PIC general properties

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Why we need a PIC



- Because of the huge size of PLATO field (~2124 sq deg) and the consequent number of pixels (24x4x4510²+ 2x4x4510x2255 pixel², ~0.7m²), it is not possible to download all raw data.
- Light curves will be produced on board for all targets. Imagettes for a small subsample of targets (all P1 targets+), will be downloaded: We need to preselect our targets.
- The minimum content of the Plato Input Catalog (PIC) includes the positions of the targets (dwarfs and sub-giants with spectral type later than F5, "special targets", calibration stars) around which planet transits shall be searched for, and followed-up, and their basic parameters.
- □ For each target, we also need **a table of contaminants**, to optimize photometric mask and candidate exoplanet validation (minimize follow-up costs).
- For each target, the PIC shall contain a number of parameters intended to make the validation, confirmation and follow up of the candidates easier, faster and cheaper. The list of parameters shall be agreed within the PMC.



PIC content from Science (Requirements

Revised science requirements, assuming two long pointing fields

	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 4	Sample 5	Colour sample
Stars	≥ 15,000 (goal 20000)	≥ 1,000	≥ 5,000	≥ 245,000	300
Spectral type	Dwarf and subgiants F5-K7	Dwarf and subgiants F5-K7	Cool late type dwarfs	Dwarf and subgiants F5-K	Anywhere in the HR diagram
Limit m _v	11	8.5	16	13	-
Random noise (ppm in 1 hour)	≤ 5 0	≤ 5 0	-	-	-
Observation phase	LOP	LOP	LOP	LOP	LOP

Imagettes and sampling time (from plate PLATO Science Requirements)

- Imagettes for all P1 and P2 targets, for >5,000 P4 targets and for >9,000 P5 targets.
- Final observing strategy to be decided

		Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 4	Sample 5	Colour sample
	Imagettes	25 s	25 s 2.5 s for a subsample	25 s for > 5,000 targets	25 s for > 9,000 targets	2.5 s
Observation	Light-curves	-	-	-	≤ 600 s	-
sampling times Centroid measurements Transit oversamp ling	-	-	-	≤ 50 s for 5% of targets	-	
	Transit oversamp ling	_	-	_	≤ 50 s for 10% of targets	-
Wavelength		500-1000 nm	500-1000 nm	500-1000 nm	500-1000 nm	Red and blue spectral bands

Populating the PIC: target selection

- PLATO will observe dwarfs and subgiants with 4<*V*<16, SpT>F5
- In principle all possible PLATO targets are presently observed by *Gaia*.
- PIC1.0.0 is mainly based on Gaia DR2, with additions (updated parameters, and additional catalogs)
- Gaia DR2 release indeed went in the right direction, but degeneracies between temperature and reddening required additional analysis for PIC

Reddening in PIC1.0.0



The reddening map presented in Lallement et al. (2018), Capitanio et al. (2017) is the result of merging individual photometric color excess measurements from broad- and narrowband photometry of close-by stars (<500 pc) with NIR DIB equivalent widths measured in individual spectra of more distant stars (500 to 1500 pc) and color excess measurements at larger distance (up to 3 kpc) based on a statistical analysis of multiband photometric data. The method used to derive the map is the method described in Tarantola & Valette 1982, RvGSP, 20, 219.



Galactic plane projection

The 3D map covers around 2 Kpc \times 2 Kpc \times 0.3 kpc from the Sun

Stellar parameters estimate





Effective temperature distribution in PIC1.0.0





	Q1	Median	Mean	Q3
P5	5600	5917	5843	6178
P1	5688	6009	5910	6241

Radius distribution in PIC1.0.0



	Q1	Median	Mean	Q3
P5	1.15	1.49	1.69	2.02
P1	1.24	1.62	1.85	2.28

Mass distribution in PIC1.0.0



Distance distribution in PIC1.0.0 vs SpType





SpType: K, G, F



Comparison between PIC1.0.0 and TIC(CTL)v8





Radius PIC1.0.0 vs TICv8



Mass PIC1.0.0 vs TICv8





1st Qu.	Median	Mean	3rd Qu.
-0.033	0.036	0.047	0.12



From PIC1.0.0 to PIC1.1.0

PIC VERSIONING







PIC1.0.0 includes P1, P2 and P5 samples

PIC1.1.0 will also include the P4 sample

From PIC1.0.0 to PIC1.1.0 ...



- 1. Connection between PLATO samples: P1, P2 and P5 extended to late K, while P4 starts from M0.
- 2. As the (B-V) color is not appropriate for the M dwarfs selection. We decide to homogenize sample selection using the $(G_{BP}-G_{RP})$ color.
- 3. The range of validity of temperature dependent extinction coefficients has been extended
- 4. The space coverage of the extinction maps has been extended

Colibrations (V-band magnitude for M dwarfs, color-effective temperature)

Improved connection among PLATO samples (



PIC1.1.0 based on newly calculated intrinsic $(G_{BP}-G_{RP})_0$ Separation between P1, P2, P5 fand P4 set at $(G_{BP}-G_{RP})_0 = 1.84$

 $(G_{BP}-G_{RP})_0 \ge 1.84$ (M) (later than M0) P4 sample Extension of validity range of temperature dependent extinction coefficients







 $(2500 \text{ K} < \text{T}_{\text{eff}} < 7000 \text{ K})$

Extended extinction map



Schlegel, Finkbeiner & Davis 1998, ApJ, 500, 525 Schlafly & Finkbeiner 2011, ApJ, 737, 103

$$ho(R,z)=\exp(rac{R_0-R}{h_R}-rac{|z-z_w|}{k_{fl}h_z})$$
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$$k_{\rm fl}(R) = 1 + \gamma_{\rm fl} \min(R_{\rm fl}, R - R_{\rm fl})$$
$$z_{\rm w}(R, \phi) = \gamma_{\rm w} \min(R_{\rm w}, R - R_{\rm w}) \sin \phi.$$

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Binney et al. 2014, 437, 351



P1, P2, P5

P4





Catalog Extensions

At last PIC meeting (late September) it has been proposed to extend the PIC:

- 1. In color selection criteria
- 2. in field size

Contamination vs completeness





Estimated degree of contamination vs completeness from simulations accounting for errors in colors and reddening. Dashed line corresponds fo F5V.



Red extension







Increment	N. stars
1%	2254





"Allowed" regions at $|\beta| > 63^{\circ}$

HUGE accessible sky area (1.5π sr), mostly at large declinations (|δ|>30°)



RED LINE: pointing constraint ($|\beta| > 63^\circ$). **PINK LINE**: accessible sky (envelope of every allowed LD field; $|\beta| > 38^\circ$)

Field extension





Field extension does not allow us to calculate the SNR for P1 stars, as we do not know how many telescopes will cover a given star.

TBD

Conclusions



PIC1.0.0 contains samples P1, P2 and P5 in the currently defined North PLATO Field (NPF) and South PLATO Field (SPF).

Dwarf and subgiants are selected using intrinsic absolute color magnitude diagrams constructed from Gaia DR2 data.

Stellar parameters, by comparison with spectroscopic parameters of FGK stars, are estimated with an average uncertainty of 4% in stellar temperatures, 7% in stellar radii and 11% in stellar masses.

Catalog extensions in star selection criteria and field coverage are under discussion

PIC1.1.0 will be delivered in December 2019 and it will include the first version of the sample P4.

Next steps: Long pointing field selection; start preparing and including «special star» list, **start including calibration stars**



How to get the PIC

PIC1.0.0 in the two long (preliminary pointing fields) is available to PLATO community for internal use and tests. It is delivered with an explanatory document on the column contents (PLATO-SDC-SCI-TN-001.pdf), and a document (PLATO-UPD-SCI-TN-015-i1.3.pdf) describing the target selection criteria, and the target parameter estimate.

PIC1.0.0 is for internal (PLATO Consortium) use

In order to have the PIC, you have to be member of the PLATO consortium, and sign the non-disclusure agreement (available from the PLATO Science Management – PSM- office, psmoffice@warwick.ac.uk)

If you are interested in having a copy of PIC1.0.0, please send a mail to: <u>pdcoffice@mps.mpg.de</u> (and in cc to: <u>psmoffice@warwick.ac.uk</u>, <u>Heike.Rauer@dlr.de</u> <u>giampaolo.piotto@unipd.it</u> and <u>paola.marrese@ssdc.asi.it</u>)

(When available, PIC1.1.0 will supersede PIC1.0.0)



Information on the PIC and on PIC deliveries and delivery policies can be asked to :

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Distribution of effective temperatures relative errors

