## B02r Star Formation through the "Eyes" of ALMA

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Inaugurated in 2013, the Atacama Large Millimeter and submillimeter Array (ALMA) is the largest groundbased telescope project to date. Despite the continuing efforts in commissioning its full capability, the array has been offering high sensitivity and angular resolution surpassing those achievable by any other existing (sub)millimeter facilities. Its broad wavelength coverage over the millimeter-to-submillimeter atmospheric window is particularly suitable for probing deeply into the relatively cold dust and molecular gas where stars and plants form. In this presentation, I review recent research highlights in the field of star formation through observations with ALMA in its science verification and (cycle 0) early science phase.