

distance catalogs

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I am compiling a list of distance estimates of deep sky objects, just for my own purposes. I want to annotate my observing notes with distances and perhaps draw schematic charts in the future.

I show what I've found valuable below. I need help in locating:

(1) Distances of emission nebulae (apart from planetaries) and reflection nebulae. The Cederblad catalog (<http://cdsweb.u-strasbg.fr/viz-bin/Cat?VII/231>) is supposed to have distances but it dates from 1946.

(2) Better yet, if anyone else maintains an online consolidated catalog of distances, I wouldn't have to do this. This site: <http://galaxymap.org/> has some interesting features. It's downloadable database has clusters, molecular clouds, HII regions and individual stars.

Here are the sources I'm using so far:

Open clusters:

<http://www.astro.iag.usp.br/~wilton/>
http://www.univie.ac.at/webda/dist_list.html

Globular clusters:

<http://physwww.physics.mcmaster.ca/%7Eharris/mwgc.dat>

Planetary nebulae:

<http://vizier.u-strasbg.fr/viz-bin/Cat?V/84>
<http://cdsweb.u-strasbg.fr/viz-bin/Cat?J/MNRAS/353/589>

Dust clouds:

<http://vizier.u-strasbg.fr/viz-bin/Cat?J/A%2bA/383/631>

Galaxies:

<http://ned.ipac.caltech.edu/level5/NED1D/>

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