



CHARACTERISATION OF EXOPLANETARY SYSTEMS WITH HIGH ANGULAR RESOLUTION

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$$\frac{\left(m_p \sin i\right)^3}{\left(M_{\star} + m_p\right)^2} = \frac{P}{2\pi G} K^3 (1-e)^{3/2}$$

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 \rightarrow Dependent on \mathbf{R}_{\bigstar} and \mathbf{M}_{\bigstar}

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Important for exoplanets characterisation, and in particular for transiting ones

$$\frac{\Delta F}{F} = \left(\frac{R_P}{R_\star}\right)^2$$





INTRODUCTION





Creevey et al. 2007





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interferometry

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And important for stellar characterisation



Interferometer



Angular resolution = λ/B

larger resolution
 smaller objects

Classical telescope



Angular resolution = λ/D



→ larger sensitivity
 → more distant objects



STELLAR RADIUS WITH INTERFEROMETRY

CHARA



 $B_{max} = 132 m$



NPOI









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Photometry from VizieR Photometry Viewer

Fit from BASEL library spectra

Take into account log(g), Av, [Fe/H]

Average accuracy on T_{eff,}★: 57K in average



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Interferomet

Method: Interpolation of PARSEC stellar models (Bressan et al. 2012).



- This corresponds to the approximate likelihood map in the (M_{\star} , age $_{\star}$) for which each
- term of the equation $\chi^2 = \frac{(L L_{\star})^2}{\sigma_{L_{\star}}^2} + \frac{(T_{\text{eff}} T_{\text{eff},\star})^2}{\sigma_{T_{\text{eff},\star}}^2} + \frac{([M/H] [M/H]_{\star})}{\sigma_{[M/H]_{\star}}^2}$ is less than 1, 2, 3 (red, yellow,
- Then, least squares to give a value.

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- *L* shows 2 different peaks for many MS stars: an old solution: > 400 Myrs a young solution: < 400 Myrs</p>
- M_{\star} and age_{\star} are not independent Clear negative correlation for the old solution

Need additional stellar properties (gyrochronology, chromospheric activity, Lithium abundance...) to validate the age.













Ligi et al. (2012a, 2012b, 2016)

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Stars harbouring transiting exoplanets



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CoRoT, Kepler >3000 exoplanets discovered



TESS Input Catalog (TIC-6.2): Candidate Target List



PLATO 4-11 mag solar type stars



TESS 4-12 mag F5 to M5



CHEOPS

Indirect

measurements



V<12 mag Known host stars

Direct measurements

SOME LIMITATIONS: COMPARISON BETWEEN MEASUREMENTS







Boyajian et al. 2013





EMPIRICAL RELATIONS



Huber et al. 2012

Ligi et al. 2016



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Surface-brightness color relation (SBCR) - NARDETTO HDR 2017



SOME LIMITATIONS: LIMB-DARKENING

α Cen A with Pionier/VLTI



Kervella et al. 2017







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GJ504 GOV bright star High metallicity High activity

One companion detected at 43.5 au (SEEDS survey) First jovian planet resolved around a solar-type star

Mass of the companion? Strongly depends on the

age of the star!





IRDIS & IFS images (SPHERE/VLT), SHINE survey Bonnefoy et al. 2018



MIXING TECHNICS: THE EXAMPLE OF GJ504



Interferometric measurements to refine the isochronal age: VEGA/CHARA: 0.71±0.02 mas

But still compatible with **2 isochronal ages**: 21±2 Myr 4.0±1.8 Gyr

- Scatter in the T_{eff,★} determination, thus the age.
- GJ504 A is an active, rapid rotator, thus spots can be found at its surface.
 - \rightarrow Effects of spots? Could affect L $_{\bigstar}$ and T $_{eff,\bigstar}$

Results:

in T_{eff.}★.

- Due to the dispersion of the interferometric measurements, spot should not affect the measured angular diameter.
- Possible spots either too small (p=7%) or too big (p=22%) to be compatible with the bias



See talk A. Crida

- Using the stellar density + interferometric radius: M_{\star} = 0.96 ± 0.067 M_{\odot}
- Still, different parameters in the model → different, inconsistent masses for the young solution: CES2MO (Lebreton & Goupil 2014) gives M_★ from

0.950 \pm 0.015 to 0.989 \pm 0.020 M_{\odot}



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6 telescopes at the same time





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Often, many techniques needed to characterise an exoplanetary system Interferometry brings information at several levels (radius, age...)

In the (near) future...

More targets accessible with high angular resolution Complementarity between instruments/spatial missions

- → Better characterisation case by case: composition, habitability.
- → Better global view: link between planetary parameters and formation mechanisms
- → Characterisation of faint stars will become possible (refine empirical relations)







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