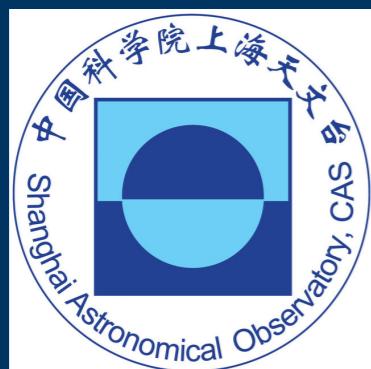


The new detection of blue stragglers in 50 OCs using Gaia DR3

Chunyan Li

collaborators: Jing Zhong, Songmei Qin, Li Chen



e-mail: lichunyan@shao.ac.cn

Shanghai Astronomical Observatory (SHAO),
Chinese Academy of Sciences

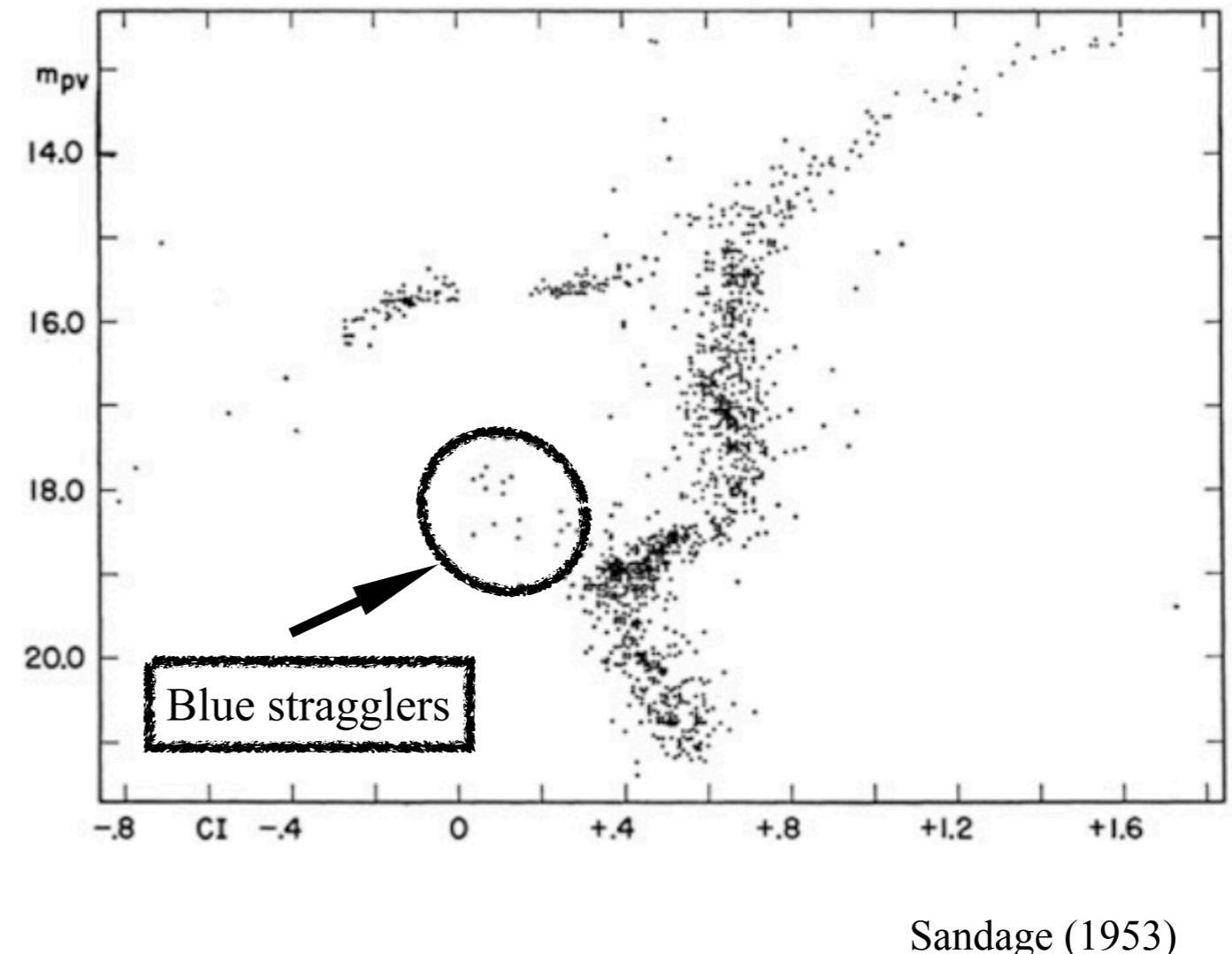
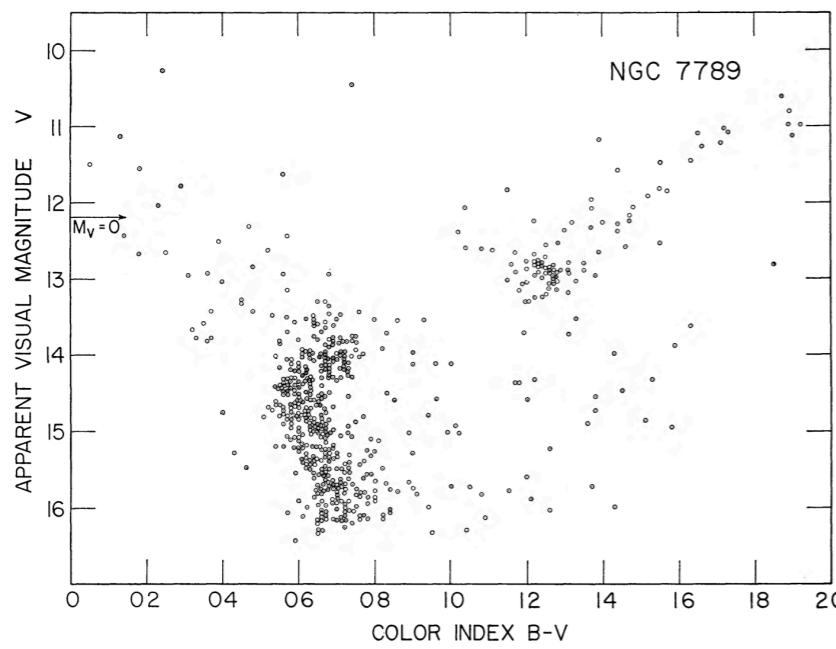
Outlines

- **Background**
- **Data & method**
- **Results**
- **Discussion**
- **Summary & Prospect**

Background

Blue straggler stars(BS)

- Feature: bluer and brighter
- Found: 1953, Sandage, M 3
- Environment :
globular clusters
open clusters

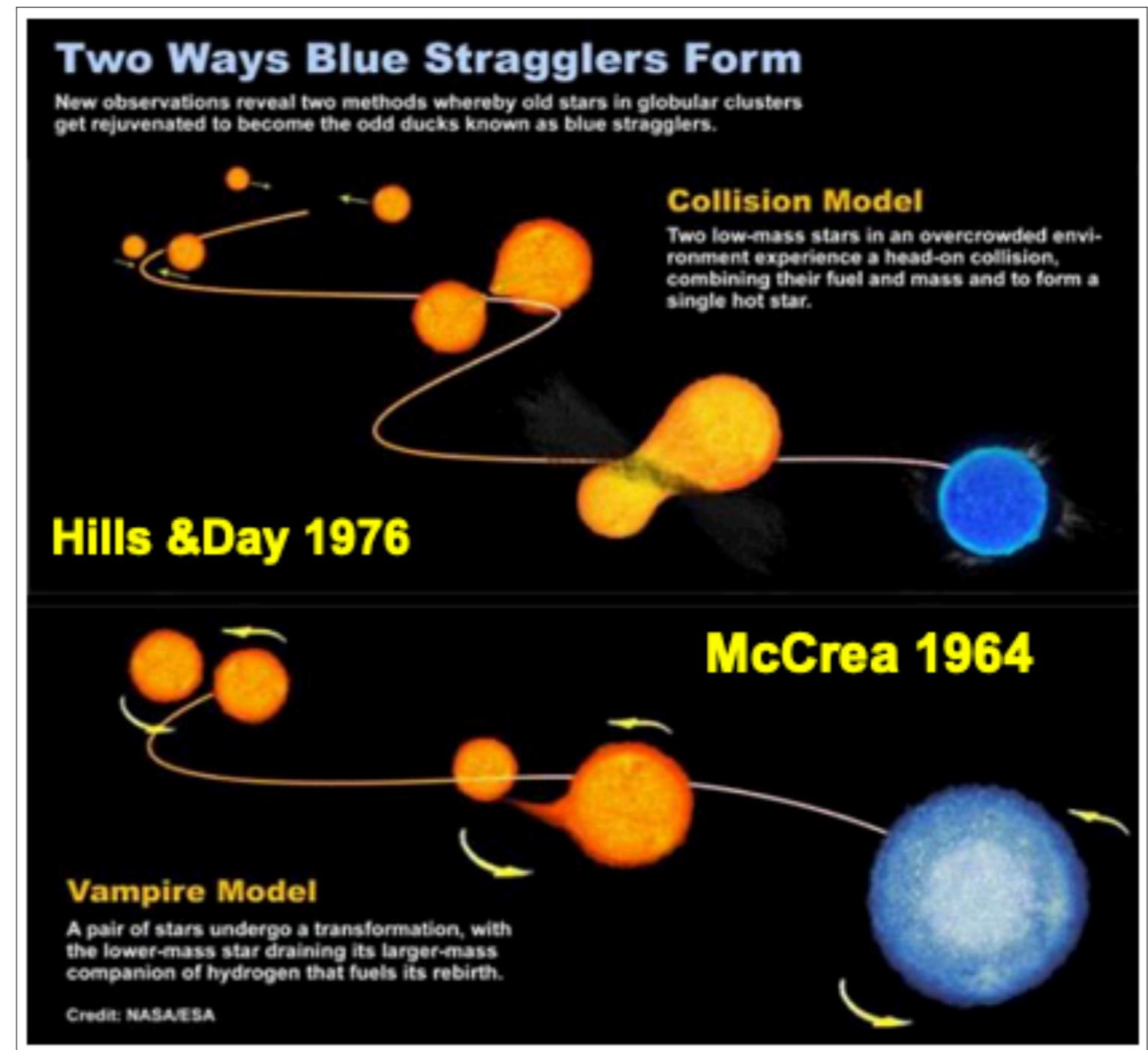


Burbidge & Sandage (1958)

Background

Possible Formation pathway

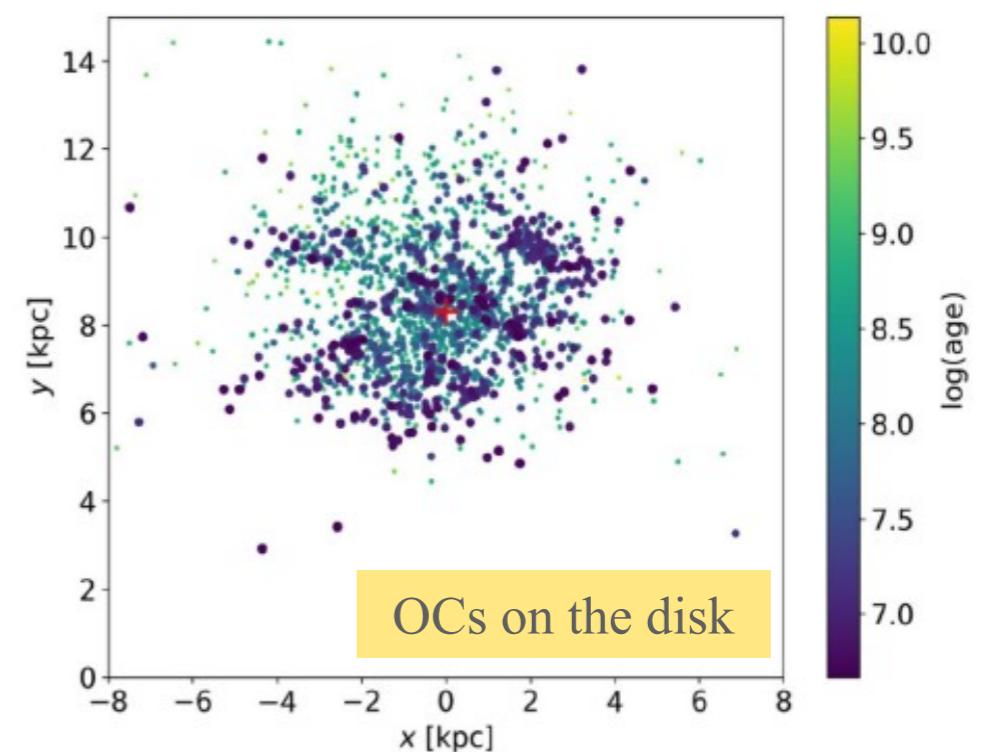
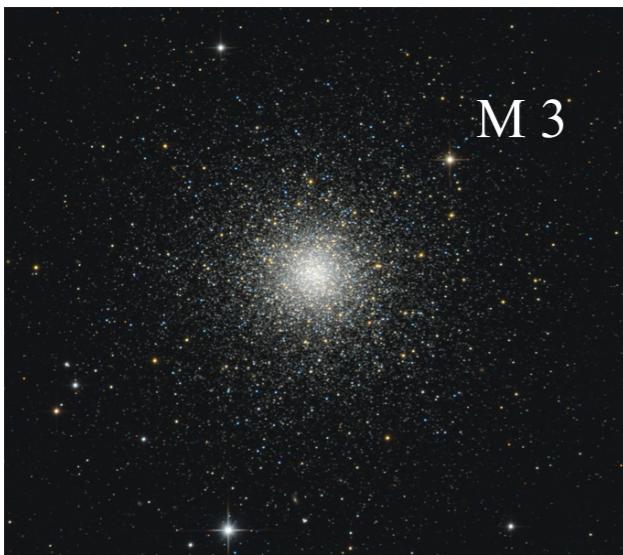
- Vampire Model
mass transfer
- Collision Model
collision and merge



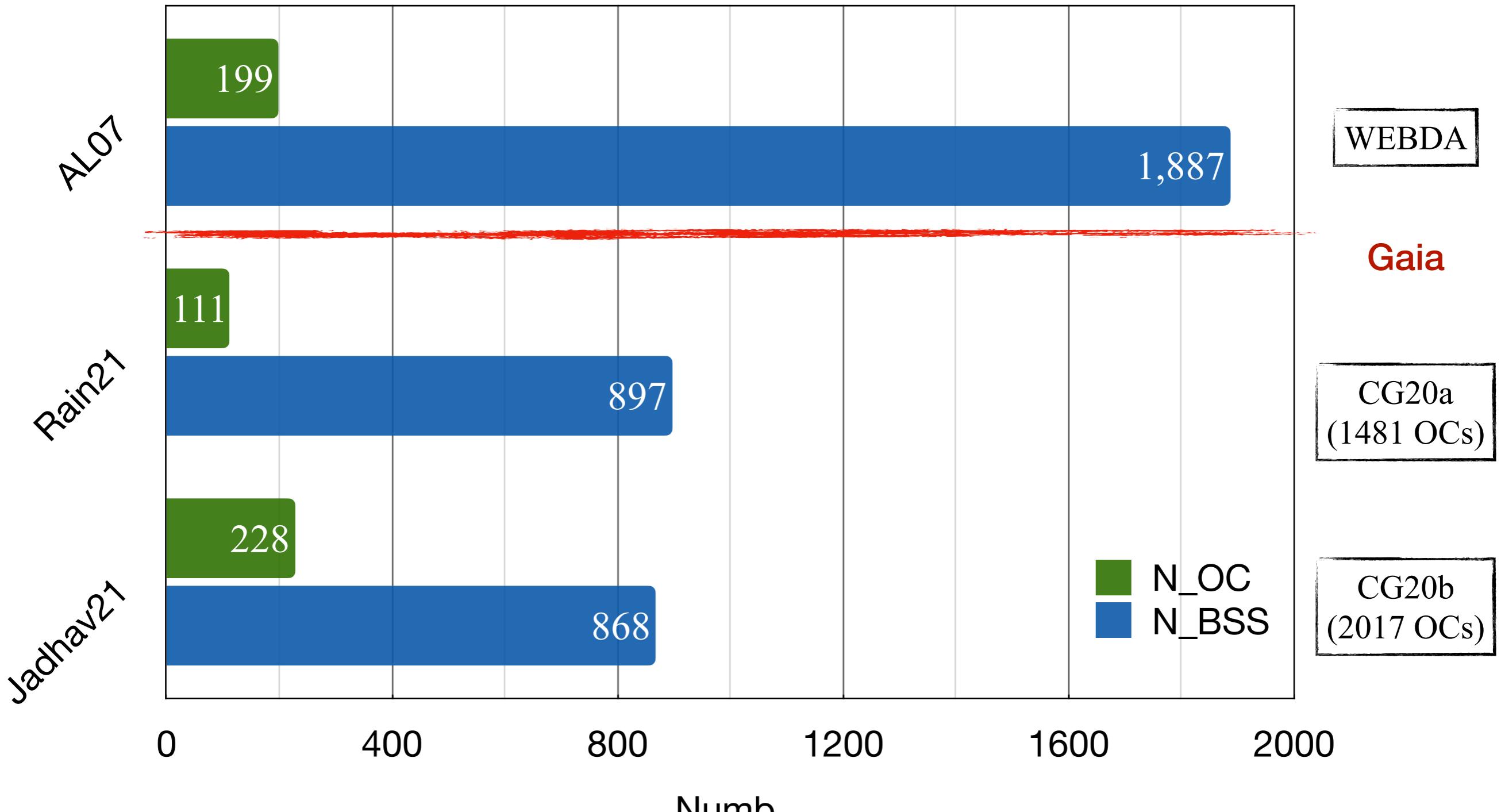
Background

Open clusters(OCs)

- Born from a same cloud
- Same parameters
(distance, kinematics, chemical and age)
- Compare with GCs:
loose structure
more complete observations



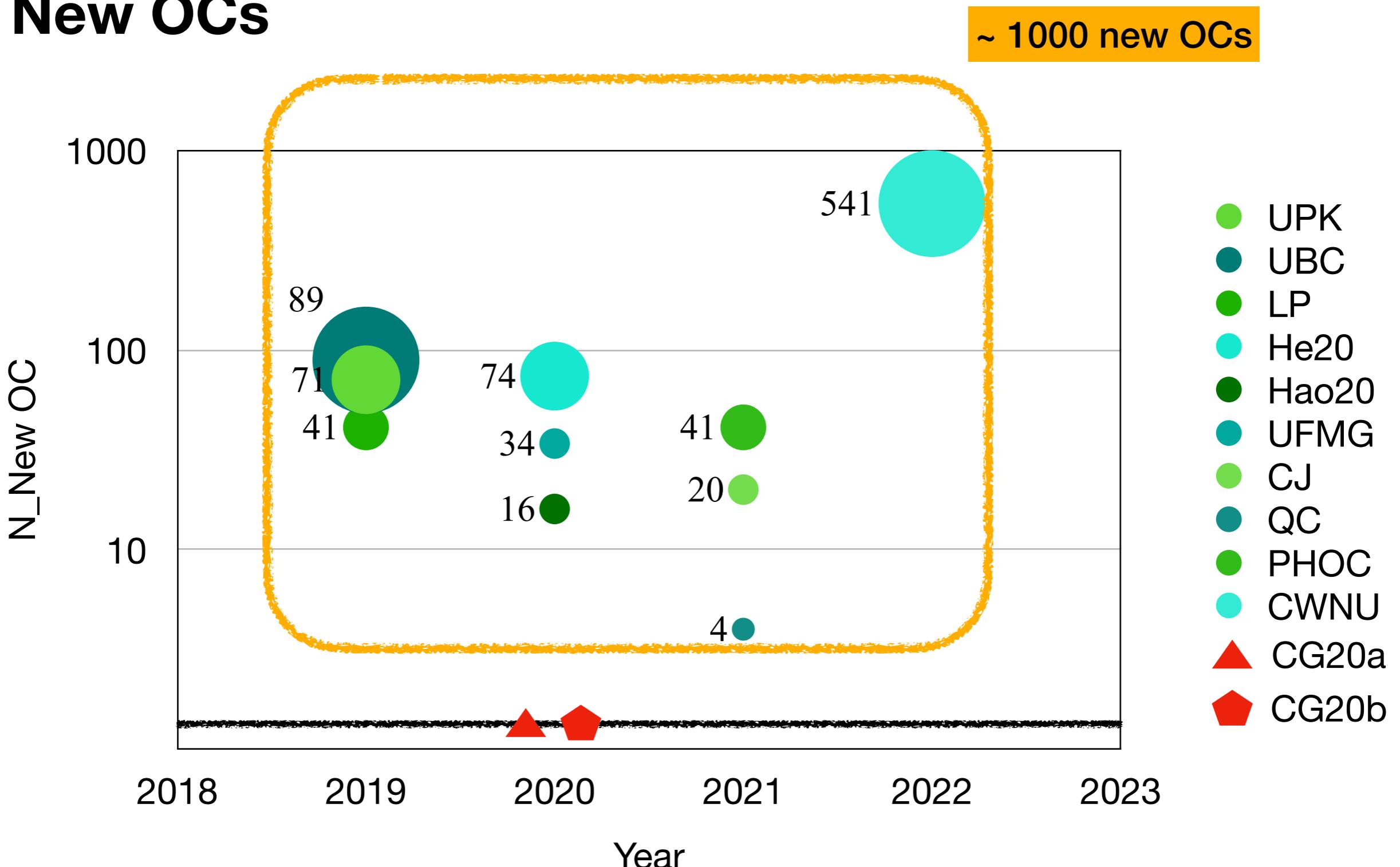
Background BSs in Open clusters



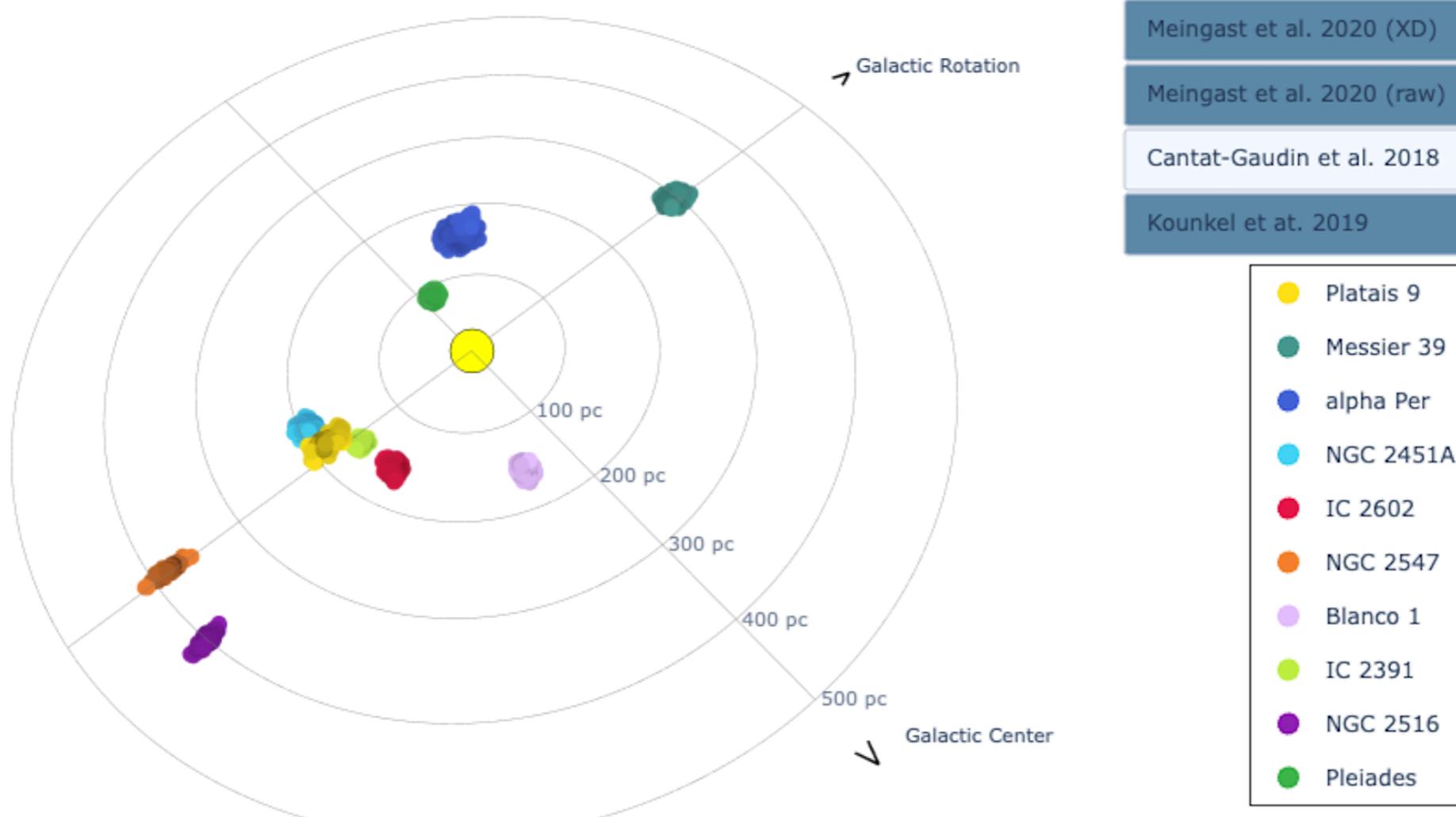
AL07: Ahumada & Lapasset (2007), Rain21: Rain et al. (2021), Jadhav21: Jadhav et al. (2021)
CG20a: Cantat-Gaudin & Anders (2020), CG20b: Cantat-Gaudin et al. (2020)

Background

New OCs

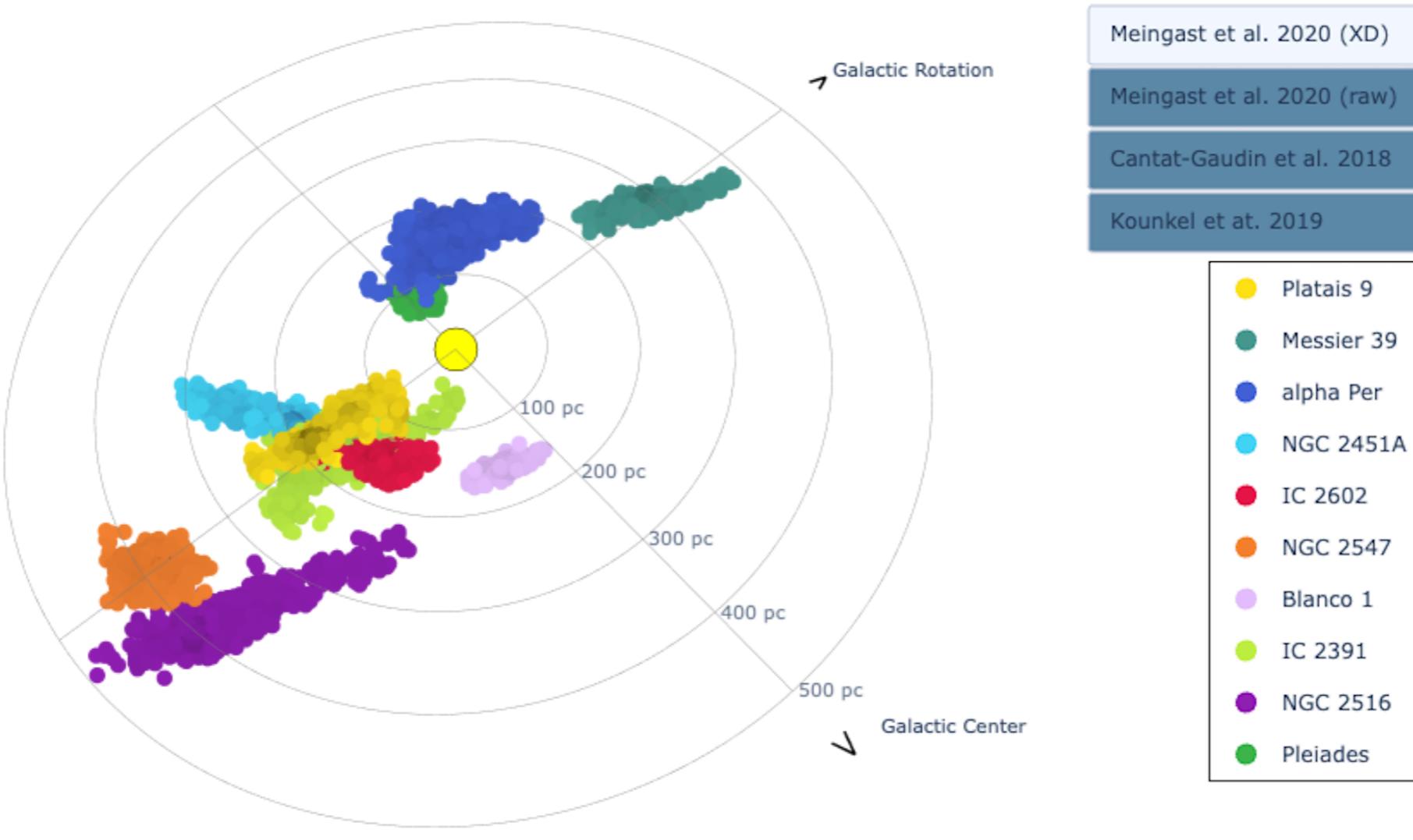


Background spatial extension



Meingast et al. (2021)

Background spatial extension



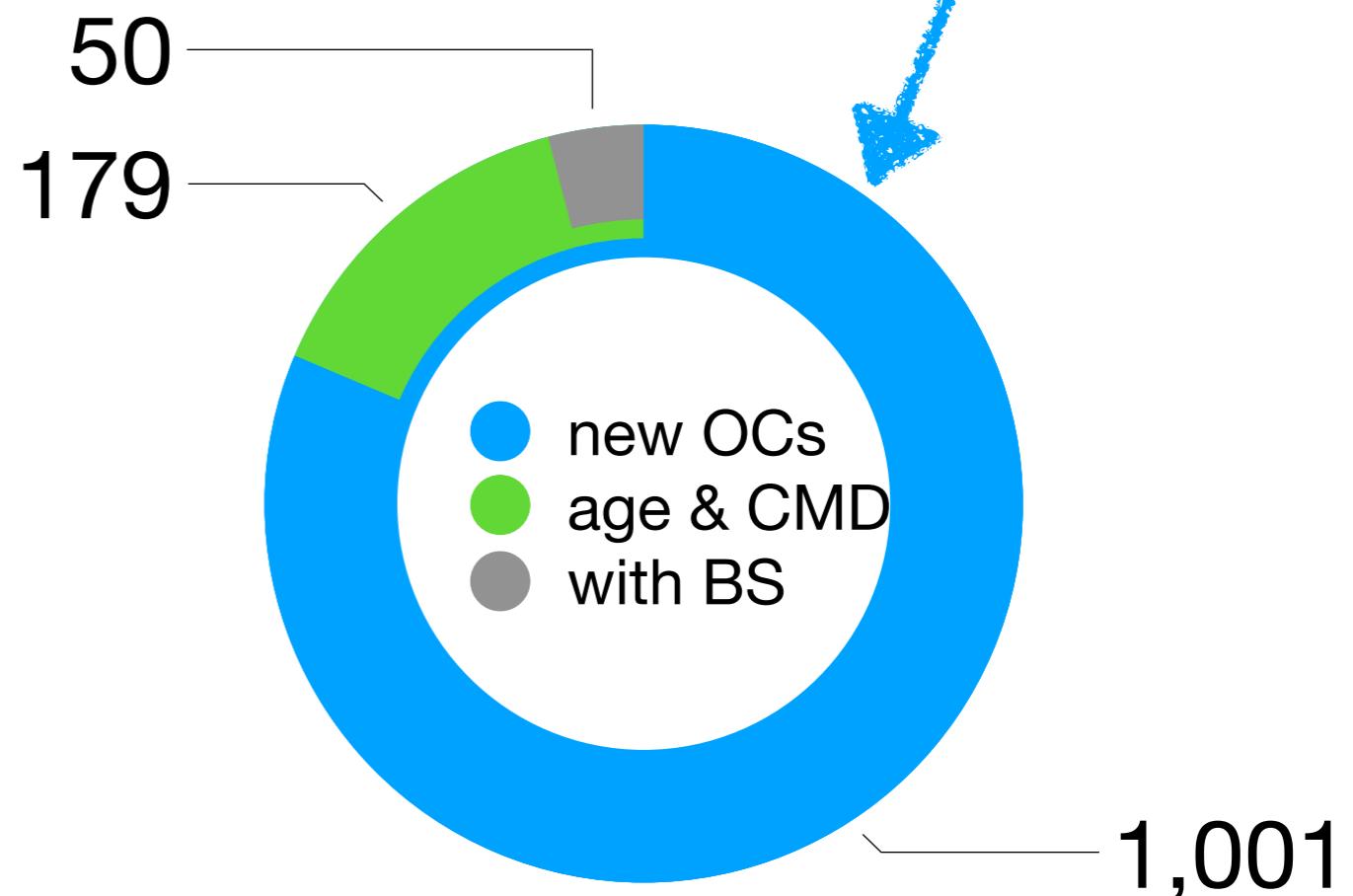
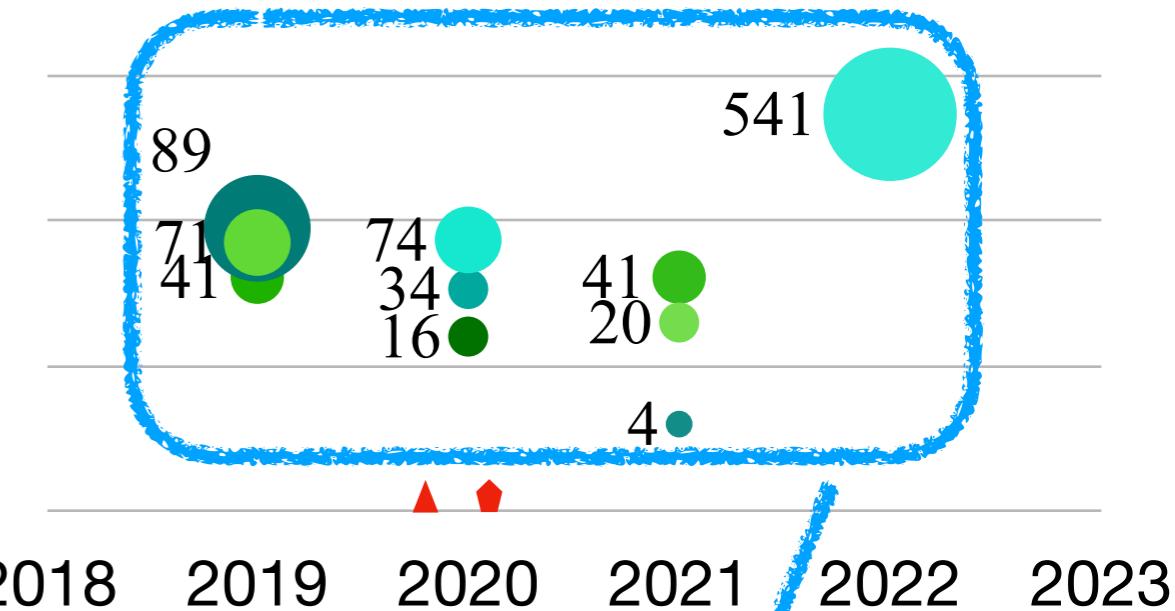
Meingast et al. (2021)

More and more evidence suggests that open clusters have extended outer structures.

Data & method

Data and cluster members

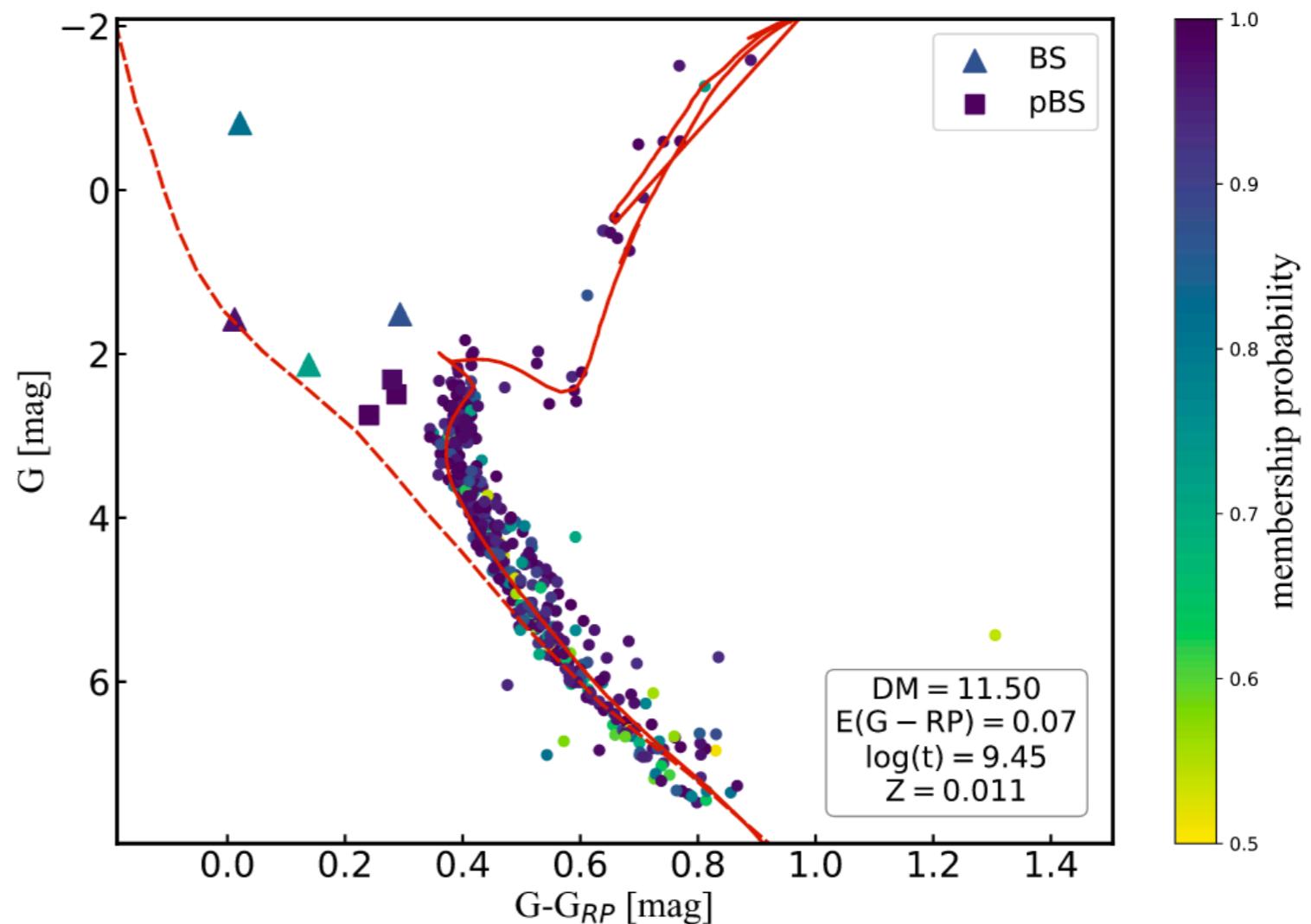
- Gaia DR3
- New OCS:
other than CG20a & CG20b
a larger region
- criteria:
 $\log(\text{age}) > 7$
- Membership probability:
pyUPMASK
5-D parameters



Data & method

Identification of BS

- CMD:
isochrone fit
ZAMS
- BS and pBS:
visual inspection



Results

A&A 672 A81 (2023)

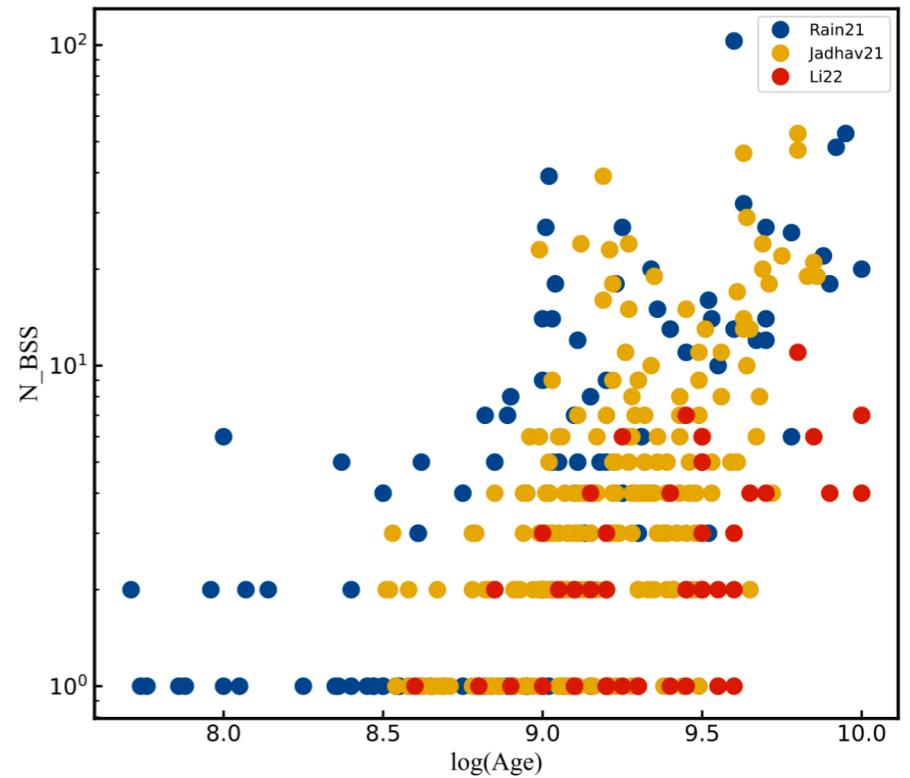
Astronomy
&
Astrophysics

The new detection of blue straggler stars in 50 open clusters using *Gaia* DR3*

Chunyan Li (李春燕)^{1,2} , Jing Zhong (钟靖)¹, Songmei Qin (秦松梅)^{1,2} , and Li Chen (陈力)^{1,2} 

- BS catalog:
138 new BSs, 50 OCs
- Cluster members

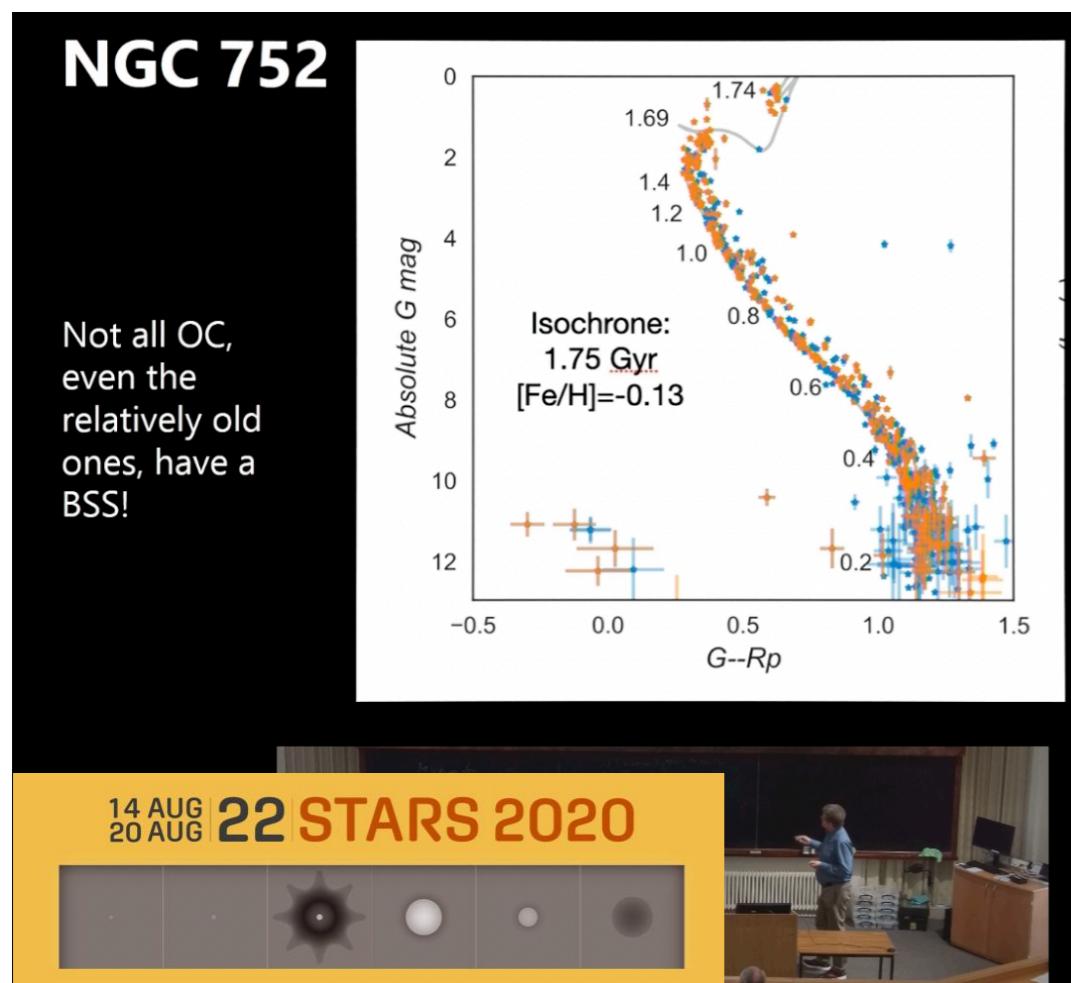
FileName	Lrec1	Records	Explanations
<hr/>			
ReadMe	80	.	This file
table1.dat	77	50	Parameters of clusters with blue stragglers
table2.dat	128	12499	Parameters of cluster members, including BS, pBS and YSS
<hr/>			



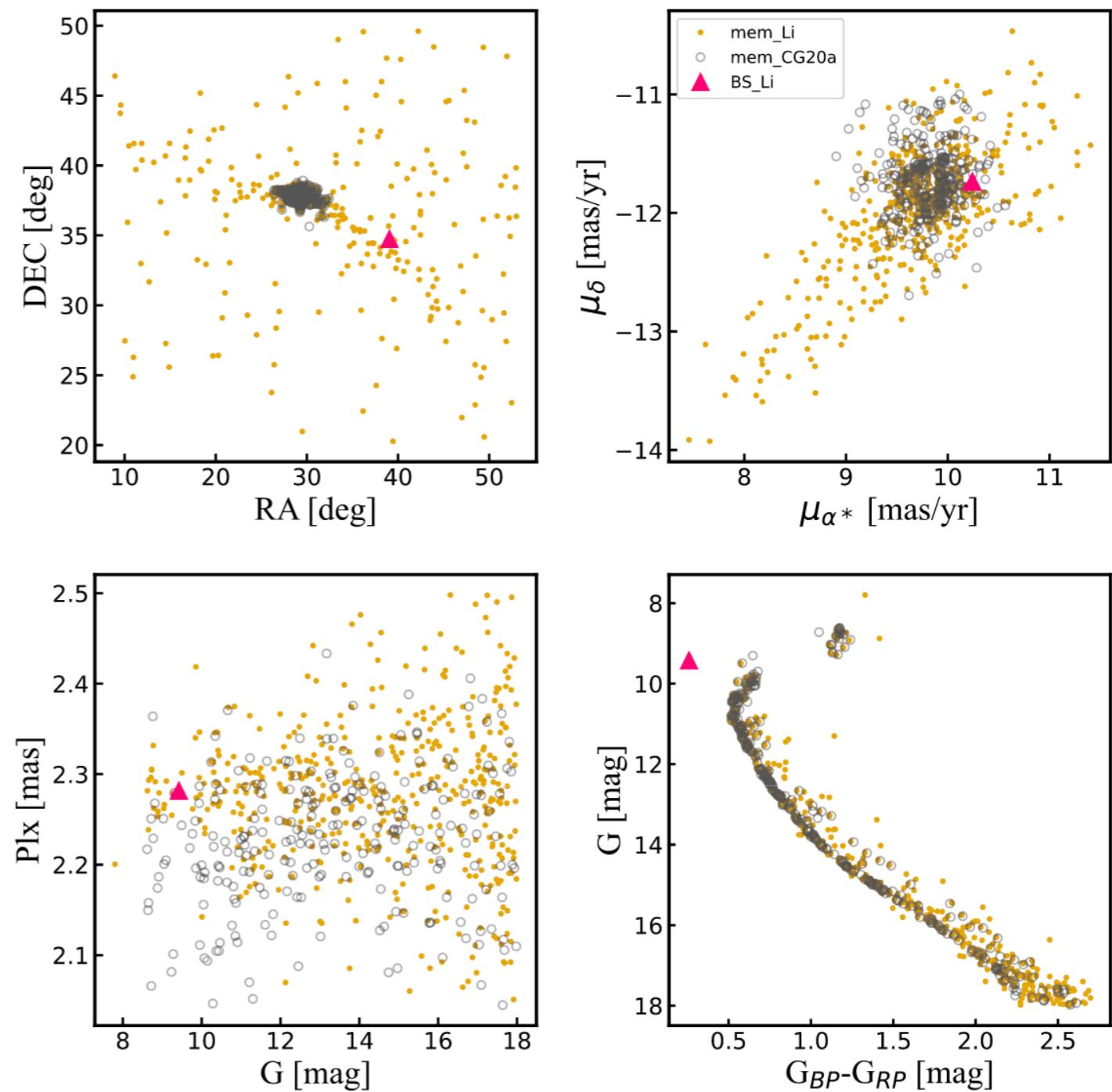
Discussion

BS in the outside

- NGC 752
- BS in tidal tails



Boffin



Summary and Prospect

- Homogeneous identification of cluster members
 - Newly detected 138 BSs in 50 OCs
 - Many BSs stay in the out region of OCs
-
- Census of BSs in OCs covering more extended regions
 - Spectral properties of BS



Thank you !