

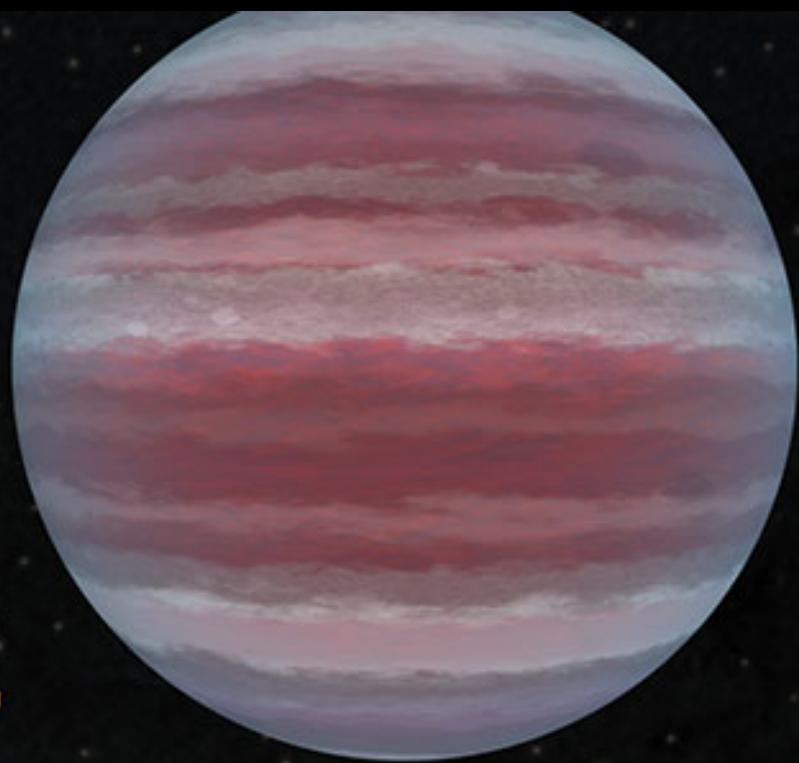
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# The Detection and the Surface Mapping of a Terrestrial Planet in a Habitable zone

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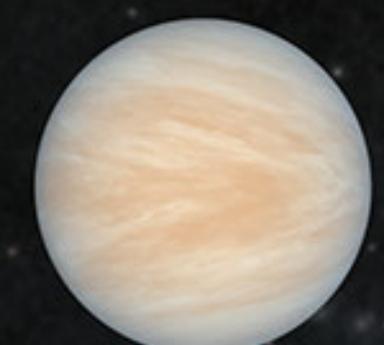
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## GAS GIANT

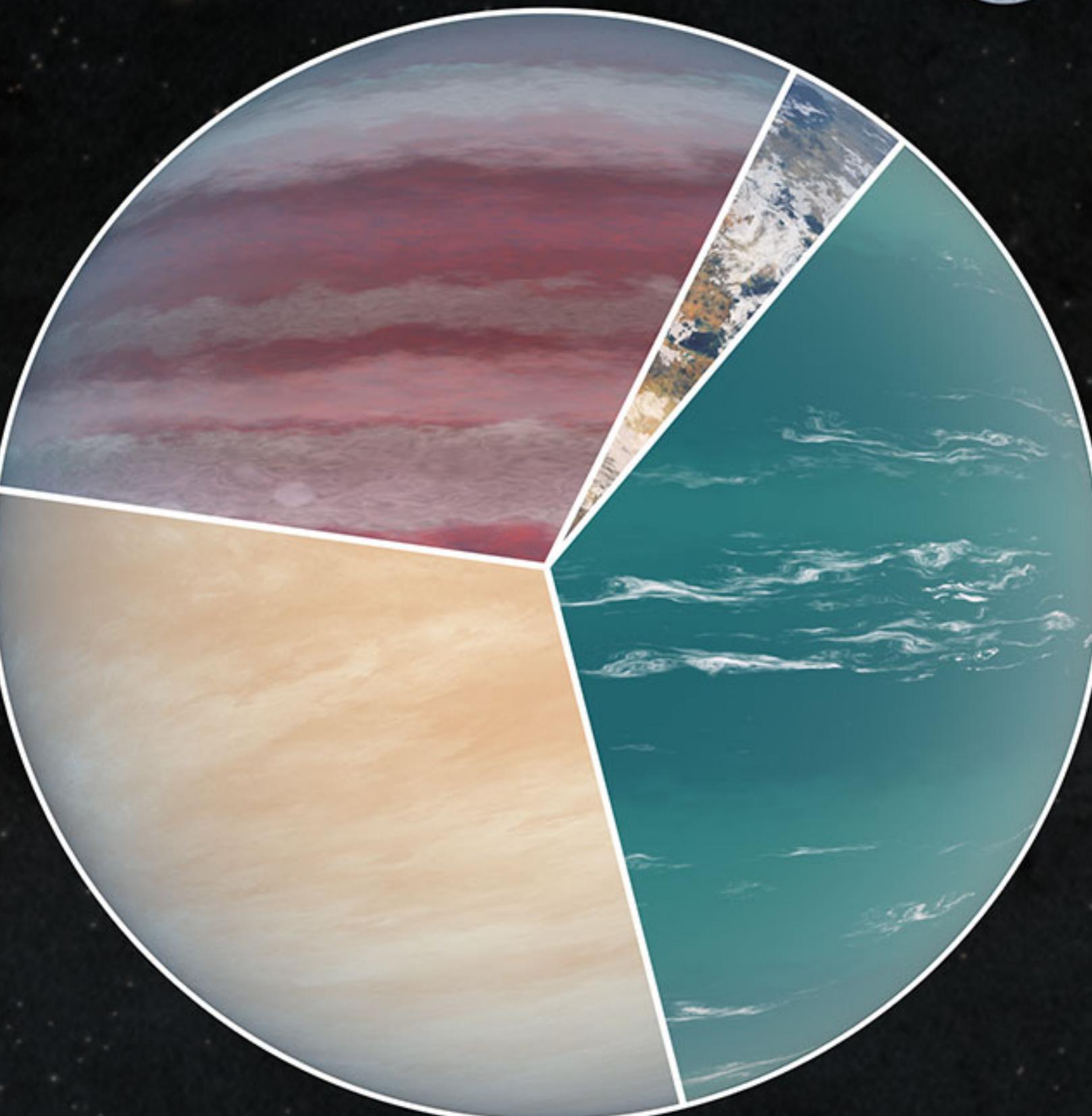
The size of Saturn or Jupiter (the largest planet in our solar system), or many times bigger. They can be hotter than some stars!



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## SUPER-EARTH

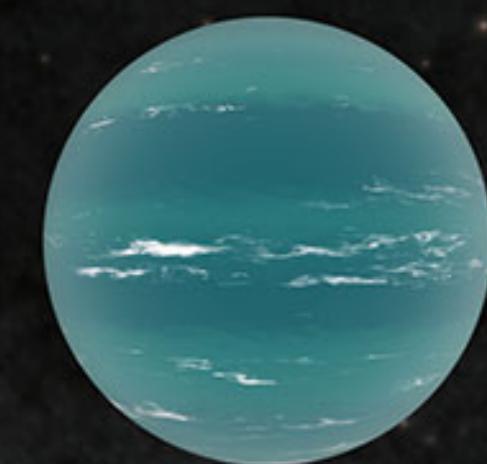
Planets in this size range between Earth and Neptune don't exist in our solar system. Super-Earths, a reference to larger size, might be rocky worlds like Earth, while mini-Neptunes are likely shrouded in puffy atmospheres.



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## TERRESTRIAL

Small, rocky planets. Around the size of our home planet, or a little smaller.



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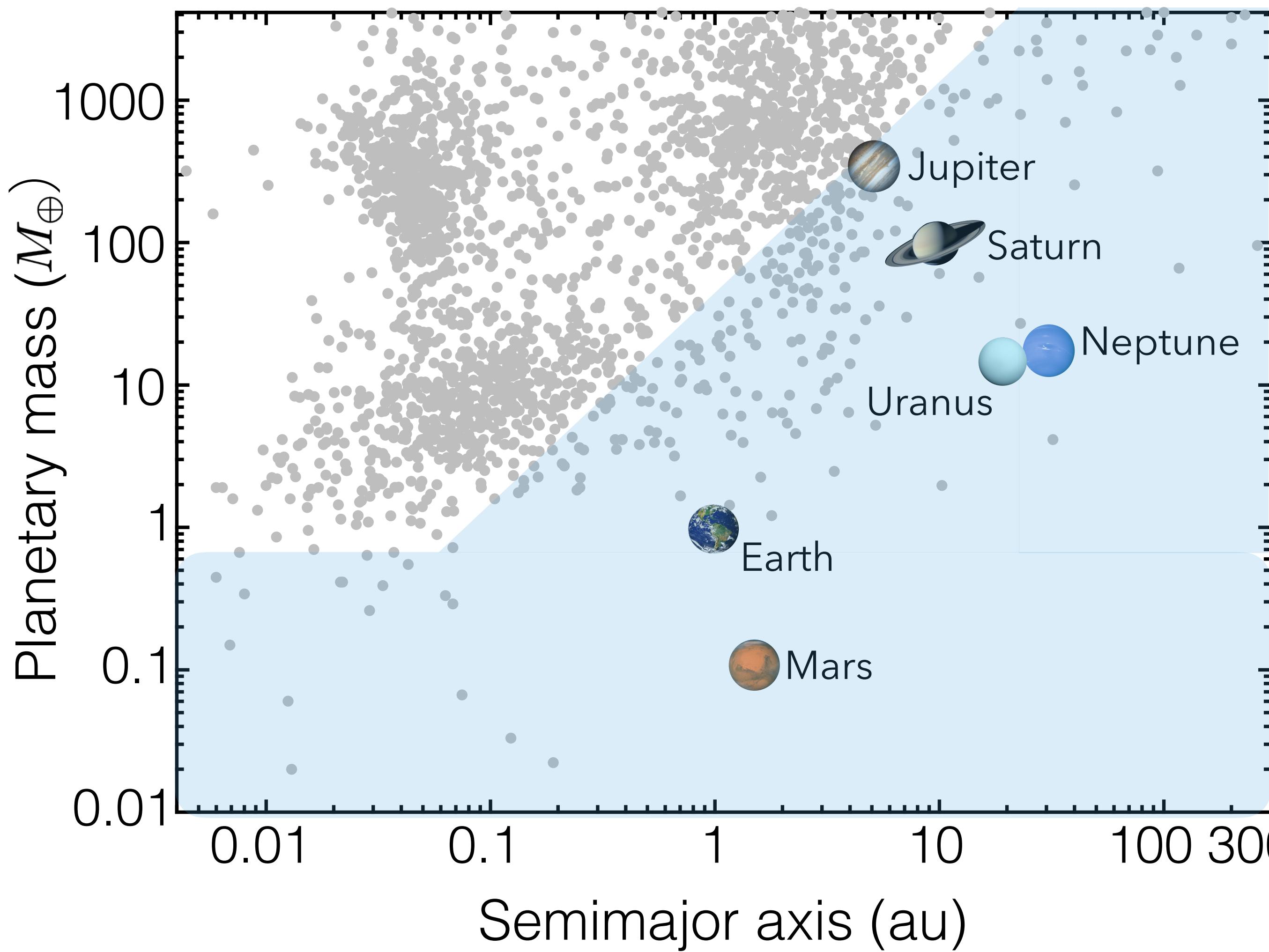
## NEPTUNE-LIKE

Similar in size to Neptune and Uranus. They can be ice giants, or much warmer. "Warm" Neptunes are more rare.

**5000+**  
**PLANETS FOUND**

# The Solar System in the Exoplanet Population

Are the solar system-like planets special or common?



## Multiplicity

8 planets	1	Kepler-90
7 planets	1	TRAPPIST-1
6 planets	9	
5 planets	~30	
4 planets	~70	
3 planets	~200	
2 planets	~600	
1 planet		~ 3000

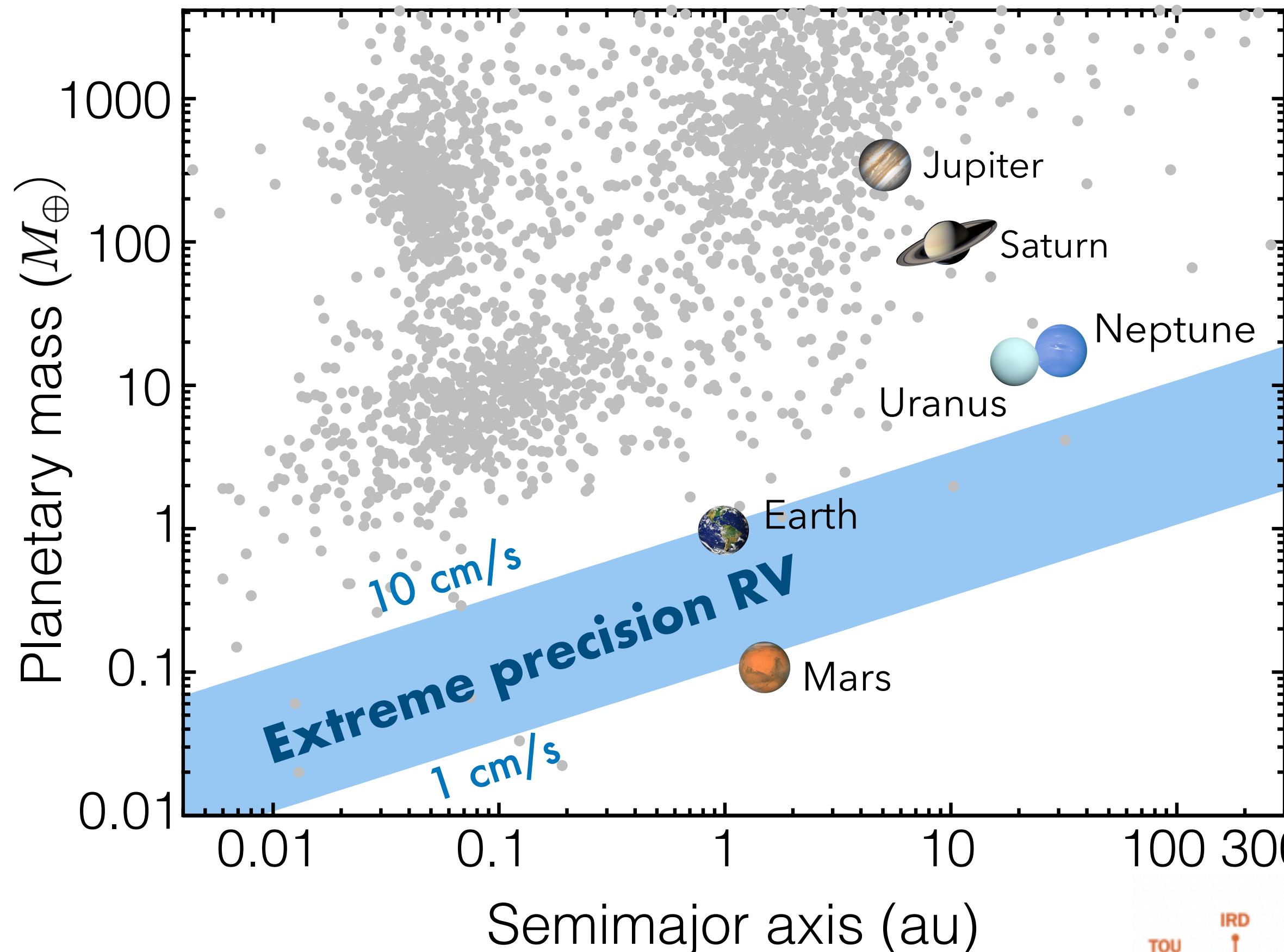
N-body simulations of planet formation predict the prevalence of multi-planet systems. Do missing planets exist?

## Earth-mass habitable planet candidates

around low-mass stars (K- and M-type ones)

- (e.g) Proxima Centauri (Anglada-Escuda *et al.* 2016)
- TRAPPIST-1 (Gillon *et al.* 2016;2017)
- Teegarden's Star (Zechmeister *et al.* 2019)
- GJ 1002 (Suárez Mascareño *et al.* 2023)
- Wolf 1069 (Kossakowski *et al.* 2023)

# Planet Surveys Toward the Discovery of "ExoEarths"



## Ground-based Extreme Precision RV ( $\sim 10 \text{ cm/s}$ )

(e.g. Crass *et al.* 2021)

Understanding of stellar jitters (e.g. spots, granulation, & oscillations)  
Removal of telluric contamination → photon noise limit

(e.g.) HARPS, ESPRESSO (VLT) (Pepe *et al.* 2013)

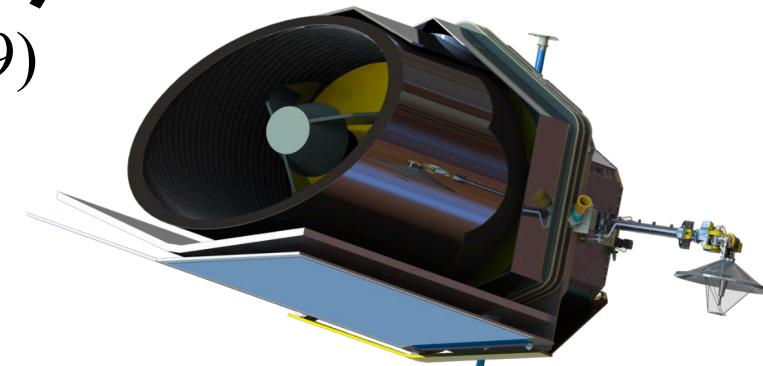
EXPRES (LDT) (Jurgenson *et al.* 2016)

NEID (WIYN) (Schwab *et al.* 2016)

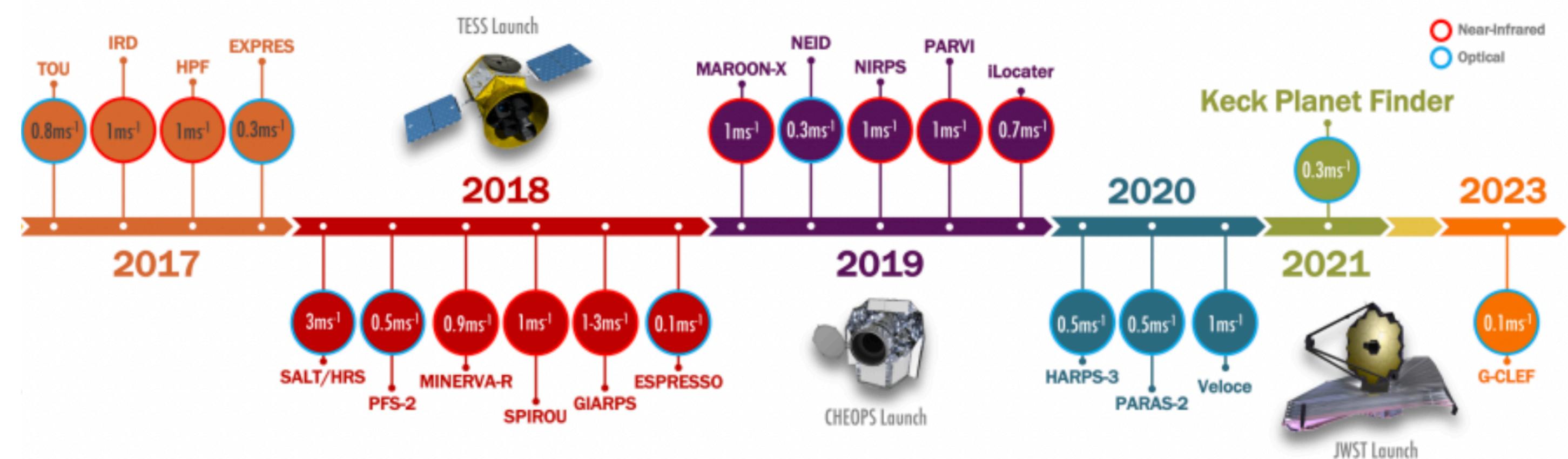
Keck Planet Finder (Gibson *et al.* 2016)

## → EarthFinder ( $\sim \text{cm/s}$ , 2032?)

(Plavchan *et al.* 2019)



Near-Infrared  
Optical



# Space-based Planet Surveys in the Late 2020s

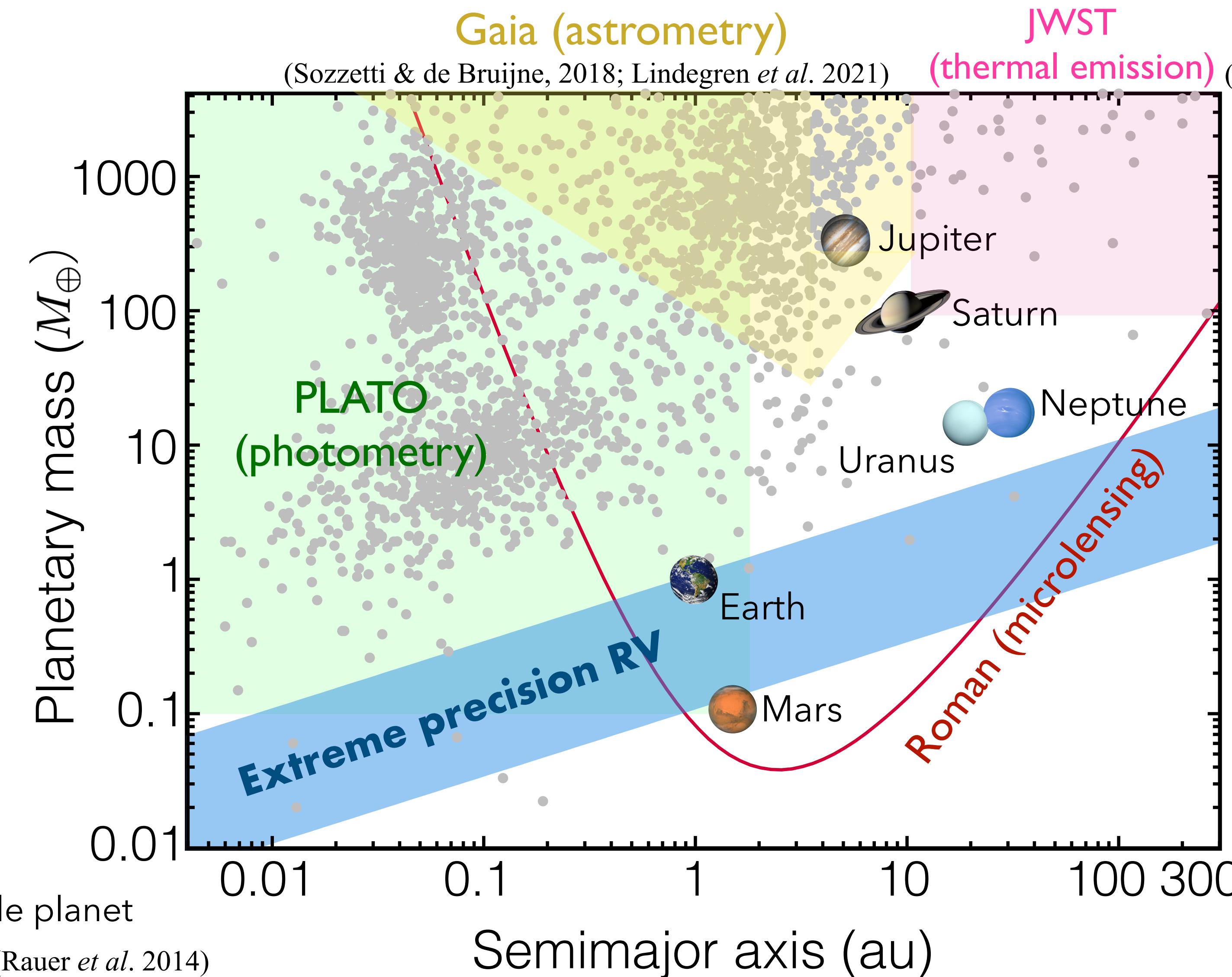
Gaia, JWST, and Roman CGI

Saturn-mass or more massive gas giants beyond a few au.



PLATO (2026)

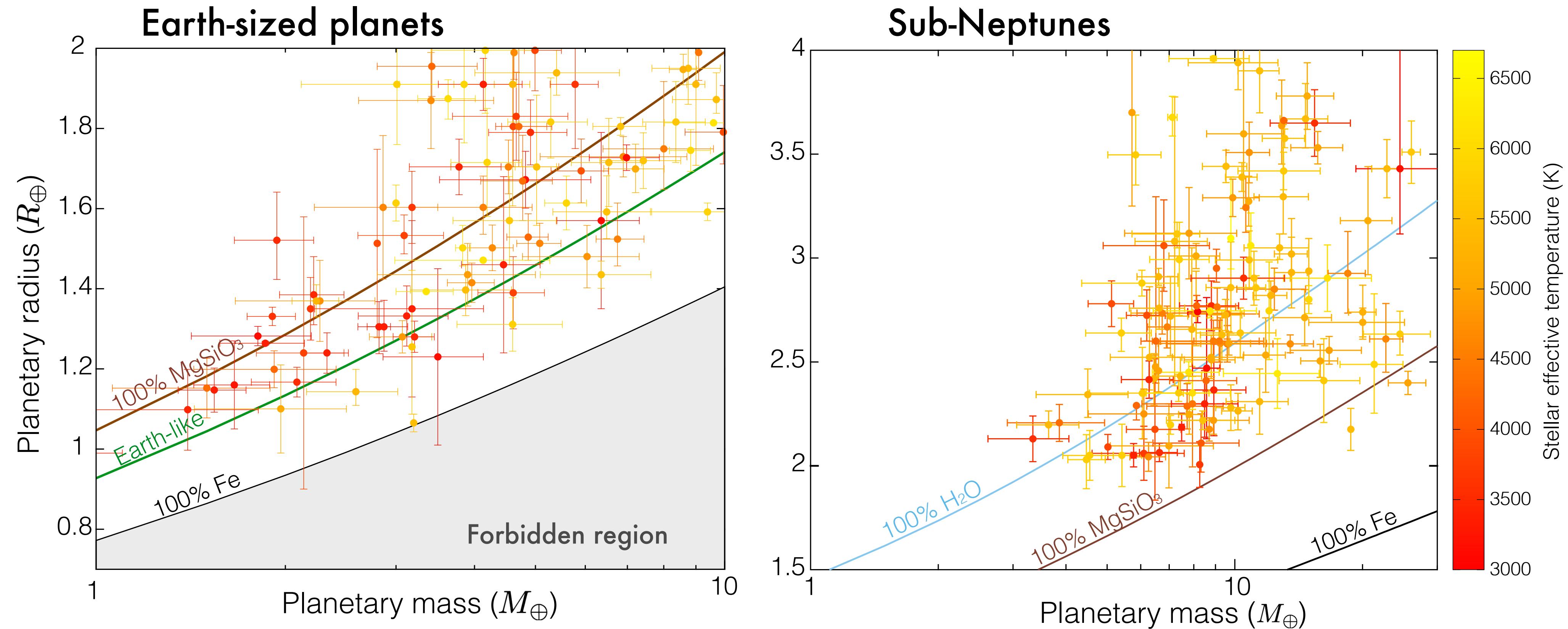
An Earth-sized habitable planet  
around a Sun-like star (Rauer *et al.* 2014)



Nancy Roman Telescope (2027)  
(e.g. Penny *et al.* 2019)

Mars- and Earth-mass planet at  
~1 au around M dwarfs and  
Sun-like stars .

# Bulk Compositions of Earth-sized Planets and Sub-Neptunes



The interiors of Earth-sized planets show a variety of rocky compositions. (e.g.) Mg(Si)/Fe  
(cf) The atmosphere of an ultra-short period planet provides a clue to exploring mantle/core compositions.

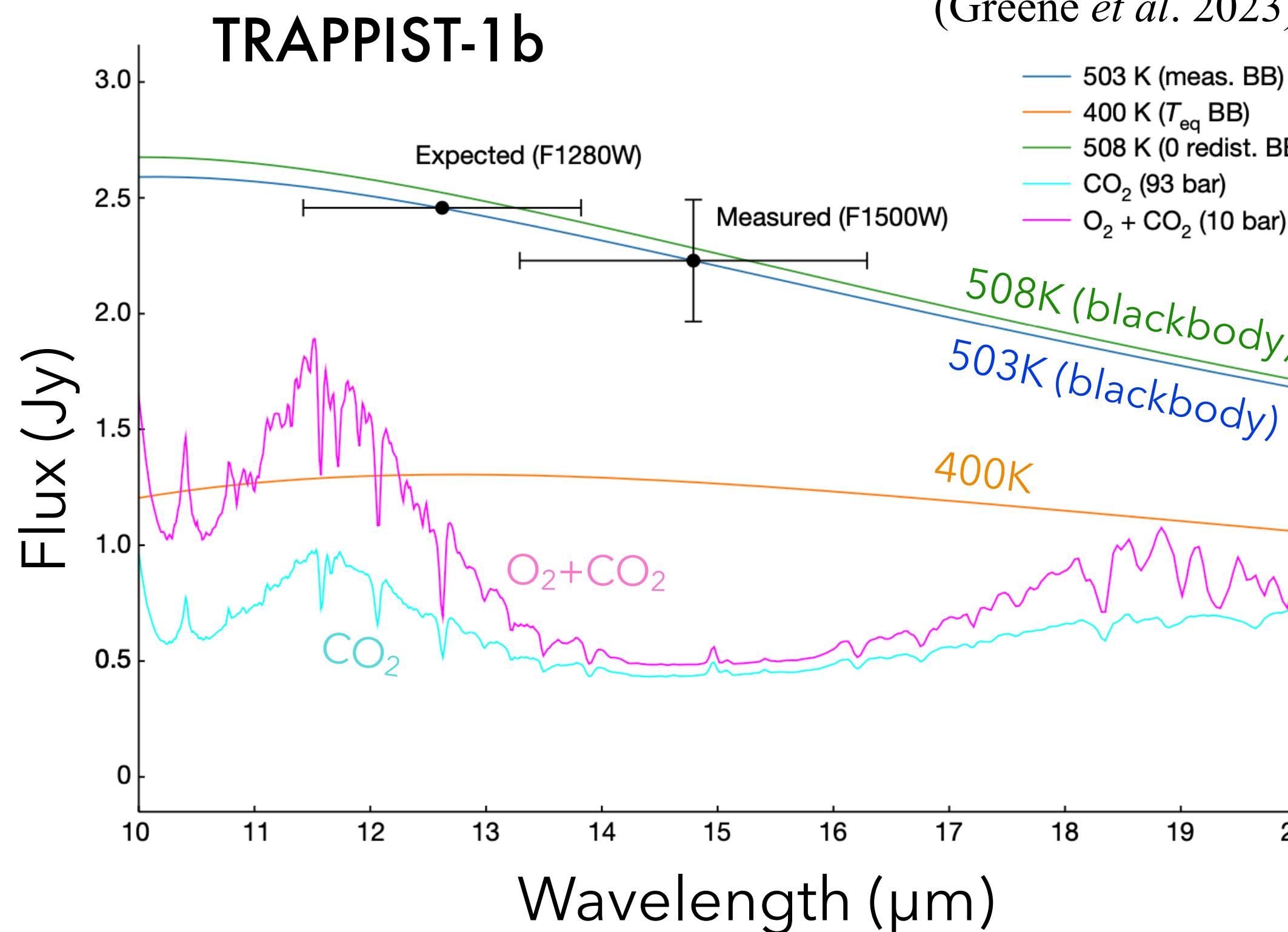
Many of sub-Neptunes are likely to have atmospheres and be water-worlds.

(e.g.) Detection of  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$  in the atmosphere of HAT-P-11b and K2-18b

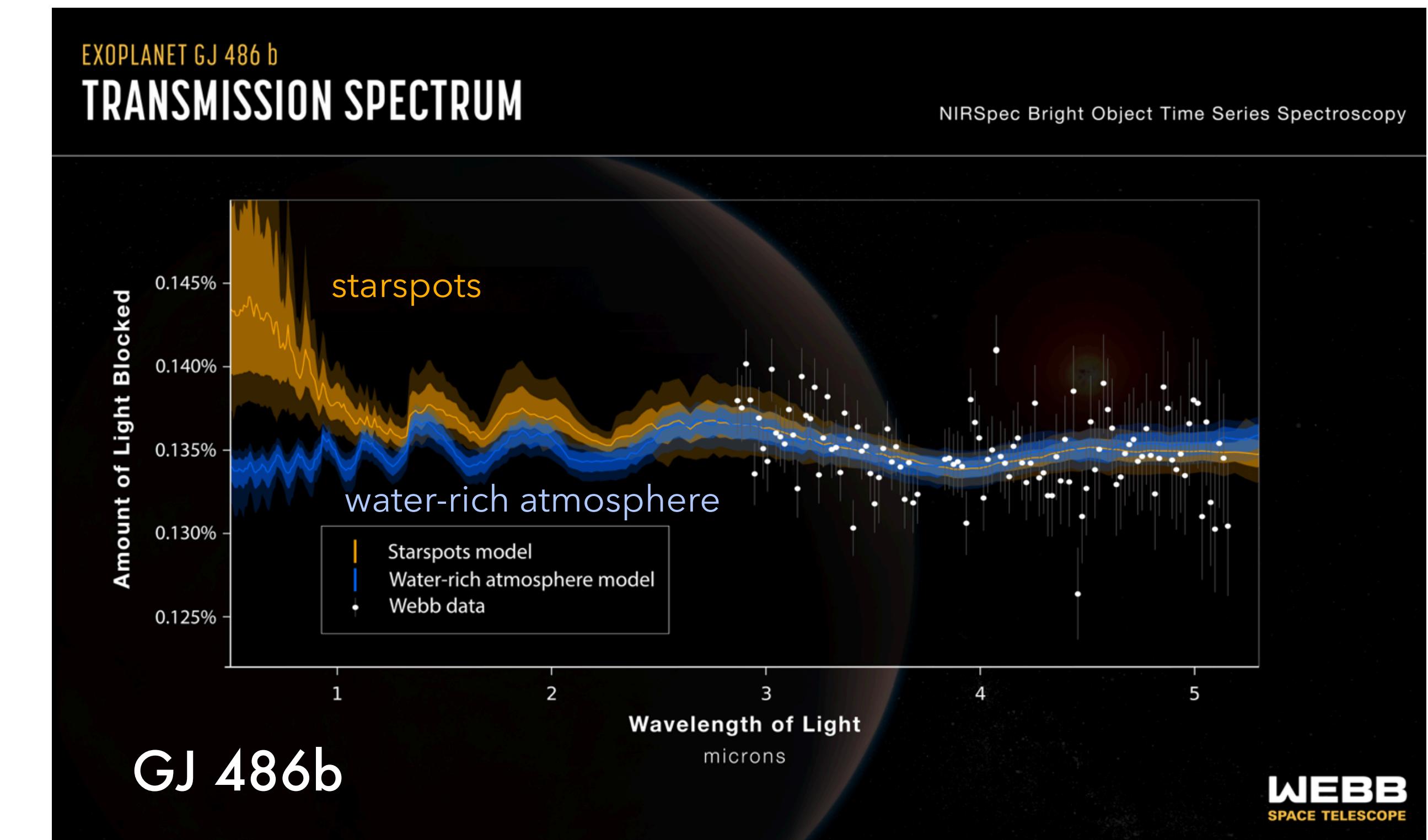
(Fraine *et al.* 2014; Tsiaras *et al.* 2019)

# JWST Observations of Earth-sized Planets around a Nearby Star

(Moran *et al.* 2023)



TRAPPIST-1b may have no atmosphere?



Water-rich atmosphere of GJ 486b with 1.3 times Earth-radii

# New Era Toward Characterization of Habitable Planets

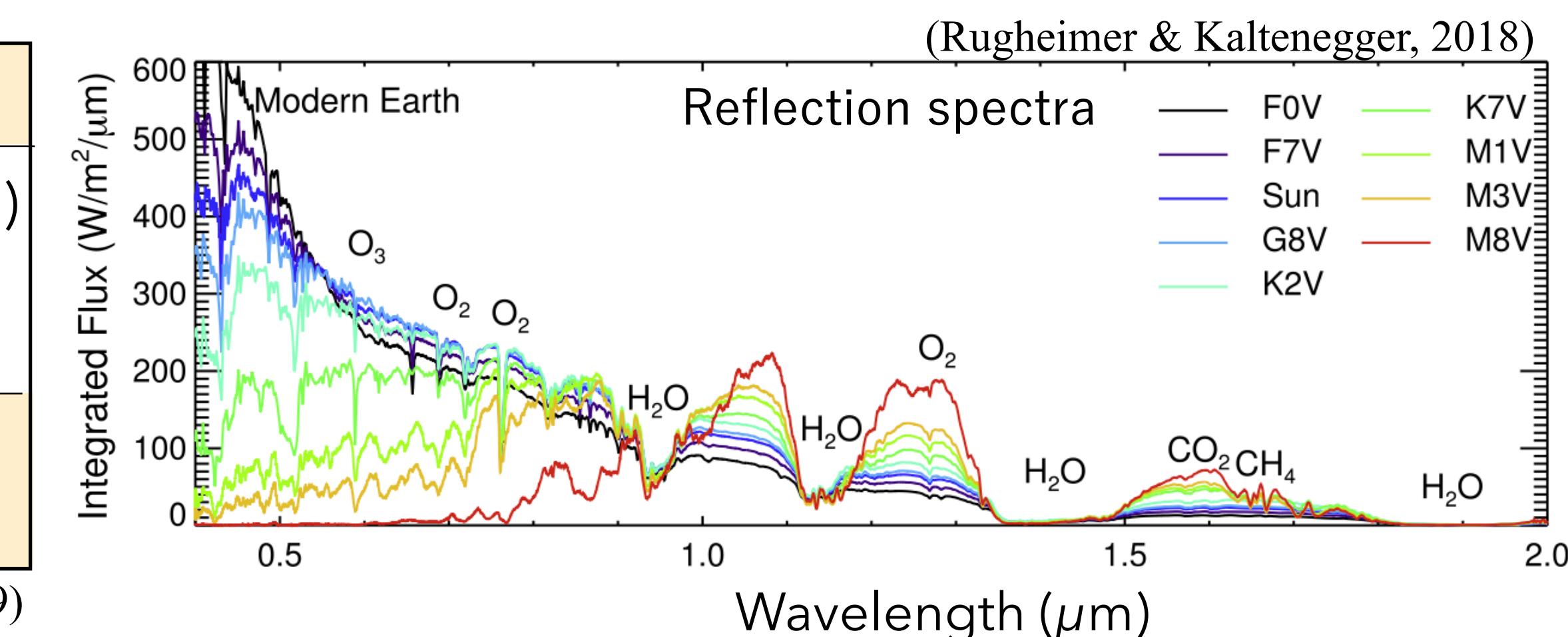
Detection of habitable Earth-sized planets around a Sun-like star from PLATO and EPRV Observations

2020s	JWST (e.g. NIR Spec, MIRI)
2030s	ESA/Ariel 30m-class ground-based telescopes (E-ELT, TMT, GMT) (e.g. IRIS, MODHIS for TMT)
2040s	6m-class space telescope (LUVEx)

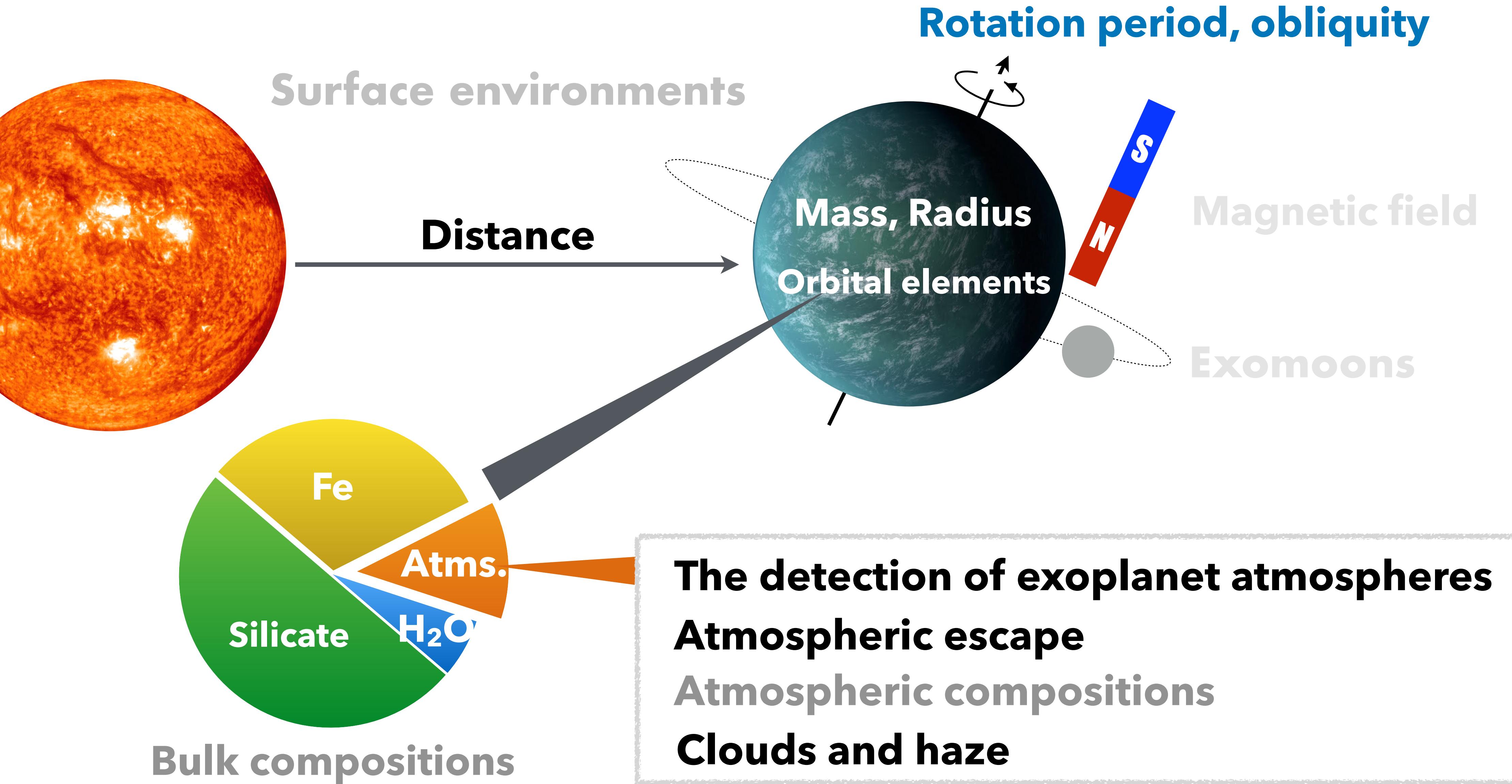


$\text{H}_2\text{O}$	liquid water on the surface	
$\text{O}_2, \text{O}_3$ $\text{CH}_4$ $\text{N}_2\text{O}$	biosignature	abiotic oxygen (false positives) photodissociation of $\text{H}_2\text{O}, \text{CO}$ (cf) $\text{O}_2$ excess : $\text{O}_2-\text{O}_2$ CIA
$\text{H}_2\text{S}, \text{SO}_2, \text{CO}_2$	Volcanic activity	$\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4, \text{S}_8$ produced by photochemical reactions

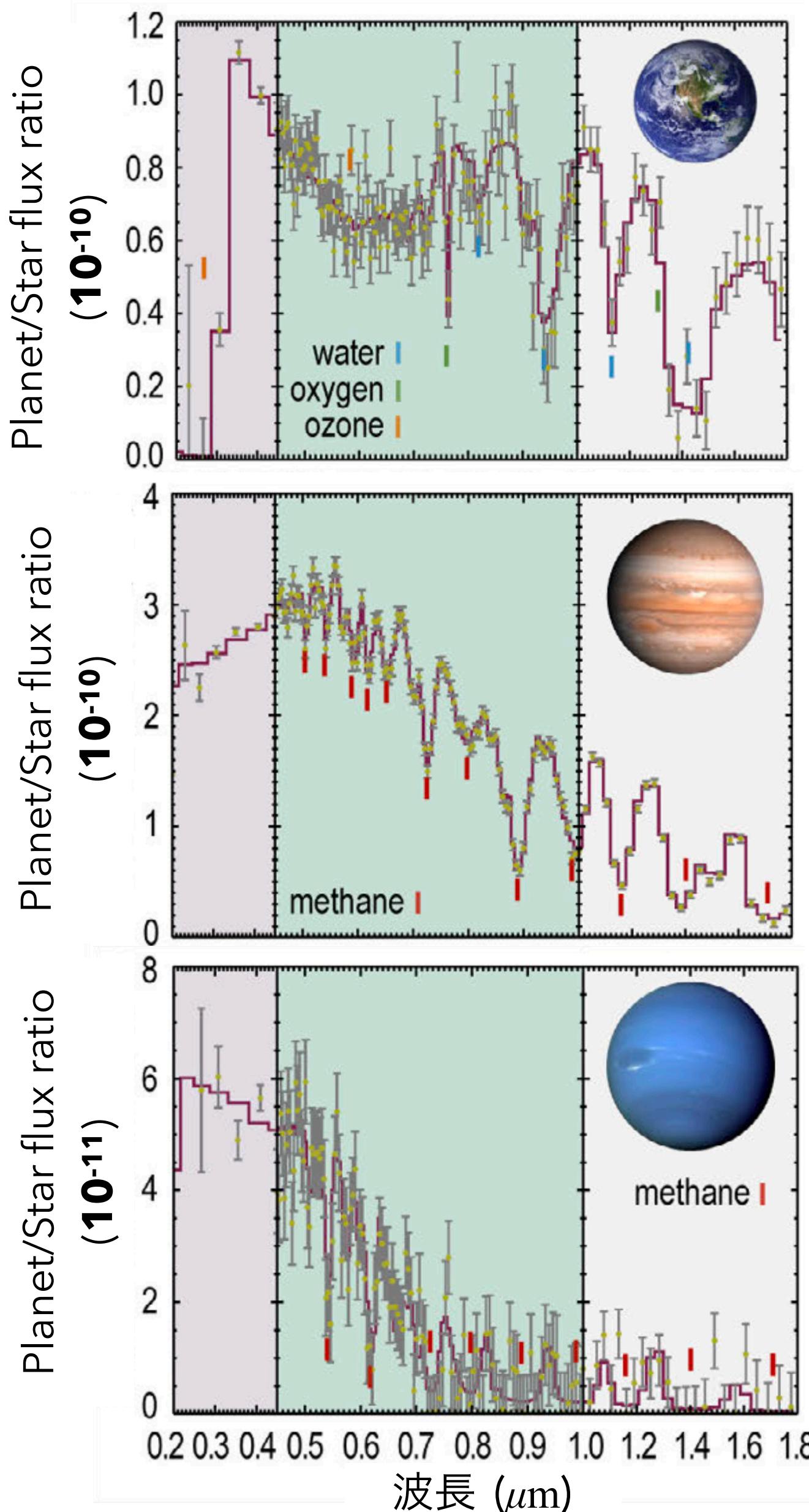
(Kaltenegger *et al.* 2010; Hu *et al.* 2013; Misra *et al.* 2015; Hu *et al.* 2013; Loftus *et al.* 2019)



# Current Status of Exoplanet Characterization



# Imaging of “Earth 2.0” in Reflection Spectra

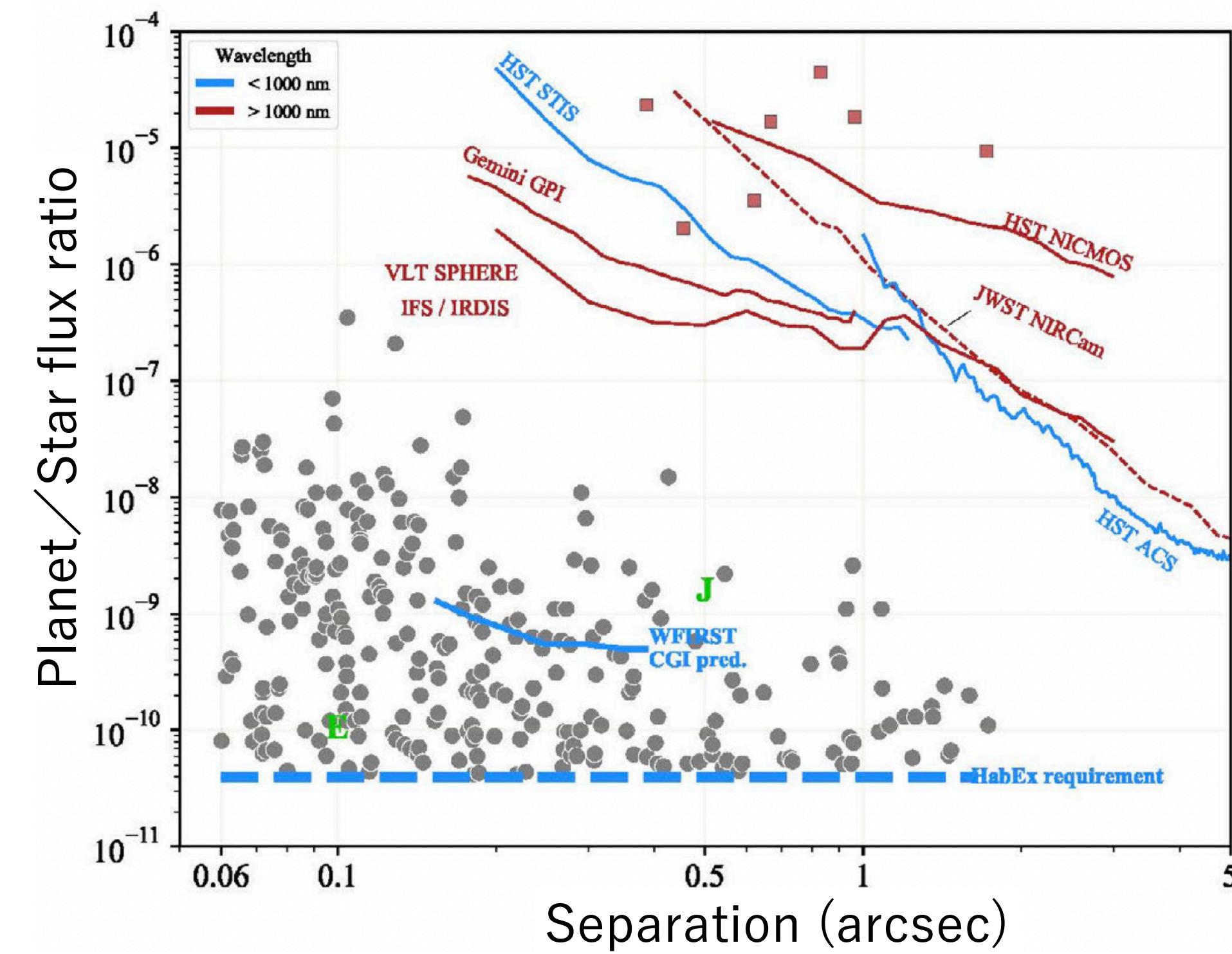
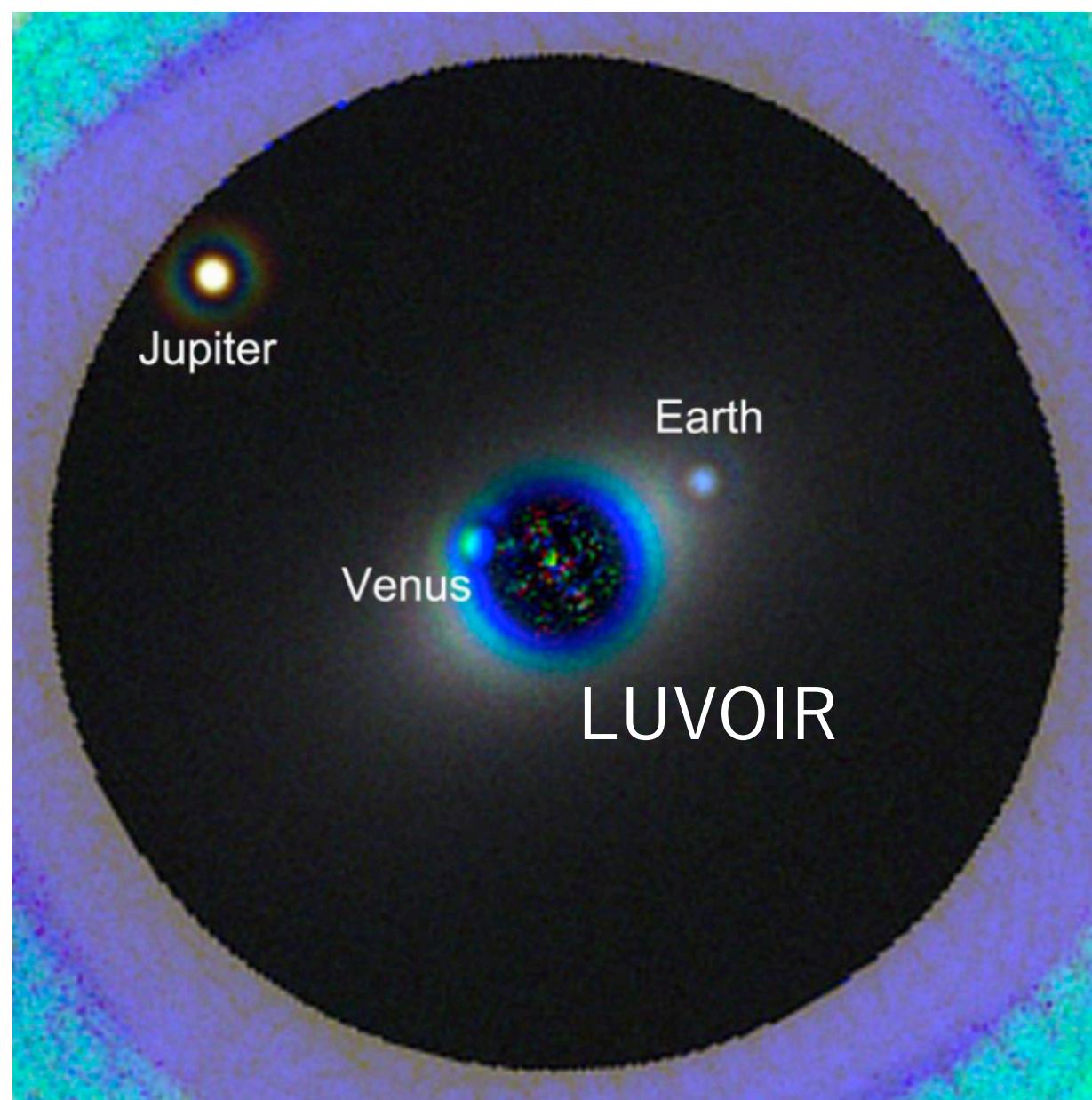


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10m-class telescope + Extreme AO  
(SCExAO/Subaru, SPHERE/VLT, GPI/Gemini)

Detection limit  $\sim 10^{-6}$  (0.2")

Roman space telescope (CGI)

Detection limit  $\sim 10^{-9}$  ( $\sim 0.2''$ )

LUVEx

Detection limit  $\sim 10^{-10}$  ( $\sim 0.1''$ )



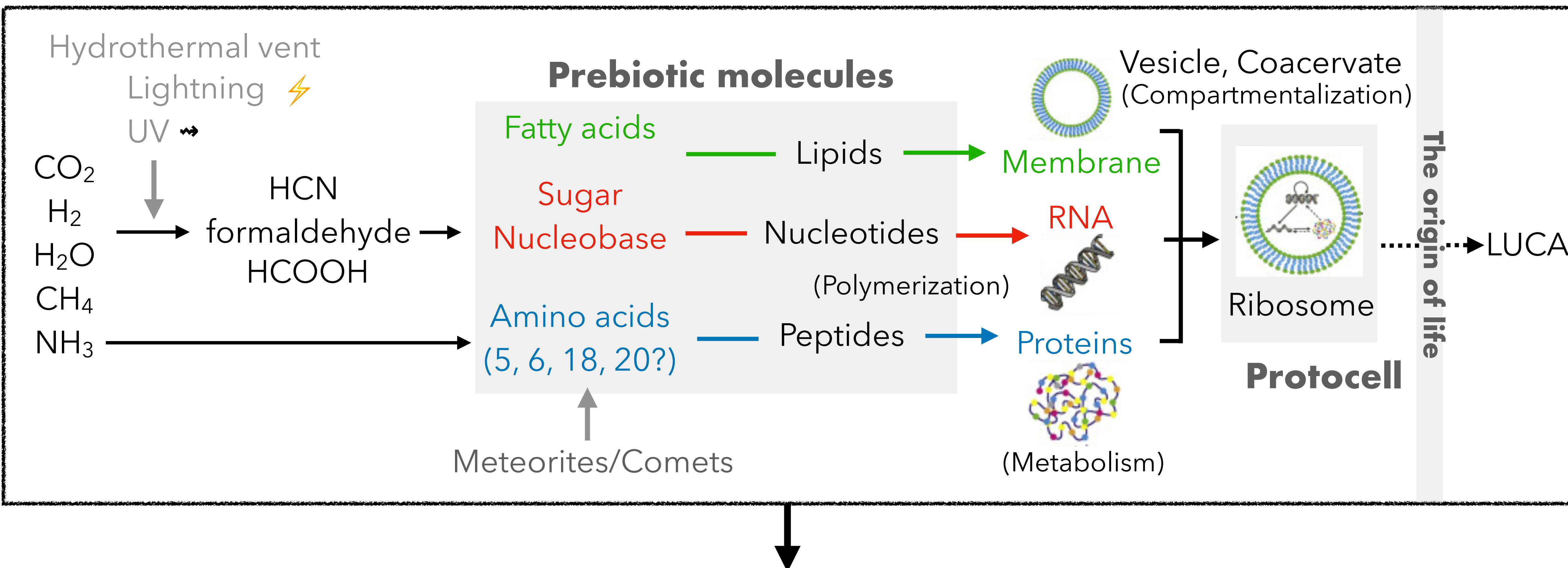
TMT/PSI (Planets System Imager)

Detection limit  $\sim 10^{-8}$  ( $\sim 0.01''$ )

Next-generation space telescope – a **habitable planet around a nearby Sun-like star**  
30m-class telescope – a **habitable planet around a nearby M dwarf**

# What Should We Detect as a Sign of Life?

A standard(?) sequence from simple molecules to protocell entity

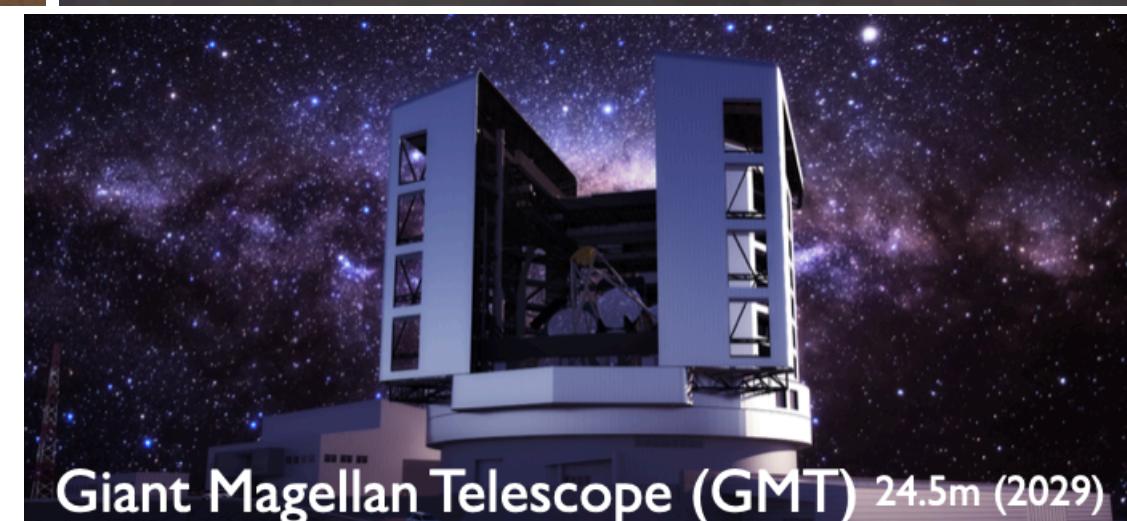
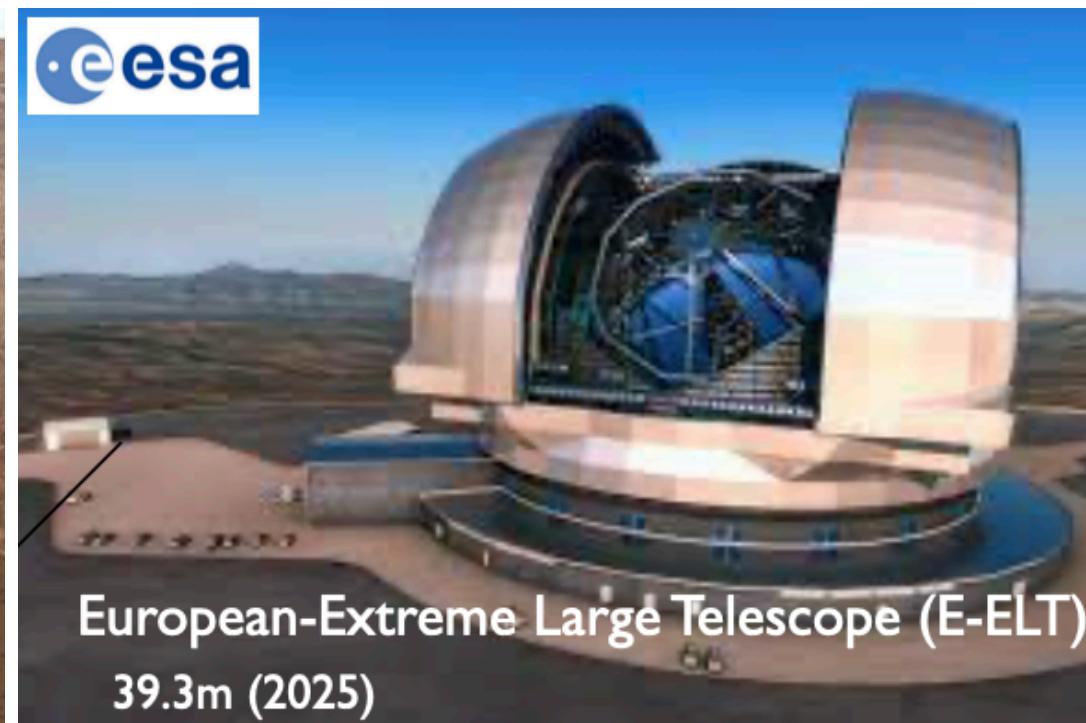
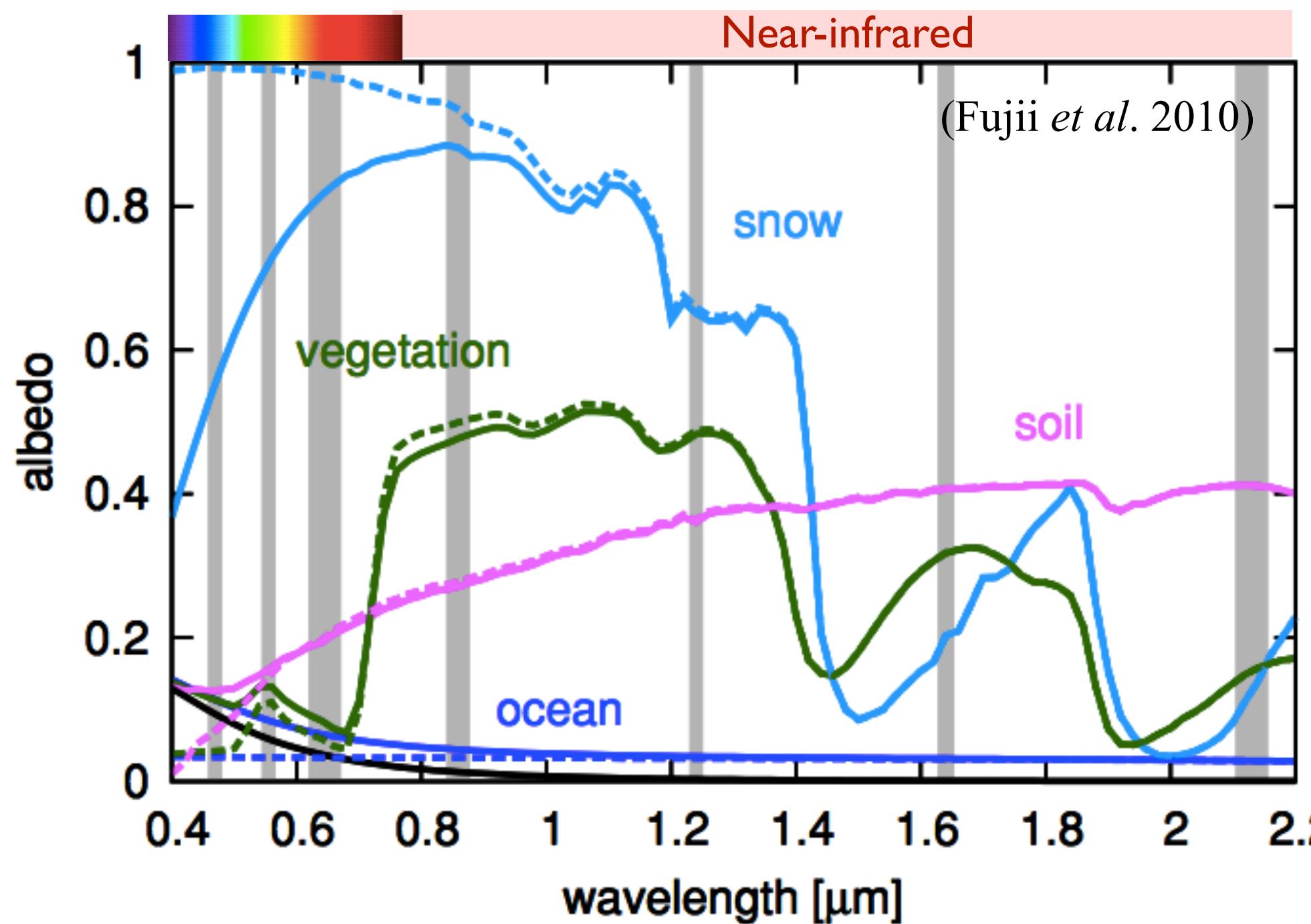


**The compelling evidence** for life on an Earth-like planet is to detect **several long-chain proteins** simultaneously.

# Anatomy of ExoEarths Using Reflection light

What kind of information can we extract from reflection spectra of exoEarths?

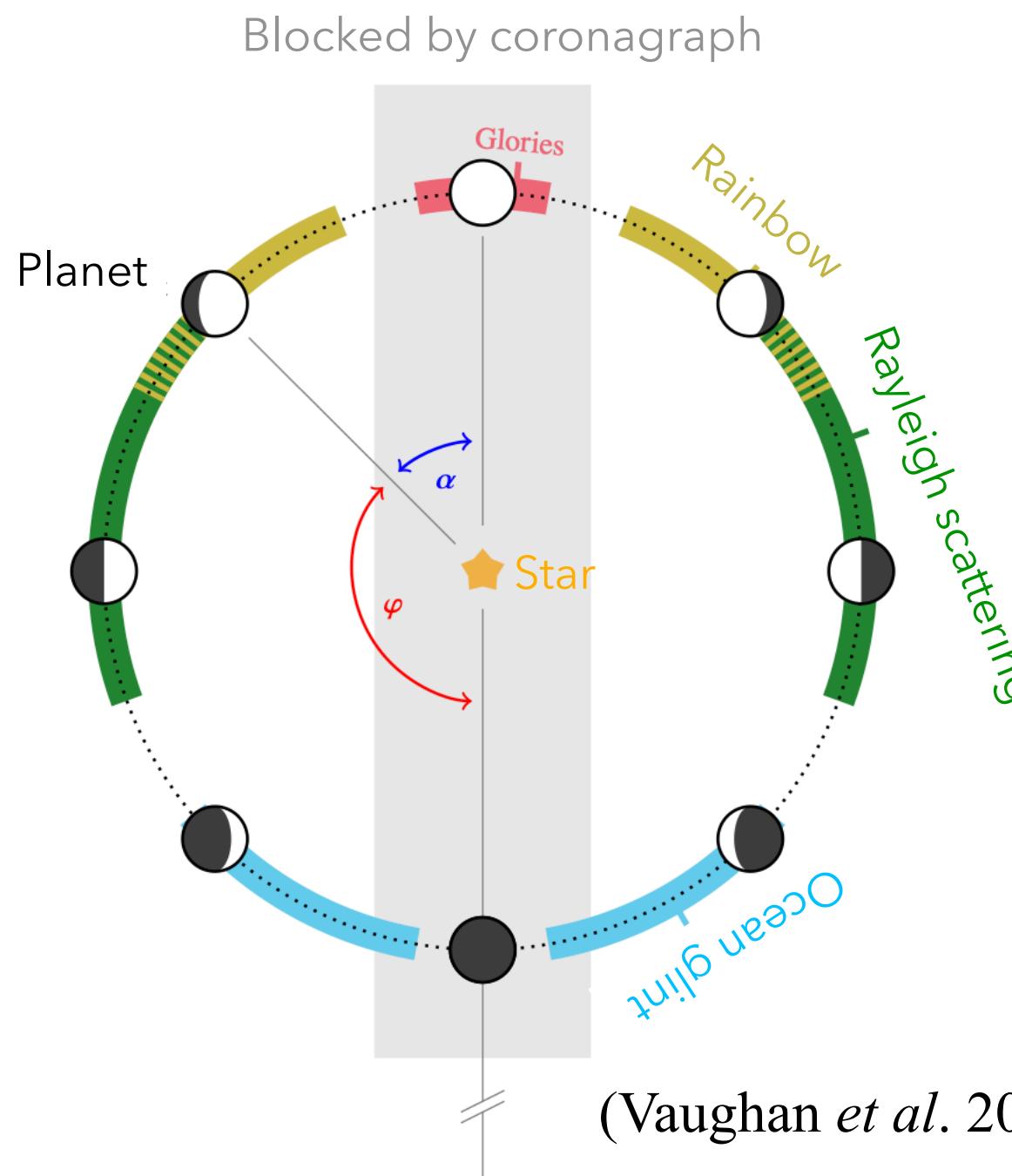
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- Atmosphere (e.g. CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, O<sub>2</sub>, T-P profile)
- **Rotation** (period, obliquity)
- **Vegetation**



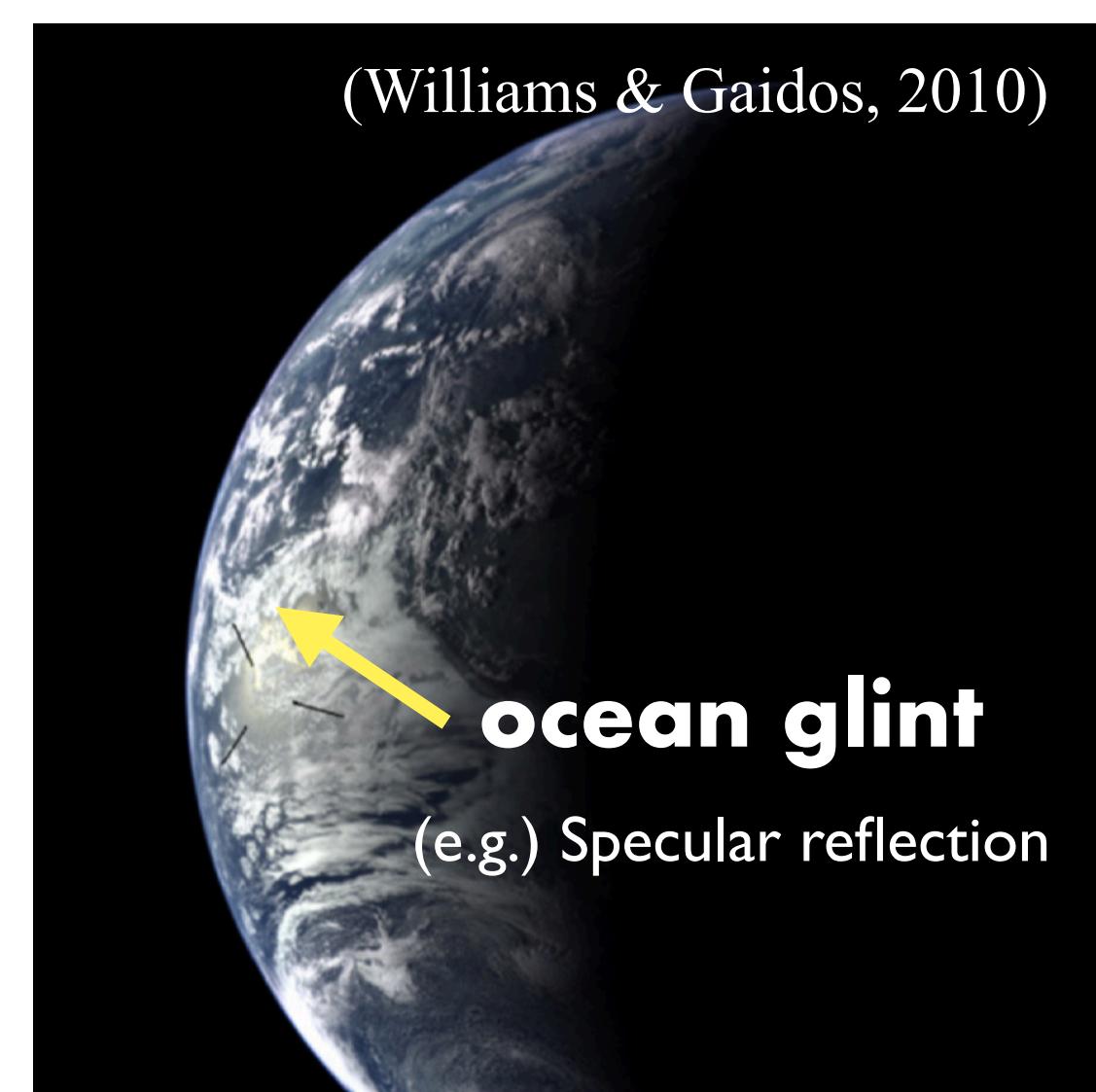
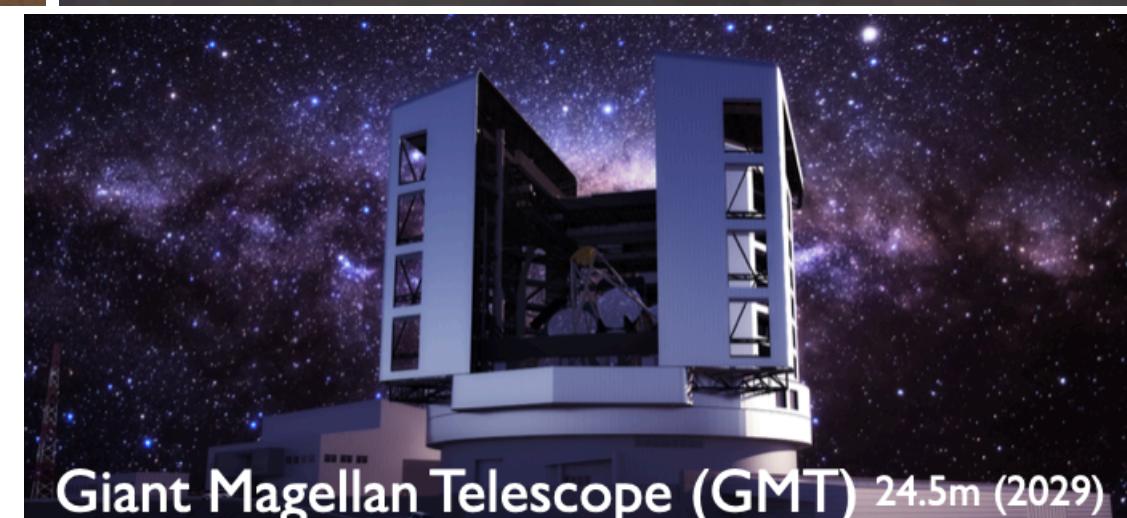
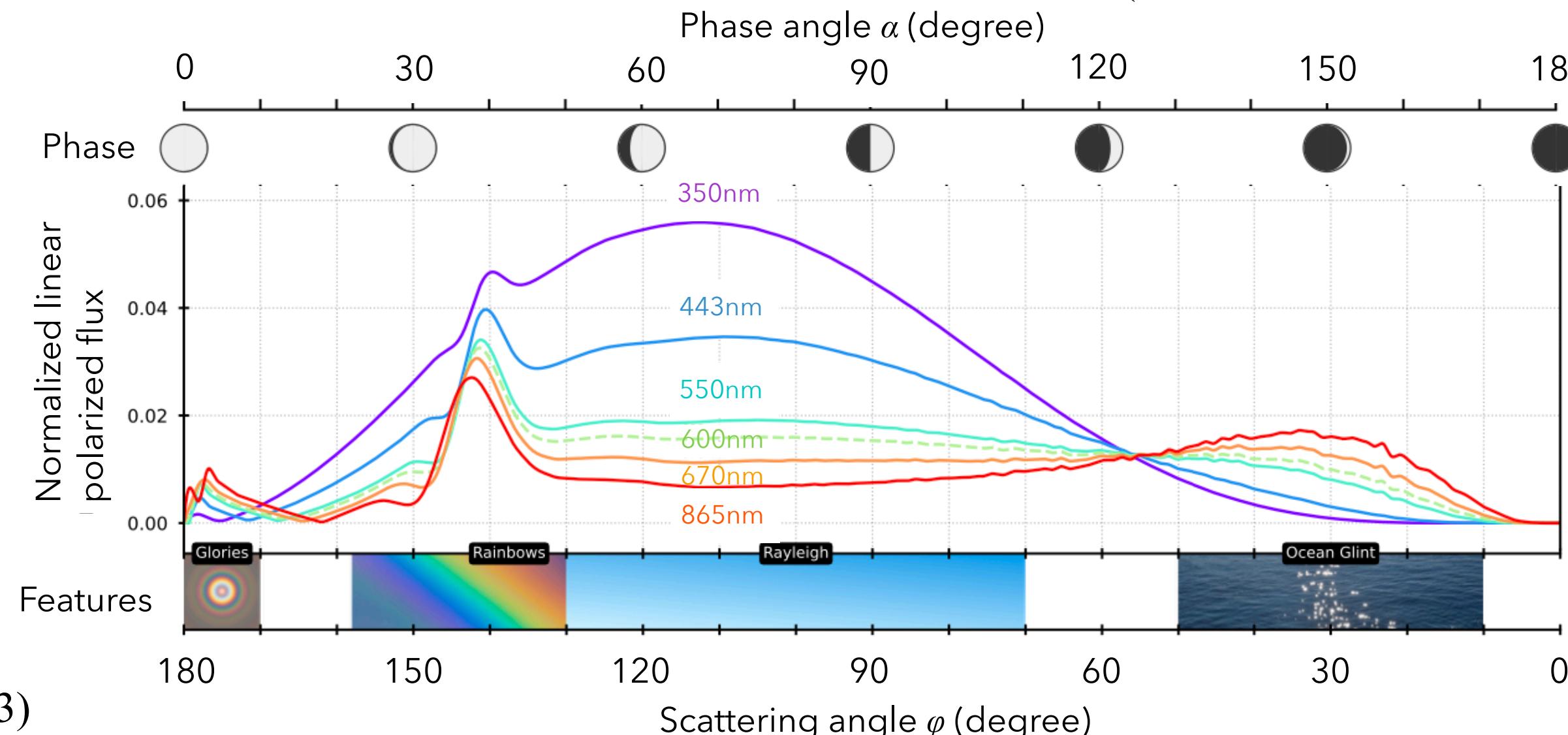
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**Polarization** can be used for detecting a rainbow and clouds  
(Karalidi *et al.* 2011; 2012)



# A Hint of Vegetation on ExoEarths

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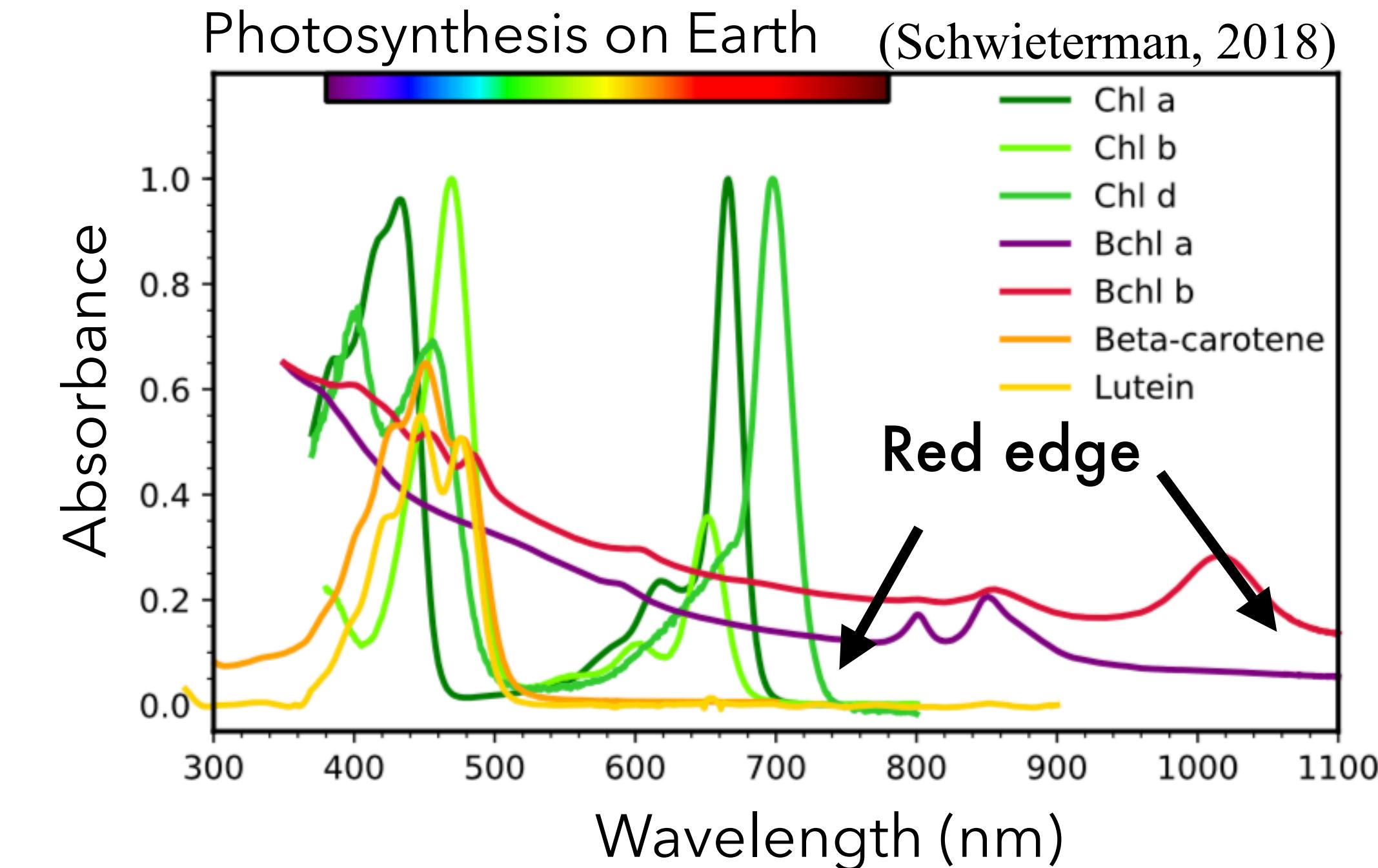
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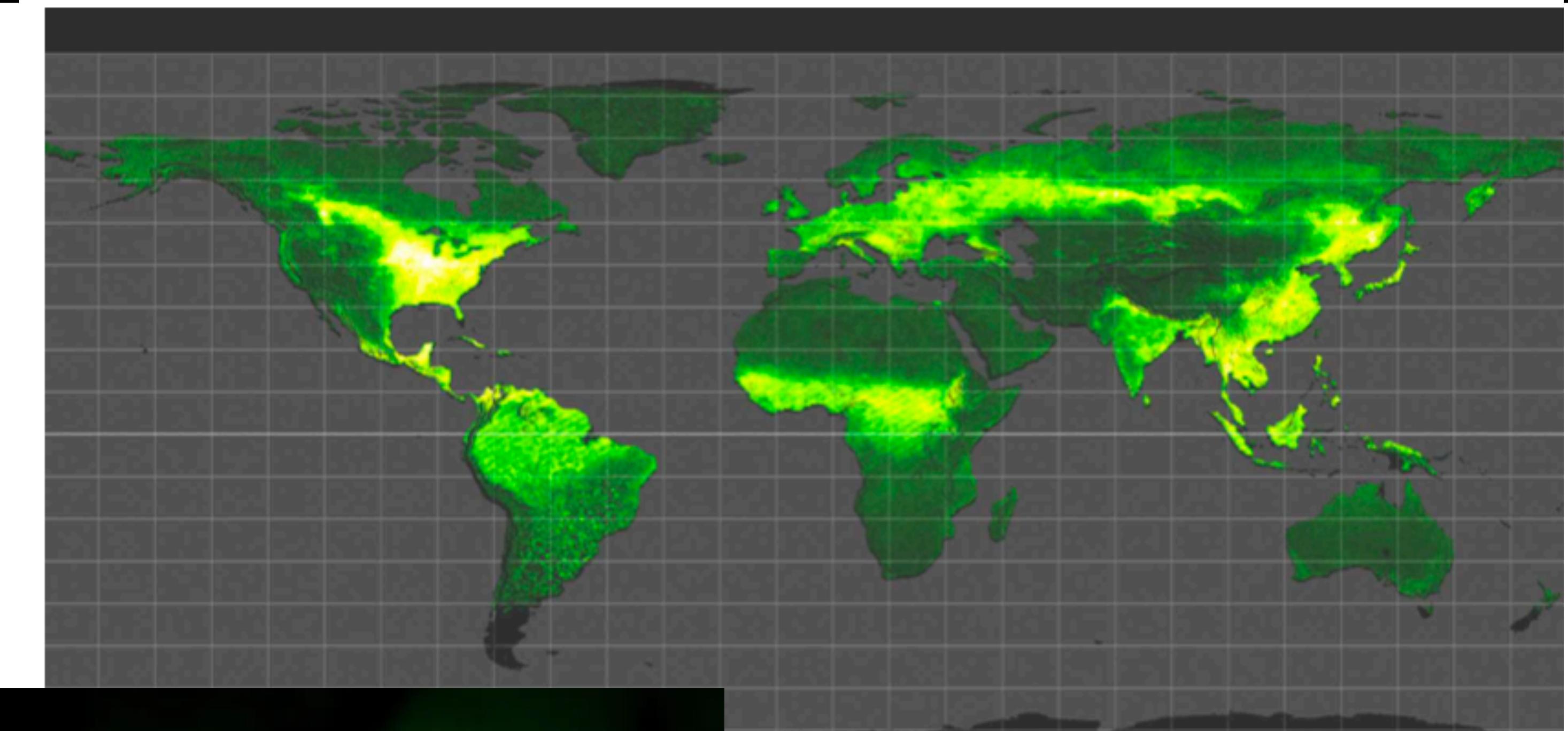
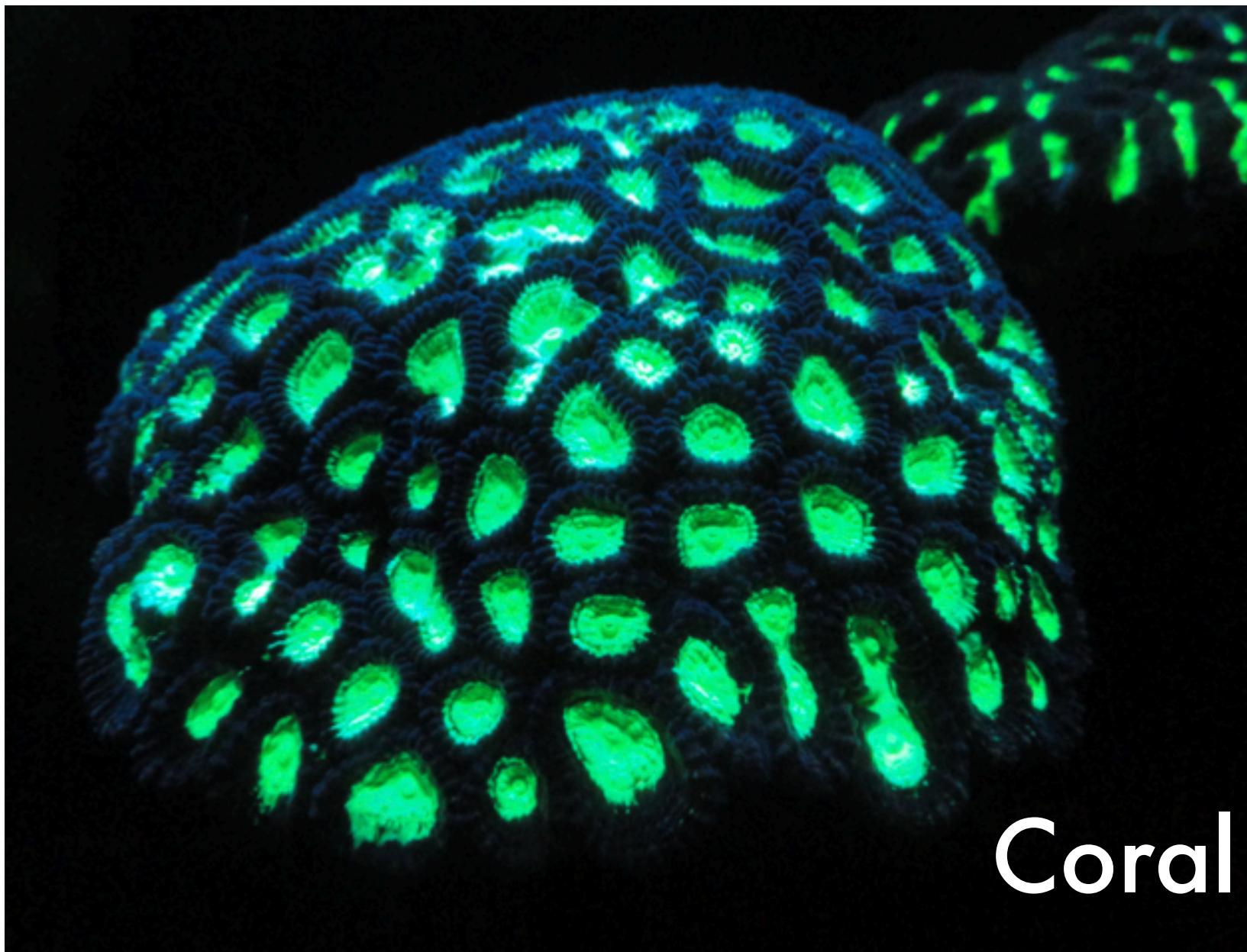
(e.g.) cyanobacteria –  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{O}$

Anoxygenic photosynthesis (Bacteriochlorophyll)

(e.g.) purple bacteria, green sulfur bacteria –  $\text{CO}_2 + \text{H}_2\text{S}$



# Biofluorescence from Vegetation



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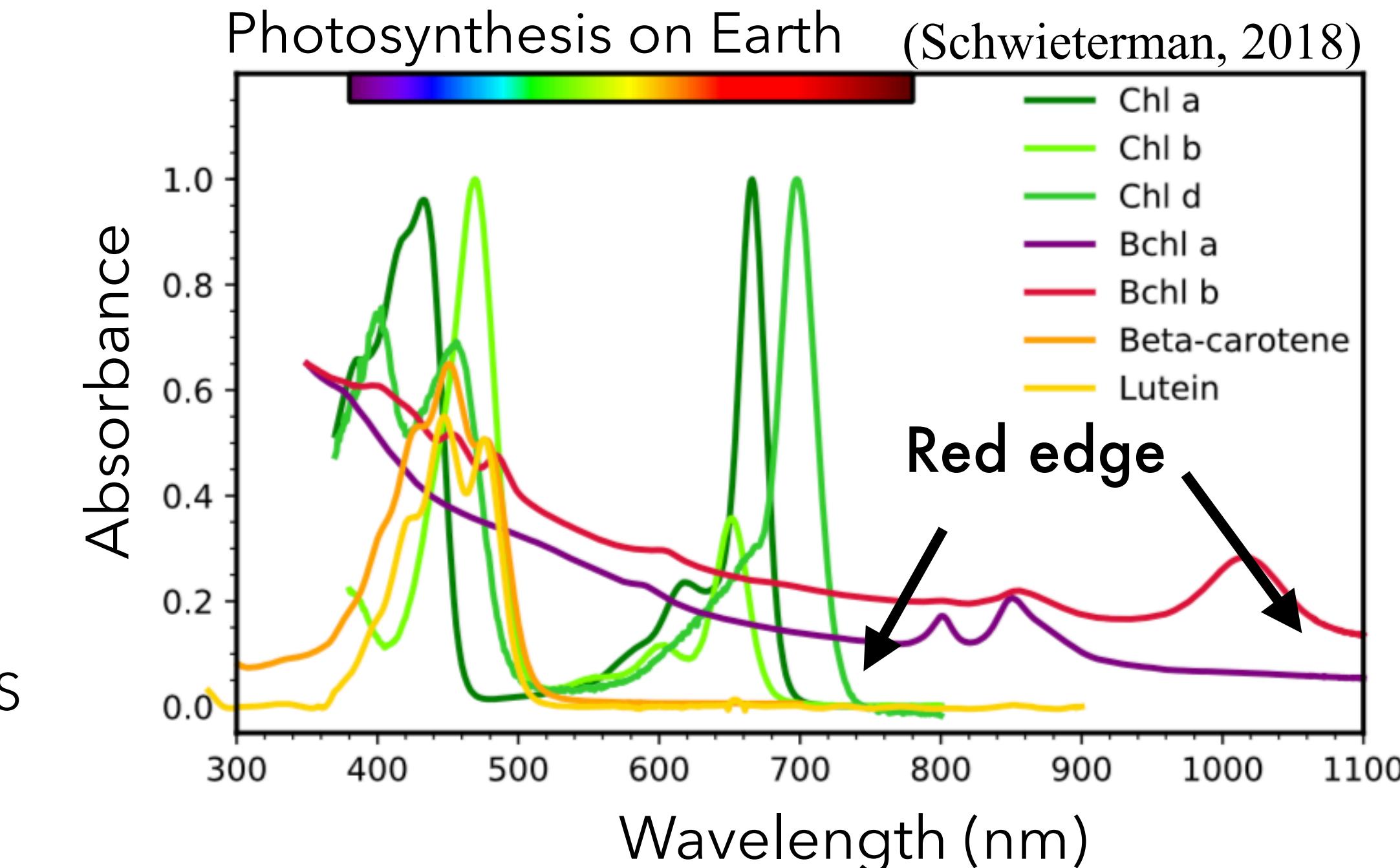
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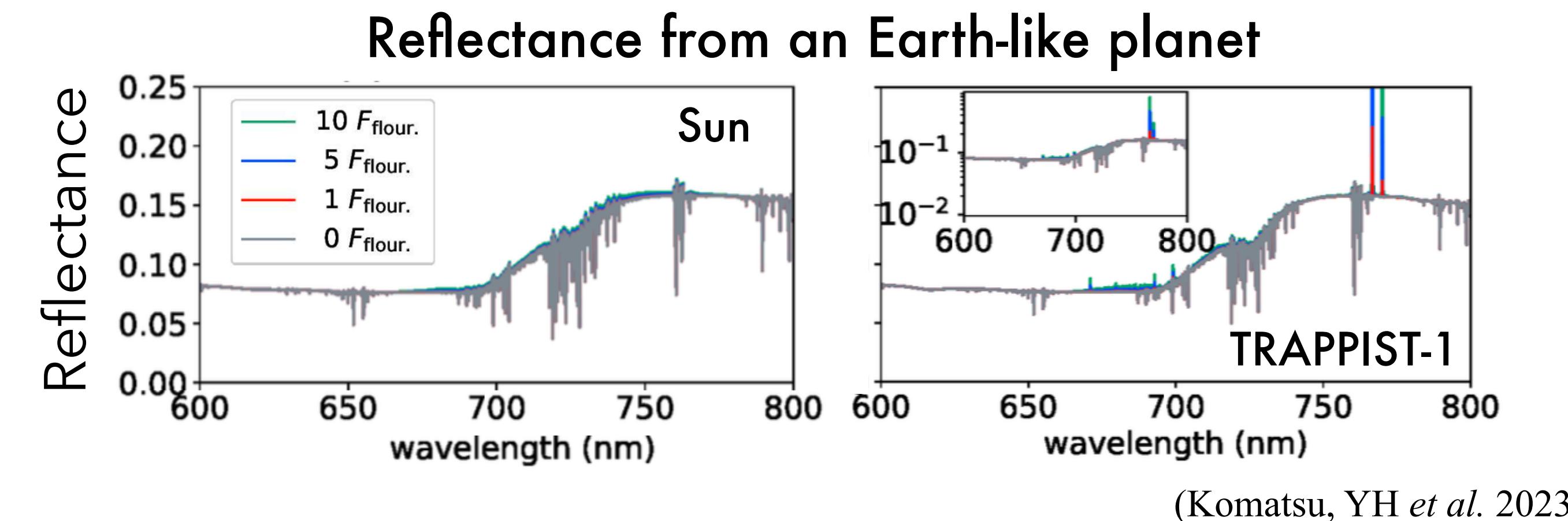
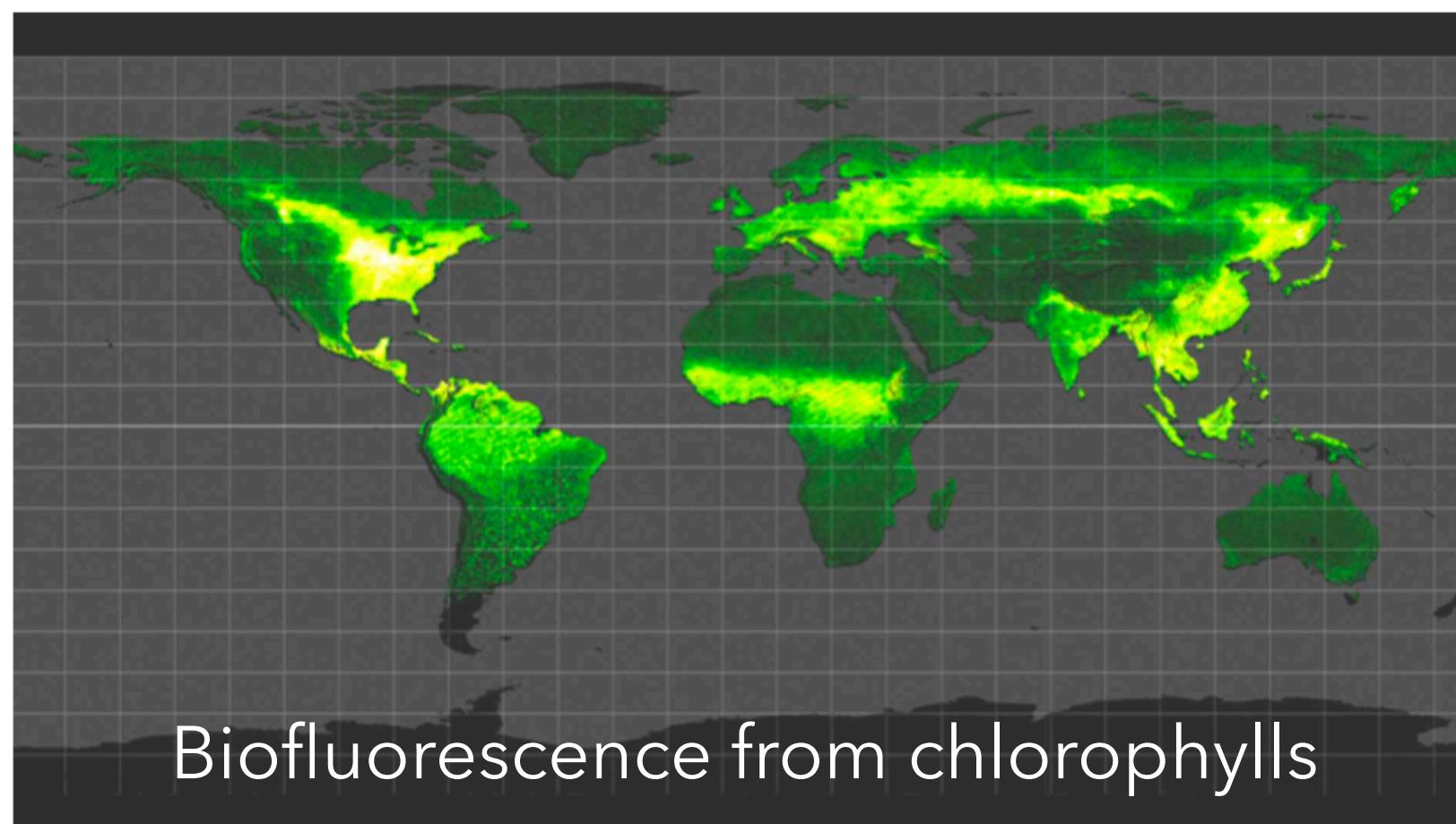
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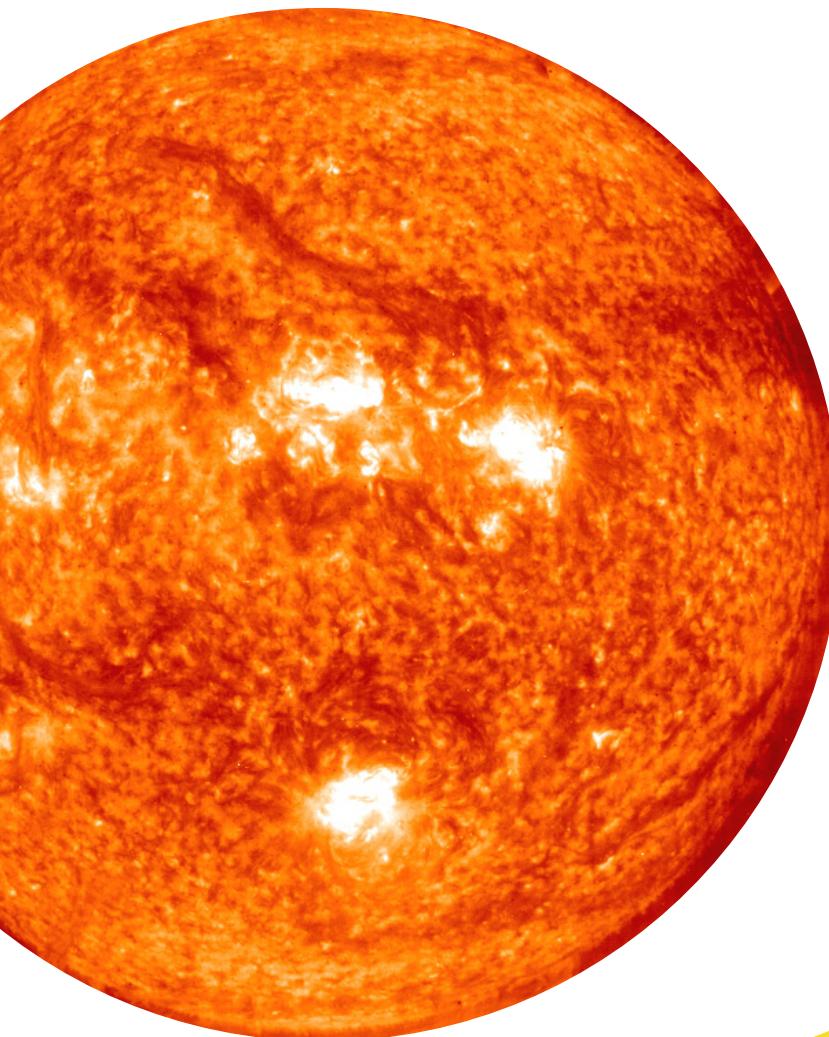
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## 2) Biofluorescence (O'Malley-James & Kaltenegger, 2016; 2018)

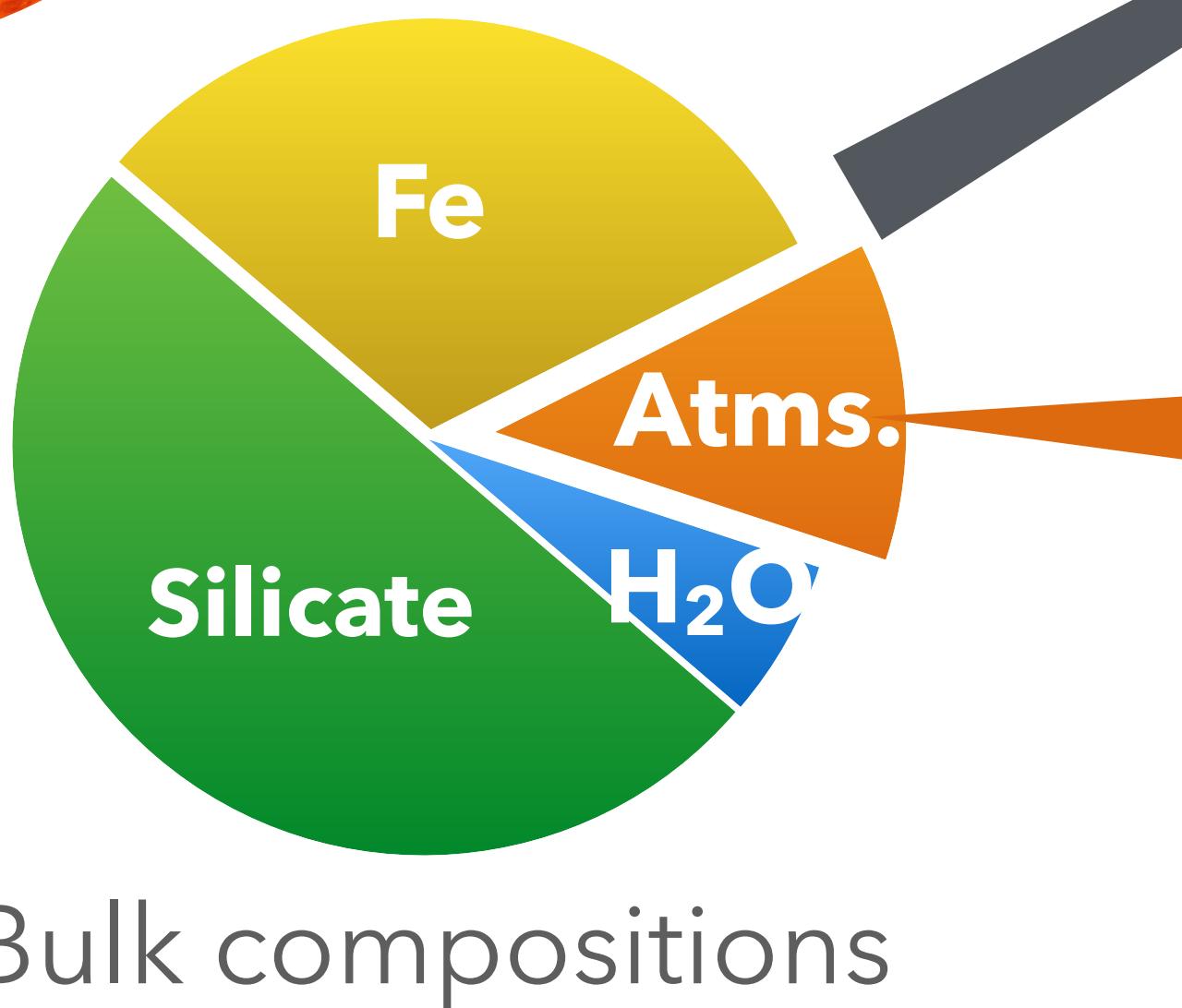


# Further Characterization of Exoplanets



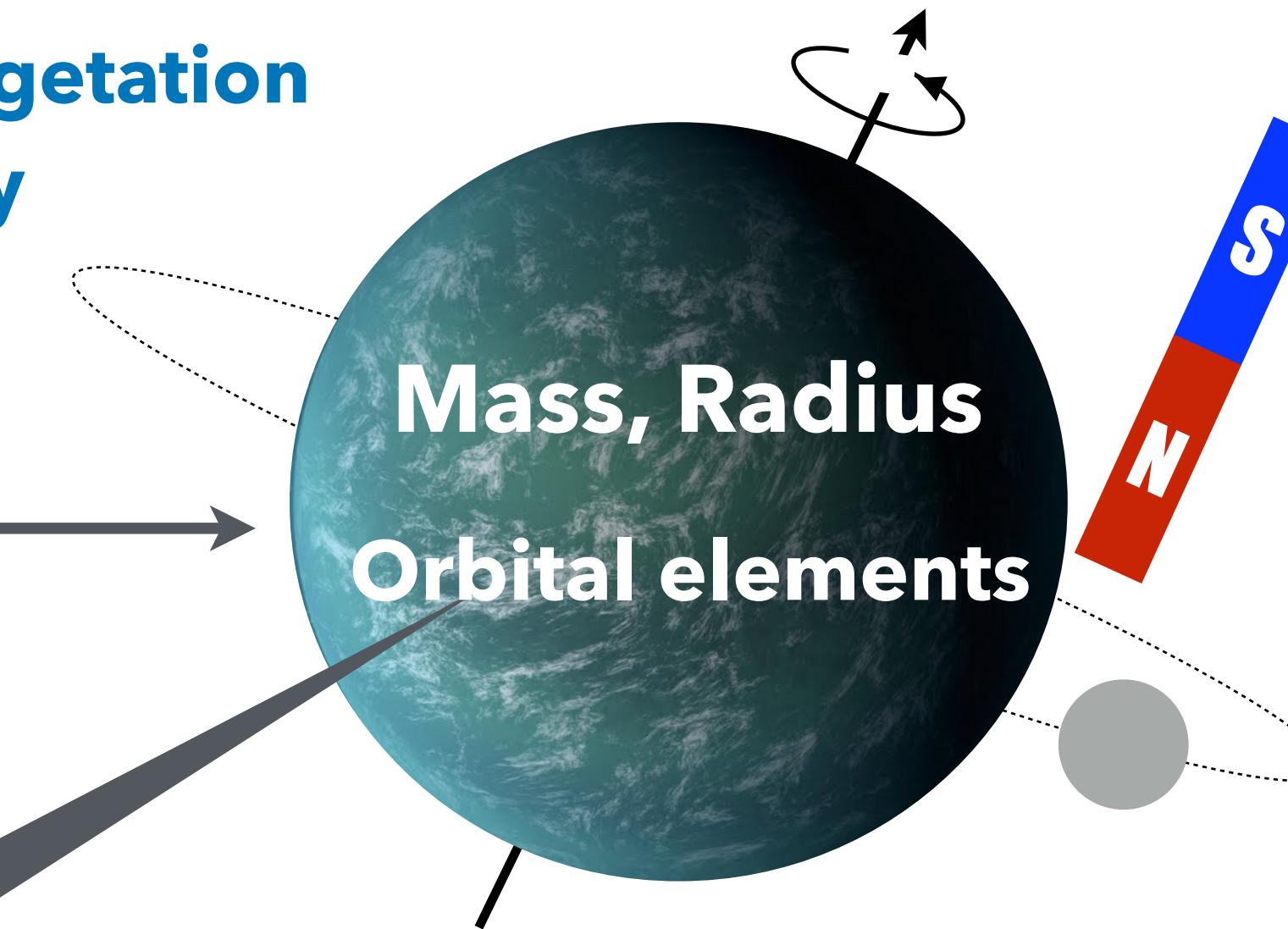
## Surface environments

(e.g.) land, ocean, vegetation  
volcanic activity



## Distance

## Rotation period, obliquity



Magnetic field

Exomoons

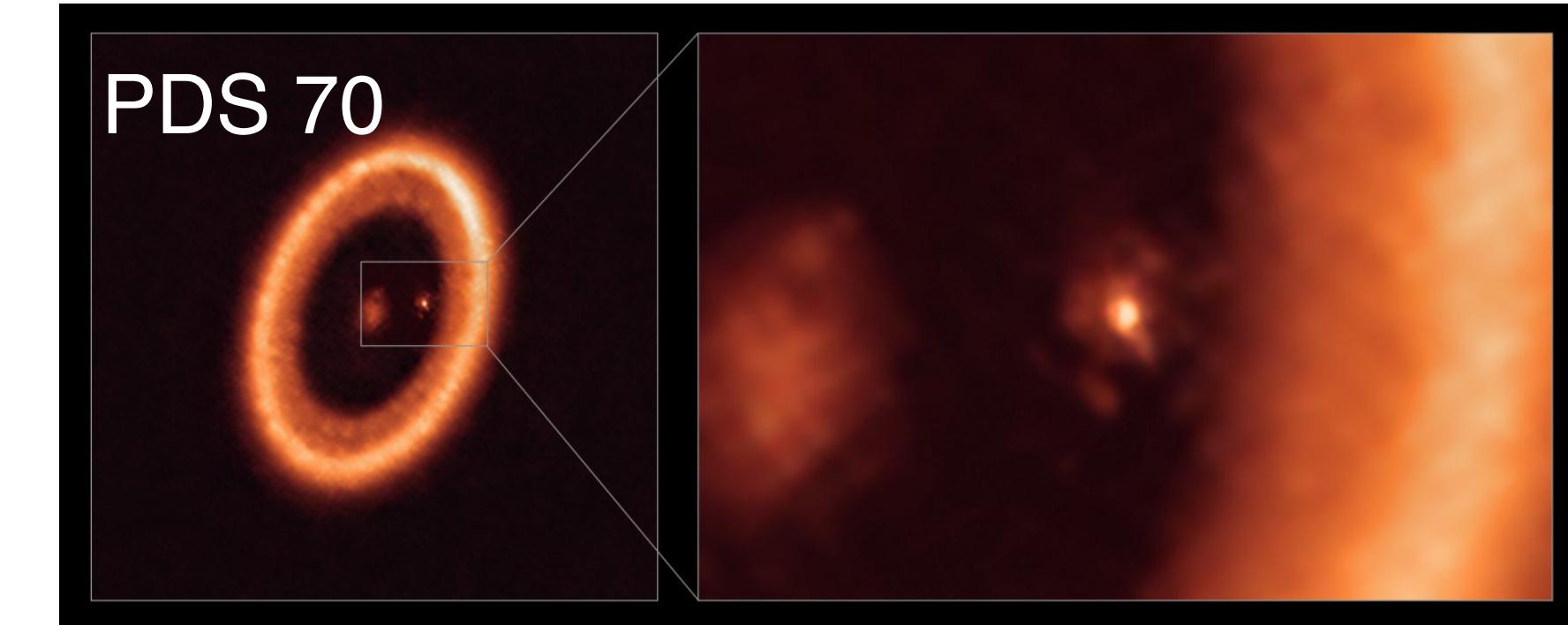
The detection of exoplanet atmospheres  
Atmospheric escape  
Atmospheric compositions  
Clouds and haze

# Universality of an Exomoon around Planets

Satellites exist around Earth, Mars and all the giant planets in the solar system.

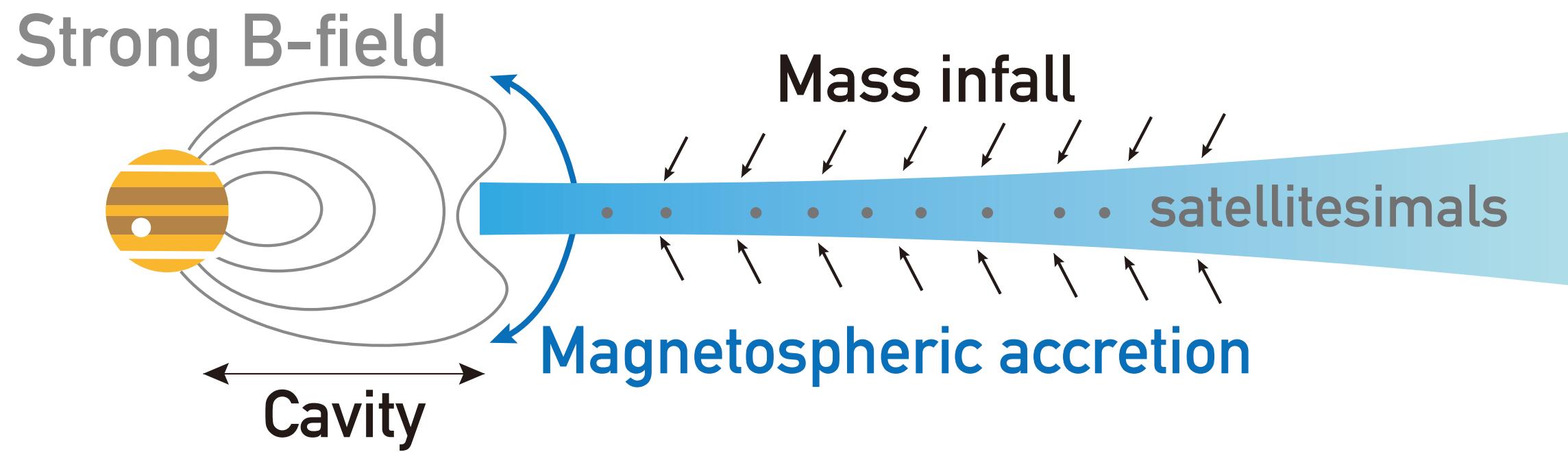
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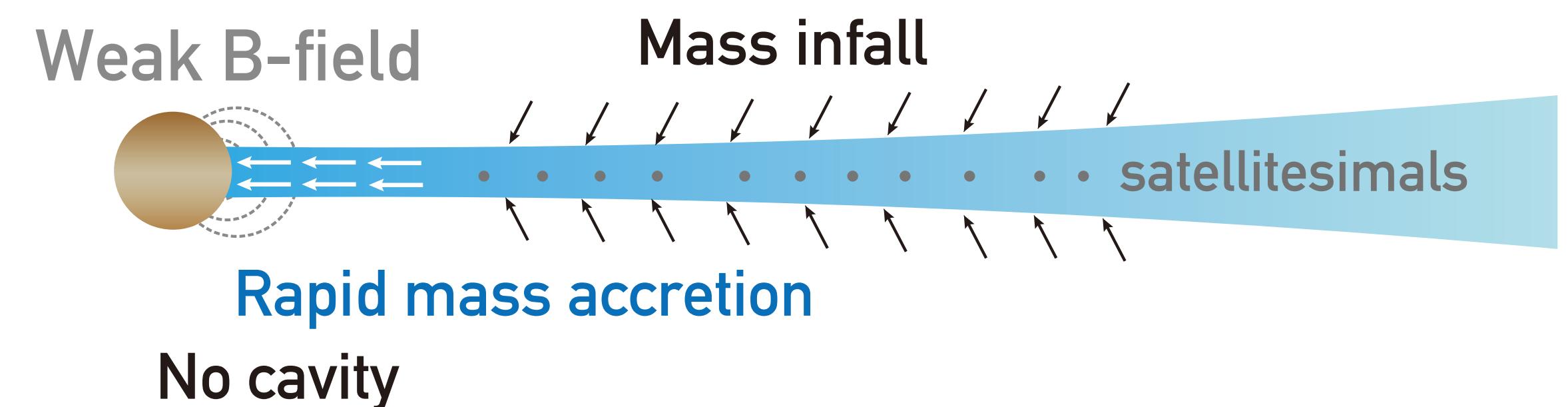


(e.g. Wagner *et al.* 2018; Haffert *et al.* 2019; Isella *et al.* 2019; Benisty *et al.* 2021)

## Jupiter or More Massive Exoplanets



## Saturn-mass Exoplanets



The system of multiple large satellites around a massive gas giant

(Fujii, Ogiara, & YH, *submitted*)

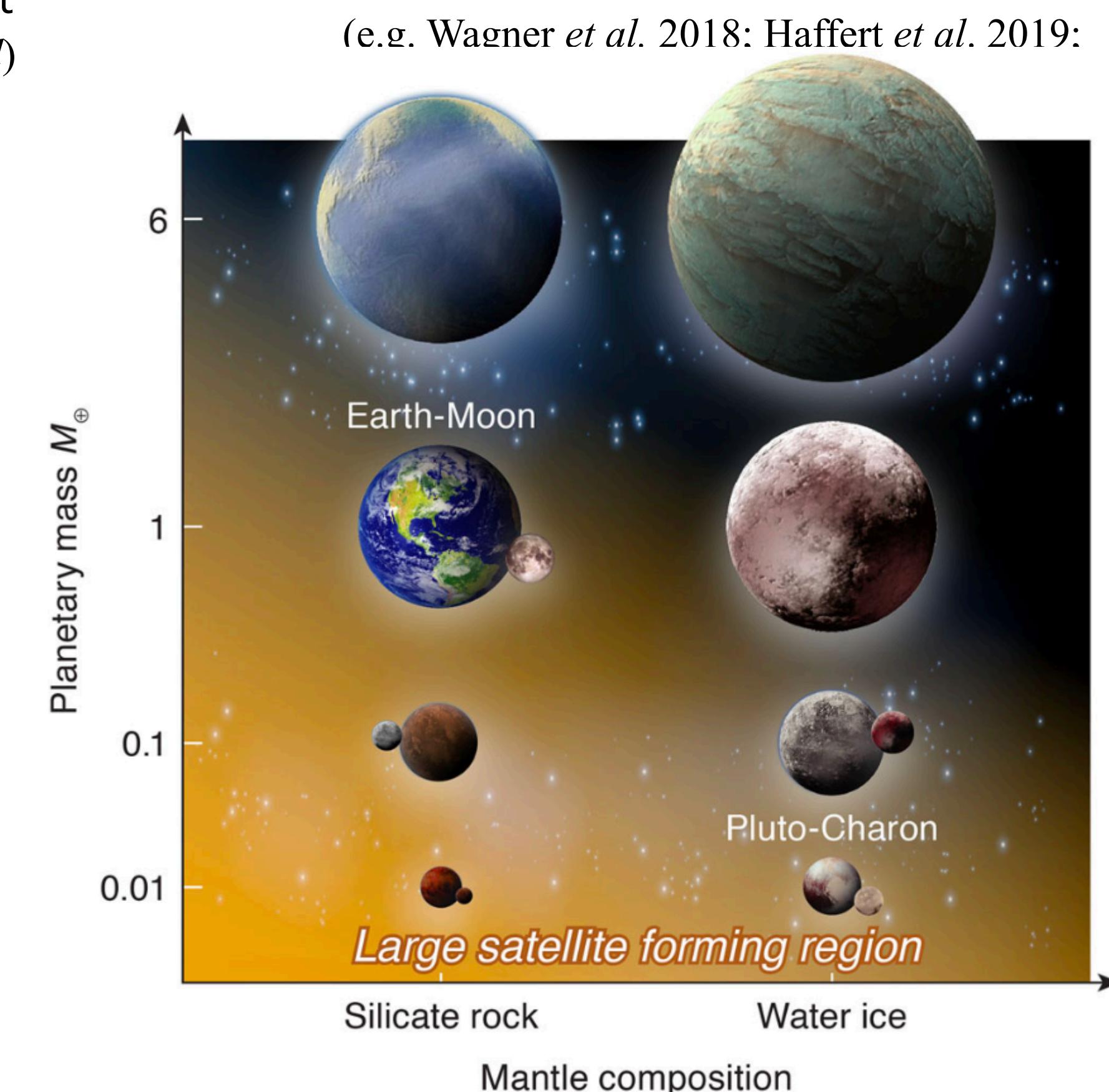
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- b) **giant impact** on a planet or **gravitational capture** of large body
  - moon formation around a rocky planet with < 6 Earth-mass or an icy planet with < Earth-mass (Nakajima *et al.* 2022)

Recent theoretical studies of moon formation predict the existence of moons around a gas giant and a low-mass rocky/icy planet



# Toward the Detection of Exomoons

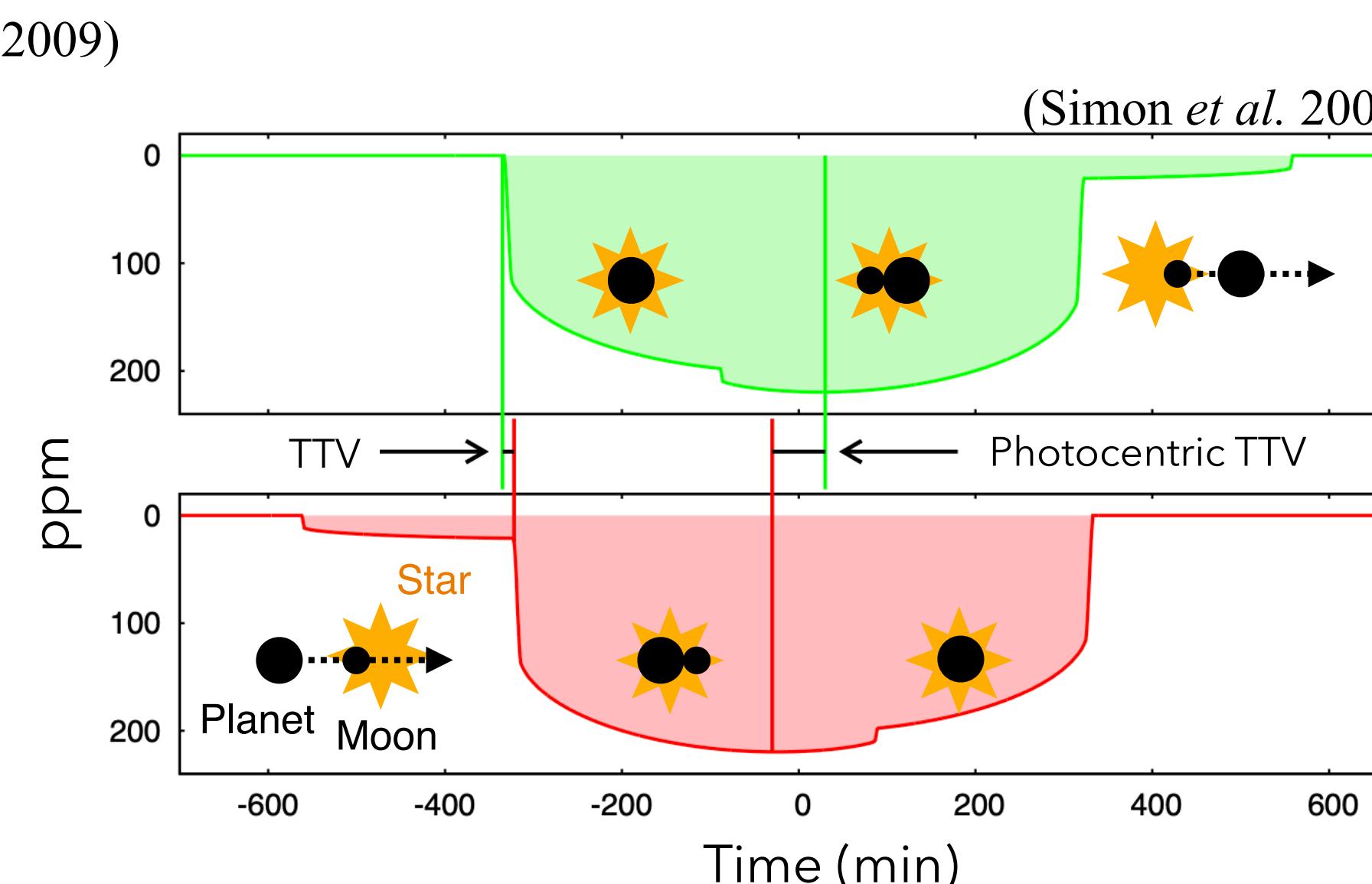
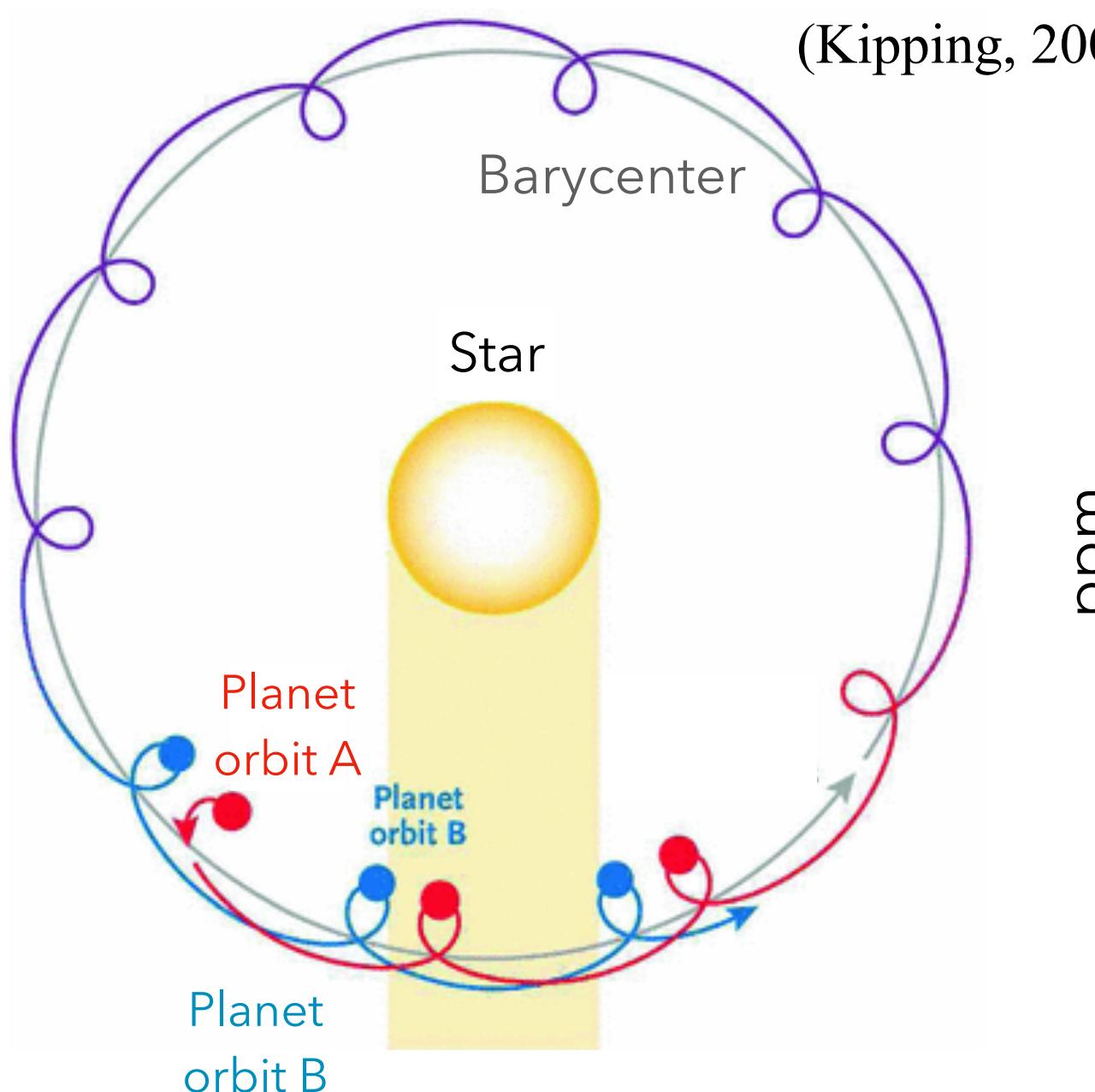
The detection of an exomoon is **true or false?**

Kepler-1708b-i (Super-Earth + Jupiter@1.64 au) (Kipping *et al.*, 2022)

Kepler-1625b-j (Neptune + Jupiter-sized@0.98 au) (Teachey & Kipping, 2018; Kipping, 2020)

But no evidence? (Heller *et al.* 2019; Kreidberg *et al.* 2019)

**A binary planet rather than an exomoon?**



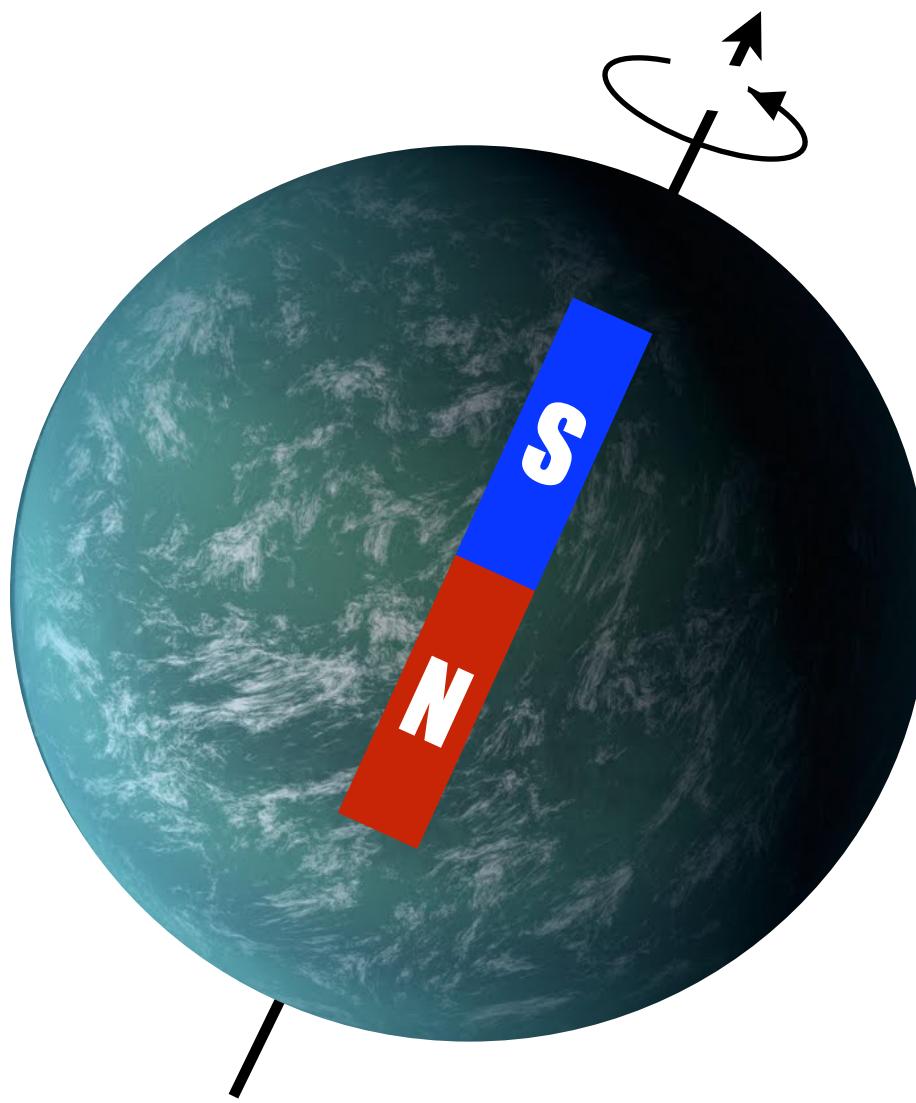
$$\Delta t_{\text{TTV}} \sim 36\chi \left( \frac{M_{\text{moon}}}{M_{\oplus}} \right) \left( \frac{M_p}{M_{\text{Jup}}} \right)^{-2/3} \left( \frac{M_{\star}}{M_{\odot}} \right)^{-1/3} \left( \frac{P_p}{1 \text{ yr}} \right) f(e_p, e_{\text{moon}}, \bar{\omega}_p, \bar{\omega}_{\text{p}}) \text{ mins}$$
$$a_{\text{moon}} = \chi r_{\text{Hill}}$$

$$\frac{\Delta t_{\text{TDV}}}{\Delta t_{\text{TTV}}} \sim \frac{2\pi\sqrt{3}}{\chi^{3/2}} \frac{T_{\text{transit}}}{P_p}$$

- i) Transit Timing Variation of a planet (**TTV**)
- ii) Transit Duration Variation (**TDV**)

(Sartoretti & Schneider, 1999; Szabo *et al.* 2006;  
Simon *et al.* 2007; Kipping, 2009)

# Planetary Magnetic Fields Are Common



Planetary magnetic fields ( $\mathbf{B}$ ) are generated by convective motions in an electrically conducting fluid, the so-called planetary dynamos.

A dynamo-driven  $\mathbf{B}$  seems to be common among various types of planets.

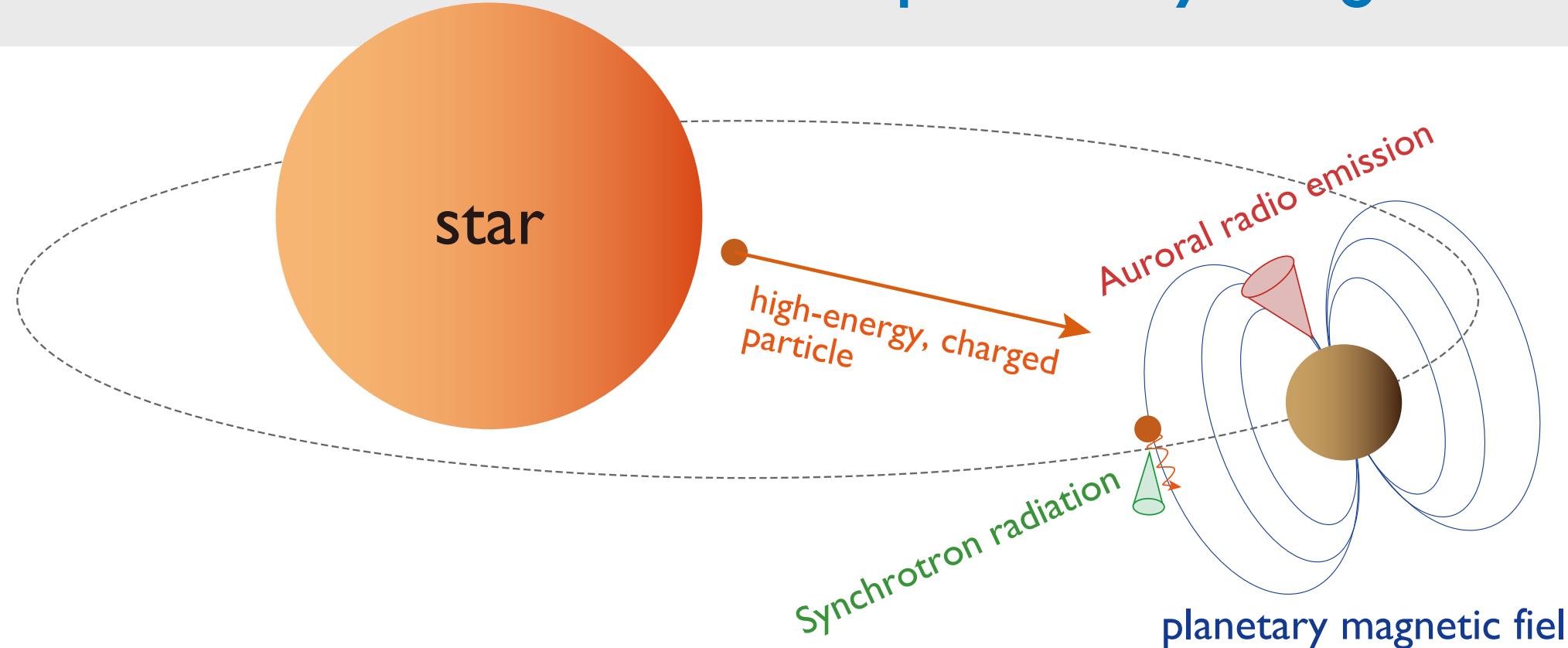
- Earth-mass planets or fast-rotating low-mass super-Earths
- Giant planets (Yadav & Thorgren, 2017; YH, 2021) (e.g. Gaidos *et al.* 2011; Tachinami *et al.* 2011; Zuluaga *et al.* 2011)

If ice giants have a low mass fraction of atmosphere, its mass should be less than several times Earth-mass. (Tian & Stanley, 2013)

(e.g.) Mercury, Earth, Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, and possibly, Ganymede

# How Do We Detect Planetary Magnetic Fields?

## ① Interactions between a planetary magnetic field and high-energy, charged particles coming from a host star



(e.g. Grießmeier *et al.* 2005; 2007)

### (a) Synchrotron radiation

Emissions from accelerated electrons in a magnetic field

### (b) Auroral radio emission

The cyclotron radiation from electrons moving along the magnetic field of a planet is attributed to the electron- cyclotron maser instability.

## ② Polarization in spectral lines in a magnetic field (e.g.) He I triplet lines escaping from a close-in planet

- $B < 1\text{kG}$  : atomic-level linear/circular polarization  
split of the atomic energy levels in multi-substates

(Oklopčić & Hirata, 2018; Oklopčić *et al.* 2020)

Tentative detection? of circularly-polarized emissions from  $\tau$  Boötis at LOFAR (14-21MHz) (Turner *et al.* 2021)

## ③ Star-Planet Interactions (SPIs) (e.g. Cuntz *et al.* 2000; Shkolnik *et al.* 2003; 2005; Saur *et al.* 2013; Lanza, 2013)

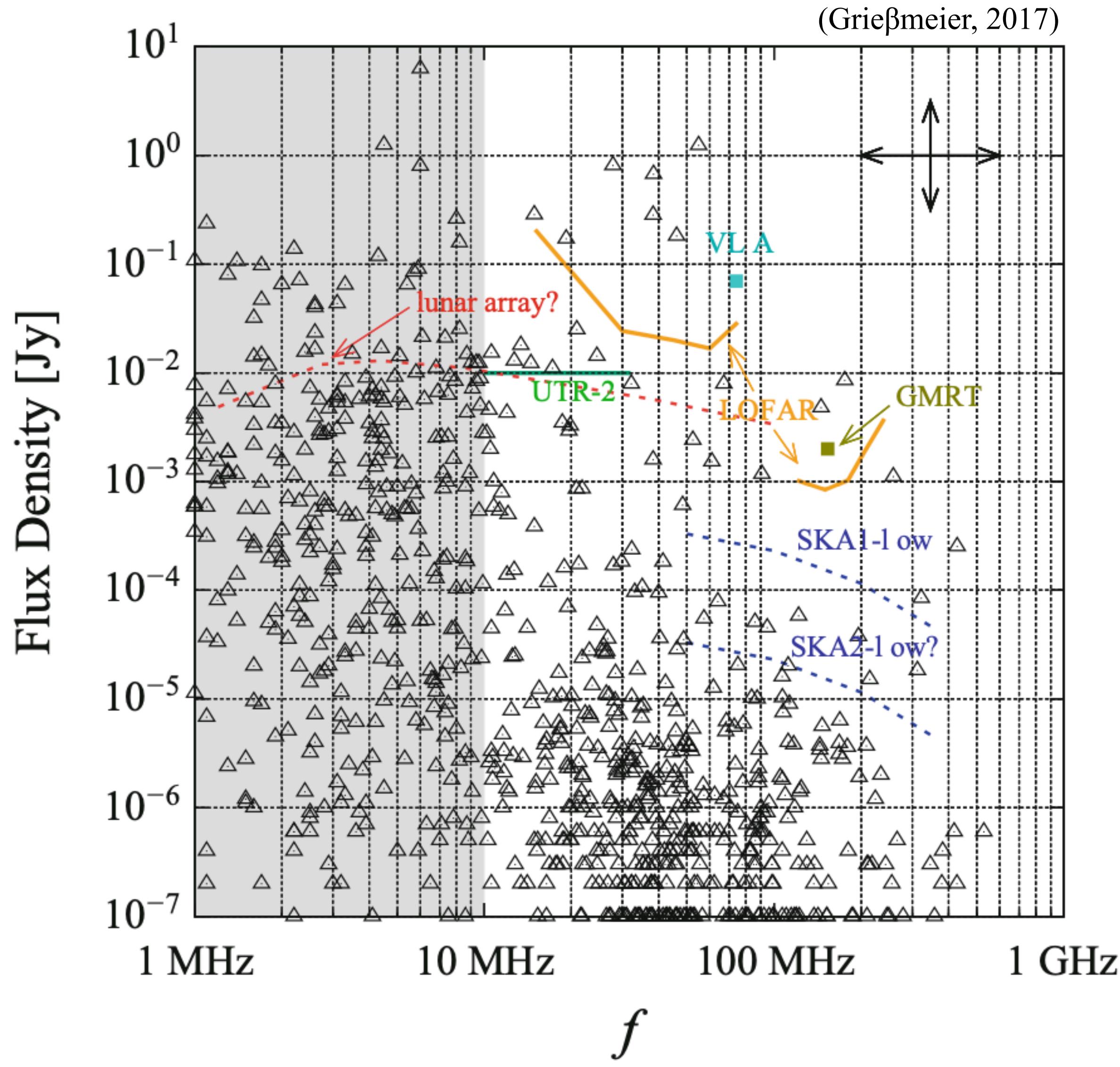
The Ca II K flux variations of HD 179949, HD189733,  $\tau$  Boötis, and  $\nu$  Andromedae are correlated with orbital periods of their hot Jupiters (Cauley *et al.* 2019)

## ④ The behavior of gases escaping from a planet

A magnetotail of HI and CII gas flowing out from HAT-P-11b (Ben-Jaffel *et al.* 2022)



# Expected Flux Density of Radio Emissions from Planets



Cyclotron frequency:  $f$

$$f = \frac{eB}{2\pi m_e c} \sim 2.8 \left( \frac{B}{1 \text{ G}} \right) \text{ MHz}$$

$m_e$ : electron mass  
 $c$ : light speed  
 $e$ : elementary charge

$$(cf) \text{ Plasma frequency } f_{pe} = \sqrt{\frac{n_e e^2}{2\pi m_e}} \sim 8.98 \text{ MHz}$$

Planetary magnetic field ( $B$ ) v.s Radio emission power ( $P_{\text{rad}}$ )

$$P_{\text{rad}} \propto B^{2/3} n_0^{2/3} v^{7/3} a^{-4/3} \quad (\text{e.g. Grießmeier } et al. 2005)$$

$a$ : semimajor axis of a planet

$v, n_0$ : velocity and number density of charged particles from a star

Radio flux density observed on the Earth ( $\Phi$ )

$$\Phi \sim \frac{P_{\text{rad}}}{\Omega d^2 \Delta f} \propto B^{-1/3} n_0^{2/3} v^{7/3} a^{-4/3} d^{-2} R_p^2$$

$d$ : distance from Earth,  $R_p$ : planetary radius

$\Omega$ : solid angle of a beam,  $\Delta f$ : band width

# Summary

The perspective of planet searches in the late 2020s and early 2030.

- Extreme precision RVs and the PLATO will reveal the population of Earth-sized planets in a HZ around a Sunlike star.
- The Roman space telescope will preferentially find Mars- and Earth-sized planets around an M dwarf.
- The Gaia and JWST can explore the distribution of gas giants more massive than Saturn beyond 1au.
- Near-infrared RVs have the potential of detecting planets orbiting a young star (10-100Myr).



Comprehensive understanding of the formation and orbital evolution of planetary systems  
The occurrence rate of a habitable Earth-sized planet and solar system-like planetary systems

A new era of 30m-class telescopes and LUVEx

- Imaging “Earth” and “Jupiter” around a nearby Sun-like star and an M dwarf.
- Information of detailed atmospheric compositions, surface environment such as ocean and vegetation, rotation properties of Earth-mass planets (and larger ones).
- The discovery of exomoons



Comparative studies on atmospheric compositions and geological evolution of terrestrial planets