From vertical to axisymmetric Jeans modelling in the solar neighbourhood

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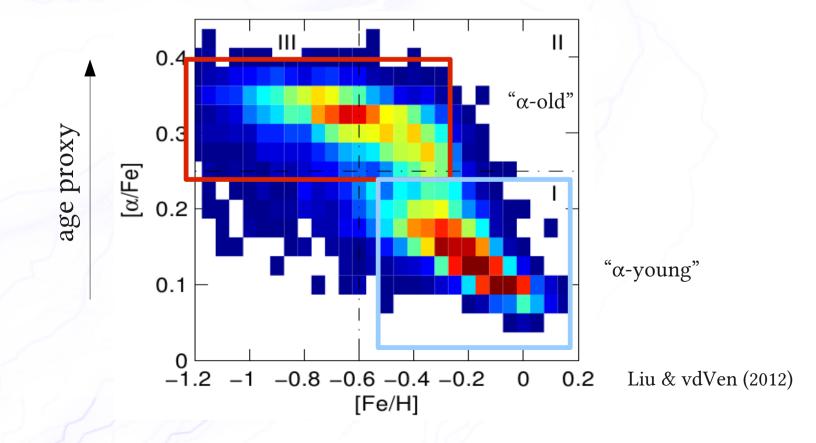
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Milky Way Potential

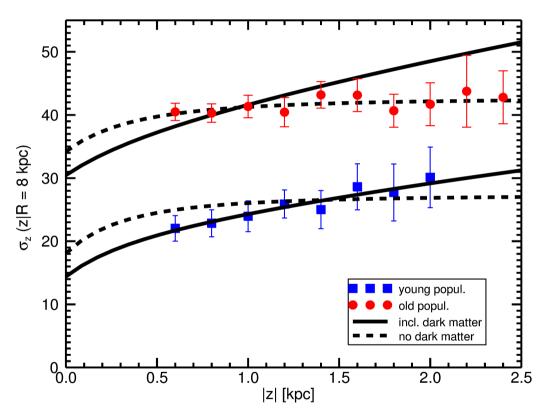
- Aim: Milky Way potential, including local dark matter fraction
- Tracers: ~14,000 G-Dwarfs from the SEGUE Survey





Vertical Jeans Model

- Tracer density: exponential scale height
- *Potential*: stellar exponential thin & thick disk + constant DM density
- Assumption: vertical and radial motion decoupled
 - ...zero tilt angle



Tilting of the velocity ellipsoid

- no cylindrical alignment of the velocity ellipsoid
- axisymmetric Jeans models with non-zero tilt angle
- *Future*: Schwarzschild models without assumptions on the velocity ellipsoid

