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## **Obelics WP 3.4 D-ANA LOFAR status**

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# **3.4 LOFAR / ASTRON overview**



- Persons working on WP3.4:
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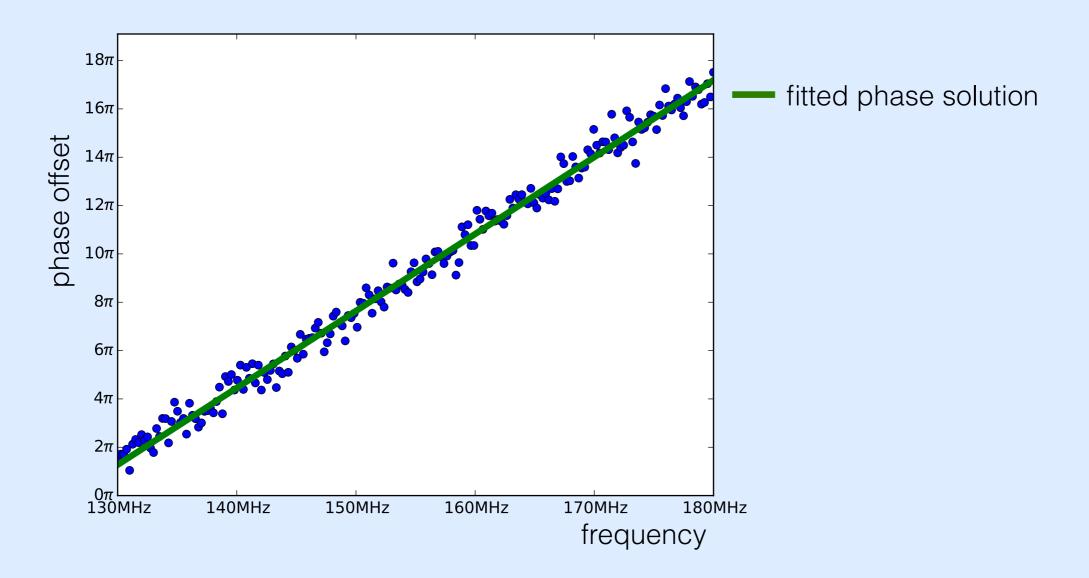
- Topics:
  - Calibration algorithms + implementation
  - Imaging algorithms + implementation



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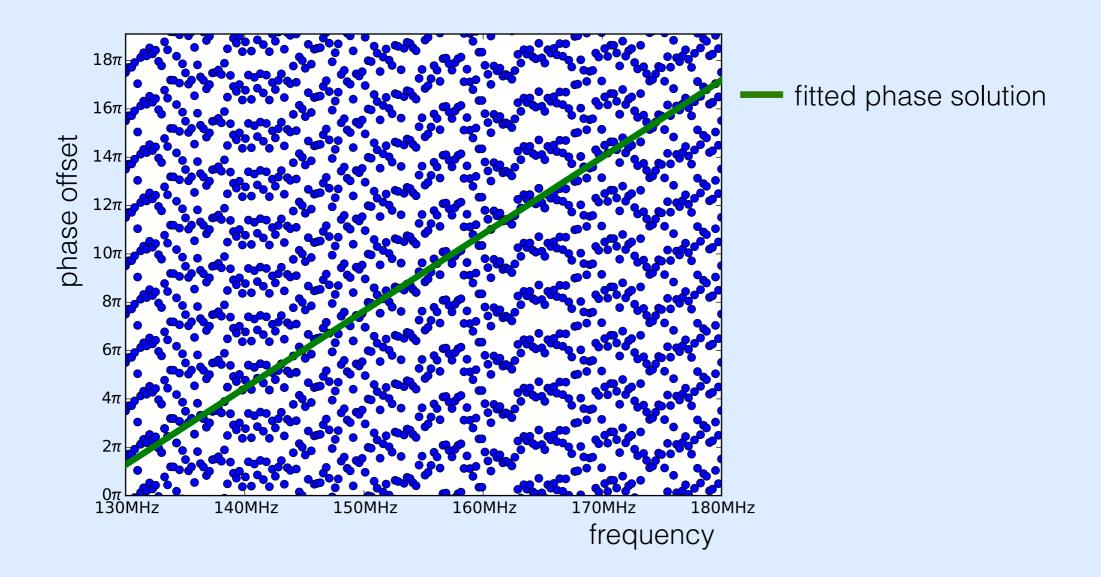
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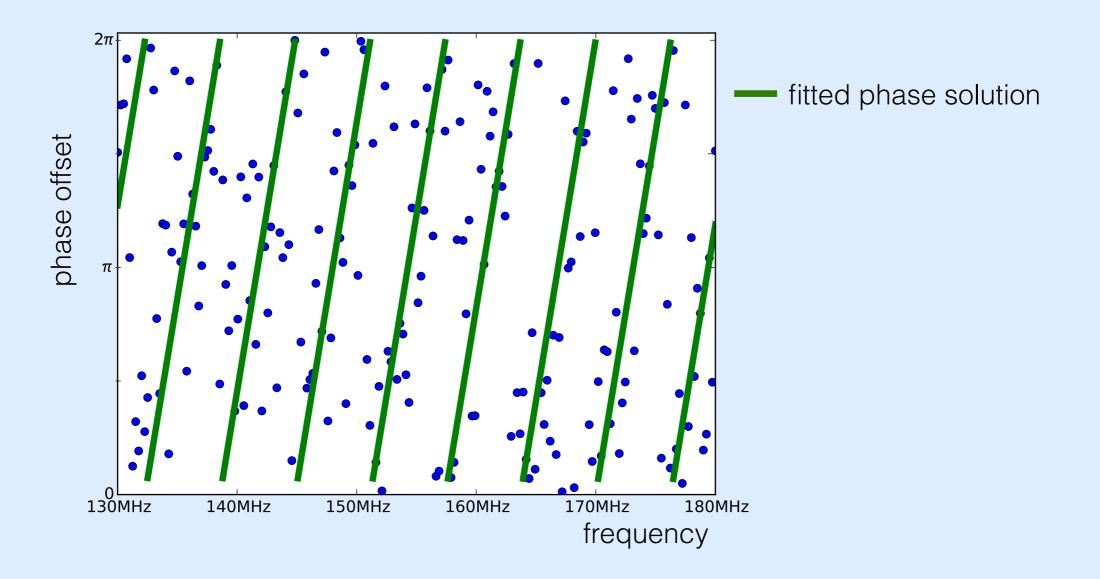
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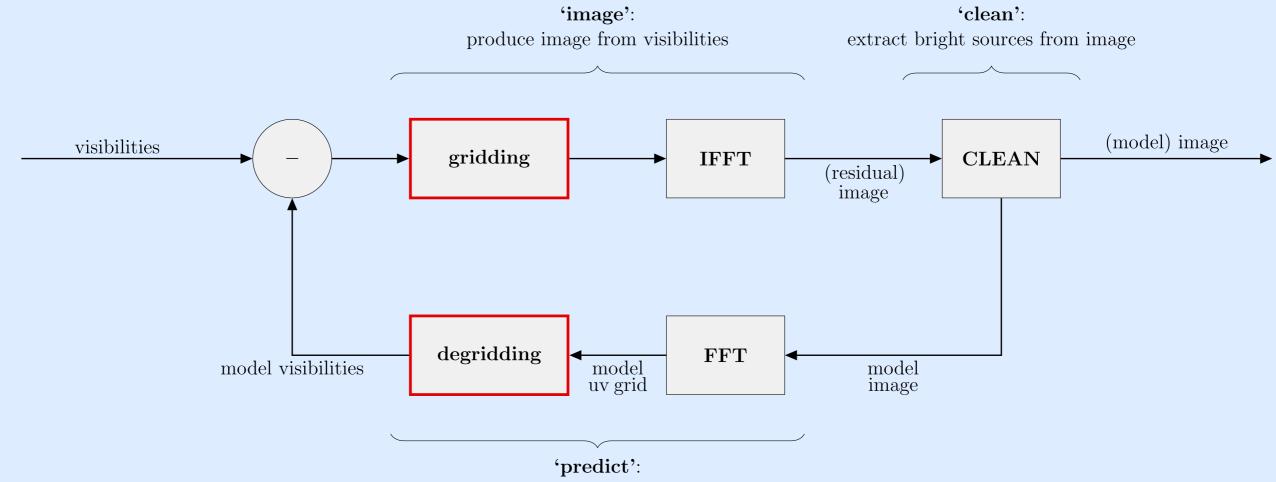


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## LOFAR imaging





compute visibilities for model image



# LOFAR imaging



- Image Domain Gridding
- Patent pending :-(
- Tested on many GPUs
- Developed as separate library, to be implemented into other imager
  - <del>CASA</del>
  - Adapted CASA:
    - casasynthesis (split off part of CASA)
    - AWImager2 (Imager that uses casasynthesis)
  - WSClean

