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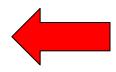
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Gaia-ESO survey – context and motivations

(conclusions and key words of several talks)

- Chemistry and kinematics
- Ages
- Large (spectroscopic) datasets
- Uniform analysis (also across different populations)

GAIA + GB SPECTROSCOPY



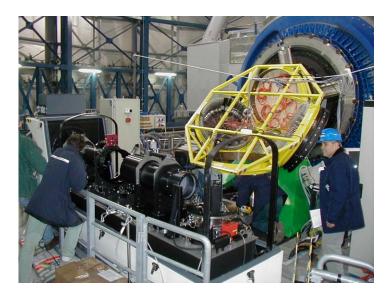
OUTLINE

- Survey overview
- Survey data products
- Core science
- Targets and strategy
- First light, spectra, "results"

Gaia-ESO survey (GES) overview (1)

- Public large spectroscopic survey with FLAMES@VLT
- Proposal approved in 6/2011, SMP in 10/2011, contract with DG signed in 2/2012
- 300 (240+60) nights (30n/semester) over 5 (4+1) years; start 12/2011 (P88), end 9/2016 (P97)++; visitor mode
- All populations of the MW: Halo; Bulge; Thick & Thin discs; open clusters and associations

Gaia-ESO survey overview (2)



Giraffe (130 fibers) for faint targets (V<19)

UVES (8 fibers) for 'bright' stars (V<16.5)

>10⁵ Giraffe spectra (R~16,000-25,000)
 > RVs, APs, [Fe/H], [X/Fe], stellar properties

>10⁴ UVES spectra (R~47,000)

precise multi element abundances

+ **ESO archive** exploitation/re-analysis

Survey data products

- 1D, λ calibrated, sky-subtracted spectra
- Radial and rotational velocities
- APs: T_{eff}, log g
- [Fe/H], [α/Fe], [X/Fe] (Li, C, O, Na, Mg, ...Ni, ...Ba, Y.)
- Average RV, [Fe/H], [X/Fe] for the clusters
- Stellar properties: e.g, accretion rates, mass loss
- Photometry used to select the targets
- Semester, annual, and final data releases
- First releases: 01/2013 and 06/2012

CORE SCIENCE

The formation and evolution of the MW and its component stars and stellar pops.

- The (dynamical) evolution of clusters: from birth to disruption
- Stellar evolution (ages, masses)
- Halo substructure, Dark Matter, Extreme stars (very low metallicity)
- Nature and formation of the bulge
- Formation and ev. of the thick and thin discs (field stars and clusters)

SAMPLE AND STRATEGY

What samples – 1. Field stars

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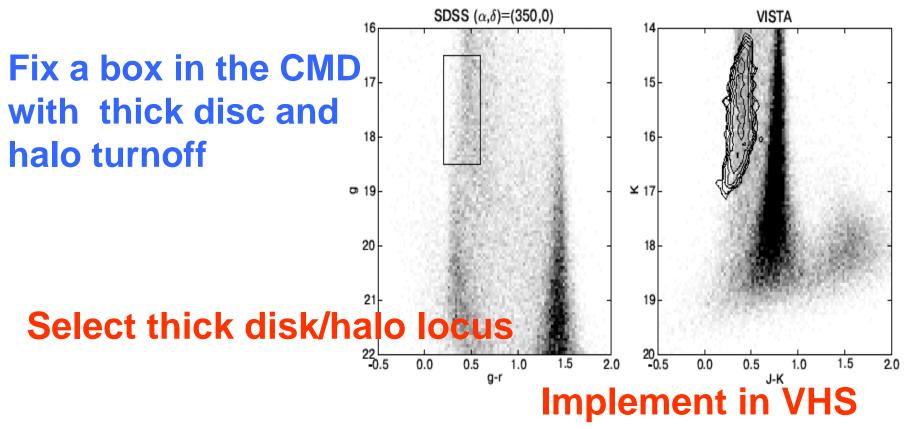
- Bulge: mostly giant stars (clump and RGB), I=15
- Halo /thick disc: FG TO stars (17 < r < 18); giants in known streams, predominantly NGC and SGC
- Thin disc –only RVs for dynamics; I<19

UVES parallel

 Solar neighborhood: complete unbiased 5000star sample. Look at Mv~5.5, → unbiased survey to 1kpc at V=15. Plus subgiants...
 At V=15, survey 2000 thin disk, 2000 thick disk, 1000+ halo

What samples – 1. Field stars

Selection based on CMDs using VISTA+ SDSS



What samples – 2. Open Clusters



PMS clusters (10-100 Myr)

Very young clusters, star forming regions, associations





Intermediate-age and old clusters (100 Myr – 8 Gyr)

Nearby (< 1.5 kpc) and distant Relevant populations covered

What samples – 2. Open Clusters

~ 100 OCs in all phases of evolution (~1 Myr \rightarrow several Gyr), sampling the agedistance-R_{GC}-density-mass-metallicity parameter space

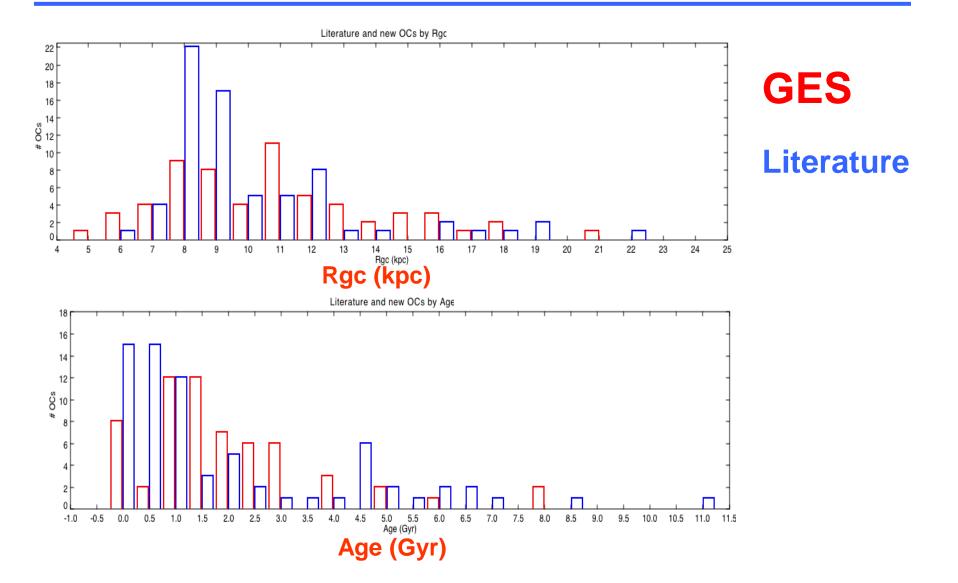
OB type stars \rightarrow M dwarfs plus evolved stars (mostly clump giants)

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Relevant populations covered

OCs in the Gaia-ESO survey



What samples/stars. 3 –calibration fields

- RV standards
- (Gaia) Benchmark stars
- COROT fields
- Targets observed by other surveys (e.g. Apogee)
- COROT fields
- Well studied open & globular clusters

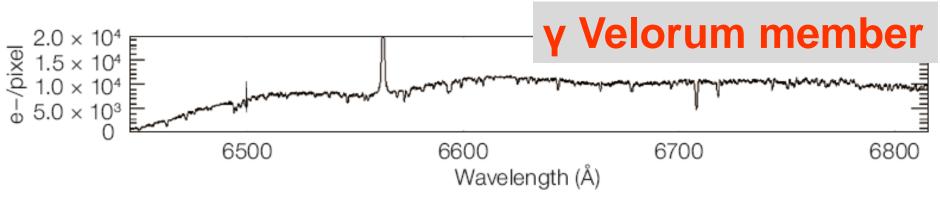
Set-ups and spectral ranges

- UVES: CD3 -520/580 (416-617/475-678 nm) for hot/cool stars
- Giraffe: Cluster/field stars:
- HR03/05A /06/09B/14A (403-476, 514-536, 631- 670 nm) for hot (down to A-type) stars:
 H lines, Si IV, He I, O II,...
- HR10/15N/21 (534-562; 647-679; 848.4-900)
 for cool stars: Teff/gravity indicators, Hα, Li,
 Fe I and II lines, Ca IR triplet, a few other el.
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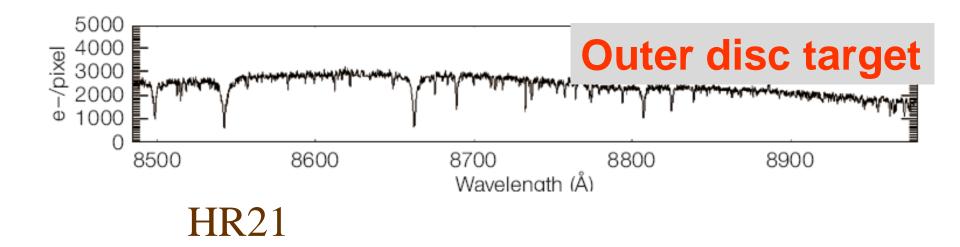
Observations

- First light: Dec. 31 2011-Jan 5
 2012
- Another five runs carried out (30 nights in total)
- Five clusters completed covering different characteristics
- Several MW fields –thick disc, bulge

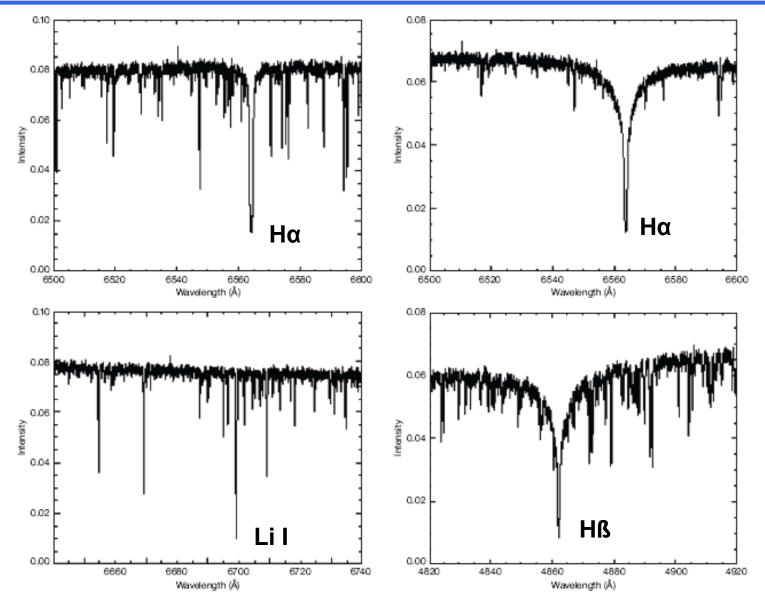
First spectra -Giraffe



HR15N



First spectra - UVES



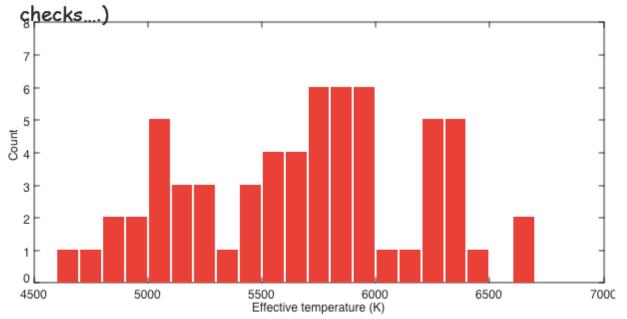
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MW target

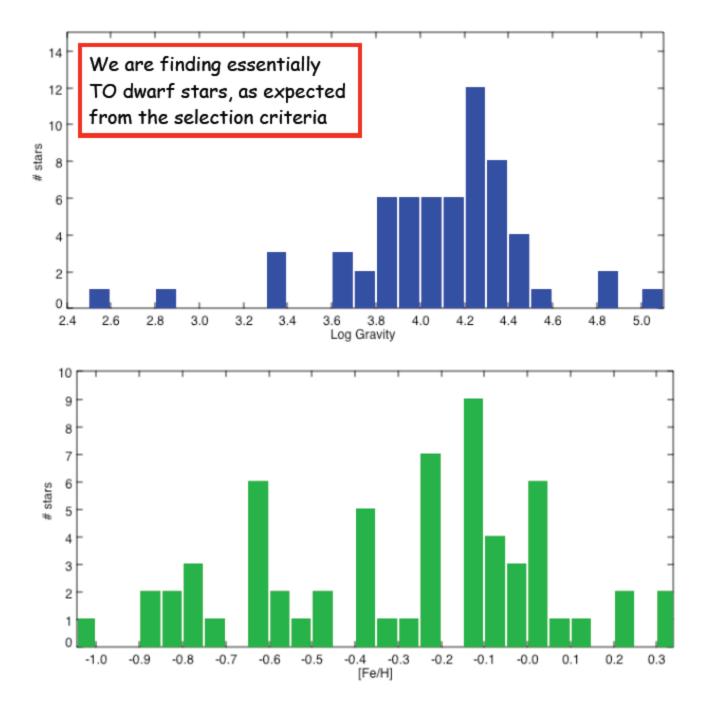
First analysis results promising

Run 1 and 2 results from MW UVES spectra

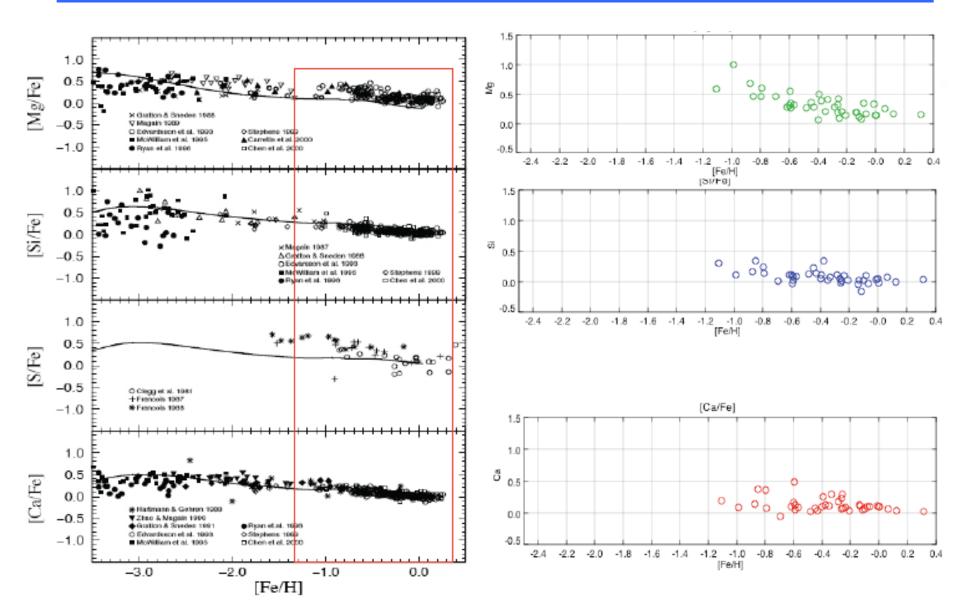
After solving some problems, the analysis of all MW fields taken in Run1-2 took ~2hrs CPU (preliminary analysis with few



Courtesy Laura Magrini – Arcetri-Bologna-Padova-Indiana-ESO node



α elements



Conclusions and perspectives

- Gaia-ESO Survey among the largest and most ambitious ground based spectroscopic surveys ever attempted by European astronomy –the largest on a 8m telescope
- First homogeneous overview of the distributions of kinematics and element abundances in the MW
- end data taking >2016++? gives overlap with first Gaia data release. Combined → full 6D phase space f(x,y,z,v_x,v_y,v_z), plus stellar parameters, and chemistry for a very large number and variety of stars: core science plus legacy science

THANK YOU!