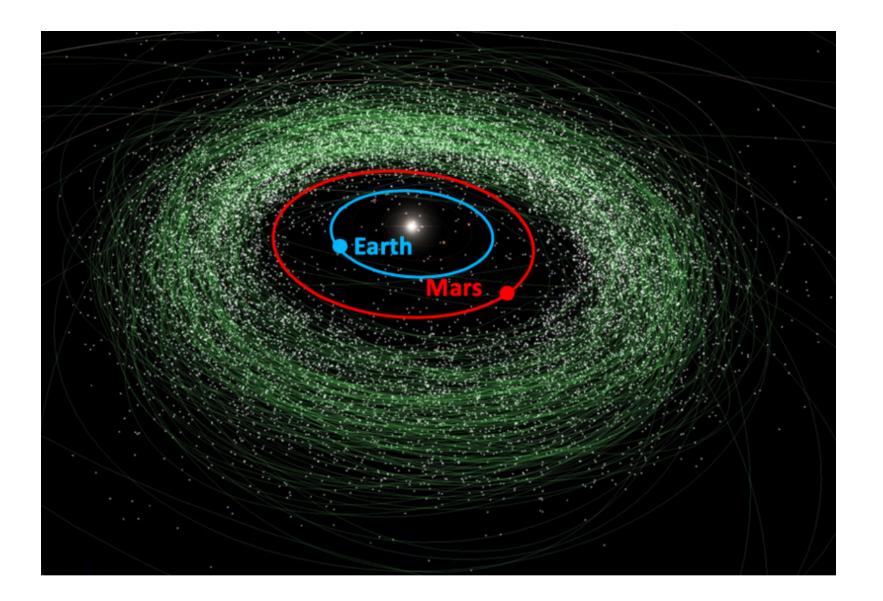
Gaia and the Solar System reaching a new dimension with the Data Release 3

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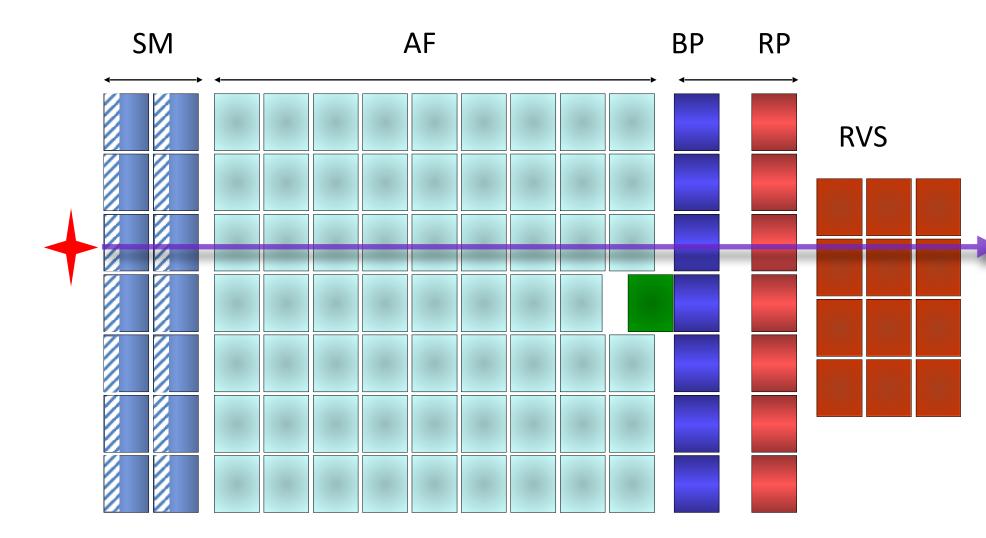
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Orbital elements (state vector, osculating elements) based on Gaia astrometry only



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Gaia DR3 is the first release of a massive volume of Solar System data. For the first time, spectral data are also present. Exact numbers will be available after the detailed validation process.

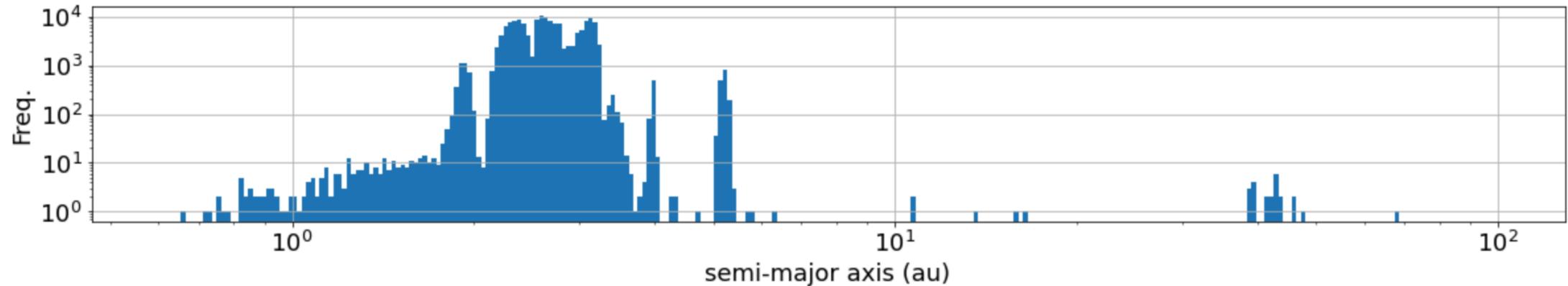
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Solar System: object categories in DR3

- Planetary satellites (31)
- "Unmatched objects" 0.8 % (isolated bundles)



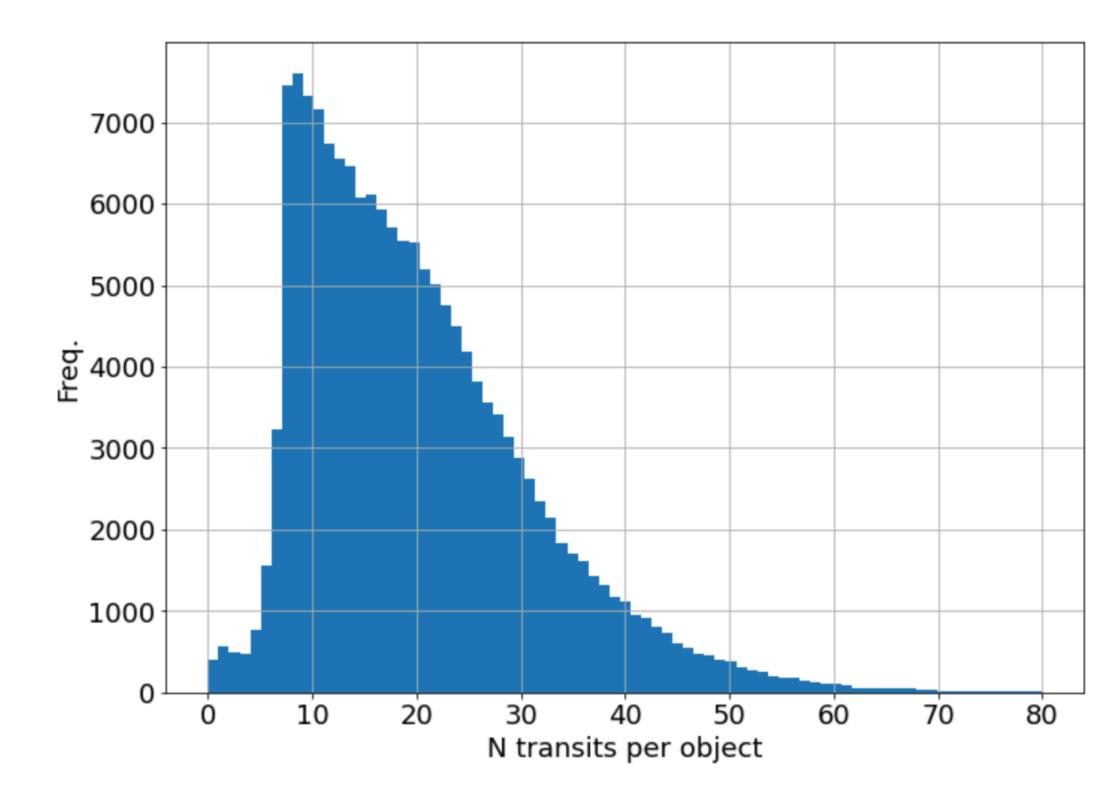
Known asteroids (pre-selected) — matched by position to ephemeris of known minor planets - 99.1 %

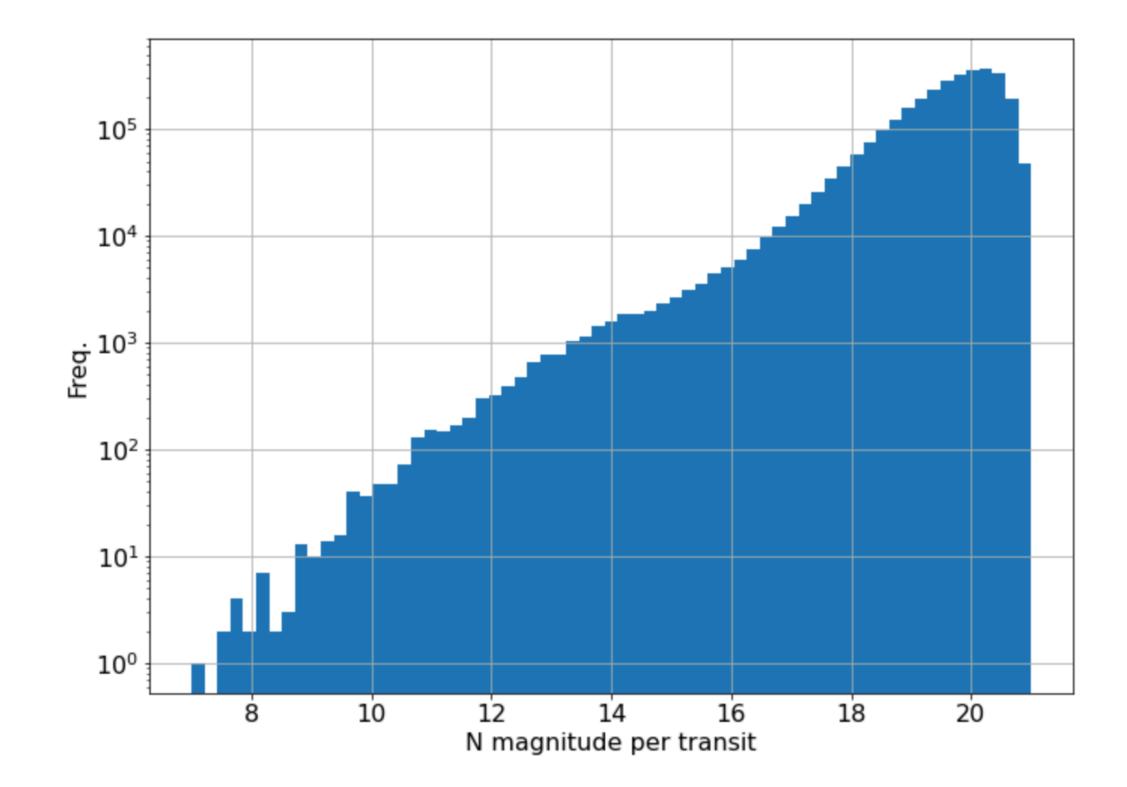
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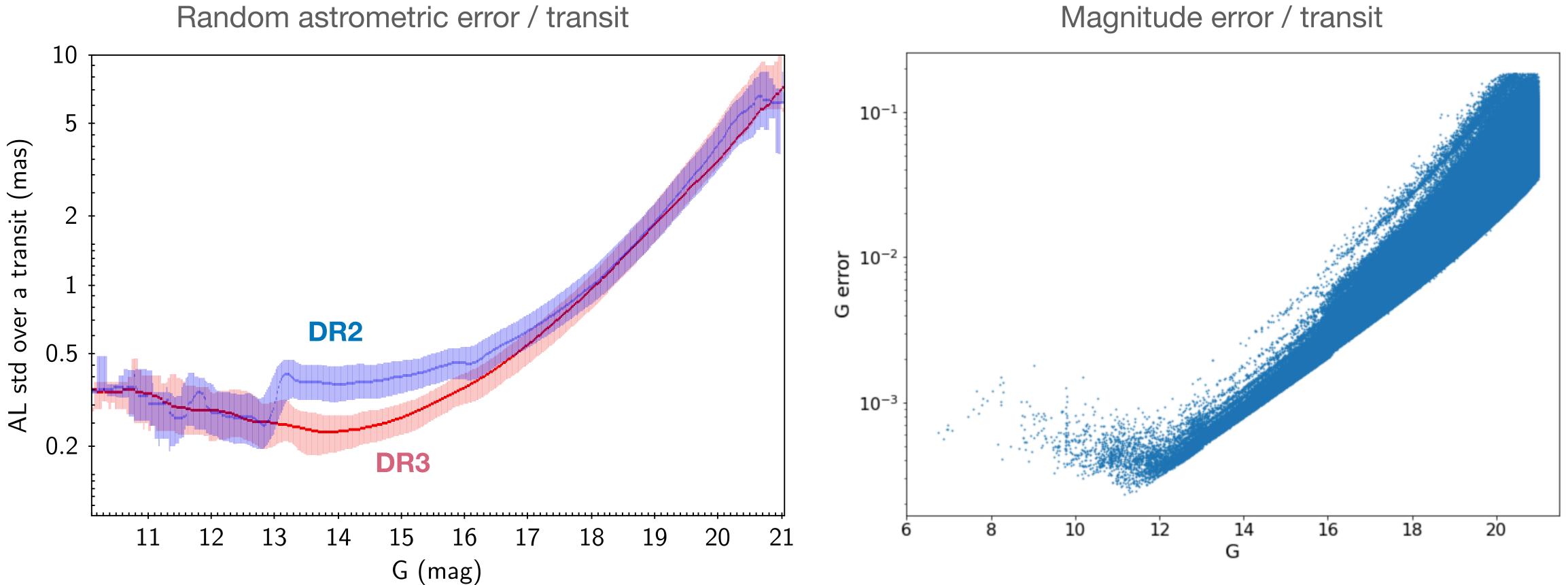
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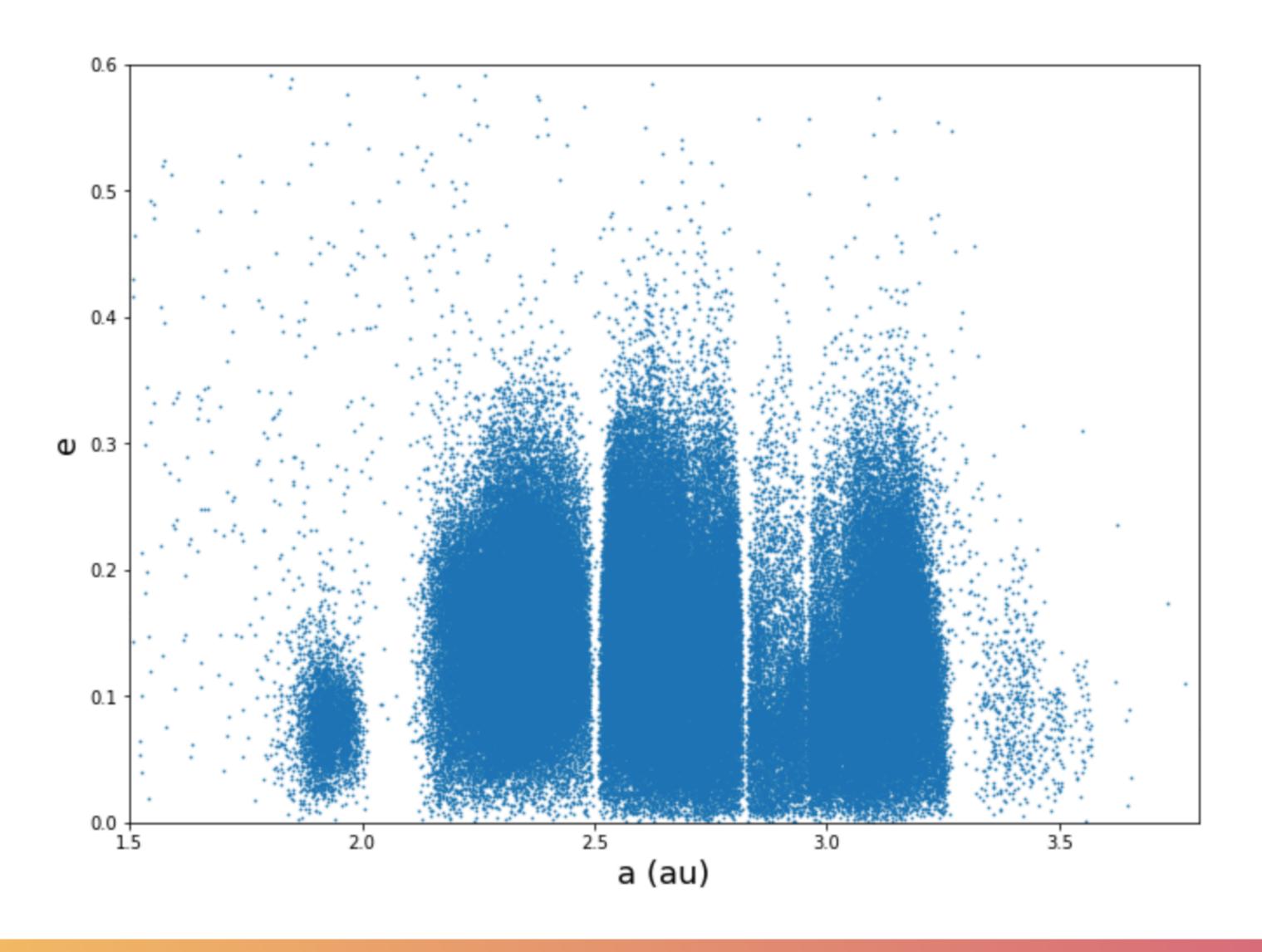


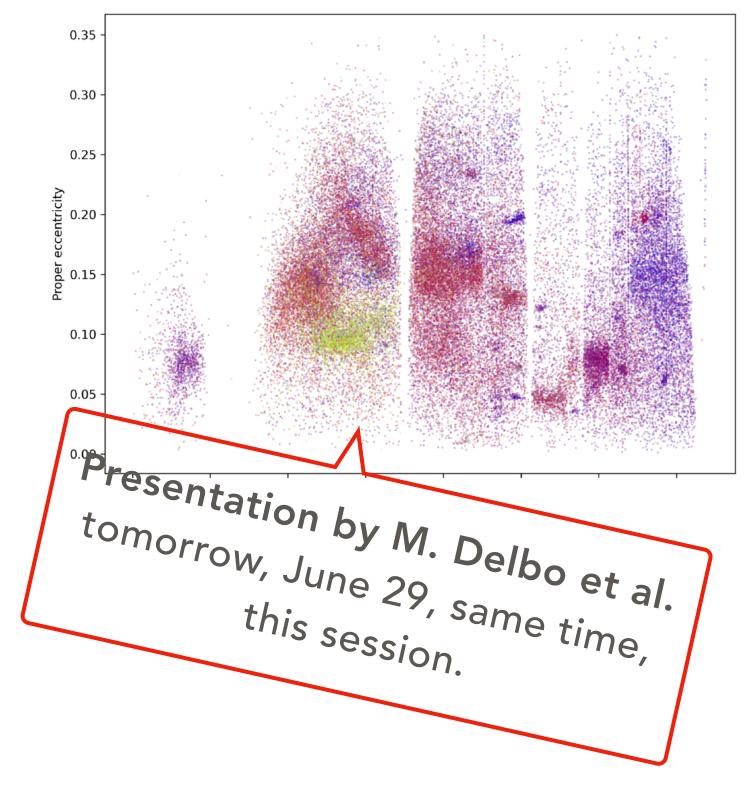
The Solar System data in DR3 - general properties - 2





DR3 : a rich portrait of the asteroid belt, in color

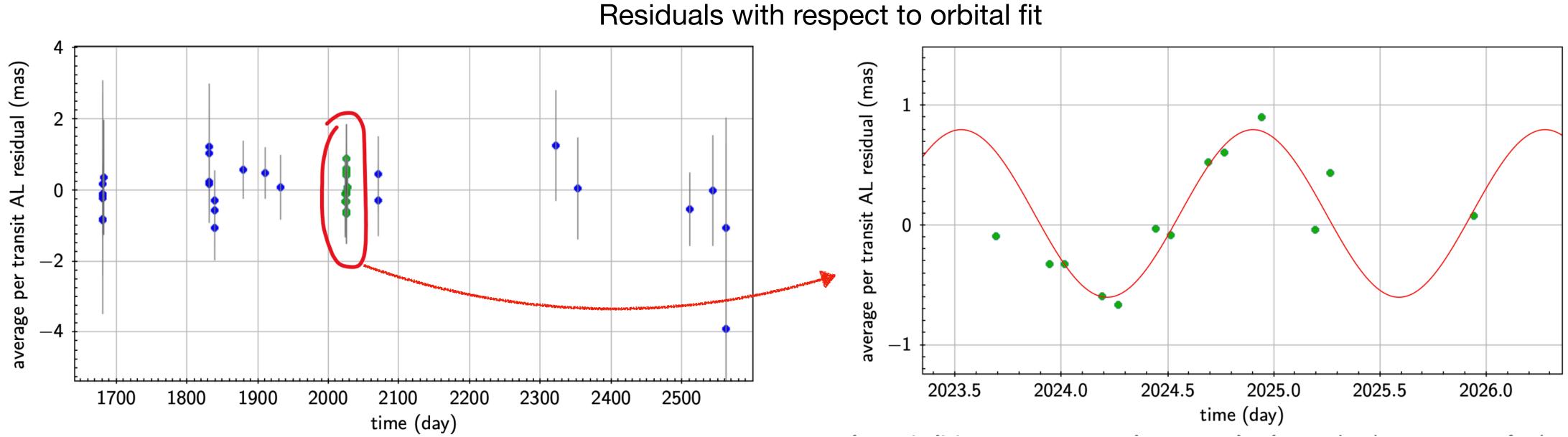


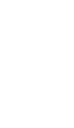




Data mining will discover treasures - an example

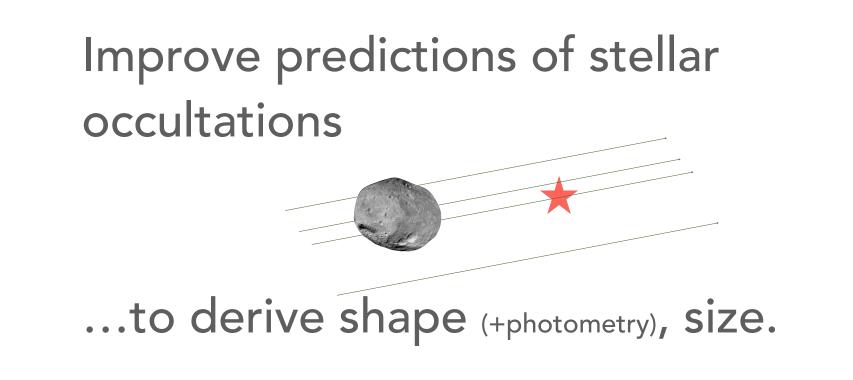
- Asteroid 4337 Arecibo
 - (First!) satellite discovered and confirmed by stellar occultation only (May 21, 2021) \bigcirc
 - Photometric inversion of Gaia data —> period found (~1.3 days) \bigcirc
- Gaia DR3: possible first photocenter. wobbling due to a satellite detected on an asteroid (amplitude 0.8 mas, period corresponding to rotation)

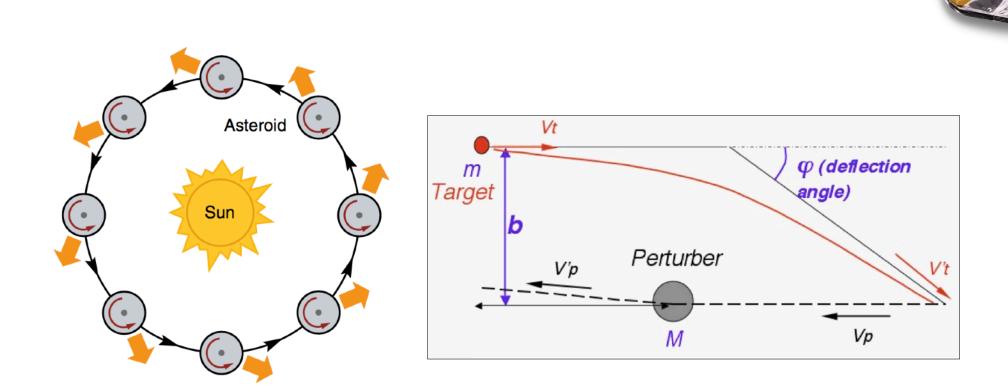




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Conclusion: much closer to the science goals!



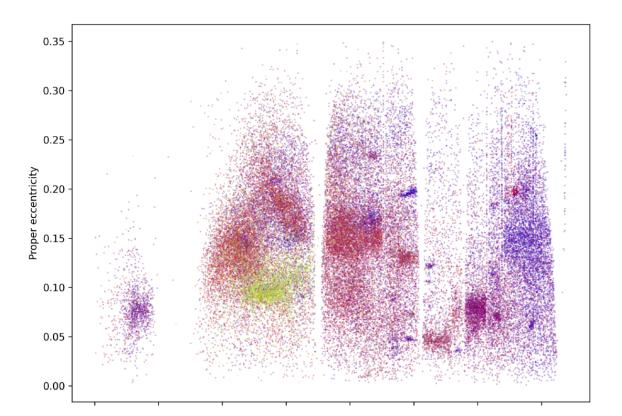


Measure the Yarkovsky force —> density New / precise asteroid masses

Discover asteroid satellites

by astrometry

A new spectro-photometric portrait of the asteroid belt



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