

## Homework Assignment 1

ASTR4201, Fall 2020

Corresponds to Chapter 1 of "To Build a Star" (TBS) by E.F. Brown

1. TBS exercise 1.1 Team: 1 Lead: Britt
2. TBS exercise 1.2 Team: 2 Lead: Sam
3. TBS exercise 1.3 Team: 4 Lead: Jacob
4. TBS exercise 1.4 Team: 3 Lead: Ryan
5. TBS exercise 1.5 Team: 1 Lead: Anthony
6. TBS exercise 1.6 Team: 2 Lead: Michael  
*Hint: Recall the quotient rule*

7. TBS exercise 1.7 Team: 3 Lead: Harshil
8. *See below* Team: 2 Lead: Quinn

Suppose we have a K-type star that is 100 times more luminous than the sun. Given that the sun has a surface temperature of 5780K and a radius of  $6.957 \times 10^8$ m, what is the radius of our K-type star?

9. TBS exercise 1.8 Team: 3 Lead: Joshua
10. *See below* Team: 4,5 Lead: Gula, Justin

Calculate B-V for the sun. Compare to the known value of 0.66.

*Hint: Assume the Flux in a band will correspond to the peak flux across the Full-width at half-maximum. Note that Vega is defined to have B-V=0.*

11. TBS exercise 1.9 Team: 1 Lead: Gavin
12. *See below* Team: 5 Lead: Robert

The trend for B-V versus spectral type is shown below. Why does B-V hardly change after ~20,000K?

