

150 Magnitudes of visual extinction towards the central region of the barred galaxy NGC 3367



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Abstract: CO(1-0) emission has been imaged at 2" resolution in the central 10 kpc of the barred spiral galaxy NGC 3367. The peak molecular emission is in a source of radius 2" (425pc) centered on the galaxy nucleus. The molecular mass is about 3×10^8 M_{sun} in this peak and about 6×10^8 M_{sun} within a radius of 4".5 (950 pc). The very large gas mass in the central source imply extinctions of the order of 150 optical magnitudes obscuring optical emission lines (e.g. broad-line region) associated with the nuclear source. NGC 3367has bipolar synchrotron lobes out to a radius of 6 kpc straddling the nucleus.



beam of 4".2 x 2".7, superposed on the optical *I* (red) image

Beam of 2".6 x 1".9. Peak is at α =10^h46^m34^s.95, δ =+13^o45'02''.7

beam of 4".2 x 2".7, superposed on the optical $H\alpha$ image superposed on the optical *I*

covering 300 km/s with FWHM beam of 4".2 x 2".7,

(red) image

OVRO millimeter Array: 6 antennas, each 10.4m in diameter









NGC 3367: Optical DSS red image



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NGC 3367: Optical broadband red I (8040 A) image observed at the 2.1 m optical telescope in San Pedro Mártir, Baja California México.



Large Scale synchrotron emission at 20 cm image in grey scale, superposed on the central red (I) image in contours

35.0 34.9 34.8 RIGHT ASCENSION (J2000) Innermost 7'' radio continuuum Image at 20cm, in conoturs, Superposed with high resolution 3.6 cm radio continuum emission In grey scale

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NGC 3367: H α image. Notice the bright central emission (probably from the narrow line region) and the semicircle to the south west formed by several HII regions.



Innermost 3" radio continuum At 3.6 cm at FWHM beam of 0".28 x 0".25. Notice the Unresolved central source.

