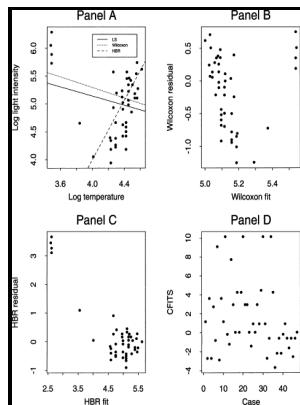


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Finally, the acceleration has been spatially uniform throughout the cluster. Here we present an improved Hertzsprung–Russell H-R diagram of the Trapezium cluster, in which the contamination by optical veiling on spectral types and stellar luminosities has been properly removed. Finally, accelerating star formation implies that most clumps within giant molecular complexes should have relatively low formation activity.

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