Chap.2 Stellar populations and chemical evolution

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1. Stars in a color-magnitude diagram (CMD)

CMD for <u>nearby stars</u> with Hipparcos satellite (1989~1993)



Mv from trigonometric distances = $1/\pi$ (where relative error in parallax $\Delta \pi < 10\%$)

Many young stars + some old stars

Fig 2.2 (Hipparcos)'Galaxies in the Universe' Sparke/Gallagher CUP 2007

SKY-SCANNING COMPLETE FOR ESA'S MILKY WAY MAPPER GAIA

From 24 July 2014 to 15 January 2025, Gaia made more than three trillion observations of two billion stars and other objects, which revolutionised the view of our home galaxy and cosmic neighbourhood. 580 MILLION

Accesses of Gaia catalogue so far

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2.8 MILLION Commands sent to spacecraft



142 TB Downlinked data (compressed)

500 TB Volume of data release 4 (5.5 years of observations)





938 MILLION Camera pixels on board

> **15 300** ⁽-Spacecraft 'pirouettes'

3 TRILLION

Observations

Stars & other objects observed

2 BILLION

55 KG Dia Cold nitrogen gas consumed



Days in science operations

50 000 HOURS Ground station time used

13 000

Refereed scientific publications so far



Astrometry Satellites: Hipparcos & Gaia





	Hipparcos	Gaia (DR3)	
Operation period	1989-1993	2014-2025	
Magnitude Limit	V = 12.4 mag	G = 21 mag	
Number of stars	~120,000	~1.5 billion	
Median astrometric accuracy	$\sim 1 \max (H_p < 9 \max)$	20-30 μ as ($G < 15$ mag)	
		70 μ as (at <i>G</i> = 17 mag)	~10000
		500 μ as (at <i>G</i> = 20 mag)	Topas
		1.3 mas (at $G = 21$ mag)	
Radial velocity accuracy	None	6.4 km s ⁻¹ (at $G_{\rm RVS} = 14$	mag)
Astrophysical parameters $(T_{\text{eff}}, \log g, [M/H])$	None	Available ($G < 17.6$ mag)	

BP/RP spectra (XP) spectra with $\lambda/\Delta\lambda \sim 50-100$ for 219 million stars

https://www.cosmos.esa.int/web/gaia/dr3



Gaia: $10\mu as = 10\%$ error @distance 10kpc, $10\mu as/yr = 1$ km/s @20kpc Hipparcos: 1mas = 10% error @distance 100pc, 1mas/yr = 5km/s @ 1kpc

The Map of the Milky Way with Gaia





Gaia HRD of sources with low extinction (E(B – V) < 0.015 mag) satisfying the filters described in Sect. 2.1 (4,276,690 stars). The colour scale represents the square root of the density of stars. Approximate temperature and luminosity equivalents for main-sequence stars are provided at the top and right axis, respectively, to guide the eye.

Photometric Systems

M. Bessel 2005 ARAA, 43, 293

	UBVRI Washington			SDSS		Hipparcos			WFPC2					
	λeff	$\Delta\lambda$	5. <u></u>	λeff	$\Delta\lambda$	2	λeff	$\Delta\lambda$		λeff	$\Delta\lambda$		λeff	$\Delta\lambda$
U	3663	650	C	3982	1070	u'	3596	570	H_P	5170	2300	F336	3448	340
В	4361	890	M	5075	970	g'	4639	1280	B_T	4217	670	F439	4300	720
V	5448	840	T_1	6389	770	r	6122	1150	V_T	5272	1000	F555	5323	1550
R	6407	1580	T_2	8051	1420	i'	7439	1230				F675	6667	1230
Ι	7980	1540				Ζ'	8896	1070				F814	7872	1460

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TABLE 3 Wavelengths (Å) and widths (Å) of intermediate-band systems

St	römgr	ömgren DDO			Geneva			Vilnius			Walraven			
	<mark>λeff</mark>	$\Delta\lambda$		λ eff	$\Delta\lambda$		λ eff	$\Delta\lambda$		λeff	$\Delta\lambda$	8	λeff	$\Delta\lambda$
и	3520	314	35	3460	383	U	3438	170	U	3450	400	W	3255	143
v	4100	170	38	3815	330	В	4248	283	Р	3740	260	U	3633	239
b	4688	185	41	4166	83	<i>B</i> 1	4022	171	X	4050	220	L	3838	227
y	5480	226	42	4257	73	<i>B</i> 2	<mark>44</mark> 80	164	Y	4660	260	В	4325	<mark>44</mark> 9
β_w	4890	150	45	4517	76	V	5508	298	Ζ	5160	210	V	5467	719
β_n	4860	30	48	4886	186	V1	5408	202	V	5440	260			
			51	5132	162	G	5814	206	S	6560	200			





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CM diagrams for Galactic globular clusters



2. Stellar evolution and population synthesis **Evolutionary tracks**



Iben 1967, ARAA, 5, 571

Stellar Lifetimes (yr) ^a							
Interval $(i-j)$ Mass (M_{\odot})	(1-2)	(2-3)	(3-4)	(4–5)	(5–6)		
15	1.010 (7)	2.270 (5)		7.55 (4)			
9	2.144 (7)	6.053 (5)	9.113 (4)	1.477 (5)	6.552 (4)		
5	6.547 (7)	2.173 (6)	1.372 (6)	7.532 (5)	4.857 (5)		
3	2.212 (8)	1.042 (7)	1.033 (7)	4.505 (6)	4.238 (6)		
2.25	4.802 (8)	1.647 (7)	3.696 (7)	1.310 (7)	3.829 (7)		
1.5	1.553 (9)	8.10 (7)	3.490 (8)	1.049 (8)	≥2 (8)		
1.25	2.803 (9)	1.824 (8)	1.045 (9)	1.463 (8)	≥4 (8)		
1.0	7 (9)	2 (9)	1.20 (9)	1.57 (8)	≥ 1 (9)		

TABLE III

* Numbers in parentheses beside each entry give the power of ten to which that entry is to be raised.

TABLE IV

STELLAR LIFETIMES (yr)*

Interval (i-j)	(6-7)	(7-8)	(8–9)	(9–10)	
15	7.17 (5)	6.20 (5)	1.9 (5)	3.5 (4)	
9	4.90 (5)	9.50 (4)	3.28 (6)	1.55 (5)	
5	6.05 (6)	1.02 (6)	9.00 (6)	9.30 (5)	
3	2.51 (7)	4.0	8 (7)	6.00 (6)	

" Numbers in parentheses beside each entry give the power of ten to which that entry is to be raised.

M ≥ 0.08	Msun	: nuclear reaction
≥ 1.1	Msun	: convective core, CNO
≤ 2	Msun	: helium flash (T _c ~10 ⁸ K)
≥ 8	Msun	: C core burning





Evolutionary tracks for low/high mass stars

(Iben 1985, QJRAS, 26, 1)

FIG. 5.—Tracks in the H-R diagram of theoretical model stars of low (1 M_{\odot}), intermediate (5 M_{\odot}), and high (25 M_{\odot}) mass. Nuclear burning on a long time scale occurs along the heavy portions of each track. The places where first and second dredge-up episodes occur are indicated, as are the places along the AGB where thermal pulses begin. The third dredge-up process occurs during the thermal pulse phase, and it is here where one may expect the formation of carbon stars and ZrO-rich stars. The luminosity where a given track turns off from the AGB is a conjecture based on comparison with the observations. From Iben (1985).



Evolutionary track for low mass stars





Isochrones





FIG. 2.—Isochrones for ages between 11 and 13 Gyr and ZAHB compared to the CMD of M68 (data from Walker 1994). Composition, distance modulus, and reddening used for the fit are given in the upper left-hand corner.

Salaris et al 1997, ApJ, 479, 665







Horizontal Branch (HB) morphology

HB type (color) vs. metallicity in Galactic globular clusters

FIG. 2.—HB type, (B - R)/(B + V + R), is plotted against [Fe/H] for all globular clusters with reasonably well-studied CM diagrams ($R \le 40$ kpc). Note that the majority of clusters (e.g., M2, M13, M22) in the metallicity range $-2.0 \le [Fe/H] \le -1.6$ have very blue HBs [(B - R)/(B + V + R) > +0.85].

3. Origin of elements and yields

Type II SNe M > 8 M_{sun}

α-elements (O, Mg, Si)

Type Ia SNe (white dwarf + companion) M < 8 M_{sun}

iron-peak elements

Origin of elements and yields

- M<8M_{sun} (Type Ia SNe) white dwarf, mass accretion from a companion
 - Iron peak elements (Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni)
- M>8M_{sun} (Type II SNe) Core-collapse supernovae
 - α -elements (<u>160</u>, <u>20</u>Ne, <u>24</u>Mg</u>, <u>28</u>Si, <u>32</u>S, <u>36</u>Ar, <u>40</u>Ca, <u>44</u>Ti)
 - 8<M<10M_{sun}

hydrostatic burning

- C-burning、O+Ne+Mg-core、AGB star
- O+Ne+Mg WD after losing H-He envelope or collapse due to e⁻ capture
- $10 < M < 100 M_{sun}$
 - Fe-core, gravitational collapse, neutron star or black hole
- 100<M<140M_{sun} Pulsational Pair-Instability SNe (PPISN)
- 140<M<260M_{sun} Pair-Instability SNe (PISN)
 - Electron-positron pair creation & core collapse, high T_c & explosive O burning, <u>disrupt out completely due to explosion</u>, release a lot of Fe & Ca
- $M > 260 M_{sun}$
 - Photo-disintegration, core collapse, BH formation
- Hypernovae (M>20M_{sun}, E>10⁵²erg) gamma-ray burst
 - Large [Zn/Fe] & [Co/Fe] ratios

Н

He

C+O

O+Ne+Mg Si

Fe

Figure 4. (Left:) Relative abundance ratios as a function of progenitor mass with Z = 0. The solid and dashed lines show normal SNe II with $E_{51} = 1$ and HNe. (Right:) The IMF weighted abundance ratios as a function of metallicity of progenitors, where the HN fraction $\epsilon_{\rm HN} = 0.5$ is adopted. Results for Z = 0 are plotted at $\log Z/Z_{\odot} = -4$ (Nomoto *et al.* 2006; Kobayashi *et al.* 2006).

Tsujimoto et al. 1995, MN, 277, 945

Figure 1. Abundance pattern from Type II supernova explosions. Relative abundances of synthesized heavy elements and their isotopes, normalized to the corresponding solar abundances, $x_i/x_i(\odot)$, are shown by circles. The species indicated by open circles are not used in minimizing g(r) in equation (3), because of uncertainties involved in their abundances in Type II supernovae (see Section 2).

Figure 2. Abundance pattern from Type Ia supernova explosions. The relative abundances of synthesized heavy elements and their isotopes, normalized to the corresponding solar abundances, $x_i/x_i(\odot)$, are shown by circles.

Big Bang Nucleosynthesis

- p & n creation
- n + p \rightarrow D + γ
- (D creation)
- D+D \rightarrow ³H+p, ³H+D \rightarrow ⁴He+n
- After Big Bang
 - H, D, ³He, ⁴He, ⁷Li remained
 - (⁷Be, ³H are unstable)

Big Bang Nucleosynthesis

Stellar evolution & nuclear reaction

Origin of elements heavier than Fe ~ neutron capture process ~

r-process ($\tau < \tau$ (β decay)) Eu, Pt, Au, Th, U core-collapse SNe or merging of neutron stars S-process ($\tau > \tau$ (β decay)) Sr, Ba, Pb AGB stars

Neutron star mergers and r-process

4. Heavy-element production via r-process

s-process inside AGB stars

- Evidence for s-process
 - Detection of 99 Tc (Technetium, half-life time = 2x10⁵ yr, too short)
- 2 reactions: 2 neutron sources (Cameron 1955)
 - ${}^{13}C(\alpha, n){}^{16}O$
 - ¹²C in He shell, ¹²C+p ->¹³N -> β decay -> ¹³C
 - ${}^{22}Ne(\alpha, n){}^{25}Mg$
 - ¹⁴N (in the convective CNO elements) -> ²²Ne
 - Weak s-process for M > 8 Msun, produce s-elements up to Zr (Z=40)

Solar System Abundances

Where elements came from

Families of elements

1) Light odd-Z elements (Na and AI):

Mainly made in the hydrostatic burning shells of massive stars. Their yields are related to the mass of the shell, which is related to the initial mass of the star

- 2) Magnesium: Made in the hydrostatic burning shells of massive stars (specifically the C-burning shell), and the yield is related to the initial mass of the star.
- 3) The other alpha elements (O, Si, Ca, and Ti):

O is formed in a hydrostatic burning shell (the He-burning shell). The heavier alpha-elements Si, Ca and Ti are formed deep within massive stars during the explosive burning phase of a supernova (SN).

4) Fe-peak elements (Sc, V, Cr, Mn, Fe, Co, Ni, Cu and Zn):

With the exception of Cu and maybe Zn, these elements are made in both Type Ia and Type II SNe during the explosive phases. Co and possibly Zn are made almost exclusively in Type II SNe. Hypernovae is required for Zn.

5) Light s-process elements (Sr, Y, and Zr):

(Nearly all the elements heavier than Zn are made by <u>neutron-capture processes</u>.) Made in metal-rich AGB stars. The peak of the s-process production moves to lighter elements as metallicity increases because there are more Fe-group "seed" nuclei at higher metallicity,

6) Heavy s-process elements (Ba and La):

Made in metal-poor AGB stars, although some of the inventory of both elements in the Sun came form the r-process.

7) r-process element (Eu):

By the explosive phase of Type II SNe or most probably merging of neutron stars.

List of elements and their production sites

- •Lithium (Z=3): Produced in Big Bang nucleosynthesis and cosmic ray spallation.
- •Carbon (Z=6): Results from the triple-alpha He-burning process. Isotope ratios between ¹²C and ¹³C are affected by hydrogen burning on the CNO cycle.
- •Oxygen (Z=8): Results from hydrostatic He-burning burning in massive stars, yield related to the mass of the He-burning shell, which is a function of the star's initial mass.
- •Sodium (Z=11): Results mostly from carbon-burning. Production depends on the n/p ratio, so there is a predicted <u>metallicity dependence</u> of the yield from SN II. Can also be affected by H-burning in intermediate-mass stars, as seen in the so-called "Na-O anti-correlation" often seen in globular cluster stars.
- •Magnesium (Z=12): Results from carbon-burning. Effectively ${}^{12}C \rightarrow {}^{24}Mg$ via ${}^{20}Ne + {}^{4}He$. Released from SN II.
- Aluminum (Z=13): Carbon-burning; closely tied to the production of the minor Mg isotopes ^{25,26}Mg. Production depends on the n/p ratio, so there is a predicted metallicity dependence of the yield from SN II. Can also be affected by H-burning in intermediate-mass stars, as seen in "Na-O anti-correlation" in globular cluster stars.
 Silicon (Z=14): Explosive oxygen burning via 2O→Si + He, with Mg + He→Si.

Correlated strongly to C+N initial abundance

- SN II+SN Ia.
- •Calcium (Z=20): Oxygen and silicon burning, both hydrostatic and explosive. SN II.
- •Scandium (Z=21): SN II from oxygen burning + the alpha-rich freezeout.
- Titanium (Z=22): Explosive Si burning, + alpha-rich freezeout, including white dwarfs (SN Ia). Appears to be mostly SN II.

- •Vanadium (Z=23): Explosive oxygen burning + silicon burning. SN Ia probably dominate production. The [V/Fe] value is very sensitive to the value of Teff.
- •Chromium (Z=24): Equilibrium process in explosive Si burning. SN II + SN Ia, but dominated by SN II.
- •Manganese (Z=25): Explosive Si burning + alpha-rich freezeout. SN II. Metallicity dep. •Iron (Z=26): Equilibrium process. SN II + SN Ia, with a large yield from SN Ia.
- •Cobalt (Z=27): Explosive Si burning + alpha-rich freezeout (which produces
- a large Co/Fe yield). Possibly metallicity-dependent yields in Type II SN.
- •Nickel (Z=28):. Explosive Si burning + alpha-rich freezeout. SN II + SN Ia
- •Copper (Z=29): Possibly from SN II "only" with metallicity-dependent yields. Minor contributions from the s-process and SN Ia.
- •Zinc (Z=30): Explosive Si burning + alpha-rich freezeout + s-process. Zn does not form on dust grains, so it is used in the study of damped Lyman-alpha systems as metallicity indicator.
- •Strontium (Z=38), Yttrium (Z=39), Zirconium (Z=40), Molybdenum (Z=42), and Palladium (Z=46): Light s-process. AGB stars and maybe massive stars ("<u>weak s-process</u>").
- •Barium (Z=56): Heavy s-process. AGB stars. [heavy s/light s]= f(Z).
- •Lanthanum (Z=57): Heavy s-process. AGB stars. [heavy s/light s]= f(Z).
- •Europium (Z=63): Bypassed by s-process (mostly), <u>best r-process "only" element in</u> the optical. The r-processes were believed to occur in a sub-class of SN II, the lowermass SN II, but now the merging of neutron stars is thought to be most likely.

4. Extremely metal-poor stars

Mixing and Fallback Supernova models for CEMP stars

5. Galactic chemical evolution

- Simple model
 - Key parameters: SFR: $\psi(t)$, IMF: $\phi(m)$

 ϕ (m) \propto m^{- α} (\int m ϕ (m)dm = 1 M_{sun})

- star: M_s , gas: M_g , metal: M_z , metallicity: $Z=M_z/M_g$
- closed box: $M_{tot} = M_s + M_g = const.$
- instantaneous recycling: Massive stars die immediately and leave enriched gas (age: $\tau \ll 1$).

The rate of gas ejection is:

$$\int_{m_1}^{\infty} (m - w_m) \,\varphi(m) \psi(t - \tau(m)) dm \to \int_{m_1}^{\infty} (m - w_m) \varphi(m) \psi(t) dm \equiv R \psi(t)$$

w_m: remnant mass, R: return fraction

- y: yield

metallicity when a unit gas mass is locked into stars

SFR law for 61 disk galaxies and 36 starburst galaxies

MDF of G-dwarfs in the solar neighborhood (model: Sommer-Larsen & Yoshii 1990, MN, 243, 468)

Chemical clock

Comparison with metallicity distribution (MD) of young stars (B-type stars)

Radial migration of stars

Sellwood & Binney 2002, Schoenrich & Binney 2009

