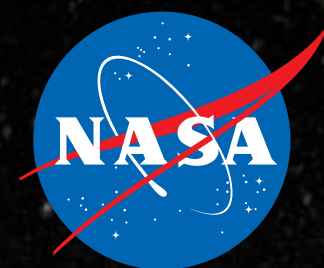
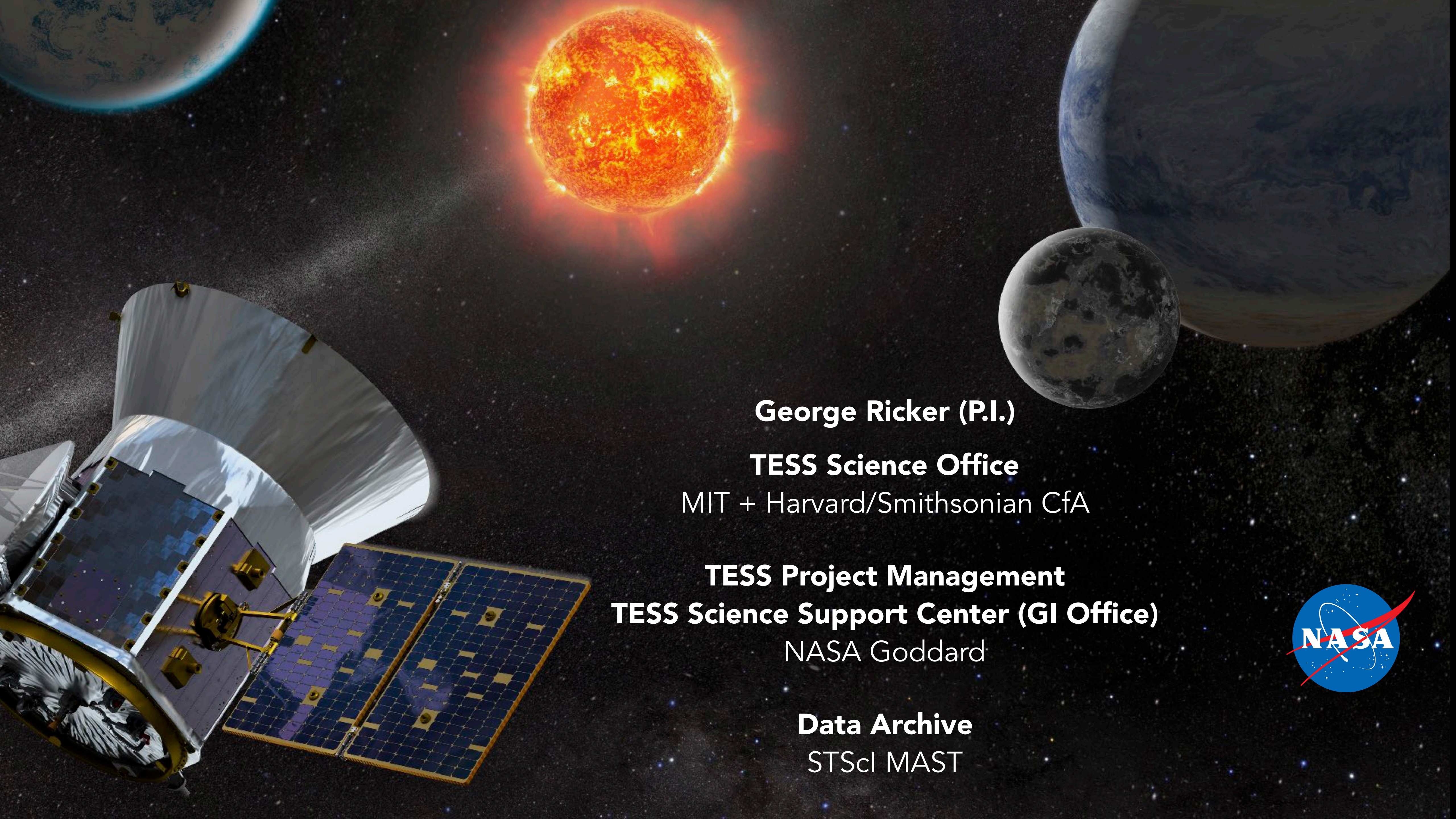


TESS: Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite

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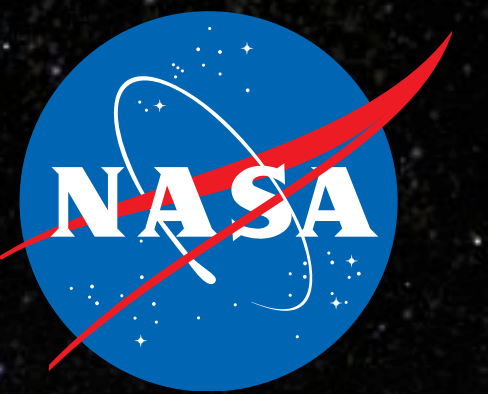
TESS Project Management

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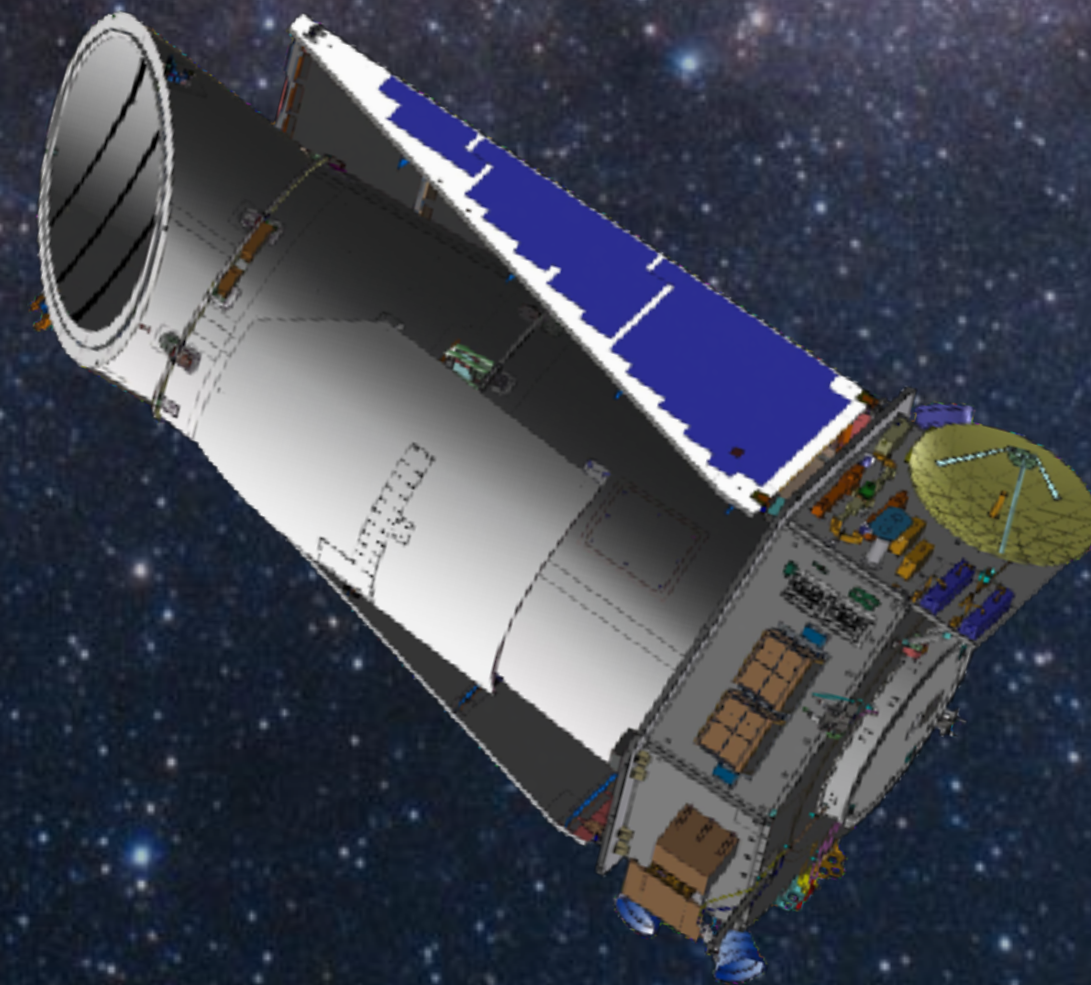
Data Archive

STScI MAST



Kepler Mission (2009-2013)

What fraction of stars in our galaxy harbor
Earth-sized planets?

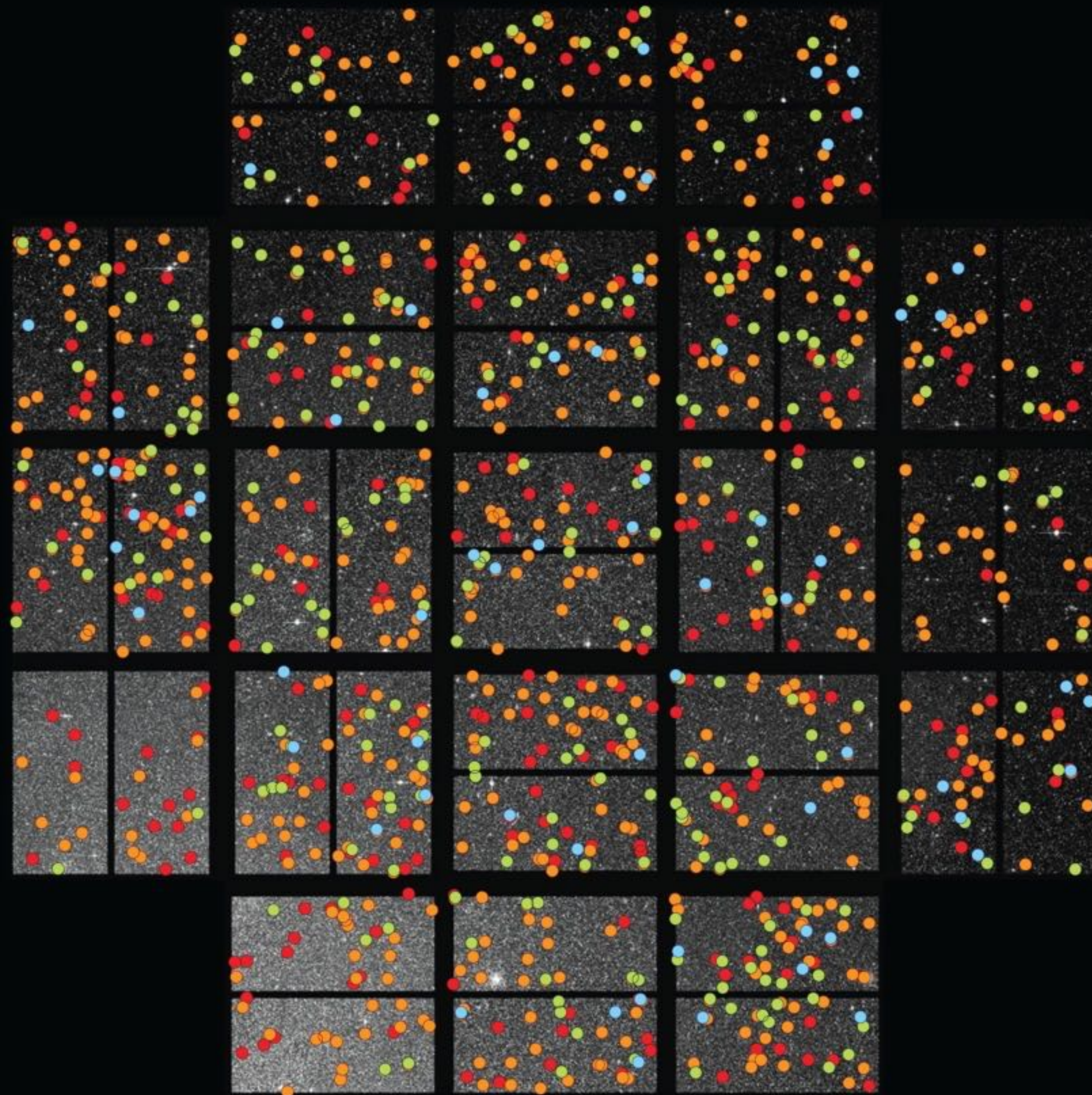


● Earth-size

● Super-Earth size
1.25 - 2.0 Earth-size

● Neptune-size
2.0 - 6.0 Earth-size

● Giant-planet size
6.0 - 22 Earth-size



TESS Mission (2018+)

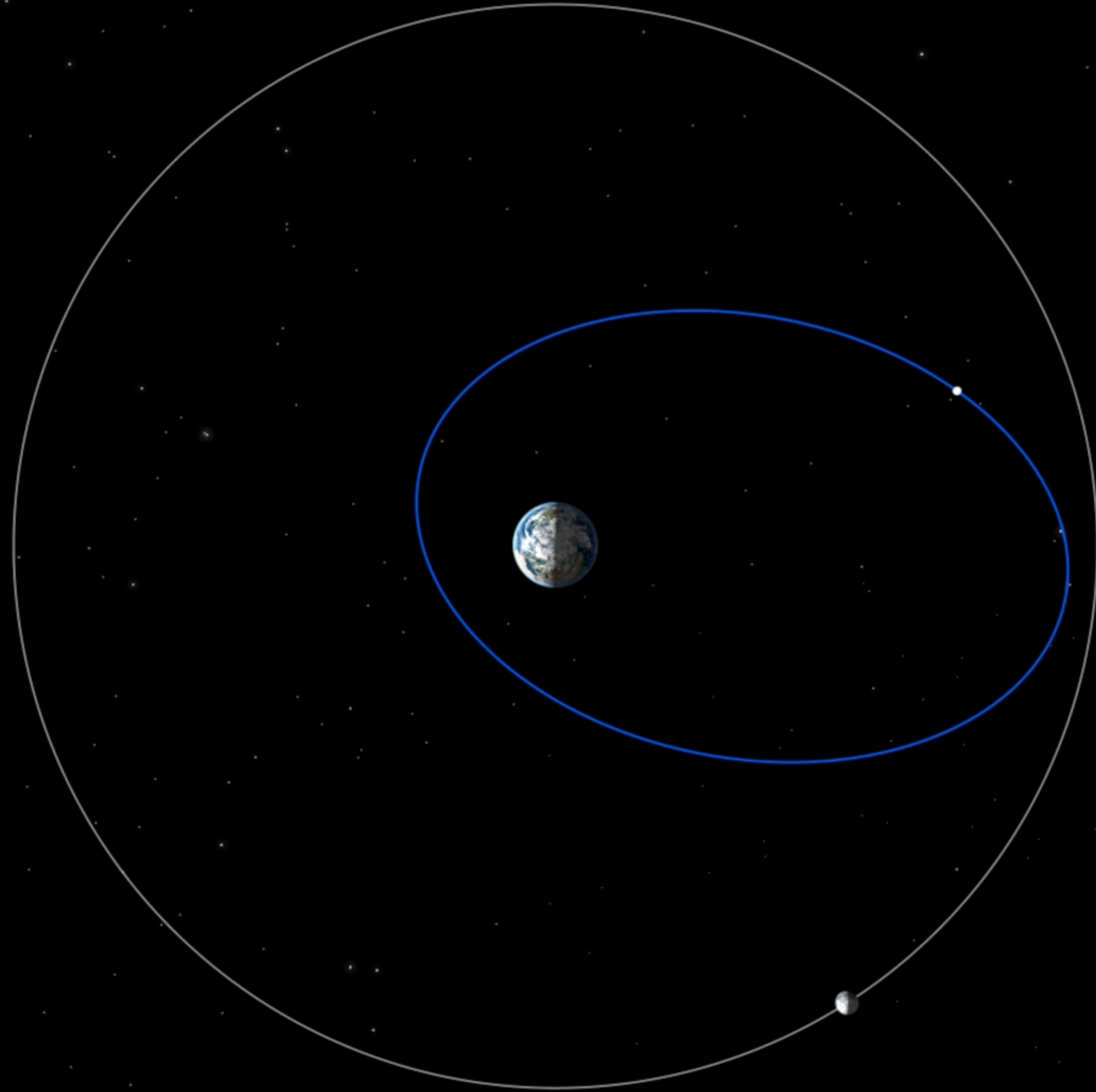
Search for small planets around nearby stars that are easier to study

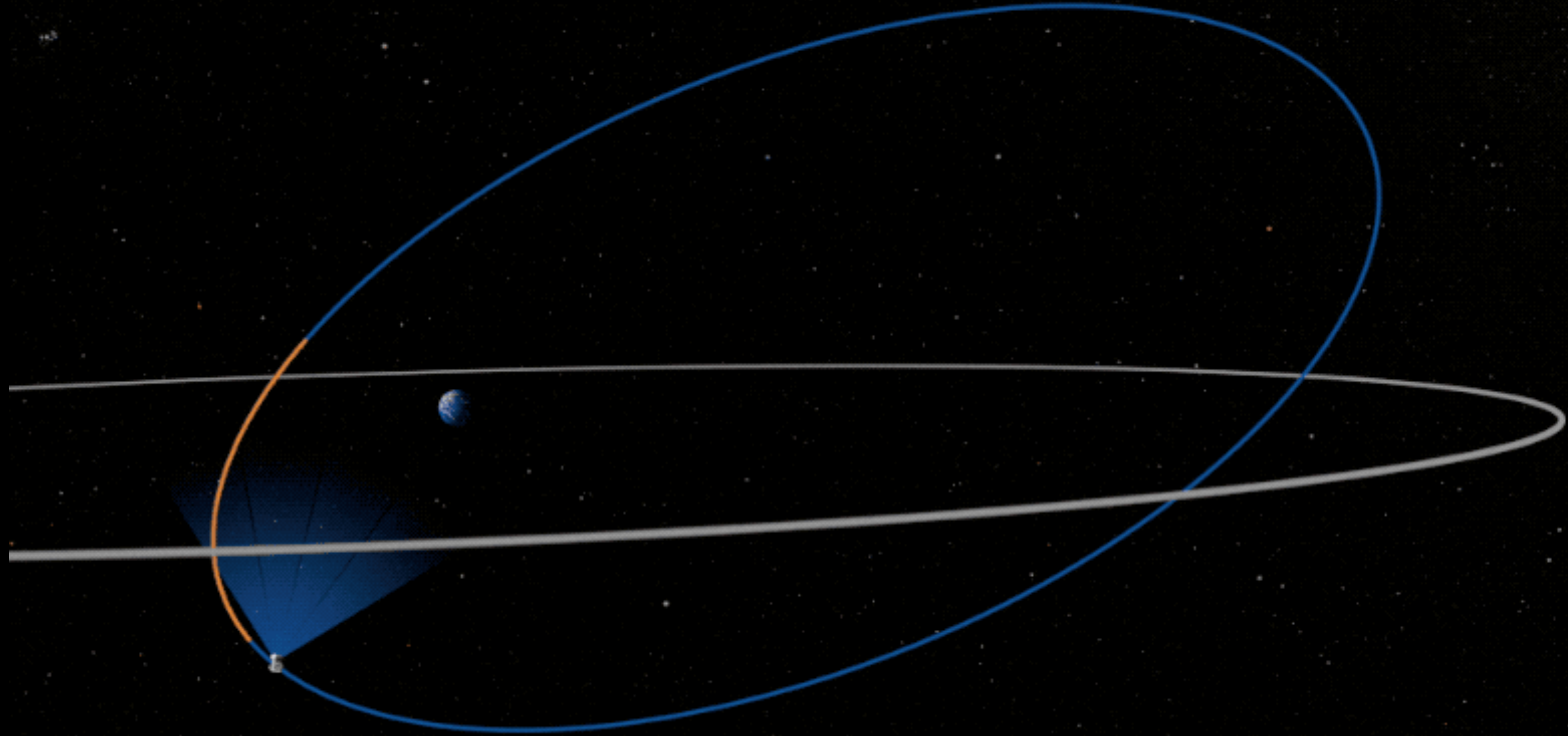


TESS launched on
April 18!
on a SpaceX Falcon 9.



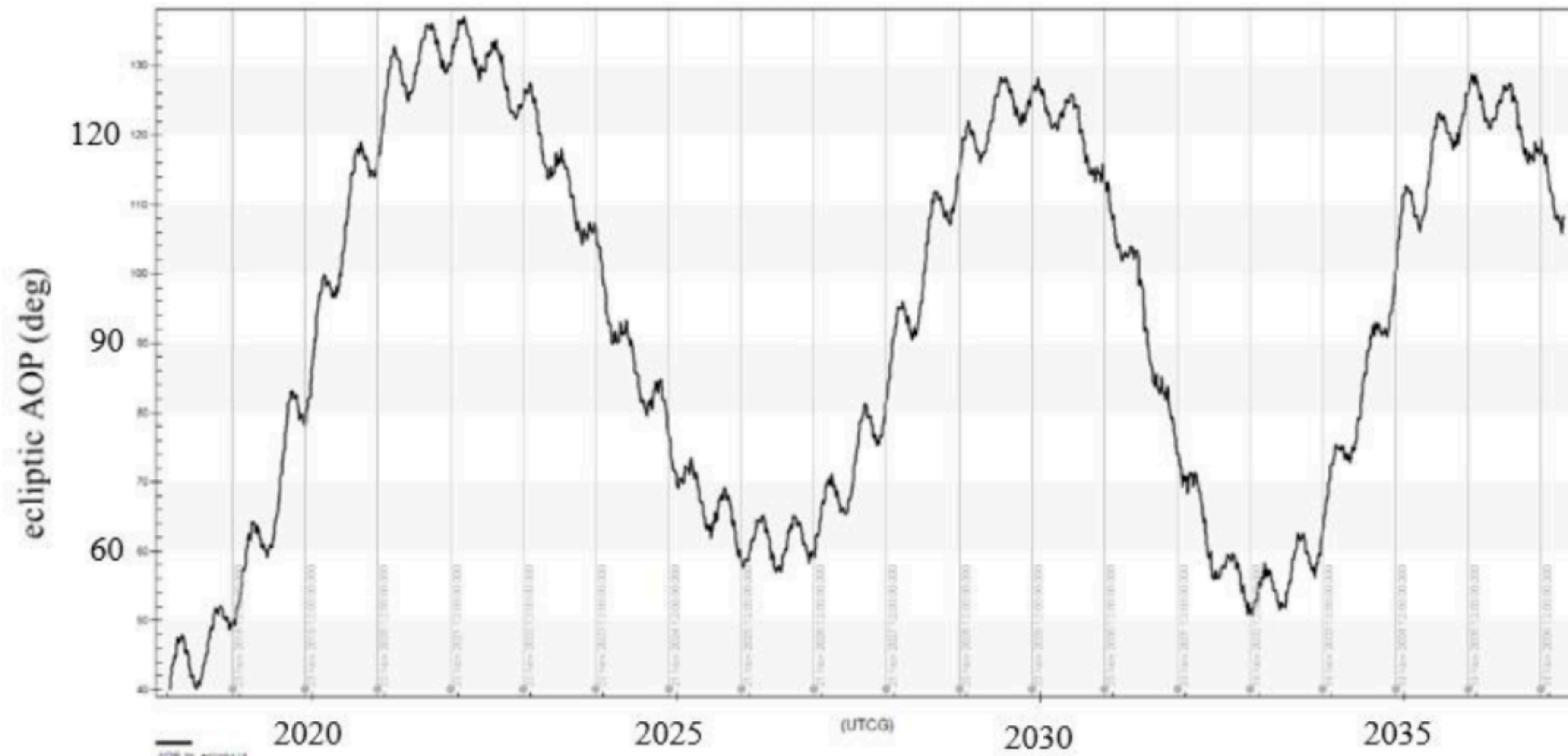
2 to 1 RESONANCE WITH THE MOON





TESS Science Orbit Dynamics

For highly eccentric orbit it is known that eccentricity and inclination oscillate together, as described by the Kozai mechanism



TESS will undergo periodic oscillations on a 10 month and a 10 year cycle. Its orbit will range from 12.8 to 14.6 days, with an average of 13.7 days

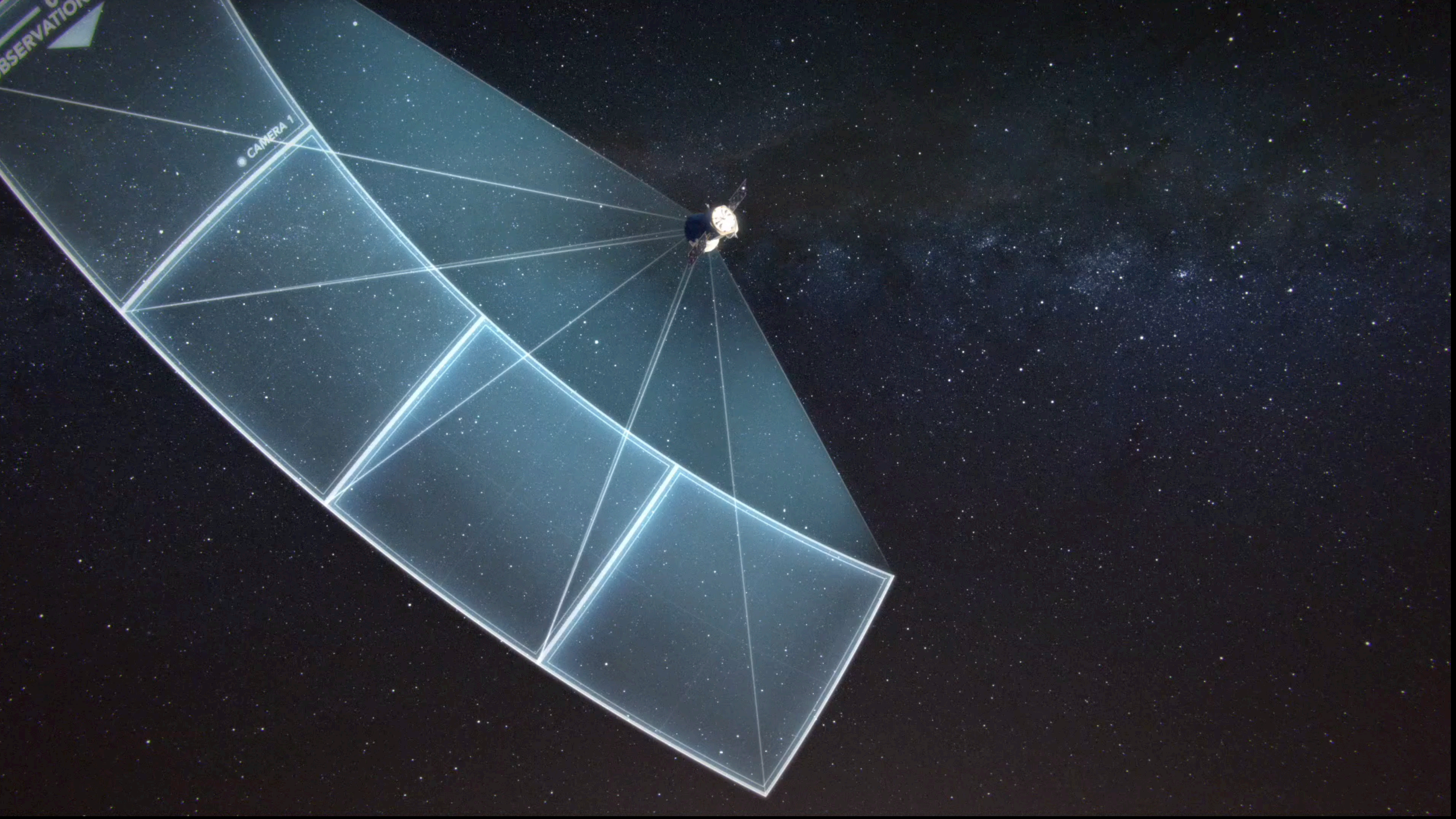


FOV from one TESS camera:

24°

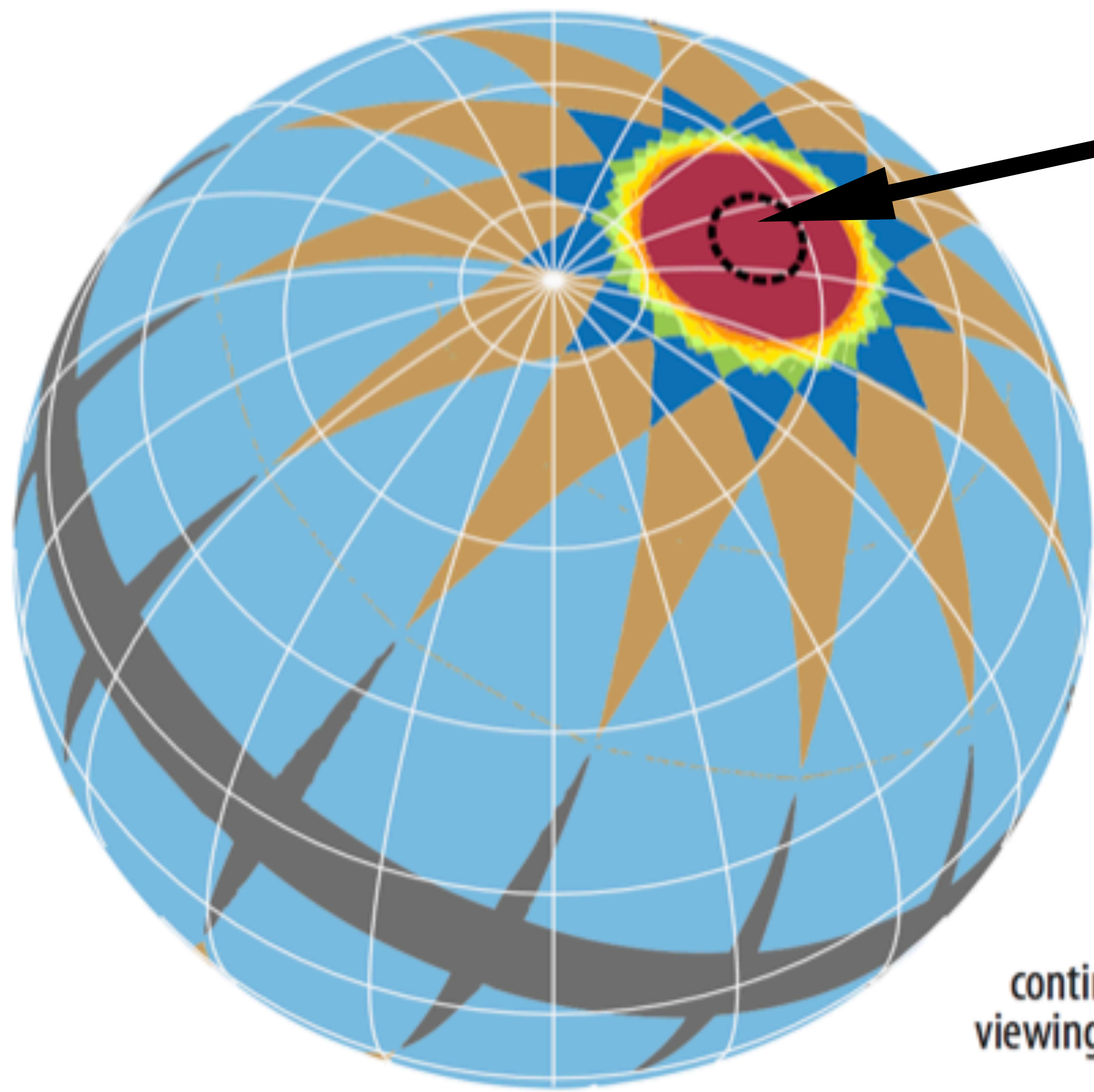


constellations by H. A. Rey



OBSERVATION

CAMERA 1

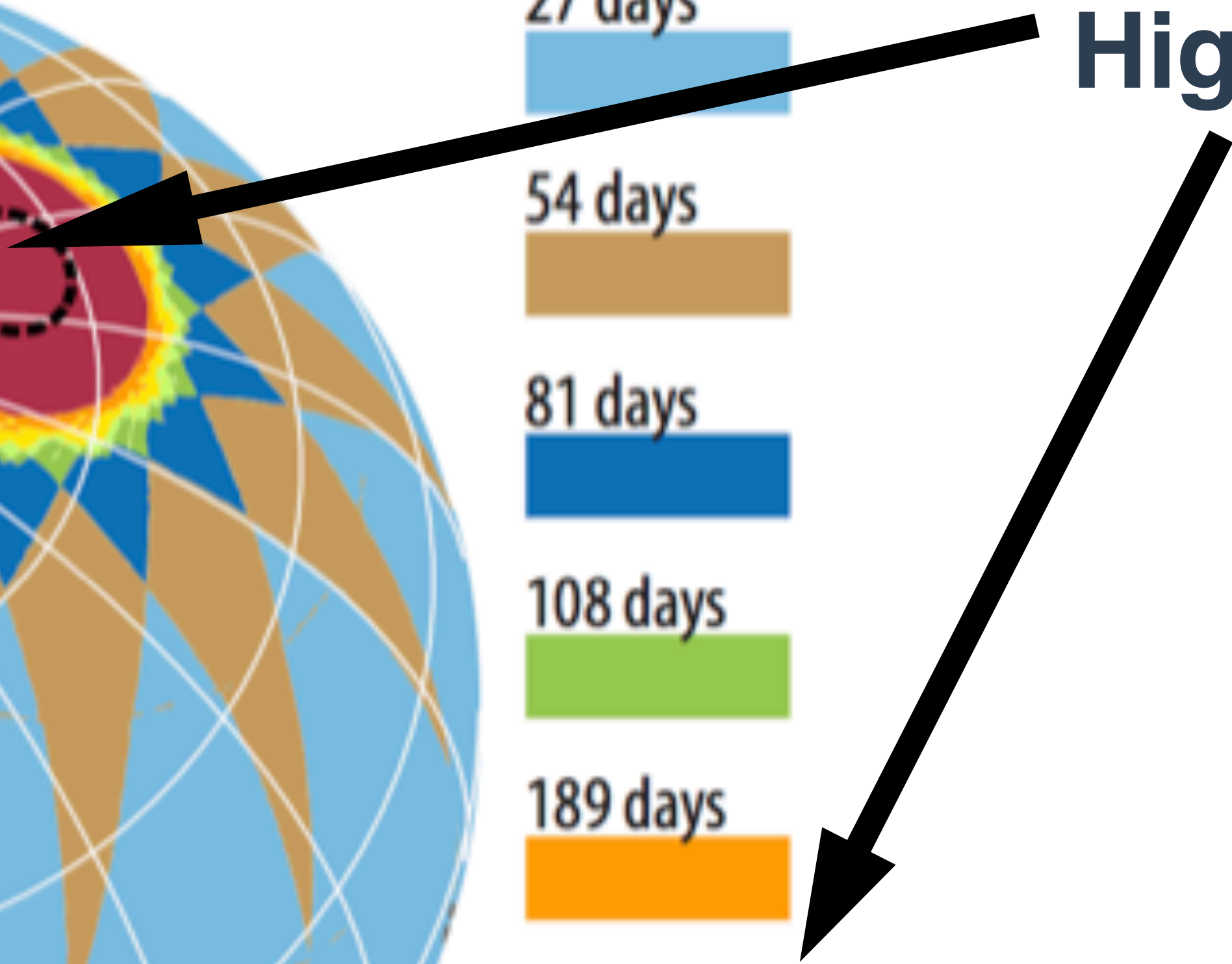


- 27 days
- 54 days
- 81 days
- 108 days
- 189 days
- 351 days

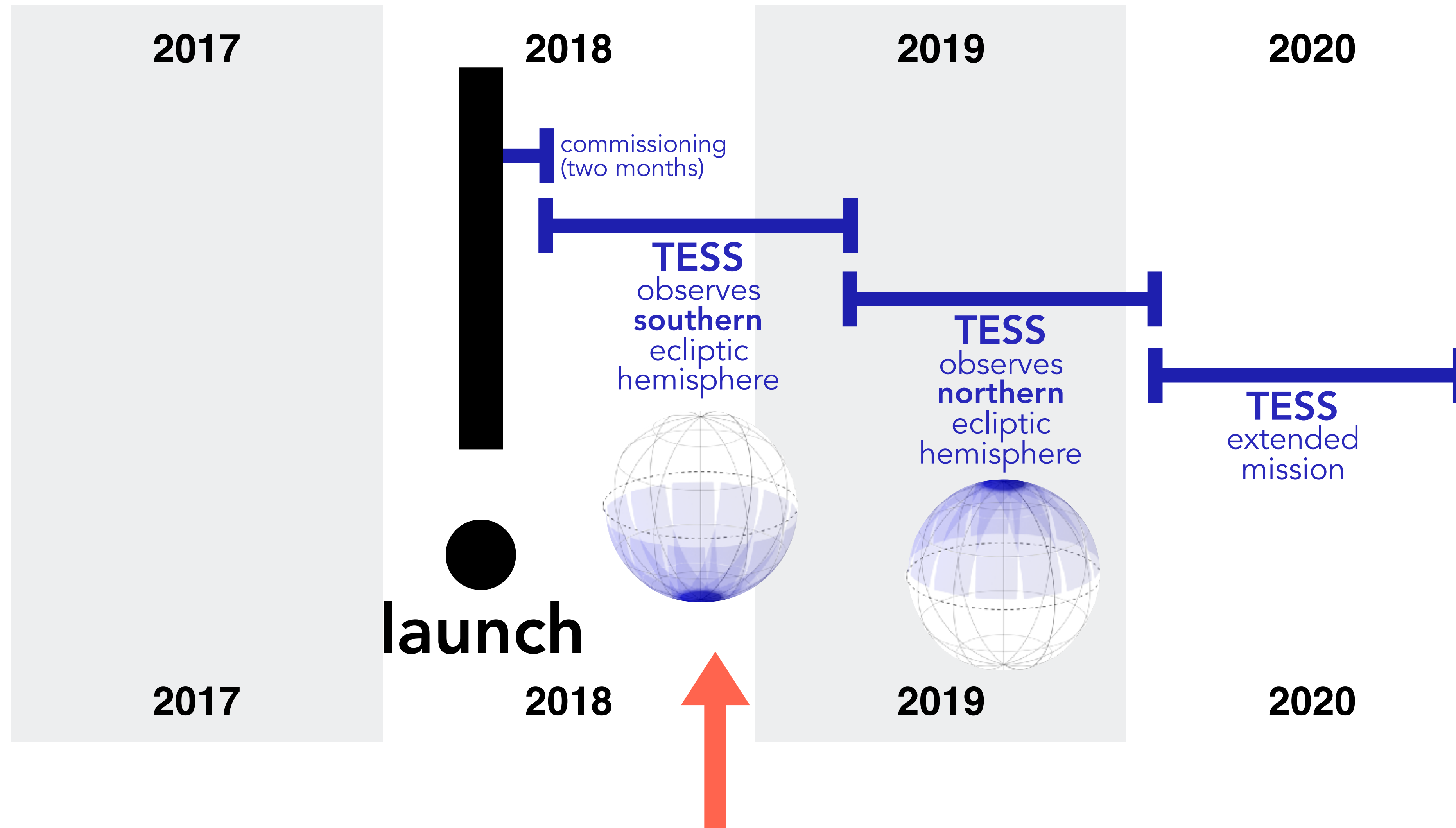
JWST continuous viewing zone

High Value Planets

Long baseline
Overlap with Webb



TESS timeline:

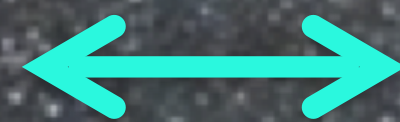
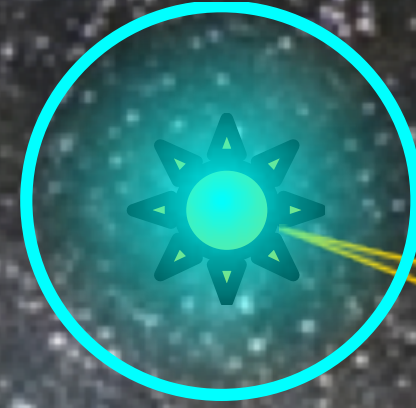
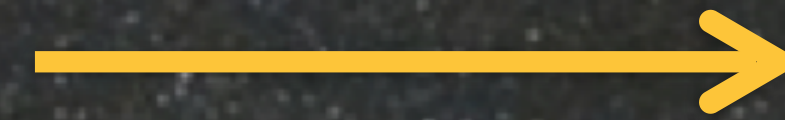
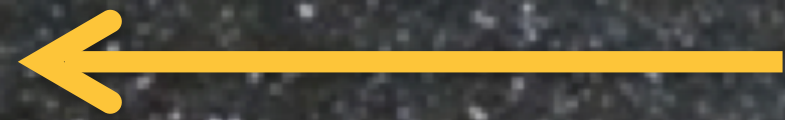


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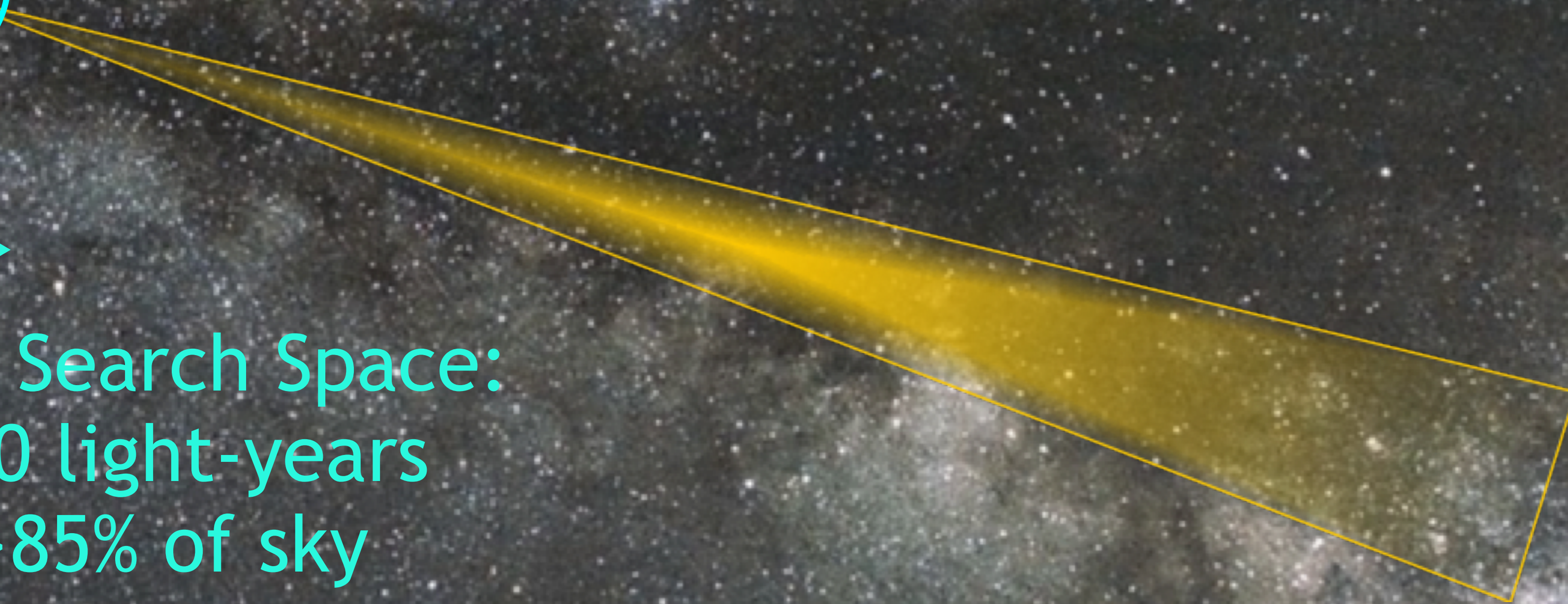
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Kepler vs TESS

Kepler Search Space:
3000 light-years
0.25% of the sky



TESS Search Space:
300 light-years
>85% of sky



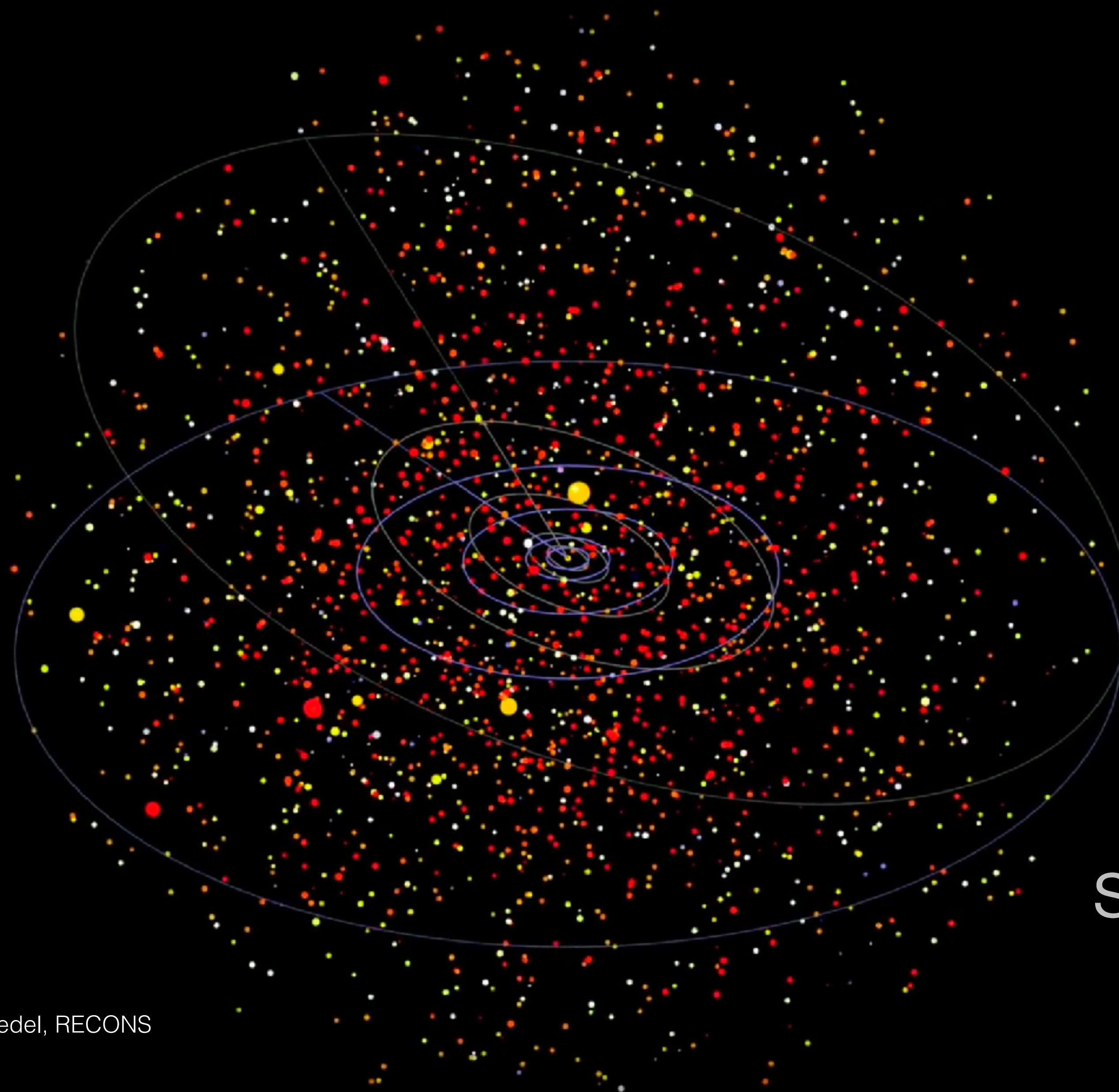
Kepler vs TESS

	TESS	Kepler
Pixel Size	21 arcsec	4 arcsec
Baseline	27 - 351 days	4 yrs, 80 d for K2
Single CCD	2048 x 2048	Two 2200 x 1024
Num CCDs	16	21 CCDs
Wavelength	600-1100 nm	400-900 nm

These are the Stars in the Neighborhood

Legend:

B
A
F
G
K
M (hot)
M (cold)

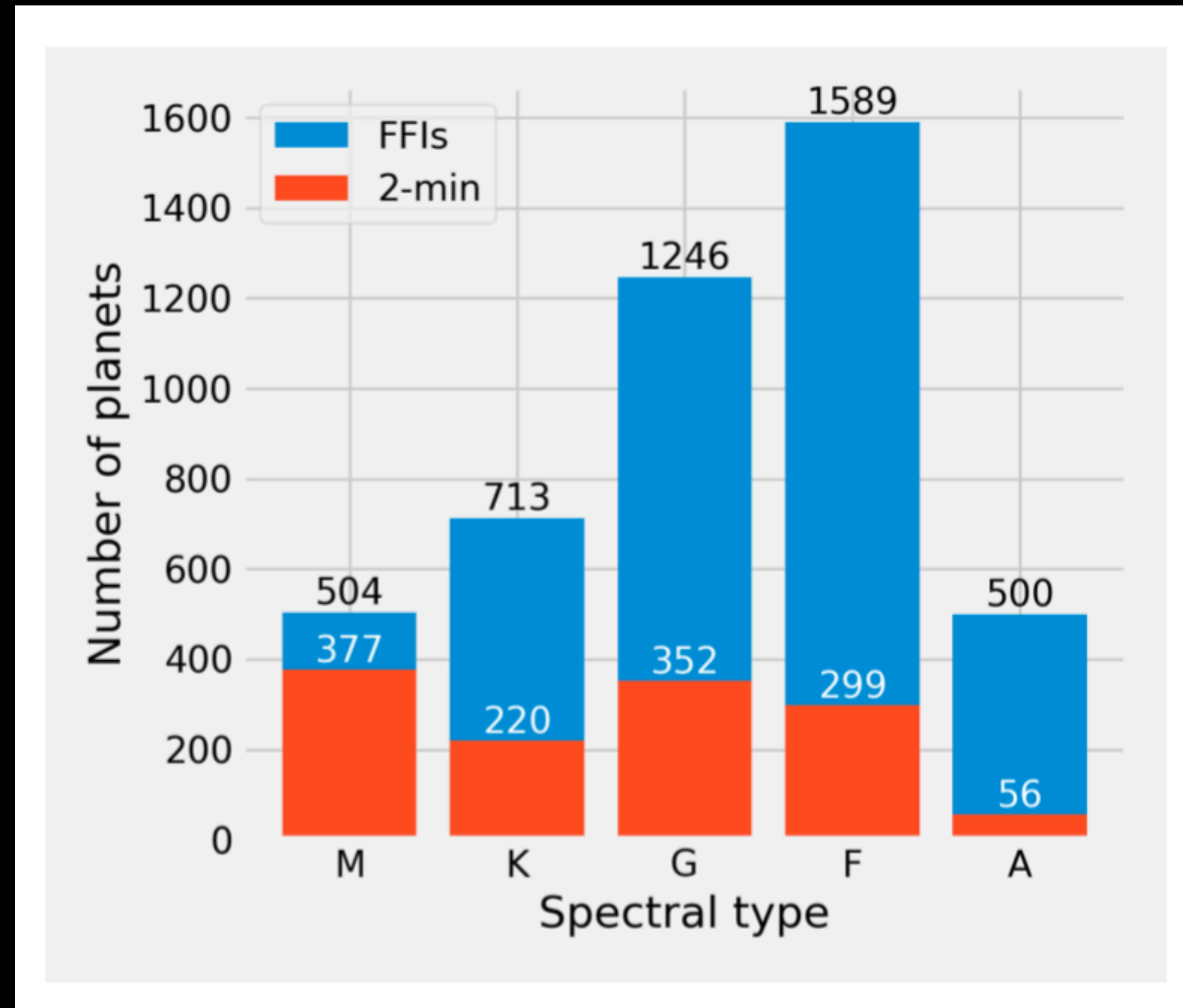
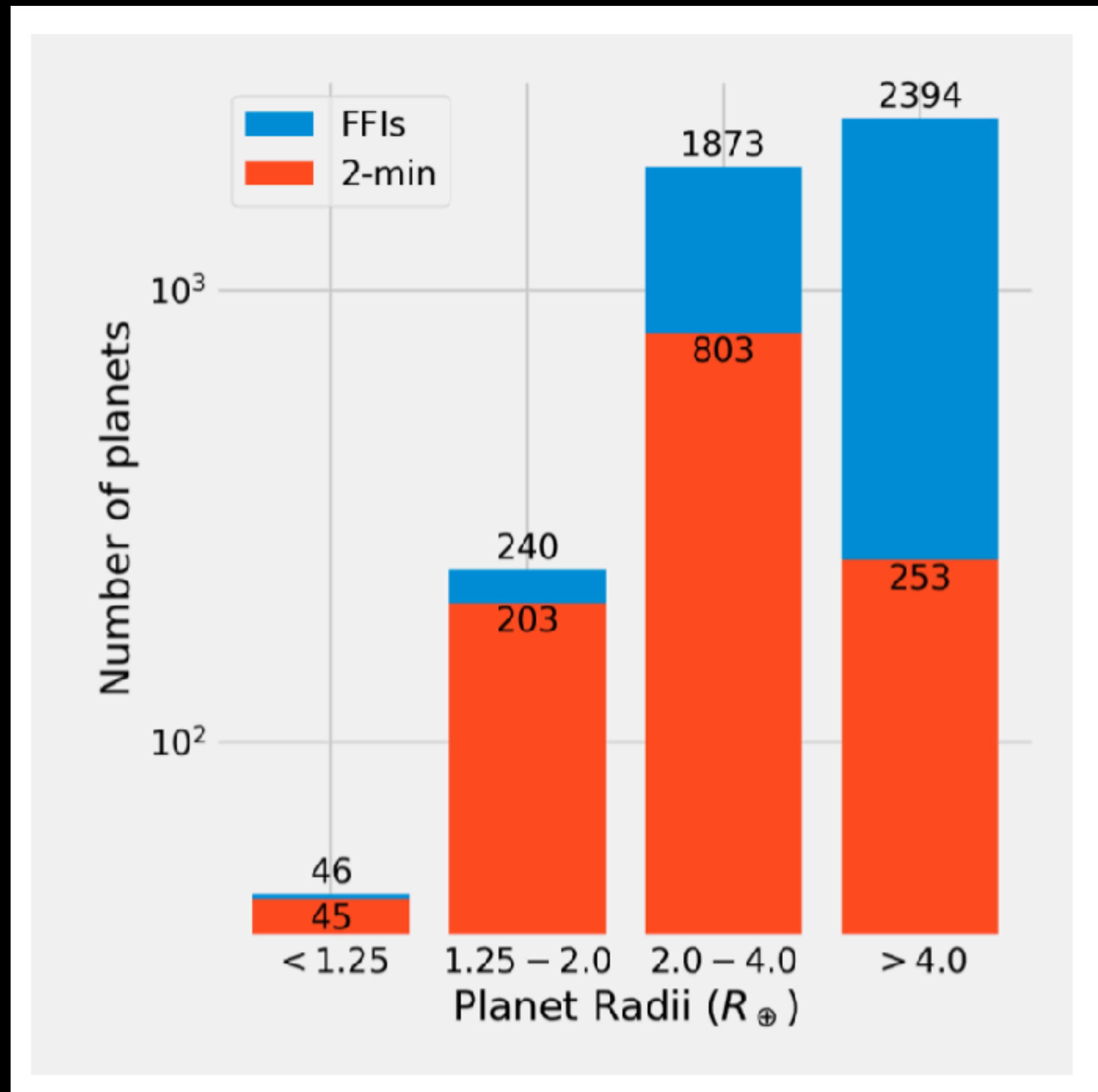


Stars within 80 light
years of Sun

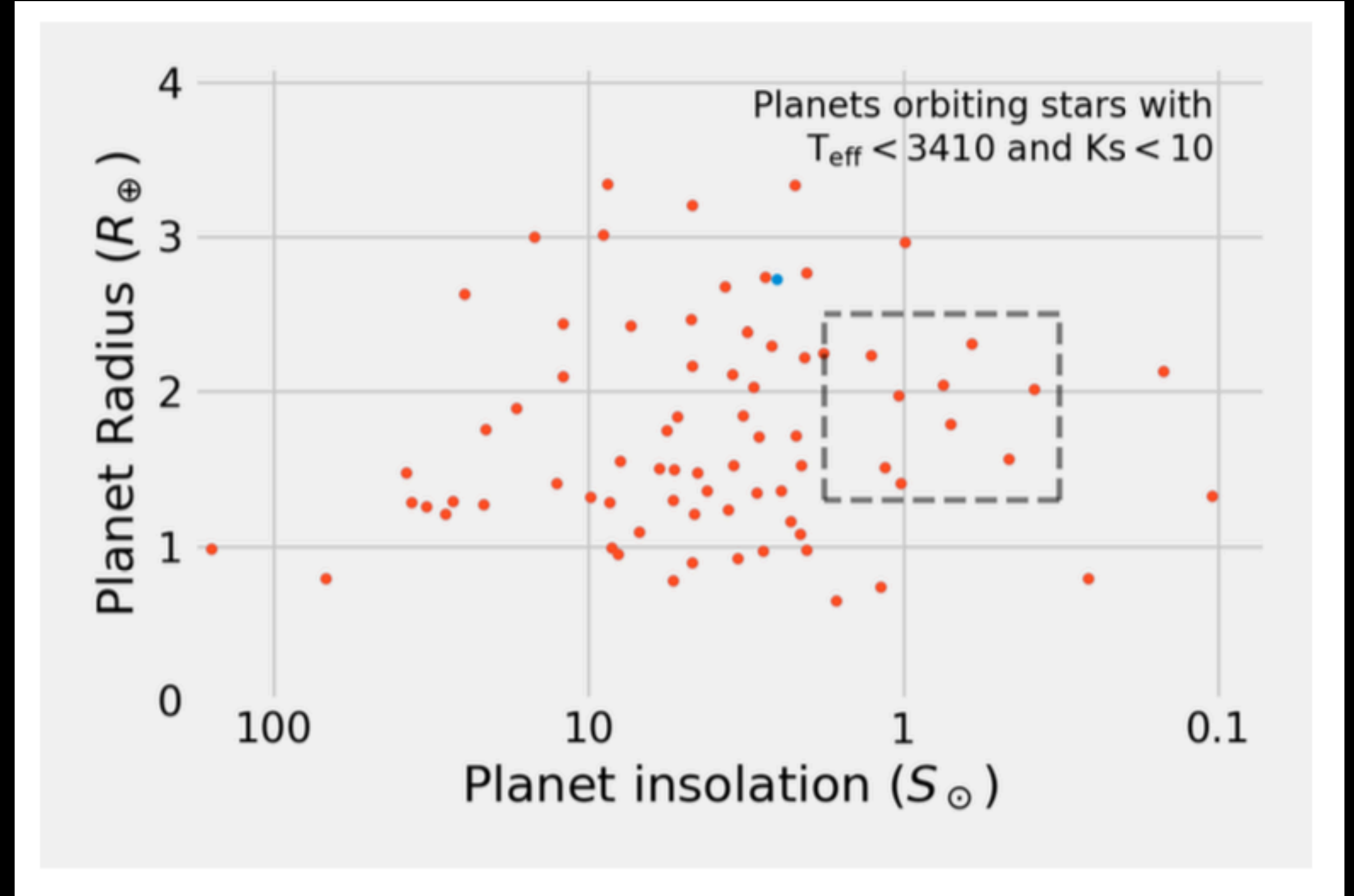
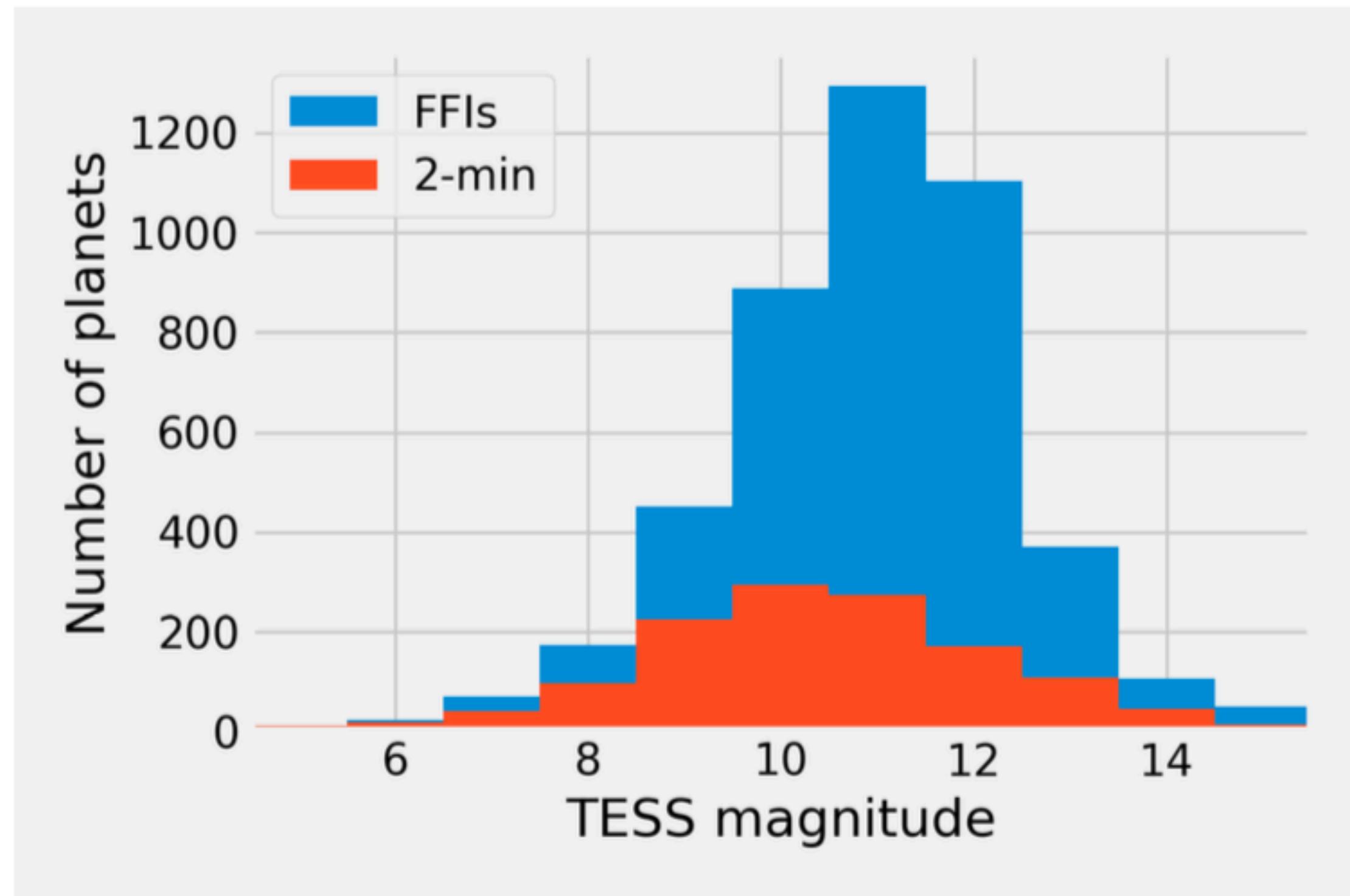
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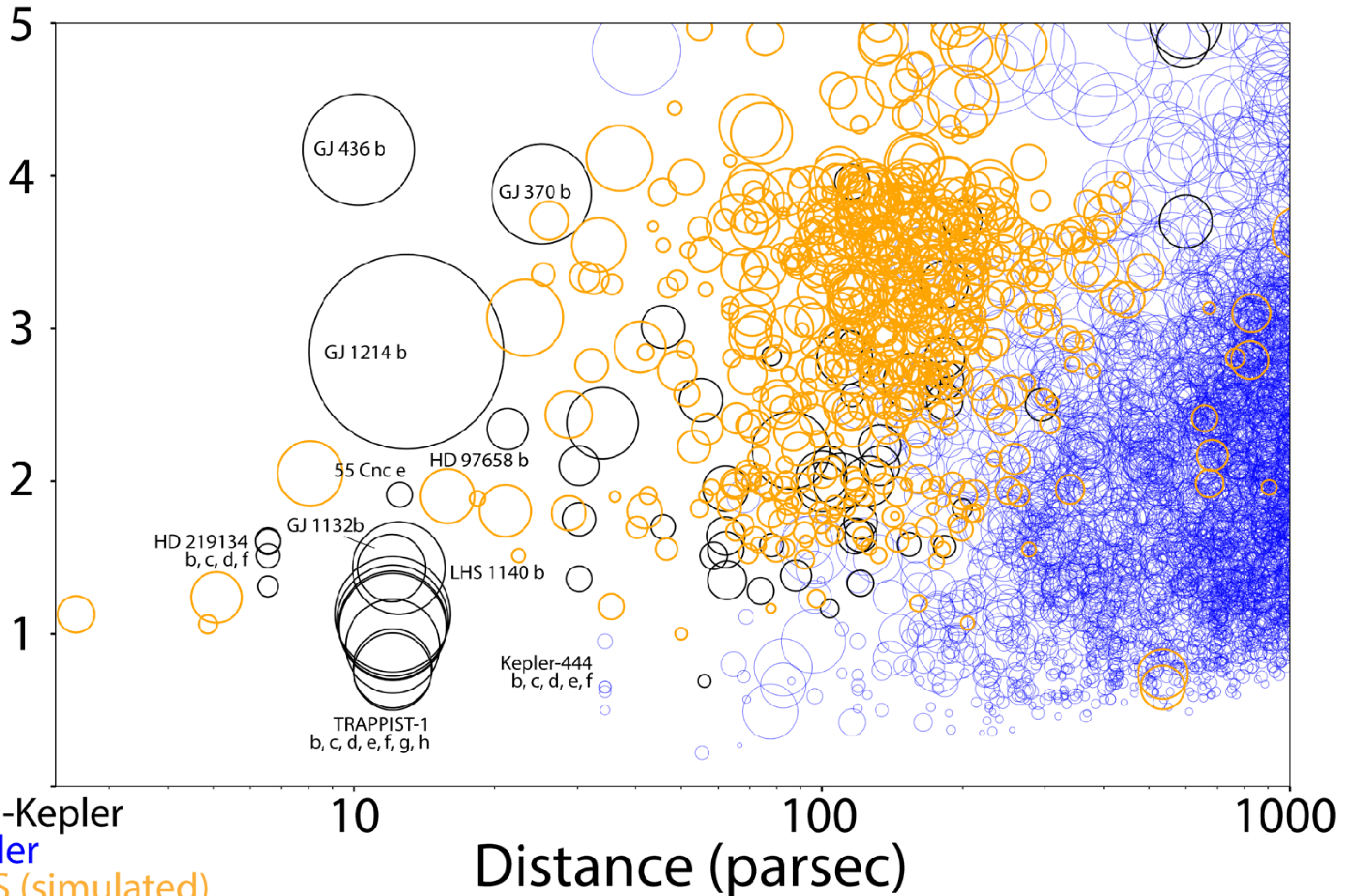
What will TESS find?



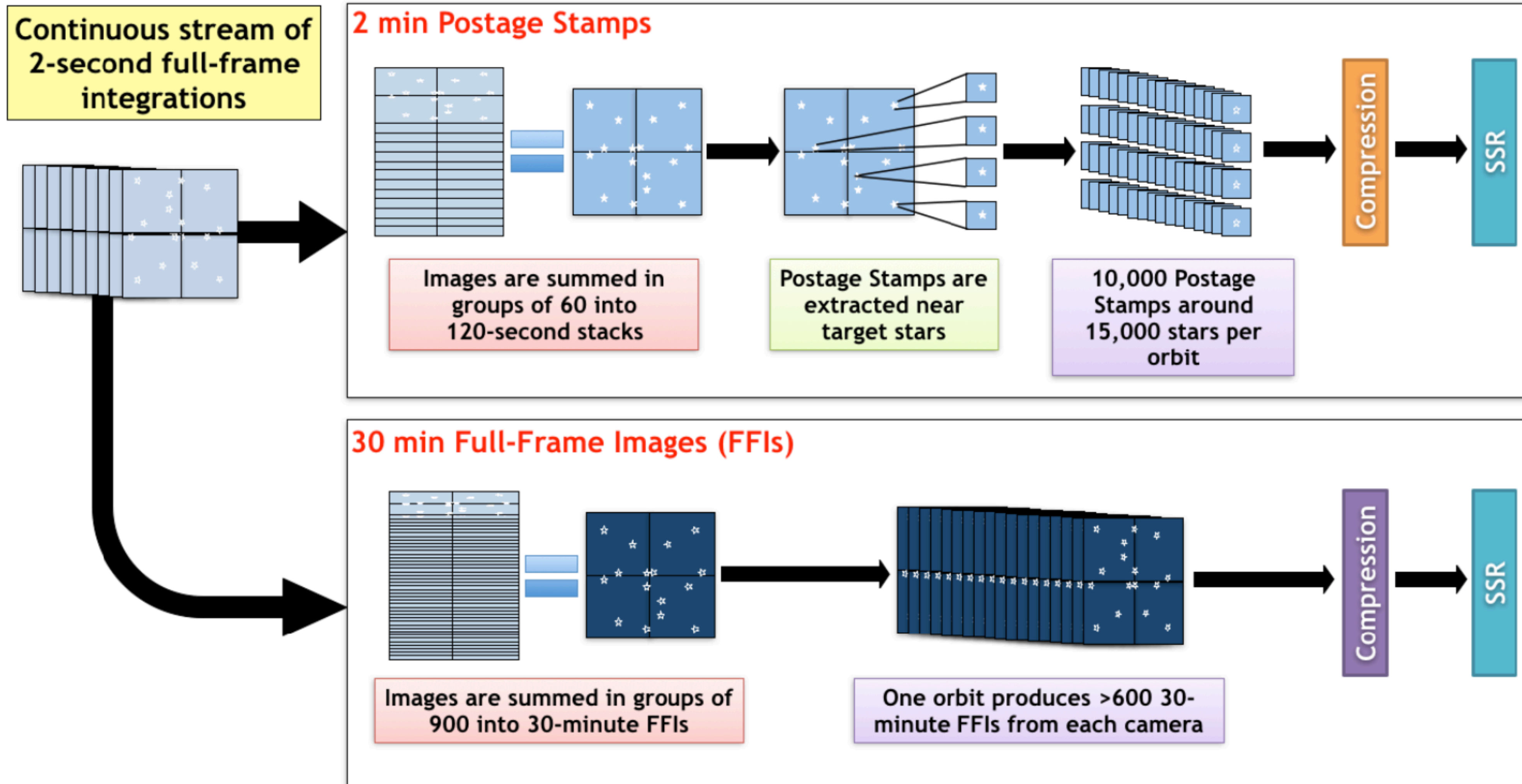
What will TESS find?



Planet Radius (Earth radii)

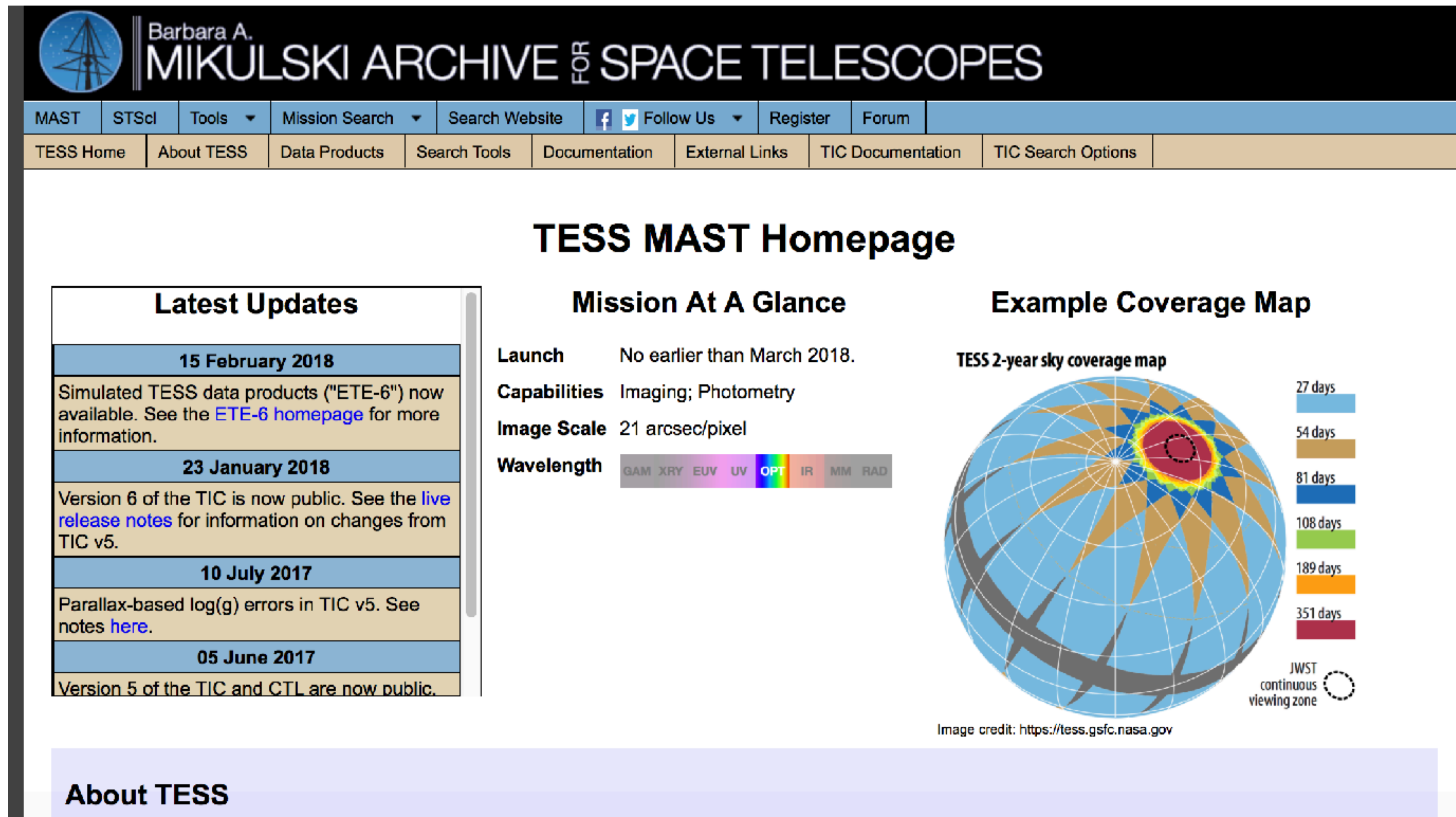


Lots of Data!



MAST (archive.stsci.edu/tess)

The official archive for TESS mission data products is the Mikulski Archive for Space Telescopes (MAST) which is hosted at the Space Telescope Science Institute (STScI).



The screenshot shows the TESS MAST homepage with a navigation menu and three main content sections: Latest Updates, Mission At A Glance, and Example Coverage Map.

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TESS MAST Homepage

Latest Updates

15 February 2018
Simulated TESS data products ("ETE-6") now available. See the ETE-6 homepage for more information.
23 January 2018
Version 6 of the TIC is now public. See the live release notes for information on changes from TIC v5.
10 July 2017
Parallax-based log(g) errors in TIC v5. See notes here .
05 June 2017
Version 5 of the TIC and CTL are now public.

Mission At A Glance

Launch No earlier than March 2018.

Capabilities Imaging; Photometry

Image Scale 21 arcsec/pixel

Wavelength GAM XRY EUV UV OPT IR MM RAD

Example Coverage Map

TESS 2-year sky coverage map

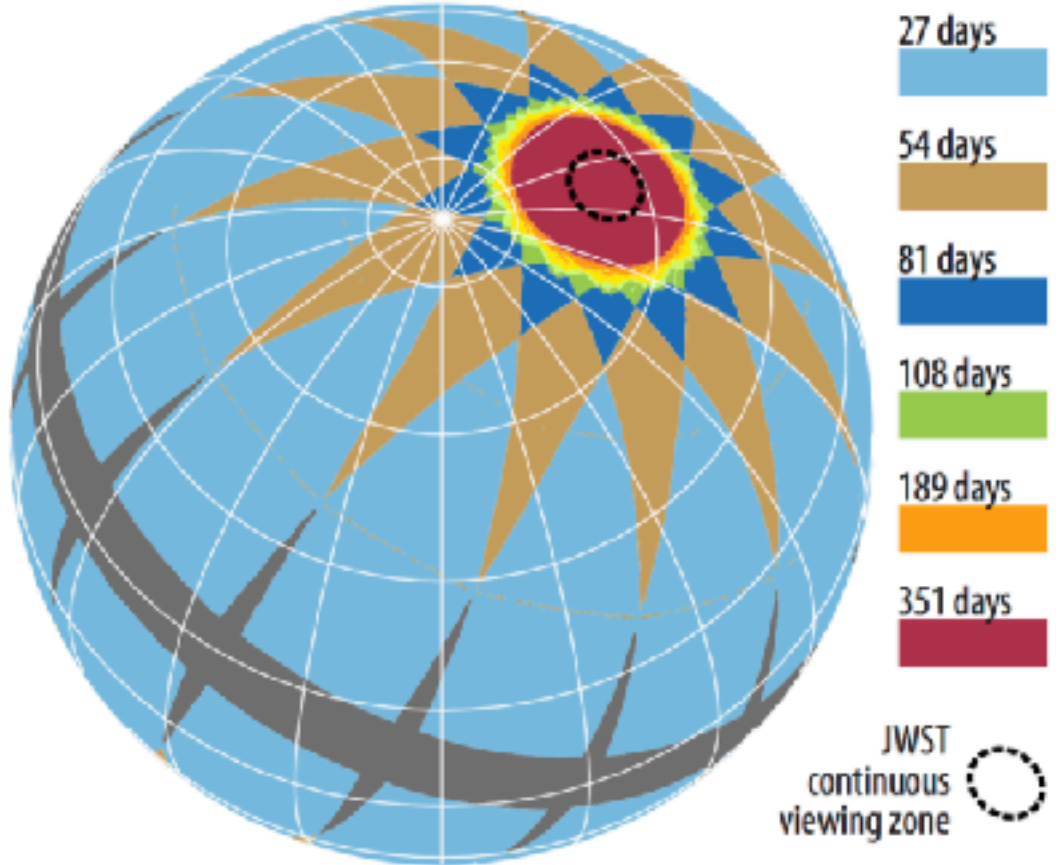


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About TESS

TESS GI Office (bit.ly/tessgi)

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the TESS website with the NASA logo and links for News, Mission, Using TESS, Data analysis, Education & Outreach, HEASARC, and Helpdesk. Below the navigation is a large banner with the text "TESS Science Support Center" and a line-art illustration of the TESS satellite. The main content area features three columns: "TESS mission" (describing the satellite's two-year survey), "Proposing science" (describing the Guest Investigator Program), and "Data access" (describing data retrieval and software). Each column includes a "More »" button.

TESS
Science Support Center

TESS mission
The Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS) is a two-year survey that will discover exoplanets in orbit around bright stars.
[More »](#)

Proposing science
The TESS Guest Investigator Program is an annual call where scientists can propose new observations and receive funding and support.
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Data access
Access simulated data, documentation, data analysis software, and find information on the follow-up observing program.
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News for scientists

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GETTING STARTED

- Quickstart
- Installation
- API documentation

TUTORIALS

- Introduction to lightkurve
- Science with lightkurve
- Systematics correction using lightkurve

ABOUT LIGHTKURVE

- Contributing and reporting issues
- Citing and acknowledging lightkurve
- Other software

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Welcome to lightkurve!

The **lightkurve** Python package offers a beautiful and user-friendly way to analyze astronomical flux time series data, in particular the pixels and lightcurves obtained by NASA's Kepler, K2, and TESS missions.

```
%%capture
tpf = KeplerTargetPixelFile.from_archive('kepler-10', quarter=5)

tpf.to_lightcurve().flatten().fold(period=0.837501).plot();
```

This package aims to lower the barrier for both students, astronomers, and citizen scientists interested in analyzing Kepler and TESS space telescope data. It does this by providing high-

Backup

TESS will find the touchstone planets that
will be studied for decades

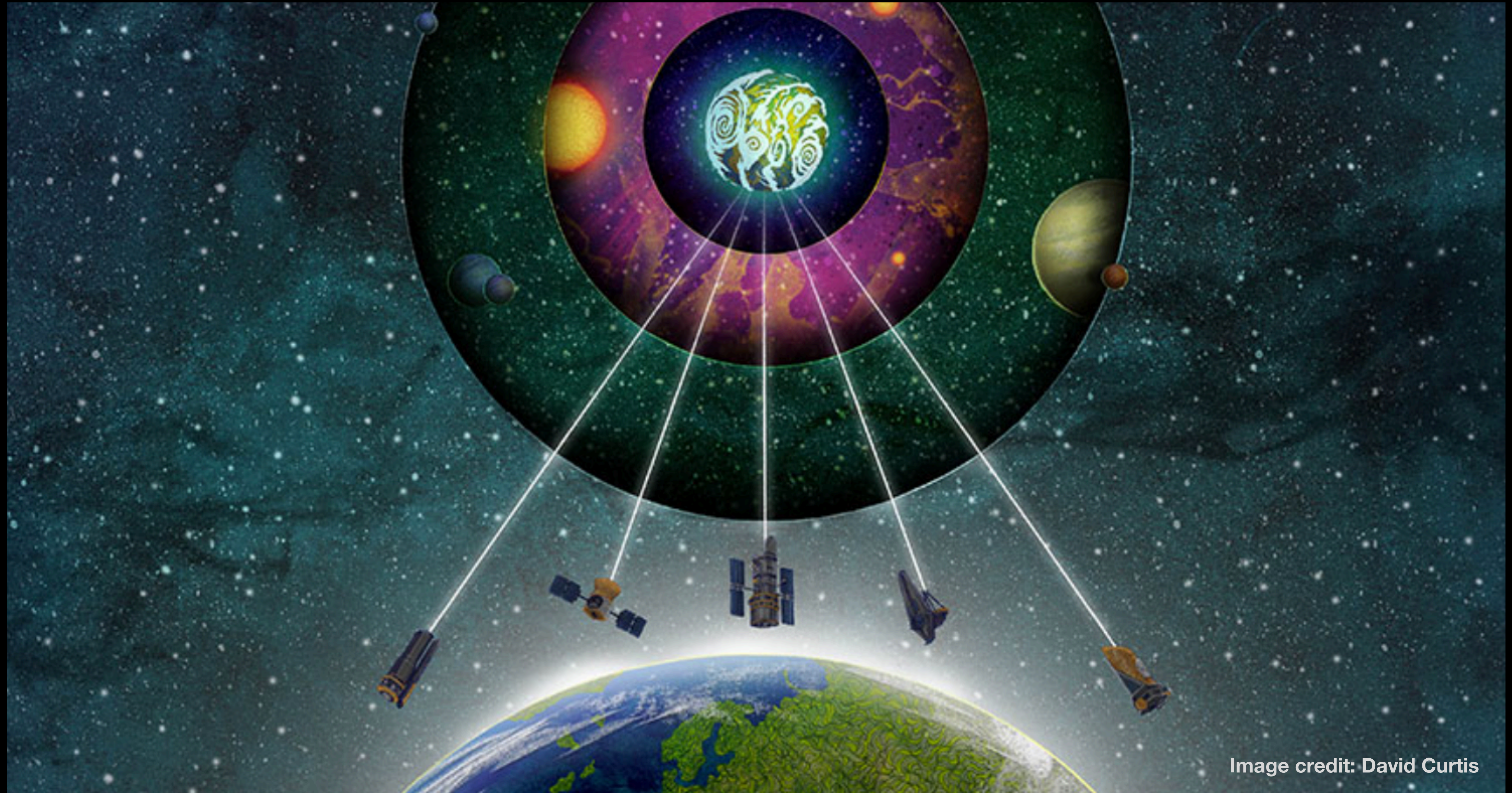


Image credit: David Curtis



DAVE

Discovery and Vetting of Exoplanets

1 Planet search

Target selection
Light curve creation

2 Robotic Vetting Tools

Centroiding
Odd/Even Depth
Significant Secondary
Transit Consistency/Shape
Ephemeris Matching

3 Catalog of False Positives

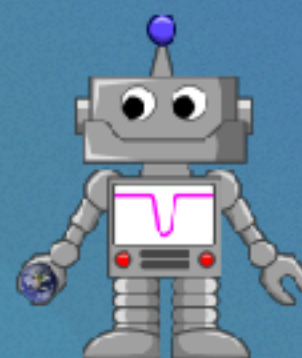
(including other team's
K2 light curves)

K2 GO Cycle 3: P.I. Thompson

K2 GO Cycle 4: P.I. Mullally

K2 GO Cycle 5: P.I. Quintana

DAVE Team: Geert Barentsen, Knicole Colon, Jeff Coughlin, Fergal Mullally, Susan Mullally, Veselin Kostov, Tom Barclay, Chris Burke



Welcome to DAVE: Discovery and Vetting of K2 Exoplanets

Below are our latest K2 planet candidate dispositions.

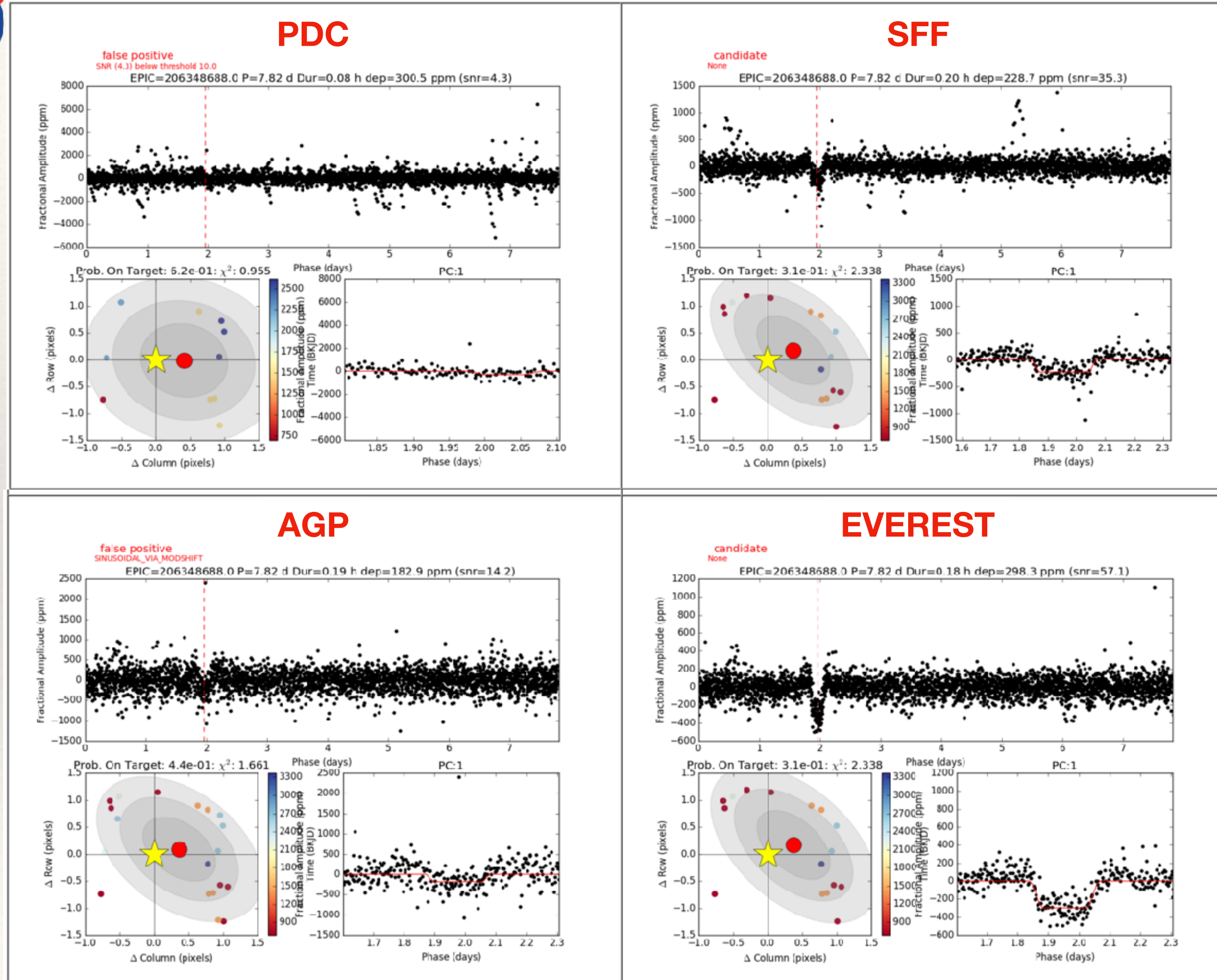
CANDIDATE DISPOSITIONS

MEET THE TEAM

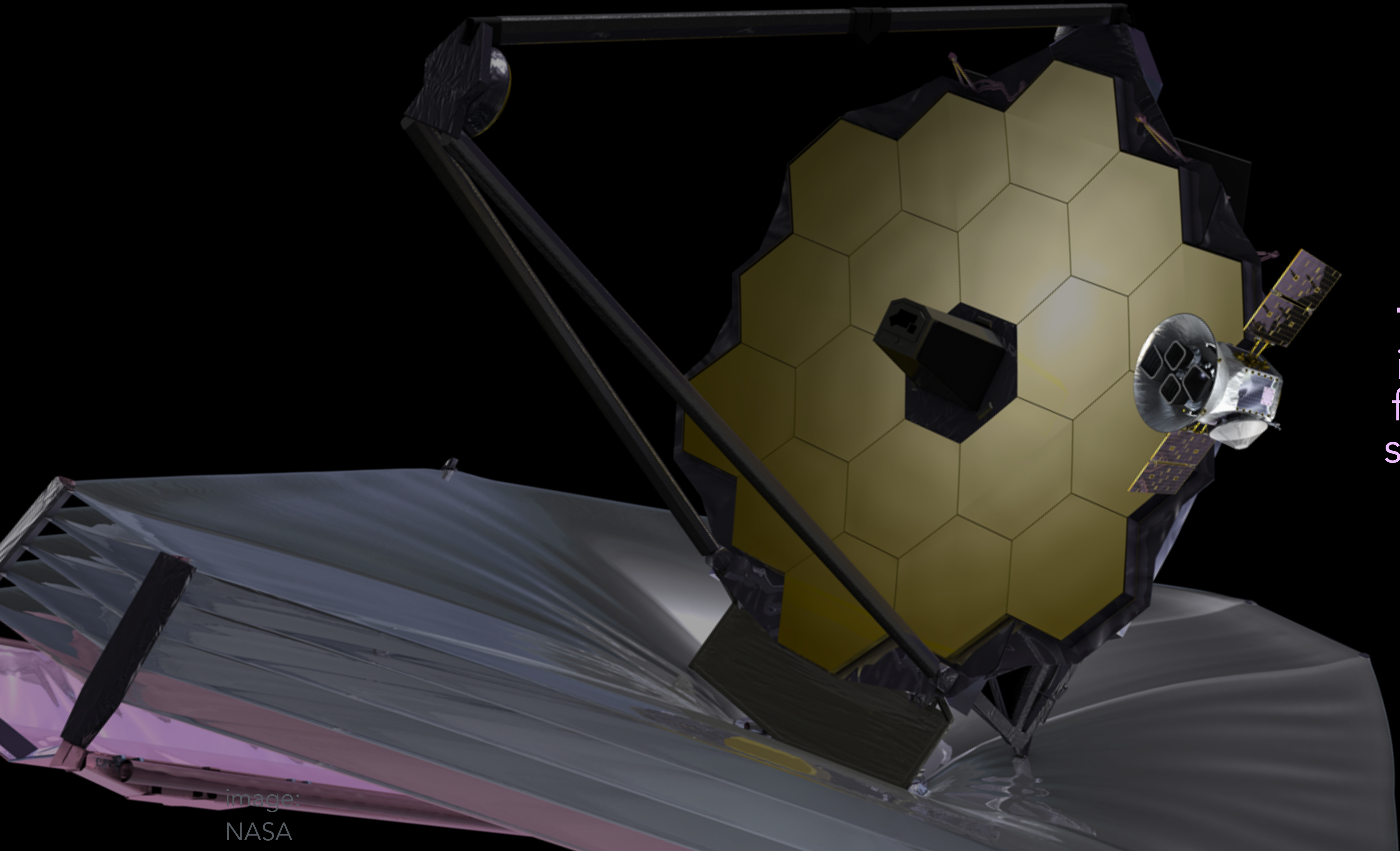
DAVE Disposition Table

EPIC ID	Period (Days)	Epoch (BKJD)	Disp	Notes	Link to Vetting Plots
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210389383	14.085	2264.948453	FP	Everest shows significant secondary	http://keplertcert.seti.org/DAVE/AllK2/Output/210389383
210401157	1.316	2264.5424	FP	Likely an EB, looks ellipsoidal	http://keplertcert.seti.org/DAVE/AllK2/Output/210401157
210754505	0.871	2264.106617	FP	Fails Odd/Even	http://keplertcert.seti.org/DAVE/AllK2/Output/210754505
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DAVE Compares Community Light Curves

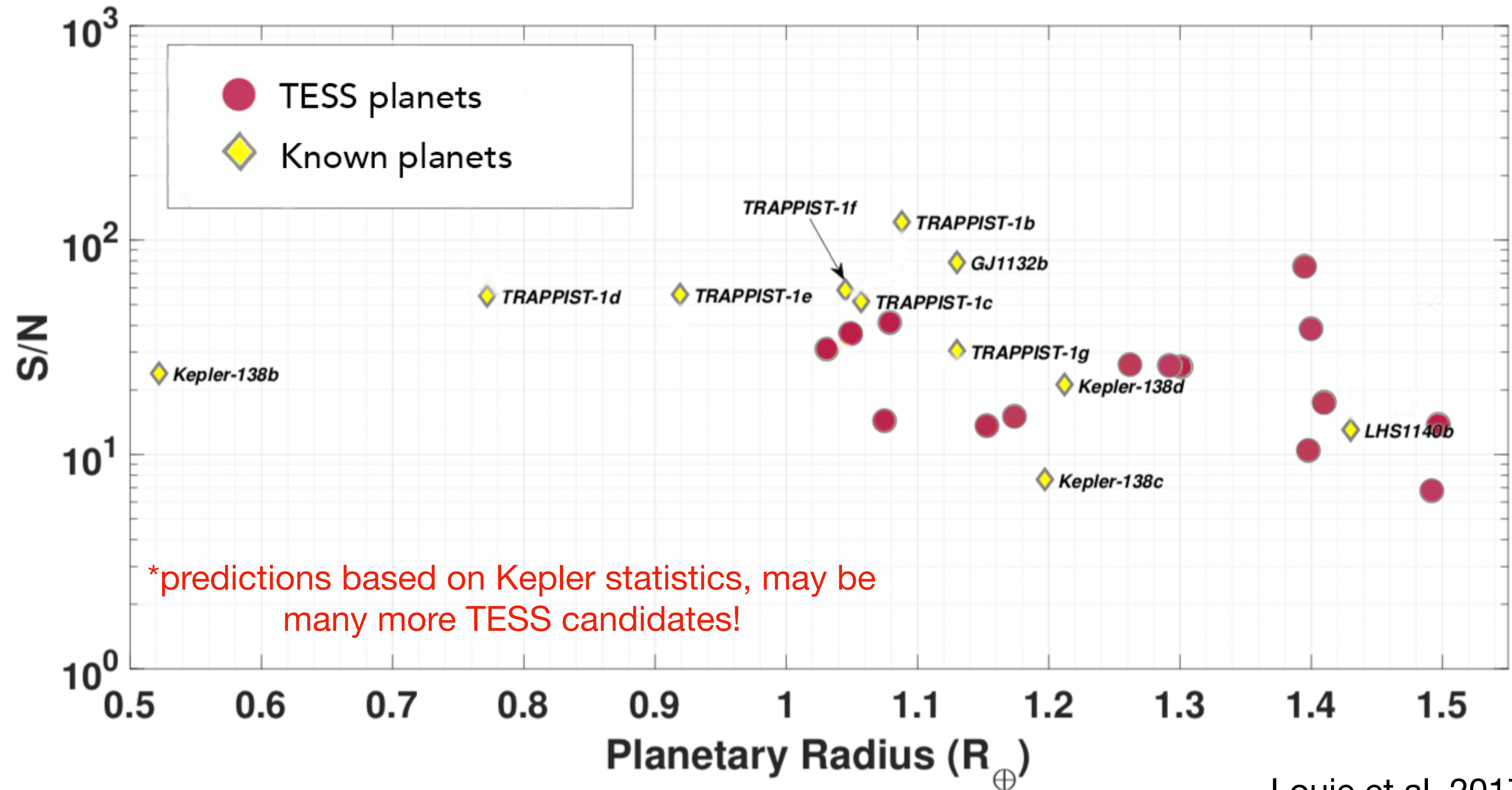


Where do we point JWST?

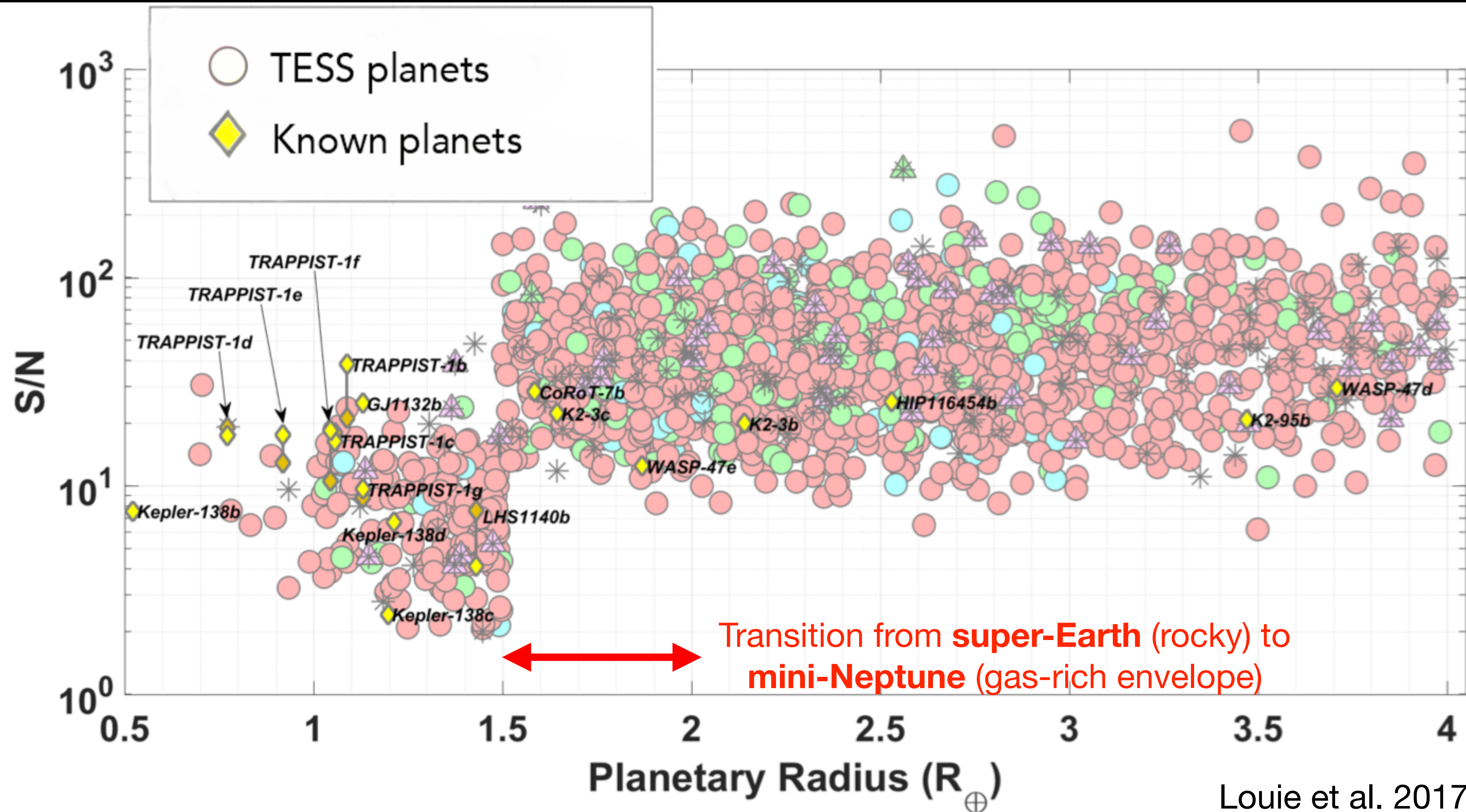


TESS
is our
finder
scope!

Best candidates for probing potentially habitable atmospheres with JWST

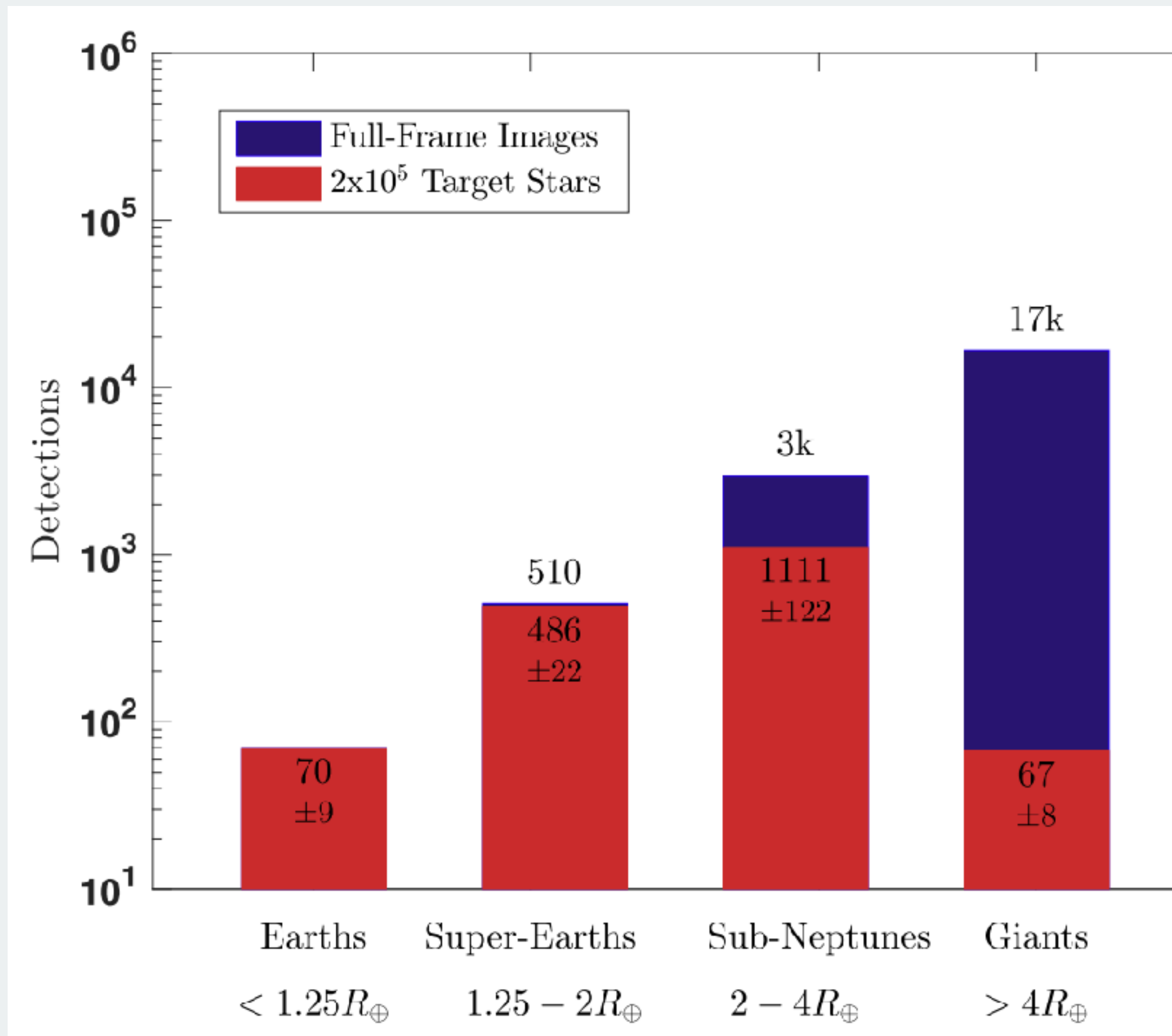


TESS will find LOTS of planets smaller than Neptune for atmosphere characterization





Why do we need a new yield estimate

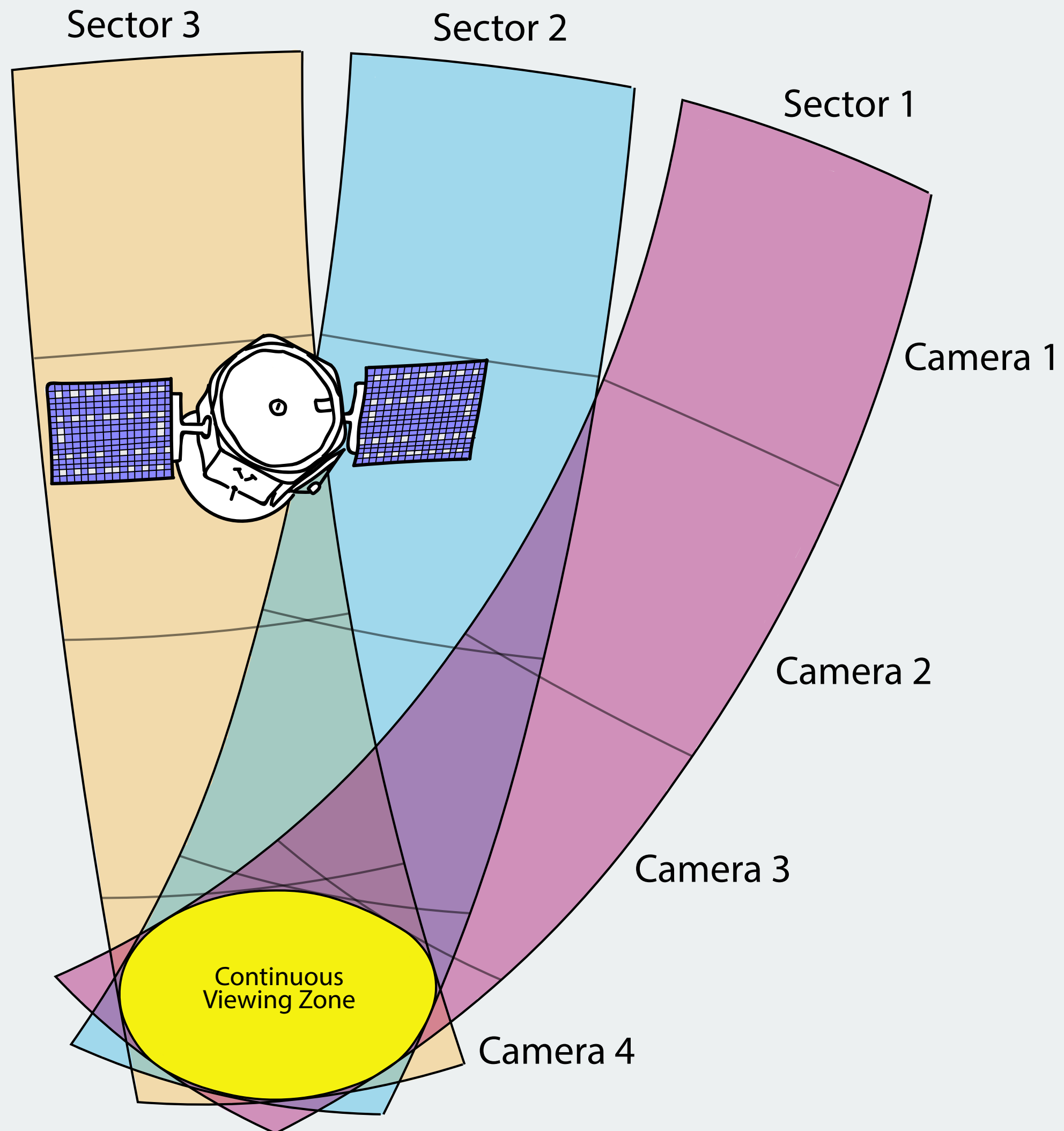


- Planet yields estimates are useful because
 - We can plan follow-up observations
 - We can perform trade studies on our prioritization algorithms
 - We can manage expectations
- Sullivan published a wonderful paper with yield estimates for the TESS mission.
- However, we revised this analysis because we now know the stars TESS will observe and the strategy

Sullivan et al. 2015, Bouma et al. 2017



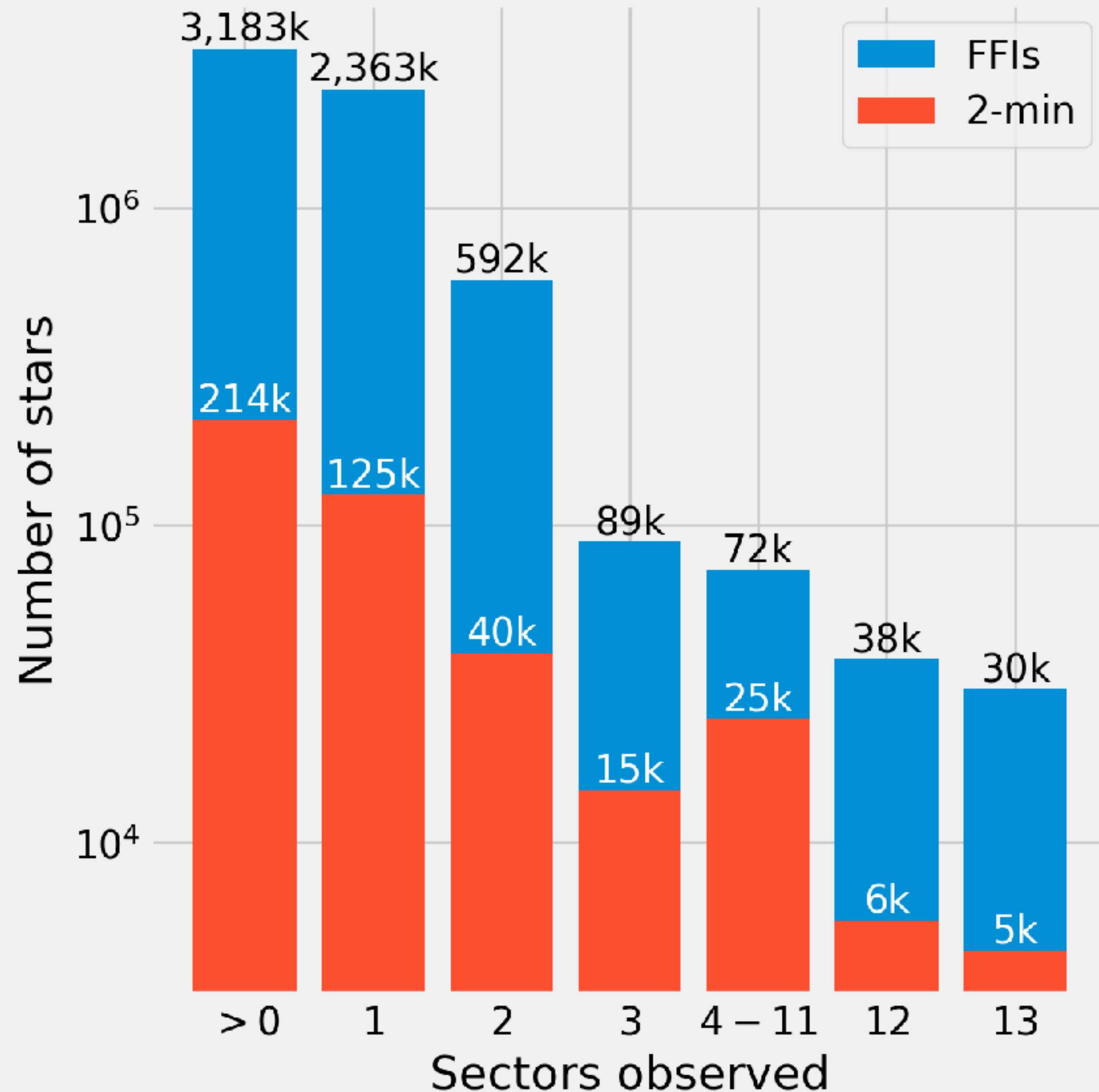
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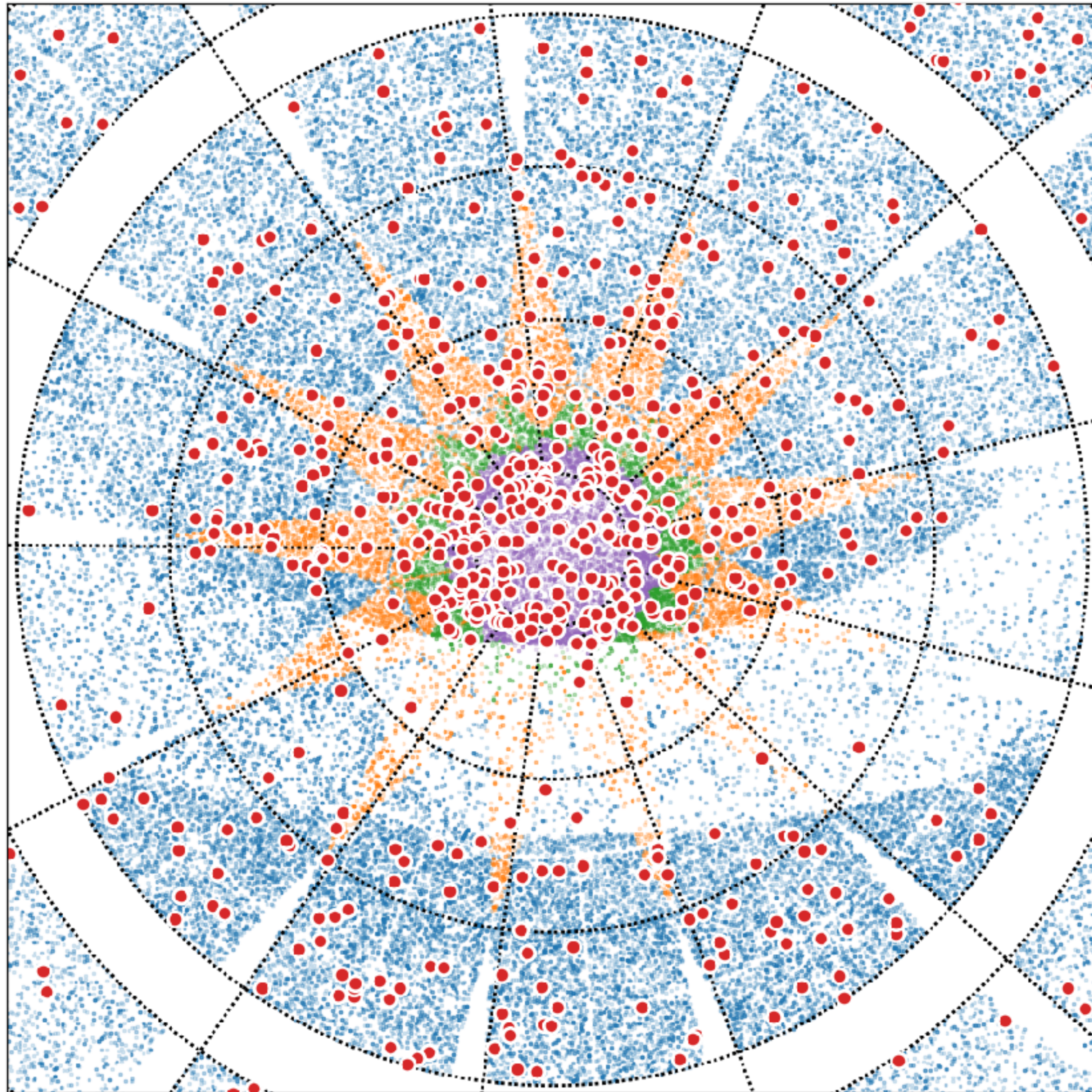


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Injecting and detecting planets

Southern Ecliptic Hemisphere - 2-min



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Planets are drawn with periods, radii, and eccentricities

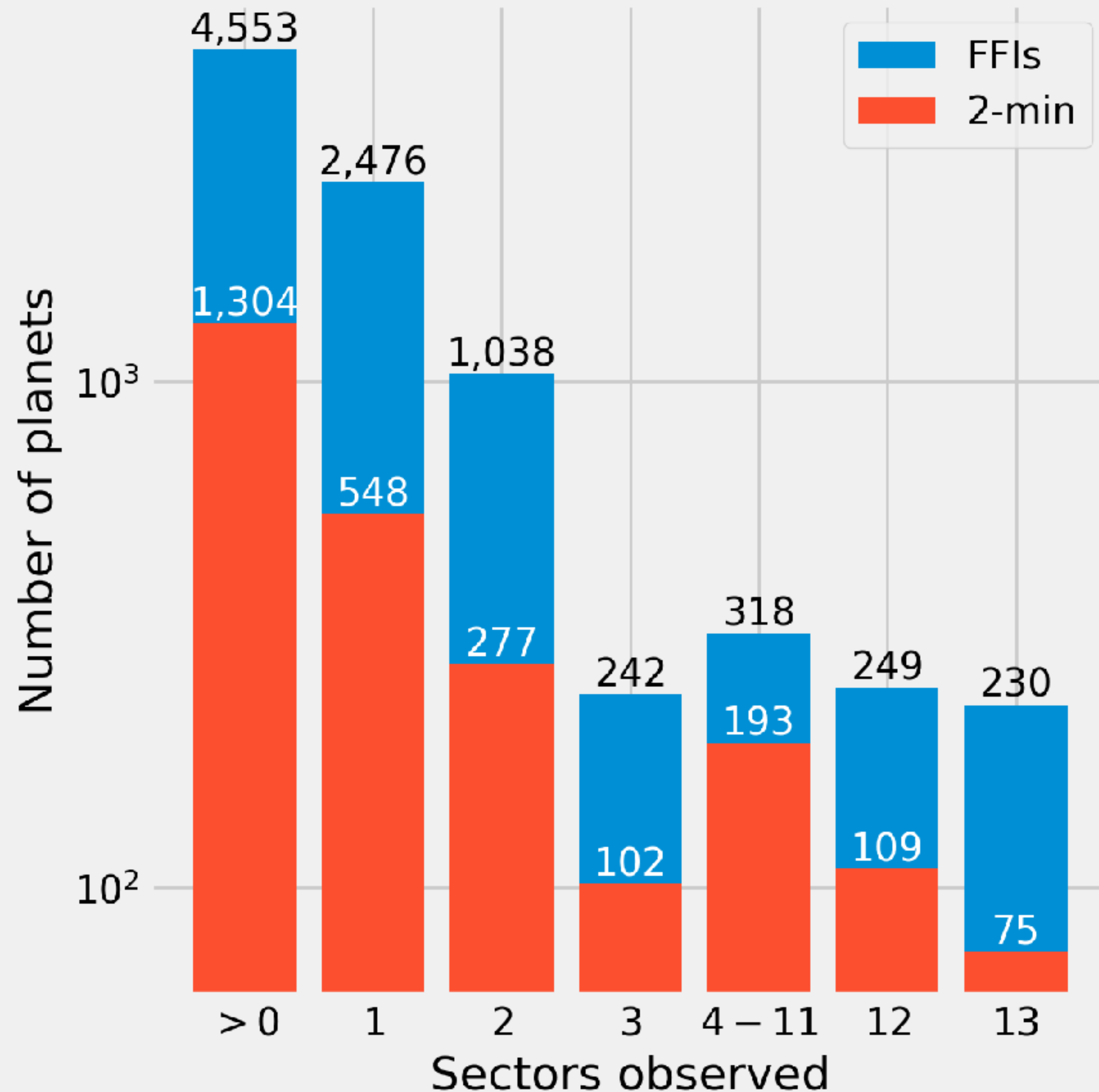
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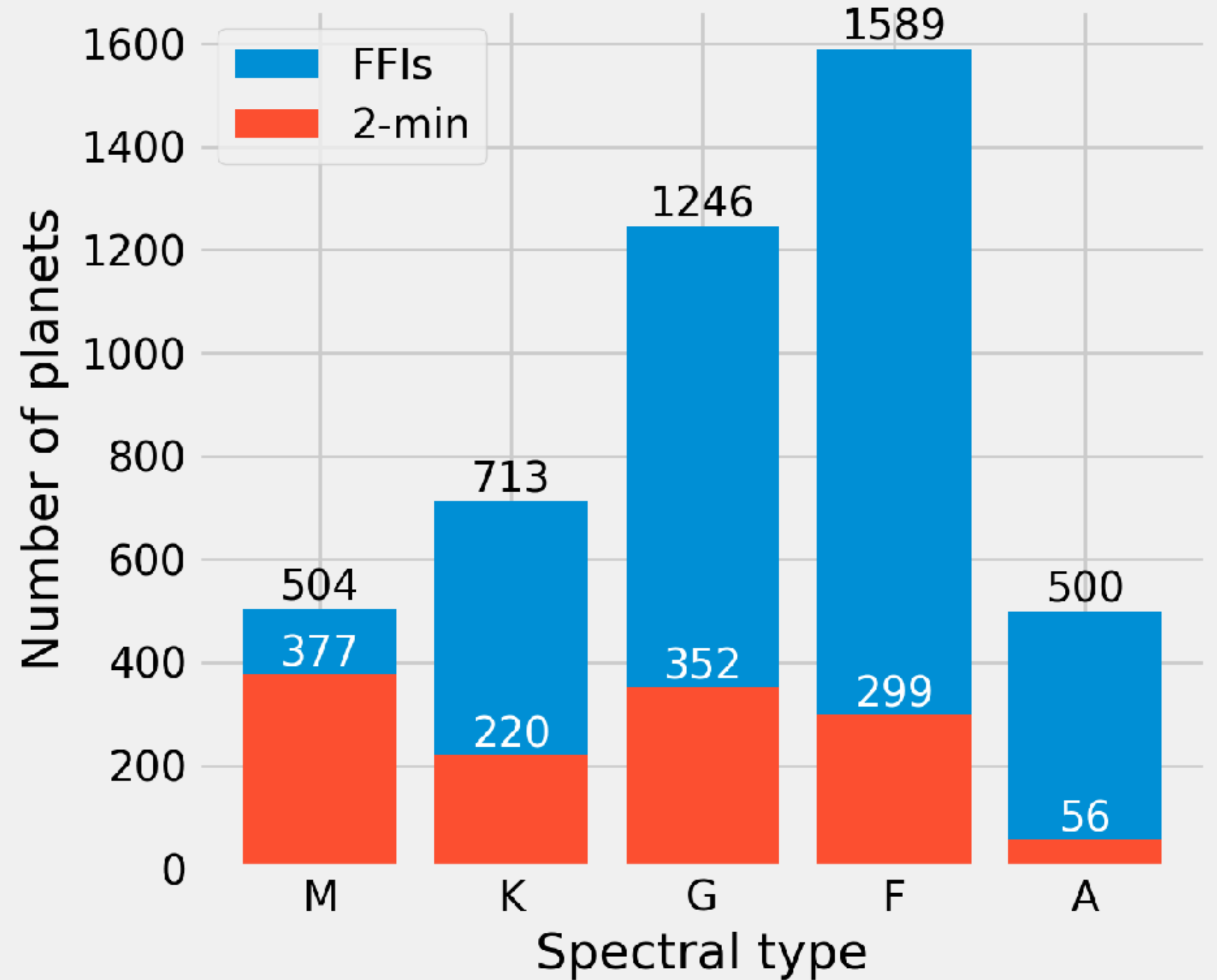
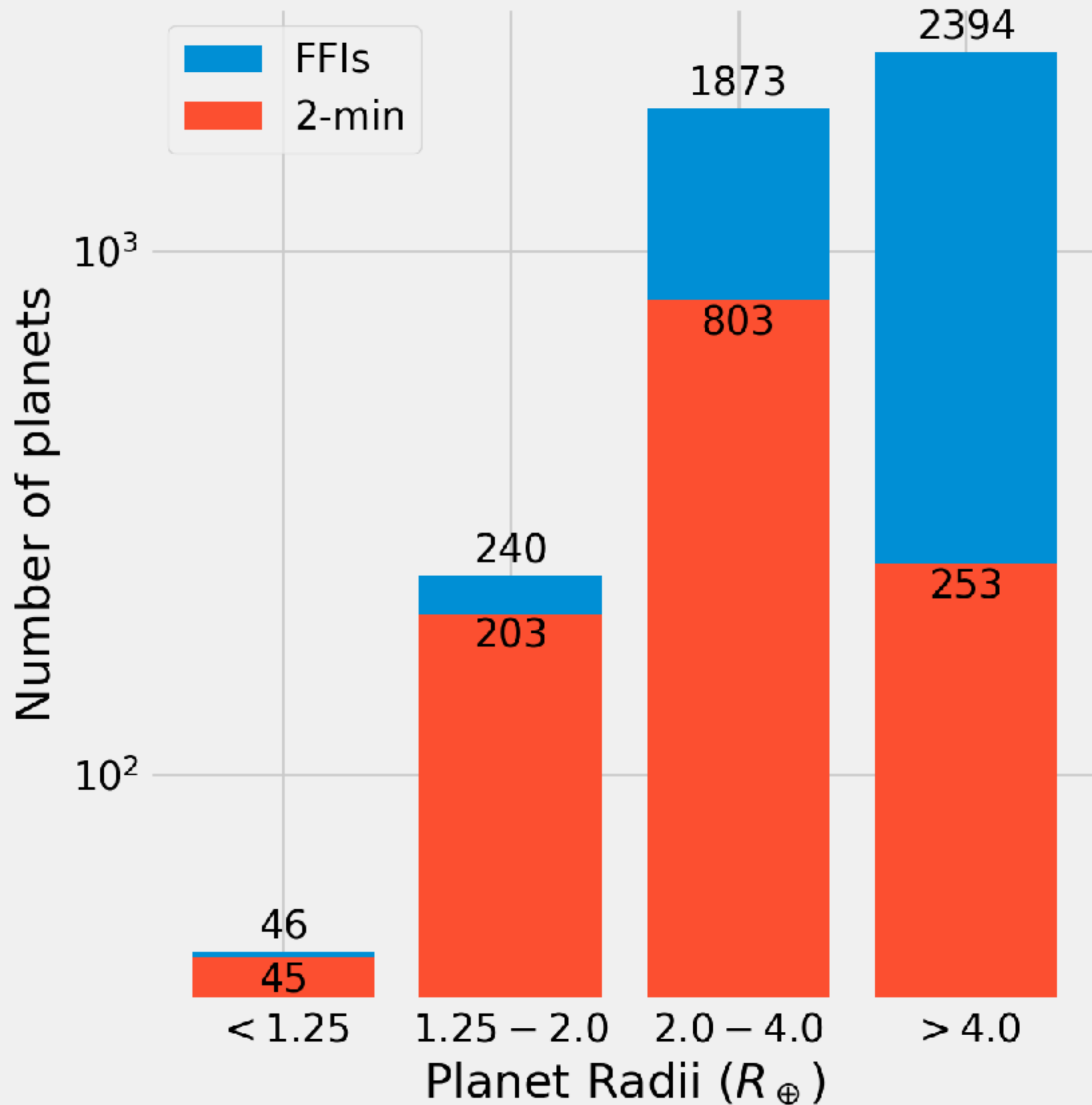
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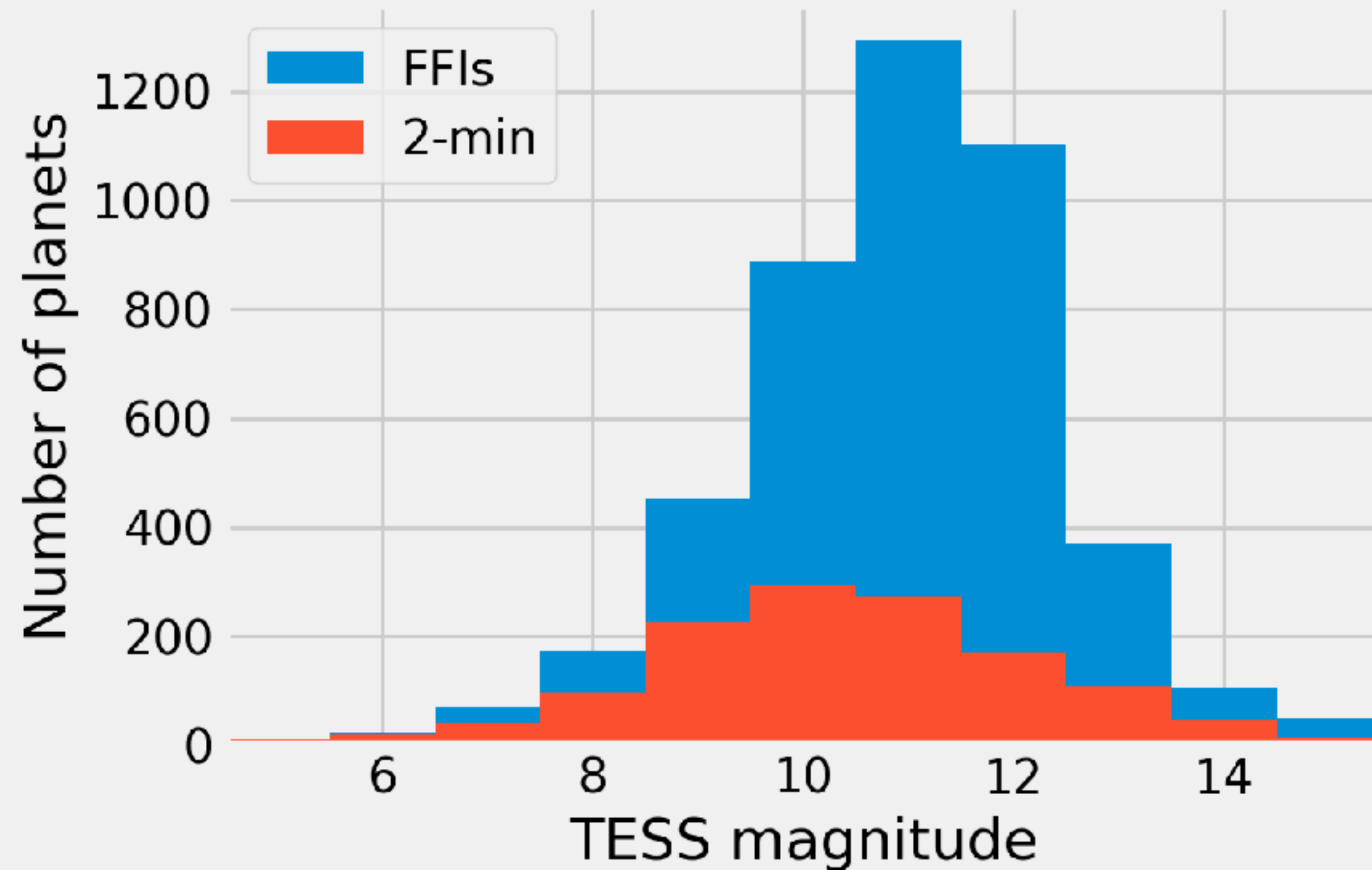


The planet radius distribution





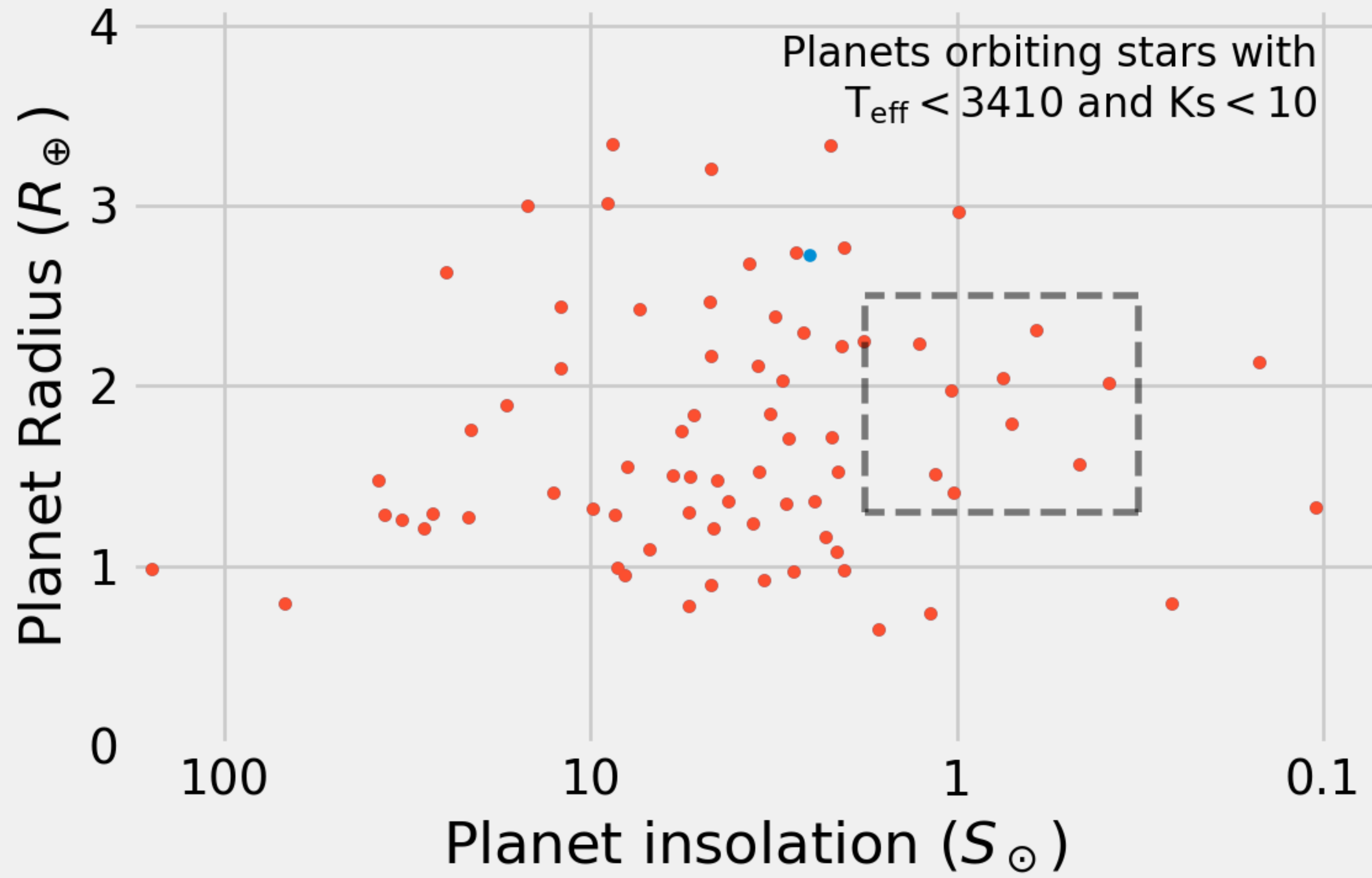
Planets amenable to RV follow-up



- On average, TESS planets orbit stars 3 magnitudes brighter than Kepler.
- We predict that TESS will find 1300 planets smaller than four Earth-radii around stars brighter than $V=12$.
 - We will triple the number of planets smaller than 4 Earth-radii with measurable masses
- 10 planets in our simulation orbit stars brighter than 55 Cnc
- The closest planets in the simulation orbits Lalande 21185, a star 2.5 pc away
 - 47 planets within 50 pc, and 236 within 100 pc, which doubles and quadruples the number of transiting planets known within 50 and 100 pc
- Our simulation contains 71 planets in the optimistic zone, of which 11 are smaller than 2 Earth-radii. All the habitable zone planets orbit Mdwarfs.



Small planets for atmospheric characterization

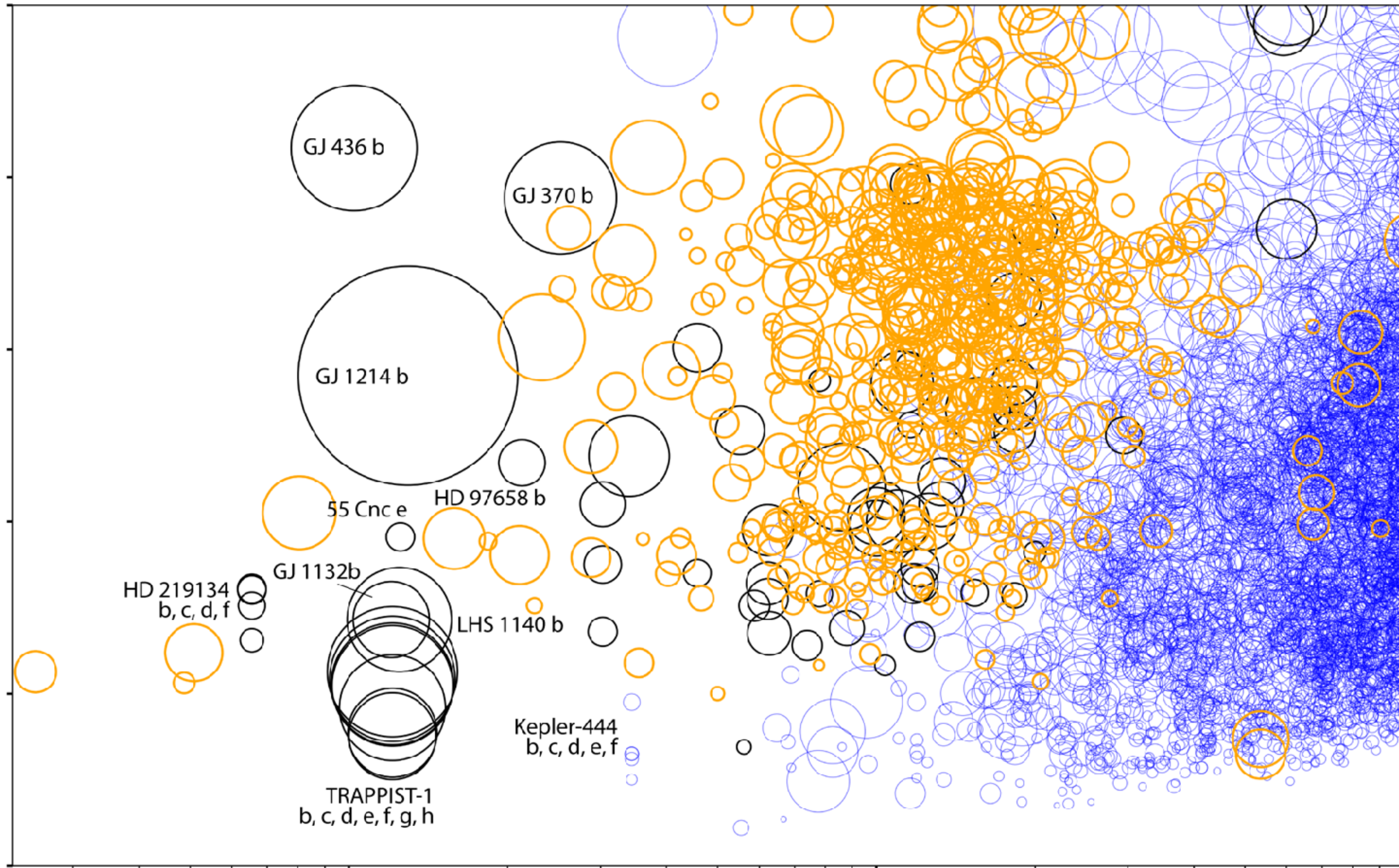


Planets orbiting bright, cool stars

- $T_{\text{eff}} < 3410 \text{ K}$
- Stars brighter than $K_{\text{mag}}=10$
- 76 total planets
- About a dozen in the HZ

Planet Radius (Earth radii)

5
4
3
2
1



Non-Kepler

Kepler

TESS (simulated)

10

100

1000

Distance (parsec)