DETECTION OF STRONG MILLIMETER EMISSION FROM THE CIRCUMSTELLAR DUST DISK AROUND V1094 SCO: COLD AND MASSIVE DISK AROUND A T TAURI STAR IN A QUIESCENT ACCRETION PHASE?

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ABSTRACT

We present the discovery of a cold massive dust disk around the T Tauri star V1094 Sco in the Lupus molecular cloud from the 1.1 mm continuum observations with AzTEC on ASTE. A compact ($r \lesssim 320$ AU) continuum emission coincides with the stellar position having a flux density of 272 mJy, which is the largest among T Tauri stars in Lupus. We also present the detection of molecular gas associated with the star in the five-point observations in 12 CO J = 3-2 and 13 CO J = 3-2. Since our 12 CO and 13 CO observations did not show any signature of a large-scale outflow or a massive envelope, the compact dust emission is likely to come from a disk around the star. The observed spectral energy distribution (SED) of V1094 Sco shows no distinct turnover from near-infrared to millimeter wavelengths, can be well described by a flattened disk for the dust component, and no clear dip feature around $10~\mu$ m suggestive of the absence of an inner hole in the disk. We fit a simple power-law disk model to the observed SED. The estimated disk mass ranges from $0.03~M_\odot$ to $\gtrsim 0.12~M_\odot$, which is one or two orders of magnitude larger than the median disk mass of T Tauri stars in Taurus. The resultant temperature is lower than that of a flared disk with well-mixed dust in hydrostatic equilibrium and is probably attributed to the flattened disk geometry for the dust which the central star cannot illuminate efficiently. From these results, together with the fact that there is no signature of an inner hole in the SED, we suggest that the dust grains in the disk around V1094 Sco sank into the midplane with grain growth by coalescence and are in the evolutional stage just prior to or at the formation of planetesimals.

Key words: circumstellar matter – stars: formation – stars: individual (V1094 Sco)

1. INTRODUCTION

Protoplanetary disks around pre-main-sequence stars are potential sites for planet formation. In the standard model (e.g., Hayashi et al. 1985), after settling into equilibrium, the gas and solid components in the disk are separated and dust grains begin sinking to the midplane to form a thin dust layer which eventually fragments into planetesimals, ingredients of planets. The radial profile of the surface density structure at this stage is likely one of the most important parameters for controlling what kinds of planets form in the disk (Kokubo & Ida 2002).

Since the gas and dust are well mixed in the beginning, grain growth and sedimentation are key processes to separate dust from gas. Theoretical studies have suggested that dust grains are removed from the flaring surface and will sink to the midplane while growing by coalescence along the disk evolution (Dullemond & Dominik 2004; Tanaka et al. 2005). One way to find such evolved disks is to carefully examine the spectral

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energy distribution (SED) of young stars as well as detection of (sub)millimeter continuum emission, because the shape of the SED of young stars is sensitive to its temperature structure which is mainly determined by the vertical distribution of dust grains (Chiang & Goldreich 1997). Tanaka et al. (2005) studied the dust growth and settling in passive disks to investigate the evolution of disk structure and SEDs. Their numerical results indicated that the flux densities at mid-infrared (MIR) from a disk get lower as a result of dust grain growth and settling from the surface layer.

In the last two decades, extensive observations from optical to millimeter wavelengths have been conducted to study disk properties ultimately determining the nature of forming planets. Pre-main-sequence stars, particularly in the quiescent phase such as weak-line T Tauri stars (WTTSs) or Class III stars, are good candidates for searching such evolved dusty disks in the process of sedimentation. A pioneer survey in (sub)millimeter continuum emission of the circumstellar dust around young stars was conducted by Beckwith et al. (1990) and followed by many other groups (Andre & Montmerle 1994; Osterloh & Beckwith 1995; Nuernberger et al. 1997; Kitamura et al. 2002;

Andrews & Williams 2005, 2007). Kitamura et al. (2002) made an imaging survey of single T Tauri stars in Taurus and derived the physical properties of the disks combined with the SEDs. They found the radial expansion of the disks to be attributable to outward transport of angular momentum with decreasing H α line luminosity, a measure of disk evolution. Andrews & Williams (2005) made a large survey of disk emission of more than 100 young stars in Taurus and found that there is a distinct difference in detection rates between classical T Tauri star (CTTS; 90%) and WTTS (15% \pm 5%). No massive evolved disk around WTTS, however, was found.

In the present paper, we report the discovery of an unusual cold massive disk around the T Tauri star, V1094 Sco, at the southern tip of Lupus 3 at a distance of 150 pc. The source has a quiescent accretion disk presumably in the transient stage from CTTS to WTTS because its equivalent width of H α ranged from 7 to 14 Å (Krautter et al. 1997; Wichmann et al. 1999). V1094 Sco is known as a single star whose spectral type, mass, and age are K6, 0.78 M_{\odot} , and 3 Myr, respectively (Wichmann et al. 1997).

2. OBSERVATIONS

Our observations have been performed with the Atacama Submillimeter Telescope Experiment (ASTE), the 10 m Submillimeter Telescope operated by Nobeyama Radio Observatory (NRO), a branch of National Astronomical Observatory Japan (NAOJ), in collaboration with the University of Chile, and Japanese institutes including the University of Tokyo, Nagoya University, Osaka Prefecture University, Ibaraki University, and Hokkaido University. The telescope is located at Pampa la Bola, Chile, at an altitude of 4860 m, and is remotely operated from the ASTE operation facilities in Chile and Japan through the network observation system N-COSMOS3 (Kamazaki et al. 2005). We employed two receivers, the AzTEC 1.1 mm camera (Wilson et al. 2008) and CATS345 receiver (Inoue et al. 2008), for millimeter continuum observations and molecular line observations at submillimeter wavelengths, respectively.

2.1. Millimeter Continuum Observations with AzTEC

AzTEC is a 144-element bolometer array camera installed on the ASTE between 2007 April and 2008 December (Wilson et al. 2008). In this period, the array was configured to operate at a wavelength of 1.1 mm. The angular resolution and field of view of AzTEC on ASTE were 28" and 7'.8, respectively.

We have made wide-field $(40' \times 40')$ millimeter continuum observations of the Lupus 3 molecular cloud including the target, V1094 Sco, in 2007 July. The individual on-the-fly maps were obtained in the raster-scan mode with a scanning velocity of 100'' s⁻¹. The telescope was scanned along the AZ–EL coordinates with a spacing of 1'.95, a quarter of the field of view. All the data were taken at night or early morning and the average 270 GHz radiometric opacity at zenith was ~ 0.05 during the observation period. Telescope pointing was checked by mapping the quasar J1517–243 every one and half or two hours. The pointing corrections are applied during the data analysis. The flux conversion factor from optimal loading to source flux density of the AzTEC array was calibrated by observing Uranus, Neptune, or 3C279 every night.

The AzTEC data set was reduced by using the AzTEC Data Reduction Pipeline (Scott et al. 2008) for the identification of point sources. Following Scott et al. (2008), we employed the principle component analysis (PCA) cleaning method to remove atmospheric emission. The pixel size of the final map

was set to be 3", 10% of AzTEC beam size. The noise level and effective resolution of the final map are 5.0 mJy beam⁻¹ and 35", respectively.

2.2. Submillimeter Molecular Line Observations with CATS345

 12 CO and 13 CO J = 3-2 line observations were performed in 2008 March with a 2 sideband-separating (2SB) receiver, CATS345, on ASTE. The half-power beam widths at 345.79 and 330.59 GHz were 22" and 23", respectively, which correspond to 3300 and 3450 AU at the distance to the target. The main beam efficiency was about 60% around these frequencies. The system noise temperatures were typically 400 and 350 K for ¹²CO and ¹³CO, respectively. For the back end, we used a 1024 channel digital auto-correlator, which has a bandwidth of 128 MHz and a resolution of 125 kHz, corresponding to 111 and 0.11 km s⁻¹, respectively, at 345 GHz. The telescope-pointing calibration was performed every 1.5-2 hr by observing CRL 4211, and the resulting pointing accuracy was typically 3". For the absolute flux calibration, the integrated intensities of M17 SW and IRC 10216 were measured two or three times per day and compared with those by Wang et al. (1994). Data reduction and analysis were made with the NEWSTAR software package developed in NRO, which is a front end of the Astronomical Image Processing System developed in the National Radio Astronomy Observatory.

We employed the five-point observation method in which spectra are obtained not only at a stellar position but also at four adjacent points 22" apart from the stellar position in the R.A. or decl. direction. This method enables us to deduce the excess emission toward the central star by subtracting the average spectrum of the surrounding four spectra from the central spectrum, even if the star is located in extended components, such as an ambient cloud.

3. RESULTS OF THE CONTINUUM OBSERVATIONS

The 1.1 mm continuum map around V1094 Sco is shown in Figure 1(a). Strong compact continuum emission was detected toward the stellar position. From the two-dimensional Gaussian fitting, the peak position of the emission is obtained to be $16^h08^m36^s1$, $-39^\circ23'1''.6$ in J2000, which agrees well with the Two Micron All Sky Survey (2MASS) position of V1094 Sco within 1''.5. The total flux density at 1.1 mm was measured to be 272.1 ± 7.6 mJy from the deconvolved cleaned map (see below), which is one of the strongest 1.1 mm emission among T Tauri stars in the Lupus molecular cloud. The negative contours around the emission are due to a point-spread function (PSF; i.e., a beam; see Figure 1(c)) with a negative hole generated from the PCA cleaning method.

Figure 1(b) shows a deconvolved map by subtracting the measured PSF from the emission via the *clean* algorithm. The PSF of the AzTEC map for V1094 Sco is shown in Figure 1(c). From the deconvolved map, we found that the emission is composed largely of a spatially unresolved component. The derived clean components are located around the star over two pixels $(3'' \times \sqrt{2} \sim 4''.2)$ in size) with its separation comparable to the pointing uncertainty estimated from the pointing measurements (Figure 1(b)). Therefore, we consider that the strong millimeter emission comes from a compact $(r \leqslant 4'.2/2 = 320 \text{ AU})$ circumstellar dusty disk associated with V1094 Sco. This is supported by the fact that, unlike the case of a stellar-type flare seen in WTTS (Güdel 2002), V1094 Sco did not show any time variation of the flux density at millimeter wavelengths during the observing period.

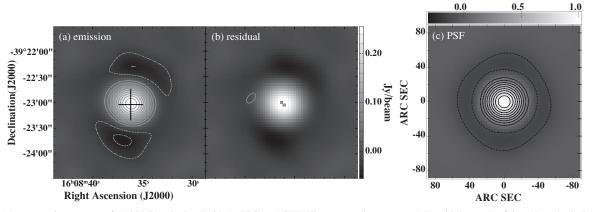


Figure 1. (a) 1.1 mm continuum map of V1094 Sco obtained with AzTEC on ASTE. The contour lines start at $\pm 5\sigma$ with intervals of 5σ , where 1σ is 5 mJy beam⁻¹. The negative levels are indicated by the dashed lines. The position of V1094 Sco is shown by the central cross. (b) The residual contour map by deconvolving the PSF via the clean algorithm is superposed on the continuum map (a) in the gray scale. The contour levels and the gray scale are the same as in Figure 1(a). The shaded area indicates the positions of the clean components. (c) Point-spread function (PSF) of the map (a) obtained with AzTEC on ASTE. The contour levels are $\pm 10 \times n\%$ of the peak value (n = 1, 2, 3, ...). The negative levels are indicated by the dashed lines.

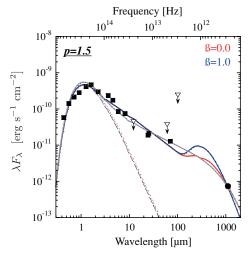


Figure 2. Spectral energy distribution (SED) of V1094 Sco. The result of our observations is shown in the filled circle. The filled squares indicate the SED compiled from previous studies; the NOMAD catalog (Zacharias et al. 2005), the DENIS database (The DENIS Consortium 2005), the 2MASS point source catalog (Cutri et al. 2003), the *IRAS* faint source catalog (Moshir et al. 1992), and the *Spitzer* photometry (3.6, 4.5, 5.8, 8.0, and 24 μ m; Cieza et al. 2007). The flux density at 70 μ m with *Spitzer* MIPS was measured by analyzing the archived data using the program MOPEX/APEX software packages. The *IRAS* flux densities at 12, 60, and 100 μ m are upper limits and shown by the open triangles. The dashed lines show the stellar contributions and the solid line show the best-fitted curves in the case of p=1.5. The red and blue lines show the calculations for $\beta=0$ and 1, respectively. A gray line indicates the fitting results for the model disk with a low threshold temperature of 2.7 K in the temperature profile when p=1.5 and $\beta=0$.

Figure 2 shows the SED of V1094 Sco. The flux density at 1.1 mm is unusually strong as the 1.1 mm to infrared flux density ratio is near unity and larger than those for T Tauri stars in Taurus (Strom et al. 1989; Beckwith et al. 1990). Adapting the extinction relation of Rieke & Lebofsky (1985), we measured the spectral index for the dereddened fluxes in the range from 2 to $10 \, \mu m$, $\alpha_{2,10}$, to be -1.39 ± 0.10 , where $\alpha = [d \log(\lambda F_{\lambda})/d \log(\lambda)]$. This value suggests that V1094 Sco should be categorized as a Class II object. The shape of the measured SED is unique: the SED shows a power-law distribution with monotonic decrease from near-infrared (NIR) to millimeter wavelengths, and the SED is not associated with distinct broadband spectral features, such as a dip feature. The index of the decrease is measured to be -0.98 ± 0.02 in the

range from 2 to $1100\,\mu\text{m}$. However, there is a small turnover around $10\,\mu\text{m}$, i.e., the index at the longer wavelength, from 20 to $1100\,\mu\text{m}$, follows nearly the entire trend to be -0.93 ± 0.03 while that from 2 to $10\,\mu\text{m}$ is -1.39 ± 0.10 . Furthermore, there is no dip feature in the NIR to MIR wavelength range caused by clearing material in the inner parts of the disk, such as GM Aur (Hughes et al. 2009).

4. RESULTS OF THE MOLECULAR LINE OBSERVATIONS

The five-point spectra of the ^{12}CO and ^{13}CO J=3-2 emissions are shown in Figure 3. The significant ^{12}CO and ^{13}CO emissions were detected over the five points around the star. There is a clear intensity gradient along the east–west direction in the ^{13}CO spectra as well as in ^{12}CO . In the ^{12}CO spectra, we could not find any symmetrical wing feature of an outflow with a velocity width of $\sim \! 10 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ which is often seen around a low-mass young stellar object. The ^{12}CO and ^{13}CO spectra are peaked around the LSR velocity of 4.9 km s $^{-1}$, which is slightly shifted from the systemic velocity of the Lupus III main cloud (4.1 km s $^{-1}$; Tachihara et al. 1996). The peak intensity in T_{MB} scale and the velocity width in FWHM are 7.0 K and 0.66 km s $^{-1}$, respectively, on average, over the five points for ^{12}CO , and 0.7 K and 0.85 km s $^{-1}$ for ^{13}CO .

From the intensity ratio of the ¹²CO to ¹³CO spectra, we estimate the optical depth of both lines toward the star. If we assume the same excitation temperature, the mean optical depths of ¹²CO and ¹³CO are obtained to be 16.7 and 0.19, respectively. Since the ¹³CO emission is optically thin in contrast to ¹²CO, the associated gas with the star can be expected to be seen in ¹³CO through the parent cloud as excess emission toward the star.

By assuming the local thermodynamic equilibrium with the excitation temperature, $T_{\rm ex}$, the H₂ mass of the gas in the beam solid angle toward the source, $M_{\rm H_2}$, can be estimated from the intensity of the optically thin $^{13}{\rm CO}\,J=3-2$ line as follows:

$$M_{\rm H_2} = 1.99 \times 10^{-14} \frac{1}{X_{\rm ^{13}CO}} \left(\frac{D}{\rm [pc]}\right)^2 \times \frac{\exp(15.9/T_{\rm ex})}{1 - \exp(-15.9/T_{\rm ex})} \frac{T_{\rm ex}}{J(T_{\rm ex}) - 0.05} \times \frac{\tau_{\rm ^{13}CO}}{1 - \exp(-\tau_{\rm ^{13}CO})} \int \frac{T_{\rm A}^*(^{13}CO)}{\eta_{\rm MB}} dv \quad [M_{\odot}], \qquad (1)$$

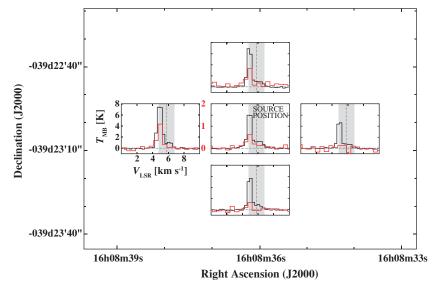


Figure 3. 12 CO (black) and 13 CO (red) J = 3-2 five-point profile maps of V1094 Sco. The observed points are located at the stellar position, to the 22'' north, south, east, and west from the center. The spectra are smoothed in resolutions of 0.3 and 0.5 km s⁻¹ for 12 CO and 13 CO, respectively. The shaded areas show the radial velocity of the central star with their error (Guenther et al. 2007).

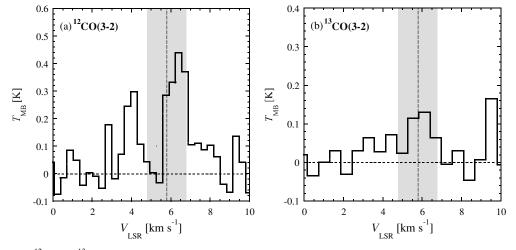


Figure 4. Residual spectra of ¹²CO and ¹³CO toward V1094 Sco. The vertical dotted lines and the shaded areas show the radial velocity of the star and its uncertainty (Guenther et al. 2007).

where $J(T_{\rm ex}) = T_0/[\exp(T_0/T_{\rm ex}) - 1]$, $T_0 = h\nu/k_{\rm B}$, $X_{\rm ^{13}CO}$ is the fractional abundance of ^{13}CO with respect to H_2 , D is the distance to the source, τ is the optical depth, and $\eta_{\rm MB}$ is the main beam efficiency of ASTE (Scoville et al. 1986). We adopt an excitation temperature 10 K which is the typical value in the ambient molecular cloud (Vilas-Boas et al. 2000), and 1.7×10^{-6} for $X_{\rm ^{13}CO}$ by assuming that the abundance ratio of $^{12}CO/^{13}CO$ and the $H_2/^{12}CO$ conversion factor are 60 and 10^4 , respectively. Our mass as well as column density are estimated to be $6.7 \times 10^{-3} M_{\odot}$ and 1.2×10^{21} cm $^{-2}$ by using Equation (1). The column density is much smaller than the averaged one in the Lupus 3 cloud (Tachihara et al. 1996), suggesting that there is no large and massive envelope around V1094 Sco.

To search for the compact excess emission toward the star, we made residual spectra of the ^{12}CO and ^{13}CO emission as shown in Figure 4. Each residual spectrum was obtained by subtracting the average of the surrounding four spectra from the central one. The excess emission above the 2σ noise level over two velocity channels can be discerned in the ^{13}CO residual spectrum around the velocity of 6 km s⁻¹. The peak intensity

and the velocity width in FWHM are measured to be 0.12 K and 1.43 km s⁻¹, respectively. Since the velocity of the excess emission agrees well with the radial velocity of the star, 5.8 ± 1.0 km s⁻¹ (Guenther et al. 2007), this may be the possible detection of the gas disk around V1094 Sco.

The ^{12}CO residual emission whose peak intensities are 0.30 and 0.43 K in T_{MB} , respectively, was detected at $V_{\text{LSR}} = 4.1$ and 6.4 km s $^{-1}$. Although the ^{12}CO emission is shown to be optically thick, the double-peaked profile of the residual spectrum toward the star might suggest the presence of a rotating gas disk around V1094 Sco. We tried to fit the rotating-disk model (Kitamura et al. 1993) to both spectra to examine quantitatively. We could not, however, find any parameter set to reproduce both residual spectra consistently. For example, the ^{12}CO intensity can be reproduced for the larger rotating-disk model. Such a disk model expects a stronger ^{13}CO intensity than obtained and cannot explain both intensities compatibly. In addition, both velocity widths are not well fitted by the model simultaneously. Consequently, the residual spectrum in ^{12}CO is not likely to originate from the circumstellar gas disk.

Table 1Adopted Parameters for SED Fitting

Parameter	Value	
$T_{\rm eff}$ (K)	4255	
$M_* (M_{\odot})$	0.78	
$A_{\rm V}$ (mag)	1.75	
R_{out} (AU)	320	
i (deg)	45	
p	1.0 and 1.5	
β	0.0 and 1.0	

5. DISCUSSION

5.1. Analysis of Spectral Energy Distribution

The measured SED of V1094 Sco has the unique feature: there is no significant turnover and a monotonic decrease from NIR to millimeter. This feature is well described by a flattened disk for the dust component. According to Chiang & Goldreich (1997), the flattened disk has a lower temperature than that of a flared disk with the well-mixed dust because the central star cannot illuminate the flattened disk efficiently. In this case, the SED is predicted to have an asymptotic power-law slope with an index of n = 4/3 from 30 μ m to 1 mm. The MIR to millimeter continuum radiation mainly comes from the optically thick interior of the disk. On the other hand, the SED of a flared disk rises in the MIR to far-infrared regime owing to the strong emission from a hot surface layer and gradually falls down toward the millimeter regime, mainly tracing the cooler interior.

To deduce disk parameters, we performed the least-squares fitting to the SED of V1094 Sco using a simple power-law disk model (same as model 1 case in Kitamura et al. 2002). Our disk model is assumed to have a power-law form of the surface density and temperature variations over the entire area of the disk, $\Sigma(r)$ and T(r), respectively,

$$\Sigma(r) = \Sigma_{100 \,\text{AU}} \left(\frac{r}{[100 \,\text{AU}]} \right)^{-p} \tag{2}$$

and

$$T(r) = T_{1 \text{AU}} \left(\frac{r}{[1 \text{AU}]}\right)^{-q}.$$
 (3)

Here, r is the radial distance in units of AU, $\Sigma_{100\,\mathrm{AU}}$ is the surface density at 100 AU, and $T_{1 \text{AU}}$ is the temperature at 1 AU. We applied the model to the data without the extinction correction because it was corrected in the model by calculating the mass opacity at each frequency from A_v with the extinction curve (Figure 1 of Adams et al. 1988). The lower limit of the temperature is fixed at 10 K, which is the typical temperature of the Lupus 3 cloud (Vilas-Boas et al. 2000). We adopt the effective temperature of the star of 4255 K, the stellar mass of $0.78 M_{\odot}$, and the visual extinction toward the star of 1.75 mag (Wichmann et al. 1997). The outer radius of the disk, R_{out} , and the disk inclination angle, i, are fixed to be 320 AU and 45° , respectively. The outer radius is derived from the pixel size of 3" as an upper limit because the emission was not spatially resolved. Stellar radius, R_* , inner radius of the disk, $R_{\rm in}$, $T_{\rm 1\,AU}$, q, and $\Sigma_{100\,\mathrm{AU}}$ are the free parameters of the disk model. The model SEDs are computed and fitted to the observational data for the following four cases: p = 1 and 1.5 (minimum-mass solar nebula by Hayashi et al. 1985) and $\beta = 0$ and 1, where β is the power-law index of the dust mass opacity coefficient,

Table 2Results of SED Fitting

Parameter	Value					
β	0.0		1.0			
p	1.0	1.5	1.0	1.5		
R_* (AU)	0.008					
$L_*(L_{\odot})$	0.85					
$R_{\rm in}$ (AU)	0.02					
$\Sigma_{100 AU} (g cm^{-2})$	1.25	1.47	4.31	4.97		
$T_{1 \text{ AU}} (K)$	99.0	99.0	99.3	99.4		
q	0.68					
$M_{\rm disk}~(M_{\odot})$	0.03	0.04	0.10	0.12		

 $\kappa_{\nu}=0.1\times(\frac{\nu}{10^{12}\,\mathrm{Hz}})^{\beta}\,\mathrm{cm^2~g^{-1}}$ (Beckwith et al. 1990). In the fitting, we treated all the data points with equal weights of the largest uncertainty because the SED fitting tends to be biased toward the data points with small uncertainties at shorter wavelengths.

These model SEDs seem to agree with the observed SED as shown in Figure 2 and its reduced chi-squares are measured to be \sim 9. The derived parameters from the fitting are listed in Tables 1 and 2. In Figure 2, we plotted the fitting results only for p = 1.5 case because the two best-fit curves with p = 1and 1.5 are almost identical for each β value. Two remarkable disk features are derived in the fitting. First, the disk is very cold with a temperature of 99 K at 1 AU. The fitted stellar luminosity of 0.85 L_{\odot} suggests that $T_{1 \text{ AU}}$ in the condition of radiative equilibrium is expected to be 269 K when the disk is in hydrostatic equilibrium, and gas and dust are well mixed. Previous studies of the SED fitting have found that most T Tauri stars in Taurus have a higher temperature of 100–400 K at 1 AU (Kitamura et al. 2002; Andrews & Williams 2005). Our derived low temperature suggests a flattened dust disk as predicted by theoretical studies (e.g., Chiang & Goldreich 1997). The second remarkable finding is that the disk is massive. Our estimated disk mass ranges from $0.03 M_{\odot}$ to $0.12 M_{\odot}$ and the ratio of the disk to stellar mass is 3%-13%. These values are much higher than the typical values for T Tauri stars in the Taurus-Auriga region: median disk masses are 4×10^{-3} and $2 \times 10^{-3} M_{\odot}$ for CTTS and WTTS, respectively, and the median disk-to-star mass ratio is only 0.5% (Andrews & Williams 2005). It is very rare to find a massive disk in a quiescent accretion phase like a WTTS one. For example, Andrews & Williams (2005) have found that only 15% of WTTSs are detectable at the submillimeter wavelengths.

The above arguments are not affected much by either the disk inclination angle or the disk outer radius. If we change the disk inclination angle from 20° to 70° with $R_{\rm out} = 320~{\rm AU}$ and p = 1.5, the temperature at 1 AU varies from 90 to 128 K, which is still low, and the index q remains around 0.68. The variation of the disk mass is less than 20%, remaining the massive disk. Furthermore, if we adopt an R_{out} smaller than 320 AU, a higher surface density is required to reproduce the observed SED. As a result, the disk still remains massive. For example, in the $R_{\text{out}} =$ 110 AU case, $\Sigma_{100 \text{ AU}}$ becomes more than five times larger than that for the $R_{\text{out}} = 320 \text{ AU}$ case and the disk mass increases up to $0.42 M_{\odot}$, which remains massive. For a smaller opaque disk, we cannot accurately estimate the disk mass, though our interpretation of the massive disk is still valid. Therefore, we definitely conclude that the disk around V1094 Sco is colder than the usual flared disk and that the disk mass is much larger than the typical value of T Tauri stars in Taurus.

In our SED fitting, we adopted a low threshold of 10 K in the temperature profile because the source is likely embedded in its parent cloud as shown by our ¹²CO observations. This threshold causes an increment of flux densities at around 300 μ m in the model SED because the temperature of 10 K corresponds to $290 \,\mu\text{m}$ by Wien's law (see Figure 2). To investigate the effect of the temperature threshold, we also analyzed the SED by using a disk model with a threshold of 2.7 K, the temperature for the cosmic background radiation. In this case, the observed SED can be well fitted only when the disk inclination angle is less than 30°. The fitted SED for the p = 1.5 and $\beta = 0.0$ case is shown by a gray line in Figure 2; the best-fit curve can also explain the observed SED, and the disk mass becomes four times larger than that in the 10 K threshold case. Note that such a massive disk relative to the stellar mass is likely to be gravitationally unstable. On the other hand, $T_{1 \text{ AU}}$ and q decrease only by 2% and 11%, respectively. Consequently, the threshold in the temperature profile of the disk model does not change our interpretation of a cold massive disk around V1094 Sco.

5.2. Rare Object to Provide the Initial Conditions of Planet Formation

The cold and massive disk we found around V1094 Sco strongly suggests the presence of a flattened disk where a large number of small dust grains are settling. Since V1094 Sco seems to be in the quiescent phase of disk accretion, the majority of dust particles are expected to just settle into the midplane with dust growth through coalescence. Theoretically, the thin dust layer in the midplane fragments into numerous planetesimals due to its gravitational instability, and as a result, a hole appears at the inner part of the disk to produce a dip feature at $\sim 10 \,\mu \text{m}$ in SED. However, we could not find such a feature at the IR wavelengths in the SED of V1094 Sco, indicating that there is no inner hole created by the formation of planetesimals. Indeed, the strong continuum emission toward V1094 Sco that we detected suggests that a large number of small particles rather than larger planetesimals with sizes of ~ 10 km is the dominant component in the circumstellar disk. Consequently, the disk around V1094 Sco is most likely in the quiescent stage after the dust sedimentation in the midplane, but just prior to the planetesimal formation.

V1094 Sco is a rare object in terms of the shape of its SED. To find a similar object with a massive cold disk to V1094 Sco, we checked the available photometric data at the MIR and millimeter wavelengths (Strom et al. 1989; Beckwith et al. 1990) and measured the flux ratio of MIR flux to millimeter flux. We found that only CY Tau, a Class II CTTS in Taurus, has a high-intensity ratio of 1 mm to $70 \,\mu m$ as well as to $25 \,\mu \text{m}$ (>0.5), suggesting a strong millimeter flux despite its weak MIR flux and SED with a monotonic slope from MIR to millimeter. The temperature at 1 AU and the disk mass of CY Tau are estimated to be 87 K and $0.13 M_{\odot}$, respectively (Kitamura et al. 2002). We can roughly estimate the timescale for the duration of a cold and massive disk like those around V1094 Sco and CY Tau as follows. Given about 30 samples in Taurus whose flux densities at 1 mm and MIR were previously determined, the timescale of the cold massive disk is estimated to be at least one order of magnitude shorter than the typical age of a T Tauri star ($\sim 1 \times 10^6 - 10^7 \text{yr}$), if we assume that new stars randomly form with a constant rate. Such a short timescale is consistent with the gravitational instability of the thin dust layer after the dust sedimentation at the midplane. It is suggested that the dust layer produced by settling to the equatorial plane becomes gravitationally unstable and rapidly fragments into numerous planetesimals ($\ll 10^5$ yr; Dominik et al. 2007).

It is very interesting that the physical properties of such a quiescent disk provide the initial conditions of the successive formation of planets (e.g., Kokubo & Ida 2002). In particular, it is crucial to reveal the radial variation of the disk surface density with high-resolution and high-sensitive observations in future. For the dust coagulation, it is theoretically expected that the index of the dust opacity coefficient, β , is lower than unity as a result of dust growth (Miyake & Nakagawa 1993). We treated β as fixed parameter in the SED fitting because the photometric data at the millimeter and sub-millimeter wavelengths are limited. More (sub-)millimeter data are required to determine the β value accurately. Additionally, high-resolution molecular line observations will reveal the disk kinematics and the initial conditions of the planet forming disk more quantitatively.

6. SUMMARY

We have detected the strong 1.1 mm continuum emission toward the T Tauri star, V1094 Sco, in the Lupus molecular cloud with AzTEC on ASTE. In addition, we have obtained the 12 CO and 13 CO J=3-2 spectra at the five positions around the source. The main results of our observations are summarized in the following.

- 1. Significant continuum emission was detected just toward the stellar position. The emission is not spatially resolved with the effective ASTE beam size of 35", indicating that a dust disk is associated with the star. The total flux density is 272 mJy at 1.1 mm which is the strongest among T Tauri stars in the Lupus molecular cloud.
- 2. The ¹²CO and ¹³CO emissions were detected over the five-points around the star. The five-points spectra show no signature of a large-scale molecular outflow or a massive envelope. We made residual spectra by subtracting the average spectrum of the surrounding four spectra from the central spectra. The ¹²CO excess emission was found and the ¹³CO one was marginally discerned toward the star. The ¹³CO excess may come from the gas disk while the ¹²CO excess emission detected cannot be explained by the gas
- 3. The observed SED shows two prominent features. First, there is no significant turnover with a constant slope from NIR to millimeter which is well reproduced by a flattened disk. Second, there is no signature of a dip at around $10 \, \mu m$ suggesting no inner hole in the disk.
- 4. We fit a power-law disk model to the SED when p is fixed to be 1.0 and 1.5, and β is 0.0 and 1.0. The best-fit parameters of the disk are $\Sigma_{100\,\mathrm{AU}}=(1.25-4.97)~\mathrm{g}~\mathrm{cm}^{-2},~T_{1\,\mathrm{AU}}=99~\mathrm{K},~q=0.68,$ and $M_{\mathrm{disk}}=(0.03-0.12)~M_{\odot}$. The disk temperature at 1 AU is lower than that of a flared disk in hydrostatic equilibrium. The disk mass is much higher than the typical values for T Tauri stars.
- 5. The cold and massive disk around V1094 Sco can be well interpreted as a partially settled disk of a large number of small dust grains. Together with no signature of an inner hole in the SED, it is most likely that the disk is in the quiescent phase after the dust sedimentation in the midplane, but just prior to the planetesimal formation. The V1094 Sco may be a rare sample to investigate the initial conditions for the formation of a planetary system.

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