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Galactic stellar populations

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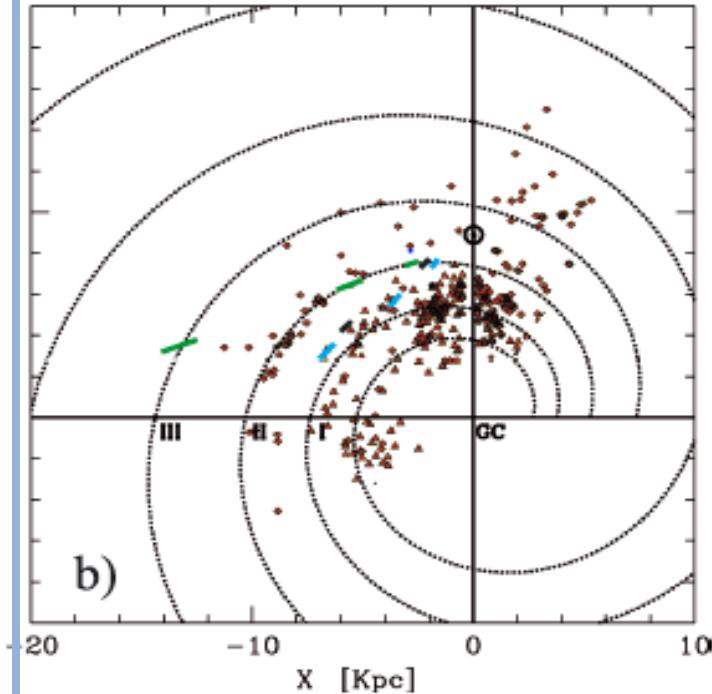


Overview

- Gaia Open and Globular cluster
- Clusters in the early releases
- Clusters as tracers of the Galactic populations
- Getting ready for Gaia

Clusters as population tracers

- Open Clusters **age, metallicity, position**
 - trace the spiral arms(Naoz & Shaviv 2007)
 - trace the disk chemical gradient disk
→ disk formation process (Magrini+2009,
Chiappini+2001)
- Their **internal kinematics/ dynamical evolution** →
birth, evaporation, disruption,
trace the Galactic environment: Tidal field, GMC
- Less affected by radial migration ?
(Wu+2007, vandePutte+ 2011)



- Globular clusters are old objects
- They trace the thick disk, halo, bulge : tidal field, formation process
- Their multiple populations → cluster formation process (Carretta+ 2010)



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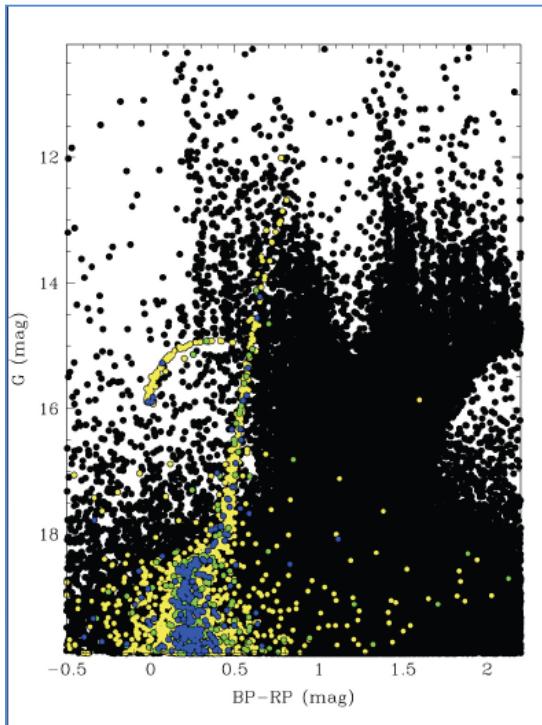
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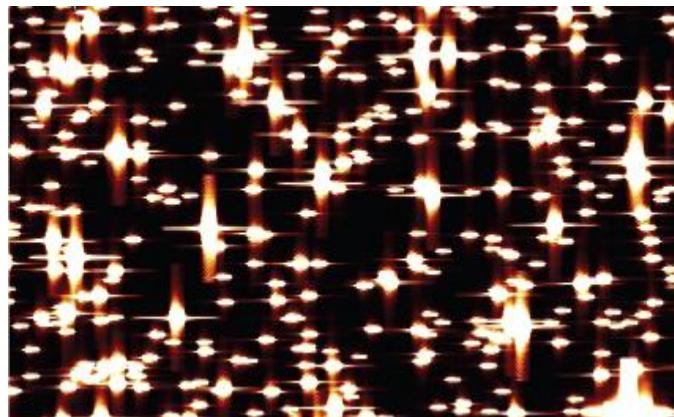
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Globular clusters as seen by Gaia

d=10 Kpc, c=2.5, bulge

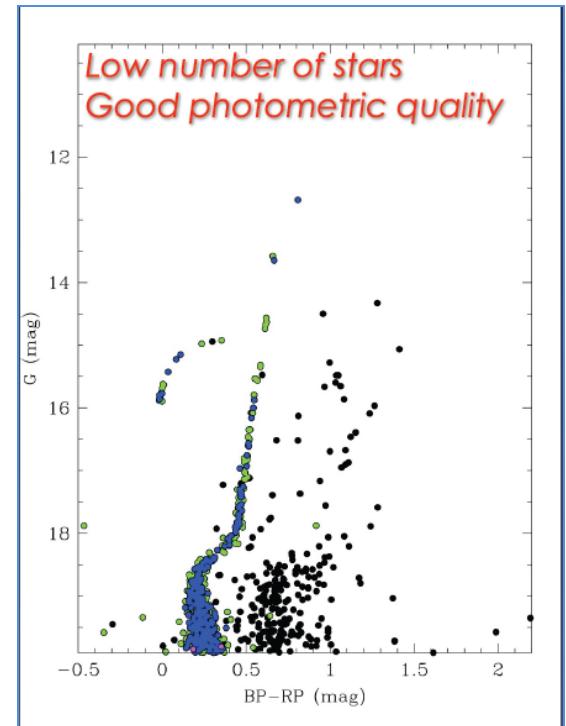


Gaia GIBIS FoV



Pancino+2013

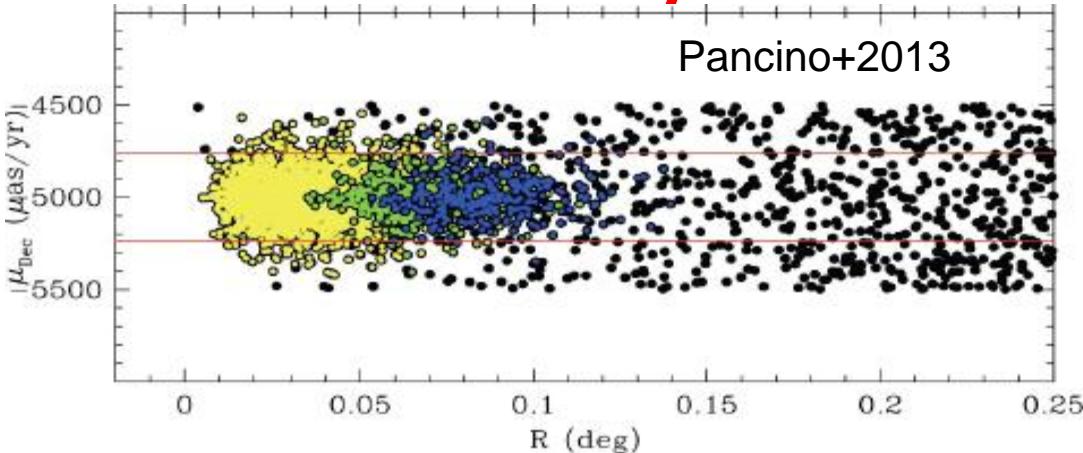
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Non rotating 3D cluster (Kupper + 2011) +field stars
Generating Gaia images
crowding (partial superposition)

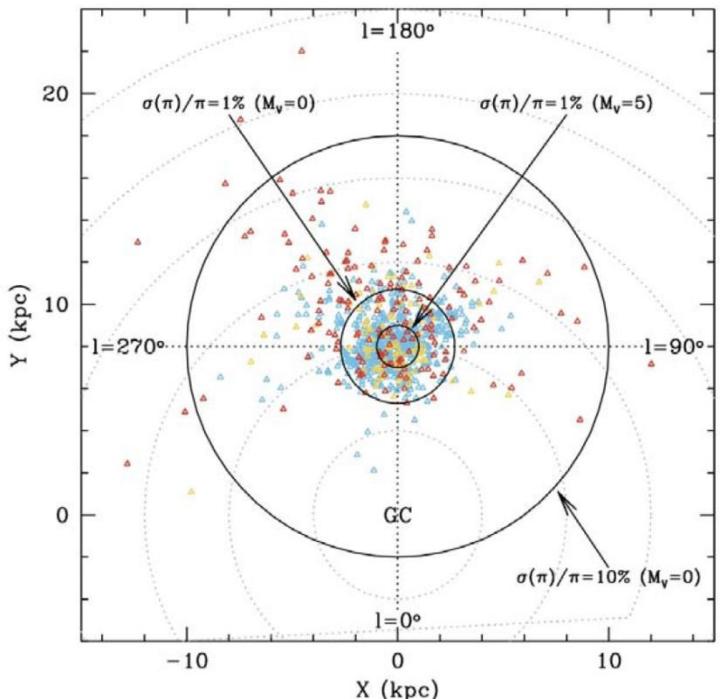


Globular clusters as seen by Gaia



- 80 of 150 GCs
- $d < 10$ Kpc
- Proper motions – orbits – maybe tidal tails → halo potential
- Membership determination of 100/10000 stars(outside the half light radius, 3-5 μarcsec/yr at 10 Kpc)
- More than 5000 stars for half of the clusters
- Mean distances to < 1 % for about 80 clusters
- Mean distances to < 5 % for all clusters
- Spectra of stars above G=17 for Rv
- Missing detailed chemical abundances for G>11-12

Gaia view of OCs



Present situation: 2095 known OCs
 1193 with distance
 100 with a [Fe/H] estimate(Dias+2010)

Gaia: Derive distances + pm of individual stars in Ocs

- at 1% for $M_v=5$ $d < 1.5\text{kpc}$
- at 1% for $M=0$ $d < 4\text{kpc}$
- at 10% for almost all known cluster

→ accurate membership-- orbits

Small velocity dispersion in OCs (1 - 2 km/sec) → studies of the internal dynamics require ~ 0.2 km/sec

- Gaia: accuracy better than 1% for transverse velocity
 G0 stars brighter than $V \sim 13$ ($d < 500\text{pc}$), K1 III (red clump in old OCs) $V < 14$: $d < 5\text{kpc}$.

Missing: Detailed chemical abundances for $G > 11-12$



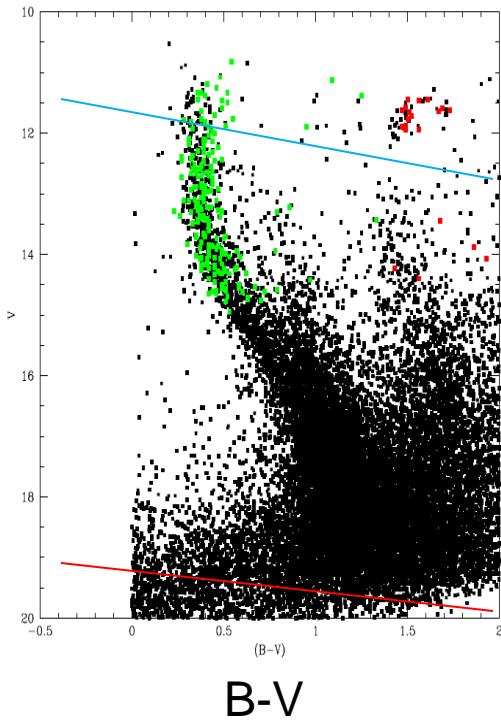
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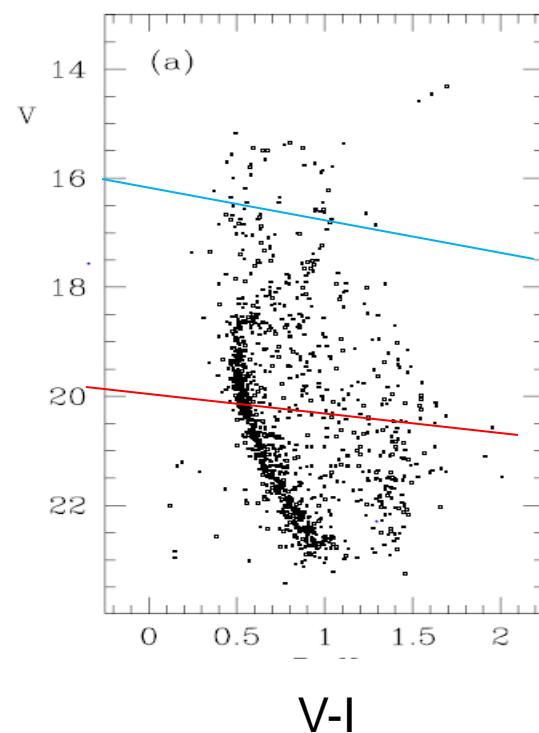
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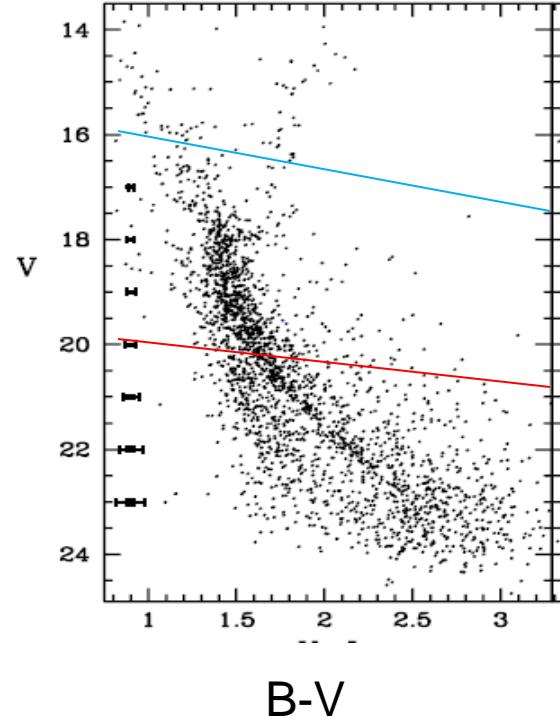
Gaia view of OCs



NGC 6705
(Vallenari+2013)
D=1800 pc,
Age=250 Myr



Be 17
(Vallenari+1999,
Bragaglia+ 2006)
D=2600 pc,
Age=10 Gyr



Be 29 (Tosi,
Bragaglia 2006)
D=13.05 Kpc,
Age=3.7 Gyr



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Early releases

■ Launch +22 months:

- Hundred Thousand Proper Motion catalog
- Proper motion accuracy of at least 48-65- μ as/yr
- Radial velocities for 35495 Hipparcos stars (Gontcharov 2006)
- EPC data: for early testing

■ Launch +28 months:

- early classification based on BP/RP integrated photometry
- five parameters astrometry
- mean Radial velocity

Clusters in early releases

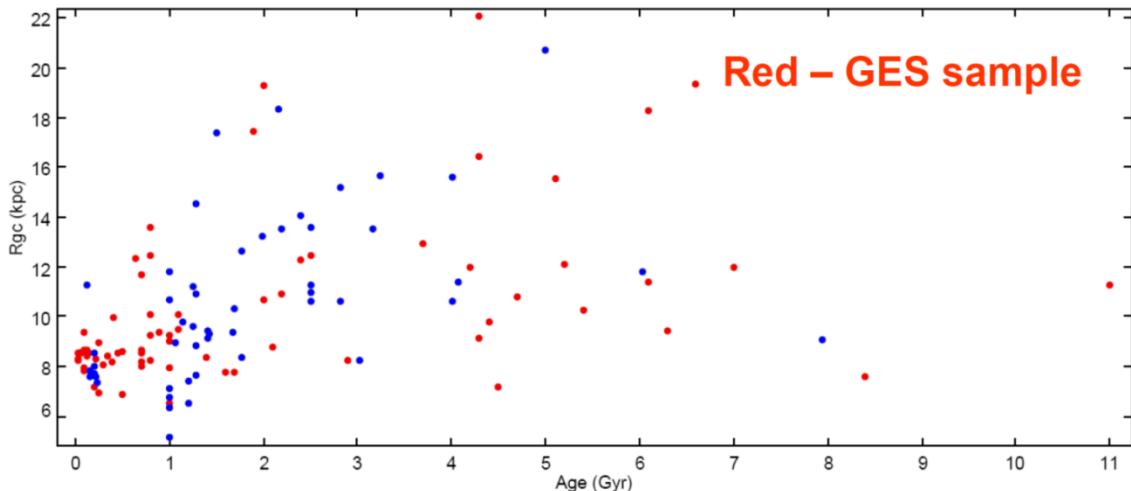
- Hundred Thousand Proper Motion catalog:
 - All OCs closer than 300 pc + the richest OCs up to 500 pc (19 objects)
 - 150 stars in Hyades to 40-10 stars in distant OCs ($V=12$)
 - 500 nearby field subdwarf stars used as Population II calibrators for globulars (Carretta + 2010) → old GCs distance and age revision
- Larger sample of Ocs and GCs down to $V=20$ in the second+ releases



Preparing for Gaia

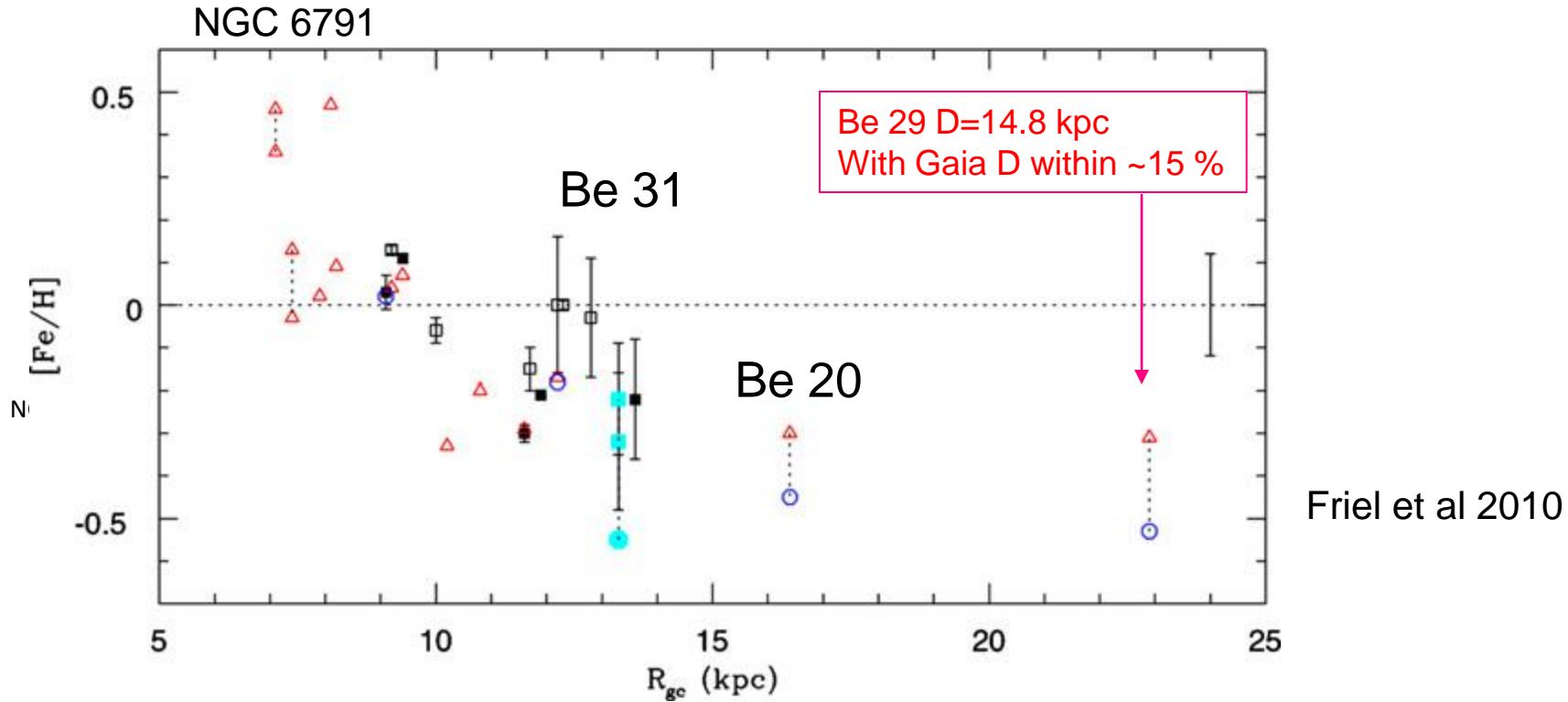
- BOCCE project on Ocs: photometry, spectroscopy for 50 Ocs: metallicity, extinction (Tosi & Bragaglia 2006, ..Ahumada+ 2013)
- Photometry, age determination for a large sample of Ocs (Bragaglia, Tosi, Vallenari+ 2013)
- OCs from the North: 25 Ocs > 0.5 Gyr, : red giants FIES@NOT 2.5 m (Carrera, Pancino+ 2013) → Galactic anticenter OCs
- GCs spectroscopy (1200 RG in 19 GCs, Carretta, Bragaglia+2010)
- GES (OCs and a few GCs)
- Future surveys: WEAVE

GES OCs



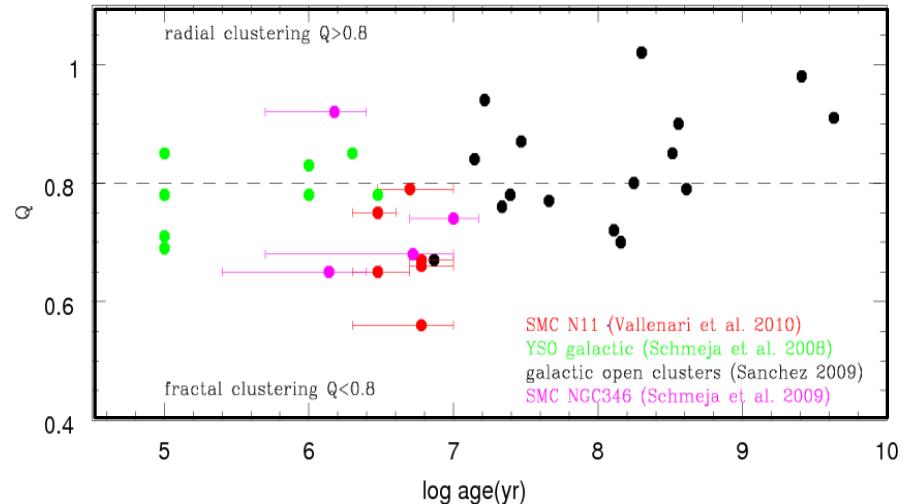
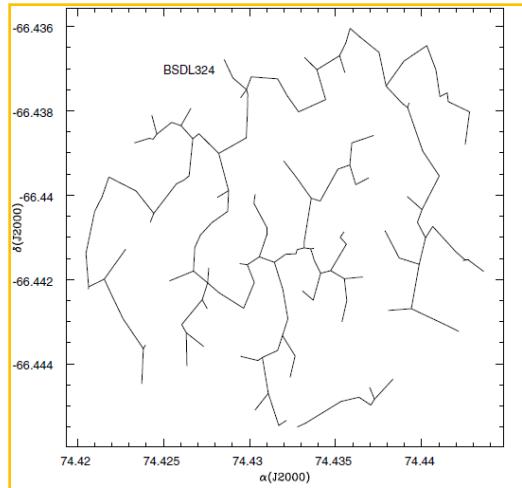
- Young: 1-100 Myr → evolution of OCs from birth to dissolution:
IMF, stellar evolution : **stars down to M dwarfs**
requirement: $v_{\text{rad}} < 0.3 \text{ m/s}$ for a M star, Gaia 1% precision
→ $d_c = 1.5 \text{ kpc}$: 30 OCs
- Intermediate age : 100-500 Myr **req. 1)** → $d_c = 700 \text{ pc}$: 15 Ocs
- Old age : $> 500 \text{ Myr}$; large dist → stellar evolution; galactic evolution : **red clump stars** : 50 Ocs

Gaia+GES: disk formation history



- Accurate distances fundamental + orbits->migration → birthplace
 - inner disk ($D_{\odot}=2-3$ kpc) and at slope change ($R_{gc}=10-12$ kpc, $D_{\odot}=2-5$ kpc) → for both error on distance < 5%
- NGC: 6791: Distance 4 Kpc age =7Gyr He enhanced (Brogard et al 2010)
Distance 3.6 kpc age =12 (Stetson 2003)

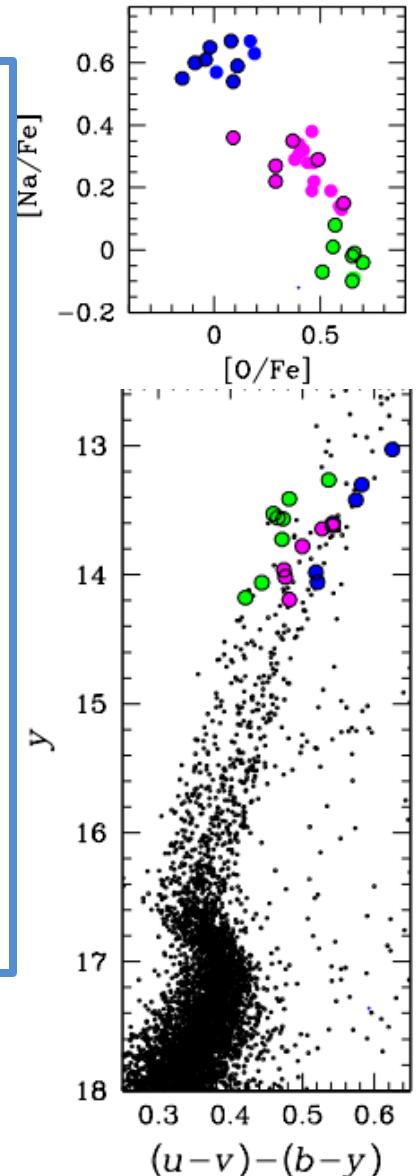
Gaia+GES: Two modes of SF?



- All stars form in clusters → dispersed in the field (e.g. Lada & Lada, 2003)
 - In Orion nebula, 20% of stars are distributed → formed in isolation? (Allen et al 2007)
- Hierarchical formation (Klessen + 2008, Carthwright + 2004)
- High environmental density → bound OCs
- Low density environment → unbound structures/ dispersed SF (Gieles & Portegies Zwart 2011, Bressert et al 2010).
- Role of the environment in OC formation

Halo formation from GCs

- The halo-GC connection is unclear
- GCs are 1% of the mass of the halo
- Multiple population in GCs are expected if the GCs were much more massive than today (Piotto+2007, Carretta+2010)
→ star evaporation due to tidal field, disk shocking
- GAIA+ GES, Pan-Starrs, HERMES, APOGEE
→ tagging GC stars in the halo
- Halo assembly : accretion (Cooper 2010) vs in situ (gas rich mergers) (Zolotov 2009, Font 2011)

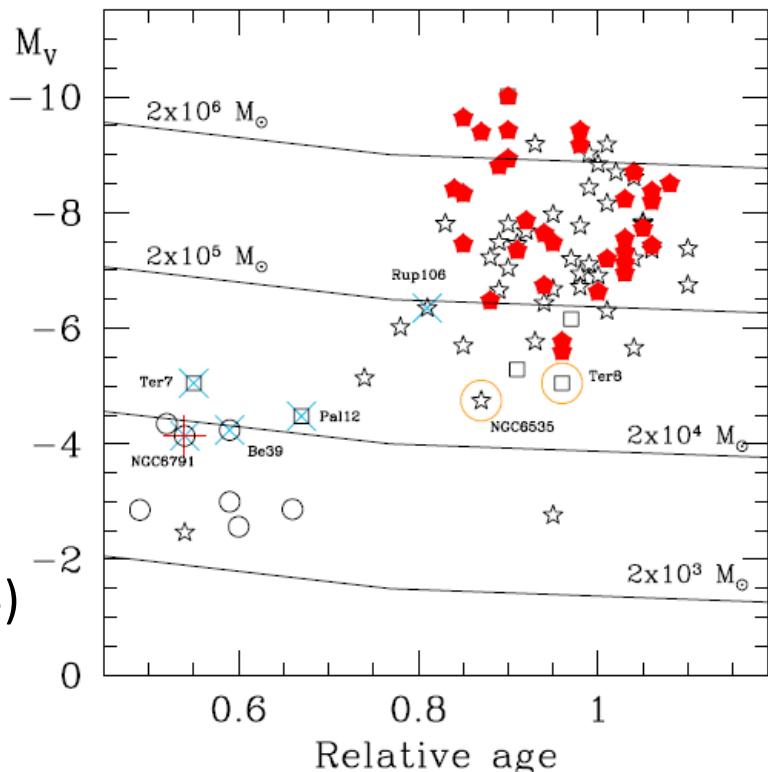


Gaia+GES: multiple populations

- OCs as link between GCs and field stars
- Which is the mass limit for multiple populations?

Pancino+2010, Bragaglia+2011

(Bragaglia+2013)





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Using OCs for Catalog Validation

- OCs are single stellar population: same age and metallicity
- Ideal tests of Gaia astrometry, stellar parameters
- Cross match with external Catalogs+comparison with stellar models
- Pleiades MS problem and 10% distance discrepancy: systematics over 1 deg in Hipparcos data? (Narayanan & Gould 1999)
- A clear challenge due to multi-dimensional Gaia Catalog, different accuracy of ground-based Catalogs

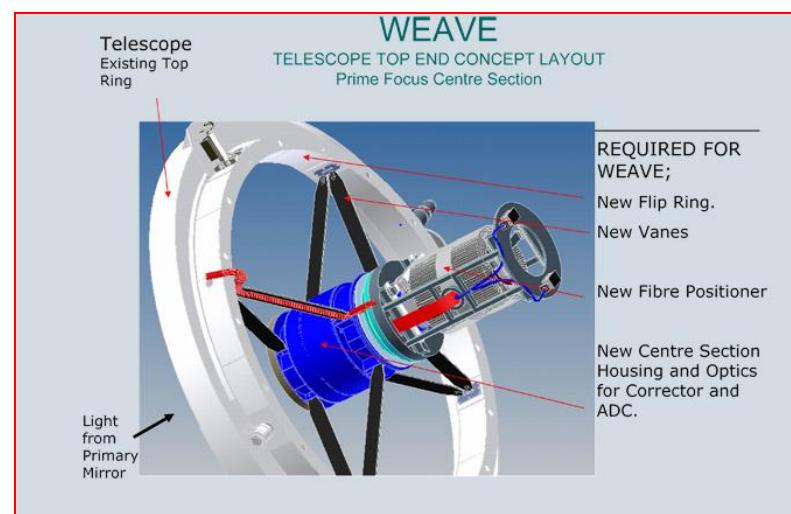
Table 1. Pleiades parallaxes (updated from Soderblom *et al.* 2005)

Method	π_{abs} (mas)	D (pc)	m–M	Ref.
Hipparcos all-sky	8.45 ± 0.25	118.3 ± 3.5	5.37 ± 0.06	2
Hipparcos new reduction	8.18 ± 0.13	122.2 ± 1.9	5.44 ± 0.03	7
Main-sequence fitting	7.58 ± 0.14	131.9 ± 2.4	5.60 ± 0.04	1
Allegheny Observatory parallaxes	7.64 ± 0.43	130.9 ± 7.4	5.59 ± 0.11	3
Interferometric orbit	7.41 ± 0.11	135.0 ± 2.0	5.65 ± 0.03	4
Dynamical parallax	7.58 ± 0.11	131.9 ± 3.0	5.60 ± 0.05	5
HST FGS parallax of 3 Pleiads	7.43 ± 0.17	134.6 ± 3.1	5.65 ± 0.05	6

WEAVE Survey

- WHT (Spain, UK, France, Netherlands)
- PI. G. Dalton
- Part of the Science Team
- 2017 + 5 years, D=2deg field, 1000 fibers
- 1) R=20000, Vlim = 17 mag → *chemical labelling*
- 2) R=5000 Vlim = 20 mag → *radial velocity*
- HR spectral range: [450-680]nm

- Goal: complement Gaia
 - field (10^6 stars) → external disk
 - halo formation: streams ($v_{\text{rad}} < 5 \text{ km/s}$)
 - thin/thick disk : kinematics and metallicity
 - 60 Ocs
- Expected accuracy for OCs: $v_{\text{rad}} < 1 \text{ km/s}$
- Chemical labelling : 0.1-0.2 dex

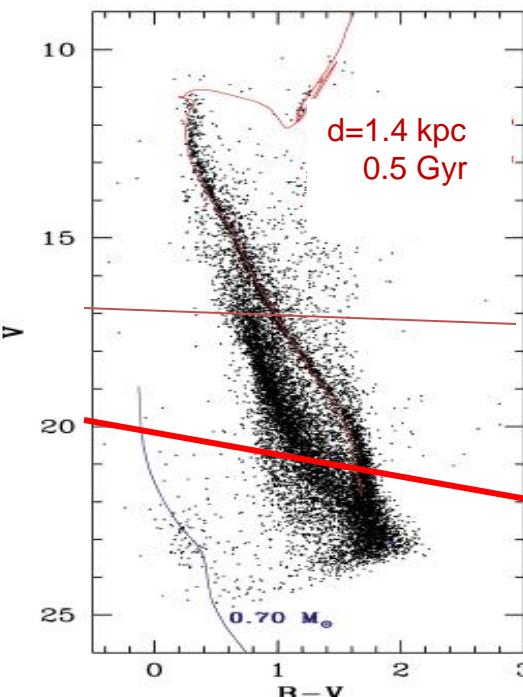


WEAVE- WHT OC Survey

- About 300 OCs visible from N
- [Fe/H] available only for a few (< 40)
- Gaia distances < 2% for 240 OCs
- Young (age < 500 Myr): 130 OCs
diameter>20': 100 Ocs

Goals:

- Tracing the external disk
- OCs associated to streams
- OC –field star relation
- Key cases .Be 17- NGC 6791



Red clump stars as tracers: age > 0.5 Gyr
 $M_V(RC)=0.5 \rightarrow V=12$ at dist=2 Kpc : 60 OCs
 $\rightarrow V=13.5$ at dist=4 Kpc : 10 OCs
 $\rightarrow V=15.0$ at dist=8 Kpc : a few



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Conclusions

- Clusters are tracers of the Galactic populations
- Several observational projects have been started or are foreseen in the coming years to complement Gaia
- Italian Community is preparing for Gaia scientific exploitation

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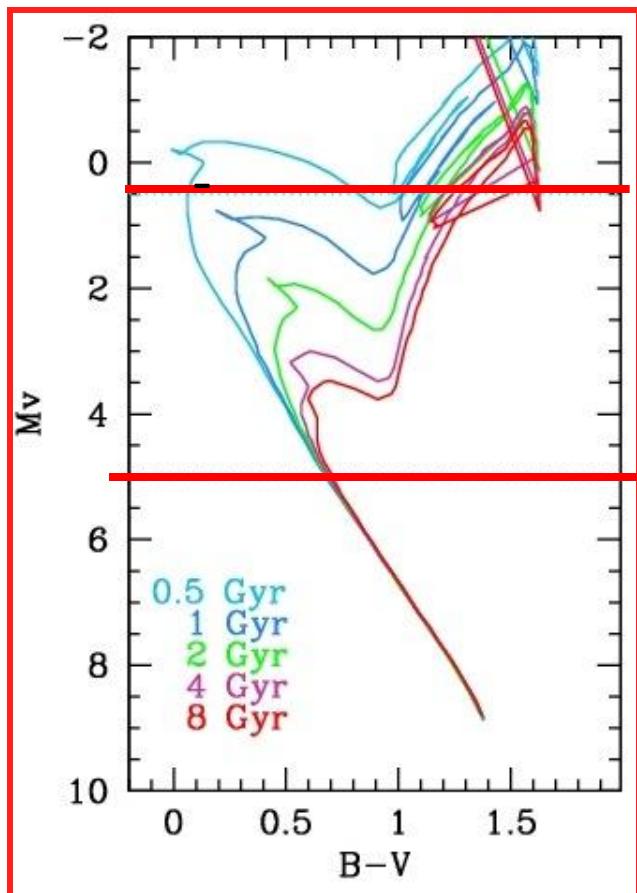


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Gaia accuracy



	dist (kpc)	V	σ_π/π
$M_V = +0.5$	1	10.5	<0.01
	2	12.1	0.02
	5	14.0	0.05
	10	15.5	0.13
$M_V = +5.5$	1	15.5	0.01
	2	17	0.14
	4	19	0.55



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Data release scenario: II

Fourth release: launch + 65 Months	Updates of all above + <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Variable star classifications and parameters as available, and the epoch photometry• Solar system results with preliminary orbital solutions and individual epoch observations• Non-single star catalogue
Final release: End Mission + 3 years (36 months)	Full astrometric, photometric, radial velocity catalogue <ul style="list-style-type: none">• All available variables and non-single stars solutions• Source classifications (probabilities) plus multiple astrophysical parameters derived from BP/RP, RVS and astrometry for stars, unresolved binaries, galaxies and quasars. Precision improved with respect to 4th release. Some parameters may not be available for fainter stars. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Non Single Stars solutions and exoplanet list• All epoch and transit data for all sources• All Ground Based Observations made for data processing purposes (or links to it)
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