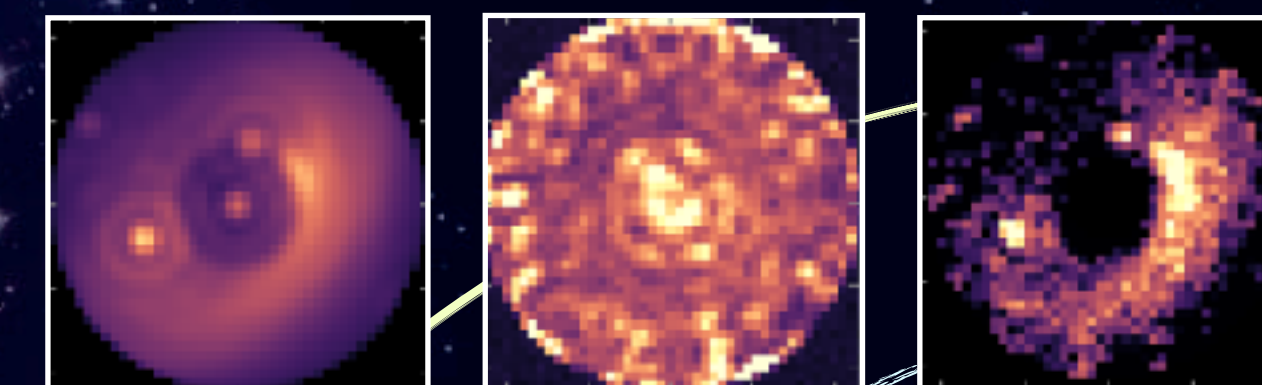


# EXOPLANET IMAGING

# COMMUNITY DATA CHALLENGE



ROMAN  
SPACE TELESCOPE

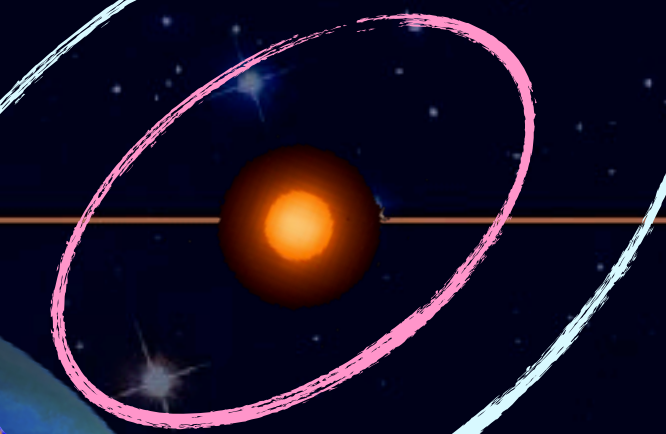
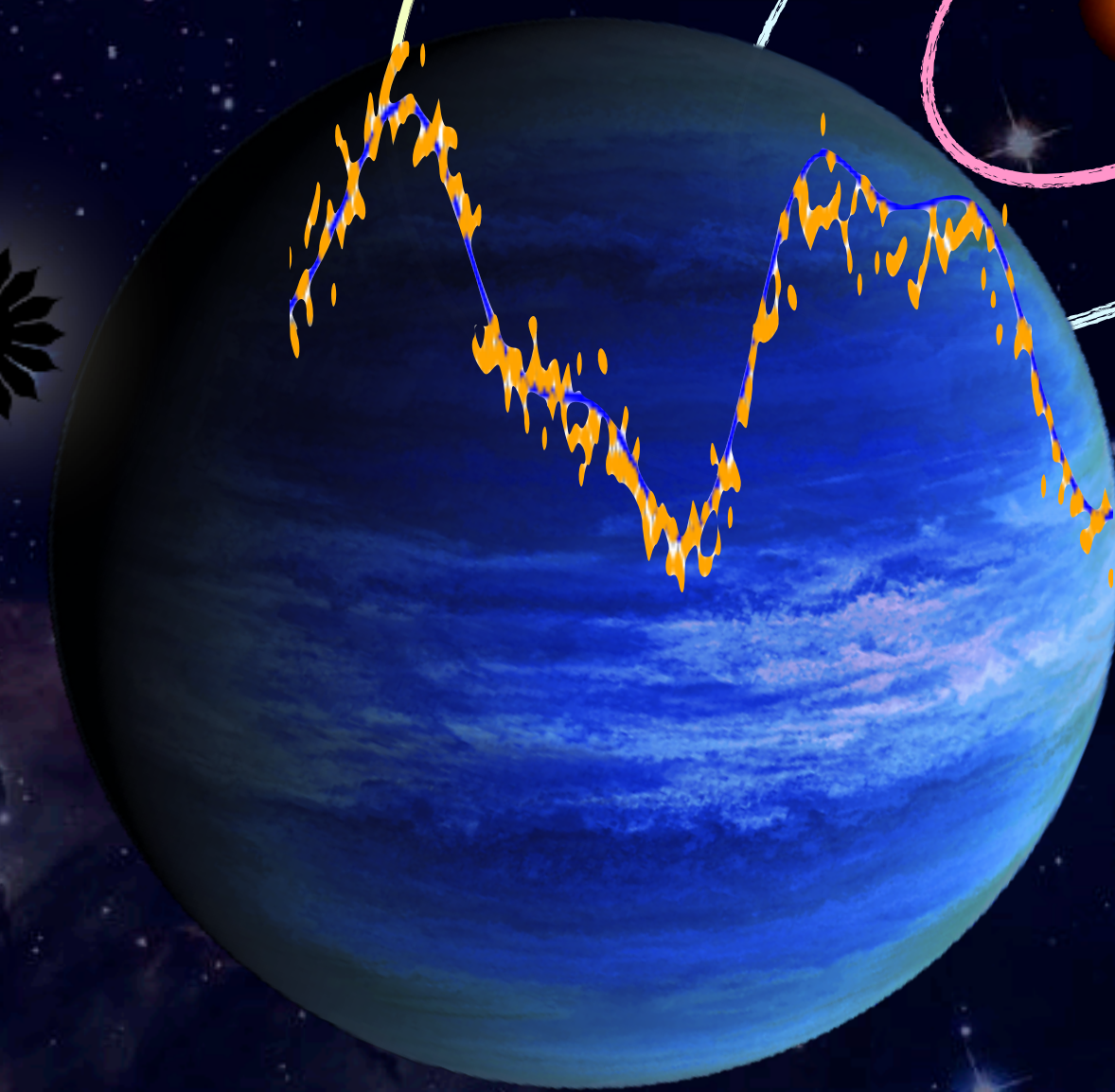
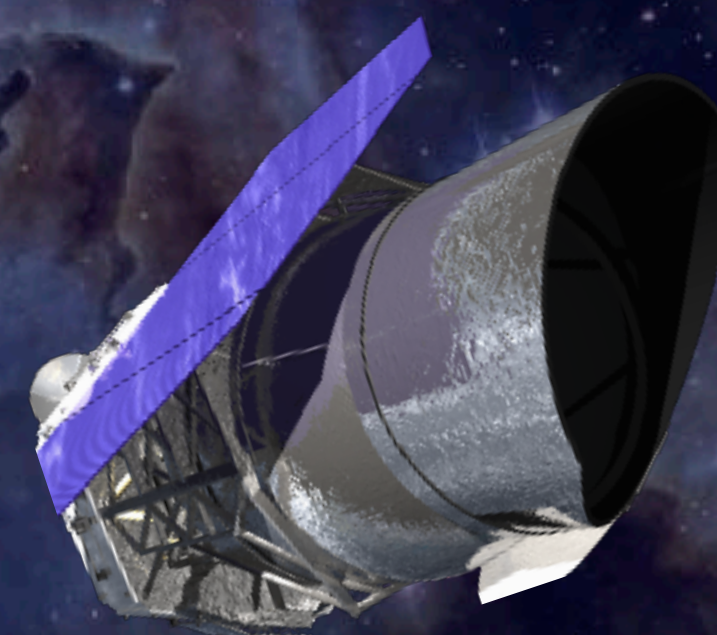


[www.exoplanetdatachallenge.com](http://www.exoplanetdatachallenge.com)

Julien Girard & Turnbull SIT

 @djulik

STScI Liaison for the Coronagraph Instrument





To broaden and deepen our knowledge as exoplanet community

To get the community acquainted with the **Coronagraph Instrument** data's **new contrast regime** and astrophysics that will be enabled:

**giant planets in reflected light**

To develop, use and improve data simulation and analysis tools

To foster collaborations and train future exoplanet scientists!



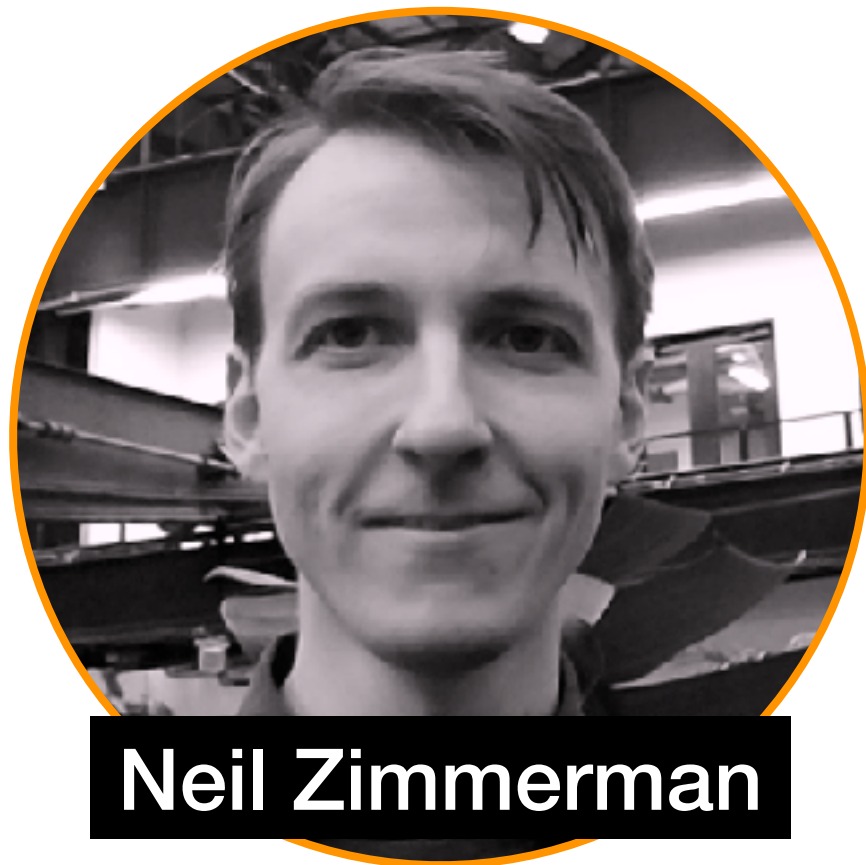
# Data Challenge **Team**, ∈ Turnbull SIT



M. Turnbull leads one of the 2 Science Investigation Teams (SIT)  
for the **Coronagraph Instrument** (form. CGI)



**Margaret Turnbull**



**Neil Zimmerman**



**Eli Bogat**



**Julien Girard**



**Junellie Gonzalez**



**Sergi Hildebrandt**



**Avi Mandell**



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# Roman Exoplanet Imaging Data Challenge: Organization



- Eli Bogat (GSFC)
- Julien Girard (STScI)
- Junellie Gonzalez-Quiles (JHU)
- Sergi Hildebrandt (JPL)
- Stephen Kane (UCR)
- Zhexing Li (UCR)
- Avi Mandell (GSFC)
- Tiffany Meshkat (IPAC)
- Chris Stark (GSFC)
- Maggie Turnbull (SETI, SIT PI)**
- Neil Zimmerman (GSFC)

**A NEW CONTRAST REGIME, A NEW TYPE OF SCIENCE**

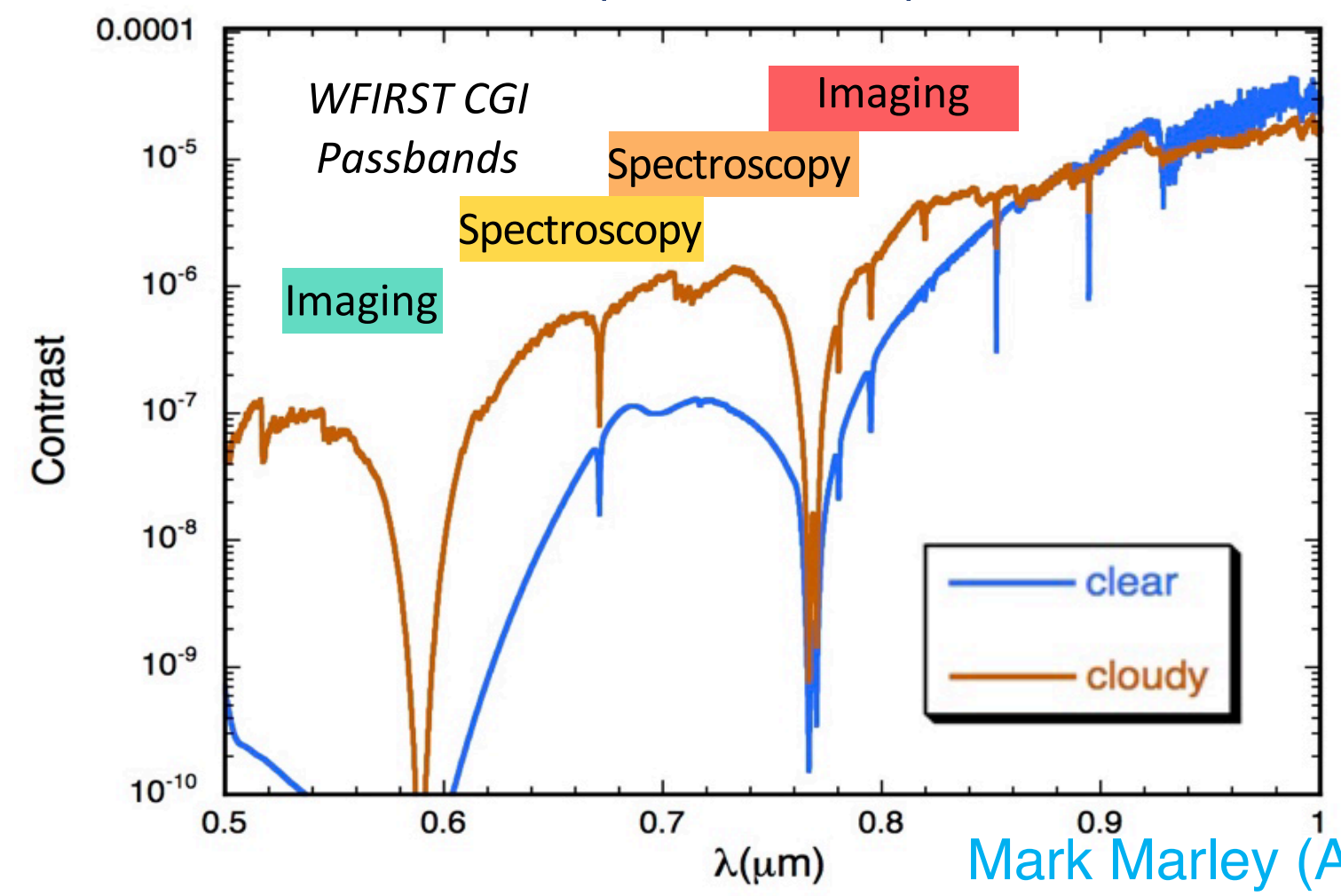
**GIANT EXOPLANETS IN REFLECTED LIGHT!**





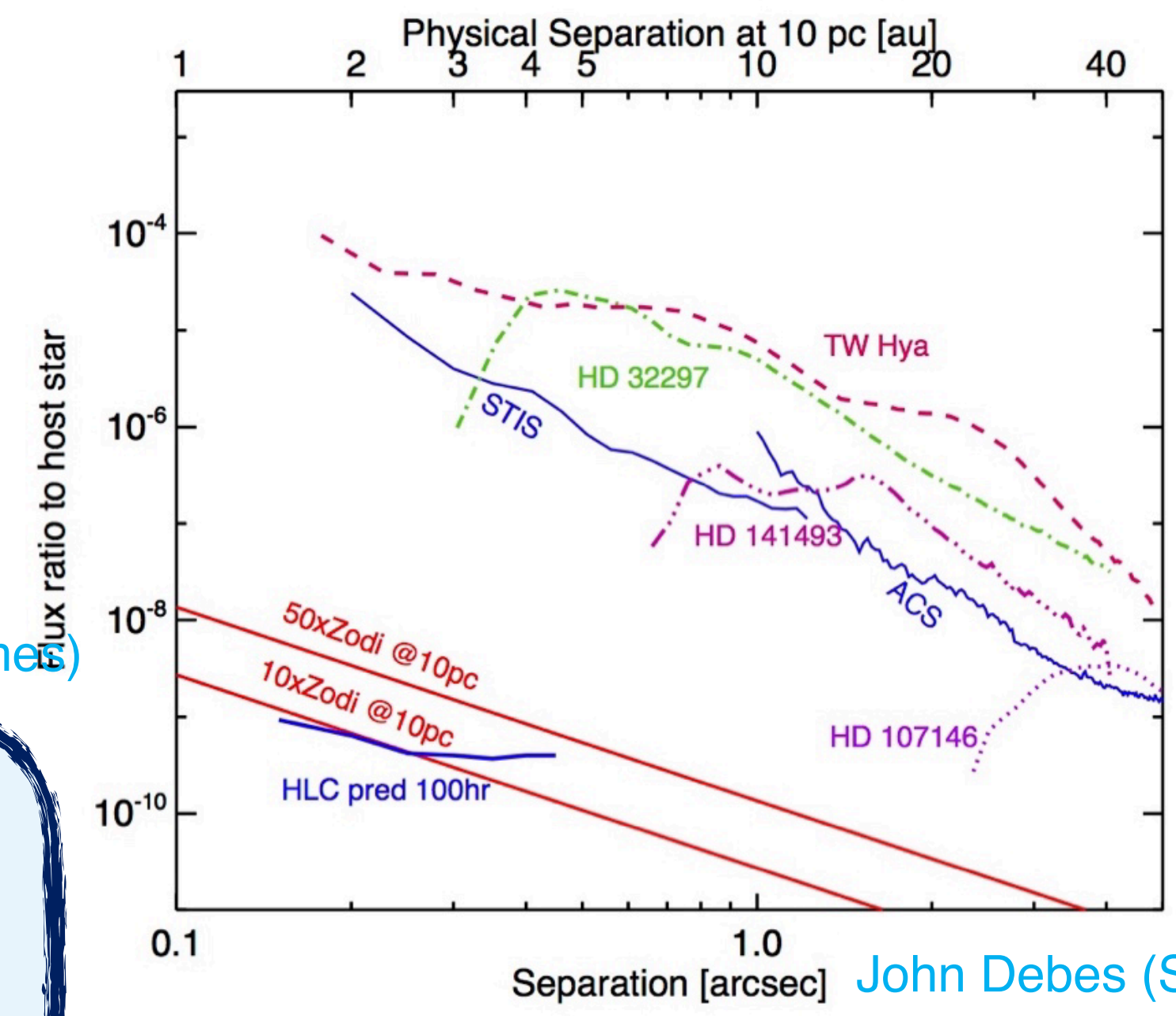
# Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC & Coronagraph Science Cases

## Self-luminous, Young Super Jupiters: Atmospheric Properties

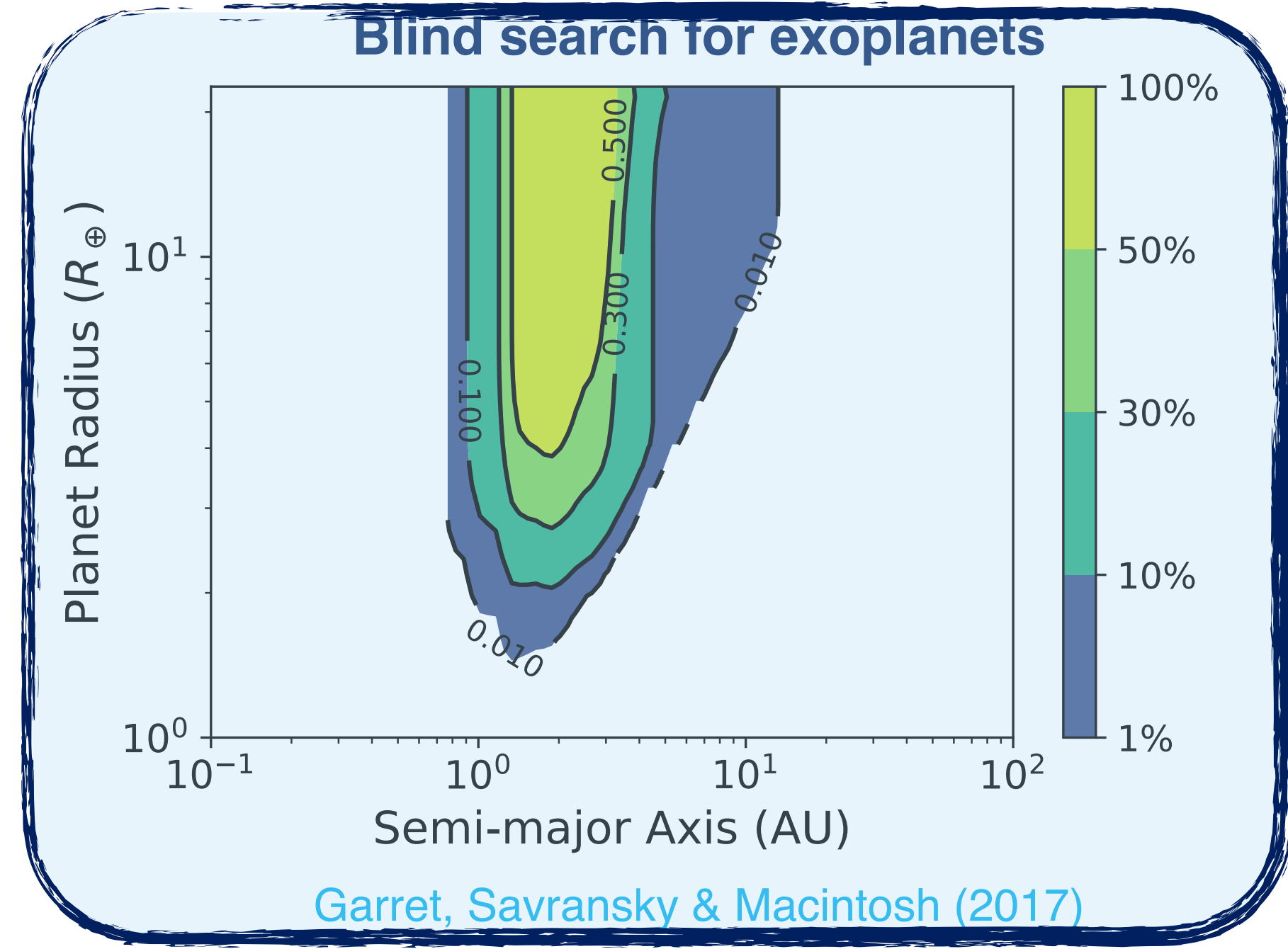


Mark Marley (Ames)

## Circumstellar disks: Protoplanetary (young) Debris (mature) Exozodi (mature, HZ)

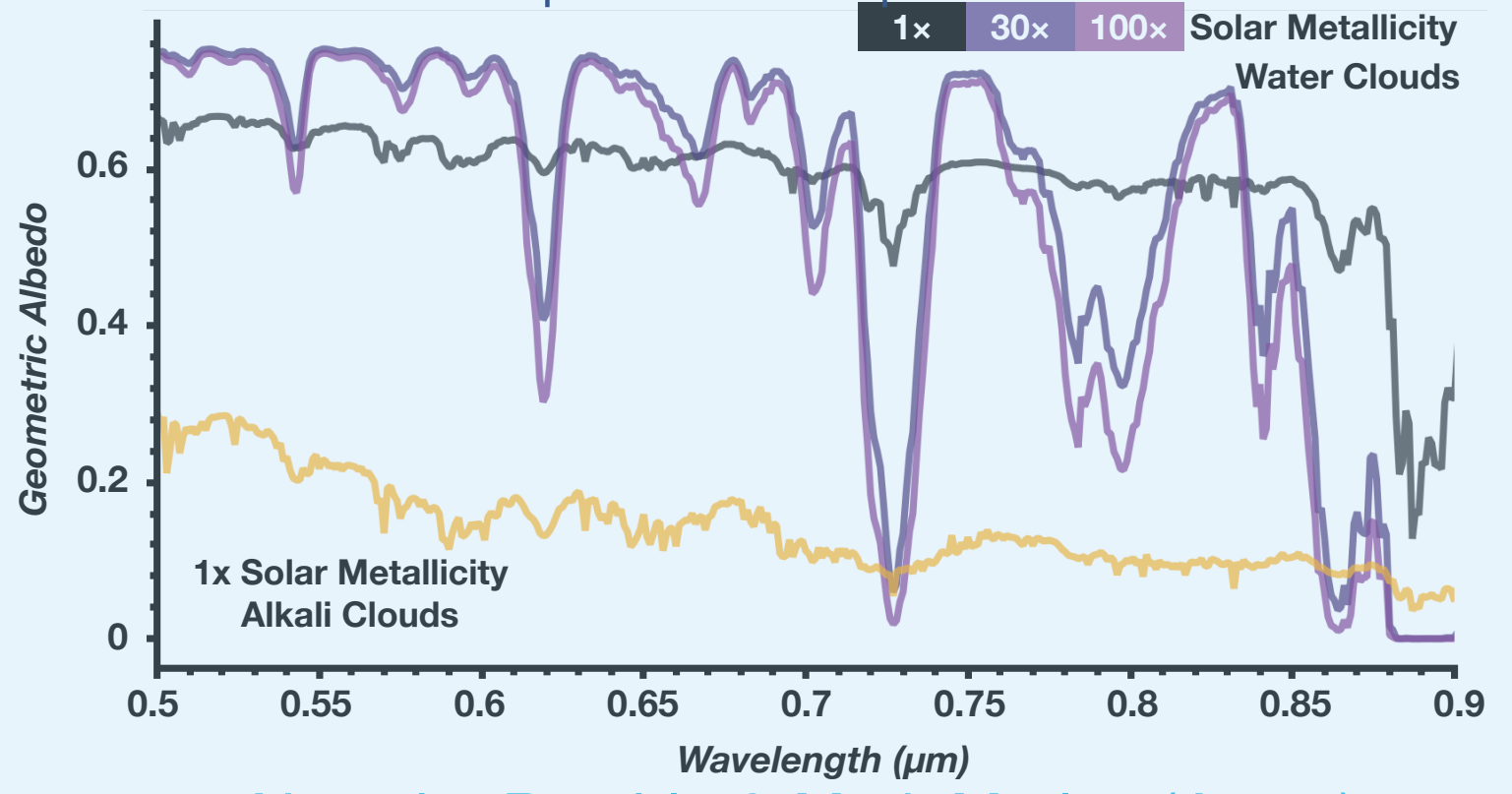


John Debes (STScI)

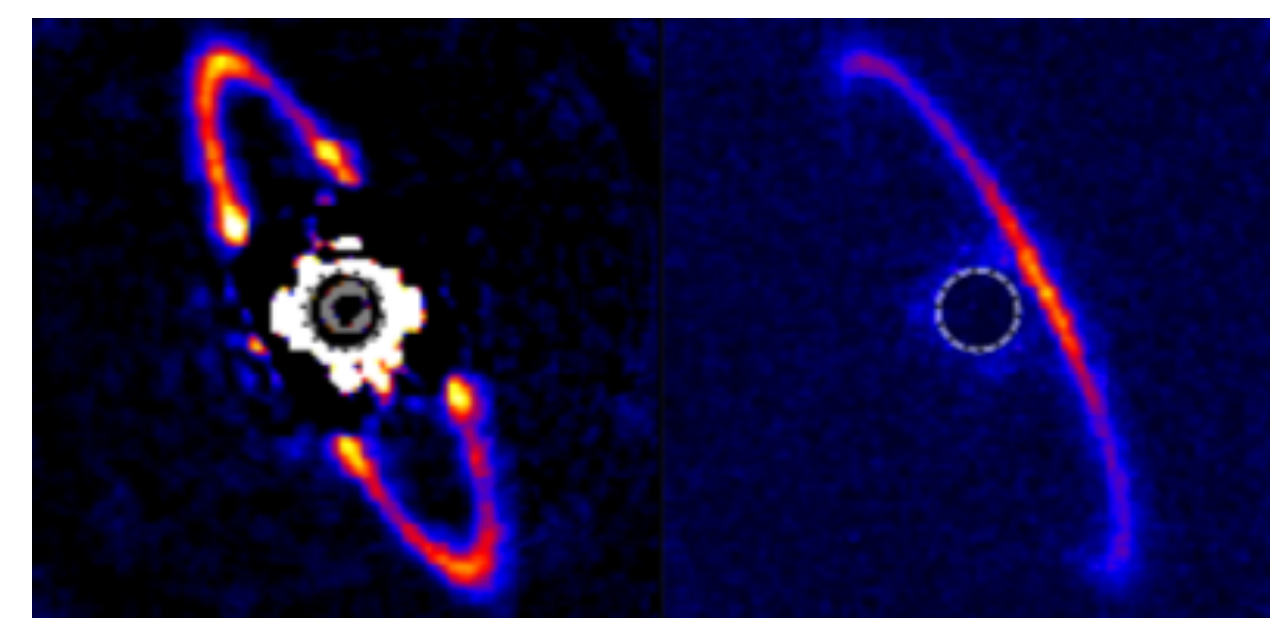


Garret, Savransky & Macintosh (2017)

## Mature Jupiter Analogues in Reflected Light: Atmospheric Properties

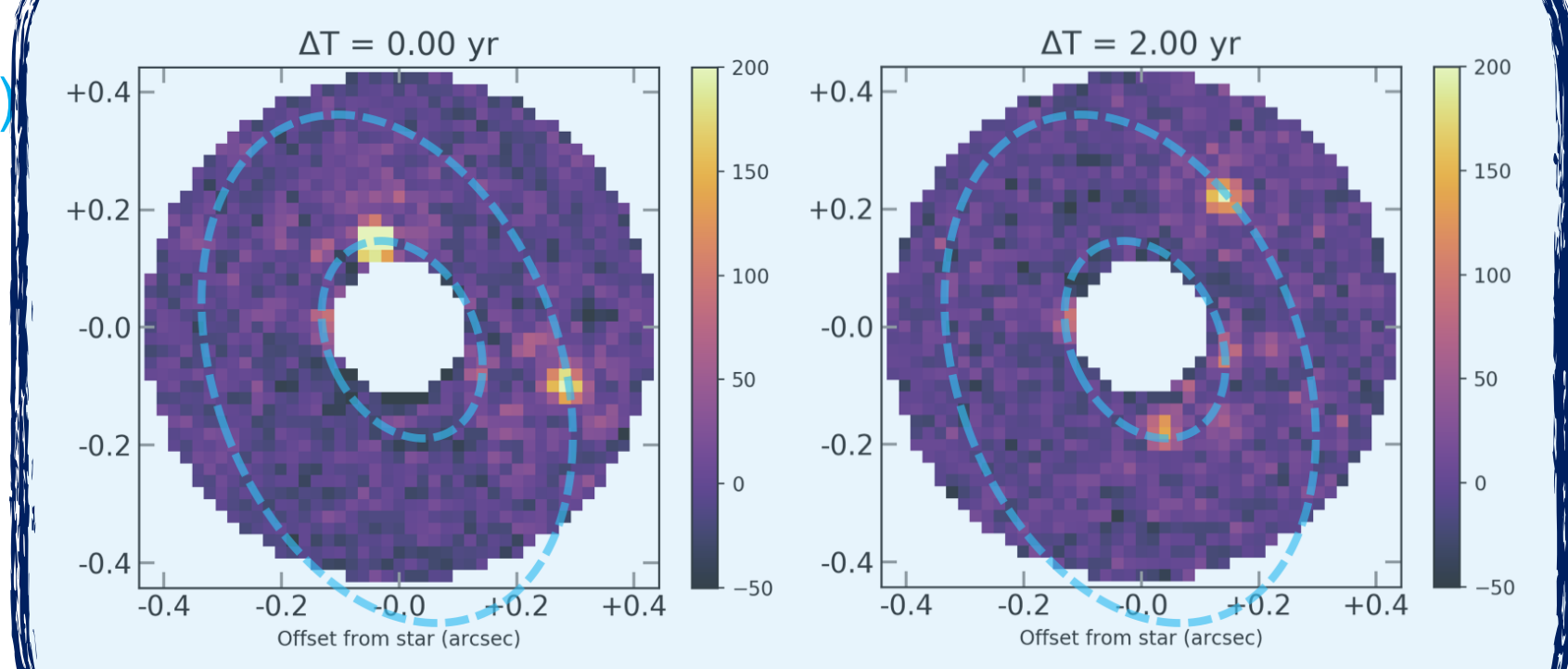


Natasha Batalha & Mark Marley (Ames)



Marshall Perrin et al. 2015

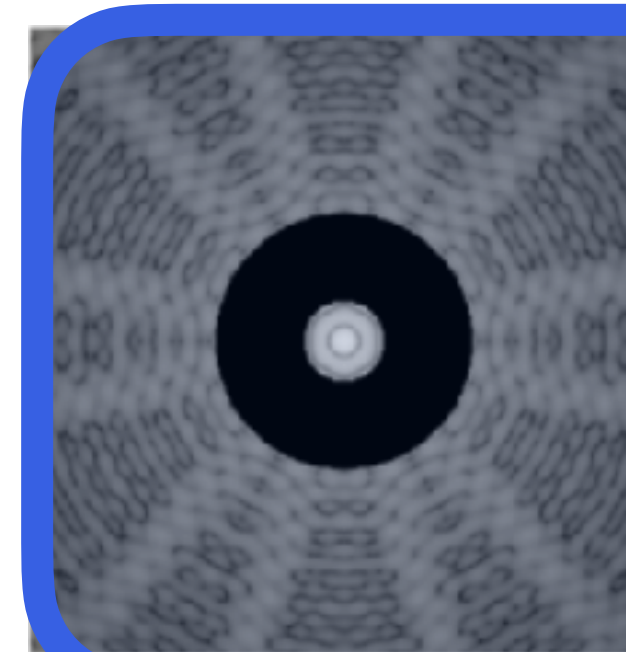
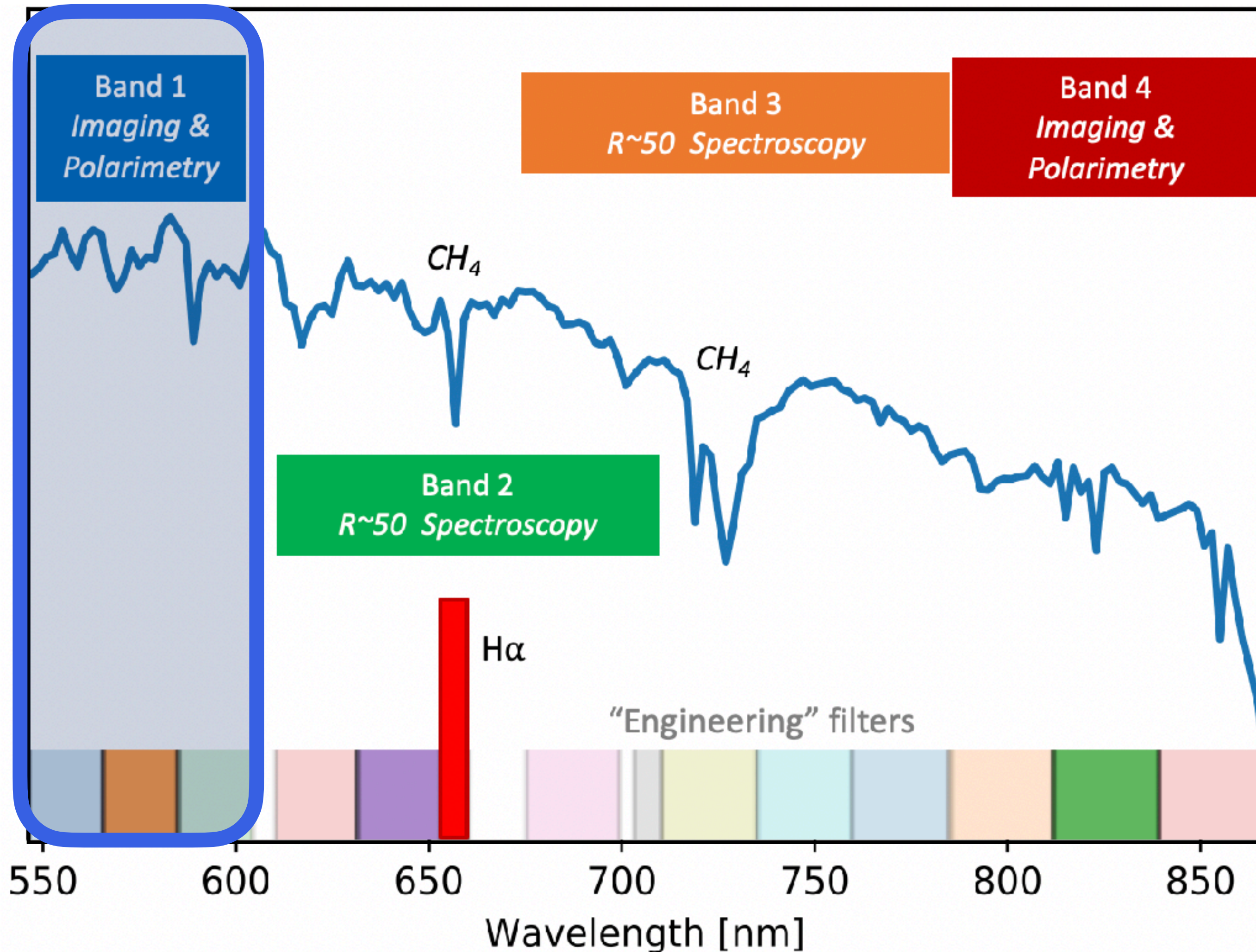
## Orbital Solution and Mass Measurement



Natasha Batalha & Mark Marley (Ames)

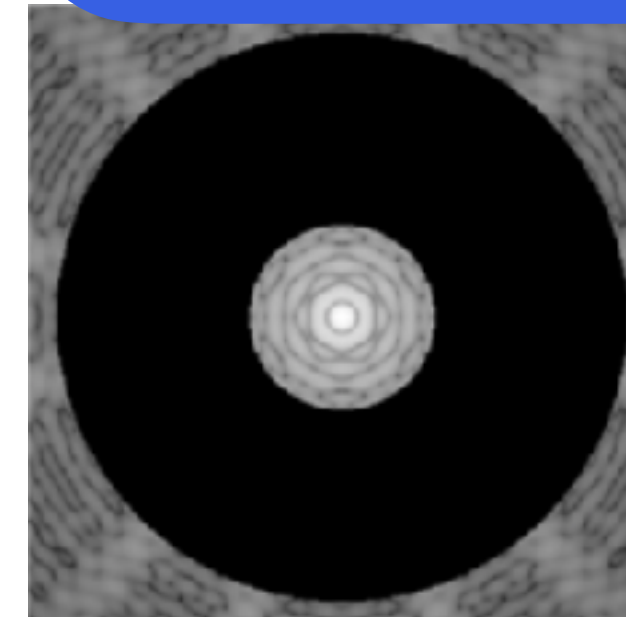


# Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: Coronagraph Modes



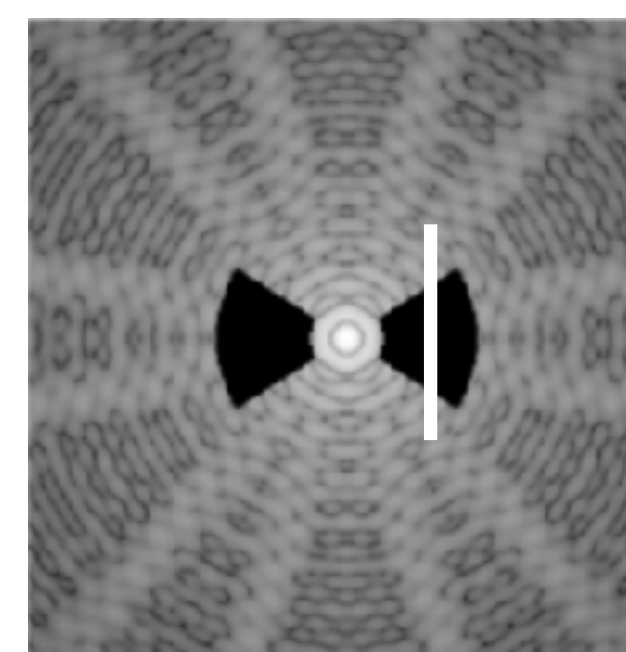
## Narrow field of view mode

Full 360 deg  
 Inner working angle (IWA): 3 lambda/D (0.15")  
 Outer working angle (OWA): 9 lambda/D (0.45")  
 Band 1: 575 nm, 10.1% bandwidth



## Wide field of view mode

Full 360 deg  
 IWA: 6.5 lambda/D (0.43")  
 OWA: 20 lambda/D (1.45")  
 Band 4: 825 nm, 9.9% bandwidth



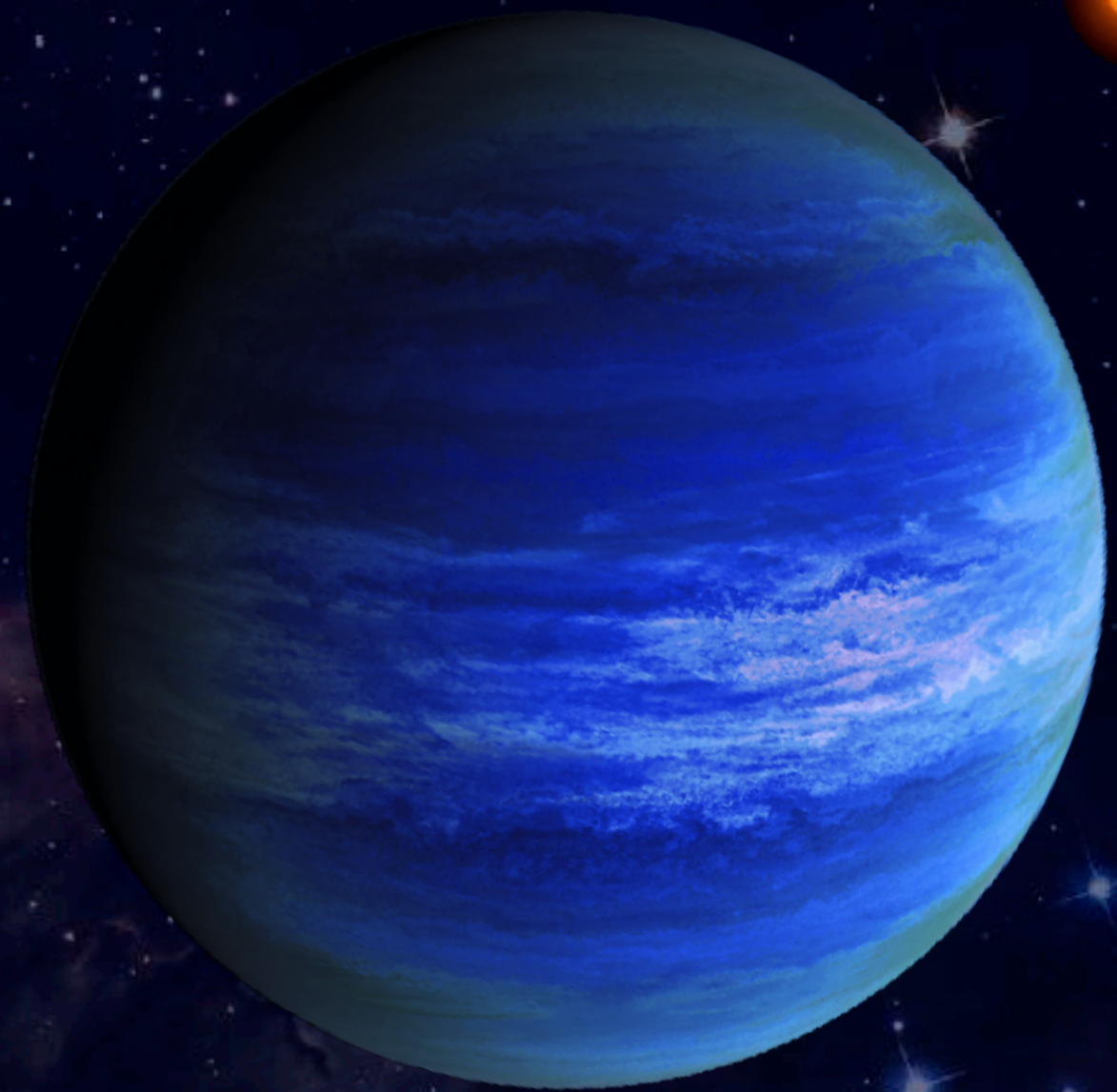
## Spectroscopy mode

Prism+ slit  
 Band 3: 730 nm, 16.7% bandwidth

+ Starshade 360° large FoV @425-552nm (assuming a rendezvous)

# An original Data Challenge

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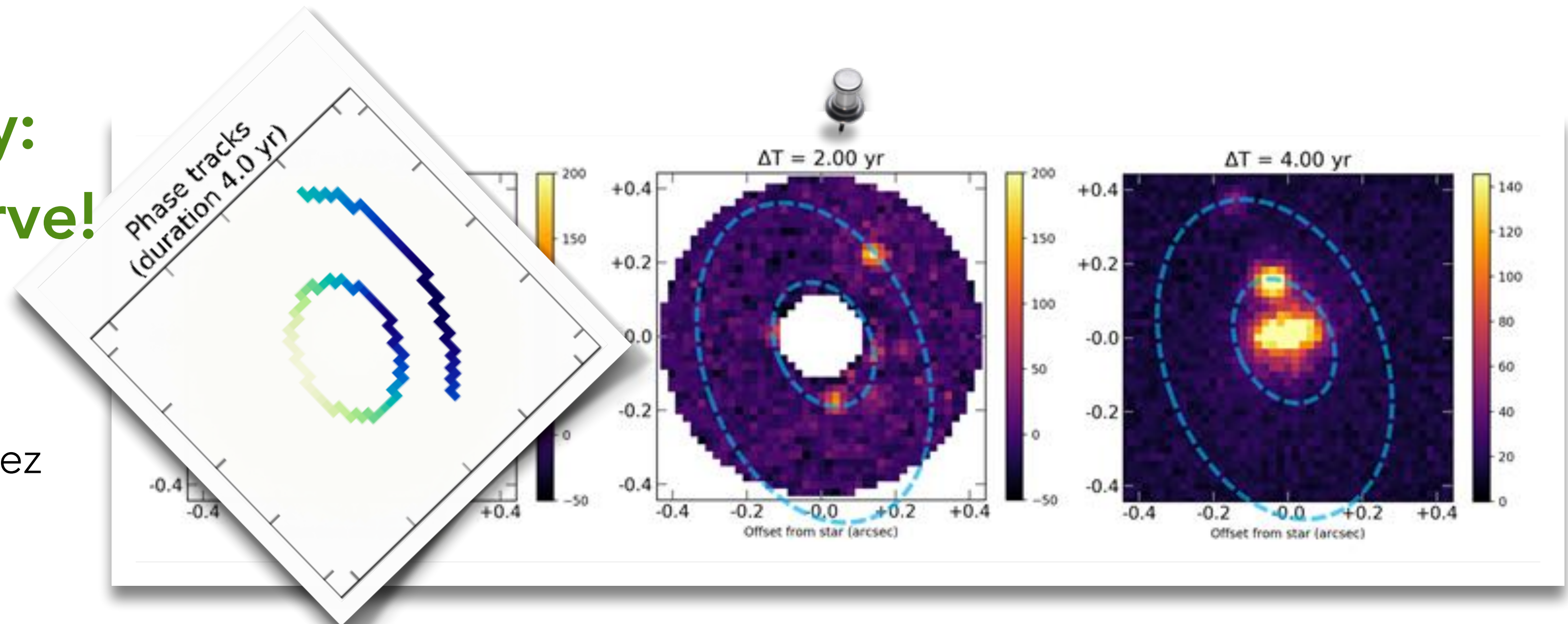
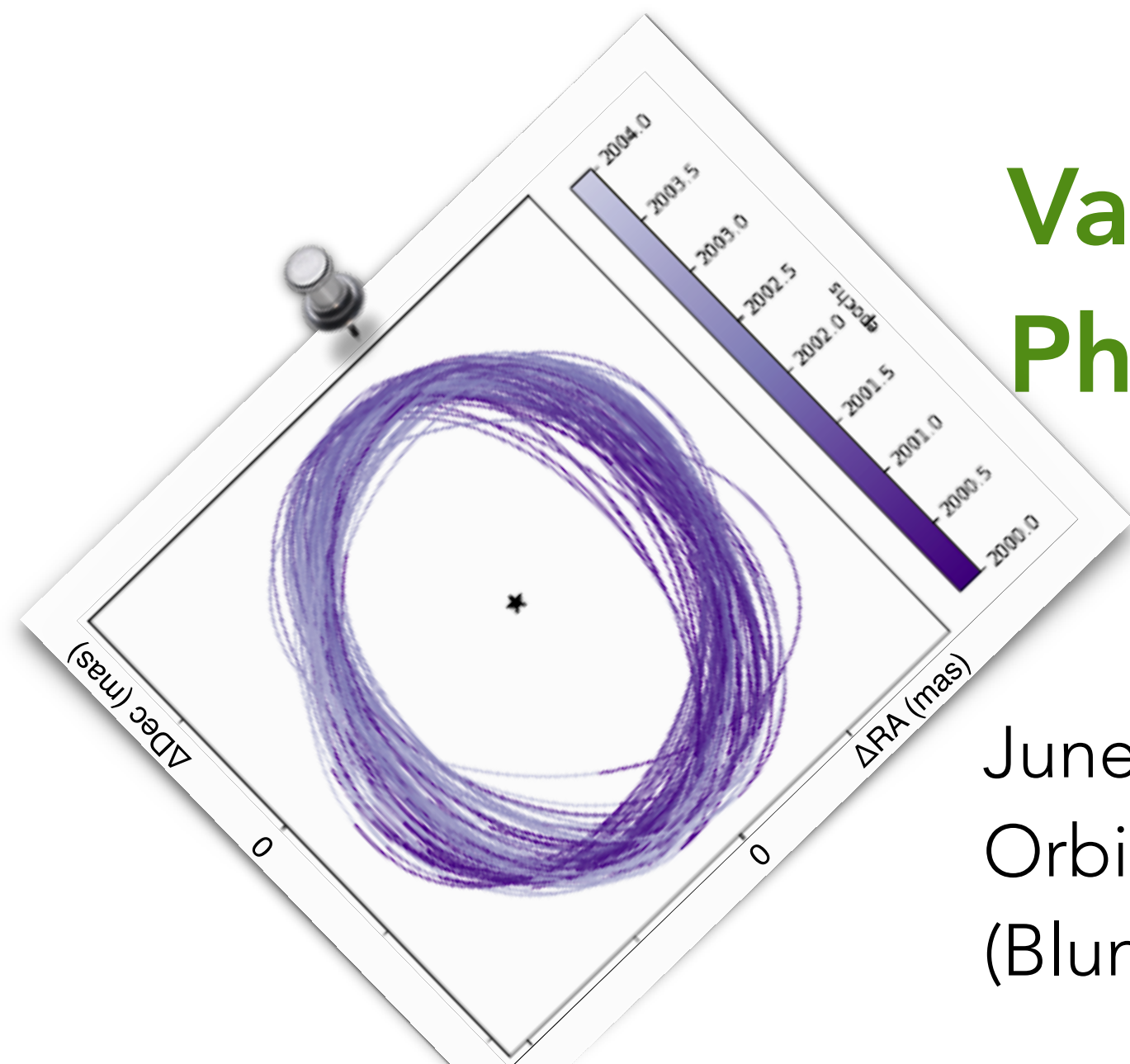
# ROMAN Exoplanet Imaging DC: focus on Astrometry



- **6 imaging epochs** of the same target throughout mission: 47 UMa
- 3 planet with matching and realistic **radial velocity data**
- Extract sources, compute relative photometry & astrometry, disentangle from background sources, exozodiacal light
- Compute orbital solution using all the information available

**Variability:  
Phase curve!**

Junellie Gonzalez  
Orbitize/OFTI  
(Blunt 2017)



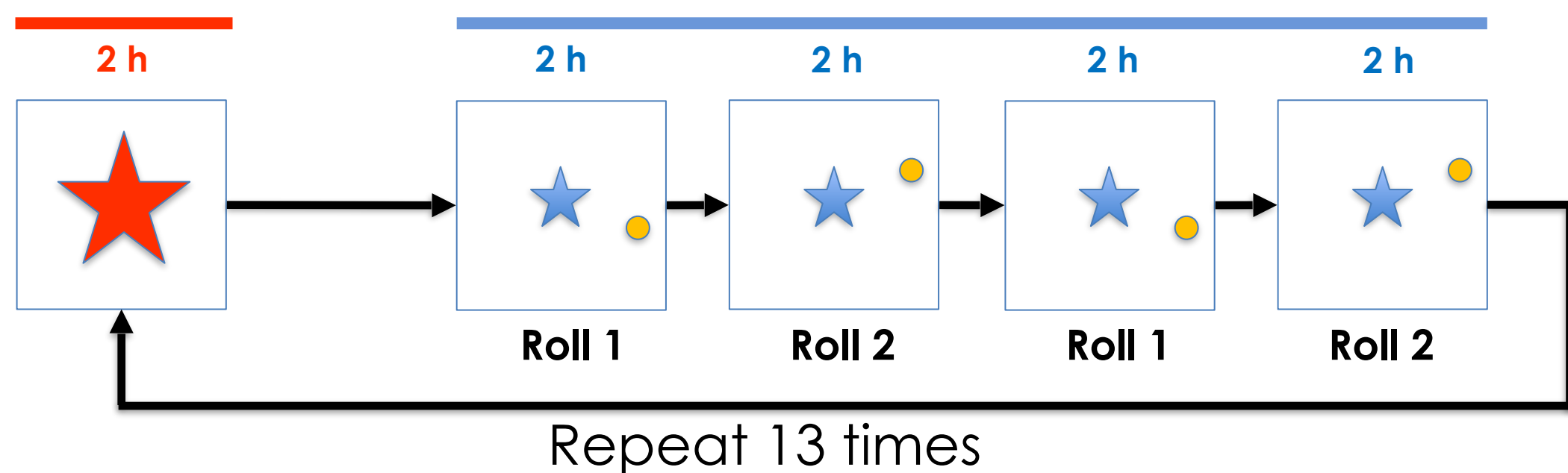


# Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: HLC & Precursor RV data

Talk by John Krist on Observing Scenarios

Reference Star  
( $\eta$  UMa: B3V,  $V=1.9$ )

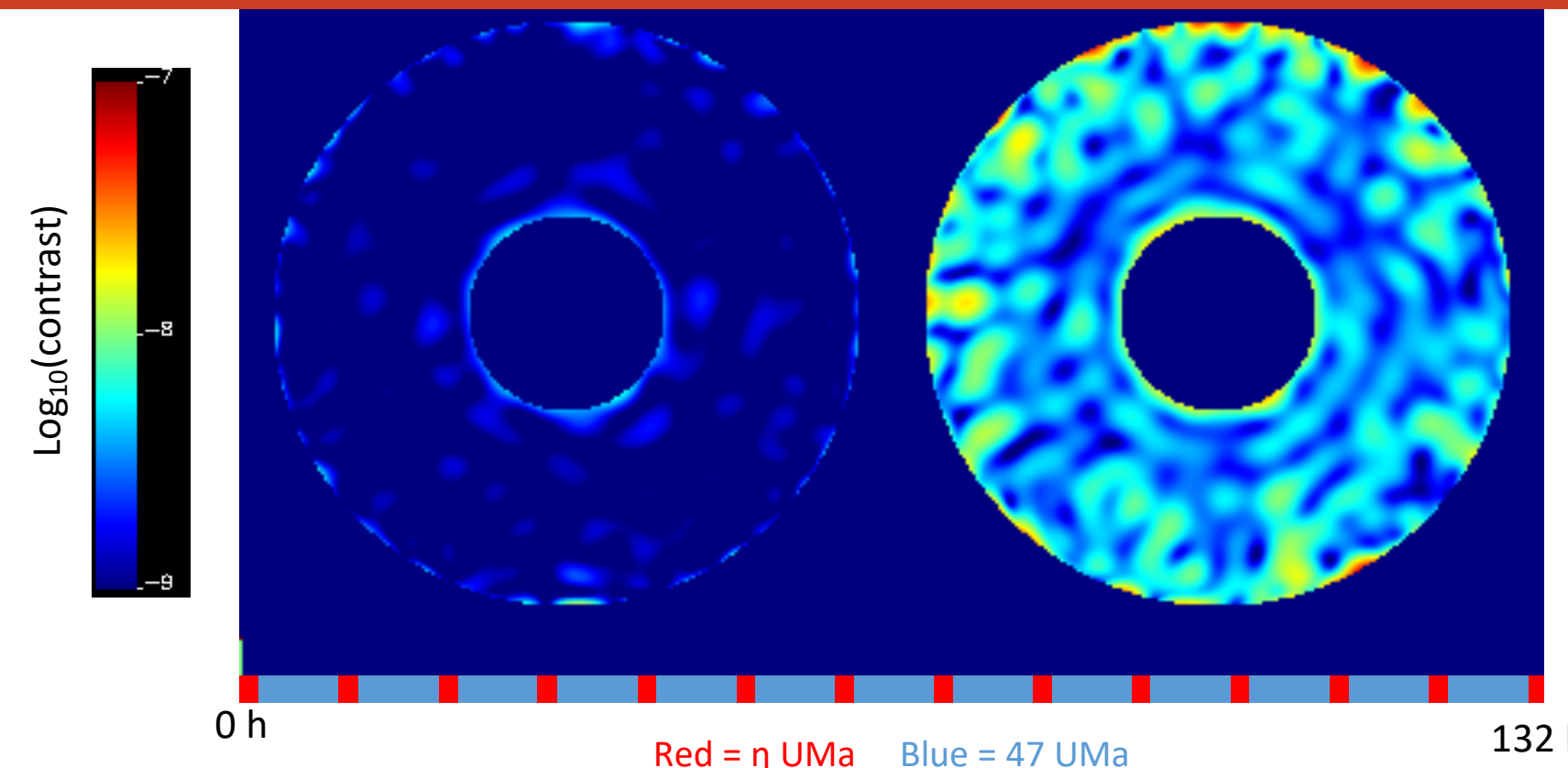
Target Star  
(47 UMa: G1V,  $V=5.0$ )



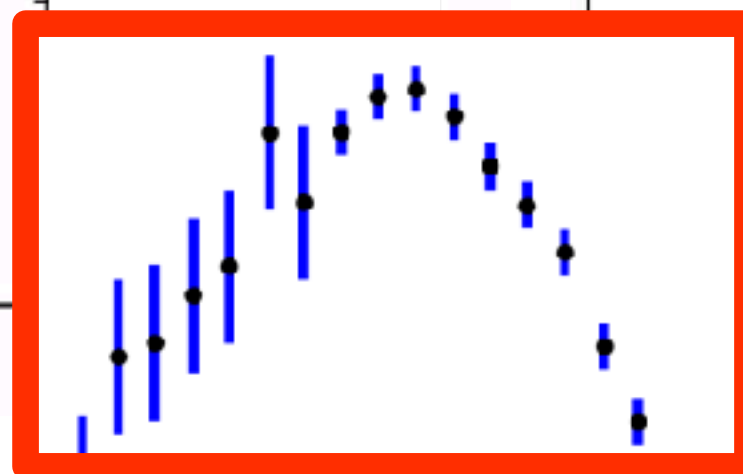
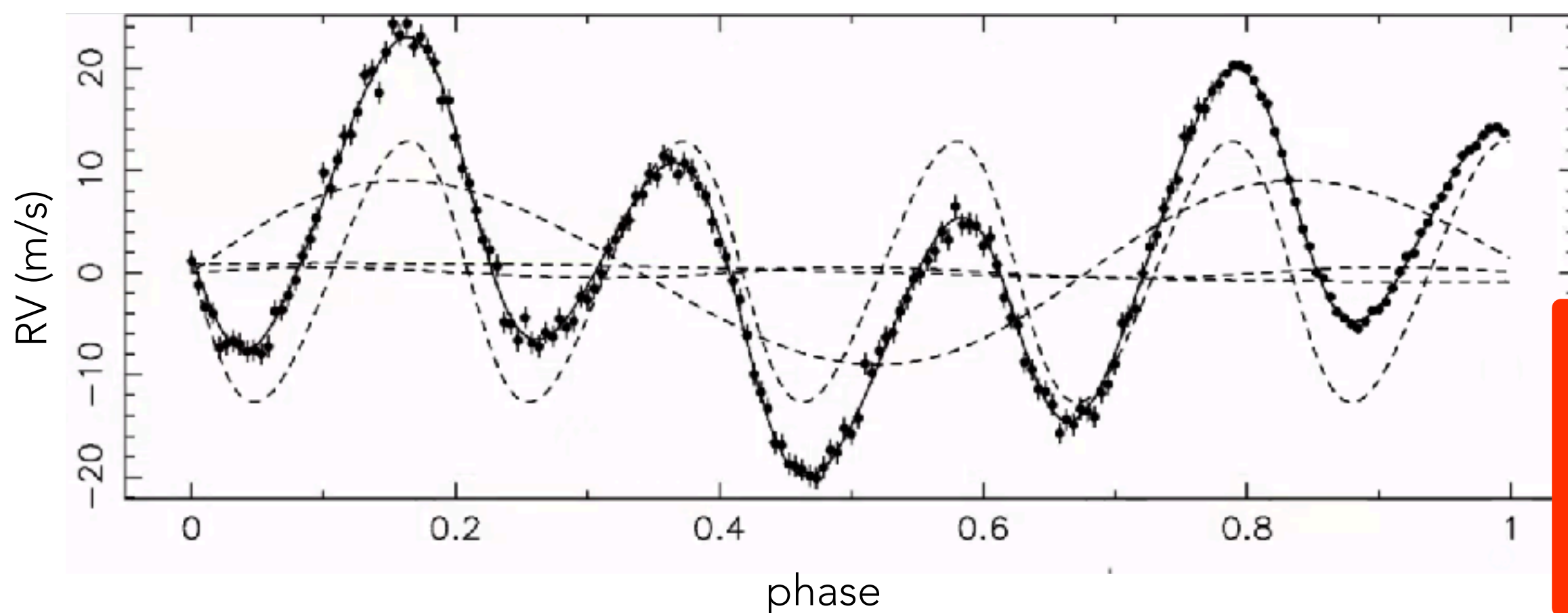
CGI  
DATA OS6



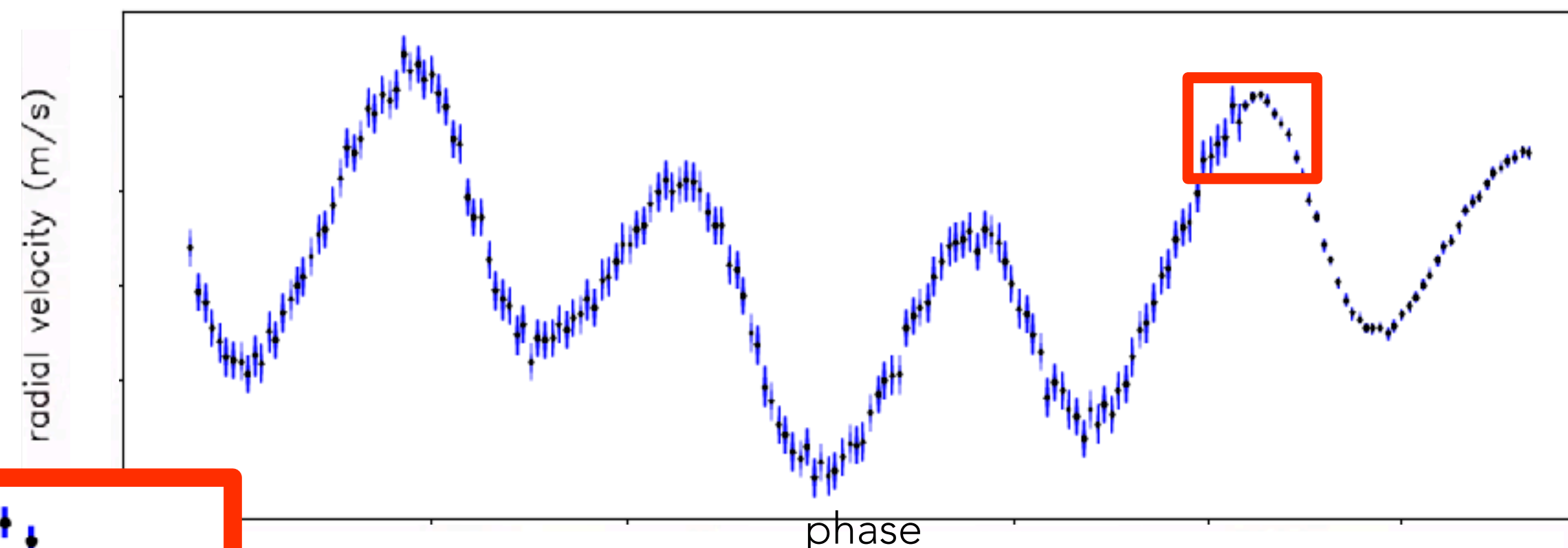
RV



"Truth" (hackathon n°2)  
4 planets, 2 detectable with RV



Precursor RV Data provided (hackathon n°2)



2006 - 2020 ~1 m/s accuracy (e.g. Keck)  
 2020 - 2024\* ~0.3 m/s accuracy (e.g. NEID)  
 \* assuming cross-instrument calibrations are ok

Talk by Stephen Kane & Zhexing Li on RV precursor work



# ROMAN Exoplanet Imaging DC: Starshade Rendezvous Simulations

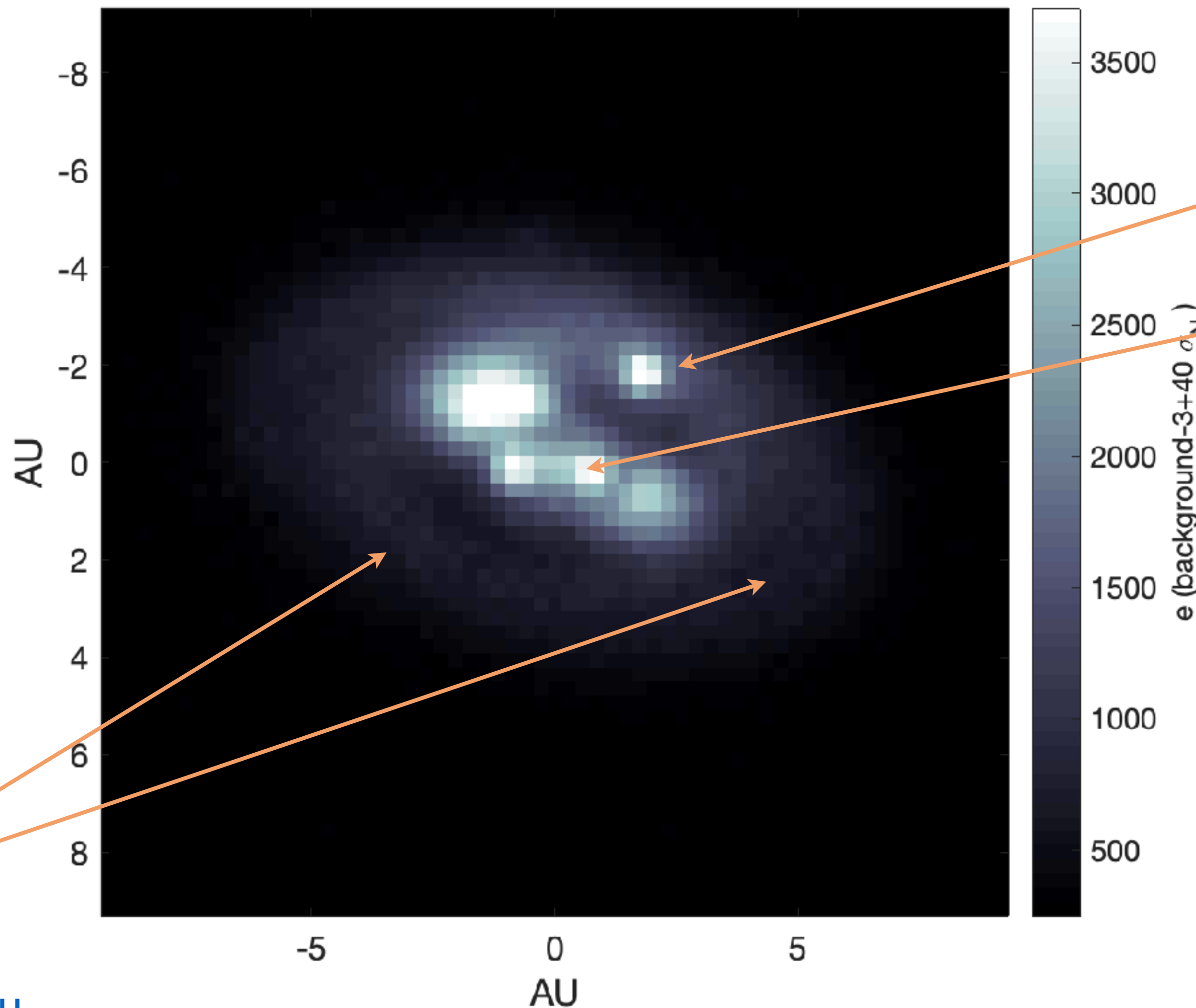


Sergi Hildebrandt (JPL)



g0v, 13.8 pc

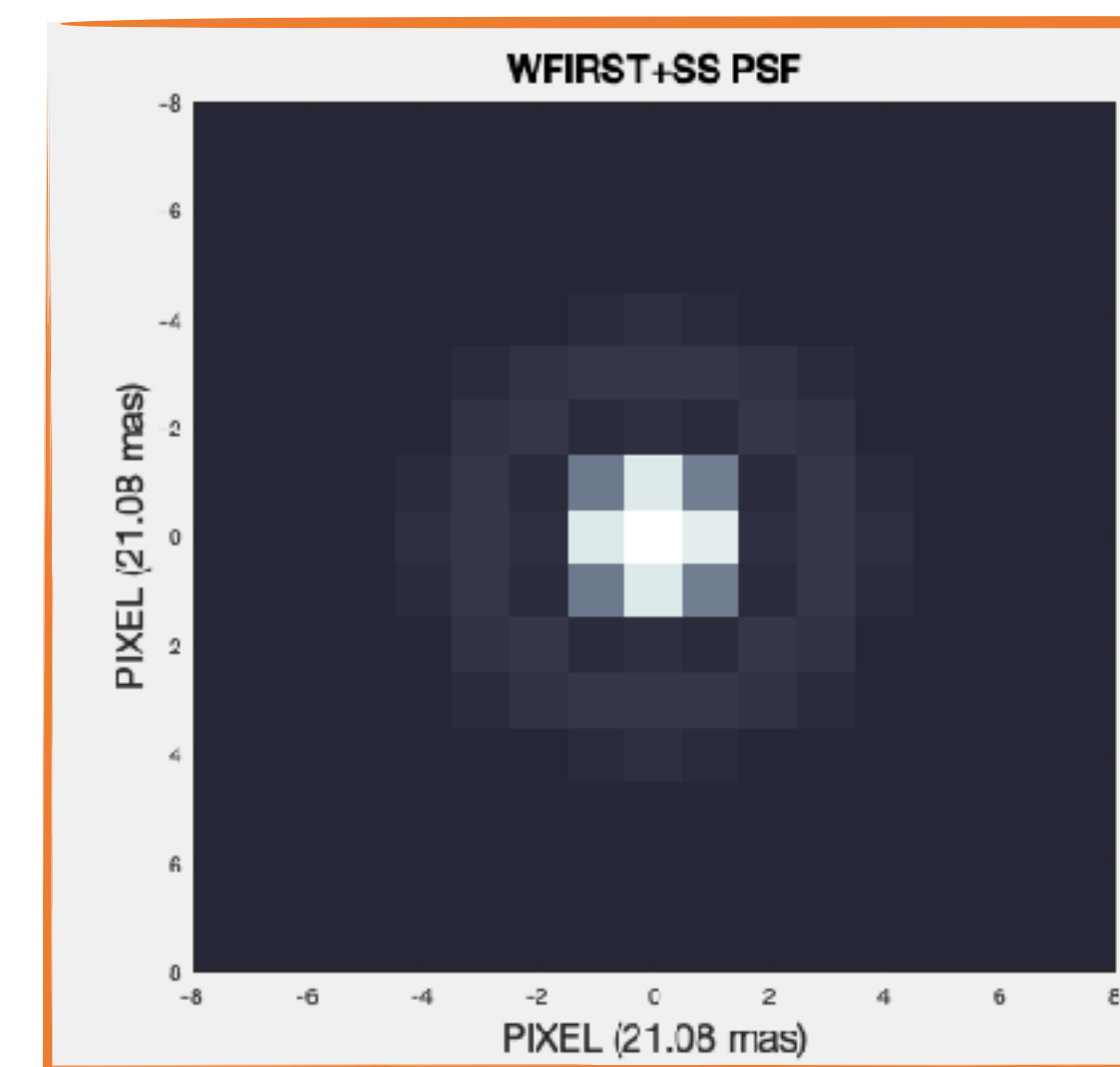
425- 552 nm, 12.0 hours of observation (144 frames,  $\sigma_N = 21 e$ )



Exoplanet

Remaining Starlight

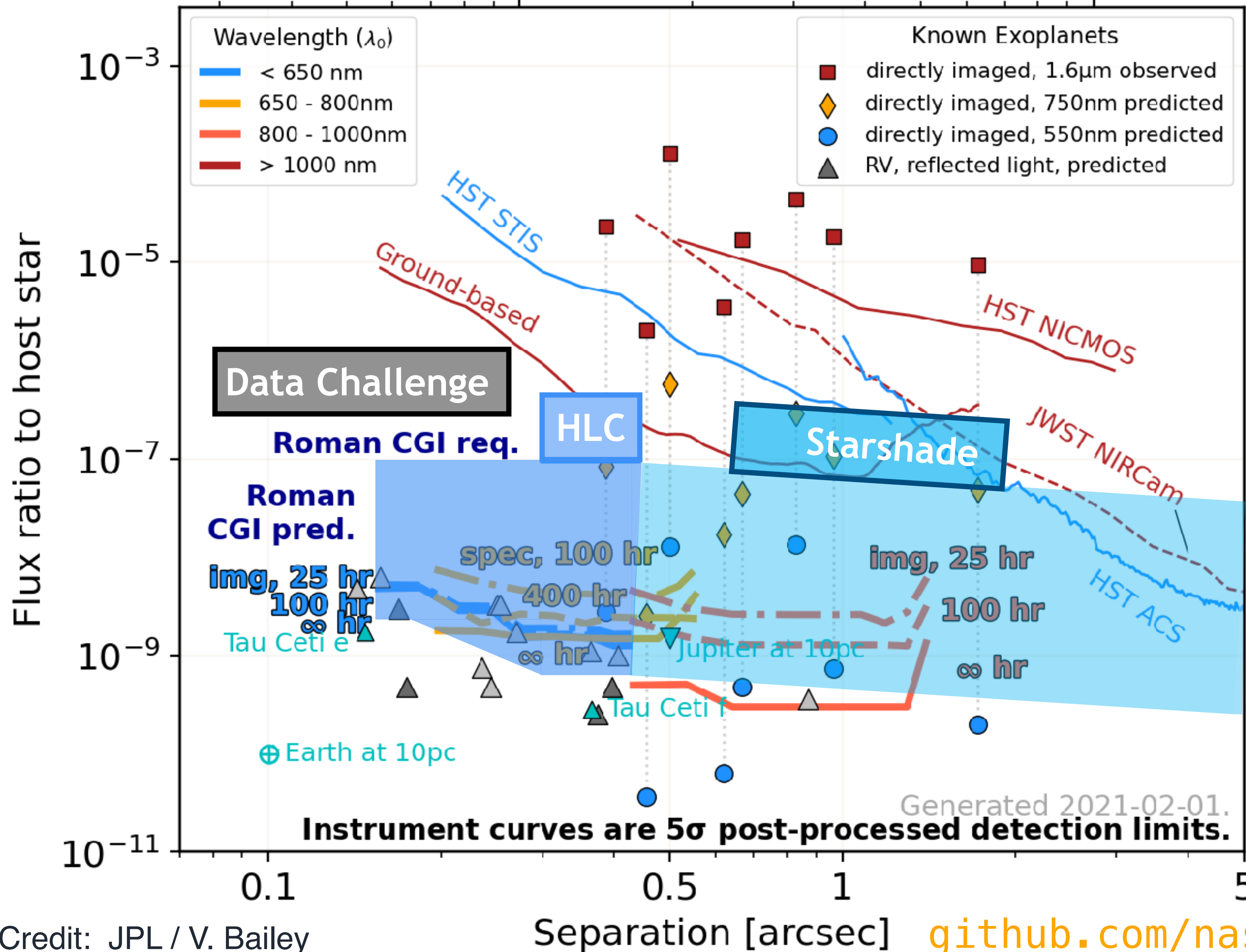
PSF Reference



Exozodiacal light



# Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: Contrast Regime (OS6-OS9)



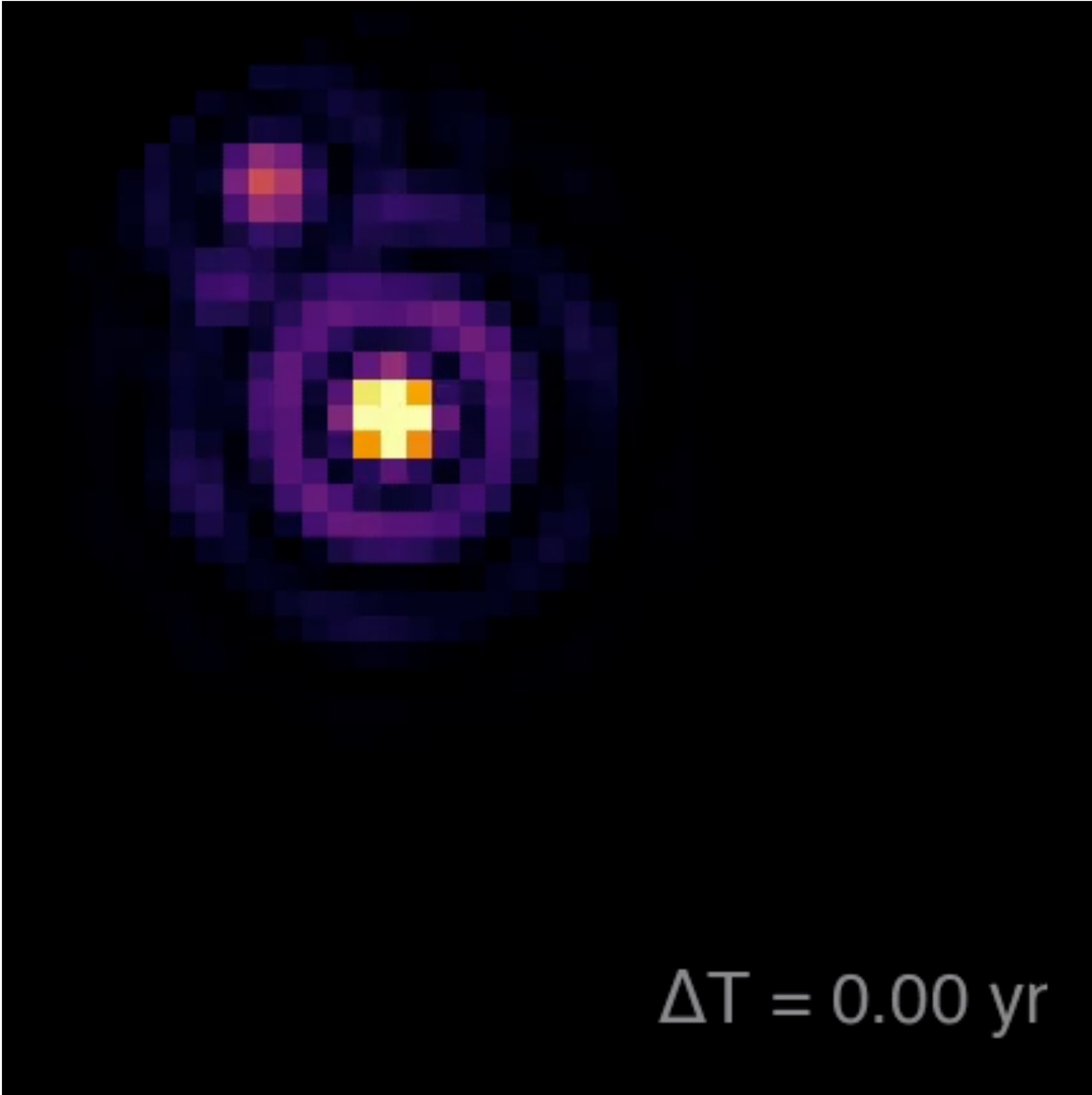
**For  $5 < V < 6$  stars**

The expected contrast is  
<  $10^{-7}$  (required)  
 $\sim 10^{-9}$  (predicted)

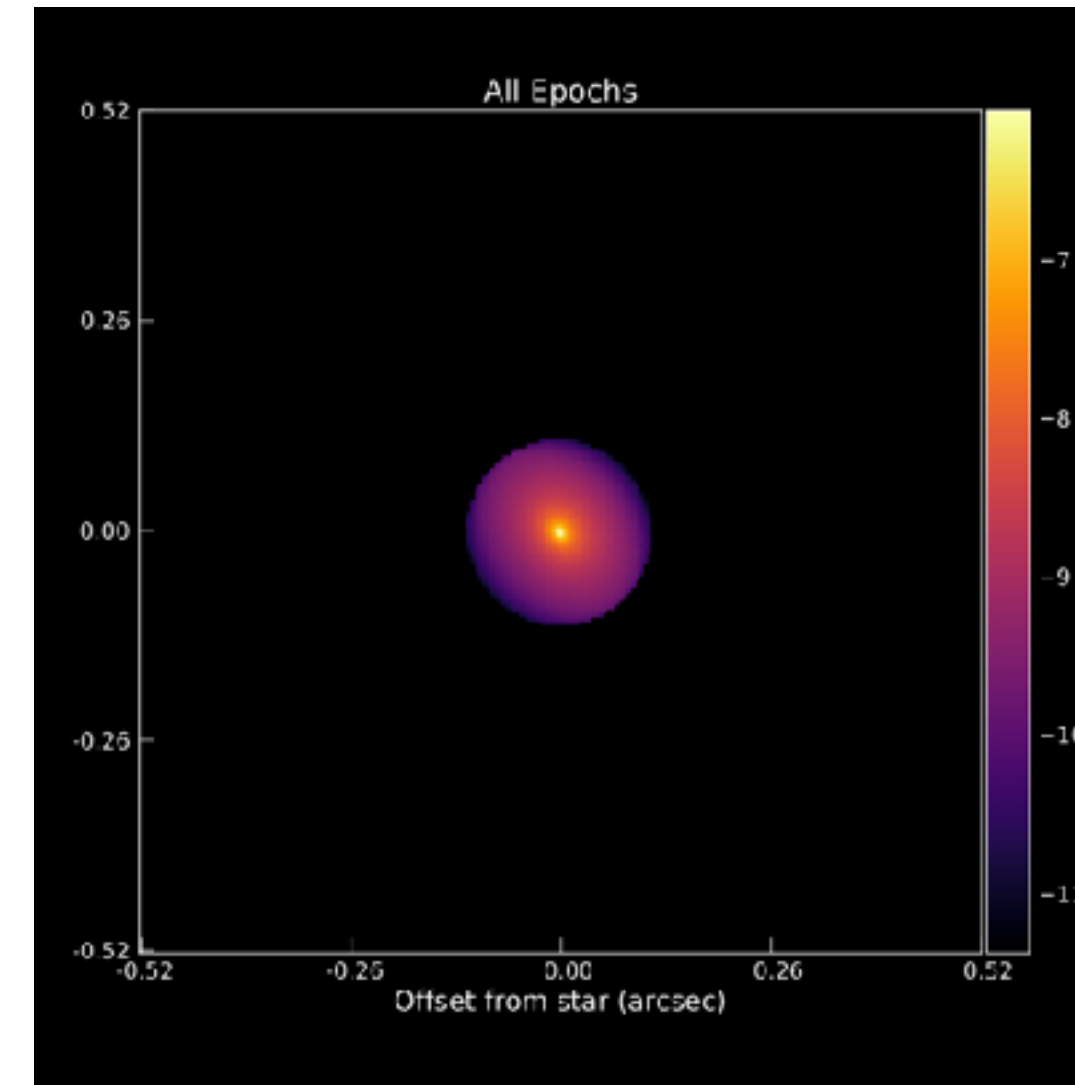
**100 to 1,000 times better than current facilities.**  
**Optimistically, image "Jupiters" to "Neptunes" @50pc in reflected light!**



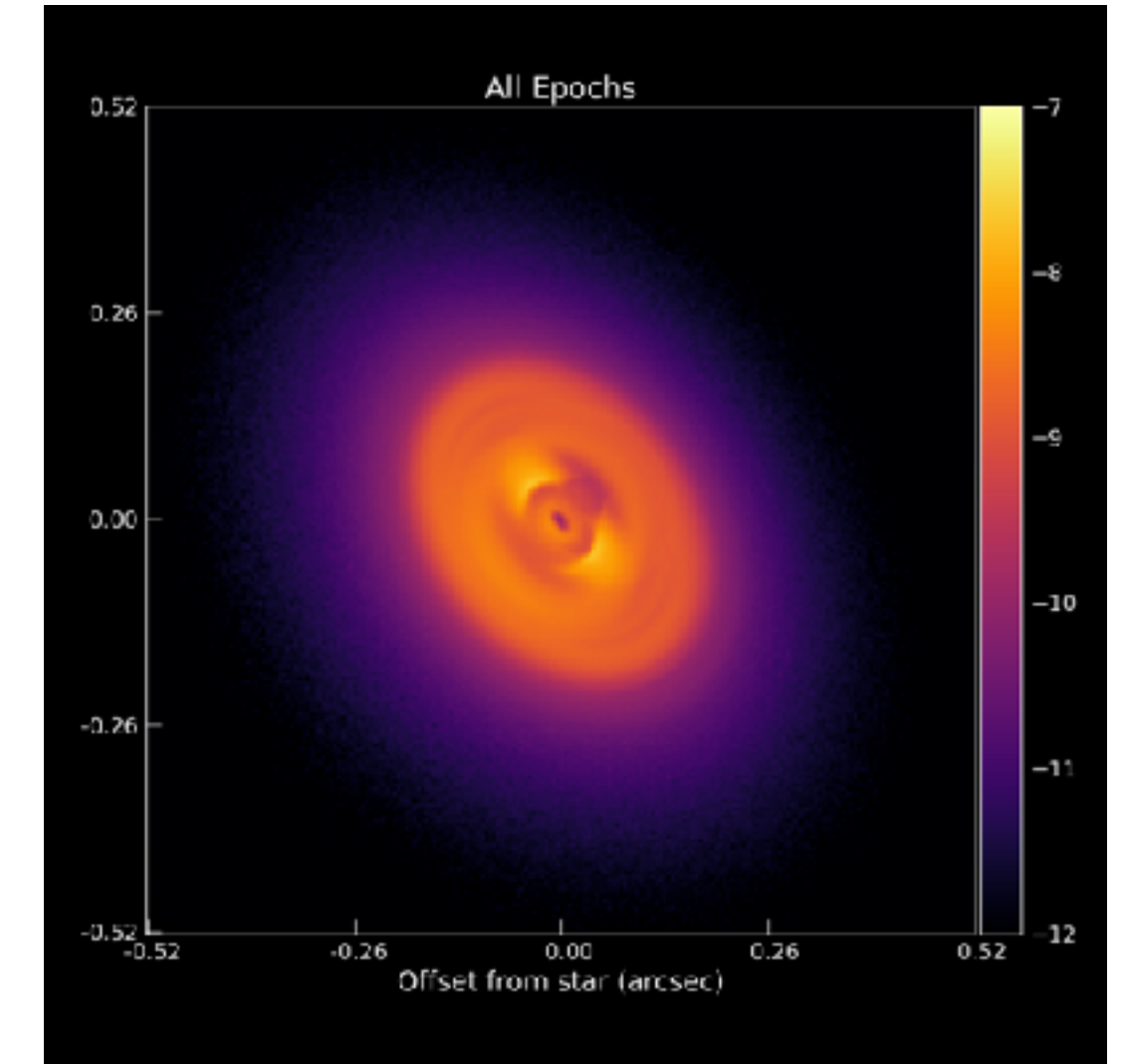
# Data Challenge Design: 3-Jupiter analogs + disk



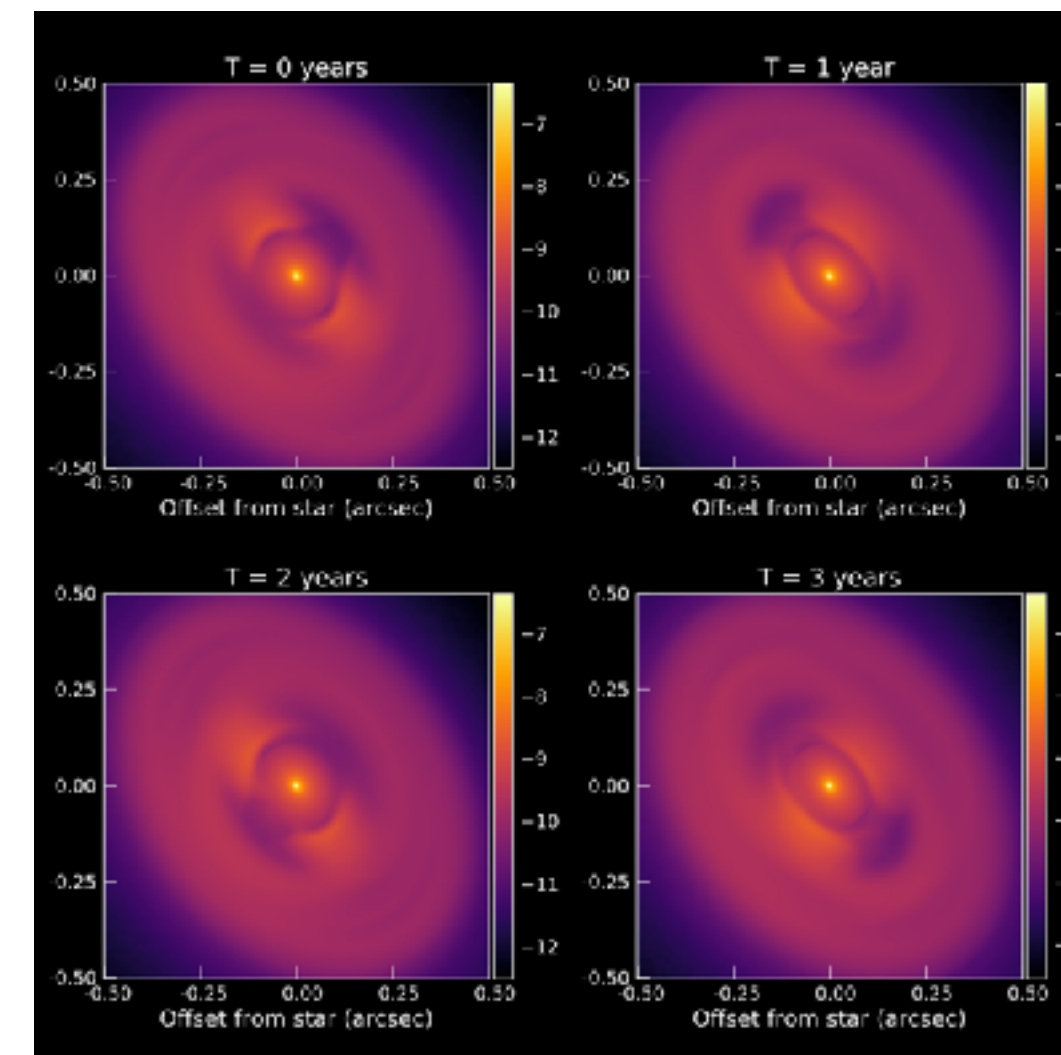
## Exozodiacal Cloud



## Dynamical Simulations



## Exozodiacal Debris Disk Model



Stark & Kuchner et al. 2008, 2009

**ZIMMERMAN+ (IN PREP)**

Junellie Gonzalez-Quiles (GSFC)

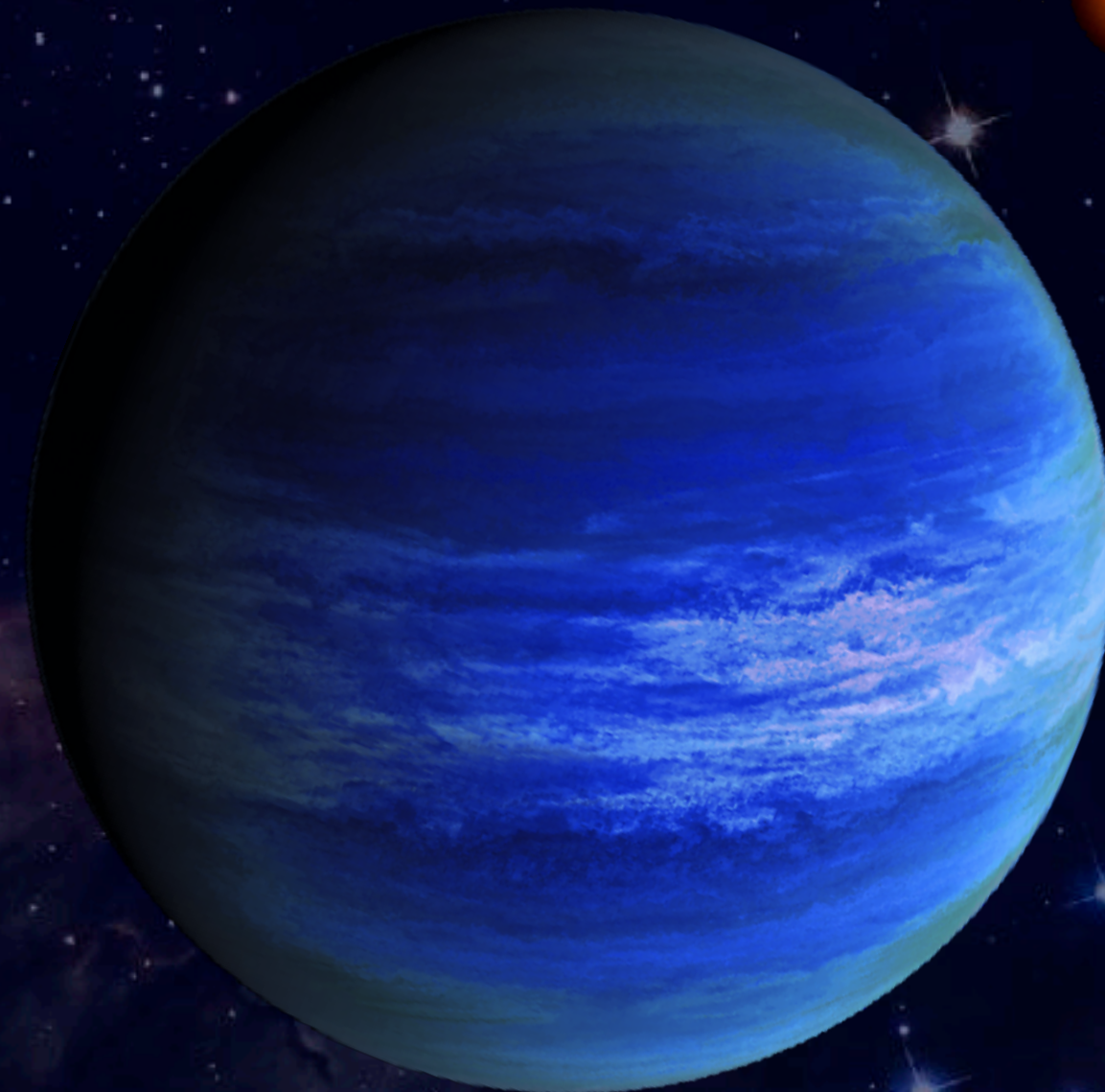
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# In-house Analysis

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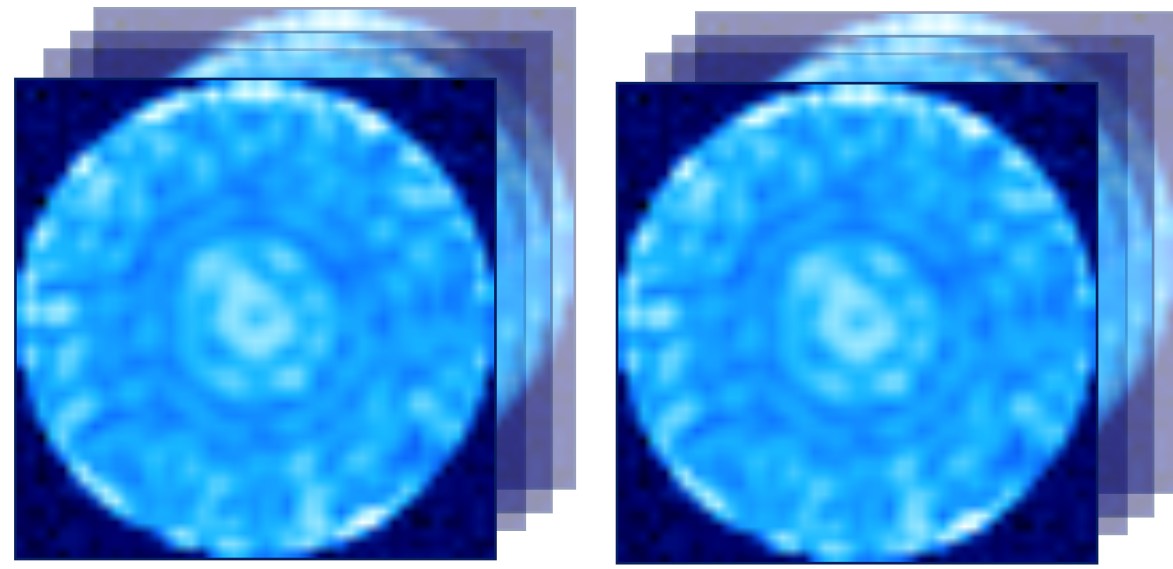


# The Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: 4 Steps

## DATA

### 6 imaging epochs throughout the mission

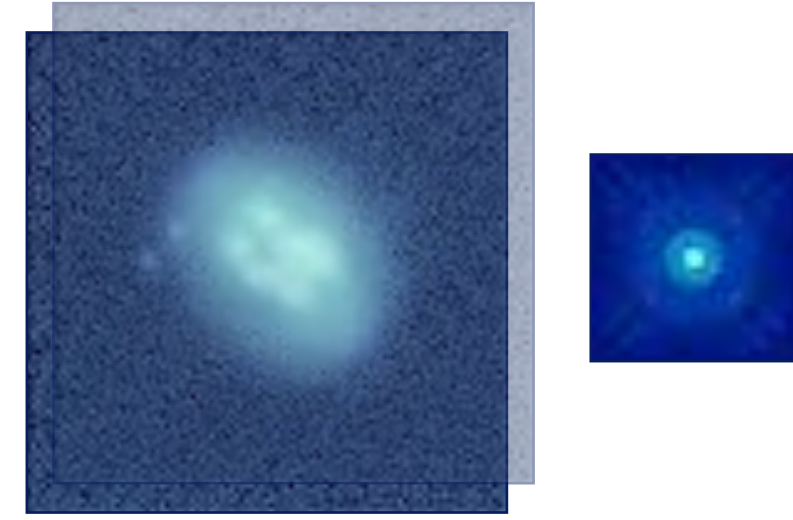
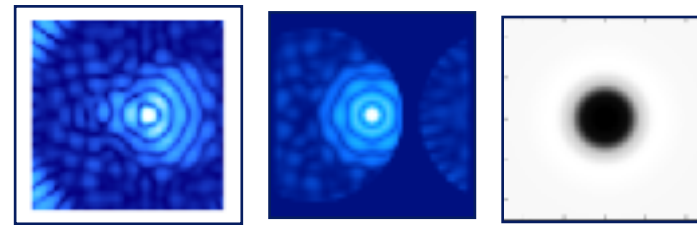
Realistic simulations: OS6 Speckle field time series, detector model, background contamination sources, exozodiacal light



Hybrid Lyot Coronagraph

4 epochs, 2 rolls

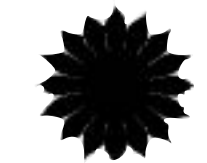
+ Calibrations



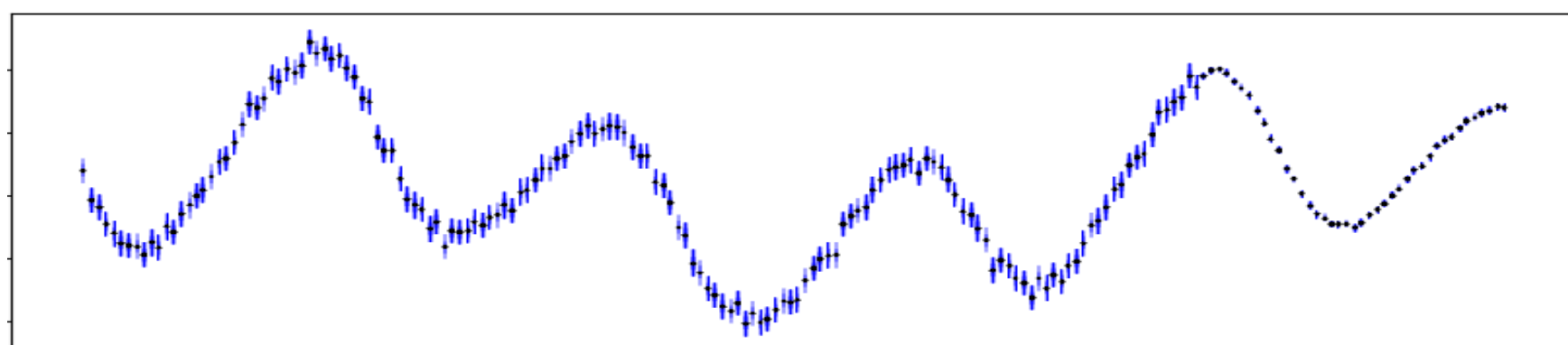
Star Shade

2 epochs

+ Calibrations

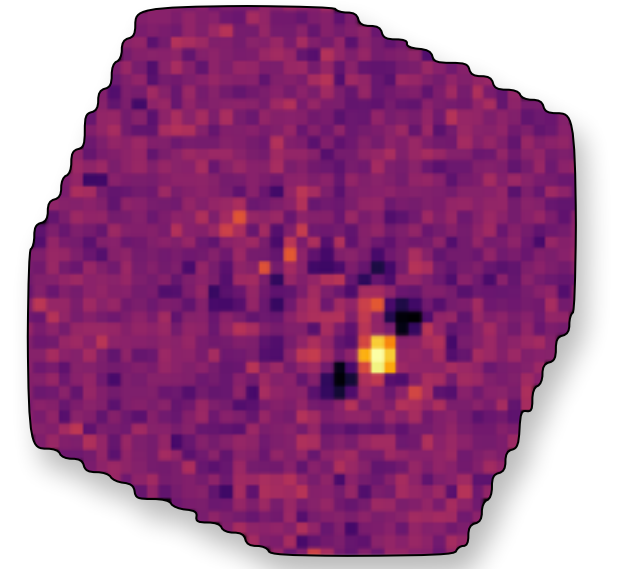


& 15 years of precursor RV data



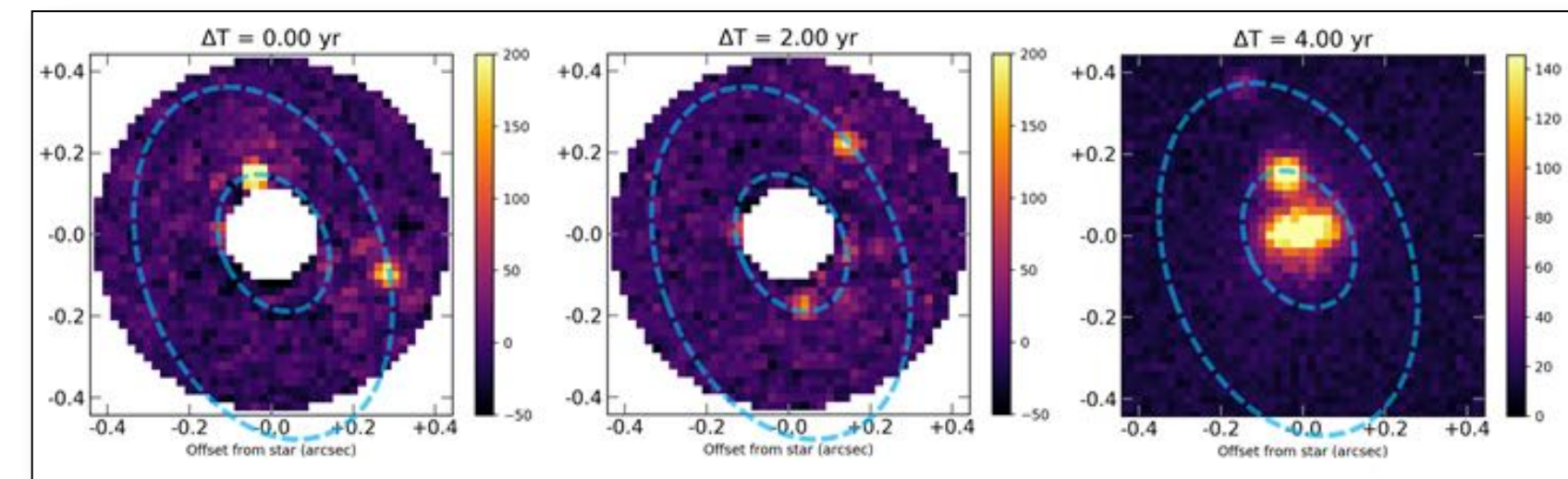
## CHALLENGE

1. **Extract & identify point sources** in 4 HLC epochs, disentangle from background sources, provide **census and rough astrometry**

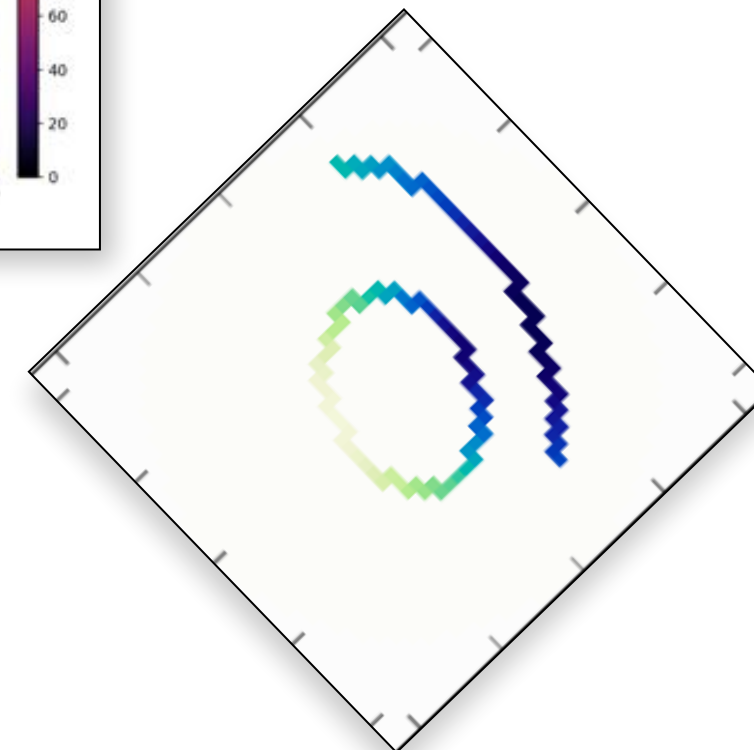
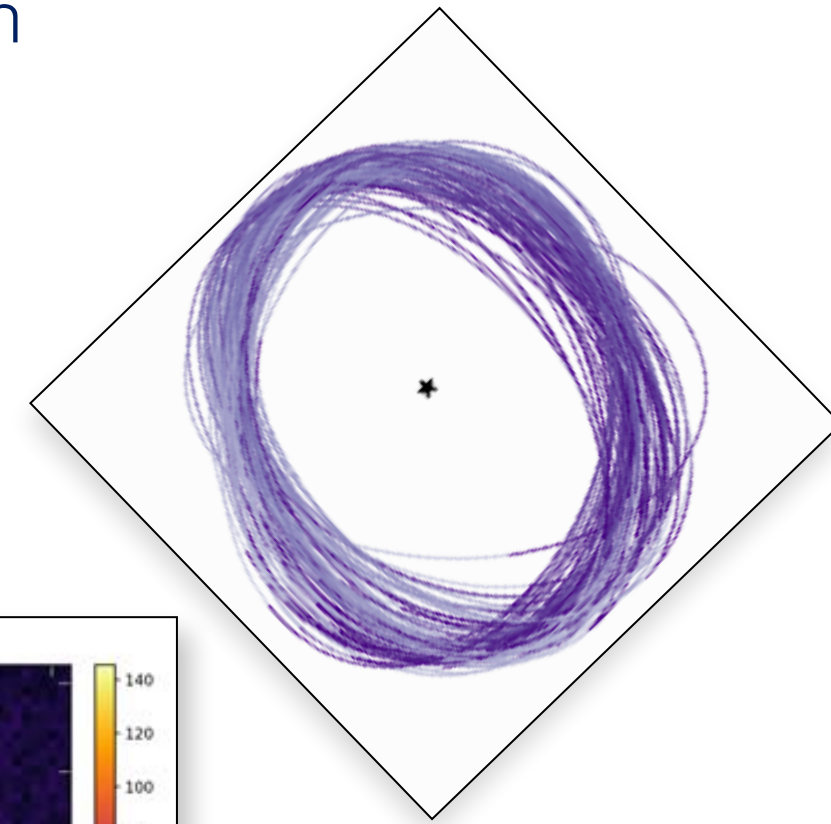


2. **Compute orbital parameters & masses** with those 4 epochs, use **priors from RV data**

3. **Refine orbital parameters & masses** using additional 2 SS epochs, all the information available



4. For a given planet, measure the **phase curve** assuming it is Lambertian, provide **radius & albedo** given mass-radius relationship





# 4 Tutorial Events: a Young & Diverse Crowd



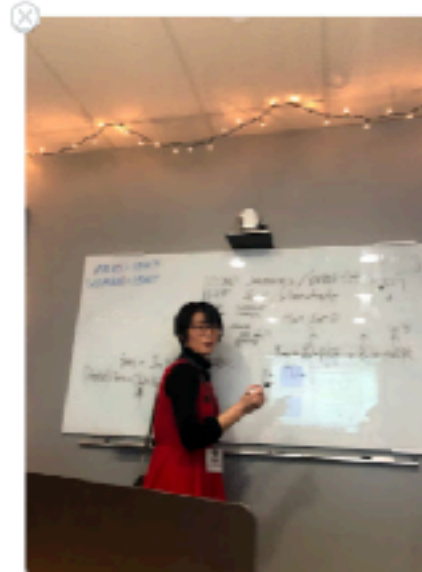
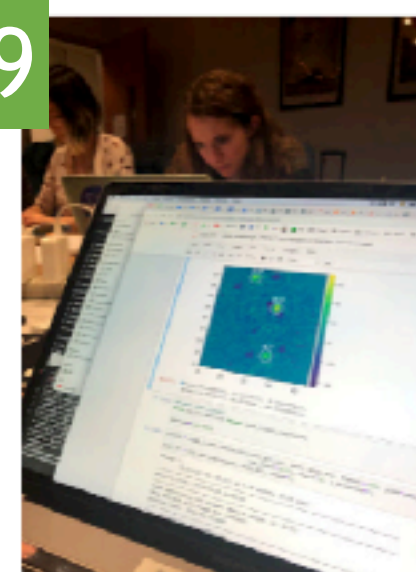
CALTECH/IPAC  
JUNE '19



Tokyo  
OCTOBER '19



STScI  
MARCH '19



NY FLATIRON  
OCTOBER '19





# ROMAN Exoplanet Imaging DC: key numbers



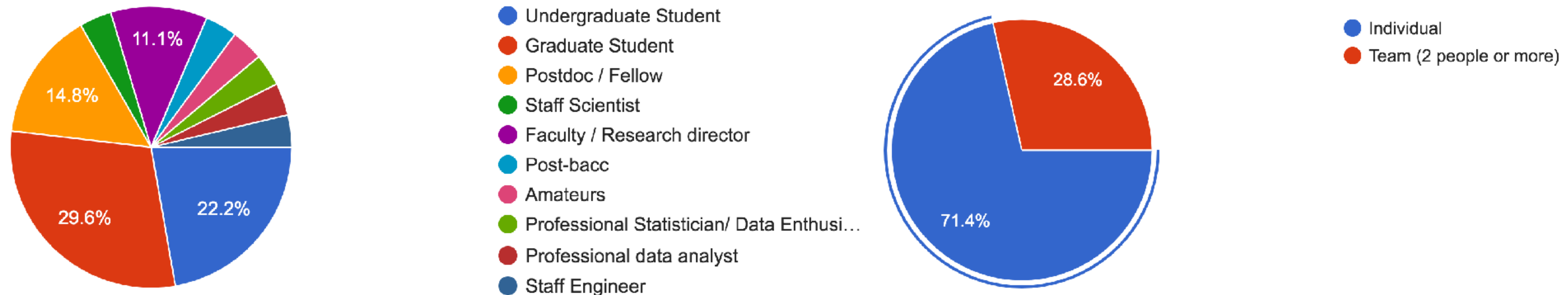
~ **70 people** participated in person to our four "hack events"

Diverse crowd in age, seniority, gender and country of origin / workplace

8 teams (1 to 4 persons) entered the competition

4 of them have completed the step 3 and have access to the star shade data

**One of these "top" participants did not attend our events**





# DC: HLC PSF Subtraction / Processing

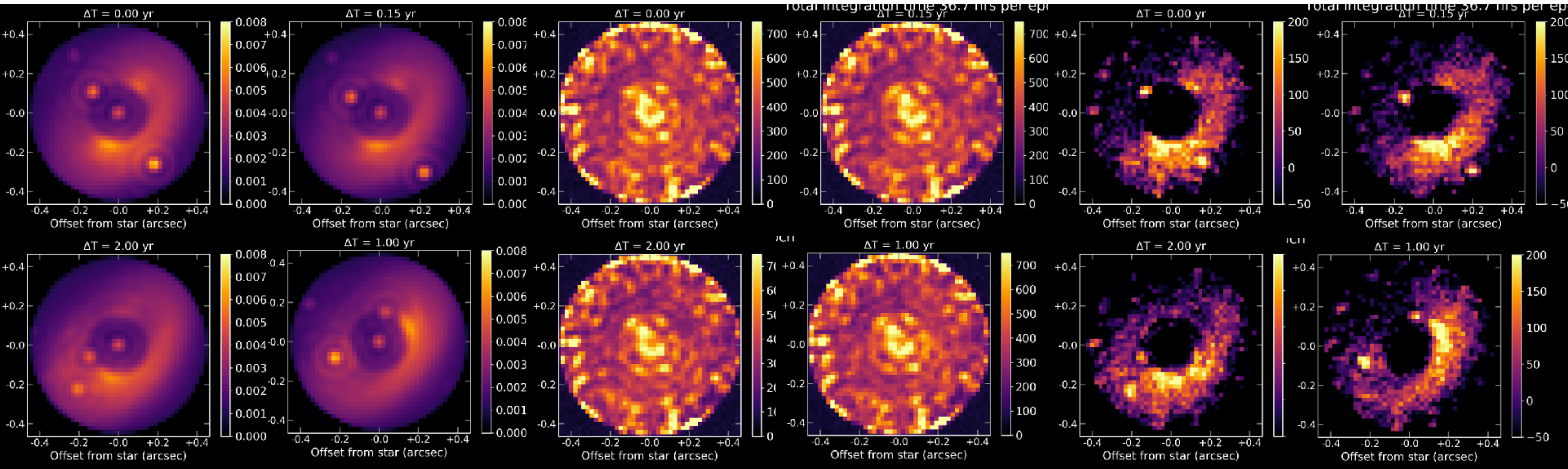
Neil Zimmerman



ZIMMERMAN+ IN PREP

(DC DESIGN, IN HOUSE ANALYSIS FOR PLANET C & CODE)

4 HLC epochs



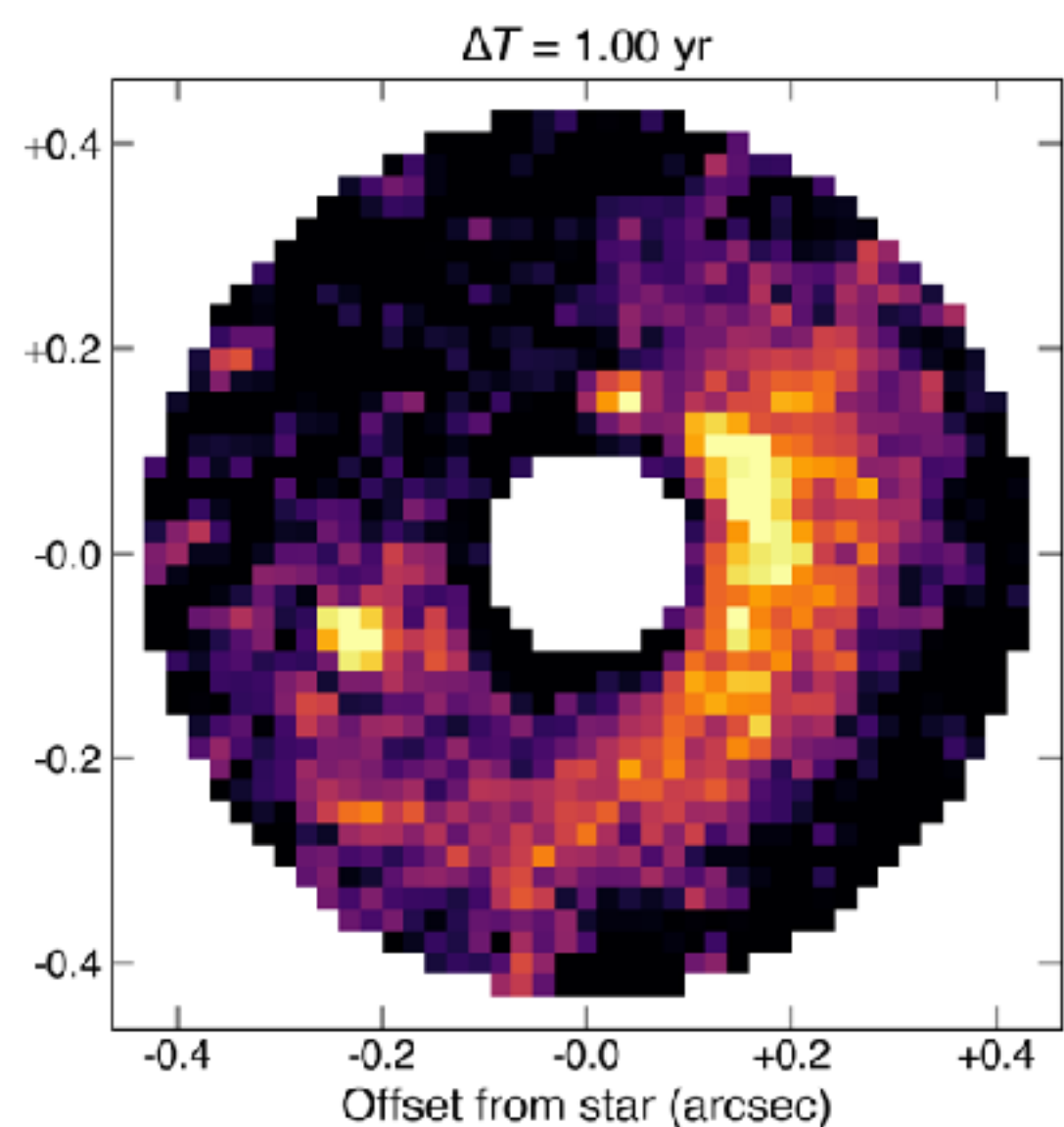
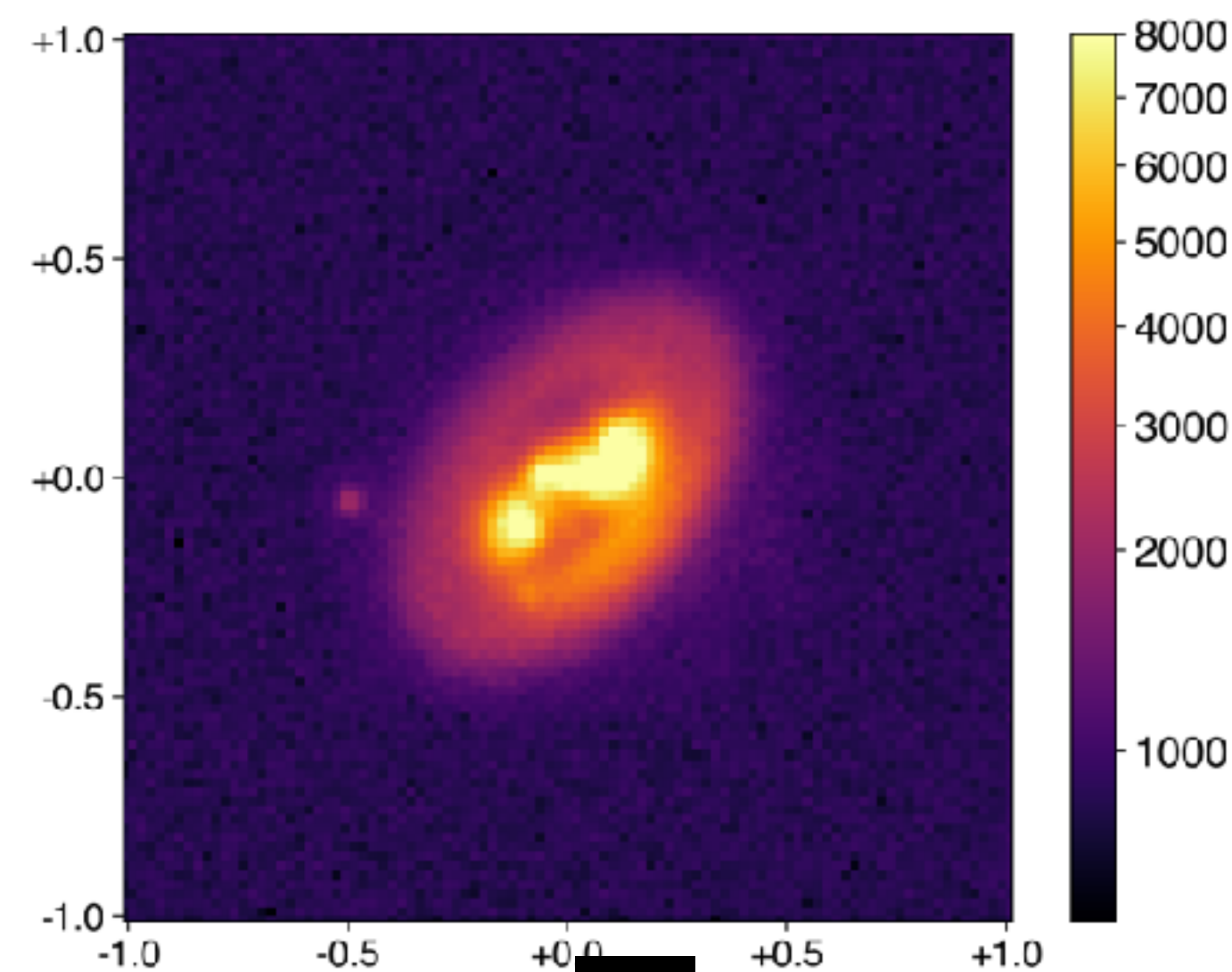
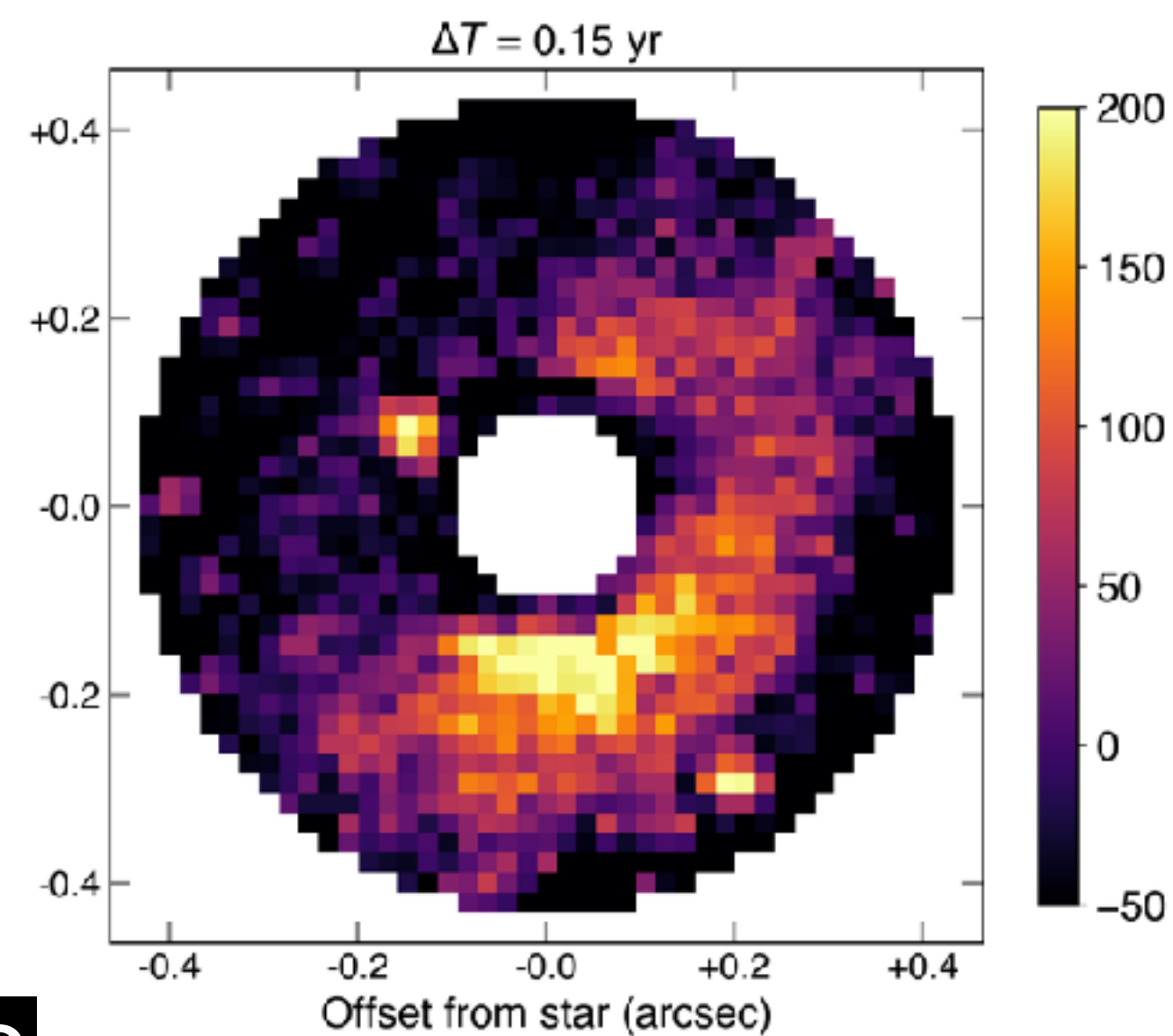
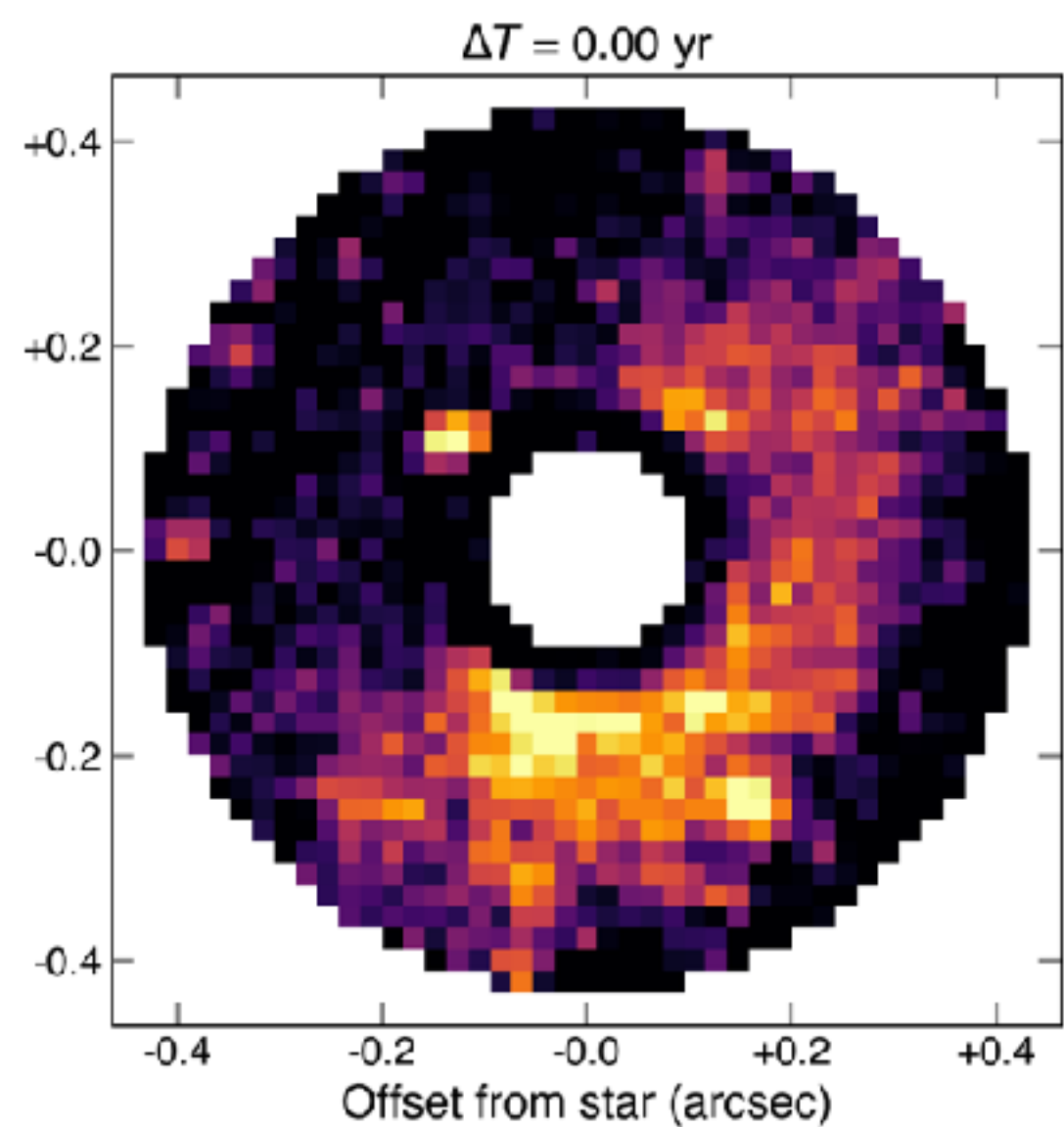
Noiseless “truth”

With OS6 Speckle Field  
(co-added frames)

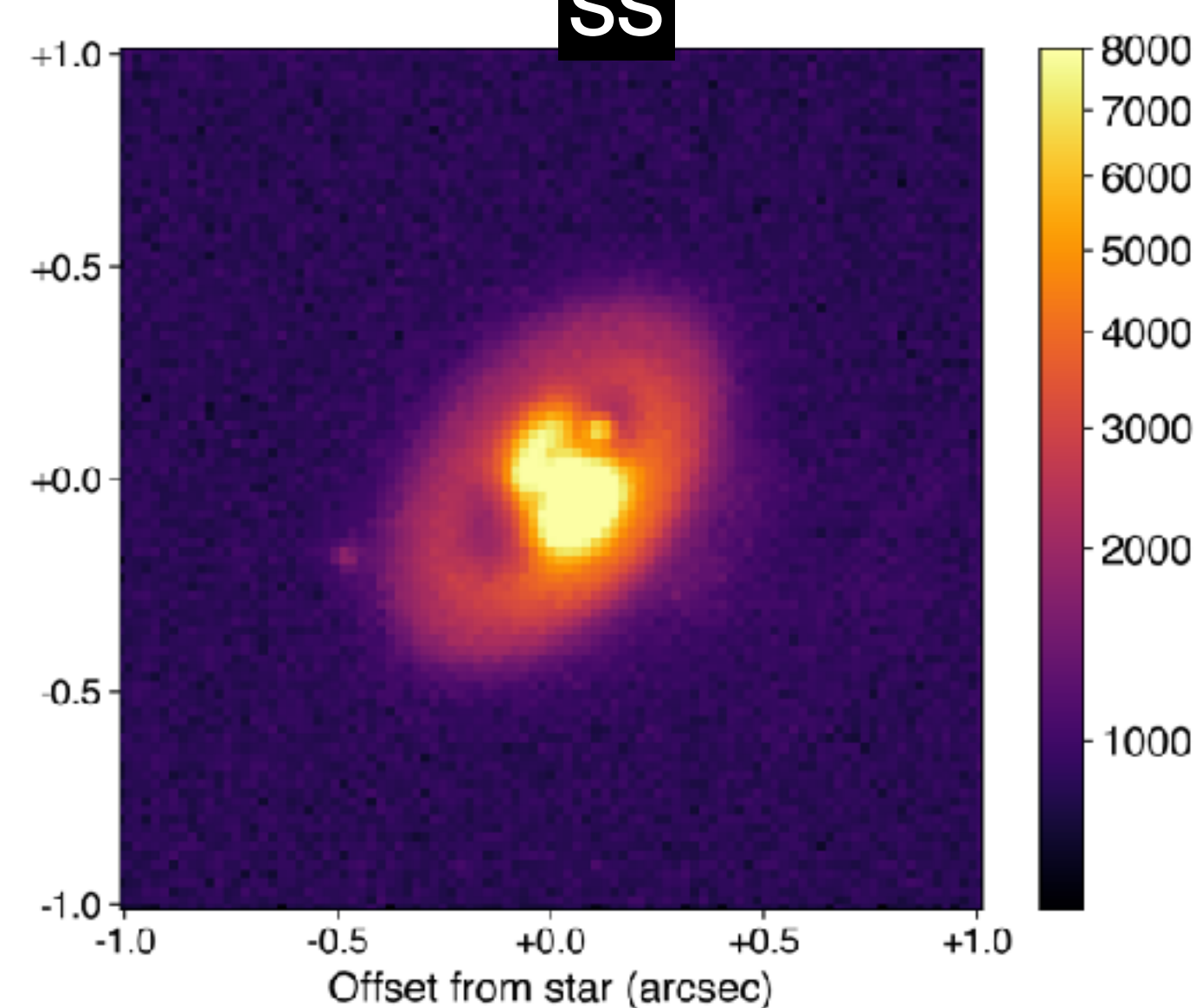
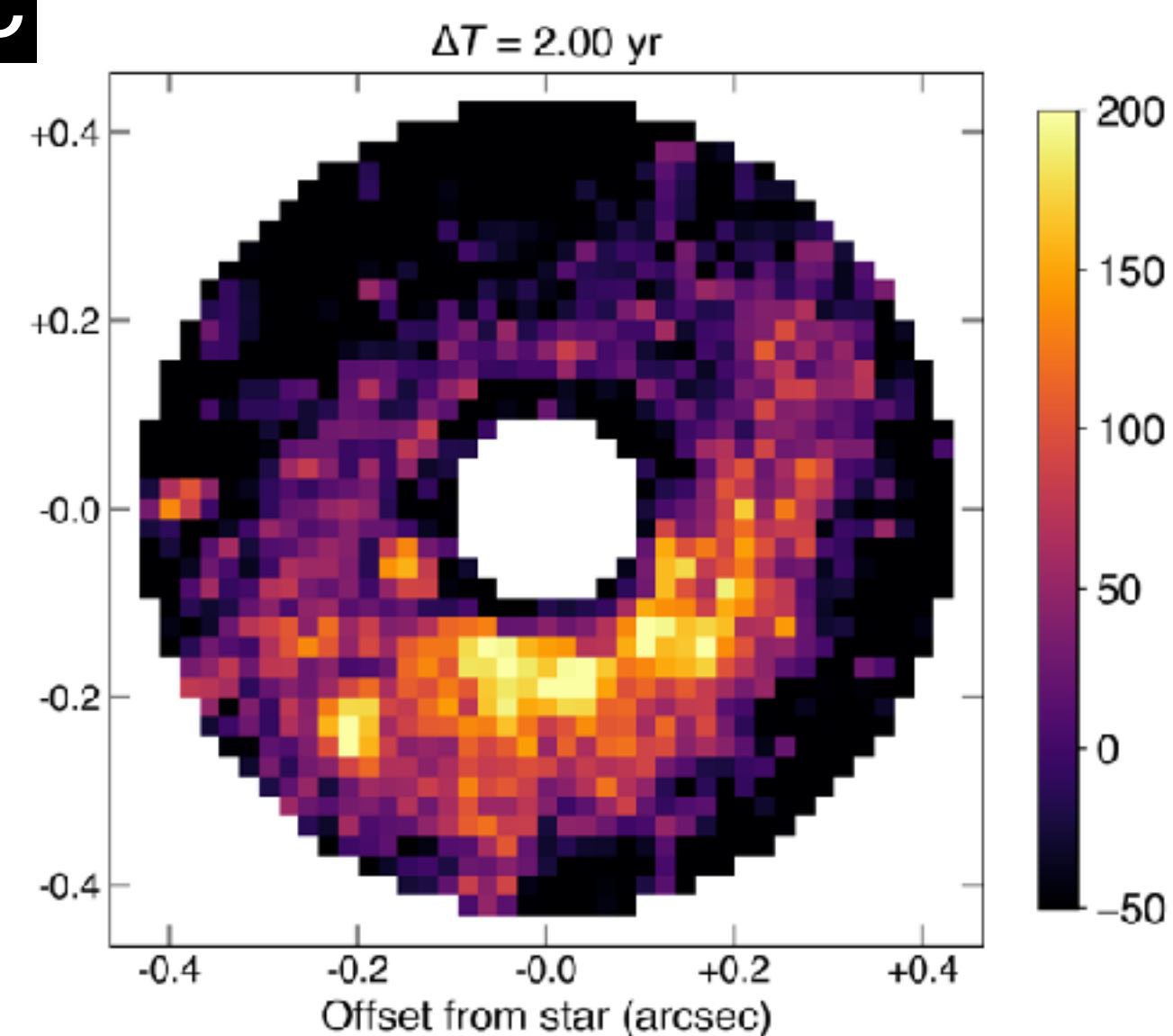
PSF subtracted / processed  
The “science grade data product”  
We have to work with



# In-house Analysis: PSF Subtracted Images



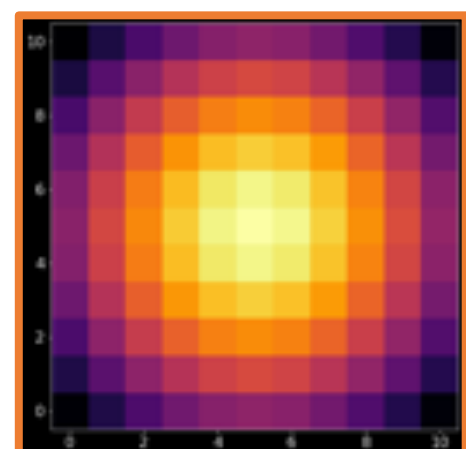
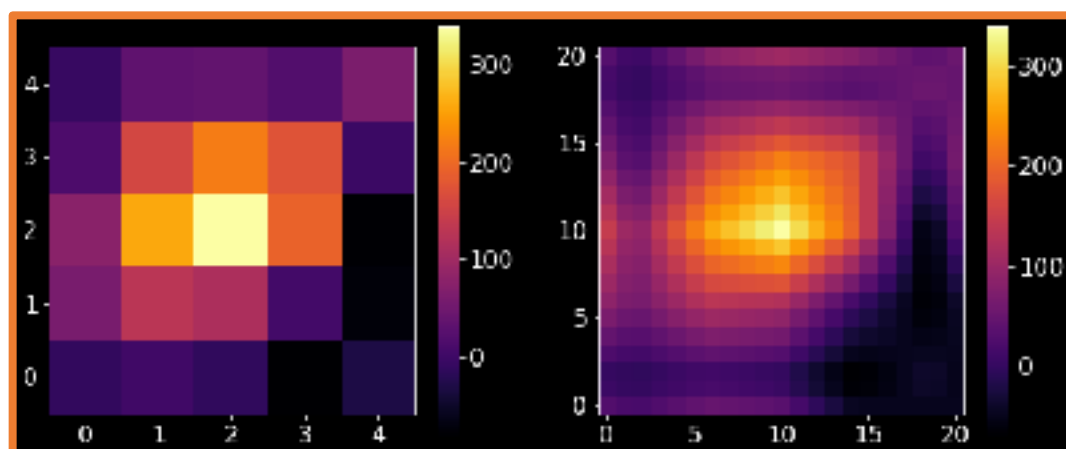
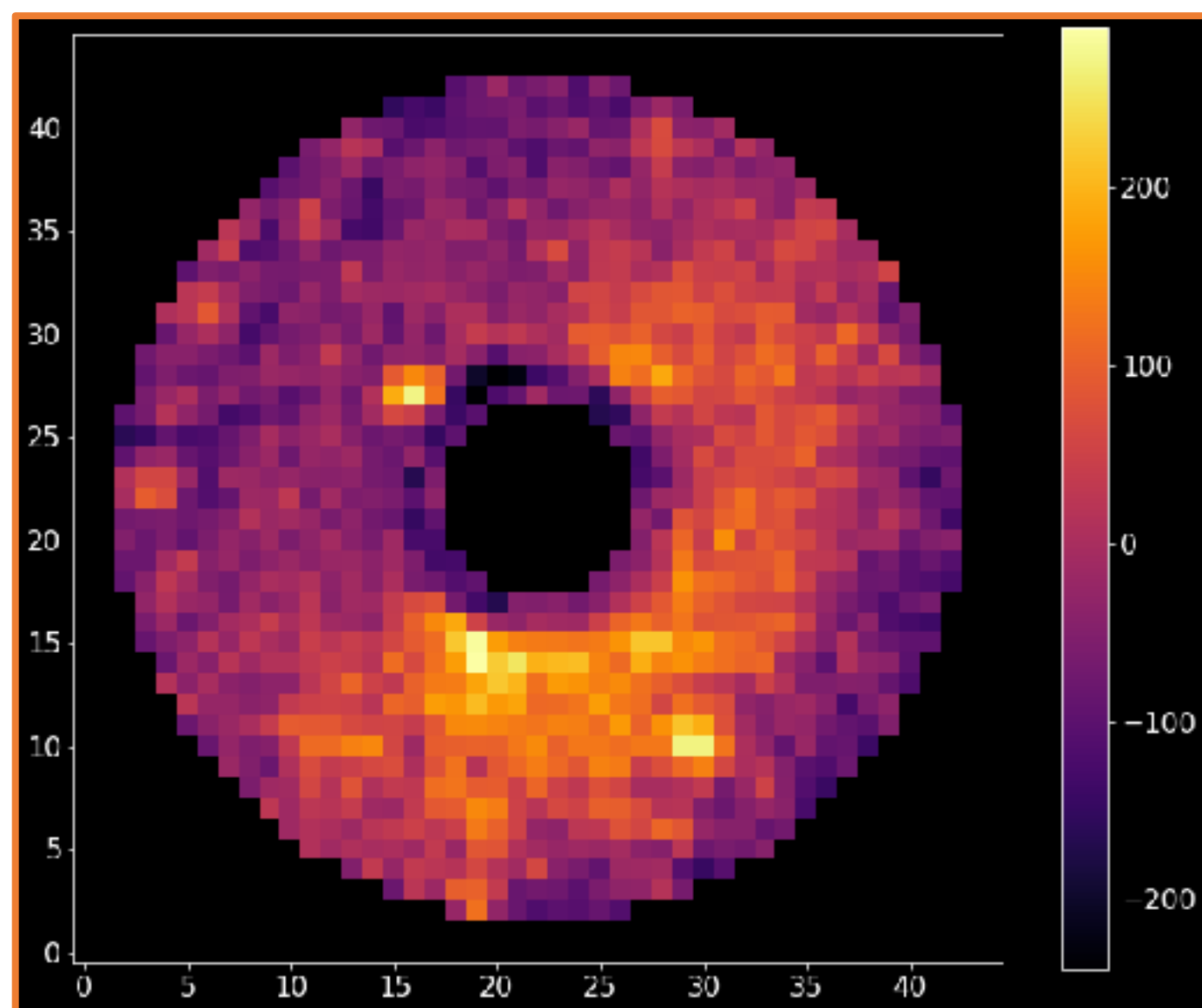
**HLC**



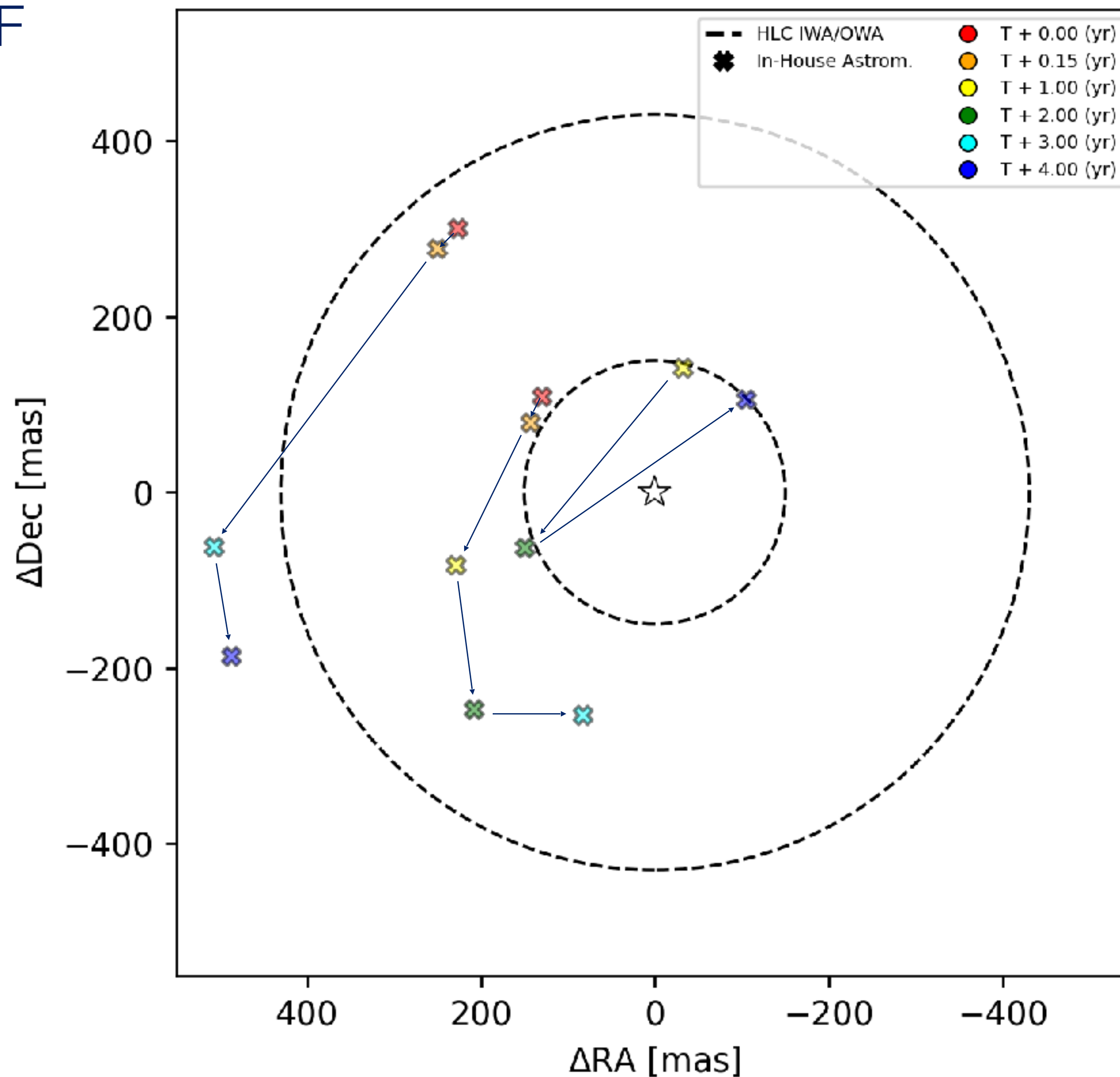


# In-house Analysis: Preliminary Astrometry

Uses cross-correlation to a high resolution PSF to obtain accurate astrometry for each signal



## Prelim Astrometry Results





# In-house Analysis: Final Orbital Fit

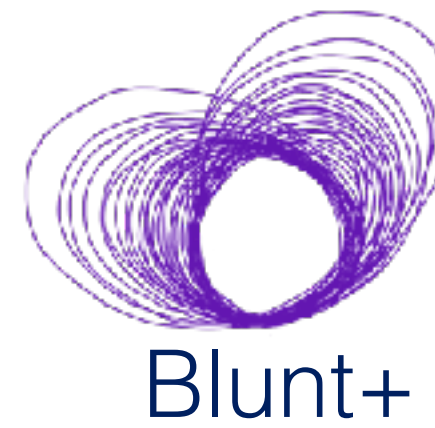
Ell Bogat & Neil Zimmerman



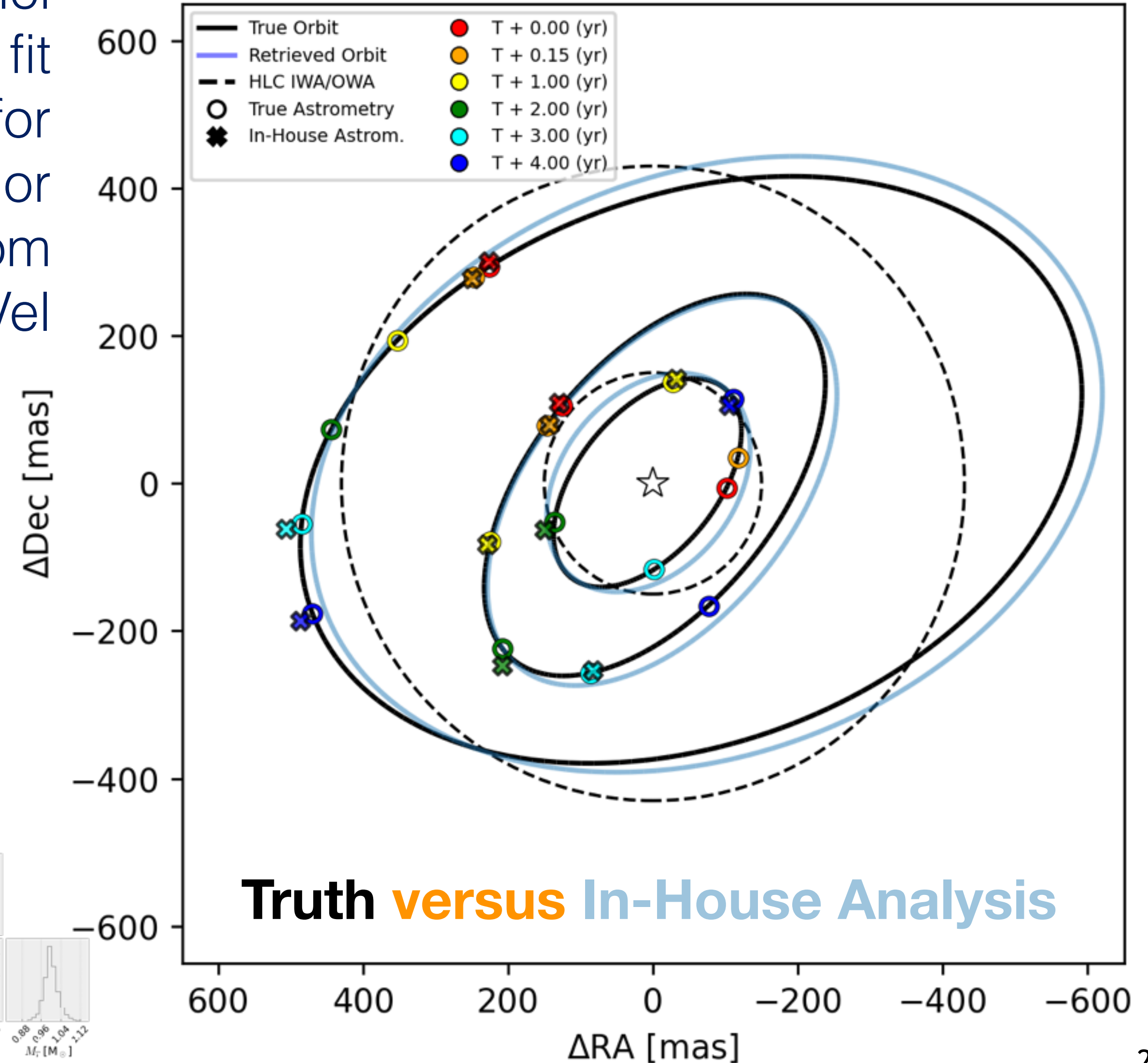
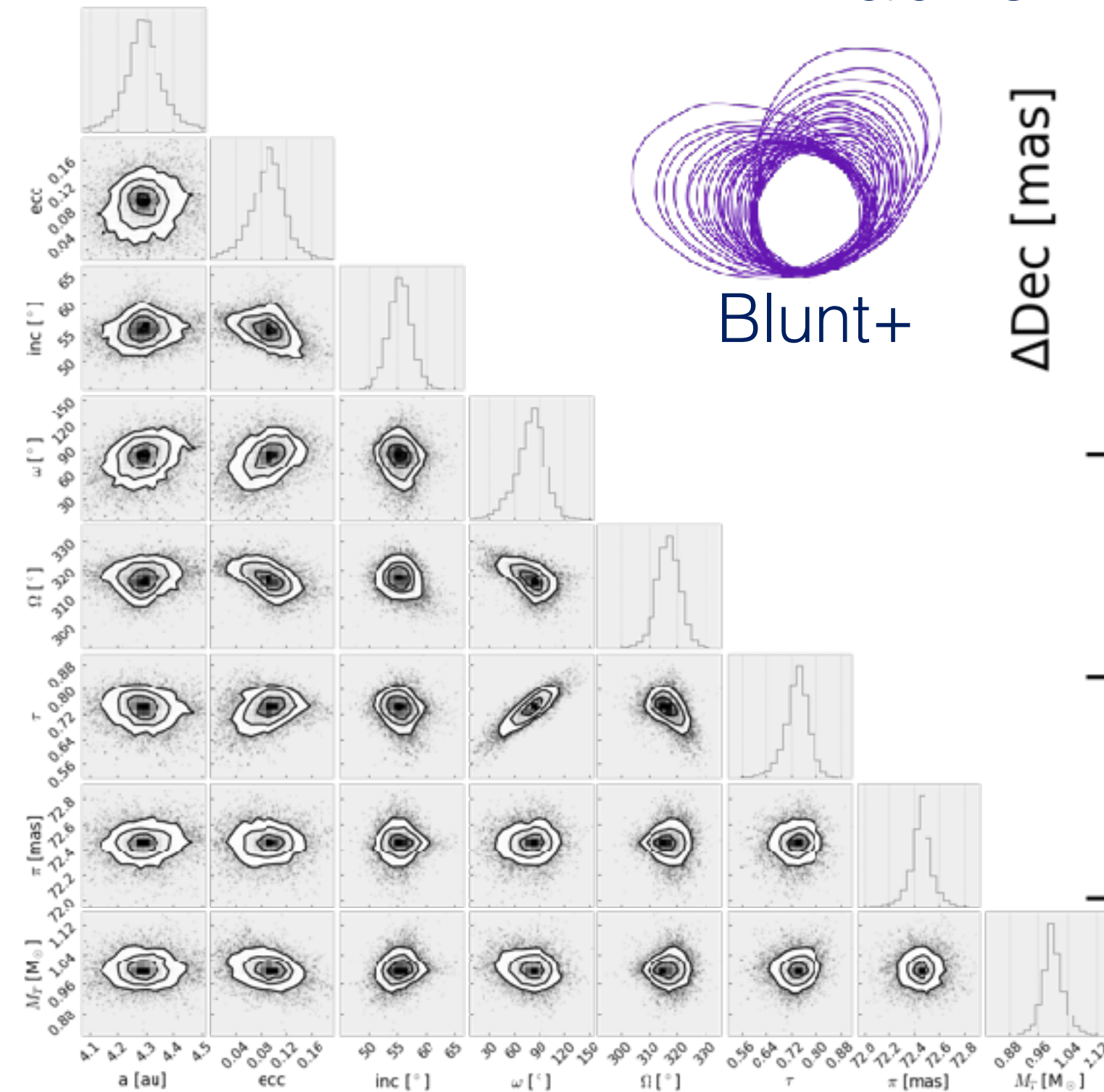
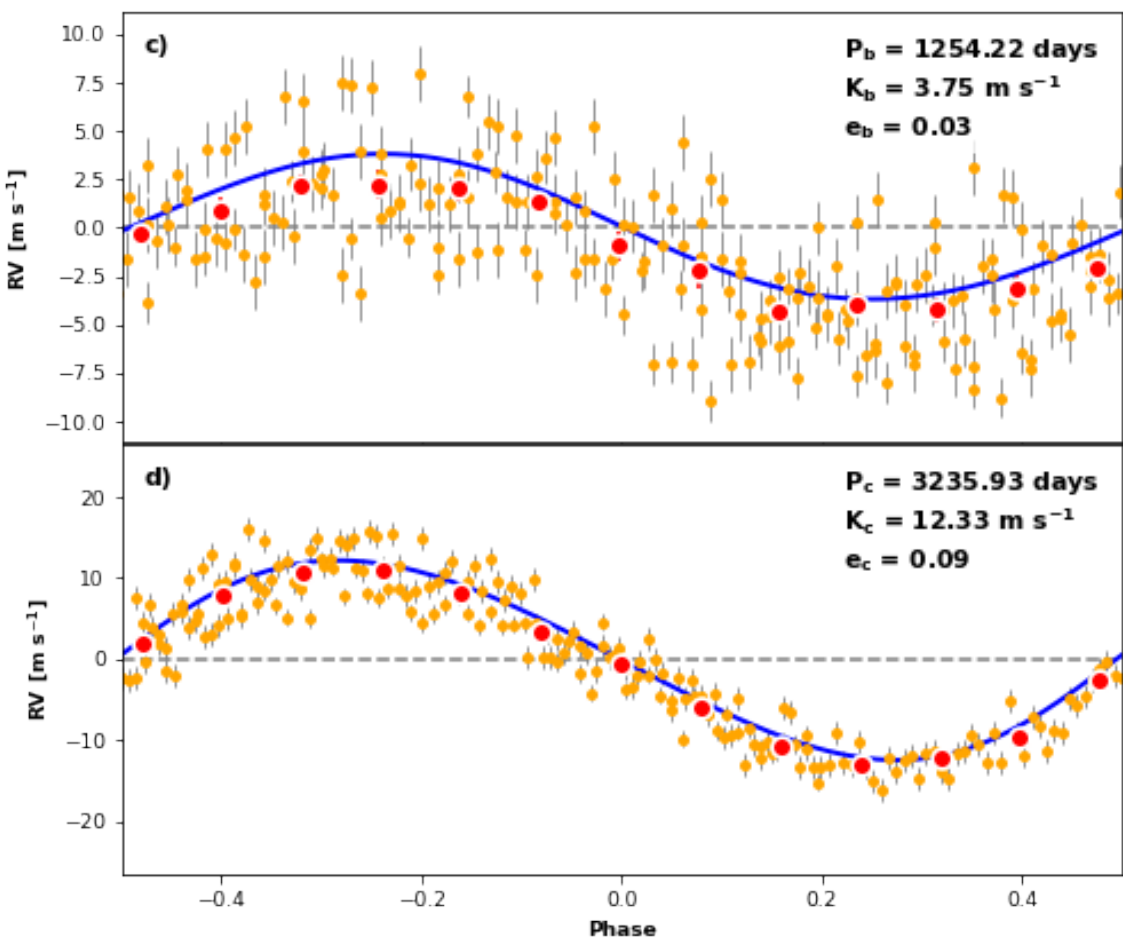
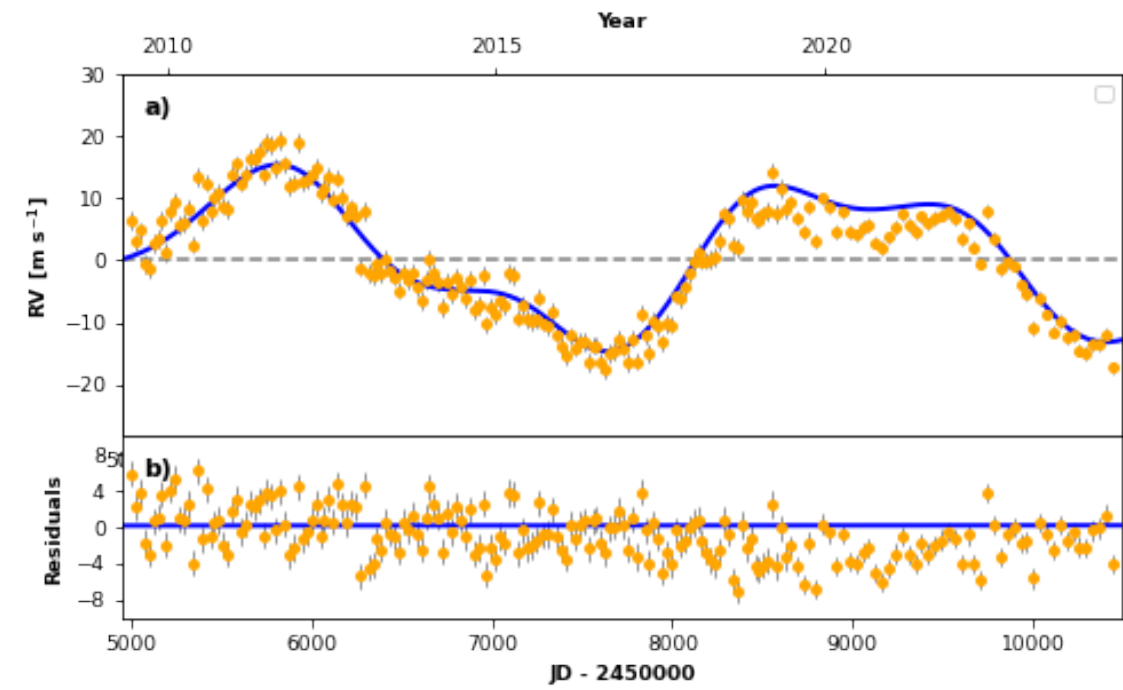
Finds initial orbital constraints from radial velocity data using RadVel



Uses **orbitize!** (parallel MCMC chain fit) to fit astrometry data for each planet with prior constraints from RadVel



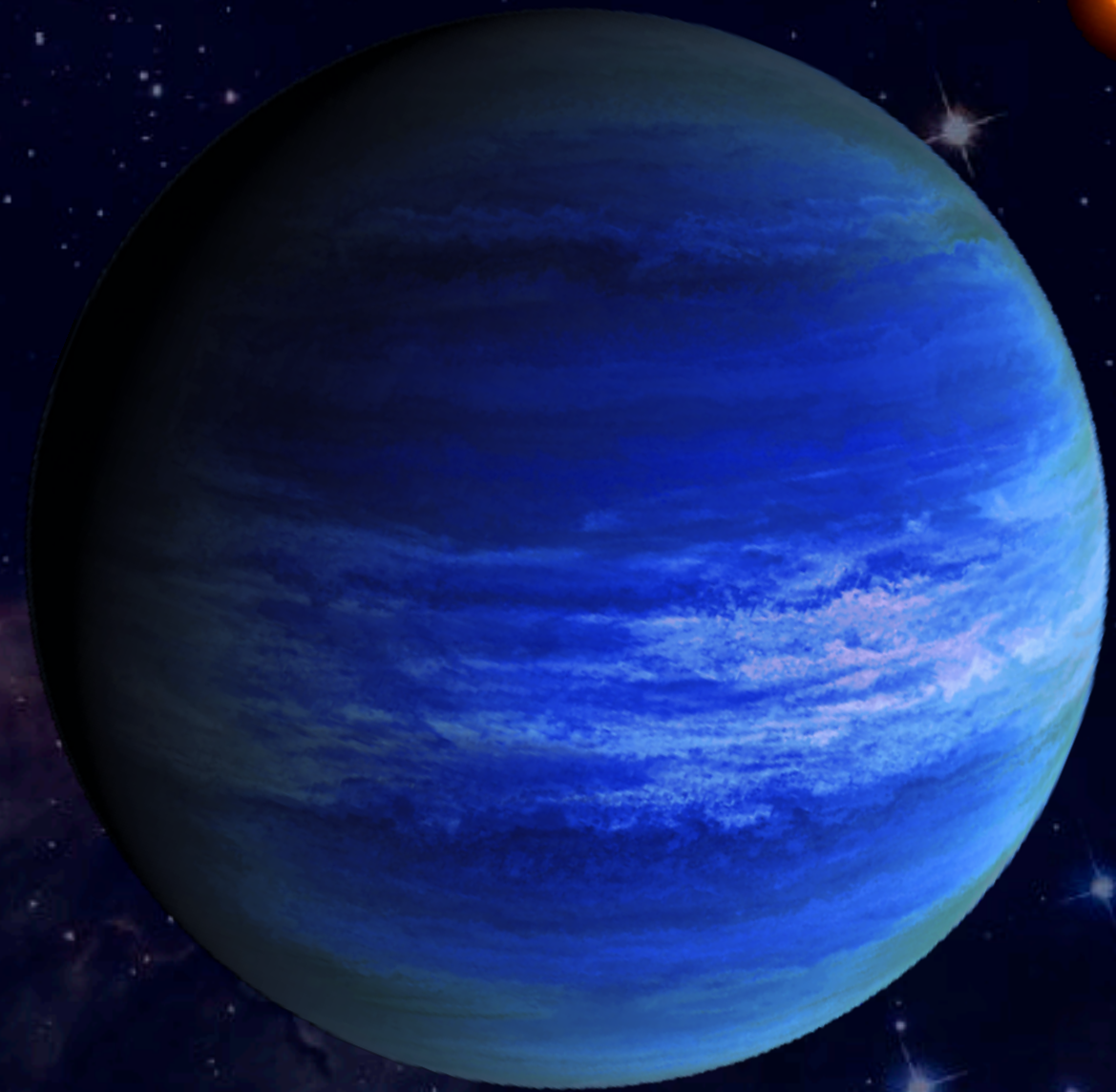
## Orbit + Astrometry Results



Truth versus In-House Analysis

# Metrics, Results & Prize

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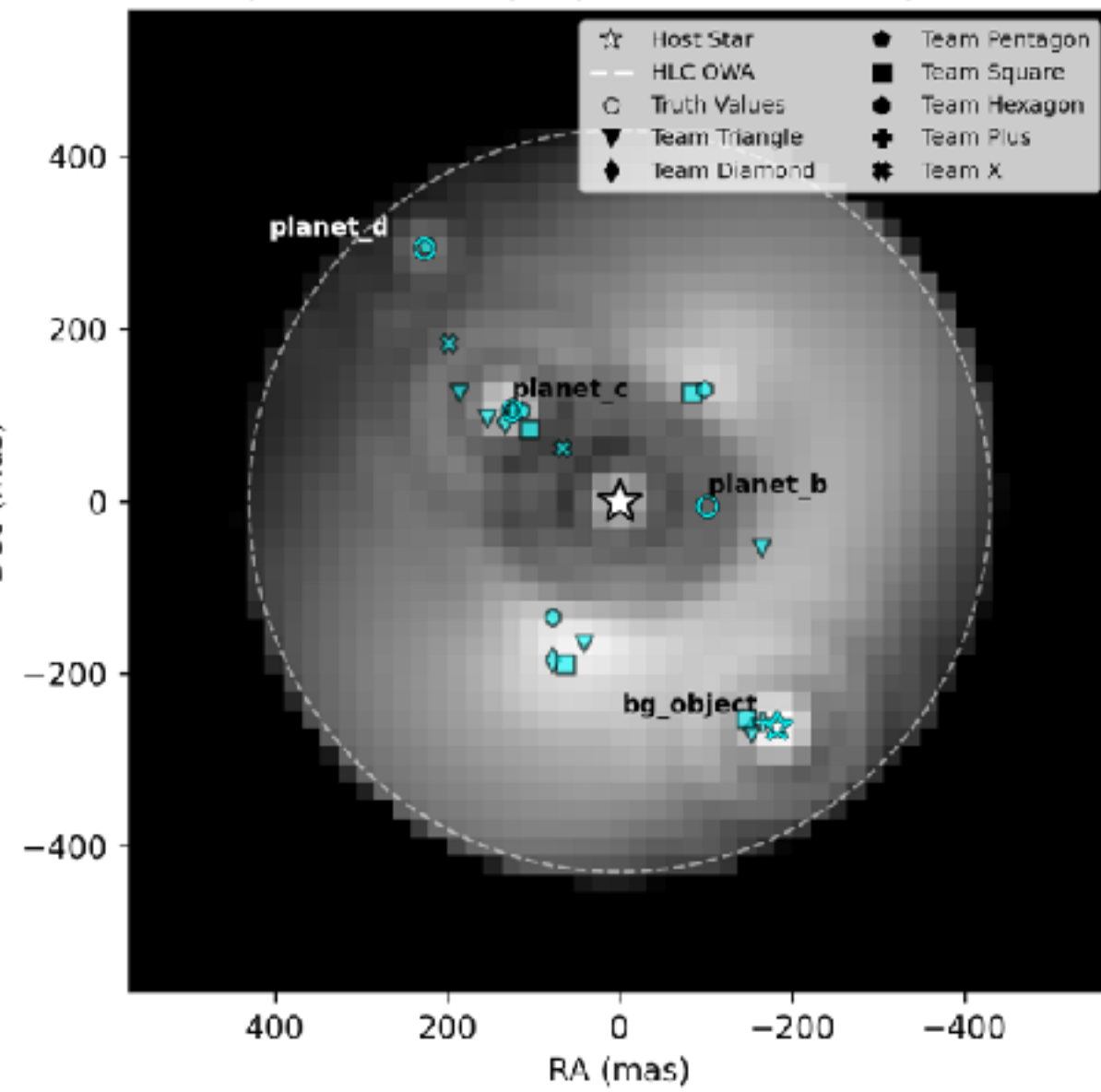
# Step 1 results: quick astrometry / identification

Eli Bogat

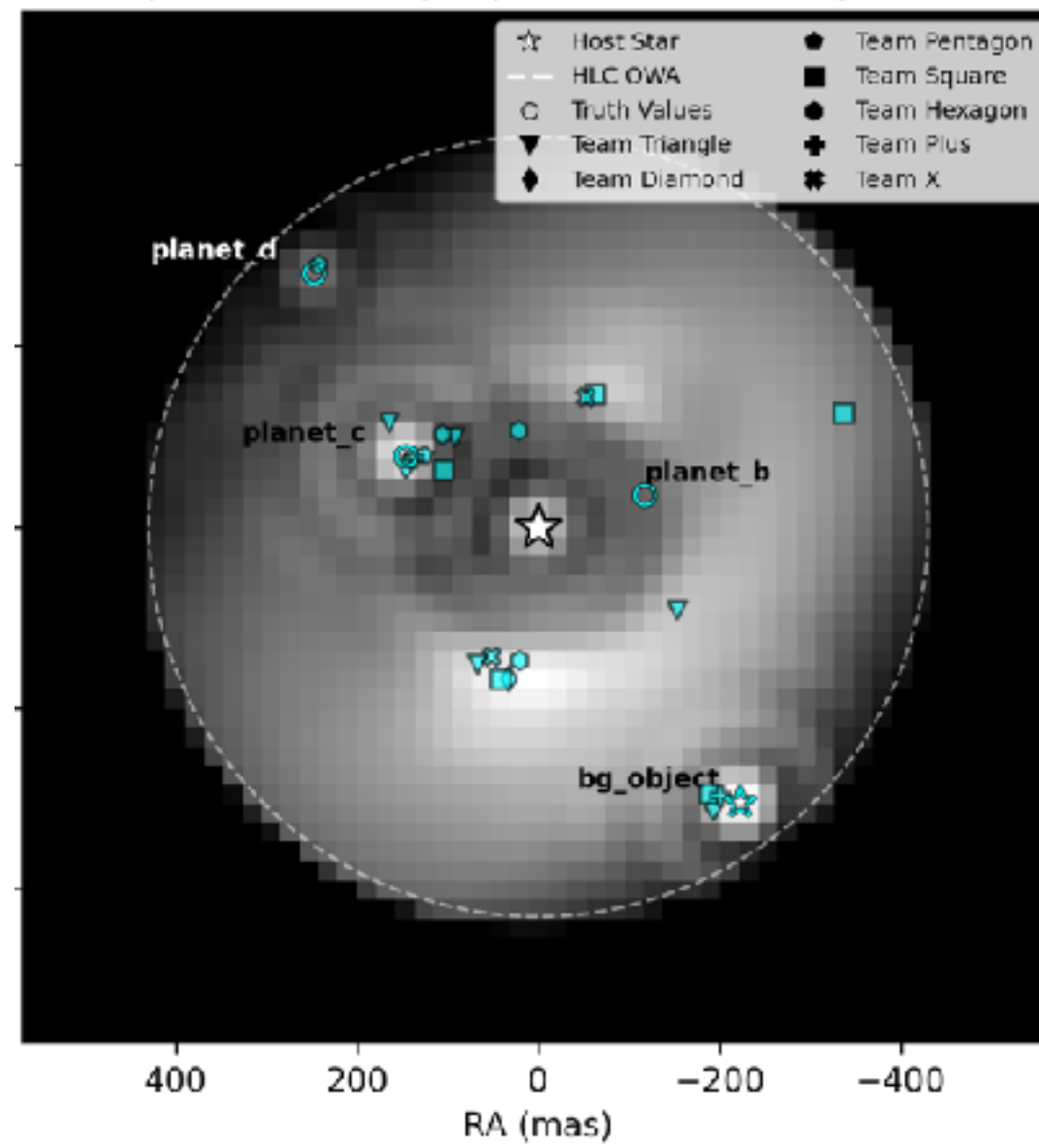


## 7 Teams

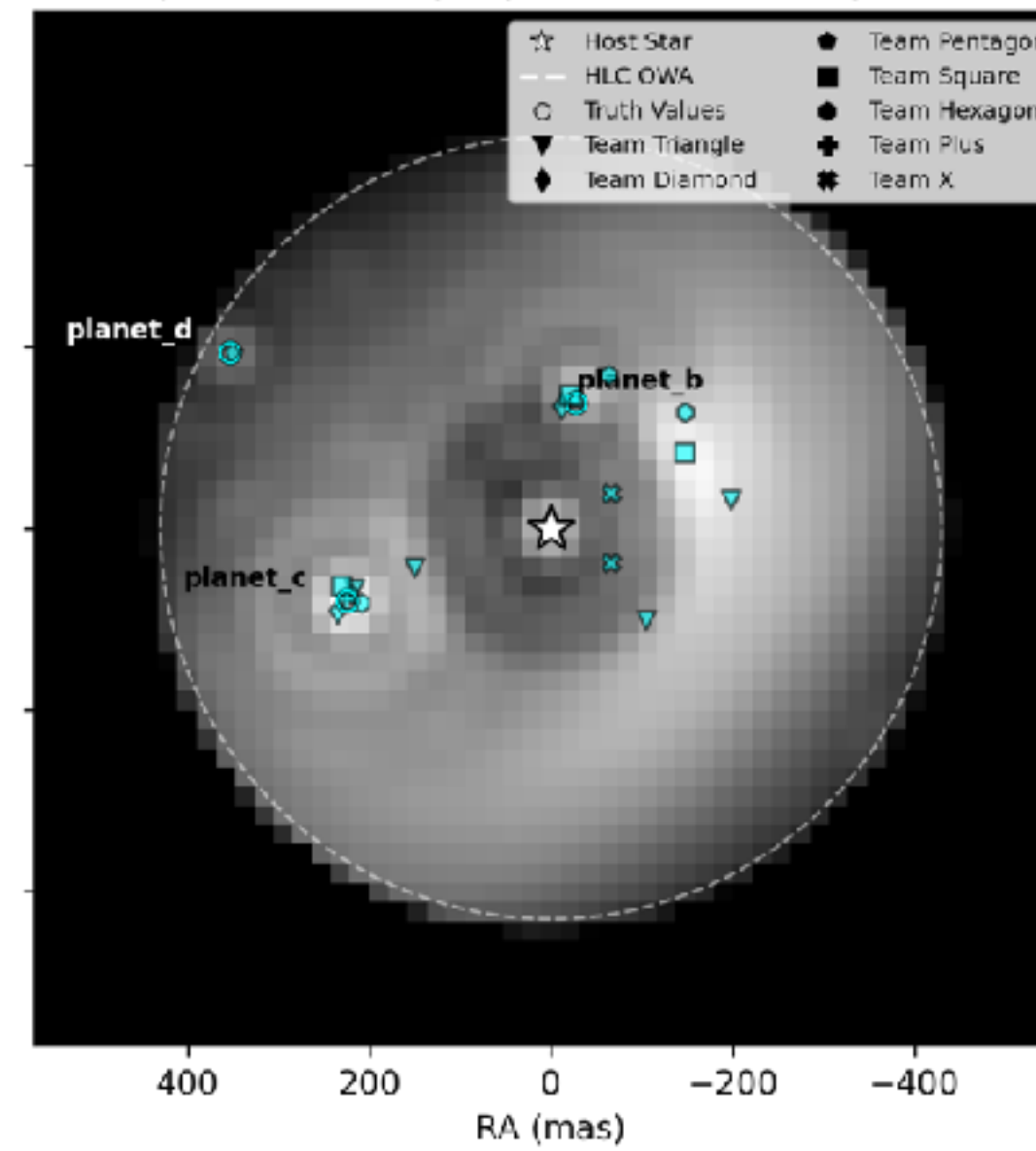
Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 1 (T + 0.00 yr), HLC



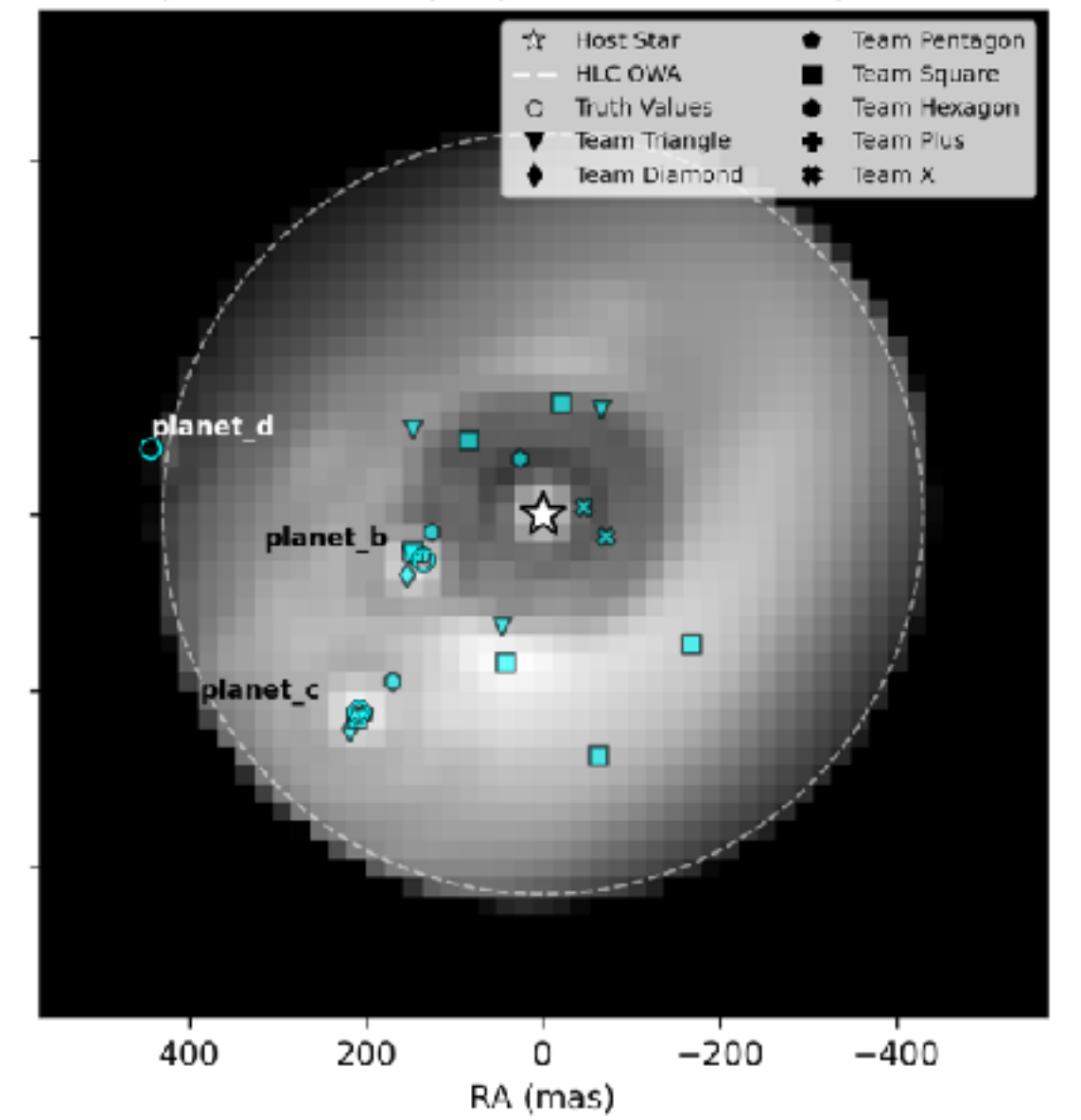
Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 2 (T + 0.15 yr), HLC



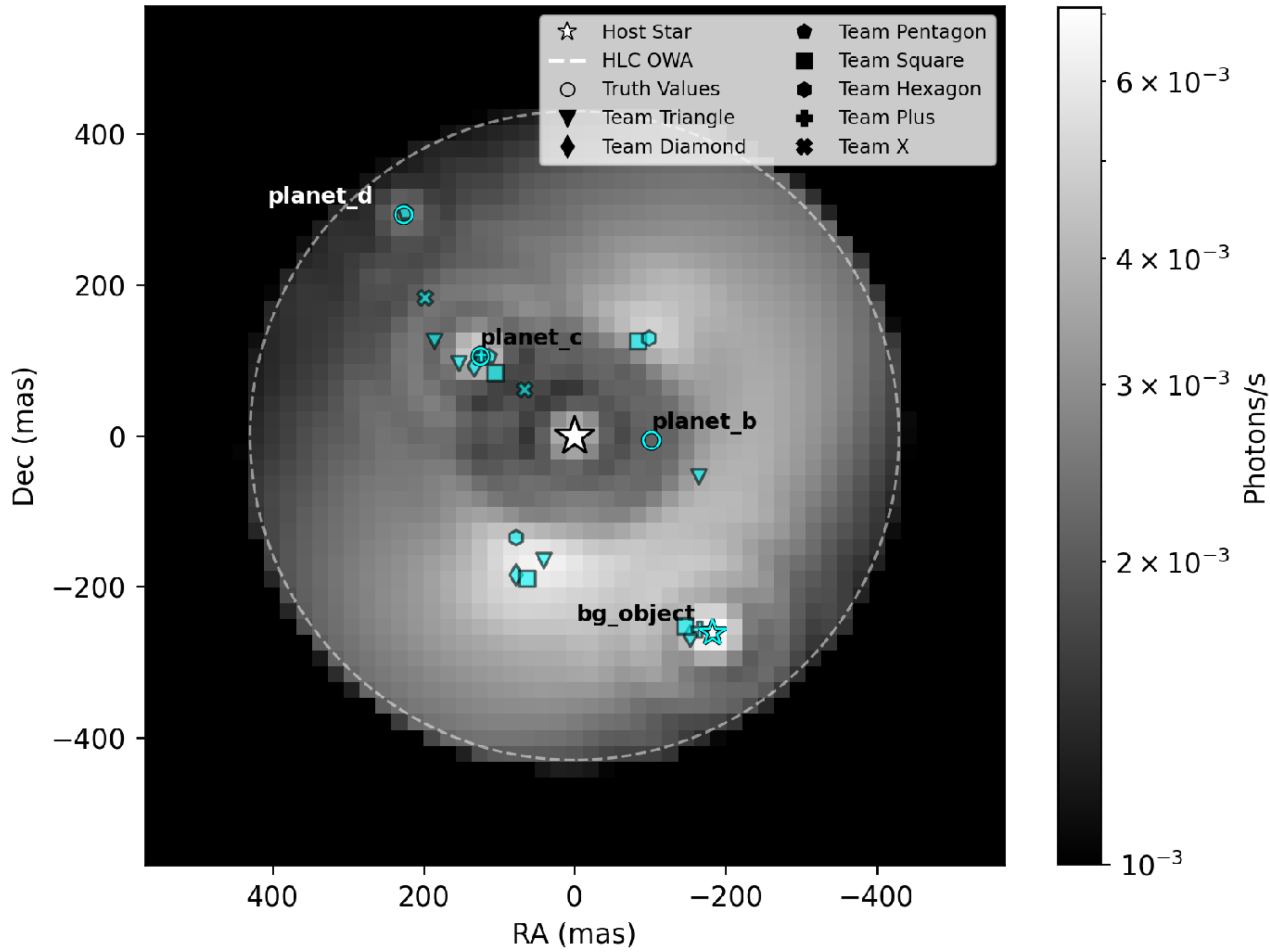
Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 3 (T + 1.00 yr), HLC



Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 4 (T + 2.00 yr), HLC

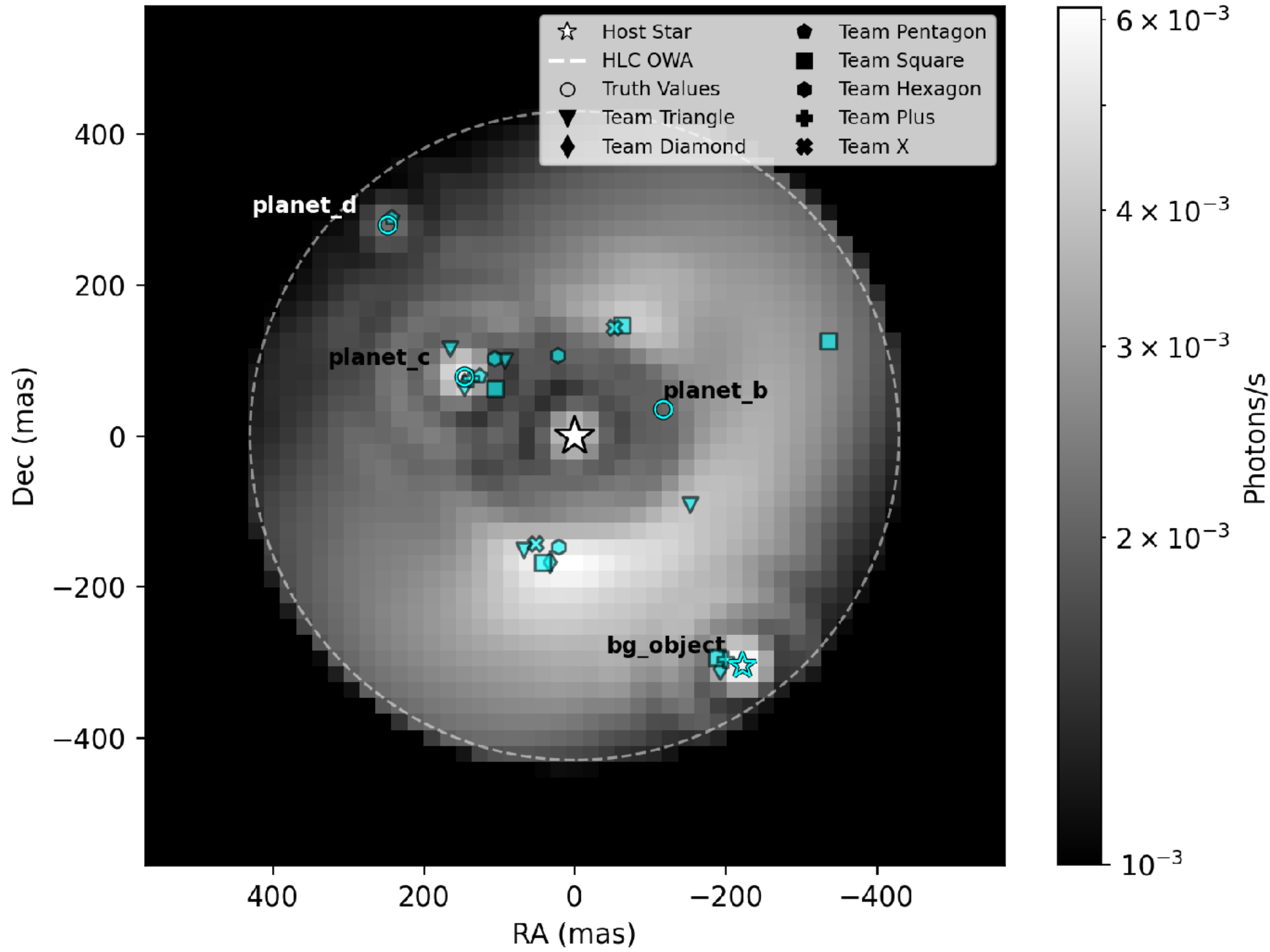


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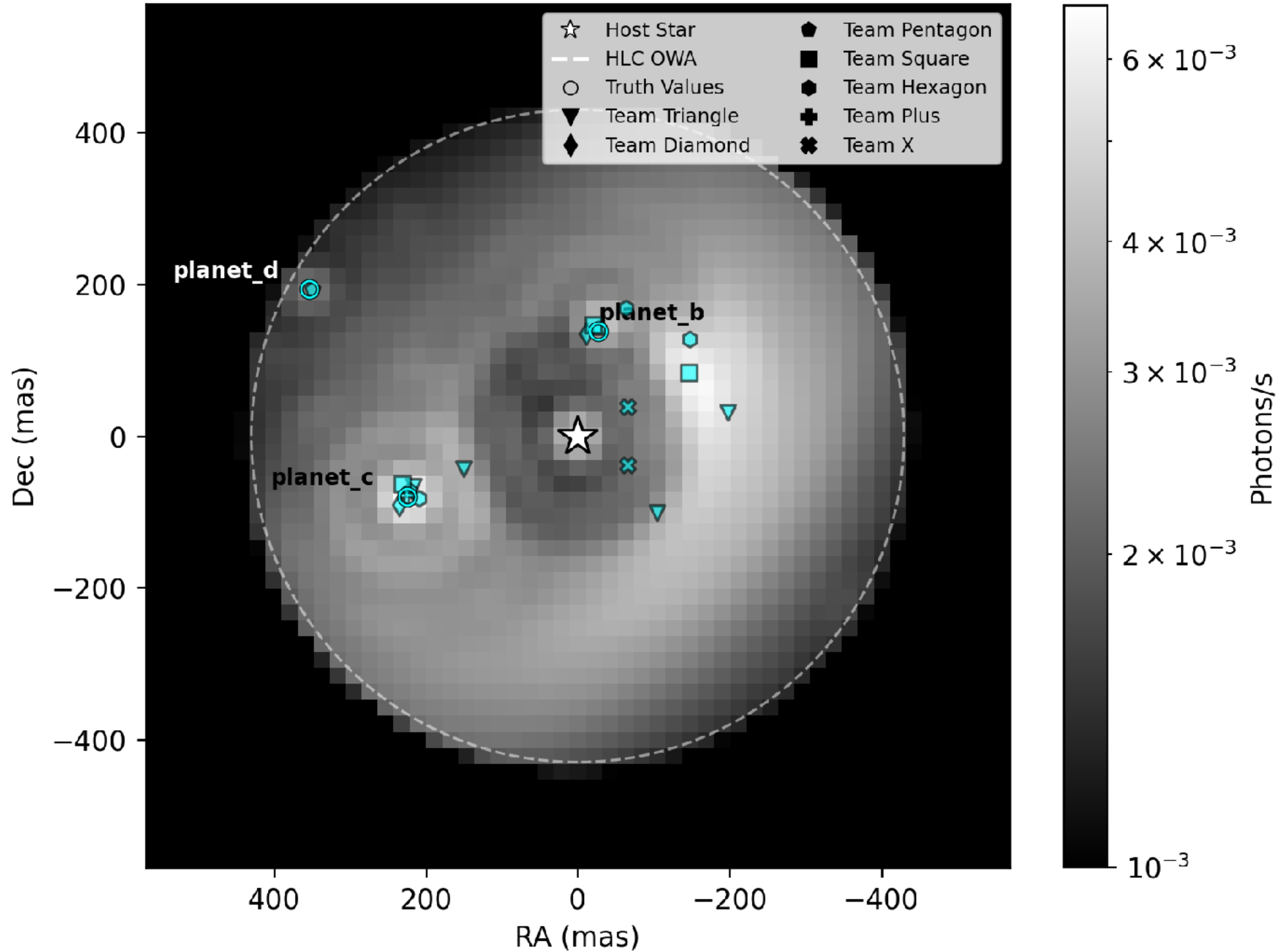




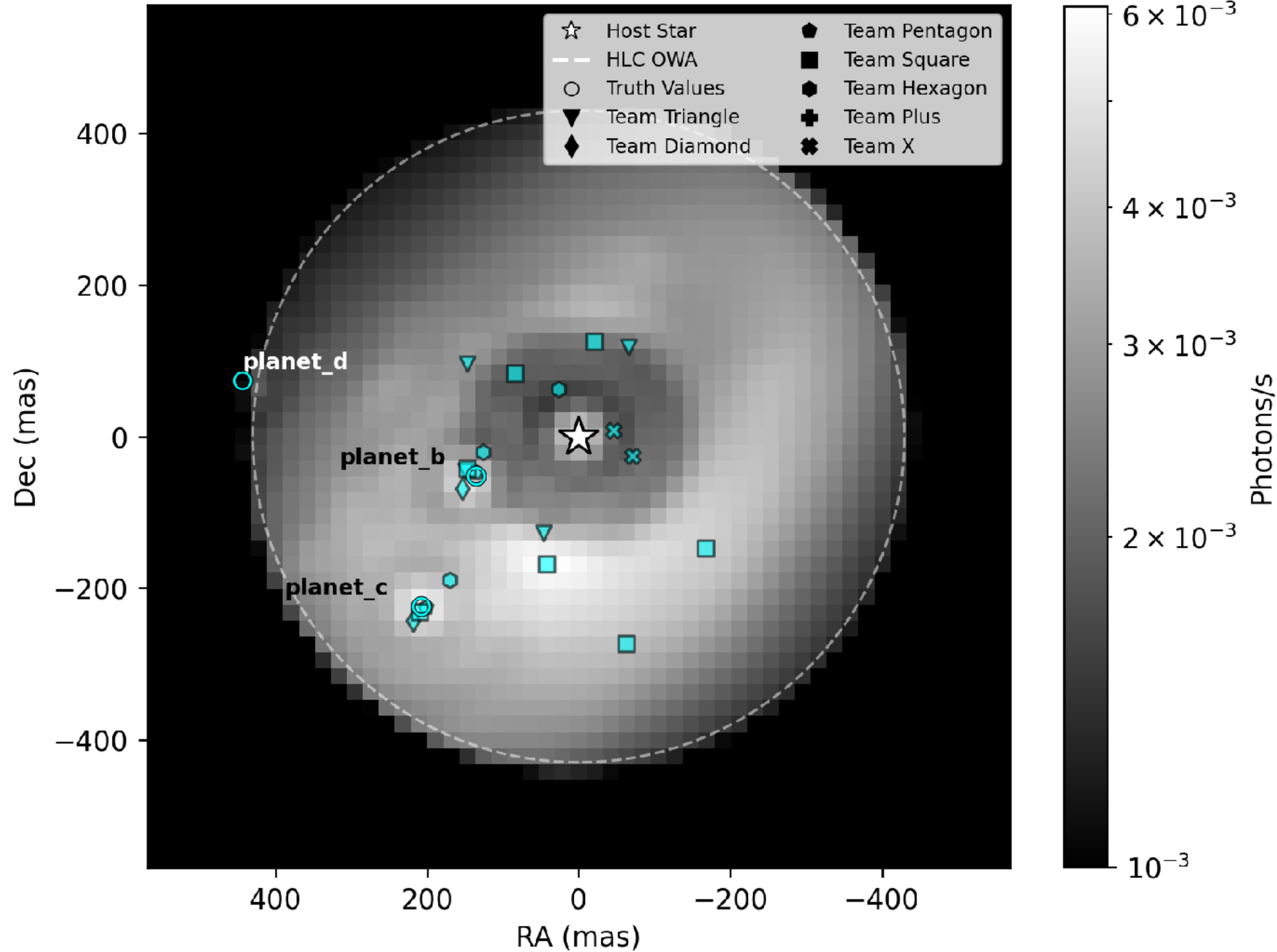
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# Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 3 (T + 1.00 yr), HLC



# Step 1 Astrometry: Epoch 4 (T + 2.00 yr), HLC





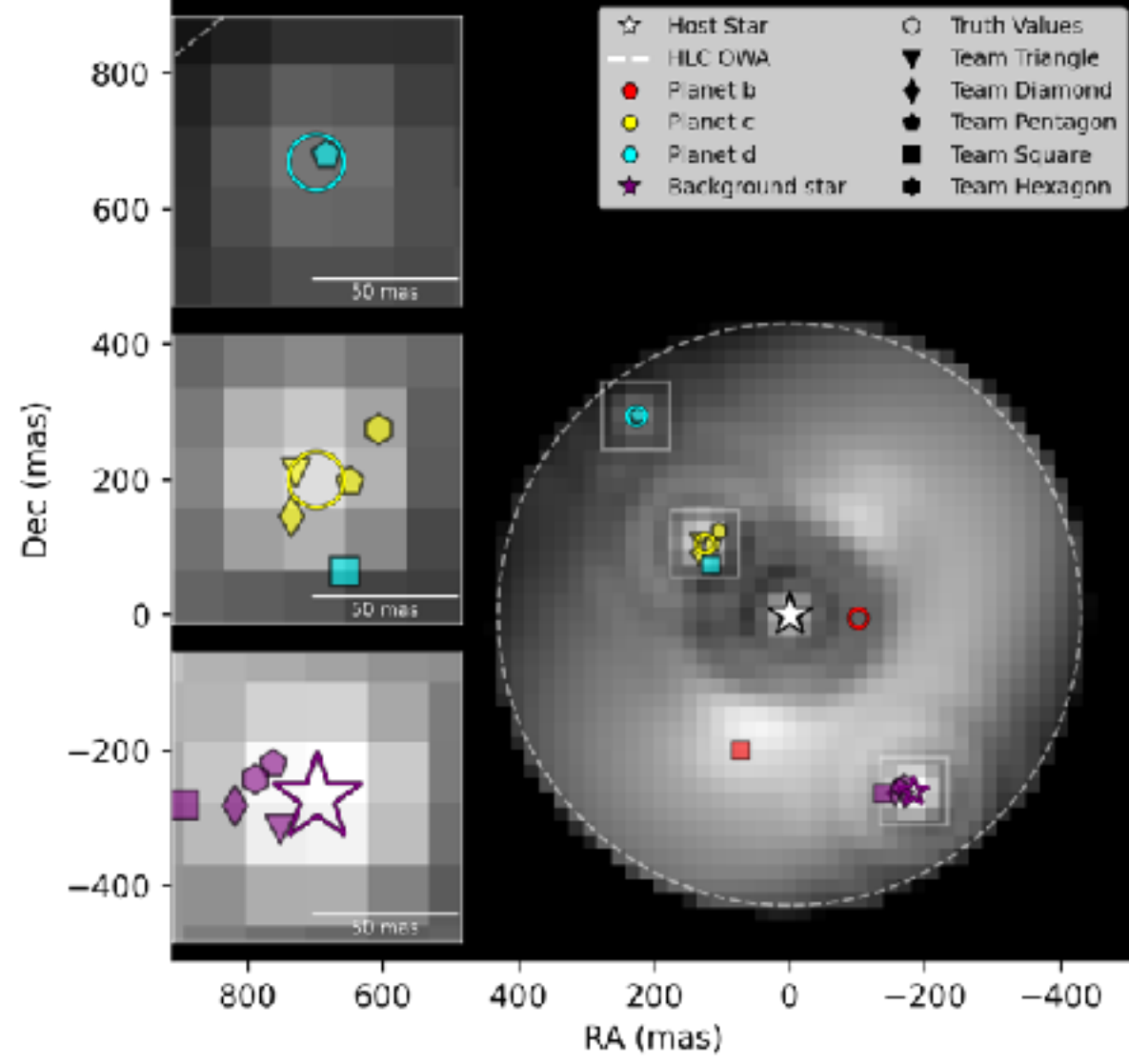
# Final astrometry / identification by epoch

Eli Bogat

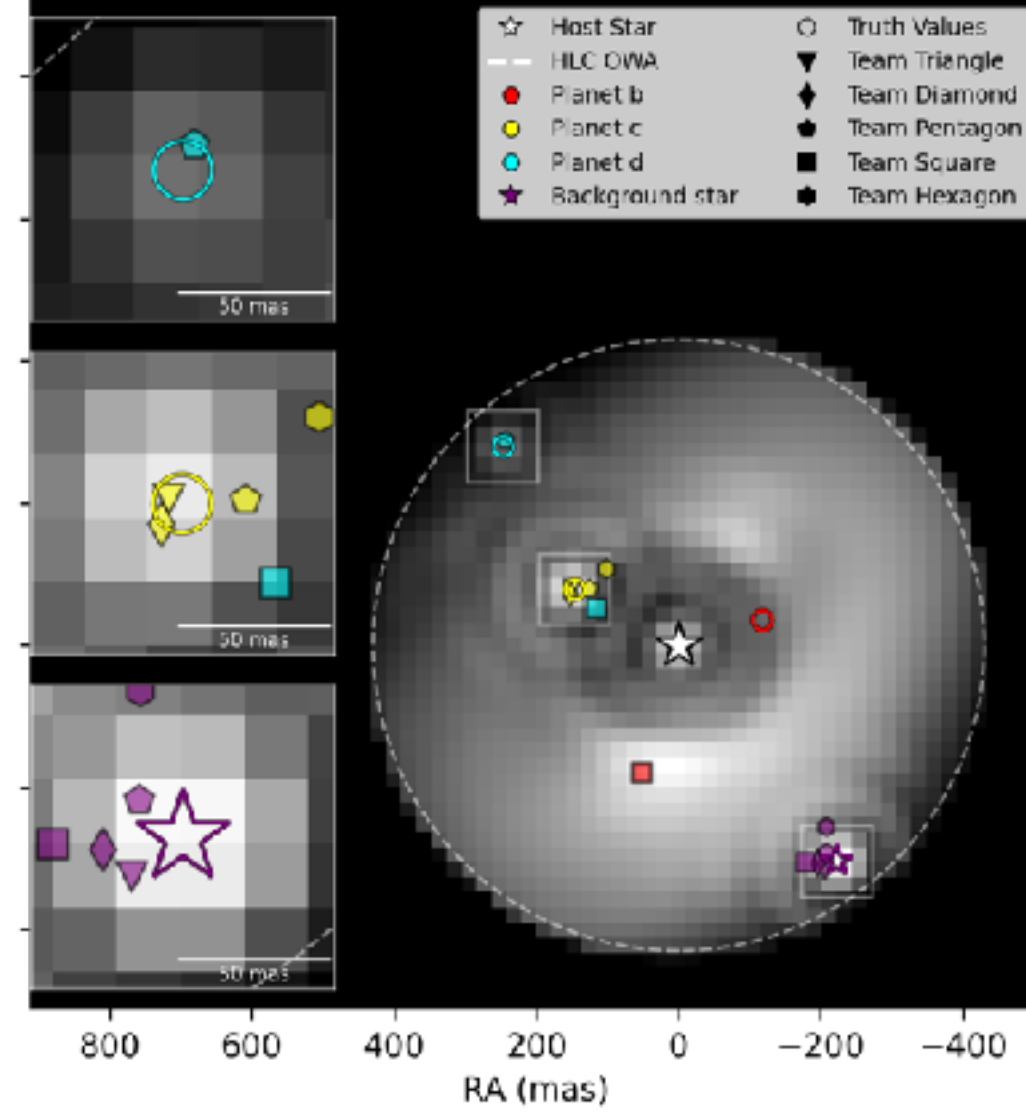


**HLC**

Final Astrometry: Epoch 1 (T + 0.00 yr), HLC

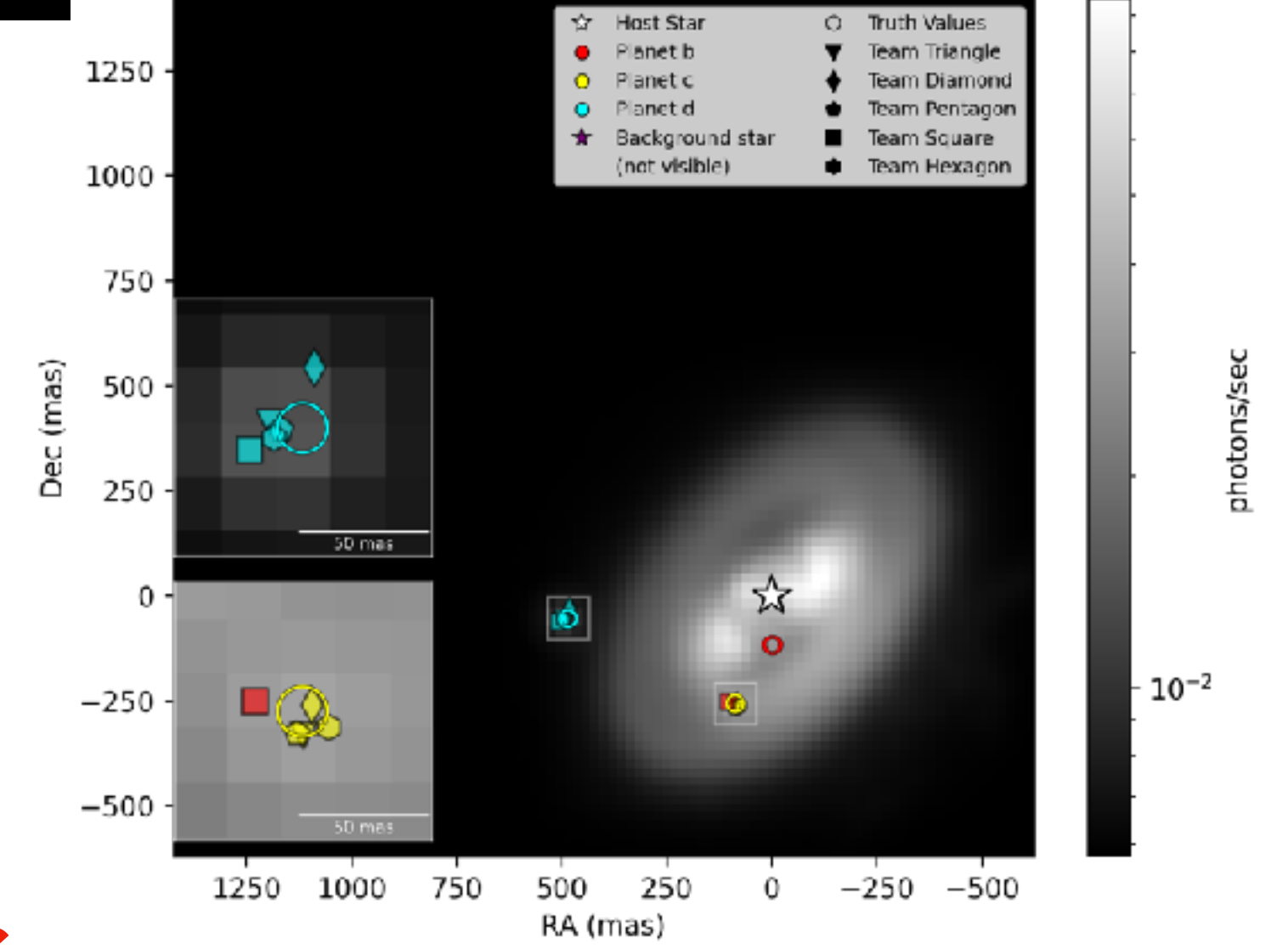


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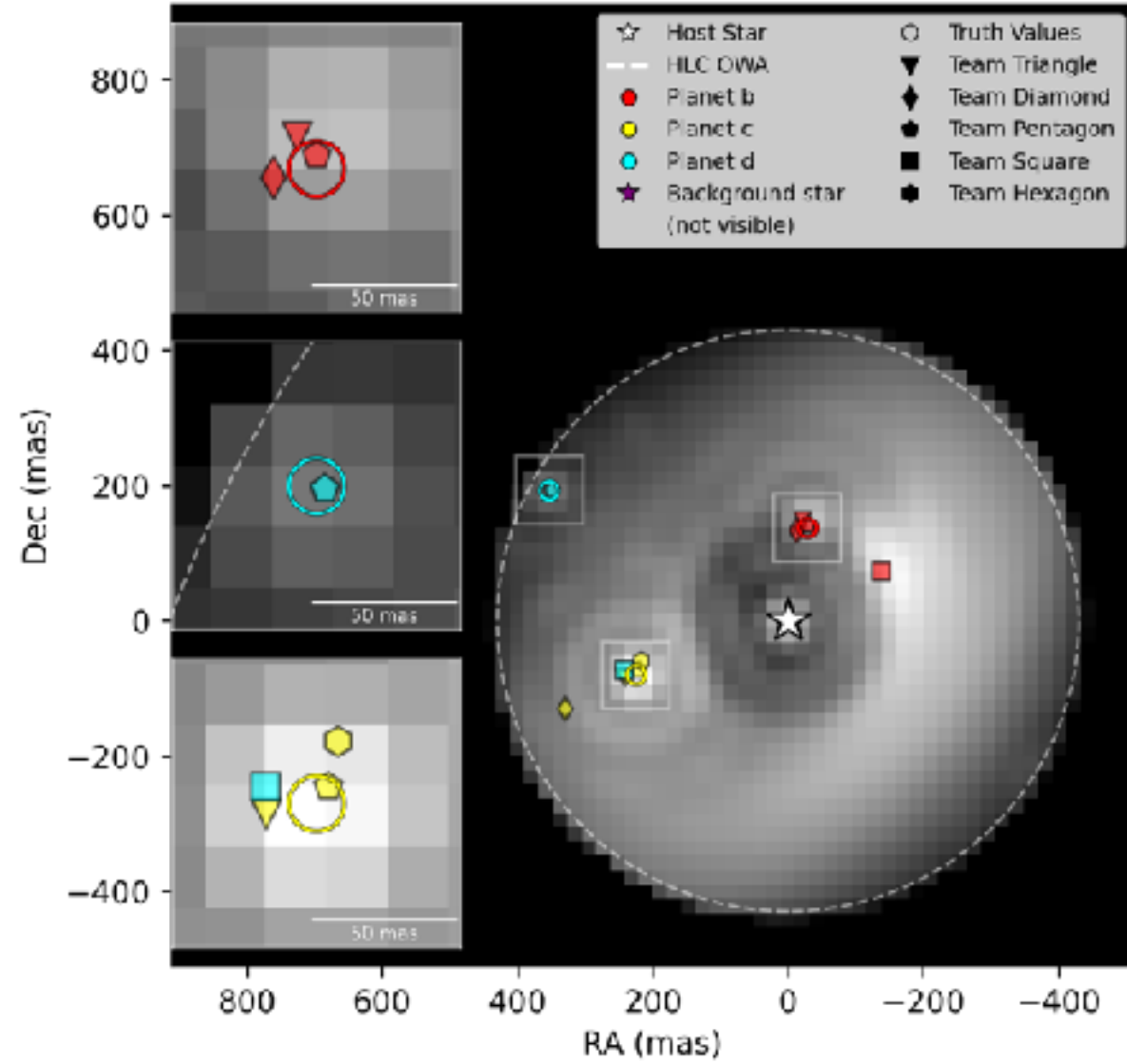


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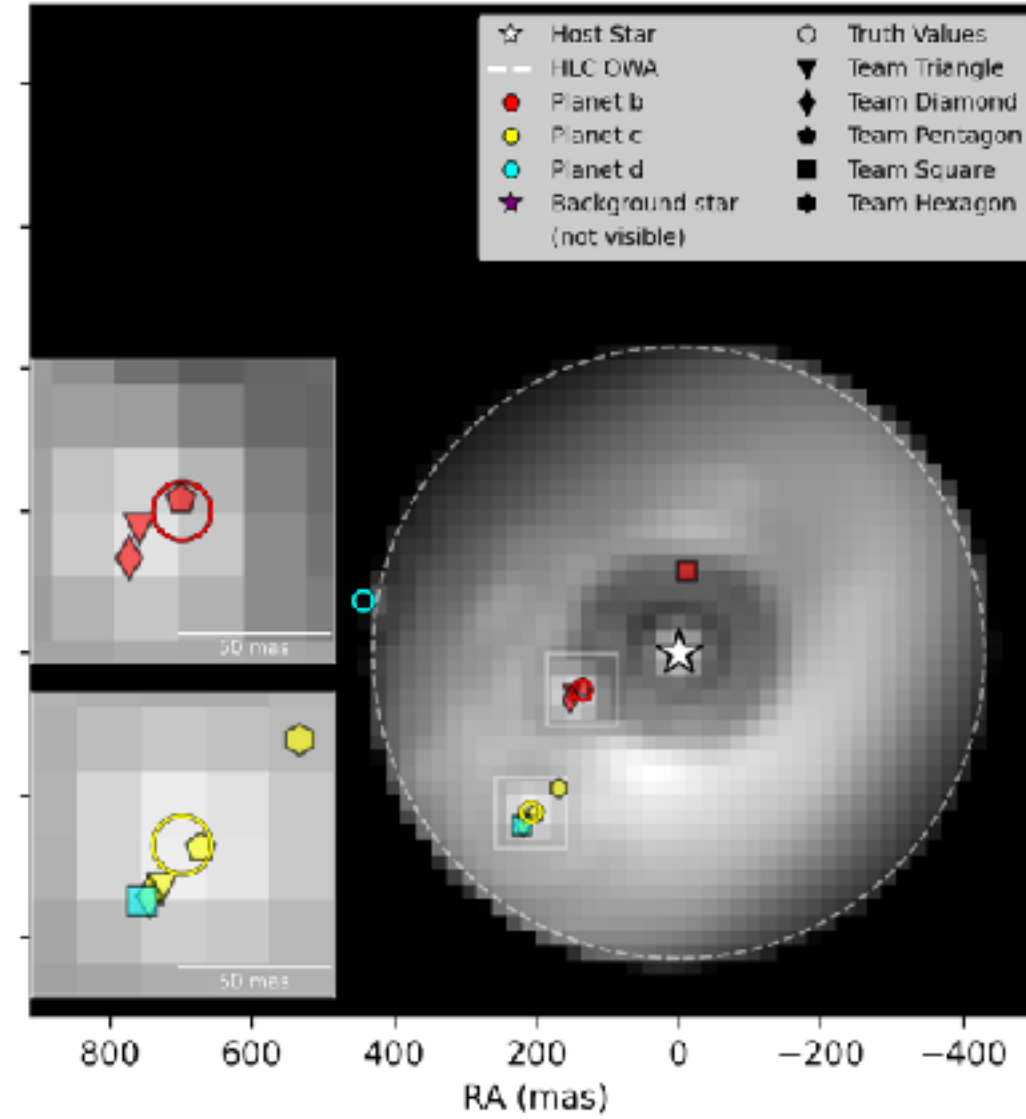
Final Astrometry: Epoch 5 (T + 3.00 yr), Starshade



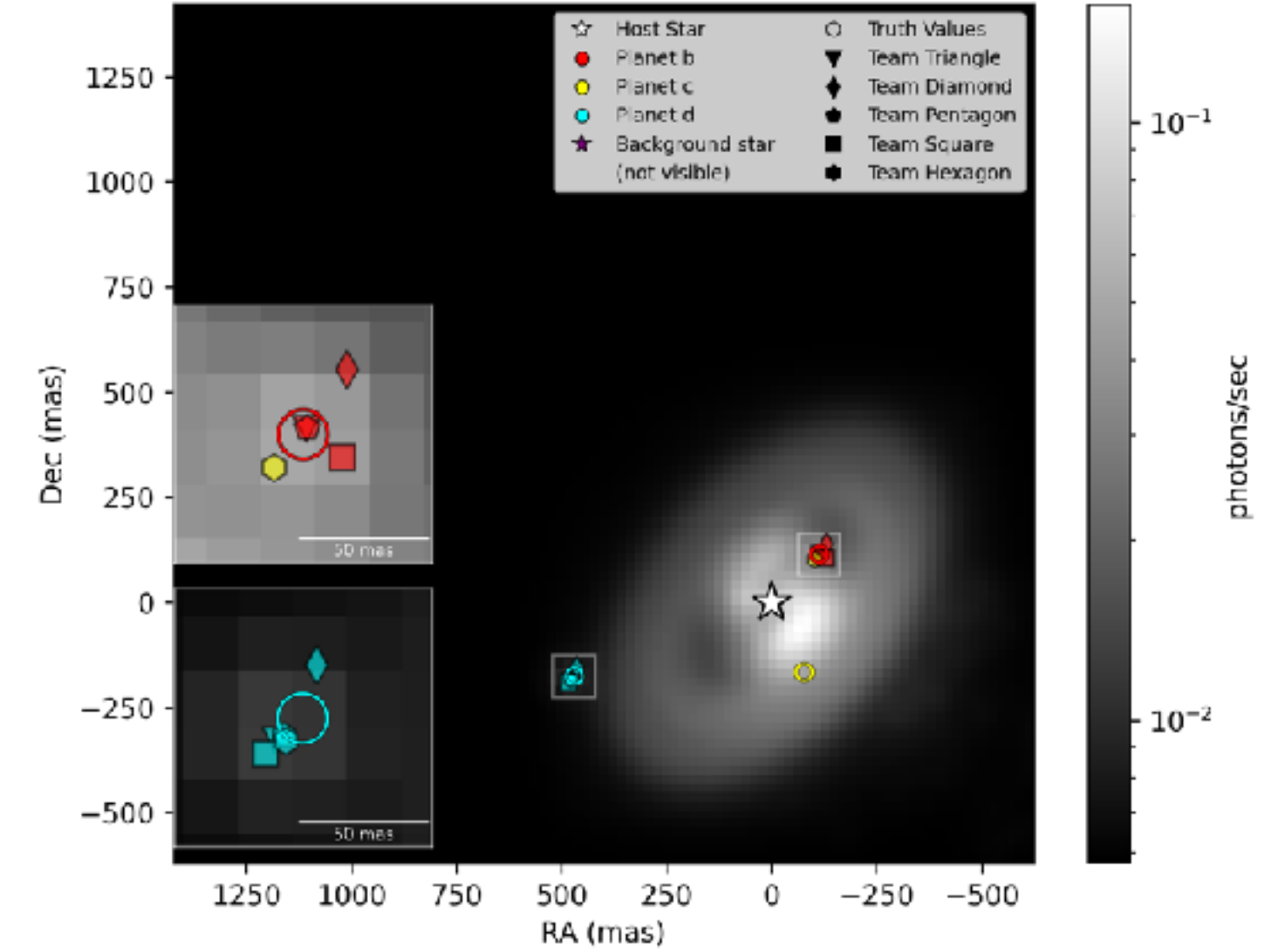
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Final Astrometry: Epoch 4 (T + 2.00 yr), HLC

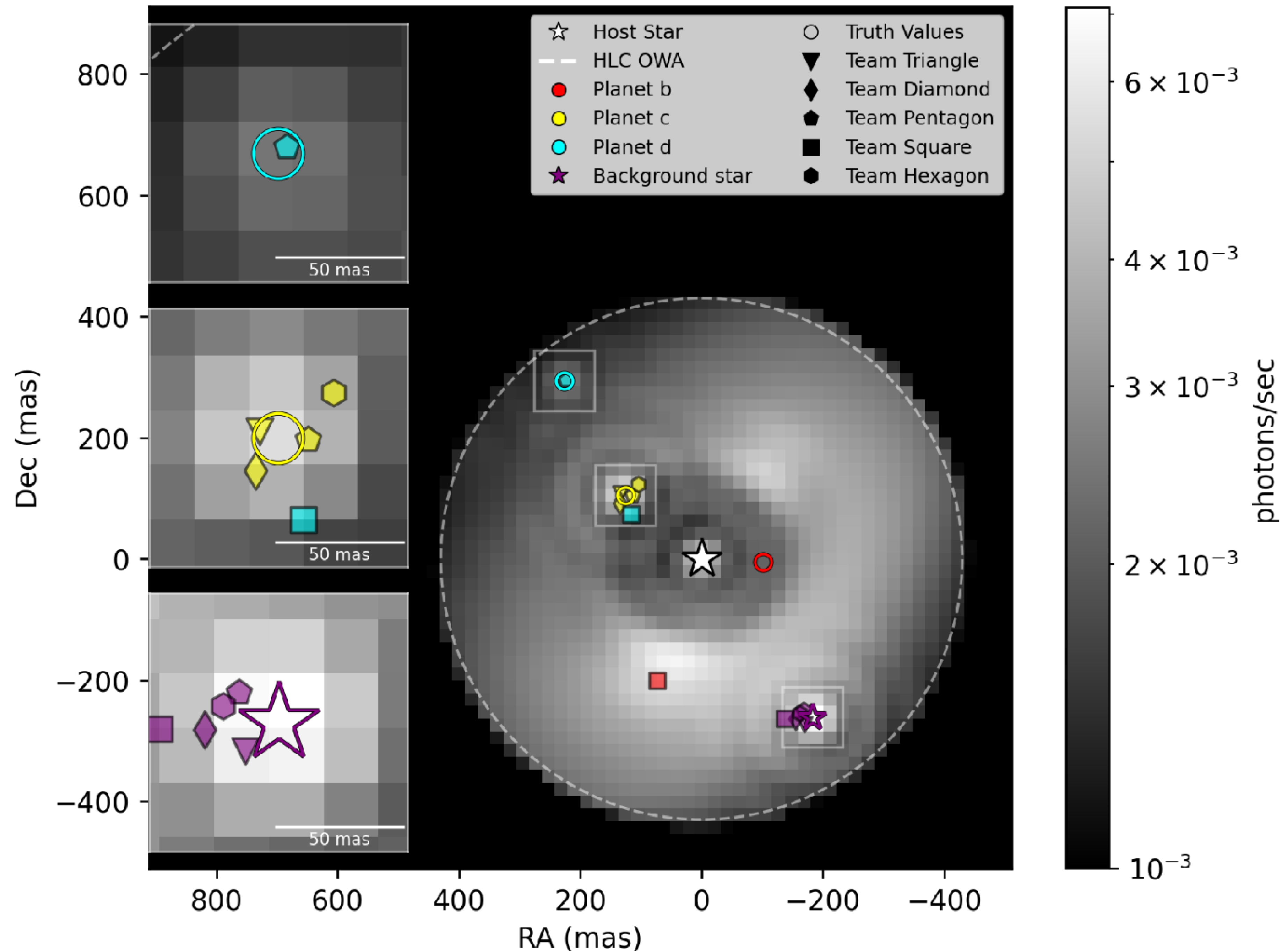


Final Astrometry: Epoch 6 (T + 4.00 yr), Starshade

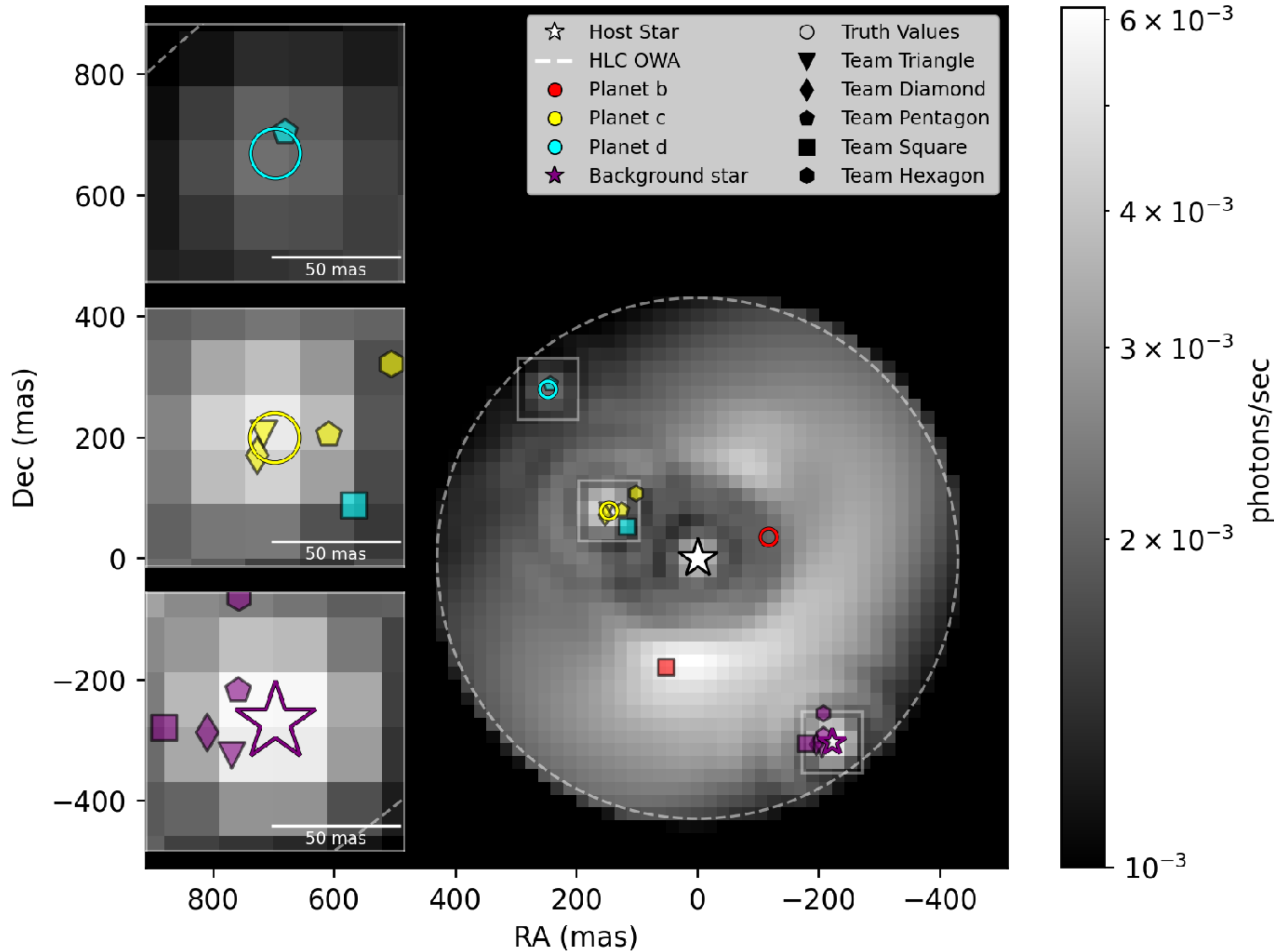


**5 Teams**

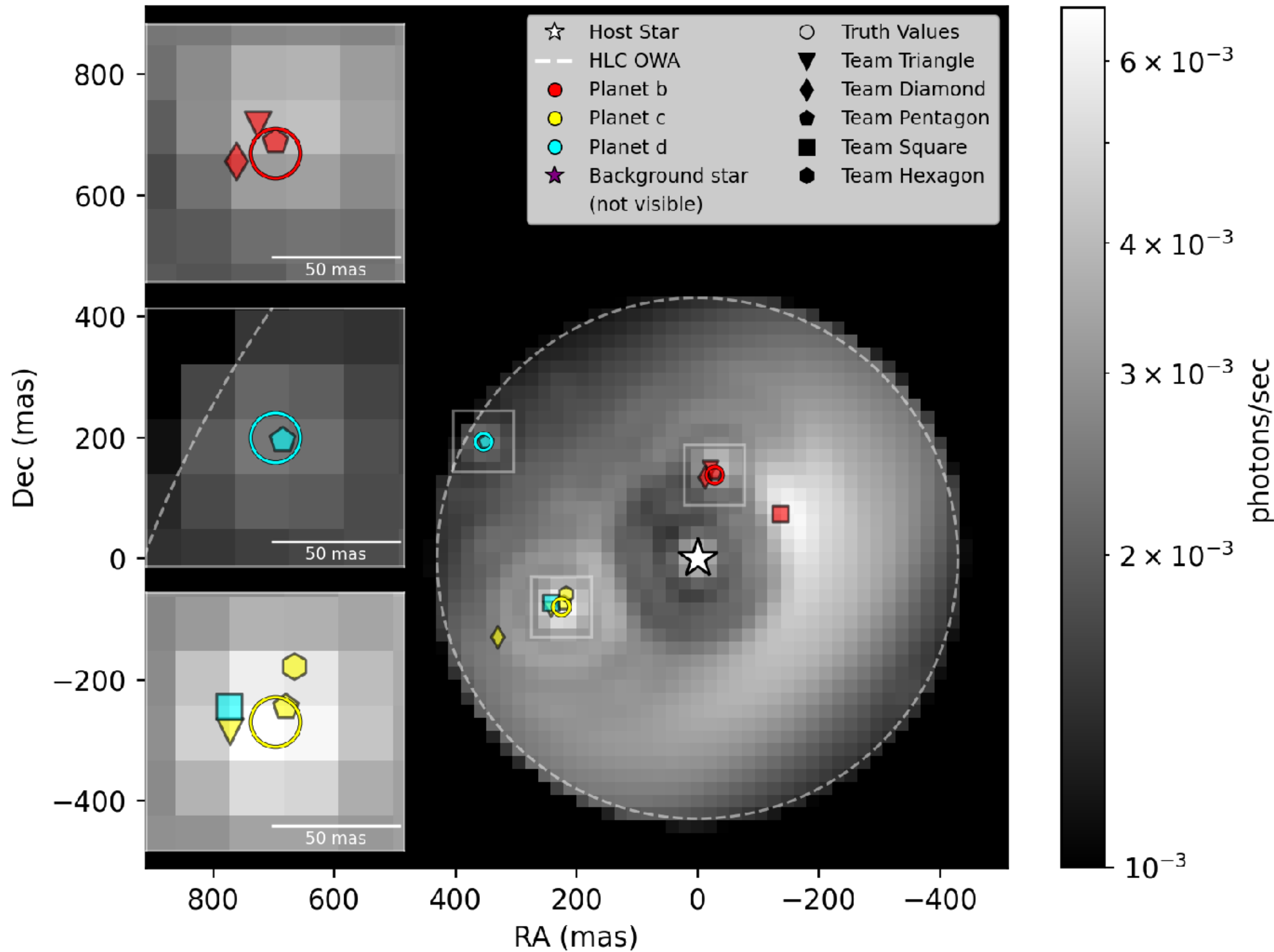
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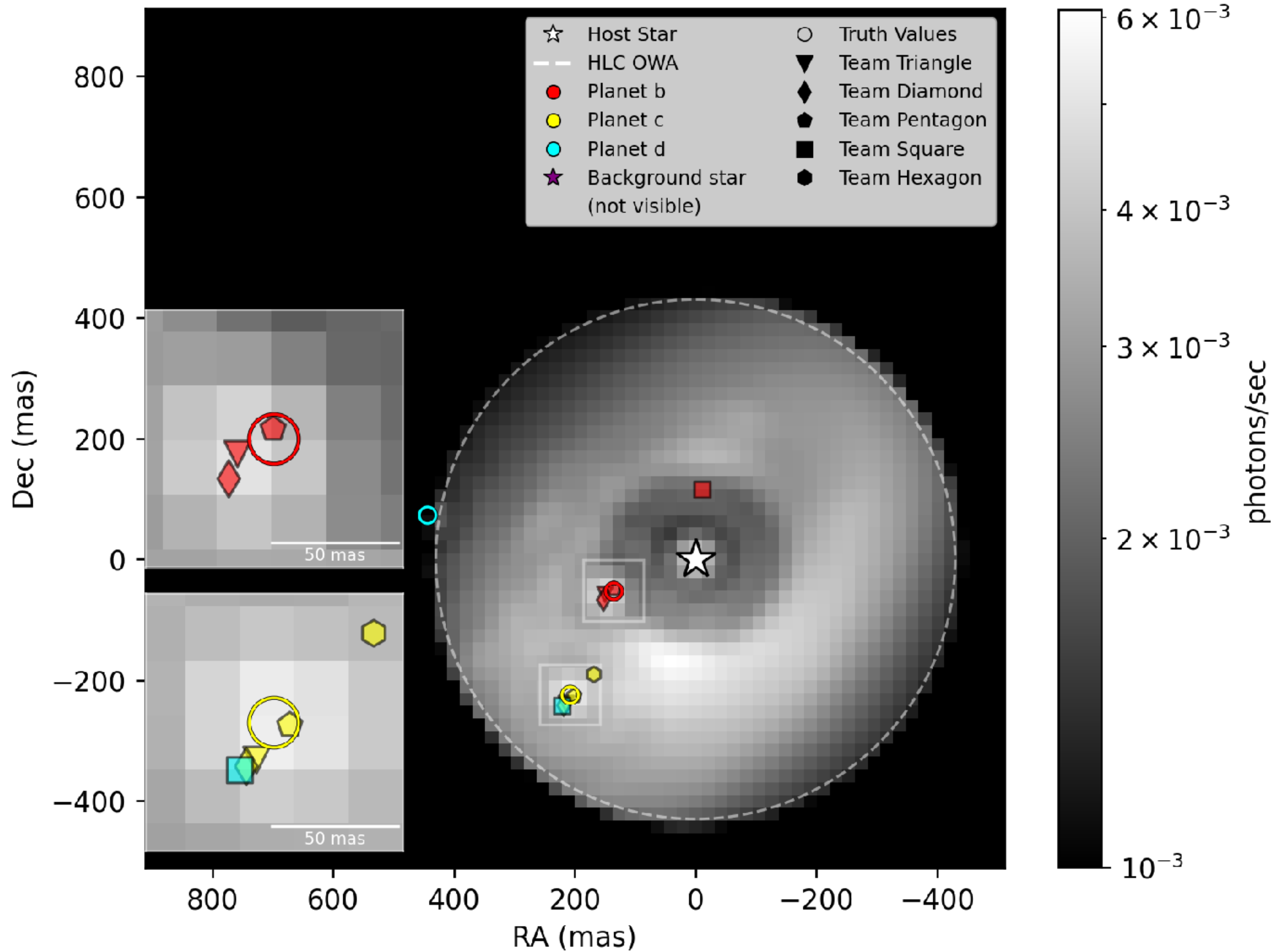
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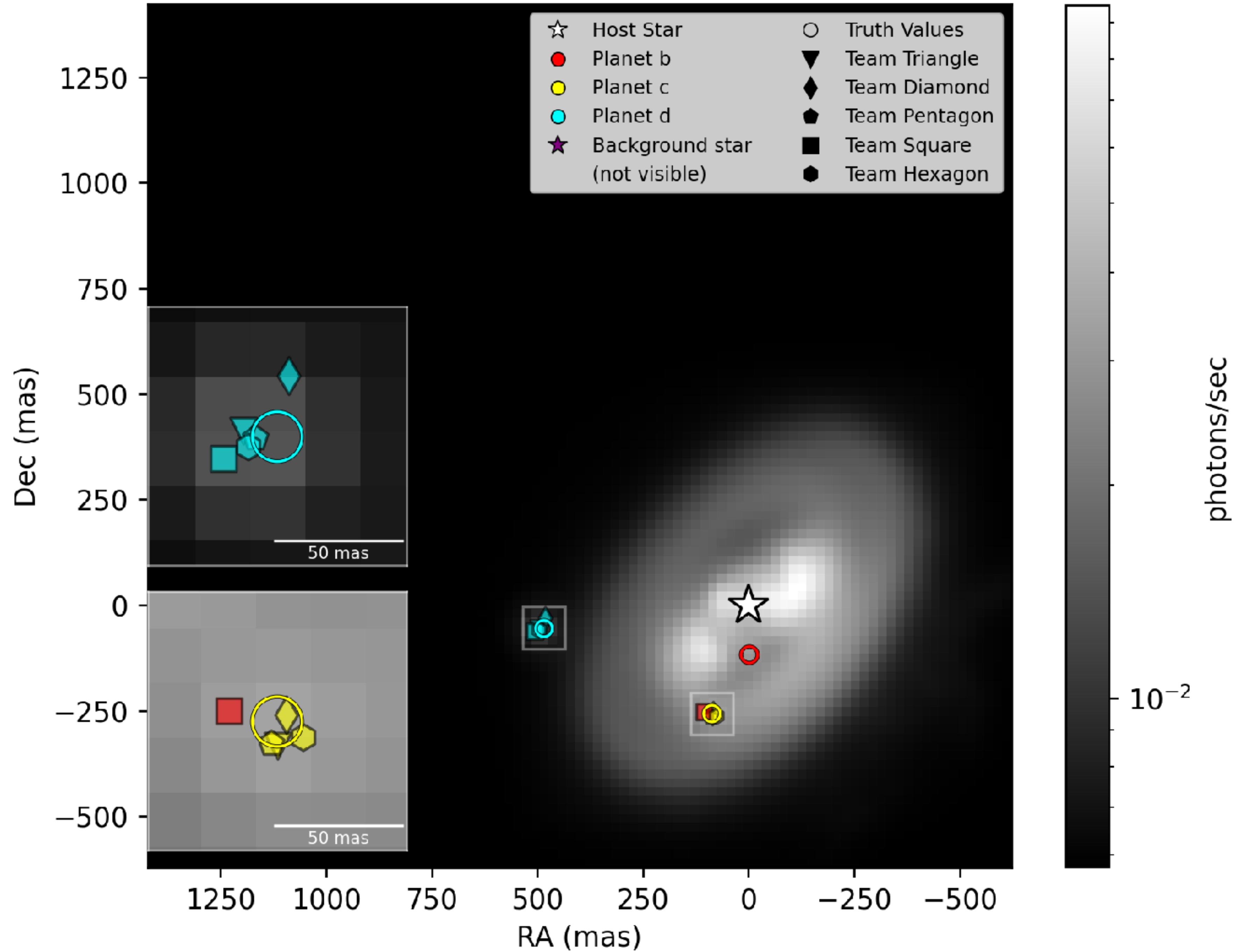


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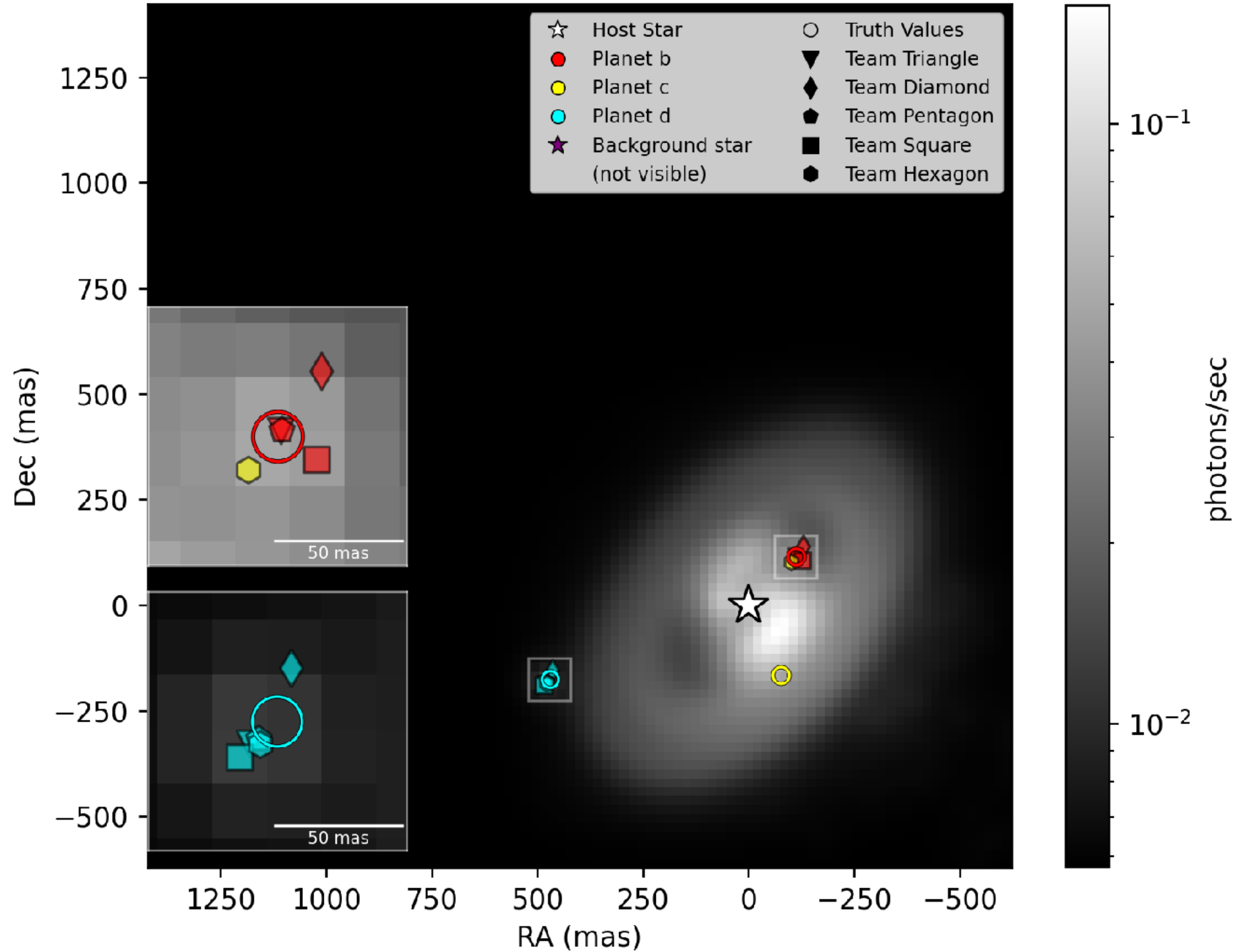




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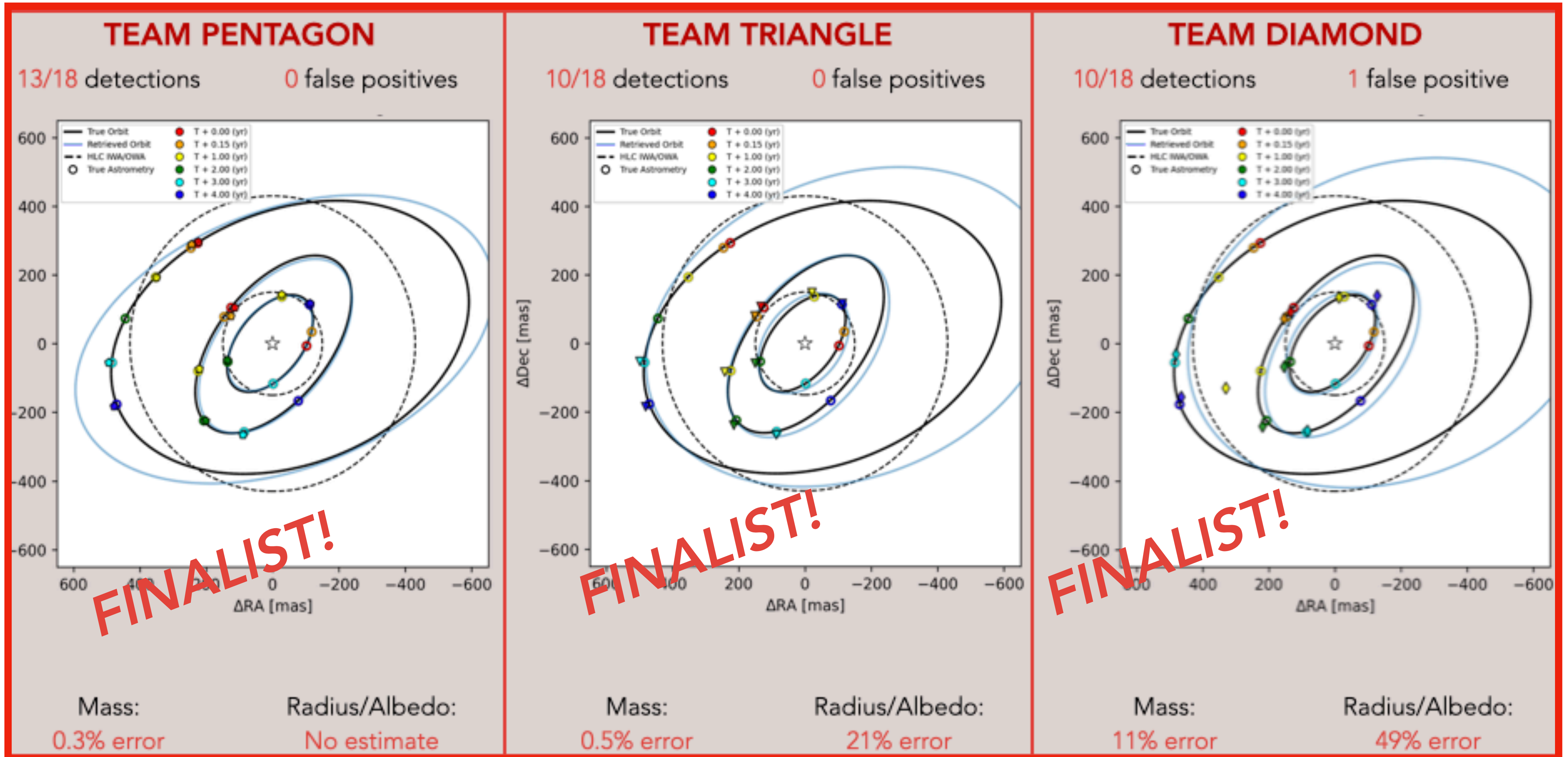


# Final Astrometry: Epoch 6 (T + 4.00 yr), Starshade



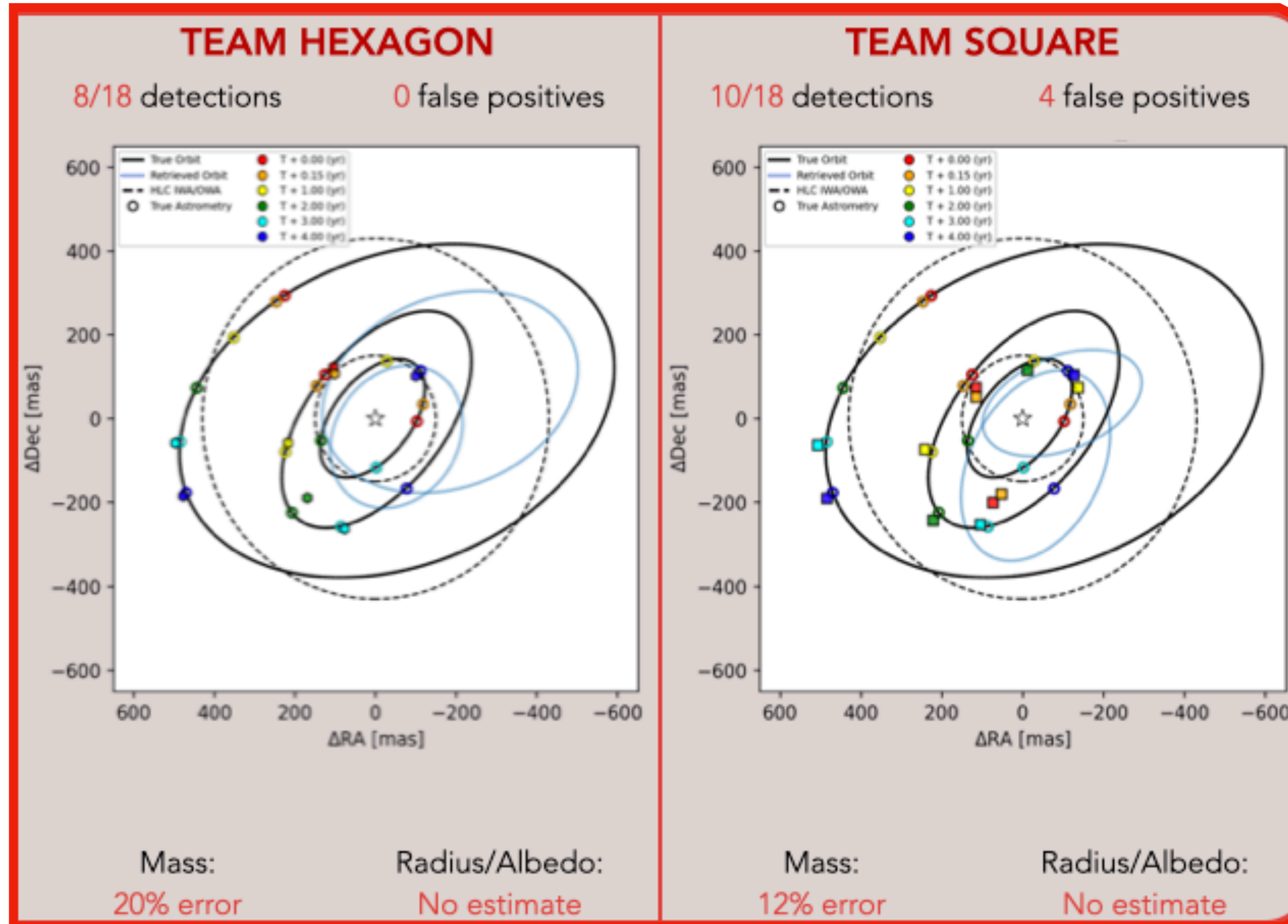


# Final Planet Count for the 3 Best Teams





# Final Planet Count for the 2 Next Teams (4th-5th)



Mis-matching of the planets caused significant errors

False positives and mis-matching of the planets caused significant errors



# Challenge Results: Planet detection matrix

Eli Bogat



Epoch

Epoch	Time Elapsed (years)	Flux Ratio		
		Planet b	Planet c	Planet d
1	(HLC) 0.00	3.58e-10 ○▽◇○□	4.54e-09 ◆▼◆■	1.01e-09 ◆▼◇○□
2	(HLC) 0.15	6.9e-10 ○▽◇○□	4.52e-09 ◆▼◆■	1.01e-09 ◆▼◇○□
3	(HLC) 1.00	5.19e-09 ◆▼◆○■	3.61e-09 ◆▼◆■	9.84e-10 ◆▼◇○□
4	(HLC) 2.00	4.82e-09 ◆▼◆○■	1.83e-09 ◆▼◆■	8.69e-10 ○▽◇○□
5	(Starshade) 3.00	4.96e-10 ○▽◇○□	5.6e-10 ◆▼◆■	6.85e-10 ◆▼◆■
6	(Starshade) 4.00	2.4e-09 ◆▼◆■	1.21e-10 ○▽◇○□	4.77e-10 ◆▼◆■

Legend	
●	Detection
○	Non-Detection
■ (Green)	Easy
■ (Yellow)	Medium
■ (Red)	Difficult

Planet c is the easiest

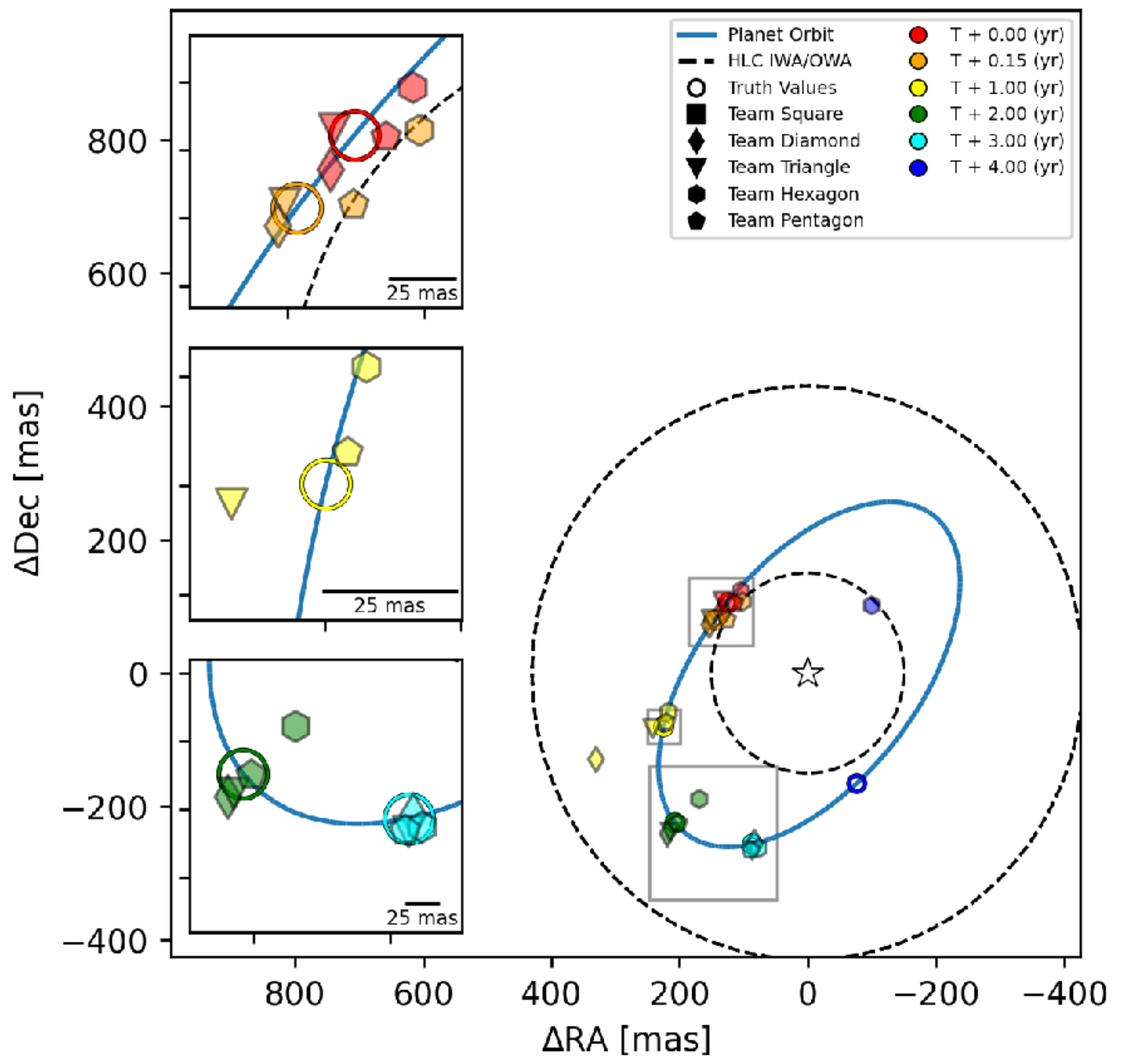
Team ◆ detected Planet d for very challenging epochs (experience & post-processing skills)

Working angle →

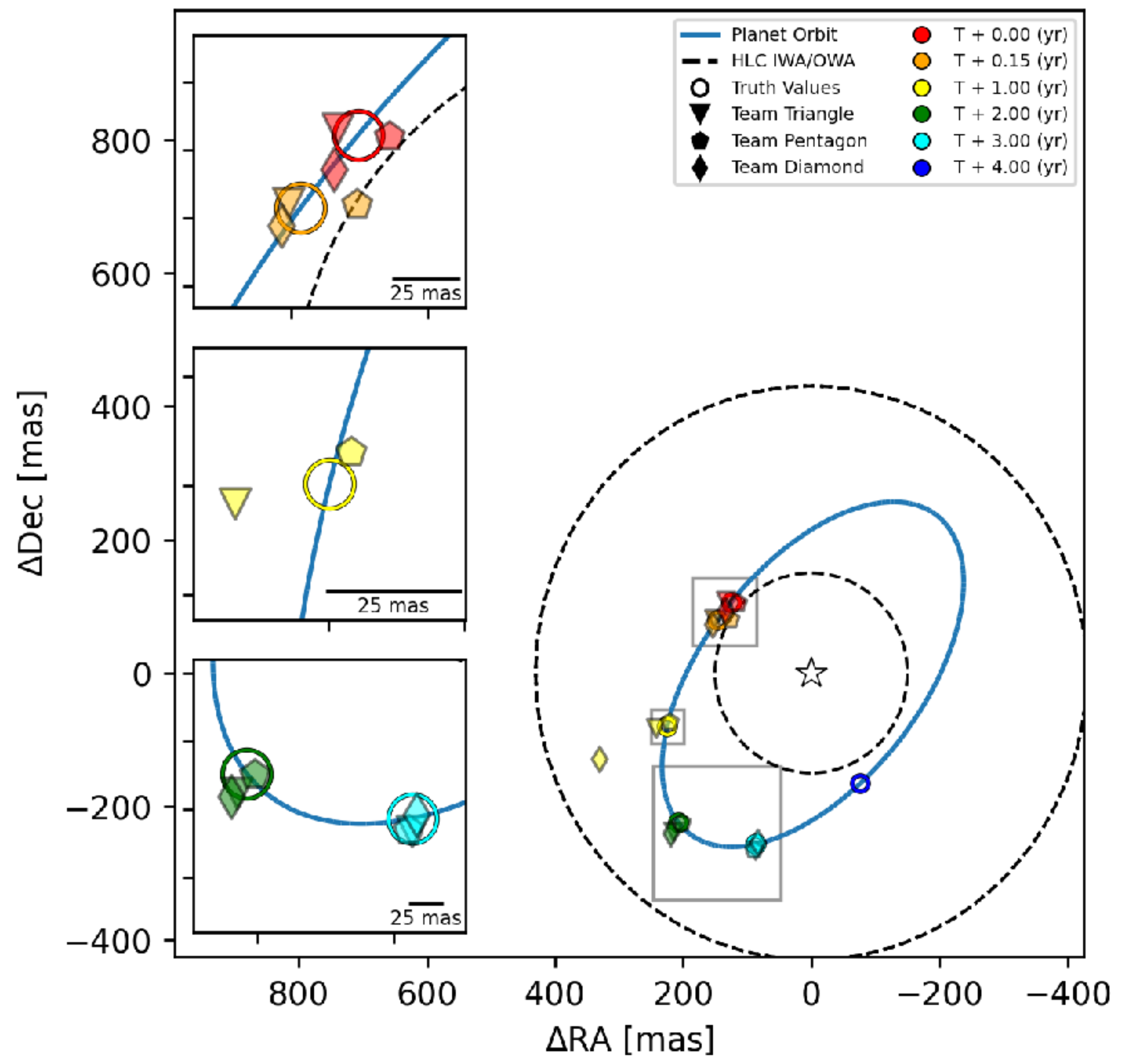


# Step 2 & 3: Refined Astrometry / orbital fit - Nominal Planet c

Final Astrometry Results: Planet c



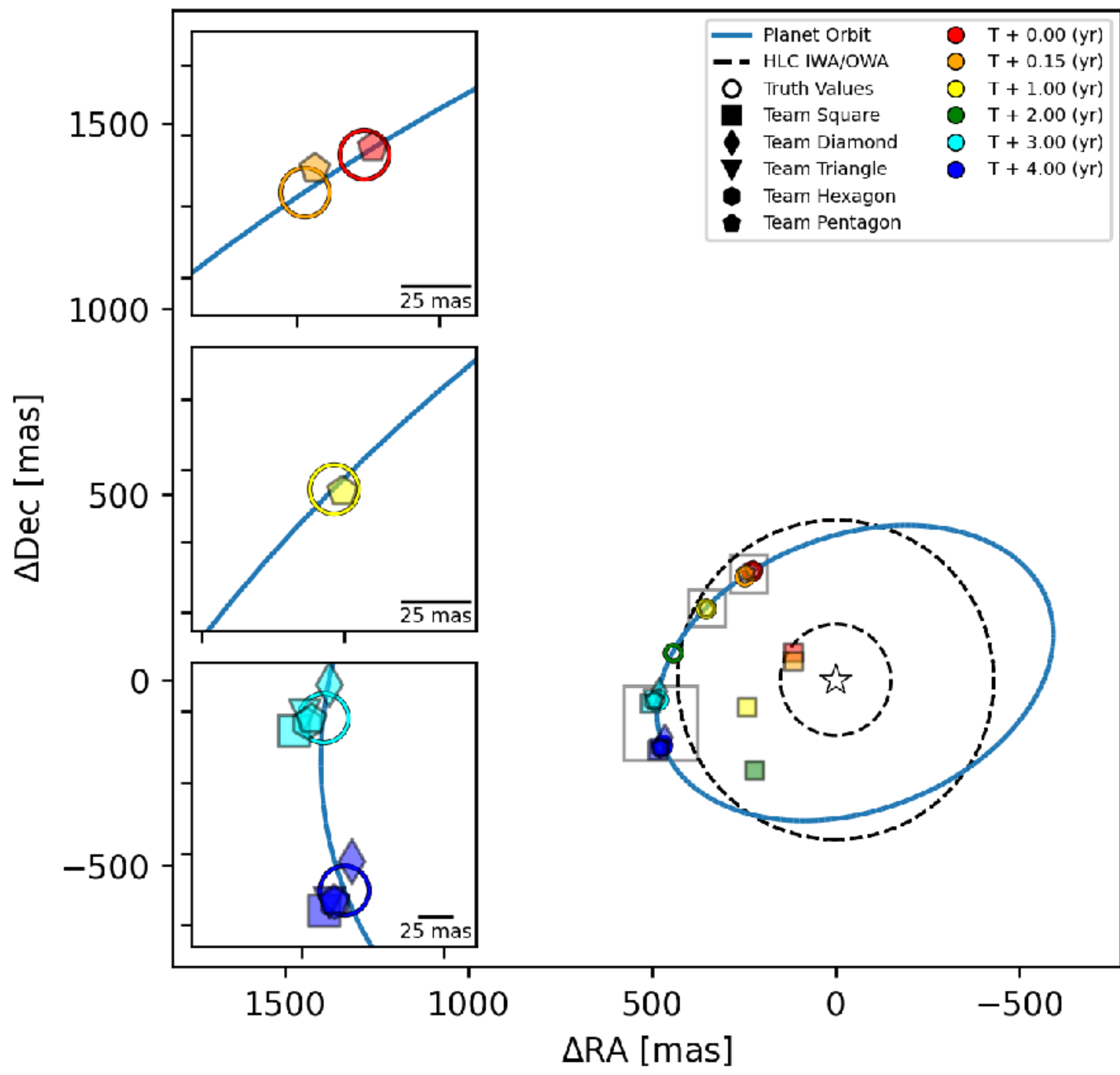
Final Astrometry Results: Planet c



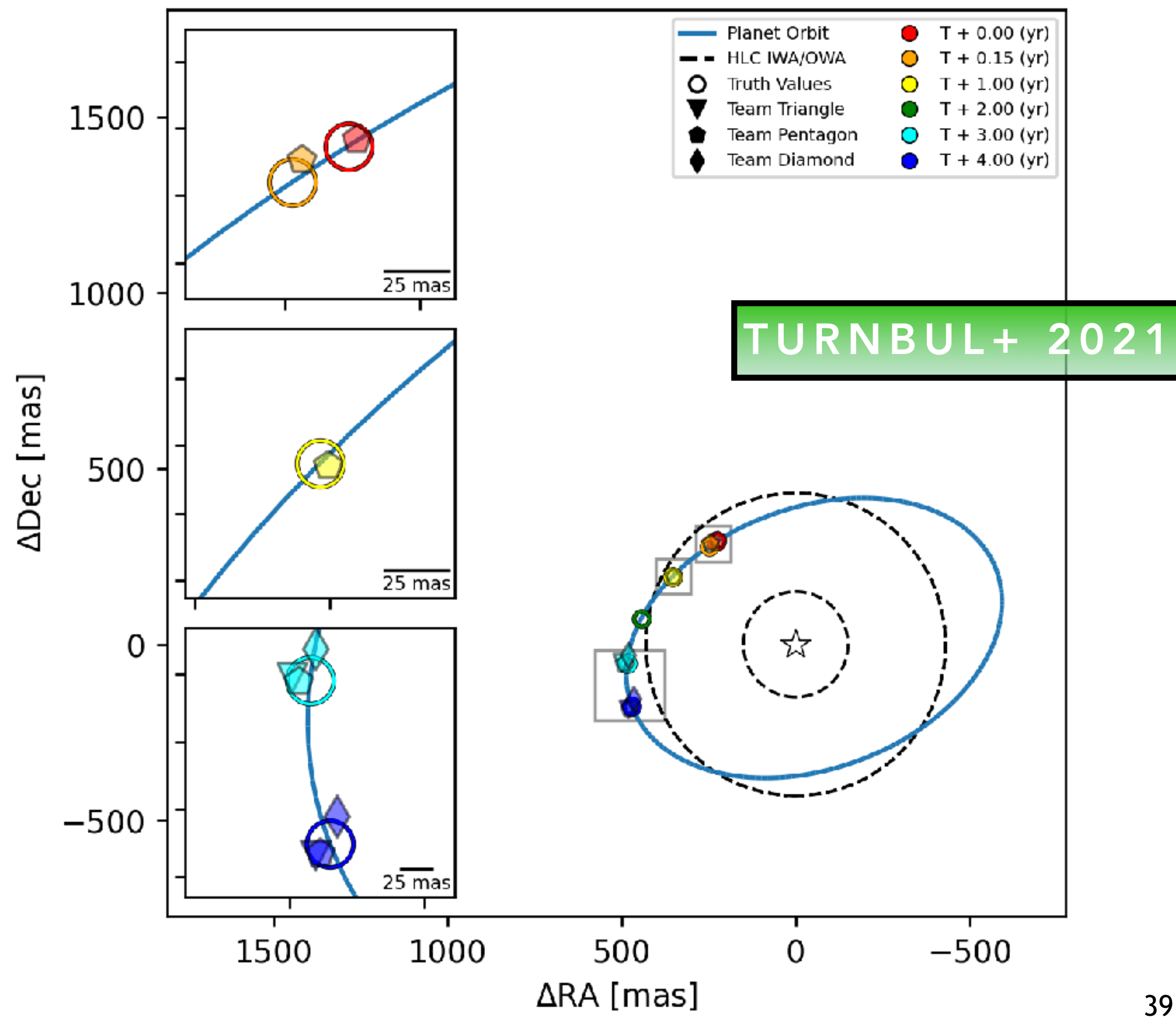


# Step 2 & 3: Refined Astrometry / orbital fit - Outer Planet d

Final Astrometry Results: Planet d



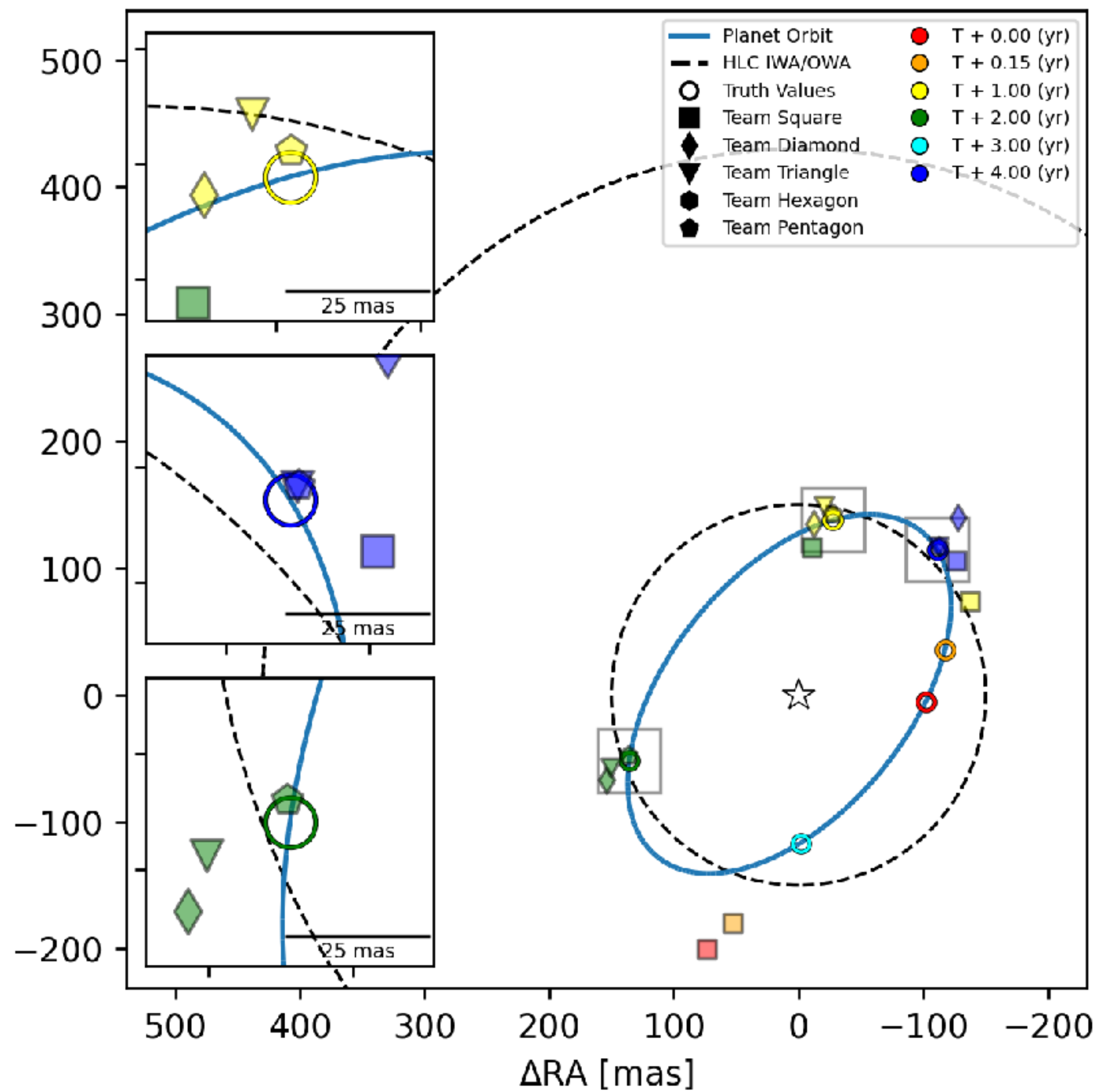
Final Astrometry Results: Planet d



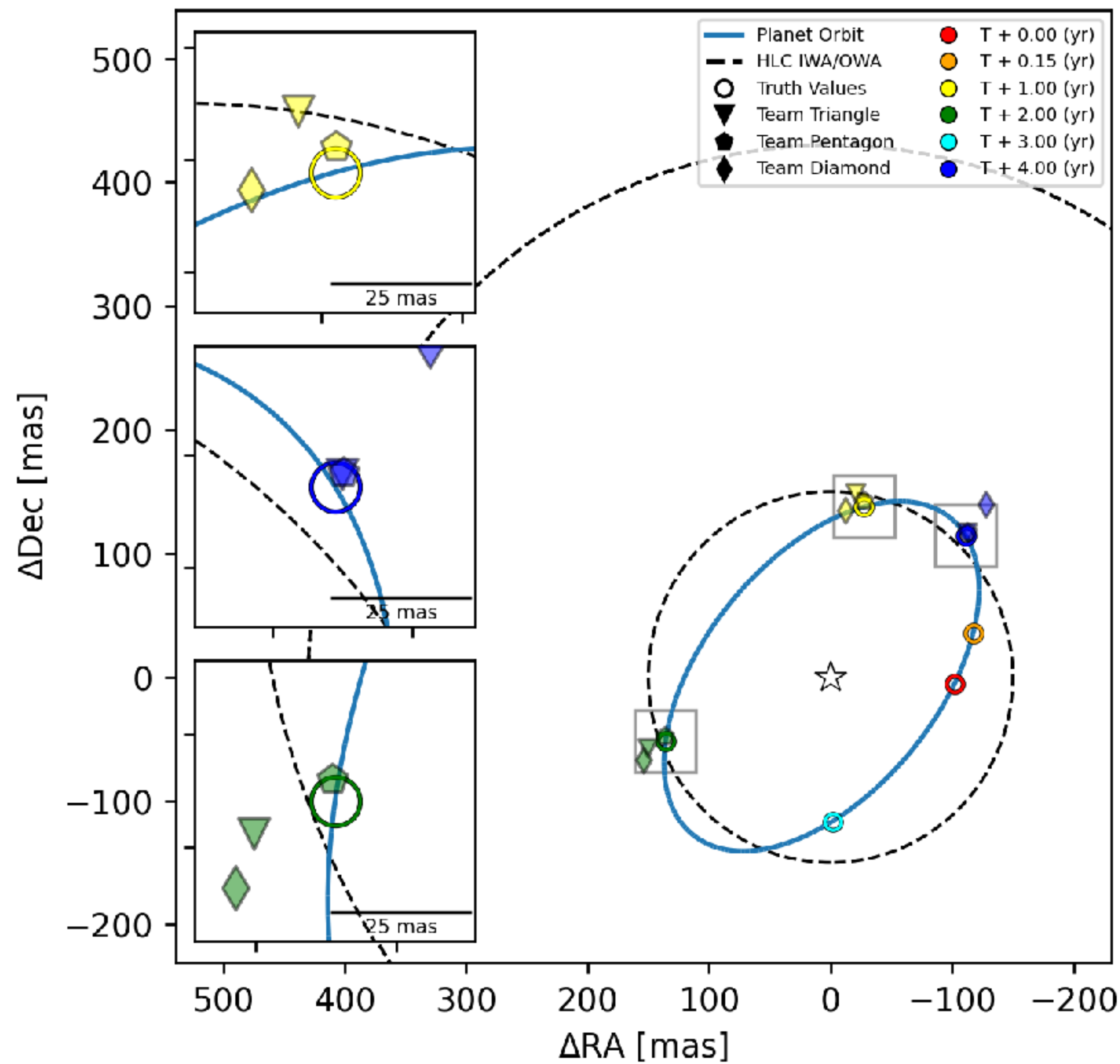


# Step 2 & 3: Refined Astrometry / orbital fit - Inner Planet b

### Final Astrometry Results: Planet b

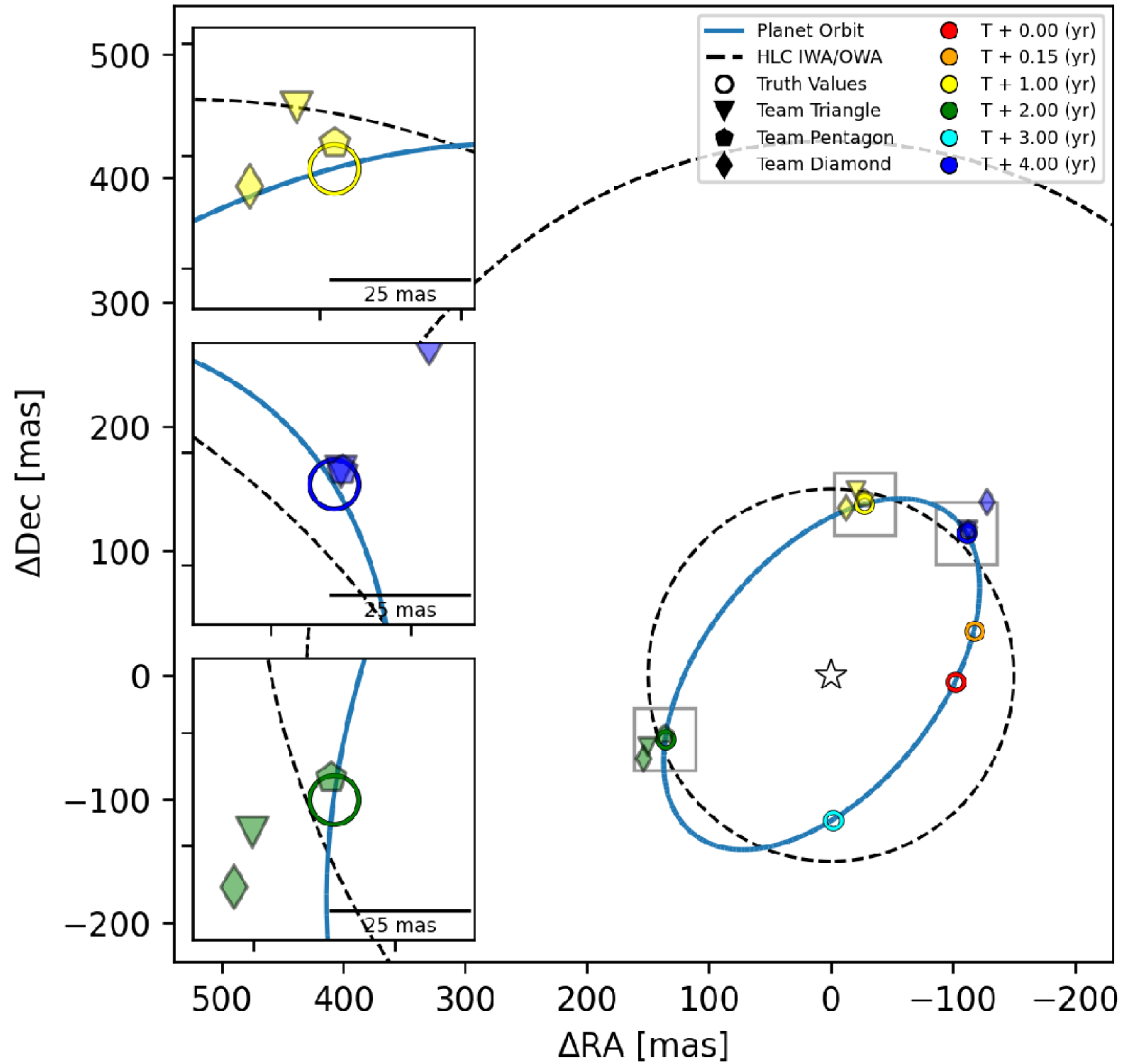


### Final Astrometry Results: Planet b





# Final Astrometry Results: Planet b



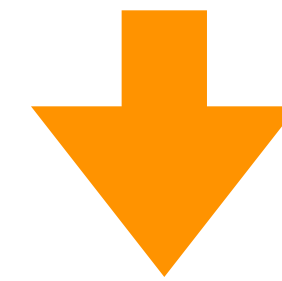


# Merit-based Ranking



## SAT style scoring:

- 1 point awarded for a planet detection
- 0.25 points subtracted for a false positive
- etc.



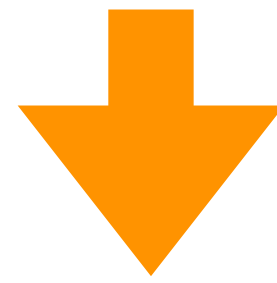
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◆	12.86	45	50	30	10	12.5	160.36	
◆	10.71	30	10	20	20	0	90.71	C
■	8.57	15	20	10	30	0	83.57	
+	6.43	0	0	0	0	0	6.43	-
×	2.14	0	0	0	0	0	2.14	



# Team Identities: **Who's Who?**

Check the jamboree page presentations from 3 finalists!

[exoplanetdatachallenge.com/home/jamboree](http://exoplanetdatachallenge.com/home/jamboree)



Team	Symbol
Wang	◆
Princeton	▼
Wagner	◆
Tanner	◆
Planet Hunters	■
Milou	+
Agrawal	×

**Jason Wang**

**Leonid Pogorelyuk & Brianna Lacy**


**Kevin Wagner**

Angelle Tanner

Mia Hu, Jonathan Brande, Tomás Silva, Taichi Uyama

Julien Milli

Shubham Agrawal

Ranking	Prize
W	
C	
-	-
-	-

# Metrics, Results & Prizes

**3 winning teams**



**2 challenger Teams**



**2 other teams**





# Data Challenge: Winners



## Data Challenge Results

[exoplanetdatachallenge.com/home/results](https://exoplanetdatachallenge.com/home/results)

### 3 Winning Teams



Team Princeton



Team Wang

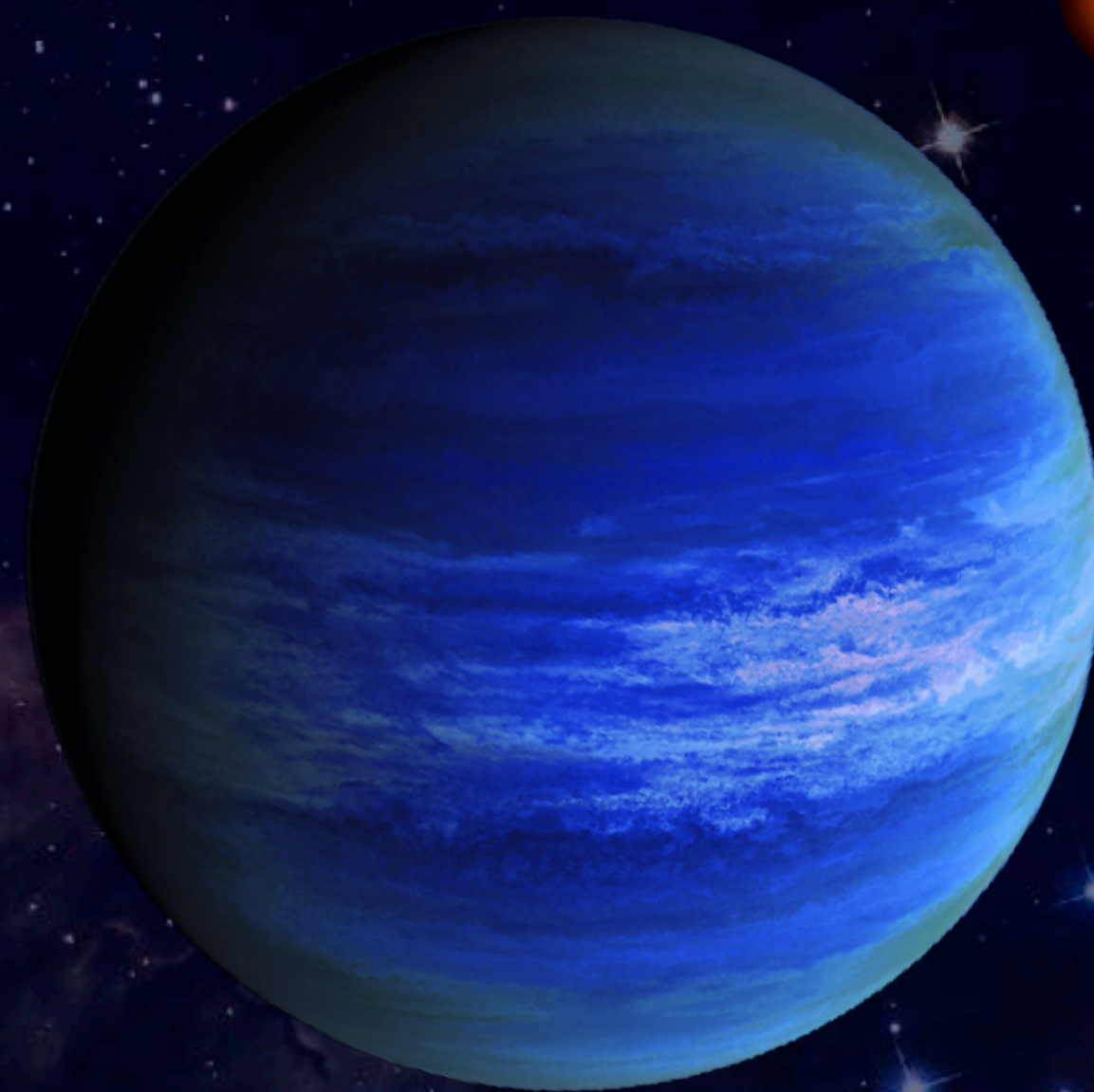


Team Wagner



# Lessons Learned

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# Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: What have we learned?



The CGI contrast regime and capabilities offers exciting science demonstration prospects in addition to the technological pathways: **imaging giant planets in reflected light.**

We are **better prepared to exploit the real Roman Coronagraph data** even if the DC data (OS6) was quite optimistic.

We are able **to perform orbital retrieval on HLC simulations (> 2-3 epochs) using real exoplanetary systems with RV trends** (not yet Gaia).

Talk by Ell Bogat on Simulations of Orbits

Talk by Dmitry Savransky on the Imaging Mission Database (plandb)



**Engaging the community** is not too difficult but getting (young) people to commit and submit (results) is not easy as they are already pressured with paper writing, graduate school applications, etc. It could be a good idea to involve their supervisors early on. We encouraged people to **team up** and it has given some positive results in the engagement.

Several teams have found **decent astrometric solutions** for at least one planet with or without the priors from RV precursor data.

All participants **struggled** with **calibrating photometry**: we improved our tutorial on this matter.





## Roman Exoplanet Imaging DC: What have we learned?



**One team** (Wang) has been able to **recover a challenging planet** in some epochs for which we thought it was not possible! Post-processing and experience on precursor data helps! It might be determinant for OS9, **OS11 and the real data**

Talk by John Krist on Observing Scenarios

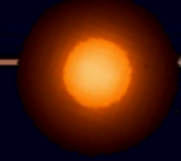
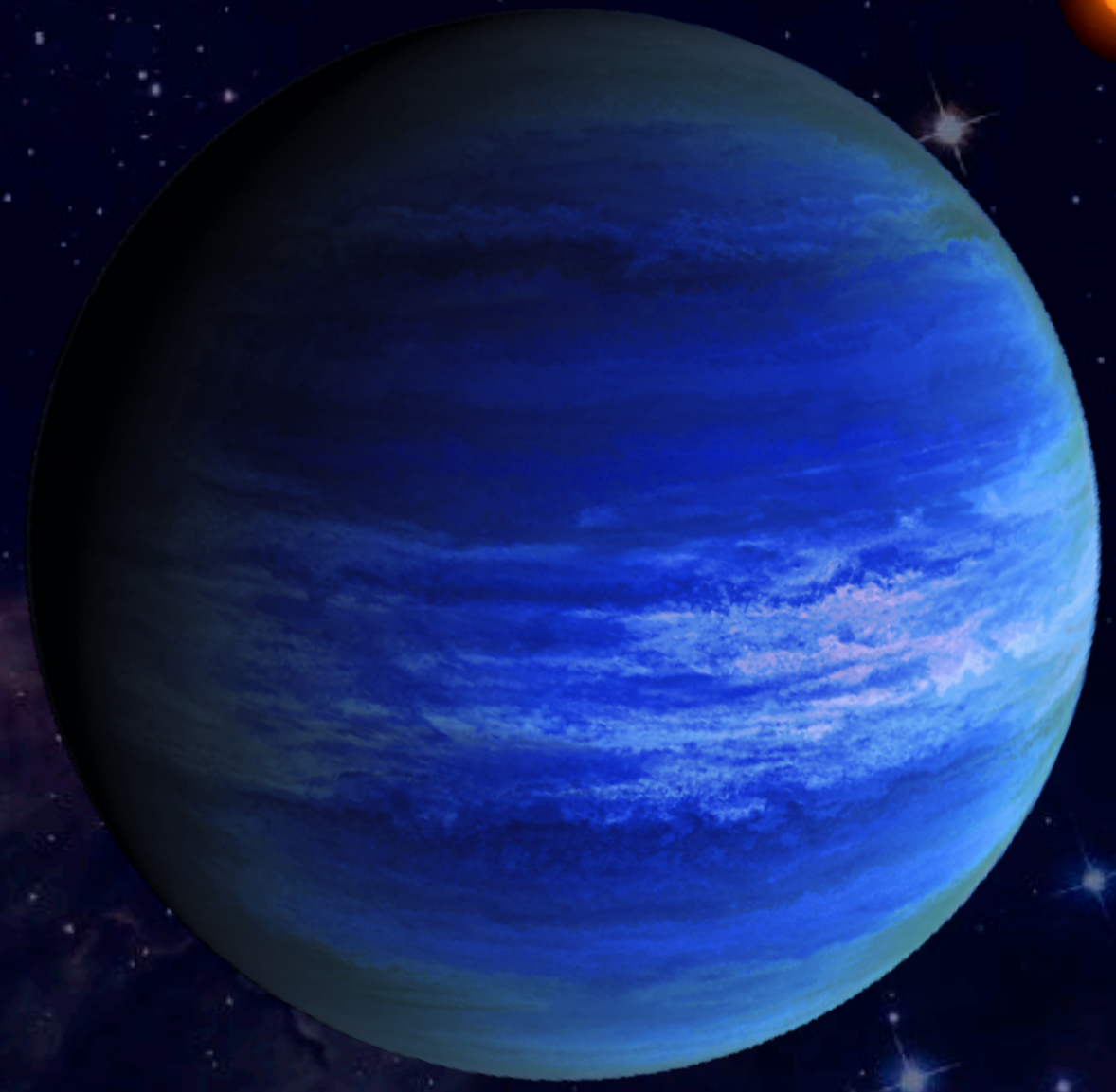
Talk by Marie Ygouf on Simulation/Data Processing

Some participants preferred to **develop their own tools** rather than use the publicly available packages (potential added value).

A few bugs have been found and it has been **rewarding for the public package developers** (e.g for orbitize!) which suddenly **get many avid testers.**

**Publications**

**Legacy Tutorial**





# Papers on the Data Challenge itself



**GIRARD+**

**TURNBUL+**

**ZIMMERMAN+**

**GIRARD+**

Online (2020)

Online (2021)

In prep (2021)

In prep (2021)

SPIE Proceedings

JATIS Special issue  
on Star Shades

Astronomical Journal

Astronomical Journal

- General paper on the Data Challenge

- Focus on star shade
- Focus on planet d

- Challenge design
- & HLC simulations
- In-house analysis
- & code for planet c

- Challenge organization
- In-house analysis for all 3 planets
- Lessons learned
- Participating teams feedback



## Papers from SIT members related to the DC



### HILDEBRANDT+

Online (2020)

AAS Proceedings

- SISTER, Starshade Imaging Simulation Toolkit

### LI (ZHEXING)+

Online (2021), on **arxiv/ADS**

Astronomical Journal

“Direct Imaging of Exoplanets Beyond the Radial Velocity Limit”

- Compares Roman Coronagraph + Star shade rendezvous with HabEx

### SAXENA+

Online (2021), on **arxiv/ADS**

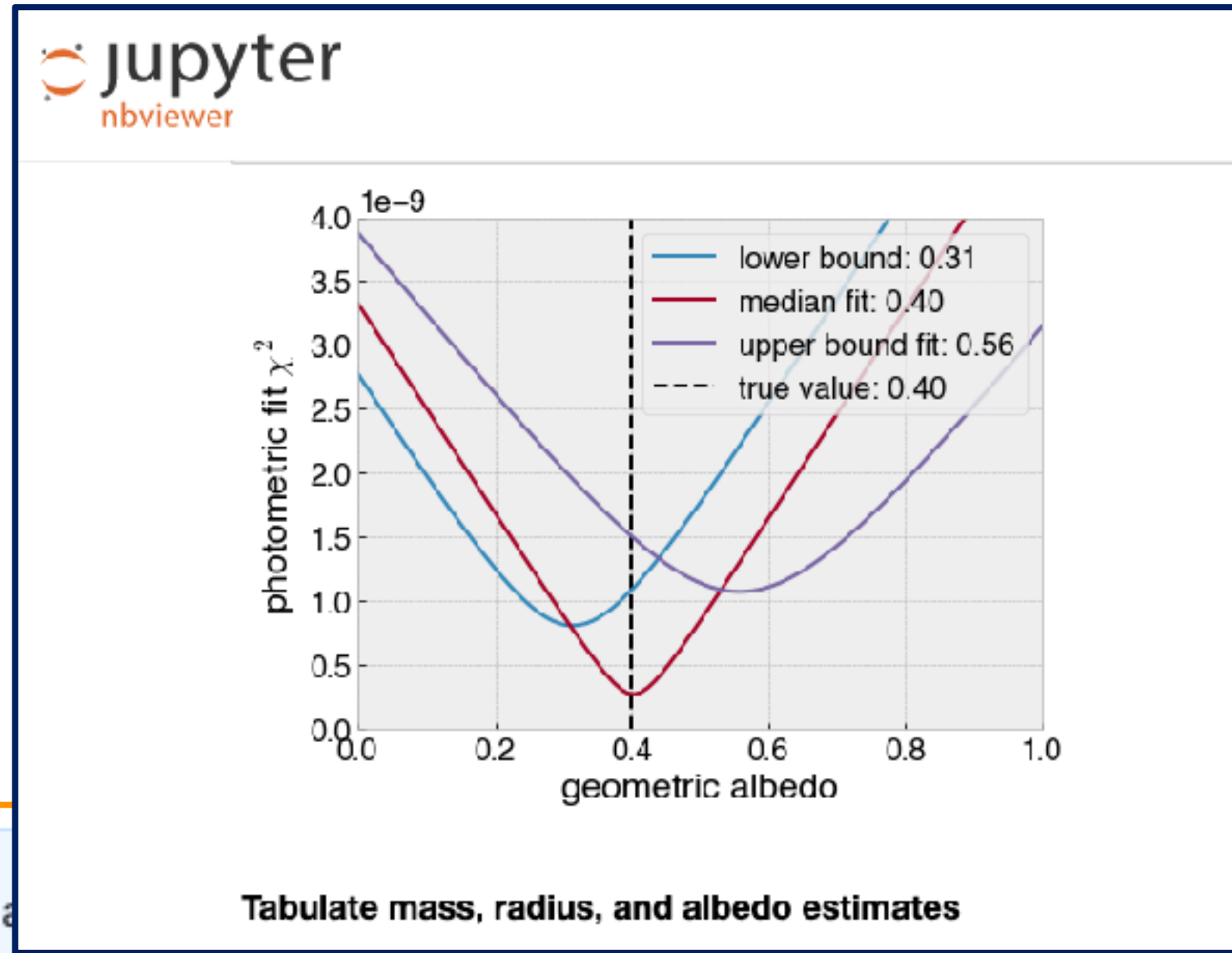
Astronomical Journal

“Simulating Reflected Light Exoplanet Spectra of the Promising Direct Imaging Target,  $\upsilon$  Andromedae d, with a New, Fast Sampling Method Using the Planetary Spectrum Generator”



# Legacy Tutorial suite (Jupyter notebooks)

Neil Zimmerman & team



Tabulate mass, radius, and albedo estimates

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ZIMMERMAN+ (IN PREP)




# Roman Exoplanet Imaging Data Challenge: Website

Roman/CGI Home Timeline & Data Tutorial Events Links

The 2019-2020 Nancy Grace Roman Space Telescope (Roman) Exoplanet Imaging Data Challenge is for exoplanet scientists who are interested in learning the art and science of high contrast imaging of exoplanetary systems. Roman's Coronagraph Instrument (CGI), with a possible Starshade, is the only exoplanet imaging instrument planned for flight in the next decade. The Data Challenge is an excellent way to become familiar with the intricacies of the first spaceborne high contrast exoplanet imaging mission, as a pathfinder to future flagship missions.

The DATA CHALLENGE is OPEN, see our [Timeline](#), play with the [Data](#), check our [Tutorial](#)! Due to the #COVID-19 situation the final deadline has been extended to June 20th (8 months in total).

4 Hackathons → October: launch! → Release of SS Data → June 20th Deadline



The official 2019 Data Challenge opened on October 20 2019 and closed on June 20th 2020. Submissions were done in 4 steps, asking specific questions and allowing for discussion of findings. Judging of the submissions will be done by a panel of reviewers assembled from the Turnbull Science Investigation Team (SIT) and the wider exoplanet community. Winning participant(s) will be funded to present their results and methods at a major exoplanet conference in 2020. After the deadline, all participants/teams are encouraged to publish their results.

The scope is to reveal a fictitious exoplanetary system around the nearby solar-type star 47 UMa:

You can no longer register to the 2019-2020 but feel free to check the tutorial & data!

Photos by Emily Tan at NYC's Flatiron Institute and Meads for America (Oct 2019)

## Data Challenge

Team, Jamboree/Results, Timeline, Events

## Turnbull SIT

Final Report, Publications, etc.

## Data & Tutorial

Legacy Tutorial, older versions

## Links & Resources

## New section for the SIT

[www.exoplanetdatachallenge.com](http://www.exoplanetdatachallenge.com)

Turnbull Science Investigation Team Community Data Challenge Turnbull SIT Tutorial Links

# Science Investigation Team

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