

Modeling of sgB[e] circumstellar disks

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The B[e] Phenomenon: Forty Years of Studies

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- Disk formation mechanisms still under debate - viscous disk $\times$ outflowing disk-forming wind? (Kraus+ 2007, 2010)

Basic hydrodynamics

Basic (magneto)hydrodynamics in conservative form:

- Continuity equation (mass conservation law)

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{V}) = 0$$

- Equation of motion (conservation of momentum, angular momentum)

$$\frac{\partial(\rho \vec{V})}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{V} \vec{V}) = -\vec{\nabla} p - \rho \vec{\nabla} \Phi + \frac{1}{\mu} (\vec{\nabla} \times \vec{B}) \times \vec{B} \quad (+\vec{f}_{\text{visc}} \dots)$$

- Energy equation

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial t} + \vec{\nabla} \cdot (E \vec{V}) = -\vec{\nabla} \cdot (\rho \vec{V}) \dots, \quad E = \left(\rho \epsilon + \frac{\rho V^2}{2} + \frac{B^2}{2\mu} \right)$$

- Induction equation

$$\frac{\partial \vec{B}}{\partial t} = \vec{\nabla} \times (\vec{V} \times \vec{B})$$

- Equations of state

$$p = (\gamma - 1) \left(E - \frac{\rho V^2}{2} - \frac{B^2}{2\mu} \right), \quad p = \rho a^2$$

Basic hydrodynamics

Determining equations of viscous disk structure

- Integrated disk column (surface) density $\Sigma = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \rho dz$

- Shear viscous stress

$$\sigma_{R\phi} \approx \eta \frac{dV_{\phi}}{dR} \approx \nu \Sigma \frac{dV_{\phi}}{dR} \approx \alpha a \lambda \Sigma \frac{dV_{\phi}}{dR}, \quad \eta = f \rho \lambda V_{\text{turb}}$$

- Kinematic viscosity ν , viscosity parameter α (Shakura & Sunyaev 1972)

$$\nu = \eta / \rho \sim \lambda V_{\text{turb}} \approx \alpha a \lambda, \quad \alpha = V_{\text{turb}} / a$$

- Parameterization of temperature and viscosity:

$$T = T(R_{\text{eq}}) \left(\frac{R_{\text{eq}}}{R} \right)^p, \quad \alpha = \alpha(R_{\text{eq}}) \left(\frac{R_{\text{eq}}}{R} \right)^n$$

- The full second order ϕ component of viscosity ($\partial/\partial\phi = 0$, $\partial/\partial z = 0$):

$$\sigma_{R\phi} = -\frac{1}{R^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial R} \left(\alpha a^2 R^3 \Sigma \frac{\partial \ln V_{\phi}}{\partial R} - \alpha a^2 R^2 \Sigma \right)$$

1-D hydrodynamic modeling of circumstellar viscous disks

- Time-dependent 1-D hydrodynamic calculations using own MHD code (Kurfürst, Feldmeier & Krtićka 2014)
- In the models we recognize the wave that converges the initial state to the final stationary state

Left panel: disk of classical Be star,
 $M=14.5 M_{\odot}$, $R=5.8 R_{\odot}$, $T_{\text{eff}} = 30 \text{ kK}$

Right panel: disk of sgB[e] star,
 $M=40 M_{\odot}$, $R=75 R_{\odot}$, $T_{\text{eff}} = 20 \text{ kK}$

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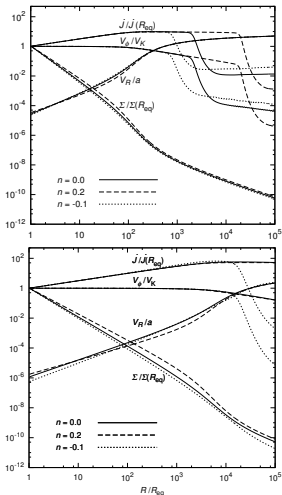
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- In supersonic region - a shock wave with propagation speed $D = a\sqrt{\Sigma_1/\Sigma_0}$
- The shock propagation time $t_{\text{dyn}} \approx R/D = 0.3R/a$ - the disk evolution time
- Corresponding disk viscous time $t_{\text{visc}} = \int_{R_{\text{eq}}}^R V_{\phi} dR/(\alpha a^2)$

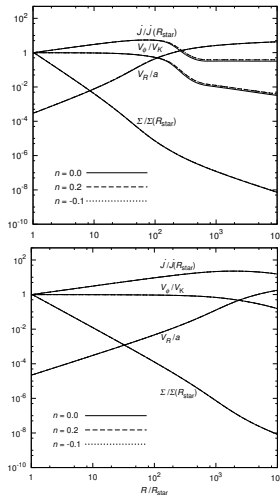
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B0 star



$T_{\text{eff}} = 30 \text{ kK}$
 $\log g \approx 2.1$
 $V_{\text{crit}} \approx 560 \text{ km/s}$

sgB[e] star

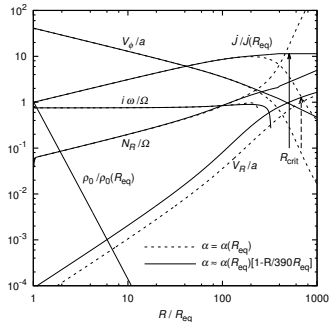
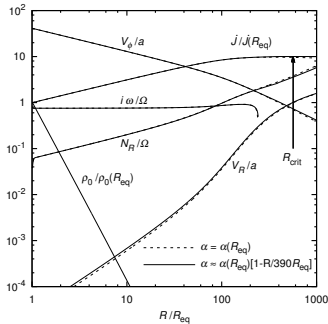


$T_{\text{eff}} = 20 \text{ kK}$
 $\log g \approx 0.4$
 $V_{\text{crit}} \approx 250 \text{ km/s}$

- Upper panels: $T = 0.6 T_{\text{eff}}$, lower panels: $T \sim 0.6 T_{\text{eff}} R^{-0.4}$
- $\alpha(R_{\star}) = 0.025$ (Penna+ 2012), $\alpha \sim R^{-n}$
- Sonic point radius dependence on T profile, in sgB[e] disk significantly lower

1-D calculations of disk magnetorotational instability

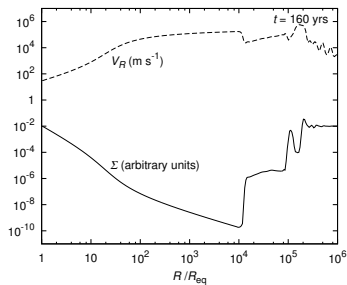
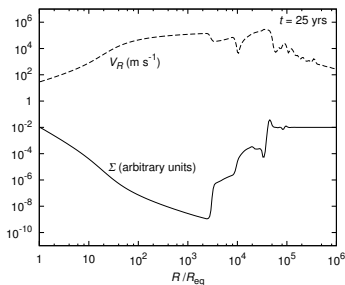
- Powerful shearing instability (Balbus & Hawley 2003) - main source of anomalous viscosity in Be star disks (cf. talk of J. Krtićka)
- Is it true also in sgB[e] disks? (cf. Kraus+ 2007)
- MS B3 star, $T_{\text{eff}} = 20 \text{ kK}$, $T = 0.6 T_{\text{eff}}$, $\alpha \approx 0.1 (1 - R/390R_{\text{eq}})$ (Krtićka+ 2015)



- Left panel: inner boundary viscosity $\alpha(R_{\text{eq}}) = 0.025$, right panel: $\alpha(R_{\text{eq}} = 0.1)$
- Magnetorotational instability calculated in the disk midplane ($N_z = 0$)
- In Keplerian region MRI frequency $\omega = 3/4 i\Omega$
- The radius where MRI instability vanishes increases with decreasing viscosity

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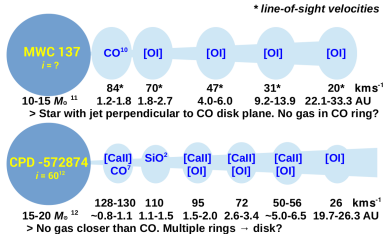
- Models with very low constant initial density
- B-type star, $T_{\text{eff}} = 25\,000\text{ K}$, $V_{\text{eq}} \approx 300\text{ km s}^{-1}$
- Σ_{ini} is of a very low constant value throughout the entire isothermal disk with constant viscosity $\alpha = 0.025$
- Snapshots of evolved radial profiles of the disk Σ and V_R in two different times



- Rarefaction wave propagates radially with time (cf. Kurfürst+ 2014)
- The gas is moved to the edge of the unperturbed ISM
- Density bumps at the edge of ISM - bow shocks ?

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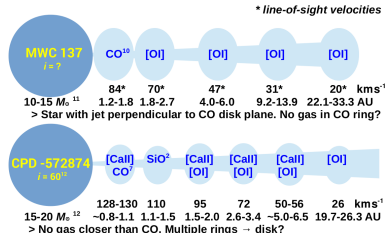
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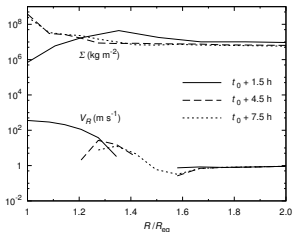
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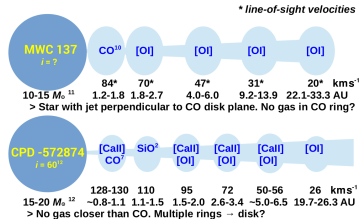
- Model with stellar radial pulsations: $V_\phi(R_{\text{eq}})(t) = \frac{\sqrt{GM_* R_{\text{eq}}}}{R_{\text{eq}} + (\delta R_{\text{eq}}) \sin \omega t}$



- ω corresponds to $P \geq 0.25$ d (6 hours) and $\delta R_{\text{eq}} = 0.1 R_{\text{eq}}$
- Pulsations in Σ and V_R up to 2-3 stellar radii, otherwise they rapidly decrease
- Three different times of Σ and V_R waves

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- Models with subcritically rotating star
- The model with sgB[e] star parameters: $V_\phi(R_\star) = 90\%$ of V_{crit} , $\alpha \geq 0.5$

- The material may fall inwards and increase the angular momentum of the inner disk

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- May these waves explain the rings?
- Probably **not** since no significant radial motion is detected (priv. comm. with G. Maravelias)
- Black line denotes the density in case of V_{crit}

2-D hydrodynamic modeling

Time-dependent 2-D calculations

- Calculation of vertical hydrodynamic and thermal structure of the disk
- Vertical hydrostatic equilibrium in the thin disk ($z \ll R$):

$$\rho \approx \rho_0 \exp\left(-\frac{z^2}{2H^2}\right), \text{ where } \rho_0 \text{ is the disk midplane density}$$

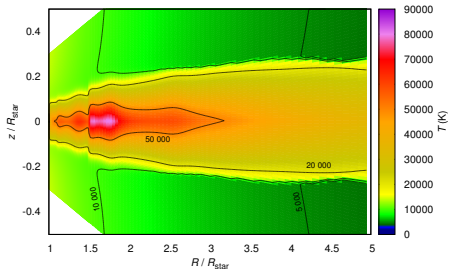
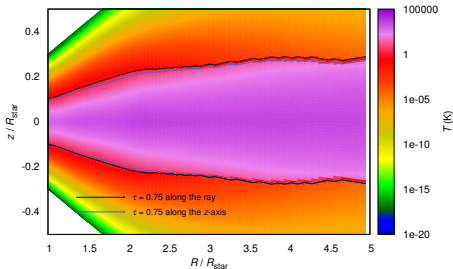
- Vertical scale height: $H = aR/V_\phi$, $\Sigma \approx \sqrt{2\pi}\rho_0 H$.
- Vertical thermal equilibrium:

$$\frac{dT}{dz} = \nabla \frac{T}{p} \frac{dp}{dz}, \quad \nabla = d \ln T / d \ln p, \quad \nabla_{\text{rad}} = \frac{3\kappa_p}{16\sigma T^4} \frac{F_z}{g_z}$$

- Including convection $\nabla_{\text{rad}} > \nabla_{\text{ad}}$ and satisfying the condition $F_z = 0$ at $z = 0$, we obtain the vertical temperature distribution (Lee+ 1991)

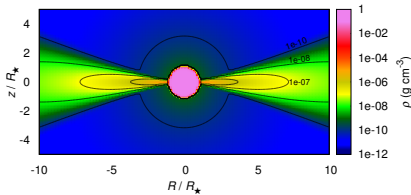
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- Time-dependent 2-D calculations, $\dot{M}_{\text{disk}} = 10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{yr}^{-1}$ (Kraus+ 2007)
- 2-D calculation of disk temperature structure, vertical thermal and LTE radiative equilibrium, electron and Kramers opacity, stellar oblateness taken into account
- Optical depth in stellar direction $> 0.75 \rightarrow$ no penetration of irradiative flux
- left panel: profile of disk optical depth up to 5 stellar radii
- right panel: disk temperature profile up to the same distance



2-D hydrodynamic modeling

- Time-dependent 2-D calculation of adiabatic interaction between SN ejecta and circumstellar disk, $\dot{M}_{\text{disk}} = 10^{-5} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$ (Kraus+ 2007)
- SN progenitor: sgB[e] star, $M=40 M_{\odot}$, $R=75 R_{\odot}$, time of simulation: 50 hrs



initial density profile

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[SN_CSM_interaction_density.mp4](#)

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Conclusions

- The disk **spreading velocity** is in sgB[e] viscous disk model by order of magnitude lower than in classical Be disks.
- The disk **base radial velocity** is in the sgB[e] disk model significantly higher than in classical Be disks, the **sonic point radius** is significantly lower
- **MRI** is the main source of **anomalous viscosity** in Be disks. In sgB[e] disks this may be caused by other type of turbulence
- **Disk or rings?** Rings as a result of stellar pulsations or subcritical rotation with high α parameter? Or anything else?
- The substantial contribution of the viscous heating in the dense and optically thick inner disk region
- Significantly **bipolar SN ejecta expansion** due to the dense disk equatorial obstacle