



SKA1-Low 低频大视场高动态范围成像

--Wideband Widefield Imaging for SKA1-Low



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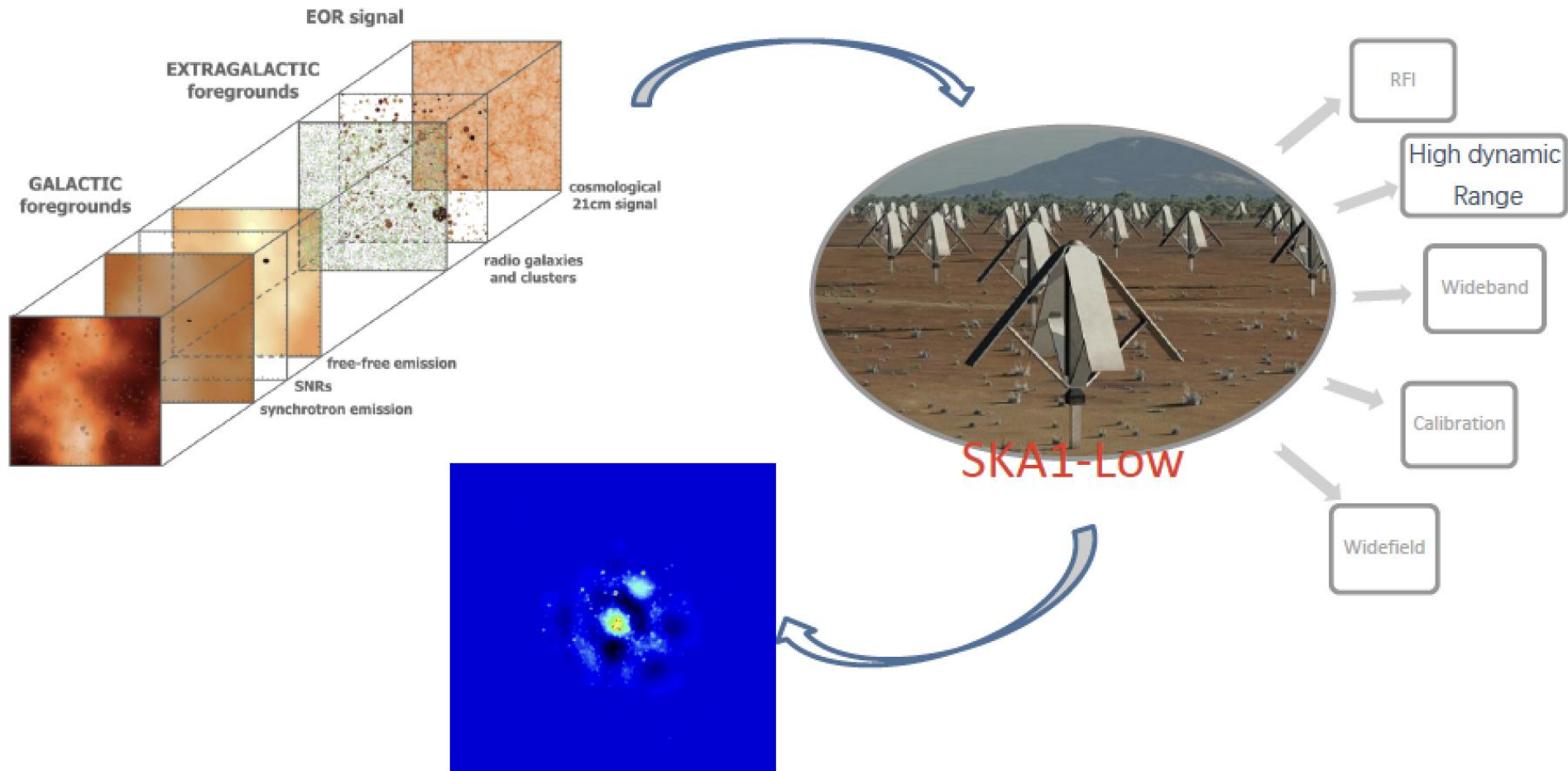
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Challenge: Imaging & Recon

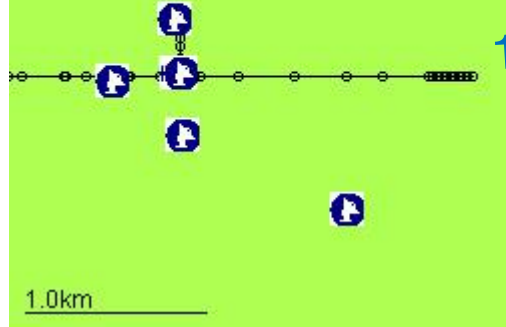
EoR $\sim 1-10\text{mK}$,

比前景信号低4-5个数量级

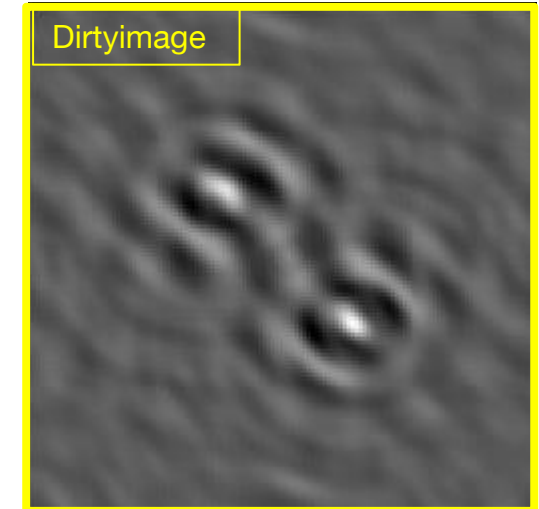
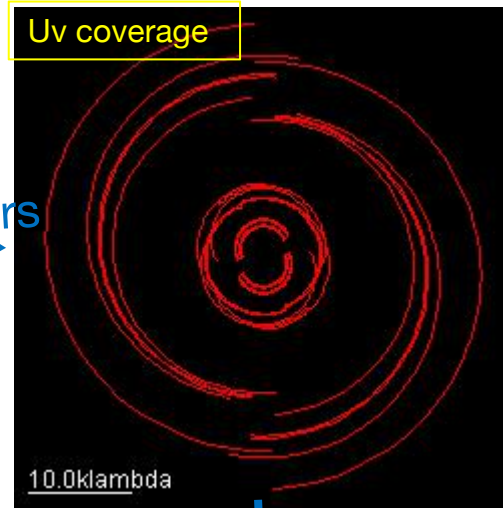


Radio Interferometry

Latitude: -30° minimum elevation: 12°
D=22m, number=6, Frequ=4800MHz
Bandwidth=100MHz ATCA



12 hours

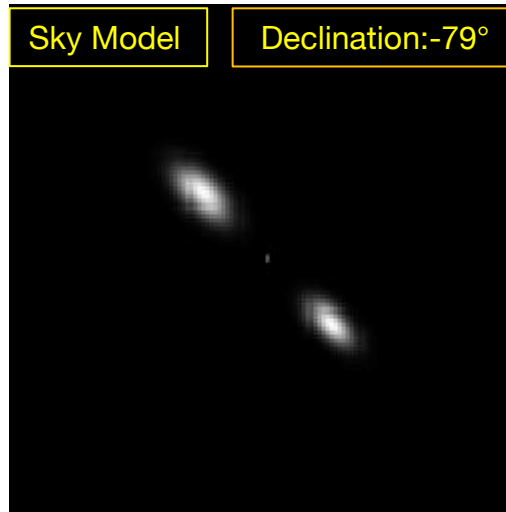


sampling

iFFT

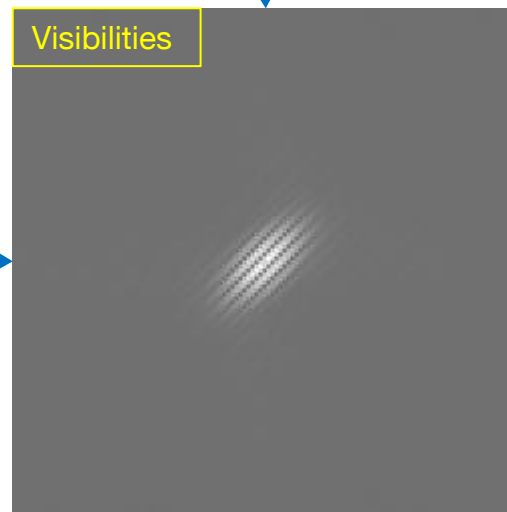
Sky Model

Declination: -79°



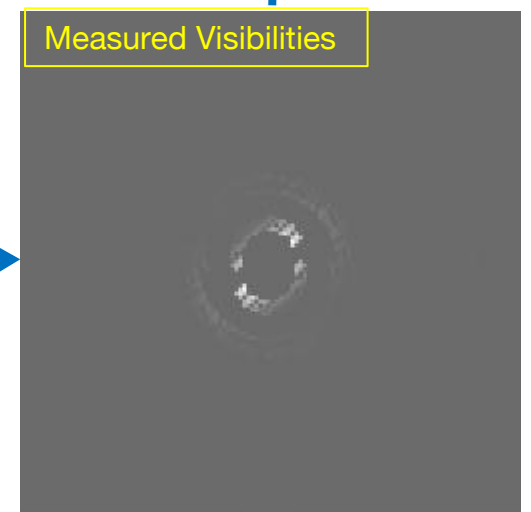
FFT

Visibilities



→

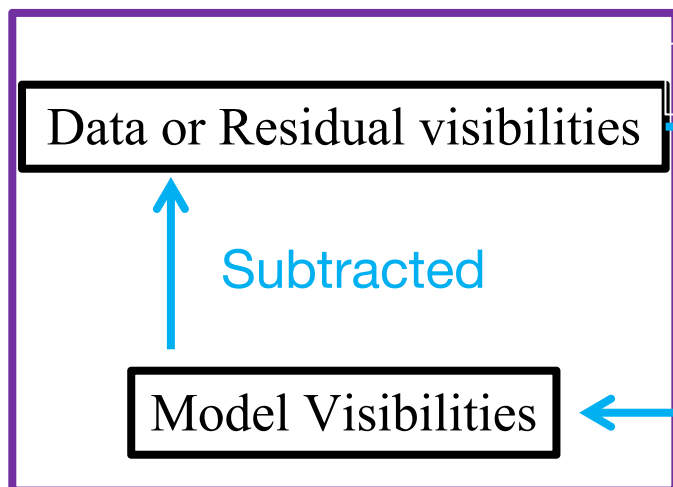
Measured Visibilities



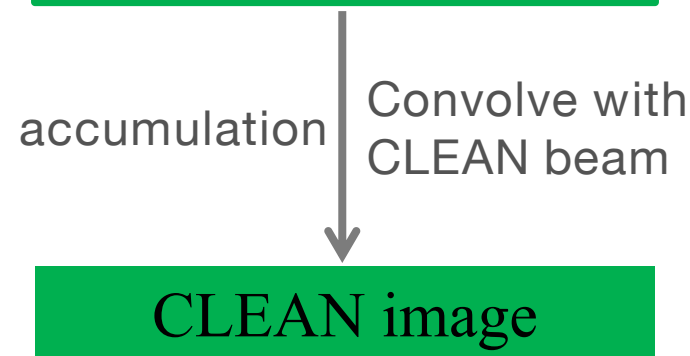
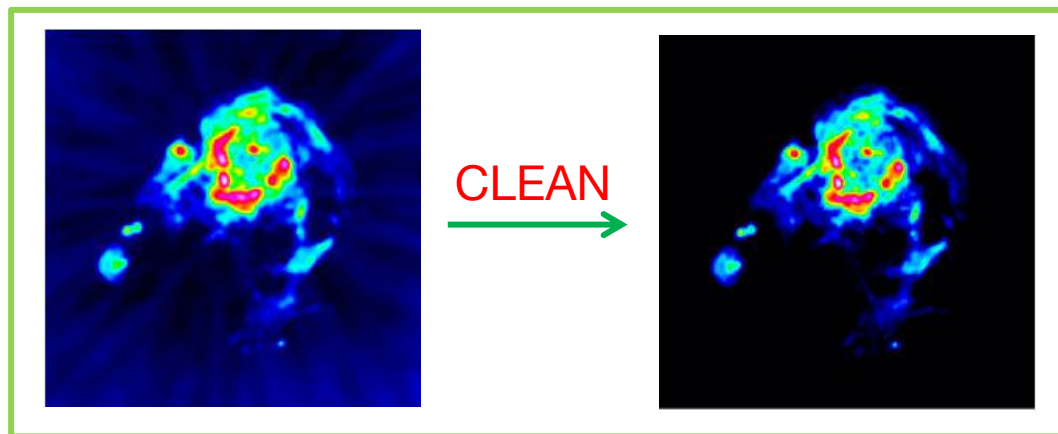
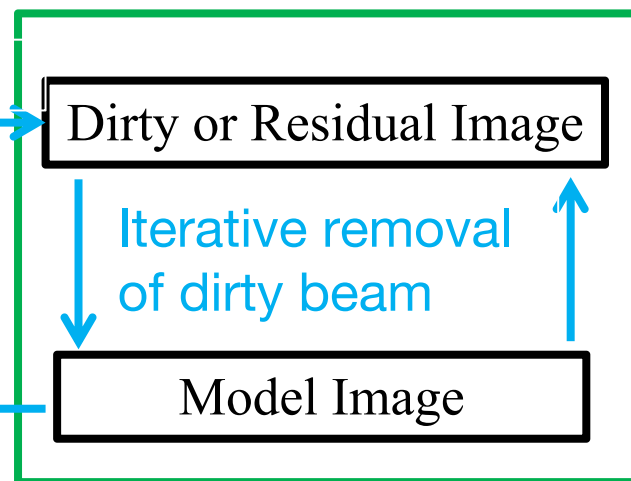
Model-driven Methods

CLEAN Framework

Major Cycle



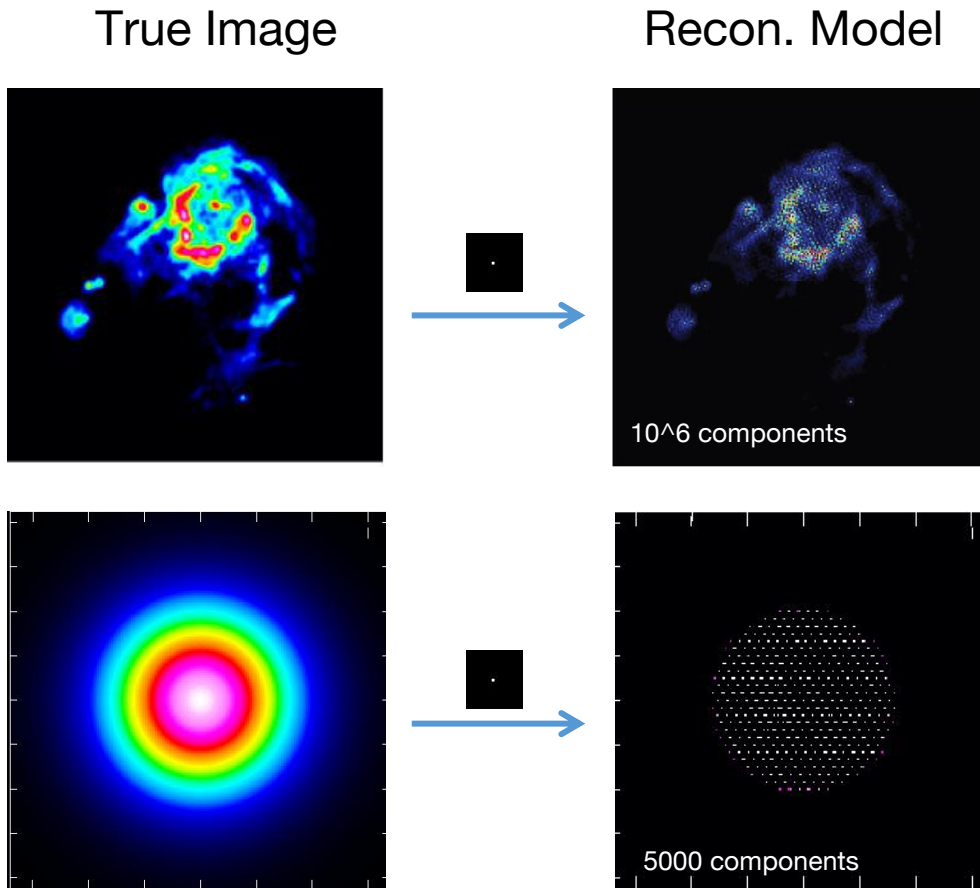
Minor Cycle



Problems of Scale-less Reconstruction

The original CLEAN algorithm is proposed by Högbom in 1974

Cs-Clean



Peak of residual



A loop gain

Peak of residual



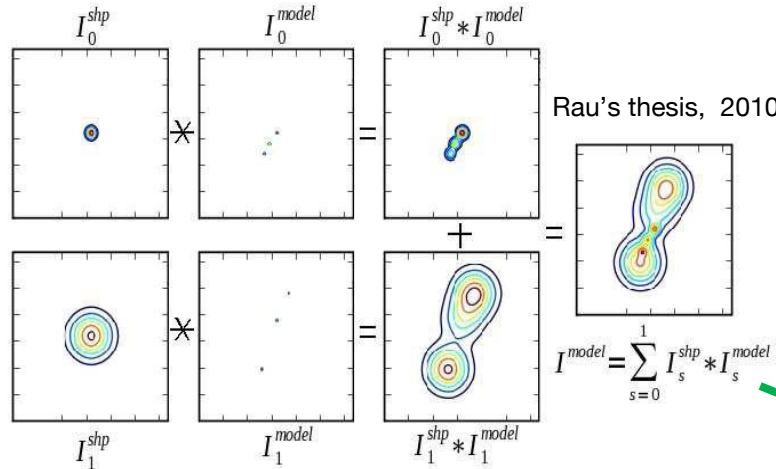
component



Point sources: effective
Extended: bad model & physically inaccurate

Problems of Ms-Reconstruction

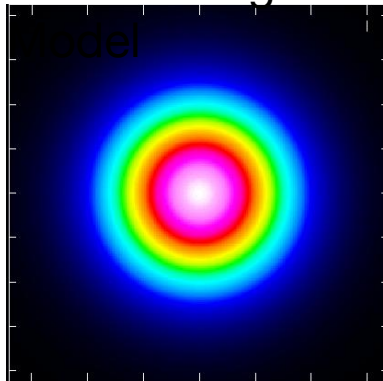
SKA Organisation Staff



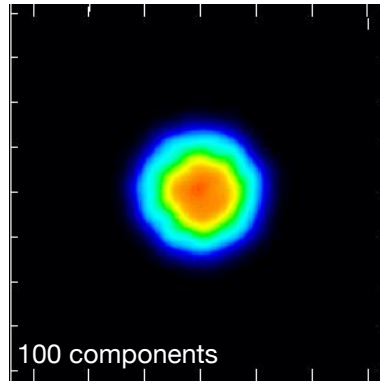
Ms-Clean

Matched Filtering
Truncated Paraboloids
+
Residual/Dirty Image

True Image



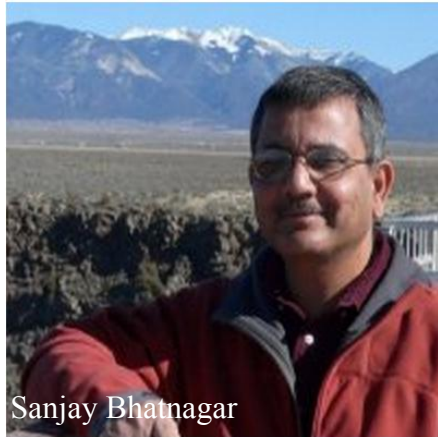
Recon.



Enumerated scales : limited performance
&
Complicated Images: computational expensive
&
More scales: prohibitive memory cost
&
Large Images: prohibitive memory cost

1. good for extended emissions
2. But with limited scales

Problems of Asp-Reconstruction



Gradient-based minimization

Asp-Clean

Constrained Optimization

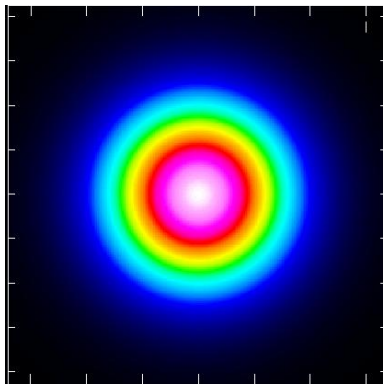
Initial Gaussian
Components

+

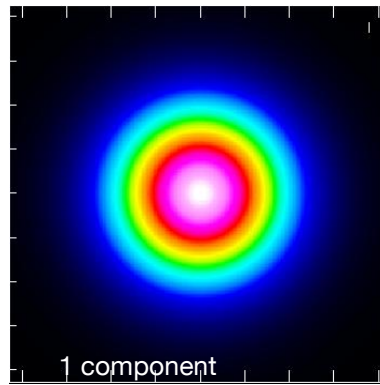
Residual/Dirty Image

Iterative

True Image



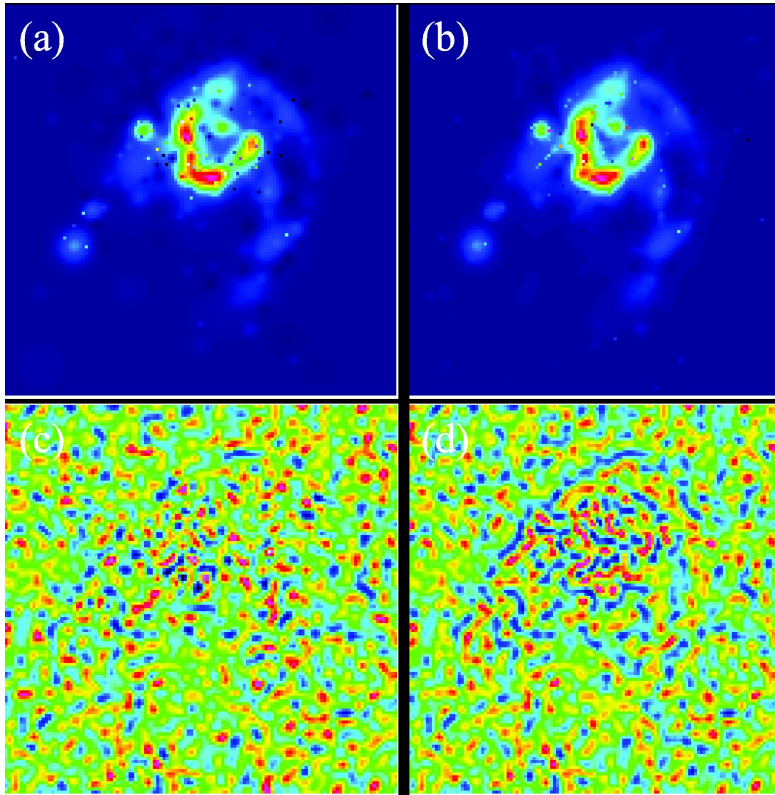
Recon. Model



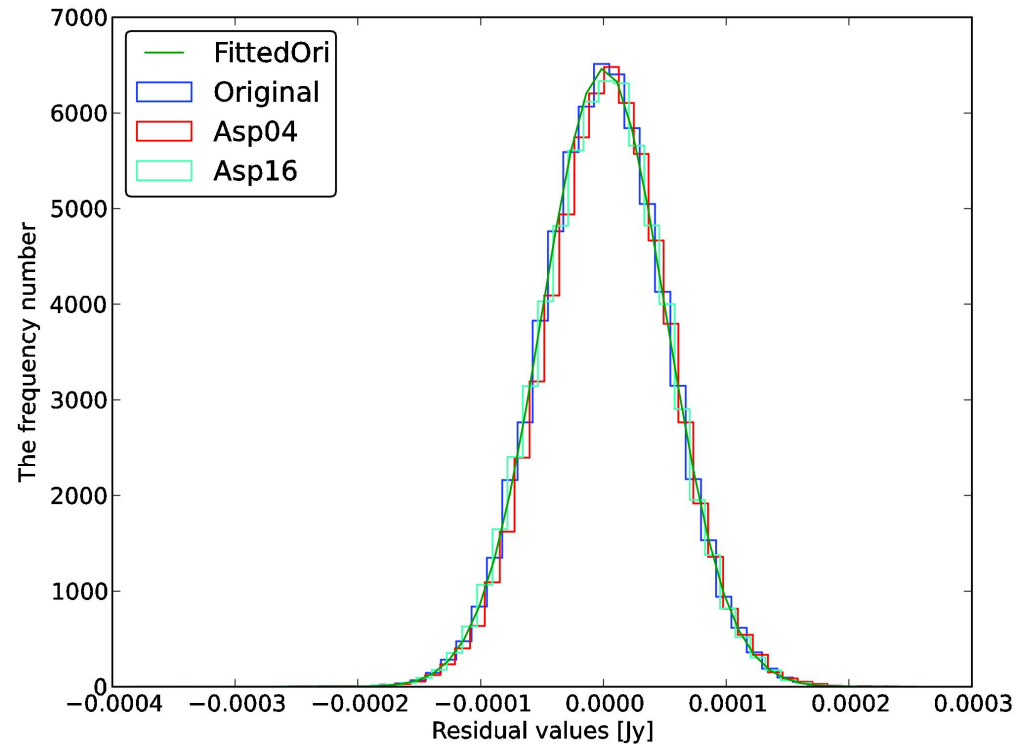
Best for extended emission

Small images: Computational expensive
&
large images: Comp. Prohibitive
&
Complicated images: Comp. Prohibitive

研究进展1: Asp vs Our (asp2016)



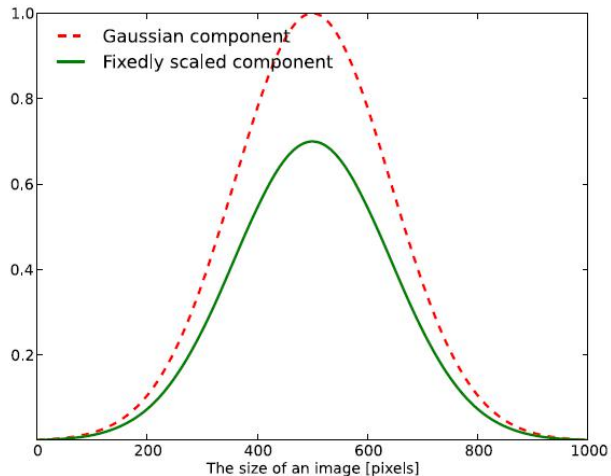
A little worse residuals, but
Residual noise profile is closer to the
input Gaussian noise →
Sufficient extraction of the signal



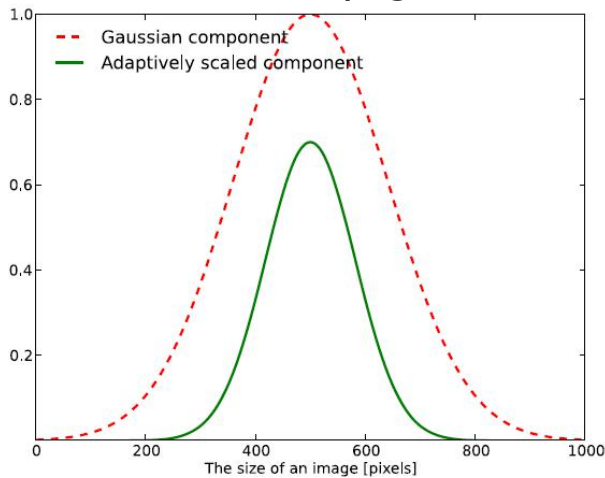
Asp vs Our: **Comparable**
Model: a little better
Residual: a little worse

Zhang, A&A, 2016

研究进展2: Adaptive Loop Gain Scheme



Fixed loop gain



Adaptive loop gain

The formula for adaptive Loop gain scheme:

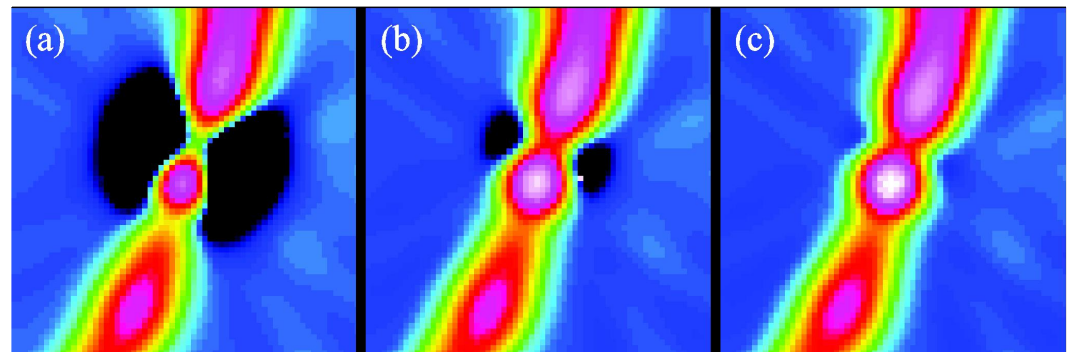
$$g(x) = \sqrt{a(1 - f(x)) + bf(x)}$$

where

$$f(x) = \frac{x - C_{min}}{C_{max} - C_{min}}$$

g_{min} and g_{max} are the minimum and maximum values of adaptive loop gain $g(x)$; C_{min} and C_{max} are the minimum and maximum values of component's amplitude

Zhang PASP, 2016



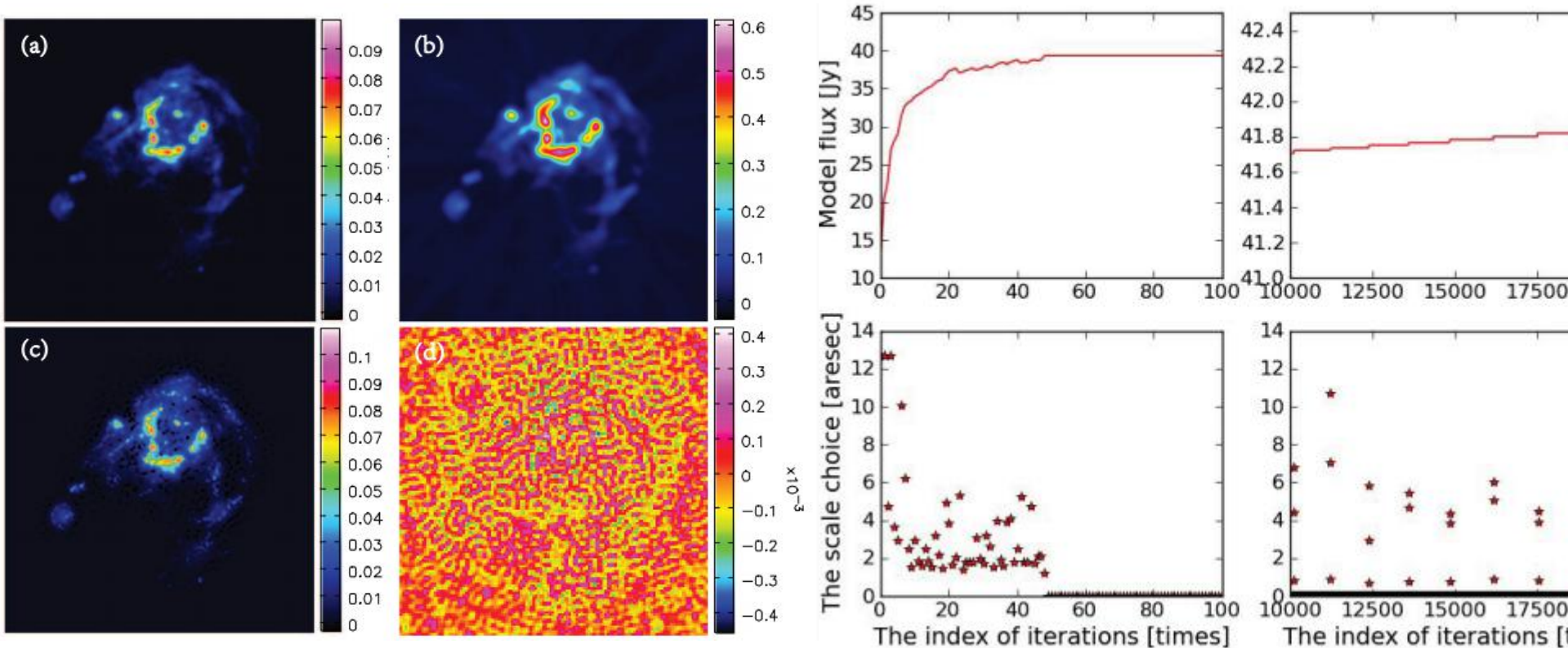
Without loop gain

Fixed loop gain

Adaptive loop gain

研究进展3: Fused CLEAN Deconvolution

Asp-Clean2016 + Hg-Clean \rightarrow Fused CLEAN



Zhang A&A, 2018

研究进展4: SKA Widefield Imaging

SKA simulation:

1. SKA1-LOW core

2. at 100 MHz

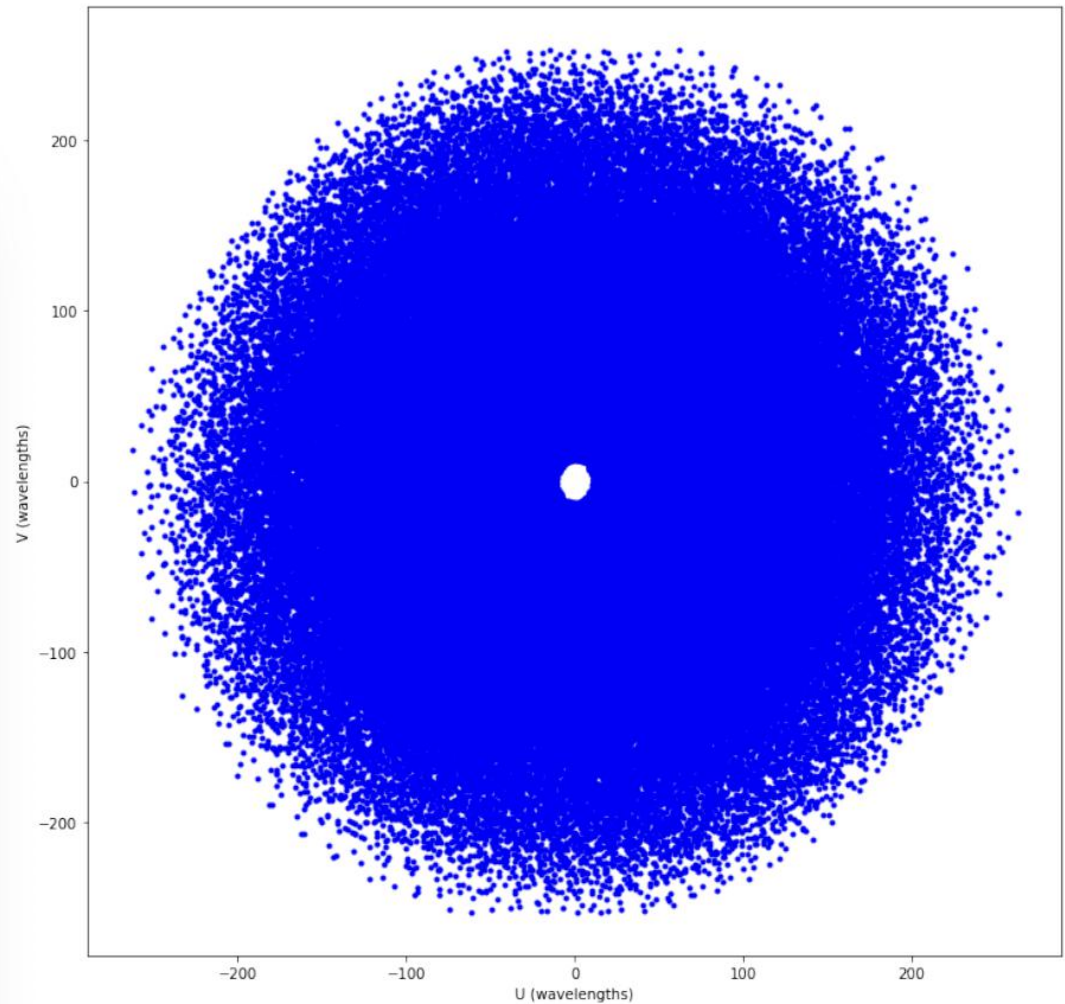


Fig. 1. Uv coverage for the SKA simulation, recorded as seven snapshots whose time distribution is in $[-3.0, -2.0, -1.0, 0.0, 1.0, 2.0, 3.0] * (\pi/12.0)$.

研究进展4: SKA模拟数据验证

$$V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w) = V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w = 0) * K(u, v, w),$$

1. Our imager
= adaptive scale deconvolution
+ Widefield Correction

2. Tests: Simulated SKA data
+ JVLA observation data

4. Plan:
Test for SKA EoR Imaging

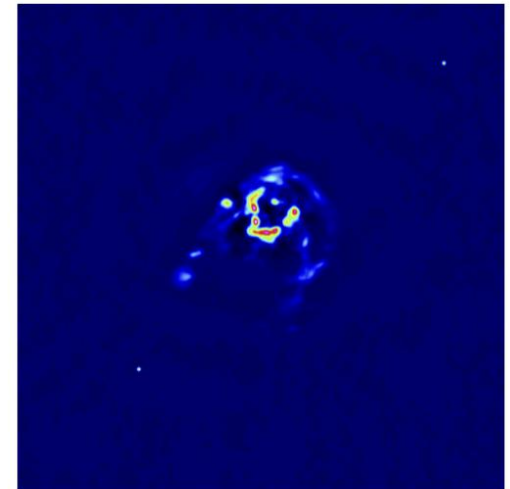
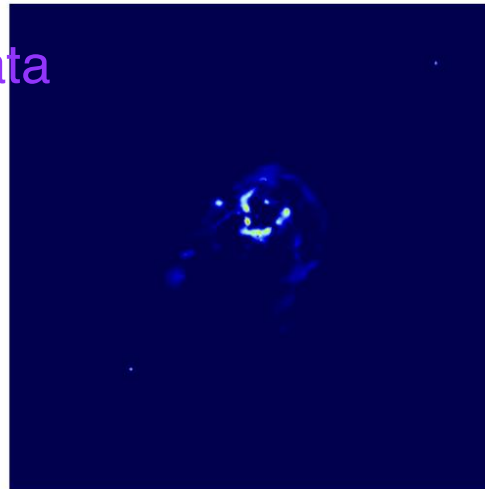
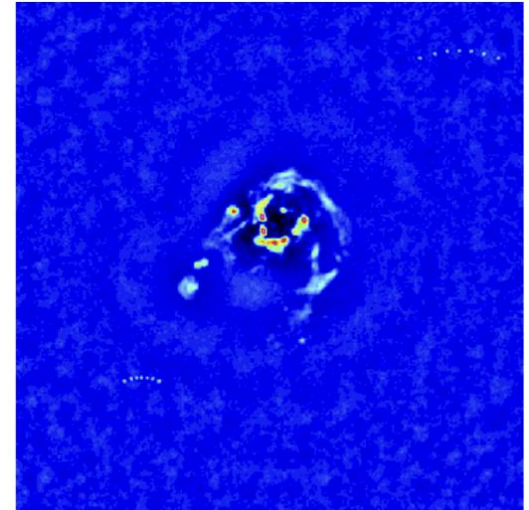


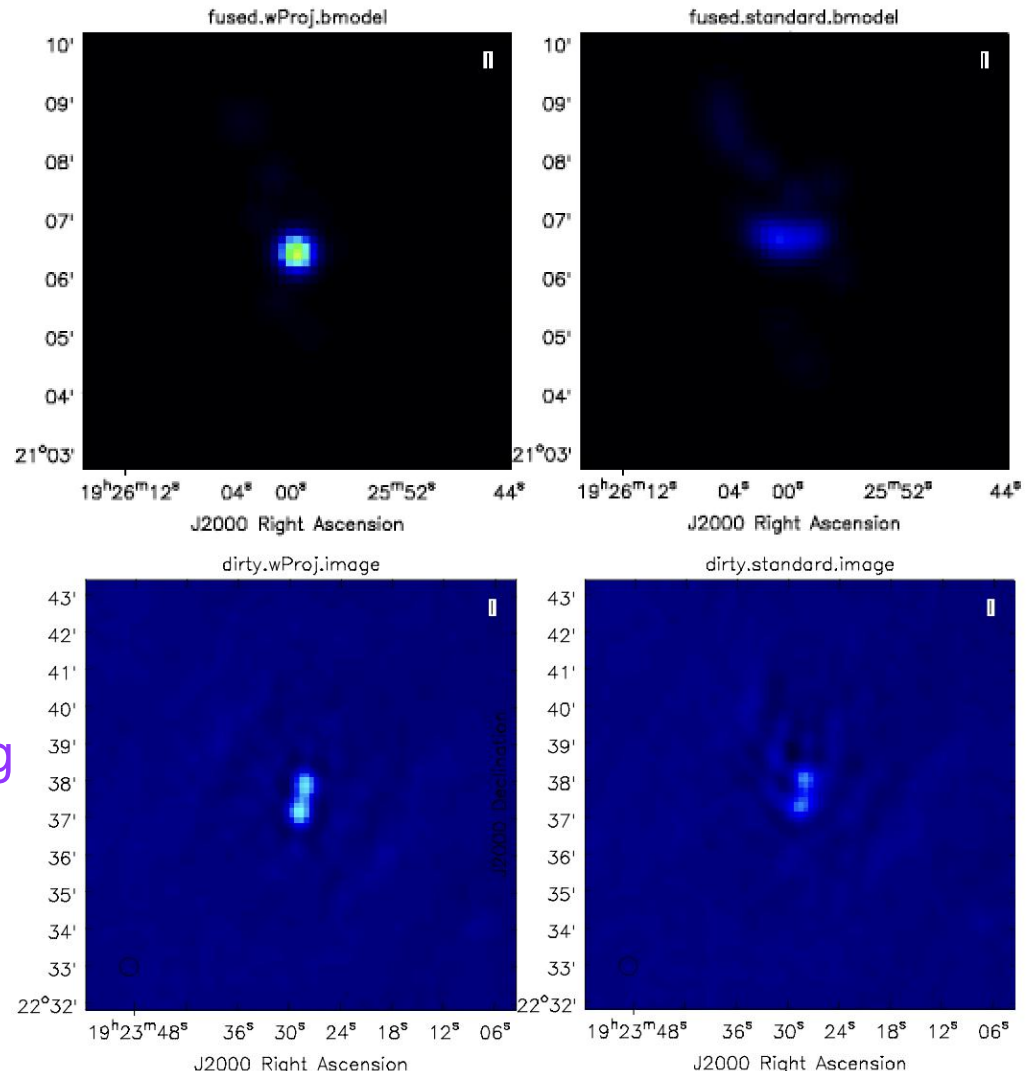
Fig. 3. Reconstruction results from our imager. *Left:* model image. *Right:* restored image.

研究进展4: JVLA实测数据验证 (首次)

$$V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w) = V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w = 0) * K(u, v, w),$$

1. Our imager
= adaptive scale deconvolution
+ Widefield Correction
2. Tests: Simulated SKA data
+ JVLA observation data
3. Plan: test for SKA EoR Imaging

(A&A, 2020)

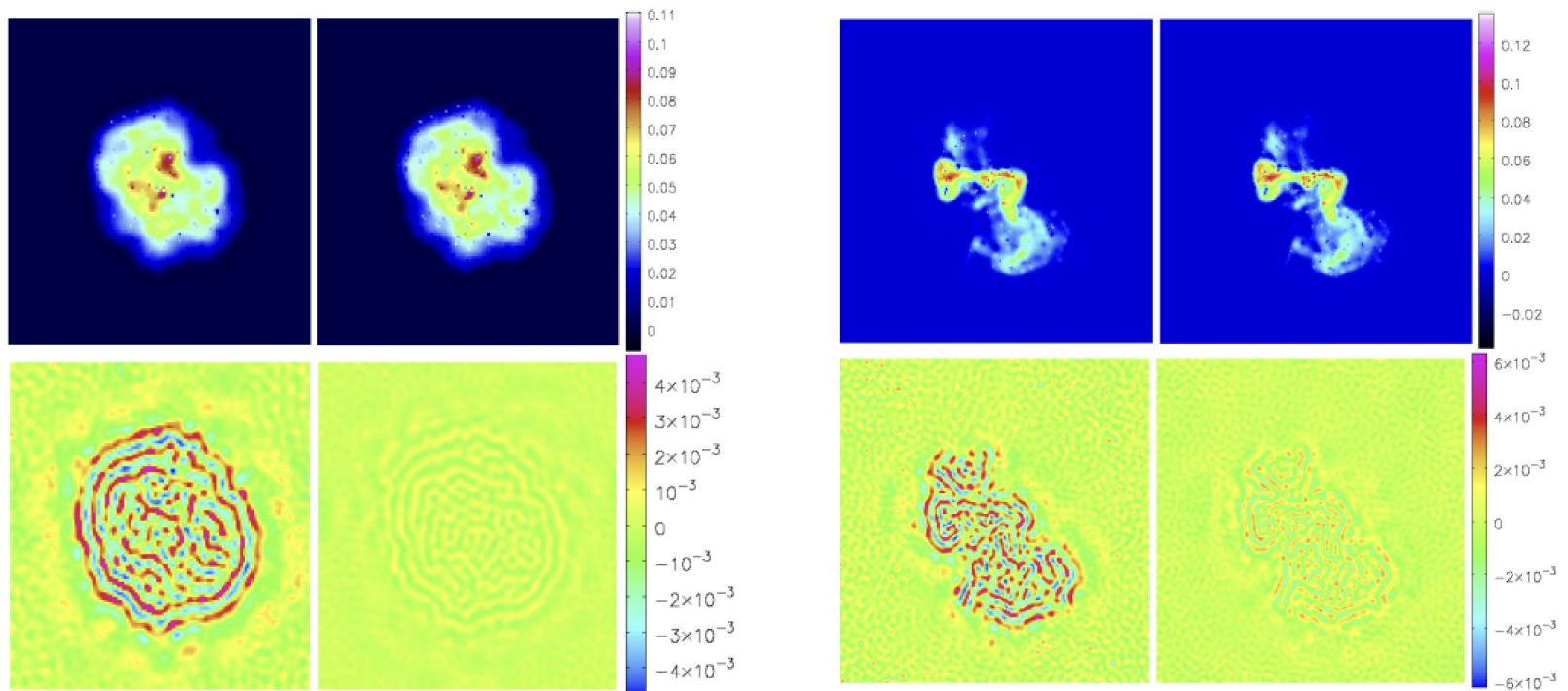


Our imager

Standard imager

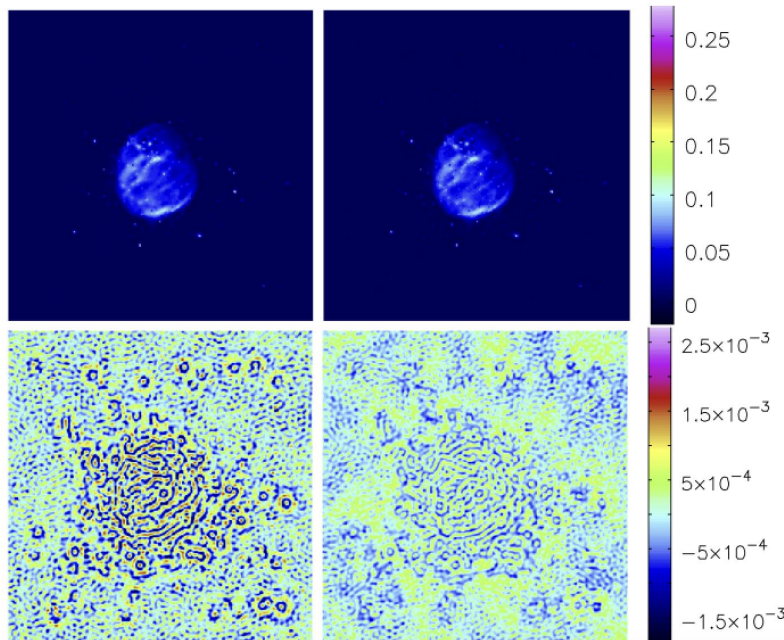
研究进展5: Deconv with Random Scales

Specified scale lists	Algorithms	Off-source rms (10^{-4})	Full rms (10^{-4})	Dynamic range (10^3)
[0, 4, 8, 16, 32]	MS-Clean	1.887	2.819	7.674
	RMS-Clean	0.871	1.084	19.957 (AA, 2021)
[0, 3, 10, 30, 60]	MS-Clean	4.025	7.514	2.878
	RMS-Clean	3.022	5.133	4.212
[0, 6, 12, 18, 24]	MS-Clean	4.129	7.894	2.739
	RMS-Clean	1.012	1.354	15.974



研究进展6: Deconv with Hybrid Parameterization

Scale Lists	Algorithms	Runtime (s)	Off-source RMS (10^{-4})	Full RMS (10^{-4})	Dynamic Range (10^3)
[0, 3, 6, 12, 24]	MsClean	88.659	8.075	9.967	2.675
	Our	79.346	3.256	3.243	6.635
[0, 3, 10, 20, 40]	MsClean	312.679	3.544	3.527	6.093
	Our	104.610	3.284	3.231	6.575
[0, 6, 12, 18, 32]	MsClean	216.191	4.199	4.561	5.145
	Our	76.164	3.240	3.336	6.668



Diffuse	Compact
Ms-Clean	Hg-Clean

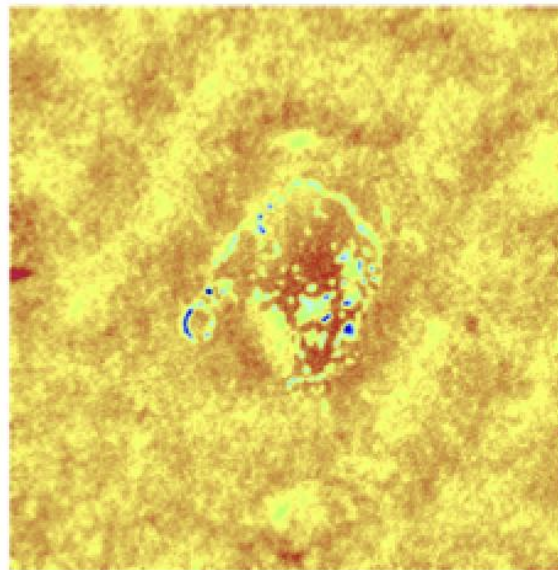
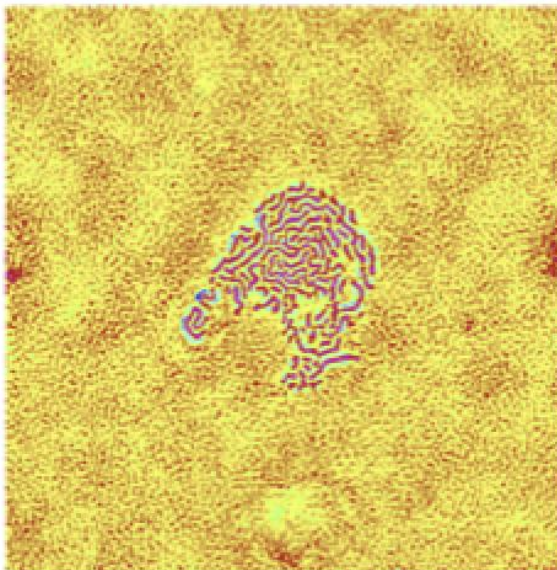
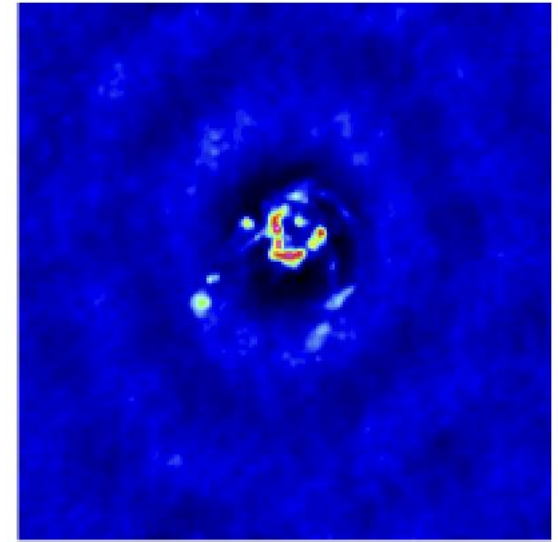
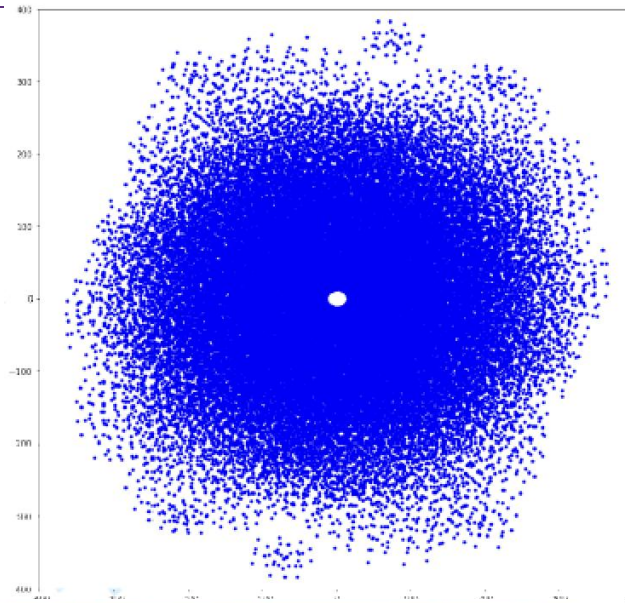
(RAA, 2021)

研究进展7: SKA Wideband Imaging

SKA simulation:

1. SKA1 'LOWBD2'

2. at 100 MHz



UV coverage | dirty image

Ms-Clean

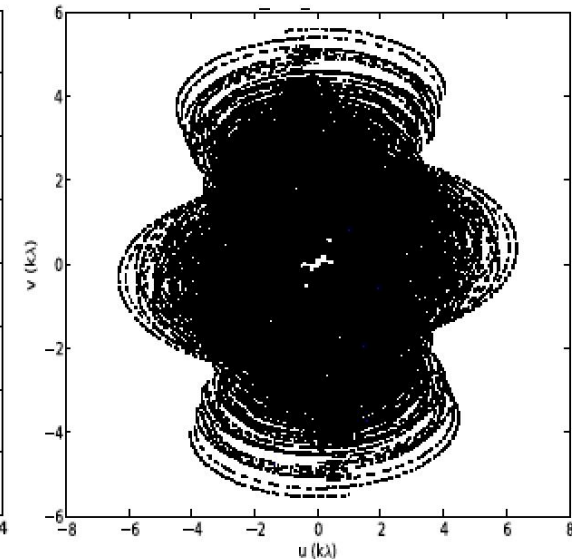
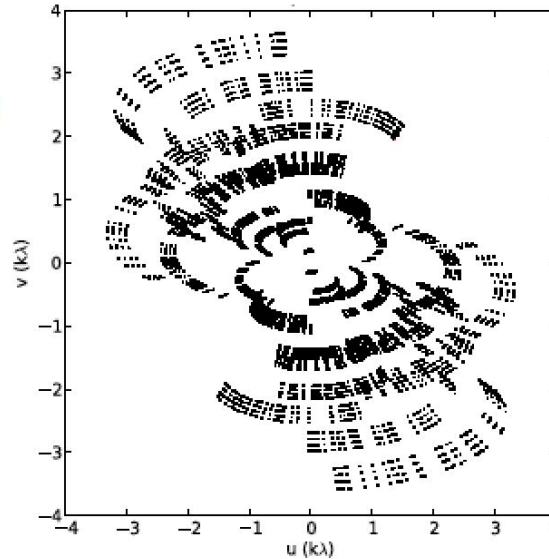
Asp-Clean

(RAA, 2021)

SKA wideband widefield imaging

$$I^{obs} = F^{-1} \sum_0^{N-1} S_v V^{sky}$$

1. Our imager
= adaptive scale deconvolution
+ Wideband Correction
2. Tests: Simulated SKA data
+ JvLA observation data
4. Plan: test for SKA EoR Imaging



JvLA D, supernova remnants,
G55.7+3.4, 1-2GHz, 2MHzChannel,
time 1s

SKA wideband widefield imaging

$$V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w) = V^{\text{sky}}(u, v, w = 0) * K(u, v, w),$$

= adaptive scale deconvolution
+ Widefield Correction
+ Wideband Correction

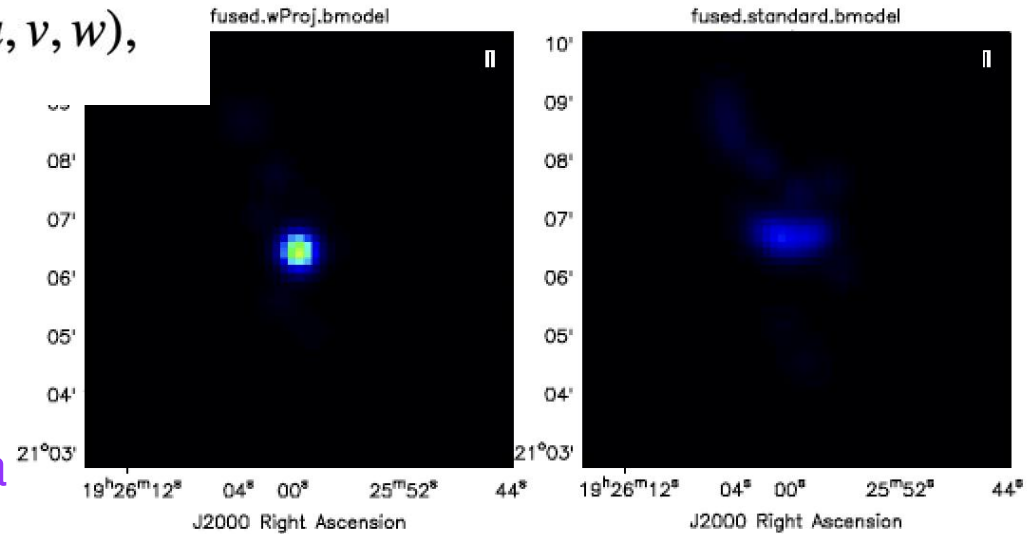
2. Tests: Simulated SKA data
+ JVLA observation data

3. We proposed 4 algorithms for
accurate deconvolution
+ imagers for wideband widefield
Imaging

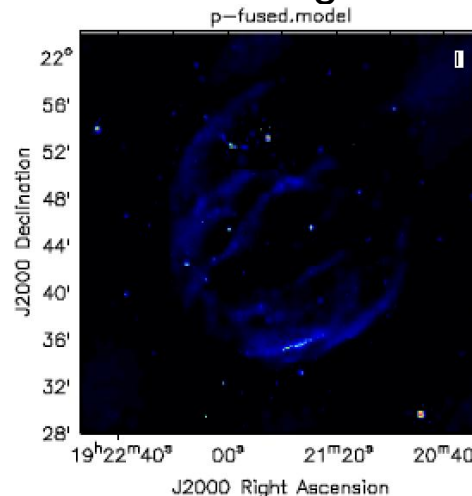
4. Plan: test for SKA EoR Imaging

(A&A, 2020, A&A 2021,
RAA, 2021a, RAA, 2021b)

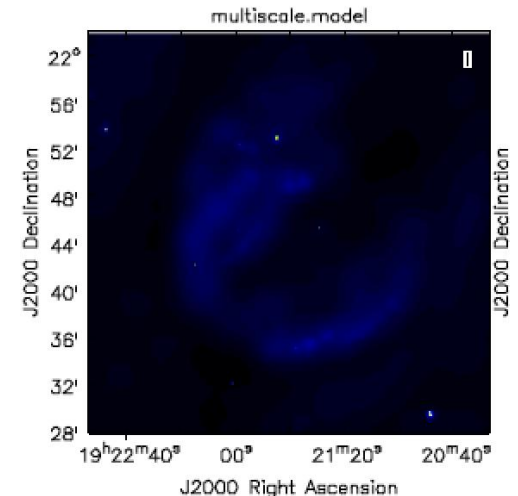
Wideband imaging for JVLA observation data



Our imager



Standard imager



Wideband imaging for JVLA observation data

Data-driven Methods

研究进展1: Deep Learning for SKA imaging

1. deepDeconv for accurate reconstruction of compact emission + PSF Correction

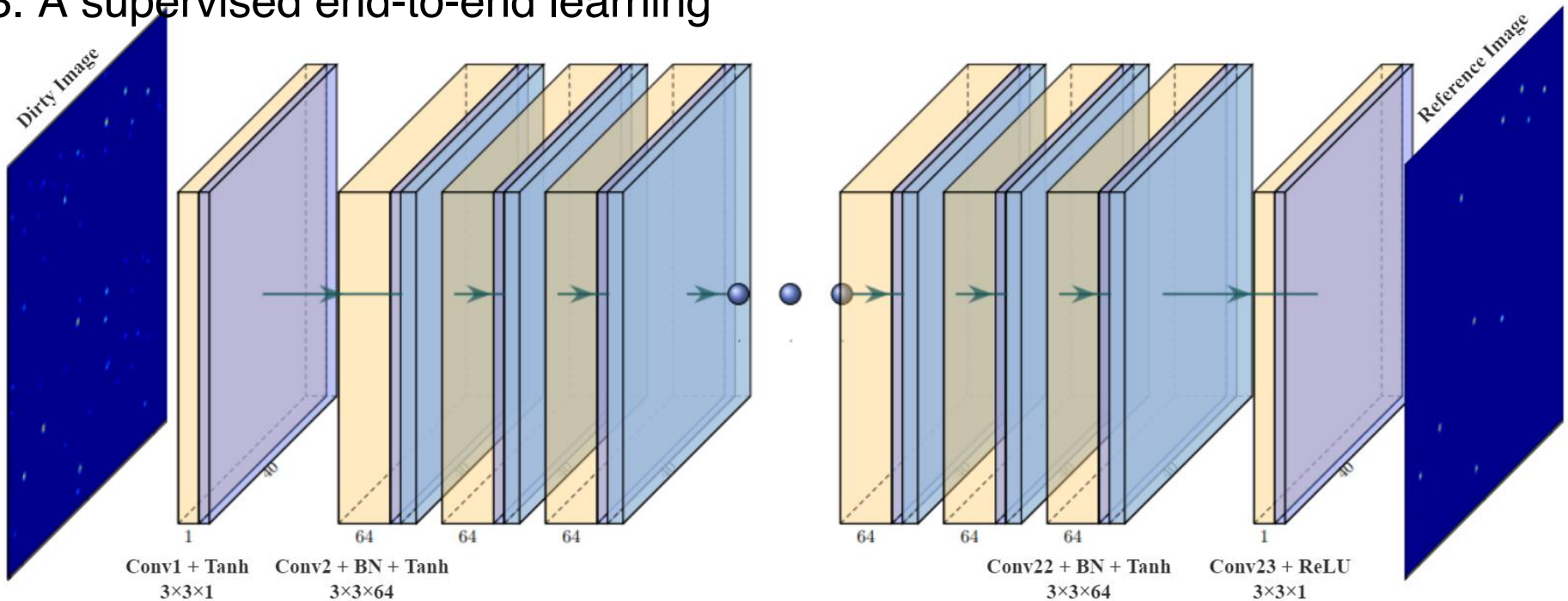
2. Tests: Simulated SKA data

3. A supervised end-to-end learning

4. Activation function scheme: tanh + ReLU

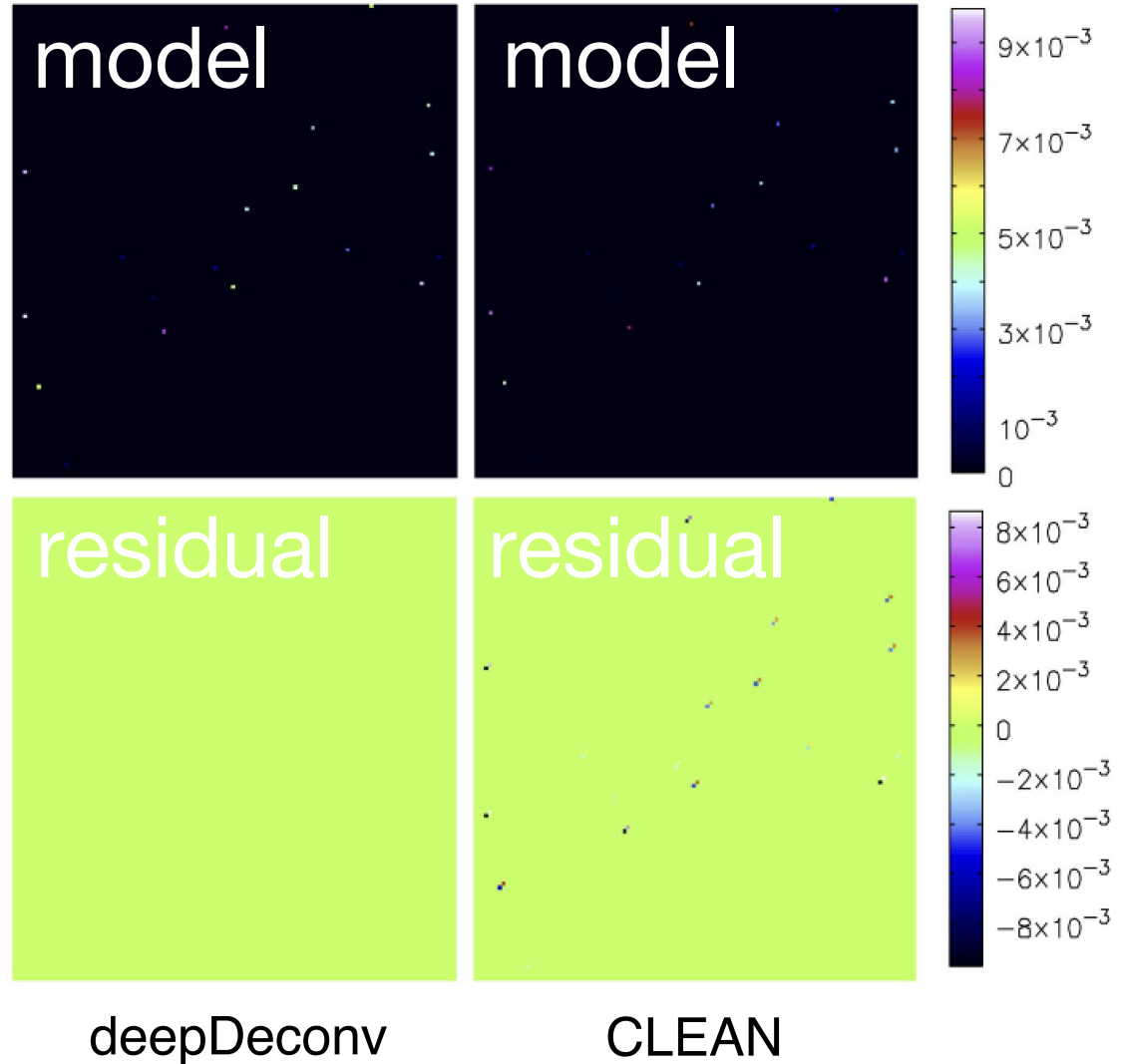
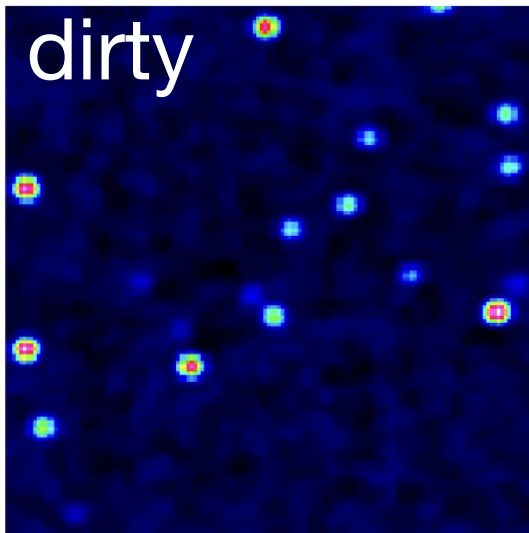
5. data-driven VS model-driven

6. Plan: Test for SKA EoR Imaging



研究进展1: Deep Learning for SKA imaging

Reconstruction results for sparse-distributed compact emission.



Thanks for listening

