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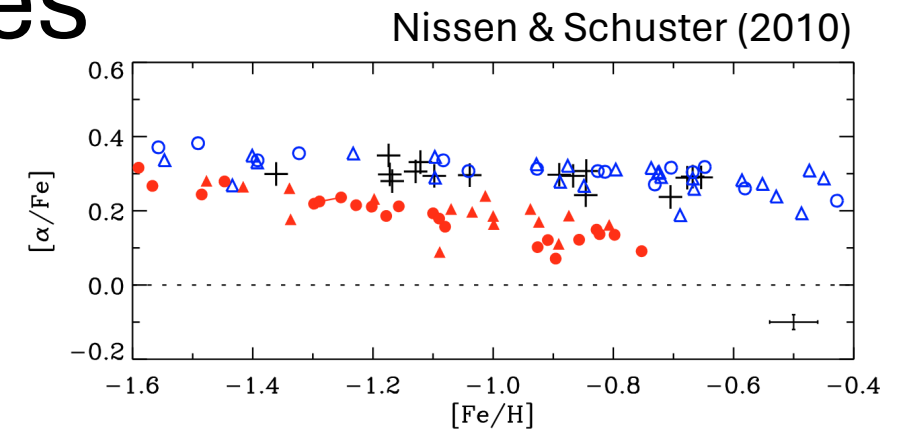
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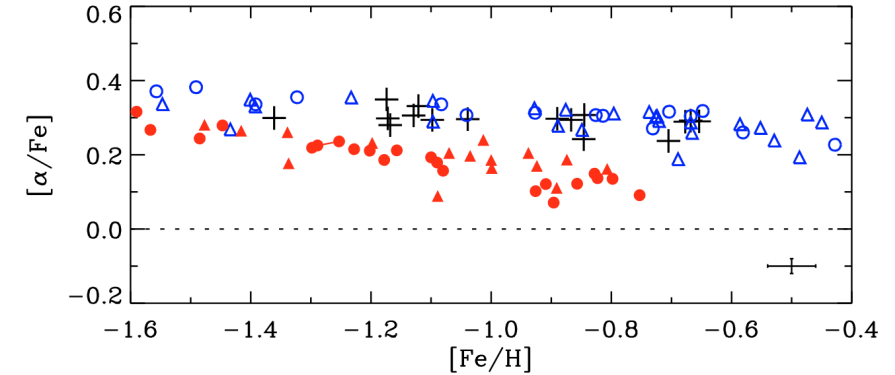


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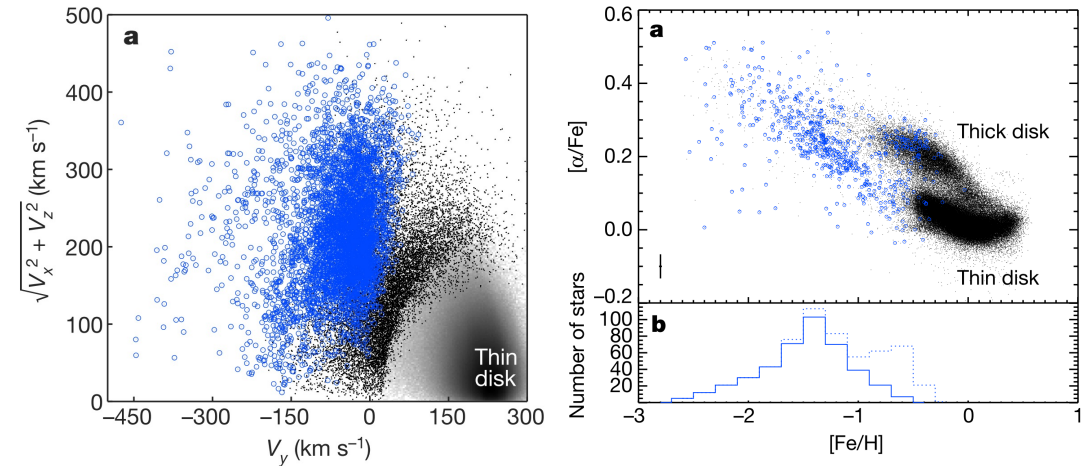
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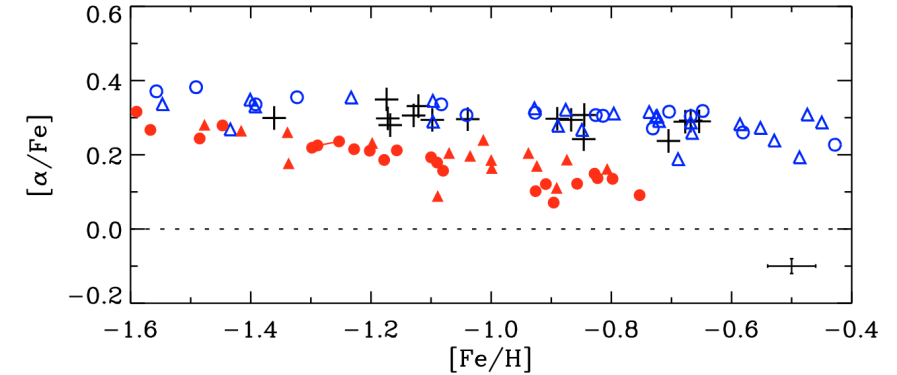
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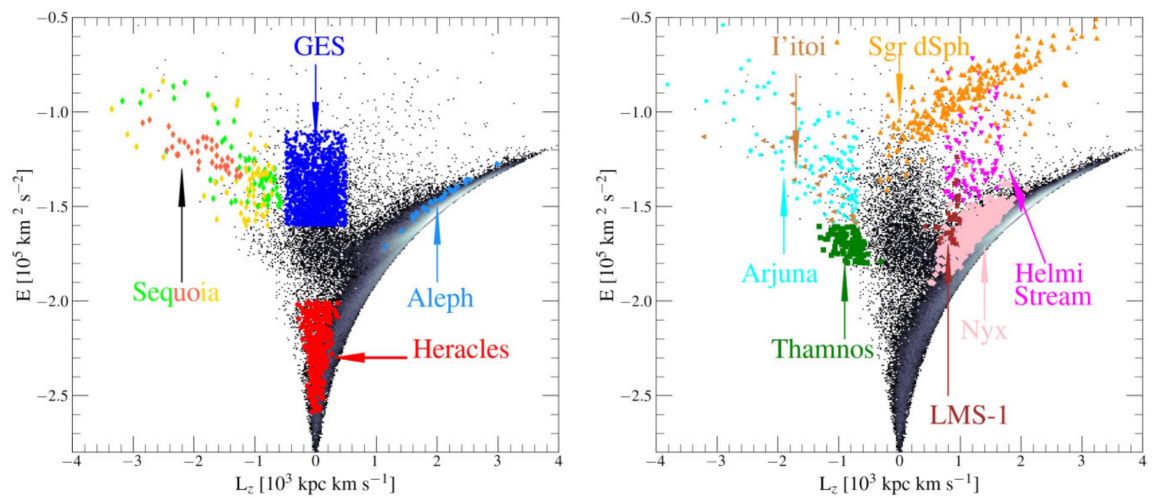
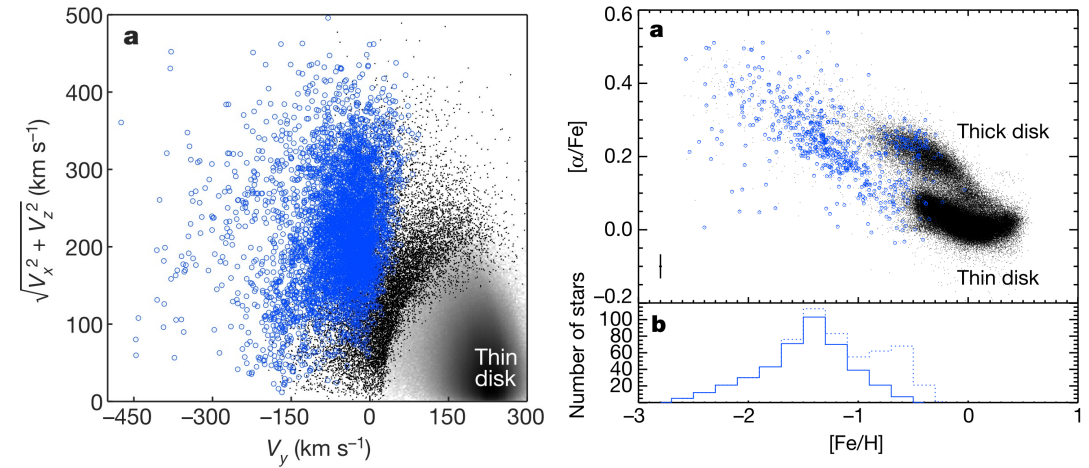
Many kinematic substructures

Koppelman+ 2019, Myeong+ 2019, Naidu+ 2020, Horta+ 2021
many more...

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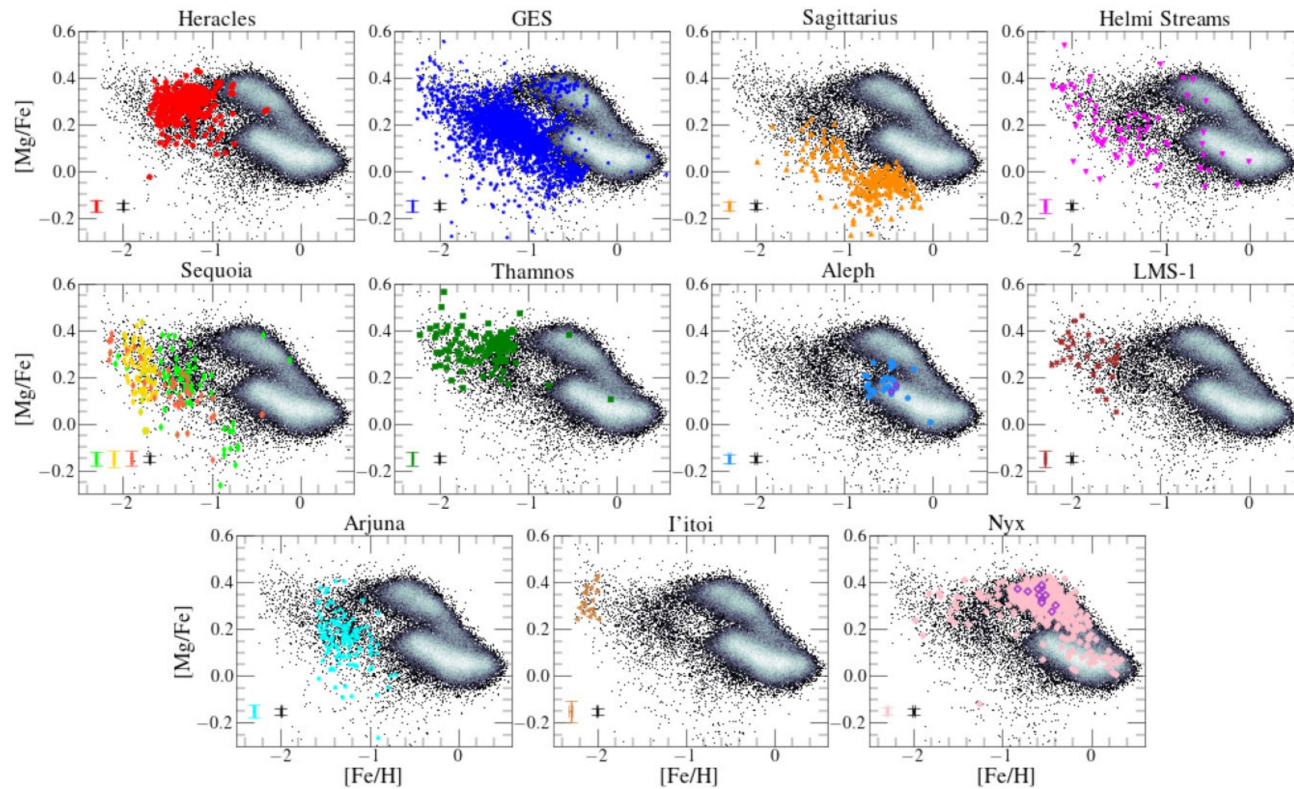


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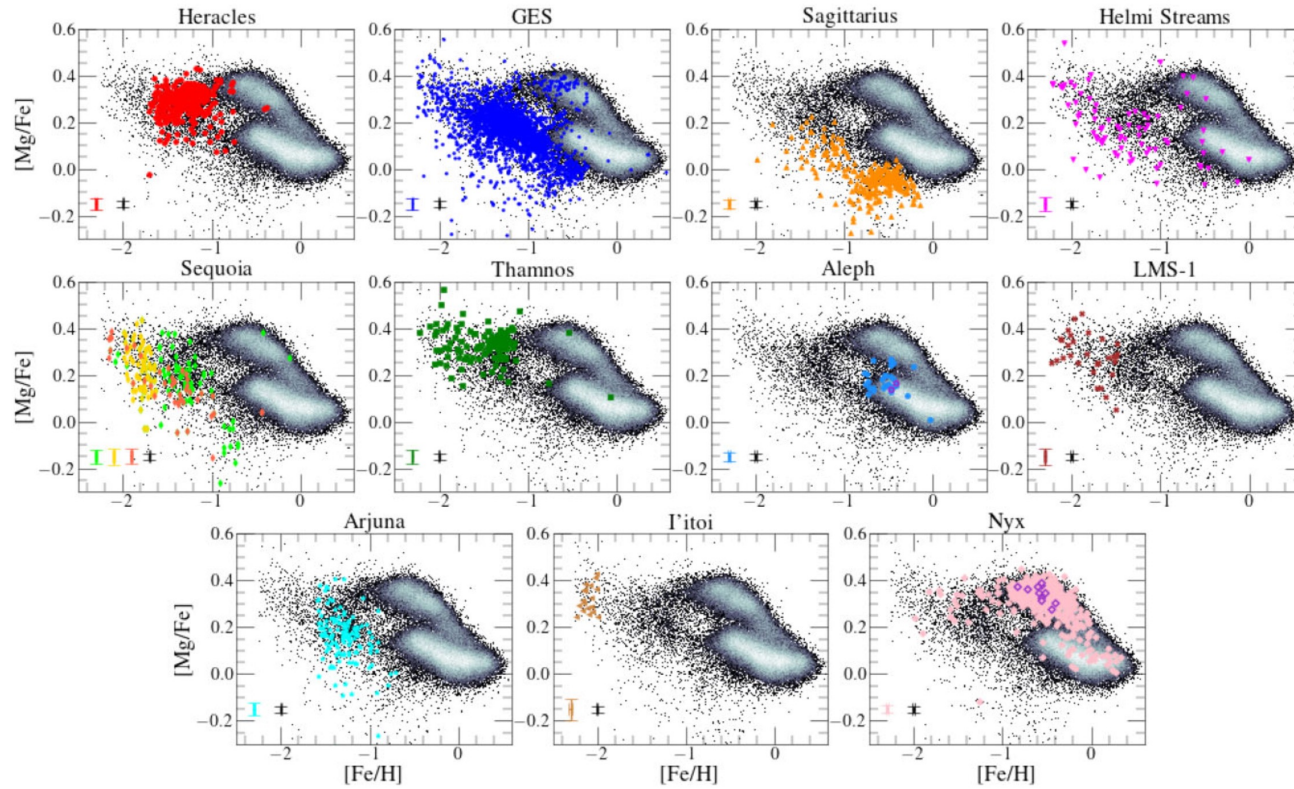
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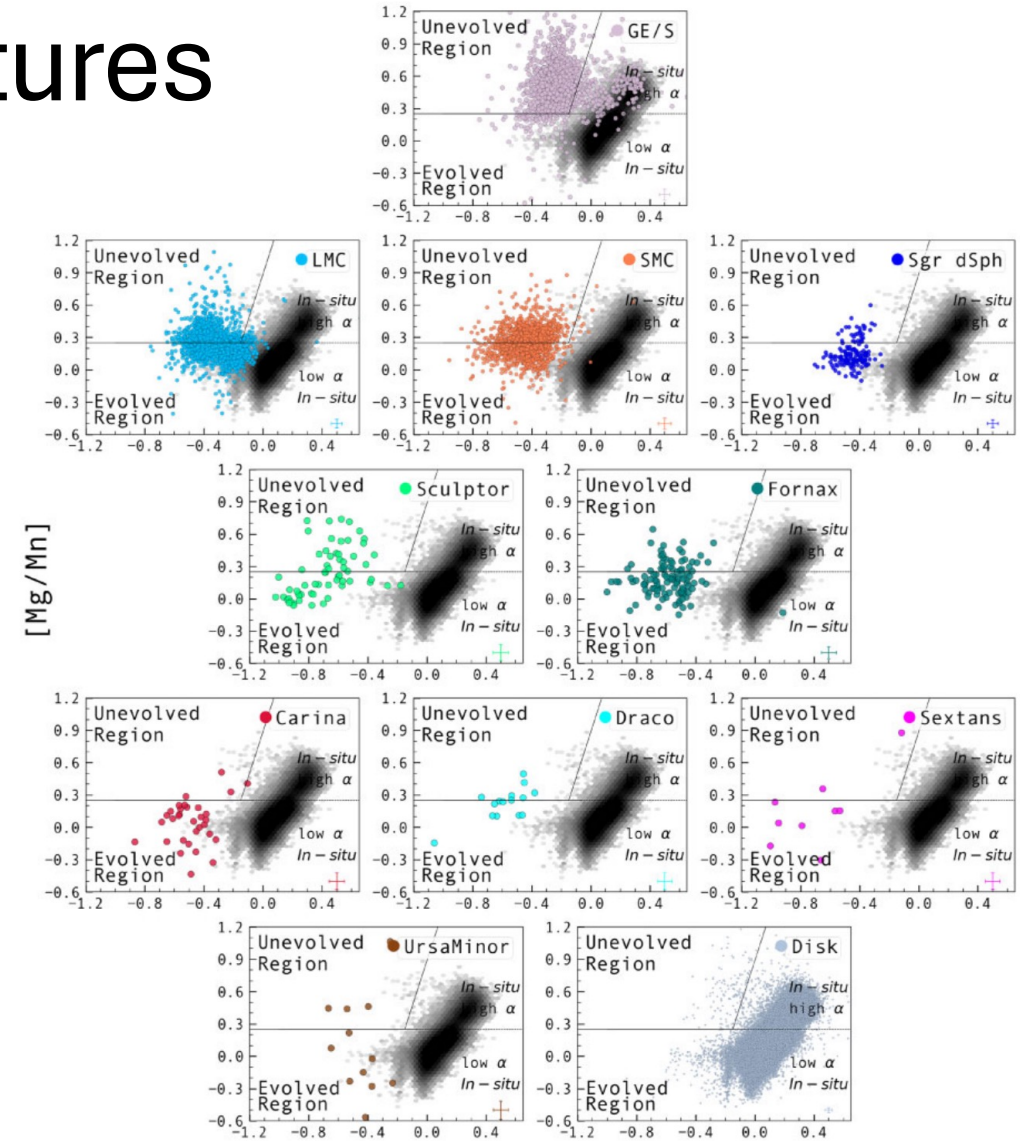


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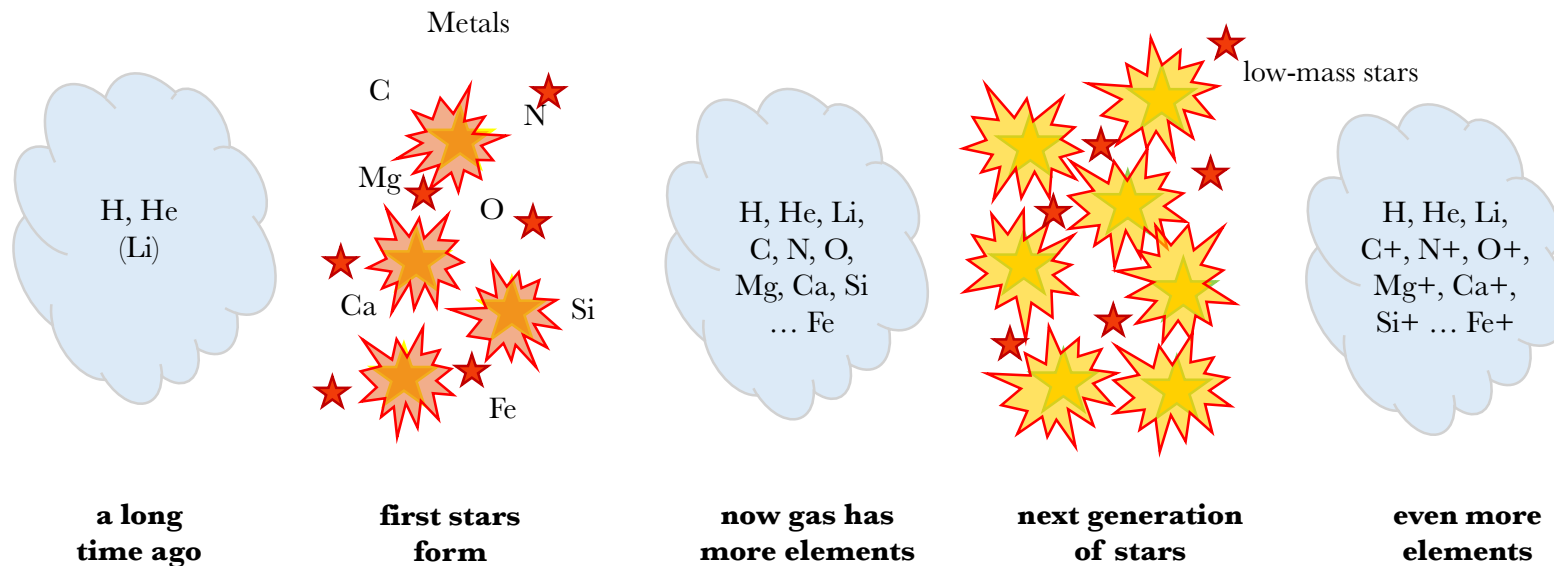
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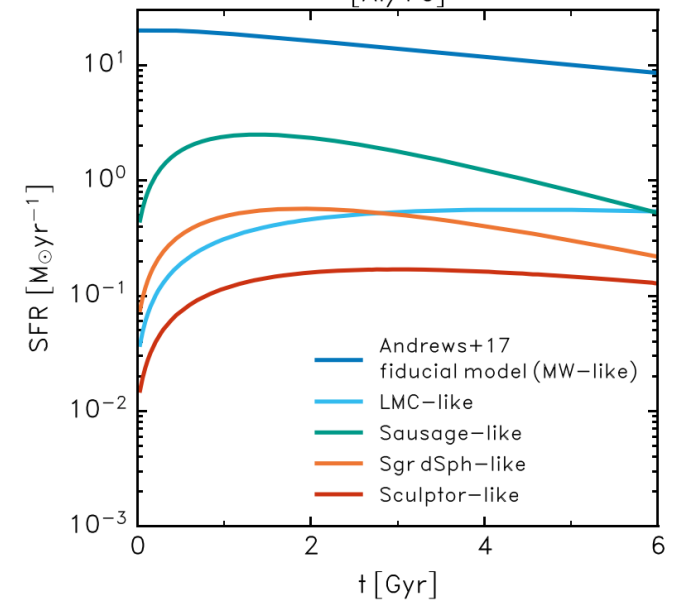
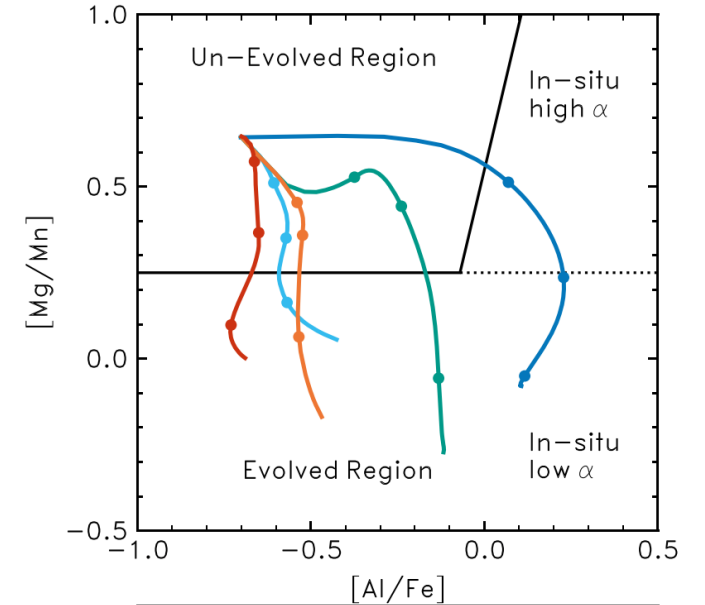
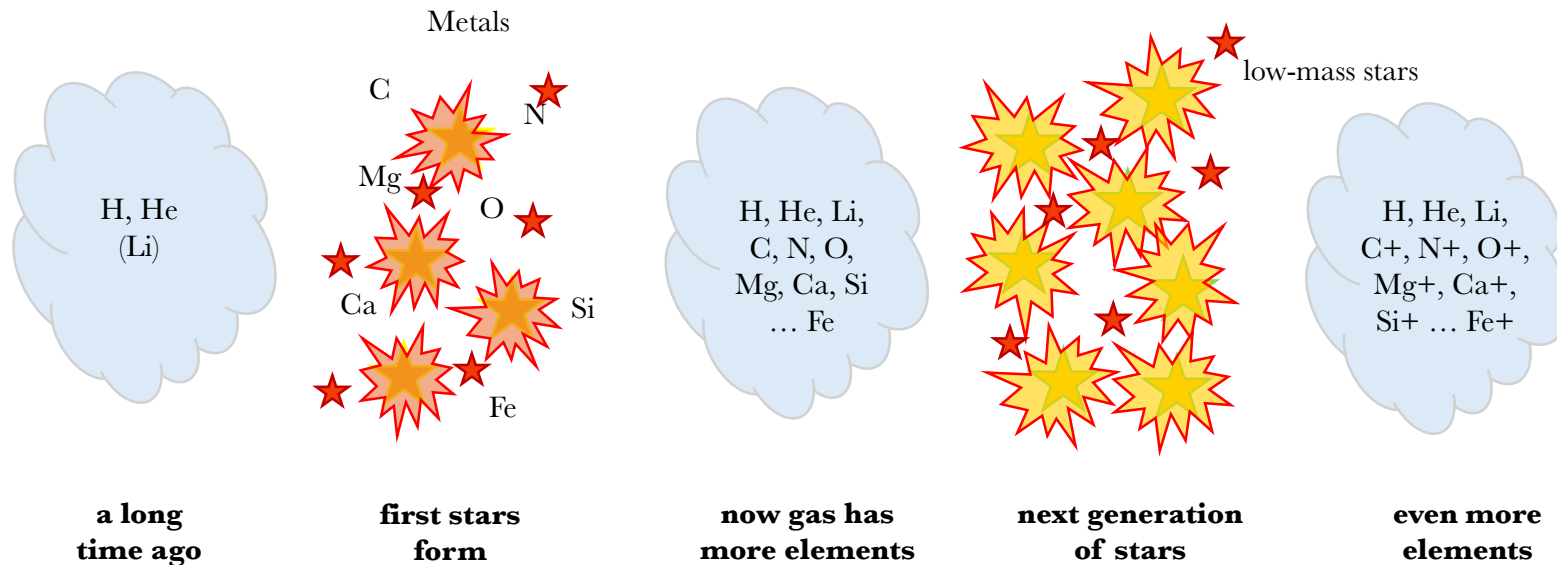
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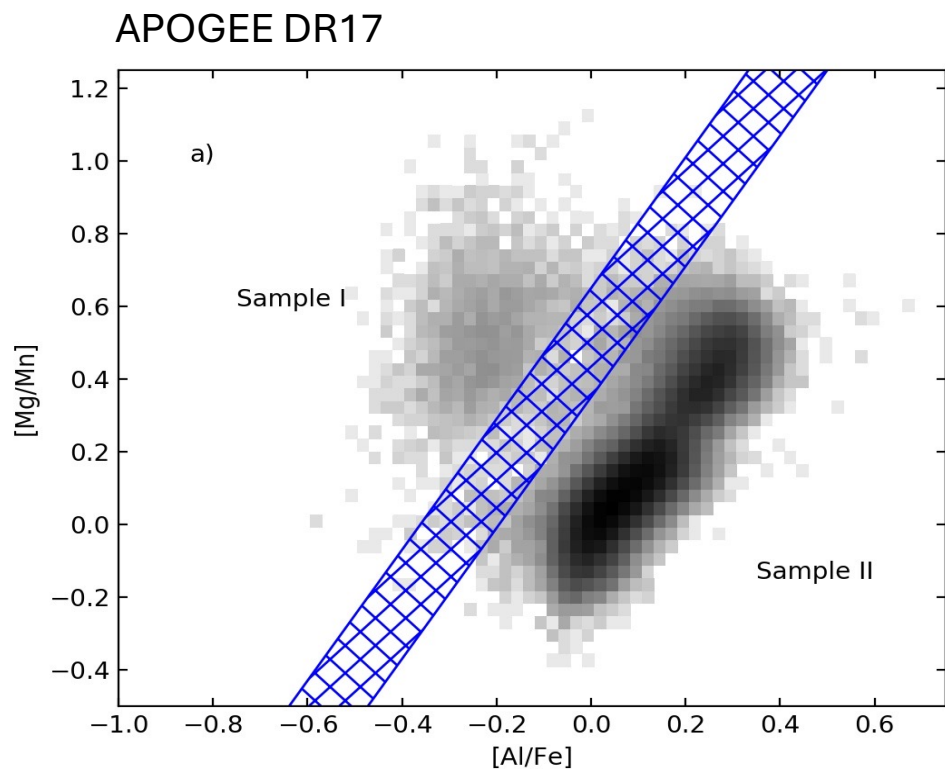


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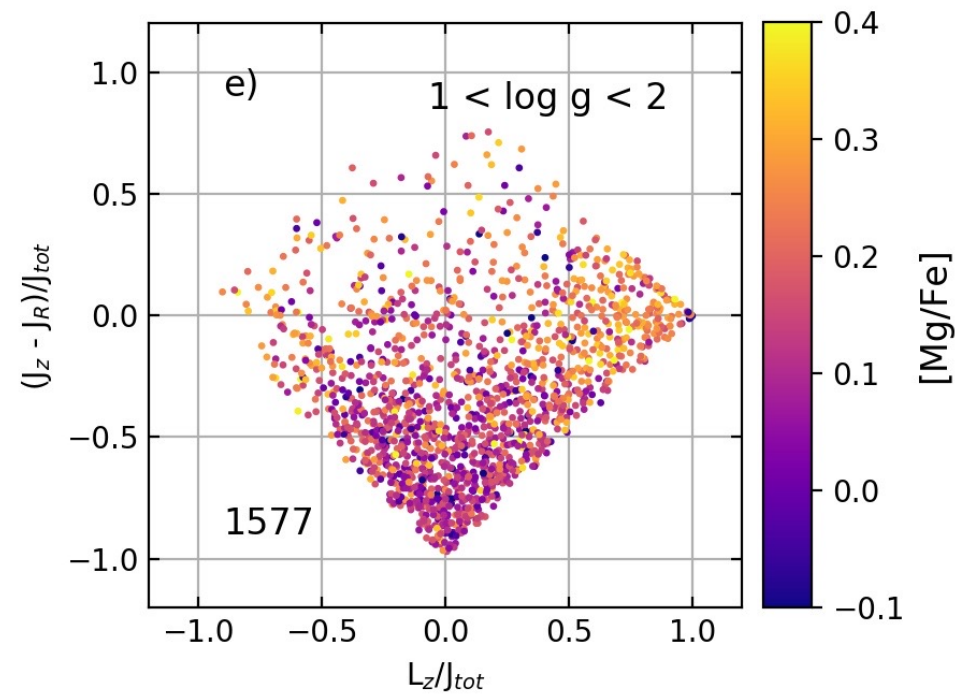
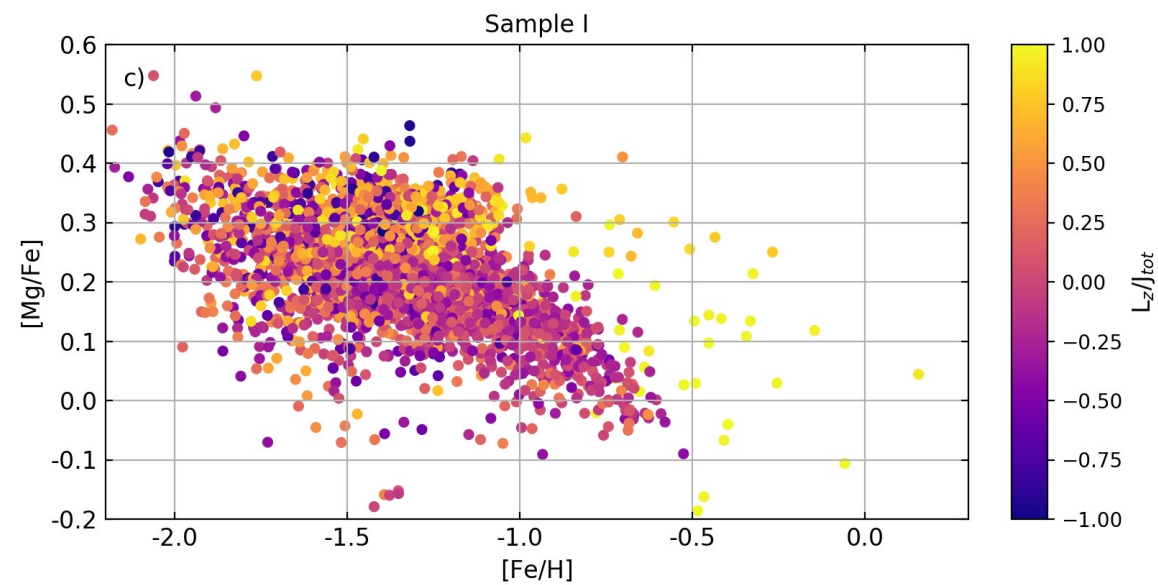
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Chemistry + kinematics recommended

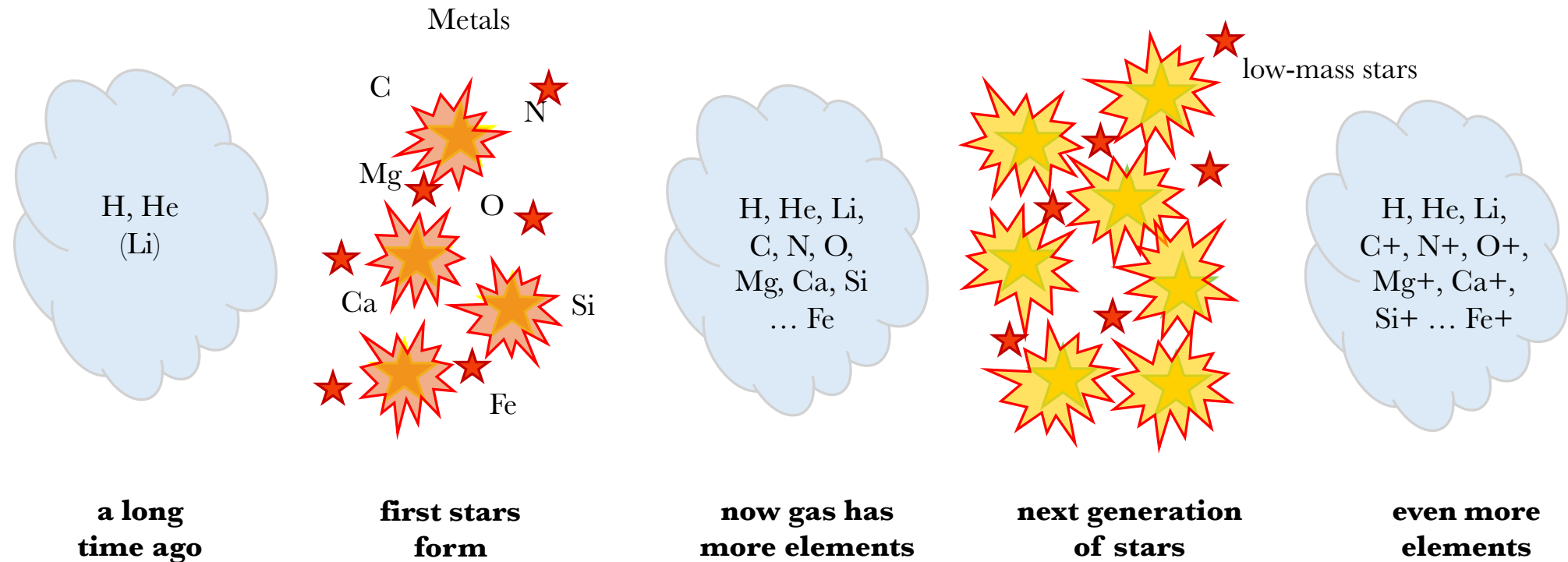


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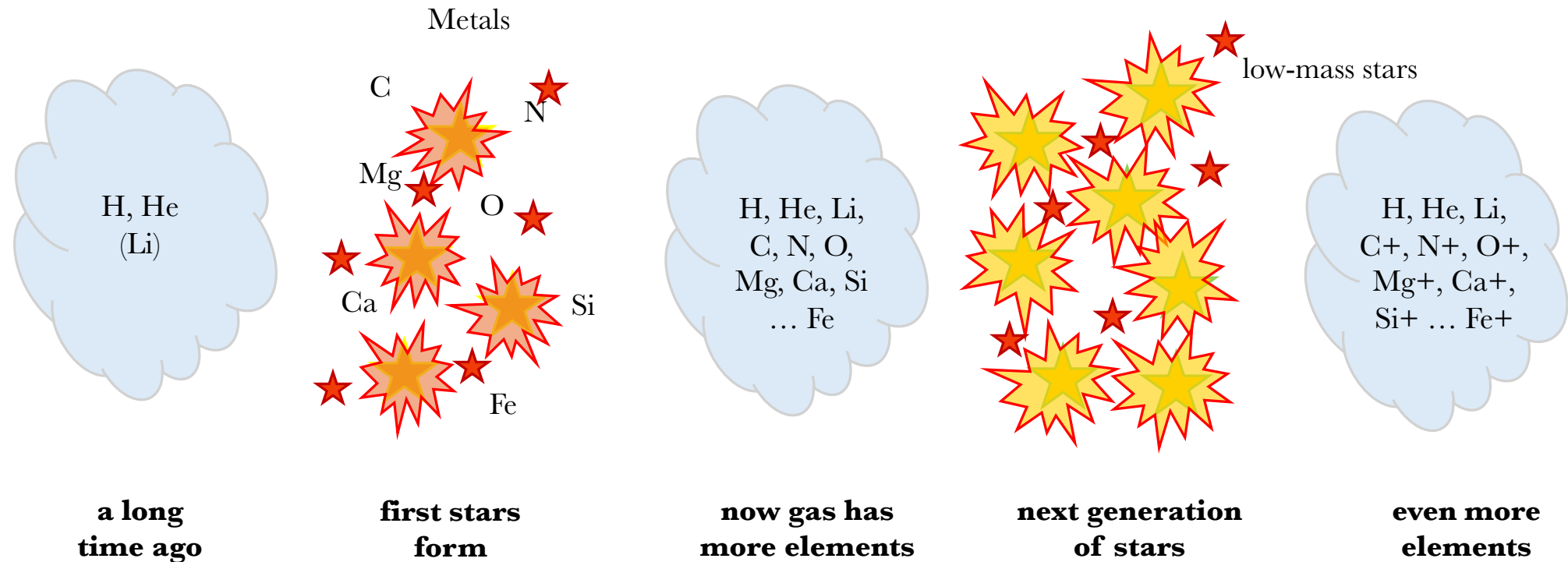
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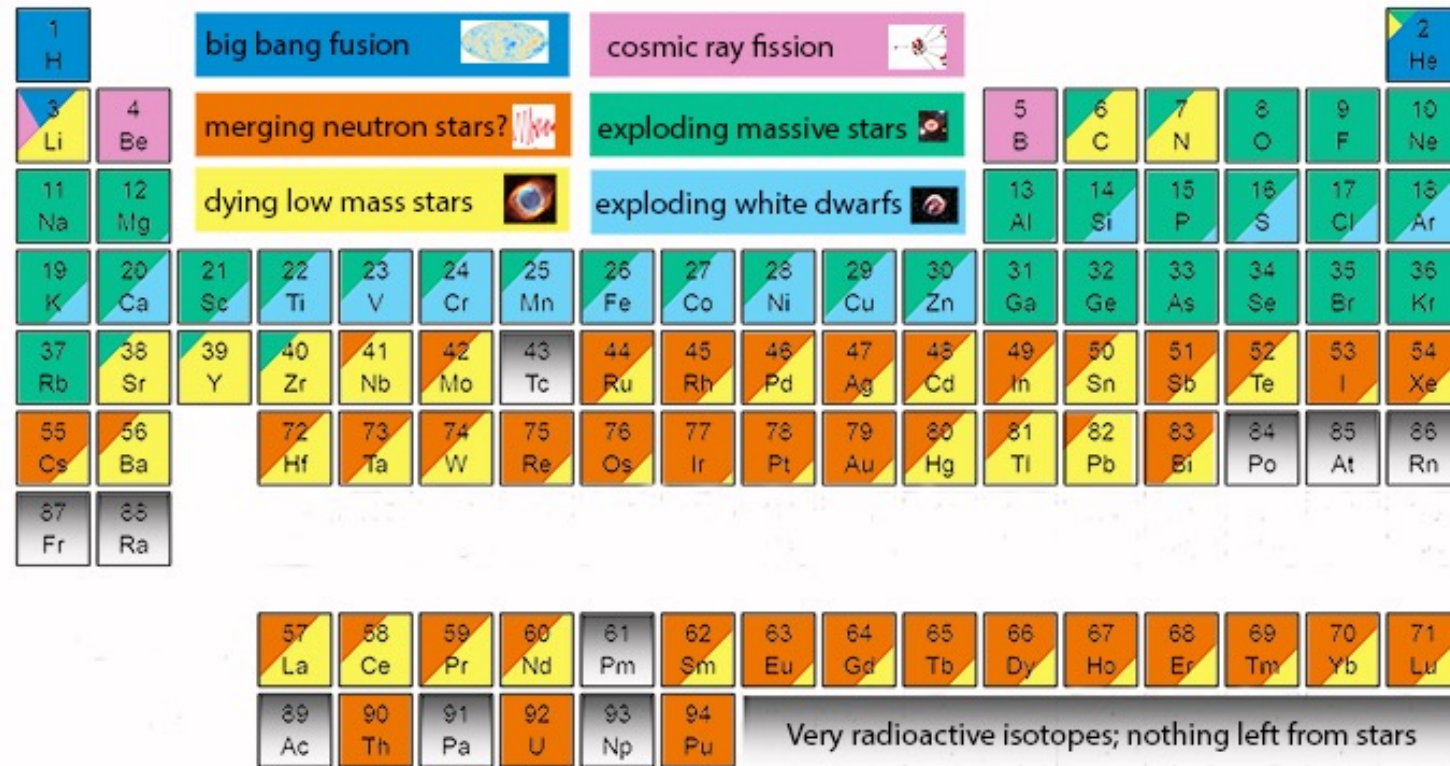
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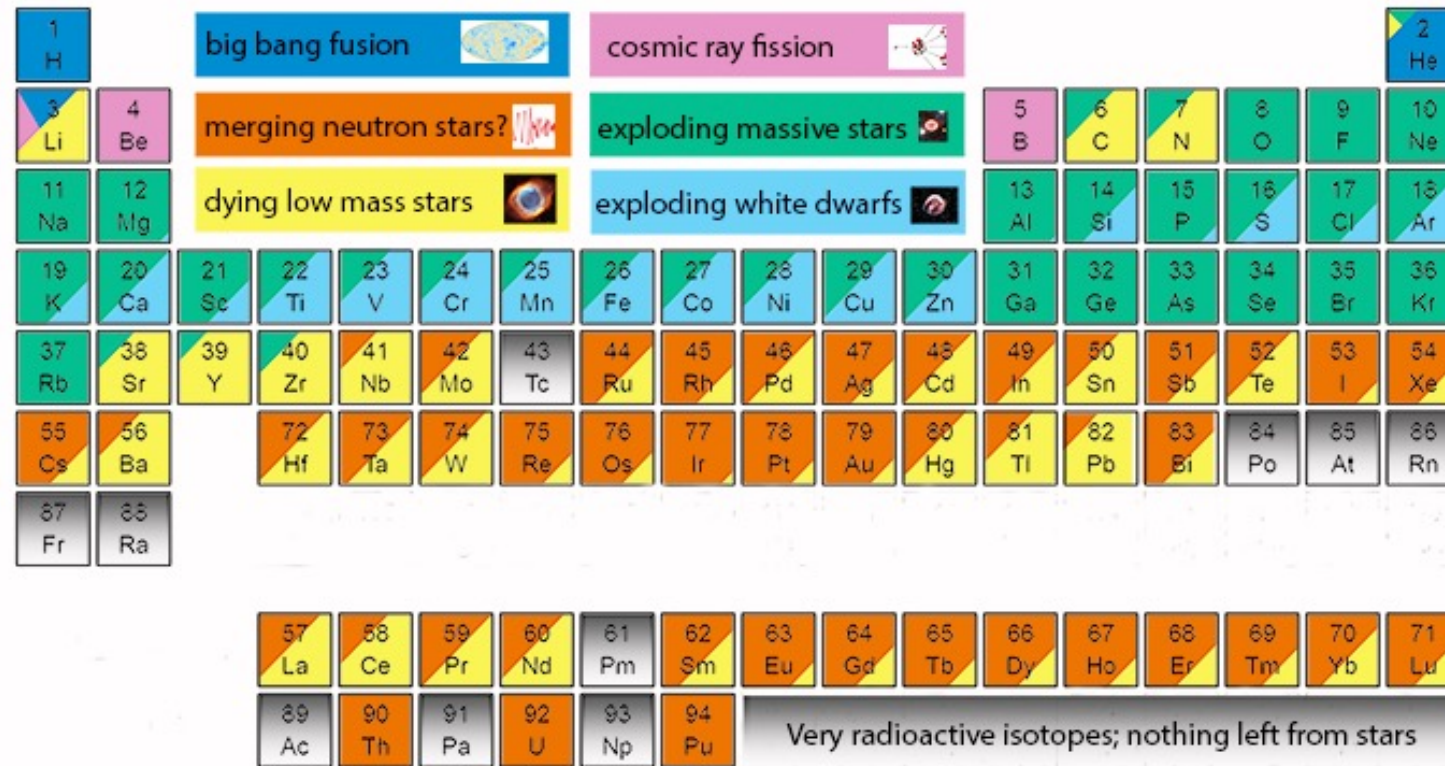
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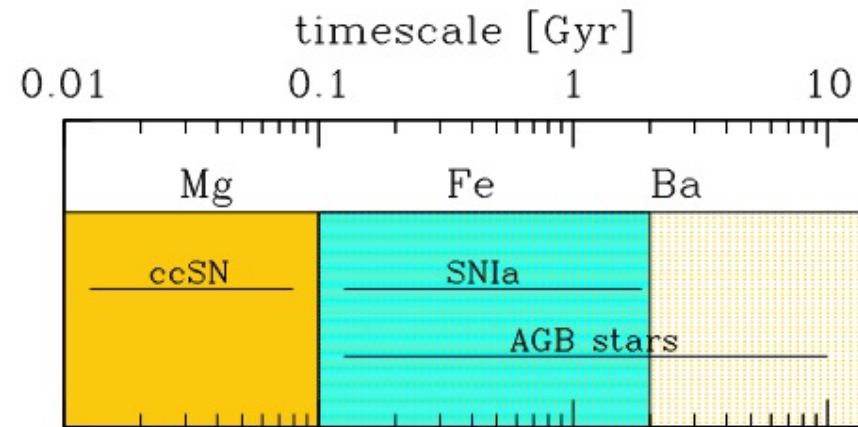
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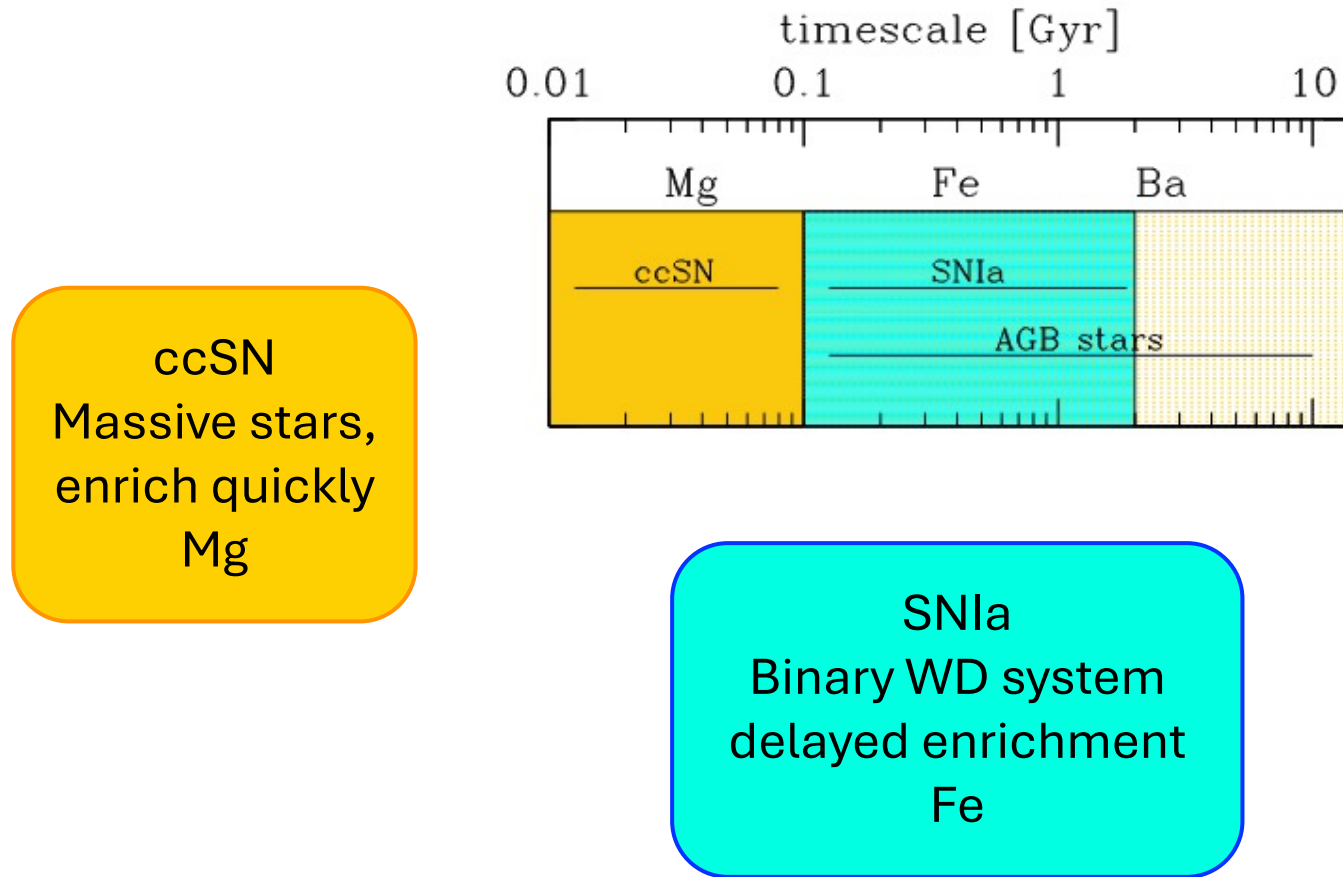


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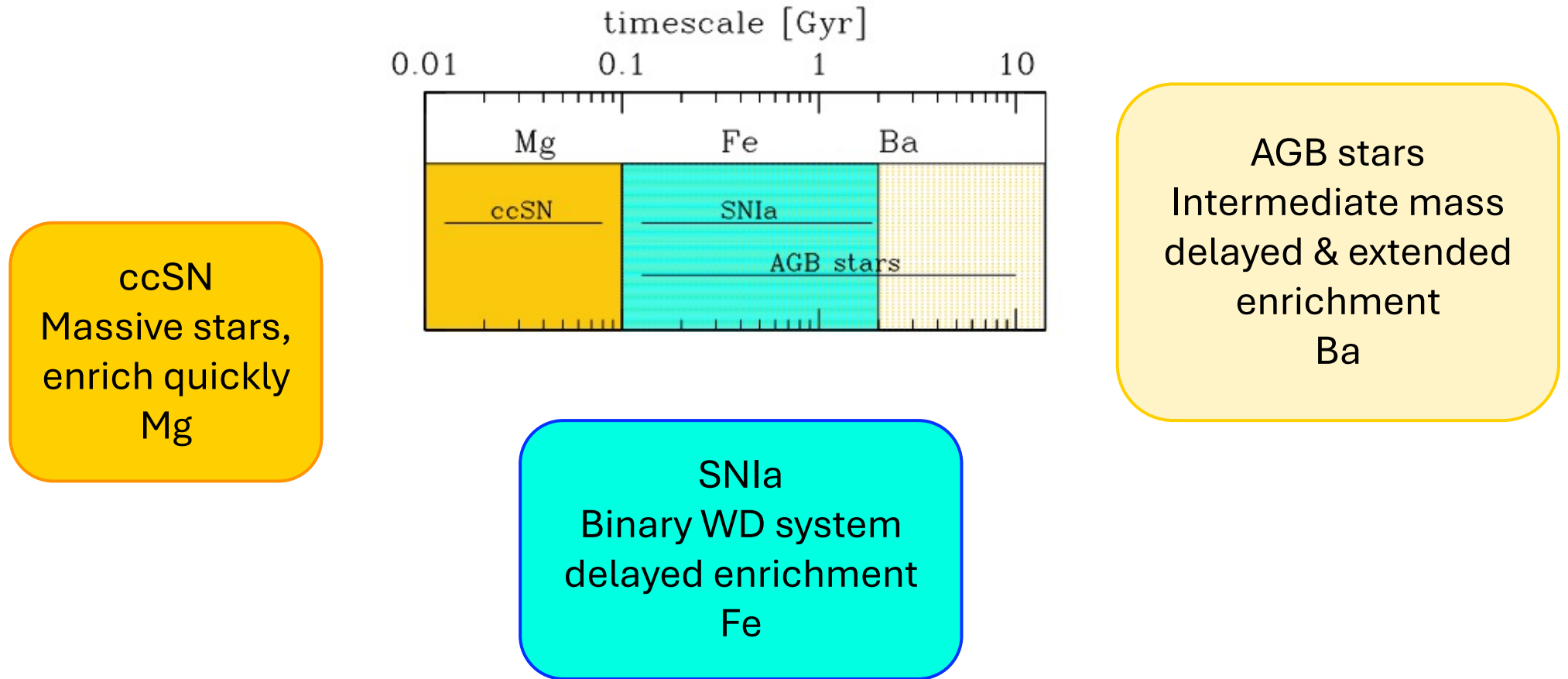
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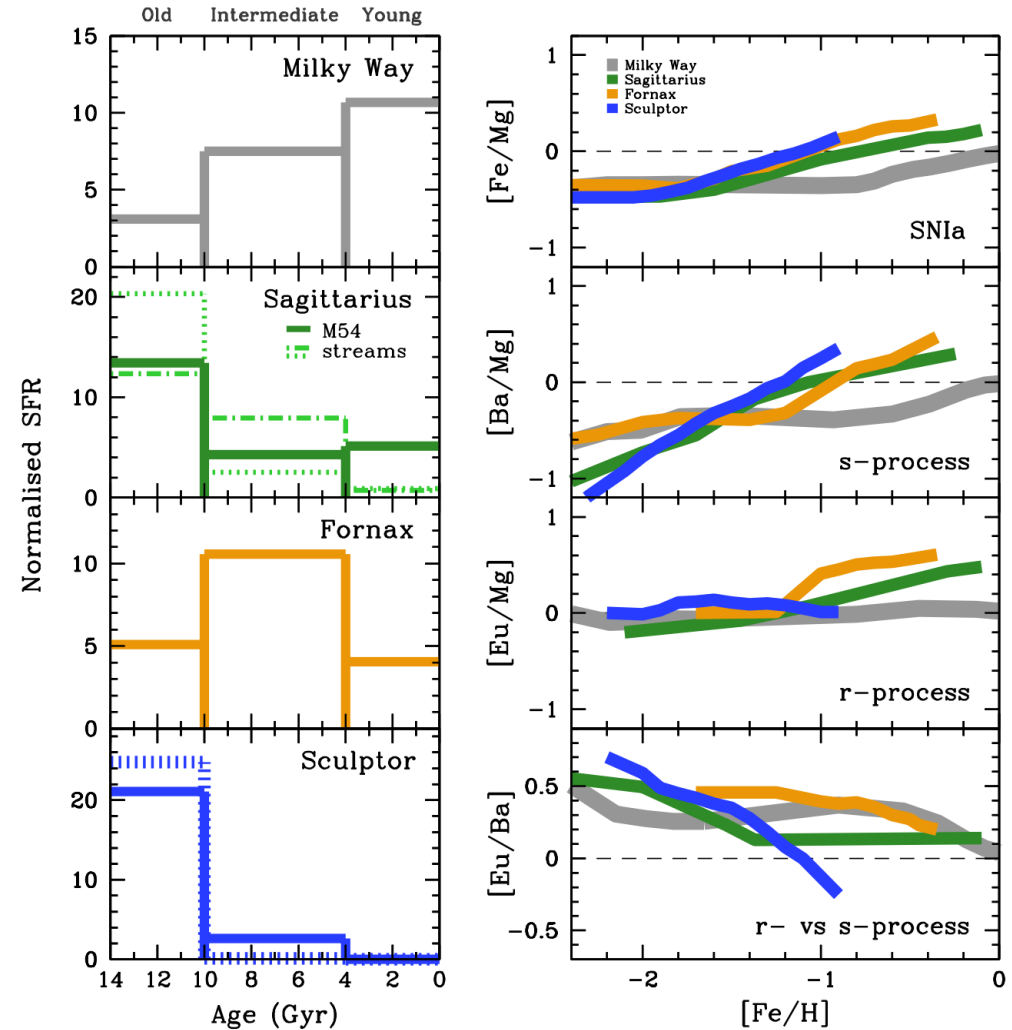


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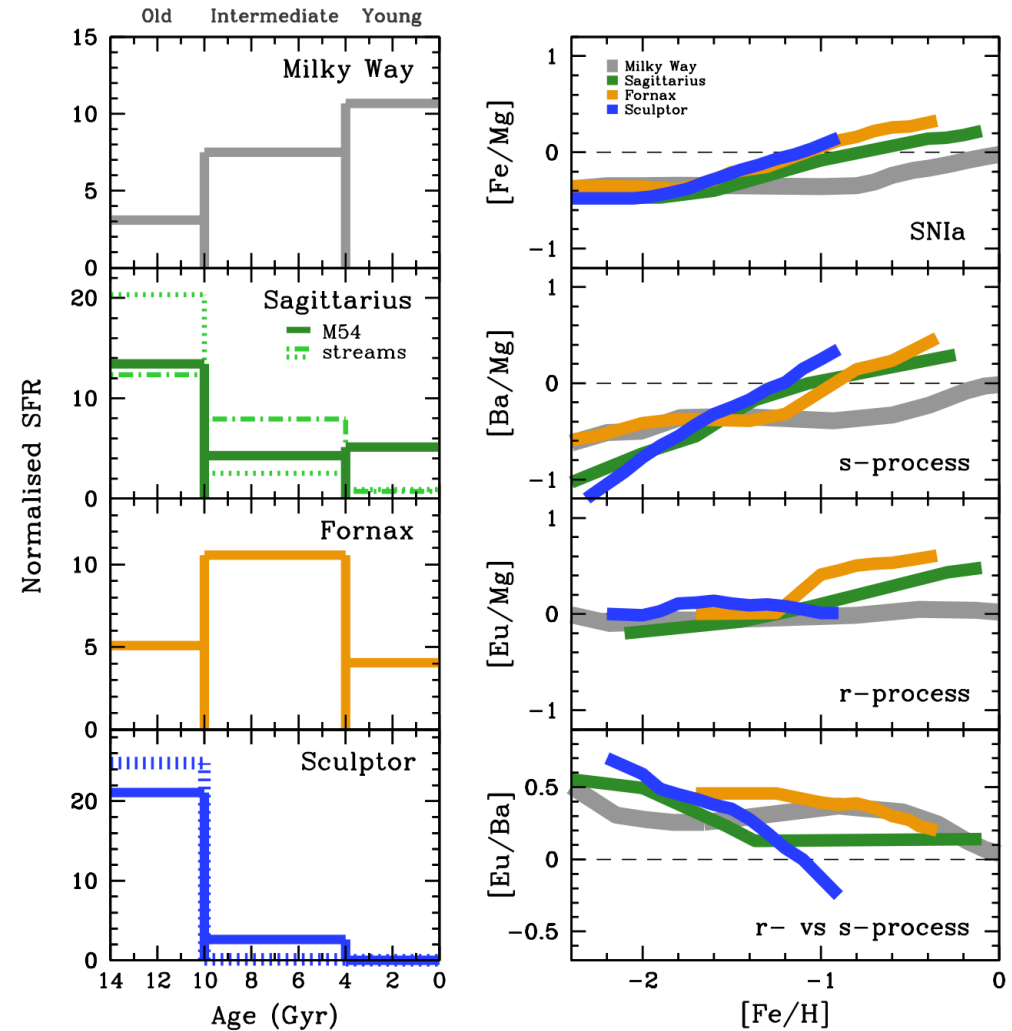
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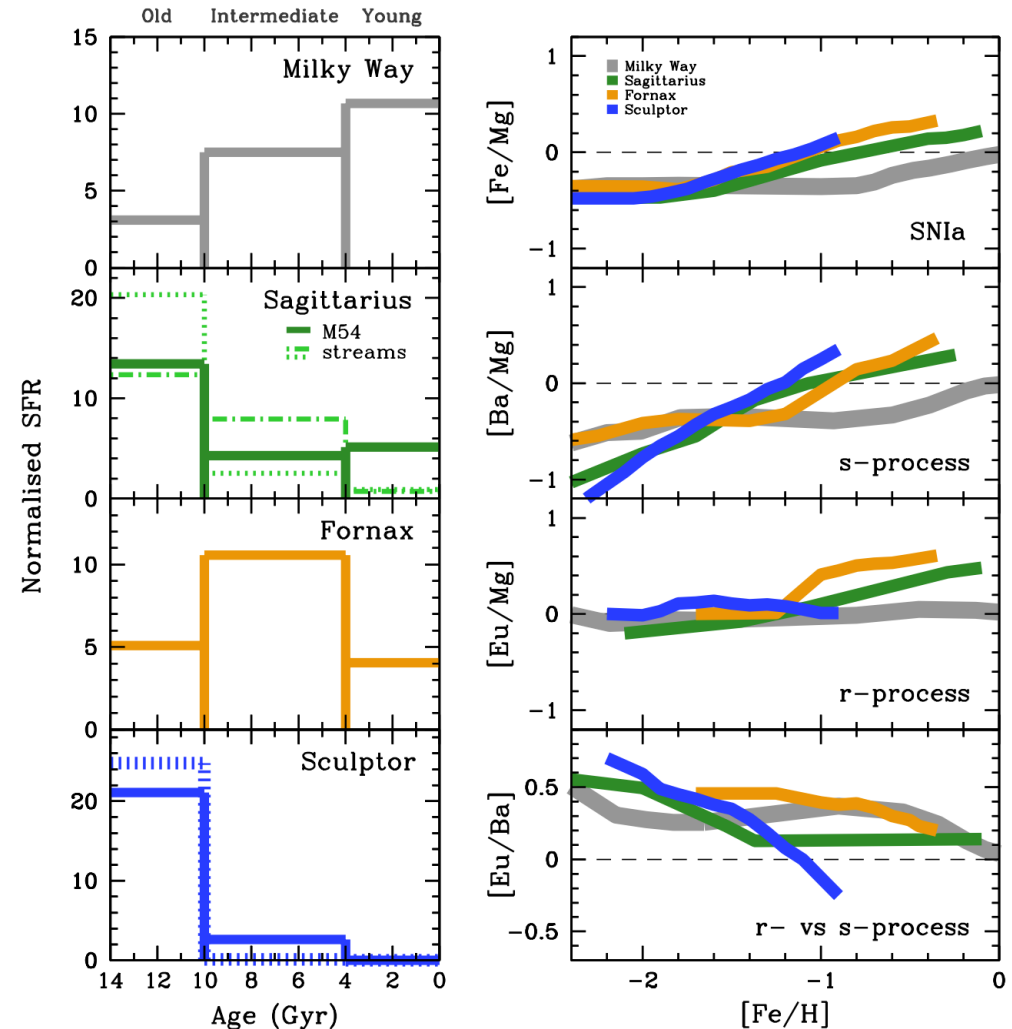
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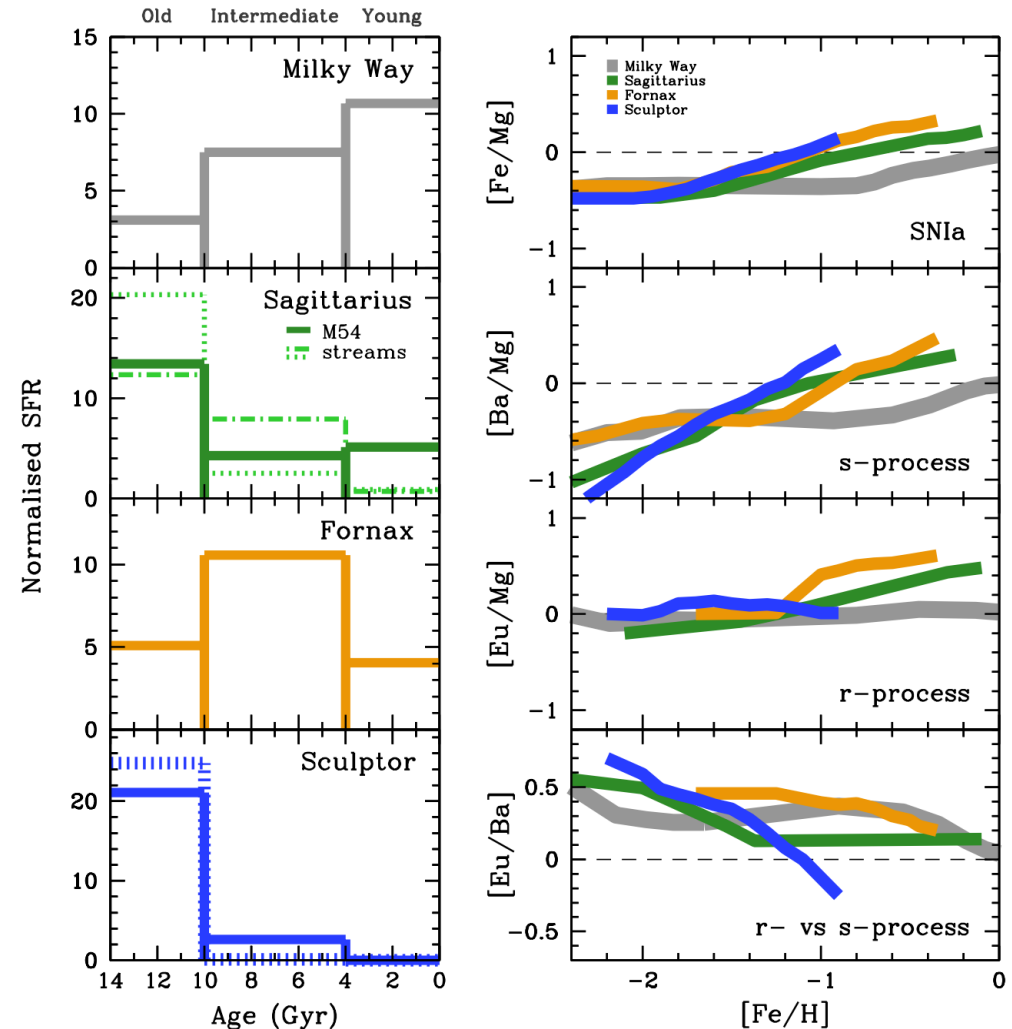
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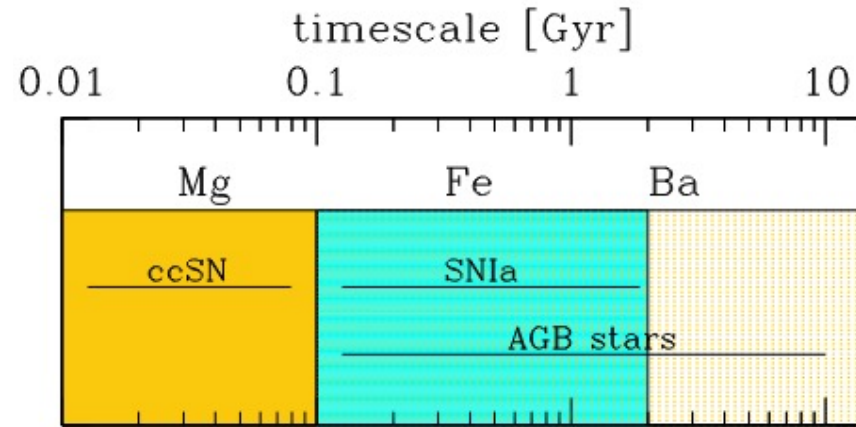
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(see updated Sculptor SFH, Bettinelli et al. 2019)



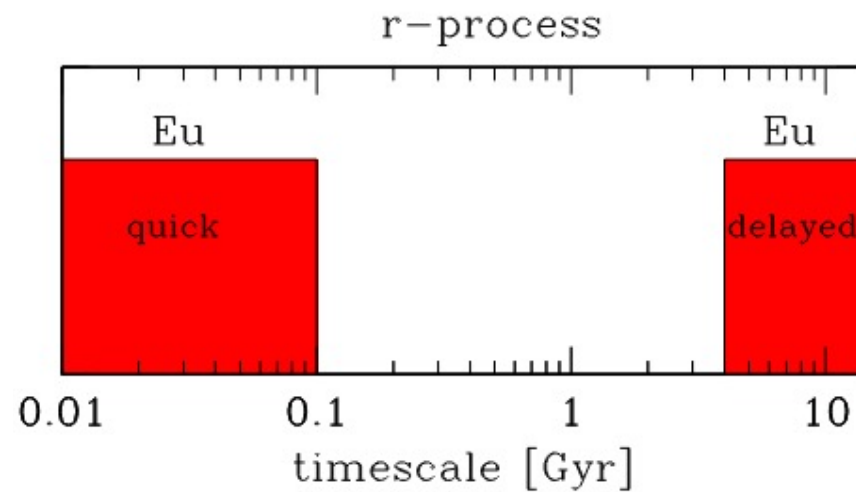
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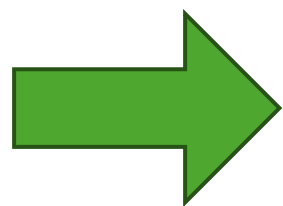
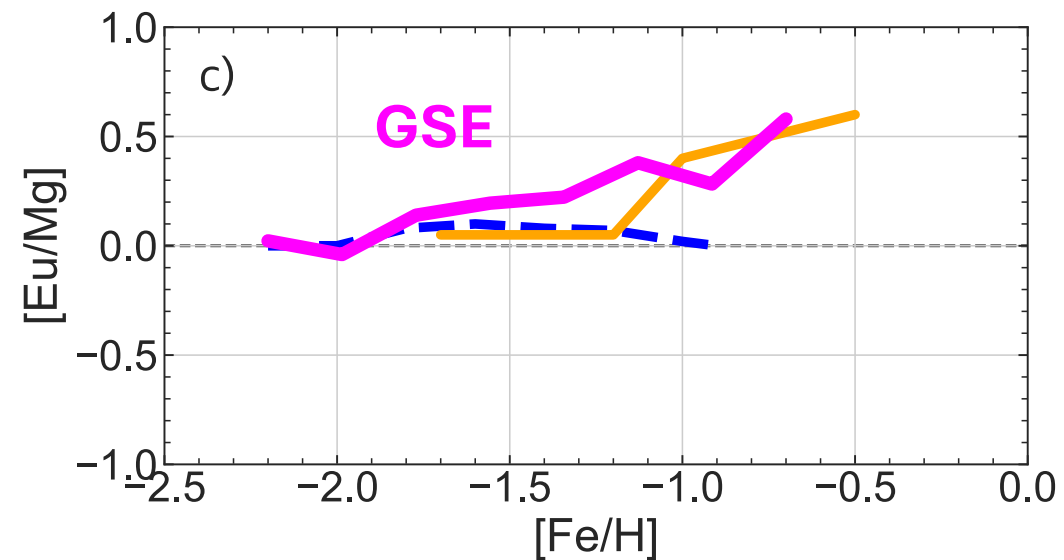
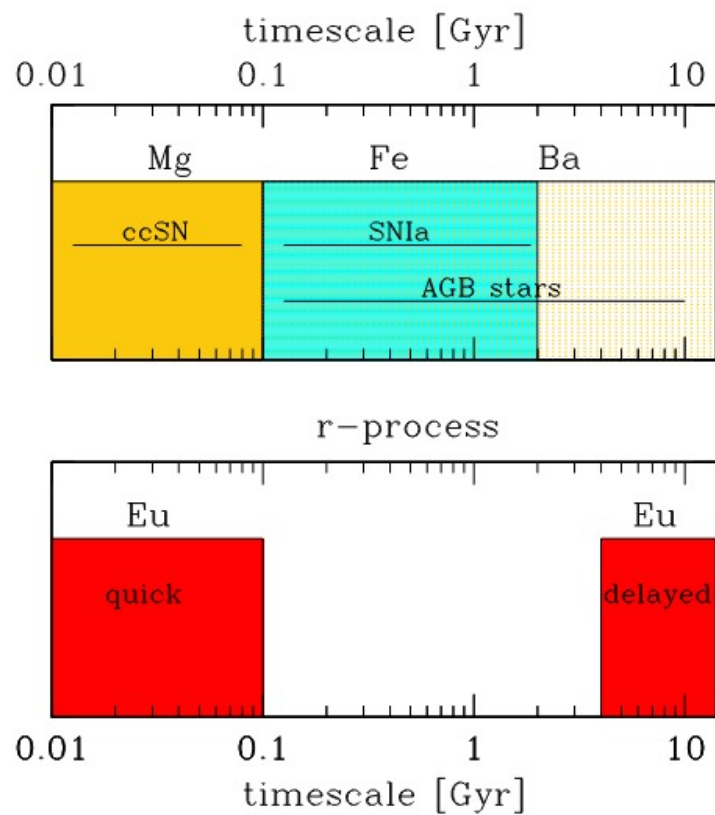


AGB stars
Intermediate mass
delayed & extended
enrichment
Ba

SNIa
Binary WD system
delayed enrichment
Fe



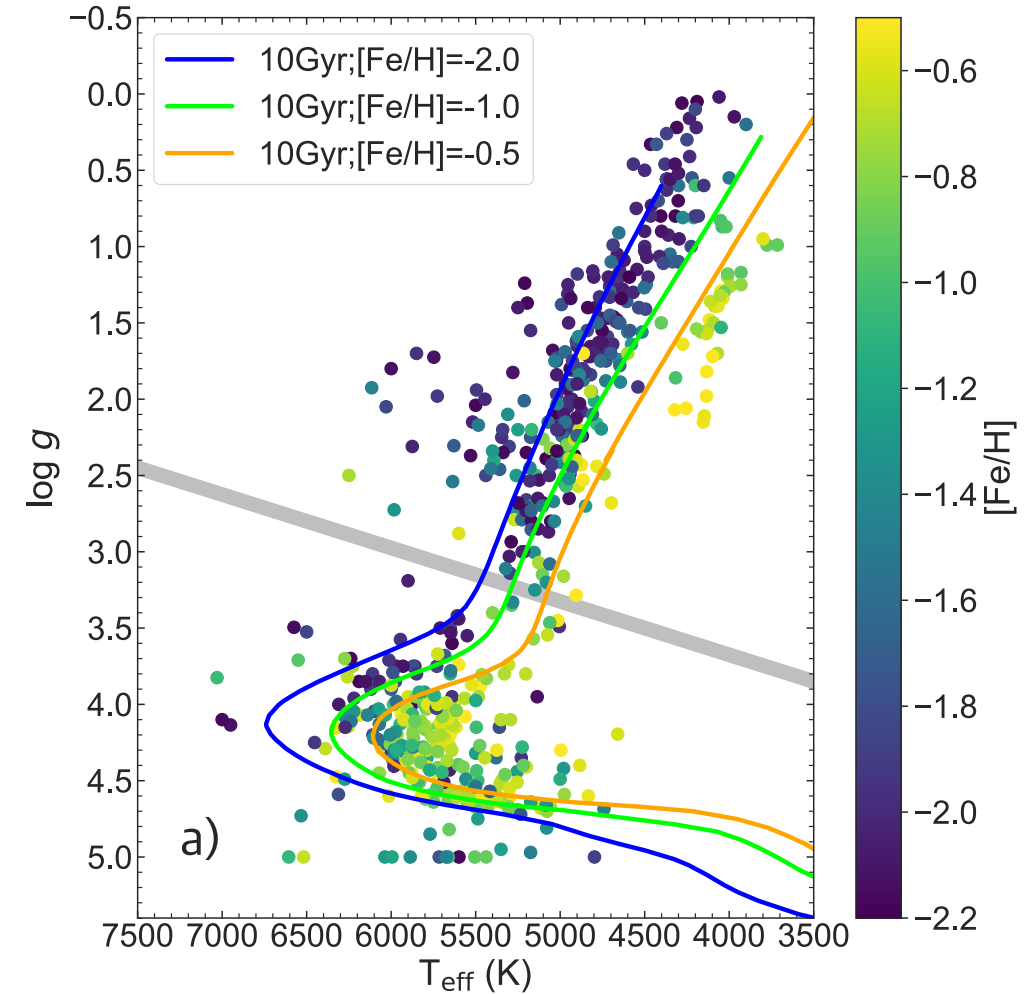
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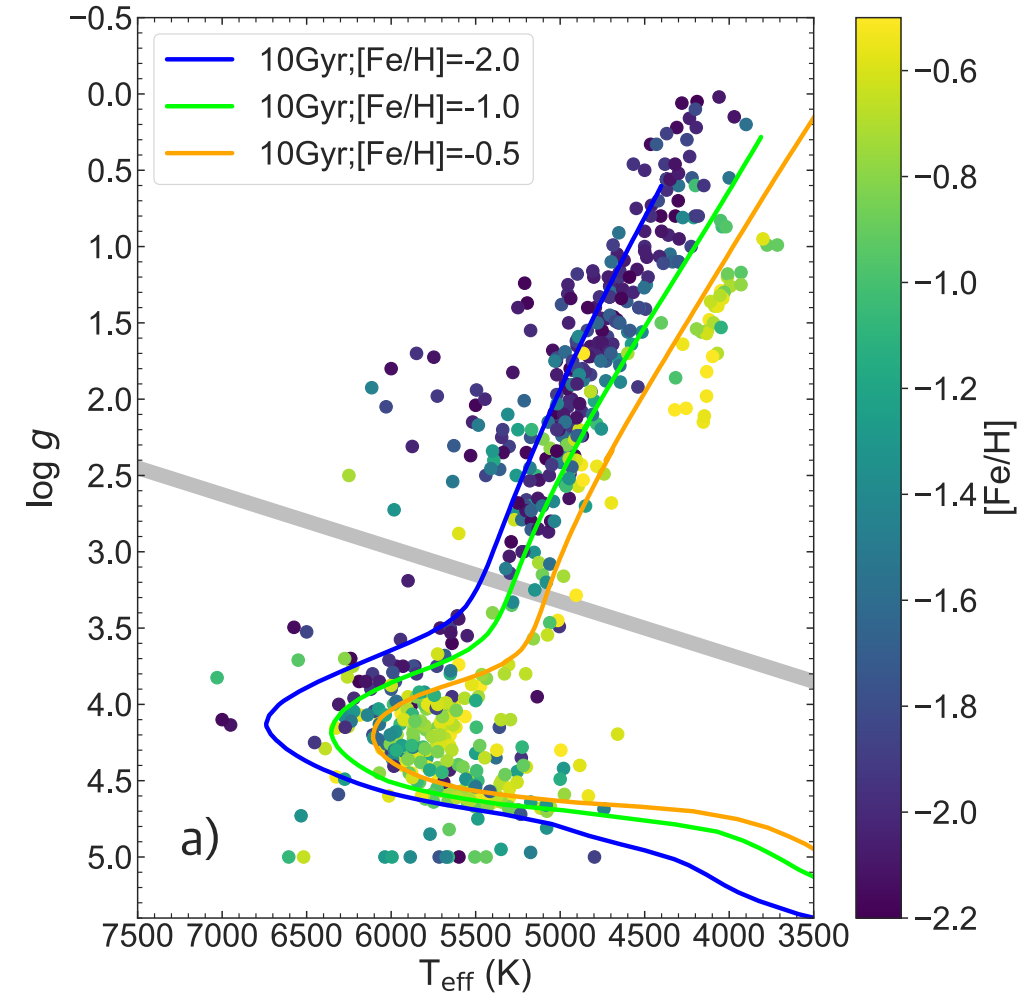
GSE literature compilation

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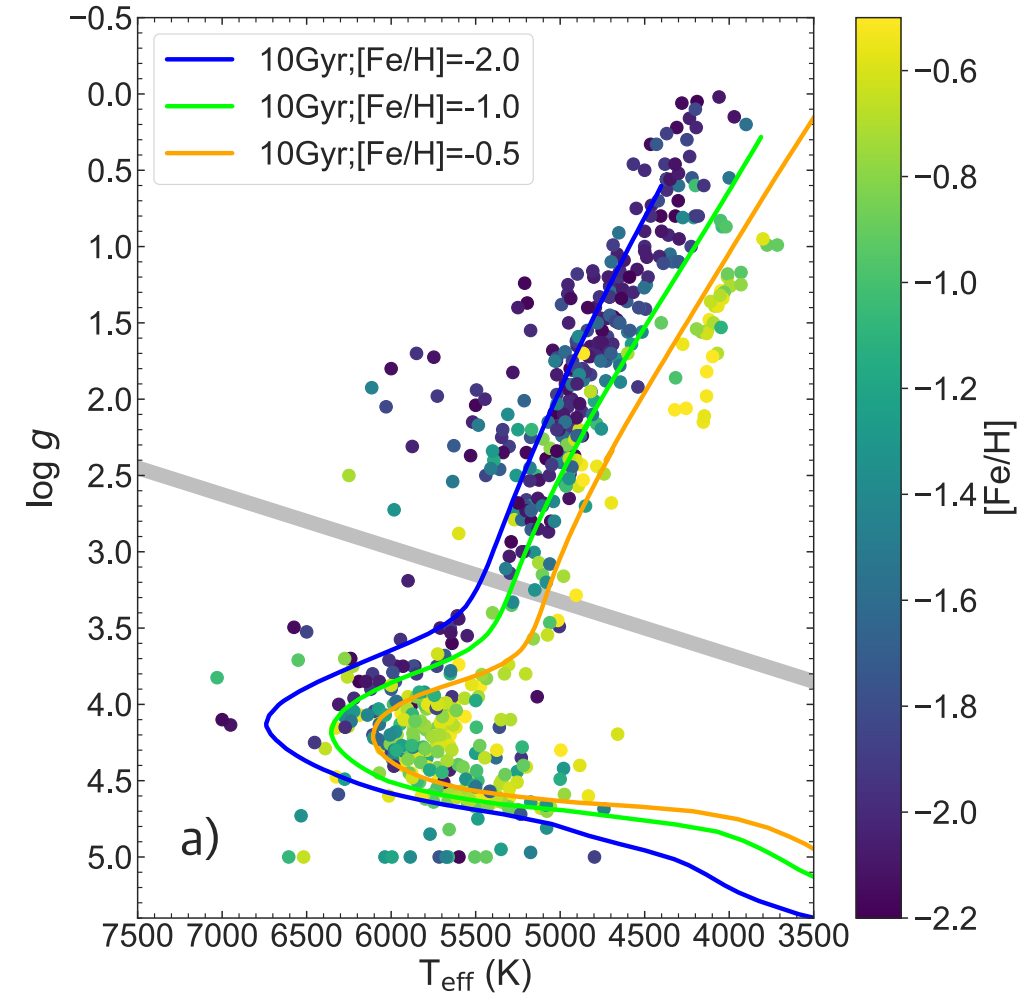
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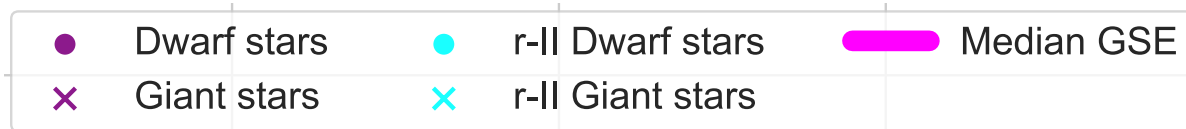
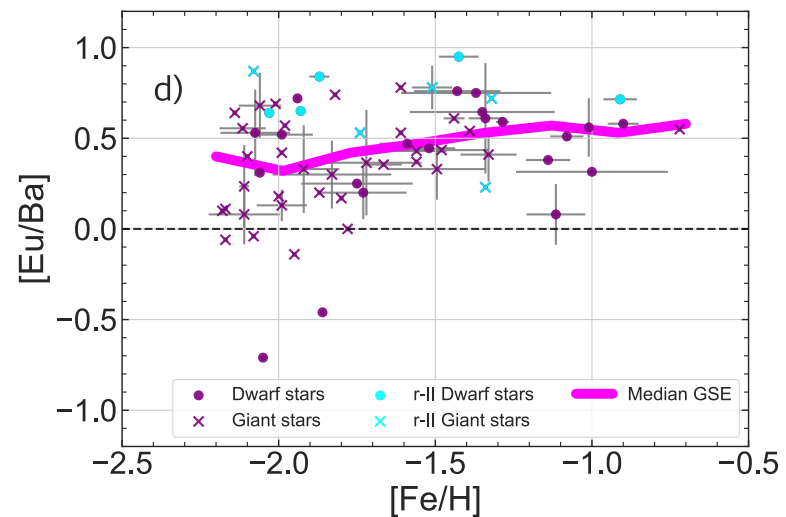
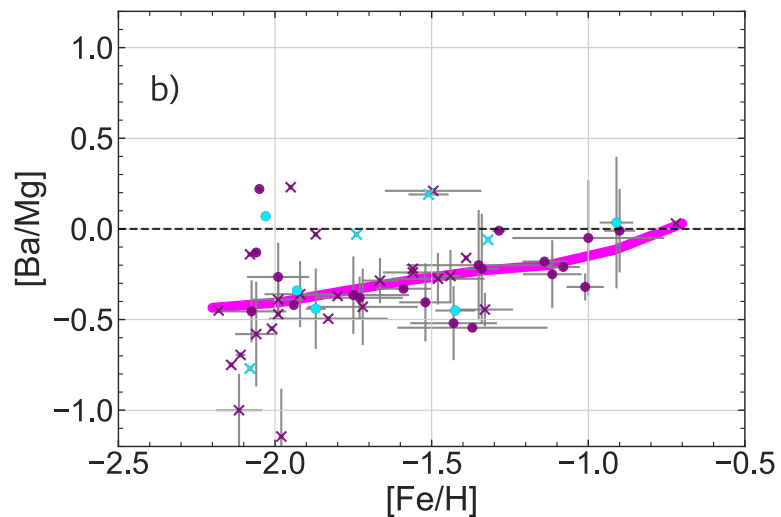
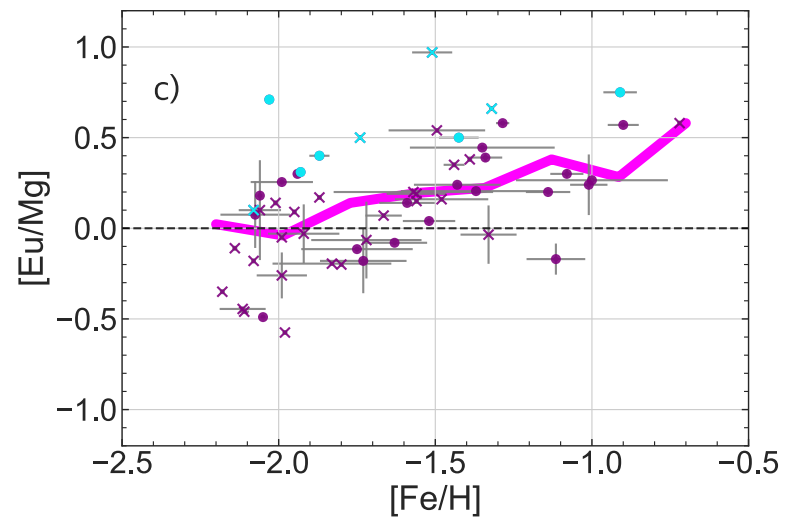
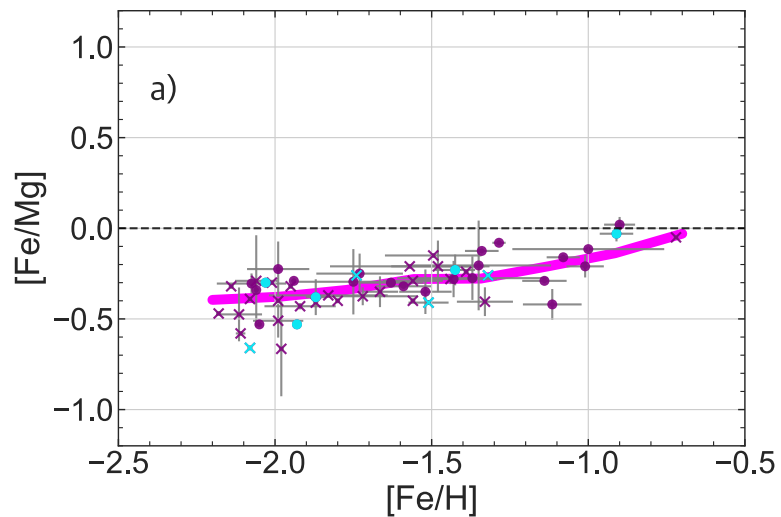
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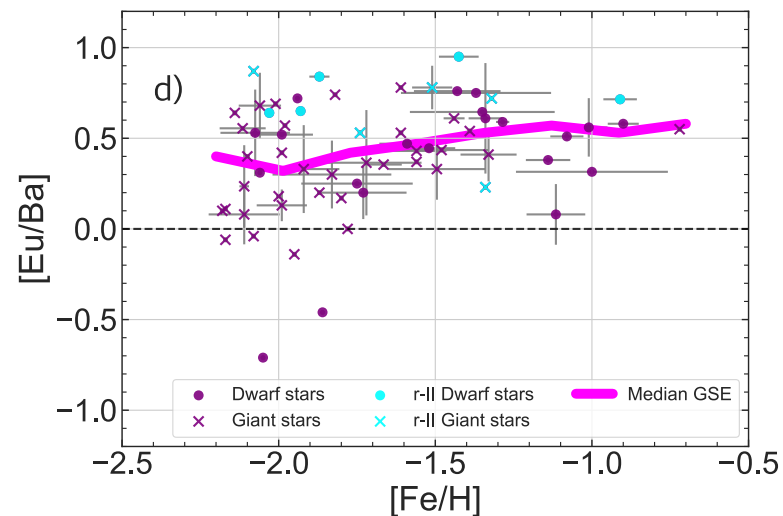
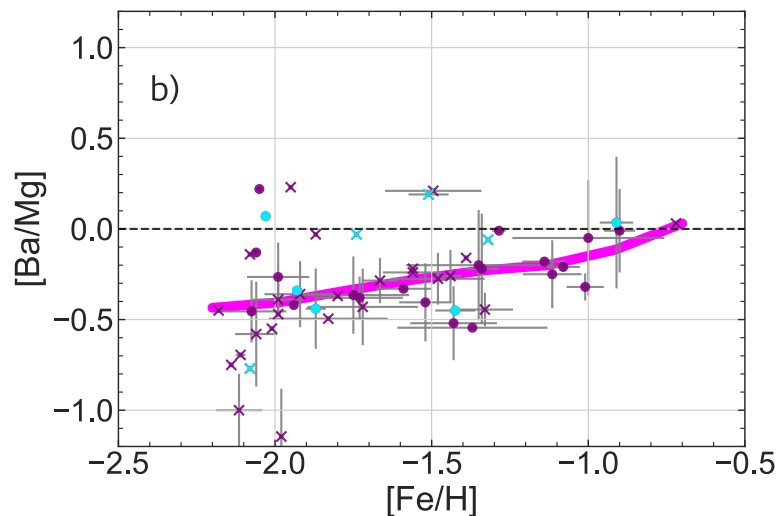
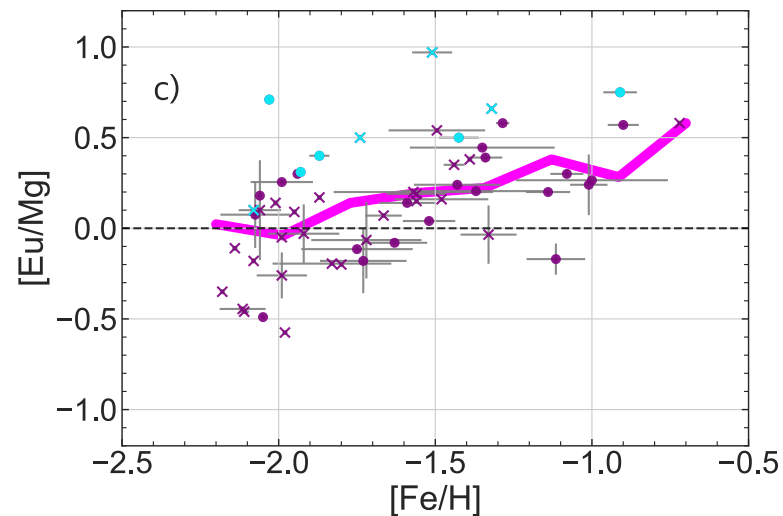
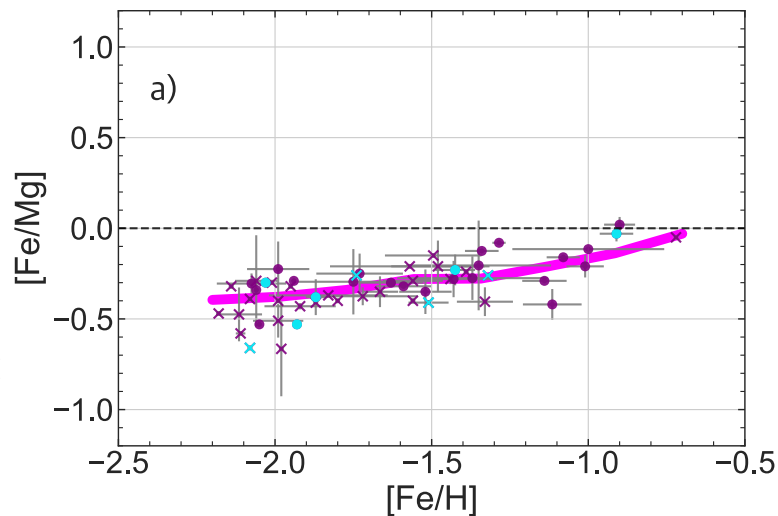
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- 73 GSE stars selected in $L_Z - J_R$ Feuillet+ (2021)





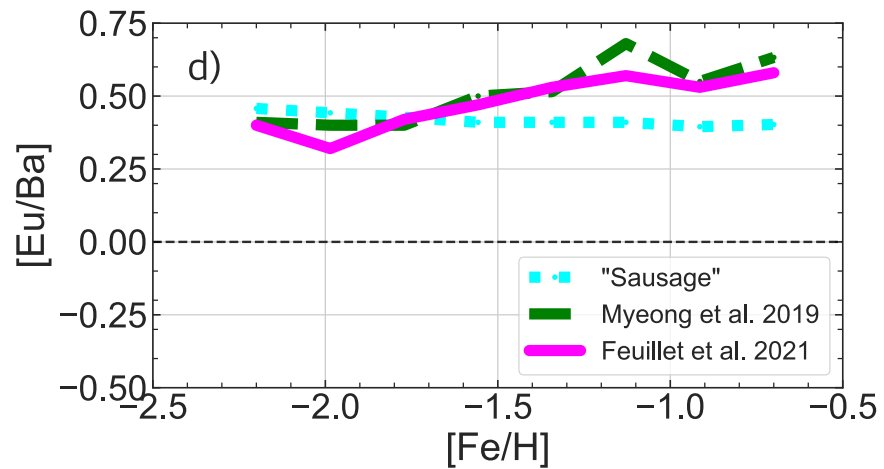
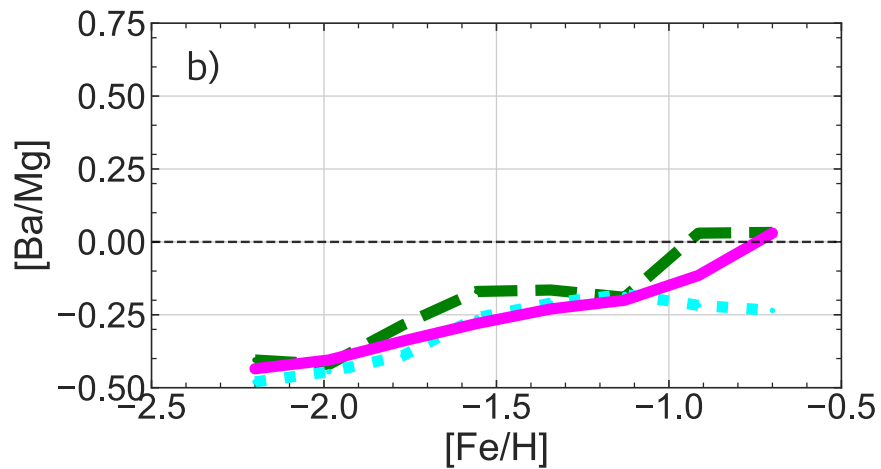
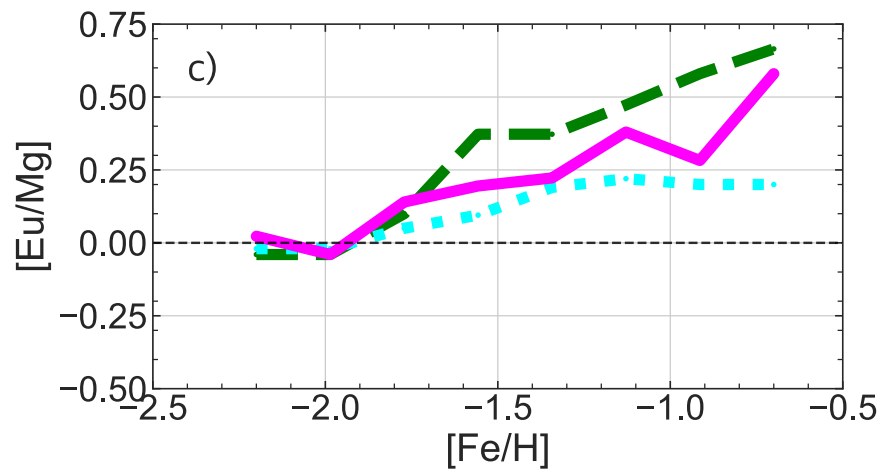
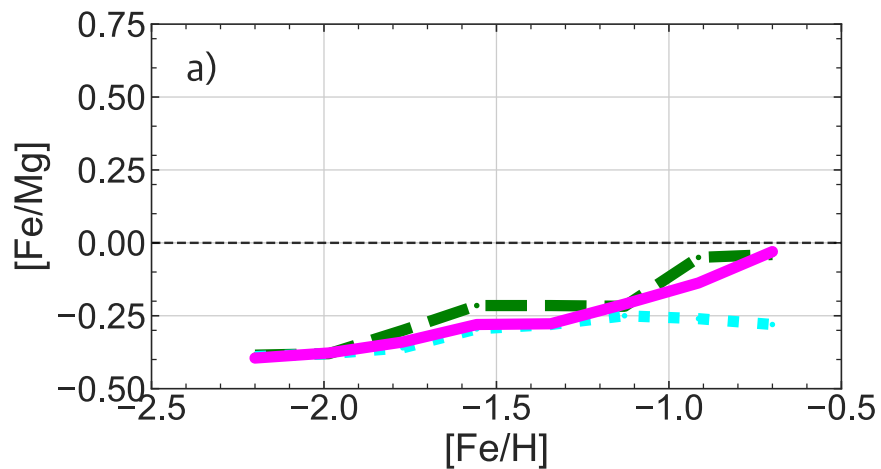
Included datasets:
Nissen & Schuster
(2010/2011)
Matsuno+ 2021
Aguado+ 2021



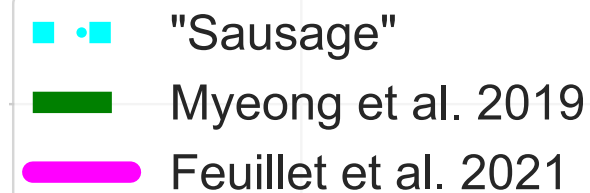
Median trends
consistent with
results from
Naidu+ (2022),
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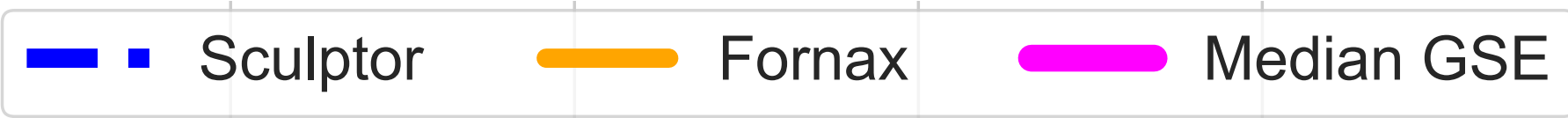
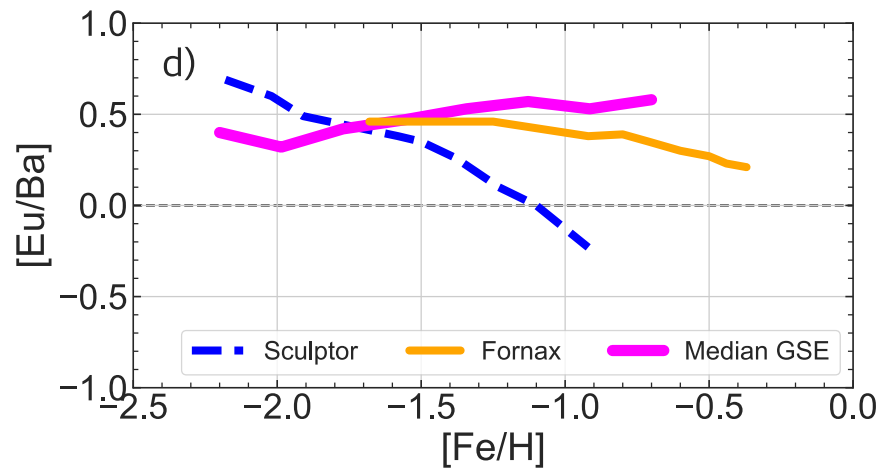
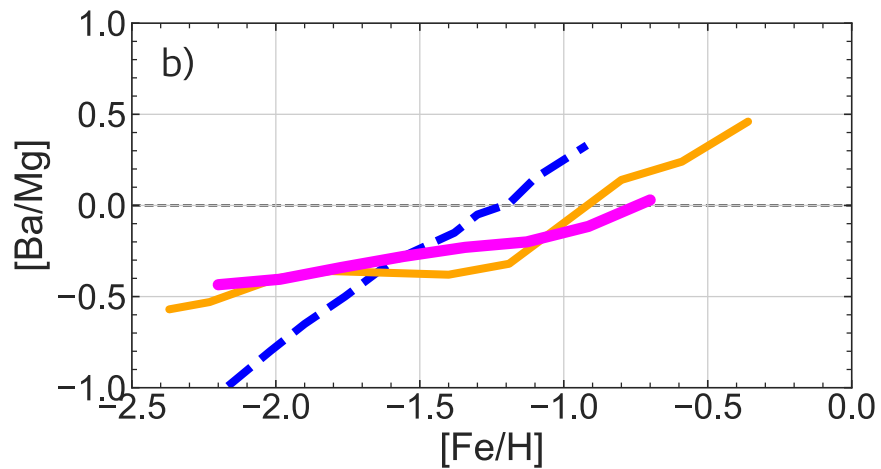
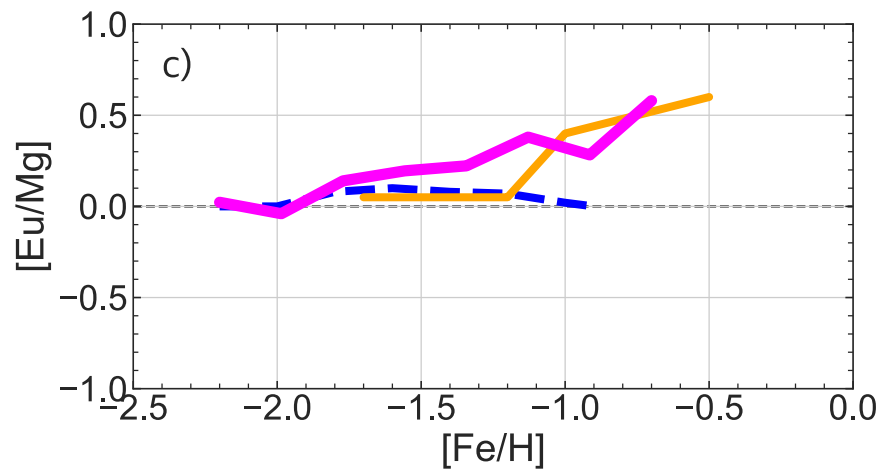
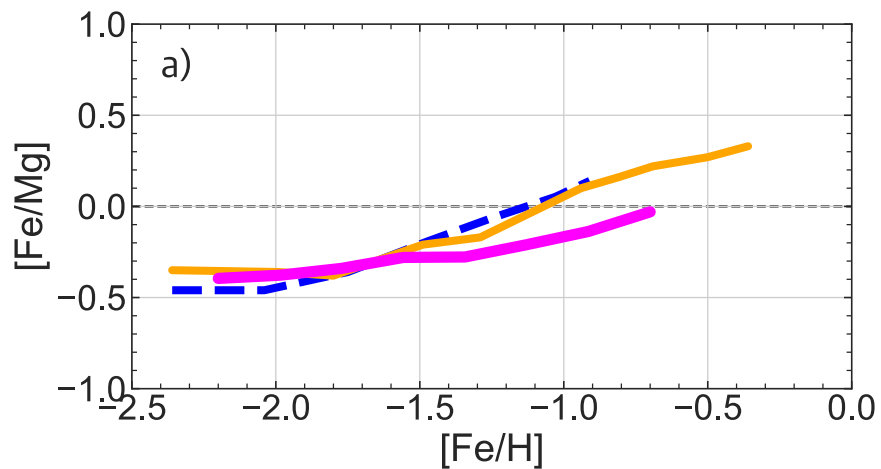
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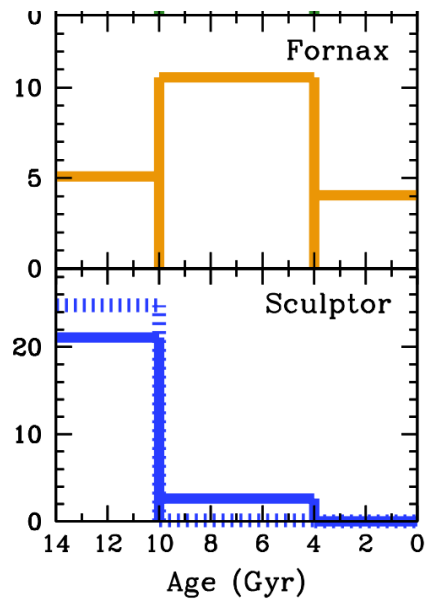




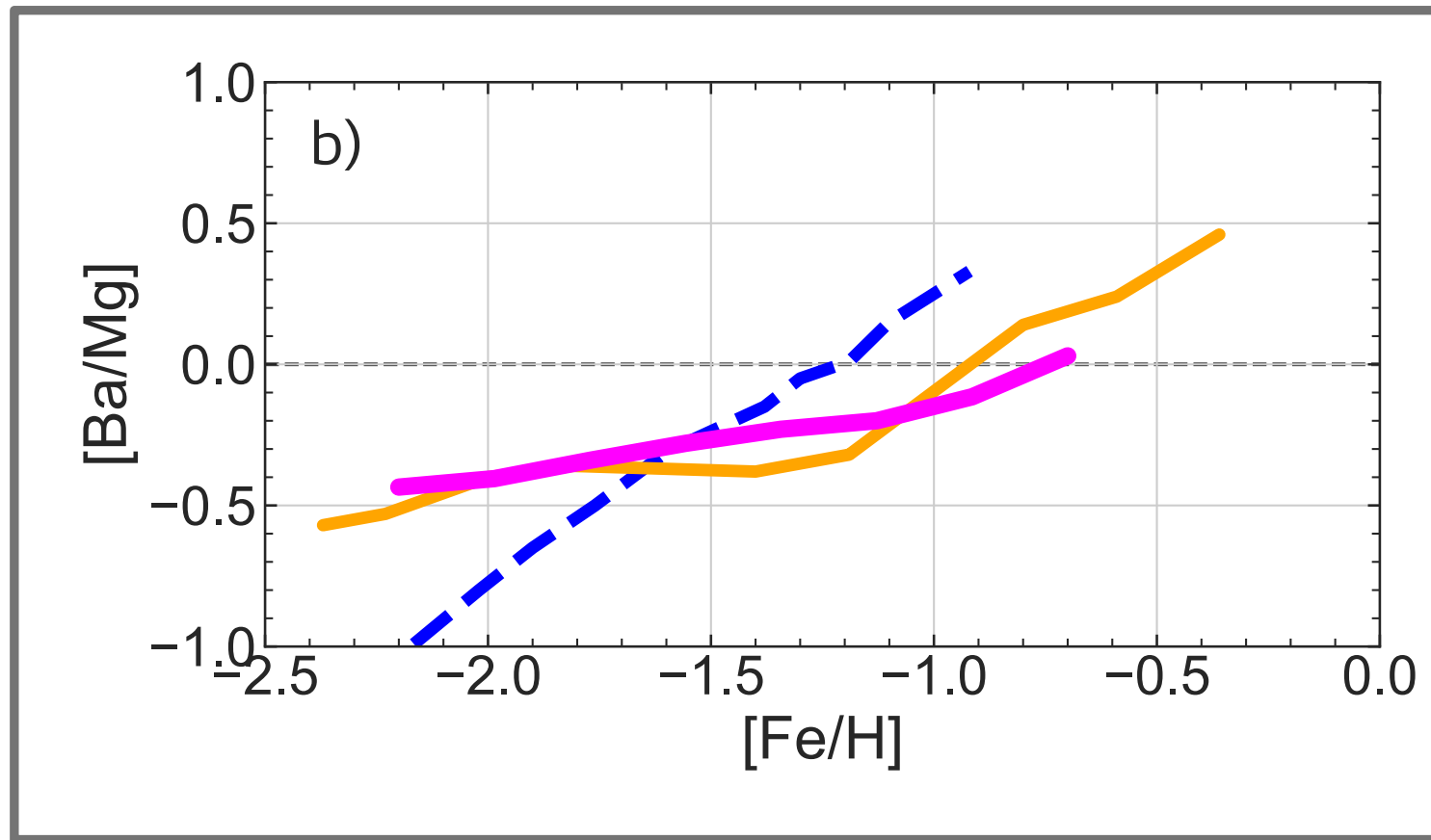
Different GSE selection schemes produce similar abundance trends

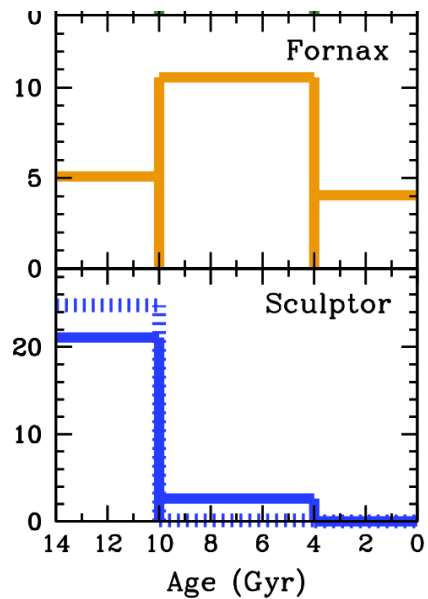




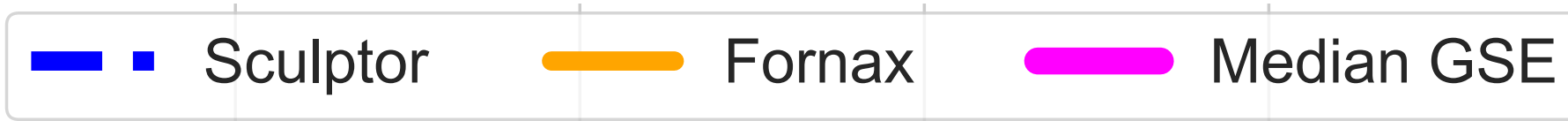
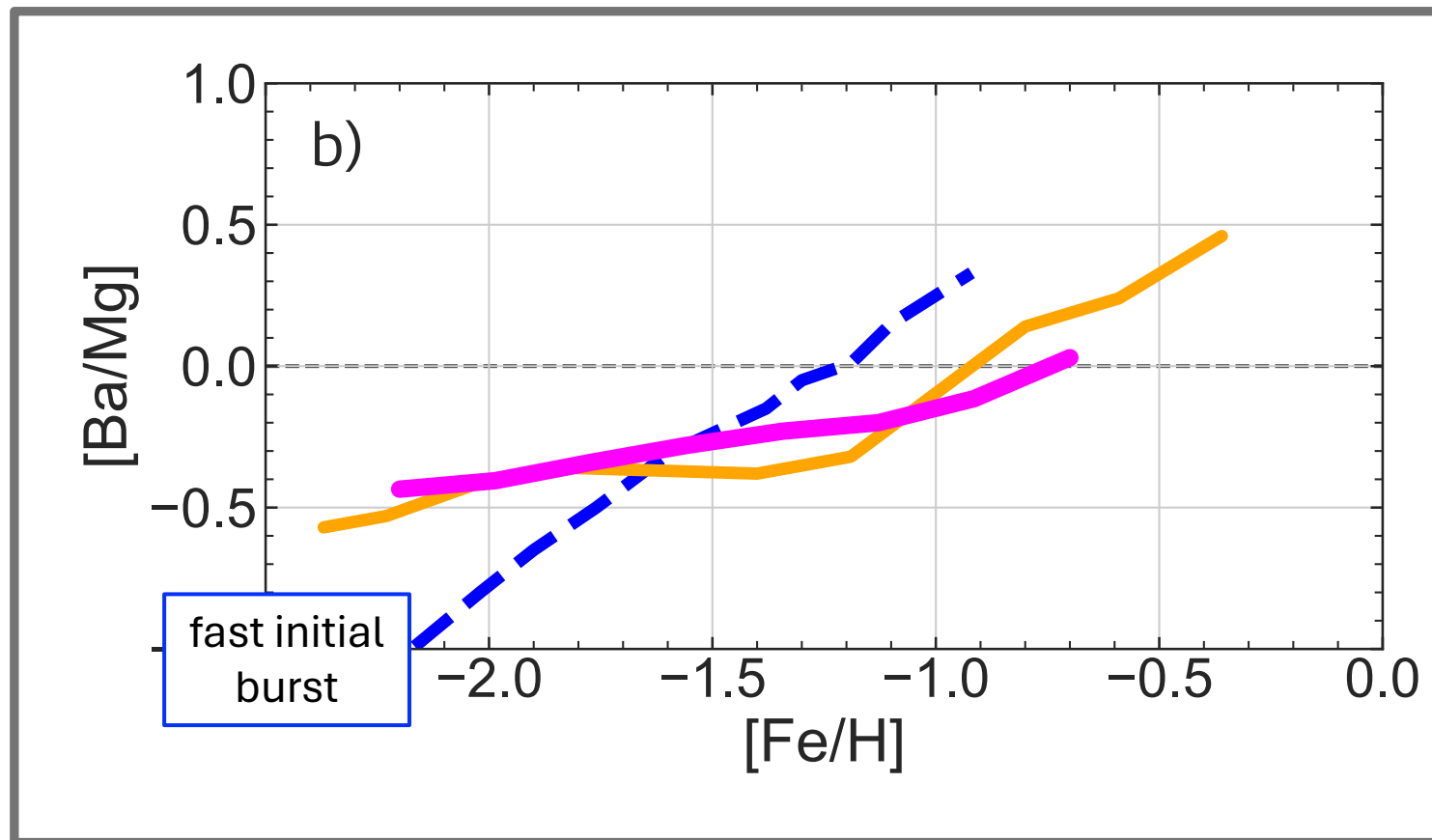


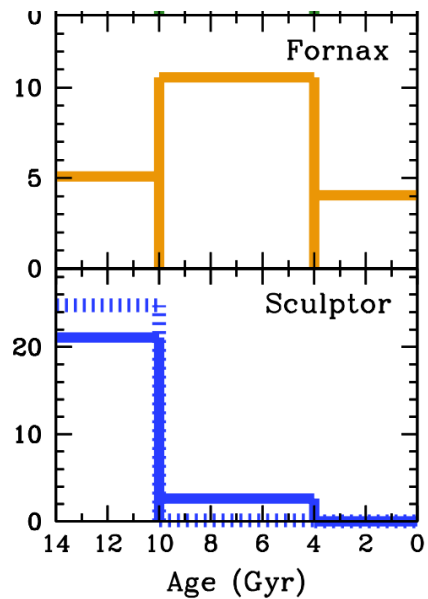
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delayed & extended
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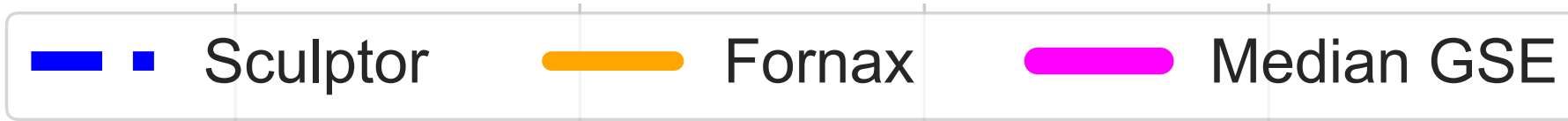
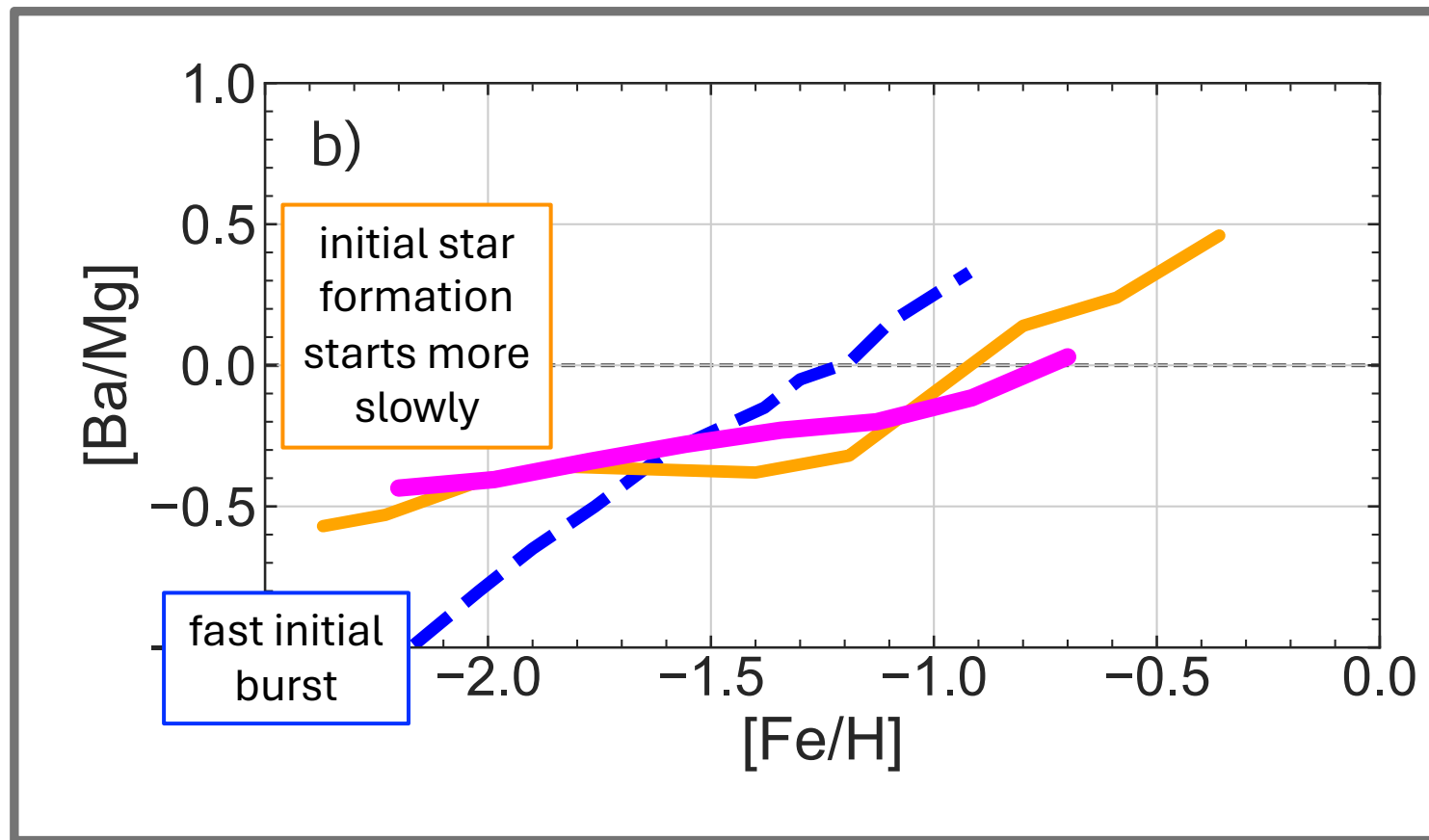


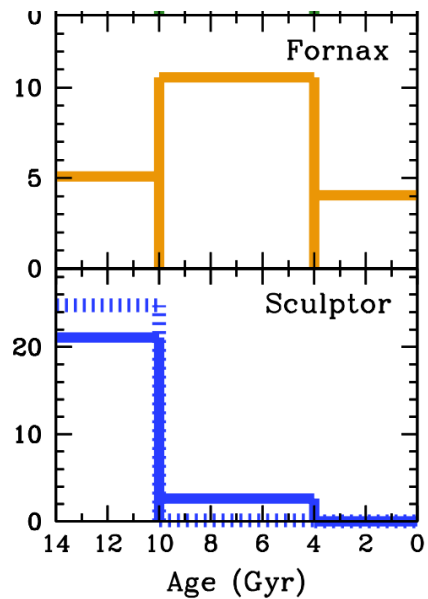
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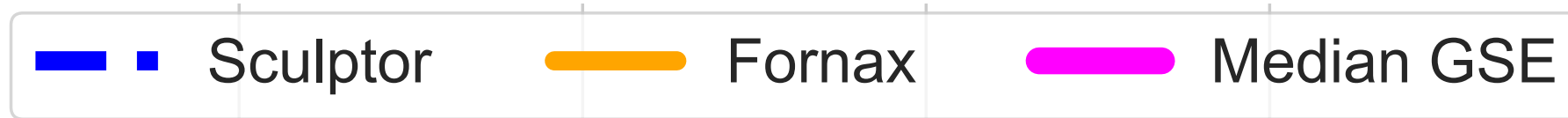
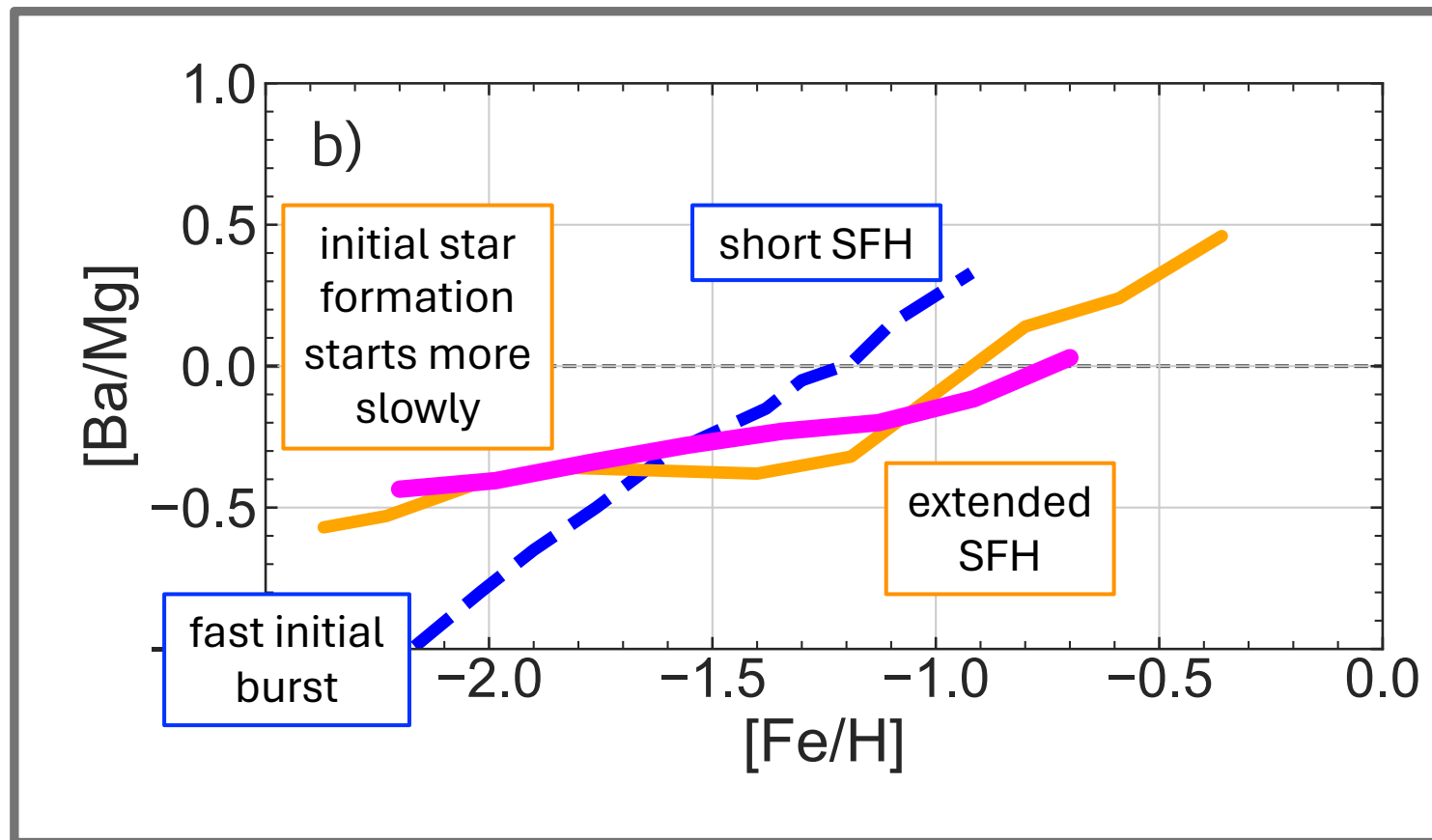


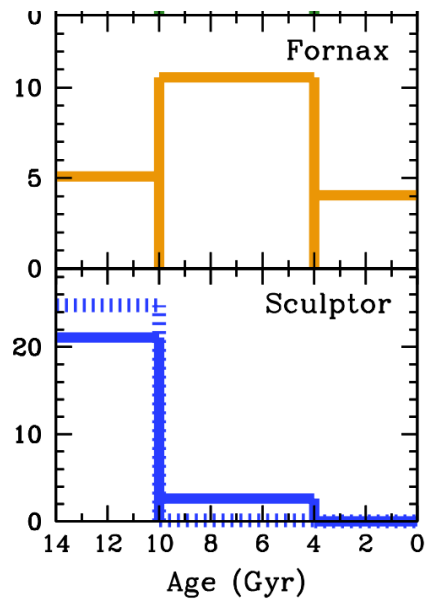
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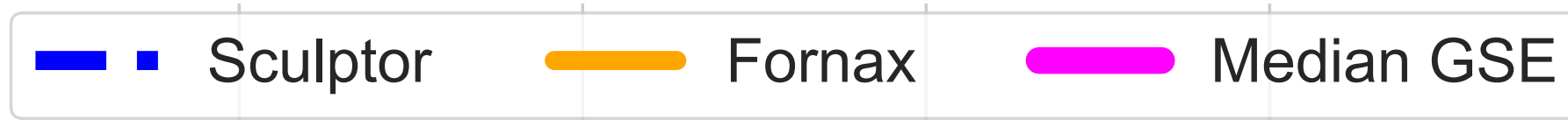
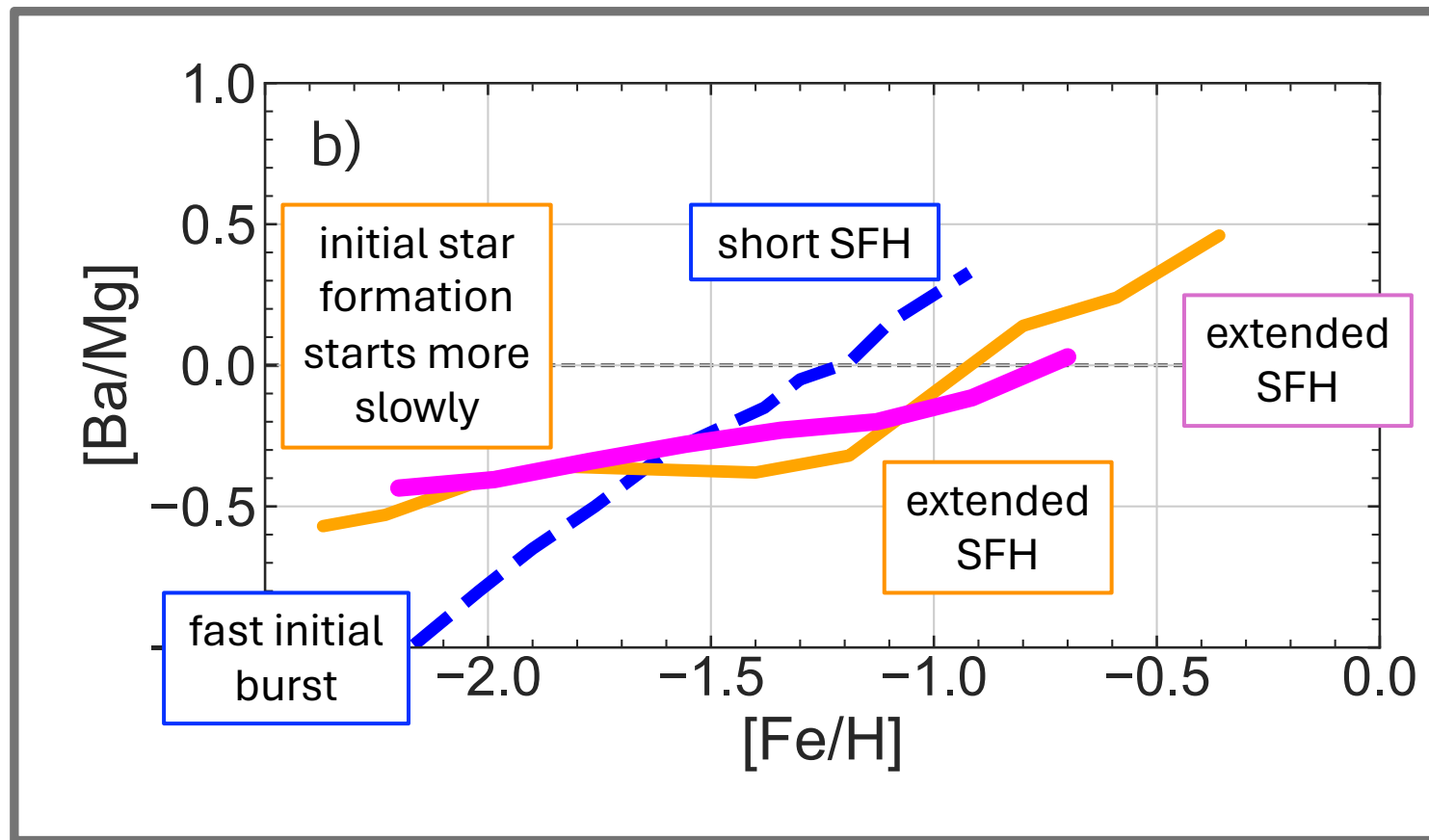


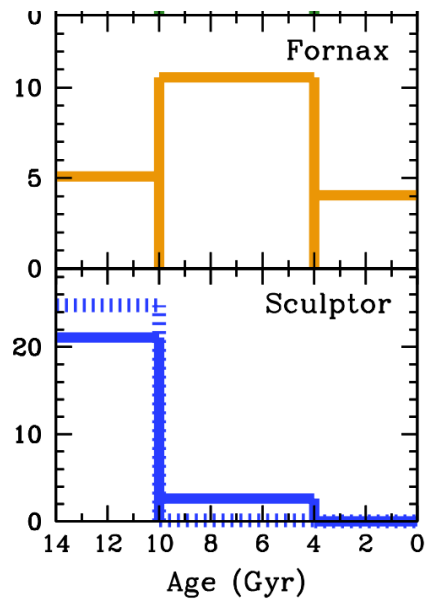
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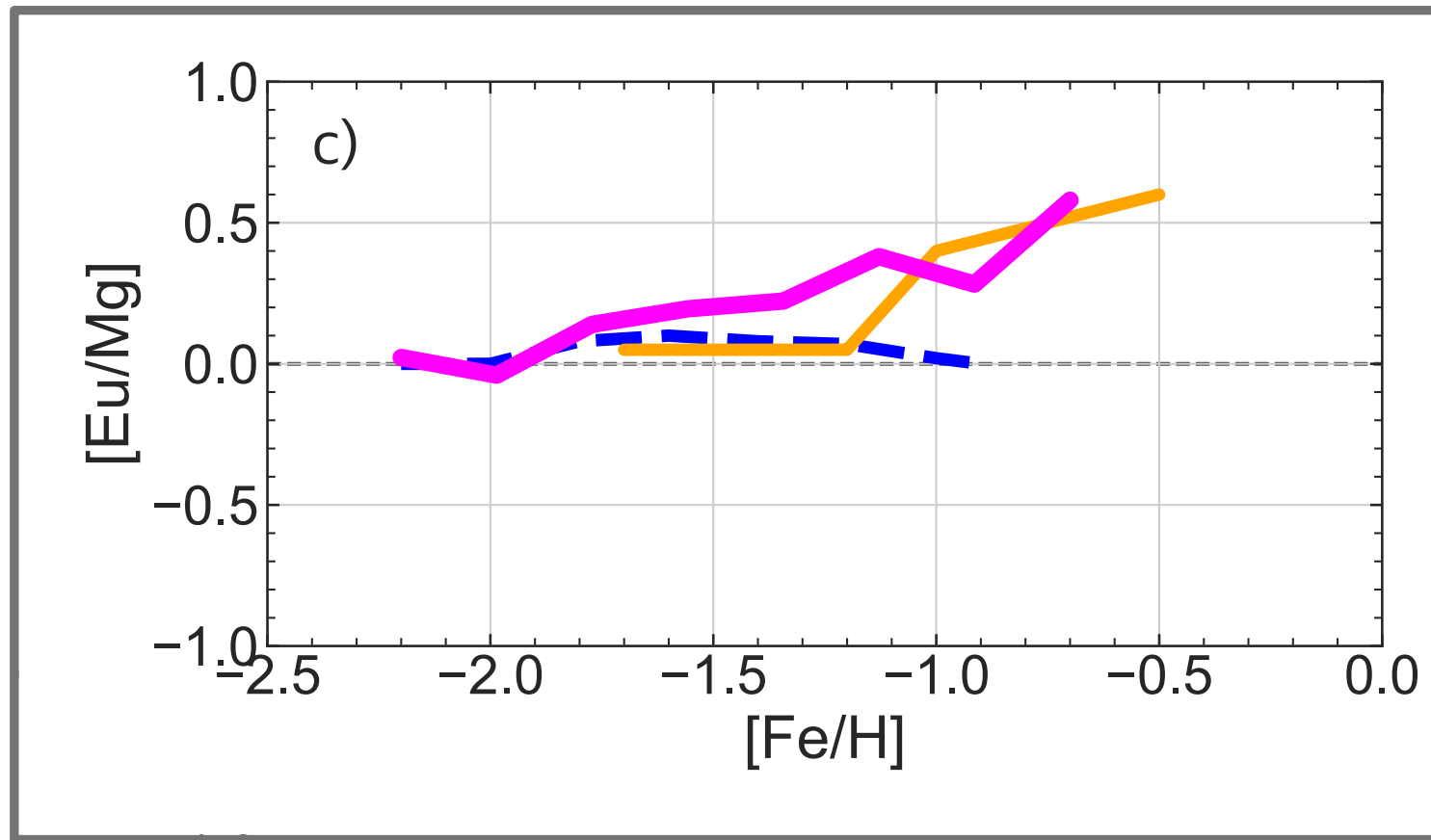


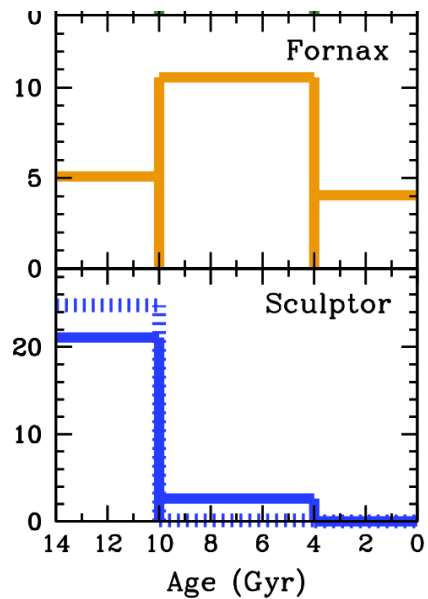
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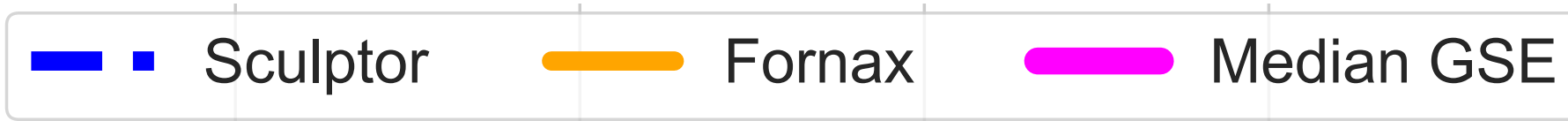
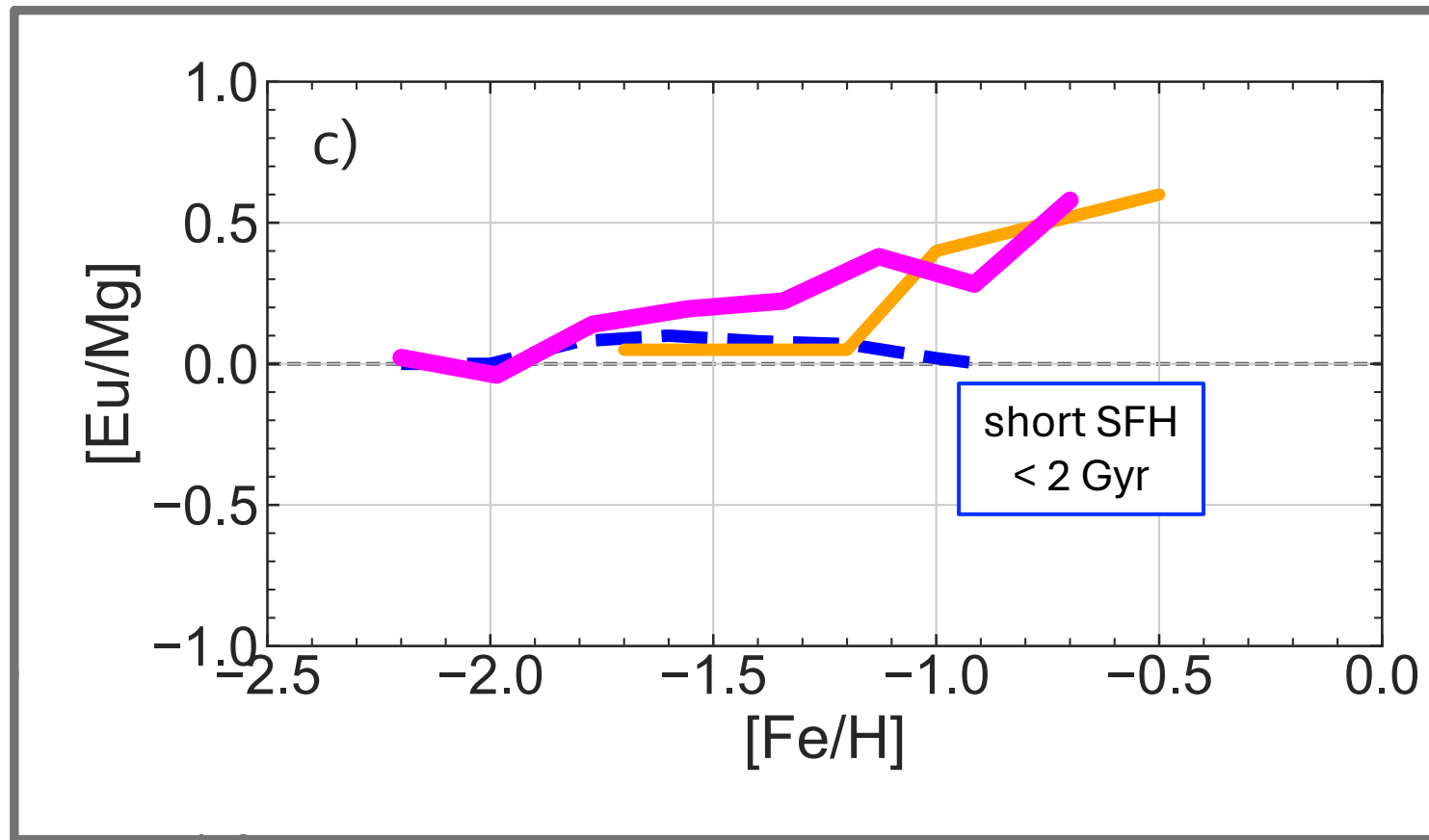


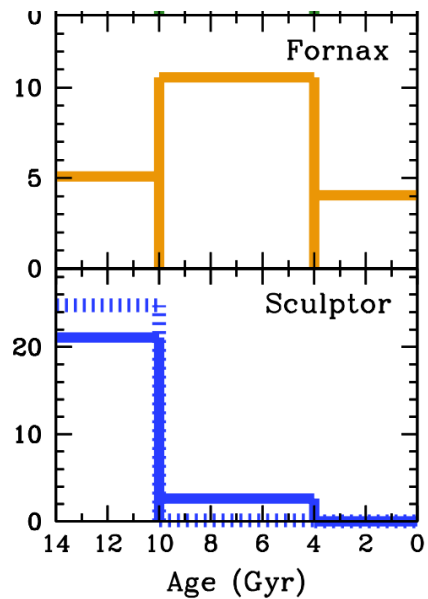
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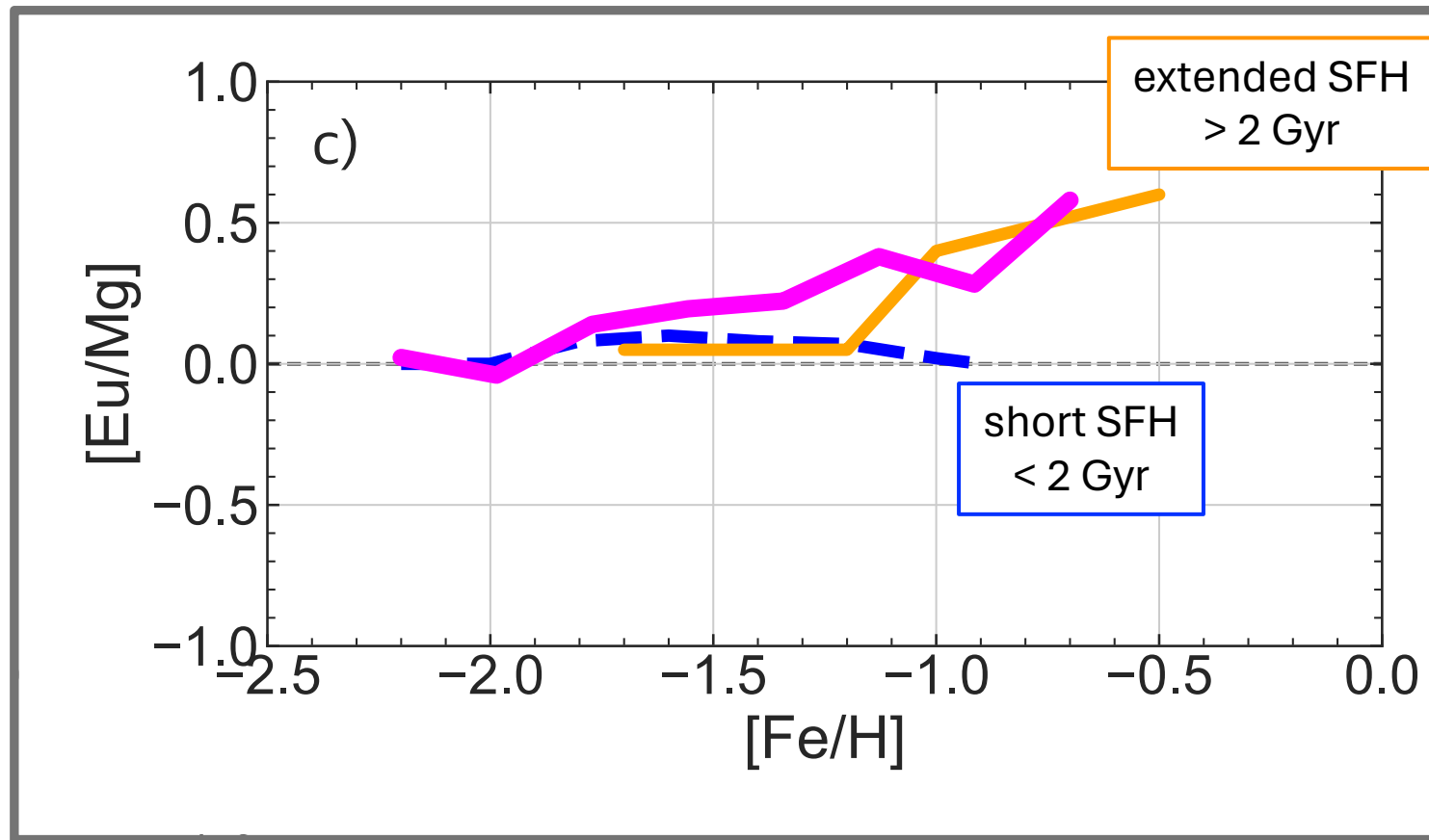


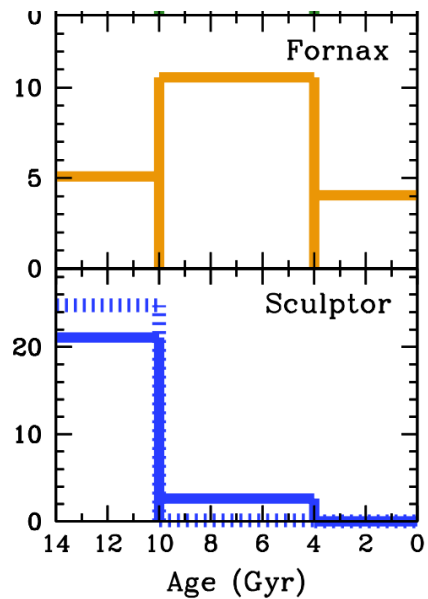
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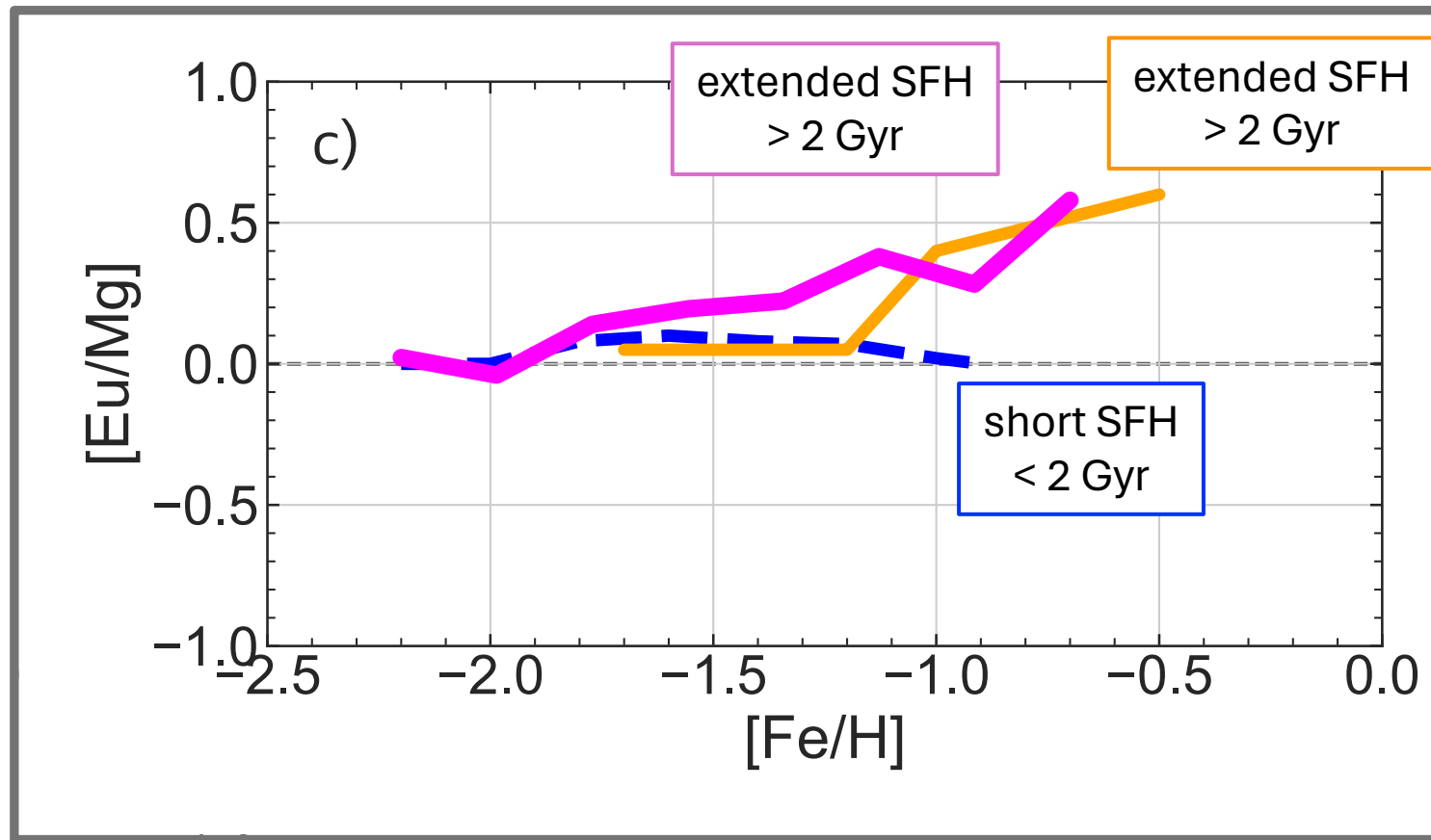


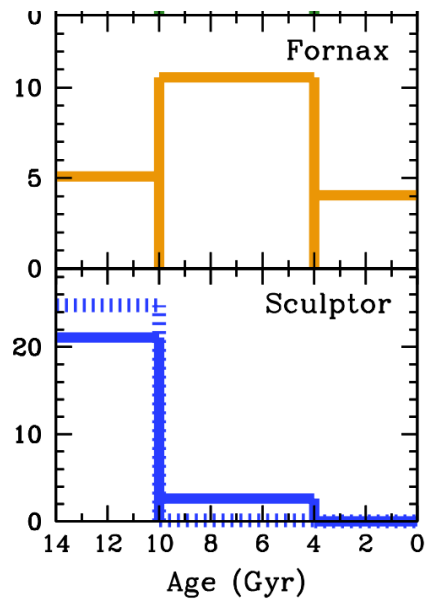
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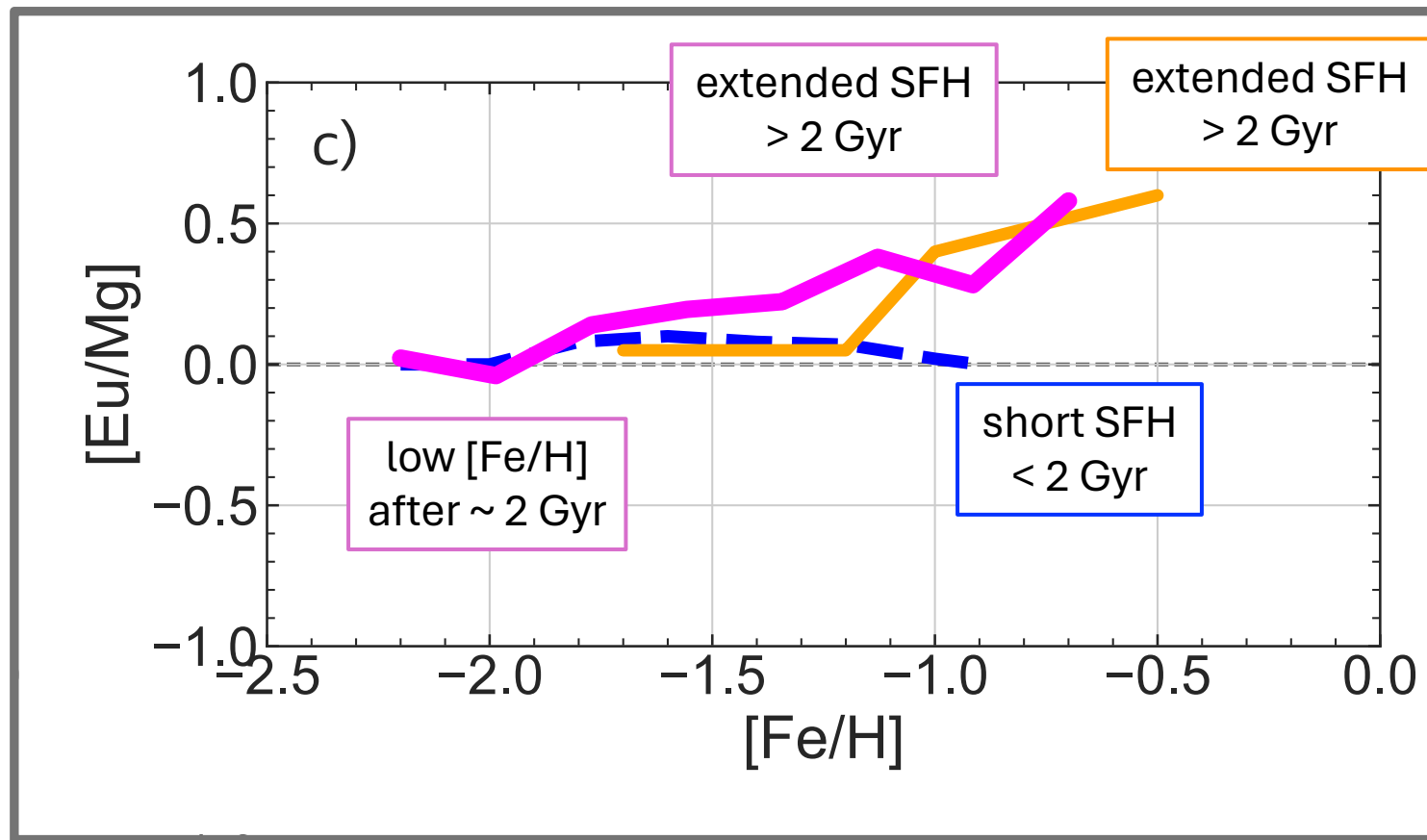


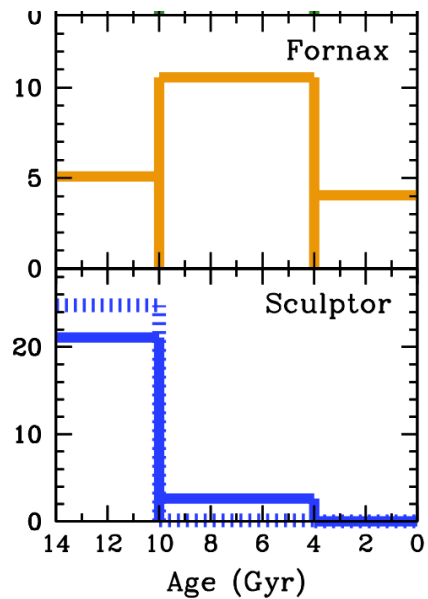
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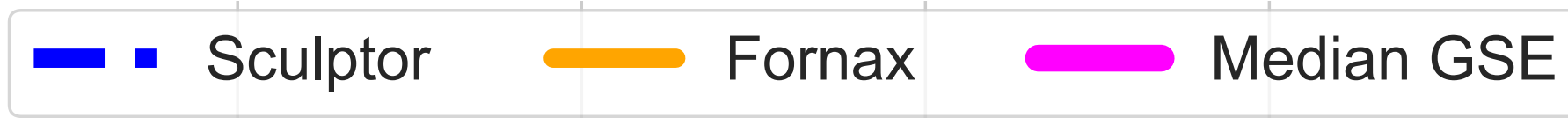
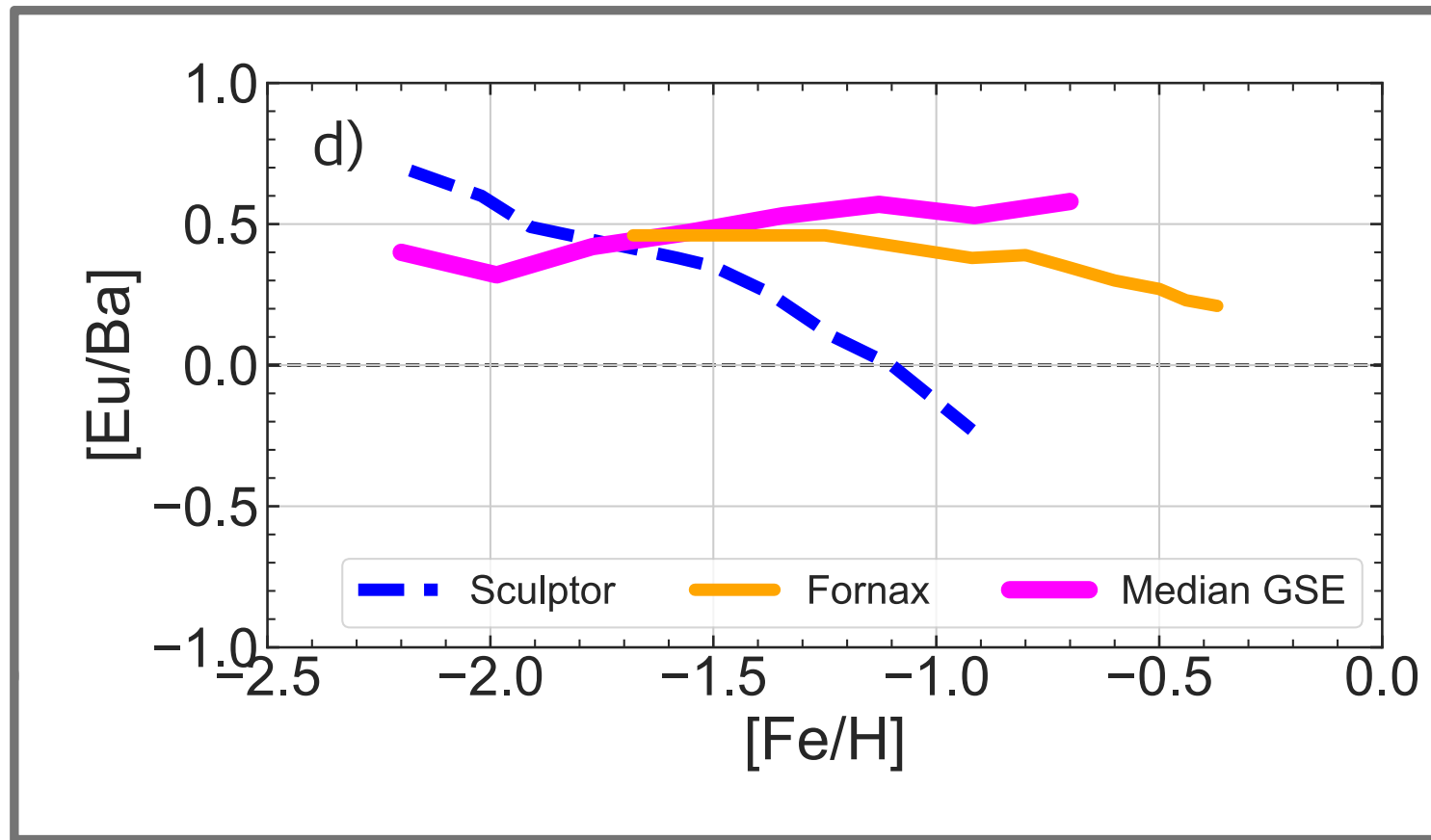


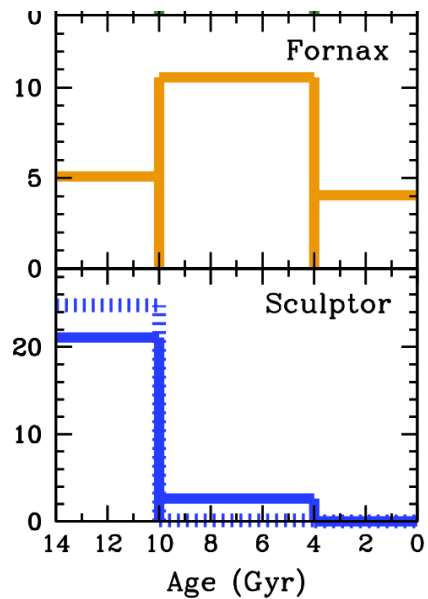
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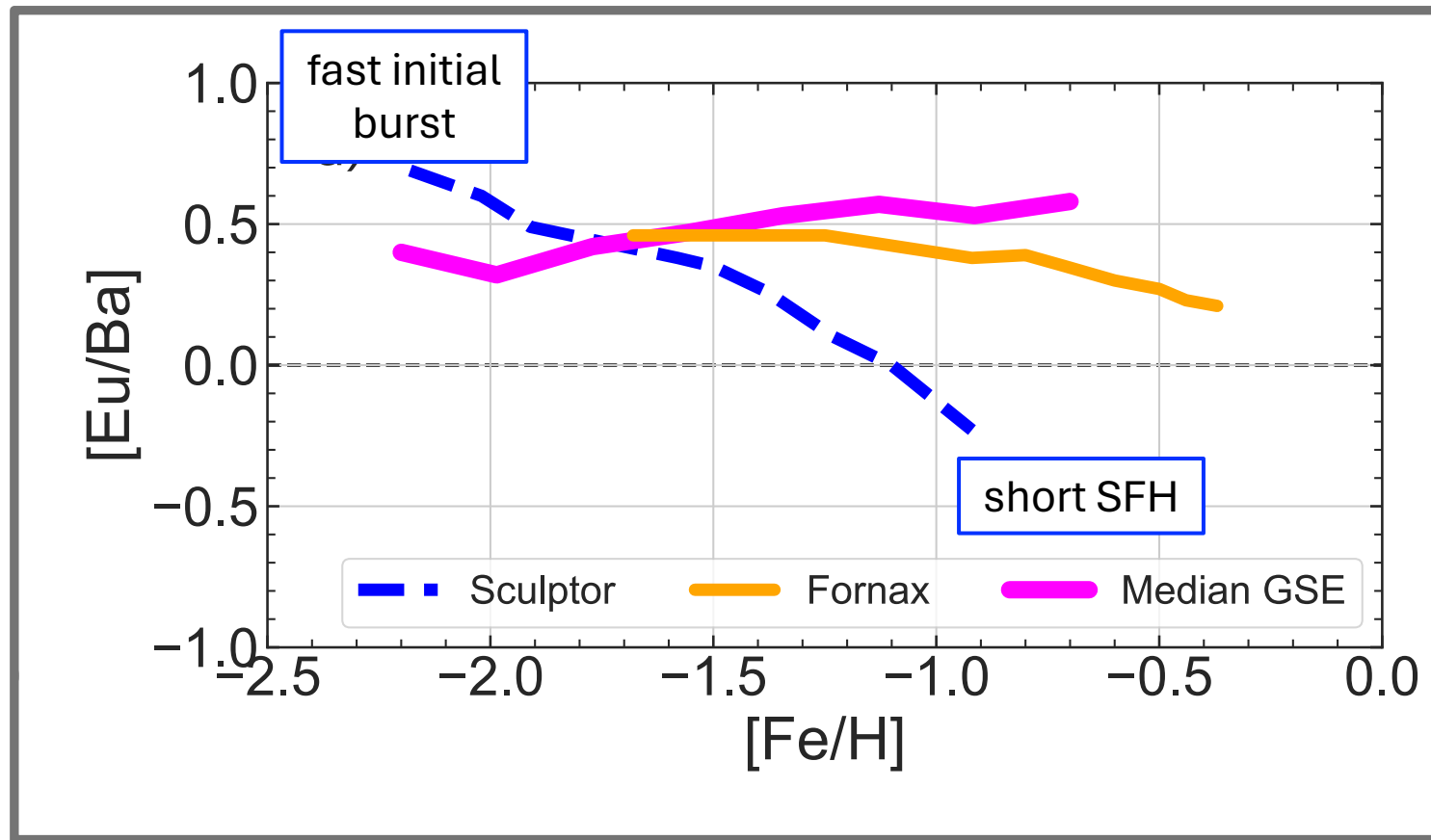


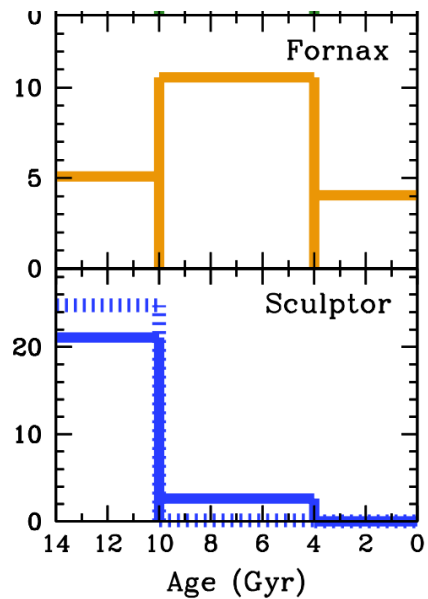
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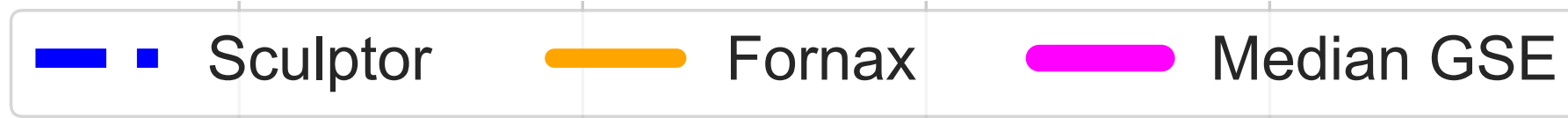
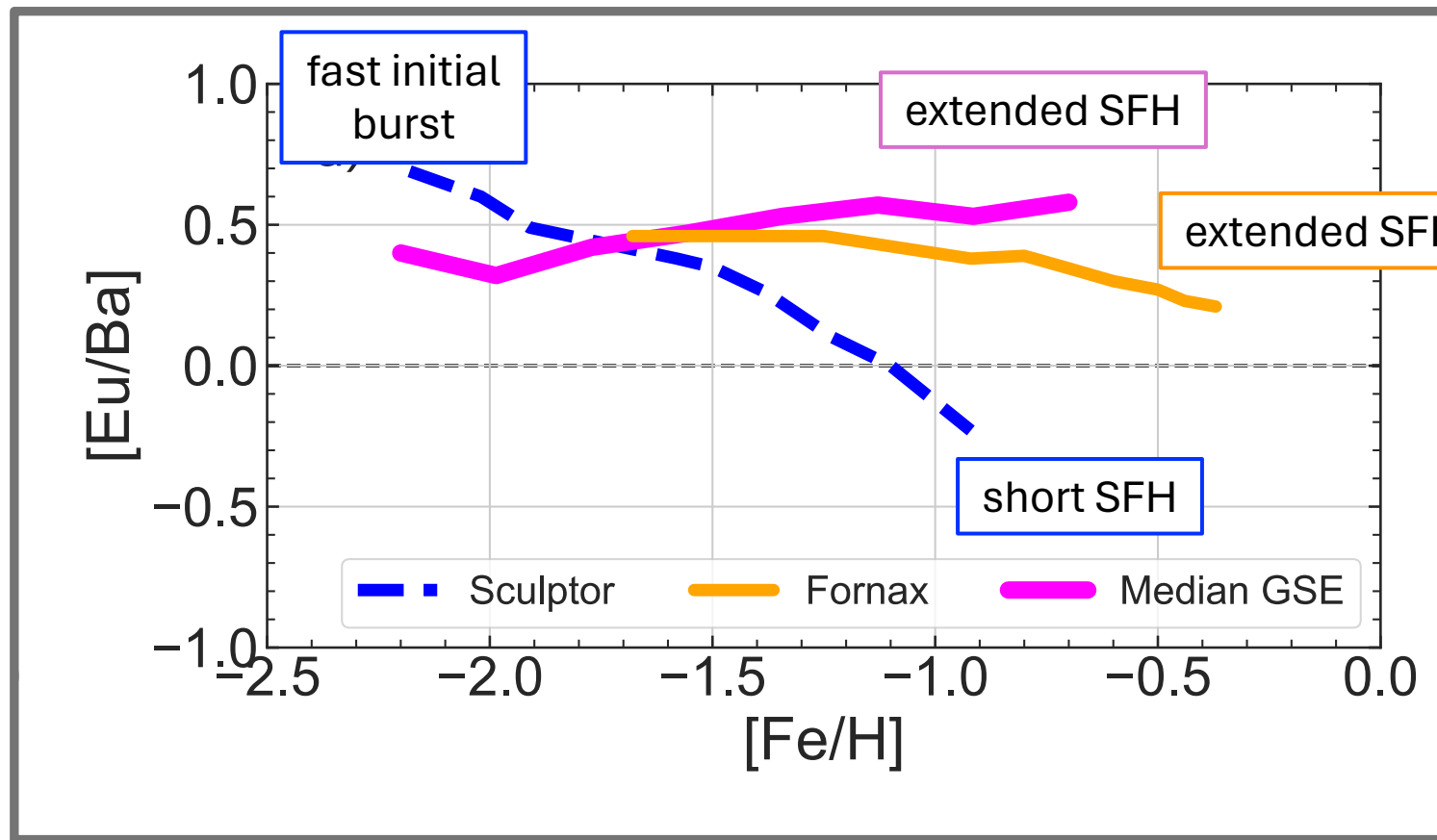


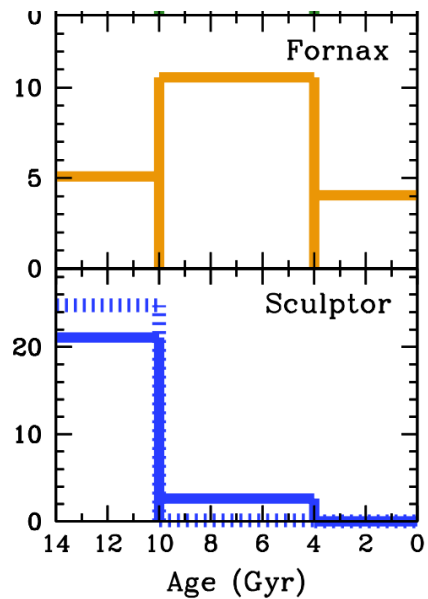
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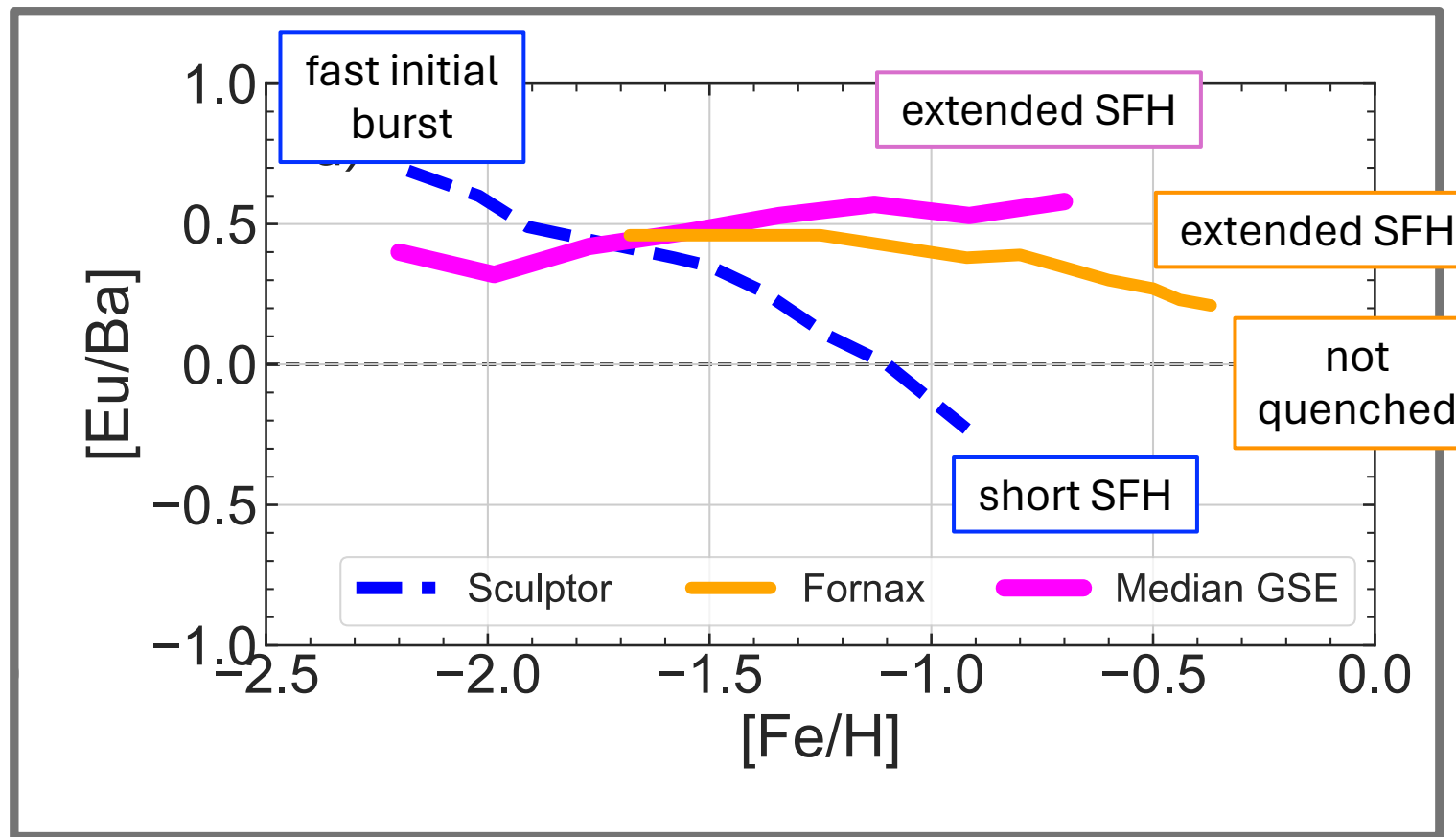


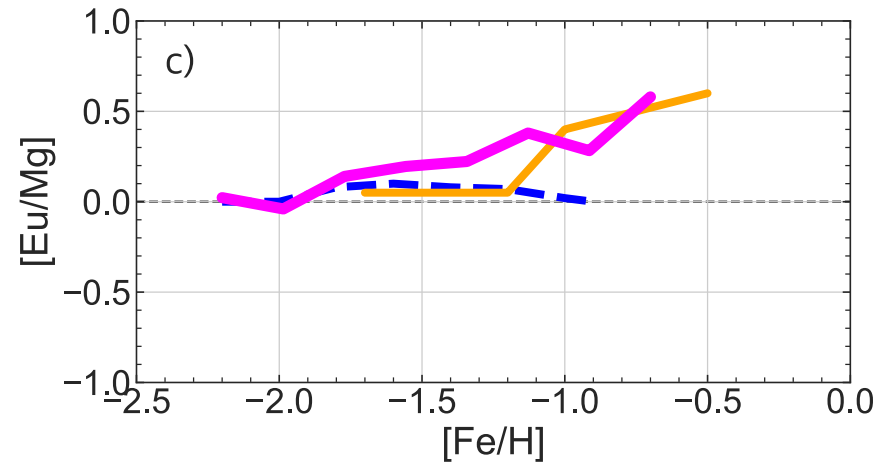
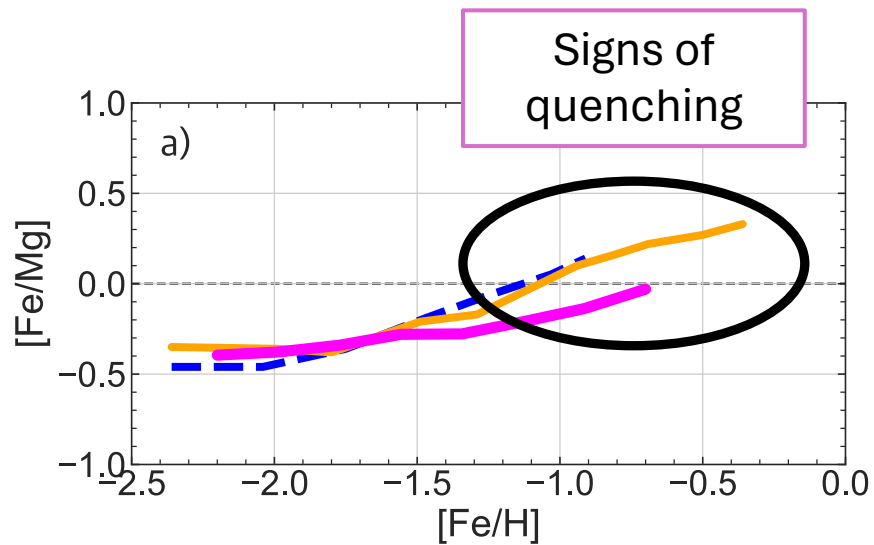
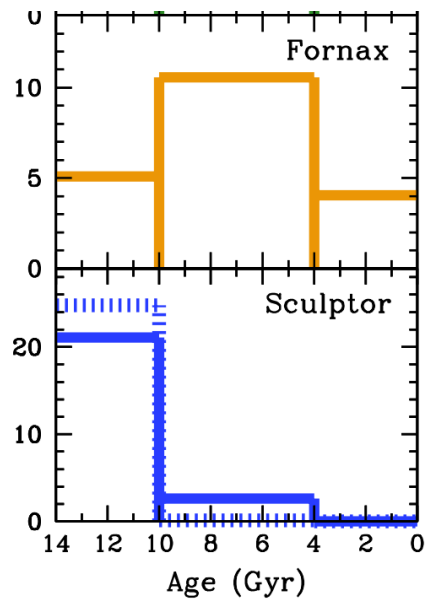
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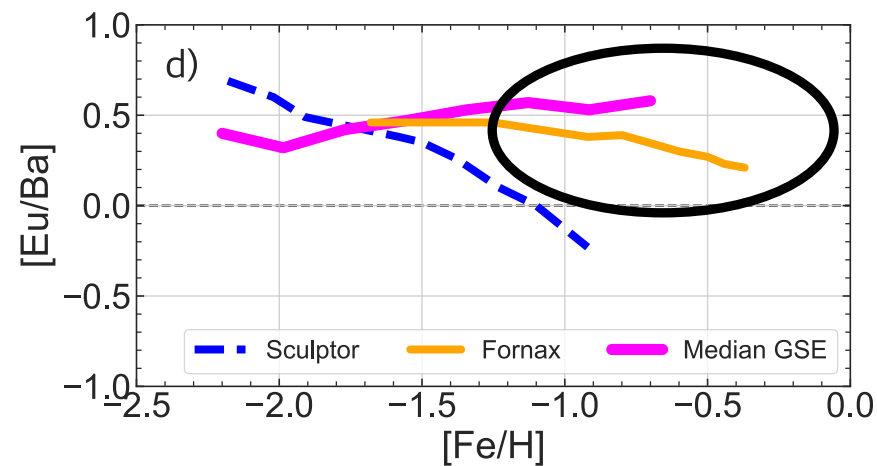
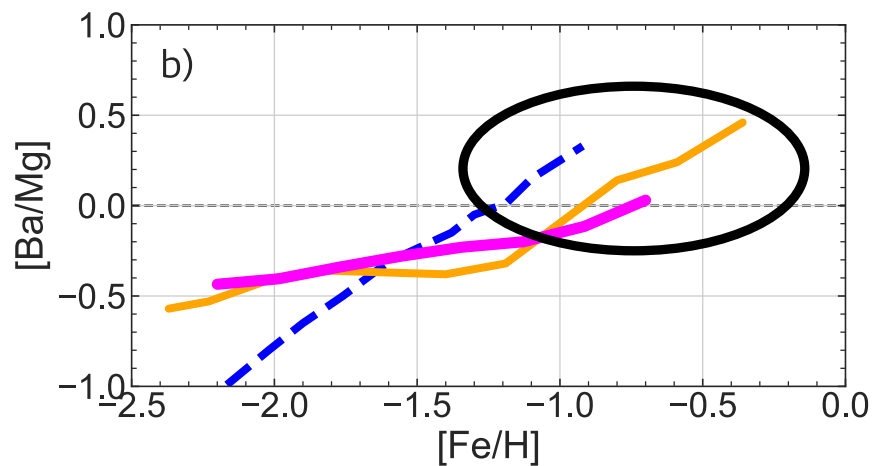


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late SF tail
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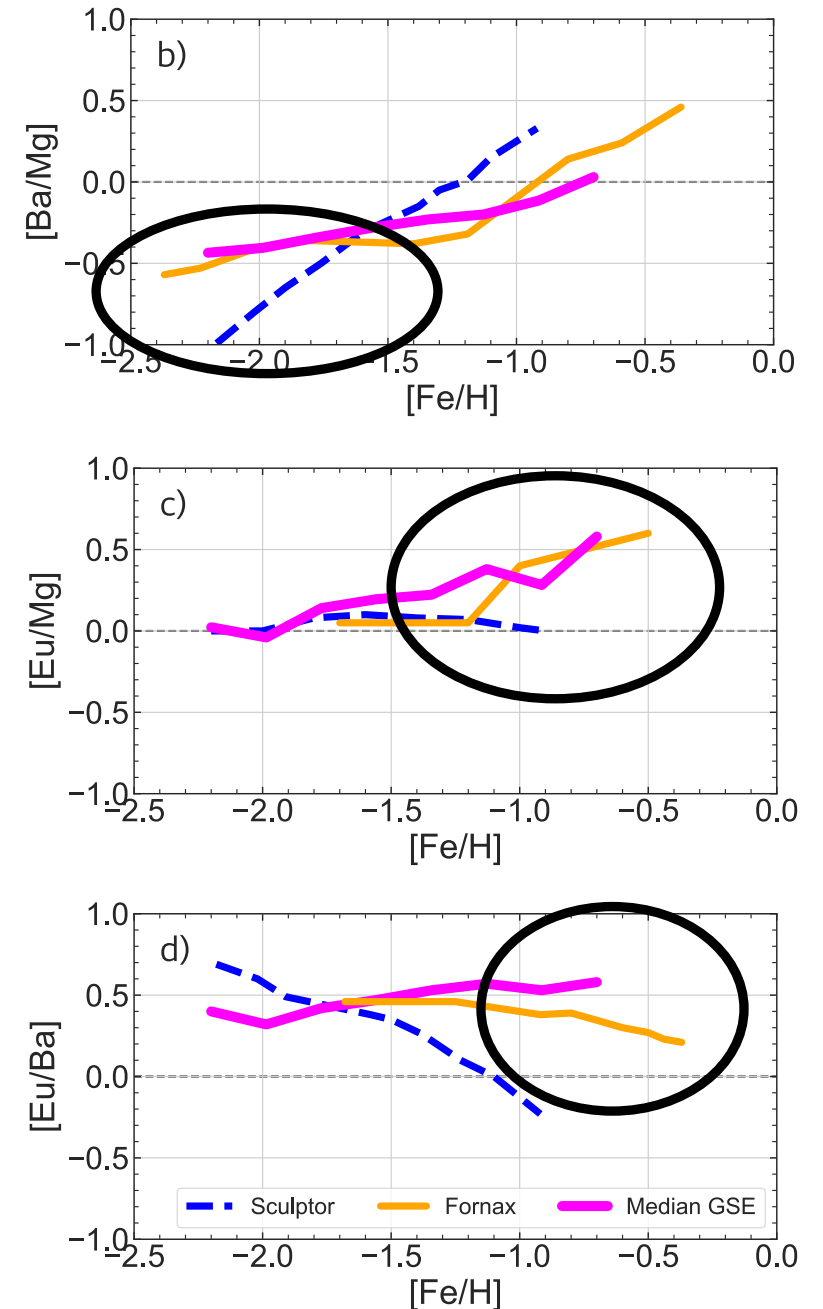
GSE star formation history

GSE more similar to Fornax than to Sculptor

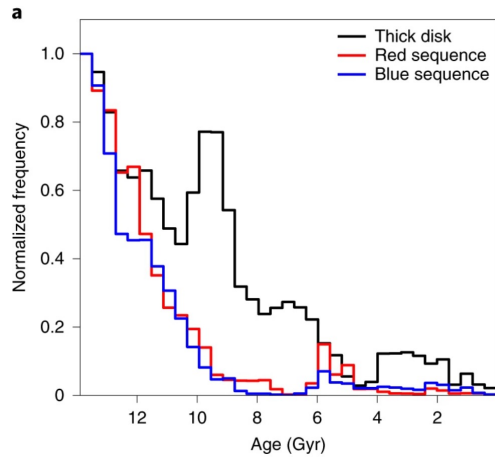
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13 dwarf stars with age > 10 Gyr

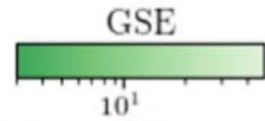
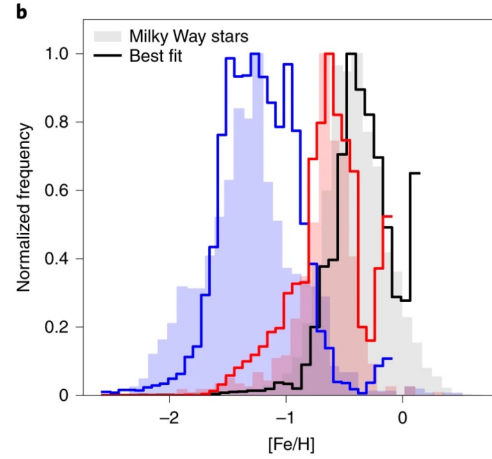
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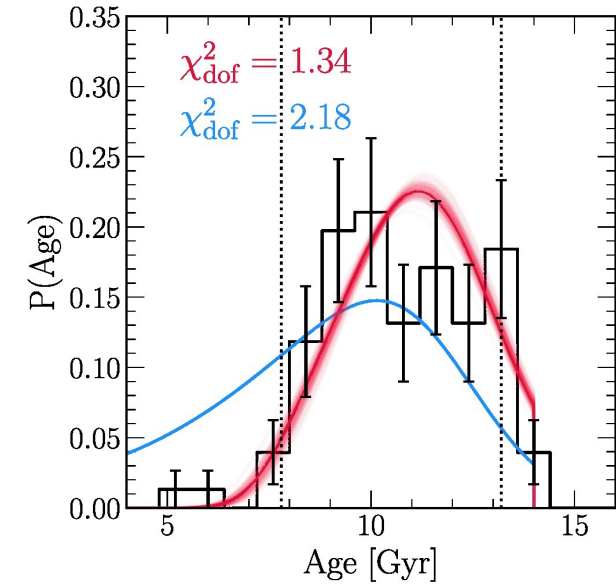
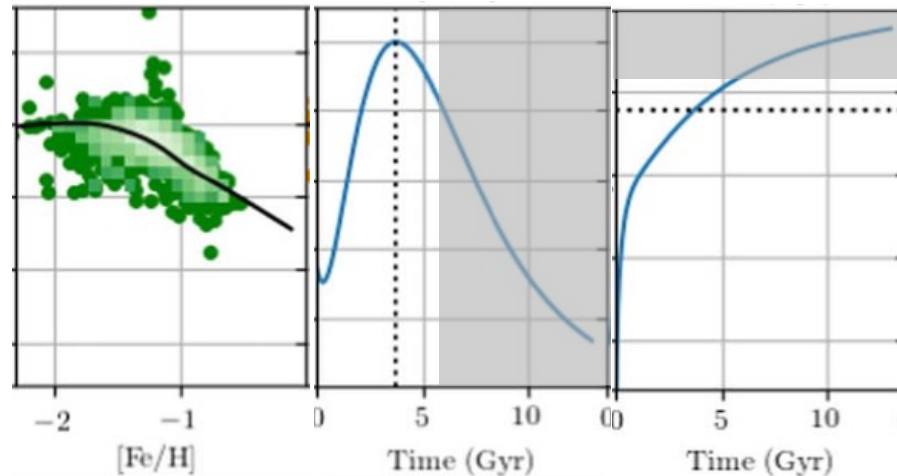
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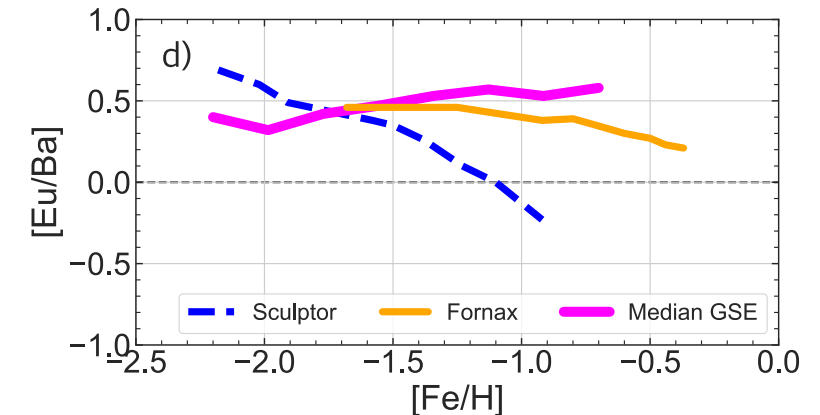
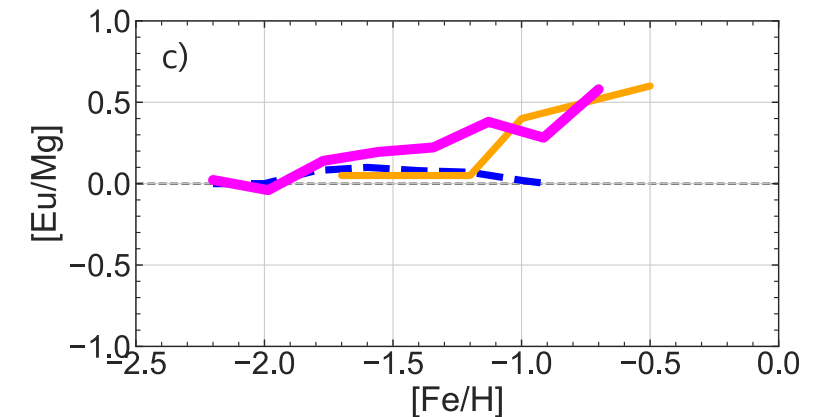
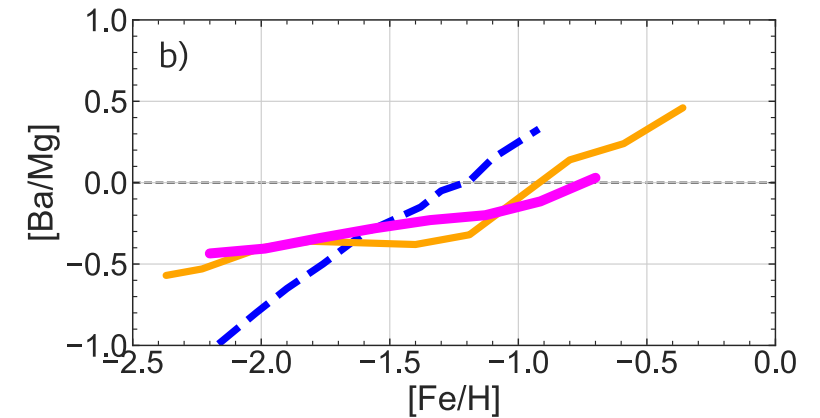


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Conclusions

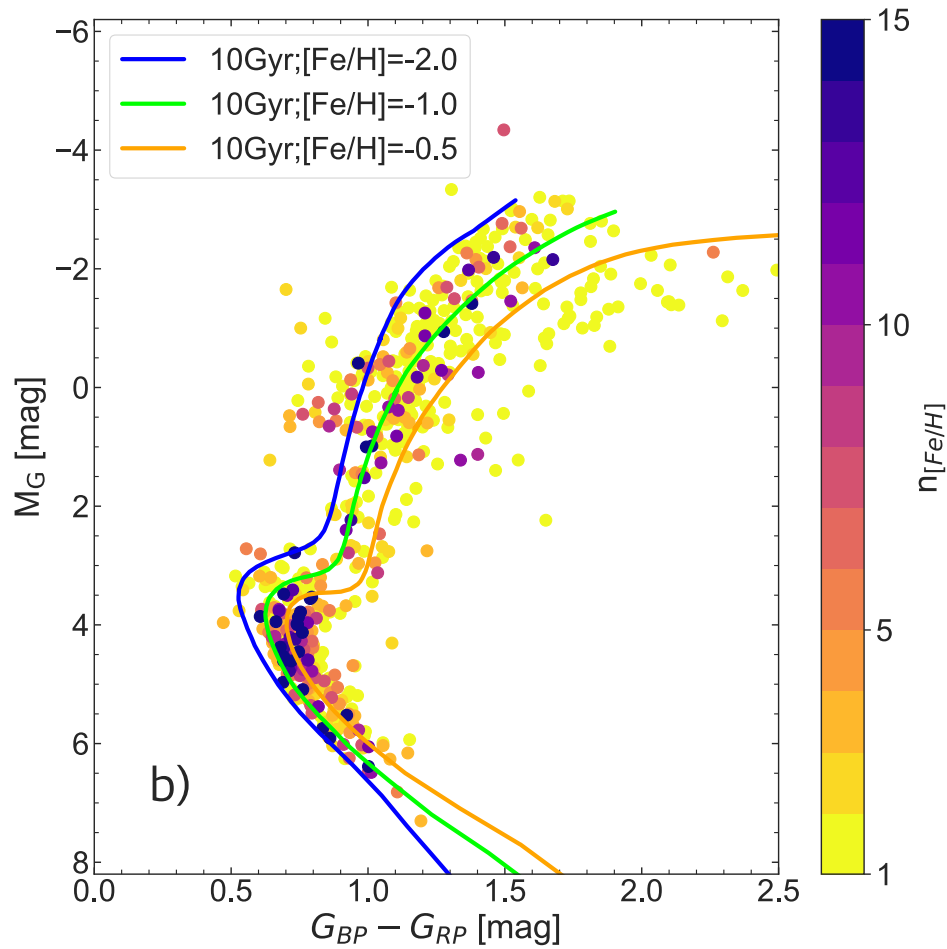
- Chemistry + kinematics is key
- GSE star formation history
 1. Initially slow star formation
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- s- & r-process abundances measured across the full range of $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}]$ can be used to constrain star formation history.

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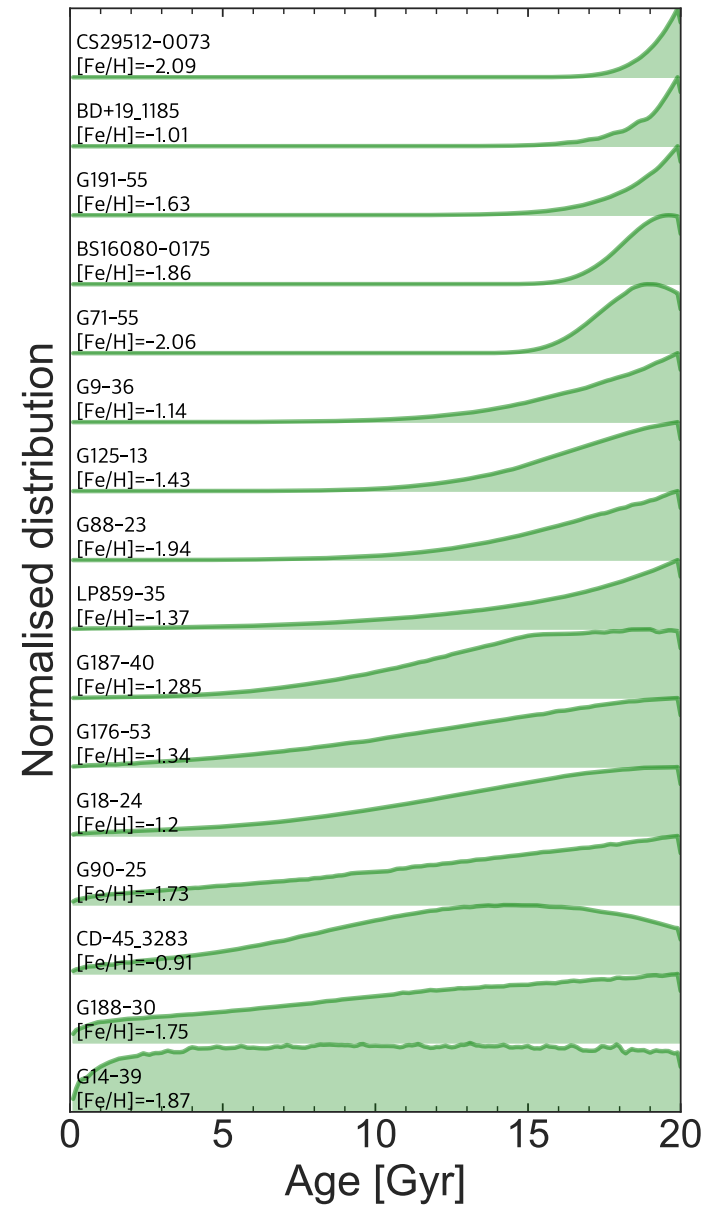
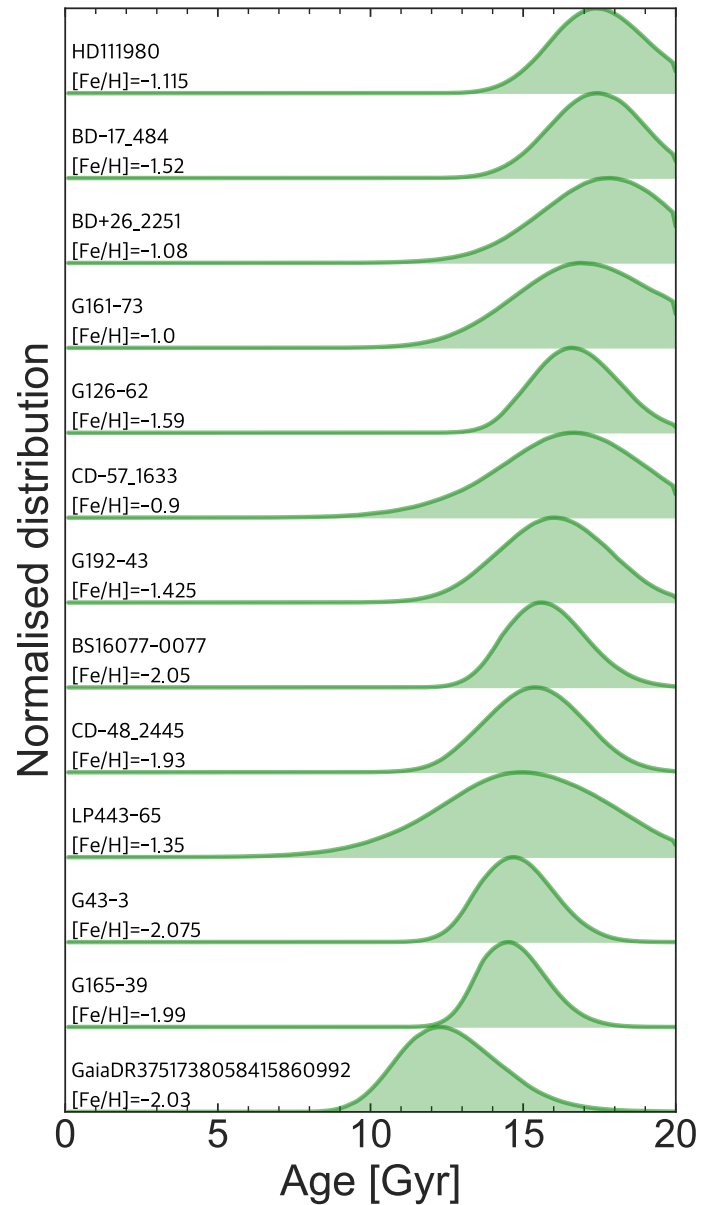


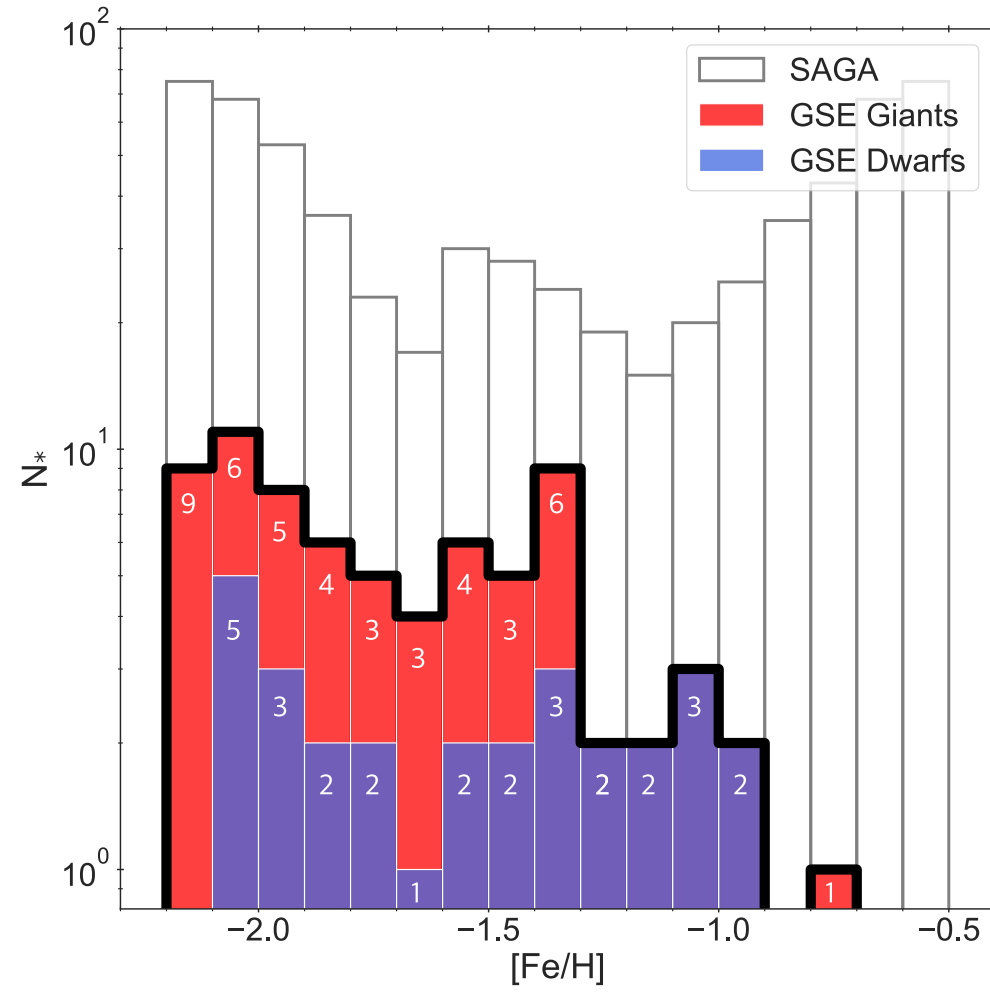
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Questions?



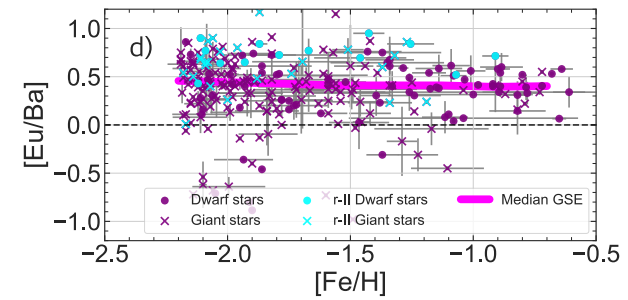
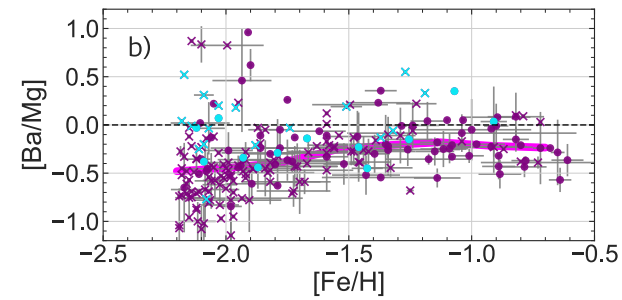
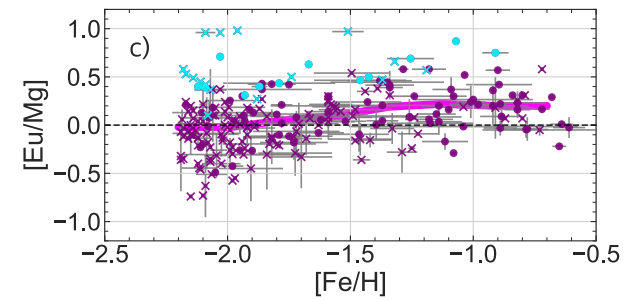
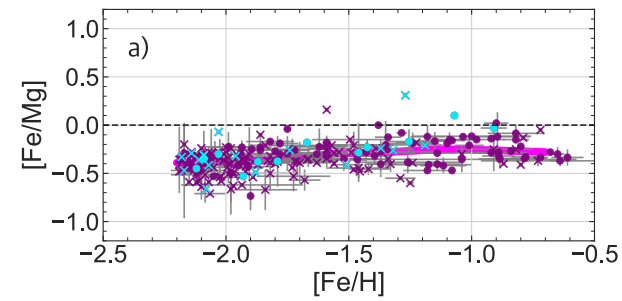
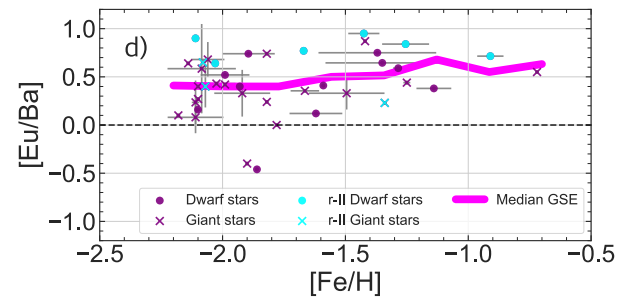
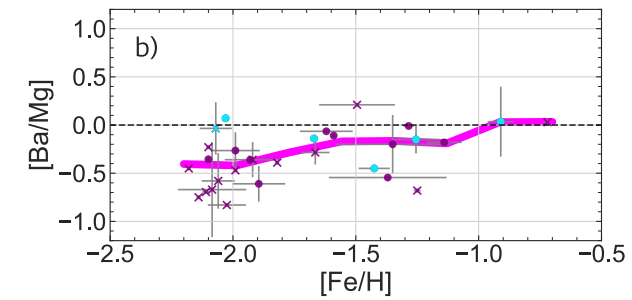
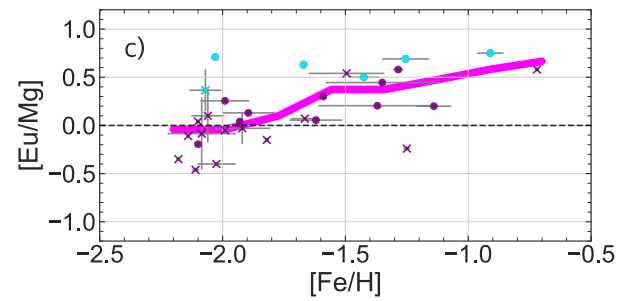
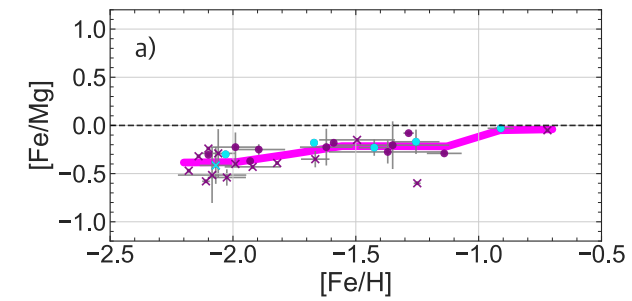
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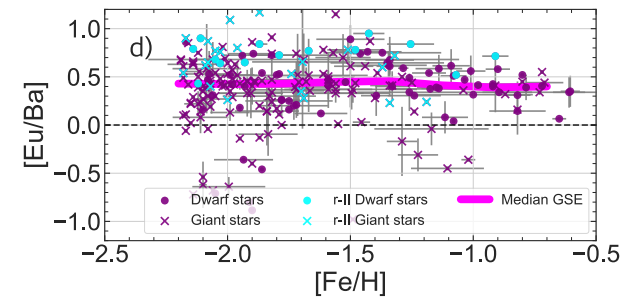
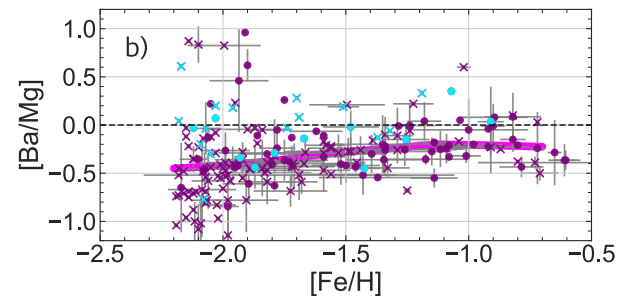
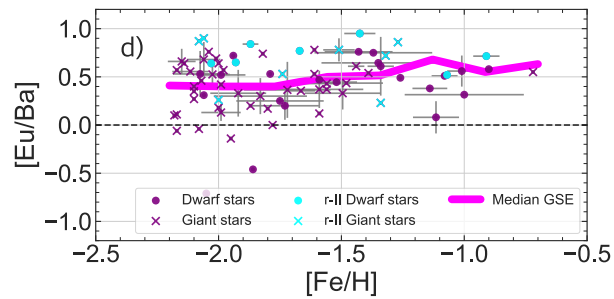
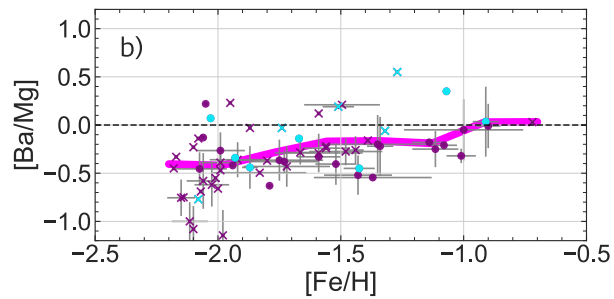
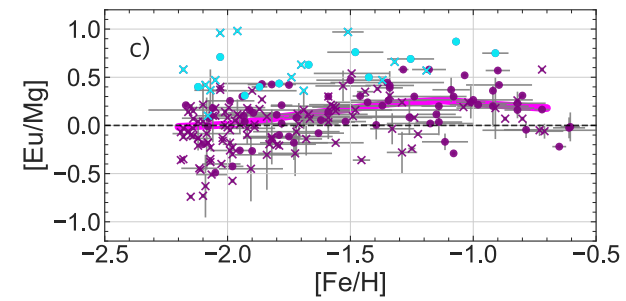
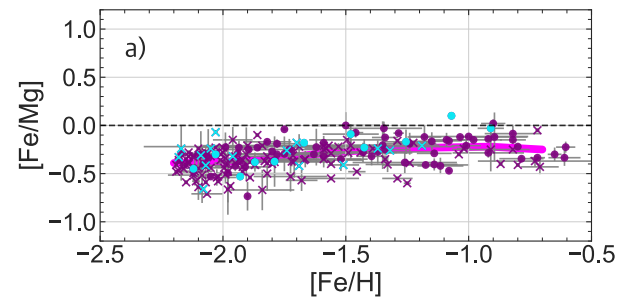
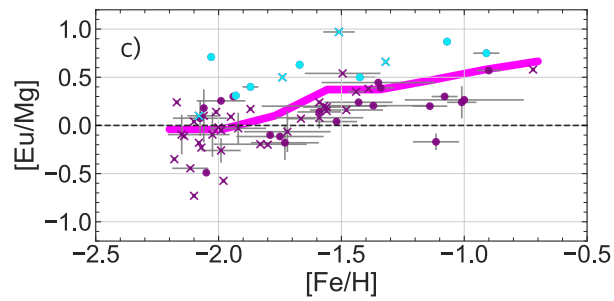
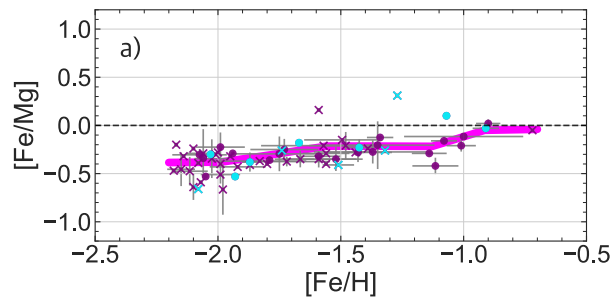
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