

Galactic Trajectories of Millisecond Pulsars

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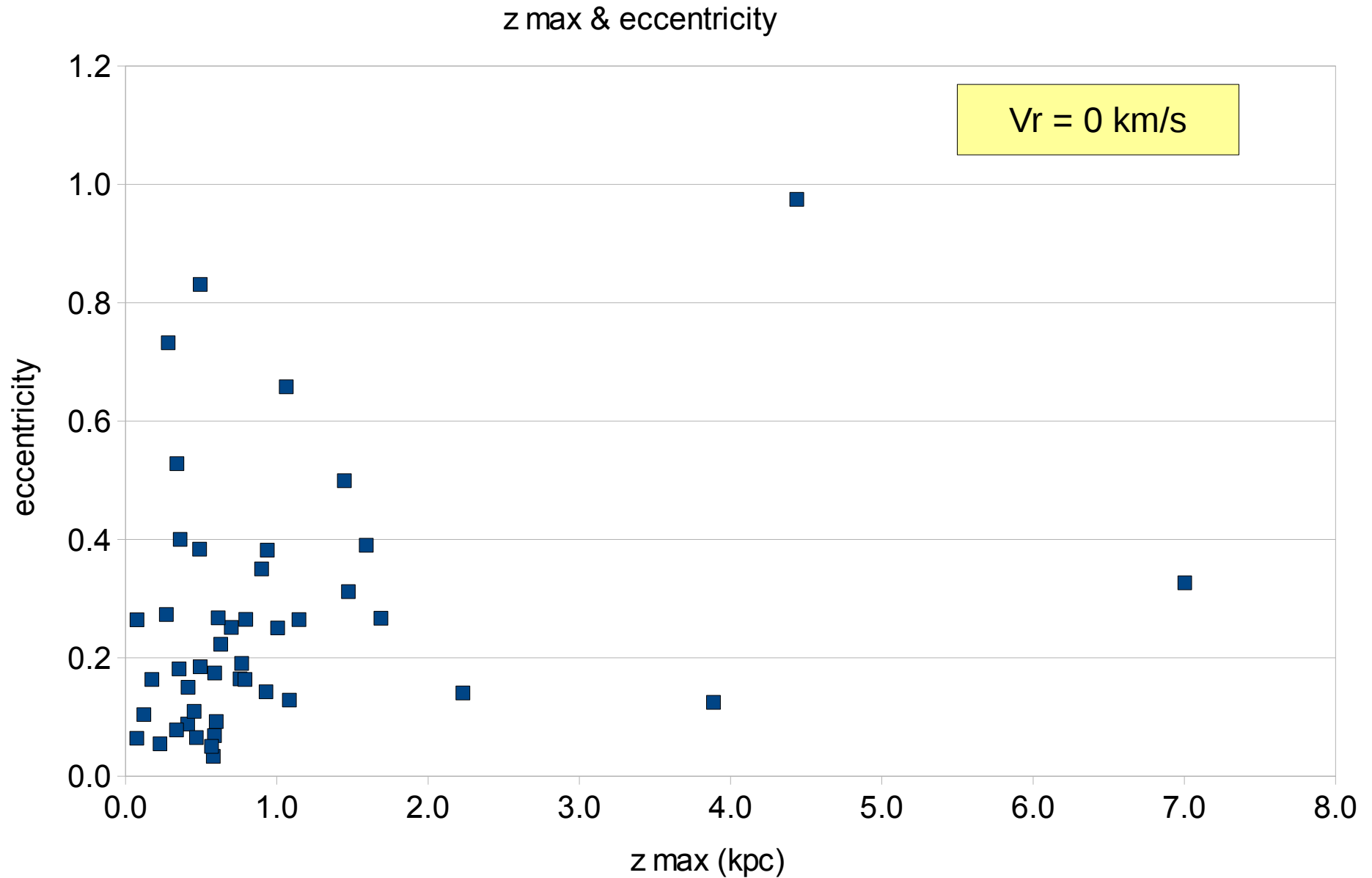
Data

- Data from ATNF pulsar catalog
 - Pulsar with $P < 100$ ms and $dP/dt < 10^{-14}$
 - Proper motion measured
 - Not in a globular cluster
- 47 pulsars

Method

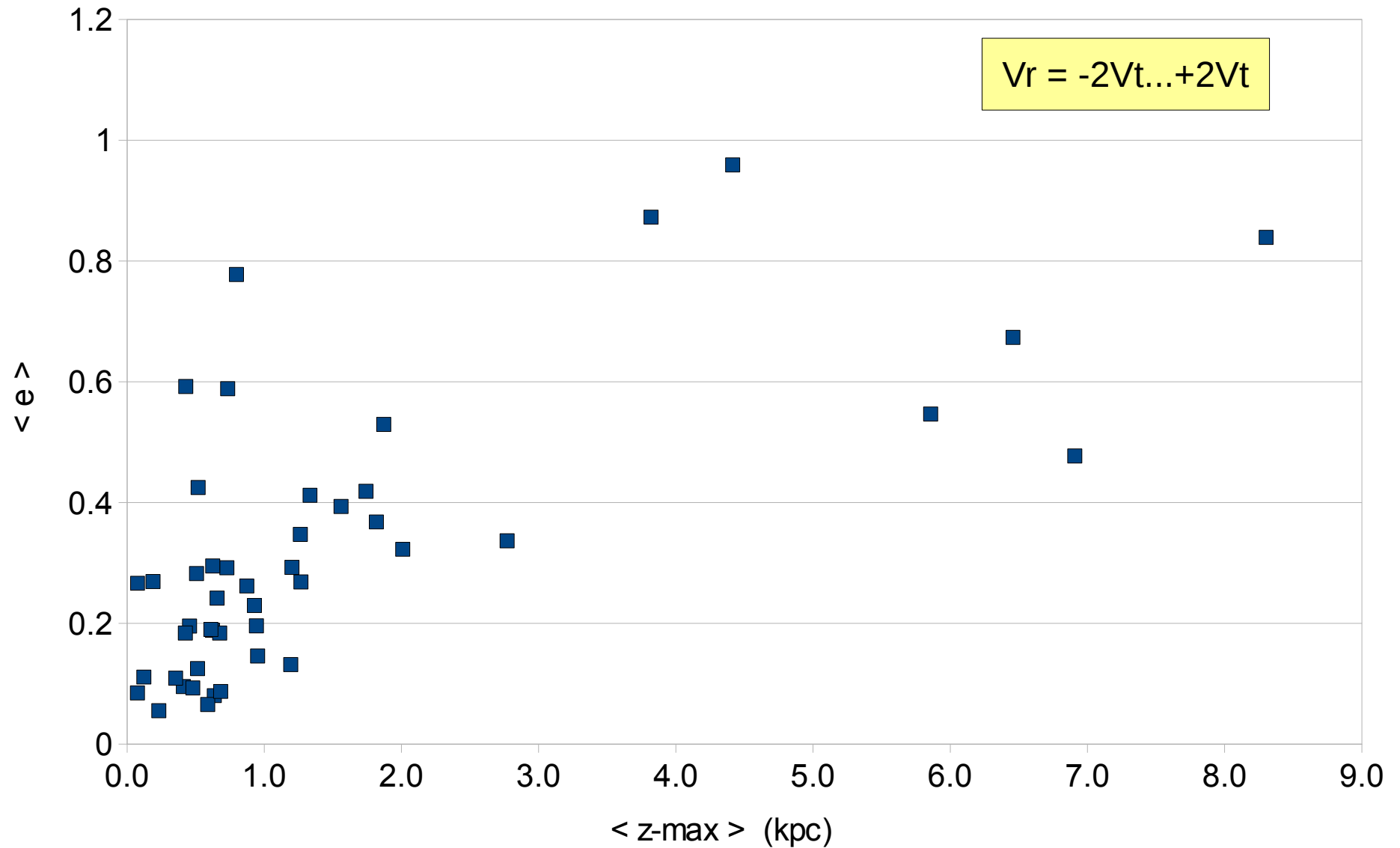
- Galactic potential of Kuijken and Gilmore (1989)
- 4th order Runge-Kutta method
- Analysis of orbits (extrema in R and Z, etc.)
 - Integration 1 Gyr back in time for $V_r = 0$ km/s
 - Integration 1 Gyr back in time for V_r range $[-2V_t, 2V_t]$

Maximum z and eccentricity



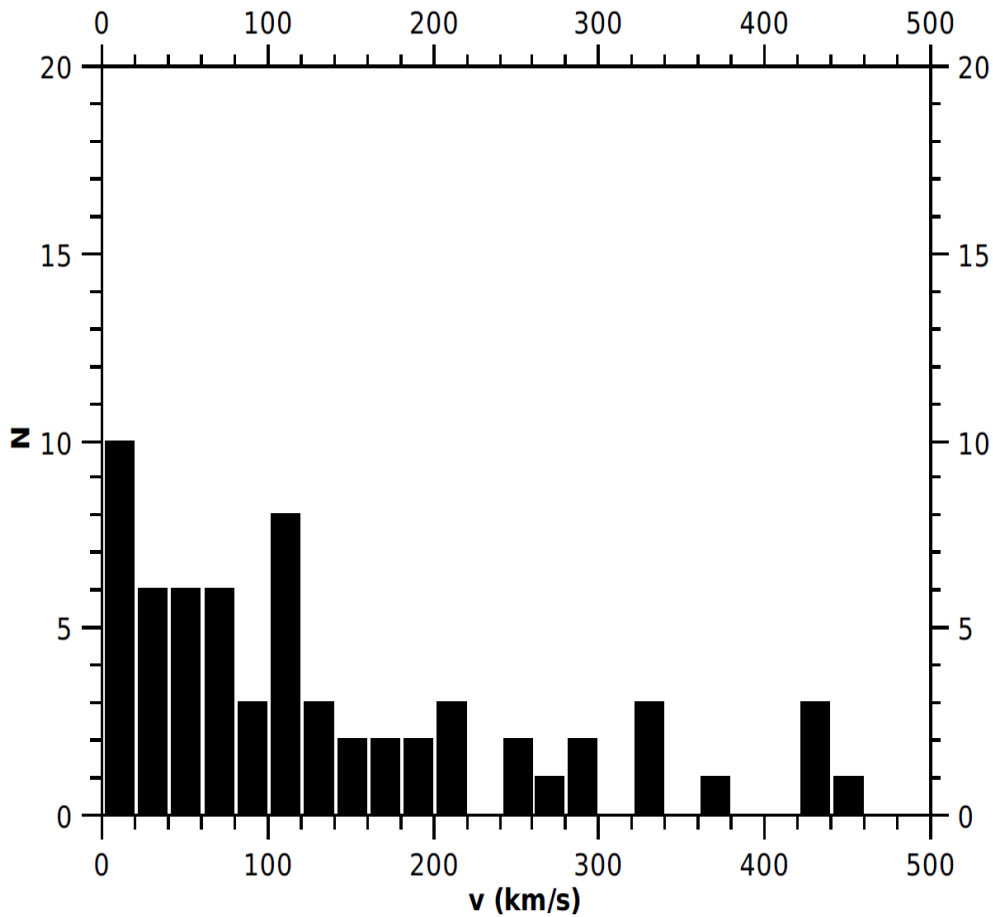
Averaged maximum z and eccentricity

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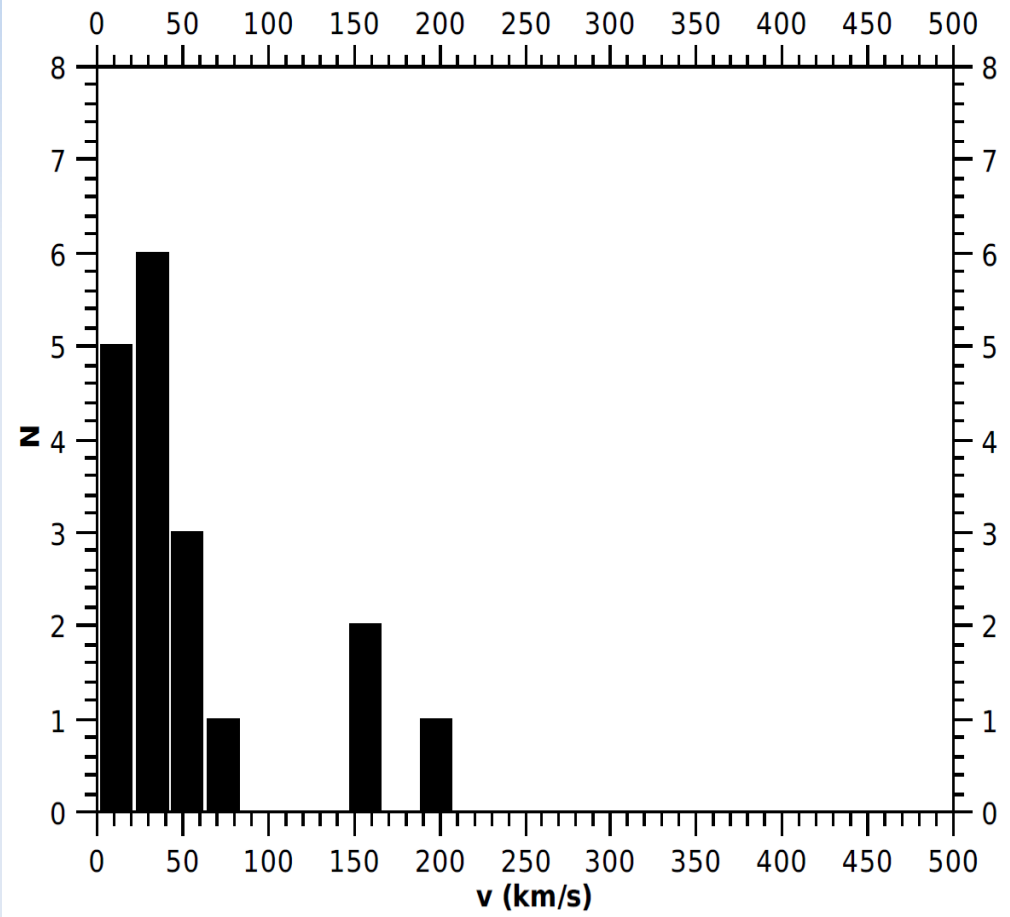


Comparison with all pulsars

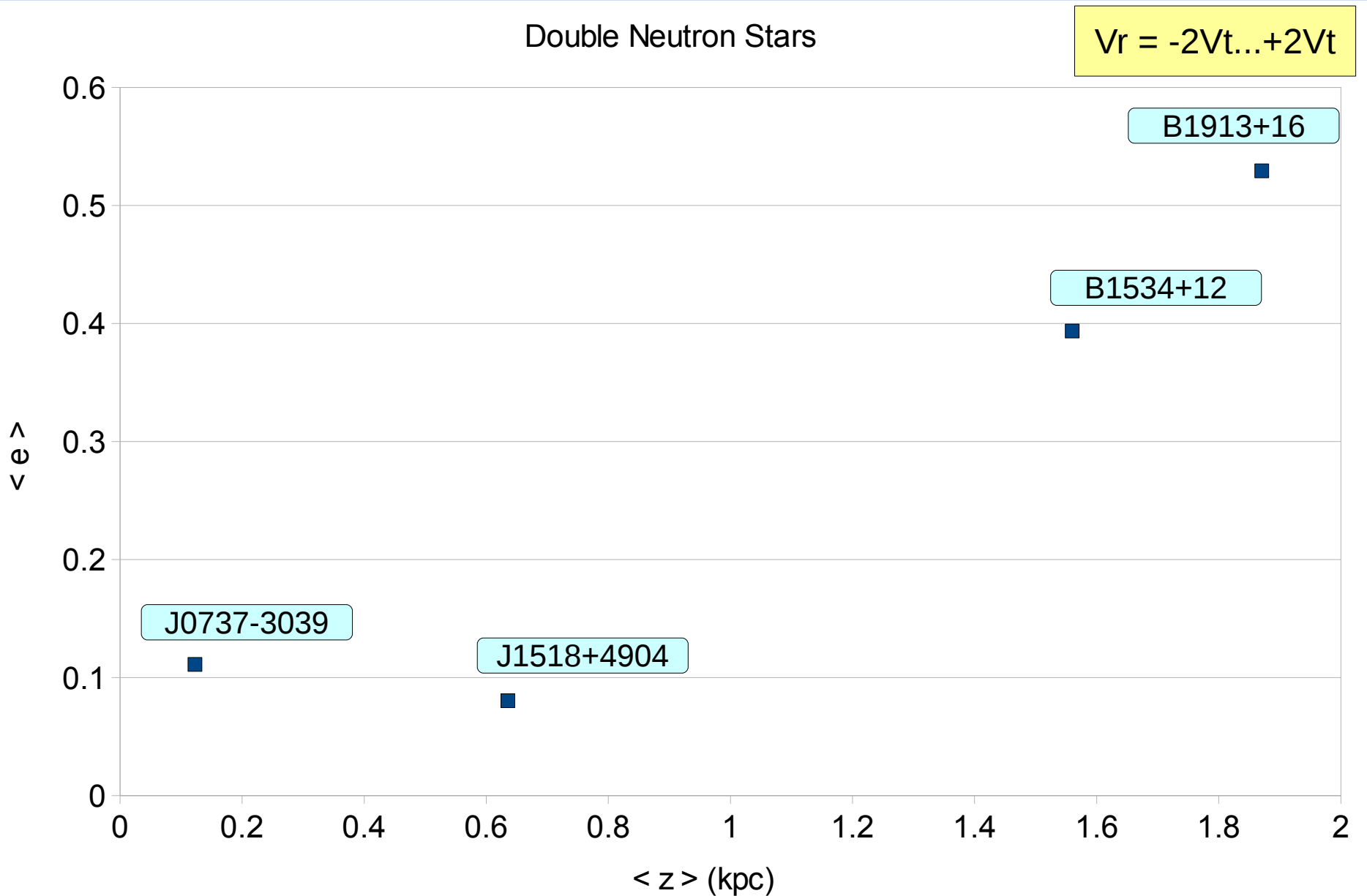
VB all Pulsars



VB MSP



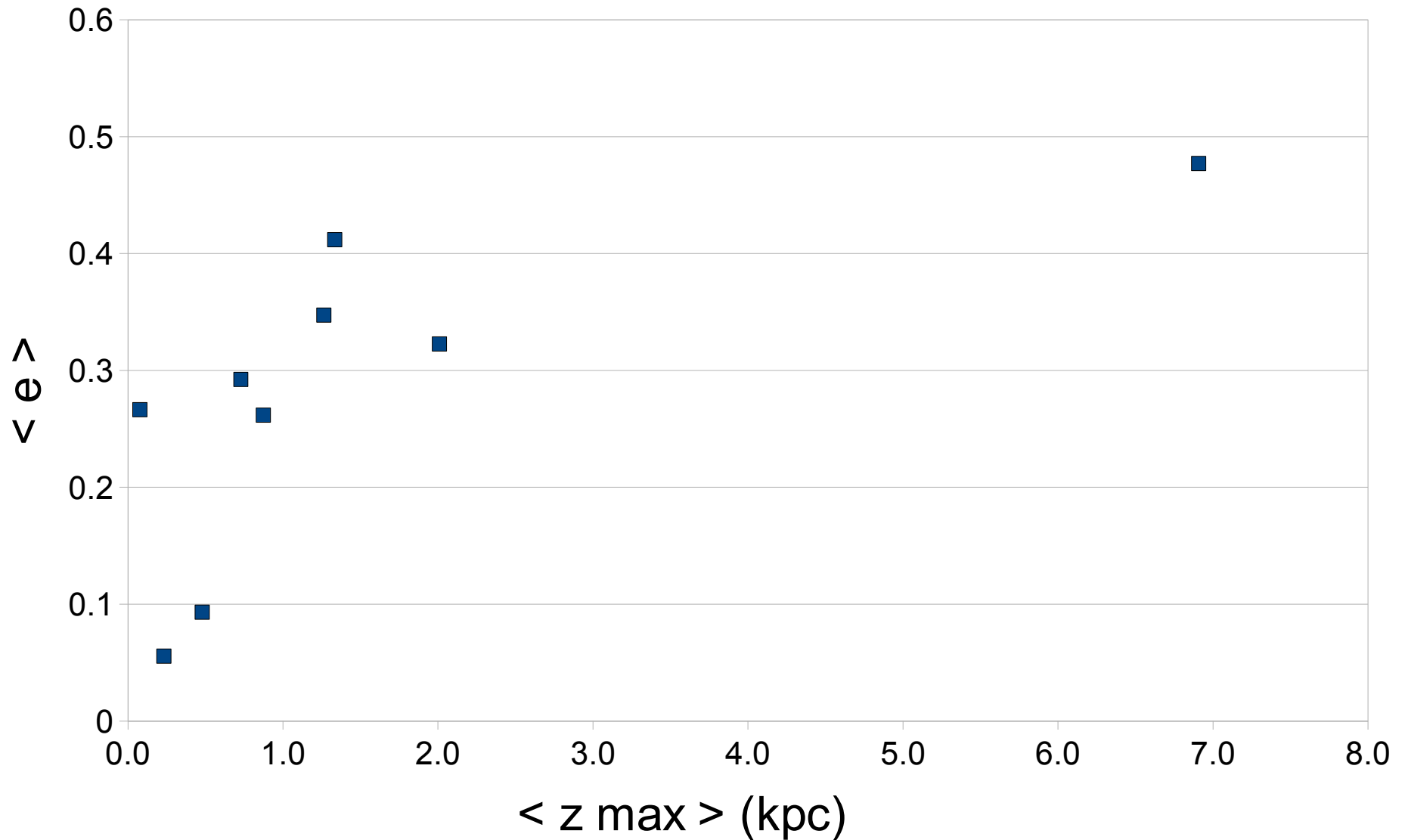
Double neutron star systems



Solitary MSPs - I

Solitary MSPs

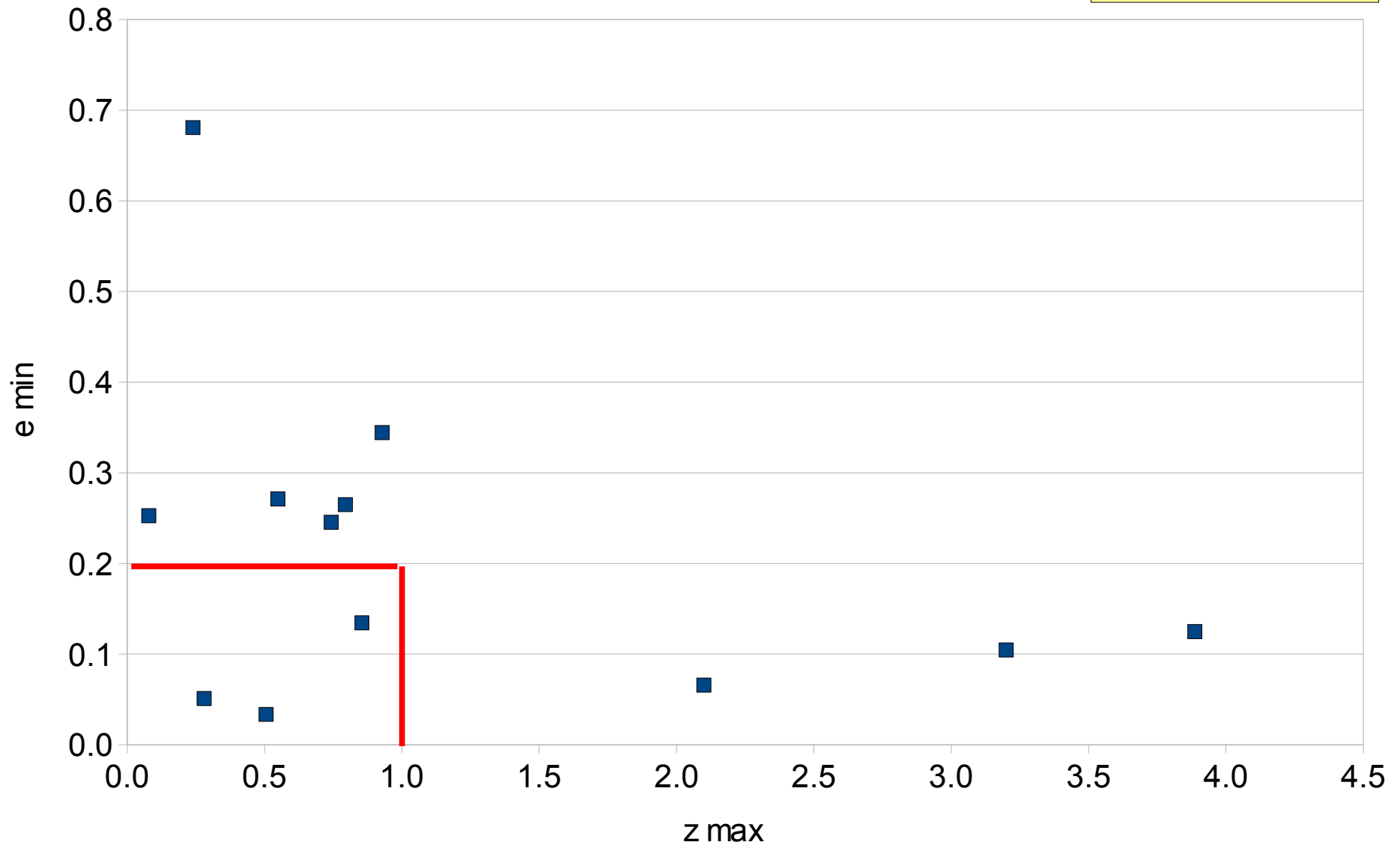
$$V_r = -2V_t \dots + 2V_t$$



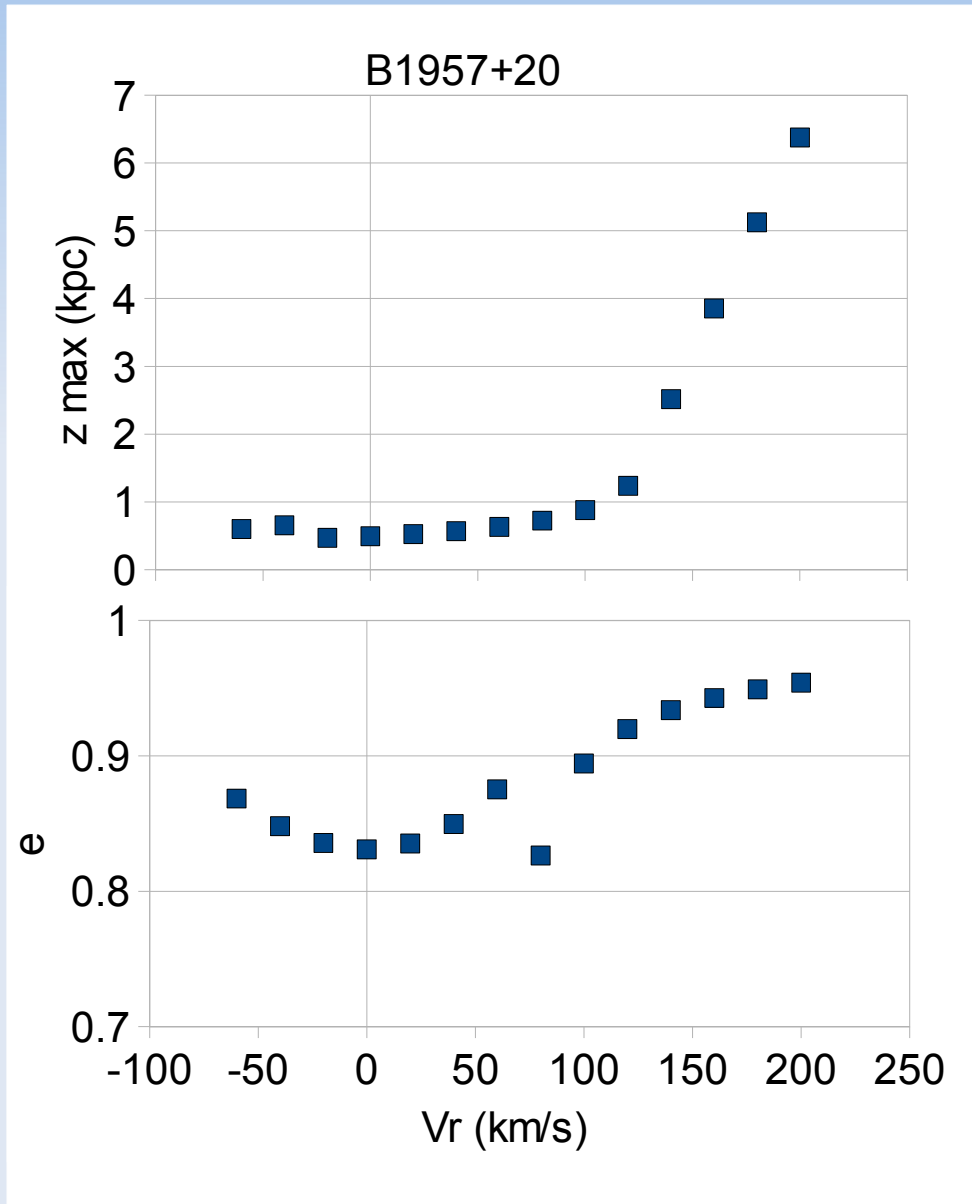
Solitary MSPs - II

Minimum eccentriciy orbbits

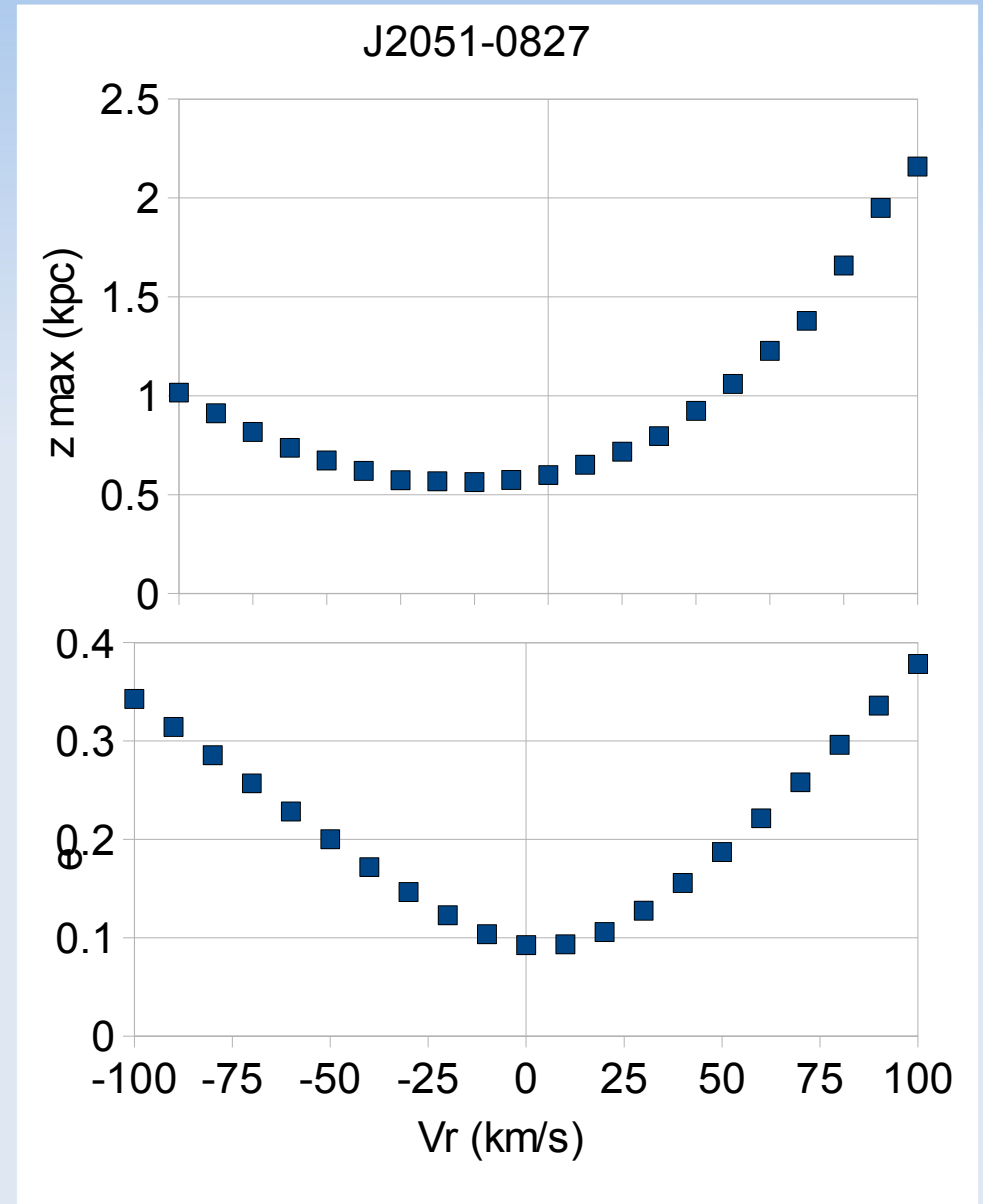
$$V_r = -2V_t \dots + 2V_t$$



Black widow pulsars



$V_t = 320$ km/s

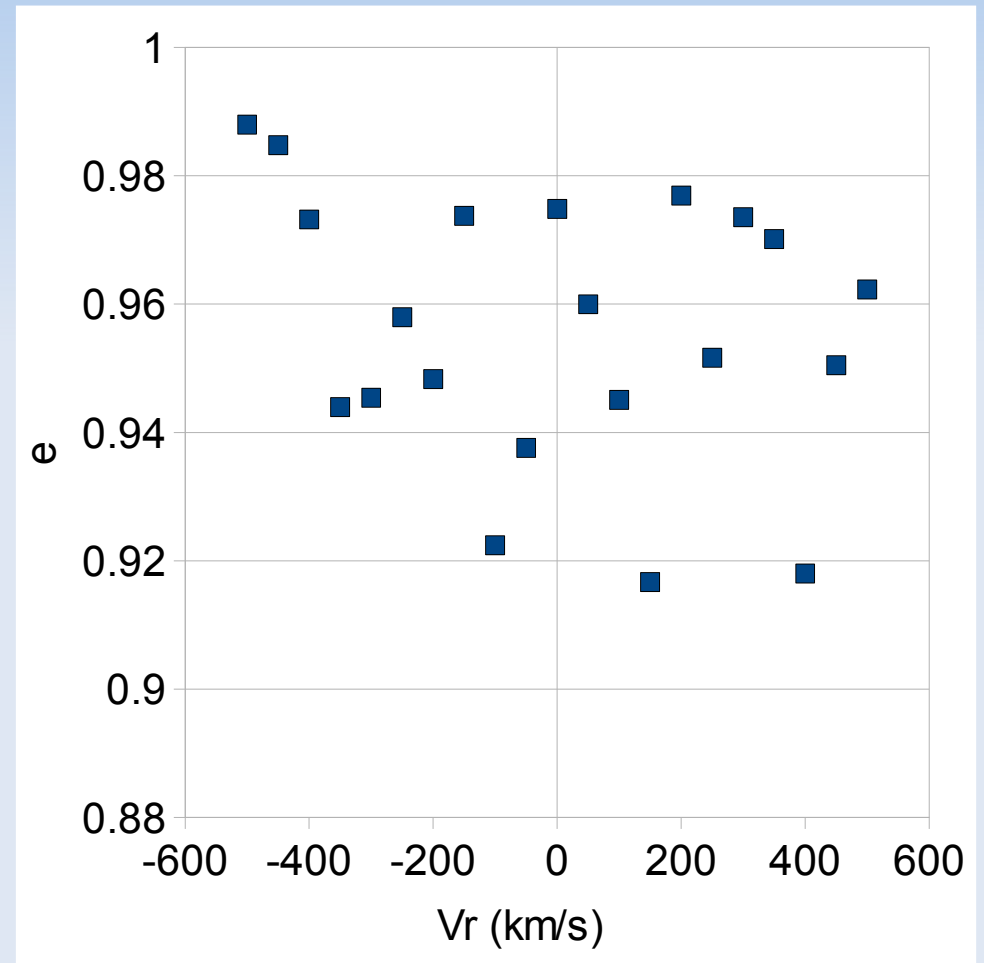
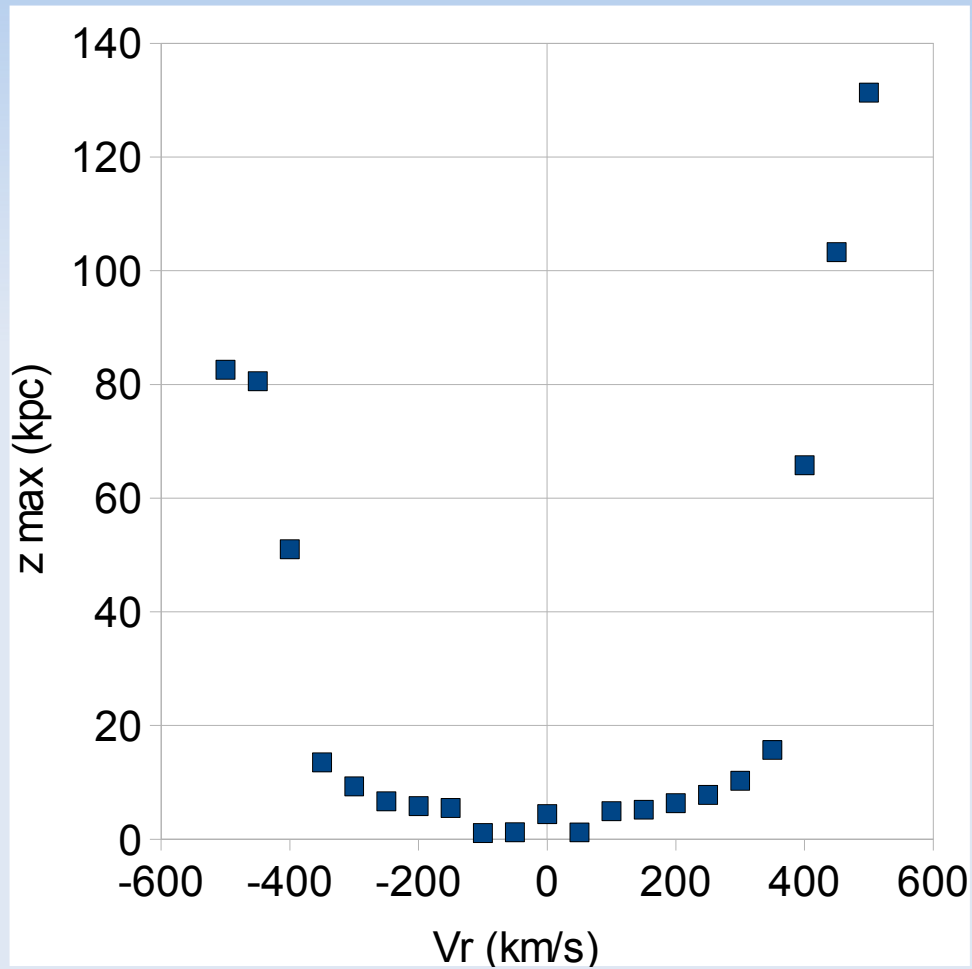


$V_t = 26$ km/s

PSR J1909-3744 - I

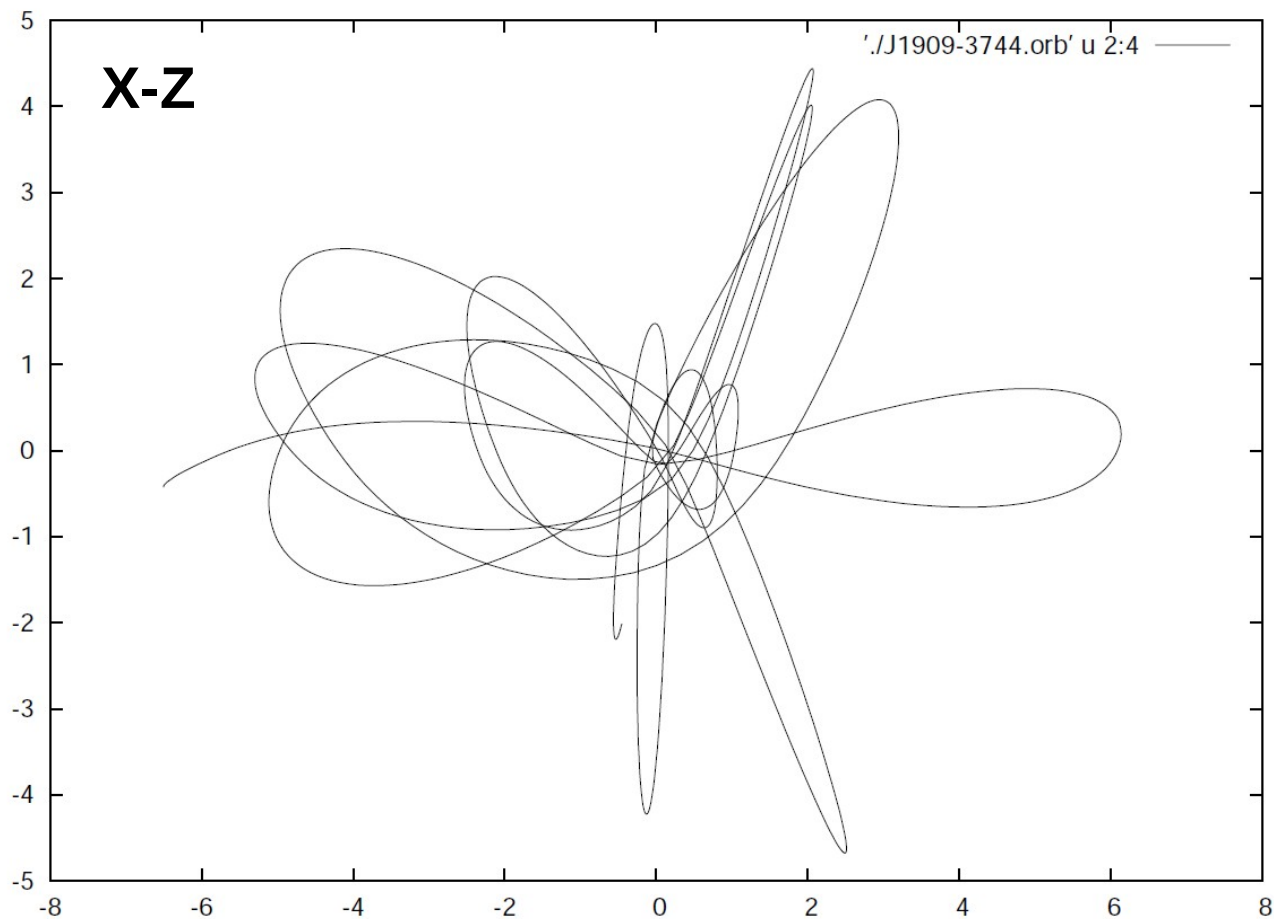
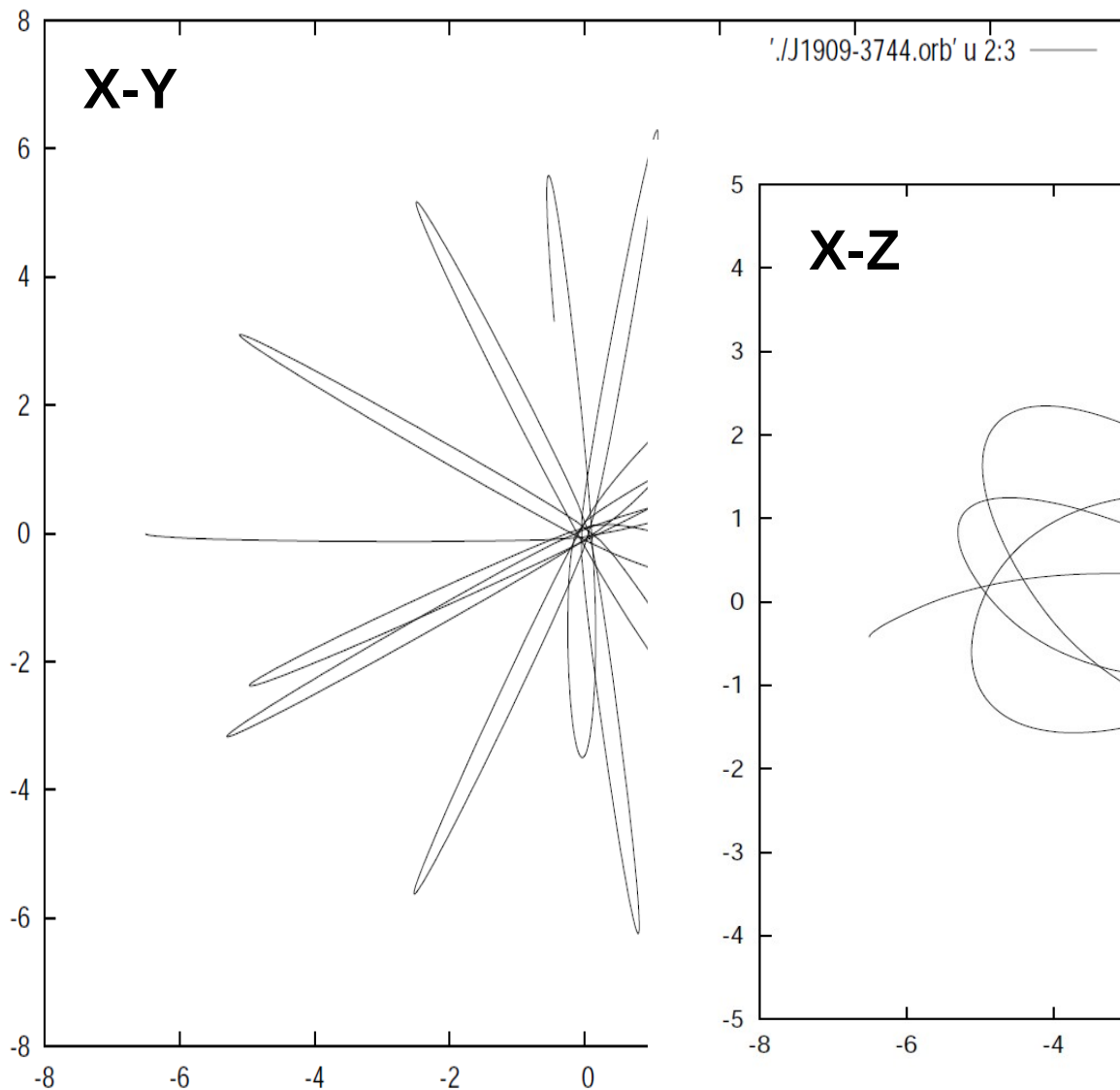
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B	-19.60	
F0	339.32	
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PMRA	-9.51	0.007
PMDEC	-35.859	0.019
PX	0.79	0.04
Dist	1.27	
PB	1.53	
VL	-222.56	
VB	-18.74	

PSR J1909-3744 - II



PSR J1909-3744 - III

$V_r = 0$ km/s



PSR J1909-3744 - IV

