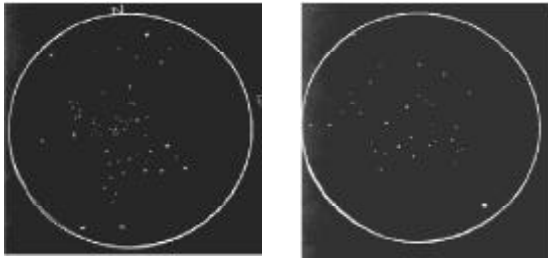


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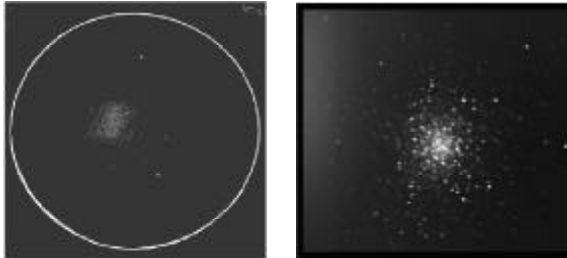
## Open Clusters:

Loose collections of up to 100 stars



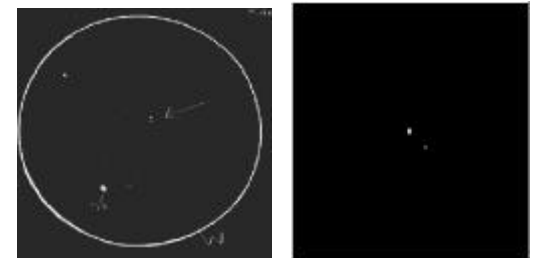
## Globular Clusters:

Up to 1,000,000 stars swarming together



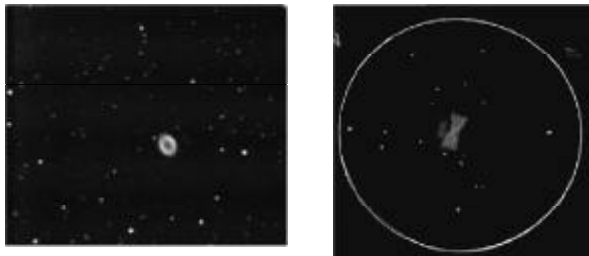
## Double Stars:

Actual binaries or coincidental positions



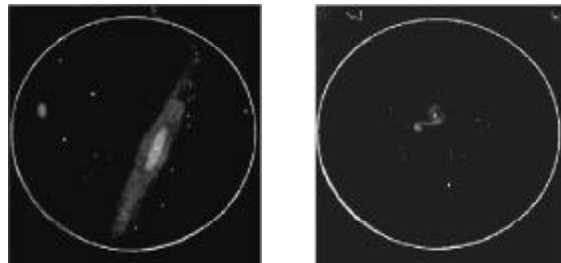
## Planetary Nebulae:

Old stars that have blown-off their outer shells



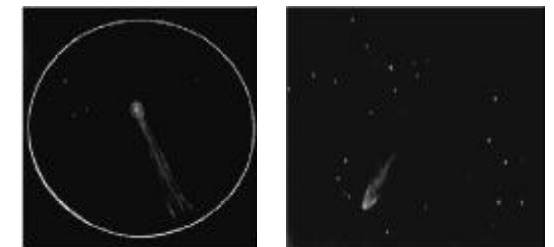
## Galaxies:

Billions of stars like our own Milky Way



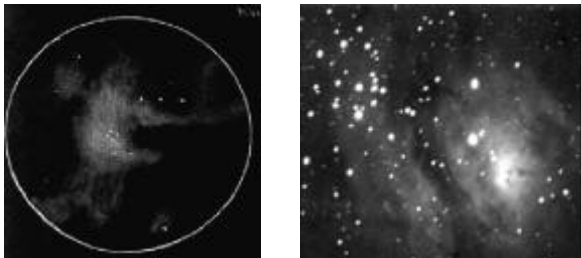
## Comets:

“Dirty snowballs” emitting gasses and dust



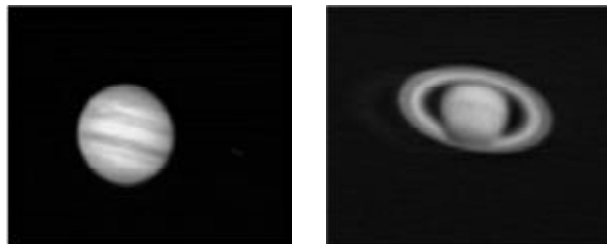
## Diffuse Nebulae:

Gas clouds condensing into new stars



## Planets:

Large spherical bodies like Earth, orbiting the Sun



## Meteors:

Small rocks, grains of sanding burning-up in Earth's atmosphere



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