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This symposium summarizes the papers and discussions at the Union's Conference at Saltsjöbaden, near Stockholm, in June 1957. The aim of the conference was similar to that of the Groningen meeting, reported in Symposium No. 1, and in this book the material is presented in similar form.

The Groningen conference provided a general survey of the problems of galactic structure; the Stockholm discussions were more specific, and dealt with problems which have gained in significance during the past four years, including work on star clusters and Magellanic Clouds. The final section summarizes the main conclusions of the conference, and an appendix sets out the recommendations of the committee formed to consider a proposal for establishing photometric standards.

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