

# 低金属量下における 原始惑星系円盤の寿命

*The Lifetime of Protoplanetary Disks  
in Low-metallicity Environments*

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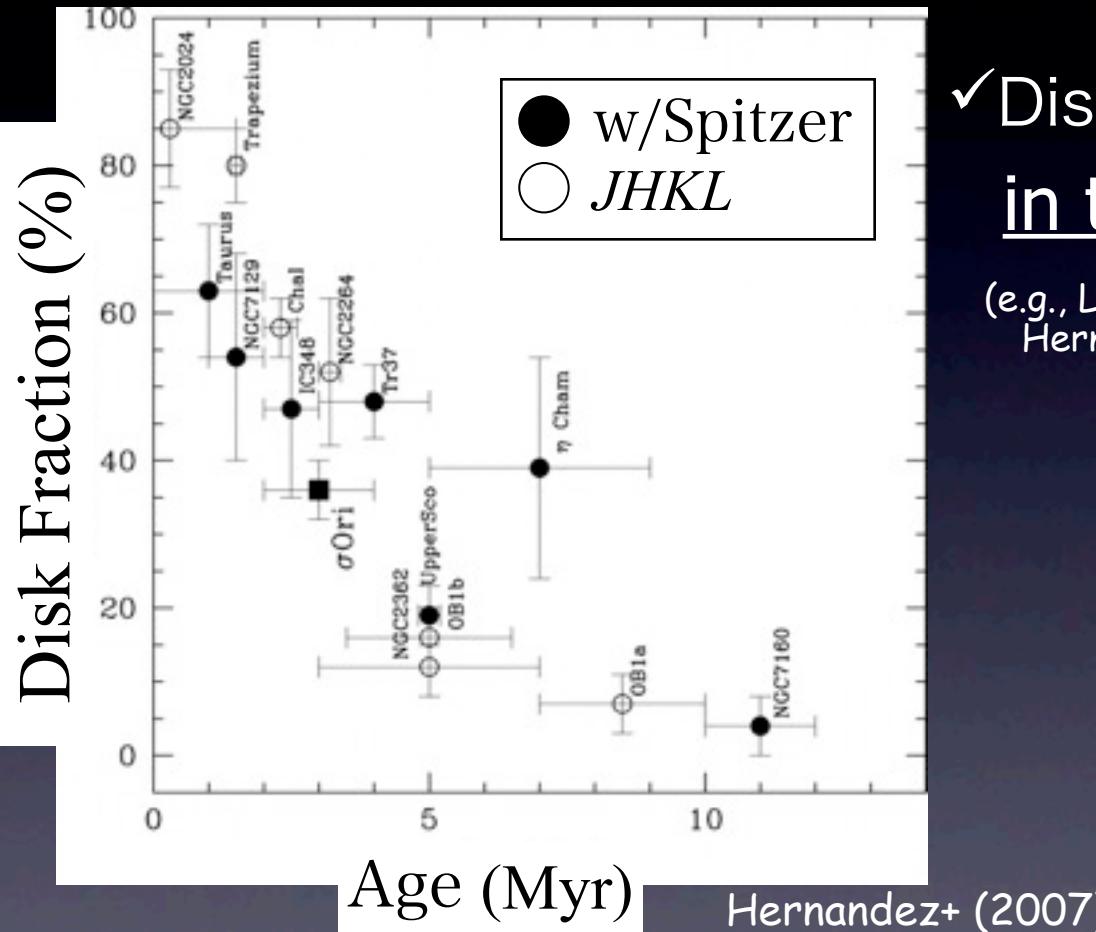
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## 1. INTRODUCTION

# Lifetime of Protoplanetary Disk

## ◆ Disk fraction of Young Clusters (NIR&MIR)



✓ Disk lifetime: **5-10 Myr**  
in the solar neighborhood

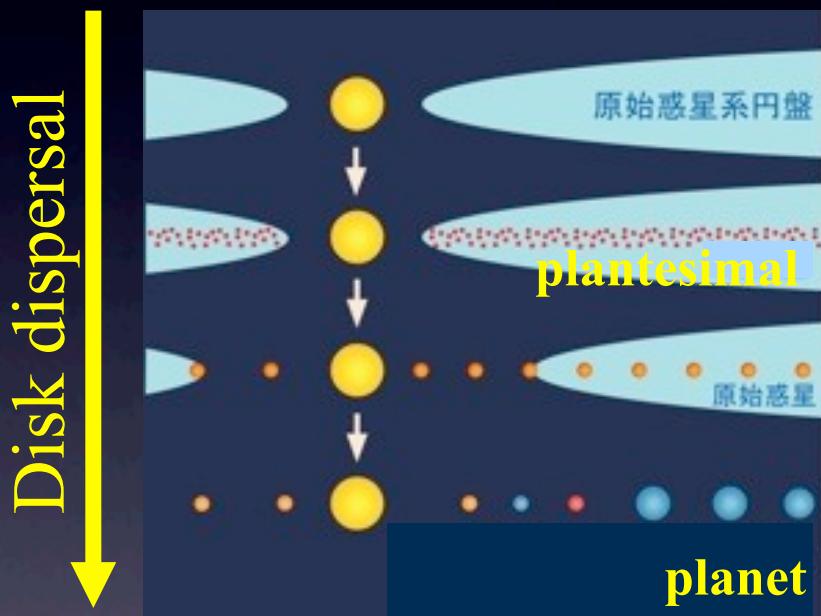
(e.g., Lada 1999, Haisch+ 2001, ApJ, **553**, 153,  
Hernández+ 2007, ApJ, **662**, 1067)

*Is the lifetime same  
even in different environments?*

# 1. INTRODUCTION Disk Dispersal & Planet Formation

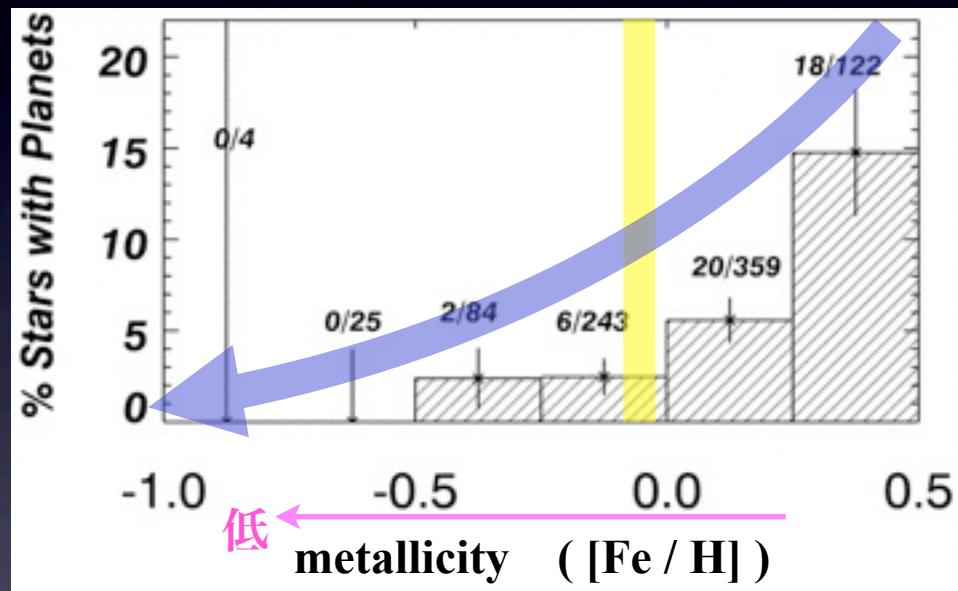
- ◆ Planet formation process  
~core accretion model~

(Safronov 1969, Hayashi et al. 1985)



<http://risu.lowtem.hokudai.ac.jp/~hide/naiyou.html>

- ◆ Planet-metallicity correlation



for FGK-type stars

Fischer et al. (2005)

*Disk lifetime in other metallicity environments  
is of great interest*

## 2. OBSERVATION

### ◆ The outer Galaxy

- ✓  $R_g \gtrsim 15$  kpc
- ✓ very low metallicity  
 $[O/H] \sim -1$  dex

### ➤ Our targets: 6 clusters

- ✓ average metallicity  
 $[O/H] = -0.7$  dex

### ◆ JHK<sub>S</sub> deep imaging w/Subaru MOIRCS

→ mass detection limit  $\sim 0.3 M_\odot$   
(similar to nearby clusters)

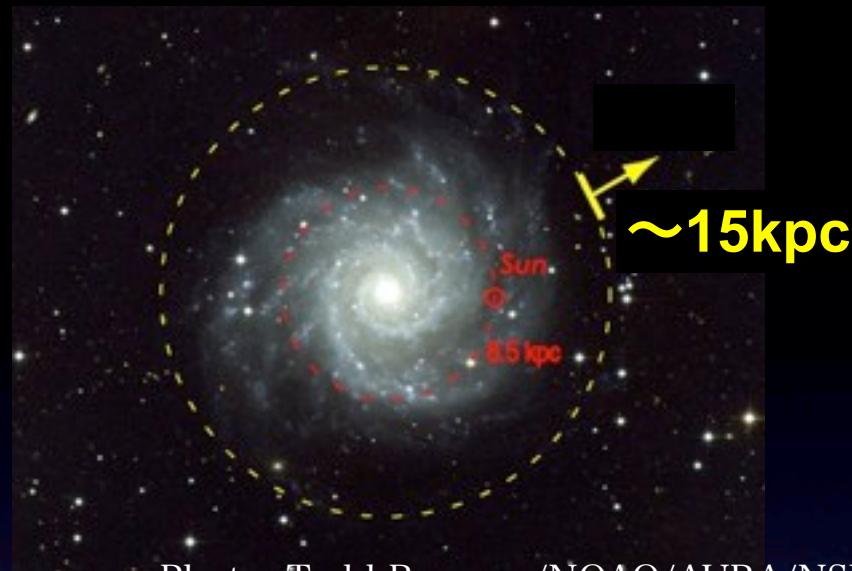
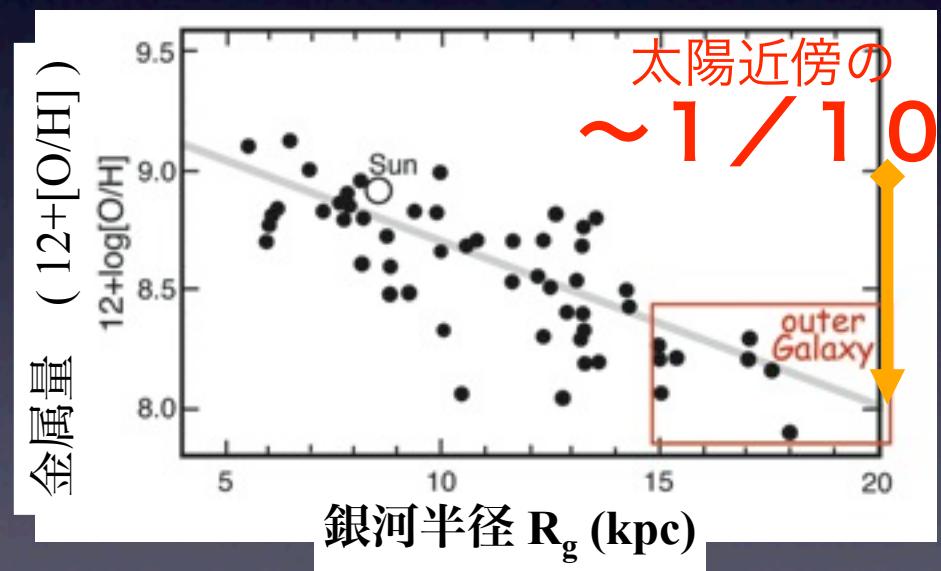
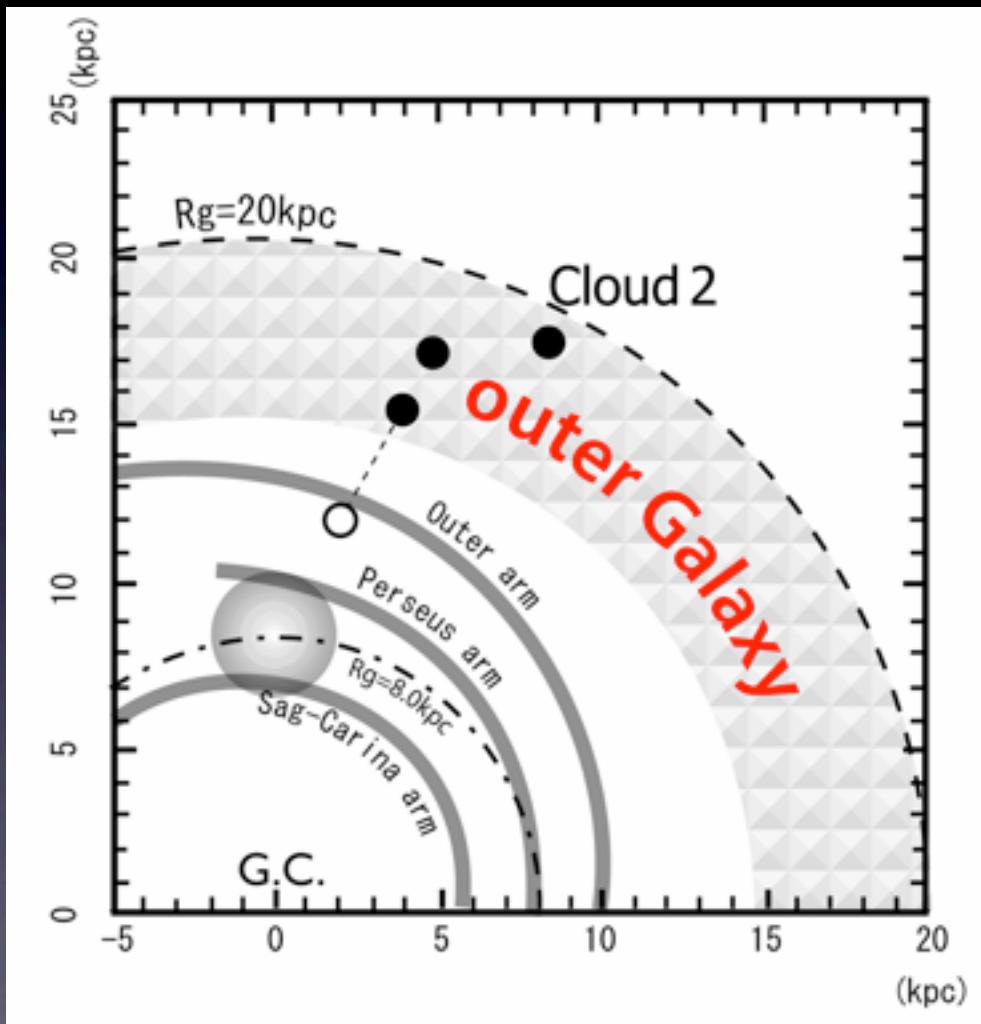


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# Cloud 2 clusters @ $R_g=19$ kpc

(Kobayashi & Tokunaga 2000, Yasui et al. 2006, 2008,  
Kobayashi et al. 2008)



Cloud2-N

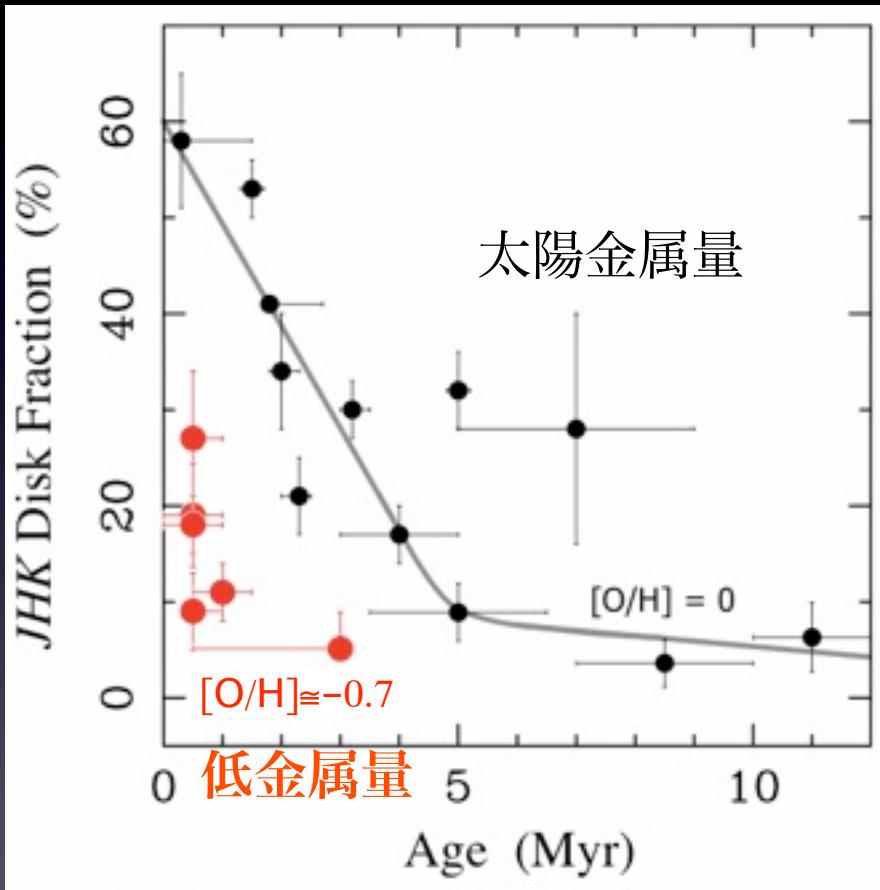


Cloud2-S



### 3. RESULTS

# *JHK* Disk Fraction in Low-metallicity Environments



Systematically lower than  
nearby embedded clusters  
of similar age



Disk fraction depends on  
metallicity

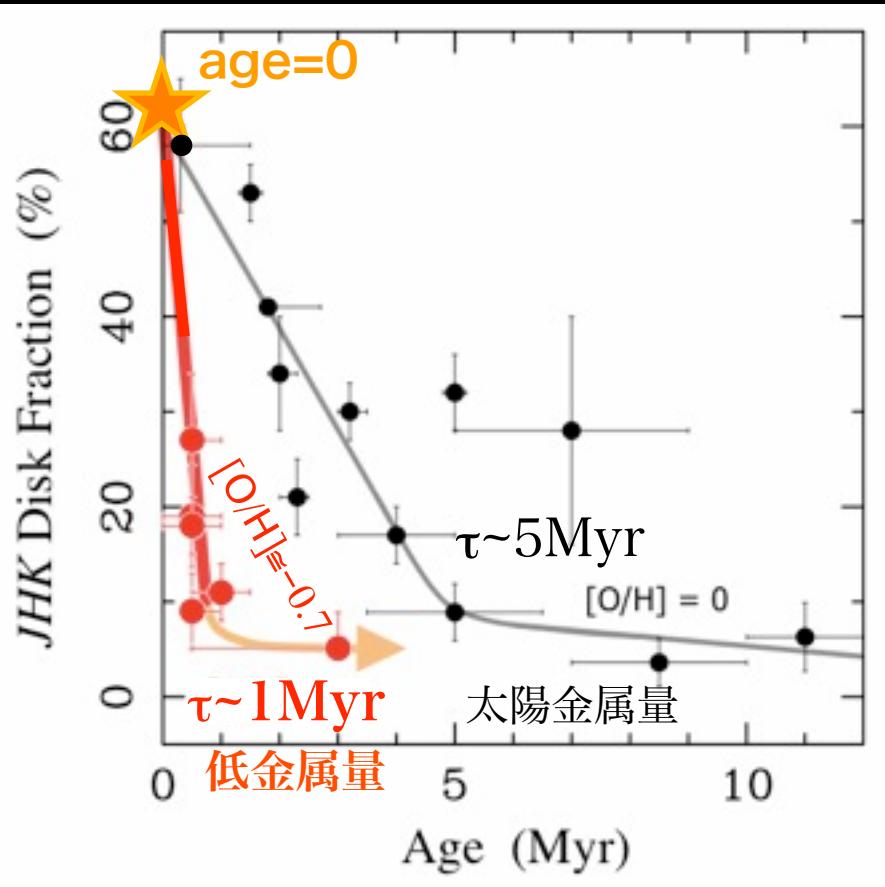
Preliminary results (with Cloud 2) are published in  
**Yasui et al. (2009) ApJ, 705, 54**

## 4. DISCUSSION Disk Lifetime

In Low-metallicity Environments...

- ✓ initially optically thick even in low-metallicity
- ✓ inner region is not expected to be cleared out

- ▶ “entire” disk dispersal ( $\tau \sim 1 \text{ Myr}$ )
- ▶ *initially (age=0)* expected to be high disk fraction



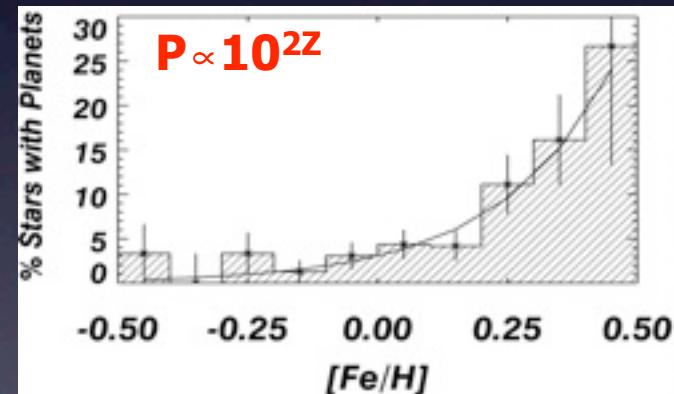
Disk lifetime is shorter  
in low-metallicity environments

$$\tau \propto 10^z$$

## 4 . DISCUSSION

◆ Possible mechanism of  
**short disk lifetime?**

◆ Insight into the steep ( $P \propto 10^{2Z}$ )  
**“planet-metallicity correlation”**



Please come to see our poster paper  
for more detail (T04)