

Mapping the Milky Way with LAMOST

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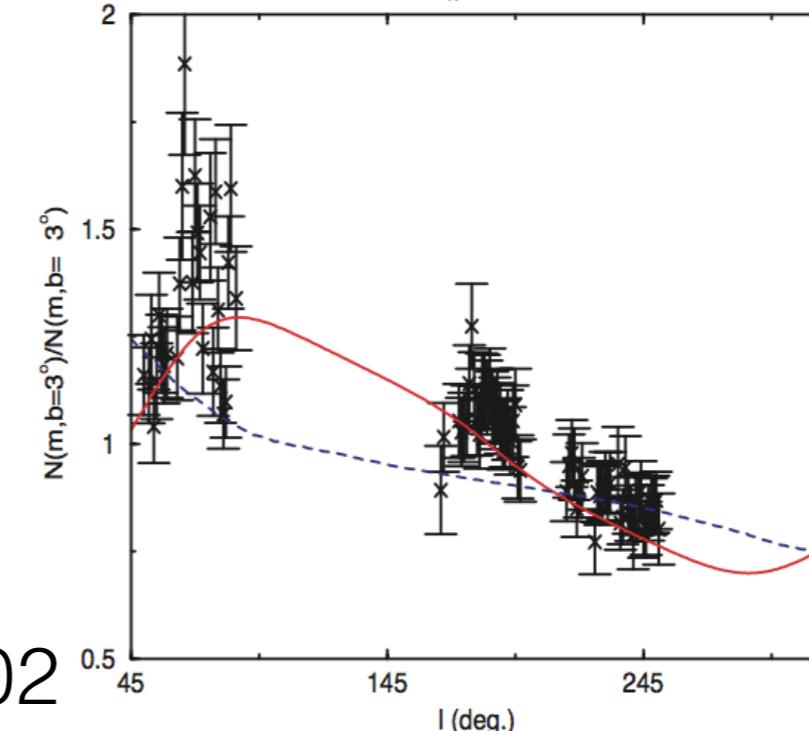
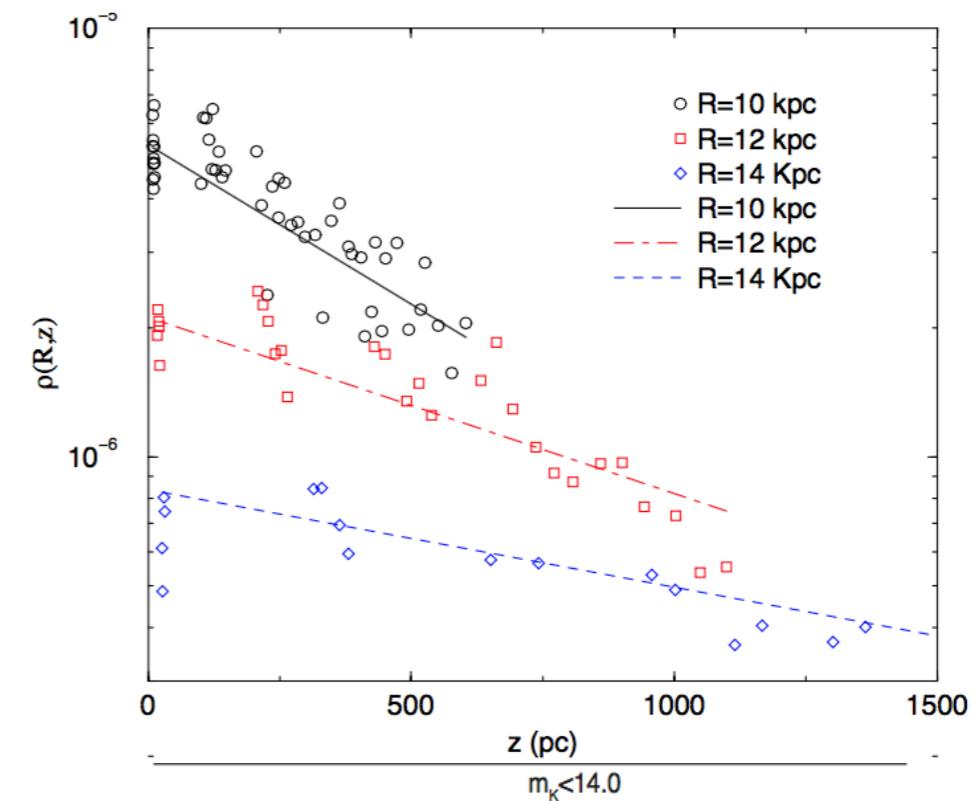
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Outlines

- Introduction of the Galactic structure
- Methodology
- Test & Validation of the method
- The disk
- The halo
- Conclusions

The Milky Way Disk

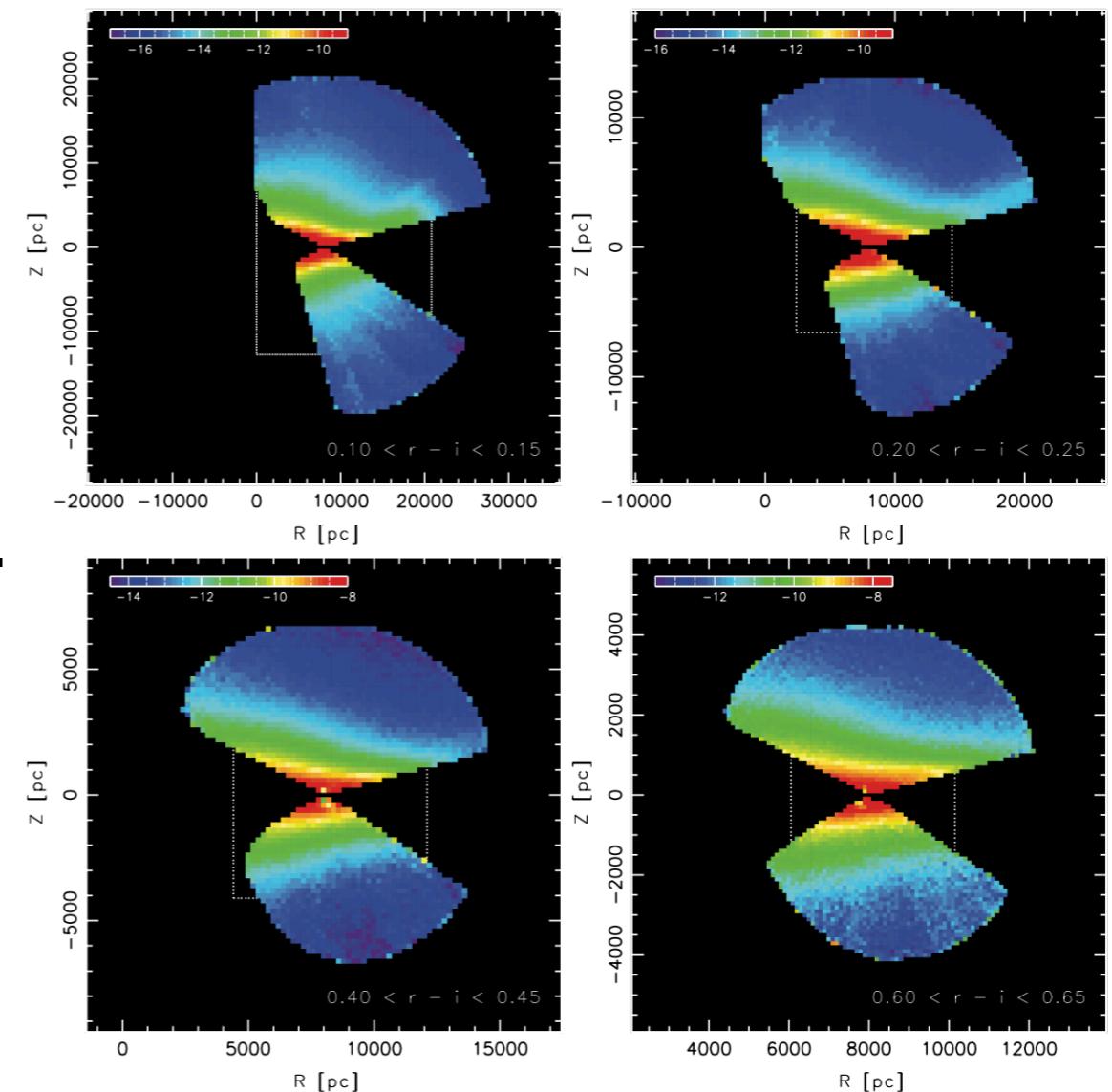
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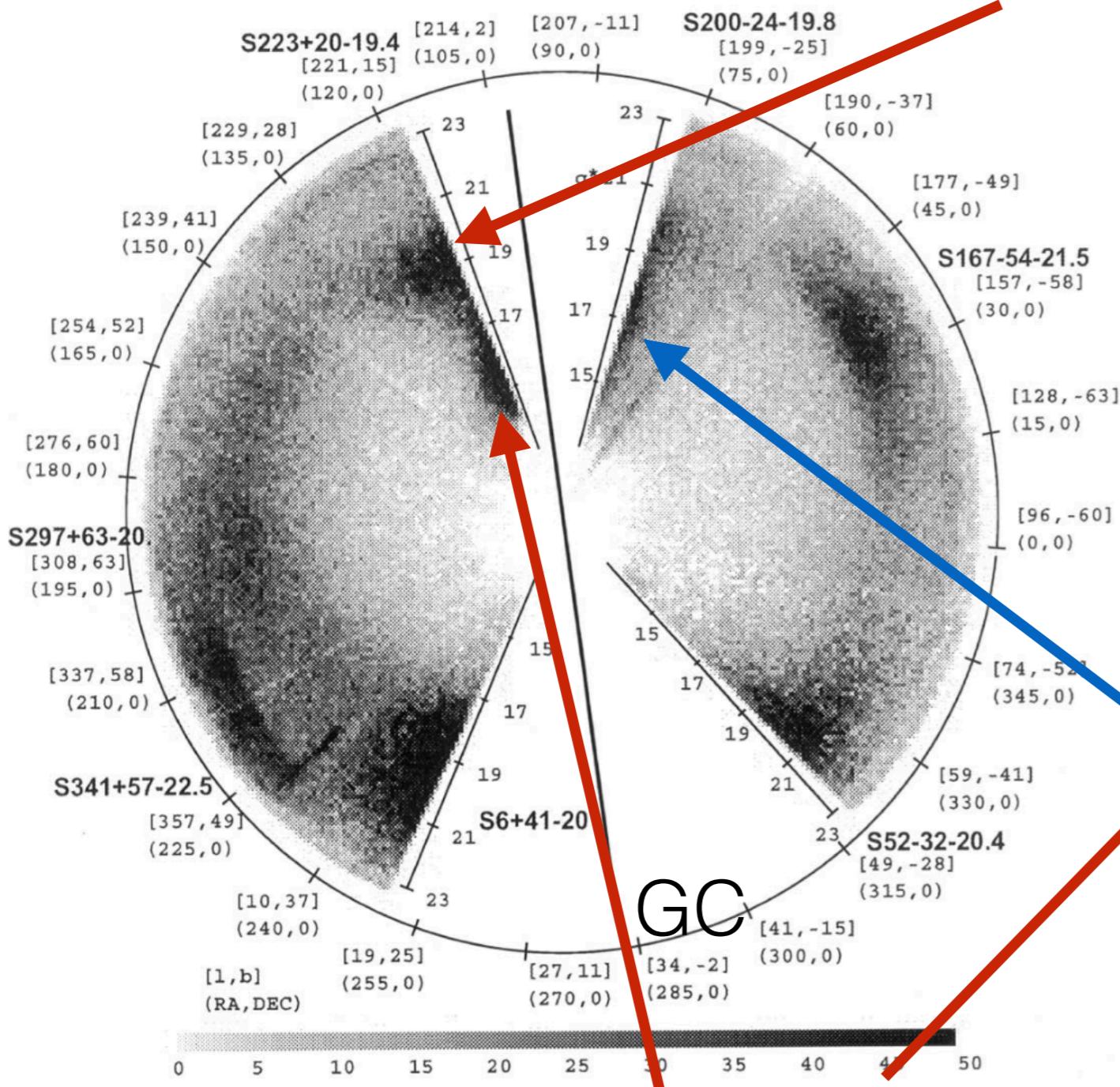
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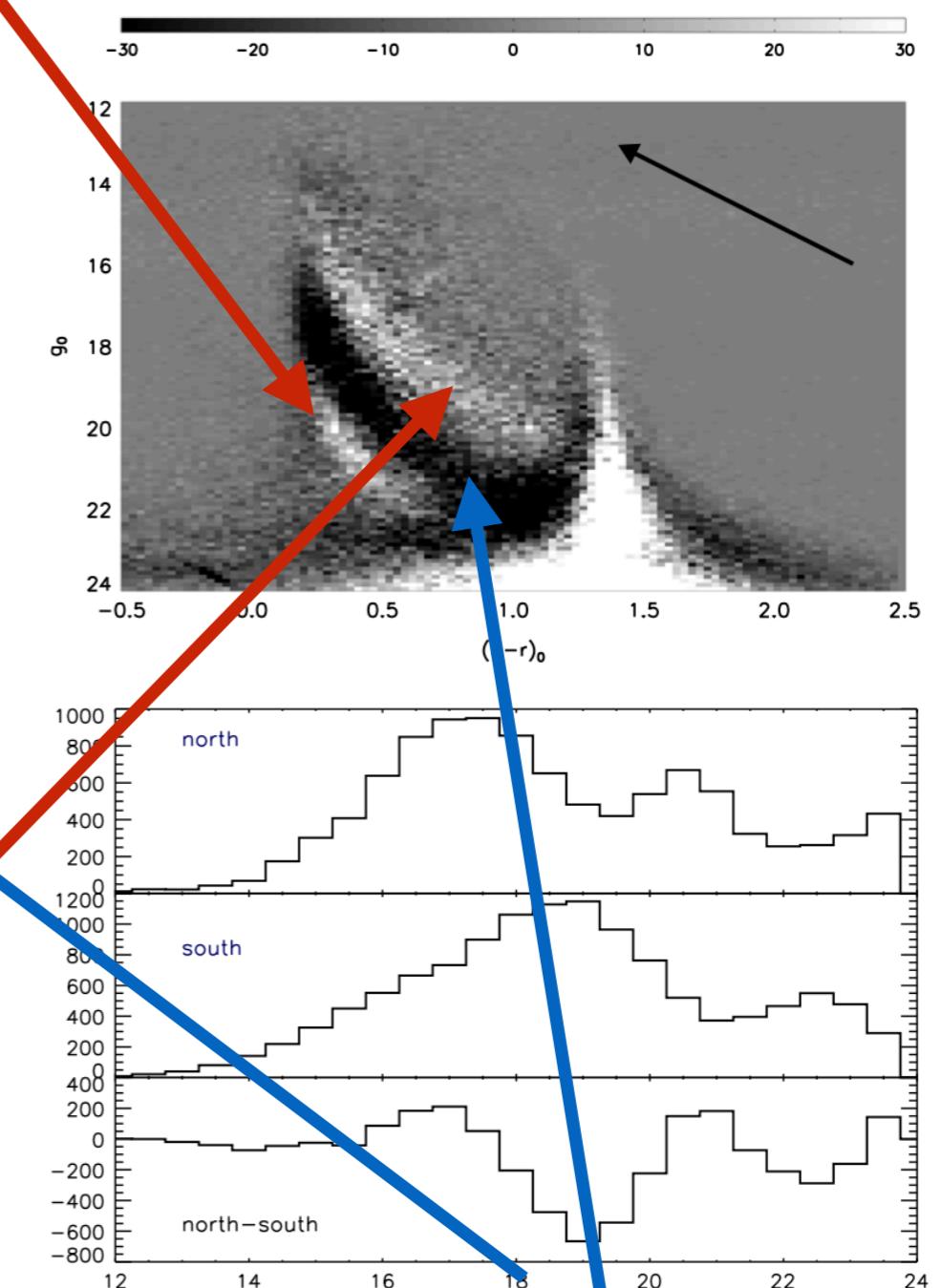
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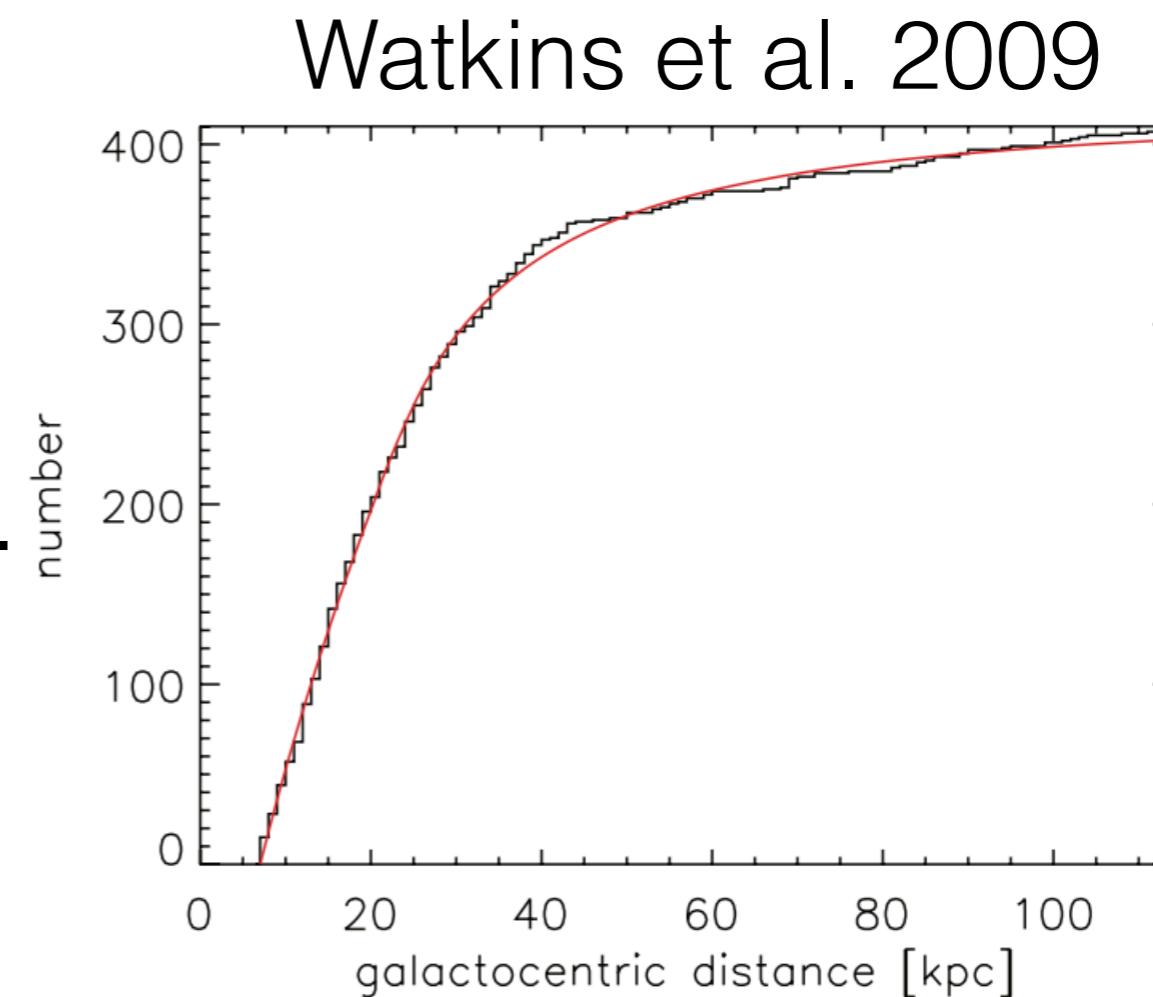
North Near overdensity

South Far overdensity



The Milky Way Halo

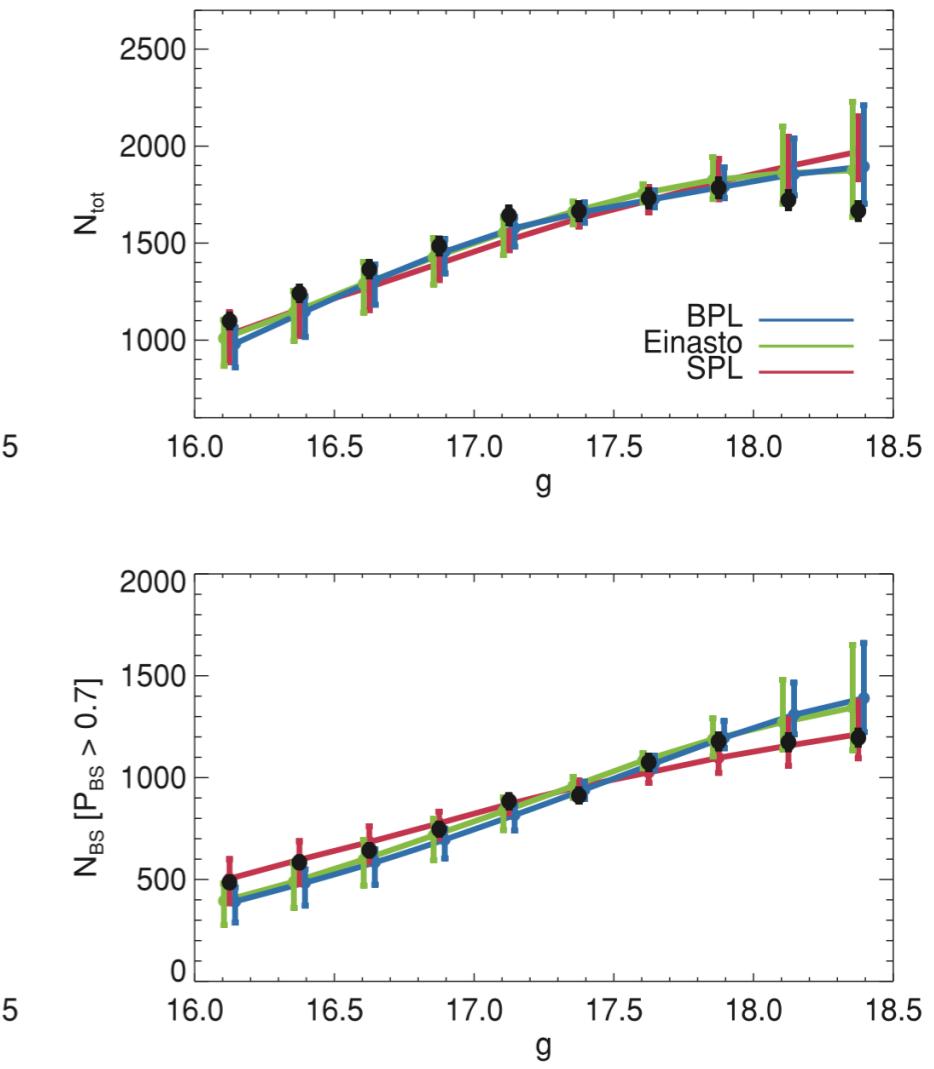
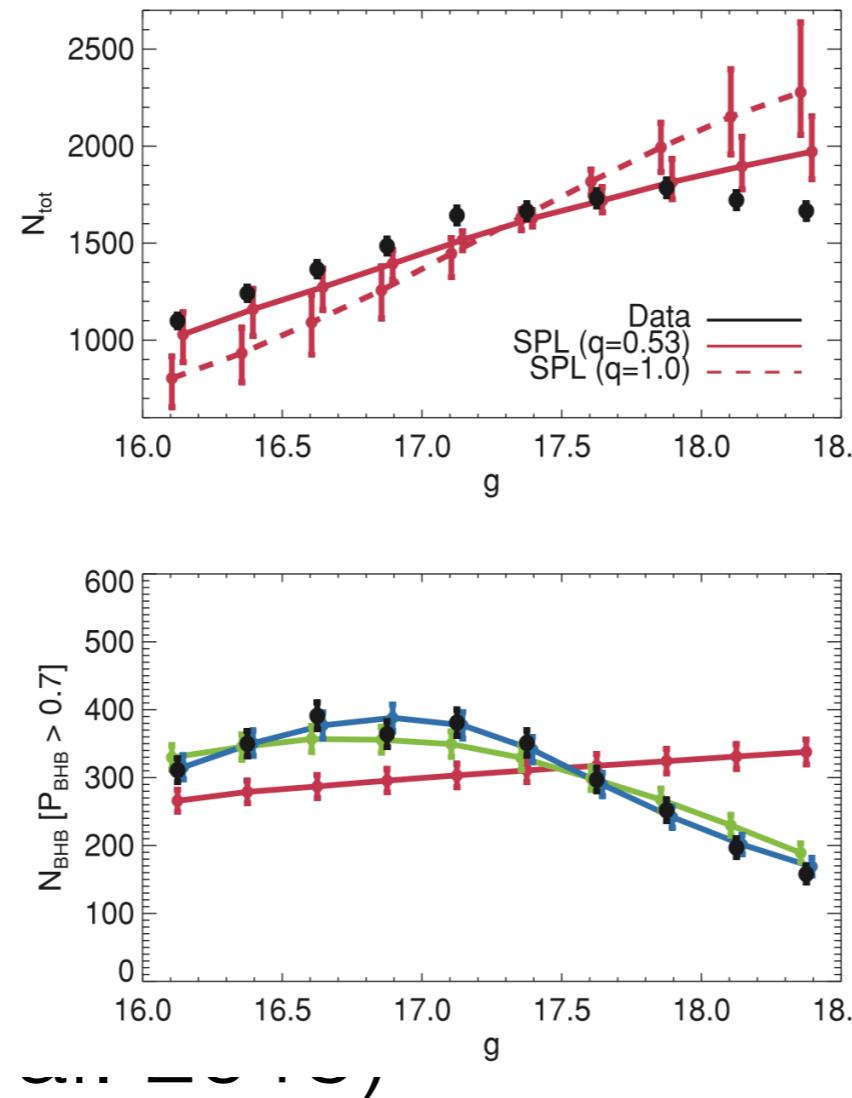
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$$n(r) = 2.6 \begin{cases} \left(\frac{23 \text{ kpc}}{r}\right)^{2.4} & \text{if } 5 < r \leq 23 \text{ kpc}, \\ \left(\frac{23 \text{ kpc}}{r}\right)^{4.5} & \text{if } 23 < r < 100 \text{ kpc} \end{cases}$$

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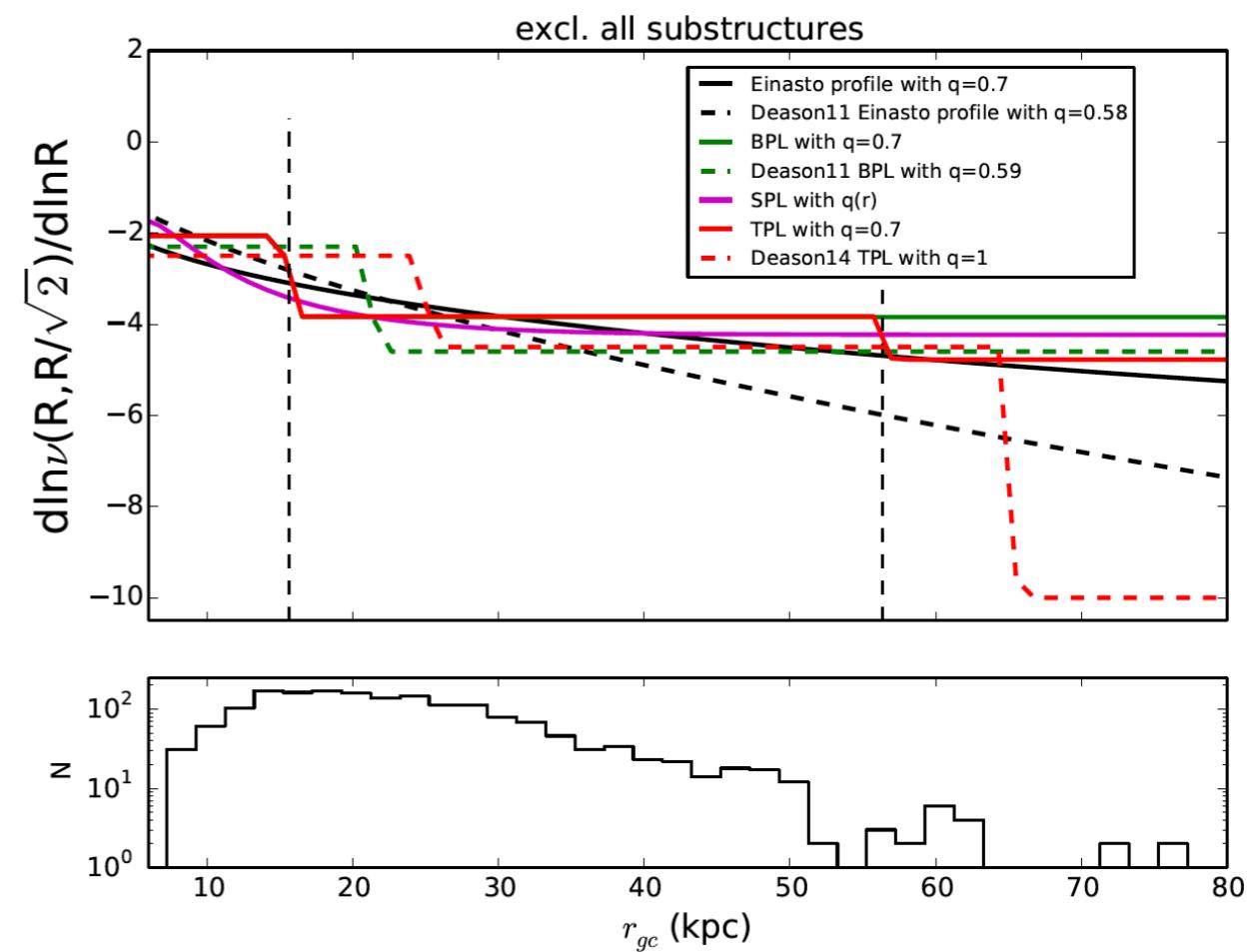
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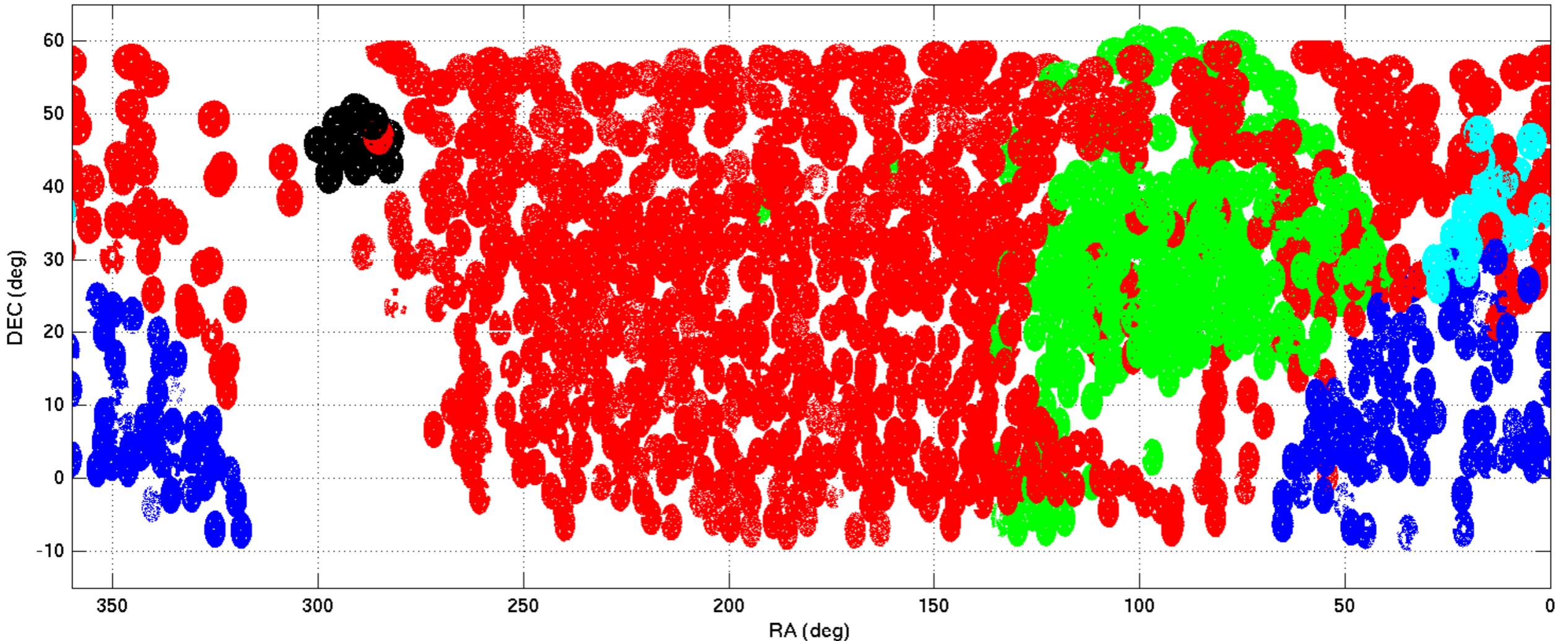
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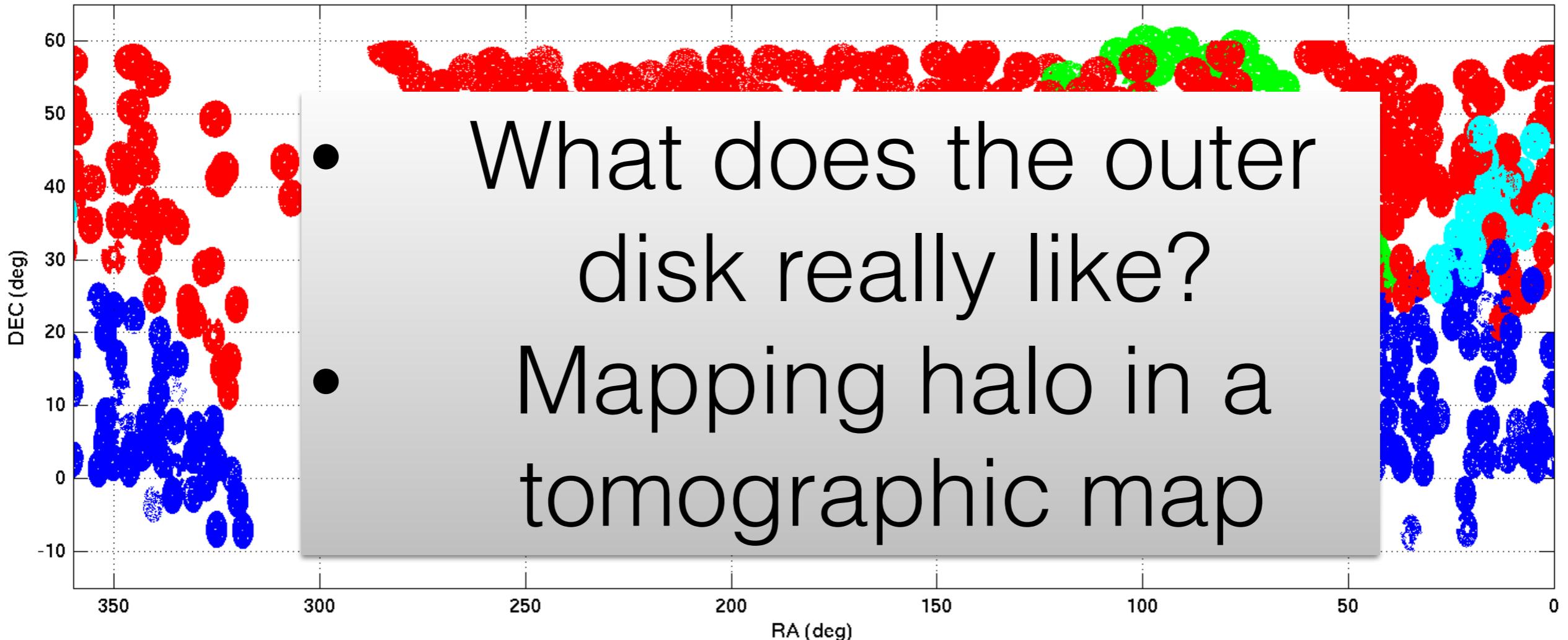


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LAMOST survey



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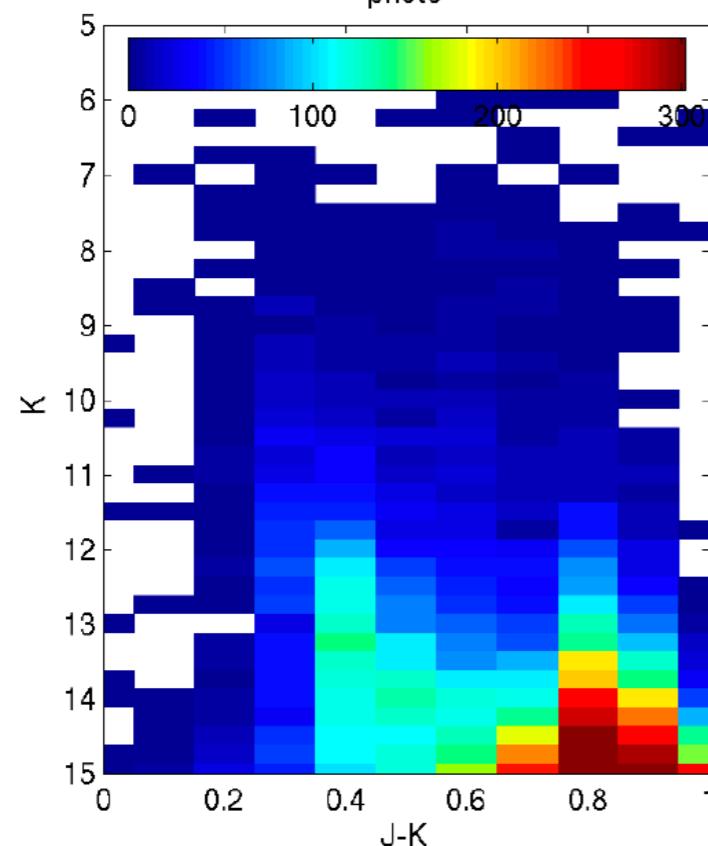
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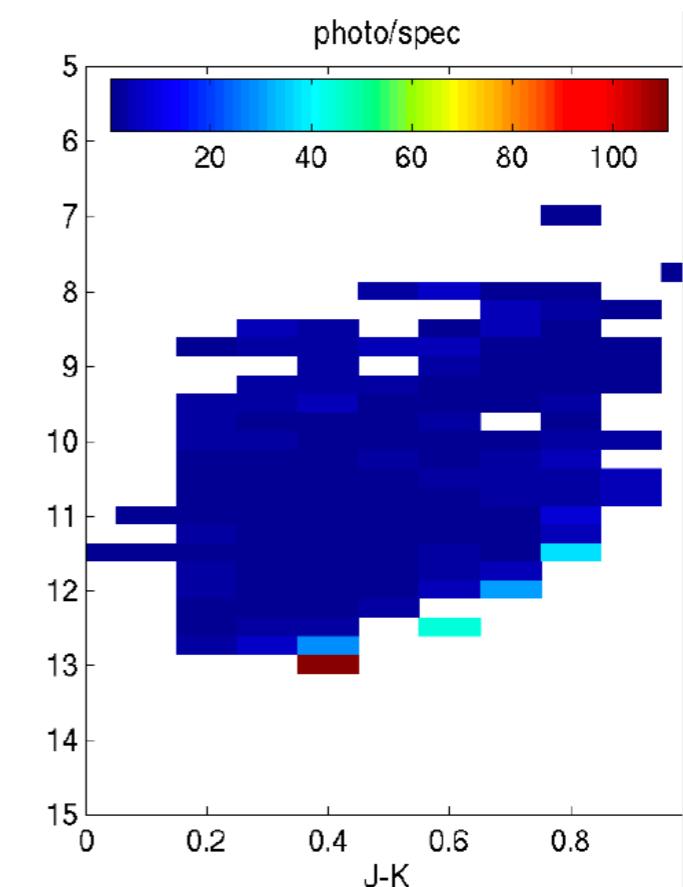
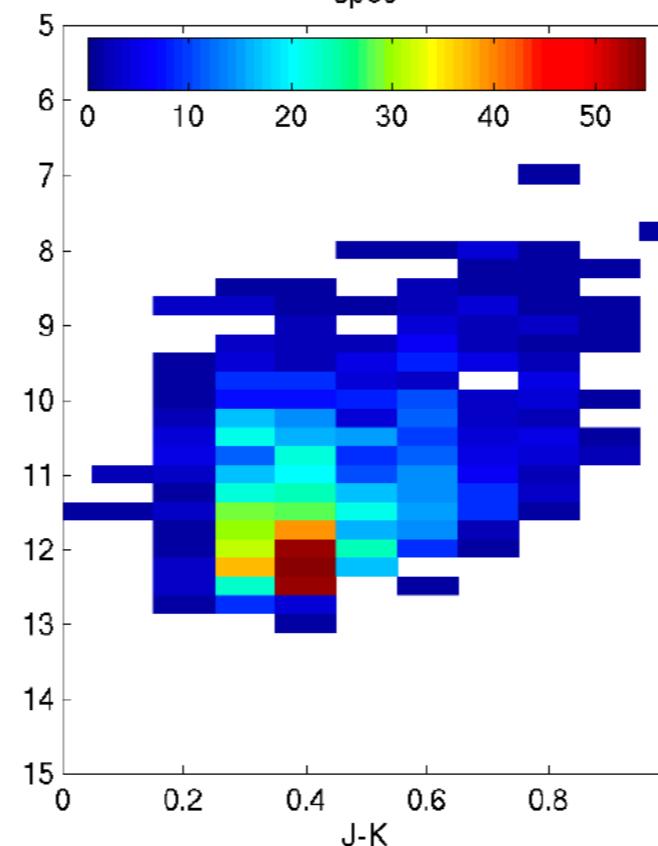
$$\nu_{ph}(D|c, m, l, b) = \nu_{sp}(D|c, m, l, b)S^{-1}(c, m, l, b),$$

$$S(c, m, l, b) = \frac{\int_0^\infty \nu_{sp}(D|c, m, l, b)\Omega D^2 dD}{\int_0^\infty \nu_{ph}(D|c, m, l, b)\Omega D^2 dD}$$

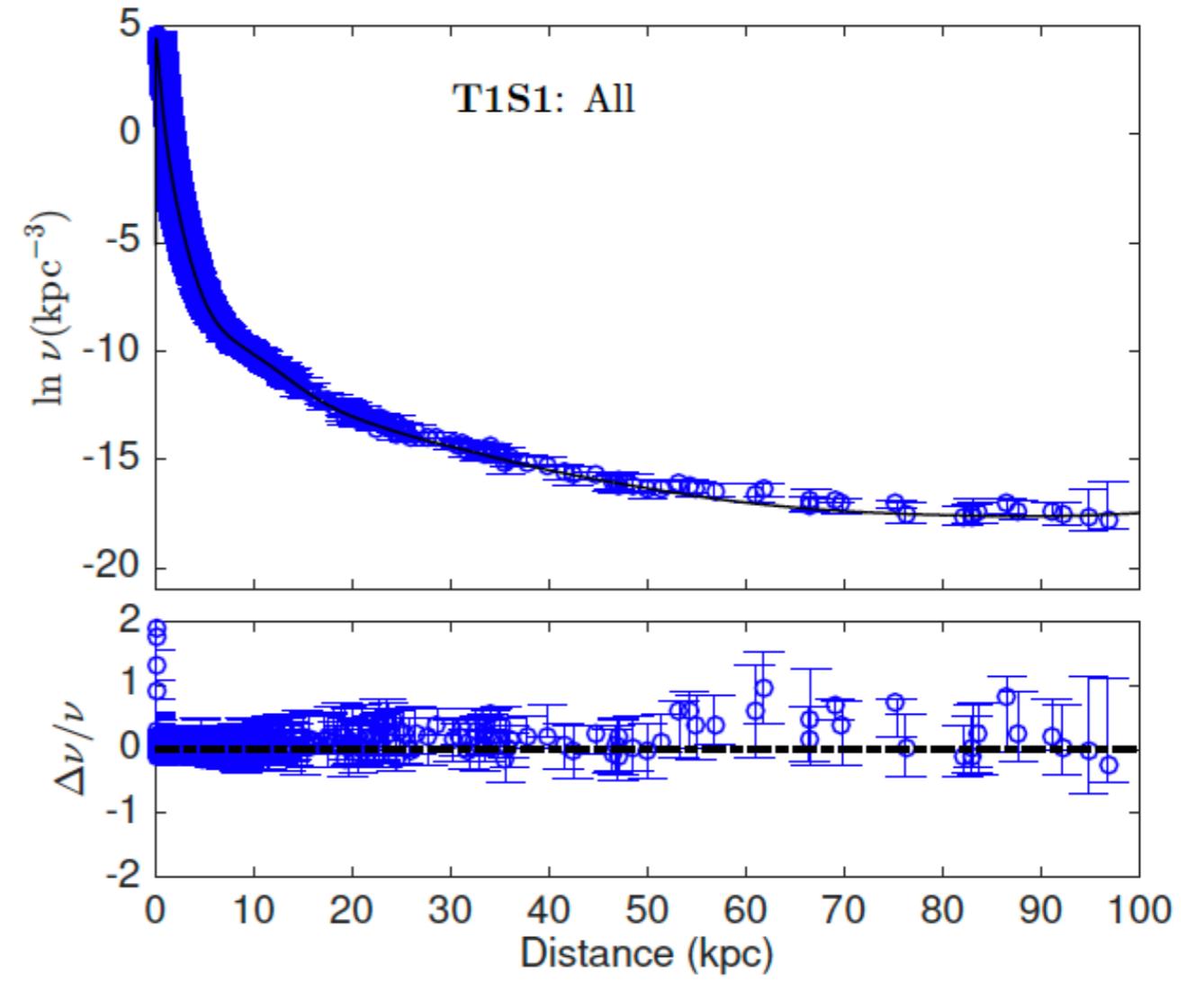
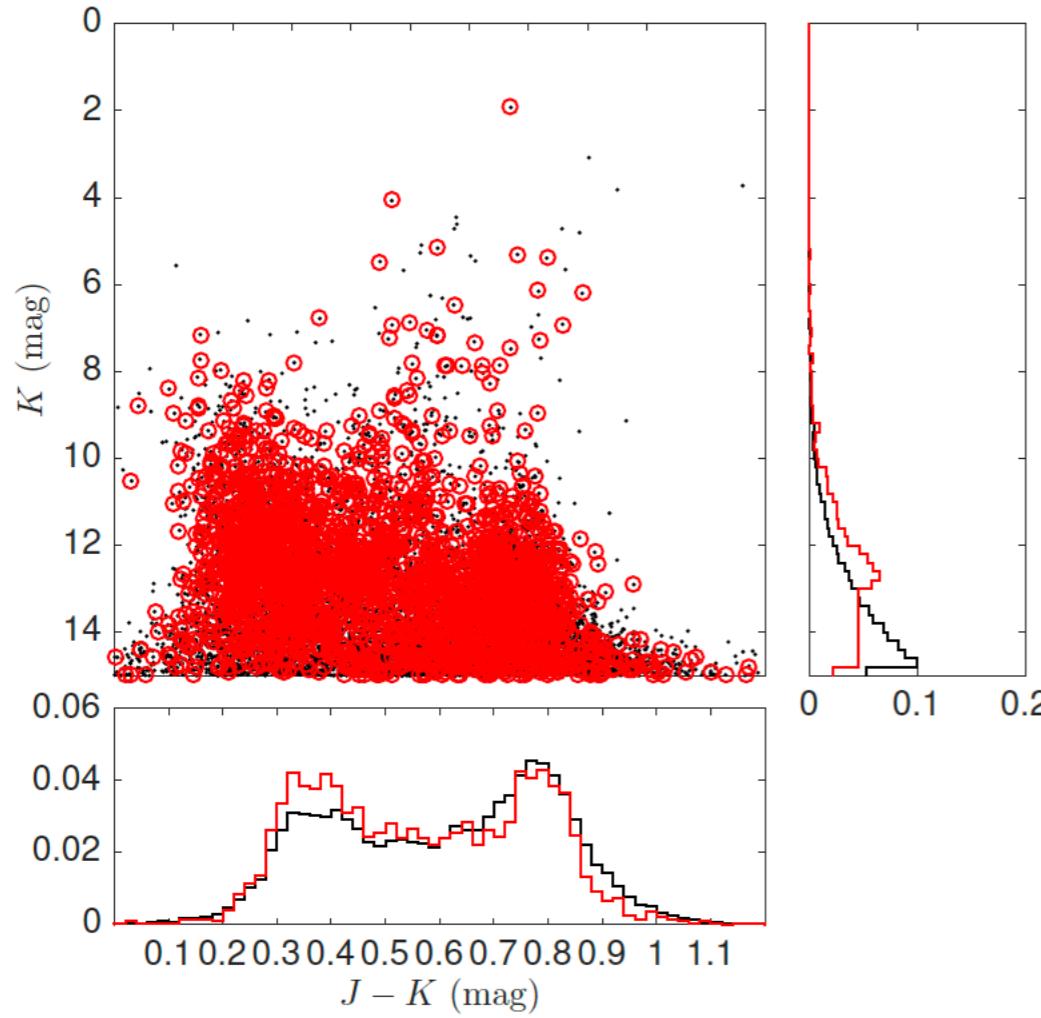
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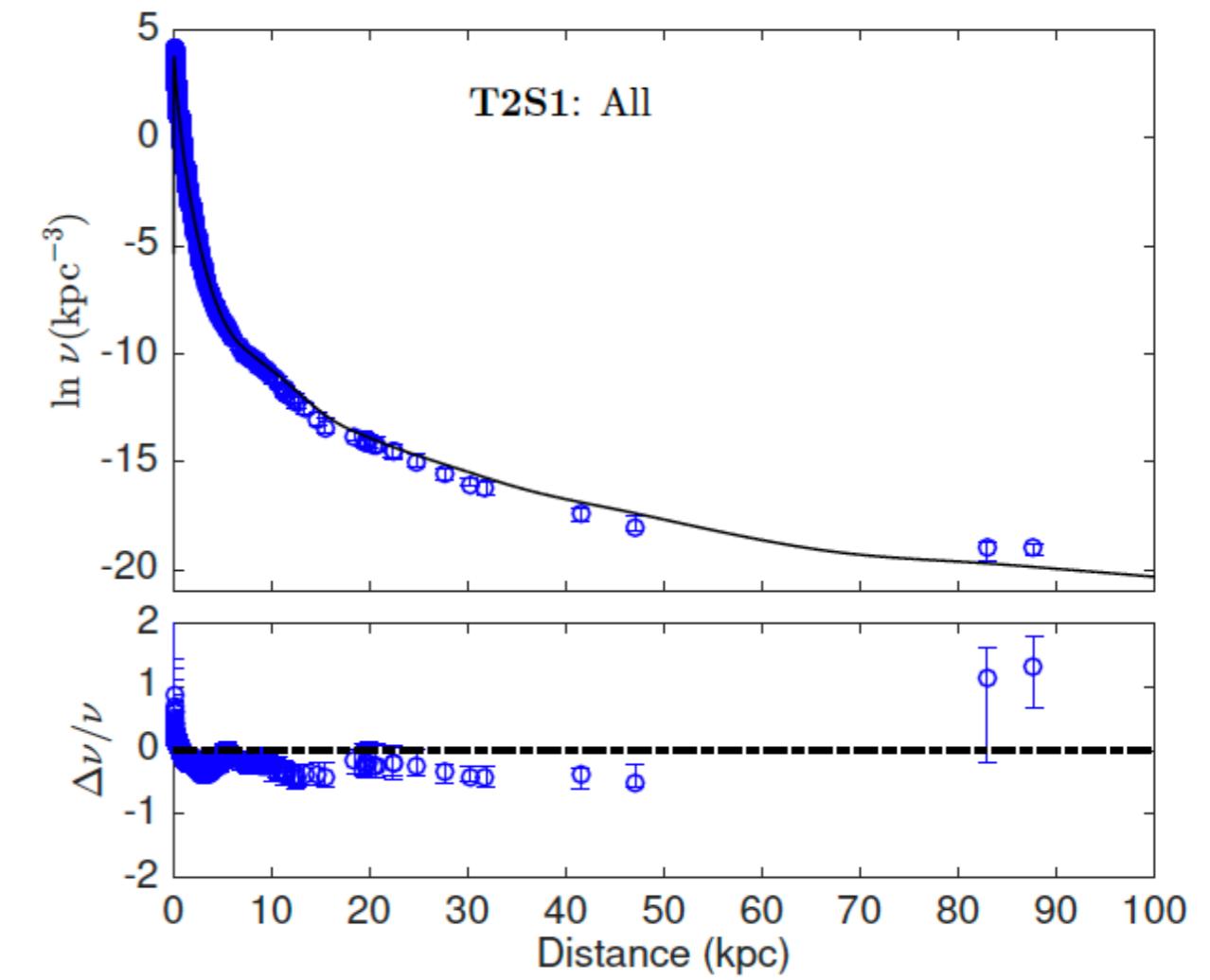
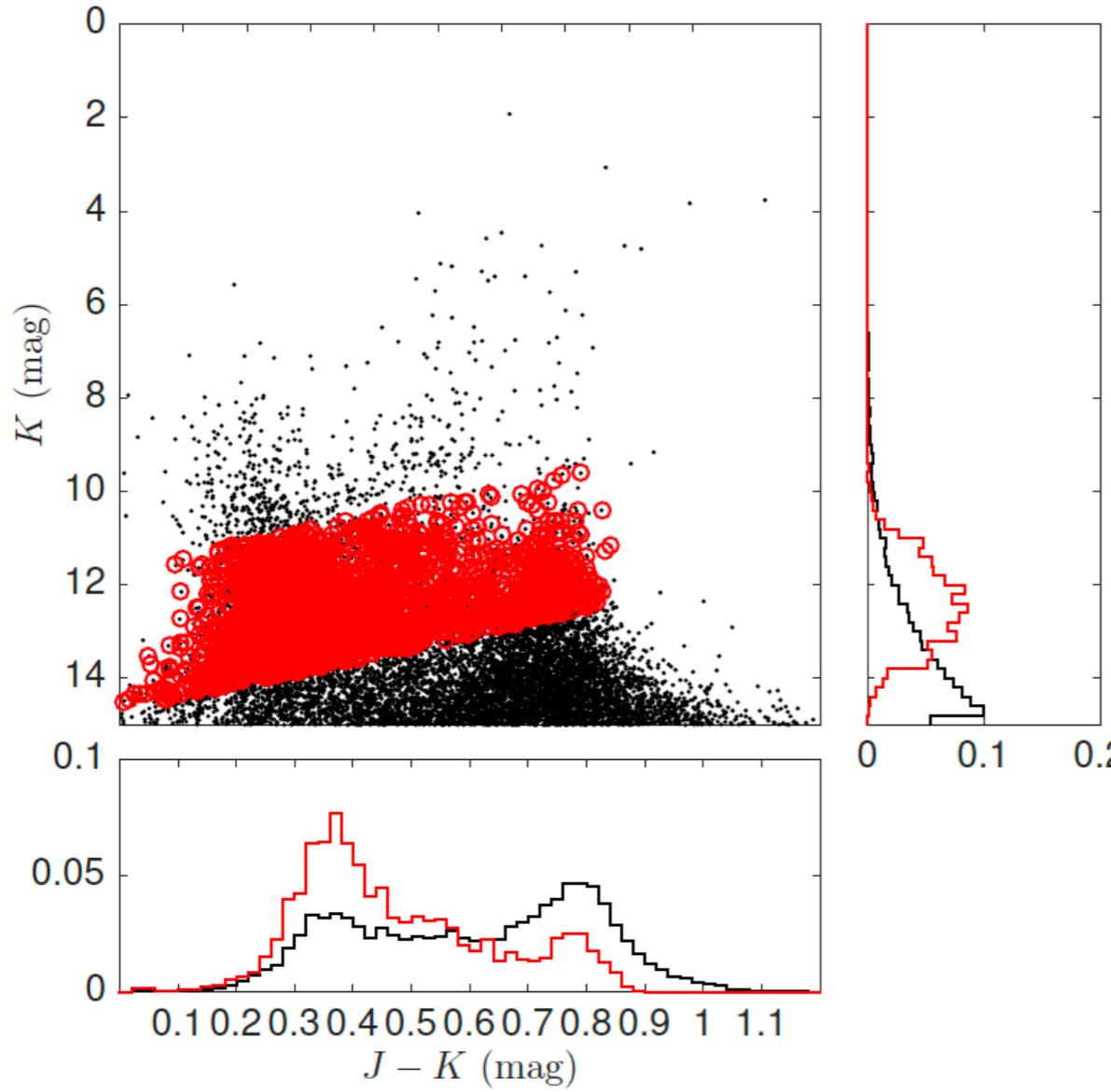
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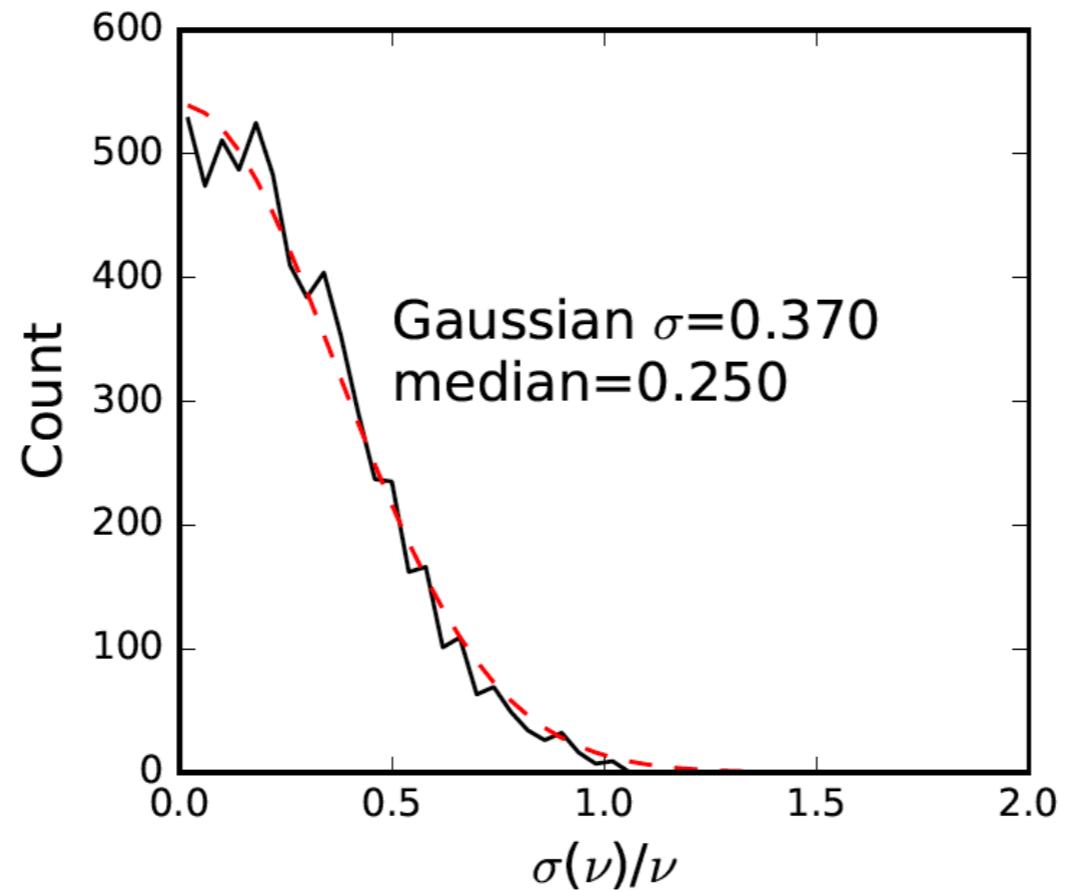
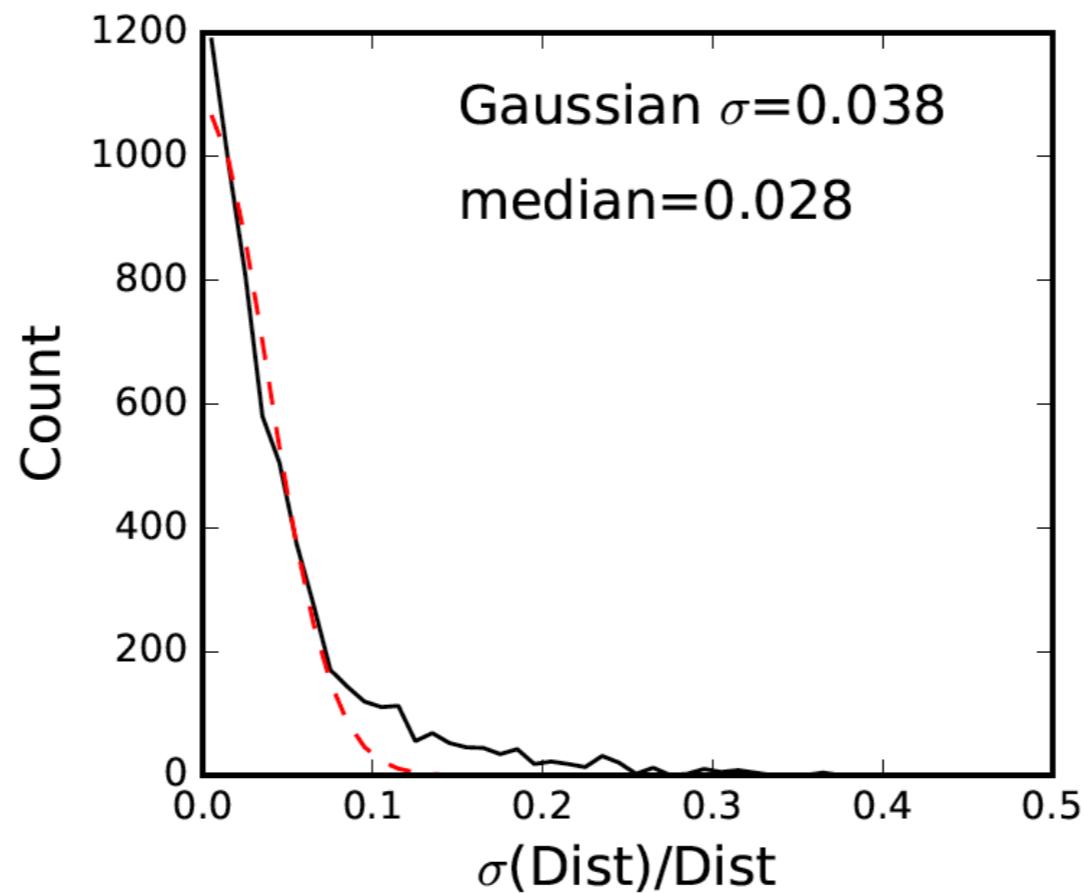


Validation with mock data



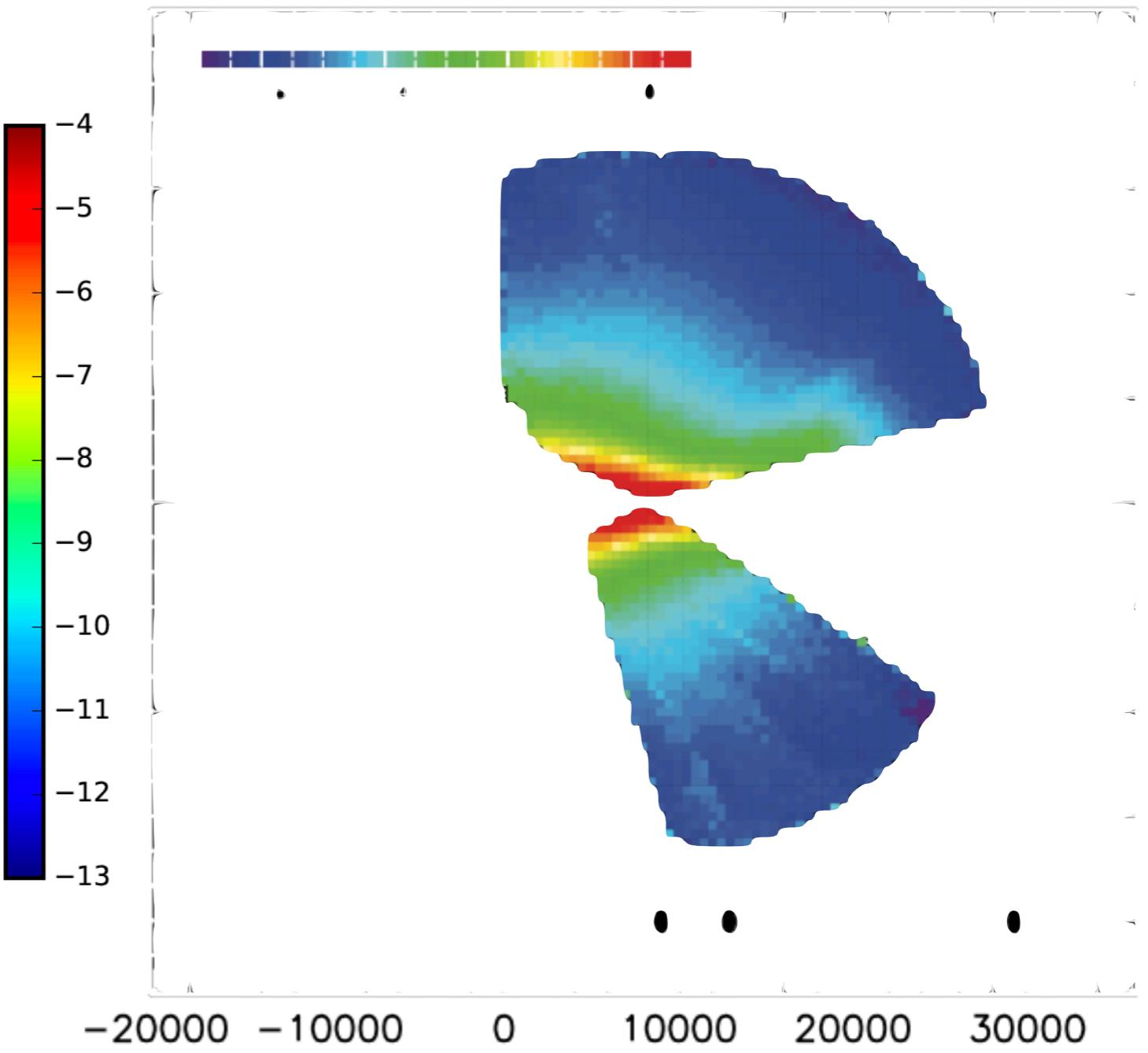
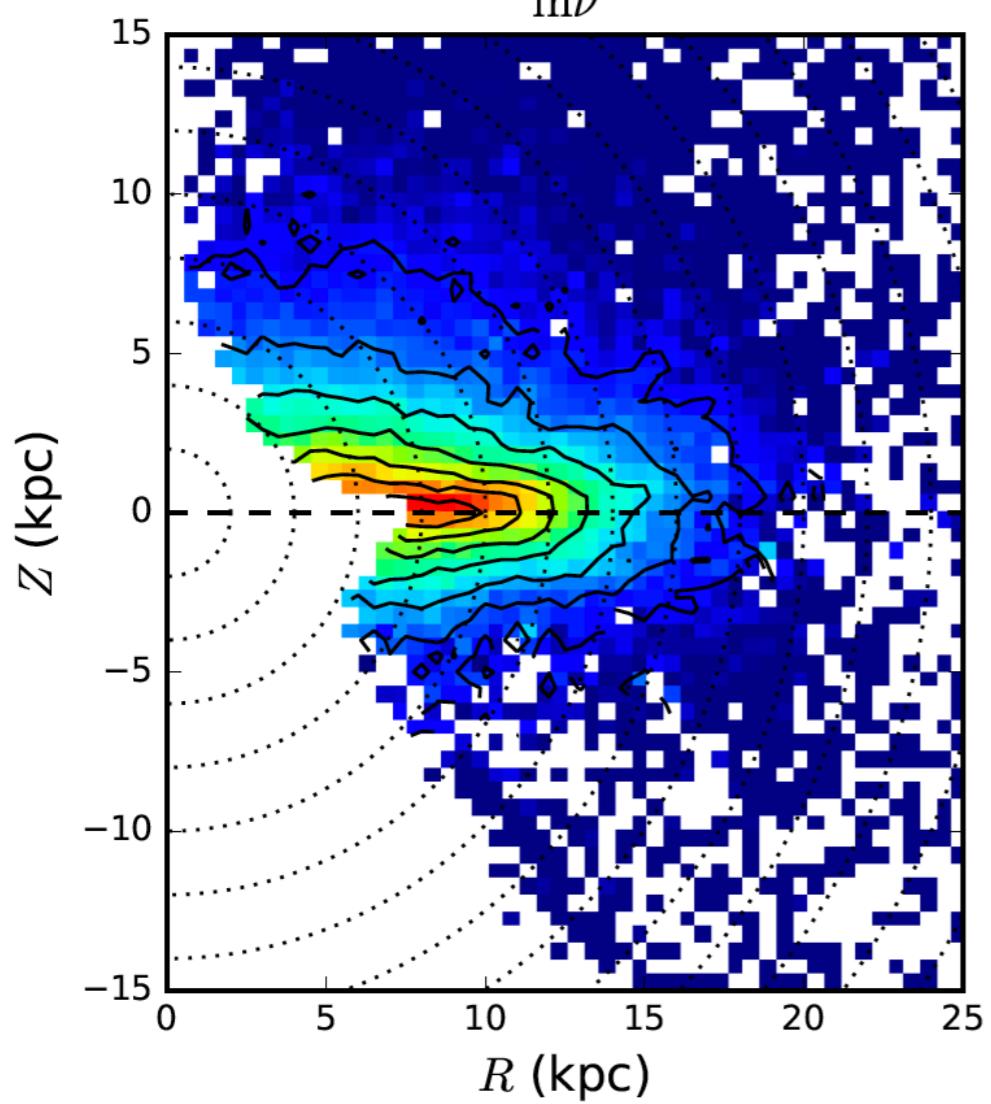
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The disk

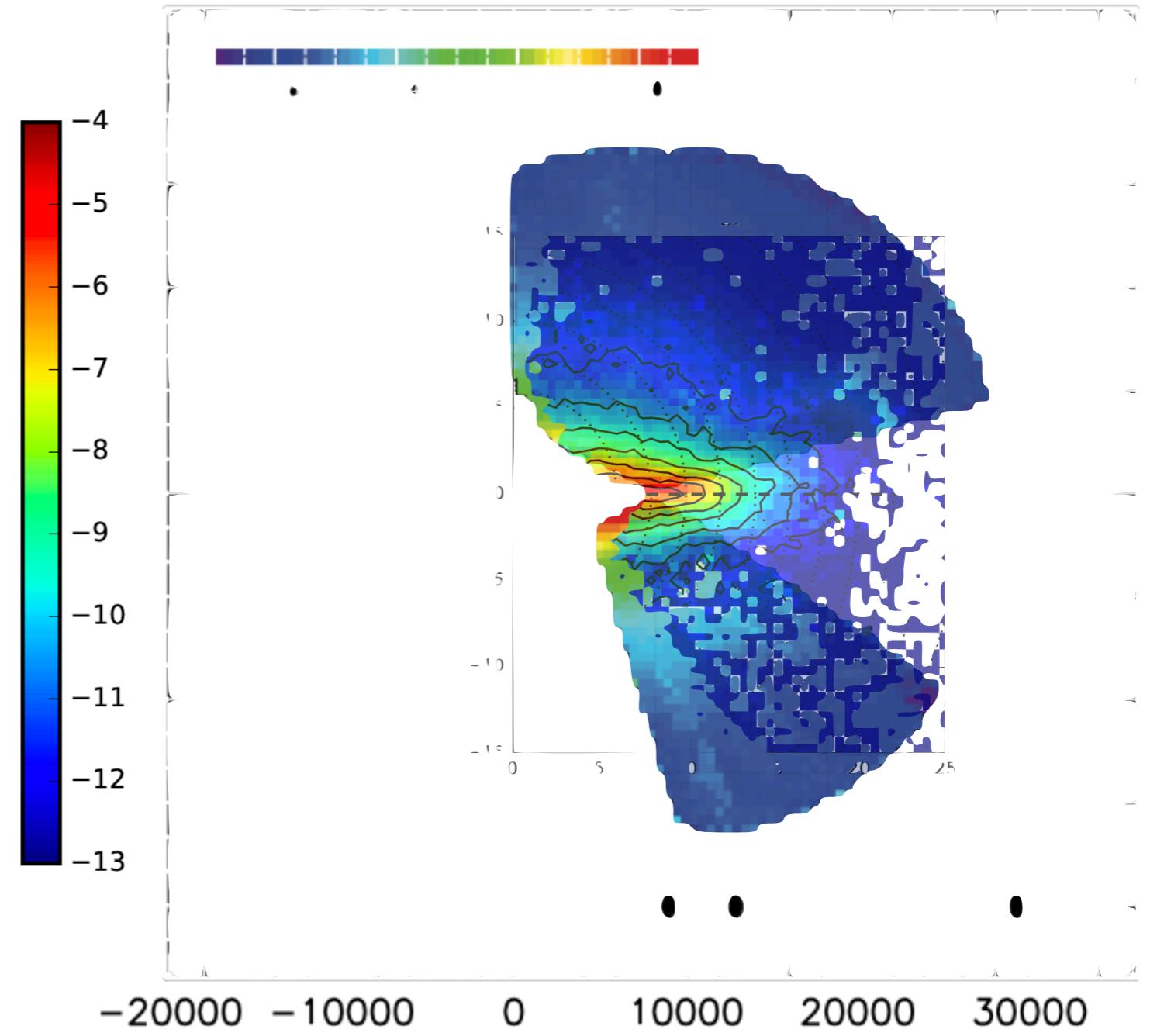
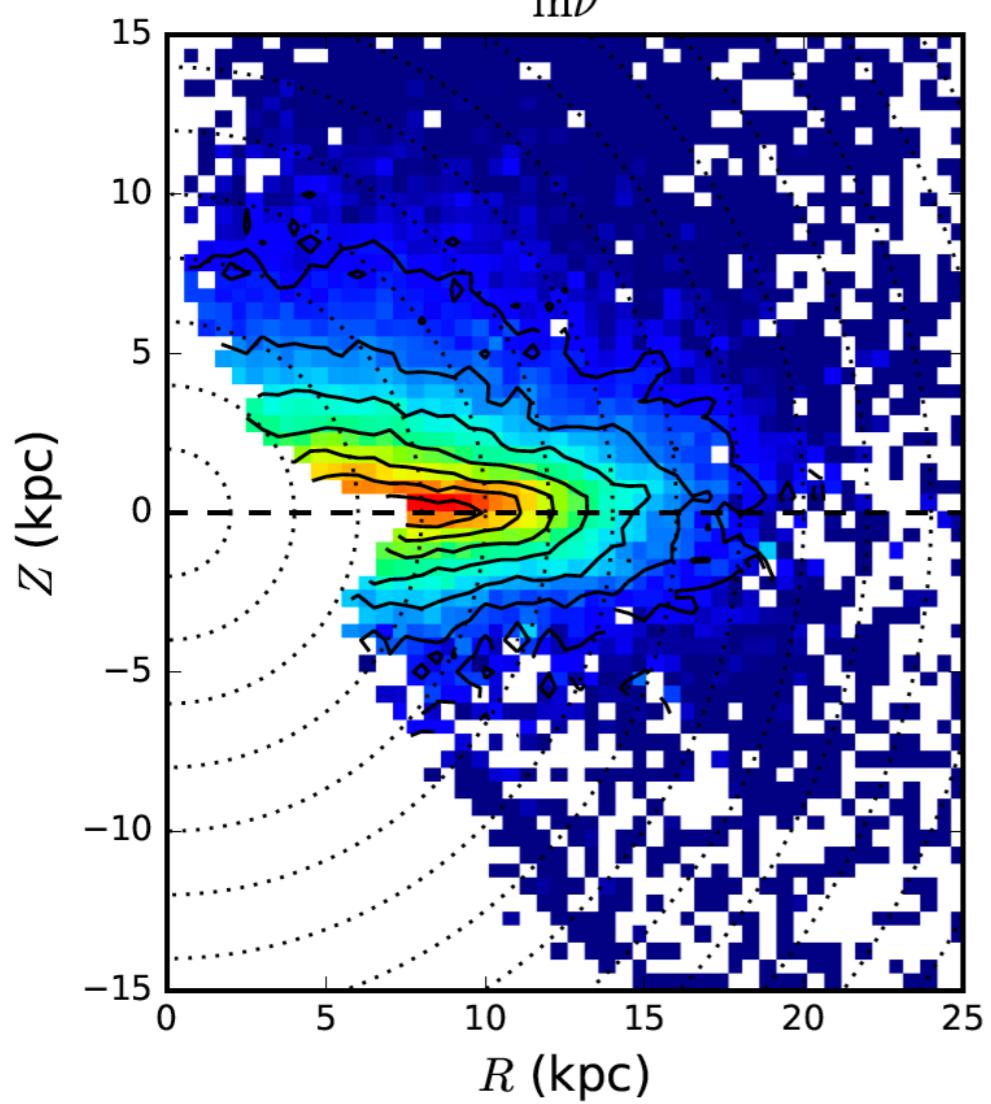
Juric et al. 2008



~22000 RGB stars from DR3 with $M_K < -3.5$ mag

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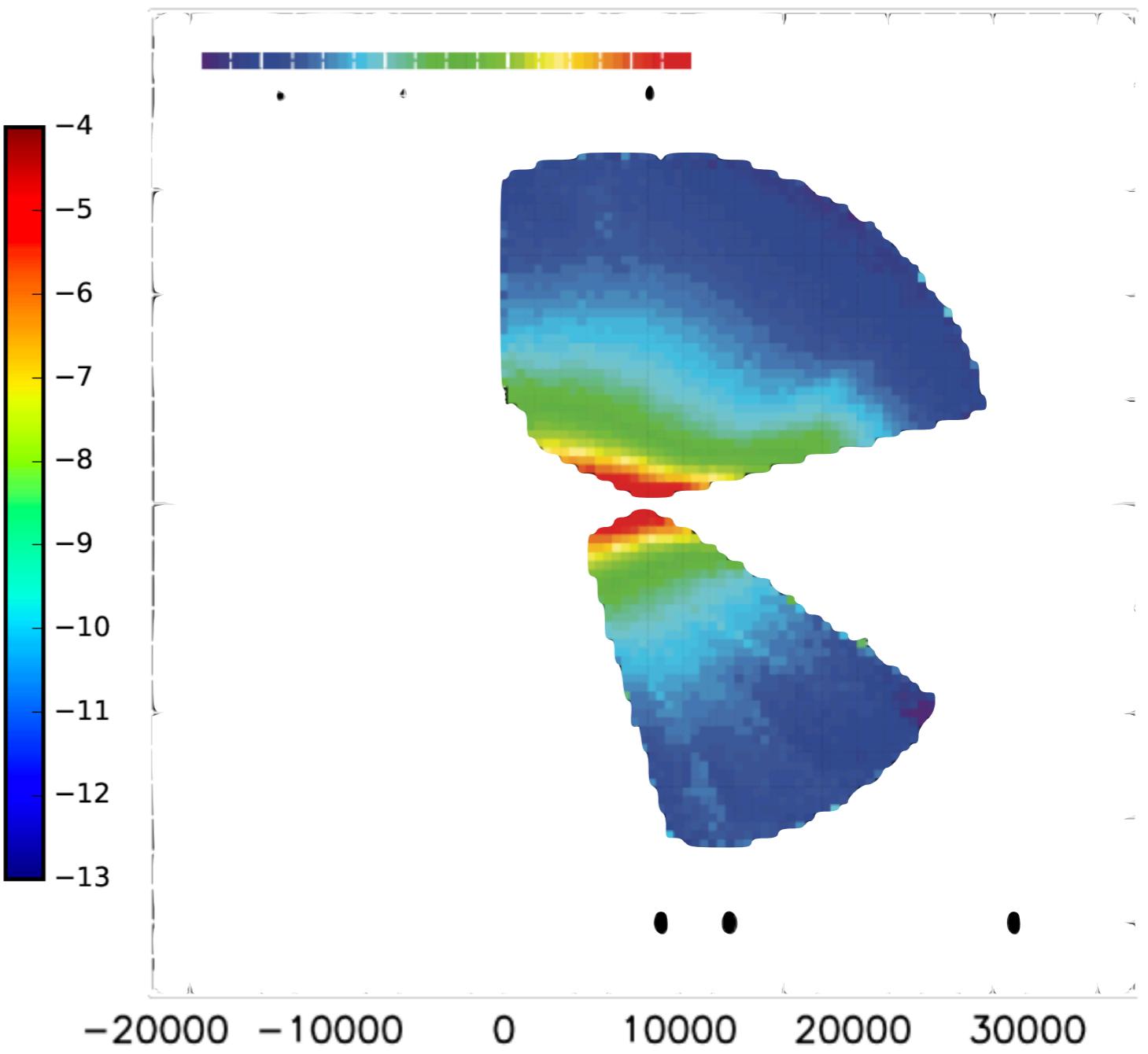
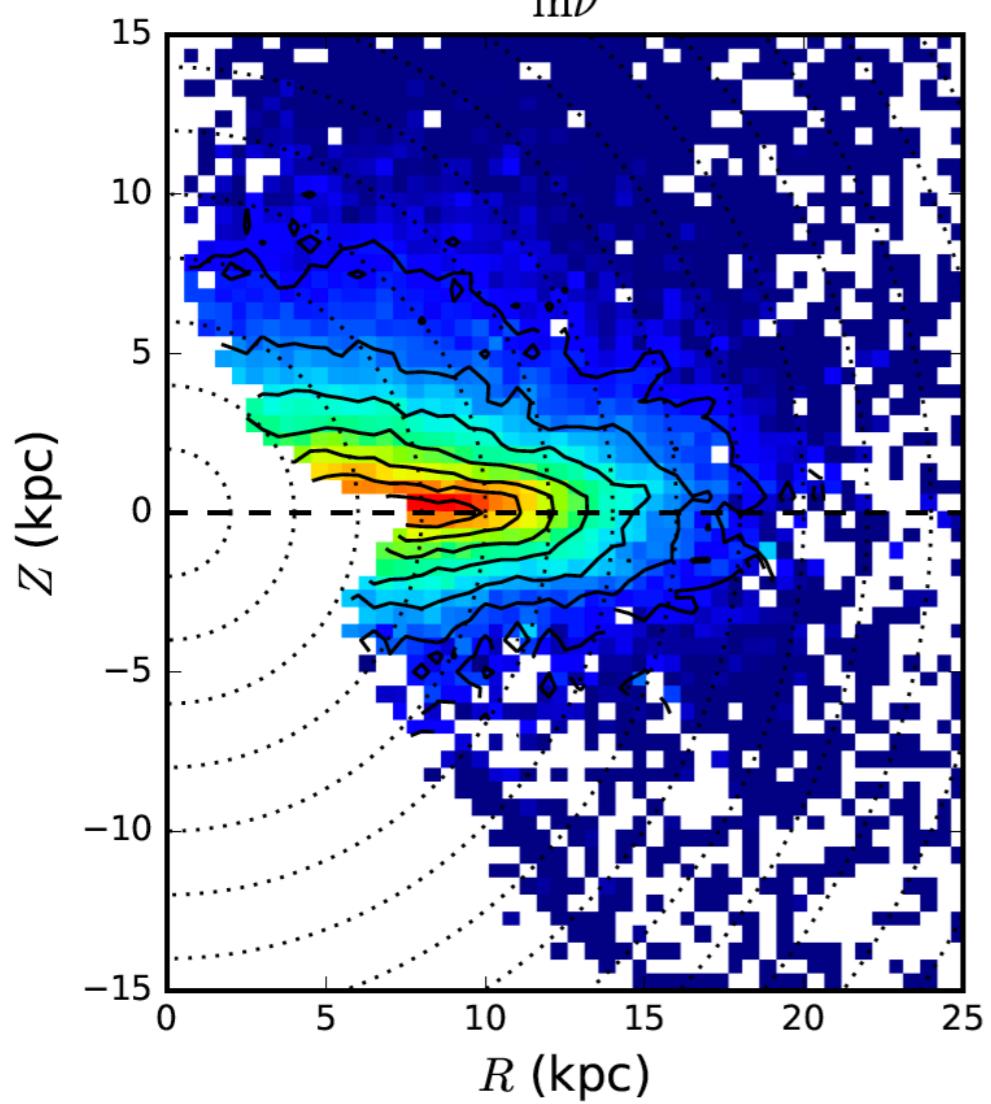
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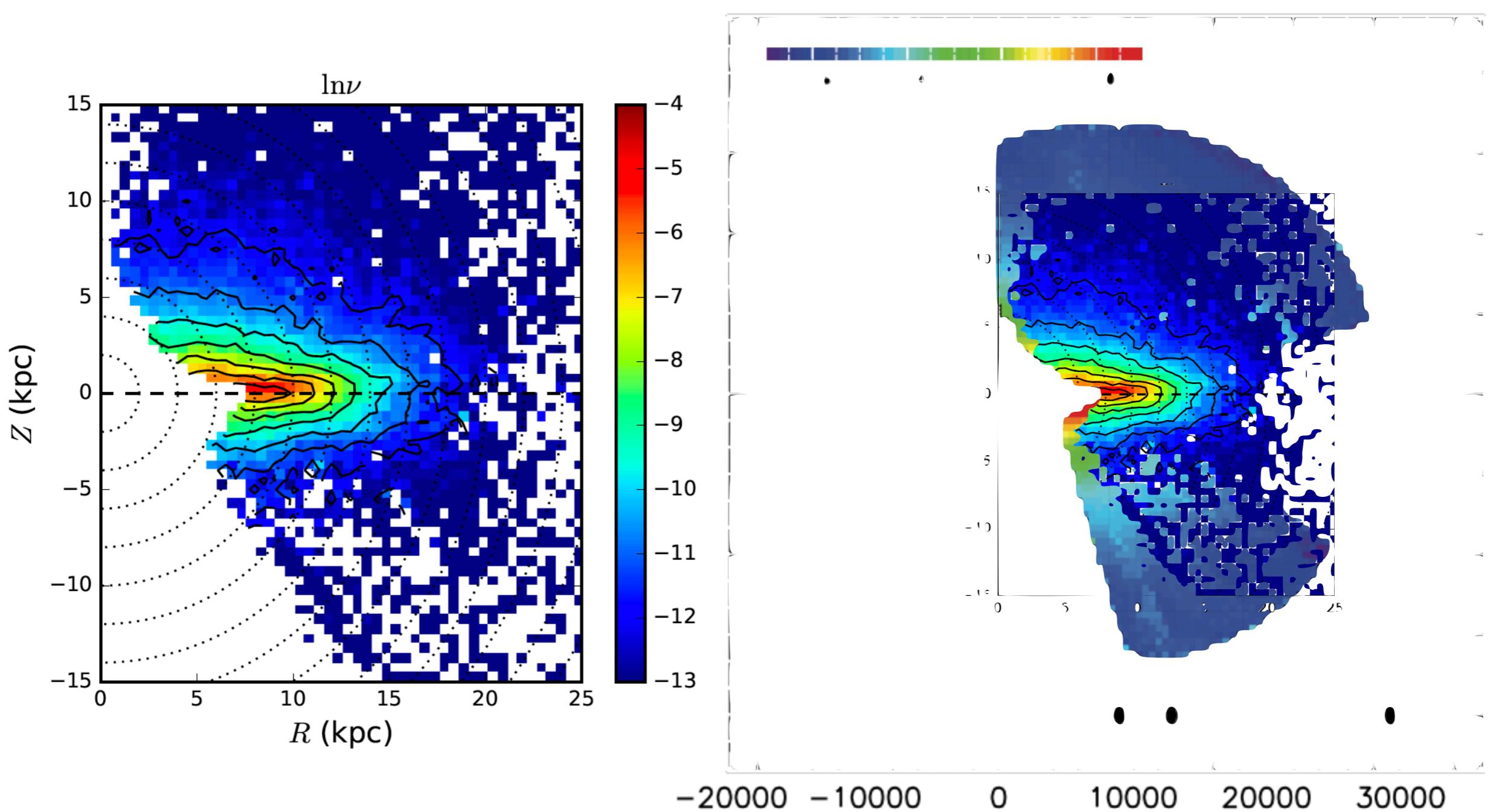
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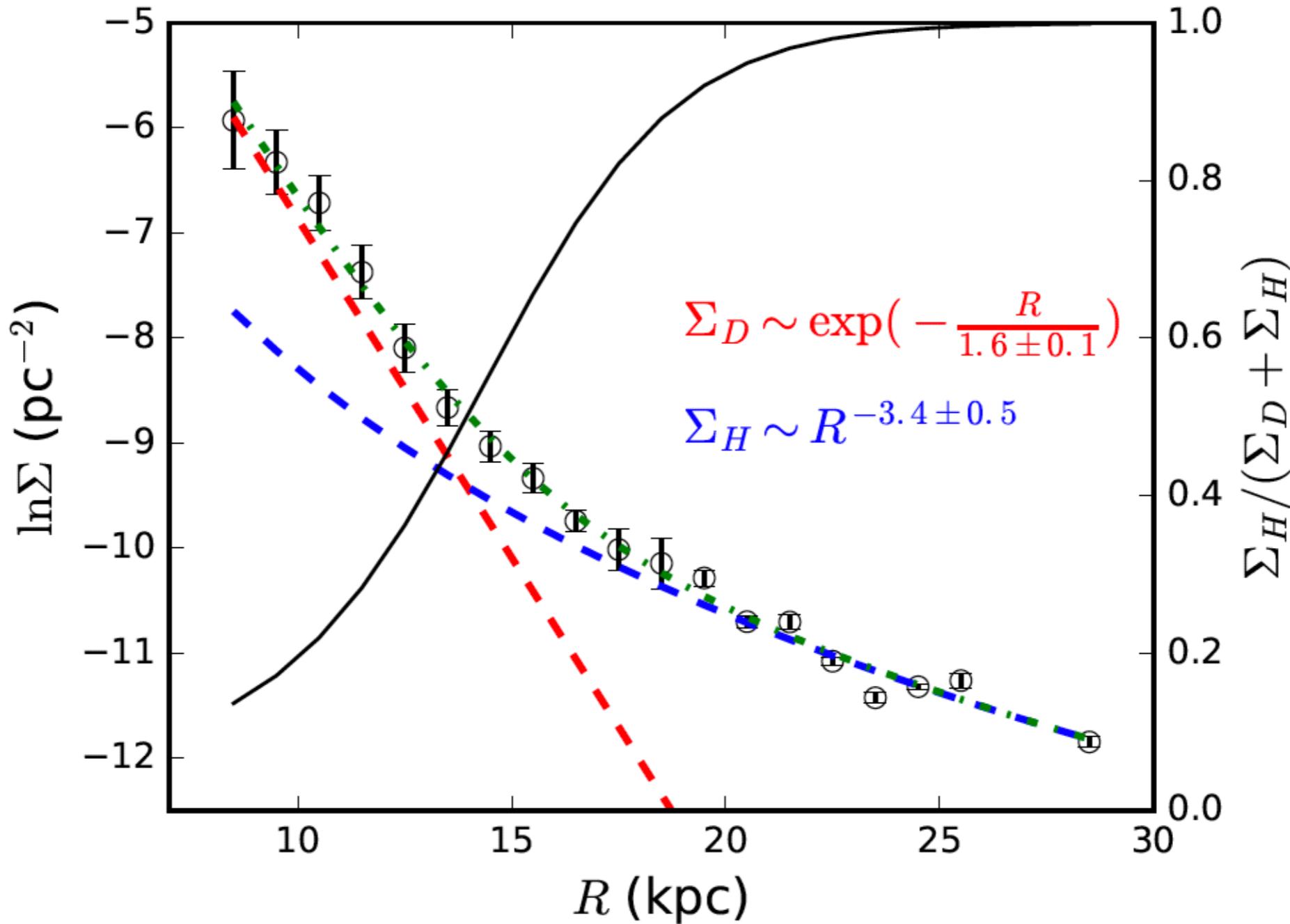
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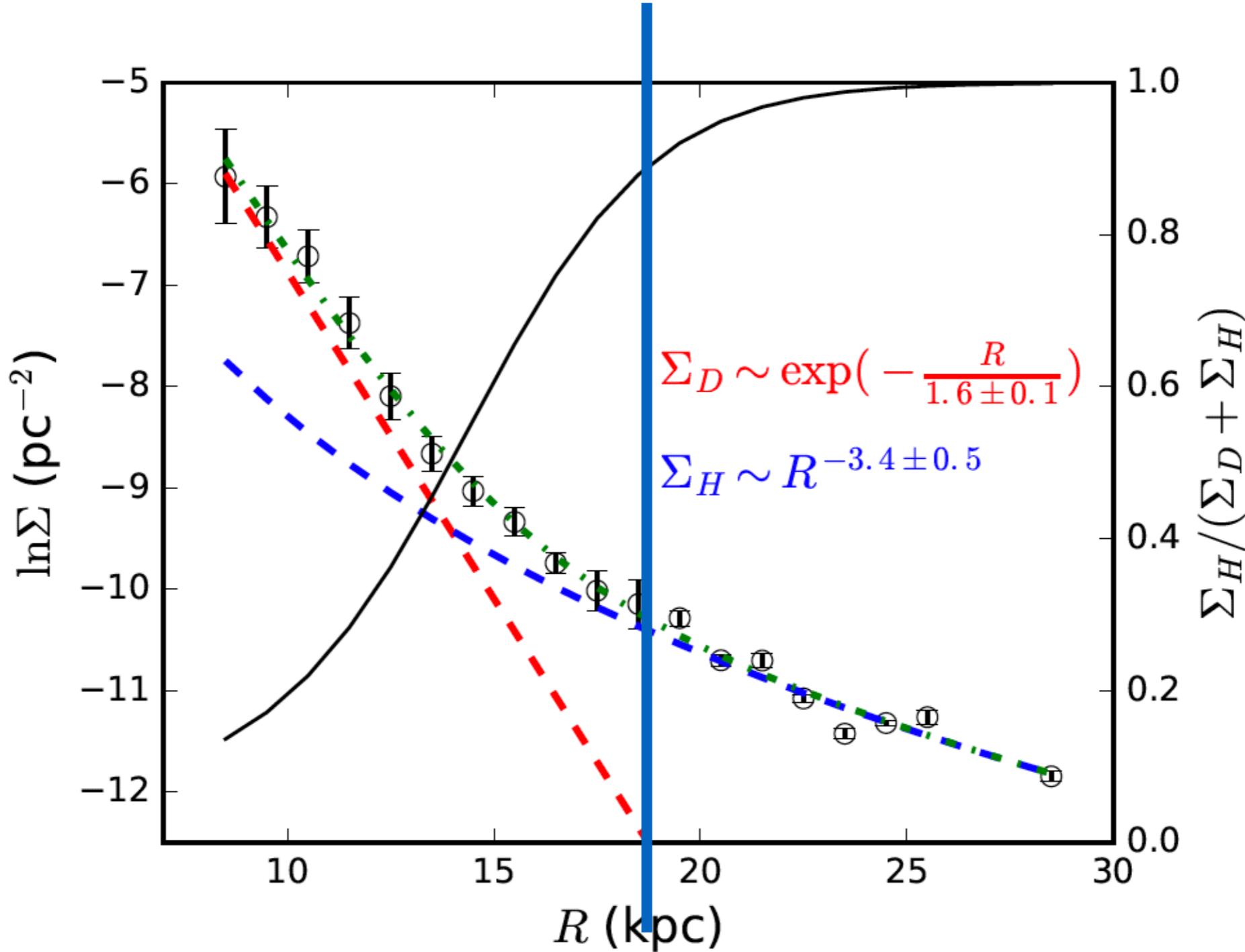
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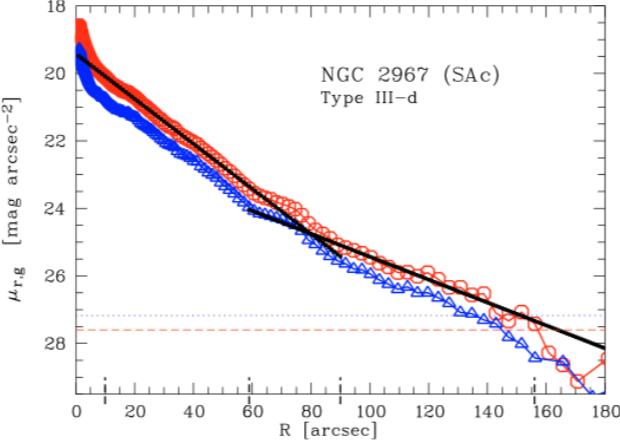
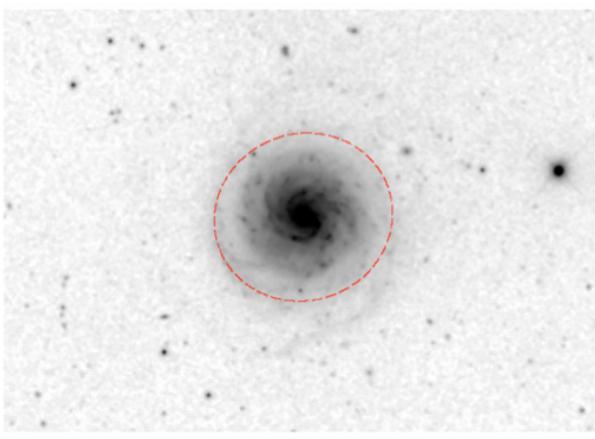
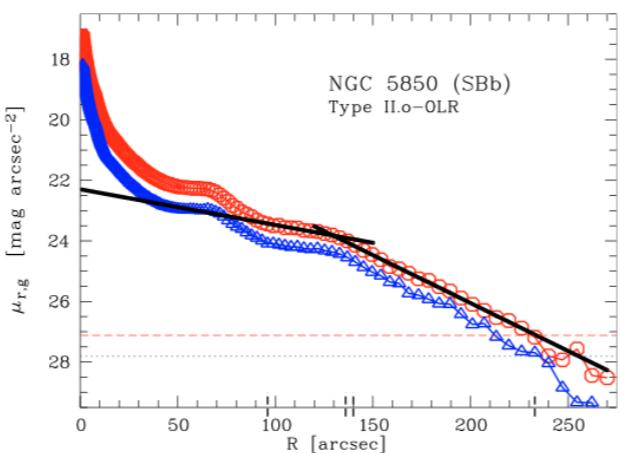
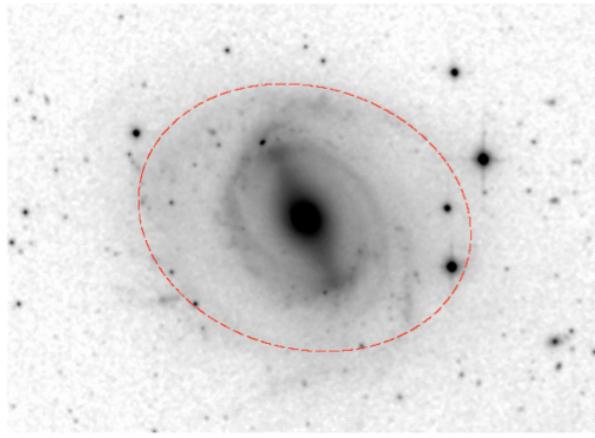
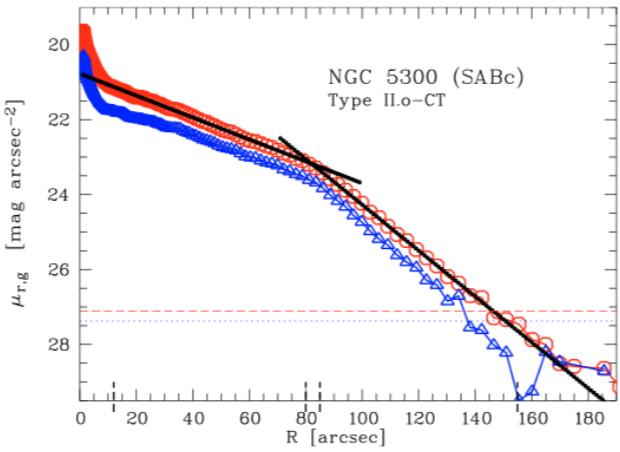
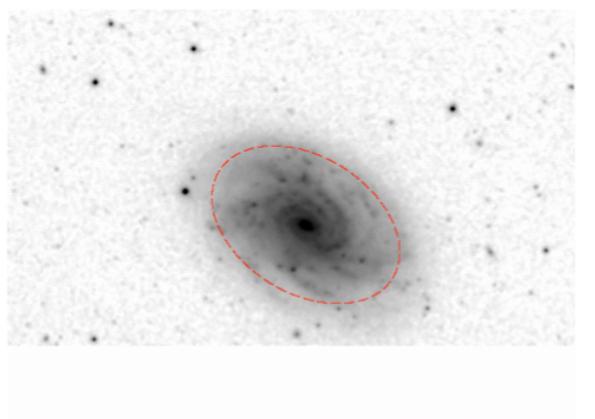
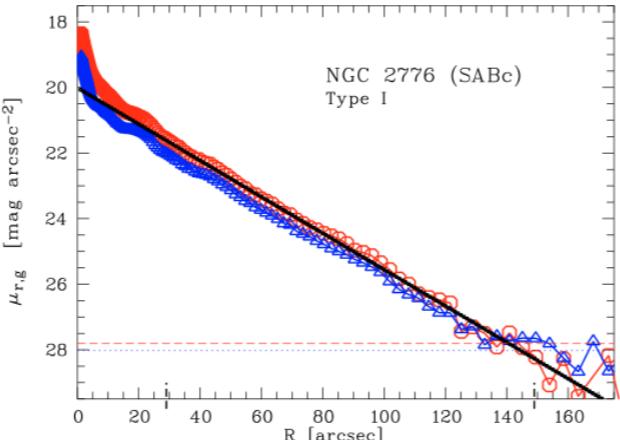
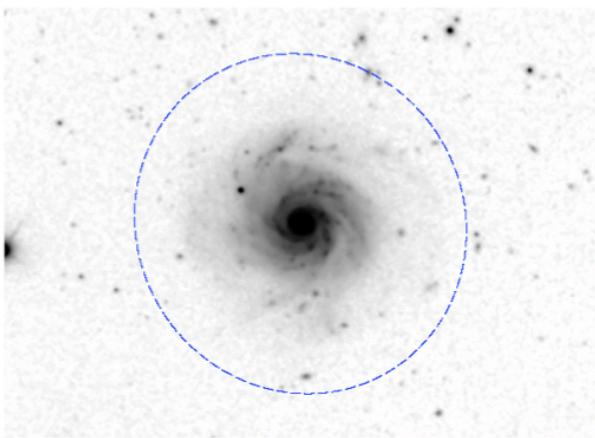
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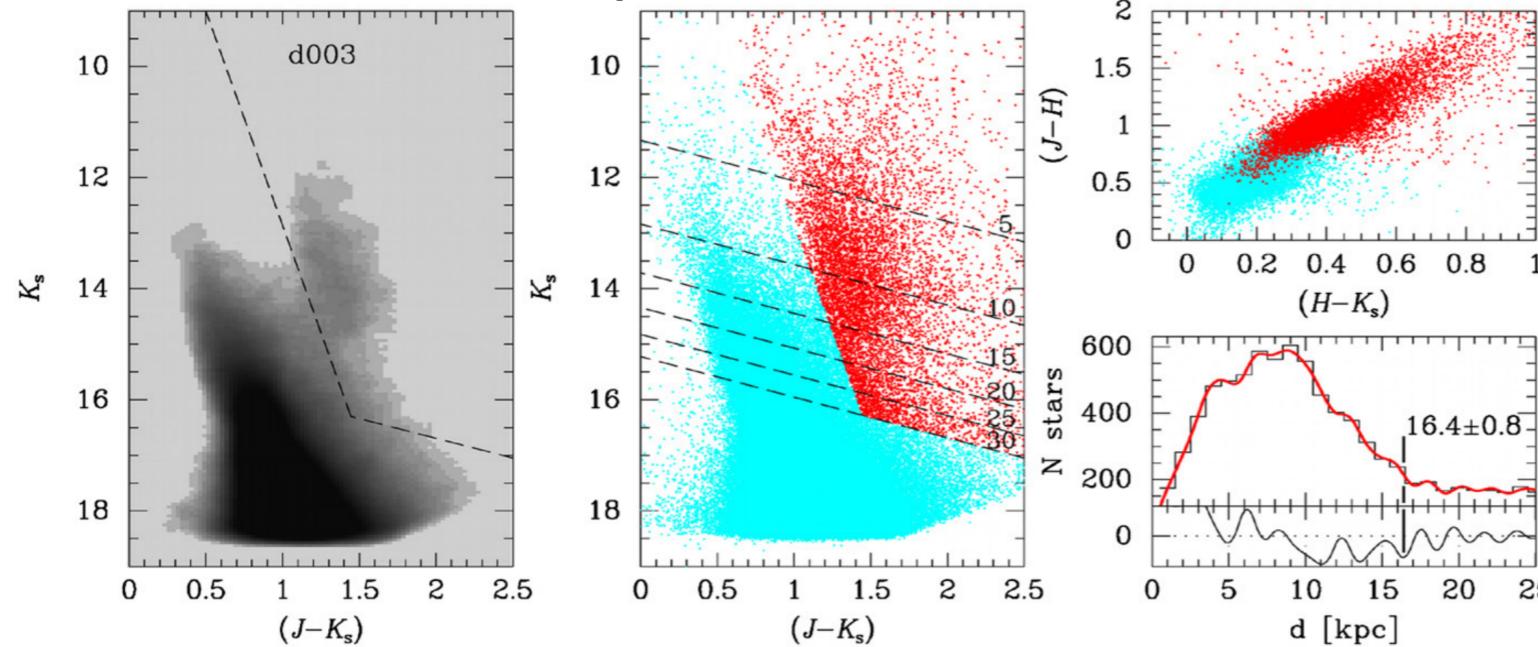
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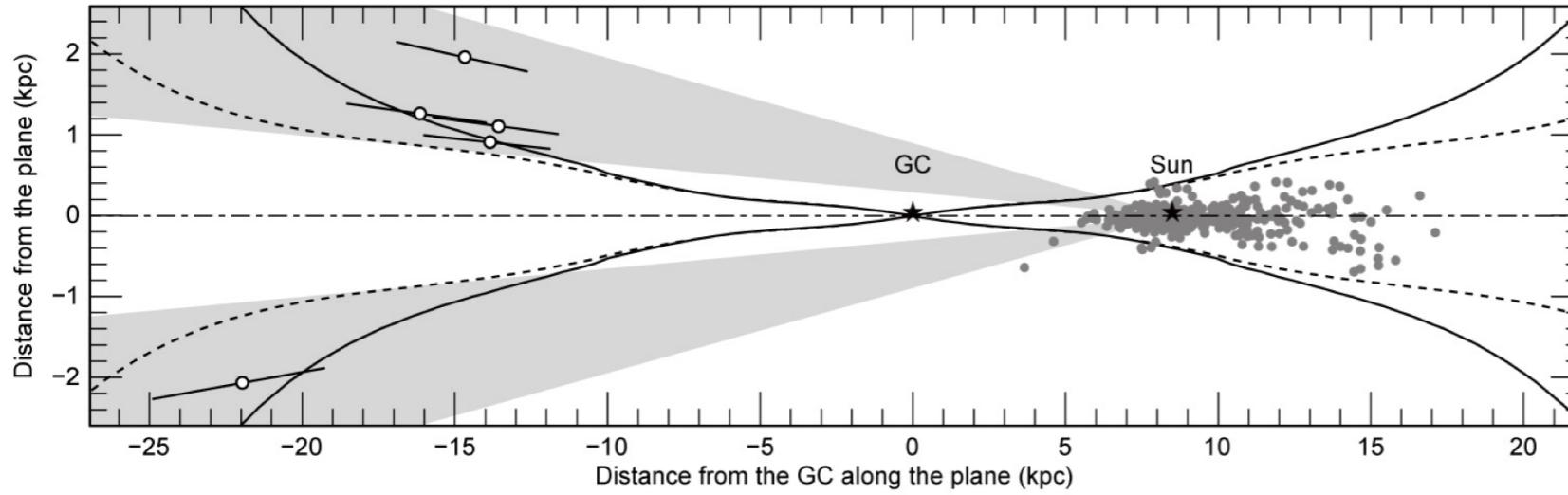
Pohlen & Trujillo 2006

Red clump stars



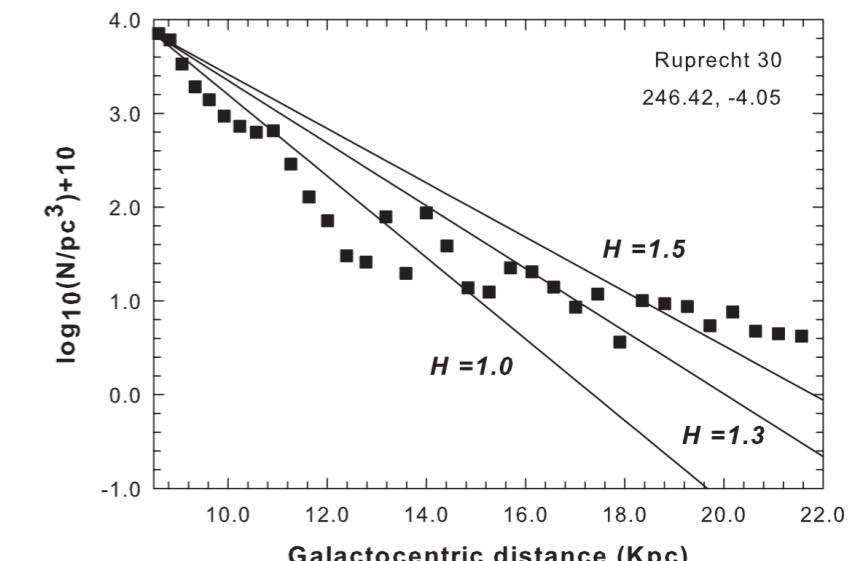
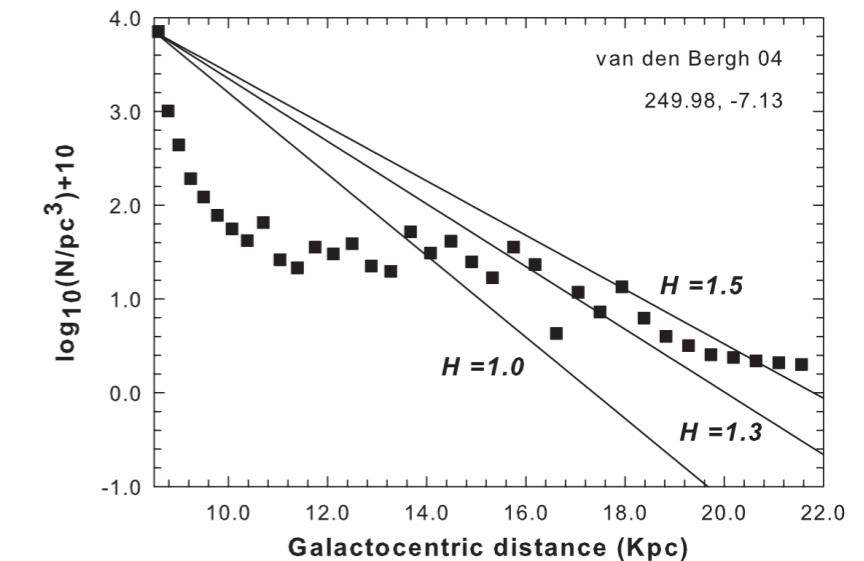
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Cepheids

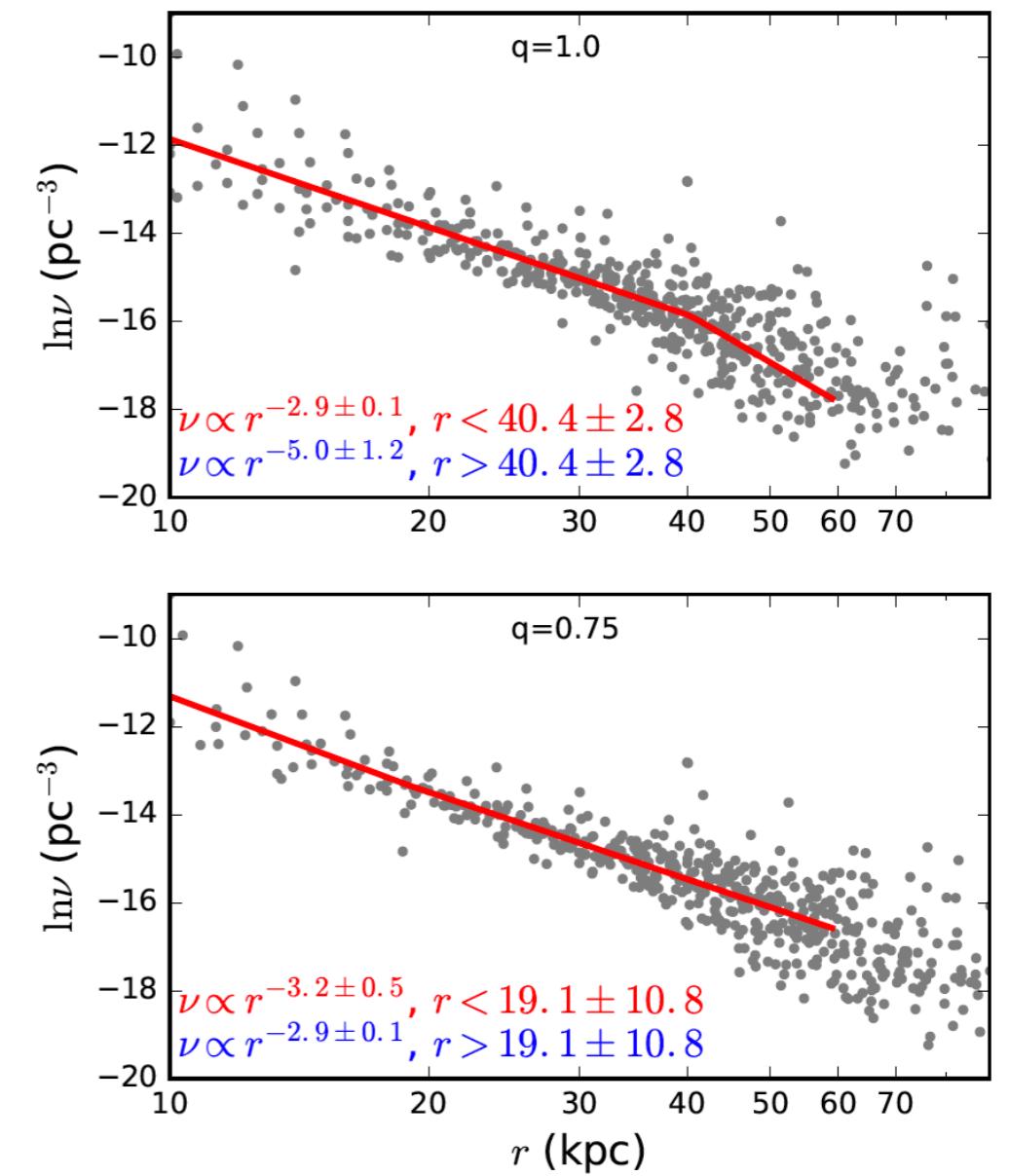
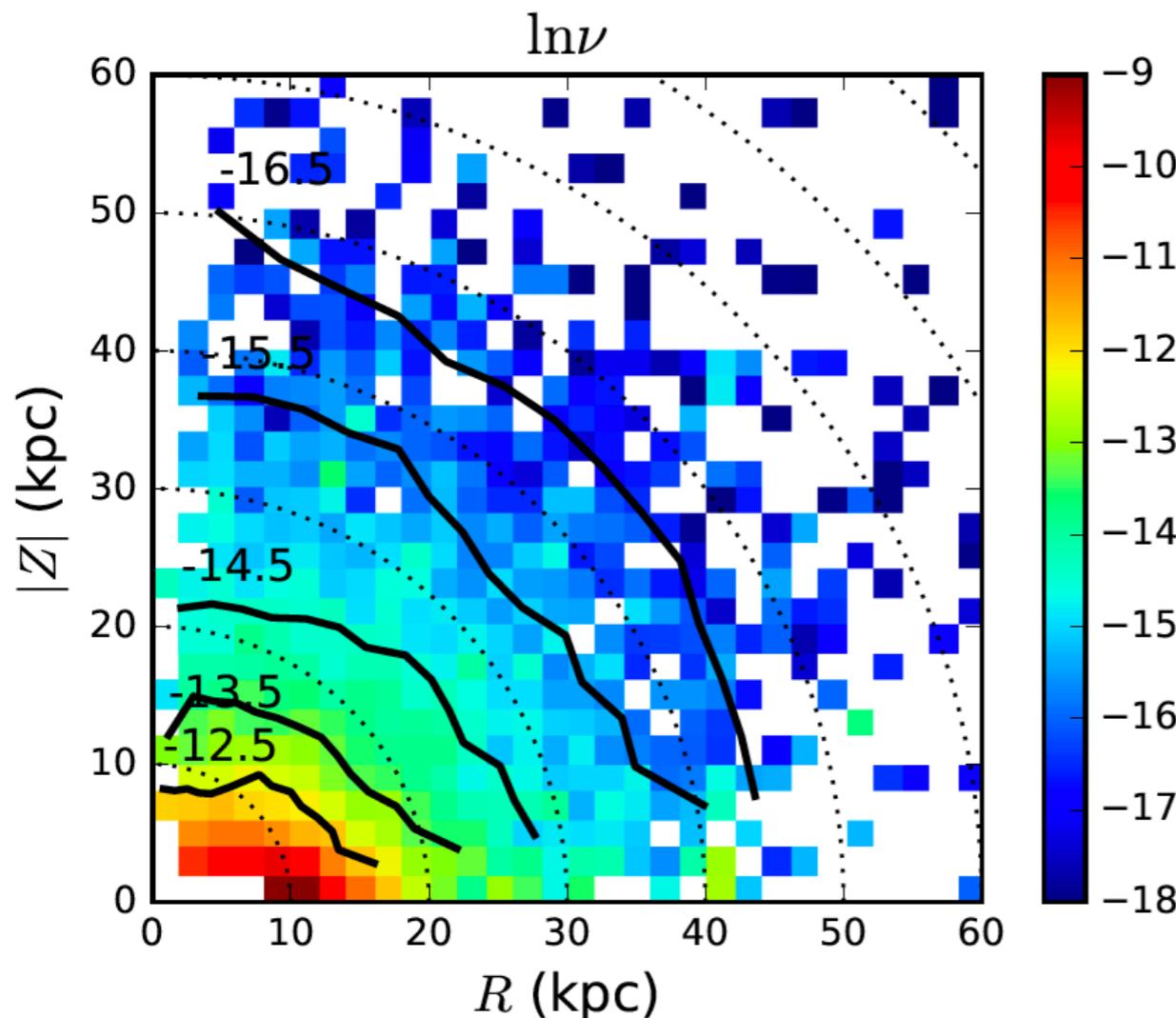
Carraro et al. 2010



OB stars

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The halo



5000+ RGB stars from DR3 with $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] < -1$ dex and $\text{MK} < -4$

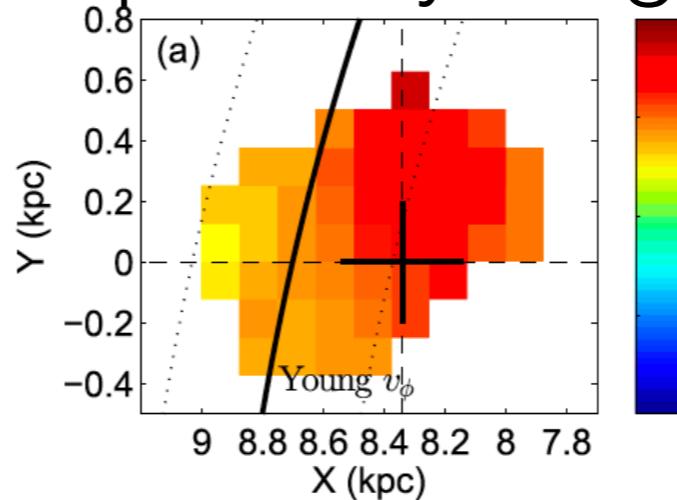
Conclusions

- The stellar density for a certain stellar population can be well reconstructed from LAMOST data
- We find that the Galactic disc does not truncate within $R=19$ kpc, but exponentially extends to larger R and, finally, smoothly transition to the stellar halo at $R\sim 20-25$ kpc
- The best fit of the scale length with the red giant stars is 1.6 ± 0.1 kpc
- We directly show from the tomographic map that the stellar halo is quite oblate within 20 kpc and gradually becomes spherical beyond $r=30$ kpc

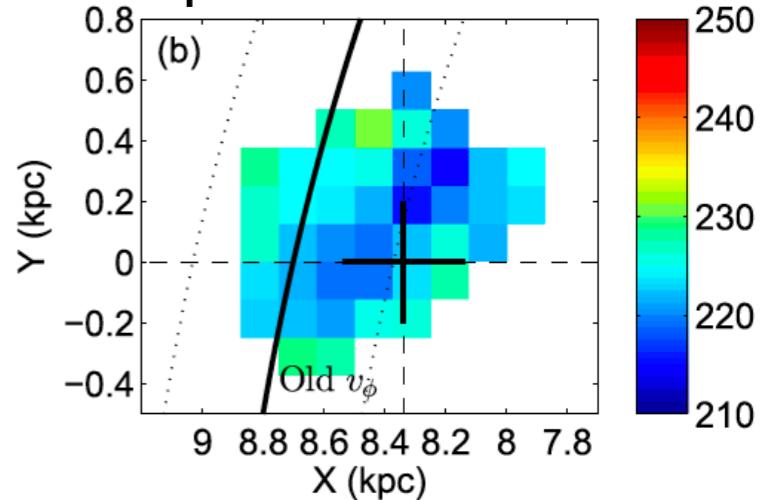
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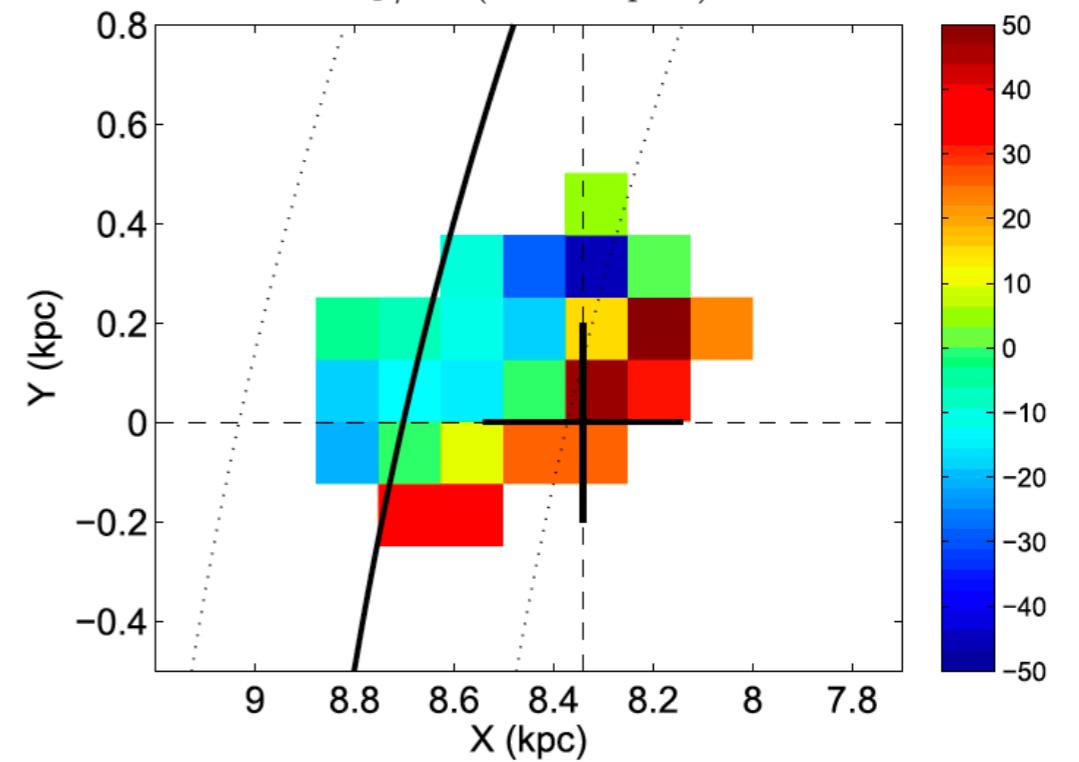
Vphi for young



Vphi for old



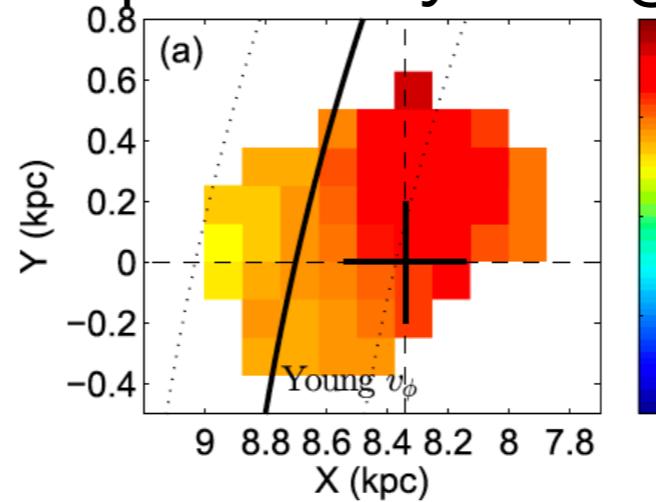
$\partial v_Y / \partial Y$ ($\text{km s}^{-1} \text{kpc}^{-1}$)



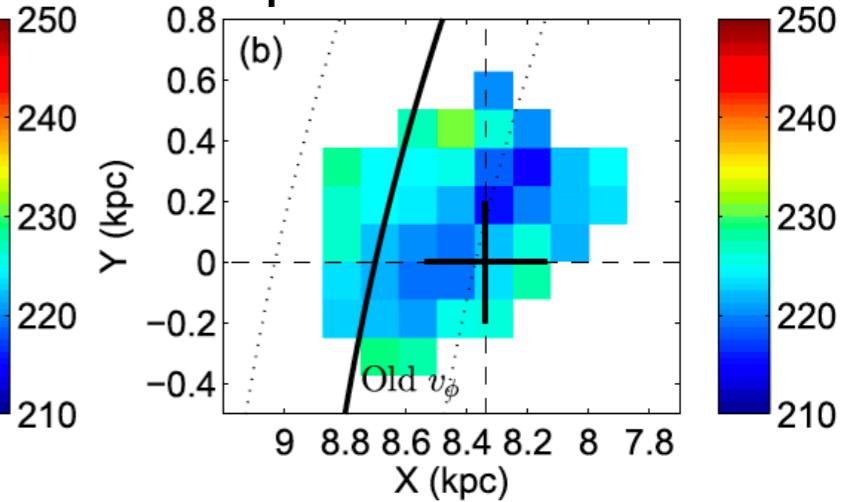
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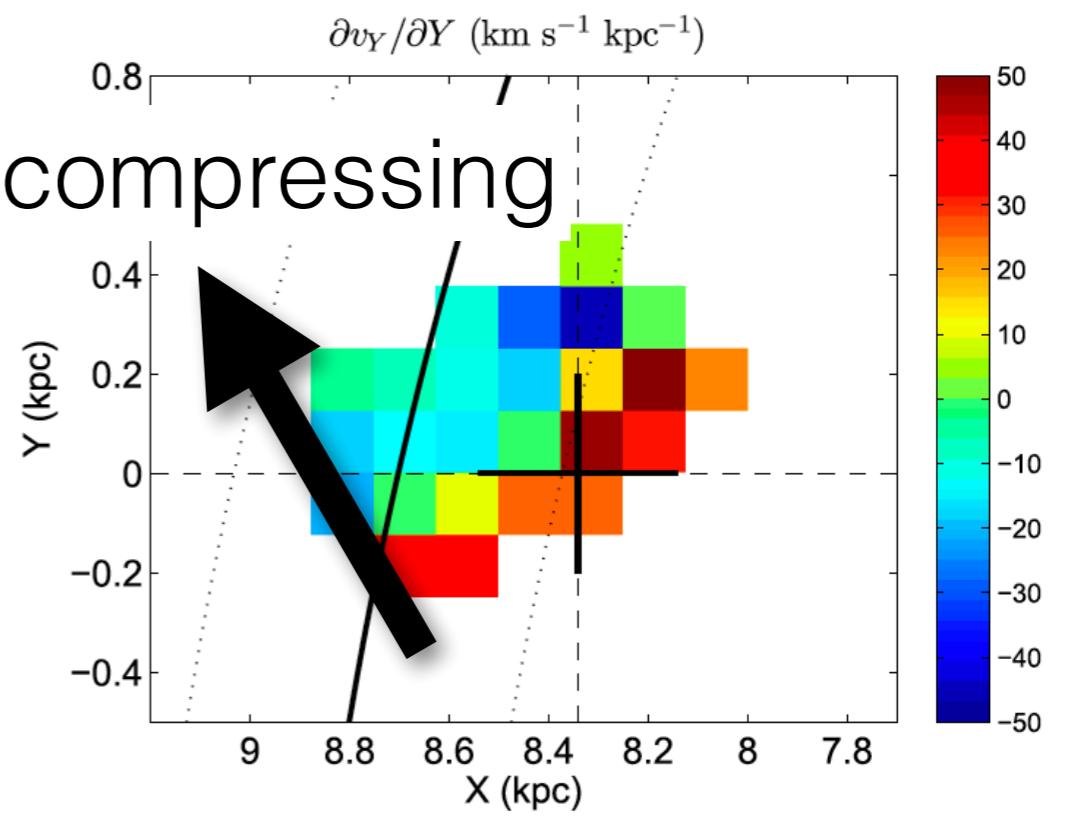
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star is compressing



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