

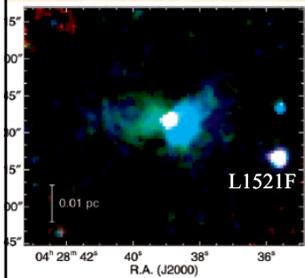
Diversity of Star/Planet Formation with Subaru/GLAO

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Open questions about Star/Planet formation @Extreme-Subaru & TMT-era

- ✘ What key physical processes govern the formation of stars?
 - + that of Brown dwarfs (BDs), the least massive objects (planetary-mass objects; PMOs) and most massive stars, especially?
- ✘ How and when BDs and PMOs form?
 - + Is the process same as “star” or “planet”?
- ✘ Whether the IMF is universal or not? If not, what determines it?
 - + Do they have turn-over?
 - + Very lower-mass and upper-mass end
 - + Over a range of mass, metallicity, stellar density, and environment

Formation of Brown Dwarf & Planetary Mass Objects



Very Low Luminosity Objects ($L < 0.1 L_{\odot}$)
Earliest stage of accretion or Proto-BD?

Spitzer/IRAC 3.6/4.5/8.0



Chamaeleon I cloud

✗ How and when BDs form?

● They form like stars (miniature star)?

● They form like planets? Formed as binary and then ejected?

JHK photometry have revealed "Planetary Mass Objects" (Oasa et al. 1999)

Do such lower-mass objects form in the similar way?

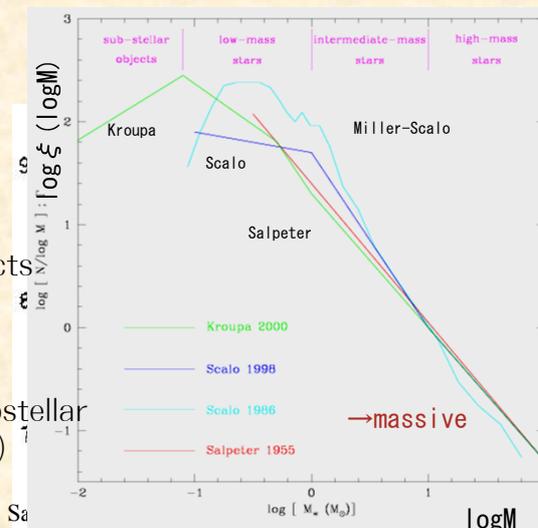
Initial Mass Function

- Stellar evolution depends on its **mass**
- $10 \sim 0.4 M_{\odot}$: Salpeter-like IMF appears almost anywhere: the number of stars **increase with decreasing mass**

- ✗ Salpeter's law
 - + Increase monotonously
- ✗ Scalo's law
 - + Peak around $0.3 M_{\odot}$
 - + data incompleteness...?
- ✗ Kroupa et al...

- For much lower-mass objects such as **BDs and PMOs**, is their number increasing?

- Its slope is shallower at substellar (increase, flat, or decrease...)
- possible evidence for IMF variations



(Non)Universal IMF?

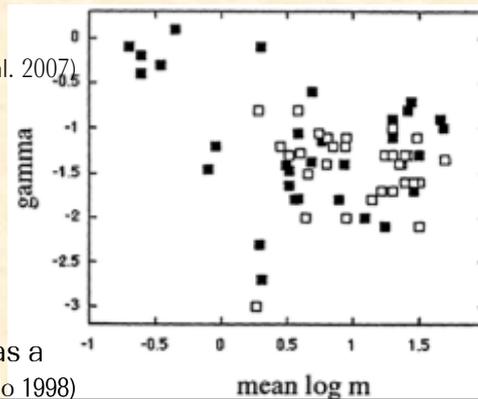
Is the IMF universal anywhere?

- IMF does not appear the “same” IMF (Scalo 1998)
- Its form is local variable among clouds/cluster (S106: Oasa et al. 2006, Trapezium: Hillenbrand 1997, NGC 3603: Harayama et al. 2008)
- Cloud core MFs are consistent with stellar IMF (NGC1333: Oasa et al. 2008, Pipe: Alves et al. 2007)

Salpeter's IMF

$$\Gamma(m) = \frac{\partial \log F(\log m)}{\partial \log m}, \quad \Gamma \approx -1.3$$

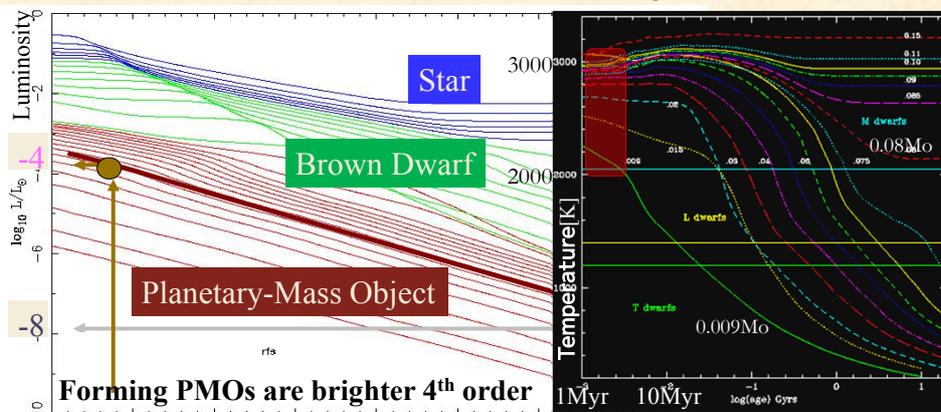
Galactic and LMC IMF index as a function of average mass (Scalo 1998)



Characteristics of Young Stellar Object (YSO)

BDs and PMOs are extremely faint, but..

- They are brighter at earlier evolutionary stage.
- Embedded and very low-mass YSOs → bright at NIR
- YSOs in cluster have almost the same age, distance

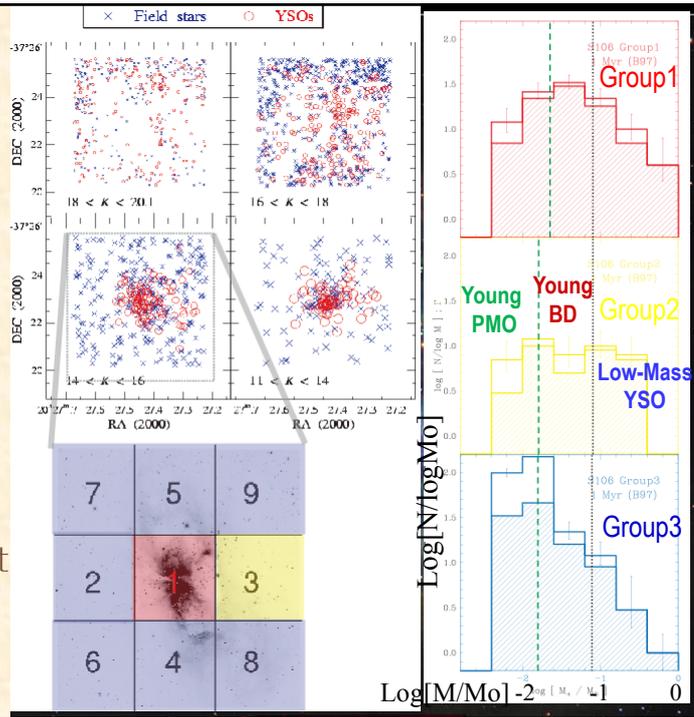


Identify substellar YSOs embedded in cloud → NIR survey

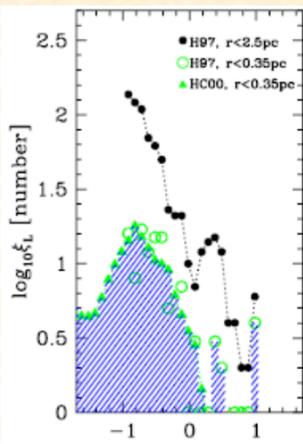
Mass Function -S 106-

- MFs at lower-mass end are increasing or flat?
- It locally varies on a parsec scale, indicating not universal.

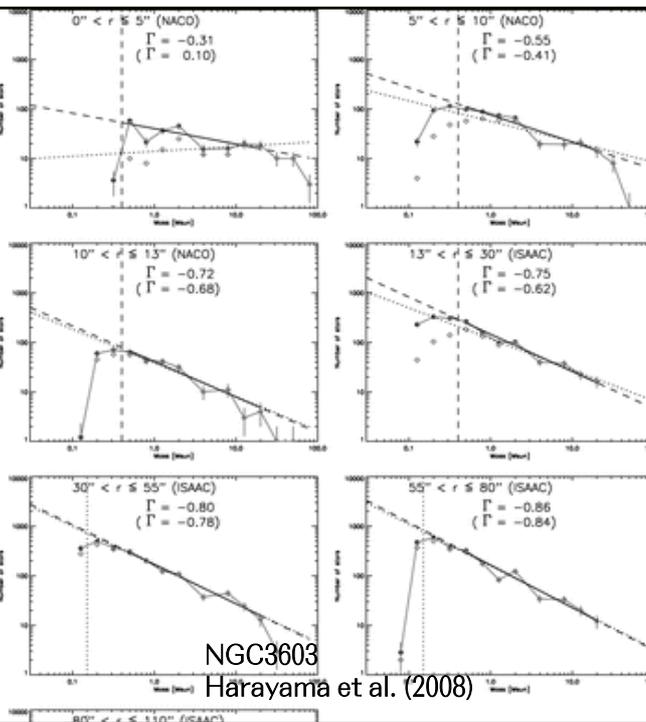
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Mass Function

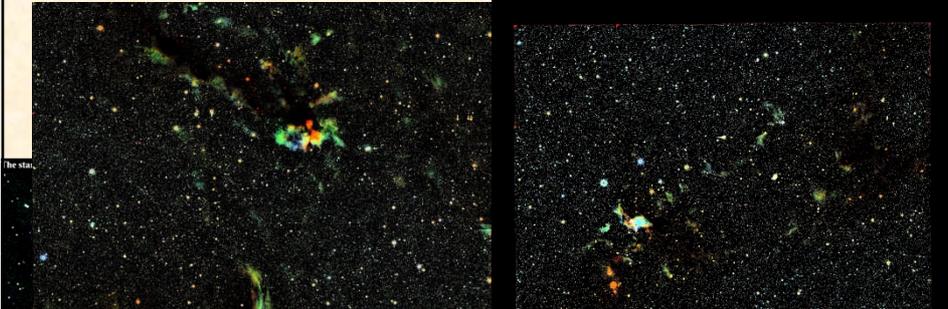


- Trapezium: Hillenbrand 1997,
- MFs are increasing
 - In Trapezium, they
 - In NGC3603, it app



NGC3603
Harayama et al. (2008)

Mass Function -NGC1333-



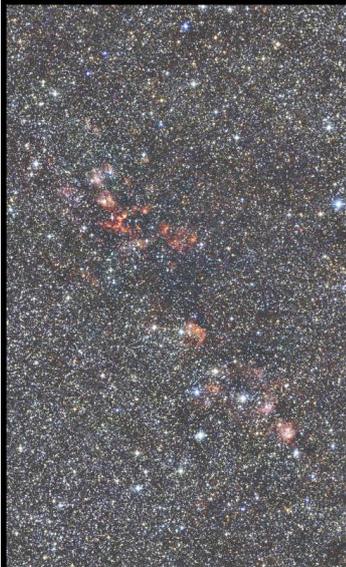
However, there are still many open questions...

- Depends on environment, such as cloud conditions, UV radiation and metallicity?
- At the lower/upper-end ?
- Taking into account of ambiguous binarity, ... ?

● Serpens @ 200pc with Subaru/IRCAM3 (14 x14) J -20 and so on...

Planetary-mass objects in the various SFRs!

The Obscured Star-Forming Complex W51



Very deep NIR imaging enough to detect young BDs and PMOs

To detect embedded planetary mass objects @ NGC7538 (~2.7kpc; $A_v > 15$)

JHK photometry(J=25) → massive PMOs with $A_v = 15$ @1Myr

For comparison... with WISH, TMT W51 (~7.5kpc; $A_v > 25$)

JHK photometry(J=27) → massive BDs with $A_v = 25$ @1Myr

Investigation of low-mass IMF with various environments

Are they bona fide young BDs/PMOs?

Massive star formation studies

Massive stars form in dense clusters, most of which are formed with companion

Do the most massive stars form through accretion?

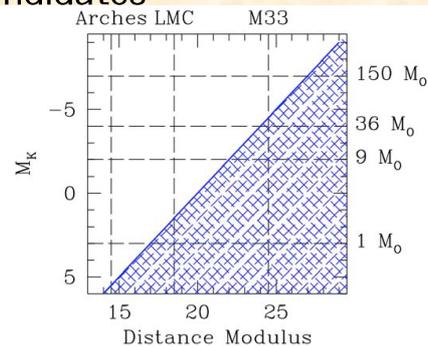
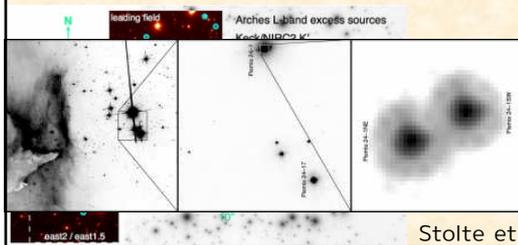
What is disk life-time?

Is there any mass segregation?

JHK(L) photometry → disk candidates

Proper motion → cluster

Trace IMF across full range of



Questions on instrument specifications for Star/Planet formation studies

Recent works for low-mass young stellar populations with deep NIR observations for various SFRs provide possible evidence for IMF variations



1. Baseline specifications of NIR instruments

Wide-Field NIR Imager and Multi-Object Spectrograph!!

If Integral Field Spectrograph is available, we can observe the disk/jet structure, in the following... →

2. What is the optimal plate scale / FoV for your science cases?

Wider is better! But, 0.1"/pixel seems good.

3. Can you highlight synergies between this instrument and the TMT?

Yes, TMT will allow us to detect much fainter targets, i.e. lower-mass objects or in farther regions. TMT L-photometry and high-resolution spectroscopy will enable us to determine the disk structure, age and mass for substellar objects unambiguously. →

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4. Does this instrument have competitive (or complementary) capabilities with planned NIR space missions such as JWST, Euclid and WISH?

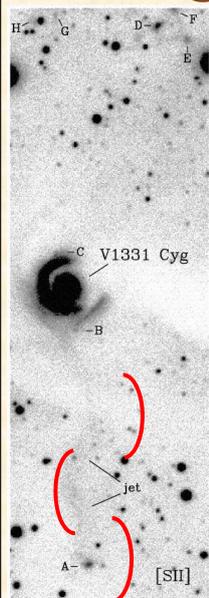
Yes, other NIR missions, especially WISH, are complementary tool for our aims.

5. Do you need spectroscopic capability? If yes, is it possible (or strong enough) to carry out with FoV of the current MOIRCS (4' x 6') but with GLAO or do you need much wider FoV? If the latter is the case, why?

Yes, we need NIR spectroscopy strongly. MOIRCS is a powerful tool. If possible, we request multi-object spectroscopy with wider FOV (10'). Rather, we prefer “uncontaminated spectra”

In summary, we hope the wider field imager and MOS with GLAO, but the upgraded MOIRCS will also benefit our studies.

Large scale structure of jets



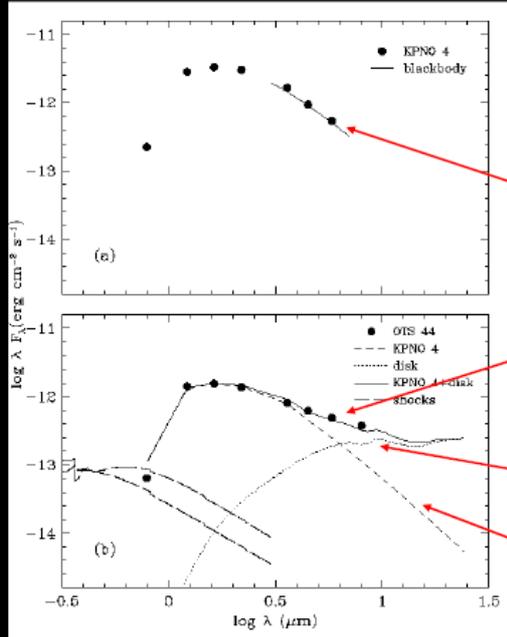
FOV=5.5' x 2' (Mundt & Eisloffel 1998)

IFU spectroscopy will make clear the origin of the launching mechanism of the outflows/jets.

- Jets emanating from YSOs are often twisted. V1331 Cyg case (binary)
 - Precession (Terquem+ 1999)
 - Twisted magnetic field (Uchida & Shibata 1985)
 - Interaction with dense ISM
- If Jets are twisted with ~ 150 km/s, we can determine kinematics, temperature, and ionization in larger scale using mid-resolution spectroscopy ($R \sim 1000$).



Model for 15 M_{Jup} (D-burning limit) OTS44 in Chamaeleon M9.5, $T_{eff} = 2300$ K



KPNO4 = comparison object of same spectral type; no excess. 2300 K BB

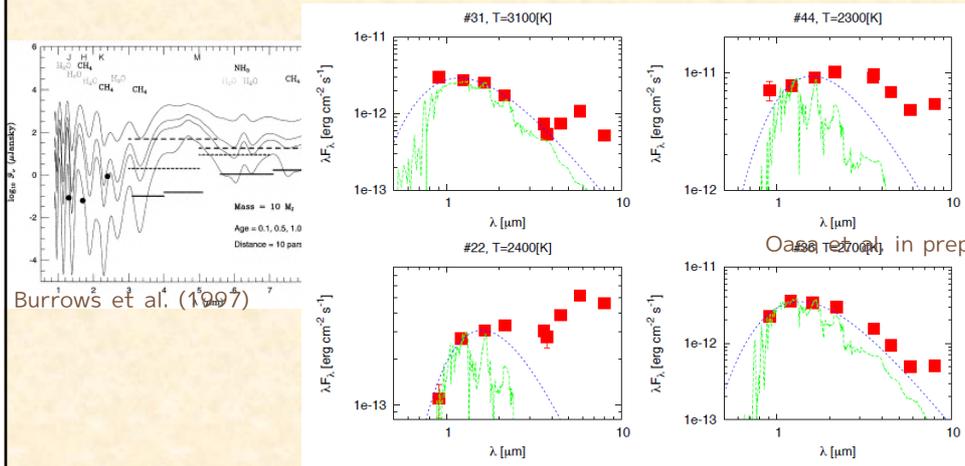
Photosphere + disk

Excess is modelled as a disk, $dM/dt = 10^{-10} M_{sun}/yr$

Comparison SED+BB scale to H-band.

Luhman et al. 2000

Young Brown Dwarfs with disk



Do the least massive objects have circumstellar disks?

