Spectra of Imaged Exoplanets • 20 years of discoveries •

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Imaged planets are young and hot



M=6 M_{Jup}

T_{eff}=2000 K

 $\log g = 3.5$

 T_{eff} =400 K

 $\log g = 4.2$

Temperature and gravity Mass



Involved physics?





Formation tracers



Atmospheric composition : tracer of formation mode?



Contrast and angular resolution: Adaptive Optics & coronography



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1994 -ESO3.6m/Come-On+ SH WFS; 62 actuators;

Sr < 10% Janson et al. 07

2005 -VLT/NACO SH WFS; 185 actuators

Sr = 40-50% Neuhäuser et al 05

2015 SPHERE/IRDIS SH WFS; 1200 actuators



Courtesy: G. Chauvin

Coupling with Integral Field Spectrographs



Spectral resolution = quantity of spectroscopic info



 $\begin{array}{l} \text{Large absorption bands} \\ R_{\lambda} \thicksim 100 \qquad (\text{H}_2\text{O}, \text{CH}_4, \text{etc.}) \end{array}$

→ T_{eff}, clouds properties

 $\begin{array}{l} Atomic \ and \ molecular \ absorptions \\ R_{\lambda} \thicksim 5000 \quad (Na \ I, K \ I, CO, VO, FeH, TiO, etc.) \end{array}$

→ Molecular abundances, RV (inaccurate)

 $\begin{array}{l} \mbox{Tiny doublets resolved, line} \\ R_\lambda \thicksim 50000 \mbox{ profile, comb of lines} \\ (K \ I, CO, FeH, etc.) \end{array}$

Accurate RV, v.sin(i), structures of the atmosphere, surface inhomogeneities

xAO + Coronograph + IFU low-R (lenslets)





Med/high-R cross-disperser [+ coupling to (x)AO + coronograph]









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Young exoplanets are red and can be underluminous



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20 mins of obs. with SPHERE/IRDI



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Atmospheric retrieval: data-driven approach



Advantages

- Flexible
- Abundances of individual molecules
- Pressure-temperature profiles

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Downfalls

- Loose connection to physics
- Bias in the abundances (clouds)
- Computation cost



Atmospheric retrieval: some examples



Mollière et al. 2020

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Forward modeling: driven by models



Advantages

- Use of detailed cloud models
- Efficient (medium and high-resolution)
- Test of model inconsistencies

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Downfalls

- Limited number of free parameters
- Not flexible
- Relies on grid interpolations



Imaged exoplanets : key role of gravity on clouds

Charnay et al. (2018)

Bonnefoy et al. (2016)



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Imaged exoplanets : key role of gravity on clouds

Reduced gravitational settling



Enhanced vertical mixing

Imaged exoplanets : do we really need clouds?



Tremblin et al. 2015, 2016

Imaged exoplanets : do we really need clouds?



Medium/high resolution : abundance ratio



Konopacky et al. 2013

Medium/high resolution : abundance ratio



HR 8799 b (OSIRIS, Barman et al. 2015)
Exo-REM (T_{eff} ~ 1015 K ; C/O ~ 0.55)

b c d <u>20 AU</u> 0.5″

Medium/high resolution : isotopic abundance ratio







Recent promising frameworks

Random Forests (Marquez-Neila et al. 2018) (Komba et al. in prep) H_2O HCN \mathbf{NH}_3 -1(κ_0 -101000 2000 -10-5-10-5-10-50 -10 H_2O NH_3 T (K) HCN κ_0

Bayesian Neural Network

(Cobb et al. 2019)



Recent promising frameworks

Bayesian inference with model and instrument error imputation





Compling the detection and characterization

Cross-correlation of spectra with molecular templates



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Compling the detection and characterization

The molecular mapping technique



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Characterizing the youngest exoplanets



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Discovery of forming exoplanets



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PDS70 b and c

Two accreting giant planets at 22 and 34au

Within a circumstellar disk cavity

Keppler et al. 2018 Haffert et al. 2019 Benisty et al. 2021

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Summary

- High-fidelity spectra of young Jovian exoplanets
- Empirical approach:

young planets are red and faint: role of dust clouds?

free-floating exoplanets = analogues of imaged exoplanets around stars

Modeling:

two different inversion methods (forward modelling and retrieval) models with different proposed ingredients new problematics emerging (systematics in models, etc)

Youngest exoplanets

witnessing accretion phenomenon complex environment around the planet (disk material)

Prospects

