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OBSERVATION RECORD

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OBJECT

Date: 7/13/01  
Time Started: 10:57 PM CDT  
Time Finished: 11:19 PM CDT  
Transparency: 4.5  
Seeing: 4.0

Common Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
M#: 14  
NGC #: 6402

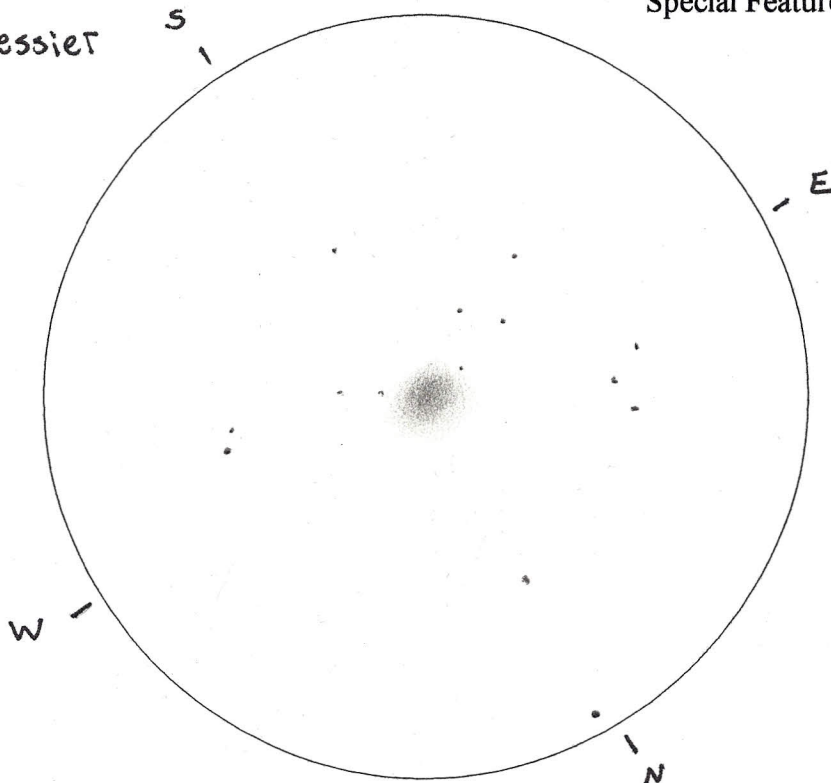
Telescope: 12.5" Dob  
Eyepiece: 26mm plossl  
Filter: —  
Magnification: 60x

Type: GC  
Magnitude: 7.6  
Size: 12'

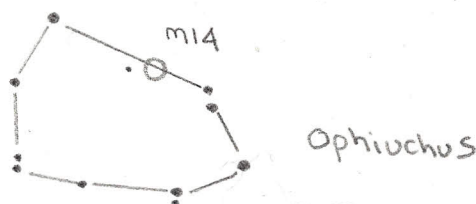
Coordinates: 17h 37.6m -3° 15'

Special Features: Distance: 33300 ltrs  
15<sup>th</sup> magnitude stars

Discovered by Messier  
in June 1764.



Locating  
Sketch:



Description and Field Notes: Large globular, but not so bright. Not quite resolvable at 60x. Becoming gradually brighter toward the center but no sharply defined nucleus. Core just begins to resolve at 240x.