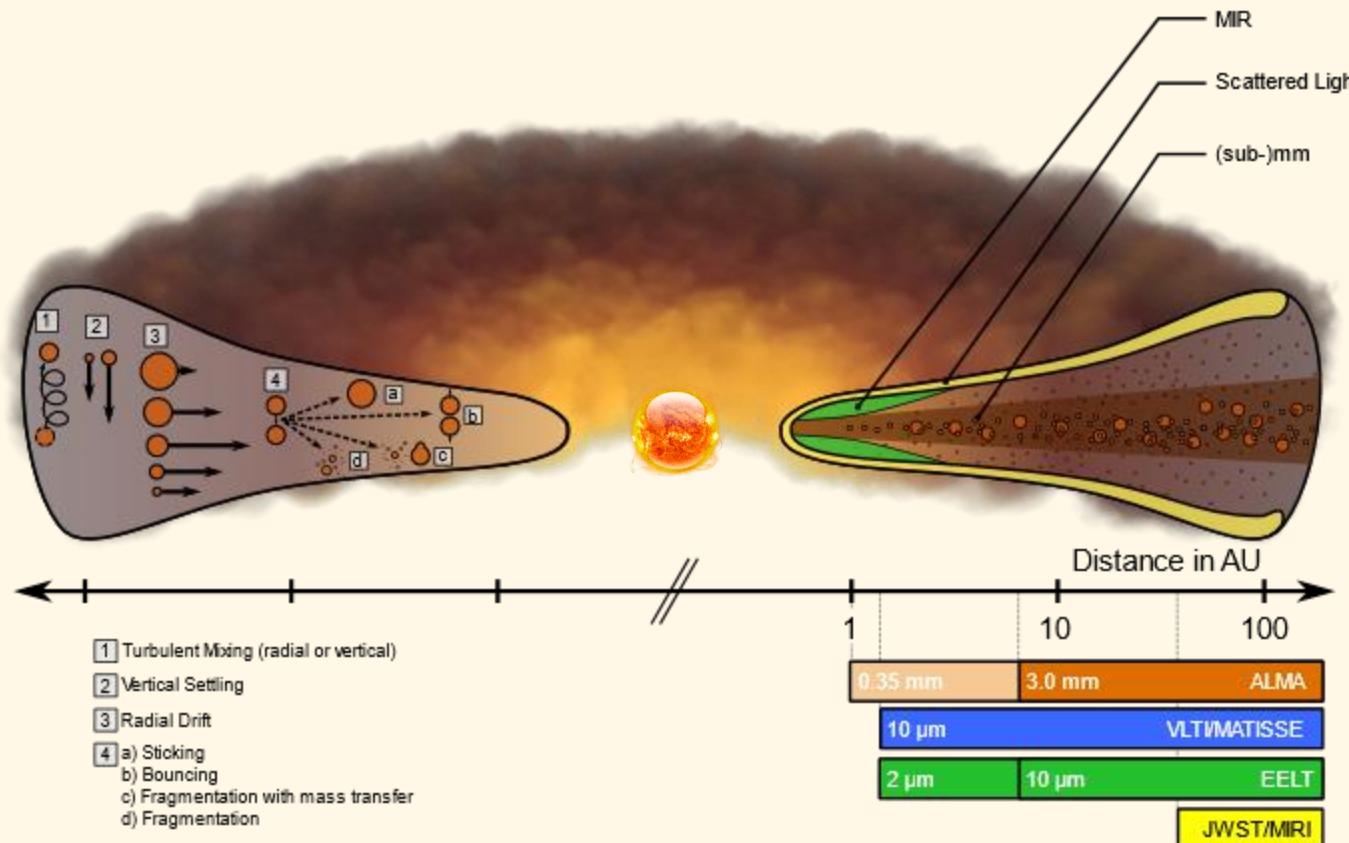


# CLUSTERS OF HEAVY PARTICLES IN TWO-DIMENSIONAL KEPLERIAN TURBULENCE

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## PROTOPLANETARY DISKS

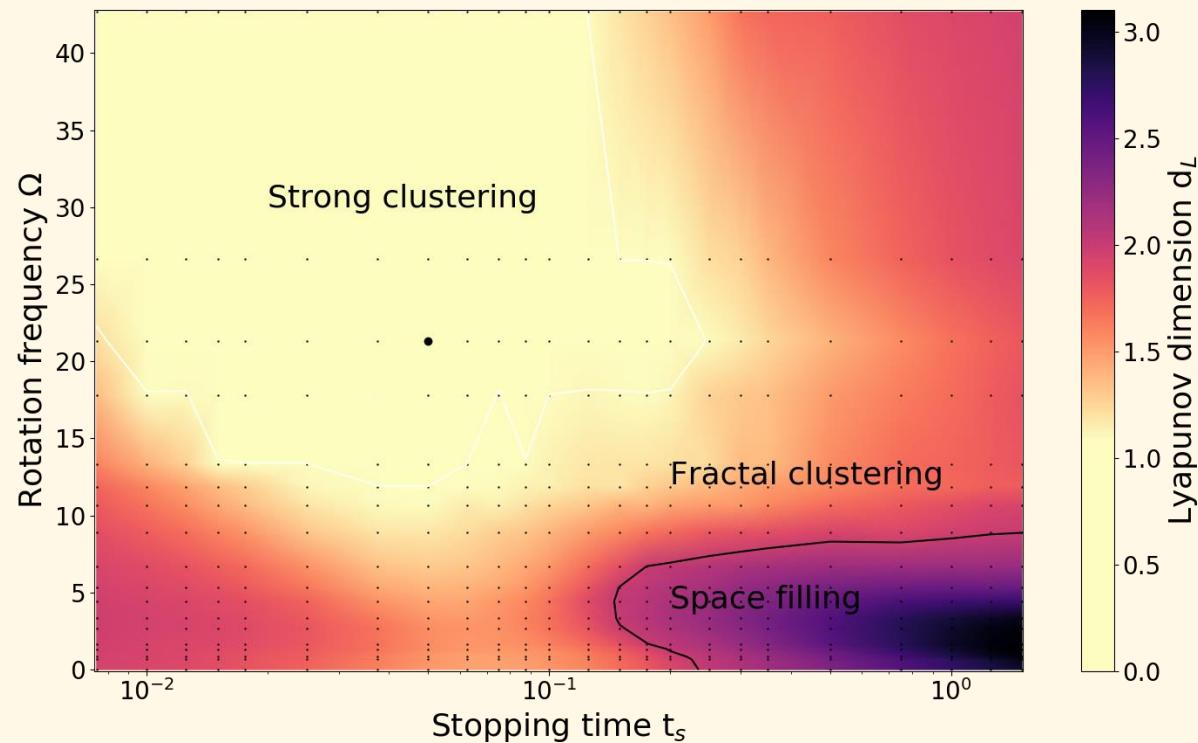
- 99% gas and 1% dust
- Dust  $\sim \mu\text{m-cm}$   $\longrightarrow$  Planetesimals  $\sim \text{km}$
- Formation of planetesimals: open question
- Turbulence for particles concentration

## METHOD

- 2D direct numerical simulations
- Various values of rotation frequency  $\Omega$  and solid stopping time  $t_s$

## RESULTS

### Fractal vs strong clustering



### Formation of clusters

