

“The Photometric Method of Detecting Other Planetary Systems”

Borucki & Summers, 1984

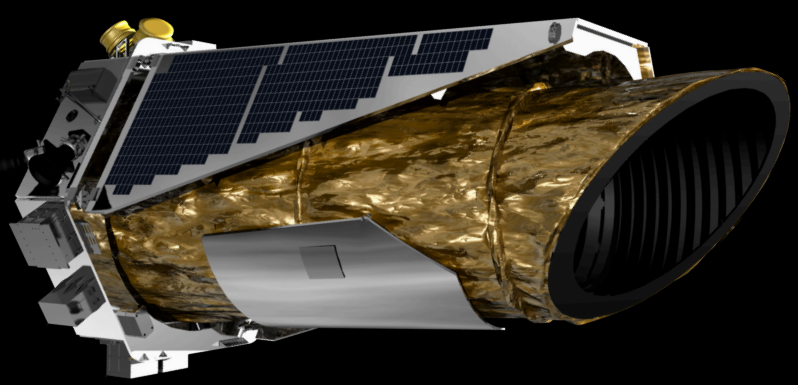
“Two methods for selecting stars... #2 eclipsing binary stars”



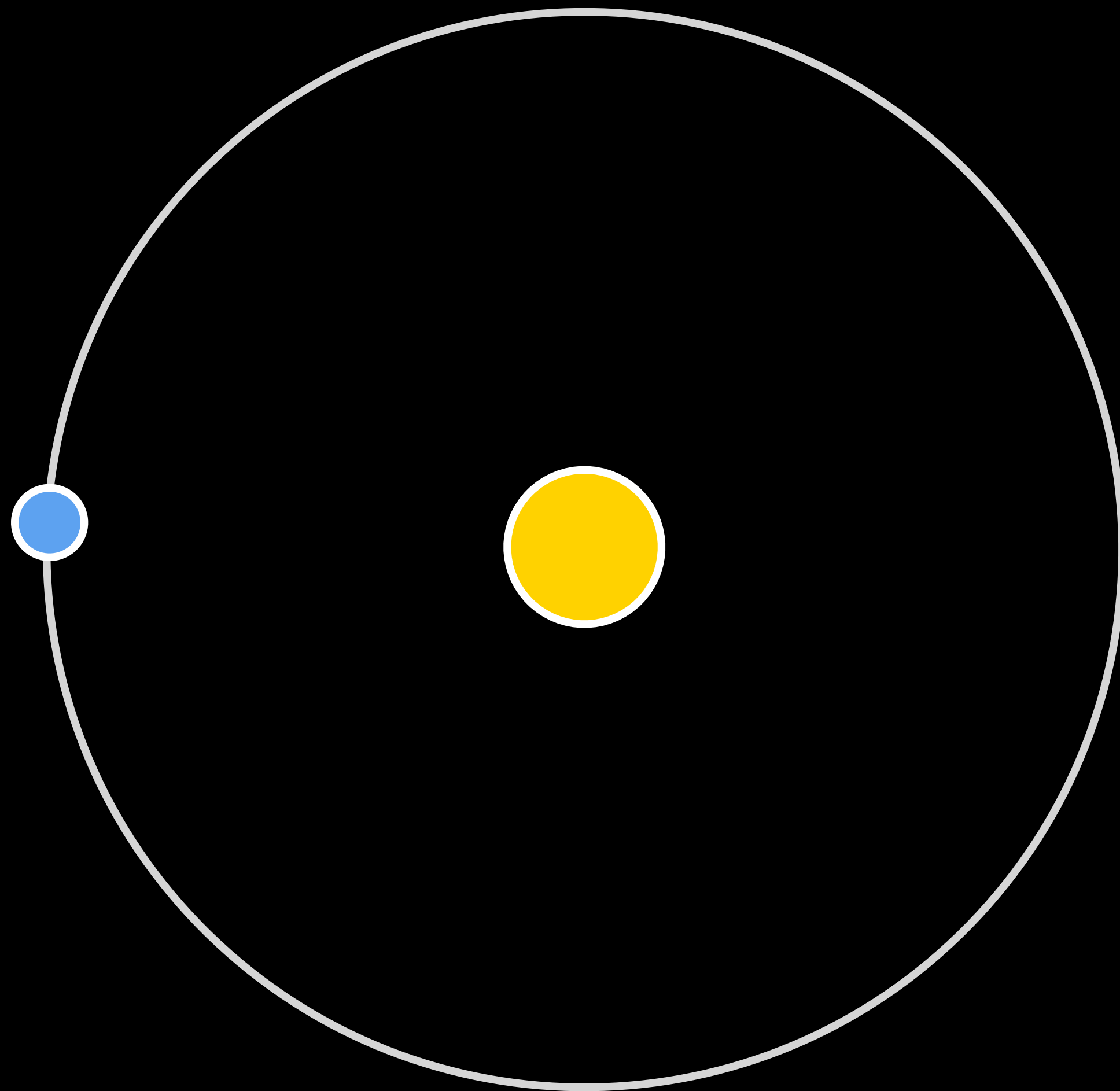
Pro: increased transit probability

Con: ... dilution?

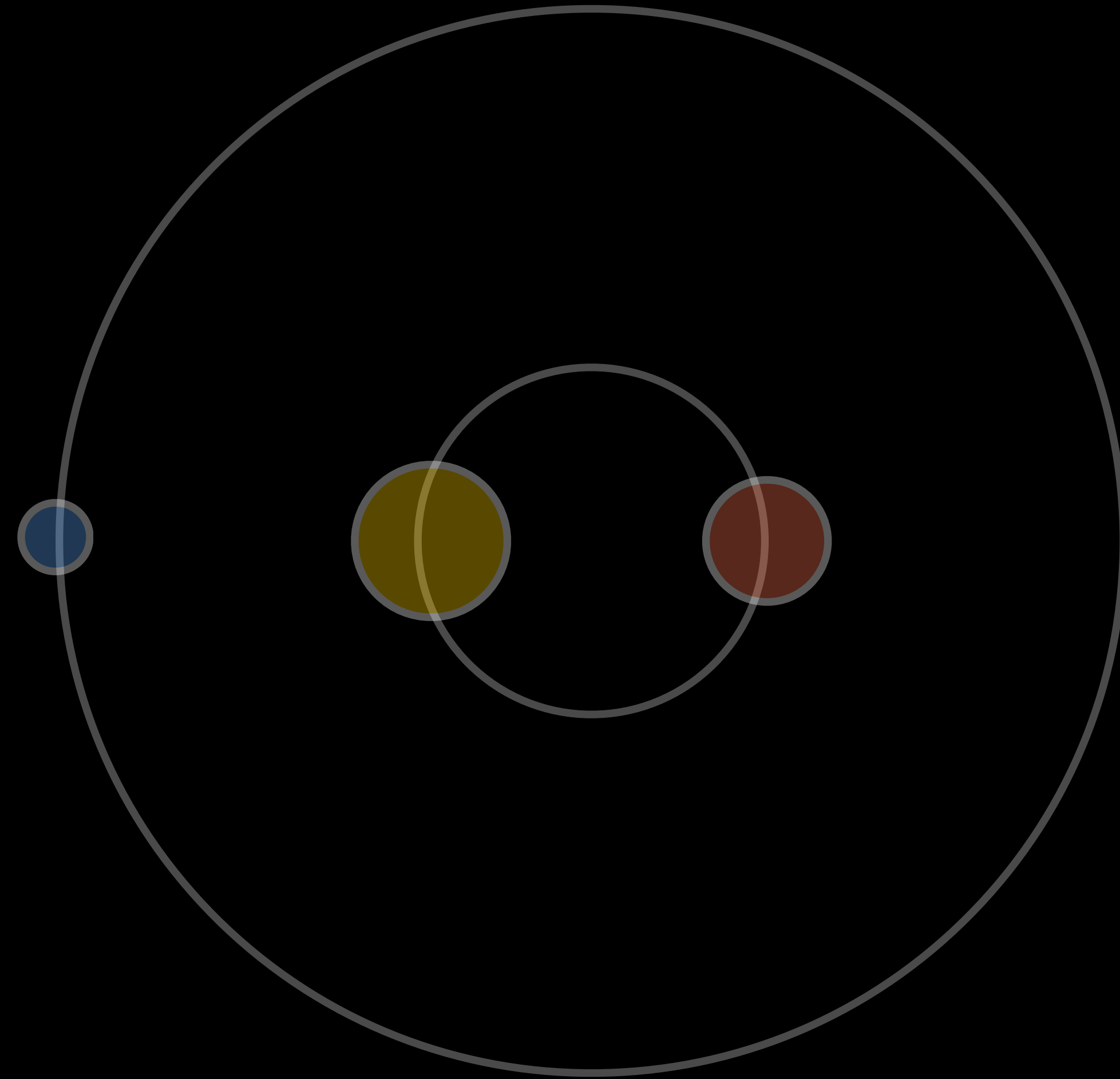
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Kepler

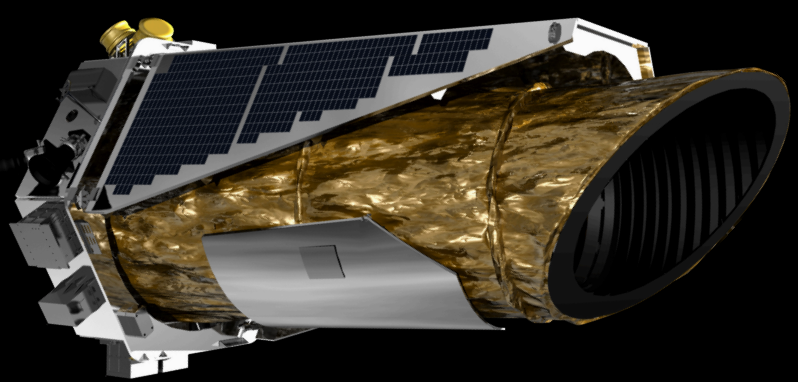


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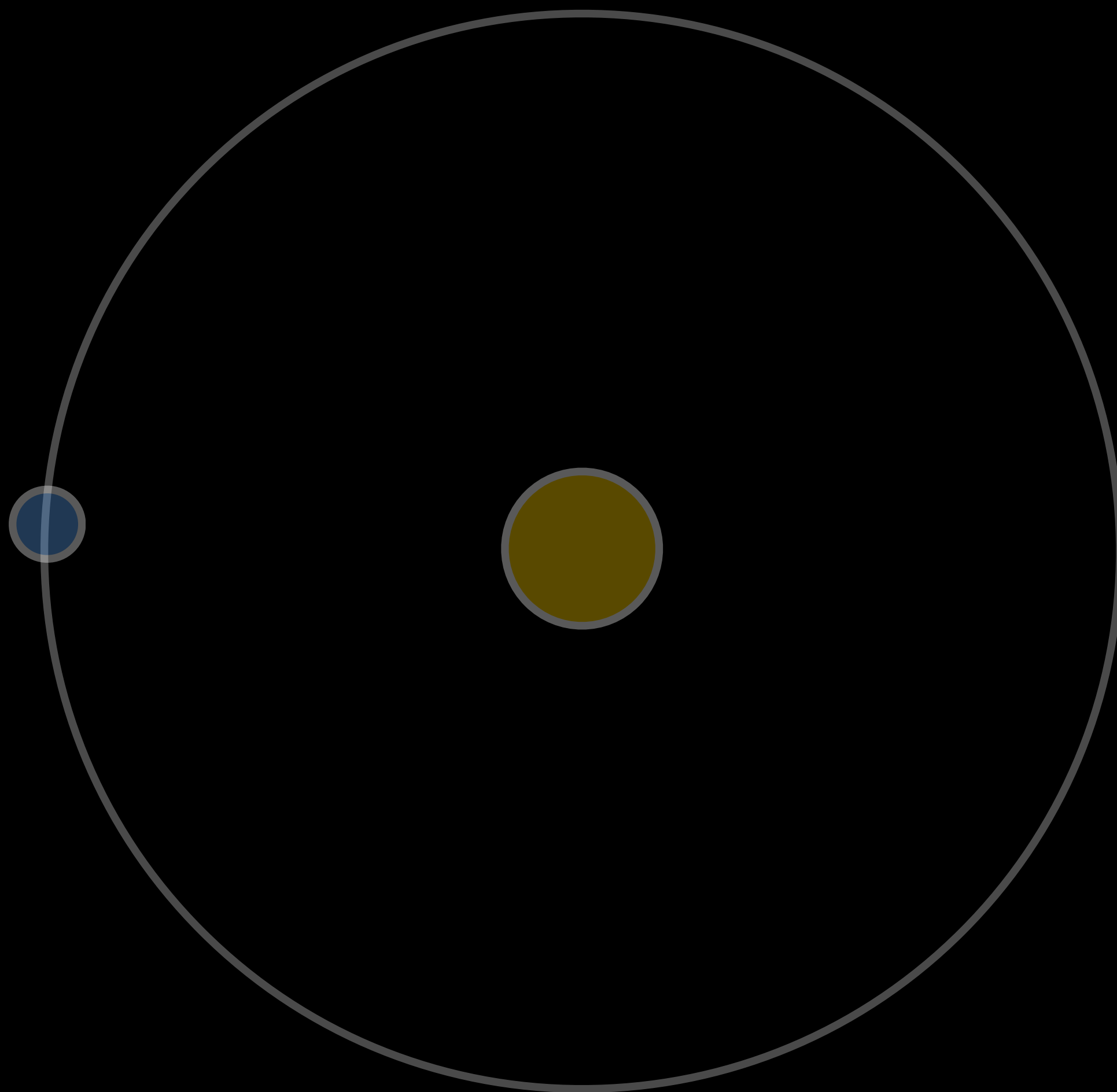


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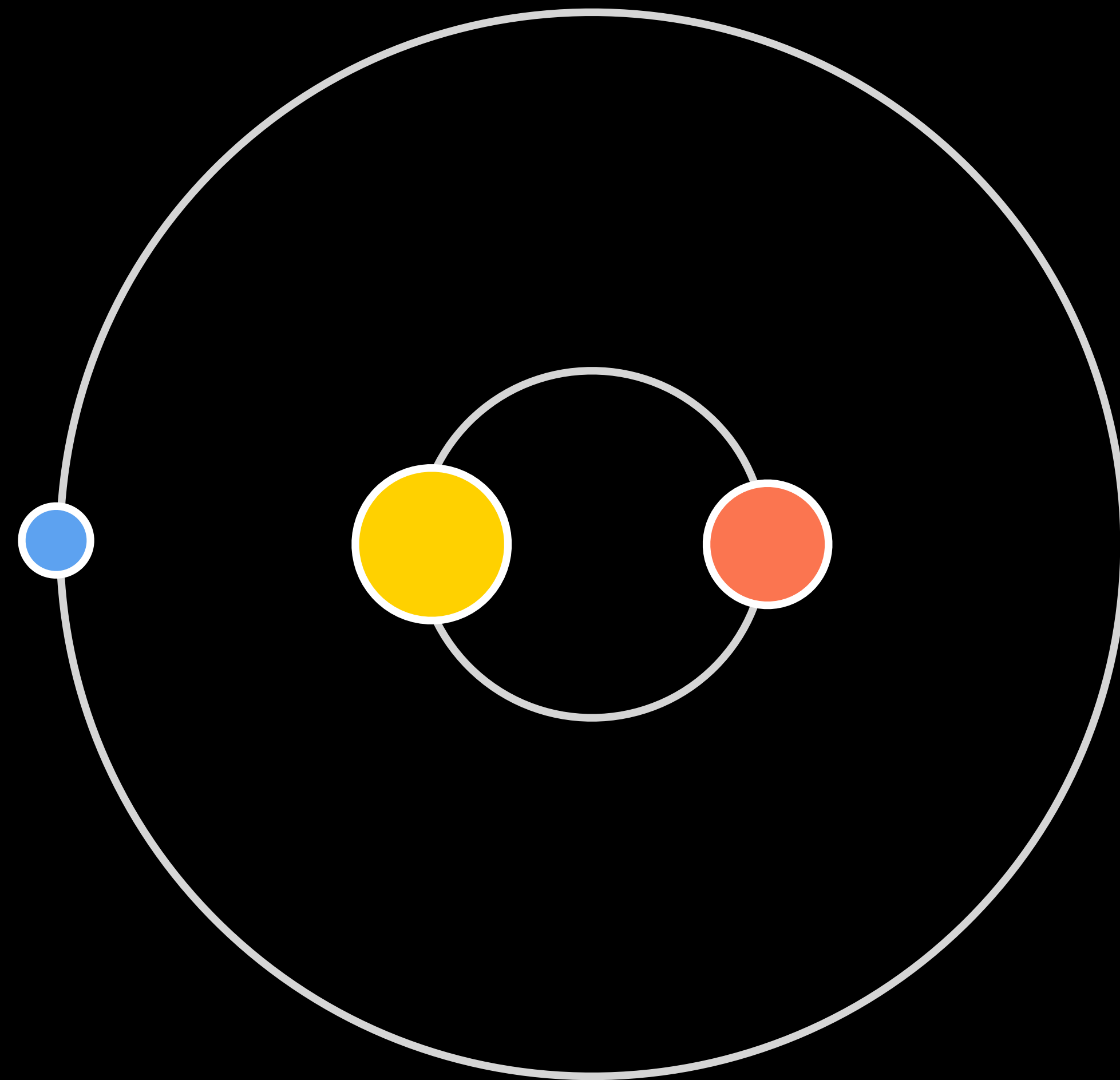
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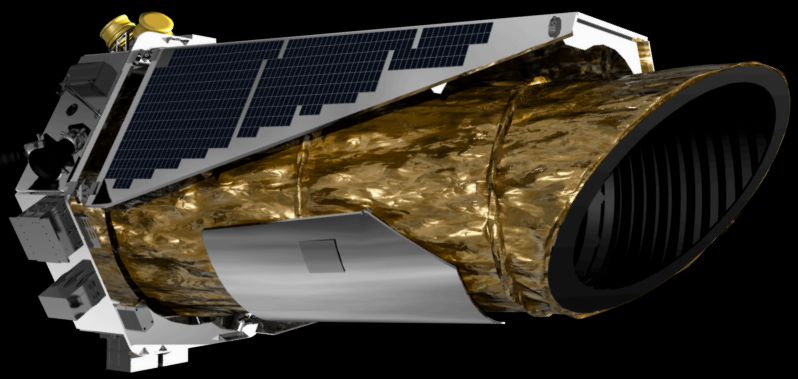
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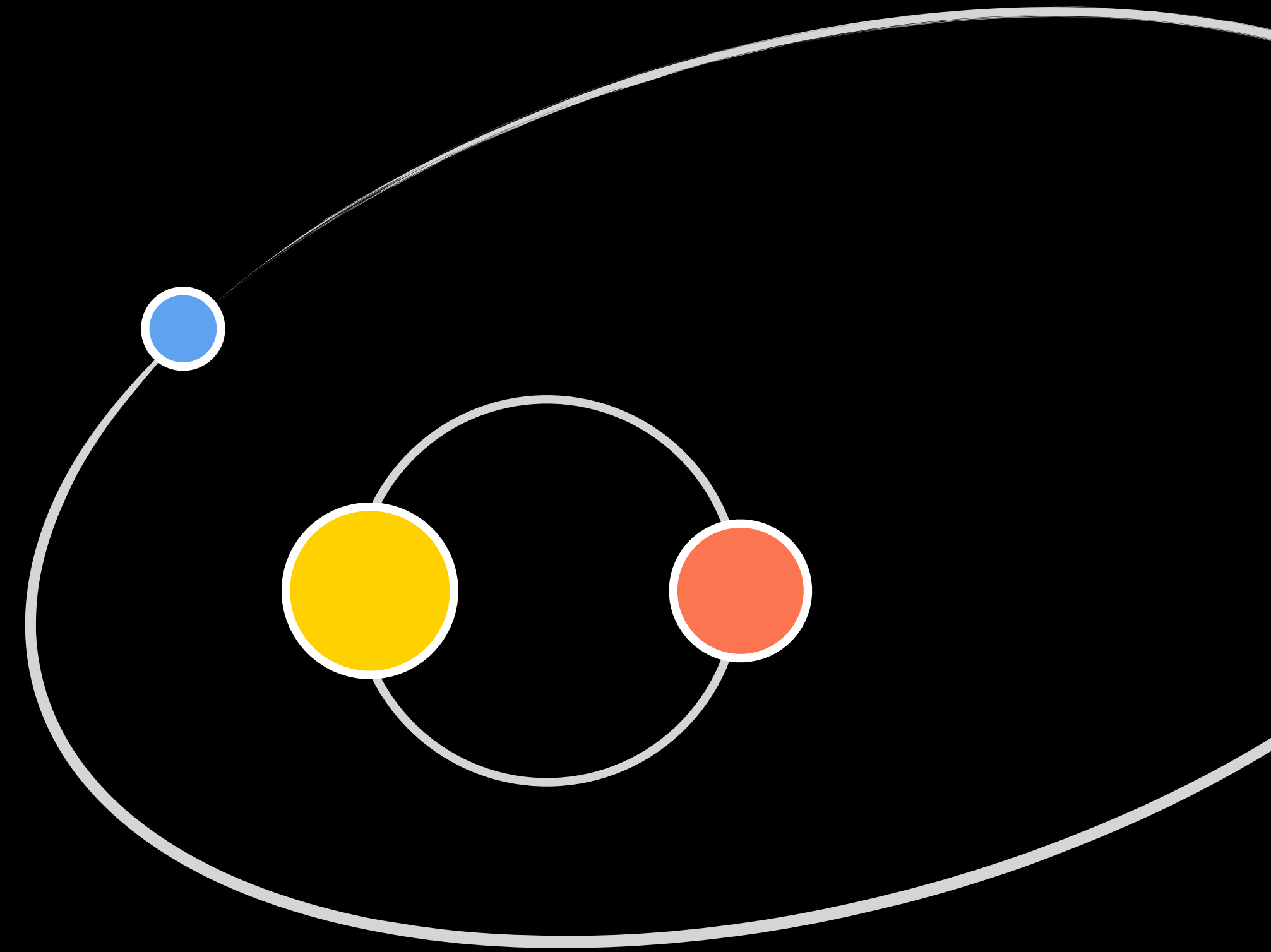
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The #2 Problem: Dynamics

1. Orbital timescale

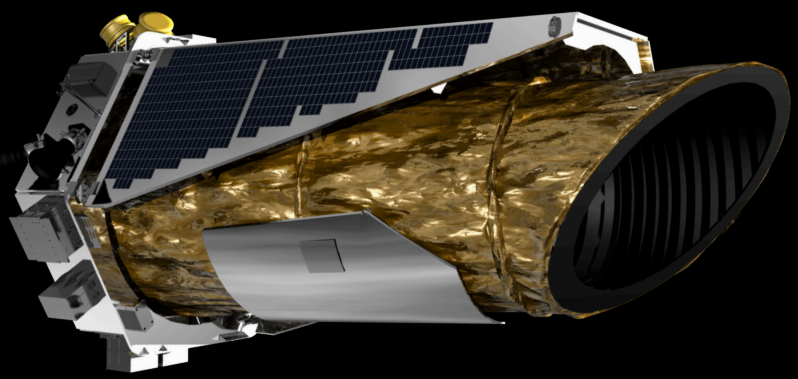


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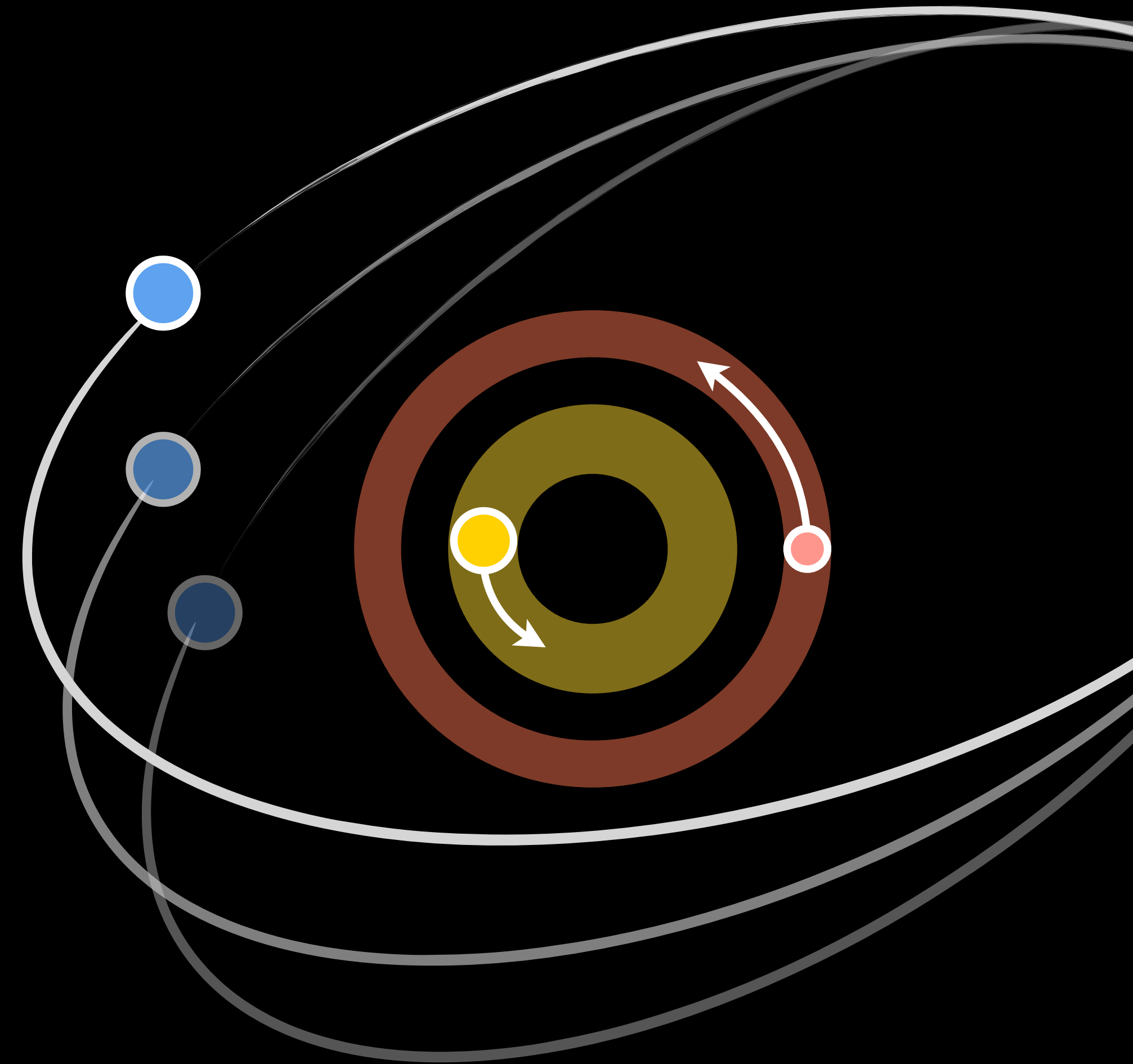


The #2 Problem: Dynamics

1. Orbital timescale
2. Secular timescale



Kepler



and Geometry



Finding Circumbinary Planets with Orbital Dynamics

David V. Martin



Boston

Cambridge



A bunch of other universities that you've probably never heard of

Problems

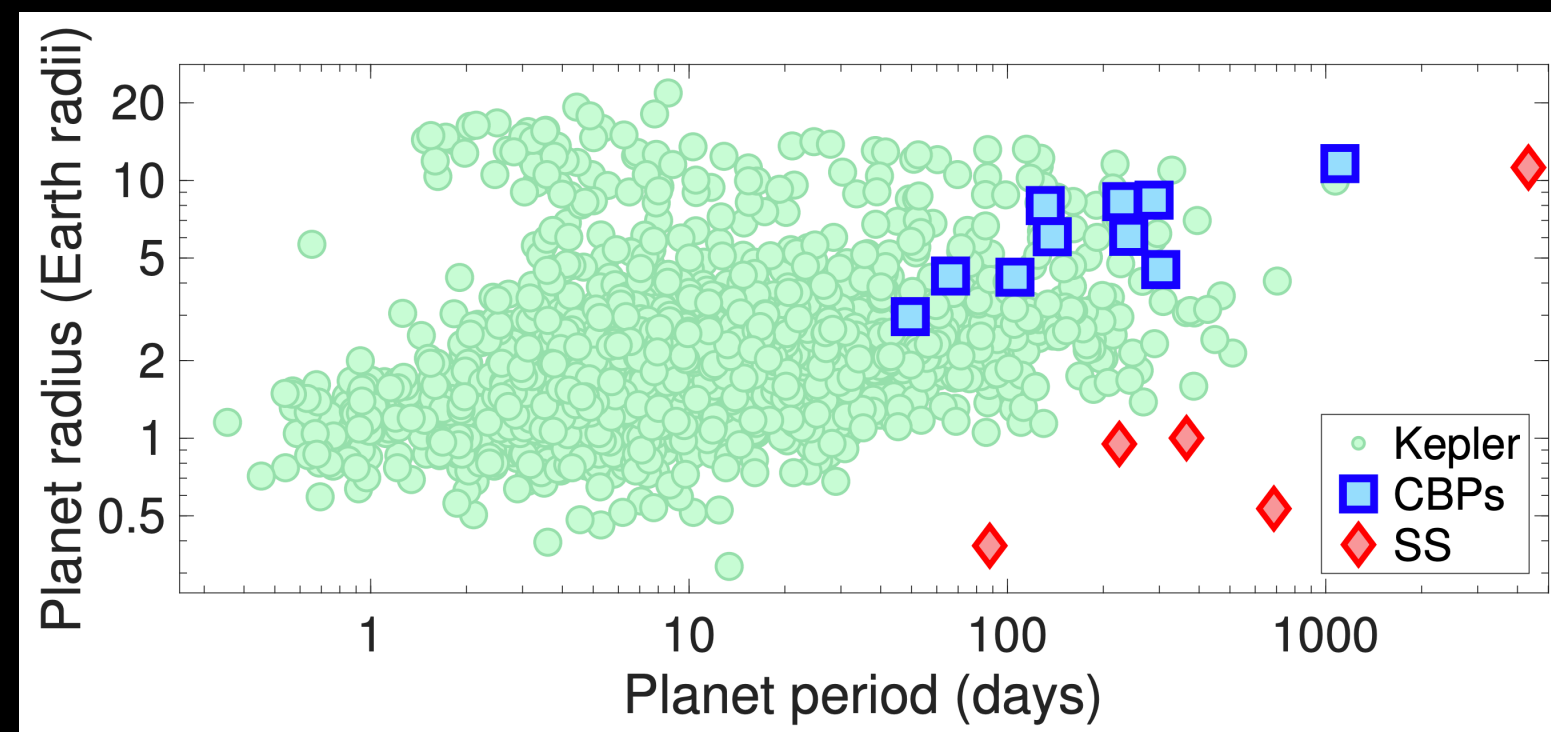
1. Geometry
2. Dynamics

Goal

Find CBPs as easily as
single star planets

Status

12 Kepler, 2 TESS



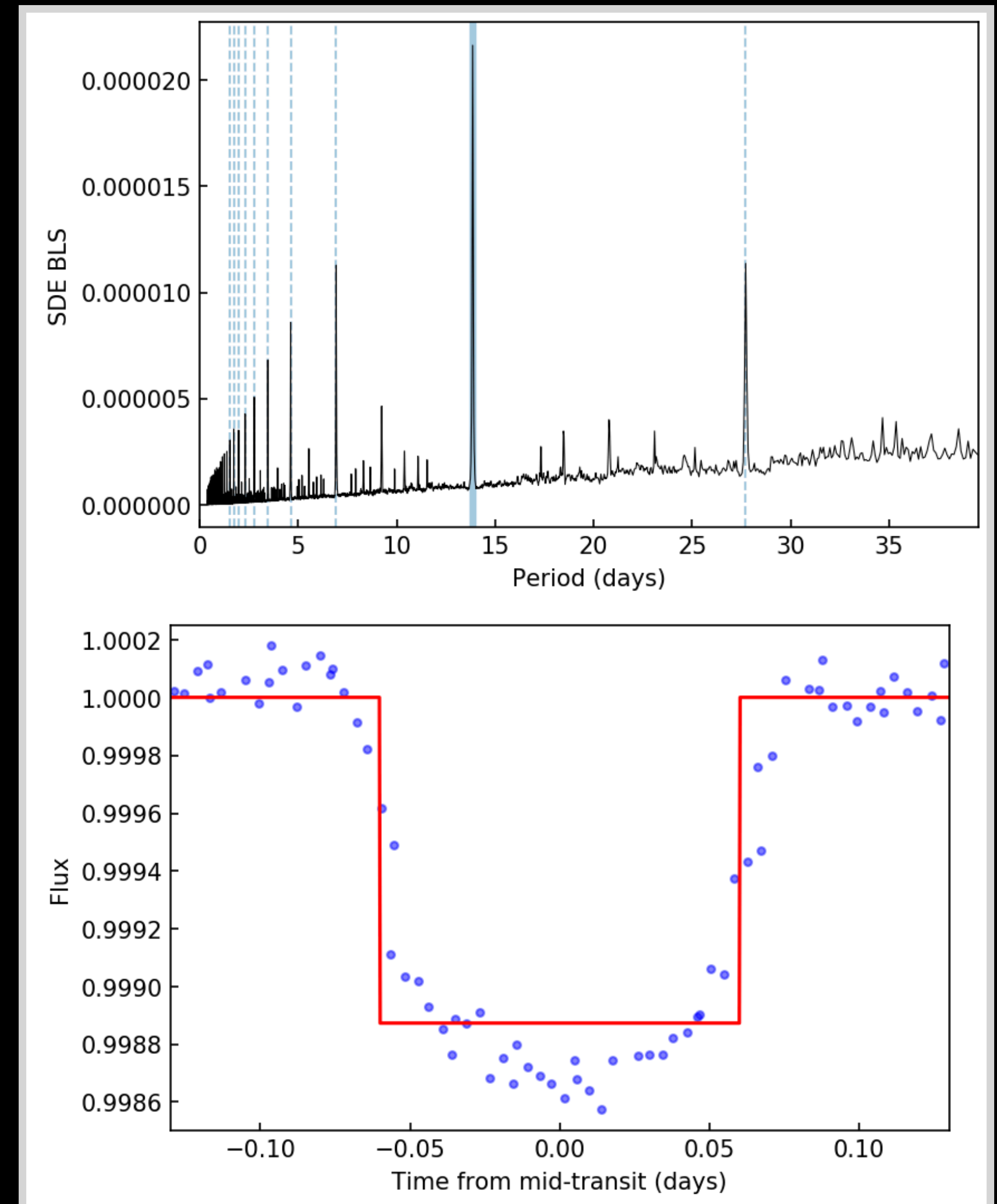
Solutions

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Solutions?

Kovacs+ 2002 - BLS

Phase-fold on strict periodicity

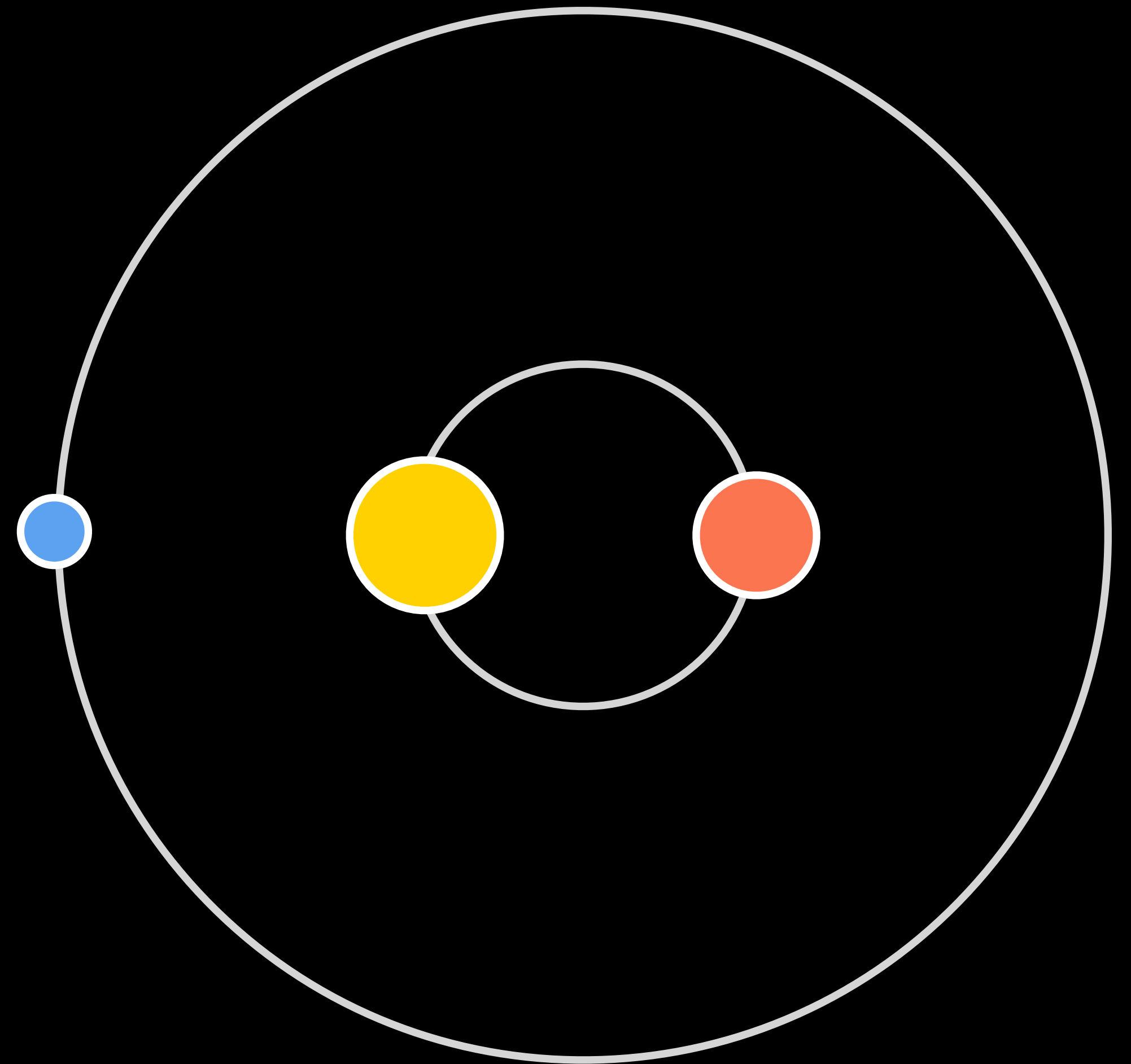


Solutions?

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Ofir 2008 - CB-BLS

Phase-fold accounting for
binary movement, not
dynamics



Solutions?

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Carter & Agol - QATS

BLS but allows for quasi-period transit intervals.

Not physically motivated but can find planets with large TTVs



Solutions?

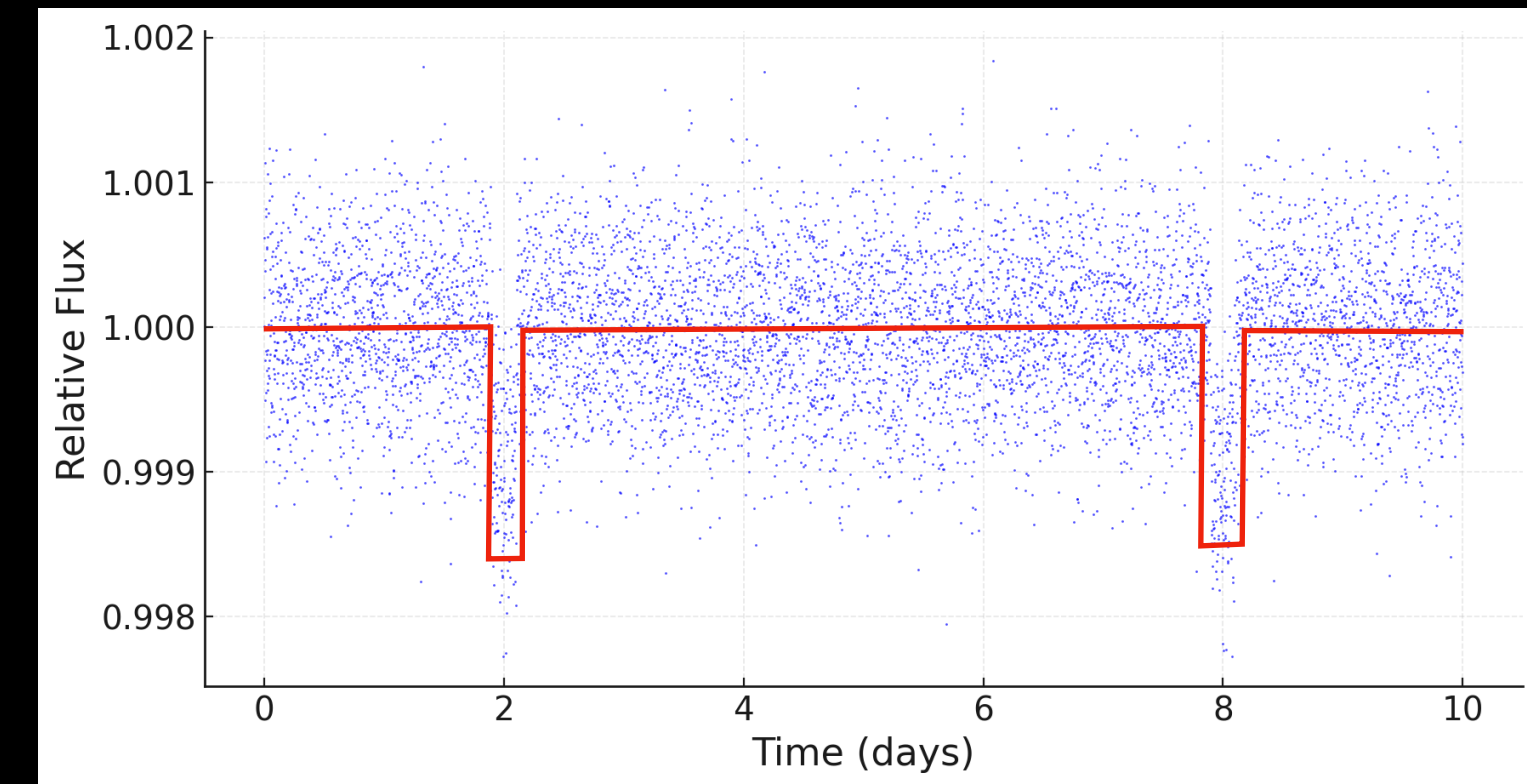
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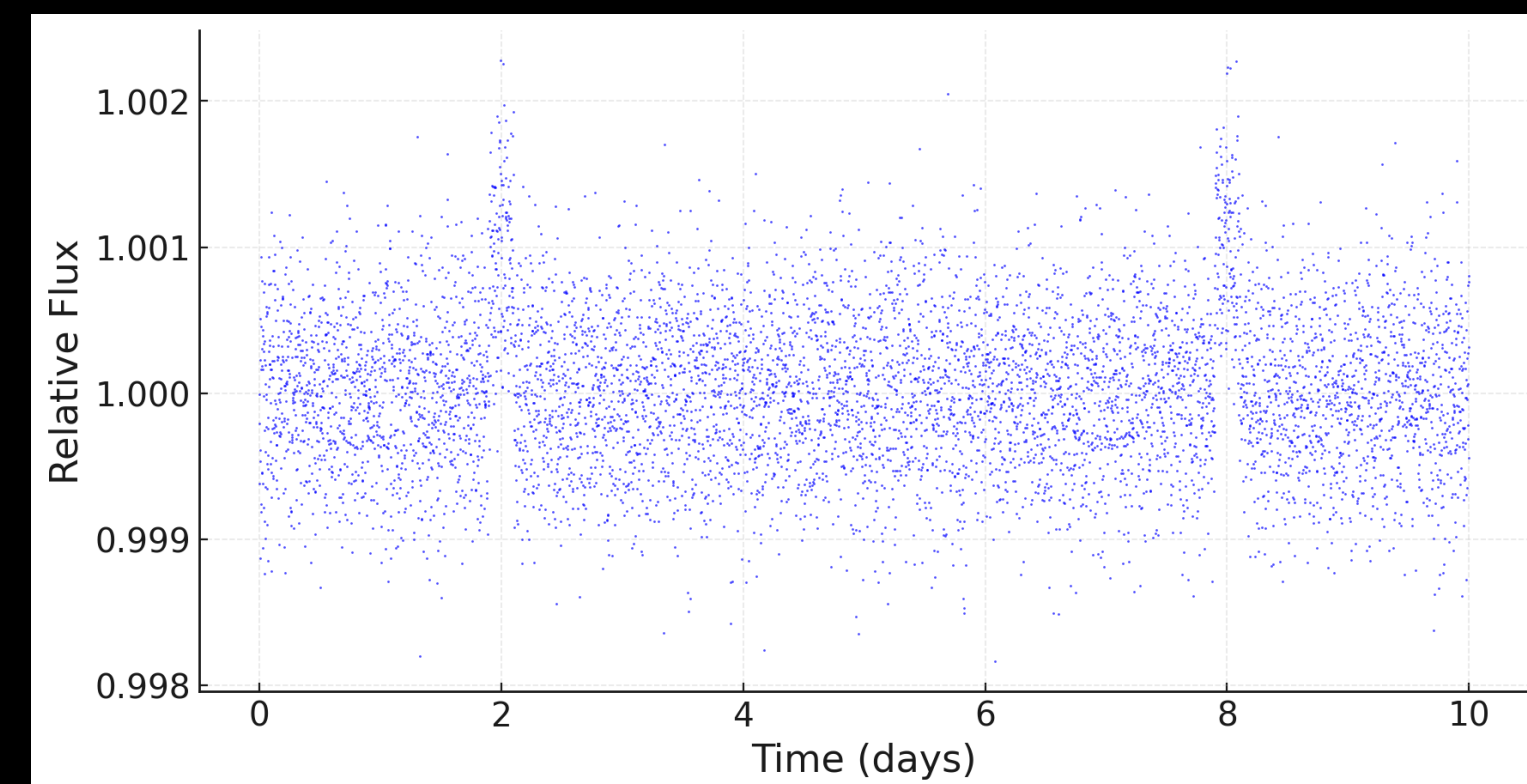
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Kostov+ 2013/14

BLS in 2-transit segments



Flip light curve and run BLS again - did you just find noise?



Solutions?

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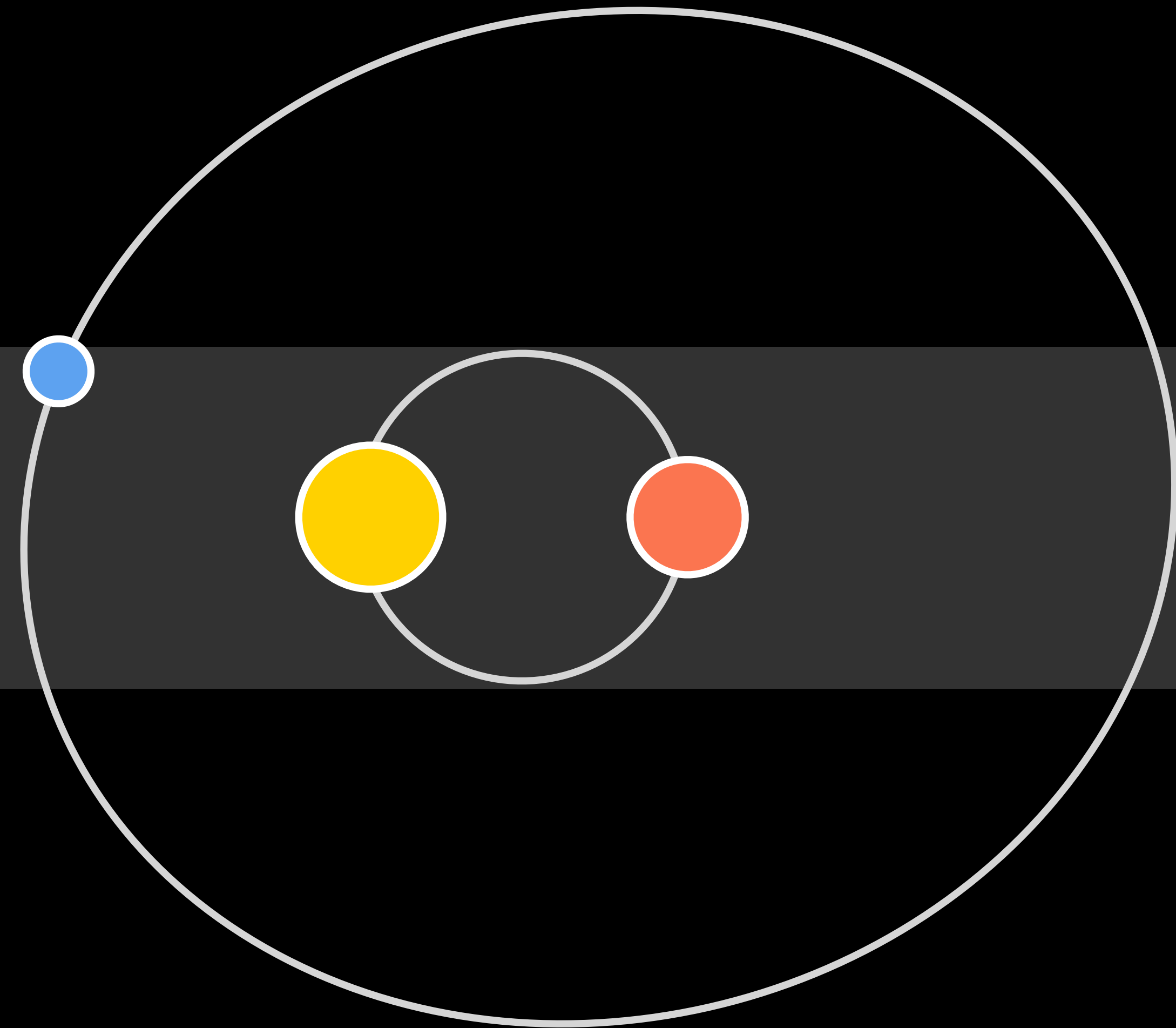
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Phase-fold into window of possible times, account apsidal for precession



Solutions?

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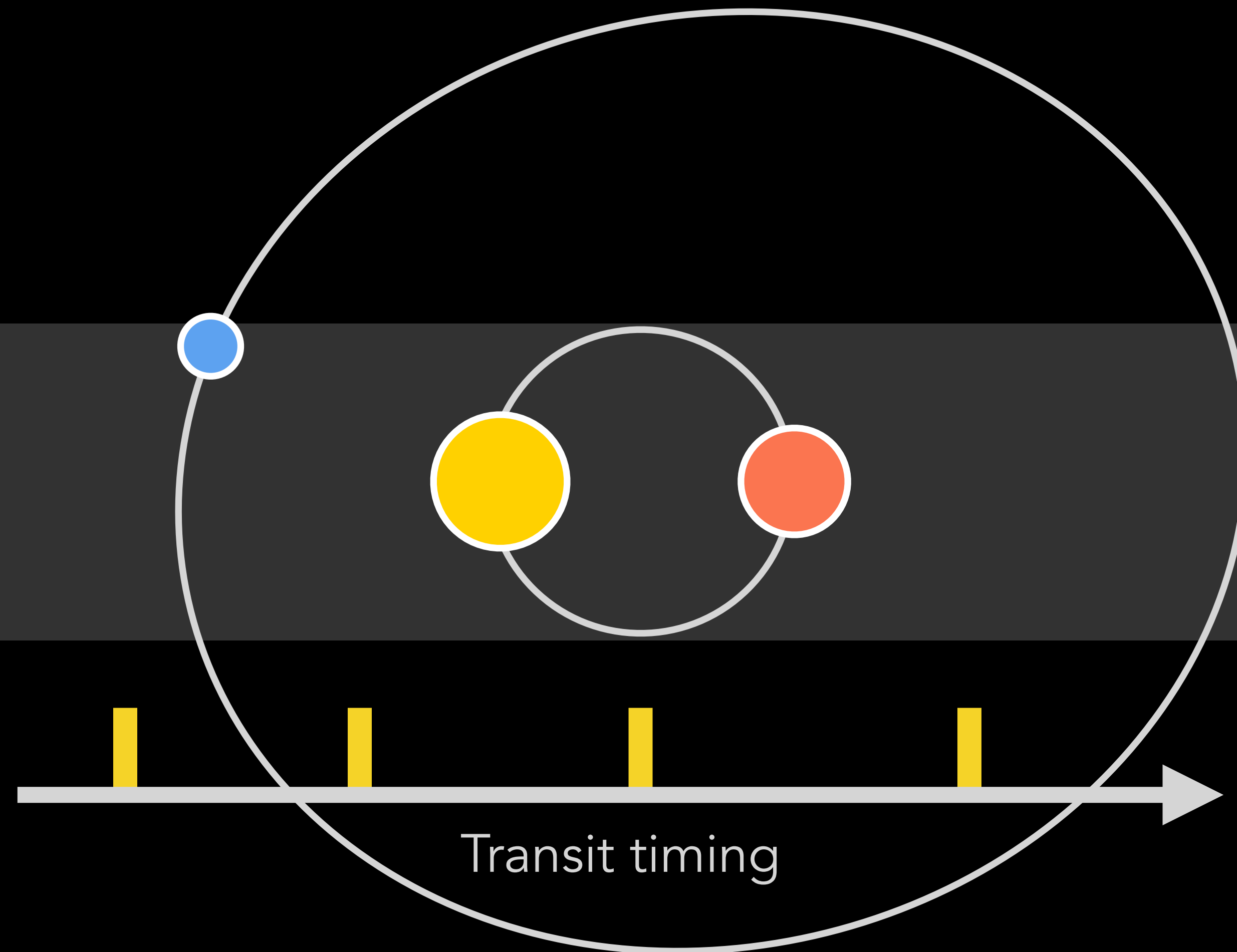
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QATS within a window defined
by Armstrong+ 2013



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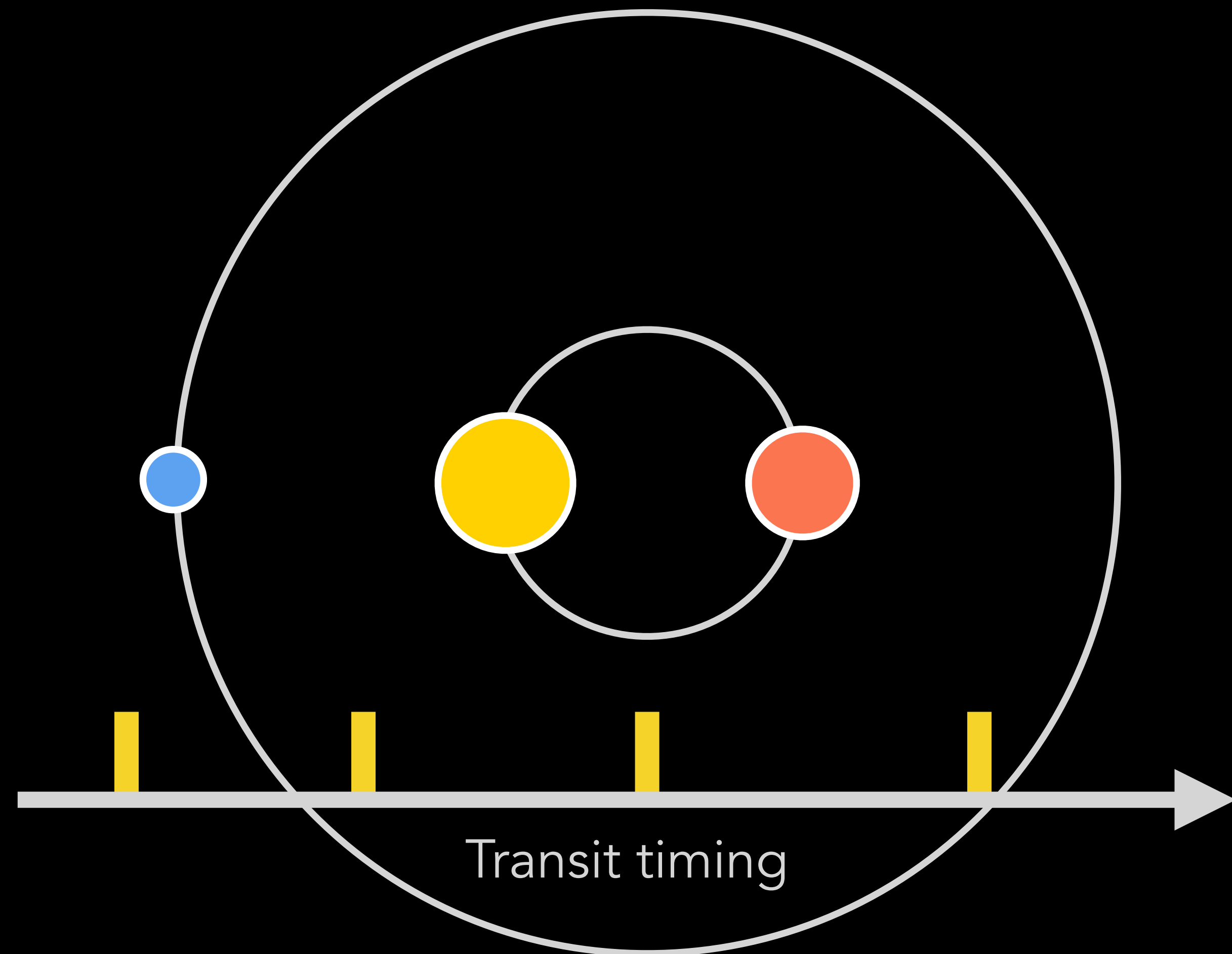
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Armstrong+ 2013/2014

Klagyivik+ 2017

Windemuth+ 2019 - QATS-EB

“Regularized light curve” from
2 Keplerians. Then run QATS.



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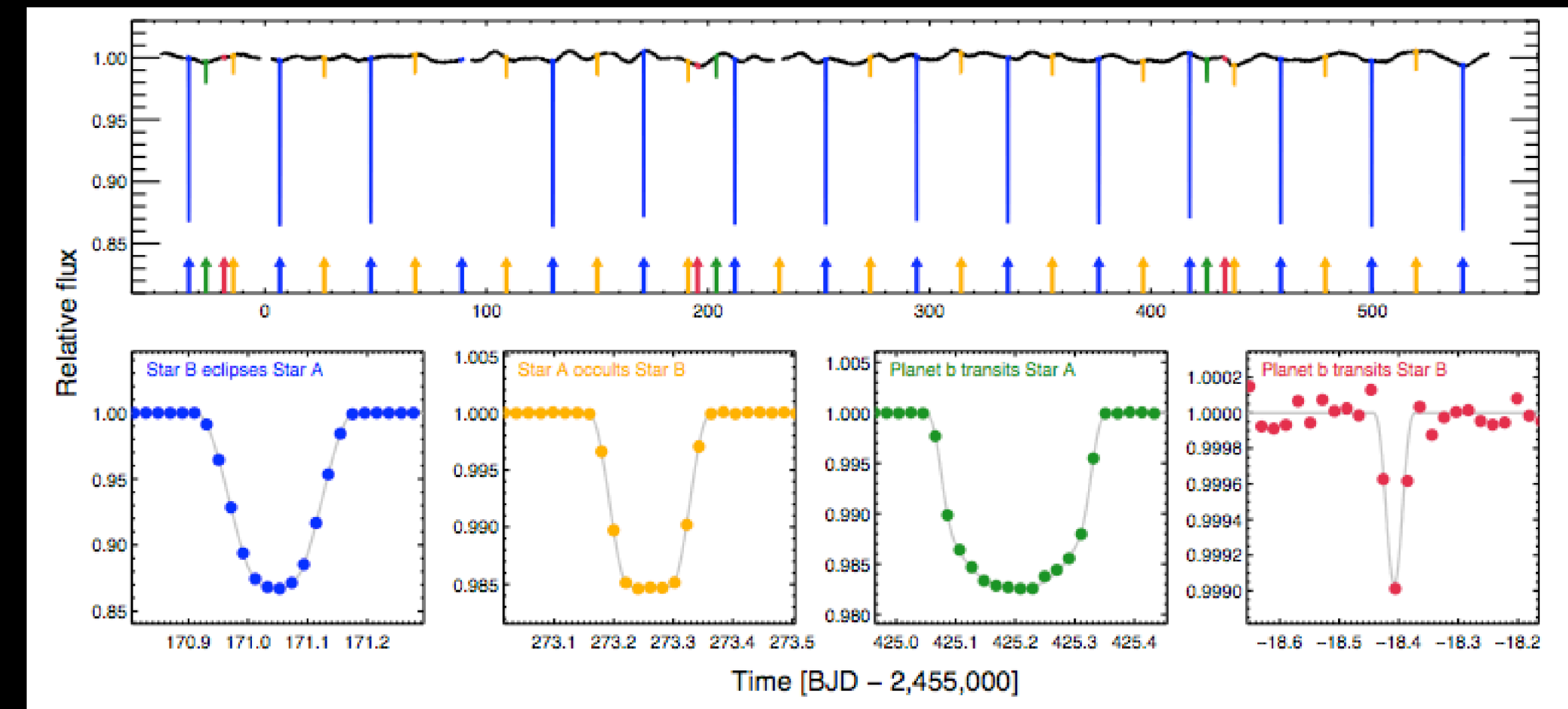
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The Human Eye

Perhaps “easy” for Kepler-16



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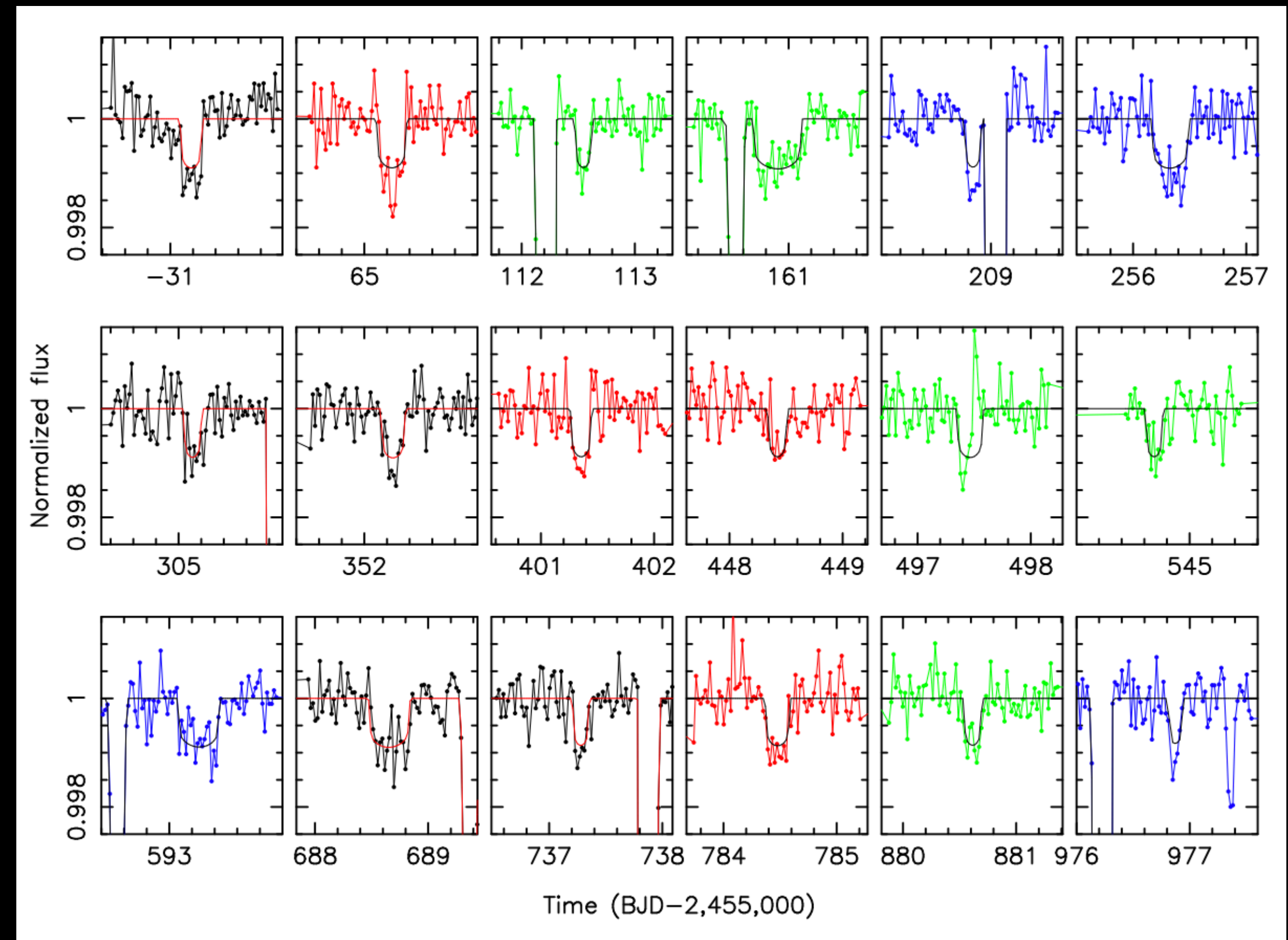
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The Human Eye

Gets tough for Kepler-47 and others



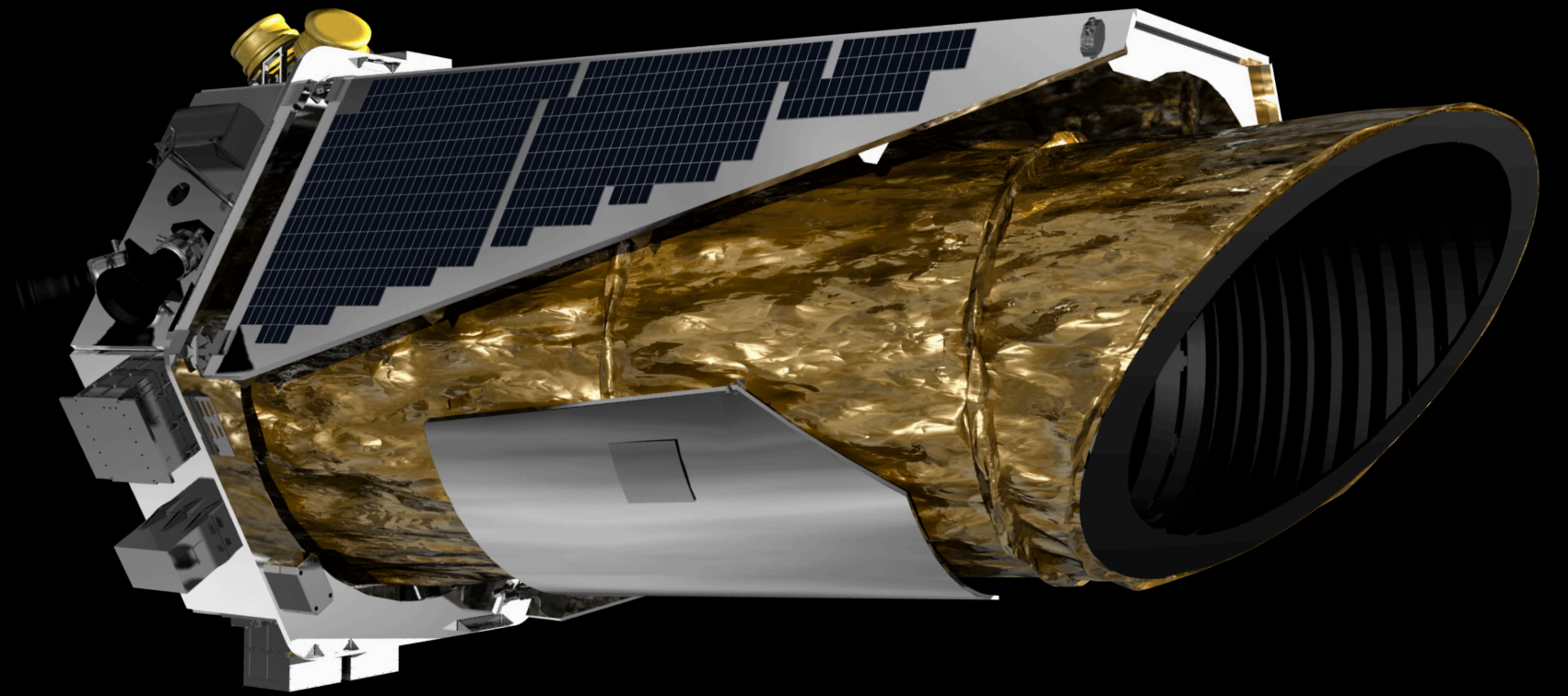
More recent approaches



TESS

Kostov+ 2020 “1-2 punch”
Dominic Oddo “FORCES”
Benjamin Davies [catchy name TBD]

Large Numbers of **Large** Planets



Kepler

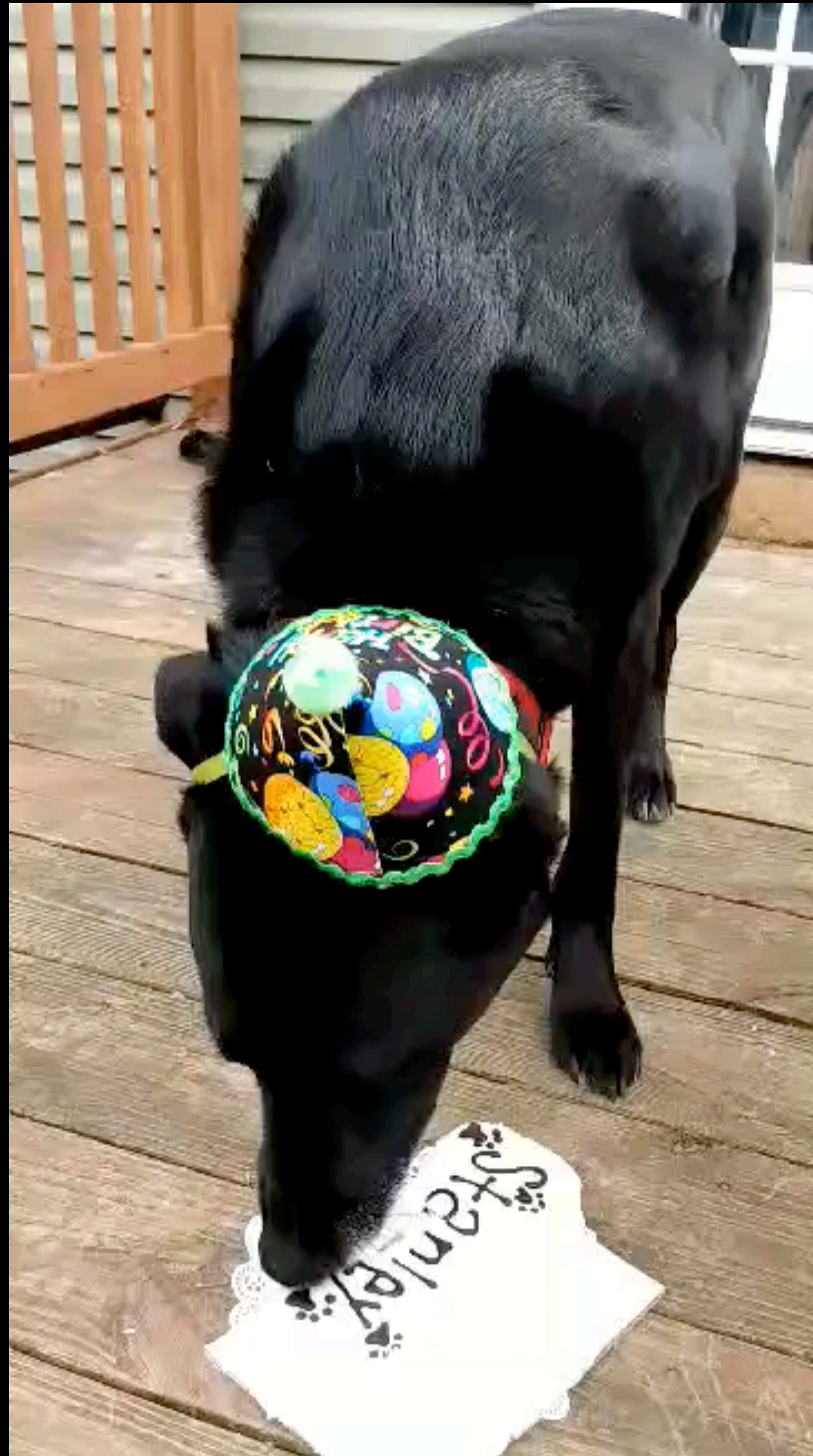
Martin & Fabrycky 2021 “Stanley”
+ new students

Small Numbers of **Small** Planets

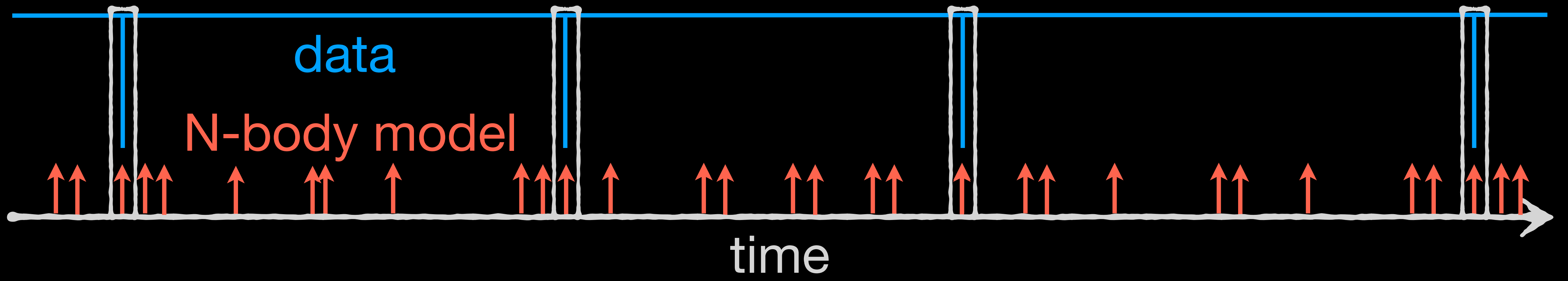
Searching for Small Circumbinary Planets

I. The STANLEY Automated Algorithm and No New Planets in Existing Systems

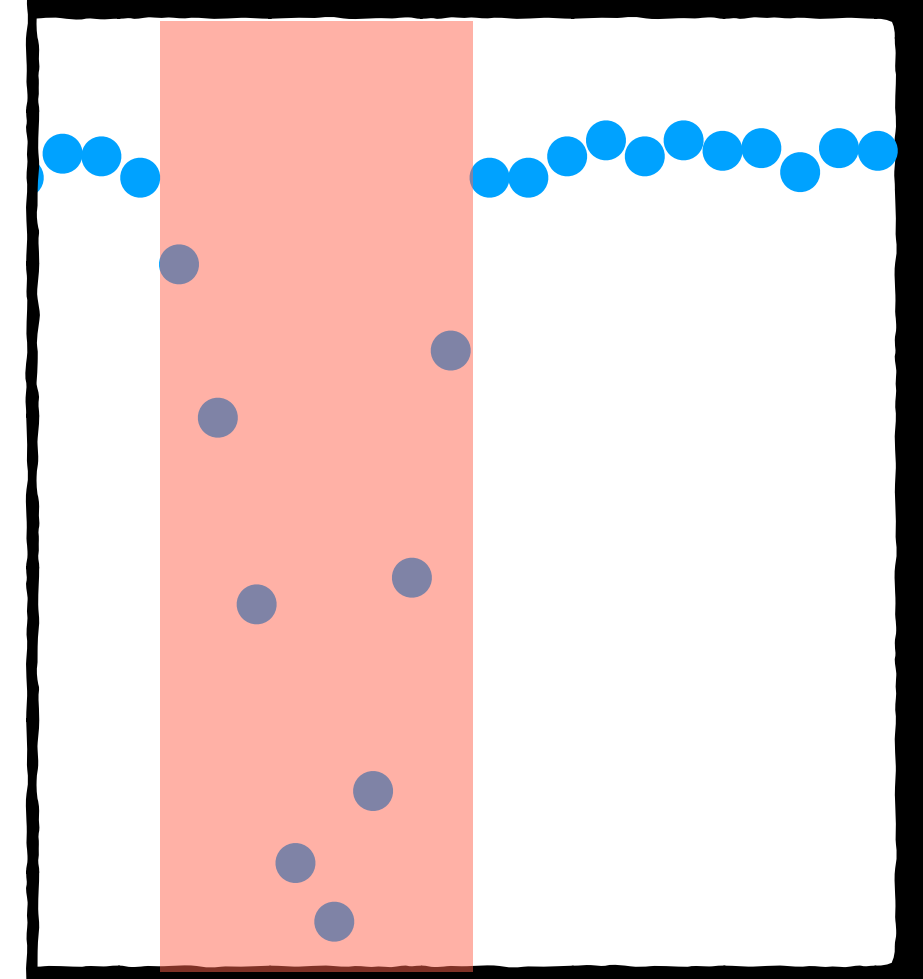
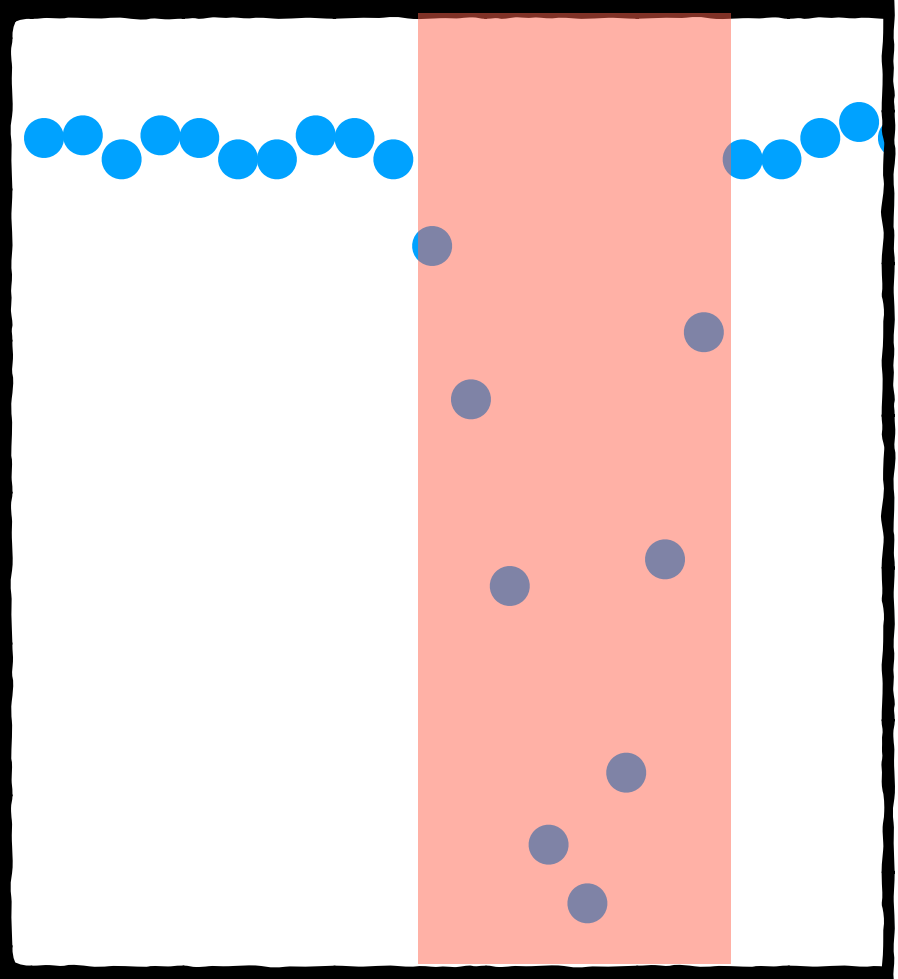
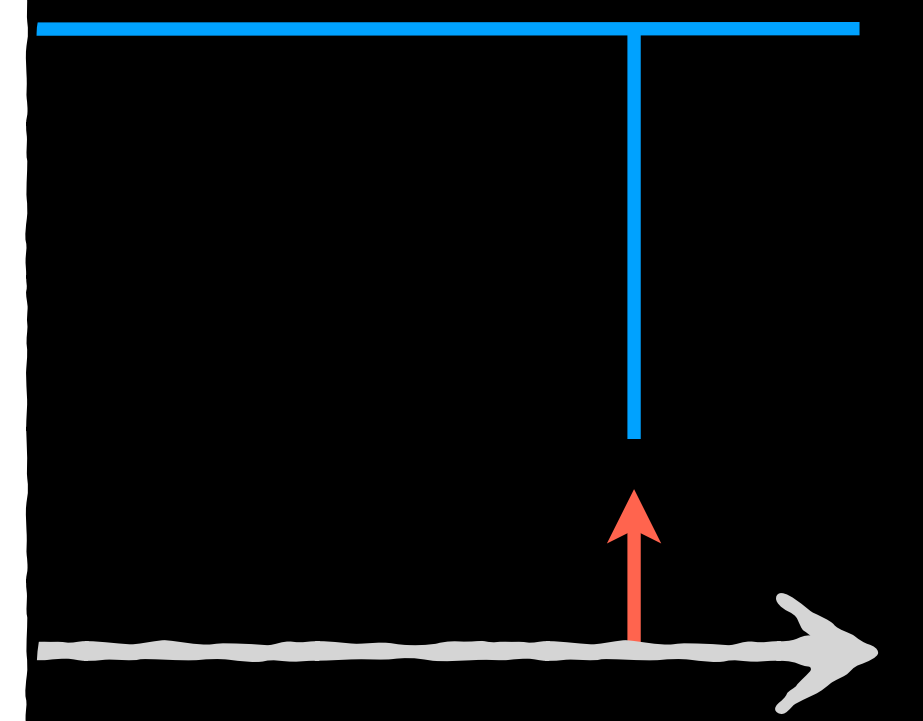
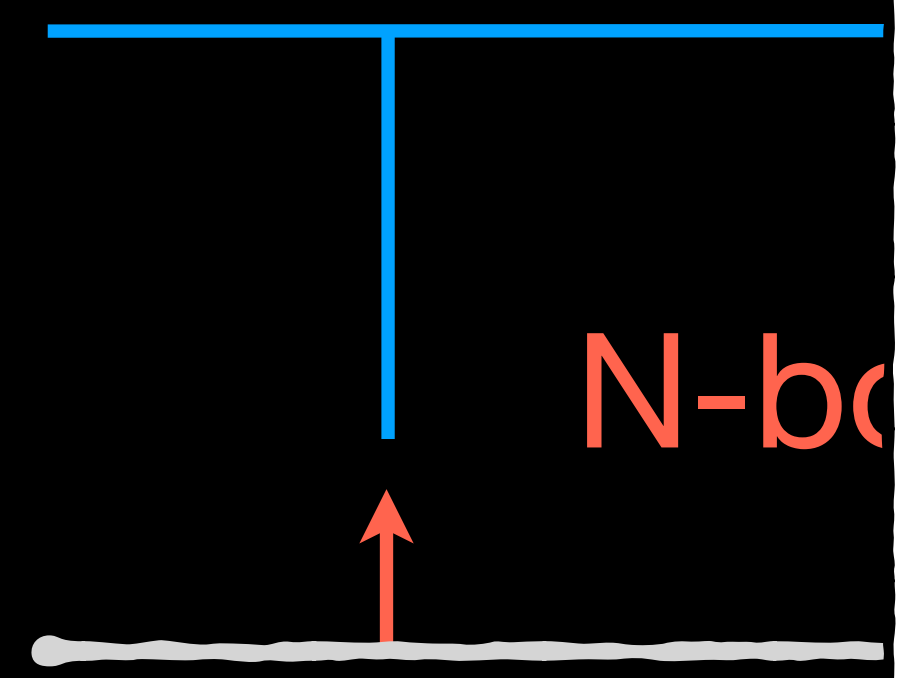
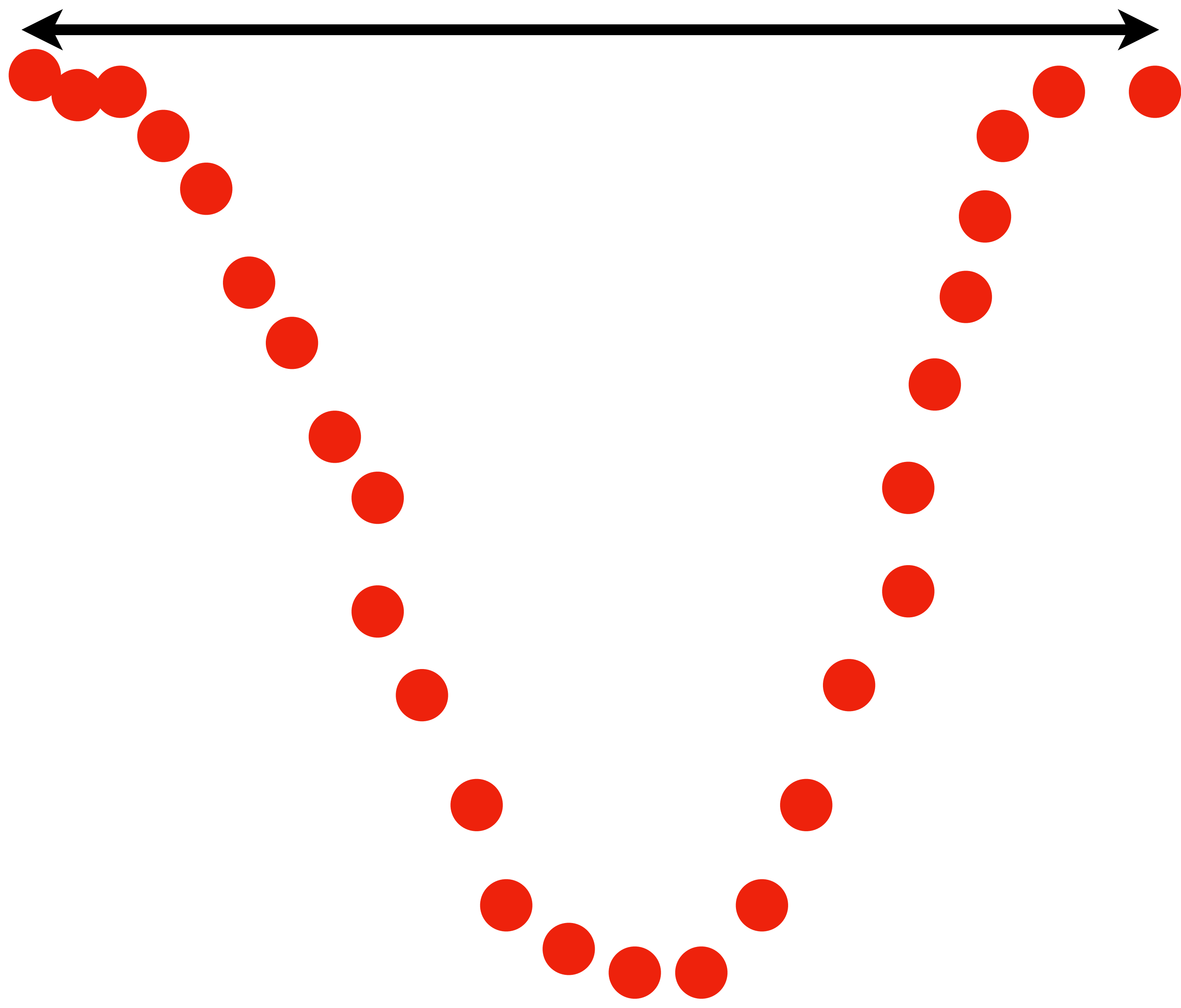
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STANLEY IS AN N-BODY SEARCH GRID



SCALED TRANSIT DURATION



DIFFICULTIES

Difficulties

1. SPEED

Parameter List

Binary

Period, P

Eccentricity, e

Argument periapse, ω

Orbital phase, ϑ

Inclination, I

Long. Ascending Node, Ω

Planet

Period, P

Eccentricity, e

Argument periapse, ω

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Bodies

M_A

M_B

M_p

R_A

R_B

R_p

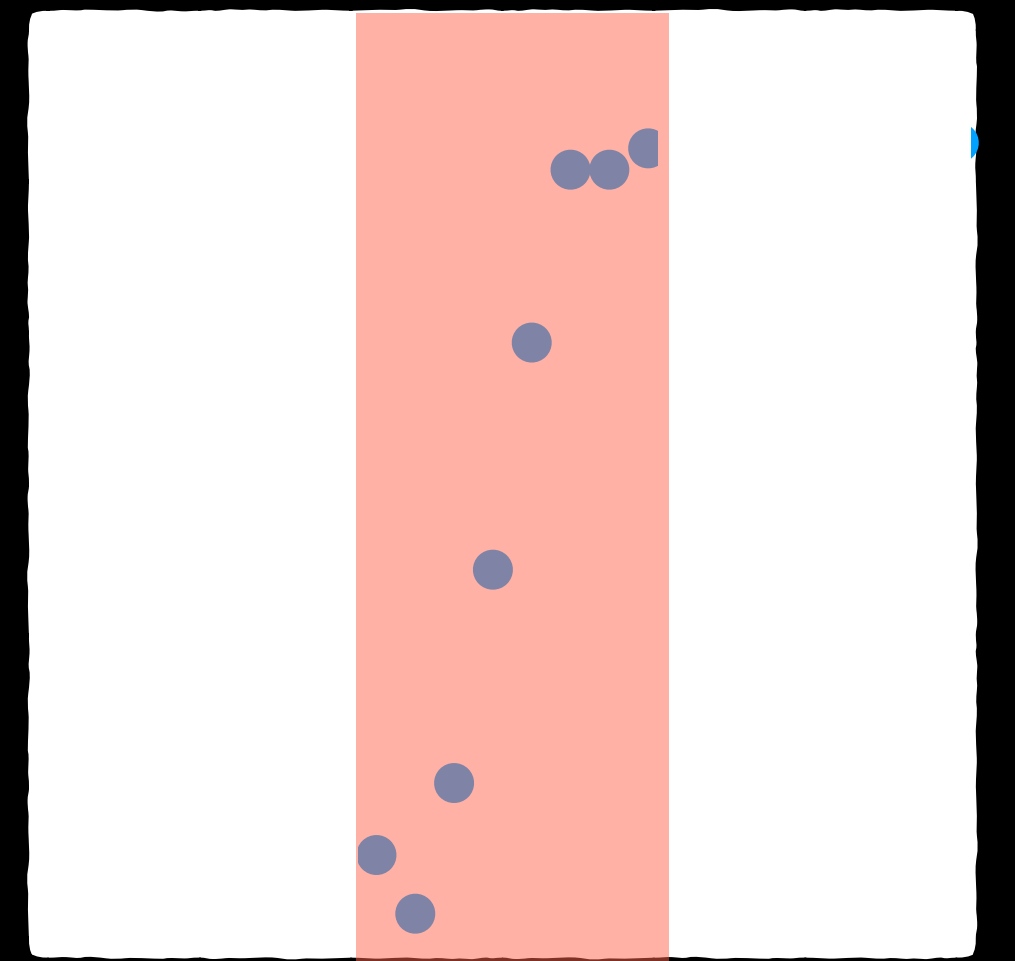
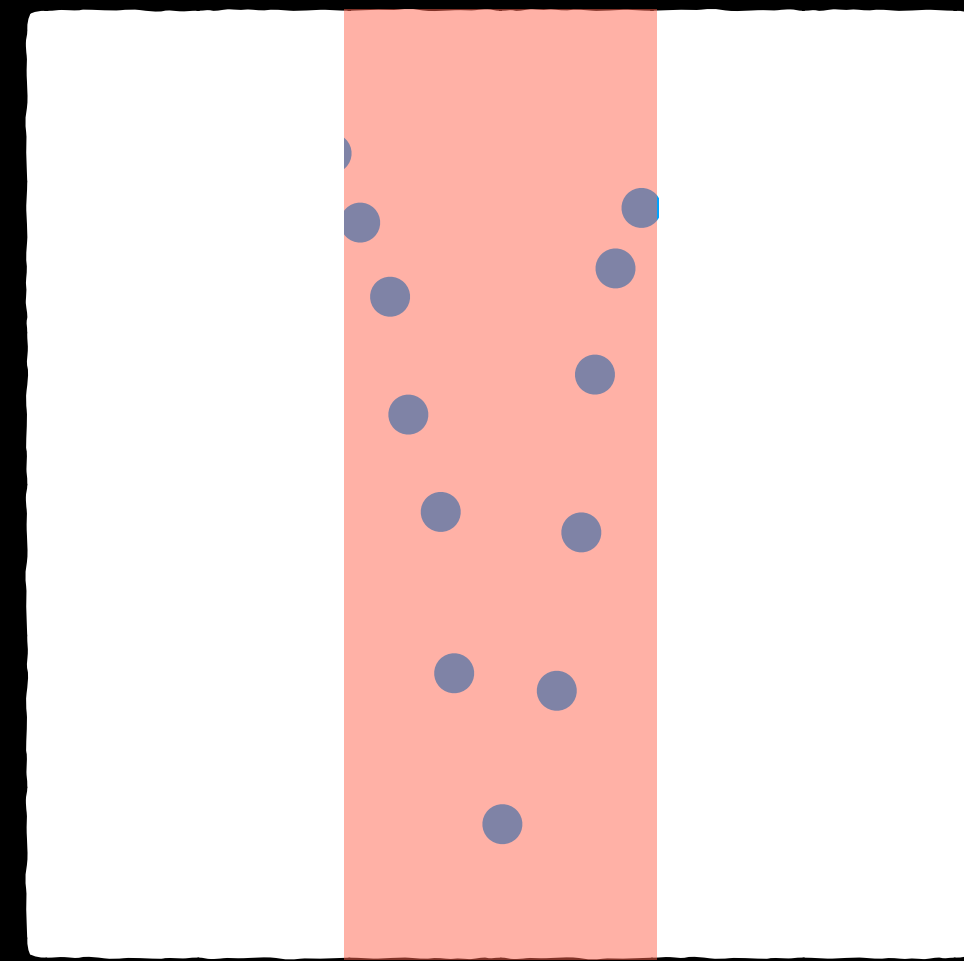
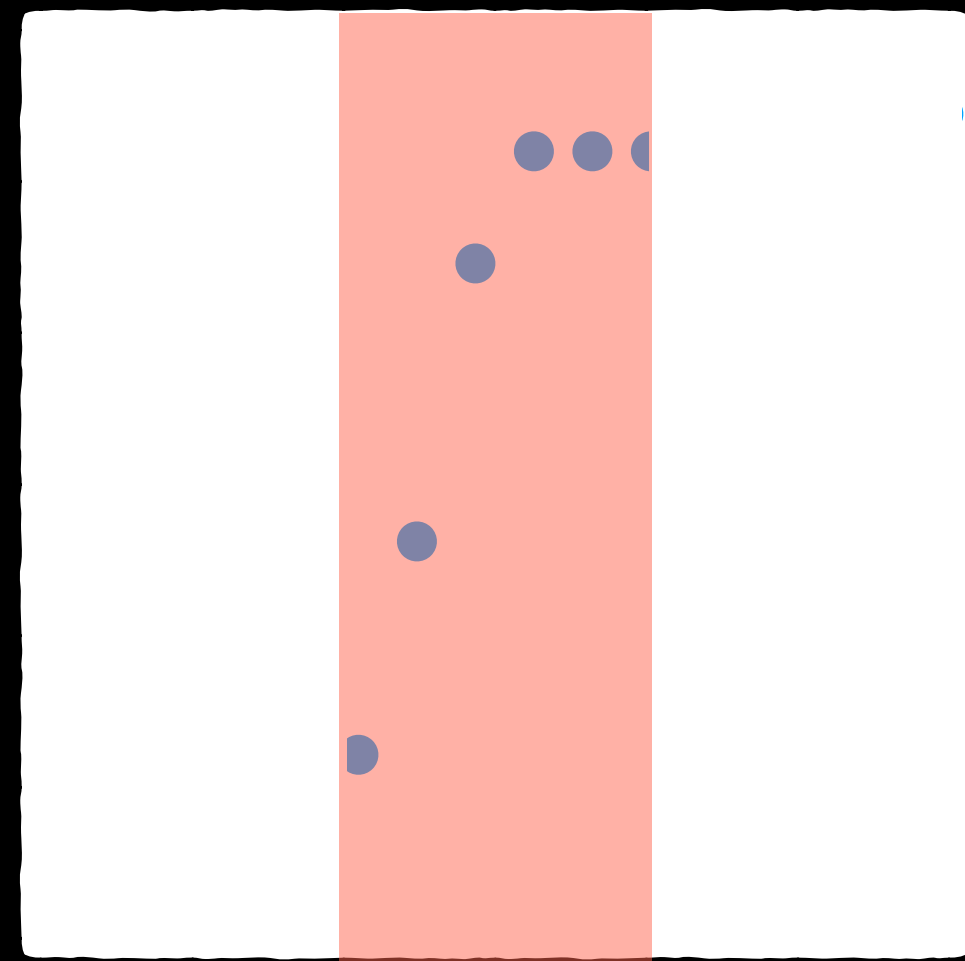
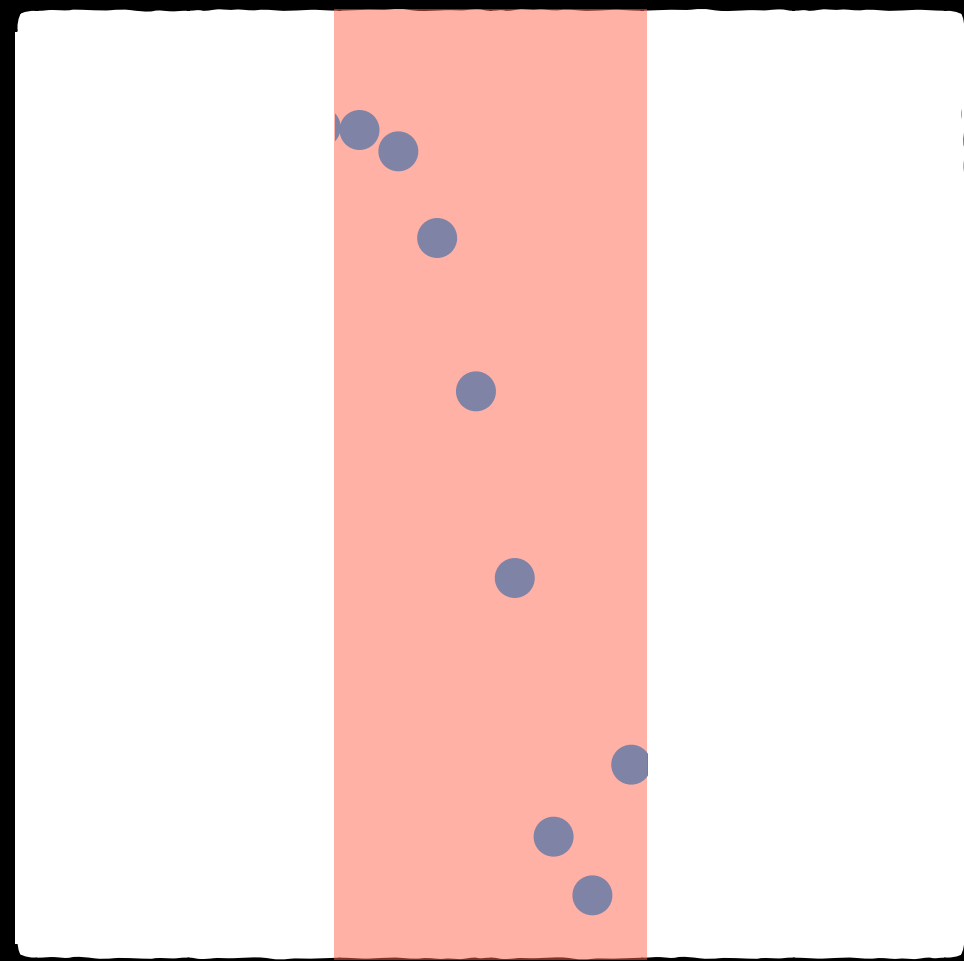
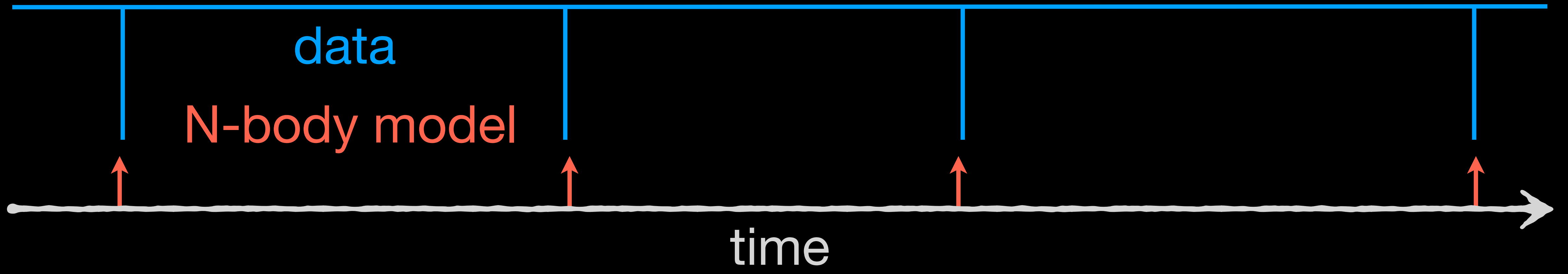
Up to 18 parameters

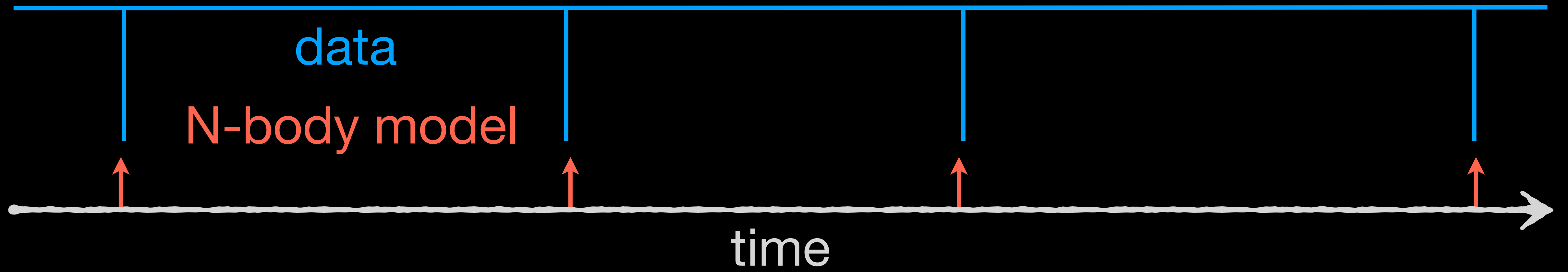
10,000,000 N-body sims per target



Difficulties

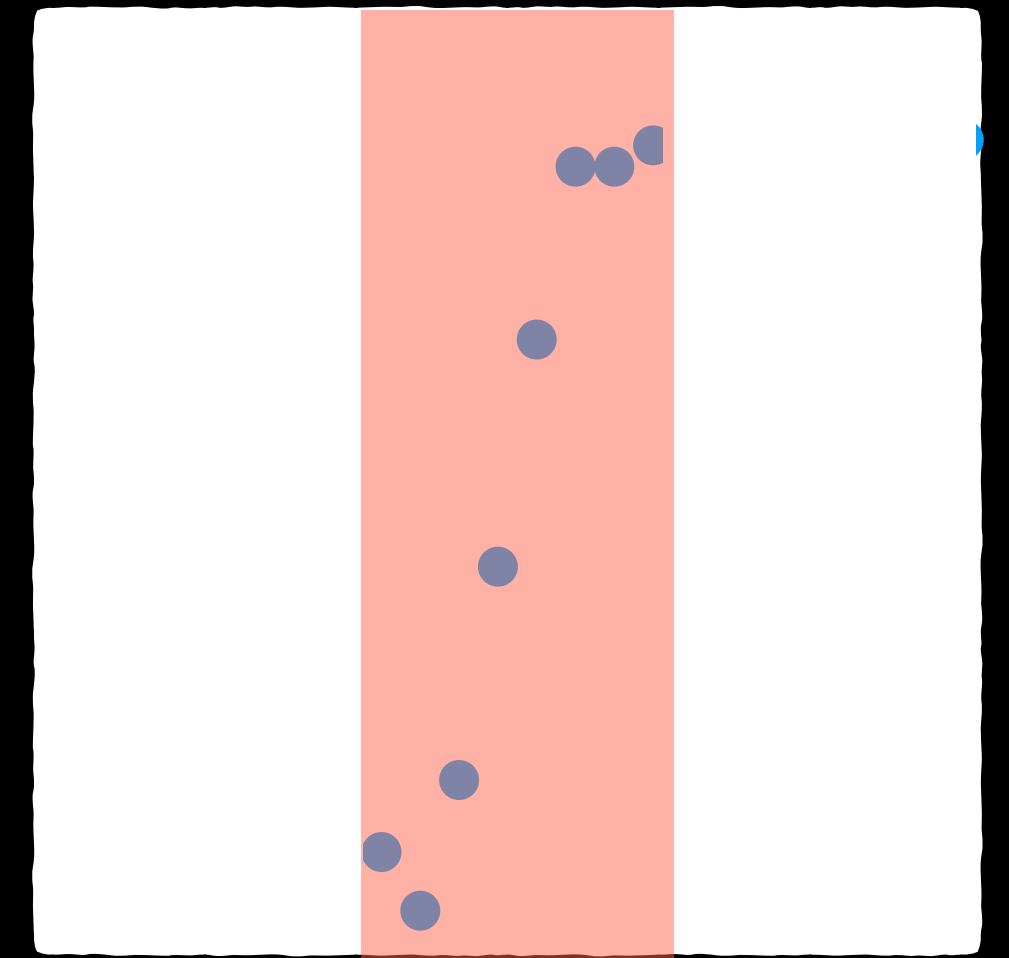
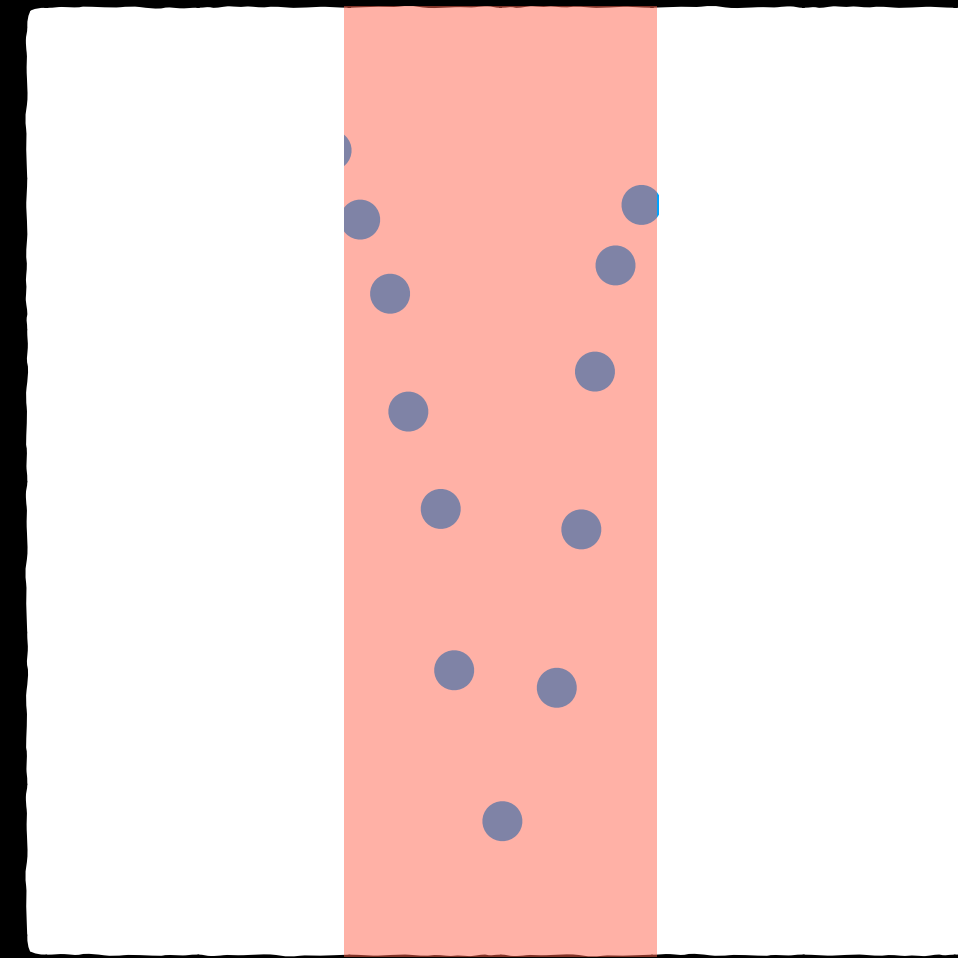
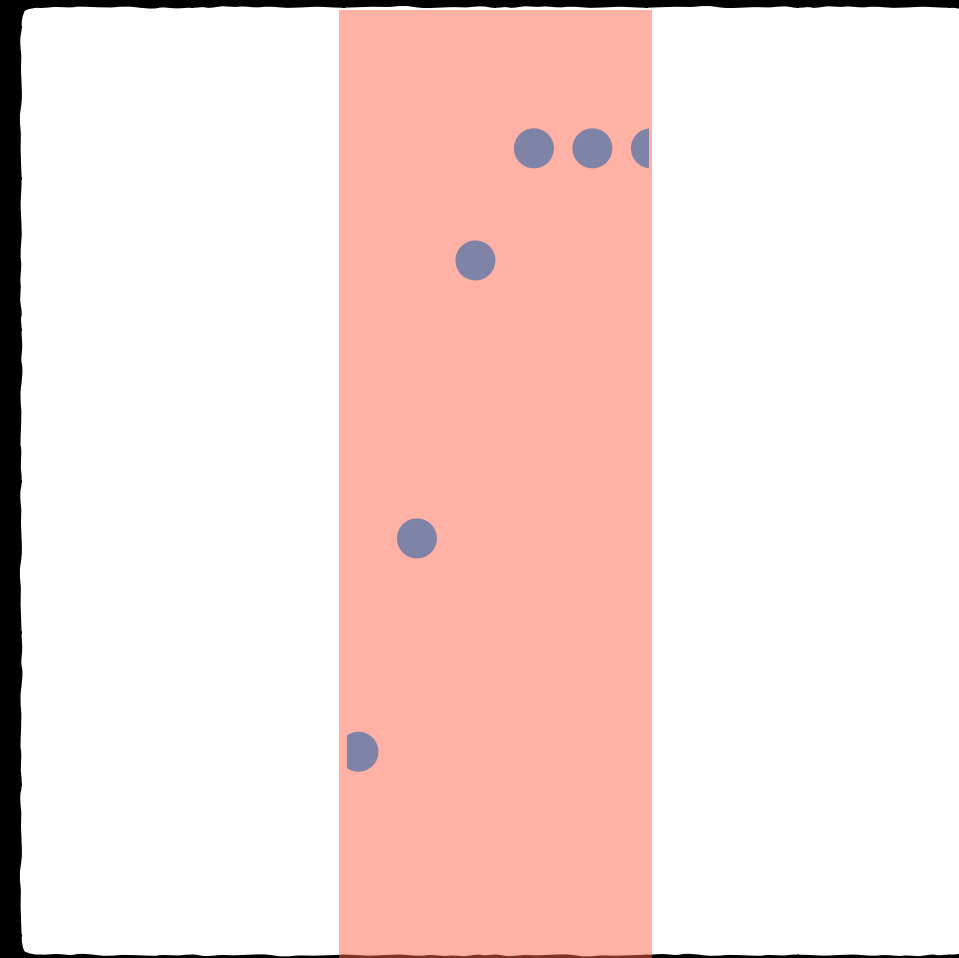
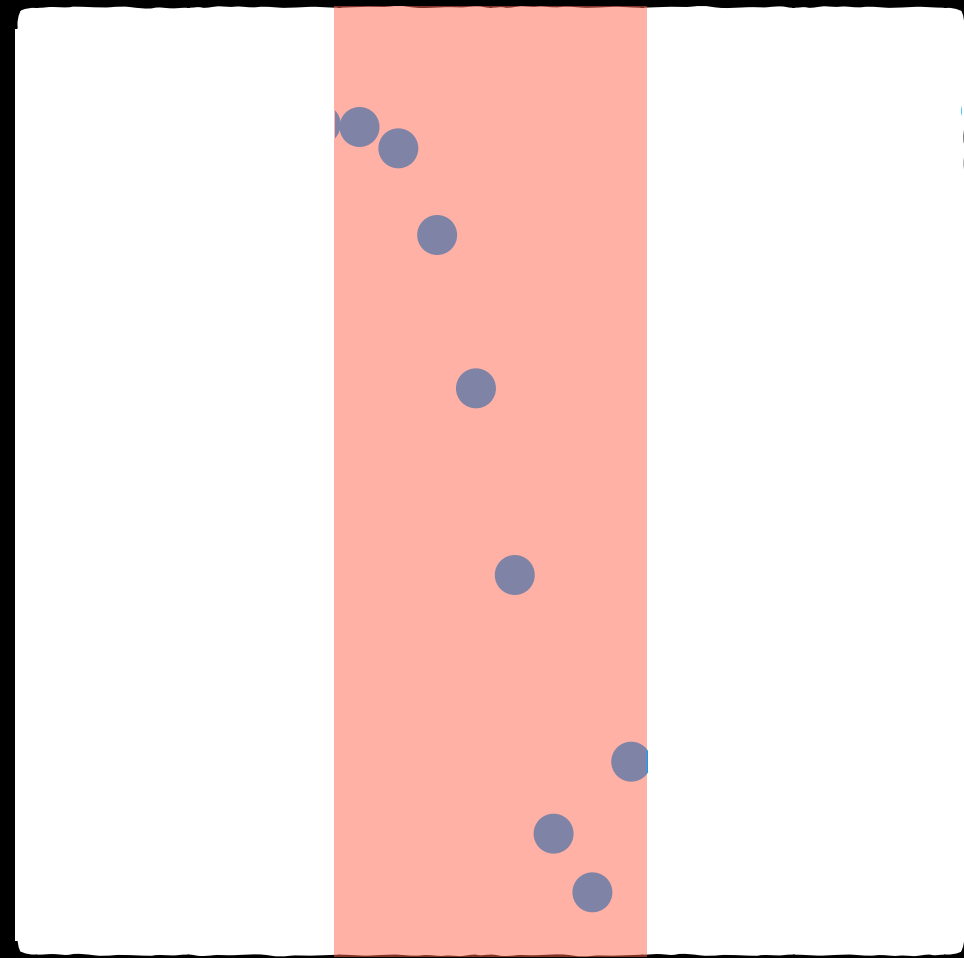
1. SPEED
2. PRECISION





TTVs from n-body: ~ 90%

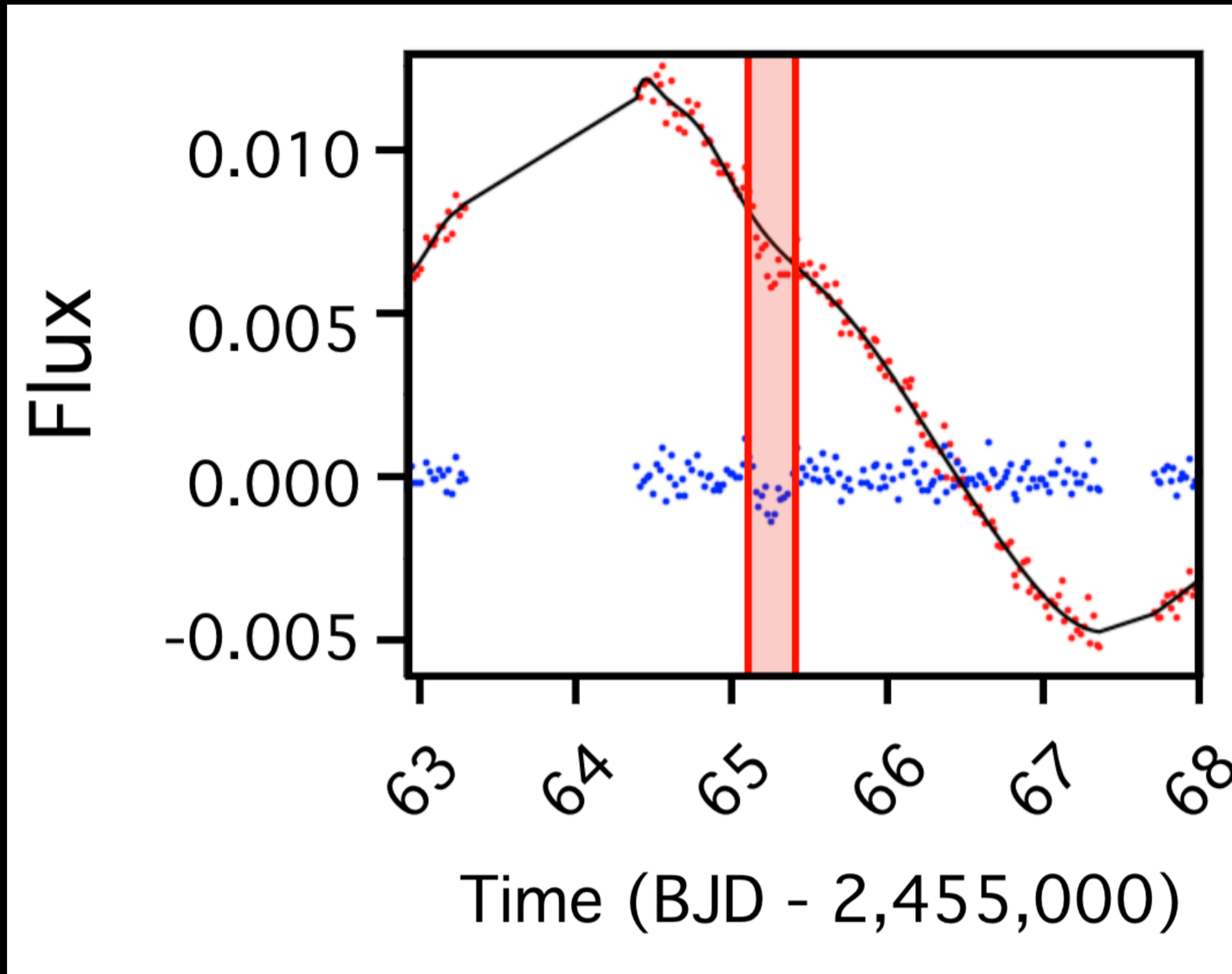
TTVs from sliding: ~ 10%



Difficulties

1. SPEED
2. PRECISION
3. DETRENDING

Be careful what you get rid of

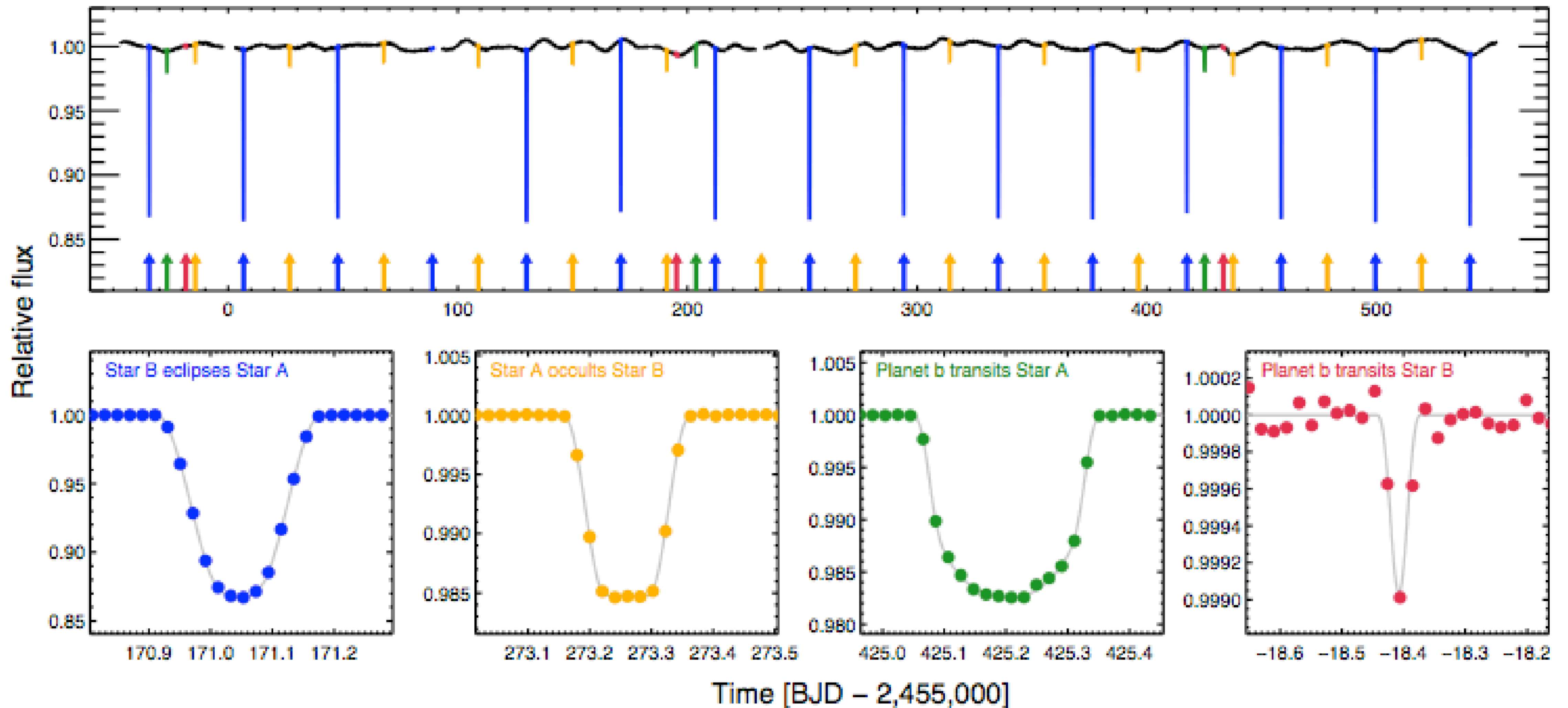


- ECLIPSES
- STELLAR VARIABILITY/ROTATION X2
- DOPPLER BEAMING/BOOSTING
- ELLIPSOIDAL VARIATION
- REFLECTION
- VARIABLE TRANSIT DURATION

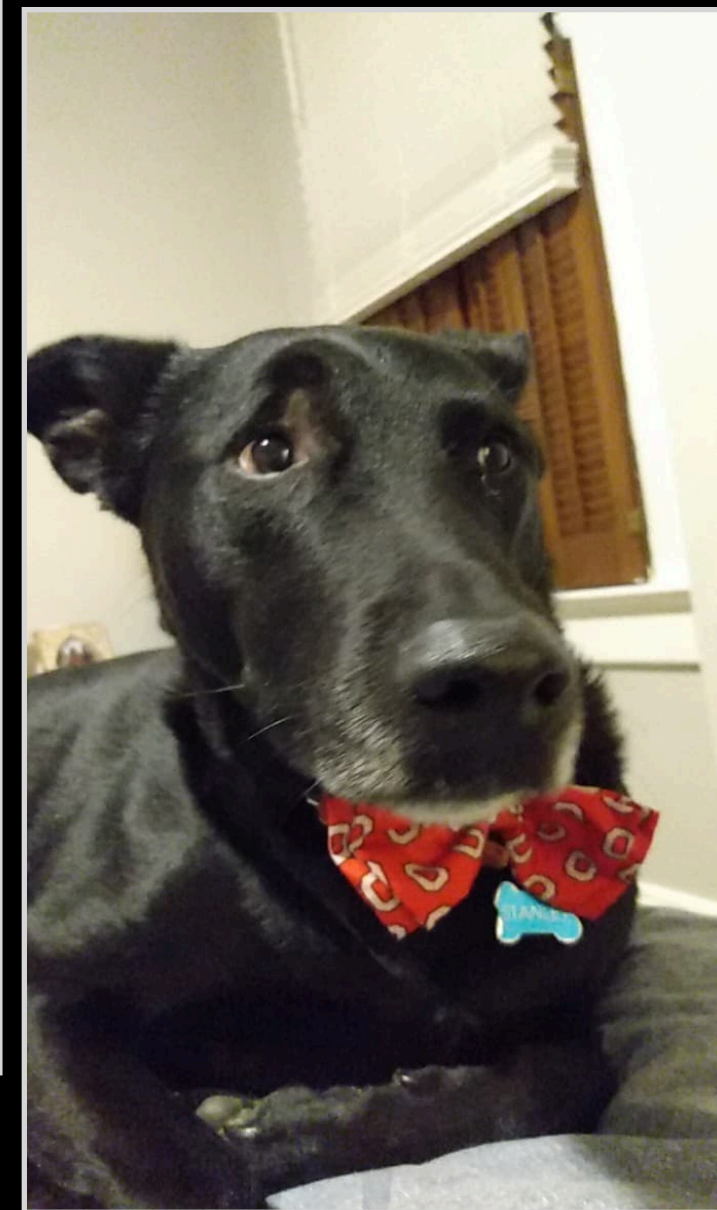
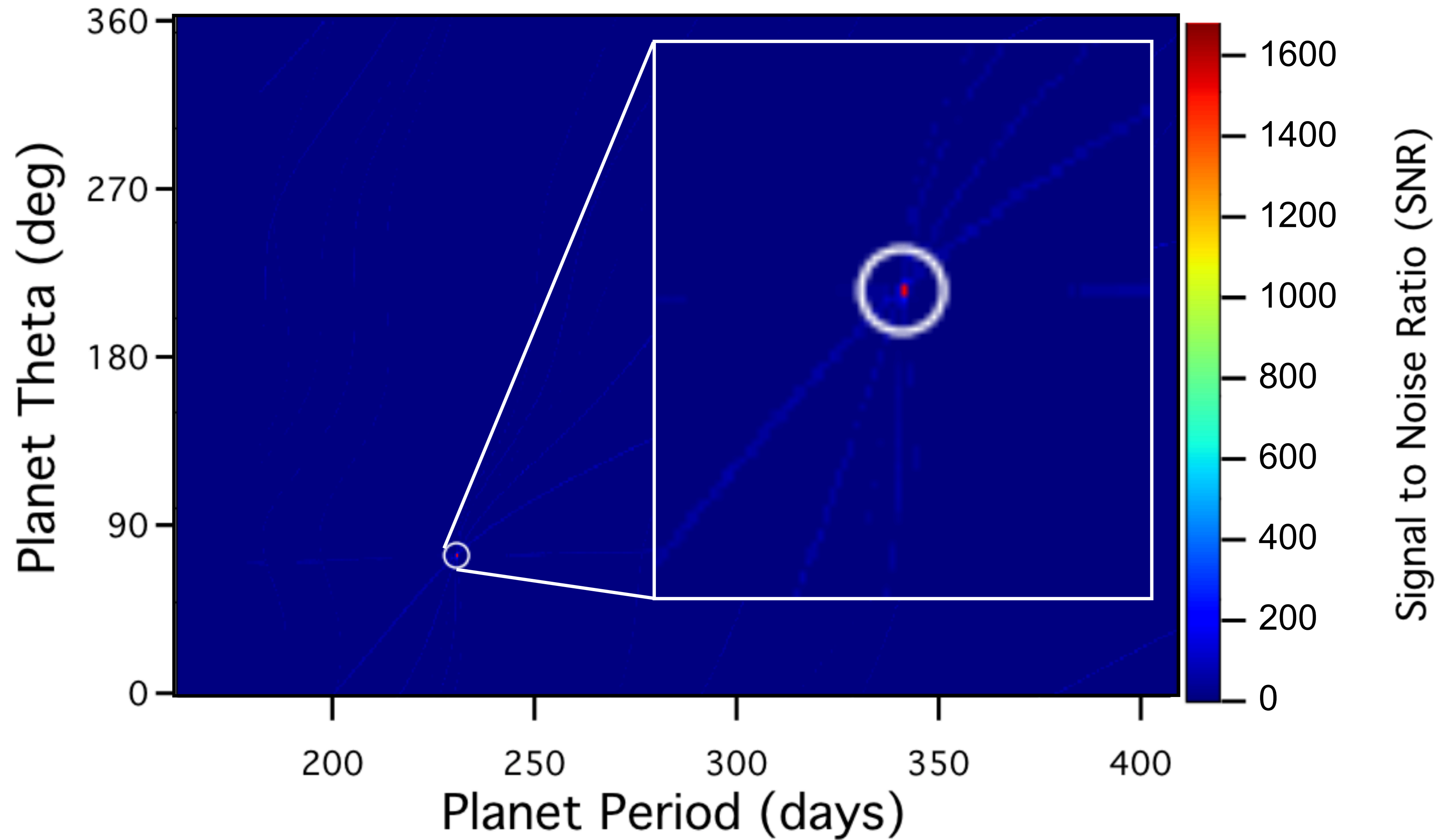
Difficulties

1. SPEED
2. PRECISION
3. DETRENDING
4. FALSE-POSITIVES

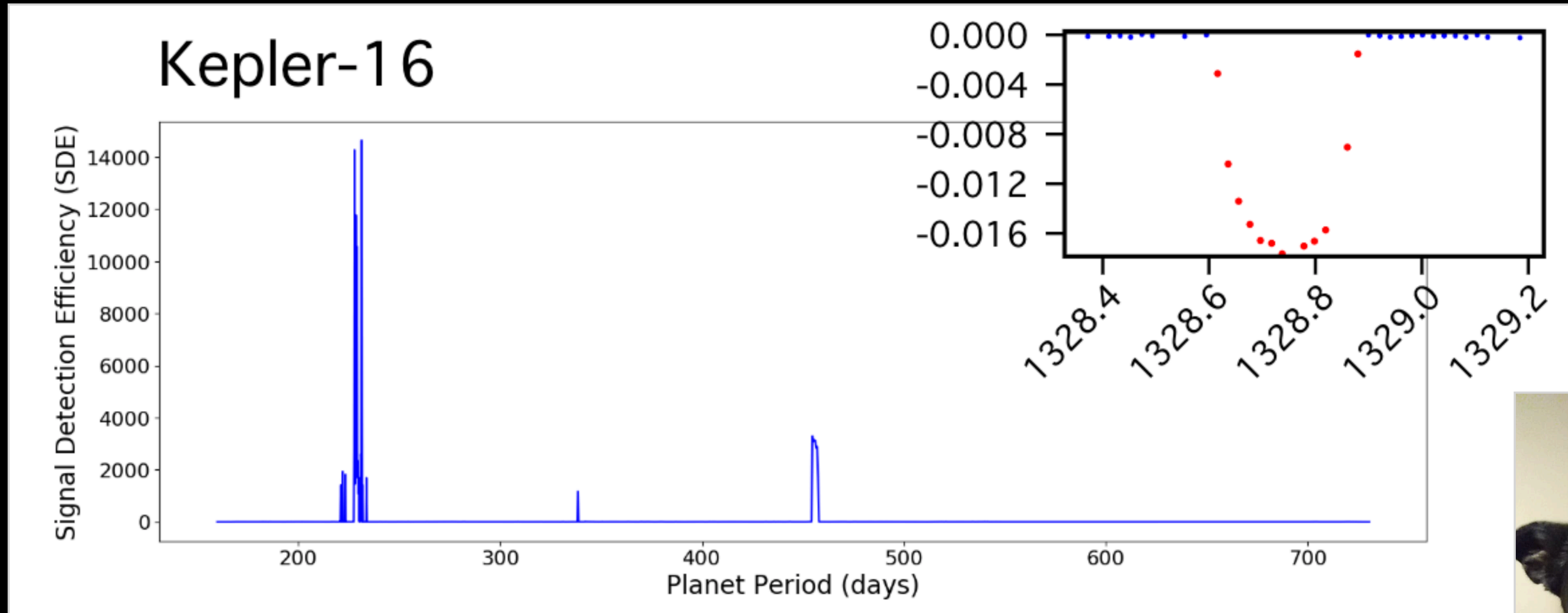
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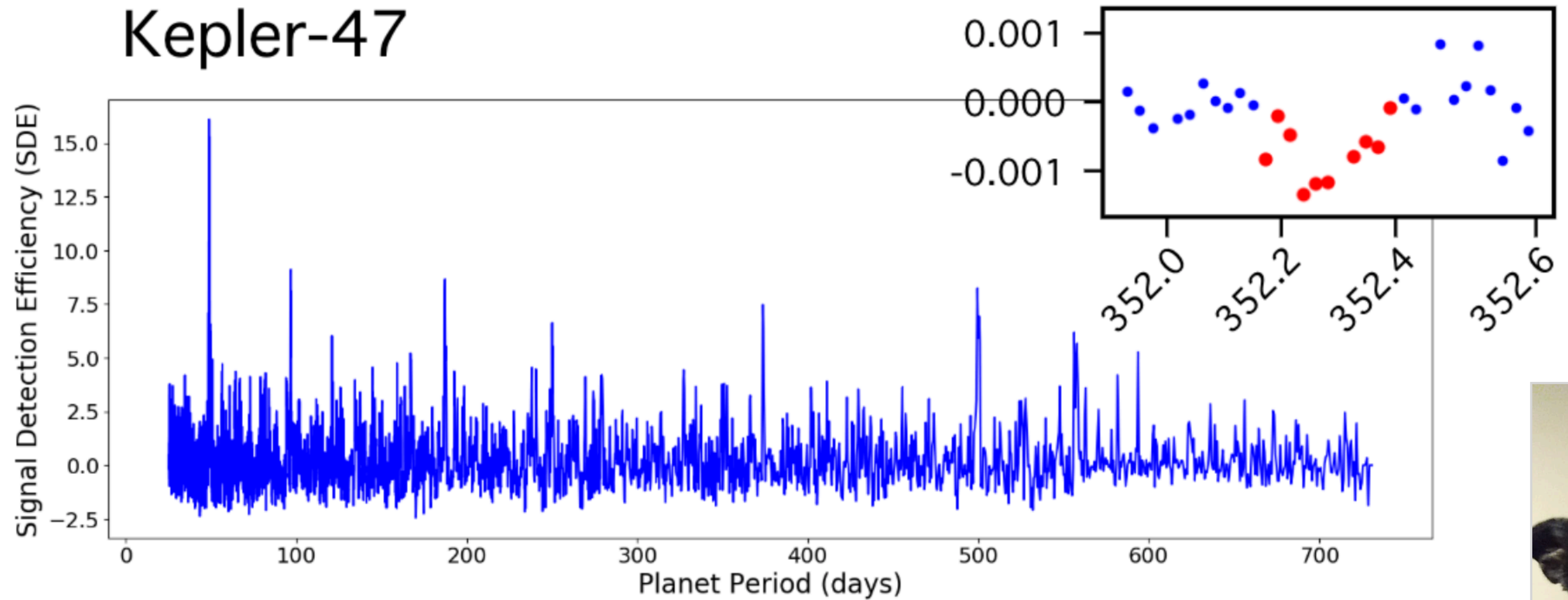
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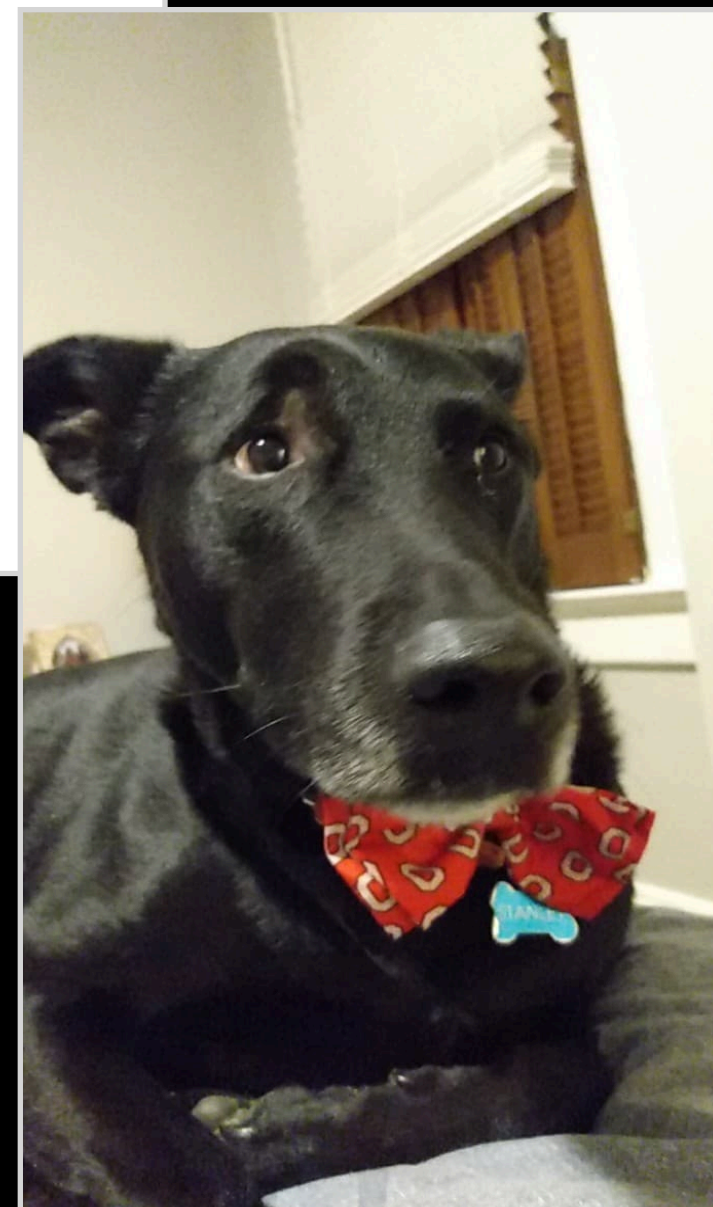
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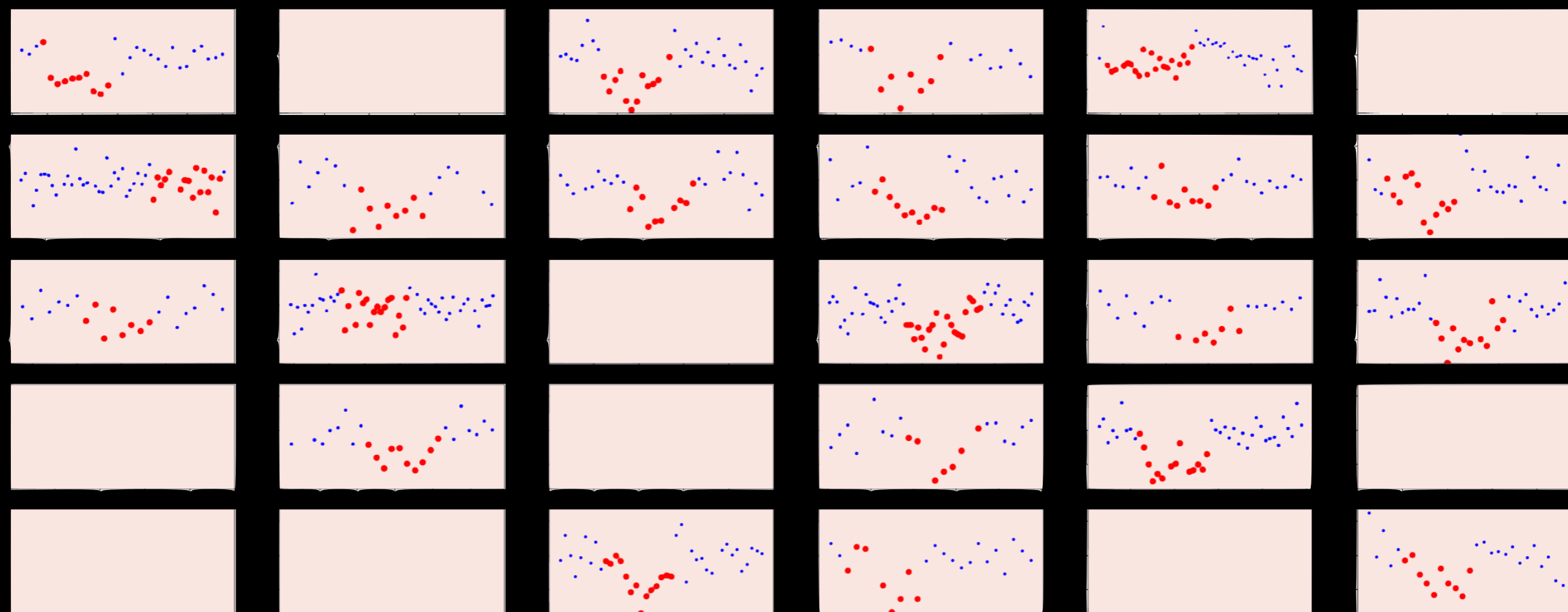
Finding Kepler-47b ($3 R_{\oplus}$)



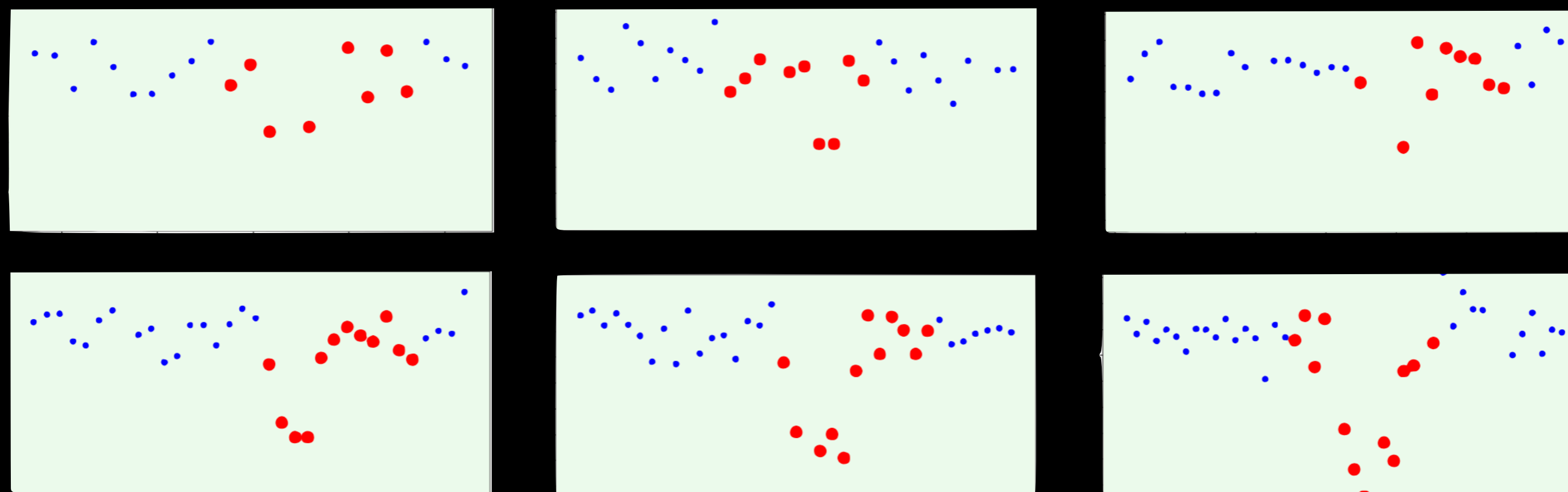
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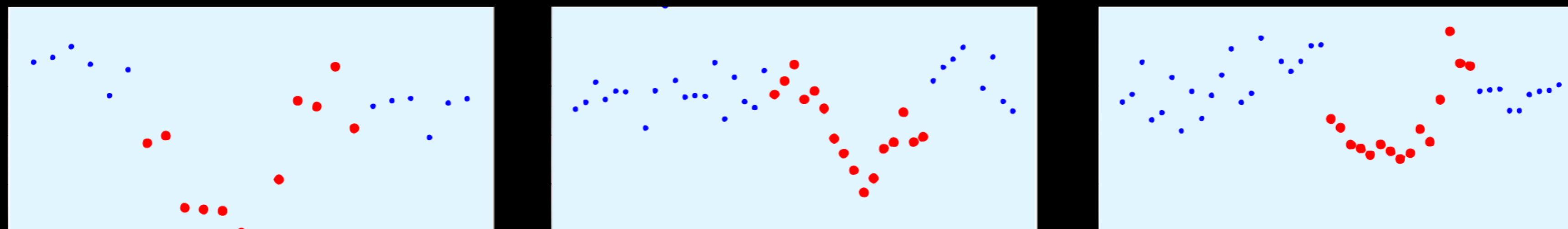
Finding Kepler-47b, c and d



“b”
49 days

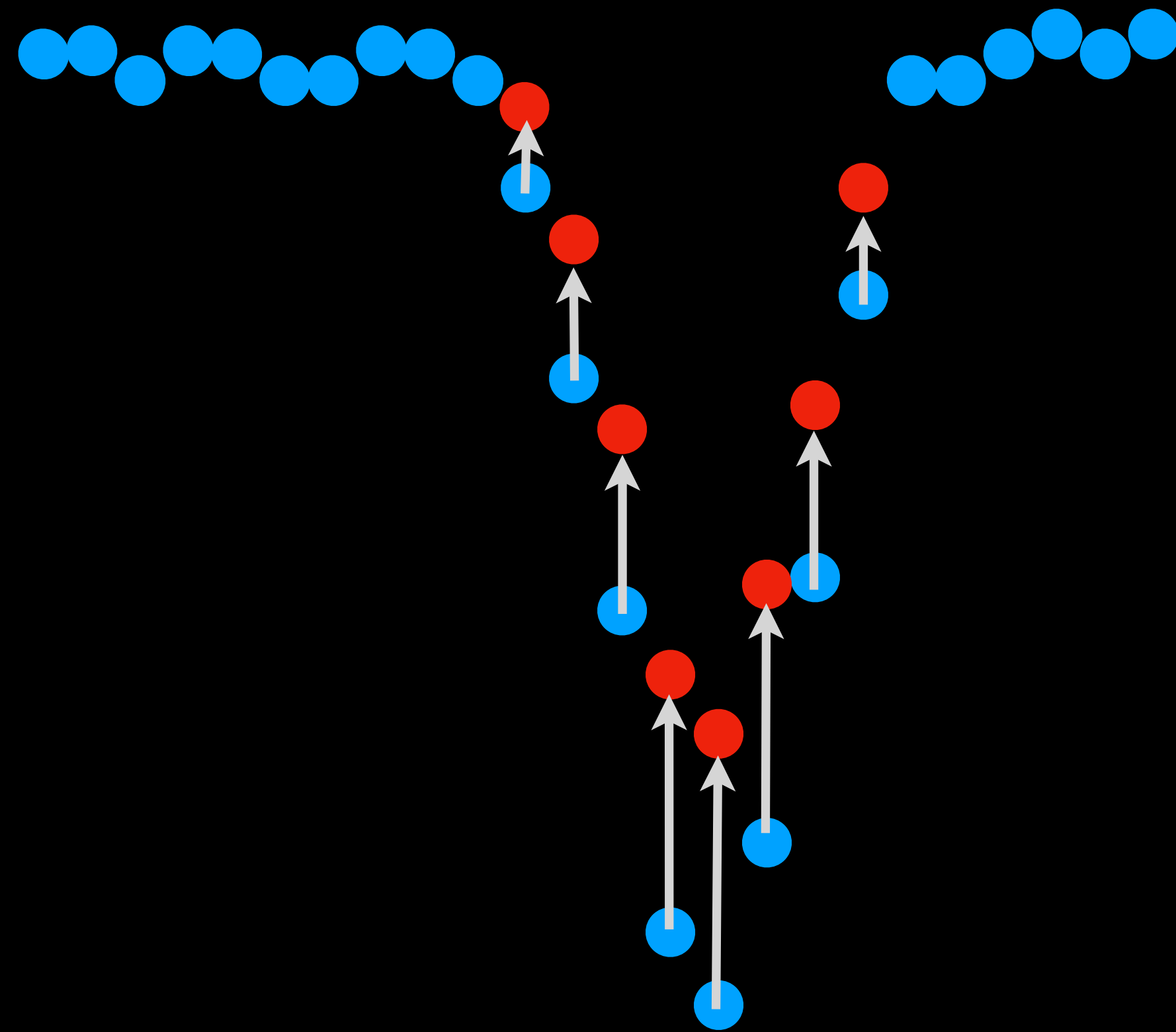


“d”
187 days

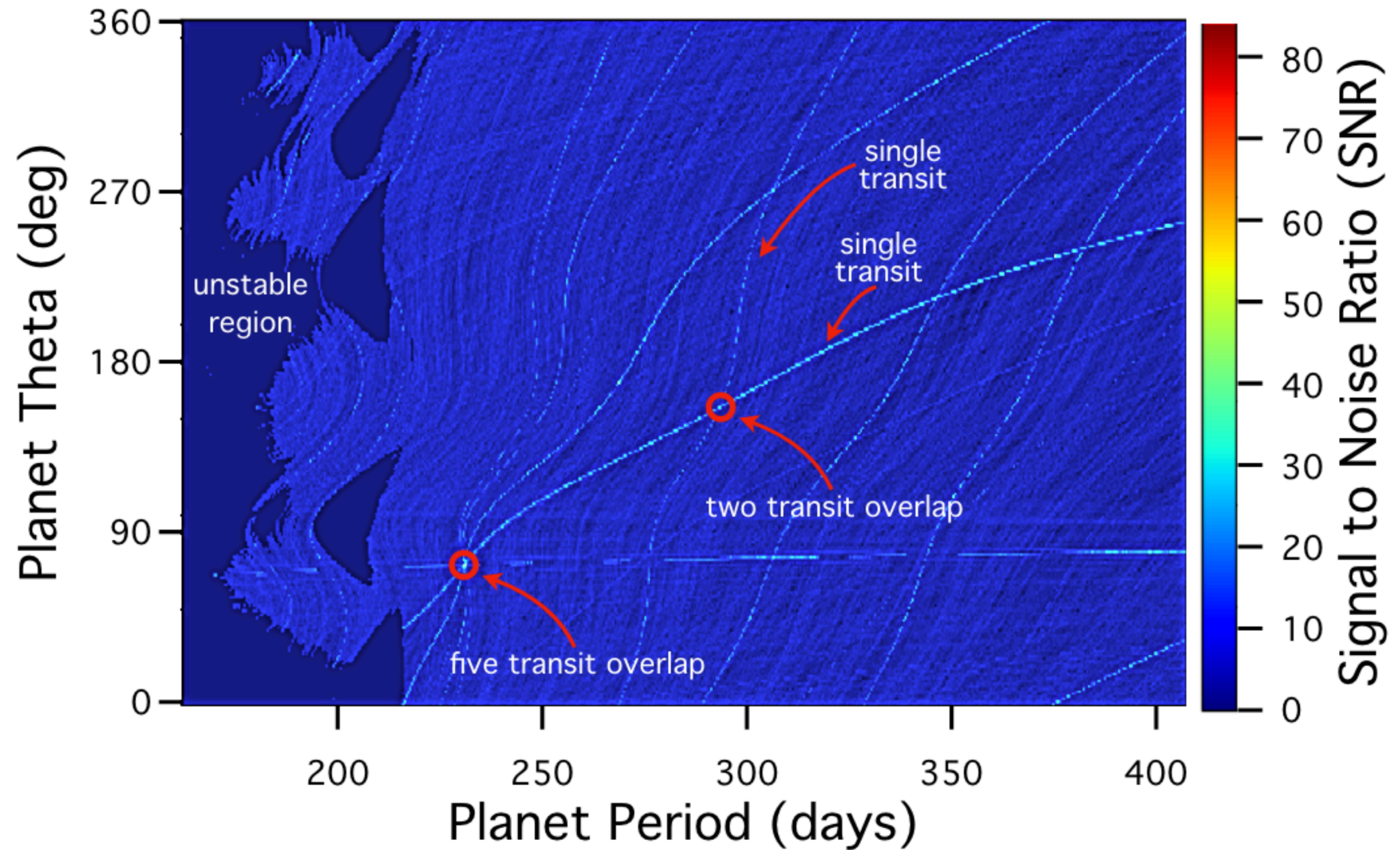
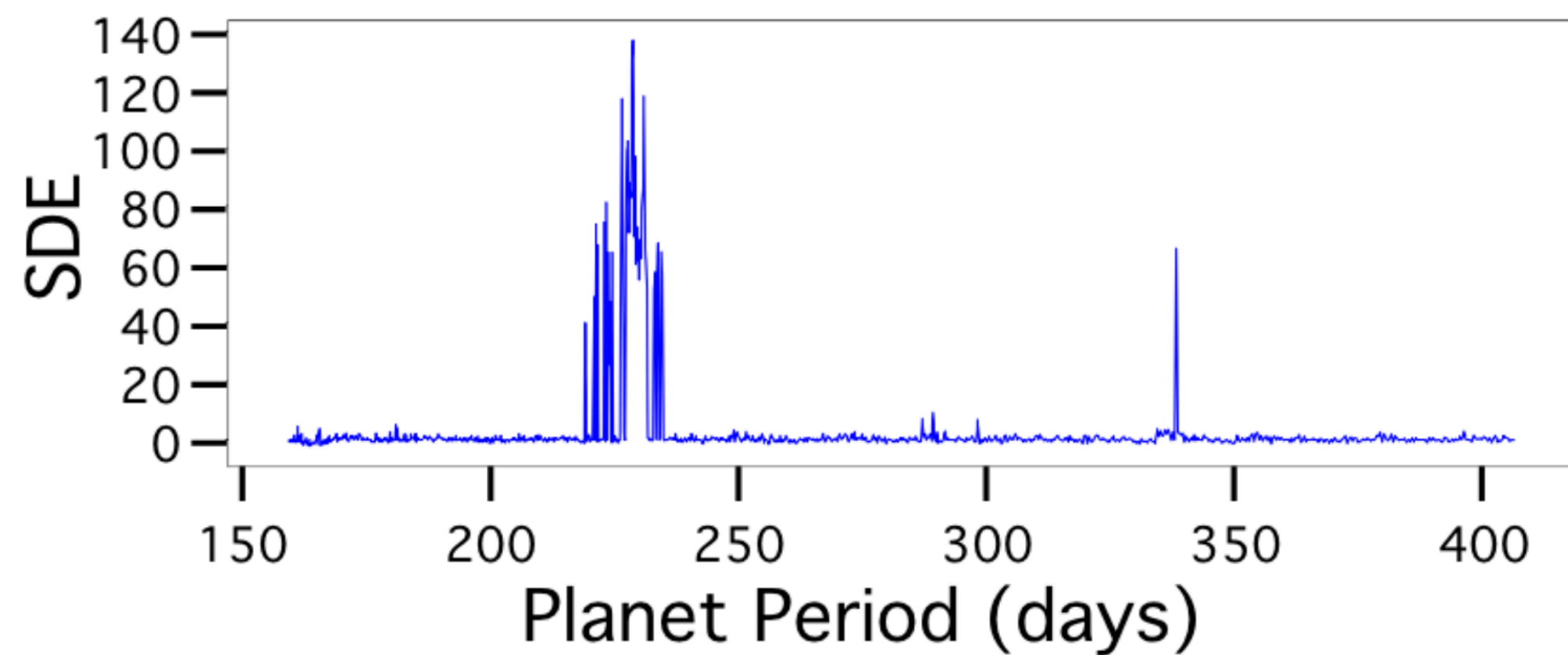
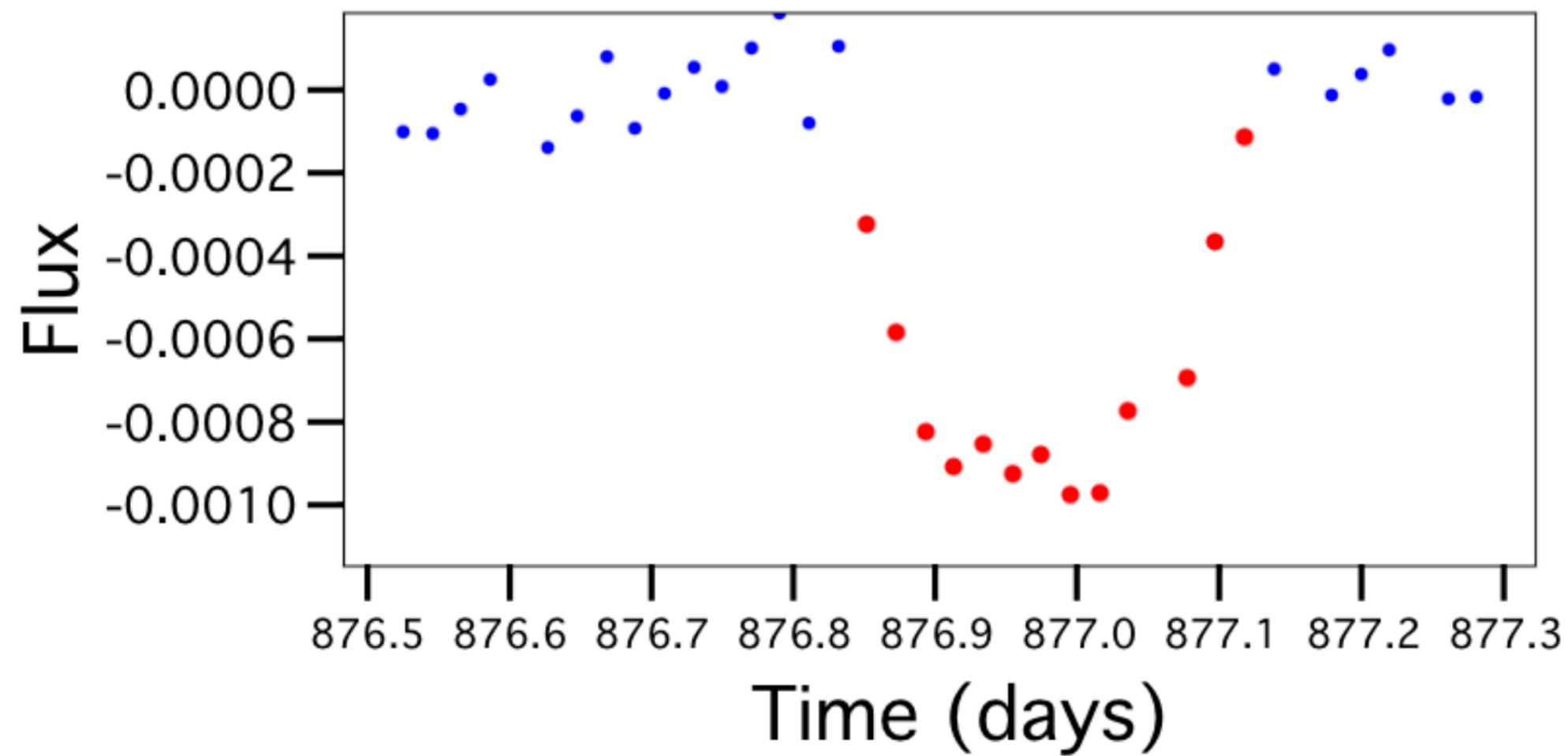


“c”
303 days

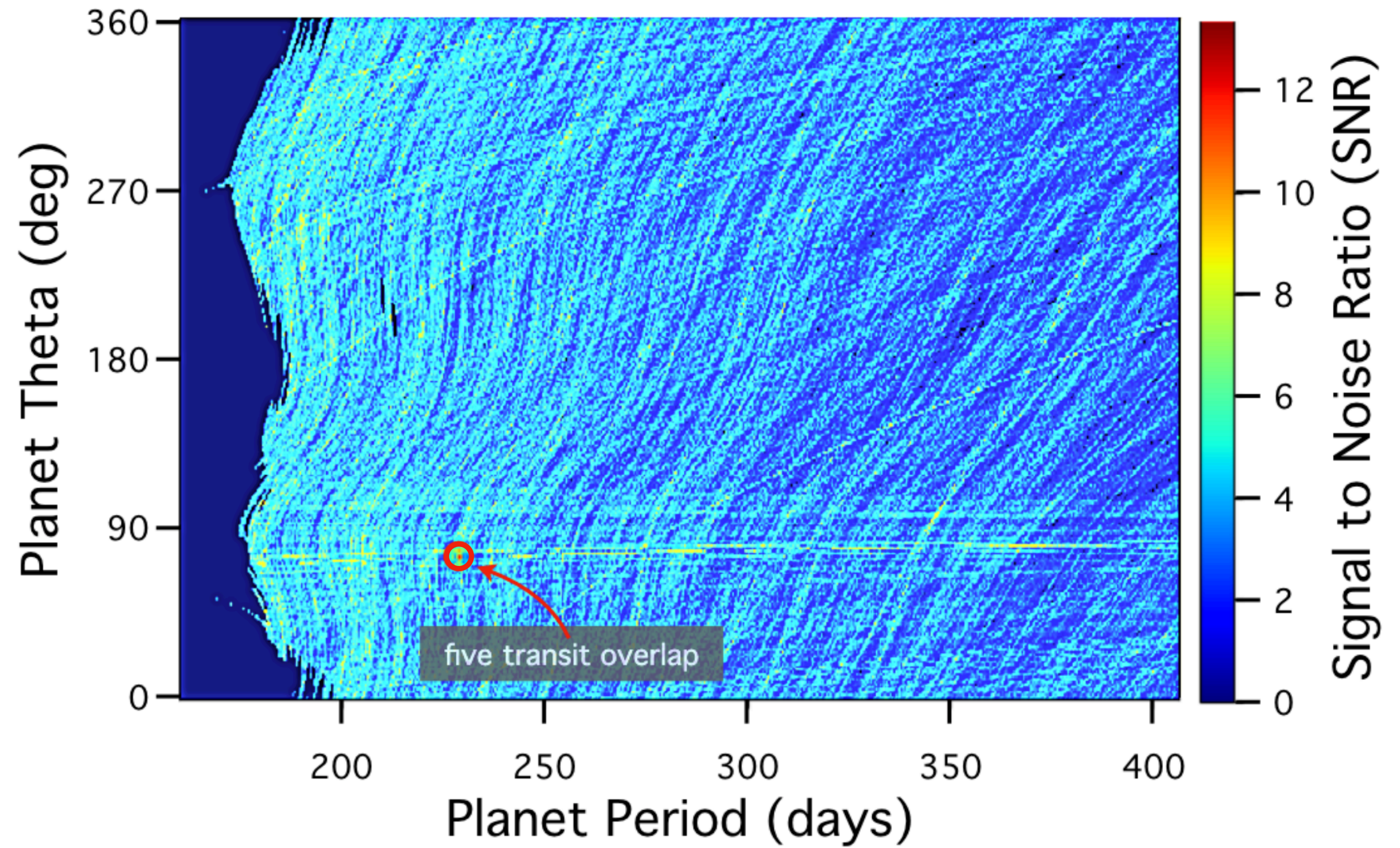
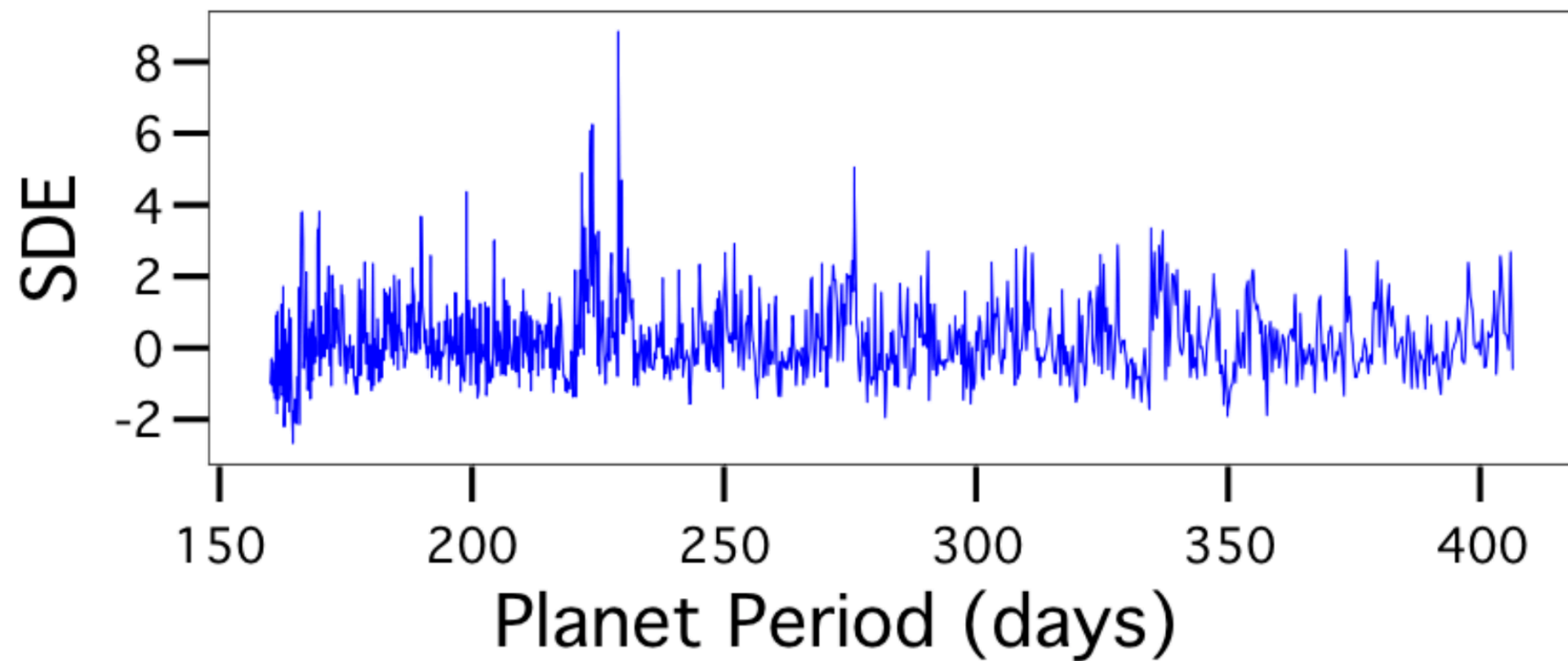
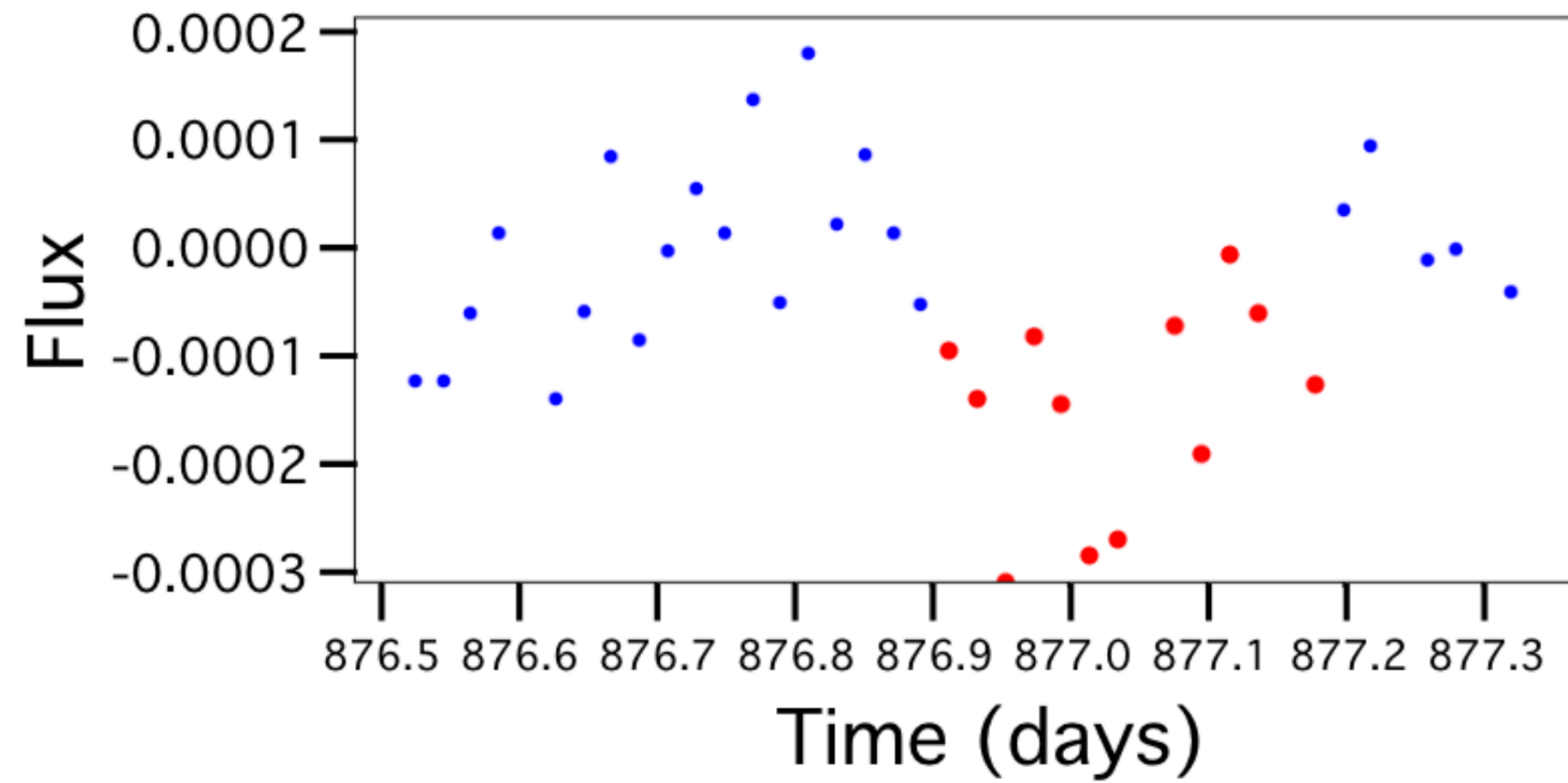
Pushing detection limits



Finding Kepler-16 @ $2R_{\oplus}$



Finding Kepler-16 @ $1R_{\oplus}$



Echoes of the past...

Suggestion for students

“do a literature review before starting a project”

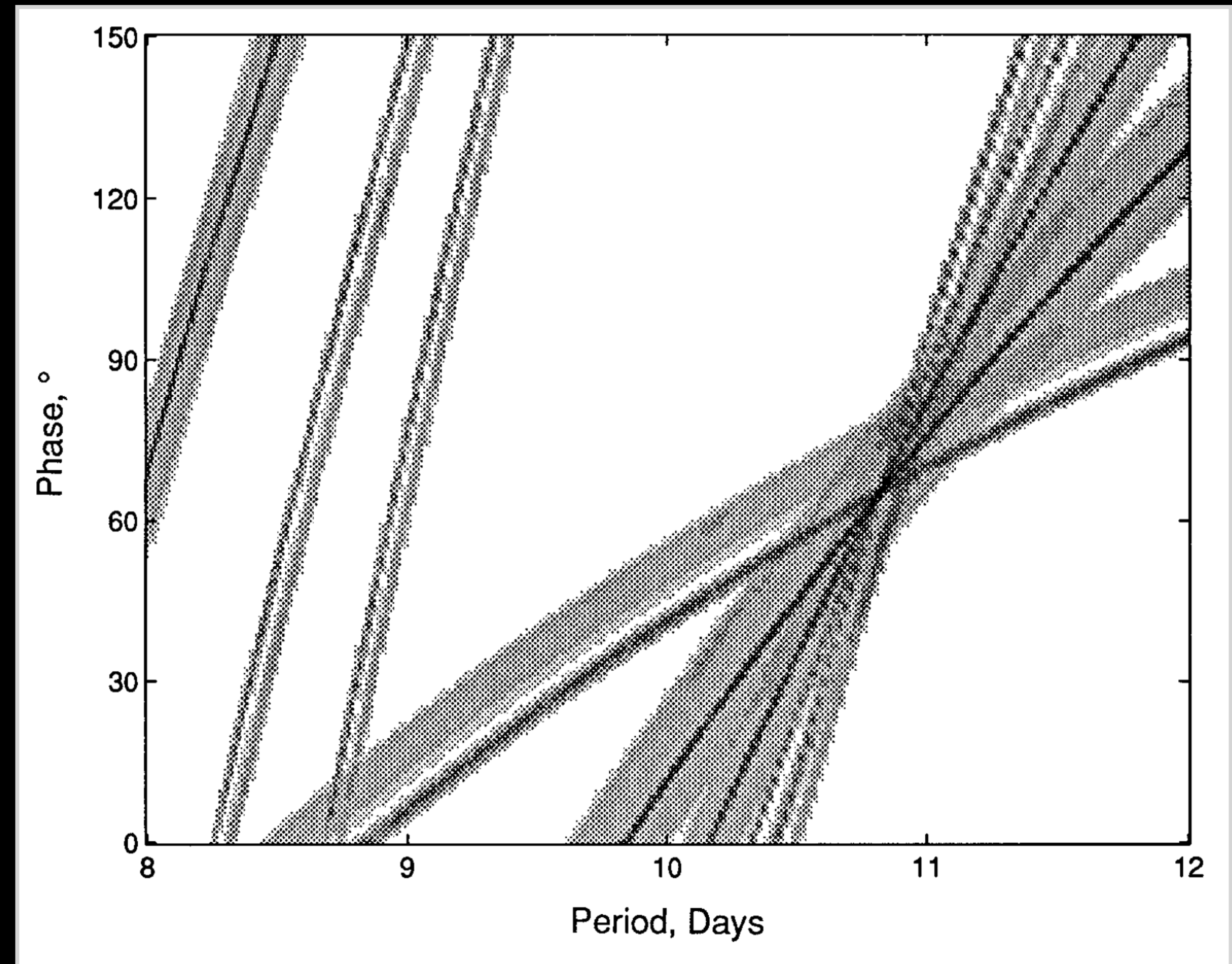
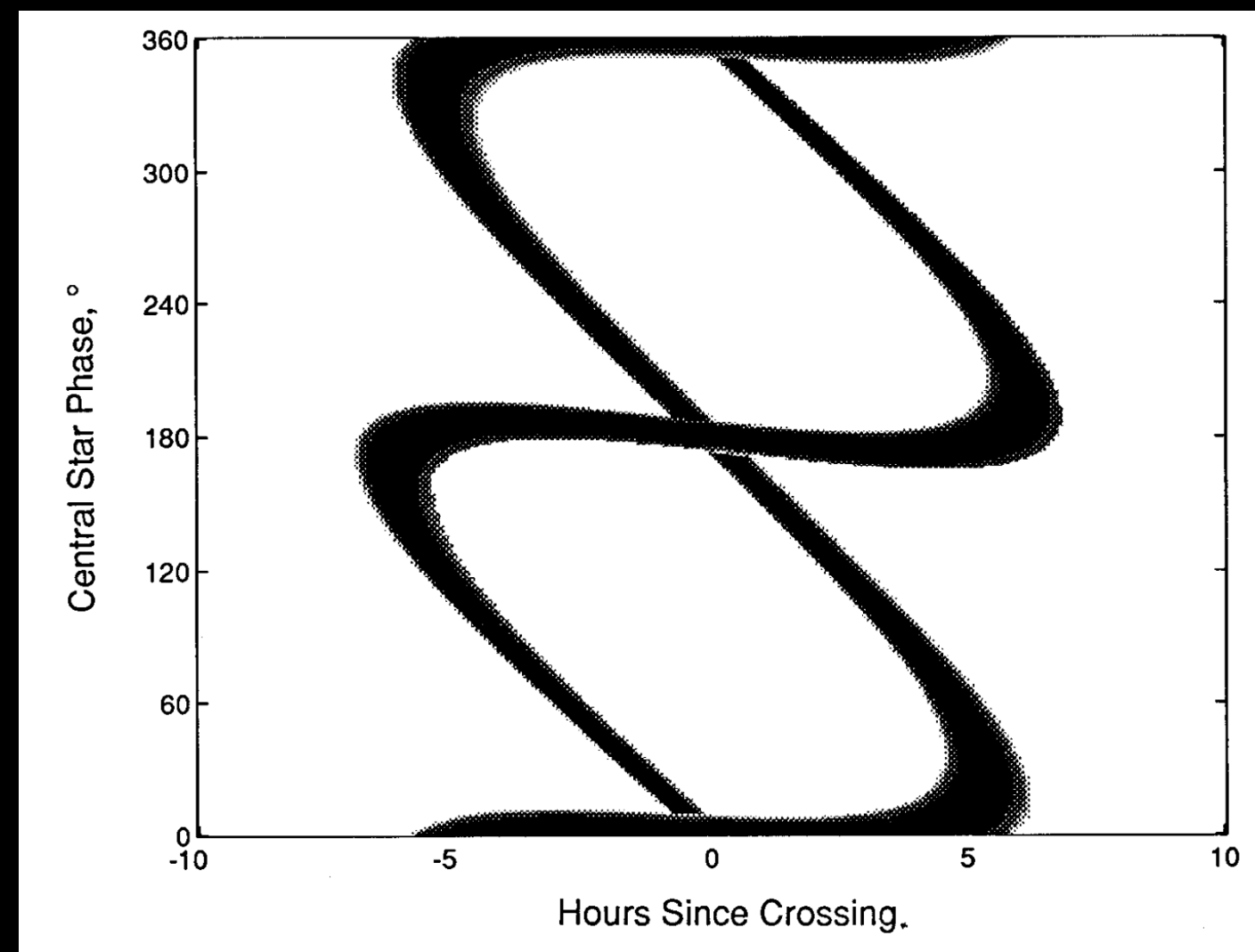
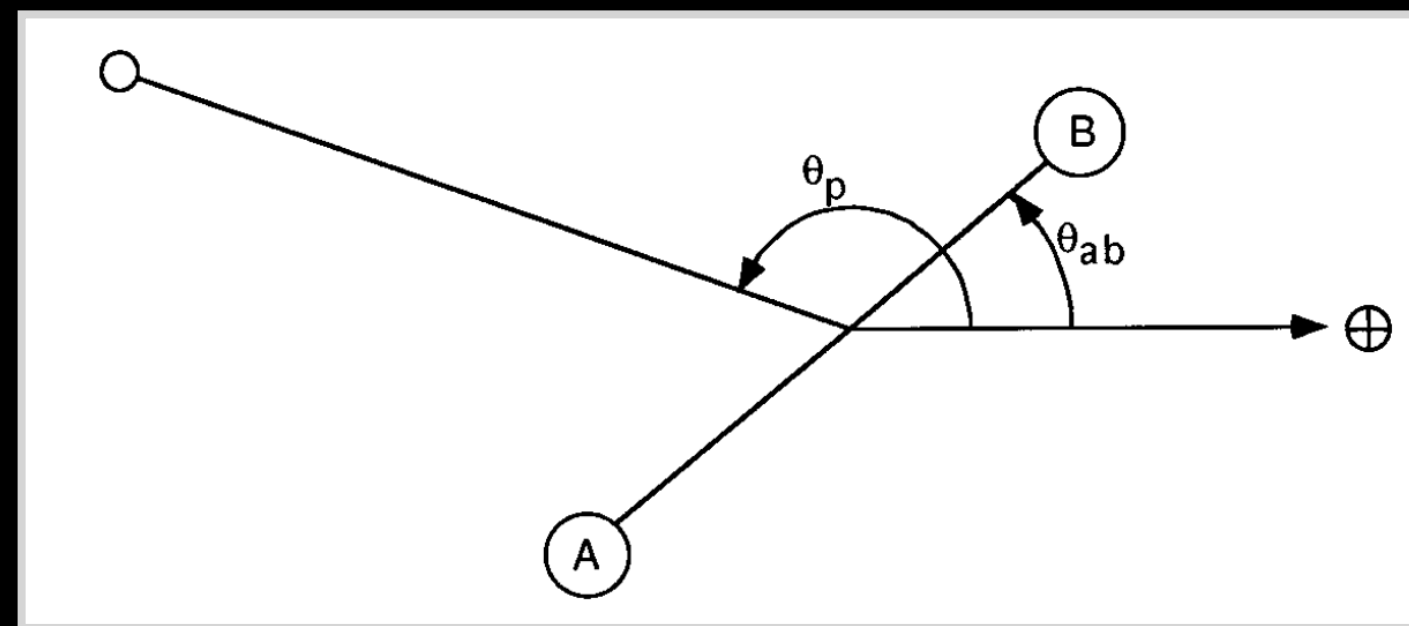
I have a confession to make...

“... I did the literature review when I wrote the paper”

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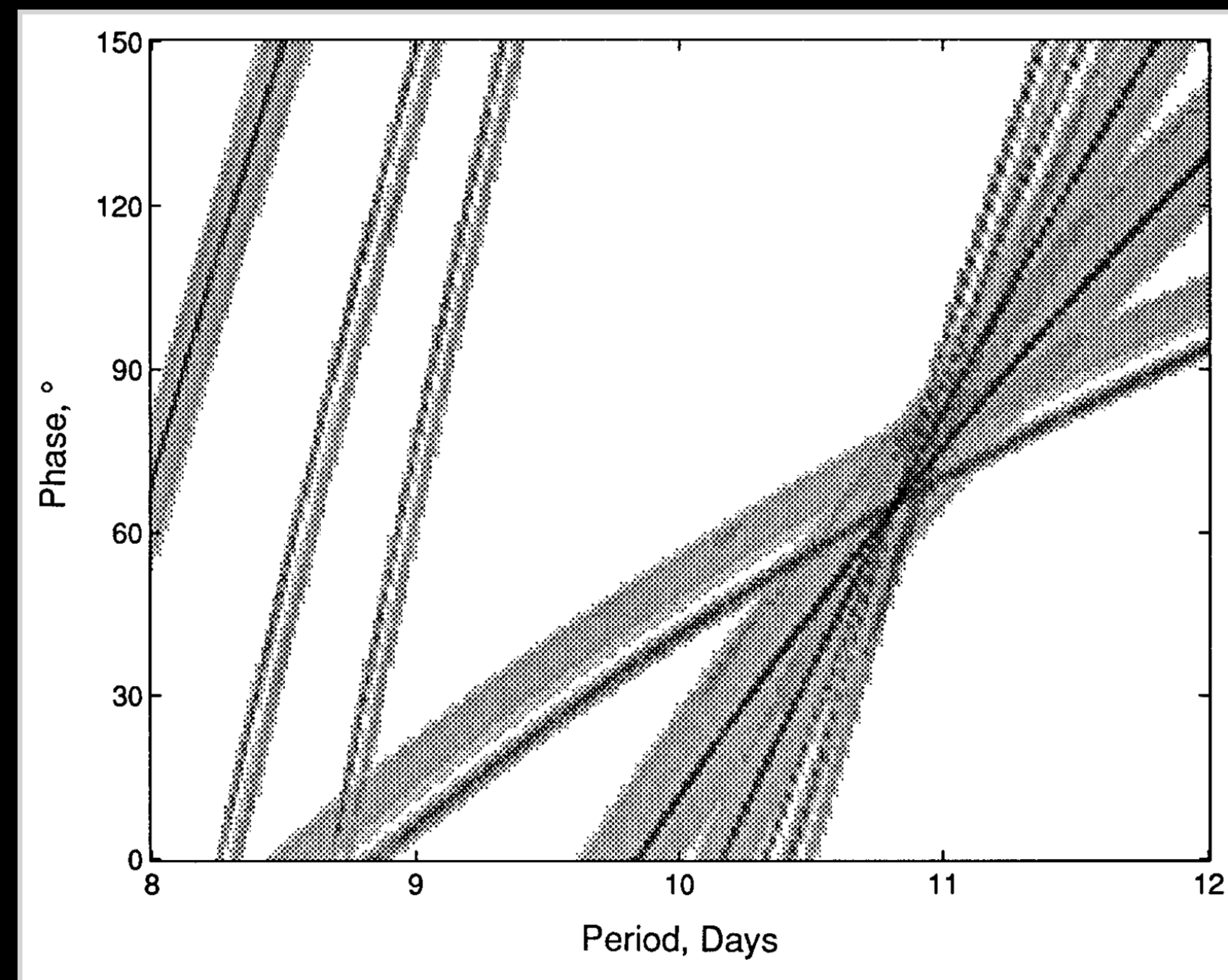
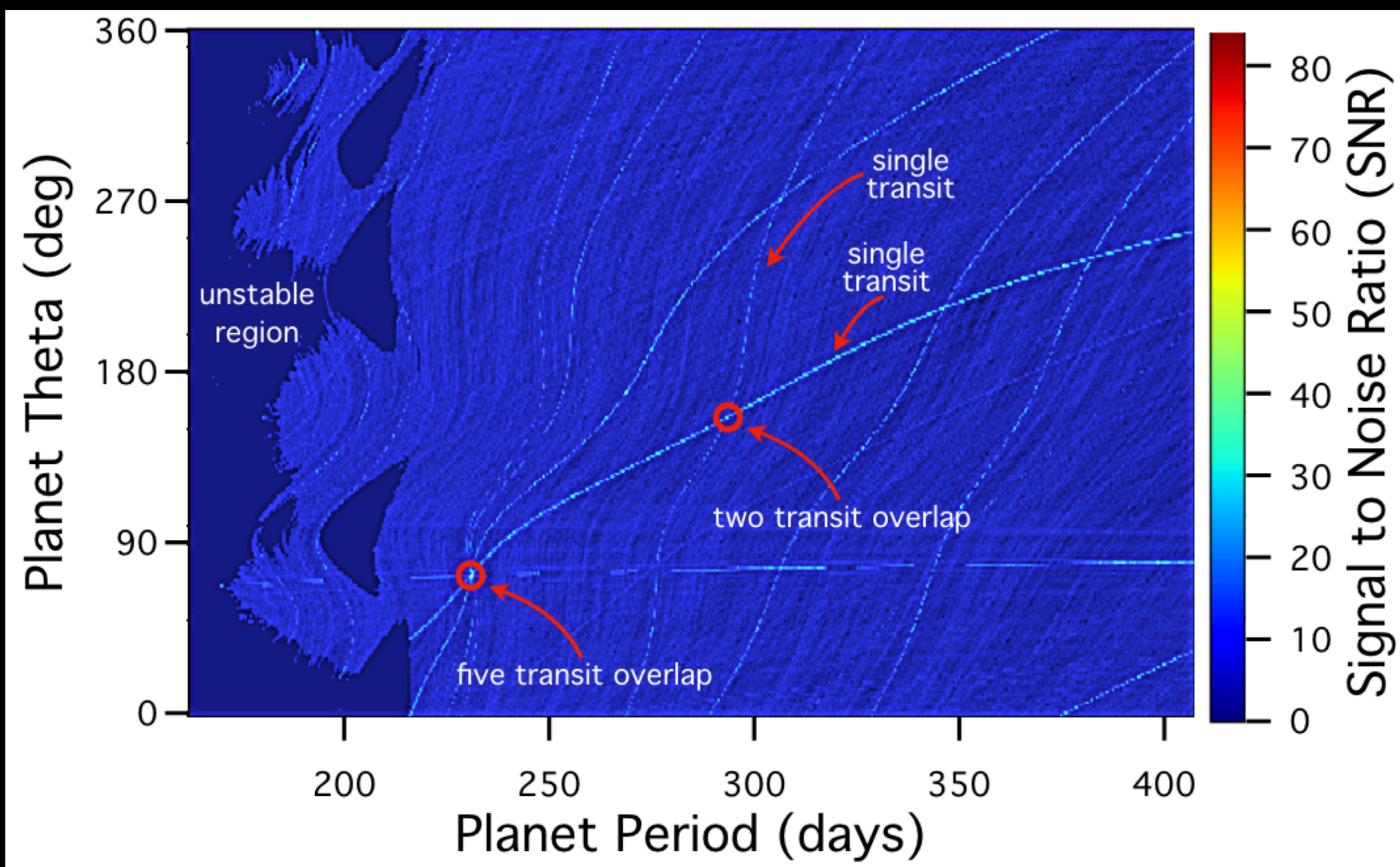
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A Preliminary Search By Stanley

~200 best eclipsing binaries



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Number known pre-search: 12



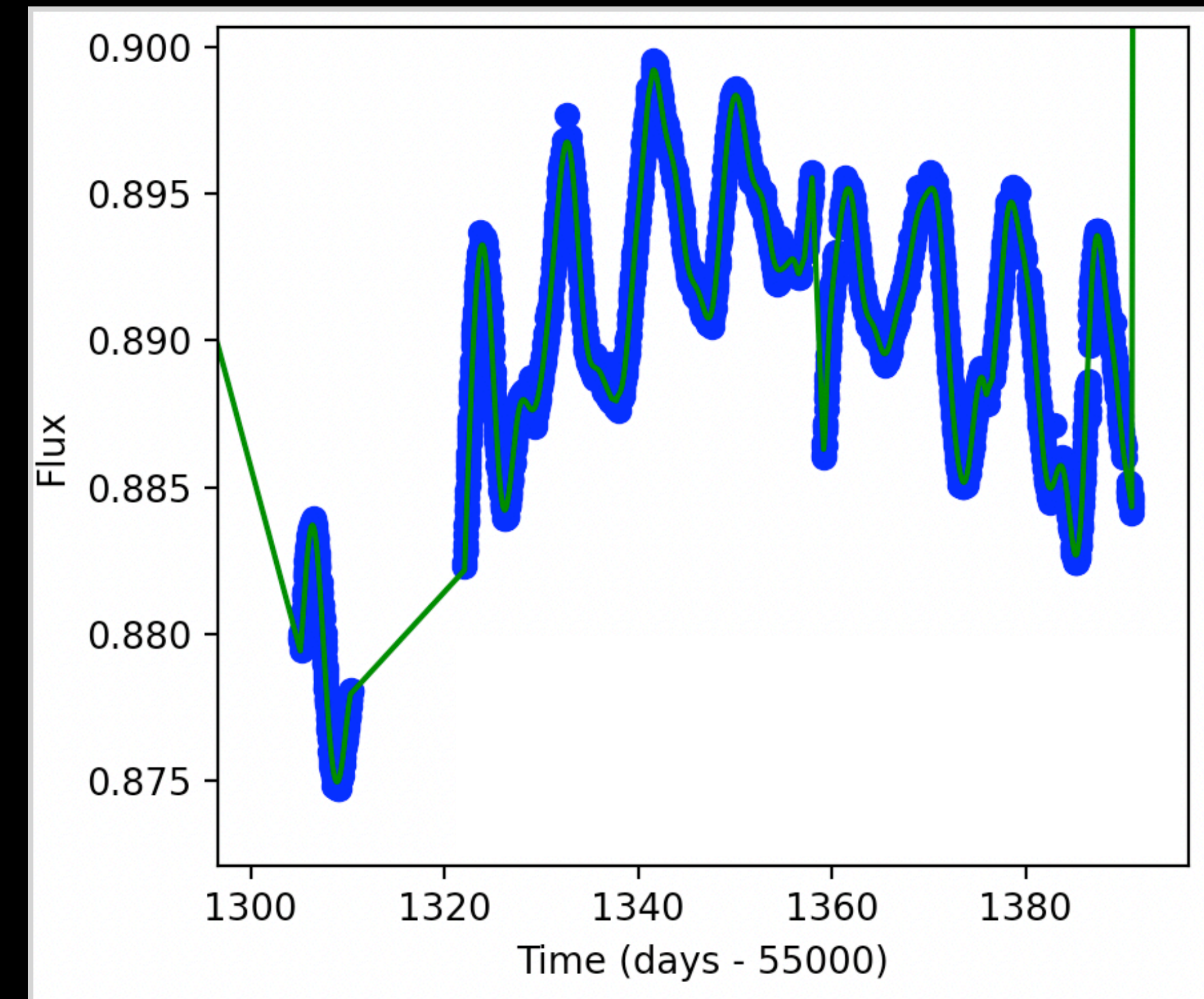
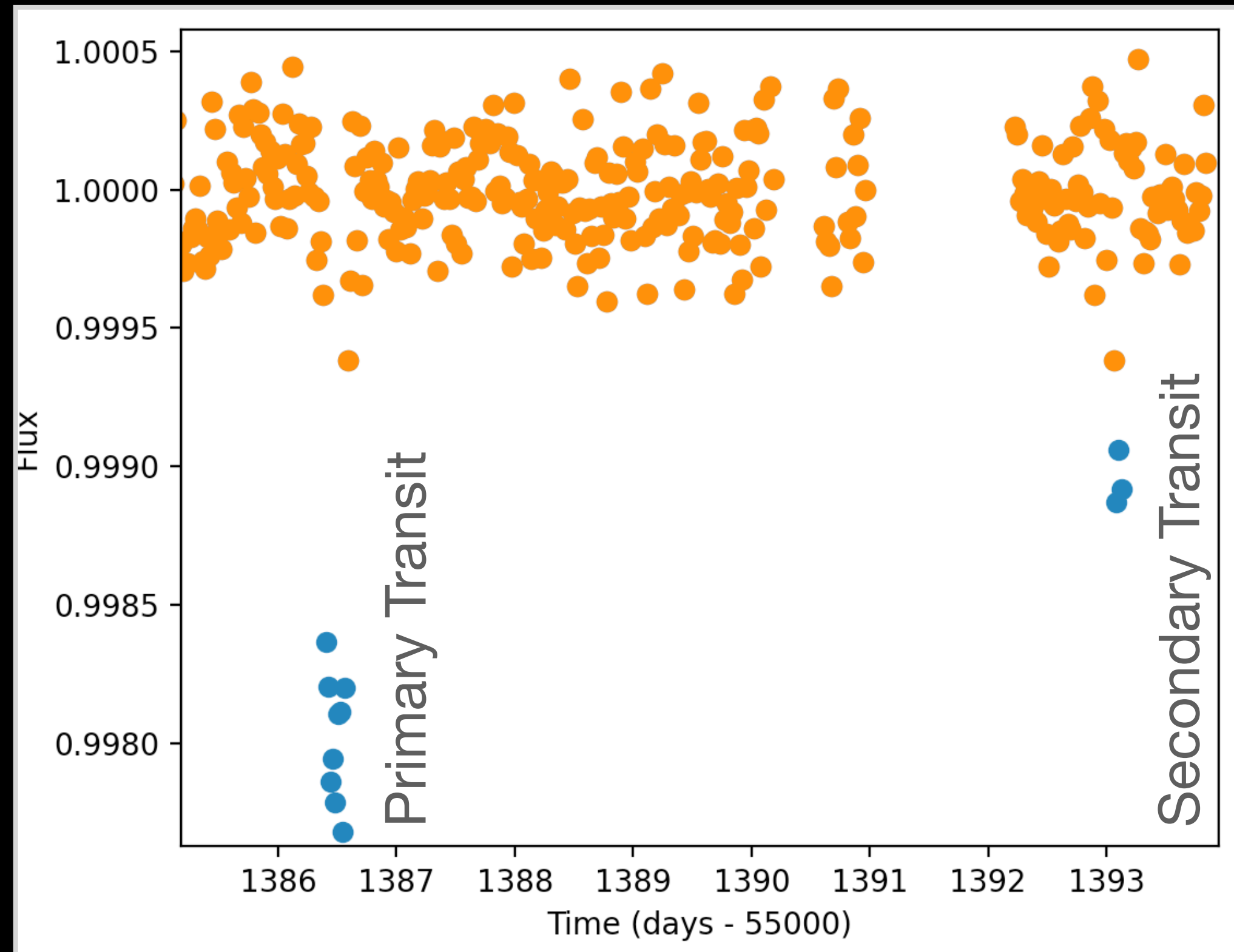
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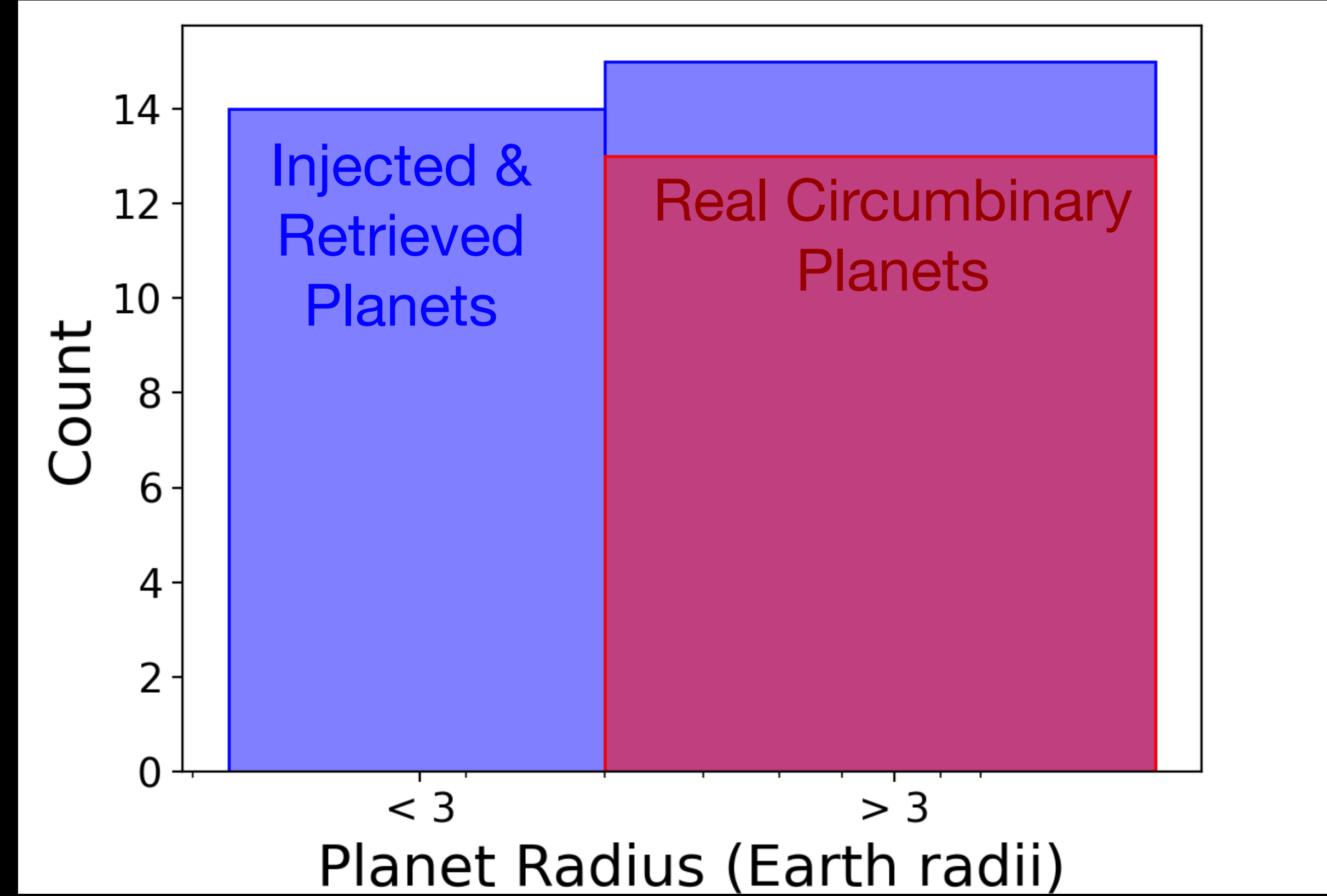
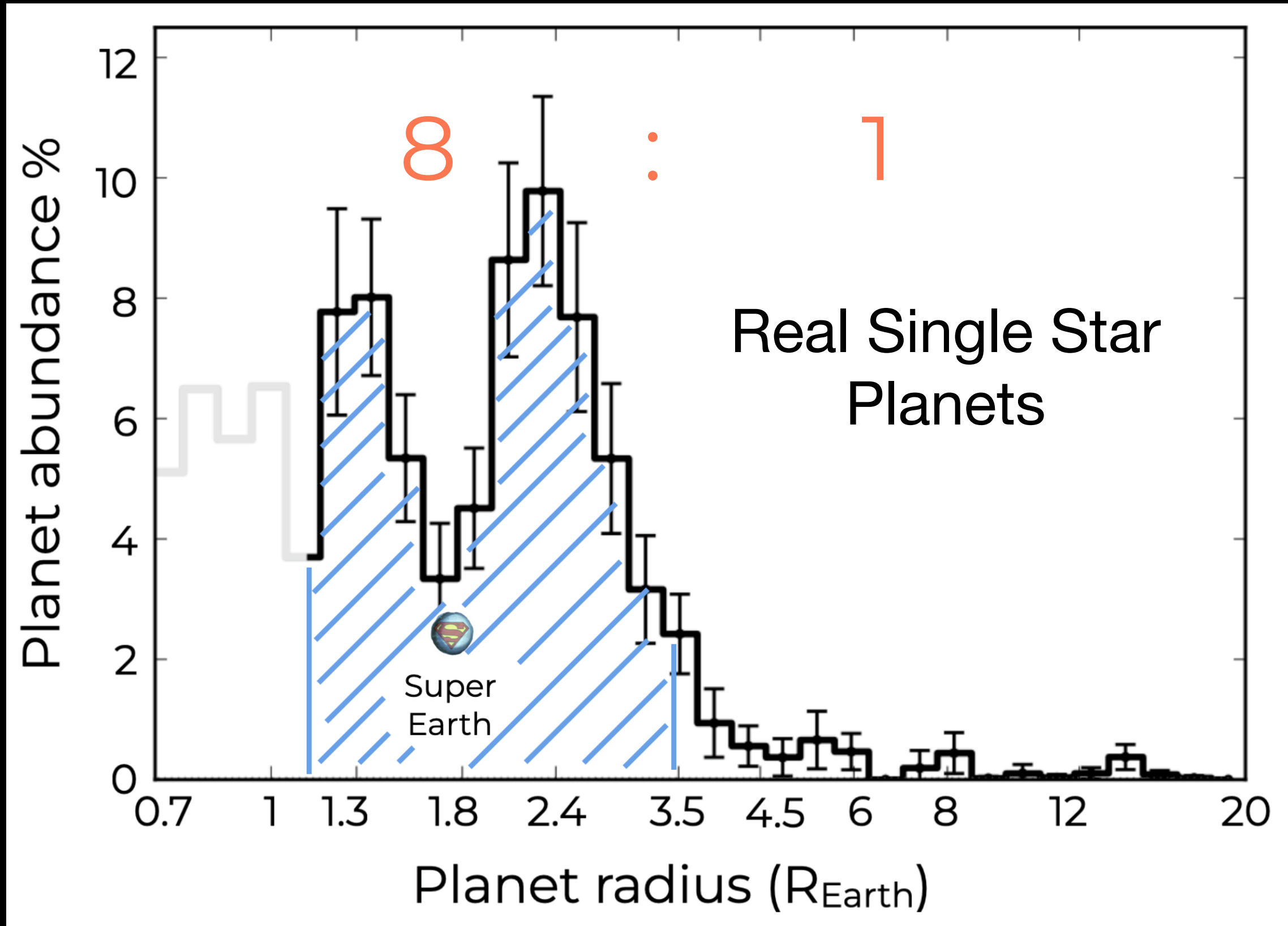
Circumbinary Planets at the K/T (Kepler-TESS) Boundary

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Welsh, William F. August 2019

Eight years ago at the ESS II conference, we presented the first Kepler circumbinary planets. Since then, 11 planets in 9 systems have been discovered. In this talk we present the last two unpublished, unambiguous Kepler transiting circumbinary planets: KOI-3152 and [KIC 10753734](#). Both systems have planets with rapidly precessing orbits and significantly spotted stars which has made their characterization difficult. The orbital periods are 28.2 and 19.4 days for the binaries, and 171 and

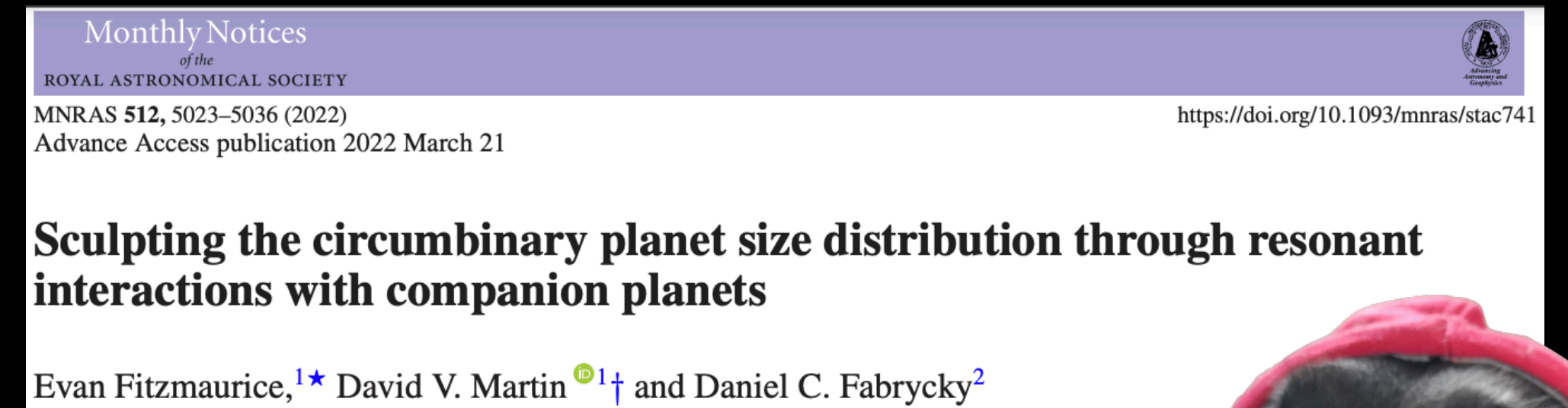
Injection-Retrieval



The size distribution of planets differs!

Transiting CBPs slowed down a tad

1. Found CBPs with RV's and ETV's
2. Did some theory (DO small CBPs exist? Multis? Moons?)



Exomoons of Circumbinary Planets

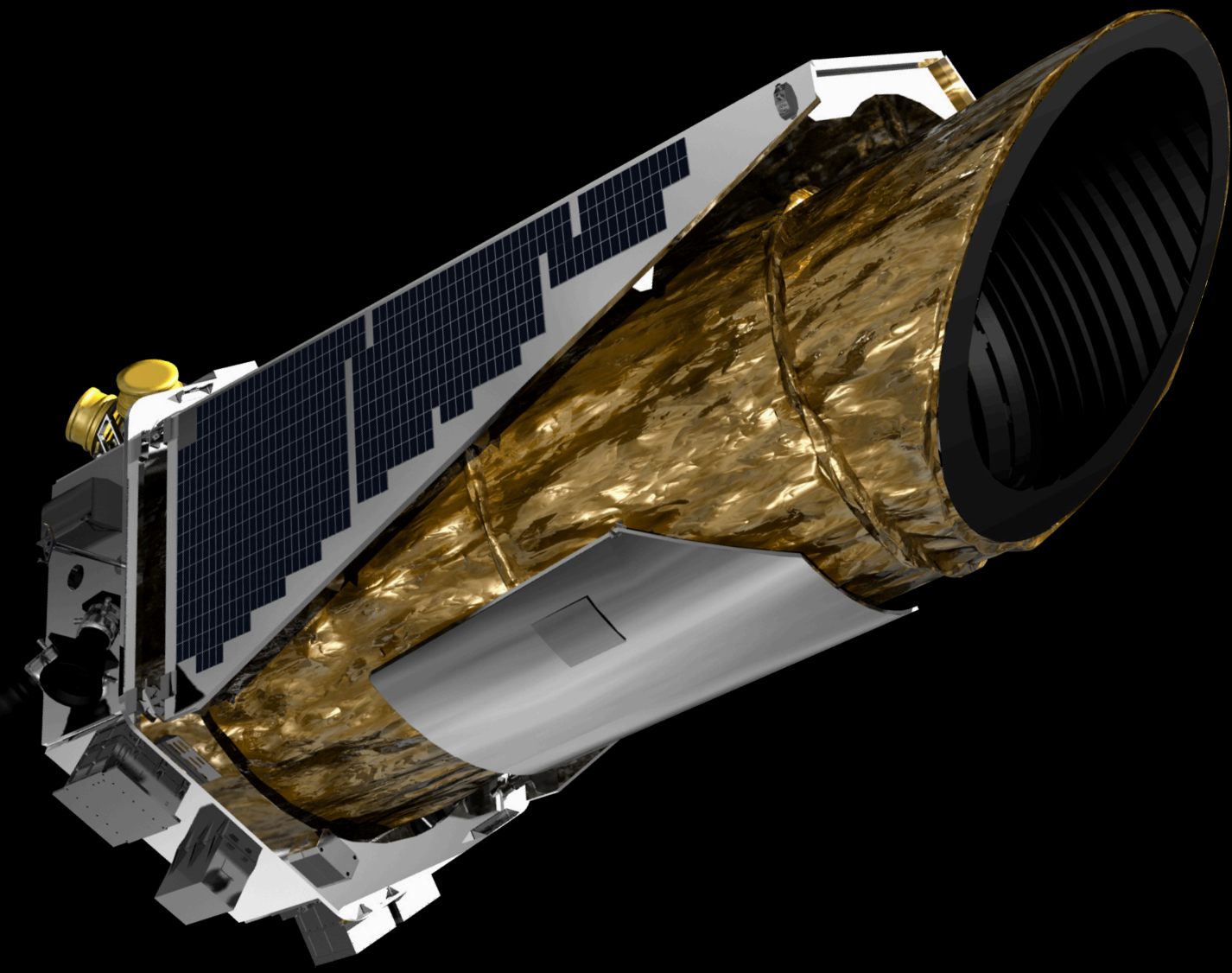
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3. Did some *shock horror* non-CBP stuff
4. But now... we're back!

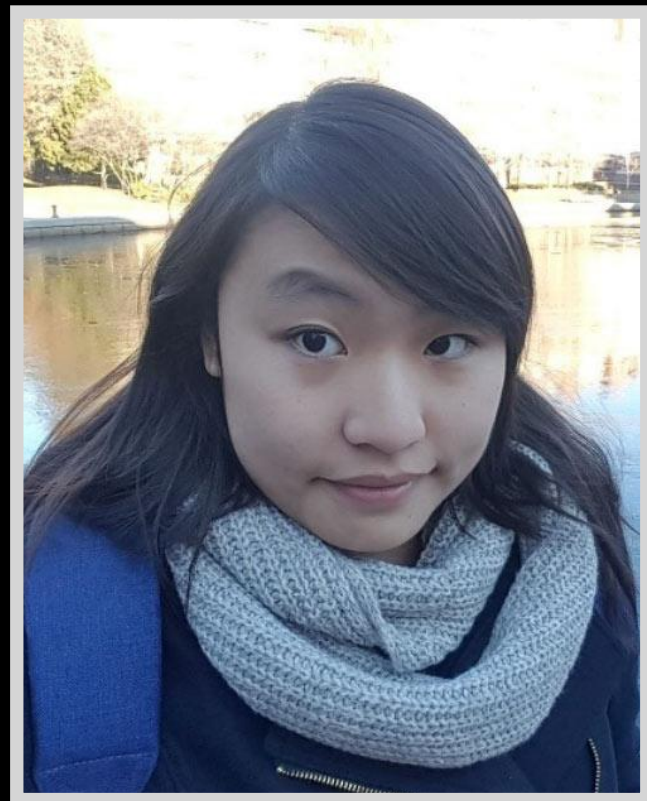


Improved Kepler search



What's been added:

1. Improved detrending
2. Smarter injection/retrieval
3. Interpolated search grid
4. Larger sample
5. Preliminary results: still a lack of small planets



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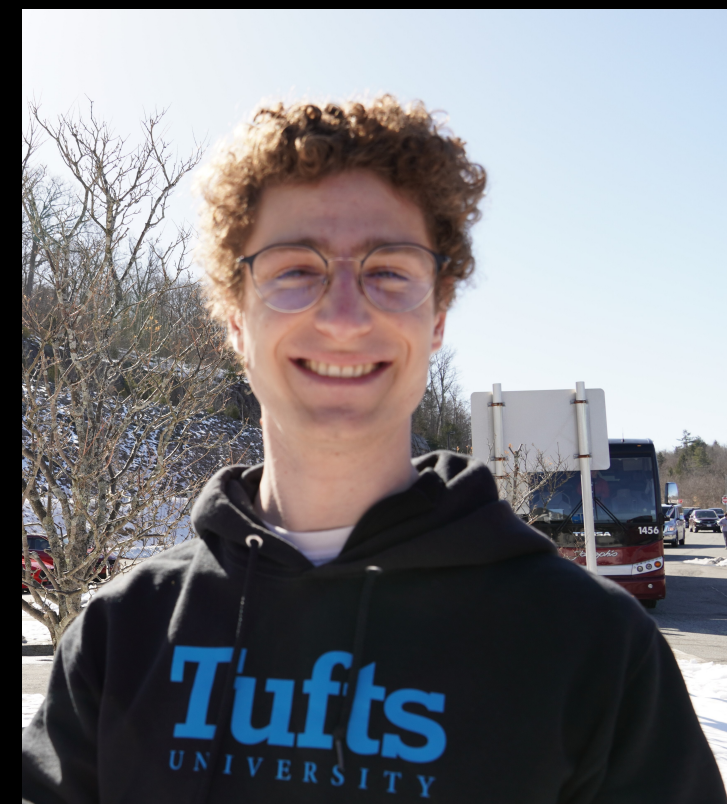
Applications to TESS



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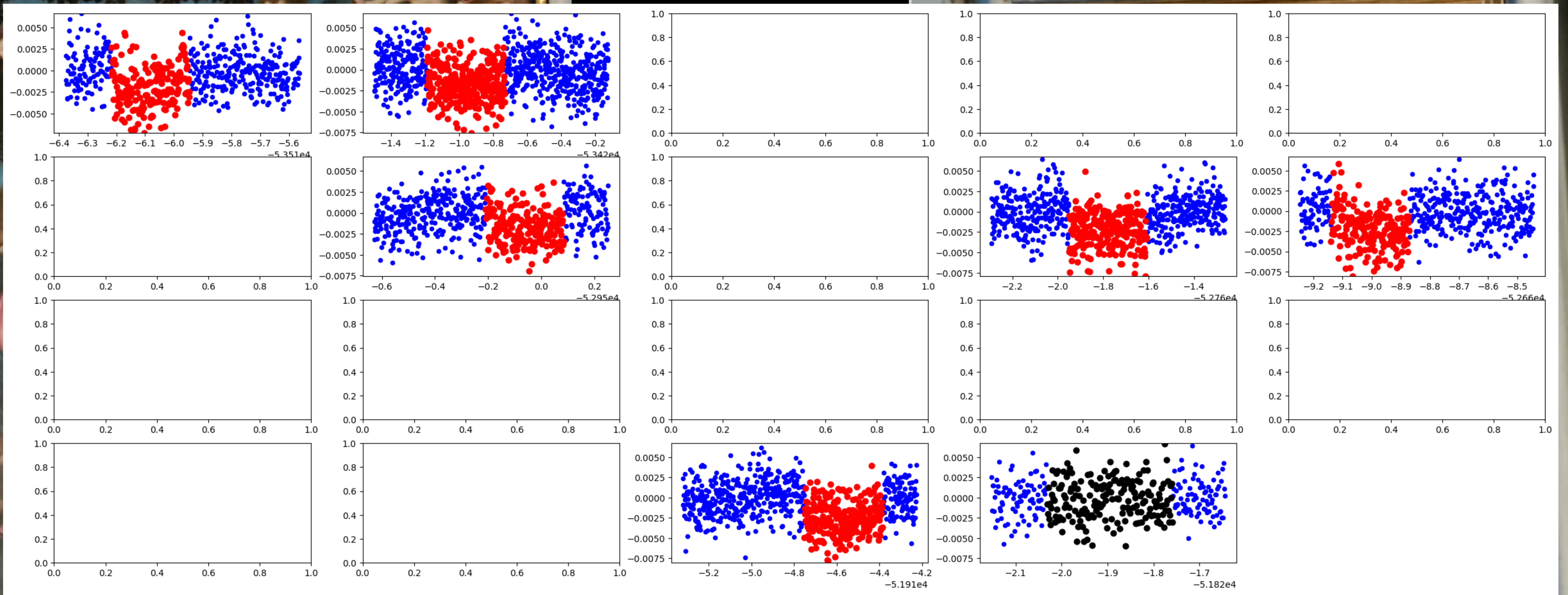


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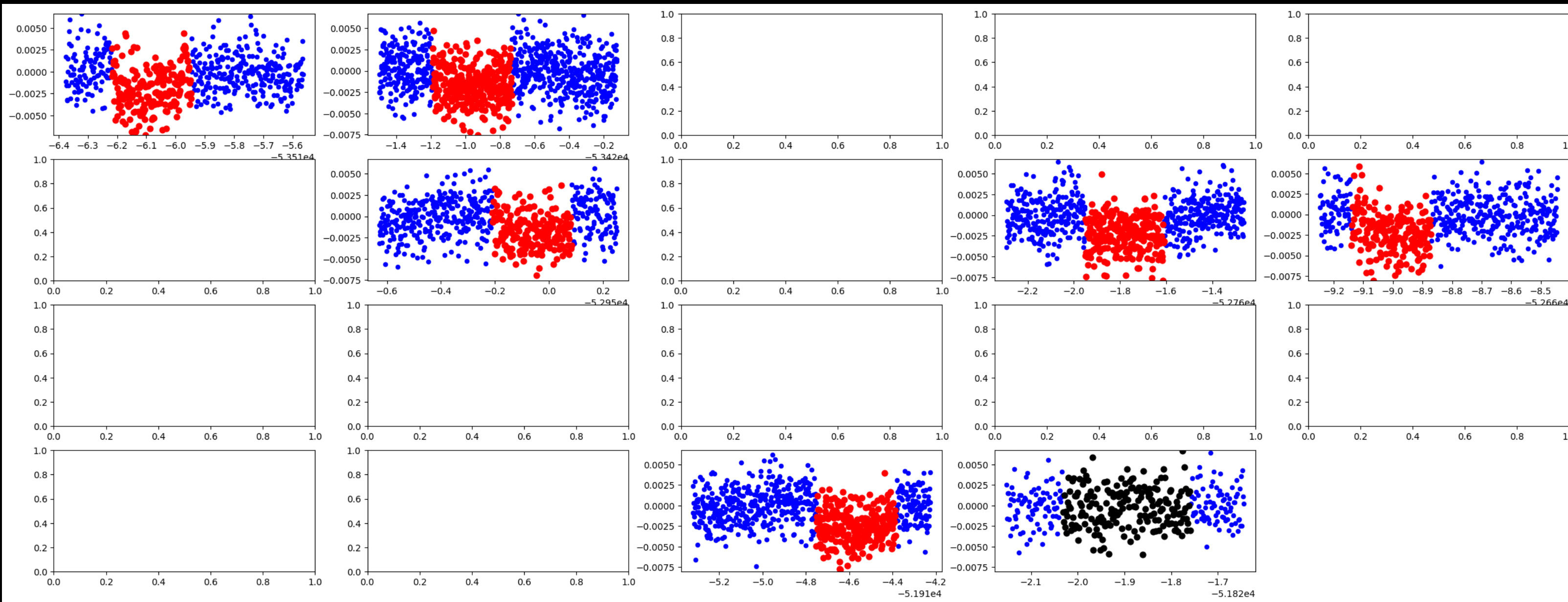
Early TESS results



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How's Your Internship Going? This Teen Found a Planet

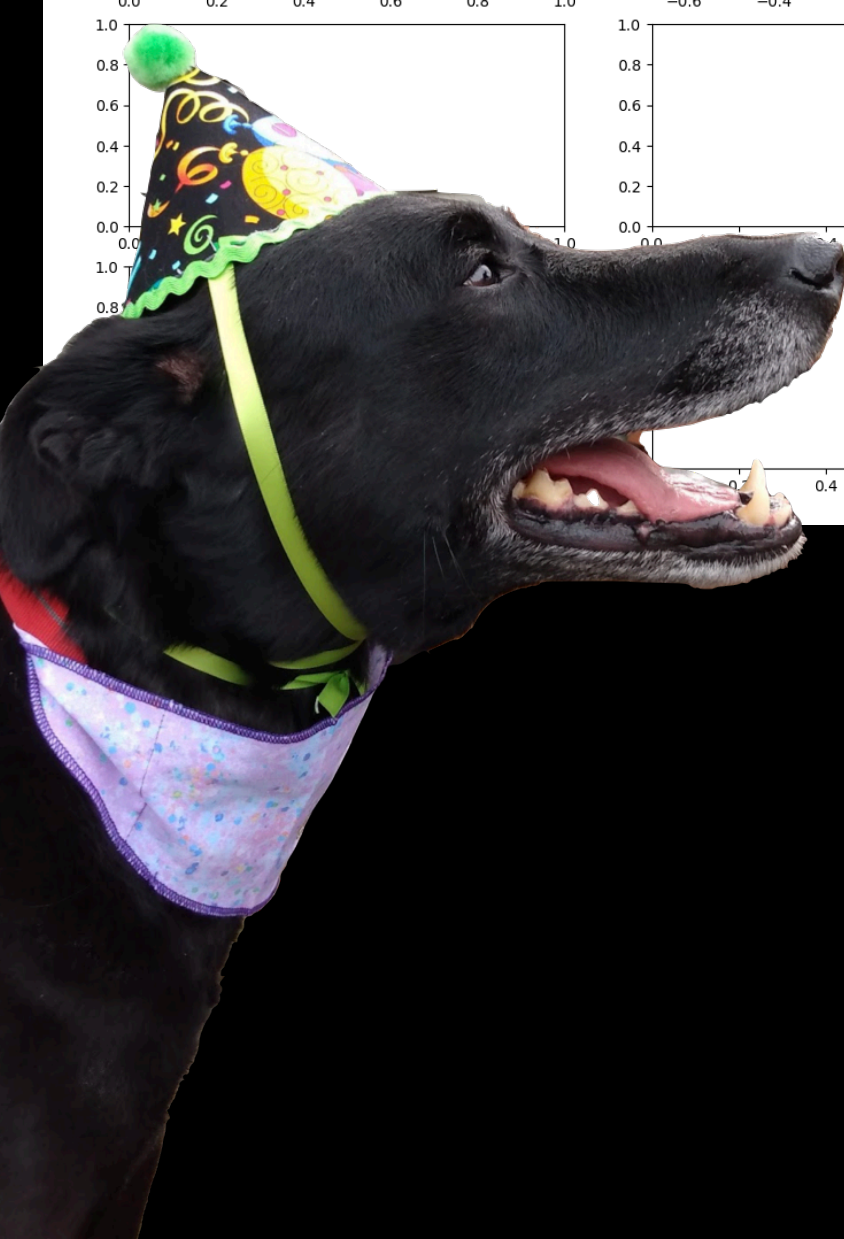
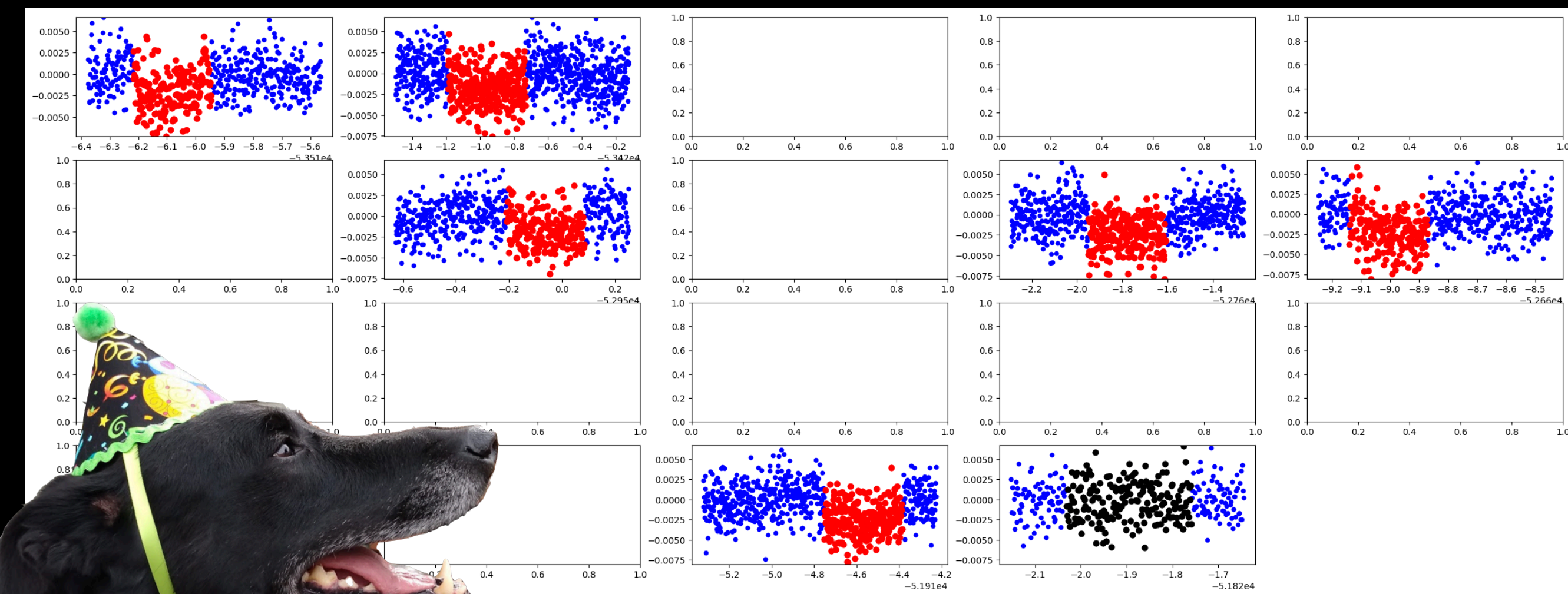
Wolf Cukier, 17, was analyzing brightness of stars during an internship with NASA last year when he made the discovery.



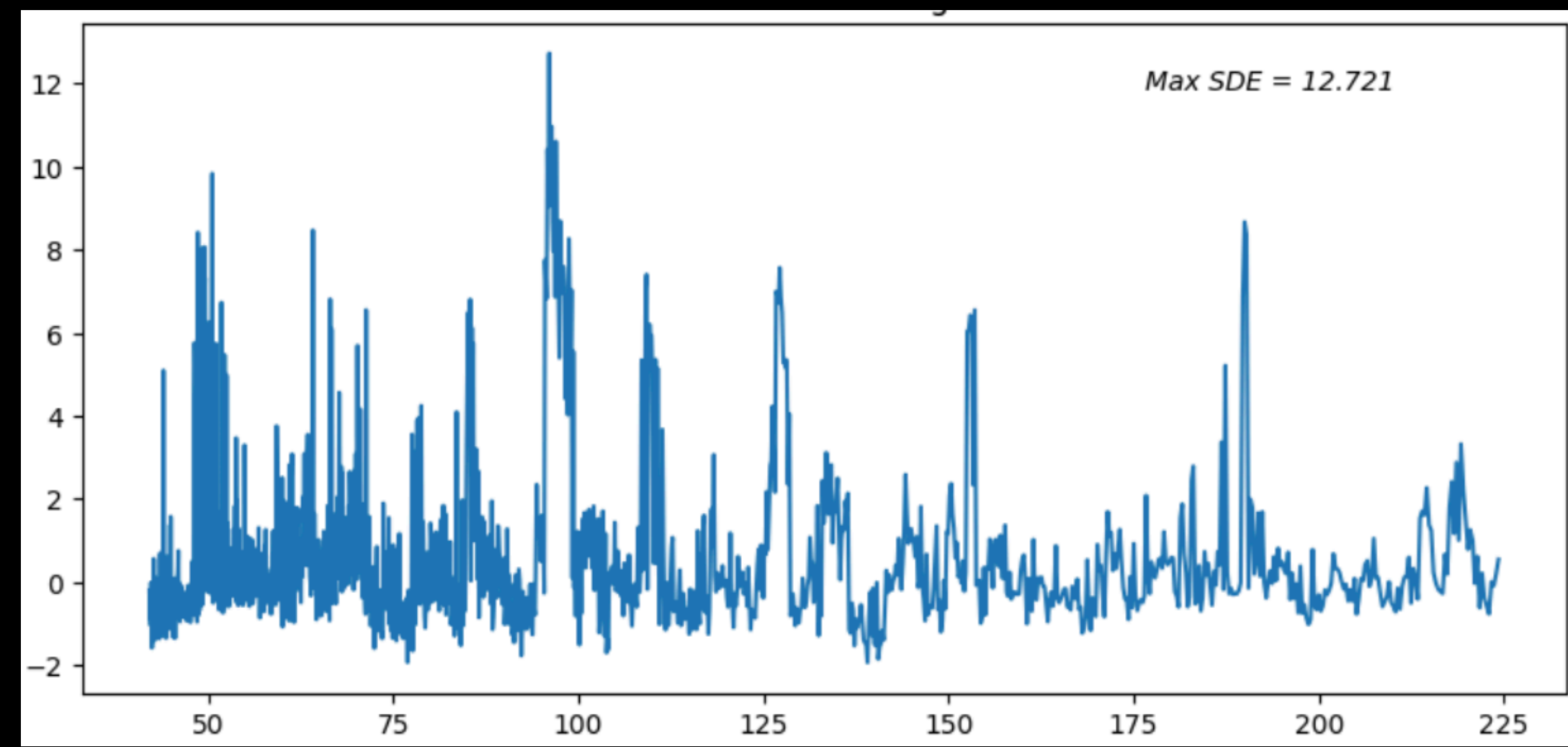
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Stanley finds TOI-1338 “easily”

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