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Why QSO variability lovers (might want to) care about STELLAR-MASS Black Holes



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e.g. Remillard & McClintock 2006 / Belloni et al. 2011

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ACCRETION STATES IN AGN ?

Koerding, Jester and Fender 2006

SAMPLE OF DIFFERENT AGN (Type I)

- Radio Luminosity
- Optical —> Disc Luminosity

 X-rays —> Comptonization Component

Mass and K-correction



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X-rays (20-200 keV): Superb INTEGRAL coverage

Rodriguez et al. 2015; Roques et al. 2015; Muñoz-Darias et al. 2016; Motta et al. 2017

Radio (16 GHz): AMI (Cambridge, UK)

Muñoz-Darias et al. 2016; Motta et al. 2017; Fender et al. in prep.

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10 + 5 days

BUT VERY SHORT...

Optical Accretion disc wind from V404 Cyg

GTC 10.4m telescope

P-CYG PROFILES IN 12 EMISSION LINES

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High-velocity, optical wind <u>simultaneous with the radio jet</u> Strong flaring activity and high intrinsic extinction Motta et al. 2017 X-ray wind detected by Chandra King et al. 2015

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disc ~ 30 l.s.

Innermost 3 I.s. (Consistent with <u>thermal wind</u> launching radius)

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Conspicuous optical winds in other BHs transients

Muñoz-Darias, Torres & Garcia, 2018, MNRAS

Muñoz-Darias et al. 2019 ApJ Lett.

See Shidatsu et al. 2018, 2019 for the outburst evolution

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Black Hole transient optical dipper seen at high inclination (Corral Santana et al. 2013)

Dip-resolved spectroscopy Jiménez-Ibarra, TMD et al. 2019, MNRAS

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Blue-shifted absorptions observed later in the outburst and modelled by dense and hot outflow component (Charles et al. 2019, MNRAS)

Stellar-mass Black Holes allow us to:

- To study accreting BHs on human beings time scales and cleaner environments
- To establish an "Accretion-Ejection" scheme (which may be present in AGN to some extent)

Strong emission/absorption line variability

- In most cases linked to outflows. They do impact on accretion
- Obscuration effects (might be also related to outflows).