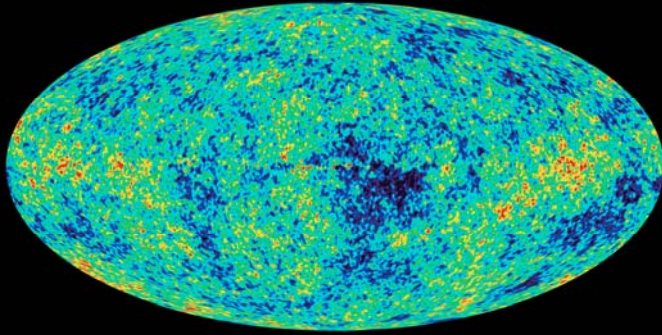


Cosmic History

Big Bang



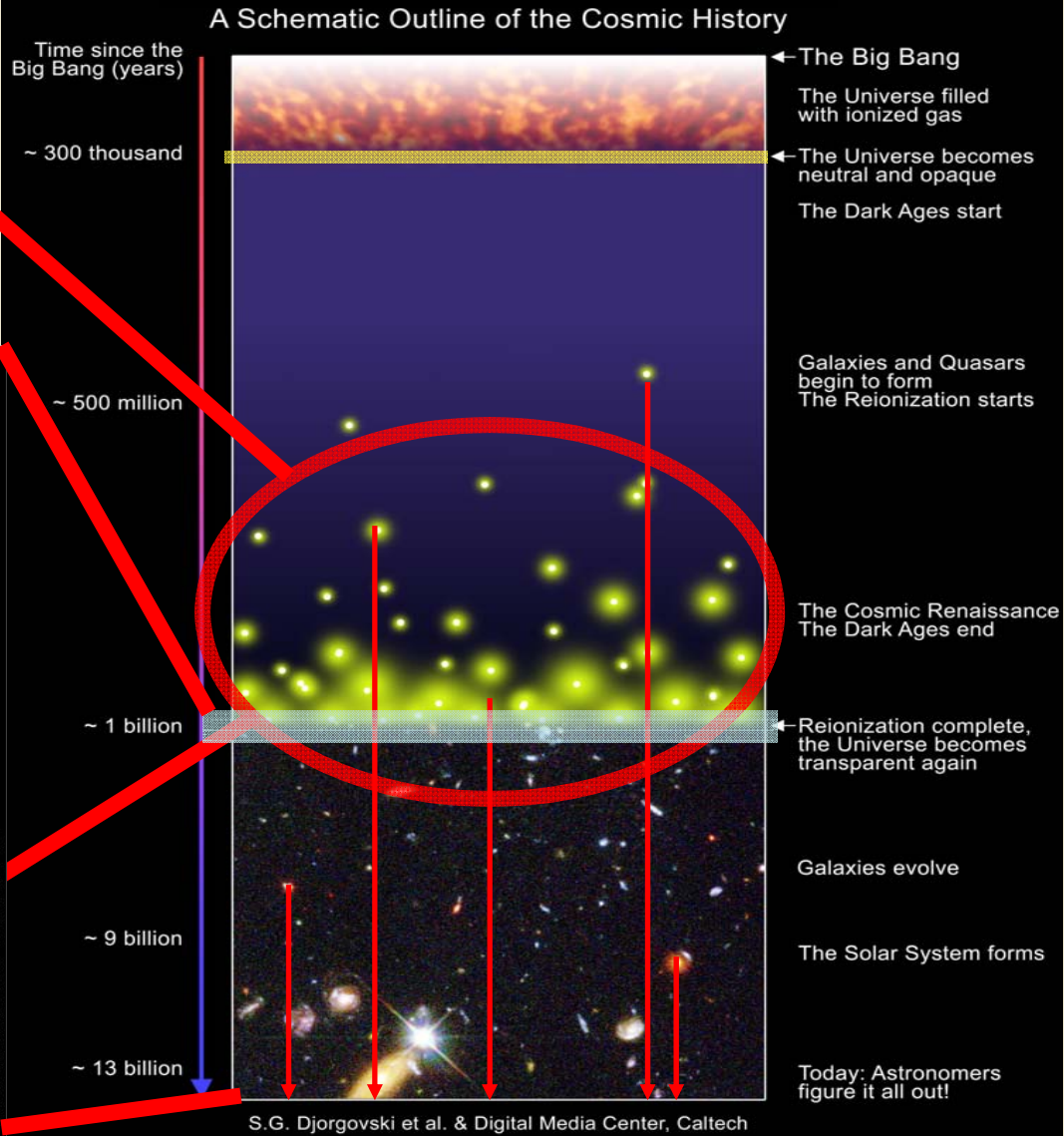
Age of the Universe
Today: 14 Billion Years

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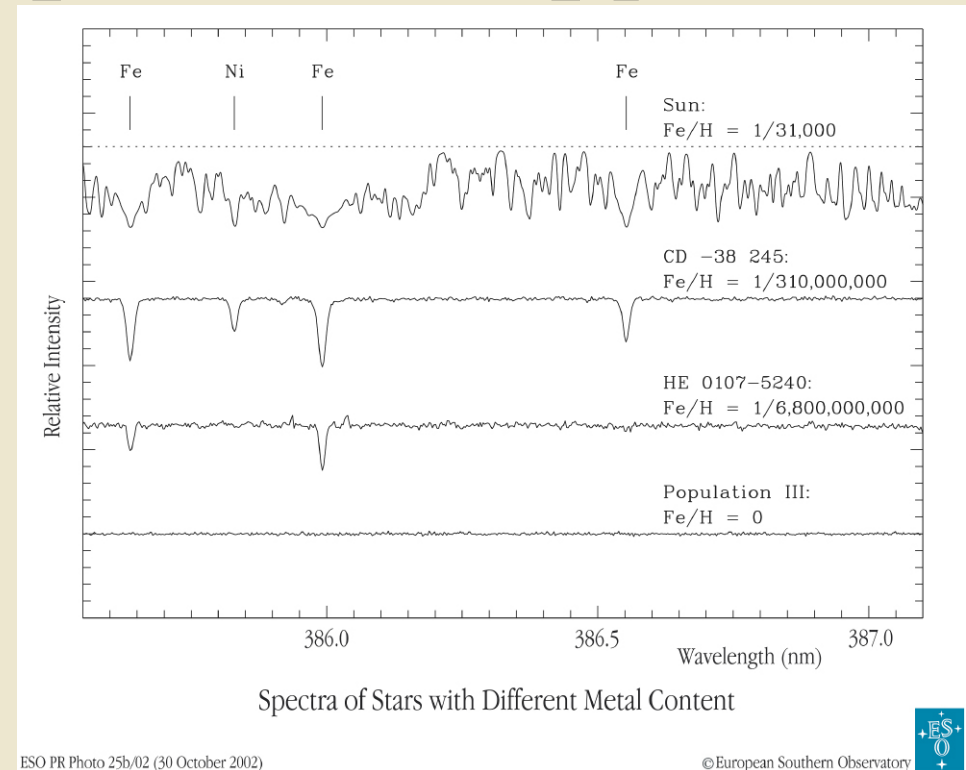
Galaxies: Snapshots in Time HST

Elliptical **Spiral**

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Studying Galaxy Formation and Evolution with High Resolution Stellar Spectroscopy



Let's look in detail at the stellar populations of the Milky Way and it's satellites

Chemical Tagging

- Light Elements - e.g., O Na Mg Al
tracers of deep mixing abundances pa
(globular clusters versus field star
- α - Elements - e.g., O Mg Si Ca Ti
dominated by products of Supernovae II
- Iron-peak Elements e.g., V Cr Mn Co Ni Cu Zn
explosive nucleosynthesis (supernovae
- Heavy Elements ($Z > 30$)
mix of r- and s- process elements
e.g., s-process e.g., Ba, La (stell
r-process e.g., Eu



e.g., McWilliam 1997

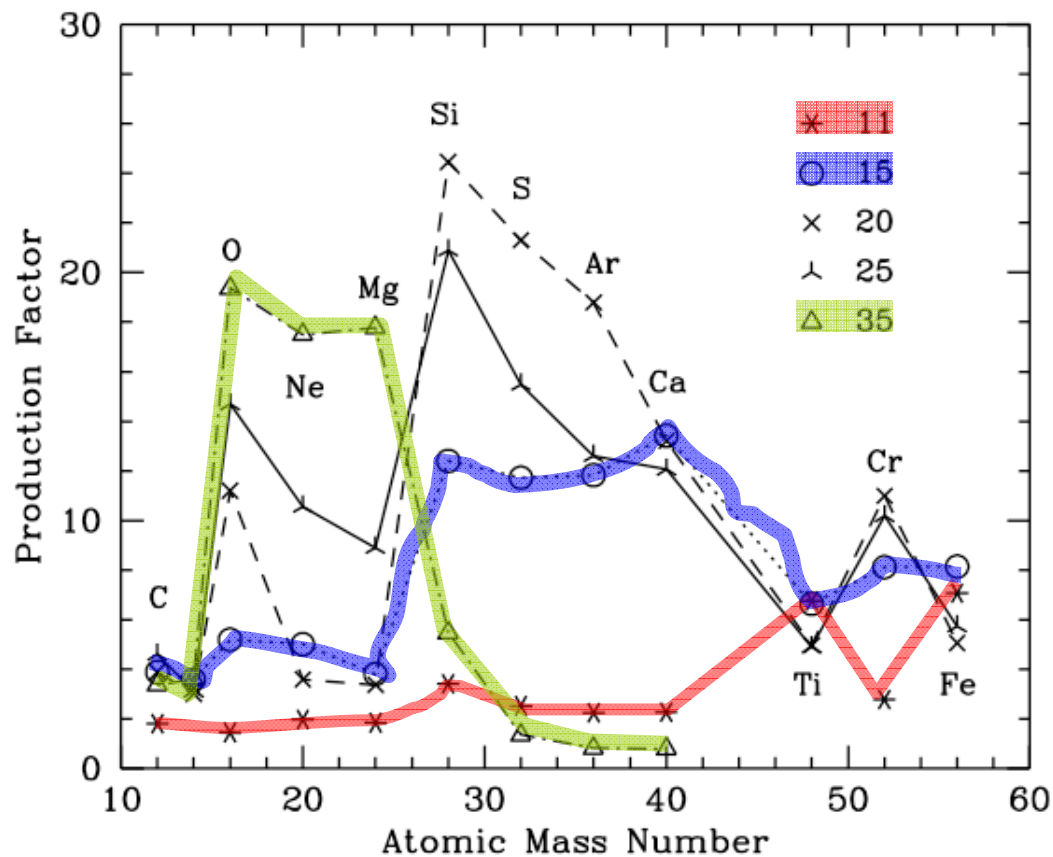
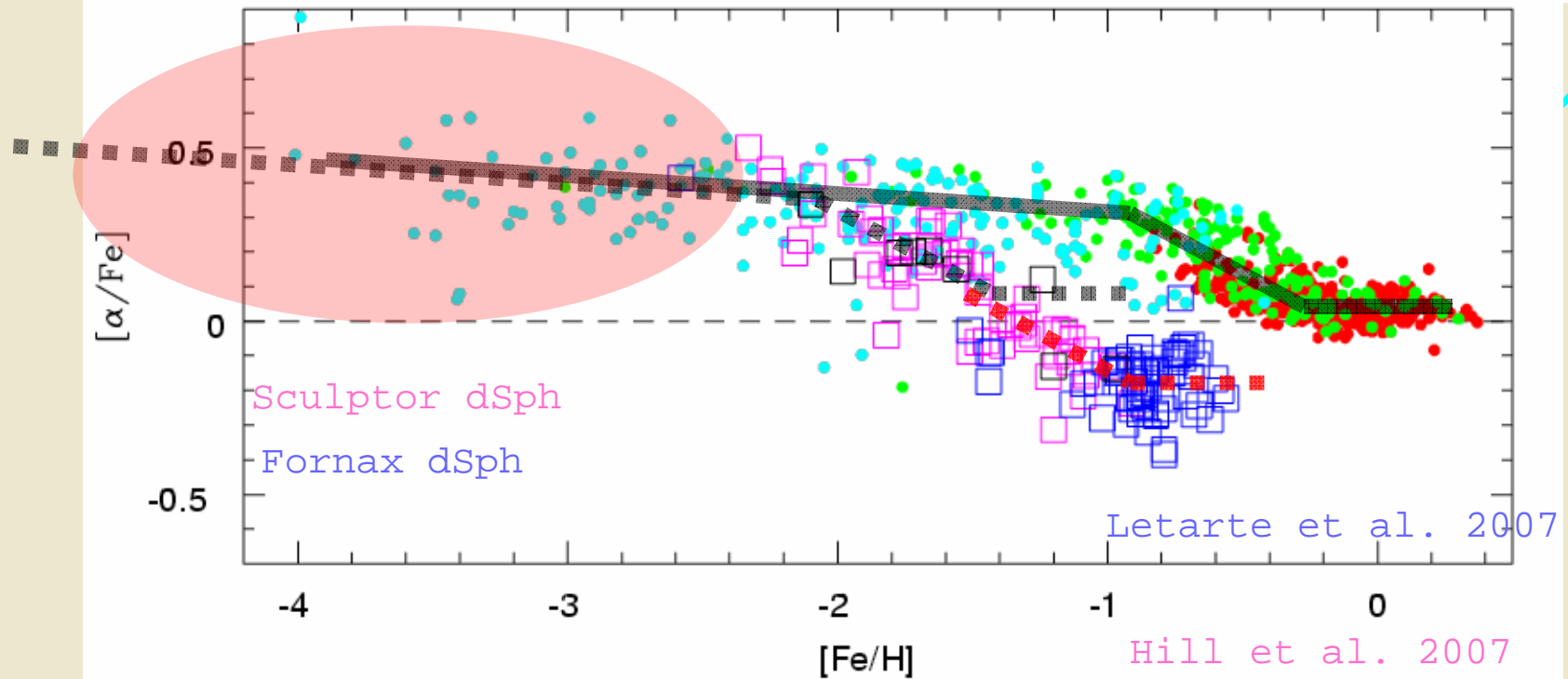
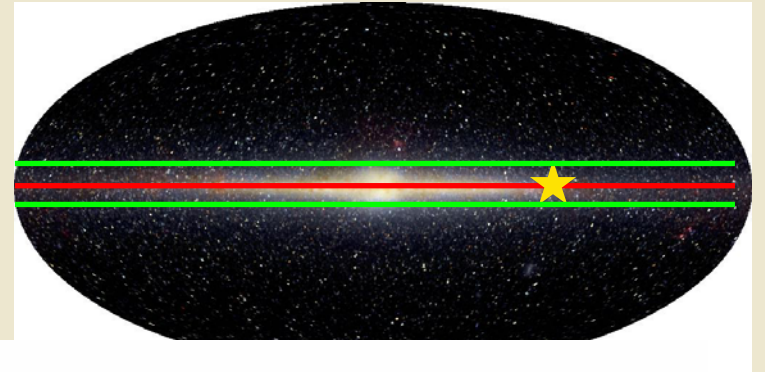


Figure 6 Production factors from models of SN II by Woosley & Weaver (1995). Ejected element abundances for various progenitor masses are indicated by *connected symbols*; O and Mg are produced in large quantities at high mass ($\sim 35 M_{\odot}$) but not in the lower mass (15–25 M_{\odot}) SN, which are responsible for most of the Si and Ca production. None of the models give significant enhancements of Ti relative to Fe, contrary to observations of stars in the Galactic bulge and halo. Note that production factor is defined as the ratio of the mass fraction of an isotope in the SN ejecta, divided by its corresponding mass fraction in the Sun. The mass of the progenitor making the indicated elements is given in the key in the upper right.

Comparing the Milky Way to dSph



compilation by Venn et al. 2004

1.1 Surveys for metal-poor stars

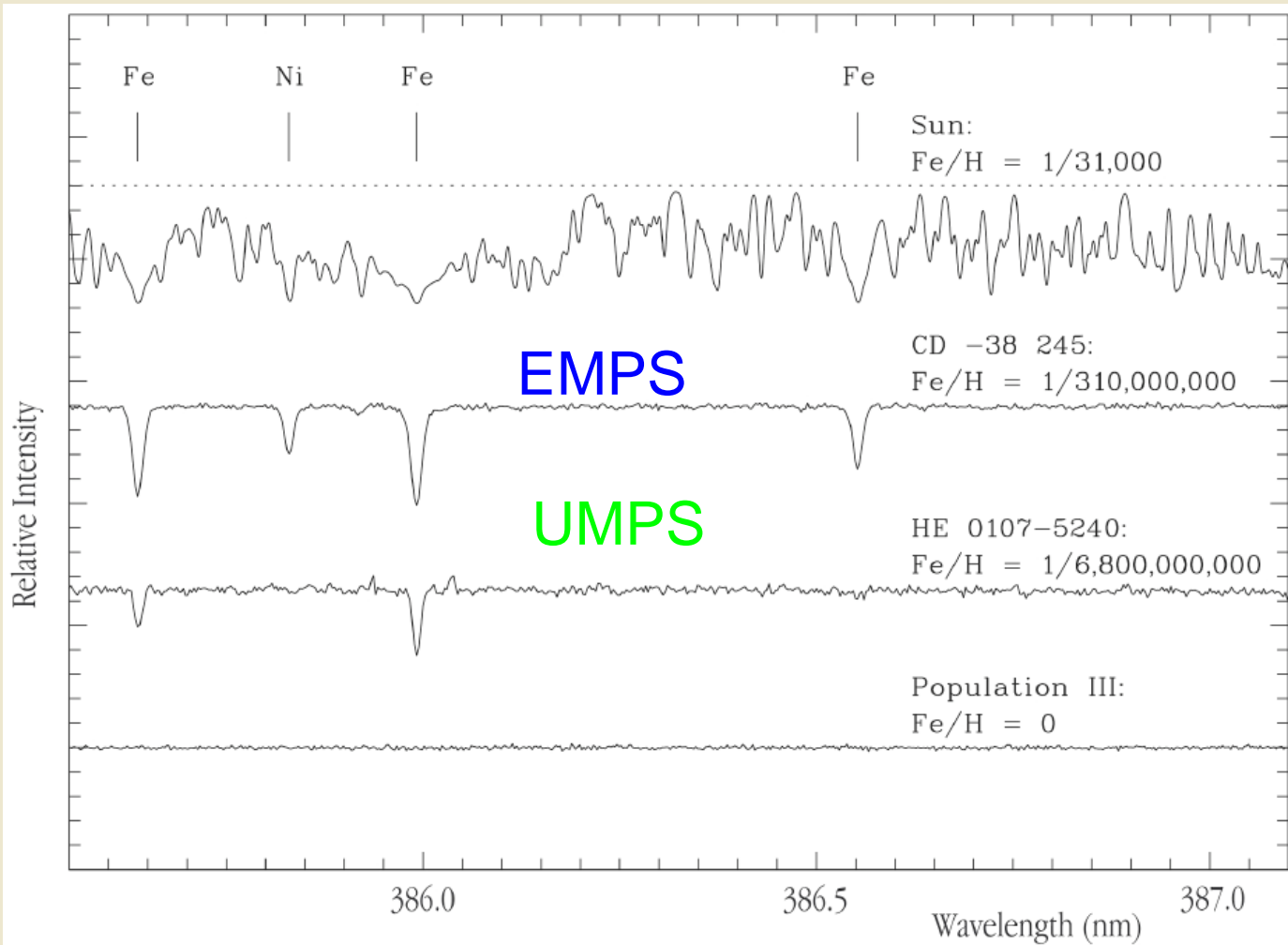
Survey	Hemisph.	Start	Eff. sky coverage	Eff. mag limit	$N < -3.0$ (EMP)	$N < -5.0$ (HMP)
HES	South	1989	6400 deg ²	$B < 17.0$	400	4
SEGUE	North	2005	1000 deg ²	$B < 19.0$	1000	10
SSHS	South	2006	500 deg ²	$B < 17.0$	30	0
LAMOST	North	2007	10,000 deg ²	$B < 19.0$	10,000	100
SSS	South	2007	20,000 deg ²	$B < 18.0$	5000	50

Basic requirements:

$V \sim 20$ $R \sim 40000$ $S/N > 100$

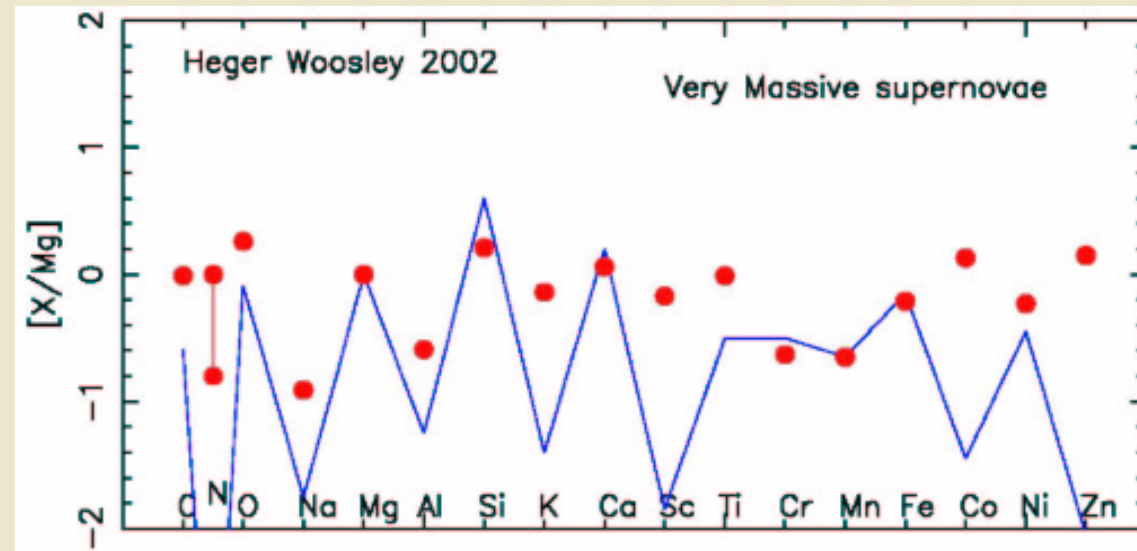
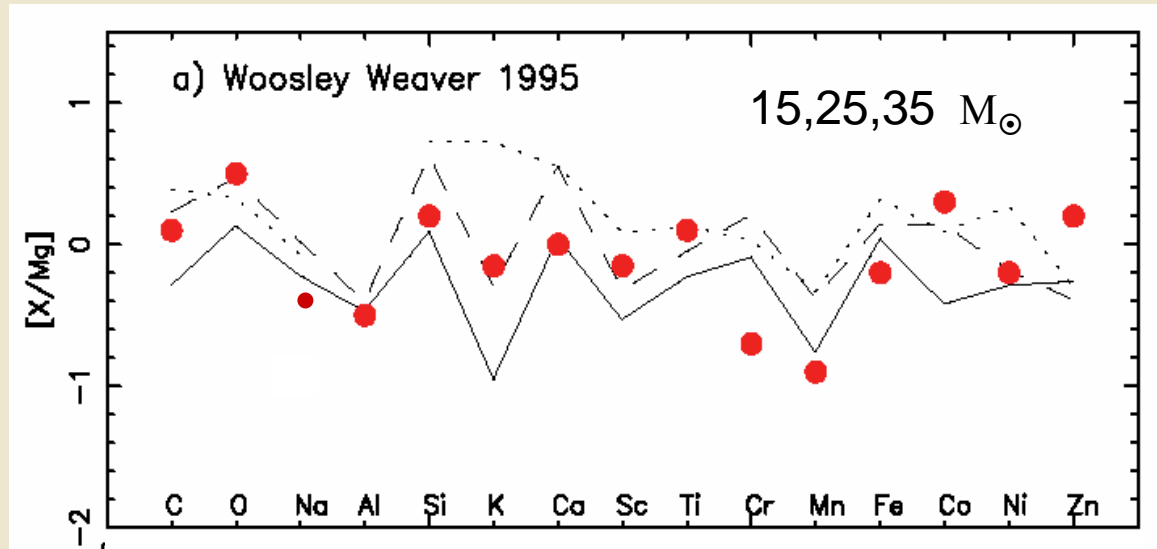
λ as blue as possible $\Delta\lambda > 1000\text{\AA}$

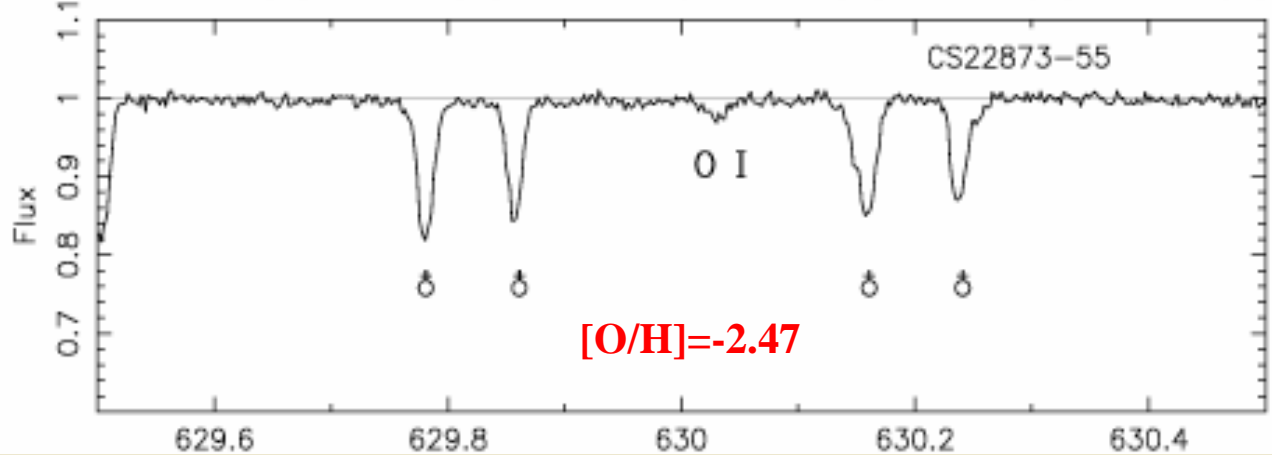
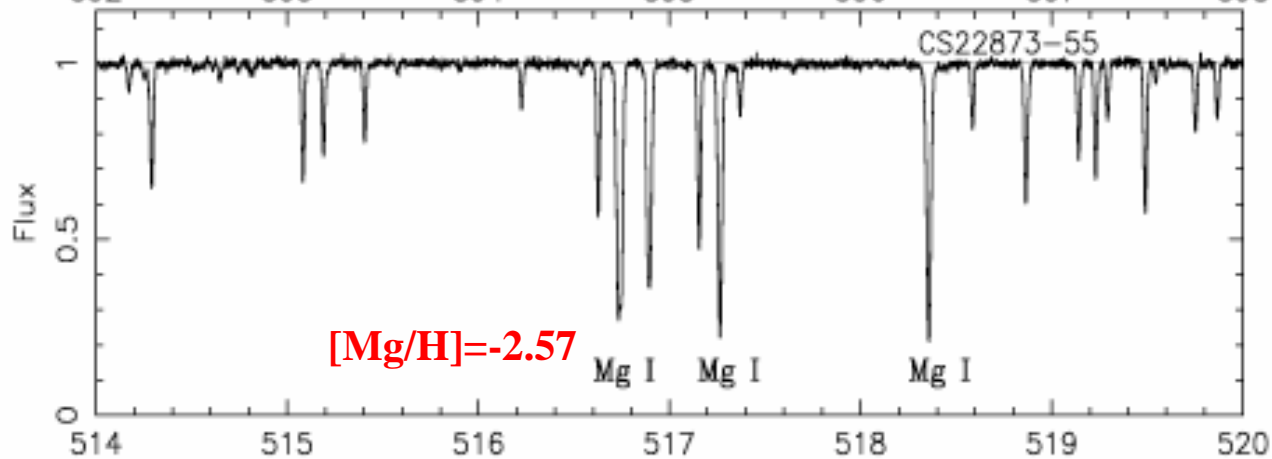
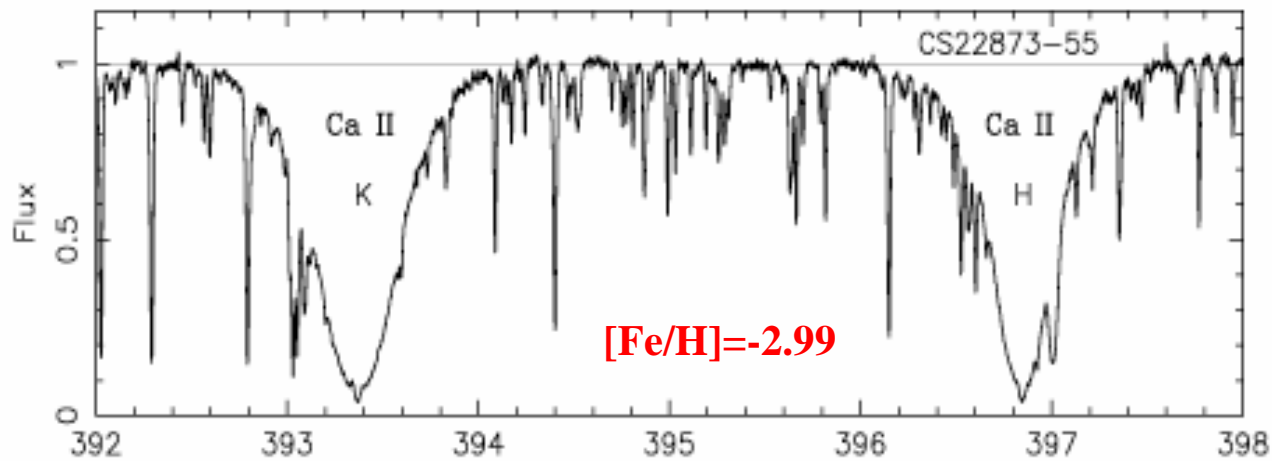
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Spectra of Stars with Different Metal Content

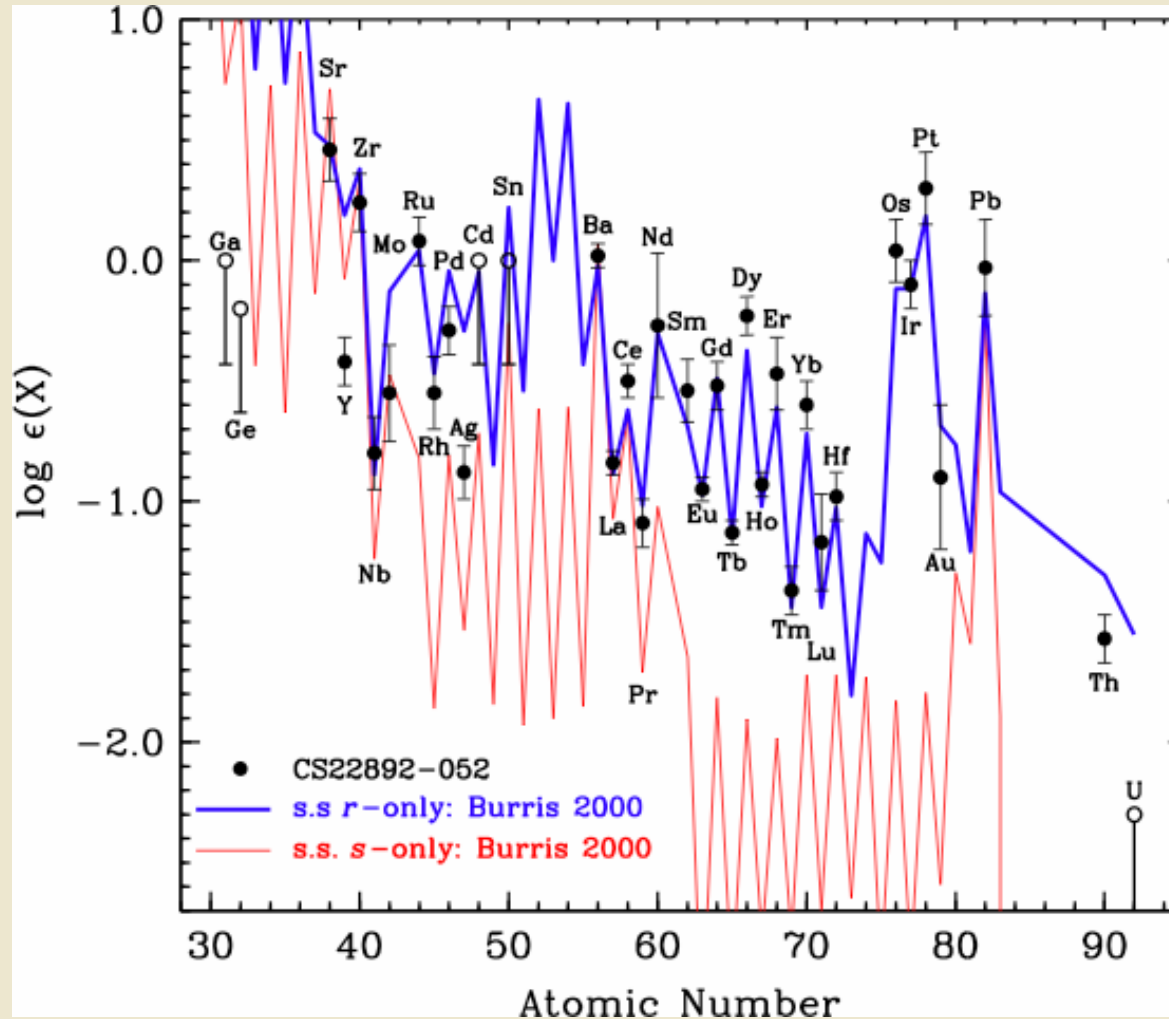
Constraining early chemical enrichment: EMPS



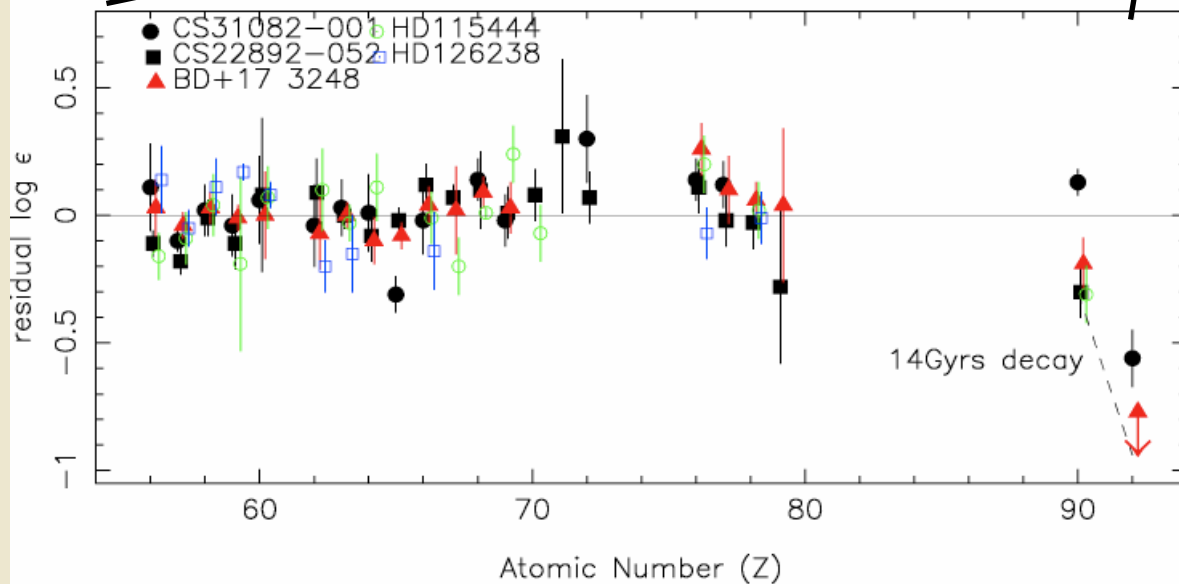
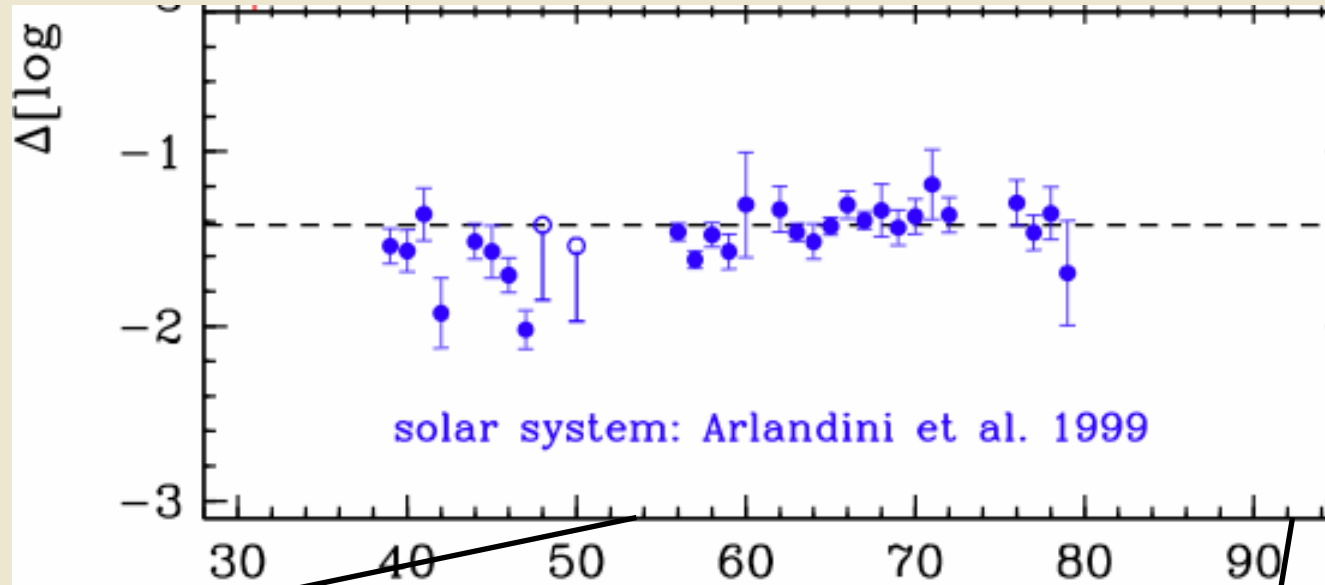


Constraining the origin of the r-process

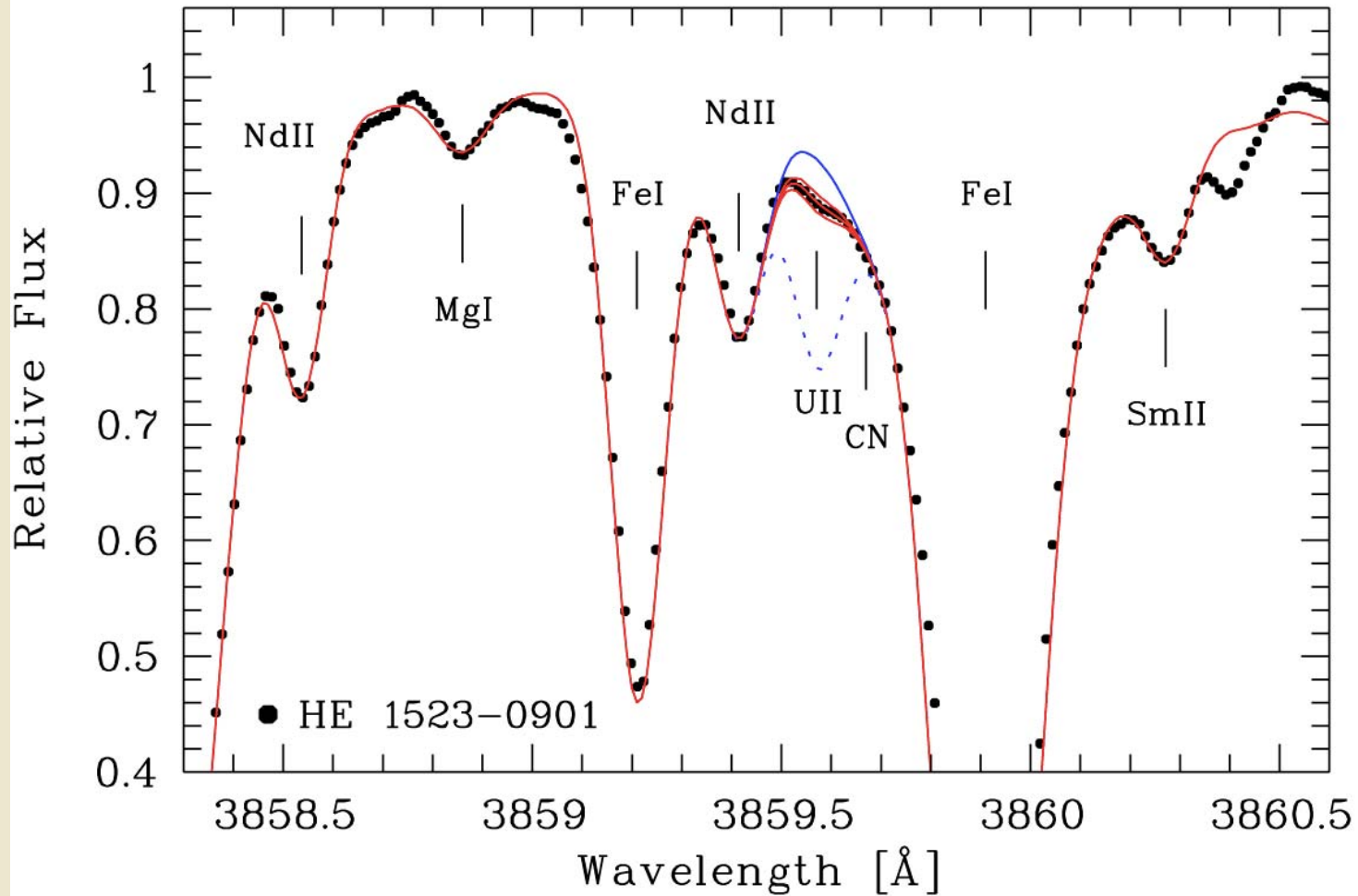
r-process enhanced EMPS



How universal is the r- process ?



Radioactive dating



Quantity	Indicator	Minium $R = \lambda/\Delta\lambda$			Minium S/N per pixel			Notes
		G/-5.2	SG/-5.4	r-II giant	G/-5.2	SG/-5.4	r-II giant	
T_{eff}	H α	40,000	40,000	40,000	150	150	150	
$\log g$	Fe I/Fe II	20,000	20,000	20,000				1
$\log g$	Ca I/Ca II	20,000	20,000	20,000				
ξ_{micr}	Fe I	40,000	60,000	20,000	50	200	30	2
$\log \epsilon (^7\text{Li})$	^7Li 6707.76 Å	–	40,000	–	–	120	–	3
$\log \epsilon (\text{C})$	CH	20,000	20,000	20,000				
$\log \epsilon (\text{N})$	CN	20,000	20,000	20,000				
$\log \epsilon (\text{N})$	NH 3360 Å	40,000	20,000		70	50		
$\log \epsilon (\text{O})$	OH 3100 Å	40,000	40,000	40,000	30	40		
$^{12}\text{C}/^{13}\text{C}$	^{12}CH , ^{13}CH	40,000	–	40,000	100			
$\log \epsilon (\text{Mg})$	Mg I 3838.29 Å	40,000	40,000	20,000	40	40		50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Mg})$	Mg I 5183.60 Å	40,000	40,000	20,000	100	60		50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ca})$	Ca I 4226.73 Å	40,000	60,000	20,000	60	370		50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ca})$	Ca II			20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ti})$				20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Mn})$				20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Fe})$	Fe I 3859.91 Å	40,000	40,000	20,000	20	200		50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Fe})$	Fe II 3227.74 Å	40,000	–	20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Co})$	Co I			20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ni})$				20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Zn})$				20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Sr})$	Sr II 4077.72 Å	–	40,000	20,000	–	200		30
$\log \epsilon (\text{Y})$		–	–	20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Zr})$		–	–	20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ba})$	Ba II 4554.03 Å	–	–	20,000				30
$\log \epsilon (\text{La})$		–	–	20,000				50
$\log \epsilon (\text{Eu})$	Eu II 4129.73 Å	–	–	20,000				30
$\log \epsilon (\text{Os})$		–	–					
$\log \epsilon (\text{Ir})$		–	–					
$\log \epsilon (\text{Pb})$		–	–					
$\log \epsilon (\text{Th})$		–	–	40,000	–	–		50
$\log \epsilon (\text{U})$		–	–	75,000	–	–		150

Notes:

- 1 – Detection of at least one Fe II line required.
- 2 – Detection of at least a couple of Fe I lines required.
- 3 – Assuming an abundance of $\log \epsilon (^7\text{Li}) = 2.2$.

Table 3: Data quality requirements for spectroscopic analyses of metal-poor stars.

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[Fe/H]<-5.

R-process

HR spectroscopy

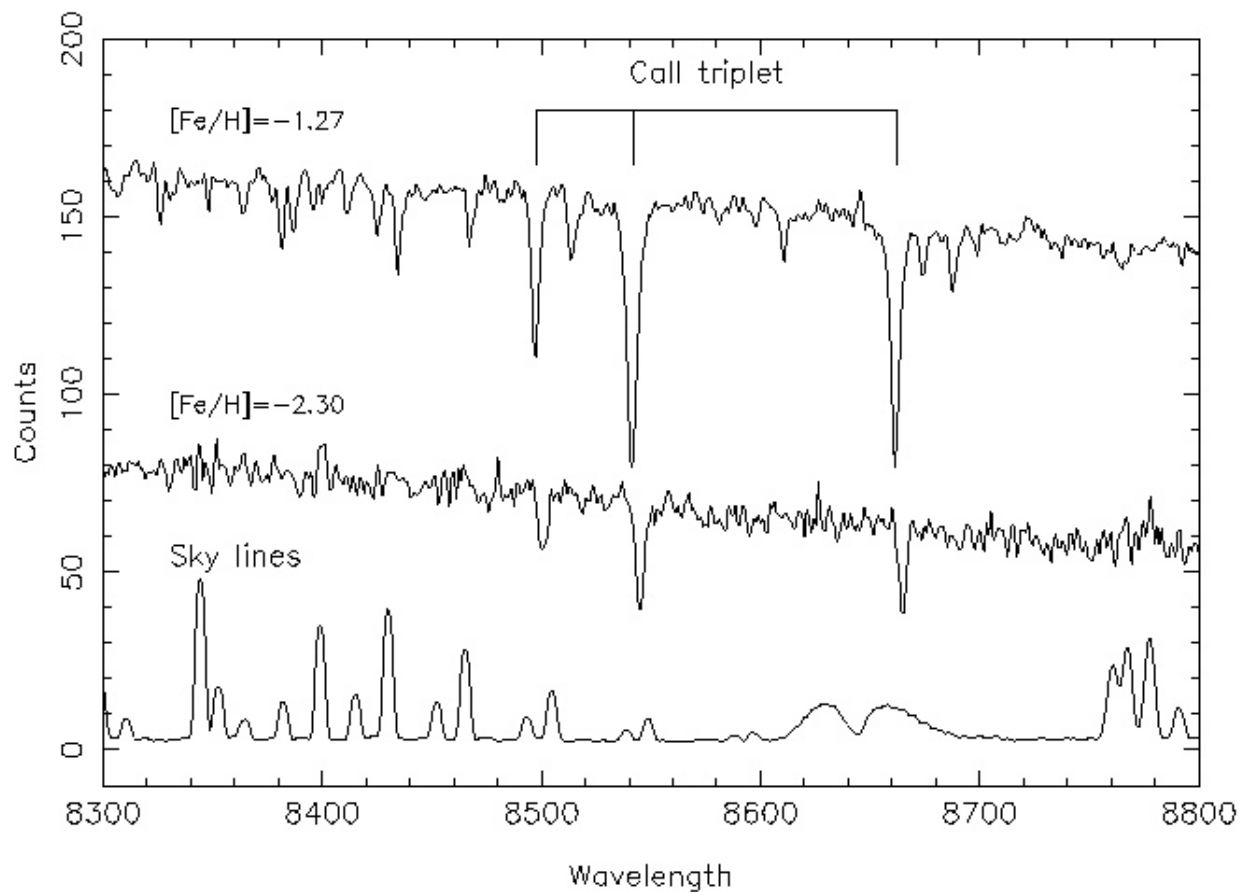
MOS - 100 stars per local galaxy (min); 500-800nm;
R~20000 (min);

fov: 2 arcmin (?), $M_I > -3$

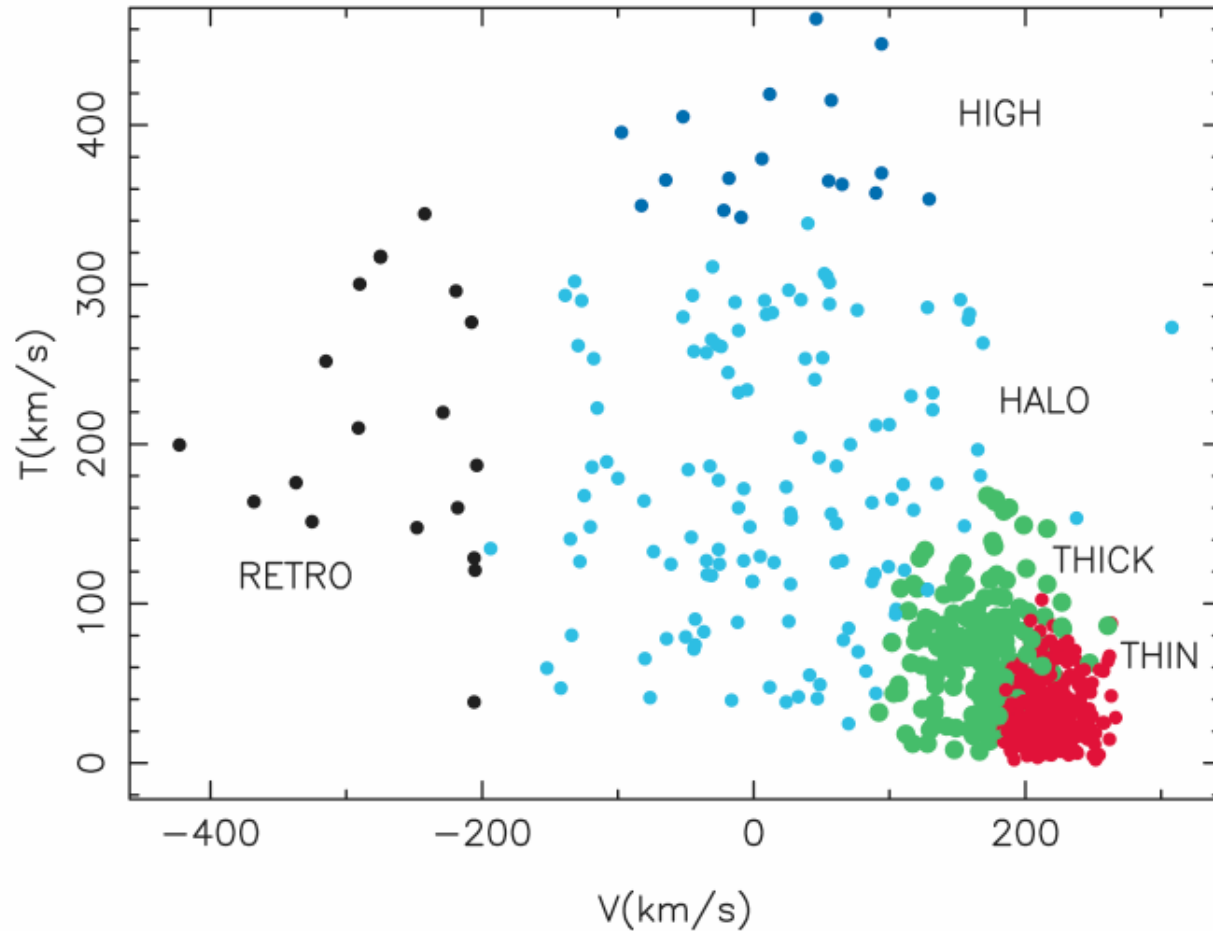
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Low Resolution Stellar Spectroscopy: the Ca II Triplet



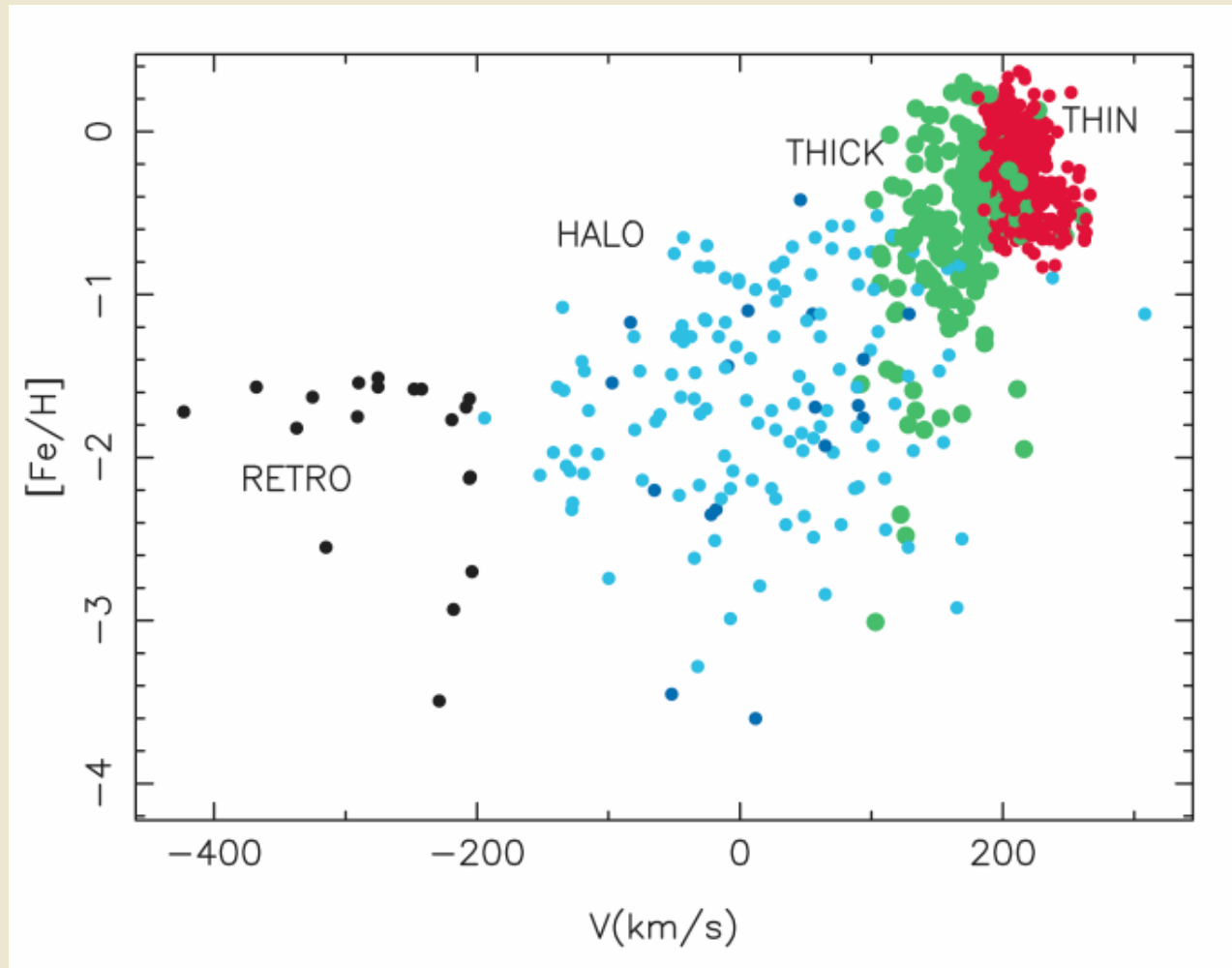
Kinematic Classification



$$T = (U^2 + W^2)^{1/2}$$

Venn et al. 2004

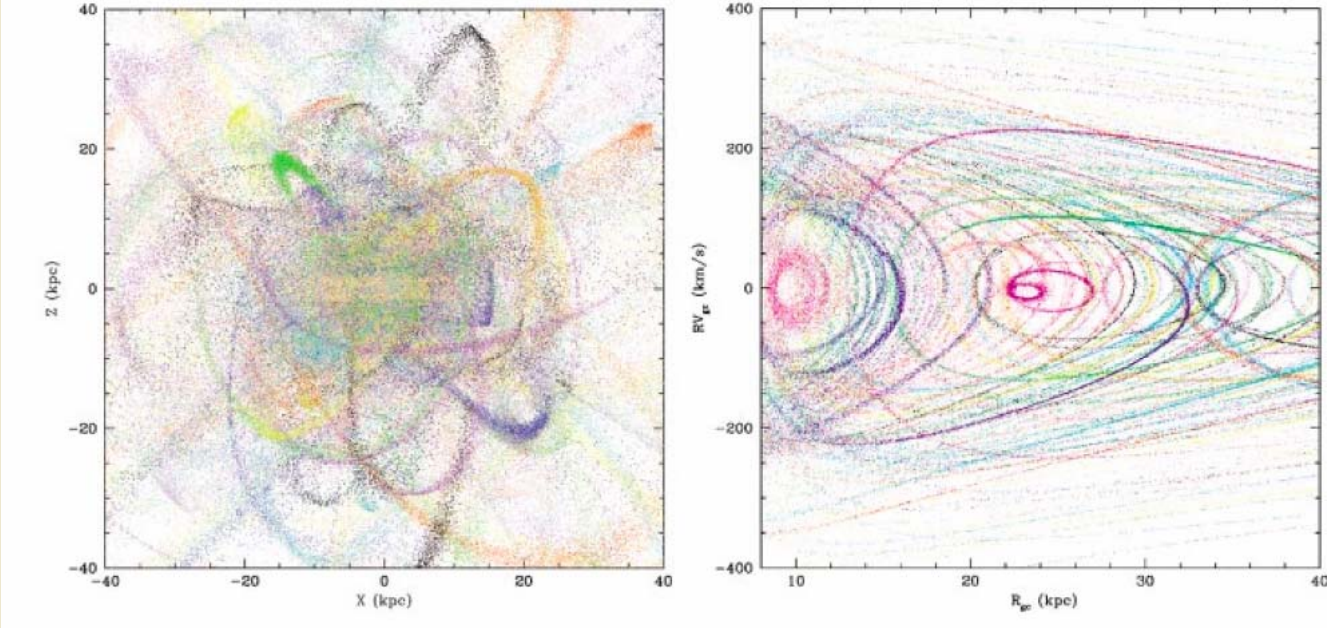
Metallicity of different components



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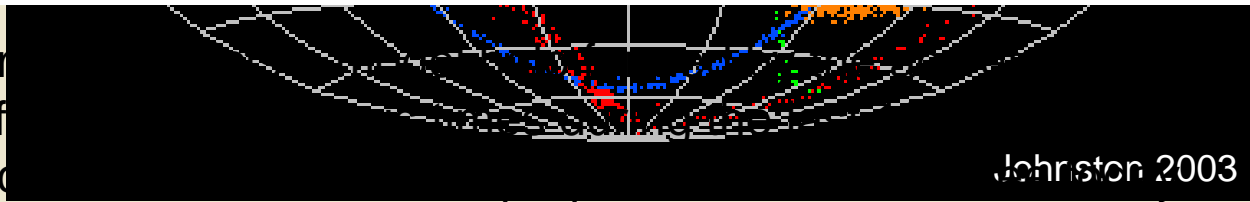
Looking for Evidence on small scales...

In the outer halo filled with tidal streams from disrupted dwarf

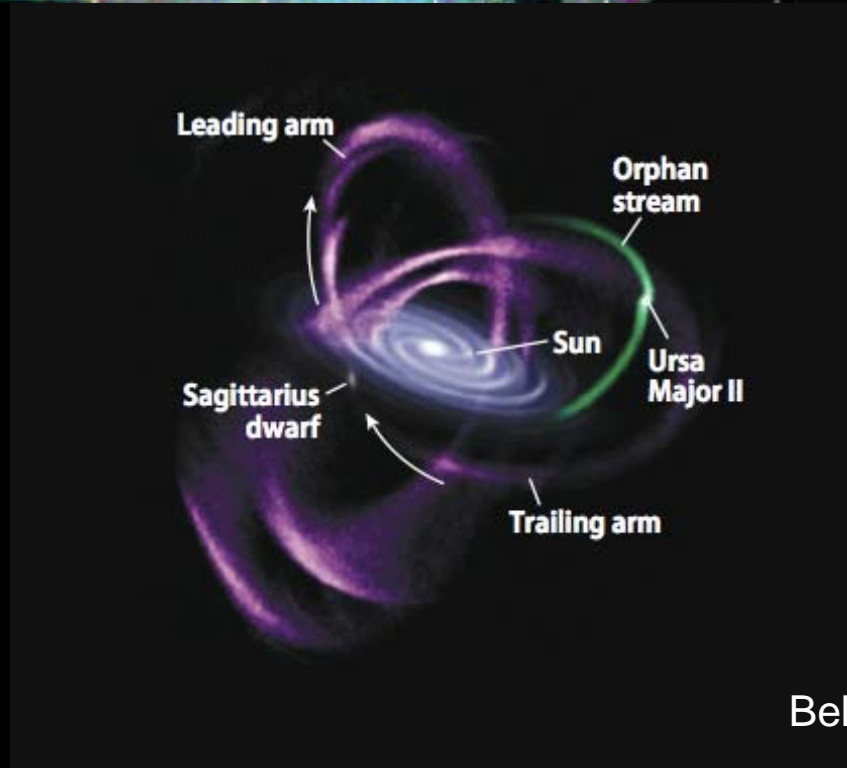
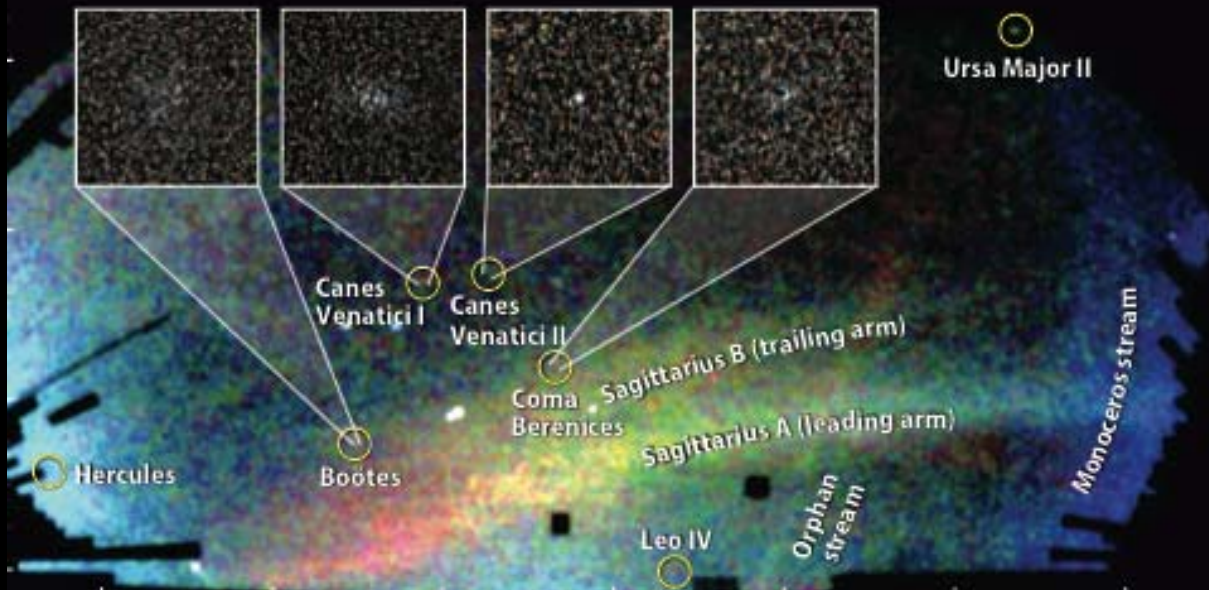


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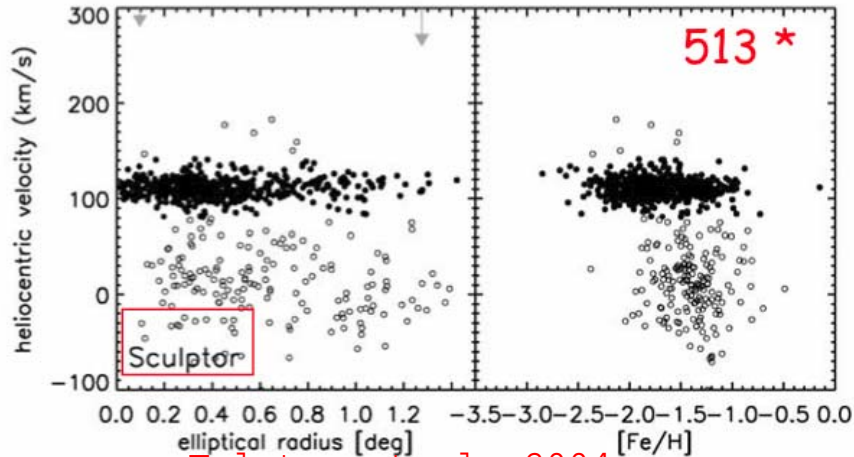
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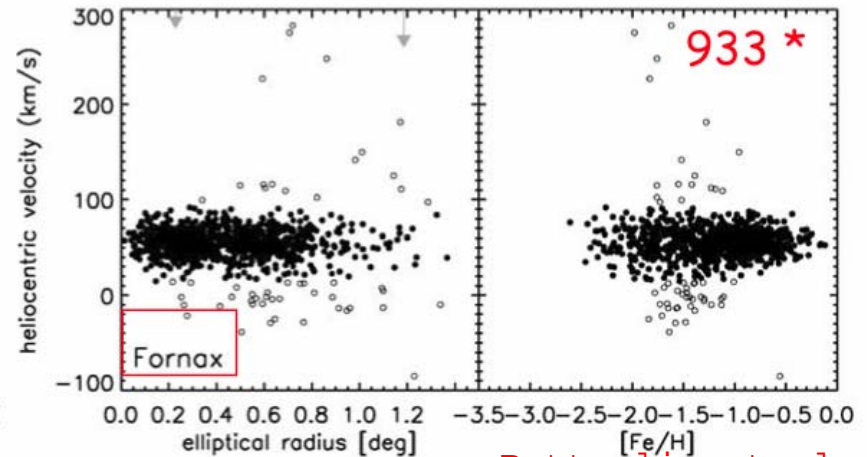
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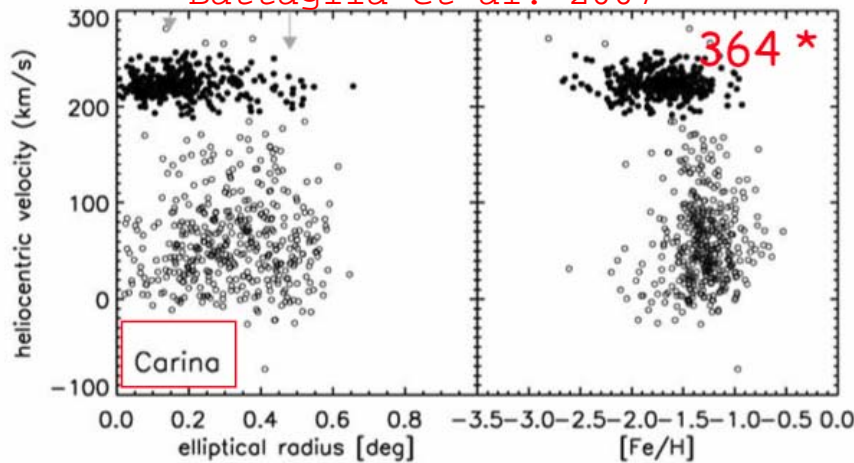
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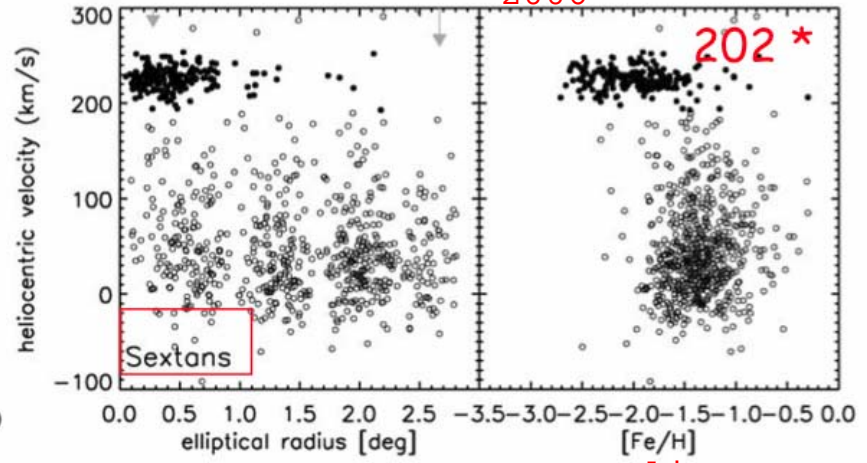
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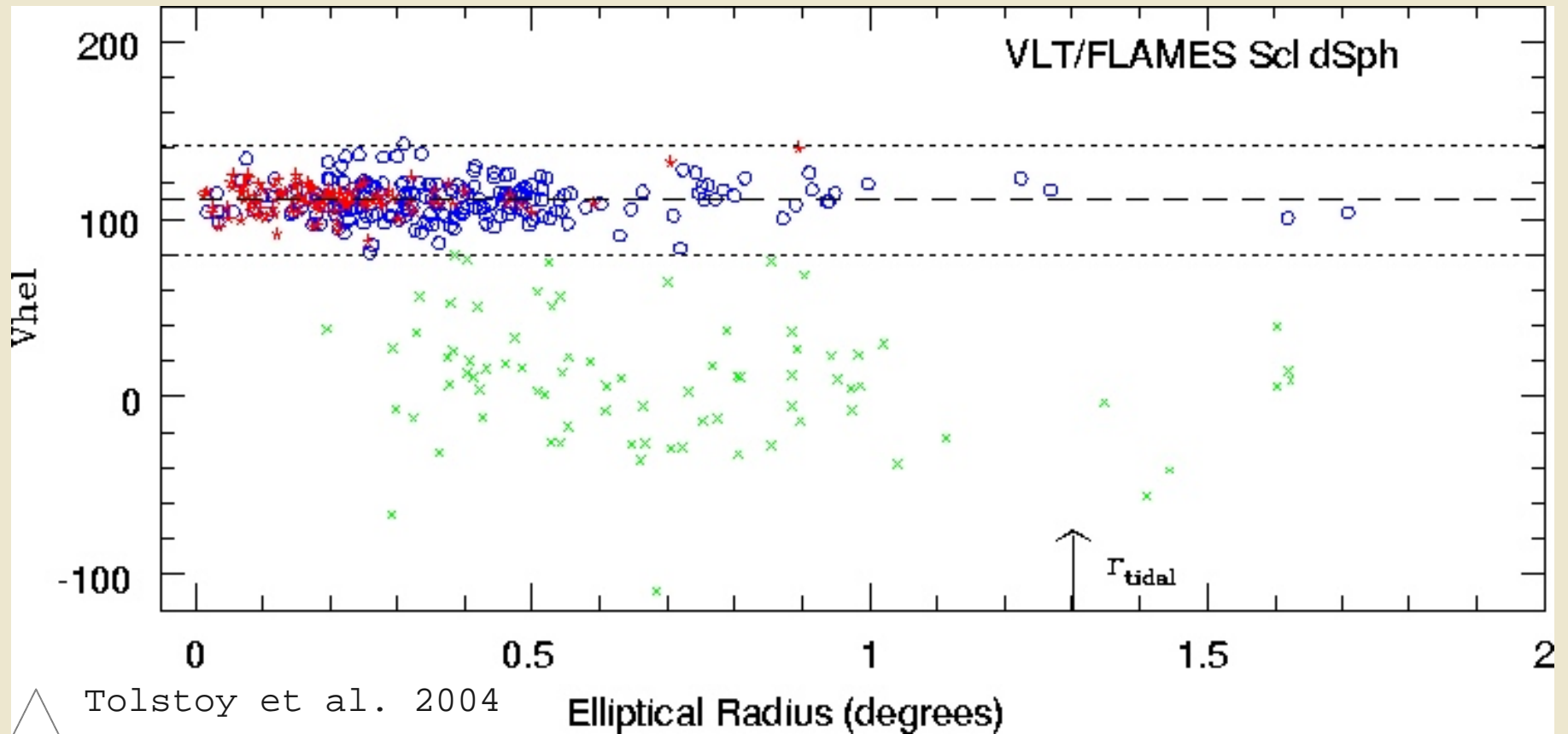


Koch et al. 2006



Battaglia et al. 2007

Kinematics & Metallicity



LR spectroscopy

MOS - 1000 stars per local galaxy (min); 800-900nm;
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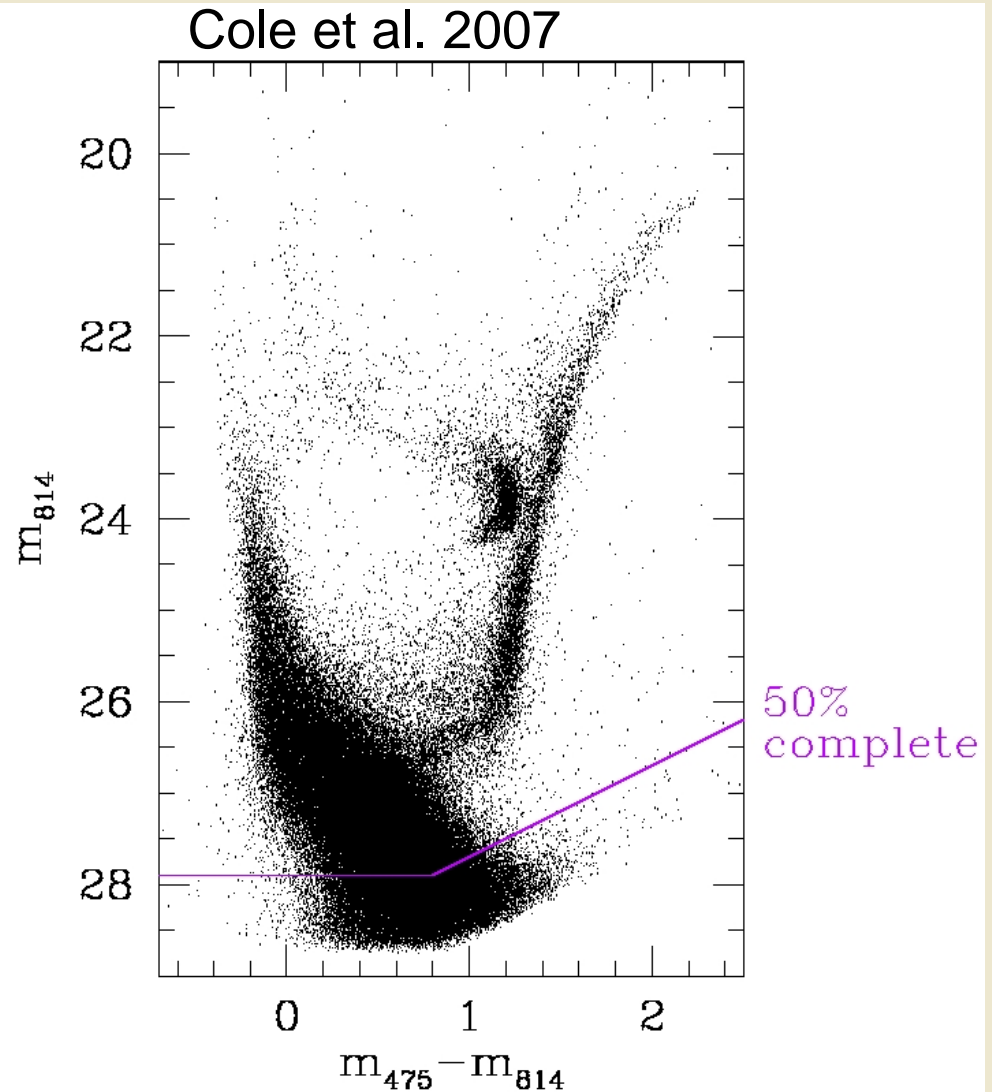
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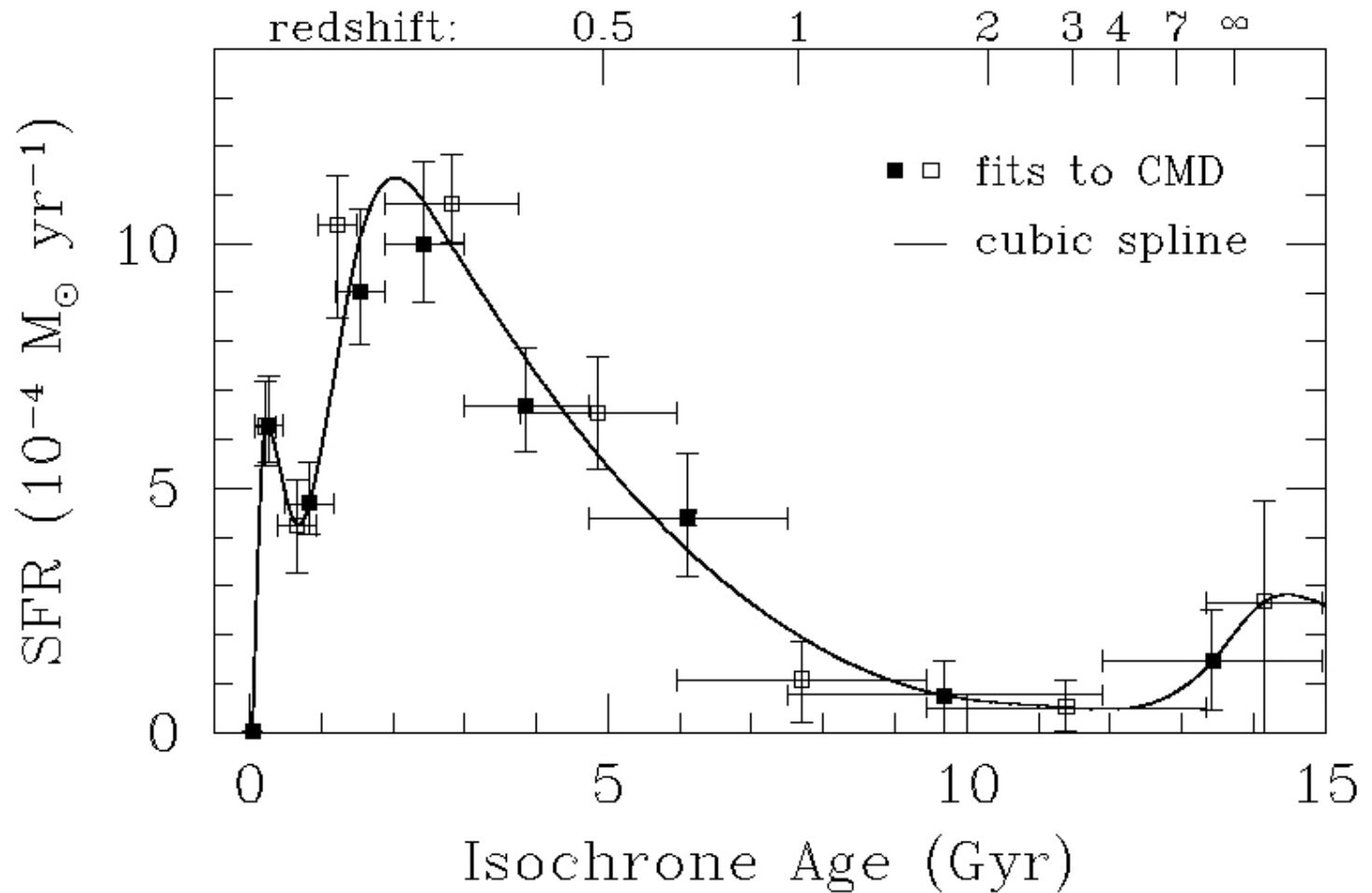
Leo A

Deepest ever CMD (in absolute mag) for an isolated dwarf irregular.

$$M_{814} \approx +3.4$$

$$M_{475} \approx +4.2$$





Results for 2 age binnings, with 1σ random errors on SFR

Cole et al. 2007, ApJL, in press (astro-ph/0702646)