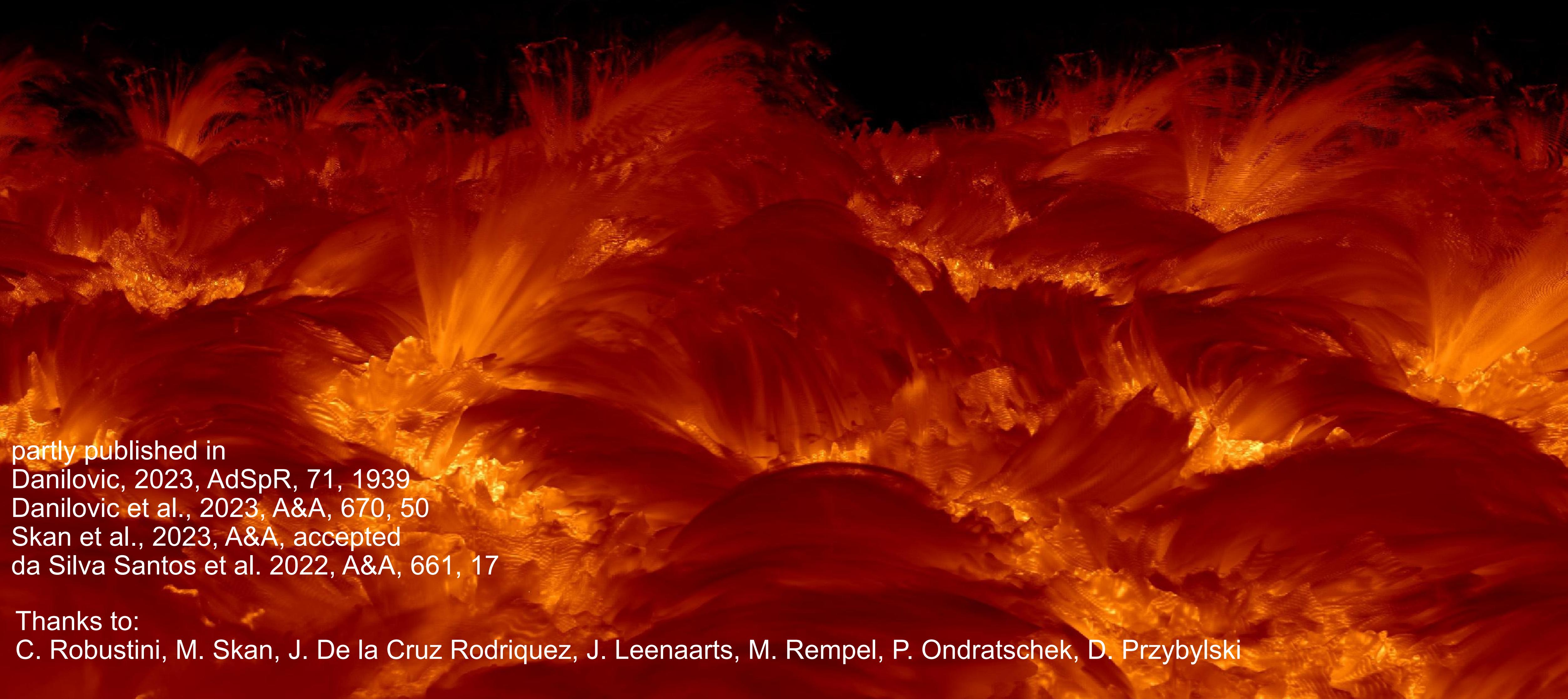


# Understanding chromospheric dynamics

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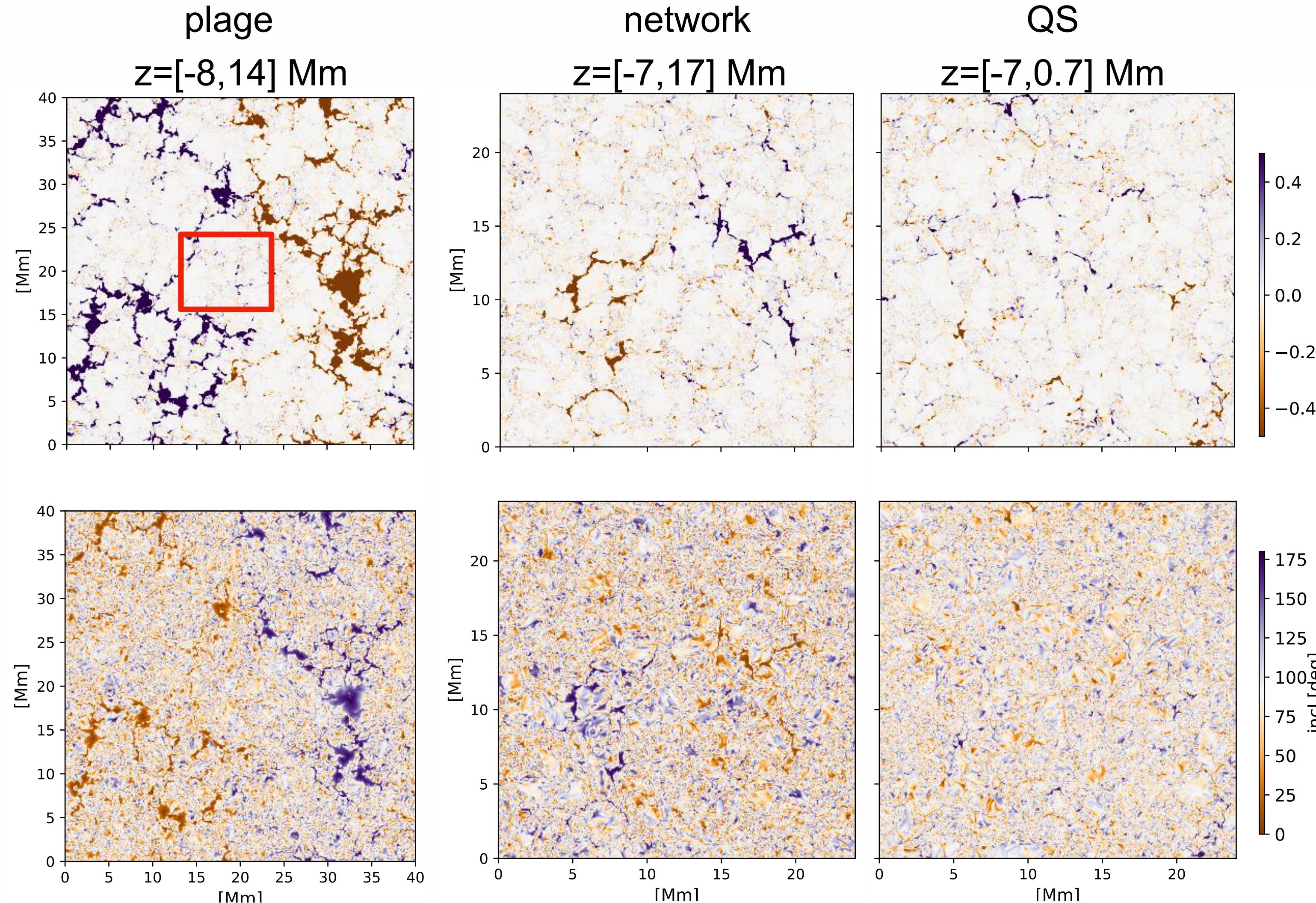
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# Where are they on the scale of MURaM models?

- Comparison of magnetic field

QS: small-scale dynamo (Rempel 2014)  
 quantitatively compared with  
 Hinode/SP (Danilovic et al. 2016) and  
 Gregor/GRIS (Lagg et al. 2016)



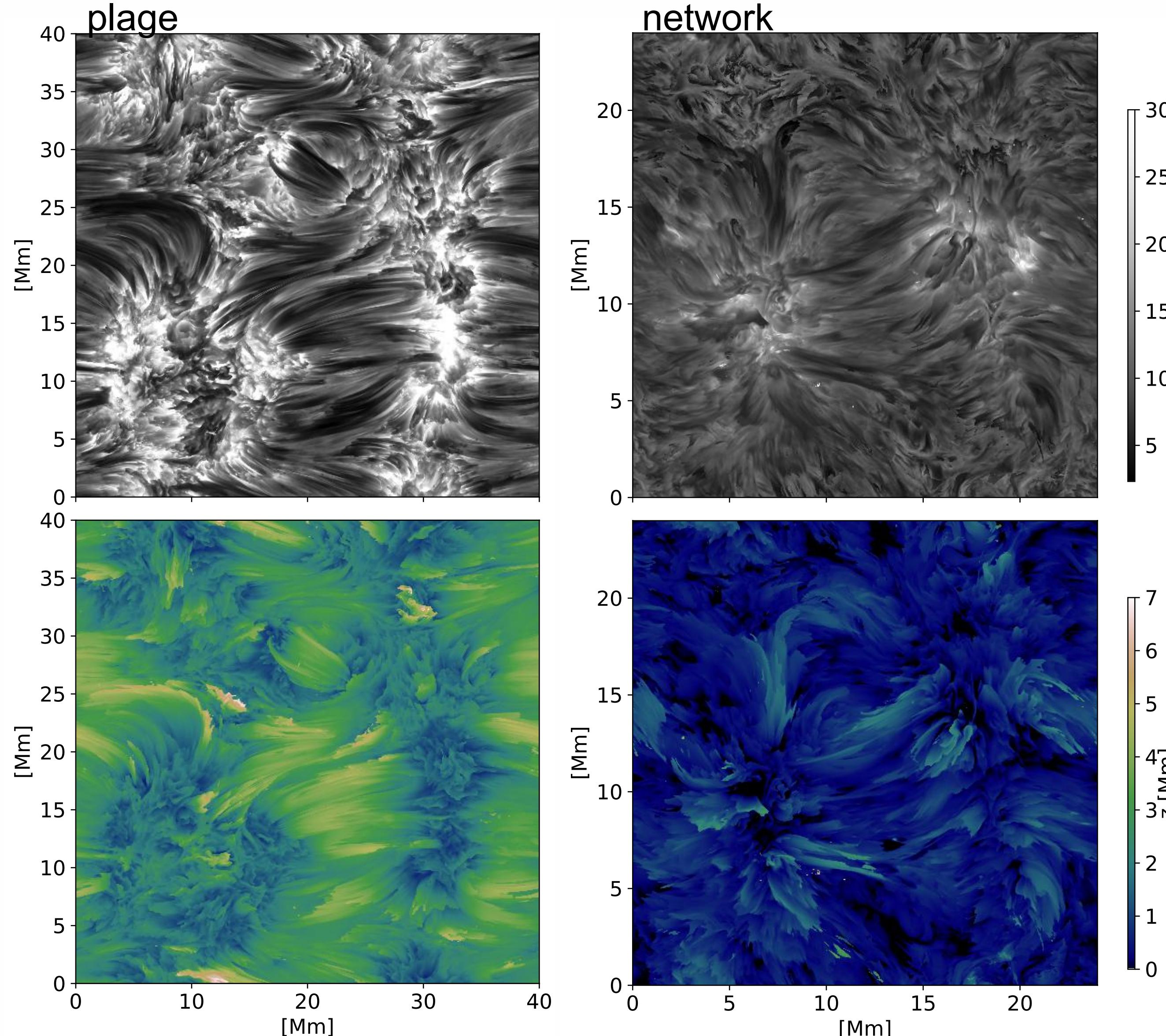
network: with coronal extension  
 and chromospheric extension  
 non-grey non-local RT  
 Non-eq. H ionization  
 (Przybylski et al. 2022)

plage: with coronal extension (Rempel 2017)  
 grey RT

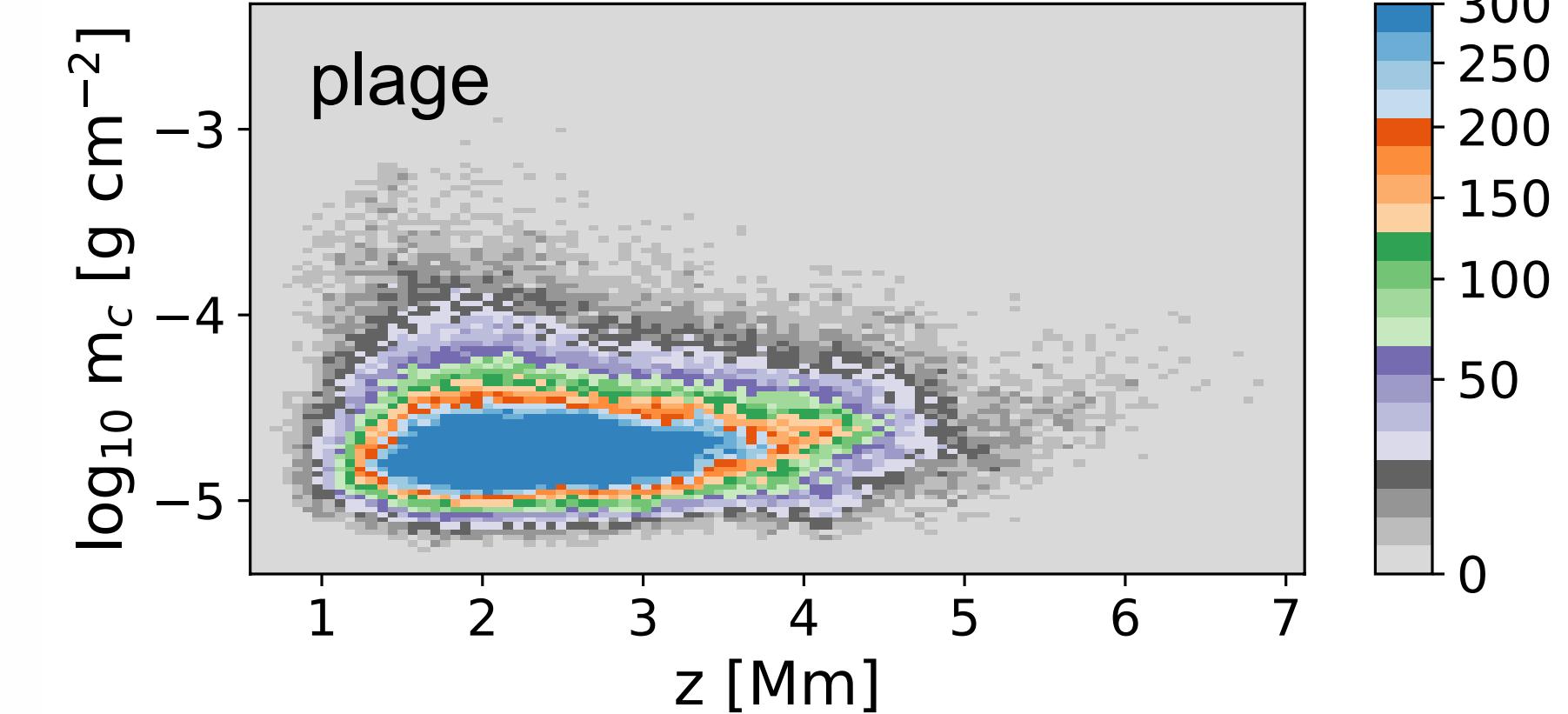
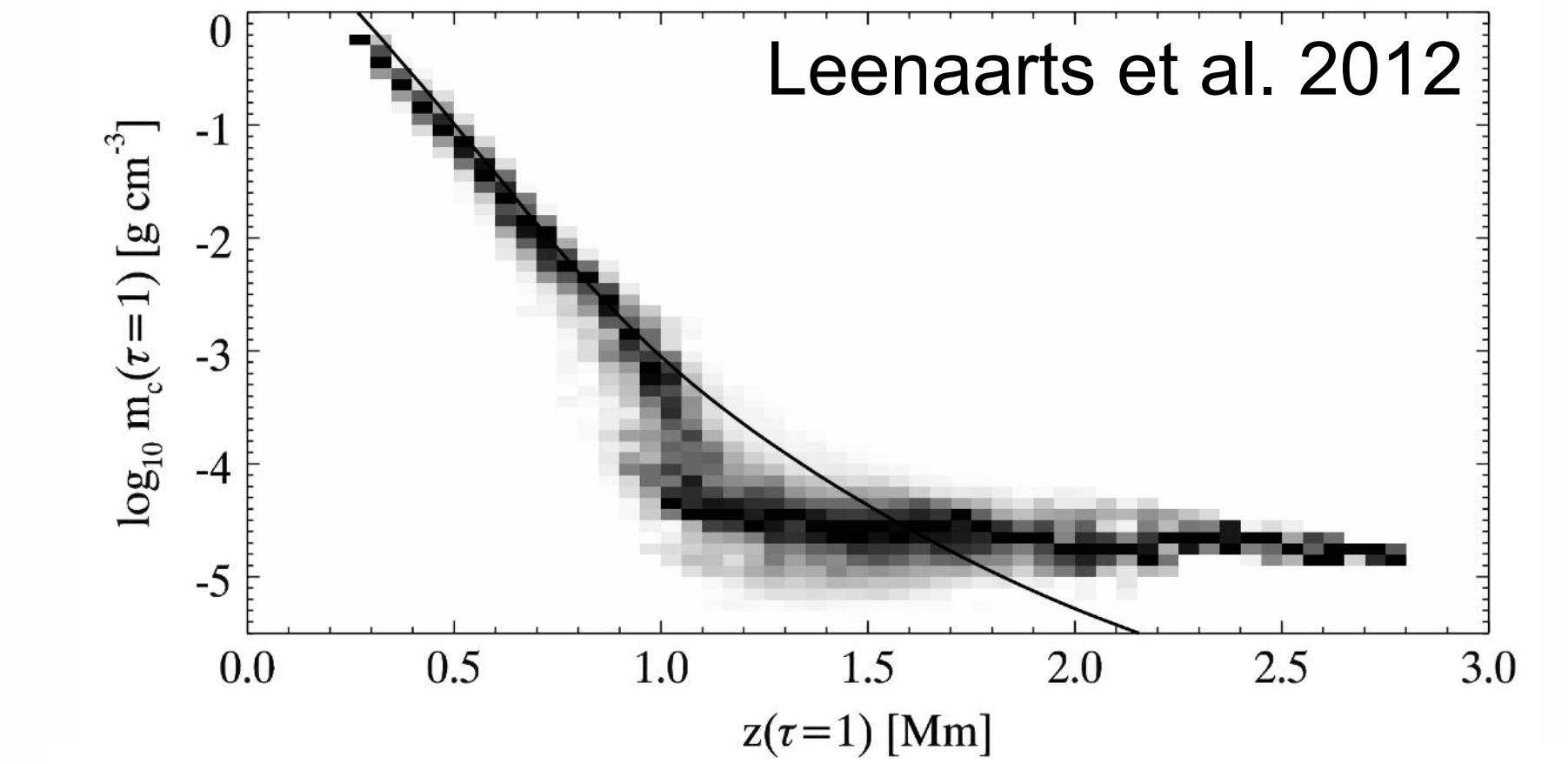
	plage	network	QS
$\langle B \rangle$	187 (94)	115	111
$\langle  B_z  \rangle$	139 (49)	67	68
$\Delta x, \Delta z$ [km]	39, 21	23, 20	16, 16

# Where are they on the scale of MURaM models?

## - Synthetic Halpha

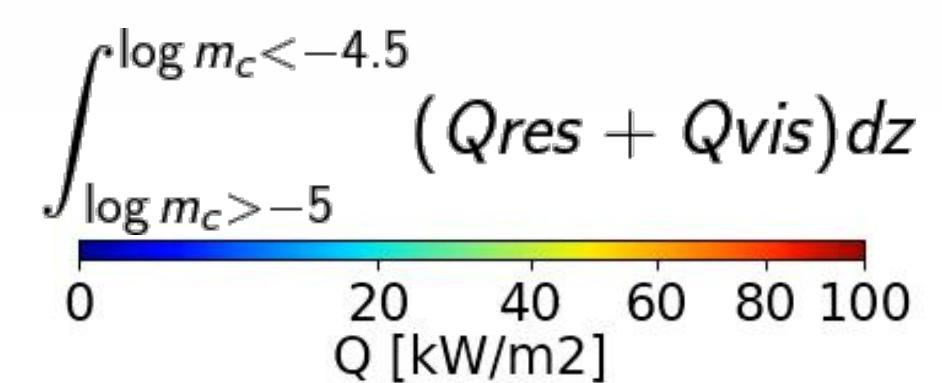


Height of formation of the Halpha line core  
versus column mass

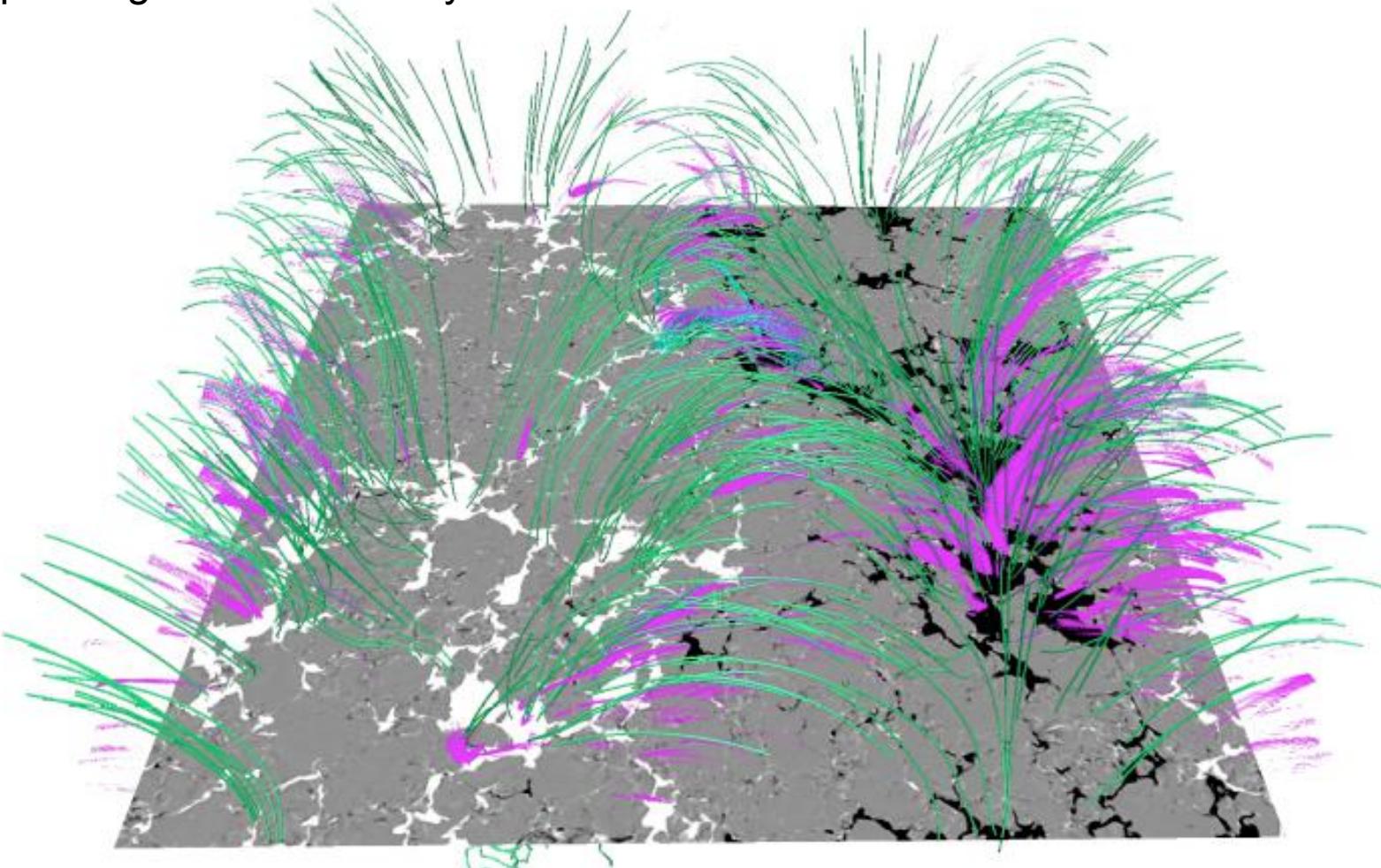


# Plage model - chromospheric dynamics

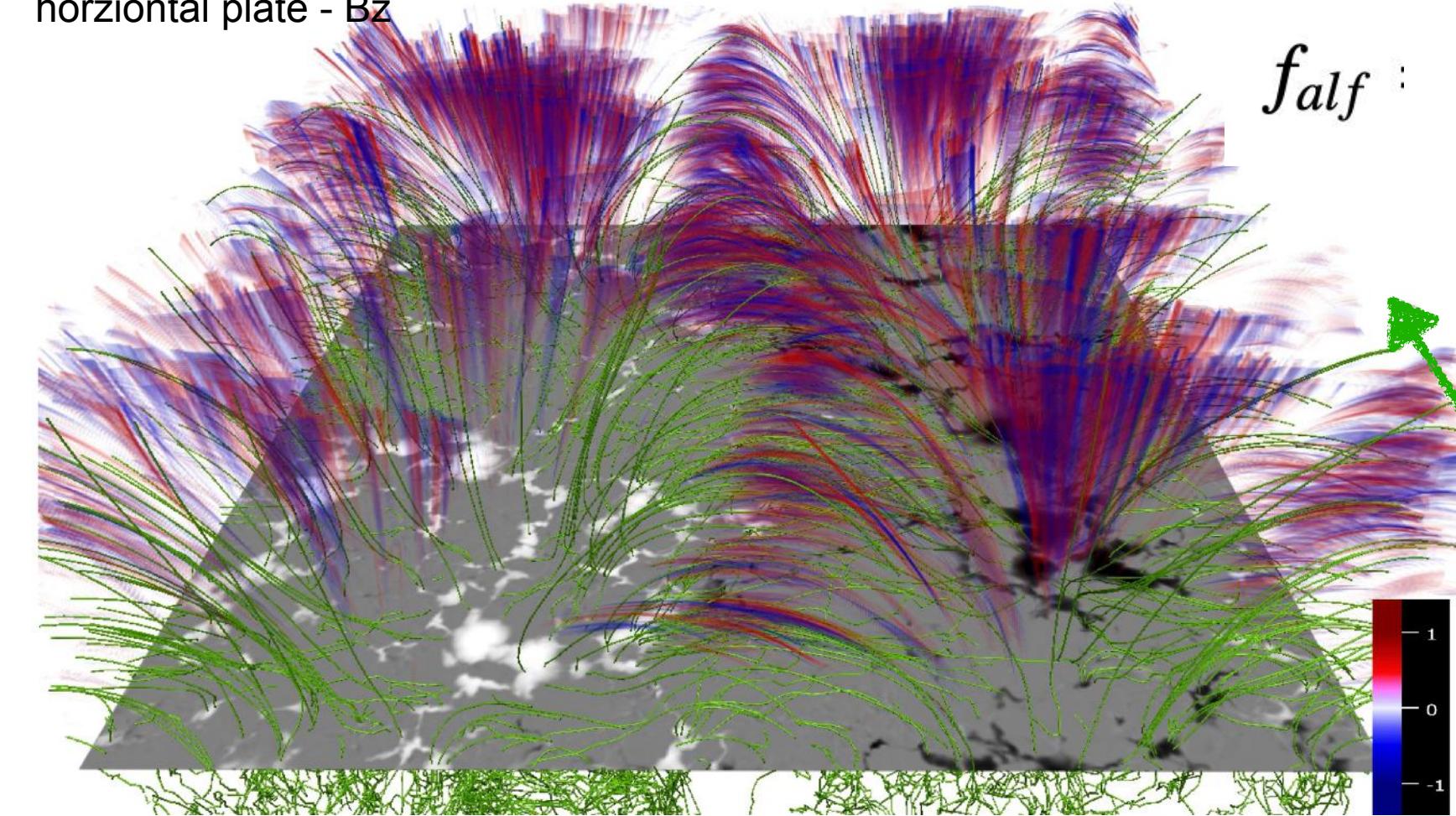
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purple - high current density



green - magnetic field lines  
horizontal plate - Bz



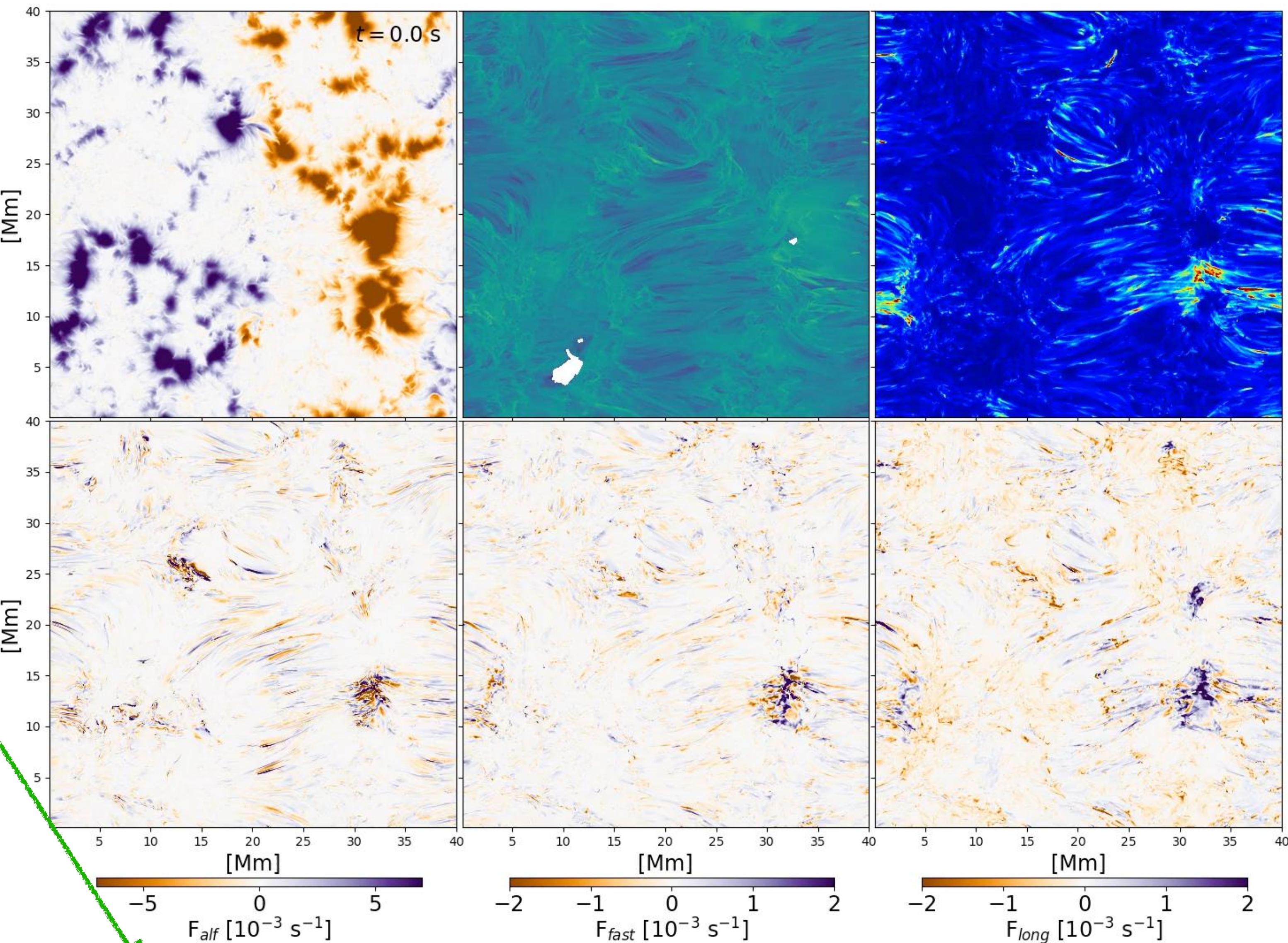
blue and purple - falf

Right - Wave proxies:  
Alfvén, fast and slow magneto-acoustic  
(Cally 2017, Khomenko et al. 2018)

$$f_{alf} = \hat{e}_{\parallel} \cdot \nabla \times \mathbf{v}$$

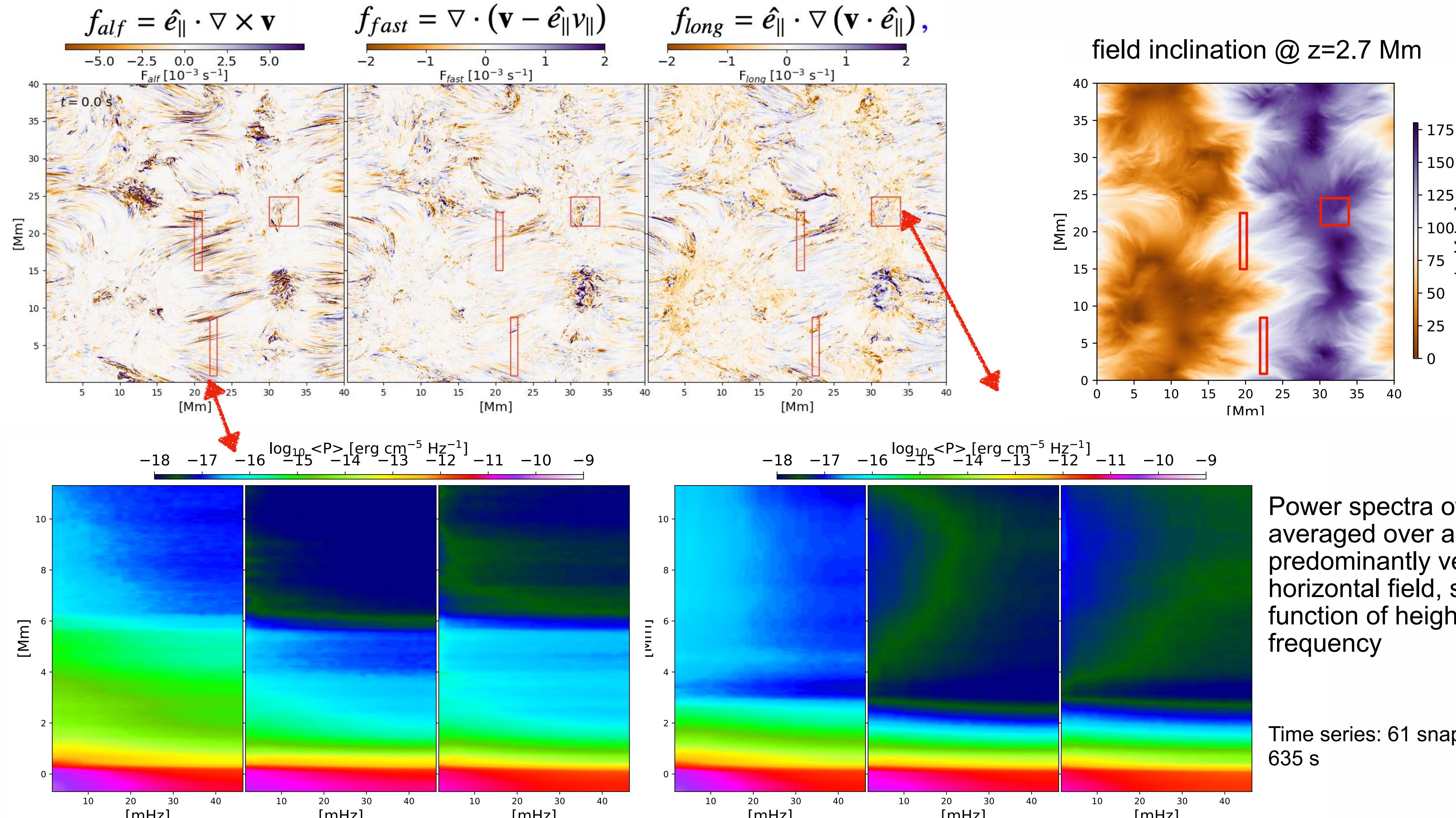
$$f_{fast} = \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{v} - \hat{e}_{\parallel} v_{\parallel})$$

$$f_{long} = \hat{e}_{\parallel} \cdot \nabla (\mathbf{v} \cdot \hat{e}_{\parallel}),$$



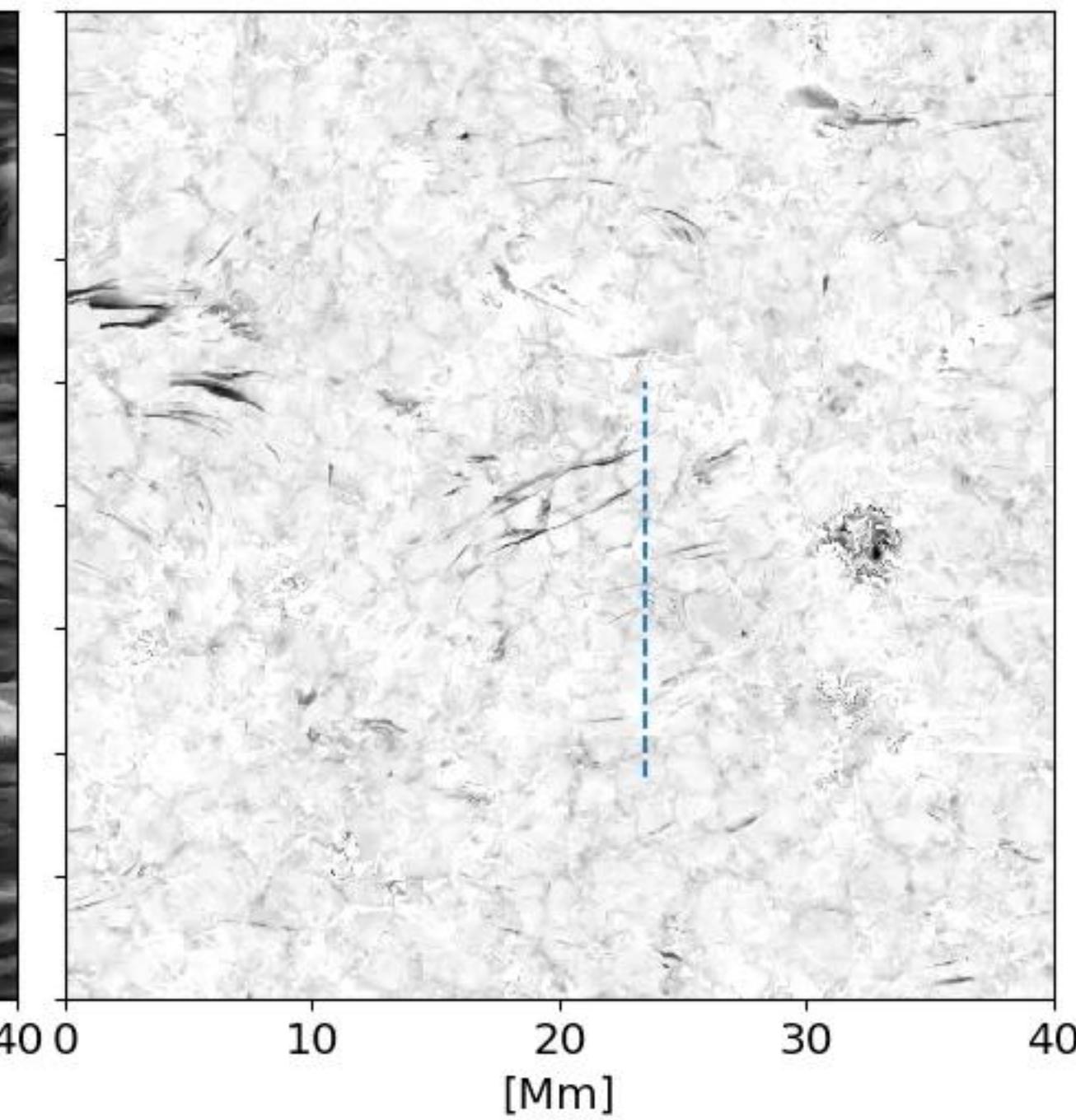
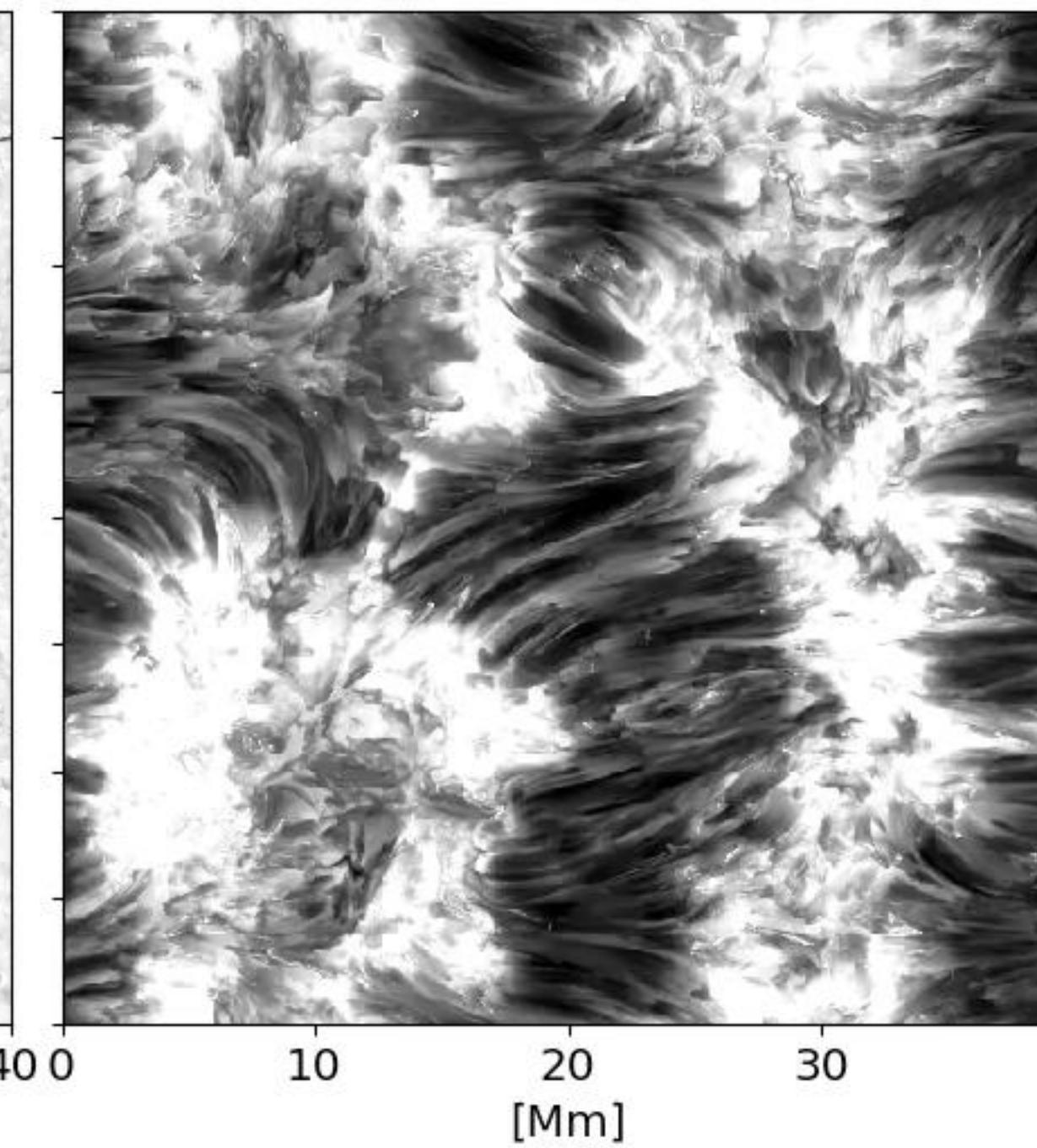
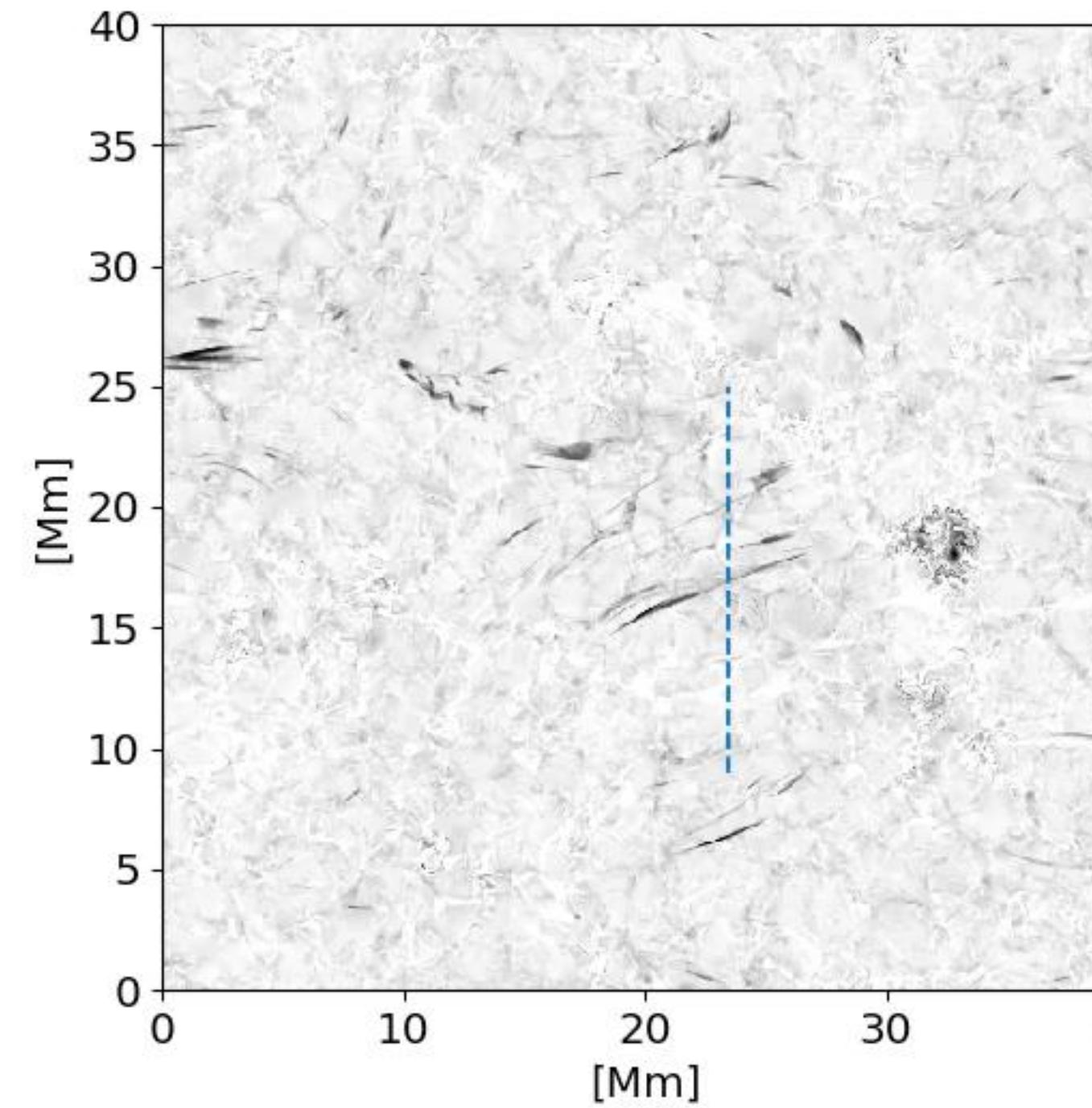
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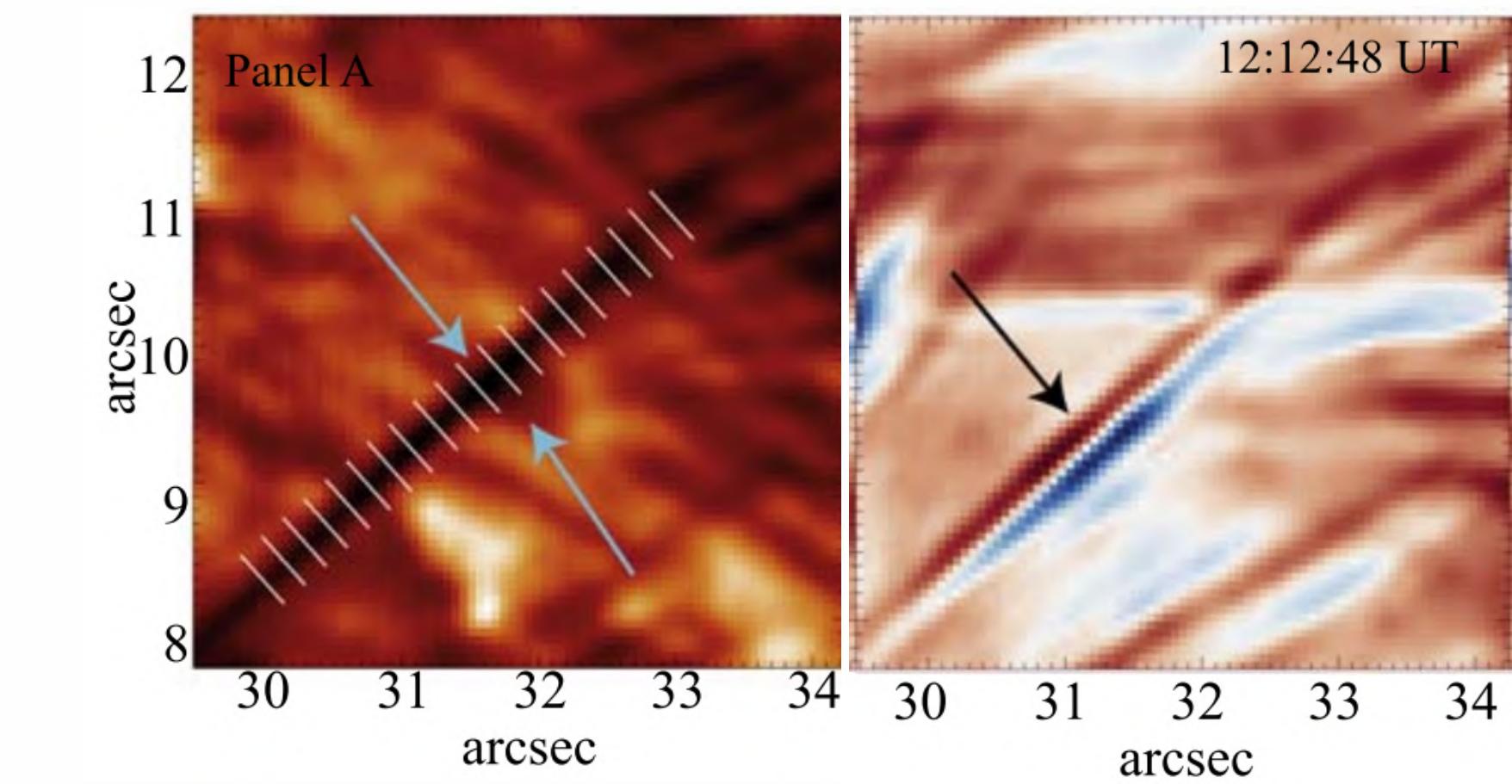
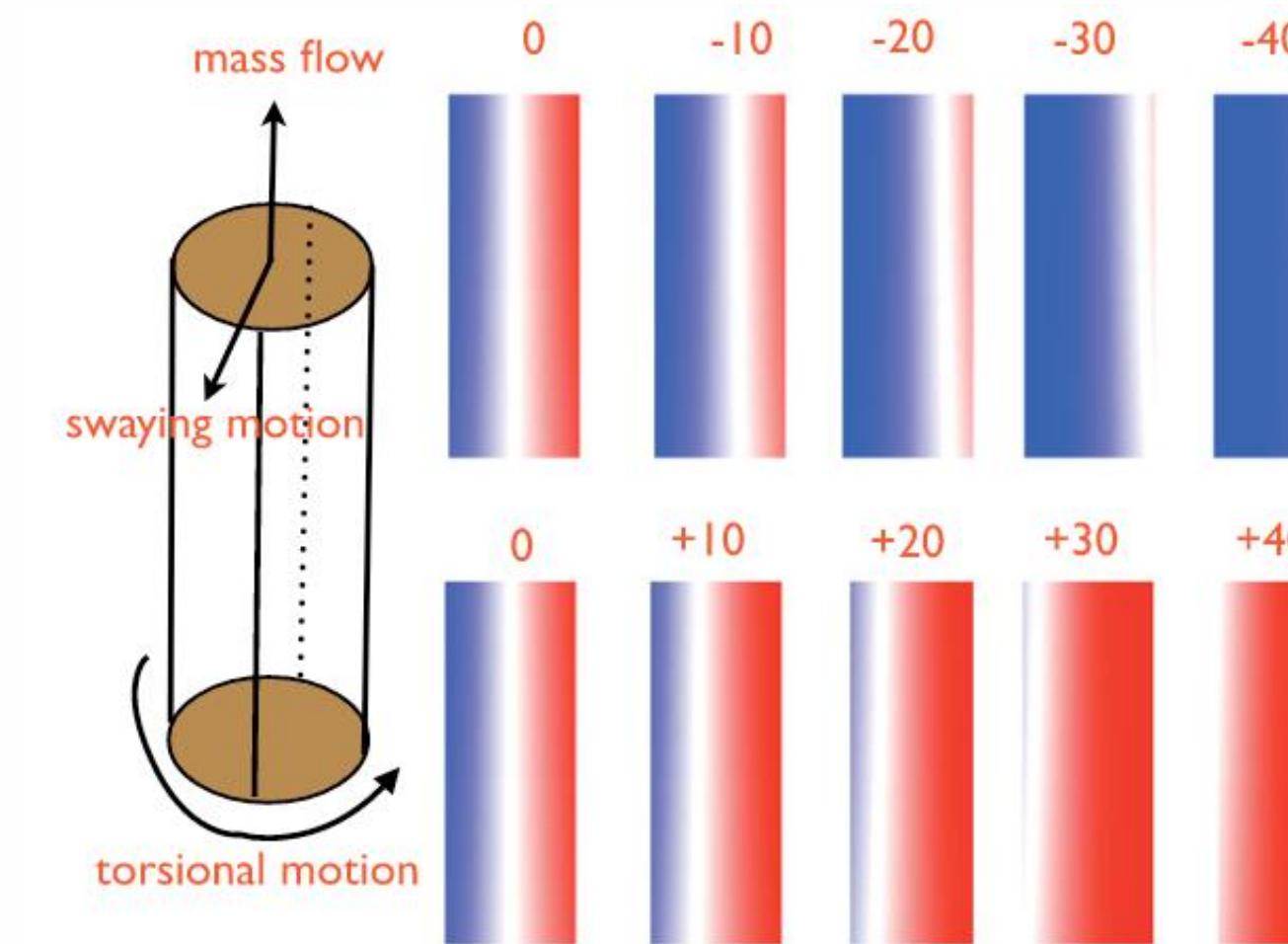
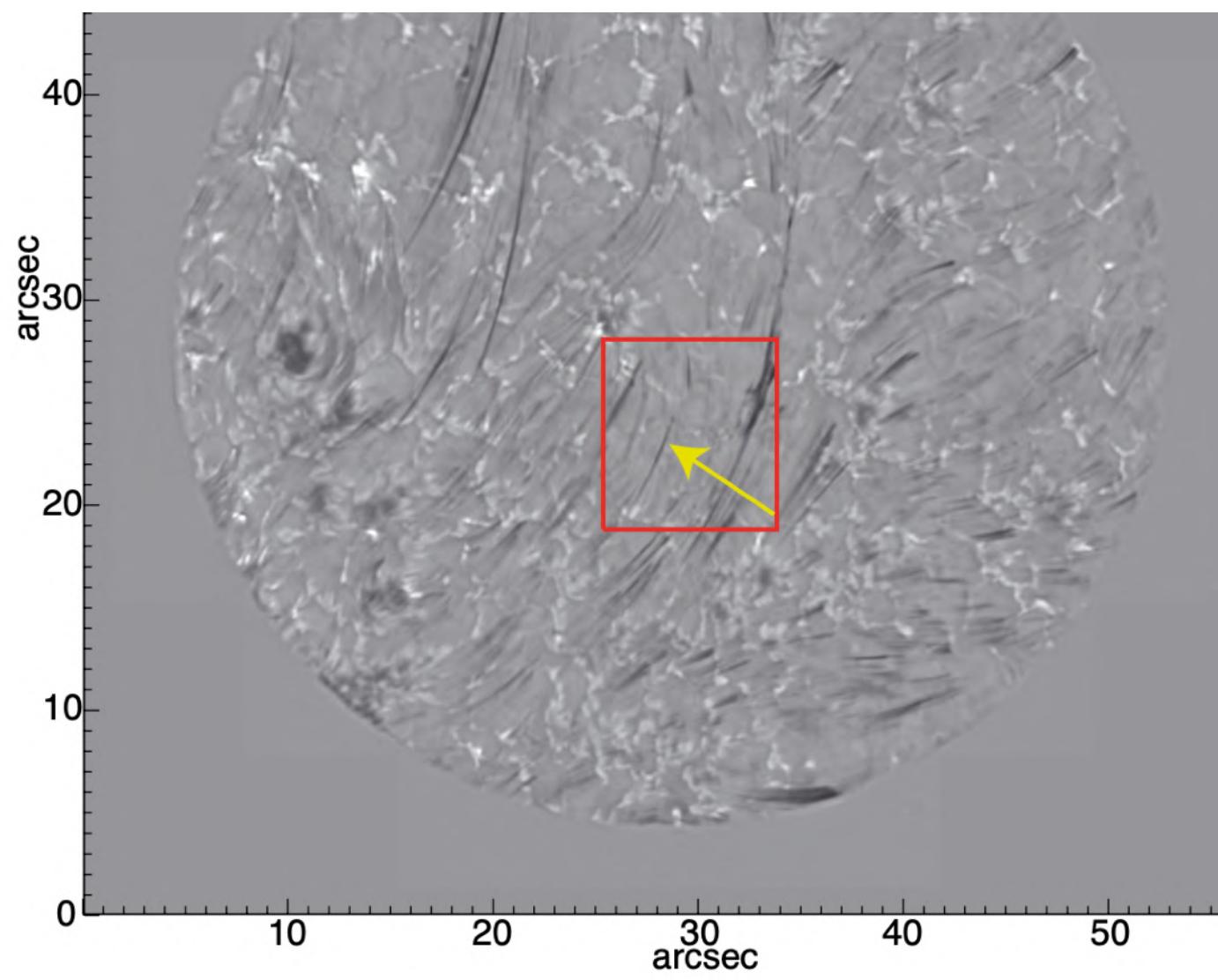
# Rapid Blue- and Red-shifted Excursions (RBEs/RREs) signatures of Alfvénic waves

Halpha  
blue  
wing  
-36 km/s



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Halpha  
red wing  
+36 km/s

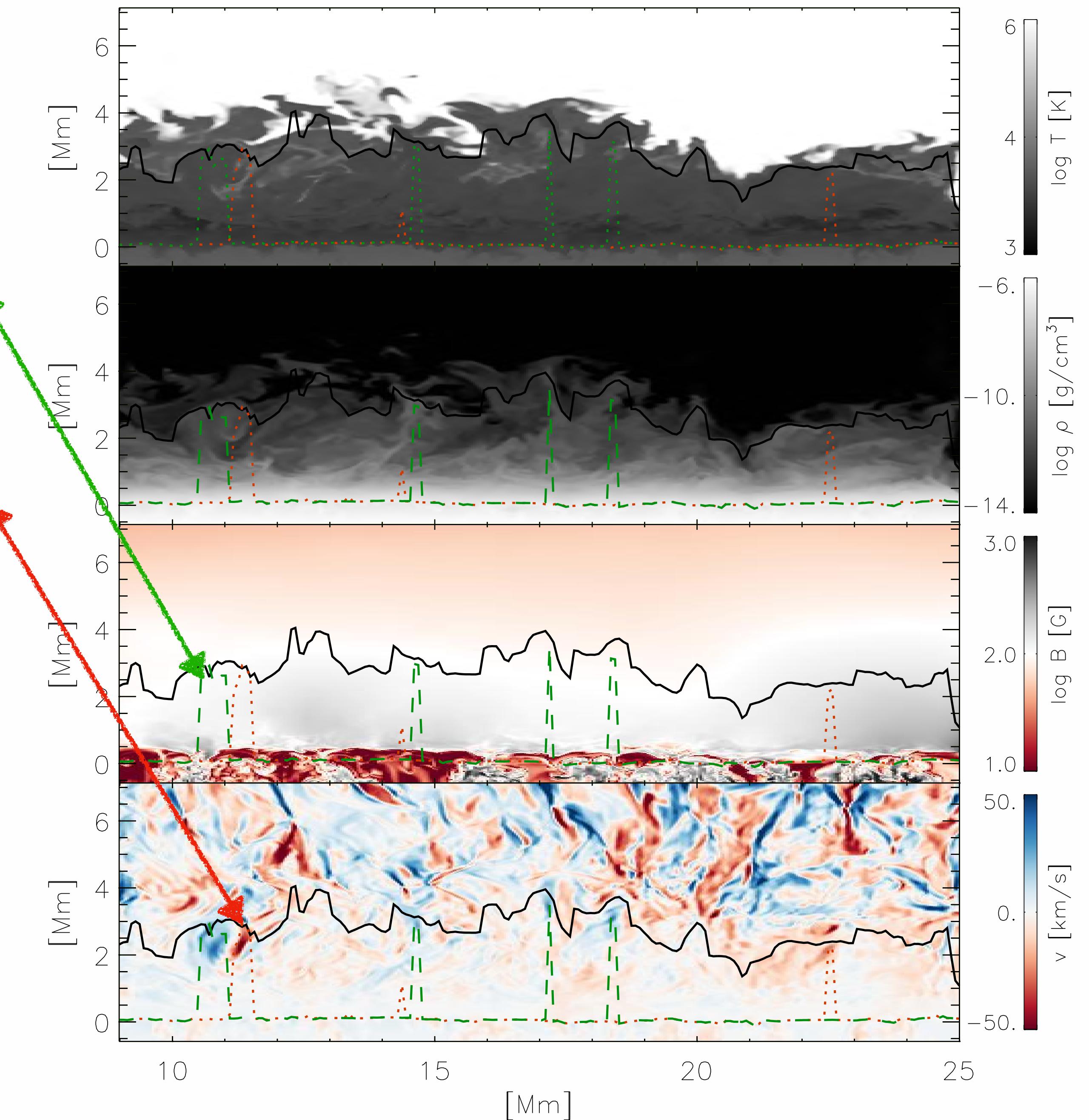
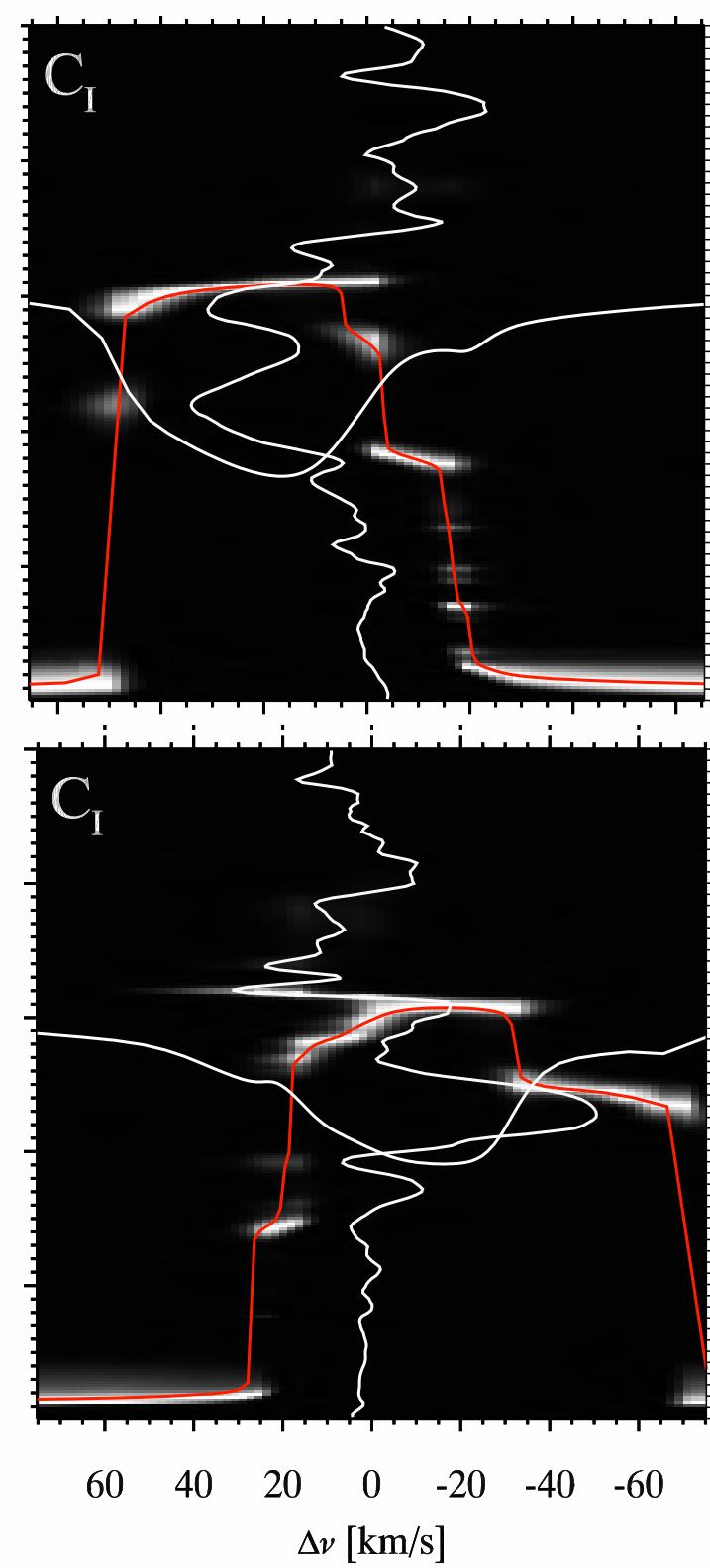
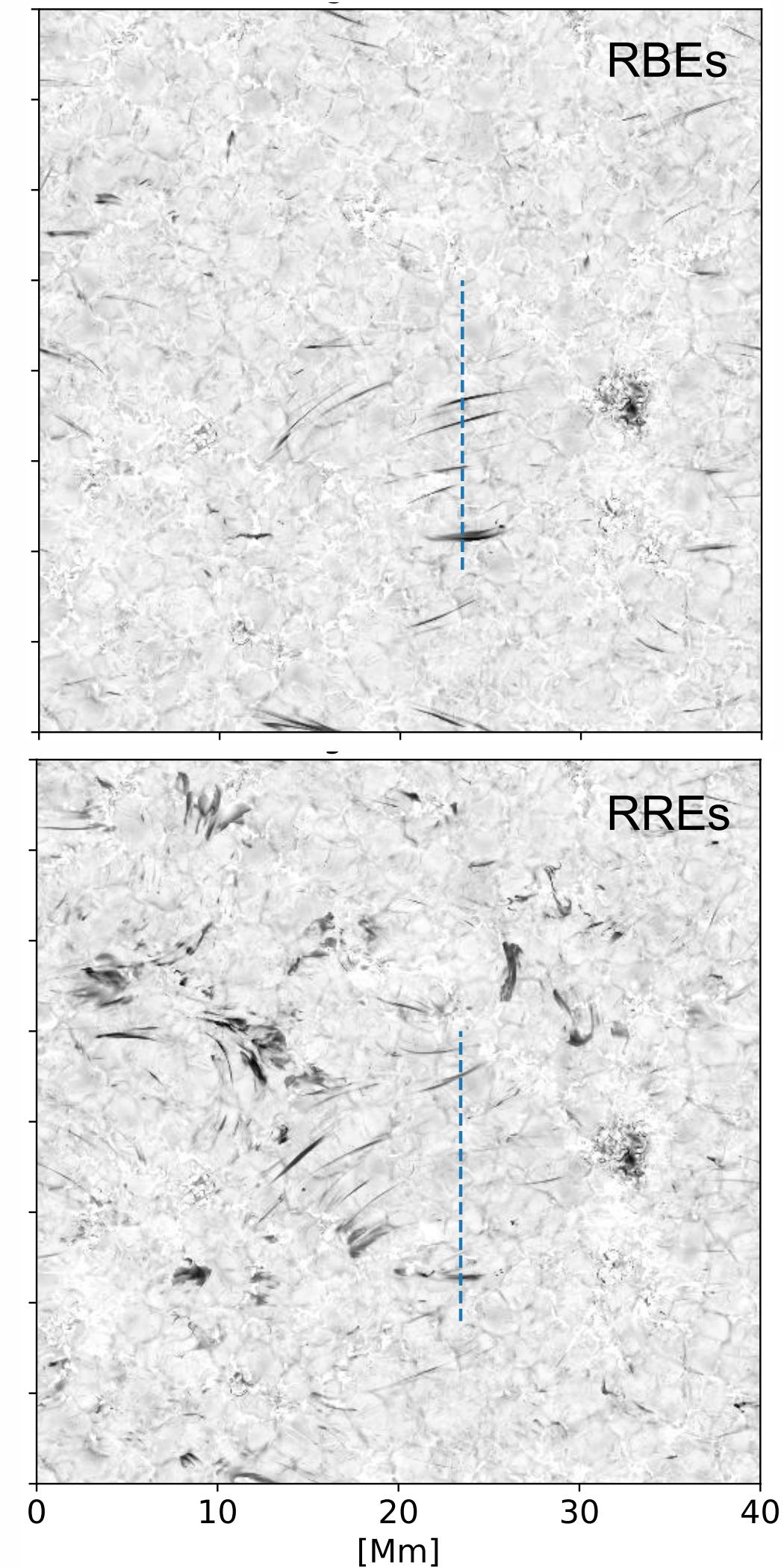


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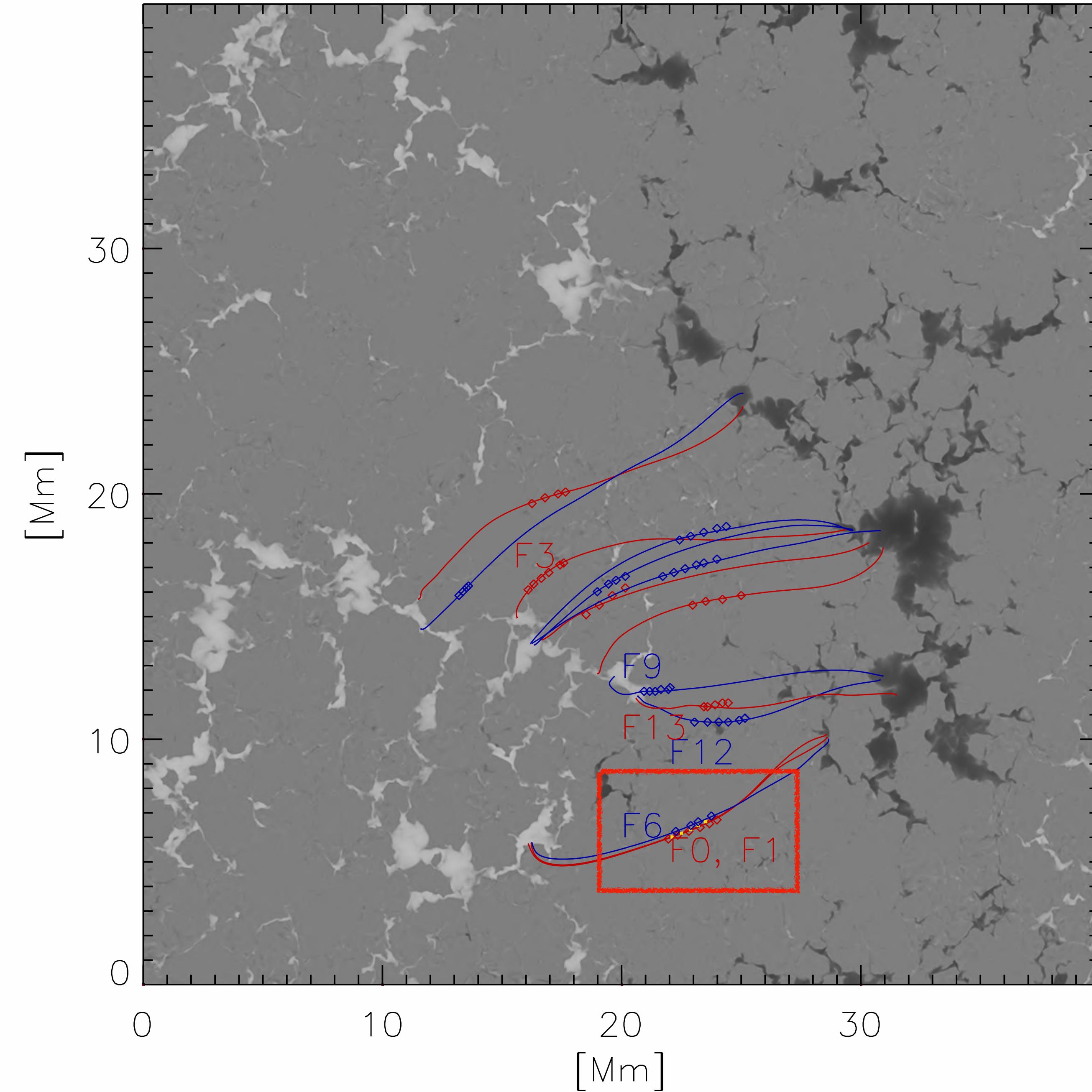
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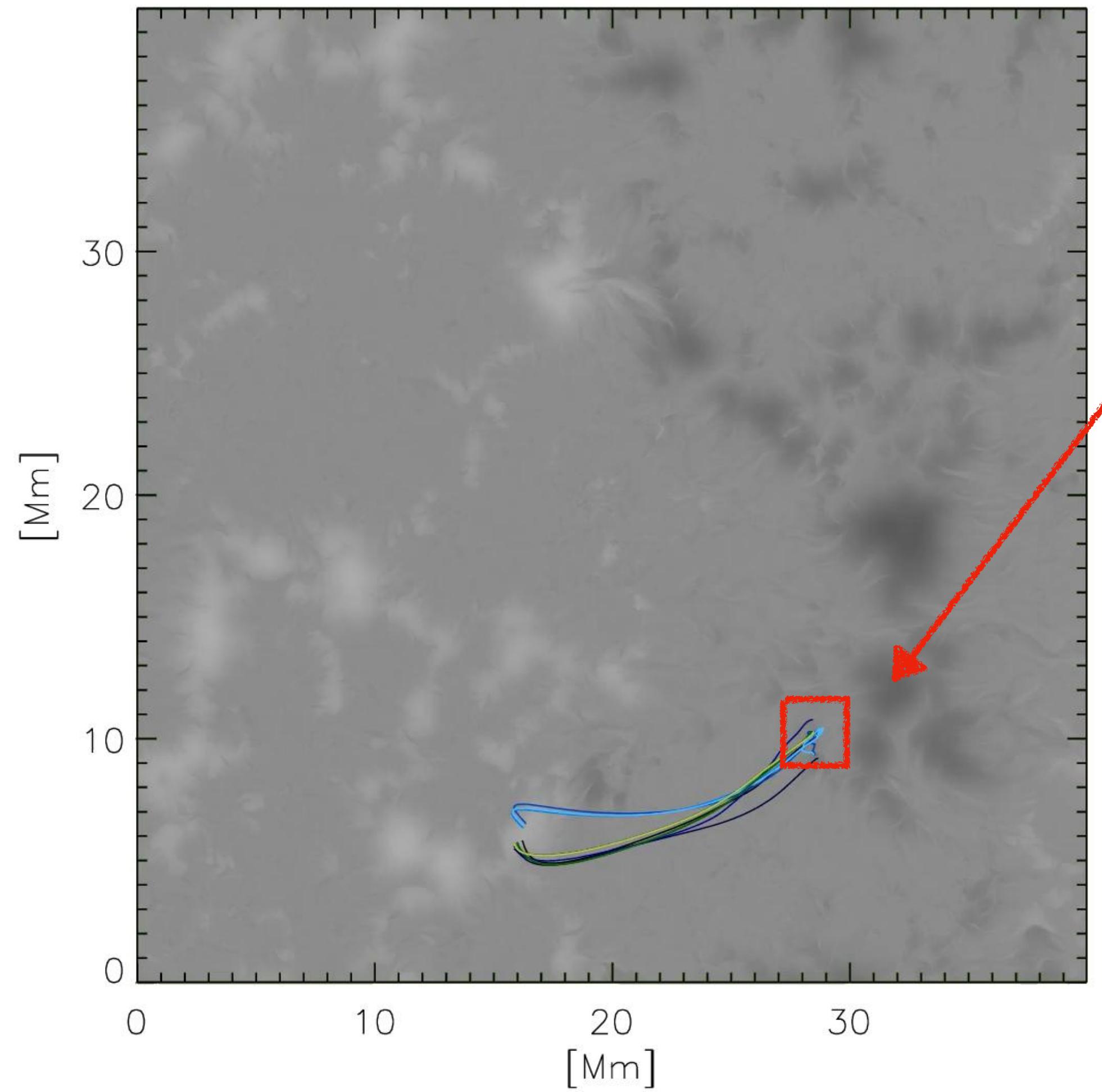
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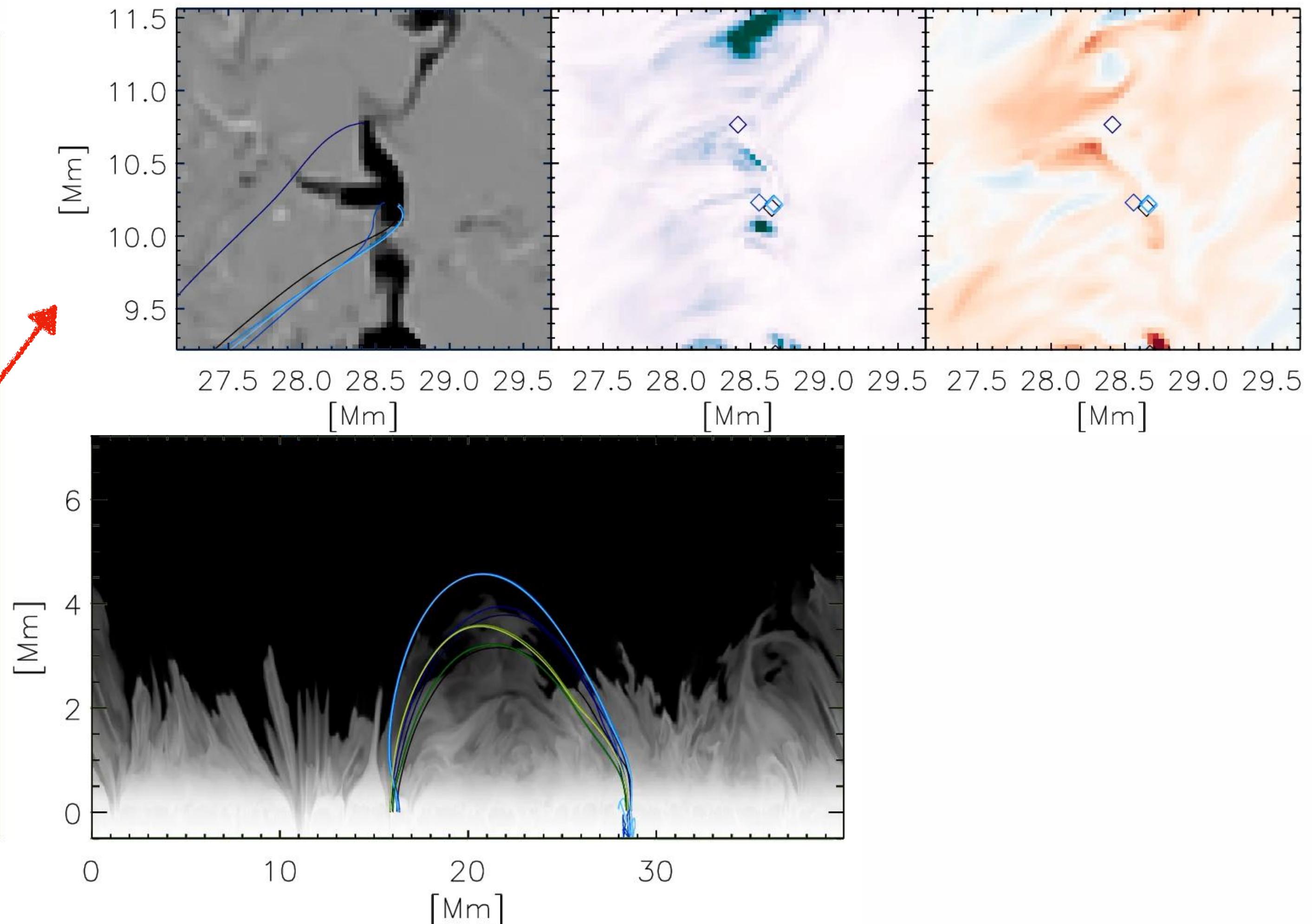
F0 – blue lines and F1 – green lines - RREs



Bz

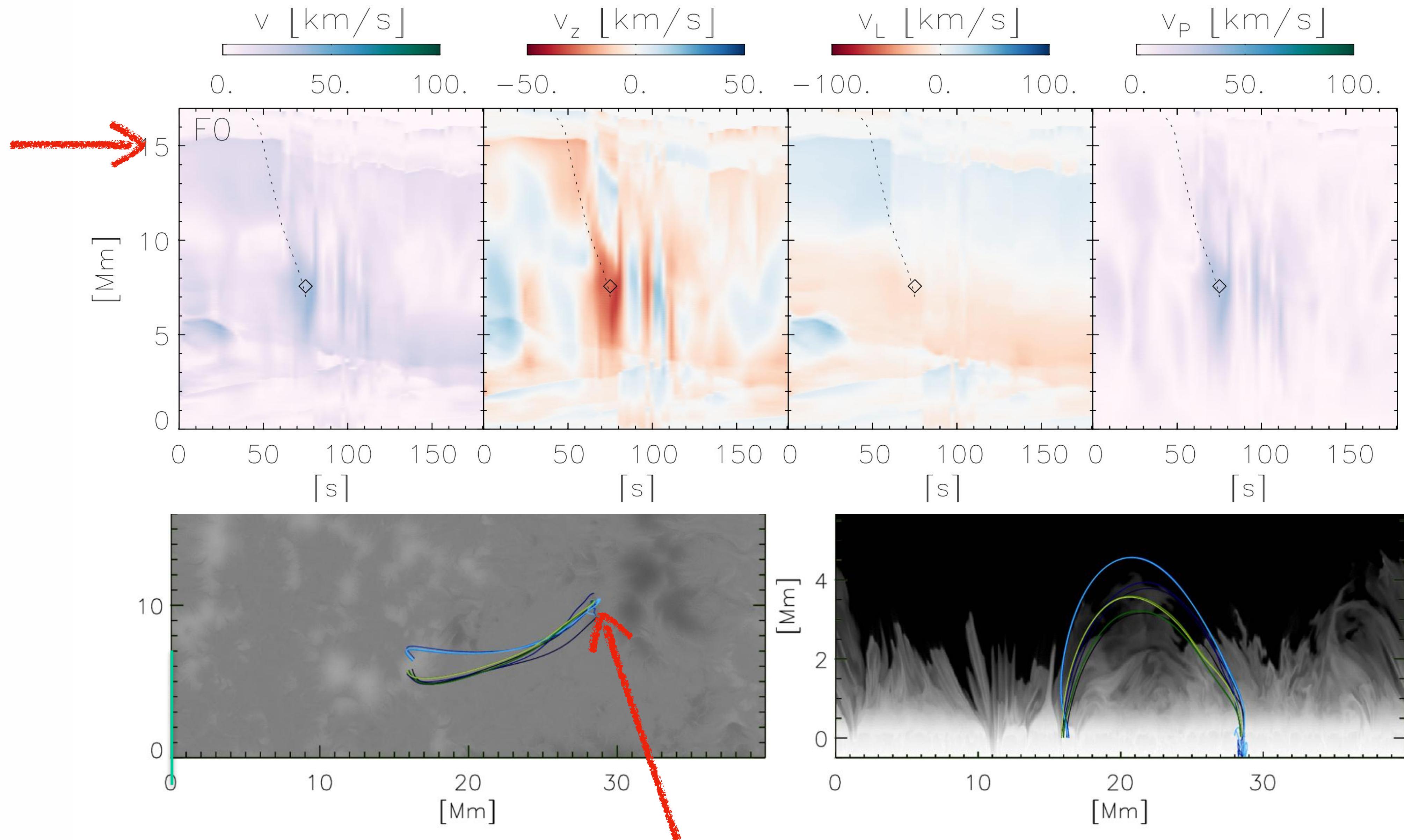
$\int_{z=250km}^{z=490km} \nabla \times \vec{v}$

vz @ z = 450 km



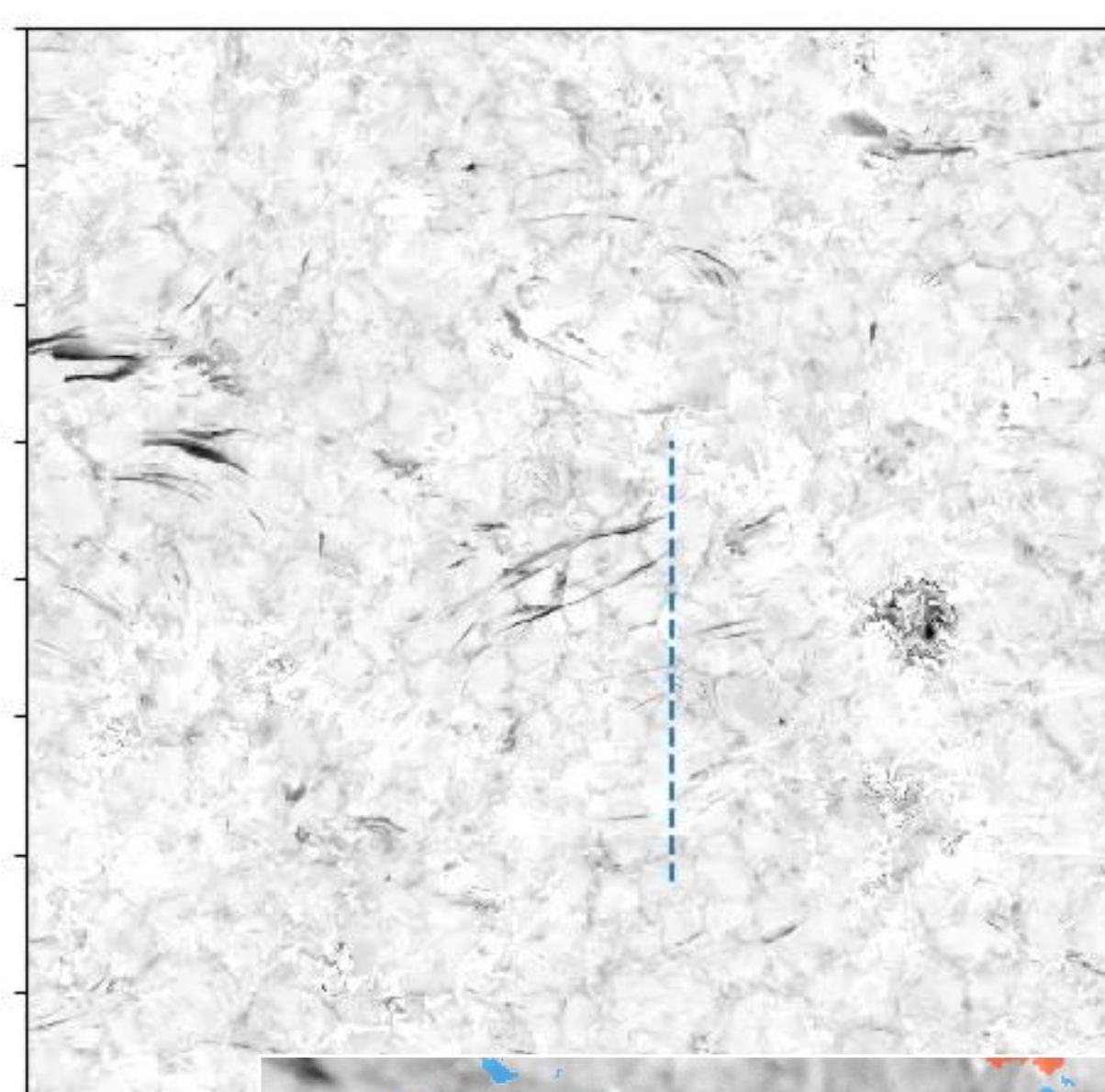
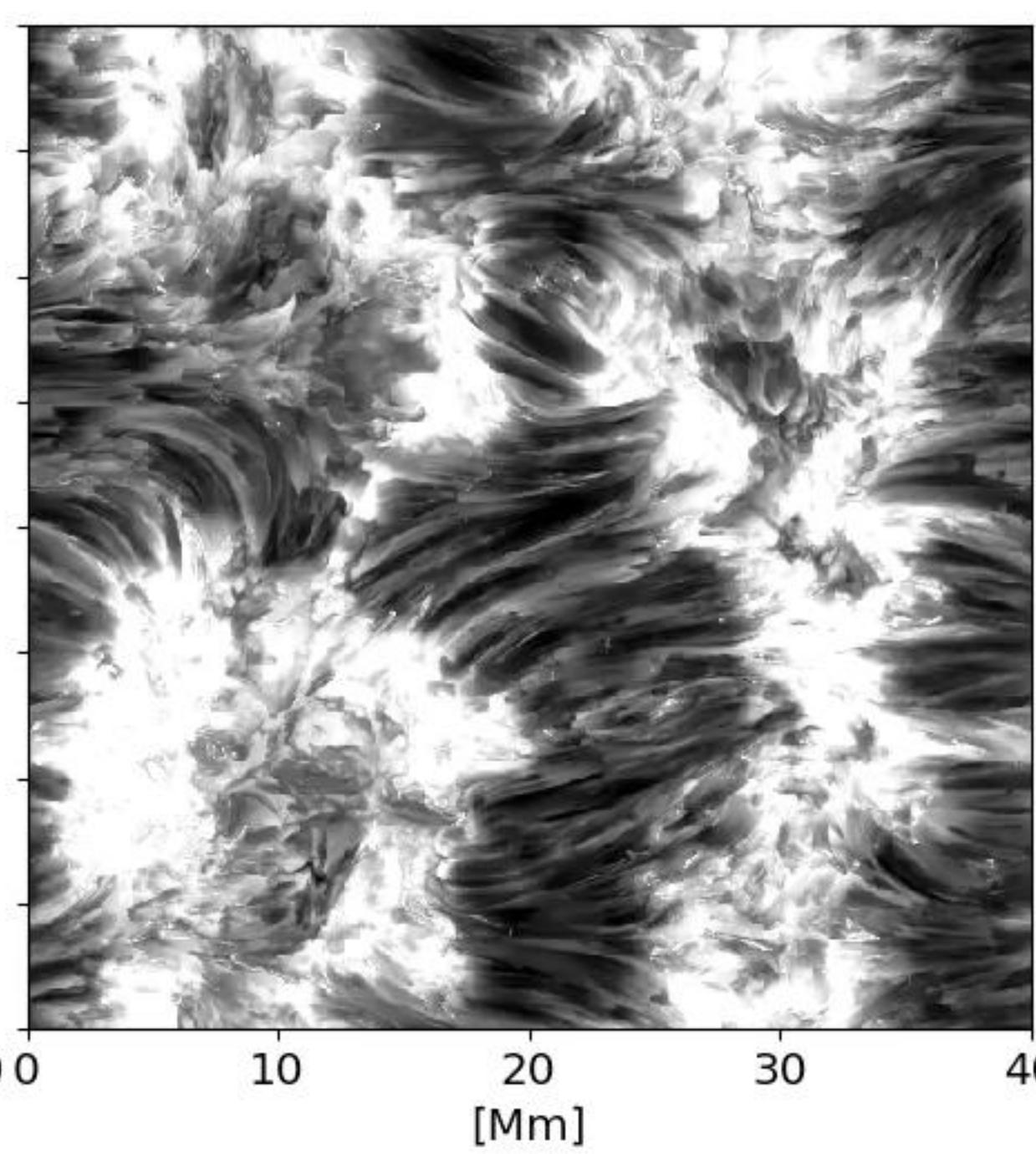
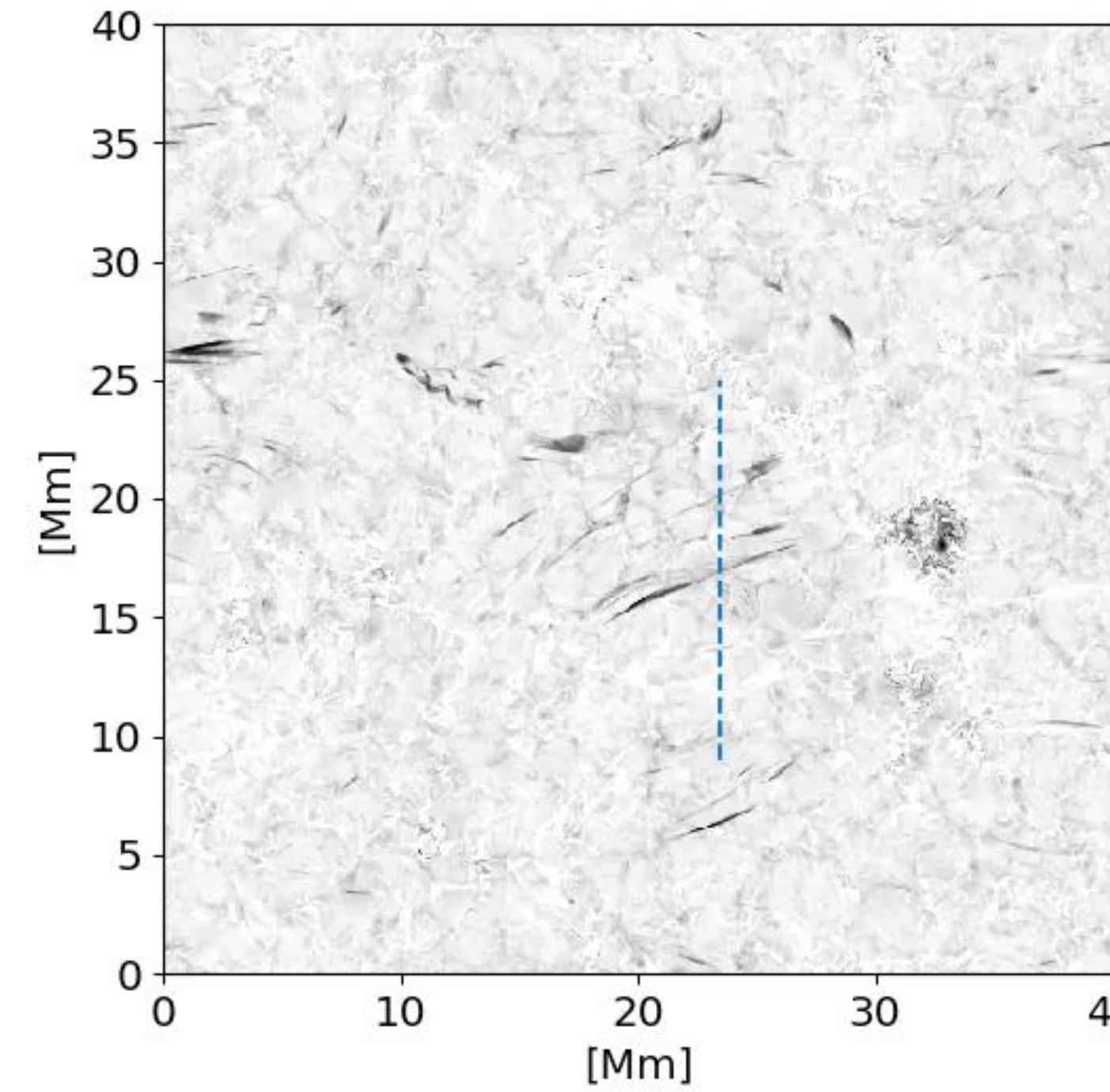
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# Synthetic RBEs and RREs resemple a subclass of observed RBE and RREs

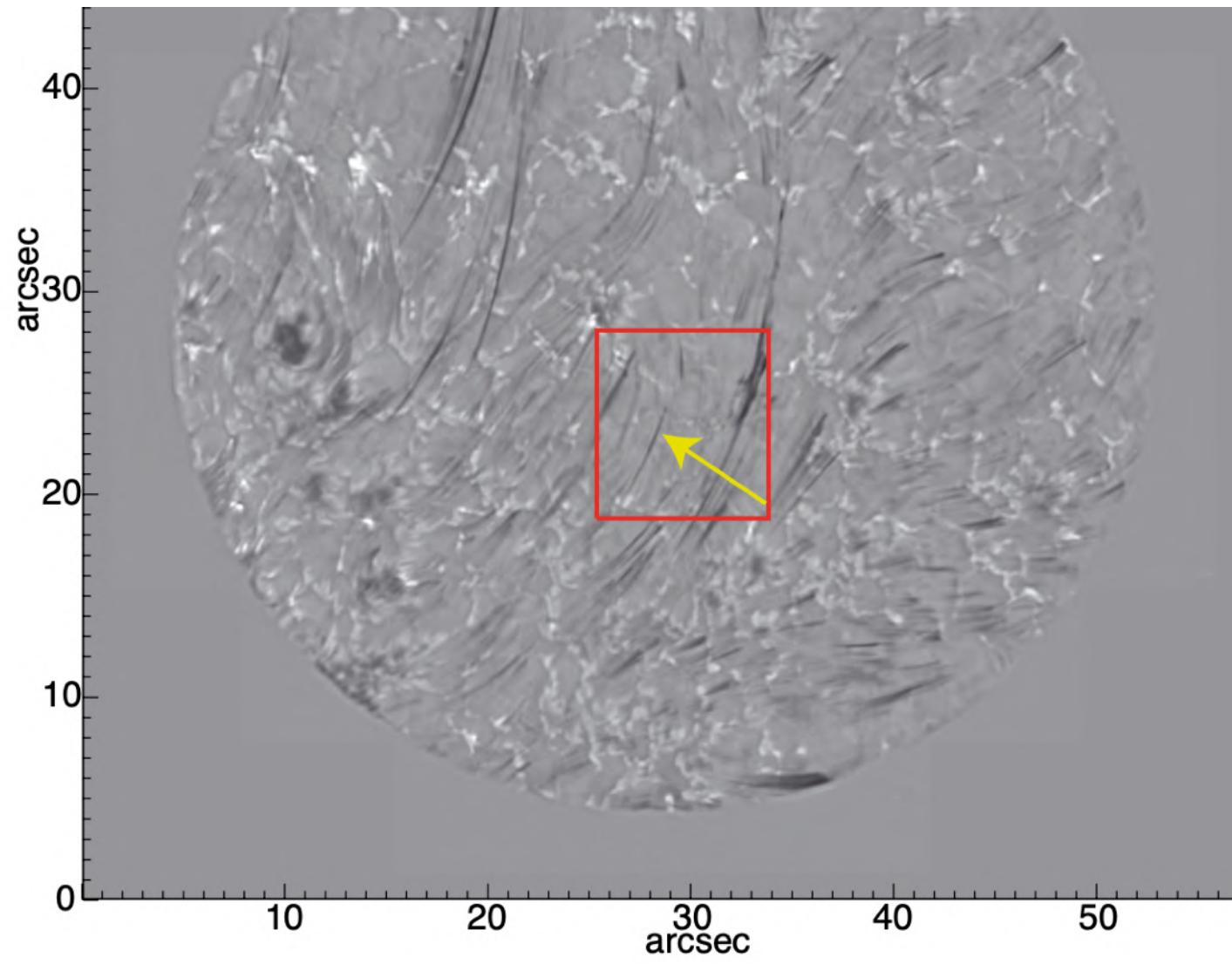
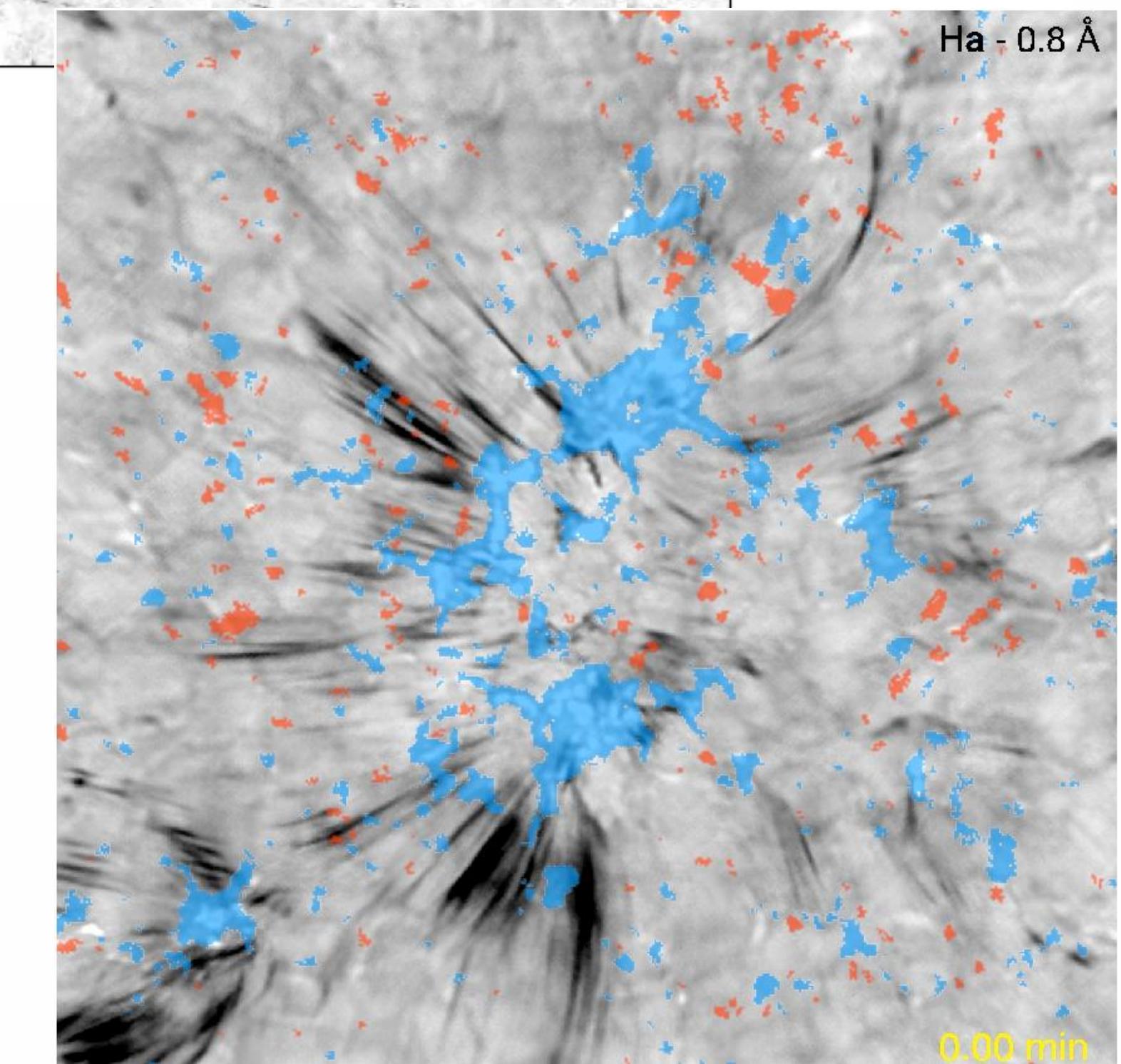
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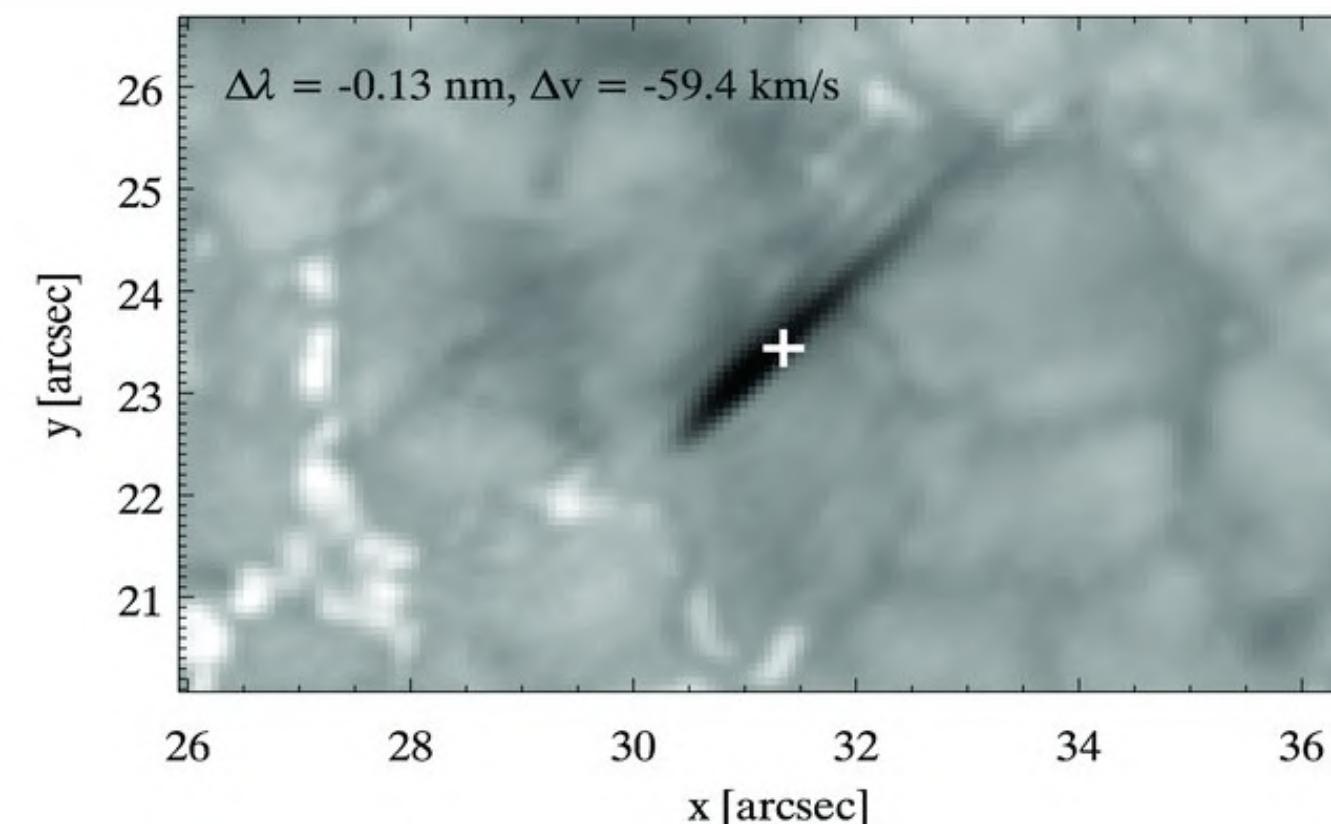
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Halpha  
red wing  
+36 km/s

Samanta et al. 2019



Shetye et al. 2016



Rouppé van der Voort et al. 2008

# Footpoint motion - chromospheric dynamics not always clear from photospheric motion

$$\int (Q_{res} + Q_{vis})$$

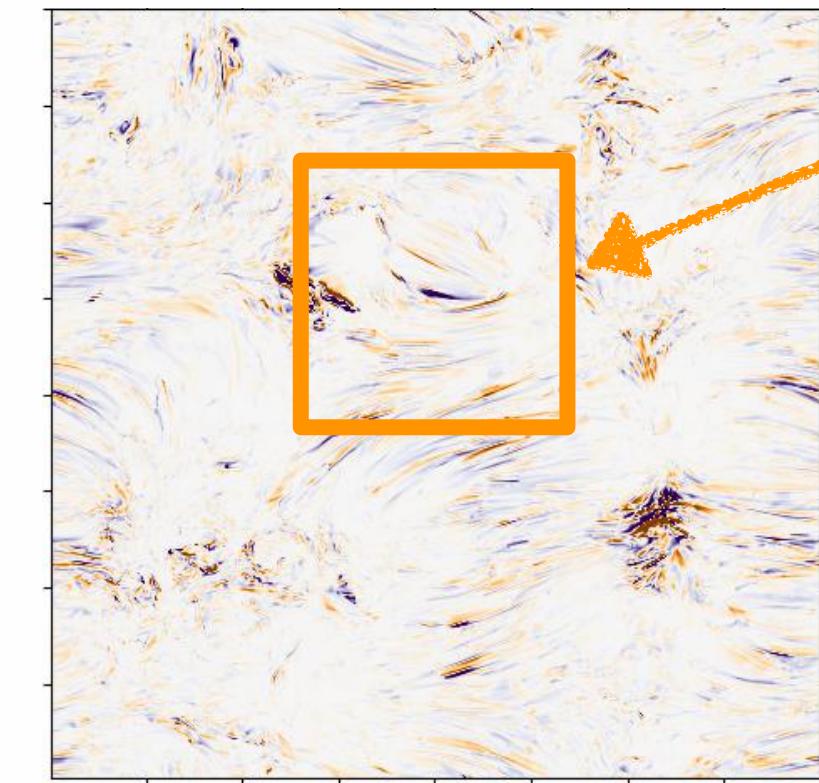
Moa  
Skan's  
talk later!

top view

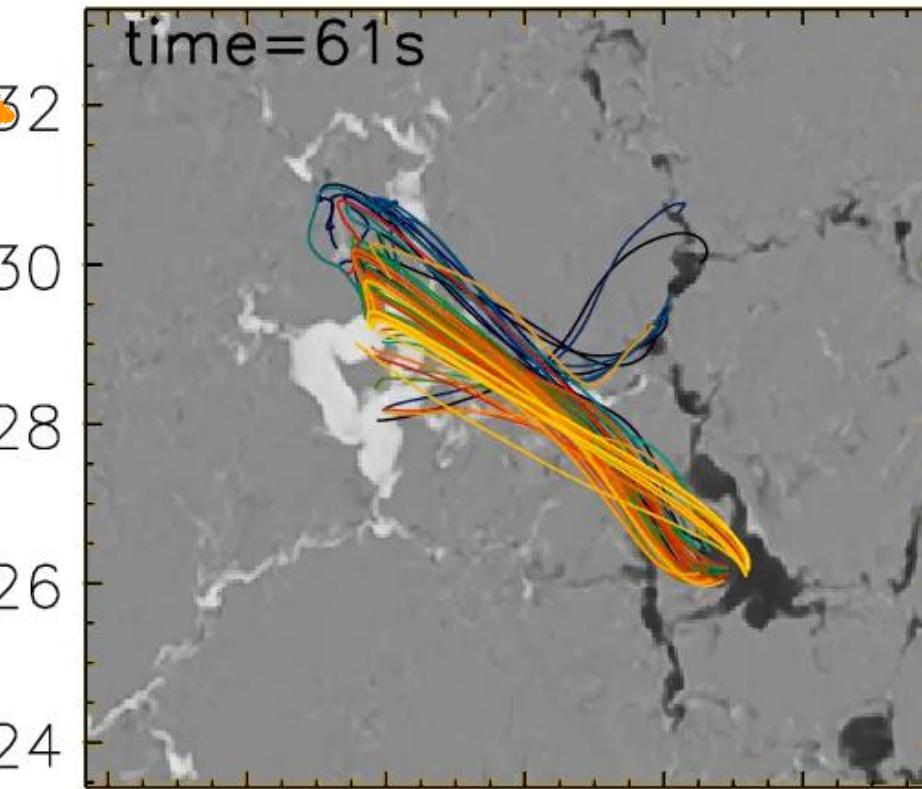
@ [0.6-3.8] Mm

@ [2.7-7] Mm

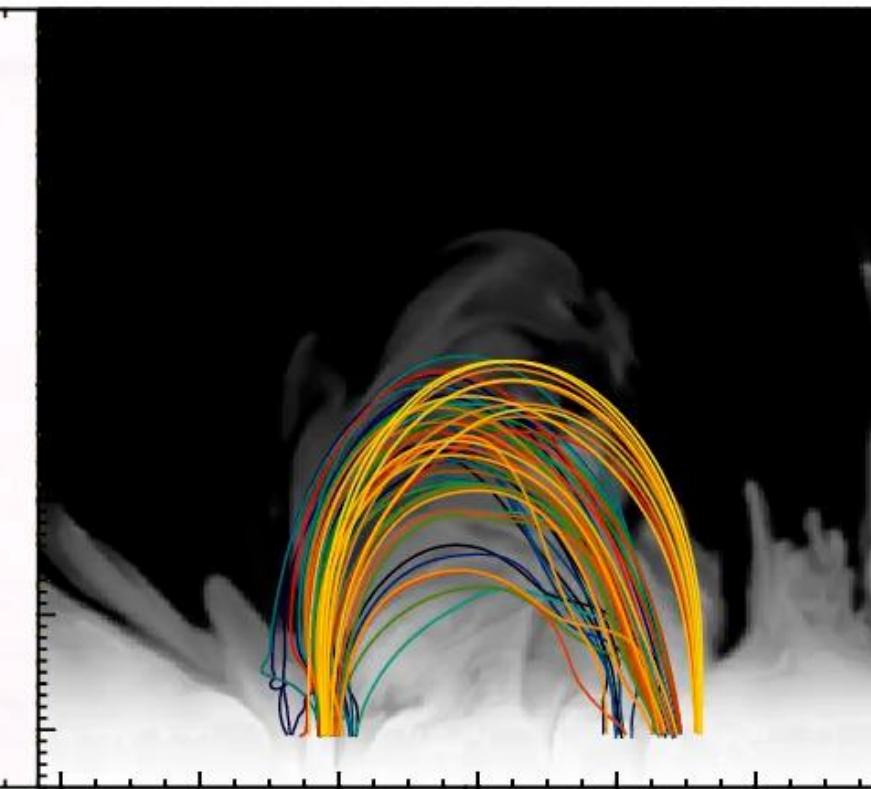
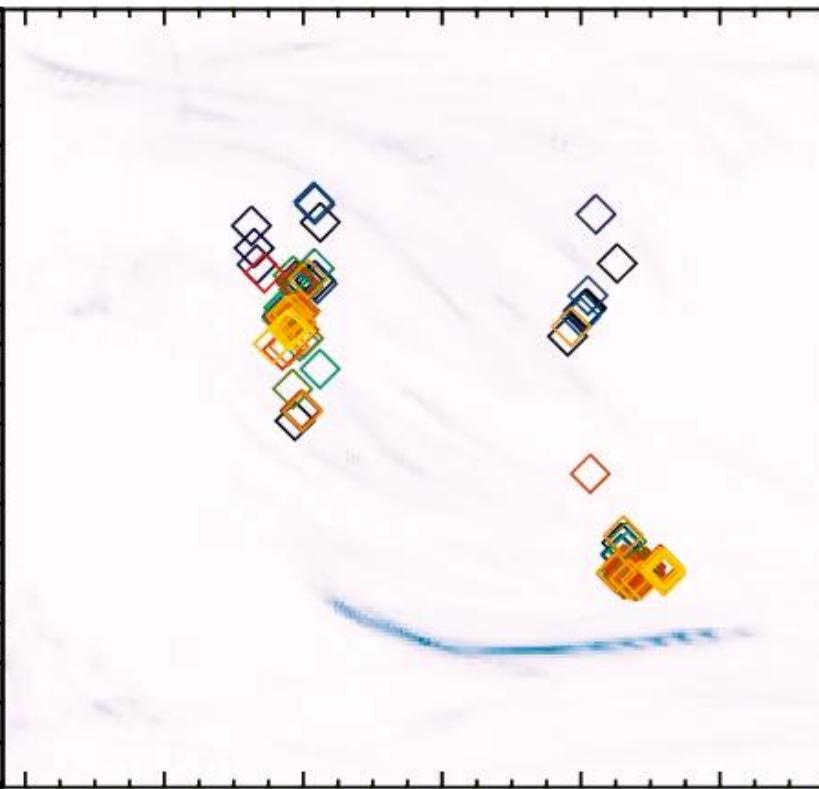
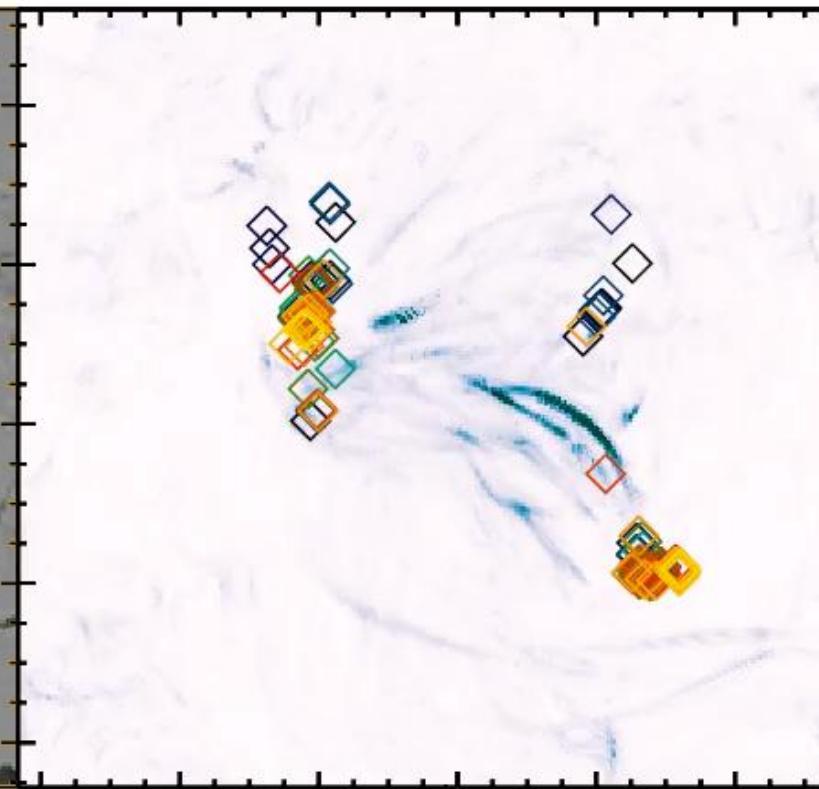
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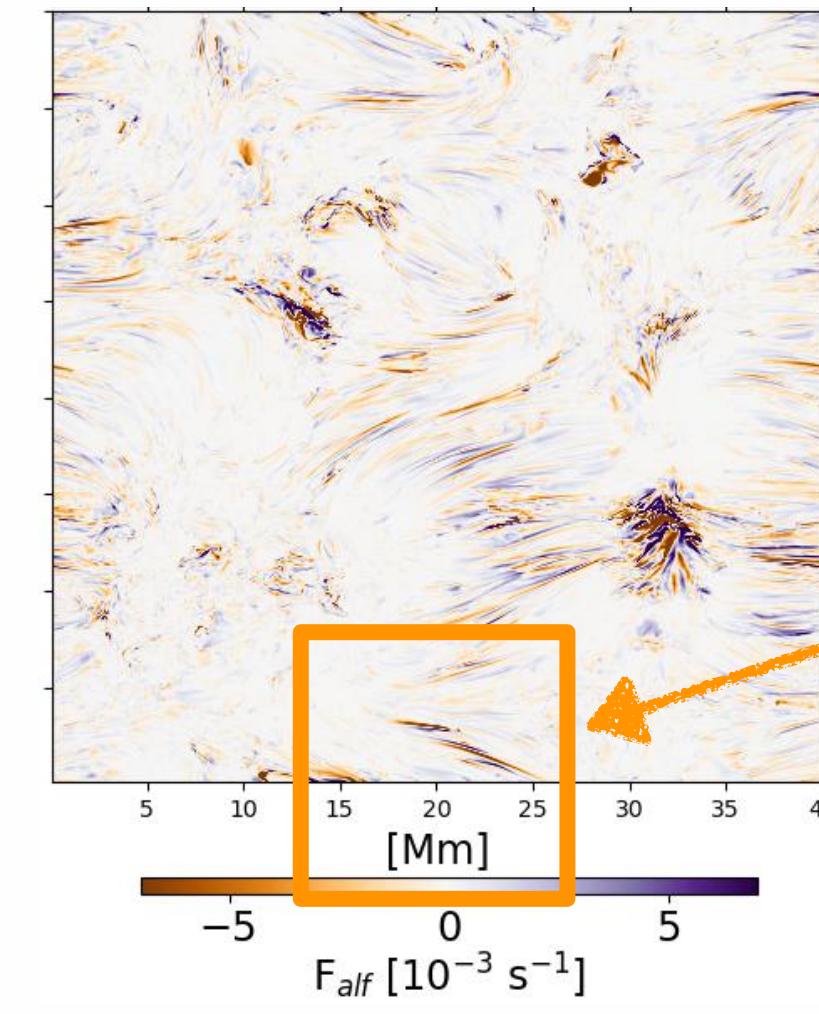
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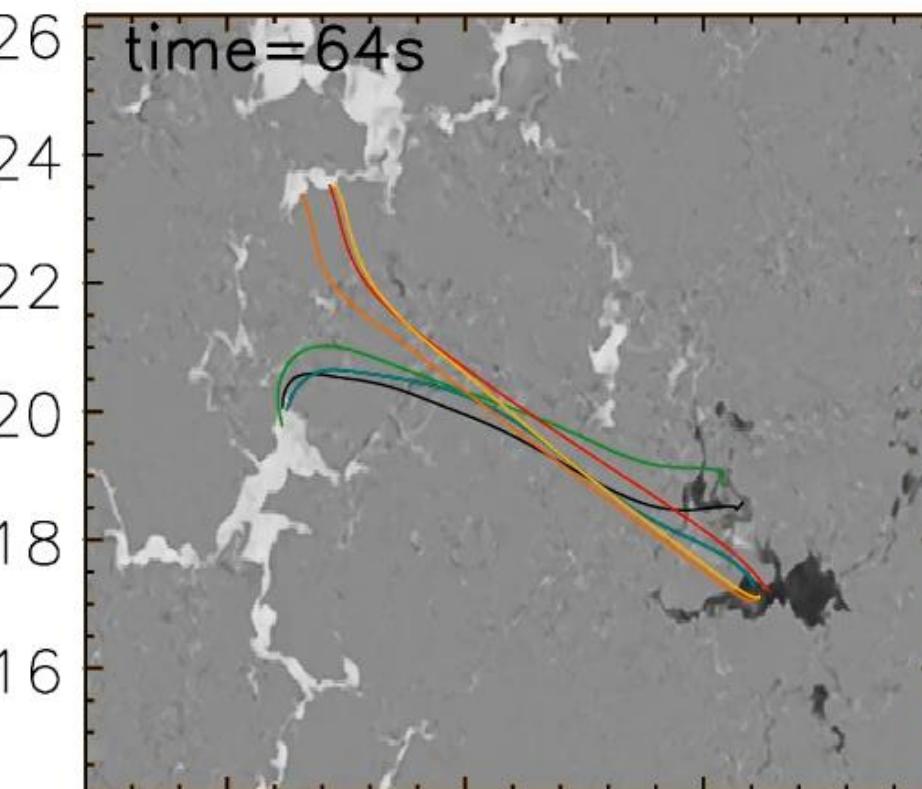
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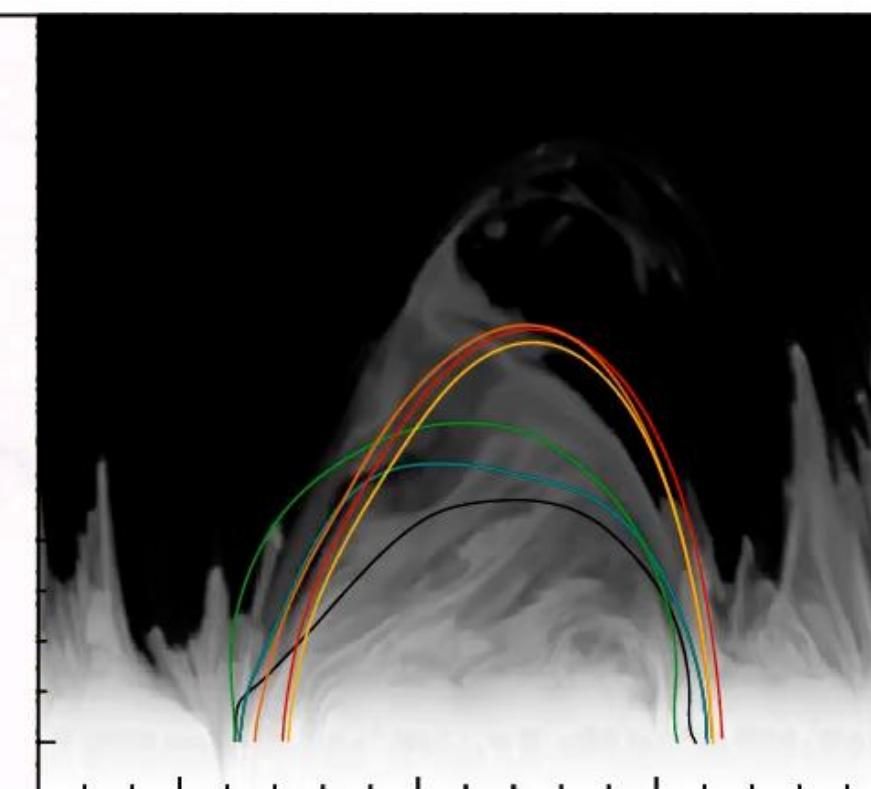
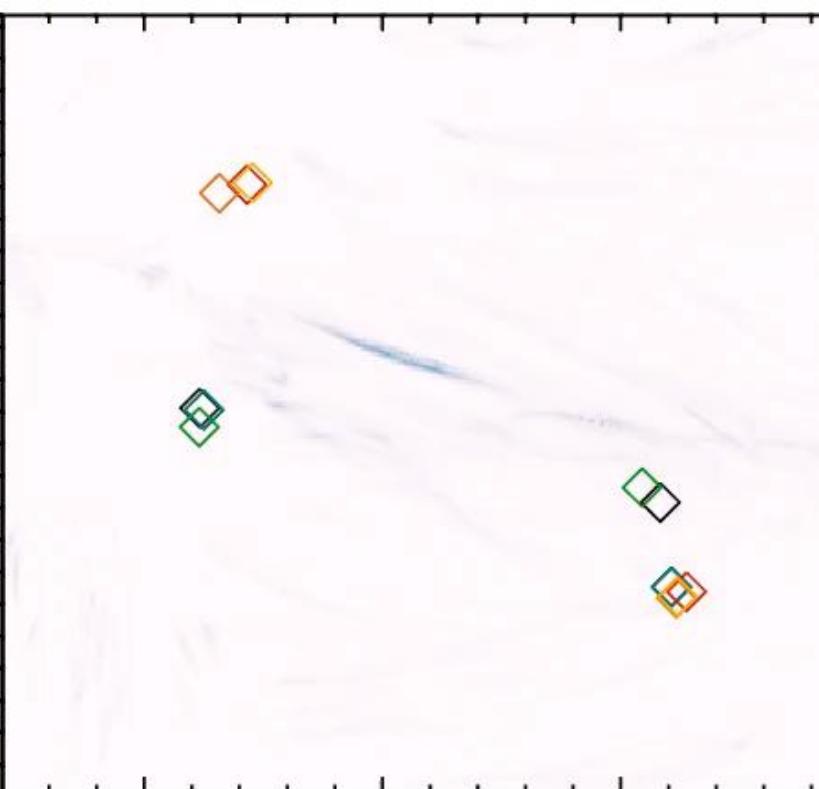
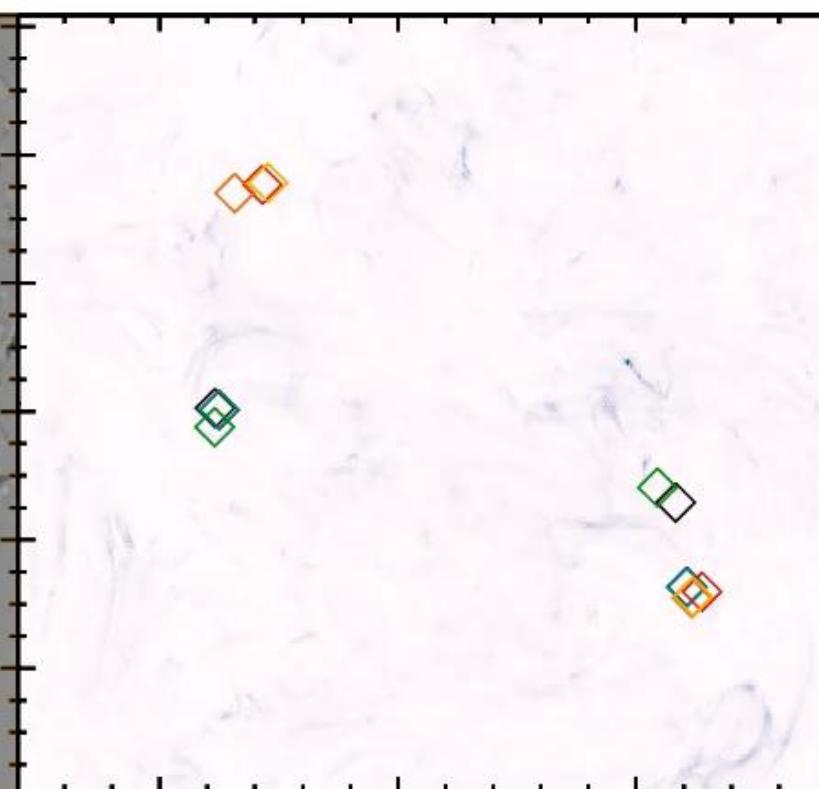
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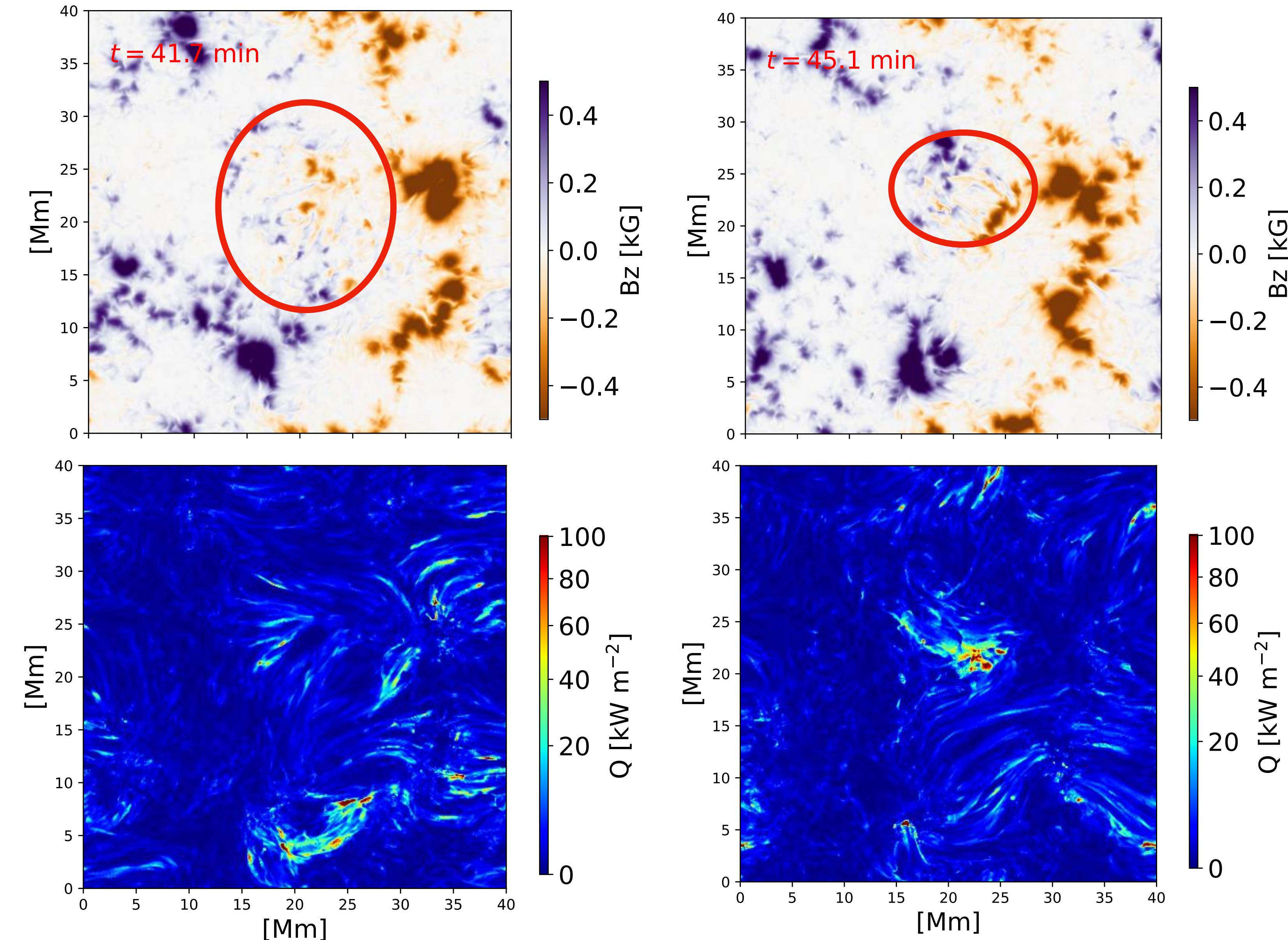
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- Less flux over a larger area vs. more flux over a smaller area

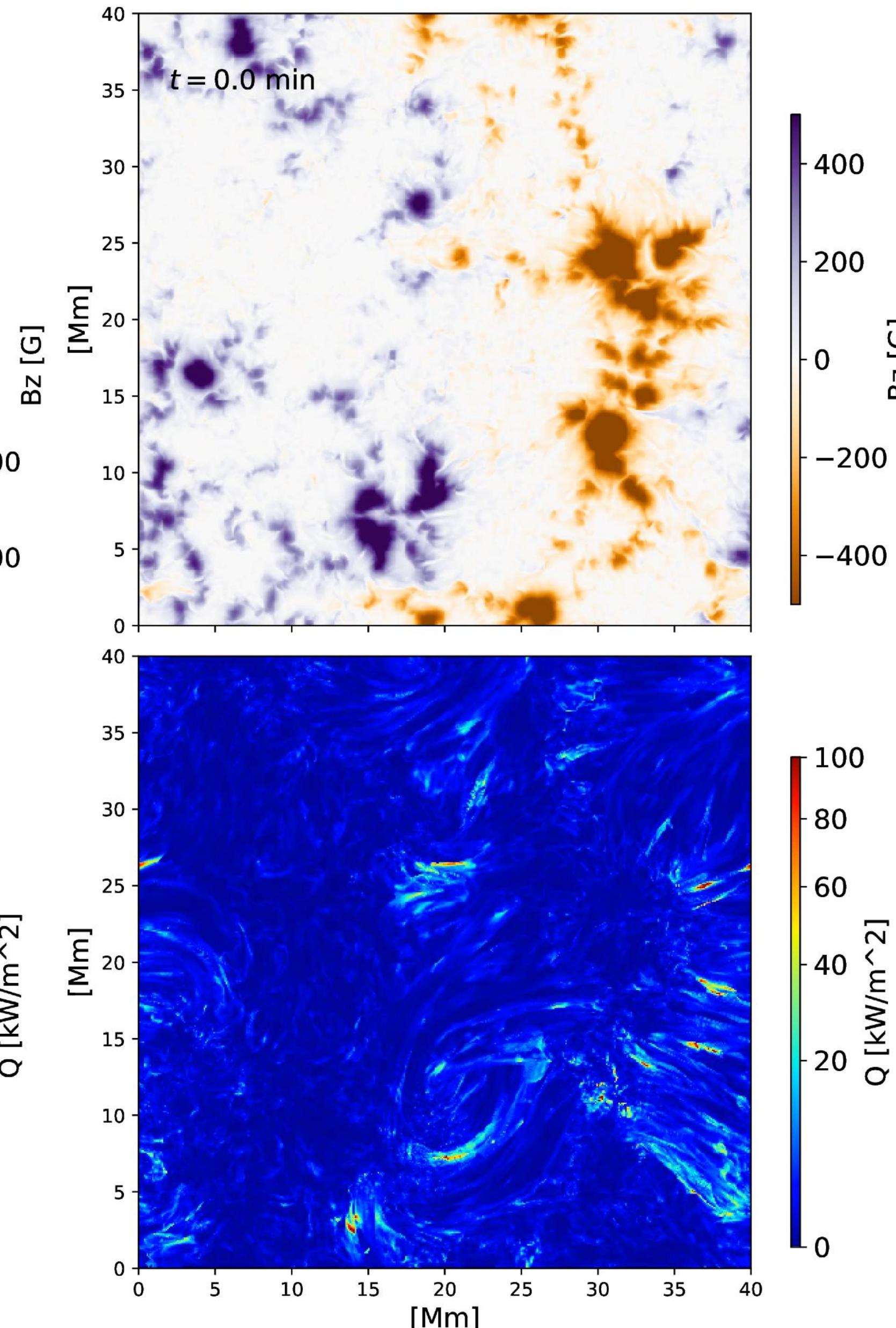
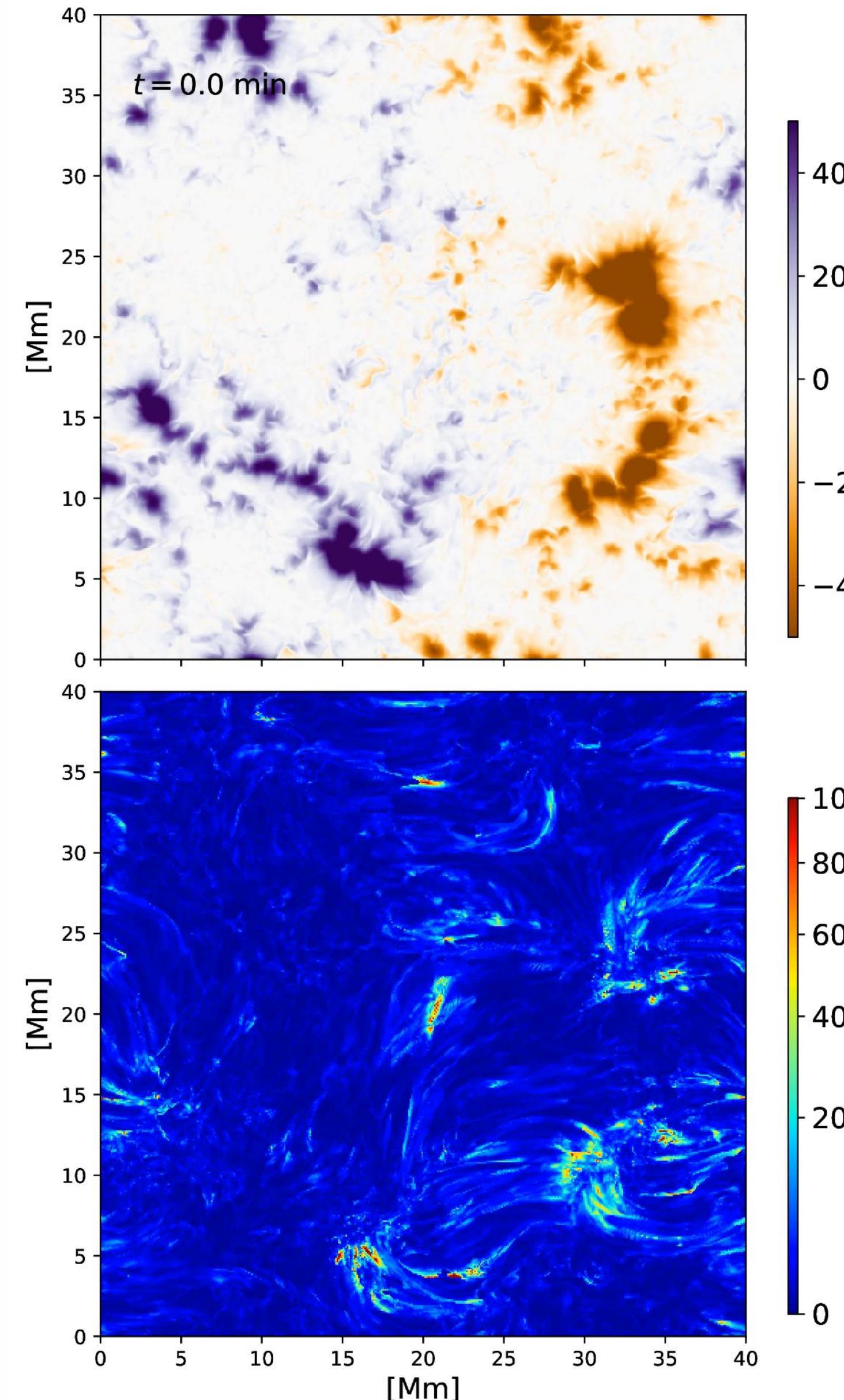


$$\int_{\log m_c > -5}^{\log m_c < -4.5} (Q_{res} + Q_{vis}) dz$$

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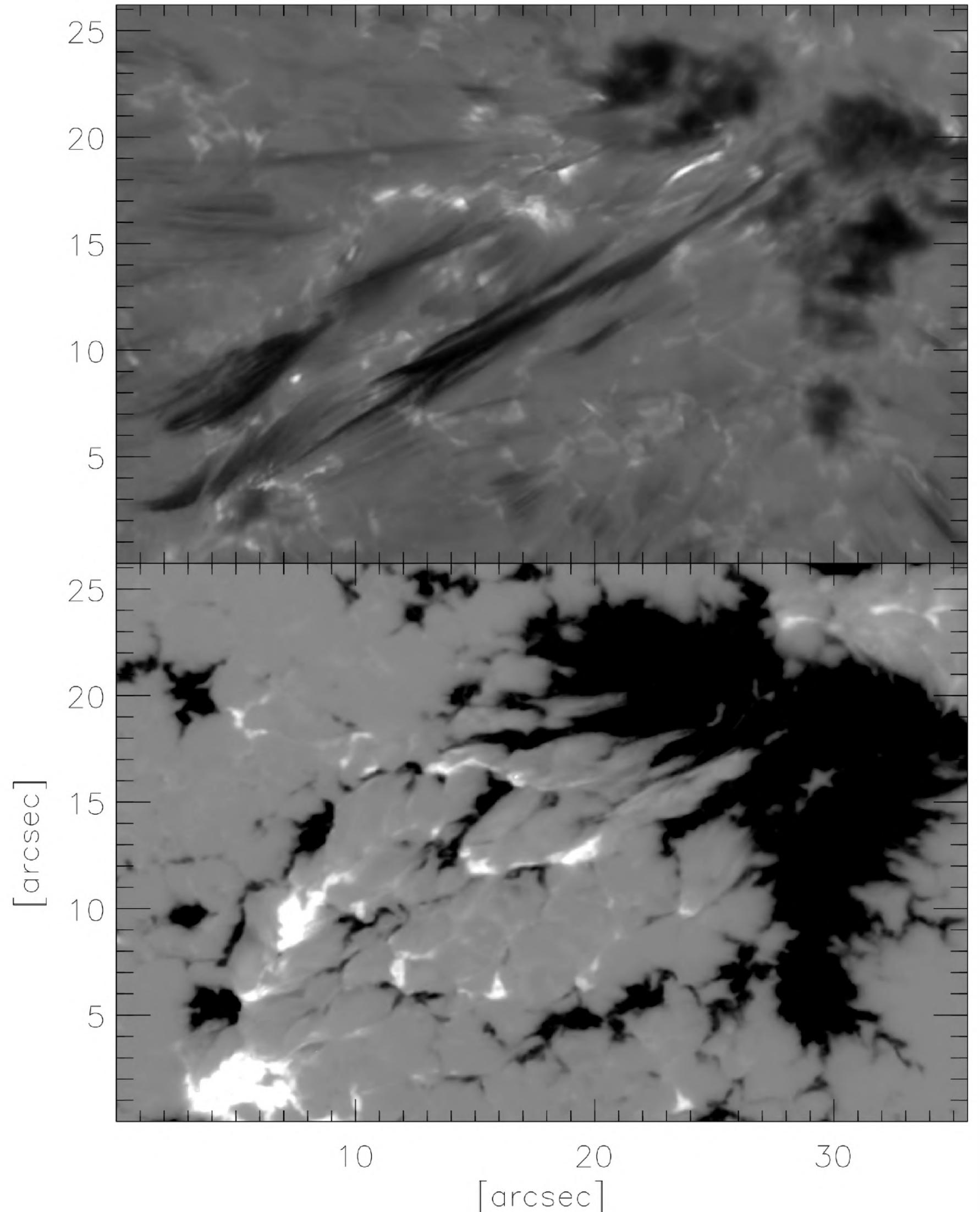
The run on the right is partially analyzed in da Silva Santos et al. 2022 and MUSE papers De Pontieu et al. 2022 Cheung et al. 2022

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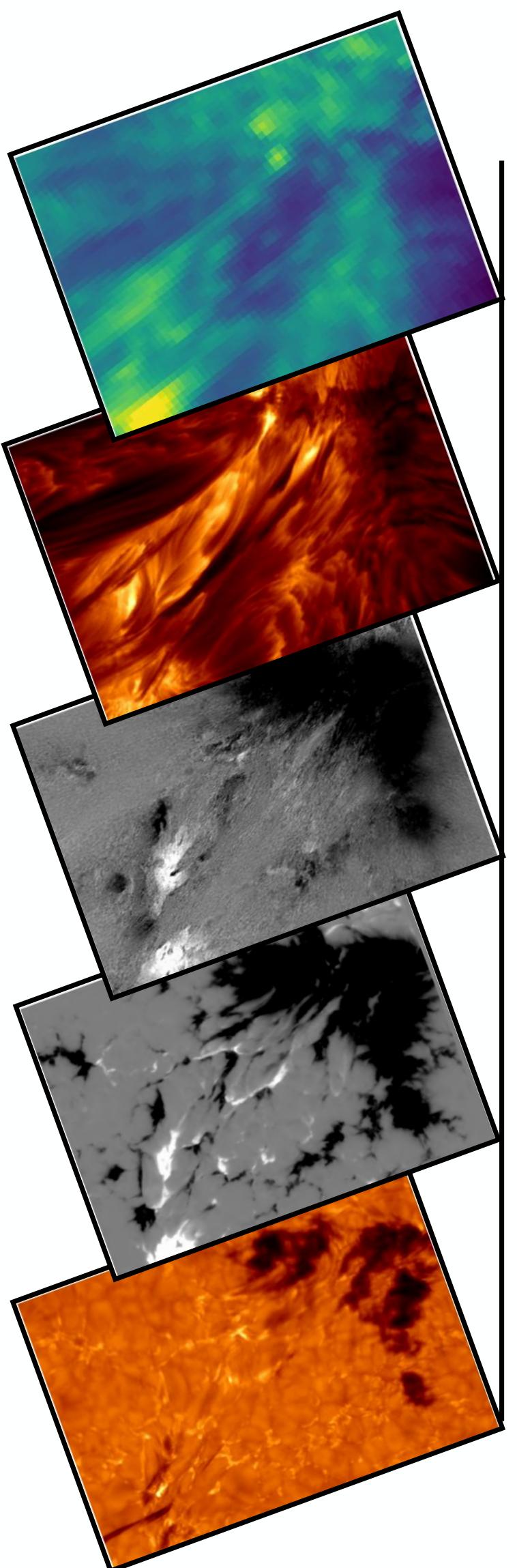
# Recreating chromospheric dynamics - A plage fan-shaped jet

SST observations:  
 $H\alpha$  -34 km/s

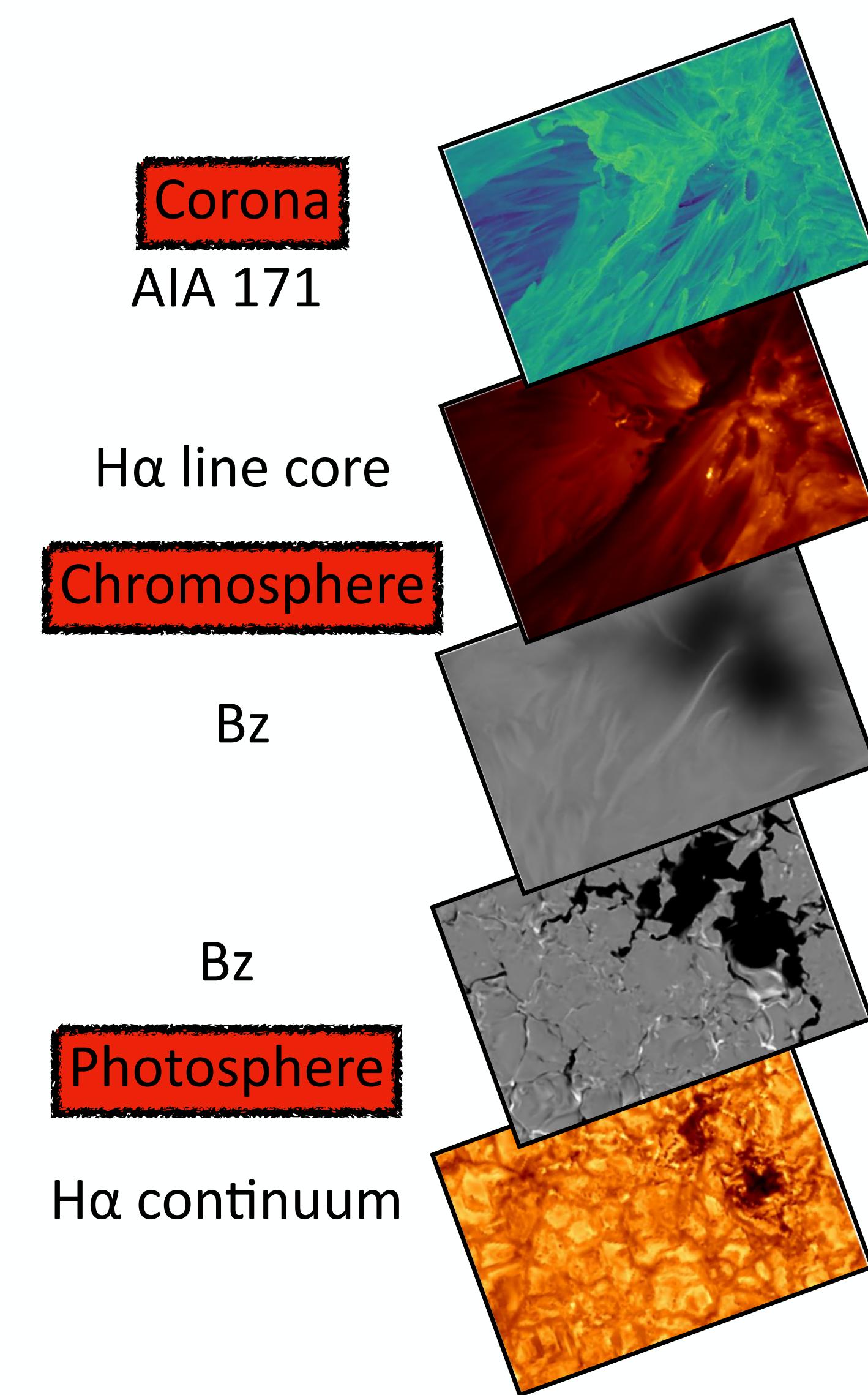
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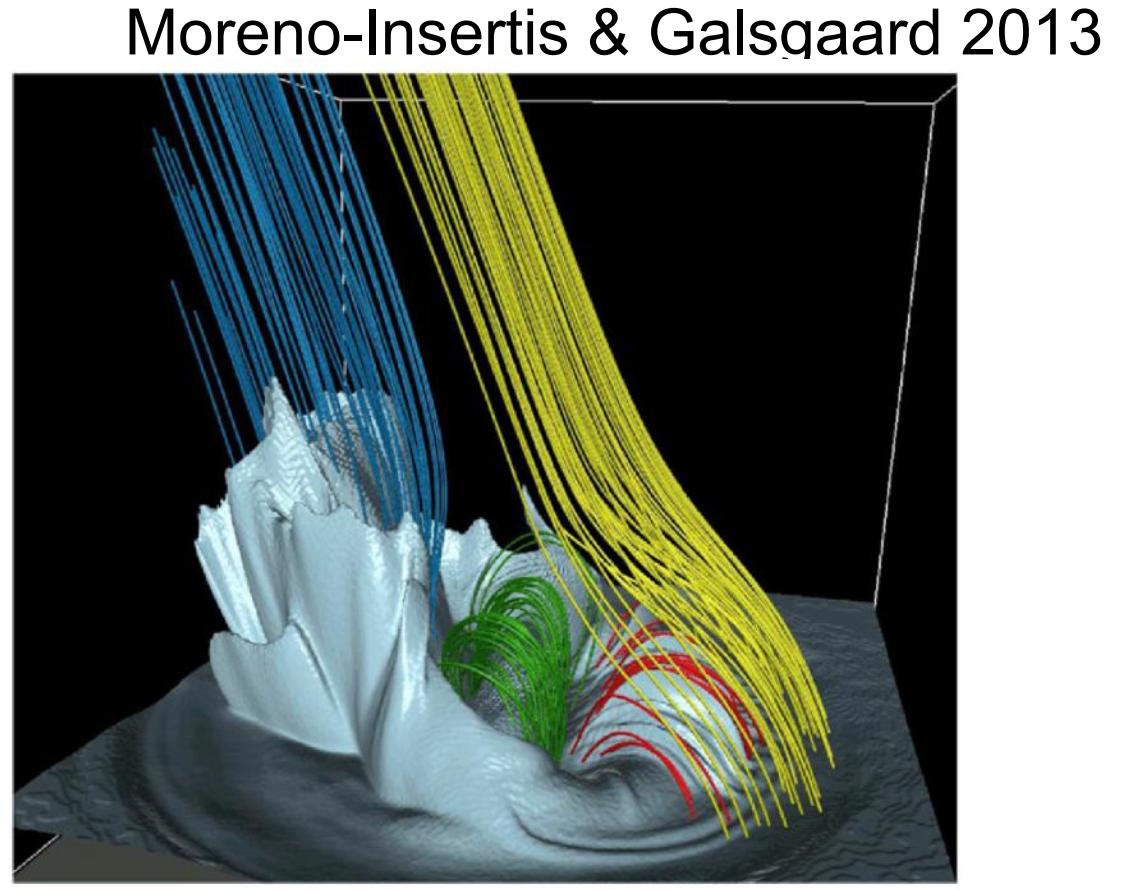
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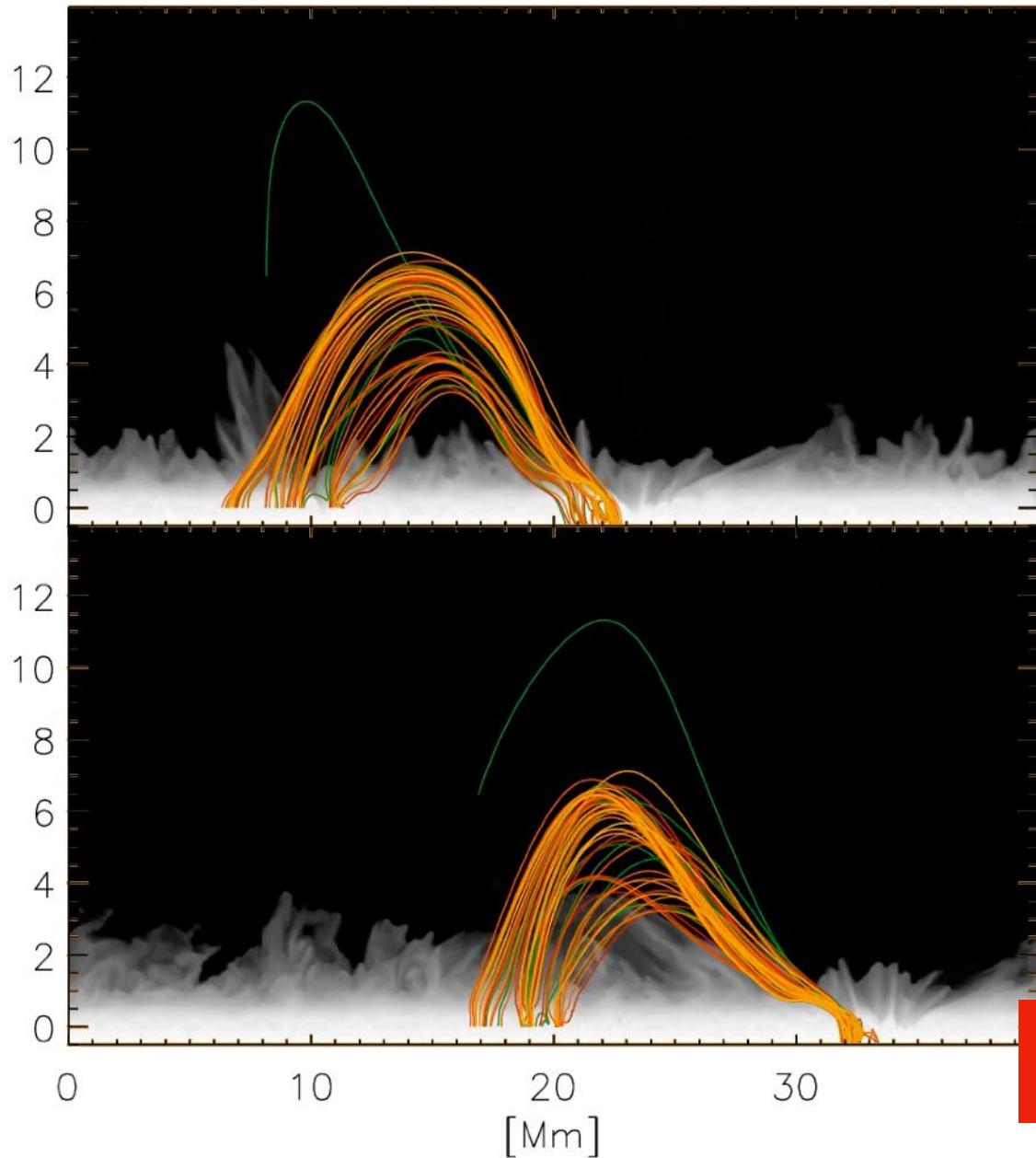
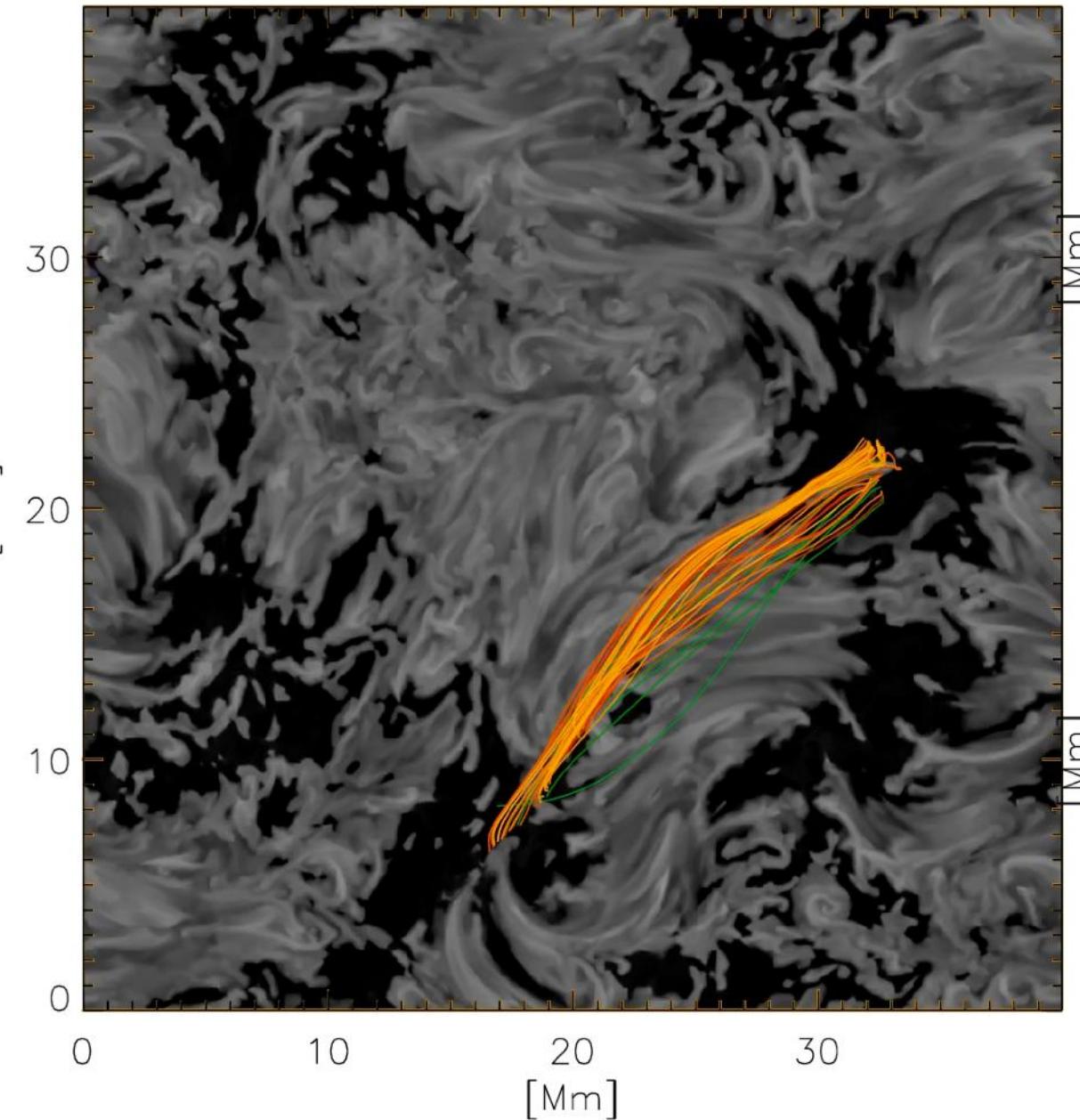
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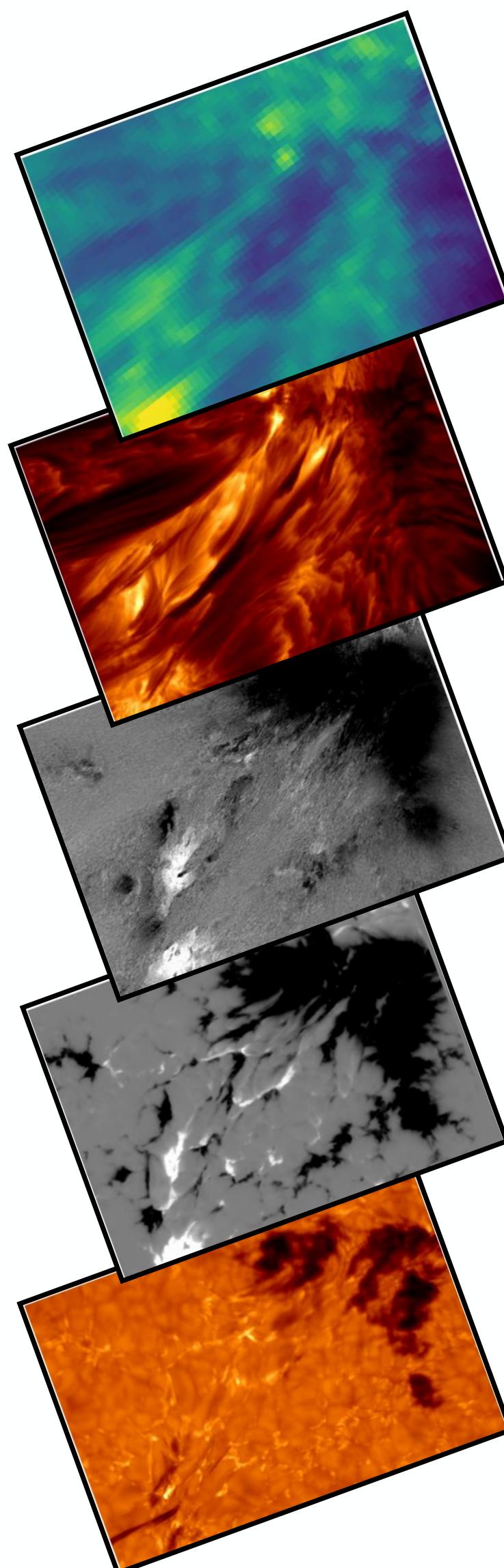
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## Observations



Corona  
AIA 171

H $\alpha$  line core

Chromosphere

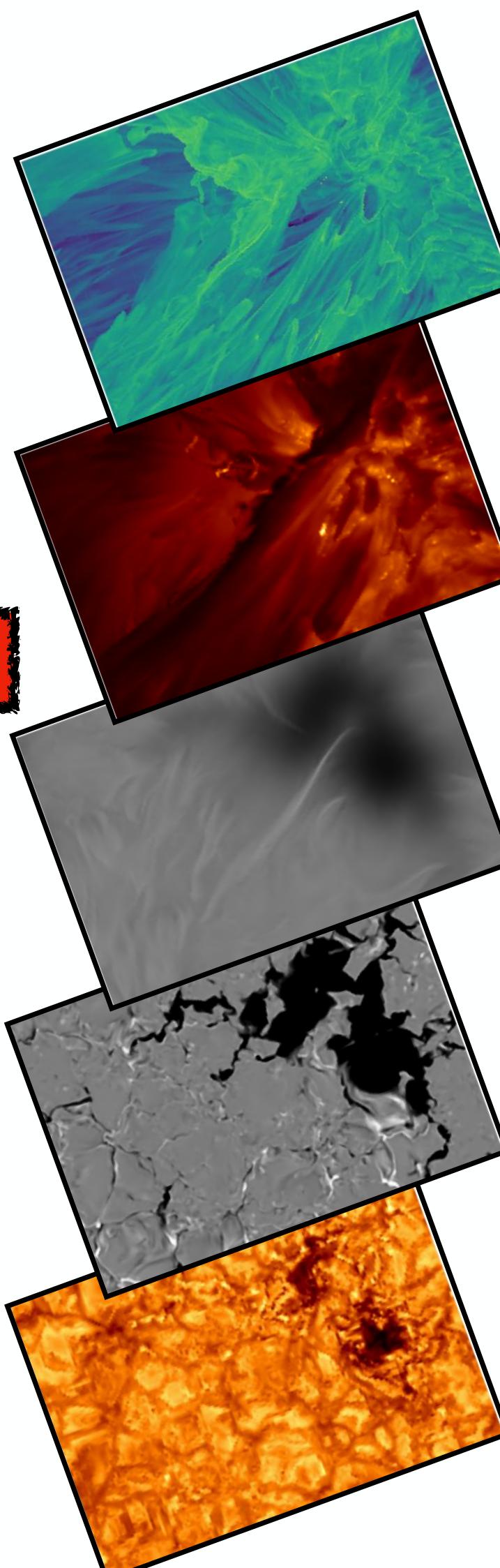
Bz

Bz

Photosphere

H $\alpha$  continuum

## Simulations



# Understanding chromospheric dynamics

## Summary

- The models show very dynamic chromosphere
- Signatures of both: dissipation in current sheets and different types of MHD waves are present
- The models reproduce a subclass of RBEs and RREs
- For recreating more specific observational features the field configuration has to be recreated

## Questions

- What determines the width of the synthetic and observed RBEs and RREs?
- What do we miss for reproducing ‘classic’ RBEs and RREs?
- How do we characterize the photospheric motions that lead to the observed chromospheric dynamics?