

MESS - Mass loss of Evolved StarS

Initial Results

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MESS

In its most general terms this GT KP aims at studying the

- Circumstellar matter in evolved objects
AGB, Post-AGB, PNe, RSG, WR, LBV, SN
 - Photometric mapping of nearby objects
 - Spectroscopy of nearby objects
 - SPIRE and PACS
- Mass-loss dominates the evolution
How? How much? Time evolution? Spherical?
Production of dust

Partners involved

Partner	“origin”	hours	special interest
Belgium	PACS GT	145	KUL (AGB, post-AGB, PN, WR, LBV) ROB (AGB, PN) ULB (binary AGB) IAGL (WR, LBV)
Vienna	PACS GT	47	AGB
Heidelberg	PACS GT	10	SN remnants
SAG 6	SPIRE GT	80	SN, AGB, post-AGB, PN
HSC	HSC	26	special type of post-AGB
MS	MS	5	Molecules in specific stars
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Implementation (Photo)

PACS:

Scan Maps at $70 + 160 \mu\text{m}$

78 AGB/RSG, 16 post-AGB/PN, 8 WR/LBV, 5 SN

~30 RELEASED

SPIRE:

Large maps at $250, 350, 500 \mu\text{m}$

26 AGB/RSG, 8 post-AGB/PN, 5 SN

ALL RELEASED

Implementation (Spectro)

PACS:

Concatenation of “blue” and “red” scans to cover entire 60-210 μm region

Spatial information: 5×5 pixels = $47'' \times 47''$

27 AGB/RSG, 26 post-AGB/PN, 2 WR/LBV, 4 SN

TO BE RELEASED WITHIN A MONTH

SPIRE:

Full FTS scans

9 AGB/RSG, 10 post-AGB/PN, 2 WR/LBV, 1 SN

ALL RELEASED

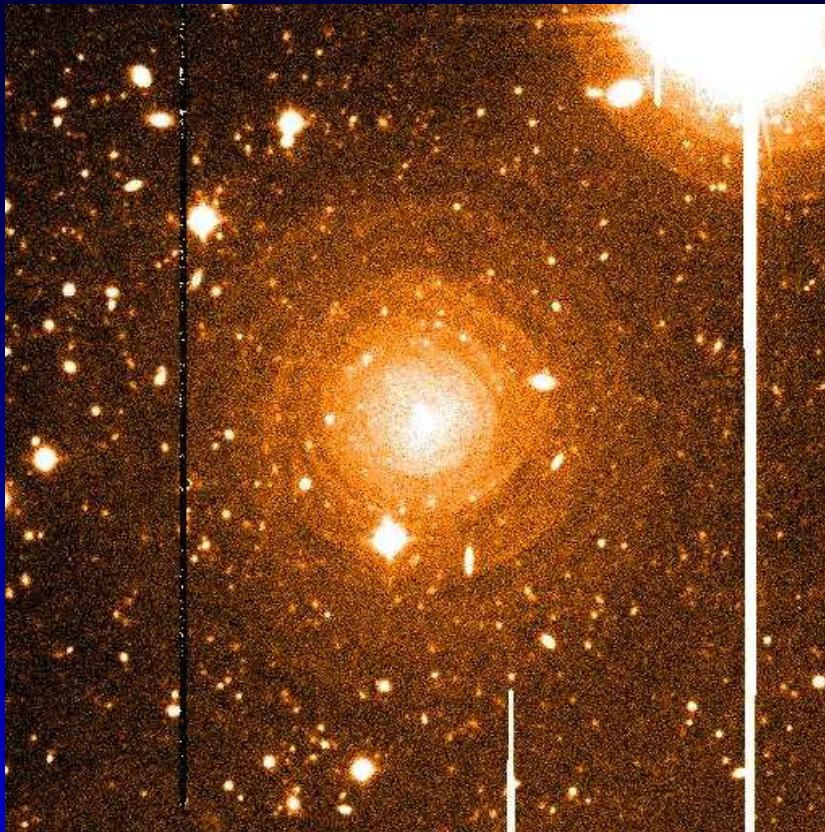
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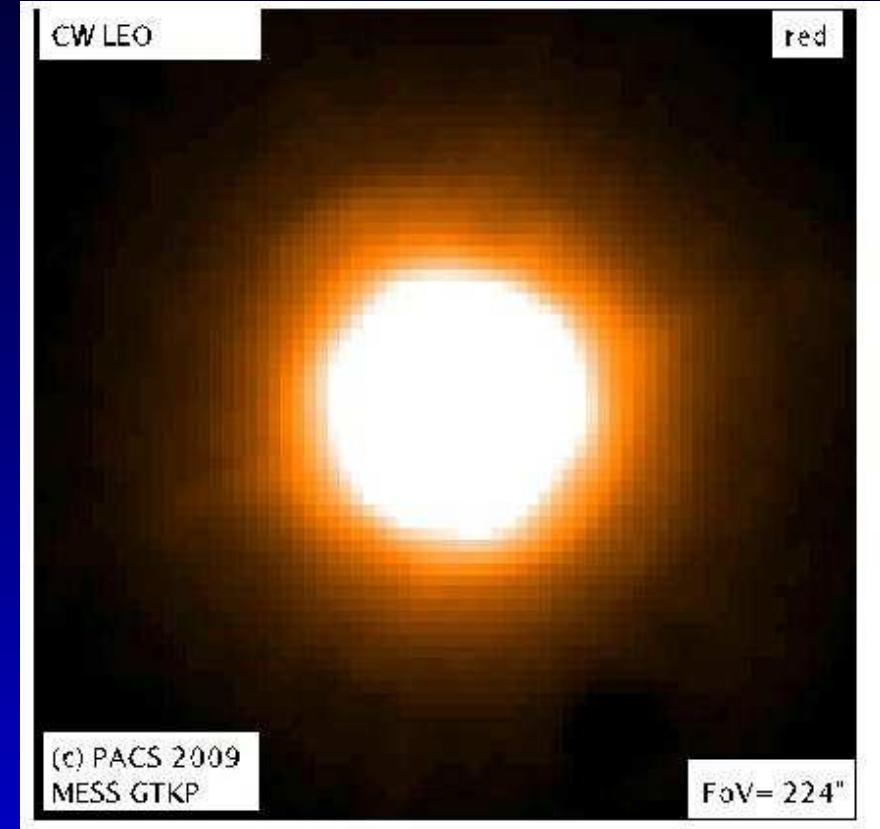
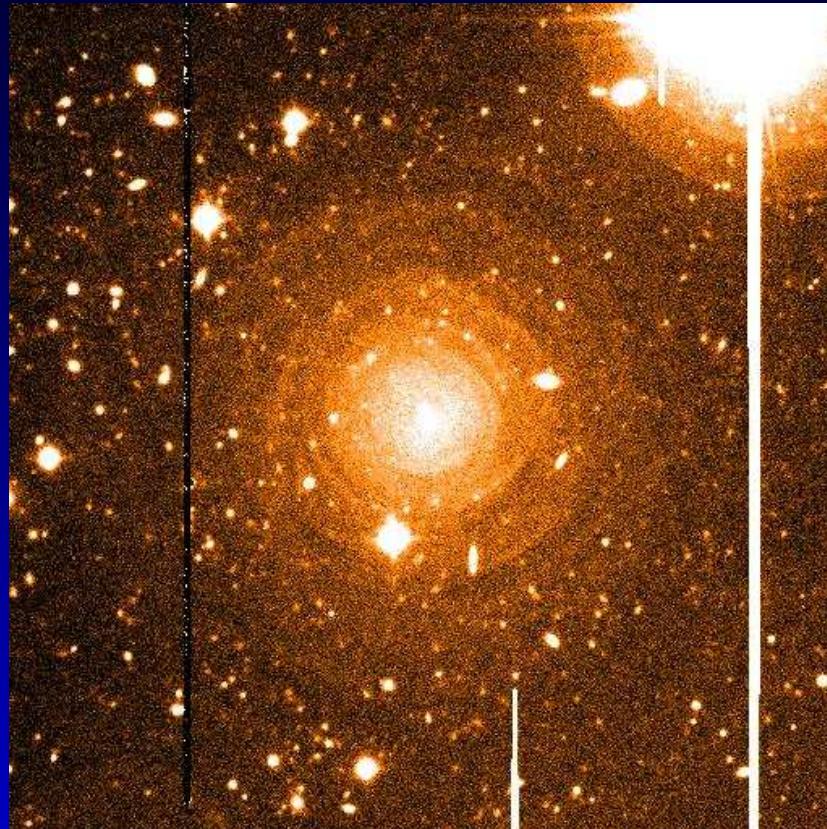
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		VY CMa	PACS SED scan	(engineering mode)
		NGC 7027	PACS SED scan	(engineering mode)
		HD 44179	PACS SED scan	
		CW Leo	SPIRE FTS	(engineering mode)
		VY CMa	SPIRE FTS	(engineering mode)
		NGC 7027	SPIRE FTS	
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CW Leo



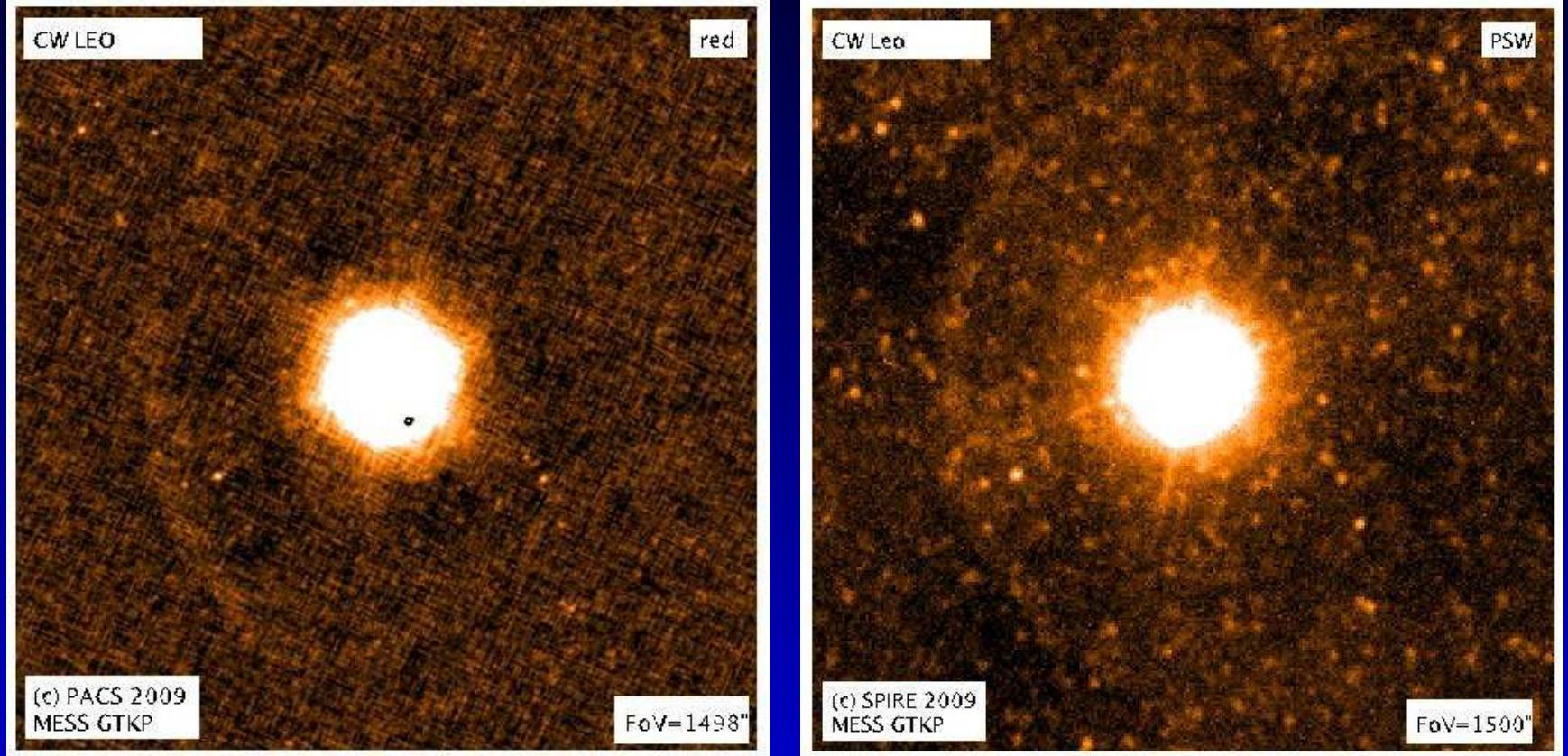
Optical (Mauron & Huggins 1999)

CW Leo



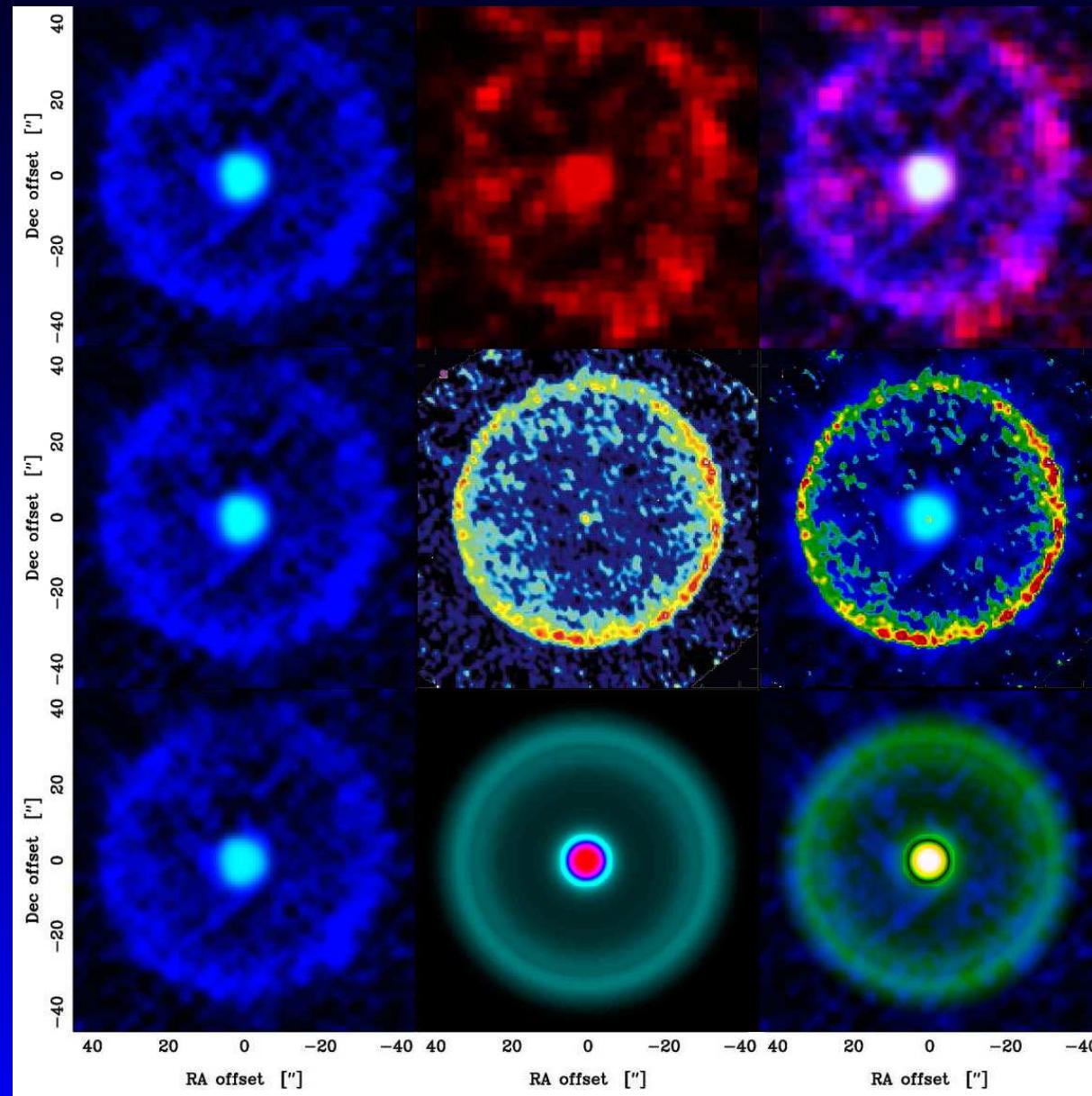
Optical (Mauron & Huggins 1999) and
PACS 160 micron

CW Leo



PACS 160 and SPIRE 250 micron
 $8.2' \times 9.2' \Rightarrow$ flow-timescale $\sim 11\ 000$ years

TT Cyg



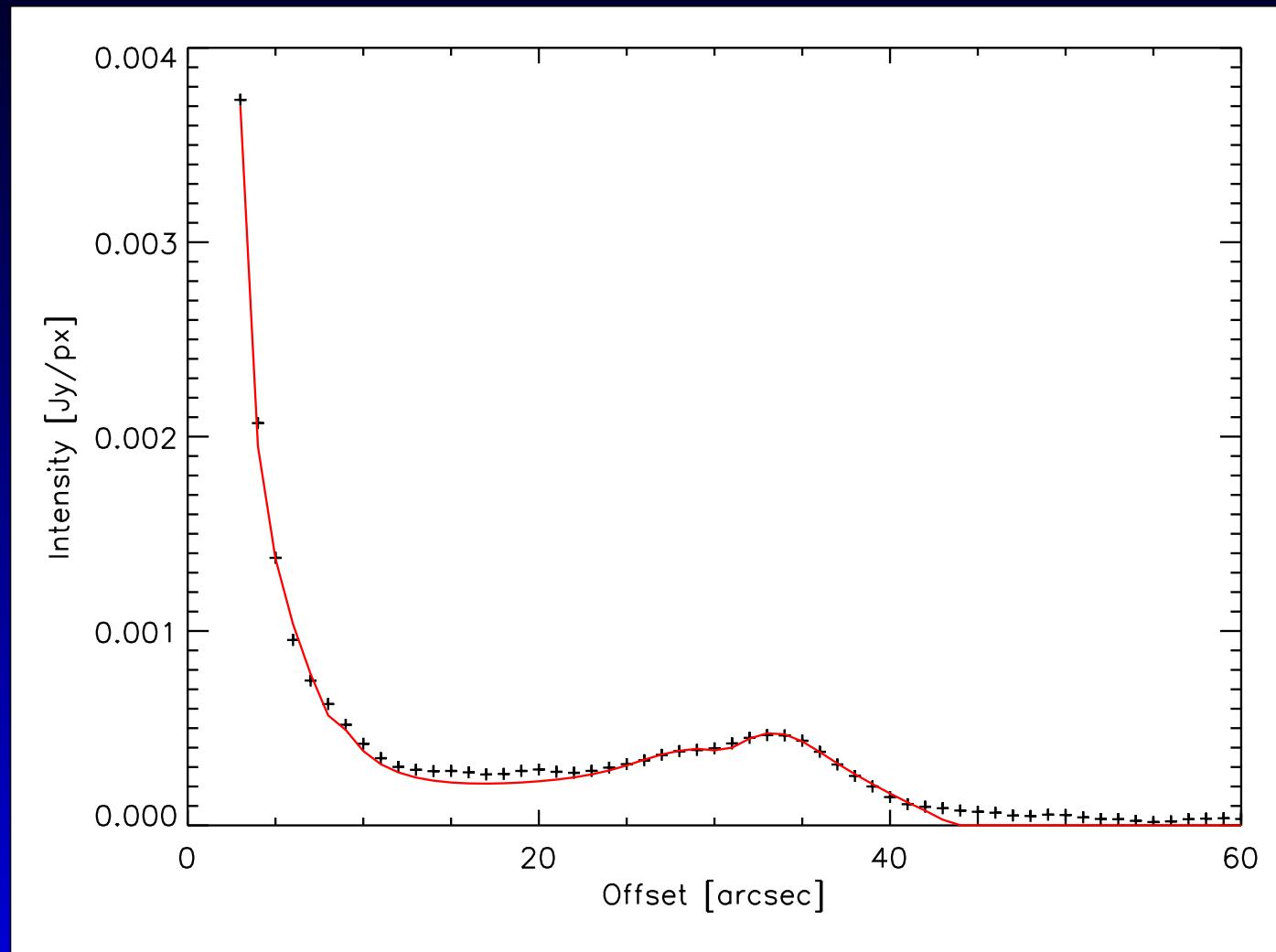
CO data from Olofsson et al. (2000)

PACS:
blue / red /
combined

PACS blue
/ CO (1-0) /
combined

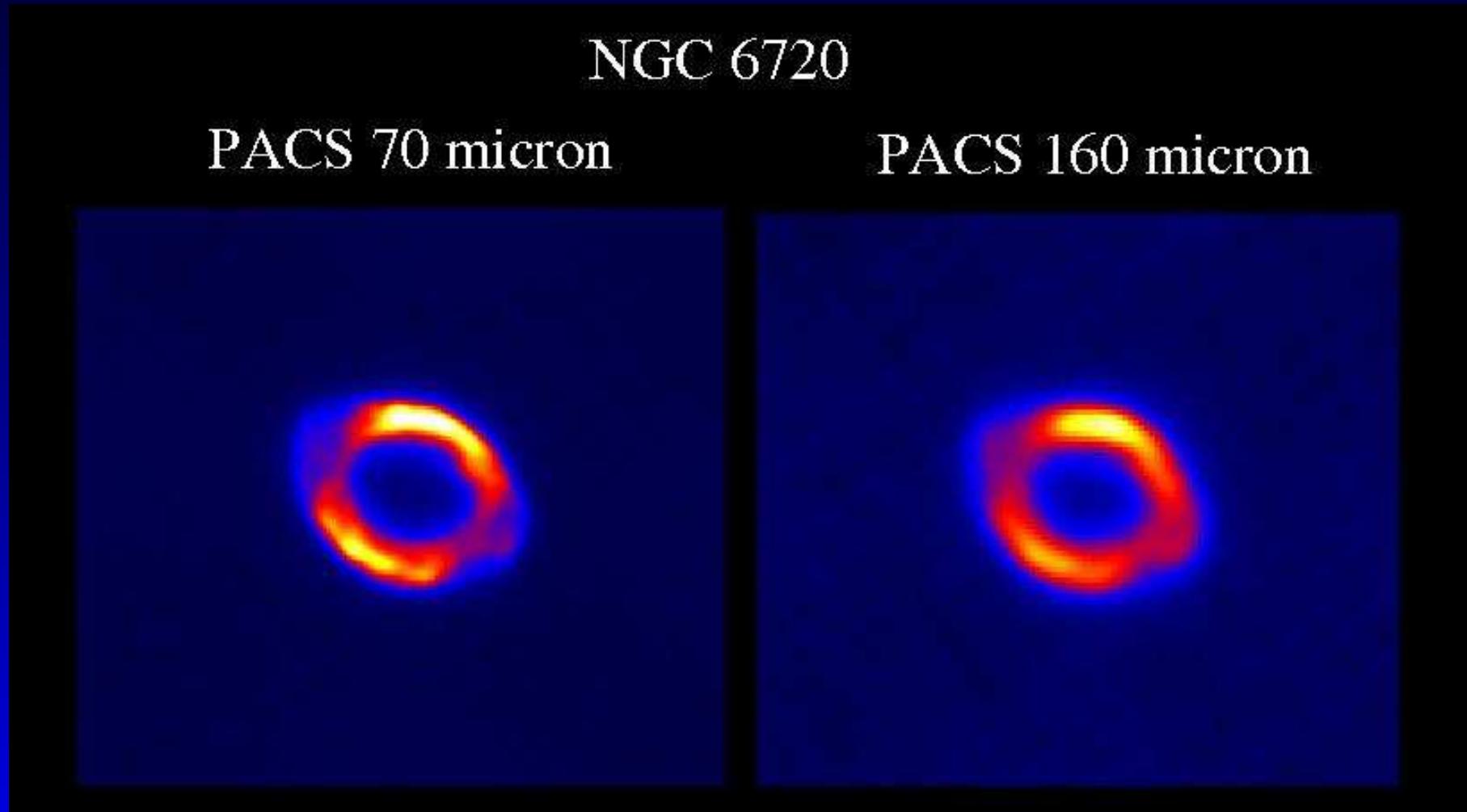
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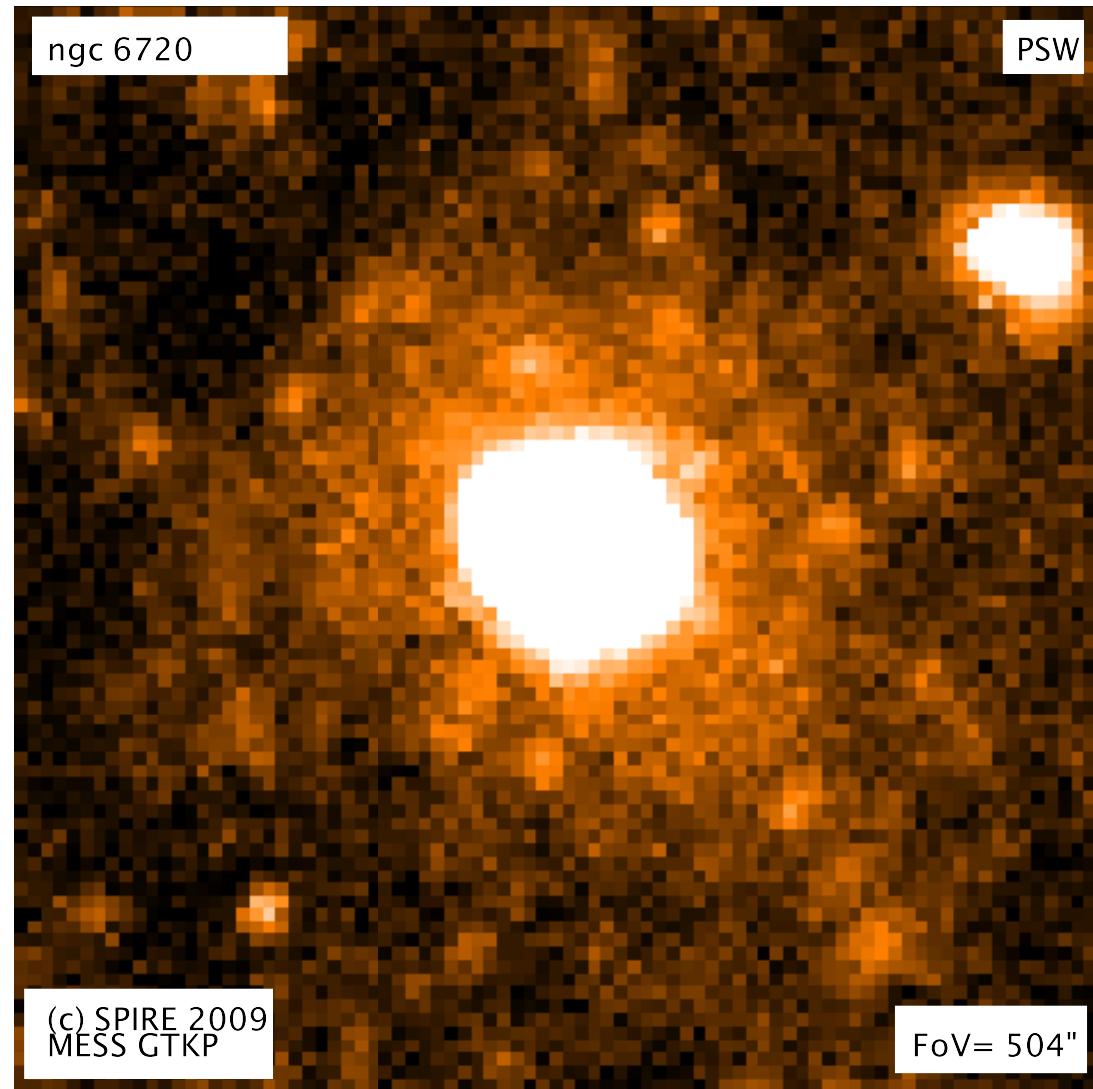


$R_{\text{in}} = 32''$, $R_{\text{out}} = 42''$ with $T_{\text{inner}} = 40.8$ K

NGC 6720



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Calar Alto H₂
V. Peris et al.



NGC 6720

PACS blue
70 micron



Conclusions

- Detected "old" dust mass loss in AGB stars !
- Issues
 - non-homogeneous coverage map in PACS (solved)
 - details of the high-pass filter
 - details of the deglitching
 - PSF subtraction

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