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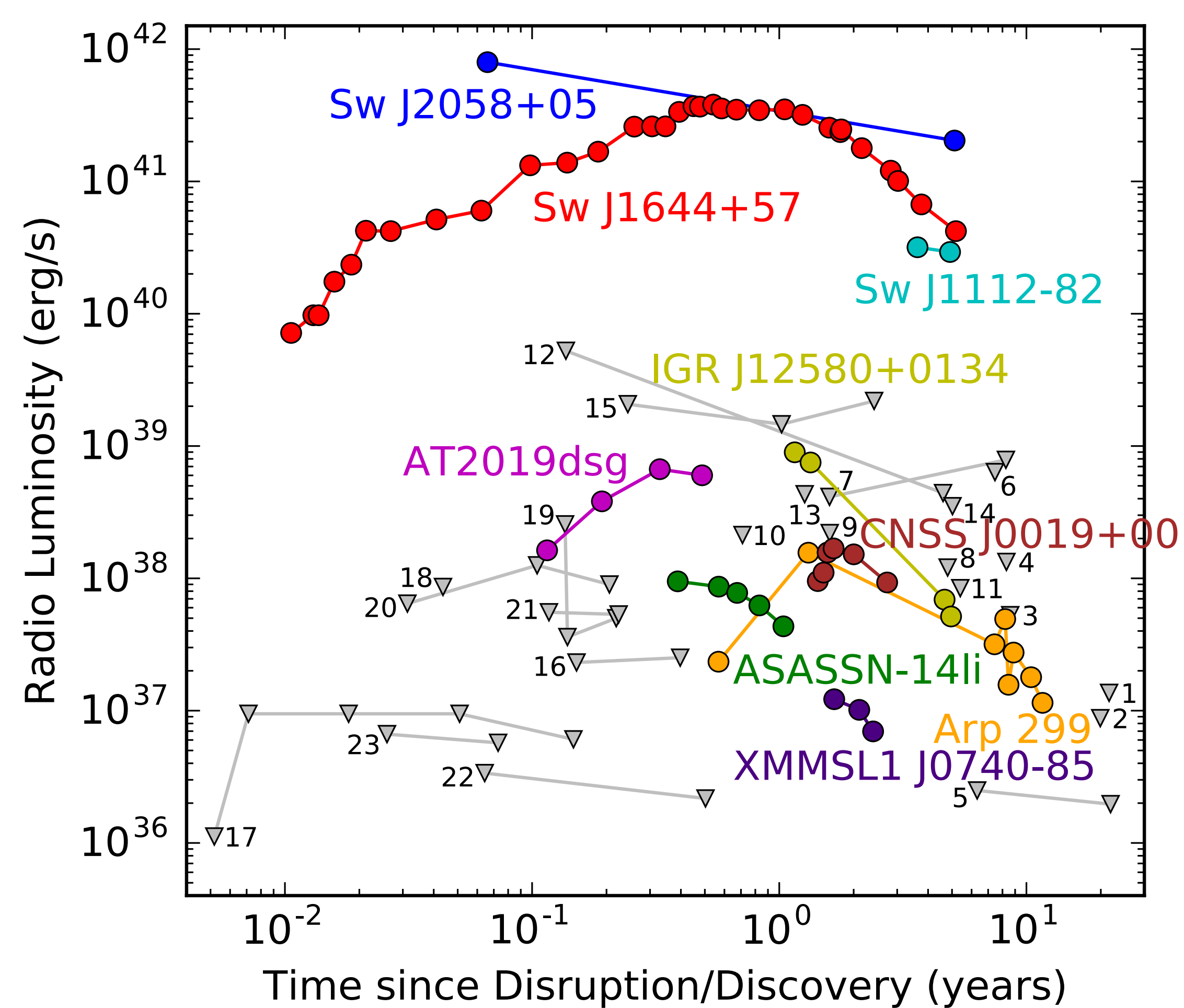
Late-time Radio Emission in Tidal Disruption Events

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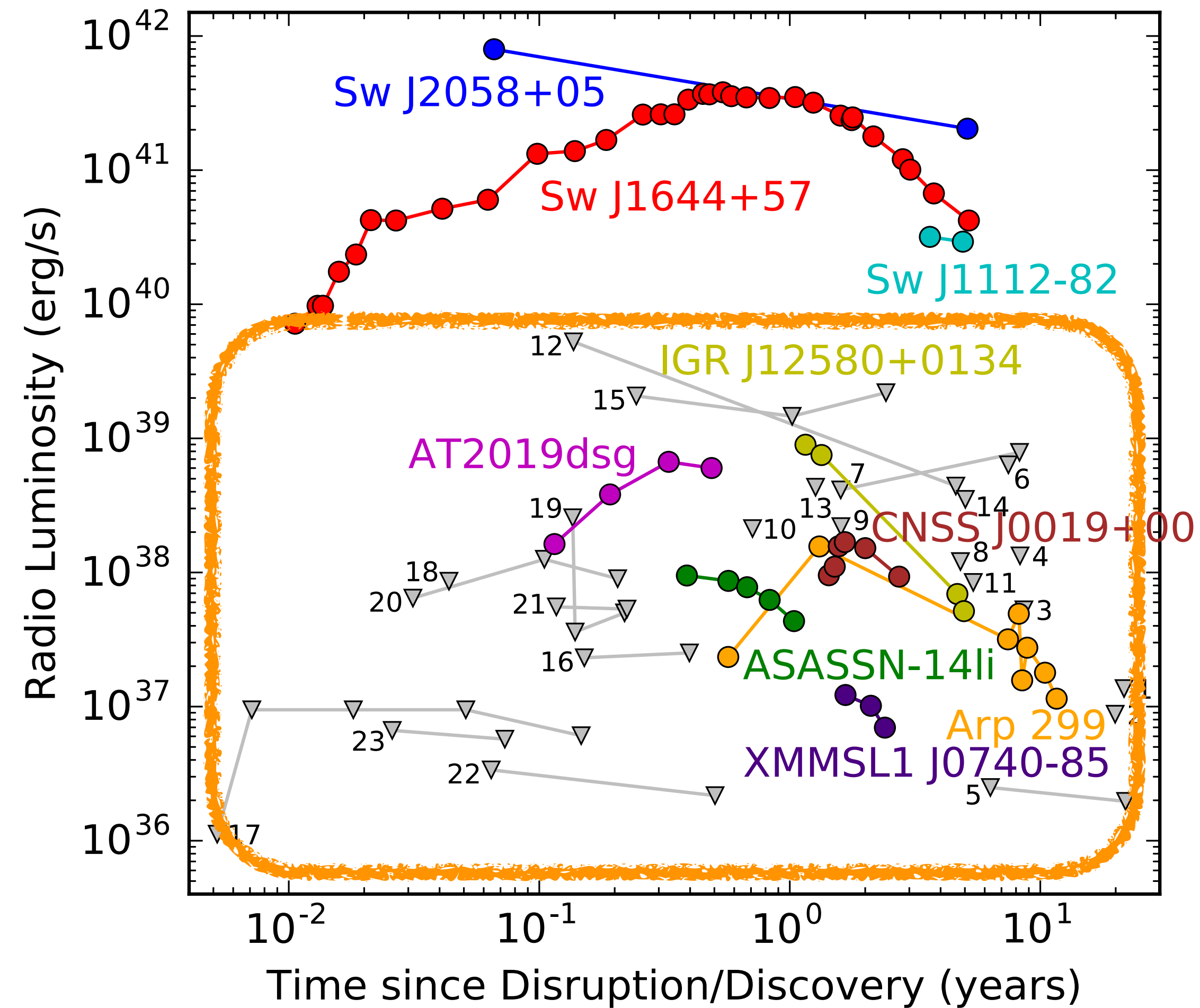
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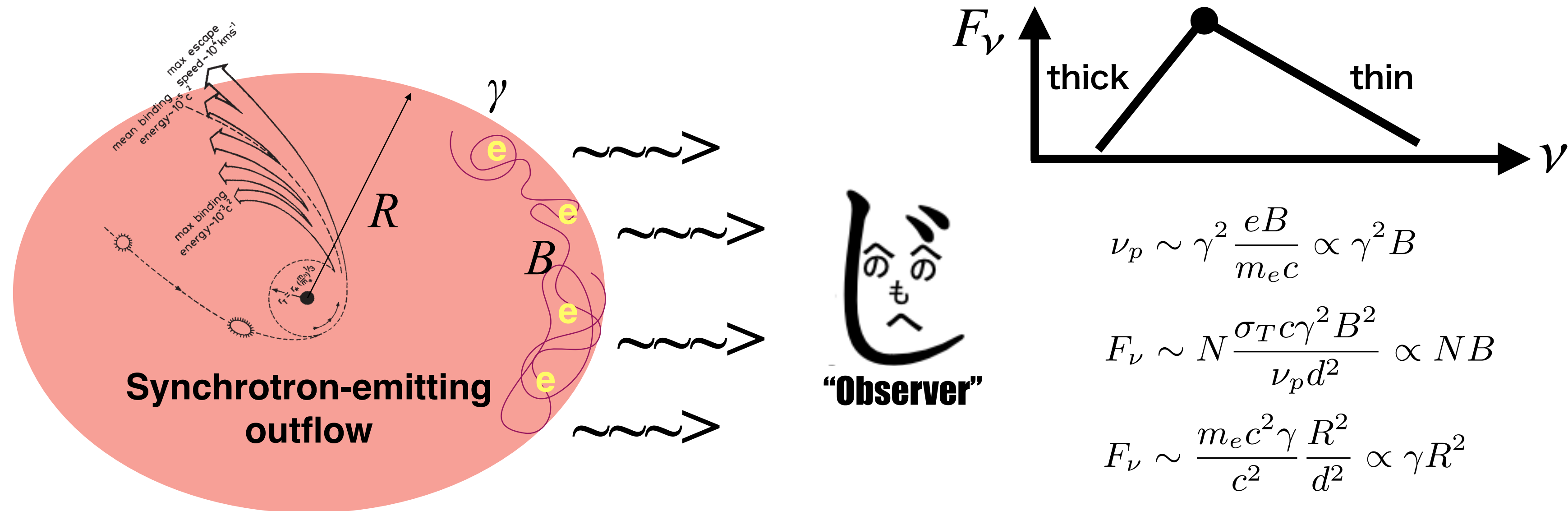
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Alexander+20

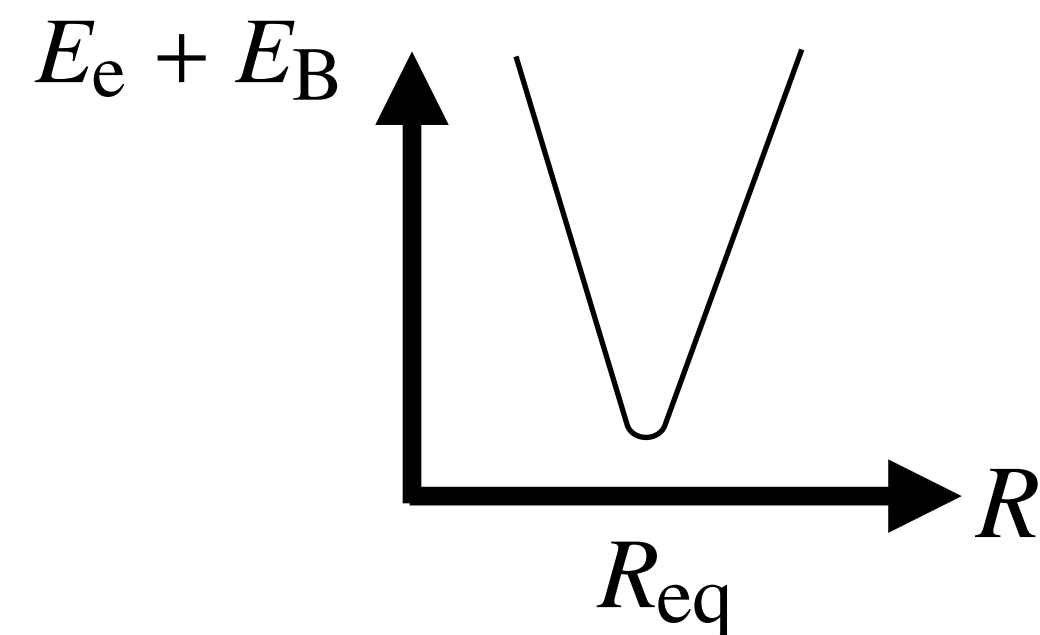


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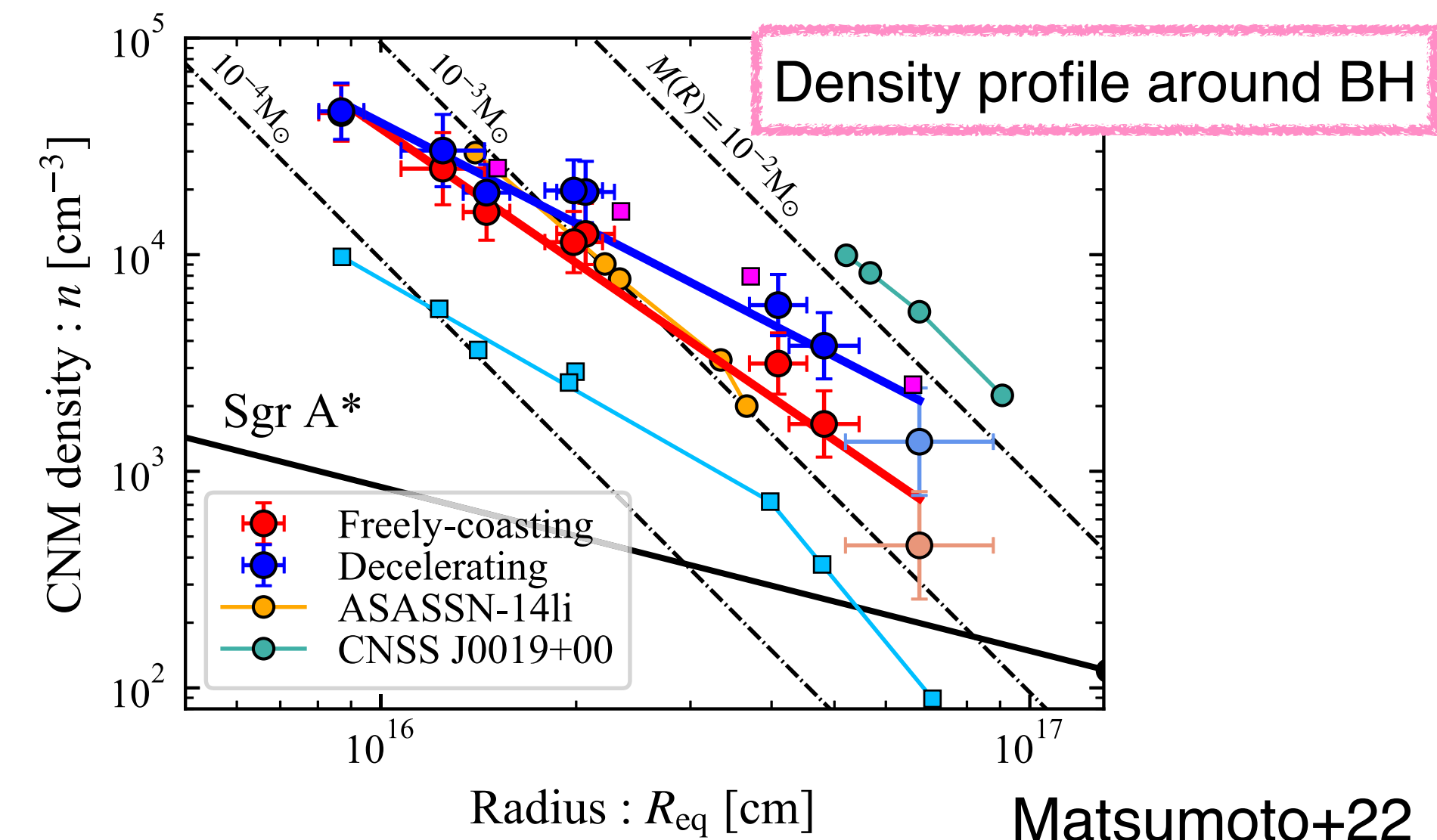
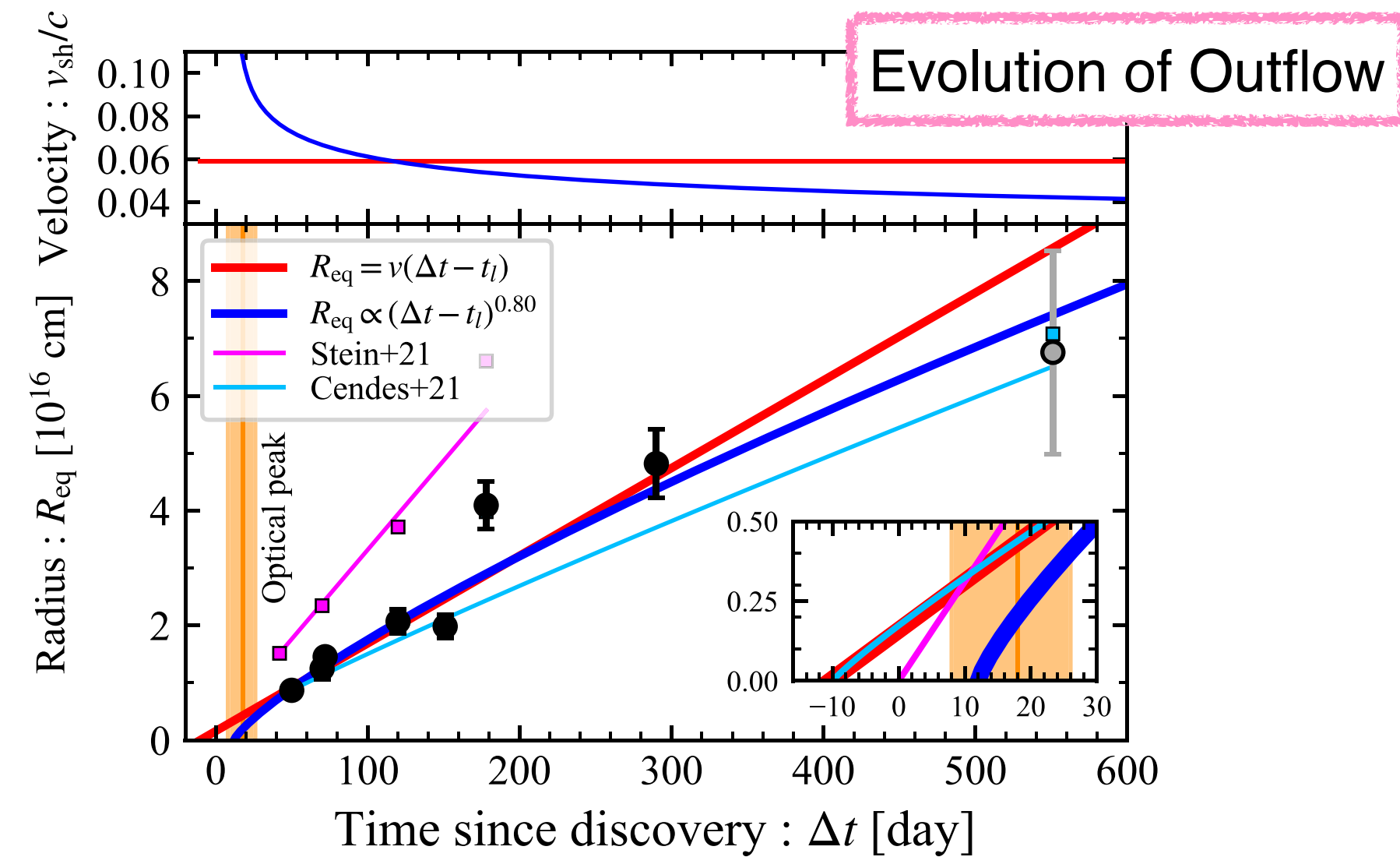
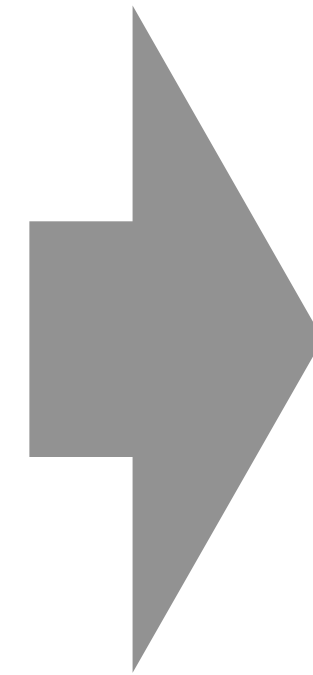
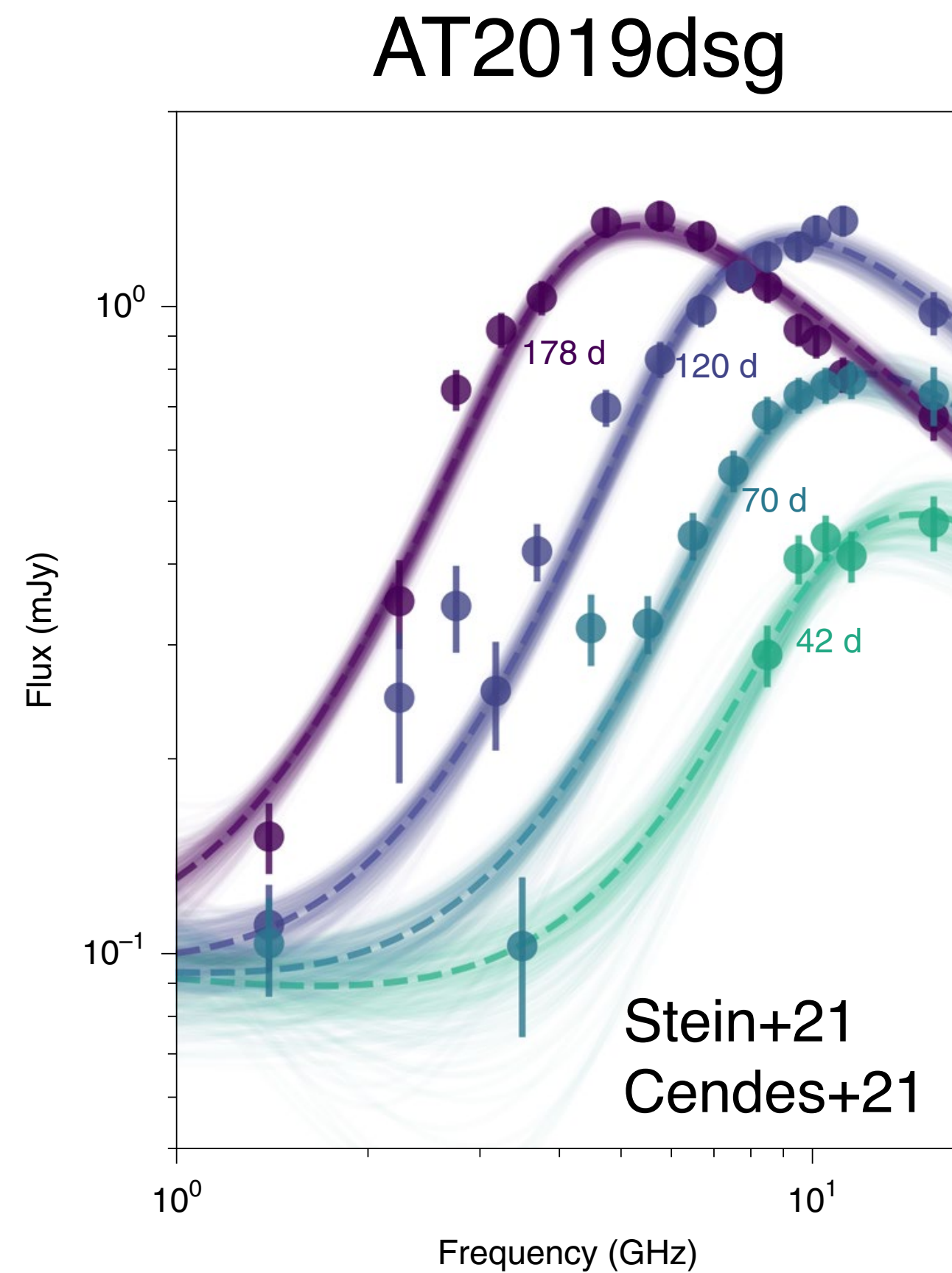
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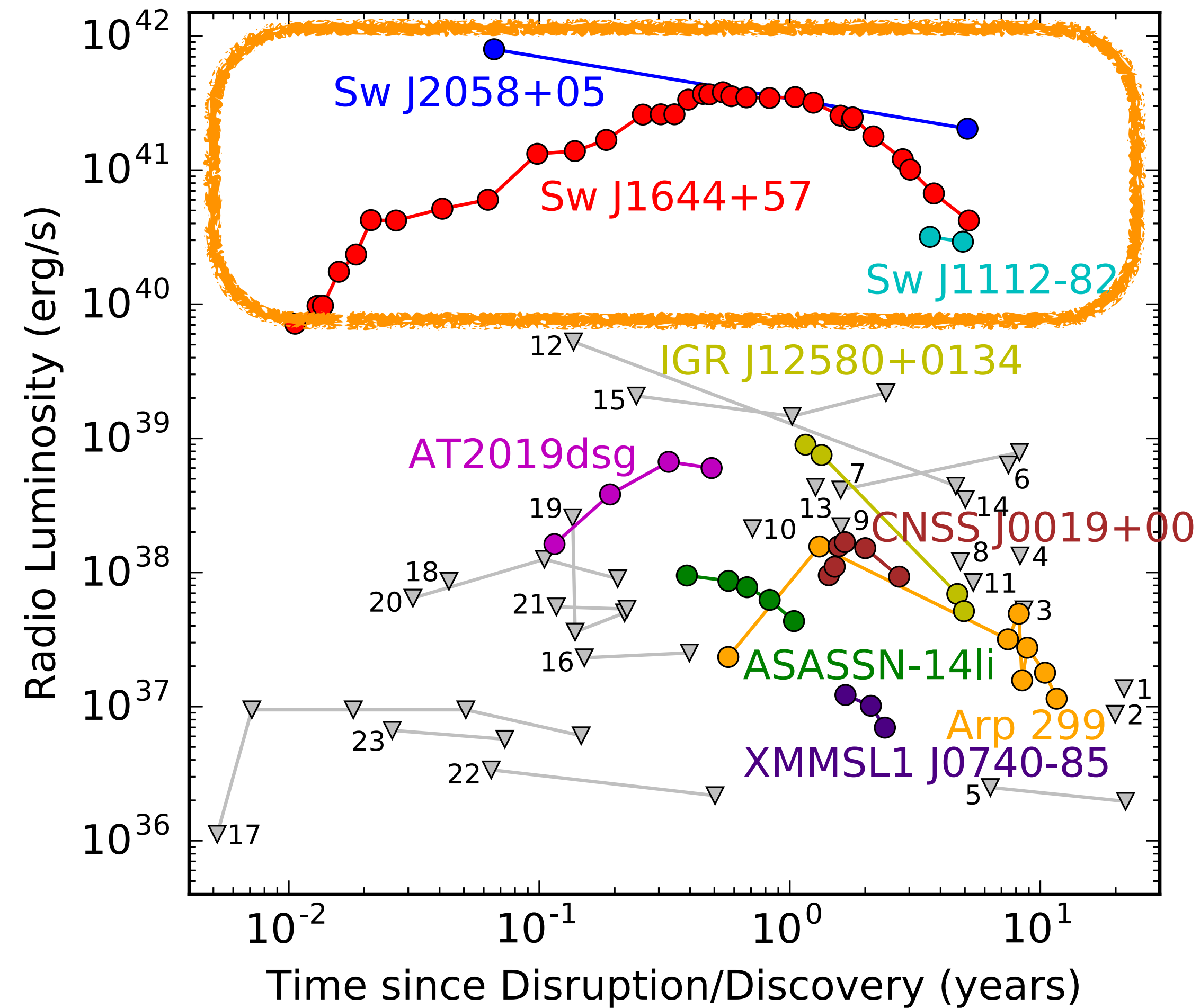
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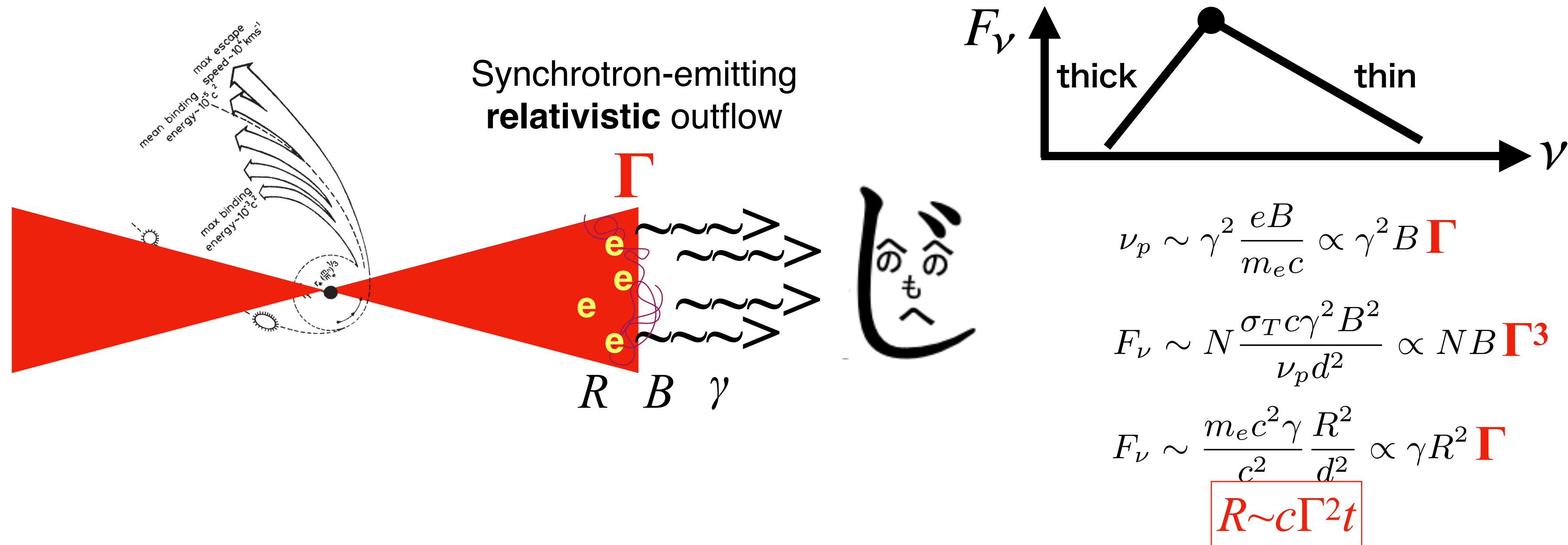
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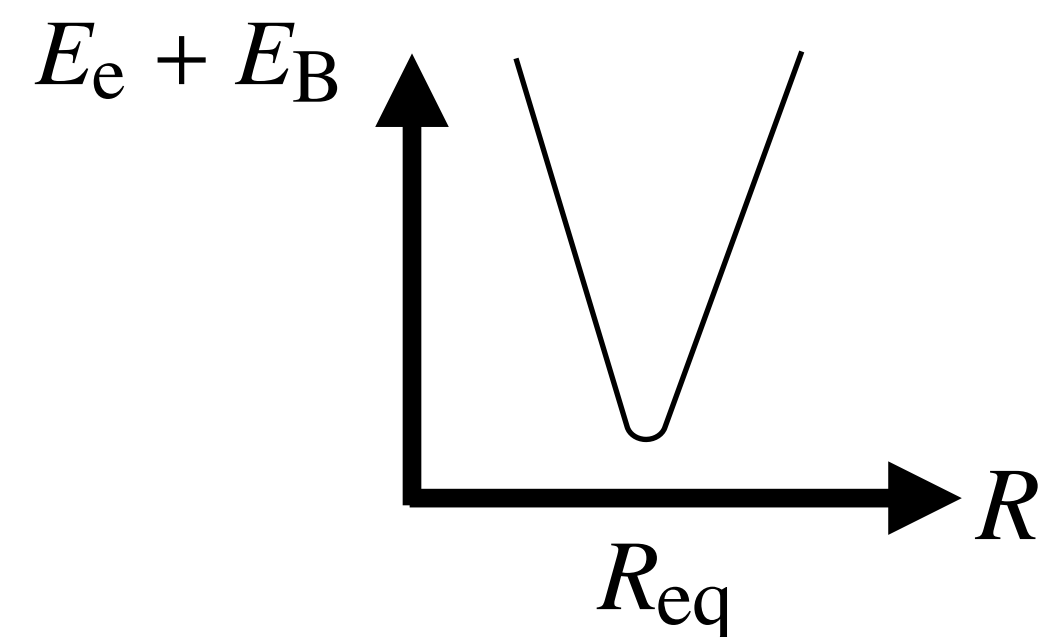


Synchrotron emission => Probe of Outflow + Environment

Radio in TDEs: Relativistic equipartition analysis



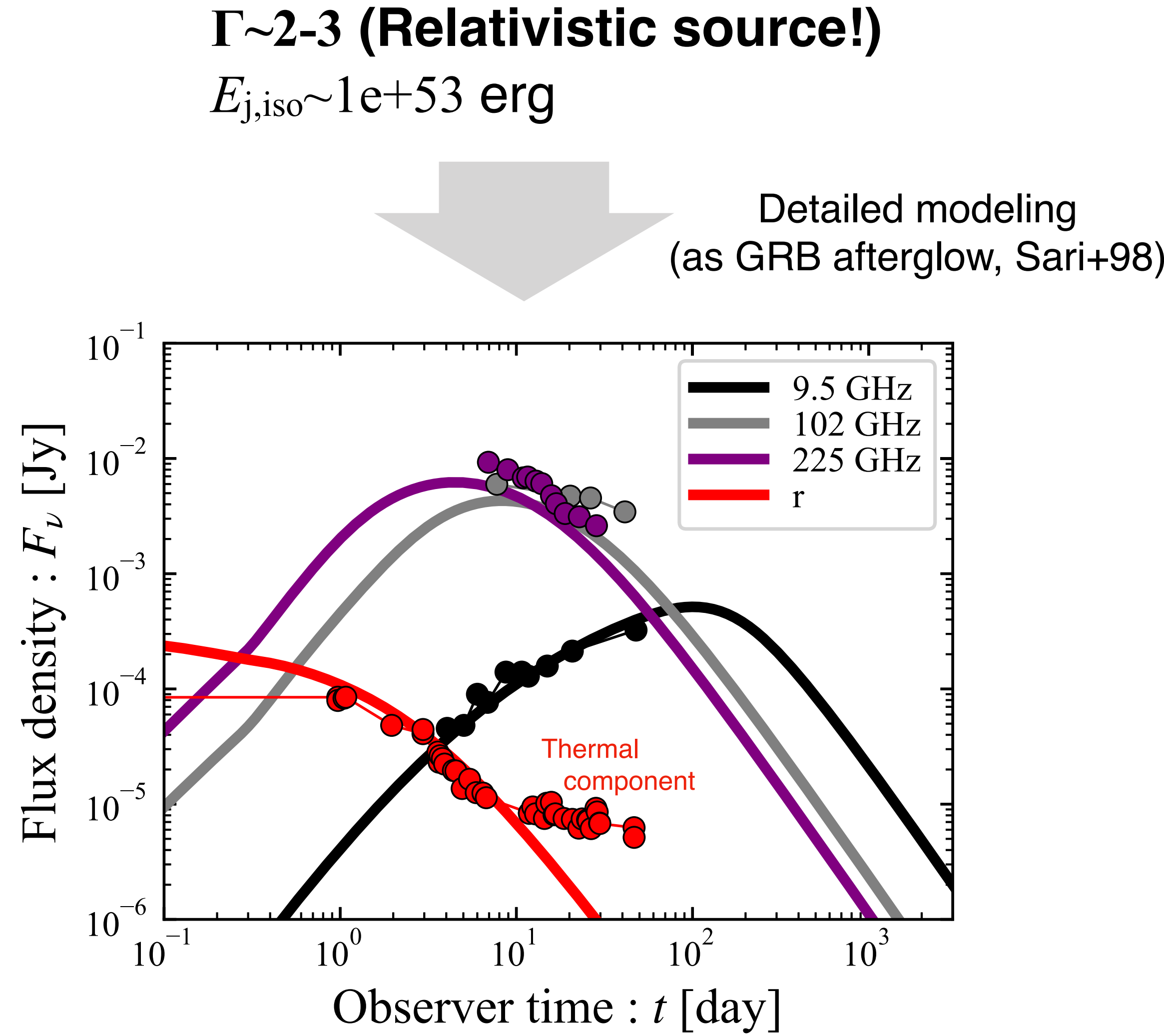
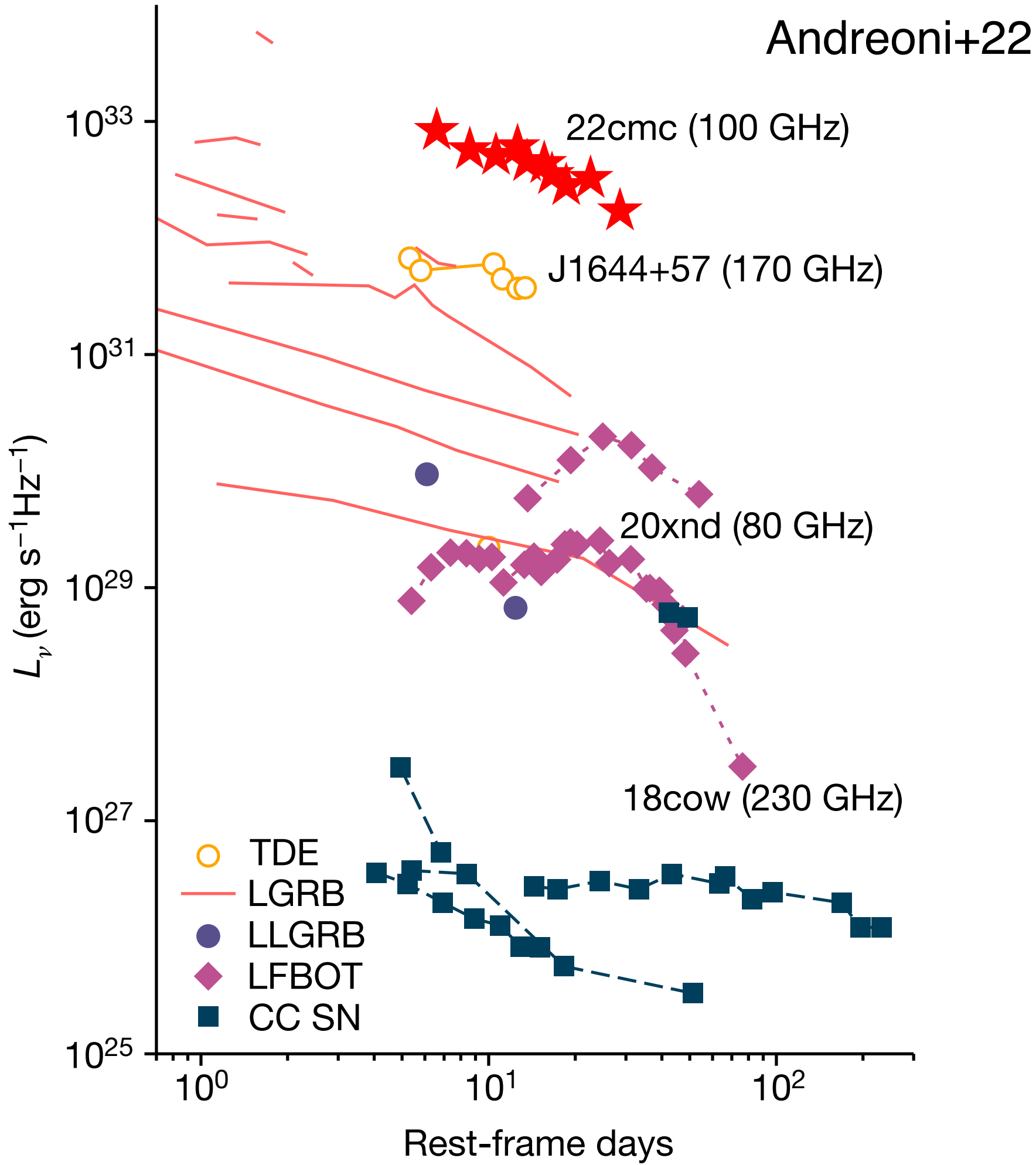
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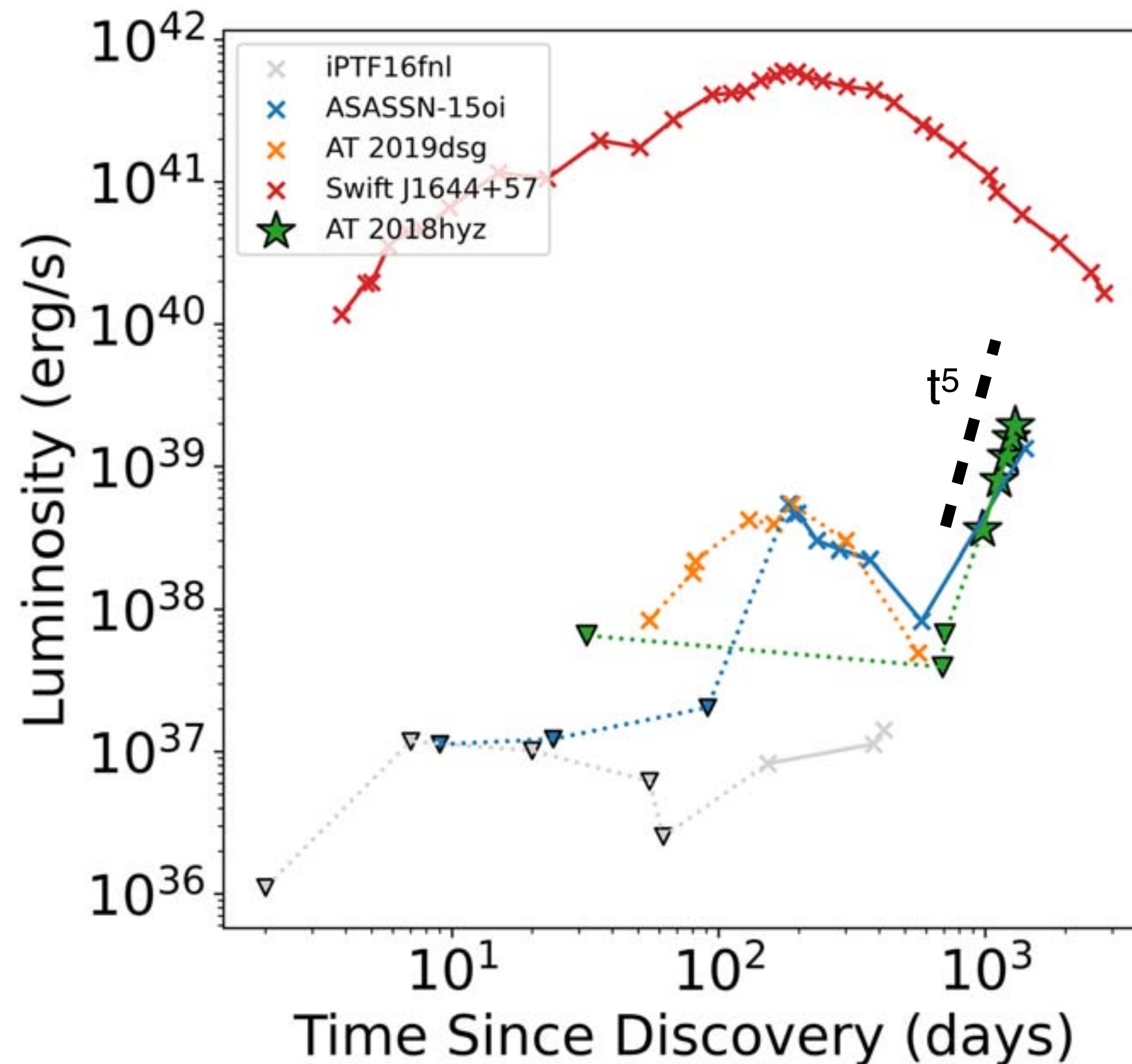
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Radio in TDEs: Relativistic equipartition analysis



Late-time radio flares

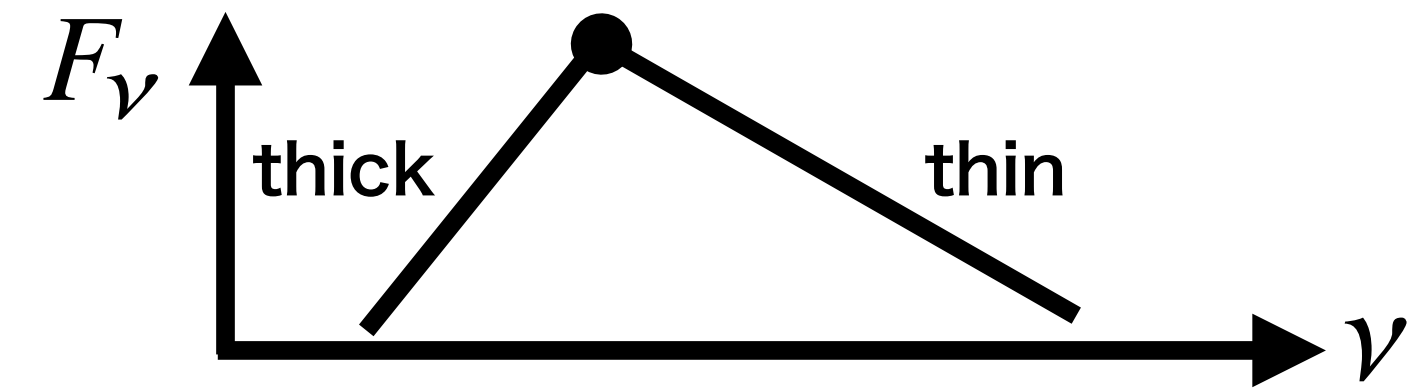
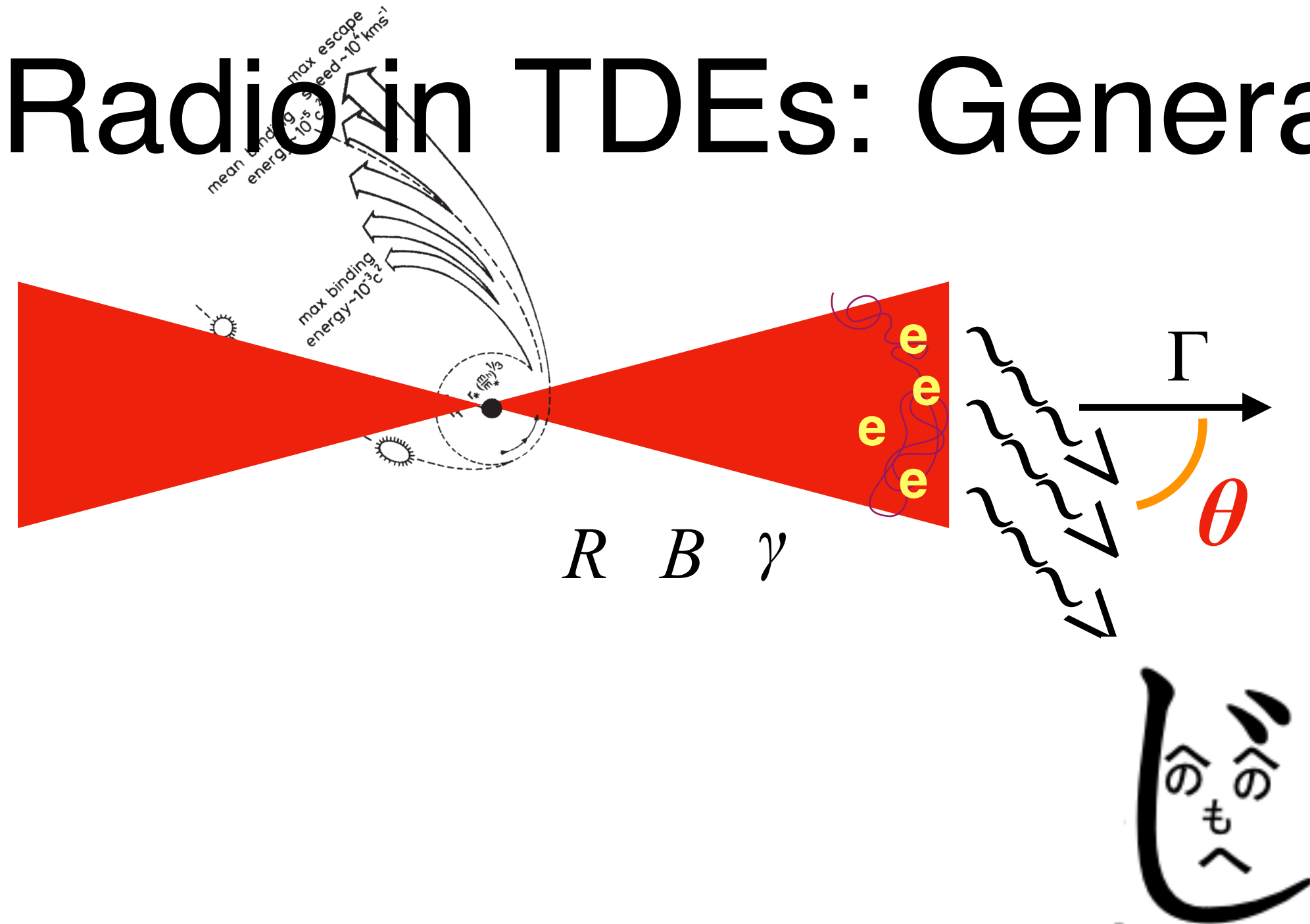
Cendes+22,Horesh+21,Sfaradi+24



- Radio flare ~ 1000 days after optical discovery
- Flux increases as t^5
- Origin?
Delayed disk formation?

Off-axis jet?

Radio in TDEs: Generalized equipartition analysis



$$\Gamma \Rightarrow \delta = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1 - \beta \cos \theta)}$$

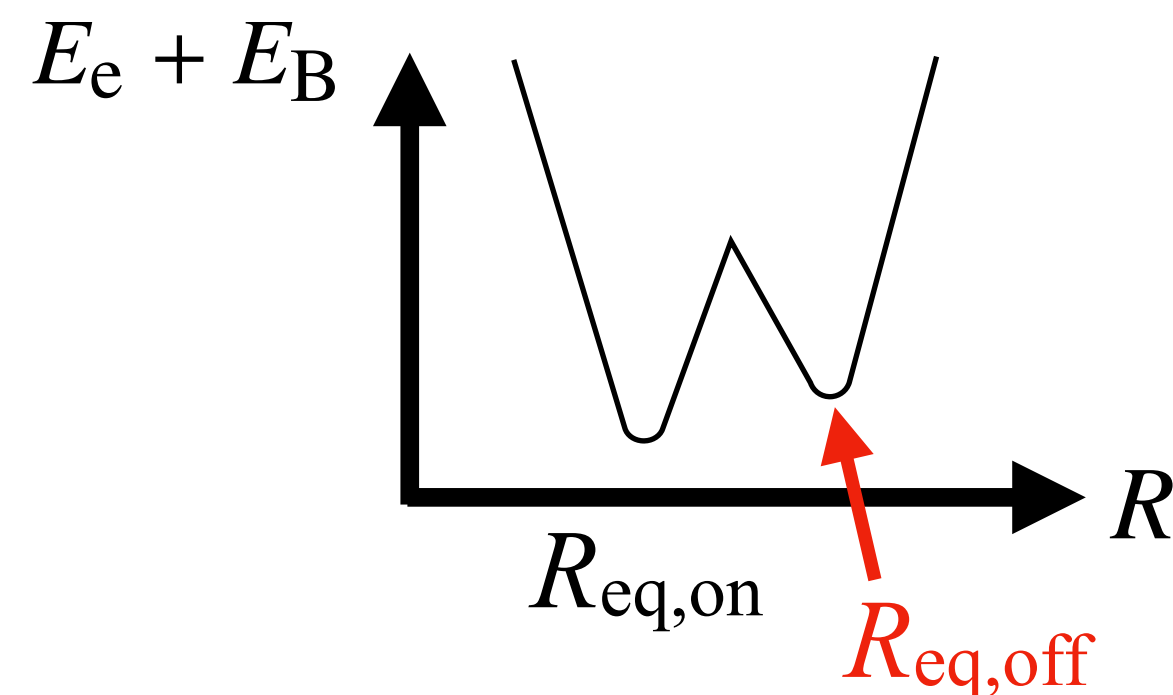
$$\nu_p \sim \gamma^2 \frac{eB}{m_e c} \propto \gamma^2 B \delta$$

$$F_\nu \sim N \frac{\sigma_T c \gamma^2 B^2}{\nu_p d^2} \propto NB \delta^3$$

$$F_\nu \sim \frac{m_e c^2 \gamma}{c^2} \frac{R^2}{d^2} \propto \gamma R^2 \delta$$

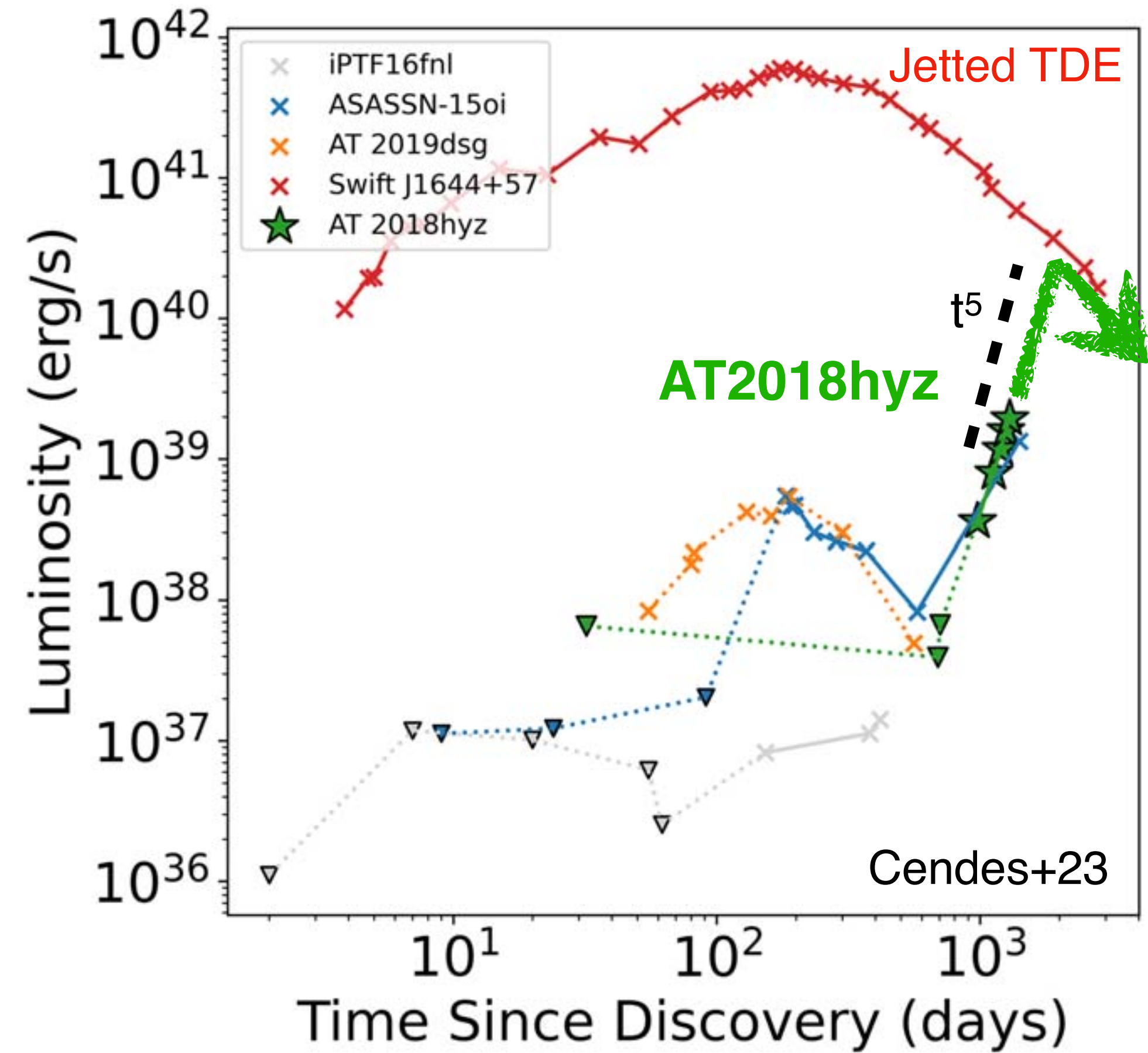
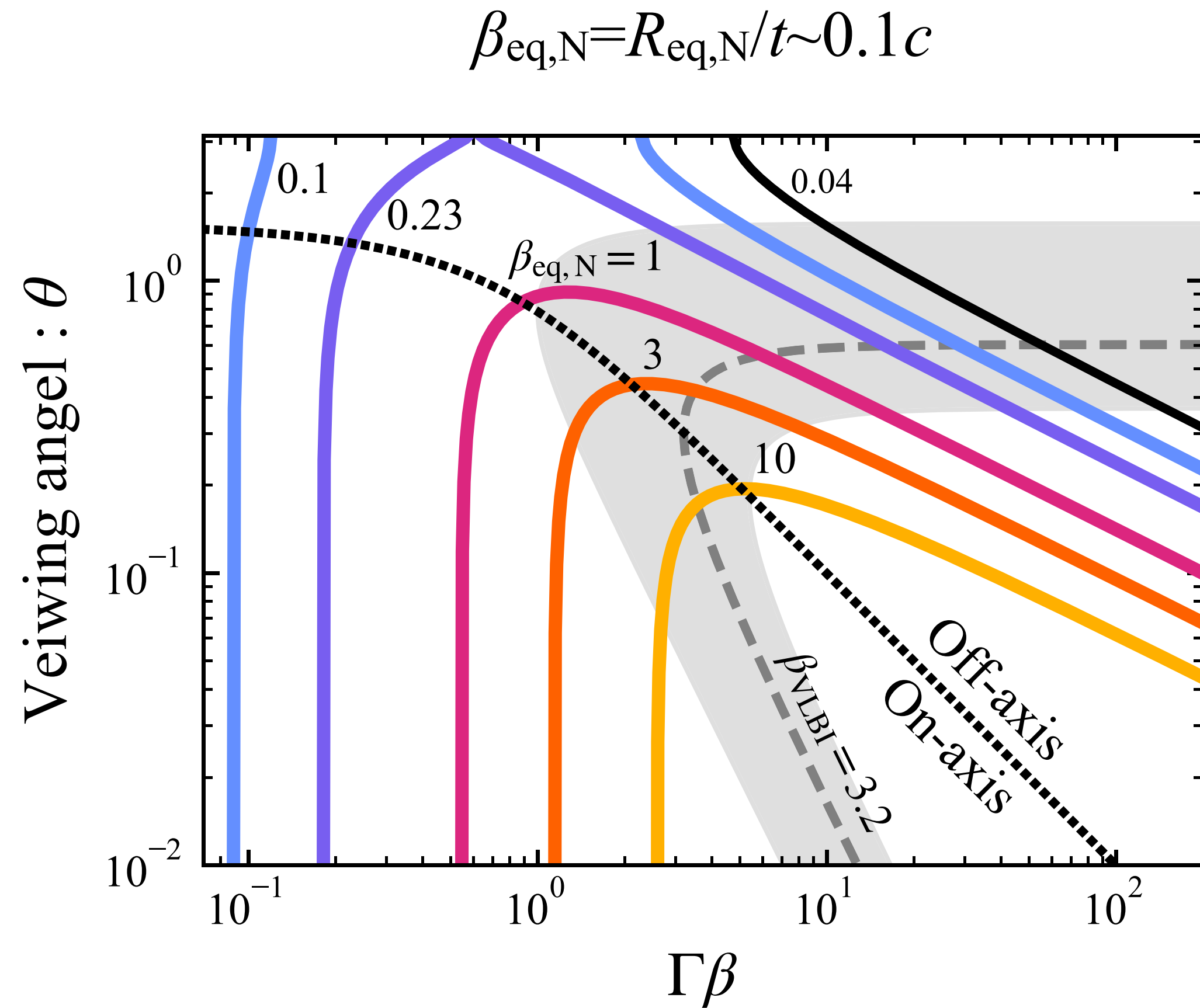
$$R \sim c \delta^2 t$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Total Energy: } E_{\text{tot}} \sim B^2 R^3 + N m_e c^2 \gamma \sim R^{11} + R^{-6}$$

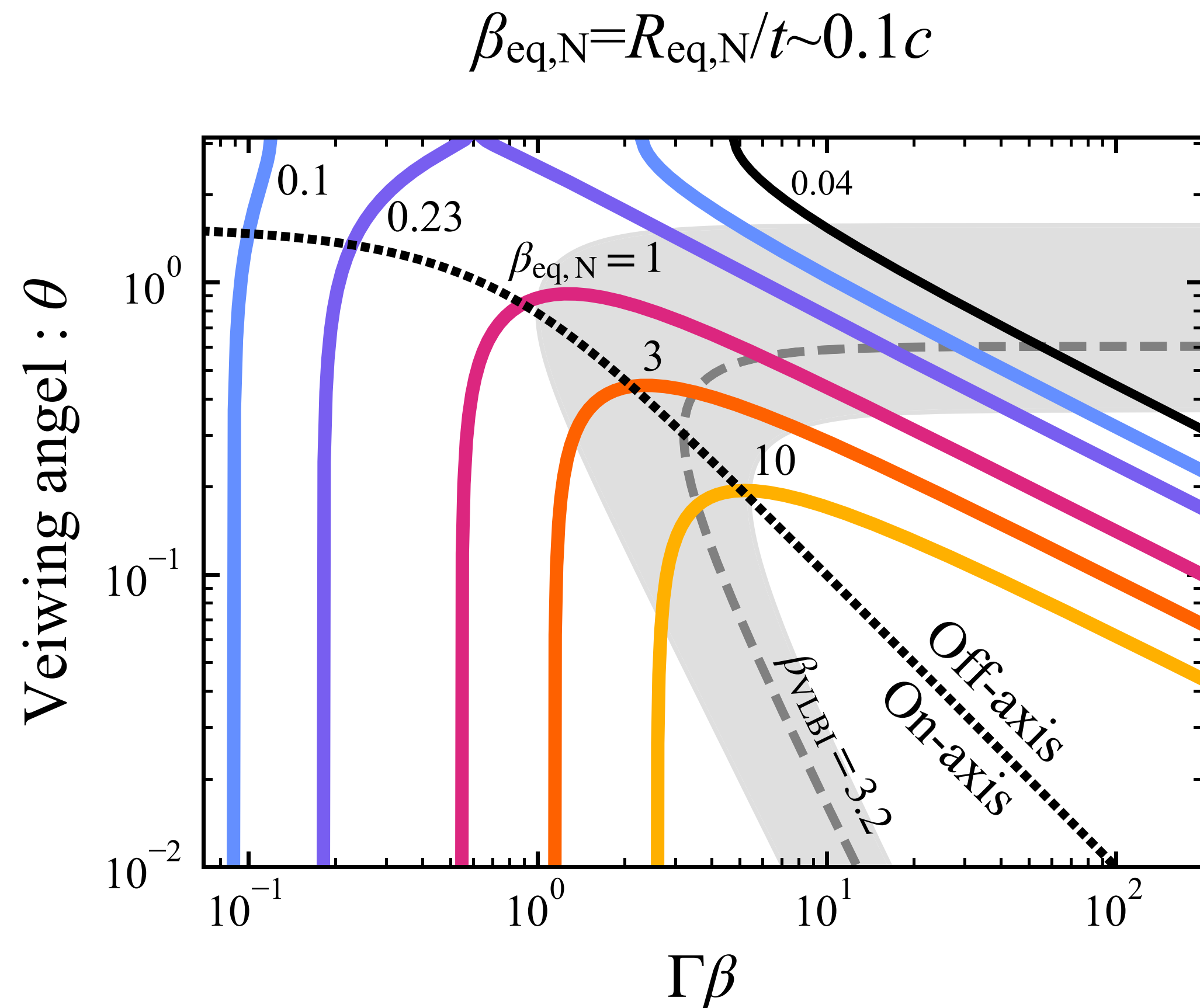


Two minimizing radii
corresponding to on/**off-axis**

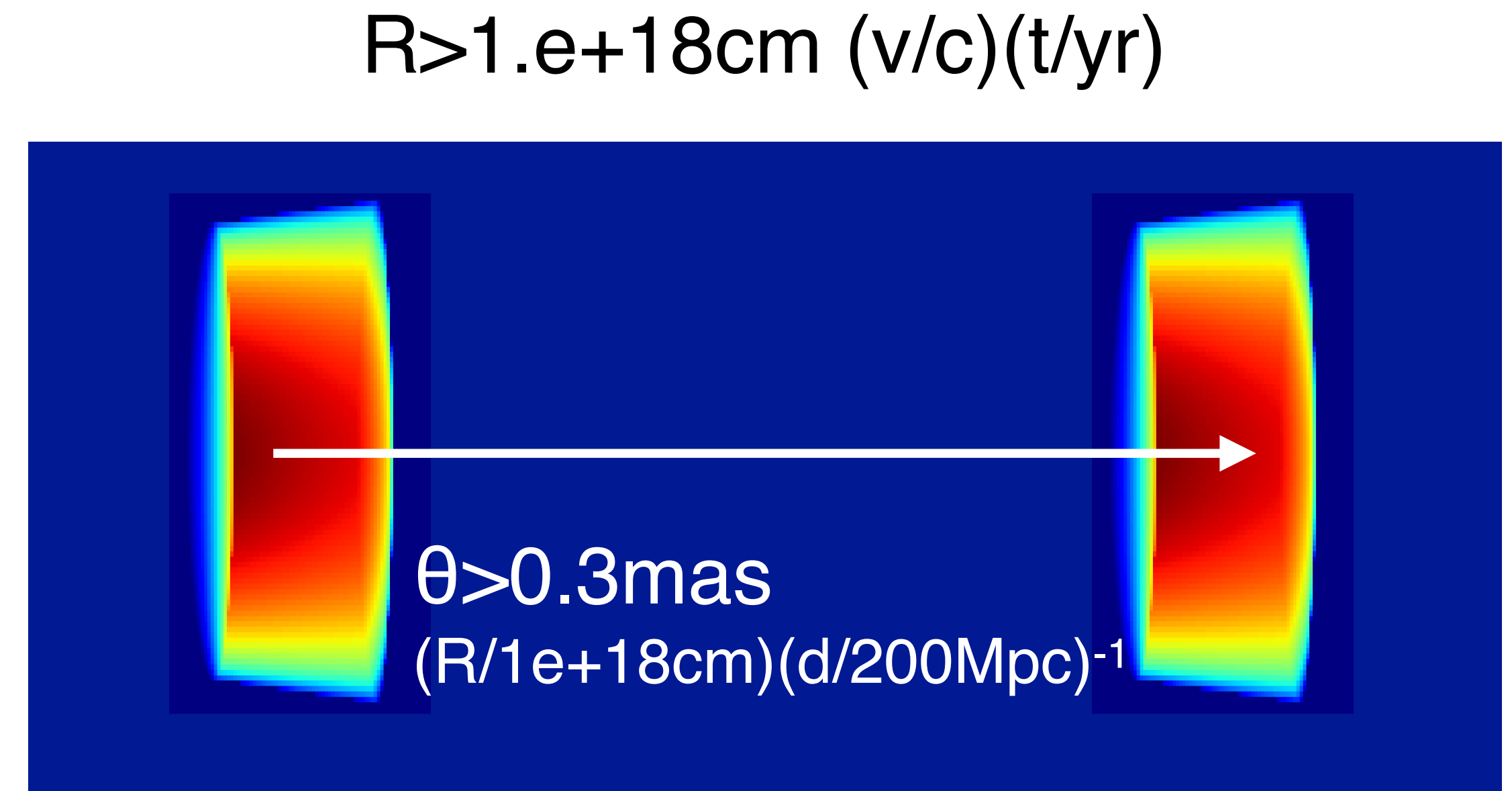
Late-time radio flare as off-axis jet



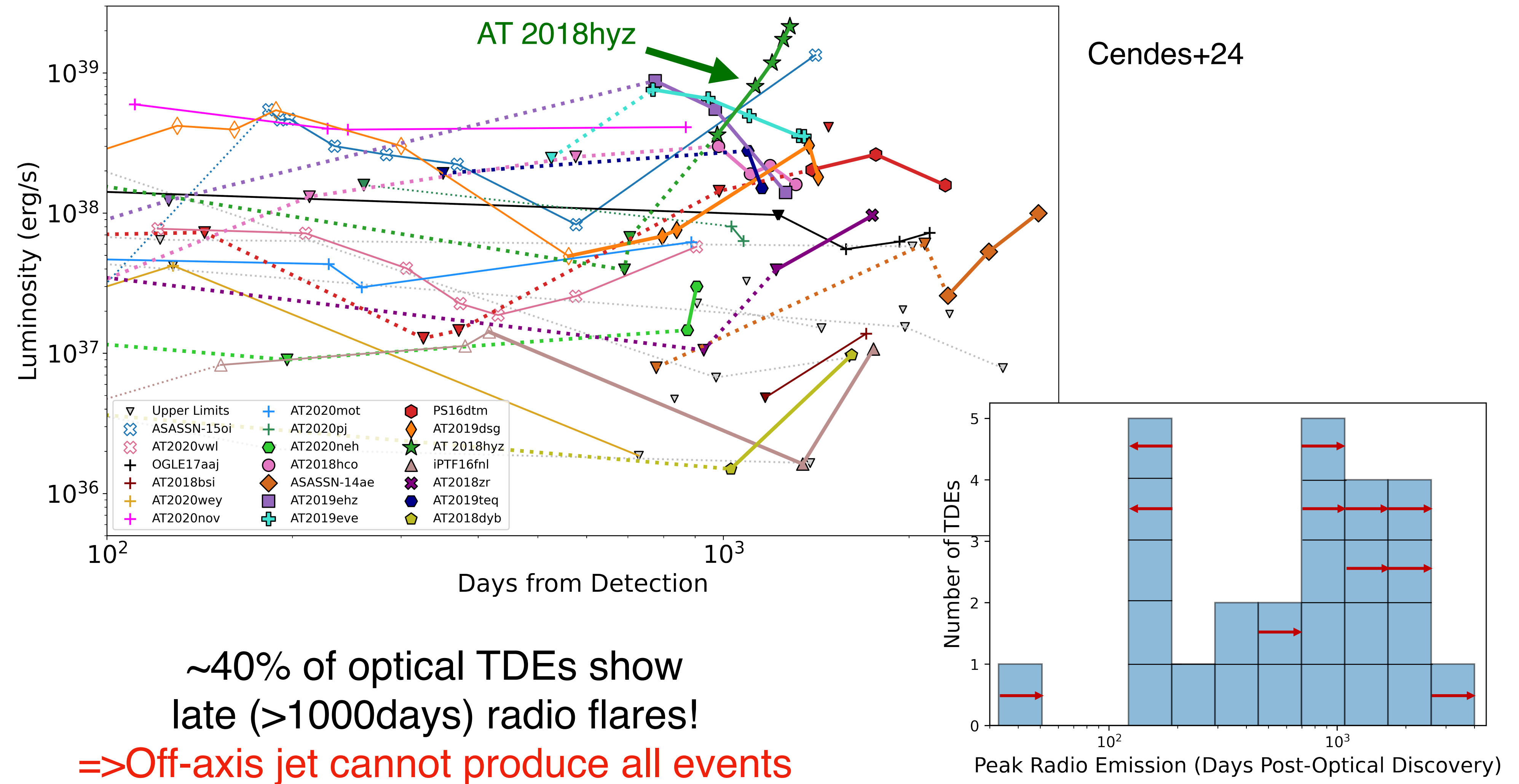
VLBI diagnostics



- Newtonian outflow (on-axis): $\sim 0.1c$
- Relativistic jet (off-axis): $\Gamma \sim 3$



Ubiquitous late radio flare



Event-rate consideration

$$\mathcal{R}_{\text{opt}} \sim \mathcal{R}_{\text{x}} \sim 1000 \text{ /Gpc}^3/\text{yr} (\sim 10^{-4} \text{ /galaxy/yr})$$

Sazonov+21, Yao+23

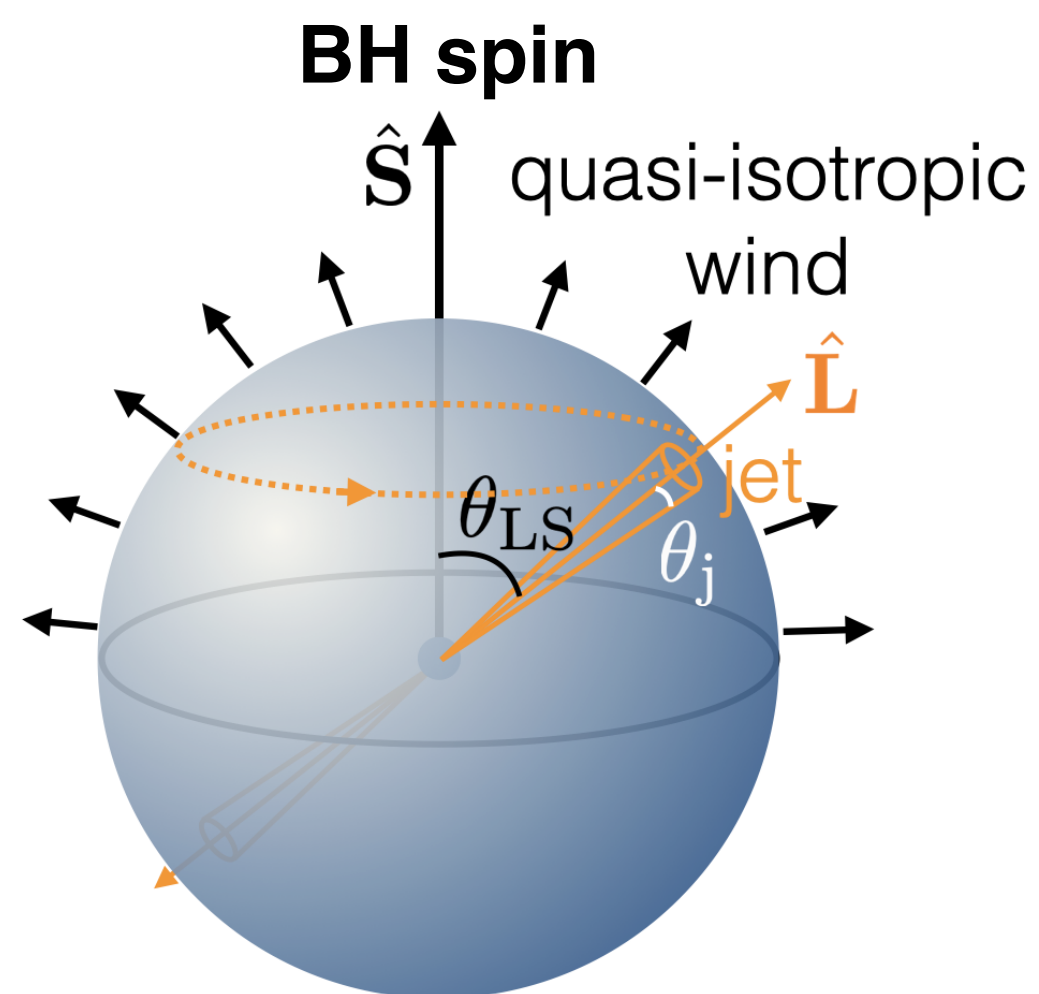
$$\mathcal{R}_{\text{on-jet}} \sim 0.01\text{-}0.1 \text{ /Gpc}^3/\text{yr}$$

Andreoni+22

Beaming: $f_{\text{b}} \sim \theta^2 \sim 0.01$

$$\mathcal{R}_{\text{off-jet}} \sim 1\text{-}10 \text{ /Gpc}^3/\text{yr}$$

At most a few % of TDEs can have off-axis jet

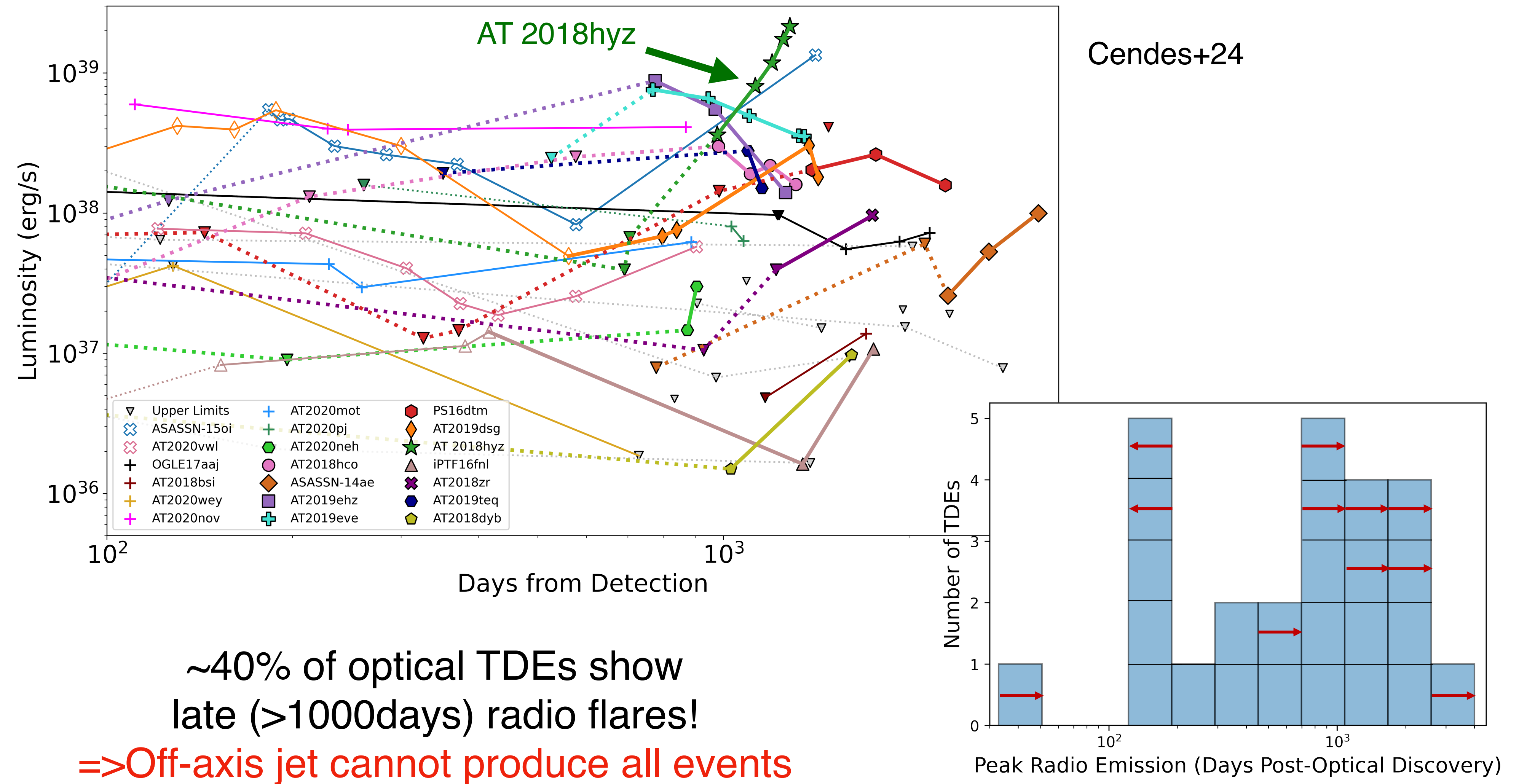


Jet breakout = Double alignment?

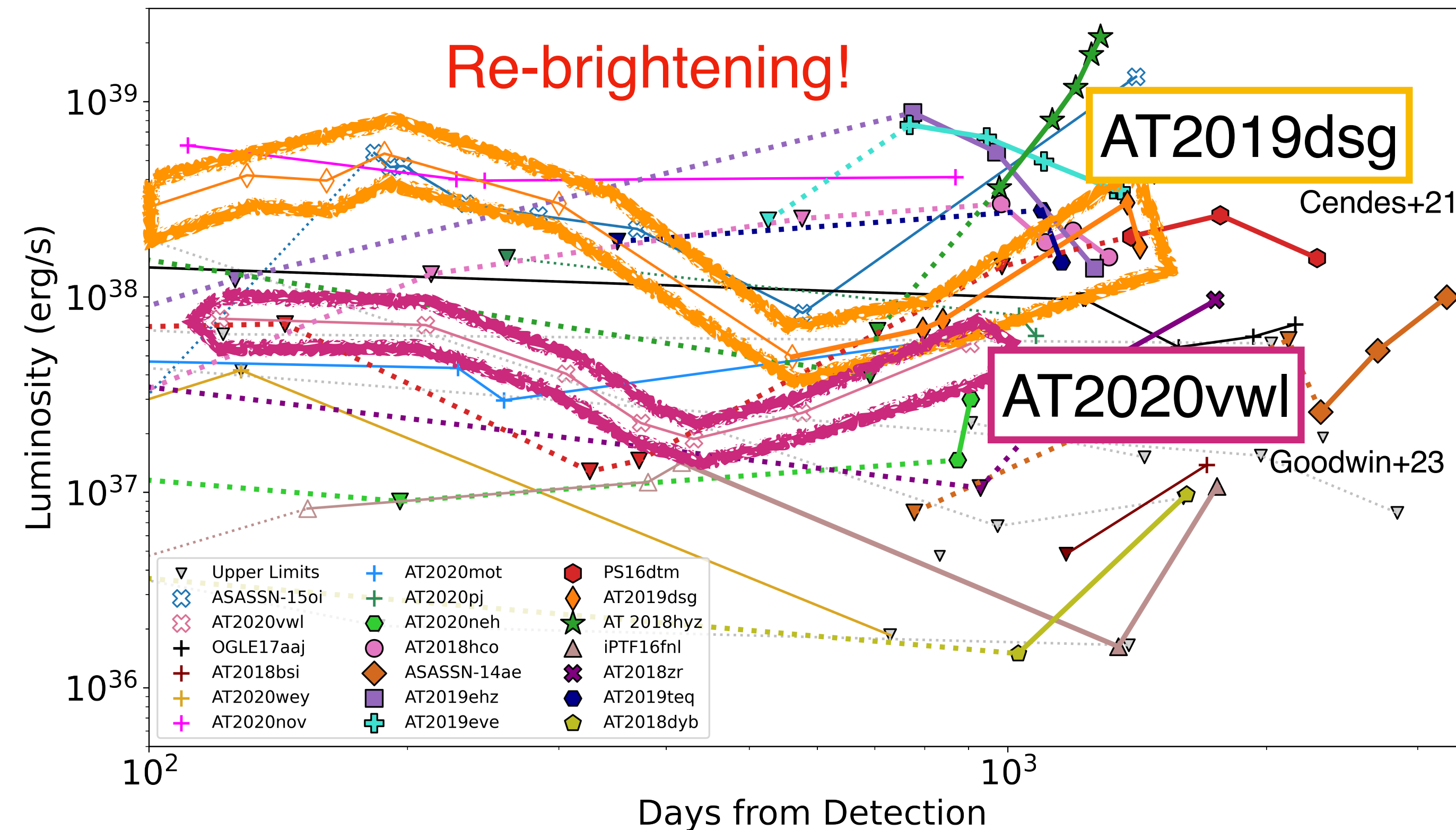
1. Observer's line of sight = jet axis : $f_{\text{b}} \sim \theta_{\text{j}}^2$
2. Stellar ang. mom. = BH spin : $f_{\text{LS}} \sim \theta_{\text{LS}}^2 \sim \theta_{\text{j}}^2$

$$\text{On-axis Successful Jet: } \mathcal{R}_{\text{on-jet}}/\mathcal{R}_{\text{TDE}} \sim \theta_{\text{j}}^4 \sim \mathbf{10^{-4}} (\theta_{\text{j}}/0.1)^4$$

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Double-peak radio flares



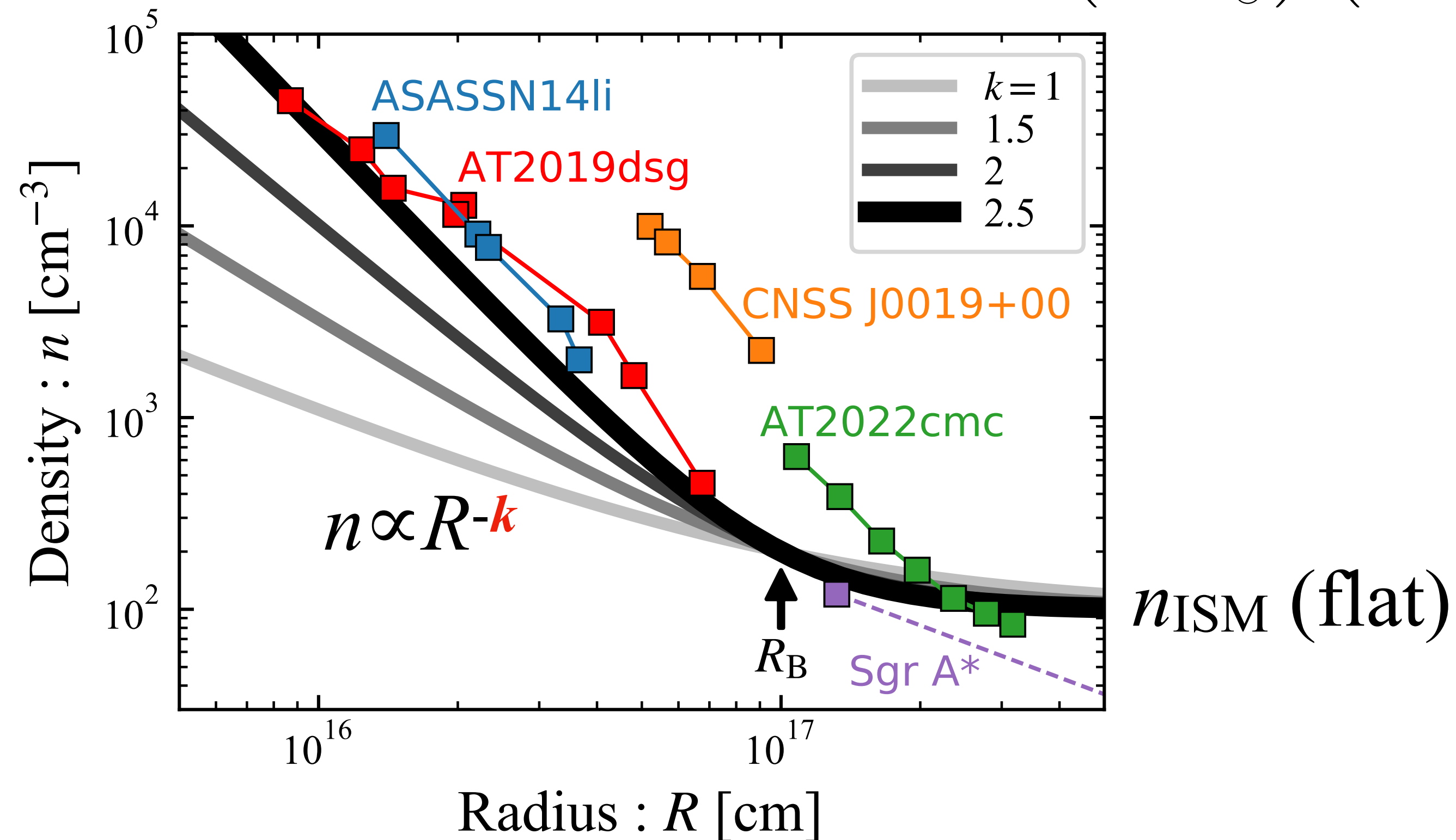
$$F_{\nu} \sim N \frac{\sigma_T c \gamma^2 B^2}{\nu_p d^2} \propto NB$$

$$N \sim nR^3$$

Late-time rise with **opt. thin** spectrum
 => Different mechanism from the 1st peak to make radio rise
 (Most late flares show opt. thin spectrum)

Outflow reaches Bondi radius

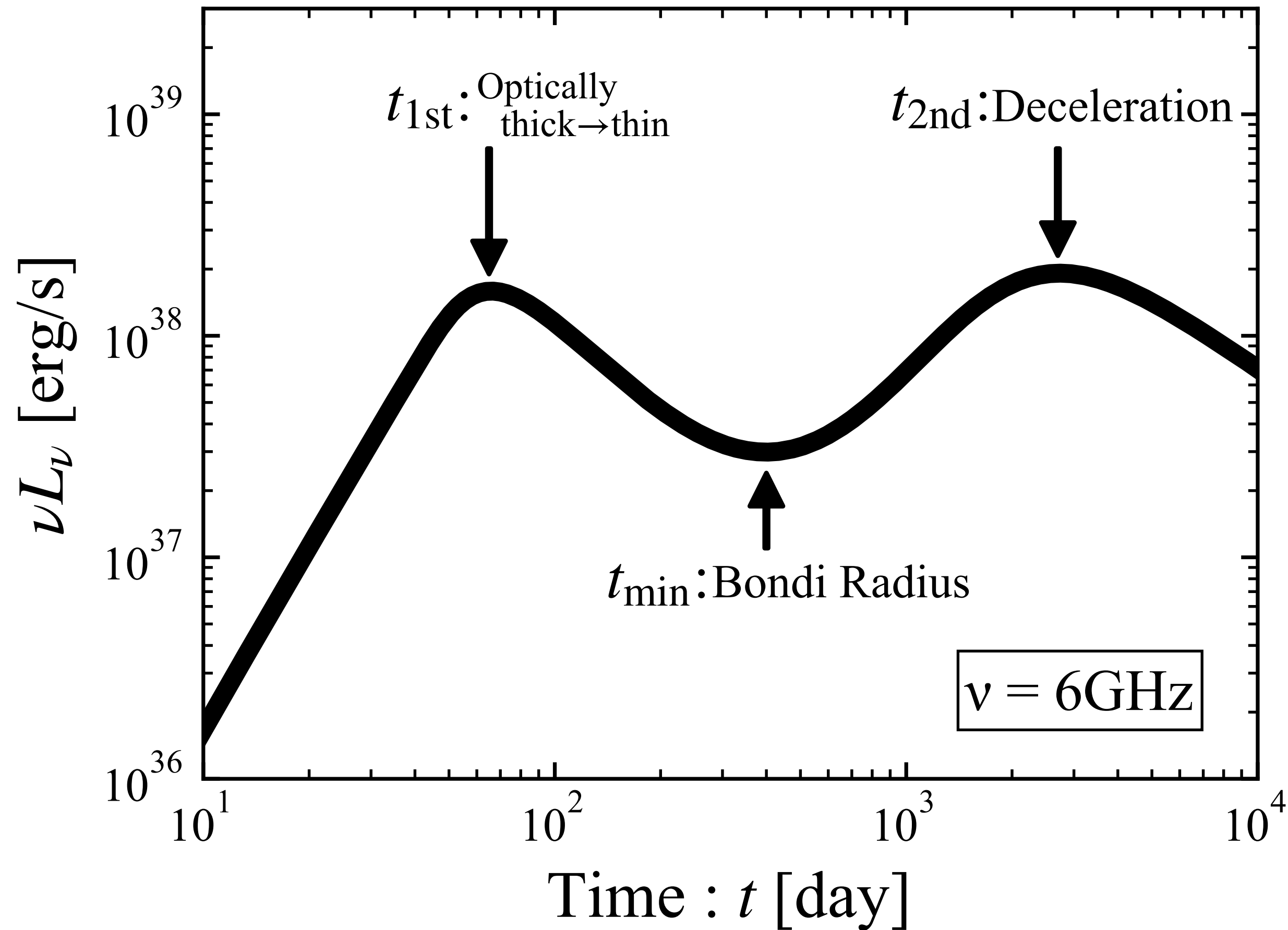
$$0.1c \times 1000\text{day} \sim 1.e+17\text{cm} \Leftrightarrow R_{\text{Bondi}} \sim 10^{17}\text{cm} \left(\frac{M_{\bullet}}{10^6 M_{\odot}} \right) \left(\frac{T}{\text{keV}} \right)^{-1}$$



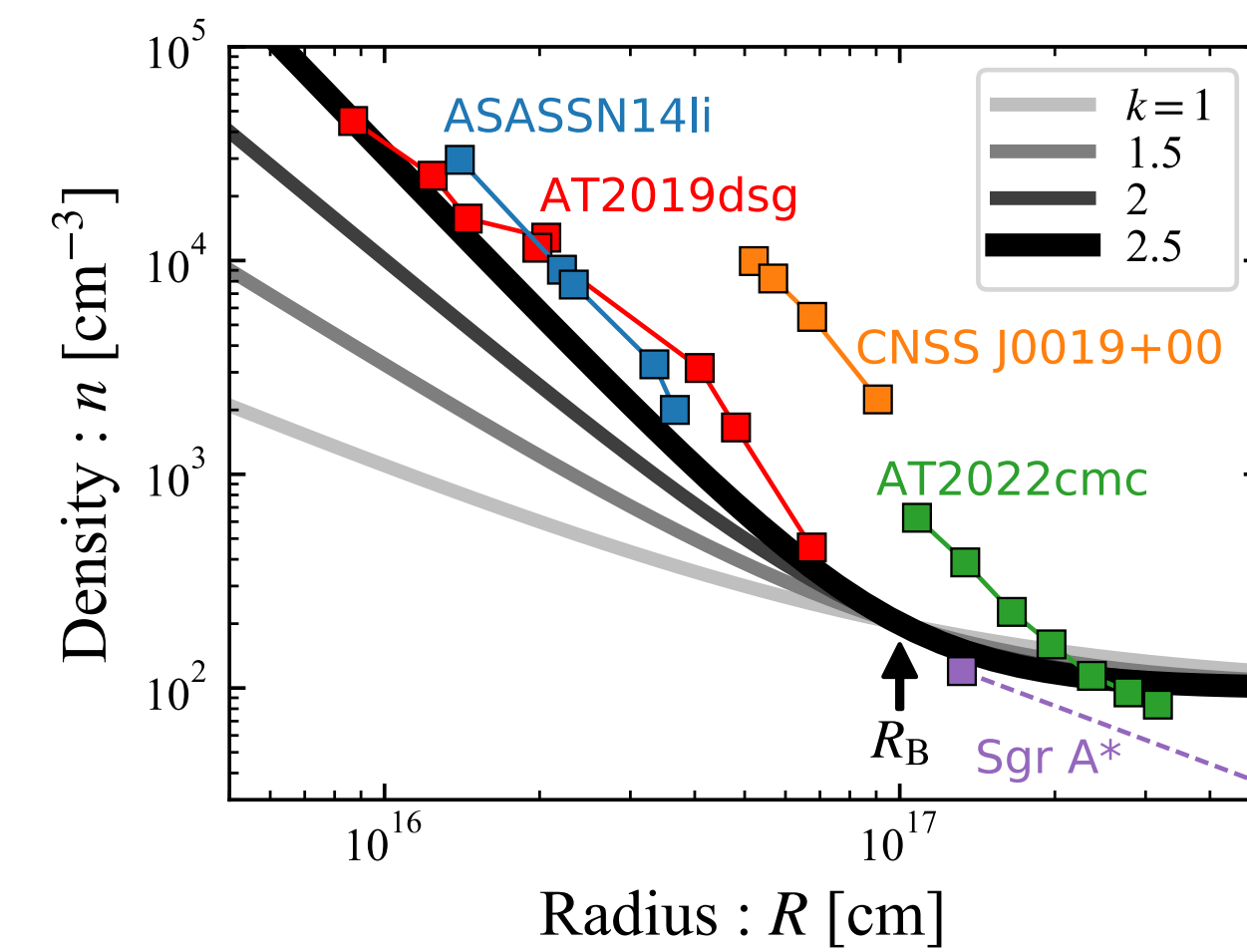
$$F_{\nu} \sim N \frac{\sigma_T c \gamma^2 B^2}{\nu_p d^2} \propto \boxed{N} B$$

$$N \sim n R^3 \propto R^{3-k}$$

Light curve



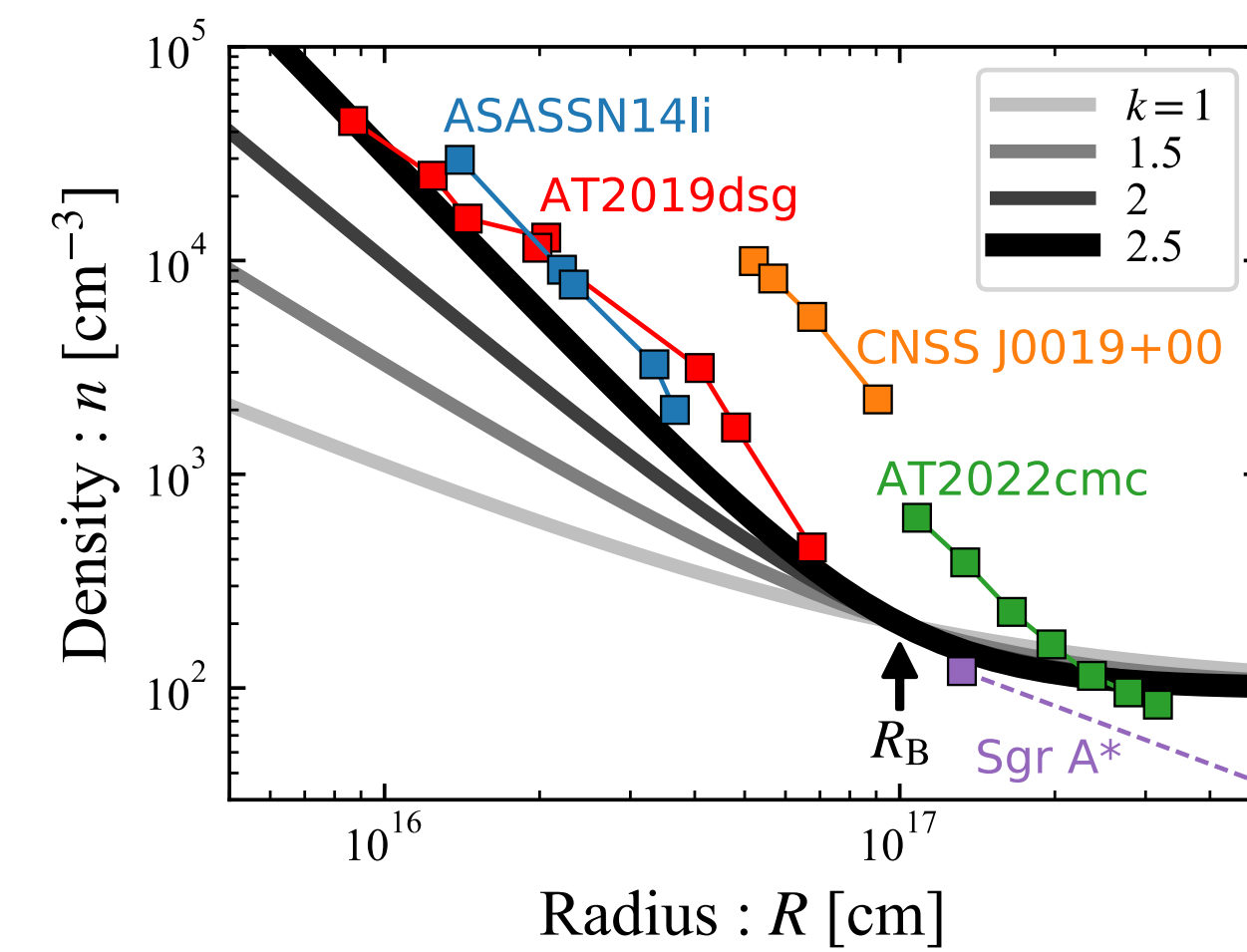
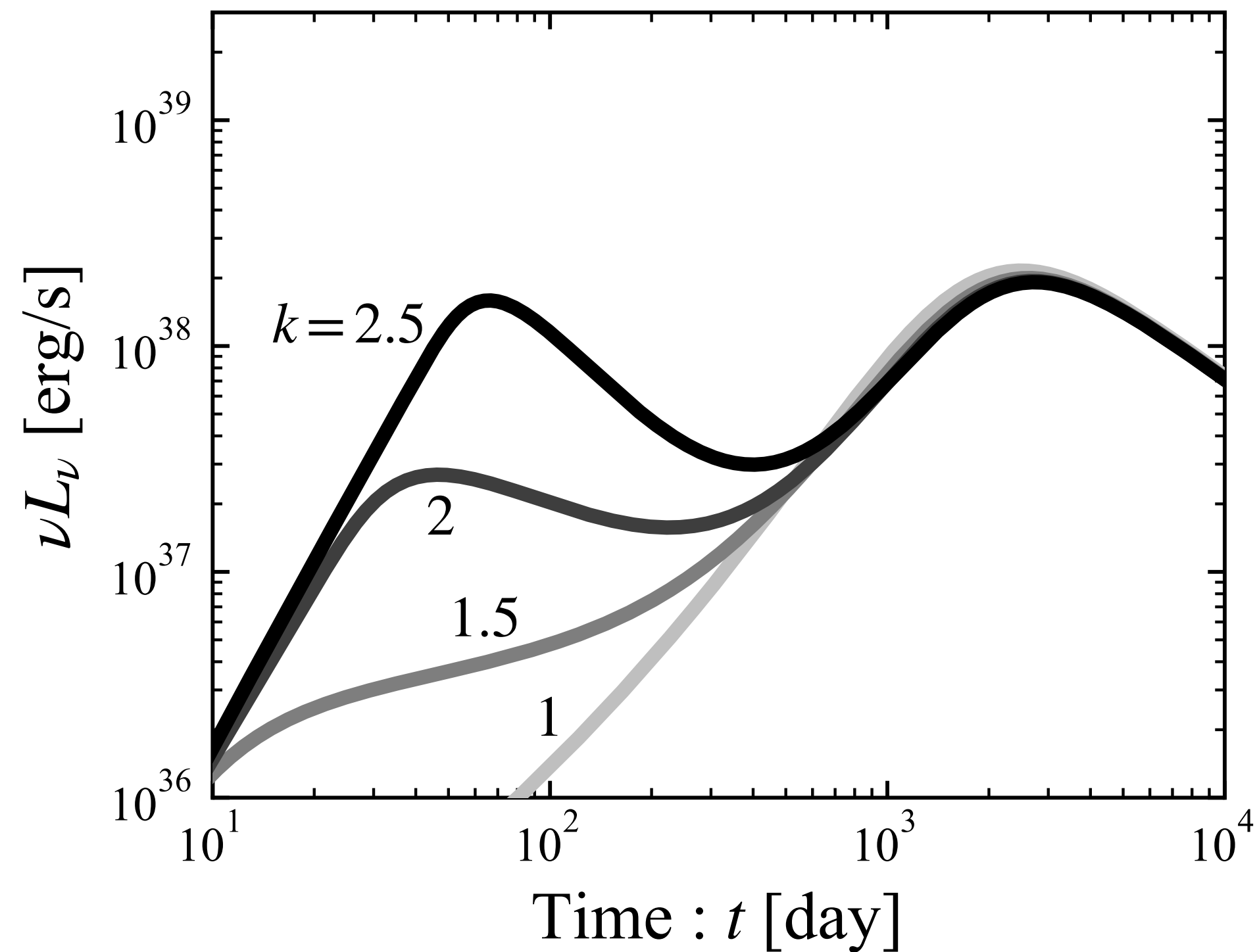
Double peaks naturally arise!



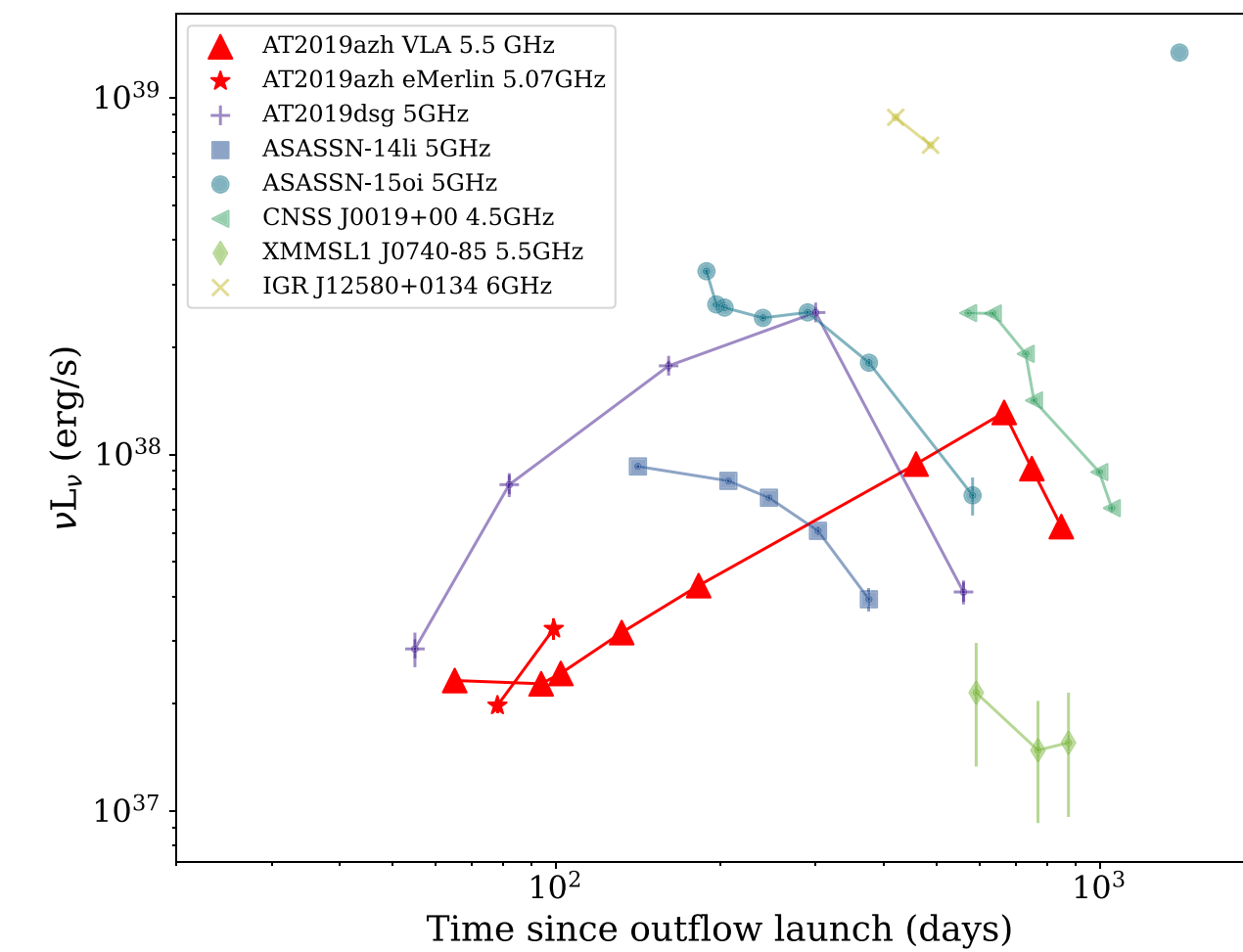
$$\begin{aligned} M_{ej} &= 0.1 M_{\text{sun}} \\ v &= 0.1c \\ p &= 2.5 \\ \epsilon_e &= 0.1, \epsilon_B = 0.01 \\ n &\propto R^{-2.5} \end{aligned}$$

Parameter dependence

Slope of density profile

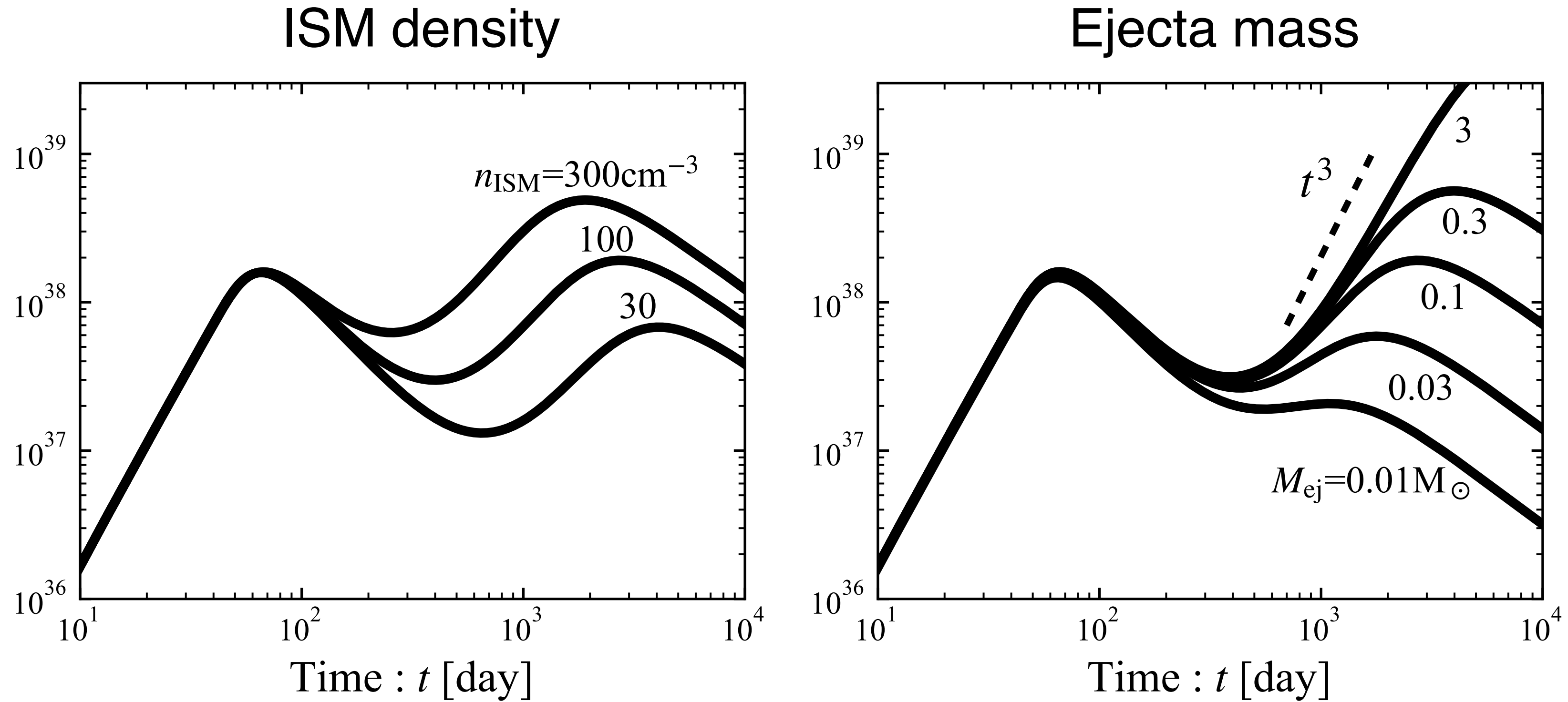


Goodwin+22, Sfaradi+22



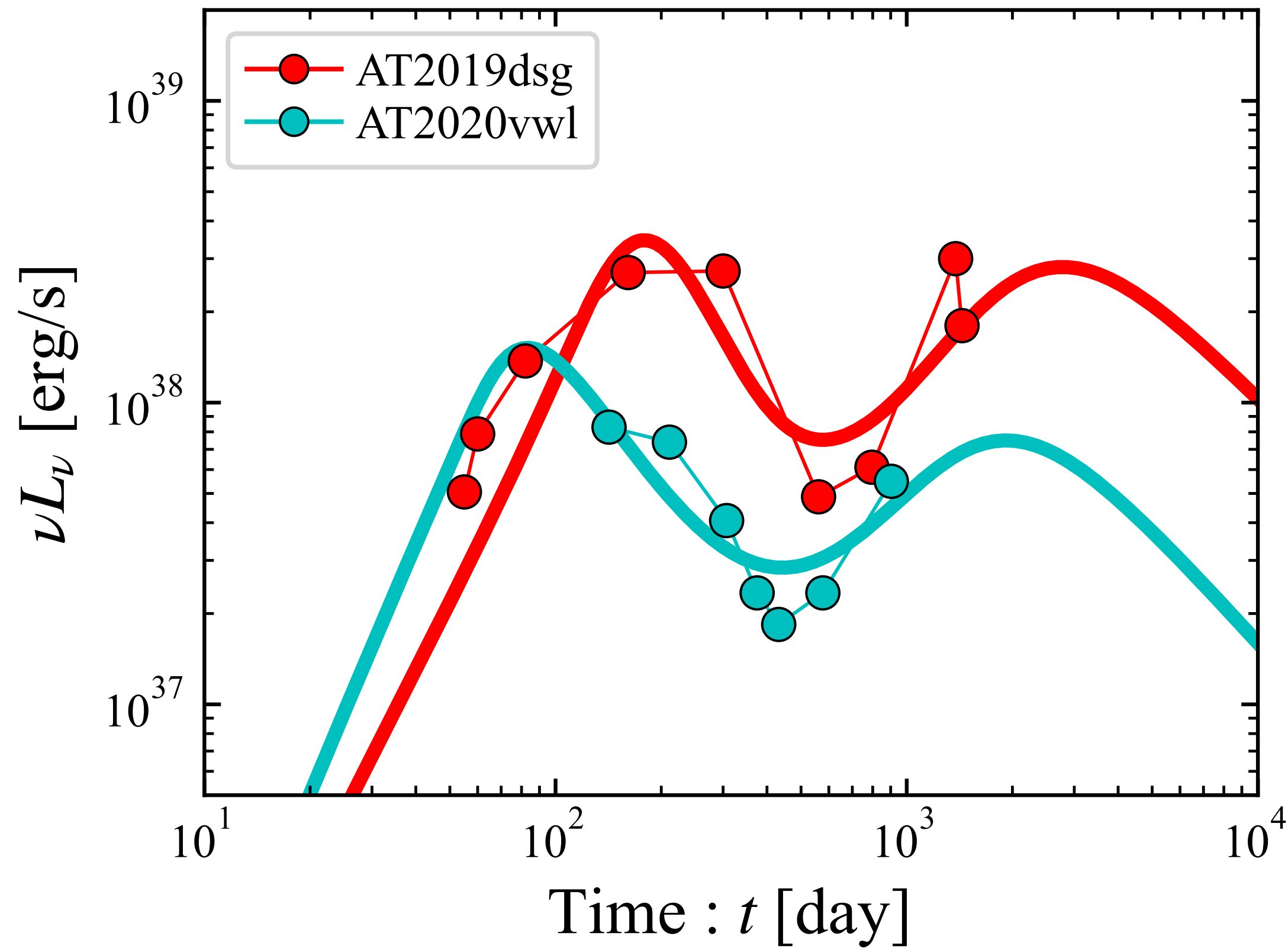
Profile for Bondi accretion can explain slow rise (AT2019azh?)

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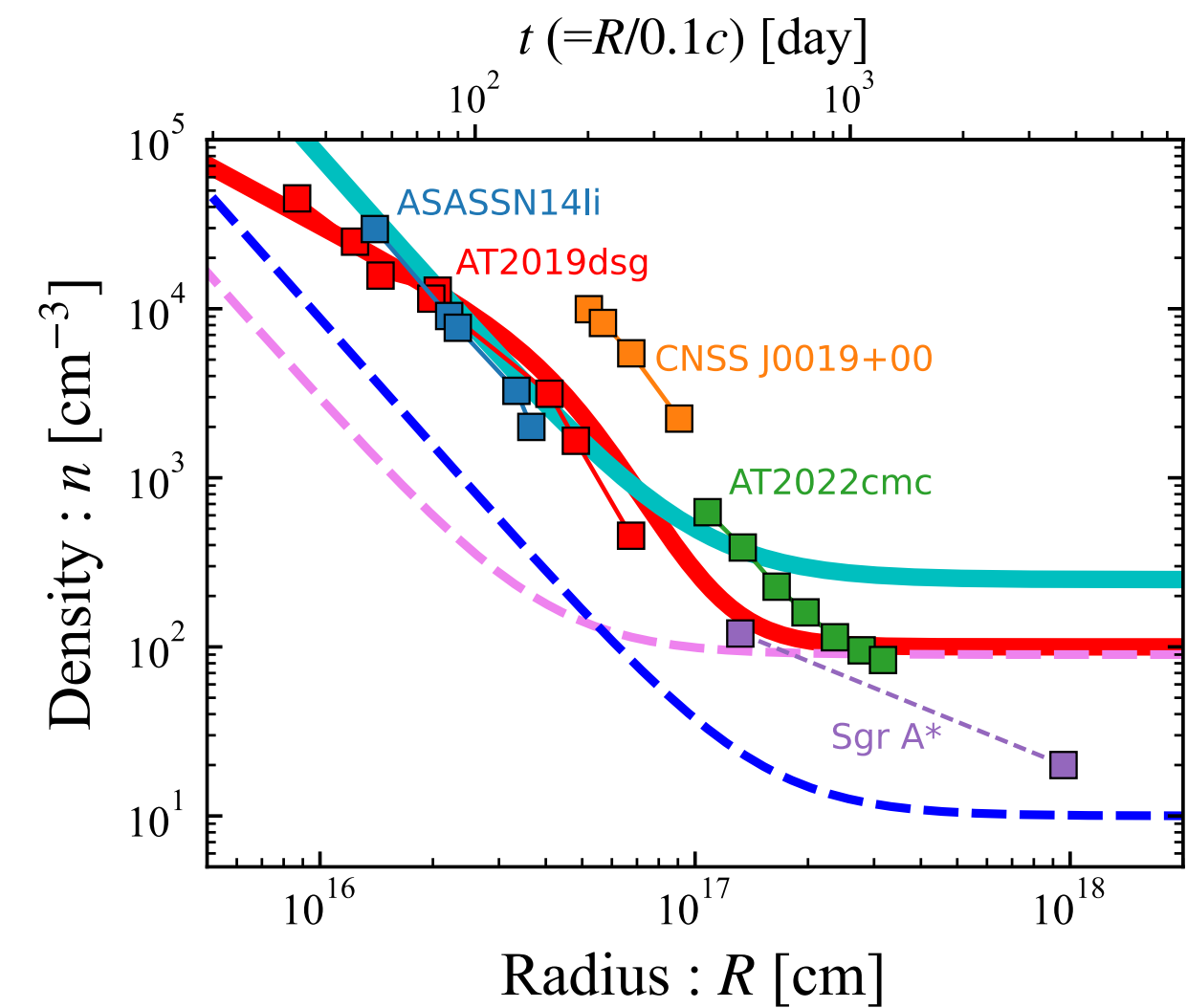
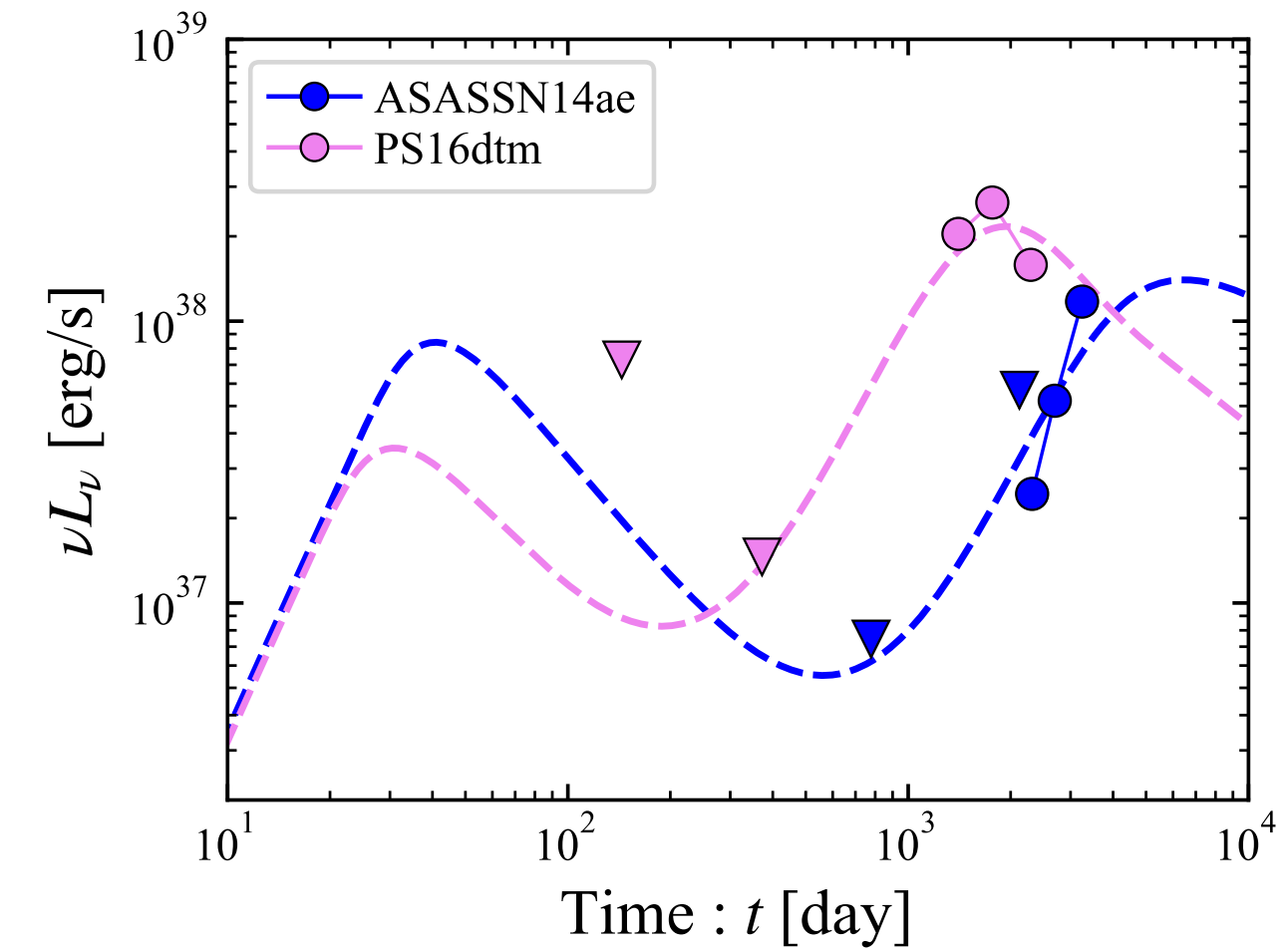


$$R_{\text{dec}} \simeq \left(\frac{3M_{\text{ej}}}{4\pi m_{\text{p}} n_{\text{ISM}}} \right)^{1/3} \simeq 6.6 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm } M_{\text{ej},-1}^{1/3} n_{\text{ISM},2}^{-1/3} ,$$

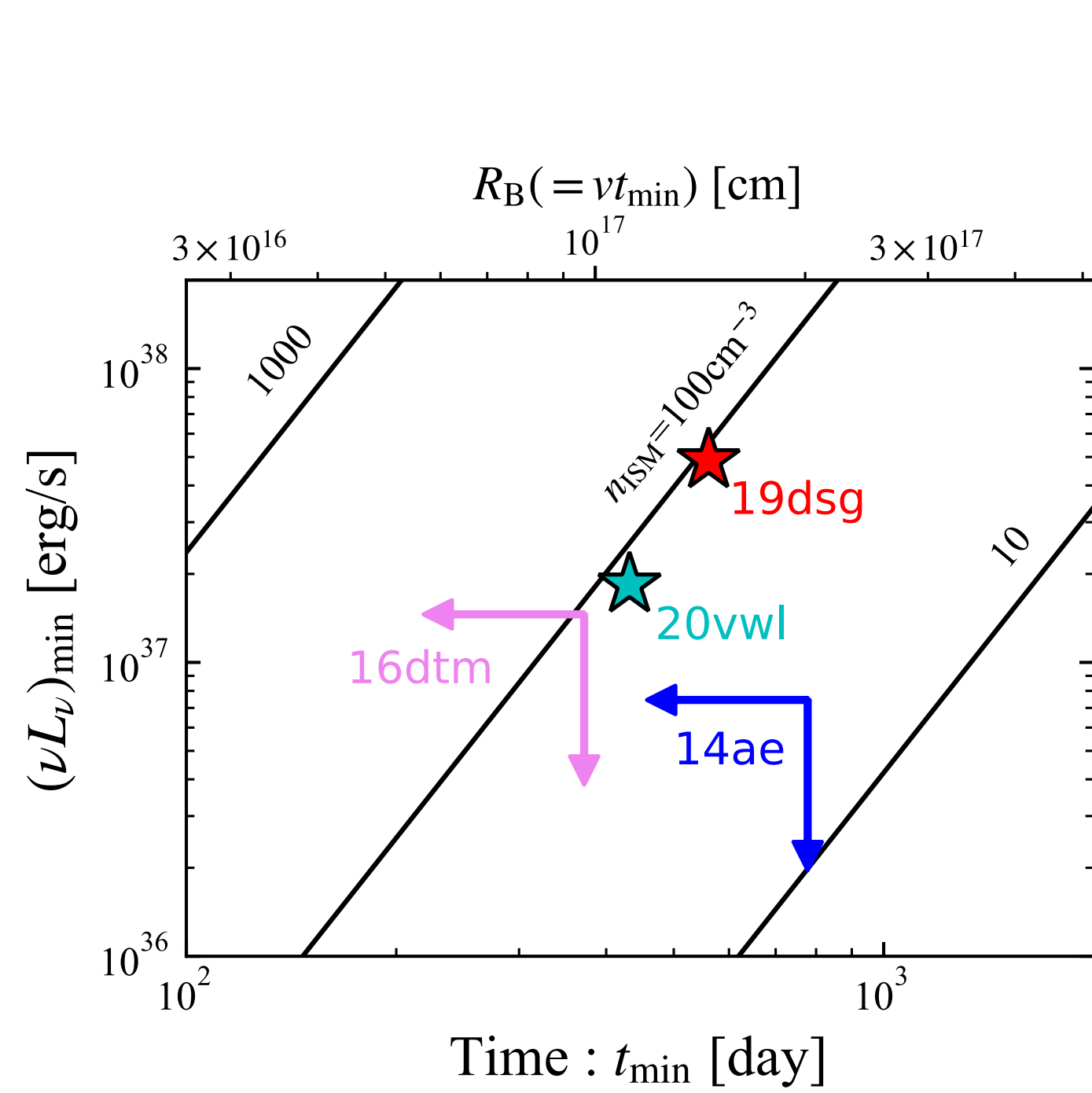
Comparison with observed events



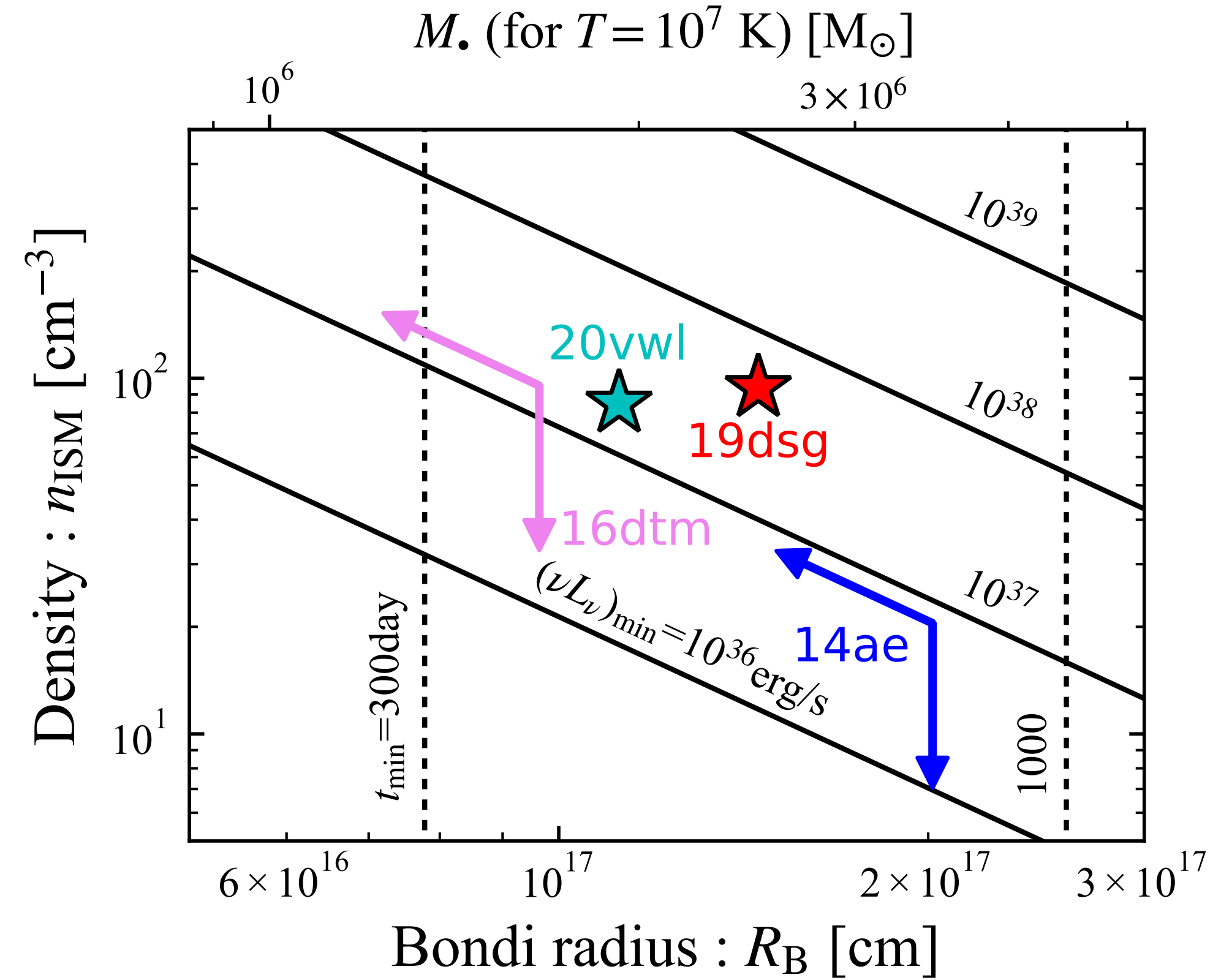
Event	p	ε_e	ε_B	M_{ej} [M_\odot]	β_0
AT2019dsg	2.7	0.2	0.02	0.1	0.1
AT2020vwl	3	0.15	0.01	0.1	0.1
PS16dtm	2.1	0.13	0.01	0.04	0.08
ASASSN14ae	2.2	0.08	0.01	0.2	0.1



Minimum in light curve=>BH mass



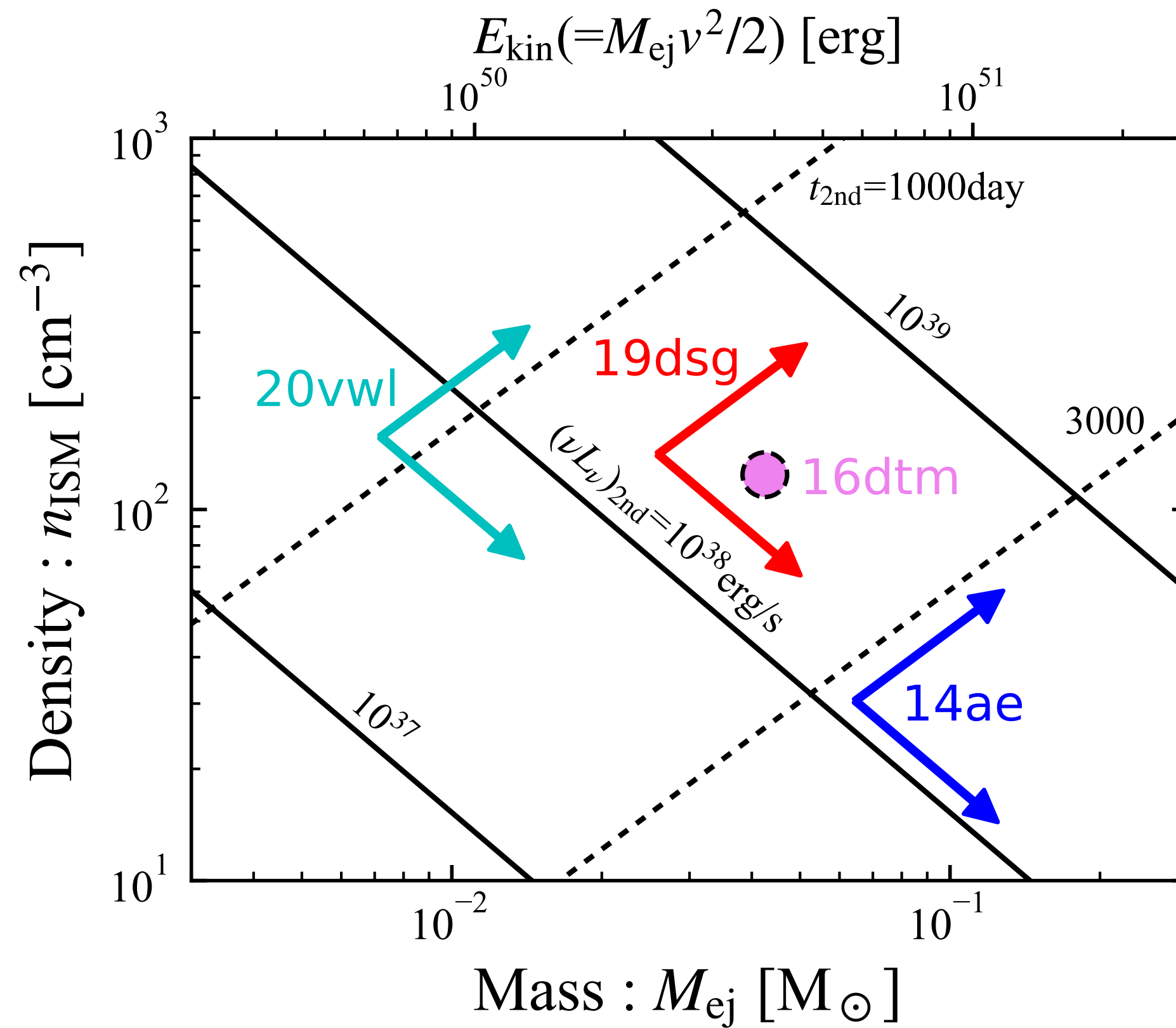
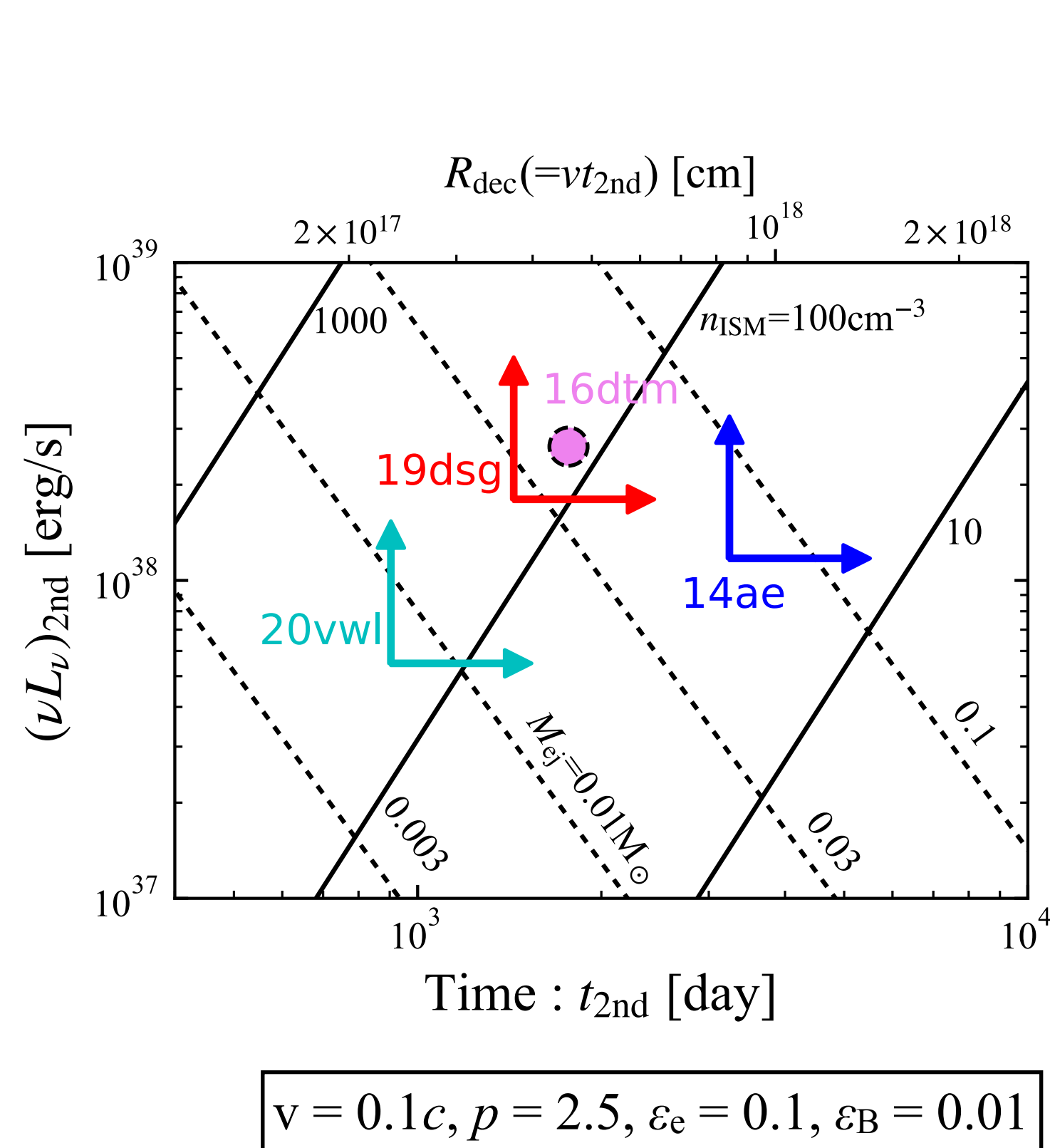
$$v = 0.1c, p = 2.5, \varepsilon_e = 0.1, \varepsilon_B = 0.01$$



$$n_{\text{ISM}} \stackrel{p=2.5}{\simeq} 1.1 \times 10^2 \text{ cm}^{-3} \bar{\varepsilon}_{e,-1}^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} \varepsilon_{B,-2}^{-\frac{p+1}{p+5}} \beta_{-1}^{-\frac{2(p+11)}{p+5}} \\ \nu_{6\text{GHz}}^{\frac{2(p-3)}{p+5}} (\nu L_\nu)_{\min,37}^{\frac{4}{p+5}} \left(\frac{\Omega}{4\pi} \right)^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} t_{\min,300\text{day}}^{-\frac{12}{p+5}} f_{t_{\min}}^{\frac{12}{p+5}} f_{L_{\min,1}}^{-\frac{4}{p+5}},$$

$$R_B \simeq vt_{\min}/f_{t_{\min}} \\ \simeq 7.8 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm } \beta_{-1} t_{\min,300\text{day}} f_{t_{\min}}^{-1}$$

2nd peak in light curve=>**outflow mass**



$$n_{\text{ISM}} \stackrel{p=2.5}{\simeq} 6.3 \times 10^2 \text{ cm}^{-3} \bar{\varepsilon}_{\text{e},-1}^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} \varepsilon_{\text{B},-2}^{-\frac{p+1}{p+5}} \beta_{-1}^{-\frac{2(p+11)}{p+5}} \\ \nu_{6\text{GHz}}^{\frac{2(p-3)}{p+5}} (\nu L_{\nu})_{2\text{nd},39}^{\frac{4}{p+5}} \left(\frac{\Omega}{4\pi} \right)^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} t_{2\text{nd},1000\text{day}}^{-\frac{12}{p+5}}$$

$$M_{\text{ej}} \simeq 3.9 \times 10^{-2} M_{\odot} \bar{\varepsilon}_{\text{e},-1}^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} \varepsilon_{\text{B},-2}^{-\frac{p+1}{p+5}} \beta_{-1}^{-\frac{p-7}{p+5}} \nu_{6\text{GHz}}^{\frac{2(p-3)}{p+5}} (\nu L_{\nu})_{2\text{nd},39}^{\frac{4}{p+5}} \left(\frac{\Omega}{4\pi} \right)^{-\frac{4}{p+5}} t_{2\text{nd},1000\text{day}}^{\frac{3(p+1)}{p+5}}$$

Summary

- Radio emission: Probe of outflows and environment.
- Late-time radio flares (>1000 days):
 - ✦ The origin is unclear.
 - ✦ Rapidly rising events (AT2018hyz) \Rightarrow Off-axis jet?
 - ✦ Double-peak events (AT2019dsg & 2020vwl)
 - \Rightarrow Single outflow traveling into power-law+flat density profile can explain the observations.
 - \Rightarrow Estimation of BH mass, outflow mass/energy.

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