

# Star formation in the Galaxy

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# Massive stars and feedback ( $M > 8M_{\odot}$ )

## Importance

- Galactic evolution and formation
- Enrich ISM with metals

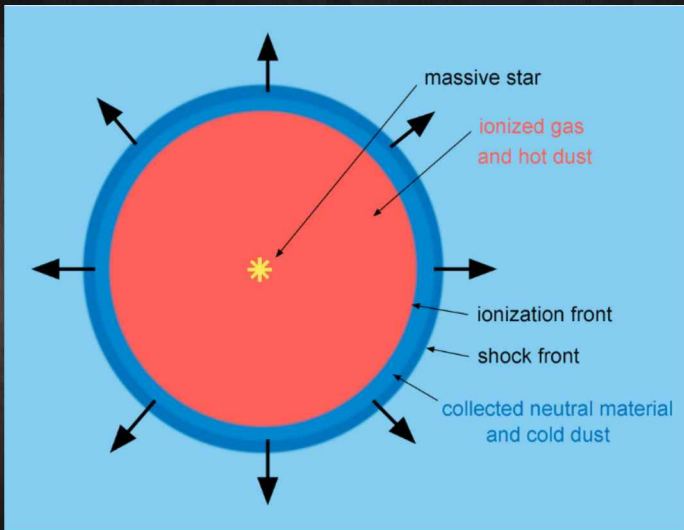
## Feedback

- Stellar winds
- Radiation pressure
- **Photoionization**
- Supernova

*Eagle nebula + NGC 6611*



# Expansion of an H II region [Deharveng et al., 2010]



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NGC 6357  
[Russeil et al., 2019]

NGC 6334  
[Tigé et al., 2017]

RCW 120  
[Figueira et al., 2017]

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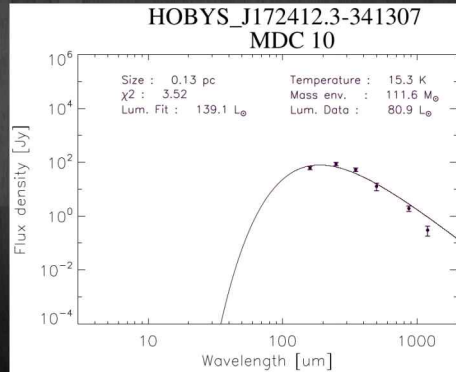
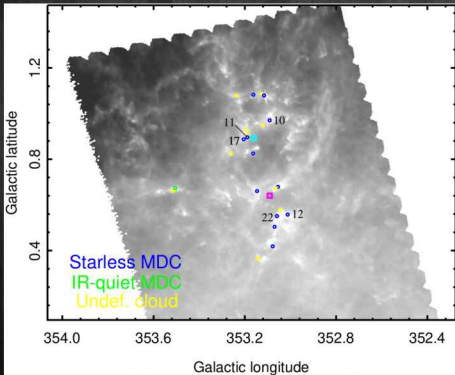
*Herschel-HOBYS study of the earliest phases of high-mass star formation in NGC 6357*

**Russeil, Figueira, Zavagno et al. (2019)**

**Aim: Characterize the condensations of dust that will form high-mass stars**

– Extraction performed with the *getsources* algorithm  
[Men'shchikov et al., 2012, Men'shchikov, 2013]

**Spectral Energy Distribution:** from 70 to 870  $\mu\text{m}$   
(Estimations of mass, temperature, luminosity)  $\rightarrow$  catalogue of properties



- **Massive condensations:**  $M_{env} > 70 M_{\odot}$  [Tigé et al., 2017]
- **Starless:** No emission characteristic of protostars (near infrared to  $70 \mu\text{m}$ )
- **Dense:**  $n > 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3}$
- **Centrally concentrated:**  $\rho \propto r^{-2}$

Five condensations are excellent place for high-mass star formation

→ *Future ALMA proposal in April (study of the fragmentation of these condensations)*

→ *OB stars and YSO population in NGC 6357-NGC 6334 star-forming complexe as seen with GAIA (Russeil et al. in prep)*

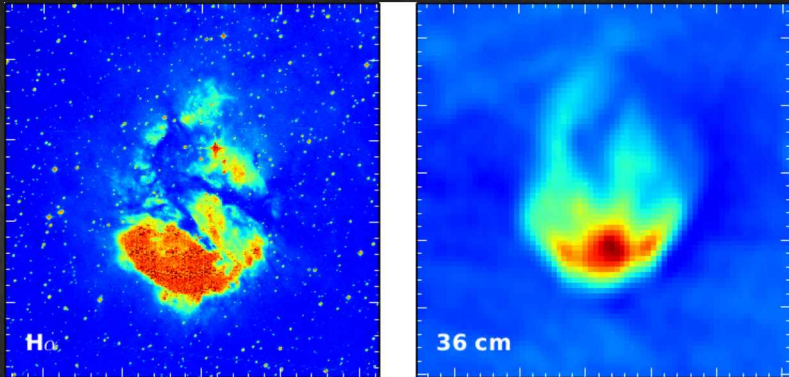


# Multiwavelength study of the G345.5+1.5 region

*Figueira, Bronfman, Zavagno et al. (2019)*

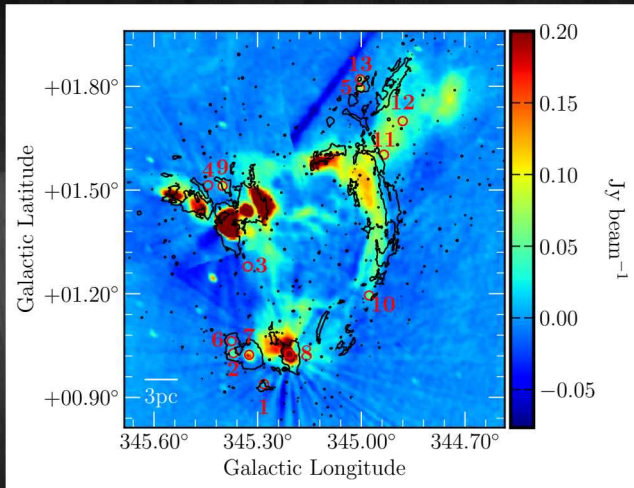
**Aim: Study of the dust emission and quantification of the star formation properties in this region**

## Search for high-mass stars through the bremsstrahlung



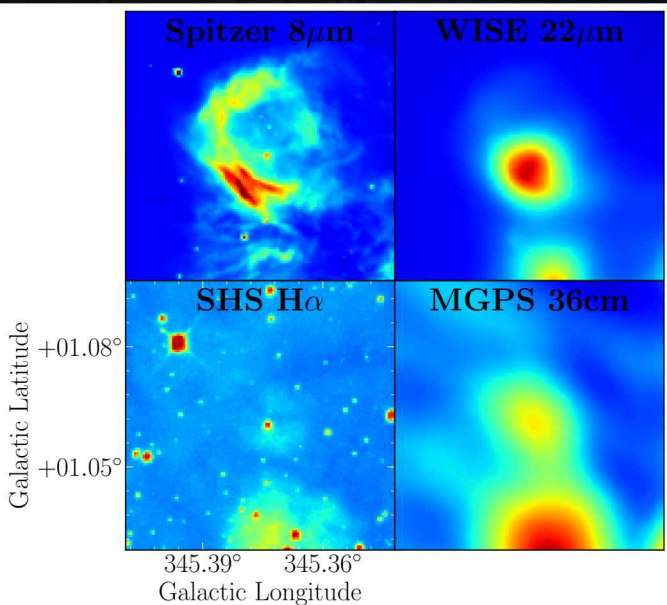
**FIGURE:** RCW 120 observed through H $\alpha$  emission (656.3 nm, from SHS) and at 36 cm (from MGPS-2 survey)

# Search for high-mass stars through the bremsstrahlung



**FIGURE:** G345.5+1.5 at 36 cm (from MGPS-2 survey)

# Radio source 6



- We estimate the number of high-mass stars from 7 to 12 in this region

Using this estimation, the Star Formation Rate can be computed:

$$SFR \sim 10^{-3} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$$

$$\Sigma_{SFR} \sim 1.3 M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1} \text{ kpc}^{-2}$$

- $\Sigma_{SFR}$  equivalent to other high-mass star forming regions
- More than half of the dusty clumps in the region are emitting in near infrared wavelength (tracer of protostars)

**G345.5+1.5 is a region actively forming (high-mass) stars and deserve follow-up studies**

## Publications in prep / submitted:

→ **H II regions and High Mass Starless Clumps: Catalogs and properties**

(Zhang et al. submitted to A&A)

→ **OB stars and YSO population in NGC 6357-NGC 6334 star-forming complexes as seen with GAIA**

(Russeil et al. in prep)

→ **APEX-Artémis study of the filamentary structure of RCW 120**

(Zavagno et al. in prep)

→ **CO observations towards two sub-regions of RCW 120**

(Figueira et al. in prep)

**Thank you  
for your attention**