X28a SOFIA View of an Extremely Luminous Infrared Galaxy: WISE 1013+6112

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We present far-infrared (FIR) properties of an extremely luminous IR galaxy (ELIRG) at $z_{\rm spec} = 3.703$, WISE J101326.25+611220.1 (WISE1013+6112). This ELIRG is selected as an IR-bright dust-obscured galaxy (DOG) based on the photometry from the Sloan Digital Sky Survey (SDSS) and Wide-field Infrared Survey Explorer (WISE). In order to derive its accurate IR luminosity, we perform follow-up observations at 89 and 154 μ m using the High-resolution Airborne Wideband Camera-plus (HAWC+) on board the 2.7-m Stratospheric Observatory For Infrared Astronomy (SOFIA) telescope. We conduct spectral energy distribution (SED) fitting with the Code Investigating GAlaxy Emission (CIGALE) using 15 photometric data (0.4–1300 μ m). We successfully pin down FIR SED of WISE1013+6112 and its IR luminosity is estimated to be $L_{\rm IR} = (1.62 \pm 0.08) \times 10^{14} L_{\odot}$, making it one of the most luminous IR galaxies in the universe. We find that dust temperature of WISE1013+6112 is $T_{\rm dust} = 89 \pm 3$ K that is significantly higher than that of other populations such as SMGs and FIR-selected galaxies at similar IR luminosity. This indicates that WISE1013+6112 has a significant AGN and star-forming activity behind a large amount of dust (Toba et al. 2020, ApJ, 889, 76).