

Date: 10/7/99

Time Started: 8:40 PM CDT

Time Finished: 9:00 PM CDT

Transparency: 4.0

Seeing: 4.0

Telescope: 12.5" Dob

Eyepiece: 26mm plossl

Filter: —

Magnification: 60x

Common Name: _____

M#: 71

NGC #: 6838

Type: GC

Magnitude: 8.3

Size: 7'

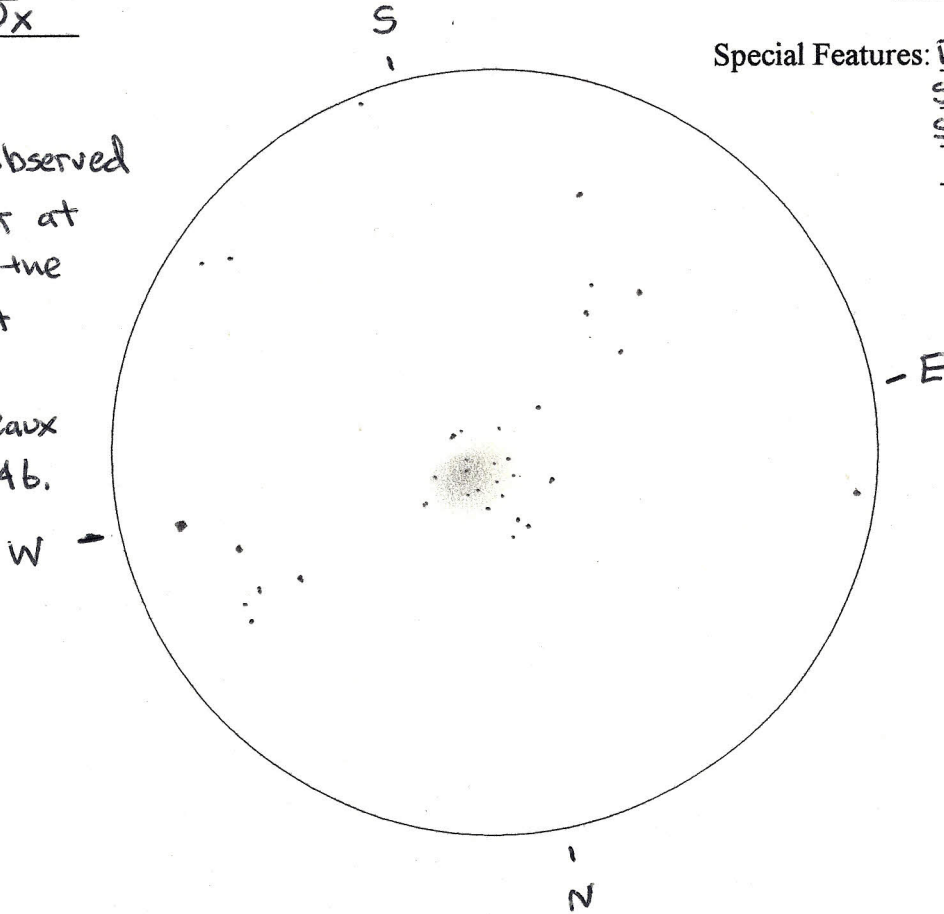
Coordinates: 19h 53.8m 18° 47'

Special Features: Distance: ~18,000 H.yrs.

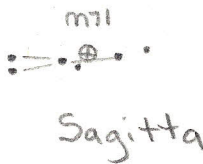
Size: ~30 lt.yrs.

Star mags: 12.....

Probably first observed
by J.G. Koehler at
Dresden about the
year 1775, but
may have been
noted by Cheseaux
as early as 1746.
-Bornham



Locating
Sketch:



Description and Field Notes: Fairly dim, unimposing globular cluster.
No central condensation. Small. Suited, I
suppose, to the constellation Sagitta.