

Chandra Observations of Kiloparsec-Scale Jets

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INTRODUCTION

- **What Do Jets Do?**
 - Carry large quantities of energy, to supply radio lobes
 - Interact with gas in galaxies and clusters of galaxies
- **What Do We Want to Learn?**
 - Particle composition and acceleration
 - Jet acceleration and collimation
- **Why Do We Need Multiwavelength Data?**
 - Spectral Energy Distribution (SED) gives mechanism
 - Particle lifetimes change with observed band

IMAGING ISSUES

- **Morphology**
 - Radio/Optical/X-ray comparison
 - Knots vs. hotspots vs. continuum
- **Detailed Spatial Relations**
 - How do we define a region?
 - Where are acceleration sites?
 - Lifetime issues
- **Change of Direction**

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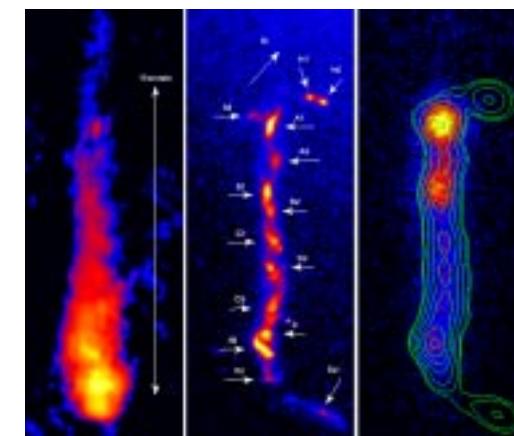
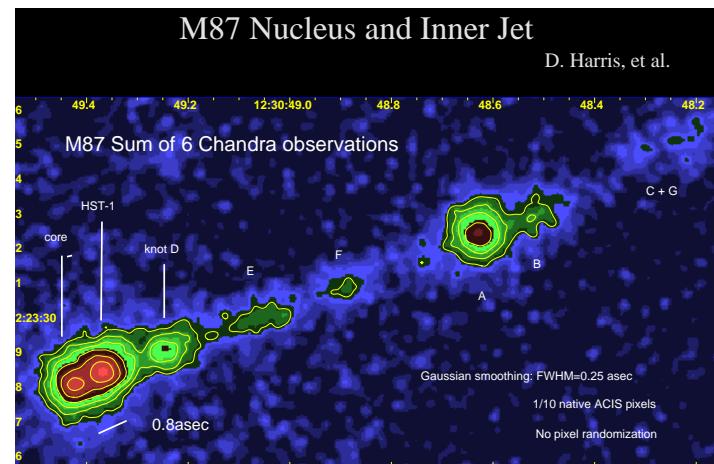
- Cen A, 3.4 Mpc
- M87, 16 Mpc
- 3C 273, 750 Mpc

2. Quasar/FRII Jets

3. Jets at Large Redshift



Cen A, Kraft et al.



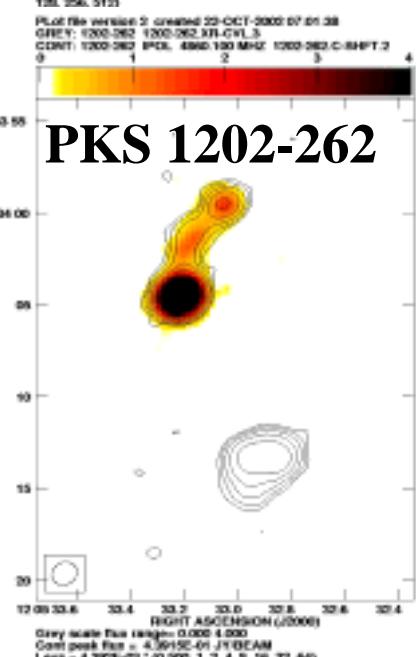
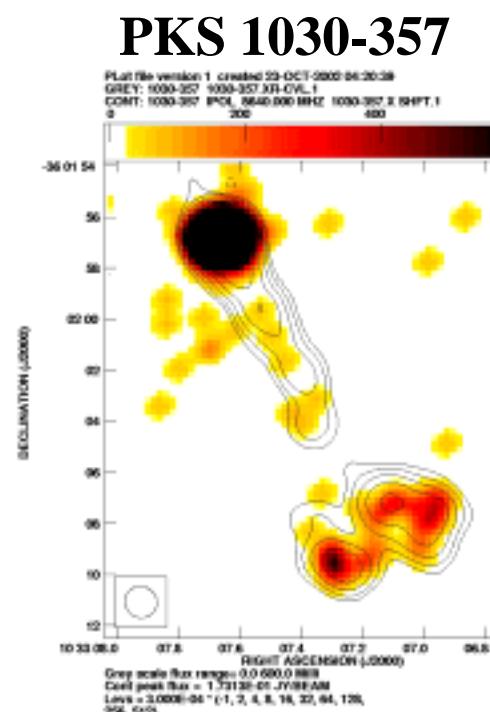
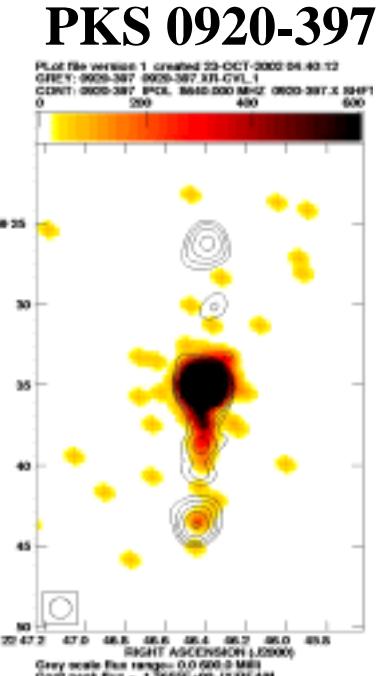
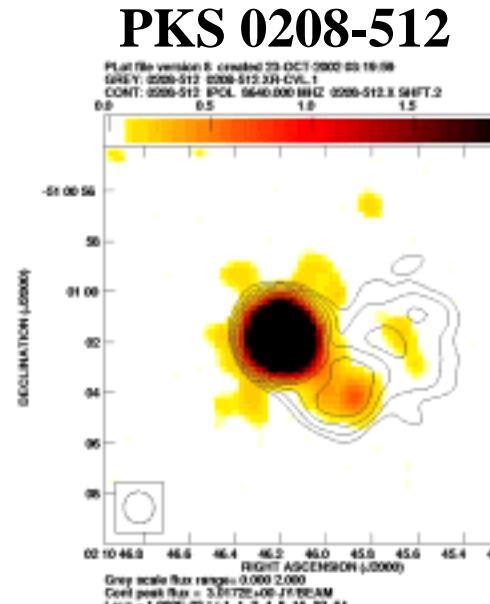
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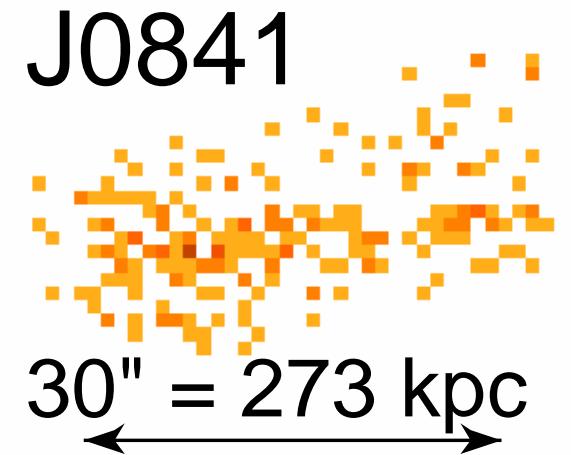
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- Broadband SED
- Interpretation as IC/CMB
- Kinetic flux and efficiency

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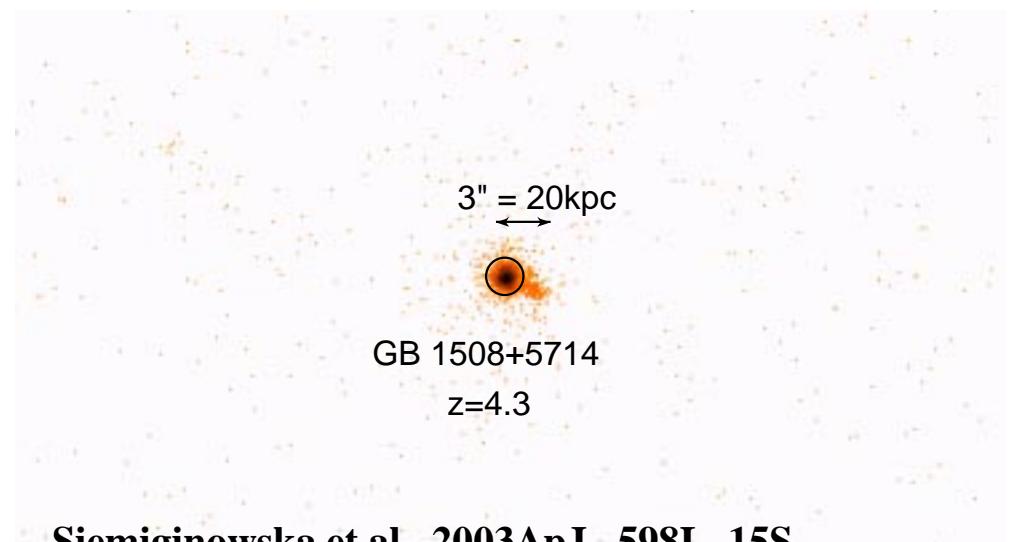


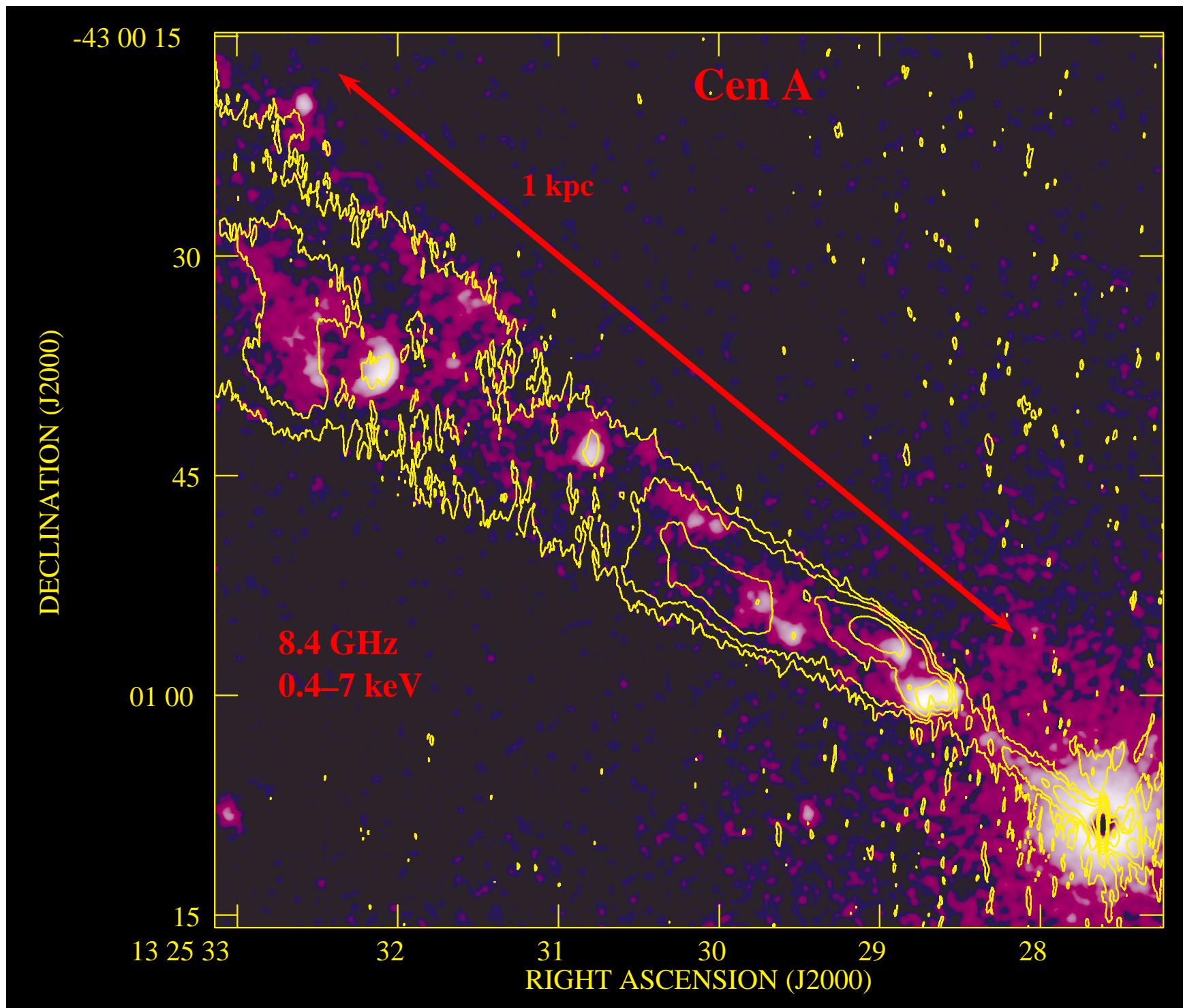
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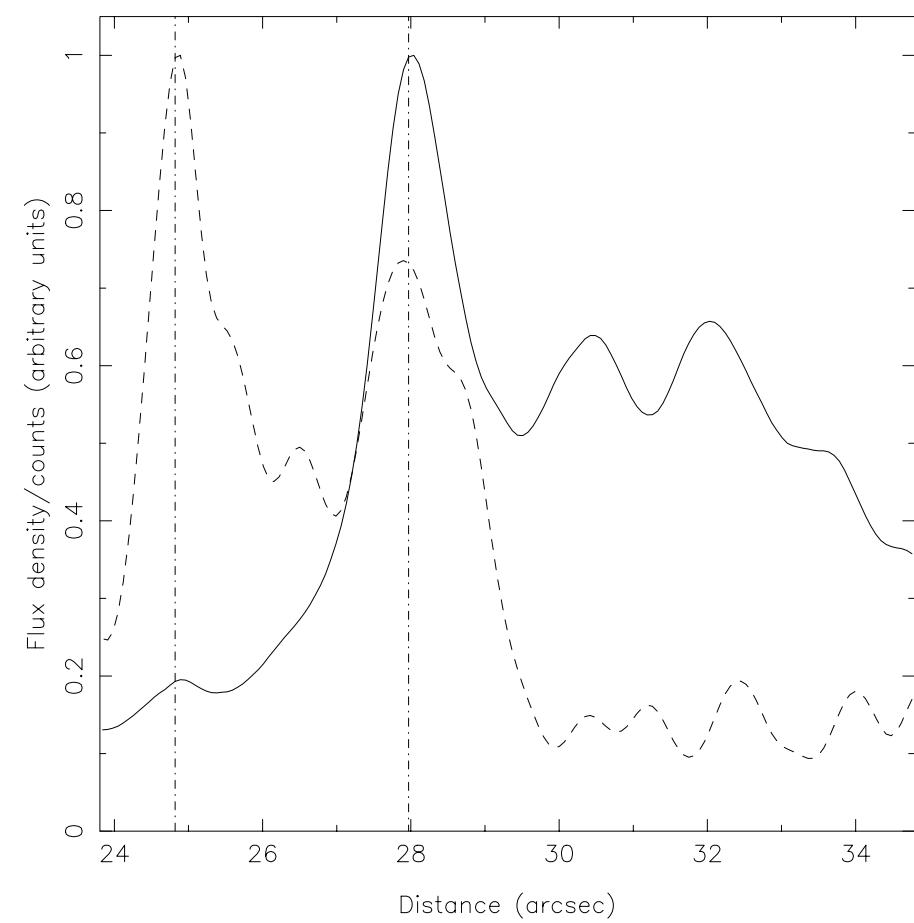
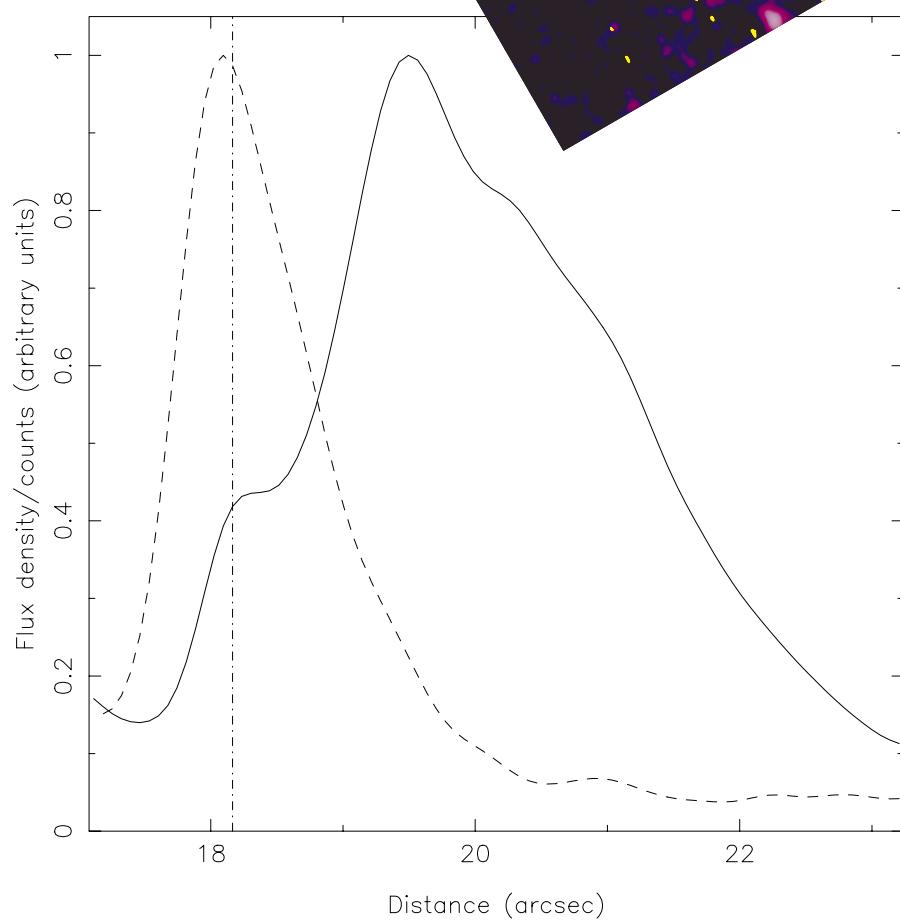
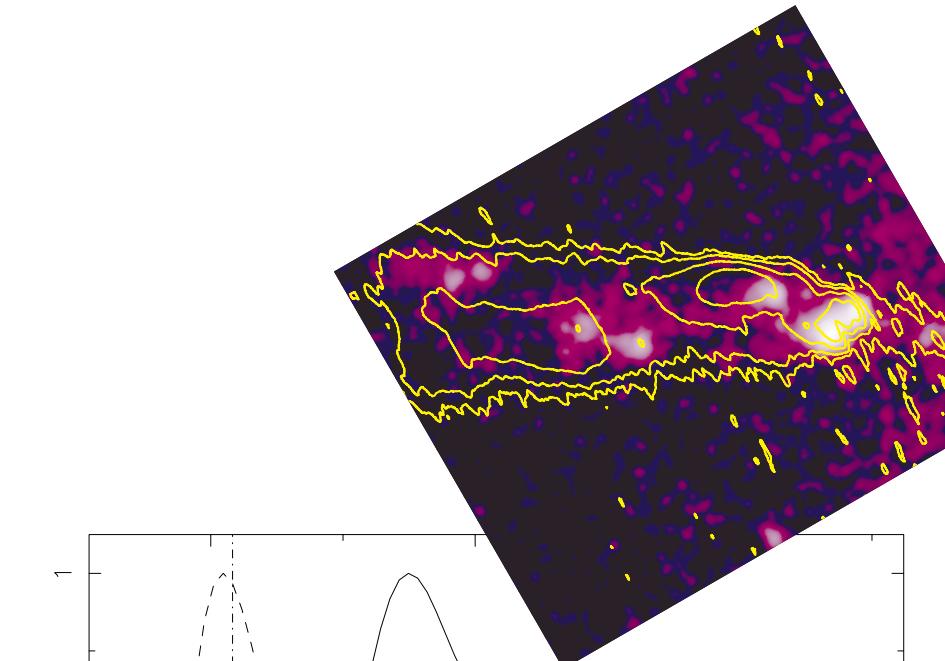
Schwartz et al., 2004ApJ...605L.105S

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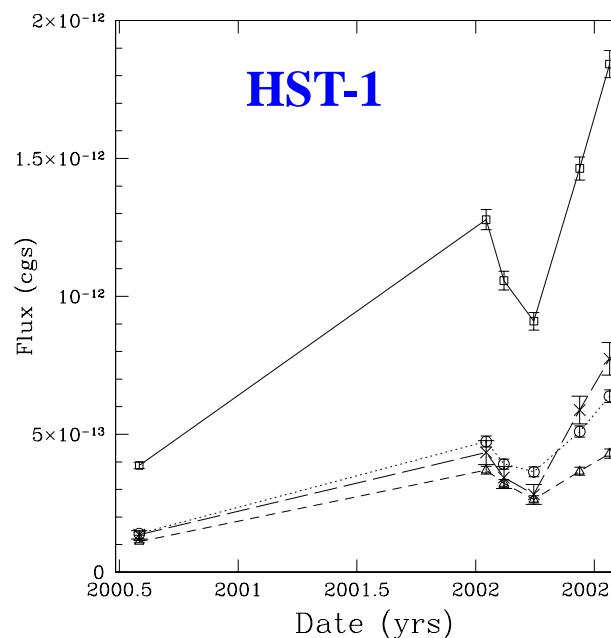
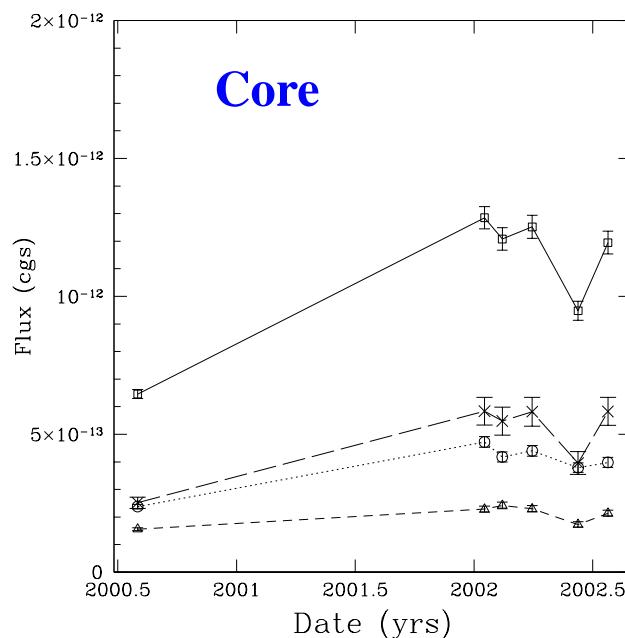
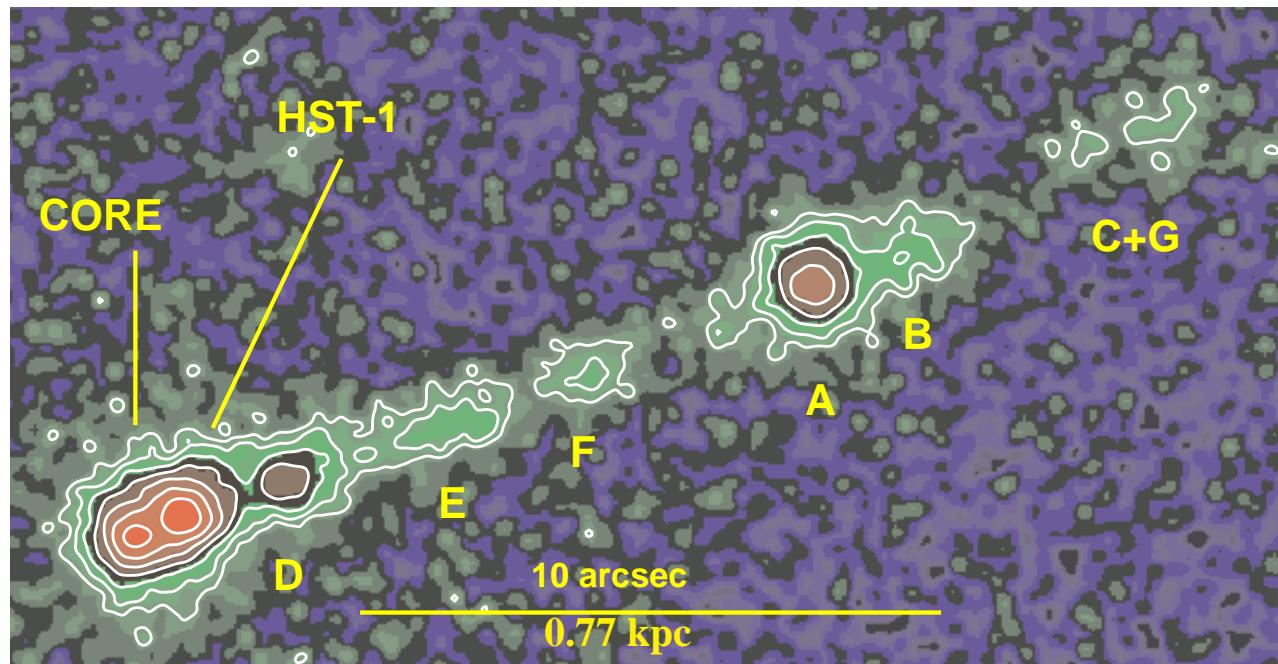
- Beacons to Large Redshift?
- Radio quiet X-ray jets?



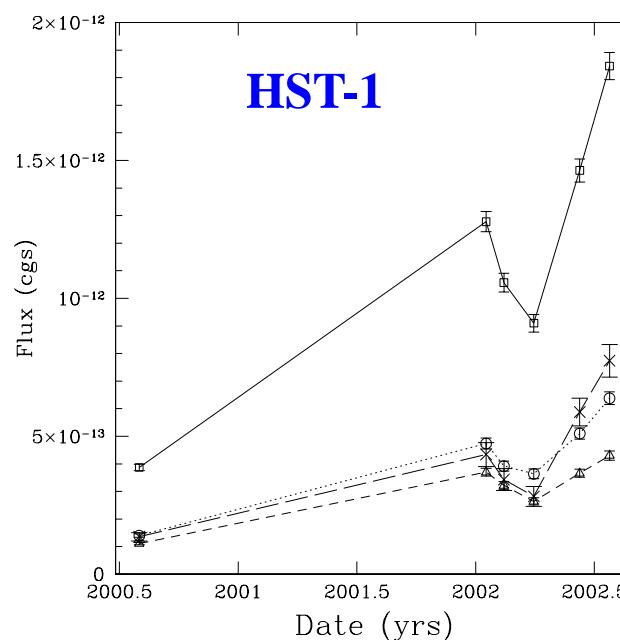
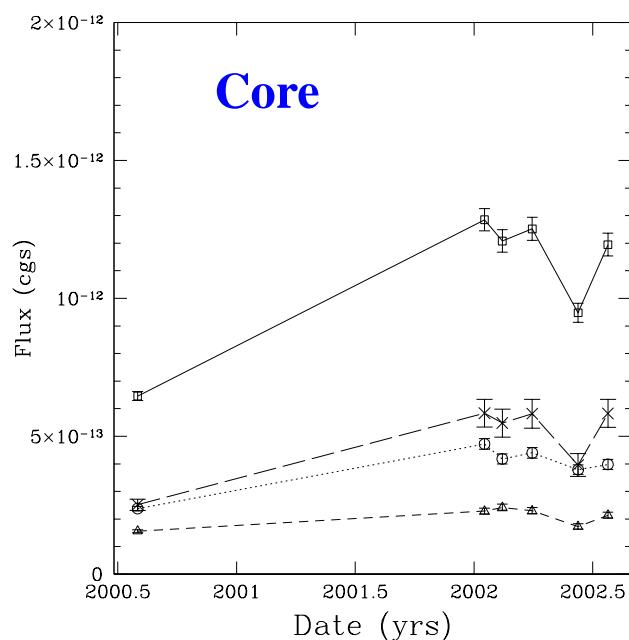
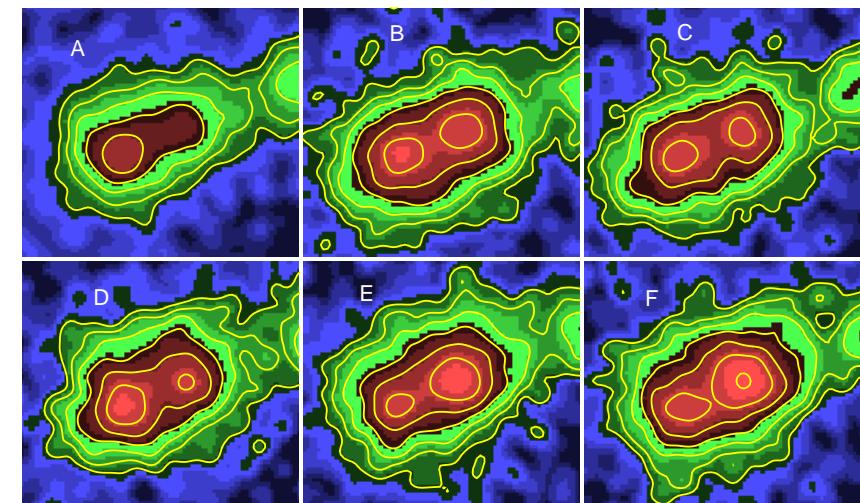
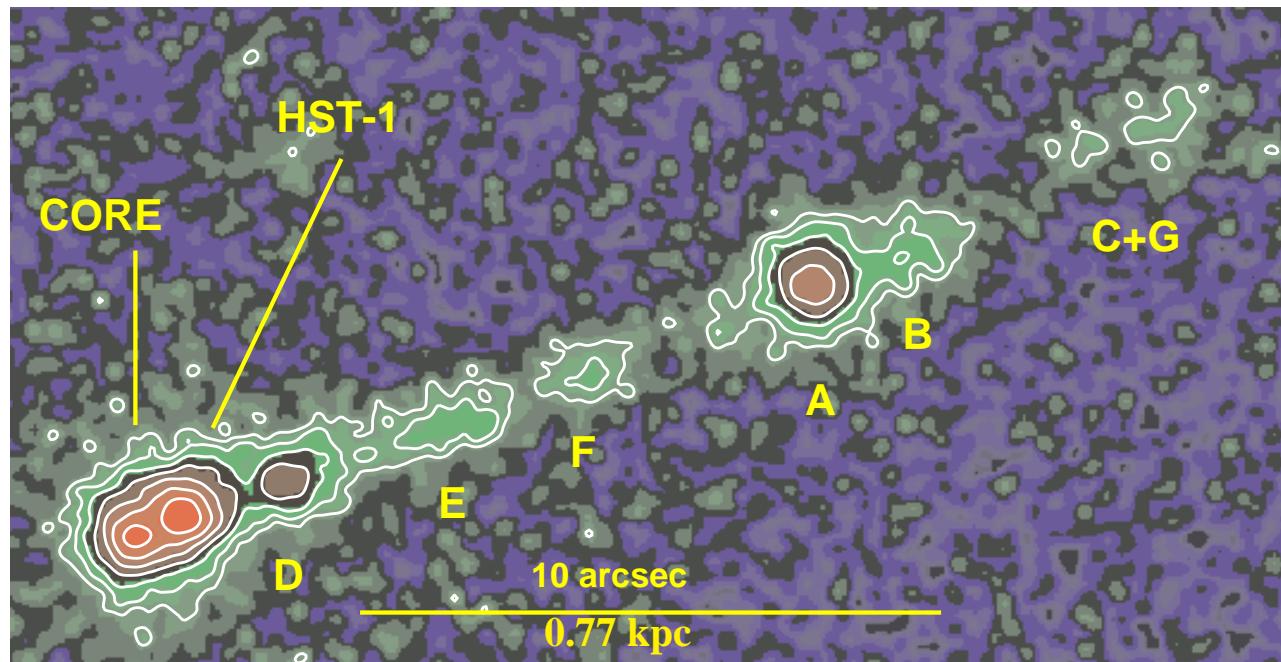




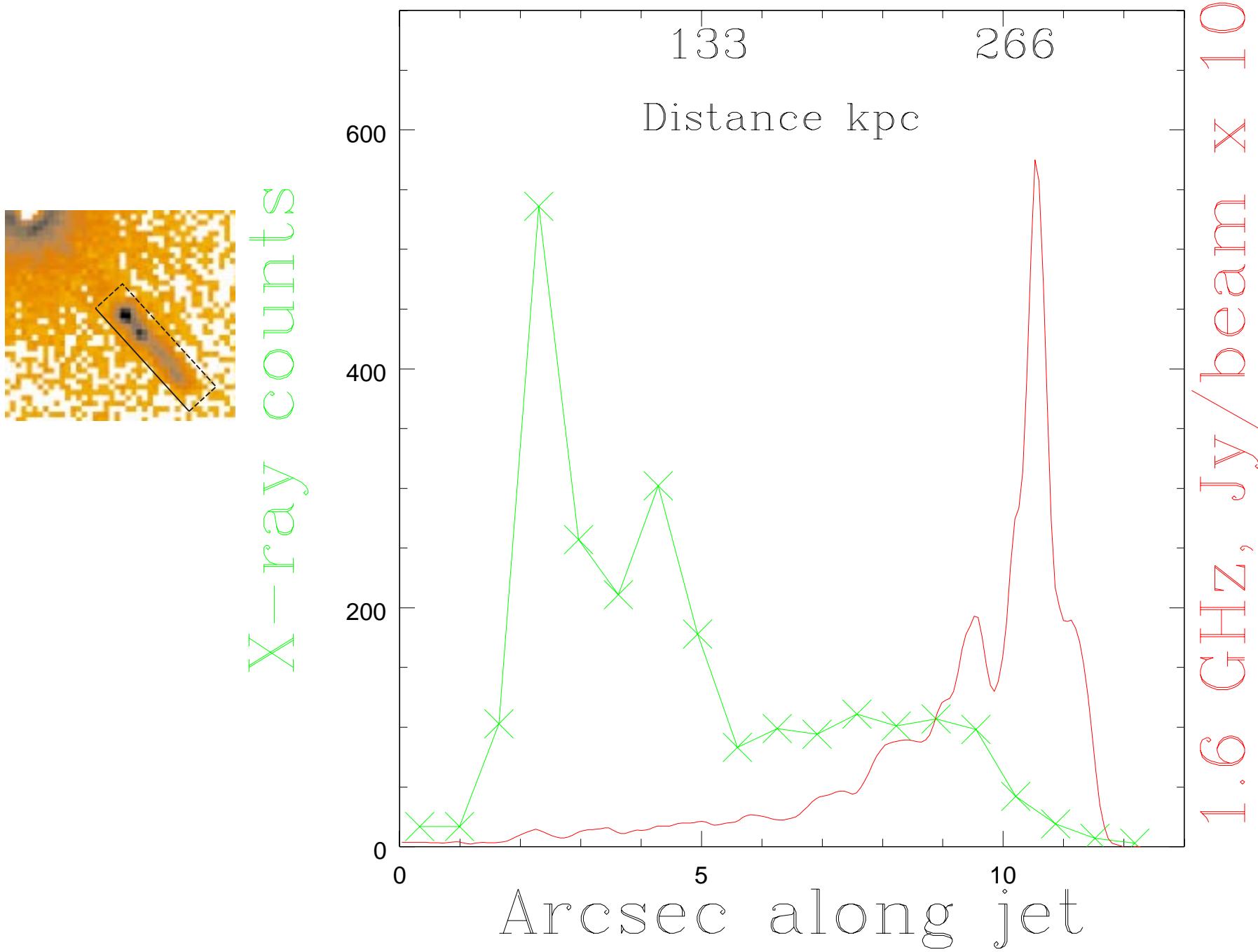
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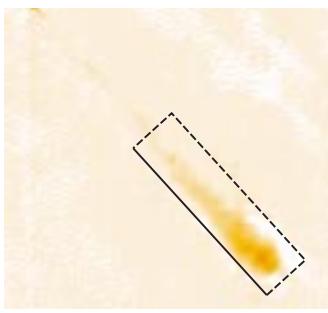
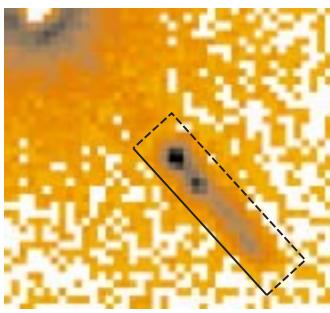
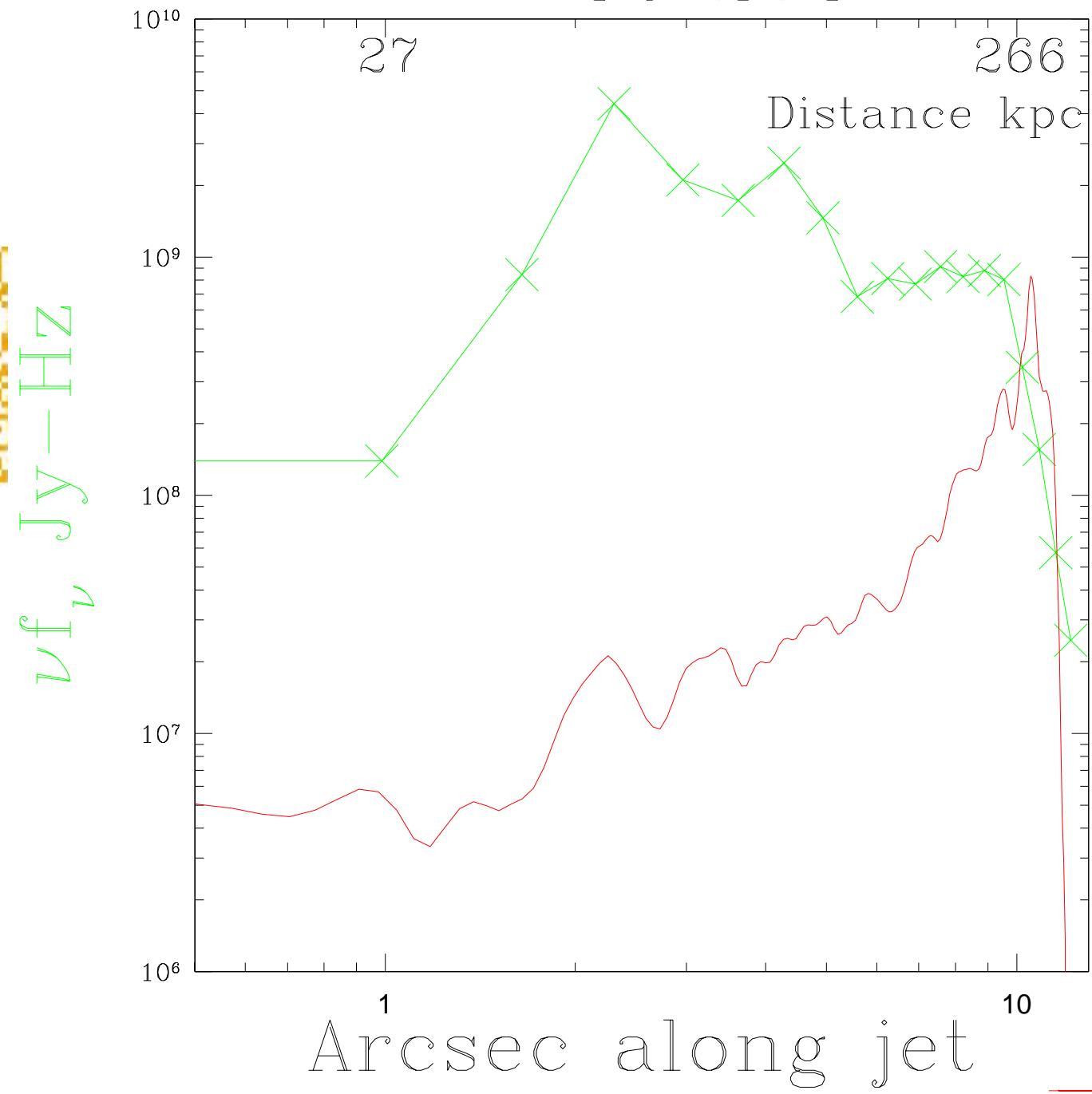
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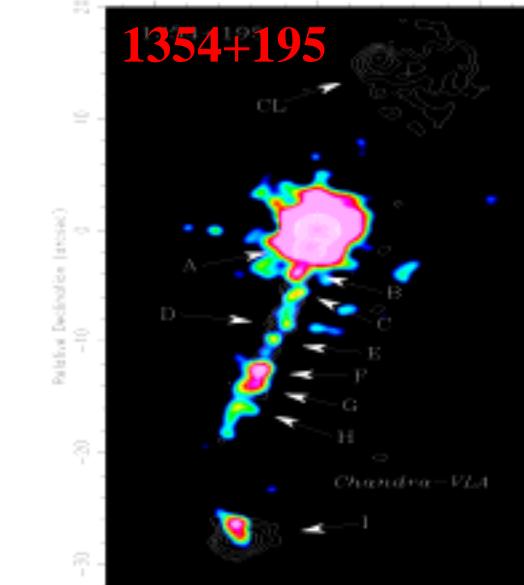
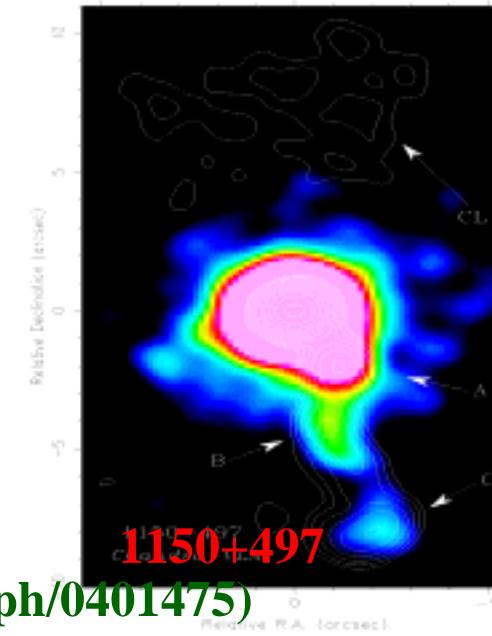
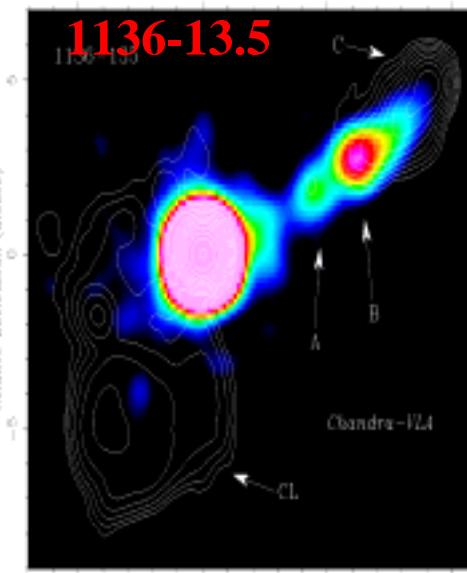
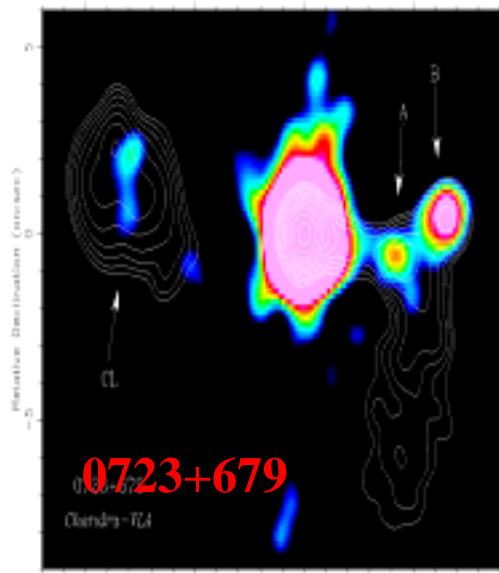
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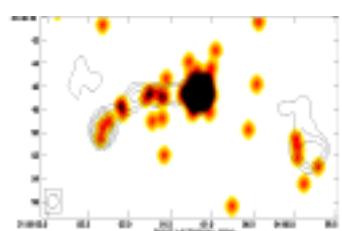
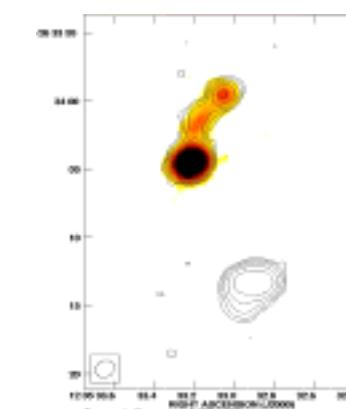
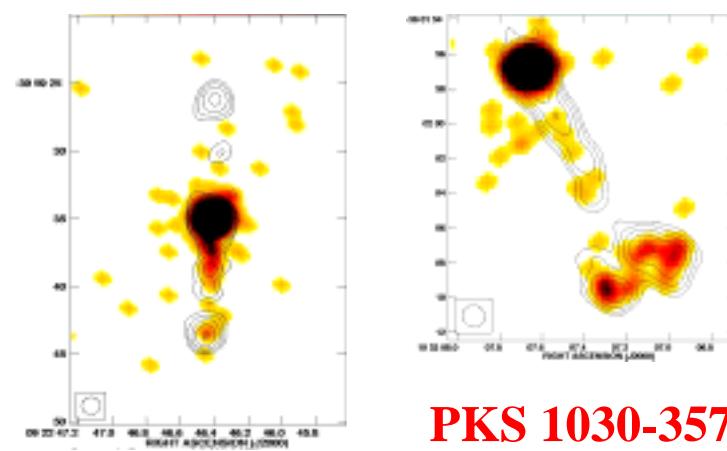
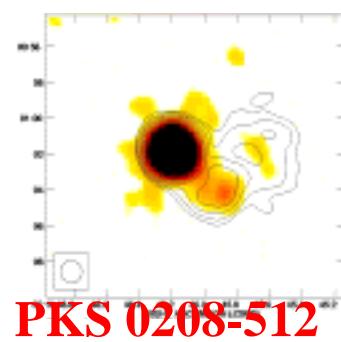
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Multiwavelength observations of FR II Jets

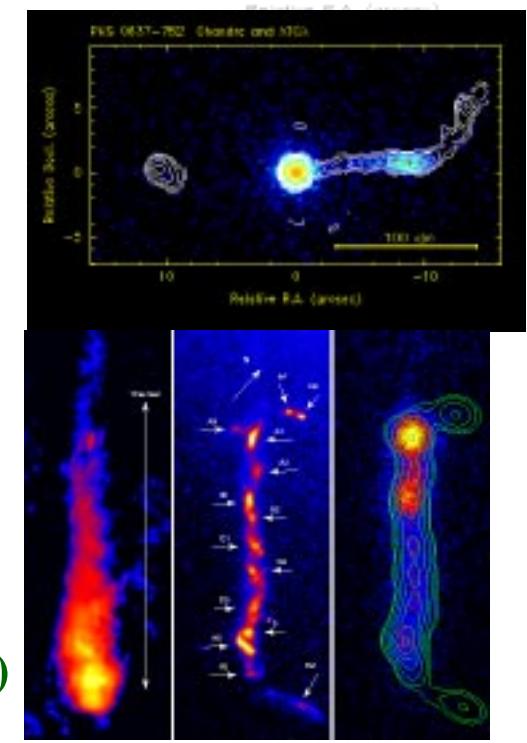


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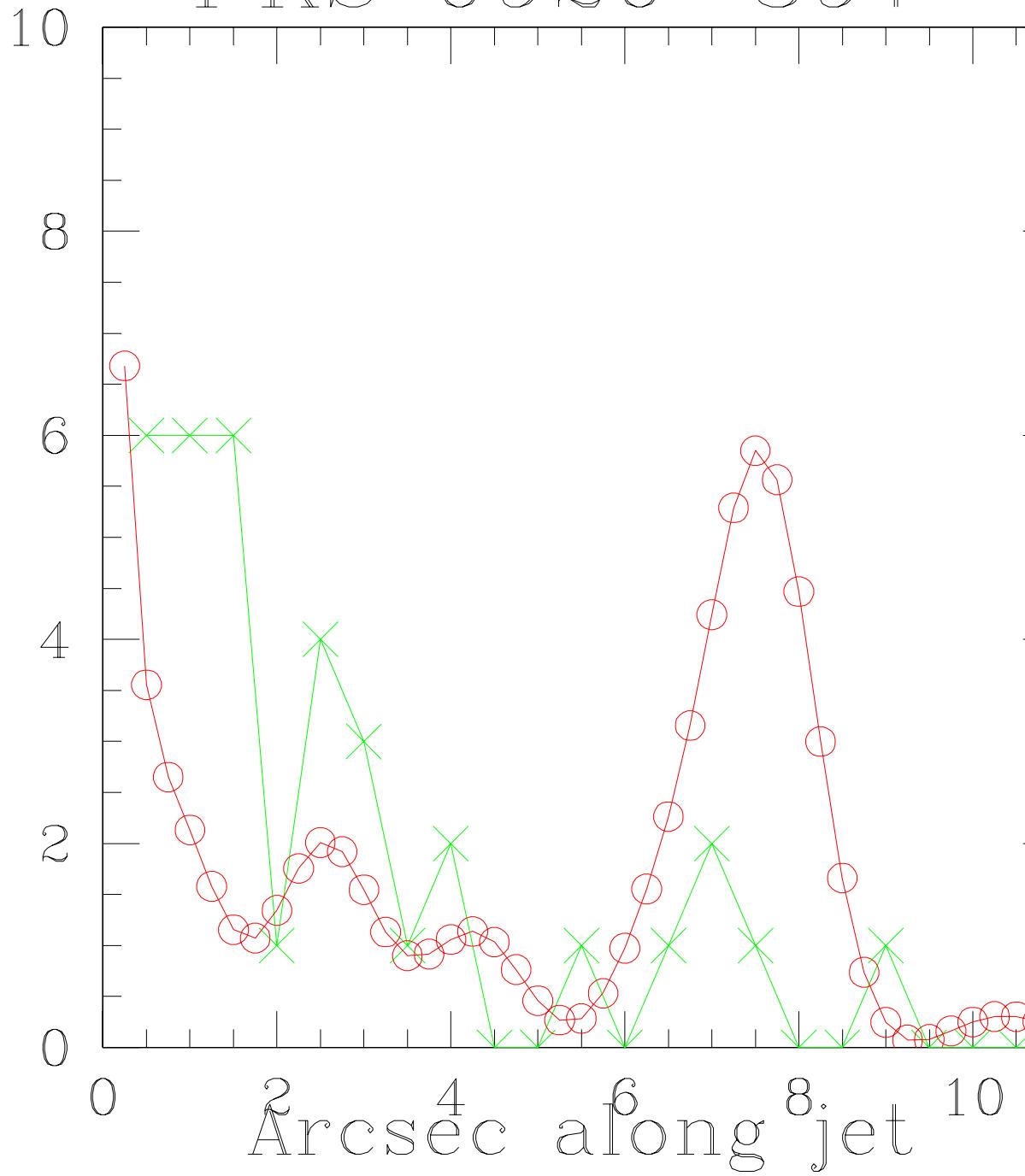
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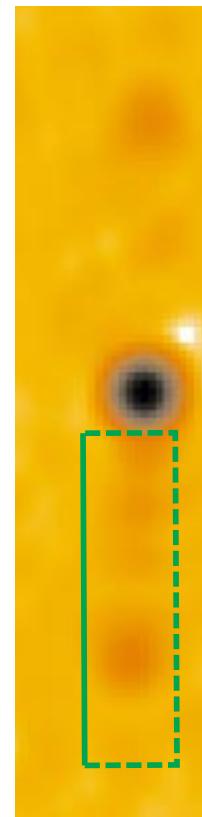
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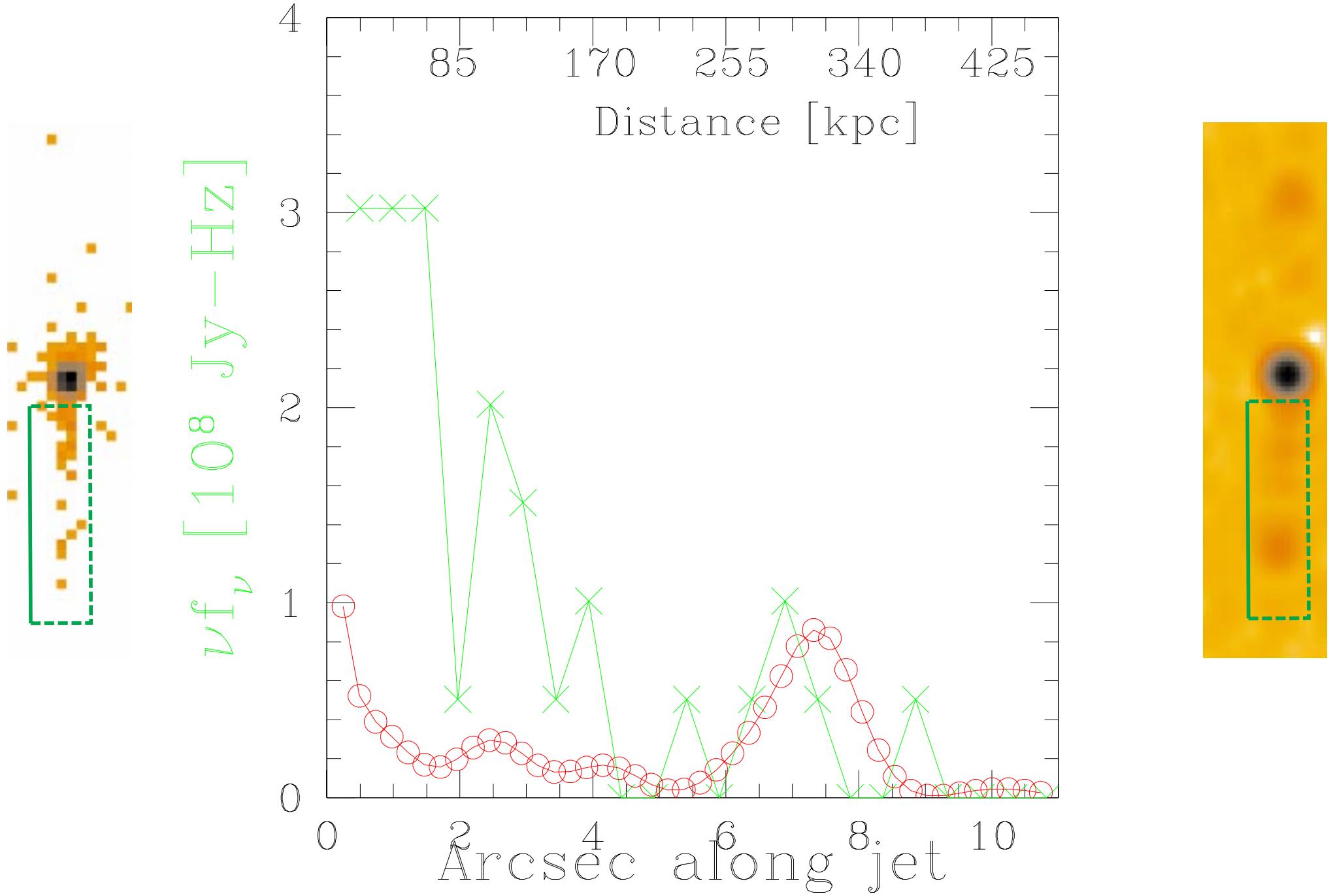
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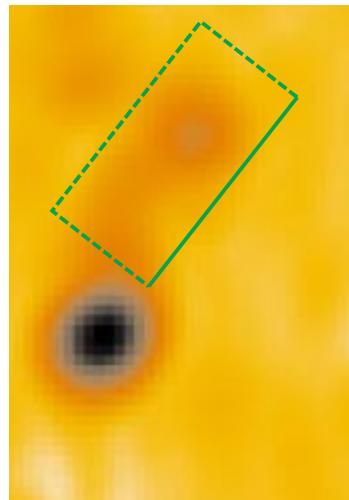
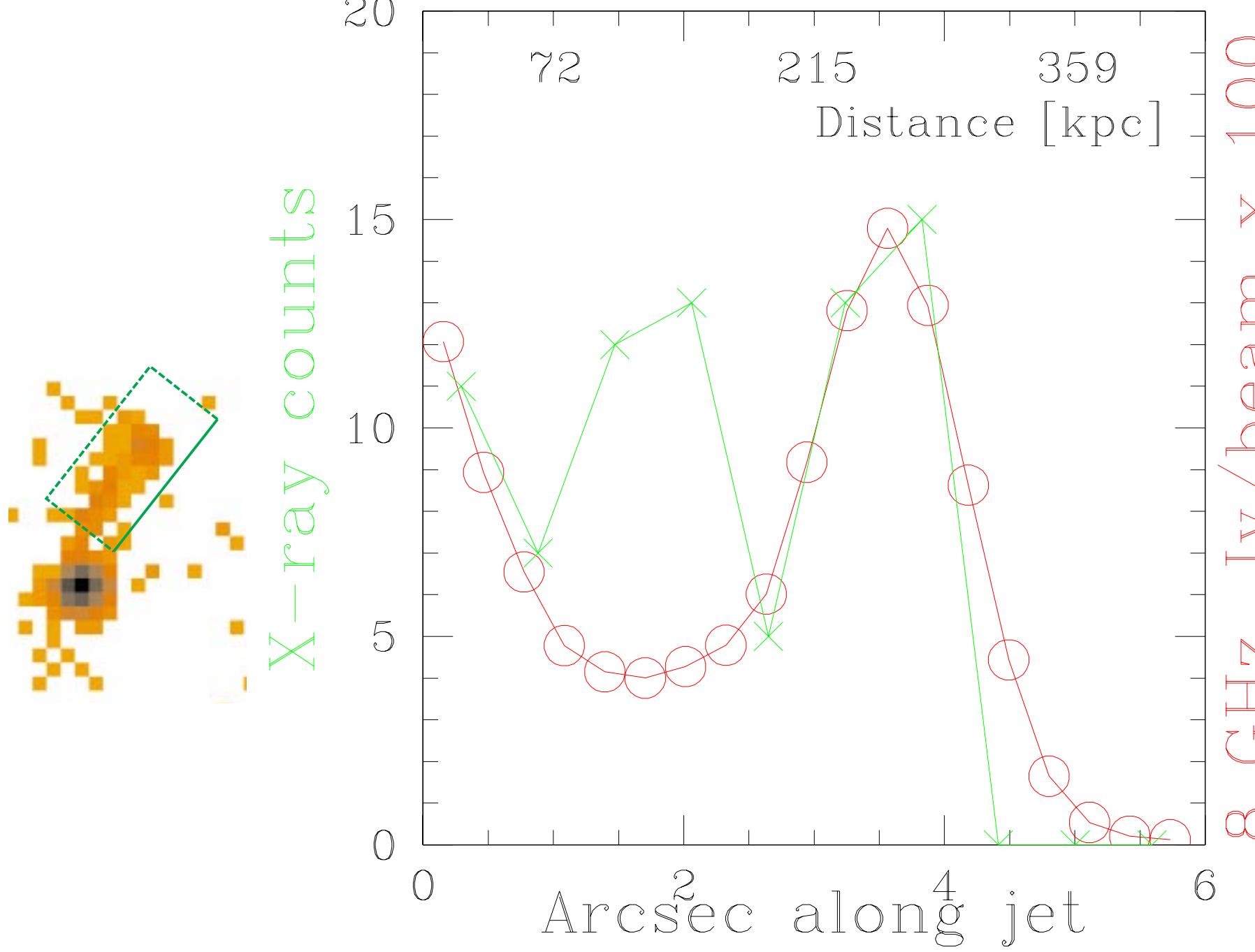
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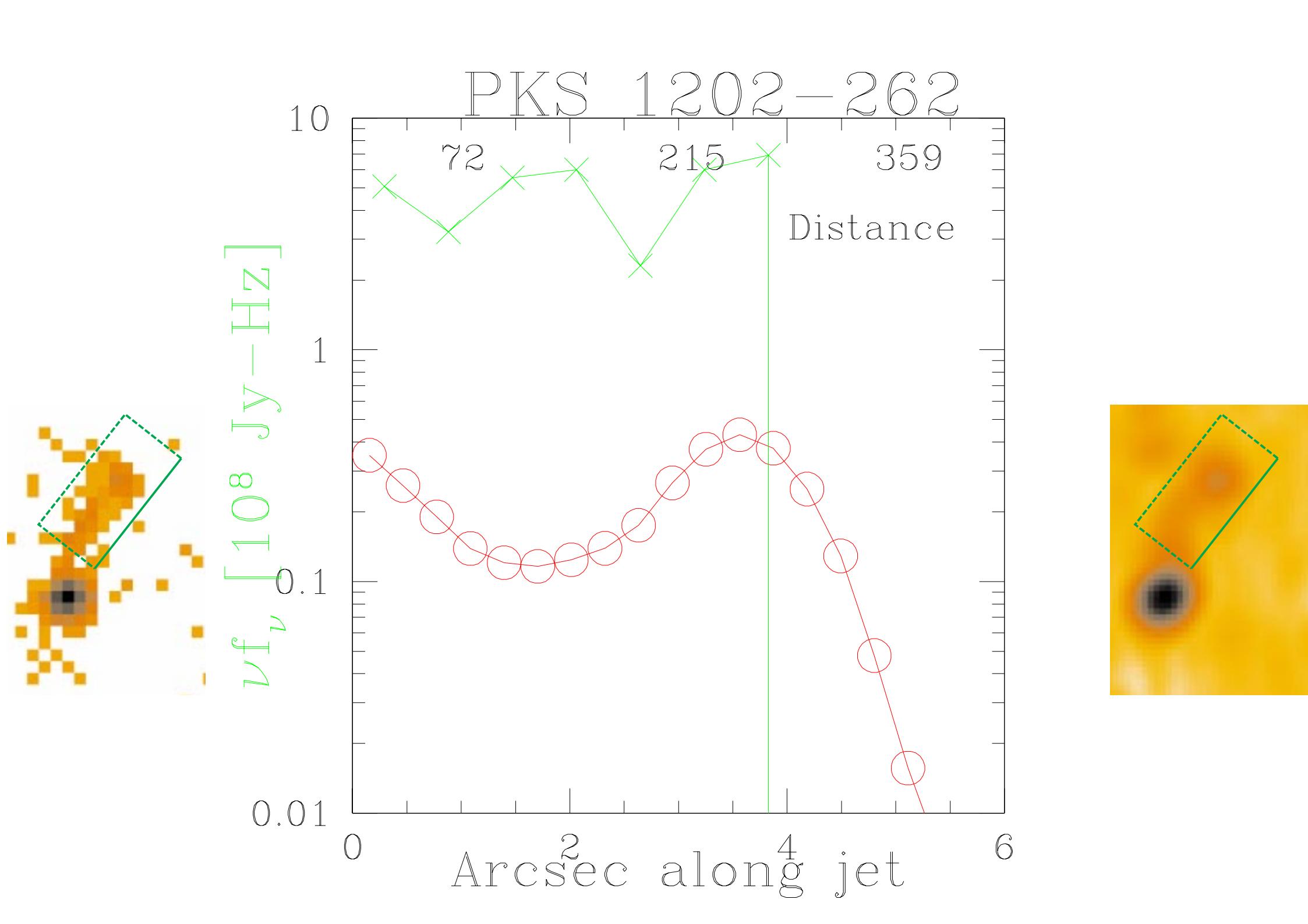


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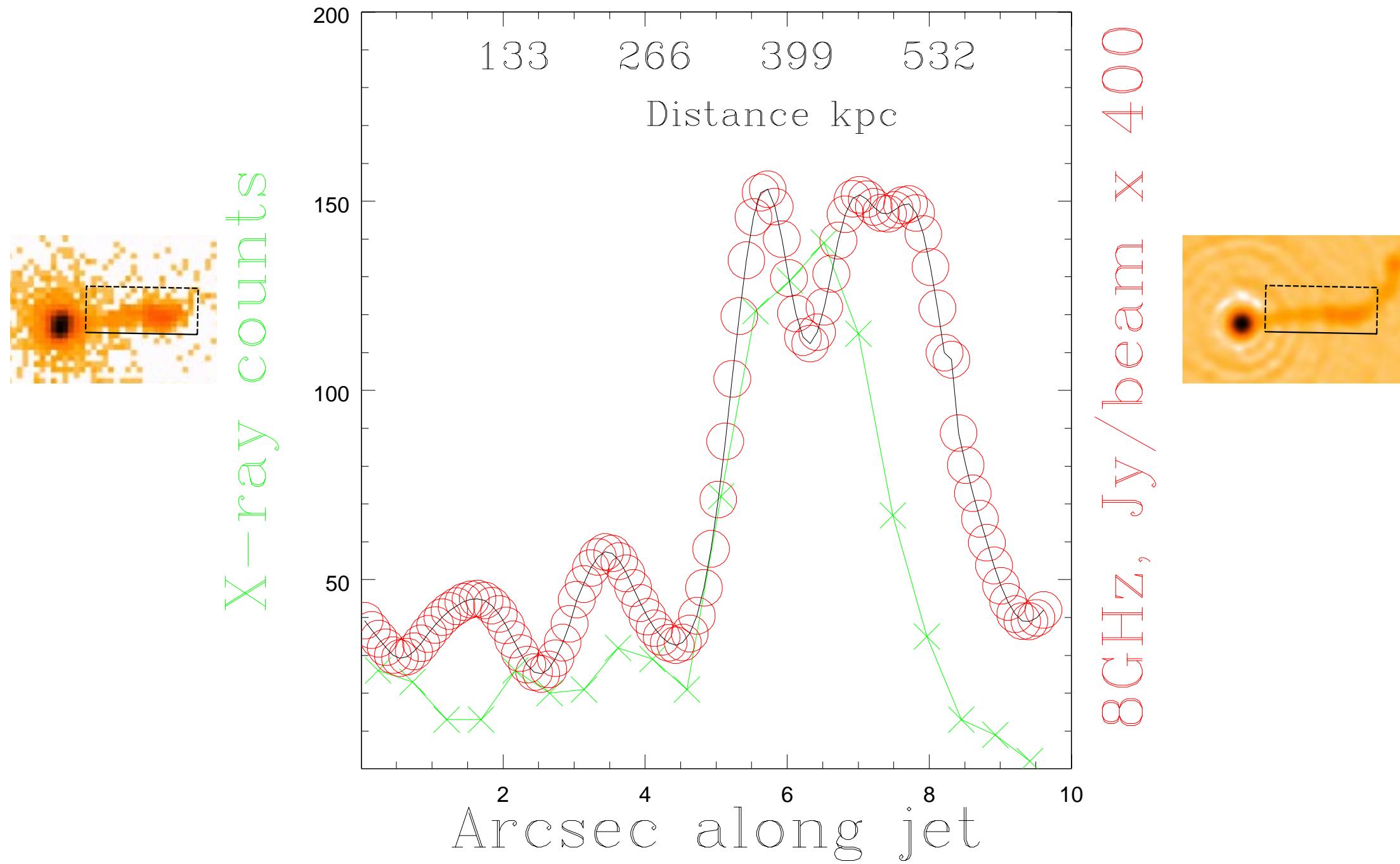


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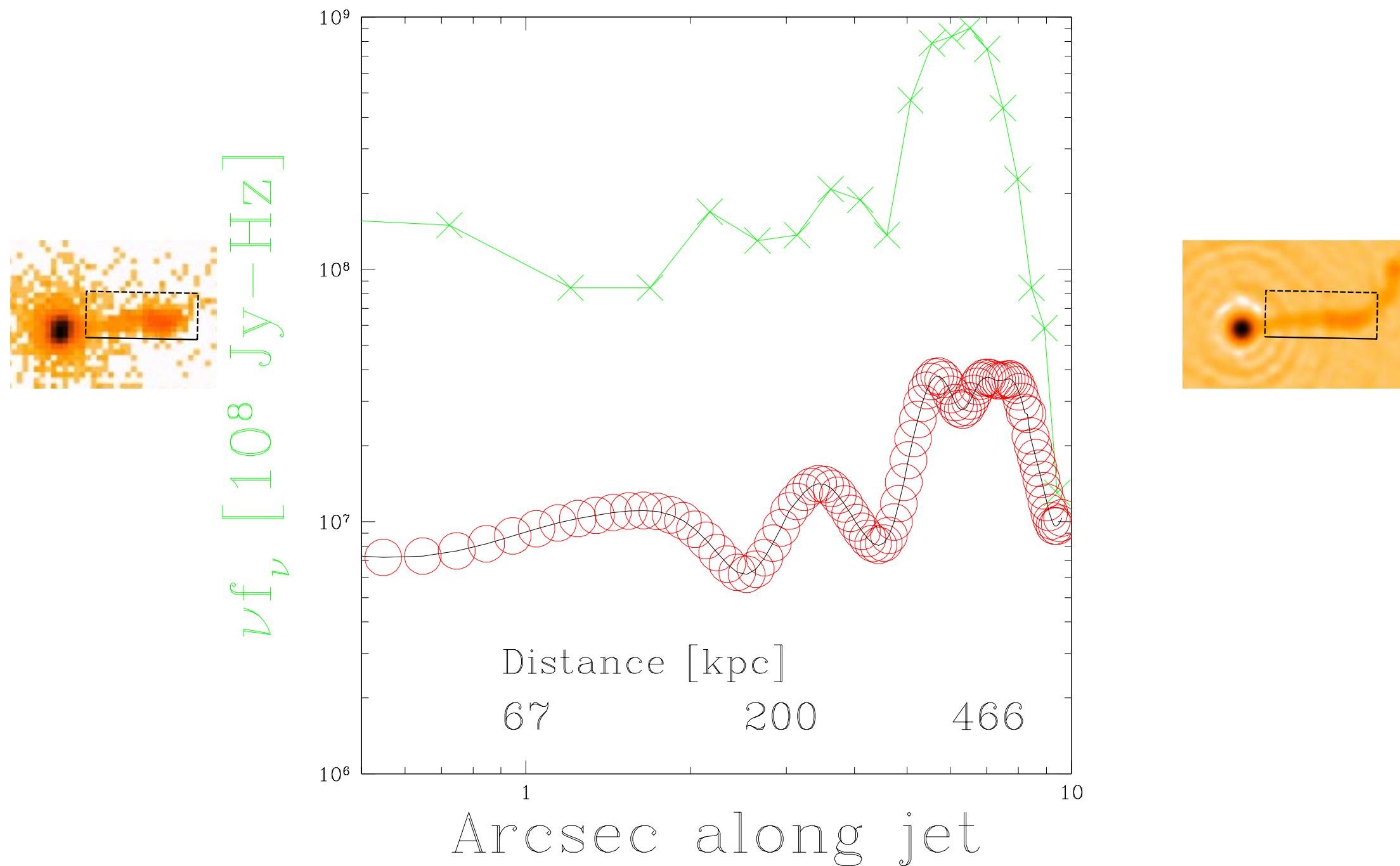




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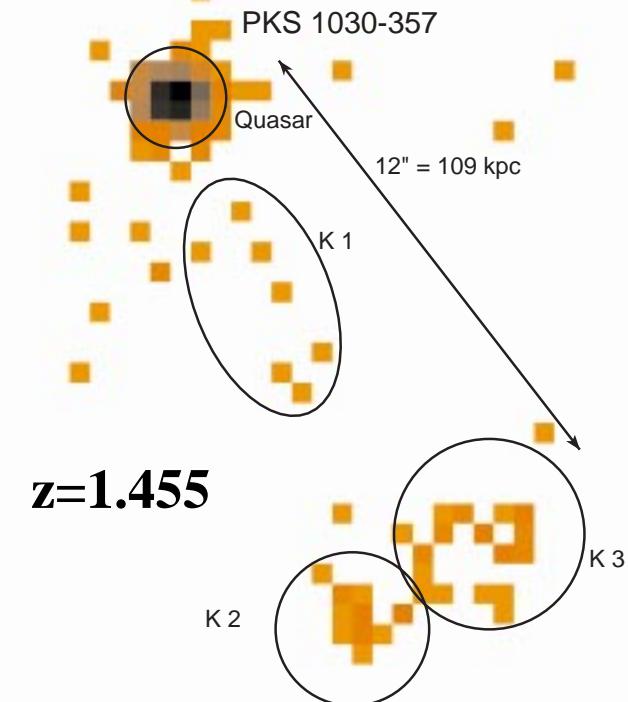
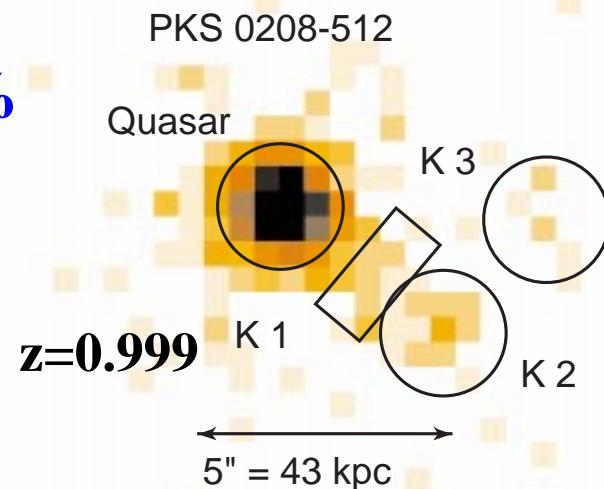
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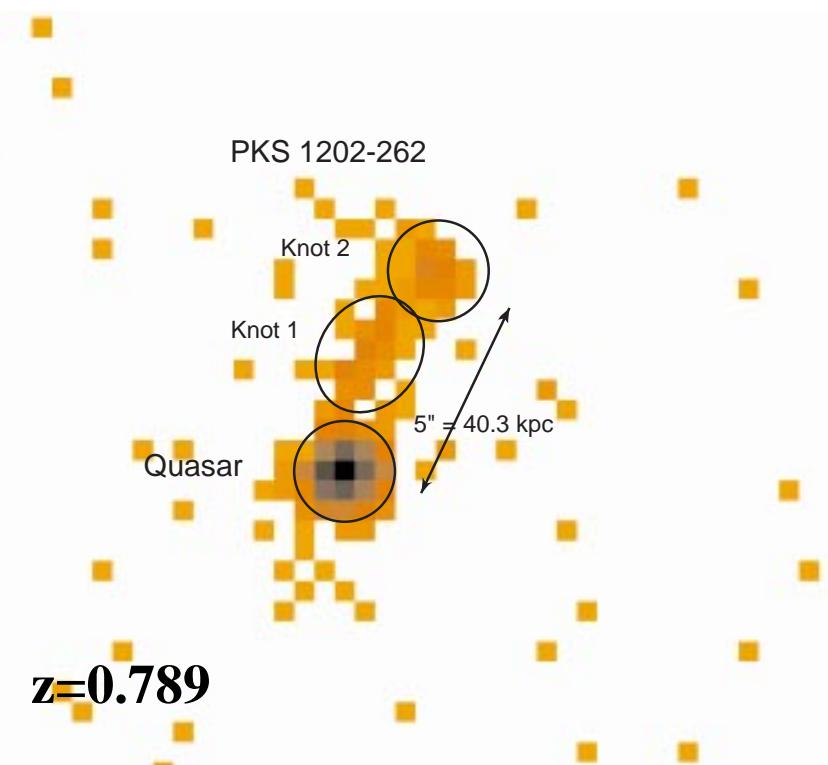
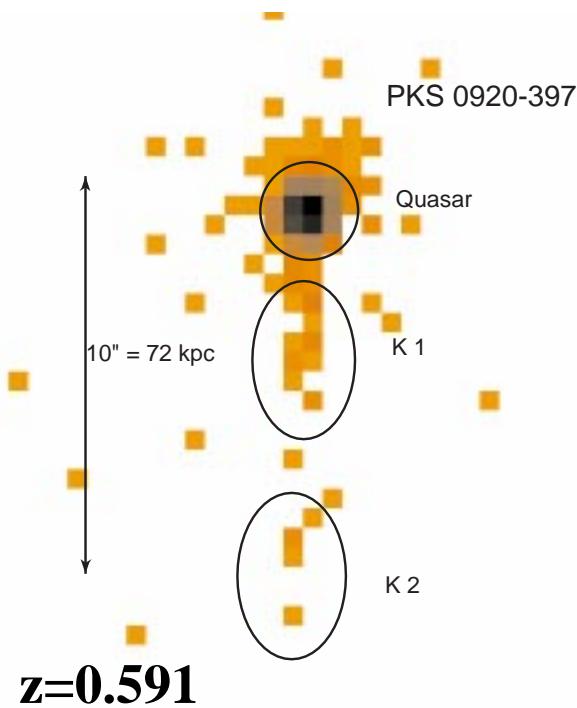
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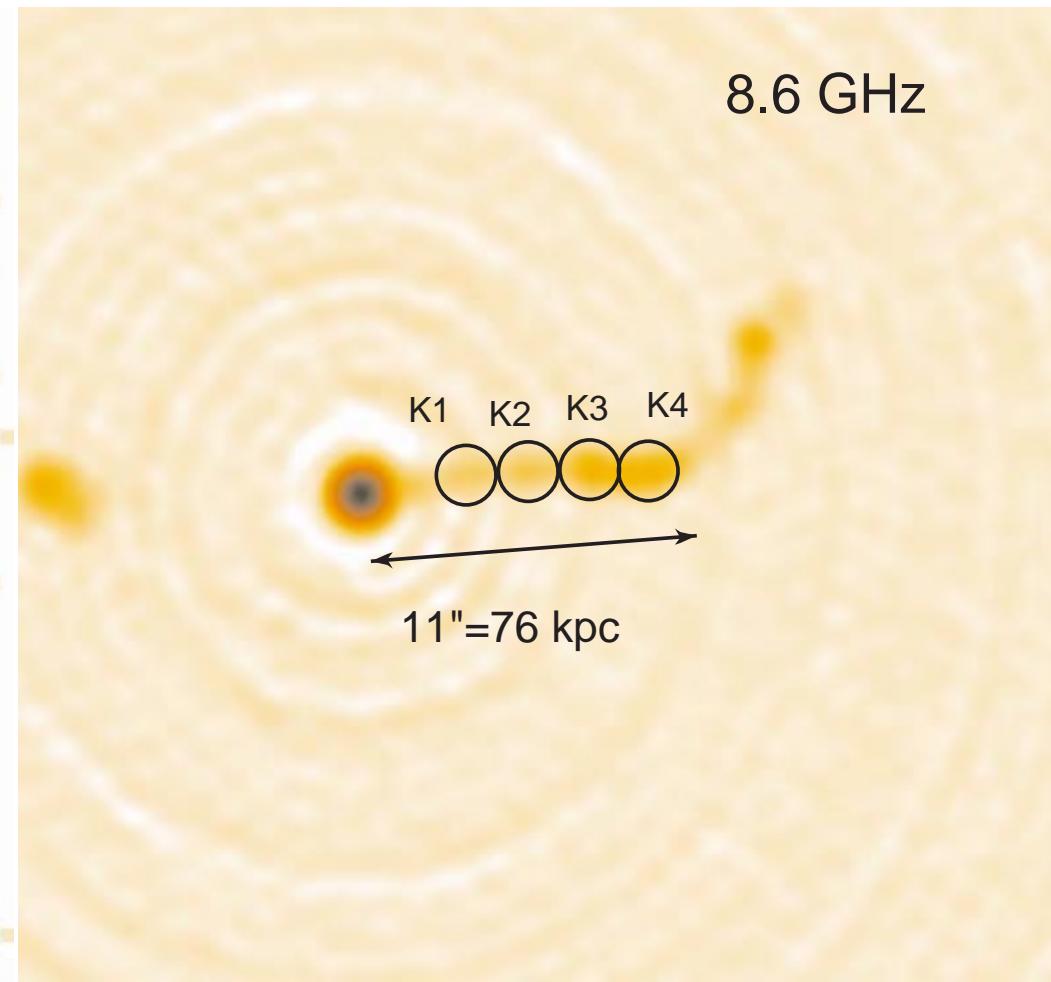
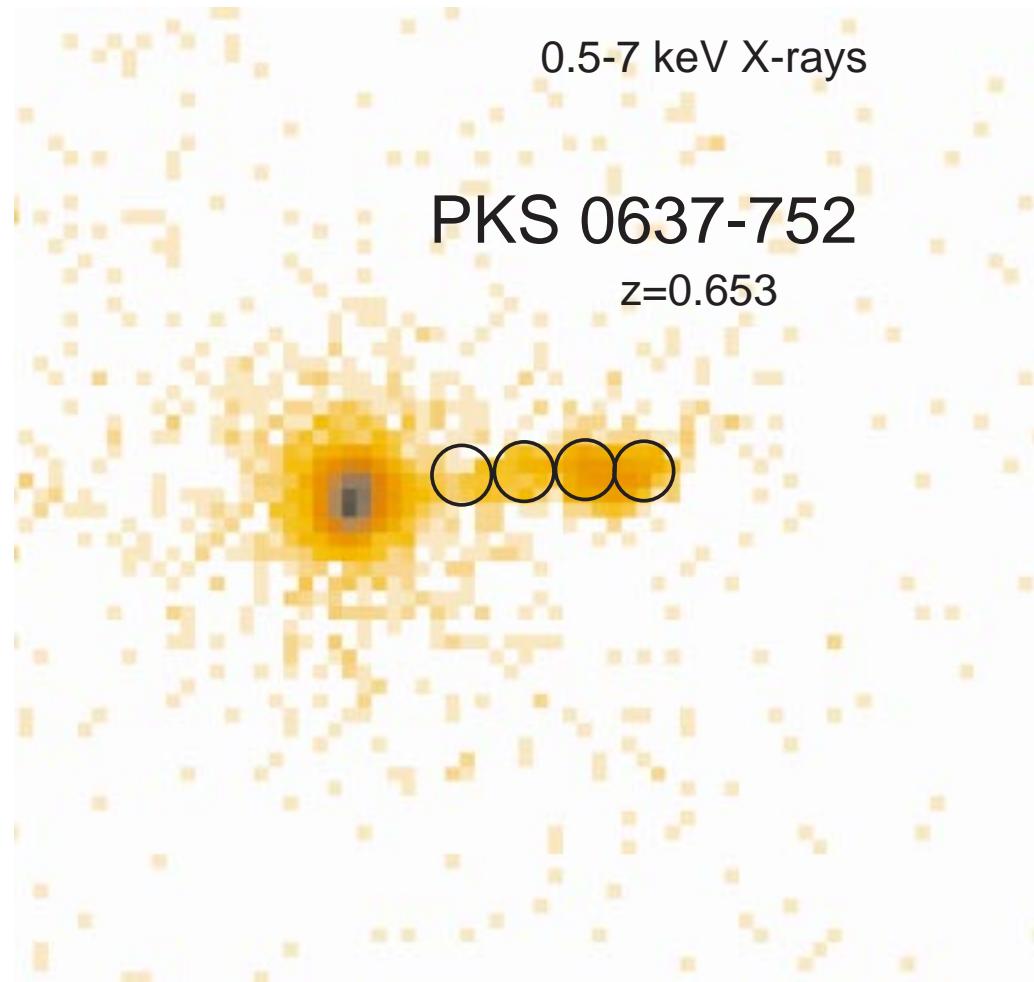
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1.23'' \leftrightarrow 95%

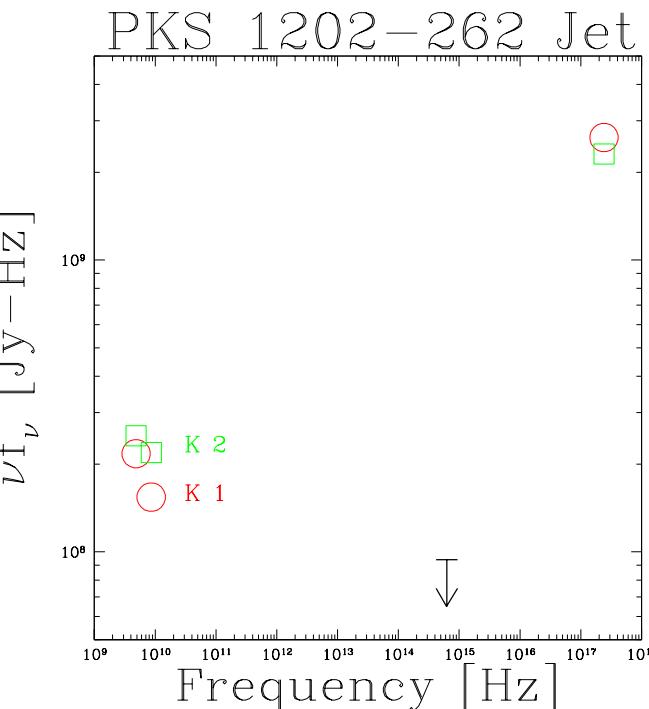
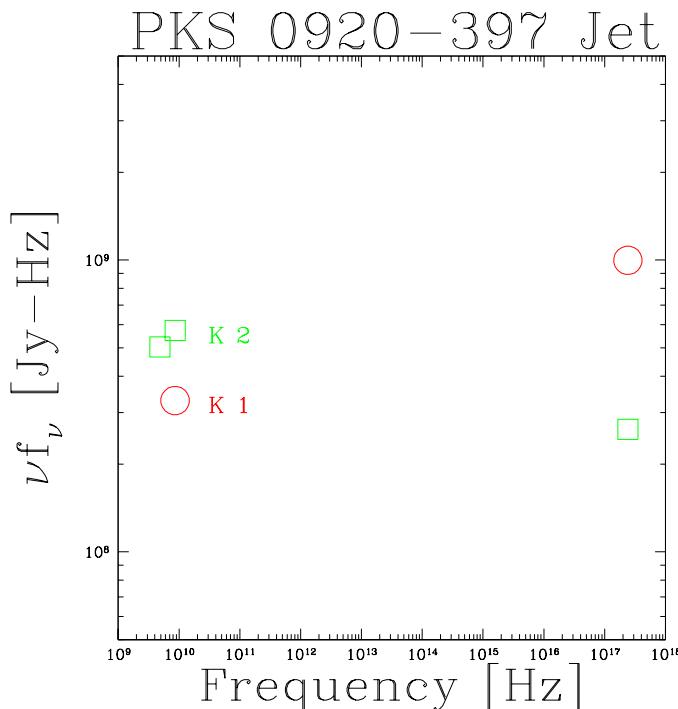
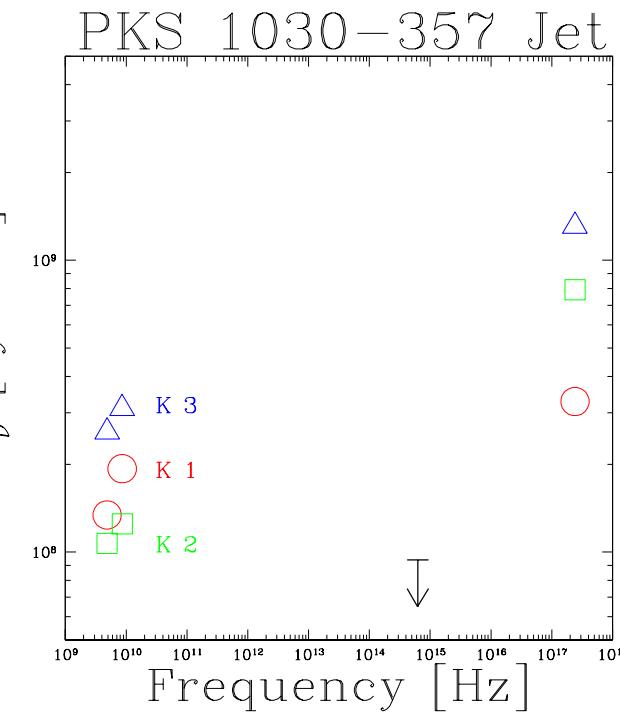
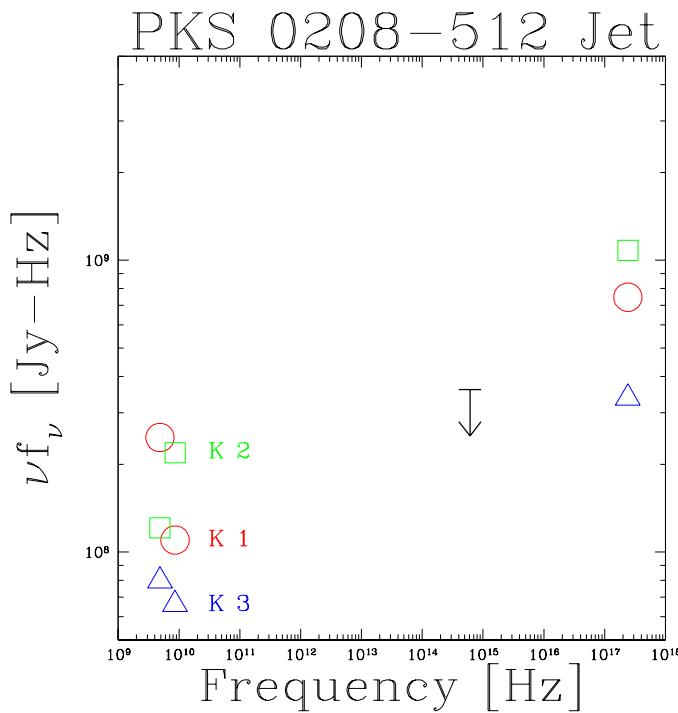


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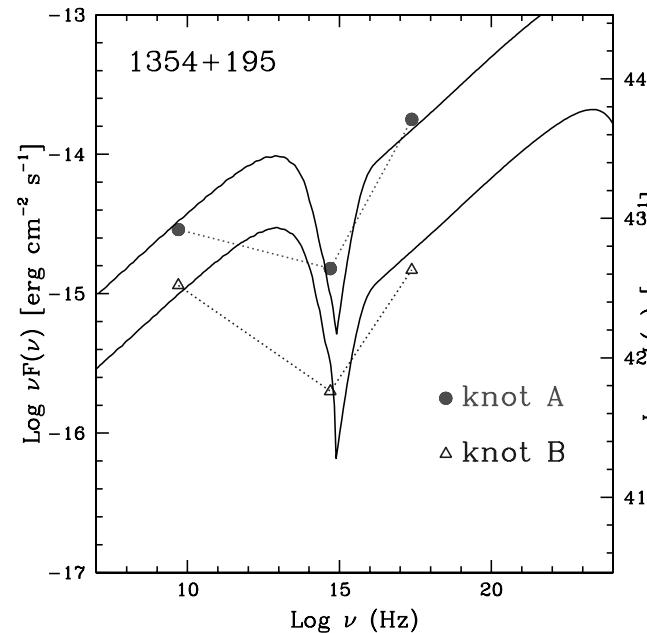
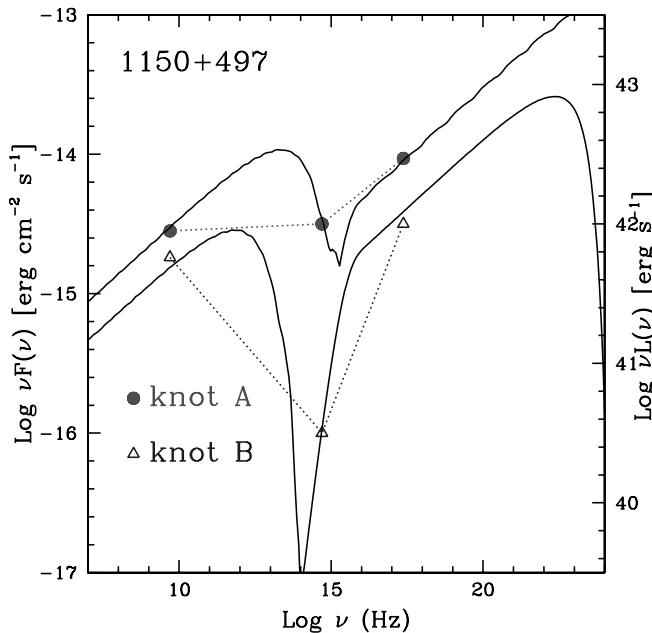
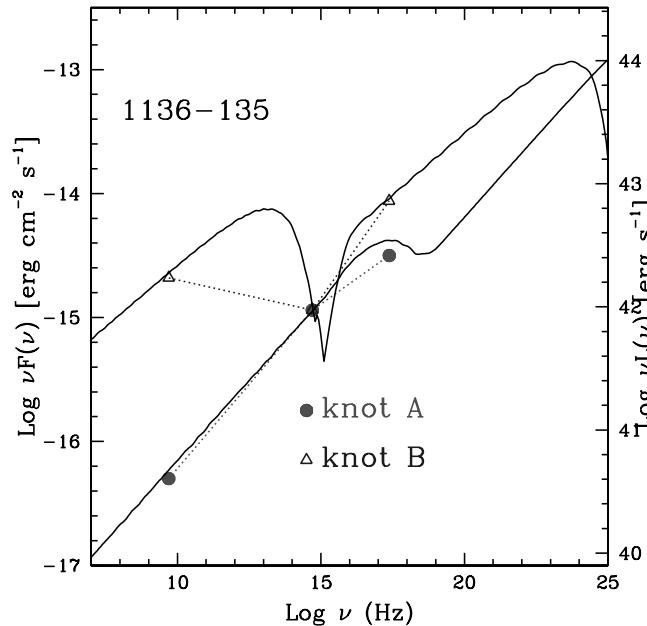
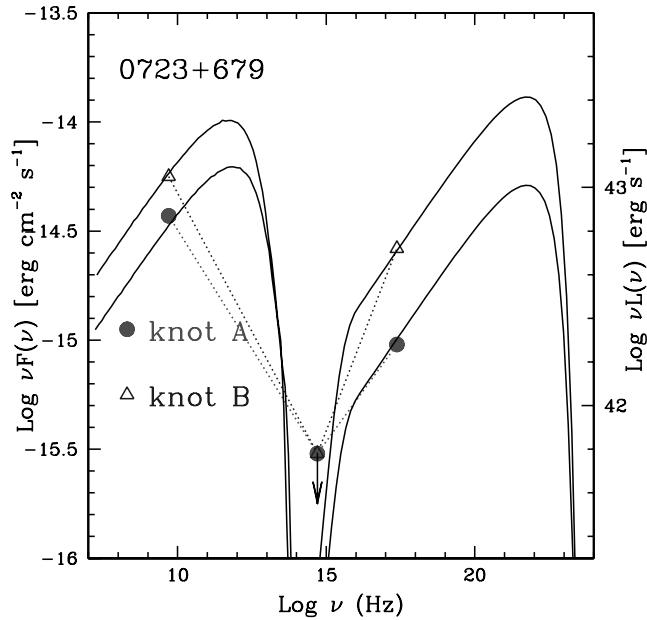




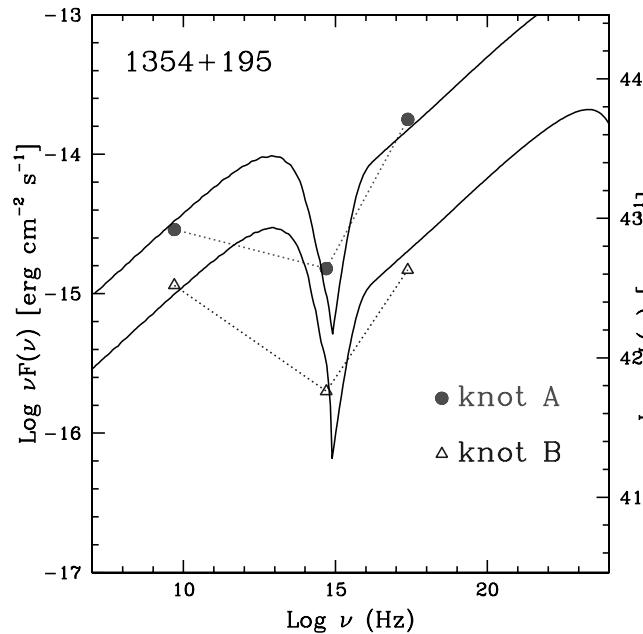
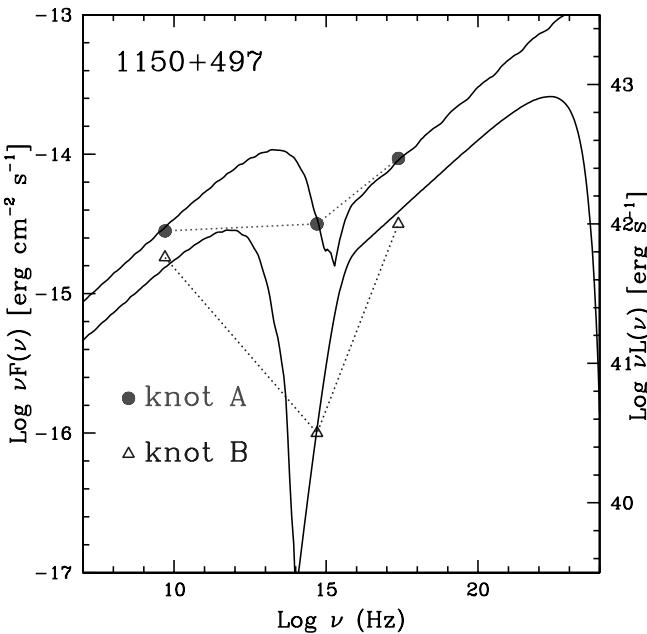
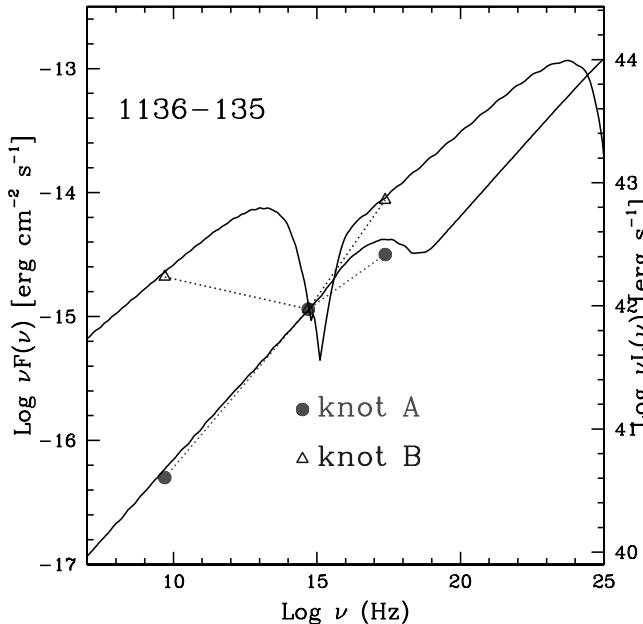
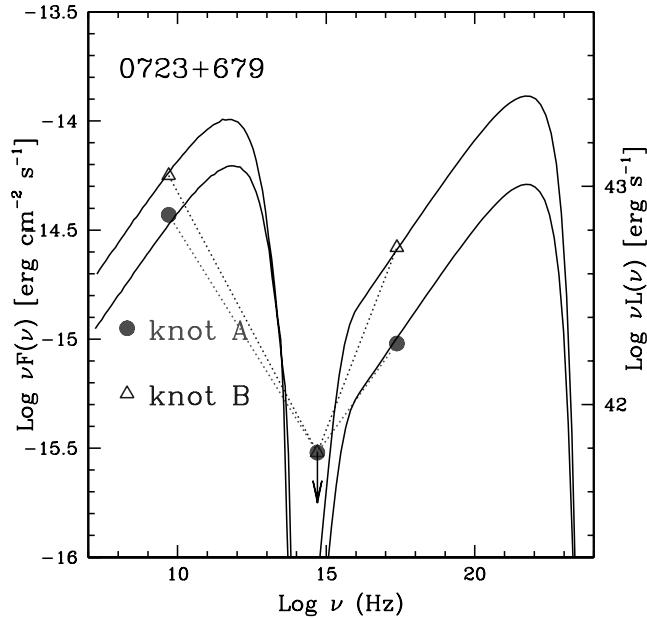
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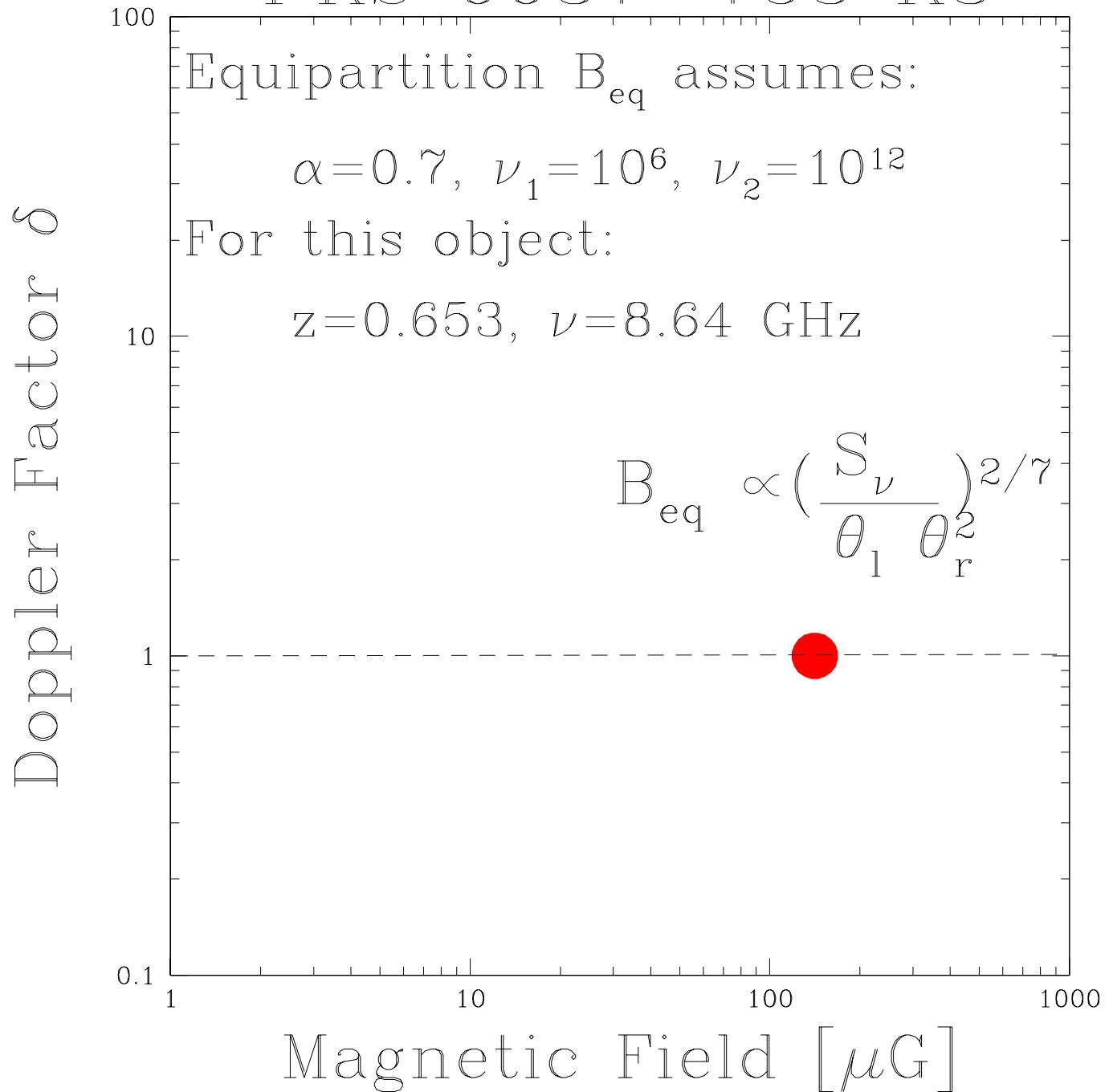
Inverse Compton X-rays from the CMB:

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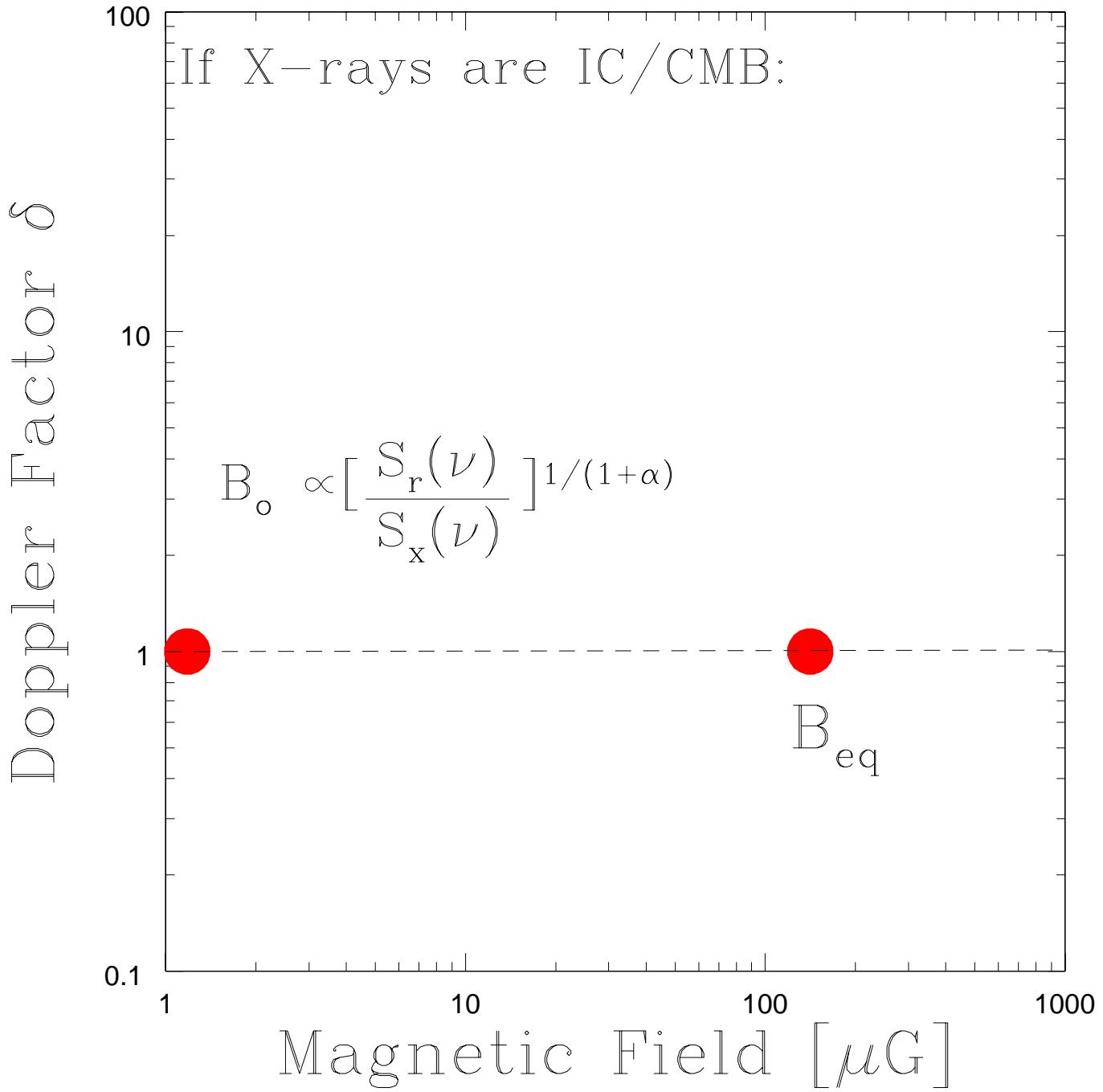
$$\gamma_r \approx 10^{4-5}$$

Some jets may be detectable by GLAST, at 10^{-13} to 10^{-12} ergs cm $^{-2}$ s $^{-1}$

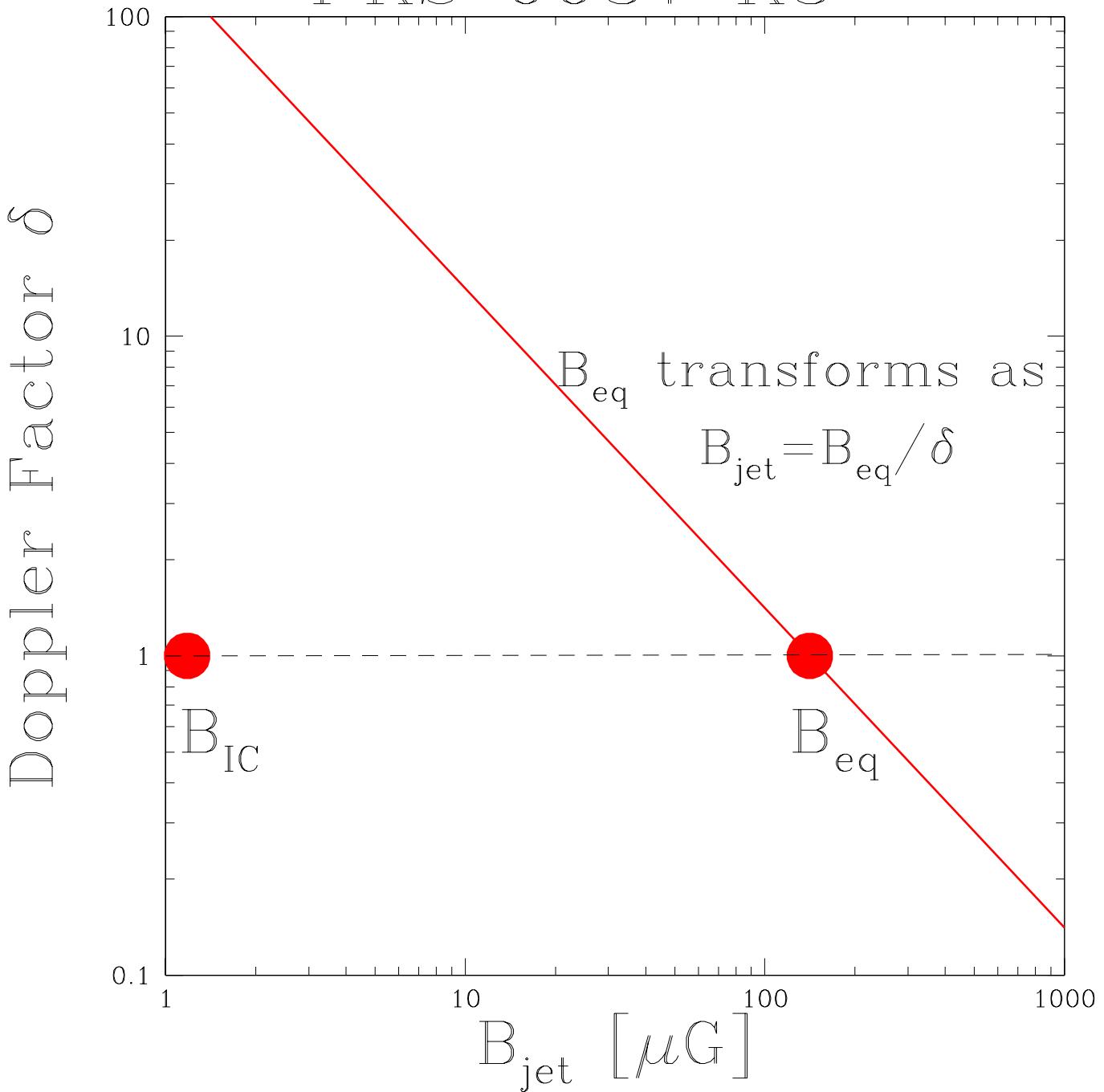
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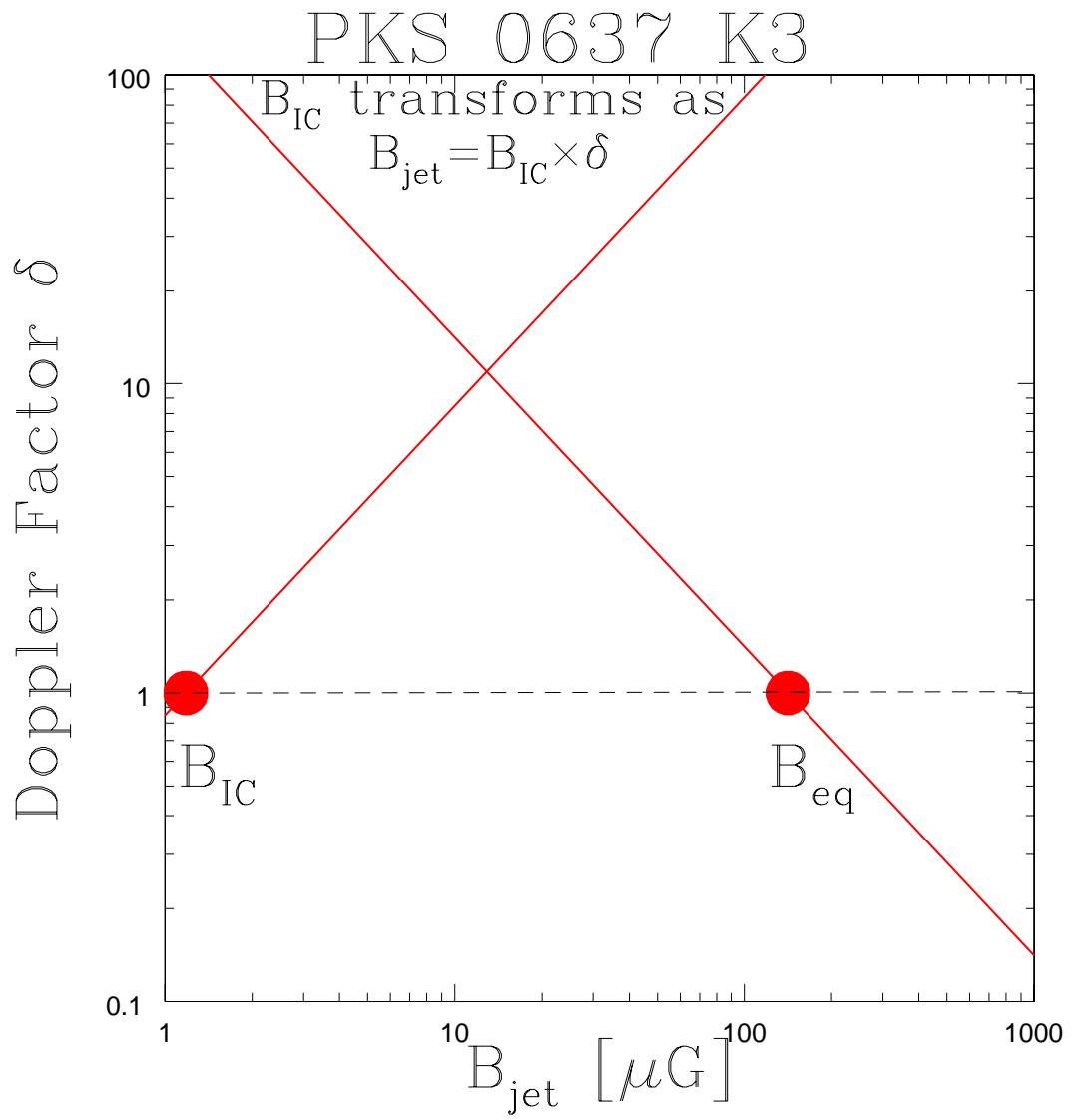


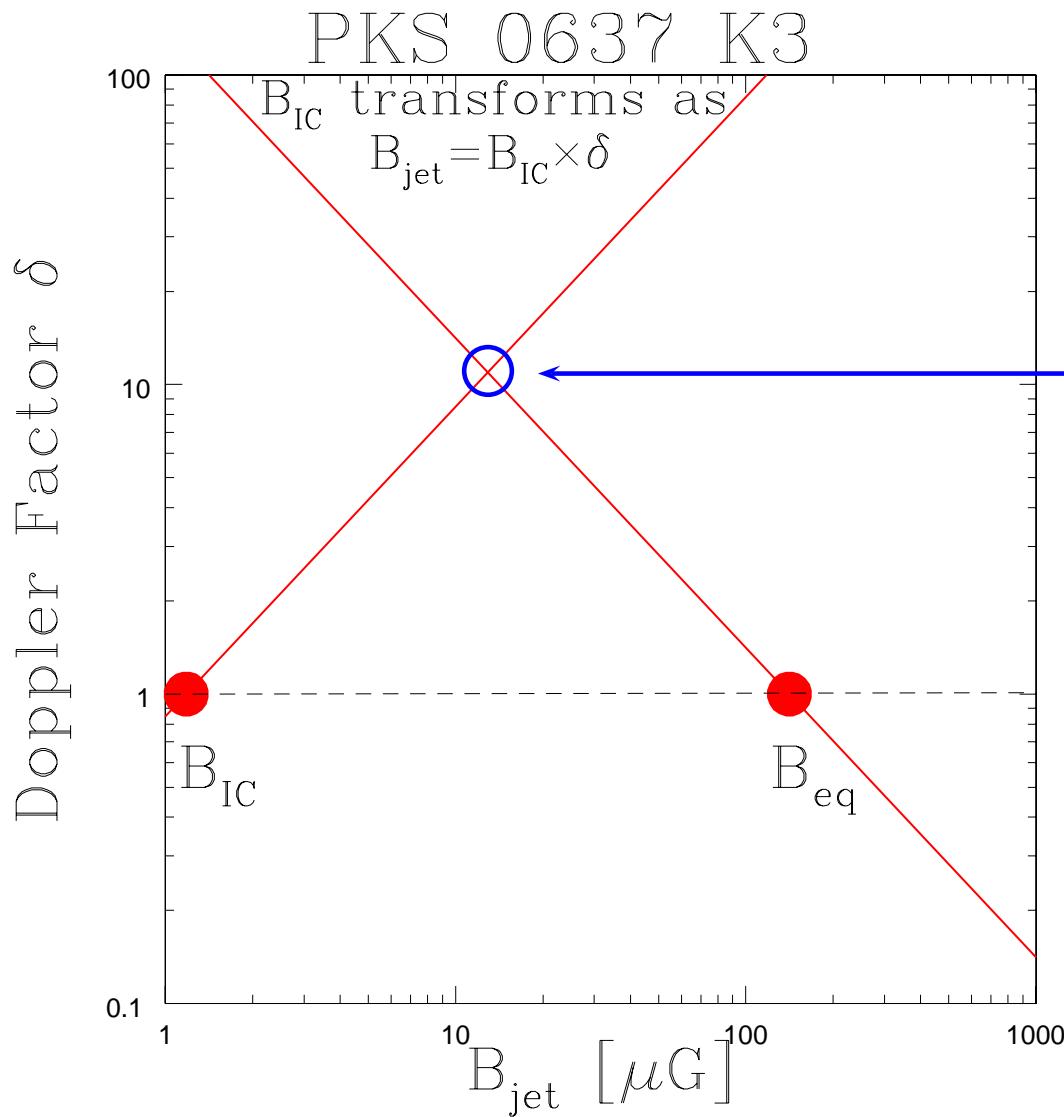
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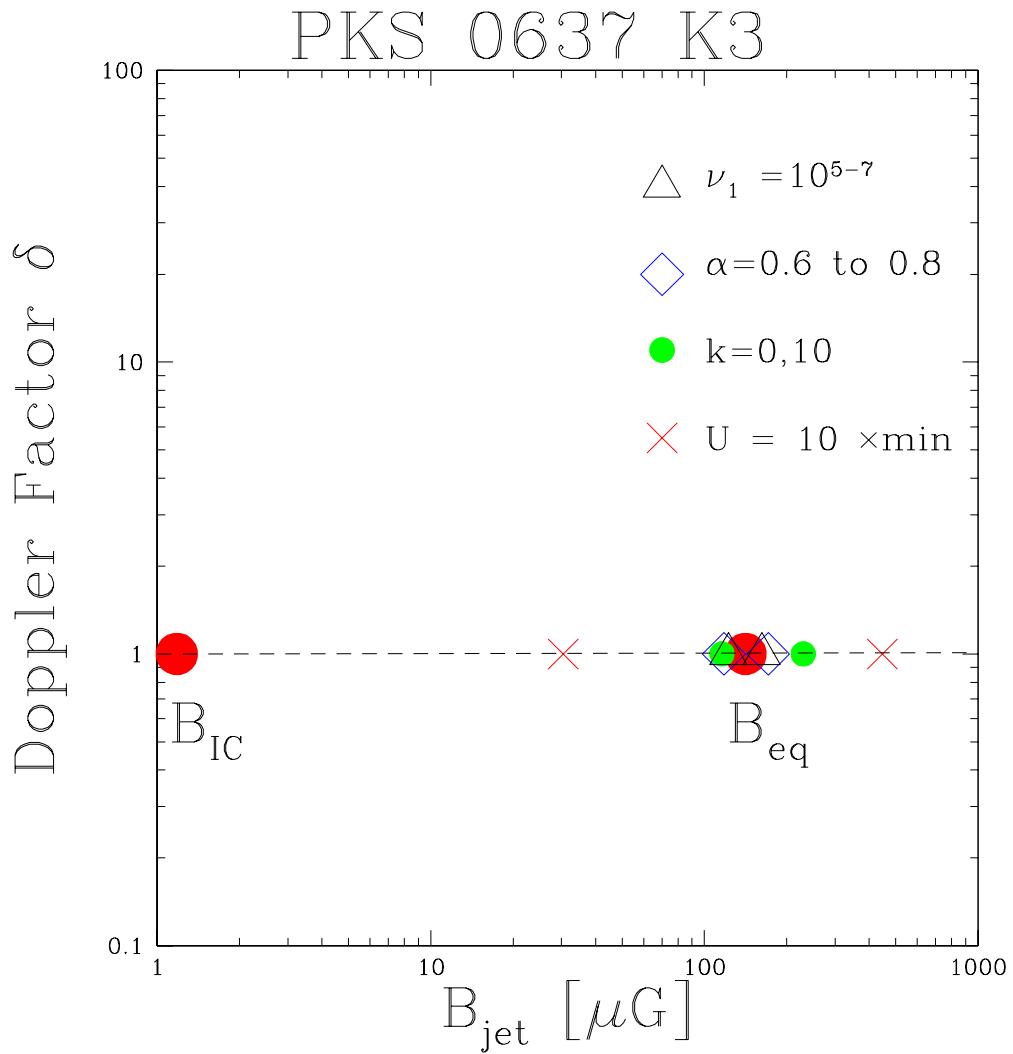
The intersection gives a solution for the magnetic field, B , in the rest frame, and for the apparent Doppler factor,

$$\delta = (\Gamma(1 - \beta \cos(\theta))^{-1}.$$

Uncertainties in the Magnetic Field Estimates

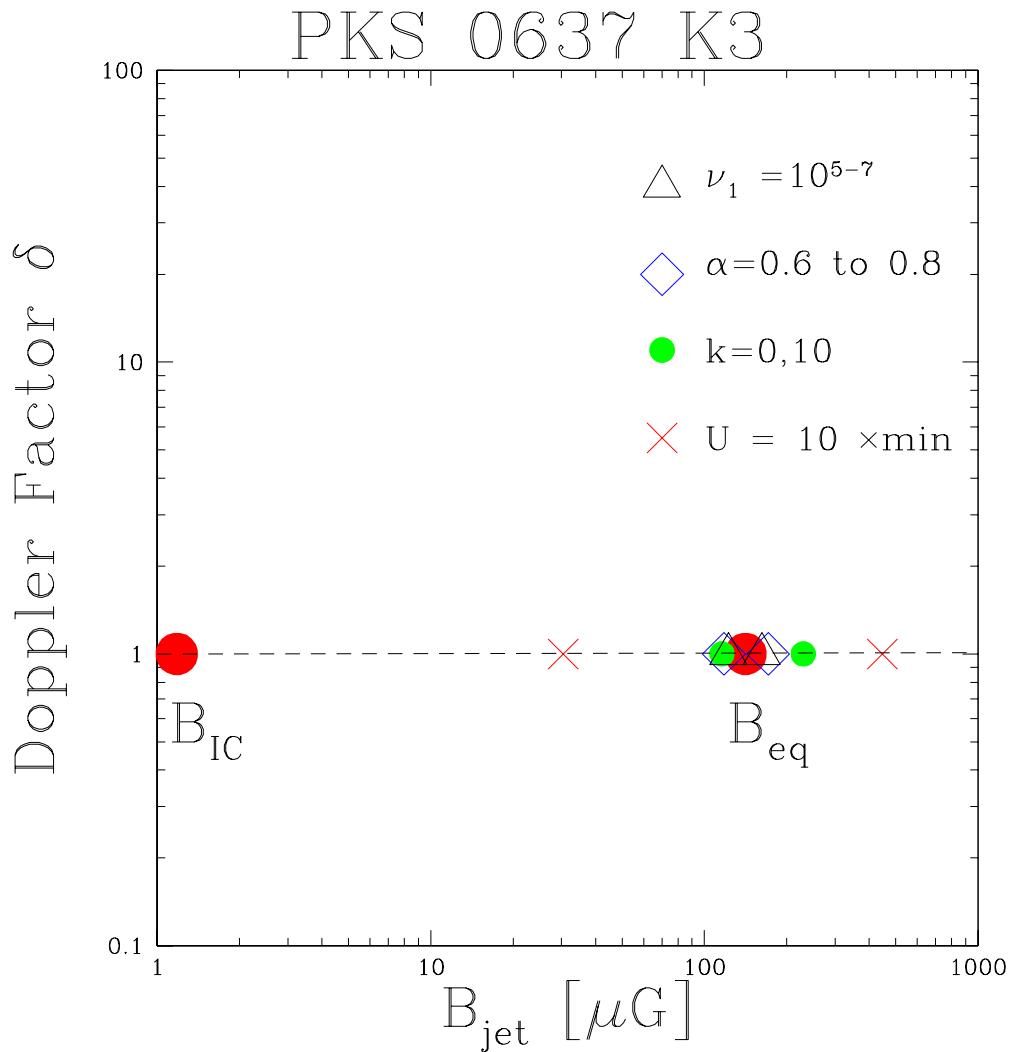
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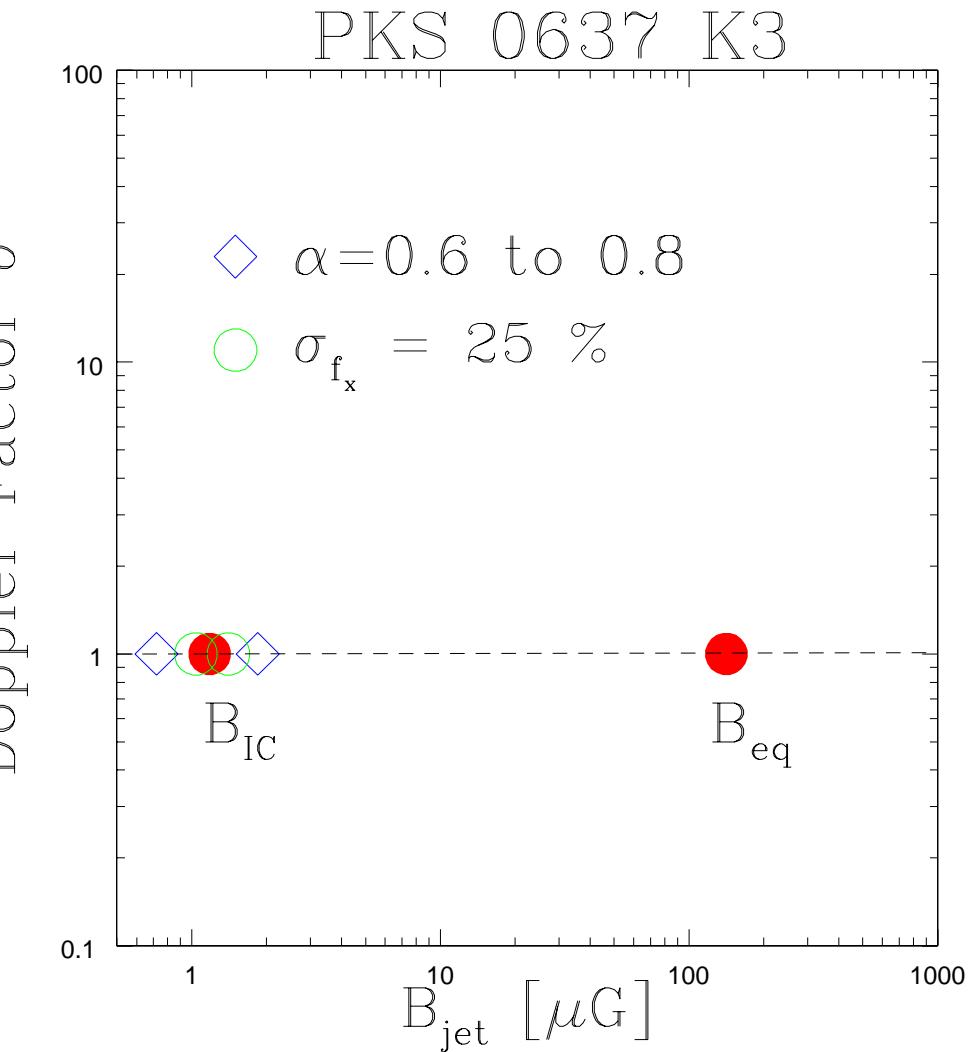


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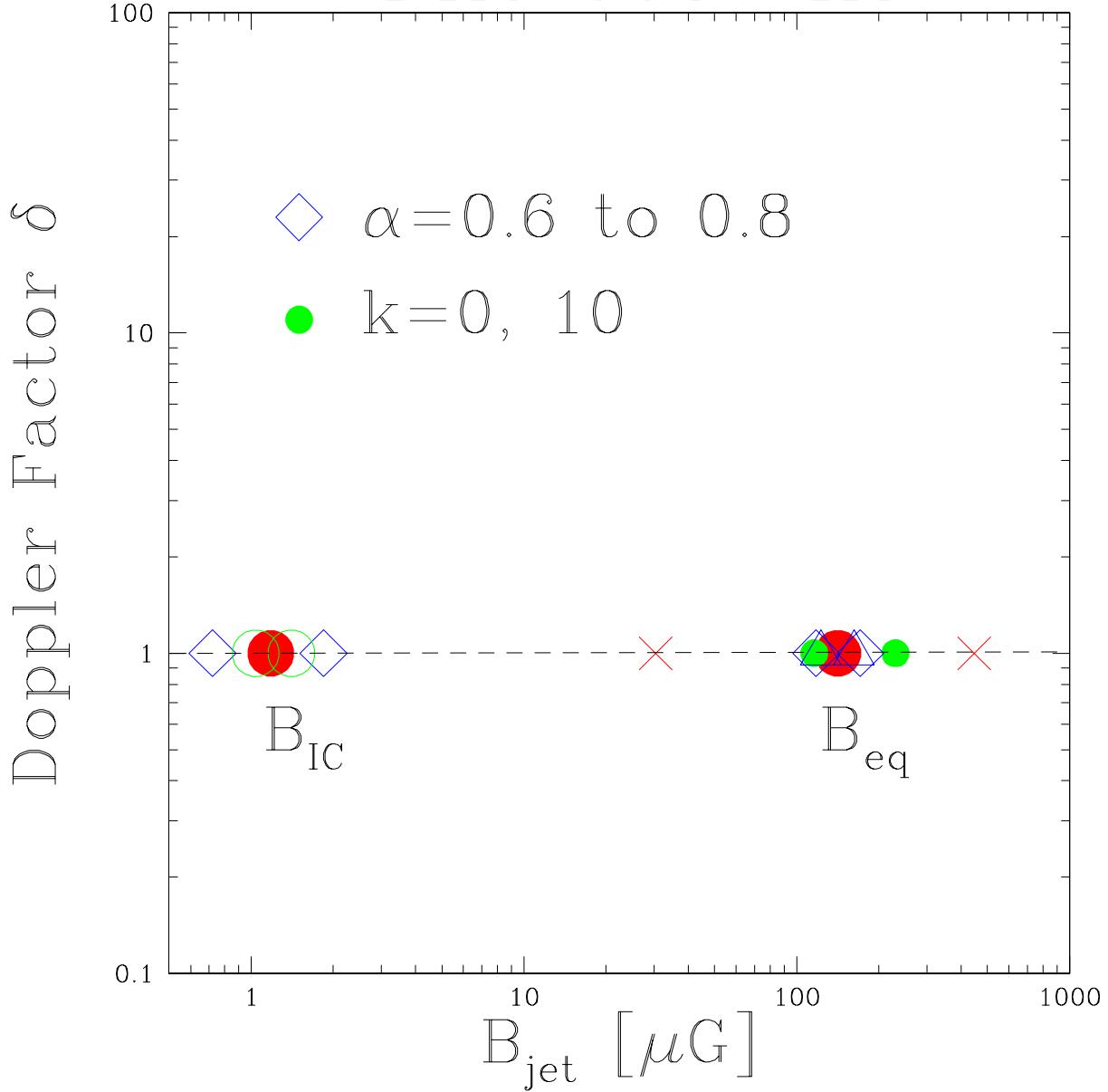
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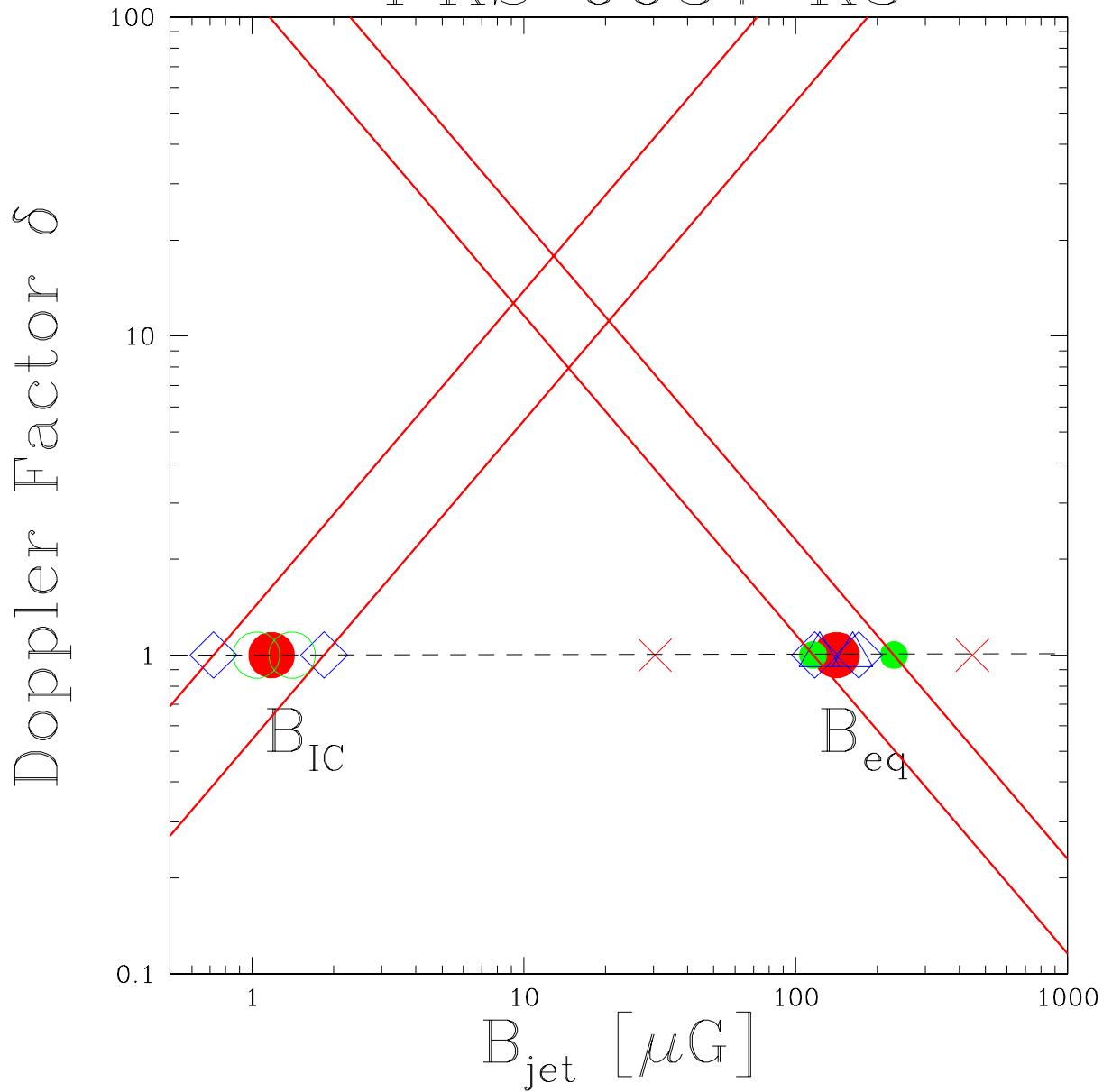
Inverse Compton



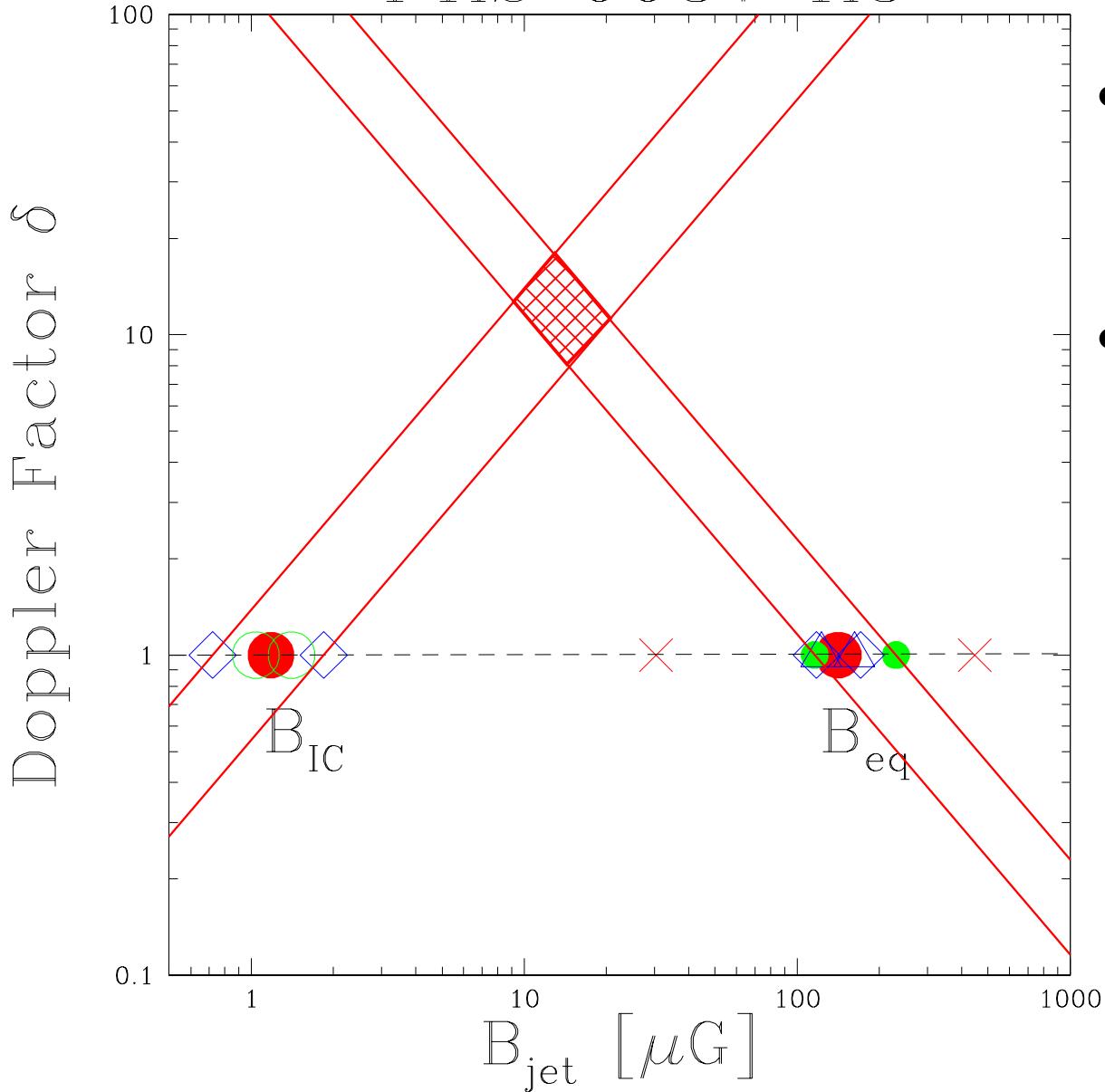
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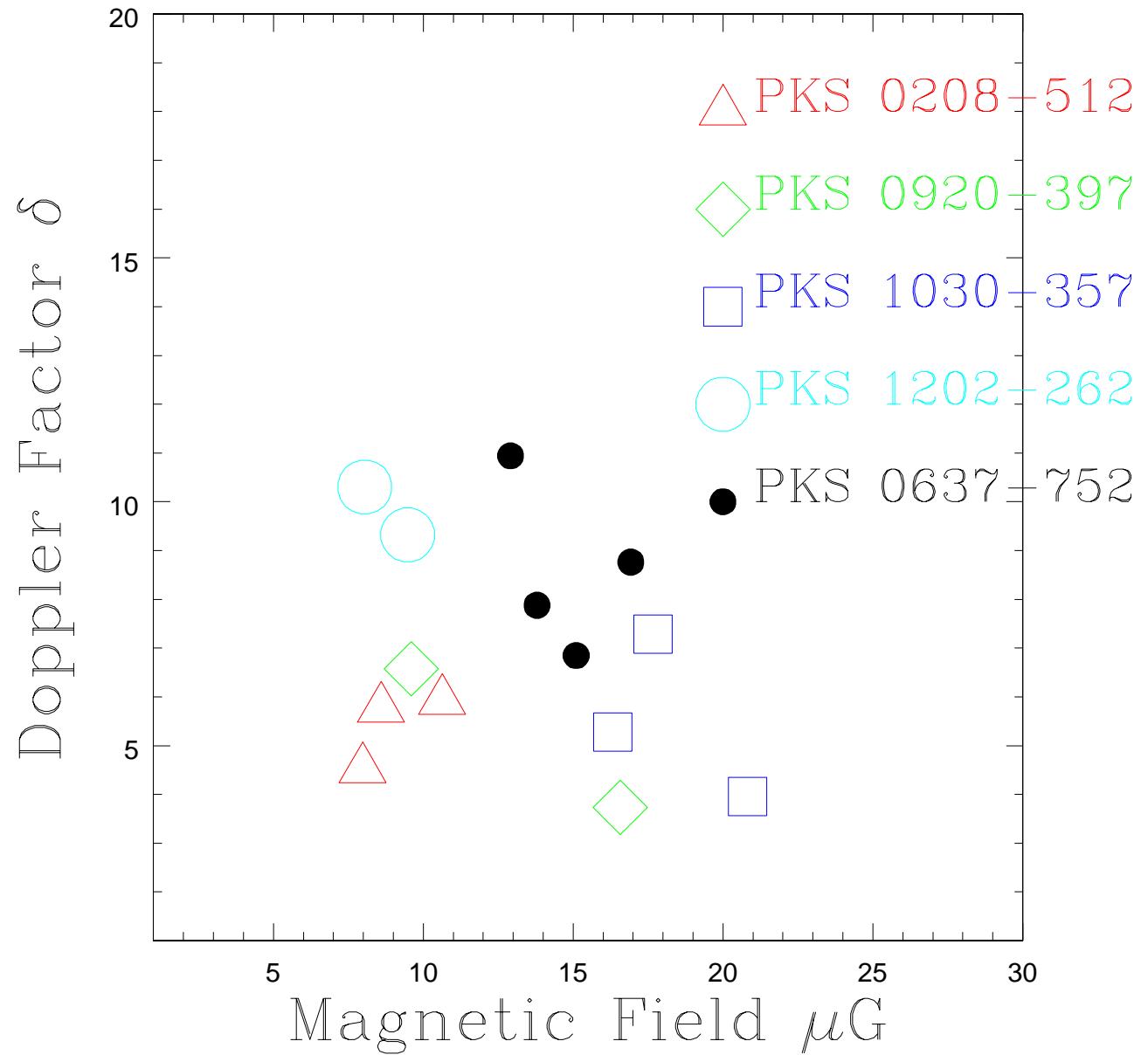


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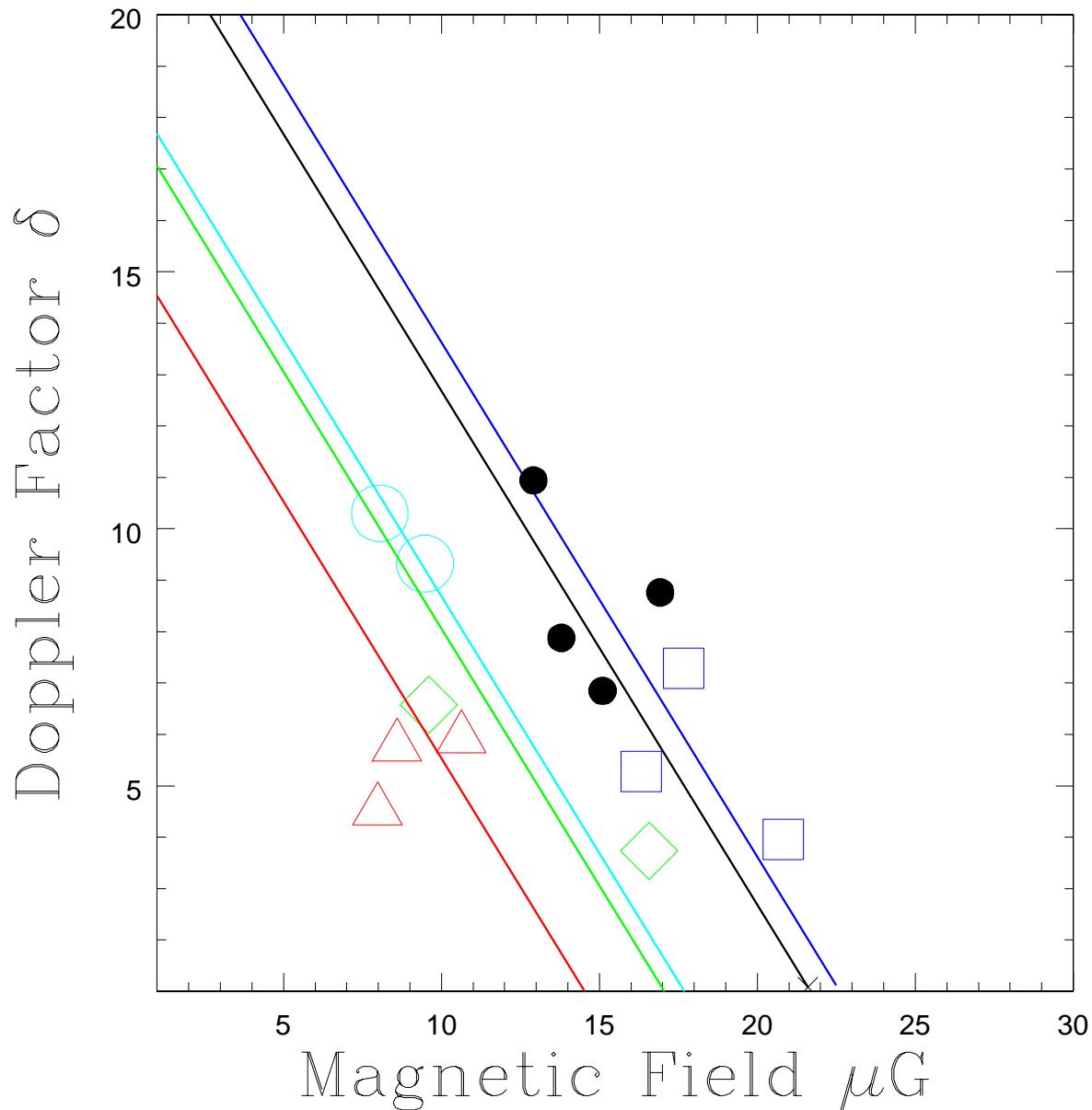
- Determined B and δ within a factor of 2
- Kinetic flux is $\propto (B\delta)^2$, for equipartition

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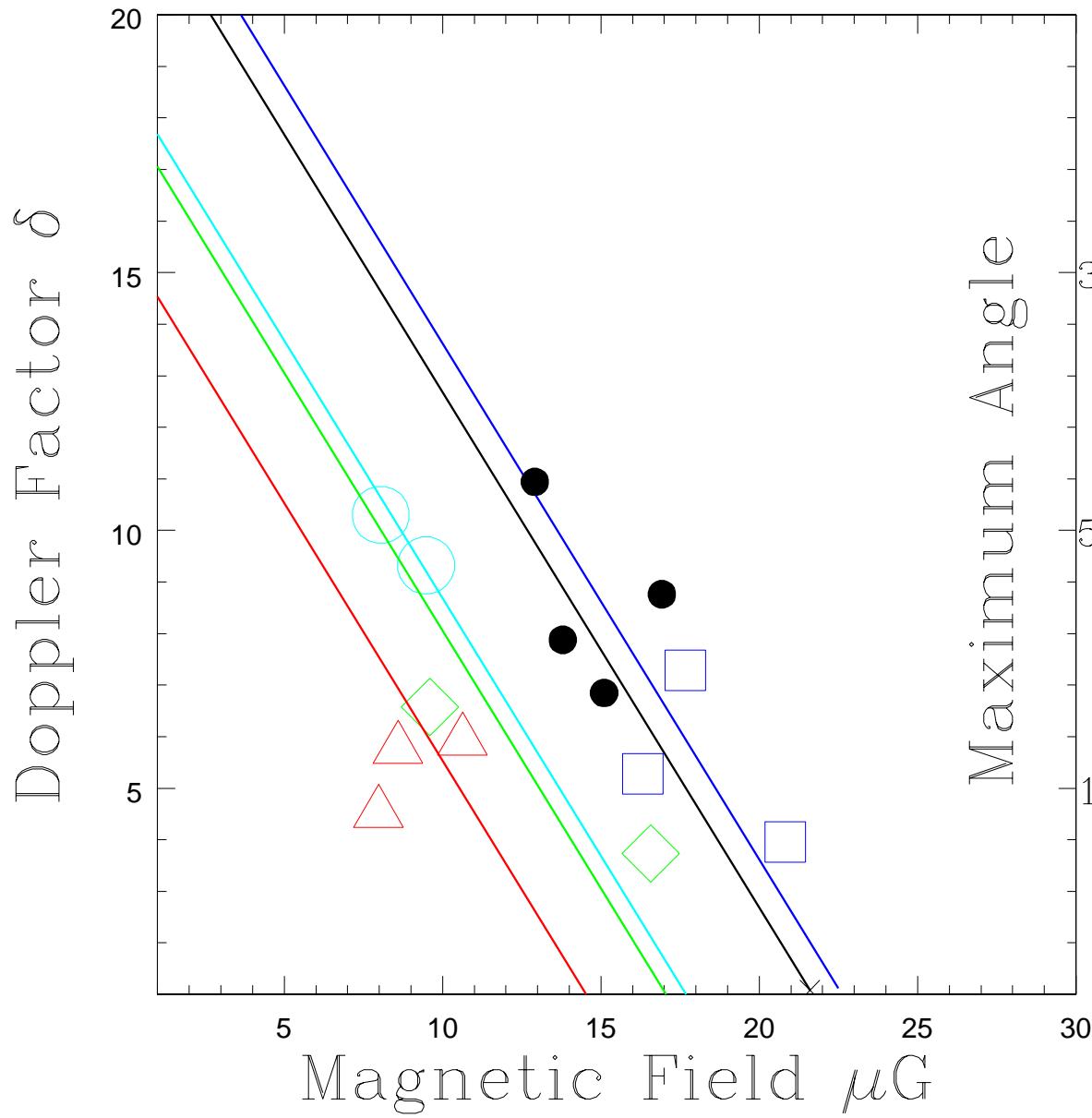
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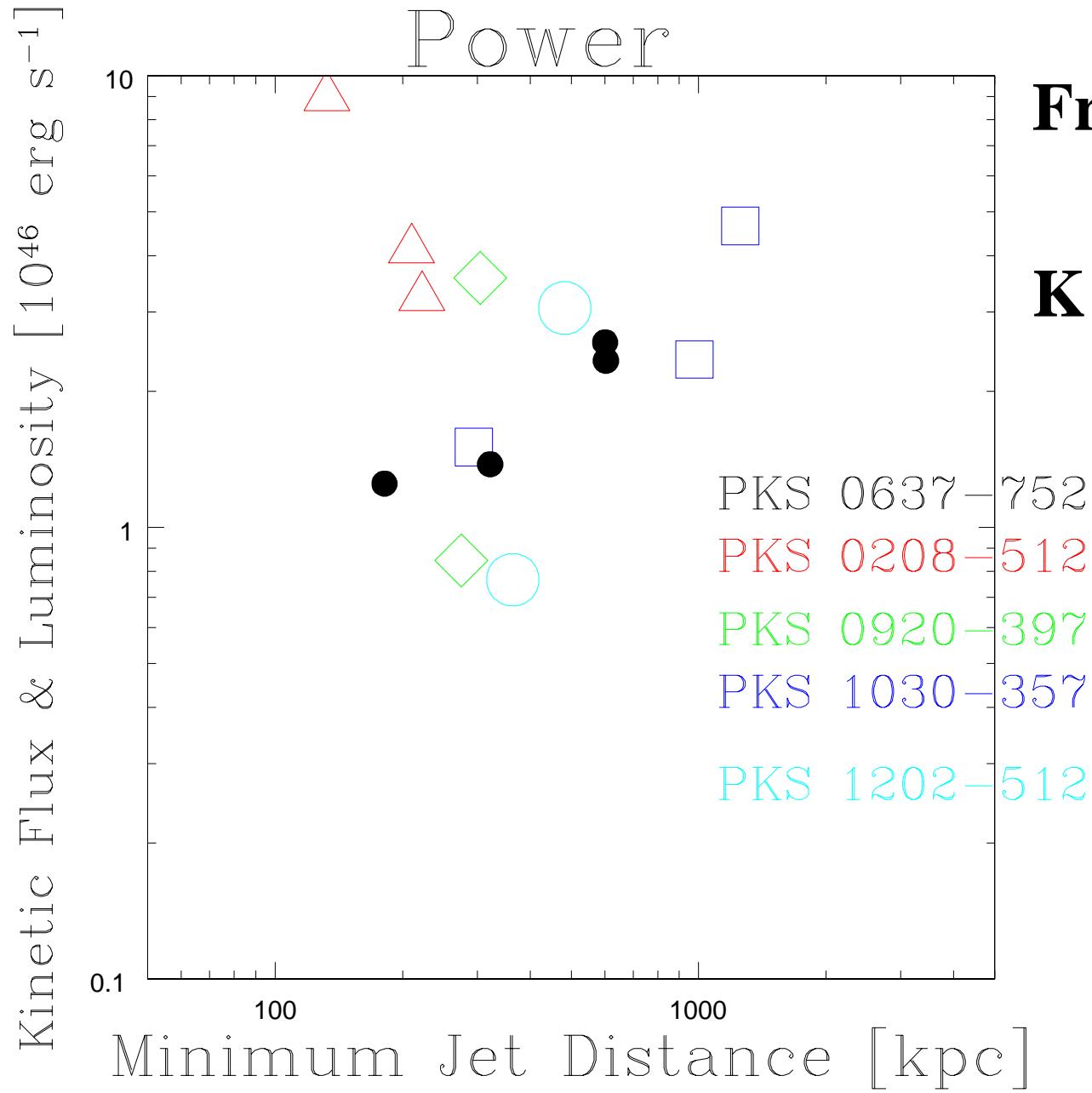


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- We take $\Gamma \approx \delta$
- $\delta = (\Gamma(1 - \beta \cos(\theta)))^{-1}$
- $\cos(\theta_{\max}) = \frac{\delta - 1/\delta}{\sqrt{\delta^2 - 1}}$

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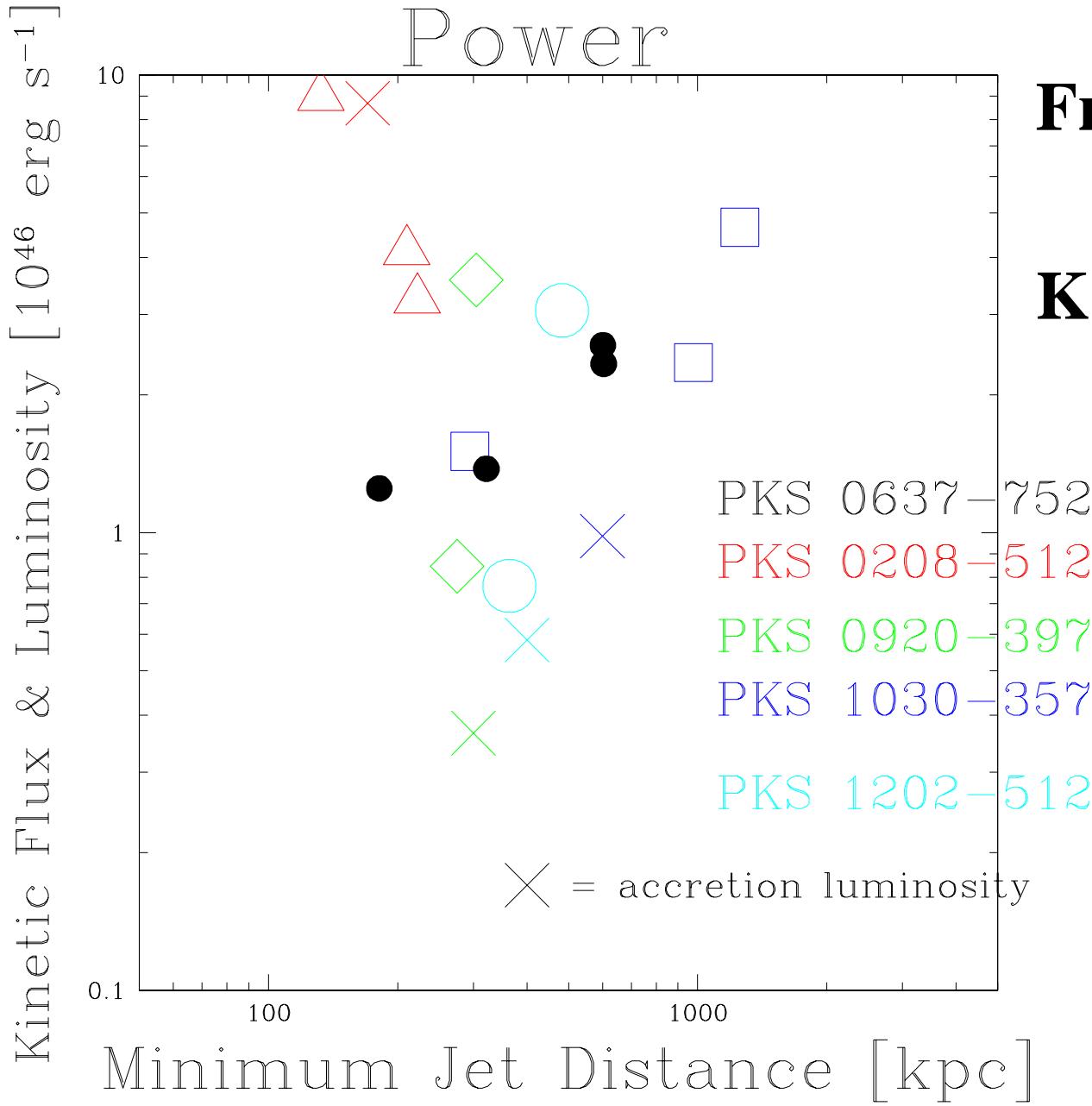


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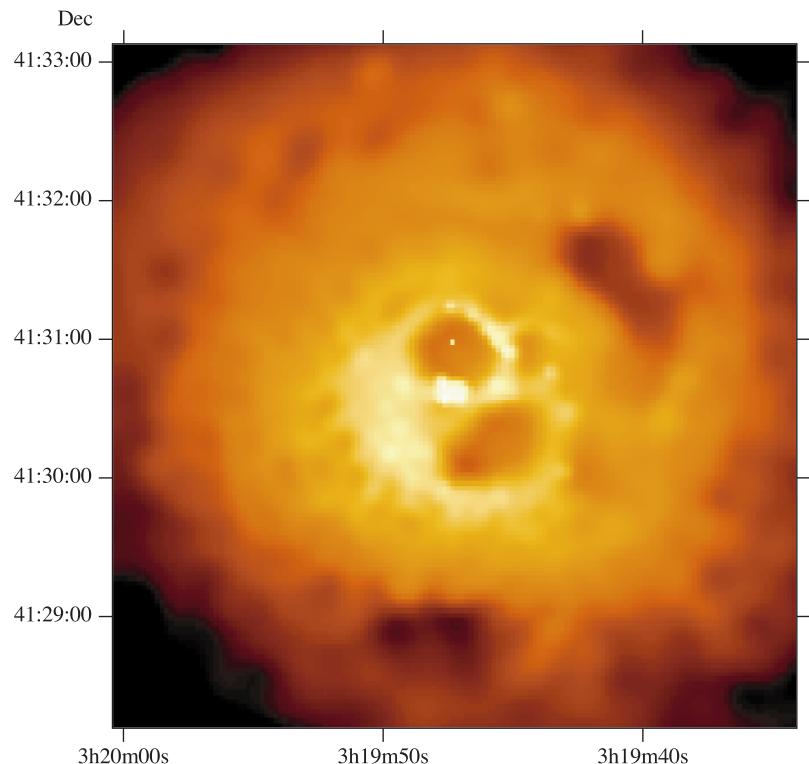


Implications of the FR II Jets

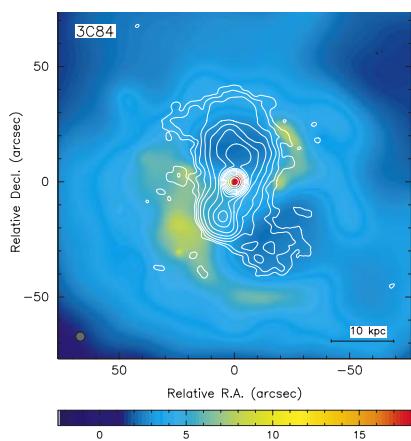
- Eddington Luminosity might not limit Accretion Rate
- Jets may Power Cluster Cavities – Stop Cooling Flows
- IC/CMB X-ray jets Maintain Constant Surface Brightness vs. z. We will detect them at Arbitrarily Large Redshift.

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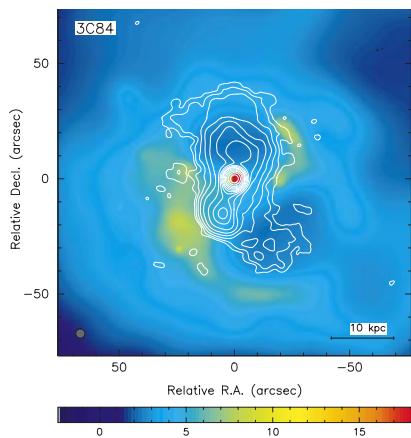
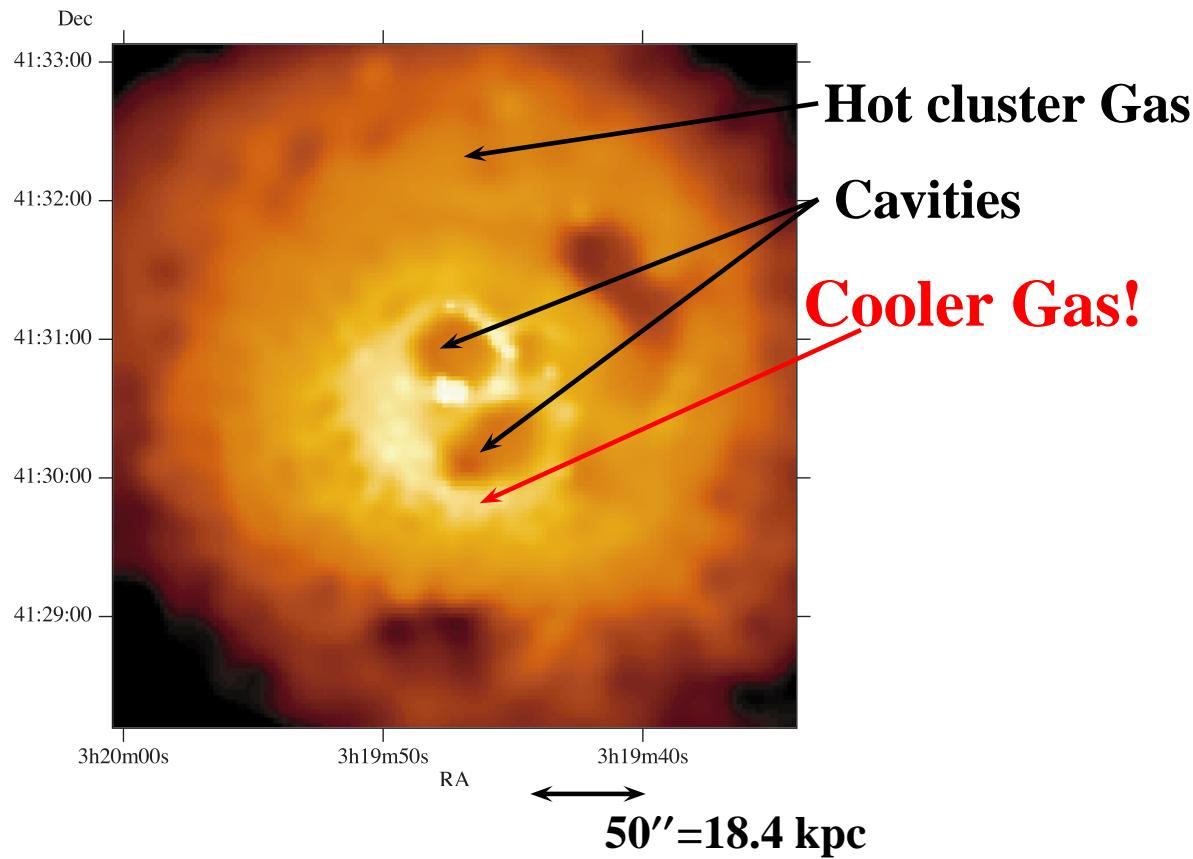
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50''=18.4 kpc



1.4 GHz VLA

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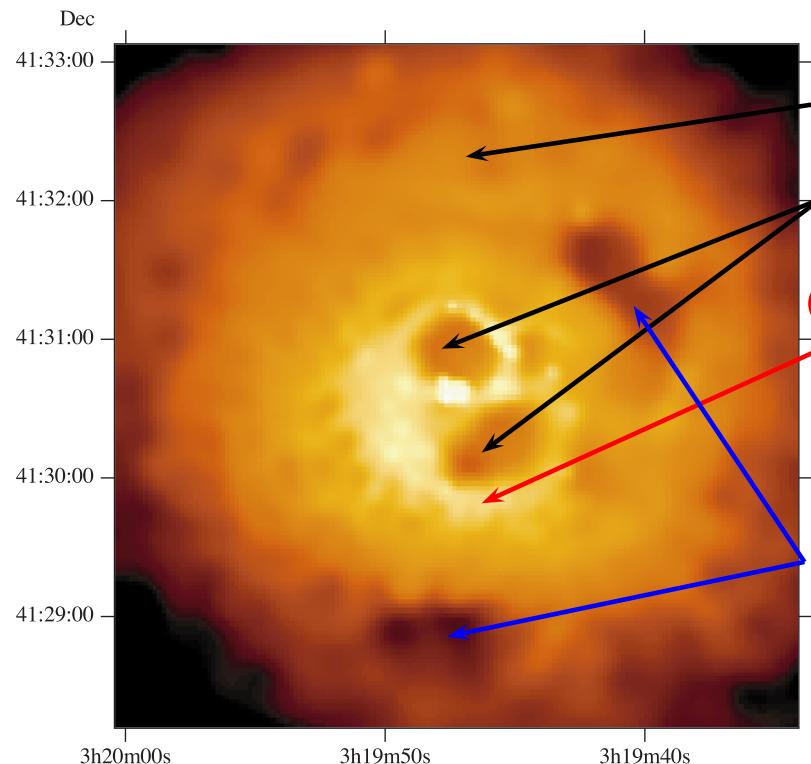
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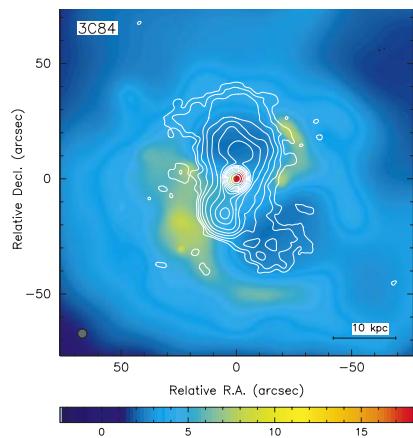
Hot cluster Gas

Cavities

Cooler Gas!

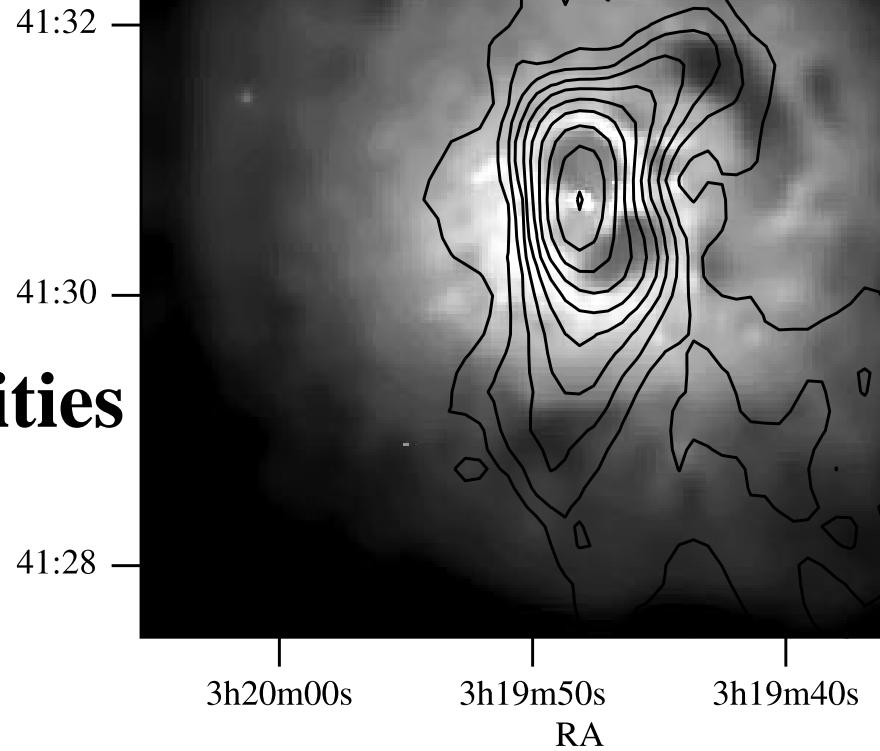
Fossil Cavities

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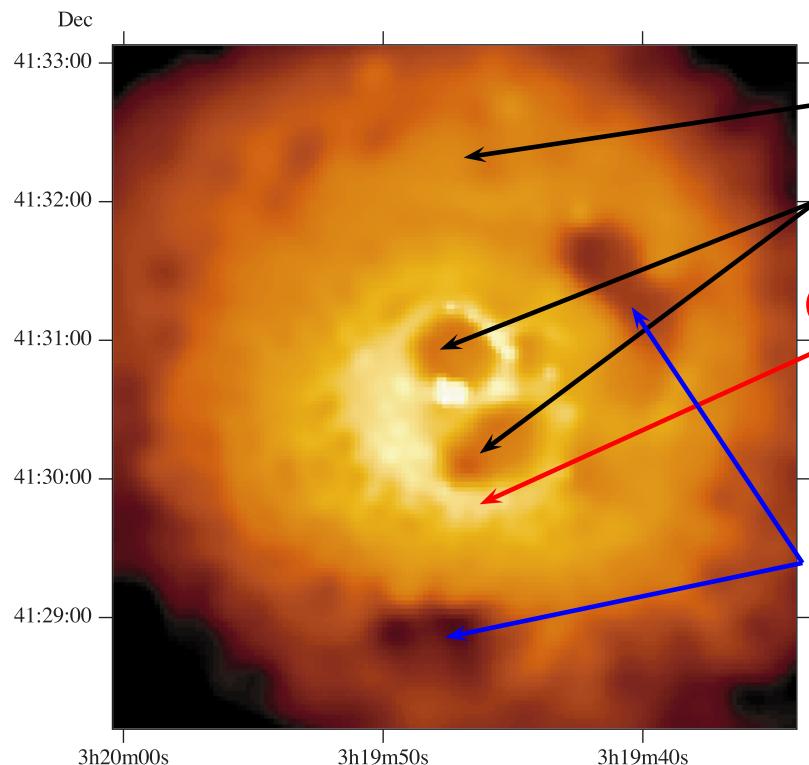
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Fabian et al., (2002MNRAS.331..369F)
74 MHz



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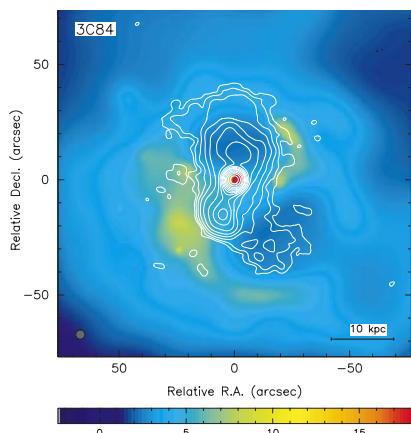
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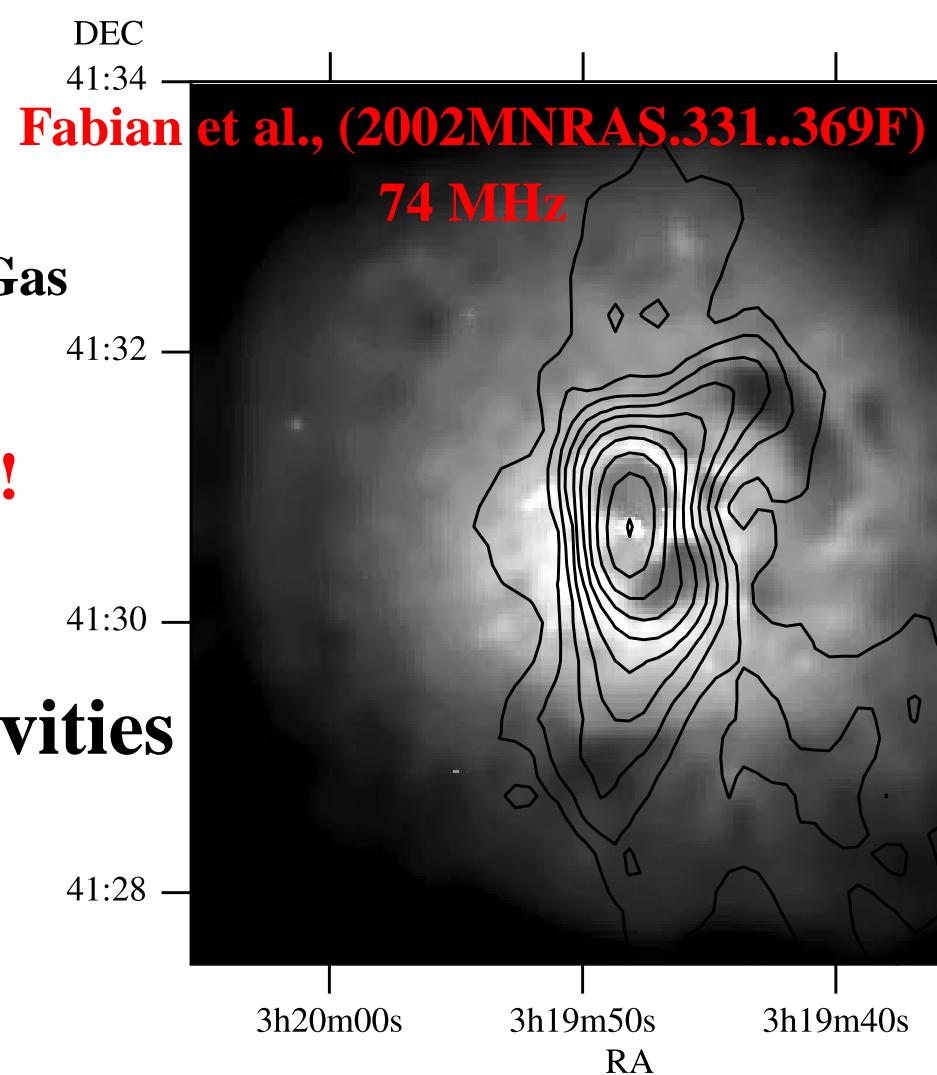
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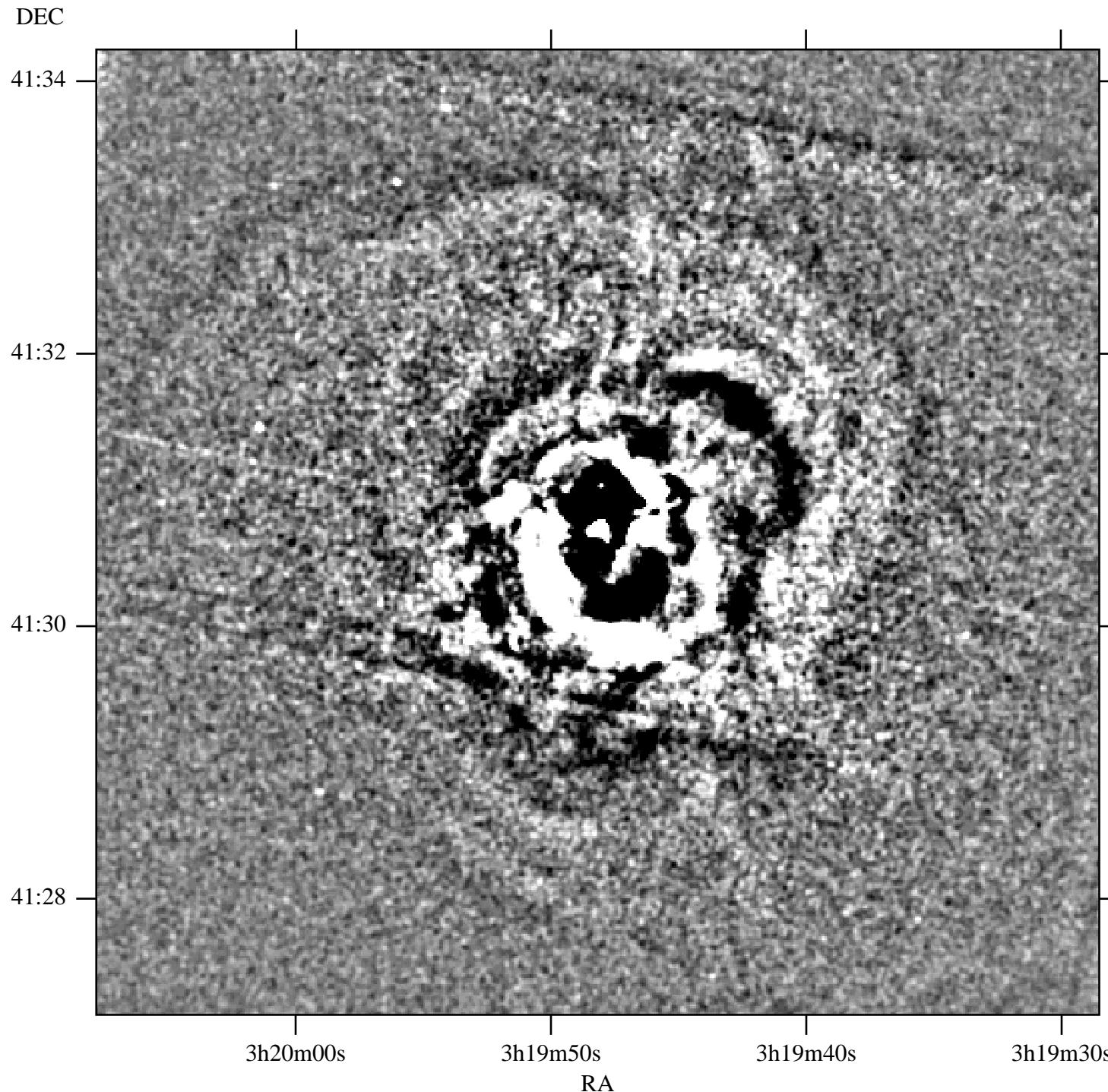


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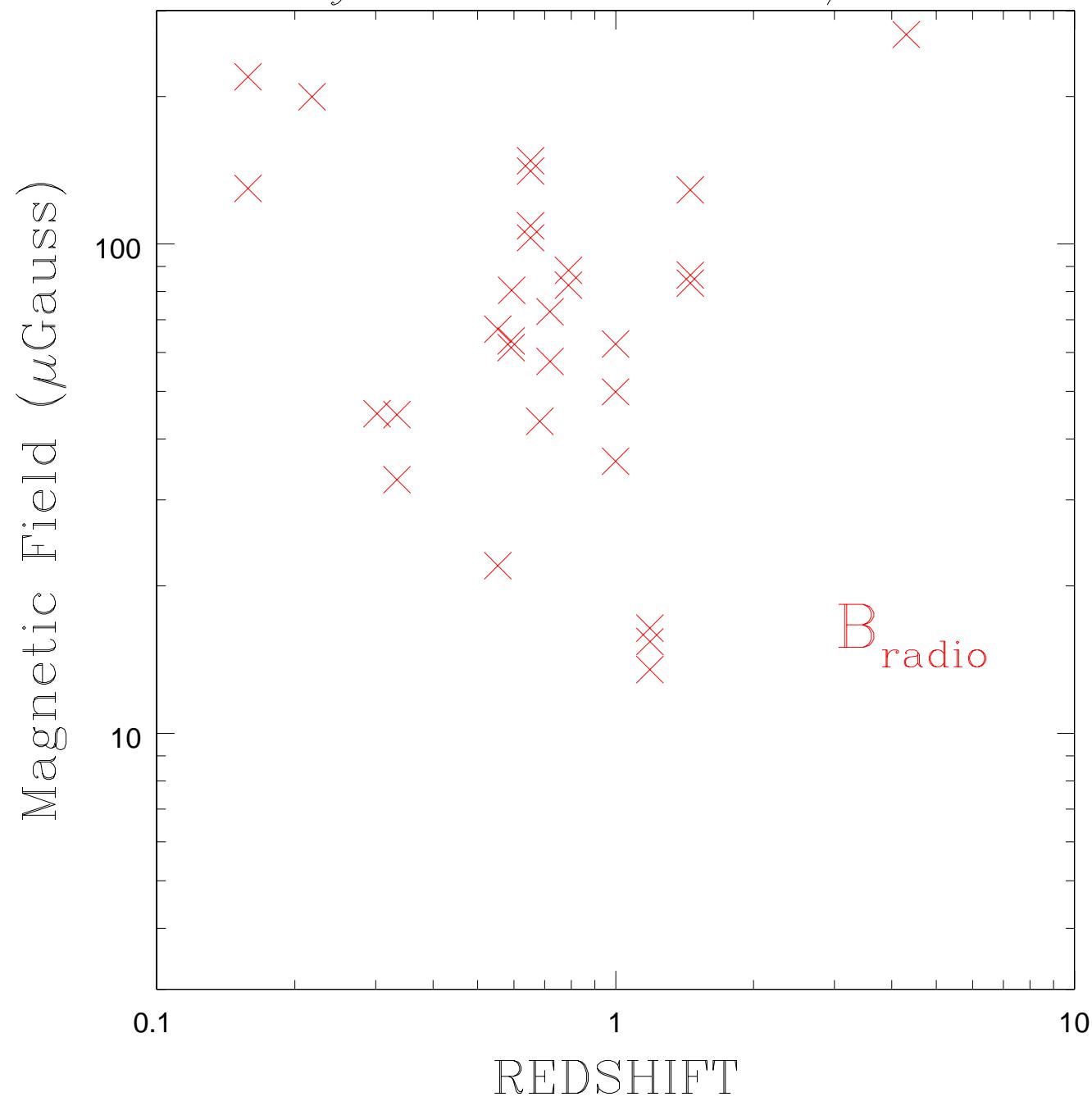
$p \Delta V \approx 2 \times 10^{58} \text{ ergs}$
 $u_{me} \Delta V \approx 4 \times 10^{56} \text{ ergs}$
Pressure equality $\Rightarrow k/f \geq 180$
Lifetimes $\Rightarrow B \leq B_{me}/4$

Do Sound Waves Provide the Energy?

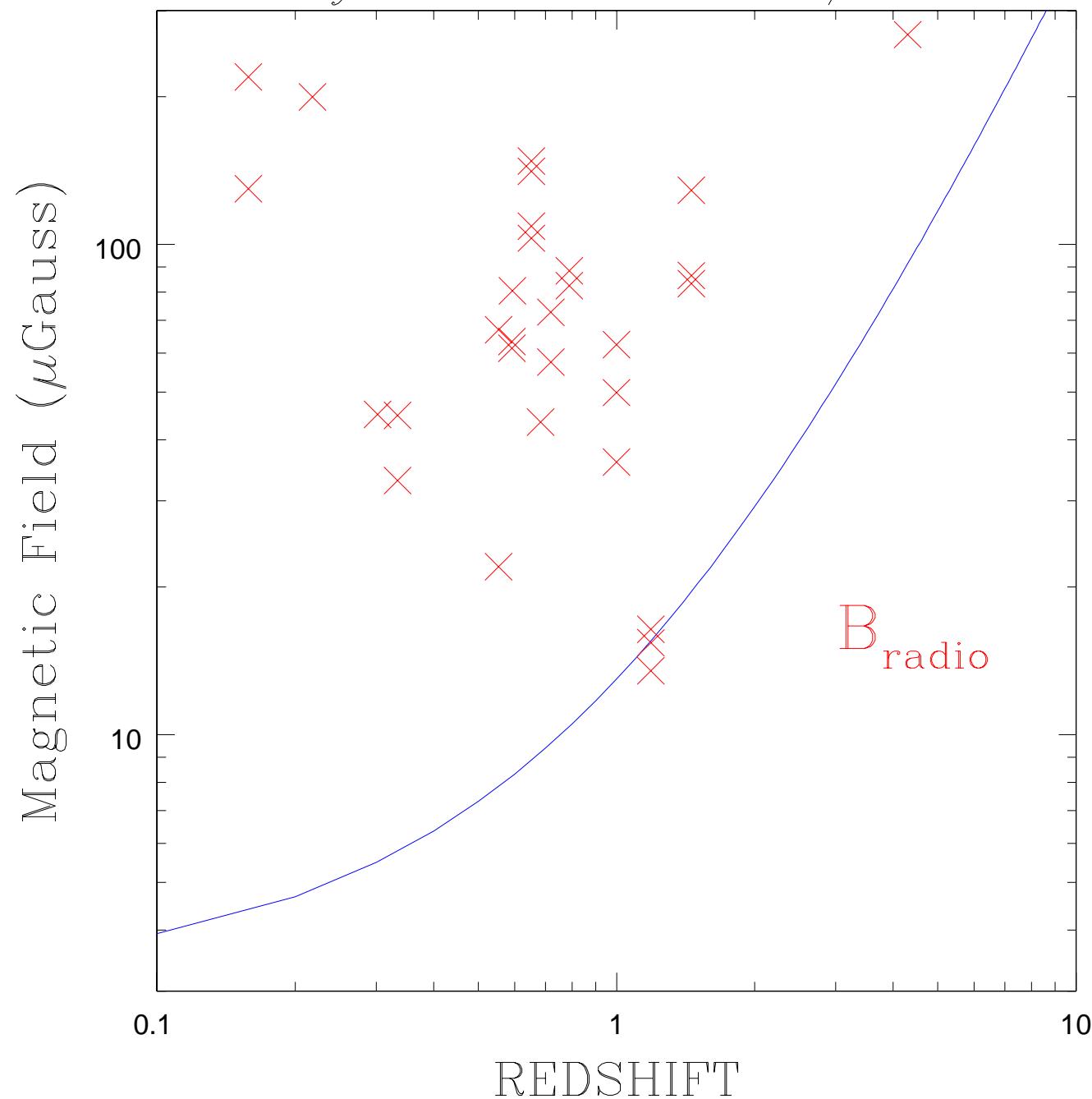


Fabian et al. 2003
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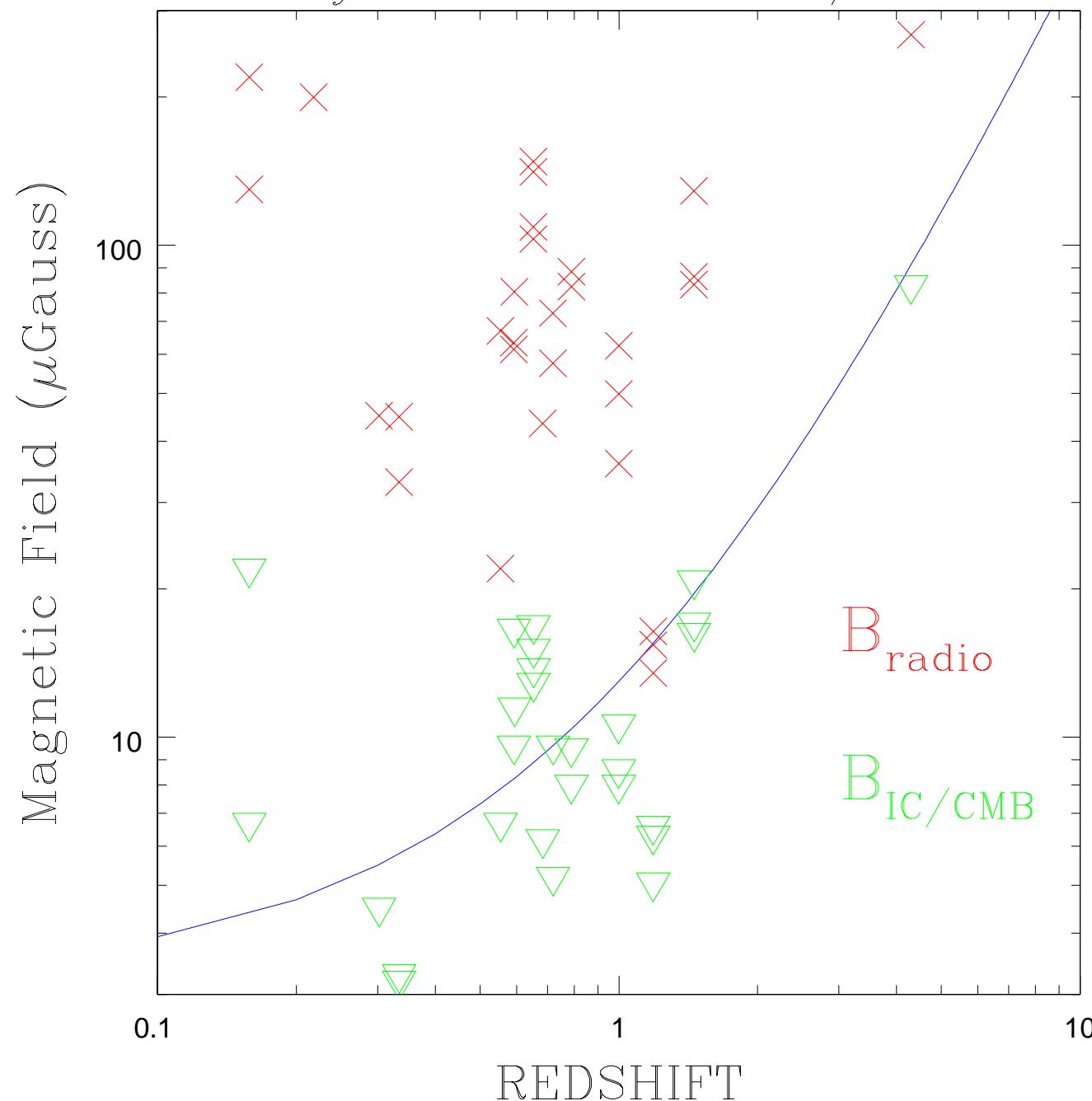
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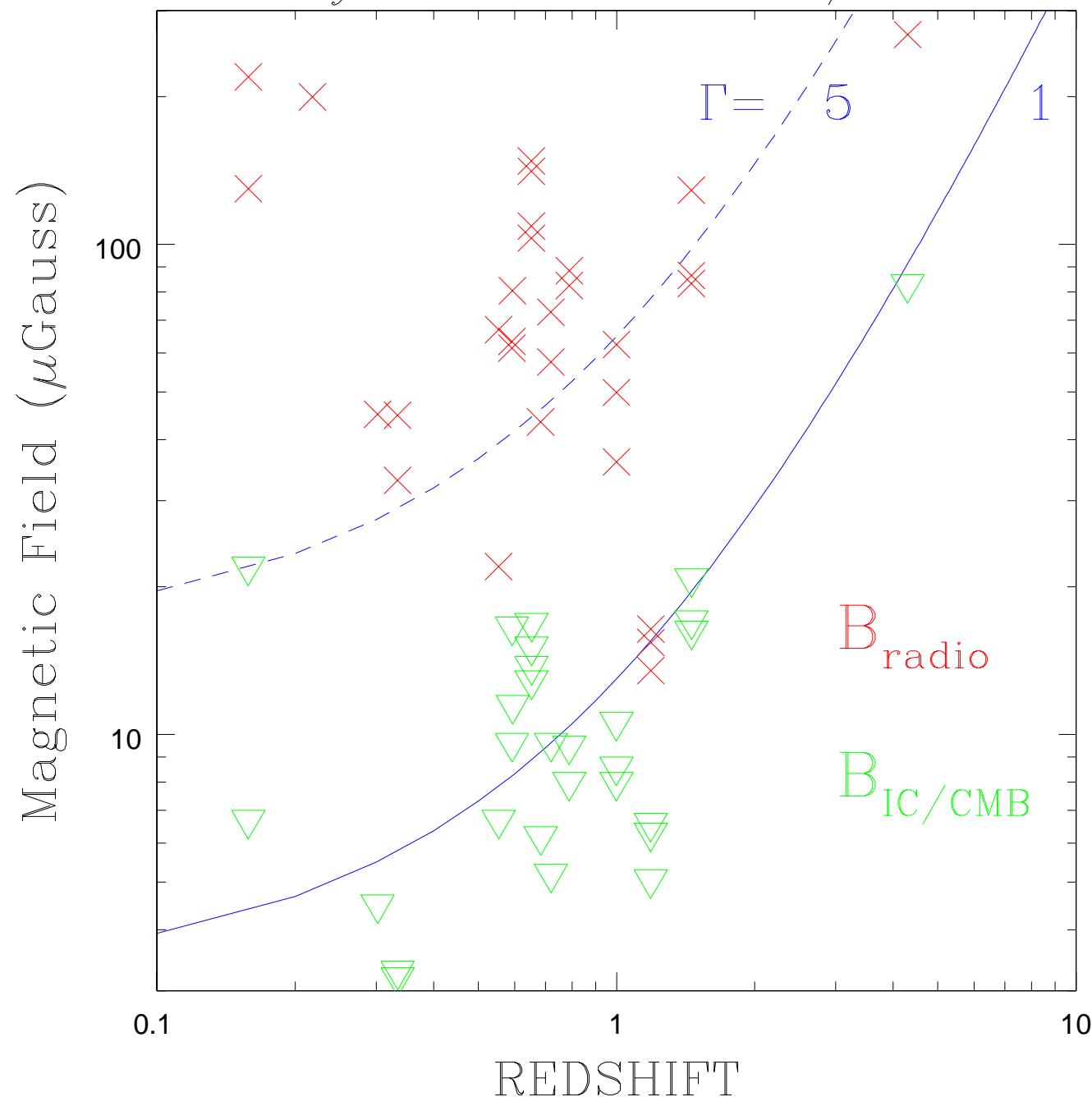
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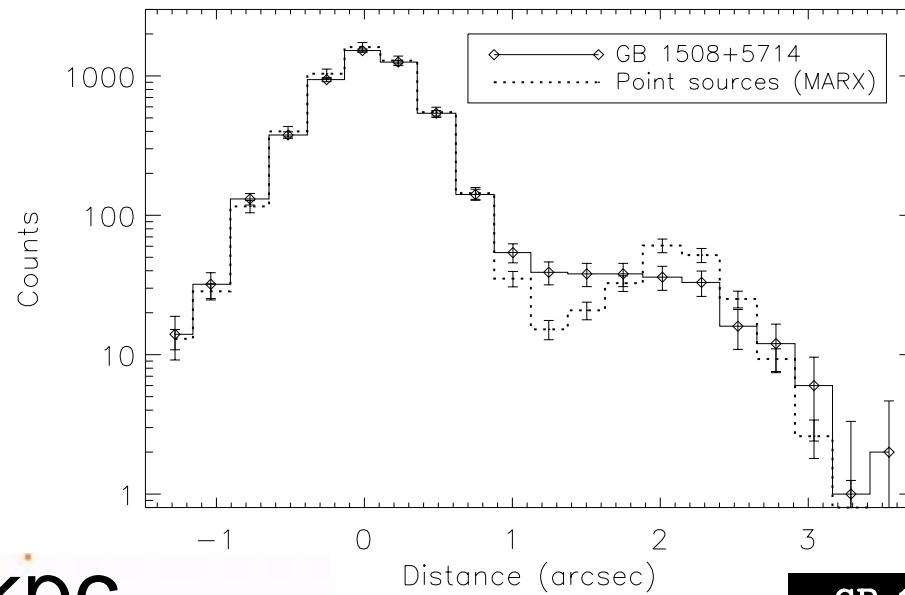
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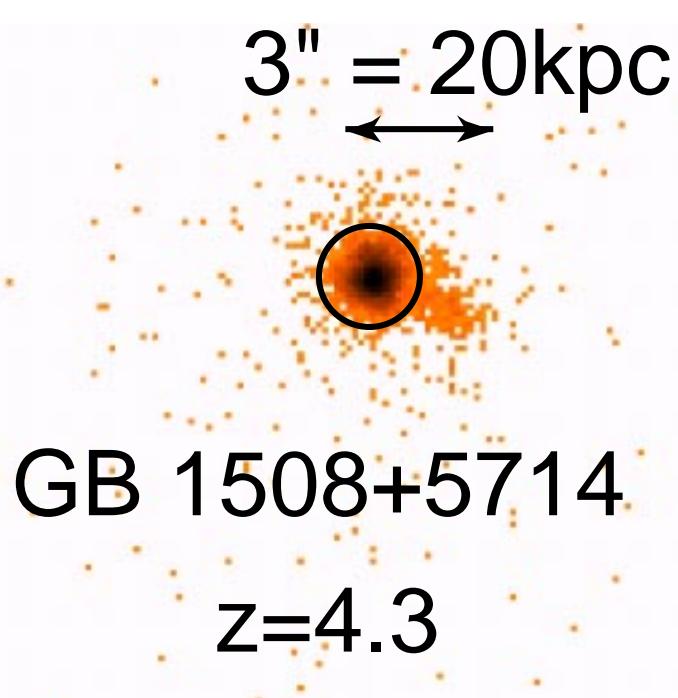
Where ARE the bright X-ray Jets at High Redshift?

- Unidentified ROSAT sources?
- Bright ROSAT, ASCA, EINSTEIN quasar identifications?
- Extreme X-ray/Optical sources (Koekemoer et al.
2004ApJ...600L.123K) in Chandra Deep Surveys?

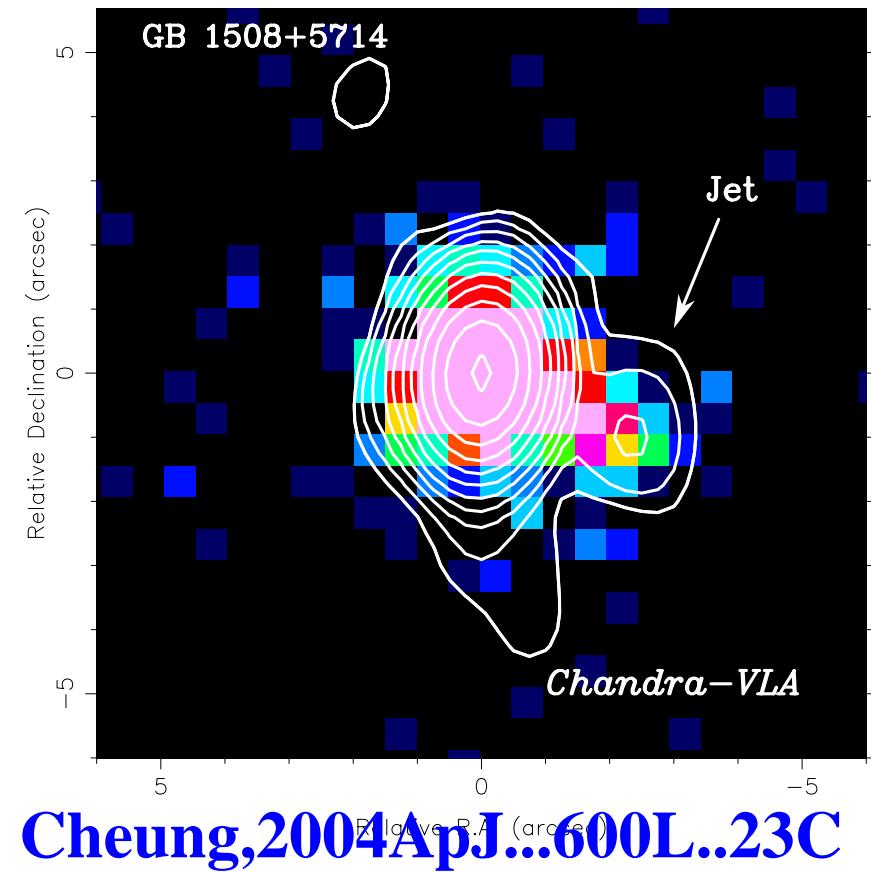
Where ARE the bright X-ray Jets at High Redshift?



$3'' = 20\text{kpc}$



Siemiginowska et al. 2003ApJ...598L..15S



Cheung, 2004ApJ...600L..23C

There Should Be Radio Quiet X-Ray Jets!

- 1 keV X-rays produced by $\gamma \approx 1000/\Gamma$
- $\nu = 4.2 \times 10^{-6} \gamma^2$ Hz [μG] ≈ 10 MHz

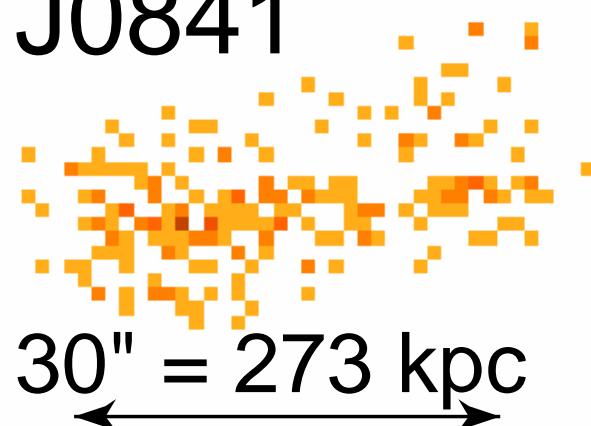
A Radio Quiet X-Ray Jet?

EMSS 0841+1314



← 30" →

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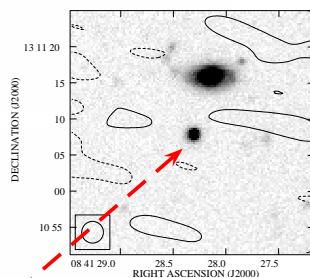
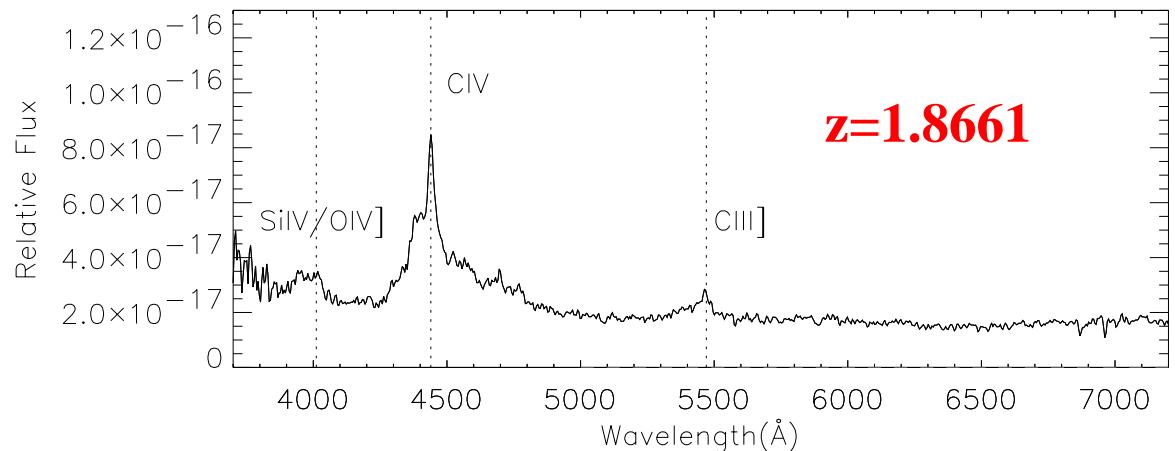


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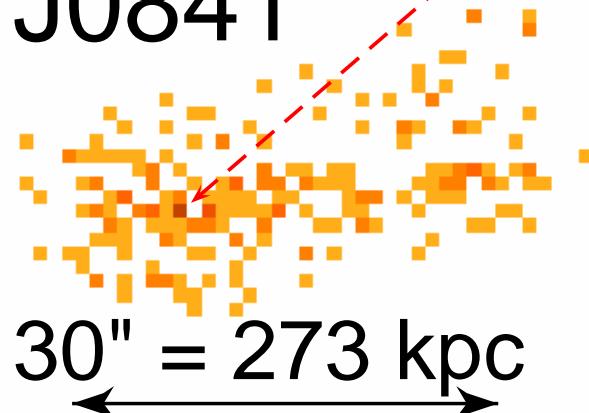
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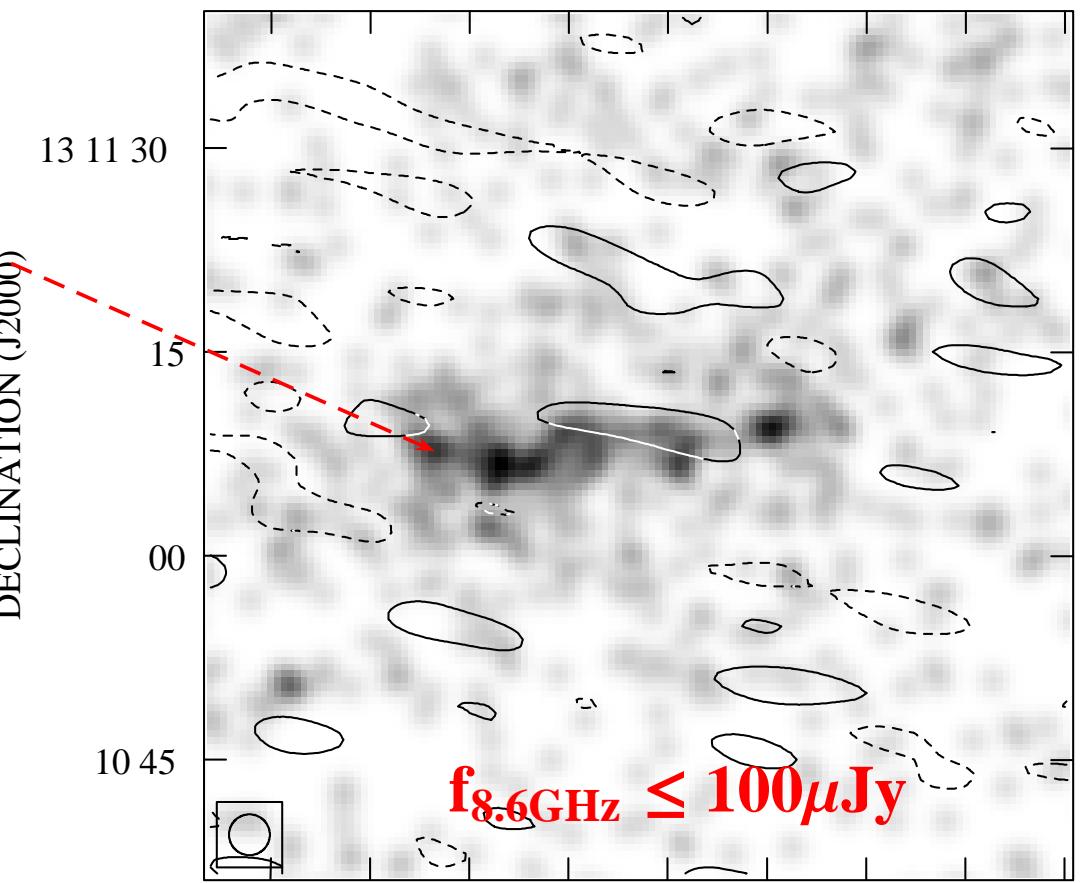
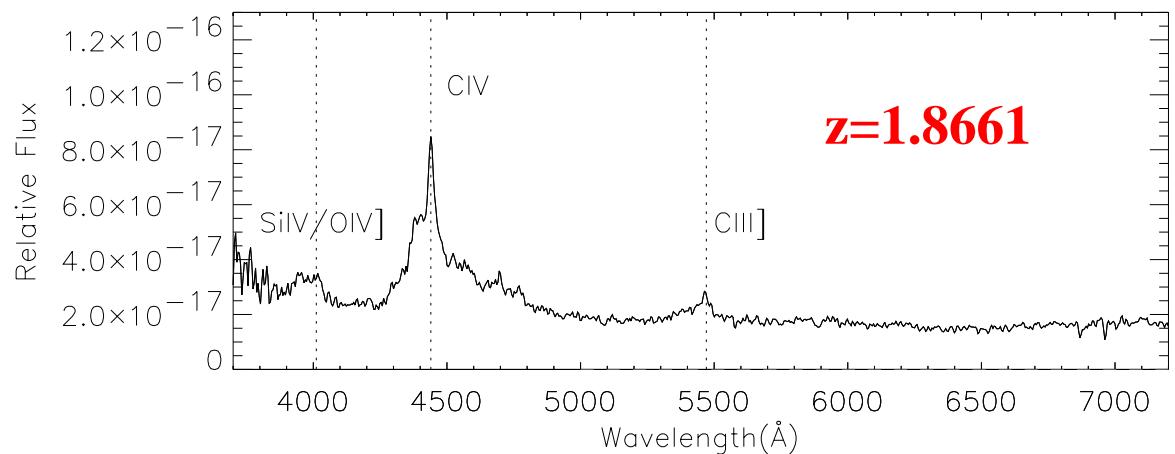
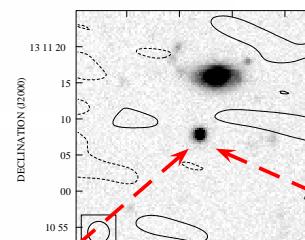
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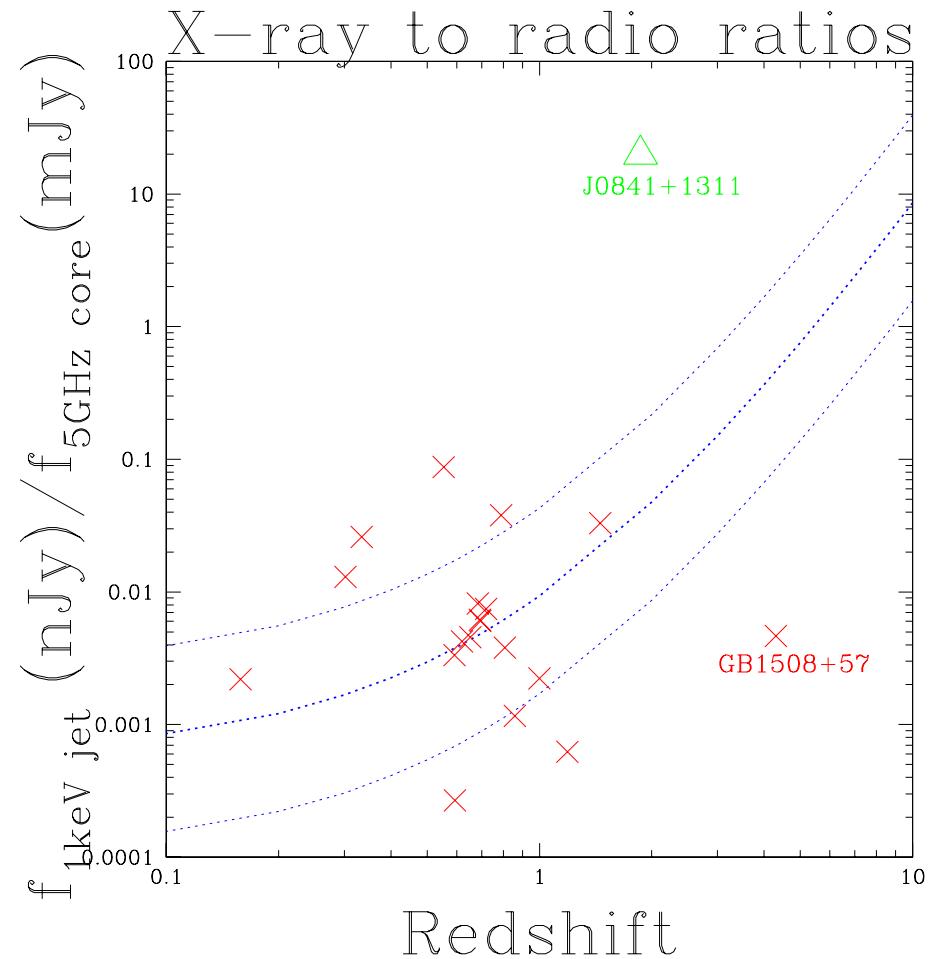
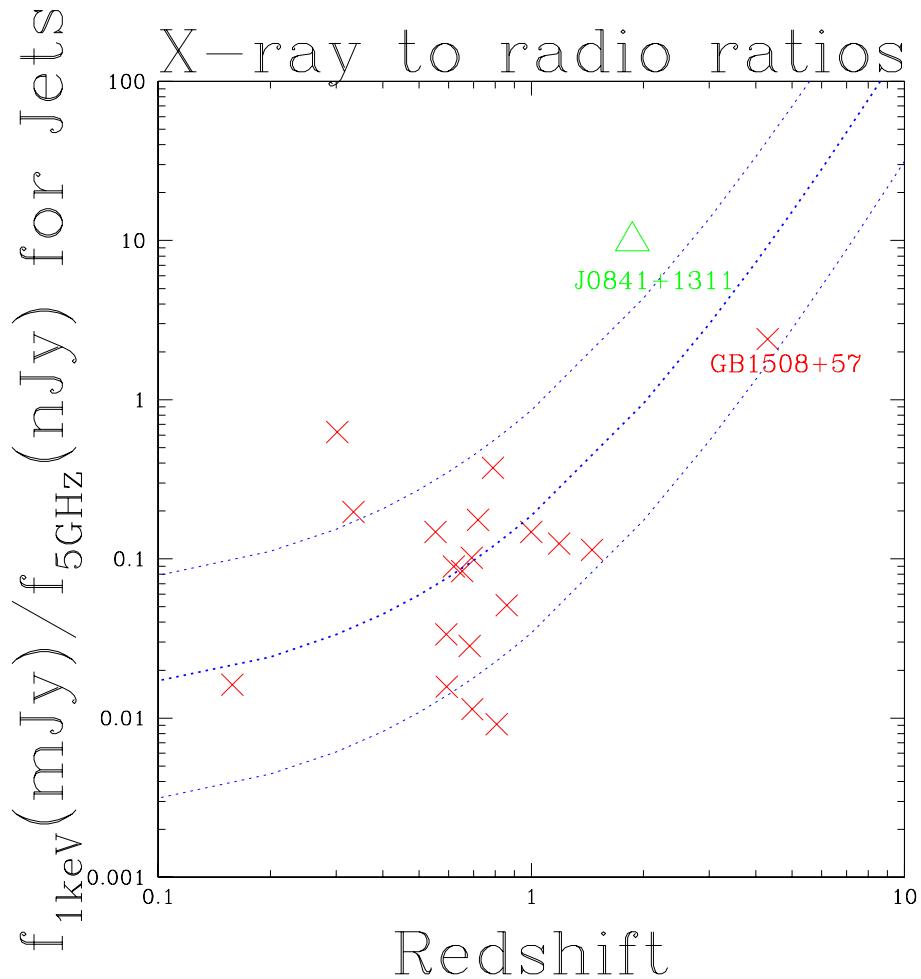
30"

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30" = 273 kpc



Correlation of X-ray Jet and Radio Flux Densities



Significance of the X-ray Emission

- 1. X-rays typically radiate the most energy**
- 2. Quasar/Black hole core X-ray emission may be dominated by jets (in radio sources)**

If emission is inverse Compton on CMB,

and emission region is in equipartition:

- 3. X-rays give the effective Doppler factor and rest frame B**
- 4. X-ray jets will be detectable at arbitrarily large redshift**