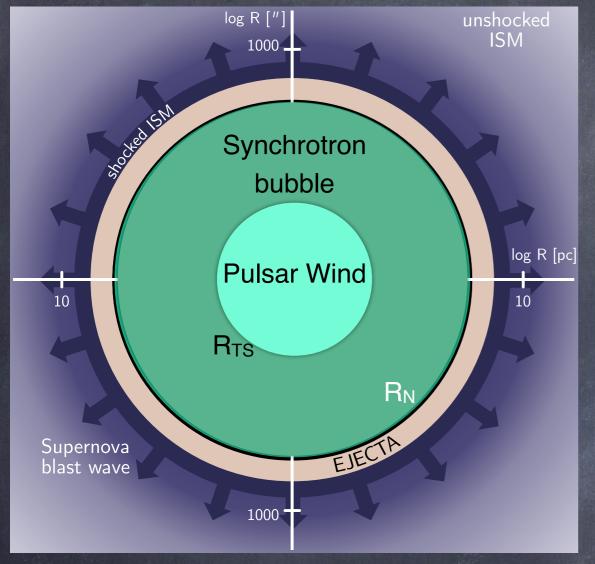
IN PRINCIPLE BOTH
DEPEND
ON LOCATION

- HOW PARTICLES ESCAPE

CONSTRAINING THE WIND MAGNETIZATION

1D/2D STEADY STATE MODELS

[Rees & Gunn 1974, Kennel & Coroniti 1984, Emmering & Chevalier 1987, Begelman & Li 1992]



Assumptions:

- strong perpendicular shock
- subsonic flow in the nebula
- particle acceleration at the shock
- synchrotron losses beyond the shock

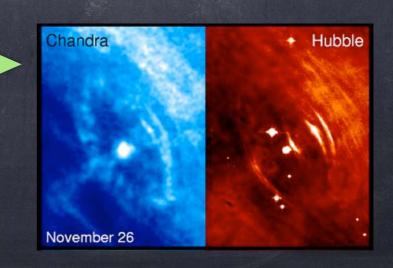
Main Free parameters:

- ullet particle spectral index(es) $o \gamma$
- \bullet wind Lorentz factor $\to \Gamma$
- wind magnetization $ightarrow \sigma = rac{B^2}{4\pi \; n_\pm \; m_e \; c^2 \; \Gamma^2}$

Predictions:

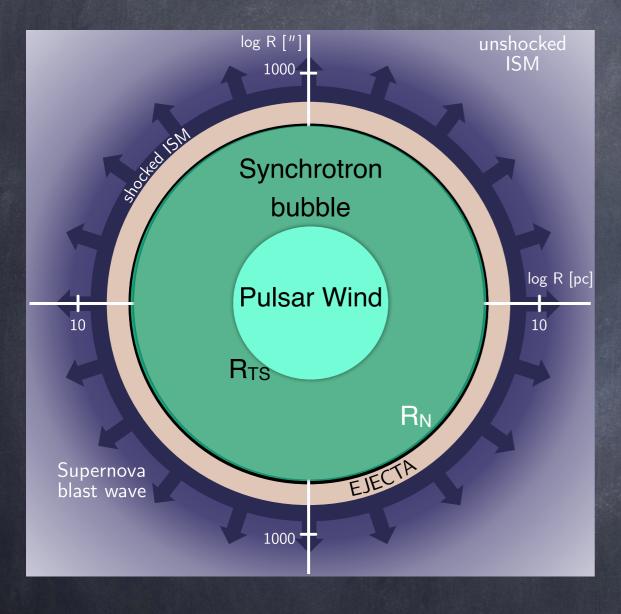
• position of TS $\rightarrow R_{TS} \sim R_N (V_N/c)^{1/2} \sim 0.1 \ pc$

- Optical / X-ray spectrum [de Jager & Harding 1992, Atoyan & Aharonian 1996]
- size shrinkage with increasing energy



1D/2D STATIC MODELS OF PWNE

[Rees & Gunn 1974, Kennel & Coroniti 1984, Emmering & Chevalier 1987, Begelman & Li 1992]



Main Free parameters:

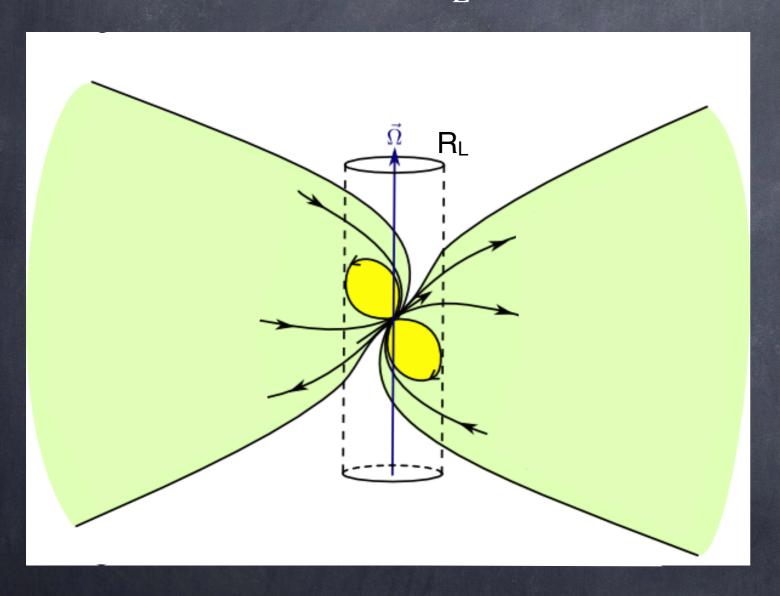
- particle spectral index(es) $\rightarrow \gamma = 2.3$
- wind Lorentz factor $\rightarrow \Gamma = 3 \times 10^6$
- . wind magnetization $\rightarrow \sigma = v_N/c \approx 3 \times 10^{-3}$

FROM DYNAMICS AND RADIATION MODELING OF OPTICAL /X-RAY EMISSION

THE O PROBLEM

FROM PULSAR THEORIES:

$$\sigma \sim 10^4 @ R_L$$



FROM 1D PWN MODELS:

$$\sigma \sim 10^{-3} @ R_{TS}$$

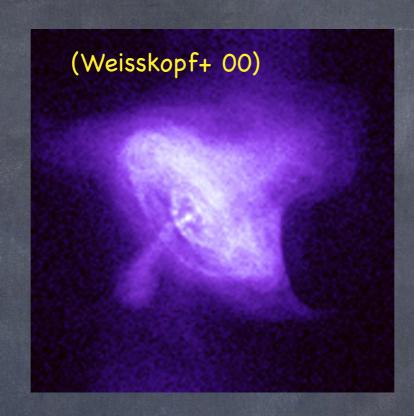


 $R_{TS} \sim 10^9 R_L$

BUT ENERGY CONVERSION DIFFICULT TO EXPLAIN

CHANDRA'S VIEW OF PWNE





Jet-torus morphology of inner nebula

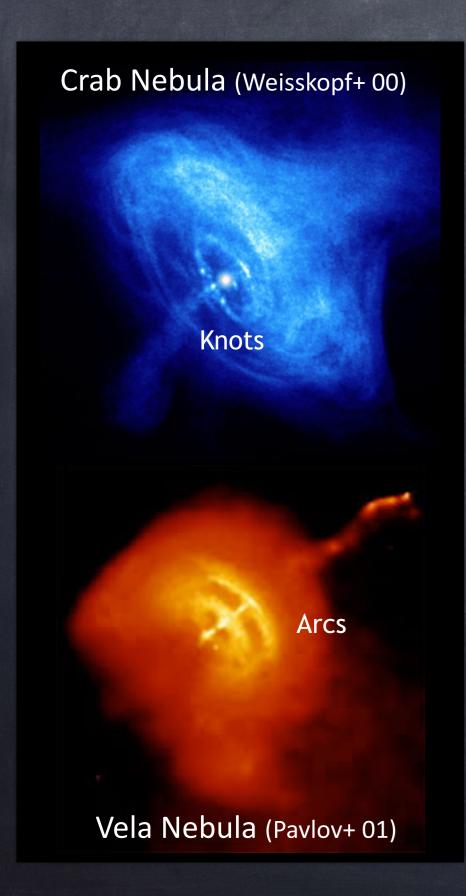


Counter jet

Equatorial torus

Polar jet

THE DET PUZZLE



JET FROM R<R_{TS}



BUT NO MAGNETIC

COLLIMATION

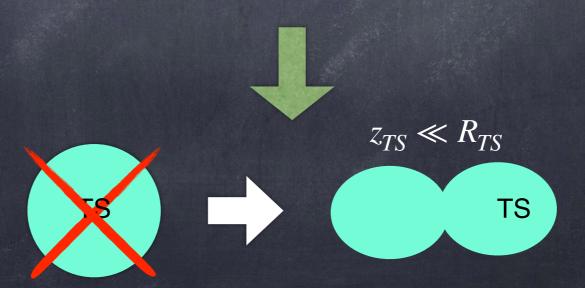
IN

RELATIVISTIC FLOWS

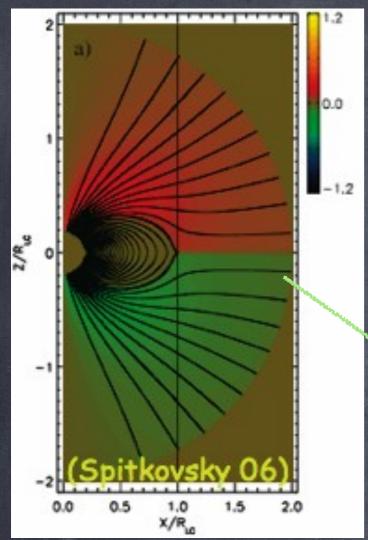
(Lyubarsky & Eichler 01)

$$\Gamma \gg 1 \rightarrow \rho \vec{E} + \vec{J} \times \vec{B} \sim 0$$

 $F \propto \sin^2(heta)$ [Bogovalov & Khangoulian 02, Lyubarsky 02]



2D MHD NUMERICAL MODELING:

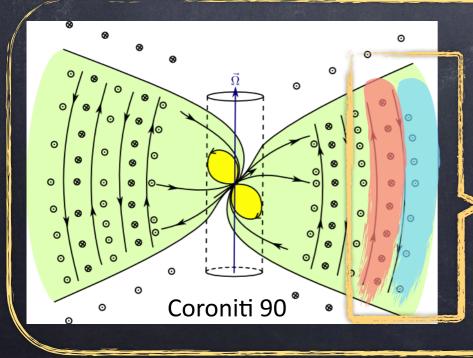


INGREDIENTS

Komissarov & Lyubarsky 03, 04; Del Zanna+ 04, 06; Bogovalov+ 05 Camus+ 09; Volpi+ 08; Olmi+ 14, 15

 $F(\theta) \propto \sin^2(\theta)$

 $B(\theta) \propto \sqrt{\sigma} \sin \theta \ G(\theta)$



alternating stripes of opposite B polarities

dissipation in current sheet

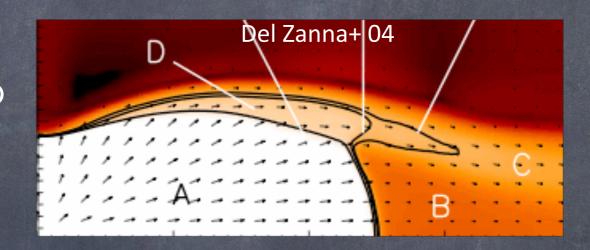


2D MHD NUMERICAL MODELING: RINGS AND TORII

A: ULTRARELATIVISTIC WIND

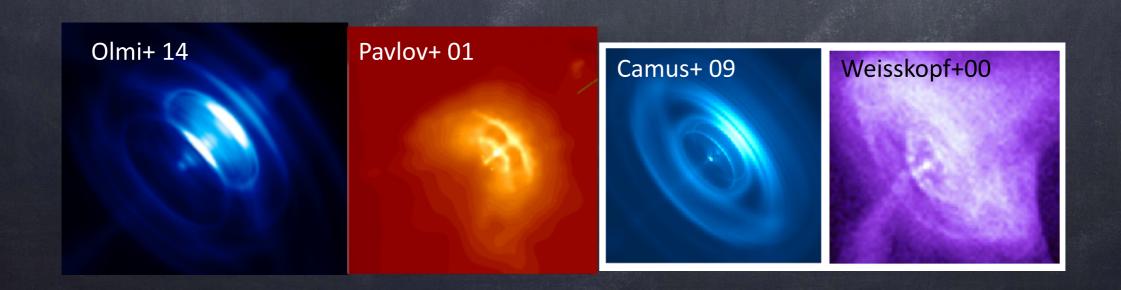
B: SUBSONIC OUTFLOW

C: SUPERSONIC FUNNEL

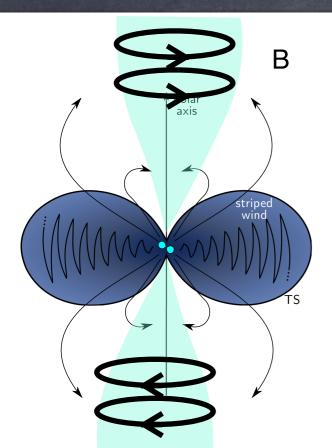


$$F(\theta) \propto \sin^2(\theta)$$

$$B(\theta) \propto \sqrt{\sigma} \sin \theta \ G(\theta)$$



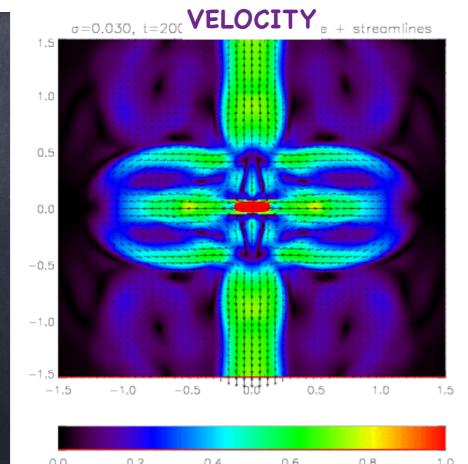
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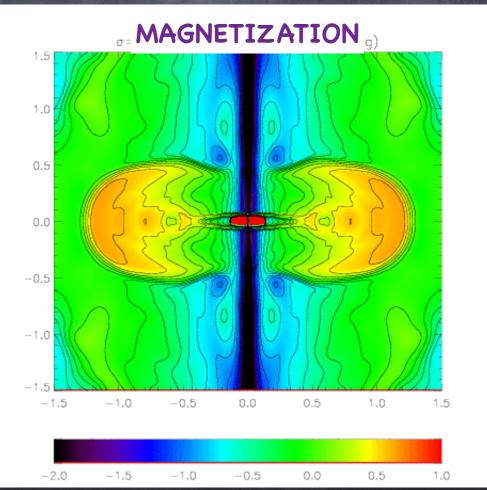


JETS

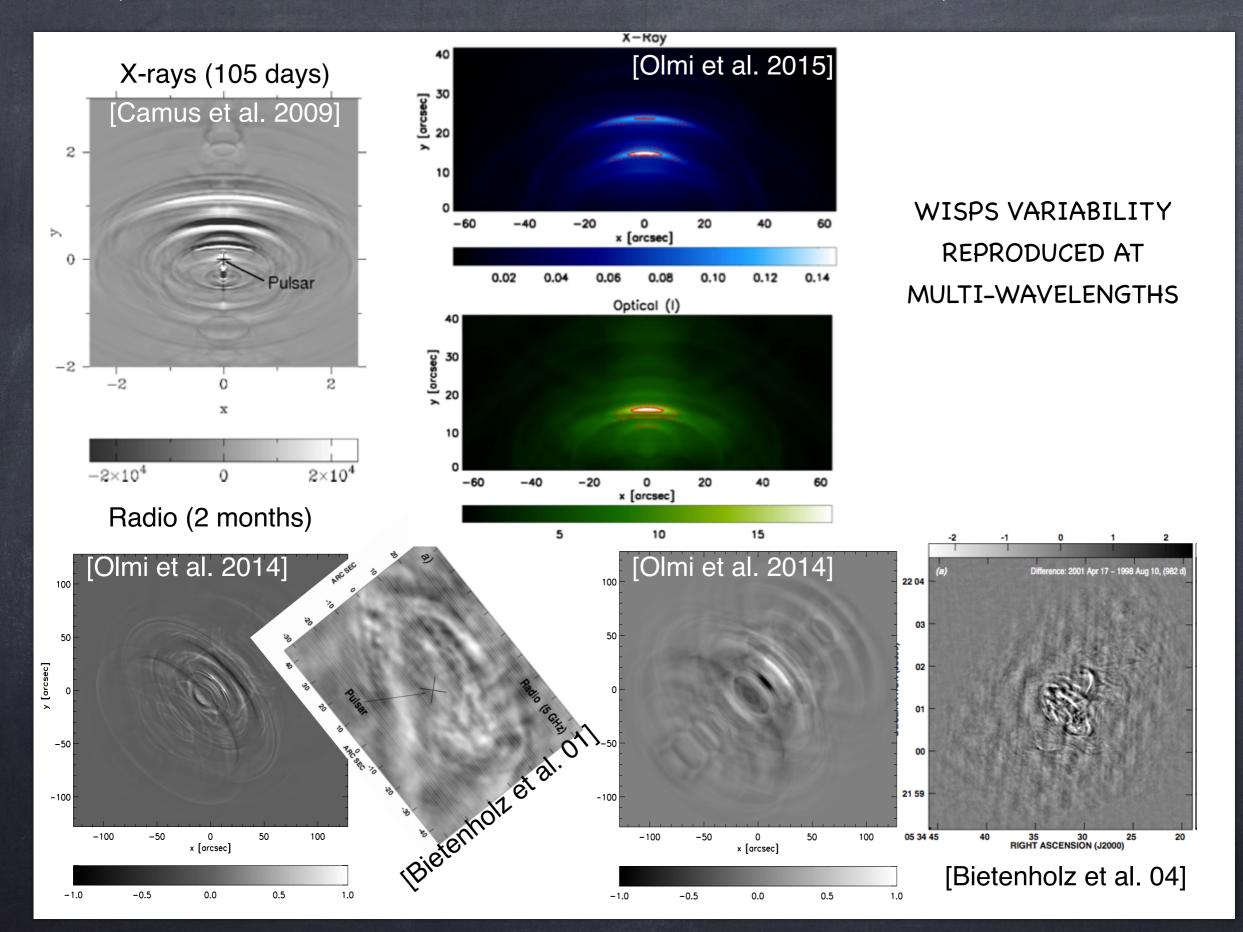
EQUIPARTITION
NEEDED FOR
JET FORMATION

IN 2D JETS REQUIRE σ>0.03



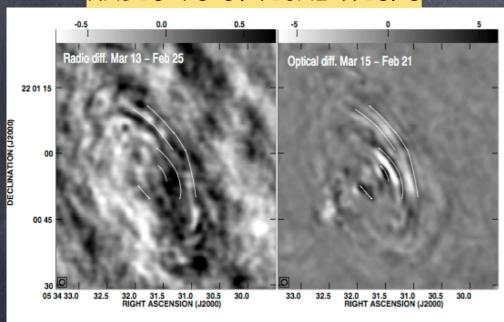


THE MANY SUCCESSES OF 2D MODELING



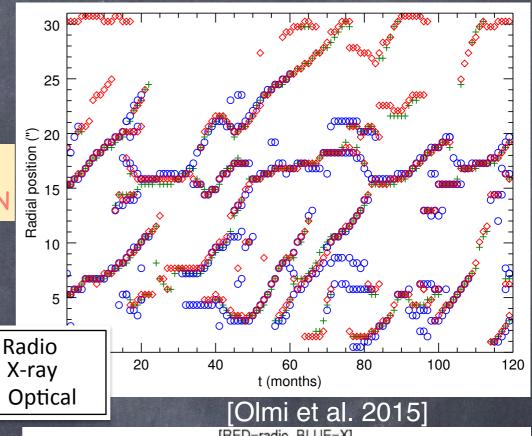
HINTS ON LOCATIONS OF PARTICLE ACCELERATION



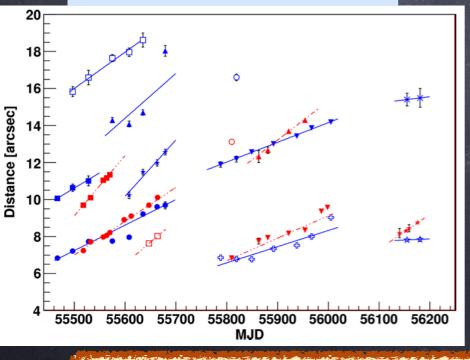


ISOTROPIC ACCELERATION

X-ray

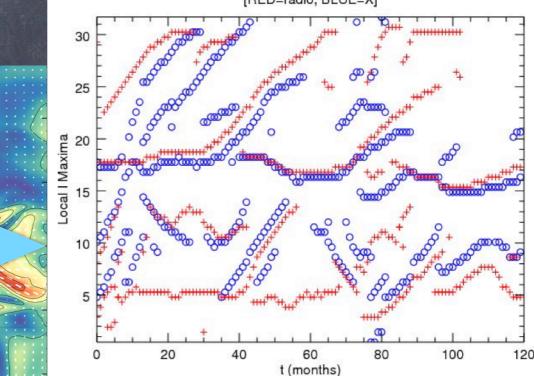


X-RAY VS OPTICAL WISPS



[Schweizer et al. 2013

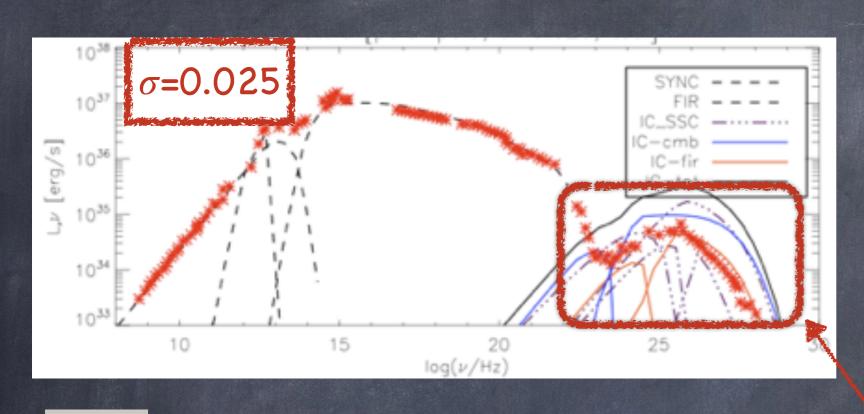
Bietenholtz et al. 2004

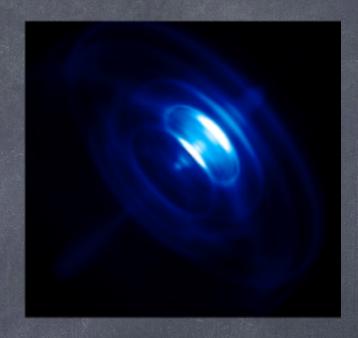


X-RAY EMITTERS FROM EQUATOR

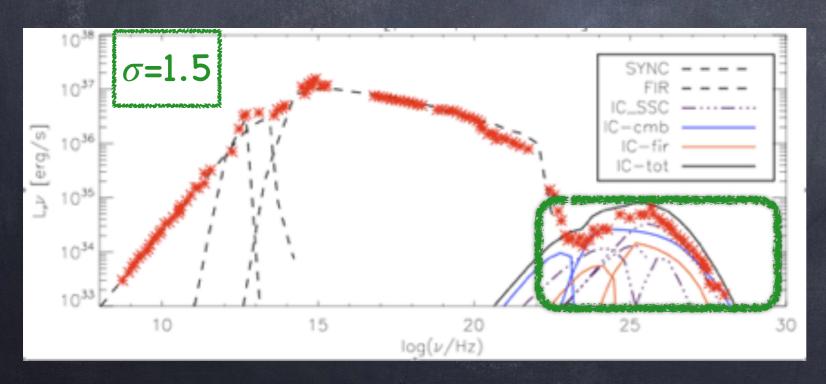
LOWER ENERGY ANYWHERE

BEHIND PRETTY PICTURES

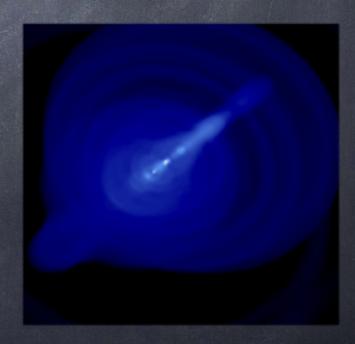




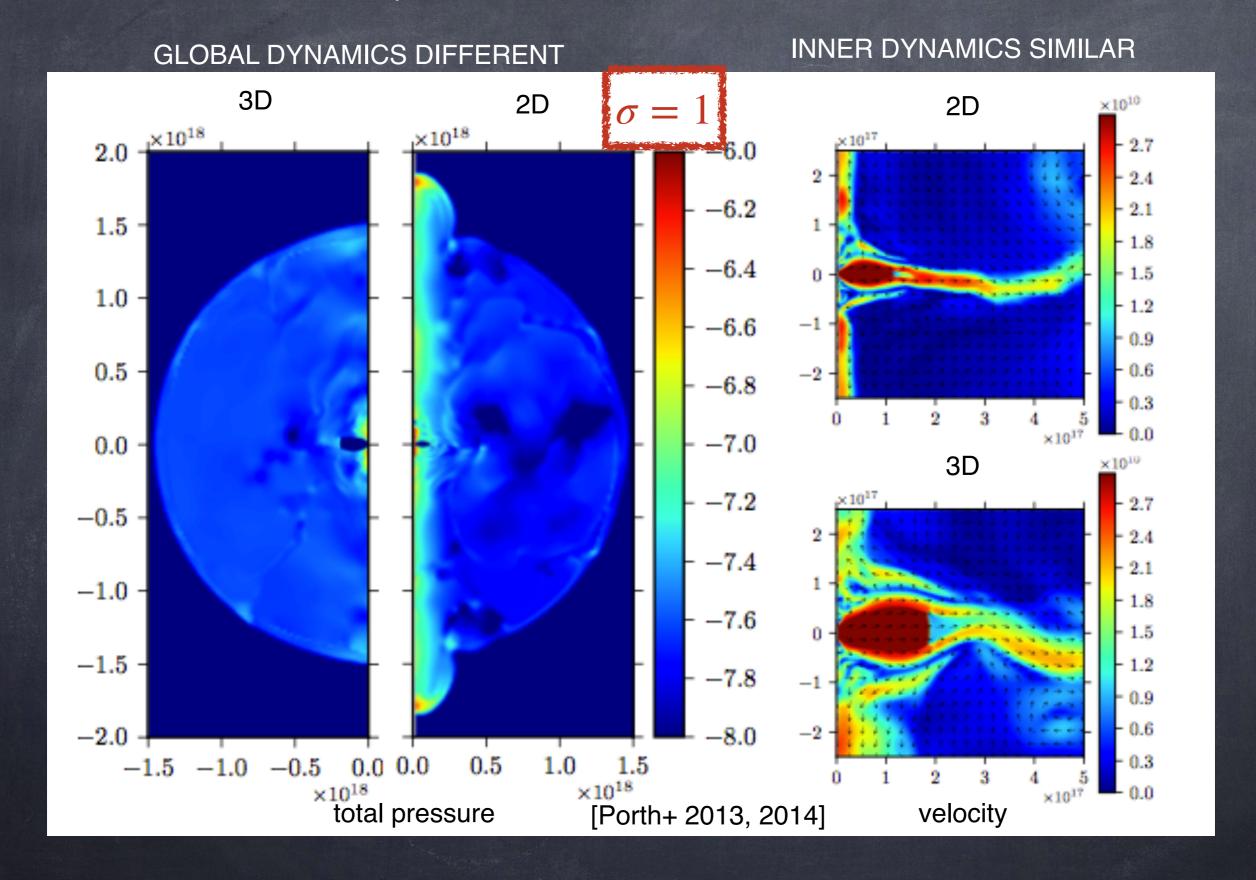
Olmi+14



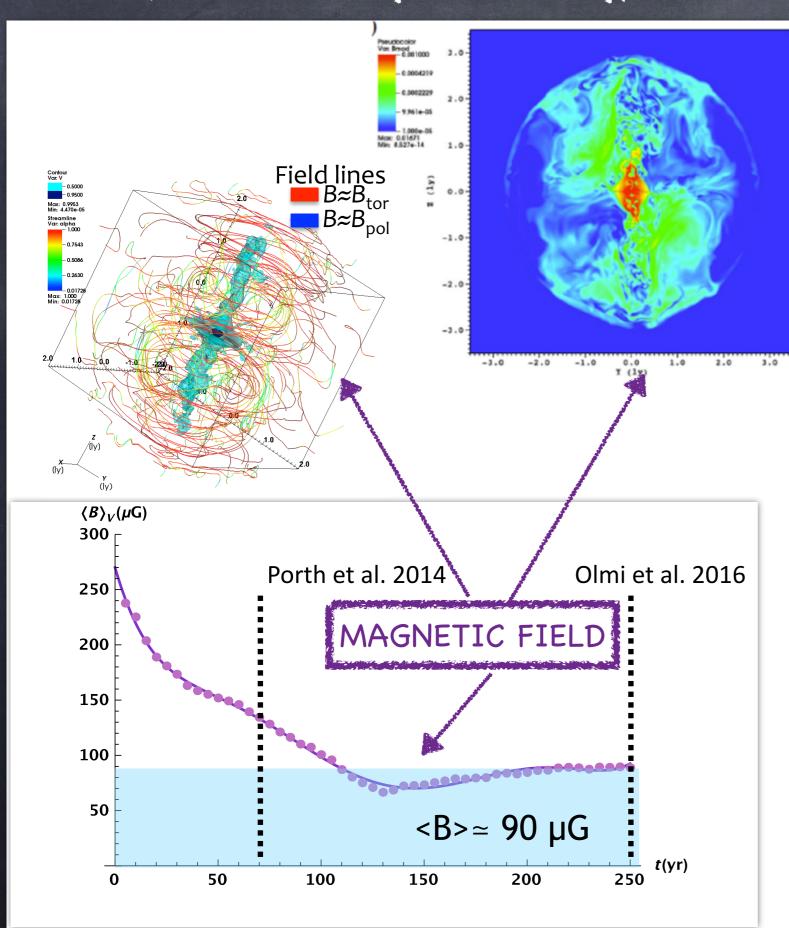




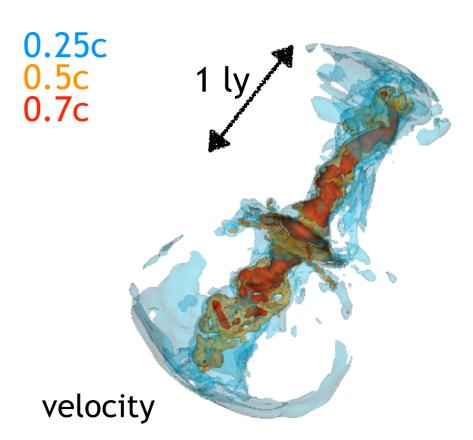
3D RMHD SIMULATIONS



LONGER 3D RMHD SIMULATIONS



SELF SIMILAR PHASE FULLY REACHED

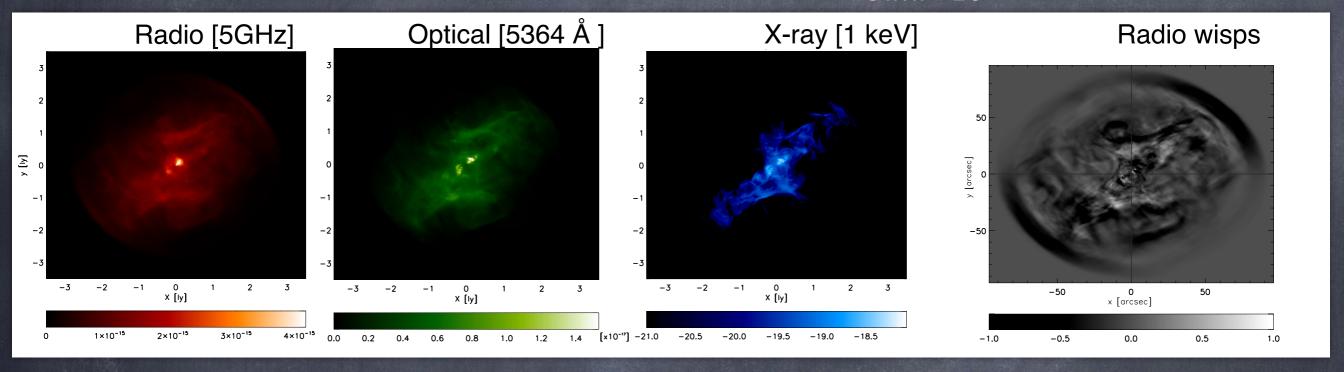


σ=1.5

ALL IS SOLVED?

- ✓ SHRINKAGE AND WISPS VARIABILITY OK
- NO BRIGHT X-RAY TORUS

Olmi+16



...NOT YET...

AVERAGE FIELD STILL TOO LOW

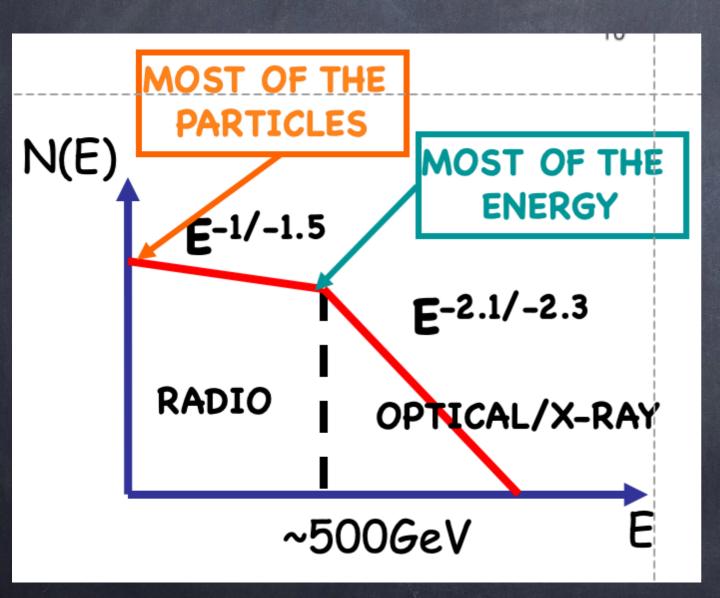


- ARTIFICIAL STEEPENING OF X-RAY PARTICLE SPECTRUM STILL NEEDED
- IC SPECTRUM STILL OVERESTIMATED

EVEN HIGHER σ NEEDED?

CONSTRAINING THE PULSAR MULTIPLICITY

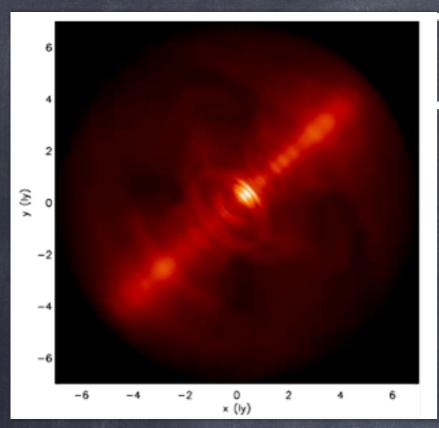
K IS CONSTRAINED BY RADIO EMITTING PARTICLES



RADIO EMITTING PARTICLES
HAVE LONG LIFETIMES:
DO NOT NEED TO BE PART OF
THE FLOW

IF PART OF THE FLOW $\kappa \approx 10^6 \quad \Gamma \approx 10^4$ OTHERWISE $\kappa \approx 10^3 - 10^4 \quad \Gamma \approx 10^6 - 10^7$

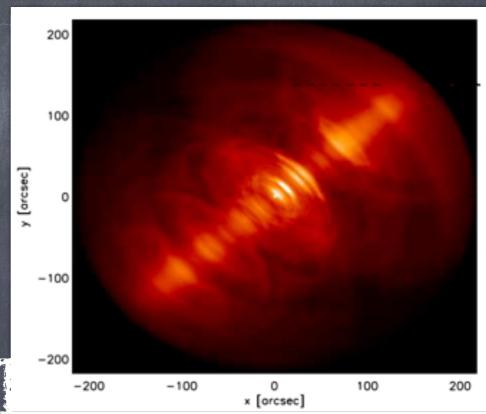
RADIO EMISSION

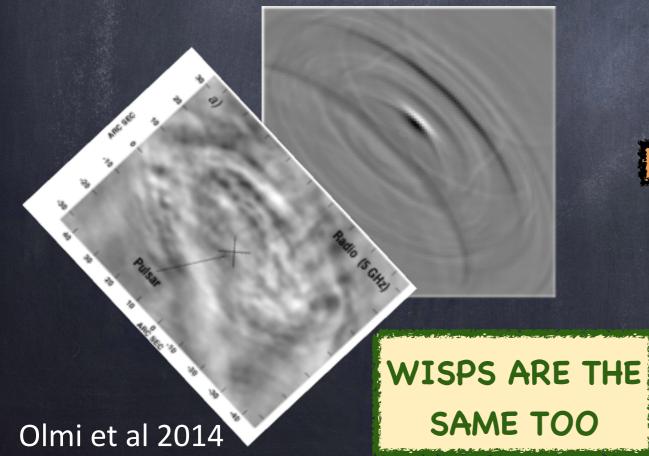


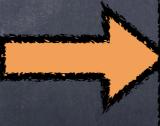
SHOCK ACCELERATION & ADVECTION

EMISSION MAPS
CANNOT DISTINGUISH

UNIFORM INJECTION







RADIO PARTICLES DO NOT
NEED TO BE CURRENTLY
ACCELERATED AT THE SHOCK



 $\kappa \sim 10^3 - 10^4$ IS VIABLE

PARTICLE ACCELERATION IN PWNE

PARTICLE ACCELERATION MECHANISMS (BEST STUDIED)

FERMI MECHANISM

MAGNETIZATION: REQUIRES LOW

HOWEVER SEE VARIANTS

DRIVEN MAGNETIC RECONNECTION

MAGNETIZATION: REQUIRES HIGH

PLASMA MULTIPLICITY: REQUIRES HIGH

ION CYCLOTRON ABSORPTION
IN
ION DOPED PLASMA

PLASMA MULTIPLICITY: REQUIRES LOW

PARTICLE ACCELERATION MECHANISMS (BEST STUDIED)

FERMI MECHANISM

- EFFICIENT AT UNMAGNETIZED e+-e- RELATIVISTIC SHOCKS [Spitkovsky 08]
- RIGHT SPECTRUM FOR X-RAYS
- NO ACCELERATION AT σ>0.001 SUPERLUMINAL SHOCKS [Sironi & Spitkovsky 09, 11]
- TOO SLOW TO GUARANTEE MAXIMUM ENERGY OBSERVED IN CRAB [Pelletier+ 17]

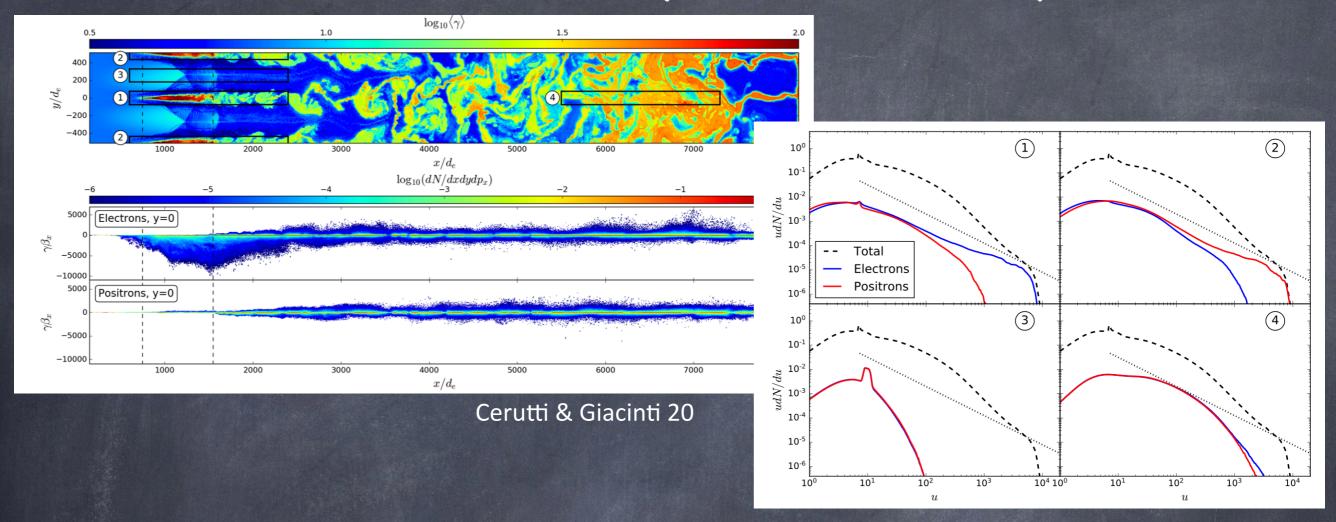
DRIVEN MAGNETIC RECONNECTION:

- BROAD AND HARD PARTICLE SPECTRA IF σ≥30 AND κ>108 [Sironi & Spitkovsky 11b]
- FOR THIS LARGE K WIND LIKELY TO DISSIPATE BEFORE SHOCK [Kirk & Skjeraasen 03]

RESONANT CYCLOTRON ABSORPTION:

- SPECTRA AND ACCELERATION EFFICIENCY DEPEND ON ENERGY FRACTION IN IONS: $U_i/U_{TOT}=0.8-0.6$, $\gamma=1.5-3$, $\epsilon_{ACC}=0.3-0.03$ [EA & Arons 06; Stockem et al 12]
- HIGHER σ IMPLIES FASTER ACCELERATION
- NO ACCELERATION IF K>mi/me

SHOCK ACCELERATION VARIANTS



TURBULENT SHOCK FRONT

- CORRUGATED SHOCK [Lemoine 17]
- DIFFERENT TURBULENCE LEVELS AT DIFFERENT LATITUDES [Giacinti & Kirk 18]
- POSSIBLY PROVIDED BY ANISOTROPIC B- FIELD [Cerutti & Giacinti 20]
- PRODUCES HARD (STEEP) SPECTRA FOR LOW (HIGH) TURBULENCE LEVEL
- SPECTRUM HARDENS WITH INCREASING MAGNETIZATION
- INTERESTING LATITUDE DEPENDENCE OF SPECTRAL INDEX (SEE LATER)
- ACCELERATES ONE SIGN OF CHARGES PREFERENTIALLY

PINICAS PEVATRONS

MAXIMUM ENERGY IN A PWN

IN YOUNG ENERGETIC SYSTEMS ACCELERATION IS LOSS LIMITED

$$t_{acc} = \frac{E}{e\eta Bc} < t_{loss} = \frac{6\pi (mc^2)^2}{\sigma_T c B^2 E}$$

$$E_{max} \approx 6 \ PeV \ \eta^{1/2} \ B_{-4}^{1/2}$$

STRICT LIMIT FROM THE PSR POTENTIAL DROP $\Phi_{PSR} = \sqrt{\dot{E}/c}$

$$E_{max,abs} = eB_{TS} R_{TS}$$

$$\frac{B_{TS}^2}{4\pi} = \xi_B \frac{\dot{E}}{4\pi R_{TS}^2 c}$$
 $E_{max,abs} = e\xi_B^{1/2} \sqrt{\dot{E}/c} \approx 1.8 \ PeV \ \xi_B^{1/2} \ \dot{E}_{36}^{1/2}$

LEPTONIC OR HADRONIC PEVATRONS?

12 SOURCES DETECTED BY LHAASO ABOVE 100 TeV

Table 1 | UHE γ-ray sources

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Source name	RA (°)	dec. (°)	Significance above 100 TeV ($\times \sigma$)	E _{max} (PeV)	Flux at 100 TeV (CU)
LHAASO J0534+2202	83.55	22.05	17.8	0.88 ± 0.11	1.00(0.14)
LHAASO J1825-1326	276.45	-13.45	16.4	0.42 ± 0.16	3.57(0.52)
LHAASO J1839-0545	279.95	-5.75	7.7	0.21 ± 0.05	0.70(0.18)
LHAASO J1843-0338	280.75	-3.65	8.5	0.26 -0.10+0.16	0.73(0.17)
LHAASO J1849-0003	282.35	-0.05	10.4	0.35 ± 0.07	0.74(0.15)
LHAASO J1908+0621	287.05	6.35	17.2	0.44 ± 0.05	1.36(0.18)
LHAASO J1929+1745	292.25	17.75	7.4	0.71 -0.07 ^{+0.16}	0.38(0.09)
LHAASO J1956+2845	299.05	28.75	7.4	0.42 ± 0.03	0.41(0.09)
LHAASO J2018+3651	304.75	36.85	10.4	0.27 ± 0.02	0.50(0.10)
LHAASO J2032+4102	308.05	41.05	10.5	1.42 ± 0.13	0.54(0.10)
LHAASO J2108+5157	317.15	51.95	8.3	0.43 ± 0.05	0.38(0.09)
LHAASO J2226+6057	336.75	60.95	13.6	0.57 ± 0.19	1.05(0.16)

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LHAASO SOURCE ASSOCIATIONS

ALL SOURCES EXCEPT FOR 2 HAVE A PSR IN THE FIELD

LHAASO Source	Possible Origin	Type	Distance (kpc)	Age (kyr) ^a	$L_s (\text{erg/s})^b$	Potential TeV Counterpart ^c
LHAASO J0534+2202	PSR J0534+2200	PSR	2.0	1.26	4.5×10^{38}	Crab, Crab Nebula
LHAASO J1825-1326	PSR J1826-1334	PSR	3.1 ± 0.2^d	21.4	2.8×10^{36}	HESS J1825-137, HESS J1826-130,
	PSR J1826-1256	PSR	1.6	14.4	3.6×10^{36}	2HWC J1825-134
LHAASO J1839-0545	PSR J1837-0604	PSR	4.8	33.8	2.0×10^{36}	2HWC J1837-065, HESS J1837-069,
	PSR J1838-0537	PSR	1.3^{e}	4.9	6.0×10^{36}	HESS J1841-055
LHAASO J1843-0338	SNR G28.6-0.1	SNR	9.6 ± 0.3^{f}	$< 2^f$	_	HESS J1843-033, HESS J1844-030,
						2HWC J1844-032
LHAASO J1849-0003	PSR J1849-0001	PSR	7^g	43.1	9.8×10^{36}	HESS J1849-000, 2HWC J1849+001
	W43	YMC	5.5^{h}	_	_	
LHAASO J1908+0621	SNR G40.5-0.5	SNR	3.4^i	$\sim 10 - 20^{j}$	_	MGRO J1908+06, HESS J1908+063,
	PSR 1907+0602	PSR	2.4	19.5	2.8×10^{36}	ARGO J1907+0627, VER J1907+062,
	PSR 1907+0631	PSR	3.4	11.3	5.3×10^{35}	2HWC 1908+063
LHAASO J1929+1745	PSR J1928+1746	PSR	4.6	82.6	1.6×10^{36}	2HWC J1928+177, 2HWC J1930+188,
	PSR J1930+1852	PSR	6.2	2.9	1.2×10^{37}	HESS J1930+188, VER J1930+188
	SNR G54.1+0.3	SNR	$6.3^{+0.8}_{-0.7}$ d	$1.8 - 3.3^k$	_	
LHAASO J1956+2845	PSR J1958+2846	PSR	2.0	21.7	3.4×10^{35}	2HWC J1955+285
	SNR G66.0-0.0	SNR	2.3 ± 0.2^d	_	_	
LHAASO J2018+3651	PSR J2021+3651	PSR	$1.8^{+1.7}_{-1.4}$ l	17.2	3.4×10^{36}	MGRO J2019+37, VER J2019+368,
	Sh 2-104	H II/YMC	$3.3 \pm 0.3^m/4.0 \pm 0.5^n$	_	_	VER J2016+371
LHAASO J2032+4102	Cygnus OB2	YMC	1.40 ± 0.08^{o}	_	_	TeV J2032+4130, ARGO J2031+4157,
	PSR 2032+4127	PSR	1.40 ± 0.08^{o}	201	1.5×10^{35}	MGRO J2031+41, 2HWC J2031+415,
	SNR G79.8+1.2	SNR candidate	_	_	_	VER J2032+414
LHAASO J2108+5157	_	_	_	_	_	_
LHAASO J2226+6057	SNR G106.3+2.7	SNR	0.8^{p}	$\sim 10^p$	_	VER J2227+608, Boomerang Nebula
	PSR J2229+6114	PSR	0.8^{p}	$\sim 10^p$	2.2×10^{37}	_

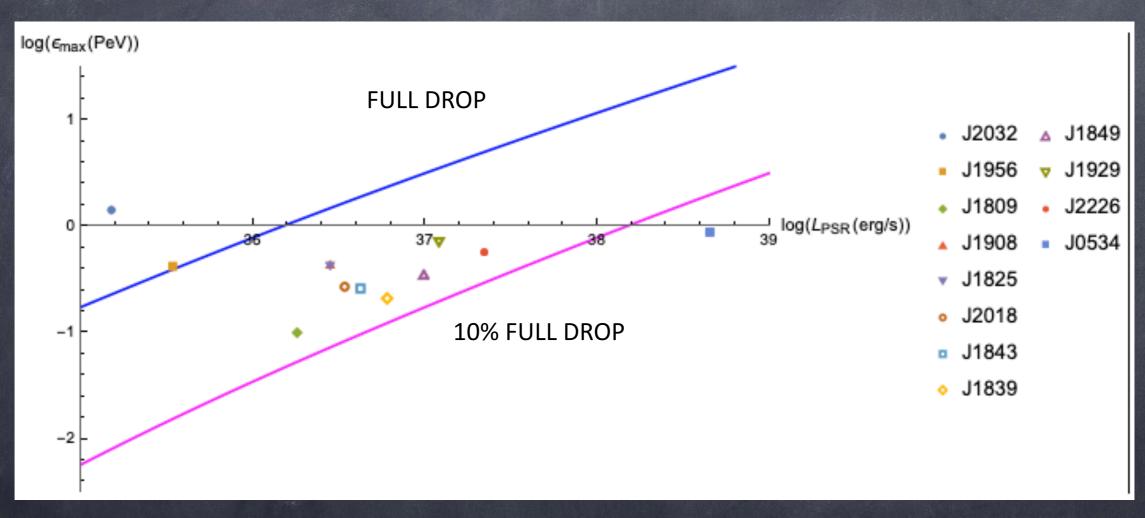
LEPTONIC OR HADRONIC PEVATRONS?

SOURCE	PSR	L _{PSR} [10 ³⁶ erg/s]	E _{max} [PeV]	$arepsilon_{\sf max}$ th. [PeV]	ε _{max} obs [PeV]	
J0534+2202	PSR J0534+2200	450	36,7	26,4	0,88	
J1809-193	PSR J1809-1917	1,8	2,3	1,12	0,1	HAWC only
J1825-1326	PSR J1826-1334	2,8	2,9	1,48	0,42	
J1839-0545	PSR J1838-0537	6	4,23	2,34	0,21	
J1843-0338	PSR J1844-0346	4,2	3,55	1,9	0,26	no PSR fo LHAASO
J1849-0003	PSR J1849-0001	9,8	5,4	3,12	0,35	
J1908+0621	PSR J1907+0602	2,8	2,9	1,48	0,44	
J1929+1745	PSR J1930+1852	12	6	3,52	0,71	LHAASO only
J1956+2845	PSR J1958+2846	0,34	1,01	0,39	0,42	LHAASO only
J2018+3651	PSR J2021+3651	3,4	3,2	1,66	0,27	
J2032+4102	PSR J2032+4127	0,15	0,67	0,23	1,42	
J2108+5157					0,43	LHAASO only/no PSR
J2226+6057	PSR J2229+6114	22	8,12	4,98	0,57	LHAASO only

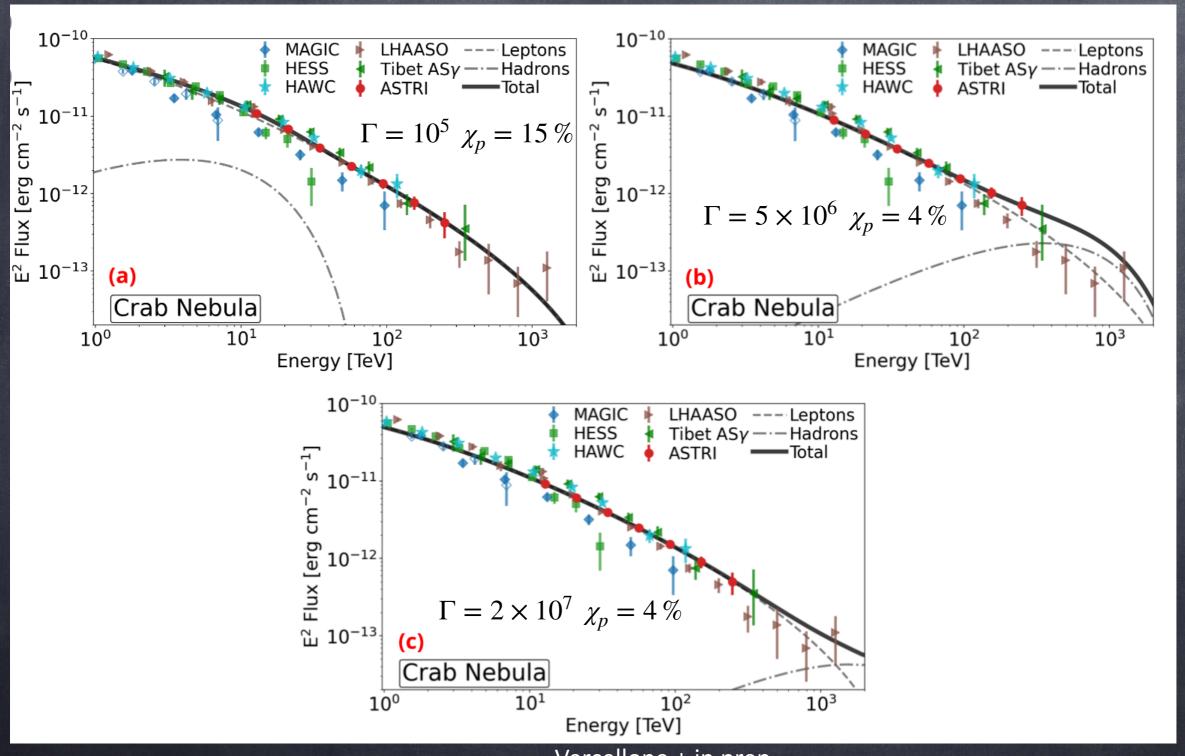
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LHAASO PEVATRONS AND PWNE

MAXIMUM ELECTRON ENERGY AS A FUNCTION OF PSR POTENTIAL DROP AND LHAASO SOURCES

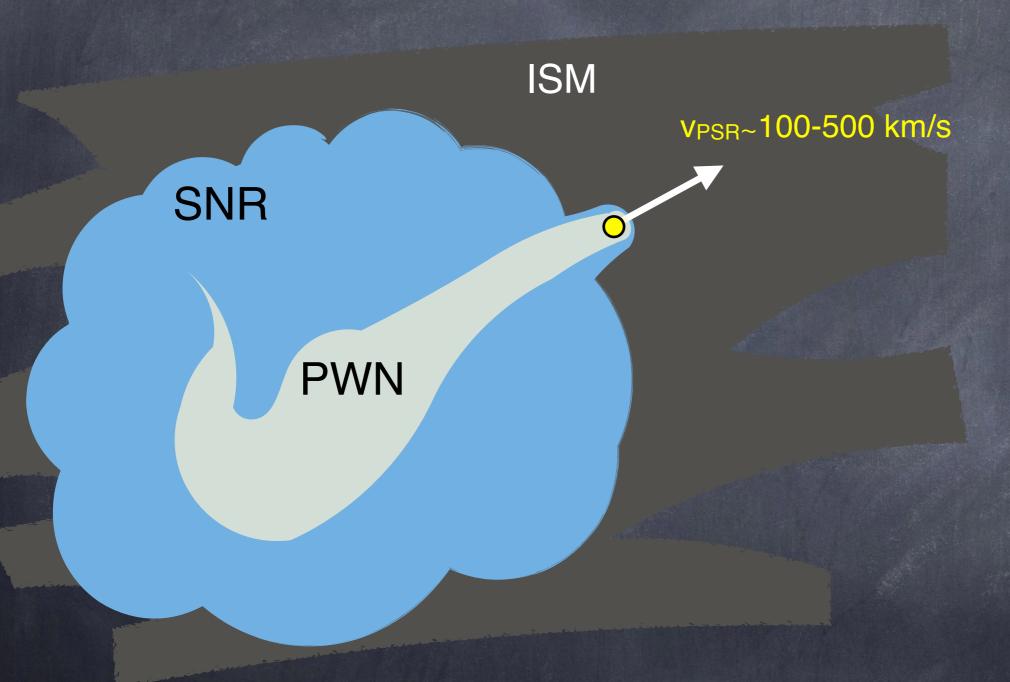


HADRONS IN CRAB?

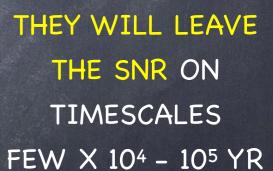


EVOLVED SYSTEMS AND PARTICLE ESCAPE

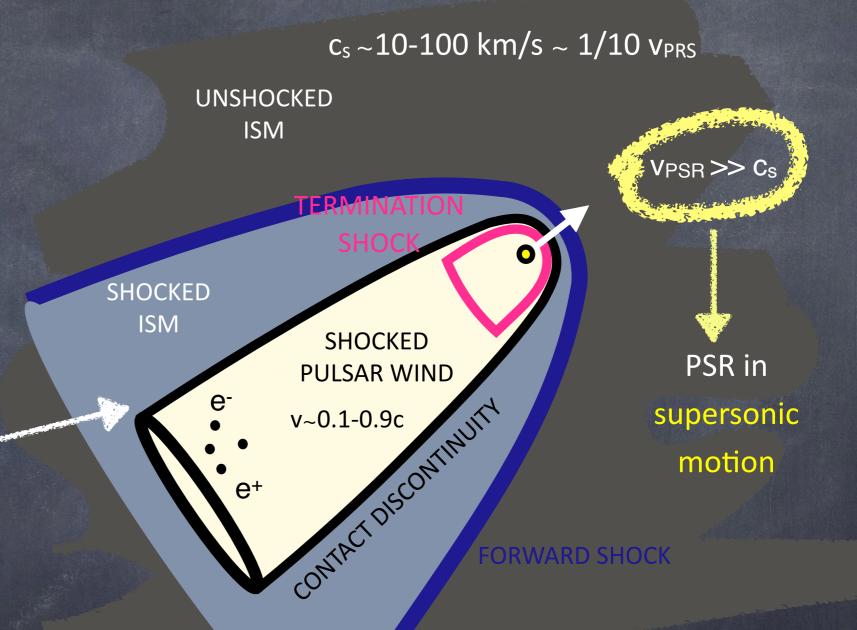
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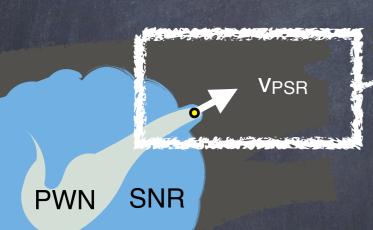


LARGE FRACTION OF
ALL THE PULSARS
BORN WITH
HIGH KICK VELOCITY

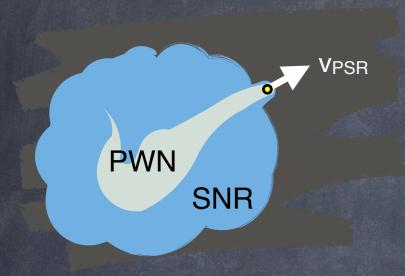


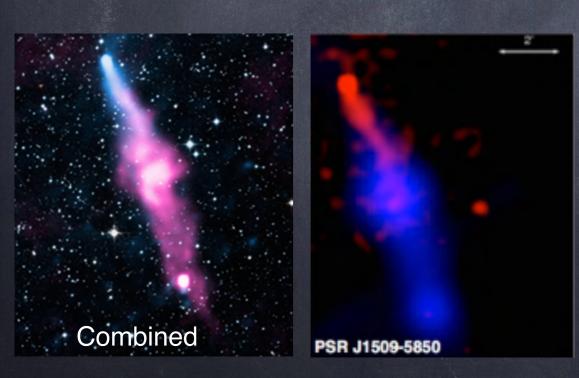
BOW SHOCK NEBULAE



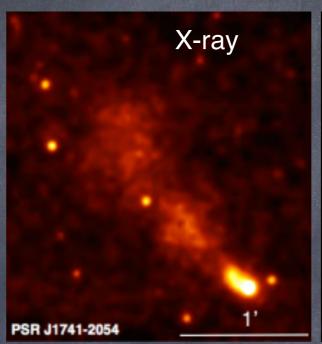


OBSERVATIONS: COMETARY NEBULAE





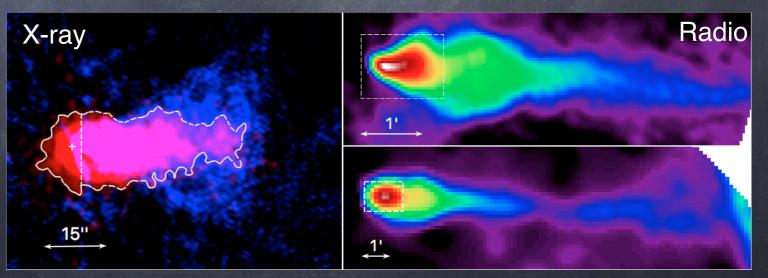
PSR J1509-5850 [Hui & Becker 2007, Klinger et al. 2016]



PSR J1741-2054 [Kargaltsev et al. 2016]



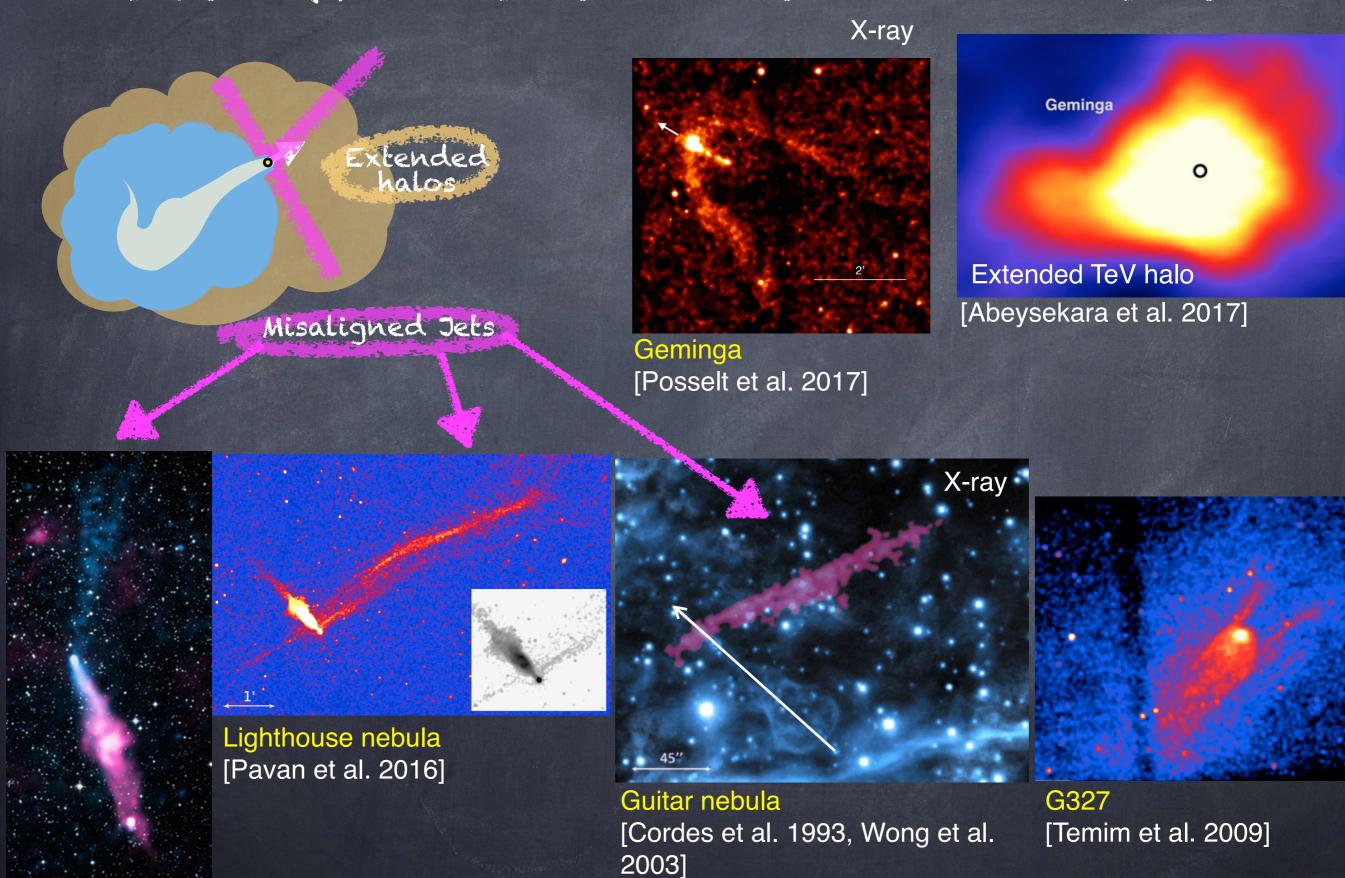
[Emre et al. 2005]



Mouse PWN

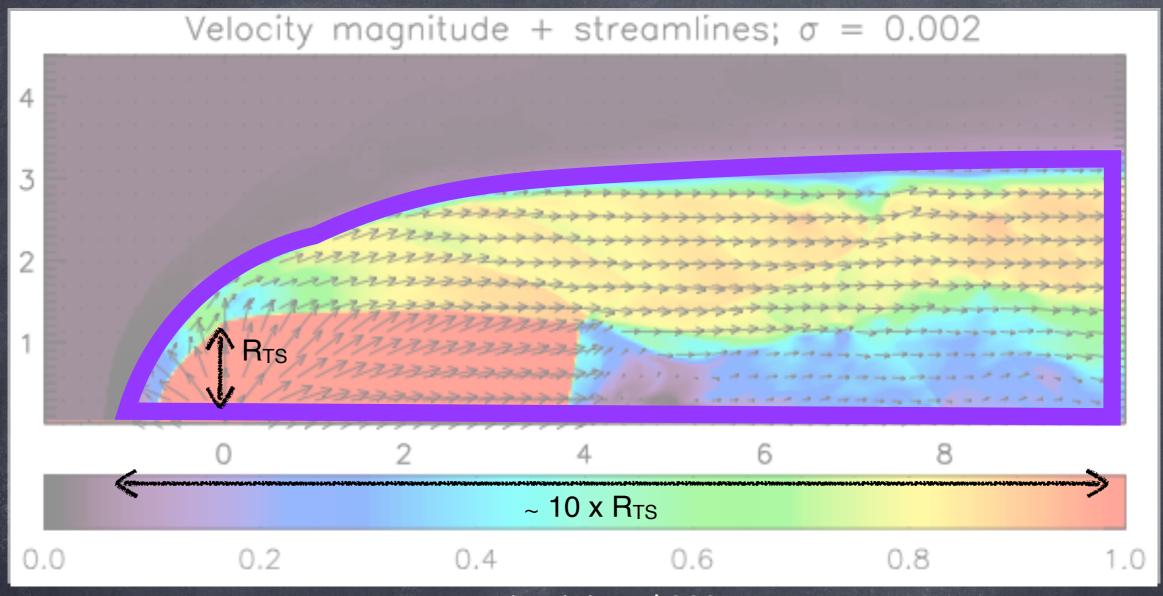
[Yusef-Zadeh & Bally 1987, Yusef-Zadeh & Gaensler 2005, Klinger et al. 2018]

OBSERVATIONS: JETS AND HALOES



PSR J1509-5850 [Klinger et al. 2016]

2D RMHD MODELS OF BS PWNE



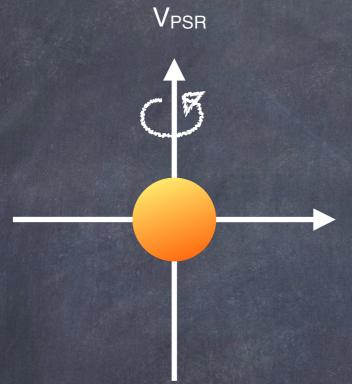
Bucciantini et al 2005

FORMATION OF BOW SHOCK, TS DEFORMATION, CYLINDRICAL TAIL WITH MILDLY RELATIVISTIC OUTFLOW IN THE TAIL

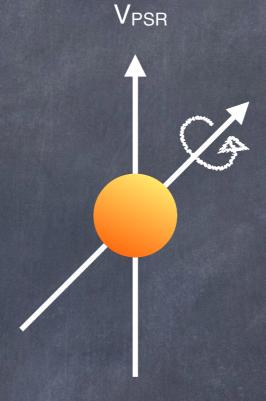
3D MHD MODELS OF BSPWNE

PARAMETERS OF THE PULSAR WIND

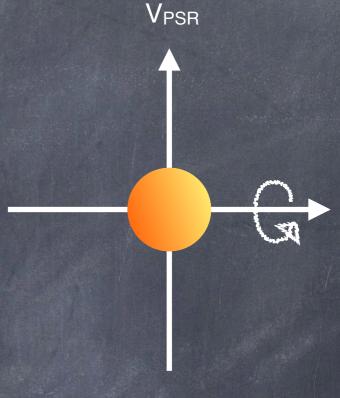
Inclination of the spin-axis and pulsar speed:



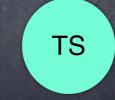
Spin-axis aligned with pulsar motion $\Phi_M=0^\circ$



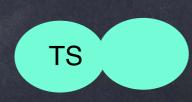
Φ_M=45°



 $\Phi_{M}=90^{\circ}$



ISOTROPIC case (α=0)



ANISOTROPIC case (α≠0)

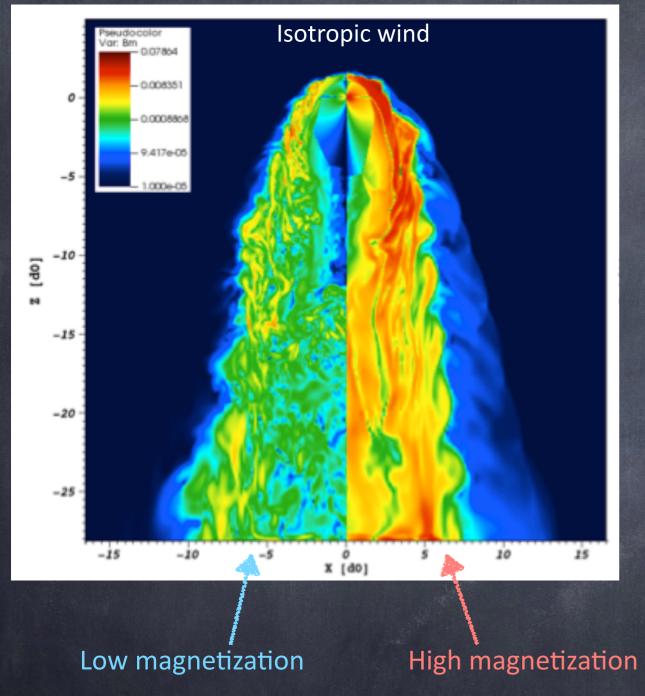
Anisotropy in the energy flux: $F(\psi) \propto 1 + \alpha \sin^2 \psi$

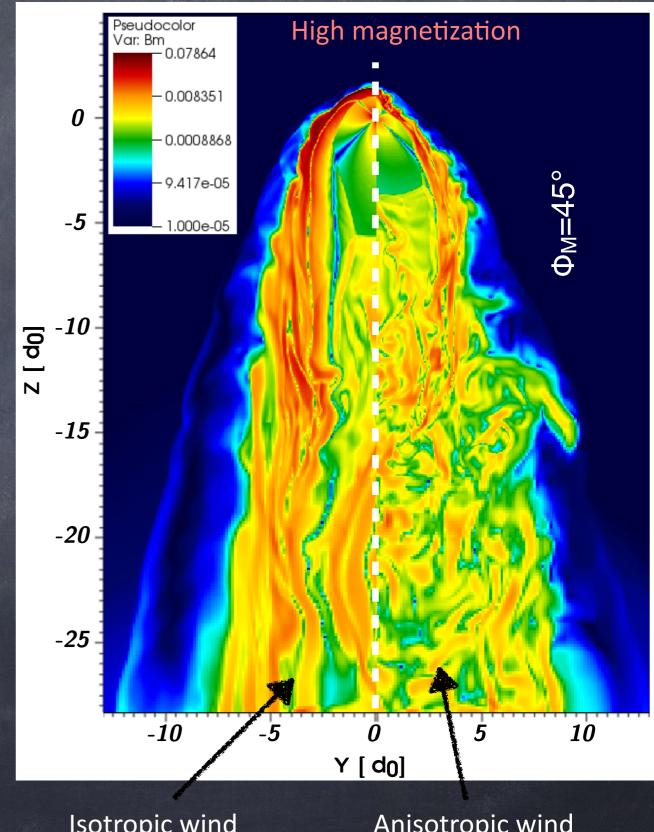
 ψ colatitude from the spin-axis

Wind magnetization: $0.01 \le \sigma \le 1$

3D RMHD SIMULATIONS OF BSPWNE

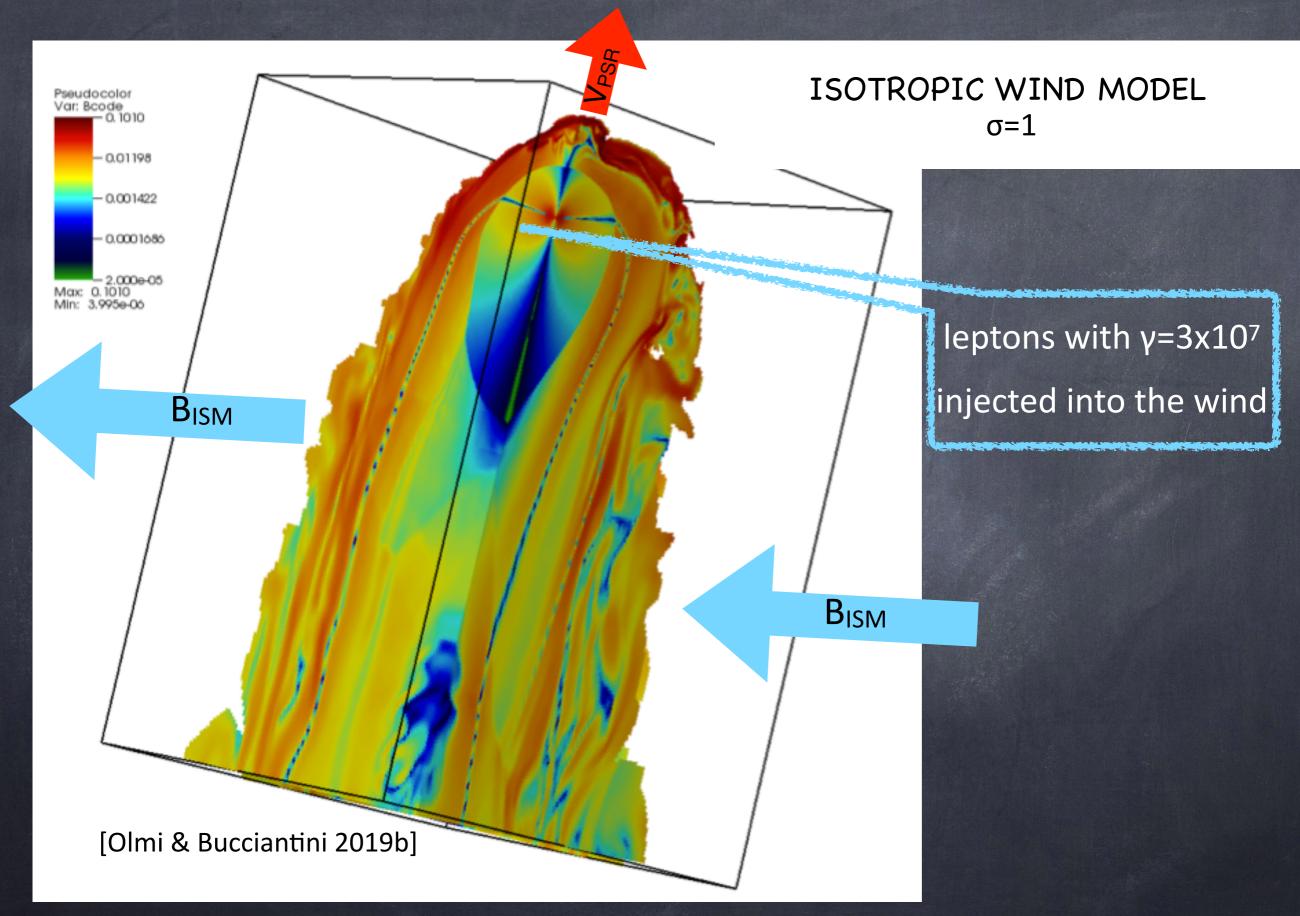
[Olmi & Bucciantini 2019]





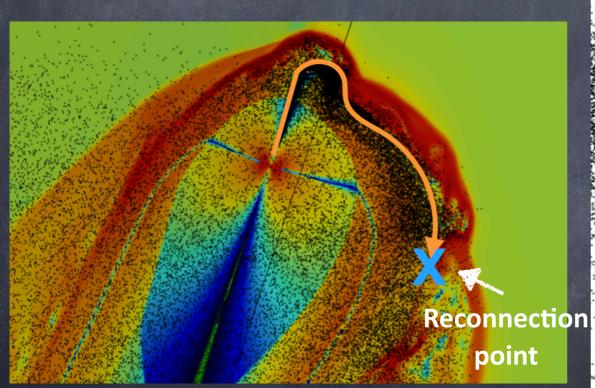
Anisotropic wind

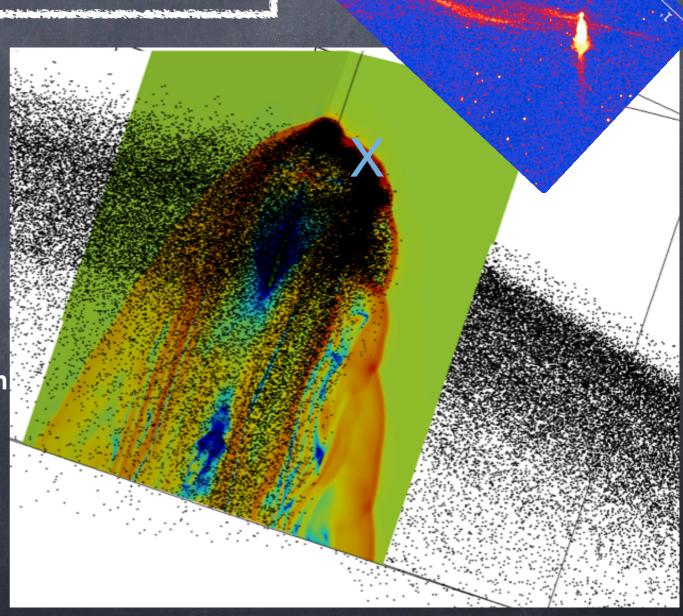
PARTICLE ESCAPE FROM BSPWN



PARTICLE ESCAPE FROM BOW SHOCK PWINE

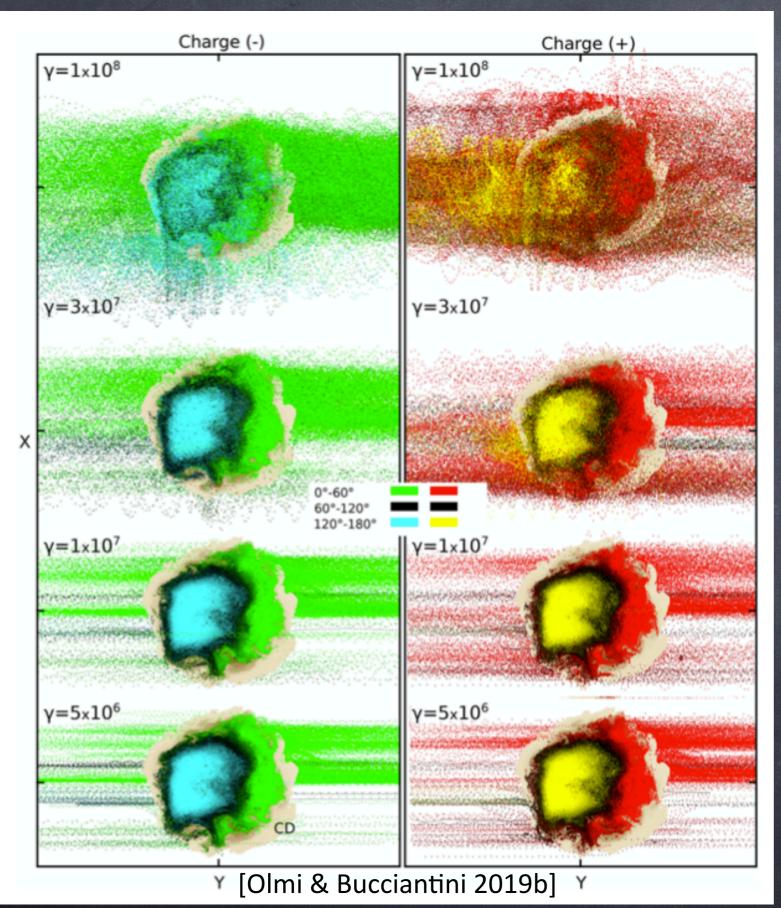
HIGH ENERGY PARTICLES
INJECTED CLOSE TO THE POLAR AXIS
STREAM OUT FROM RECONNECTION POINT AND
FORM JETS IN THE ISM B-FIELD





Olmi & Bucciantini 2019b

ENERGY DEPENDENCE OF THE ESCAPE



WITH INCREASING ENERGY:

- LARGER FRACTION OF PARTICLES
- MORE ISOTROPIC RELEASE

AT GeV ENERGIES:

- ESCAPE EXPECTED ONLY FROM THE TAIL
- NO GeV HALO EXPECTED!

NOTICE THAT:

- ENERGY DEPENDENT ESCAPE PROBABILITY MAKES HALO SPECTRUM NON TRIVIAL
- ESCAPE IS CHARGE SEPARATED!

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

- 3D MHD SIMULATIONS SEEM TO REQUIRE σ> A FEW IN ORDER TO REPRODUCE SPETRUM AND MORPHOLOGY
- FERMI MECHANISM PROBLEMATIC, THOUGH SHOCK CORRUGATION MIGHT HELP
- DRIVEN MAGNETIC RECONNECTION DIFFICULT TO MAKE SELF-CONSISTENT, BUT MAGNETIC RECONNECTION IN HIGH TURBULENT PLASMA...
- RADIO PARTICLES DO NOT NEED TO BE PART OF THE FLOW AND SPECTRUM CAN RESULT FROM ACCELERATION IN HIGH σ TURBULENCE [Comisso+ 2020]
- MULTIPLICITY CAN BE SMALL ENOUGH FOR ION CYCLOTRON... BUT ARE THERE SUFFICIENT IONS?
- CRAB IS A LEPTONIC PEVATRON, BUT IS IT ALSO A HADRONIC PEVATRON?
- EVOLVED SYSTEMS MAY ACCELERATE PARTICLES TO FULL POTENTIAL DROP AND THEY SEEM TO DO IT
- MOST LHAASO SOURCES COULD INDEED BE PWNe
- ISOTROPIC PARTICLE ESCAPE EFFICIENT ONLY AT THE HIGHEST ENERGIES
- ESCAPING PARTICLES CARRY ELECTRIC CURRENT...