

## LOOKING THROUGH A BLACK HOLE

Centaurus A is a giant elliptical active galaxy 12 million light-years away. At its heart lies a black hole with a mass of 55 million suns.

Now, an international team, including NASA-funded researchers who are working with the TANAMI project — nine radio telescopes located on four continents — has provided the best-ever image of particle jets powered by the black hole, revealing features as small as 15 light-days across. The jets feed vast lobes of radio-emitting gas that reach far beyond the visible galaxy

