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Session Wrap-Up (Goodman)

Full Bios are on the handouts & online through iic.harvard.edu

# Seeing Science: Introduction Data & Dimensions

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**Medicine**:

My Pulse (bpm)

**72** 

**Genomics**:

Number of Nucleotides

4

Astronomy:

Speed of Light (mps)

186,283

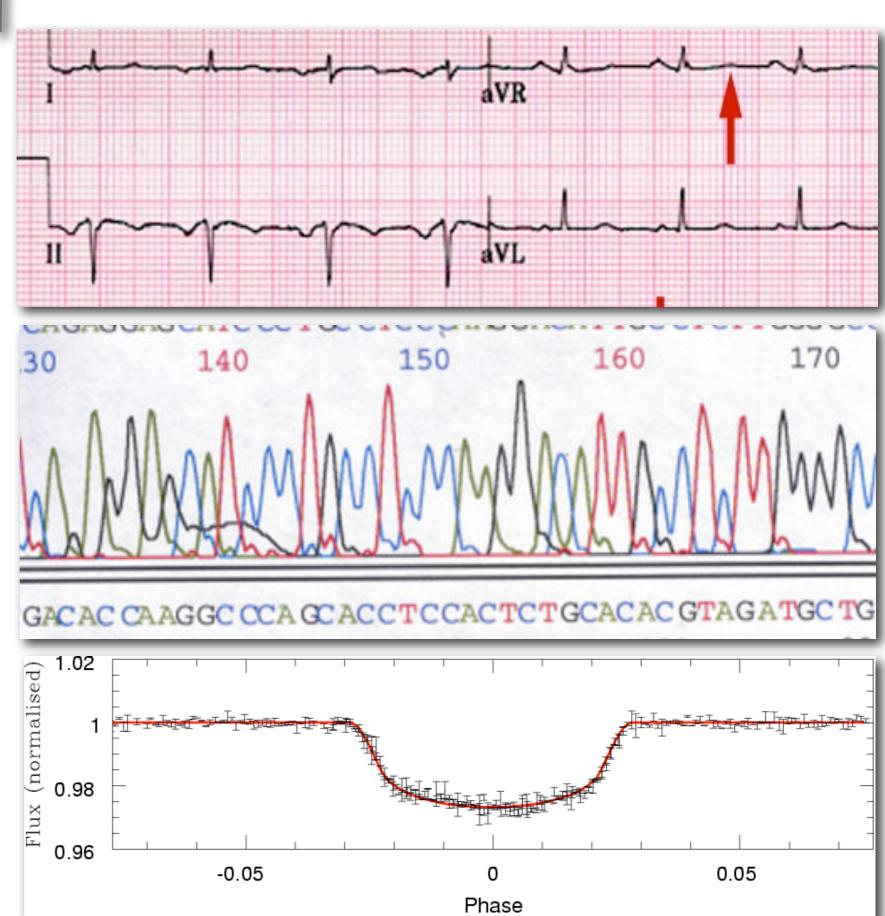
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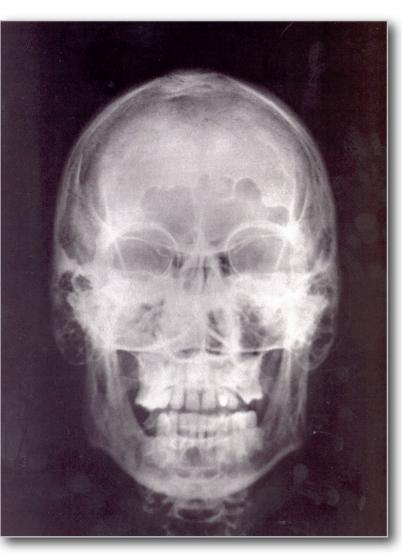
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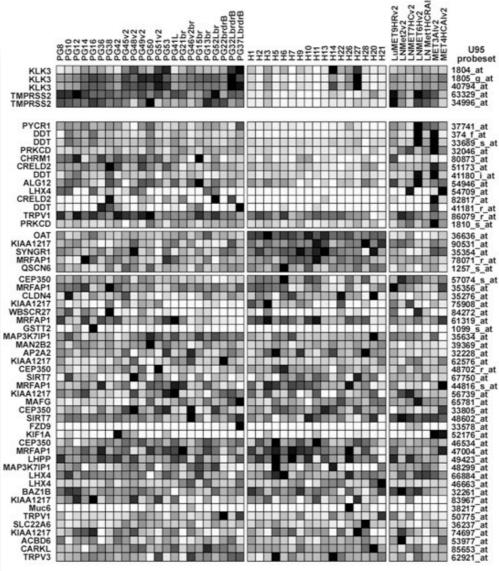
Medicine: Heart Rhythms

Genomics: DNA Sequence

Astronomy: Planet Transit





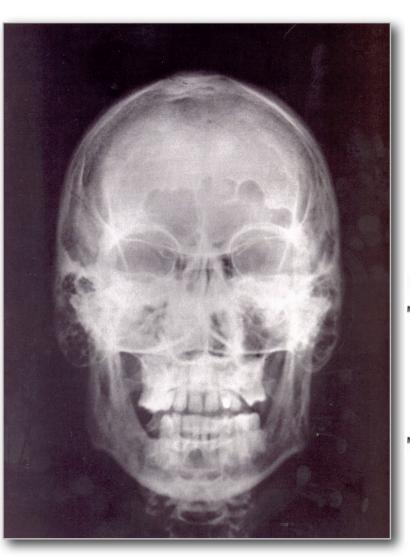


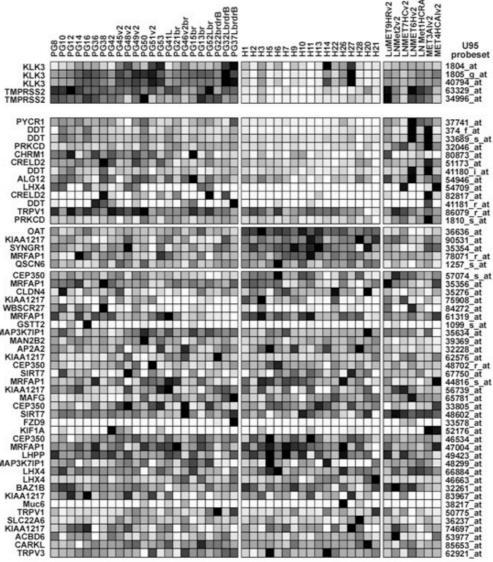


Medicine: X-Ray

Genomics: "Heatmap"

Astronomy: Photograph



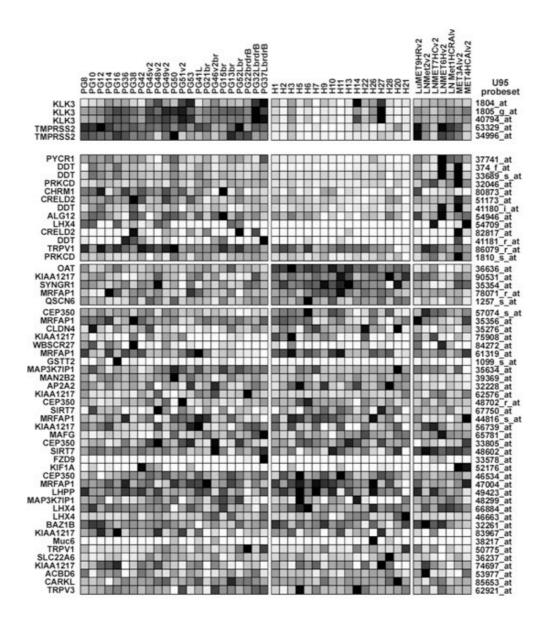


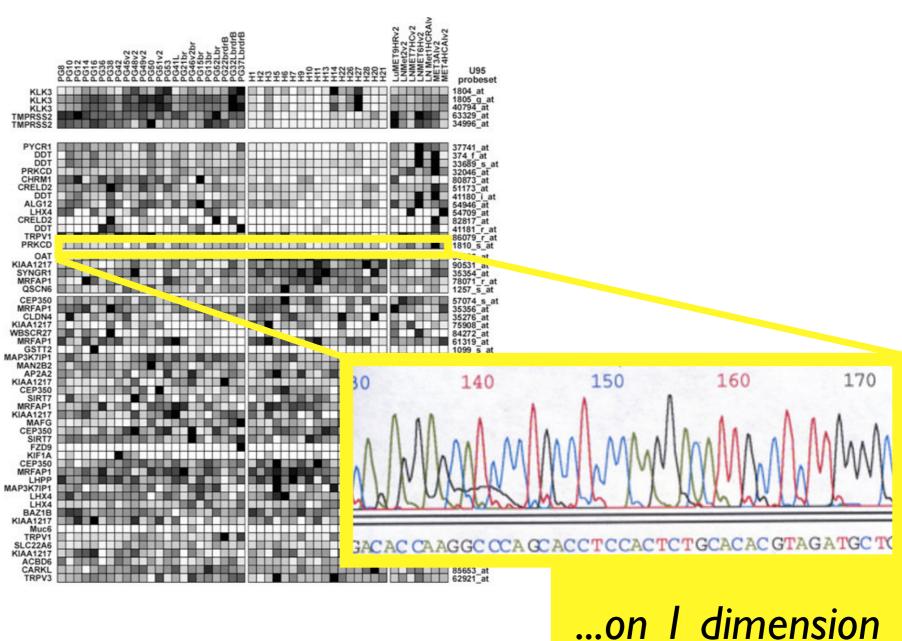


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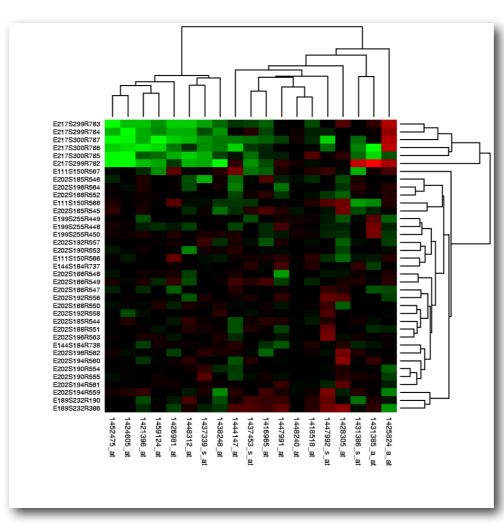
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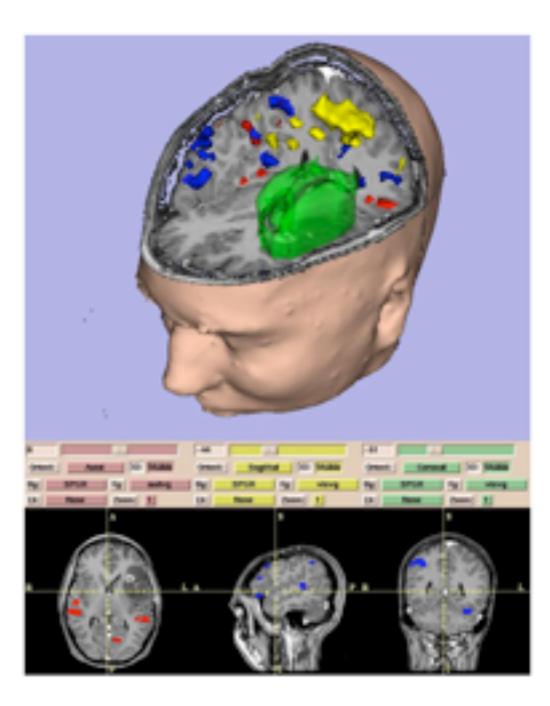




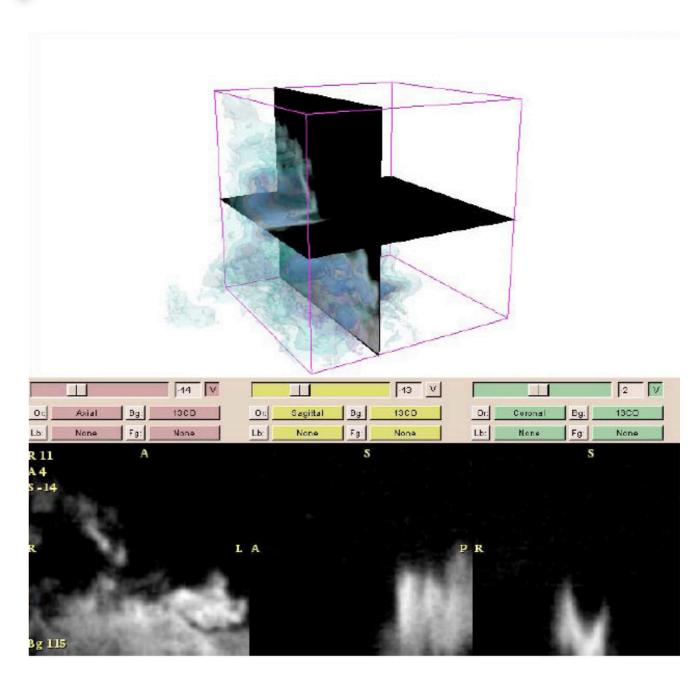
Medicine: Multimodal Imaging

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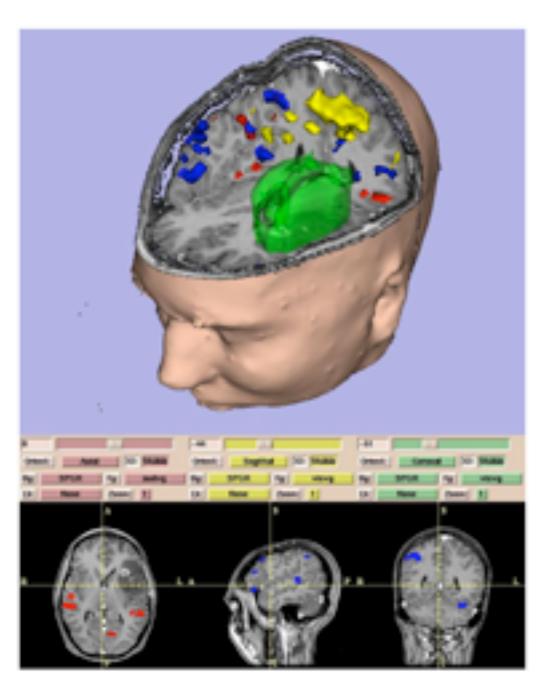
Astronomy: Color Photograph



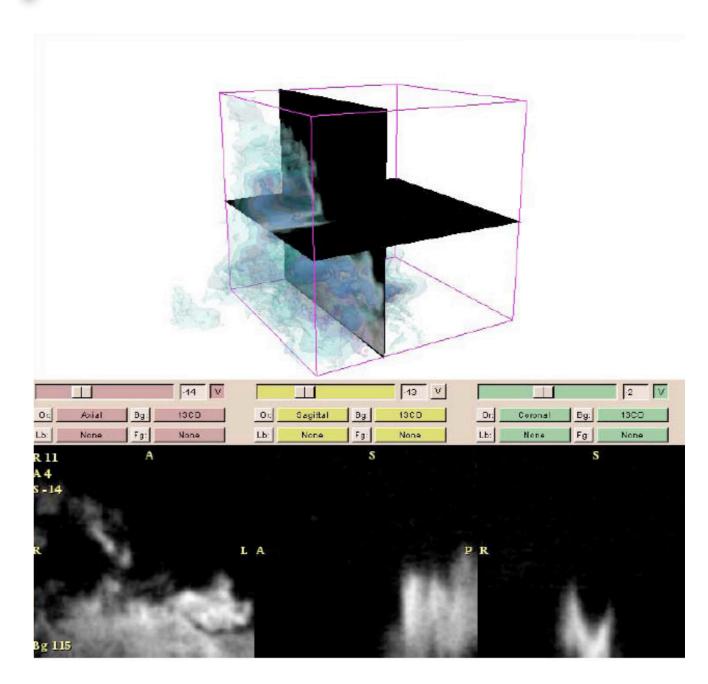
Medicine: **MRI** 



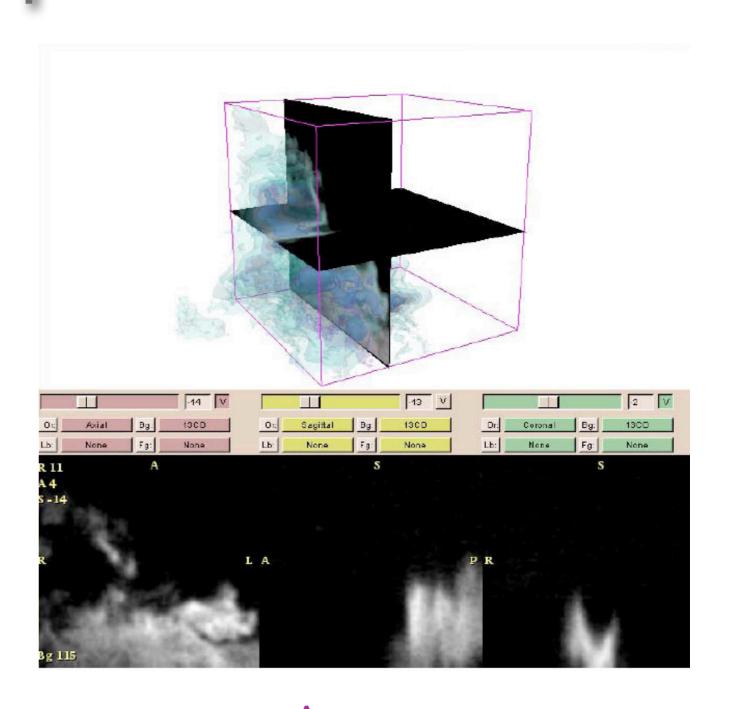
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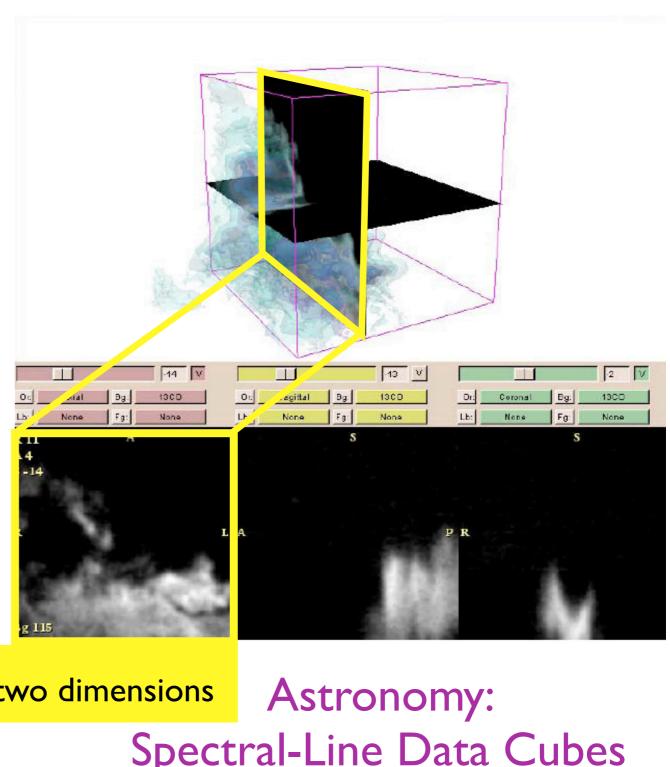
Medicine: **MRI** 



Astronomy: Spectral-Line Data Cubes

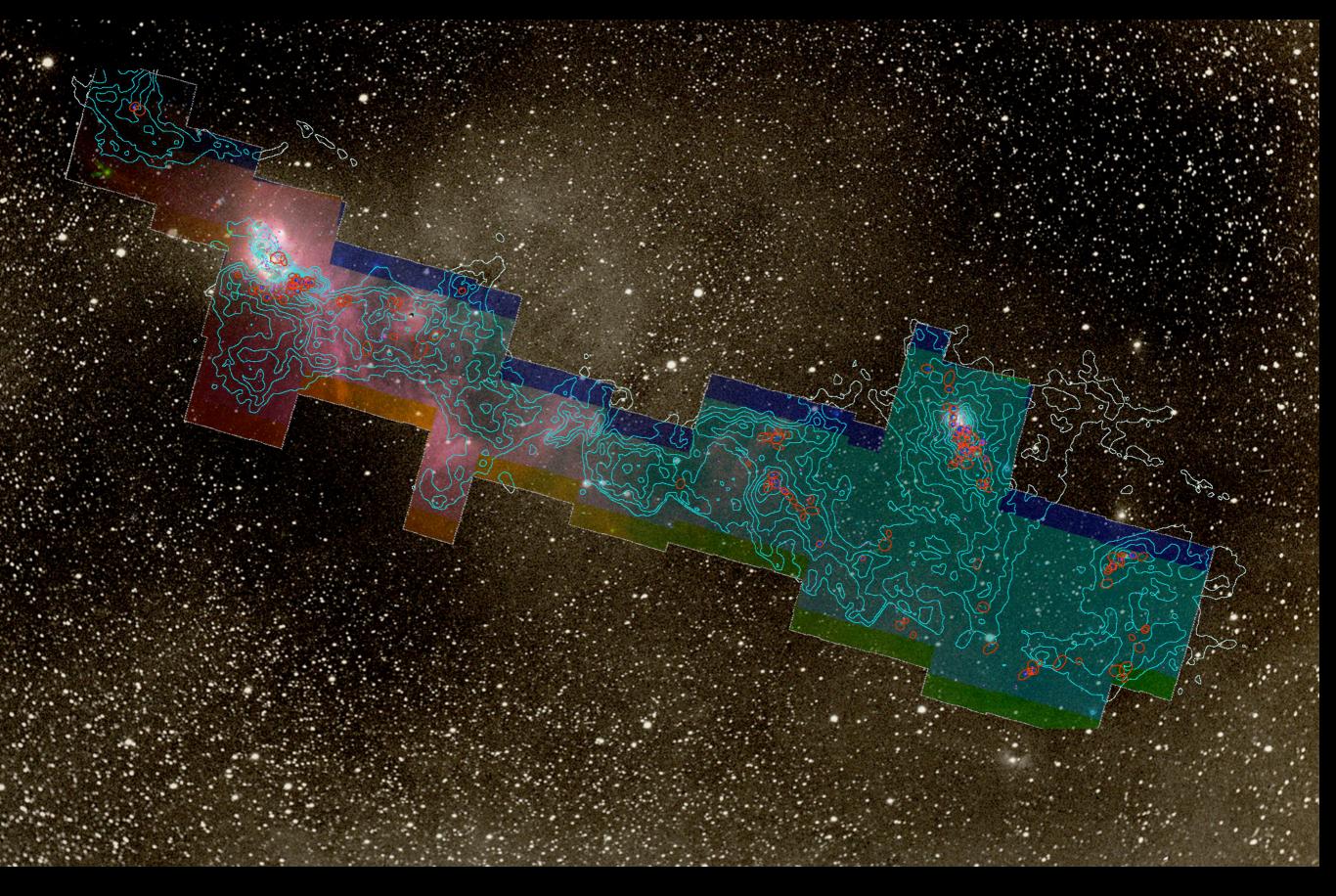


Astronomy: Spectral-Line Data Cubes



...in two dimensions

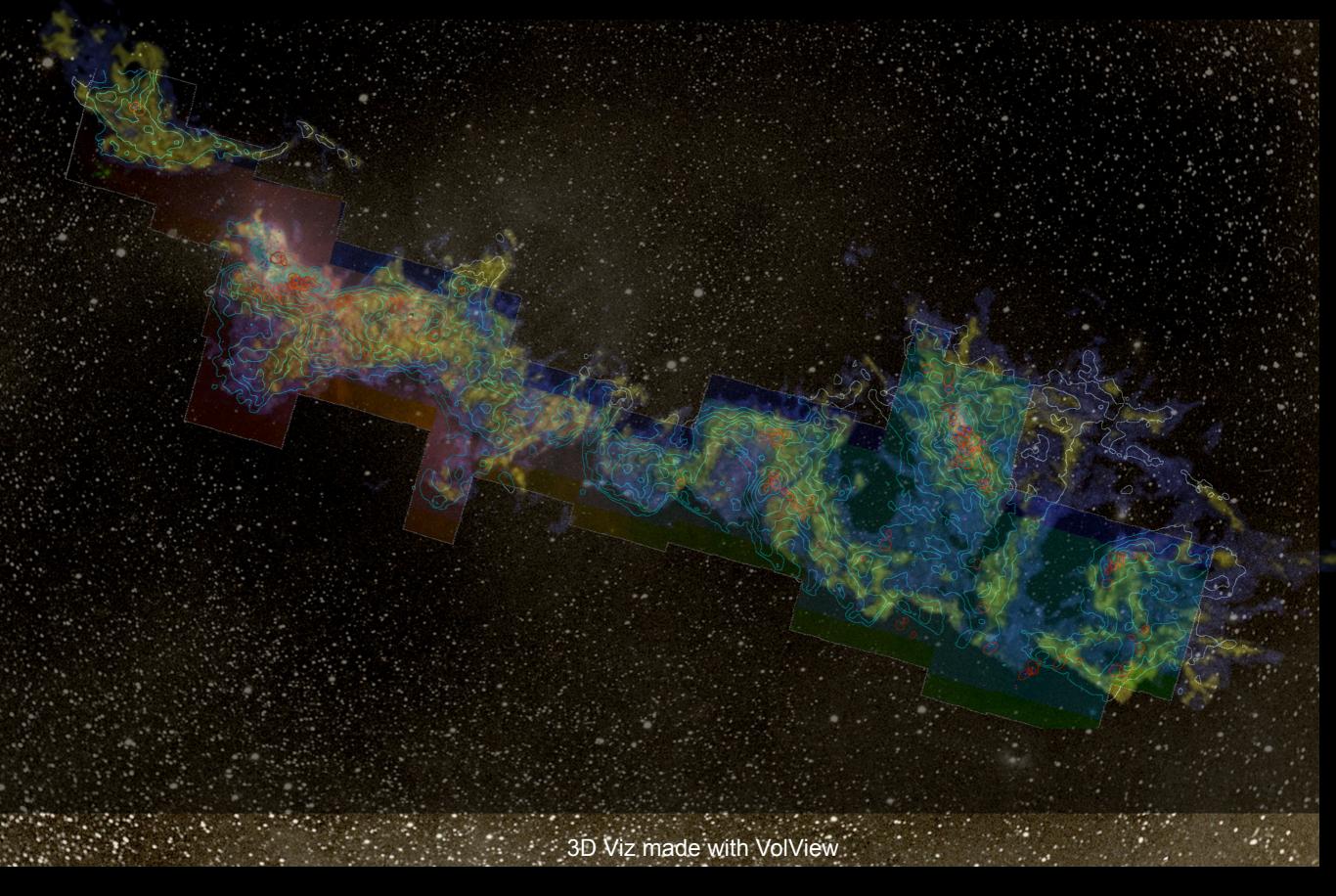
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Astronomical Medicine



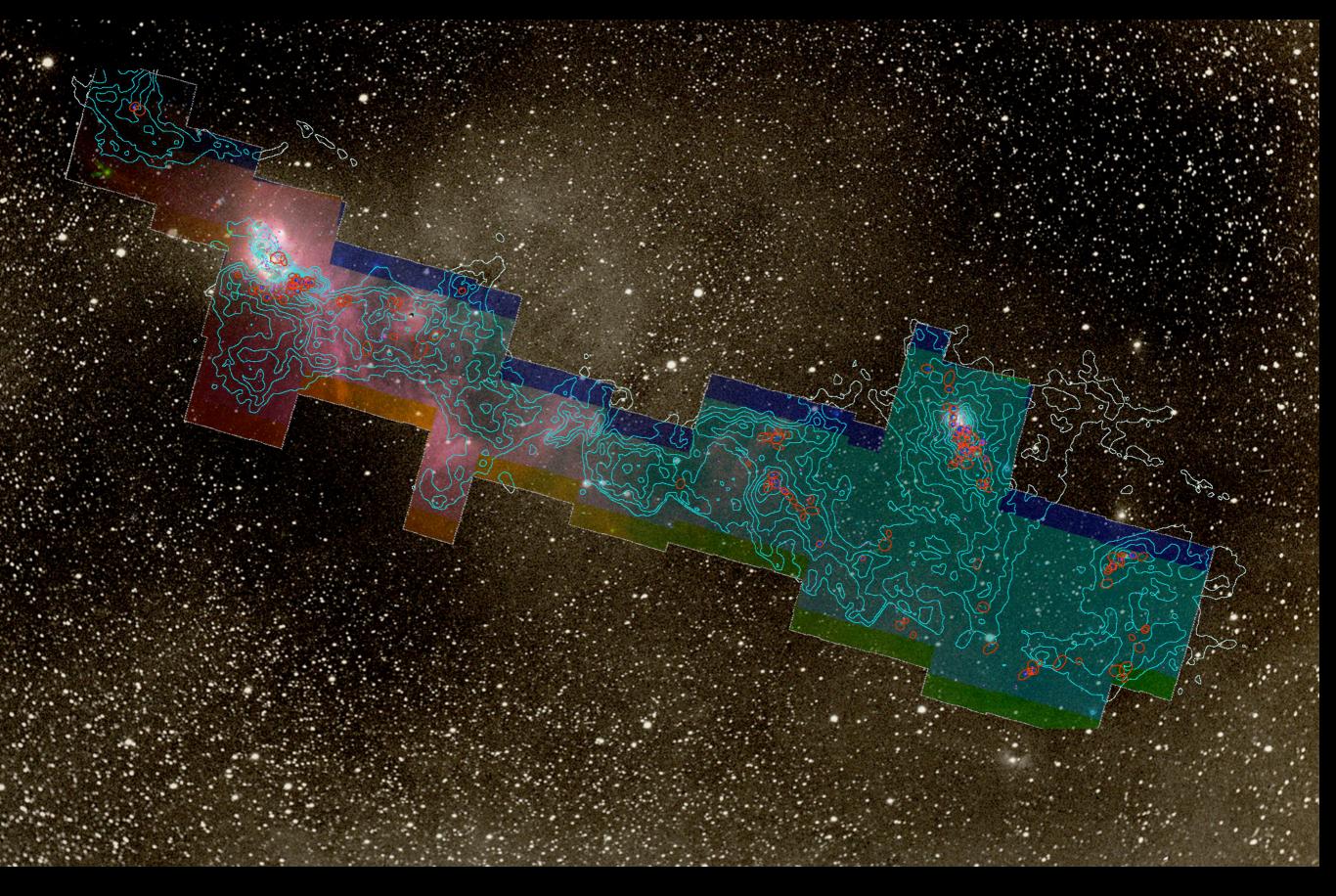
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Astronomical Medicine @ I C



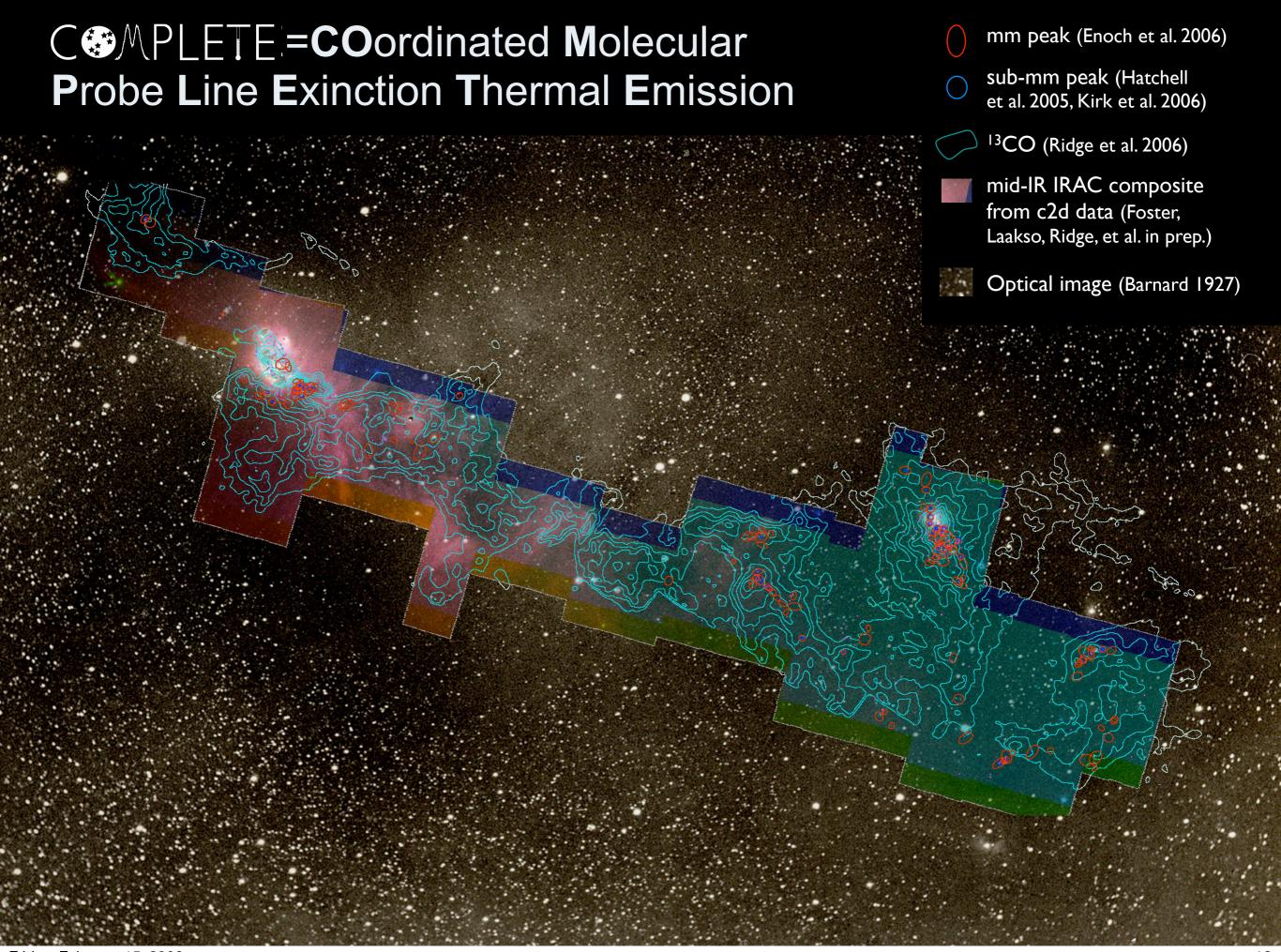
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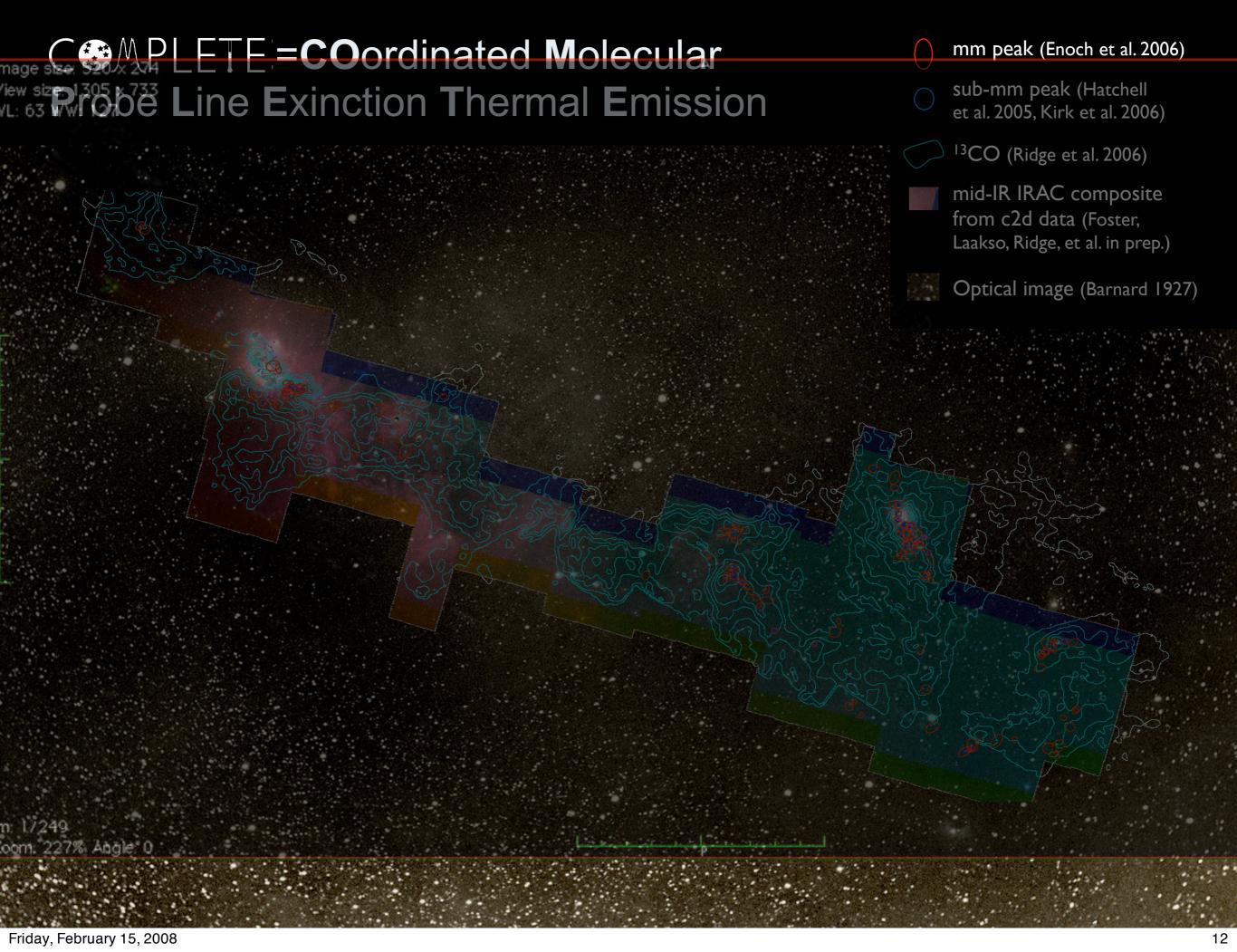


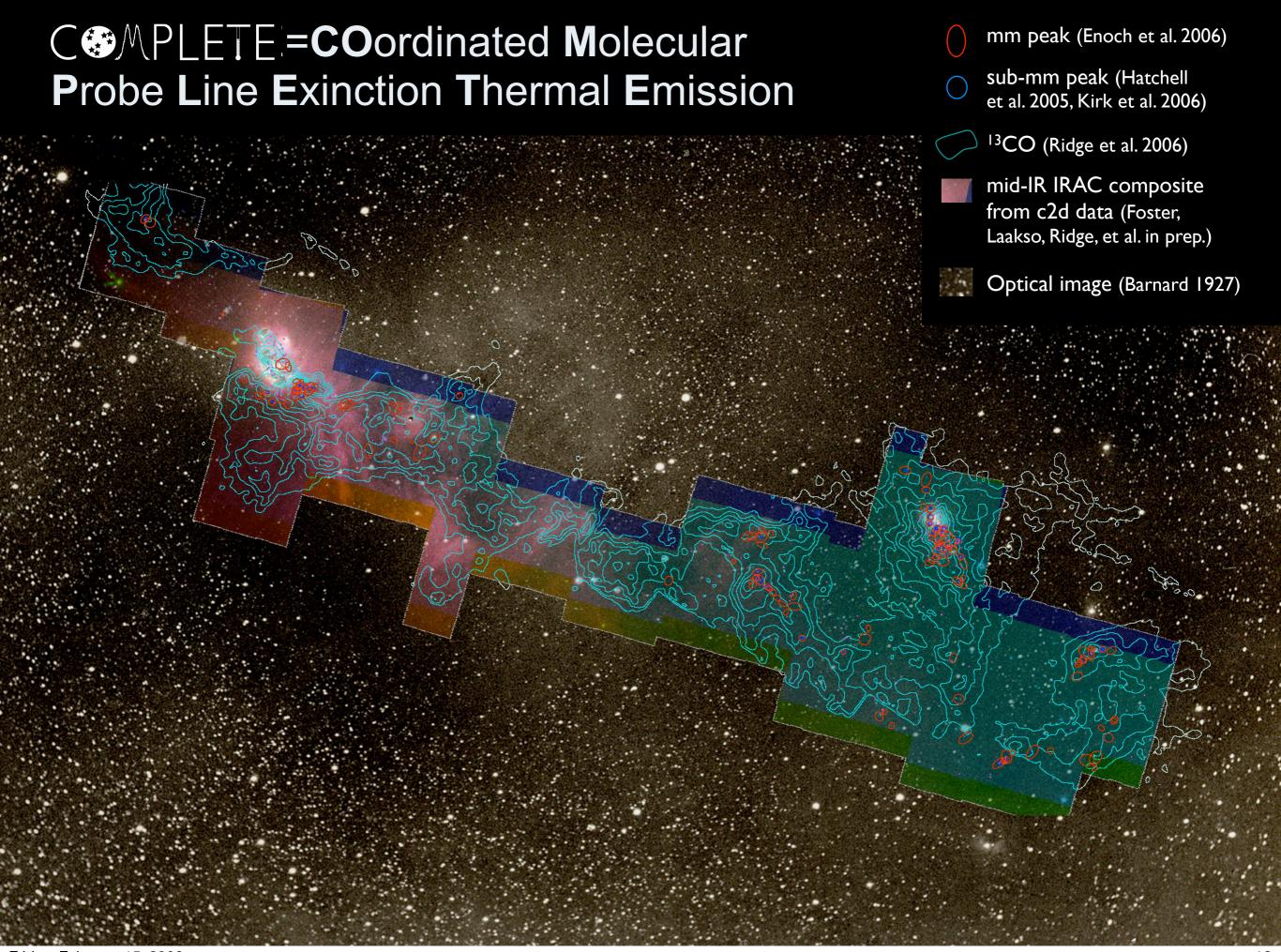
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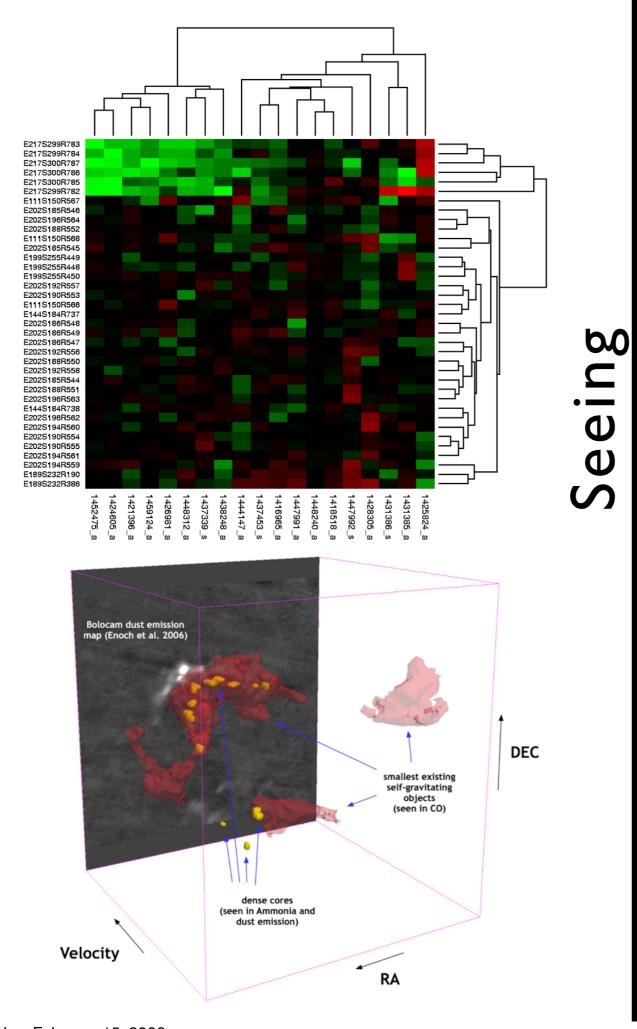


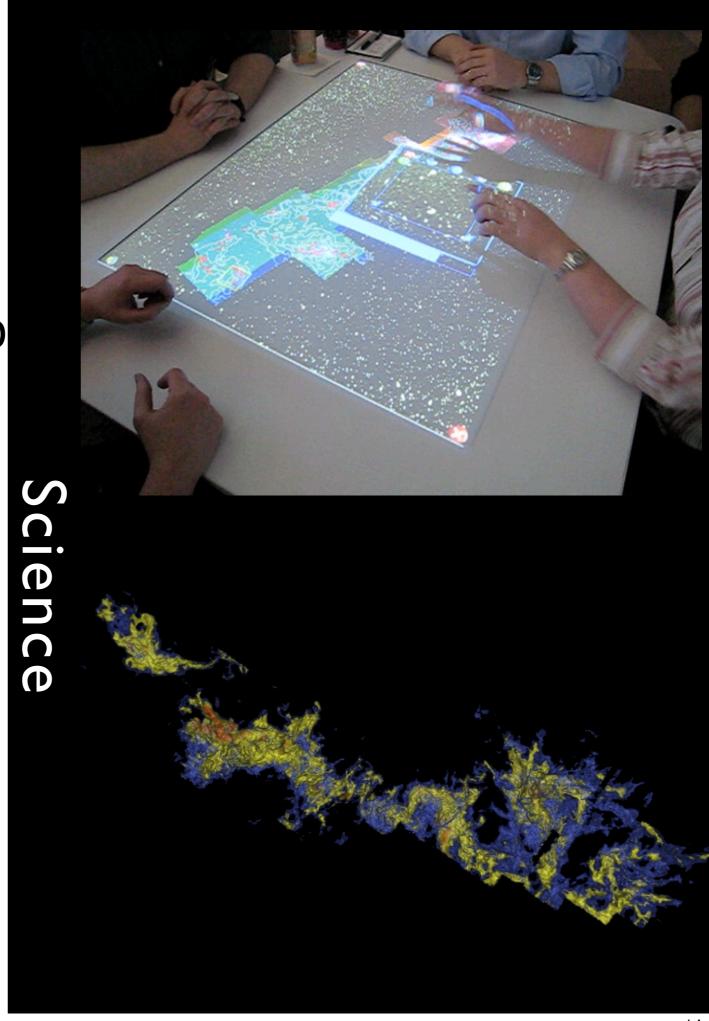






Medicine: Time-Resolved 3D Imaging





# Seeing Science (this morning & in the future)

- \* evolution of dimensions & data over time
- \* beyond 4D...
- \* too much data?
- \* analysis and statistics
- \* tools for display

## The Scientists' Discovery Room: Version 0.01



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