



# Modélisation de l'évolution des grains de poussière dans la nébuleuse de la Tête de Cheval

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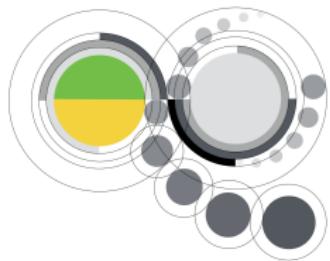
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# The Heterogeneous dust Evolution Model for Interstellar Solids



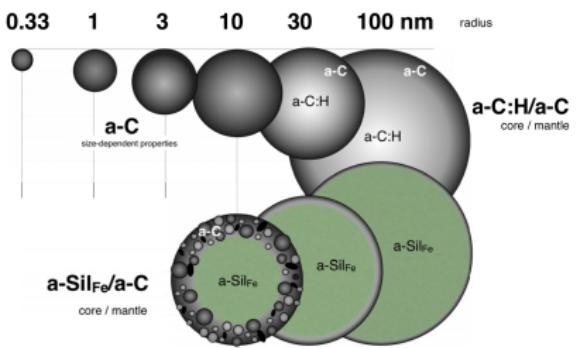
For local physical conditions, THEMIS provides :

- ▶ Dust structure;
- ▶ Dust composition;
- ▶ Dust Evolution.

THEMIS is built on laboratory-measured properties of :

- ▶ H-poor (a-C) hydrogenated amorphous carbon materials;
- ▶ H-rich (a-C:H) hydrogenated amorphous carbon materials;
- ▶ Collectively H-poor and H-rich (a-C(:H)) materials;
- ▶ Amorphous olivine-type and pyroxene-type silicates with iron and iron-sulfide nano-inclusions (a-Sil(Fe-FeS));

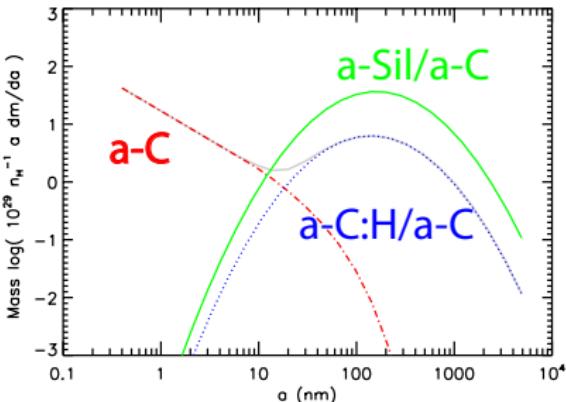
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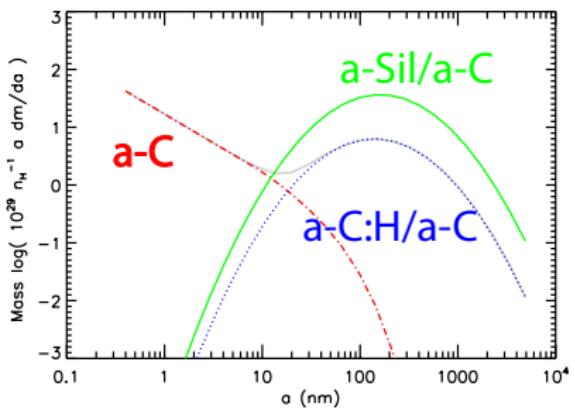
Diffuse dust model population.

Diffuse dust grain distribution ([Jones et al. 2013](#))

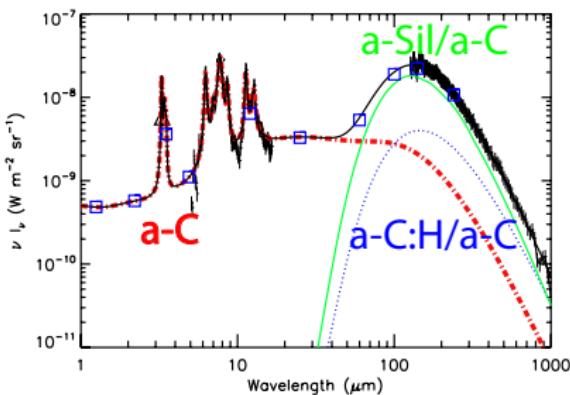
- ▶ Power-law distribution of a-C nano-particles ( $a < 20\text{nm}$ );
- ▶ Log normal distribution of large a-C:H grains ( $a \sim 160\text{ nm}$ ) with a-C mantles;
- ▶ Log normal distribution of large a-Sil(Fe,Fes) grains ( $a \sim 140\text{ nm}$ ) with a-C mantles.



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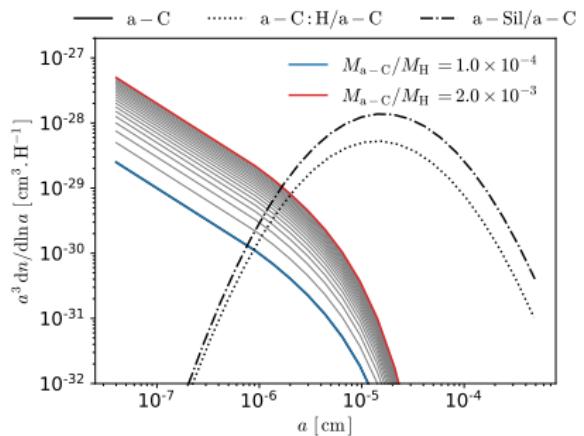


Diffuse grain dust emission ([Jones et al. 2013](#))

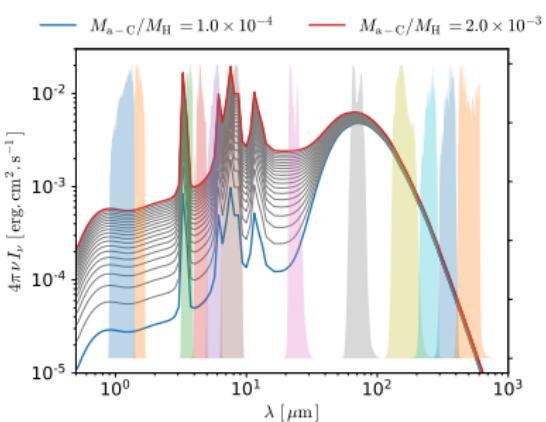
Contribution of different dust types to the total emission :

- ▶ Near and mid-IR emission : a-C nano-particles;
- ▶ Far infrared emission : a-Sil(Fe,Fes) grains with a-C mantles.

# Influence of $M_{\text{a-C}}/M_{\text{H}}$ on modelled dust emission



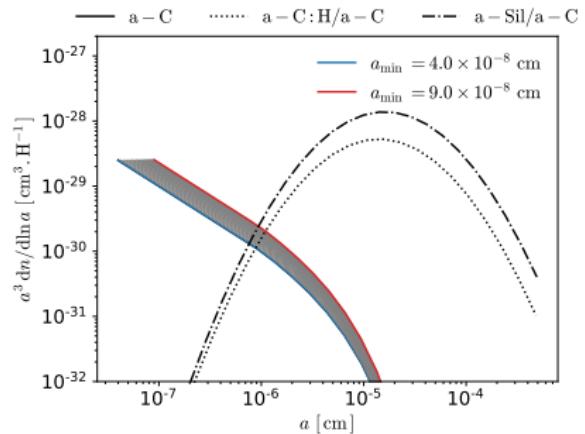
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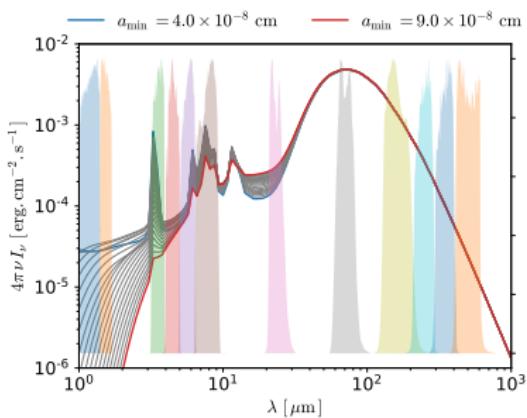
Diffuse grain dust emission.

- ▶ Decrease of dust emission in near and mid-IR with  $a_{\min, \text{a-C}} \uparrow$ ;
- ▶ Increase of dust emission in far-IR with  $a_{\min, \text{a-C}} \downarrow$ .

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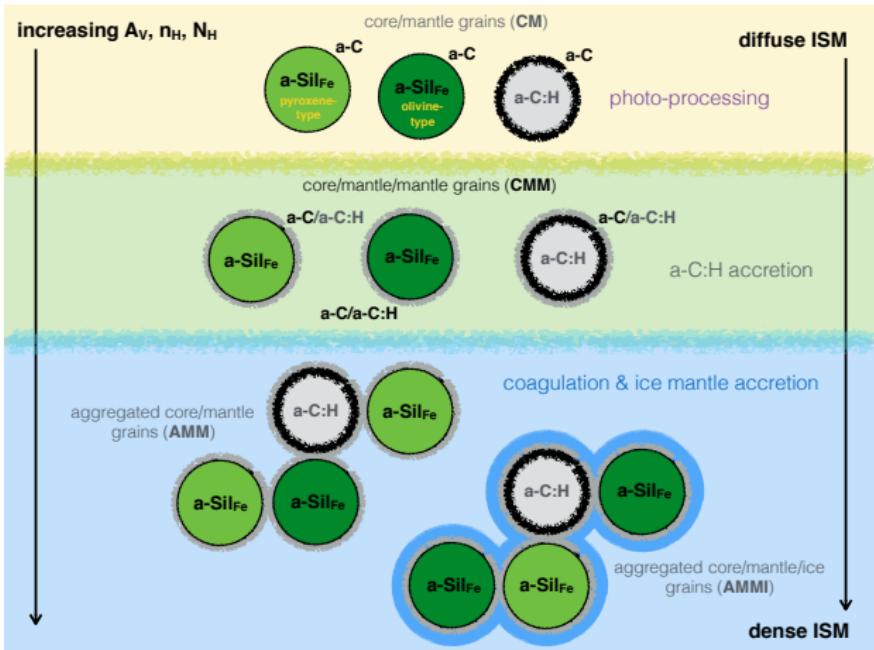
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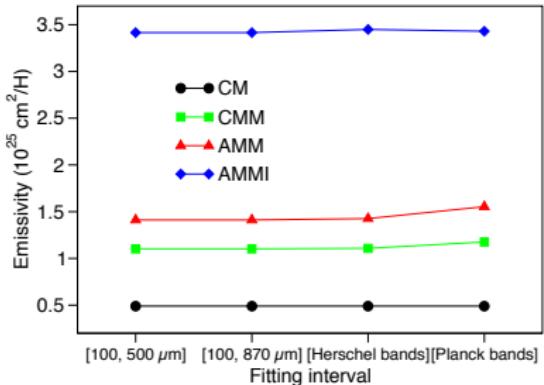
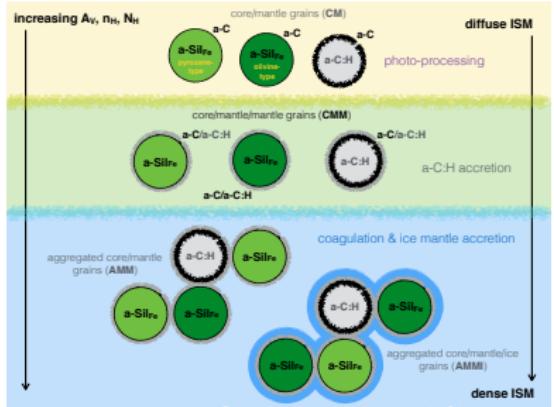
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# Scenario of dust evolution from diffuse to denser regions



Representation of dust evolution in ([Jones et al. 2017](#))

# Scenario of dust evolution in denser regions



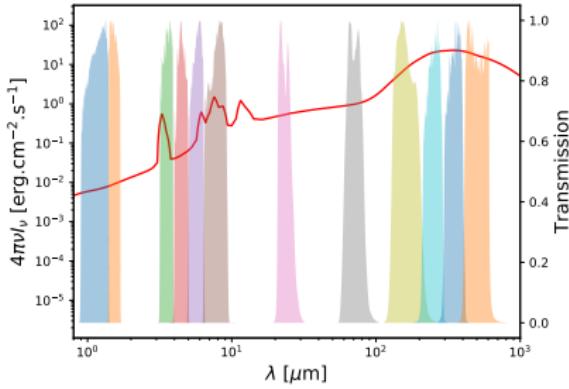
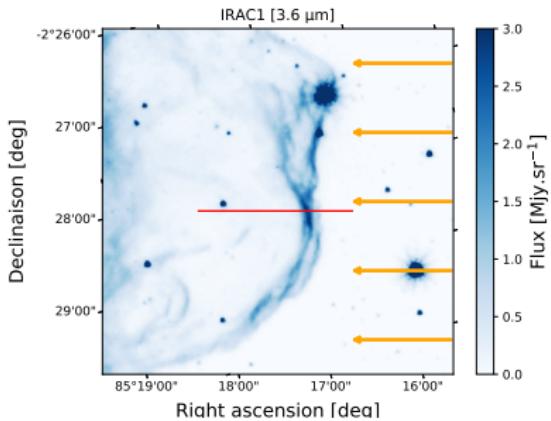
Dust evolution scenario (Jones et al. 2013). Model dust emission (Köhler et al. 2015)

- ▶ CM : Core-mantle grains;
- ▶ CMM : CM + a-C:H mantle;
- ▶ AMM : Aggregates consisting of CMM grains.
- ▶ AMMI : Aggregates consisting of CMM grains with an additional ice mantle.

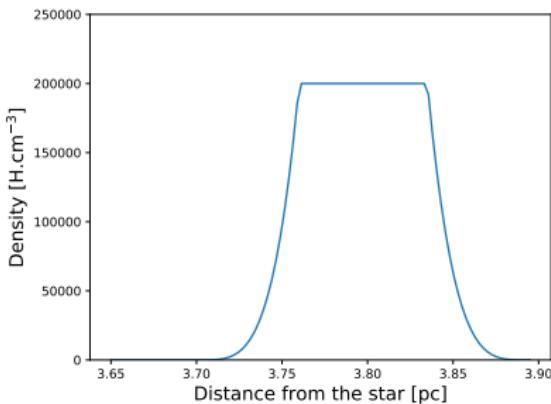
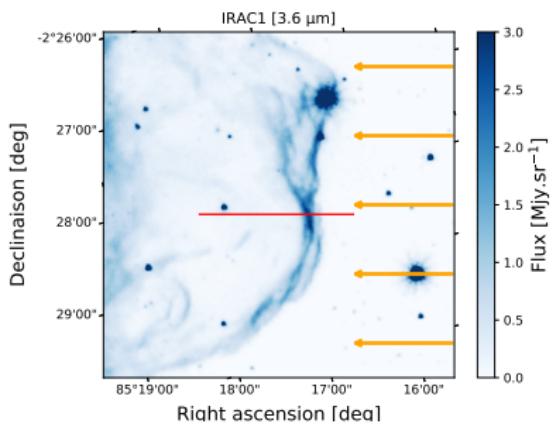
# A well-known PDR : The Horsehead Nebula

Observations from Hubble, Spitzer and Herschel :

- ▶ 12 photometric bands [ $\mu\text{m}$ ] : 1.15, 1.54, 3.6, 4.5, 5.8, 8, 24, 70, 160, 250, 350, 500.
- ▶ ⚠️ : Possibly gas contribution in HST bands.



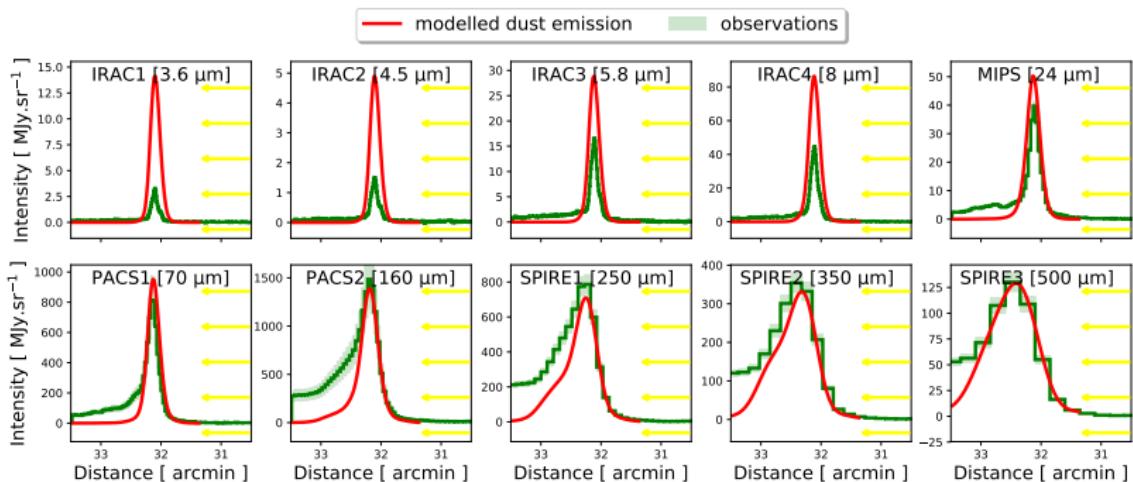
# Physical conditions inside the Horsehead Nebula



Physical conditions required to compute radiative transfer :

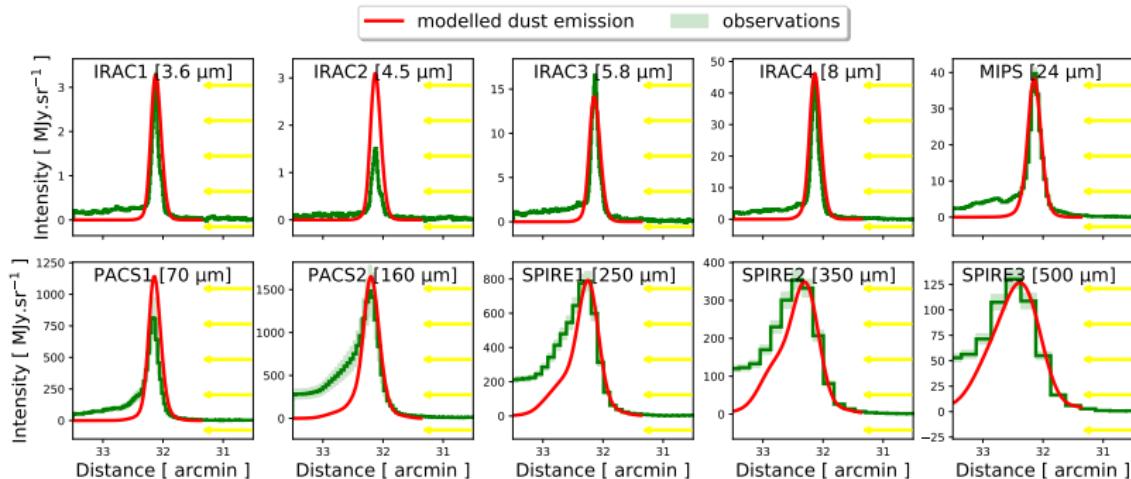
- ▶ Density profile of atomic hydrogen from [Habart et al. 2006](#);
- ▶ Length of the PDR along the line of sight : 0.1 pc.

# DustPDR results with dust from diffuse medium



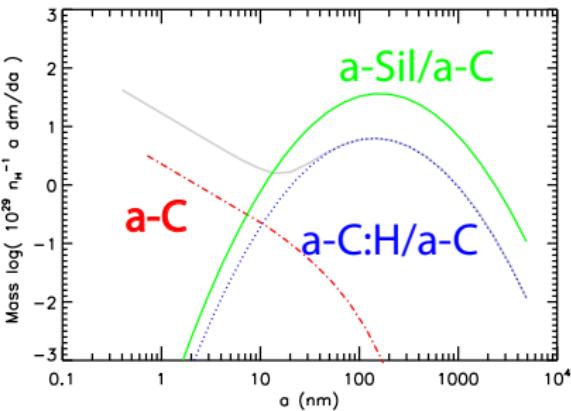
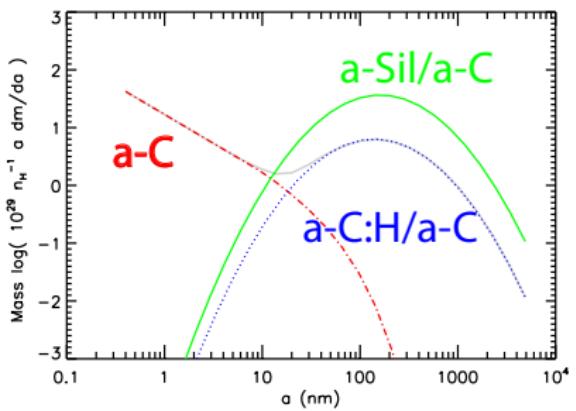
- ▶  $l_{\text{PDR}}=0.28$  pc required for far-infrared.
- ▶ Dust emission overestimate in near and mid-infrared.

# DustPDR results with modified dust from diffuse medium



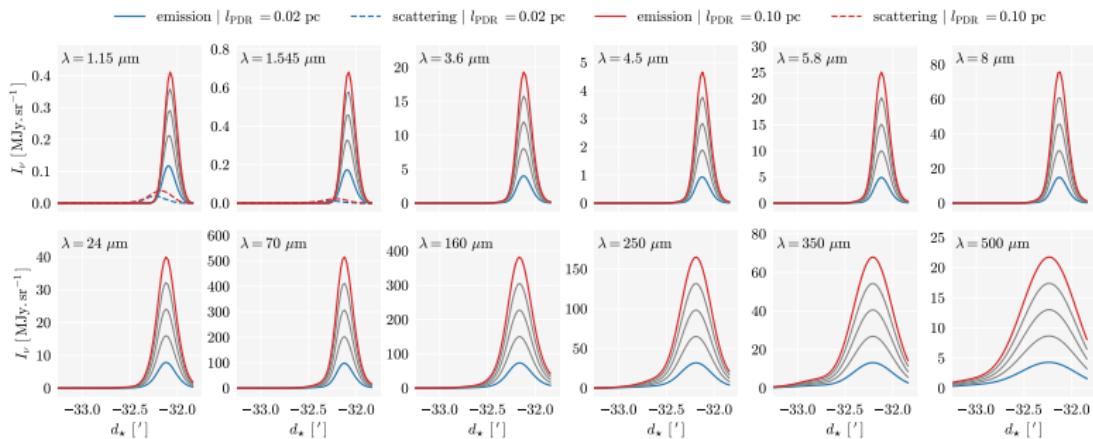
- ▶ Increase of  $a_{\min, \text{a-C}}$  from  $4 \times 10^{-8}$  to  $5.75 \times 10^{-8}$  cm;
- ▶ Decrease of  $M_{\text{a-C}}/M_{\text{H}}$  from  $17 \times 10^{-4}$  to  $7 \times 10^{-4}$ .
- ▶  $l_{\text{PDR}} = 0.28$  pc

# Discussion about DustPDR results



- ▶ ✓  $a_{\min, \text{a-C}} \uparrow$  and ✓  $M_{\text{a-C}}/M_{\text{H}} \downarrow$ : the small grains have not yet had time to form OR they cannot exist because of UV photodestruction;
- ▶ ✗  $l_{\text{PDR}} = 0.28 \text{ pc} \rightarrow N_{\text{H}} \sim 10^{23} \text{ H.cm}^{-2}$  too high !

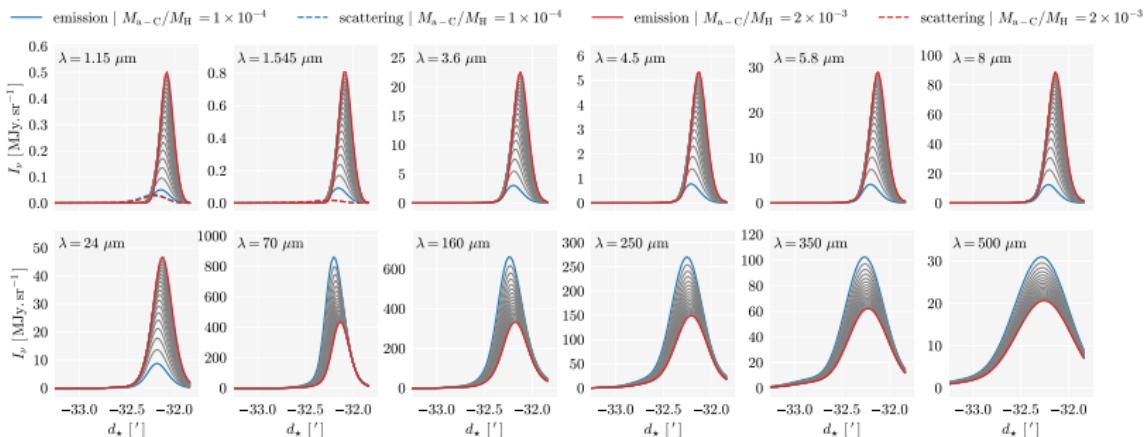
# CRT results : Influence of $l_{\text{PDR}}$ on dust emission and scattering



$$\text{M}_{\text{a-C}}/\text{M}_{\text{H}} = 0.14 \times 10^{-2} - a_{\min, \text{a-C}} = 4.00 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm}$$

- ▶ Dust emission and scattering increase with  $l_{\text{PDR}}$  ;
- ▶ Dust emission increases linearly with  $l_{\text{PDR}}$  in all bands.

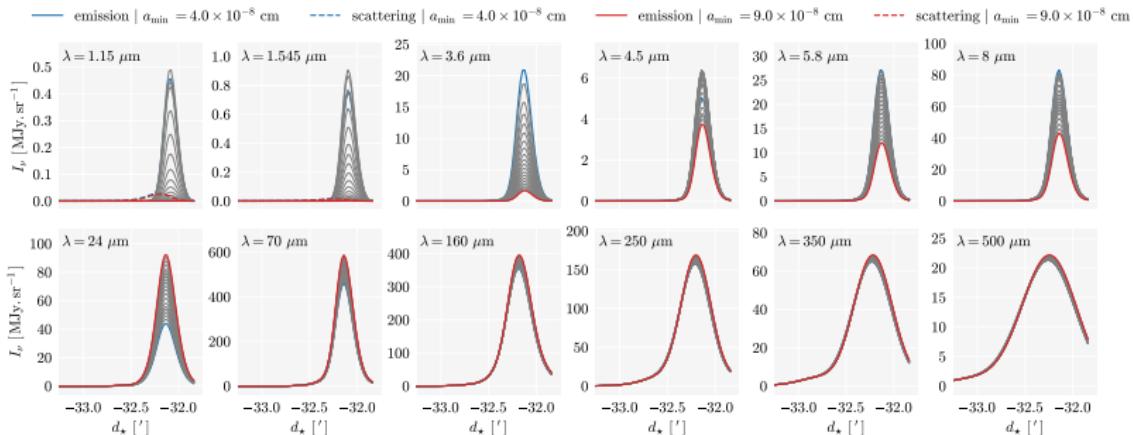
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$$a_{\min, \text{a-C}} = 4 \times 10^{-8} - l_{\text{PDR}} = 0.1 \text{ pc}$$

- ▶ No influence of  $a_{\min, \text{a-C}}$  on dust scattering;
- ▶ Dust emission increases linearly with  $M_{\text{a-C}}/M_{\text{H}}$  in NIR;
- ▶ Dust emission decreases with  $M_{\text{a-C}}/M_{\text{H}}$  increase in FIR.

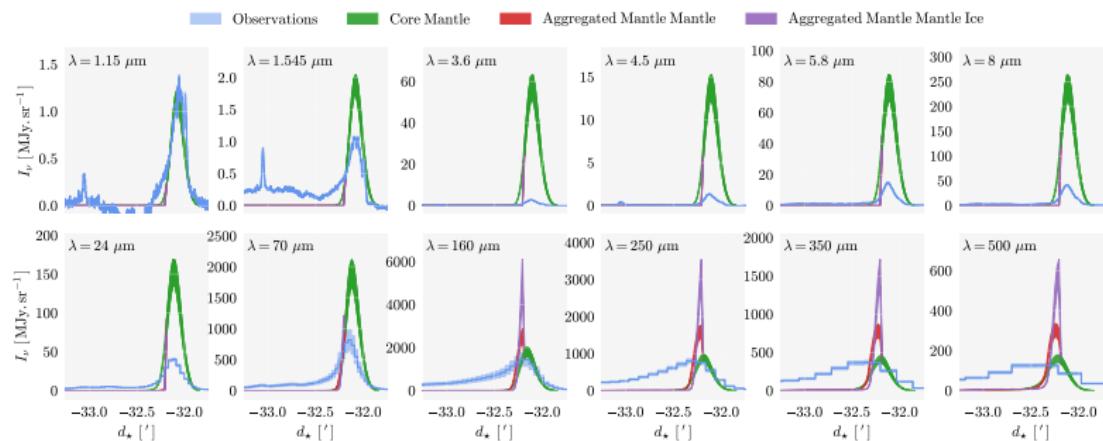
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- ▶ No influence of  $a_{\min,a-C}$  on dust scattering;
- ▶ No influence of  $a_{\min,a-C}$  on dust emission in FIR;
- ▶ Dust emission decreases non-linearly with  $a_{\min,a-C} \uparrow$  in NIR.

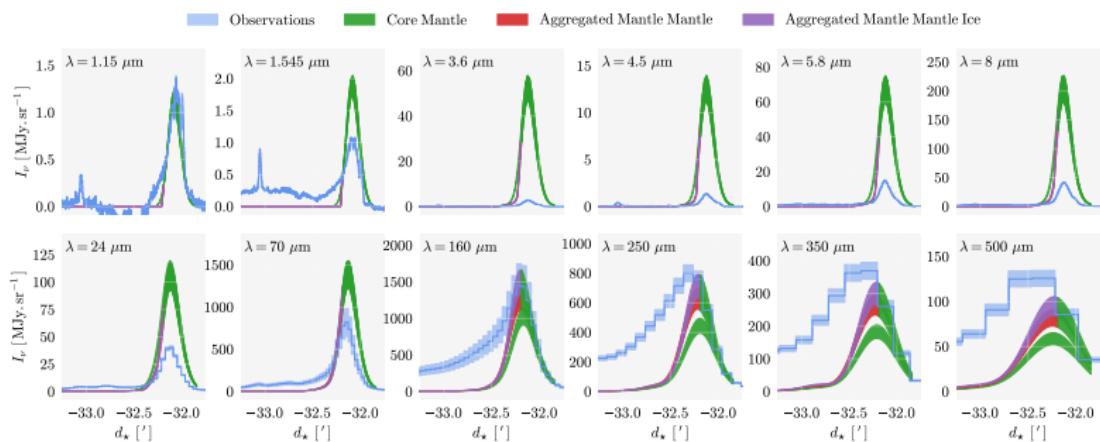
## CRT results : Influence of AMM and AMMI grains



Profiles not convolved with PSFs -  $I_{\text{PDR}} \in [0.22, 0.30] \text{ pc}$

- ▶ CM grains where dust emits in NIR;
- ▶ AMM / AMMI where dust emits in FIR;

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Profiles convolved with PSFs -  $l_{\text{PDR}} \in [0.22, 0.30] \text{ pc}$

- ▶ AMM : dust emission increases by a factor of 1.5;
- ▶ AMMI : dust emission increases by a factor of 2;

# Discussion and perspectives

## Discussion

- ▶ a-C grains properties must change on the edge of the PDR to decrease NIR dust emission;
- ▶ Grains need to coagulate (AMM/AMMI) to increase FIR dust emission;
- ▶  $l_{\text{PDR}}$  has to be bigger in the denser part of the PDR to increase FIR dust emission.

## Perspectives

- ▶ More constraint on  $l_{\text{PDR}}$  and the density profile;
- ▶ Estimate gas emission on HST bands;