

Demographics of Terrestrial Planetary Systems: Now, and in the HWO Era

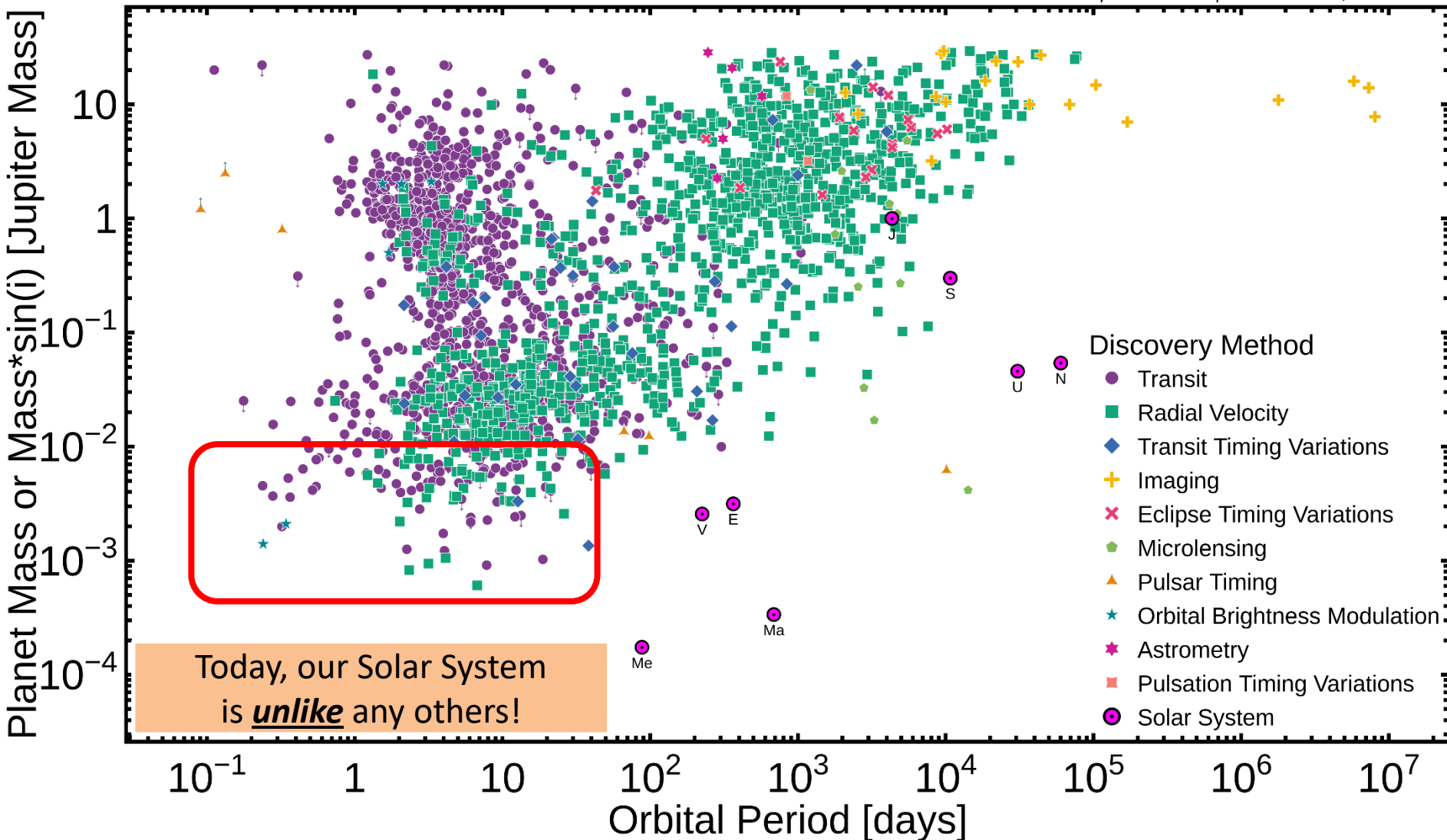


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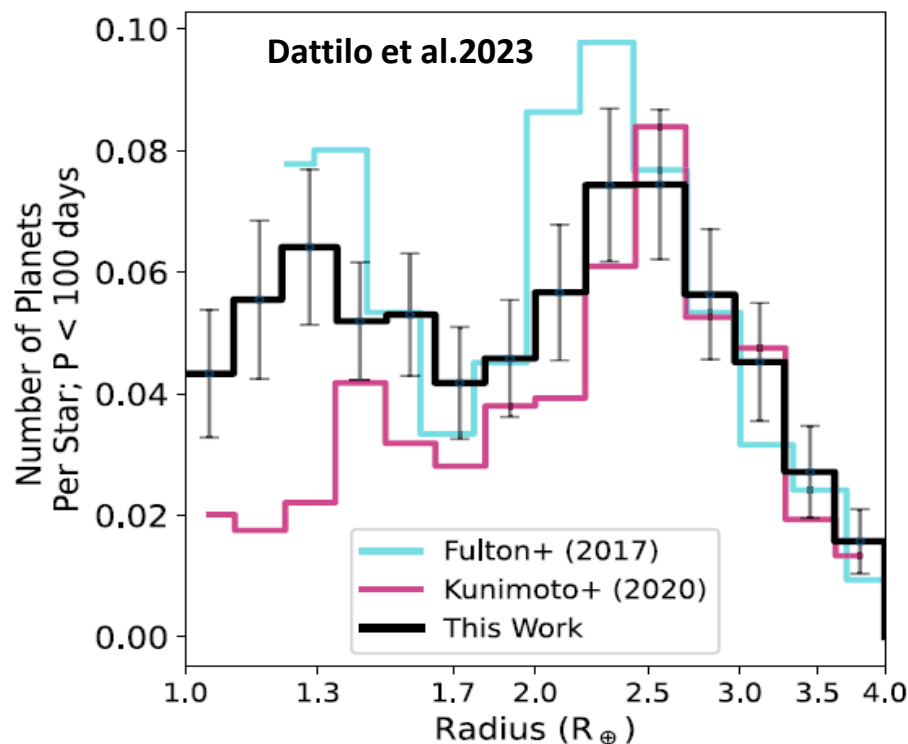
Exoplanet Demographics

Planet Mass or Mass* $\sin(i)$ vs Orbital Period

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Radius Distribution

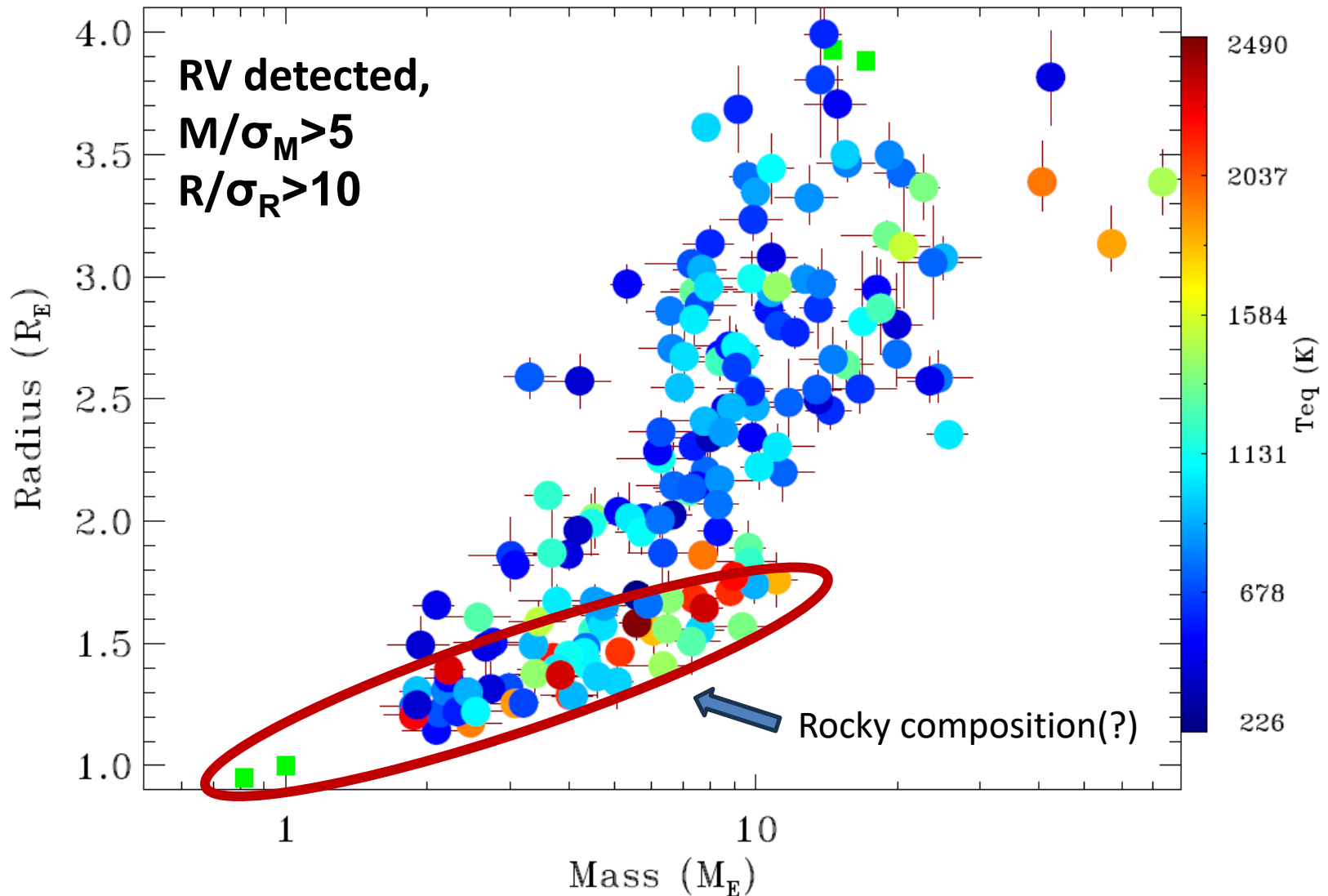


Clearly bimodal: Radius ‘Valley’ or ‘Gap’

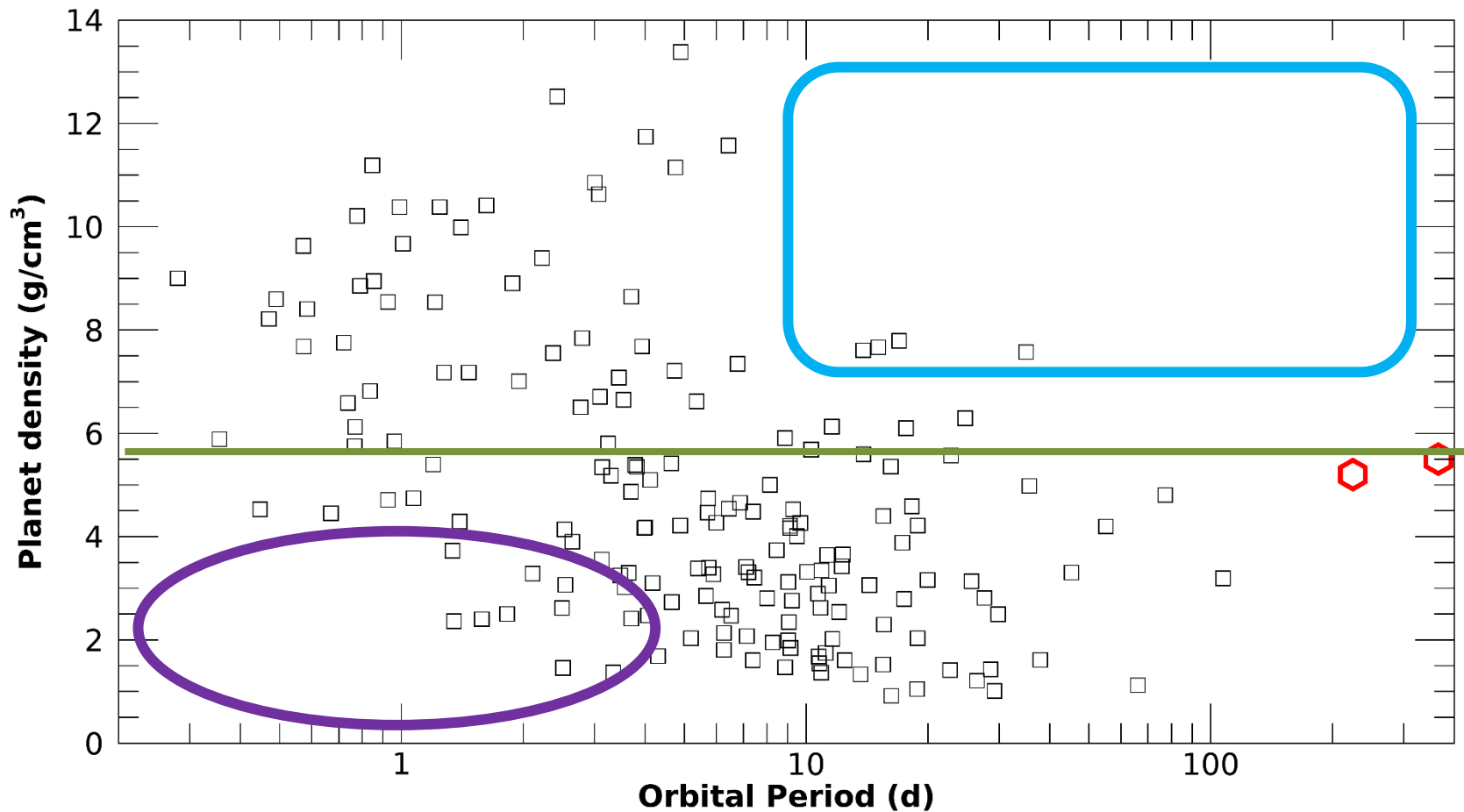
Two classes of close-in ($P < 100$ d or so) small planets:

- a) (mostly) rocky super-Earths
- b) volatile-rich or/ gas-dominated sub-Neptunes

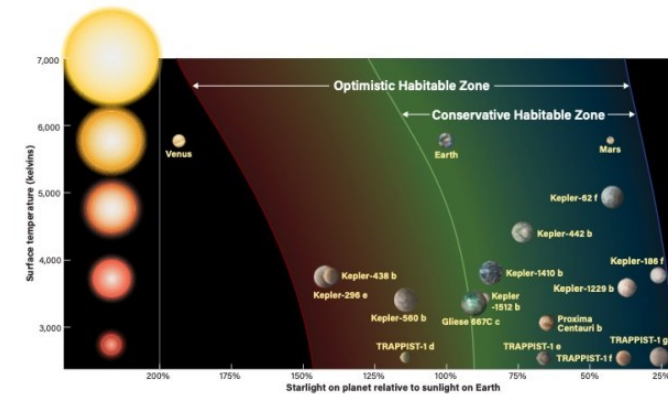
M-R Relation: Small Planets



From Ultra-Short to 'Long' Periods



Earth Twins: Occurrence Rates



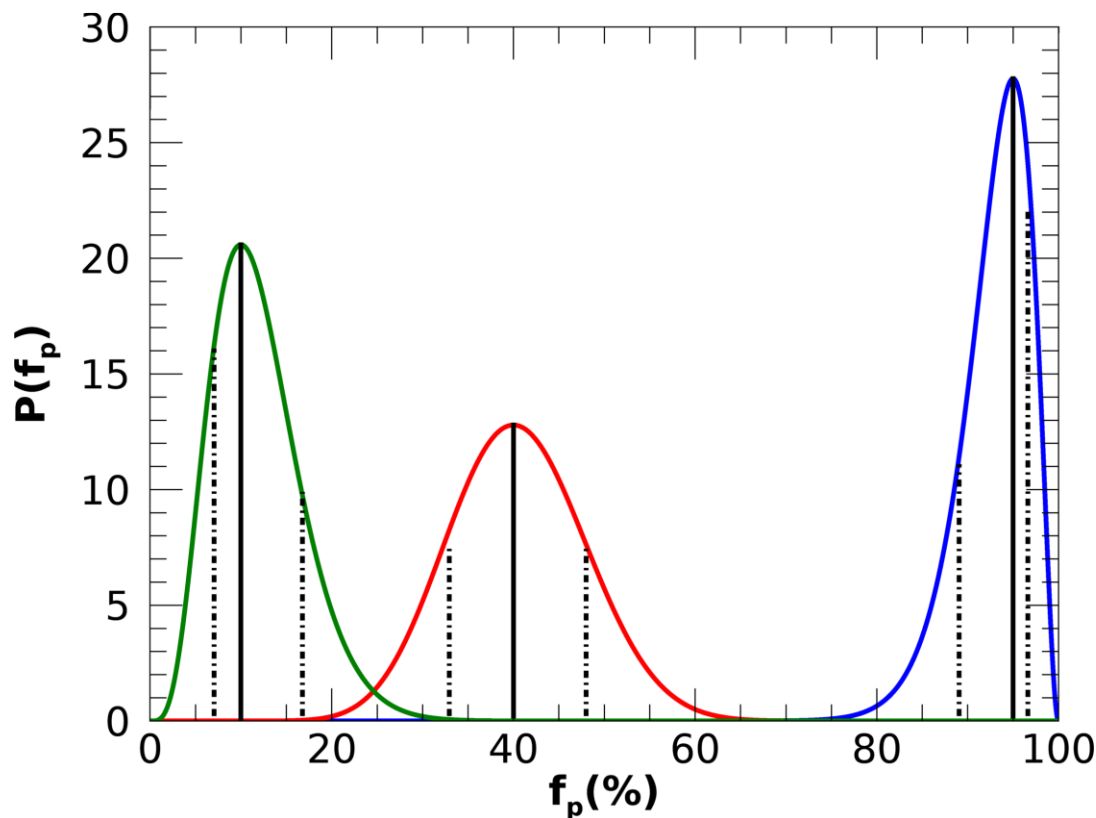
Within 1-2 sigma:
 η_{\oplus} may be 9%, or 90%...
...and just an extrapolation!



Planet type (planet-radius range in R_{\oplus})	η_{\oplus} (planets per star)	Reference	Notes
0.5 – 1.5	$0.37^{+0.48}_{-0.21} - 0.60^{+0.90}_{-0.36}$	Bryson et al. (2021)	F G K dwarfs ^(a)
0.5 – 1.5	$0.58^{+0.73}_{-0.33} - 0.88^{+1.28}_{-0.51}$	Bryson et al. (2021)	F G K dwarfs ^(b)
0.75 – 1.5	$0.13^{+0.09}_{-0.06} - 0.11^{+0.07}_{-0.05}$	Kunimoto & Matthews (2020)	G dwarfs ^(a,b)
0.5 – 1.5	$0.302^{+0.181}_{-0.113}$	Bryson et al. (2020a)	G K dwarfs ^(a,c)
0.5 – 1.5	$0.126^{+0.095}_{-0.055}$	Bryson et al. (2020a)	G K dwarfs ^(a,d)
0.7 – 1.5	$0.11^{+0.06}_{-0.04}$	Pascucci et al. (2019)	F G K dwarfs ^(a,f)
0.7 – 1.5	$0.05^{+0.07}_{-0.03}$	Pascucci et al. (2019)	F G K dwarfs ^(a,g)
0.75 – 1.5	$0.33^{+0.10}_{-0.12}$	Hsu et al. (2020)	M dwarfs ^(a)
0.75 – 1.5	0.04 – 0.40	Hsu et al. (2019)	G K dwarfs ^(e)
0.85 – 1.4	0.33	Hsu et al. (2019)	G K dwarfs ^(a)
0.72 – 1.7	0.34 ± 0.02	Zink & Hansen (2019)	G dwarfs ^(a)
1.0 – 1.5	$0.41^{+0.29}_{-0.12}$	Hsu et al. (2018)	G K dwarfs ^(h)
1.0 – 1.5	$0.31^{+0.02}_{-0.03}$	Garrett et al. (2018)	G dwarfs ^(a)
0.5 – 1.5	$0.88^{+0.04}_{-0.03}$	Garrett et al. (2018)	G dwarfs ^(a)
0.5 – 1.0	$0.215^{+0.148}_{-0.099}$	Kopparapu et al. (2018)	G dwarfs ⁽ⁱ⁾
1.0 – 1.75	$0.145^{+0.071}_{-0.061}$	Kopparapu et al. (2018)	G dwarfs ^(j)
0.7 – 1.5	0.36 ± 0.14	Mulders et al. (2018)	G stars ^(a)
1.0 – 1.5	$0.16^{+0.17}_{-0.07}$	Dressing & Charbonneau (2015)	M dwarfs ^(a)
1.5 – 2.0	$0.12^{+0.10}_{-0.05}$	Dressing & Charbonneau (2015)	M dwarfs ^(a)
1.0 – 1.5	$0.21^{+0.08}_{-0.08}$	Burke et al. (2015)	G dwarfs ^(k)
0.5 – 1.5	$0.50^{+0.40}_{-0.20}$	Burke et al. (2015)	G dwarfs ^(k)
1.0 – 2.0	$0.064^{+0.034}_{-0.011}$	Silburt et al. (2015)	F G K dwarfs ^(l)
0.6 – 1.7	$0.017^{+0.018}_{-0.009}$	Foreman-Mackey et al. (2014)	G dwarfs ^(a)
1.0 – 2.0	0.00059	Schlaufman (2014)	G stars ^(m,n)
1.0 – 2.0	$0.057^{+0.022}_{-0.017}$	Petigura et al. (2013b)	G stars ^(m)
0.5 – 1.4	$0.15^{+0.13}_{-0.06}$	Dressing & Charbonneau (2013)	M dwarfs ^(a)
0.5 – 1.4	$0.48^{+0.12}_{-0.24}$	Kopparapu (2013)	M dwarfs ^(a)
0.5 – 2.0	0.34 ± 0.14	Traub (2012)	F G K dwarfs ^(o)
0.8 – 2.0	$0.028^{+0.019}_{-0.009}$	Catanzarite & Shao (2011)	F G K dwarfs ^(p)
0.5 – 3.0	2.75 ± 0.33	Youdin (2011)	G dwarfs ^(q)

'Ordered' Architectures: Occurrence

Solar-System-type: *inner small planets (SP), outer, cold Jupiters (CJ)*



Barbato et al. 2018

Zhu & Wu 2018

Bryan et al. 2019

Rosenthal et al. 2022

Pinamonti et al. 2023

Bonomo et al. 2023

Bryan & Lee 2024

Zhu 2024

Bryan & Lee 2025

Bonomo et al. 2025

Many attempts to determine (primarily) $f_p(\text{CJ}|\text{SP})$ or $f_p(\text{SP}|\text{CJ})$!

Occurrence η_{ss} of true Solar-System-like architectures is today **unknown...**

The BIG Questions

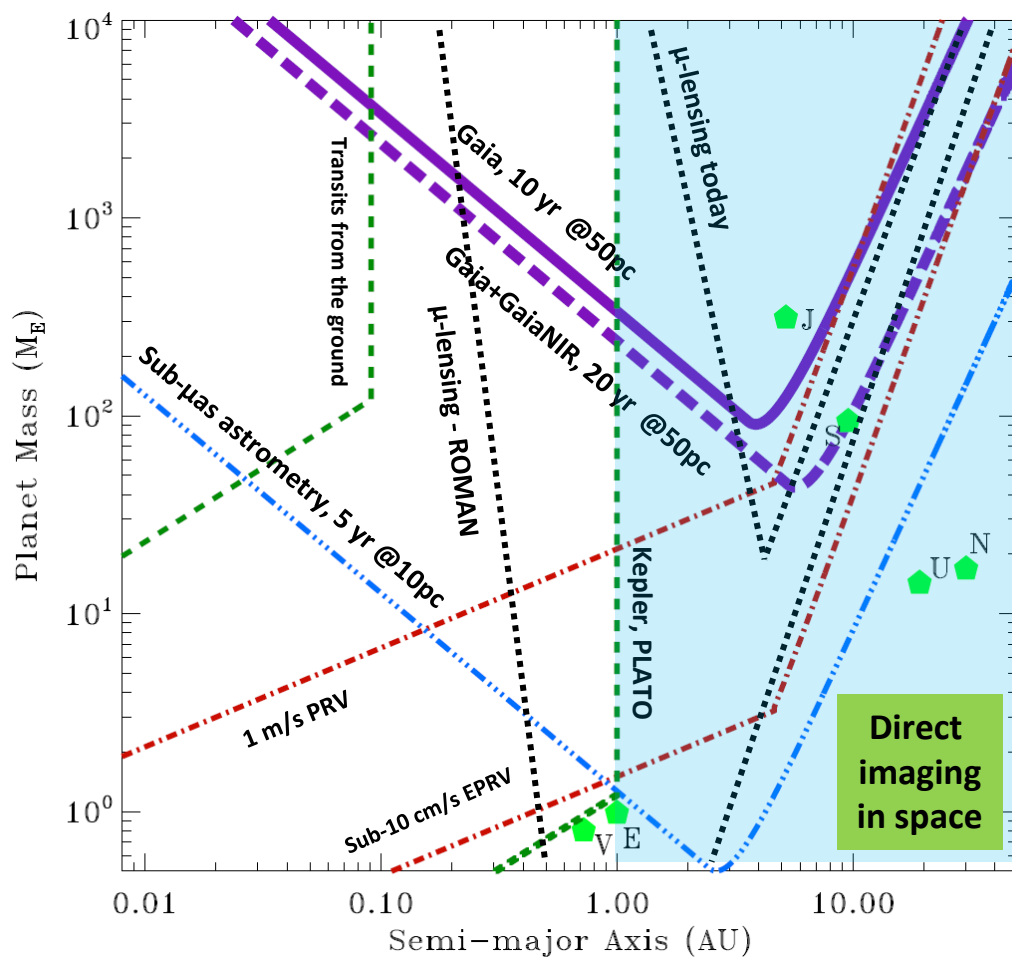
A) What is the diversity of planets and planetary system architectures?

B) How do the physical and architectural properties depend on stellar and environmental properties?

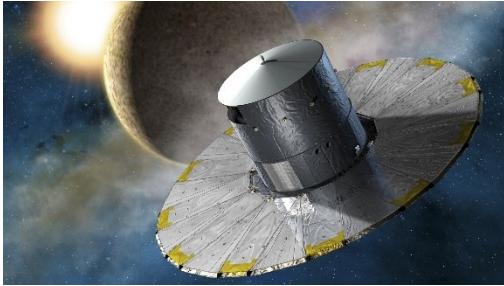
C) How common are true Solar System analogs?

D) Where are the nearest Earth-like planets?

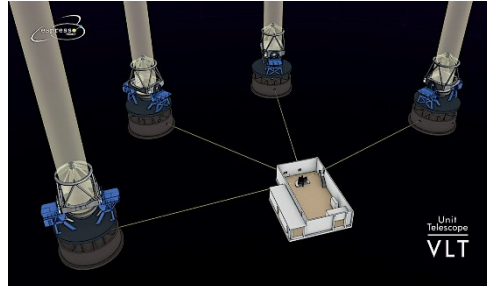
Exoplanet Architectures: Now and By 2040-2045



The Gaia-RV-PLATO Synergy



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Take 2×10^4 P1 PLATO targets (bright, nearby FGK dwarfs):

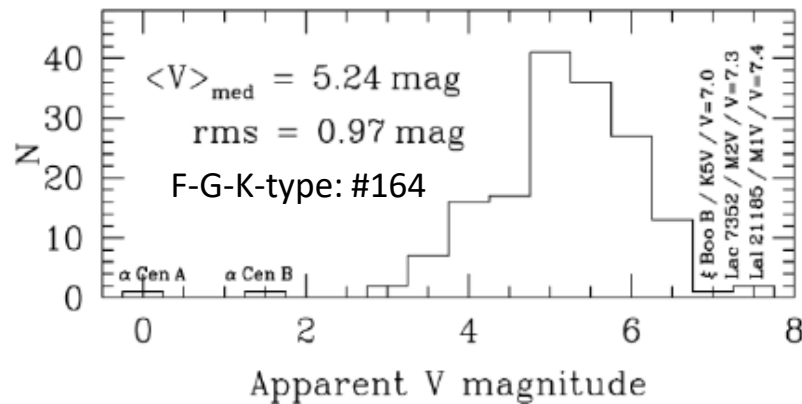
- Achieve homogeneous sensitivity to Earth-like transiting planets
- EPRV follow-up for mass confirmation for all of them
- Gaia DR4 & DR5 deliver homogeneous sensitivity to gas giants on Jupiter-like orbits

Determine η_{\oplus} and η_{ss} for the first time without extrapolations!

Earth-Like Planets: The Ultimate Frontier

Habitability and atmospheric biosignatures of temperate terrestrial exoplanets around the nearest solar-type stars

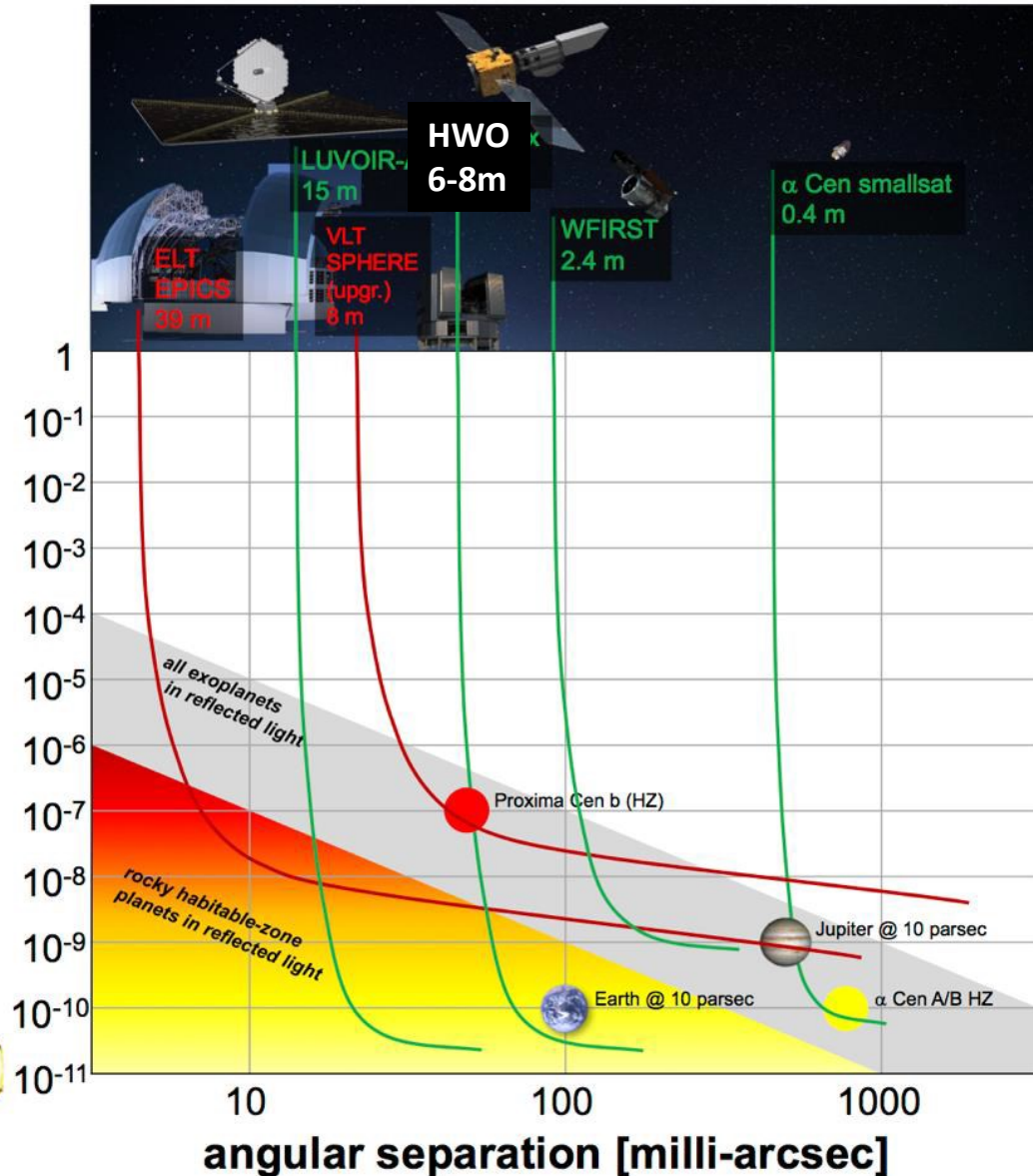
Mamajek & Stapelfeldt 2024



Finding the targets **FIRST** is mandatory in order to maximize science return

True Earth twin:
 $K = 9 \text{ cm/s}$, $\alpha@10\text{pc} = 0.3 \mu\text{as}$

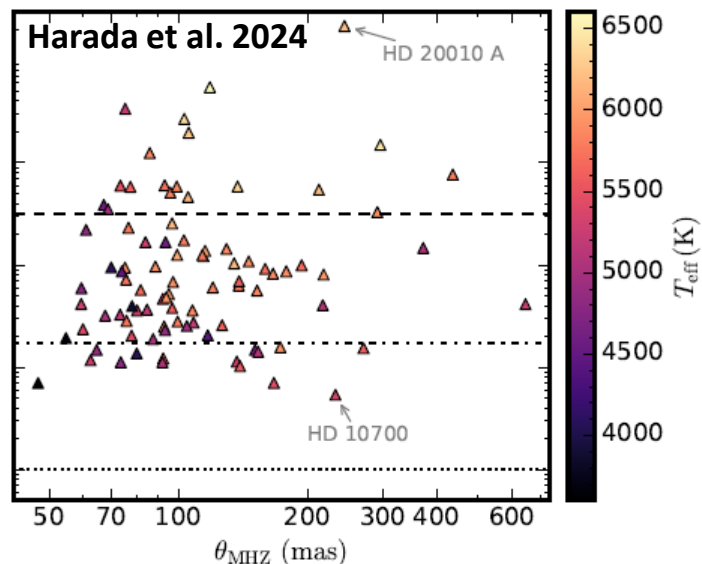
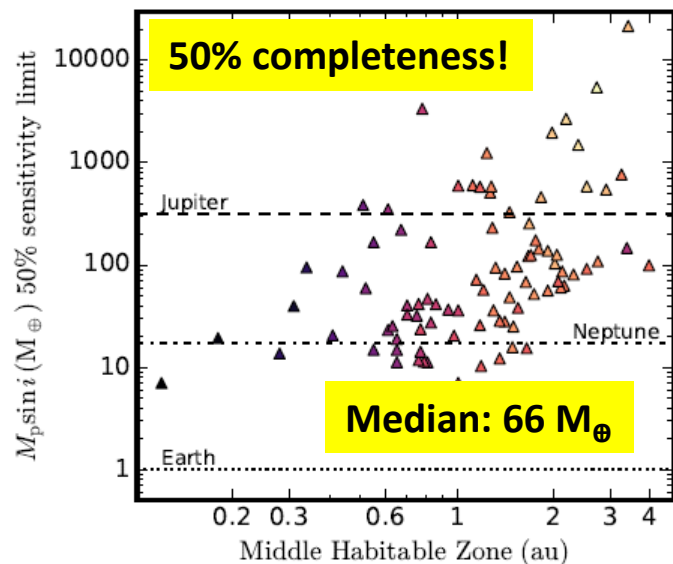
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EPRVs: The Challenge

20-yr@1 m/s:
Not nearly enough!

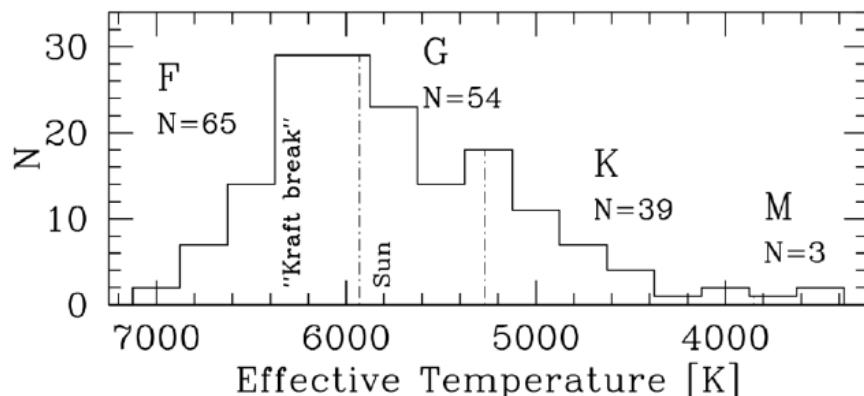
10-yr@10 cm/s:
Coming up!
(ESPRESSO, EXPRES,
MAROON-X, HARPS3)



Present Record Holders:

Proxima d: $P=5d$, $K=40 \text{ cm/s}$, $M_p \sin(i) = 0.3 M_E$

Barnard e: $P=7d$, $K=22 \text{ cm/s}$, $M_p \sin(i) = 0.2 M_E$



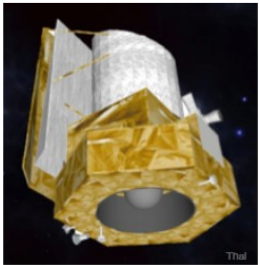
Expected RV jitter from activity:
Between a few and 10-15 m/s

From >10 to >100 times larger
than the signal we seek!

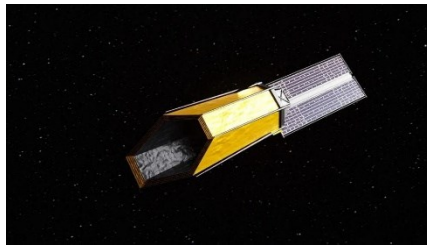
Ways of mitigating the problem:

- directly on the spectra
- on the RVs/activity indicators

- Relative astrometry, visible wavelengths
- Precision 30x better than Gaia's

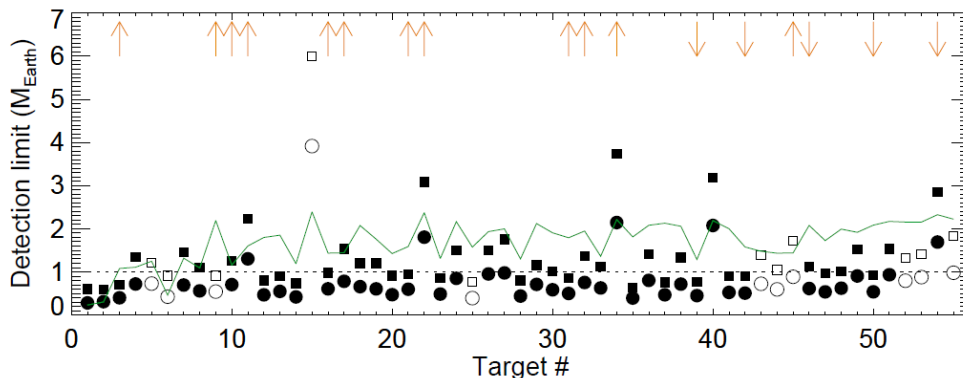


Theia (?)

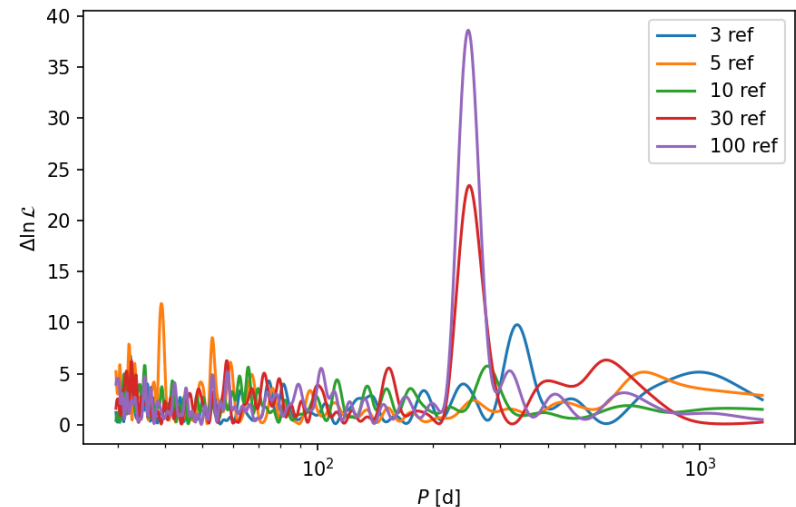
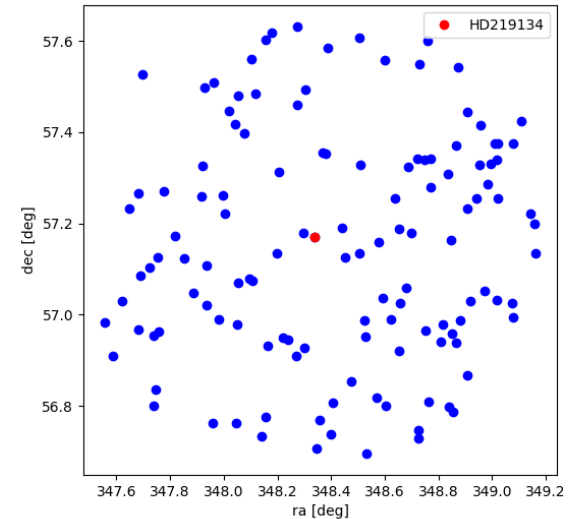


HWO

- Stellar activity: not much of an issue!
- Trade-offs: FOV size, systematics



Meunier & Lagrange 2022



Pinamonti et al. in prep.