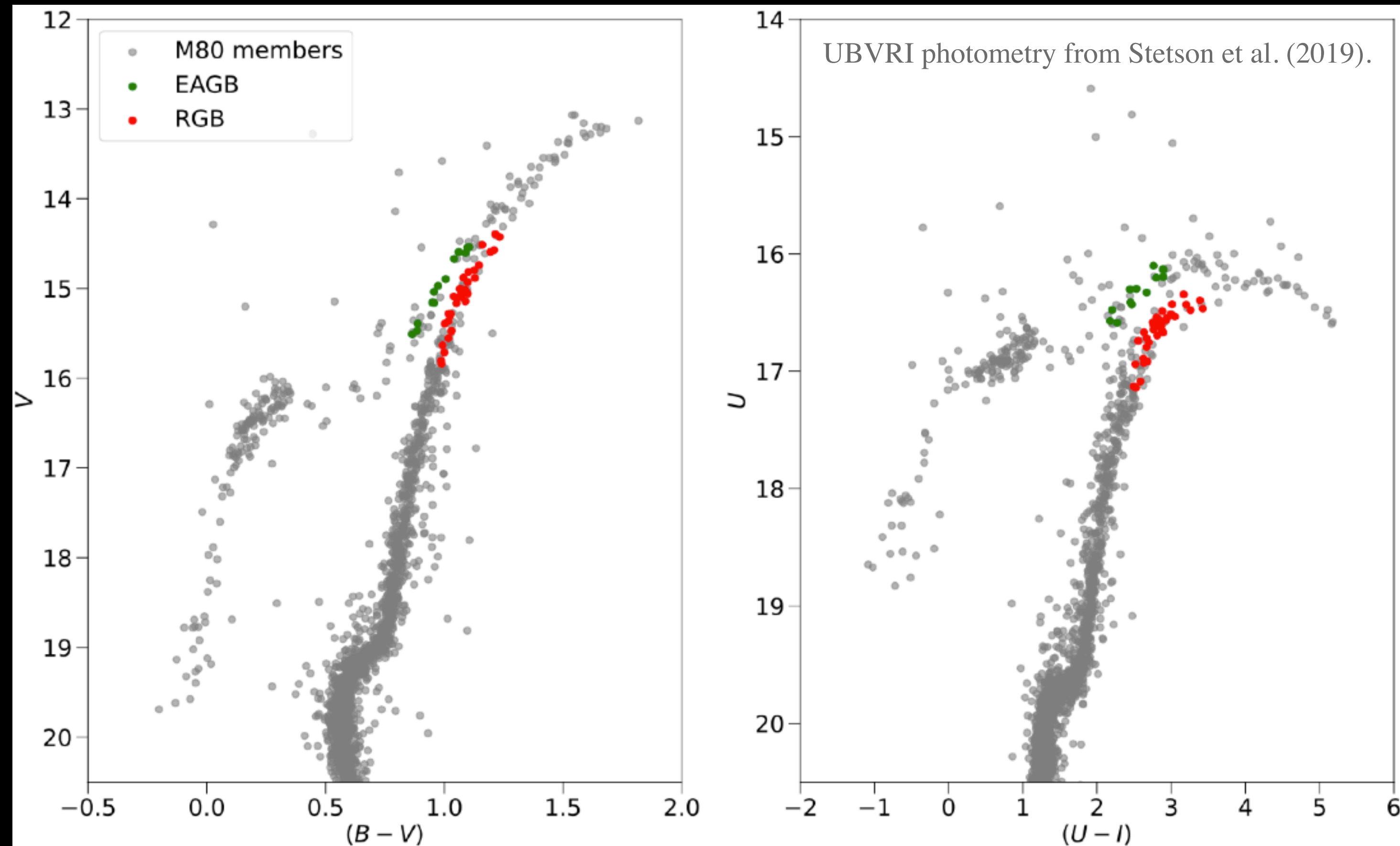


# Data Used

- The data used for this study was photometry of **Kepler Space Telescope** during Campaign 2 of the *K2* mission (“Second Light”)
- Each target pixel file consisted of a grid of 50 x 50 pixels, and comprised of ~ 80 days of observations across 3856 30-minute long cadences.

*To distinguish between RGB and E-AGB*



# Data Treatment

## *Aperture mask and de trended*

- Due to the large pixel size and the crowd environment , there is evidence of blending between stars
- 3 steps:
  - 1) custom individual mask  
(Around peak)
  - 2) A pixel level decorrelation  
(instrumental drifts)
  - 3) Self flat fielding corrector  
(long terms trends, they pick a time scale of 9 days )

## *Lomb-Scargle periodograms*

