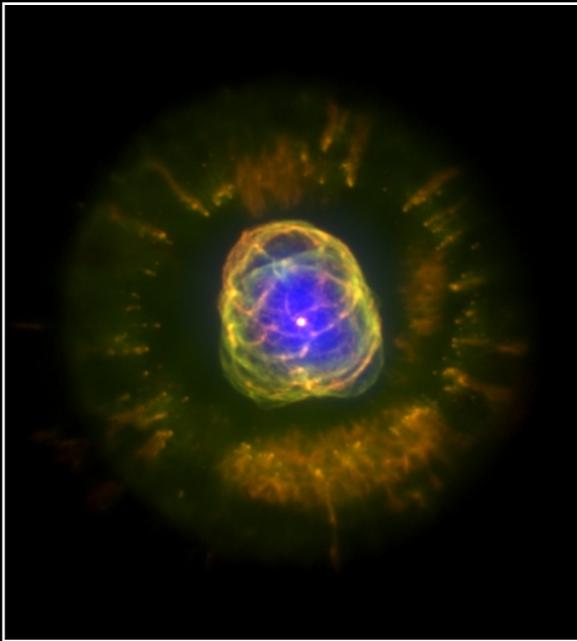


Hot Gas in Planetary Nebulae

X-ray emission detected by Chandra & XMM-Newton

NGC 2392



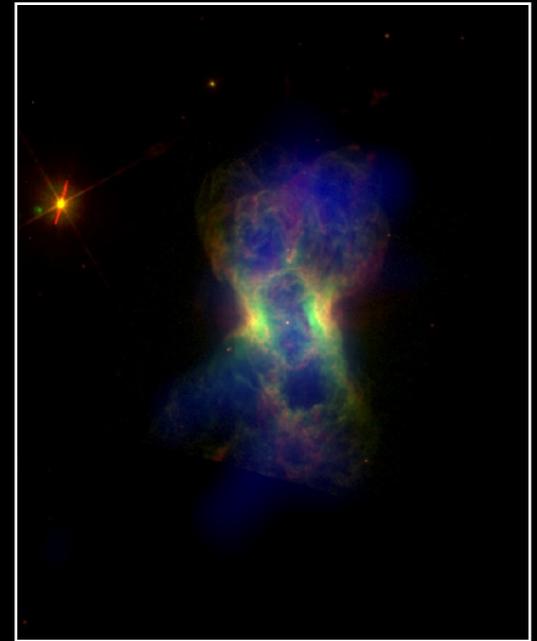
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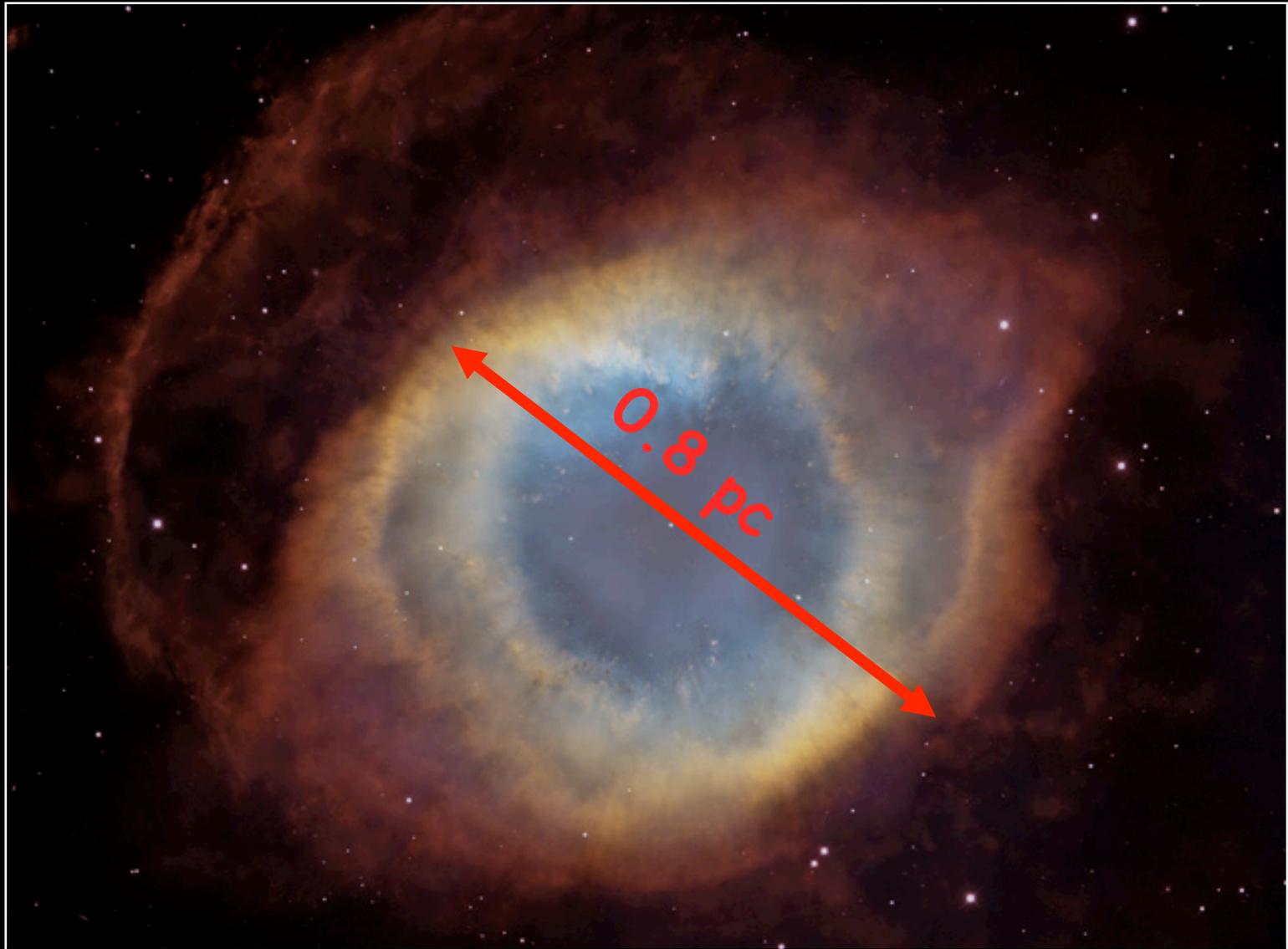
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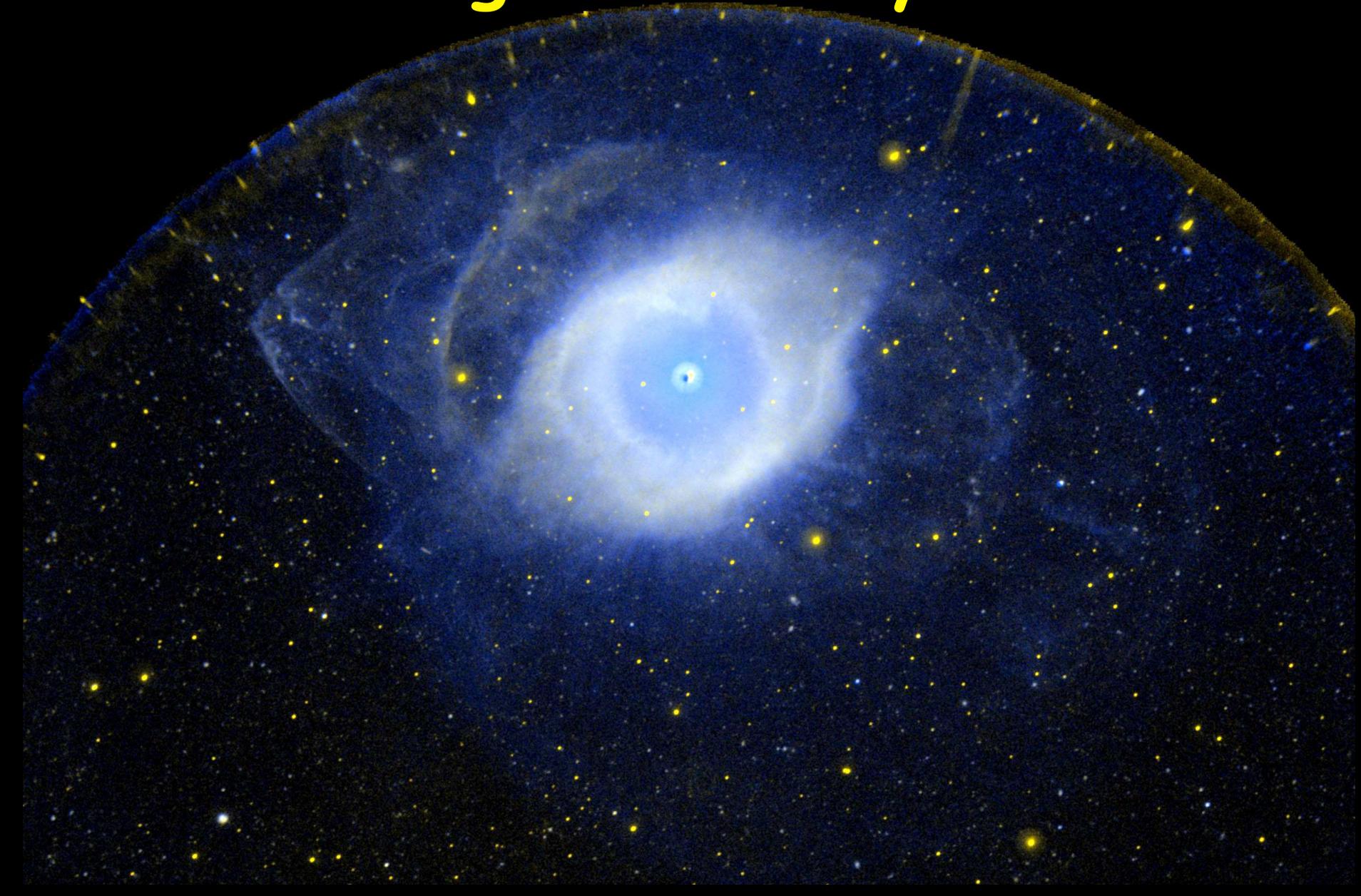


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Helix Nebula - HST + KPNO 0.9m



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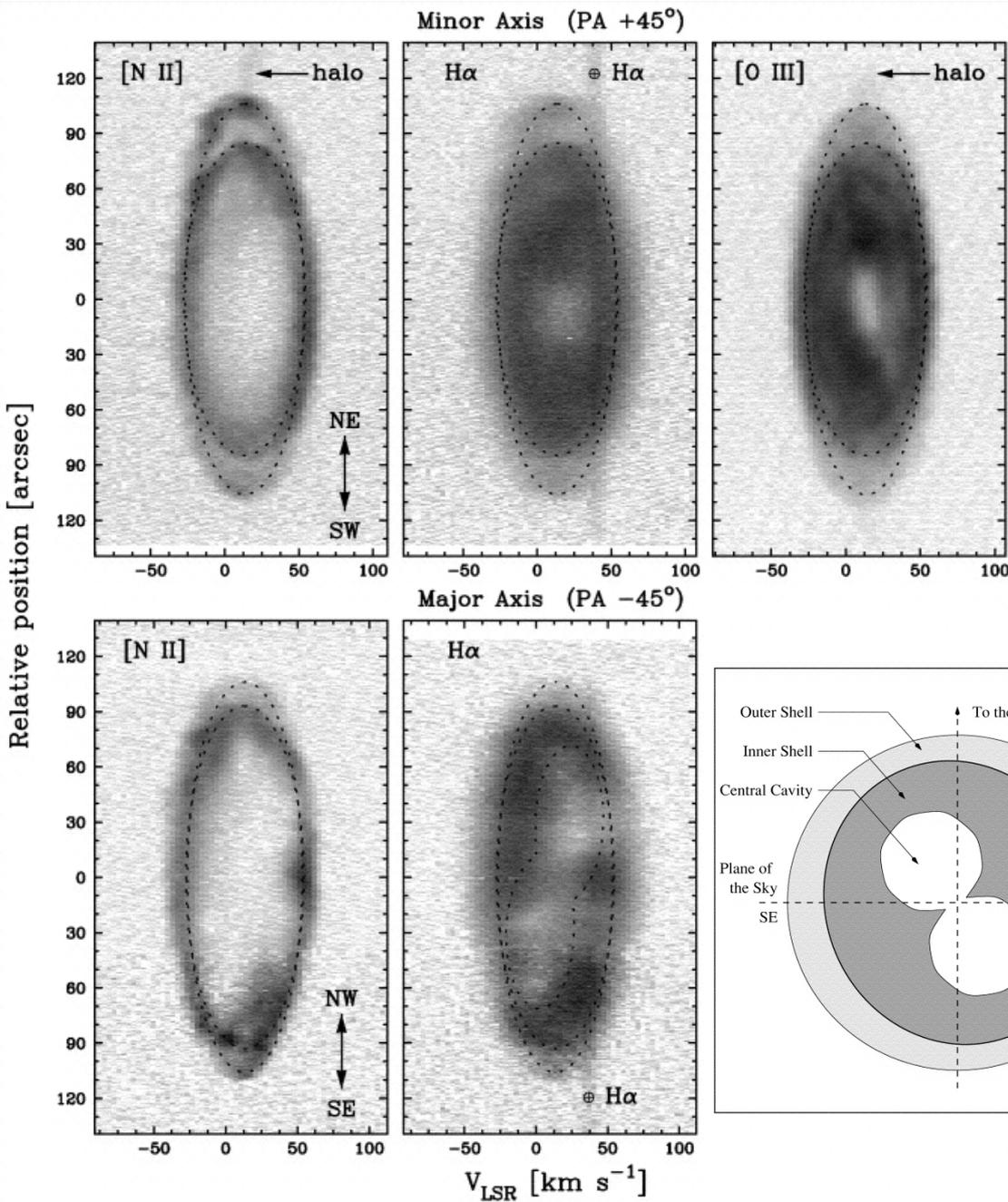
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Owl Nebula

$V_{\text{exp}} = 40 \text{ km/s}$
Age $\sim 12,900 \text{ d}_{\text{kpc}} \text{ yr}$

The central cavity is being back-filled.



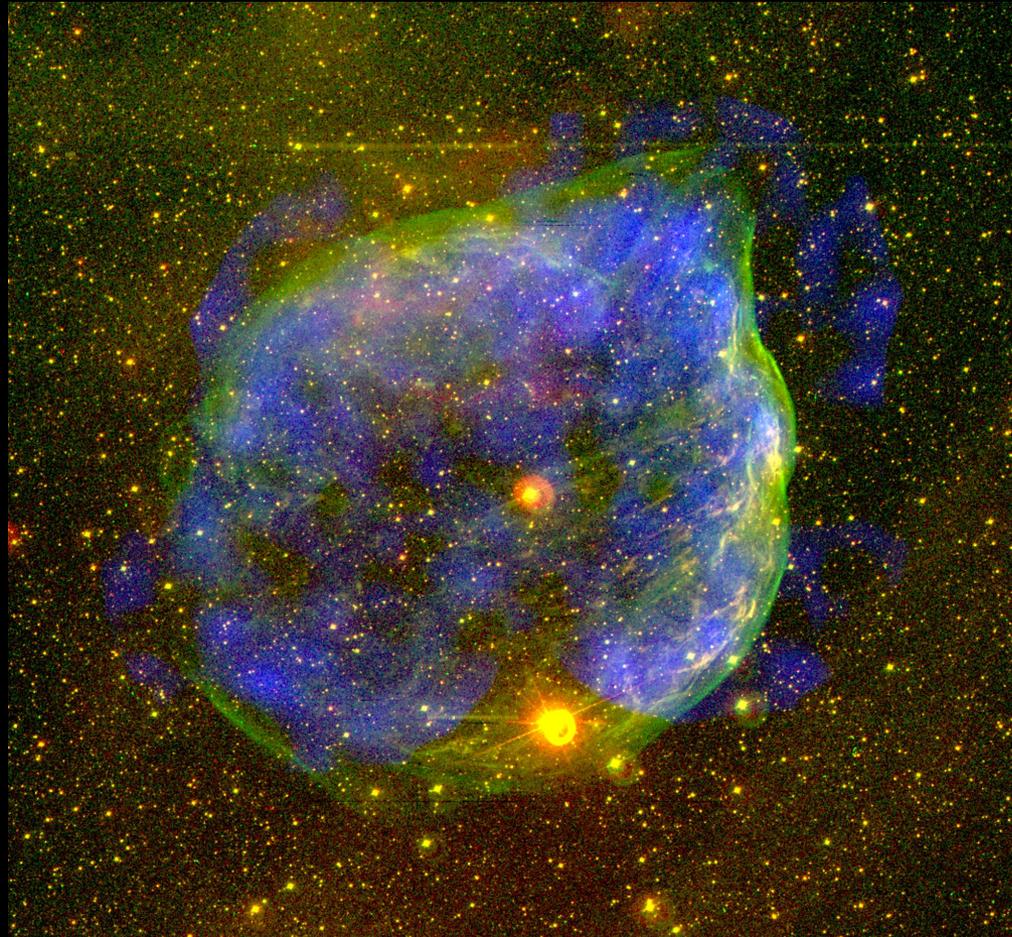
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The Bubble Nebula



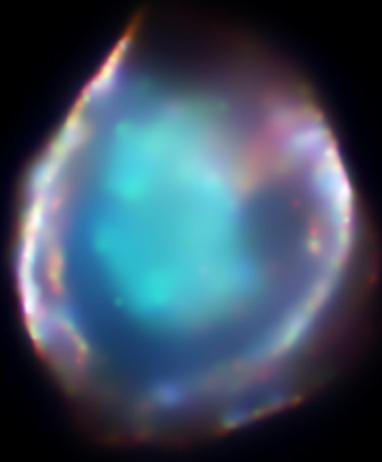
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S 308 - a WR Circumstellar Bubble



Red: $H\alpha$ Green: [O III] Blue: X-ray

Supernova Remnants



N49



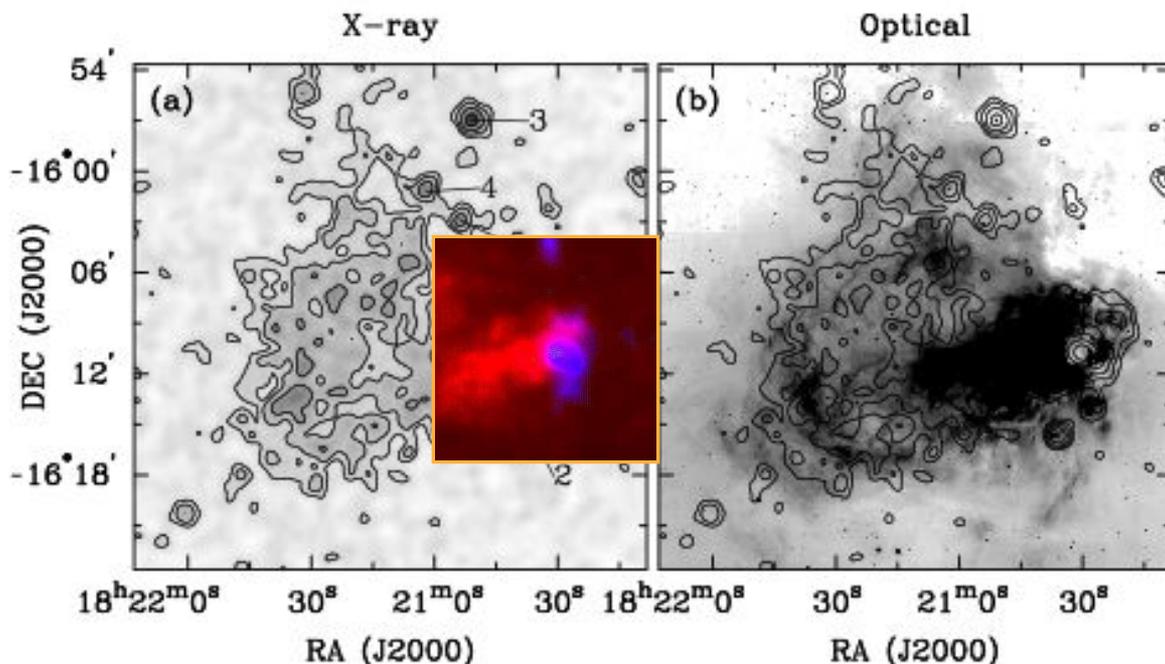
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Hot Gas in the Omega Superbubble

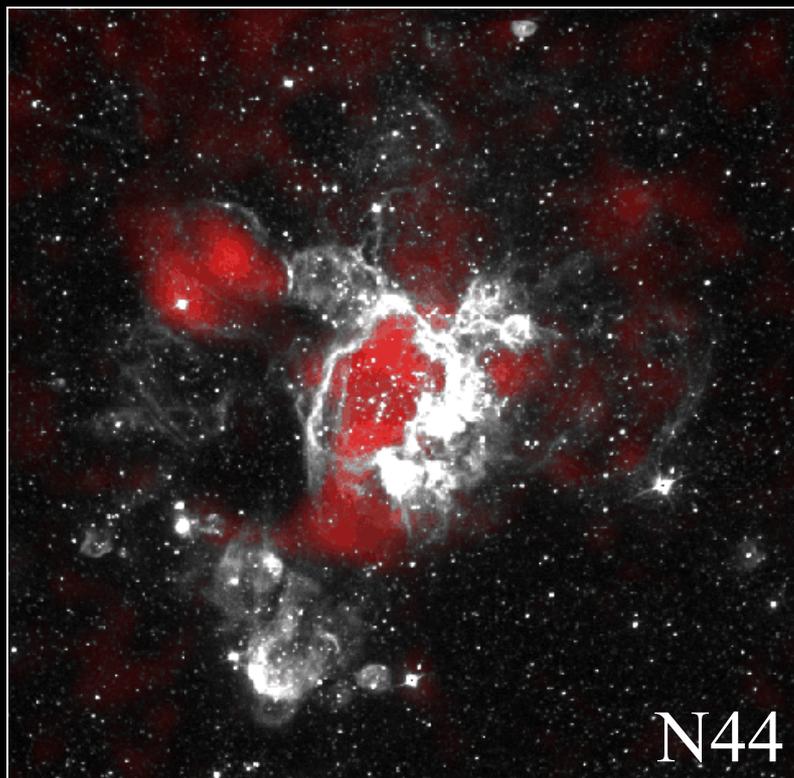
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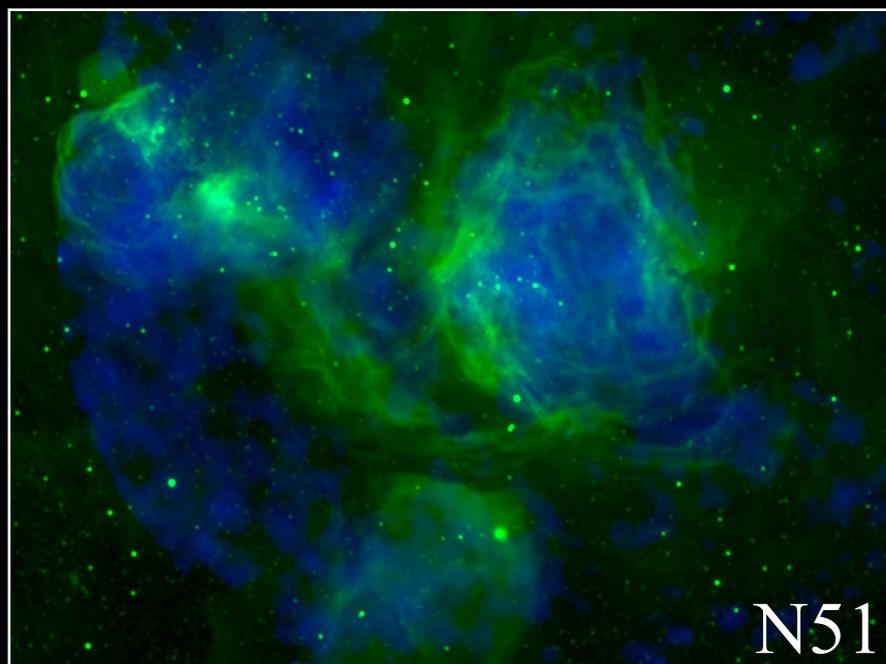
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X-ray-bright Superbubble N44 in the LMC

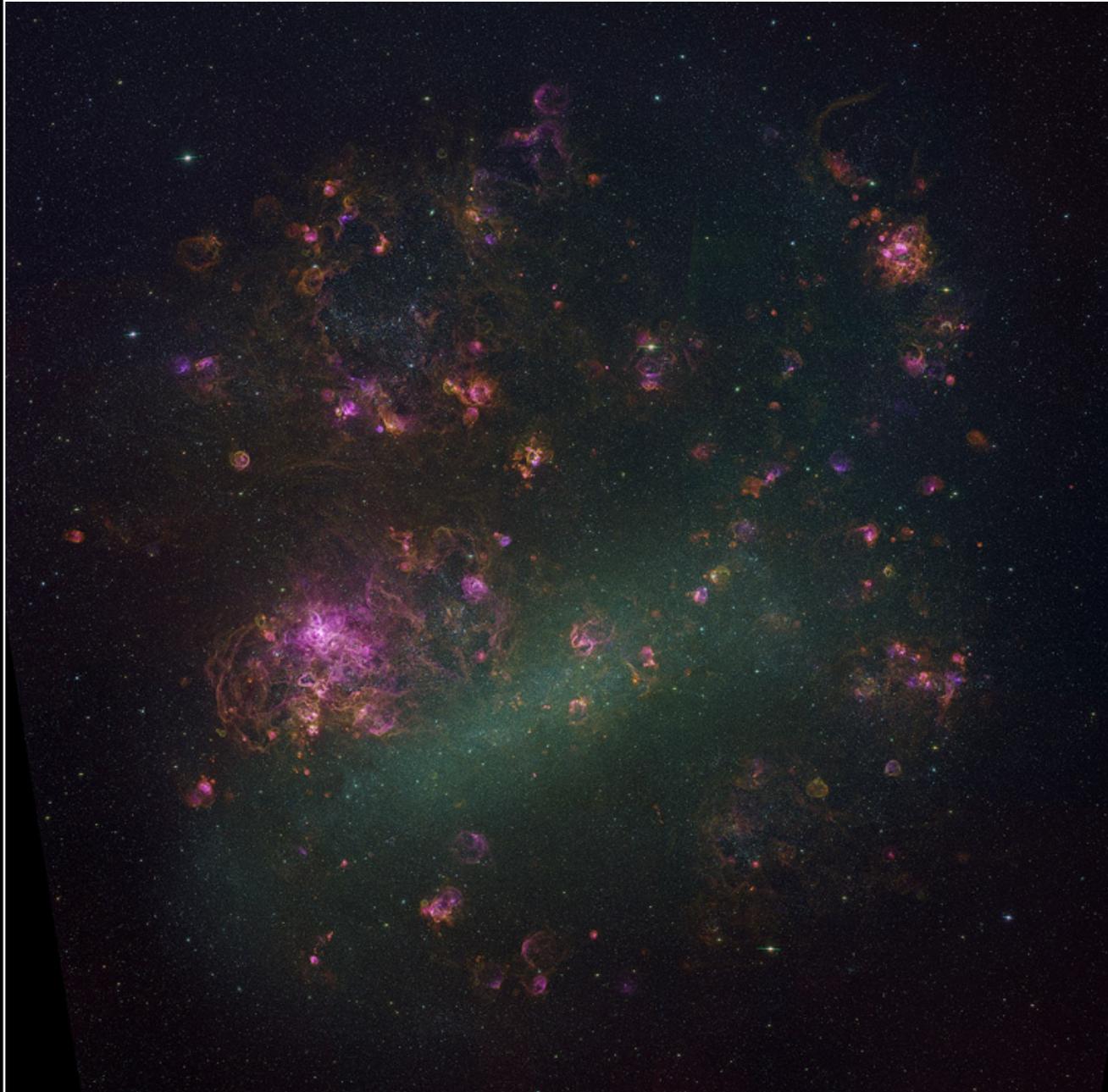


Chu et al. 1993, ApJ



Cooper et al. 2004

Large Magellanic Cloud



H α -red

[O III] -blue

[S II] -green



Bubbles, SNRs

$\sim 10 - 50$ pc

$\sim 10^3 - 10^5$ yr

(single star)

Superbubbles

~ 100 pc

$\sim 10^6$ yr

(multiple stars)

Supergiant shells

~ 1000 pc

$\sim 10^7$ yr

(multi generations)

500 pc

R - H α

G - [S II]

B - [O III]