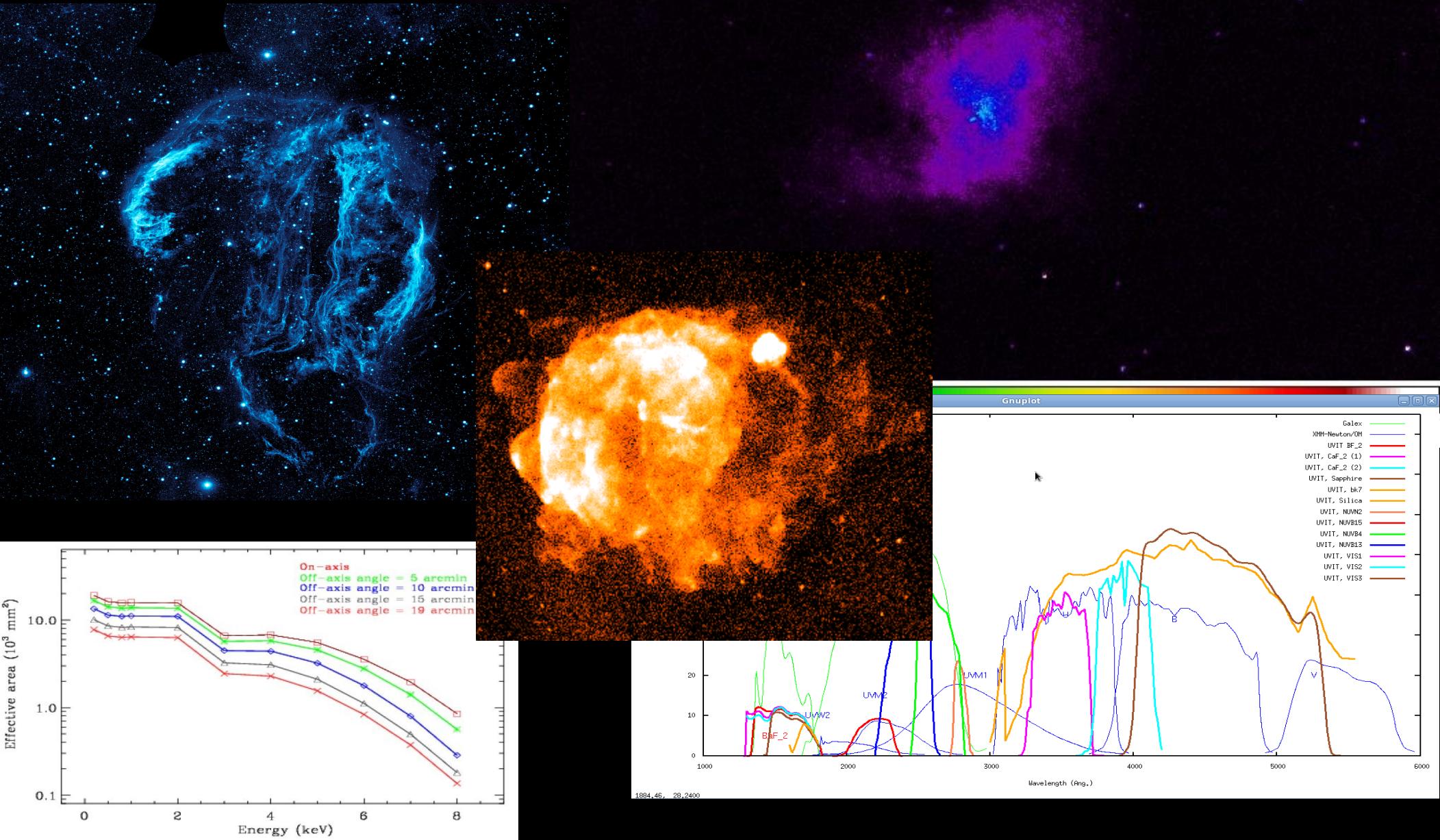


# Supernovae Remnants with Astrosat

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# Why study SNRs?

Because they are there!

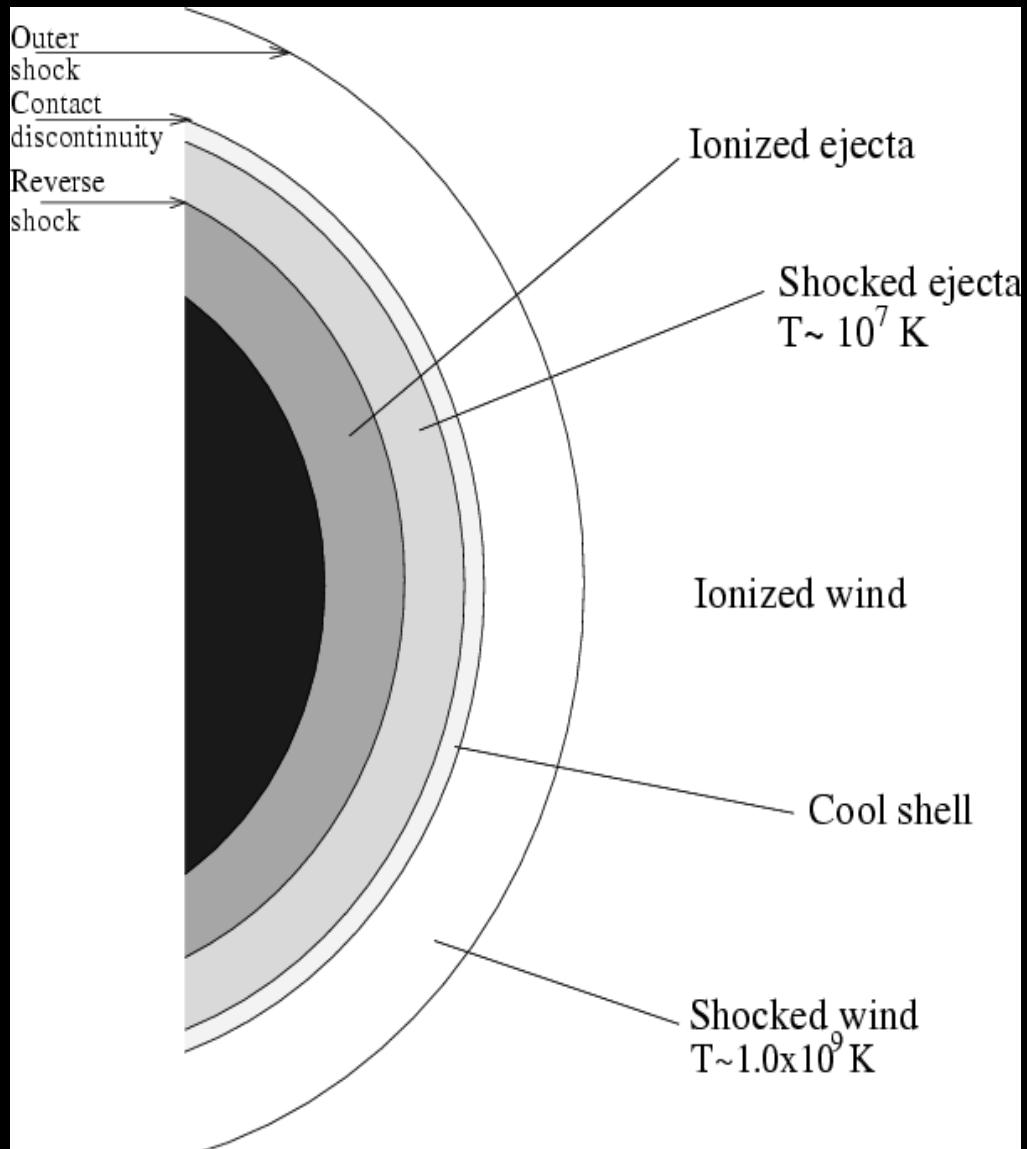
(SNRs) play a vital role in many area of astrophysics.

- Enrich the ISM with newly nucleosynthesised material from SNe.
- Responsible for the dynamics and kinematics of gas in the ISM, leading to star formation, formation of super bubbles, galactic outflows..
- May be sites for Galactic, ultra-high energy cosmic rays ( $E \approx 10^{14}$  eV), via diffusive shock acceleration in the forward shock.
- Constrain models of late time shock - ISM interaction,
- Provides an insight in to the evolutionary state of the pre-SN progenitor and its CSM.
- Deep (up to Msec) Chandra x-ray imaging of several SNRs highlighted several complex phenomena, both resolving and raising questions about the nature (clumpy, gaseous, or dusty) and the physical properties of the ISM.
- For SNRs that are both optical and X-ray bright, it is important to complement the high temperature ( $10^{6-7}$  K) phenomena with UV imaging, sampling regions of  $10^{4-5}$  K gas both in filaments and other interacting medium.

# A blast wave that lights up the past

- Core rebound initiates shock wave through progenitor envelope.
- Blast wave propagates out, sweeps up CSM / ISM material in front it.
- Free Expansion phase ( $10^2$  to  $10^3$  yr):  
Supersonic, adiabatic expansion/cooling,  $r_{\text{shock}} \propto t^{-3}$
- Reverse shock forms at  $M_{\text{CSM}} \approx M_{\text{ejecta.}}$ ; moves inwards, expansion slows, reheating
- Sedov-Taylor expansion ( $10^4$  yr): Adiabatic cooling dominates.
- Snow plow phase:  $10^6$ - $10^9$  yr Radiative cooling dominates.
- Mixing of ISM and ejecta

Image credit: Nymark, Fransson & Kozma, 2006, A &A

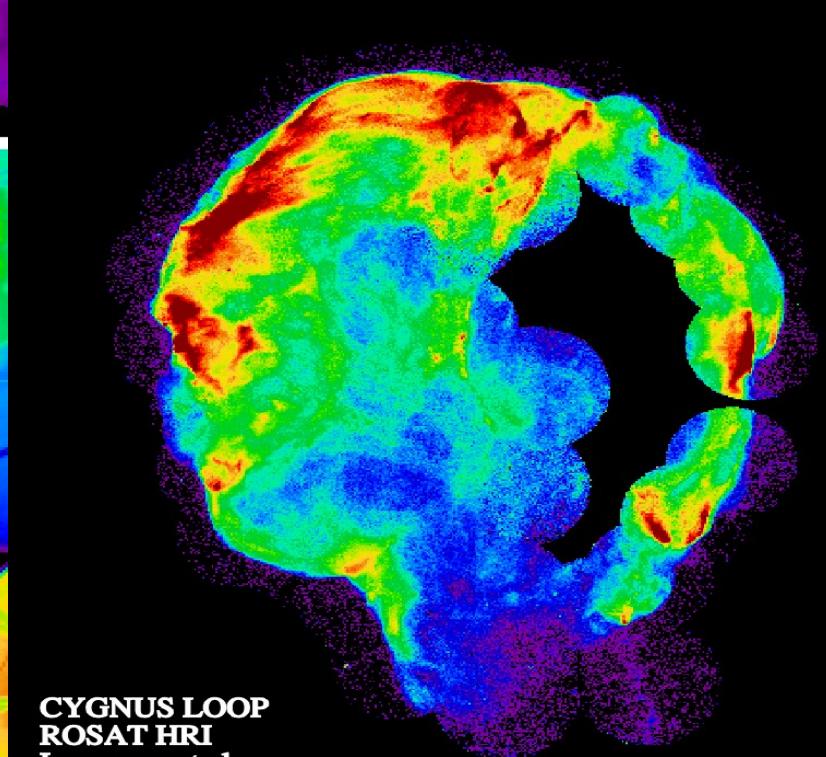
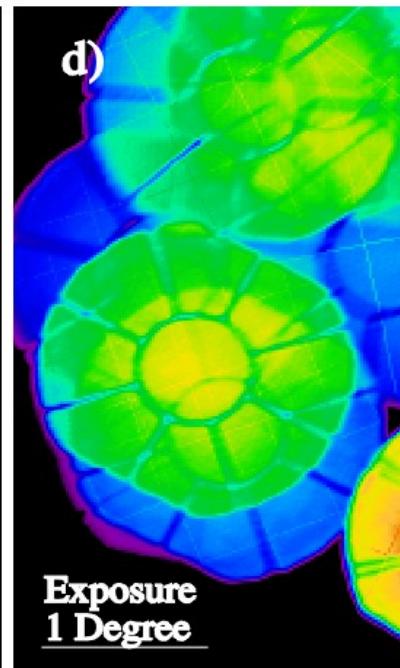
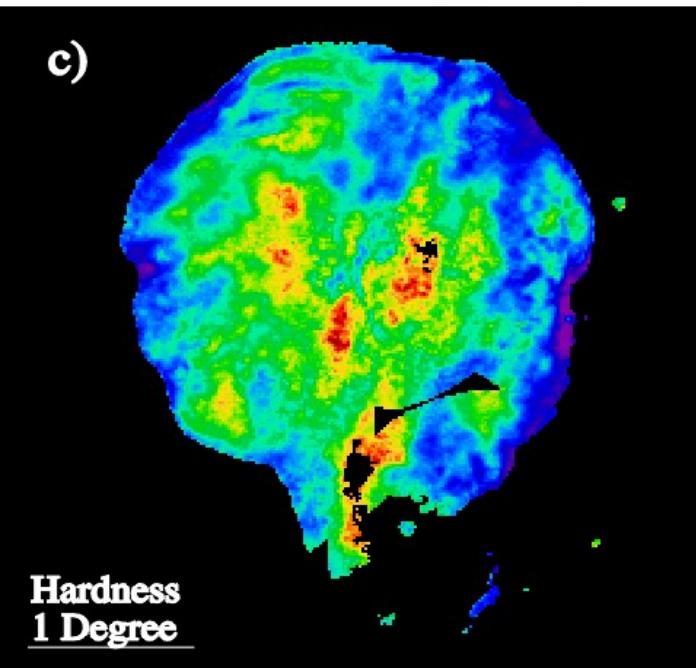
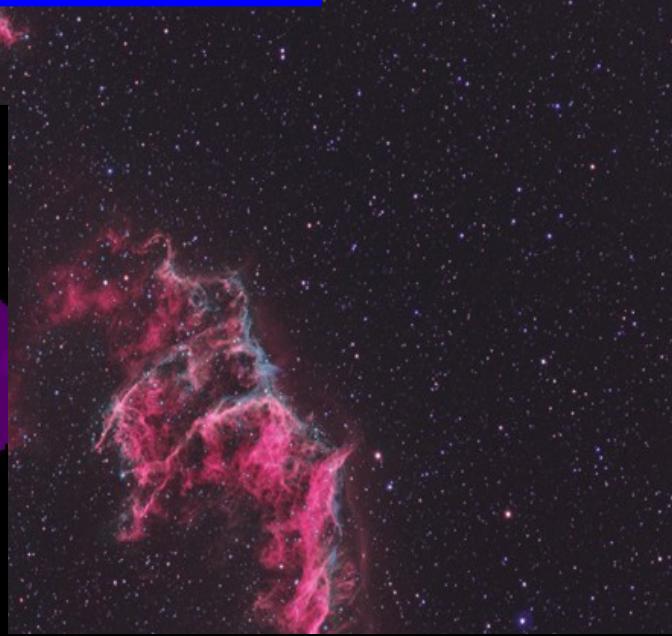
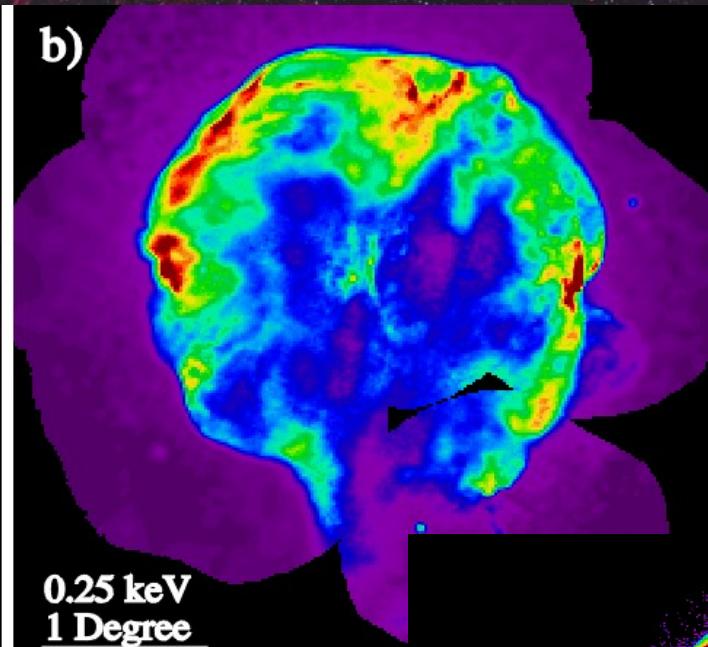
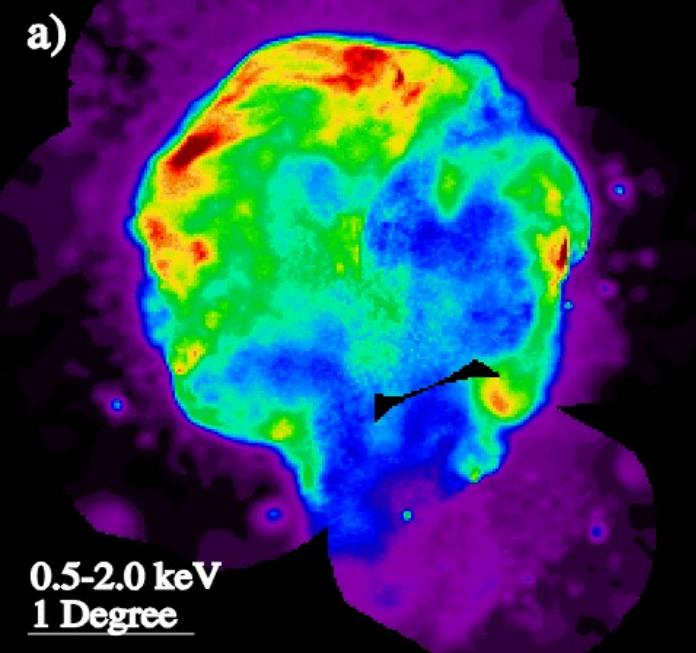


# Revisiting well studied SNRs with Astrosat

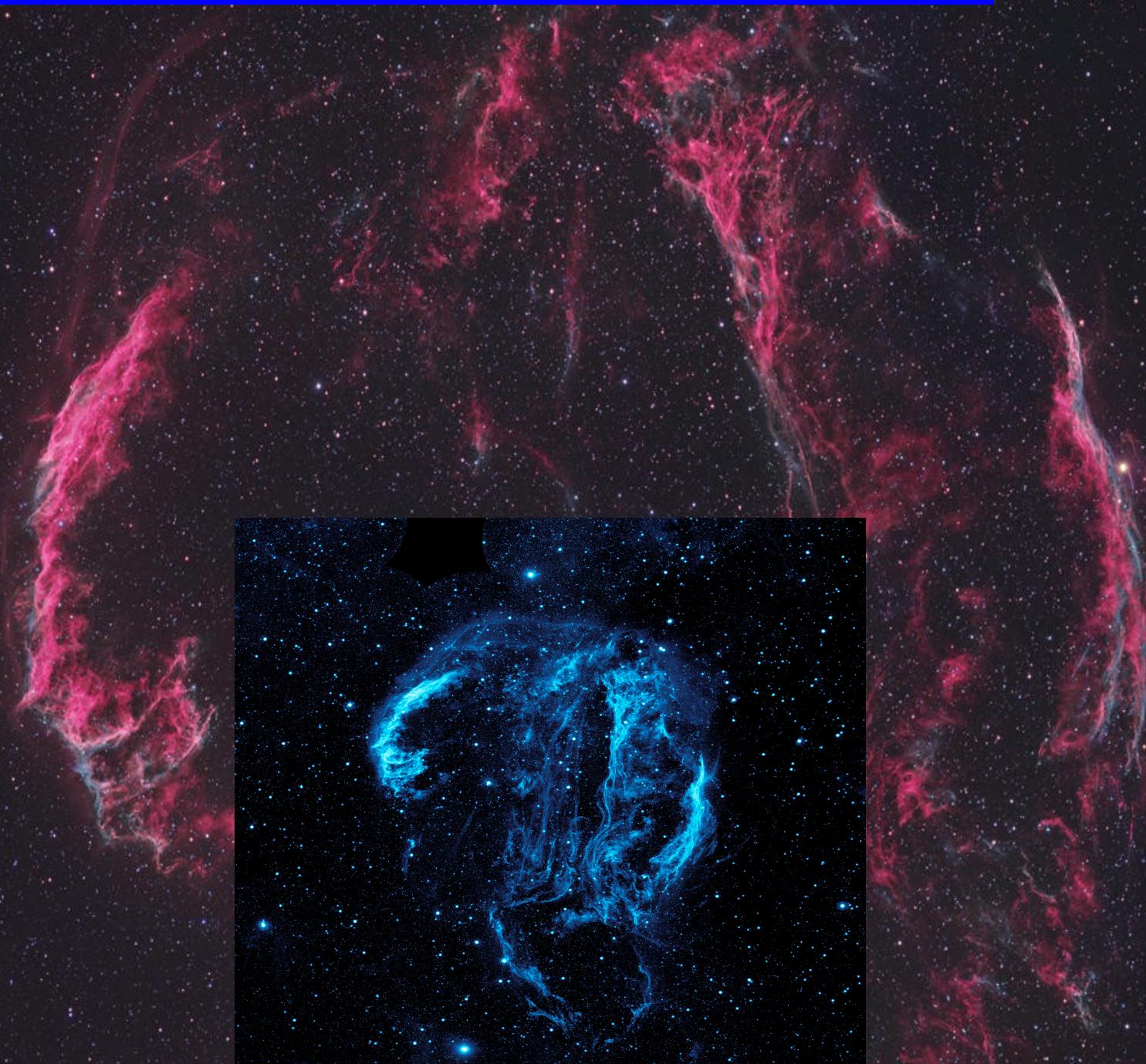
Age range: **18000 $\pm$  9000 yr (Vela) ;**  
**5000-8000 yr (Cygnus loop) ;**  
**1000 yr (Crab).**

- **Temporal evolution of SNRs from different classes of SNe, in a varying range of environments.**
- **Narrow band FUV + NUV imaging of hot (10<sup>4-5</sup> K) and intermediate (5000- 8000 K) regions via emission lines of C IV (1550 Ang.), He II (1640 Ang.), and Mg II lines (2800 Å),**
- **All are X-ray and optical bright. Filamentary structure seen in the optical, although Crab has centre filled geometry (PWN driven).**
- **Bridging the gap between x-ray bright ( 10<sup>6-7</sup> K) and cool, optical regions.**
- **Nebular X-ray emission mainly soft, thermal. May be resolved in to multi temperature components.**
- **Multiple SNRs in Vela, and Cygnus(?)**

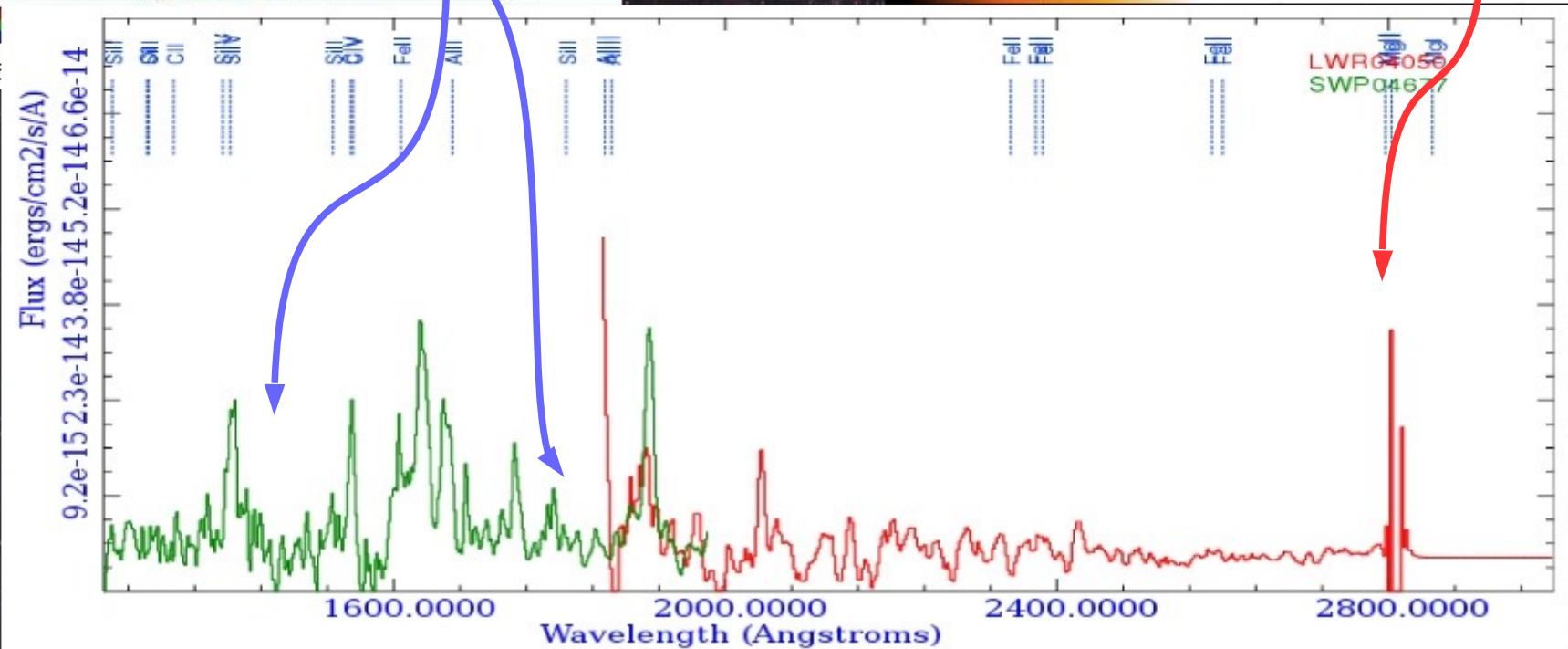
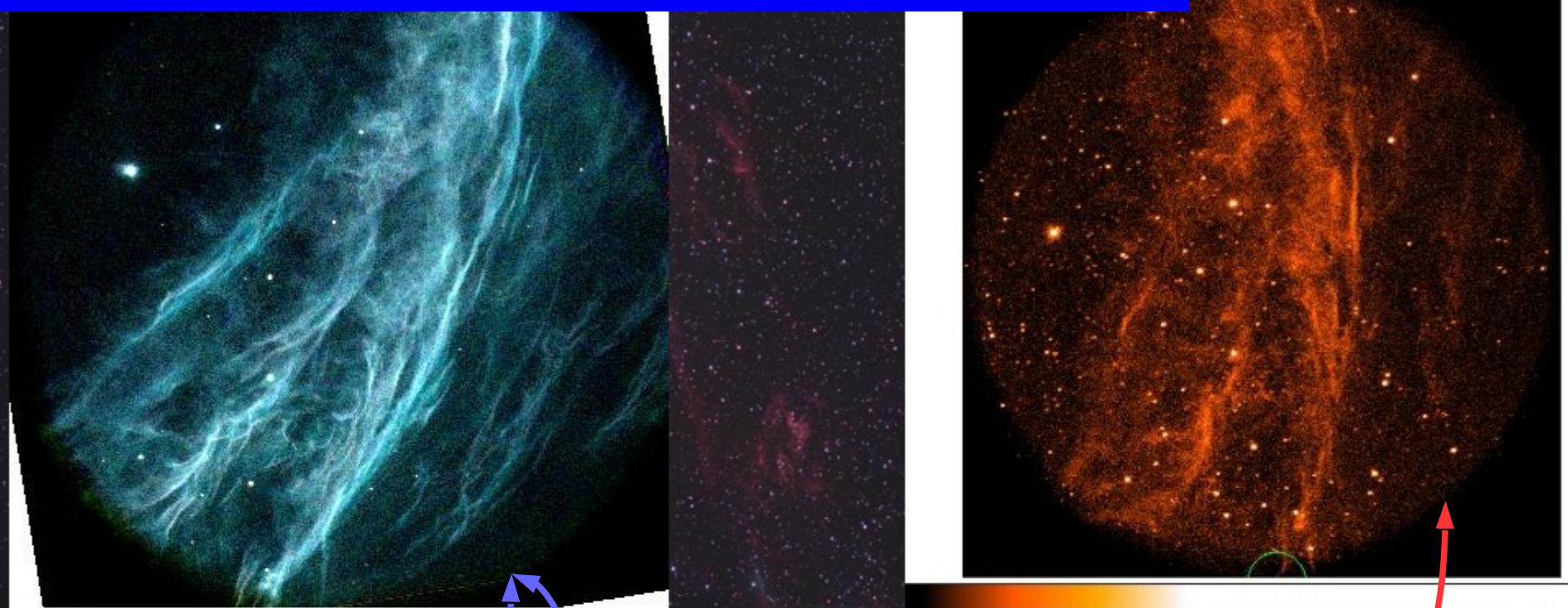
# Cygnus loop – ROSAT PSPC + HRI



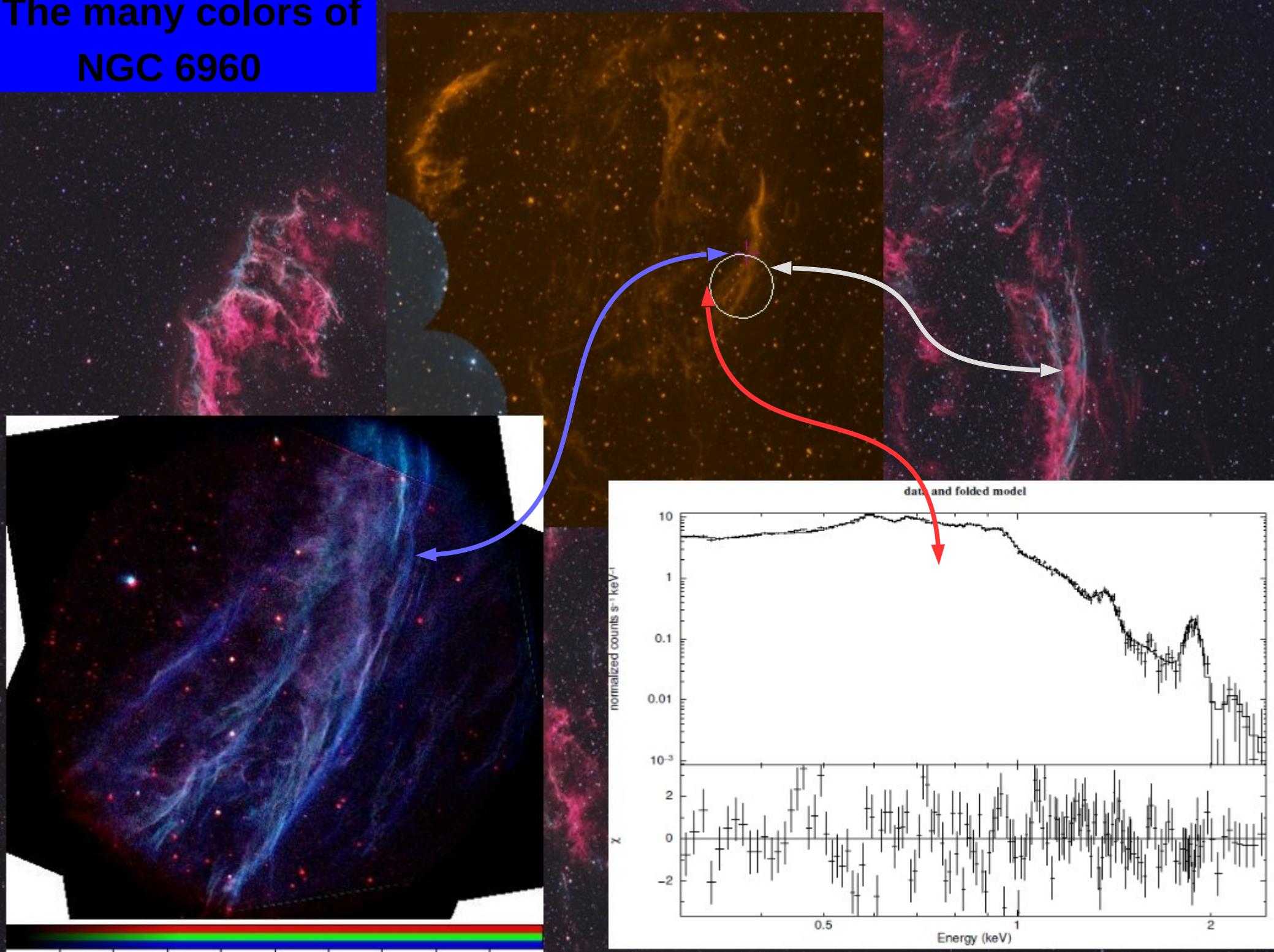
# The Cygnus loop in H-a, RGB, and Galex UV



# Spectral morphology of NGC 6960 – IUE & UVIT



# The many colors of NGC 6960



# NGC 6960 in Soft X-ray (SXT band)

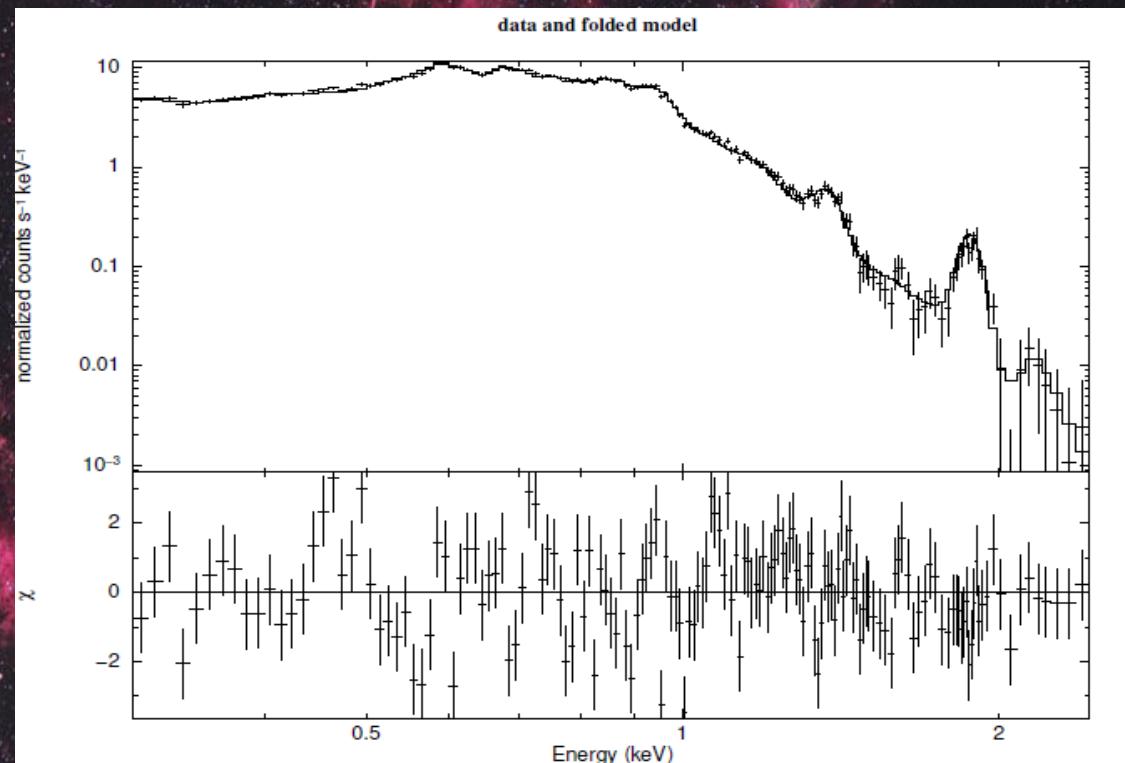
Two thermal component X-ray plasma model with variable abundances, with  $T_1 = 0.194 \pm 0.002$  keV and  $T_2 = 0.75 \pm 0.01$  keV.

Mg dominates in the low temp component,

High temp should be dominated by C and He.

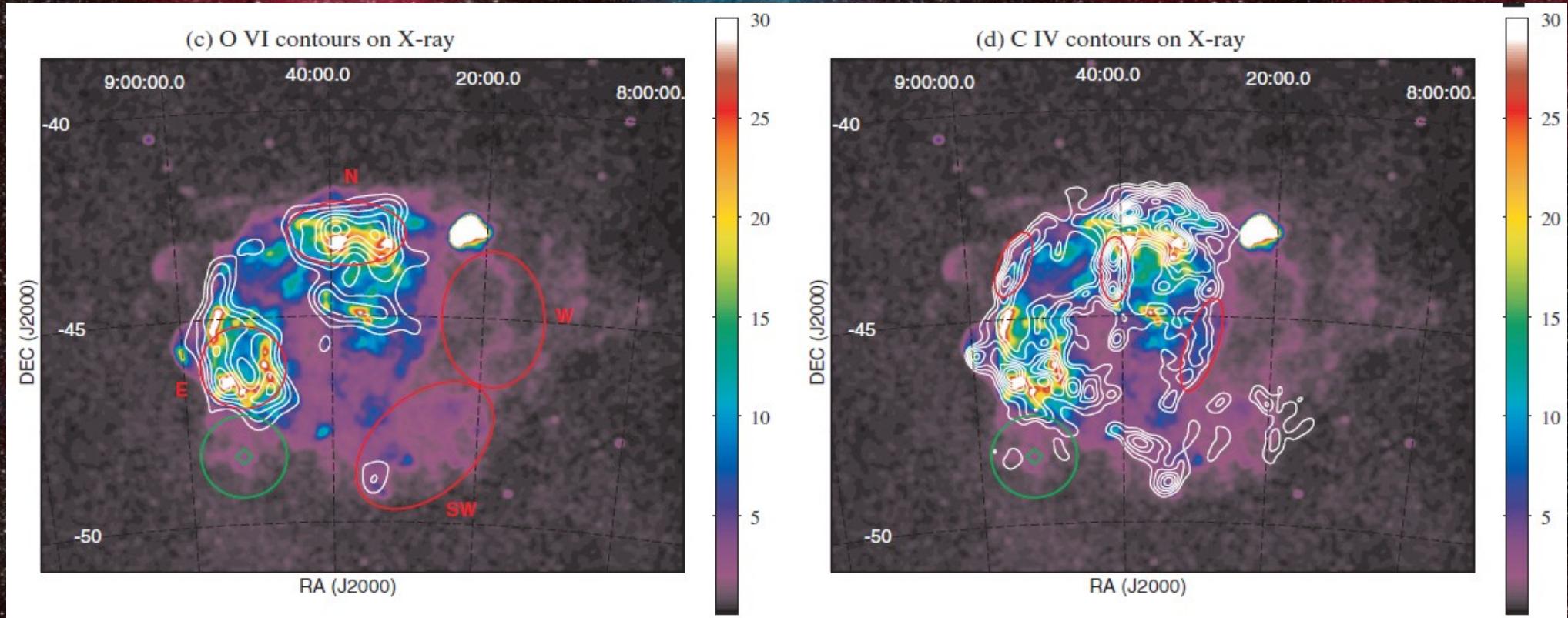
UVIT Image credits: Sutaria, Rahna, Ray, Singh, Ray, Murthy, Rao and Tandon.

Spectrum credit: K. P. Singh, Sutaria et al.



# Vela: The residue of a very active galactic star forming region

SPEAR/FIMS data, Il-Joong Kim et al, 2012, ApJ.



FUV Line Luminosities and Comparisons with the Cygnus Loop

Species	N	E	SW	W	Whole	Cygnus Loop
C III $\lambda 977$	$2.07 \pm 0.10$	$1.41 \pm 0.10$	$2.19 \pm 0.16$	$0.69 \pm 0.08$	$21.84 \pm 0.49$	$8.82^b$
N III $\lambda 991$	$0.23 \pm 0.04$	$0.27 \pm 0.05$	$0.42 \pm 0.10$	$0.23 \pm 0.06$	$3.01 \pm 0.33$	...
O VI $\lambda\lambda 1032, 1038$	$2.12 \pm 0.09$	$1.79 \pm 0.10$	$0.42 \pm 0.12$	$0.20 \pm 0.07$	$14.81 \pm 0.45$	$15.0^b$
Si IV $\lambda\lambda 1394, 1403$	$0.16 \pm 0.02$	$0.07 \pm 0.02$	...	...	...	$0.66 \pm 0.06^b$
O IV] $\lambda 1404$	$0.57 \pm 0.03$	$0.41 \pm 0.03$	$0.44 \pm 0.05$	$0.28 \pm 0.03$	$6.13 \pm 0.17$	
N IV] $\lambda 1486$	$0.11 \pm 0.01$	$0.09 \pm 0.01$	$0.06 \pm 0.02$	...	$1.47 \pm 0.07$	...
C IV $\lambda\lambda 1548, 1551$	$1.88 \pm 0.02$	$1.38 \pm 0.02$	$1.56 \pm 0.03$	$0.76 \pm 0.02$	$20.28 \pm 0.12$	$4.47 \pm 0.14^b$
He II $\lambda 1640.5$	$0.28 \pm 0.01$	$0.14 \pm 0.02$	$0.23 \pm 0.03$	$0.07 \pm 0.02$	$2.75 \pm 0.10$	$0.68 \pm 0.06^b$
O III] $\lambda\lambda 1661, 1666$	$0.39 \pm 0.02$	$0.20 \pm 0.02$	$0.33 \pm 0.03$	$0.10 \pm 0.02$	$3.56 \pm 0.12$	$0.65 \pm 0.08^b$
X-ray	...	...	...	...	$3.0^a$	$3.59^b$

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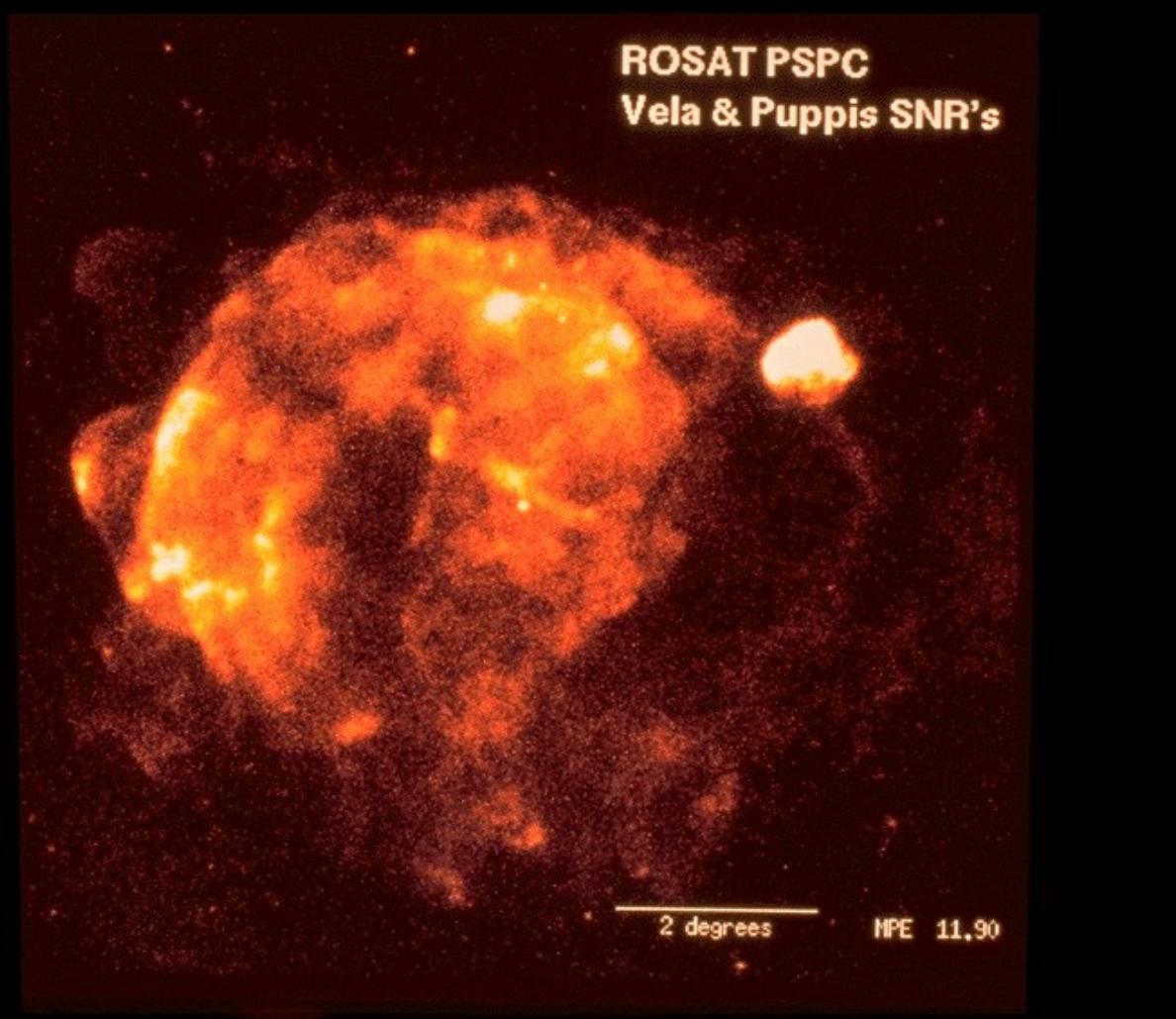


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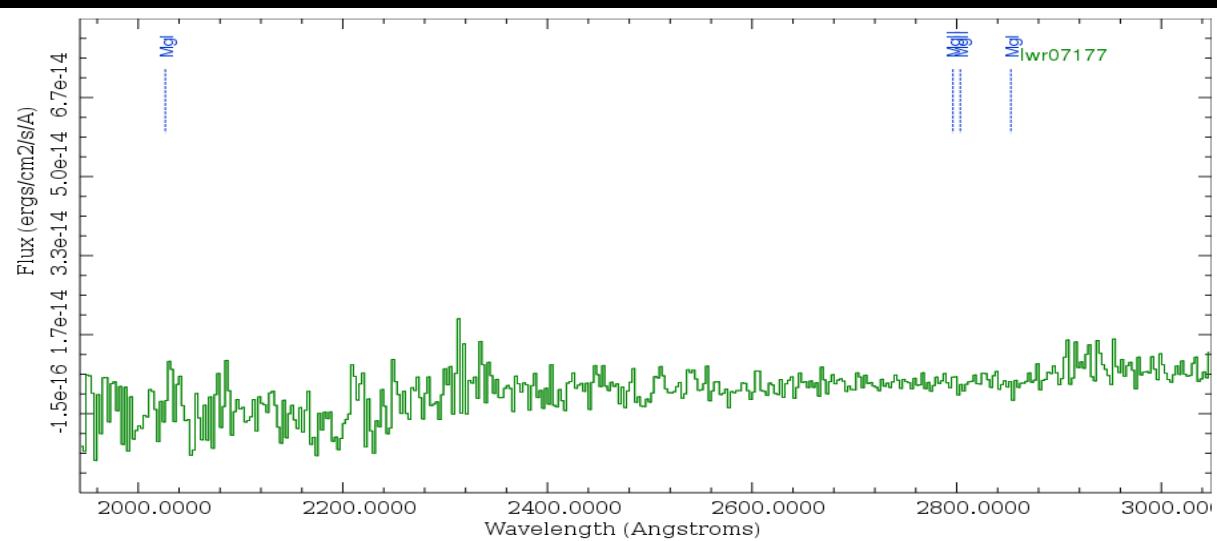
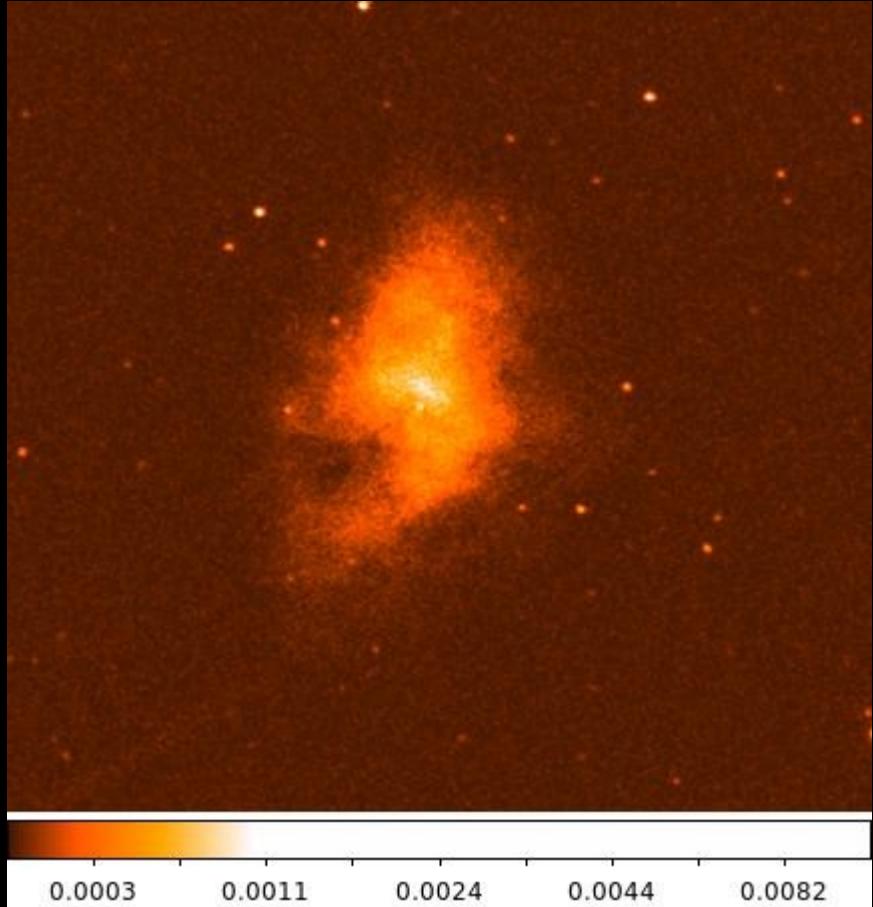
# Crab

UVIT NUV-B13 (~2480 Å) image ▶  
of Crab Nebula.

Some faint emission is seen along  
the external filmanetary structure.

The PWN is clearly visible.

Emission is most likely continuum  
dominated.

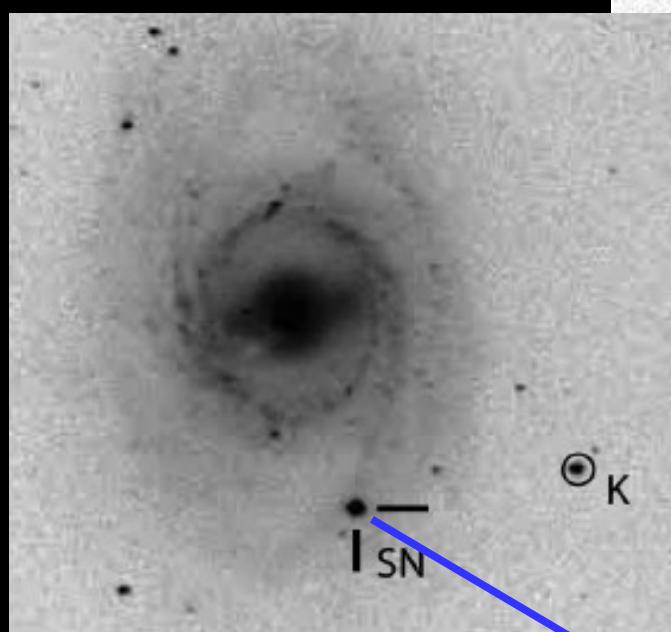


# Core collapse Supernovae from Radio to X-ray --

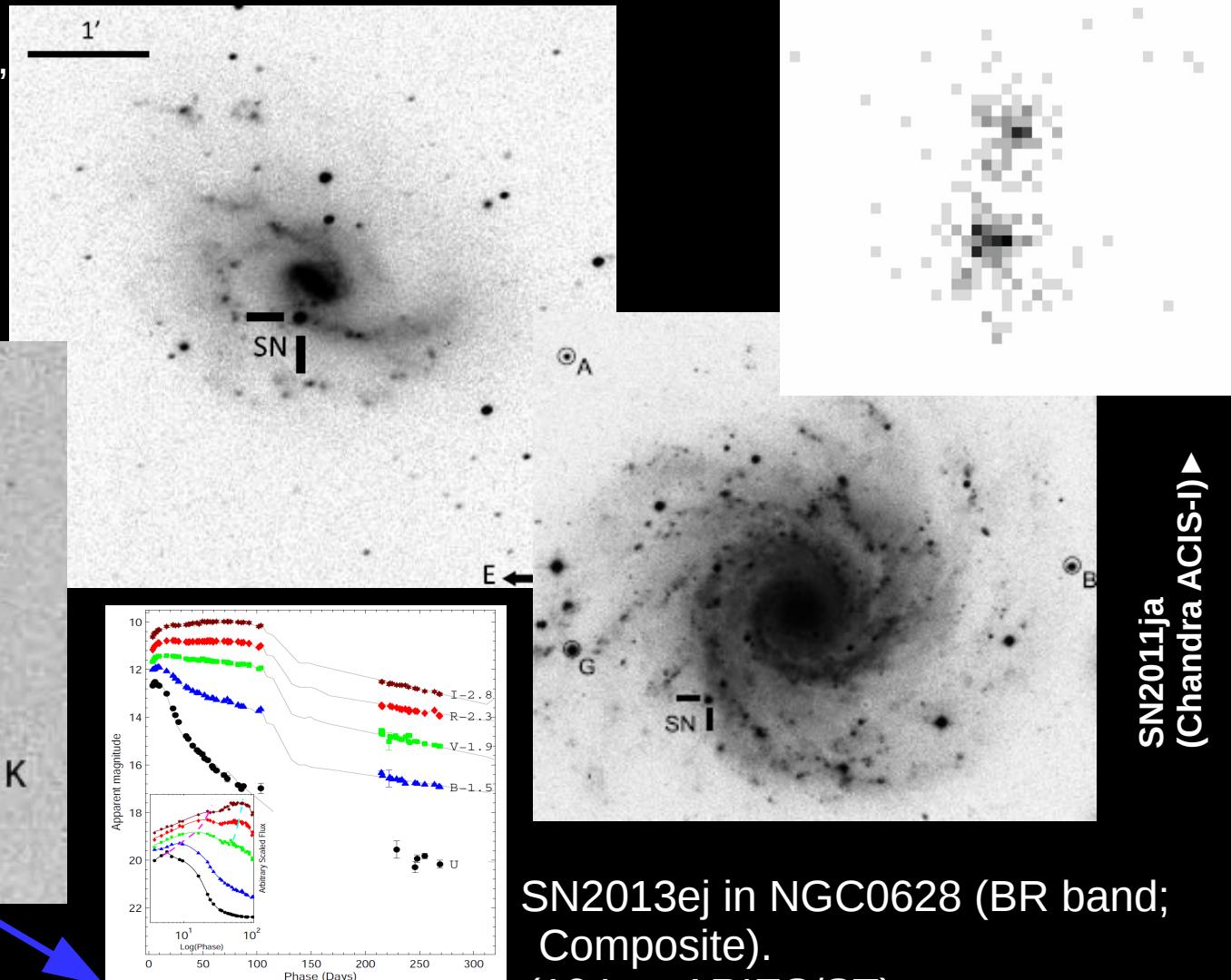
Reconstructing the progenitor from multi waveband properties

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SN2013ab in NGC 5669 (V),  
(104 cm ARIES/ST). ►



▲ SN2012aw in NGC 3551  
(V), (104 cm ARIES/ST).



SN2013ej in NGC0628 (BR band;  
Composite).  
(104cm ARIES/ST).

SN2011ja  
(Chandra ACIS-I) ▶

