



# **Dust in Protoplanetary disks**

(hunting for the very first stages of planet formation)

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Star formation 101: collapse of a molecular core & angular momentum conservation





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## We now live in a 'data driven' era



Dust Thermal Emission – (sub)-millimeter



#### Scattered light - Near Infrared



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# **CITS** How do Pebbles grow into Planetesimals?



micron-sized

10<sup>7</sup>m, 10000 km

### Growth by ~13 orders of magnitude in radius !!!

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- Keep in mind that:
  - We aim to study micron- and mm- and cm-sized dust located ~500 light-years away!!!
  - Stars and disks evolve on timescales of ~Myr
- Need to use all the « tricks » available
  - Large samples of objects
  - Intensity maps
  - Linear Polarisation maps (and circular?)
  - Broad wavelength coverage
    - From Optical to Radio -> TO PROBE DIFFERENT REGIONS OF DISKS
- AND... model everything as coherently as possible
  - requires database(s) of dust properties

## Recent advances I: High order AO systems



VLT / SPHERE H-band (1.6microns) Polarised Intensity Images



Avenhaus+ 2018, ApJ, 863.

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## **CITS** Polarised Phase functions and Dust properties



See Ryo Tazaki's talk image adated from Tazaki+ 2023

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### AggScatVIR: Parameter coverage

7 wavelength grids: 0.554  $\mu$ m, 0.735  $\mu$ m, 1.04  $\mu$ m, 1.25  $\mu$ m, 1.63  $\mu$ m, 2.18  $\mu$ m, 3.78  $\mu$ m





2 compositions,

- 3 monomer radii,
- 3 porosities,
- 7 aggregate radii (on average)
- (4 realization for each)

2x3x3x7=126 SETS

Largest aggregate  $\sim 3 \,\mu m$ 



- 2 compositions,
- 5 monomer radii,
- 4 fractal dimensions,
- 5.35 aggregate radii (on average) (4 realization for each)

#### 2x5x4x5.35=214 SETS

Largest aggregate  $\sim 10 \,\mu m$ 

#### Irregular grains



2 composition, 10 grain radii (10 realization)

#### 2x10=20 SETS

Largest grains ~ 1.6  $\mu$ m

#### https://github.com/rtazaki1205/AggScatVIR





https://www.fresnel.fr/EMSCOP/

## EMSCOP : A new scattering database



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Abstract : EMSCOP is a freely accessible database, developed and managed by Institut Fresnel (cf fresnel.fr/EMSCOP). It contains measurements and simulations of the scattering properties of various geometries of particles. For now, information on two types of particle is presented in this database : rough spheres and aggregates of 74 monomers. For each type, different samples with various pre-defined characteristics (fractal dimension varying from 1.5 to 2.8 for aggregates, and roughness percentage from 2 to 13 for rough spheres) were measured and simulated. The measurements were performed in the anechoic chamber of the CCRM (Centre Commun de Ressource en Micro-Onde) in Marseille, between frequencies of 3 to 18 GHz, i.e. that the size parameter of the particles varies from 1 to 20. The computations were performed with a homemade finite element code, for the same samples within the same frequency range, in order to cross validate the measurements. The data are given following the Jones or Mueller formalism.

#### This database is from laboratory measurements and calculations

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## **Chrs** Wavelength coverage needed to go further

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HD 163296, SPHERE H-Band image

#### Data processing with advanced pipeline is required !!!!



# **Chrs Stokes I (Intensity) images require advanced treatment**



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- High contrast / high resolution images available
  - Mostly POLARISED INTENSITY
  - Mostly Near-Infrared
- On-going developments... number of images growing
  - Stokes I images
    - Necessary to obtain Intensity & Polarisation fraction vs. Color
  - Data in the optical (V, R, I bands)
  - Circular polarisation ???
- Databases of scattering properties are needed to feed models
  - Mie theory not sufficient anymore



### Recent Advances II: Disks at longer wavelengths





#### **Dust Thermal Continuum Emission**

Scattering? Dust properties?









Dent+ 2018





• Scattering or Aligned grains ???



Image from Kataoka et al. 2017

Beware of inclination effects, especially for scattering -> will change the vector pattern Exact dust distribution also important -> rings and gaps, for example REQUIRES CAREFUL MODELING

# HD163296 -> model of the ALMA linear polarisation





Note the effect of inclination on the polarisation PA







1. There is a planet, in a disk gap







2. We can estimate the planet mass

Pinte+2019







3. 200 micron grains (best emitters) must have very low Stokes number !!!

Stokes number proportional to (dust bulk density \* dust radius) / Gas surface density





- Images are now available in the mm-range with angular resolution comparable to Optical- NIR !!!
  - Traces a different dust population: midplane vs. surface

- Scattering is producing linear polarisation
  - Dust properties still unclear, requires modelling
- Evidence that dust in midplane is VERY porous ?



## **Corrs** Surface vs midplane: but what in between?



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• JWST images withdrawn

Duchene, Menard+ 2023, submitted 16/6/23



• JWST images withdrawn

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- Not that long ago our understanding of disk and dust evolution was limited by the quality (and amount) of data
- The situation is different now: we are in a "data driven" period where models are lagging behind
  - Turbulence ; vertical settling ; scattering properties ...
- Interplay between observations, models AND lab results will be critical to fully understand dust evolution and early planet formation in disks

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