

Seeing double or triple with Aristarchos ? Seeing double or triple with Aristarchos ?

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THE PROGRAM

Follow-up observing program initiated in 2013 with the 2.3 m Aristarchos telescope at Helmos Observatory, Greece,

THE GOAL

Investigate the nature of interesting W UMa type eclipsing binaries from Kepler field

- to verify the Kepler classification
- to construct complete multi-passband light curves
- to determine the spectral type with low resolution spectroscopy
- to model KIC systems using state of the art techniques
- to parameterize the morphology and derive absolute parameters
- to construct O-C diagrams
- to investigate the presence of third body
- to study their evolutionary stage.

Selection of targets

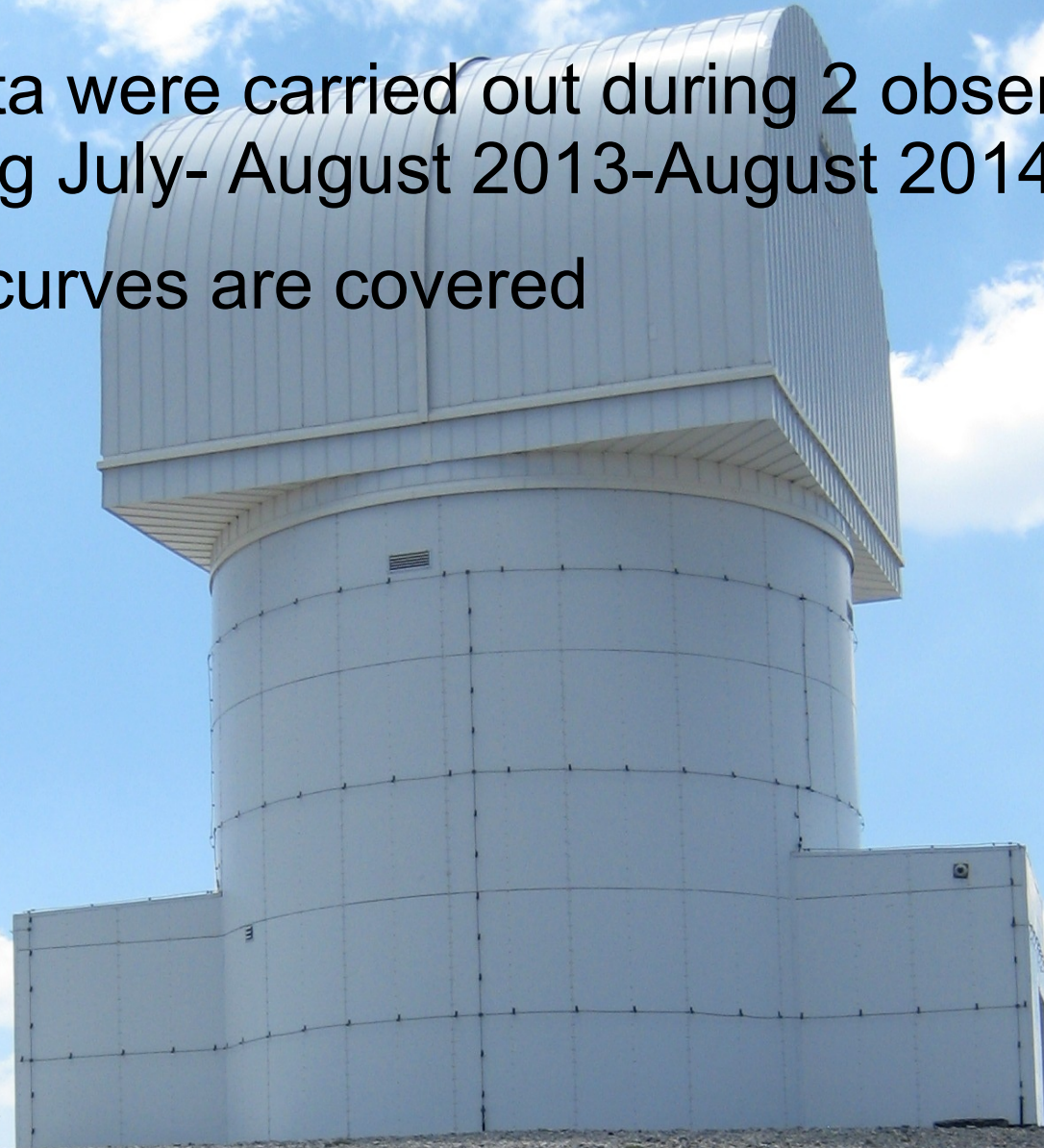
interesting W UMa type eclipsing binaries (EBs) from Kepler field
with periods < 0.45 d and $Kp(\text{mag}) = 12.6\text{--}16$ mag,

ID	RAJ2000	DecJ2000	Kp mag	Per(d)
KIC07871200	18 50 52.37	+43 40 12.1	12.8	0.242908
KIC4563150	19 28 26.8	+39 39 40.7	13.997	0.274729
KIC11246163	19 31 29.9	+48 59 02.4	14.605	0.279228
KIC8242493	19 39 53.1	+44 10 58.8	14.697	0.283284
KIC8108785	19 42 24.78	+43 55 32.3	14.7	0.228826

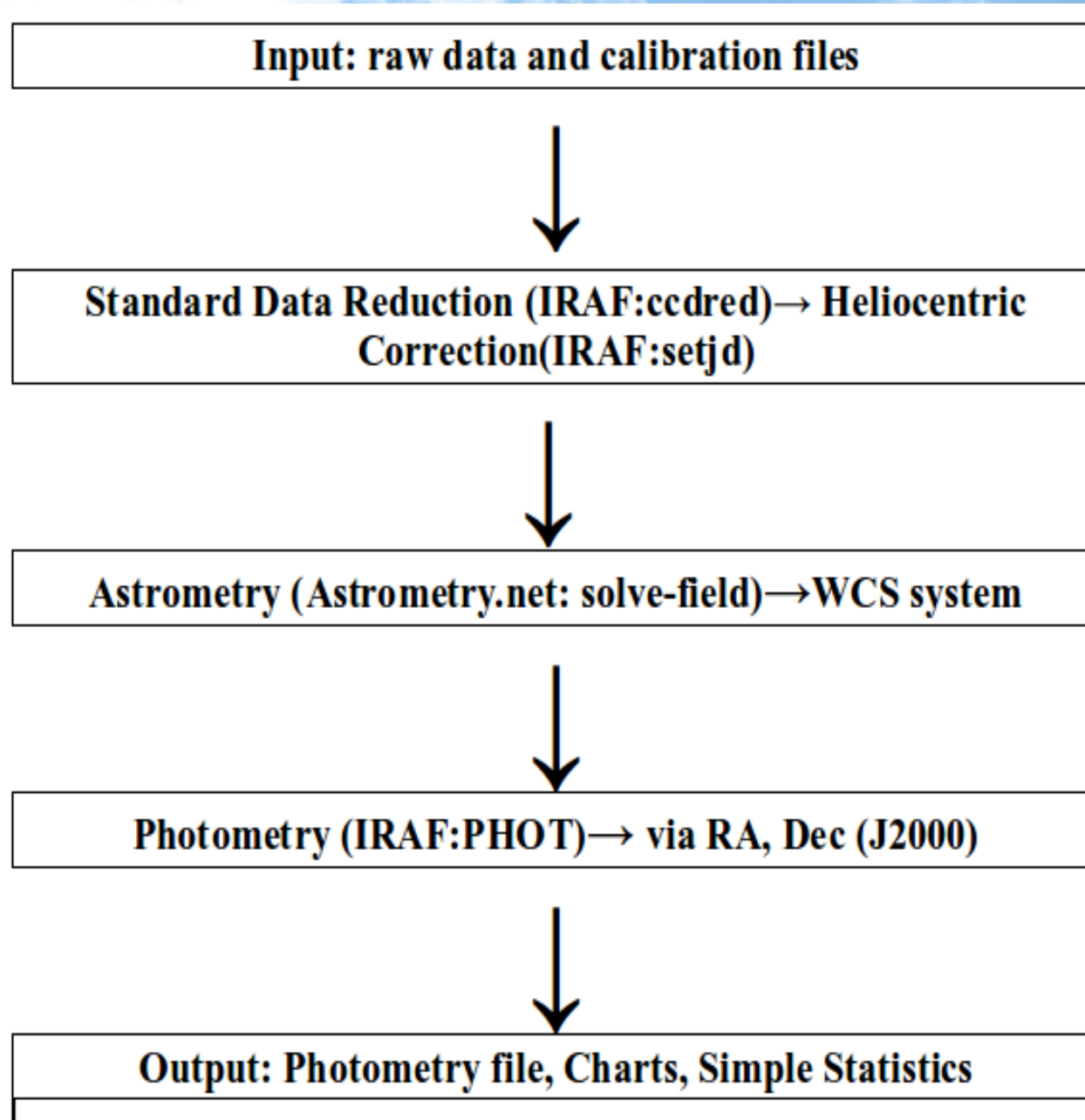
- First estimation of basic parameters are given in *Prsa et al. 2011* based on EBAI analysis
- Some of the targets have interesting ETV (quadratic, cyclic variations) (*Conroy et al. 2014*) or O'Connell effect

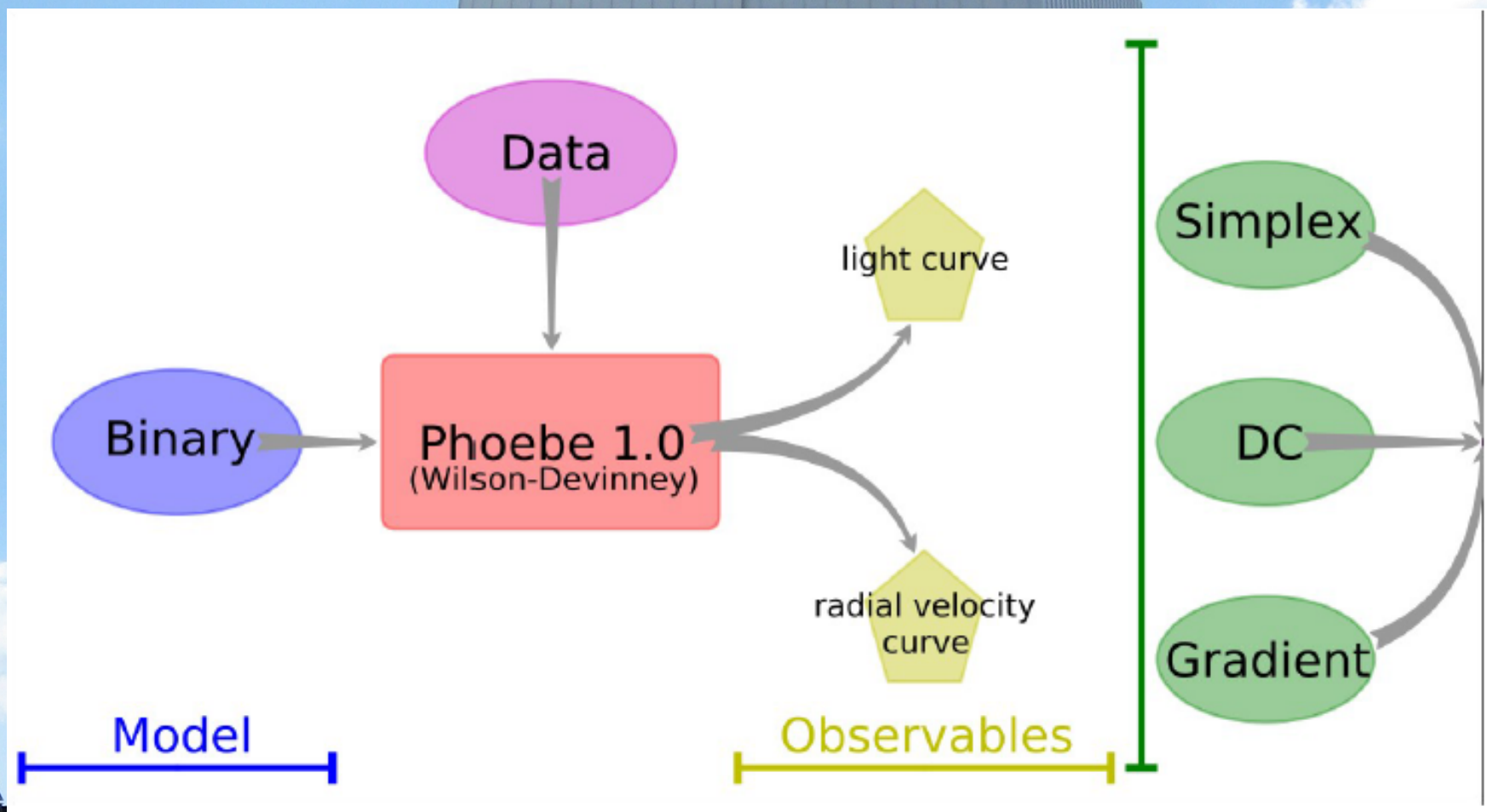
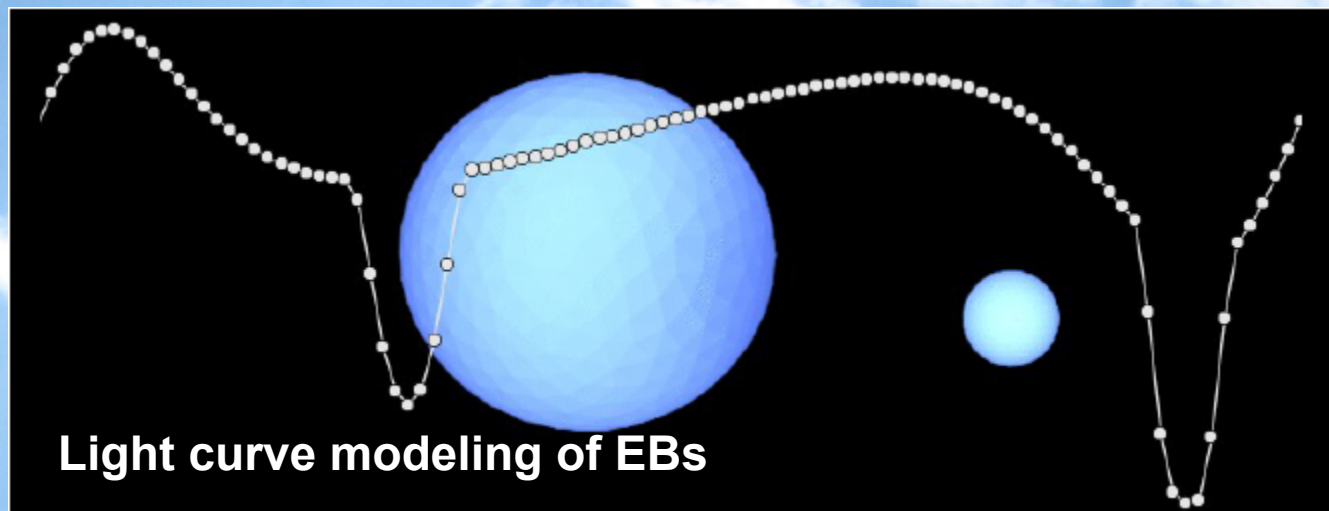
First multiband photometric observations

- Photometric data were carried out during 2 observing runs (16 nights during July- August 2013-August 2014)
- Full BVRI light curves are covered



A fully automated pipeline for data reduction and analysis (IRAF, PHOT, Astrometry.net)





Light curve modeling of EBs

- Circular orbits
- PHOEBE 1 “Overcontact not in thermal contact”
- The initial models were constructed using $q=M2/M1$ from EBAI results (Prša et al: 2011, Slawson et al: 2011) and T_{eff} (Huber et al: 2014) These were kept fixed during the fitting procedure
- Fitting with PHOEBE 0.31 scripter in order to conserve α_{ini} and/or B-V color index, setting multiple subsets (MMS Wilson & Biermann 1976) .

Methods: Searching for global solution and uncertainties

Using **Heuristic Scanning (HS)** with **parameter kicking** to explore the parameter hyperspace (Prsa & Zwitter, 2005) as described in *Christopoulou & Papageorgiou 2015a, Papageorgiou et al, 2015b*

Light curve modeling of EBs

Method 2 : Genetic Algorithm-based numerical optimization technique inspired from the biological process of evolution by means of **natural selection (Metcalf 1999, 2000)**

- Setting parameter ranges

- Creating randomly set of models according to their limits (“population”)

- 1) Calculate CFV from the model (PHOEBE-script) (“fitness”)

- 2) Accept the best set of parameters from the list according to minimum CFV and propagate to next generation.

- 3) Select the pairs of solutions according to their fitting (“parents”)

- 4) Apply crossover and mutation (“offspring”)

- 5) Check if the models are physically feasible and propagate to next generation

- 6) Go to 1

- Evolve the initial list and create generations

Methods: Modeling the light curves(cont.)

X_1 Y_1 , X_2 Y_2 are the parameters derived from S_1 and S_2 solutions

Step1: Crossover

encoding the parameters as a string-like structure "chromosome")

$X_1=4.8563$ $Y_1=8.2543 \rightarrow 4856382543$ genome 1
 $\rightarrow 4856482543 \rightarrow 4856$ **482543** $\rightarrow 4856$ **189264** $\rightarrow 4856189264 \rightarrow$
newgenome1

Same colour build a new Genome with information from both parents (initial values of parameters). The position to cut is random

$X_2=4.6791$ $Y_2=8.9264 \rightarrow 4679189264$ genome 2
 $\rightarrow 4679189264 \rightarrow 4679$ **189264** $\rightarrow 4679$ **482543** $\rightarrow 4679482543$
 \rightarrow newgenome2

Apply mutation to new genomes 1& 2 and reconstruction.

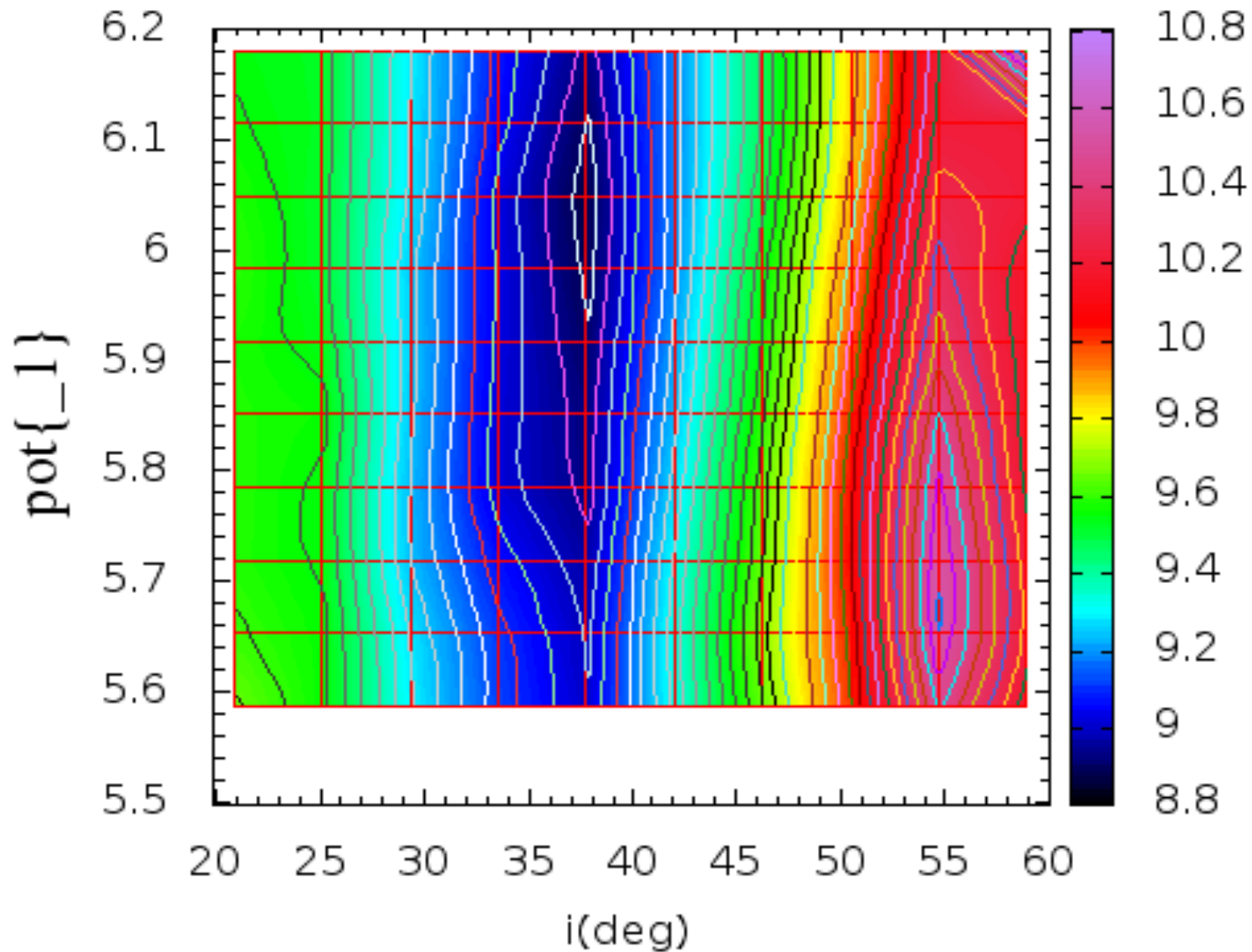
Step2: Mutation

newgenome1 \rightarrow mutation $\rightarrow 48561892$ **64** $\rightarrow 485618$ **0264**
 $\rightarrow X_1'=4.8561$ $Y_1'=8.9204$
newgenome2 \rightarrow mutation $\rightarrow 46794825$ **43** $\rightarrow 467948$ **0543**
 $\rightarrow X_2'=4.6794$ $Y_2'=8.2503$

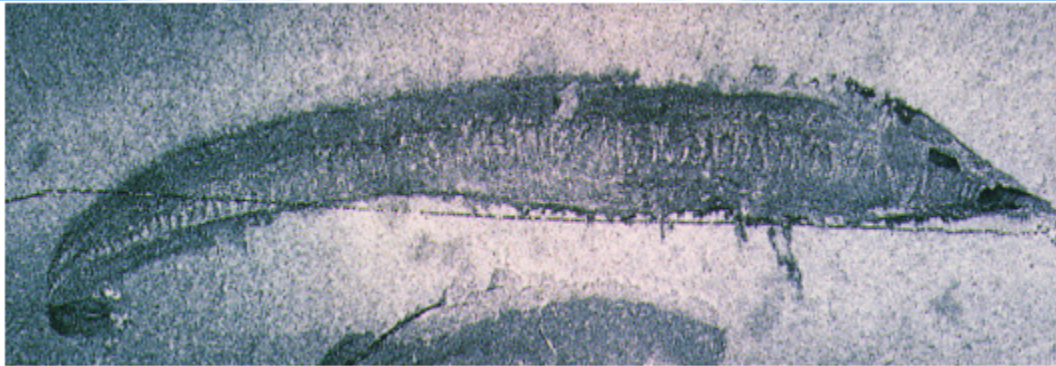
New parameter values:

$X_1=4.8563$ $Y_1=8.2543 \rightarrow X_1'=4.8561$ $Y_1'=8.0204$
 $X_2=4.6791$ $Y_2=8.9264 \rightarrow X_2'=4.6794$ $Y_2'=8.0503$

Methods: Modeling the light curves(cont.)



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Pikaia Gracilens, a little worm-like beast that crawled in the mud of a long gone seafloor of the Cambrian era, 530 million years ago. While not particularly impressive in the tooth and claw department, *Pikaia* is believed to be the founder of the phylum Chordata, whose subsequent evolution had consequences still very much felt today by the rest of the ecosystem. Image digitized from the excellent book *The Rise of Fishes*, by John A. Long (1995, The Johns Hopkins University Press)

PIKAIA (public domain software High Altitude Observatory) to solve whatever global optimization problem (Driver program written by Papageorgiou)

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Preliminary Solutions for KIC4563150 & KIC11246163

- The systems are third body candidates (*Conroy et al. 2014*)

The EBAI project (Prša et al: 2011, Slawson et al: 2011) using artificial neural networks and Kepler's mission light curves, determined *a first approach* of their fundamental parameters (q , T_2/T_1 , f and i).

The initial models were constructed using the mass ratio $q=M_2/M_1$ from EBAI results and the updated effective temperature of the systems from *Huber et al: (2014)* for the more massive component. These were kept fixed during the fitting procedure.

Results(KIC4563150)

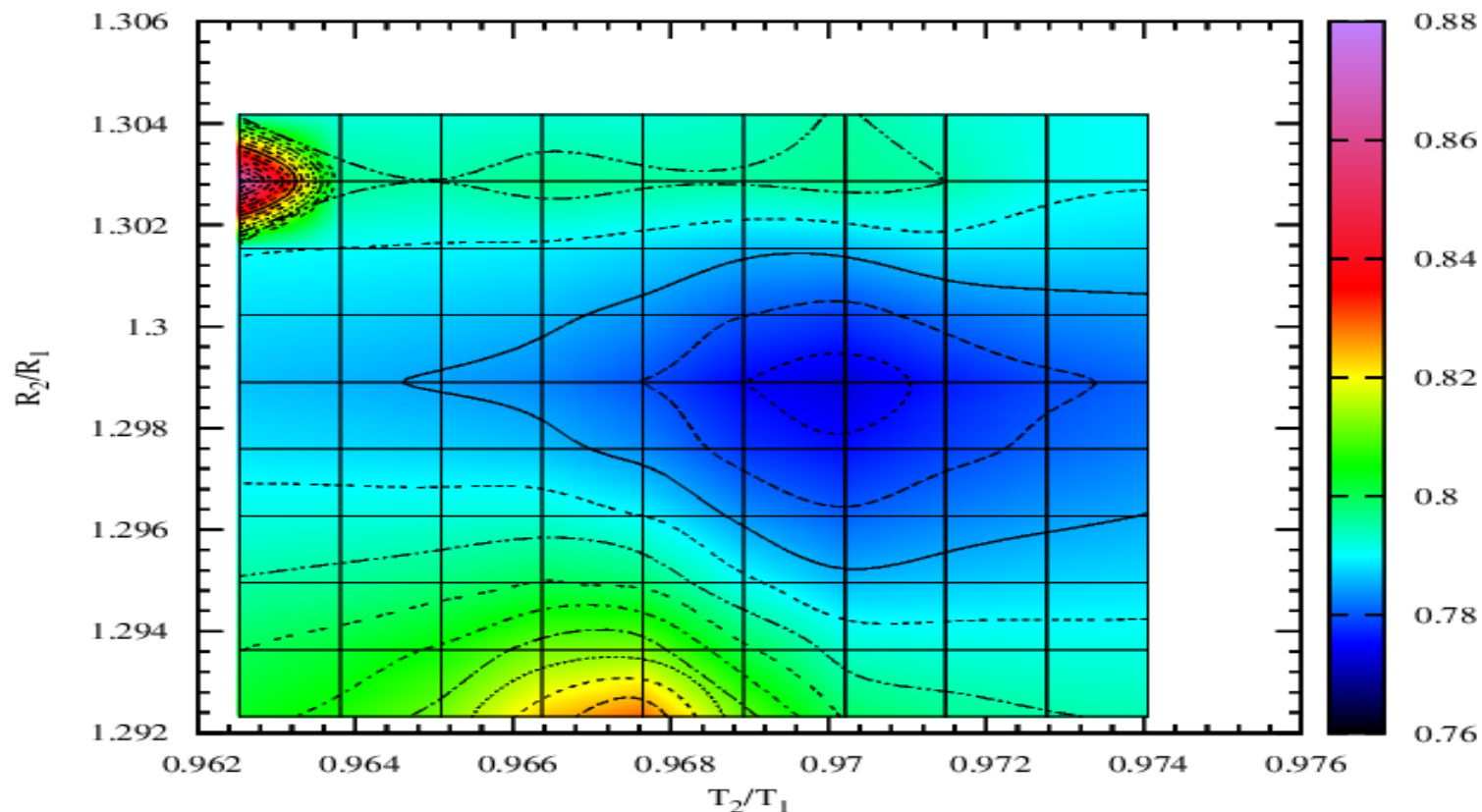
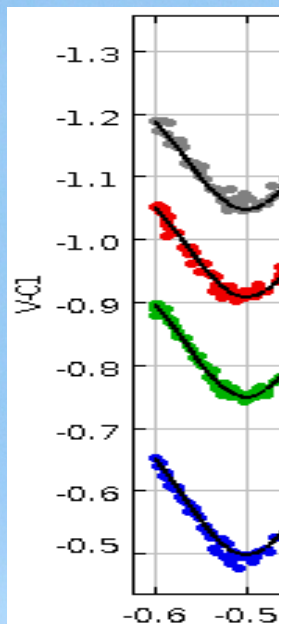
EBAI overcontact eclipsing binary system.

$q=1.77$, $i^\circ=67$ $f(\%)=51$, $T_{\text{eff}} \text{ (K)}=4998\pm143$ (*Huber et al: 2014*)

Third body candidate (*Conroy et al. 2014*)

Observations

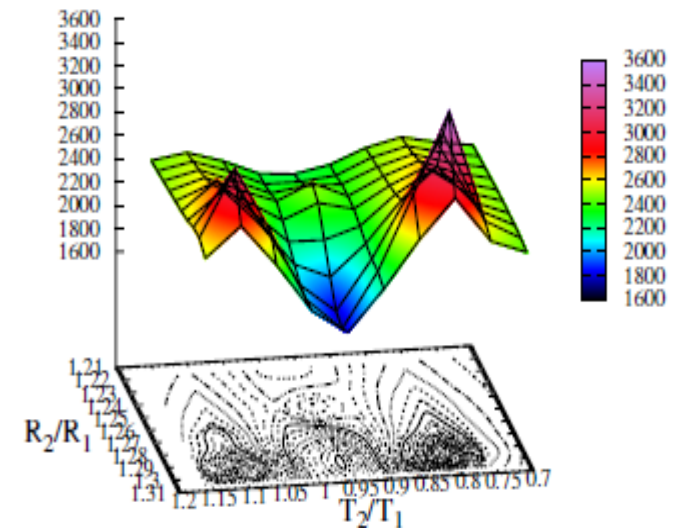
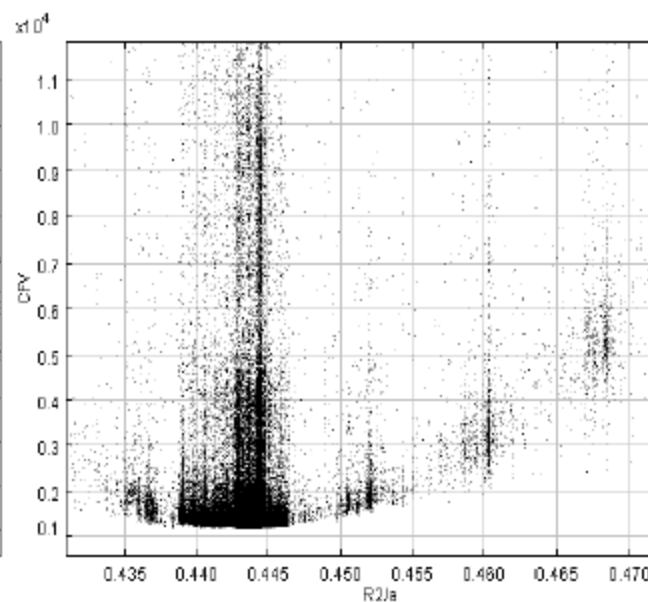
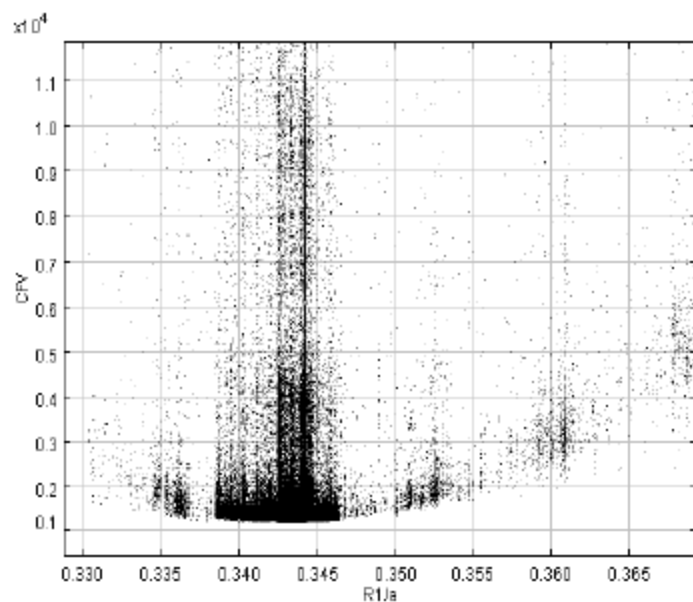
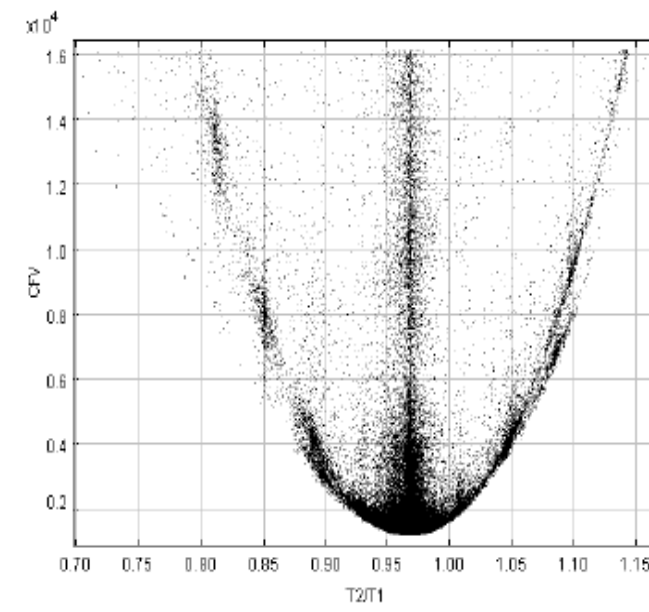
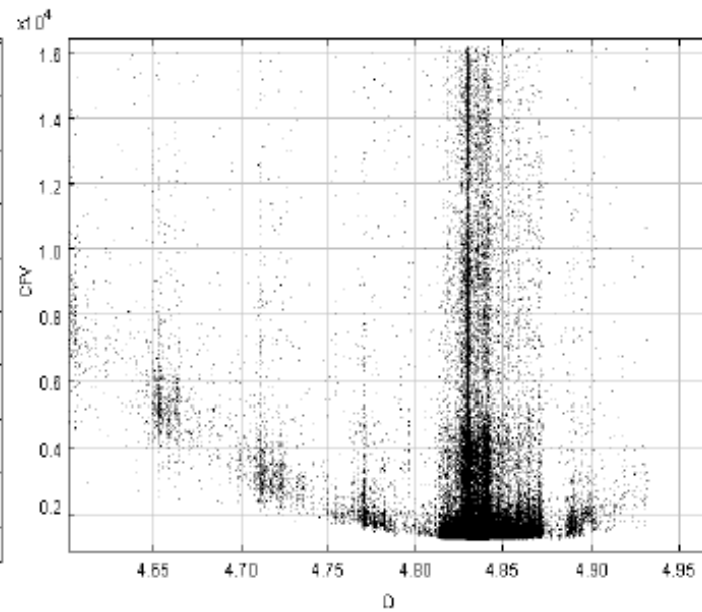
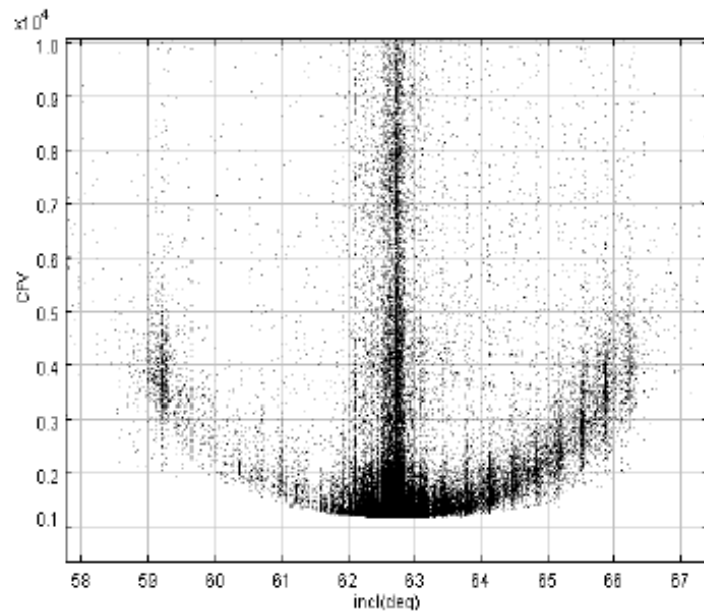
948 images B (240) V (238) R (238) I (232). 8 Minima (4 primary, 4 secondary). New ephemeris, same period



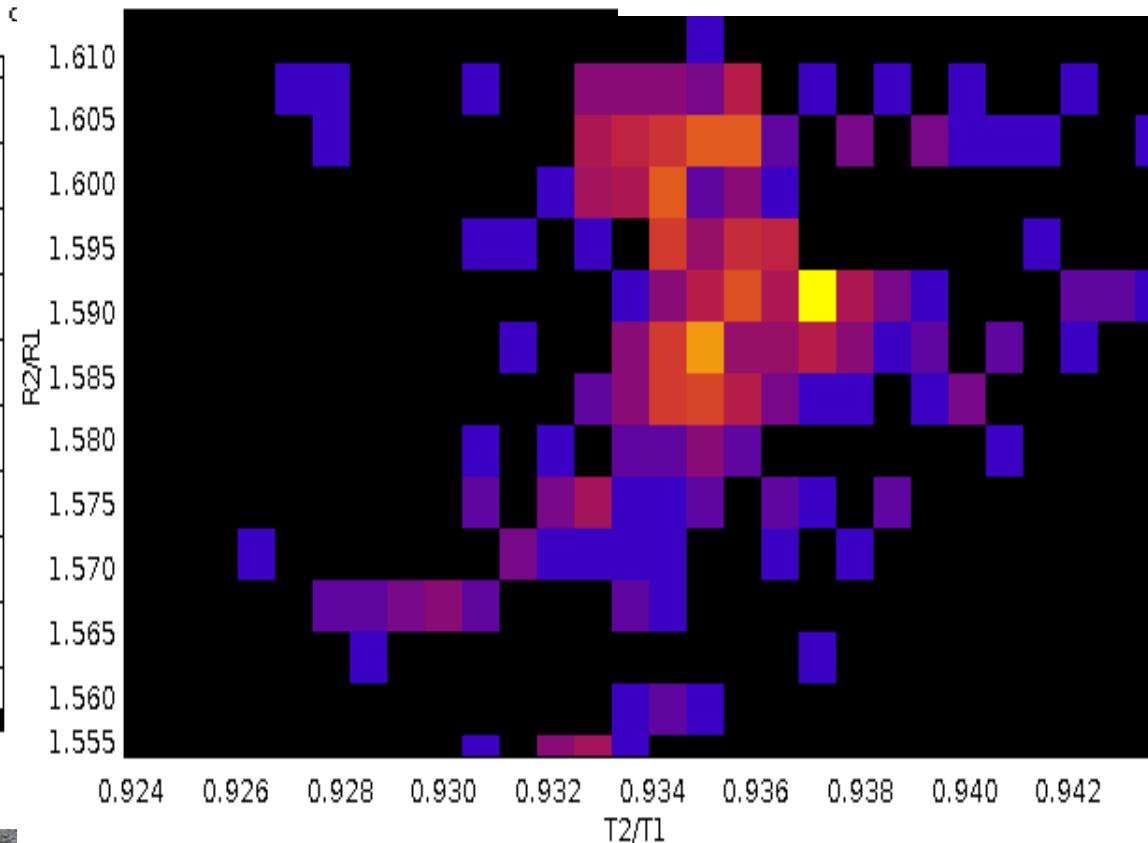
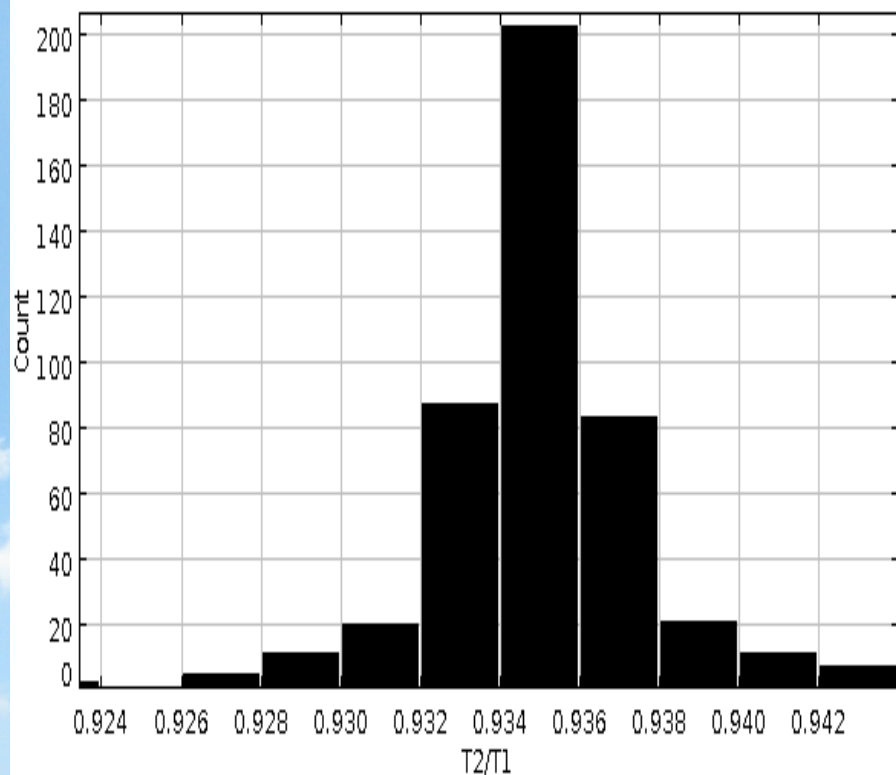
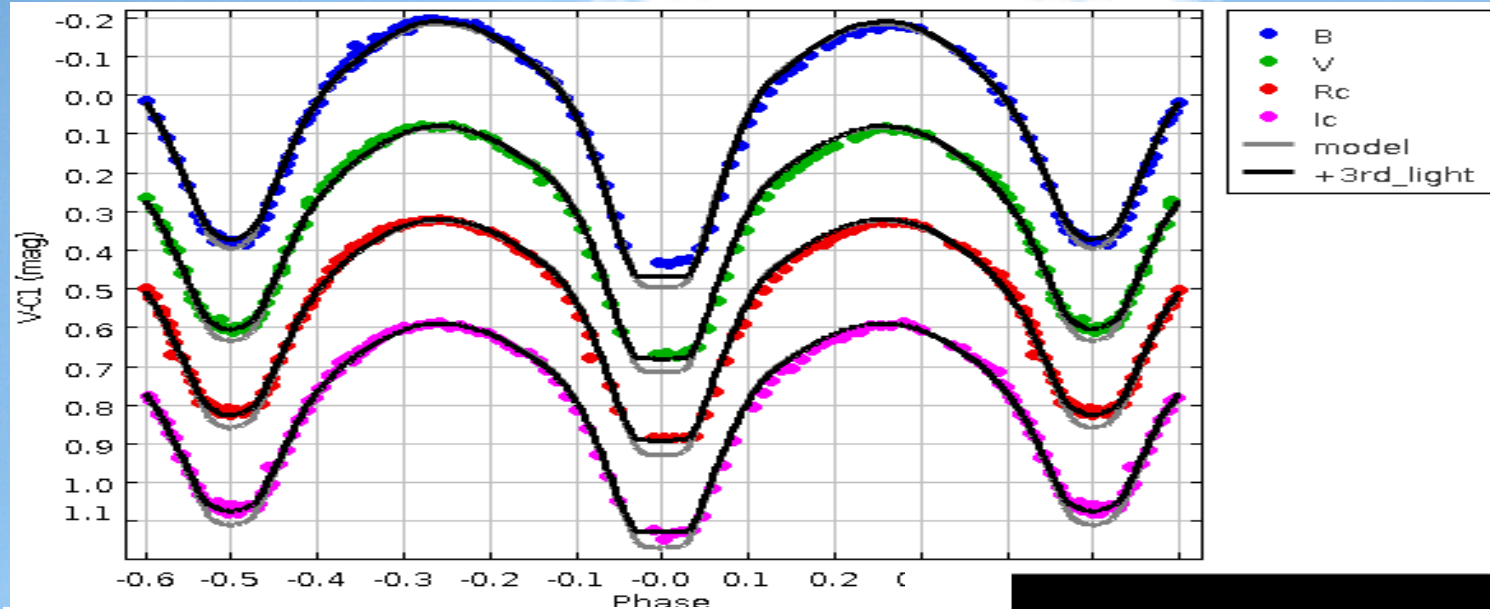
PIKAIA + PHOEBE scripter

T_1, T_2 , [4200K- 6500K], Ω [4.34 – 4.93] i[45- 80], L_3 [0-15%]

Initial population of 120 solutions evolved to 1000 generations



Results(KIC11246163)



Observations

471 images

B (112) V (120) R (120) I (119).

8 Minima II

New ephemeris, same period

EBAI overcontact

eclipsing binary system

$q=1.75$, $i^\circ=81$,

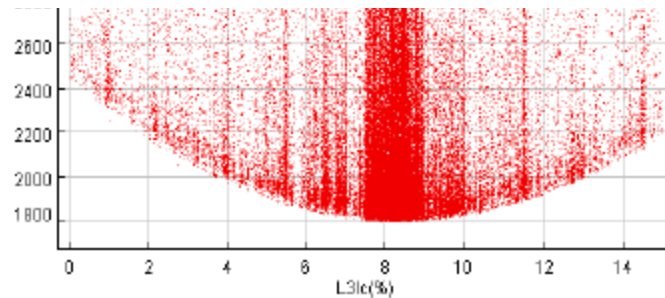
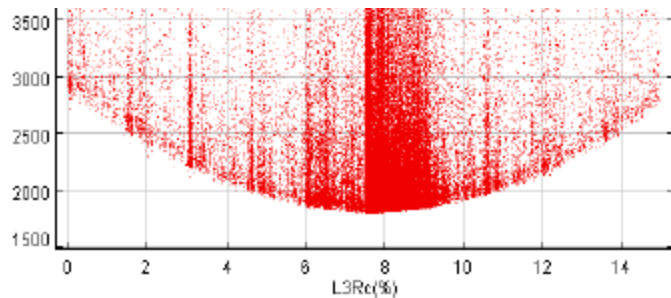
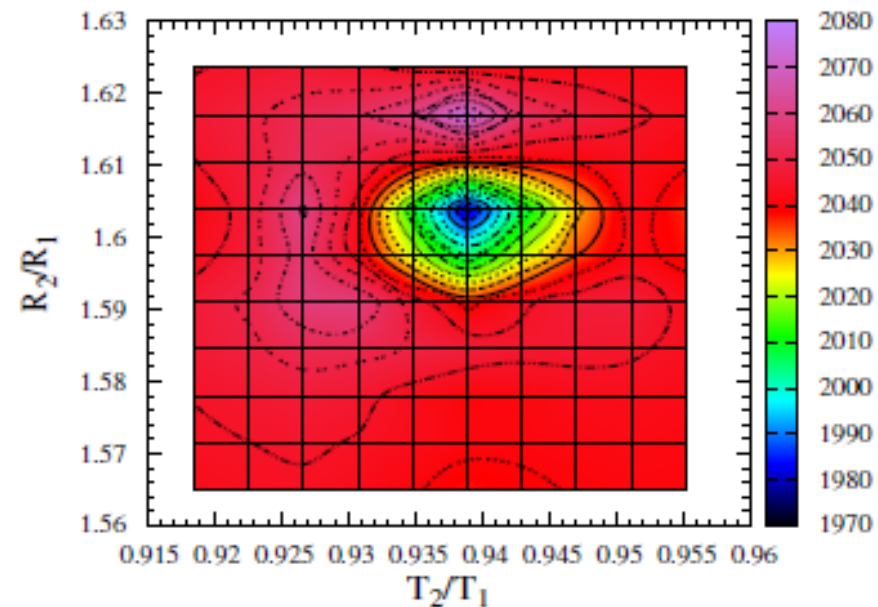
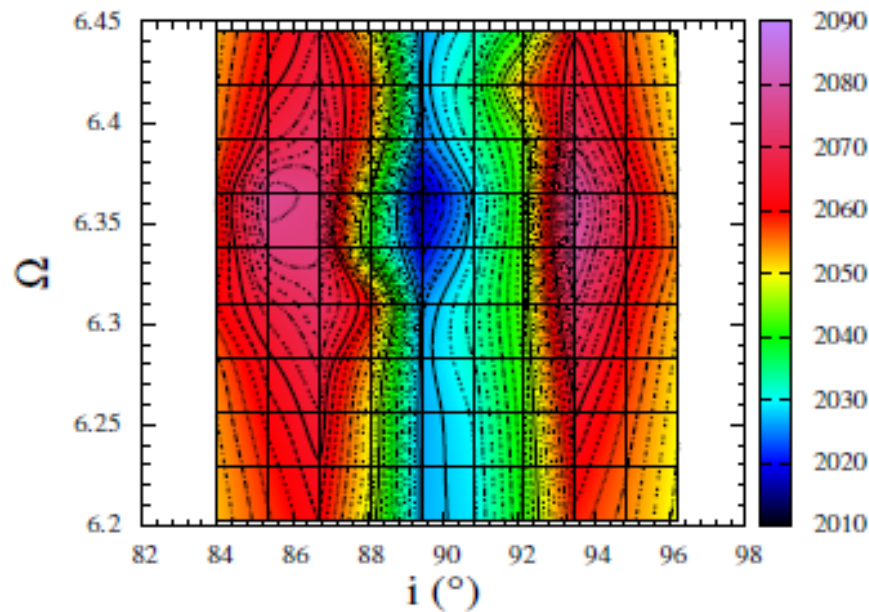
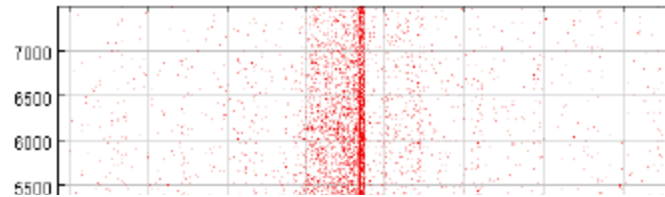
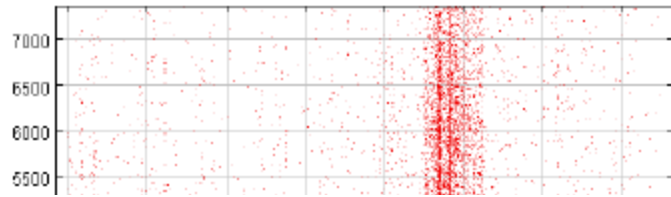
$f(\%)=23$

$T_{\text{eff}} \text{ (K)}=5545 \pm 175$

(Huber et al: 2014)

PIKAIA + PHOEBE scripter

T_1, T_2 , [4500K- 6500K], Ω [5.86 – 6.48] i [70- 100], L_3 [0-15%]
Initial population of 120 solutions evolved to 1000 generations



Παράμετρος	KIC4563150	KIC11246163
HJD_0	2456517.48816(20)	2456519.579624(10)
Period(days)	0.274729(1)	0.279228(1)
$i(^{\circ})$	62.5(1.0)	89(1.4)
$q=M_2/M_1$	1.77	2.9(1)
T_2/T_1	0.97(1.5)	0.94(2)
R_2/R_1	1.29(1)	1.59(1)
$\Omega_1=\Omega_2$	4.84(5)	6.31(5)
L_{1B}/L_{Btot}	0.429(4)	0.336(4)
L_{1V}/L_{Vtot}	0.415(3)	0.319(4)
L_{1Rc}/L_{Rctot}	0.407(3)	0.305(4)
L_{1Ic}/L_{Ictot}	0.400(2)	0.300(4)
L_{2B}/L_{Btot}	0.571(4)	0.594(6)
L_{2V}/L_{Vtot}	0.585(3)	0.601(6)
L_{2Rc}/L_{Rctot}	0.593(3)	0.606(6)
L_{2Ic}/L_{Ictot}	0.600(3)	0.609(7)
L_{3B}/L_{Btot}		0.070(8)
L_{3V}/L_{Vtot}		0.080(8)
L_{3Rc}/L_{Rctot}		0.089(8)
L_{3Ic}/L_{Ictot}		0.091 (8)

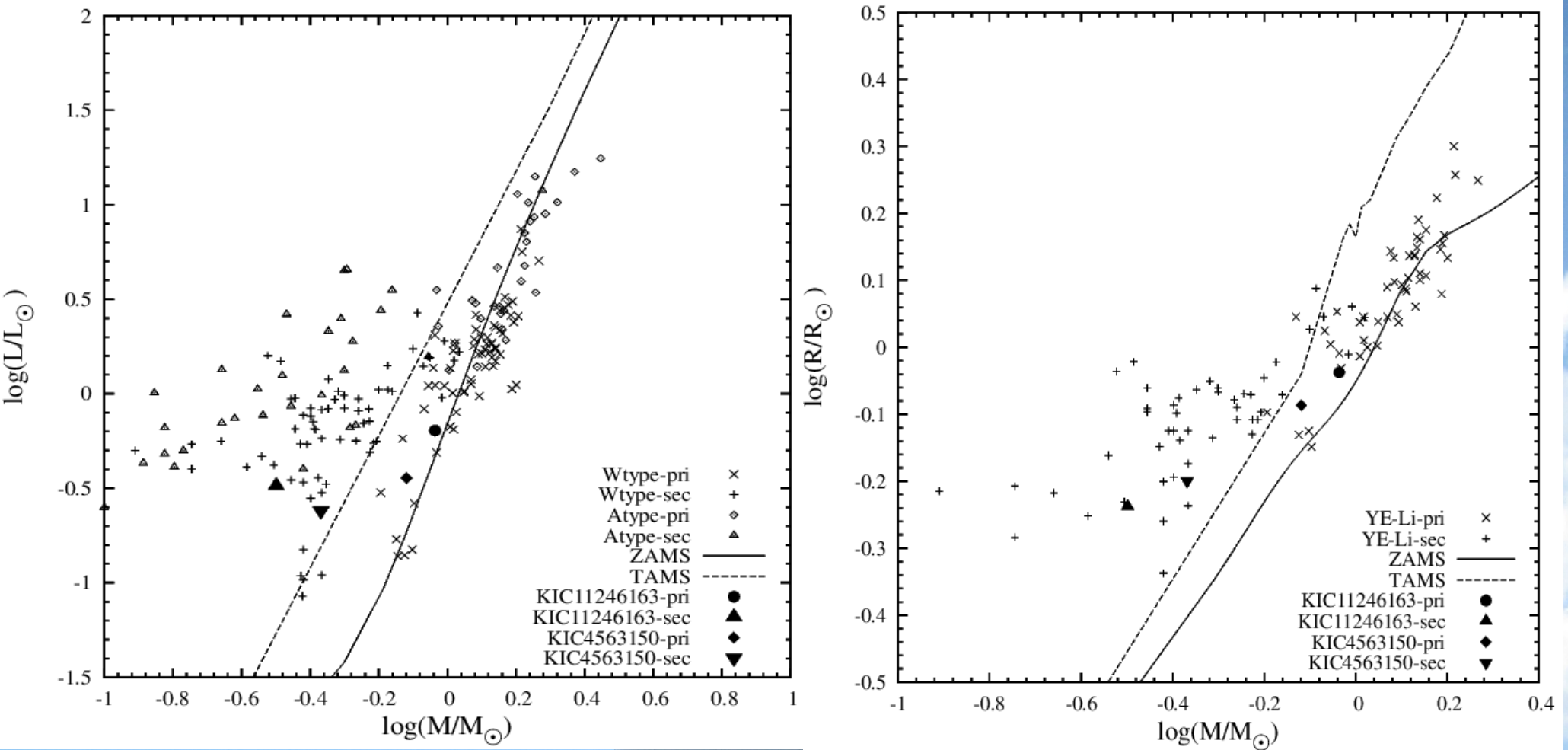
Conroy et al : 2014

Preliminary Physical Parameters

Parameter	KIC4563150	KIC11246163
$T_h(\text{K})$	5092(143)	5786(138)
$T_2(\text{K})$	4939(143)	5439(138)
$R_h(R_\odot)$	0.63(0.09)	0.56(0.04)
$R_c(R_\odot)$	0.82(0.09)	0.89(0.04)
$M_h(R_\odot)$	0.42(0.10)	0.30(0.10)
$M_c(R_\odot)$	0.76(0.10)	0.87(0.10)

W subtype W UMa

Results(Evolutionary status)

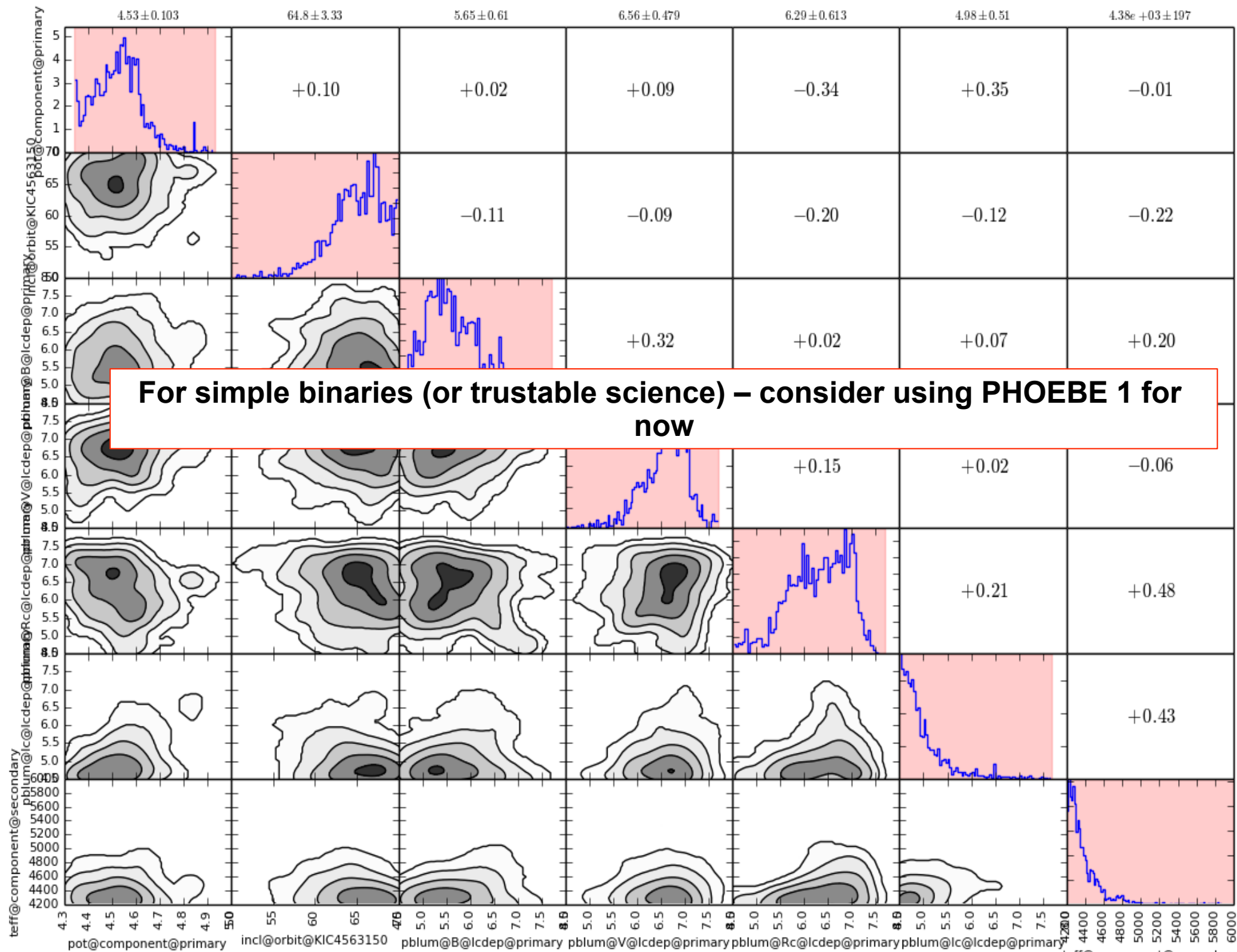


Check the evolutionary status, producing the $\log M$ - $\log L$, $\log M$ - $\log R$, with ZAMS and TAMS from BSE code (Hurley et al. 2002)

Future Work

- Spectroscopic observations q , $a_{\text{sin}i}$, V , 3^d body
- Fitting using PHOEBE 2.0 (pymc, emcee, lmfit routines etc.)





Thank you for your attention



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