

Evolution and diversity of solar-type stars dynamo

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## Cyclic activity and differential rotation

#### **Current Observations :**



- 11-years activity cycle
- Migration of structures toward equator
- Opposite hemisphere polarities
- Alternating dipole/quadrupole
- 22-years magnetic cycle

# A solid-body rotation of the radiative core, surrounded by a differentially rotating



#### Magnetic cycle in other stars





#### Sun in time: Rotation profile



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#### Rossby number : Rotation profile



## Dynamo Mechanism



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## Global 3D MHD turbulent dynamo



Brun et al (2002), Miesch et al (2008)

Brun et al (2022)

#### Parameter space

The Rossby parameters space is spanned with 4 bins in rotation and 4 bins in mass

$$Ro_{\rm f} \propto rac{M_*^{1.63 \pm 0.24}}{\Omega_*^{0.9 \pm 0.06}}$$



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#### Magnetic field scalings : Bulk field vs. Surface field



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Brun et al. (2022)

- Solar magnetic flux ~10<sup>24</sup> Mx Schrijver & Harvey (1994)
- Possible change of behavior for anti-solar models at high Rossby ?



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## For **anti-solar DR** the dynamo becomes **stationnary** once **α is leaving the tachocline** (*ie*. the radial shear)





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- The anti-solar regime is mainly unknown:

   majoritary of stationary dynamos, however magnetic cycles can be produced in specific models (Noraz+22)





## PLATO WP-123400 differential rotation and dynamo

→ Need observational constraints, we are looking for them, stay tuned! Noraz et al (submitted) Q. Noraz - SF2A 2022 - PNST



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## Thank you for your attention!

