近傍大質量星からの紫外線照射による分子雲 コアの光蒸発:コア寿命の金属量依存性

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Cloud Destruction by Massive Stars

GMC

Orion Molecular Cloud

Trapezium cluster

OB Stars

Dispersing surrounding clouds

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https://apod.nasa.gov/apod/ap180805.html



https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Orion_Molecular_Cloud_Complex#/media/File:Orion_Head_to_Toe.jpg

Intense UV from OB stars can destruct ambient cores/clumps.

Cloud Destruction by Massive Stars



This situation is observed in many other GMCs.

Radiation Impacts on Clouds

- Erode clouds through photoevaporation
- Cometary structure
- Radiation-driven
 compression





Mass functions of cores, clumps, and stars can be s affected

Influences of Massive Stars on Star Formation





➤ LMC (lower metallicity; strong UV field) has similar Clump MF (e.g., Brunetti & Wilson 2018) → Is there any metallicity effects ?

What about other low-metallicity environment? (protogalaxies, high-z galaxies, outer Galaxy.)

Methods



- 3D Hydrodynamics + Radiation transfer (ray-tracing) + Chemistry
 - Metallicity is varied over a range of $10^{-3} < Z/Zsun < 1$

Initial Condition Cometary structure formation Solar-Metallicity Core $t \simeq 5000 \,\mathrm{yr}$



Solar-Metallicity Core



• Mass loss is higher with high cross-section, inefficient in the cometary phase

• Lifetime is 10^5 years for Z_{\odot} core

Comparison with Other Z



• Faster disapperance for lower-Z cores

Effects of Metal Cooling



Lower metallicity clumps remain larger in launch surface

Mass Evolution with Various Z



• Lifetime is ~10⁴ years for $Z = 10^{-3}Z_{\odot}$

Core Mass Evolution



Lifetime VS Metallicity



Implication to Star Formation

 $t_{
m ff} < t_{
m life}$ Would be necessary to gravitationally collapse.

$Z = Z_{\odot}$	0	
$Z = 10^{-0.5} Z_{\odot}$	0	Compression shortens the free fall time
$Z = 10^{-1} Z_{\odot}$	0	
$Z = 10^{-1.5} Z_{\odot}$	\bigtriangleup	Marginal
$Z = 10^{-2} Z_{\odot}$	×	Photoevaporation is
$Z=10^{-3}Z_{\odot}$	×	very efficient

Massive stars have potential to significantly suppress star formation in nearby cores with low metallicities.

Summary

• Aims: Metallicity d

Metallicity dependence of the lifetimes of cores illuminated by external massive stars.

• Results:

The lifetime is 100,000 years for solar-metallicity cores, and is shorter with metal-poor cores.

The lifetime is 10,000 years for very low-metallicity cores.

• Conclusion:

- the gas metallicity strongly affects the core lifetime and thus determines the strength of feedback from massive stars in star-forming regions.

- star formation could be significantly suppressed in lowmetallicity environments.

- Future prospects:
 - Parameter study (metallicity, flux, core density, size)
 - Postprocess study in the context of galaxy evolution

