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High-Mass Star Formation



Previous Work: Dissertation

Radio continuum may be detectable at weak levels in all HMCs

- **58 regions:** 70 mm-associated radio sources
- Detection Rate:
 - 1/18 CMC: 6% ge?
 - 8/15 CMC-IR: 53%
 - 25/25 HMC: 100%
- 12 ionized jets (+13 wind/jets candidates)
- Early stages of ionization are in the form of jets





Predicted SED



Tanaka, Tan & Zhang (2016): early stages of ionization

Predicted Radio Continuum



Expanded Sample

Probing different environments, evolutionary stages and core masses

Total of ~70 sources

Dissertation Survey: Early stages of high-mass star formation (Rosero et al. 2016)

SOFIA Massive (SOMA) Star Formation Survey: IR-based survey (De Buizer et al. 2017).

22 observed + SOFIA cycle 6 approved (PI: Tan)

SOMA Paper I: De Buizer et al. 2017

SOMA Survey



Right Ascension (J2000)

SOFIA FORCAST 10 - 40 μ m Resolution: ≤ 3 "

Zhang & Tan (2014; 2017) RT model based on core accretion scenario



SOMA Paper I: De Buizer et al. 2017



VLA Survey: Expanded Sample

Very sensitive observations at 1.3 and 6 cm

Radio continuum fluxes to constrain the ionizing luminosity of the source
Precise location of the protostar
Nature: ionized jet vs HII region?
Multiplicity

Preliminary Results

Radio continuum is highly effective at breaking degeneracies encountered in the IR only analysis



Gray lines: Five best fits to the Zhang & Tan models

ALMA Follow-up: observations

- Average distance ~ 5 kpc
- \odot L_{bol} ~ 800 6 x10⁴ L_{\odot}
- Cycle 3 at Band 3 (PI: Rosero)
- SiO (2-1), HCO+, H¹³CO+(1-0), HCN, CS, H¹³CN...
- Cycle 5 (PI: Rosero; time granted for 8 SOMA sources)



Credit: ALMA (ESO, NAOJ, NRAO)

Goal: Outflow Structure and 1e2AU 1e3AU 2e Evolution

- Connection between ionized
 (~10³-10⁴ au) and molecular
 (>10⁴ au) components of the flow
- Evolution: Outflow characteristics (e.g., opening angle, momentum rate) changing with time?
- Properties: energetics (e.g., P, M), spatial and kinematical structure, disentangle proto-clusters, association with ionized jets



ALMA High-Mass Protostar Observations: Molecular Outflows

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Summary

- **O** Large sample (~70 sources) of high and intermediate mass stars
- Outflow cavities shape MIR to FIR morphology and SED
- Comprehensive comparison with theoretical models
- **Solution** Fitting of IR SED alone has significant degeneracies
- Radio continuum is highly effective at breaking degeneracies
- Sinematic information is important to advance this study



Evolution of protostellar properties with mass

 m_*

 \dot{m}_*

 Gm_*^2

 L_*r_*

Timescales

Evolutionary

Thermal adjustment

Equations from Hosokawa & Omukai 2009

 $t_{acc} =$

 $t_{KH} =$

i) $t_{acc} < t_{KH}$: star accreting

- ii) $t_{acc} \approx t_{KH}$: star swelling
- iii) $t_{acc} > t_{KH}$: star contracts
- iv) ZAMS: central T increases



ALMA + VLA High-Mass Protostar Observations: molecular outflows, ionized jets, masers, hint for disks?

