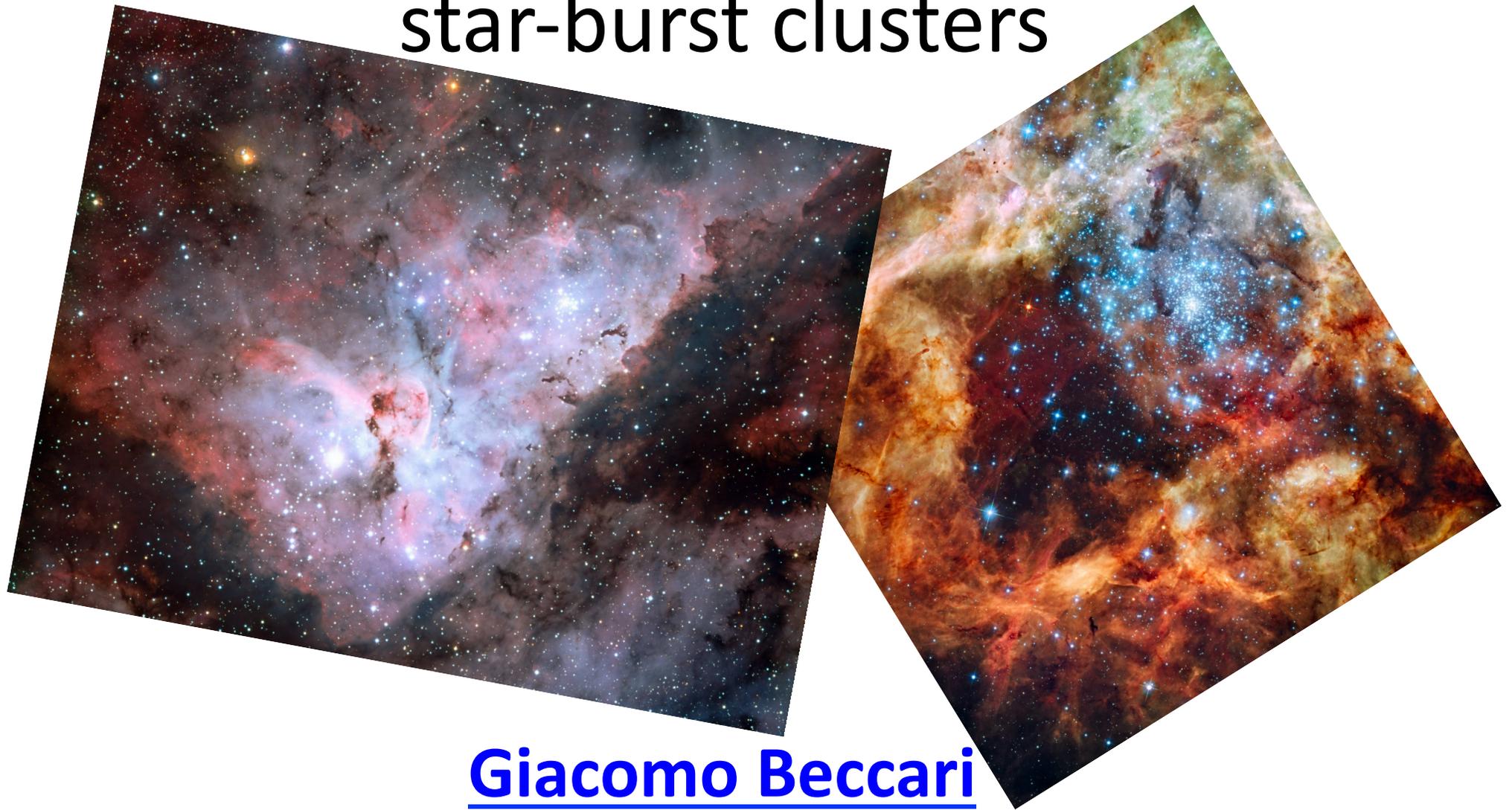


# Multiple stellar populations in massive star-burst clusters

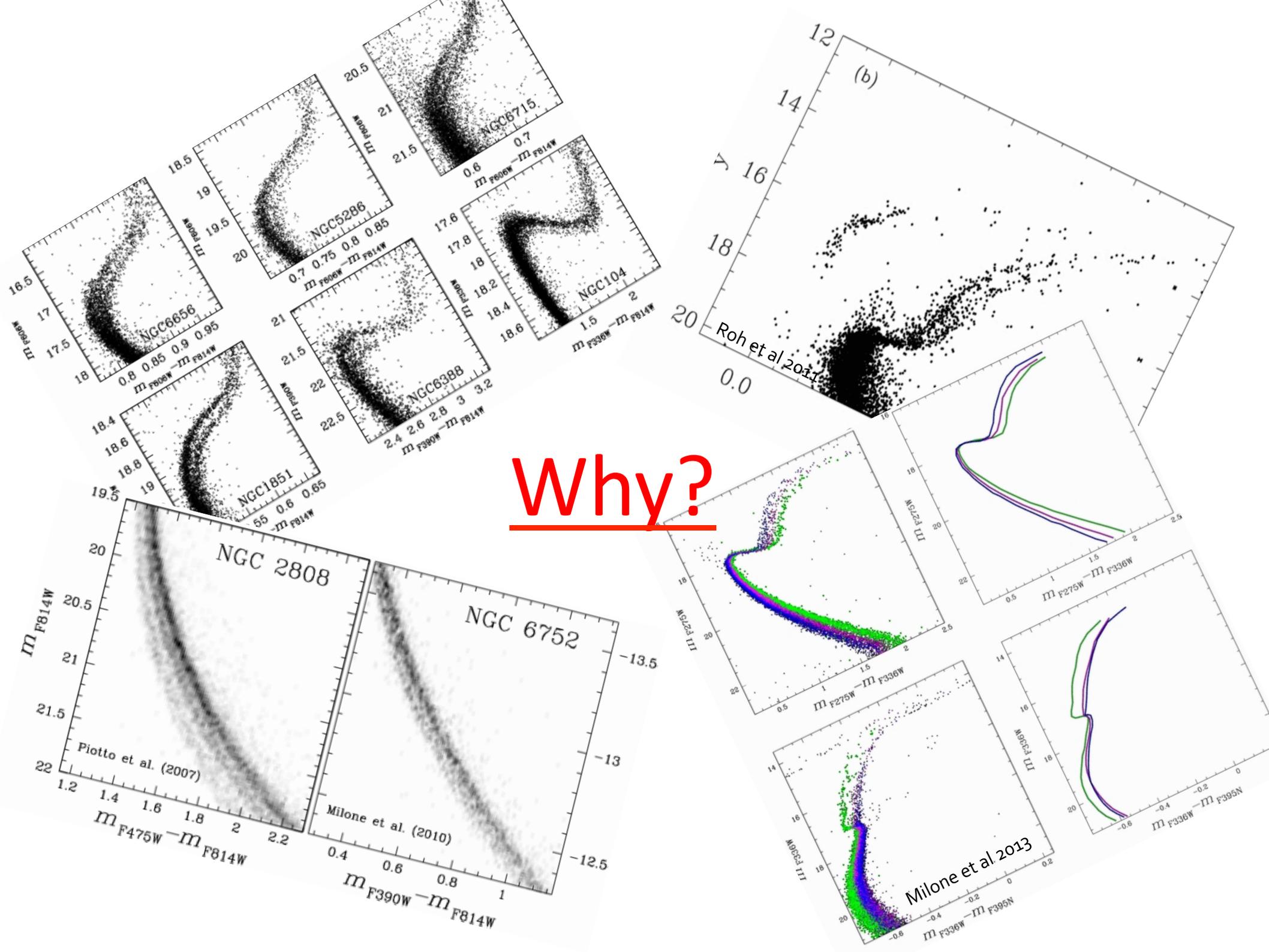


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Why?

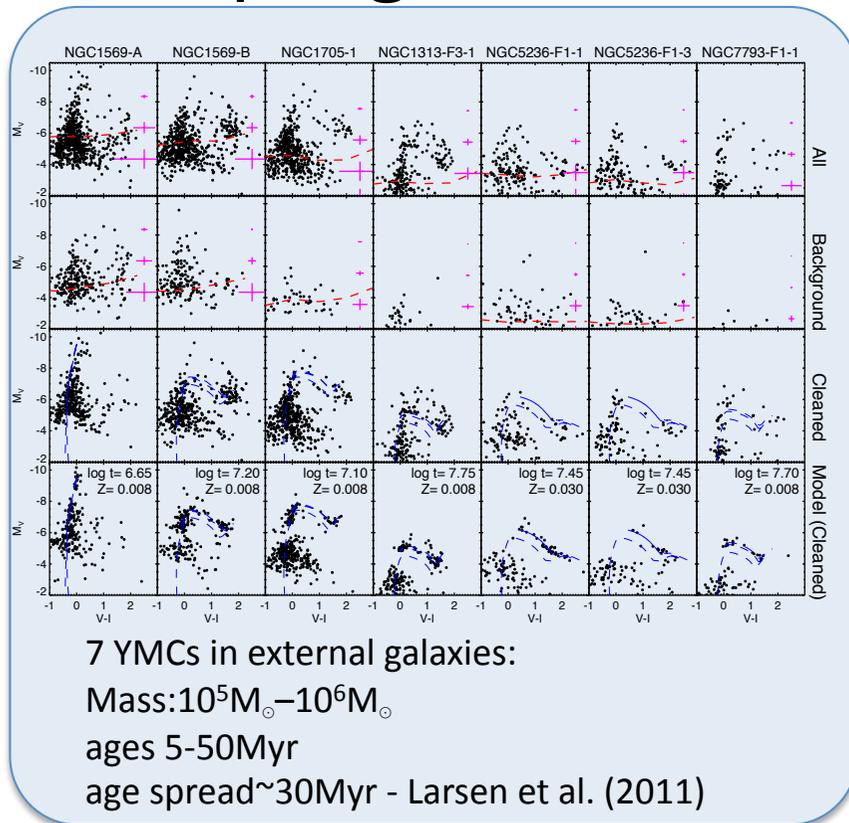


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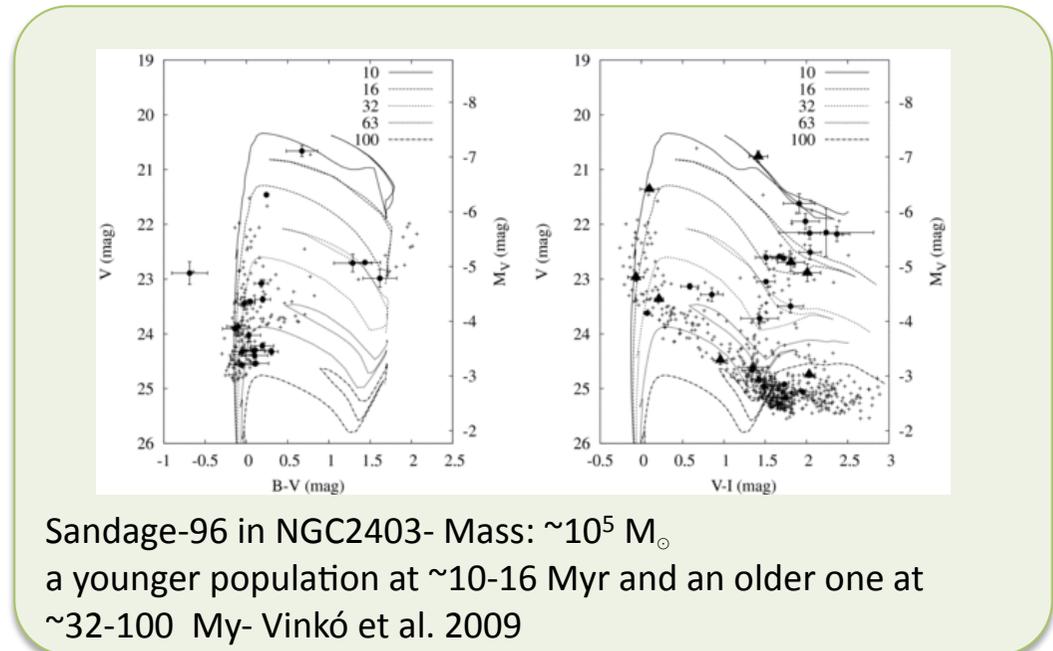
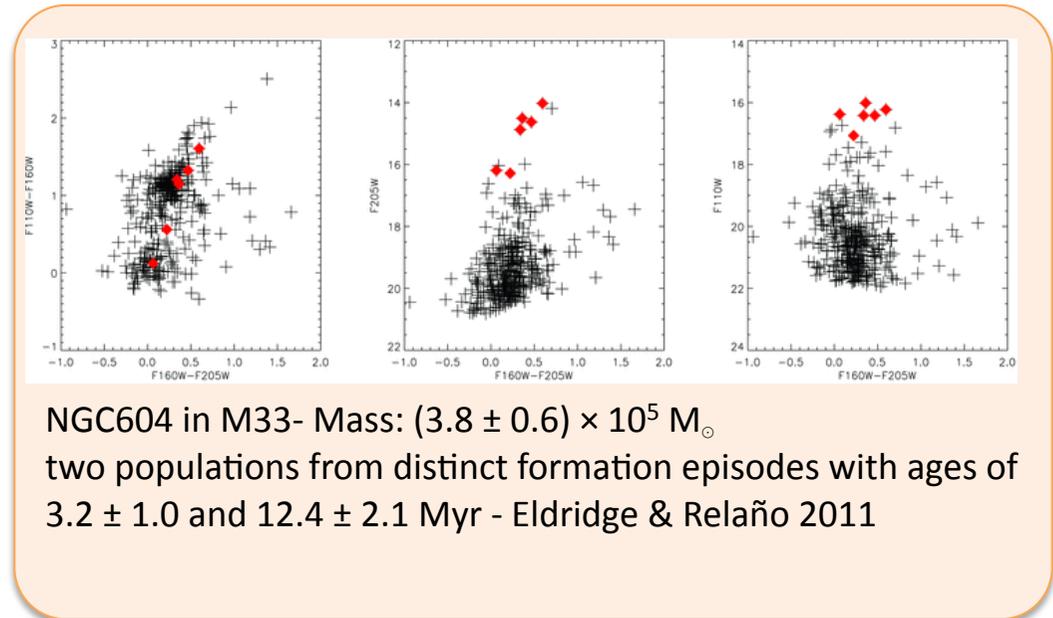
“...multiple populations should be expected in at least some young star clusters, but it is currently not known whether, or to what extent, this phenomenon occurs in observed YMCs.”

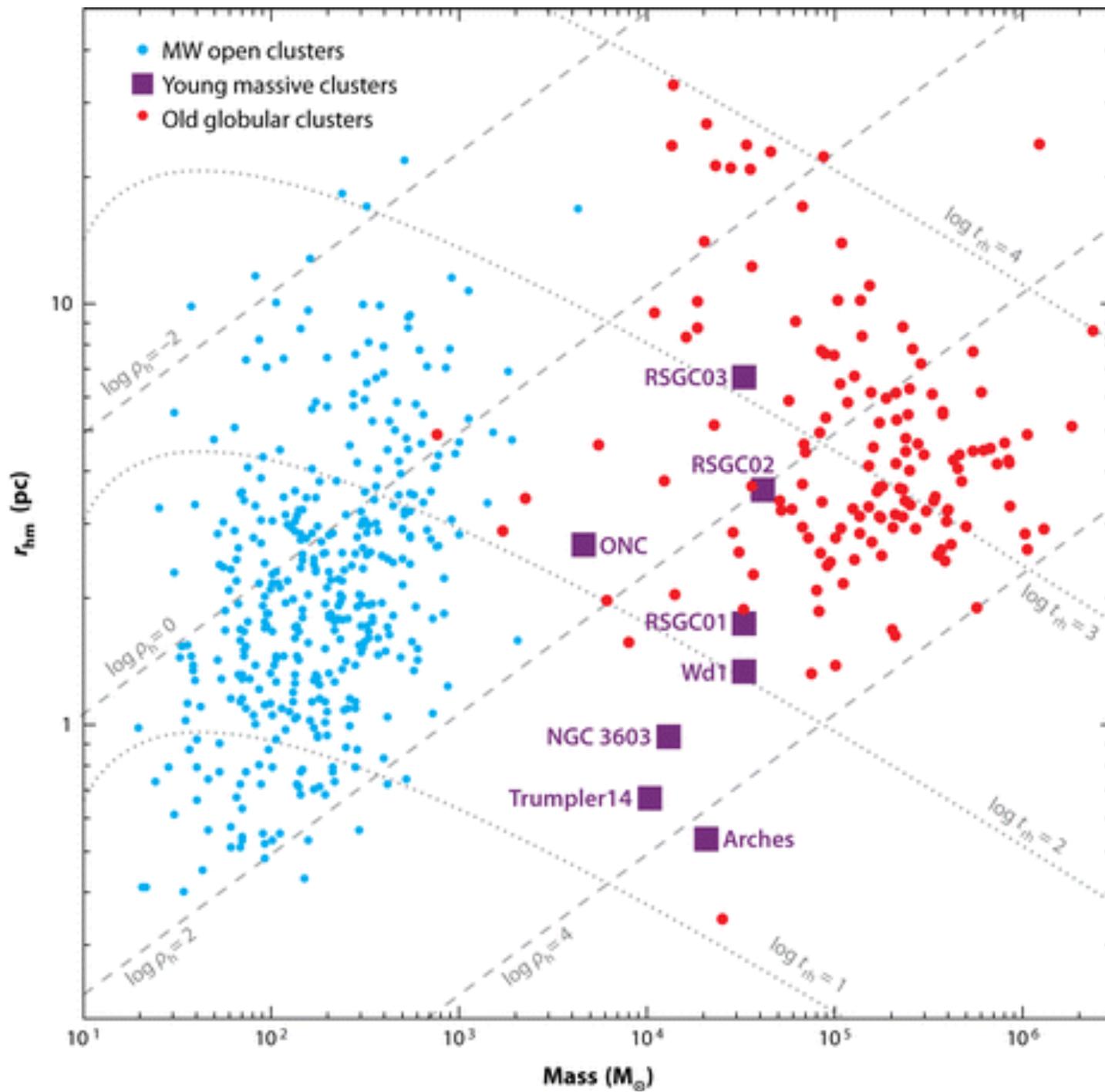
(review S. Portegies Zwart et al. 2010)

# Multiple generations: Intermediate (>100Myr) MC MC



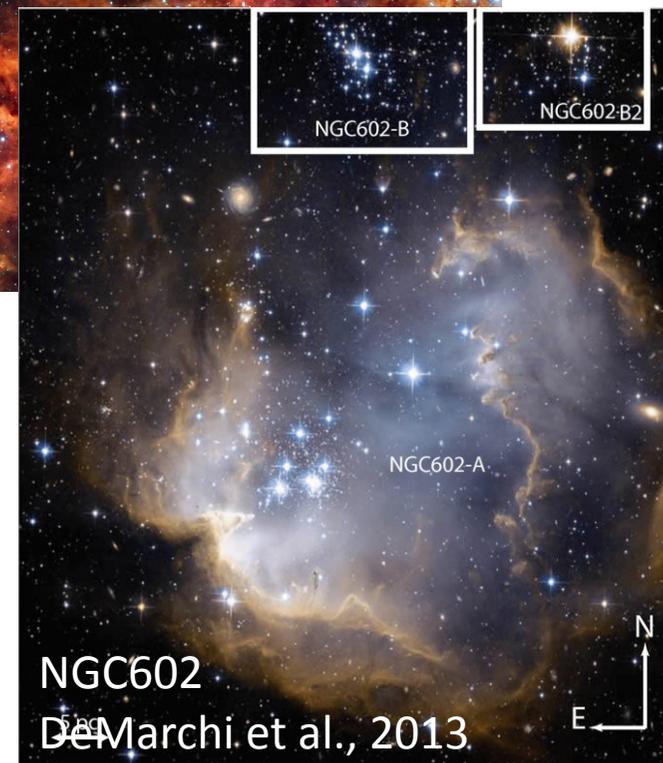
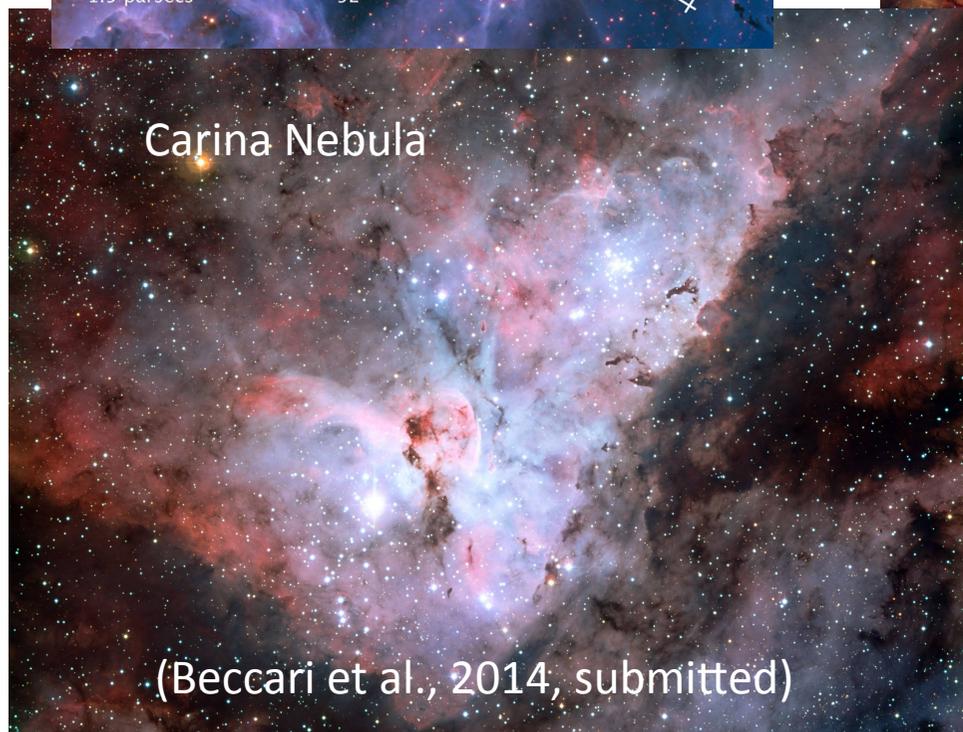
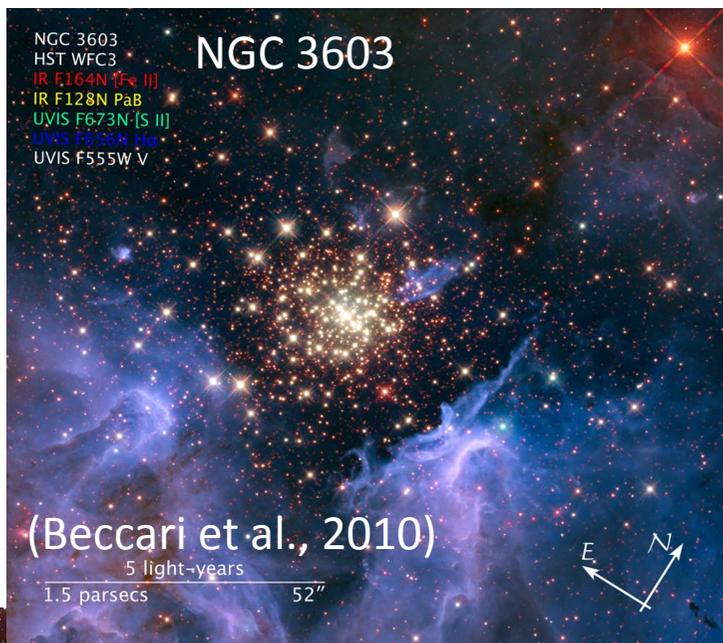
GMC Type	Observed Signature	
<b>Type A</b>	No HII regions	Miura et al. 2010
<b>Type B</b>	With HII regions	2010
<b>Type C</b>	With HII regions and < 10 Myr-old YSGs	
<b>Type D</b>	With HII regions and 10—30 Myr-old YSGs	



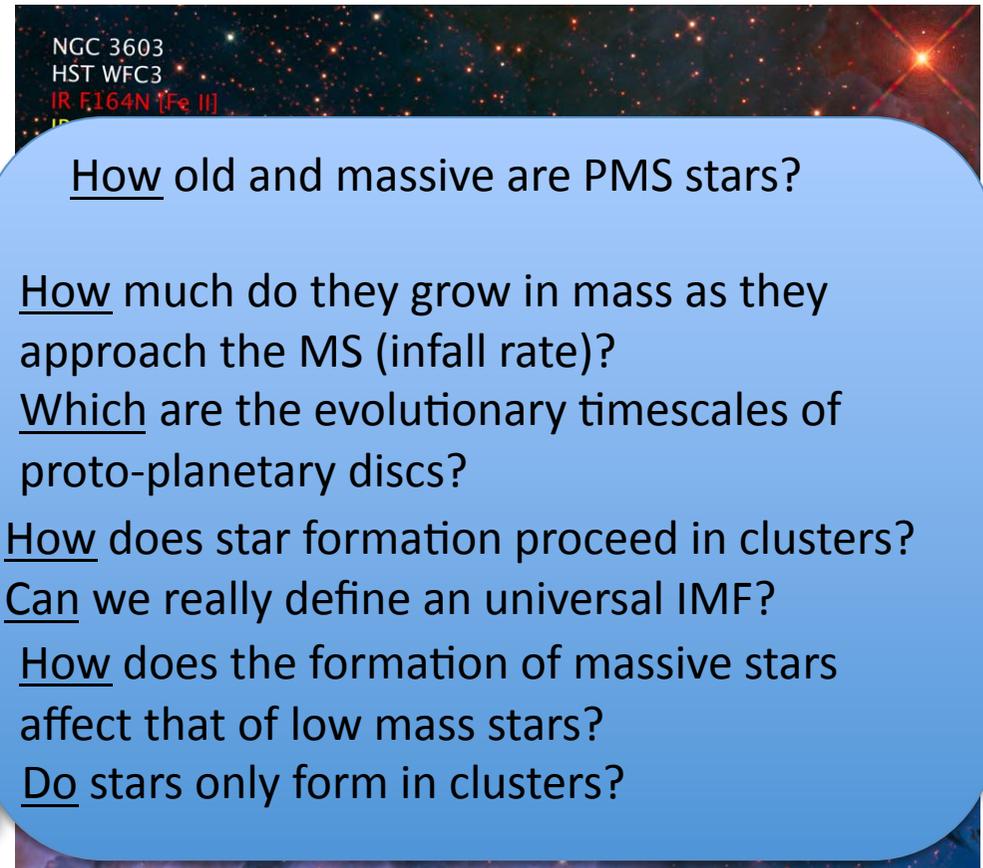
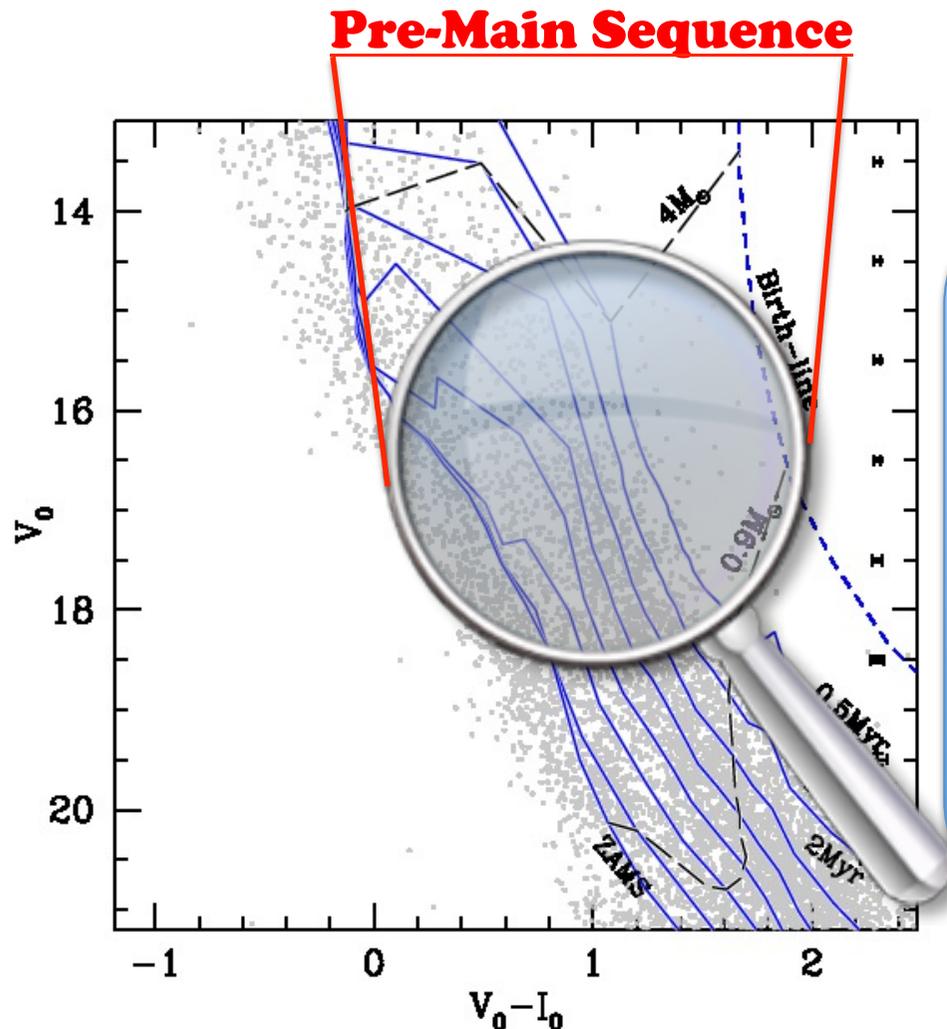


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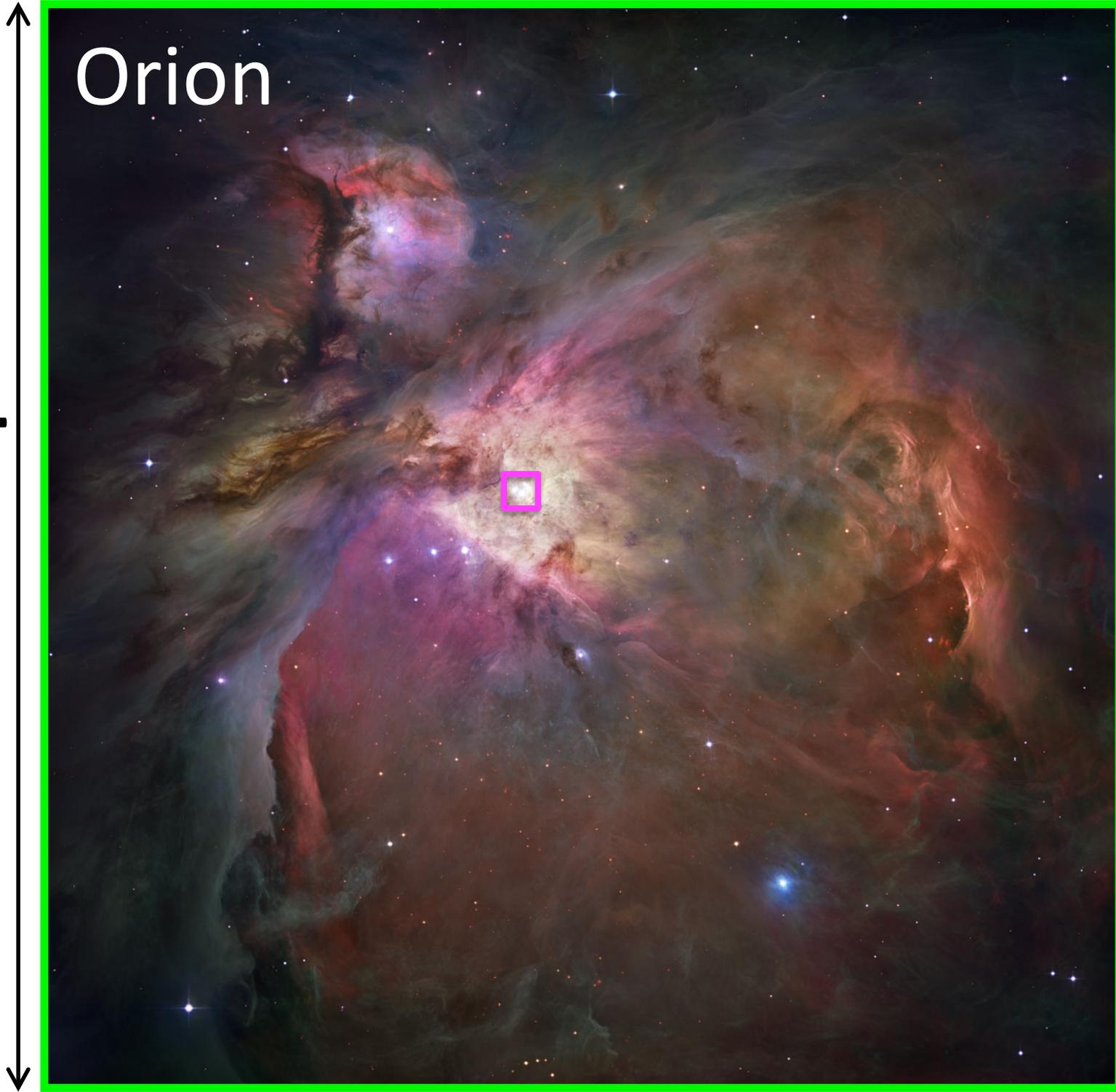
# PMS objects in a number of star-burst clusters (MW, LMC, SMC)



# Young (~5-10Myr) MC: tracing the SF through the PMS



30' = 4 pc



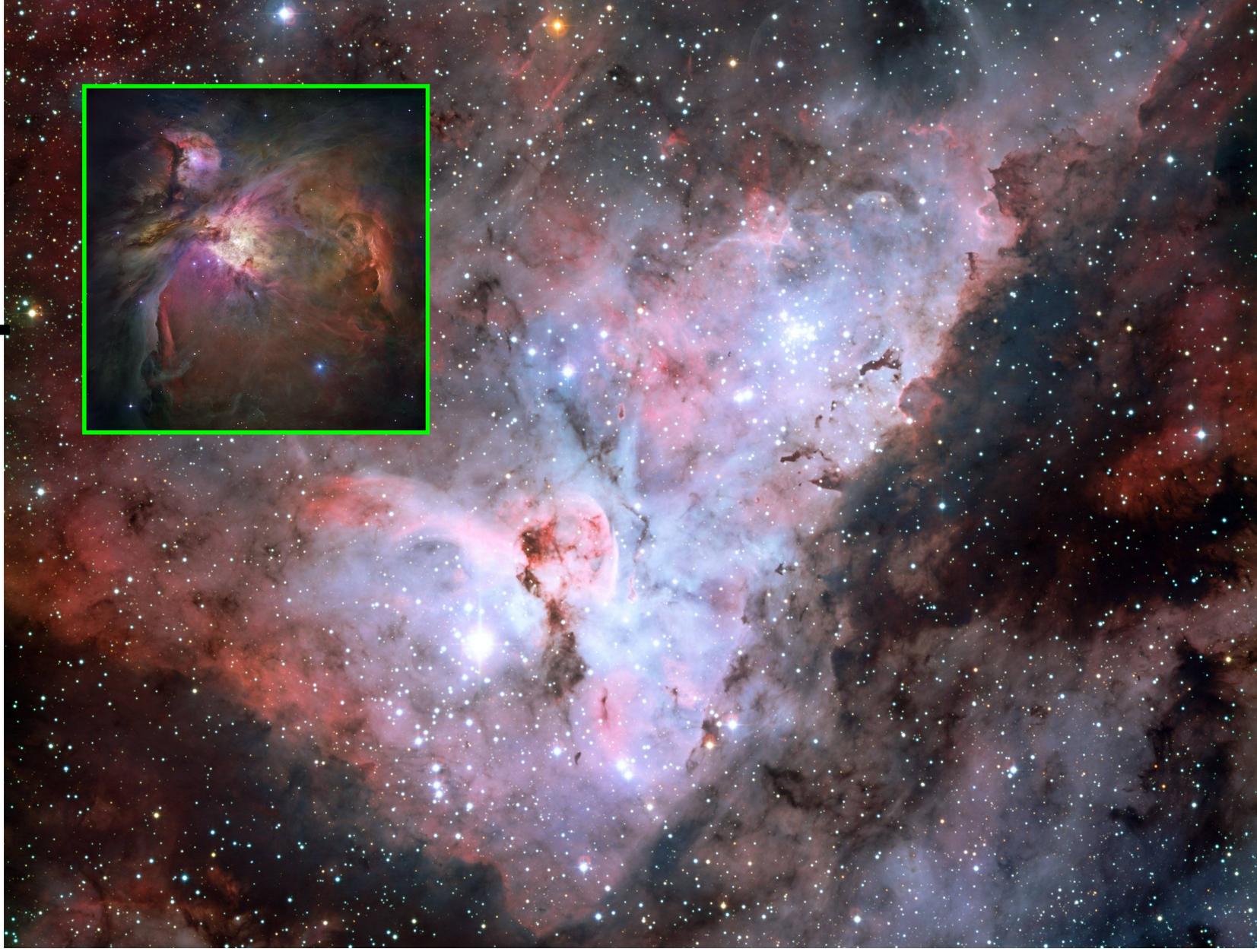
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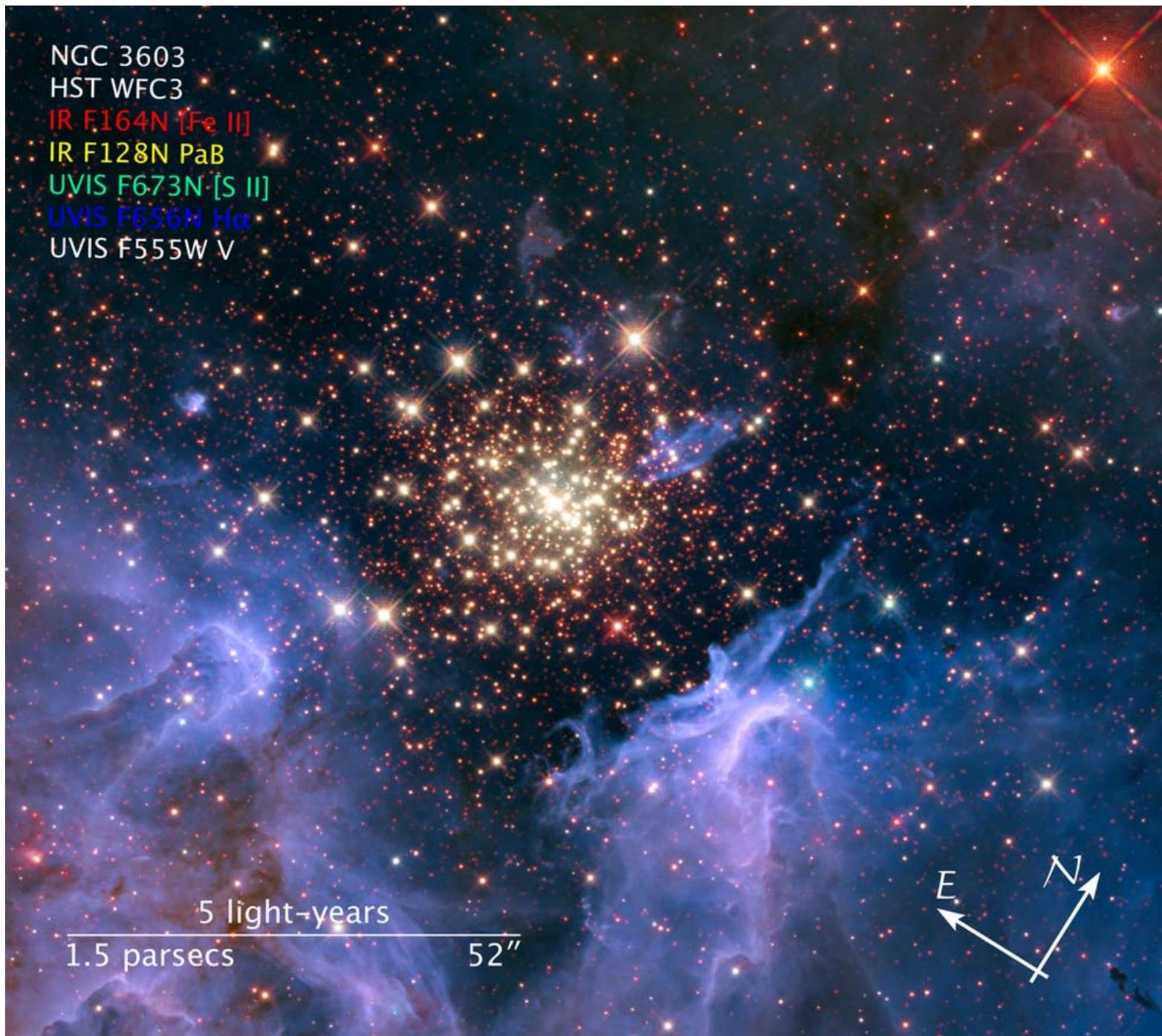
0.05 pc



30' = 26pc



2.5' = 5pc



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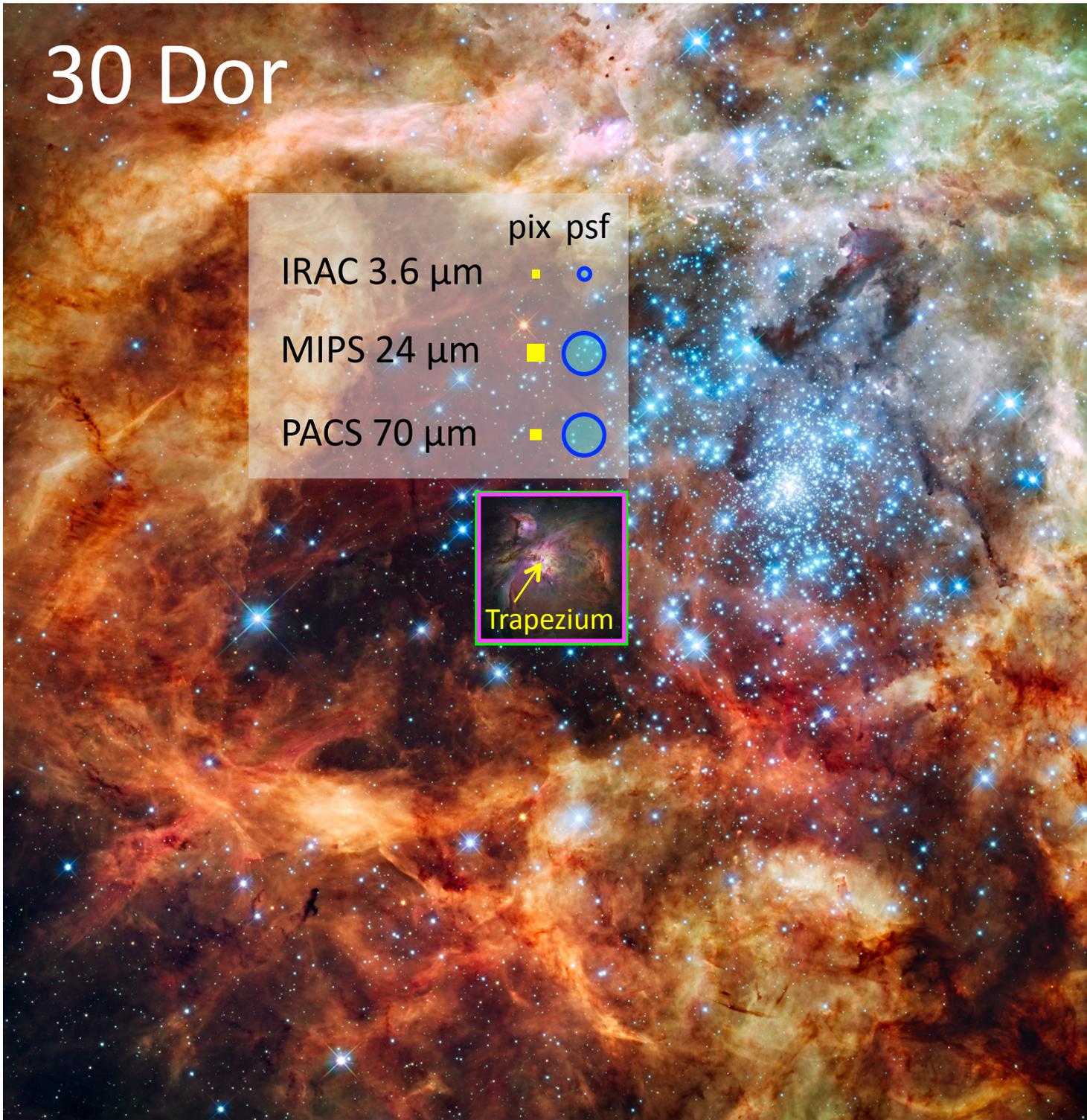
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# 30 Dor

30 pc

	pix	psf
IRAC 3.6 $\mu\text{m}$		
MIPS 24 $\mu\text{m}$		
PACS 70 $\mu\text{m}$		



30 Dor

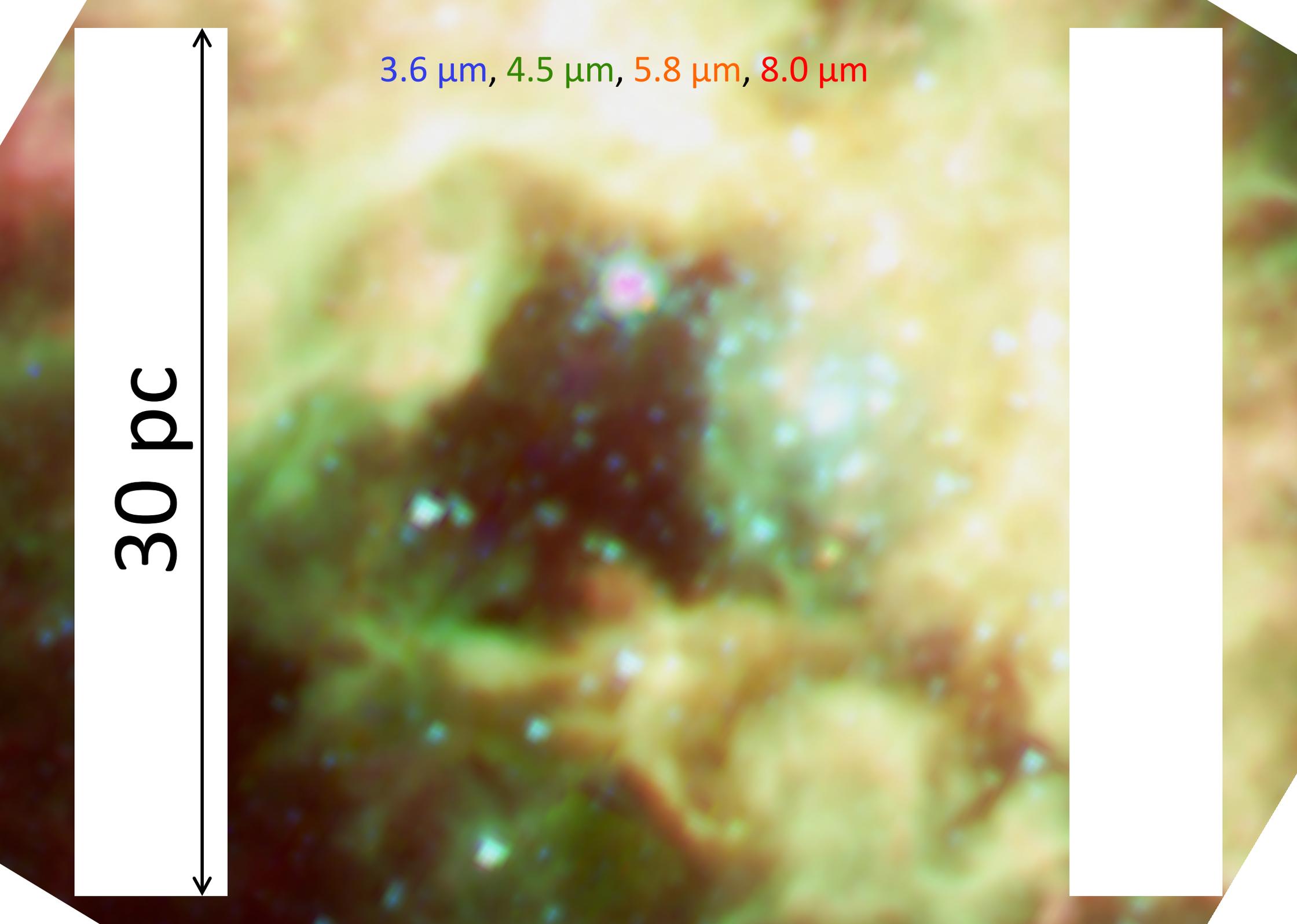
30 pc



30 pc



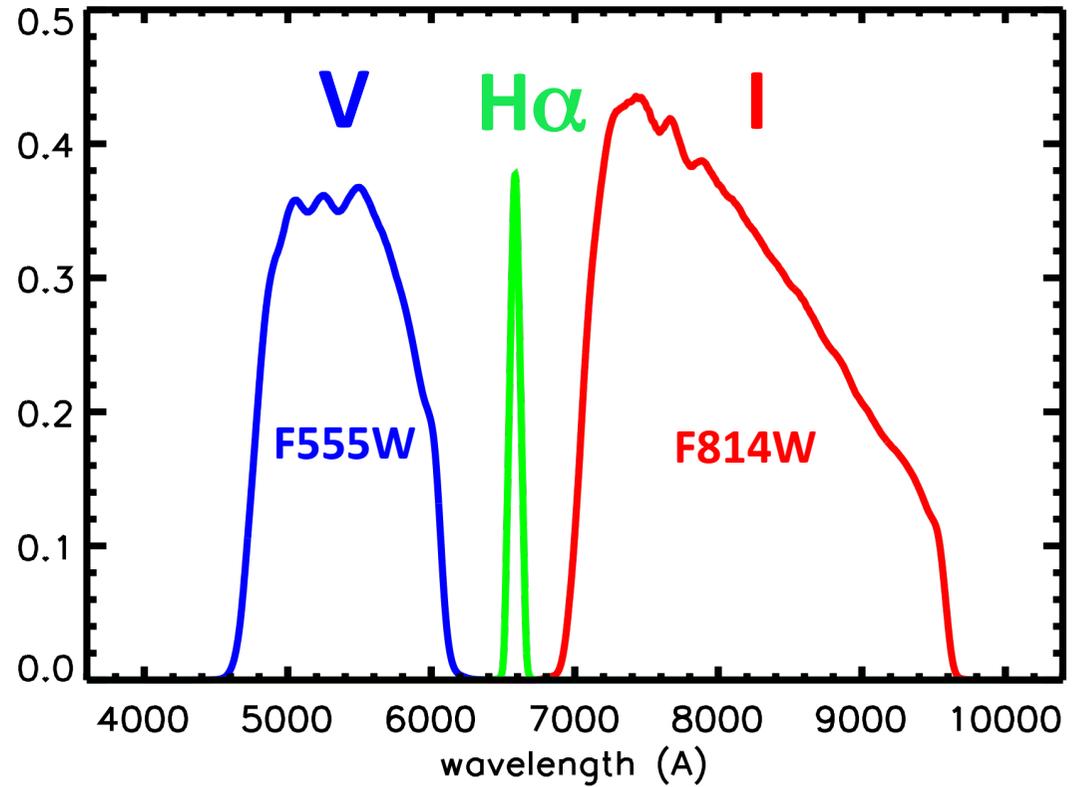
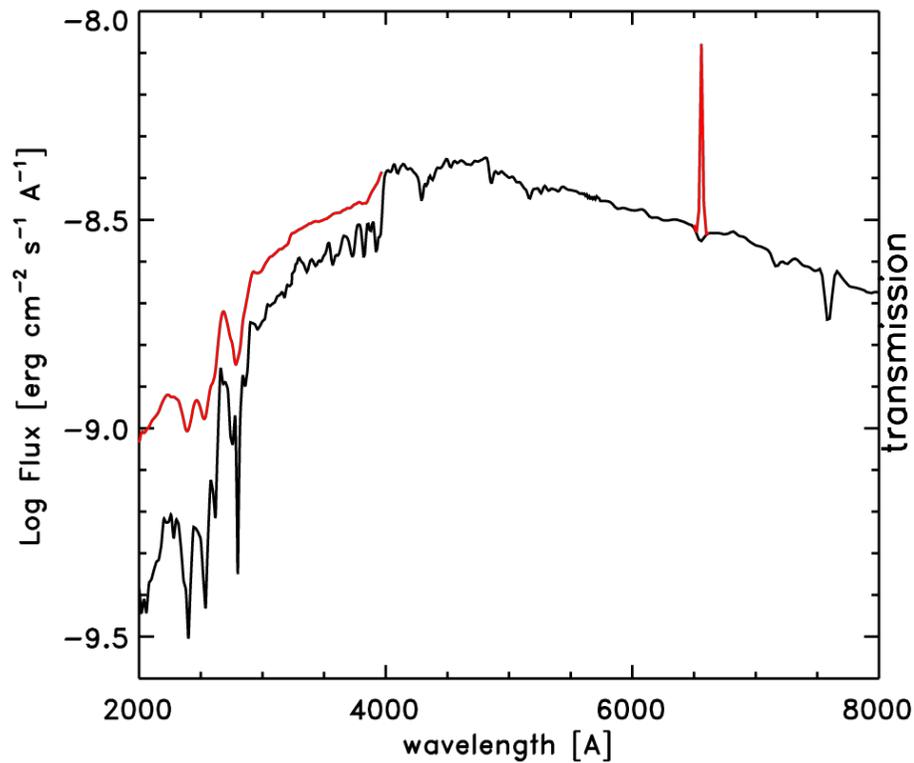
3.6  $\mu\text{m}$ , 4.5  $\mu\text{m}$ , 5.8  $\mu\text{m}$ , 8.0  $\mu\text{m}$



# =How?=(1) Photometry

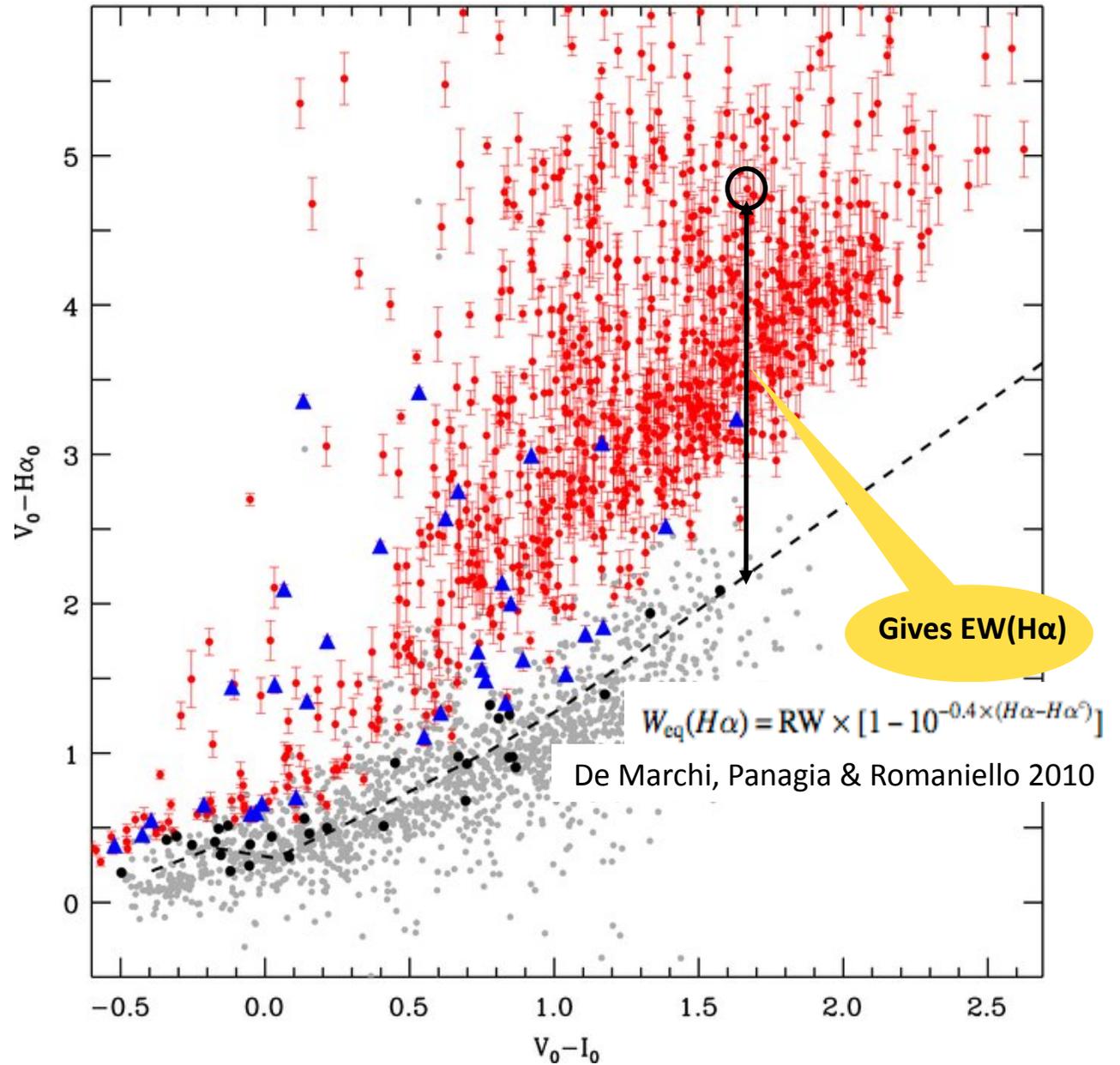
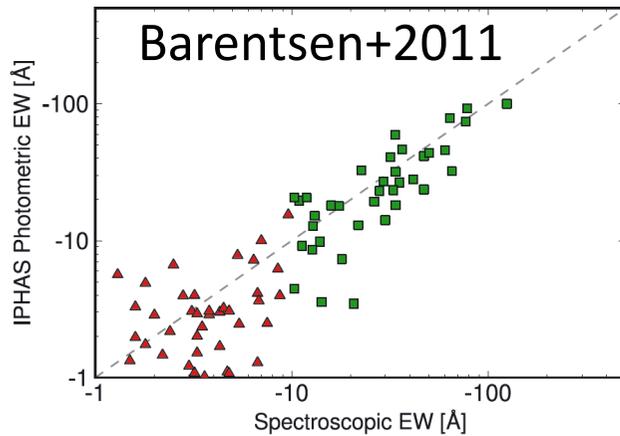
Typical signature:

UV, IR and  $H\alpha$  excess emission



# =How?=(2)

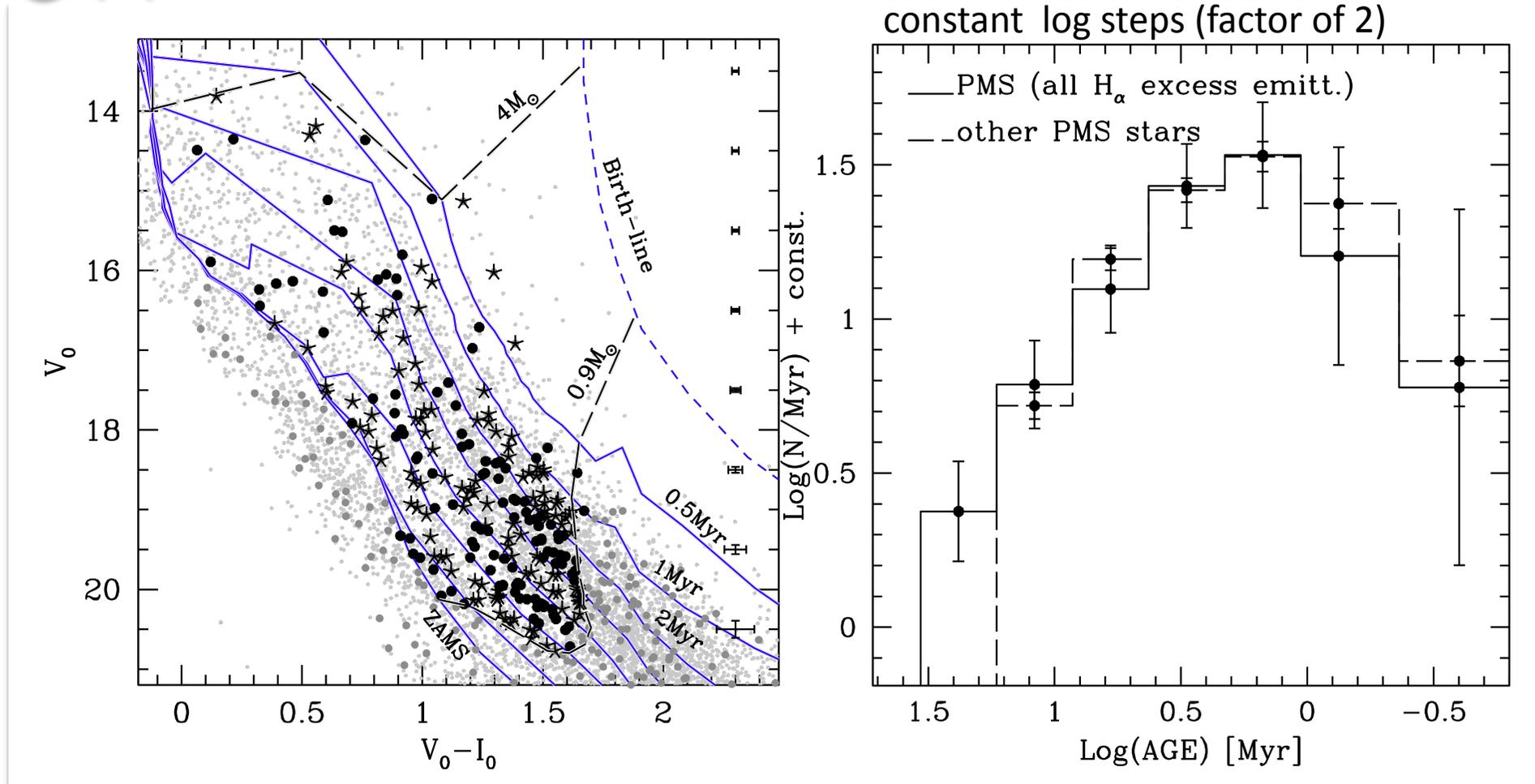
- Stars with no H $\alpha$  excess
- Stars with H $\alpha$  excess (distance in V-H $\alpha$  from emp.law.> 5 combined V and H $\alpha$  color error)



**EW(H $\alpha$ )>20Å !no chromosphere activity (CA)!**

# =How?=(3)

●★ PMS (H $\alpha$  excess emitters)



# Stars physical parameters for more that 1000 PMSs

- $H_\alpha$  luminosity  $L_{H\alpha}$  gives accretion luminosity  $L_{acc}$  via relationship calibrated using spectroscopic data (e.g. Dahm 2008)

$$\text{Log} (L_{acc}) = \text{Log} (L_{H\alpha}) + (1.72 \pm 0.25)$$

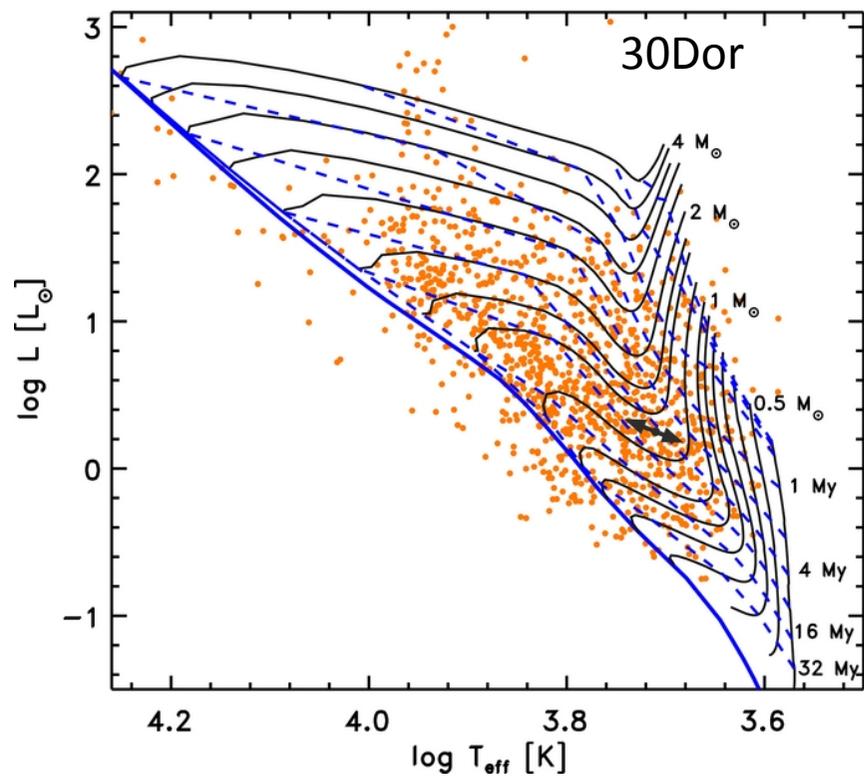
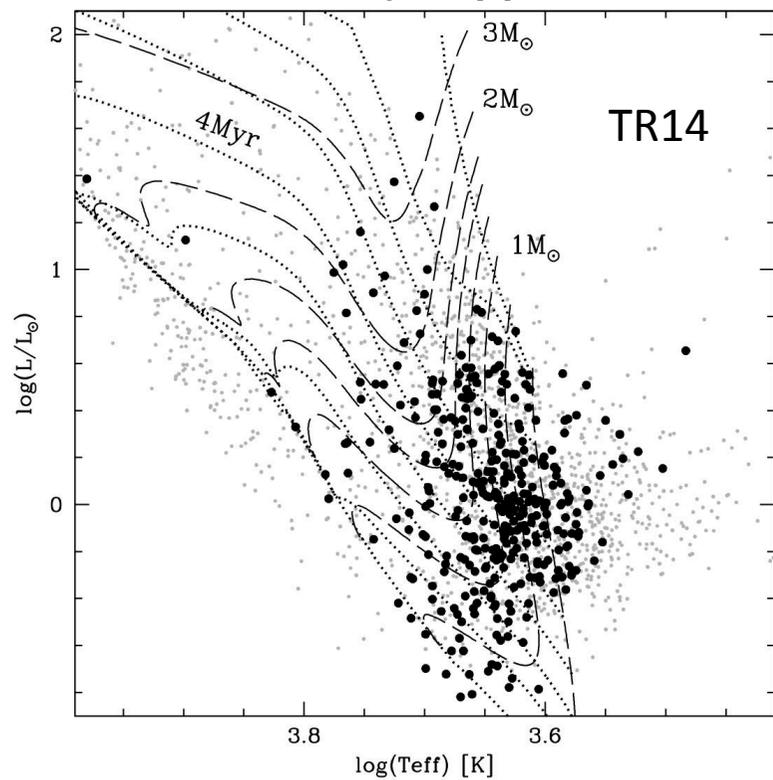
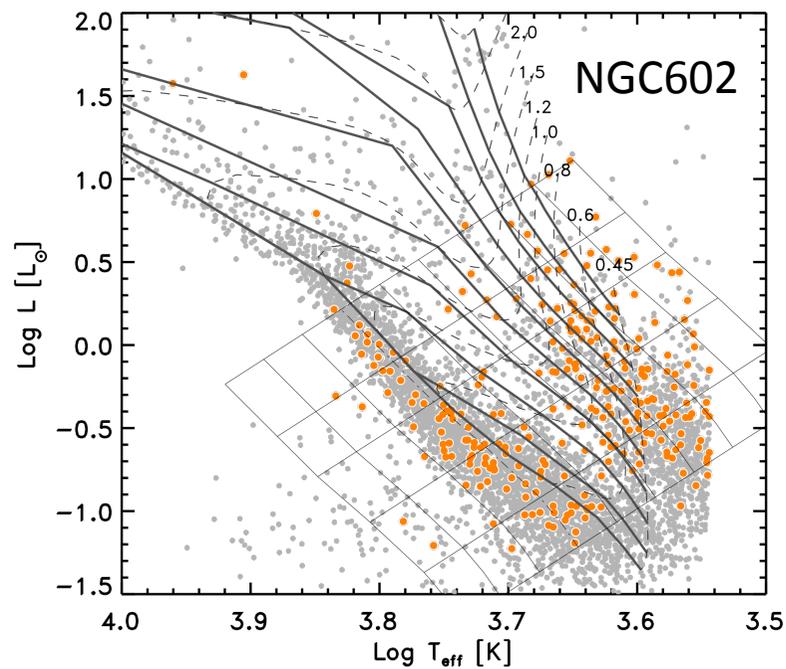
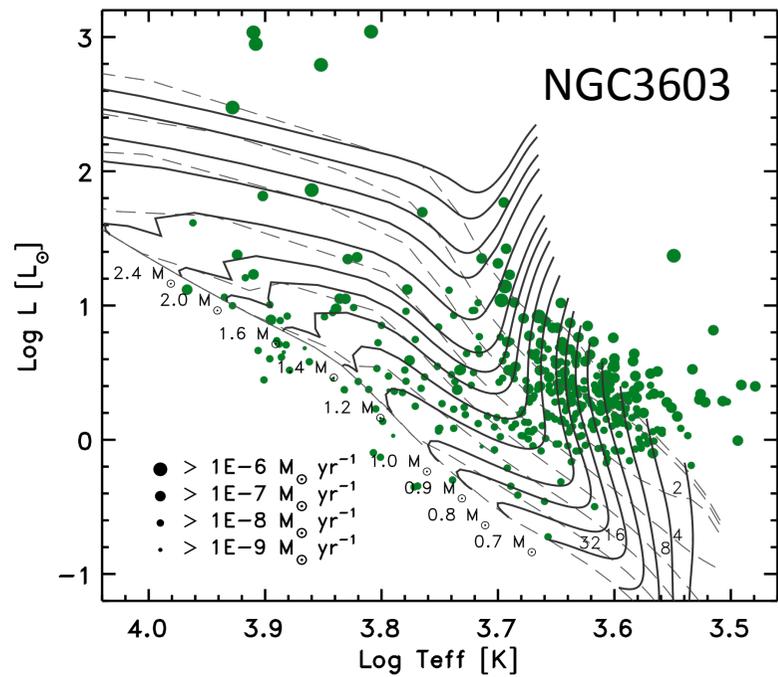
- Mass  $M_\star$  radius  $R_\star$  and age  $t_\star$  from PMS isochrones in HR diagram

- Free fall equation gives mass accretion rate  $\dot{M}$

$$L_{acc} \simeq \frac{GM_\star \dot{M}}{R_\star} \left( 1 - \frac{R_\star}{R_{in}} \right)$$

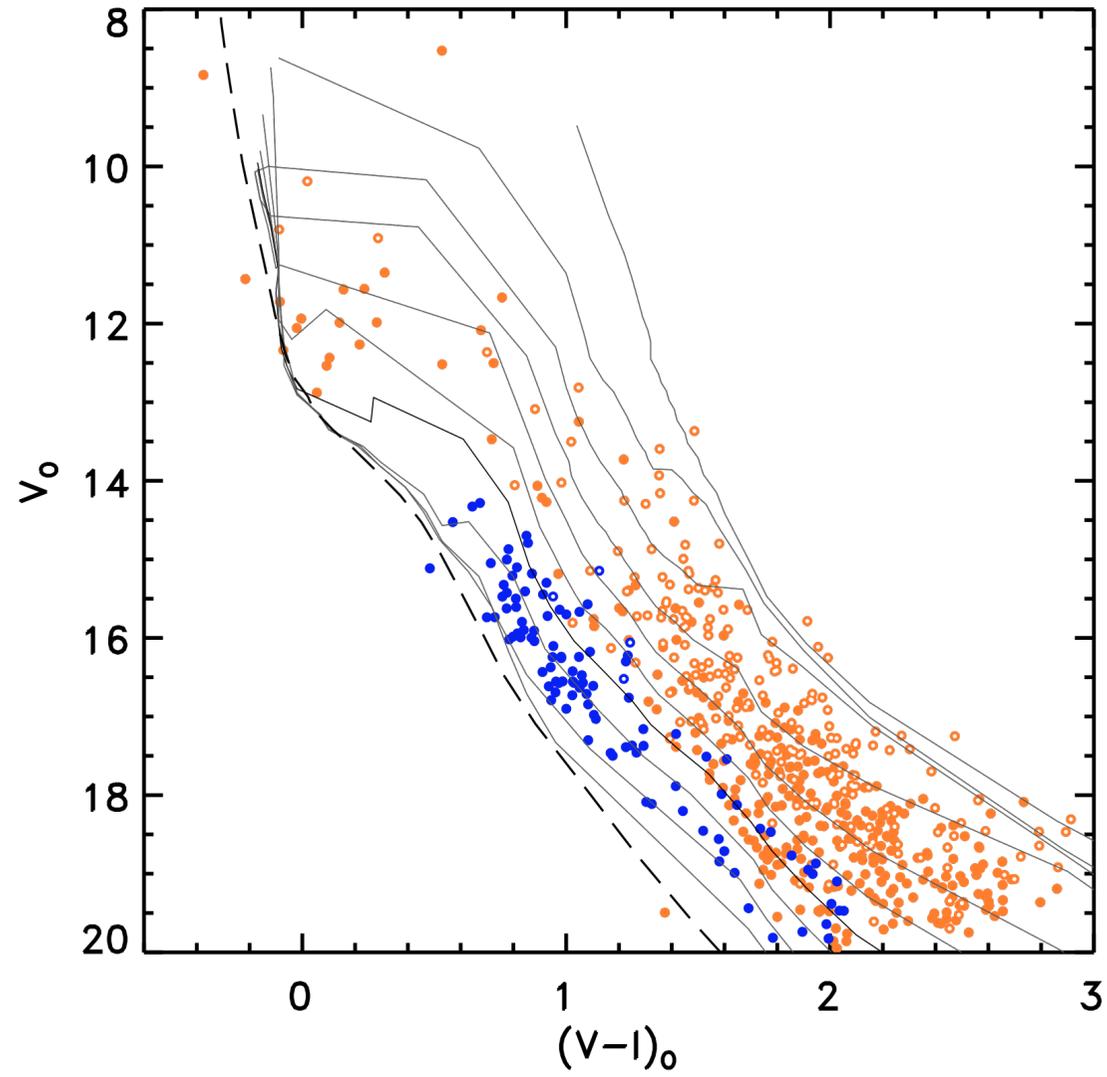
- We can study how star formation has proceeded in space and time

Results (1): 10-30 Myr age spreads

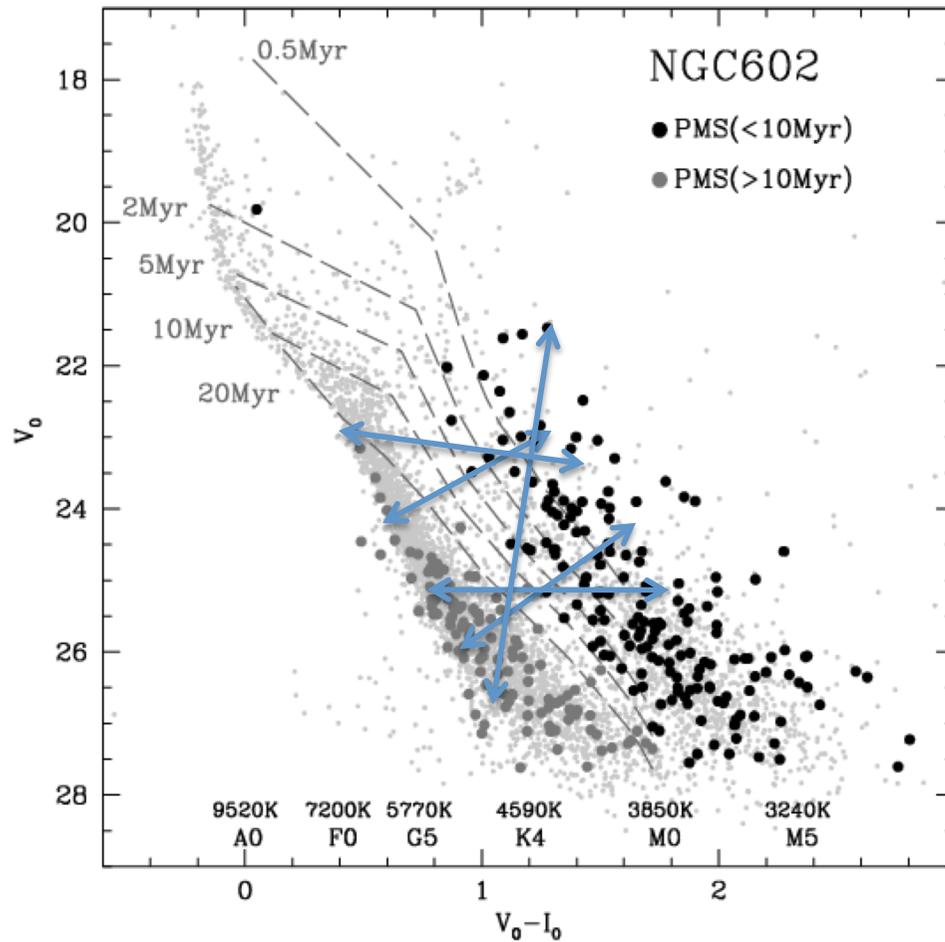


# Older stars with NIR excess in M16

De Marchi et al. 2013



Results (2): Different generations have different spatial distribution



Uncertainties:

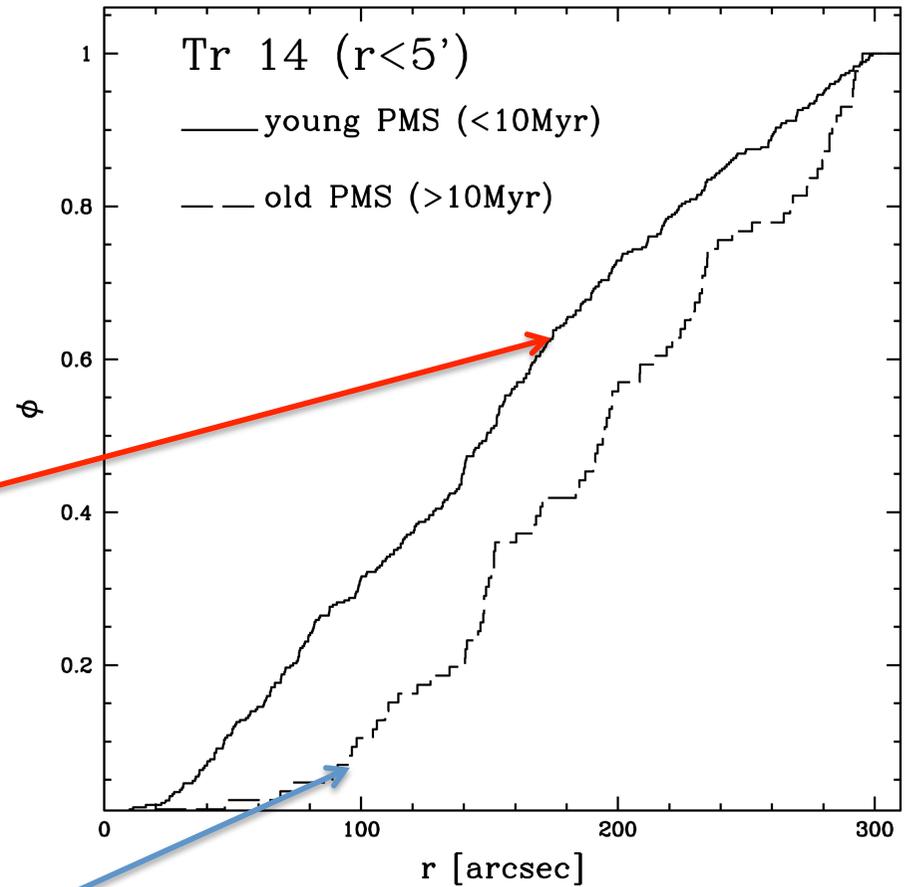
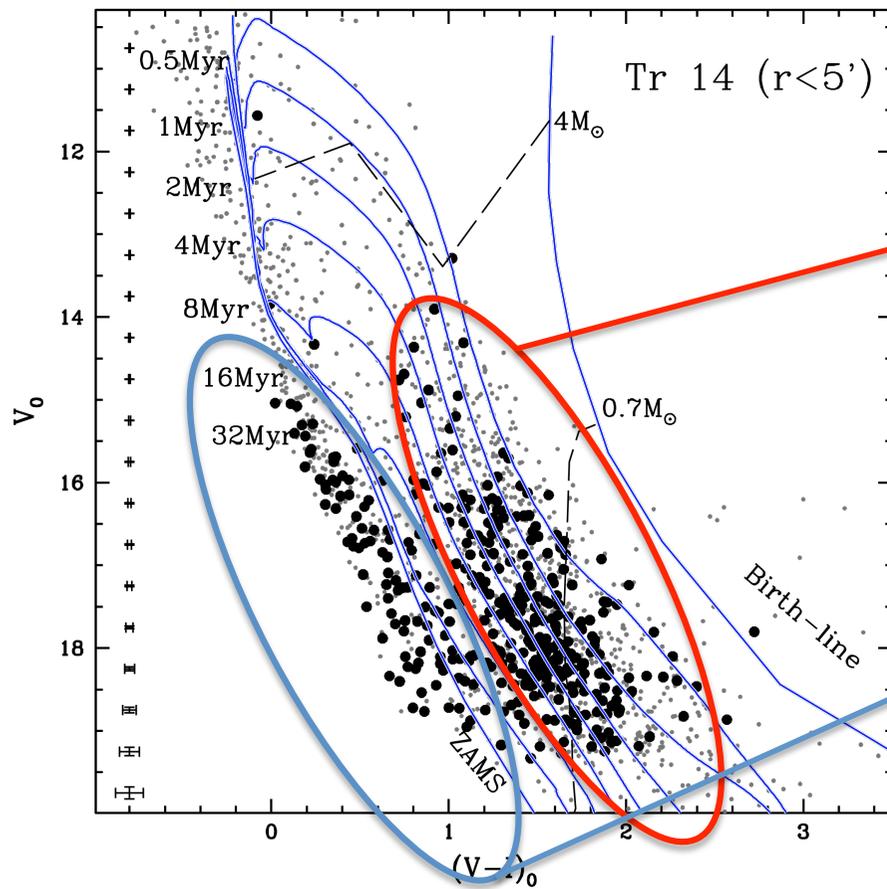
OBSERVATIONAL

- Photometric errors
- Differential extinction
- Disc inclination
- Unresolved binaries
- Stellar variability

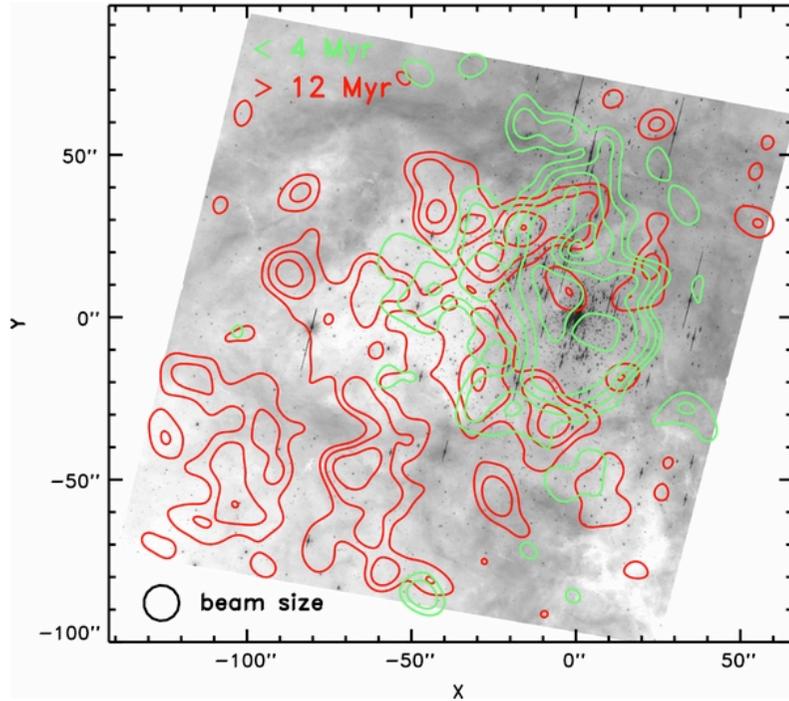
THEORETICAL

- Birth-line position
- Mass accretion rates
- Stellar rotation rates
- Massive and episodic accretion
- see rev. Preibisch 2012

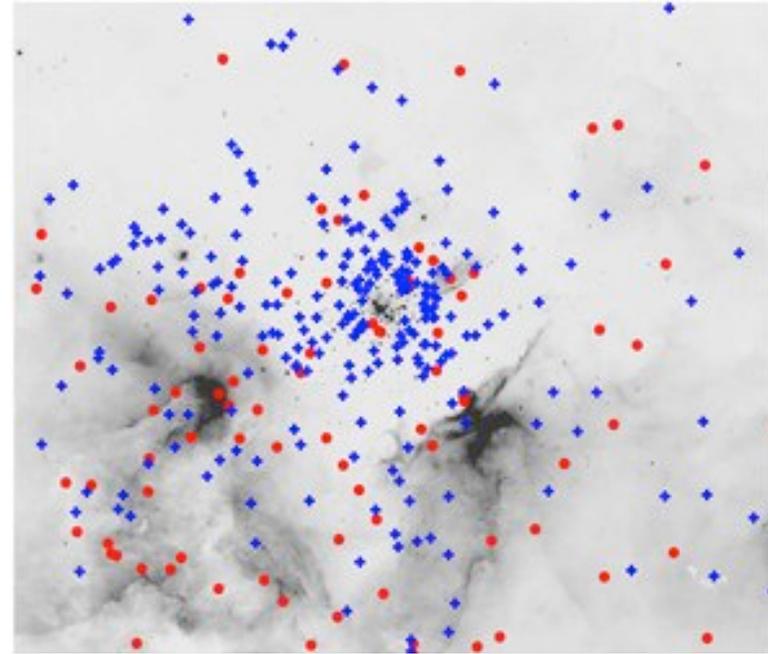
# Young and Old generations do not share the same spatial distribution



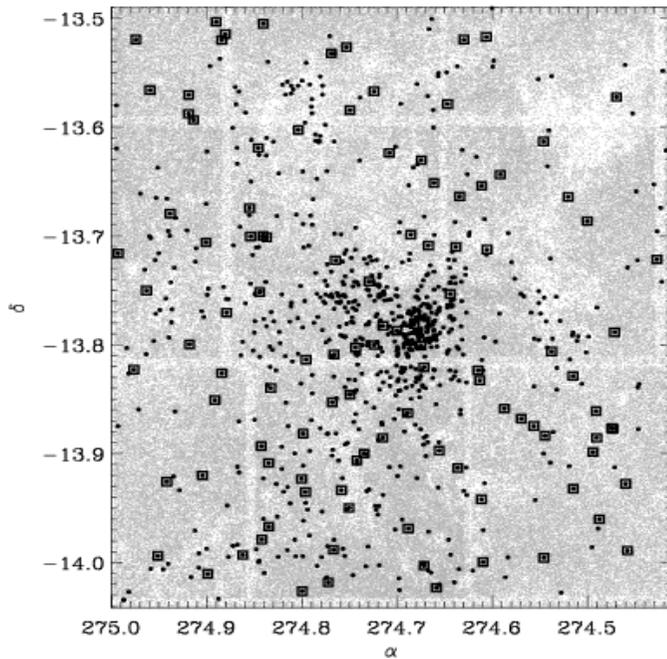
30 Dor - De Marchi et al. 2011b



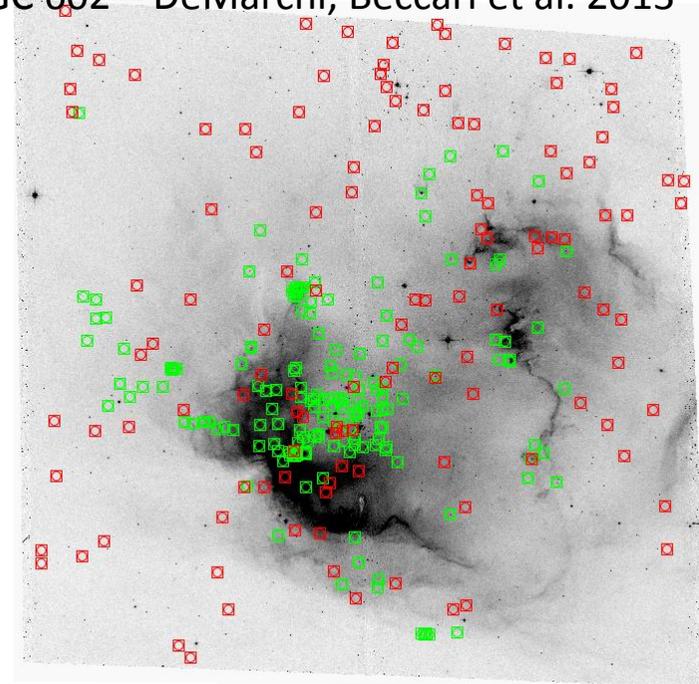
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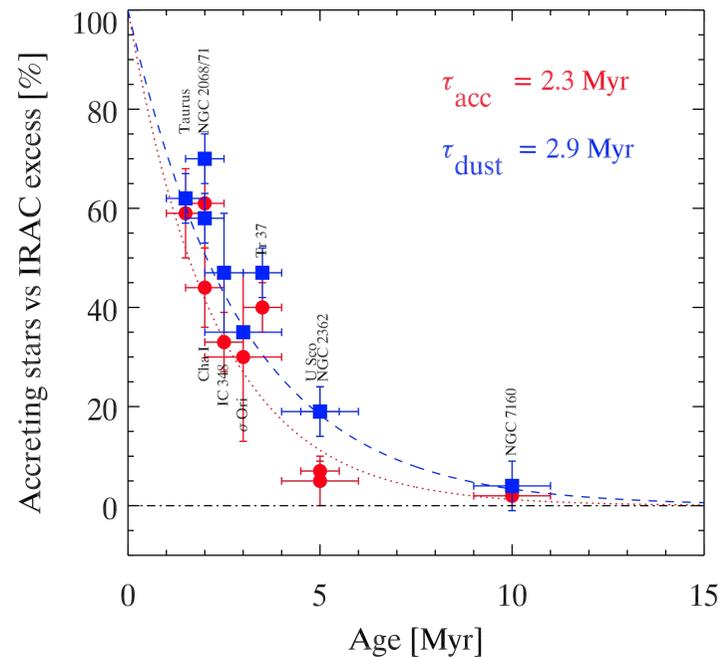


EAGLE NEBULA Guarcello 2010, A&A, 521, 18



NGC 602 – DeMarchi, Beccari et al. 2013





Fedele et al. 2010

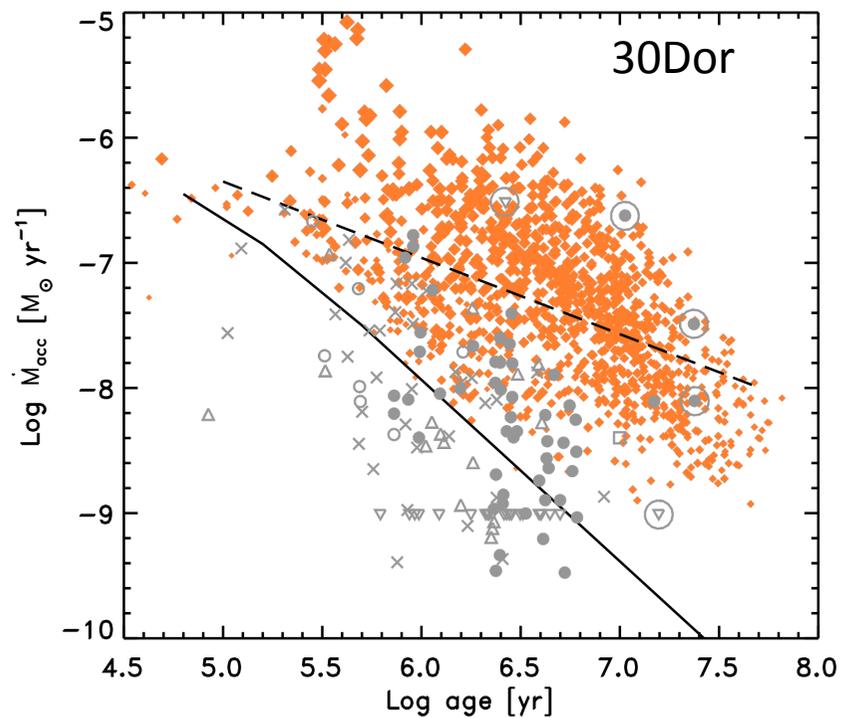
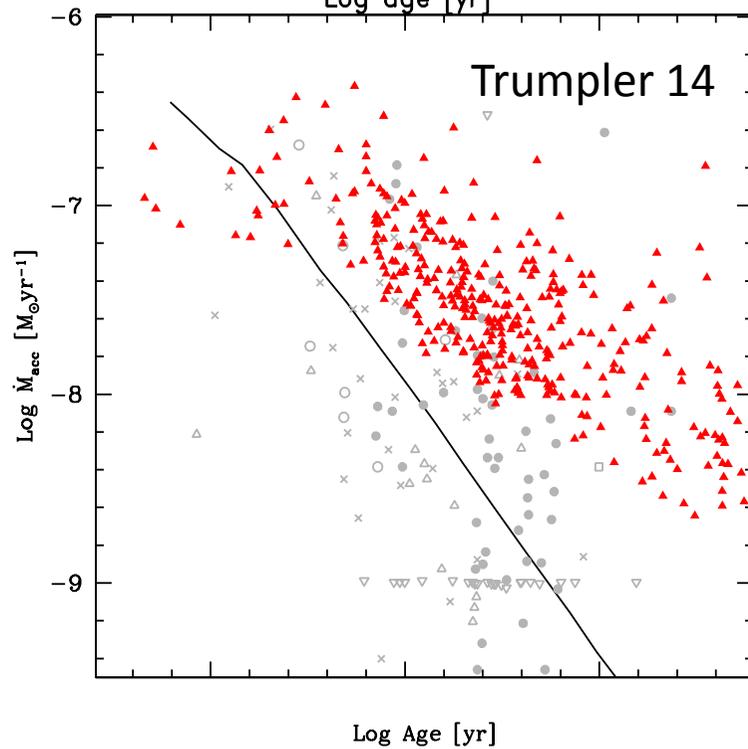
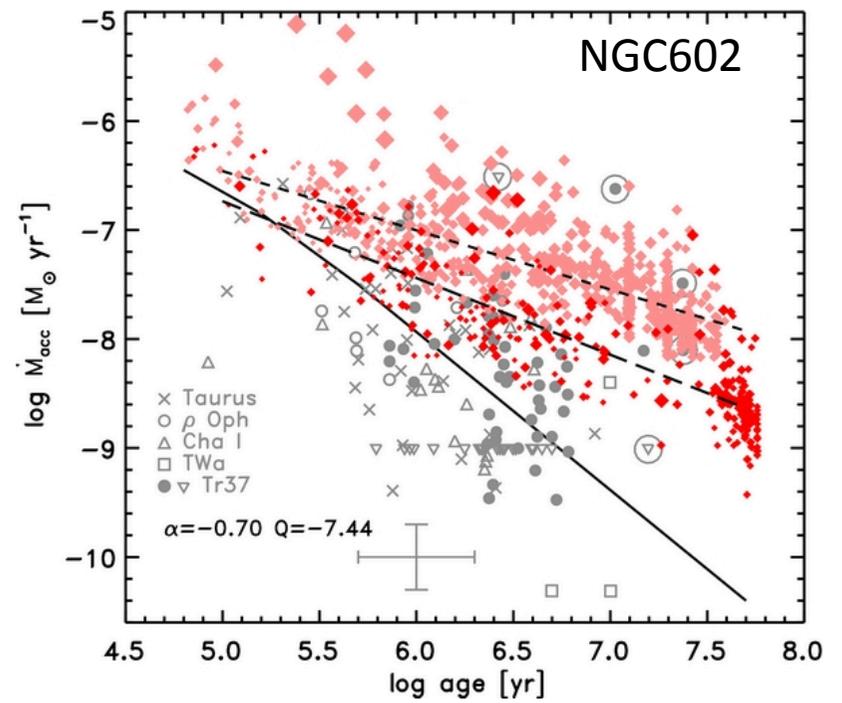
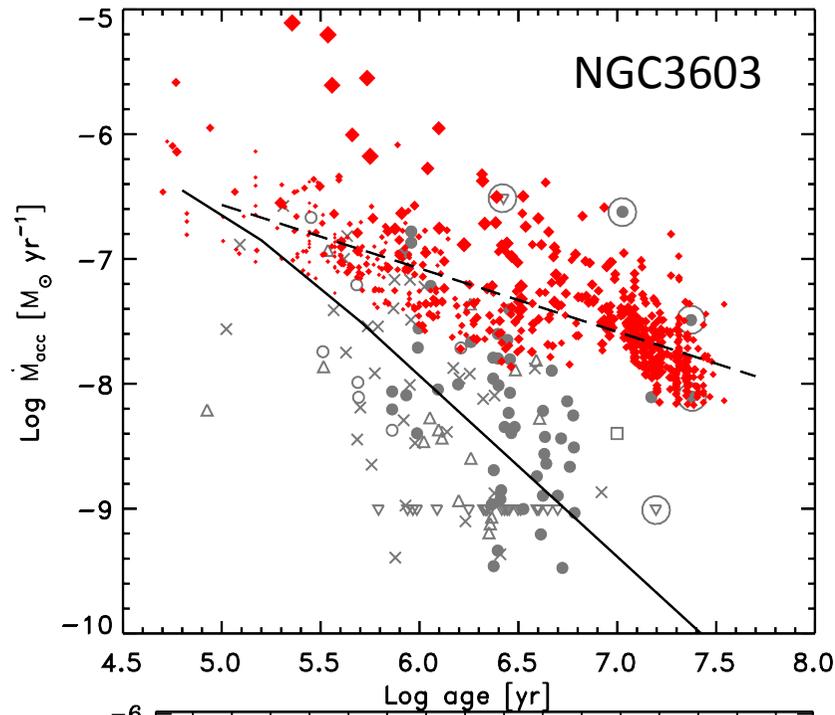
## Results (3): Evolution of $\dot{M}_{\text{acc}}(t, M_*, Z)$

$t = \sim 0 \text{ Myr}$  to  $\sim 30 \text{ Myr}$

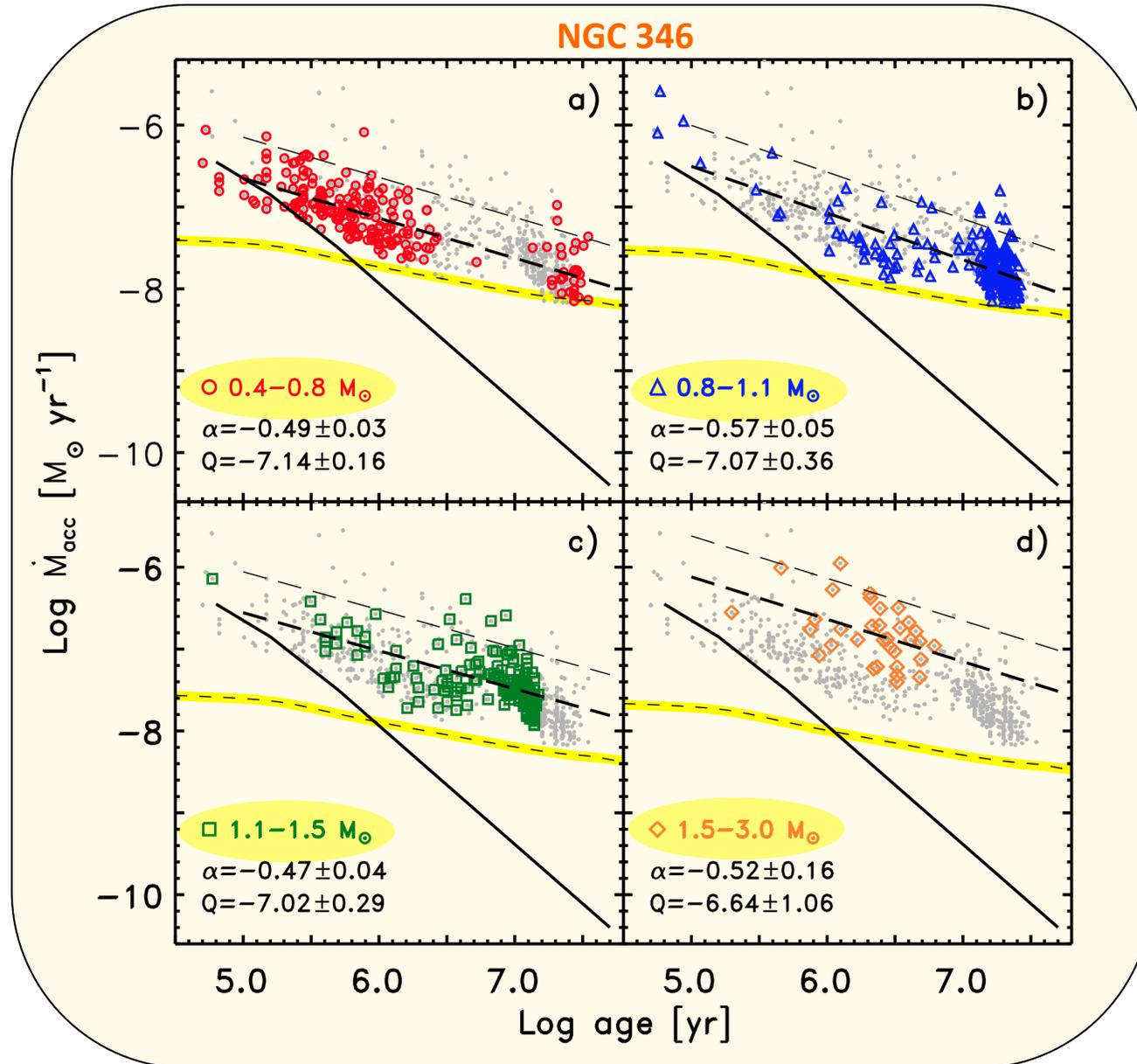
$M_* = \sim 0.8 M_{\text{sun}}$  to  $\sim 3 M_{\text{sun}}$

$Z = 0.002$  (SMC) -  $0.007$  (LMC) -  $0.019$  (MW)

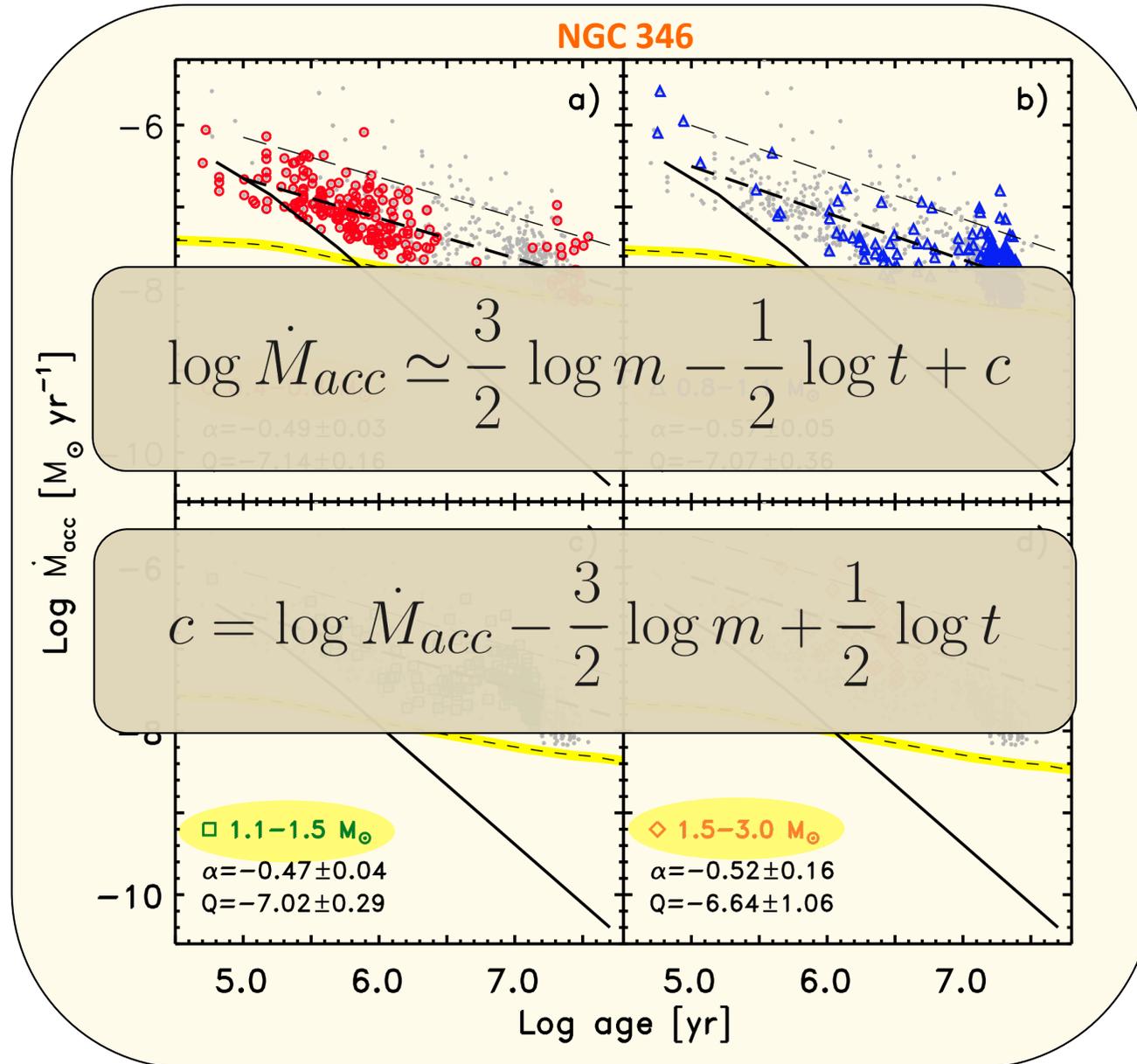
$$\log \dot{M}_{\text{acc}} = a \times \log t + b \times \log m + c$$



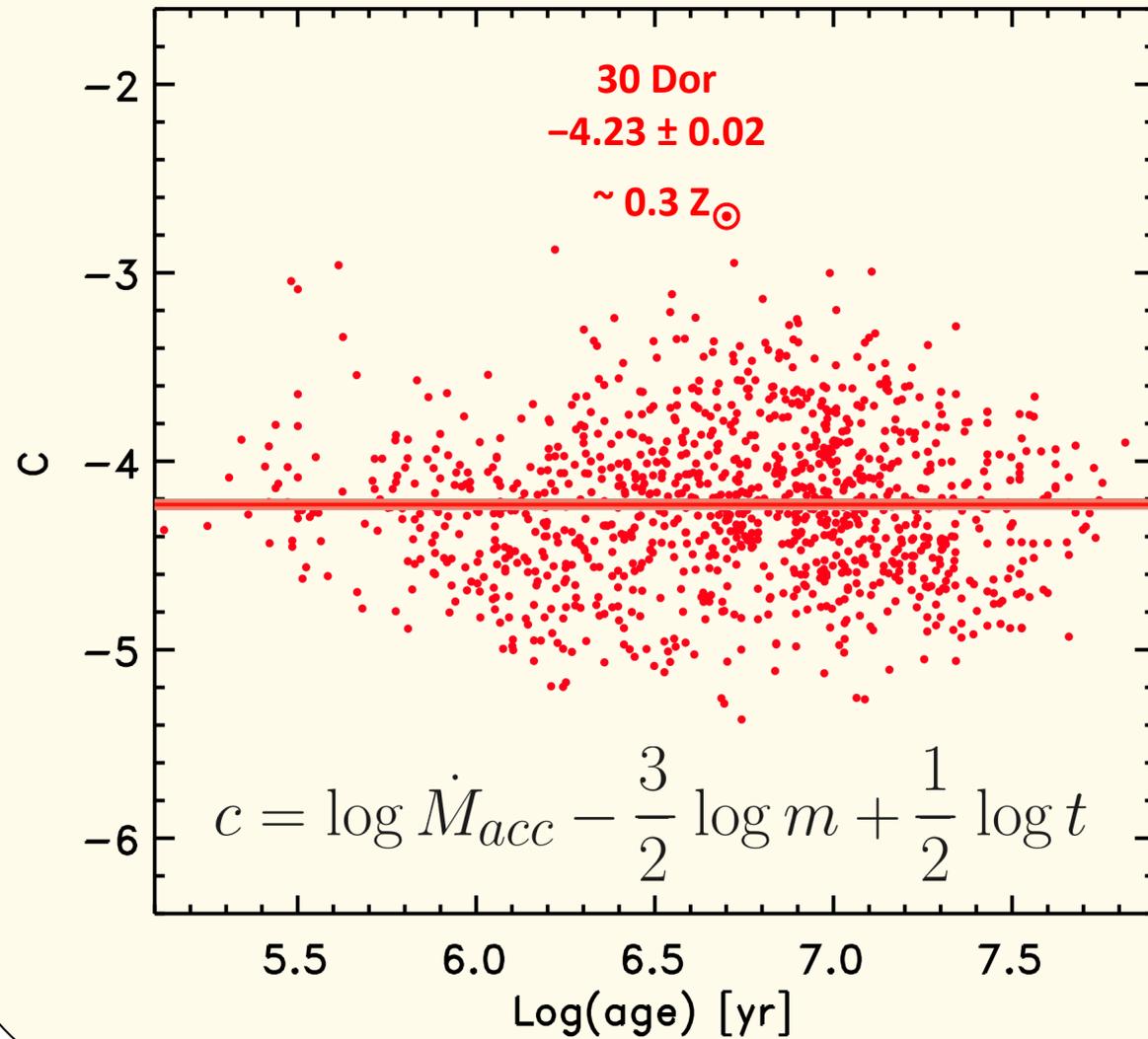
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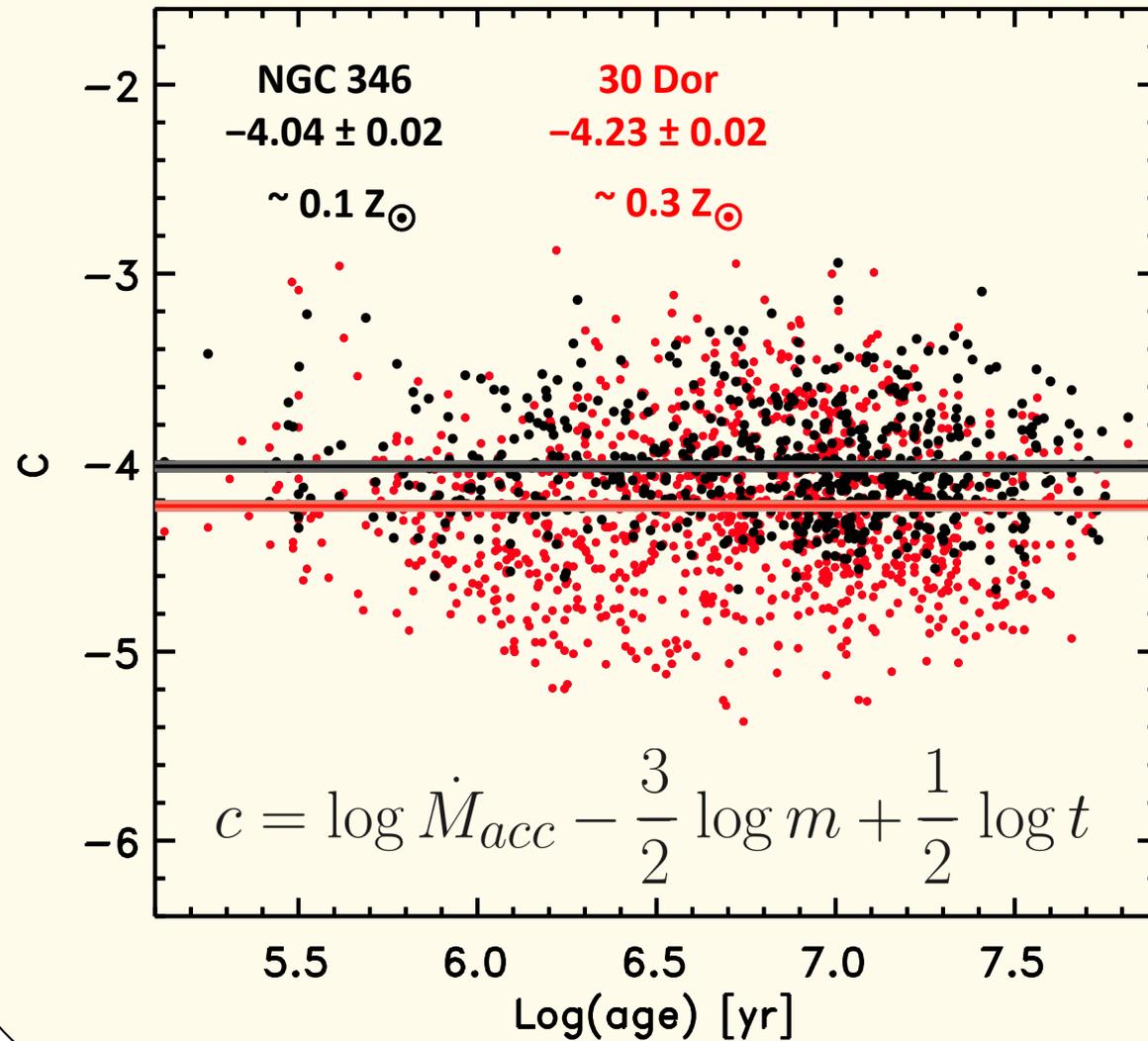
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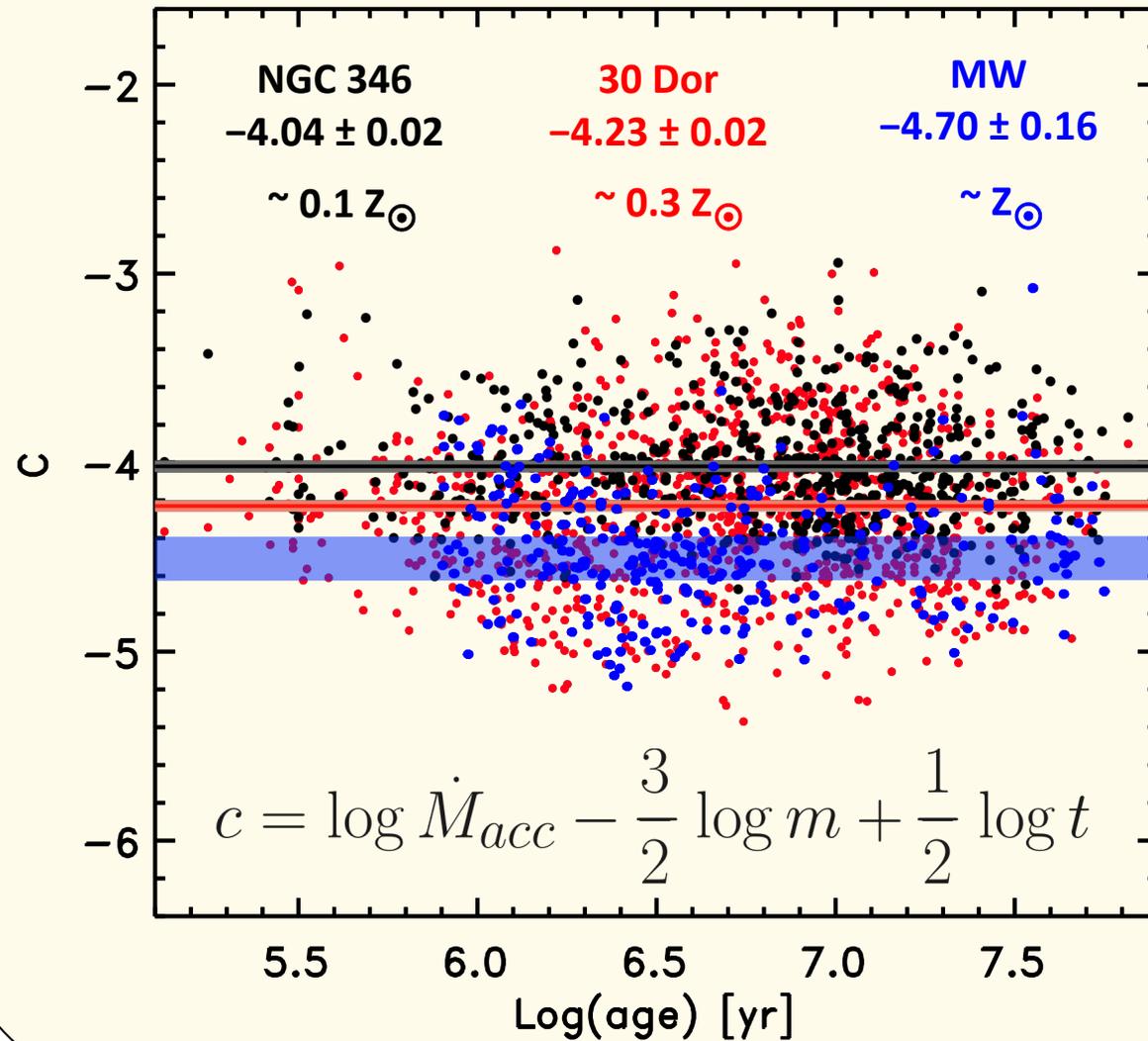
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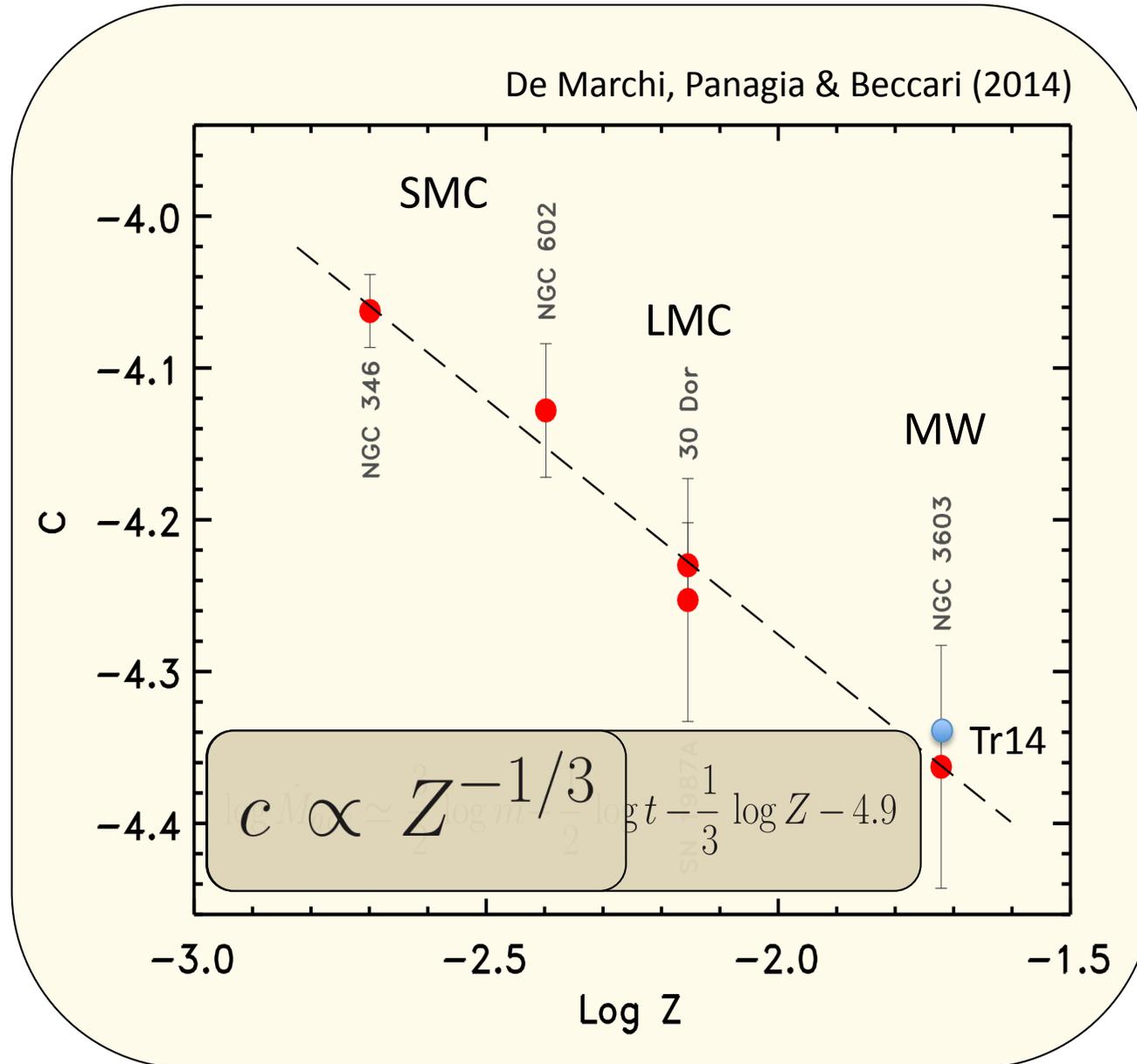
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Guido De Marchi (ESA), Nino Panagia (STScI, INAF-CT, Supernova Ltd), Martino Romaniello (ESO)

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# Conclusions

- **Multiple generations always seen,  $\Delta t \sim 10$  Myr**

**LMC: 30 Dor, SN 1987A, NGC 1850**

**SMC: NGC 346, NGC 602**

**MW: NGC 3603, M16, Trumpler 14 (Carina Nebula)**

Star formation episodes not spatially correlated

Younger generation usually more concentrated

- **At low  $Z$  accretion process stronger and longer**

$$\log \dot{M}_{acc} \simeq \frac{3}{2} \log m - \frac{1}{2} \log t - \frac{1}{3} \log Z - 4.9$$

important constraints for theory of star formation

- ➔ We have 24 HST orbits (WFC3) and 7 nights at 2.2ESO/MPI (WFI)+ FLAMES spectra to perform a survey of YMC in the  $H\alpha$