

# The velocity field of the outer Galaxy in the Southern Hemisphere.

## I. Catalogue of nebulous objects

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**Summary.** — We outline a multifrequency program to measure the velocity field of the outer Galaxy in the Southern Hemisphere ( $230^\circ \leq l \leq 305^\circ$ ). This paper, the first in a series, presents a catalogue of HII regions and reflection nebulae used as a basis for the study. Most of the entries are previously uncatalogued ; the emphasis is on small objects likely to be very distant from the sun.

**Key words :** HII regions — reflection nebulae — galactic structure — rotation curve.

### 1. Introduction.

In the past decade there has been considerable interest in the velocity structure of the outer Galaxy. A number of studies using HII regions have shown that the mean rotation curve of the outer Galaxy rises out to at least 18 kpc from the Galactic Center (Jackson *et al.*, 1979 ; Blitz, 1979 ; Blitz *et al.*, 1982 ; Chini and Wink, 1984). Studies of the outer Galaxy using planetary nebulae (Schneider and Terzian, 1983) confirm the rise determined from the HII regions. Most of the data are, however, from Northern Hemisphere observations, and it is not yet known to what degree the rise is truly global. Furthermore, all outer Galaxy rotation curves are derived under the assumption of an azimuthally symmetric velocity field, yet the HI distribution beyond the solar circle shows a remarkable lack of bilateral symmetry. The extent of the HI disk in the south is much larger than in the north, while the warp is more pronounced in the north (see e.g. Henderson *et al.*, 1982). This lopsidedness, also observed in a number of external galaxies (Baldwin *et al.*, 1980), may be the result of a true asymmetry in the spatial distribution, a reflection of velocity asymmetries, or a combination of both. To determine the nature of the asymmetry requires an independent measurement of the Southern Hemisphere velocity field in the outer Galaxy which does not presently exist.

This is the first paper in a series in which we seek to make an independent determination of the outer Galaxy rotation curve in the Southern Hemisphere, and to

obtain a velocity field which can determine the nature of the galactic HI asymmetry. The work is a comprehensive survey of the tracers of the velocity structure of the Milky Way in the longitude range  $230^\circ \leq l \leq 305^\circ$ . We use as tracers molecular clouds and their associated optical nebulae for which we obtain independent distances and velocities. In this paper, we present a catalogue of the optical nebulae which form the basis of the present study, since no suitable catalogue exists for our purposes. Although most of the brighter entries have been previously catalogued, the majority of the objects here are new. The other papers will deal with the measurement of CO velocities (paper II) and the derivation of optically determined distances (papers III and IV) for the objects in the catalogue. In paper V we will discuss the results of our kinematic analyses and their implications. First results, based on a small part of the available data, have been presented by Brand *et al.* (1985).

### 2. The catalogue.

**2.1 OBJECT SELECTION.** — A rotation curve is derived by independently determining the distances and velocities to a suitably chosen set of objects. The most useful objects in this respect are HII regions and their associated molecular material (see Blitz, 1979). Reflection nebulae can however also be used. The nebula guides one to the stars associated with it, the distances of which can be determined photometrically or spectroscopically ; the velocity is that of the molecular material, as measured by the CO emission line. Previous studies have usually limited themselves to HII regions taken from existing catalogues (e.g. Sharpless, 1959 and Rodgers *et al.*, 1960). These catalogues are incomplete in listing small HII regions (diameter  $\leq 10$  arcmin), whereas the smaller

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regions are potentially the most distant (see e.g. Fich and Blitz, 1984). For this project we therefore searched preferentially for very small, nebulous regions on the ESO/SRC and Palomar Observatory Sky Survey prints and a new catalogue was compiled. The region of the Galaxy selected for this study has galactic longitude  $l$  between  $230^\circ$  and  $305^\circ$ , and galactic latitude  $|b| \leq 10^\circ$ . The lower limit in longitude allows for a small overlap with other investigations. The upper limit is the highest longitude for which objects at large galactocentric distance are likely to be identified due to the large amount of obscuration in the inner Galaxy. The latitude limits are set to allow for warping and widening of the galactic disk at large distances from the Galactic Center. In practice, the latitude extent was increased to  $\pm 15^\circ$  rather than  $\pm 10^\circ$  at some longitudes.

The nebula search was carried out on 76 ESO/SRC and Palomar Observatory Sky Survey prints that cover this section of the Galaxy ; the area covered by these prints is shown in figure 1. At the time this search was undertaken, R-prints ( $\lambda\lambda 6300-7000 \text{ \AA}$ ) were not available for each field, so for the sake of consistency the J-prints ( $\lambda\lambda 3959-5400 \text{ \AA}$ ) were used as the basis of the catalogue. Where possible, images on R- (or SR-) and B-prints (optimum  $\lambda 4800 \text{ \AA}$ ) were compared to those on the J-prints, in order to get an impression of the colour of the nebulosity (and thus of its nature). An attempt was made to collect as unbiased a sample as possible, but a few of the largest diffuse nebulous regions are not included. Many of these are clouds lit-up by the general interstellar radiation field rather than being excited by a (group of) individual star(s). They are therefore not of great importance for the present work. Only easily distinguishable discrete complexes of this type were included and then only when enhancement near a star was seen.

On the other side of the size spectrum (diameters 1 to 3 arcmin) making a distinction between possibly interesting nebulous regions and planetary nebulae or galaxies is sometimes very difficult, especially at higher latitudes. For example, galaxies with bright nuclei seen through foreground extinction sometimes look like small galactic nebulae excited by a single star. A check was made against catalogues of planetary nebulae (Perek and Kohoutek, 1967) and galaxies (Lauberts, 1982). Positive identifications were rejected from our list. Nevertheless, many doubtful cases remained. Those objects which we

are most confident are truly HII regions or reflection nebulae and are listed in table I. The distribution of these objects on the sky is presented in figure 2 which shows a clear concentration towards the galactic plane. The distribution of the remaining objects is presented in figure 3 which demonstrates an avoidance for the galactic plane, which is evidence for their probable extragalactic nature. A listing of these objects will be published at a later date (Brand, 1986 ; in preparation).

Many of the nebulae in table I have been catalogued by others. Our listing was cross-checked with the catalogue of Dixon and Sonneborn (1980) which in itself is a compilation of catalogues. The comparison also serves as a test for the completeness of the catalogue. In all, only one reflection nebula and 14 HII regions were not in our catalogue, most of which were only marginally identifiable or unidentifiable on the prints we examined.

## 2.2 DESCRIPTION OF THE CATALOGUE. —

Table 1 contains our catalogue of nebulous regions in the section of the Galaxy between longitudes  $230^\circ$  and  $305^\circ$  and latitudes  $\pm 10^\circ$  and contains 400 objects.

Some entries in the catalogue are divided into subentries on the basis of an apparent visual association between them on the Sky Survey prints. This could either be a connecting luminous part, or a common obscuring part. Obviously this is a somewhat subjective procedure and not necessarily one with physical implications. Later an objective selection and regrouping will be made on the basis of kinematic and photometric data.

In table I, the first column contains a running number ; columns 2 through 5 respectively give the galactic and equatorial coordinates of the center of the nebula. Column 6 lists the approximate, maximum size in arcminutes, column 7 indicates whether any obvious obscuration seems to be associated with the nebula, and column 8 is reserved for remarks and previous identifications for a given nebula (and its associated stars).

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Notes to table I. — *Object identifications are by commonly used designations:*

ACK	Acker (1975 ; see Dixon and Sonnenborn, 1980), Acker <i>et al.</i> (1981)	Planetary nebulae
Be	Bernes (1977)	Bright nebulosities in dust clouds
BRABCMS	van den Bergh <i>et al.</i> (1973)	Planetary nebulae
CED	Cederblad (1946)	Diffuse galactic nebulae
CG	Zealey <i>et al.</i> (1983)	Cometary globules
Cr	Collinder (see Ruprecht <i>et al.</i> , 1981)	Star clusters
GGD	Gyulbudagyan <i>et al.</i> (1978)	Herbig-Haro type objects
HH	Herbig (1974)	Herbig-Haro objects
HOFF	Hoffleit (1953)	Dark Holes
Ko	Kohoutek (1971)	Planetary nebulae
L	Lauberts (1982)	Various types of objects
LBN	Lynds (1965)	Bright nebulae
LDN	Lynds (1962)	Dark nebulae
MIL	Milne (1970)	Supernova remnants
MRSL	Marsalkova (1973)	HII regions
Mü	Münch (1955)	Emission nebulae
OCL	Ruprecht <i>et al.</i> (1981)	Open clusters
Pis	Pismis (1959)	Star clusters
PK	Perek and Kohoutek (1967)	Planetary nebulae
Rp	Reipurth (1981)	Small nebulae and HH objects in dark clouds
RCW	Rodgers <i>et al.</i> (1960)	H $\alpha$ emission regions
S	Sharpless (1959)	HII regions
Sa	Sandqvist (1977)	Dark dust clouds
St	Stock (see Ruprecht <i>et al.</i> , 1981)	Star clusters
VBH	van den Bergh and Herbst (1975)	Reflection nebulae
VDB	van den Bergh (1966)	Reflection nebulae
VHA	van den Bergh and Hagen (1975)	Star clusters
Wat	Moffat <i>et al.</i> (1979)	Study of stars in HII regions
Wray	Wray (1966 ; see Dixon and Sonnenborn, 1980)	H $\alpha$ emission objects

TABLE I. — Catalogue of galactic emission and reflection nebulae.

Object	1 b	(1950)			max			(1950)			max		
		RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size Obsc. o " "	Identificat.	Remarks	Object	1 (degrees)	b RA h m s	DEC o " "	size Obsc.	Identificat., remarks	
1	233.18	-9.53	65058.5	-221609	<1	N	23	239.54	-4.85	72209.3	-254402	67	Y Diff. em. around dark cloud
2	234.76	-10.08	65208.1	-235152	34	N	S308, RCW11						
3	233.40	-9.42	65212.5	-222200	84	N	S303						
4	228.97	-4.65	70157.3	-161836	2	Y							
5	242.88	-10.80	70448.5	-312249	10x16	N	Lit-up cloud						
6	231.57	-4.47	70735.7	-183130	<1	N							
7A	231.49	-4.41	70741.9	-182525	9	Y	S301, RCW6: Incl. ft. em. to W.:						
					18 arcmin								
B	231.31	-4.76	70601.4	-182544	6x1	N	R-print only						
C	231.50	-4.37	70757.5	-182405	<1	Y							
D	231.52	-4.30	70808.6	-182423	<1	Y							
8	237.94	-6.15	71208.0	-252026	40	Y							
9	258.23	-16.05	71208.7	-470806	6	Y							
10	259.65	-16.57	71226.0	-483550	<1	Y							
11	259.56	-16.48	71246.8	-482837	18	Y	CG13, Be136						
12	259.56	-16.36	71323.9	-482549	<1	N							
13	232.41	-2.91	71504.0	-183242	1	N							
14	232.48	-2.91	71512.5	-183604	11x2	N							
15	239.83	-6.52	71608.6	-264550	3	Y							
16	235.54	-4.06	71659.0	-215042	30	N	RCW14, LBN1054						
17A	237.34	-4.97	71709.6	-235059	<1	Y							
B	237.45	-4.93	71731.5	-235552	10	Y	VDB96; CED96, LBN1058						
18	256.14	-14.06	71756.4	-412934	5	Y	CG1, Be135						
19	240.88	-6.52	71821.3	-274138	2	Y	* in RN? (L)						
20	230.36	-0.61	71931.0	-153854	2	N							
21	255.29	-13.11	72039.4	-131952	9	N							
22A	238.56	-4.12	72147.1	-214007	<1	Y	Subentries are individual knots, all located within LDN1664						
B	238.25	-4.22	72155.3	-241812	<1	Y							
C	238.48	-4.29	72209.0	-213220	2	Y							
D	238.56	-4.26	72225.8	-213543	<1	Y							
E	238.47	-4.17	72233.9	-242831	2	Y	GCD20						
F	238.42	-4.11	72241.1	-242409	<1	Y	GCD21						
G	238.59	-4.20	72242.1	-245525	1	Y							
H	238.43	-4.08	72248.4	-242334	<1	Y	GCD22						
I	238.46	-3.98	72316.1	-242231	<1	Y	GCD23						

TABLE I (*continued*).

Object	1	b	(1950)			max			(1950)			size Obsc.			Identification, remarks
			RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size o ' "	RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size o ' "	RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size o ' "	RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size o ' "	
50	234.58	0.83	73320.0	-183853	20	Y	S307		80A	243.16	0.35	75014.9	-261842	17	Y S311, NGC2467
51A	239.04	-1.67	73321.5	-234544	1	Y			B	243.11	0.63	75110.1	-260714	23	Y Fainter, associated emission
B	239.04	-1.64	73328.7	-234523	1	Y			81	256.62	-7.26	75203.5	-414417	1	N
52	261.00	-13.34	73328.0	-485539	17	N			82	244.67	0.06	75237.8	-274459	2	N
53A	260.64	-13.04	73409.2	-475845	1	N			83	245.29	-0.31	75240.3	-282829	<1	N
B	260.68	-13.02	73421.0	-480019	1	Y			84	242.56	1.45	75301.0	-251340	2	N Wat 3
54	240.43	-2.17	73427.0	-251312	14	Y	VDB98		85	246.12	-0.55	75341.3	-291832	2	N
55	262.42	-13.76	73456.6	-495125	<1	N			86	245.21	0.13	75410.6	-281019	<1	N * with faint neb.
56	255.83	-10.44	73501.3	-423630	180	Y			87A	268.39	-13.35	75457.1	-644845	<1	Y
57	262.52	-13.73	73519.8	-495544	2	N			B	268.38	-13.32	75504.1	-544708	<1	Y
58	247.14	-5.58	73519.9	-324339	<1	Y			C	268.42	-13.32	75514.4	-544856	<1	Y
59	260.81	-12.76	73604.0	-480005	2	Y			88	253.88	-4.93	75511.1	-381153	6	N
60	263.05	-13.76	73628.8	-502413	<1	N			89	251.01	-2.82	75639.5	-343939	<1	Y
61	248.01	-5.46	73821.1	-332534	4	N	Em neb + ** (L)		90A	247.64	-0.56	75720.4	-303606	<1	Y
62	254.85	-8.94	73941.0	-410247	6	N			B	247.64	-0.54	75725.7	-303538	<1	Y
63	247.58	-4.72	74026.2	-324118	9	Y			91	252.21	-3.15	75823.1	-355112	17	Y Enhanced part of larger complex
64	244.40	-2.71	74111.4	-285545	8	N			92	248.01	-0.41	75851.7	-305027	3	Y
65	243.68	-2.19	74136.4	-280305	11x3	N			93	260.38	-7.99	75910.4	-451846	1	Y VBH1
66A	241.52	-0.60	74233.0	-252322	<1	Y	Mu13, OCL651		94	255.52	-5.01	75913.7	-393813	1	N
B	241.52	-0.56	74301.0	-252416	2	Y			95	255.40	-4.82	75944.7	-392552	5	Y
67A	237.53	1.85	74318.0	-204225	2	N			96	245.93	1.16	75952.4	-281435	1	Y
B	237.57	1.85	74323.1	-204427	1	Y			97	246.09	1.21	80027.2	-282051	2	Y
68	247.64	-4.03	74323.1	-322238	<1	Y			98	246.01	1.26	80027.4	-281534	3	Y
69	261.44	-11.61	74352.1	-480124	<1	Y			99	251.19	-1.97	80037.5	-342149	<1	Y * + neb env.; PN? (L)
70A	263.13	-12.16	74541.0	-491355	<1	N			100	250.43	-1.33	80116.9	-332227	<1	Y
B	263.11	-12.15	74542.9	-494257	1	N			101	248.90	-0.01	80239.6	-312223	3	Y VBH2
C	263.11	-12.14	74555.5	-494218	<1	N			102A	255.42	-4.12	80251.0	-390446	1	Y VBH3A
71	235.96	3.50	74600.3	-183945	2	N			B	255.44	-4.10	80301.6	-390513	1	Y 3B
72	251.09	-5.39	74601.4	-360313	18	Y			C	255.42	-4.07	80303.7	-390323	1	Y 3C
73	263.06	-12.04	74609.7	-493639	11	N	Part of v. large lit-up cloud		103	255.45	-3.97	80334.5	-390131	<1	Y
74	247.97	-3.44	74623.8	-322135	1	Y			104A	252.01	-1.51	80437.9	-344814	11	Y
75	241.87	0.44	74736.9	-250919	<1	Y	Rp1		B	252.39	-1.40	80606.6	-350353	9	Y VBH5
76	248.71	-3.37	74810.4	-325543	<1	Y			105	245.85	2.67	80526.0	-272139	2	N
77	249.27	-3.65	74851.0	-333625	<1	Y			106	252.93	-1.90	80529.2	-354720	1	Y VBH5
78	255.84	-7.47	74901.1	-411033	6	N			107	254.27	-2.73	80540.9	-372137	2	N
79	250.14	-4.13	74902.8	-343525	4	Y			108	248.01	1.44	80602.1	-295055	<1	Y

TABLE I (continued).

Object	1	b	(1950)			(1950)			(1950)		
			RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size Obsc.	RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size Obsc.	RA (degrees)	DEC h m s	size Obsc.
109	255.42	-3.04	80730.0	-382953	<1	Y	140	268.16	-8.94	81928.9	-521848
110	247.47	2.19	80737.3	-285854	<1	N	141A	259.61	-2.99	81959.4	-415556
111	253.29	-1.61	80739.9	-355602	<1	Y	B	259.59	-2.97	82000.2	-415420
112	255.62	-3.13	80740.4	-384236	3	Y	C	259.64	-3.00	82001.4	-415804
113	267.18	-10.42	80754.2	-521821	<1	Y	D	259.64	-2.97	82010.2	-415709
114	251.88	-0.47	80831.3	-340732	<1	Y	E	258.87	-2.31	82043.1	-415610
115	264.45	-8.53	80857.1	-490106	22	N	F	259.71	-2.82	82103.1	-415522
							G	259.79	-2.86	82107.6	-420037
							H	259.75	-2.83	82108.2	-415719
							I	259.78	-2.84	82111.4	-415924
							J	259.77	-2.78	82124.7	-415656
							K	259.85	-2.73	82153.5	-415901
							L	261.60	-4.33	82012.8	-442006
							M	258.31	-1.96	82031.4	-401639
							N	258.31	-1.96	82046.2	-401446
							O	258.31	-1.90	82046.2	-401446
							P	258.31	-1.90	82046.2	-401446
							Q	256.11	-0.15	82136.1	-372620
							R	264.18	-5.42	82331.8	-470700
							S	264.17	-5.33	82356.0	-470030
							T	253.58	-2.23	82355.2	-335955
							U	258.48	-1.27	82358.6	-400108
							V	258.50	-1.32	82359.2	-400533
							W	267.36	-7.49	82417.3	-505032
							X	260.49	-2.54	82443.2	-422337
							Y	252.91	3.11	82529.1	-325618
							Z	267.67	-7.34	82611.6	-505950
							A	243.84	9.76	82624.4	-214506
							B	268.22	-7.61	82647.7	-513611
							C	253.26	3.35	82721.7	-330456
							D	256.14	1.53	82830.1	-362902
							E	257.53	0.63	82902.7	-380805
							F	266.00	-5.47	82939.6	-483317
							G	260.97	-1.65	83008.0	-421527
							H	262.86	-2.41	83259.2	-441319
							I	259.97	-0.06	83342.8	-403008
							J	259.15	0.94	83516.2	-391443
							K	266.07	-4.30	8359.6	-475521

TABLE I (*continued*).

Object	l	b	(1950)			(1950)			max						
			(degrees)	RA h m s	DEC o ' "	size Obsc.	Identification, remarks	(degrees)	RA h m s	DEC o ' "	size Obsc.				
163	260.15	0.25	83535.2	-402735	<1	Y		193A	268.21	-3.18	84845.2	<1	Y	VBH22E	
164	265.37	-3.74	83537.1	-470125	3	N	VBH19	B	268.27	-3.15	84907.3	-485516	5	Y	22C,D
165	259.34	0.92	83547.0	-392429	3	Y	OCL735	194	268.38	-3.06	84958.8	-485644	<1	Y	
166	259.97	0.56	83618.0	-400718	90	Y	RCW27	195A	268.16	-2.70	85046.8	-483258	2	Y	VBH22A
167	255.92	3.99	83734.1	-344945	<1	N	* in neb.; PN? (L)	B	268.22	-2.69	85104.0	-483534	7x3	Y	22B
168	260.22	0.70	83740.6	-401401	<1	Y		196A	264.69	0.23	85051.6	-440051	1	Y	
169	260.27	0.67	83741.7	-401740	1	Y	VBH20	B	264.73	0.26	85109.6	-440130	<1	Y	
170	259.28	1.50	83757.0	-390009	2	N		C	264.72	0.28	85110.5	-435952	<1	Y	
171	254.98	4.96	83928.6	-332926	<1	N		197	264.97	0.27	85202.4	-441218	1	Y	
172	260.76	0.66	83916.3	-401059	<1	Y		198	268.42	-2.65	85203.3	-484258	<1	N	
173	261.47	0.32	84010.1	-412730	1x6	Y		199	272.40	-5.97	85210.1	-535336	2	N	Cal. or em. neb.? (L)
174	260.79	0.92	84026.5	-403323	<1	Y		200	269.78	-3.80	85215.2	-502938	2	N	
175	266.60	-3.61	84039.0	-475507	10	Y	WHA47; CED106M	201	266.98	-1.27	85248.1	-464342	1	Y	VBH23
176	261.38	0.84	84203.0	-410345	19	Y	RCW32	202	271.09	-4.73	85250.2	-520517	3	Y	
177	262.18	0.36	84244.5	-415915	<1	Y		203	268.06	-2.16	85251.8	-480737	134	Y	Incl. RCW35
178	258.28	3.53	84256.4	-365755	8	N		204	264.42	1.05	85320.7	-431630	3	Y	VBH24
179	276.27	-10.59	84316.7	-594601	40	Y		205	263.86	1.55	85327.5	-423142	<1	Y	
180	258.81	3.24	84327.7	-373312	15	N		206A	264.28	1.43	85426.6	-425509	<1	Y	
181	263.61	-0.52	84352.4	-433916	2	Y	Wray19.13	B	264.29	1.47	85439.4	-425419	2	Y	VBH25A, RCW34A
182	263.52	-0.35	84418.0	-432838	1	Y	VBH21A	C	264.39	1.43	85449.9	-430032	2	Y	VBH25B, RCW34B
183	263.75	-0.40	84451.8	-434112	<1	Y		D	264.49	1.45	85515.4	-430410	8	Y	25C-L, diffuse
184	262.09	1.17	84545.4	-412422	<1	Y		207	264.98	0.98	85506.2	-434449	2	Y	
185	263.74	-0.16	84550.4	-433143	<1	Y	VBH21B	208	261.50	4.10	85534.1	-390429	<1	N	S..., or neb.? (L)
186	263.23	0.50	84651.2	-421245	3	Y	MU23; ACK263+00.1, Ko263+0.1	209	253.58	10.78	85538.6	-284559	2	Y	ACK253+0.1
187A	266.46	-2.03	84726.2	-461907	<1	Y		210A	264.13	1.88	85547.1	-423047	4	Y	Diffuse
B	266.47	-2.02	84730.8	-464901	<1	Y		B	264.27	1.86	85610.0	-423800	<1	Y	VBH27A
188	269.67	-4.62	84738.5	-505611	5	N		C	264.17	1.95	85610.4	-422946	1	Y	27B
189	260.34	3.14	84757.2	-3841850	<1	N		211	265.87	0.48	85612.6	-444446	<1	Y	
190	252.27	9.73	84814.7	-282549	10	N	Very clear on R-print	212	267.98	-1.36	85613.3	-473236	12	Y	
191	254.02	8.35	84815.2	-303848	14	N		213A	268.06	-0.95	85622.4	-471106	<1	Y	VBH26. Whole complex has size
192A	262.90	1.31	84832.3	-411938	67	Y	RCW33	B	267.93	-0.98	85741.4	-471536	6	Y	RCW38. roughly 28 arcmin
B	263.16	1.43	85029.6	-420352	<1	Y		C	269.86	-0.84	85802.7	-470636	9	Y	
C	263.12	1.53	85046.1	-415806	<1	Y		D	268.06	-0.98	85814.0	-472117	7	Y	
D	263.11	1.61	85103.1	-415454	<1	Y		214	265.42	0.94	85630.0	-440605	2	Y	
E	263.22	1.57	85118.4	-420129	1	Y		215	264.78	1.52	85637.6	-431429	2	Y	VBH28
F	263.53	1.52	85211.3	-421742	9	Y		216	273.38	-5.86	85702.9	-543312	3	N	

TABLE I (continued).

Object	1	b (degrees)	(1950)			size Obsc.	Identification, remarks	max size Obsc.	Identification, remarks
			RA h m s	DEC ° ' "	max				
217	265.07	1.41	85712.6	-433227	16	Y	RCW36	251	269.33
218	271.76	-4.24	85807.9	-521700	3	N		252	271.26
219	271.87	-4.12	85912.0	-521653	4	N		253	271.79
220	268.26	-0.80	85946.3	-472304	2	Y		254	265.82
221	266.46	-2.03	90002.3	-443226	<1	Y		255	271.23
222	268.42	-0.86	90009.5	-473228	<1	Y		256	267.83
223	268.48	-0.87	90020.2	-473528	1	Y		257	260.03
224	269.19	-1.43	90040.8	-483001	8	Y	RCW40, Wray19.17	258	273.89
225	268.62	-0.74	90127.9	-473651	2	Y		259A	271.01
226	269.10	-1.13	90140.2	-481351	2	Y	RCW39, Wray19.18	B	271.01
227	268.59	-0.61	90153.4	-473013	1	Y		260	272.87
228	261.00	6.41	90243.7	-371032	<1	Y		261	273.78
229	268.97	-0.49	90358.3	-471202	2	Y		262	274.80
230	270.11	-1.30	90500.8	-490507	5	Y		263	271.01
231	272.88	-3.71	90537.8	-524521	4	Y		264A	274.68
232	271.62	-2.29	90550.1	-505229	1	Y		B	274.71
233	272.06	-2.60	90718.6	-512357	1	Y		265	275.57
234	270.05	-0.70	90724.6	-483757	19x3.5	Y	Lit-up cloudlet	266	271.85
235	268.86	0.53	90757.2	-465557	1	Y		267	277.72
236	270.02	-0.51	90808.2	-482913	<1	Y		268	271.22
237A	267.90	1.81	90929.9	-452112	1	Y	VBH29C, Be139	269	273.01
B	267.93	1.79	90932.2	-452325	1	Y	29B, 140	270	273.20
C	268.02	1.81	91000.0	-452628	<1	Y	VBH29A, Be141	271	276.30
238	281.66	-10.82	91044.4	-635826	<1	N		272	273.34
239	270.43	-0.27	91053.7	-550654	<1	Y		273	277.16
240	272.83	-2.34	91155.4	-514719	<1	Y		274	273.67
241	266.95	3.67	91326.1	-432308	2	N		275	280.82
242	269.76	0.97	91328.4	-471631	8	Y		276	284.32
243	268.98	0.86	91352.3	-473049	2	Y		277	281.76
244	270.99	0.03	91432.9	-481852	3	Y		278	284.36
245	270.18	0.90	91452.6	-473736	<1	Y		279	280.13
246	270.13	0.85	91513.0	-474511	6	Y	RCW41	280	281.77
247	270.82	0.69	91641.4	-481340	<1	Y	VBH30	281A	281.83
248	269.32	2.21	91650.8	-460539	1	Y	Rp7, Rp8	B	281.82
249	267.93	3.62	91657.5	-440653	<1	Y		282	278.24
250	271.46	0.19	91716.7	-490156	1	Y		283	282.88

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Object	1	b	(1950)			max size Obsc.	Identificat., remarks	(1950)			max size Obsc.	Identificat., remarks
			(degrees)	h m s	DEC ° ' "			(degrees)	h m s	DEC ° ' "		
284	274.90	7.94	100226.2	-452424	12	N		E	286.42	-0.79	103423.8	-585915
285	282.71	-2.48	100322.0	-582445	21	Y	RCW47	F	286.28	-0.52	103430.4	-584135
286	286.28	-6.95	100531.3	-640715	<1	Y	Em. neb. or gal.? (L); ACK286-6.2	310	287.97	-4.42	103035.5	-625447
287A	283.74	-3.41	100535.8	-594617	<1	Y		311	287.22	-3.05	103056.1	-612127
B	283.78	-3.42	100551.1	-594808	<1	Y		312	290.75	-8.54	103333.4	-675212
288	282.35	-1.39	100557.6	-571903	<1	N	Part of RCW46	313	285.76	1.65	103856.6	-563216
289	284.72	-4.47	100707.2	-611150	<1	N						
290	282.74	-1.43	100806.6	-573436	<1	N		314	288.97	-3.84	104042.5	-625341
291	282.30	-0.77	100816.6	-564710	1	Y		315	284.70	4.28	104109.4	-534333
292	280.58	1.81	100843.7	-534113	<1	Y		316A	287.61	-0.85	104222.9	-593734
293	282.81	-1.34	100857.1	-573227	3	Y		B	285.73	-0.50	103055.1	-582431
294	283.01	-1.56	100917.8	-575012	<1	Y		C	285.85	0.08	103354.0	-575726
295	282.13	-0.10	101000.6	-566754	11x17	Y	Very clear on R-print	D	286.21	-0.20	103514.7	-582305
296	283.08	-1.48	101001.6	-571846	4	N		E	287.25	0.35	10412.7	-582322
297	283.84	-1.73	101341.6	-582628	4	N		317	285.18	5.74	104239.0	-521145
298	284.76	-3.06	101351.3	-600336	2	Y	VBH34	318	285.65	3.78	104519.4	-543633
299	283.15	-0.61	101405.1	-570730	11	Y	Neb. around SAQ237850	319	285.04	5.24	104608.5	-530207
300A	283.52	-0.97	101445.7	-574102	23	Y	RCW48	320	289.26	-2.80	104715.1	-620552
B	284.30	-0.31	102226.7	-573021	6	Y	RCW49; NGC3247	321A	286.35	3.23	104753.9	-552513
C	284.38	0.40	102540.3	-565607	23x11	Y	Diffuse em. connects 300A,B,C and 299 with 300. Whole complex is roughly 113x56	B	286.35	3.24	104757.3	-552420
								C	285.39	3.25	104812.6	-552502
								322A	285.85	4..38	104824.0	-541010
								B	285.89	4.50	104900.5	-540446
								323	289.78	-3.23	104928.4	-624353
								324	286.86	2.89	105004.8	-555659
								325	287.14	2.39	105019.3	-563130
								326	284.79	7.42	105102.3	-505805
								327	288.04	0.80	105107.5	-582021
								328A	290.32	-2.99	105435.0	-624443
								B	290.36	-2.36	105459.5	-624410
								329	288.49	1.02	105456.1	-582023
								330	284.07	10.47	105517.0	-475449
								C	290.36	-2.84	105527.2	-623733
								331	290.41	-2.91	105534.1	-624244
								332	290.41	-2.91	105534.1	-624244

TABLE I (continued).

Object	1	b	(1950)			DEC	size Obsc.	Identification, remarks	(1950)			max size Obsc.	Identification, remarks		
			(degrees)	h	m				RA	DEC	h	m			
333	289.89	-1.32	105712.8	-610309	28	Y	MRSL289-1/1; Cr236 (in S. part)		352	287.53	11.43	111617.2	<1	Y	
334A	289.89	-0.80	105859.5	-603450	2	N	ML18		353	291.94	2.06	112225.5	-584007	2	Y
B	289.88	-0.75	105904.3	-603130	2	N	CED109B; ACK289-0.2		354A	293.09	-0.97	112315.6	-615434	1	Y
335	289.50	0.12	105911.7	-593430	3	Y	VBH46; Pis17		B	293.15	-0.96	112346.1	-615525	3	Y
336	290.56	-1.98	110006.1	-615532	<1	Y			C	293.49	-0.92	112637.3	-615922	2	Y
337	289.55	0.53	110050.6	-591306	84x51	Y	RCW54		D	293.59	-0.86	112733.2	-615743	2	Y
338	291.12	-2.57	110227.4	-624131	<1	Y			E	293.56	-0.68	112747.2	-614658	2	Y
339	291.04	-2.08	110322.4	-621342	2	Y			355	291.82	2.88	112337.6	-575125	6x3	N
340	292.30	-4.86	110401.7	-651553	8	N	RCW58		356	292.65	1.24	112539.5	-594054	2	N
341A	297.16	-15.69	110451.3	-770543	4	Y	CED110, Be143		357	294.13	-2.63	112716.8	-634856	5	Y
B	297.37	-15.91	110638.4	-772303	6	Y	CED111, Be144		358A	292.91	1.32	112749.6	-594054	<1	Y
C	297.04	-14.92	110819.9	-762039	5	Y	CED112, Be142		B	292.94	1.32	112800.1	-594120	1	Y
D	297.23	-14.98	111052.1	-762804	<1	Y			359	289.05	13.15	112802.8	-471444	<1	Y
E	297.50	-15.56	111110.1	-770605	<1	Y			360	294.12	-0.04	113352.9	-612018	11	N
342	290.64	0.26	110755.6	-595405	27	Y	MRSL290+0/3; NGC3572B		361	294.31	-0.11	113513.4	-612742	6x3	Y
343A	290.37	0.96	110803.1	-590850	<1	Y	A-D in same dark cloud		362A	294.85	-1.65	113559.8	-630544	68	Y
B	290.41	0.90	110811.3	-591306	<1	Y			B	293.67	-1.64	112605.9	-624345	18x8	Y
C	290.43	0.99	110834.3	-590829	<1	Y			C	293.61	-1.26	112637.1	-622100	21x16	Y
D	290.63	1.16	111031.9	-590352	<1	Y			D	293.75	-1.70	112639.0	-624849	2	Y
344	291.39	-1.07	110929.8	-612425	2	Y			E	293.94	-2.13	112659.8	-631641	9	Y
345	295.08	-10.10	110938.4	-710953	4	N			F	294.14	-2.34	112808.5	-633228	17	Y
346	288.23	6.84	110945.2	-525334	3	N			G	294.24	-1.92	113010.1	-631020	12x6	Y
347	290.35	1.62	110949.4	-583127	7	Y	St13		363	294.49	-0.39	113605.1	-614659	1	Y
348A	291.29	-0.68	110958.8	-610108	23	Y	RCW57, incl. VBH47A,B,C		364	294.36	0.19	113622.3	-601120	2	Y
B	291.63	-0.53	111259.5	-605955	16	Y	NGC3603		365	294.54	-0.34	113632.2	-614452	1	Y?
C	292.15	-0.15	111809.1	-604923	34x23	Y			366	295.41	-2.70	113812.0	-641528	<1	Y
							Various bright ** (from Tr18, Hogg12, NGC3590) apparently associated with dark cloud N.		367	294.28	2.67	114105.3	-584544	3	Y
							of 348A. Large filamentary ring structure to W. of 348A (of size 37 arcmin)		368	294.22	3.51	114221.7	-575913	5	Y
									369	291.78	12.92	114248.4	-481357	<1	Y
									370	293.28	7.43	114254.6	-535501	<1	N
									371A	296.22	-3.55	114333.1	-651654	1	Y
									B	296.27	-3.59	114349.7	-652012	<1	Y
									C	296.19	-3.55	114313.1	-651616	<1	Y
									372A	295.48	0.41	114547.8	-611611	<1	Y
									B	295.47	0.52	114558.0	-610913	<1	Y

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Object	1 b	(1950)			DEC	size Obsc.	Identification, remarks	(1950)			max size Obsc.	Identification, remarks
		(degrees)	h m s	o ' "				RA	b	RA		
C	295.51	0.48	114611.8	-611227	1	Y	VBH54	393	301.67	-4.87	123513.2	-672601
373A	295.69	-0.34	114558.3	-620230	<1	Y	VBH55B	394	301.73	-4.13	123559.2	-665953
B	295.72	-0.34	114616.1	-620253	<1	Y	55A	395	301.86	1.38	123934.1	-611159
374	296.19	-2.77	114745.7	-613538	5x3	Y	VBH56	396	302.13	0.34	124129.6	-621448
375	296.00	-0.60	114759.6	-622214	15	N	Filaments. SNR?	397	302.81	1.29	124723.2	-611836
376A	295.95	-0.27	114814.1	-620217	6	N	MRSI295+0/1	398	302.92	-0.43	124818.0	-630153
B	296.18	-0.16	115024.2	-615849	6	N		399	303.66	-3.51	125530.0	-660604
C	296.22	-0.01	115102.6	-615039	5	N		400A	304.94	0.56	130529.4	-615838
							Filaments; associated with 375? W. of 376C is obscuration	B	304.94	0.51	130535.1	-620130
								C	304.95	0.47	130536.1	-620357
377	297.02	-1.71	115437.0	-634038	<1	Y						Y
378	296.39	3.14	115741.0	-584807	1	Y						
379	297.58	-0.87	120100.0	-625800	43x17	N	Part of MRSI297-0/1					
380	297.58	1.14	120406.1	-605839	8	N	OCL871					
381	296.55	10.12	120739.7	-515736	3	N						
382	298.42	0.69	121020.9	-613348	<1	Y	Em neb. or gal?					
							* superimposed? (L)					
383A	298.36	2.23	121144.7	-600208	2	Y						
B	298.73	2.31	121445.7	-600023	50	N						
384	298.94	0.48	121429.1	-615056	1	Y						
385	298.70	2.86	121505.7	-592720	<1	Y						
386A	299.26	-0.35	121619.3	-624227	<1	N	RCW64					
B	299.31	-0.29	121643.9	-623925	1	Y						
C	299.33	-0.31	121654.2	-624043	<1	Y						
D	299.35	-0.31	121707.0	-6241104	<1	Y						
E	299.35	-0.27	121709.3	-622829	2	Y	ACK299-0.2					
F	299.37	-0.32	121716.8	-624138	<1	Y						
G	299.39	-0.24	121731.6	-623654	<1	Y						
387	299.46	-1.09	121711.3	-632831	1	Y	* in RN? (L)					
388	299.67	-0.60	121937.3	-630037	2	Y	VBH57					
389	300.67	1.06	122927.1	-612708	6	N	MRSI301+1/1					
390A	300.96	1.22	123200.0	-611901	2	Y	RCW65; ACK301+1.1					
B	300.97	1.16	123206.9	-612224	1	Y						
391A	301.05	1.07	123337.9	-612754	8	N						
B	301.10	1.07	123304.5	-612821	2	Y	RCW66					
392	301.76	-6.76	123412.7	-691912	6x2	Y						

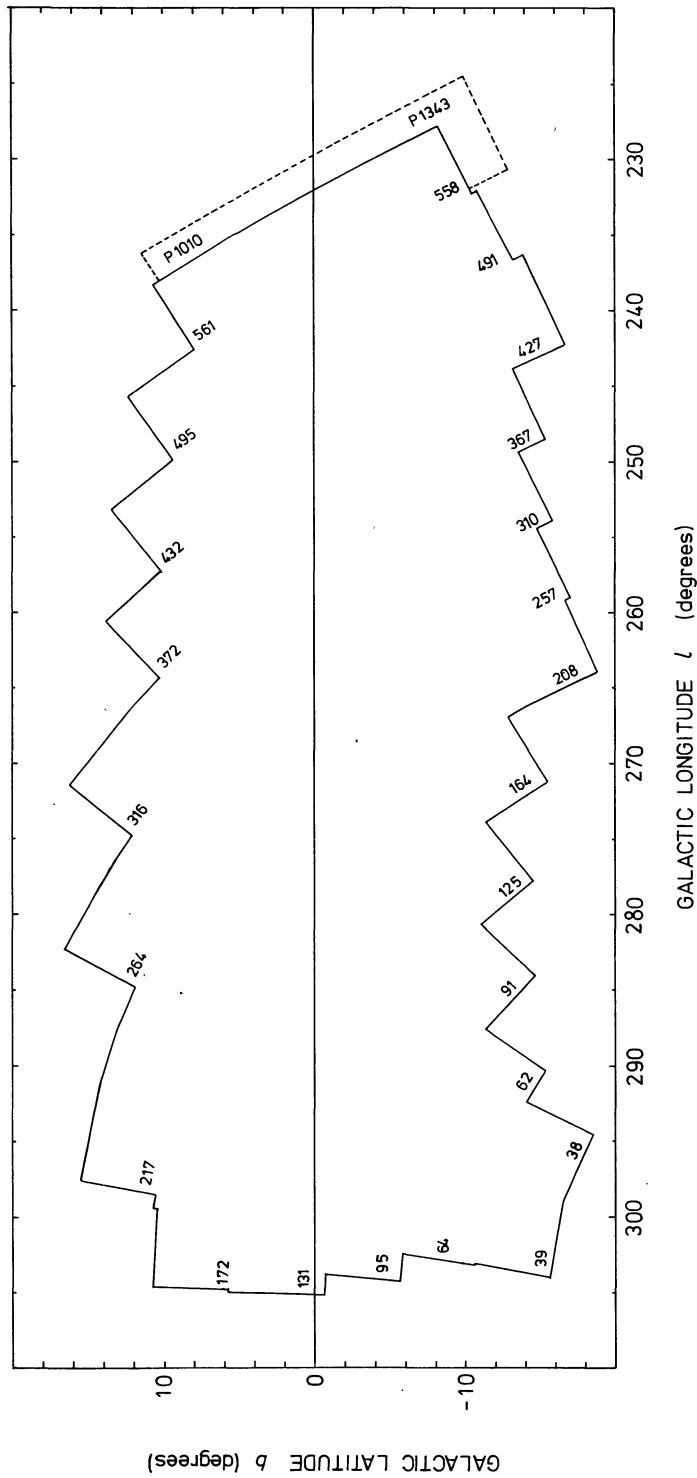


FIGURE 1. — Plot showing the sky coverage of the ESO/SRC and Palomar (POSS) survey prints used in identifying the objects listed in table I. The numbers indicate the first and the last plate used for the object search in a specific declination zone. The region searched only on POSS prints is indicated by the dotted line.

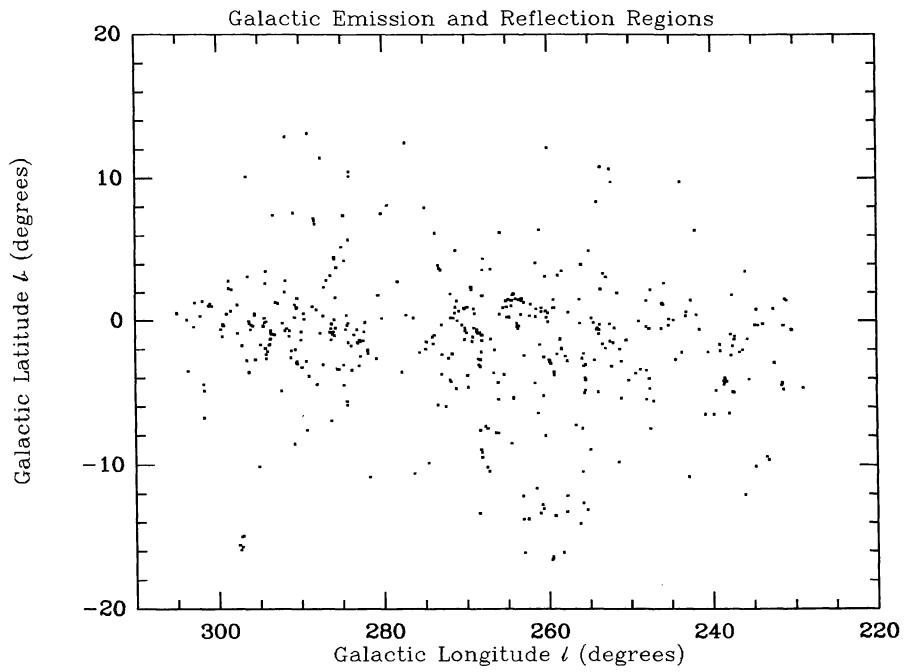


FIGURE 2. — Plot of the positions on the sky for all objects listed in table I. Note the concentration of objects towards the galactic plane.

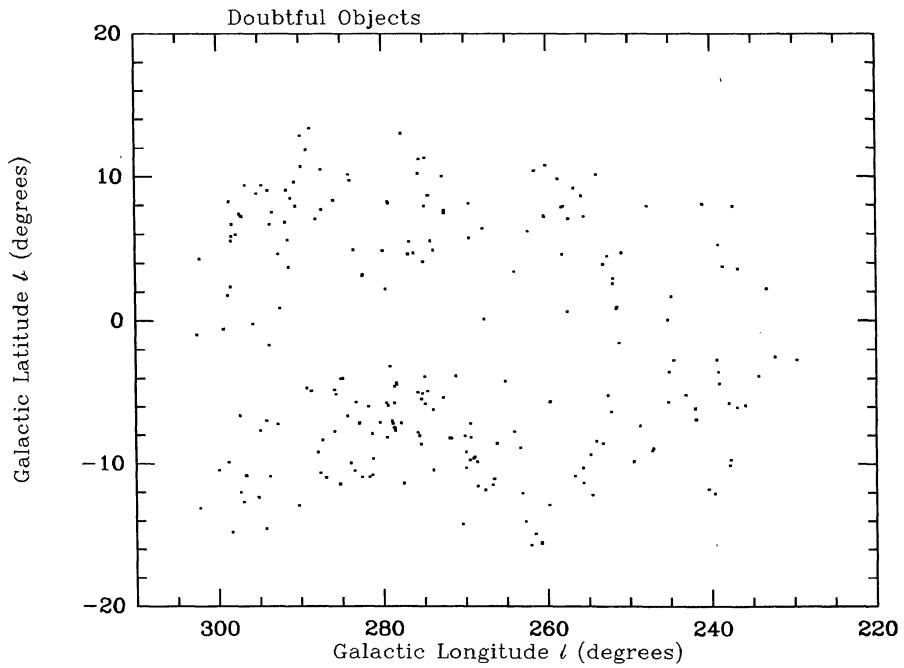


FIGURE 3. — Plot showing doubtful nebulous objects not included in table I. Note the avoidance of these objects for the galactic plane.