

A giant planet in the triple system HD 132563^{★,★★}

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ABSTRACT

As part of our radial velocity planet-search survey performed with SARG at TNG, we monitored the components of HD 132563 for ten years. It is a binary system formed by two rather similar solar type stars with a projected separation of 4.1 arcsec, which corresponds to 400 AU at the distance of 96 pc. The two components are moderately metal-poor ($[Fe/H] = -0.19$), and the age of the system is about 5 Gyr. We detected RV variations of HD 132563B with period of 1544 days and semi-amplitude of 26 m/s. From the star characteristics and line profile measurements, we infer their Keplerian origin. Therefore HD 132563B turns out to host a planet with a projected mass $m \sin i = 1.49 M_J$ at 2.6 AU with a moderately eccentric orbit ($e = 0.22$). The planet around HD 132563B is one of the few that are known in triple stellar systems, as we found that the primary HD 132563A is itself a spectroscopic binary with a period longer than 15 years and an eccentricity higher than 0.65. The spectroscopic component was not detected in adaptive-optics images taken with the instrument AdOpt mounted at the TNG, since it expected at a projected separation that was smaller than 0.2 arcsec at the time of our observations. A small excess in K band difference between the components with respect to the difference in V band is compatible with a companion of about $0.55 M_\odot$. A preliminary statistical analysis of when planets occur in triple systems indicate a similar frequency of planets around the isolated component in a triple system, components of wide binaries and single stars. There is no significant iron abundance difference between the components. The lack of stars in binary systems and open clusters showing strong enhancements of iron abundance, which are comparable to the typical metallicity difference between stars with and without giant planets, agrees with the idea that accretion of planetary material producing iron abundance anomalies over 0.1 dex is rare.

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1. Introduction

Planets in multiple stellar systems play a special role in determinations of the frequency of planets in the Galaxy, because more than half of solar type stars are in multiple systems (Duquennoy & Mayor 1991). Furthermore, planets in binaries allow one to better understand the processes of planet formation and evolution, thanks to the dynamical effects induced by the stellar companions on the protoplanetary disks and on an already formed planetary system (Marzari et al. 2010). Finally, since the frequency of (wide) binaries seems related to the density of the formation environment (Lada & Lada 2003; Goodwin 2010) some insight into the impact of this on the planet formation mechanism can be derived (Malmberg et al. 2007).

In spite of selection criteria against binaries in many planet-search surveys, several tens of planets are currently known in multiple systems (Desidera & Barbieri 2007; Mugrauer & Neuhauser 2009). A variety of binary configurations are observed: several of the planets are in rather wide binaries, for which the effects caused by the companion on the planetary system are expected to be small. However, there are few planet hosts with companions at a separation that is small enough (e.g., Hatzes et al. 2003; Chauvin et al. 2011) to make it difficult to allow planet formation according to our current knowledge (see e.g., Thebault 2011) even if they are on dynamically stable orbits. The variety of system configurations is further extended by the discovery of planets in triple systems and, more recently, of planets in circumbinary orbits around close eclipsing binary systems (e.g., Lee et al. 2009), when using the timing technique.

Planet properties also appear to be affected by the presence of companions, as is the case for the mass distribution, with massive planets in close orbits found primarily in binaries (Zucker & Mazeh 2002; Udry et al. 2003; Desidera & Barbieri 2007), and for planet eccentricity, which is enhanced in binary systems, possibly through the Kozai resonance (Tamuz et al. 2008). The circumbinary planets found so far around eclipsing binaries are all rather massive and have long periods. The possible link of these features with the original system configuration and its

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evolution (all the central binaries include a remnant object) needs to be investigated.

The general radial velocity (*RV*) surveys include several binaries in their samples, but in most cases only the brightest star in the system is under *RV* monitoring. Dedicated surveys of planets in binary systems with well-defined properties help for better understanding the impact of binarity on planet formation. Some of these projects are focused on spectroscopic binaries (Eggenberger 2010; Konacki et al. 2009), while others study visual binaries using *RV* (our survey, Desidera et al. 2010; Toyota et al. 2009) and astrometry (Muterspaugh et al. 2010). Our ongoing survey using SARG at TNG is the first planet-search survey specifically devoted to binary systems. It targets moderately wide binaries (typical separation 100–500 AU) with similar components (twins). The sample includes about 50 pairs of main sequence solar-type stars with projected separation larger than 2 arcsec, distance smaller than 100 pc and magnitude difference $\Delta V < 1$ mag. The sample selection and the survey itself are described in Desidera et al. (2010).

Unlike most of the multiple systems included in the *RV* surveys, both components of the pair are systematically observed in our survey, usually with the same time sampling. This allows the investigation of possible factors driving planets in binary systems to occur and of possible effects induced, directly or indirectly, by the presence of planets, such as altering chemical abundances by accreting metal-rich planetary material (Desidera et al. 2004).

In this paper we present the interesting case of the HD 132563 system, whose components show both *RV* variations: those with amplitudes larger than 1 km s^{-1} for the primary, implying most likely a stellar companion, and those with amplitudes of a few tens of m/s for the secondary, suggesting there is a planetary companion. The paper is organized as follows. In Sect. 2 we present the observations taken at TNG using SARG (high-resolution spectroscopy) and AdOpt (direct imaging). In Sect. 3 we present the properties of the components. In Sect. 4 we present the evidence for a planetary companion around HD 132563B. In Sect. 5 we show that HD 132563A is a long-period spectroscopic binary, and we discuss the clues to the mass and the orbital parameters of the companion. In Sect. 6 we present the clues to the orbital parameters of the wide pair and its possible influence on the planet orbiting HD 132563B. In Sect. 7 we discuss the results, with emphasis on planets in triple systems and on the metallicity difference between components with and without planets. In Sect. 8 we summarize our conclusions.

2. Observations and data reduction

2.1. High-resolution spectroscopy with SARG

SARG, the high-resolution spectrograph of TNG (Gratton et al. 2001), was used to gather high-resolution spectra of the components of HD 132563. The spectrograph is equipped with an iodine cell to obtain high-precision radial velocities. The spectra were taken with the yellow grism (spectral coverage between 4620 and 7920 Å), which is ideal for including the full range over which the lines of the iodine cell are present and which at the same time provides the highest instrument efficiency. We used the 0.25 arcsec slit, which yields a 2-pixel spectral resolution of 144 000. All the spectra except one (used as template for the *RV* determination and for stellar characterization purposes) were obtained with the iodine cell inserted into the optical path.

Integration time was fixed at 900 or 1200 s, to keep errors due to the lack of knowledge of flux mid-time of each exposure smaller than photon noise. After HD 132563B was selected as a high-priority planet candidate, two consecutive spectra were acquired to make *RV* errors smaller. In these case, nightly averages were computed and used in the following analysis. The templates were obtained with an integration time of 3600 s in optimal seeing conditions (0.75 arcsec). Median seeing of star-iodine spectra, measured as FWHM of the spectra across dispersion, is 1.23 arcsec. While the contamination of the spectra is not of particular concern given the projected separation of this pair (4.1 arcsec), we followed our standard observing procedure that foresees a slit oriented perpendicularly to the binary projected separation to minimize the contamination of the spectra by the other component. Overall, 53 and 47 spectra with the iodine cell of HD 132563 A and B respectively were acquired from June 2001 to April 2011. Data reduction was performed in a standard way using IRAF. Radial velocities were obtained using the AUSTRAL code (Endl et al. 2000), as described in Desidera et al. (2003).

2.2. Imaging with AdOpt-at-TNG

HD 132563 was observed with AdOpt-at-TNG, the adaptive optics module of TNG (Cecconi et al. 2006), with the goal of detecting or constraining the mass of the companion responsible of the *RV* variations of HD 132563A and to better characterize the circumstellar environment of both components. HD 132563 was observed on 20 Jul. 2007 (a series of 22 images) and on 10 Aug. 2008 using the Bry intermediate-band filter (three series of 27, 23, and 29 images at different rotation angles to better remove instrumental artifacts). Individual integration times were chosen to avoid detector saturation from the bright components, as we are aiming to look for companions at small angular separation, where the responsible for the *RV* variations of HD 132563A is expected (see Sect. 5.2). Pointing jitter was performed for sky subtraction purposes. The primary was used as reference star for adaptive optics.

The instrument has a field of view of about 44×44 arcsec, with a pixel scale of $0.0437''/\text{pixel}$. Plate scale and absolute detector orientation were derived by us when observing the systems with long term trends and planet candidates of our survey (see Desidera et al. 2010, for some preliminary results).

Data reduction was performed by first correcting for detector crosstalk using routines developed for this purpose at TNG¹ and then performing standard image preprocessing (flat-fielding, bad pixels, and sky corrections) in the IRAF environment.

The two components are within the isoplanatic angle and then characterized by a very similar PSF (Fig. 1). This allows us to achieve much better detection limits on difference images, subtracting the PSF of one component from the other.

Images with the same rotation angle were reduced together to obtain a single image for each different rotation. As a first step we created two separate images by masking one of the components. On these images we found the position of the center of the component that is not masked by applying a two-dimensional Gaussian fit procedure. We then subtracted the stellar profiles of both the components by subtracting the standard deviation in circular annuli around the position of the star. We then applied a procedure to remove bad and hot pixels that simply substitute the value of a pixel with the median of the eight surrounding

¹ http://www.tng.iac.es/instruments/nics/files/crt_nics7.f

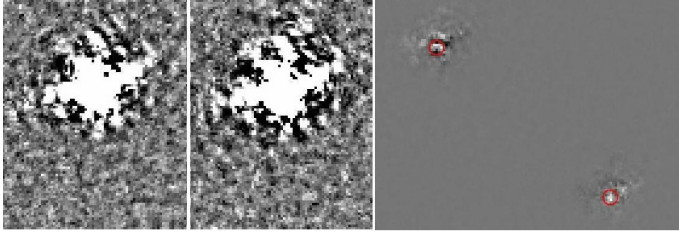


Fig. 1. Image of HD 132563 system obtained with AdOpt-at-TNG. *Left and central panels:* HD 132563 A and B, respectively. *Right panel:* image obtained subtracting the companion PSF for each component. The red circles show the $1 \lambda/D$ limit for each component.

Table 1. Relative astrometry of the components of HD 132563 from the observations with AdOpt-at-TNG.

Epoch	θ deg	ρ arcsec
2007.548	276.69 ± 0.12	4.109 ± 0.015
2008.608	276.95 ± 0.16	4.130 ± 0.015

ones if its value is higher than the value of the median plus four times the standard deviation on these pixels. All the images were then shifted so that the position of the stars is always the same. Finally, we applied a high-pass filtering procedure that substitutes the value of each pixel with the median of a square of $n \times n$ pixels around it, where however, we excluded the central pixels to avoid subtracting eventual objects. The value of n can be changed according to the distance from the central star. At the end of the procedure, we made a mean of the the two masked images to get the final reduced image. We then made a median on the datacubes containing all the images with the same rotation. We did discard the images with a value of the FWHM that was higher than the value of the median plus the standard deviation of the distribution. When images taken at different rotation angles are available, the resulting images from this procedure were then rotated and summed together to enhance the background objects in the FOV. To further reduce the speckle noise in the final image we subtracted each other the square regions composed by 51×51 pixels around the position of the two components. Before the subtraction the two subimages were normalized, taking their total flux into account. Figure 1 shows the image after subtracting of the two components of the HD 132563 system. Table 1 lists our measurements of the relative astrometry between the components.

The magnitude difference in the Br_y band was obtained through aperture photometry. Internal errors are within 0.005 mag. Additional errors due to transformation on standard system cannot be determined from our observations. However, we expect the effect on magnitude difference to be small, thanks to the similar colors of the stars. We conservatively adopt an error of 0.010 mag.

3. Stellar properties

HD 132563 (HIP 73261, ADS 9461) is a wide pair of main sequence, solar-type stars. The physical associations of the components was confirmed by the Hipparcos and historical astrometry, the small RV difference between the components, and the spectral properties of the objects (see below). The main properties of the components of HD 132563 are summarized in Table 2. An additional component (ADS 9461 C) at about 1 arcmin is listed in several binary star catalogs (e.g., CCDM, WDS). However

Table 2. Stellar properties of the components of HD 132563.

Parameter	HD 132563 A	HD 132563 B	Ref.
α (2000)	14 58 21.519	14 58 21.136	1
δ (2000)	+44 02 35.33	+44 02 35.87	1
μ_α (mas/yr)	-59.86 ± 1.41		2
μ_δ (mas/yr)	-70.12 ± 1.19		2
RV (km s ⁻¹)	-6.68 ± 0.20^a	-6.05 ± 0.20	3
RV (km s ⁻¹)	-6.5 ± 1.0^b		3
π (mas)	10.41 ± 1.45		2
d (pc)	96 ± 13		2
U (km s ⁻¹)	8.8 ± 1.1		3
V (km s ⁻¹)	-39.3 ± 4.9		3
W (km s ⁻¹)	13.5 ± 2.8		3
r_{\min} (kpc)	6.30 ± 0.31		3
r_{\max} (kpc)	8.594 ± 0.024		3
z_{\max} (kpc)	0.277 ± 0.039		3
e	0.154 ± 0.023		3
V	8.966 ± 0.007	9.472 ± 0.010	4
ΔV	0.505 ± 0.018		4
$B - V$	0.560 ± 0.023		1
$B - V$	0.54 ± 0.03	0.57 ± 0.05	4
$V - I$	0.63 ± 0.02		1
H_p scatter		0.016	1
$J_{2\text{Mass}}$		7.731 ± 0.054	5
$H_{2\text{Mass}}$		7.576 ± 0.033	5
$K_{2\text{Mass}}$	7.431 ± 0.21	7.494 ± 0.049	5
ΔK		0.467 ± 0.010	3
NUV magnitude		13.465 ± 0.003	6
FUV magnitude		19.27 ± 0.08	6
M_V	4.05 ± 0.30	4.56 ± 0.30	3
T_{eff} (K)	6168 ± 100^c	5985 ± 100	4
$\Delta T_{\text{eff}}(A - B)$ (K)		184 ± 12	4
$\log g$	4.15^c	4.27	4
$v \sin i$ (km s ⁻¹)	2.0 ± 0.8^c	1.5 ± 0.5	3
[Fe/H]	-0.18 ± 0.10^c	-0.19 ± 0.10	4
$\Delta[\text{Fe}/\text{H}](A - B)$		0.012 ± 0.013	4
$EW_{\text{Li}} 6707 \text{ \AA}$	30.2^c	42.9	3
$\log N_{\text{Li}}$	2.7^c	2.7	3
$\text{Mass}(M_\odot)$	1.081 ± 0.010^c	1.010 ± 0.010	3
Age (Gyr)		~ 5	3

Notes. Where one value is listed at the center of the table means the measurement refers to joined A+B components or to the difference between the components. ^(a) Instantaneous RV of HD 132563Aa; ^(b) approximate system RV taking into account all the known components in the system; ^(c) the value refers to HD 132563Aa component only.

References. 1 Hipparcos (ESA 1997); 2 van Leeuwen (2007); 3 This Paper; 4 Desidera et al. (2004); 5 2MASS (Skrutskie et al. 2006); 6 GALEX (Martin et al. 2005).

it is not physically associated to the system (different proper motion with respect to HD 132563AB; Roeser et al. 2008). We note that the photometry of the individual components likely has larger errors than those quoted in Table 2, because of blending effects.

3.1. Chemical composition

The iron abundance of the components of HD 132563 was determined in Desidera et al. (2004). The stars result

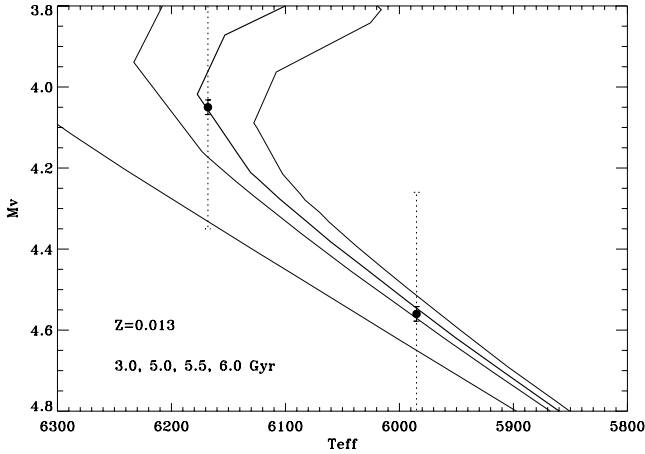


Fig. 2. Isochrone fitting of HD 132563 system. The Girardi et al. (2002) 3.0, 5.0, 5.5, and 6.0 Gyr $Z = 0.013$ (the nominal metallicity of the system) isochrones are shown, together with the observational data. The larger error bars (dotted lines) refer to the absolute error (dominated by error on distance); the smaller error bars (continuous lines) refer to errors on the difference between the components.

moderately metal-poor ($[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] = -0.19$). There is no significant iron abundance difference between the components ($\Delta[\text{Fe}/\text{H}] = 0.013 \pm 0.012$). The implication of this result is discussed further in Sect. 7.2. The abundance of α elements compared to iron is close to solar, as expected for thin-disk stars.

Lithium abundance was derived through spectral synthesis of the 6708 Å Li doublet, adopting the atmospheric parameters from Desidera et al. (2004). We found $\log N_{\text{Li}} = 2.7 \pm 0.1$ for HD 132563A and $\log N_{\text{Li}} = 2.7 \pm 0.1$ for HD 132563B.

3.2. Isochrone fitting and stellar masses

After we adopted the stellar parameters from the abundance analysis, the stellar models by Girardi et al. (2002; using the web interface param², Da Silva et al. 2006) yield stellar masses of 1.071 ± 0.045 for HD 132563A and $0.991 \pm 0.046 M_{\odot}$ for HD 132563B and ages of 3.6 ± 3.0 and 4.4 ± 3.9 Gyr. However, these estimates do not consider the much smaller error bars on the difference of magnitude, temperature, and metallicity between the components. The magnitude difference ΔV , coupled with the effective temperature difference ΔT_{eff} , indicates that the primary is slightly evolved. After adopting the spectroscopic effective temperatures and metallicities, the age is tightly constrained at 5.5 Gyr (Fig. 2). Uncertainties in temperature scale and absolute abundance implies an error of about 1.5 Gyr on stellar age. The stellar masses determined from the best-fit isochrone³ are 1.081 and 1.010 M_{\odot} for HD 132563 A and B, respectively.

3.3. Activity and rotation

Projected rotational velocities were measured by fast Fourier transform (FFT) of absorption profiles, which were computed by the cross correlation function (CCF) of the stellar spectra involved in the line bisector study. About 30–35 unblended lines,

² <http://stev.oapd.inaf.it/param>

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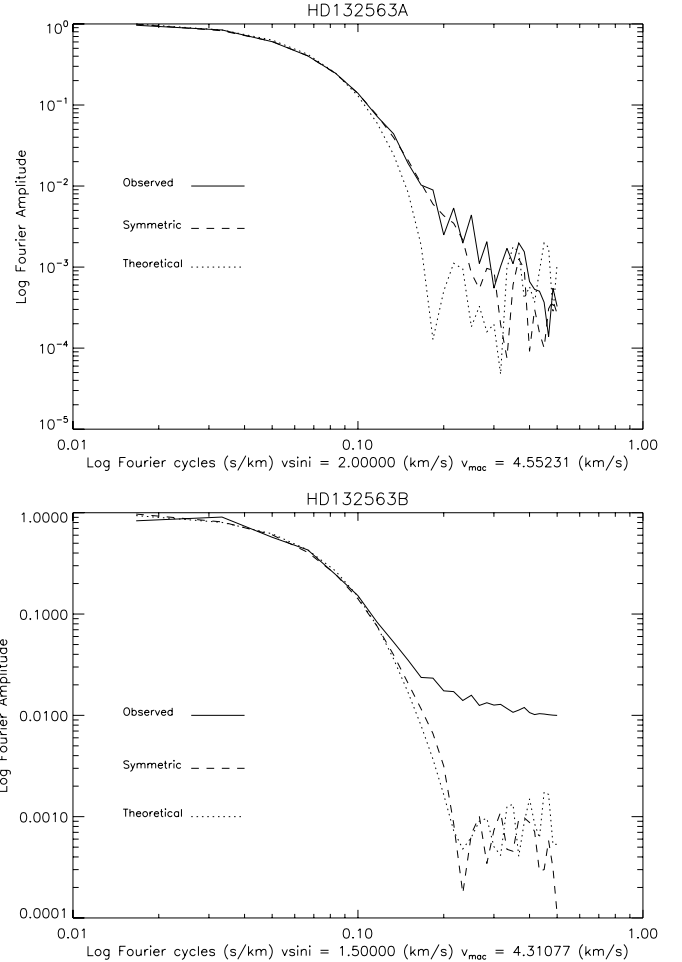


Fig. 3. The FFT of HD 132563 A and B (upper and lower panels) for three absorption profiles: the solid line for the observed profiles, the dashed line for the symmetric profiles where the FFT appears less noisy, and the dotted line for the calculated (model) profiles.

mainly Fe in the wavelength range 5230–6050 Å, were selected when building the CCF. The CCF profiles (i.e. the observed profiles from the stars) were made symmetric by mirroring one of its halves, aiming to reduce the noise of the FFT. A new profile was calculated by the convolution of a macroturbulence profile (Gaussian) and a rotational one, to compare the FFTs of the symmetric and the calculated (model) profiles. Macroturbulence was estimated from effective temperature using the standard relation by Valenti & Fischer (2005). The projected rotation velocity $v \sin i$ corresponds to the case where the first minimum of the FFT from the calculated profile coincides with the first minimum of the FFT from the symmetric one, as described by Gray (1992). The projected rotation velocities of HD 132563 A and B result $v \sin i = 2.0 \pm 0.8$ and $1.5 \pm 0.5 \text{ km s}^{-1}$, respectively.

A direct measurement of magnetic activity level would be very useful for interpreting the RV variations in terms of Keplerian motion or activity jitter. Unfortunately, it is not possible to simultaneously observe the region that is rich in iodine lines and the CaII H&K chromospheric lines using SARG. An indirect estimate in the chromospheric emission can be derived from the measurement of UV excess in GALEX photometry. Adopting the joined *B* and *V* photometry from Hipparcos and the FUV GALEX magnitude of 19.27 ± 0.08 , we get an UV excess of -0.94 mag over the photospheric value, when using the

calibration by Smith & Redenbaugh (2010). Such an excess is what is expected for a star with the color of HD 132563 and with $\log R_{\text{HK}}$ about -4.6^4 (see Fig. 4 in Smith & Redenbaugh 2010). The corresponding age using the calibration of Mamajek & Hillenbrand (2008) is 1.2 Gyr, with a large uncertainty.

The X-ray emission of the object was not detected by ROSAT (Voges et al. 2000). The upper limit of $\log L_X < 28.6$ (assuming equal X-ray luminosity for the two components and neglecting the tertiary component around the primary, see below) corresponds to an age older than about 1.3 Gyr using the calibration of Mamajek & Hillenbrand (2008). The star also does not have large photometric variability (0.016 mag dispersion from Hipparcos measurements, which refer to the joined A+B components and is flagged as “duplicity induced variability”, so that the intrinsic variability is likely below this value).

3.4. Absolute radial velocity and kinematics

The absolute radial velocity of the components obtained through cross-correlation with templates of stars from the list of Nidever et al. (2002) results of $-6.68 \pm 0.20 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ for HD 132563 A and $-6.05 \pm 0.2 \text{ km s}^{-1}$ for B respectively. The systemic velocity to be used for the kinematic analysis cannot be determined with accuracy because of the unknown mass and orbit of the spectroscopic companion around HD 132563A. From plausible values derived in Sect. 5.2, we adopt a RV of $-6.5 \pm 1.0 \text{ km s}^{-1}$. The space velocities, taking trigonometric parallax and proper motion from van Leeuwen (2007) into account, result in $U, V, W = +8.8 \pm 1.1, -39.3 \pm 4.9, \text{ and } 13.5 \pm 2.8 \text{ km s}^{-1}$. The UVW velocities are well outside the kinematic space populated by young stars (Montes et al. 2001). The galactic orbit was derived following the procedure described in Barbieri & Gratton (2002, which assumes the Galactic gravitational potential by Allen & Santillan 1991). The numerical integration of the galactic motion yields the following parameters: $r_{\text{min}} = 6.30 \pm 0.31 \text{ kpc}$, $r_{\text{max}} = 8.594 \pm 0.024 \text{ kpc}$, $z_{\text{max}} = 0.277 \pm 0.039 \text{ kpc}$, and $e = 0.154 \pm 0.023$. The kinematic properties then indicate an age similar to the Sun and possibly even slightly older.

3.5. Stellar age

The isochrone age of $5.5 \pm 1.5 \text{ Gyr}$ is fully consistent with the kinematic properties of the system, the slow projected rotational velocity, and the X-ray non-detection. Lithium and chromospheric activity instead favor a younger age of about 1–3 Gyr. Considering the lower error in the isochrone fitting, we adopt 5 Gyr as the most probable stellar age (Table 3).

4. A giant planet around HD 132563B

4.1. Radial velocity variations of HD 132563B

The RV s of HD 132563B (Table 5) show significant variations (rms 23.4 m/s) compared to internal errors (10.3 m/s). Internal errors are larger than those for the typical targets of the SARG planet search because the object is at the faint end of our sample. The Lomb-Scargle periodogram (Scargle 1982) shows a well-defined peak at about 1500 d. Bootstrap simulations performed

⁴ An alternative explanation for the small UV excess is represented by a hot white dwarf in the system, possibly the spectroscopic companion of HD 132563A. However, there are several reasons, discussed in Sect. 5, to consider more likely that the spectroscopic companion is an M or K dwarf rather than a white dwarf.

Table 3. Summary of age estimates of HD 132563 components.

Method	Age Gyr
Isochrone fitting	5.5 ± 1.5
Chromospheric emission	~ 1.2
X-ray emission	> 1.3
Lithium	1–4
Rotation	2–6
Kinematic	3–6
Adopted	5

by scrambling the RV s yield a false alarm probability of 5/10000 (Fig. 4). This is low enough to provide confidence that the detected RV periodicity is real.

4.2. Origin of RV variations

Before inferring the Keplerian nature of the observed variations we have to exclude alternative possibilities such as magnetic activity. An activity jitter of 20 m/s is usually observed in stars of similar color with $\log R'_{\text{HK}} \sim -4.4 \div -4.5$ and age of about 400 Myr. As discussed in Sect. 3, we do not have any indication of such a strong magnetic activity of the star or such a young age. Furthermore the observed RV period is much longer than the expected rotational period of a solar type star.

Finally, activity-induced variations are usually accompanied by changes in line profiles correlated with those of radial velocities, even if this diagnostic is less sensitive for slowly rotating stars such as HD 132563B; see Santos et al. (2003) and Desort et al. (2007). To this aim, we performed the analysis of line bisectors using the technique described in Martinez Fiorenzano et al. (2005). As shown in Fig. 5, there is no significant correlation between RV and bisector velocity span (BVS).

Another potential source of spurious RV variations in multiple systems is represented by contamination of the spectra by the light of the other components. This is not of concern in the present case considering the projected separation of about 4.1 arcsec. A few spectra taken with a seeing of about 2 arcsec show no indication of significant contamination neither as outliers in the RV curve nor in the line profile and there is no correlation between RV and seeing.

We then conclude that the most likely explanation for the observed RV variation is the presence of a low-mass object, HD 132563Bb, whose projected mass is clearly in the planetary regime.

4.3. Orbital parameters

Orbital parameters to characterize the detected RV variations of HD 132563B were determined by using an our own code, which is based on a Levenberg-Marquardt least-squares fit of the RV s. An additional error of 7 m/s (representing activity jitter and possible unrecognized systematic errors) was added in quadrature to internal errors when performing the fit. The best-fit parameters are listed in Table 6 and the best-fit solution plotted in Fig. 4. The errors in the orbital parameters were derived by simulating synthetic datasets that take the adopted jitter and performing orbital fitting into account for each fake RV series. The rms of residuals from the fit are 12.7 m/s, slightly larger than the internal errors. A circular orbit fitting yields slightly larger residuals (13.5 m/s), indicating that the value eccentricity is rather

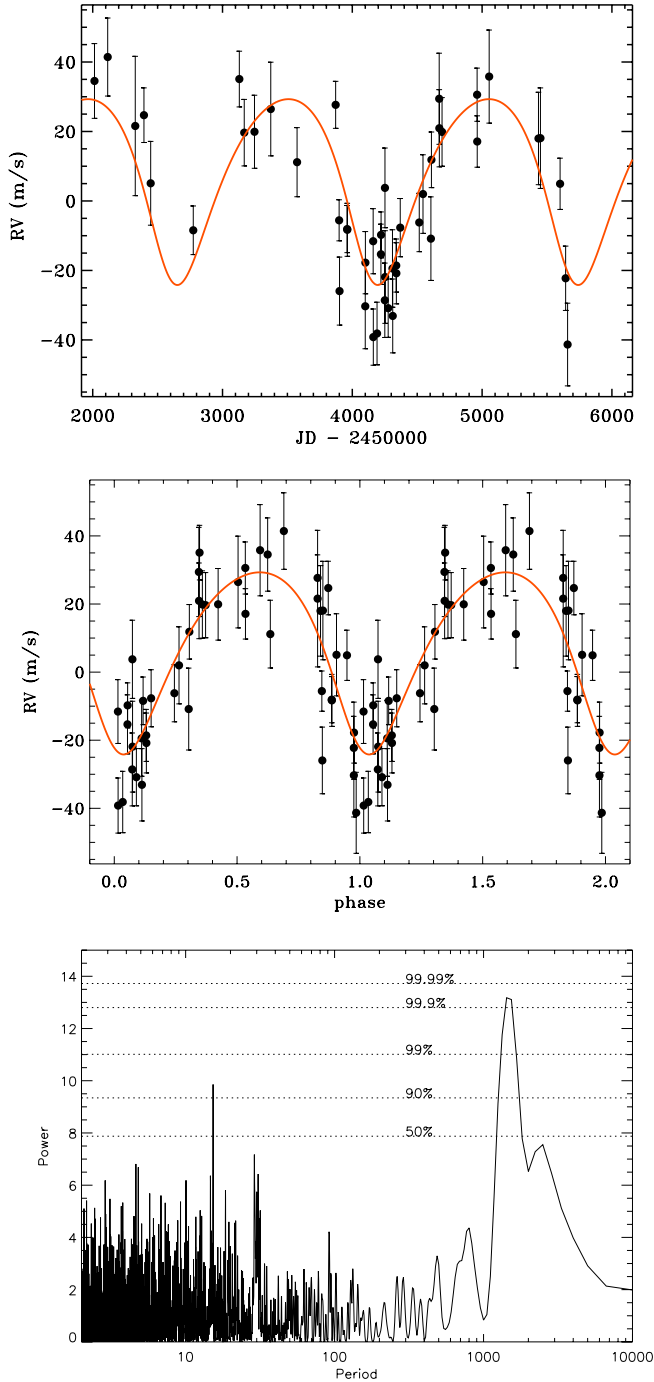


Fig. 4. *Upper panel:* radial velocities of HD 132563 B, overplotted is the Keplerian best fit. *Central panel:* radial velocities phased to the best-fit period. *Lower panel:* Lomb-Scargle periodogram of the radial velocities. Overplotted are the various confidence levels as derived from the bootstrap analysis.

uncertain. From the stellar mass $1.010 M_{\odot}$, we derive a projected mass of $1.49 M_J$ and a semimajor axis of 2.62 AU for HD 132563Bb.

Analysis of residuals from the best-fit orbit does not reveal any significant periodicities (Fig. 6). There is a possible long-period modulation that is not highly significant but that calls for the continuation of the RV monitoring to look whether it is real and, in this case, if it might be due to an additional planet

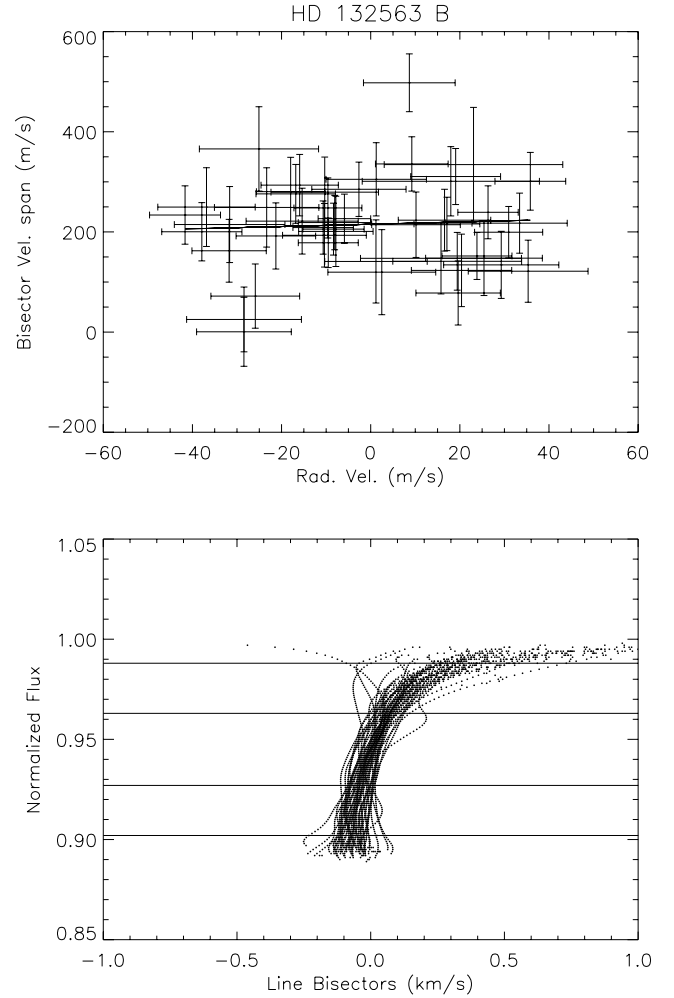


Fig. 5. *Upper panel:* bisector velocity span (BVS) vs. radial velocity for the spectra of HD 132563B, showing no correlation. *Lower panel:* line bisectors of individual spectra of HD 132563B. The parts of the line profile adopted for the derivation of BVS are shown as horizontal lines.

Table 6. Orbital parameters and results of fitting for RV of HD 132563B.

Parameter	Value
Period (d)	1544 ± 34
K (m/s)	26.7 ± 2.2
e	0.22 ± 0.09
ω (deg)	158 ± 35
T_0	2593 ± 148
$m \sin i (M_J)$	1.49 ± 0.09
a (AU)	2.62 ± 0.04
rms res (m/s)	12.7

in outer orbit. The highest peak in the periodogram of residuals in the range 10–30 days is at 16.4 days, which is different from the second highest peak in periodogram of the original RVs (15.3 days). Such a periodicity might be related to stellar rotation but can just come from noise fluctuations.

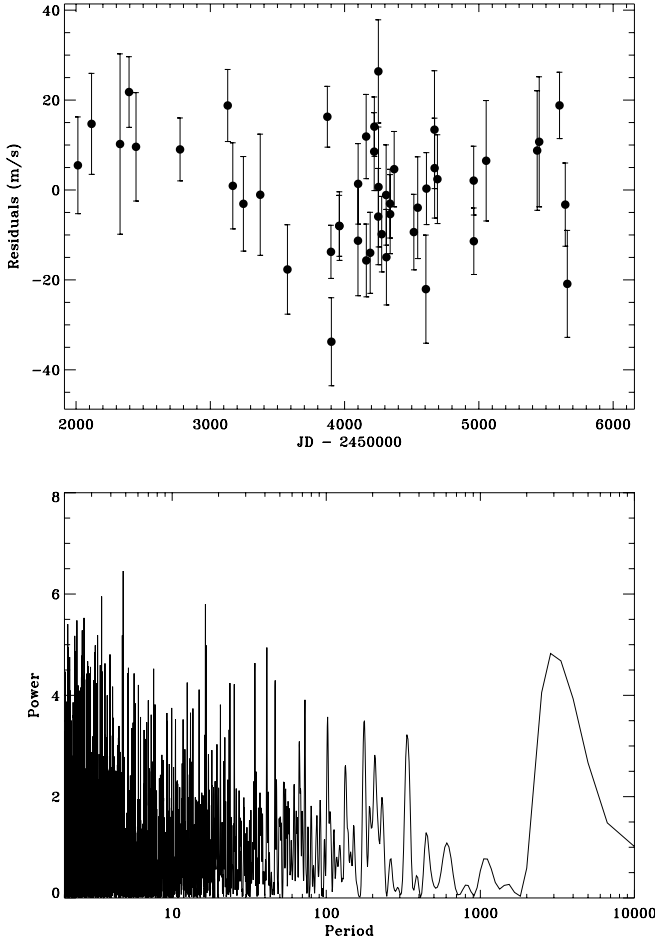


Fig. 6. *Upper panel:* residuals from best fit orbit. *Lower panel:* lomb-Scargle periodogram of residuals from formal Keplerian best fit of the radial velocities of HD 132563B.

5. A stellar companion in highly eccentric orbit around HD 132563A

5.1. Radial velocity variations of HD 132563A

The *RV* of HD 132563A (Table 4) showed a nearly linear trend for a few years. The *RV* maximum was reached in 2006. After this, an *RV* decrease with increasingly steep slope was observed (Fig. 7). The peak-to-valley *RV* variations are now more than 1 km s^{-1} , placing the companion to HD 132563A well outside the planetary mass regime⁵. The orbit is highly eccentric. Residuals from the formal best-fit orbit do not show any significant periodicities. The dispersion of the residuals is 14.1 m/s , which are significantly larger than the internal errors (8.5 m/s), leaving room for a jitter of about 11 m/s ⁶.

⁵ Following standard notation, we identify the primary of the spectroscopic pair as HD 132563Aa, contributing to a large fraction of the observed flux, and its spectroscopic companion as HD 132563Ab.

⁶ An additional error in the *RVs* might also be expected if the contribution of HD 132563Ab to the integrated spectrum is not negligible. In this case, the velocity difference between the spectroscopic components changes with time, and the template, which is unique for all the observations, might not be fully representative of the true stellar spectrum at the various epochs, causing some degradation in the modeling of the composite iodine+star spectrum.

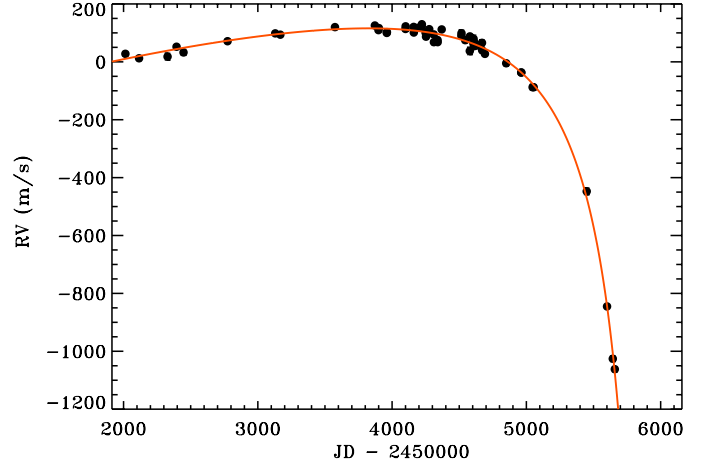


Fig. 7. Radial velocities of HD 132563A. Overplotted the Keplerian best fit.

Because only a portion of the orbit of HD 132563 A was observed, a wide variety of orbital solutions and companion masses are compatible with the *RV* data (Sect. 5.2) However, additional, available data allow us to further constrain the possible parameters of the companion. They are described below individually, and conclusions on the possible mass and orbit are presented in Sect. 5.8.

5.2. Monte Carlo simulation

To take the various constraints on the mass and orbital parameters of the spectroscopic companion into account we performed a dedicated Monte Carlo simulation. The procedure first generates a set of companion masses and all the orbital parameters. We established an upper limit on the semimajor axis at 40 AU (corresponding to a period of about 200 yr). Wider orbits appear unlikely because typically the inner pair in triple systems has an orbit that is much closer than the outer component, well within the dynamical stability region and the probability of catching the phase of steep *RV* variation at periastron passage in an *RV* monitoring of about ten years is lower than 5%. Furthermore, the relative astrometry does not indicate any periodicities that are a few times the time baseline of the observations, which would be expected because the astrometric amplitude is larger at longer periods for given companion mass, and best-fit solutions in our simulation are confined to shorter periods (see below). We also fix the upper limit of the companion mass at $0.8 M_{\odot}$, from the lack of signatures in our spectra (Sect. 5.3). From each generated input set, we derived the corresponding *RV* variations at the time of SARG observations, the projected separation and luminosity contrast at the time of AdOpt observations, and the astrometric amplitude for comparison with the observational data. This allowed us to identify the combination of parameters that produces an *RV* curve compatible with the observed one (r.m.s. of residuals $<18.5 \text{ m/s}$, 2σ limit as compared to the residuals from the formal best-fit orbit using F test; Fig. 7). Figure 8 shows the results of the simulations: there is a broad range of orbital parameters that are compatible with the *RV* signature, which becomes narrower when considering only the best-fit solutions (1σ limit; r.m.s. of residuals $<15.7 \text{ m/s}$). The orbit results highly eccentric ($e > 0.65$), with periastron passage expected within the end of 2012. Table 7 lists the most probable orbital parameters as resulting from our simulations.

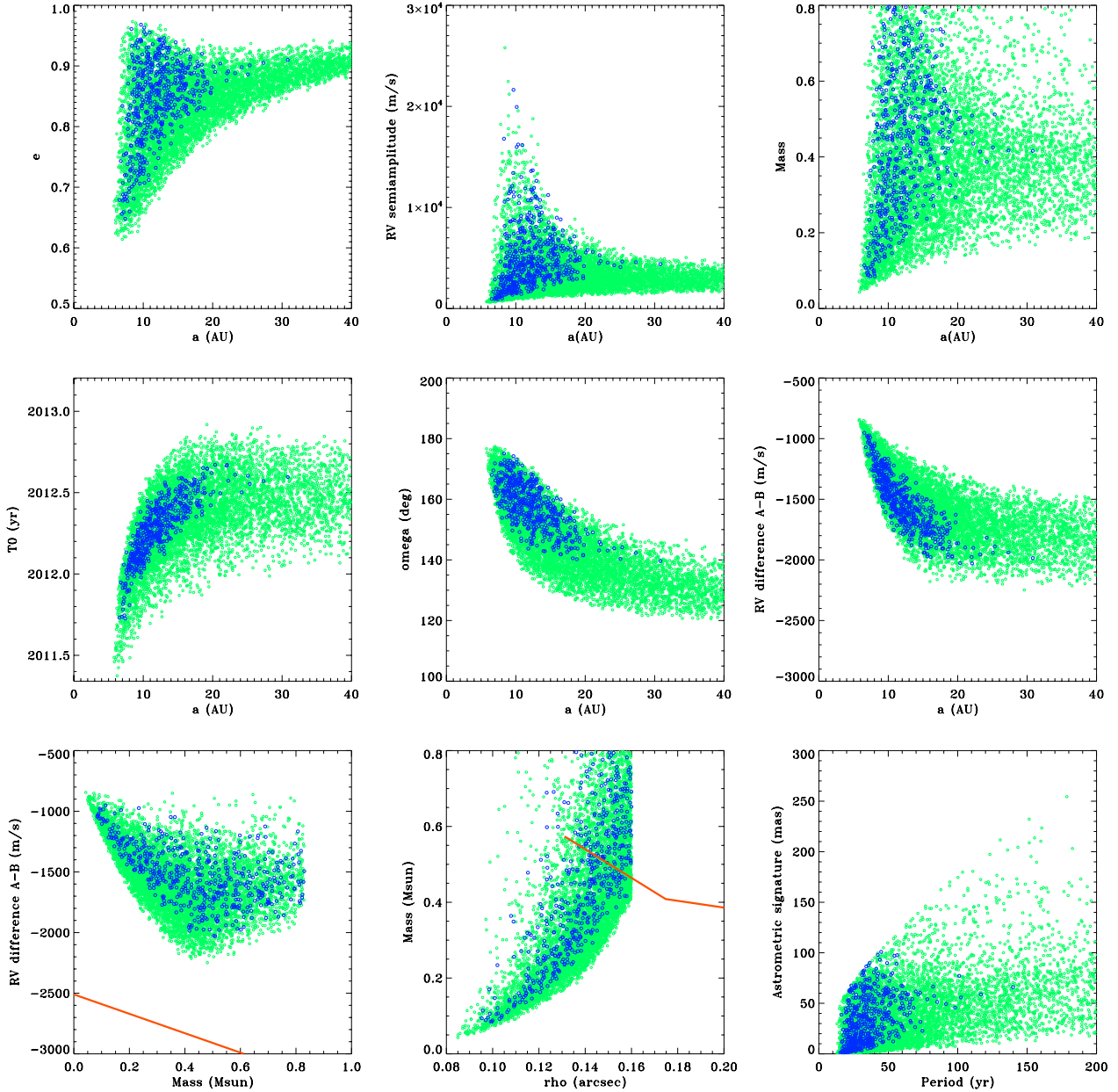


Fig. 8. Results of the Monte Carlo simulation, showing the possible parameters that are compatible with the observed RV curve of HD 132563A. Starting from top left: eccentricity, RV semi-amplitude, companion mass, time of periastron passage, longitude of periastron, RV difference between the components vs. semimajor axis; RV difference between the components vs. companion mass; companion mass vs. projected separation (at epoch 2007.548); astrometric amplitude vs. orbital period. Blue circles: solution with rms of residuals < 15.7 m/s; Green circles (light gray in BW): solution with rms of residuals 15.7–18.5 m/s. The red solid line in the mass vs. RV difference panel is the limit that allows the wide pair to be bound. The red solid line in the companion mass vs. projected separation panel shows AdOpt-at-TNG detection limits.

5.3. Spectral properties and line bisectors

We analyzed the spectra of HD 132563A and the resulting line profiles looking for signatures of the spectroscopic companion on the spectra (Fig. 9). There is no significant correlation between RV and BVS and the individual line profiles typically appear clean without indicating the spectral signatures of the spectroscopic companion. As a rough guess, we estimate that secondaries contributing more than 10% of the light in the V band are excluded by the line profile analysis. The absolute shape of the line bisector, less “C shaped” than HD 132563B, might indicate of a small contamination of the line profile at

negative RV (where we expect the contribution of the spectroscopic companion), at the level of a few %.

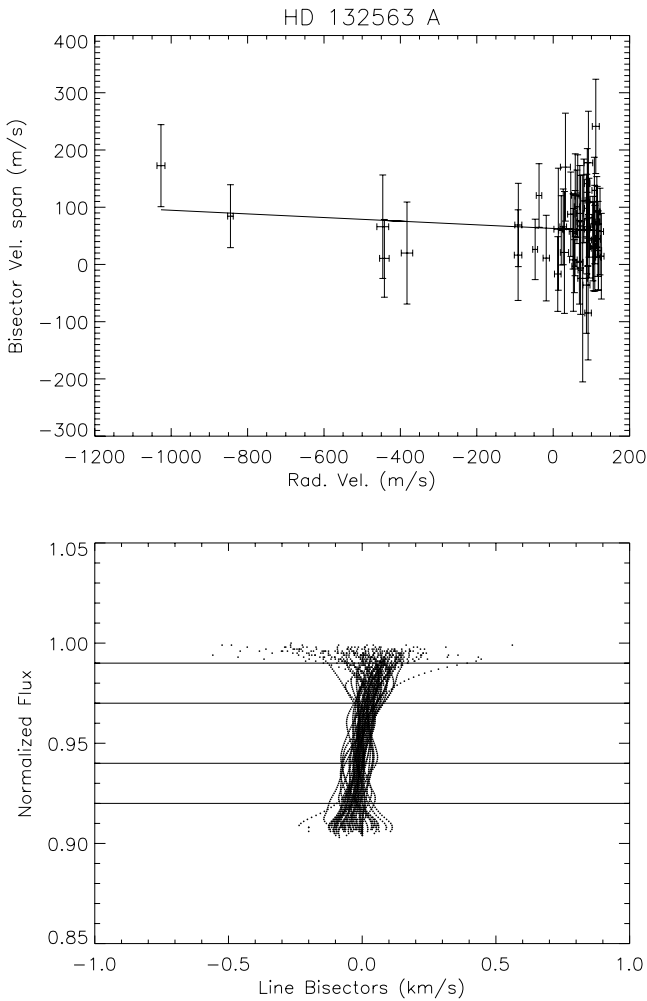
5.4. Magnitude difference between the components

As shown in Sect. 3.2, a fairly good isochrone fitting is obtained by exploiting the small errors on the V magnitude and temperature differences. The K mag difference, 0.467 ± 0.010 , is not compatible with what is expected from the best fit isochrone. The magnitude difference is larger by about 0.09 mag.

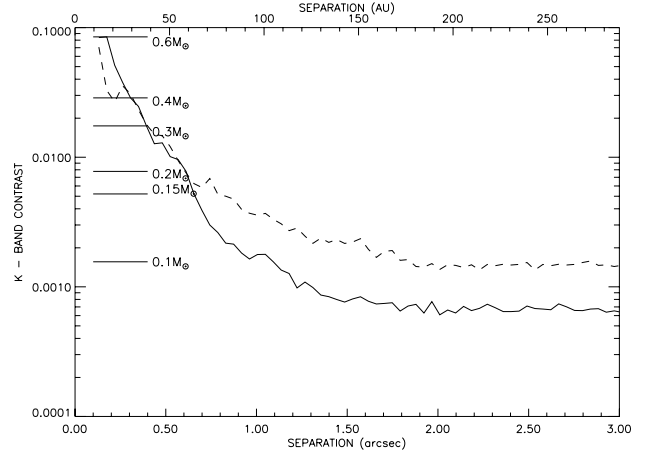
Because we know that there is an additional component in the system, HD 132563Aa, we derive its properties assuming

Table 7. Possible orbital parameters of HD 132563A, considering the orbital solutions that give rms of residuals <15.7 m/s.

Parameter	Mean	Median	rms
a (AU)	14.8	12.9	6.3
P (yr)	47	37	30
e	0.860	0.874	0.065
K (m/s)	5460	4887	2995
$m \sin i$ (M_{\odot})	0.40	0.38	0.18
mass (M_{\odot})	0.49	0.51	0.20
ρ (arcsec)	0.145	0.146	0.018
ω (deg)	160.2	160.0	5.9
T0 (yr)	2012.34	2012.34	0.20
γ (m/s)	-1625	-1613	288
astrom. sign. (mas)	51	40	43


Fig. 9. Upper panel: bisector velocity span (BVS) vs. radial velocity for the spectra of HD 132563A. No correlation is present. Lower panel: line bisectors of individual spectra of HD 132563A. The parts of the line profile adopted for deriving BVS are shown as horizontal lines.

that it is the cause of the K band excess and that the other two components follow the best-fit isochrone. We found $M_K = 2.76, 3.14,$ and 5.45 for HD 132563Aa, HD 132563B, and HD 132563Ab, respectively. Using the mass-luminosity relation by Delfosse et al. (2000), the corresponding mass of the spectroscopic companion would be $0.56 M_{\odot}$. The relative contribution


Fig. 10. K band detection limits for observations taken with AdOpt-at-TNG in July 2007 (dashed line) and August 2008 (continuous line). A few individual values of masses corresponding to contrast values are also shown.

of HD 132563Ab in V band would be smaller, about 0.7%, with little effect on the isochrone fitting.

5.5. Direct imaging

No companions close to either HD 132563 A or B were detected in our images taken with AdOpt-at-TNG (Sect. 2.2). The procedure of subtracting the PSF of the other component leaves residuals that cannot be eliminated by optimizing the position shift between the components. This indicates a slightly different PSF between the two components. A companion contributing less than 10% at a very small projected separation might produce such feature, which might also, however, be related to instrumental effects.

To estimate detection limits, we considered the dispersion of fluxes of pixels in circular annuli around the calculated position of the star, with steps of one pixel. The detection limits were set at five times the standard deviation in each annulus. During these calculations the pixels at less than 30 pixels from the other component were masked. In Fig. 10 we display the contrast obtained around the A component and the corresponding mass detection limits. To translate the contrast limit on companion masses, we adopt the K magnitude of the components from 2MASS (Skrutskie et al. 2006)⁷ and use the mass-luminosity relation by Delfosse et al. (2000) for companions with $M_K < 9$ and Chabrier et al. (2000) models at fainter magnitudes (using the adopted stellar age).

The expected projected separation at the epoch of our observations is between 0.09 and 0.18 arcsec (Fig. 8) at 2007.548 and smaller by about 10–15% one year later, as the pair is approaching periastron passage. The contrast limit derived at such separations corresponds to about $0.6 M_{\odot}$ ⁸. Detection limits at separations larger than 1.5 arcsec (background-limited region) is close to the stellar/substellar boundary.

The mentioned mass limits apply to main sequence stars. White dwarfs are faint in K band (Bergeron et al. 2001) and are

⁷ 2MASS photometry for close pairs of bright stars is rather poor, with the error exceeding the nominal ones because of blending.

⁸ Detection limits are uncertain at small projected separations, where there are few points in the circular annuli. Furthermore, a moderately bright companion can affect the centering procedure.

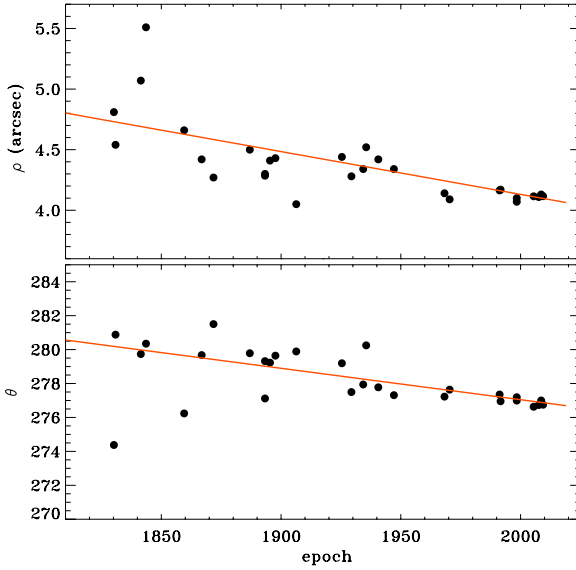


Fig. 11. Relative motion of HD 132563. Continuous line is the linear fitting to the data.

not excluded by our direct imaging data. However, a white dwarf appears unlikely as close companion. HD 132563A is a close enough binary that the (current) primary HD 132563Aa should have accreted a significant amount of material with the signature of AGB nucleosynthesis, becoming a barium dwarf, if its companion HD 132563Ab has evolved through the AGB phase and is now a white dwarf (see McClure et al. 1980; Frankowski & Jorissen 2007). However, the barium abundance of HD 132563A is identical within 0.01 dex to that of HD 132563B. The small FUV excess of the system can be explained by a moderate chromospheric activity of the stars.

5.6. Relative astrometry

The relative astrometry between the components of HD 132563 can be used to further constrain the properties of the companion around HD 132563A. Available astrometric measurements in the Washington Double Star Catalog (Mason et al. 2001, version 4 Apr. 2011, kindly provided to us by Mason) are shown in Fig. 11. The astrometric time series over a span of about 180 years clearly show the signature of the orbital motion. As no curvature is detected, we assume this is due to the motion of the wide pair and not to the spectroscopic companion to HD 132563A (otherwise the period of the companion would be very long, making the probability of catching the object at periastron passage very low). The linear best fit yields slopes of $d\rho/dt = -0.00353 \pm 0.00036$ arcsec/yr and $d\theta/dt = -0.0185 \pm 0.0033$ deg/yr.

Figure 12 shows the relative astrometry of HD 132563 in the last 20 years considering only high-quality measurements: Hipparcos, speckle interferometry (Douglass et al. 2000; Scardia et al. 2007; Losse 2010), and our own AdOpt measurements from Table 1. While the details of the residuals pattern depend on the adopted long-term slope, which has some uncertainty, the measurement by Douglass et al. (2000) is well outside of the linear fit obtained considering all epochs back to 1830. It is plausible that we are seeing the astrometric impact of HD 132563Ab on HD 132563Aa. If this is the case, a lower limit to the amplitude of the astrometric motion would be about 50 mas. This is compatible with the astrometric signature of a

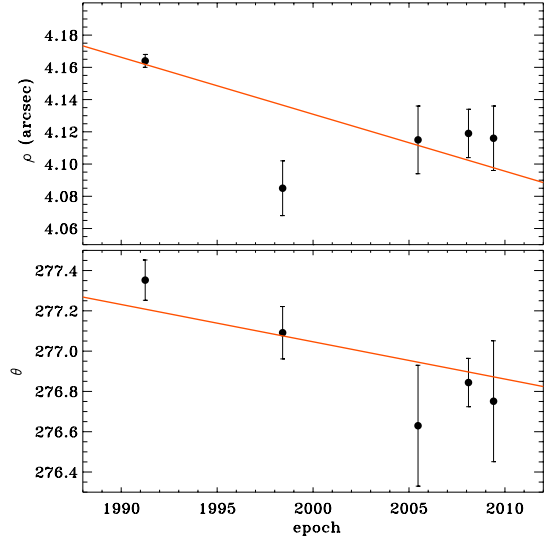


Fig. 12. Recent high-quality relative astrometry of HD 132563 system. Continuous line is the linear fitting to the data shown in Fig. 11. The measurements from Douglass et al. (2000) and AdOpt-at-TNG were averaged.

0.56 M_{\odot} companion, as suggested by the K band excess, and the most probable orbital elements from RV .

5.7. Radial velocity difference between the components

As HD 132563A is approaching the periastron of the spectroscopic orbit, its RV becomes more negative, and the RV difference between the components increases. However, for increasing values of the RV difference between HD 132563 A and B (because of a high value of RV amplitude of the spectroscopic variations) it would become no longer possible to ensure that the two wide components are bound. We derived such a limit using the approach presented by Hauser & Marcy (1999).

We first obtained the RV difference between the components of HD 132563 by measuring the RV of HD 132563B with the stellar template of HD 132563A. We found an RV difference between the mean of the RV s of each component of $\Delta RV(A - B) = -747 \pm 35$ m/s. The mean RV of HD 132563B is very close to the center of mass of the star+planet system, while the center of mass of HD 132563A is unknown because of the still undetermined spectroscopic orbit. However, from the orbital solutions compatible with the RV data we can infer that the absolute RV difference between the components should be between -900 to -2100 m/s, with a dependence on the mass of the spectroscopic companion (and semimajor axis, see Fig. 8; Sect. 5.2).

From the relative astrometry of the components, assuming that what we observe is their relative orbital motion, we derived the relative positions and velocities between the components on the plane of the sky (x, y, v_x, v_y). These result $x = 52$ AU, $y = -397$ AU, $v_x = -814$ m/s, and $v_y = 1515$ m/s. The RV difference between the components yields the velocity along the line of sight (v_z). The relative position along the line of sight (z) remains unknown.

The maximum separation for having a bound pair is

$$r_{\max} = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2 + z_{\max}^2} = \frac{2.0 G m_A m_B}{m_{\text{red}} v^2} \quad (1)$$

where m_A and m_B are the masses of HD 132563 A and B, respectively, m_{red} is the reduced mass, and v the orbital velocity

$$v = \sqrt{v_x^2 + v_y^2 + v_z^2}.$$

The RV differences between A and B that do not allow the system to be bound would be lower than -2.67 and -3.07 km s^{-1} for masses of HD 132563Ab of 0.20 and $0.70 M_{\odot}$ respectively. The actual values of the plausible orbital solutions are well above this limit (Fig. 8).

5.8. Conclusion on the characteristics of the spectroscopic companion

The results described above does not allow us to fully and conclusively determine the mass of HD 132563Ab but are all consistent with a 0.5 – $0.6 M_{\odot}$ companion. Such a mass is suggested by the small K band excess and the tentative evidence of astrometric signature. It is close to the most probable value suggested by the Monte Carlo simulation. Contribution to the integrated flux of HD 132563A is expected to be at a $\leq 1\%$ level in the visible, with negligible impact on the various results presented in the paper. The RV variations strongly constrain the orbital period, eccentricity, longitude of periastron and epoch of periastron passage. The continuation of the RV monitoring will allow a firm determination of these parameters and of the projected mass.

6. Binary orbit

The approach presented in Sect. 5.7 can also be used to put constraints on the orbit of the wide components (see Hauser & Marcy 1999). We use the values of x , y , v_x and v_y given above and explore the orbital parameters resulting from the allowed values of z , the separation between the components along the line of sight. Because a range of values for the RV difference and the total mass HD 132563A are possible, we perform the calculation for three representative pairs of these quantities (taking the correlation into account that results from our Monte Carlo simulations, see Fig. 8): $|\Delta RV| = 1.2, 1.4,$ and 1.6 km s^{-1} and mass of HD 132563Ab of $0.20, 0.45,$ and $0.70 M_{\odot}$, respectively. The results are shown in Fig. 13, while Fig. 14 shows the corresponding critical semimajor axis for dynamical stability (a_{crit} ; Holman & Weigert 1999)⁹. The plots of the orbital parameters for the three adopted configurations look qualitatively similar. Only highly eccentric orbits are allowed for $z < 0$, with rather close separations at periastron and limited regions for dynamical stability around both components. Such orbits of the wide binary are then excluded by the presence of the companion orbiting HD 132563A, which achieves a separation at apoastron of at least 15 AU. The most plausible zone is for z between 100 and 700 AU, corresponding to orbits with $a \sim 400$ – 3000 AU, $e \sim 0.2$ – 0.8 , periastron larger than ~ 100 AU, and a_{crit} larger than 30 AU for both components of the wide pair.

7. Discussion

7.1. The planet around HD 132563B

The planet around HD 132563B is a rather typical giant planet, lying in a well populated region in planetary mass vs. orbital period or semimajor axis diagram. The eccentricity is moderate and also not unusual for planets at this separation. HD 132563B has a lower metallicity with respect to the bulk of planet hosts, but its metal deficiency cannot be considered really peculiar.

⁹ The equation to derive a_{crit} is defined only for eccentricities below 0.8, and therefore the results shown in Fig. 14 are not accurate for the orbits with extreme eccentricities.

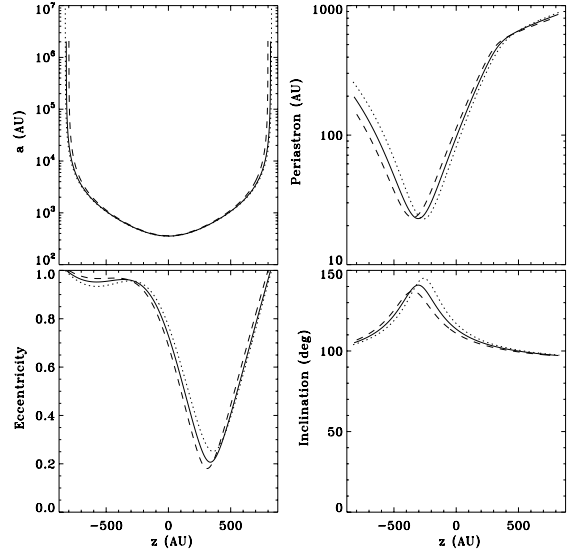


Fig. 13. Semimajor axis, eccentricity, periastron, and inclination of the binary orbit as a function of the separation along the line of sight z for various RV differences between the components and masses of HD 132563Ab. Continuous line: RV difference -1.4 km s^{-1} and mass $0.45 M_{\odot}$. Dotted line: RV difference -1.2 km s^{-1} and mass $0.20 M_{\odot}$. Dashed line: RV difference -1.6 km s^{-1} and mass $0.70 M_{\odot}$.

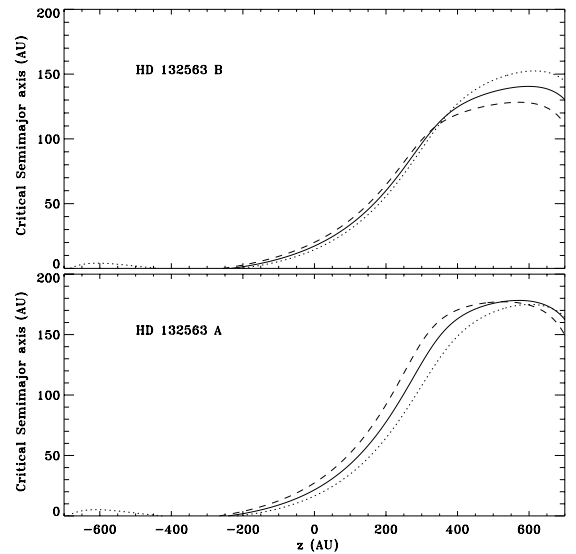


Fig. 14. Critical semimajor axis for dynamical stability for the various wide binary orbits shown in Fig. 13 (upper panel: HD 132563B; lower panel: HD 132563A). Line styles as in Fig. 13.

The orbit of the HD 132563 system is still undetermined, so we did not perform a detailed derivation of the dynamical stability of the planet. However, the presence of the HD 132563A pair, with a separation several times larger than the planet from its host star, guarantees that the planet orbit is stable.

7.2. Abundance difference between binary components with and without planets

As shown in Sect. 3, there are no significant abundance differences between the components of HD 132563 ($\Delta [\text{Fe}/\text{H}] = +0.012 \pm 0.013$). Our systematic searches for abundance differences in binary systems with similar components

Table 8. Abundance differences for binary systems with similar components that host planetary companions.

System	Planet host	$T_{\text{eff}}(\text{A})$ K	$\Delta T_{\text{eff}}(\text{A-B})$ K	[Fe/H](A)	$\Delta[\text{Fe}/\text{H}](\text{A-B})$	Ref.
16 Cyg	B	5745	62 ± 14	+0.10	-0.025 ± 0.009	1
16 Cyg	B	5765	39	+0.05	0.00 ± 0.01	2
HD 80606/7	A	5700	0	+0.46	-0.01 ± 0.11	3
HD 80606/7	A	5419	35	+0.254	$+0.002 \pm 0.081$	4
HD 99491/2	B	5502	547	+0.34	-0.02 ± 0.03	5
HD 99491/2	B	5650	400	+0.40	$+0.04 \pm 0.13$	3
HD 99491/2	B	5557	654	+0.365	$+0.076 \pm 0.059$	4
HD 20781/2	A	5774	518	-0.06	$+0.05 \pm 0.03$	6
HAT-P-1	B	6047	72	+0.12	-0.01 ± 0.05	7
XO-2	B	5500	160	+0.47	$+0.02 \pm 0.03$	8
HD 132563	B	6168	184 ± 12	-0.19	$+0.012 \pm 0.013$	9

References. 1: Laws & Gonzalez (2001); 2: Takeda et al. (2005); 3: Heiter & Luck (2003); 4: Taylor (2005); 5: Valenti & Fischer (2005); 6: Sousa et al. (2008); 7: Bakos et al. (2007); 8: Burke et al. (2007); 9: Desidera et al. (2004).

Table 9. Hierarchical triple systems with planets.

Planet Name	Host Mass M_{\odot}	Close Pair			Wide Pair		Planet			Ref.
		Comp. Mass M_{\odot}	ρ_{close} AU	ρ_{wide} AU	a_{crit}^a AU	M_{pl} M_J	a_{pl} AU	e_{pl}		
30 Ari B	1.16	$1.31+0.13^b$	0.02	1500	318	9.88	1.00	0.29	1, 2	
HD 40979	1.19	$0.83+0.38$	129	6400	1452	3.83	0.85	0.27	3	
HD 65216	0.92	$0.09+0.08$	6	253	82	1.21	1.47	0.41	4, 5	
HD 132563B	1.01	$1.08+0.56^c$	10	400	78	1.49	2.62	0.22	6	
HD 178911B	1.06	$1.10+0.79$	3	640	120	7.35	0.35	0.14	7	
16 Cyg B	0.99	$1.02+0.17$	70	850	183	1.68	1.68	0.68	8	
HD 196050	1.15	$0.29+0.19$	20	511	146	2.90	2.45	0.23	5	
91 Aqr ^d	1.23	$0.87+0.84$	18	2250	461	2.90	0.30	–	9, 10, 6	

Notes. ^(a) The critical semimajor axis for dynamical stability was obtained from the projected separation as in Bonavita & Desidera (2007); ^(b) minimum mass from spectroscopic orbit; ^(c) value of plausible mass, see Sect. 5; ^(d) planet announced in 2003 (Mitchell et al. 2003) but never published in refereed journals, confirmed at the Conference “Planetary Systems Beyond the Main Sequence”, as reported in the Extrasolar Planet Encyclopedia. Stellar mass of 91 Aqr obtained from param interface (Da Silva et al. 2006) using the input parameters from Hekker et al. (2007); stellar masses of the companions from magnitudes in WDS and mass-luminosity relation.

References. 1: Guenther et al. (2009); 2: Morbey & Brosterhus (1974); 3: Mugrauer et al. (2007a), 4: Mugrauer et al. (2007b), 5: Eggenberger et al. (2007); 6: This paper; 7: Tokovinin et al. (2000); 8: Patience et al. (2002); 9: Raghavan et al. (2006); 10: WDS (Mason et al. 2001).

(Desidera et al. 2004, 2006) allowed us to infer that large abundance differences are rare. Only one case with an abundance difference larger than 0.10 dex was found (HIP 64030) but the origin of the abundance variations might be unrelated to accretion of planetary material because the primary of this system is a blue straggler (Desidera et al. 2007). Also, abundance analysis of stars in open clusters did not reveal robust evidence of members with enriched abundances (e.g., Paulson et al. 2003; Shen et al. 2005). As we have only one planet known in the sample of Desidera et al. 2004 (HD 132563, presented here) and the samples of Desidera et al. 2006 and open cluster members were not systematically searched for planets, it is possible that the lack of abundance anomalies is due to the paucity of planets in our sample. We then consider in Table 8 the abundance difference in binaries with similar components for which giant planets have been detected. While optimized differential abundance analysis was only performed for 16 Cyg and HD 132563, there are no indications of large (≥ 0.10 dex) abundance differences in any of the seven systems for which data are available¹⁰. These results indicate that large metallicity enhancements comparable to

the typical metallicity difference between stars with and without giant planets (e.g., Gonzalez 2006) are rare. We then provide further support to the idea that high metallicity favors the formation of giant planets around solar-type stars (e.g., Santos et al. 2004; Fischer & Valenti 2005; Mordasini et al. 2009).

Some of the pairs in Table 8 have rather cool components for which the engulfment of fairly large amounts of rocky material are required to produce detectable abundance changes. The case of HD 132563 is very favorable thanks to the small errors on abundance difference and the rather thin convective zone of its components. Following the approach by Murray et al. (2001), the masses of the convective zones of HD 132563 A and B are 0.016 and 0.018 M_{\odot} , respectively. The 1-sigma error on our abundance difference corresponds to the accretion of just 0.13 for A and 0.14 M_{\oplus} of iron for B. These quantities are smaller than the amount of rocky material that should have been accreted by the Sun during its main sequence lifetime (0.4 M_{\oplus} of iron corresponding to 5 M_{\oplus} of meteoritic material), according to Murray et al. (2001).

Recent results suggest that the Sun has a peculiar abundance pattern with respect to solar analogs, with a depletion of refractory elements relative to volatile elements (Melendez et al. 2009;

likely applies also to Bakos et al. (2007) and Burke et al. (2007) abundance analysis, which were performed as in Valenti & Fischer (2005).

¹⁰ Valenti & Fischer (2005) actually considered the abundance differences between components of binaries with different temperatures as due to systematic effects in the analysis and introduced a correction to remove them. As these corrections are based on the analysis of several pairs, their impact on an individual pair are likely minor. This concern

Gonzalez et al. 2010; Ramirez et al. 2010), possibly linked to the formation of terrestrial planets. A more detailed evaluation of the full relative abundance pattern of HD 132563 components, will be performed in a forthcoming paper, by studying elements with different condensation temperature and exploring these issues.

7.3. Planets in triple systems

The planet orbiting HD 132563B is one of the few known in triple systems. Table 9 lists the current census of planets in triple systems. The first two columns list the name and the mass of the planet host. The 3rd and 4th columns list the individual masses of the two components of the close pair and their semimajor axis or projected separation. The 5th column lists the projected separation between the planet host and the distant pair and the 6th columns the critical semimajor axis for dynamical stability of planetary companions around the planet host; the 7th, 8th and 9th columns list the main planet parameters and finally the 10th column reports the references for the individual objects. In all these systems the planet orbits the isolated component of the hierarchical triple, with a close stellar pair at a much larger separation. At first order, the dynamical effects of the distant pair can be approximated by a single star with the sum of the masses of individual components. After deriving the critical semimajor axis for dynamical stability (Holman & Wiegert 1999) in this way, there are no systems for which the outer pair is found to have a strong impact on the planetary region. Another similar system not included in Table 9 is HD 41004, for which the companion of the no-planet host is in the substellar regime ($m \sin i = 18 M_J$; Zucker et al. 2004).

A different system architecture might be represented by WASP-8 = CCDM 23596-3502. This solar type star has an M dwarf companion (CCDM 23596-3502B; mass about $0.5 M_\odot$) at 400 AU projected separation (Queloz et al. 2010). Besides the transiting planet on a strongly inclined and eccentric orbit, WASP-8 shows a long term drift of 58 m/s/yr, without any significant indication of curvature over two years of observations. Continuation of the observation will reveal whether such a companion is a massive planet, a brown dwarf, or another stellar object in the system.

For five of the eight hierarchical systems in Table 9, the mass of the planet host is lower by more than 10% than the sum of the masses of the wide stellar companions. These are rather special cases in the current census of exoplanets in binaries, for which in nearly all cases the planet host is the most massive star in the system. This is likely from a combination of selection effects. In most cases only the stellar primary is under *RV* monitoring¹¹, and a significant fraction of the secondaries are low-mass stars for which there is evidence of a lower frequency of giant planets (Endl et al. 2006; Johnson et al. 2007). Solar-type companions of early type stars would allow investigating the role of the mass ratio on the occurrence of planets. Hierarchical triples represent an interesting alternative to such a program, providing a sample of stars that are affected by the dynamical influence of the equivalent of a more massive companion.

While a detailed study of the planets in triple systems is beyond the scope of this paper, it seems that hierarchical triple systems do not represent a hostile environment for planet formation around the isolated component, regardless of the mass

ratio between the planet host and the sum of the masses of the other components. In the sample of our survey, we have detected nine additional components that are likely stellar (19% of the pairs), and the first planet was detected in one of such. In the sample of planets in binaries studied in Desidera & Barbieri (2007), there are four triple systems among the 35 considered in the study (11%). This is lower than the fraction of triple systems with respect to binaries by about a factor of two (Tokovinin 2008), but the multiplicity estimate of the companion of planet host is underestimated (e.g., no dedicated *RV* monitoring looking for short-period companions in several cases). In the sample of Bonavita & Desidera (2007, with updates in Bonavita et al. 2010), there are 25 triple systems. For 12 of these systems, the component under *RV* monitoring is a member of the close pair, with no planets detected around them. This is consistent with the paucity of planets in close binaries (see Bonavita & Desidera 2007; Eggenberger 2010); in these cases, the dynamical effects on the target are dominated by close companion. The other 13 systems¹² are those for which the isolated component is under *RV* monitoring, with three planets detected (those orbiting HD 40979, HD 178911B, and HD 196050), leading to a frequency of planet of 23%. Selection biases certainly play a role in such a large frequency: dedicated deep imaging observations such as those that allowed the binarity of the companions of HD 40979 and HD 196050 to be identified were not performed for the majority of the stars in the UD sample. If we consider only the triple systems in the UD sample identified independently on the planet detection we find a planet frequency of 9% (1/11, HD 178911B), fully compatible with what is found for planets around single stars and components of wide binaries. This result further supports that isolated components in triple systems are not devoid of planetary companions.

In all but one stellar triple with planets, the separation of the stellar pair is larger than the planet semimajor axis. While selection effects certainly play a role (no spectroscopic monitoring of the companion to detect spectroscopic binaries in several cases), a moderately wide pair in a triple system guarantees that the present stellar orbits are not disruptive for the planetary system around the isolate component. A wide stellar triple might also indicate a rather unperturbed dynamical history for the system.

8. Conclusion

We have presented the discovery of a giant planet with a projected mass $m \sin i = 1.49 M_J$ at 2.6 AU in a moderately eccentric orbit around HD 132563B. This is the first planet detected using SARG at TNG as part of the survey that monitored about 100 stars that are members of wide binaries with similar components.

The star has a wide companion (HD 132563A) at a projected separation of 400 AU, which we found to be a spectroscopic binary with a period of about 25–30 yr in a highly eccentric orbit. Taking various observational constraints into account (unresolved photometry of HD 132563A, line profile analysis, adaptive optics imaging, astrometric data), we concluded that most likely the companion has a mass of about $0.5\text{--}0.6 M_\odot$. Therefore, HD 132563Bb is one of eight planets known to be in stellar triple systems. A tentative statistical analysis indicates that the isolated component in a hierarchical triple system is not hostile to planet formation, with planet frequency as high as for single stars and the components of wide binaries.

¹¹ Among 210 members of multiple systems identified by Bonavita & Desidera (2007) and Bonavita et al. (2010) in the “Uniform Detectability (UD)” sample of Fischer & Valenti (2005), only in 36 cases (18 pairs) were both components of the binary system observed.

¹² 14, if we include HD 97344, which has a close pair of brown dwarfs (total mass $0.05 M_\odot$) at a projected separation of about 2000 AU.

HD 132563B is a slightly metal-poor star with a mass very close to that of Sun. Its companion is less than 200 K warmer. Such a small temperature difference, coupled with the small convective envelope of the star, makes this system ideal for exploring accretion of metal-rich material of planetary origin. The differential abundance analysis (already performed in Desidera et al. 2004) yielded no significant abundance difference, with an error small enough to exclude accretion of about $5 M_{\oplus}$ of meteoritic material, which is the quantity that should have been accreted by the Sun during its main sequence lifetime.

This result, along with the lack of objects in binary systems and open clusters showing large enhancements of iron abundance that are linked to the evolution of planetary systems, agrees with the idea that large abundance anomalies, comparable to the typical metallicity difference between stars with and without giant planets, are rare.

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Table 4. Differential radial velocities of HD 132563 A.

JD -2 450 000	RV	Error
2013.6585	27.7	8.3
2115.4753	12.3	8.3
2327.6477	18.0	12.1
2394.6013	52.2	6.8
2446.5623	32.5	10.8
2774.5525	71.2	7.1
3129.6248	98.3	7.1
3167.5352	93.8	6.4
3574.4756	119.9	8.7
3871.6550	125.5	6.1
3898.5486	109.5	5.8
3901.5701	116.5	9.3
3960.4365	99.9	6.3
3961.4538	102.5	6.1
4099.7730	113.6	8.5
4100.7491	122.7	7.0
4160.6594	120.7	7.9
4161.6741	101.3	5.5
4190.6703	117.3	8.0
4220.6160	121.4	6.1
4221.5886	129.9	6.8
4250.5588	101.3	8.8
4251.5495	98.6	8.5
4252.5885	87.0	9.3
4276.5013	112.8	6.8
4309.4613	94.8	8.5
4311.4002	68.0	8.8
4338.3612	75.4	6.6
4339.3567	68.1	6.9
4369.3521	112.0	7.0
4515.6647	90.1	6.7
4516.6545	98.9	11.2
4544.6446	74.9	9.1
4578.5704	37.4	13.1
4579.5825	87.9	8.1
4605.5027	66.6	8.5
4606.5871	79.7	13.0
4607.5685	60.9	9.5
4609.5616	69.6	6.7
4610.5010	54.2	9.1
4636.5548	56.5	8.6
4669.5064	65.7	10.1
4670.5083	40.1	9.2
4691.4399	27.5	6.7
4849.7753	-4.9	9.3
4961.4343	-37.1	5.2
4962.4406	-36.8	7.1
5046.4187	-87.6	10.0
5054.4395	-87.8	8.9
5449.3704	-447.4	12.0
5600.7471	-845.1	7.0
5643.6802	-1025.7	10.4
5658.6051	-1061.9	9.4

Table 5. Differential radial velocities of HD 132563 B.

JD -2 450 000	RV	Error
2013.6719	34.5	10.8
2115.4885	41.4	11.2
2327.6601	21.6	20.1
2394.7006	24.7	7.9
2446.5757	5.1	12.1
2774.5654	-8.4	7.0
3129.6370	35.1	8.0
3167.5469	19.7	9.6
3246.4146	19.9	10.5
3371.7370	26.5	13.5
3574.4866	11.2	9.9
3871.6669	27.7	6.8
3898.5605	-5.6	5.9
3901.5821	-25.9	9.8
3960.4494	-8.1	6.8
3961.4655	-8.3	7.6
4099.7852	-30.3	12.2
4100.7608	-17.8	9.0
4160.6721	-11.6	9.4
4161.6960	-39.2	8.1
4190.6825	-38.1	9.0
4220.6272	-15.3	8.7
4221.6003	-9.8	6.6
4250.5700	-28.6	10.7
4251.5607	3.8	11.5
4252.5992	-21.9	13.3
4276.5130	-30.9	8.4
4309.4731	-19.4	11.2
4311.4120	-33.1	10.6
4338.3729	-18.6	7.6
4339.3680	-20.8	8.8
4369.3643	-7.7	8.4
4515.6764	-6.2	8.4
4544.6558	2.0	11.3
4605.5149	-10.8	12.0
4609.5743	11.8	8.0
4669.5191	29.4	13.1
4670.5210	20.9	11.1
4691.4526	19.9	9.9
4961.4455	30.6	7.7
4962.4523	17.1	7.4
5054.4531	35.8	13.4
5434.3939	18.0	13.3
5449.3543	18.1	14.5
5600.7241	4.9	7.4
5643.7032	-22.2	9.3
5658.6217	-41.3	11.9