



Coupling Binarity and Asteroseismology: **High-Precision Core** Masses and Ages from Kepler and TESS

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Core masses & ages

He-Core mass at TAMS determines the rest of a star's evolution

Ages are important for exoplanets / galaxies / clusters / etc.

1.2+
$$\rm M_{\odot}$$
 Convective cores



Core masses & ages

Rotation

Pulsations

Magnetism

Tides

Convective boundary mixing Atomic diffusion

etc.











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Model degeneracies!!!

We don't know what mixing mechanism is at work.

Don't try to fit efficiency of mechanism.

Calibrate core mass





Table 6. Monte Carlo Isochrone-cloud modelling 95% confidence in-tervals for CW Cep and U Oph.

Parameter	CW Cep	U Oph
Age [Myr]	7.0-1	$57.5^{+5.0}_{-2.5}$
$M_1 [{ m M}_\odot]$	$13.00^{+0.1}_{-0.16}$	$5.08^{+0.07}_{-0.06}$
$M_2 [{ m M}_\odot]$	$12.00\substack{+0.11\\-0.12}$	$4.60^{+0.05}_{-0.05}$
$X_{\mathrm{c},1}$	$0.54\substack{+0.01\\-0.03}$	$0.48\substack{+0.02\\-0.04}$
$X_{\mathrm{c},2}$	$0.57\substack{+0.01\\-0.03}$	$0.51\substack{+0.03 \\ -0.02}$
$M_{ m cc,1}[m M_\odot]$	$4.34_{-0.29}^{+0.11}$	$1.05\substack{+0.08\\-0.11}$
$M_{ m cc,2}[m M_\odot]$	$3.86^{+0.12}_{-0.19}$	$0.93\substack{+0.06\\-0.05}$

Pols+1997 / Stancliffe+2015 / Higel & Weiss 2017 / Claret & Torres 2016,2017,2018,2019 / Constantino & Baraffe 2018



Calibrating Core-masses

10 systems / 20 stars 4.5–20 $\rm M_{\odot}$

 χ^{2}_{1} : M,T_{eff},logg χ^{2}_{2} : T_{eff},logg





Tkachenko et al. *in prep.*

Add asteroseismic info...



<u>g-modes</u>:

- 1. Sensitive to core-mass
- 2. Near-core mixing
- 3. Core hydrogen content

Van Reeth et al. 2015a

Add asteroseismic info...

Combined information changes solution!

	KIC 4930889	SB2	KIC 6352430	SB2
Age [Myr]	85	103	140	205
f _{ov}	0.02	0.025	0.005	0.04
$\mathrm{M}_{\mathrm{cc}}[\mathrm{M}_{\odot}]$	0.58	0.54	0.51	0.56









Can explain eMSTO of YMCs <u>for free!</u>

We find ages <u>~20%</u> different to those when fit with a single isochrone



Take home messages

- 1. <u>MUST</u> account for range of internal mixing efficiencies
- 2. We should calibrate core-mass across spectral type, evol. stage, etc
- 3. TESS will deliver <u>MANY</u> more pulsating EBs
- 4. YMCs with TESS

Perfect time to start reporting core masses



Extra slides



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Core masses & ages





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The curious case of U Gru



UVES DDT

Bowman et al. *under review*; Johnston et al. *in prep.*



The curious case of U Gru

Circular eclipsing pulsating Algol system (oEA) A-type primary + cooler companion





Binary Asteroseismology



Absolute Dimensions

CW Cep	1012-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-11-1		111 111 AS A 111 A		
Parameter	Gimenez et al. (1987)	Clausen & Gimenez (1991)	Han et al. $(2002)^{a}$	Han et al. $(2002)^{b}$	This Work
$M_1 [M_{\odot}]$	11.9 ± 0.1	11.82 ± 0.14	13.49	12.93	$13.00\substack{+0.07\\-0.07}$
$M_2 \left[M_\odot \right]$	11.2 ± 0.1	11.09 ± 0.14	12.05	11.84	$11.94\substack{+0.08\\-0.07}$
$R_1 [R_\odot]$	5.40 ± 0.1	5.48 ± 0.12	6.03	5.97	$5.45^{+0.03}_{-0.06}$
$R_2 [R_\odot]$	4.95 ± 0.1	4.99 ± 0.12	4.60	4.56	$5.09^{+0.06}_{-0.03}$
$\log g_1$ [dex]	4.05 ± 0.02	4.03 ± 0.02	4.01	3.99	$4.079^{+0.010}_{-0.005}$
$\log g_2$ [dex]	4.10 ± 0.02	4.09 ± 0.02	4.19	4.19	$4.102^{+0.005}_{-0.010}$
U Oph					
Parameter	Holmgren et al. (1991)	Vaz et al. (2007)	Budding et al. (2009)	This Work	
$M_1 \left[M_\odot \right]$	4.93 ± 0.05	5.273 ± 0.091	5.13 ± 0.08	$5.09^{+0.06}_{-0.05}$	
$M_2 \left[M_\odot \right]$	4.56 ± 0.04	4.783 ± 0.072	4.56 ± 0.07	$4.58\substack{+0.05\\-0.05}$	
$R_1 [R_\odot]$	3.29 ± 0.06	3.483 ± 0.020	3.41 ± 0.03	$3.44_{-0.01}^{+0.01}$	
$R_2 [R_\odot]$	3.01 ± 0.05	3.109 ± 0.034	3.08 ± 0.03	$3.05\substack{+0.01\\-0.01}$	
$\log g_1$ [dex]	4.10 ± 0.01	4.068 ± 0.010	4.08 ± 0.01	$4.073_{-0.004}^{+0.004}$	
$\log g_2$ [dex]	4.14 ± 0.02	4.128 ± 0.012	4.12 ± 0.01	$4.131\substack{+0.004\\-0.004}$	

Notes. Table compares derived fundamental parameters from this work to previous studies of CW Cep (top) and U Oph (bottom). ^(a) Solution derived using spectroscopic values obtained by Popper & Hill (1991) ^(b) Solution derived using spectroscopic values obtained by Stickland et al. (1992)

CW Cep & U Oph





CW Cep



& U Oph

