

A Catalogue of Potential Post Common Envelope Binaries

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ABSTRACT

We present a catalogue containing 839 candidate post common envelope systems. Common envelope evolution is very important in stellar astrophysics, particularly in the context of very compact and short-period binaries, including cataclysmic variables, as progenitors of e.g. supernovae type Ia or mergers of black holes and/or neutron stars. At the same time it is a barely understood process in binary evolution. Due to limitations, since partially remedied, on direct simulation, early investigations were mainly focused on providing analytic prescriptions of the outcome of common envelope evolution. In recent years, detailed hydrodynamical calculations have produced deeper insight into the previously elusive process of envelope ejection. However, a direct link between observations and theory of this relatively short-lived phase in binary evolution has not been forthcoming. Therefore, the main insight to be gained from observations has to be derived from the current state of systems likely to have gone through a common envelope. Here we present an extensive catalogue of such observations as found in the literature. The aim of this paper is to provide a reliable set of data, obtained from observations, to be used in the theoretical modelling of common envelope evolution. In this catalogue, the former common envelope donor star is commonly observed as a white dwarf star or as a hot sub-dwarf star. This catalogue includes period and mass estimates, wherever obtainable. Some binaries are border line cases to allow an investigation of the transition between a common envelope formation and other mass-transfer processes.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Observations of stellar remnants such as white dwarfs (WDs) in close binary systems pose challenging questions for the theory of binary evolution. Most notably, cataclysmic variables (CVs), in which a WD accretes mass at low rates from a hydrogen-rich companion, have orbital separations much smaller than would have been

needed to accommodate the WD's progenitor star. This suggested the possibility of a common envelope (CE) phase of evolution, in which an envelope of a star that has come to fill its Roche lobe expands to encompass the binary companion (Paczynski 1976). This results in a significant reduction of the binary's orbital separation. If a binary does not merge in the course of CE evolution the shared envelope is ejected. Although many additional types of close binaries, some including neutron stars (NSs) or black holes (BHs) have since been suggested as possible CE survivors, the physics of CE evolution is still not well understood. Solving this mys-

tery will be important, because CE evolution appears to provide the favoured viable pathway to the formation of close binaries outside of dense stellar environments that may result in supernovae (SNe) type Ia (e.g. Han et al. 1995; Ruiters et al. 2009; Mennekens et al. 2010; Toonen et al. 2012; Claeys et al. 2014; Ablimit et al. 2016) or mergers of NSs and/or BHs (e.g. Bloom et al. 1999; Belczynski et al. 2002; Voss & Tauris 2003; Dominik et al. 2012; Mennekens & Vanbeveren 2014; Eldridge & Stanway 2016; Stevenson et al. 2017; Kruckow et al. 2018; Mapelli et al. 2019; Klencki et al. 2021, and many more).

The CE phase has remained inaccessible to direct observation. Although there are candidates (e.g. Ivanova et al. 2013a; MacLeod et al. 2017), confirmation is challenging. The CE is expected to have observable characteristics similar to that of a giant, with its photosphere hiding the binary. Because the phase probably lasts about 10^3 to 10^5 yr, it is not possible to track the evolution of the envelope or the binary within. However, many close binaries could be CE end states. After the ejection of the common envelope, at least one stellar component should be hydrogen depleted and thus observable as, e.g., a WD or a subdwarf O/B star. The ejected common-envelope material is expected to cool and become dim enough to be inaccessible to direct observations. Similarly, a compact remnant will cool and become less luminous if no further nuclear burning takes place. CVs are the quintessential example, although they have evolved through tidal interactions and mass transfer, and do not therefor represent pure CE end states.

During recent years, a large number of possible systems, which are believed to have gone through a CE phase, have been identified. Observations usually focus on individual systems or specific types of stars (see references in appendix table 3). Recently, major observational efforts went into campaigns which resulted in better characterisations of different types of stellar objects, including potential CE products (e.g. Patterson et al. 2005; Heller et al. 2009; Geier et al. 2010b; Copperwheat et al. 2011a; Nebot Gómez-Morán et al. 2011; Zorotovic et al. 2011; Gianninas et al. 2014; Kupfer et al. 2015a; Brown et al. 2016a; van Roestel et al. 2018, and several more). We have compiled a “unified” catalogue of post CE candidates to combine systems from different observational campaigns and individual observations into a single data set which will serve as a tool of theoretical investigations on the general mechanisms of the CE phase.

A theoretical prescription based on the conservation of energy was proposed by Webbink (1984); de Kool (1990), the so called α formalism. This commonly used prescription allows a prediction of the CE end state and has become more complex in recent years when taking more energy sources and sinks into account (e.g. Kruckow et al. 2016). An alternative prescription making use of angular momentum conservation was intro-

duced by Nelemans et al. (2000), the so called γ formalism, to explain systems which show only marginal inspiral. For a more comprehensive summary of the CE phase we refer the reader to Ivanova et al. (2013b, 2020). In recent years hydrodynamic simulations have become powerful enough, enabling simulations of the CE phase in greater detail and becoming more and more successful in ejecting the common envelope. As these simulations require significant computational resources, they only tackle a small number of cases with limited sets of initial parameters (e.g. Ricker & Taam 2012; Passy et al. 2012; Kramer et al. 2020; Sand et al. 2020).

This catalogue is intended to provide a broad overview, several times larger than previous collections of post CE binaries, of different systems. All binaries, which have not evolved significantly after a CE, should still exhibit signatures of the CE evolution. In § 2 we introduce the catalogue. First, we explain our selection of systems. This is followed by a short overview and a brief statistical summary of the parameters compiled in the catalogue. At least a period and limits on the mass of the common-envelope primary, the donor of a most recent CE, and its companion are required. We finish this section with a discussion of the limitations on the parameters derived from observations. In § 3 we discuss the theoretical evolution of the systems. This includes different formation paths, the evolution of the system since the end of the CE, and their future. Finally, we give a short summary in § 4. A shorthand version of the catalogue can be found in Appendix A.

2. THE CATALOGUE

This is a catalogue of binaries that are likely to have passed through a CE phase, leaving the binary in the presently observed state. The catalogue contains data obtained from a large sample of different observations. This includes detailed spectroscopic observations, eclipsing light curves, nova events, and other observations. Individual literature sources for each system are given by the references in the catalogue. We follow the guidance of the authors of each reference about which values of measured quantities are most reliable. In cases in which the authors present several solutions without a preference, the system’s note indicate the chosen model. The main goal is to provide a large database with data needed for comparison to theoretical studies of CE evolution. This catalogue represents an improvement on the number of systems about an order of magnitude compared to earlier studies on CE theory Nelemans & Tout (2005); De Marco et al. (2011); Iaconi & De Marco (2019).

The catalogue can be used in different ways. First, it allows to use a maximum sized sample by combining different observations. This is the main benefit for theoretical uses of this catalogue, since comparison to theoretical models requires a large enough sample size for proper statistical analysis. Further, calibration of

empirical models requires a sufficient number of limiting cases, better provided by a large sample. Second, this catalogue allows the user to use any given subsample by filtering according to specific properties which are of interest in a more detailed investigation of systems in a tight range of any parameter space of the collected quantities. Third, this catalogue also provides samples of individual observational campaigns by filtering for the corresponding references to have a sample with the same observational biases, allowing systematic comparisons between different observational campaign. Finally, this catalogue provides a comprehensive and extensive literature inspection, including several references on individual systems for focused investigations from a theoretical standpoint.

For a theoretical investigation, an observational test sample needs to provide details about all systems which went through a certain evolution independent on their observational characteristics nowadays. At the same time, it should allow to differentiate systems with similar current structure, but different evolutionary history. Additionally to this main discrepancy between theoretical needs and observational limitations, it is useful to reduce differences in observational biases, like selection biases – naturally introduced by using different instruments and/or analysis pipelines. Consequently, each comparison between theory and observations has to find a balance between statistical and systematic uncertainties by using an appropriate subsample of this catalogue.

2.1. Data Selection

We identified an extensive set of about a thousand papers reporting on systems which are possibly related CE. The selection criteria to finally list a system in the catalogue can be summarised as: (1) the system contains a hydrogen depleted component (which lost its envelope), (2) fundamental parameters of the system have been derived from observations and given in the literature. The aforementioned parameters are the period, $P < 100$ d (this cut off should exclude most binaries, which had no or stable mass transfer), and estimates on the masses. Here, we require at least a limit placed on both of the component masses. It should be noted, however, that the parameters provided in the catalogue are not limited to these parameters pertaining to our inclusion criteria, as will be abundantly made clear in § 2.2. Other parameters that could be useful for theoretical studies are also included.

Because a CE drains energy and angular momentum from its host binary, one common feature of all post-CE binaries is that their orbital separations are relatively small, smaller than expected from considerations of the size of the progenitor star. Speaking from an observational point of view, such binaries exhibit short orbital periods from minutes to days. A non Roche-lobe filling giant would suggest a binary orbit with a period of months or years. Additionally, there is at least one hy-

drogen depleted component which is assumed to be the donor star in the mass transfer phase leading up to the formation of the common envelope. This hydrogen depleted component can be a degenerate object like a WD or a Helium burning sub dwarf. The latter ones show usually a spectral class of B or O stars, thus classified as sdB/O, while being more compact and less luminous compared to main sequence stars.

We note that, for purposes of nomenclature, this study designates as the common-envelope primary component the star which was most likely the donor of the CE. This is in contrast to most observational papers, which tend to designate the more luminous star to be the primary. For some systems containing two WDs it is not always clear which component is most likely the donor of the CE. We attempt to address this via some simple comparisons, e.g. making use of given cooling ages. We split the catalogue into three main populations: double WDs (DWD), WDs with a non-WD or unknown companion (WD+), and sdB/O binaries (sdB/O+). Those are expected to differ most in terms of observational biases and are shown separately in the following. In sdB/O+WD binaries, the sdB/O star is most likely the younger star, which places them into the sdB/O+ sample instead of the WD+ sample. In the WD+ sample the companion is usually non-compact and still a main sequence star.

The identity of a post-CE candidate is usually only inferred from its current structure and compactness. This catalogue includes a note to indicate border-line cases of systems that may have formed through a different evolutionary channel, see § 3.1.1. Binaries with a neutron star or black hole as the remnant of the common envelope donor are not included in the catalogue. The reason for this lies in the consideration that the formation of a NS or BH (i.e. supernovae) are believed to expel a significant amount of mass and may impart a kick on the newly born components, changing the component masses and their orbits significantly. As a consequence, the signatures of the CE phase are not visible anymore, or are at least hidden from sight. The complex nature of supernovae prevents a solid determination of the CE end state from current observations. In most cases, an inferred post CE binary would be far from being constrained in a unique way.

We require the orbital period to be less than 100 days and a limit for both masses to be given in the literature in order to list an observed system in this catalogue. Additionally, the system must contain a hydrogen depleted component, the donor of a potential CE. A shorthand version of the catalogue is given in appendix table 3, while the columns in the catalogue are summarised in § 2.2 and table 2 in the appendix. Some statistical properties of the catalogue are presented in § 2.3. There are different sources of uncertainties and limitations on the observational side. The most common ones are summarised in § 2.4.

Table 1. Overview of the systems in the catalogue. The columns are the main groups of systems considered here and provide counts for different criteria. The index 1 or 2 refers to the common-envelope primary (the donor of the possible CE) and secondary component. The values behind a \uparrow and a \downarrow are the counts where lower and upper limits of the quantity given by the criteria are available, respectively. The distances are calculated from the Gaia parallax. For more details see text (§ 2.2).

criteria	sdB/O+	DWD	WD+
all	185	123	531
mass, M_1	184 $^{\downarrow 49}$ $^{\uparrow 51}$	122 $^{\downarrow 96}$ $^{\uparrow 96}$	506 $^{\downarrow 389}$ $^{\uparrow 411}$
mass, M_2	71 $^{\downarrow 72}$ $^{\uparrow 181}$	94 $^{\downarrow 75}$ $^{\uparrow 117}$	505 $^{\downarrow 449}$ $^{\uparrow 450}$
masses, M_1 and M_2	71	93	492
WD companion	126	123	0
sdB companion	1	0	0
MS companion	56	0	15
NS companion	6	0	45
BH companion	7	0	0
BD companion	6	0	24
M type companion	35	0	164
K type companion	2	0	34
G type companion	1	0	11
F type companion	0	0	42
A type companion	0	0	26
unknown companion (-)	2	0	170
no flag (-)	39	64	244
mass transfer (MT)	2	1	22
cataclysmic variable (CV)	0	0	223
statistically (S)	0	56	20
assumed WD mass (SWD)	0	0	82
assumed sdB mass (SsdB)	140	0	0
assumed mass ratio (Sq)	5	0	2
assumed companion mass (SM2)	0	1	19
triple (TRI)	1	1	7
mass ratio, q	40 $^{\downarrow 31}$ $^{\uparrow 31}$	67 $^{\downarrow 64}$ $^{\uparrow 69}$	376 $^{\downarrow 318}$ $^{\uparrow 318}$
semi-major axis, a	34 $^{\downarrow 33}$ $^{\uparrow 38}$	62 $^{\downarrow 61}$ $^{\uparrow 63}$	184 $^{\downarrow 166}$ $^{\uparrow 168}$
eccentricity, e	44 $^{\downarrow 44}$ $^{\uparrow 13}$	0 $^{\downarrow 3}$ $^{\uparrow 0}$	49 $^{\downarrow 44}$ $^{\uparrow 40}$
inclination, i	63 $^{\downarrow 71}$ $^{\uparrow 67}$	27 $^{\downarrow 25}$ $^{\uparrow 23}$	291 $^{\downarrow 314}$ $^{\uparrow 319}$
radius, R_1	51 $^{\downarrow 43}$ $^{\uparrow 35}$	69 $^{\downarrow 69}$ $^{\uparrow 19}$	209 $^{\downarrow 155}$ $^{\uparrow 313}$
radius, R_2	37 $^{\downarrow 34}$ $^{\uparrow 148}$	19 $^{\downarrow 18}$ $^{\uparrow 18}$	333 $^{\downarrow 314}$ $^{\uparrow 272}$
effective temperature, $T_{\text{eff},1}$	167 $^{\downarrow 148}$ $^{\uparrow 148}$	120 $^{\downarrow 94}$ $^{\uparrow 94}$	296 $^{\downarrow 266}$ $^{\uparrow 266}$
effective temperature, $T_{\text{eff},2}$	35 $^{\downarrow 34}$ $^{\uparrow 31}$	35 $^{\downarrow 31}$ $^{\uparrow 28}$	167 $^{\downarrow 103}$ $^{\uparrow 99}$
luminosity, L_1	18 $^{\downarrow 18}$ $^{\uparrow 18}$	0 $^{\downarrow 0}$ $^{\uparrow 0}$	21 $^{\downarrow 17}$ $^{\uparrow 17}$
luminosity, L_2	10 $^{\downarrow 10}$ $^{\uparrow 10}$	0 $^{\downarrow 0}$ $^{\uparrow 0}$	21 $^{\downarrow 19}$ $^{\uparrow 19}$
surface gravity, $\lg(g_1)$	161 $^{\downarrow 143}$ $^{\uparrow 143}$	102 $^{\downarrow 84}$ $^{\uparrow 84}$	223 $^{\downarrow 205}$ $^{\uparrow 205}$
surface gravity, $\lg(g_2)$	16 $^{\downarrow 14}$ $^{\uparrow 14}$	16 $^{\downarrow 12}$ $^{\uparrow 12}$	109 $^{\downarrow 62}$ $^{\uparrow 62}$
(cooling) age	5 $^{\downarrow 4}$ $^{\uparrow 4}$	61 $^{\downarrow 64}$ $^{\uparrow 61}$	86 $^{\downarrow 27}$ $^{\uparrow 25}$
Gaia EDR3 ID	184	123	529
distance from EDR3	183	121	520

2.2. Overview of the Systems and Their Recorded Quantities

The catalogue contains a growing number of systems – 839 to date. The collected data includes the name(s)

of the system in the literature, several binary and stellar parameters, a flag (assigned by us and explained in detail in § 2.4.1, § 3.1.2, § 3.2.2, and § 3.2.3), the reference(s), and, if required, an additional note, e.g. which values are used if the corresponding reference states several independent ones. All parameters in the catalogue are given in the included references – only unit conversions are performed. Most parameters are presented with uncertainties. The uncertainty in the orbital period is usually very small and therefore omitted in the catalogue. An overview of the numbers can be found in table 1.

The binary parameters are the orbital period, P , the mass ratio, q , the semi-major axis, a , the eccentricity, e , the inclination, i , and the cooling age of the system. The orbital period is recorded in days. In most cases only one of the masses is directly inferred from the observations (or is assumed) while the second mass is obtained with a measurement on the mass ratio or the mass function – a combination of the two masses and the inclination. The mass ratio is usually given by the velocity amplitudes of the two components. Hence, this parameter is often more reliable than the individual masses. The semi-major axis is generally calculated in the literature, e.g. using Kepler’s third law, but sometimes it can be inferred from the distance in resolved binaries. Eccentricities are only calculated by modelling the orbit (generally via light curve fitting) or simply assumed to be zero in the majority of the cases. If the inclination of the binary can be constrained from observations, it is used in the determination of the individual masses from the measured mass function. Hence, systems with a given inclination usually have tighter constraints on the individual component masses than other systems. If the remnant of the common-envelope donor, the common-envelope primary WD in our catalogue¹, is well observed, a cooling age can be estimated from models. This provides an estimated lower limit on the time since the end of the common envelope.

The stellar parameters are the mass, M_i , the type, the radius, R_i , the effective temperature, $T_{\text{eff},i}$, the luminosity, L_i , and the surface gravity, $\lg(g_i)$, where $i \in \{1, 2\}$ indicates the common-envelope primary stellar component, the remnant of the CE donor, and its companion. In theoretical modelling the masses of the stars are key parameters. Hence, only systems having at least a limit on both masses are considered in the catalogue. But those masses are difficult to measure directly. For most systems only a mass ratio can be directly obtained from the observational data. Only if the inclination is known, can the masses be directly determined. Hence, some authors use limits on the inclination to constrain the most likely mass of an individual system, while others fit the brighter component to a theoretical model to estimate

¹ In DWDs the common-envelope primary WD is the younger one.

the mass, and some resort to simply assuming a mass. The types of the stars can be constrained in different ways. First, it could be a constraint arising from the brightness and compactness of a component. On the other hand, sufficiently bright stars may be assigned to a spectral type. The radii could either be inferred from some models when constraining the mass or directly observed in eclipsing systems. The effective temperature and surface gravity are usually constrained from fitting the spectrum. The luminosity is mostly estimated from a distance measurement of the system and only rarely available at the time the source papers were written.

For most systems at least some of the parameters are not given in the literature. Table 1 provides an overview of how many systems in the catalogue fulfil a certain criterion. The data is split into the main groups of systems in the catalogue: double white dwarf (DWD), a white dwarf with a non-WD or an undetermined companion (WD+), a sub dwarf B or O star in a binary with any kind of companion including WDs (sdB/O+). First, an overall count is given. In the second block, the availability of the mass values is checked — all systems have at least an upper or lower limit for both masses, if not a value itself. Third, the different companion types are listed: a white dwarf (WD), a main sequence star (MS), a neutron star (NS), a black hole (BH), a brown dwarf (BD), or the spectral type is given. Here “unknown” refers to having no information about the companion in the cited reference(s). Some systems have two to three open possibilities, hence the sum of this block may exceed the total number of systems.

Fourth, depending on the circumstances, some systems ought to be excluded from certain studies conducted using our database, and are therefore marked by different flags denoting potential reasons for exclusion in each case. The first two flags are about observational features of binary interaction, for more details see § 3.2.2 and § 3.2.3. All the flags starting with an “S” are related to assumptions about the masses, see § 2.4.1. The last flag is about the possibility of a different nature of the system, e.g. in a triple system, see § 3.1.2. Fifth, the availability of other parameters is checked. Finally, the success with a cross match to Gaia EDR3 data² is shown. Most of our systems are found in the Gaia EDR3, except for those only detected by other bands than optical, hence having no Gaia ID. The majority of the Gaia objects are detected at different epochs with Gaia and therefore have measured parallax values (Gaia Collaboration et al. 2020). The distances estimates in the catalogue are calculated from this parallax, see § 2.4.3.

2.3. Catalogue Statistics

Figure 1 provides an overview of the systems in the catalogue. See appendix B (Figs. 8, 9, and 10) for the three sub populations sdB/O+, DWD, and WD+ binaries individually. The cumulative distributions of the masses (Figs. 1h and i) show a few jumps which are caused by the assumed values where they cannot be measured directly, see § 2.4.1. The secondary masses cover a large range and do not show any preferences for systems where the masses are measured. Here, small accumulations at specific masses are caused by fits to stellar model grids, where the closest model is assigned to the observed star. Beside assumed masses, the common-envelope primary masses show an overabundance at masses $\lesssim 0.2 M_{\odot}$, which is caused by a large sample of binaries from an ELM survey (Brown et al. 2016a), cf. Fig. 2a. All sdB stars are generally accepted to possess masses higher than $0.3 M_{\odot}$ as lower mass objects are unable to meet the conditions required for helium ignition (Kippenhahn et al. 2012). These lower mass objects will therefore immediately thermally contract to become He WDs. Shortly after their progenitor cores are exposed, such proto-WDs still look similar to sdB stars. There are very few stars below $0.3 M_{\odot}$ classified as sdBs in the literature. Usually, WDs, especially low mass ones, are very faint and therefore difficult to observe.

The relation of the black dots visible in Fig. 1g is mainly following Kepler’s third law, cf. green dots. Hence, it shows a slope of $2/3$ on a logarithmic scale. The spread of the relation is caused by the different total masses of the binaries. As a consequence, the period and semi-major axis plots (Figs. 1c and d vs. Figs. 1e and f) show similar distributions of the systems, with the main difference being that certain systems, for which semi-major axis values are not available, are absent from the corresponding plots. It should be noted that the systems having a brown dwarf as a companion look like a natural extension of the binaries with hydrogen burning stars with a mass above $0.08 M_{\odot}$.

Both, the period and the semi-major axis distribution (Figs. 1j and b), show a change in the slope at about $0.06 \text{ d} \approx 1.4 \text{ h} \approx 90 \text{ min} \approx 5000 \text{ s}$. This can be interpreted as the range where systems decay via gravitational wave radiation at a similar rate as such systems are created. Nearly all systems below the aforementioned limit of about 0.06 d are double WD or sdB/O+WD binaries, cf. Fig. 2i. Hence, this gives a second interpretation of that limit to be the limiting case for hydrogen rich companions to fill their Roche lobe and initiate mass transfer in the post-CE system and become a CV, see § 3.2.3. Additionally, it should be noted here, that double WD and sdB/O+WD binaries may have experienced more than one CE phase during their prior evolution.

The tightest binaries are double WD systems as one would expect. The binaries with the shortest periods in the WD+ sample have either undetermined or NS companions. More massive WDs have smaller radii. Hence,

² <https://www.cosmos.esa.int/web/gaia-users/archive>

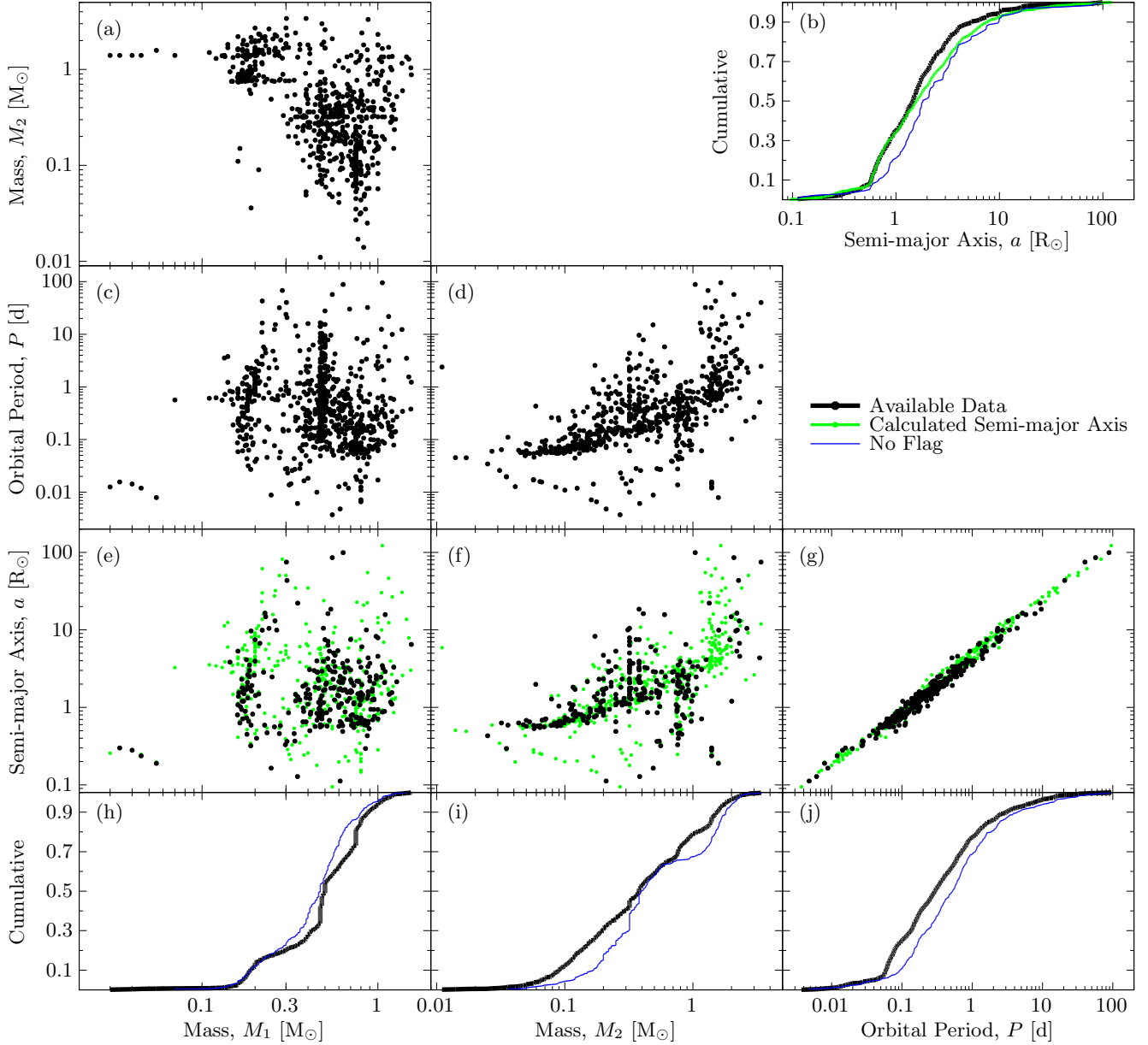


Figure 1. Masses, periods and semi-major axis of the systems in the catalogue. We show the cumulative distributions at the bottom of each column, i.e. subplots (h-j). The black/thick lines represent the full sample, while the blue/thin line excludes all systems with a flag. We show the cumulative distribution of the semi-major axis – in green/medium values calculated with Kepler’s third law – in the top right corner (b). We note that the discrepancy between the numbers of systems is caused by missing values in the catalogue. For clarity we omit error bars in this figure. Fig. 3 shows subplot (a) including the observational uncertainties. See § 2.3 and Appendix B for more details.

it would be expected that the tightest orbits short of a merger event of two WDs are only reachable for massive WDs. In the catalogue the tightest double WD binaries contain intermediate mass WDs, perhaps indicating some biases in the collected sample. The distributions for the common-envelope primary star – the donor star of the potential common envelope – do not show such clear trends. For some reason the double WD systems show a significantly lower average mass of the common-

envelope primary than the systems having any other companion to the common-envelope primary WD. It is probably related to the fact that the less massive WD usually forms later than the more massive one, hence being the donor of a most recent mass transfer.

From Fig. 2, it is evident that the three main groups we differentiate here cover different ranges in most of the parameters collected in the catalogue. The sdB/O stars cover a smaller mass range than the WDs. WDs

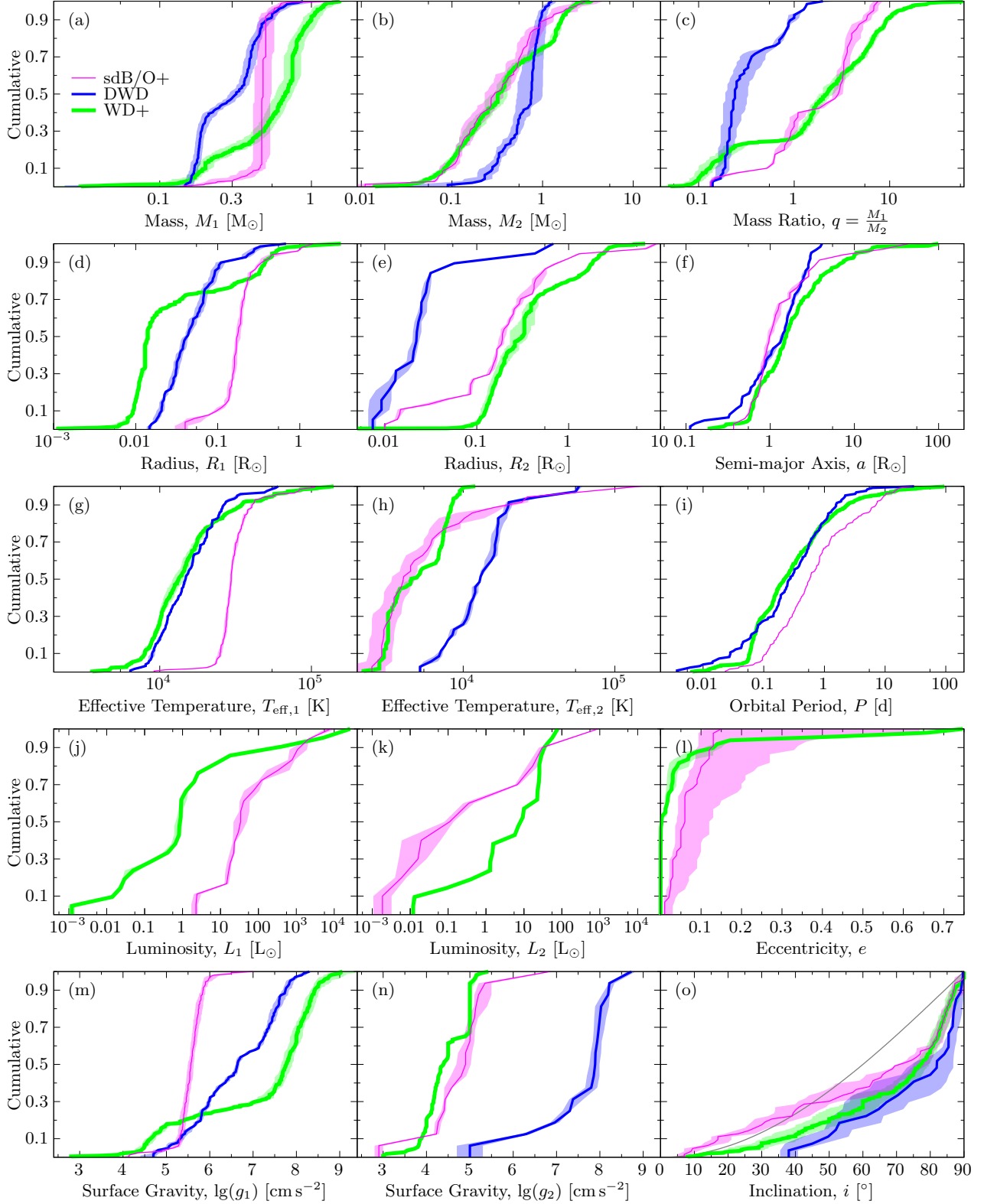


Figure 2. Cumulative distributions of the different catalogue parameters. Colour and line thickness indicate the binary type according to the key in sub figure (a). The corresponding counts of systems can be found in table 1. The grey line in sub figure (o) indicates the distribution of random inclinations. To show the uncertainty contours, missing uncertainty values are assumed to be the geometric mean of the recorded ones.

can have lower masses because those stars are too low in mass to become an sdB/O and directly cool to become WDs after they have lost their envelope. In principle, sdO stars may have masses similar or even larger than WDs, but here the observational sample is biased by the shorter lifetime of massive sdO stars which makes them less common. In the sdB/O+ and WD+ sample most companions are low mass main sequence stars, hence these distributions in Fig. 2b look very similar. The DWD population differs here because the companion is the first formed and usually more massive WD, but it is classified in the catalogue as the common-envelope secondary. This is confirmed by the mass ratio distribution.

The radius distributions resemble the known relations, cf. Figs. 2d and e. First, the most massive WDs are most compact. Second, WDs are more compact than sdB/O stars. Third, Brown dwarfs have a similar size as sdB/O stars. In this sample (as would be expected), hydrogen burning stars have physically the largest radii. There are barely any giant like stars in the sample as they require a longer orbital period. Similarly, sdB/O stars are hotter than WDs, while low mass main sequence stars and brown dwarfs are the coolest stars in the sample, cf. Figs. 2g and h. Again, such trends are visible in the surface gravity, cf. Figs. 2m and n. Massive WDs are most compact, hence having the highest surface gravity. Next in line are the low mass WDs the sdB/O stars, which have lower surface gravity, followed by main sequence stars and the brown dwarfs, which have the lowest surface gravity of them all.

The differences in the distribution of the inclination (Fig. 2o) is probably caused by observational biases. Eclipsing systems allow better constraints on the system’s parameters from the observations. Additionally, the projected velocities are larger and therefore easier to observe. It is evident that this observational selection effect impacts the three main sub populations differently. Most systems have low eccentricities, see Fig. 2l, or are assumed to be circular due to their short periods. Additionally, some eccentricity effects have only small imprints in the observations, hence eccentricity values are omitted in most observational papers.

Figure 6a shows the cumulative distribution of the cooling ages of the common-envelope primary star, which corresponds to a lower limit of the time since the end of the common envelope. We do not show the distribution for the sdB/O+ category since it contains only five systems. These five systems show very short cooling ages. The WD+ systems tend to be younger than DWD systems, which is probably due to the smaller secondary mass M_2 . Although half of the DWD systems are older than 1 Gyr, the age distribution peaks at a much younger age, than predicted in a model of single stars; the grey line shows the predicted WD age distribution in the galactic chemical evolution model for the solar neighbourhood (Kobayashi et al. 2020), where the metallicity dependent stellar lifetimes and upper lim-

its of carbon-oxygen WDs are assumed but no binary effects are included. In binaries, the companion stars could cause the young ages of WDs. We should also note that the initial-mass to final mass relation, and hence the stellar lifetimes of both stars, can be different. It is also possible that some DWD systems have merged and exploded as SNe type Ia, see § D. Hence, it is expected that the observed distributions are different from the model line.

2.4. Observational Limitations

We can observe the stars only as we can see them with our telescopes from earth. Hence, there are limitations on the information we get. Often we cannot resolve binaries, especially the tight ones in this catalogue. The observed light is therefore a combination of the emission of the two components. This causes the problem that the information of the dimmer star is hidden in the light of the brighter one.

To get information on the tightly orbiting masses a system needs to be either eclipsing or show clear spectral lines – preferentially for both stars. The catalogue systems show an overabundance of eclipsing systems – $i \approx 90^\circ$, cf. Fig. 2o. To get a spectrum of a faint star or binary a certain integration time is required. This becomes problematic when this integration time covers a longer part of the orbit and therefore leads to line broadening by averaging over different orbital phases. Additionally, spectroscopic surveys do not revisit binaries often enough to get a good orbital coverage to constrain the orbital period well.

2.4.1. Statistically Inferred and Assumed Mass Values

Often, the required theoretical quantities cannot be inferred from the observation directly. Some values are assumed in order to make full use of information about observational knowledge of combinations of quantities. One of the most prominent cases is the observable mass function which relates the masses with the usually unknown inclination. The inclination enters as a geometrical effect and therefore as $\sin(i)$ and powers of it. The limitation of the trigonometrical functions in a Euclidean space allows one to determine limits on the masses. The limit is usually a lower limit on the mass via $\sin(i) \leq 1$.

If the orientation is isotropic the most likely inclination is 60° . Some observational papers use this to determine the detailed mass values of an individual system to be the most likely. In some cases the observations allow the exclusion of some inclinations, hence the most likely value is then determined with Monte Carlo techniques (e.g. Brown et al. 2016a). Those cases are marked in the catalogue with the flag for statistical determination of the values (S).

The mass ratio is the most fundamental quantity which is usually determined by spectroscopic observations. It is directly related to the relative velocity of the

two components. For eclipsing binaries the mass ratio can be determined as well. Hence, most observations will provide a good measurement of the mass ratio. It is a bit more tricky to get individual masses. Here are different approaches used, e.g. the herein before mentioned mass function when the inclination could be determined. On the other hand the masses can be determined via the total mass of the binary, $M_1 + M_2$. One way to determine the total mass uses the distance of a resolved system, which provides an independent measurement of the semi-major axis and provides a total mass via Kepler's third law. To resolve a system, the orbital separation usually needs to be wider, hence sometimes for those systems the mass ratio is uncertain, and consequently in rare cases even set to a certain value – in the catalogue those are marked with a flag (Sq).

Another common way to determine individual masses is a fit of the brighter component in the binary to theoretical models. Here the values in the catalogue are model dependent and usually come with large uncertainties. The crudest way to get the individual masses is to assume the mass of one component to have a typical value for this kind of object. Those cases are marked with a flag (SWD, SsdB, and SM2) of assumed values which are simply set by the authors. The most commonly assumed mass for WDs is $0.75 M_\odot$ (e.g. Patterson et al. 2005)³ and for sdB stars it is in the range from $0.47 M_\odot$ (e.g. Kupfer et al. 2015a) through $0.48 M_\odot$ to $0.5 M_\odot$ (e.g. Morales-Rueda et al. 2003). This results in an overdensity at those assumed masses in the full sample, cf. Figs. 1 and 2.

2.4.2. Uncertainties and Inconsistencies

Where available, the estimated uncertainties are included in the catalogue, which replace the upper and lower limit column in such cases. Figure 3 shows the uncertainties on the masses as error bars. Compared to Fig. 1a it contains additionally the systems for which only a limit or a range for a mass is available. The arrows indicate an upper or lower limit, while the ranges represent systems where both limits are given. It should be noted that binaries with an assumed mass are usually displayed as sole data points without an uncertainty. At the same time the figure gives an impression on how different the constraints from different observations are.

A few systems are included twice in the catalogue (not twice counted in table 1 and only shown once in all plots), but the second occurrence is marked as a comment with a # at the beginning of the line and in the flag column. In those cases it is unclear which reference provides the more reliable values while they are inconsis-

tent between different authors. If a newer determination explains an inconsistency to older ones usually the newer values are assumed to be reliable and are used to replace older ones.

2.4.3. Distances and Possible Detection Limits

From the cross matching with the Gaia EDR3, we have obtained the distances, d , of most of the systems (see Fig. 7 in the appendix for the spatial distribution). Distances are calculated from the parallaxes given by Gaia by using the general zero-point offset of -0.017 mas (Lindgren et al. 2021). It should be noted that for some Gaia objects the real offset could be up to -0.15 mas (Bailer-Jones et al. 2021). If the renormalised unit weight error (RUWE) of the systems is larger or equal to 1.4 (Lindgren et al. 2021) the system is explicitly identified as having an uncertain parallax value in the catalogue. Figure 4 shows the relations of the distances to some stellar parameters. There are 8 systems with $d > 20$ kpc, which is probably due to large uncertainties in the Gaia parallaxes. Therefore, all of our systems are within 20 kpc with the majority located within 1 kpc. In terms of mass, we do not find an obvious selection limit for the common-envelope primary mass (panel a) or the more massive component mass (panel d); WDs as small as $0.15 M_\odot$, and massive WDs close to the Chandrasekhar-mass limit ($1.4 M_\odot$) are included in our catalogue. The sample of the small WDs are mainly from one reference Brown et al. (2016a). The massive companions are mostly neutron stars (see also Fig. 3). However, we find a detection limit in terms of luminosity with no systems in the top-left regions of the panels c and f. We emphasise, however, that only the large black dots are provided in the catalogue. The rest of the dots are estimated from the radii and effective temperatures by making use of the Stefan-Boltzmann law.

2.5. Comments on Outstanding Systems

Hen 2-428 (taken from Santander-García et al. 2015) stands out among DWD systems. Its mass ratio is measured to be very close to 1, hence containing two WDs with a similar mass. Additionally, their effective temperature and radii are stated to be similar, too. Thus, both components may have formed in quick succession. This may indicate either a formation channel via stable mass transfer (Santander-García et al. 2015) or the CE did not have a single donor – putting this system into a very distinct category of CEs. When both stars would overfill their Roche-lobe at the same time both would contribute to a CE and therefore eject both envelopes together. But this is not the only outstanding feature of *Hen 2-428*. Santander-García et al. (2015) derived radii of $0.68 R_\odot$ for both WDs. With this radius, which is too large for a usual WD, the WDs would even fill their Roche-lobes and should be in contact.

³ In recent years, literary consensus has caused the canonical mass of a WD to decrease to $0.6 M_\odot$, down from the $0.75 M_\odot$ assumed in older papers. It should be noted that the mass of the other component will need to be changed accordingly if a different canonical mass is assumed.

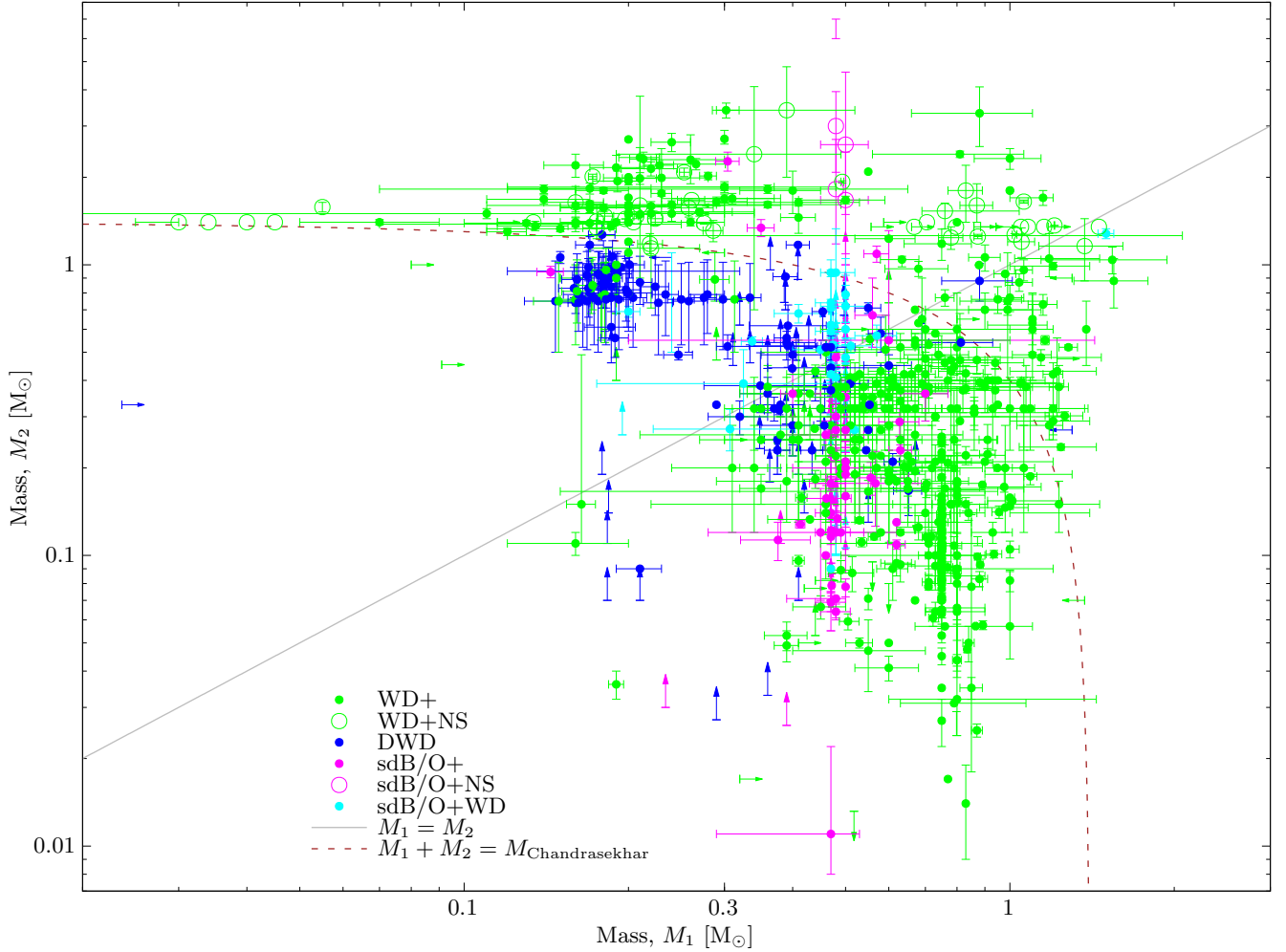


Figure 3. Mass-mass plot like in Fig. 1a. Additionally, it contains error bars. If there is no value the error bars indicate the possible range, while an arrow is a limit – usually a lower limit. The colours show the type of the system, where neutron star companions are highlighted by the open circles. The grey line separates the regions where the common-envelope primary or secondary is more massive. The brown dashed line indicates a binary mass of $1.4 M_{\odot}$.

PSR J1807-2500B (taken from Lynch et al. 2012) has by far the largest eccentricity in the catalogue. It is a WD+NS binary located in the globular cluster NGC 6544. This very large eccentricity indicates that the binary orbit was probably changed significantly after the end of the CE. This could be related to the fact that the system is within a globular cluster and has had dynamical interactions with other stars within the cluster. Alternatively, the WD is not the last formed compact object in this binary. If the NS is the remnant of the donor of the CE it might have received a large kick upon its formation leading to the observed high eccentricity.

0935+4411 is a system for which the component masses are under debate. While Heller et al. (2009) find the WD to be the more massive star Brown et al. (2016a) present a WD mass of less than half of the companion’s. Interestingly, the inferred effective temperature and surface gravity are similar in both references. This system has the largest inconsistency between two different ref-

erences used for this catalogue and has therefore two entries in the catalogue – the second one is commented out. Additionally, this system has a very short orbital period while not currently observed to be undergoing mass transfer. It has a period more than an order of magnitude shorter than usual CVs with such a massive hydrogen-rich star, cf. Fig. 10d. This might indicate that the companion is not a main-sequence star – Heller et al. (2009) identified the companion as an M-type star. A number of systems are found a bit below the band of CVs in the WD+ sample, see Fig. 10, which are candidates for having a hydrogen depleted and unseen companion, e.g. another WD (in that case they would be in the wrong subsample), or a NS (if massive enough).

Ultra compact X-ray Binaries (UCXBs) are thought to consist of a NS accreting material from a WD, which has already lost most of its mass to the NS companion. Consequently, these systems are therefore likely to

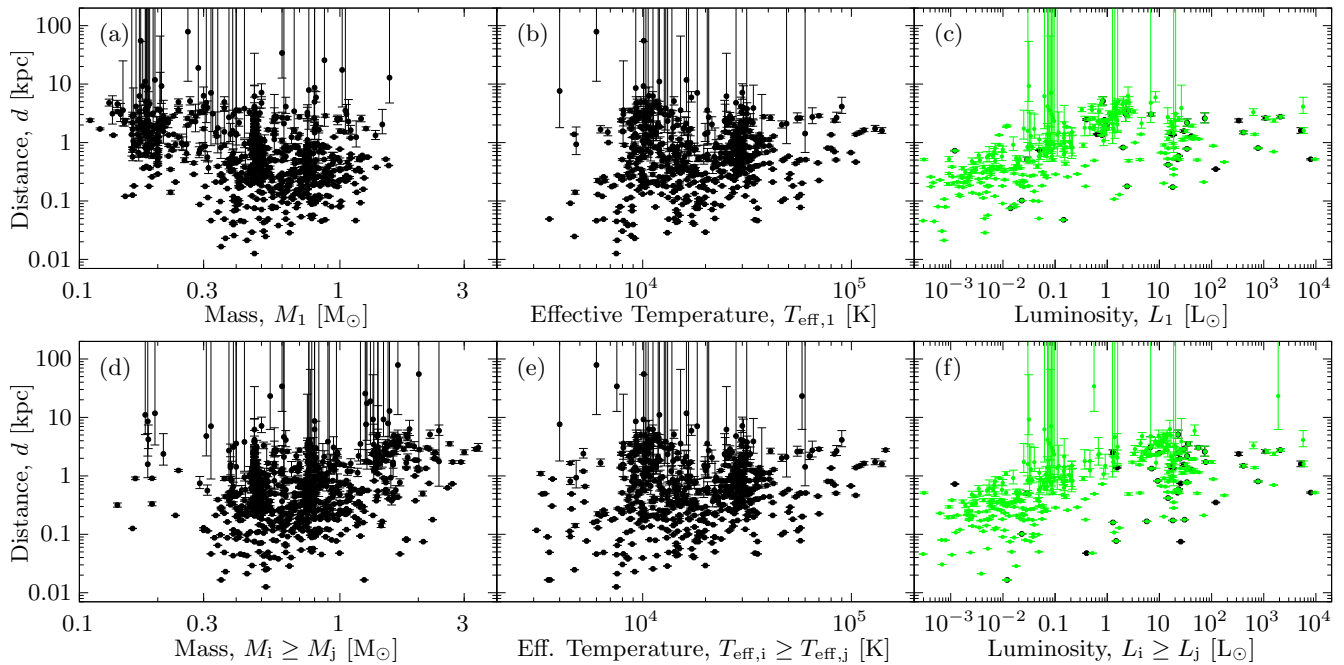


Figure 4. Distance depending on the mass, effective temperature and the luminosity. Upper row (a-c): the values of the common-envelope primary component. Lower row (d-f): the values of the more massive, hotter, and more luminous star, respectively. The large/black dots are the catalogue values. The medium/green ones are the luminosity calculated via the Stefan-Boltzmann law from the radius and effective temperature. The partially large uncertainties on the distances, especially for distant systems, are shown as error bars, while the error bars in the other quantities are not shown for clarity.

have evolved significantly since a potential CE stage, see § 3.1.1.

3. DISCUSSION OF THE EVOLUTION OF THE BINARIES IN THE CATALOGUE

This catalogue is intended to facilitate the study of common envelope phase by providing a sample of candidate post CE systems. Additionally, it allows to study the future evolution of tight binaries as an initial population, see § D.

3.1. The Origin of the Binaries

Consider for example, the first category of binary in our catalogue, WD+. These are binaries that consist of a WD orbiting a non-compact or unknown companion, generally a MS star. The orbital separations between the WD and its companion are too small to accommodate the giant progenitor of the WD, and this is the characteristic that makes these systems candidates for post common envelope systems. The WD was once the core of its progenitor, usually a giant. The progenitor filled its Roche lobe. Possibly because it was more massive than its companion, dynamically stable mass transfer was not possible, and there was a CE instead. The orbital periods prior to the CE would have been on the order of months or years, but are presently on the order of days or hours.

The second category we use to organise the catalogue consists of double-white-dwarf binaries, DWDs. Again,

those WDs are believed to be the remnant core of their progenitors. Most likely both progenitors would have been at least massive enough to produce one of the present-day WDs. Because of binary interactions the last formed WD could be more massive than its main sequence progenitor could have evolved into in single star evolution when it accreted enough material during the mass transfer leading to the formation of the first WD. It should be noted that the first formed WD is labelled as the secondary star in our catalogue, while the common-envelope primary is the last formed WD. If a DWD went through two CE phases the intermediate system after the first WD formation would show up in the herein before mentioned WD+ sample. Because we indicate the star according to the remnant of the last CE donor, the stars swap their roles between a first and a second CE. The tightest DWD systems are best candidates for binaries, which experienced two CEs.

The third category consists of an sdB/O star and its companion. An sdB/O star is usually a Helium core burning star that lost its hydrogen rich envelope. Hence, those stars are more compact than normal main sequence stars but have a similar or even larger luminosity. When the companion is an unevolved star it is clear that the sdB/O star is the remnant of a mass transfer episode where its envelope got lost. In the other case of a WD companion the sdB/O star is most likely the younger compact star because of the relatively short time of the

core Helium burning phase compared to the cooling time of the WD.

3.1.1. *Non Common Envelope-end States*

The selection from observations is mainly determined by having a short period. But there is no guarantee that all those systems went through a CE phase. There might be binaries which evolve into tight orbits even without the need of a CE evolution. This mainly applies to wider systems in the catalogue and/or for systems with massive companions.

If, for example, the donor is a subgiant filling its Roche lobe, its size may be small enough that the final orbital separation is on the order of $\sim 10 R_{\odot}$. Depending on the uncertainties in the measurements of the masses and orbital period, such mass-transfer end states could be mistaken for CE end states. In such cases the donor star would be Roche-lobe filling until the envelope collapses when its mass becomes negligibly small with respect to the core mass. The value of the donor’s radius at the end of mass transfer is not, however, uniquely determined. If it were, then it would be straightforward to know whether or not the condition of an end state of stable mass transfer is satisfied. Instead, we can determine whether it is satisfied for reasonable values of the radius that are consistent with what we know about stellar evolution and mass transfer.

The way we have explored the possibility that a given binary experienced stable mass transfer is to start with a set of stellar evolutionary models, conducted with the BEC code (Yoon et al. 2010), for single stars with zero-age main sequence (ZAMS) masses ranging from 0.5 to 100 M_{\odot} at Milky Way metallicity, $Z = 0.0088$ (Brott et al. 2011; Kruckow et al. 2018). For each ZAMS mass⁴, we have interpolated the values of the core mass, envelope mass and radius on intervals of 0.001 M_{\odot} in core mass. In this simple model the envelope mass is not necessarily close to the value of collapse, which introduces our primary source of uncertainty here. For example, the end state should correspond to the donor having lost most of its envelope; we therefore expect there to be some difference between the actual radius of the donor at the end of mass transfer and the radius we have employed.

For each post CE candidate, we take the common-envelope primary’s mass and identify the state of each BEC star with this mass as its core mass. We therefore know the radius. We compare it with the radius of the Roche lobe associated with the core of the donor star in a circular orbit around its companion. If the stellar radius is smaller than the Roche lobe, but comparable to it in size, then it is likely that stable mass transfer occurred. We add an additional condition. We consider only donor stars with mass $> 0.7 M_{\odot}$, so that they will

have had a chance to evolve during the lifetime of the Galaxy. For most reasonable mass combinations of the two stars, this results in a period limit of a few to several days. Less than 10% of the systems in the catalogue may be above this limit. It should be recalled that not passing this condition increases the likelihood that the system formed without involvement of a CE but does not exclude this possibility. Those systems, which had stable mass transfer instead of a CE formation, would tend to contribute to the high portion of the distribution of orbital separations/periods.

In binaries with more than one compact star, the assignment of the common envelope primary is not necessarily unique. Especially if the companion is a neutron star and the system shows a non-zero eccentricity, i.e. $e \gtrsim 0.2$, the last formed compact object might not be the WD. In those cases, it is unclear how much the system differs from the end state of a potential CE. The possibility of showing no signature of the end state can not be excluded, thus such systems have to be taken with additional caution.

For extremely low mass WDs with a massive but compact companion, e.g. a neutron star, there might be other formation pathways beside a CE. If magnetic breaking and tides are strong enough those systems may sustain very tight during stable mass transfer (Chen et al. 2021).

Whenever we spot that any of the here mentioned conditions (systems that may avoided a CE evolution) is met we indicate this by a note in the data set.

3.1.2. *Inner Binaries of Triples*

A few of the binaries in the sample have a detected outer tertiary orbiting around the inner binary. Therefore, we indicate systems with a confirmed tertiary with a flag to indicate its triple nature (TRI). The fact that these systems exist in our catalogue should come as no surprise. It is well known that about 10% of all stellar systems are triples in which the presence of the third star cannot be ignored (Raghavan et al. 2010; Michaely & Perets 2014; Moe & Di Stefano 2017), and 20% of all binaries, such as those hereby presented, are expected to have a tertiary at birth. Thus, the apparent paucity of such systems in our catalogue might speak more of the observational biases inherent to the data that led to this catalogue, than of an actual scarcity of triples in post-CE systems.

A mechanism known as Lidov-Kozai Resonance (Kozai 1962; Naoz 2016) can drive the eccentricity of the inner binary into an oscillation with the inclination between the inner and outer orbit. The resulting decrease of the periastron coupled with other mechanisms, such as gravitational radiation (e.g. Thompson 2011) or tidal effects (e.g. Fabrycky & Tremaine 2007), may cause a permanent decrease of the inner orbital separation to significant amount. Even without these other effects,

⁴ We use only the models from 0.5 to 9 M_{\odot} here.

an inner binary can be driven close enough to interact at periastron in ways that it would otherwise not, given the same initial semi-major axis. The timescale and therefore importance of this phenomenon depends on the distance and mass of the tertiary.

To date, there are many unknowns in the understanding of triple evolution, some further discussion can be found in Appendix C. Even effects of a CE phase in the inner binary on the outer orbit cannot be excluded. While a tertiary could have a long term influence during the evolution similar effects can act in a cluster environment by other stars which spend some time in the vicinity.

3.2. *The Evolution Between the end of a Common Envelope and the Observation*

It is also possible that a binary which has emerged from a CE phase has had time to evolve before the present day. There is no definitive way to establish that the state we observe is different from the original post CE state. Instead we rely on general notions of probability.

Consider for example two WDs emerging from a CE. It is possible for the final orbital separation to be very small, small enough for the WDs to undergo gravitational-radiation induced merger in a few thousand or a few million years. In such cases, however, the probability is low that we will detect the binary pre-merger, at least when compared with the probability we will discover a systems that lasts tens to thousands of times as long.

When the post CE system consists of a WD and an extended star, similar considerations apply. In such systems the future evolution will involve an episode in which the extended star comes to fill its Roche lobe, see § 3.2.2 and 3.2.3. For the reasons given above, it is unlikely that we will discover the binary shortly before the extended star fills its Roche lobe. If therefore it is close to Roche-lobe filling, we judge that it, the binary, is not likely to represent the unevolved end state of CE evolution.

3.2.1. *Gravitational Wave Radiation*

All binary or higher multiple star systems will lose orbital angular momentum through emission of gravitational radiation (GWR). In circular non-interacting binaries, such post-CE binaries, this angular momentum loss will proceed on a timescale of (e.g. Peters 1964; Landau & Lifshitz 1975; Eggleton et al. 2006)

$$\tau_{\text{GR}} = \frac{5}{32} \frac{c^5 a^4}{G^3 (M_1 + M_2) M_1 M_2}. \quad (1)$$

This expression is called gravitational merger timescale, with c the speed of light in a vacuum, G the gravitational constant, M_1 and M_2 the two involved masses and a the semi-major axis of the system. We note, without going

into detail, since most post-CE systems are expected to be circular or near circular, that the gravitational wave merger timescale depends on the eccentricity of the system. Accordingly, the semi-major axis of the system obeys

$$\frac{\dot{a}}{a} = -\frac{2}{\tau_{\text{GR}}}. \quad (2)$$

As has been widely noted (e.g. recently Brown et al. 2016b; Pol et al. 2019), the dependence on the fourth power of the semi-major axis of the system prevents merging of wide binaries within the Hubble time unless some mechanism, such as mass transfer, or common envelope evolution is invoked to produce a closer binary. However, in post-CE systems, especially those involving more compact stars, such as He-sdBs and WDs (Wang et al. 2013; Neunteufel et al. 2016; Neunteufel 2020), as opposed to hydrogen-rich main sequence stars, can be in such tight orbits, that angular momentum loss due to GWR potentially results in the system being observed in a significantly closer configuration than at the conclusion of the most recent CE phase. Depending on the configuration of the system, the inferred lifetime of the most recently produced component may give some insight into the elapsed time since the most recent CE phase. In Fig. 5b we show the cumulative distribution of gravitational merger timescales of the systems contained in this catalogue in relation to the Hubble time. We note that about $(36.6_{-0.0}^{+2.1})\%$ of the DWD systems can be expected to merge within the Hubble time, making these systems, if their total mass is (roughly) higher than the Chandrasekhar mass, putative SN progenitors (see e.g. Pakmor et al. 2010; Ruiter 2020) or progenitors of R Coronae Borealis stars (for total binary masses significantly below the Chandrasekhar mass) in the double degenerate merger channel (see e.g. Webbink 1984; Zhang & Jeffery 2012). Figure 5a shows the total binary mass distribution of the systems in this catalogue. We note that out of all sdB/O+ systems, about $(25.4_{-4.2}^{+4.2})\%$ of which will merge within the Hubble time. If $\tau_{\text{GR}} > 10^9$ yr, which is the case for most of them, they likely also evolve into DWD systems. Where obtainable, we show the gravitational merger timescale, τ_{GR} , in relation to the cooling age, t_{cool} , of the degenerate component in Fig. 6b. This is intended to give an indication of the time elapsed since the most recent CE phase. Additionally, this ratio can be transferred into a semi-major axis change if purely GWR influenced the orbit post CE.

3.2.2. *Mass Transfer*

Post-CE orbits will be subject to subsequent modification if the system undergoes stable mass transfer when one of the component stars fills its Roche-lobe. The material overflowing the star's Roche-lobe will then be transferred to the accreting component, carrying with it a corresponding amount of orbital angular momentum. Generally, the semi-major axis of the system will react

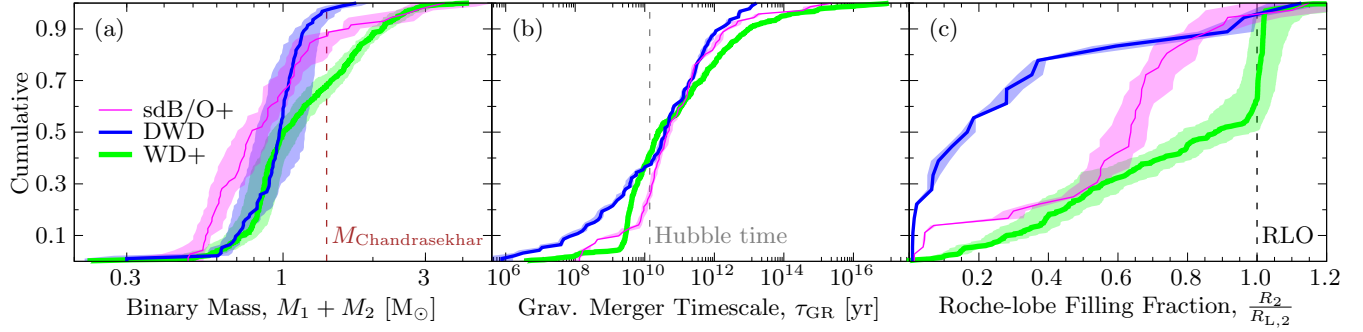


Figure 5. Cumulative distributions of calculated parameters. The colour and line thickness indicates the binary type according to the key in sub figure (a). Sub figures: (a) the binary mass – a mass of $M_{\text{Chandrasekhar}} \approx 1.4 M_{\odot}$ is marked by the dashed line, (b) the timescale to merge the system by pure GWR – cf. Eq. (1) and 13.81 Gyr is marked by the dashed line, (c) the fraction of the secondaries radius and its Roche lobe – the equality of the two radii is marked, hence whether the companion undergoes Roche-lobe overflow (RLO). The required semi-major axis is always calculated via Kepler’s third law and the Roche lobe with the fitting formula of Eggleton (1983). To show the uncertainty contours, missing uncertainty values are assumed to be the geometric mean of the recorded ones. Additionally we had to assume that the errors of the underlying quantities, e.g. the masses, are uncorrelated because of missing information on the correlation factors.

to mass transfer according to (see e.g. Eggleton et al. 2006, chapter 3)

$$\frac{\dot{a}}{a} = 2 \frac{\dot{M}_1}{M_1 + M_2} \frac{q^2 - 1}{q}, \quad (3)$$

assuming conservative mass transfer, which is expected for donor/accretor combinations (excepting WDs) of the stellar types contained in this catalogue. If mass transfer is not conservative, then angular momentum is lost from the system, causing a further decrease in orbital separation. Here, \dot{M}_1 is the mass loss rate from the donor star and $q = \frac{M_1}{M_2}$ is the system’s mass ratio. Accordingly, for cases of the less massive component transferring mass to the more massive one, the system’s semi-major axis will increase, while cases of the more massive component transferring mass to the less massive, the system’s semi-major axis will decrease. Mass transfer due to Roche-lobe overflow (trivially) requires the mass donating component to fill its Roche-lobe. Stars overflowing their Roche-lobe correspondingly are expected to exhibit higher mass loss rates (Ritter 1988; Kolb & Ritter 1990). In Fig. 5c we show the cumulative Roche-lobe filling fraction of the systems contained in this catalogue. We emphasise the large jump for WD+ systems at unity, which is due to CVs being assigned to this class of binaries. Roche-lobe filling fractions exceeding unity by a significant margin may be caused by observational uncertainties. We expect this uncertainty to mainly arise from the radius determination and the fact that mass transferring donors are non-spherical. This uncertainty becomes smaller for smaller Roche-lobe filling fractions.

Mass transfer has the potential to stabilise a binary system against decreasing orbital separation due to GWR depending on whether a critical mass transfer rate \dot{M}_{crit} is exceeded. The condition for this effect can be written (Tutukov & Yungelson 1979; Neunteufel

2020)

$$\dot{M}_1 < \dot{M}_{\text{crit}} = -\frac{32}{5} \frac{G^3}{c^5 a^4} \frac{(M_1 + M_2) M_1^2 M_2^2}{M_1 - M_2}. \quad (4)$$

Due to the dependence on a^{-4} , which places restrictions on the radius of the components via their Roche-lobe radius, this condition is usually fulfilled by default in most H-rich and evolved stars with extended envelopes, but not necessarily in interacting systems containing compact objects such as WDs or He sdBs and has to be checked for independently. Most notably, interacting systems with a He sdB transferring material to a more massive WD may still exhibit decreasing orbital separations due to mass transfer being unable to overcome GWR emission.

In this catalogue, systems known to currently undergo mass transfer are given the mass transfer flag (MT-flag). Systems containing a WD currently accreting H-rich material will be observationally distinguished as cataclysmic variables and, hence, are designated by the CV-flag in this catalogue. However, we note that cataclysmic variables, see § 3.2.3 may, other than RLOF-induced mass transfer, be fuelled by wind accretion.

Since none of the WDs in this catalogue happen to be accreting He-rich material and none of the non-degenerate stars happen to be accreting H-rich material, the MT-flag is equivalent to a system with He-rich mass transfer onto a non-degenerate companion, while the CV flag is equivalent to a system transferring H-rich material onto a WD. Of the sample contained in the catalogue, 25 systems are currently known to be undergoing mass transfer as defined in this section. We note that a number of sources in this catalogue are observable as X-ray (NS accretors) and/or supersoft X-ray (WD accretors) sources.

3.2.3. Cataclysmic Variables

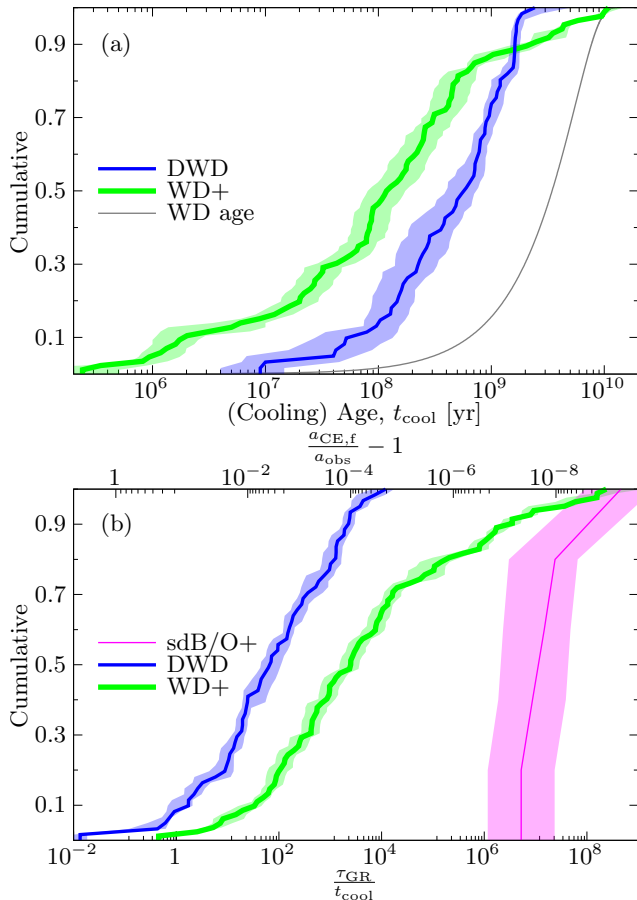


Figure 6. Top panel (a): Cumulative distribution of the (cooling) age of the catalogue systems. The colour and line thickness indicates the binary type. For comparison, the grey line shows the WD age distribution in the solar neighbourhood (Kobayashi et al. 2020). Bottom panel (b): Cumulative distribution of the gravitational merger timescale, τ_{GR} , in units of the cooling age, t_{cool} , of the catalogue systems. The top axis shows the fractional change of the semi-major axis between the end of the CE, $a_{\text{CE},f}$, and the observation, a_{obs} , if the orbital change is purely caused by GWR. The colour and line thickness indicates the binary type. To show the uncertainty contours, missing uncertainty values are assumed to be the geometric mean of the recorded ones. Additionally we had to assume that the errors of the underlying quantities, e.g. the masses, are uncorrelated because of missing information on the correlation factors.

A WD in a compact binary with a H-rich MS star accreting H-rich material from a non-degenerate companion will undergo successive episodes of unstable hydrogen ignition at low mass transfer rates, leading to the accreted material and burning products being ejected from the system. As the ejected material carries a certain amount of orbital angular momentum, this will affect the orbital evolution of the system. The frequency and magnitude of these eruptions depends on the accretion

rate, with rates in the range $10^{-11} - 10^{-8} M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}$ commonly considered in literature. Here, higher accretion rates are connected to a higher outburst frequency and lower ejecta masses per individual outburst. (CVs are extensively discussed in the literature. See, e.g. Robinson 1976; Spruit & Ritter 1983; Szkody et al. 2002; Ritter & Kolb 2003; Schmidt et al. 2005b; Hillman et al. 2020, and others.)

Of our sample, 223 systems were observationally confirmed as CVs. Most of these can be found in catalogues of CVs (e.g. Ritter & Kolb 2003) as well. Due to uncertainties imposed by the orbital evolution in the post-CE phase, CVs should only be used as limiting cases.

3.2.4. Tidal Locking and Magnetic Braking

An extended star in a binary will be deformed by the gravitational field of its companion. This deformation and associated rotational shears will impact the rotation of the star as well as, due to the quadrupole moment exerted by the tidal bulges, the orbital angular momentum of the system. Consequently, most post-CE systems will have only small eccentricities, cf. Fig. 21, and an extended companion will get tidally locked. (see e.g. Zahn & Bouchet 1989)

Magnetic braking acts through interaction of a star’s magnetic field with its own wind, causing a star to spin down as angular momentum is exchanged between a rotating star and its wind, linearly moving outward. For binary stars, this loss of spin angular momentum affects the system’s total orbital angular momentum via tidal interaction. Magnetic braking will cause a star to rotate slower than demanded by pure tidal effects, leading to a loss of total orbital angular momentum as tides cause the star to rotate faster. The efficiency of magnetic braking is currently a matter of debate (see e.g. Marsh 2000a; Eggleton et al. 2006; Fleming et al. 2019).

4. SUMMARY

We have compiled a unified catalogue of 839 post-CE candidates taken from the literature. The data set is probably incomplete in several different ways. First, the various observations of individual binaries and surveys come all with their own uncertainties and limitations. Second, there are systems missing in the catalogue because they do not match the criterion of having derived masses or some might not have been found in the literature search. Nevertheless, this catalogue represents a unique resource toward unravelling the physics of the CE phase. Even prior to using its systems as inputs for calculations, we have been able to explore the relationships between the component masses and their orbital separation. Interesting patterns emerge in the figures shown in § 2. These patterns surely provide clues to the physical processes producing these end states.

Individual post-CE candidates and small groups of them can provide reliable input for interesting studies. We anticipate that one of the most significant uses of this

catalogue will be to improve the parameterized methods currently used (such as the α and γ formalisms) that map initial CE states to the CE end states. Another important use of the catalogue is as a testing ground for hydrodynamic simulations which are currently taking on the challenge of computing CE evolution.

Observations of close binaries are ongoing, and the results are being published at an increasing rate. Thus, while this catalogue is currently the best resource for the study of post-CEs, it will be useful to supplement its contents with new systems, as they are discovered. There is, however, a crucial caveat: we have surveyed the vast literature on potential post-CEs and developed a set of uniform criteria for the selection of the candidates included here. While some post-CEs may have been missed, and some of the candidates we list may represent “false positives”, the value of the careful selection of systems is that it provides a level of uniformity, important for subsequent uses of the catalogue. Therefore, additions to the catalogue should be made by employing similar selection criteria, see § 2.1. This catalogue and its future extensions will provide insight into the evolution of close binaries through the CE phase.

DATA AVAILABILITY

The catalogue data set will be available in the online version. Additionally, the newest version of the data can be requested via Email to mkruckow@ynao.ac.cn.

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APPENDIX

Table 2. Content of the columns in the catalogue. The column numbers in brackets are the columns with the low and upper limits, respectively. We refer to the common-envelope primary as the donor of the possible CE and the secondary its in-spiralling companion. A list of the type and flags is given in table 3 and explained in § 2.2 and § 3.2.

column	description
1	names
2	period in days
3 (7,8)	primary mass in M_{\odot}
4 (9,10)	secondary mass in M_{\odot}
5	primary type
6	secondary type
11 (12,13)	mass ratio = primary over secondary mass
14 (15,16)	semi-major axis in R_{\odot}
17 (18,19)	eccentricity
20 (21,22)	inclination in degree
23 (24,25)	primary radius in R_{\odot}
26 (27,28)	secondary radius in R_{\odot}
29 (30,31)	primary effective temperature in K
32 (33,34)	secondary effective temperature in K
35 (36,37)	primary luminosity in L_{\odot}
38 (39,40)	secondary luminosity in L_{\odot}
41 (42,43)	\log_{10} of the primary surface gravity in cm s^{-2}
44 (45,46)	\log_{10} of the secondary surface gravity in cm s^{-2}
47 (48,49)	(cooling) age in yr
50	flags
51 and 52	RA and DE in degree from simbad ^S
53	Gaia EDR3 ID
54 and 55	RA and DE in degree from Gaia EDR3 ^G
56 (57,58)	distance estimate in kpc from Gaia EDR3 ^G parallax
59/60	references
61	notes

^S<http://simbad.u-strasbg.fr/simbad/>

^G<https://www.cosmos.esa.int/web/gaia/earlydr3>

A. A SHORTHAND CATALOGUE VERSION

Table 2 gives a summary description of the columns which are available in the catalogue. The first 6 columns plus column 50 and 59 are given in table 3. If there is no value in the columns 3 or 4 a lower or upper limit is taken from the columns 7 to 10 accordingly.

Table 3. Shorthand version of the catalogue showing the name(s), the period, the masses (sometimes only limits) and types of the two stars, a flag to indicate possible issues, and the reference(s).

name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M_{\odot}]	[M_{\odot}]				
RXJ0806.3+1527/HMCnc	0.0037214020	0.55	0.27	WD	WD	MT	330,407,343
ZTFJ1539+5027	0.004800828014	0.610	0.210	WD	WD	-	15
ZTFJ2243+5242	0.00611035664	0.349	0.384	WD	WD	-	16
V407Vul/RXJ1914.4+2456	0.00659022	0.8	0.177	WD	-	MT/S	330,200
ESCet	0.007178376	0.8	0.161	WD	-	MT/S	99,200

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
4U1820-303	0.00793	0.055	1.58	WD	NS	MT	396,138
J0651+2844	0.00885655721	0.247	0.49	WD	WD	-	32,154,22,15
ZTFJ0538+1953	0.010030131	0.45	0.32	WD	WD	-	38
SDSSJ135154.46-064309.0	0.0109240	0.8	0.100	WD	-	MT/S	126,200
AMCVn	0.011906623	0.68	0.125	WD	-	MT	394,325,126,200
4U0513-40	0.012	0.045	1.4	WD	NS	MT/SM2	311
SDSSJ190817.07+394036.4	0.0125591	0.8	0.085	WD	-	MT/S	103,192,200
4U1543-624	0.0126	0.03	1.4	WD	NS	MT/SM2	449
HPLib	0.0127627	0.60	0.041	WD	-	MT	301,325,328
PTFJ0533+0209	0.0142820947	0.652	0.167	WD	WD	-	20
4U1850-087	0.0143	0.04	1.4	WD	NS	MT/SM2	311
ZTFJ2029+1534	0.01449139466	0.32	0.30	WD	WD	-	38
PTF1J191905.19+481506.2	0.0155944	0.8	0.066	WD	-	MT/S	229,200
CXOGBSJ175107.6-294037	0.01590	0.8	0.064	WD	-	MT/S	460,126,200
ZTFJ0722-1839	0.01646468351	0.38	0.33	WD	WD	-	38
CRBoo/PG1346+082	0.017029	1	0.057	WD	-	MT	321,325
KLDra	0.0173820	0.76	0.057	WD	-	MT	450
ZTFJ1749+0924	0.0183568737	0.40	0.28	WD	WD	-	38
V803Cen	0.018477	≥ 0.78	≥ 0.059	WD	-	MT	328,325
YZLMi/SDSSJ0926+3624	0.01966127289	0.85	0.035	WD	-	MT	70
CPEri	0.019692	0.75	0.035	WD	-	MT/SWD	10
ZTFJ1946+3203	0.0233081182	0.307	0.272	sdB	WD	-	38
ZTFJ0640+1738	0.02587981	0.325	0.39	sdB	WD	-	38
SDSSJ124058.03-015919.2	0.025944	0.79	0.031	WD	-	MT	327
J0106-1000	0.027153	0.189	0.56	WD	WD	-	190,118,22
ZTFJ2130+4420	0.027319516	0.337	0.545	sdB	WD	MT	191
J1630+4233	0.027659	0.298	0.76	WD	WD	S	189,118,22
SDSSJ0822+3048	0.0281258394	0.304	0.524	WD	WD	-	33,198
ZTFJ1901+5309	0.0281956964	0.36	0.36	WD	WD	-	38,59
SDSSJ1043+0551	0.03170	0.183	≥ 0.07	WD	WD	-	33
GPCom	0.03234	≥ 0.50	≥ 0.009	WD	-	MT	325,209,126
J1235+1543	0.03438	0.363	≥ 0.179	WD	WD	-	47
Gaia14aae	0.03451957084	0.87	0.0250	WD	-	MT	132
ZTFJ2320+3750	0.038365738	0.20	0.69	sdB	WD	-	38
ZTFJ2055+4651	0.039130441	0.41	0.68	sdB	WD	MT	185
J1053+5200	0.04256	0.204	0.77	WD	WD	S	182,118,22
J0056-0611	0.04338	0.180	0.82	WD	WD	S	29,141,118,22
J1056+6536	0.04351	0.334	0.77	WD	WD	S	184,22,118,29
EIPsc/1RXSJ232953.9+062814	0.044566904	0.63	0.12	WD	K5	CV	385
J0923+3028	0.04495	0.275	0.77	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
V396Hya/CE315	0.0452083	0.77	0.017	WD	-	MT	342,209
J1122-1110	0.04530	0.83	0.014	WD	-	CV/SWD	23
J1436+5010	0.04580	0.234	0.79	WD	WD	S	182,22,118,28
SDSSJ1507+5230/OVBoo	0.04625829	0.892	0.0575	WD	BD	CV	223,386,467
CD-3011223/GALEXJ1411-3053	0.0489790717	0.47	0.74	sdB	WD	-	438,133,193
SDSSJ1205-0242	0.049465250	0.39	0.049	WD	BD	-	306
SDSSJ1231+0041	0.050353796	0.56	≤ 0.095	WD	-	-	306
J1711+2724	0.052	0.672	≥ 0.192	WD	WD	-	47
PHL1445/KNCet	0.0529848884	0.73	0.064	WD	BD	CV	247
GWLlib	0.05332	0.84	0.050	WD	-	CV	444
SDSSJ1433+1011	0.054240679	0.865	0.0571	WD	BD	CV	224,386,467
V627Peg	0.054523	0.74	0.13	WD	-	CV	333

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
DIUMa	0.05456	0.75	0.053	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V844Her	0.05464	0.75	0.086	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
LLAnd	0.05505	0.75	0.098	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSS0137-09	0.05537	0.75	0.088	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
GGLeo	0.055471850	0.8	0.09	WD	M	CV	43
ASAS0025+12	0.05605	0.75	0.072	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
ALCom	0.05667	0.75	0.045	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
WZSge	0.0566884	0.85	0.078	WD	BD	CV	207,380,467,309
PUCMa	0.05669	0.75	0.083	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
RX1839+26	0.05669	0.75	0.063	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SWUMa	0.05681	0.71	0.10	WD	-	CV	376,333,309
SDSSJ1501+5501	0.05684126603	0.723	0.061	WD	BD	CV	224,250,386,467
V1838Aql	0.05698	0.8	0.08	WD	-	CV/SWD	95
SDSSJ1035+0551	0.0570067	0.835	0.0475	WD	BD	CV	222,386,467
MASTEROTJ172758.09+380021.5	0.057026	0.75	0.070	WD	-	CV	307
HVVir	0.05707	0.75	0.071	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
ILLeo/SDSSJ1031+2028	0.05709	≥ 0.48	≤ 0.090	WD	M	CV	400,305
MMHya/PG0911-066	0.05759	0.75	0.065	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
J0825+1152	0.05819	0.279	0.79	WD	WD	S	184,118,22
WXCet	0.05829	0.55	0.047	WD	-	CV	333,309
SSS100615	0.0587045	0.88	0.083	WD	-	CV	250
KVDra	0.05876	0.75	0.080	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
QZVir/TLeo/PG1135+036	0.05882	0.16	0.11	WD	-	CV	376,333,309
SDSSJ1502+3334/NZBoo	0.05890961	0.709	0.0781	WD	BD	CV	224,386,467
SDSSJ0903+3300	0.059073543	0.872	0.099	WD	BD	CV	224,386,467
CSS080623	0.059578971	0.710	0.081	WD	-	CV	250
SDSSJ1250+1549/WD1248+161	0.05995	0.75	0.077	WD	M8	CV/SWD	21,305
EGCnc	0.05997	0.75	0.027	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V1040Cen	0.06028	0.75	0.104	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
RXVol	0.0603	0.75	0.065	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
ASASSN-14ag	0.060310665	0.63	0.093	WD	-	CV	249
AQEri	0.06094	0.75	0.097	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
WD0957-666	0.0609931806	0.37	0.32	WD	WD	-	252,256
J1741+6526	0.06111	0.170	1.17	WD	WD	S	28,195,118,22
XZEri	0.061159491	0.769	0.091	WD	-	CV	107,386
SDSSJ1212+0136/WD1209+018	0.0614081	0.60	0.05	WD	BD	CV	403,104,305
V4140Sgr	0.06142966	0.73	0.092	WD	-	CV	13,12
CPPup	0.06145	1.0	0.082	WD	-	CV	309
SDSSJ1514+0744/WD1511+079	0.061610	0.75	0.082	WD	BD	CV/SWD	21,305
V1159Ori	0.06218	0.75	0.107	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
DPLeo	0.062362820	≥ 1.0	0.14	WD	-	CV	299
V2051Oph	0.0624278595	0.78	0.15	WD	MS	CV	17
V436Cen	0.062501	0.7	0.17	WD	M	CV	440,333,309
BCUMa	0.06261	0.75	0.103	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
HODel	0.06266	0.75	0.094	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSSJ1057+2759	0.0627919557	0.800	0.0436	WD	BD	CV	248
EKTrA	0.06288	≥ 0.36	≥ 0.07	WD	-	CV	234,309
TVCrv	0.0629	0.75	0.108	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSSJ1227+5139/GPCVn	0.062959041	0.796	0.0889	WD	BD	CV	224,386,467
J0755+4906	0.06302	0.184	0.97	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
VYAqr	0.06309	0.55	0.071	WD	BD	CV	160,309
OYCar	0.06312092545	0.882	0.093	WD	M	CV	454,250

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
RX1131+43	0.06331	0.75	0.089	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
ERUMa/PG0943+521	0.06366	0.75	0.105	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
QZLib	0.06436	0.8	0.032	WD	BD	CV/SWD	318
UVPer	0.06489	0.75	0.081	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSSJ085746.18+034255.3	0.065096538	0.514	0.087	WD	M8	-	315
AKCnc	0.0651	0.75	0.120	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
DMLyr	0.06546	0.75	0.095	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CTCVJ2354-4700	0.0655502701	0.935	0.101	WD	-	CV	386,467
AOOct	0.06557	0.75	0.083	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SSS130413	0.0657692903	0.84	0.140	WD	-	CV	250
V2008-1753	0.065817833	0.47	0.069	sdB	BD	-	354
CSS110113	0.0660508707	1.00	0.105	WD	-	CV	250
BSTri	0.066881	0.75	0.16	WD	-	CV	333
SXLMi/Ton45	0.06717	0.75	0.115	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSS1152+4049	0.067749703	0.62	0.094	WD	-	CV	386,250
SSUMi/PG1551+719	0.06778	0.75	0.119	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
KSUMa	0.06796	0.75	0.084	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V1208Tau	0.0681	0.75	0.122	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
HSCam/RXJ0719.2+6557	0.06820753	0.75	0.13	WD	M4	CV	425
EXHya	0.068233843	0.790	0.108	WD	M5	CV	40,101
RZSge	0.06828	0.75	0.103	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
TYPsc	0.06833	0.75	0.115	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
IRGem	0.0684	0.75	0.115	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V699Oph	0.0689	0.75	0.070	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
J0736+1622	0.069	0.360	≥ 0.033	WD	WD	-	47
CYUMa	0.06957	0.75	0.119	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
VVPup	0.0697468256	0.73	0.10	WD	M7	CV	150
J162256+473051	0.069789	0.48	0.064	sdB	M	SsdB	371,193
V834Cen	0.070497518	0.66	0.21	WD	M	CV	336,405
NLTT5306	0.07075	0.44	≥ 0.053	WD	BD	-	398
FOAnd	0.07161	0.75	0.115	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
EPDra	0.072656259	0.43	0.133	WD	-	CV	390
OUVir	0.072706113	0.703	0.1157	WD	-	CV	106,386,467
SDSSJ0138-0016/L588-25	0.07276491	0.53	0.132	WD	M5	-	314,305,337
PG1017-086	0.0729938	0.5	0.078	sdB	M	SsdB	254
VZPyx	0.07332	0.75	0.110	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CCCnc	0.07352	0.75	0.152	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
HTCas	0.0736472039	0.61	0.09	WD	M5	CV	166
IYUMa	0.07390892818	0.955	0.141	WD	-	CV	395,250
VWHyi	0.07427	0.71	0.11	WD	BD	CV	275,378,467,309
ZCha	0.0744992631	0.803	0.152	WD	M5	CV	273,250,453
QWSer	0.07453	0.75	0.110	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
WXHyi	0.0748134	0.9	0.21	WD	-	CV	408,309
BKLyn	0.07498	0.75	0.150	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V893Sco	0.0758	0.89	0.175	WD	-	CV	268
RZLeo/WD1134+020	0.07604	0.75	0.114	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
AWGem	0.07621	0.75	0.135	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
TPyx	0.076227249	0.7	0.14	WD	MS	CV	429
SUUMa	0.07635	0.75	0.106	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
J2338-2052	0.07644	0.258	0.75	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
J2309+2603	0.07653	0.176	0.93	WD	WD	S	22
SDSS1730+62	0.07655	0.75	0.122	WD	-	CV/SWD	309

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Table 3 (continued)

name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
HSVir/PG1341-079	0.0769	0.75	0.145	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V503Cyg	0.0777	0.75	0.138	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
SDSS0901-4809	0.0778805321	0.752	0.138	WD	-	CV	250
V359Cen	0.0779	0.75	0.126	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CUVel	0.0785	1.23	0.15	WD	-	CV	240,309
J0849+0445	0.07870	0.179	0.86	WD	WD	S	182,22,118,28
MRSer	0.0789	0.67	0.07	WD	M5	CV	409
BLHyI/0139-68	0.0789149644	≥ 0.3	0.3	WD	M	CV	142,462
NSV9923	0.0791	0.75	0.131	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
STLMi	0.0791	0.76	0.17	WD	M5	CV	409
BRLup	0.0795	0.98	0.146	WD	-	CV	267,309
J0022-1014	0.07989	0.375	0.25	WD	WD	S	183,28,118
J0751-0141	0.08001260	0.194	0.98	WD	WD	S	29,195,118,22
WWHor	0.0801990403	≥ 0.9	0.19	WD	-	CV	299
WD0137-349	0.0803	0.39	0.053	WD	BD	-	265,467,104
ARUMa	0.080500634	1.01	0.154	WD	M	CV	26
V1974Cyg	0.08126	1.0	0.148	WD	-	CV	309
TUCrt	0.08209	0.75	0.128	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
1611+4640	0.0823658	0.63	0.25	WD	M	-	279,151
TYPsA/TonS75	0.08414	0.75	0.134	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
KKTel	0.08453	0.75	0.120	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CSS21055/SDSSJ1411+2009	0.0845327526	0.53	0.050	WD	BD	-	19,220
V452Cas	0.08460	0.75	0.155	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
V713Cep	0.0854185080	0.703	0.176	WD	-	CV	250
DVUMa	0.0858526308	1.09	0.187	WD	M4	CV	107,250,386
J2119-0018	0.08677	0.159	0.83	WD	WD	S	27,141,118,22
EFPEG	0.0868	0.65	0.17	WD	MS	CV	161
YZCnc	0.0868	0.8	0.168	WD	-	CV	375,309
HUAqr	0.086820446	0.80	0.18	WD	-	CV	382
NGC6121-V46	0.087159	0.195	≥ 0.26	sdB	WD	-	293
CTCVJ1300-3052	0.0889406998	0.717	0.116	WD	-	CV	250,386
GXCas	0.08902	0.75	0.143	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
0152-0058	0.089664450	0.72	0.20	WD	M	-	279
KPD0422+5421	0.09017945	0.511	0.526	sdB	WD	-	296
J1234-0228	0.09143	0.227	0.74	WD	WD	S	183,22,118,28
WD1032+011	0.09155899610	0.4502	0.0665	WD	BD	-	60
2112+1014	0.09230	1.06	0.20	WD	M	-	279,467,151
HE0218-3437	0.0950	0.47	0.09	sdB	WD	-	199
KPD1930+2752	0.0950933	0.47	0.94	sdB	WD	-	134,127,263
HS0705+6700	0.09564665	0.483	0.134	sdB	M	TRI	80,323
J08205+0008	0.09624073885	0.48	0.071	sdB	BD	Sq	364
NYSer/PG1510+234	0.09775	0.75	0.185	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CzeV404Her	0.098021247	1.00	0.158	WD	-	CV	217
CRTSJ035010.7+323230	0.09882232	0.948	0.20	WD	-	CV	277
PTF1J072456+125301	0.09980	0.47	0.155	sdB	M	SsdB	387
J1152+0248	0.099865	0.47	0.442	WD	WD	-	157
SDSSJ1702+3229	0.10008209	0.91	0.223	WD	M0	CV	225,386,467
J0011-0647	0.10028081	≥ 0.65	≥ 0.208	WD	-	CV	339
NYVir/PG1336-018	0.101015999	0.471	0.122	sdB	M5	-	430,197,435
V348Pup	0.101838931	0.65	0.20	WD	-	CV	332,335,250
PSRJ0348+0432	0.102424062722	0.172	2.01	WD	NS	-	5
GD448	0.10306437	0.41	0.096	WD	M6	-	260,467

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
SDSSJ2208+0037	0.10337209	0.46	0.150	WD	M5	-	468,305
1054-2121	0.10439	0.178	0.77	WD	-	S	22
SDSSJ1452+2045	0.106265437	0.83	0.150	WD	M5	-	468,305
J1237+4913	0.10763	0.43	≥ 0.25	WD	-	-	188
V795Her/PG1711+336	0.10826	0.75	0.217	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
UVEX0328+5035	0.11017	0.49	0.12	sdB	M	SsdB	194,193
NSVS14256825/V1828Aql	0.110374230	0.46	0.1	sdB	M	-	465,31,193
HS2231+2441	0.1105879	0.190	0.036	WD	BD	-	4
0745+1949	0.11240	0.164	0.15	WD	-	S	22,28,141,118
MTSer	0.11326899	0.6	0.55	sdO	M	-	51,236
SDSSJ0052-0053	0.11396	1.2	0.32	WD	M4	-	329,467,151
1355+0856	0.11438	0.46	≥ 0.083	WD	M	-	55
V592Cas	0.11506	0.75	0.186	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CSS41177/J1005+2249	0.1160154352	0.378	0.316	WD	WD	-	37
HWVir	0.116719504	0.413	0.128	sdB	M	-	94,152,457,80,230,92
TUMen	0.1172	0.77	0.208	WD	-	CV	309,137
EC10246-2707	0.1185079936	0.45	0.12	sdB	M	-	31
WD1242-105	0.118765	0.39	0.56	WD	WD	-	82
HYEri/RXJ0501.7-0359	0.11896906	0.43	0.36	WD	-	CV	42
PG1043+760	0.1201506	0.5	≥ 0.106	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,127
CSS111003/Te11	0.1209716	1.18	0.28	WD	M	CV	276
1108+1512	0.1231	0.179	0.78	WD	-	S	22
HS2237+8154	0.12368	≥ 0.47	≥ 0.2	WD	M	-	116
SDSSJ1210+3347	0.124489764	0.415	0.158	WD	M5	-	302
OGLEBUL-SC16335	0.125050278	0.5	0.16	sdB	M	SsdB/Sq	316,136,193
SDSS1435+3733	0.1256311	0.5	0.21	WD	M4	-	303,467,151
2M1938+4603	0.125765300	0.48	0.12	sdB	M	SsdB	290,193,31
GaiaDR2-6097540197980557440	0.127037	0.47	0.177	sdB	M	-	61
M3-1	0.1270971	0.65	0.17	WD	M	S	173
AHMen	0.12721	0.75	0.244	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
EC00404-4429	0.12834	0.47	≥ 0.305	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
AMHer	0.128926	0.78	0.15	WD	-	CV	63,130,467
NNSer	0.13008017141	0.535	0.111	WD	M4	-	312,467
MVLyr	0.1329	0.73	0.30	WD	M5	CV	156
SDSS0303+0054	0.1344376668	0.91	0.25	WD	M4	-	303,467,305
3A0729+103/BGCMi	0.13486	≥ 0.60	0.38	WD	-	CV	300
DWUMa	0.136606499	0.73	0.21	WD	M3	CV	8,309,467
SDSS0756+0858	0.1369745	0.60	0.28	WD	MS	CV	424,250
TTAri	0.13755040	1.24	0.236	WD	-	CV/SWD	455,309
V603Aql	0.13820103	1.2	0.29	WD	MS	CV	3,319,309
V728Sco	0.138340	0.81	0.29	WD	M	CV	426
CSSJ090826.3+123648	0.1391985	0.62	0.18	WD	M7	-	77
ASAS102322-3737	0.13926940	0.461	0.157	sdB	M	SsdB	369,193,31
V1315Aql	0.13968994	0.73	0.30	WD	-	CV	83
BOCet	0.13983546	≥ 1.0	≥ 0.31	WD	-	CV	211
PNHB12	0.14	0.6	≤ 0.443	WD	MS	-	81
V1223Sgr	0.14023	0.93	0.40	WD	M4	CV/SM2	24
SDSSJ1021+1744	0.140359073	0.50	≥ 0.28	WD	M4	-	304
0320-0638	0.14063	0.79	0.25	WD	MS	-	279,151
SDSSJ1151-0007	0.14161	0.6	0.19	WD	M6	-	329,151
LSCam	0.14237	1.26	0.302	WD	M	CV	406
VZScl	0.14462220	≥ 0.87	≥ 1.2	WD	-	CV	459

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
PG1101+364/WD1101+364	0.144719	0.29	0.33	WD	WD	-	237,256
WD1704+481.2	0.1447864	0.39	0.54	WD	WD	TRI	255,256
RRPic	0.1450237620	0.95	0.4	WD	-	CV	363
CSSJ111647.8+294602	0.146249	0.52	0.23	WD	M3	-	77
PXAnd/PG0027+260	0.14635	0.75	0.247	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
J0112+1835	0.14698	0.160	0.74	WD	WD	S	28,141,118,22
V533Her	0.1473	0.95	0.33	WD	-	CV	334,309
LTT560	0.1475	0.52	0.19	WD	M5	-	419,467
J08300+47515	0.14780	0.47	≥ 0.14	sdB	WD	SsdB	193
OGLE-GD-ECL-11388	0.147806180	0.47	0.14	sdB	M	-	155
Hen2-155	0.148275	0.62	0.13	sdB	M5	-	172
ARSCO	0.14853528	≥ 0.81	0.3	WD	M5	-	243
BBDor	0.1492	0.75	0.256	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
HS0220+0603	0.149207749	0.87	0.47	WD	M5	CV	345
2123+0024	0.14931	0.31	0.20	WD	M	-	279,467,151
CSS080502/SDSSJ0908+0604	0.149438	0.35	0.32	WD	M4	-	78,303,467,151
ASASSN-18aan	0.149454	0.6	0.18	WD	G9	CV	461
V425Cas	0.1496	0.86	0.31	WD	-	CV	376,333
SDSSJ0853+0720	0.15021618	0.83	0.221	WD	M4	-	305
QSVir/EC13471-1258	0.150757525	0.78	0.43	WD	M4	-	214,292
J1233+1602	0.15090	0.169	0.98	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
V380Oph	0.1534766	0.58	0.36	WD	-	CV	376,333
QQVul	0.15452	0.66	0.42	WD	-	CV	451
BHLyn/PG0818+513	0.15575	0.75	0.226	WD	-	CV/SWD	309
CSSJ081158.6+311959	0.156187	0.47	0.23	WD	M2	-	77
1130+3855	0.15652	0.288	0.89	WD	-	S	22,28
KIC6614501	0.15749747	0.24	≥ 0.5	sdB	WD	-	391
IPPeg	0.1582061029	1.16	0.55	WD	M4	CV	69,467
LXSer	0.158432	0.41	0.36	WD	M	CV	376,333
LAMOSTJ0140355+392651	0.1586339	0.19	0.95	WD	WD	-	100
EPIC216747137	0.16107224	0.620	0.109	sdB	M	Sq	401
2M1533+3759	0.16177042	0.376	0.113	sdB	M	SsdB	109,193,31
CMDel	0.162	0.48	0.36	WD	-	CV	376,333
KRAur	0.162771641	0.94	0.37	WD	M4	CV	346
CNOri	0.1631	0.74	0.49	WD	-	CV	112
TS01/PNG135.9+55.9	0.163508	≥ 0.71	0.54	WD	WD	-	421,428
UUAqr	0.163580429	0.67	0.195	WD	M	CV	46,309
CSSJ001242.4+130809	0.164086	0.58	0.22	WD	M5	-	77
SDSSJ1529+0020	0.16510	0.40	0.25	WD	M5	-	329,467,151
PG1458+172	0.1653	0.41	0.28	WD	M	-	30
KISJ1927+4447	0.1653077	0.69	0.39	WD	M3	CV	373,221
DODra	0.16537398	0.83	0.375	WD	-	CV	159
4Dra/CQDra	0.1656	0.58	0.27	WD	M4	CV/TRI	326
2331+290	0.1664914	0.44	≥ 0.34	WD	WD	-	241,30
1411+1028	0.16750990	0.36	0.38	WD	M3	-	304,279,467
J2342+0811	0.16788	0.42	≥ 0.26	WD	-	-	188
HS0922+1333	0.1683125	0.71	0.366	WD	M3	-	305
J192059+372220	0.168876	0.47	0.116	sdB	M	SsdB	368,193
HS2333+3927	0.17180057	0.46	0.26	sdB	M	-	144,411
J1112+1117	0.17248	0.176	0.75	WD	WD	S	158,22,118,28
SDSSJ0750+4943	0.17300847	0.94	0.460	WD	M2	-	305
NGC6337	0.1736133	0.56	0.35	WD	MS	-	140

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
MSPeg/GD245	0.1736660	0.49	0.19	WD	M	-	359,236,467
J0805-1058	0.173703	0.234	≥ 0.03	sdB	BD	SsdB	216
WD0837+185	0.175	0.798	≥ 0.024	WD	BD	-	62
GYCnc	0.175442399	0.881	0.394	WD	-	CV	250,467
Hen2-428	0.1758	0.88	0.88	WD	WD	-	397
WWCet	0.17580690	1.05	0.393	WD	M	CV	162,427,333
J1005+3550	0.17652	0.168	0.75	WD	WD	S	184,22,118,29
UGem	0.17690601911	1.20	0.42	WD	M6	CV	2,112,93,467
BPSCS22169-0001	0.1780	0.5	0.19	sdB	BD/MS	SsdB	90,127
J0751+0925	0.178319	0.47	≥ 0.34	sdB	WD	SsdB	216
BDPav	0.179301	1.15	0.73	WD	M	CV	333
J2349+3553	0.1813	0.386	≥ 0.742	WD	WD	-	47
TWVir/PG1142-041	0.182682	0.91	0.40	WD	M5	CV	376,333
SSAur	0.1828	1.045	0.39	WD	M	CV	376,333,137
J0818+3536	0.18315	0.165	0.76	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
SDSS1548+4057	0.18551774	0.65	0.18	WD	M6	-	303,467,151
SDSS1006+2337	0.185913107	0.82	0.37	WD	-	CV	250,467
CSSJ090119.2+114254	0.1866878	0.58	0.12	WD	M4	-	77
KonkolyJ064029.1+385652.2	0.187284394	0.567	0.177	sdO	M	-	84
SDSSJ2229+1853	0.1891844	0.76	0.460	WD	M3	-	305
SDSS1257+5428	0.18979154	0.15	1.06	WD	WD	-	244,35
J1443+1509	0.19053	0.201	1.00	WD	WD	S	28,118,22
J1840+6423	0.19130	0.182	0.86	WD	WD	S	28,158,118,22
HE1415-0309	0.192	0.47	≥ 0.366	sdB	WD	SsdB	136,193
DQHer	0.193620897	0.60	0.40	WD	M3	CV	167
IXVel	0.193929	0.80	0.52	WD	-	CV	49
UXUMa	0.196671278	0.78	0.47	WD	M	CV	443,285
PSRJ1141-6545	0.1976509593	1.02	1.27	WD	NS	-	14
HS1741+2133	0.20	0.47	≥ 0.389	sdB	WD	SsdB	194,193,216
BPM71214	0.20162	0.77	0.40	WD	M2	-	214,236
J2103-0027	0.20308	0.161	0.89	WD	WD	S	184,22,118,29
TAur	0.204378235	0.68	0.63	WD	K5	CV/TRI	25,85
J08233+11364	0.20707	0.47	≥ 0.44	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
V3885Sgr	0.2071607	0.70	0.475	WD	-	CV	227
J1138-0035/PG1136-003	0.207536	0.47	≥ 0.415	sdB	WD	SsdB	131,193
RXAnd	0.2098930	1.14	0.48	WD	K5	CV	376,333,399
EXDra	0.20993718	0.71	0.53	WD	M1	CV/Sq	374
2216+0102	0.21036	0.41	0.25	WD	M	-	279,467
0238-0005	0.21167	0.48	0.38	WD	M	-	279,467
HRDel	0.21416215	0.67	0.55	WD	-	CV	179,363
CZOri	0.214667	0.67	0.53	WD	-	CV	362
2M13054173+3037005	0.2165179	≥ 0.091	0.453	WD	MS	-	67
1625+6400	0.2182382	0.79	0.20	WD	M	-	279
HE0225-1912	0.22	0.545	0.23	WD	WD	-	281
2132+0031	0.22223	0.39	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
J1238+1946	0.22275	0.210	0.87	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
PG1432+159	0.22489	0.50	2.59	sdB	NS/BH	SsdB	261,127
1844+4120	0.22569	0.34	0.20	WD	M	-	279
1249+2626	0.22906	0.160	0.76	WD	-	S	22
RWTri	0.231883297	0.70	0.42	WD	-	CV	412
V347Pup	0.23193606	0.63	0.52	WD	M0	CV	416
VYScl	0.2323	1.22	0.43	WD	-	CV/TRI	253

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
J1625+3632	0.23238	0.210	0.09	WD	WD	S	183,29,118
SDSSJ1028+0931	0.235025762	0.42	≥ 0.34	WD	M3	-	304
NLTT11748/0345+1748	0.235060485	0.162	0.740	WD	WD	-	177,202,28
CXOGBSJ174444.7-260330	0.237089	0.8	0.6	WD	K5	CV	349
PG2345+318	0.2409458	0.50	≥ 0.38	sdB	WD	SsdB	261,127
J2046-0454	0.24311	0.47	≥ 0.34	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	131
1231-0310	0.24372	0.93	0.32	WD	M	-	279,151
J0822+2753	0.24400	0.191	0.93	WD	WD	S	182,22,118,28
RWSex	0.24507	0.99	0.75	WD	M0	CV	48,443
J1717+6757	0.246137	0.185	0.9	WD	WD	SM2	445
J1631+0605	0.24776	0.162	0.79	WD	WD	S	22
1348+1834	0.2484	0.59	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467
PG1329+159	0.249699	0.5	0.35	sdB	M	SsdB	257,127
1526+0543	0.25039	0.161	0.81	WD	-	S	22,28
J2132+0754	0.25056	0.187	1.07	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
J012022+395059/FBS0117+396	0.252013	0.47	≥ 0.075	sdB	M	SsdB	291
XYAri	0.25269664	≥ 0.91	0.62	WD	-	CV	145
J1654+3037/PG1652+307	0.25357	0.47	≥ 0.32	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	131
AHHer	0.258116	0.95	0.76	WD	K	CV	165
LMCom/PG1224+309	0.2586873	0.35	0.17	WD	M4	-	359,30,236,297,467
J1141+3850	0.25958	0.177	0.92	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
SDSS103736.57+013905.11	0.25976	0.49	0.089	WD	M7	-	353,143
2240-0935	0.26059	0.41	0.25	WD	M	-	279,467,151
AADor/LB3459	0.2615397363	0.4714	0.0788	sdB	M	-	197,205,152,31
PSRJ0751+1807	0.263144270792	≥ 0.12	1.26	WD	NS	-	287,54,286,76
SDSSJ0314-0111	0.2633	0.65	0.32	WD	M4	-	329
HE0532-4503	0.2656	0.48	3.00	sdB	NS/BH	SsdB	196,129,127
GALEXJ0321+4727	0.265856	0.47	≥ 0.13	sdB	MS	SsdB	204,193
HS1857+5144	0.2663331	0.61	0.41	WD	M	-	6,393
1731+6233	0.26803	0.34	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
TTCrt	0.2683522	1.1	0.65	WD	K5	CV/SM2	418
J0644+3344	0.26937431	0.73	0.58	WD	K8	CV	370,168
BFEri	0.270881	1.28	0.52	WD	K3	CV	288
SSCyg	0.27513	0.81	0.55	WD	K4	CV	41
J1630+2712	0.27646	0.170	0.80	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
HE2209-1444	0.276928	0.58	0.58	WD	WD	-	203
CPD-64481	0.27726315	0.47	0.62	sdB	WD	SsdB	117,90,127,216
1006+0044	0.28047	0.93	0.12	WD	M	-	279,151
CCCet/PG0308+096	0.284309	0.39	0.18	WD	M4	-	410,467
V426Oph	0.285314	0.9	0.7	WD	K3	CV	146
SDSSJ1136+0409	0.287400043	0.601	0.196	WD	M6	-	149
SDSSJ081321+452809	0.2890	1.1	0.63	WD	K5	CV/SM2	418
SDSSJ212531-010745	0.289823	0.56	0.33	WD	MS	-	357
ZCam	0.289841	0.99	0.70	WD	K7	CV	376,333
1449+1717	0.29075	0.171	0.83	WD	-	S	22
EMCyg	0.2909	1.00	0.77	WD	K3	CV	452
KBS13	0.2923	0.47	≥ 0.055	sdB	M	SsdB	108,117
ESO330-9	0.29592	0.40	0.36	sdB	MS	-	148
J10215+30101	0.2966	0.47	≥ 0.30	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
HS0218+3229	0.297229661	0.54	0.33	WD	K5	CV	347
V838Her	0.298	≥ 0.75	≥ 0.73	WD	-	CV	383
WD2020-425	0.30	0.813	0.54	WD	WD	-	283,281

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
ACCnc	0.30047747	0.76	0.77	WD	K2	CV/TRI	417,322
J0834+3049	0.30079	0.29	≥ 0.47	WD	-	-	188
RYSer	0.3009	0.7	0.6	WD	K5	CV/SM2	418
HS2043+0615	0.3015	0.47	≥ 0.18	sdB	MS	SsdB	136,193
RRCae	0.3037036340	0.440	0.183	WD	M4	-	266,313,236,467
1611+0103	0.30384	0.49	0.20	WD	M	-	279,151
J1005+0542	0.30560	0.388	0.91	WD	WD	S	184,118
0833+0702	0.3060	0.54	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
1300+1908	0.3080	1.09	0.32	WD	M	-	279
PG0941+280/HXLeo	0.311	0.47	0.42	sdB	WD	SsdB	136
PHL457	0.3128907	0.39	≥ 0.026	sdB	BD	SsdB	117,193,216,50
J0917+4638	0.31642	0.173	0.77	WD	WD	S	180,118,22
PG1114+224	0.3198	0.41	≥ 0.07	WD	WD	-	30
V363Aur	0.32124187	0.90	1.06	WD	G7	CV	417
HaTr7	0.3221246	0.53	≥ 0.14	sdB	MS	-	148
J0152+0749	0.32288	0.169	0.83	WD	WD	S	28,118,22
TWCrv/EC11575-1845	0.3276074	0.5	0.2	sdO	M	-	72,324
PG1528+104	0.331	0.48	≥ 0.127	sdB	WD	SsdB	71
V1309Ori	0.33261194	0.7	≥ 0.4	WD	K	CV	402
SDSS0110+1326	0.3326873	0.47	0.28	WD	M4	-	303,467
SDSSJ1724+5620	0.3330193	0.46	0.21	WD	M	-	329,467,151,356
BTMon	0.33381379	1.04	0.87	WD	G8	CV	366
SDSSJ1212-0123	0.33587093	0.439	0.273	WD	M4	-	314,303,467
PG1438-029	0.336	0.47	≥ 0.07	sdB	MS	SsdB	355,122,193
BPM6502/WD1042-690	0.3367849	0.46	0.14	WD	M5	-	214,213
J2205-3141	0.341543	0.47	≥ 0.11	sdB	M	SsdB	216
MUCen	0.342	1.2	0.99	WD	K	CV	113
CHUMa	0.3431843	1.38	0.6	WD	K5	CV/SM2	418
GKVir	0.344330832742	0.564	0.116	WD	M4	-	314,236,303,467
1105+3851	0.3448	0.71	0.38	WD	M	-	279
EC14329-1625	0.3500	0.62	0.38	WD	M3	-	420,467
KIC10544976	0.350468722	0.61	0.39	WD	M4	-	1
Feige36/PG1101+249	0.35386	0.50	1.67	sdB	WD/NS/BH	SsdB	261,127
PSRJ1738+0333	0.35479	0.181	1.47	WD	NS	-	11
KVVel	0.35711296	0.63	0.23	sdO	M	-	210,152,7,324
QZAur	0.35749703	0.98	0.93	WD	K0	CV/Sq	383,363
PTFEB11.441	0.35871	0.54	0.35	WD	M3	-	231
WD0453-295	0.36	0.399	0.44	WD	WD	-	281
EC12477-1738	0.362	0.61	0.38	WD	M3	-	420,467
PG1232-136	0.3630	0.48	≥ 6.00	sdB	BH	SsdB	90,129,127
DECVn	0.3641394	0.51	0.41	WD	M3	-	436,467
SDSSJ0848+2320	0.3717195	0.44	0.430	WD	M3	-	305
RUPeg	0.3746	1.06	0.96	WD	K5	CV	89
ATAra	0.37551	0.53	0.42	WD	K2	CV	44
Feige48	0.3760	0.519	0.27	sdB	WD	-	434,127,193
GD687/WD0107-342	0.37765	0.47	0.71	sdB	WD	SsdB	125,228
J1422+4352	0.37930	0.181	0.78	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
SYCnc	0.380	1.54	1.04	WD	-	CV	376,443
SDSS1047+0523	0.382	0.38	0.26	WD	M5	-	372,467,151
PTFEB28.235	0.3861	0.60	0.35	WD	M3	-	231
1143+0009	0.3864	0.60	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467
WD0028-474	0.3896	0.60	0.45	WD	WD	-	340,281

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
J1046-0153	0.39539	0.375	0.23	WD	WD	S	29,28,118
0949+0322	0.3955	0.51	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
V1405Ori	0.398	0.47	≥ 0.26	sdB	MS	SsdB	348,136
NGC6791B4/SDSSJ1921+3745	0.3984944	0.48	0.48	sdB	MS	SsdB/Sq	308
SDSSJ1316-0037	0.4027340	0.64	0.202	WD	M4	-	305
KPD1946+4340	0.40375026	0.47	0.59	sdB	WD	-	257,127,36
J1557+2823	0.40741	0.461	0.52	WD	WD	S	29,28,118
2M11463394+0055104	0.4087104	≥ 0.717	0.440	WD	MS	-	67
2114-0103	0.4106	0.70	0.38	WD	M	-	279,467
NYLup	0.411	≥ 0.5	0.6	WD	K2	CV	75
1617+1310	0.41124	0.172	0.85	WD	-	S	22
AEAqr	0.4116554800	0.63	0.37	WD	K0	CV	102,467
1523+4604	0.41382	0.78	0.15	WD	M	-	279,151
1608+0851	0.4140	0.98	0.20	WD	M	-	279,151
J09510+03475	0.4159	0.47	≥ 0.23	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
CW831419-09	0.4178	0.5	≥ 0.34	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,193
J1538+0252	0.41915	0.168	0.92	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
ZTFJ0038+2030	0.4319208	0.505	0.0593	WD	BD	-	437
WD1013-010	0.43653	0.32	≥ 0.62	WD	WD	-	284,281
J1439+1002	0.43741	0.181	0.79	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
HE0929-0424	0.4400	0.48	1.82	sdB	WD/NS/BH	SsdB	196,129,127
HE0230-4323	0.4430	0.48	0.30	sdB	M	SsdB	129,127,216
2120-0058	0.448975	0.64	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
PSRJ1757-5322	0.4533112382	0.667528	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	91,246
EYCyg	0.4593249	1.10	0.49	WD	K0	CV	98
PTFEB28.852	0.46152	0.49	0.35	WD	M3	-	231
GALEXJ2349+3844	0.462516	0.47	≥ 0.26	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	204,193
0837+6648	0.46329	0.181	0.77	WD	-	S	22
PTFS1515ay/J1503+1958	0.4642873	0.15	1.33	WD	A/F	-	439
UUSge	0.465069117	0.628	0.288	sdO	M	-	39,7
EC13349-3237	0.4695	0.46	0.50	WD	M1	-	420,467
V477Lyr	0.47172909	0.556	0.185	sdO	M	-	298,7,236,392
0807+0724	0.4772713	0.61	0.38	WD	M	-	279,151
KUV16256+4034	0.4776	0.48	≥ 0.101	sdB	WD	SsdB	71
BPSCS22879-149	0.478	0.47	≥ 0.18	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	136
UYPup	0.479269	0.69	0.65	WD	K4	CV/SM2	418
J0940+6304	0.48438	0.180	0.90	WD	WD	S	22
HE1318-2111	0.487502	0.47	≥ 0.13	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	381,193
J0022+0031	0.49135	0.457	0.28	WD	WD	S	183,29,118
PG1544+488	0.496	≥ 0.161	≥ 0.147	sdB	sdB	-	384
G1781A	0.497	0.35	0.25	WD	M	TRI	128,236
TYC6760-497-1	0.498688	0.6	1.23	WD	F8	-	317
J1726+2744/PG1724+278	0.50198	0.47	≥ 0.41	sdB	WD	SsdB	131,193
HE0410-1137	0.50867	0.51	0.39	WD	WD	-	340,281
VSge	0.514197	0.88	3.32	WD	MS	CV	361
PG1743+477	0.515561	0.5	≥ 1.00	sdB	NS/BH	SsdB	257,127
HE1414-0848	0.51781	0.55	0.71	WD	WD	-	282
RXJ2130.6+4710	0.521035625	0.554	0.555	WD	M4	-	258,303,467
V471Tau	0.5211833875	0.8778	0.9971	WD	K2	TRI	289,169,7,303,448
J0840+1527	0.52155	0.192	0.76	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
2M10243847+1624582	0.5258733	0.830	0.423	WD	MS	-	67
NGC6026	0.528086	0.57	0.57	sdB	WD	-	140

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	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
J0507+0348	0.528127	0.47	≥ 0.20	sdB	WD	SsdB	216
PG0001+275	0.529842	0.5	0.79	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,127
0301+0502	0.5391142	0.86	0.32	WD	M	-	279,139
PG1519+640	0.54029143	0.48	≥ 0.100	sdB	WD	SsdB	97,71
1429+5759	0.5452025	1.07	0.38	WD	M	-	279,467
J0755+4800	0.54627	0.409	1.17	WD	WD	S	29,118
J0802-0955	0.54687	0.198	0.82	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
J1104+0918/HS1102+0934	0.55319	0.454	0.69	WD	WD	S	29,28,118
HE1059-2735	0.555624	0.47	≥ 0.28	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	381,193
PTFS1615v/J1503+4603	0.5594054	0.13	1.39	WD	A/F	-	439
HZ9	0.56433	0.51	0.28	WD	M4	-	232,404,467
PTFS1613u/J1339+4550	0.5644902	0.27	1.52	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1616cr/J1623+2314	0.5649690	0.07	1.40	WD	A/F	-	439
J1157+0546	0.56500	0.186	0.61	WD	WD	S	29,28,118
Feige11/PG0101+039	0.5699079	0.50	0.72	sdB	WD	SsdB	261,257,127
PTFS1522cc/J2255+3421	0.5717853	0.26	1.40	WD	A/F	-	439
UXCVn	0.573704	0.45	0.51	sdB	WD	-	358,379,467
J1518+1354	0.57655	0.147	0.75	WD	WD	S	22
2311+2202	0.580100	1.23	0.38	WD	M	-	279
HFG1/V664Cas	0.5816475	0.57	1.09	sdB	G	-	360
1524+5040	0.58963196	0.70	0.38	WD	M	-	279,467,151
2151+1614	0.59152	0.181	0.79	WD	-	S	22
PG1026+002/UZSex	0.597257	0.65	0.22	WD	M4	-	410,57,467
PG1247+554	0.598655	0.5	≥ 0.087	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	262,193,216
EC20182-6534	0.598819	0.48	≥ 0.183	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
J1512+2615	0.59999	0.250	0.76	WD	WD	S	27,118,22
V841Oph	0.601304	≤ 1.3	0.9	WD	K3	CV	86,319
PG1725+252	0.601507	0.5	≥ 0.381	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
PSRJ1012+5307	0.604672713	0.16	1.64	WD	NS	-	433,66
HD188112	0.6065812	0.5	≥ 0.73	sdB	WD/NS/BH	SsdB	96,216
PTFS1512bf/J1241+0013	0.6074343	0.17	1.39	WD	A/F	-	439
Hen2-11	0.6093	0.67	0.7	WD	K	-	170
J1518+0658	0.60935	0.224	0.84	WD	WD	S	28,158,118,22
PTFS1608ab/J0804+0708	0.6101718	0.11	1.50	WD	A/F	-	439
PG1648+536	0.6109107	0.48	≥ 0.407	sdB	WD	SsdB	71
J19308+0530	0.61092	0.8	1.4	WD	F	CV	350
BVCen	0.611179	1.18	1.05	WD	G	CV	458
0756+6704	0.61781	0.182	0.96	WD	-	S	22
CIAql	0.6183634	1.00	2.32	WD	A/F	CV	365
PTFS1402de/J0219+2159	0.6189694	0.36	1.61	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1501bh/J0128+0405	0.6204144	0.12	1.30	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1612al/J1212+3633	0.6369260	0.16	1.38	WD	A/F	-	439
WD1210+140/PG1210+141	0.64194	0.334	≥ 0.46	WD	WD	-	284,30,281
2149-0717	0.64388	0.68	0.44	WD	M	-	279
SDSSJ2339-0020	0.65600	0.8	0.32	WD	M4	-	329,467
1558+2642	0.662567	1.06	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467
Case1/EGUMa	0.667651	0.64	0.42	WD	M4	-	219,57,467
WASPJ0247-25	0.6678295	0.186	1.356	WD	A	-	235,269
J1151+5858	0.66902	0.186	0.84	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
J15222-01301	0.67162	0.47	≥ 0.27	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
1718+6101	0.67313	0.53	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
VWPyx	0.68	0.6	≥ 0.74	WD	-	-	81

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	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
PTFS1615ag/J1500-1914	0.6806897	0.27	1.52	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1521cm/J2148+0304	0.6854774	0.21	1.49	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1622bt/J2257+3101	0.6884160	0.29	1.65	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1600aa/J0056+1309	0.6934558	0.50	1.67	WD	A/F	-	439
J0730+1703	0.69770	0.182	0.76	WD	WD	S	184,118,22,29
PSRJ1802-2124	0.698889243381	0.78	1.24	WD	NS	-	115
J2256+0656/PG2254+067	0.7004	0.47	≥ 0.40	sdB	WD	SsdB	131,193
EC22202-1834	0.70471	0.48	≥ 0.494	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
REJ2013+400	0.705517	0.48	0.22	WD	M3	-	446,236,213,467,356
WD1534+503/GD347	0.71129	0.392	0.617	WD	WD	-	186
PTFS1607v/J0753+8351	0.7198356	0.20	1.58	WD	A/F	-	439
WASP1628+10	0.7203633	0.135	1.36	WD	A2	-	238,270
SDSSJ0246+0041	0.72633	0.9	0.38	WD	M3	-	329,467,151
SDSS1414-0132	0.7283	0.67	0.26	WD	M5	-	372,467,151
PG1248+164	0.73232	0.5	0.27	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,127
JL82	0.73710	0.5	0.21	sdB	M	SsdB	90,127,216
WD2009+622	0.741226	0.61	0.1845	WD	M	-	259
PG0237+242	0.7417	0.40	≥ 0.25	WD	M	-	30
PG0849+319	0.74507	0.5	≥ 0.228	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193
J1505+1108/PG1502+113	0.74773	0.47	≥ 0.37	sdB	WD	SsdB	131,193
PTFS1622by/J2207+0854	0.7486683	0.31	1.69	WD	A/F	-	439
J0845+1624	0.75599	0.434	0.23	WD	WD	S	184,118
PTFS1622aa/J2256+3908	0.7661291	0.16	1.60	WD	A/F	-	439
WASP2328-39	0.7687015	0.2	0.8	WD	-	SWD	238
PTFS1607ab/J0759+1543	0.7730986	0.19	1.40	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1615u/J1530+2021	0.7777349	0.24	1.50	WD	A/F	-	439
REJ1016-053	0.789278	0.65	0.17	WD	M	-	446,236,467
WASP0843-11	0.792833	0.2	1.1	WD	-	SWD	238
WASP1323+43/ELCVn	0.795629	0.19	1.0	WD	A3	SWD	238
EQPsc	0.800826	0.38	≥ 0.11	sdB	M	-	50
EC02200-2338	0.8022	0.48	≥ 0.389	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
0308+5140	0.80590	0.149	0.75	WD	-	S	22
KPD2215+5037	0.809146	0.48	≥ 0.333	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
1705+2109	0.81529	0.52	0.25	WD	M	-	279,467,151
J0811+0225	0.82194	0.179	1.27	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
J1039+1645	0.82470	0.458	≥ 0.31	WD	WD	-	22
TonS183	0.8277	0.48	0.94	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,129,127
EC13332-1424	0.82794	0.48	≥ 0.441	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
PG1627+017	0.8292056	0.5	≥ 0.273	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,127
EC21556-5552	0.8340	0.48	≥ 0.234	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
V209omegaCen	0.83441907	0.144	0.945	sdB	-	-	206
HS1136+6646	0.83607	0.63	0.34	WD	K	-	377
PSRJ1911-5958	0.837113476	0.175	1.34	WD	NS	-	53
PG1230+052	0.837177	0.48	≥ 0.132	sdB	WD	SsdB	71
1437+5737	0.8389038	0.78	0.32	WD	M	-	279,151
WASP0845+53	0.844143	0.19	0.9	WD	A2	SWD	238
PTFS1607aa/J0712+2116	0.8463120	0.30	1.85	WD	A/F	-	439
PG1116+301	0.85621	0.5	0.48	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,127
PG1519+500	0.8603	0.42	≥ 0.14	WD	WD	-	30
HE0320-1917	0.86492	0.311	≥ 0.45	WD	WD	-	284,281
PTFS1607t/J0756+1621	0.8759507	0.16	1.40	WD	A/F	-	439
PG0918+029	0.87679	0.5	≥ 0.313	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193

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name(s)	period	mass ₁	mass ₂	type ₁	type ₂	flag(s)	reference(s)
	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
J0125+2017	0.88758	0.184	≥ 0.14	WD	WD	-	22
PTFS1601cl/J0148+3823	0.8917354	0.28	2.02	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1615ao/J1527+1907	0.8954515	0.41	1.64	WD	A/F	-	439
WASP1021-28	0.9008980	0.2	1.4	WD	-	SWD	238
EC12408-1427	0.90243	0.48	≥ 0.212	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
SDSSJ0225+0054	0.9210733	0.55	0.166	WD	M4	-	305
HE2135-3749	0.9240	0.48	0.41	sdB	WD	SsdB	196,129,193
PB5333	0.92560	0.47	≥ 0.07	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	97,124,193
KIC8087799	0.9262976	0.16	2.20	WD	A	-	464
WASP0346-21	0.9285752	0.2	1.2	WD	A4	SWD	238
1313+0237	0.9299650	0.67	0.32	WD	M	-	279,151
HS2359+1942	0.93261	0.47	≥ 0.47	sdB	WD	SsdB	136,193
J1241+0633	0.95912	0.199	0.80	WD	WD	S	22
PG1452+198	0.96498	0.48	≥ 0.366	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
J15082+49405	0.967164	0.47	≥ 0.39	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
2045-0509	0.9804800	0.49	0.38	WD	M	-	279,151
Abell65/PNG017.3-21.9	1.0037577	0.56	0.22	WD	M	-	147
LP400-22/WD2234+222/2236+2232	1.01016	0.186	0.77	WD	WD	S	181,28,29,22,118
PTFS1621ax/J2135+2333	1.0181522	0.30	1.69	WD	A/F	-	439
PSRB0655+64/PSRJ0700+6418	1.028669703	0.796588	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	174,246
PG1000+408	1.049343	0.48	≥ 0.250	sdB	WD	SsdB	245,71,193
1506-0120	1.050981	0.45	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467
J11324-06365	1.06	0.47	≥ 0.14	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
WASP0939-19	1.0731807	0.2	1.4	WD	-	SWD	238
J0815+2309	1.07357	0.200	0.80	WD	WD	S	29,118,22
PTFS1600ad/J0043+3815	1.0840448	0.23	1.76	WD	A/F	-	439
PTFS1723aj/J2310+3312	1.1088064	0.18	1.57	WD	A/F	-	439
PG0934+338	1.1142	0.38	≥ 0.50	WD	WD	-	30
1713+332/PG1713+333	1.12740	0.41	≥ 0.19	WD	WD	-	241,30
PTFS1613s/J1332+3528	1.1420695	0.17	1.83	WD	A/F	-	439
WD1428+373	1.15674	0.348	≥ 0.233	WD	WD	-	236,259
WD1022+050	1.157155	0.389	≥ 0.283	WD	WD	-	251,259
PTFS1619l/J1918+4853	1.1599993	0.17	1.56	WD	A/F	-	439
WASP2249-69	1.162553	0.2	1.4	WD	-	SWD	238
PTFS1521ct/J2133+2541	1.1724964	0.36	1.82	WD	A/F	-	439
KIC4169521	1.172555671	0.210	1.982	WD	A	-	110
J1731+0647	1.17334	0.47	≥ 0.39	sdB	WD	SsdB	216
PTFS1600y/J0040+4125	1.1838920	0.17	1.62	WD	A/F	-	439
HE1421-1206	1.188	0.48	0.27	sdB	MS	SsdB	129,127,193
PG2331+038	1.204964	0.48	≥ 0.452	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
HE1047-0436	1.213253	0.474	0.53	sdB	WD	SsdB	278,129,127
PTFS1601p/J0119+4359	1.2215885	0.14	1.82	WD	A/F	-	439
J2254-5515	1.22702	0.47	≥ 0.35	sdB	WD	SsdB	216
USco	1.2305522	1.55	0.88	WD	K	CV	415
PG0133+114	1.23787	0.5	≥ 0.38	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,257,127,193
PTFS1601q/J0133+4706	1.2515058	0.30	1.85	WD	A/F	-	439
EUVE0720-317/INCMa	1.262396	0.58	0.43	WD	M2	-	446,236,213,467
KIC9164561	1.2670378	0.213	2.31	WD	A	-	338,463
PG1512+244	1.26978	0.5	≥ 0.458	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,127,193
TYC4962-1205-1	1.2798	0.68	0.969	WD	G6	-	163
CW831735+22	1.280	0.5	≥ 0.53	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,127
PG0834+501	1.2849	0.40	≥ 0.22	WD	WD	-	30

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	[d]	[M _⊙]	[M _⊙]				
WASP2101-06	1.2908592	0.2	1.5	WD	A2	SWD	238
J01185-00254	1.30	0.47	≥ 0.22	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
HE2150-0238	1.3209	0.47	≥ 0.48	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	196,193
PG1036+086	1.3283	0.42	≥ 0.37	WD	WD	-	30
PSRJ1435-6100	1.354885217	1.079106	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	68,246
1519+3536	1.367	0.57	0.20	WD	M	-	279,467,151
KOI-256	1.3786548	0.592	0.51	WD	M3	-	274
WASP1009+20	1.39442	0.2	1.5	WD	-	SWD	238
WD0136+768	1.407221	0.47	0.37	WD	WD	-	251,256
WD1856+534	1.4079405	0.518	≤ 0.0132	WD	BD	-	442
1528+3443	1.411	0.56	0.32	WD	M	-	279,151
PTFS1615w/J1527+1204	1.4407151	0.24	1.61	WD	A/F	-	439
PSRJ2043+1711	1.48229078649	0.175	1.41	WD	NS	-	114
KPD2040+3955	1.482860	0.48	≥ 0.505	sdB	WD	SsdB	71
J0023-0029/PB5916	1.4876	0.47	≥ 0.40	sdB	WD	SsdB	131,193
Feige55/1202+608	1.49303	0.487	≥ 0.33	WD	WD	-	164,56
1439-0106	1.52261	0.81	0.47	WD	K	-	279,139
WASP1625-04	1.5263234	0.2	1.6	WD	A2	SWD	238
PSRJ1909-3744	1.533449474406	0.2067	1.47	WD	NS	-	331
HD49798/RXJ0648.0-4418	1.547671	1.50	1.28	sdO	WD	-	208,272
L870-2/WD0135-052	1.55578	0.47	0.52	WD	WD	-	388,58,256
J1130+0933	1.55935	0.179	≥ 0.19	WD	WD	-	22
WASP2047+04	1.563143	0.2	2.0	WD	-	SWD	238
1646+4223	1.595	0.53	0.25	WD	M	-	279,467,151
WD1204+450	1.602663	0.46	0.52	WD	WD	-	251,256
TYC1380-957-1	1.6127	0.75	1.181	WD	G2	-	163
KIC8262223	1.61301476	0.20	1.94	WD	A/F	-	123
PSRJ0337+1715	1.629401788	0.19751	1.4378	WD	NS	TRI	344,215
HD171858	1.63280	0.5	0.60	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,257,127
PG1403+316	1.73846	0.48	≥ 0.280	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
PG1716+426	1.77732	0.5	≥ 0.366	sdB	-	SsdB	257,127
PSRJ1618-4624	1.780433535	0.7044464	1.4	WD	NS	S/SM2	64
WASP1814+48	1.7994305	0.2	1.5	WD	-	SWD	238
KIC9285587	1.8119579	0.191	1.94	WD	A	-	110
WD0326-273	1.8754	0.364	≥ 0.96	WD	WD	-	284,281
WASP0131+28	1.882752	0.2	2.7	WD	-	SWD	238
HE0315-0118/SDSSJ0318-0107	1.9128	0.40	0.49	WD	WD	-	340,281
J13463+28172	1.96	0.47	≥ 0.49	sdB	WD	SsdB	193
GKPer	1.996803	≥ 0.87	≥ 0.48	WD	K	CV	271
0305-0749	2.01922	0.52	0.32	WD	M	-	279
PSRJ0218+4232	2.02884611561	0.21	1.6	WD	NS	-	52,76
PG1632+177	2.04987	0.392	0.526	WD	WD	-	186
PSRJ1439-5501	2.117942520	≥ 1.07	≤ 2.18	WD	NS	-	310
NGC188/II-91	2.15	0.47	≥ 0.094	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	121
J1128+1743	2.16489	0.183	≥ 0.11	WD	WD	-	22
WASP1429-24	2.173523	0.2	1.5	WD	F0	SWD	238
2M10552625+4729228	2.1866303	0.790	0.446	WD	MS	-	67
WASP0358-31	2.189309	0.2	1.7	WD	A3	SWD	238
WD1349+144	2.21	0.553	0.33	WD	WD	-	284,281
1623+6306	2.23177	1.00	0.32	WD	M	-	279
PG1300+279	2.25931	0.5	≥ 0.346	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193
V1224Cas	2.27537	0.19	2.16	WD	A3	-	456

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BEUMa/PG1155+492	2.2911658	0.70	0.36	sdO	M	-	111,7
KIC10989032	2.3050976	0.24	2.64	WD	A	-	464
KIC10727668	2.305897	0.266	2.22	WD	A	-	338
CPD-201123	2.3098	0.47	≥ 0.21	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	117,193
PTFS1617m/J1732+4036	2.3367776	0.18	1.80	WD	A/F	-	439
HD149382	2.391	0.47	0.011	sdB	BD	SsdB	120,216
0924+0024	2.404	0.52	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
PSRJ2222-0137	2.4457599929	1.05	1.20	WD	NS	-	187
PSRJ2317+1439	2.45933146519	0.39	3.4	WD	NS	-	114,87
TYC4700-815-1	2.4667	0.41	1.454	WD	G0	-	163
PG1538+269/Ton245	2.501	0.5	≥ 0.600	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193
2318-0935	2.53373	0.50	0.38	WD	M	-	279,467,151
V630Cas	2.56387	0.976	0.172	WD	K4	CV	294
KOI-1224	2.69802	0.22	1.59	WD	F	-	45
KIC2851474	2.7682925	0.210	2.34	WD	A	-	110
PNSp1	2.90611	0.56	0.67	sdB	MS	-	153
J1632+0759	2.9515	0.47	≥ 0.31	sdB	WD	SsdB	216
HD15144	2.997812	1.0	1.8	WD	A6	-	423
PG1253+284	3.01634	0.48	≥ 0.123	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
PTFS1700do/J0054+4111	3.0507582	0.81	2.40	WD	A/F	-	439
PSRJ1547-5709	3.077476982	0.20435198	1.4	WD	NS	S/SM2	64
SDSSJ1140+1542	3.11329	≥ 1.22	0.475	WD	M2	-	305
PSRJ1528-3146	3.180345754	1.154862	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	171,246
PG0958-073/GD108	3.18095	0.48	≥ 0.142	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,124,193
HE1511-0448	3.222	0.497	≥ 0.67	WD	WD	-	284,281
KOI-964/KIC10657664	3.273713	0.26	2.3	WD	A	-	73
1241-010	3.34741	0.40	≥ 0.42	WD	WD	-	241,30
PG1316+678	3.3803	0.86	0.31	WD	-	-	352
KIC10553698	3.387	0.47	≥ 0.42	sdB	WD	SsdB	295
PSRJ1157-5112	3.50738639	1.455620	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	91,246
PSRJ1537-5312	3.55014838	0.1339705	1.4	WD	NS	S/SM2	64
KPD0025+5402	3.5711	0.5	≥ 0.235	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
PB7352	3.62166	0.5	≥ 0.40	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	90,127
PTFS1617m/J1754+2300	3.7728999	0.14	1.68	WD	A/F	-	439
HD33959A	3.79	1.0	1.8	WD	A9	-	423
KOI-3818	3.8170428	0.220	2.14	WD	A	-	110
PG0934+186	4.051	0.48	≥ 0.430	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
TonS135	4.1228	0.5	≥ 0.26	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	90,193
Feige24	4.23160	0.57	0.39	WD	M2	-	213,236,467
1434+5335	4.356758	0.49	0.32	WD	M	-	279,467,151
KOI-7518/KIC12268220	4.421580	0.23	1.99	WD	A	-	65
EC20369-1804	4.5095	0.48	≥ 0.362	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
PSRJ0740+6620	4.7669446193	0.253	2.08	WD	NS	-	105
1317+453	4.87214	0.36	≥ 0.44	WD	WD	-	241,30
WD2032+188	5.0846	0.406	≥ 0.469	WD	WD	-	251,259
KOI-74	5.188675	0.228	2.2	WD	A1	-	441,34
J18324+63091	5.4	0.47	≥ 0.50	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
PG0839+399	5.622	0.5	≥ 0.226	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
PSRJ0437-4715	5.7410459	0.224	1.44	WD	NS	-	74,431,331
PG1244+113	5.75211	0.48	≥ 0.439	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
V1017Sgr	5.786038	1.1	0.6	WD	G	CV	389,363
CD-24731	5.85	0.5	≥ 0.55	sdB	WD	SsdB	90,127

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HE1115-0631	5.87	0.5	≥ 0.54	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	280,193
PG0907+123	6.11636	0.5	≥ 0.521	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
WD1824+040	6.26602	0.428	≥ 0.515	WD	WD	-	251,259
PG1032+406	6.7791	0.5	≥ 0.247	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
PSRJ2145-0750	6.83890250963	0.83	1.8	WD	NS	-	114,88
J09523+62581	6.98	0.47	≥ 0.58	sdB	WD	SsdB	193
HE1448-0510	7.1588	0.47	≥ 0.56	sdB	WD	SsdB	196,193
PG1439-013	7.2914	0.48	≥ 0.445	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
J03213+05384	7.4327	0.47	≥ 0.31	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	193
PHL861/WD0048-202	7.4436	0.47	≥ 0.47	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	196,193
PSRJ1022+1001	7.8051	0.87	1.6	WD	NS	-	88
SDSSJ1211-0249	7.818	0.52	0.41	WD	M2	-	351
PSRJ0621+1002	8.3186805	0.76	1.53	WD	NS	-	178
PG0940+068	8.330	0.5	≥ 0.63	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	262,193
PSRJ1614-2230	8.68661942171	0.493	1.928	WD	NS	-	114
Feige108	8.74651	0.47	≥ 0.46	sdB	WD	SsdB	97,193
EC20260-4757	8.952	0.48	≥ 0.589	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
FFAqr	9.208030	0.35	1.34	sdB	K0	Sq	447,216
PG1110+294	9.4152	0.5	≥ 0.633	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193
SDSSJ2221+0029	9.588	0.54	0.38	WD	M3	-	351
PSRJ1807-2500B	9.9566681588	1.2064	1.3655	WD	NS	-	226
KIC11558725	10.0545	0.48	≥ 0.63	sdB	WD	SsdB	422
PG1558-007	10.3495	0.48	≥ 0.412	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	71,193
LB1516/EC22590-4819	10.3598	0.47	≥ 0.48	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,136,193
PSRJ1918-0642	10.9131775801	0.219	1.18	WD	NS	-	114
PSRB1855+09/PSRJ1857+0943	12.327171382	0.258	1.57	WD	NS	-	212,432,287,331
PSRB2303+46/PSRJ2305+4707	12.33954454	1.37	1.16	WD	NS	-	413
PSRJ1454-5846	12.42306553	1.047552	1.35	WD	NS	S/SM2	68,246
CS1246	14.105	0.47	≥ 0.13	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	18,193
KIC7668647	14.1742	0.47	≥ 0.40	sdB	WD	SsdB	414
PSRJ1600-3053	14.3484577721	0.34	2.4	WD	NS	-	331
G203-47	14.7136	≥ 0.5	≥ 0.30	WD	M3	-	79
2M14544500+4626456	15.0957084	≥ 0.693	0.488	WD	MS	-	67
RRLYR-02792	15.24340	0.261	1.67	WD	NS	-	320
PG1619+522	15.3578	0.5	≥ 0.376	sdB	WD	SsdB	257,193
PG0919+273	15.5830	0.48	≥ 0.480	sdB	WD	SsdB	71,193
V651Mon/NGC2346	15.995	0.4	1.8	WD	A	-	264
PSRJ1741+1351	16.335347828	0.22	1.14	WD	NS	-	201
EGB5	16.537	0.47	≥ 0.14	sdB	WD/M	SsdB	135
HD185510/V1379Aql	20.66096	0.304	2.27	sdB	K0	-	175
IKPeg/HR8210	21.7217	1.15	1.7	WD	A	-	233,467
KOI-81	23.8776	0.3	2.71	WD	A0	-	441
PG0850+170	27.815	0.5	≥ 0.466	sdB	WD/MS	SsdB	257,193
PG1115+166	30.0873	0.690	≥ 0.52	WD	WD	-	239,281
PSRJ2234+0611	32.001401609	0.275	1.39	WD	NS	-	9
PSRJ2045+3633	32.29784447	0.873	1.251	WD	NS	-	242
Regulus/alfLeo	40.11	0.302	3.4	WD	A	-	119,341
S1040/NGC2682SAND1040	42.8	0.22	1.5	WD	G4	-	218
AYCet	56.80	0.55	2.09	WD	G	-	367
PSRJ1713+0747	67.82513826930	0.286	1.31	WD	NS	-	466
KOI-3278	88.18052	0.634	1.042	WD	G	-	176
PSRJ1903+0327	95.17411738	1.06	1.65	WD	NS	-	114

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NOTE— The full catalogue is available in the online version in machine readable format. It contains additional columns about the mass ranges, the mass ratio, the separation, the eccentricity, the inclination, the radii, the effective temperatures, the luminosities, the surface gravity and an age estimate if available.

Types: (WD) white dwarf, (sdB)/(sdO) sub dwarf B/O star, (BD) brown dwarf, (MS) main sequence star, (NS) neutron star, (BH) black hole, (BS) blue straggler, (-) unclassified, otherwise spectral type

Flags: (S) statistically inferred mass (most likely inclination), (MT) mass transfer, (CV) cataclysmic variable, (TRI) triple, (SsdB) assumed sdB mass, (Sq) assumed mass ratio, (SM2) assumed companion mass, (SWD) assumed WD mass, (-) best reliable candidates

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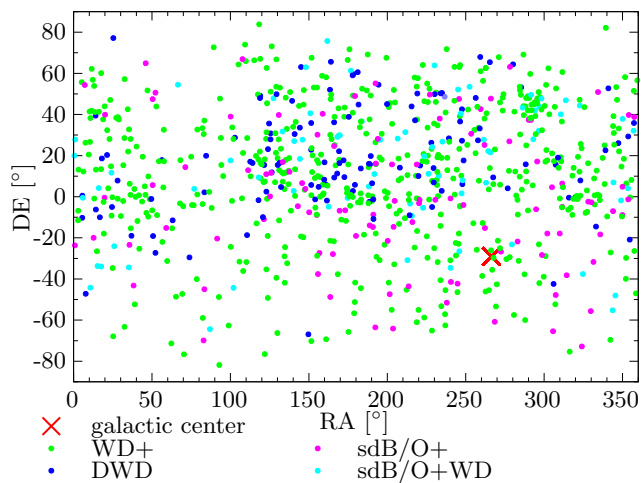


Figure 7. Positions of the catalogue members, in J2000 coordinates. The type of the system is colour coded. The red cross marks the position of the galactic centre.

B. ADDITIONAL FIGURES

The collection from many different observational campaigns result in a good sky coverage, see Fig. 7.

Figures 8 to 10 show again the basic parameter but for the three main classes of systems separately.

C. VERY CLOSE TRIPLES

Lidov-Kozai Resonance requires an inclination between the inner and outer orbital plane. To date, this is perhaps the most thoroughly-studied effect a tertiary can have.

For closer tertiaries, which are almost but not quite close enough to exchange matter with the inner binary, tertiary tidal effects can drive the inner binary into tighter orbits (Gao et al. 2018, 2020; Fuller et al. 2013). Even closer tertiaries can directly undergo RLOF, resulting in an even greater impact on the inner binary (Di Stefano 2019, 2020). For those tertiaries that lie yet even closer to their companion inner binaries, they themselves may be responsible for the CE, although whether or not the subsequent system can survive as a triple is questionable according to recent studies (Comerford & Izard 2020; Glanz & Perets 2021). However, as these processes were only recently brought to the attention of the astrophysical community, frantic efforts to make sense of them are still underway, and one should exercise caution when estimating the magnitude of their influence.

D. SUPERNOVA PROGENITOR SCENARIOS APPLICABLE TO THE SYSTEMS IN THIS CATALOGUE

Some of the tighter systems contained in this catalogue are likely to interact again within a Hubble time, which will, depending on the current structure of the system, lead to the formation of either stellar remnants

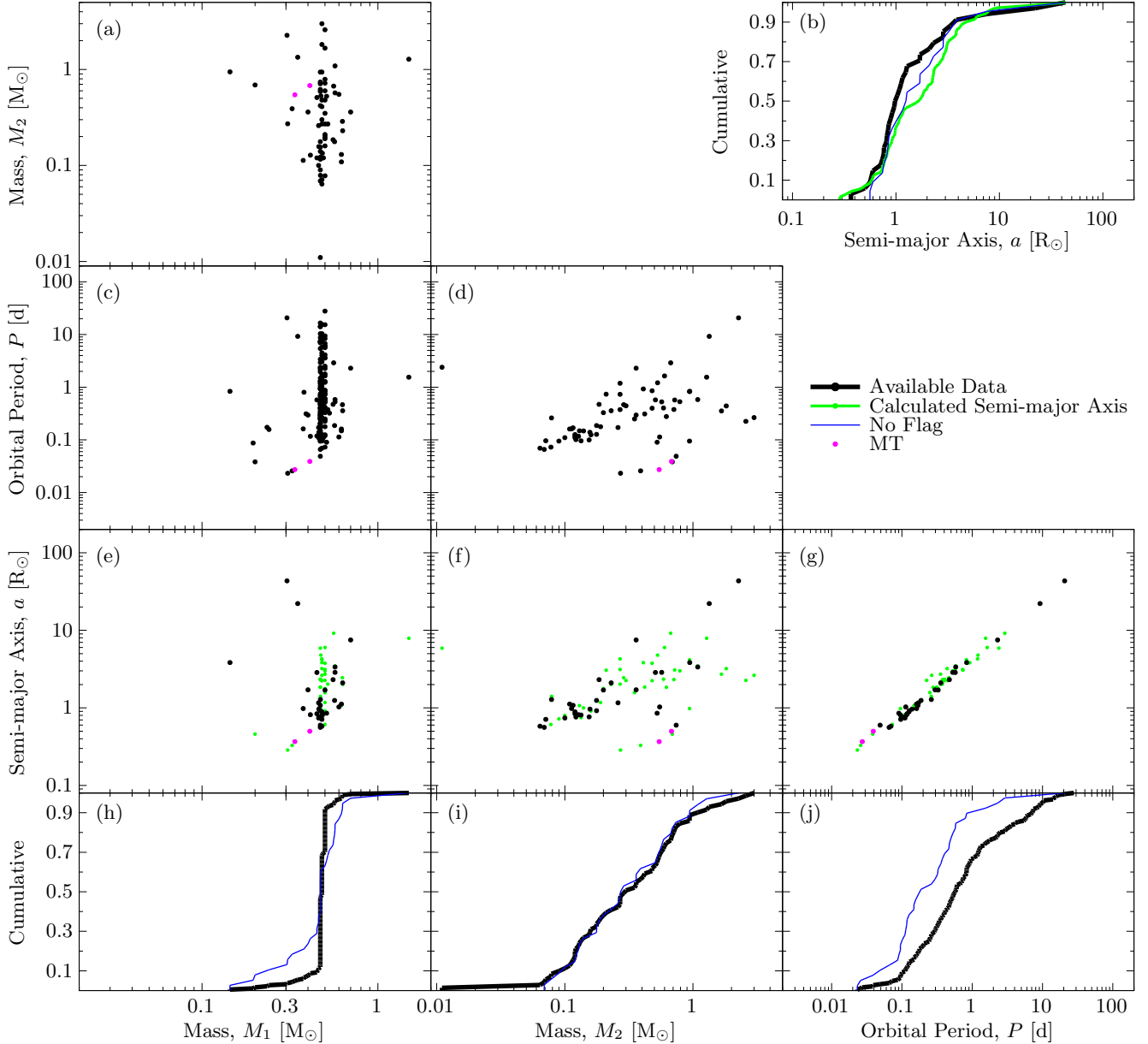


Figure 8. Similar to Fig. 1 but showing only systems with an sdB/O star, cf. second column in table 1. Additionally, the mass transferring systems are marked in purple.

of different sorts or transient events. This section is intended to provide a brief overview of the most important transients and remnants to be expected, though we encourage the user of this catalogue to analyse individual systems with regard to their most likely outcome.

Any conceivable SN mechanism applicable to the systems contained in this catalogue, due to none of the companions lying in a mass range subject to any SN mechanism accessible to single stars, must involve mass transfer or violent mergers of the companion stars. This results in either a thermonuclear supernova or (in ONeMg WDs) electron capture and collapse into a NS (accretion induced collapse). Progenitor scenarios for thermonu-

clear SNe are usually grouped, depending on the terminal state of the system, into single degenerate (see, e.g. the classical paper by [Whelan & Iben 1973](#), and newer sources below) and double degenerate channels (see e.g. classical papers by [Iben & Tutukov 1984](#); [Webbink 1984](#), and newer sources below), the former denoting involvement of one WD and one non-degenerate star, the latter suggesting involvement of two WDs. In the literature, total system masses both exceeding and falling short of the Chandrasekhar mass have been proposed as possible SN type Ia (and related) progenitors (see e.g. [Tutukov & Yungelson 1994](#); [Nomoto 1982a,b](#)). We refrain from making any predictions on the eventual outcome of our

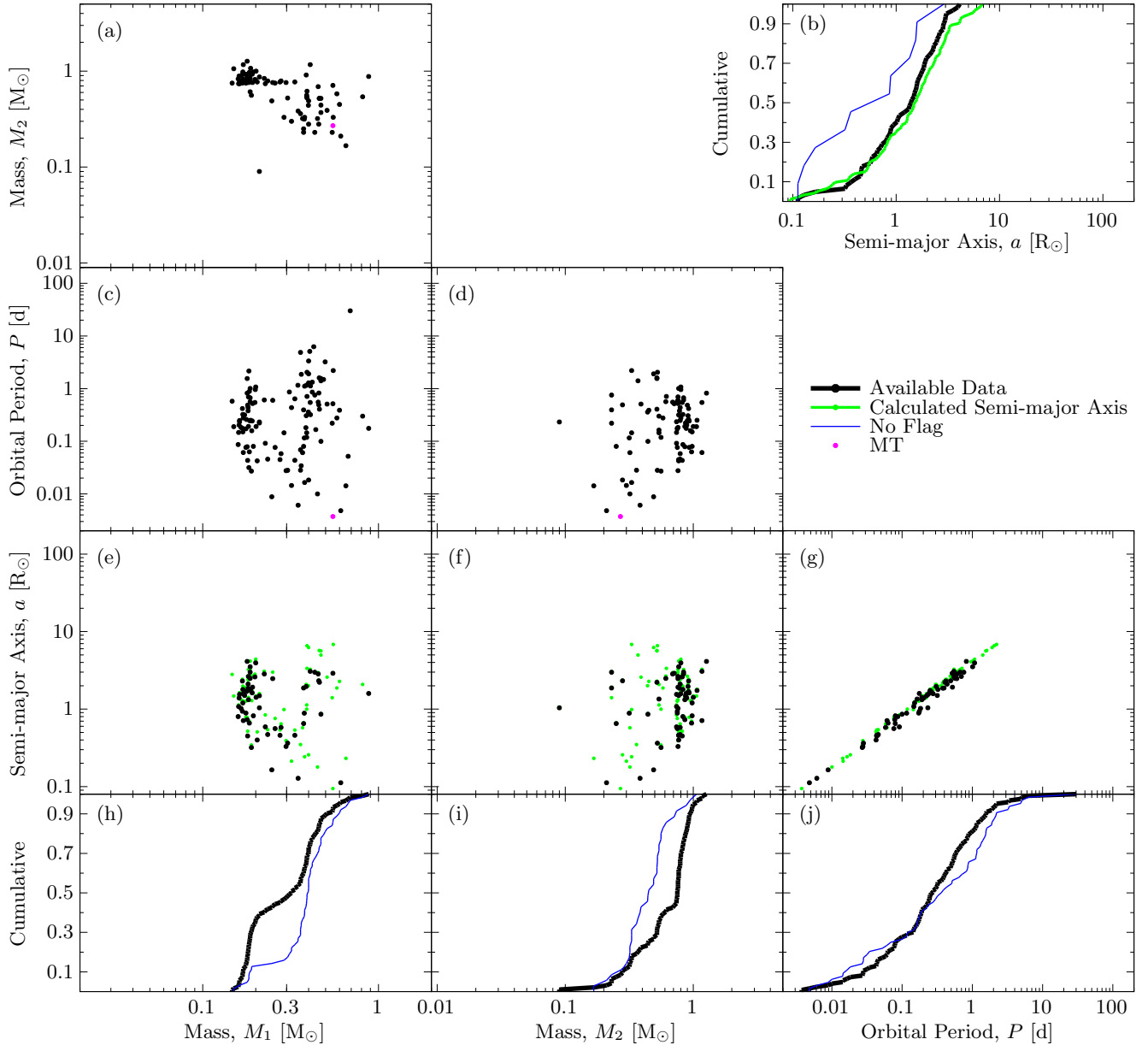


Figure 9. Similar to Fig. 1 but showing only double white dwarf systems, cf. third column in table 1. Additionally, the mass transferring systems are marked in purple.

systems, but instead give a short summary of possible progenitor channels.

Single degenerate hydrogen donor: In this scenario, the donor star is assumed to be either a hydrogen-rich main sequence star or an evolved star with a hydrogen rich envelope. This star then donates material to its companion WD. Unstable ignition of the accumulated material is associated with cataclysmic variable evolution. The hydrogen may also be processed through stable burning into helium, which may then ignite, triggering a secondary detonation in the WD’s CO core (this is known as the double detonation scenario)

or, when the WD approaches the Chandrasekhar mass, a detonation is triggered in the WD’s centre as the degenerate electron gas becomes unstable against further gravitational collapse (i.e. the classic mechanism according to Chandrasekhar) (see e.g. Hillebrandt & Niemeyer 2000; Ruiter 2020, the latter being a recent review).

Single degenerate helium donor: Alternatively, the non-degenerate component is a hydrogen depleted star. The physical radii of these stars are about one order of magnitude smaller than those of hydrogen rich stars of the same mass. In this case, the system is required to be much closer than in

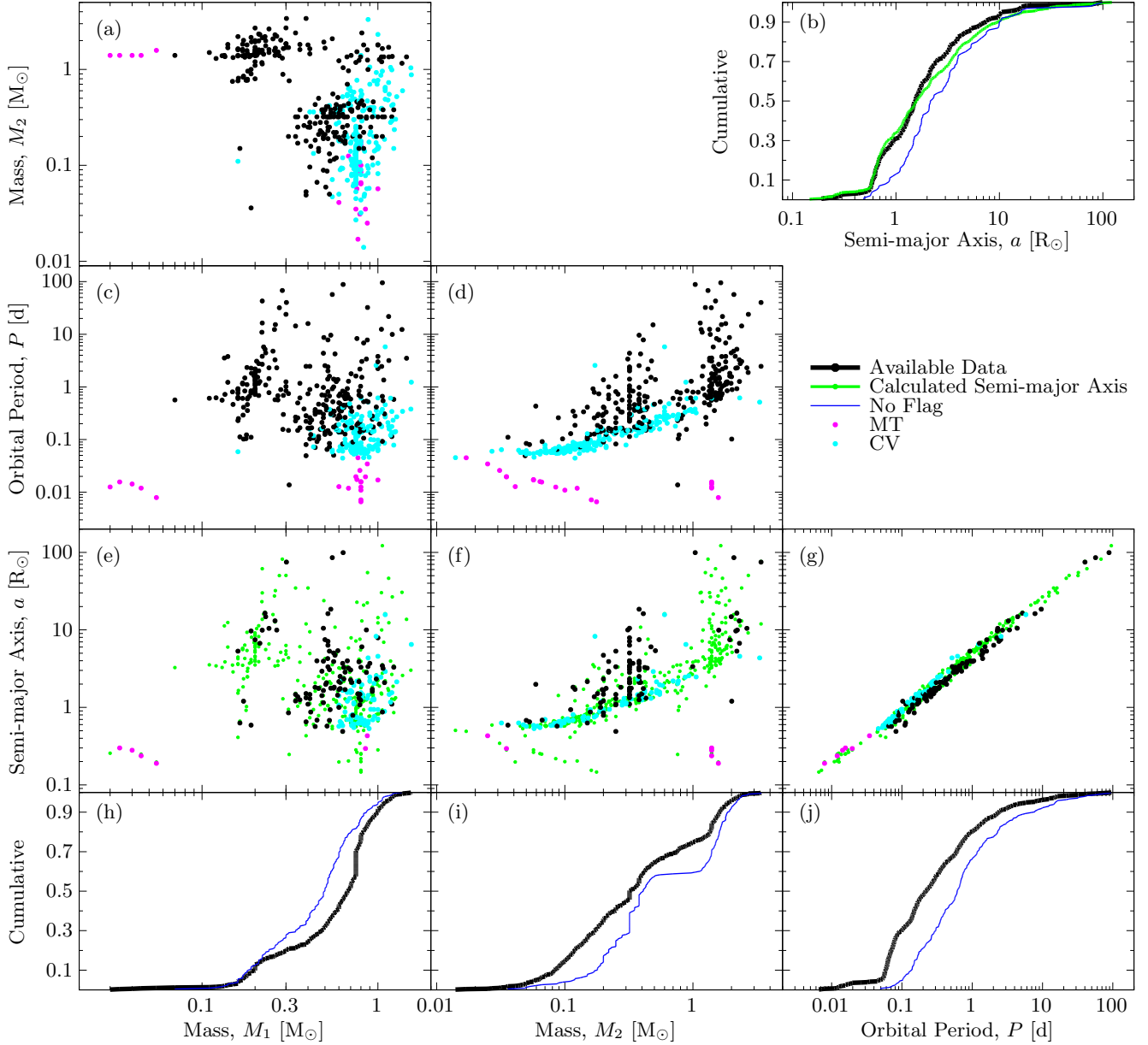


Figure 10. Similar to Fig. 1 but showing only WD systems with non WD companions, cf. fourth column in table 1. Additionally, the mass transferring systems are marked in purple and the systems showing observational features of CVs are marked in teal.

the hydrogen donor case, which is conducive to the argument that most SN progenitors of this type are necessarily post CE systems. At high mass transfer rates, the helium will either be processed stably into carbon and oxygen or undergo a sequence of unstable helium ignitions, resulting in successively more and more massive He novae, which may, if sufficient CO can be built up, result in a Chandrasekhar-like detonation. At low rates, the helium may be accumulated quiescently, building up until it ignites explosively, which may then trigger a secondary explosion of the CO core (Nomoto 1982a,b; Ruitter 2020; Woosley & Weaver

1994; Woosley & Kasen 2011; Neunteufel et al. 2016, 2017).

Double degenerate: Systems containing two WDs have been proposed as potential progenitors of thermonuclear SNe (Iben & Tutukov 1984; Webbink 1984; Pakmor et al. 2010; Fink et al. 2007, 2010; Sim et al. 2010; Kromer et al. 2010). Here, mass transfer is invariably initiated through the effects of GWR, with simulations predicting either merging of the two WDs, followed by a detonation (the ‘classical’ double degenerate mechanism) or dynamical ignition of the WD by the infalling matter stream. In the latter case, ignition may

have to be catalysed by the presence of an unburnt layer of helium, either previously accreted during a post-CE mass transfer phase (e.g. with the less massive donor in the state of an sdB star), or a remnant from other stages of stellar evolution prior to becoming a WD.