

Last time: Formation of Planetary Systems

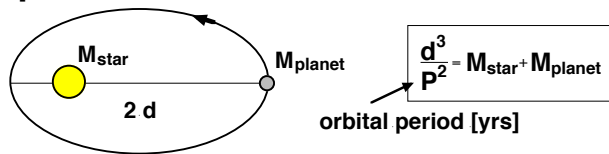
- [Observational Clues: from our current Solar System & the stars](#)
- [Collapse of interstellar cloud](#)
 - collapse, fragmentation, spinup and **disk formation**
- [The Solar Nebula \(the SS 4.6 Gyr ago\)](#)
- [Planet formation](#)
 - **differential condensation & the frost line**
 - **accretion** - growth of planetesimals

Today: Other Planetary Systems

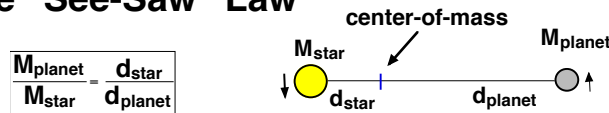
- [Imaging of planets](#) – difficult, but not impossible
- [Detection by orbital motion \(“radial velocity”\)](#)
- The *Kepler* Mission - planets are everywhere!
- > 3000 exoplanetary systems now known
- Properties of exoplanets - are they representative?

Wobbles of stars from reflex motion:

• **Kepler’s 3rd Law**



• **The "See-Saw" Law**



• $M_{\text{planet}} \ll M_{\text{star}}$

- star moves in a small orbit
- **measure d_{star} and you know M_{planet}**

Searching for other planetary systems

this is a hard problem!

• **Jupiter and the Sun**

- the Sun has a luminosity of 4×10^{33} erg/s
- Jupiter emits at most 8×10^{24} erg/s
- the Sun emits **500,000,000 times more light** than Jupiter
- viewed from 10 pc, they are separated by 5 arc sec

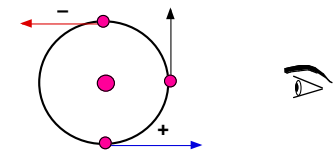
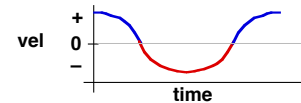
• **equivalent to**

- 1 candle,
- 10 feet away from a stadium light bank,
- **viewed from 80 miles away!**

The "Radial Velocity" technique:

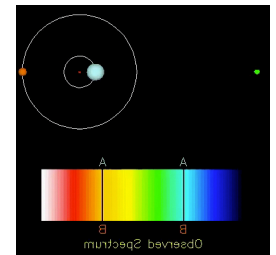
look for orbital **VELOCITY** of star around CM

Orbital motion:



$$V = \frac{2\pi d}{P} \quad \text{so}$$

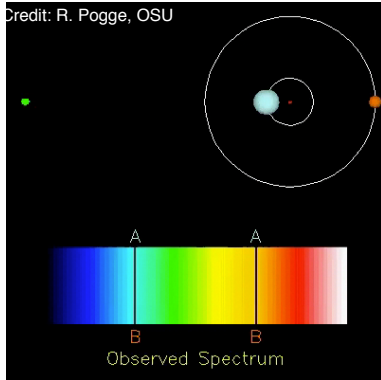
$$V_{\text{star}} = 30 \text{m/s} \times \frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{M_{\text{star}}}} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}} \times \frac{M_{\text{planet}}}{M_{\text{Jupiter}}}$$



- Biggest effect if viewed **EDGE ON**
- **Tilt of orbit to line-of-sight reduces observed velocity**

Reflex Orbital Motion

- via reflex orbital motion: **precision spectroscopy**
- as of today: 786 planets in 581 systems



Credit: R. Pogge, OSU



Jupiter as an example:

- V_{Sun} around CM of Solar System = 13 m/s (= 30 mph)
- Doppler effect of 13 m/s is 1 part in 23,000,000 (!)
- varies cyclically over a 12 year cycle
- very difficult (but not impossible) to measure
- need **stable spectroscope over long time**
- **Earth? 9 cm/s!**

Improved chances for detection (V_{star} bigger):

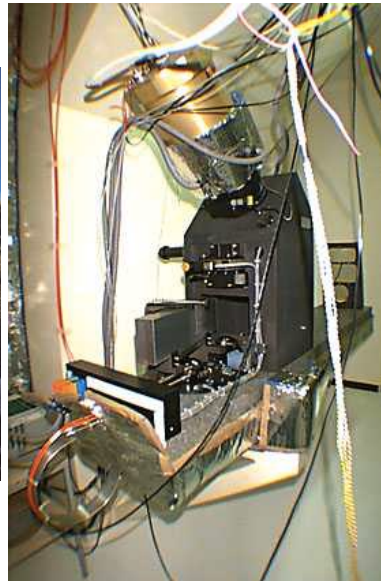
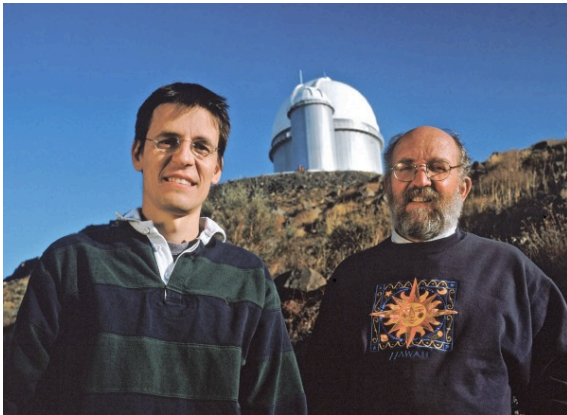
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if planet is massive

if planet is close to star
also - shorter period = faster detection

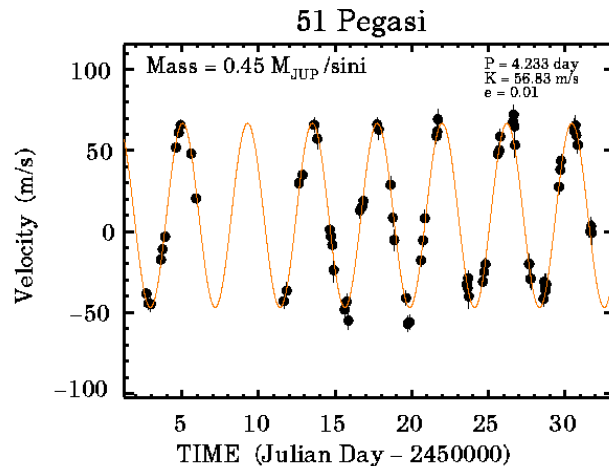
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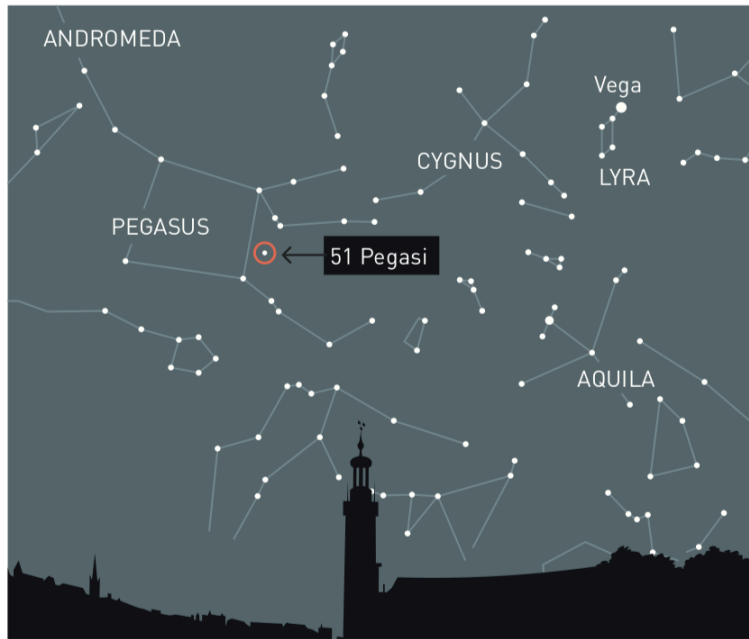


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- **pre-1995 - The Search is On**
 - initial search for 'ordinary planets'
 - $P_{\text{orb}} \sim$ months
- **1995 -first discovery - 51 Peg (Mayor & Queloz)**



$P_{\text{orb}} = 4.233$ days
 $M_{\text{planet}} = 0.45 M_{\text{Jupiter}}$



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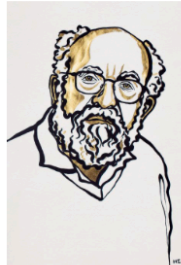
The Nobel Prize in Physics 2019



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James Peebles

Prize share: 1/2



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Michel Mayor

Prize share: 1/4



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The Nobel Prize in Physics 2019 was awarded "for contributions to our understanding of the evolution of the universe and Earth's place in the cosmos" with one half to James Peebles "for theoretical discoveries in physical cosmology", the other half jointly to Michel Mayor and Didier Queloz "for the discovery of an exoplanet orbiting a solar-type star."

Discovery Paper

ARTICLES

A Jupiter-mass companion to a solar-type star

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The presence of a Jupiter-mass companion to the star 51 Pegasi is inferred from observations of periodic variations in the star's radial velocity. The companion lies only about eight million kilometres from the star, which would be well inside the orbit of Mercury in our Solar System. This object might be a gas-giant planet that has migrated to this location through orbital evolution, or from the radiative stripping of a brown dwarf.

For more than ten years, several groups have been examining the radial velocities of dozens of stars, in an attempt to identify orbital motions induced by the presence of heavy planetary companions¹⁻⁵. The precision of spectrographs optimized for Doppler studies and currently in use is limited to about 15 m s^{-1} . As the reflex motion of the Sun due to Jupiter is 13 m s^{-1} , all current searches are limited to the detection of objects with at least the mass of Jupiter (M_J). So far, all precise Doppler surveys have failed to detect any jovian planets or brown dwarfs.

Since April 1994 we have monitored the radial velocity of 142 G and K dwarf stars with a precision of 13 m s^{-1} . The stars in our survey are selected for their apparent constant radial velocity (at lower precision) from a larger sample of stars monitored for 15 years⁶⁻⁷. After 18 months of measurements, a small number of stars show significant velocity variations. Although most candidates require additional measurements, we report here the discovery of a companion with a minimum mass of $0.5 M_J$, orbiting at 0.05 AU around the solar-type star 51 Peg. Constraints originating from the observed rotational velocity of 51 Peg and from its low chromospheric emission give an upper limit of $2 M_J$ for

the mass of the companion. Alternative explanations to the observed radial velocity variation (pulsation or spot rotation) are unlikely.

The very small distance between the companion and 51 Peg is certainly not predicted by current models of giant planet formation⁸. As the temperature of the companion is above $1,300 \text{ K}$, this object seems to be dangerously close to the Jeans thermal evaporation limit. Moreover, non-thermal evaporation effects are known to be dominant⁹ over thermal ones. This jovian-mass companion may therefore be the result of the stripping of a very-low-mass brown dwarf.

The short-period orbital motion of 51 Peg also displays a long-period perturbation, which may be the signature of a second low-mass companion orbiting at larger distance.

Discovery of Jupiter-mass companion(s)

Our measurements are made with the new fibre-fed echelle spectrograph ELODIE of the Haute-Provence Observatory, France¹⁰. This instrument permits measurements of radial velocity with an accuracy of about 13 m s^{-1} of stars up to 9 mag in an exposure time of <30 min. The radial velocity is computed

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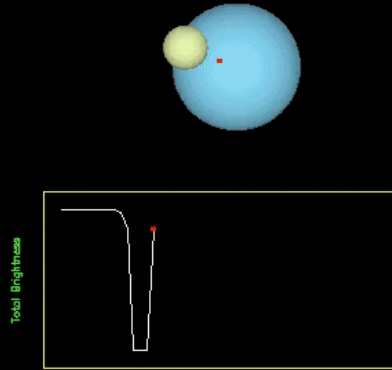
LETTERS TO NATURE

The search for extrasolar planets can be amazingly rich in surprises. From a complete planetary system detected around a pulsar^{24,25}, to the rather unexpected orbital parameters of 51 Peg b, searches begin to reveal the extraordinary diversity of possible planetary formation sites.

Note added in revision. After the announcement of this discovery at a meeting held in Florence, independent confirmations of

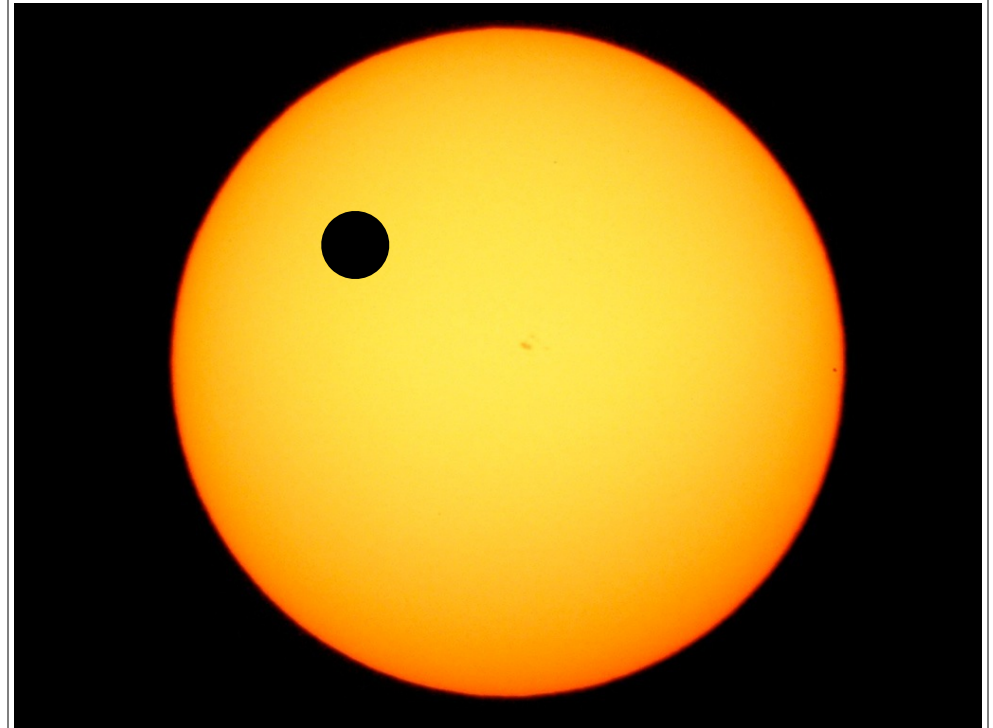
the 4.2-day period radial-velocity variation were obtained in mid-October by a team at Lick Observatory, as well as by a joint team from the High Altitude Observatory and the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics. We are deeply grateful to G. Marcy, P. Butler, R. Noyes, T. Kennelly and T. Brown for having immediately communicated their results to us. □

extrasolar planet detection via precision photometry

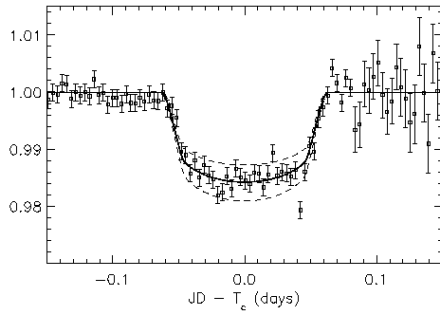


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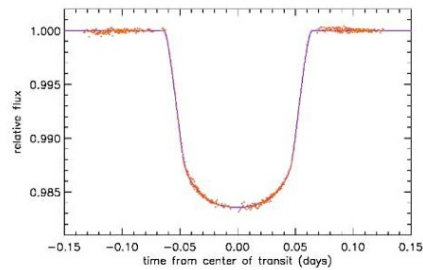
- as of today, number of systems/planets discovered by transits:
total: 2231 planetary systems, 2970 planets, 482 multiples
from space: 1745 planetary systems, 2431 planets, 4247 candidates



The first transiting extrasolar planet: HD209458

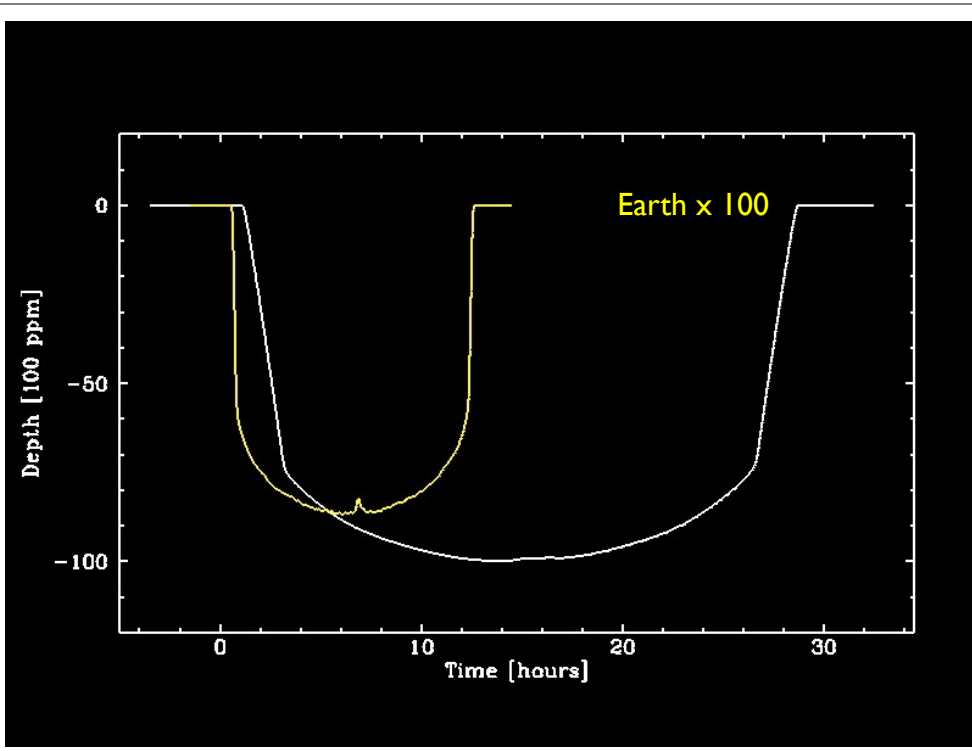


Discovery by Charbonneau et al. 1999



Hubble Space Telescope light curve



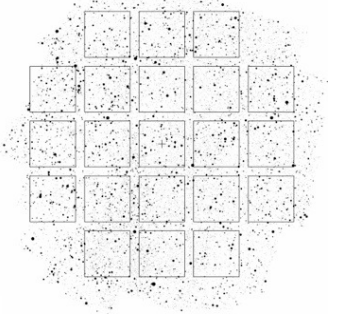


Kepler MISSION CONCEPT



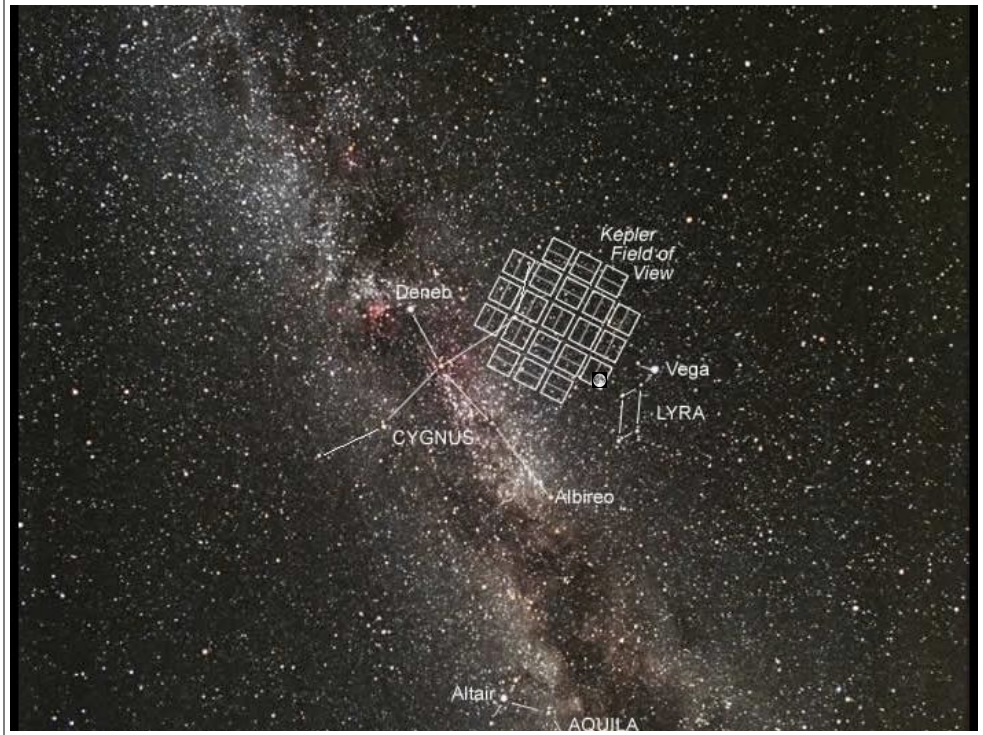
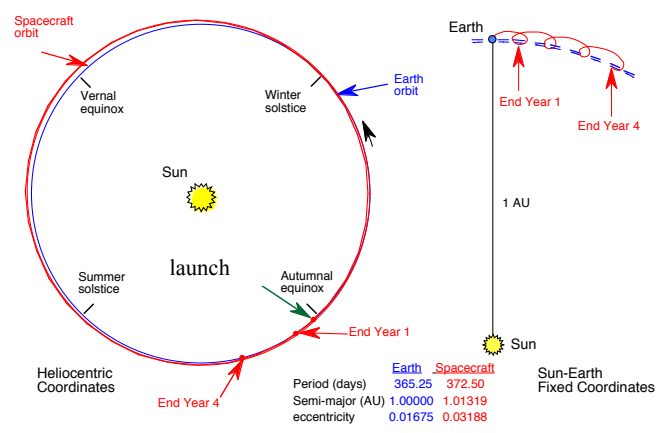
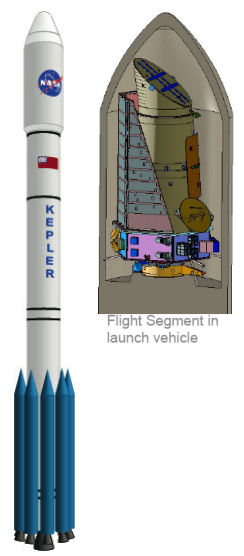
A Search for Habitable Planets

- Launched 6 March 2009
- 0.95m Schmidt telescope:
FOV >100 deg² with an array of 42 CCD
- Optimized for finding habitable planets (0.5 to 10 M_⊙) in the HZ (near 1 AU) of solar-like stars
- Continuously and simultaneously monitor 150,000 main-sequence stars
- Heliocentric orbit for continuous viewing 4 year duration



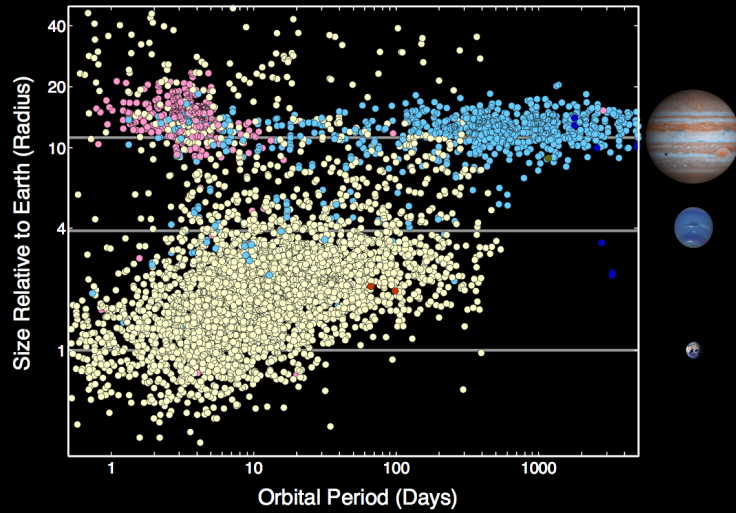
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Earth-trailing Heliocentric Orbit

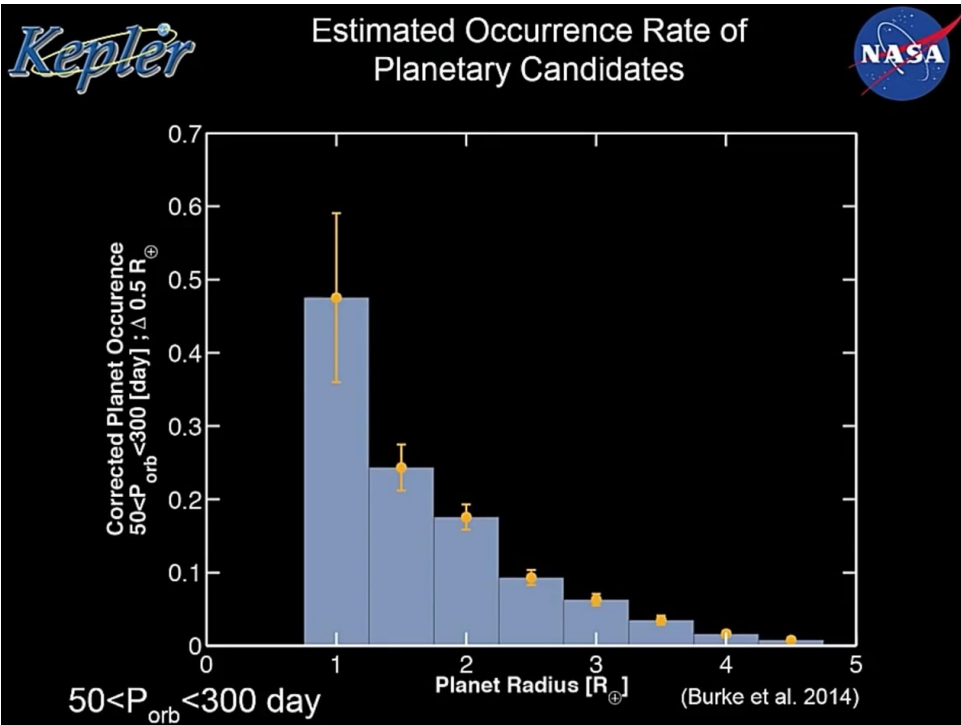
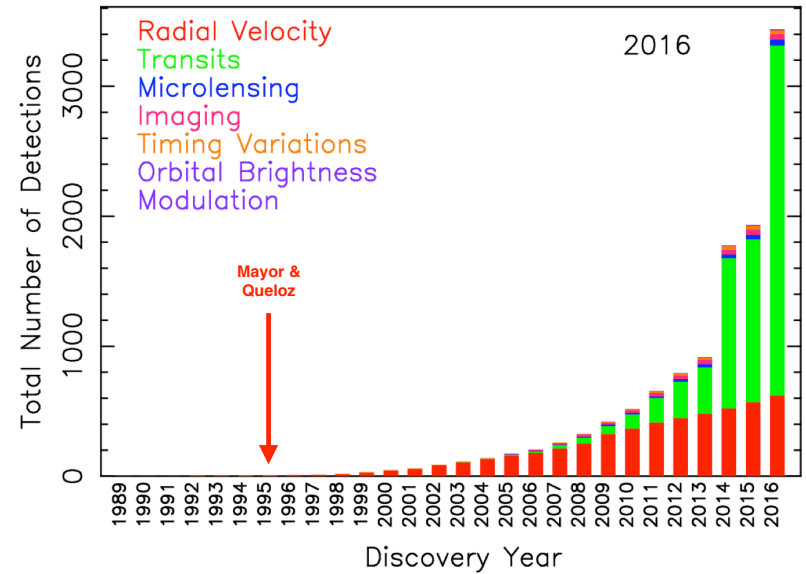


Exoplanet Populations

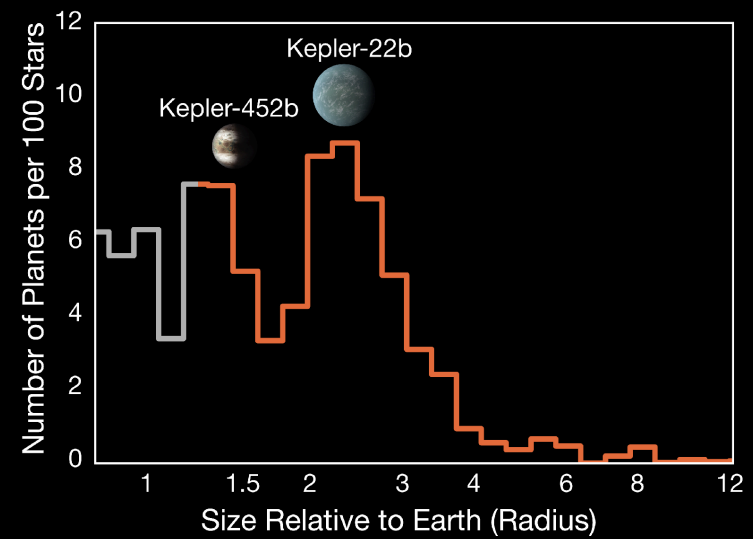
Non-Kepler and Kepler Discoveries



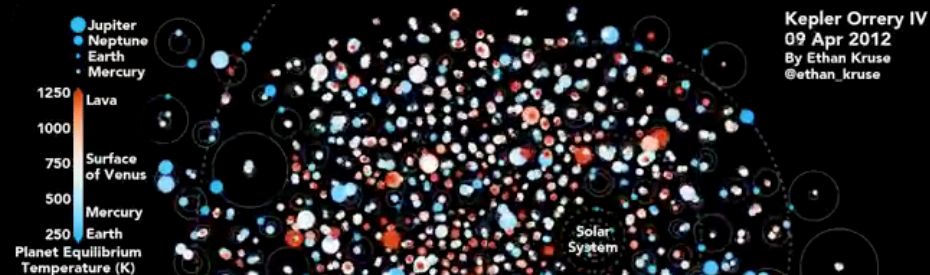
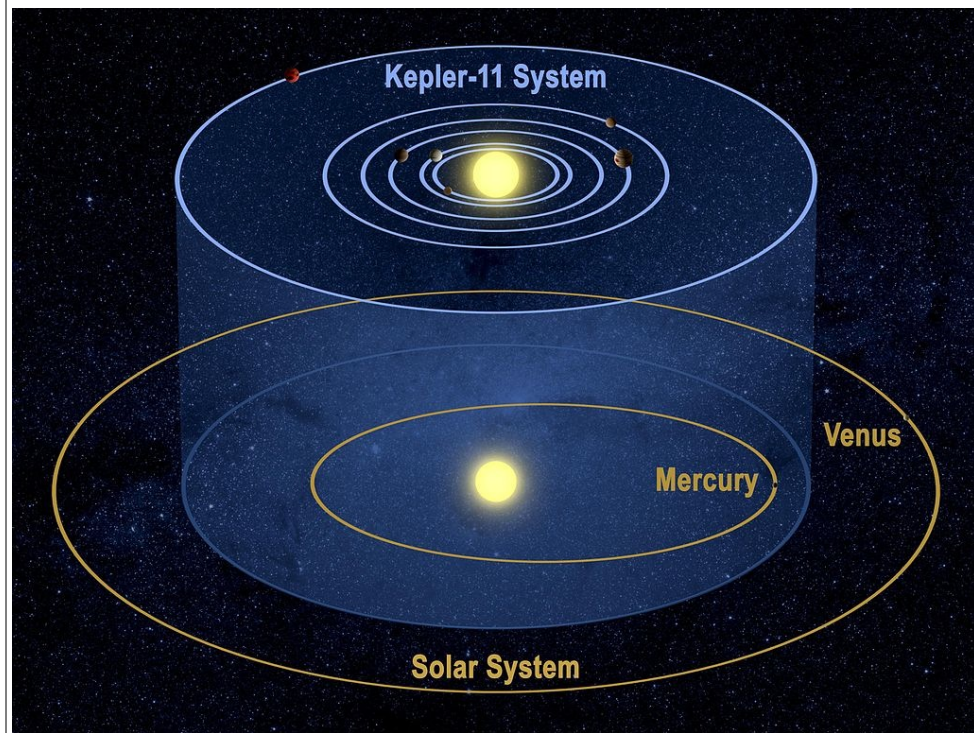
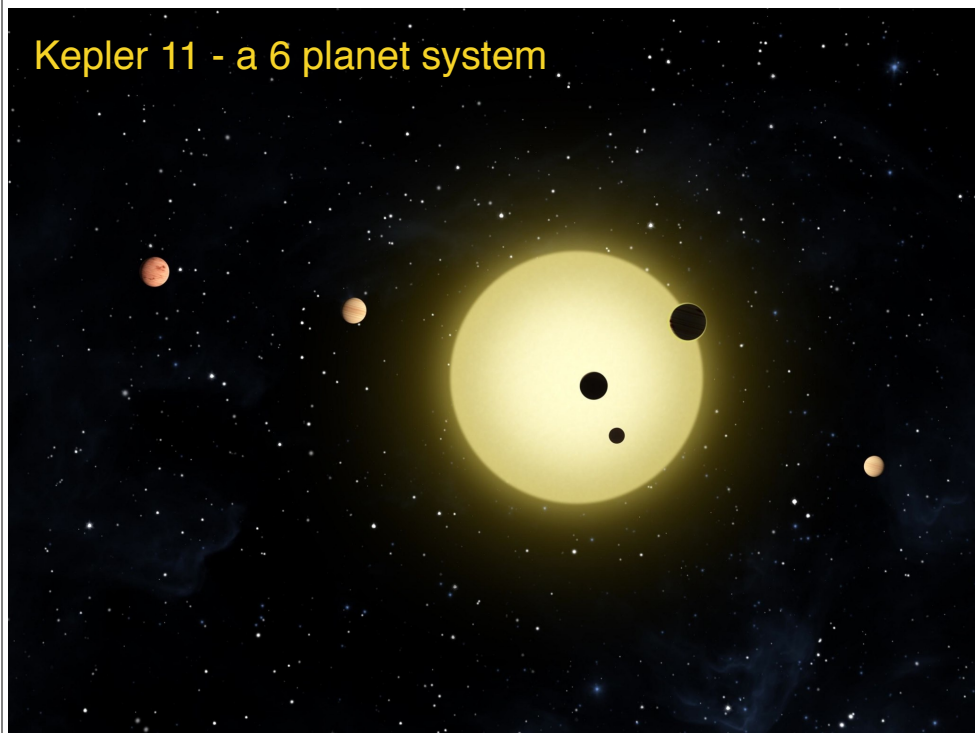
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Small Planets Come in Two Sizes

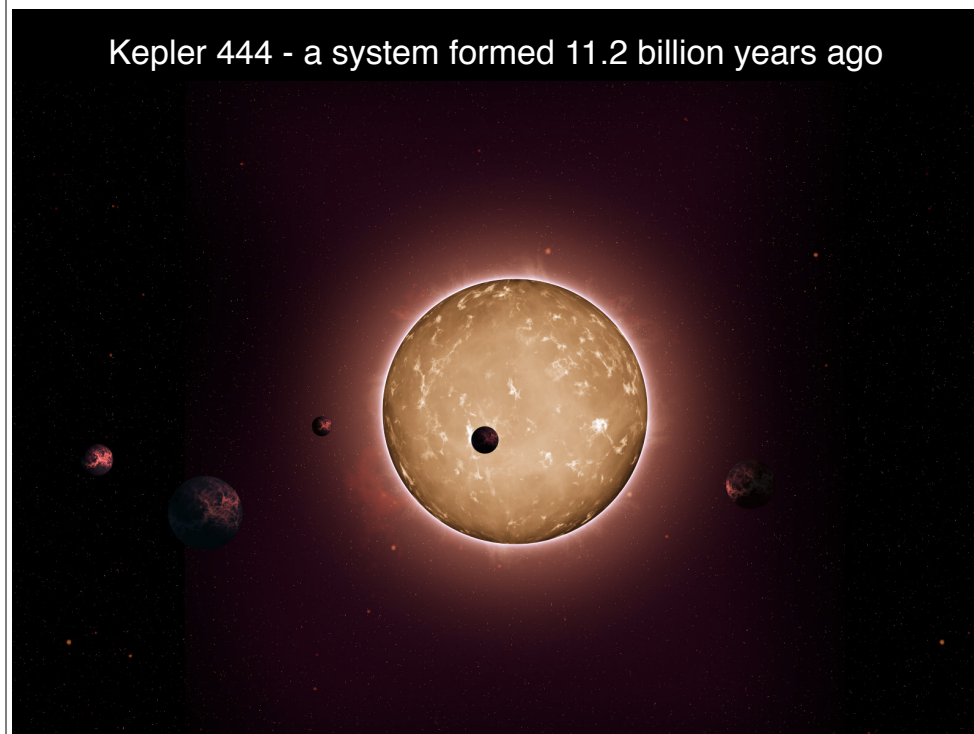


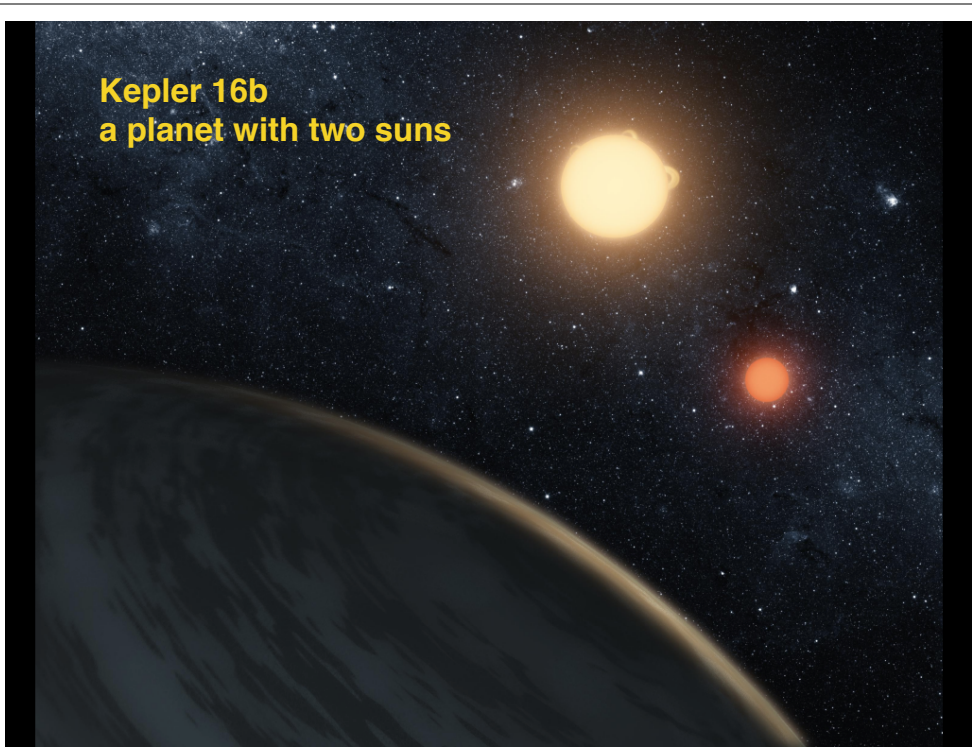
Kepler 11 - a 6 planet system



multiple planet systems

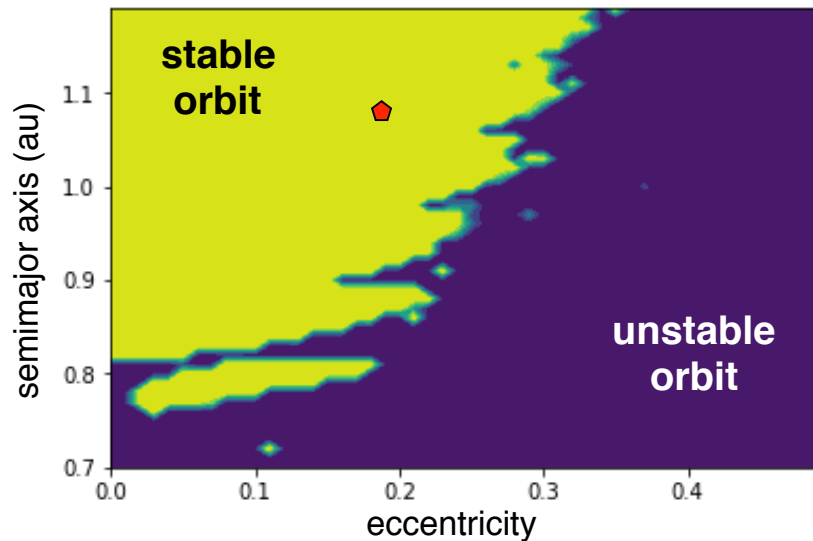
Kepler 444 - a system formed 11.2 billion years ago





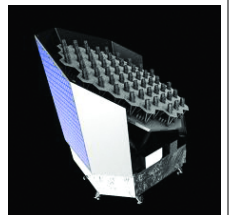
Kepler 34AB & Kepler 34 b

Drew Thomas (ISU sophomore research student)

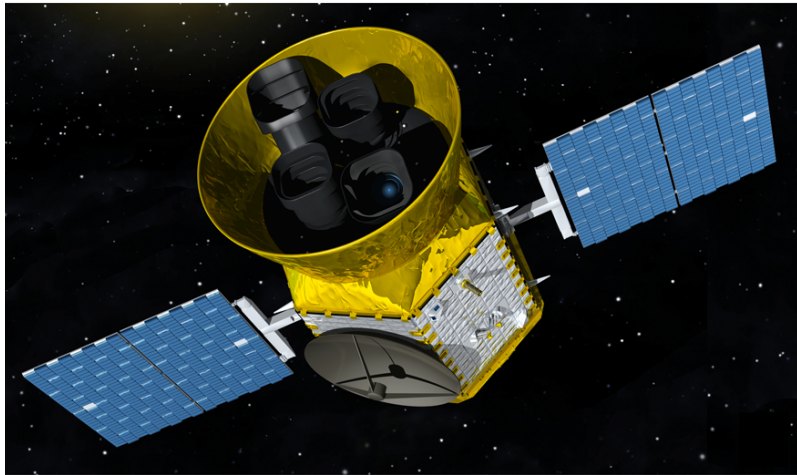


What is next?

- **TESS** (MIT/GSFC lead)
 - 500,000 “bright” stars, over entire sky
 - strong asteroseismology component
 - launched April 2018, began science July 2018
- European Space Agency: **PLATO**
 - multiple-telescope orbital platform
 - 9 x area of Kepler
 - 100,000 stars with capacity for 1,000,000
 - approved in February 2014; launch in **2024**
- Beyond 2024 - ?



TESS - April 2018 launch

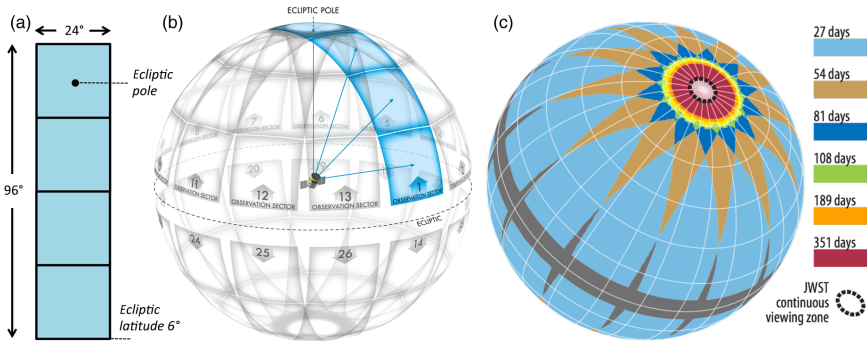


G. Ricker et al., SPIE J. Astron. Telesc. Instrum. Syst. 1(1), 014003 (2014)

TESS - April 2018 launch



TESS sky coverage



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Exoplanet Missions

Ground-based Observatories

- Astronomy and Astrophysics in the New Millennium
- 2001 Decadal Survey
- New Worlds, New Horizons in Astronomy and Astrophysics
- 2010 Decadal Survey