

## ERRORS IN GALACTIC ASTRONOMY (February 21, 2012)

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### I: ERRORS CORRECTED AT FIRST REPRINTING

- p.43 : eq. (2.17): numerator and denominator on the r.h.s. should be reversed.
- p.78, l.4 : \*to\* distinguish
- p.88, l.3 : pulsars \*pulse\*
- p.100, l.-5 (i.e., line 5 from the bottom):  $z \rightarrow$  metallicity  $Z$
- p.107, Table 3.10, heading: delete “giants: luminosity and colors”
- p.135, Fig. 3.17: labels don’t reflect that both axes are logarithmic
- p.158 & 159, l.-2: within \*of\* cluster galaxies
- p.166, l.14: luminosity function\*s\*
- p.175, l.7: period missing
- p.183, l.6: in  $I(\mathbf{R})$ , the R should be boldface, not underscored.
- p.199, l.19: .05  $\rightarrow$  .005
- p.200 & 201, l.-5: \*by\* examination
- p.200, Fig 4.38: interchange left and right panels
- p.216, l.5: 3893  $\rightarrow$  3898
- p.237, Fig. 4.63: in left pane all plot symbols should be same type
- p.240, 241, l.1: \*to of\*
- p.247 l.-5: the random the motions
- p.264, Fig. 5.1: position of RC added (all others lines from Table 5.1 are also indicated).
- p.273, Fig. 5.7: label along  $x$ -axis fails to indicate that the scale is logarithmic.
- p.280, l.-4: A \*stars\*
- p.292, l.-3: \*there\* is no
- p.345, l.1: for a for a
- p.401, l.13:  $\Delta R \rightarrow \Delta r$
- p.416, p.-17: the number of stars  $\rightarrow$  the number of globular clusters
- p.456, l.10: the width \*of\* the Ly ...
- p.466, eq (1) in box: the penultimate line should end  $L = 0 \not\rightarrow L = 0$
- p.475, Table 8.1, Notes: in the last line,  $10^6 \rightarrow 10^{-6}$
- p.486, l.-9: heat a photon  $\rightarrow$  heat a grain
- p.514, l.-5: dust in early-type galaxies dust
- p.517, Fig.8.43, caption, last line: falls  $\rightarrow$  rises
- p.529, l.-8: much this of tail
- p.538, Fig 9.3: there should be no emission at  $l > 90$  and  $v > 0$  or at  $l < -90$  and  $v < 0$
- p.573, l.-16: add “was sensitive” after COBE
- p.607, l.12: have allow\*ed\* us

p.608, l.14: the kinds \*of\* data  
p.608, l.17: to examine of the bulge  
p.609, l.2: delete “Galactic center: extinction to”  
p.622, l.-9: at its red end → at its blue end  
p.623, l.-12: Seventer → Sevenster  
p.644, l.4: expected \*to\* decrease  
p.663, l.-2: the amount \*of\*  
p.670, Fig.10.32: wrong figure shown  
p.678, l.3&4: delete this para  
p.711, l.-12: kurtotic → kurtosis  
p.719, Fig 11.13, Caption: CFHT resolution should be 0.5”.

## II: ERRORS in SECOND PRINTING

p.10, l-6 : Hoskins → Hoskin  
p.15, l+1 : late 1923 → late 1922  
p.18, l-5 : galactic bar → Galactic bar  
p.31, below eq (2.1): longitude of NCP is  $l_{CP} = 122.932$  not 123.932 as given  
p.44–45, the sign of the rhss of (2.19) is wrong and this defective sign propagates right through to eq (2.22).  
p.48, below (2.28) replace 0.921 with 1.086  
p.61, l+18 : that the this galaxy → that this galaxy  
p.65, Eq (2.54): replace  $\theta_E$  by  $\theta_E^2$   
p.80 Eq (3.11): replace  $(v_{r1} + v_{r2})^2$  by  $(v_{r1} + v_{r2})^3$   
p.87, l-8 : periods of the of the best → periods of the best  
p.97 Table 3.6 at  $V - K = 0$  95000 should read 9500  
p.111, l+17 : the number  $dN/dm$  of → the number  $dN$  of  
p.115, l+13 : 0.15 → -0.35  
p.118 Eq (3-51): should read

$$\frac{\varpi}{\sigma_\varpi} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{\varpi'}{\sigma_\varpi} + \sqrt{\frac{\varpi'^2}{\sigma_\varpi^2} + 4(5\beta - 4)} \right).$$

Table 3.15 should read

**Table 3.15** The Lutz-Kelker bias in parallax and absolute magnitude and its 90% confidence limits

$\varpi'/\sigma_\varpi$	40	20	15	10	8	5	3
$(\varpi - \varpi')\sigma_\varpi$	-0.019	-0.038	-0.050	-0.076	-0.095	-0.155	-0.275
$\varpi_L/\sigma_\varpi$	38.7	18.7	13.7	8.6	6.6	3.5	1.2
$\varpi_U/\sigma_\varpi$	41.3	21.2	16.2	11.2	9.2	6.1	4.0
$M - M'$	-0.001	-0.004	-0.007	-0.016	-0.026	-0.068	-0.209

p.147, note : the Shapley-Ames → the Revised Shapley-Ames

p.164, Eq (4.4) and on line below: replace  $\Phi_0$  by  $\Phi^*$

p.177, Eq (4.7):  $P(d) \rightarrow P(\mathbf{d})$

p.177, Eq (4.8): Integrand missing factor

$$\frac{1}{\sigma^2} \exp\left(-\frac{R^2 + R'^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

p.178, l+1 : length  $a$  their  $\rightarrow$  length  $a$  of their

p. 181 Table 4.5 last line: the term involving a square root is too big by a factor 2, so the formular should read

$$\frac{\pi}{4s} - \frac{1}{s^2 - 1} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{(1 - s^2/2)c(s)}{|s^2 - 1|^{1/2}} \right)$$

p.185, last line: replace  $x - yR^{1/4}$  by  $x + yR^{1/4}$

p.237, l+4: add '+4' before 'being'

p.255, Eq in Problem 4.1 missing factor  $1/\pi\sigma^2$  before integral and limits of  $\theta'$  integral should be  $0, \pi$ .

p.256 In last line of Problem 4.5, replace  $I \sim R^{-(1+\alpha)}$  by  $I \sim R^{-(\alpha-1)}$ .

p.277, l-5 'lower' to 'higher'

p.287, Last line of (5.16): replace by  $\mathcal{M}^{-1.83}$  for  $0.2 M_\odot < \mathcal{M} < 1 M_\odot$

p.297, Fig 5.15 : The  $\beta$ -decay arrows should point diagonally

p.308, l 15,16: change  $x$  to 0.2 and 0.51 to 0.52

p. 311 eq (5.48) change 0.6 to 6

p. 312 l 5: change 0.6 to 6

p. 316 eq (5.66):  $dM_{\text{GB}}$  to  $d \ln M_{\text{GB}}$

p. 322 l-2: (5.72) to (5.71)

p. 324 l 18: 'lower-frequency' to 'higher-frequency'

p. 325 Prob 5.8 SF rate  $\propto e^{-\alpha t}$  and (5.73) should read

$$\Phi_0(M) = \frac{e^{t\alpha}}{e^{T\alpha} - 1} \Phi(M) \quad \text{where } T = \min(t, \tau_{\text{MS}}).$$

p. 338 l-12 to end para: replace with "Since RR Lyrae period decreases monotonically with the star's metallicity, this gap also shows up as a minimum in the period distribution; clusters on the metal-rich side of the gap form a group whose RR Lyrae stars have short periods, while those on the metal-poor side of the gap contain only long-period RR Lyrae stars."

p 354 l 1: change "second" to "third"

p 371 l 12: change  $r$  to  $R$

p 371 l -4: change "spectra" to "measurements"

p 372 l-13: replace "an isotropic system" with "a system with an isotropic velocity distribution"

p. 537: caption Fig 9.2: change  $r$  to  $R$

pp. 538, 539 captions of Figs 9.3 & 9.4: change  $20^\circ$  to  $15^\circ$  and also in text

p. 436 Problem 8.3: add that beam covers  $6 \times 10^{-7}$  steradians.

pp 539,540: in many places change  $r$  to  $R$

- p. 542 caption of Fig 9.7: reverse ‘clockwise’ & ‘anticlockwise’ in the last sentence.
- p. 548 l 2 and caption Fig 9.12: change  $20^\circ$  to  $15^\circ$ ; also change (8.16) to (8.18)
- p. 557 l19: add ‘used’ after ‘been’
- p. 611 eq (10.3) second line: change  $\pi s_b$  to  $\pi q_b s_b$
- p. 612 eq (10.4) change first  $2z_0$  to  $4z_0$
- p. 625 The signs of the rhss of eq. (10.9) are all incorrect.
- p. 627 l 9 and 11: change  $V_\odot$  to  $W_\odot$
- p. 631 l-2 of Box 10.2: change  $(q \sin \psi, \cos \psi)$  to  $(\cos \psi, q \sin \psi)$
- p. 639 eq (10.22): remove  $\frac{R_0}{R}$ ; in last line of eq (10.27) add  $(R - R_0)$  before  $\frac{d\Omega_z}{dR}$
- p. 640 eq (10.29): remove subscript  $z$  from  $\Omega$
- p. 642 l 10: §2.1.5 to §2.1.6
- p. 659 l -7: ‘density is  $K/D$ ’ to ‘density is  $K/(2D)$ ’; eq (10.53) add minus sign after second equality
- p. 668 eq (10.63) and in line above: add hats to  $\mathbf{x}^{(i)}$
- p. 669 eq (10.64): replace top of fraction by  $\sum_i (v_{\text{los}}^{(i)} + \mathbf{v}_\odot \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(i)}) \mathbf{e}_\phi^{(i)} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{x}}^{(i)}$
- p. 673 l-17: change  $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] \lesssim -0.8$  to  $[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] \gtrsim -0.8$
- p. 674 l 12: change  $\mu_0 d$  to  $\mu_0 s$
- p. 675 last line: change  $\frac{1}{3}u^3/\mu_0^3$  to  $\pi u^3/(16\mu_0^3)$  and change rhs of eq (10.68) to

$$\frac{\pi^2 n_0}{4\mu_0^3} u^3 f(u)$$

- p. 678 caption Fig 10.37: replace  $y_{\text{eff}} = 0.025$  by  $p/(1+c) = 0.025Z_\odot$
- p. 680, 3 lines above (10.73): after ‘by’ replace rest of paragraph with ‘equations (10.73) below with  $q = 0.6$ ,  $\beta = \gamma = 1.8$ , and  $r_t = 1.9$  kpc.’
- p. 681 l -4: change “0.2” to “2”
- p. 692 In denominator of second term on left of (10.79) replace  $R_0$  with  $R_0^2$ .
- p. 704, eq. (11.13) in denominator  $\sigma_k \rightarrow \sigma_k^2$
- p. 745, Arias : voordinate  $\rightarrow$  coordinate
- p. 758, Hoskins: Hoskins  $\rightarrow$  Hoskin