

Observational challenges to ejection models in YSOs

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Outline

- Compare obs. with (steady) model predictions :
 - Jet width = density collimation
 - Wide angle kinematics
 - Sub-arcsec H₂ jets/cavities
 - Jet rotation
 - Jet ejection/accretion ratio and jet power
- Conclusions
- Will concentrate on TTS since best linear resolution ($0.1'' = 0.15$ AU @ 140pc), eg. compared to Class I/0 jets in Orion ($0.3'' = 150$ AU @ 450pc) and better known stellar characteristics

MHD ejection processes in TTS

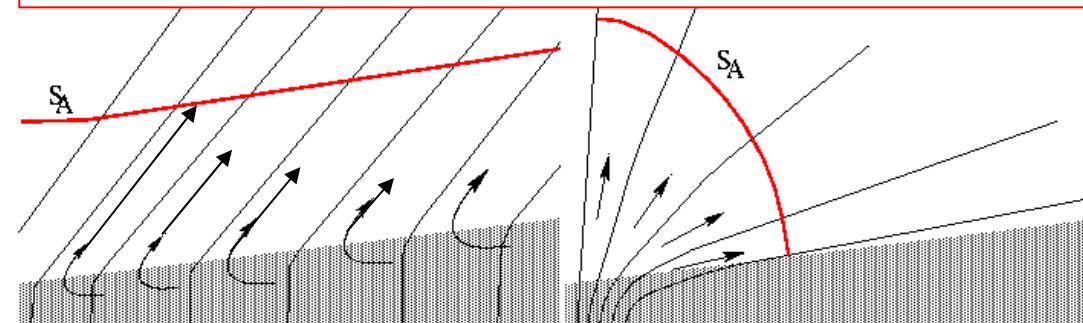
(Fig. adapted from Ferreira et al. 2006)

Cf. Ferreira's talk

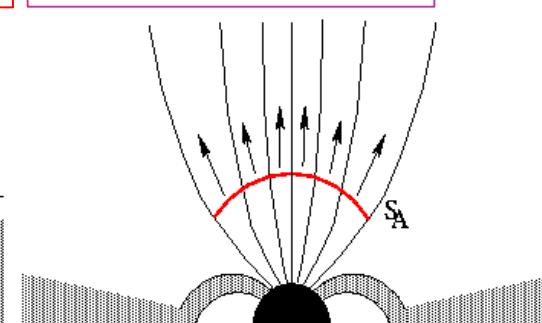
Cf. Cai, Shu et al.

Cf. Sauty's talk

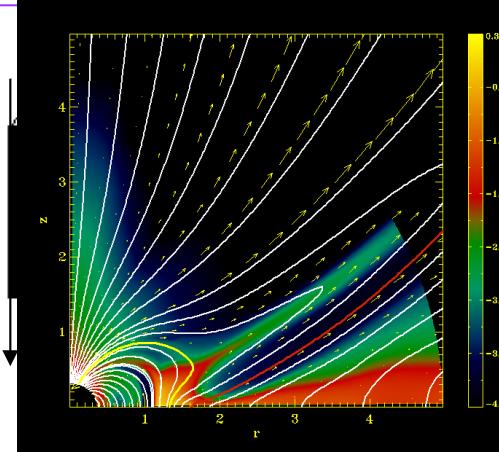
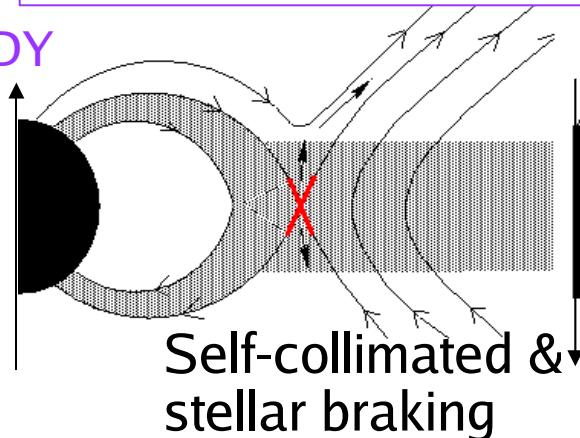
(1) Extended disk wind OR Inner disk X-wind



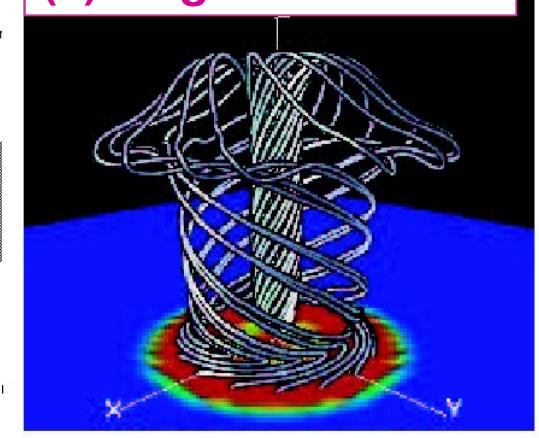
(2) Stellar wind



(3) Reconnection X-wind OR CME-like



(4) Magnetic tower



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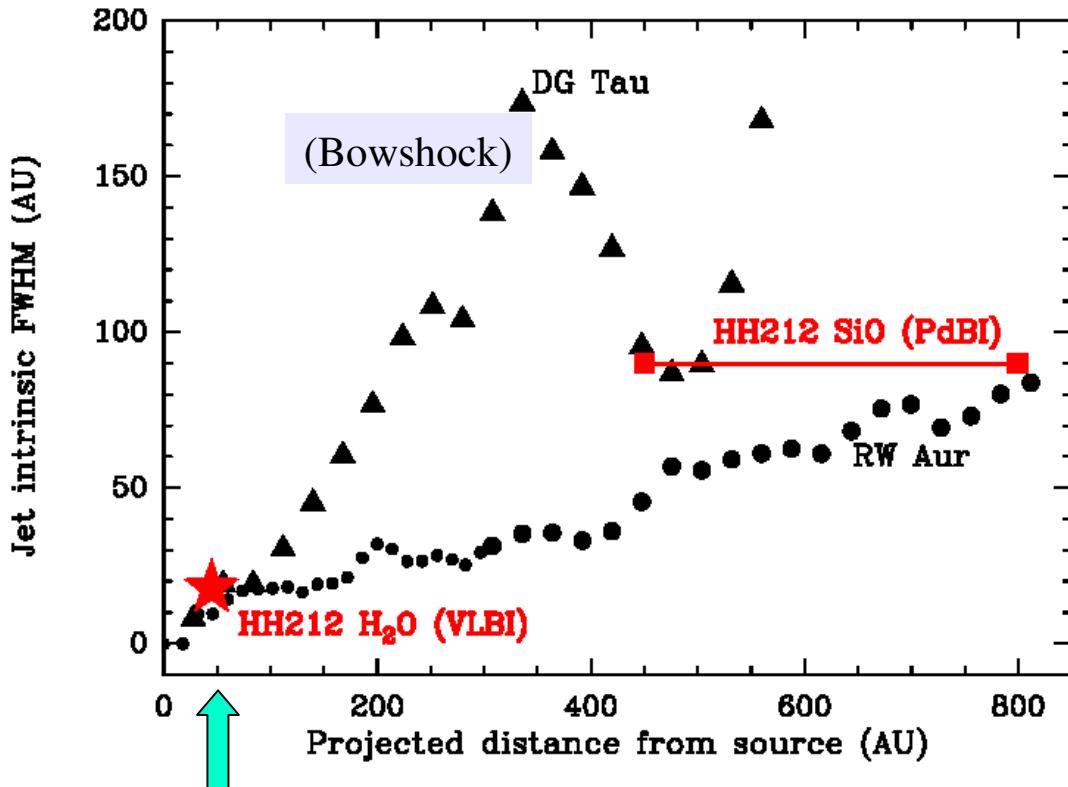
Cf. Romanova, Zanni

cf. Matsumoto, Lebedev

Available predictions and constraints

- Theoretical predictions mostly for *steady jet models*:
disk-wind / stellar wind / X-wind
- Little available yet on unsteady models:
plasmoids/magnetic towers (studied by numerical means only)
 - Steady models predict $n(r,z)$ and $V(r,z)$ but we observe NLTE emissivities $f(xe,Te)$ integrated along line of sight → biases
 - cf. talks tomorrow by De Colle and by Gracia
 - Use synthetic maps / line profiles whenever possible:
 - unconvolved X-wind (Shang et al 98,02)
 - Convolved disk wind (Cabrit et al 99; Garcia et al 01; Pesenti et al 04)
 - Stellar wind + molecular Disk-wind in progress (Matsakos, Panoglou)
 - NB: Convolution by PSF further affects jet width and $\langle V \rangle$
 - Essential for precise tests...

Need for magnetic jet collimation



Collimation scale ~ 50 AU
Opening angle drops from 30° to 4°
(Hartigan et al. 04; Dougados et al. 00)

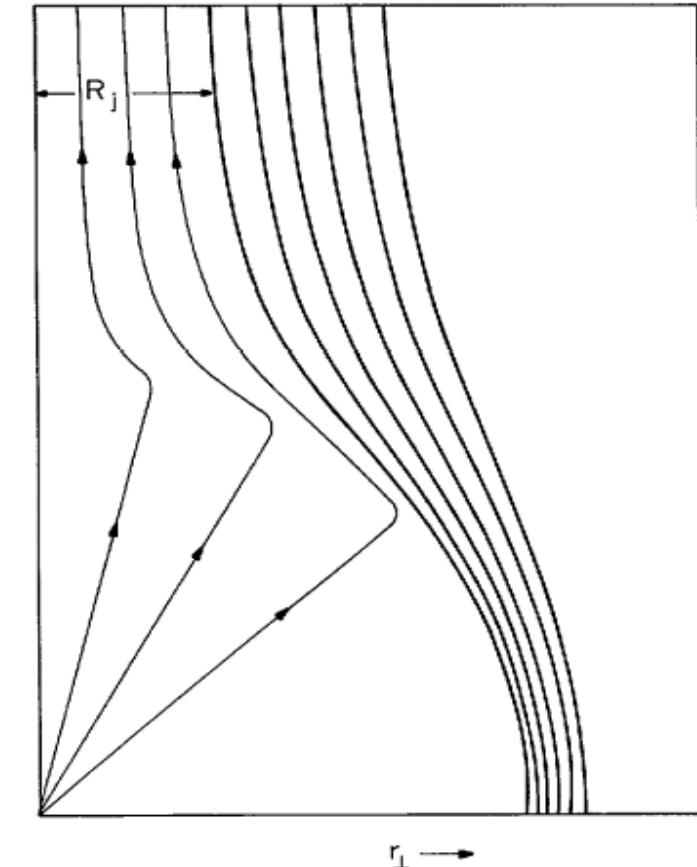
- Same jet width in the HH212 protostar as in T Tauri stars despite a much denser envelope
- Definitely rules out jet collimation by (ram) pressure of infalling material (Cabrit et al. 2007 A&A)
- Thermal pressure in disk also insufficient (Cabrit 2007 IAU 243)
- Requires (universal) magnetic collimation on disk scales

External magnetic jet collimation

■ External magnetic collimation

Criterion: magnetic pressure \sim Wind ram-pressure (cf. Kwan & Tademaru 88)

- for $M_w = 10^{-8} \text{ Mo/yr}$, $V_w = 300 \text{ km/s}$, $Z = 50$
AU: $B \sim 10 \text{ mG}$ over $R \sim 100 \text{ AU}$
- ~ Advection B in disk models of Shu et al. 07
- asymptotic opening angle ?
- Two-component flow models (Matsakos et al 08; Meliani et al. 06)

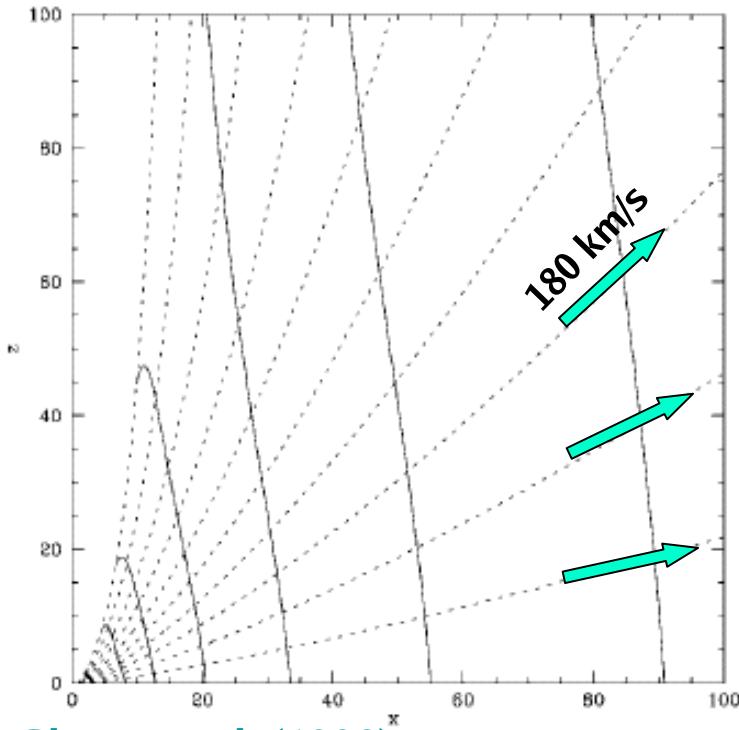


Kwan & Tademaru (1988)

Jet self-collimation: the « optical illusion »

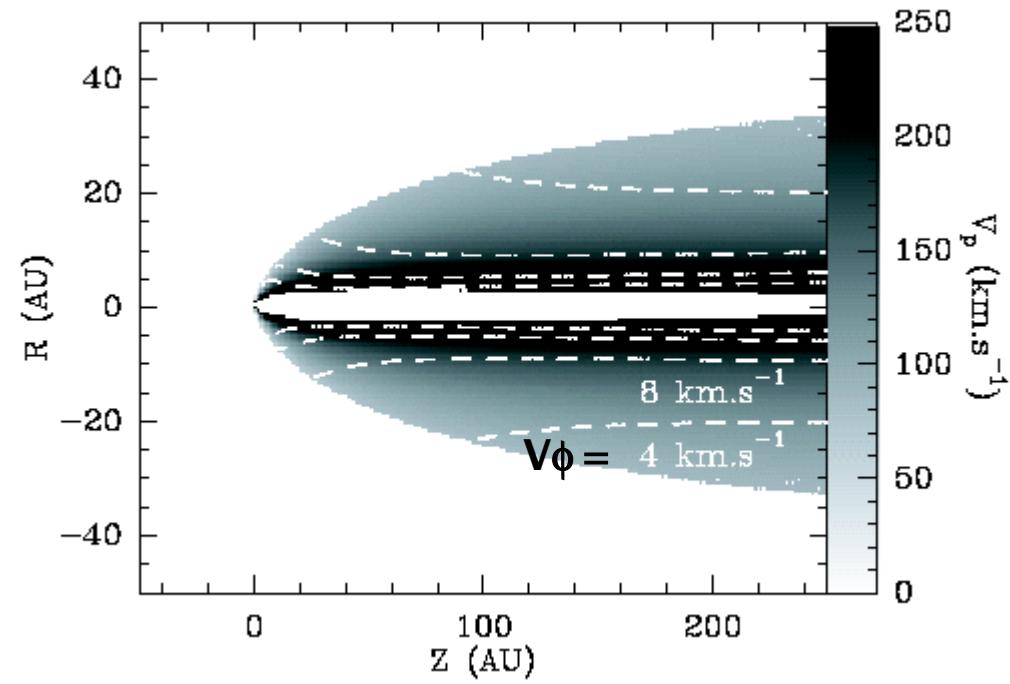
- Self-collimated MHD models predict on-axis density enhancement + wide-angle flow: fast in X-wind (and stellar wind), slow in D-wind

X-wind wide angle structure



Shang et al. (1998)

Disk wind wide-angle structure

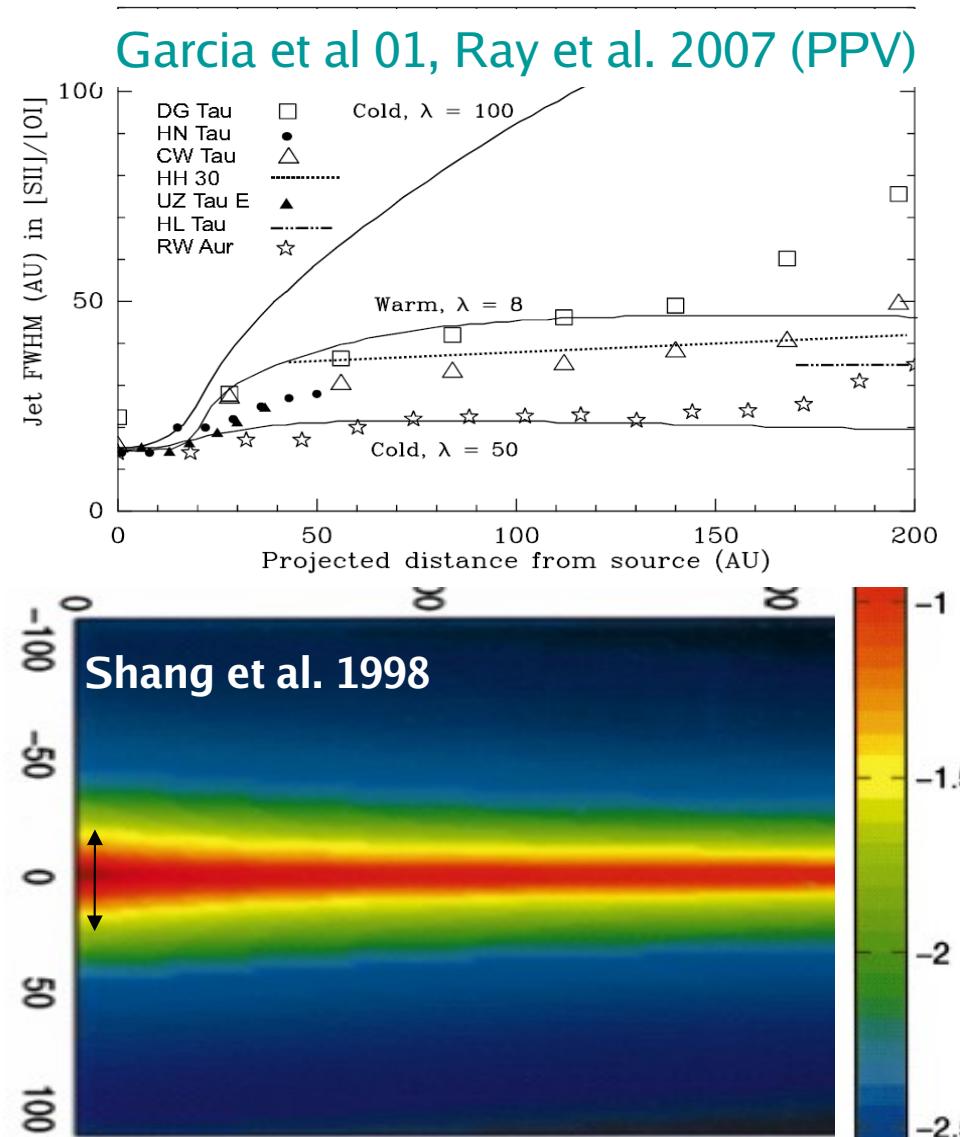


Pesenti et al. (2004)

Constraints from apparent jet widths

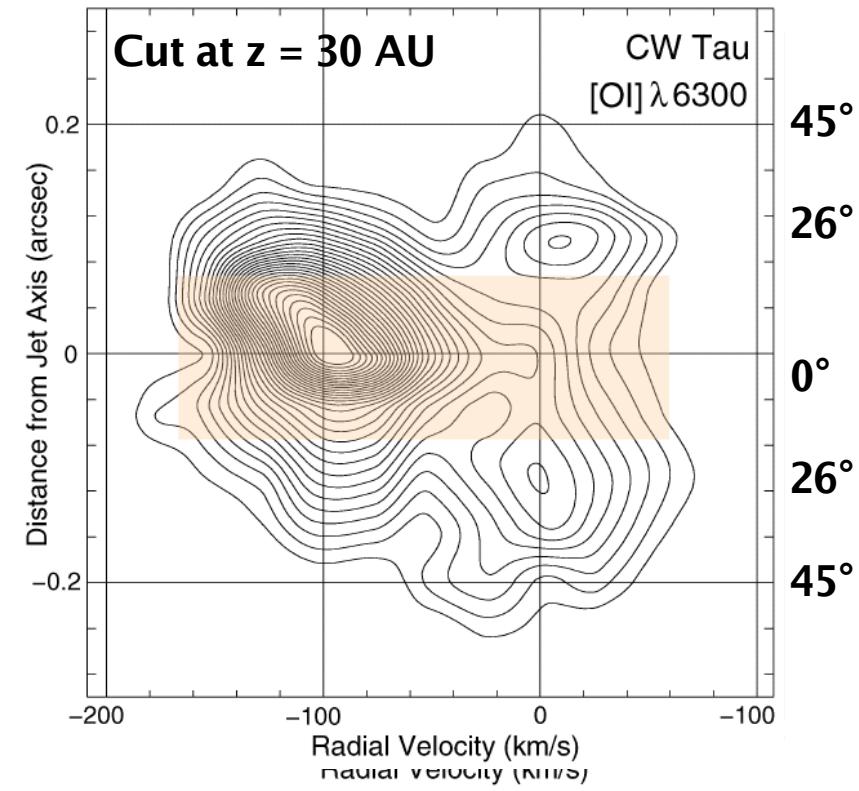
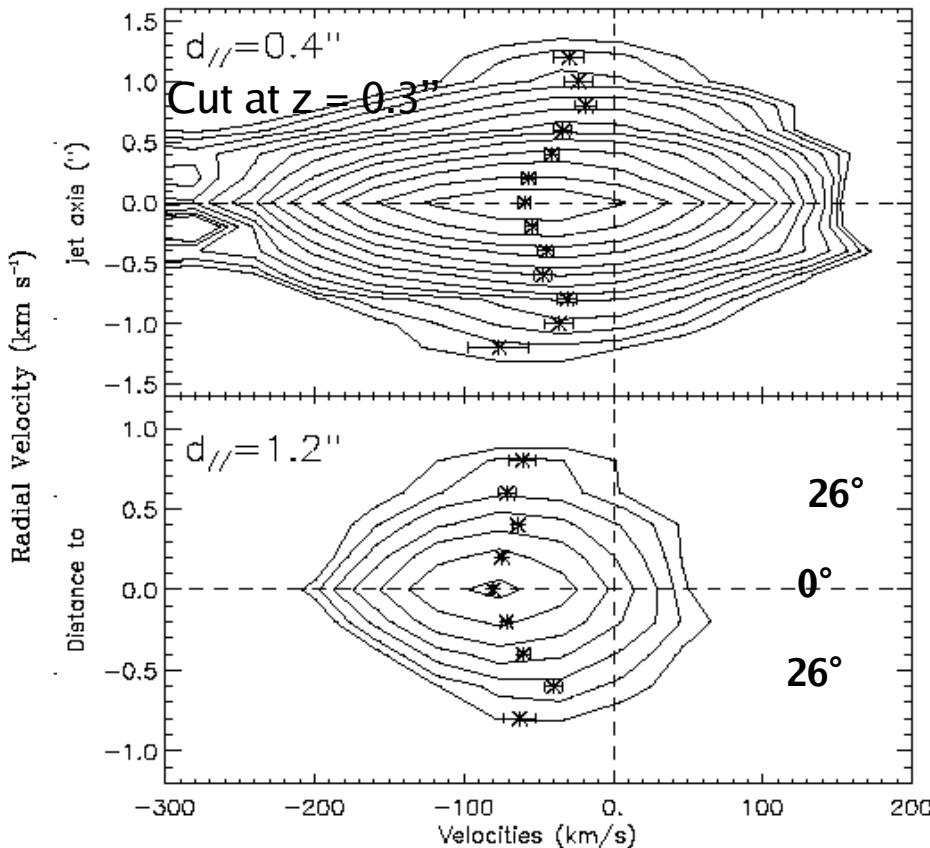
On-axis density enhancement

- Disk winds convolved by PSF: agree well for inner launch radius $R_{in} \sim 0.1\text{AU}$
- X-wind: unconvolved maps (Shang et al. 98; 02)
 - Too wide near jet base ?
 - Beam-convolution needed...
- Stellar winds (Sauty & Tsinganos 1994; Bogovalov & Tsinganos 00)
 - Maps in progress (Matsakos et al 08)...



Obs. Constraints on wide-angle flow

- In resolved jets, radial velocity decrease away from jet axis
- drop to 0 km/s in CW Tau; Drop by factor 2-4 in DG Tau, RY Tau, Th28-R
- No fast-wide angle wind beyond $\theta > 30^\circ$

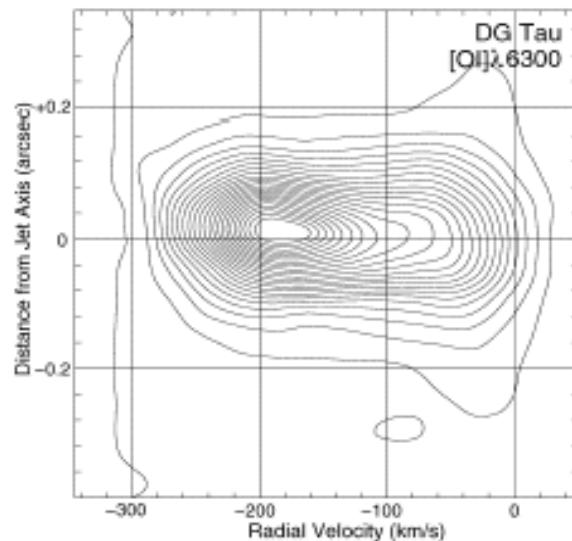


CFHT data from Amboage et al. (2008)

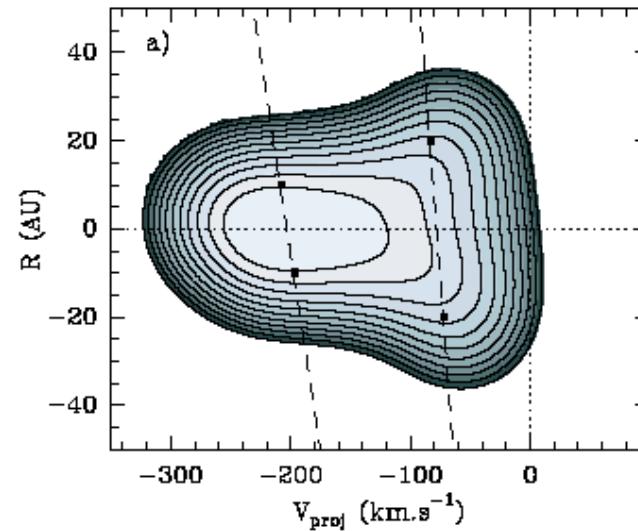
HST data from Coffey et al. (2007)

Transverse Velocity Decrease

- Transverse $V(r)$ in DG Tau well reproduced by extended disk wind with $R_{out} \sim 3$ AU (value suggested by rotation)
 - Self-consistent extended Disk-wind model
- Alternative: « confined » narrow jet + slow bowshock wings



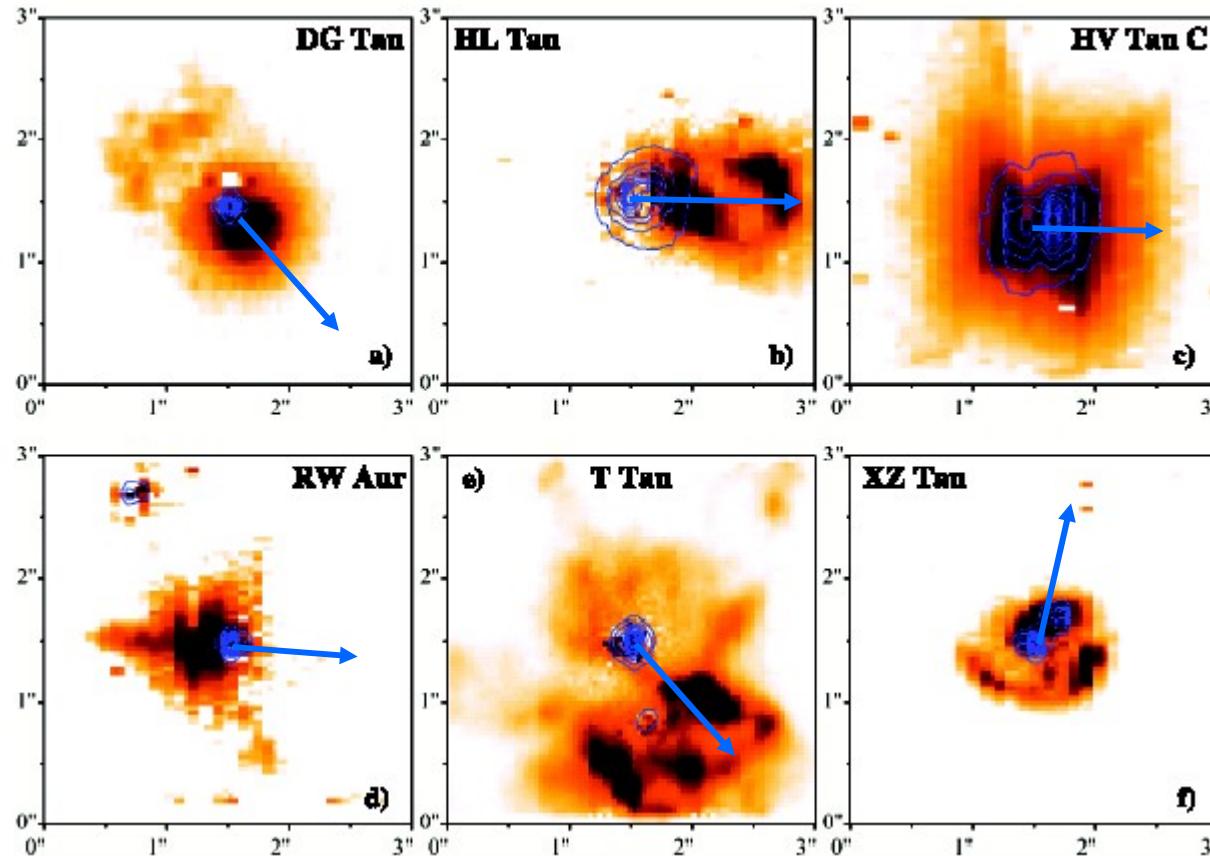
(Coffey et al. 2007)

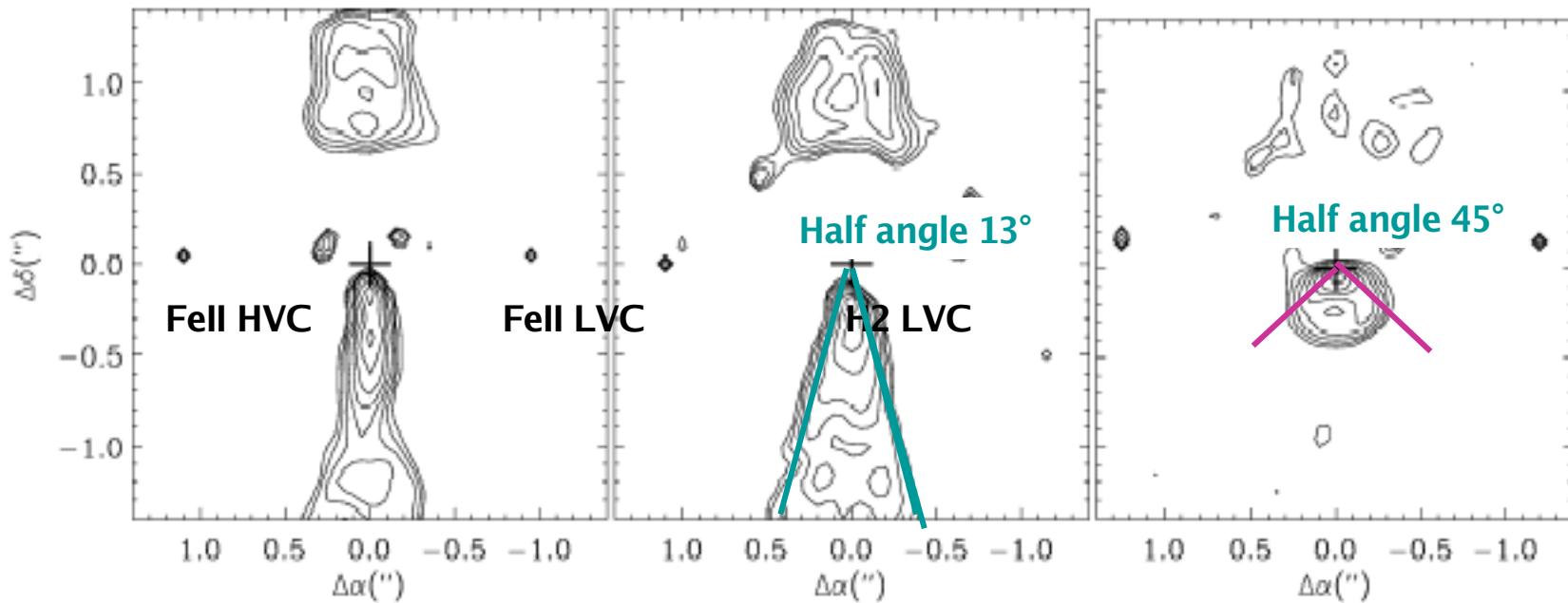


Warm disk wind model at
 $z = 50$ AU for DG Tau
 $r_0 = 0.07-3$ AU, $\lambda = 13$
(Pesenti et al. 2004)

New: H₂ around T Tauri jets

- Beck et al. (08): H₂ slow cavities < -15 km/s + redshifted H₂ jet in RW Aur ($V > 100$ km/s)

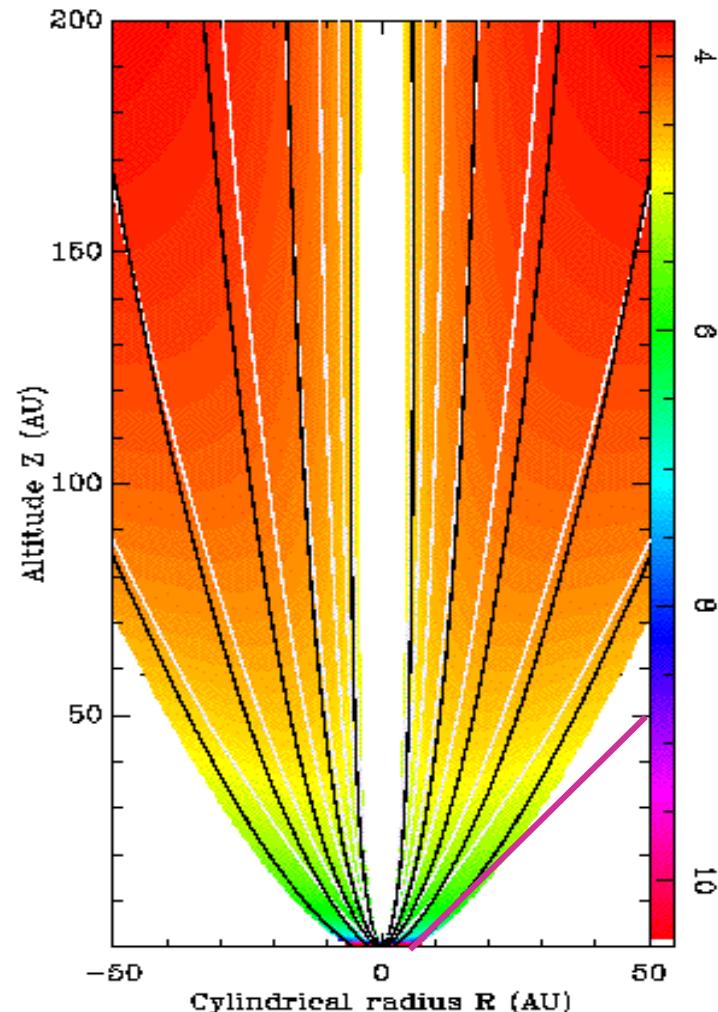




- H₂ cavity vs. DG Tau blue atomic jet (cf. Agra-Amboage et al. Poster + talk Saturday) ;
 - Matches/extends transverse V decrease seen in atomic jet
 - Semi opening $\theta = 45^\circ$, $Ro < 10$ AU
 - Disk shocked by slow wide angle wind ?
 - Disk irradiated by strong FUV/Xrays ?
 - Molecular MHD disk wind from $r_0 < 10$ AU ?

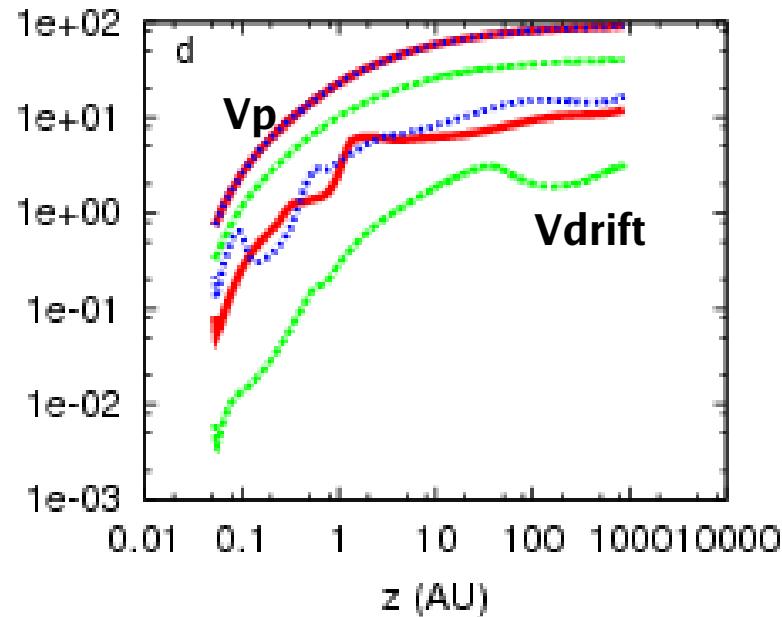
Molecules in MHD disk winds

- Time dependent chemistry in MHD disk winds (cf. Panoglou et al. 08; Poster #48 and talk saturday)
 - Ionisation by X-rays and FUV
 - Vdrift from $\mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}$ (cf. Safier 93, Garcia et al. 01)
 - Chemistry/ ionisation/ heating/ cooling from C-shock model (Flower & Pineau des Forets 03)



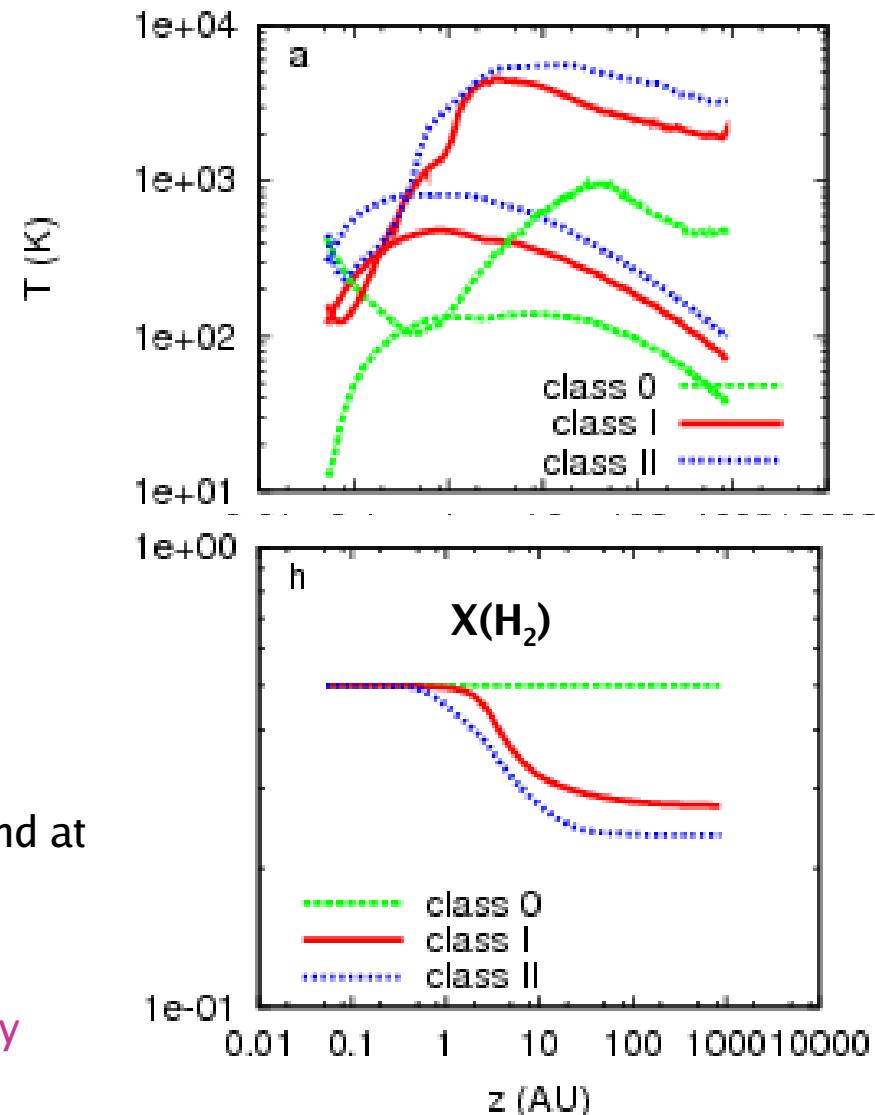
Molecules in MHD disk winds

poloidal velocity (km/s)



Launch radius = 1 AU and
Macc = $1e-7$ to $5e-6$ Mo/yr (Class II to Class 0)

- Enough charges to drag neutrals into MHD wind at $V \sim 40\text{-}100$ km/s
- $T \sim 500\text{-}3000$ K, similar to observations
- 50% of H₂ survives
- More details in Poster #48 and saturday talk by Panoglou



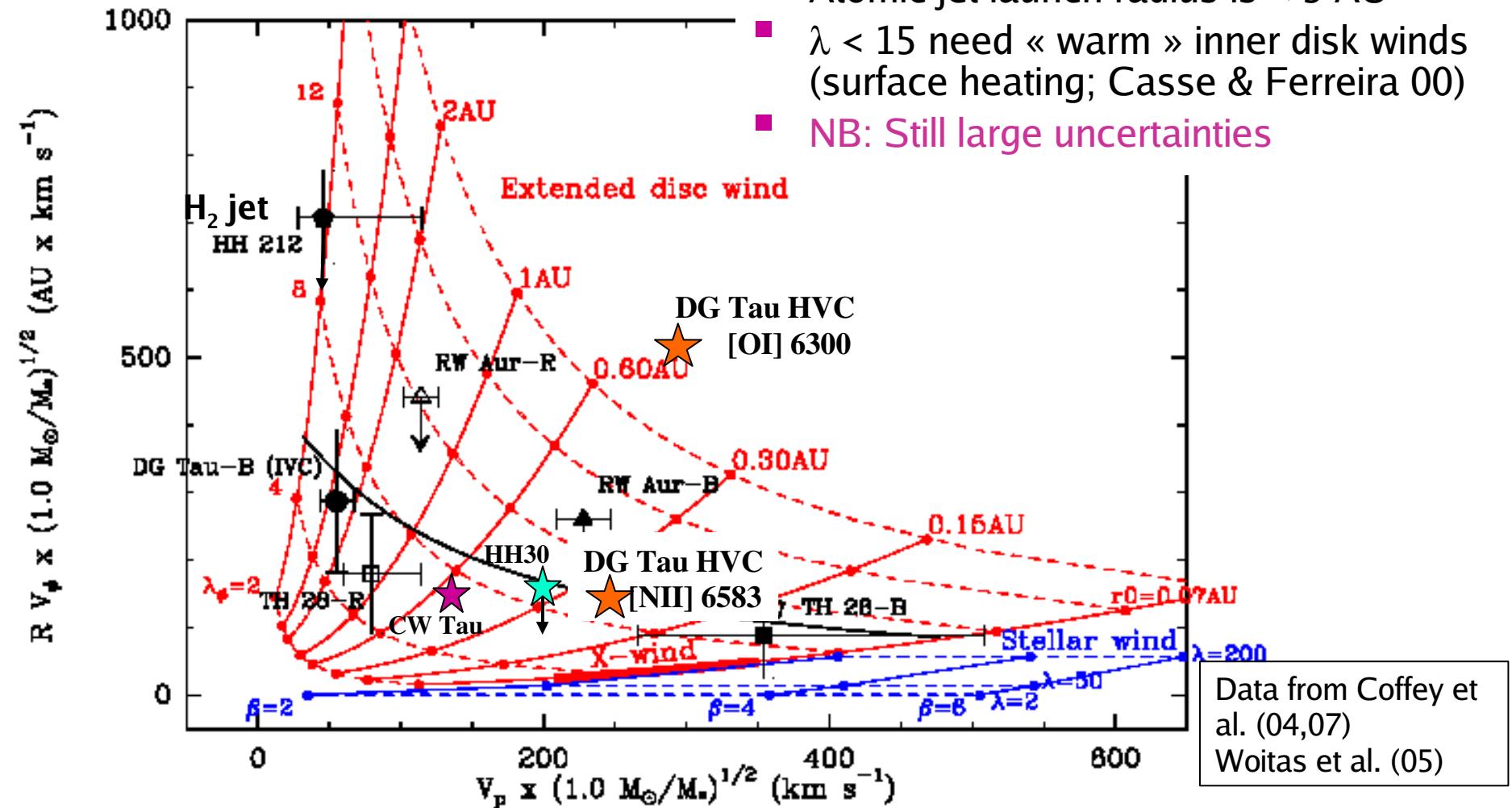
Predicted Kinematics: V_p vs. V_{rot}

- Poloidal speed V_p and angular momentum R V_φ in cold magneto-centrifugal disk winds depend on:
 - V_{K0} = Kepler speed at launch radius r₀
 - Magnetic lever arm parameter $\lambda = r_A^2 / r_0^2$
 - R V_φ vs V_p gives r₀ and λ (cf. Anderson et al 03)
- Generalize to all MHD steady models by including dependence on (cf. Ferreira et al. 2006):
 - Stellar rotation rate (stellar wind or X-wind)
 - Energy in form of enthalpy/waves (pressure-driven stellar wind)
 $\beta = 2H / (GM^*/r_0)$

Observed vs. Predicted V_p and V_{rot}

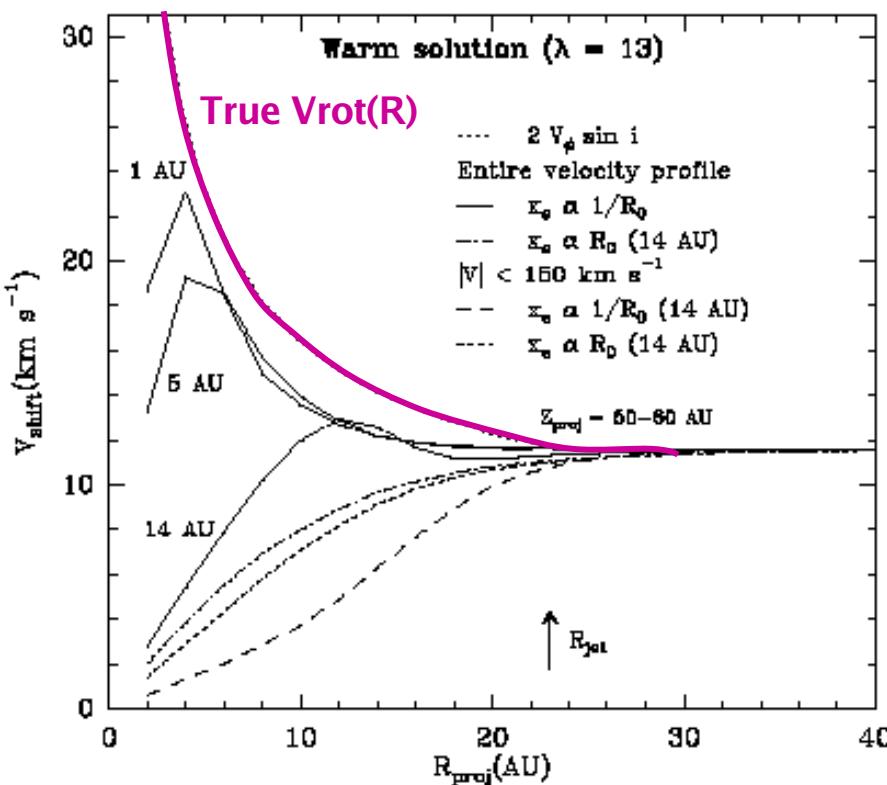
Updated from Ferreira et al. (2006)

- Cold disk wind solutions ($\lambda > 20$) are ruled out
- Atomic jet launch radius is < 3 AU
- $\lambda < 15$ need « warm » inner disk winds (surface heating; Casse & Ferreira 00)
- NB: Still large uncertainties

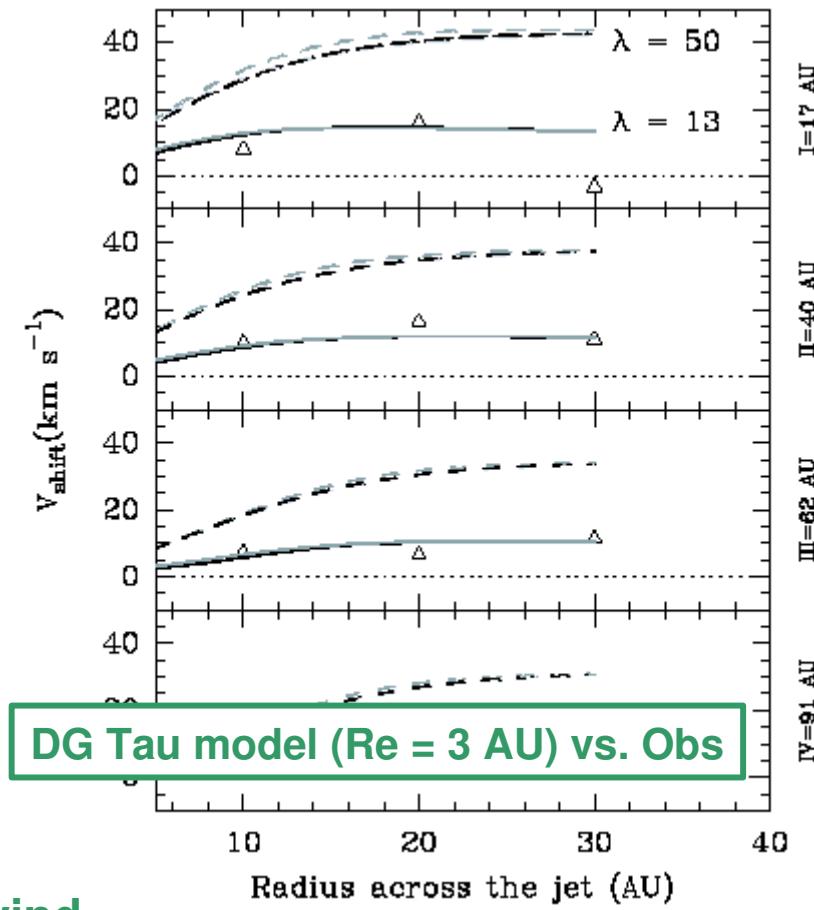


Observational biases in jet rotation

- Projection + Beam smearing → underestimate Vrot except at jet radius > PSF
- Need to resolve jet beam to set reliable upper limit on Vrot : PB in many jets

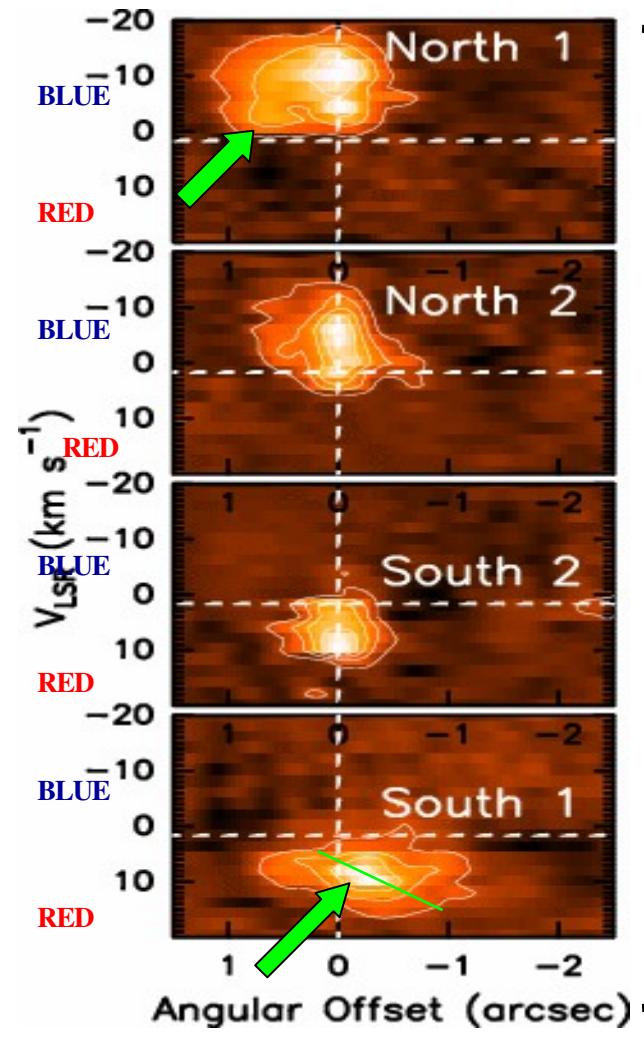


Pesenti et al. 2004 A&A
Synthetic PV cuts across warm MHD disk wind



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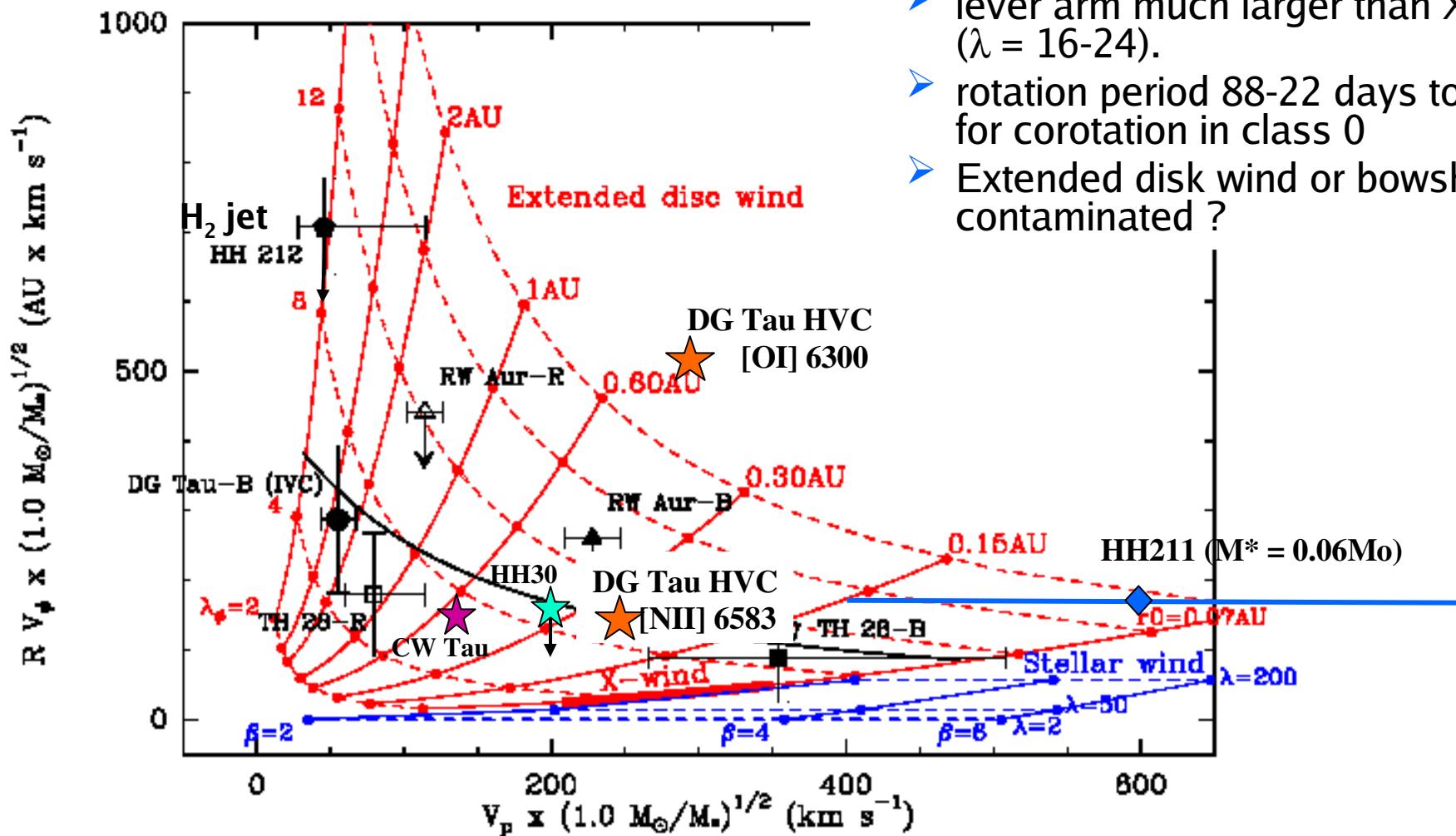
- Contamination by internal bowshocks
 - Mixing with non-rotating gas: diminish J
 - Asymmetries: create Vshift
 - May either under- or over-estimate J
- Possible examples
 - RW Aur: conflict between jet and disk rotation sense (Cabrit et al. 2006)
 - HH212: Vshift measured in component at $V_{\text{rad}} \sim 2 \text{ km/s}$ but $i = 4^\circ$ (H₂O masers) → $V \sim 28 \text{ km/s}$: bowshock.
 - Fast jet with $V \sim 150 \text{ km/s}$ projected at $V_{\text{rad}} \sim 10 \text{ km/s}$: unresolved, no Vshift (Codella et al 07).
 - See also Poster by S. Correia on H2



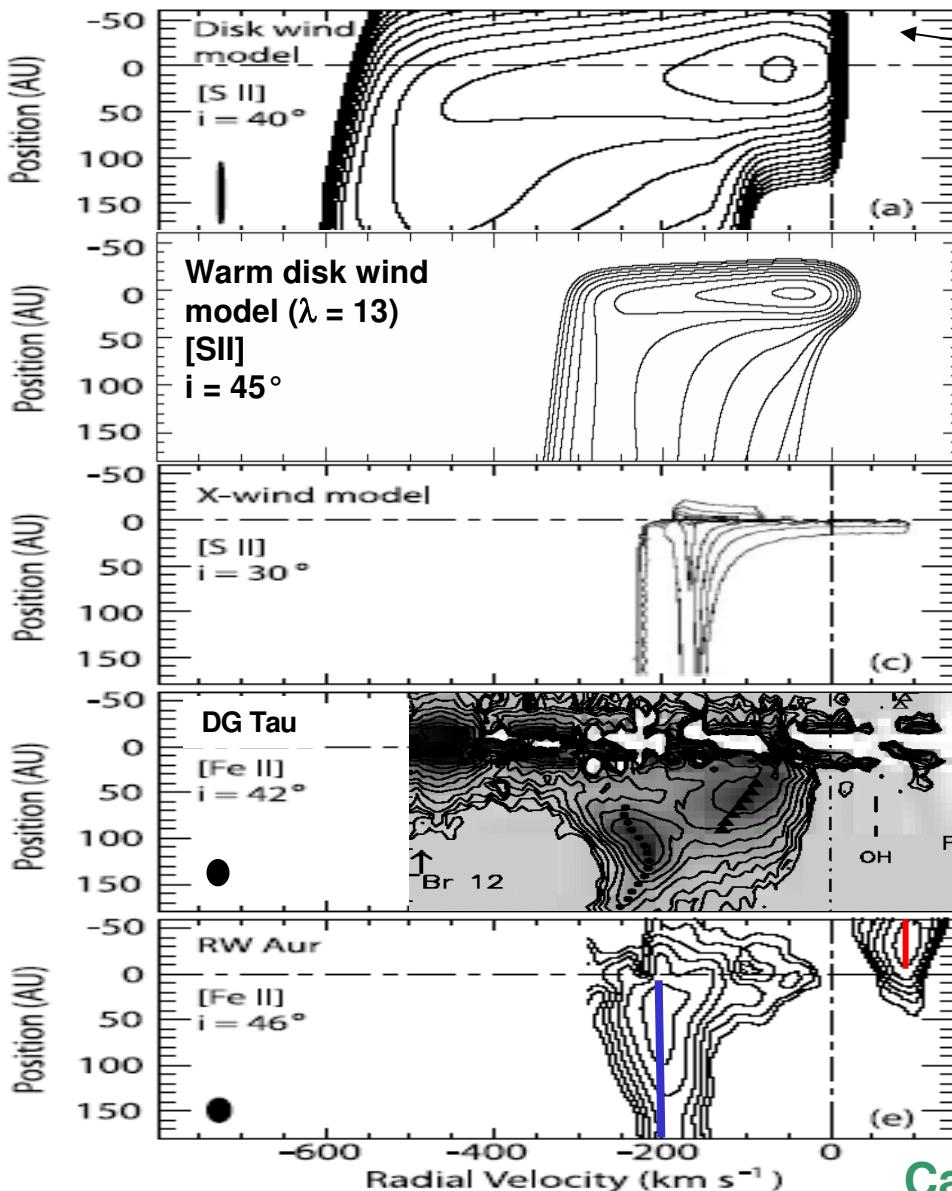
(Codella et al 07, A&A).

Observed vs. Predicted V_p and V_{rot}

- HH 211: Lee et al. (07) infer $r_0=0.15\text{-}0.06 \text{ AU}$ for $V_j = 100\text{-}200 \text{ km/s}$ and $M^* = 0.06M_\odot$, but:
 - lever arm much larger than X-wind ($\lambda = 16\text{-}24$).
 - rotation period 88-22 days too long for corotation in class 0
 - Extended disk wind or bowshock-contaminated ?



Poloidal Kinematics: along jet axis



- “Cold” Disk Wind Models $\lambda \sim 50$ (Ferreira 1997; Garcia et al. 2001): too fast
- “Warm” extended Disk Wind ($r_0 = 0.07\text{-}3\text{AU}$, $\lambda = 13$: solution fitting rotation measurements)
 - HVC ok
 - IVC from outer disk radii
- X-wind model (Shang et al. 1998)
 - HVC ok with $\lambda = 3$
 - no IVC
- Note jet asymmetry in RW Aur: different r_0 or different λ ?

Ejection to accretion ratio

Statistical value

■ CTTS sample:

- Mdot from L[O I] (integrated)
- Macc from optical veiling + BC

$$M_{jet(\text{one-sided})}/M_{acc} \sim 1\%$$

(Hartigan et al. 95)

- updated accretion rates of Gullbring et al. (98, 01) →

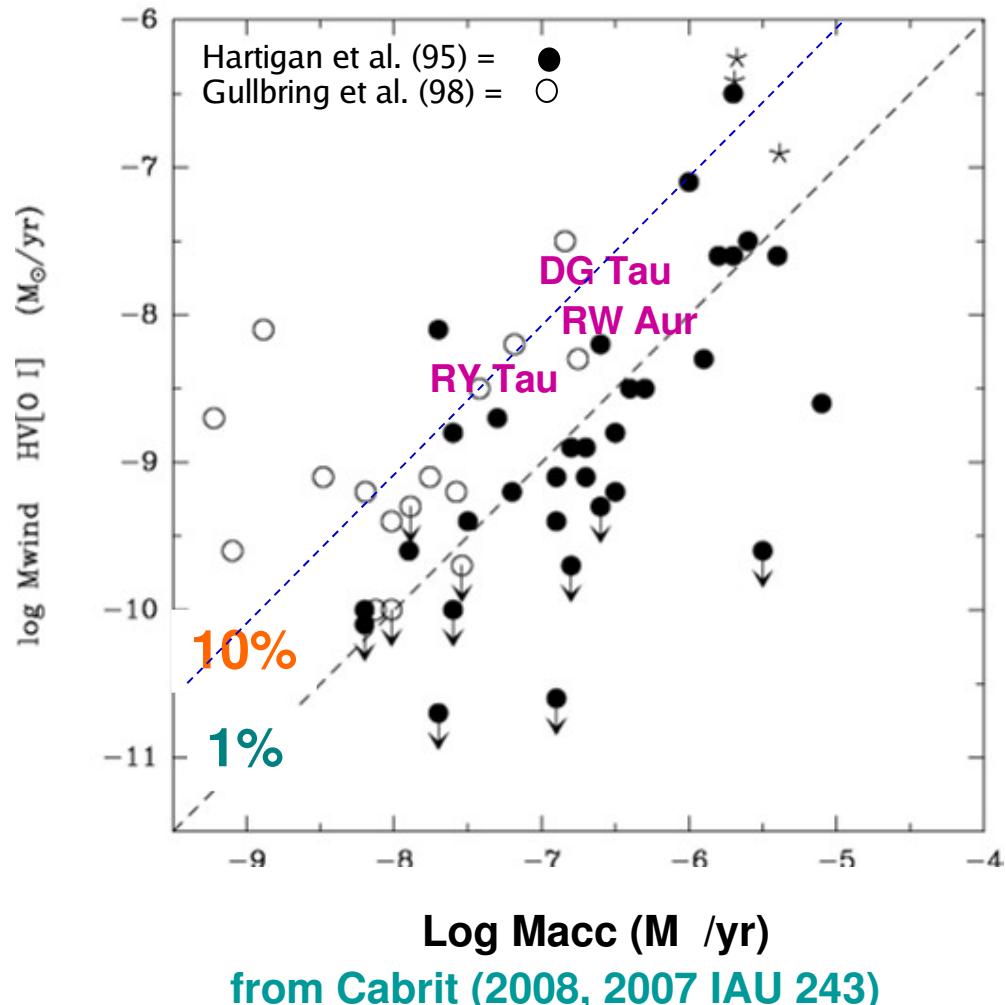
$$M_{jet(\text{one-sided})}/M_{acc} \sim 10\%$$

(Cabrit 2007,2008)

- Spatially resolved microjets: more precise Mjet in DG Tau, RW Aur, RY Tau, HN Tau (Lavalley et al 00, Woitas et al 05, Amboage et al 08, Hartigan et al 04)

$$M_{jet(\text{one-sided})}/M_{acc} \sim 1\%-10\%$$

- Similar ratio ~1%-10% for Class I jets (Hartigan et al. 94; Antoniucci et al 08)



Jet mass flux vs. disk winds / X-wind

Reminder from J. Ferreira's review:

- Cold magnetocentrifugal disk winds powered mostly by Poynting flux $\propto B\phi$ (not by enthalpy/turb. pressure);
- The same $B\phi$ regulates angular momentum extraction from the disk, ie Macc
- In steady-state, Jet power = $\frac{1}{2} M_j V_j^2$ = energy liberated by keplerian accretion flow = $GM^*M_{acc}/2 (1/R_{in} - 1/R_{out})$
- Magnetocentrifugal acceleration: $V_j^2 = (2\lambda-3) V_k^2(R_{in})$
 - Self-similar D-wind: $f = M_j/M_{acc} = \ln(R_{out}/R_{in})/(2\lambda-2)$
 - ▽ $\lambda \sim 10$ from rotation and $R_{out}/R_{in} \sim 2-10 \rightarrow f \sim 4\%-13\%$
 - X-wind: $f = M_j/M_{acc} = (\Delta r/R_{in})/(2\lambda-3) < 1\% \text{ for } \lambda > 2$
wind torque / spin-up torque $f\lambda \ll 1$. Extra ingredient ?

Jet mass-flux vs. stellar winds

- Mass-flux in hot wind ($T \sim 10^5 - 10^6 K$) much lower than in optical jet
 - **X-rays:** $M_w(10^6 K) < 1e-10 M_{\odot}/yr$ (De Campli 1981, Matt & Pudritz 07):
 - cf. Xray jet in DG Tau (cf. Poster Günther et al.)
 - NB: Thermal pressure sufficient to broaden atomic jet (Güdel et al 08)
 - **Si III]** $T \sim 6 \cdot 10^4 K$ in RY Tau (Gomez de Castro & Verdugo 07):
 $M_w \sim 1e-11 M_{\odot}/yr < 1\%$ of [OI] jet (Agra-Amboage et al. 08)
 - **CIV:** $T < 20,000 K$ in wind acceleration region (cf. talk by C. Johns-Krull): cool stellar wind
- « Turbulent » power to overcome gravity from R^* :
 - $L_{turb} \sim GM^*/R^*$ $M_{jet} \sim f L_{acc} \sim 2 L_{kin}$ (Ferreira et al. 06, Matt & Pudritz 08), but strict lower limit as never fully efficient
 - e.g. **Alfven-wave driven wind** (DeCampli 81): $L(\text{Alfven waves}) \sim 5-10 L_{kin}$; More if other waves + damping.
 - $L_{kin} \sim 1\%-10\% L_{acc} \rightarrow L_{turb} \sim 2\%-100\% L_{acc}$: challenging...
- More promising: thermo-magnetic launching close to corotation, eg. Plasmoid ejections (Romanova, Zanni, Hartmann)

Conclusions

- Jet collimation at $Z \sim 50$ AU is magnetic (internal or external): thermal pressure of disk/envelope is ruled out.
- Transverse velocity decrease: No fast wide angle wind beyond 30° of axis.
 - X-wind model needs modification...
 - Bowshock / expanding cavity around a confined jet ?
 - Extended disk wind ?
- Jet rotation searches: strongly limits parameter space for Disk-winds
 - $\lambda < 15$ → heating at disk surface (Casse & Ferreira 00): origin ?
 - $R_{\text{out}} < 0.5\text{-}3$ AU for atomic jet: why ?
 - NB: Many uncertainties in V_{rot} , especially in class 0 jets
- H₂ in jets / slow cavities: disk winds as alternative to bowshocks/entrainment
 - H₂ at 120 km/s in RW Aur jet: not a stellar wind.
 - H₂ survives in MHD disk winds launched at a few AU
- Jet mass-flux and jet power :
 - $M_{\text{j}}/\dot{M}_{\text{acc}} \gg 1\%$ seems challenging if ejection from R^* or X-wind
 - Unsteady ejection driven by field relaxation in stellar magnetosphere very promising
 - Origin of jet velocity asymmetries ???