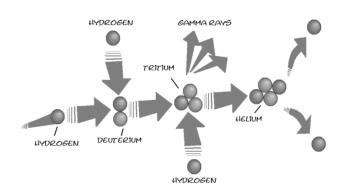
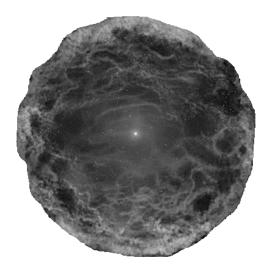
Section 9: The Lives of Stars

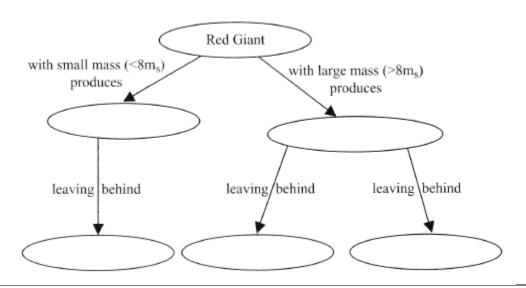




Section 9 Question: What impacts the brightness of objects in the sky?

What Do You See? (cartoon)

What Do You Think?



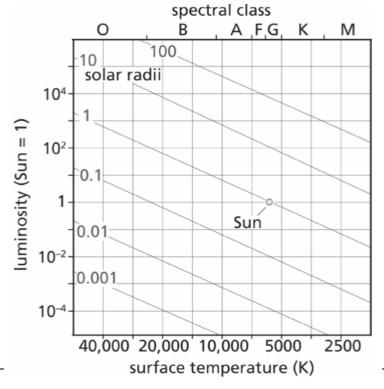
What Do You Think Now?

| Focus Question A: What is the relationship between brightness and distance from the source? |
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| Data: (How does the brightness of each bulb compare) |
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| How does the brightness of the bulbs change as you move farther away? |
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| Explanation: |
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Focus Question B: What is the relationship between luminosity and temperature of stars?

| Table 1: Selected Properties of Some Stars | | | | | | | |
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| Star | Surface Temperature (K) | Luminosity (Relative to Sun) | Distance (Light- Years) | Mass (Solar Masses) | Diameter (Solar Diameters) | Color | Type of Star |
| Sirius A | 9100 | 22.6 | 8.6 | 2.3 | 2.03 | Blue | |
| Arcturus | 4300 | 115 | 36.7 | 4.5 | 31.5 | Red | |
| Vega | 10,300 | 50.8 | 25.3 | 3.07 | 3.1 | Blue | |
| Capella | 5300 | 75.8 | 42.2 | 3 | 10.8 | Red | |
| Rigel | 11,000 | 38,679 | 733 | 20 | 62 | Blue | |
| Procyon A | 6500 | 7.5 | 11.4 | 1.78 | 1.4 | Yellow | |
| Betelgeuse | 2300 | 105,000 | 640 | 20 | 1183 | Red | |
| Altair | 7800 | 11.3 | 65.1 | 2 | 1.6 | Yellow | |
| Aldebaran | 4300 | 156–171 (variable) | 65 | 25 | 51.5 | Red | |
| Spica | 25,300 | 2121 | 262 | 10.9 | 7.3 | Blue | |
| Pollux | 4500 | 31 | 33 | 4 | 8 | Red | |
| Deneb | 10,500 | 66,500 | 1600 | 25 | 116 | Yellow | |
| Procyon B | 8700 | 0.0006 | 11.2 | 0.65 | 0.02 | White | |
| Sirius B | 24,000 | 0.00255 | 13.2 | 0.98 | 0.008 | Blue- white | |

Note: Mass, diameter, and luminosity are given in solar units. For example, Sirius A has 2.3 solar masses, a diameter 2.03 times that of the Sun, and has luminosity 22.6 times brighter than the Sun. 1 solar mass $-2 \times 10^{30} \text{ kg} - 330,000$ Earth masses; 1 solar diameter = 700,000 km = 110 Earth diameters.



| What does the vertical axis represent? What does the horizontal axis represent? Locate the Sun- what is its temperature and luminosity? Put 4 dots on the diagram labeled A through D A. Hot and Bright B. Hot and Dim | | | | | | |
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| C. Cool and D. Cool and | | | | | | |
| Complete th Star | e table below Surface Temp | Luminosity | Quadrant | Color | Type of Star | |
| Sun | | , | | | ,. | |
| Eridani B | | | | | | |
| Spica | | | | | | |
| Polaris | | | | | | |
| Alpha Centauri | | | | | | |
| Claim: | | | | | | |
| Evidence: | | | | | | |

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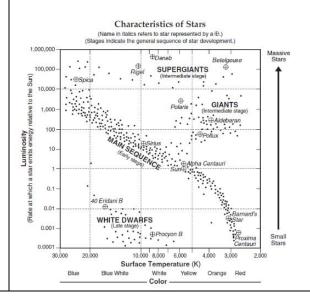
Observations:

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Star Classification

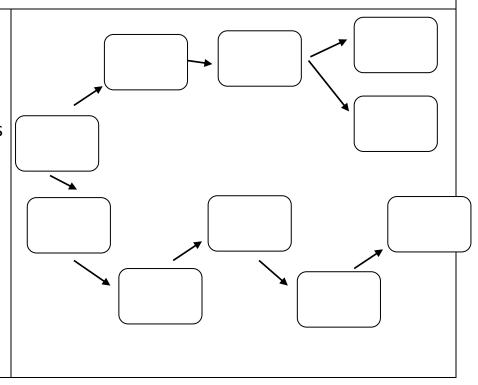
- Astronomers use a magnitude scale to describe the brightness of objects in the sky.
- The smaller the number the brighter the star.
- Color and temperature can tell astronomers the temperature, composition and the stage of a stars life.

How does the brightness of a star change with distance from Earth?



The Lives of Stars

- A star's life cycle is directly related to its mass.
- How long a star lives depends on its mass
- The larger a star is, the shorter its life span.



Creation of Elements

 Fusion reactions in the core of stars begins when temperatures reach 15 million K. List or illustrate the steps of the proton-proton chain.

 It takes 4 Hydrogen atoms to make 1 helium atom.

 The size of a star is maintained by a balance between the inward force of gravity and the outward force from nuclear fusion.

Elements created in the fusion process include;

 When a star runs out of fuel it collapses in on itself increasing the core temperature. How are elements heavier than iron formed?

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Two identical stars have different apparent levels of brightness. One star is 10 light-years away, and the other is 30 light-years away from us. Which star is brighter and by how much?(5 points)

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