

Dust Workshop at IPMU, 2010

**Population III to II Transition  
-The Role of Dust -**

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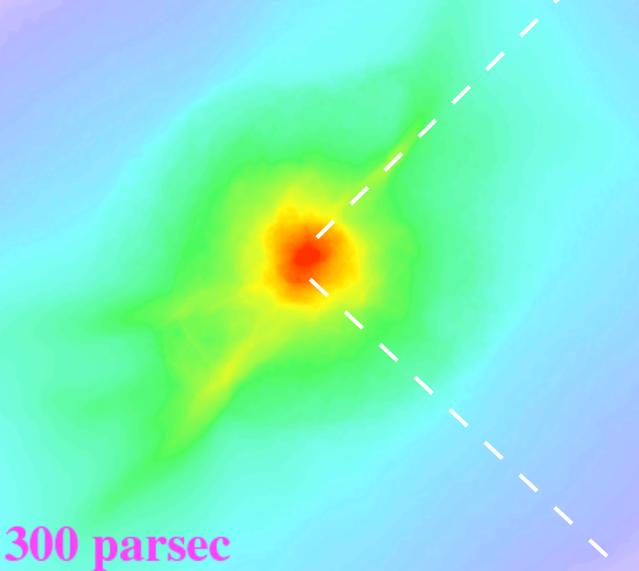
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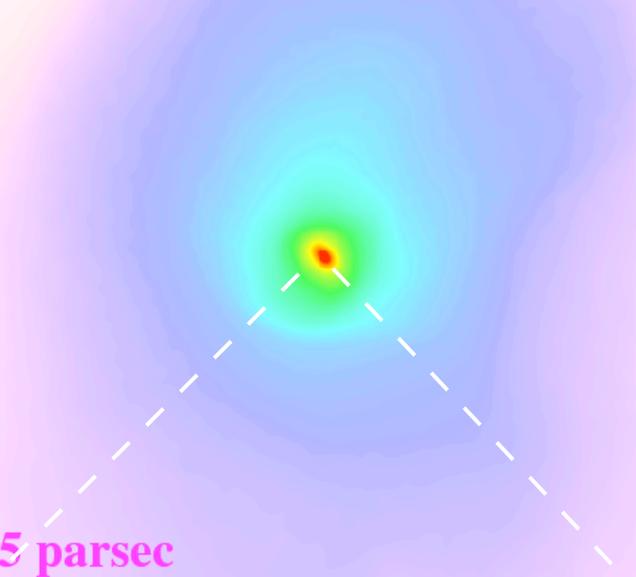
# Primordial Star Formation

(A) cosmological halo



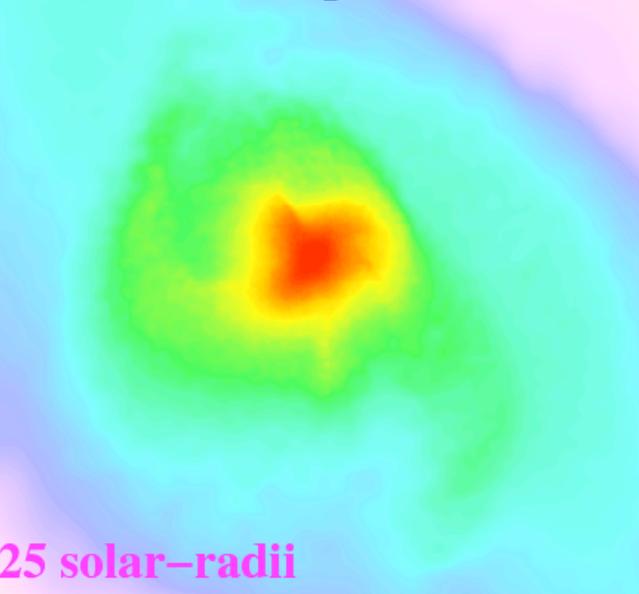
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(B) star-forming cloud



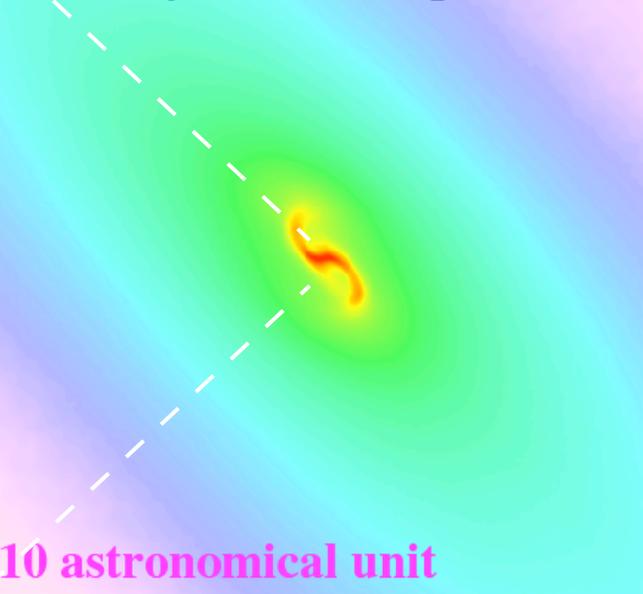
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(D) new-born protostar



25 solar-radii

(C) fully molecular part



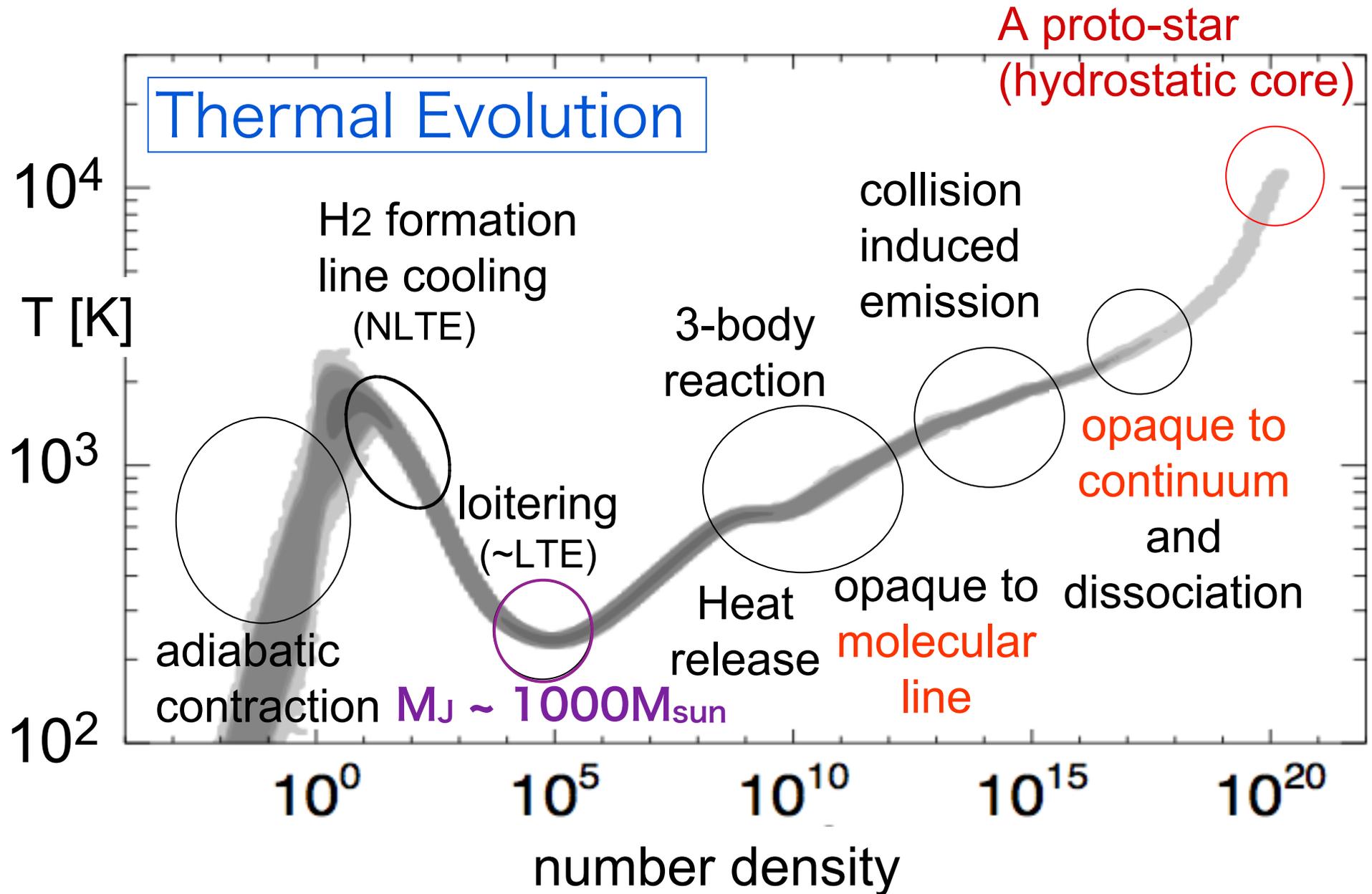
10 astronomical unit

A complete picture of the formation process of a primordial protostar.

Dynamic range  $10^{13}$   
Resolving planetary scale structures in a cosmological volume!

NY, Omukai, Hernquist  
*Science* 2008

# An early universe “experiment”



# Primordial Star Formation

1. The large mass ( $\sim 1000M_{\text{sun}}$ ) at the onset of collapse.
2. High temperature ( $\sim 1000\text{K}$ ) gas surrounding the protostar  
= Very large accretion rate
3. Lack of opacity source  
= no efficient way of stopping accretion

So far, so good...

What if the gas  
is enriched  
with metals ?

# PopIII to PopII

PROBABLY:

Turbulence,

Metal enrichment, DUST,

Magnetic field,

Cosmic rays, etc etc...

# PopIII to PopII

Is there a “critical metallicity”  
for cloud fragmentation ?

If so, what determines it ?

Bromm et al.  
atomic cooling  
by C, O  
@low-density

vs.

Omukai, Schneider  
cooling by dust  
@high density

# Toward a direct simulation

Chemistry and radiative transfer in a gas with heavy elements and dust :

- 1 Cooling by C I, C II, O I
- 2 Dust thermal emission
- 3 Molecular cooling by H<sub>2</sub>O, OH, CO
- 4 New cooling rates for H<sub>2</sub>, HD

# Chemistry

In addition to H, H<sub>2</sub>, He, D, HD :

C, C<sup>+</sup>, CO, CO<sup>+</sup>, CO<sub>2</sub>,

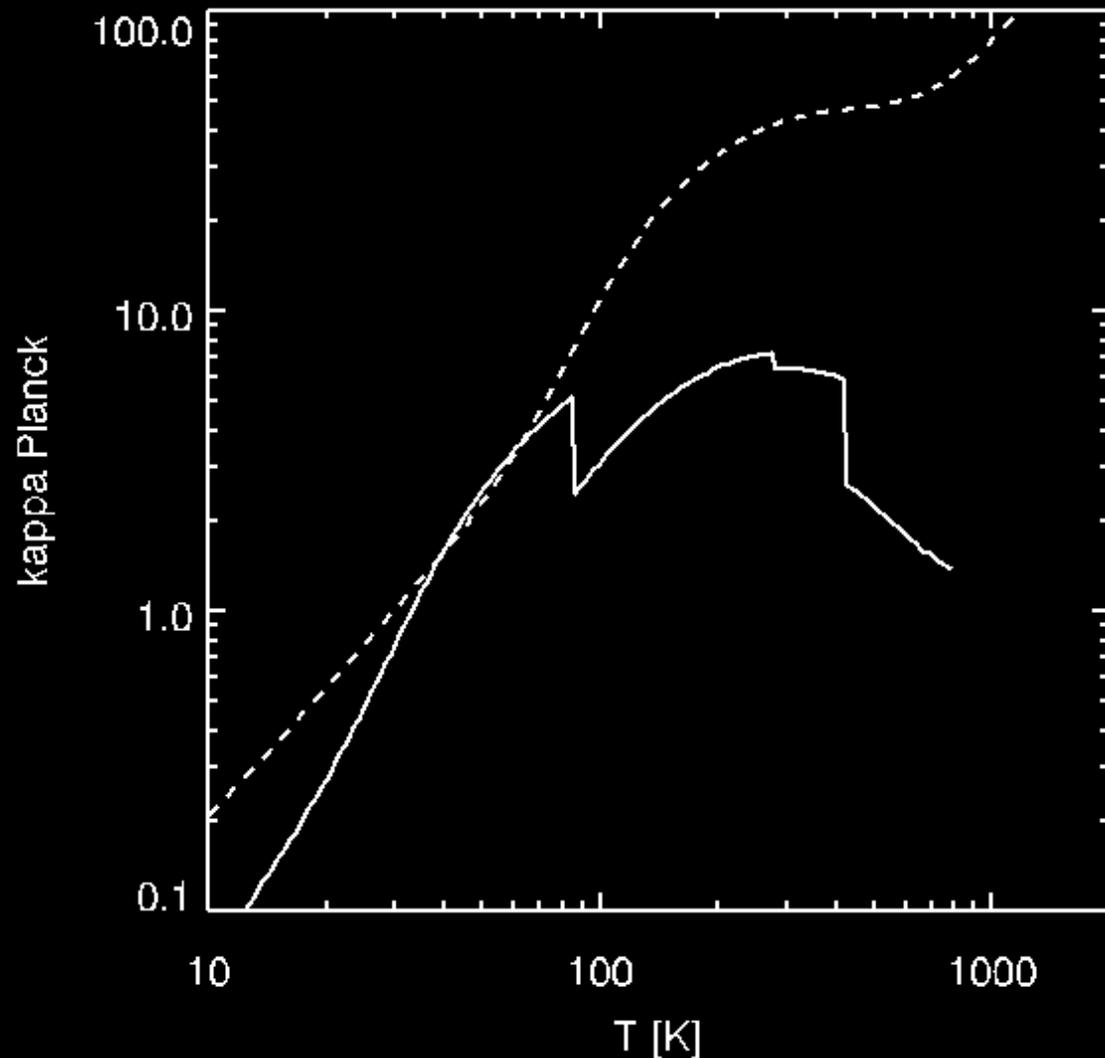
O, O<sup>+</sup>, OH, H<sub>2</sub>O, O<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup>, OH<sup>+</sup>,

CH, CH<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>, O<sub>2</sub><sup>+</sup>

+39 reactions

Chemical equilibrium for those in  
yellow

# Dust opacity



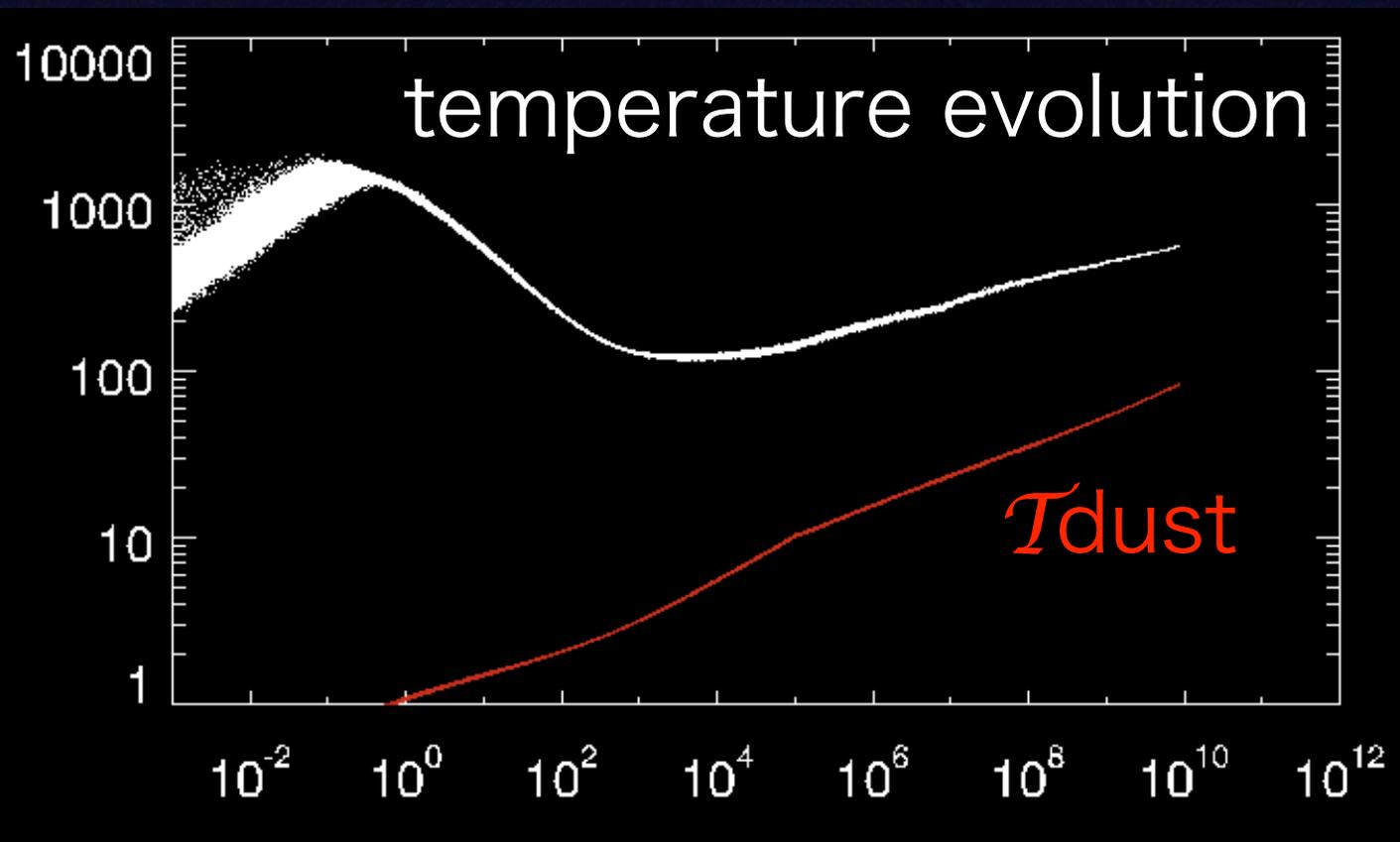
Planck mean  
Semenov+ 03  
Solar composition  
(solid)

Nozawa+ 05  
First SN,  
carbon dominated  
dust (dashed)

# Dust cooling

$T_{\text{dust}}$  determined by the thermal

balance:  $4 \sigma T^4 \kappa = \mathcal{L}_{\text{gr}} (\text{gas} \rightarrow \text{dust})$



# Molecule formation



Tielens - Hollenbach 1985 rate

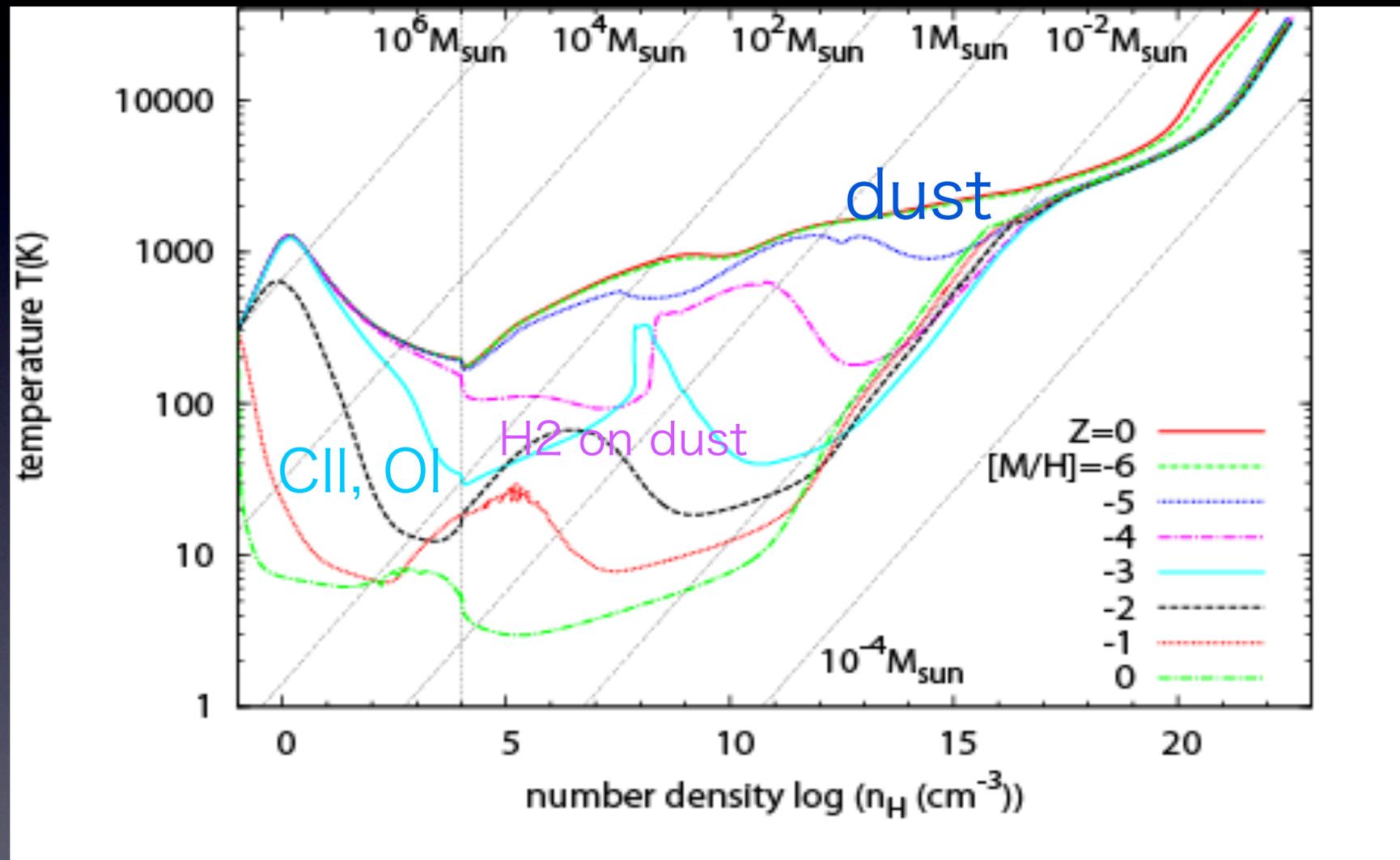
$$k_{\text{H}_2} = 6.0 \times 10^{-17} (T/300 \text{ K})^{1/2} f_a \times [1 + 4.0 \times 10^{-2} (T + T_{\text{gr}})^{1/2} + 2.0 \times 10^{-3} T + 8.0 \times 10^{-6} T^2]^{-1} \times Z/Z_{\text{local}}$$
$$f_a = \left\{ 1 + \exp[7.5 \times 10^2 (1/75 - 1/T_{\text{gr}})] \right\}^{-1}$$

Chemical heating

$$0.2 + 4.2/(1+n_{\text{cr}}/n) \text{ eV}$$

per formed molecule

# 1-D calculation



Omukai, Hosokawa, NY (2010)

# 3D simulation set-up

A NFW sphere (static potential)

$5 \times 10^6 M_{\text{sun}}$  @  $z=10$ ;  $T_{\text{vir}} \sim 2000 \text{ K}$

1 million gas particles (multi-level)

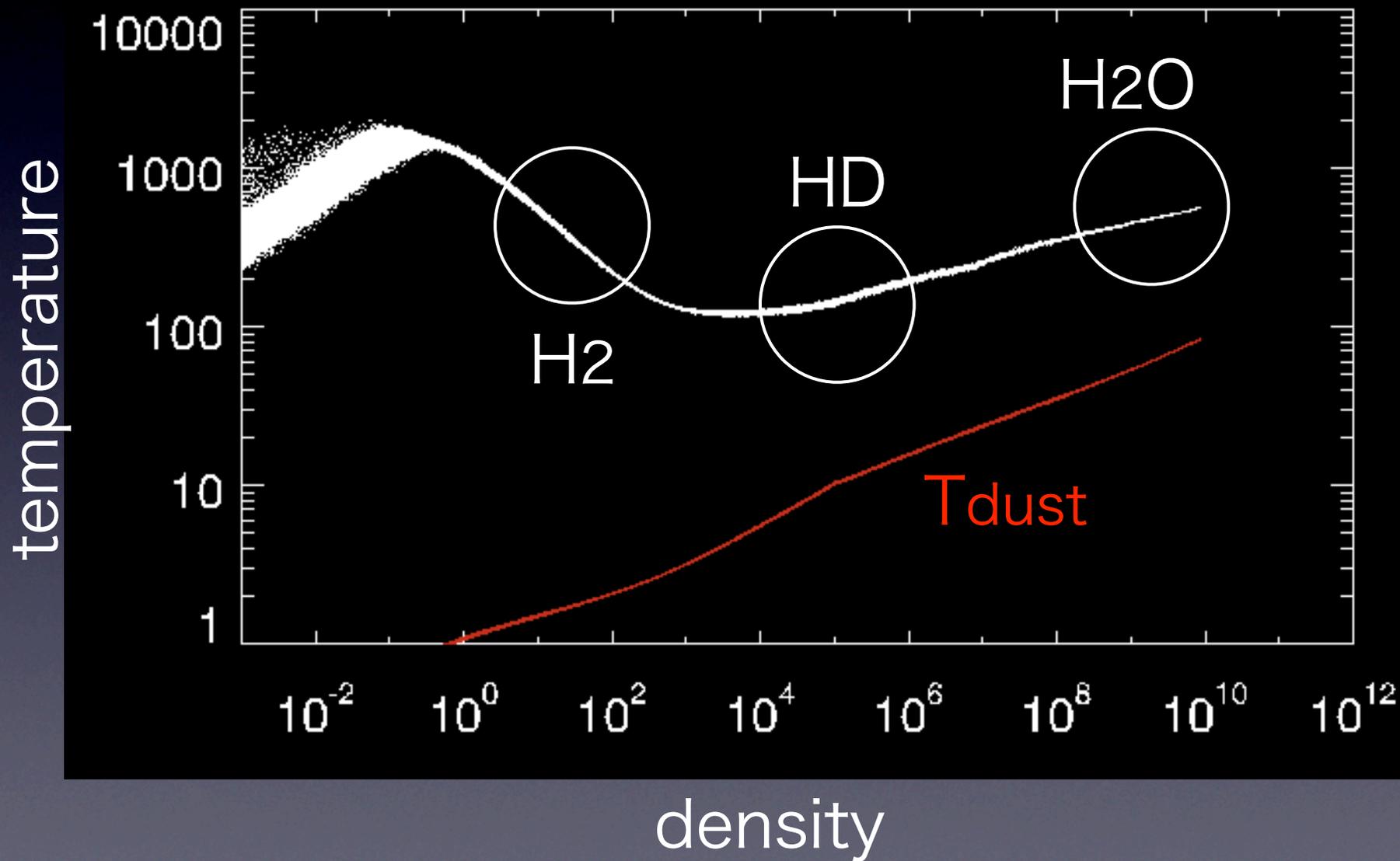
Mass resolution at the center  
 $\sim 0.004 M_{\text{sun}}$

Solar composition, dust-to-gas ratio fixed

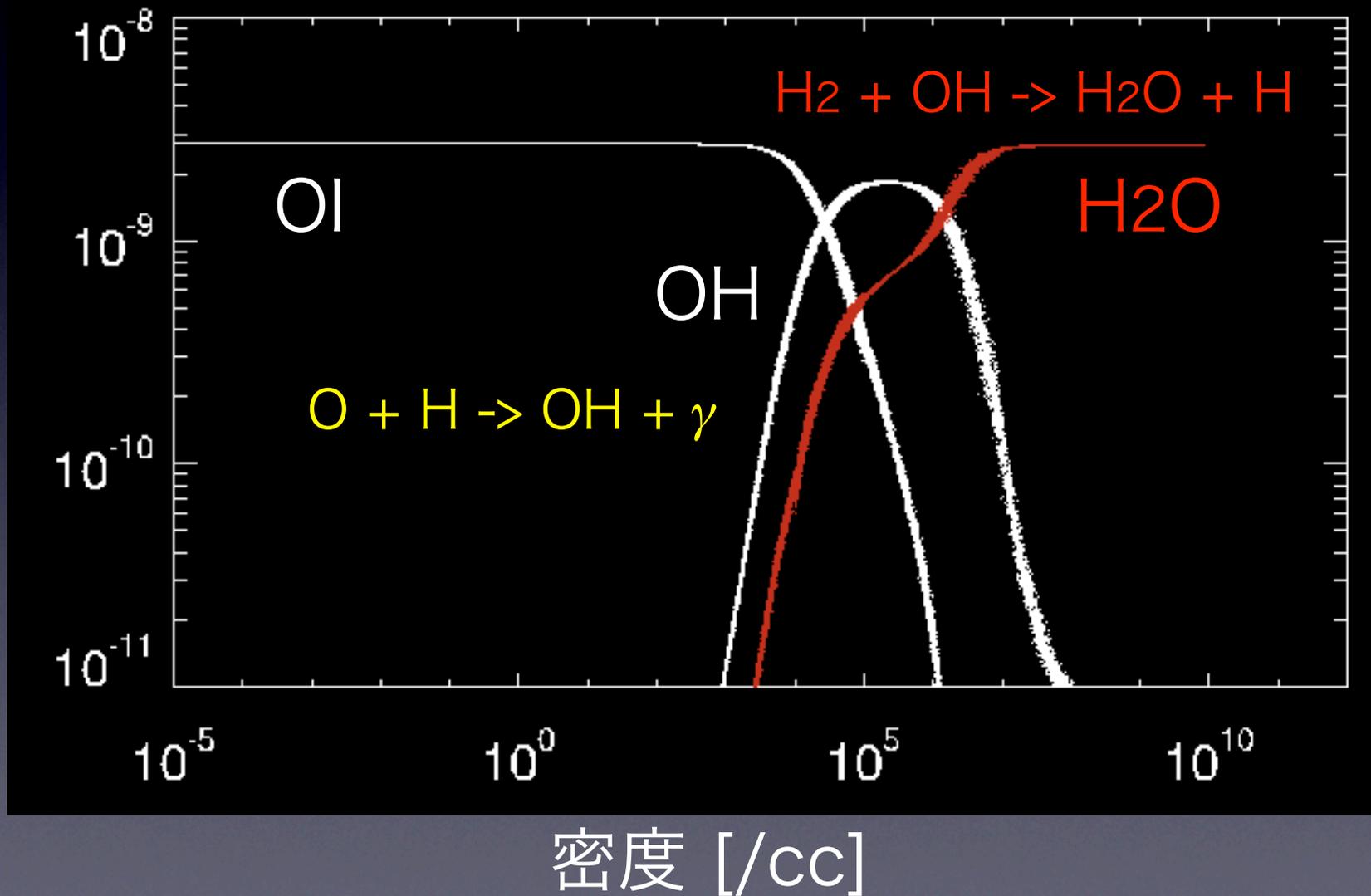
$y_{\text{C,gas}} = 9.27 \times 10^{-5}$ ,  $y_{\text{O,gas}} = 3.57 \times 10^{-4}$

scaled by metallicity  $Z$ .

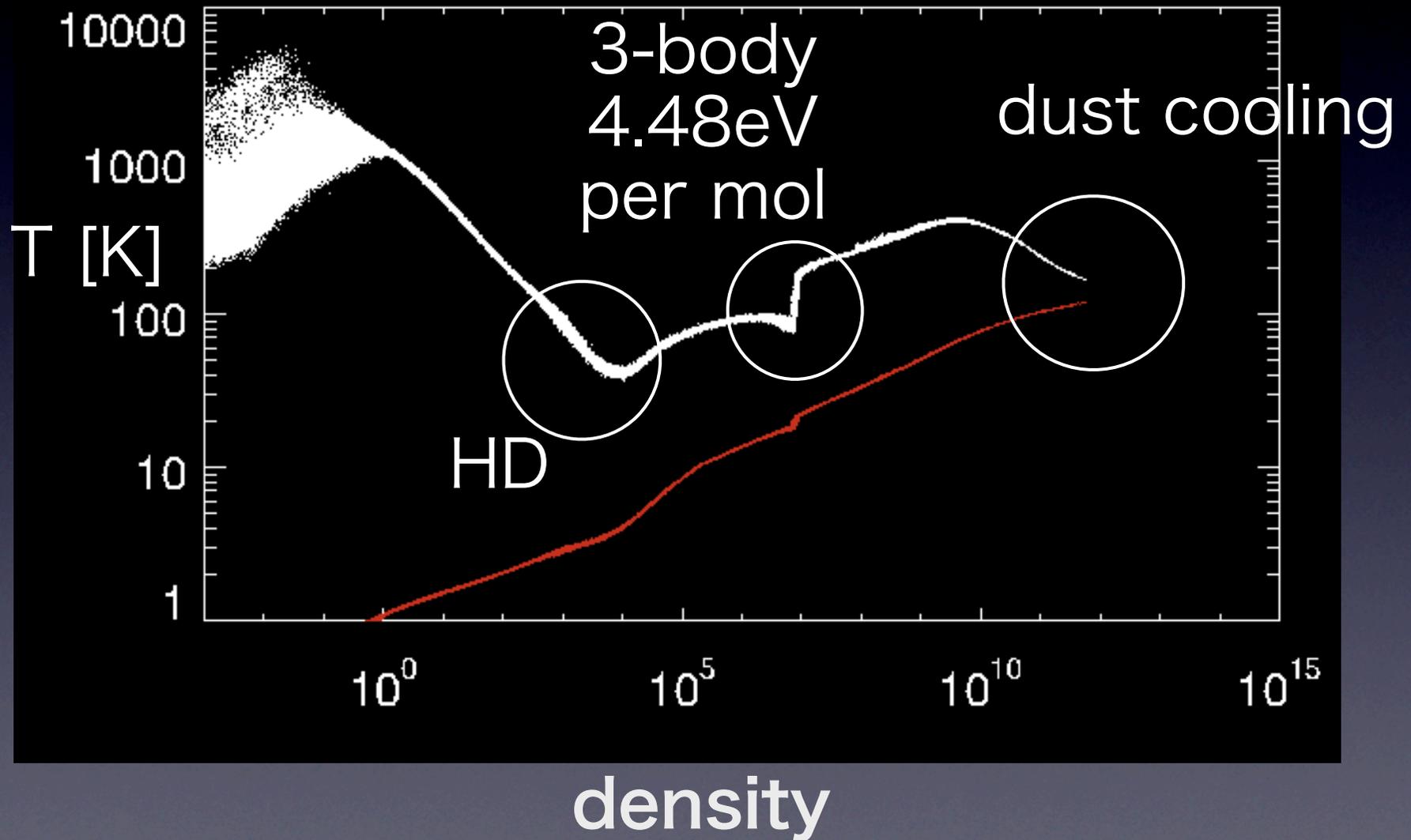
# 3D Results: $Z=-5$



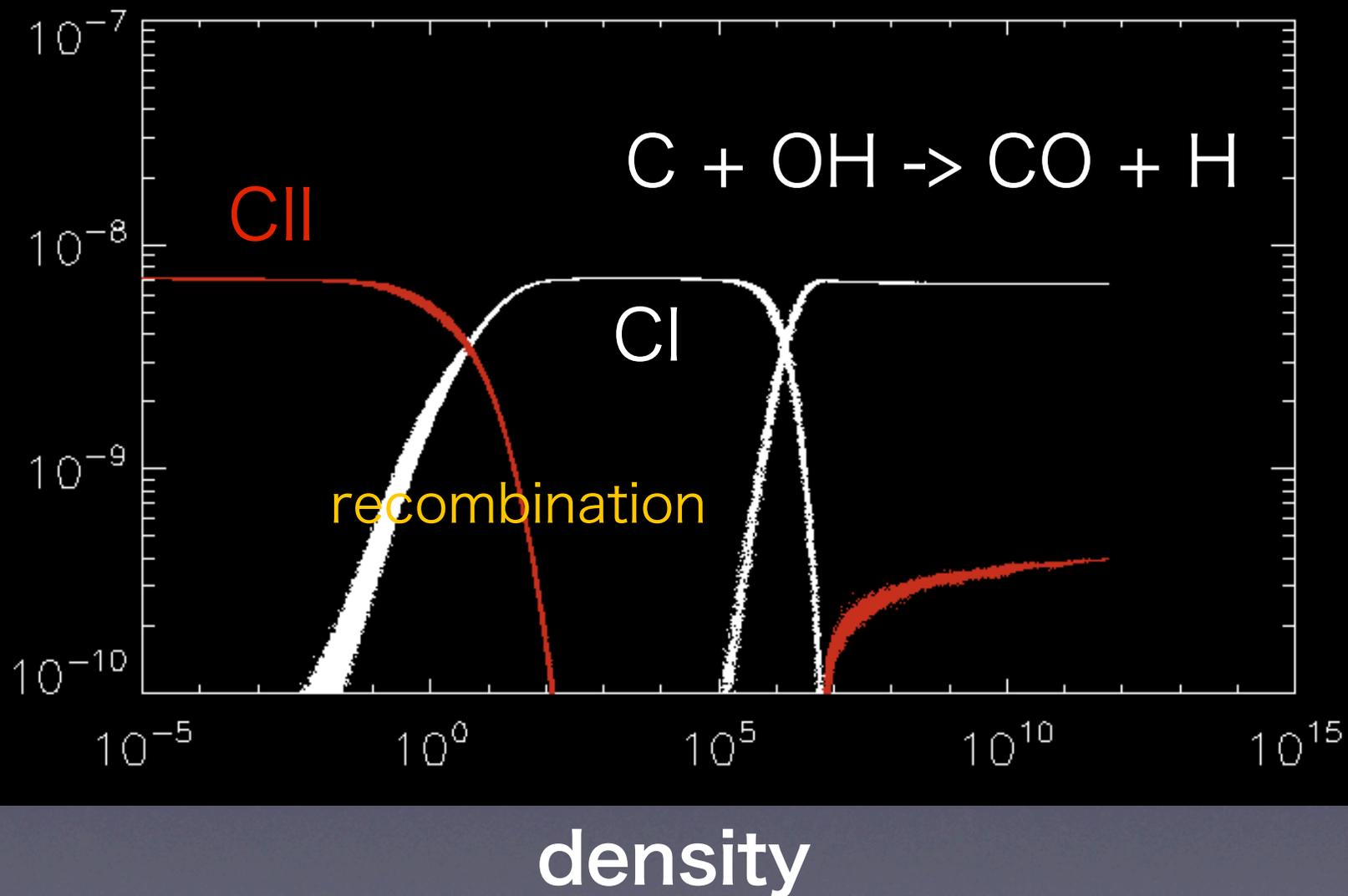
# Oxygen chemistry : $Z=-5$



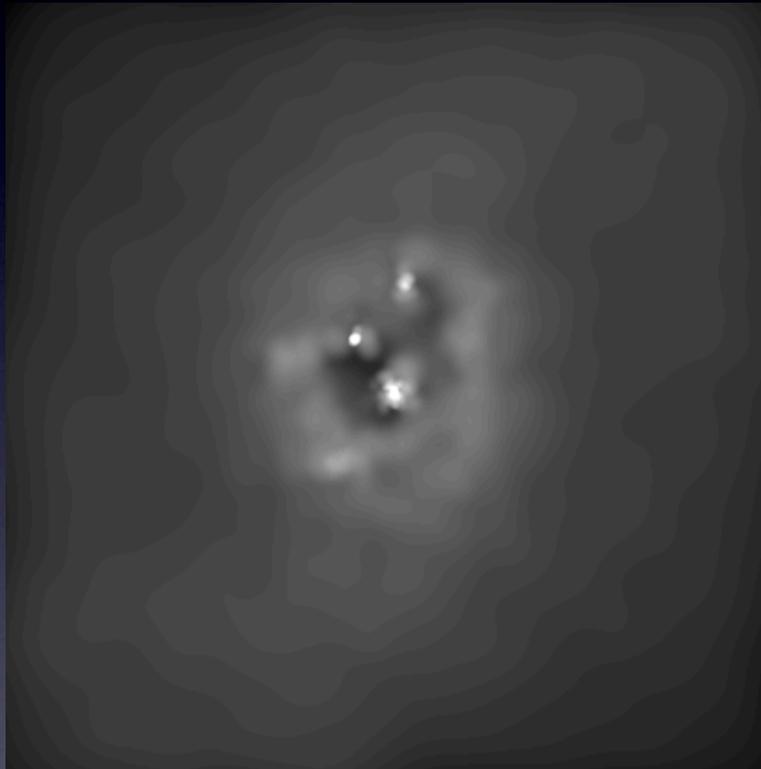
# Result : $Z=-4$



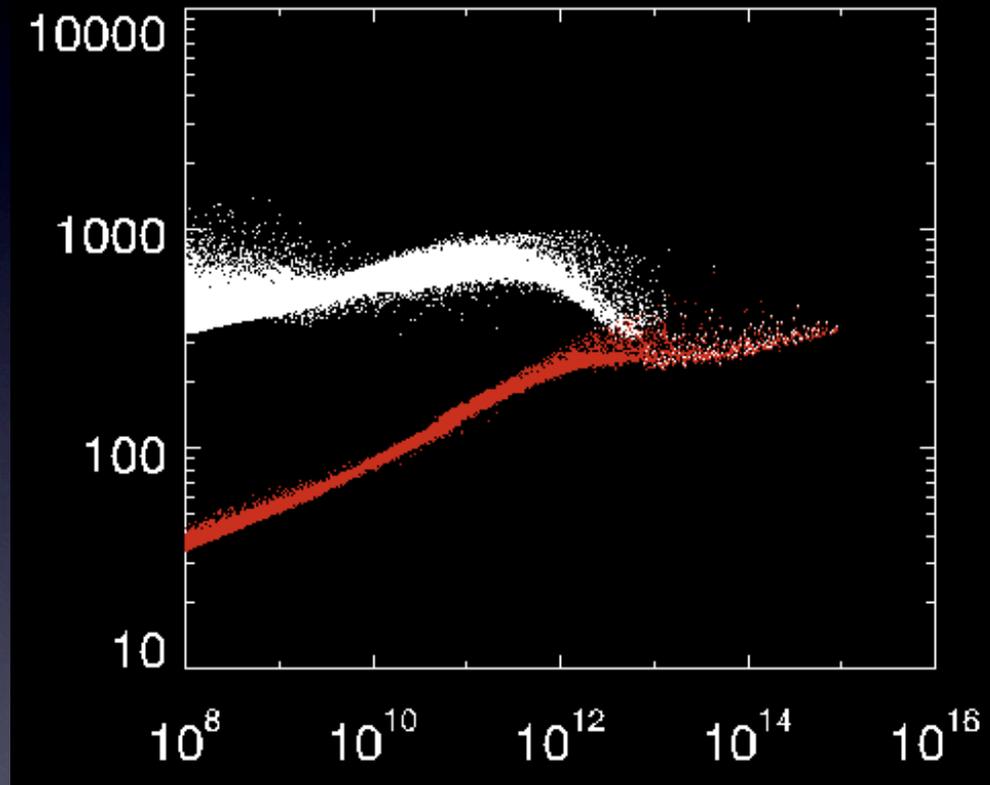
# Carbon chemistry : $Z=-4$



# Fragmentation



5AU



Fragment mass  $\sim 0.1 M_{\text{sun}}$

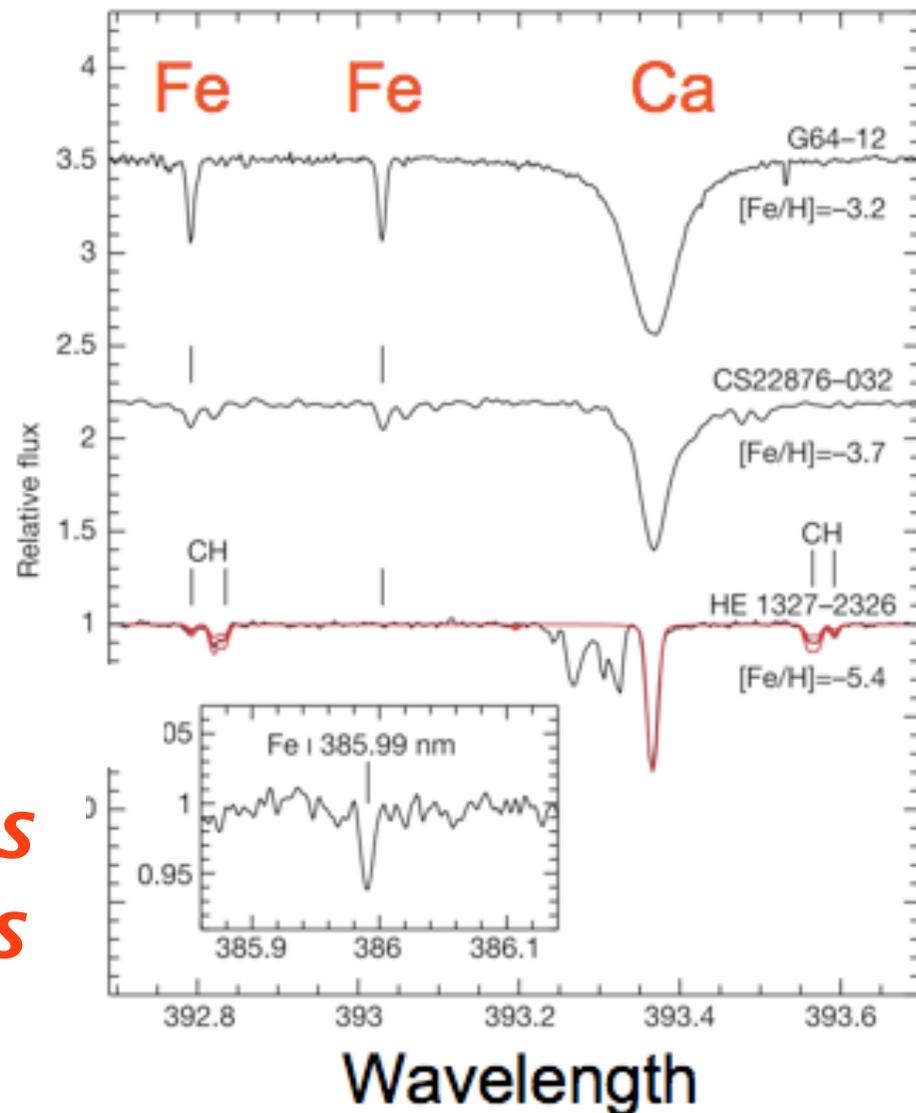
Speculation: **low-Z subsolar mass stars at high-z**

# Stellar Relics in the Galaxy



*How and where were these low-mass low-metallicity stars formed?*

EMP star with  $\text{Fe}/\text{H} < -5$



# My questions

- Should we follow the evaporation features in the dust opacity ?  
(Sudden jump in tau over a small  $\delta T$ )  
Remember  $t_{\text{collapse}}@(n=10^{15})$  is 1 year.
- If not, what would be the best way (computationally) to follow the “evolution” of tau.
- When we include dust, should we also start with some amount of molecules ?

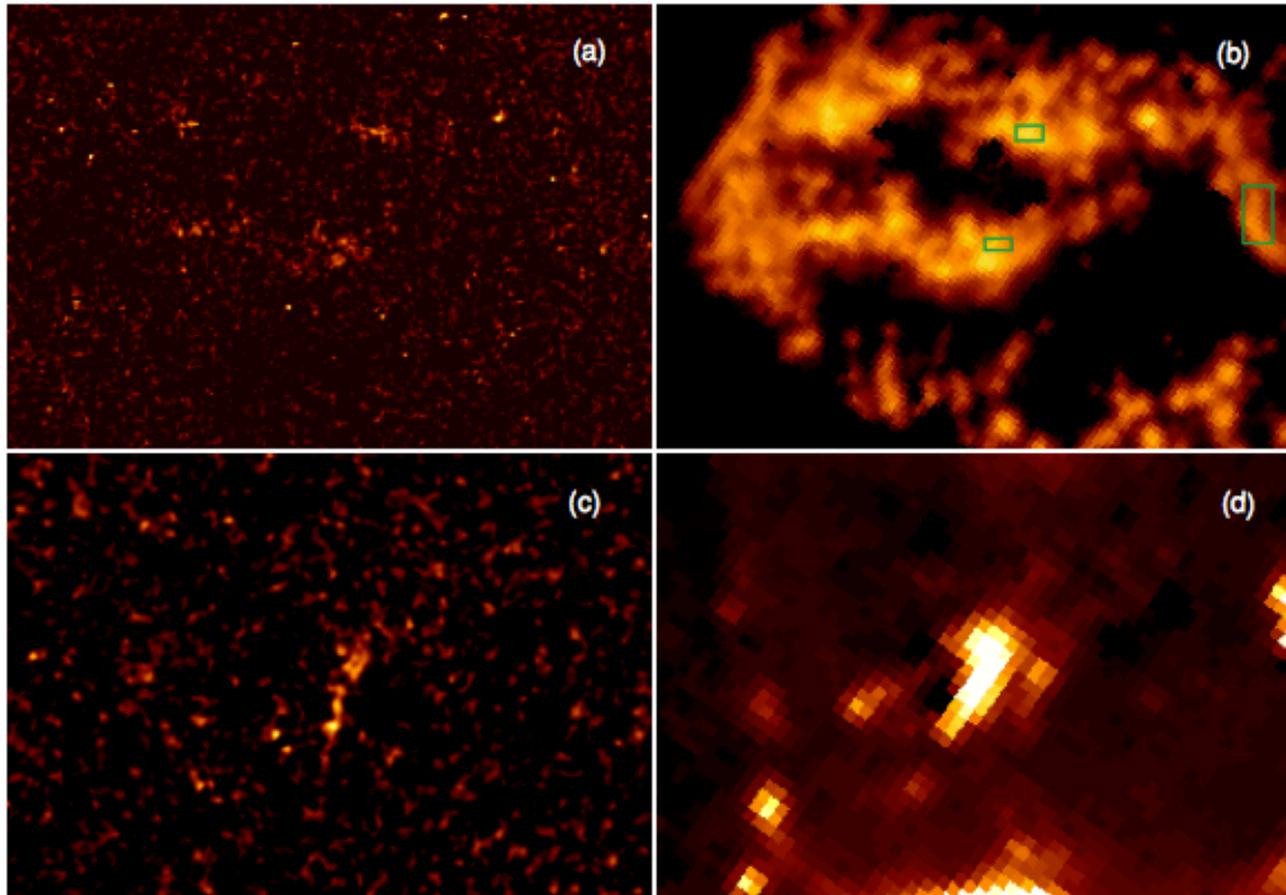
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- Finally, does the concept of “dusticity” appear useful (to you) ?

$M_{\text{dust}}/M_{\text{gas}}$ ,

$M_{\text{dust}}/M_{\text{gas}} / [M_{\text{dust}}/M_{\text{gas}}]_{\text{solar}}$

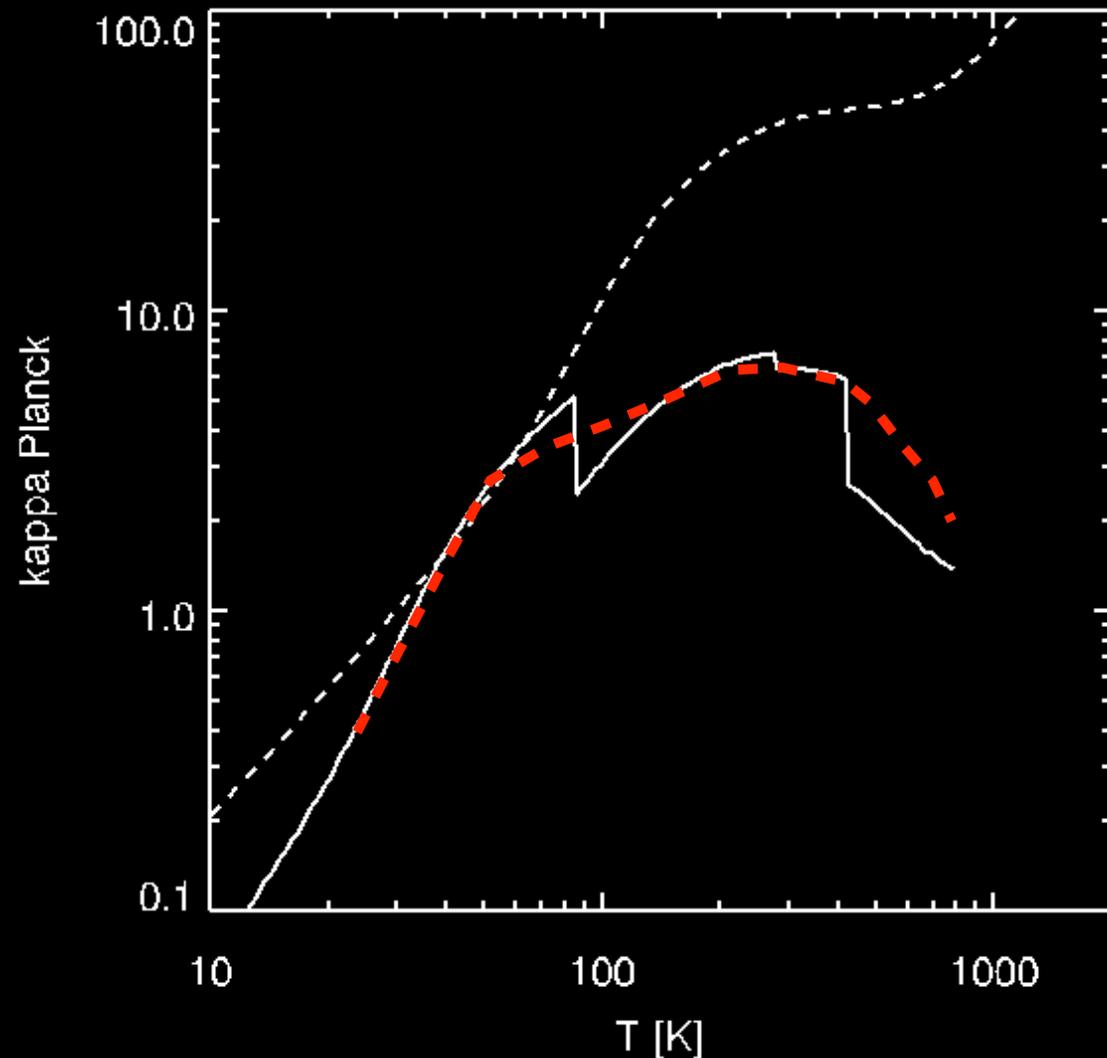
# CO in (toward) Cas A



Rho et al. 2009

Detection of 2.29 micron CO emission

# Dust opacity



Planck mean  
Semenov+ 03  
Solar composition  
(solid)

How quickly should  
each component  
get evaporated ?