

Stellar Clusters Containing Massive Stars: A Nine Bands Photometric Survey



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The talk

- ❖ Project Objectives
- ❖ Clusters under study and summary
- ❖ Preliminary results of NGC1893 and IC1805:
 - Observed area in optical and infrared
 - CMDs
 - Physical parameters



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- ❖ Characterization of stellar population coeval to the massive stars:
 - Obtain the physical parameters
 - Infrared excess for the study of circumstellar disks and extinction law
 - Stellar population MS + PMS (cluster + field)
 - Calculate the ratio of populations of different masses and evolution stages
 - Determine the MF for both populations
 - Study the spatial distribution



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- ❖ Isolated clusters:
 - **Dolidze8 – Alicante1 – Collinder419**
- ❖ Inside star forming region:
 - **NGC1893 – IC1805 – IC1848 – NGC2244 – NGC6823**



Clusters Summary

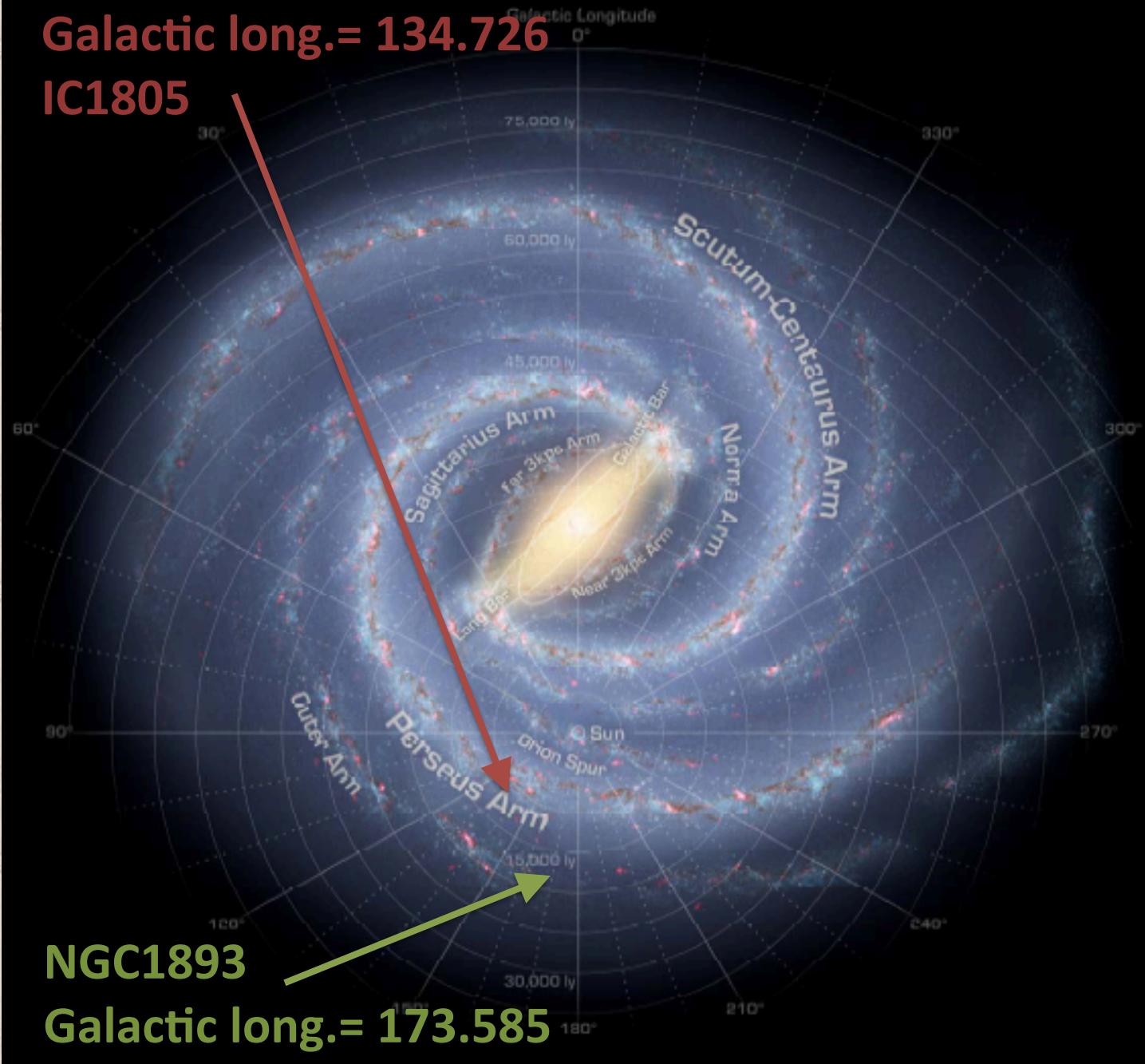
CLUSTER (name)	RA ($^{\text{h}} \text{ } ^{\text{m}} \text{ } ^{\text{s}}$)	DEC ($^{\circ} \text{ } '$ $''$)	OSN/NOT (fn/fn)	MAG (V/J)	AREA (arcmin 2)
IC1805	02:32:47	+61:29:29	3/4	20.5/21	176/55
NGC1893	05:22:42	+33:25:00	3/3	21.5/21	148/44
Alicante1	03:59:10	+57:14:00	1/1	20/?	64/16
Dolidze8	20:24:21	+42:15:54	1/4	20/?	64/56
IC1848	02:49:20	+60:34:30	3/-	20.5/-	176/-
Collinder419	20:17:48	+40:41:30	9/-	21/-	324/-
NGC6823	19:43:09	+23:18:00	4/-	21/-	196/-
NGC2244	06:31:54	+04:56:00	1/-	20/-	64/-

NGC2244 also observed with INT/WFC in December 2012



Galactic long.= 134.726

IC1805

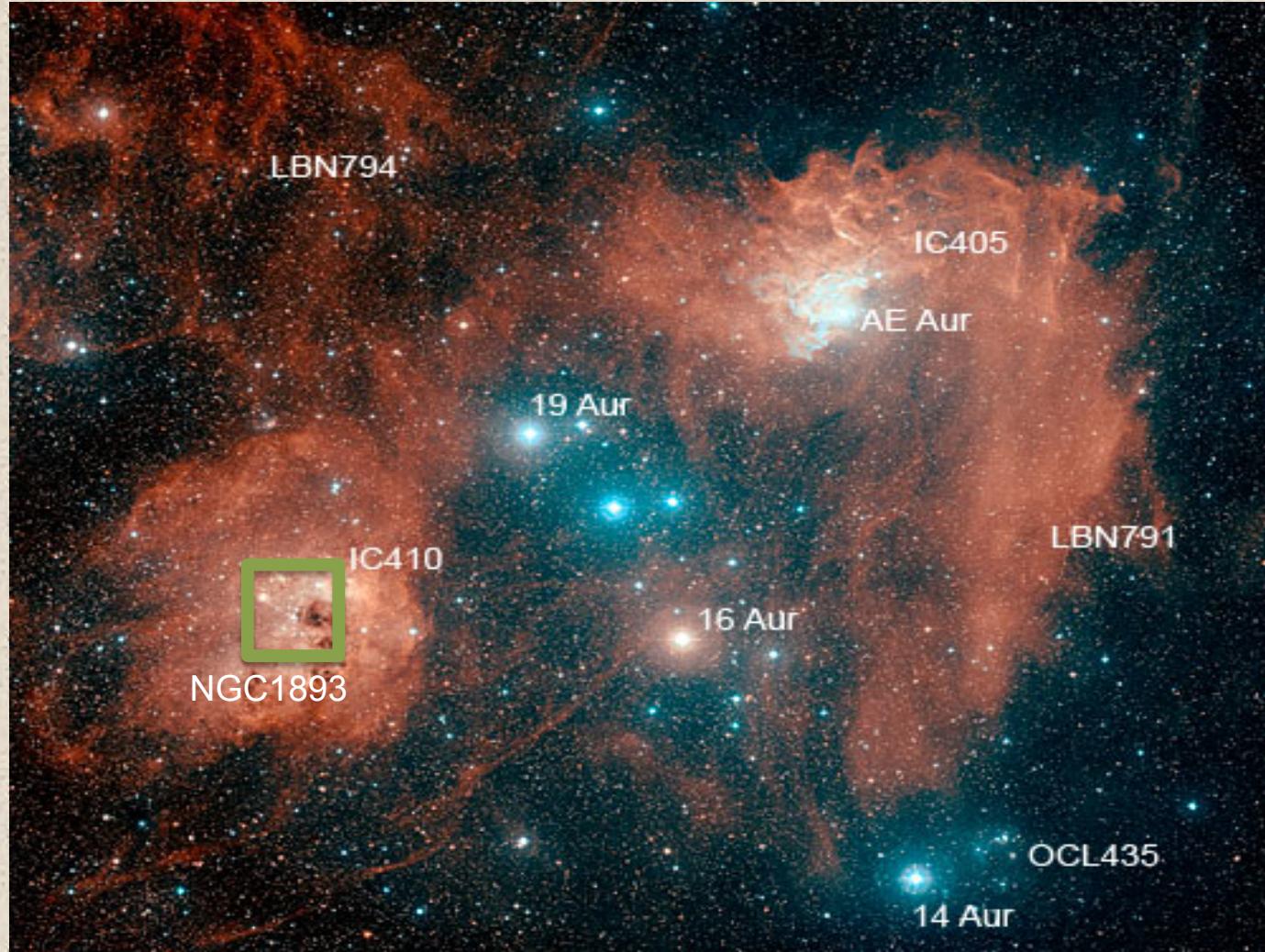


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Galactic long.= 173.585

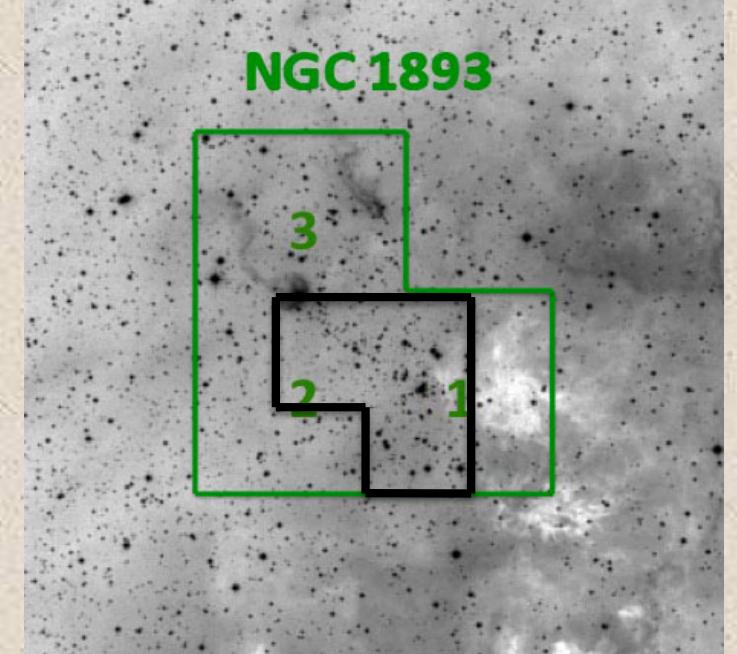


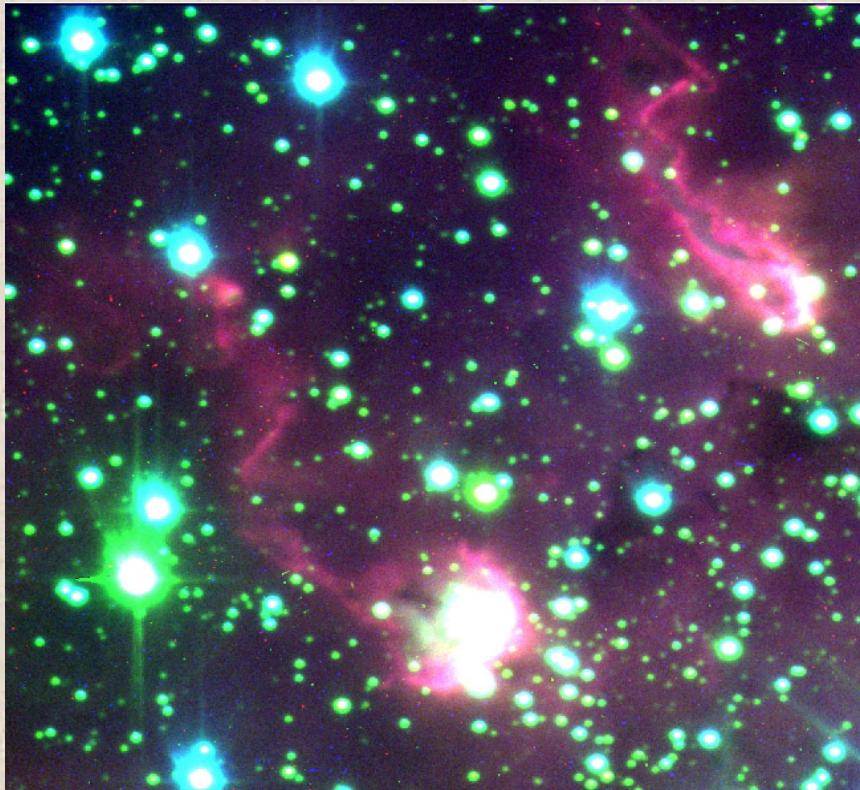
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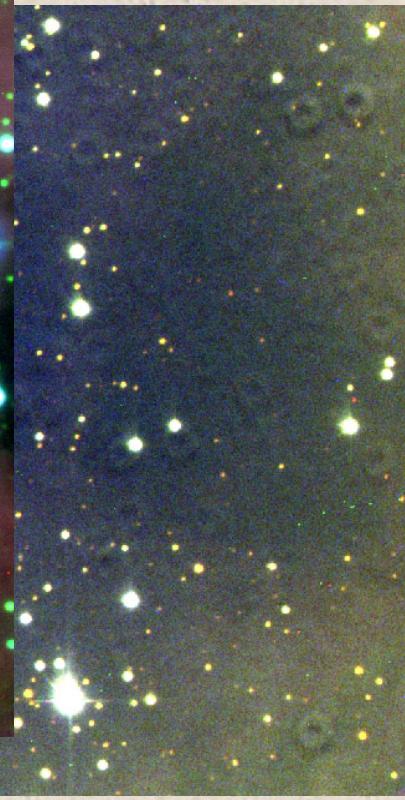
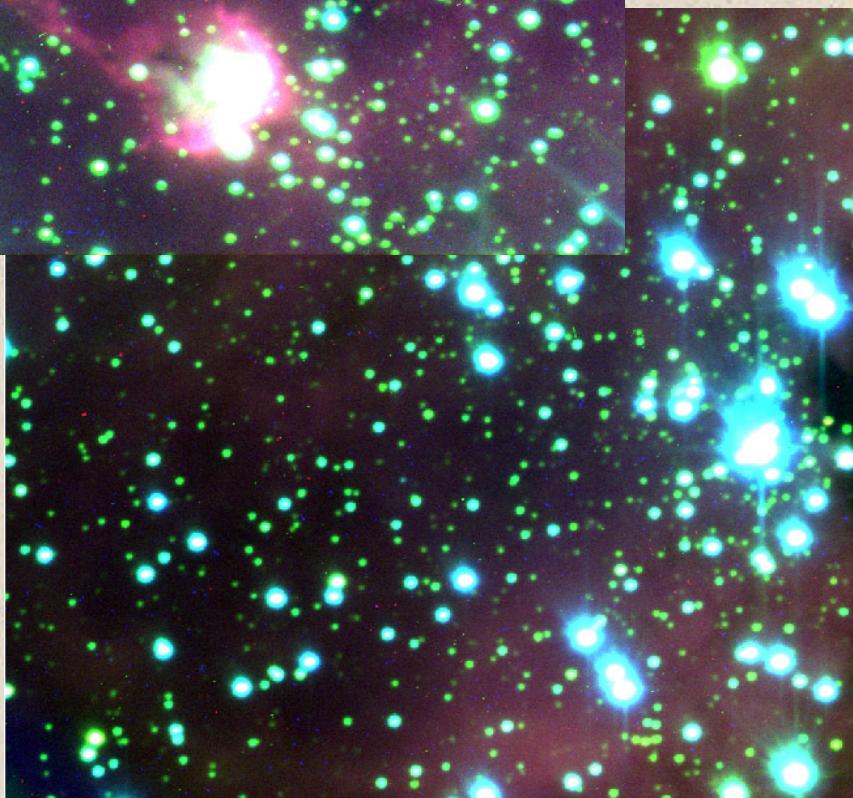
- Constellation of Auriga (Cygnus Arm)
- RA = $05^{\text{h}}:22^{\text{m}}:42^{\text{s}}$; DEC = $+33^{\circ}25'00''$
- IC410 emission nebula
- Distance of 4 – 6 kpc
- Age 1-5 Myr
- Optical study in *UBVRIHa* with 3 pointings with 1.5m Telescope at OSN – 12/2009 & 01/2011 & 02/2012 – $V=21.5$ – 1200 stars
- Infrared study in *JHKs* with 3 pointings with NOT Telescope at ORM – 09/2012 – $J=21$ – $K_s=19.5$ – 2360 stars
- Tadpoles – cold remains of the cloud – continuous formation regions





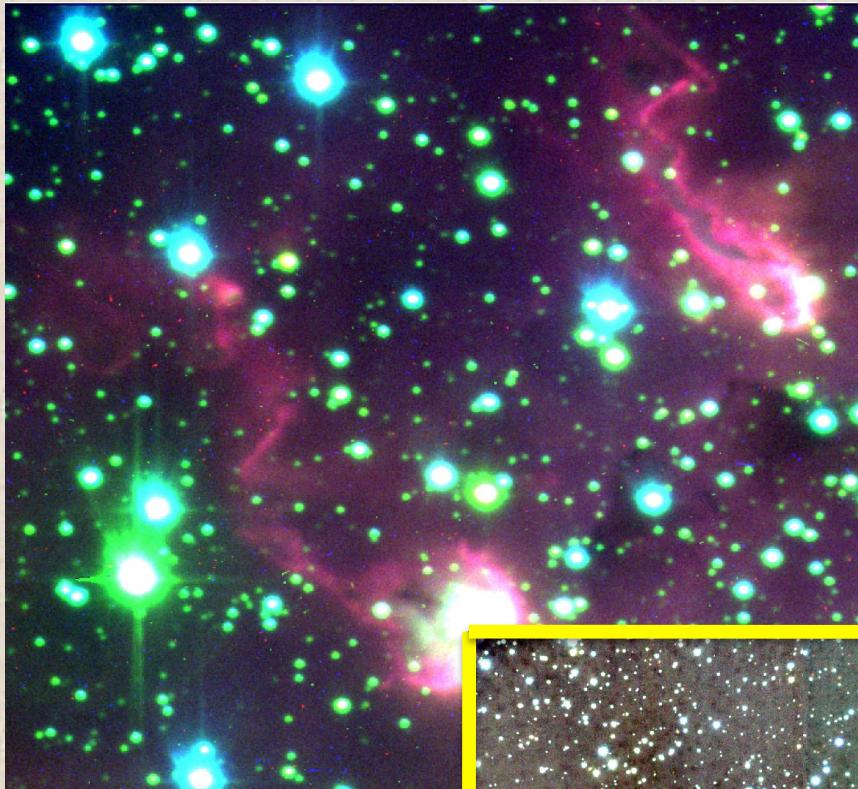
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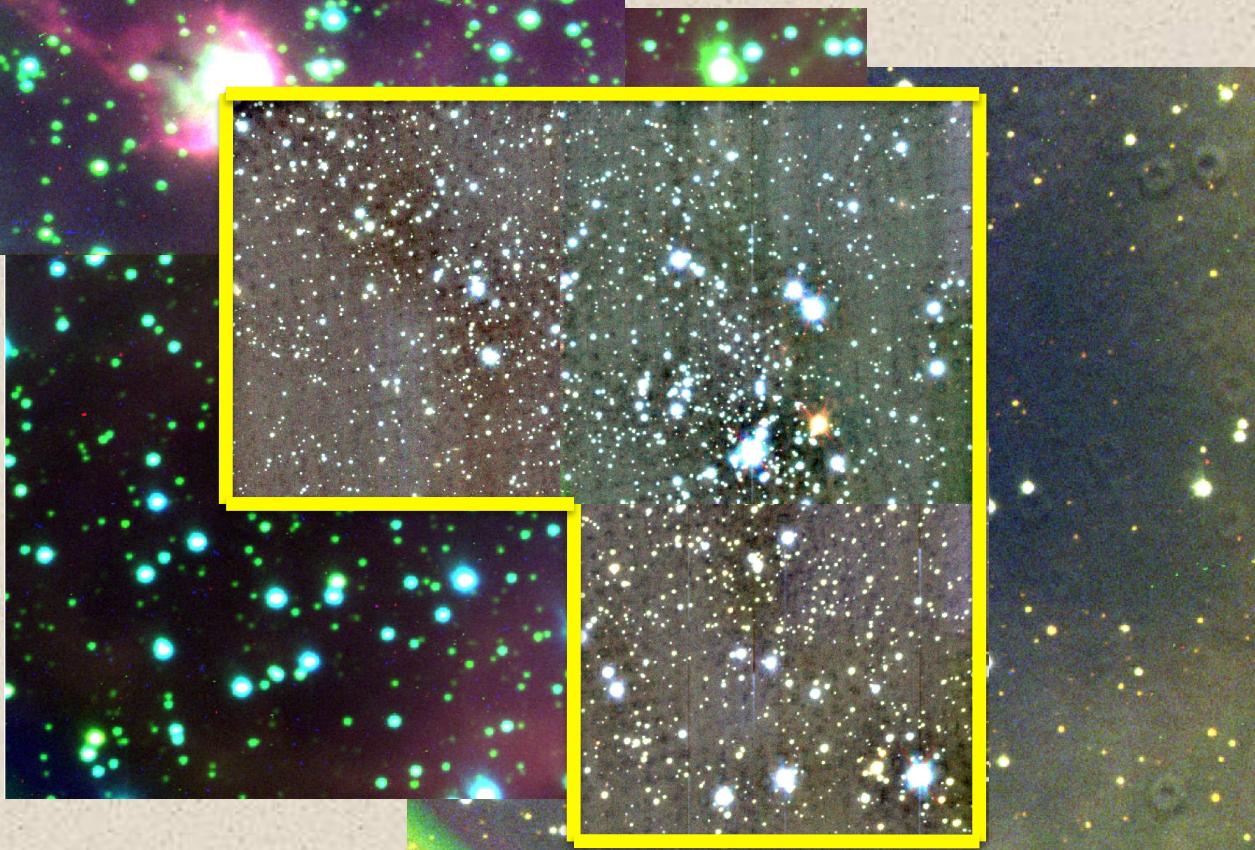




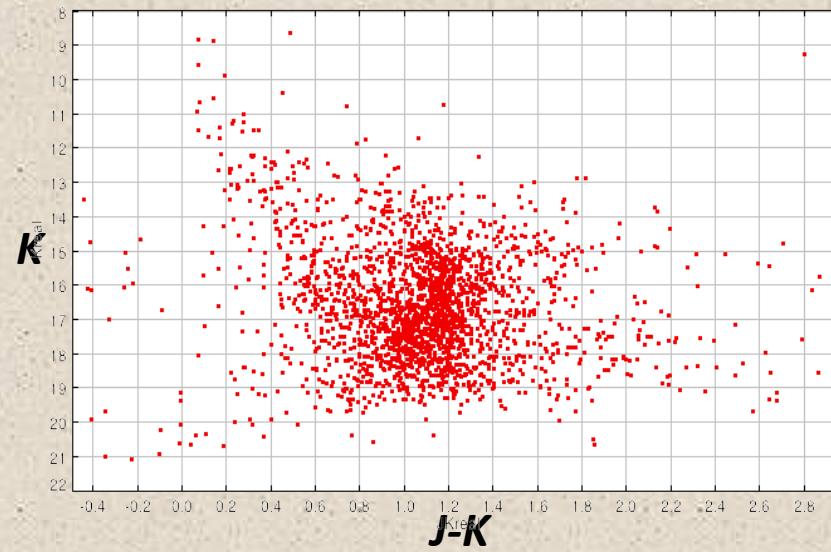
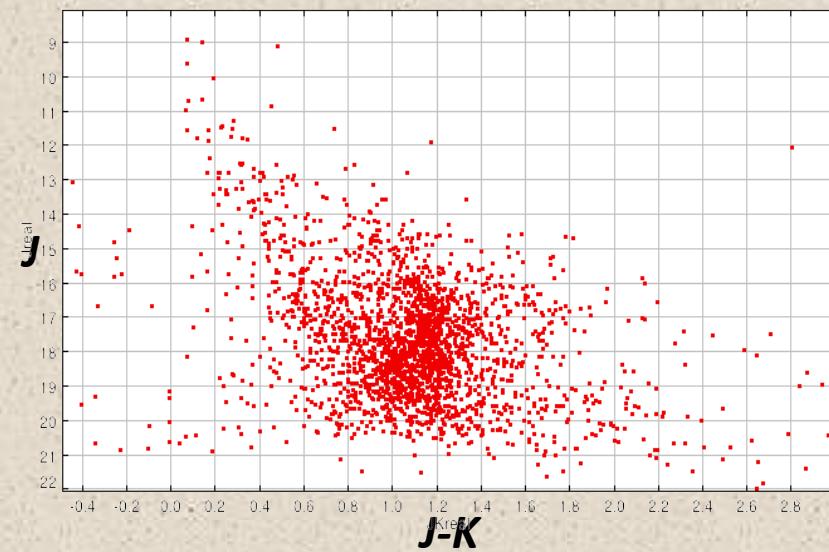
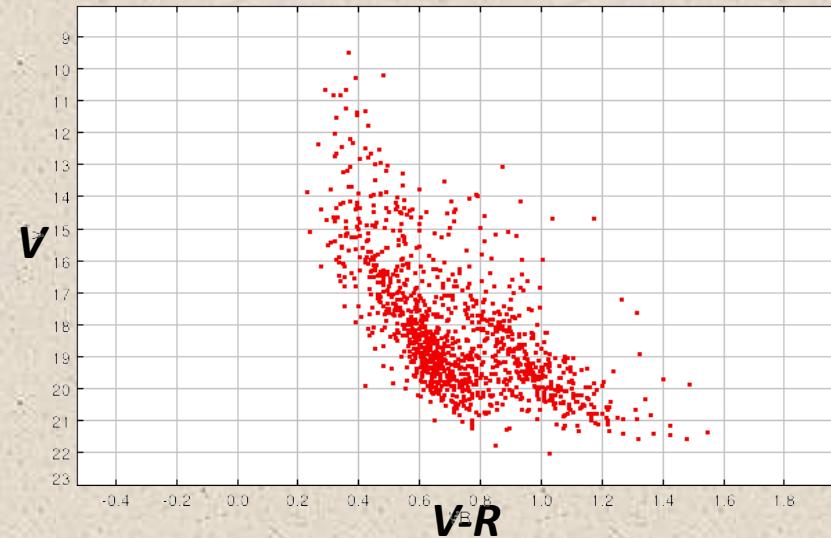
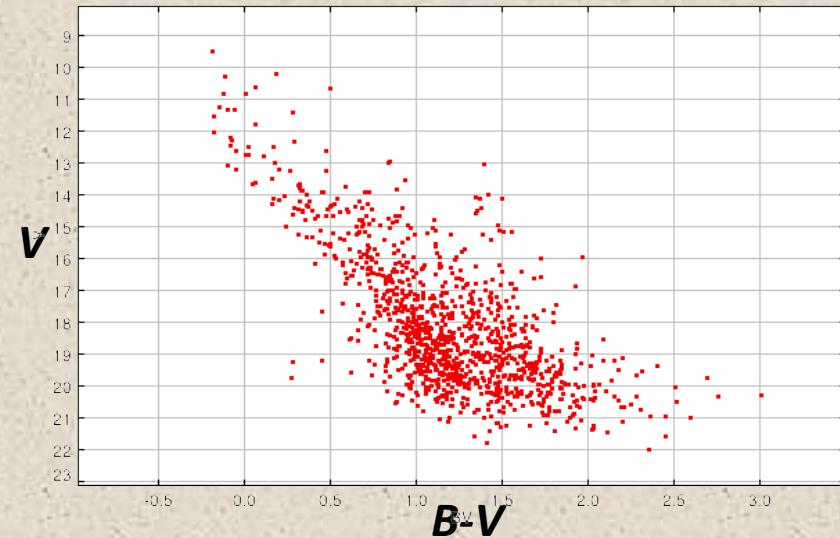
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$E(B-V)$	0.530	0.4 – 0.6 (0.4)	0.520
$E(U-B)$	0.381	0.288	0.374
A_V ($R_V=3.1$)	1.643	1.240	1.612
DM	13.21	13.80	12.99

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* Sharma S. et al. 2007, MNRAS 380, 1141 – not infrared only 6 colors $UBVR\text{IHa}$

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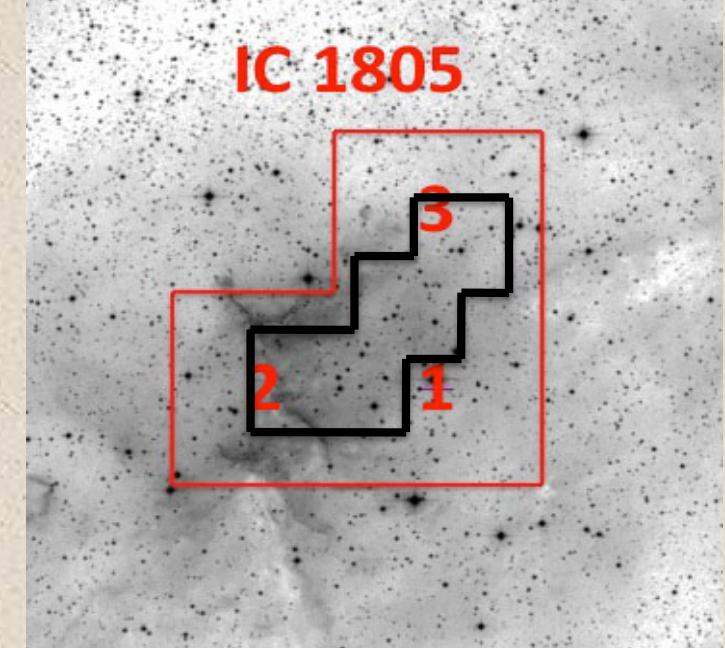


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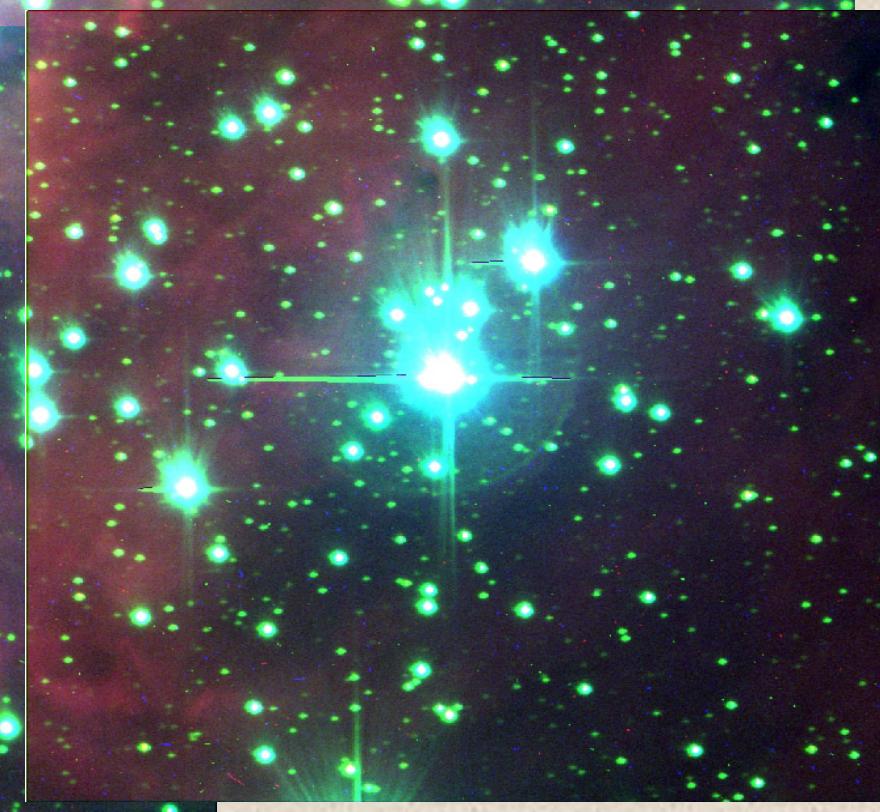
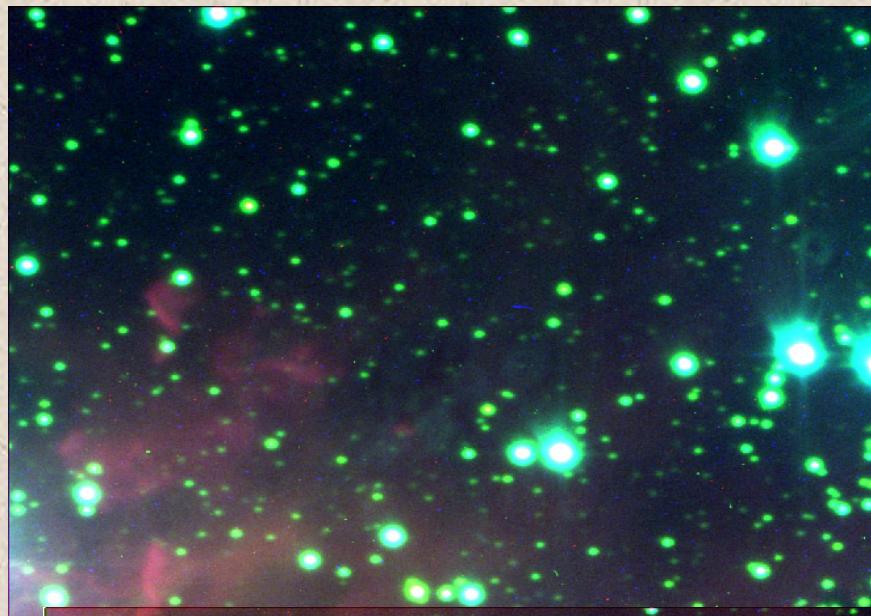
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- Constellation of Cassiopeia (Perseo Arm)
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- Heart emission nebula
- Distance 2.3 – 2.4 kpc
- Age 1.5 Myr
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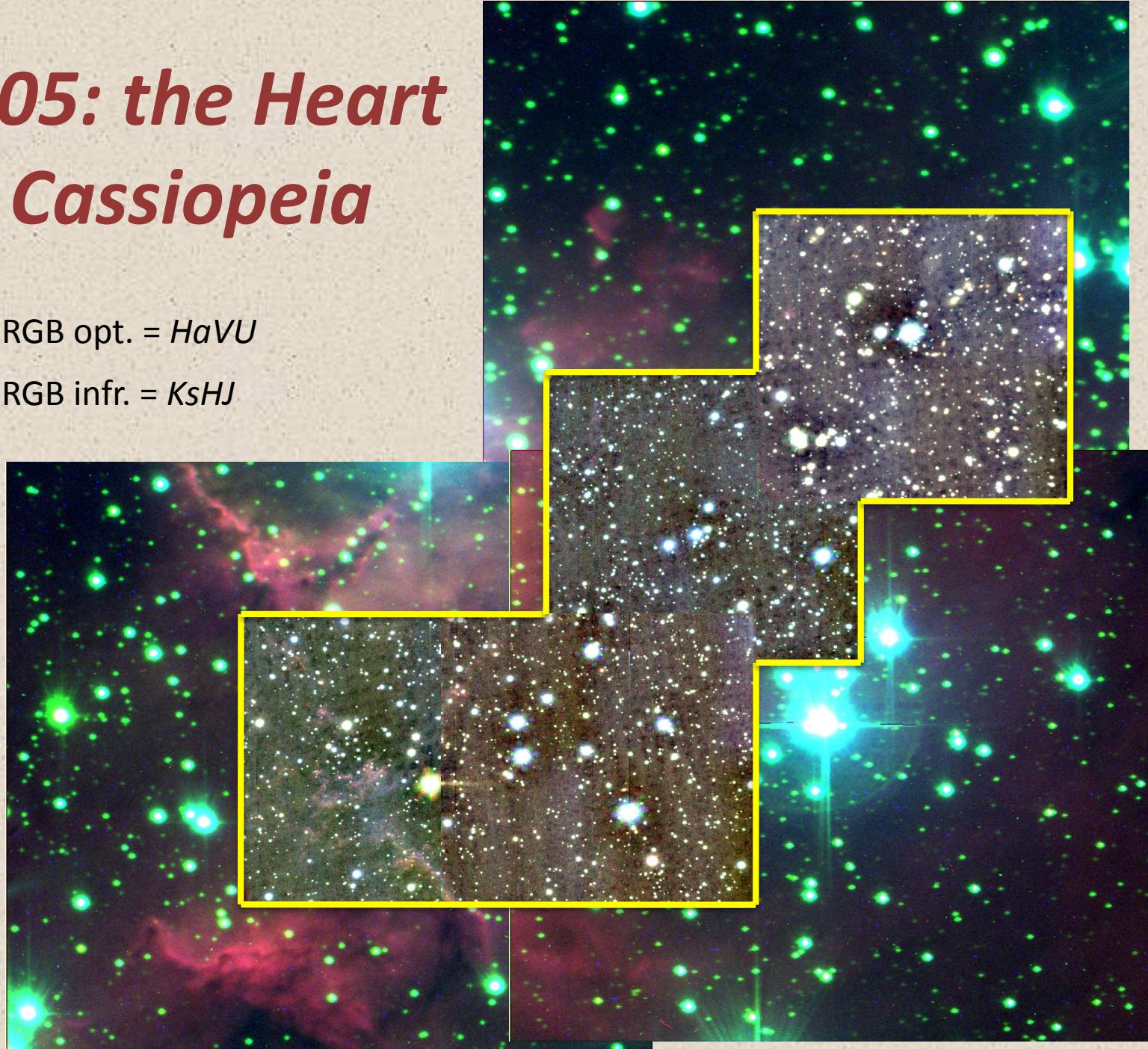
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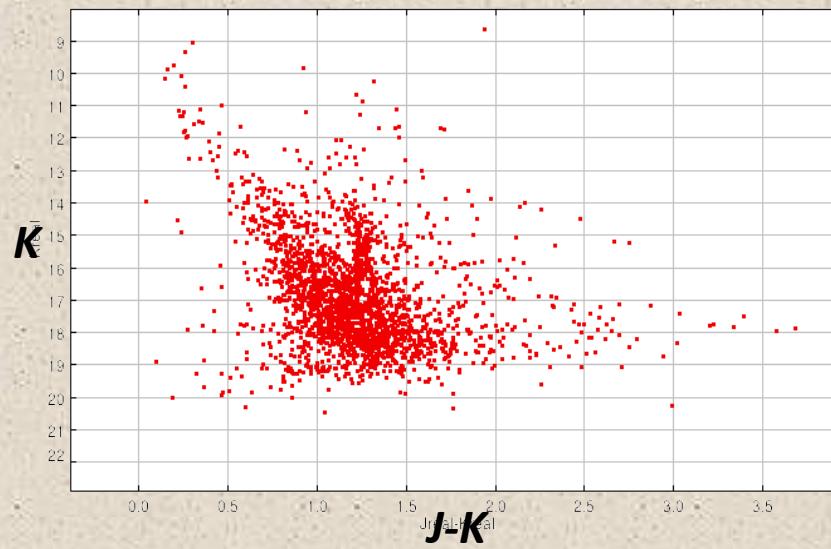
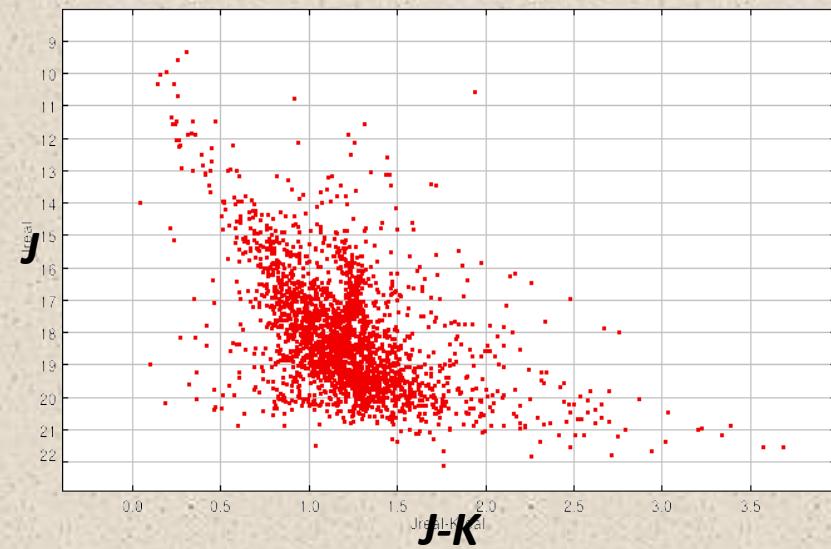
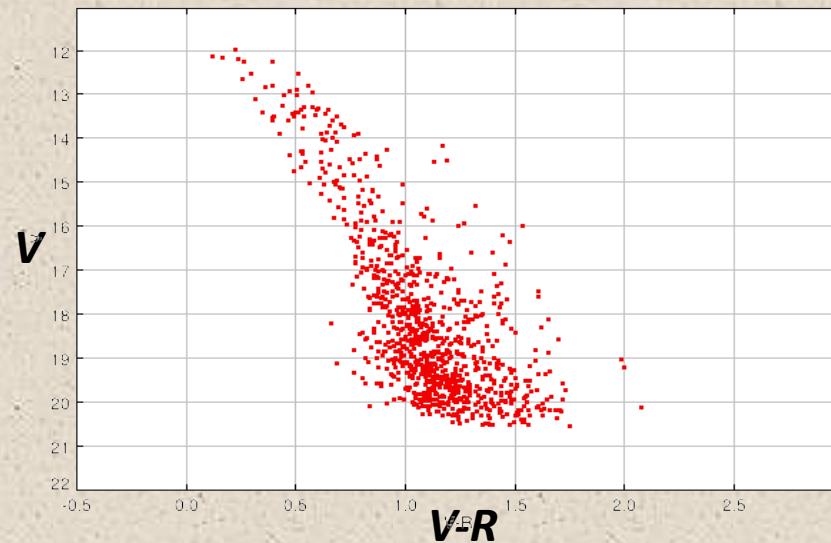
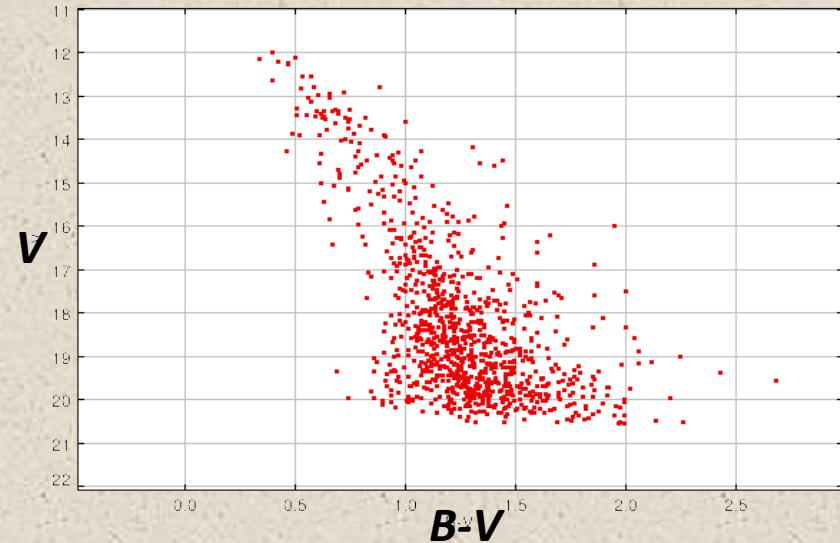
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$E(B-V)$	0.870	0.6 – 1.24 (0.8)	0.837
$E(U-B)$	0.626	0.576	0.602
A_V ($R_V=3.1$)	2.697	2.480	2.595
DM	11.85	11.90	11.83

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