

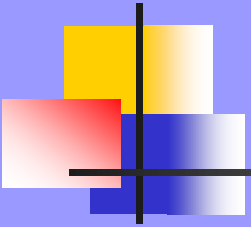
Bullet Cluster:

Wide-band Interferometer measurement
of the Sunyaev Zeldovich Effect

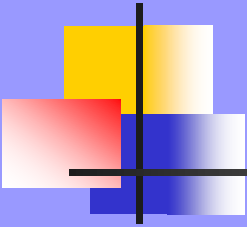


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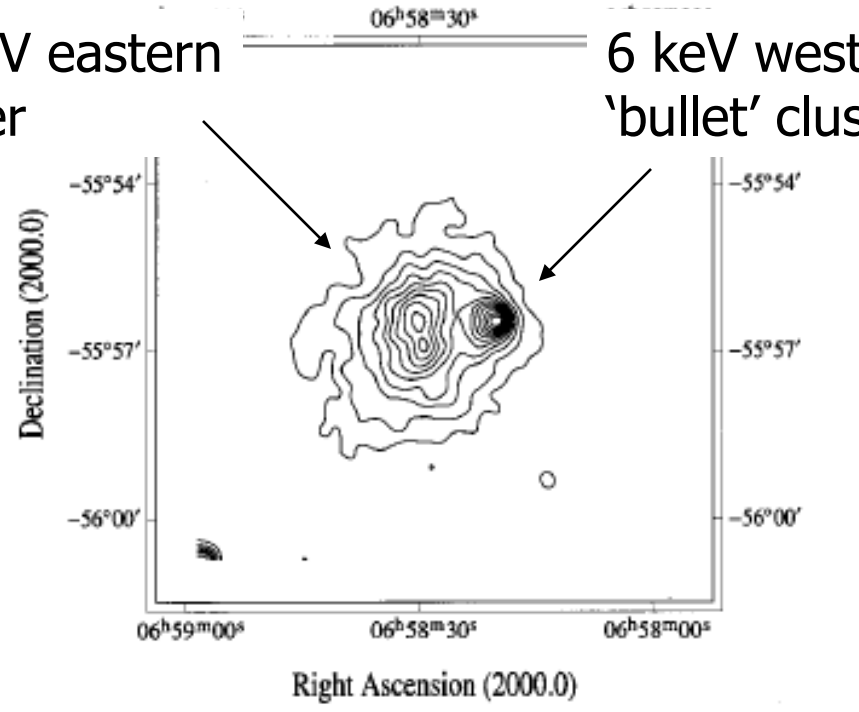
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- Bullet cluster = 1E 0657–56 / RJ J0658–5557
 - Redshift $z = 0.3$
 - 4 arcmin = 1 Mpc proper length



- ROSAT PSPC X-ray image

14 keV eastern cluster

6 keV western 'bullet' cluster

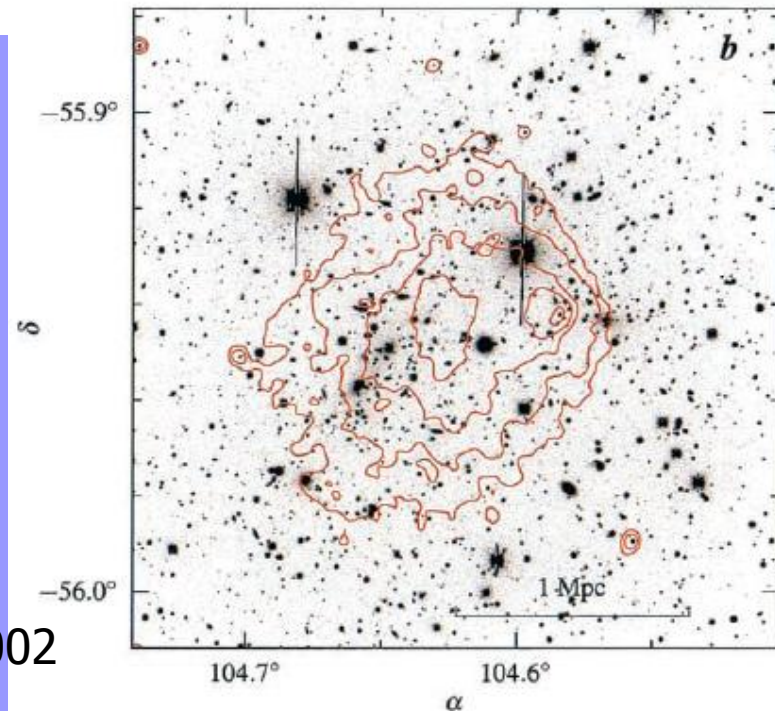
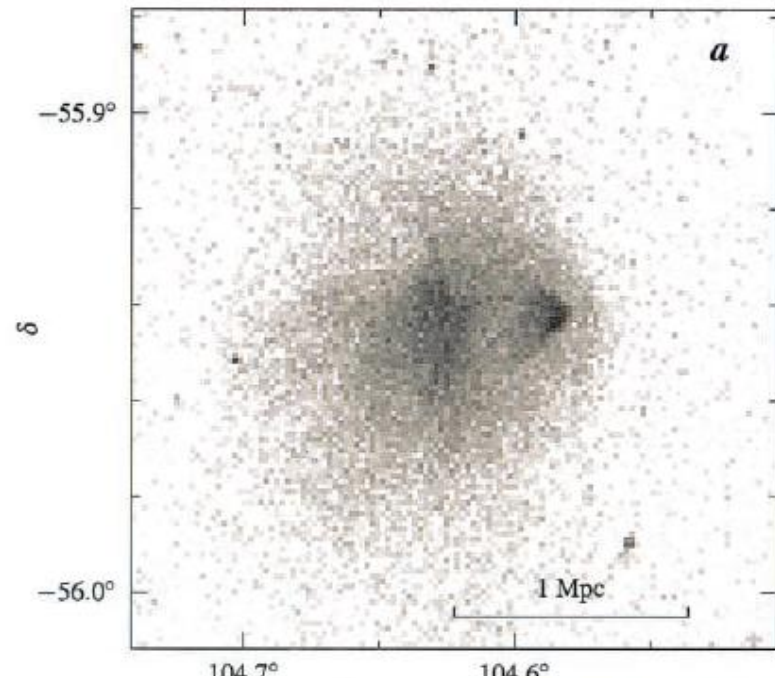


- Two sub-clusters with mass ratio 10:1 in the act of merging: the western 'bullet' has passed through the eastern cluster
- The western sub-cluster is the hottest known cluster of galaxies (14 keV)

Tucker et al. 1998

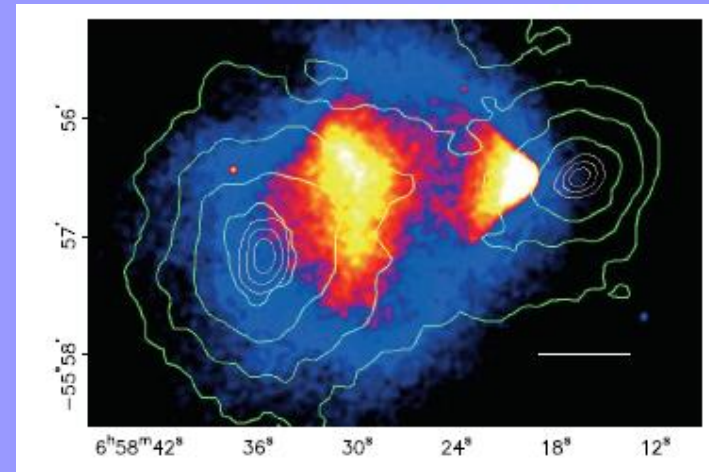
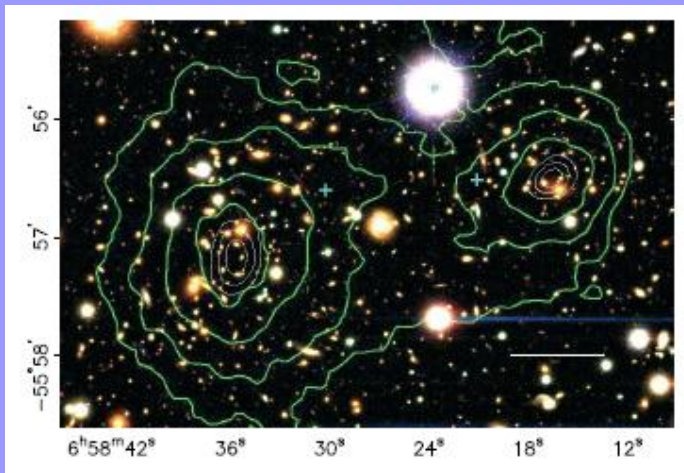
- Chandra ACIS 0.5-5 keV
ESO-NTT R-band optical

- Bow shock behind the gas bullet.
- Sub-cluster of galaxies seen leading the 'bullet'



Markevitch et al. 2002

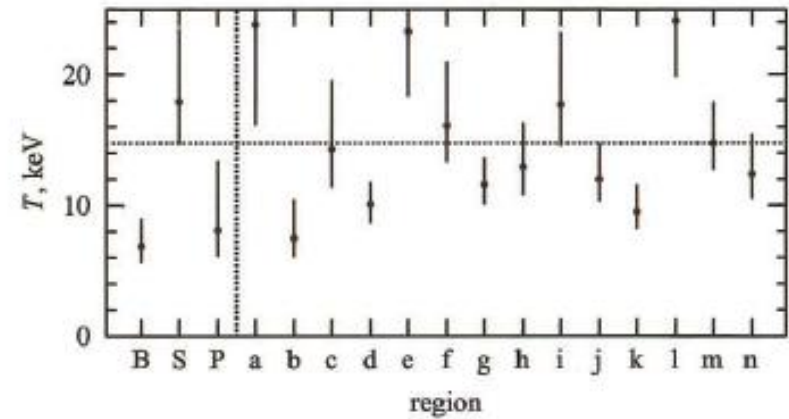
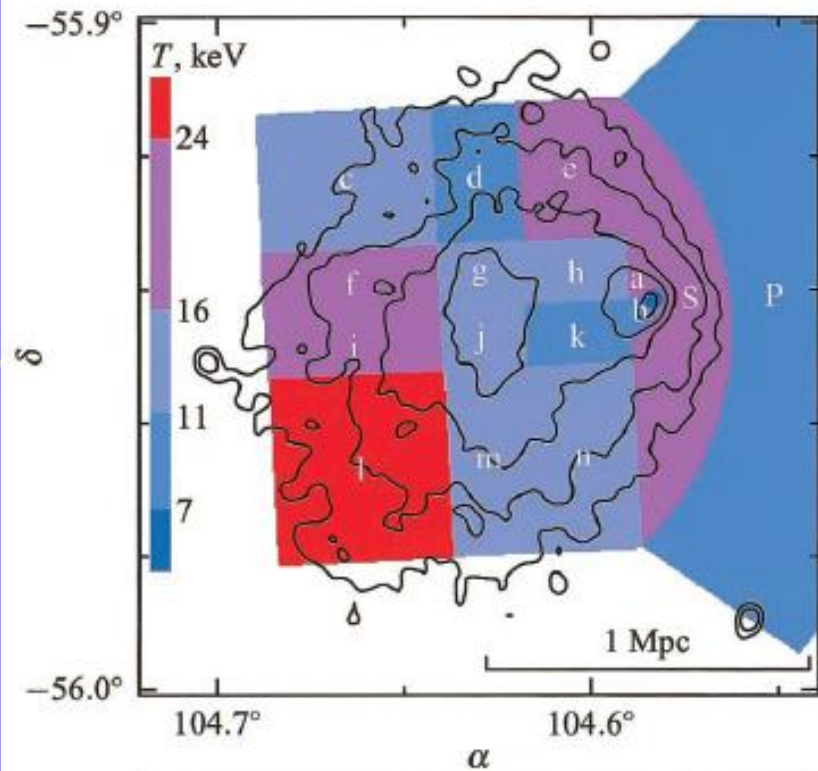
Dark matter from weak lensing



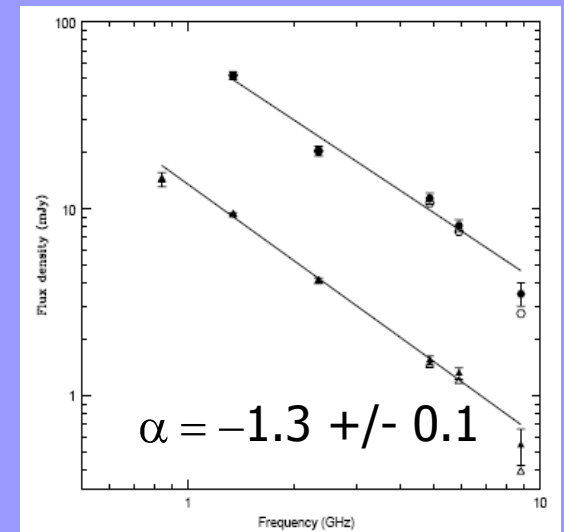
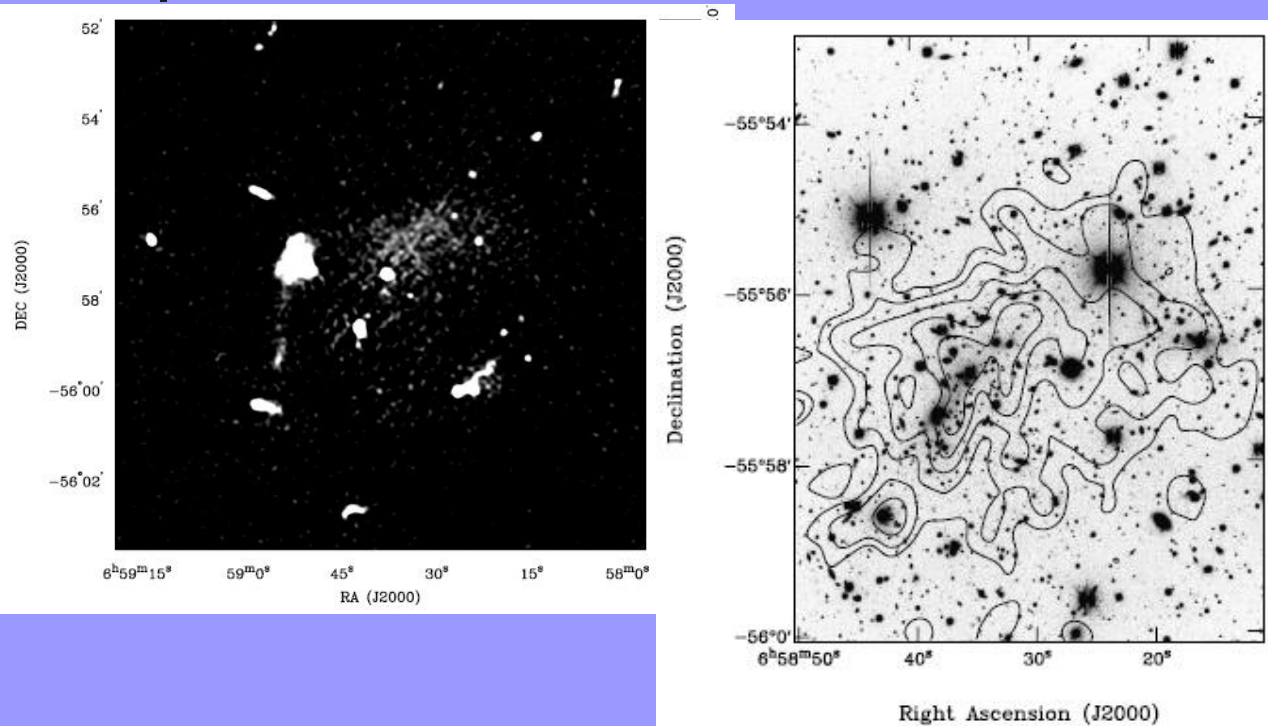
DM centres are coincident with where the bright galaxy clusters are located.

Temperature from Chandra ACIS spectral energy in 0.9-9.5 keV band

- Coolest part is the gas in the bullet : 7 keV
- Hottest part is to SE : >24 keV where there are several bright galaxies
- There is a temperature and density jump (3-4) at the shock and at the contact discontinuity between the bullet and ambient gas
- Bullet Mach number 2-3 (4700 km/s): collision 100 Myr ago.



Radio halo in the bullet cluster

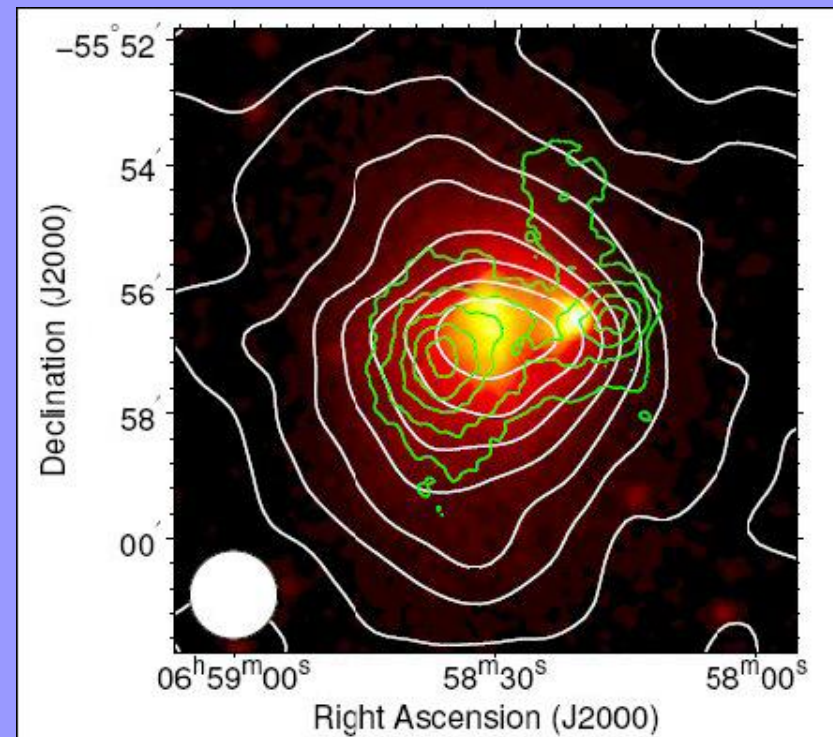
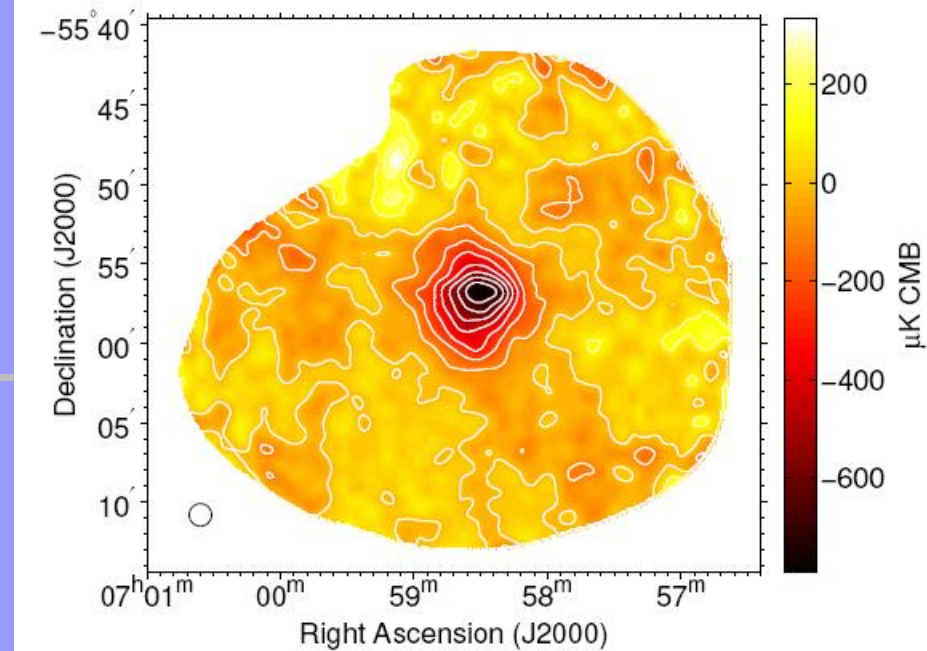


Liang et al. 2000

Sunyaev-Zeldovich Effect

- SZE image with APEX-SZ bolometer array at 150 GHz
- 85 arcsec beam
- 0.88 mK decrement

Halverson et al. 2009

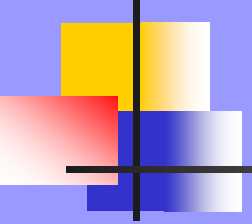




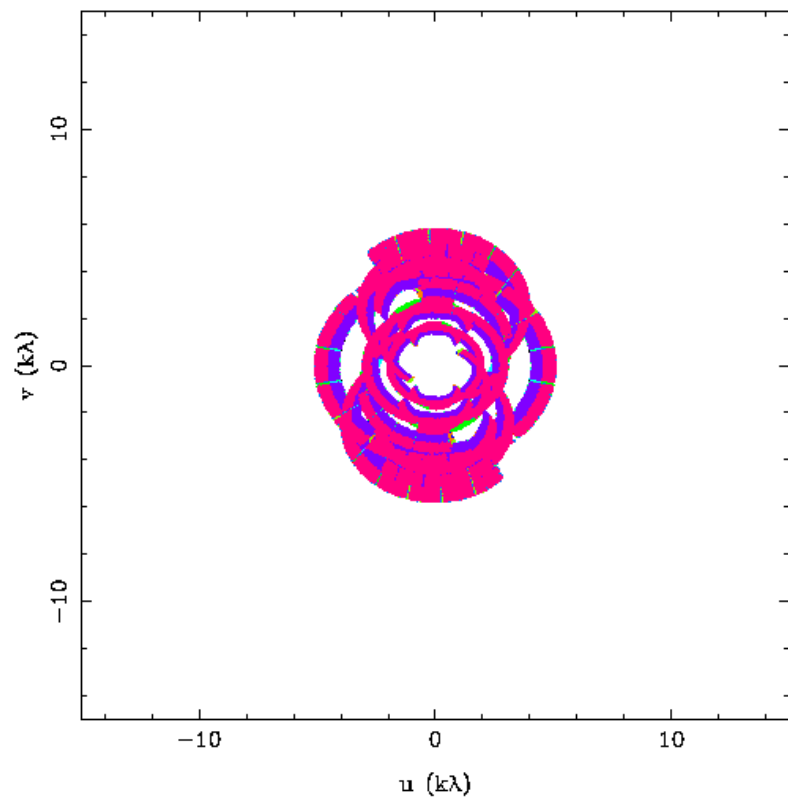
ATCA obs: Siddharth Malu, D Narasimha, Mark Wieringa, RS

- 5 x 22m antennas
- 2 x 2 GHz bands
@ 17 & 19 GHz
- 2048 frequency channels
in each band
- 2.6 arcmin antenna FWHM
- Full polarization
- 3x8 hrs in 75-m array; 2x12hr in 168m array
- 2 pointing centres at the X-ray peaks – separation 1.5 arcmin

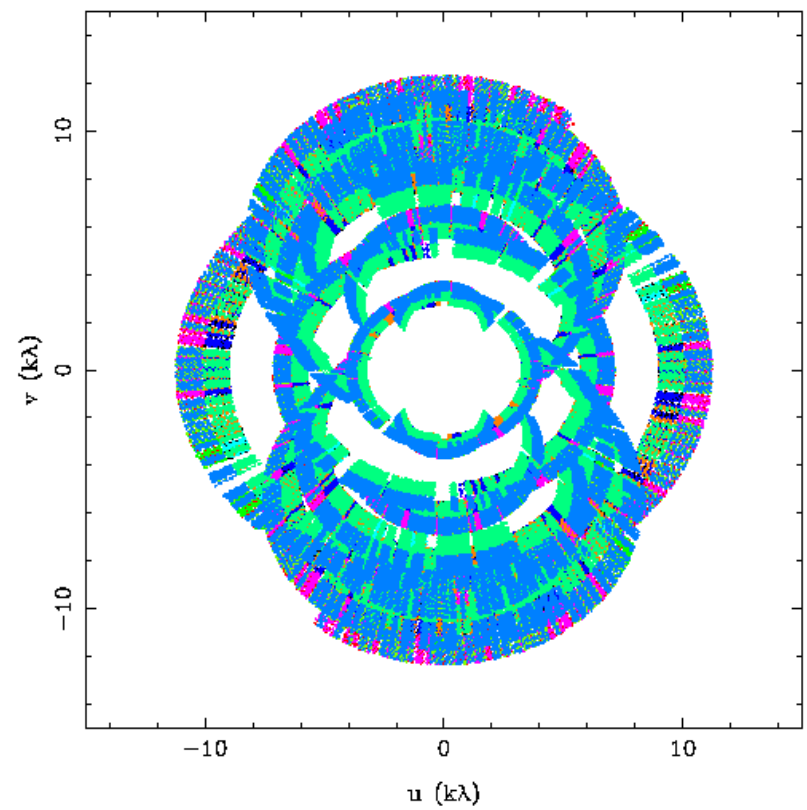


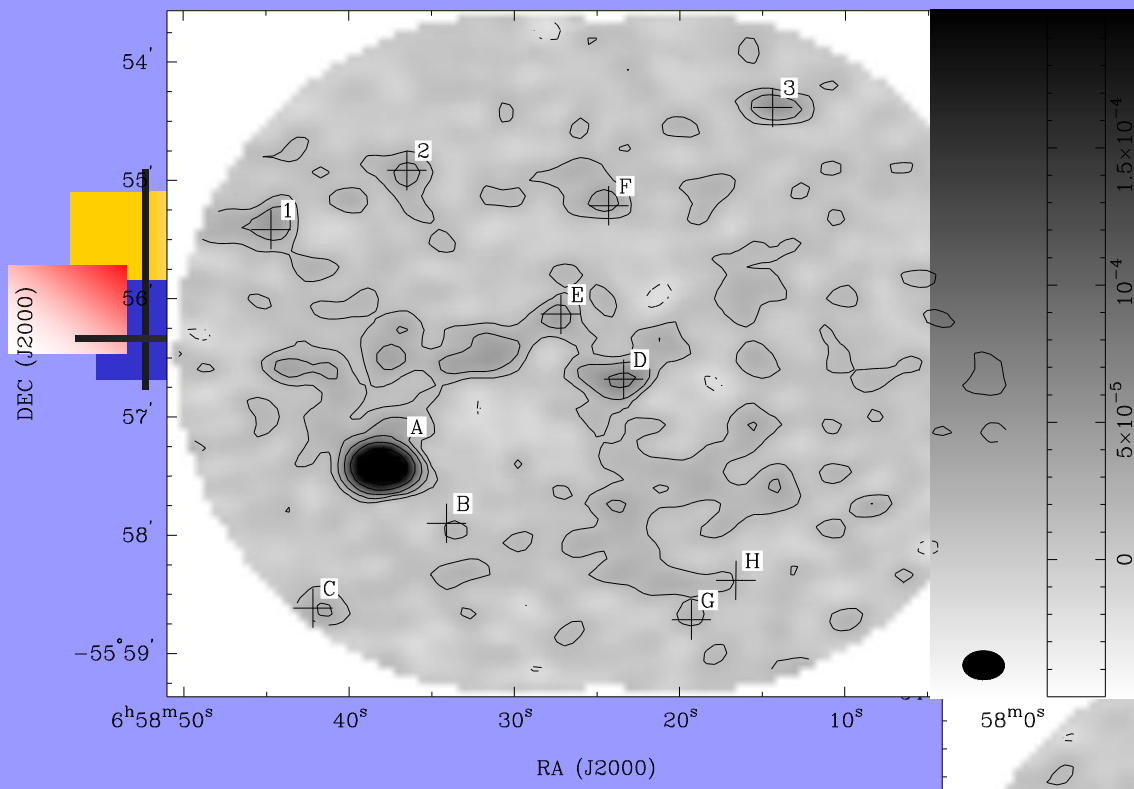
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- Bullet cluster pointing centres observed alternately every 80 sec
 - PKS B0742-56 every 10 min for amplitude & phase calibration
 - PKS B0537-441 every 1 hr for antenna pointing update: 5-point pattern
 - PKS B1934-638 once every day for absolute flux scale and bandpass (spectral index $\alpha = -1.33$)
 - Visibilities recorded with 10-sec averaging; 1 MHz channels averaged to 10 MHz after editing & calibration.

I 17.0045 GHz

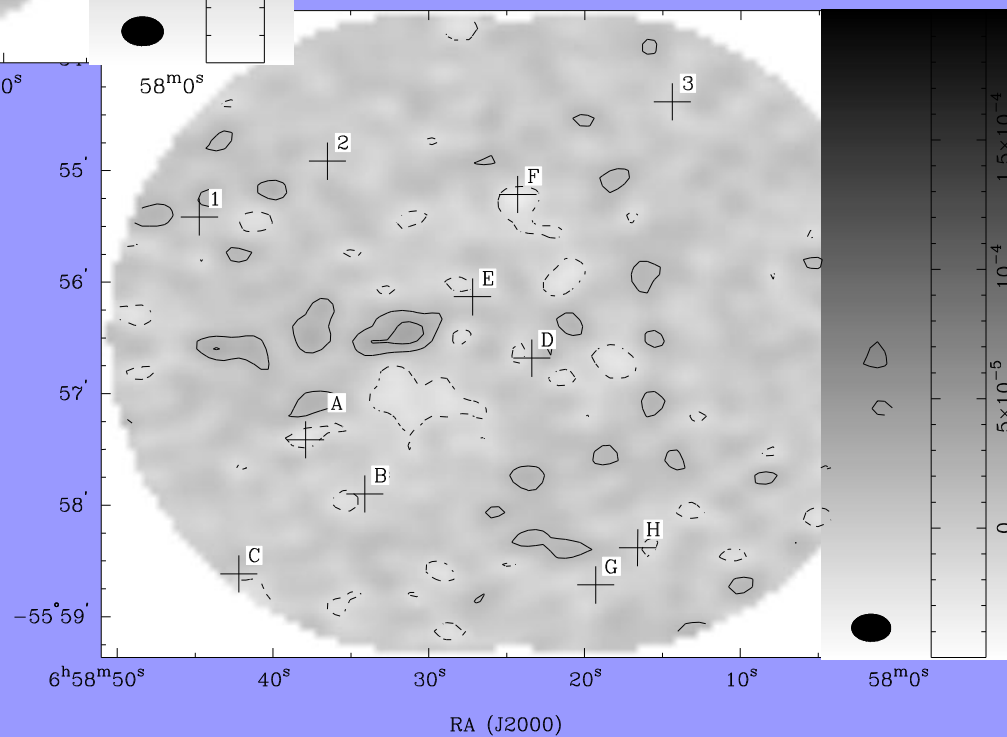


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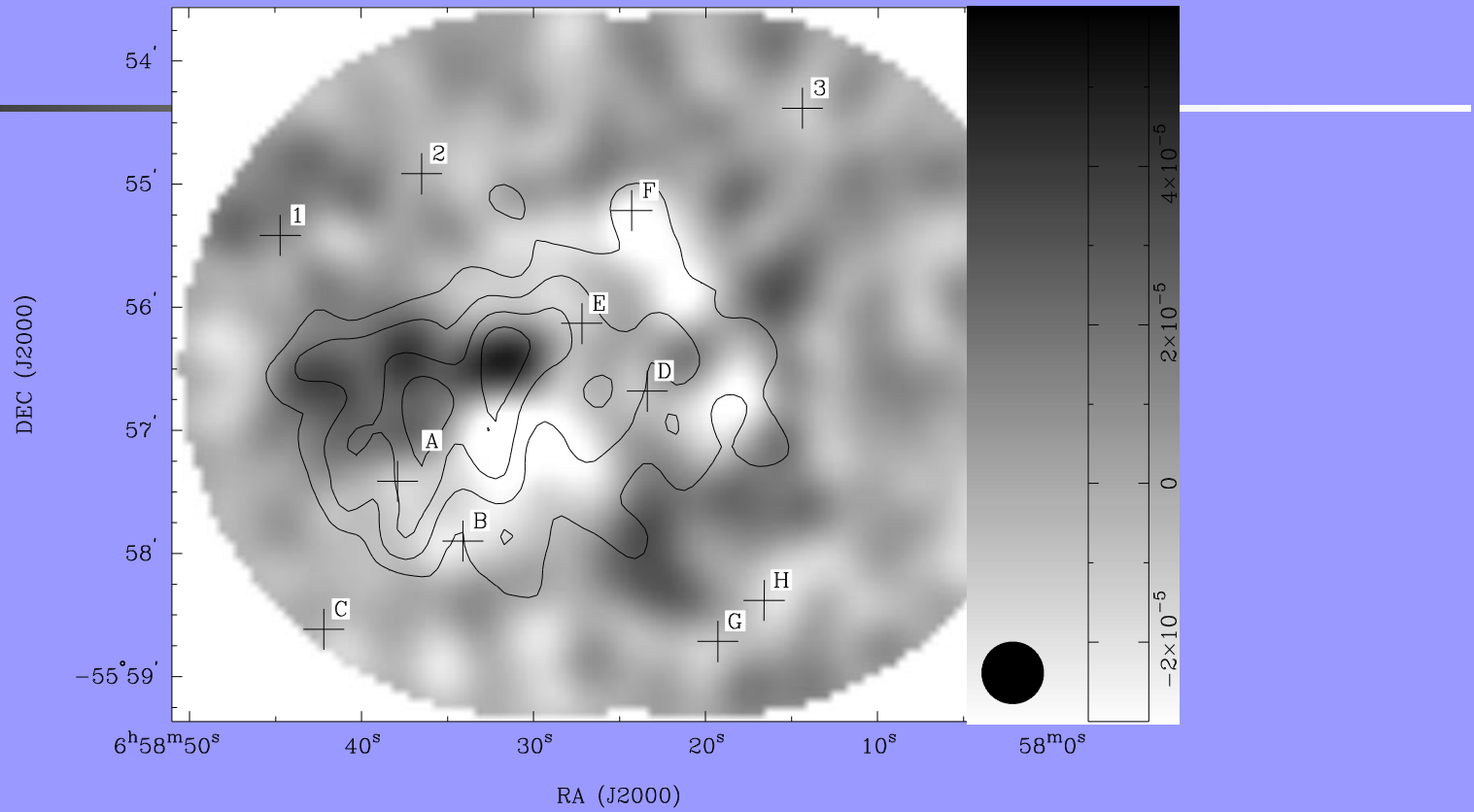
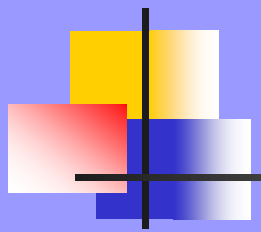




Subtraction of
unresolved sources

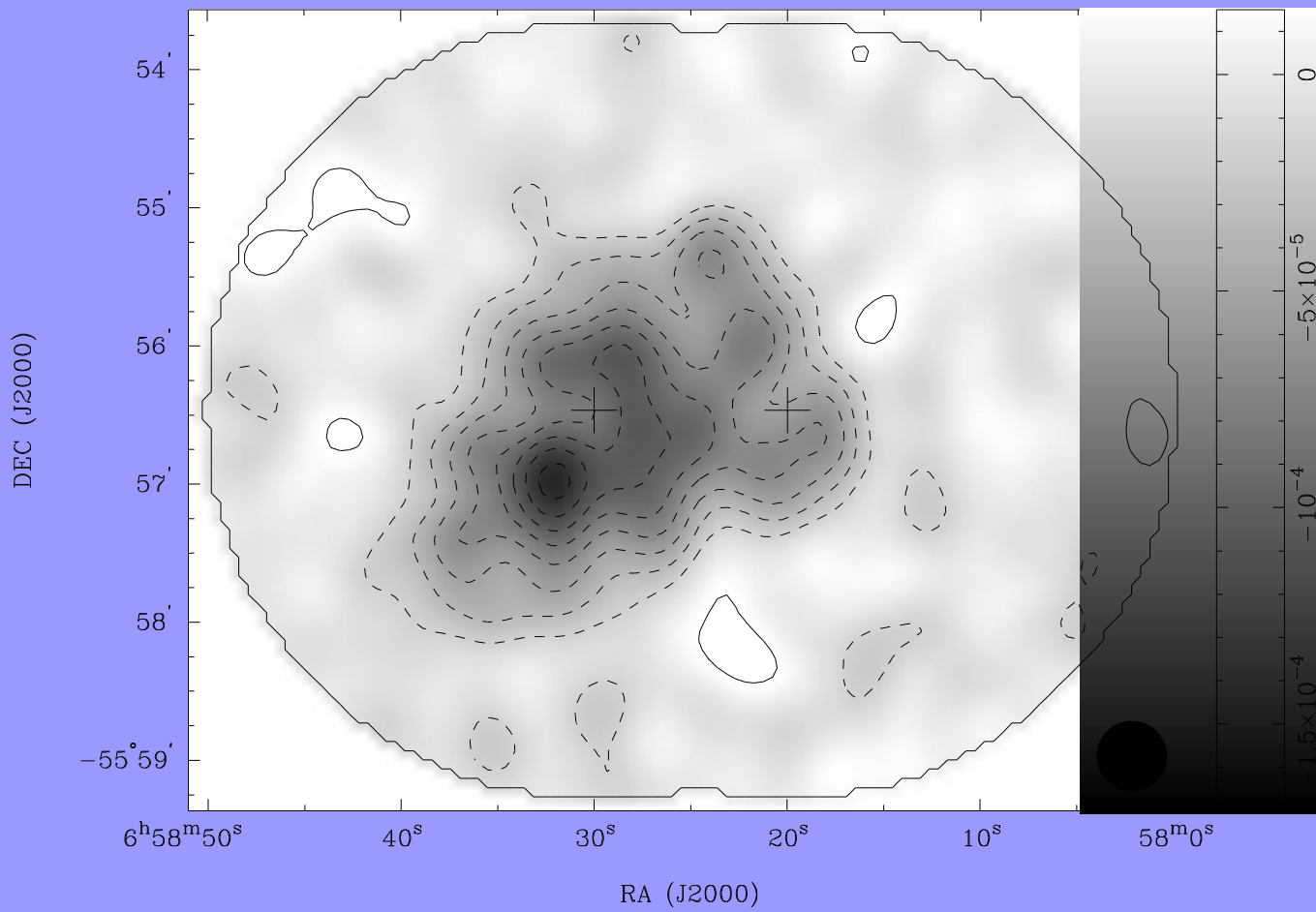
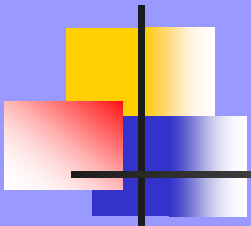


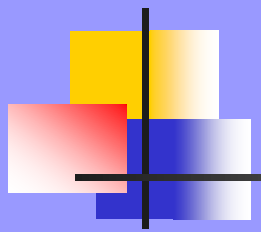
NA weighting: 20 x 15 arcsec beam;
7.4 μ Jy/beam rms noise



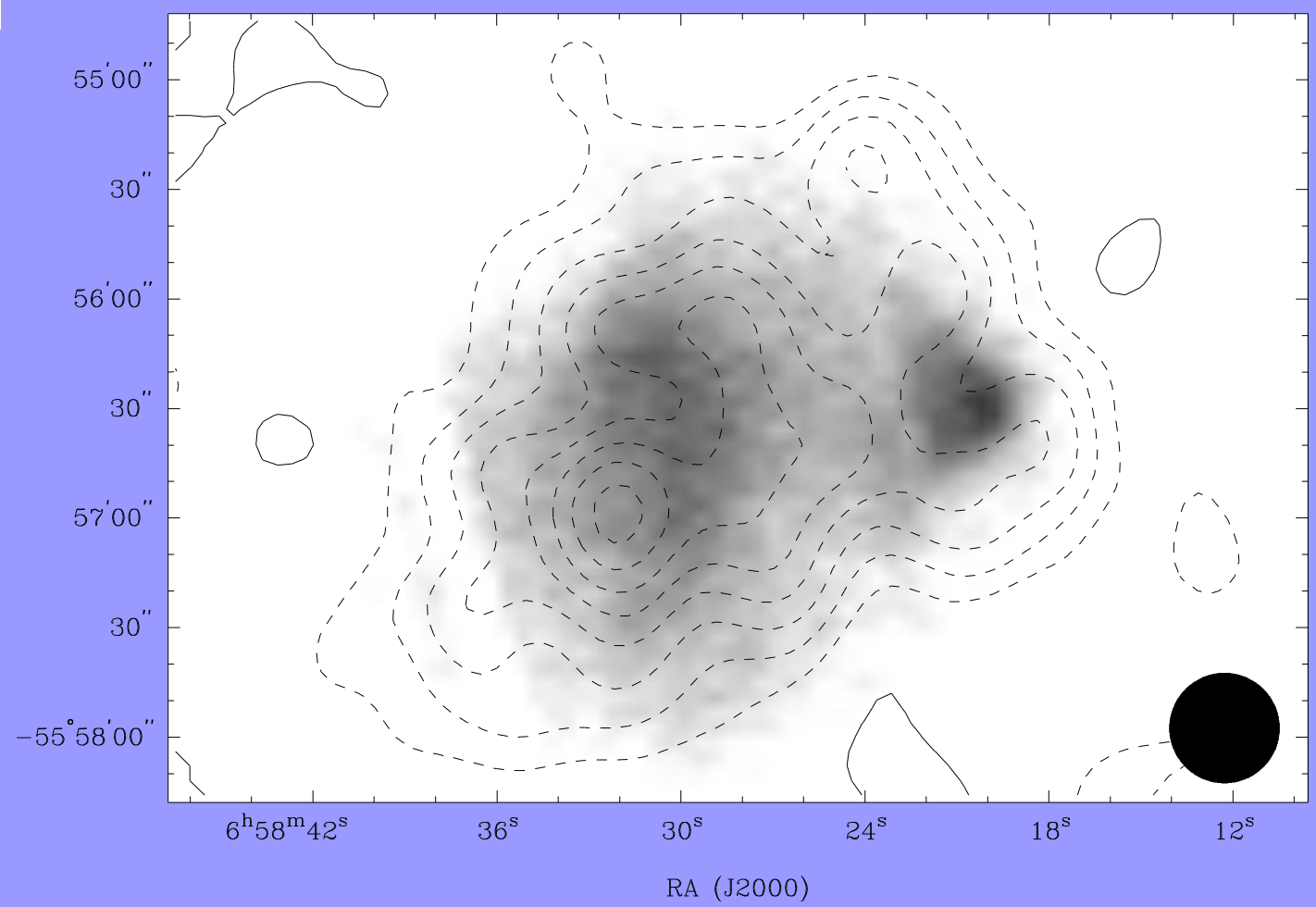
Scaled radio halo + residual 18 GHz image

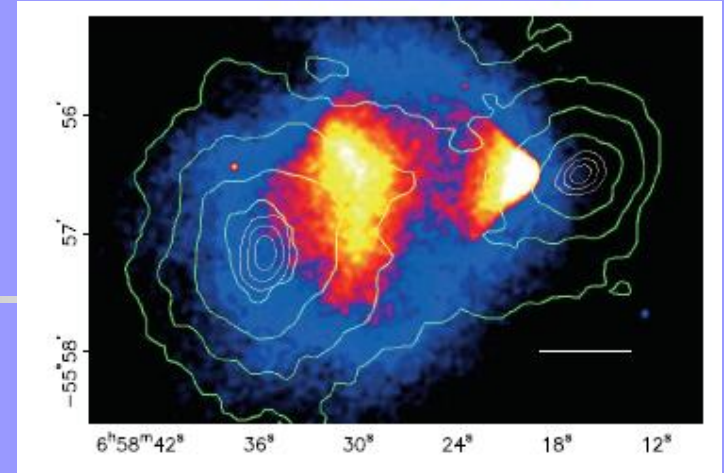
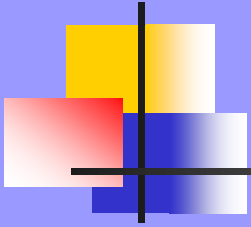
The SZE is co-located within the radio halo





DEC (J2000)





Summary:

Merging clusters may have compact features and substructure in SZE.

Interesting? Unexpected?

SZE science with the EVLA – ALMA interferometers

