



# Activity and Doppler Imaging

## of the late-type giant star

= OU Andromedae =



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- Doppler Imaging: Rationale and limitations
- Active regions on OU And:  
Large-scale stability and small-scale fragility
- Summary



# Context



## Doppler Imaging of the Hertzsprung gap star OU Andromedae

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## The different origins of magnetic fields and activity in the Hertzsprung gap stars, OU Andromedae and 31 Comae\*

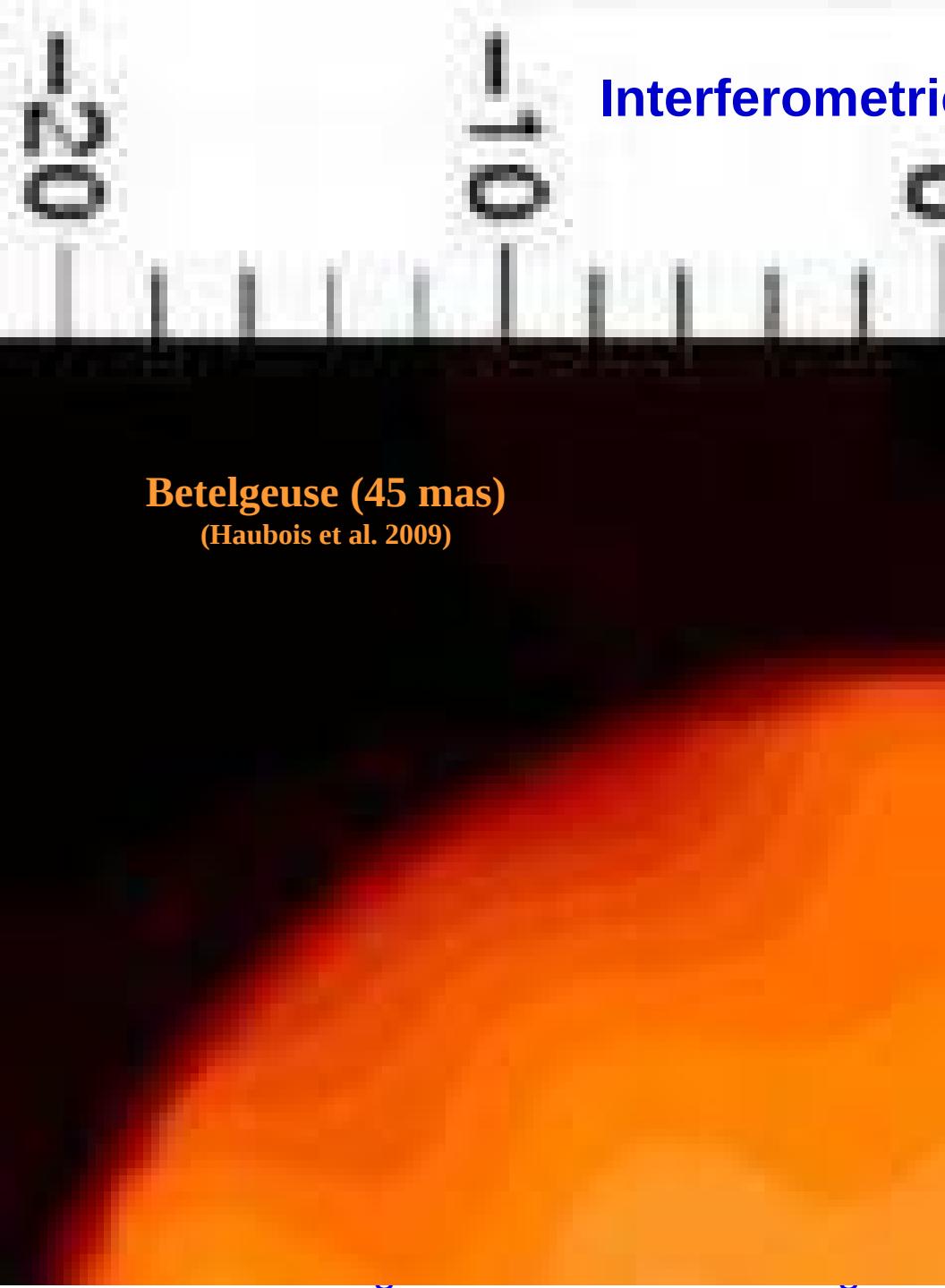
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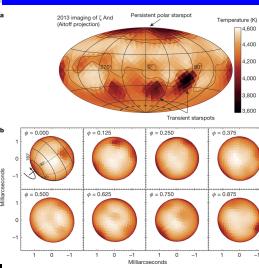
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(Borisova+ 2016, A&A 591)

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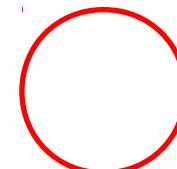


## Interferometric imaging

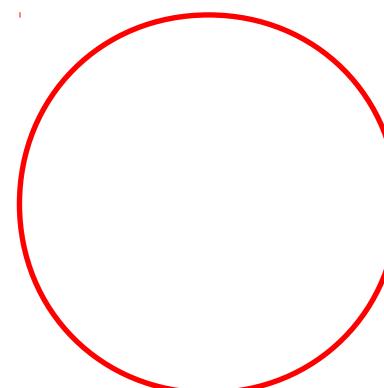


**$\zeta$  And (2.5 mas)**  
(Roettenbacher+, Nature 2016)  
(cf. also 2017 ApJ 849)

○ CHARA (0.5 mas)

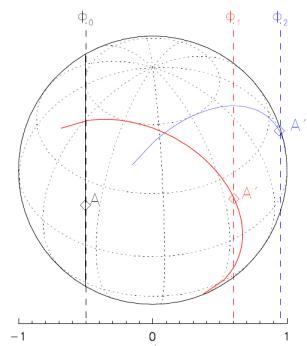
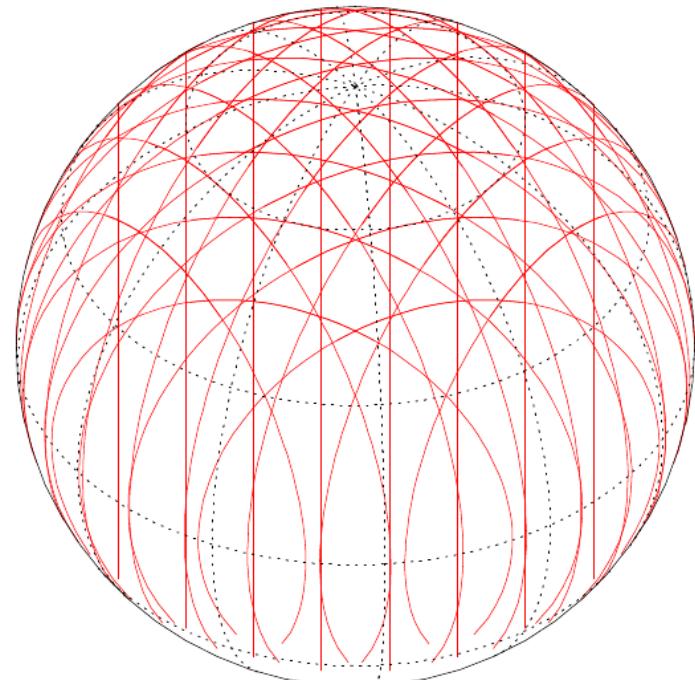
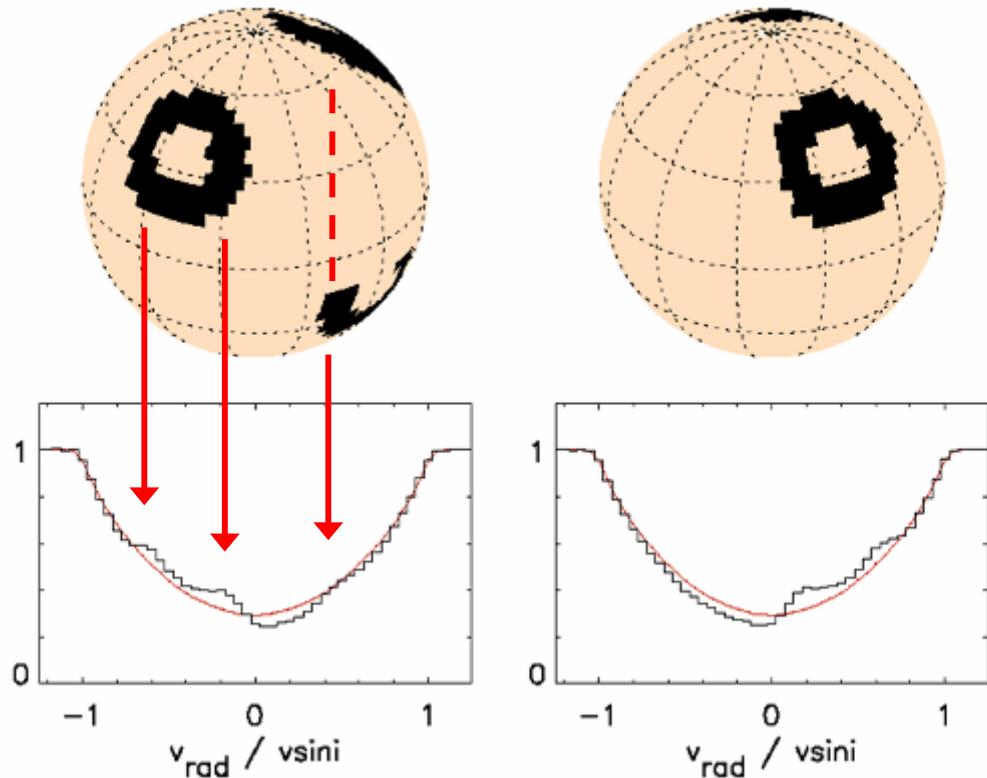


VLTI (3 mas)



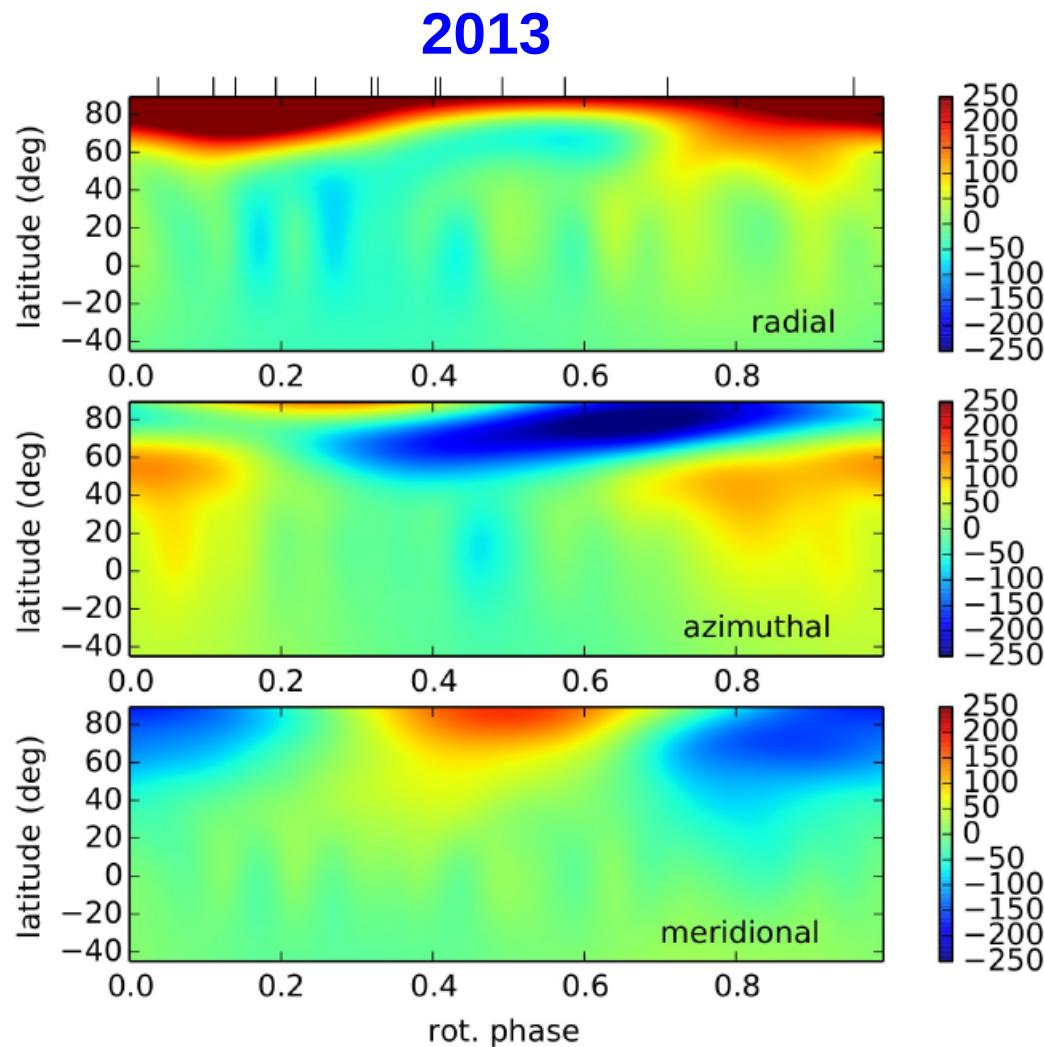
SPHERE  
(7 mas)

● Sun at 10pc (1 mas)



Deutsch 1958, Falk & Wehlau 1974, Goncharski et al. 1982  
 Vogt & Penrod 1983, Rice, Wehlau & Khoklova 1989  
 Donati, Semel & Praderie 1989; Piskunov & Kochukhov 1992  
 Kürster, Schmitt & Cutispoto 1994; Rice & Strassmeier 2003  
 Wolter & Schmitt 2005

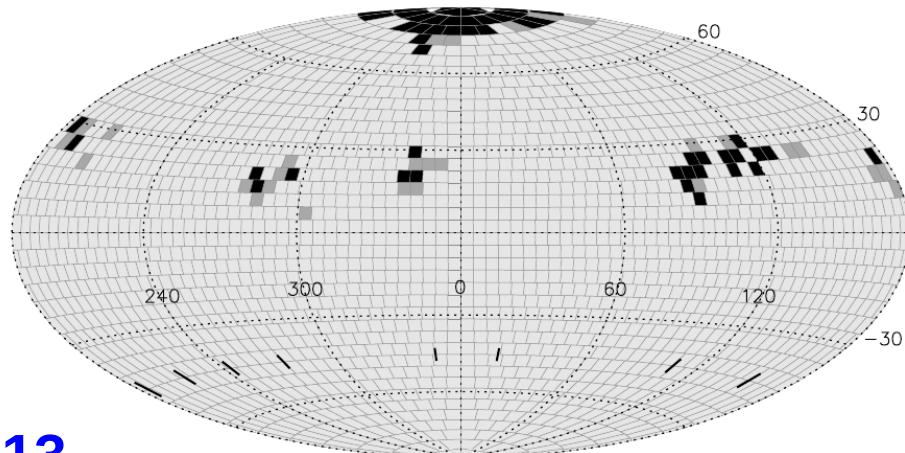
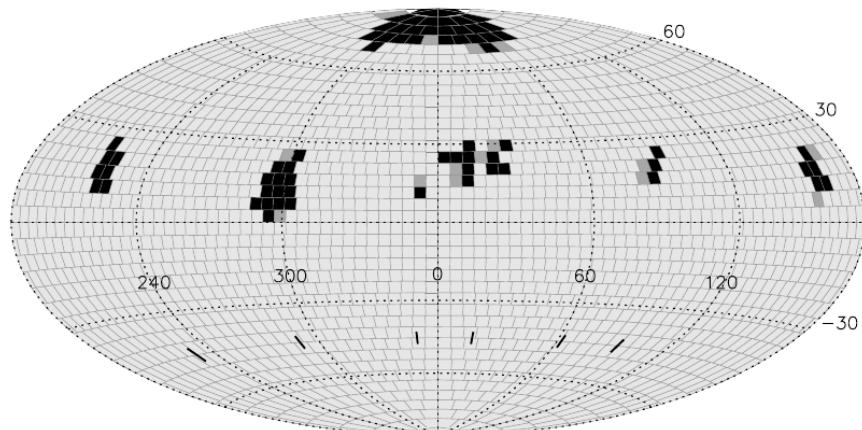
# = Active regions on OU And =



(Borisova+ 2016, A&A 591)

Parameter	Value
$V$ , mag	5.86 H
Distance, pc	$129.7_{-5.5}^{+6.0}$
Sp Type	G1 III
$T_{\text{eff}}$ , K	5360 E
$L_x$ , $10^{27}$ erg/s	8203
Radius, $R_{\odot}$	9.46
Mass, $M_{\odot}$	2.85
Luminosity, $L_{\odot}$	71.2
$\log g$	2.8
[Fe/H]	-0.07
$vsini$ , $\text{km s}^{-1}$	$21.5 \pm 2.1$
$P_{\text{rot}}$ , days	$24.2 \pm$
Inclination, deg	45
Radial velocity, $\text{km s}^{-1}$	-2.47

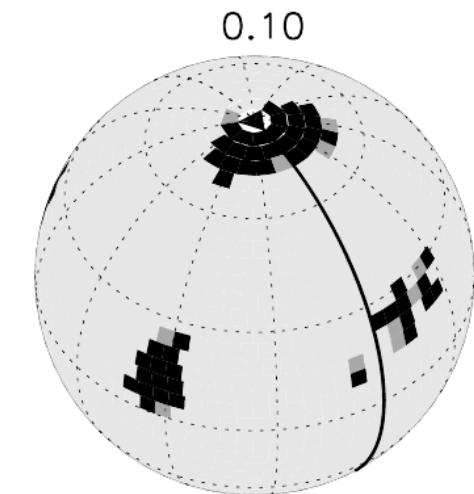
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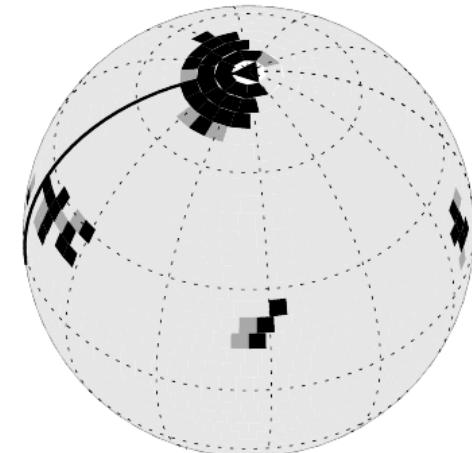
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(September)

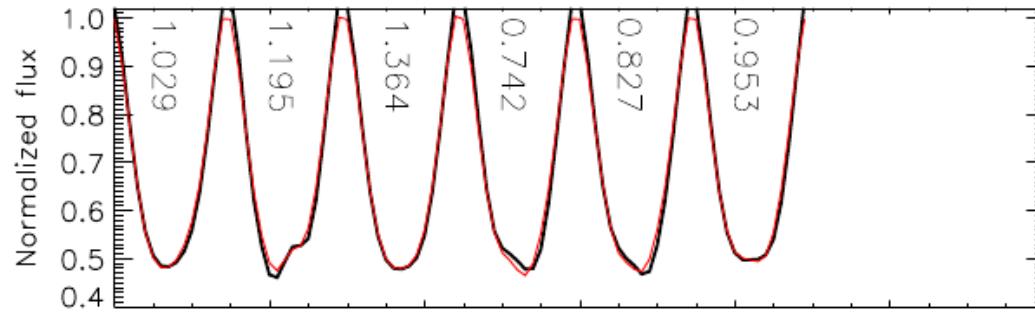
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2008

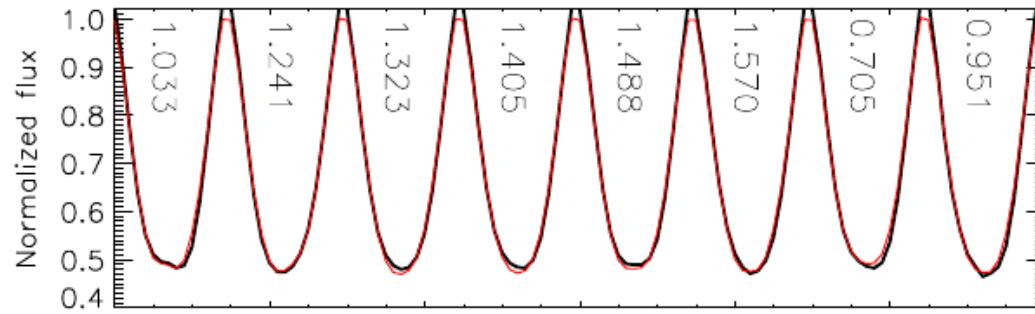
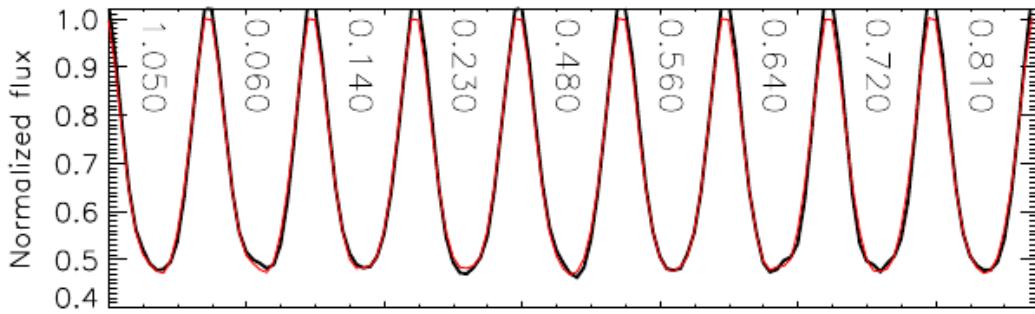


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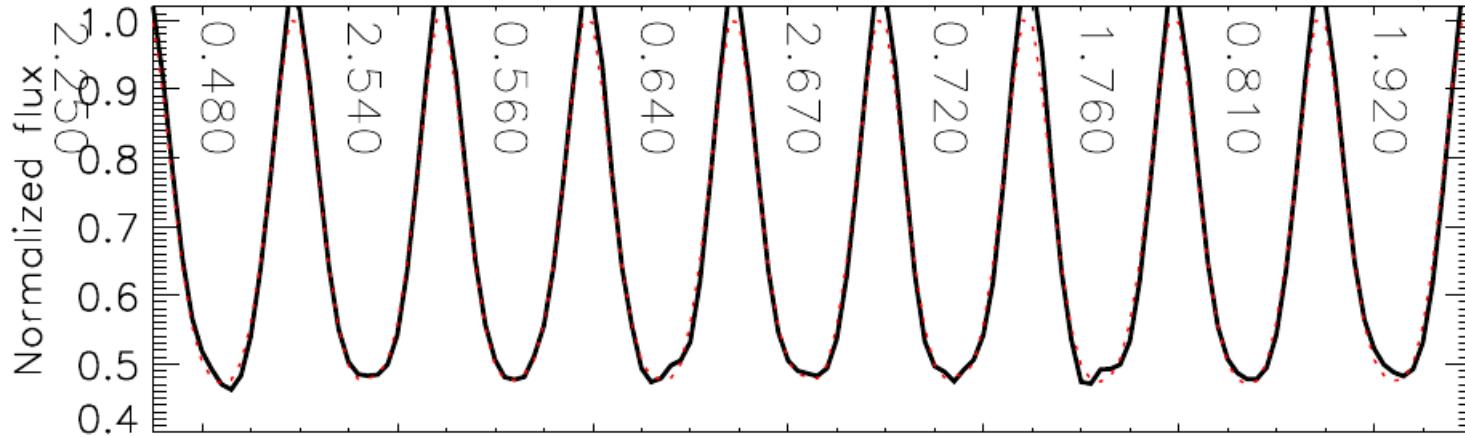




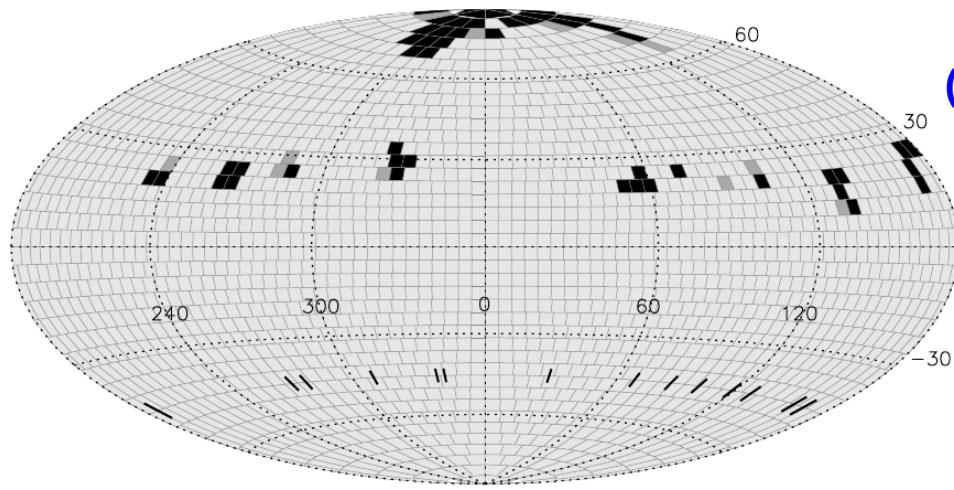
2008

2013  
(September)2015  
(June-July)

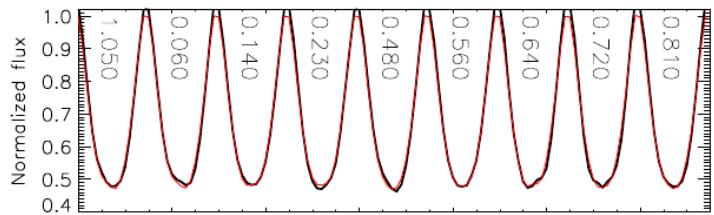
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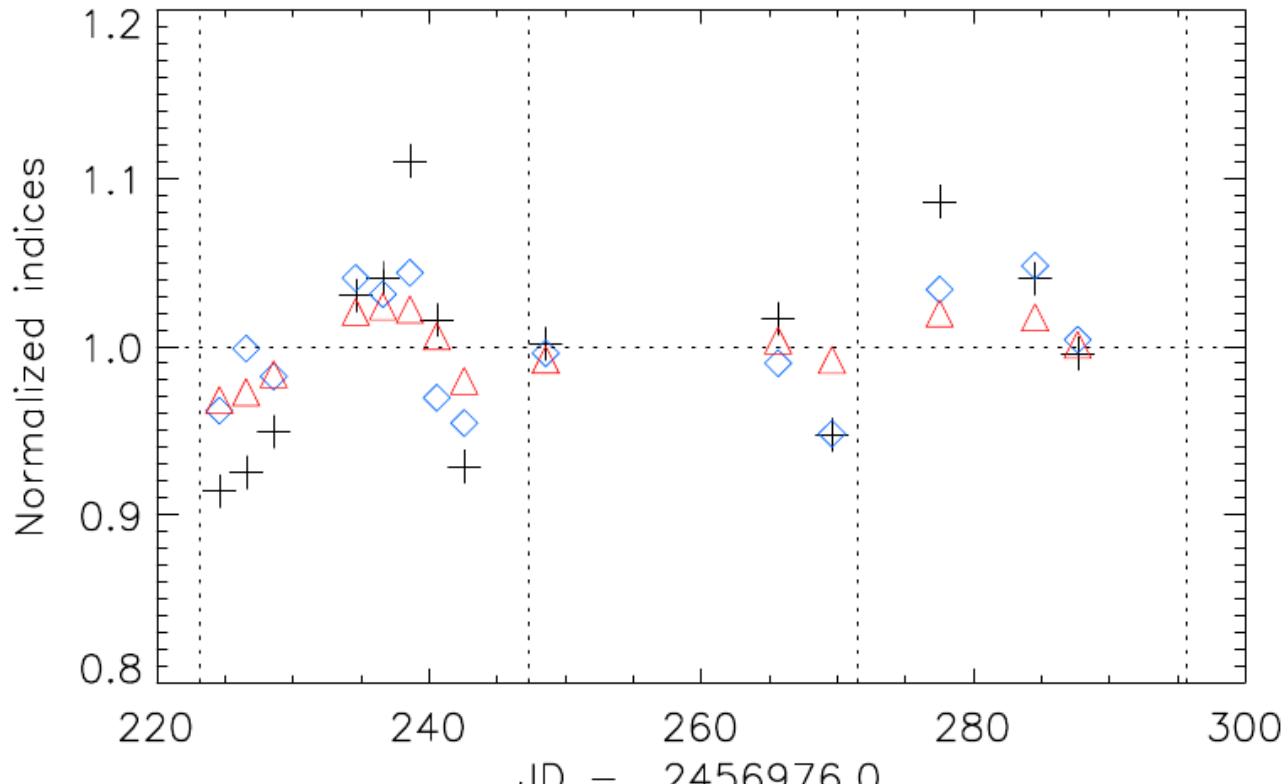


2015  
(July-August)

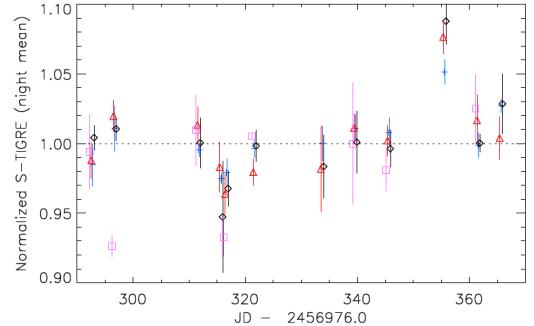


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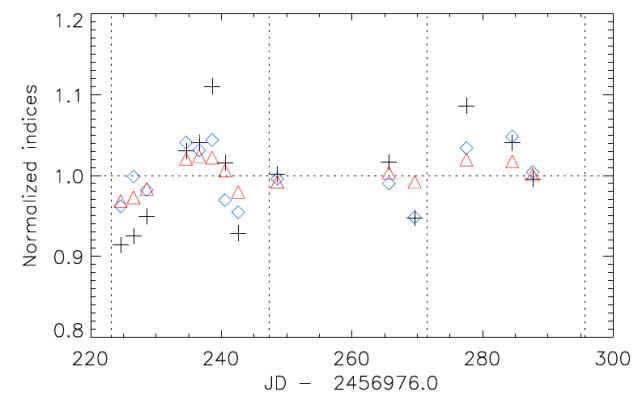




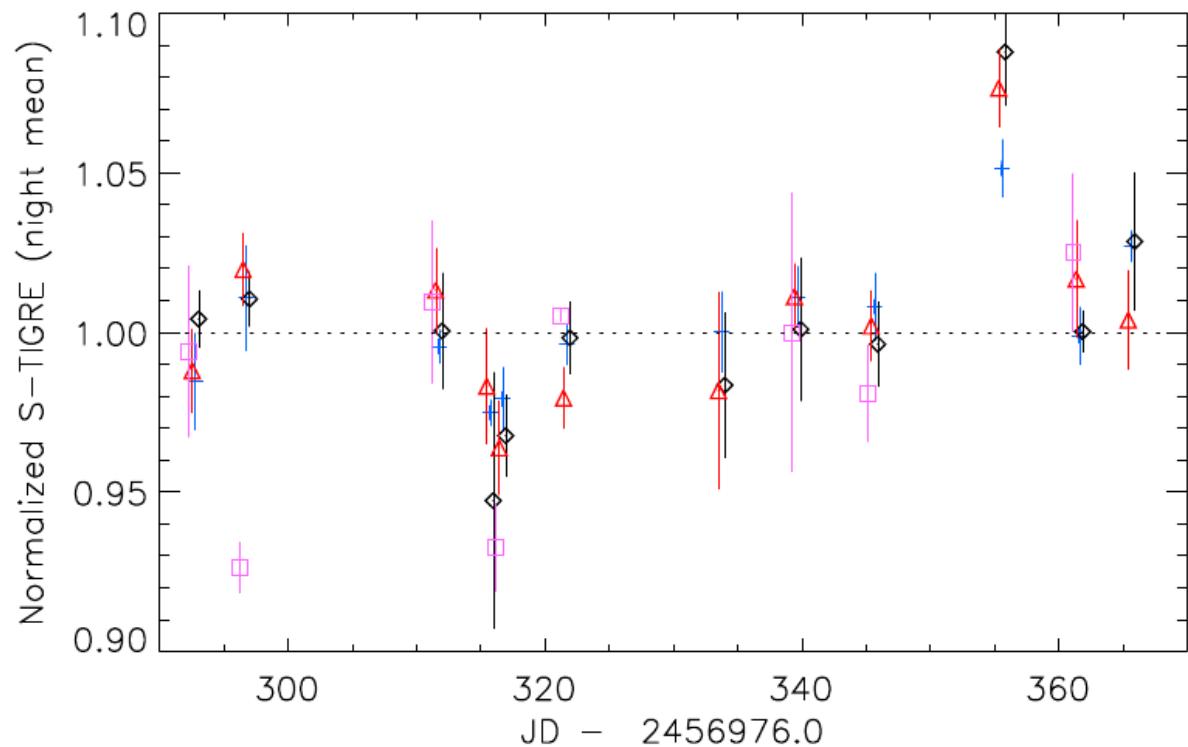
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(June-August)**



**2015 TIGRE  
(September-Nov.)**

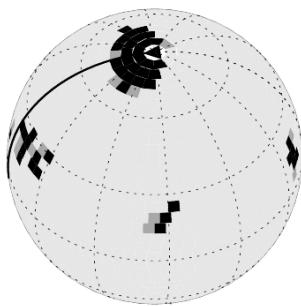
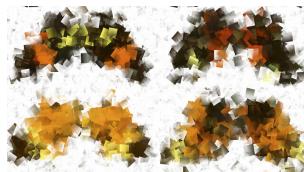


**2015 NARVAL  
(June-August)**



**2015 TIGRE  
(September-Nov.)**

(wikimedia)



- DI uses rotational modulation in stellar spectra to overcome the diffraction limit
- DIs are **ill-posed** back-projections
- OU And hosts a **long-lived polar spot**
- Rotational modulation of activity signatures is weak on OU And
- **Active regions evolve** on OU And on rotational time scales
  - **Borisova+ 2018, BAstJ in prep.**

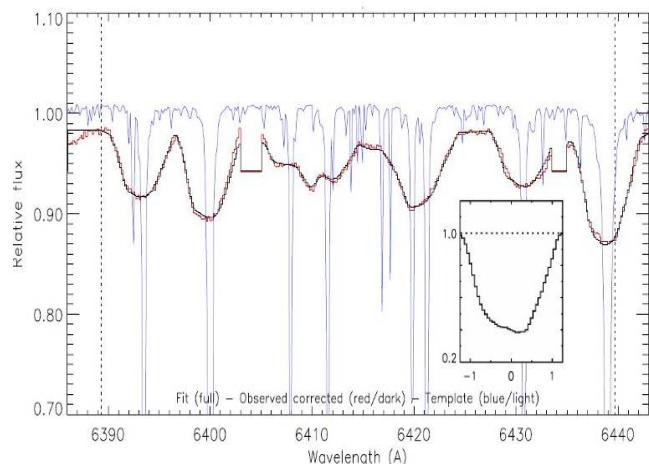


## APPENDIX

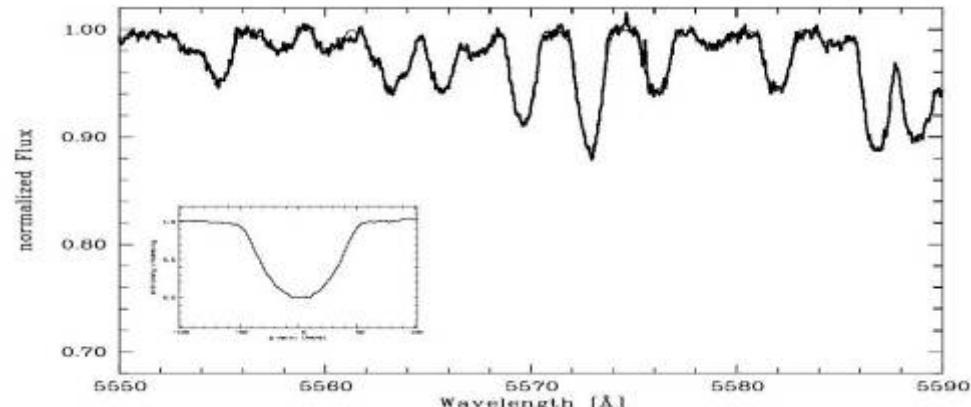


# Line profile deconvolution – LSD, pLSD, sLSD, iLSD, ... „Least-squares-deconvolution“

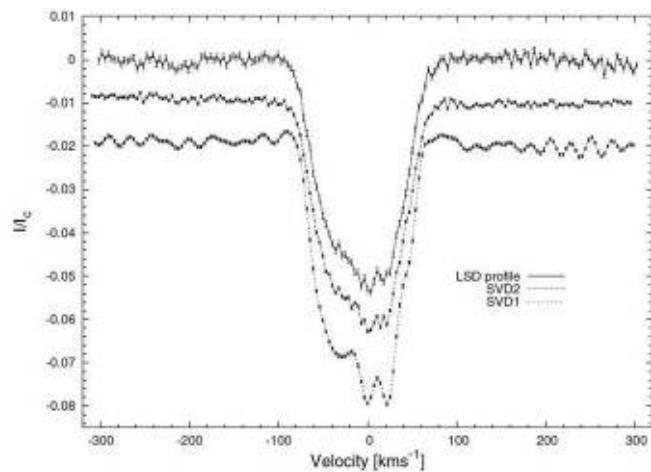
**T**agre\_\*



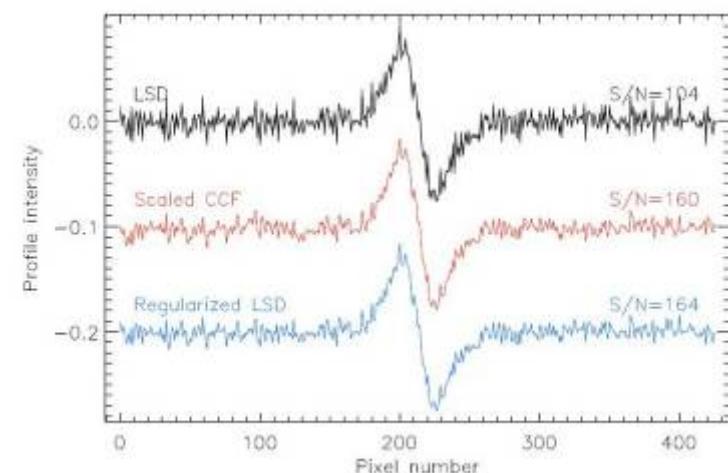
**sLSD** (Wolter & Schmitt 2005, A&A 435)



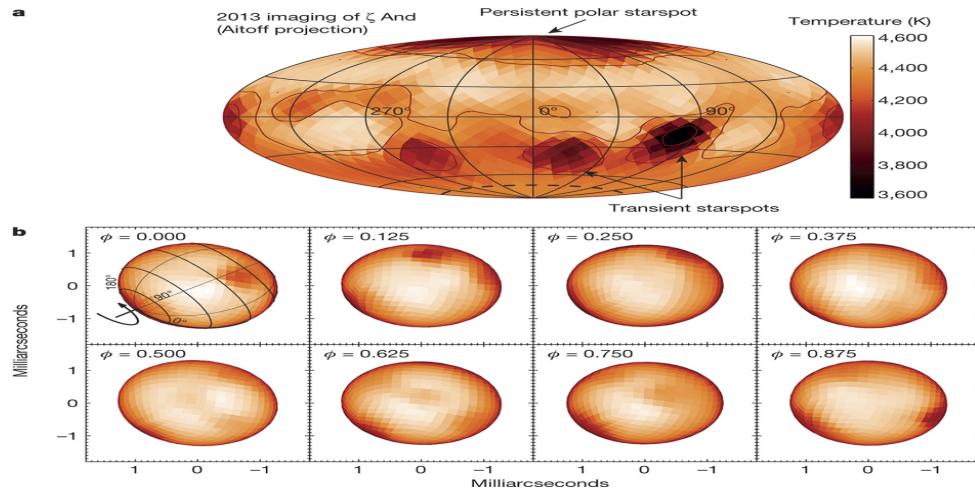
**pLSD** (Reiners & Schmitt 2003, A&A 412)



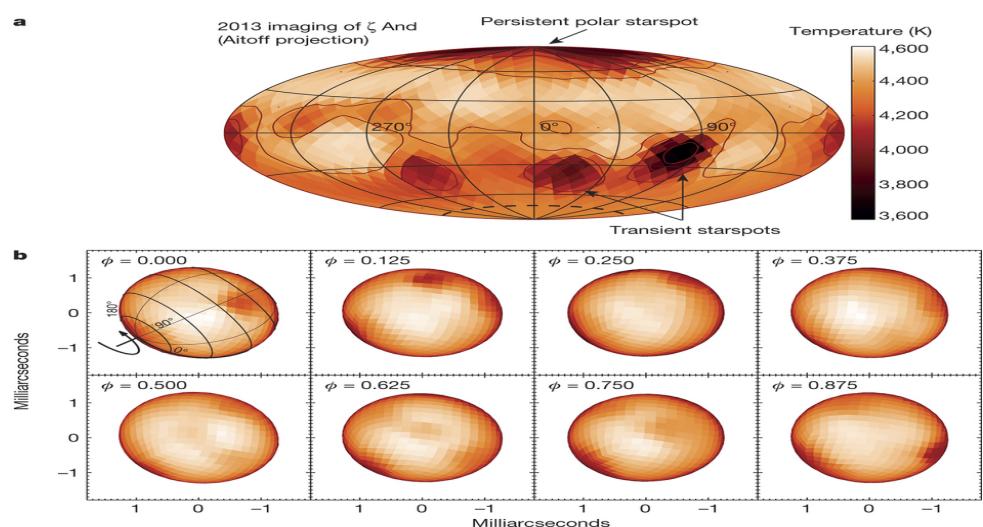
**LSD** (Barnes 2004, MNRAS 348;  
Donati et. al 1997, MNRAS 291;  
Rucinski et al . 1992, AJ 104)



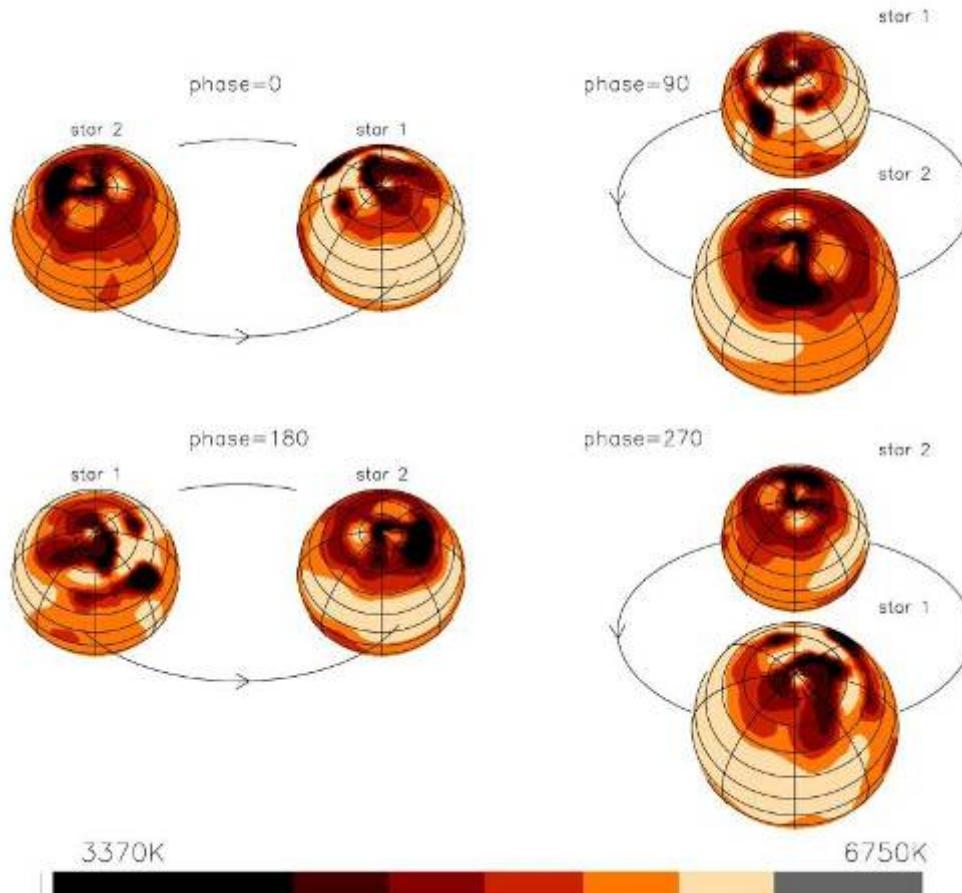
**iLSD** (Khochukhov et al. 2010, A&A 524)



**zeta And (K1III+KV, 57 pc)**  
 (Roettenbacher+, Nature 2016)



**see also**  
**sigma Gem**  
 (Roettenbacher+, 2016 ApJ 849)



$\sigma^2$  CrB

(Rice & Strassmeier 2003, A&A 399)

$T_{\text{eff}}$

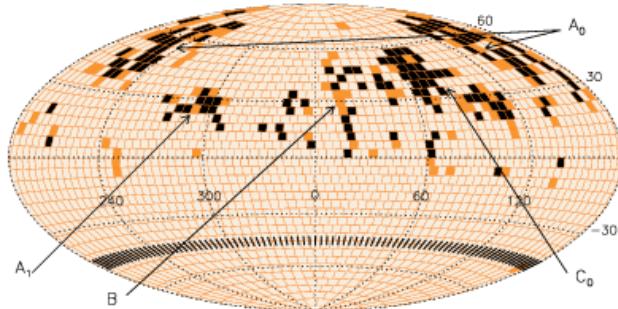
3200 K	V 374 Peg
M4V	(Morin et al. 2008)
6150 K	AE Phe A/B
F8V/G0V	(Maceroni et al. 1994)

$v \sin i$

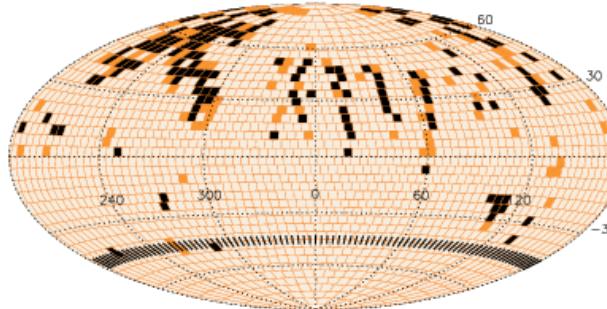
9 km/s	BP Tau
	(Donati et al. 2008)
238 km/s	VXR45A
	(Marsden et al. 2004)

# DI: Evolution of starspots

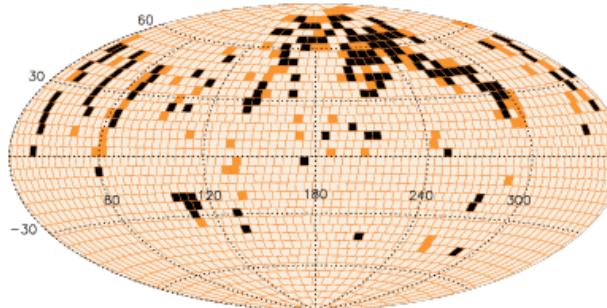
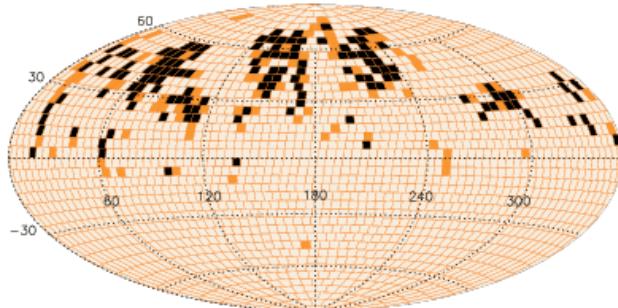
August 2 - "6400 Å"



August 7 - "6400 Å"

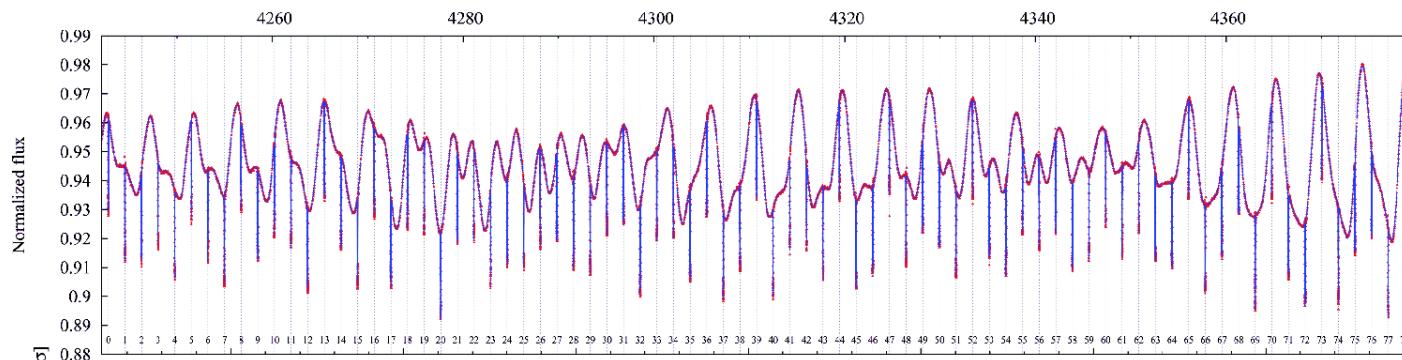


**BO Mic (Speedy Mic)**  
(Wolter & Schmitt 2005)

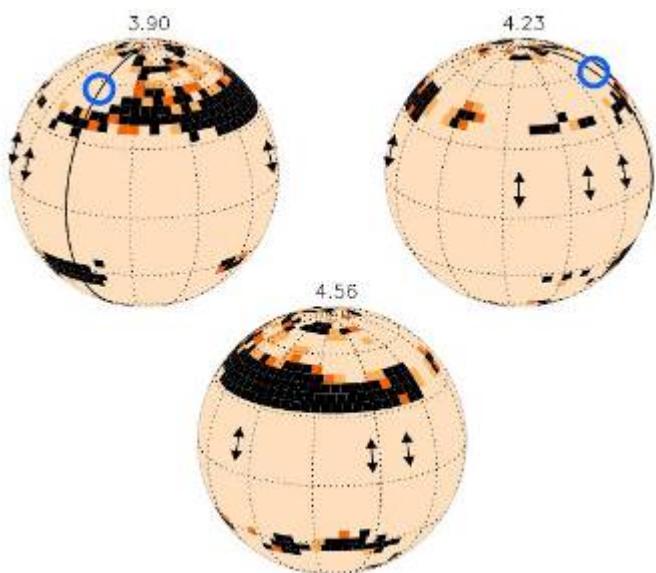


cf. also  
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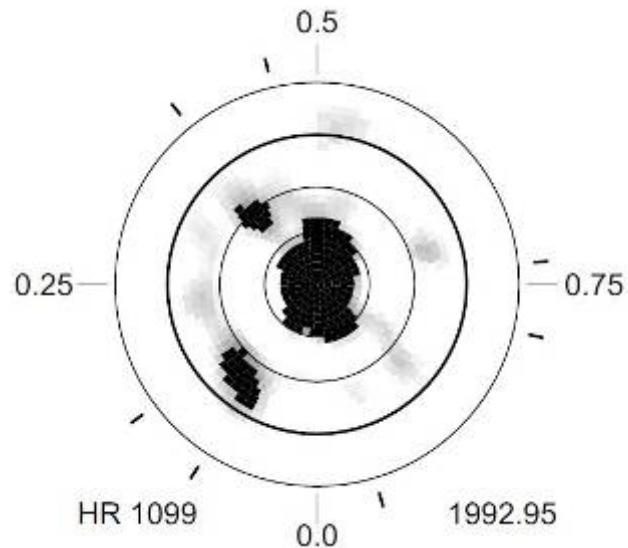
(Borisova+ 2018 subm.)



**CoRoT 2**  
(Huber+ 2010)



**BO Mic** (Wolter et al. 2008, A&A 520)

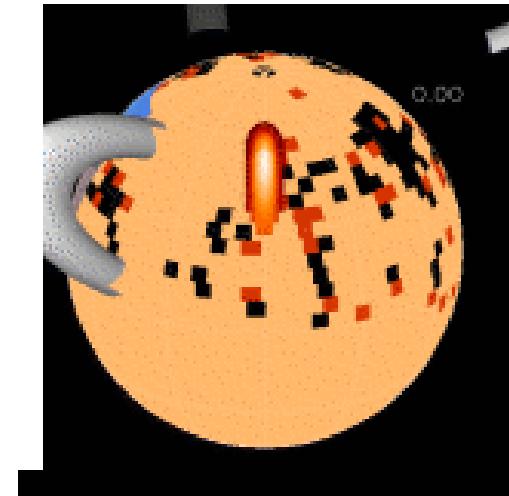
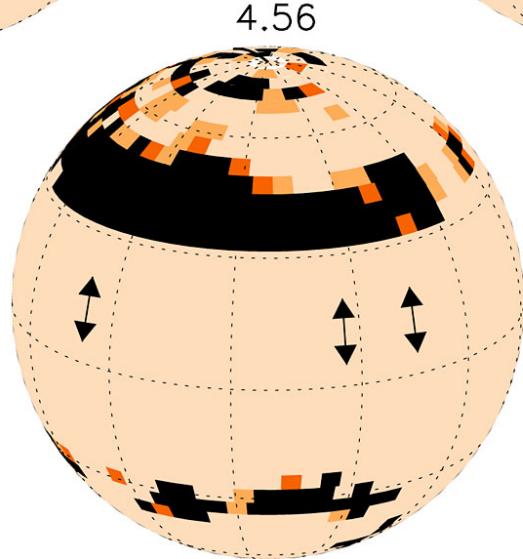
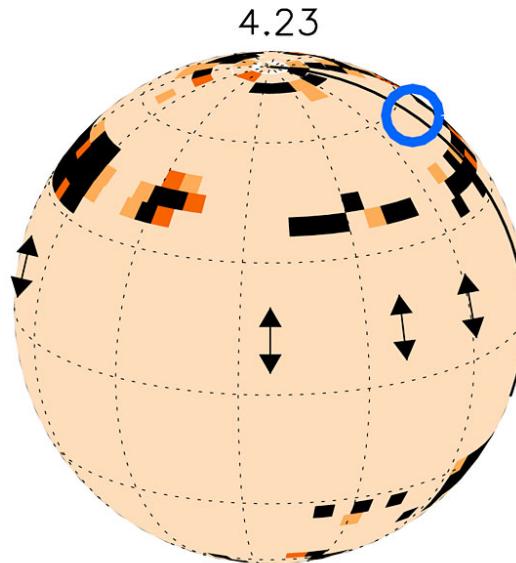
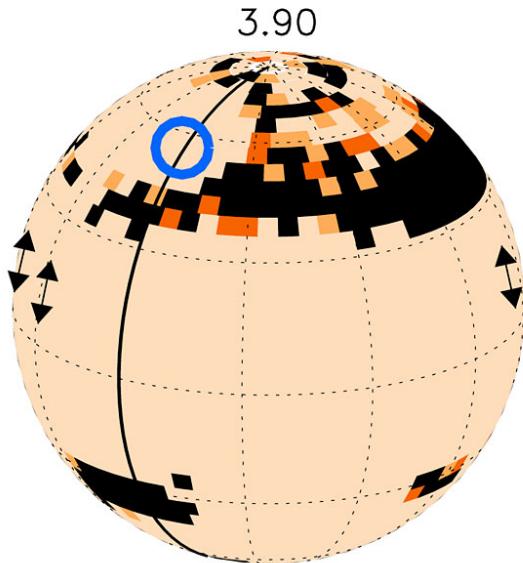


**HR 1099 1981-92**  
(Vogt, Hatzes et al. 1999, ApJS 121)

**Publications titled  
„Polar spot“ (ADS)**

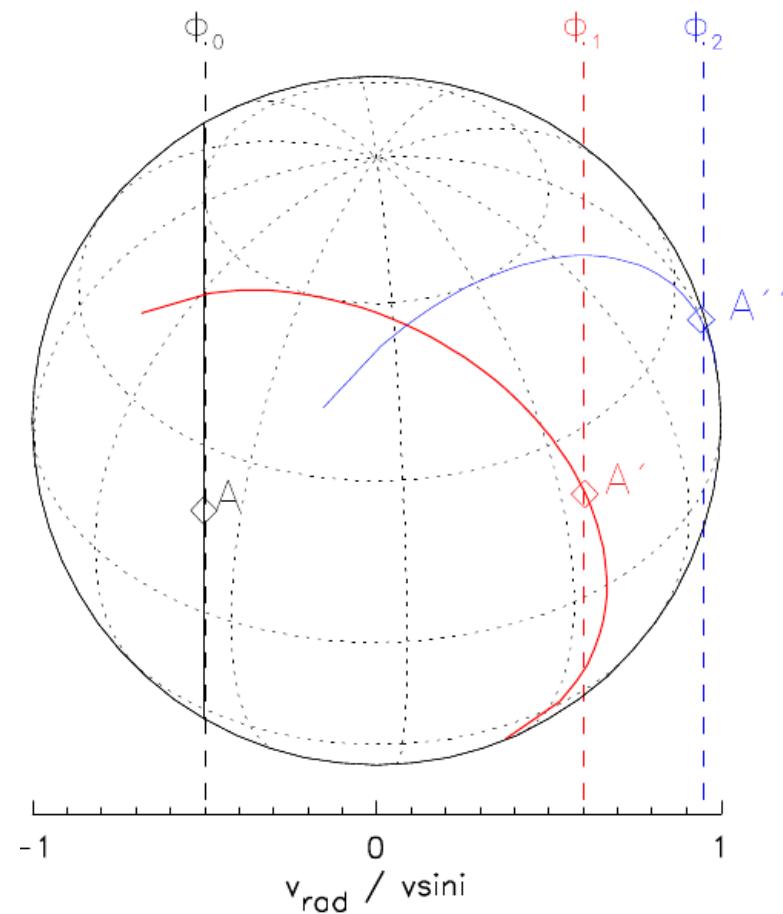
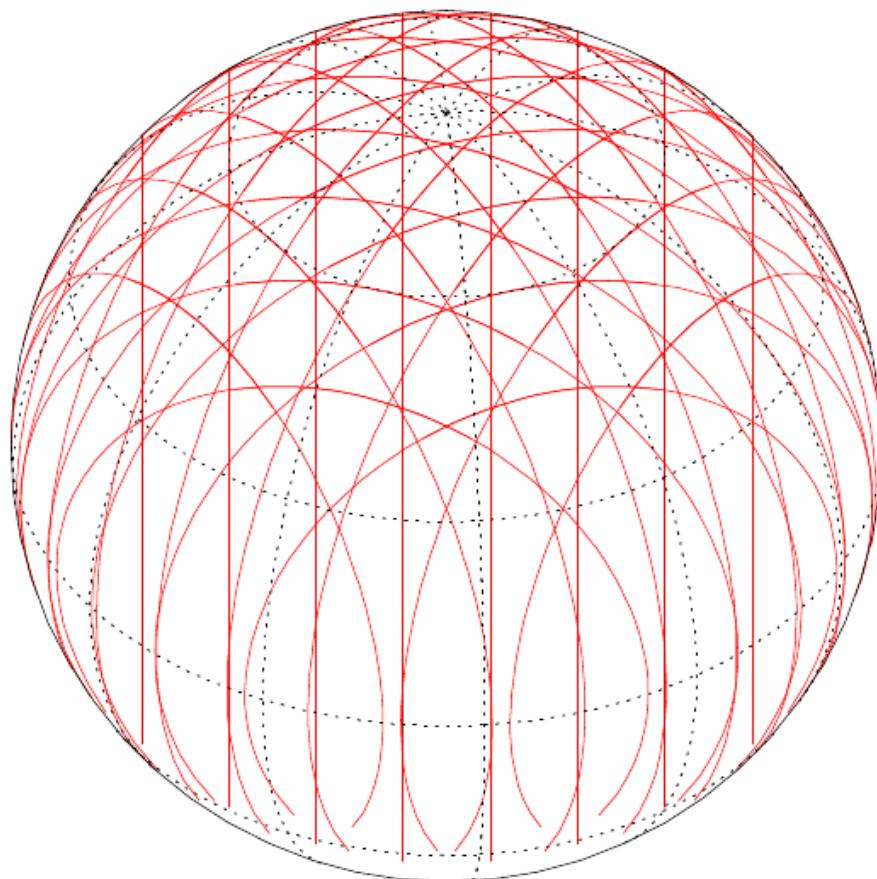
Why rapid rotators have polar spots  
(Schüssler & Solanki 1992,  
A&A 264)

“.. a spot which essentially  
straddles the pole”  
BY Dra, HR 1099  
(Vogt 1981, Vogt & Penrod 1983)



**BO Mic (Speedy Mic)**  
(Wolter+ 2008)

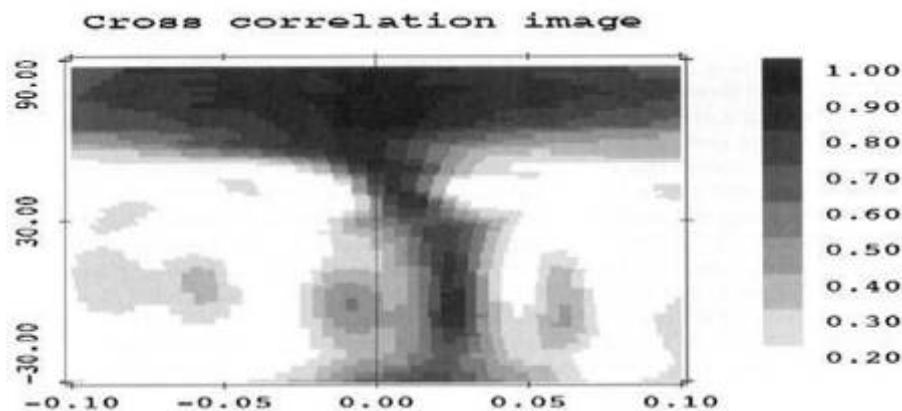
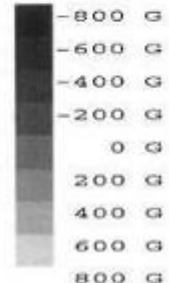
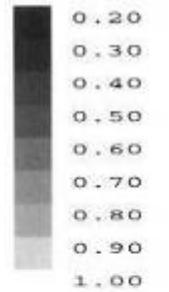
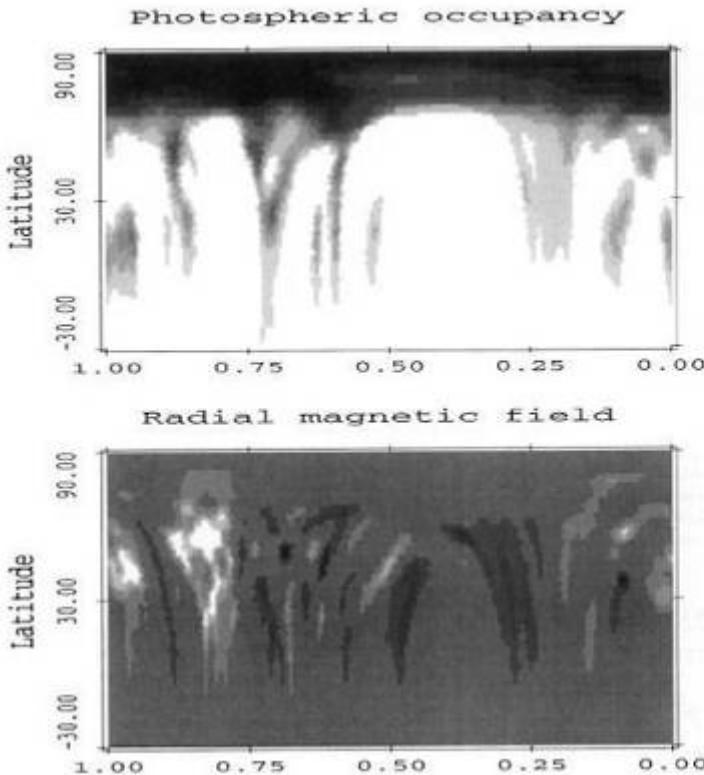
# The DI resolution grid



(Wolter & Schmitt 2005, A&A 435)



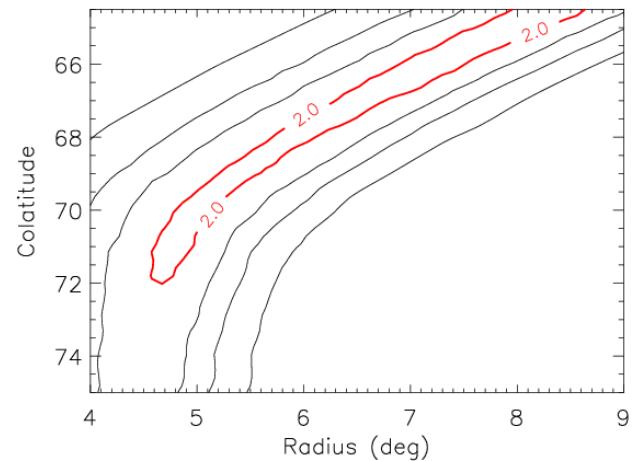
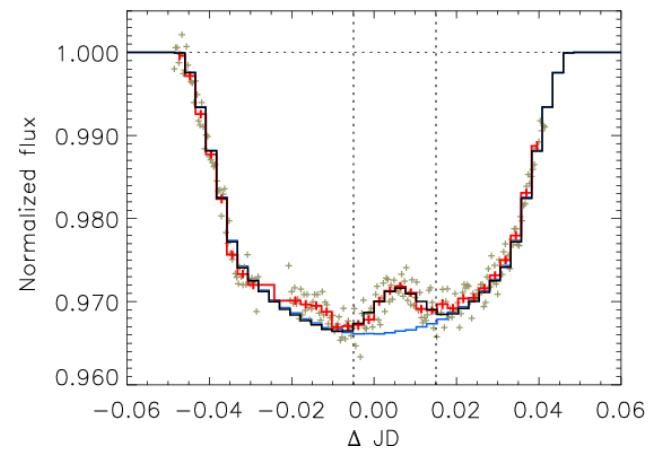
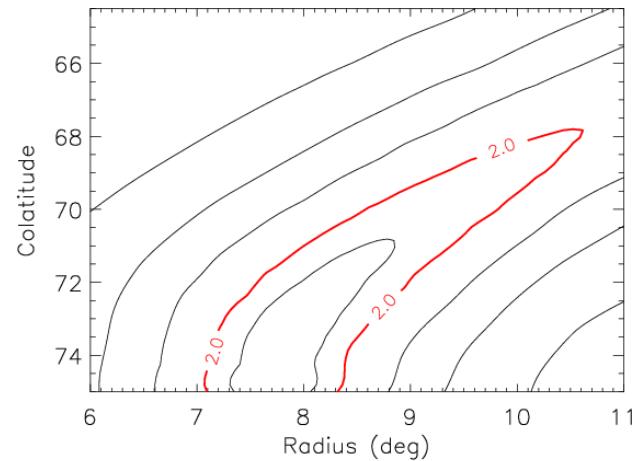
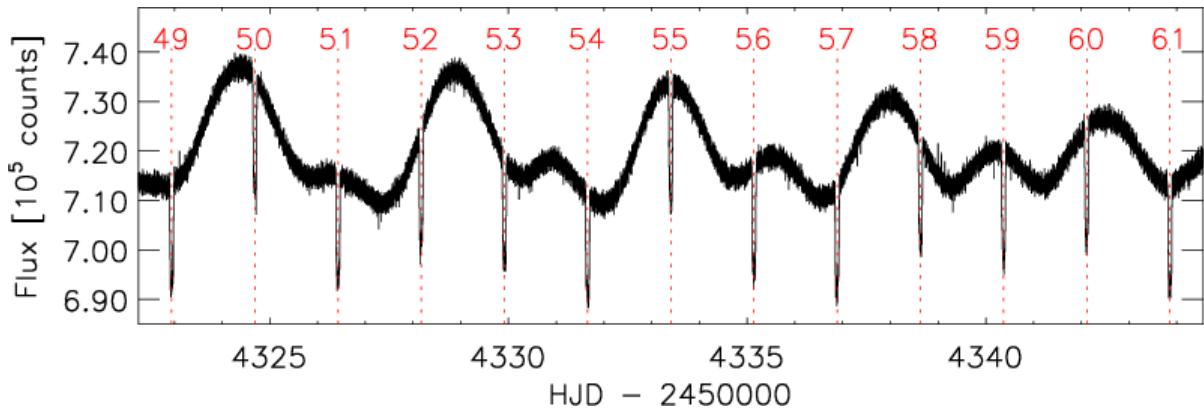
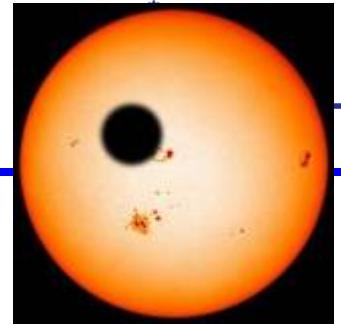
## DI: Differential rotation



**AB Dor**  
(Donati & Collier Cameron 1997)



# „Prepare for the unexpected“: Exoplanet transit mapping



**CoRoT-2**  
(Wolter, Schmitt+ 2008)

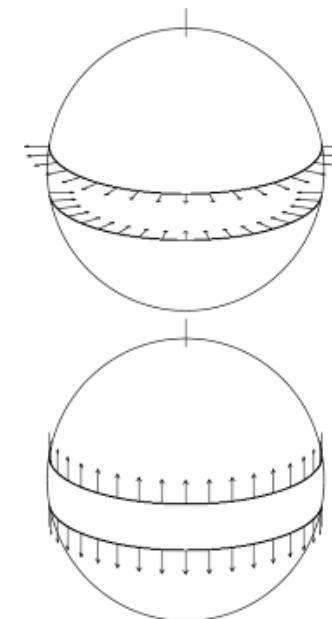
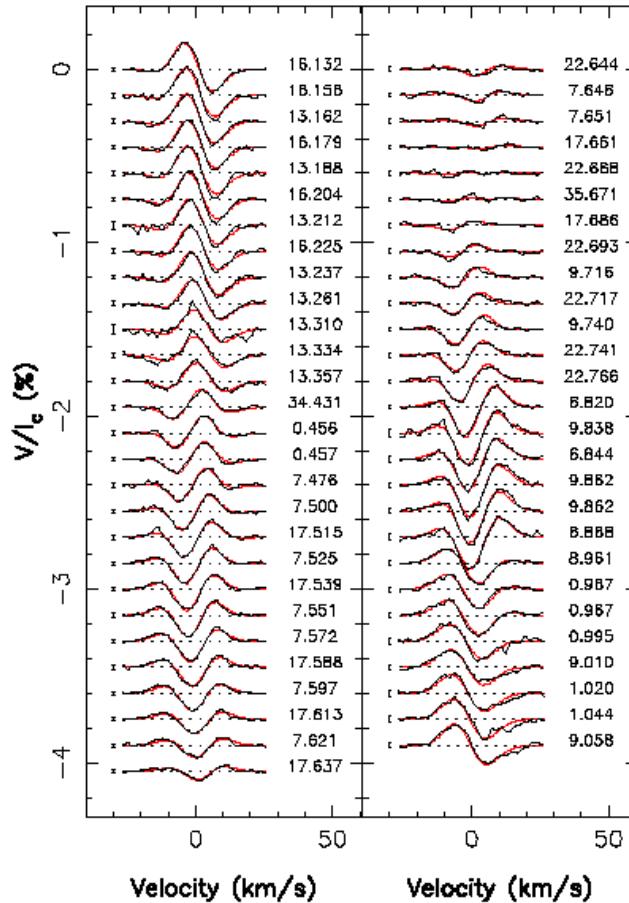
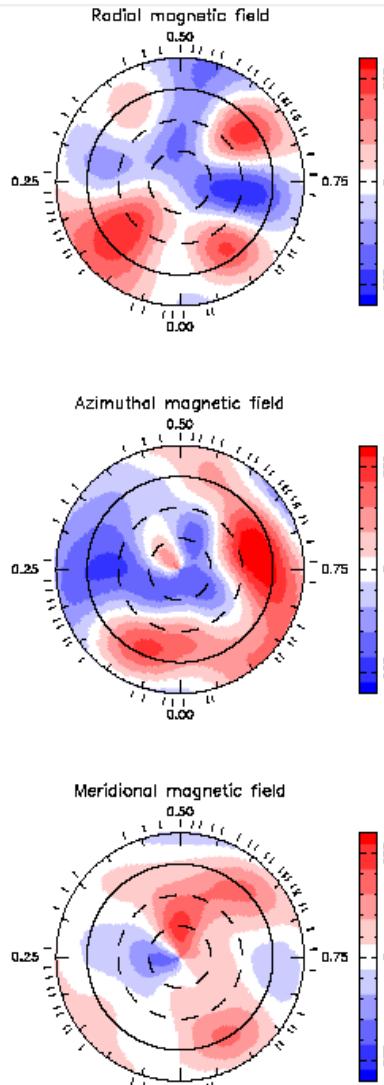


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# Magnetic DI at a glance



$$\nabla = \mathbf{I}$$

(Piskunov & Kochukhov  
2002)

**tau Sco (B0.2 V, V= 2.8 mag)  
ZDI**

(Donati & Landstreet 2009, AR&A 47)