

High energy gamma-ray astronomy

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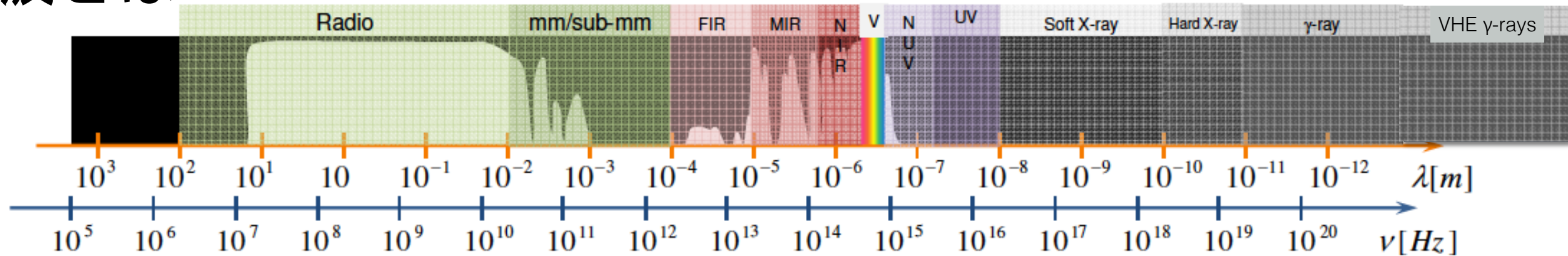
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1. Multiwavelength sky

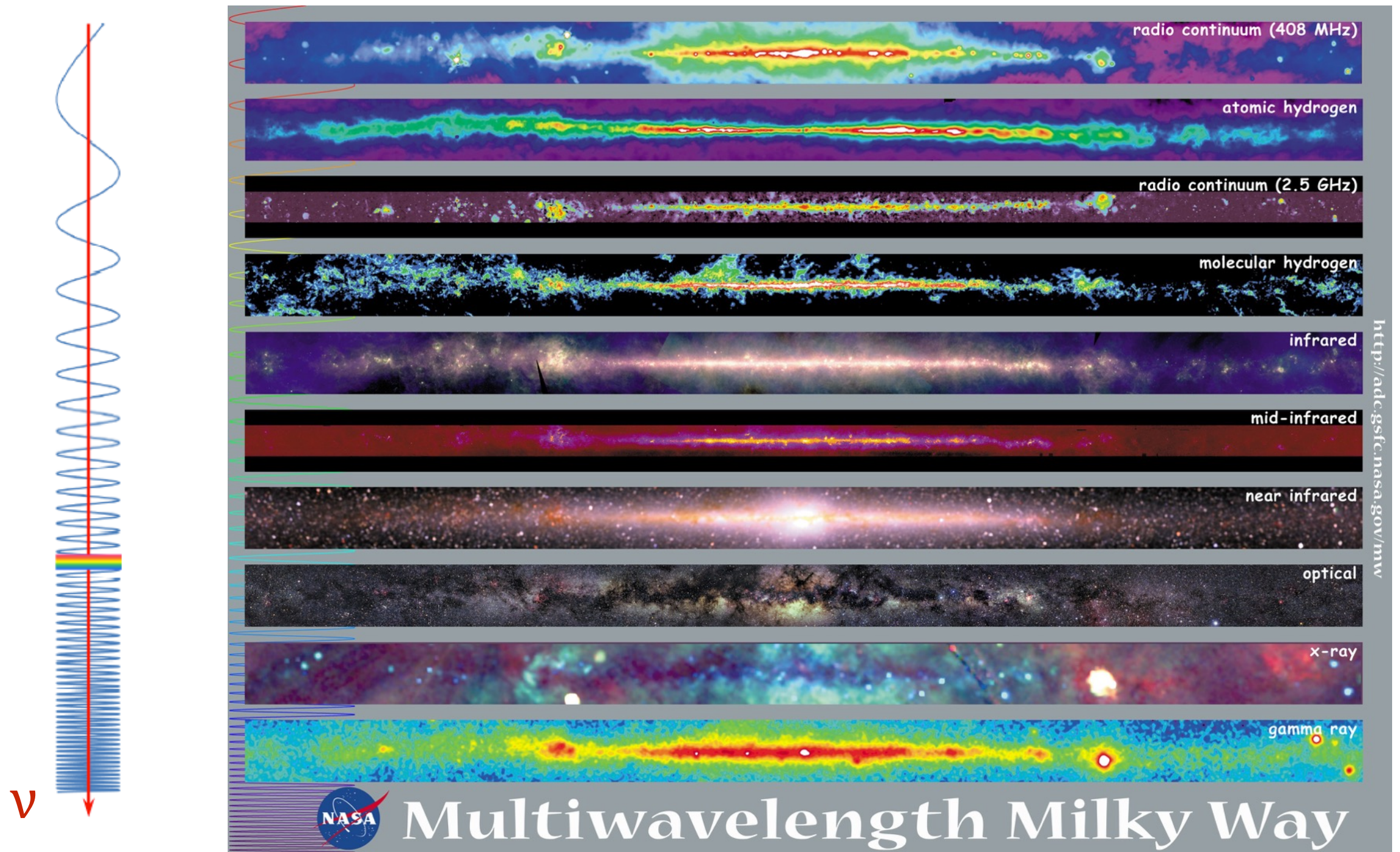
電磁波とは



Radio	$3\text{MHz} \leq \nu \leq 30\text{GHz}$	$100\text{m} \geq \lambda \geq 1\text{cm}$	$T \sim (10^{-4} \rightarrow 1)\text{K}$
mm & submm	$30\text{GHz} \leq \nu \leq 3\text{THz}$	$10\text{mm} \geq \lambda \geq 0.1\text{mm}$	$T \sim (1 \rightarrow 100)\text{K}$
Infrared	$3\text{THz} \leq \nu \leq 300\text{THz}$	$100\mu\text{m} \geq \lambda \geq 1\mu\text{m}$	$T \sim (10^2 \rightarrow 10^4)\text{K}$
Optical	$3 \times 10^{14}\text{Hz} \leq \nu \leq 10^{15}\text{Hz}$	$1\mu\text{m} \geq \lambda \geq 300\text{nm}$	$T \sim 4 \times 10^4\text{K}$
Ultraviolet	$10^{15}\text{Hz} \leq \nu \leq 3 \times 10^{16}\text{Hz}$	$300\text{nm} \geq \lambda \geq 10\text{nm}$	$T \sim (10^5 \rightarrow 10^6)\text{K}$
X-ray	$3 \times 10^{16}\text{Hz} \leq \nu \leq 3 \times 10^{19}\text{Hz}$	$10\text{nm} \geq \lambda \geq 0.01\text{nm}$	$T \sim (10^6 \rightarrow 10^9)\text{K}$
γ -ray	$\nu \geq 3 \times 10^{19}\text{Hz}$	$\lambda \leq 0.01\text{nm}$	$T \geq 10^9\text{K}$

1. Multiwavelength sky

様々な波長で宇宙をみる



Major part of what we observe is high energy astrophysics

1. Multiwavelength sky

様々な波長で宇宙をみる

手



可視光

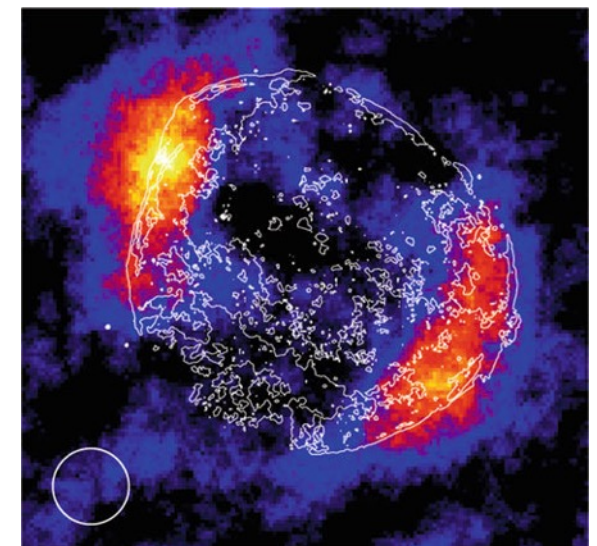
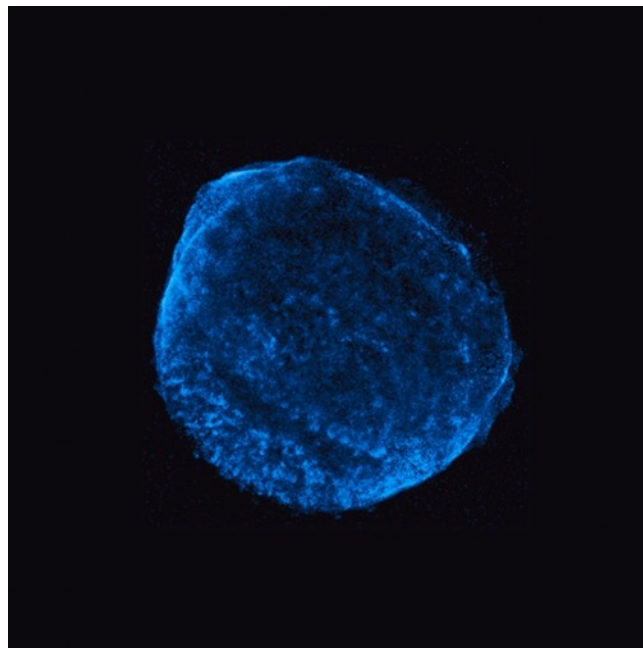


X線



超高エネルギーガンマ線

超新星残骸
SN1006



1. Multiwavelength sky

超高エネルギーガンマ線観測の目的は大きく3つ

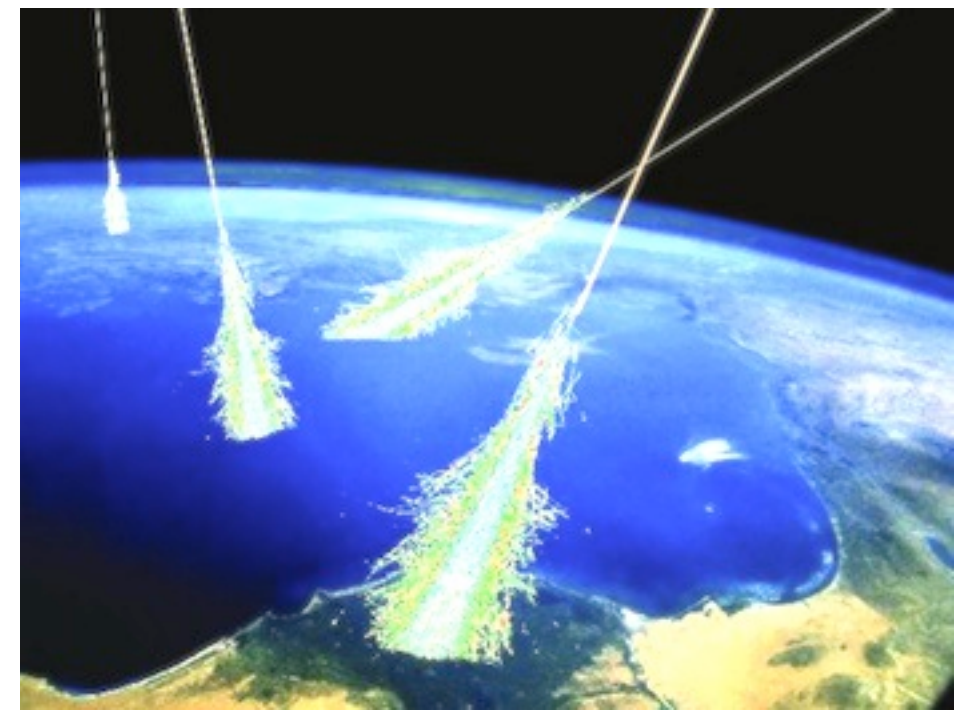
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2. ブラックホール、中性子星のそばの物理現象

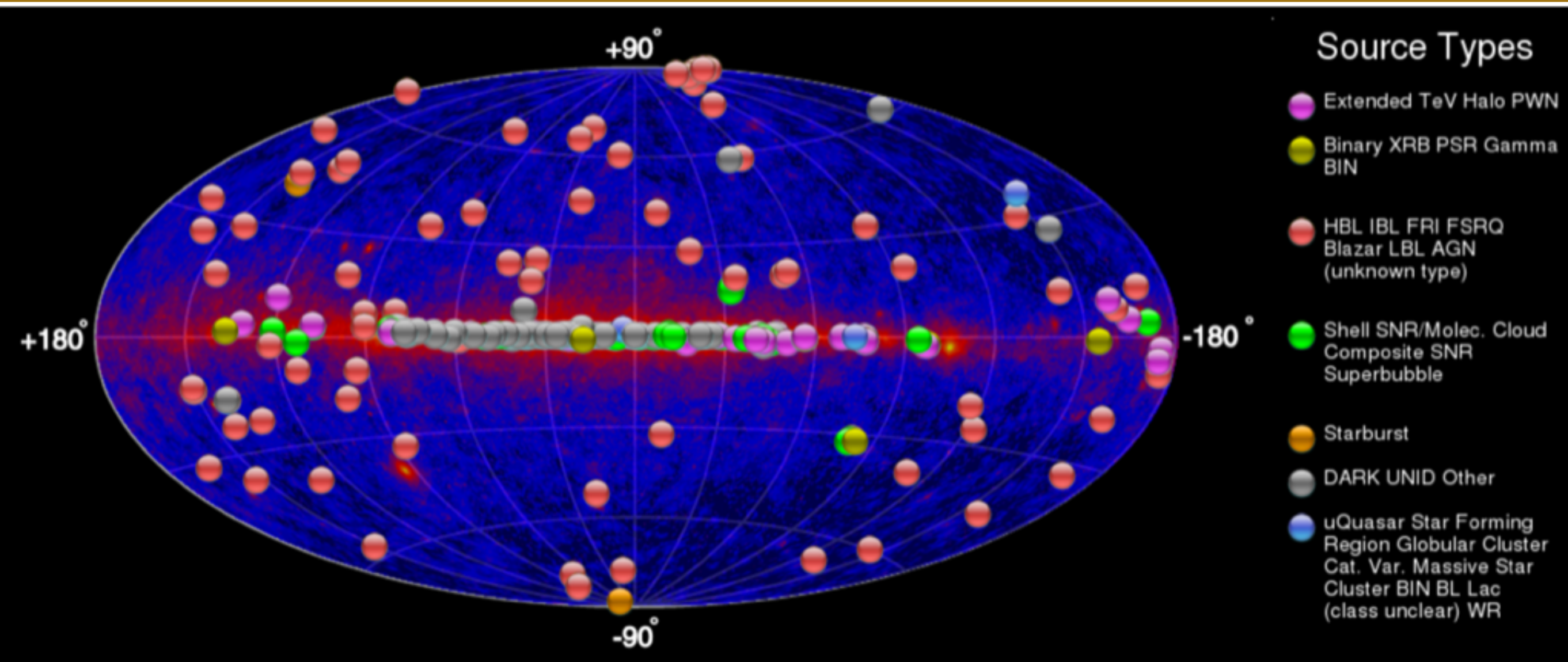
- 超強重力
- 超強磁場

3. 最先端基礎物理への貢献

- 暗黒物質の探索
- 量子重力理論の検証



1. Multiwavelength sky



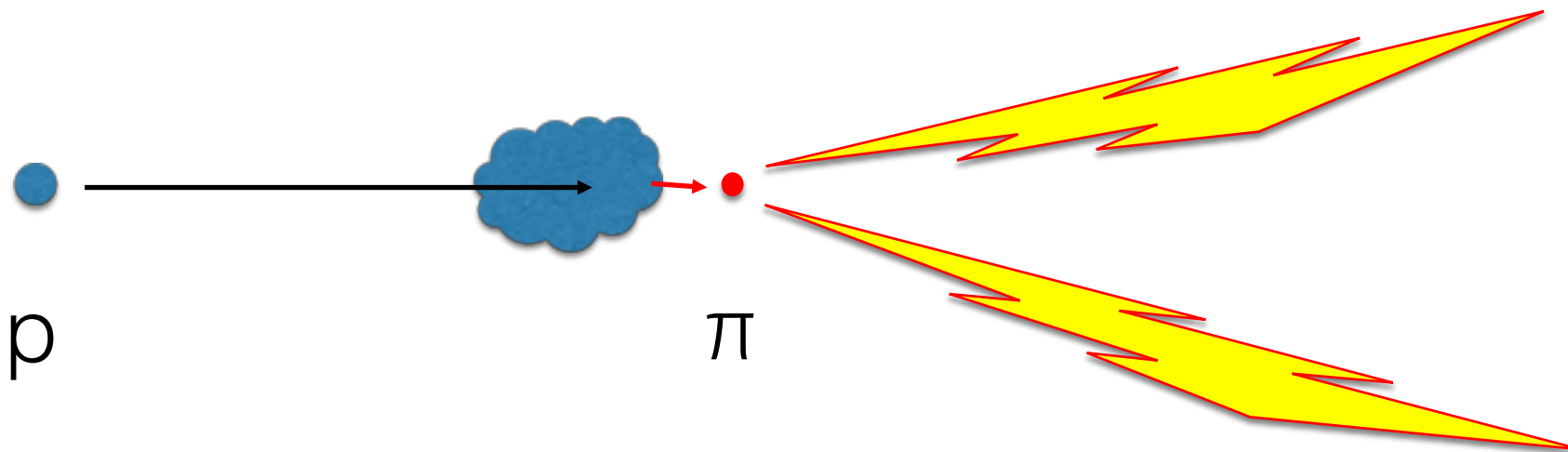
- Nominally 222 sources as of March 1, 2019
- Dominated by HESS, MAGIC and VERITAS
- Contains already 20 HAWC sources

2. How to produce gamma rays?

From protons

- **Pion decay**

- Accelerated protons (p) interact with matter
- $p + p \rightarrow X + \pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma + \gamma$



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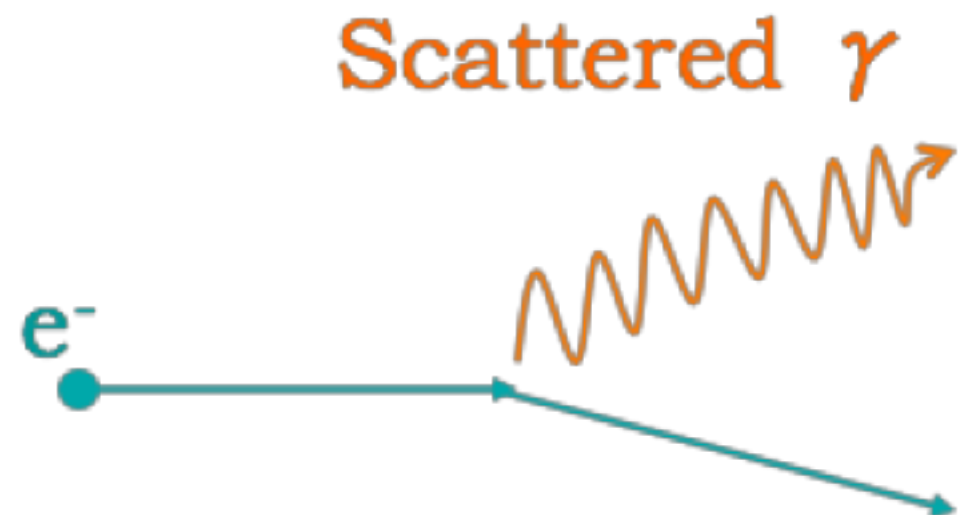
From electrons

- **Inverse Compton Scattering**
 - Collide highly relativistic electrons with photons from stars or the microwave background

$$e^- + \gamma_{\text{Low E}} \rightarrow e^- + \gamma$$

$$E_\gamma \propto (\gamma_{\text{Lorentz}})^2 E_{\gamma \text{ low E}}$$

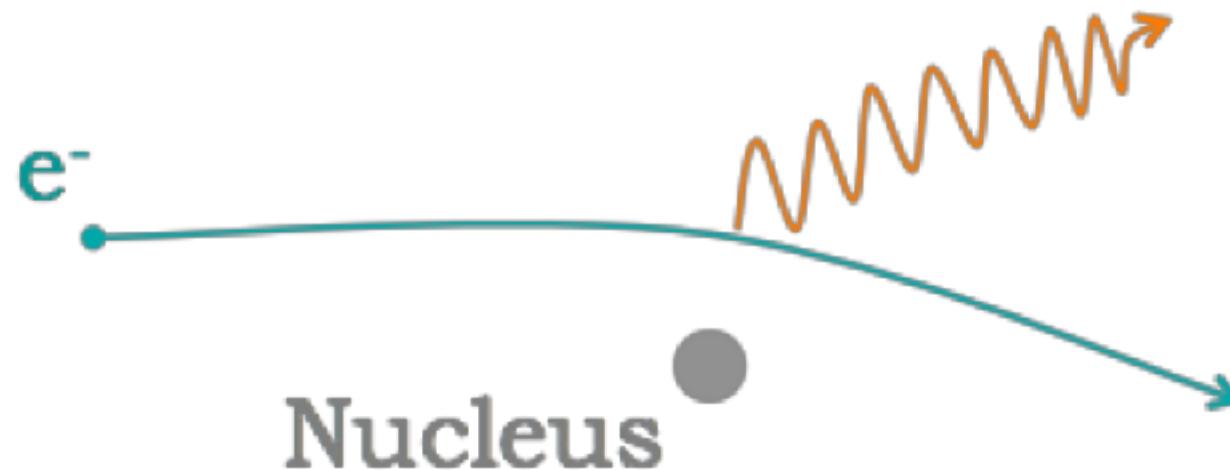
$$\gamma_{\text{Lorentz}} = 1 / \sqrt{1 - v_e^2 / c^2}$$



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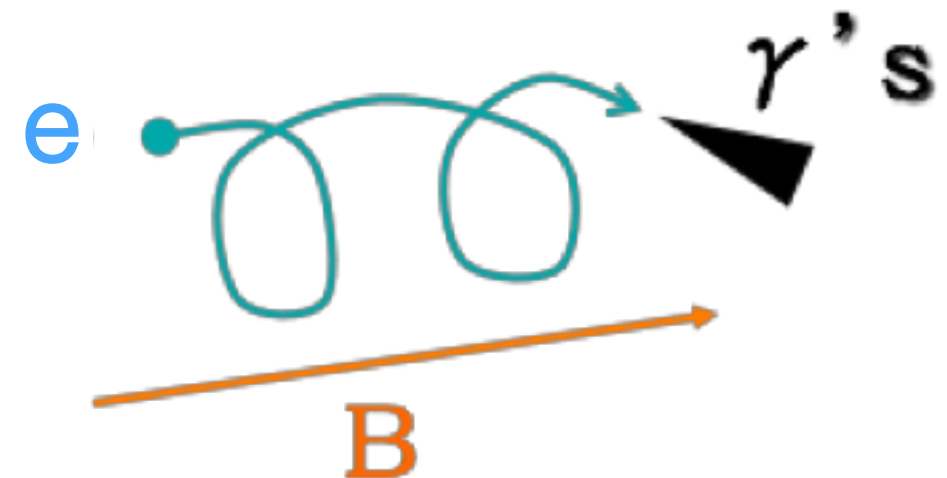
- **Bremsstrahlung**
 - Electron deceleration by a nucleus
 - Highly relativistic electrons emit gamma rays in atomic or molecular material
 - $\text{Energy}_\gamma \sim \text{Energy}_e$



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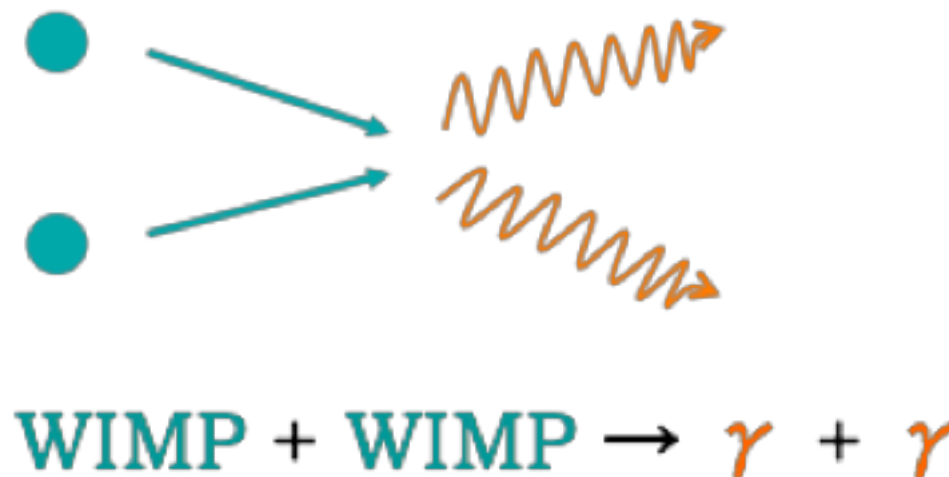
- **Synchrotron Radiation**
 - Electron deceleration by magnetic field
 - $\text{Energy}_\gamma \sim \frac{\hbar c}{\lambda} \Gamma^2$



2. How to produce gamma rays?

Other ways to produce gamma rays

- Topological defects left over from the Big Bang
- Evaporation of Primordial Black holes formed with the early Universe decay
- By-product of dark matter interactions?
 - Hypothesis: weakly interacting massive particles (WIMPs) interact to produce gamma rays:
 $DM + DM \rightarrow X + \gamma$



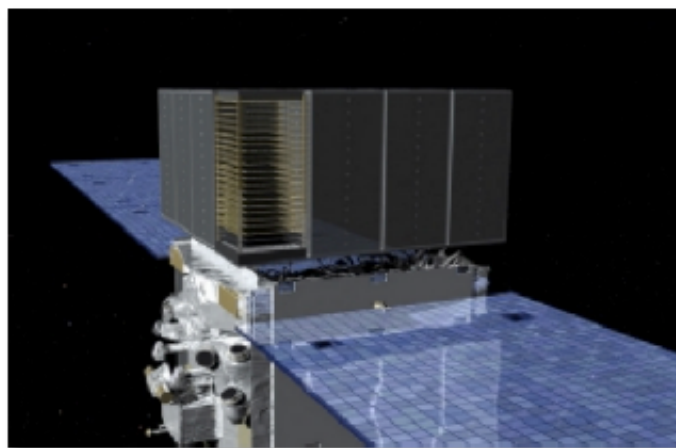
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GAMMA RAY TELESCOPES

Space-based
pair production
telescopes



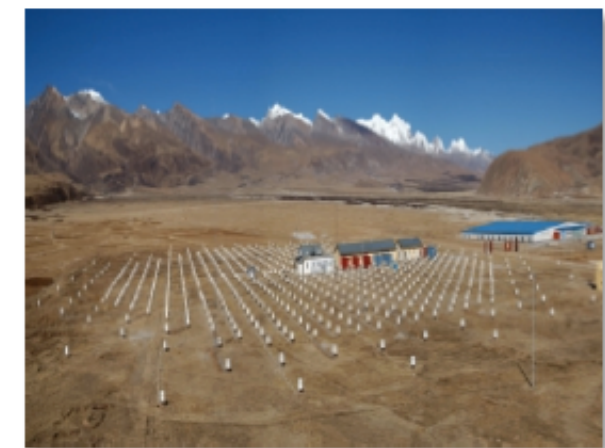
0.1 – 100 GeV
Small area
Background-free
Large field of view
High duty cycle

Imaging Atmospheric
Cherenkov Telescopes



50 GeV – 100 TeV
Large area
Excellent bg rejection
Small field of view
Low duty cycle

Air shower
Arrays

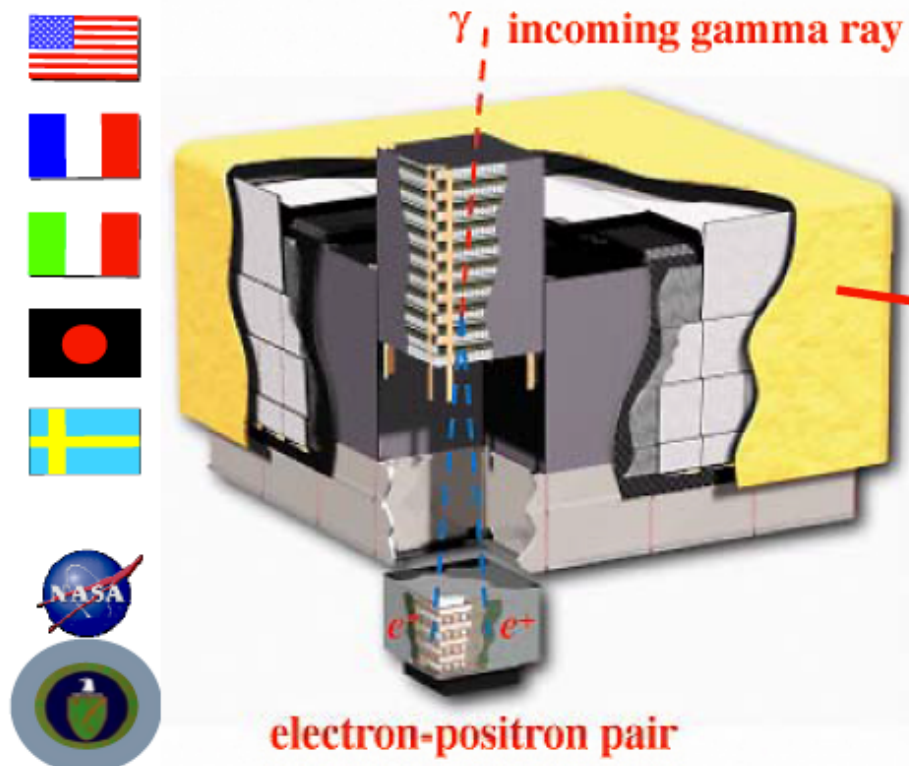


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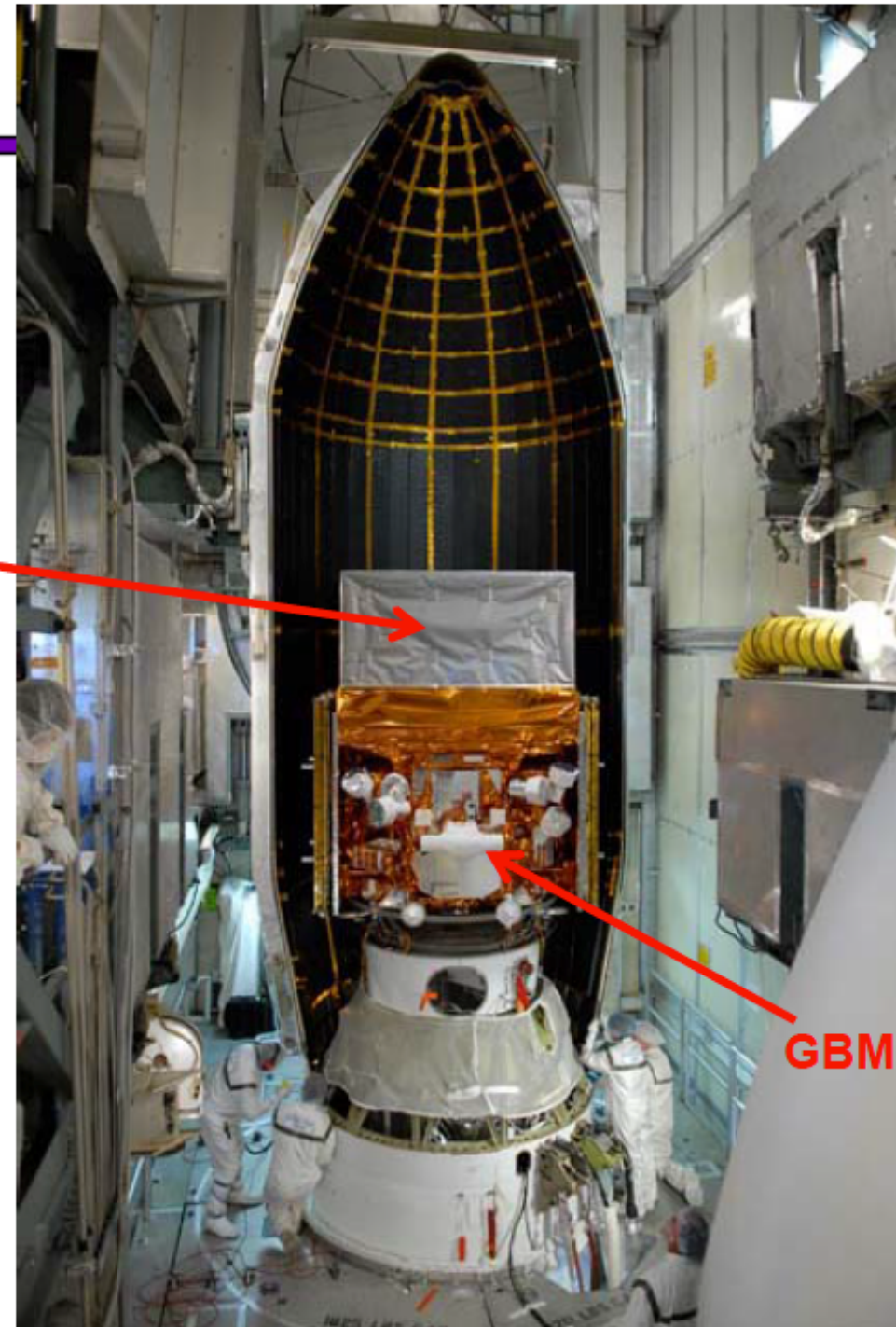
Fermi GST

Large Area Telescope (LAT)

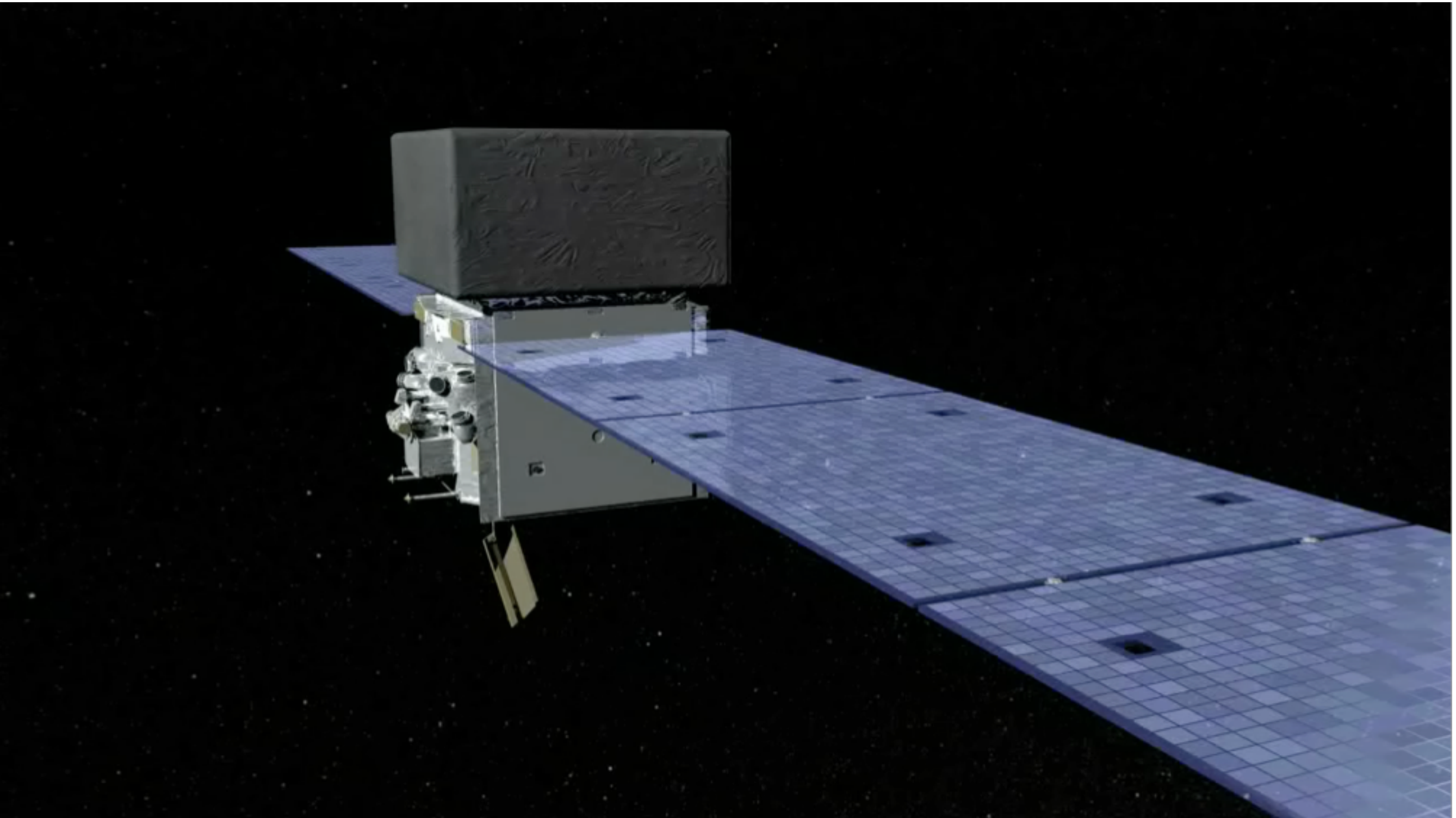


γ -ray converts in LAT to an electron and a positron ; tracking these give us the direction and energy of the photon.

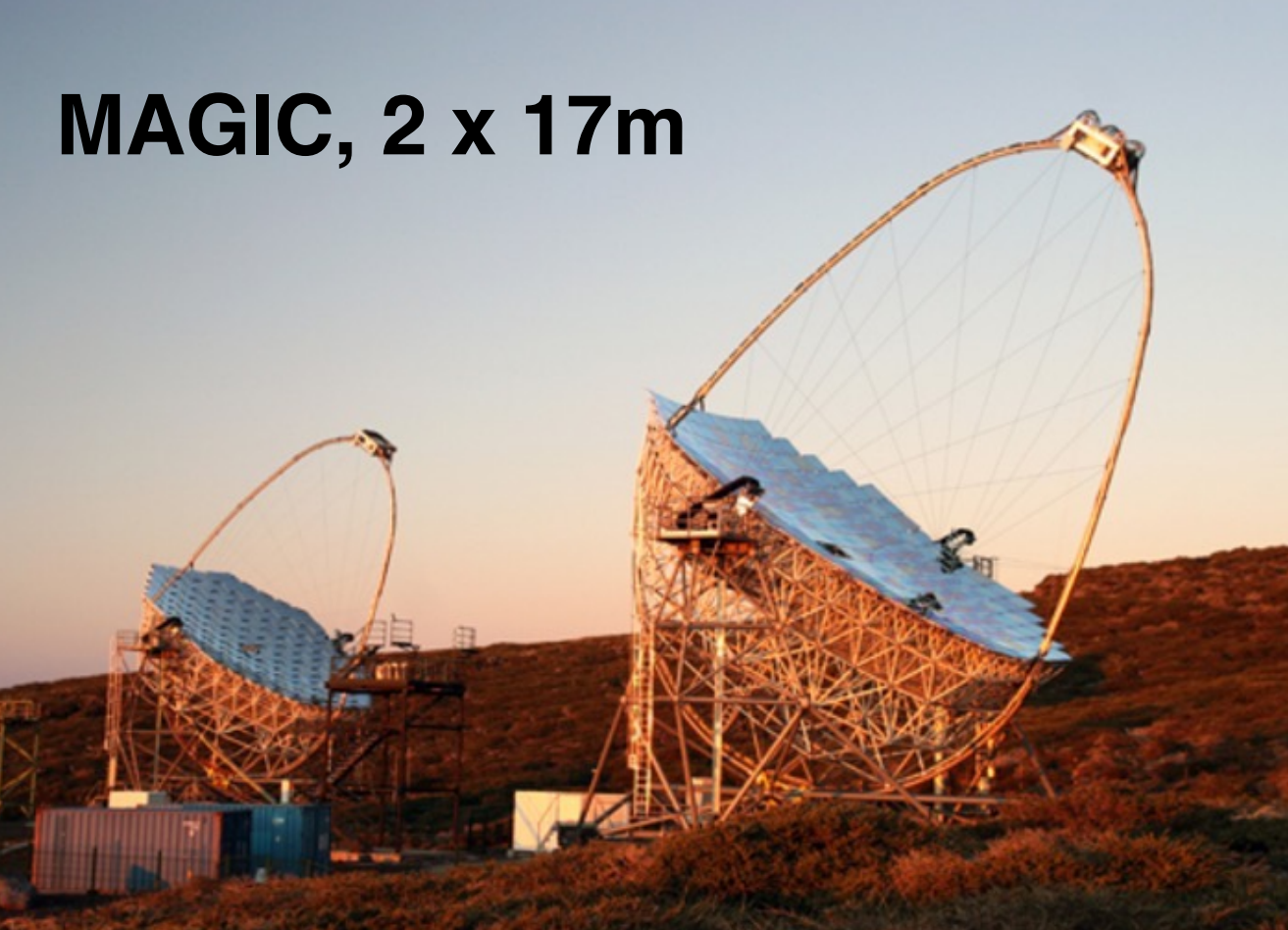
Launched from Cape Canaveral
11 June 2008



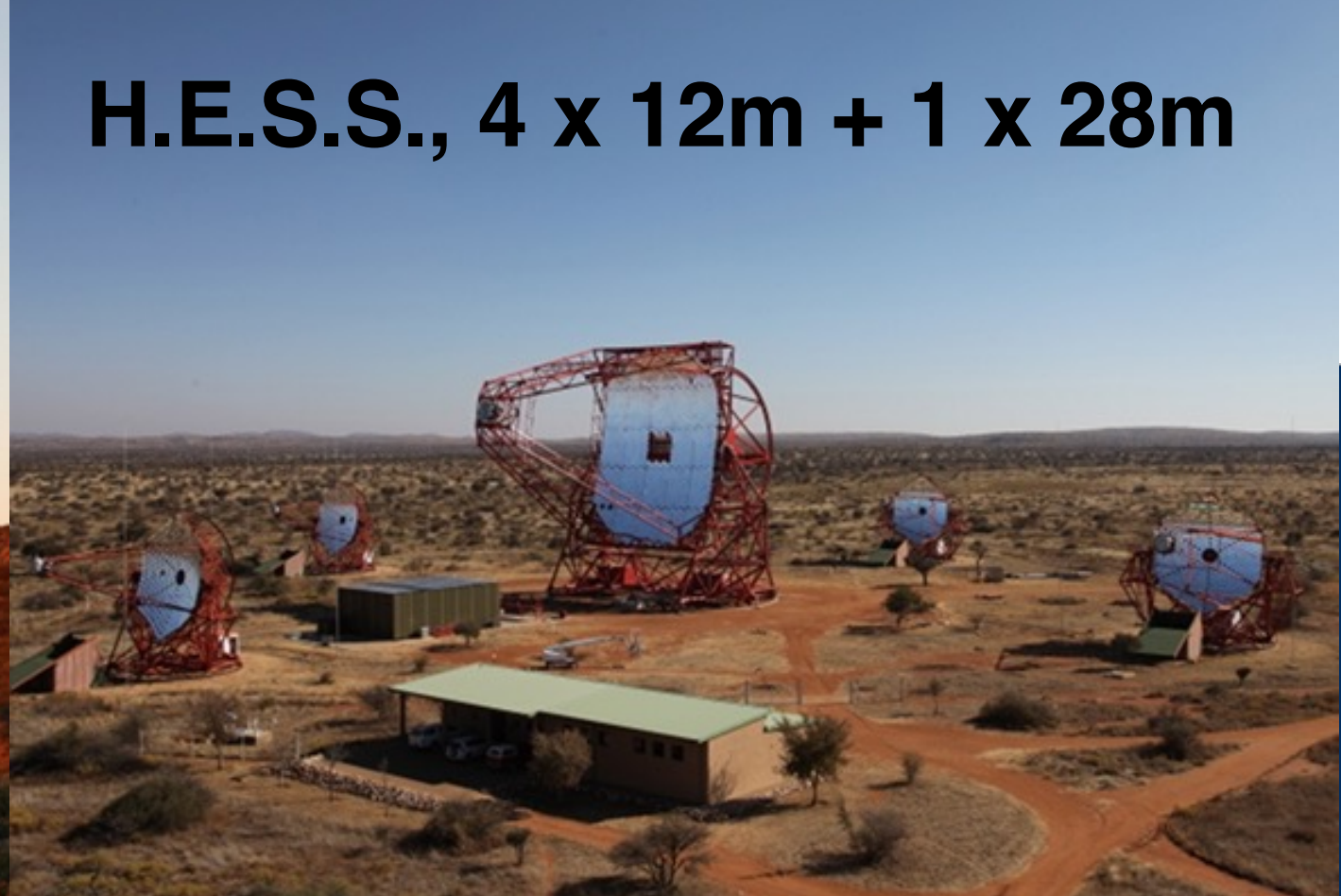
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MAGIC, 2 x 17m



H.E.S.S., 4 x 12m + 1 x 28m

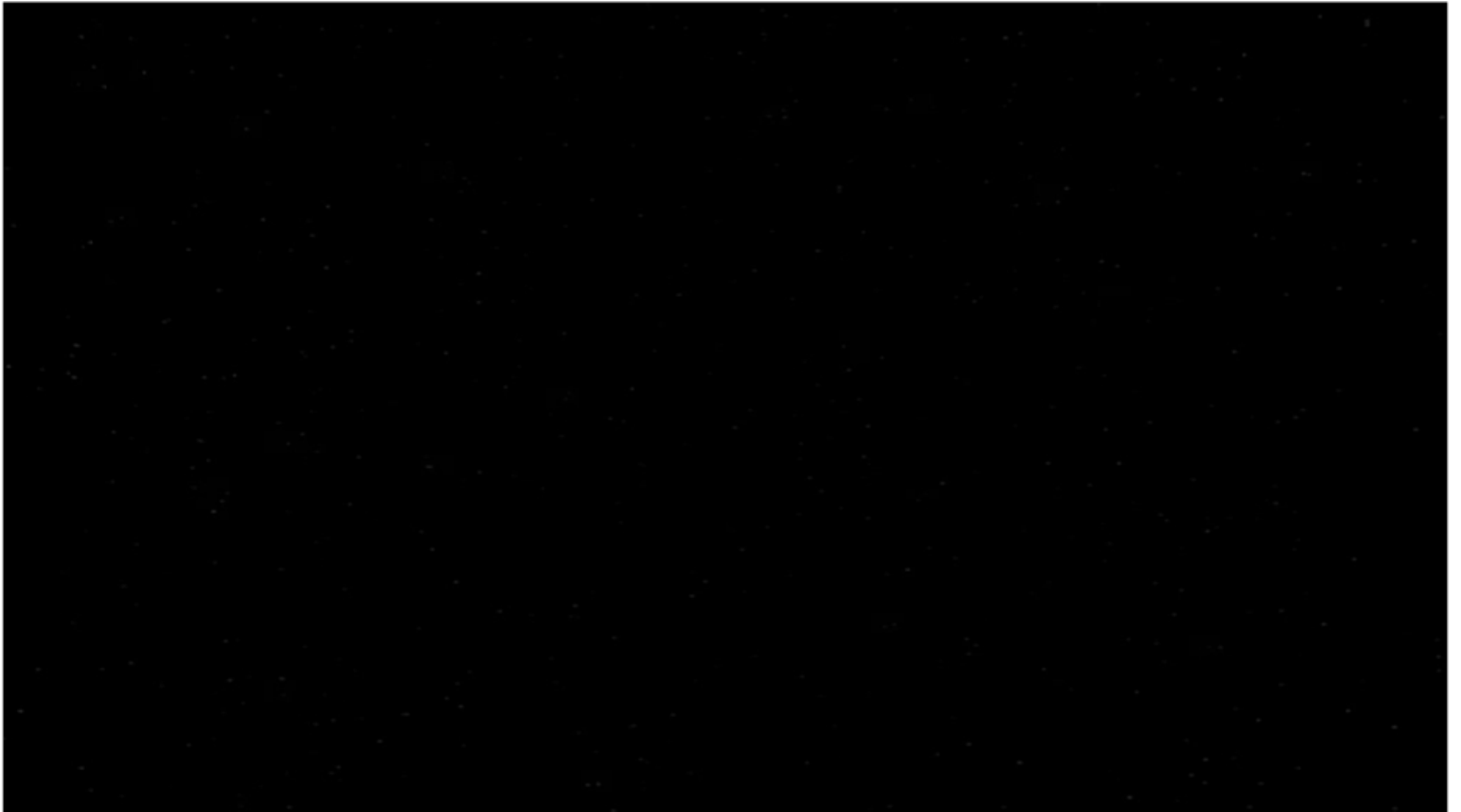


VERITAS, 4 x 12m



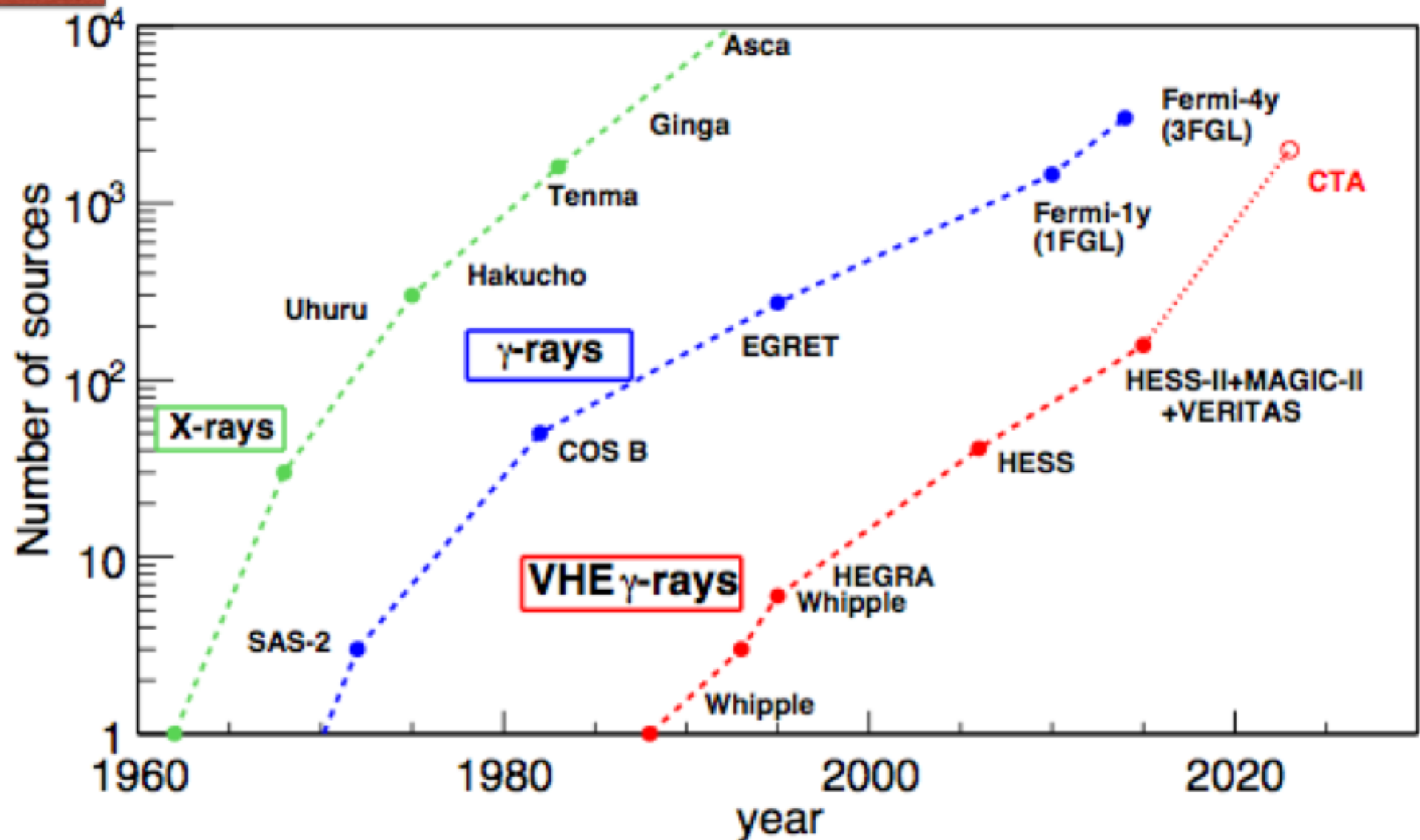
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Atmospheric showers and Cherenkov radiation

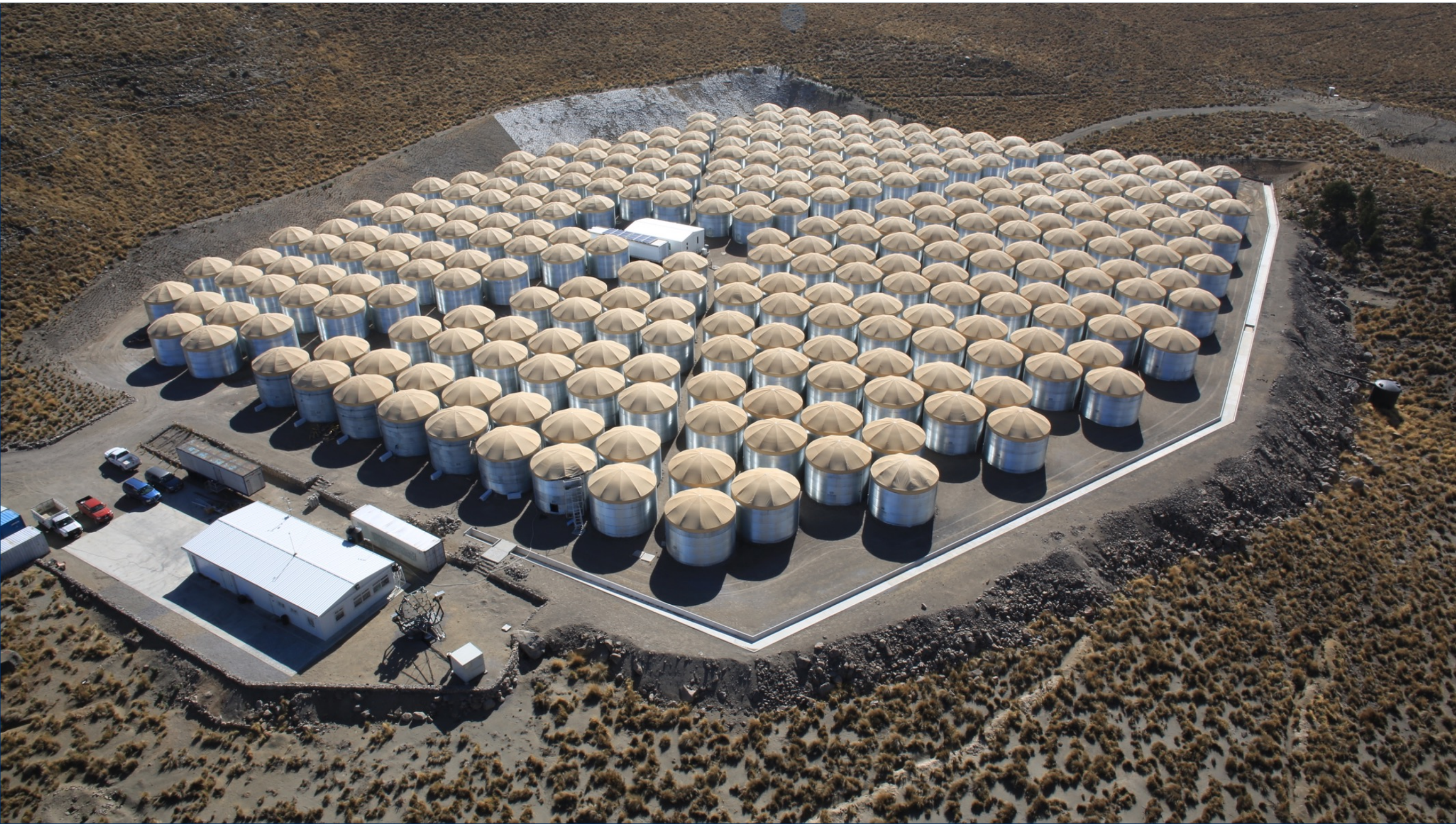


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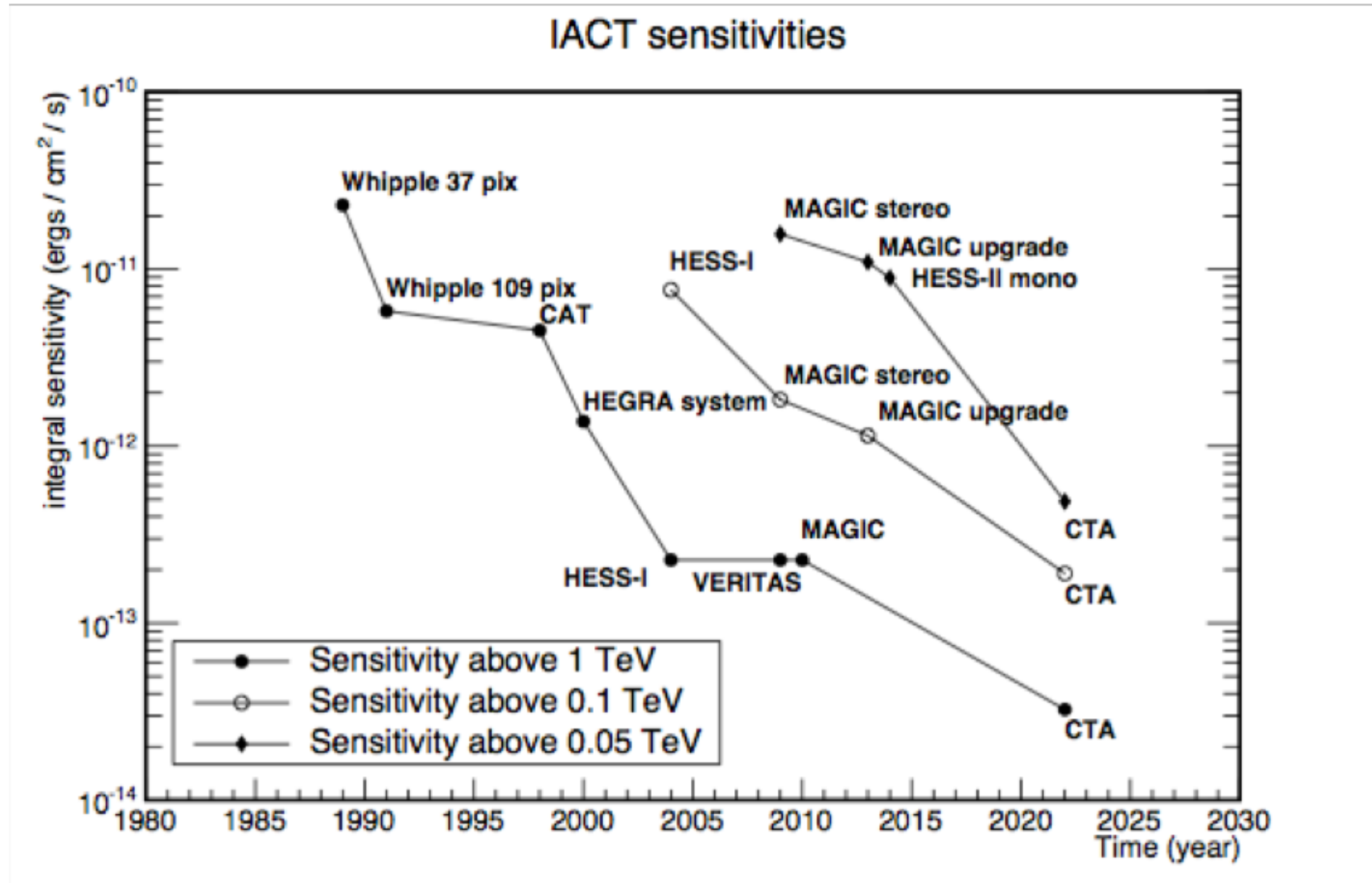
Kifune plot



HAWC, 300 water tanks at 4100m asl

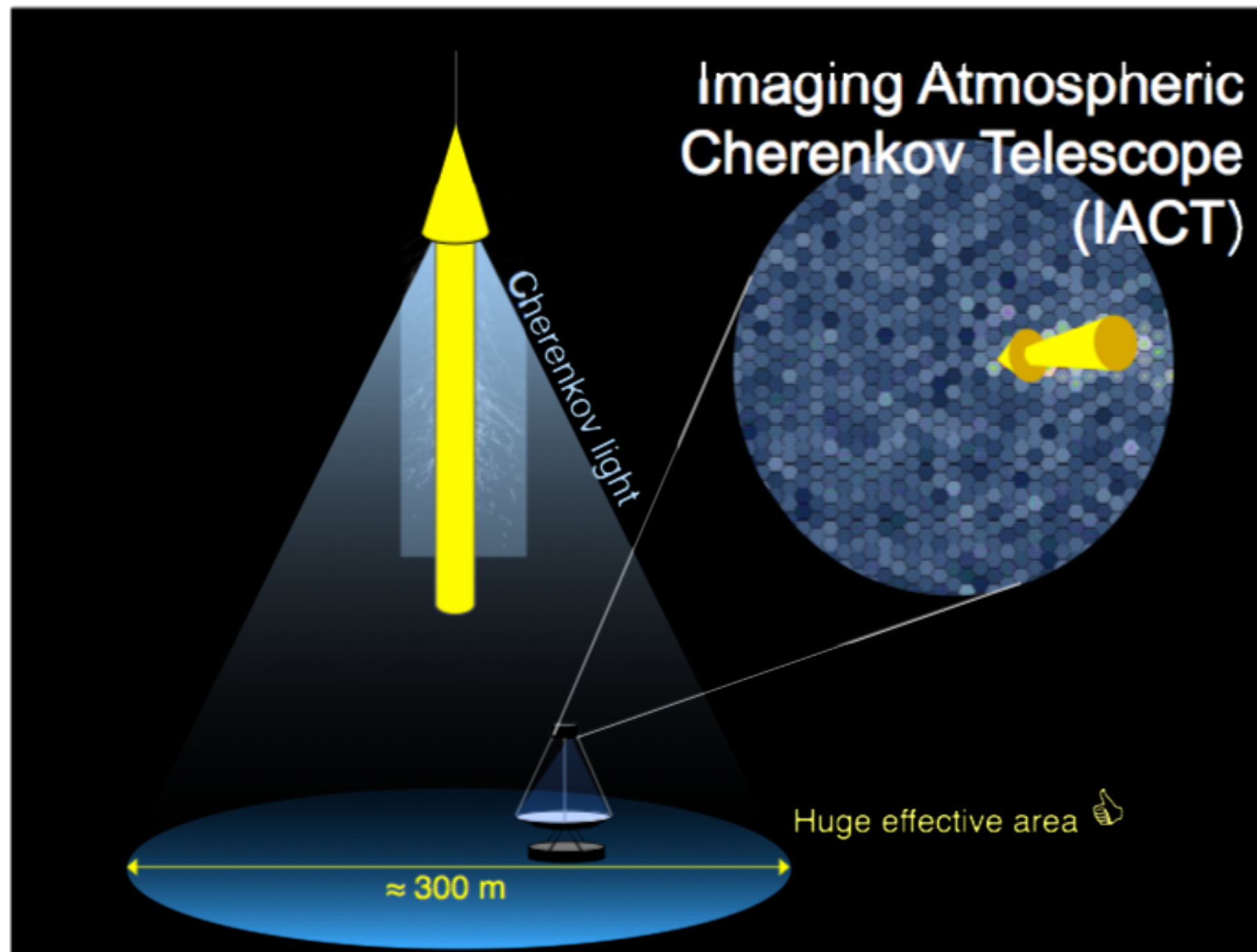


Due to the boost in flux sensitivity



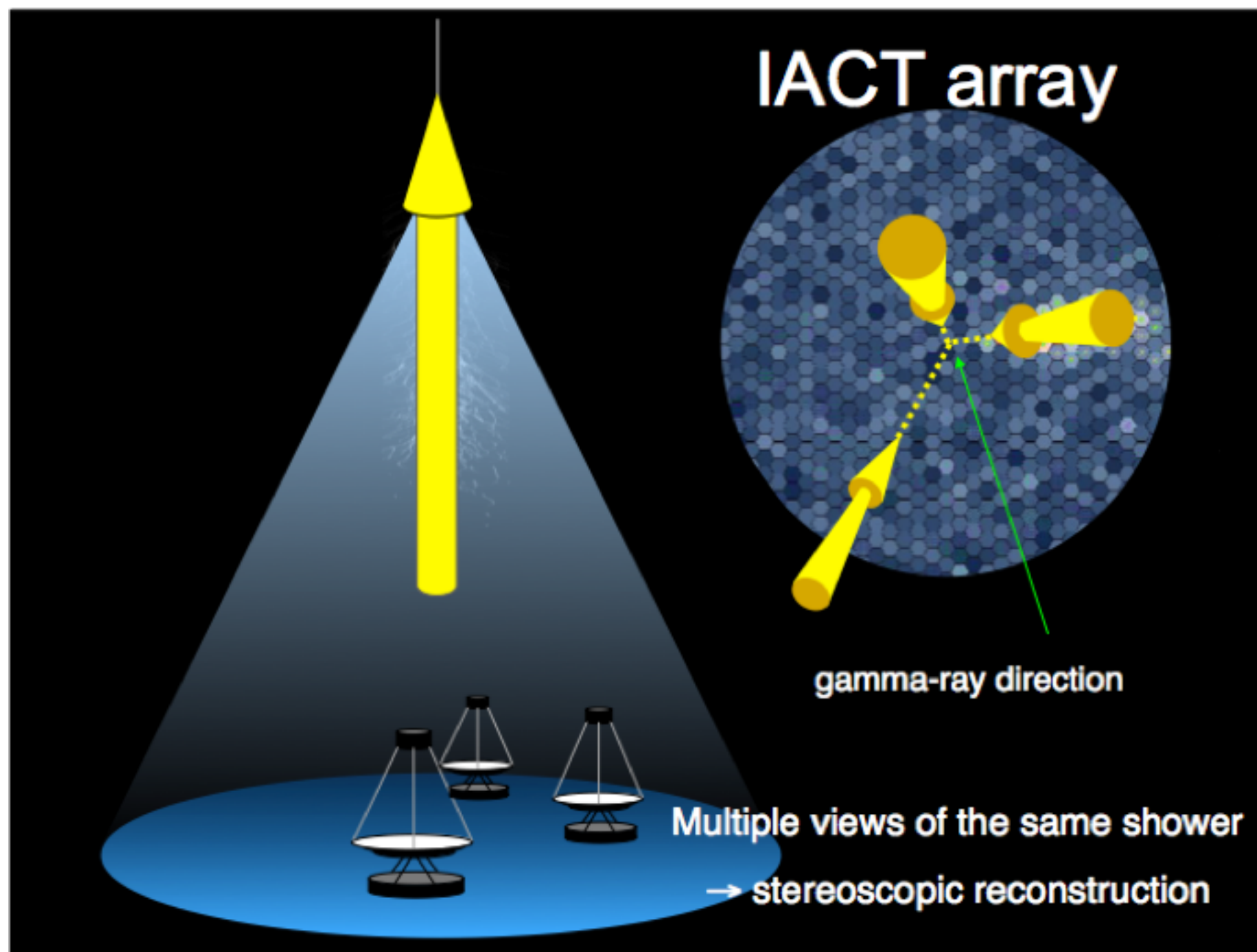
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Imaging Atmospheric Cherenkov Telescopes: Detection technique



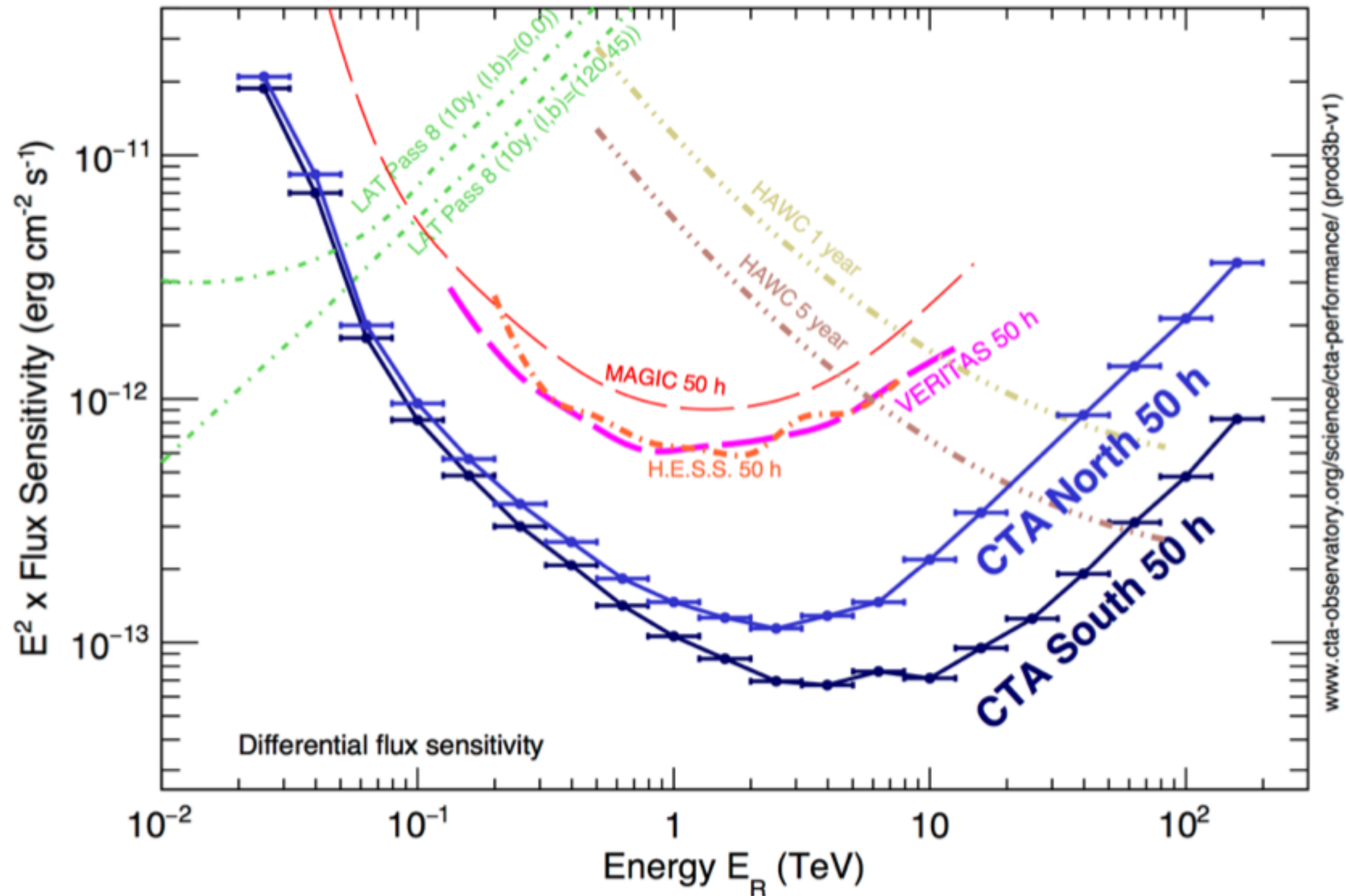
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Flux Sensitivities



4. What do we learn from gamma rays?

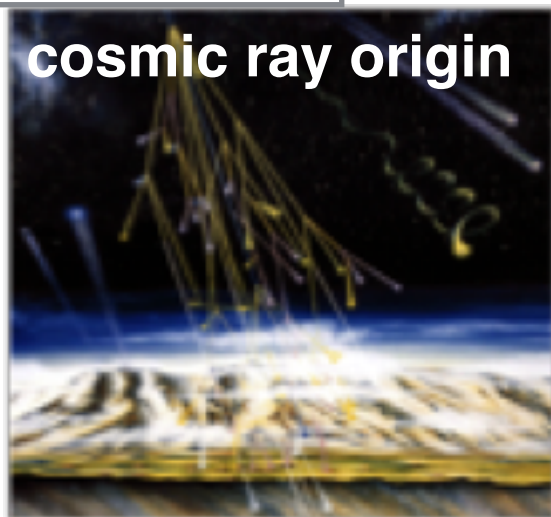
- **Origin of cosmic rays**
 - gamma rays are not deflected by intergalactic and galactic magnetic fields, they point directly to their origin
 - gamma rays can travel cosmological distances without absorption (caution: not true for $E > 100 \text{ GeV}$)
- **Source Physics:** learn about environment (objects) that emit such gamma rays
- **Observational Cosmology:** use gamma ray sources as beacons to probe the star formation history and Hubble parameter
- **Fundamental physics:** dark matter searches, Lorentz invariance violation, axion like particles

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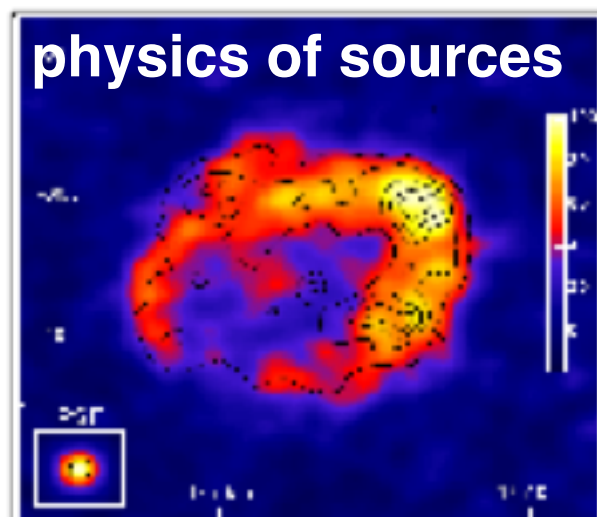


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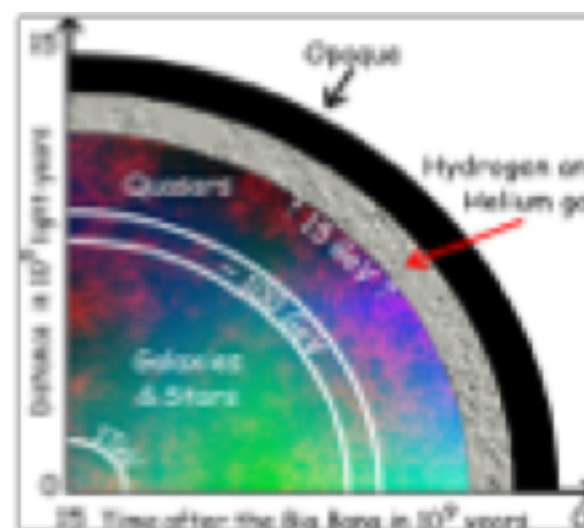
cosmic ray origin



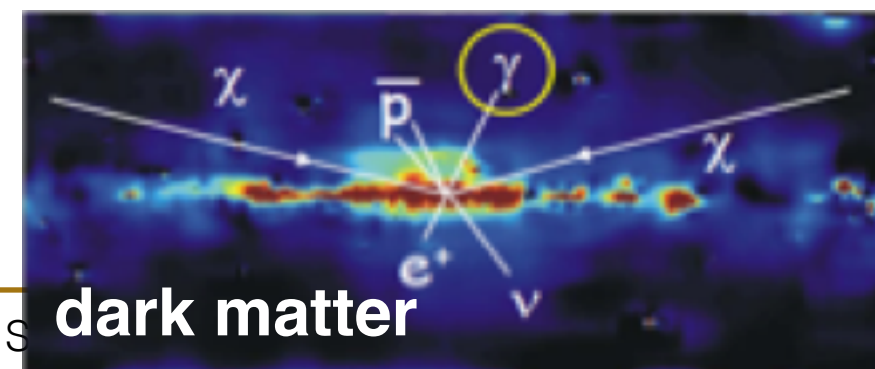
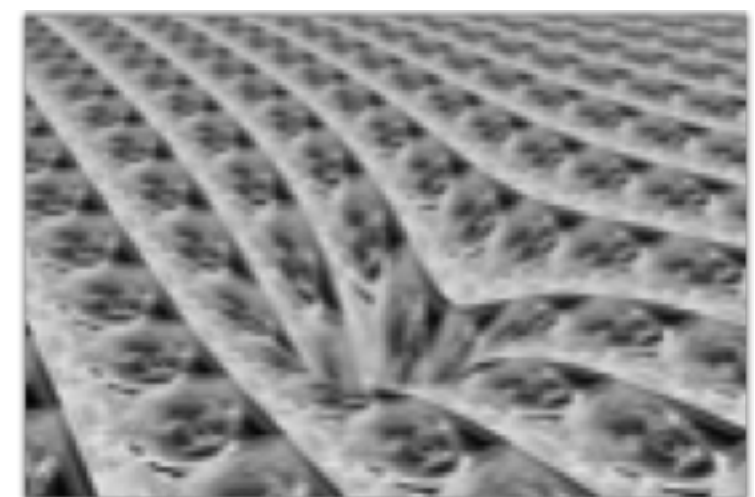
physics of sources



cosmology



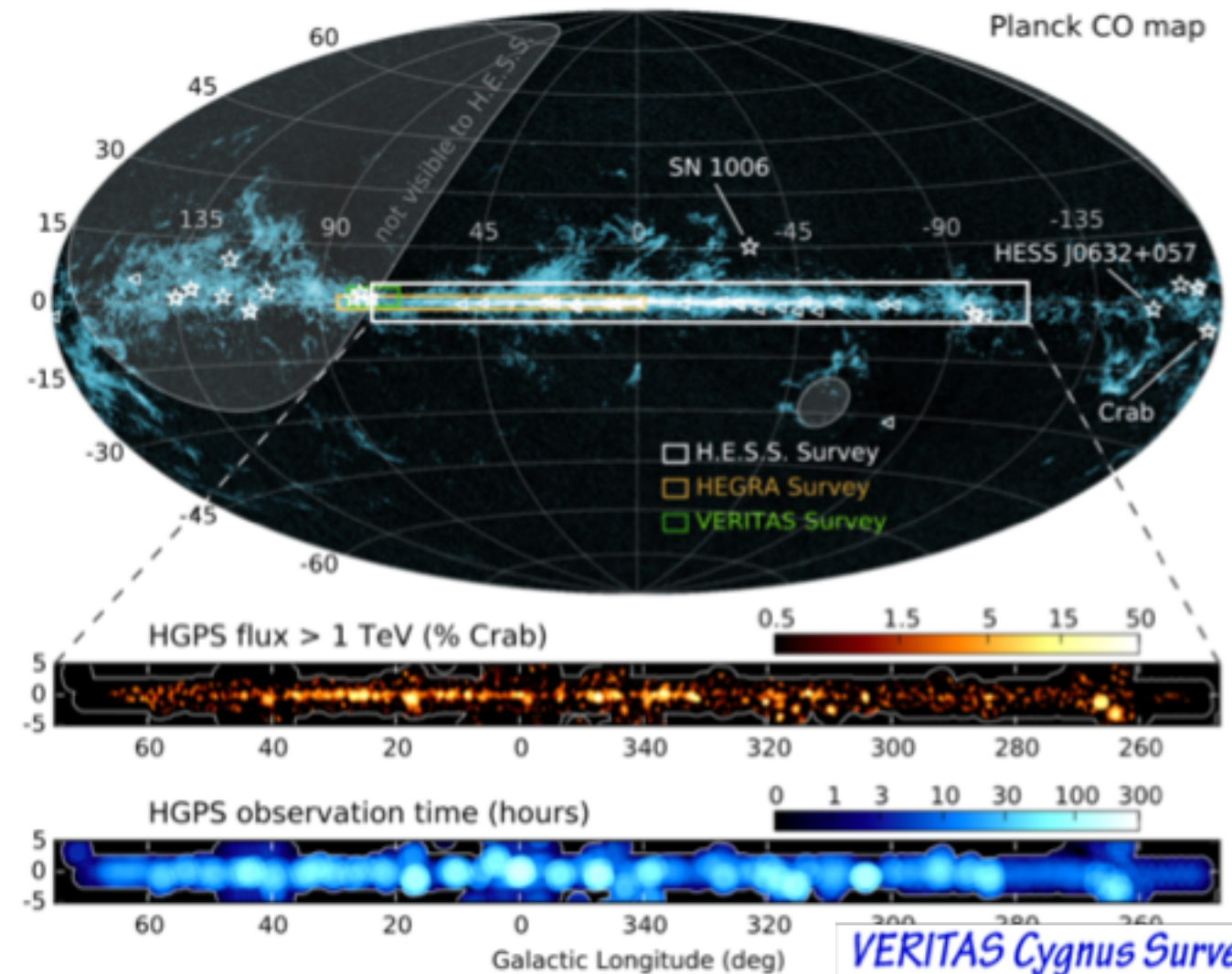
space and time



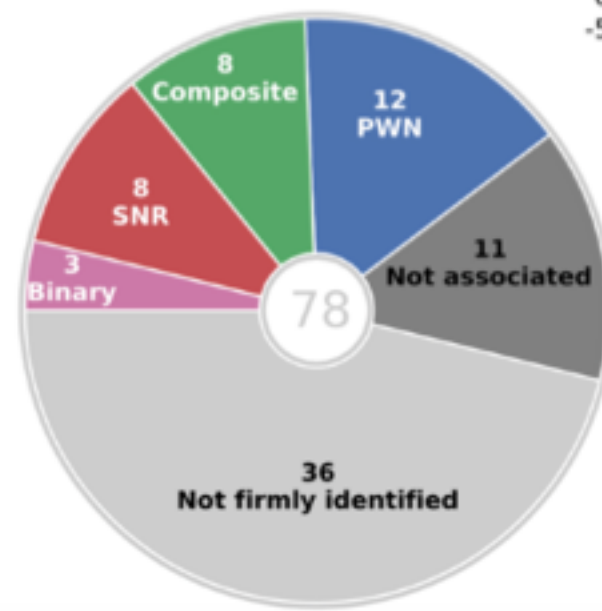
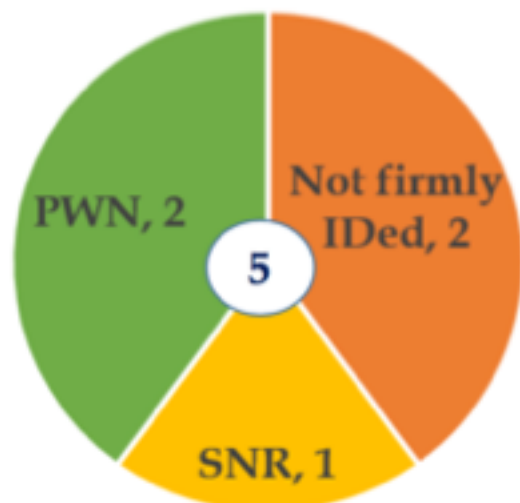
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H.E.S.S. Galactic Plane Survey

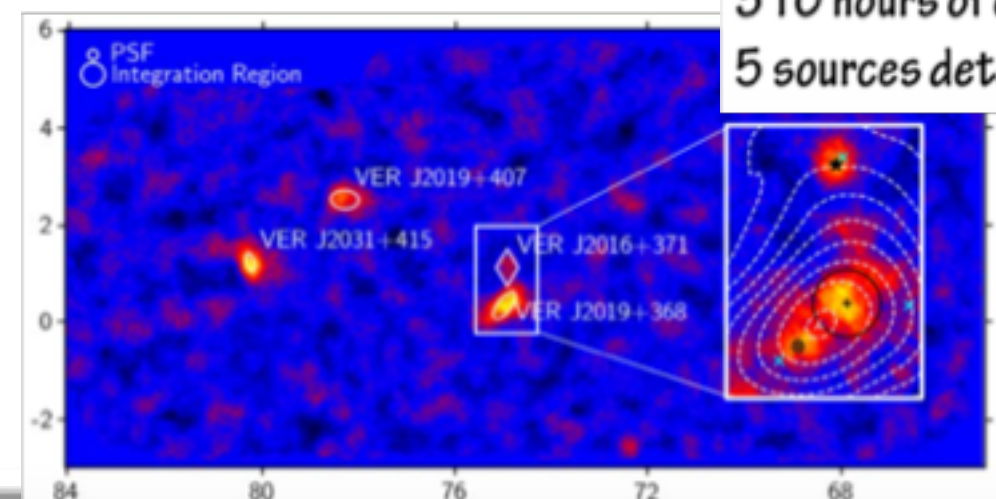
- ~ 3000 hours of observations on the Galactic plane conducted
- Used to compile a survey in gamma-rays
- 78 sources included in the upcoming paper



VERITAS Cygnus Survey



VERITAS Cygnus Survey
310 hours of observation,
5 sources detected



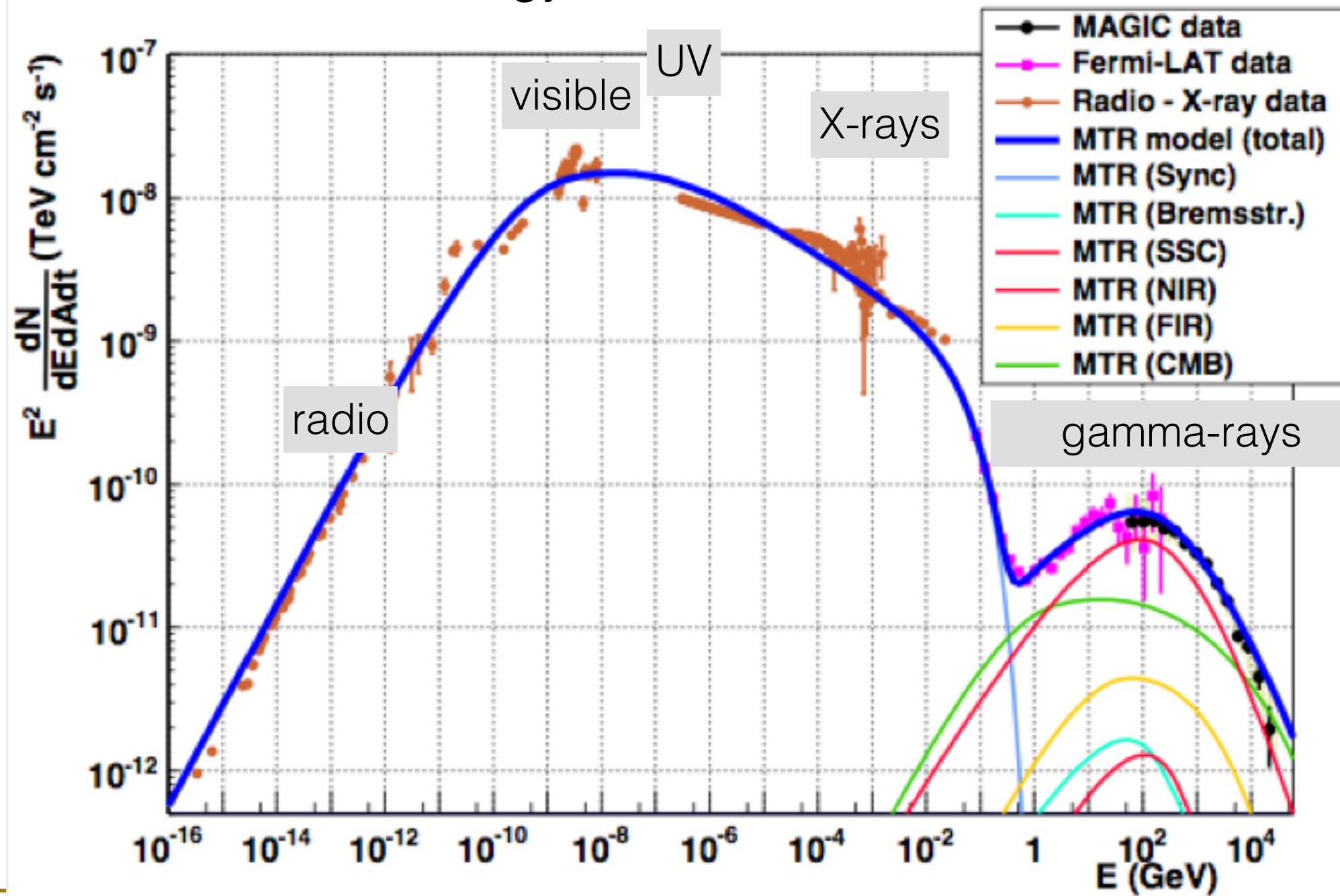
超高エネルギーガンマ線の空



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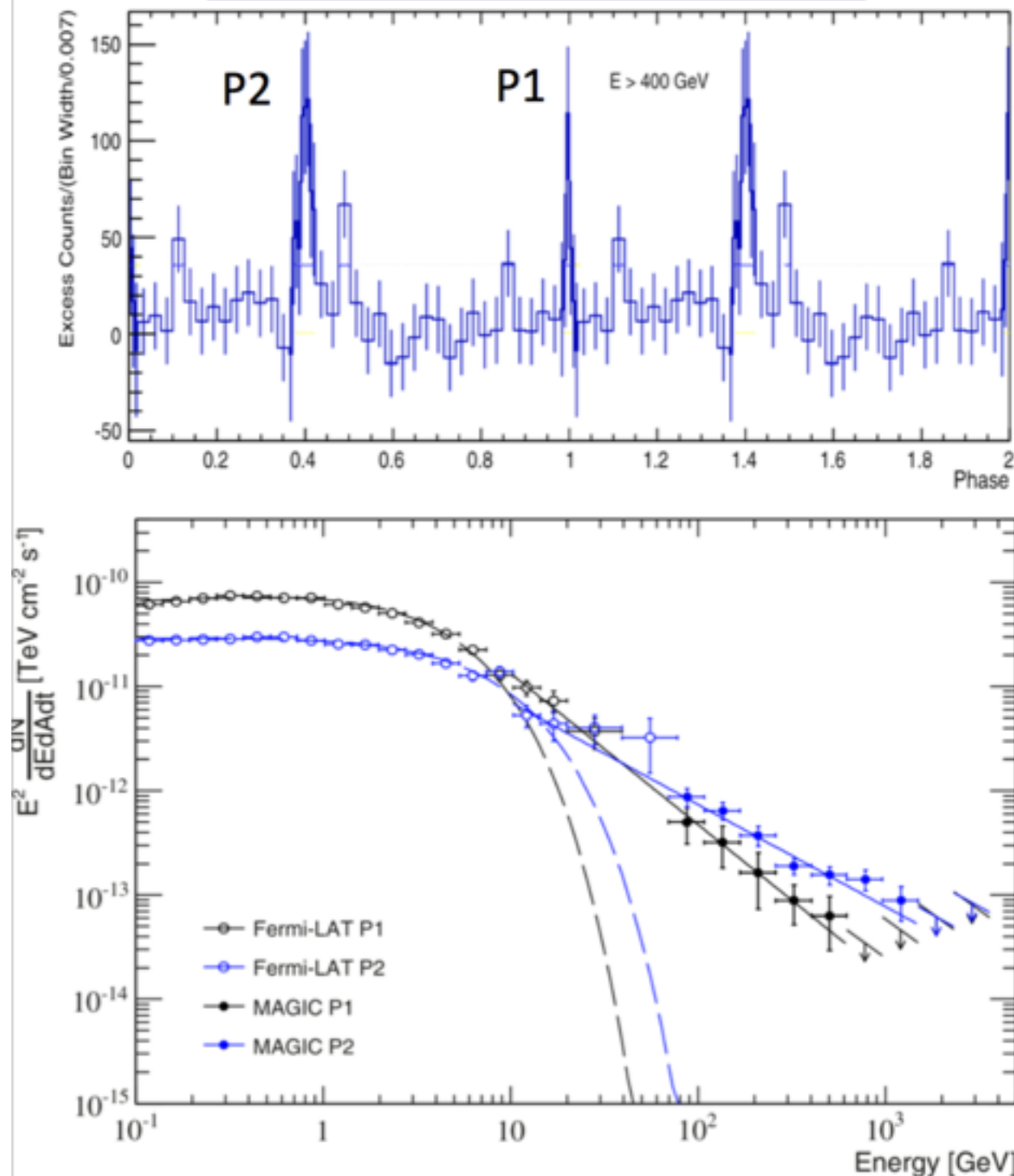
Crab Nebula

a non-thermal astrophysical object seen over 20 decades in energy



Pulsars: Crab

MAGIC, 2016, A&A, 585, A33



- MAGIC dataset: 320 h (2007-2014)

MAGIC

- Discovered pulsed emission from Crab spectrum extending up to 1.5 TeV
- Spectra of both peaks extending as power-laws far beyond the expected cutoffs:
 - P1 detected up to 0.6 TeV ($\Gamma = 3.5 \pm 0.1$)
 - P2 detected up to 1.5 TeV ($\Gamma = 3.0 \pm 0.1$)



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Galactic Center

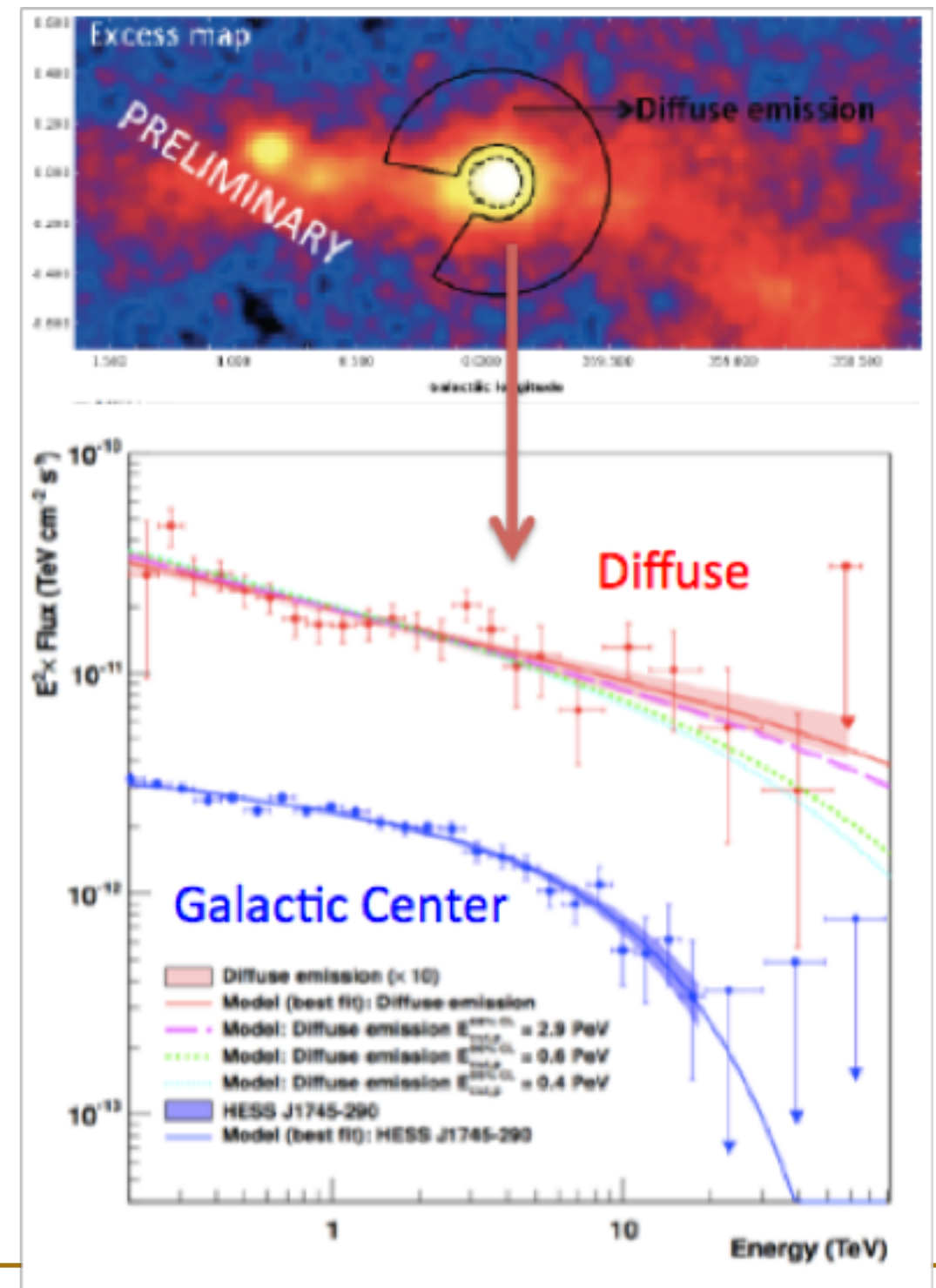
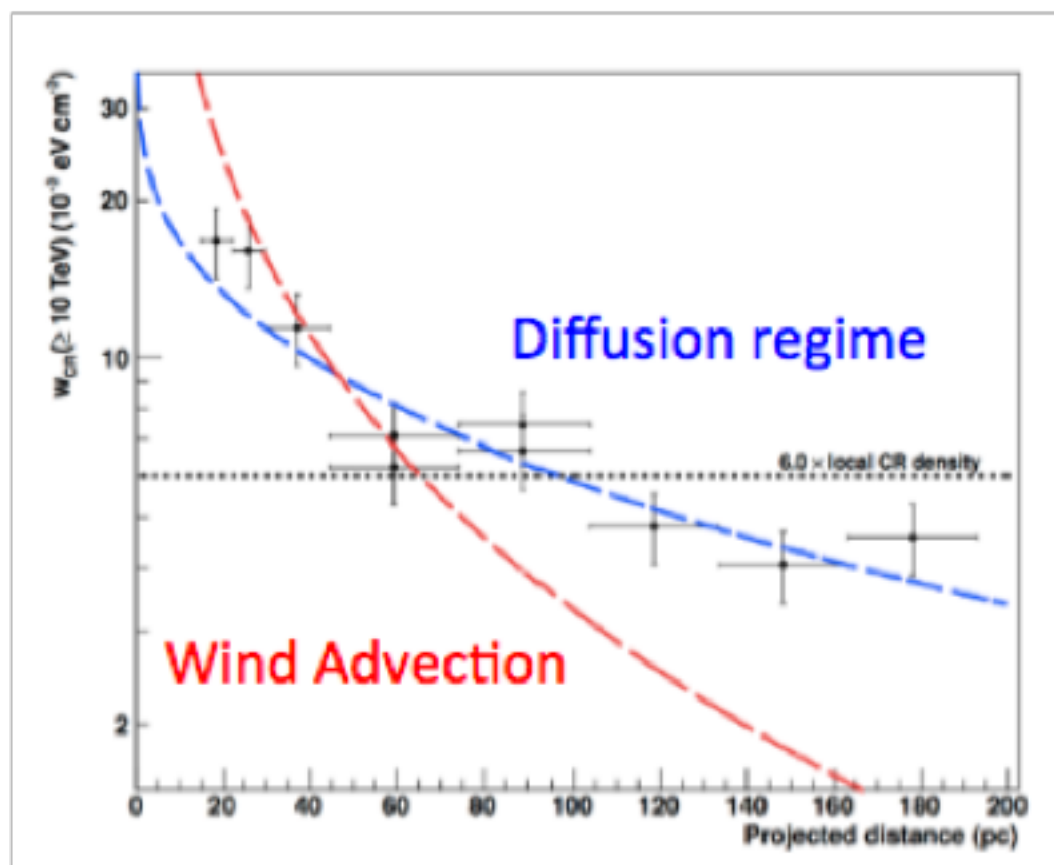
HESS Deep Observation of 250hrs

Spectrum:

Parent proton could be 1PeV \rightarrow PeVATRON?

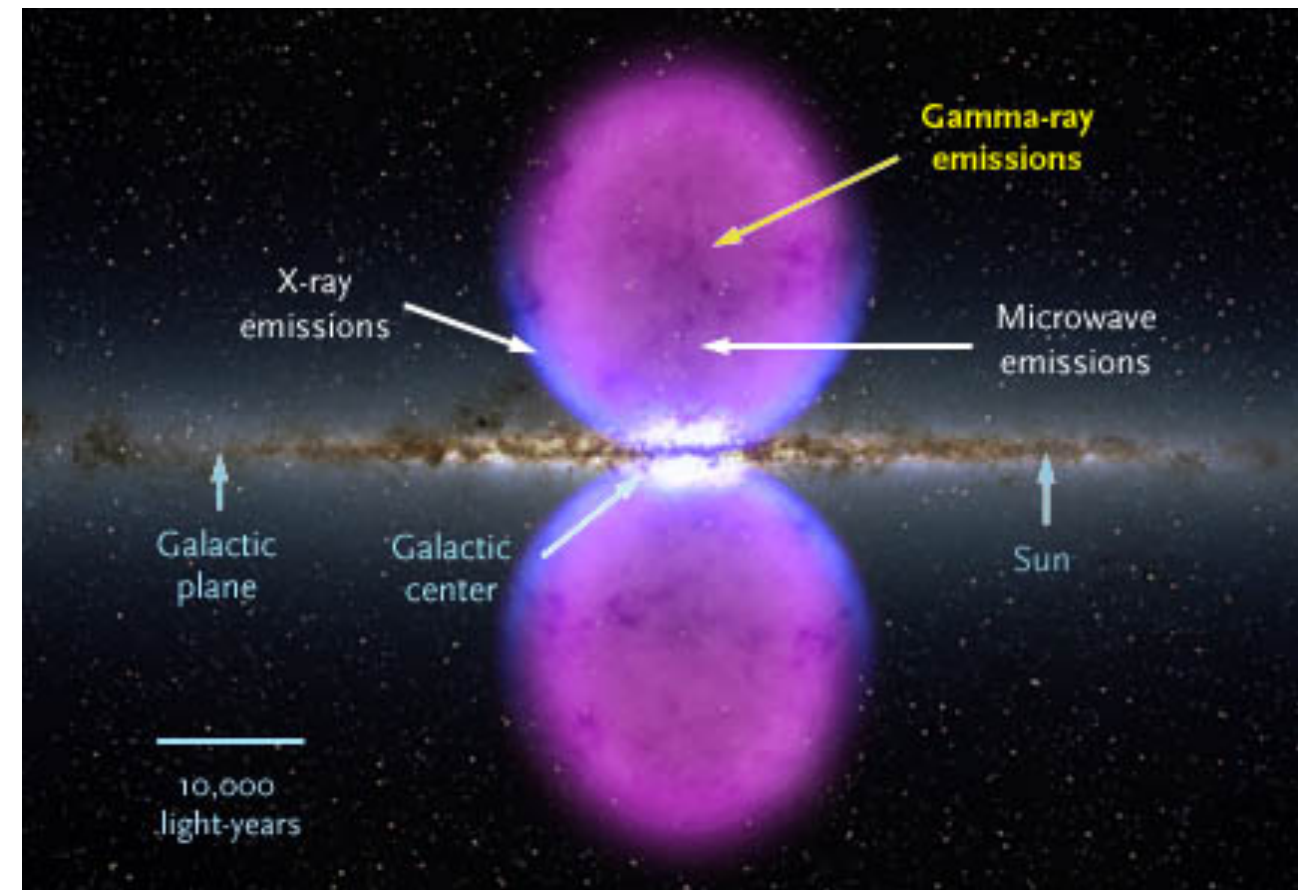
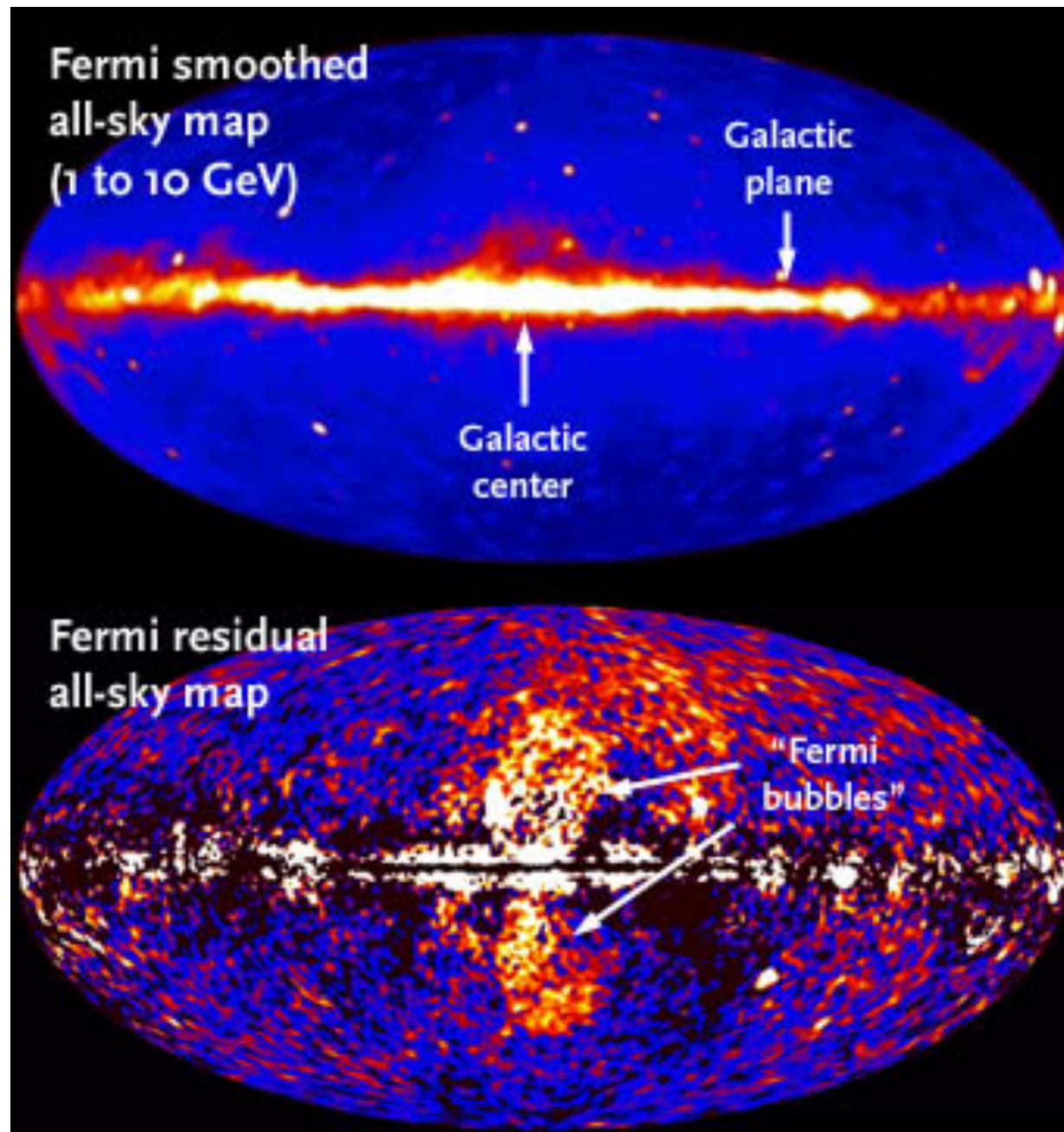
Radial distribution $1/r$:

Consistent with the diffusion from the central BH

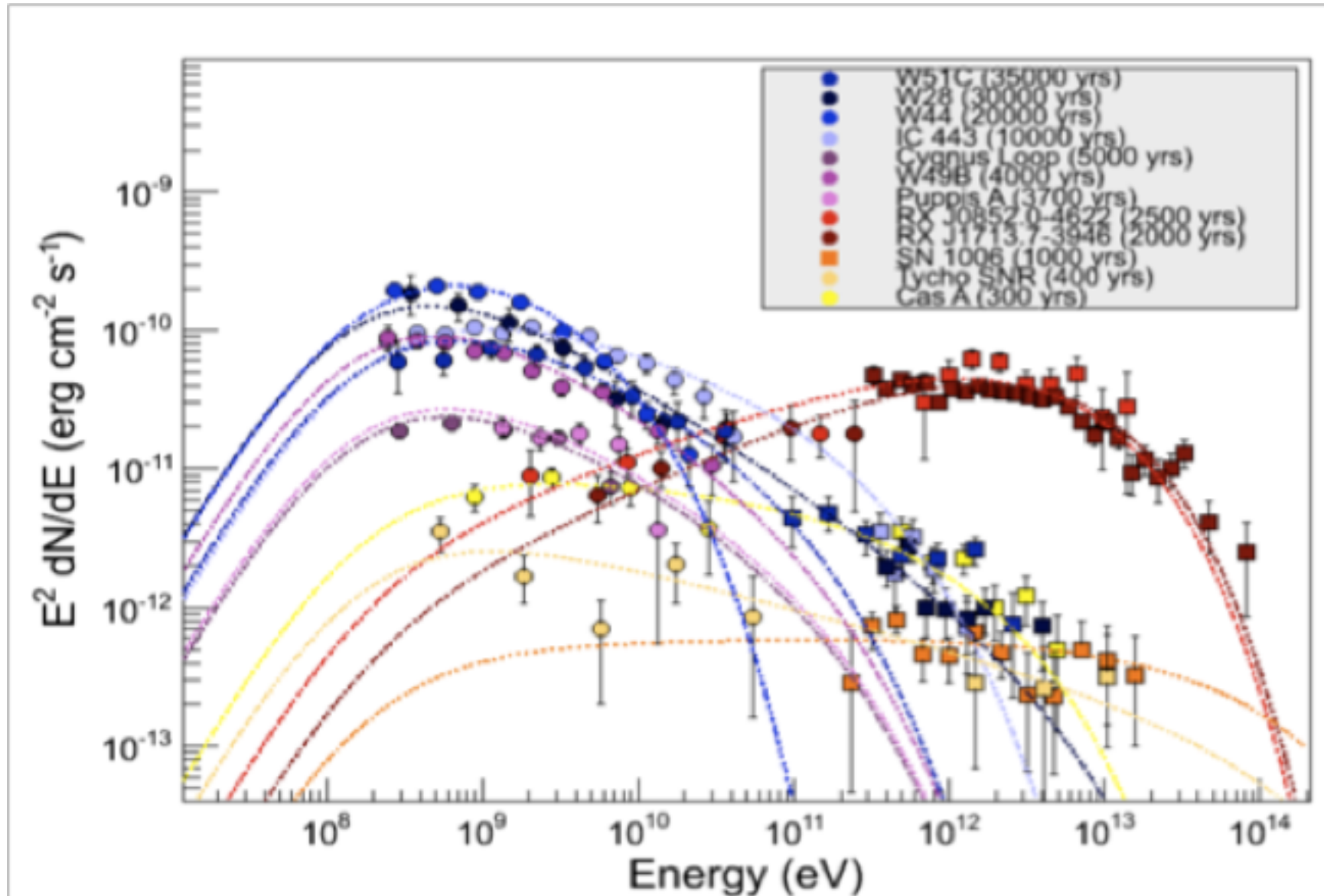


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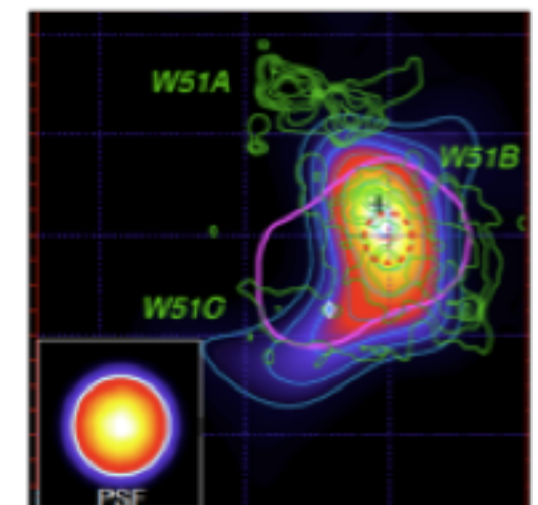
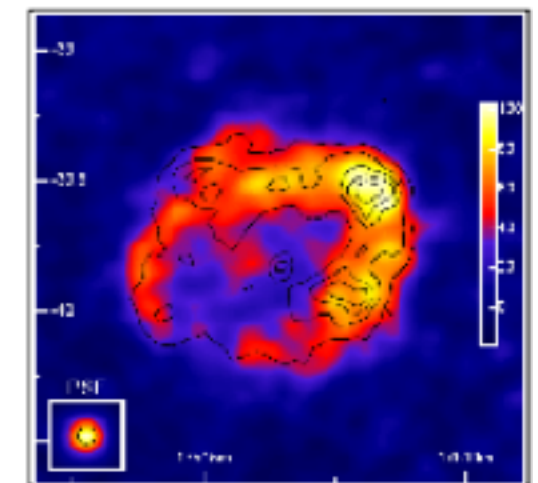
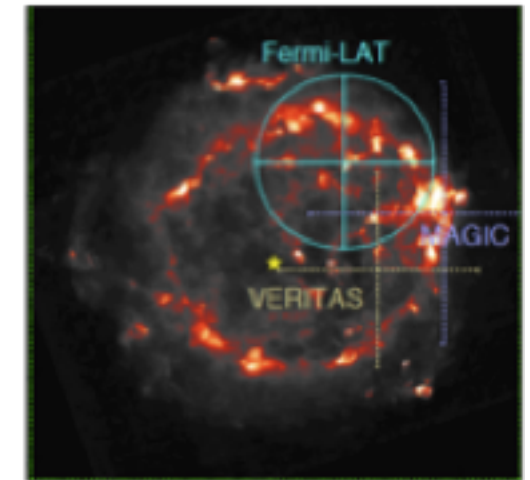
Galactic Center: Fermi Bubbles



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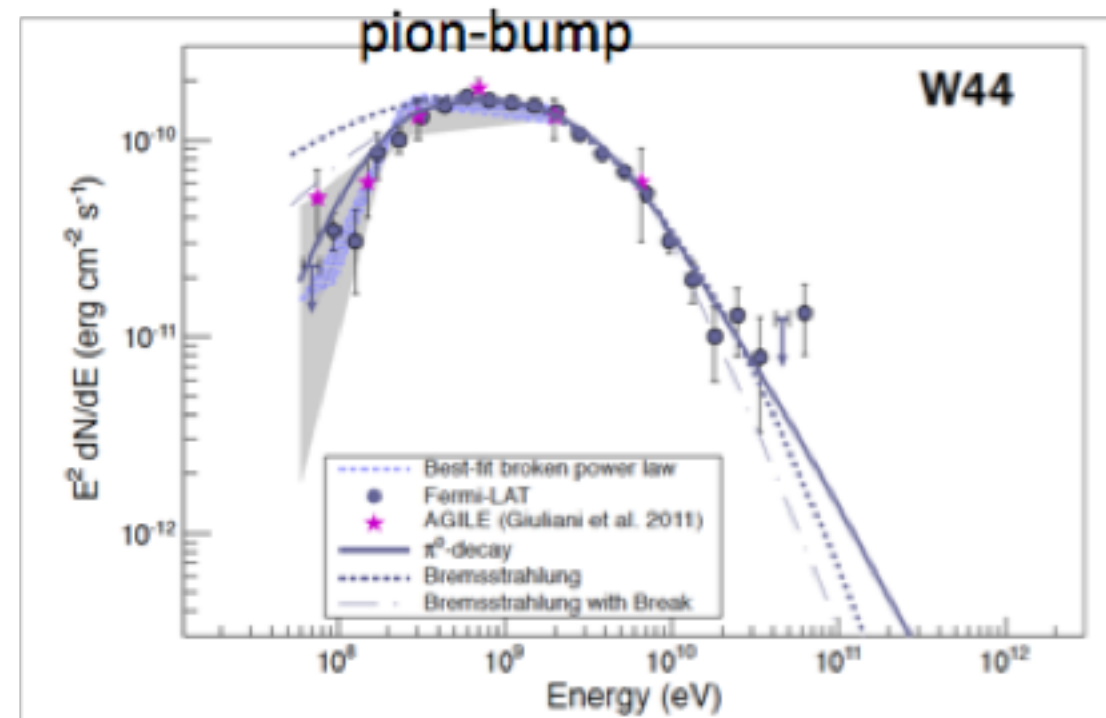
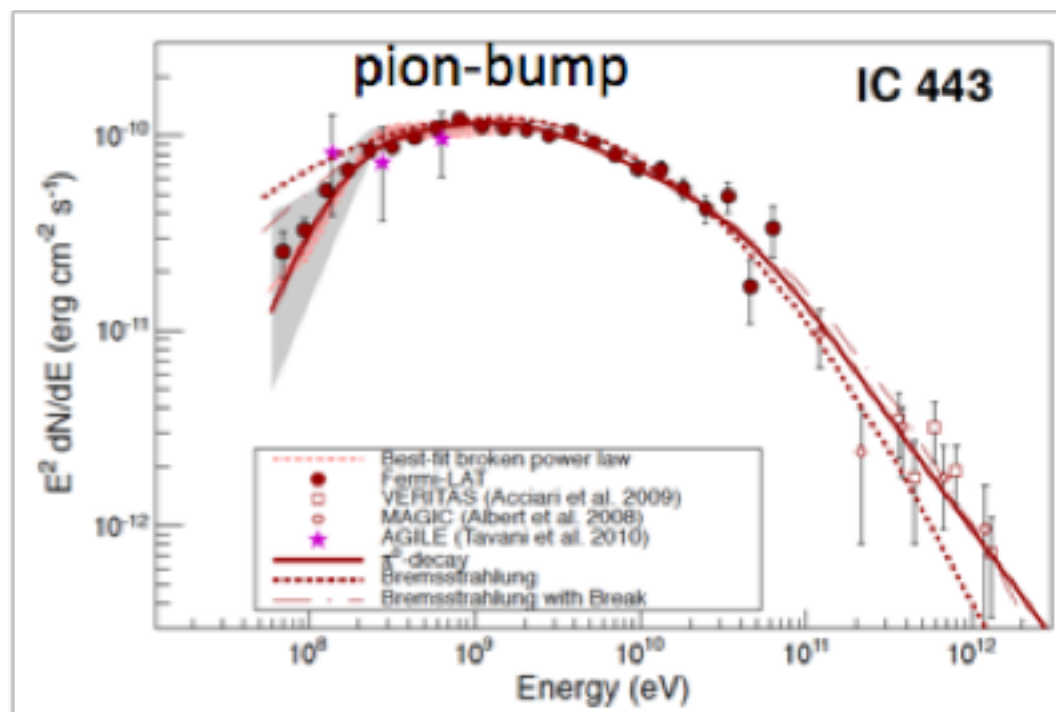
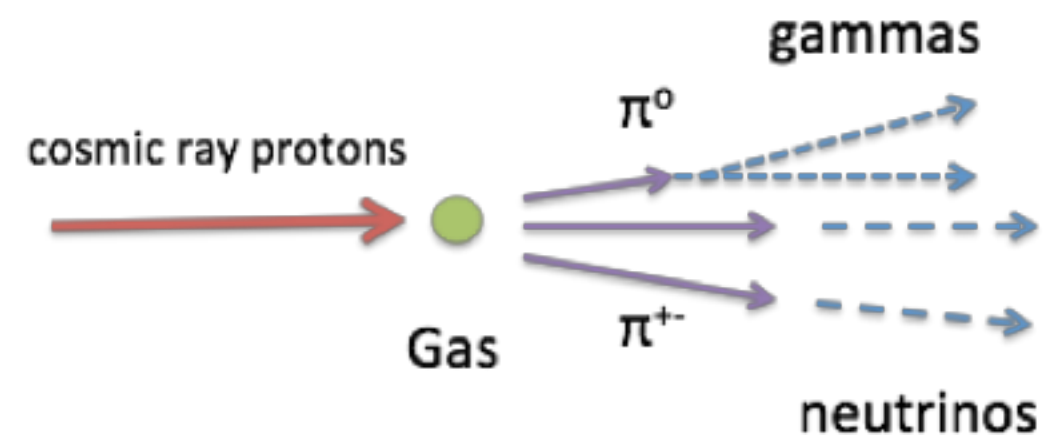
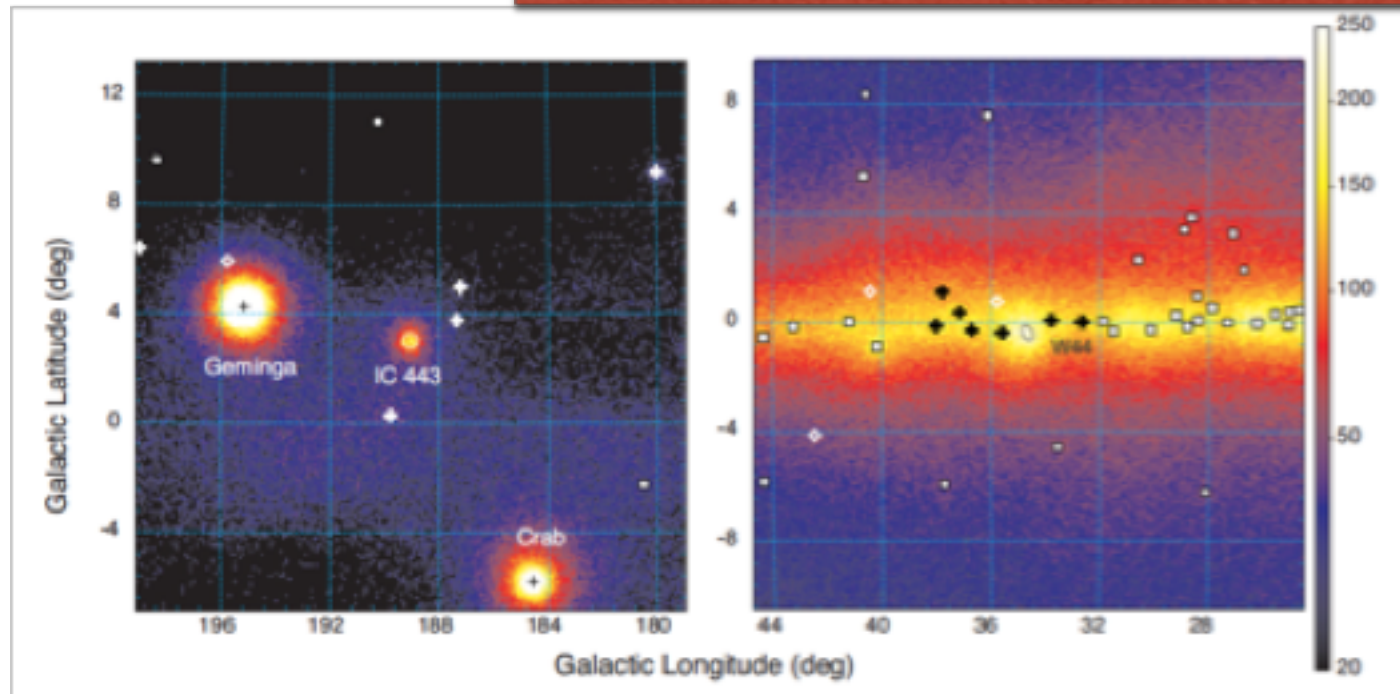


- Different stages of SNRs as cosmic ray accelerator
- CTA will deliver more information on SNRs as cosmic ray accelerators
- We can survey most of SNRs in our galaxy → C.R. energetics



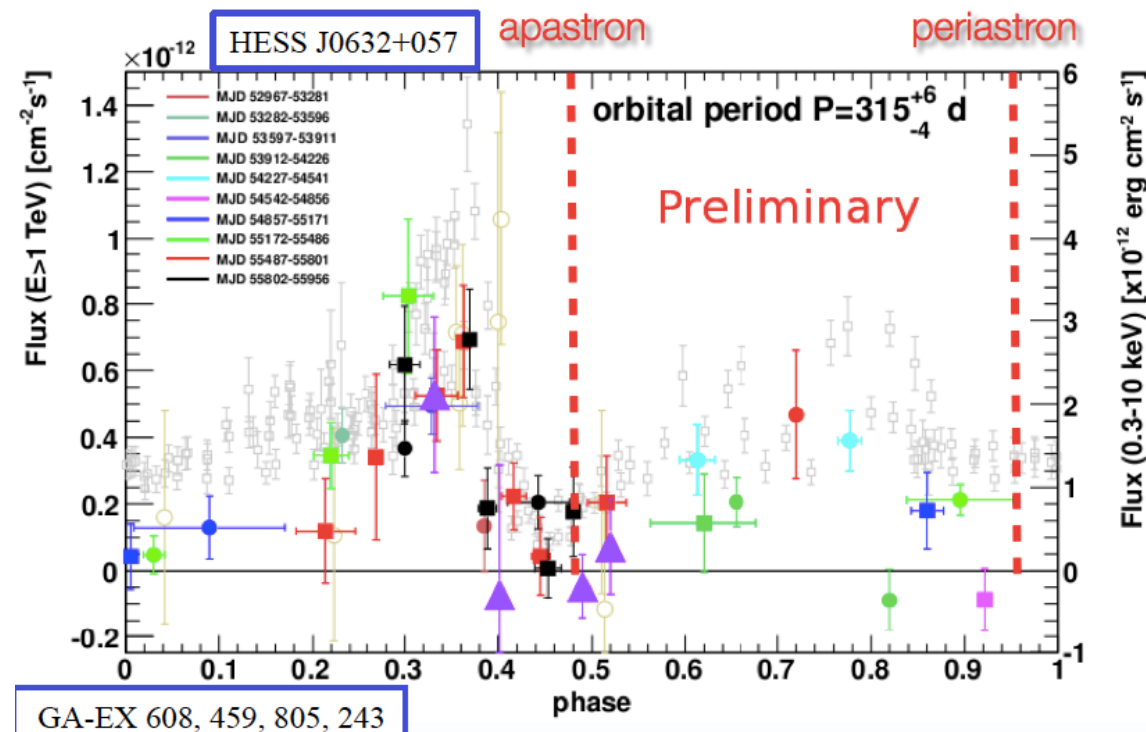
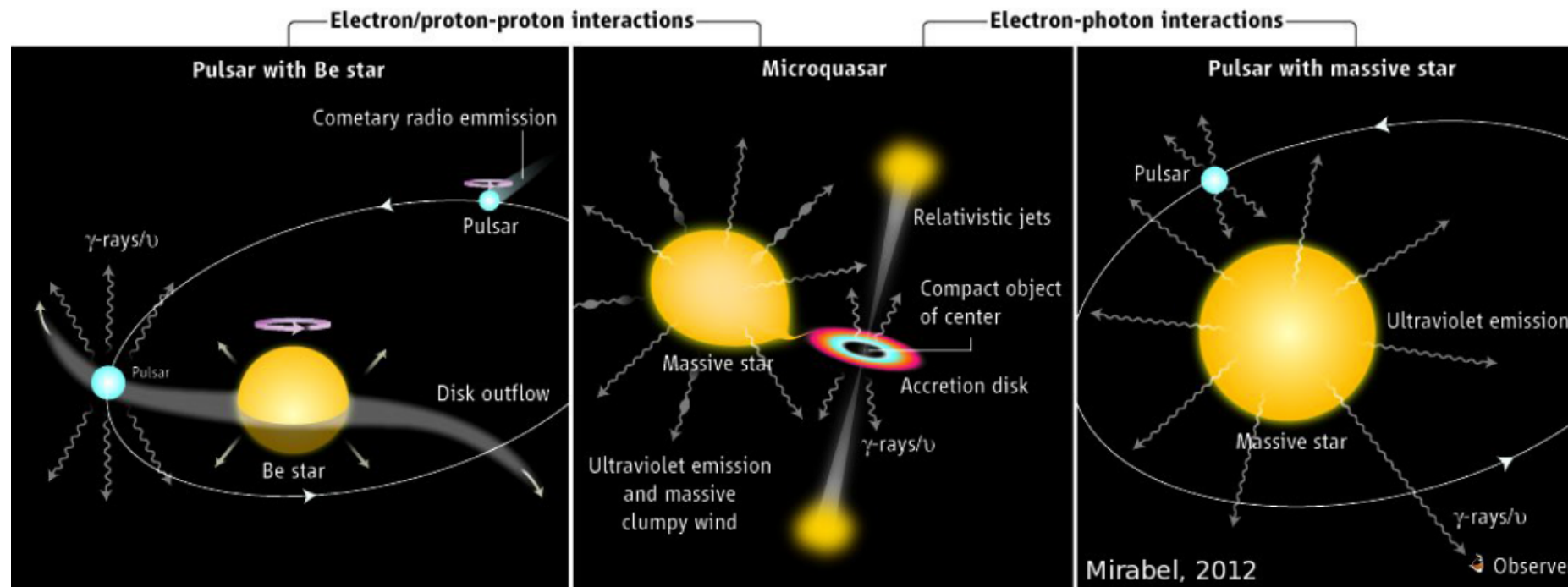
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Super Nova Remnants as cosmic ray accelerators IC443 and W44, FERMI Collaboration (in Science)

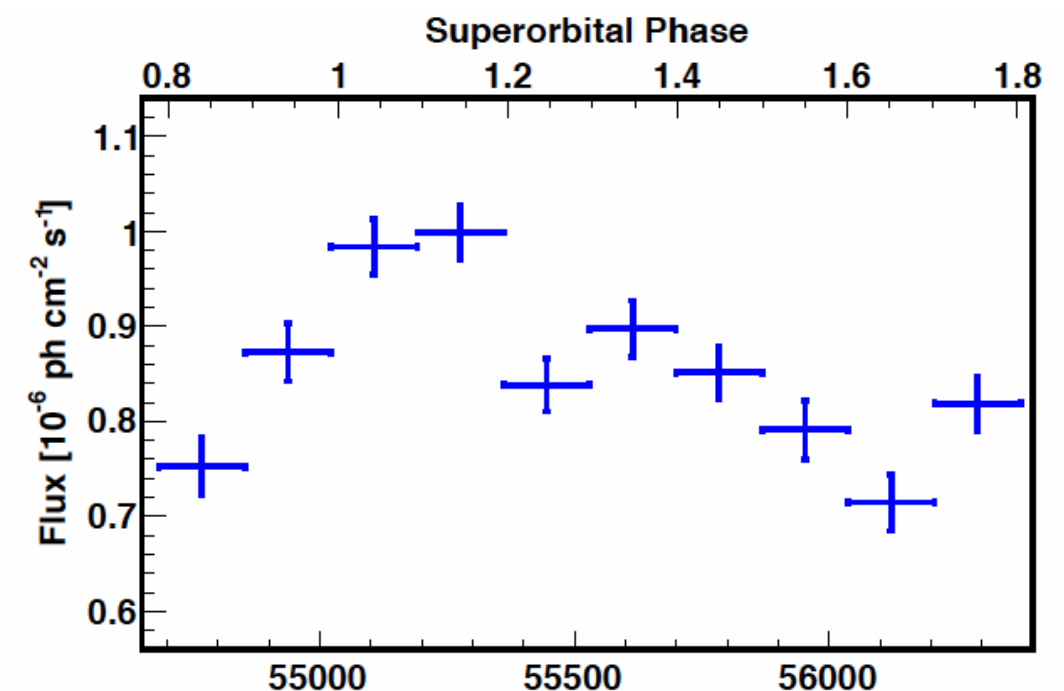


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Gamma-ray Binary systems

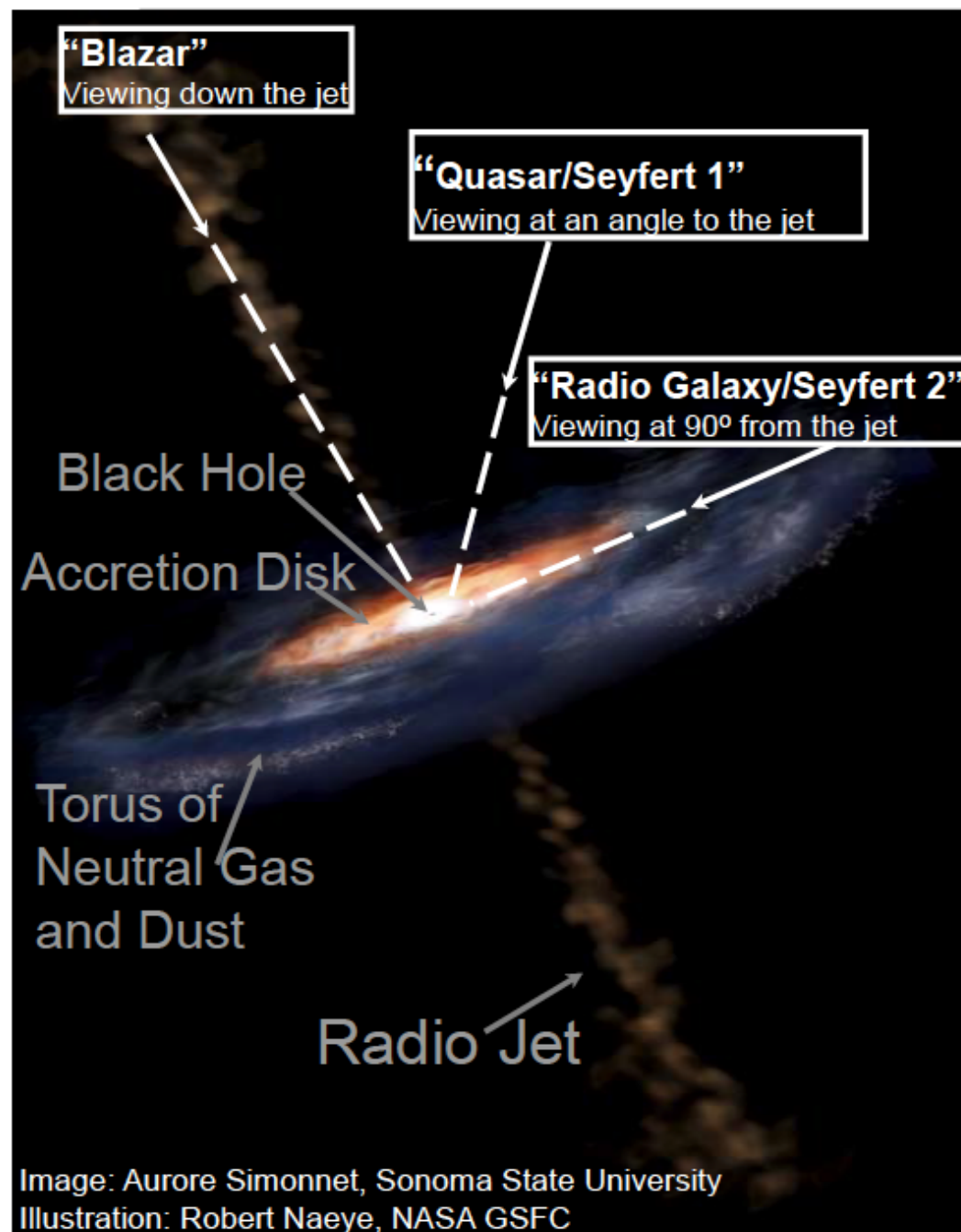


LSI +61 303 Superorbital Modulation!



4. What do we learn from gamma rays?

Active Galaxies



Active Galactic Nuclei (AGN)

- High-luminosity extragalactic objects
 - Probe properties of the universe at large distances
- Highly variable !
- Jets powered by accretion on to supermassive BH

So far, AGN are generally:

- Blazars
 - Jets aligned with line of sight

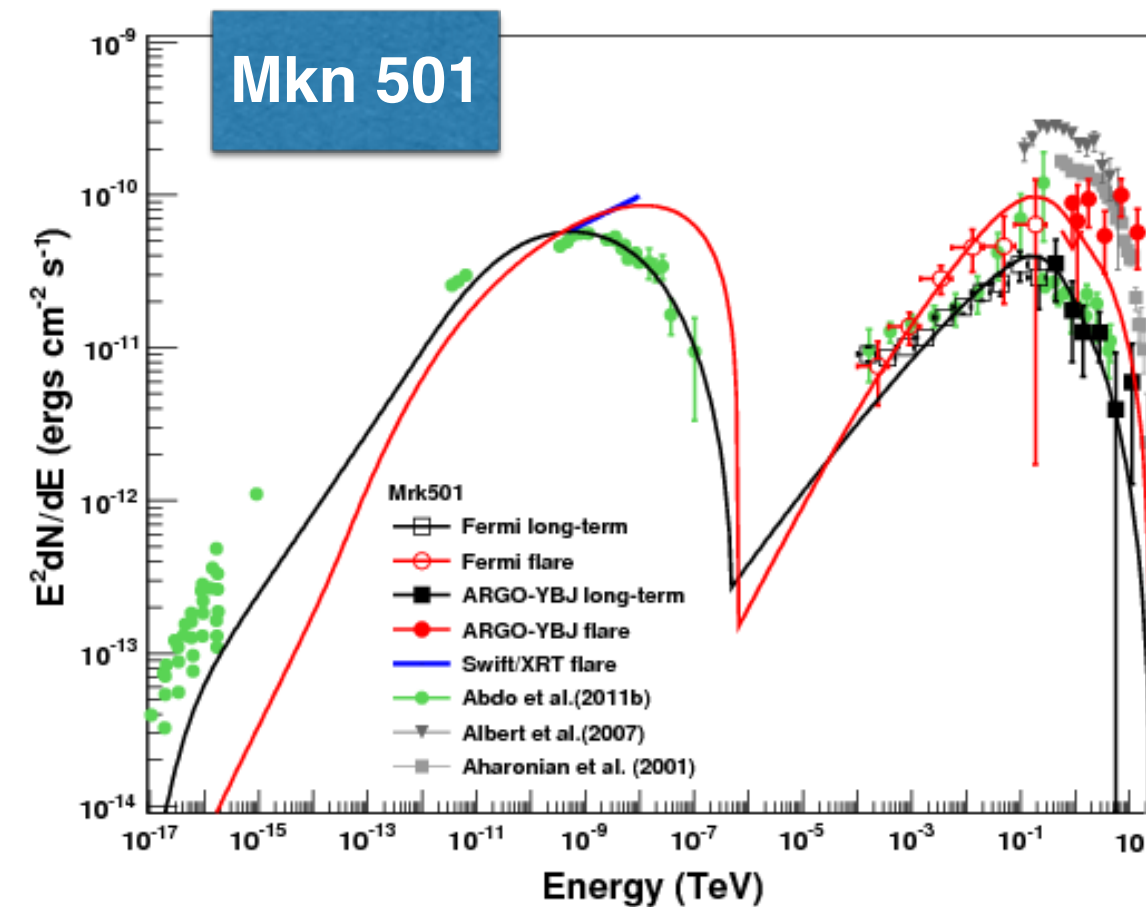
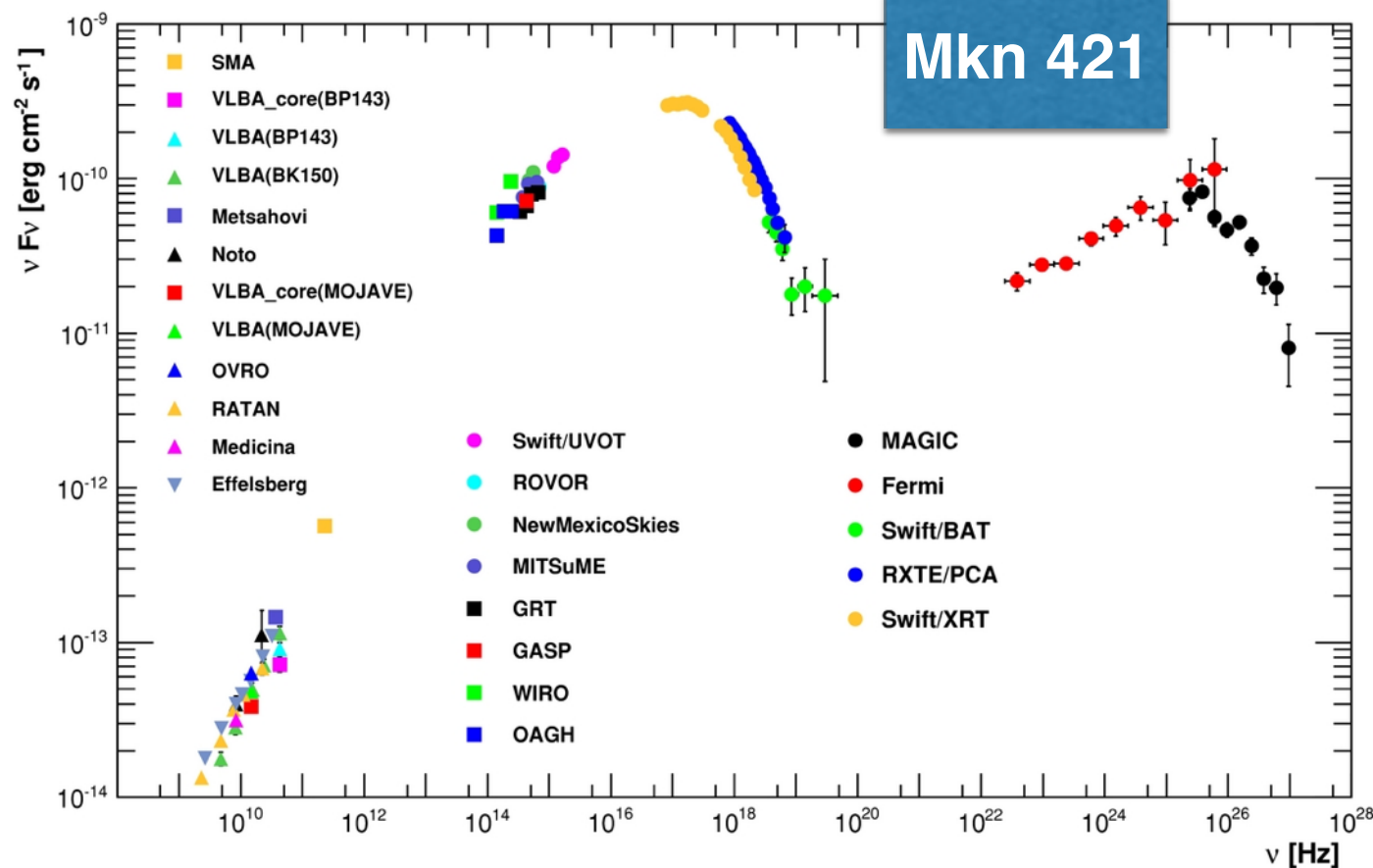
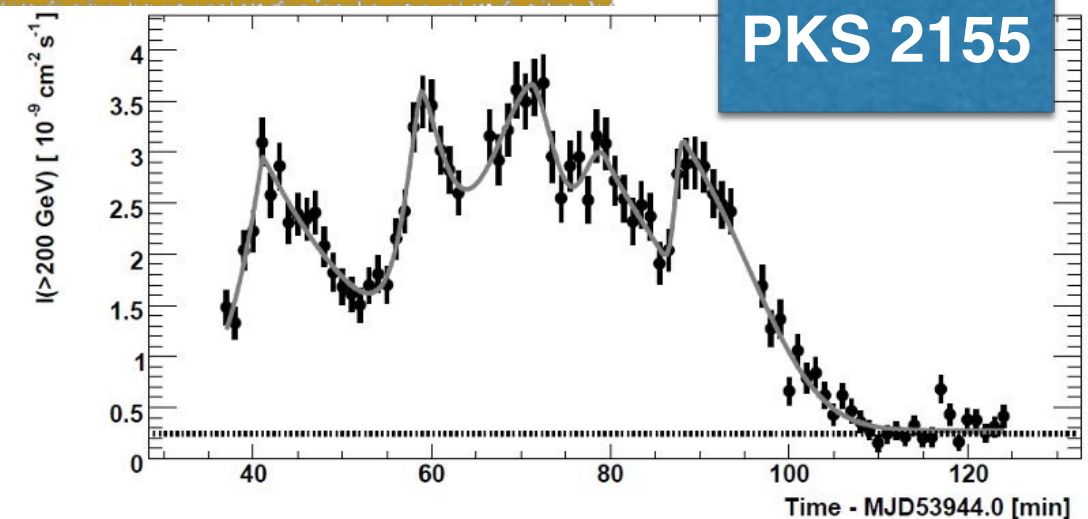
But also radio galaxies (e.g M87)

- Jet viewed from the side

4. What do we learn from gamma rays?

BLAZARS

- Extremely variable on all time scales
- Relativistic jets with large Lorentz factors
- >1000 Fermi blazars, 60 in TeV regime



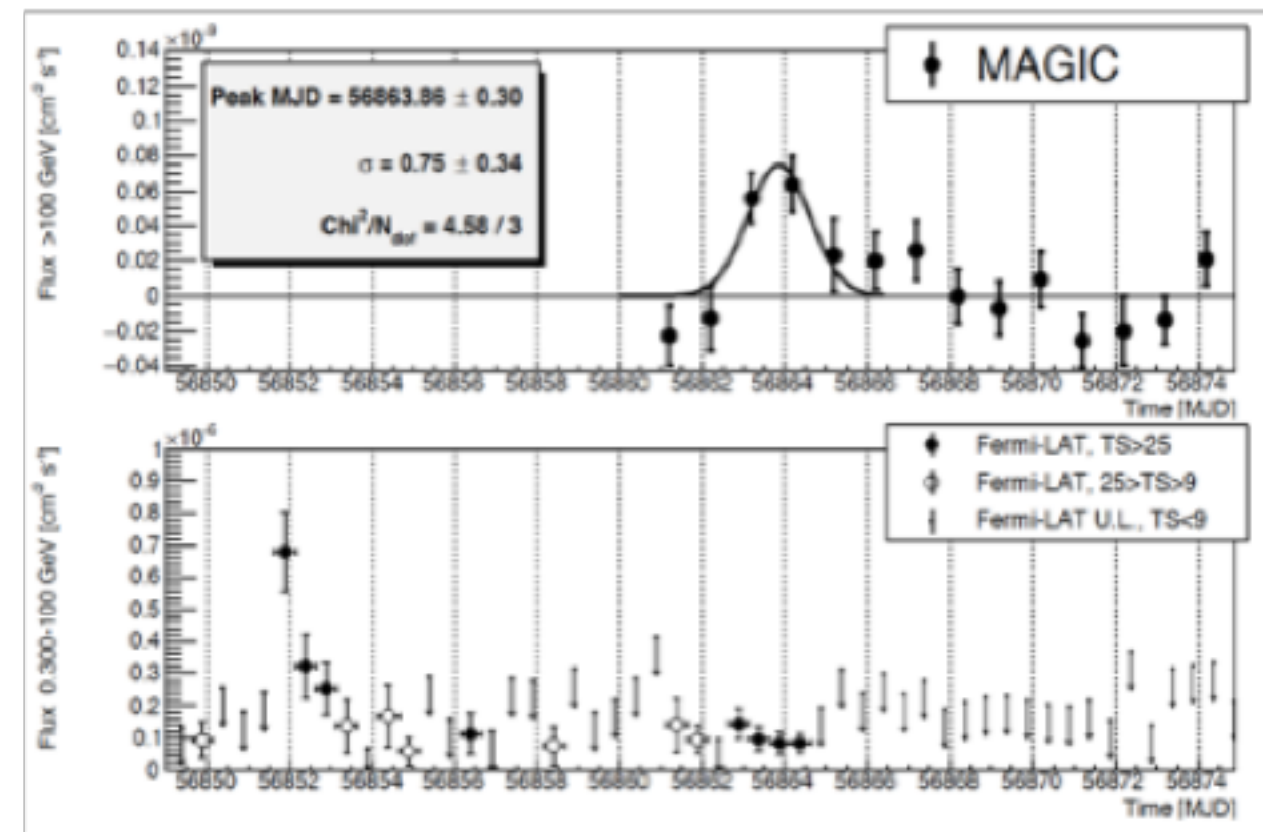
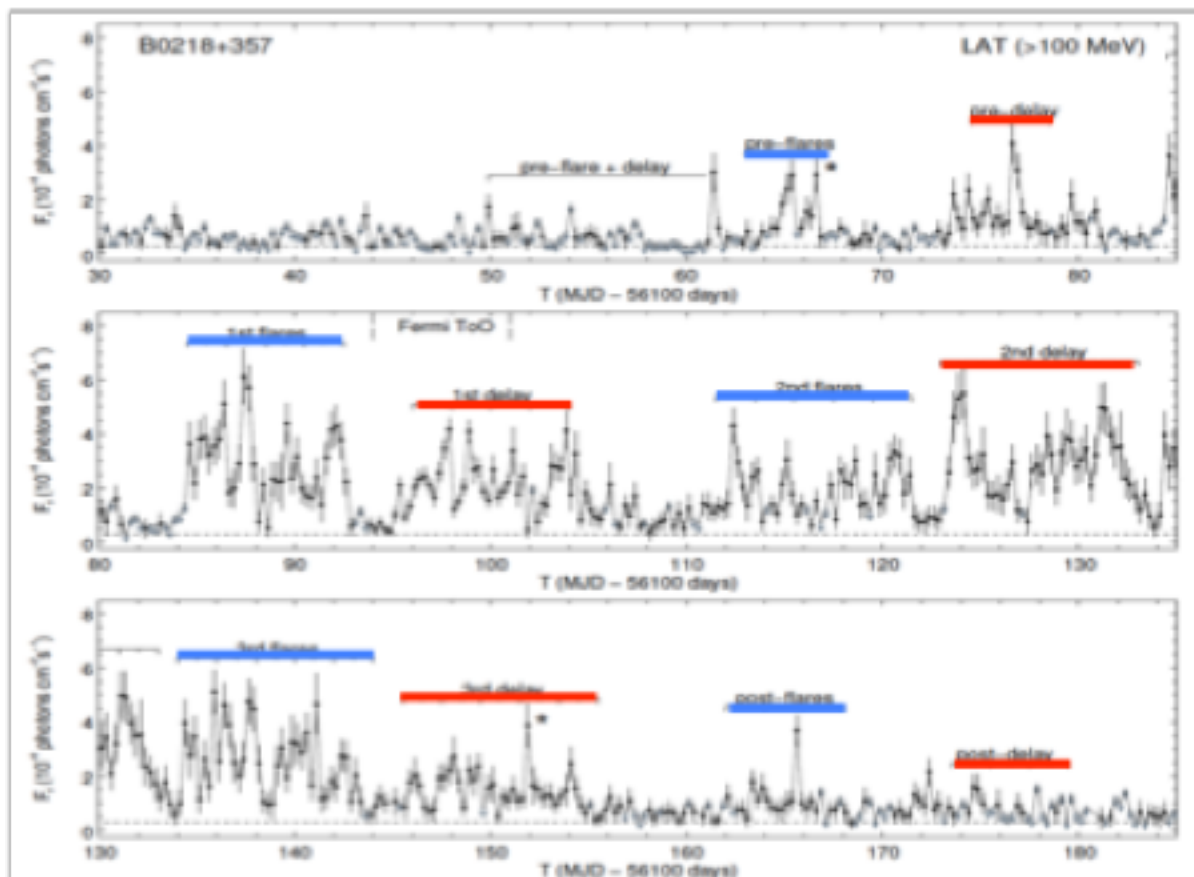
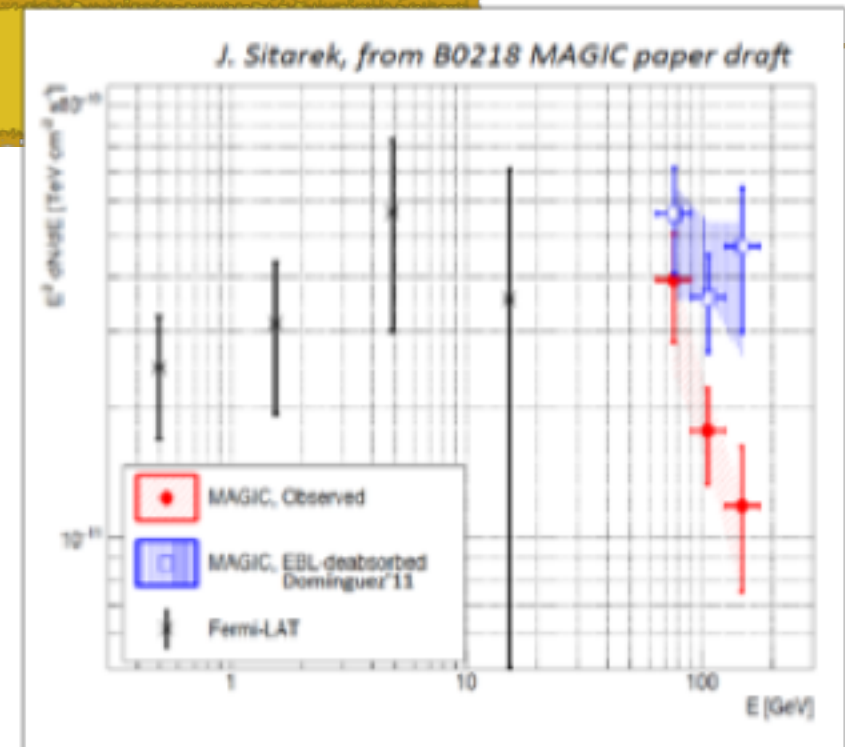
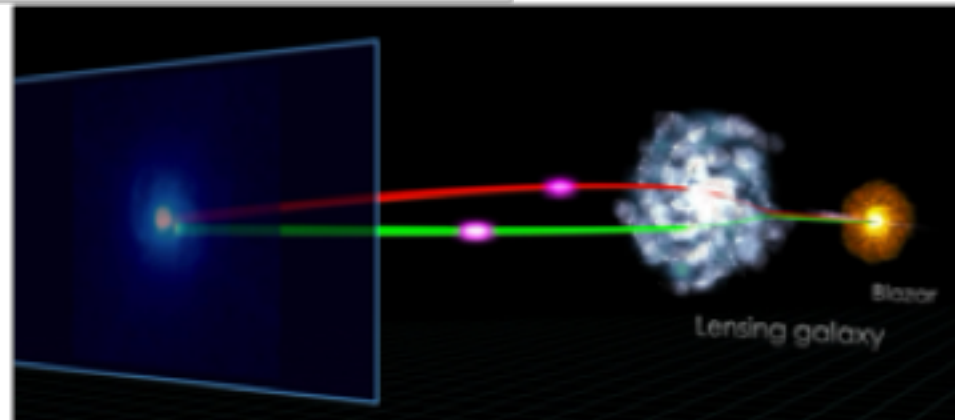
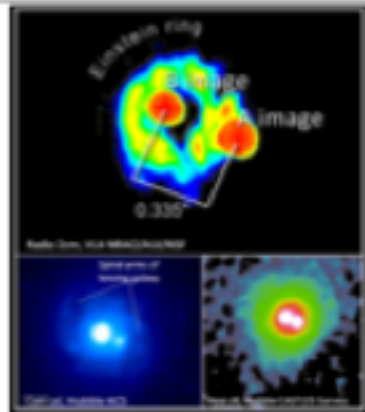
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FSRQ S3 0218+357 $z = 0.944$

Discovery of Very High Energy Gamma-Ray Emission From Gravitationally Lensed Blazar S3 0218+357 With the MAGIC Telescopes

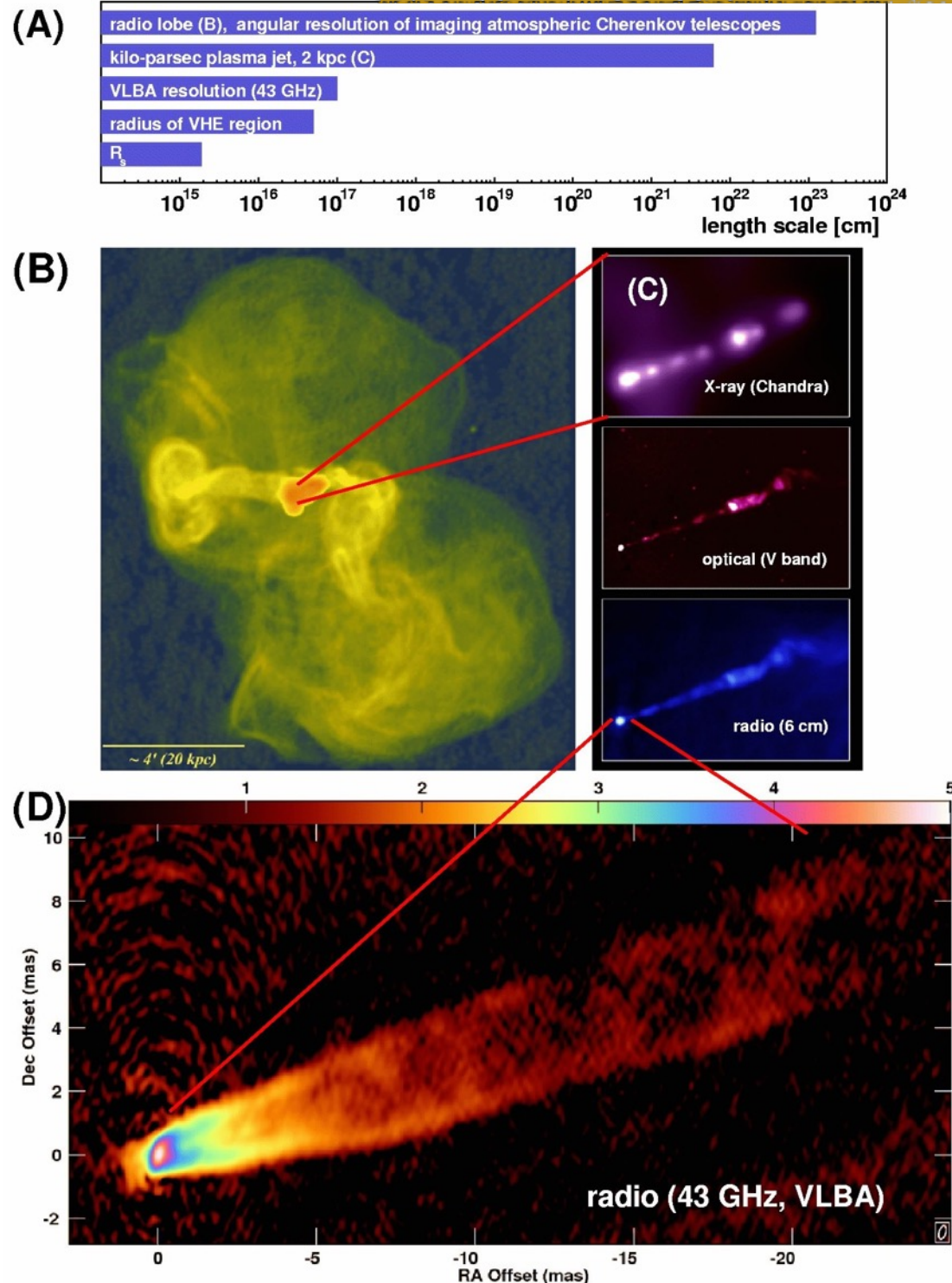
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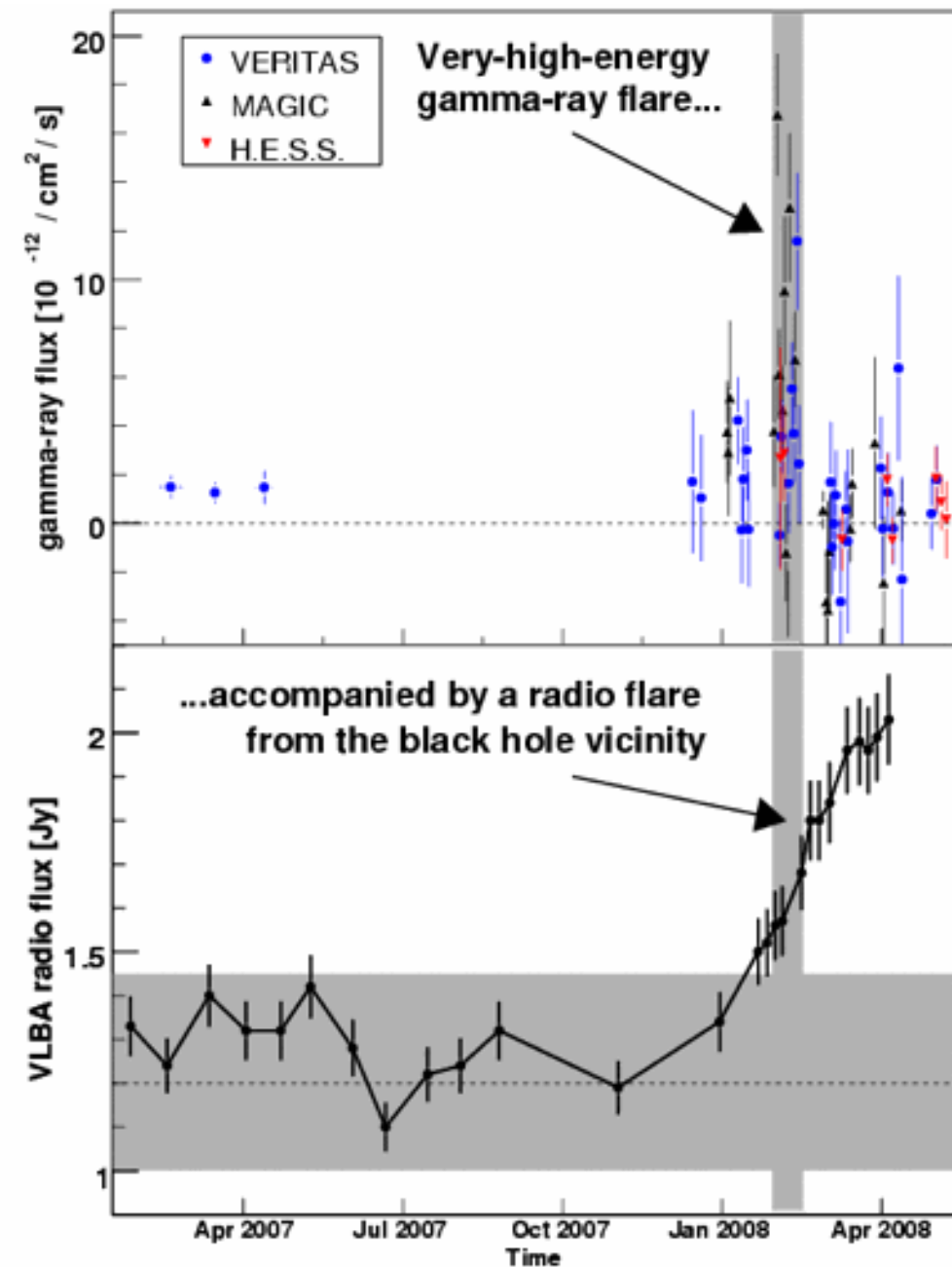


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Radio galaxies



- M87: best studied radio galaxy



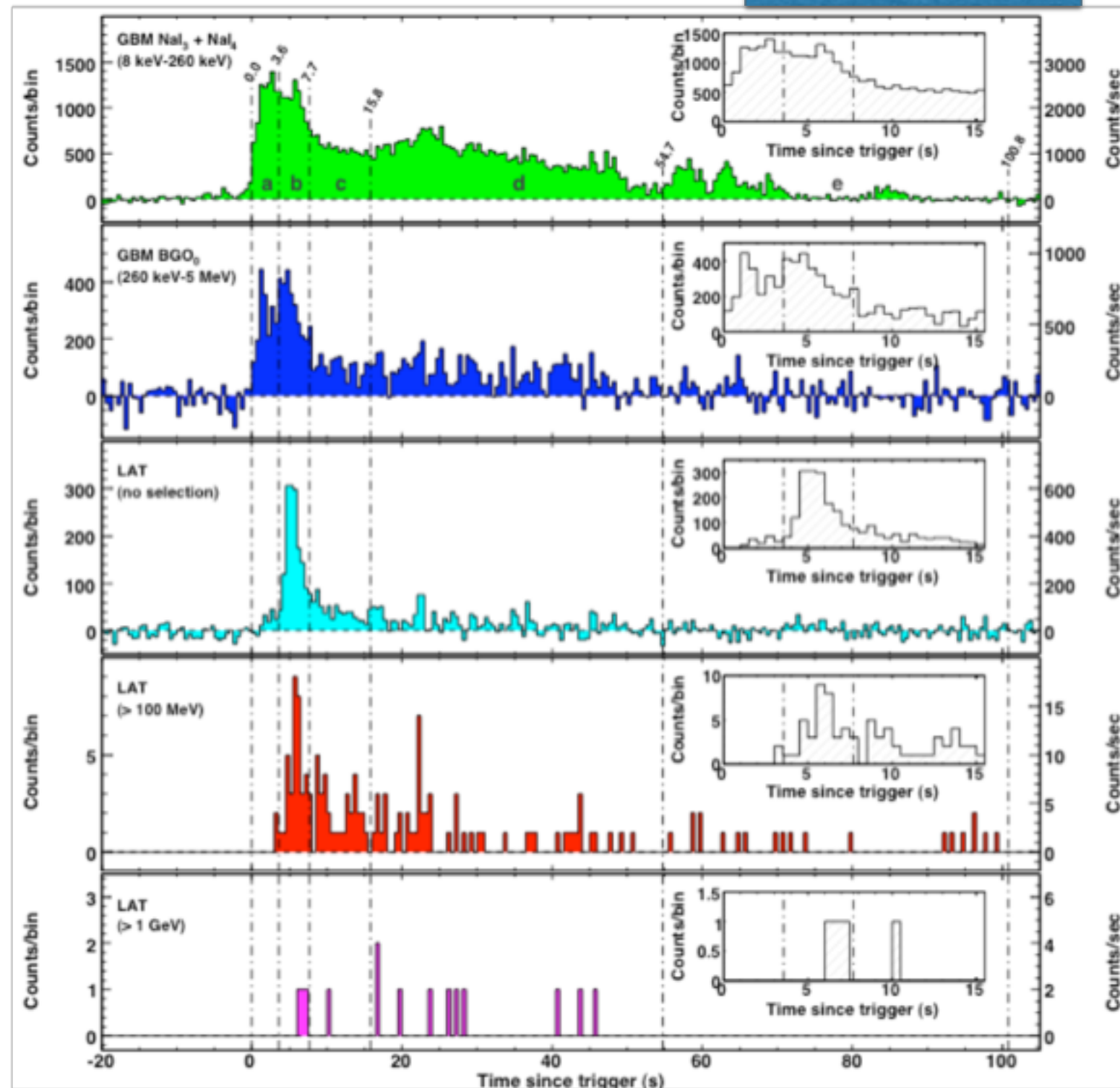
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GRBs

GRB 080916C

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$$z = 4.35 \pm 0.15$$

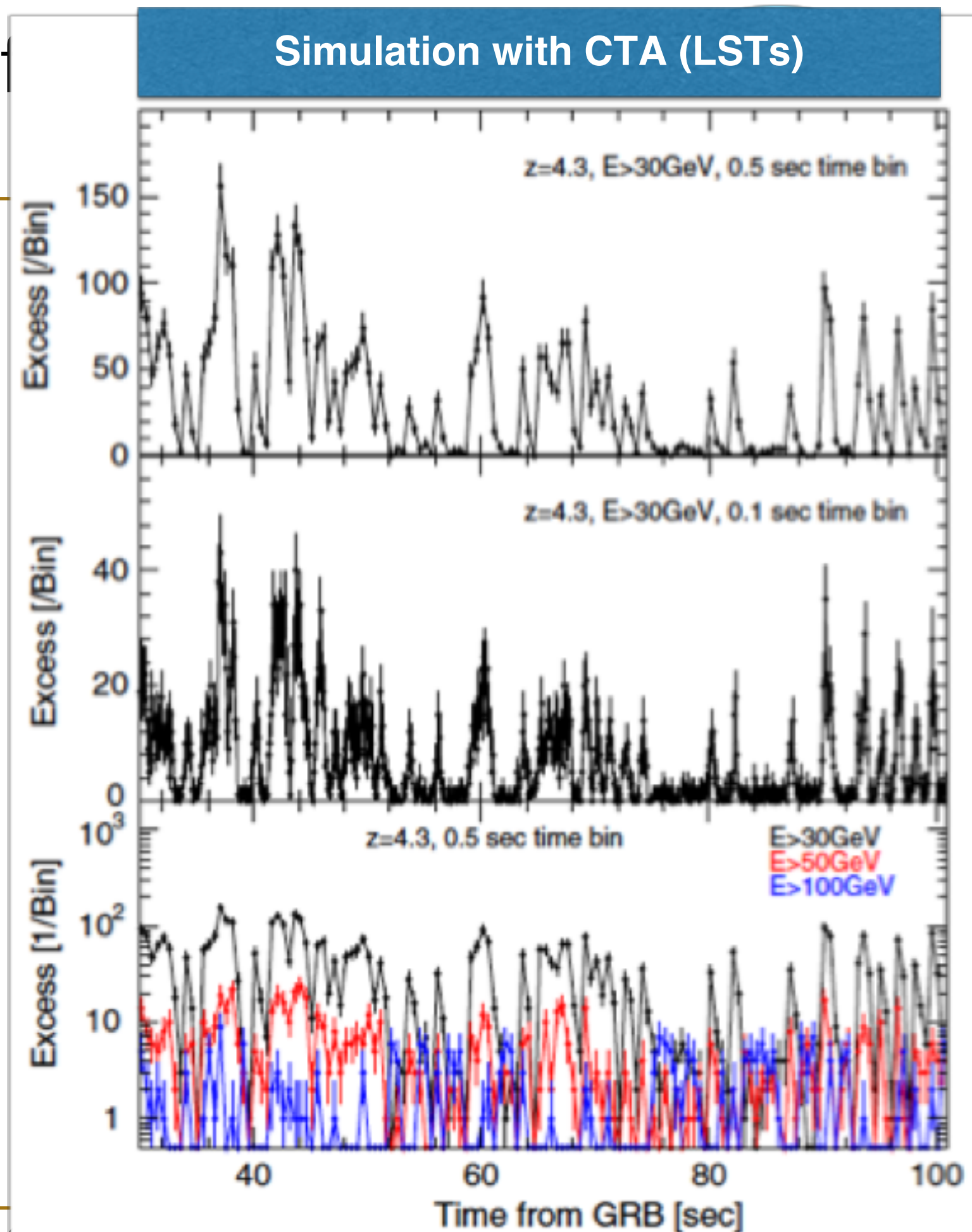


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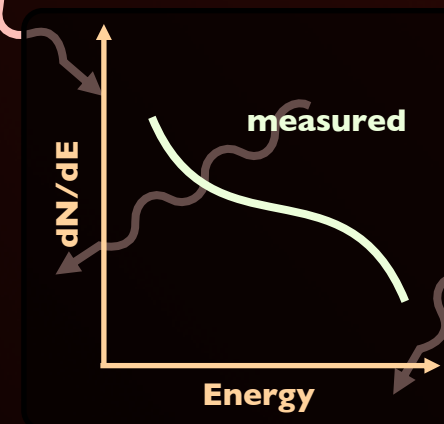
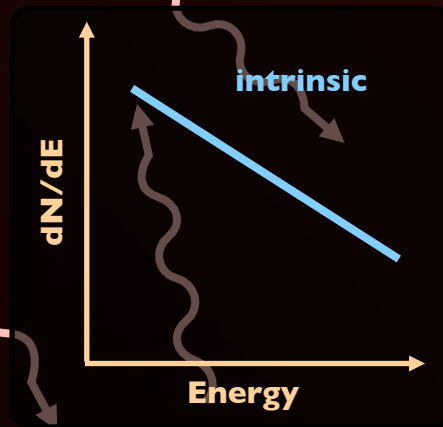


AGN

Stars and Dust
in Galaxies

HE/VHE γ -Rays

UV/O/IR
Photons



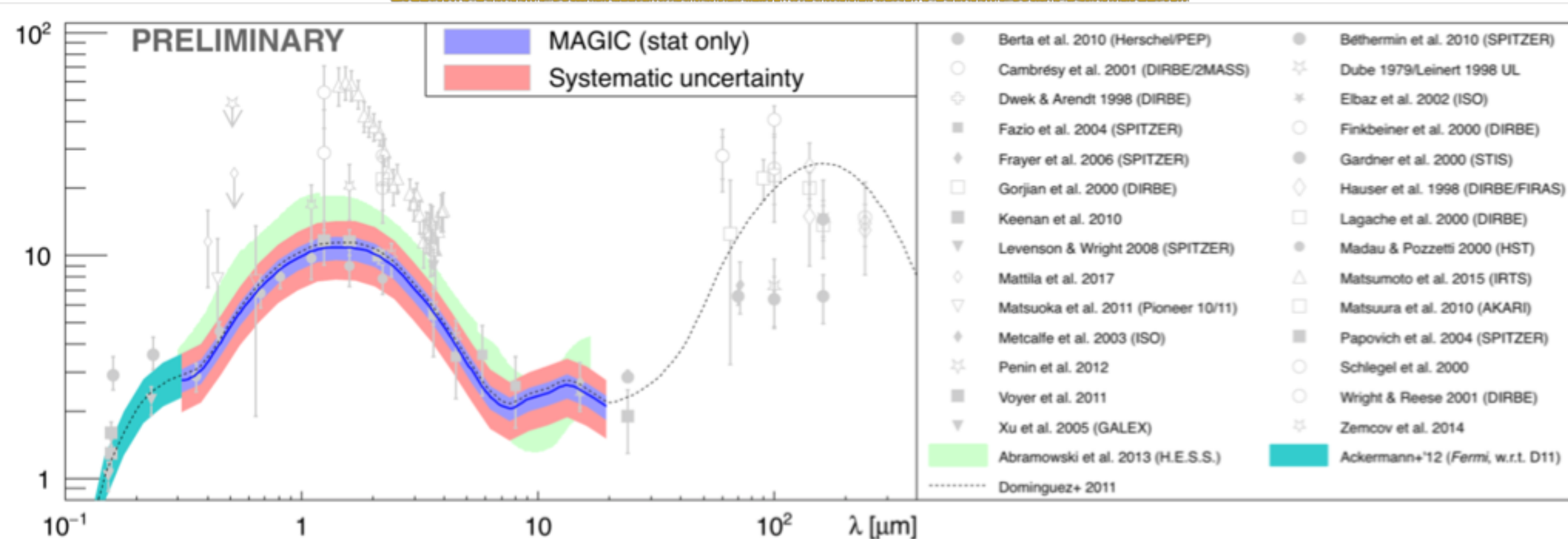
$$E_{\gamma} E_{\text{EBL}} \approx 4(m_e c^2)^2 \approx 1 \text{ MeV}^2$$
$$E_{\text{EBL}} \sim \text{eV} \rightarrow E_{\gamma} \sim \text{TeV}$$

slide from M Raue



4. What do we learn from gamma rays?

Extragalactic Background Light



- Compared to other gamma-based EBL scale measurements
- Good agreement with HESS and Fermi-LAT measurements

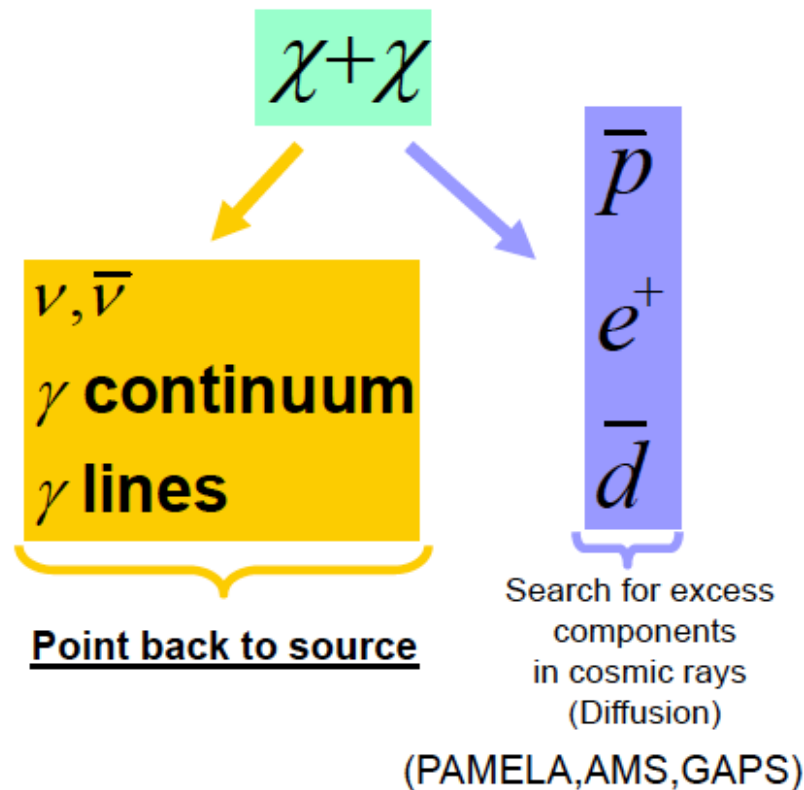
Not much more EBL than the one from the resolved galaxies

4. What do we learn from gamma rays?

Search for Cold Dark Matter

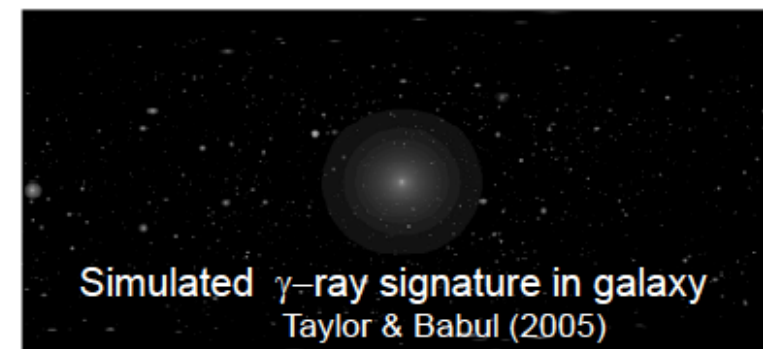
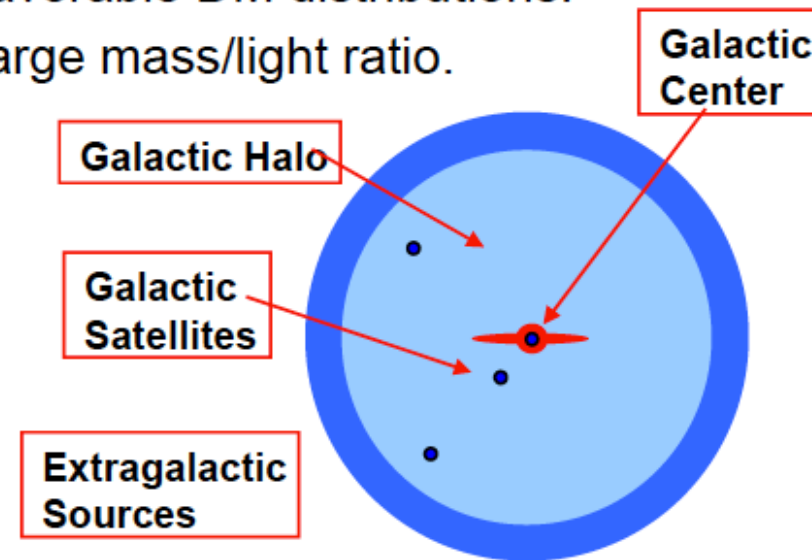
Hypothesis: DM = WIMPs

- Indirect detection of WIMP annihilation $\rightarrow \gamma, \nu$ etc.



Target regions with:

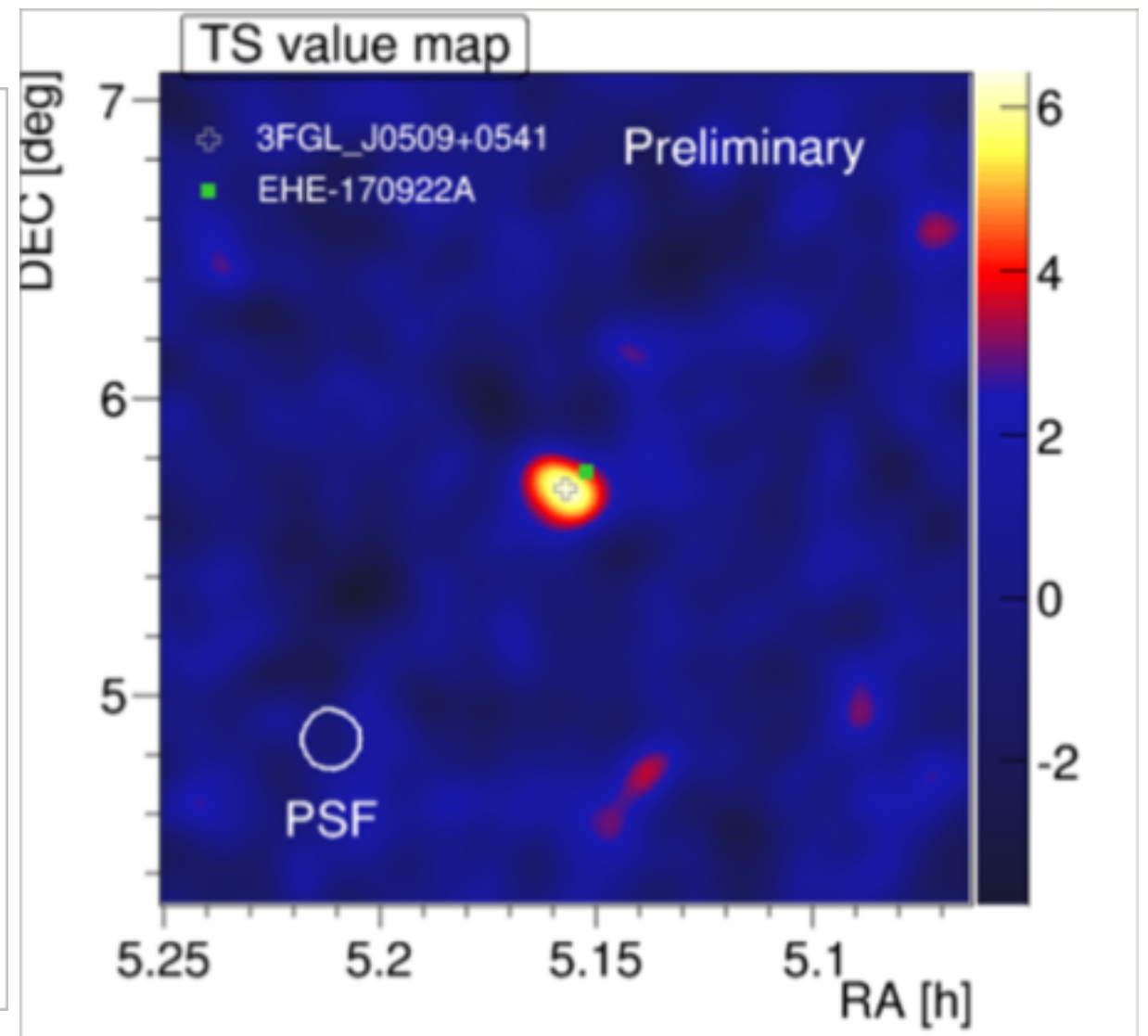
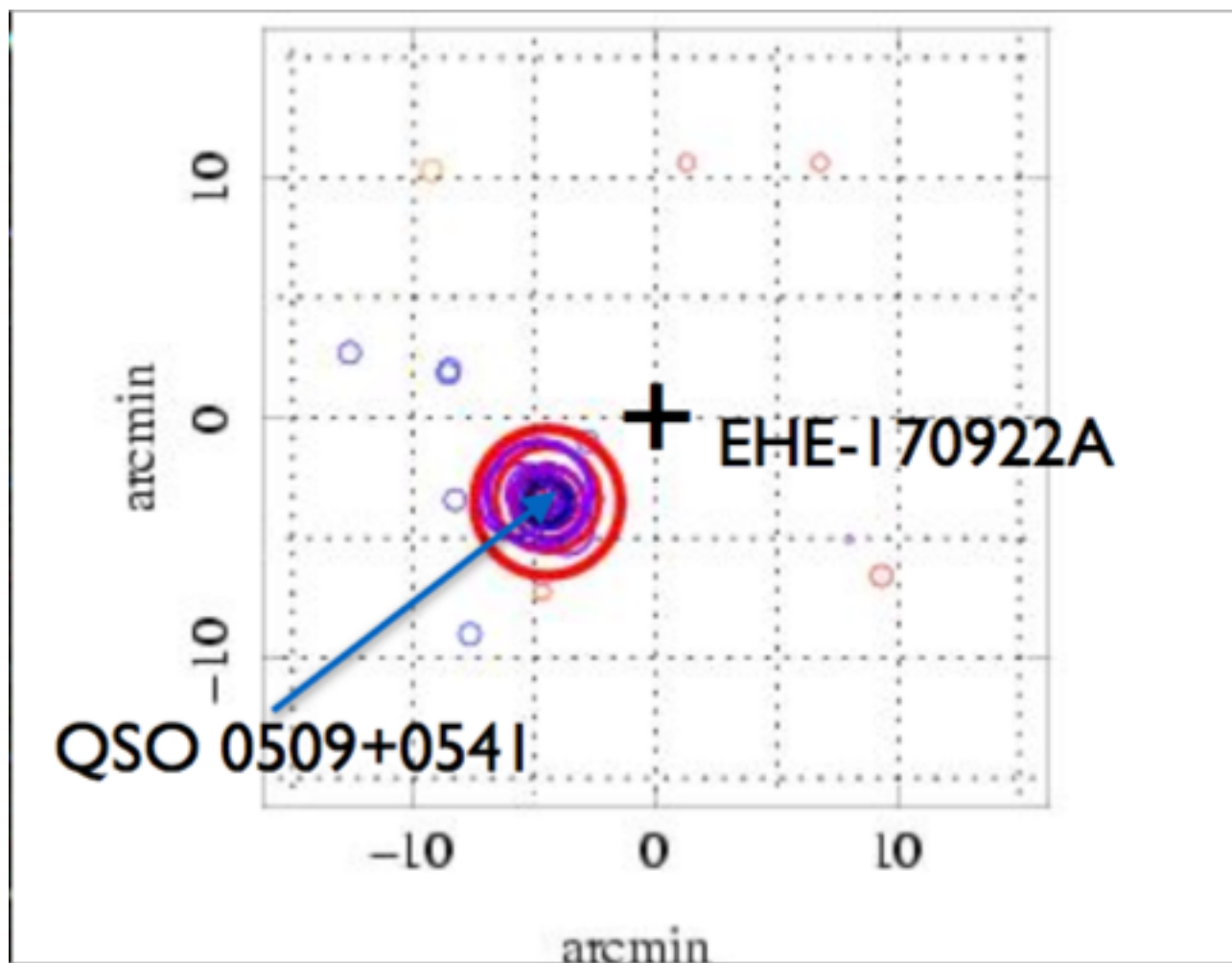
- Favorable DM distributions.
- Large mass/light ratio.



Complementary approach to direct detection & LHC
Goal is to do DM astronomy !

Multimessendger

- September 2017: TXS0506+056 ($z=0.3365$) in flaring state coinciding with Extremely High Energy (EHE, through-going track) neutrino event
- Chance coincidence or proof of hadronic emission?



THE NEXT BIG STEP: THE CHERENKOV TELESCOPE ARRAY

10 fold improvement in sensitivity
10 fold improvement in usable energy range
much larger field of view
strongly improved angular resolution

cta

cherenkov telescope array

Low-energy section:

4 x 23 m tel. (LST)

- Parabolic reflector
 - FOV: 4-5 degrees
- energy threshold
of some 10 GeV

Core-energy array:

23 x 12 m tel. (MST)

- Davies-Cotton reflector
 - FOV: 7-8 degrees
- mCrab sensitivity
in the 100 GeV–10 TeV
domain

Core array expansion
with dual-mirror
telescopes

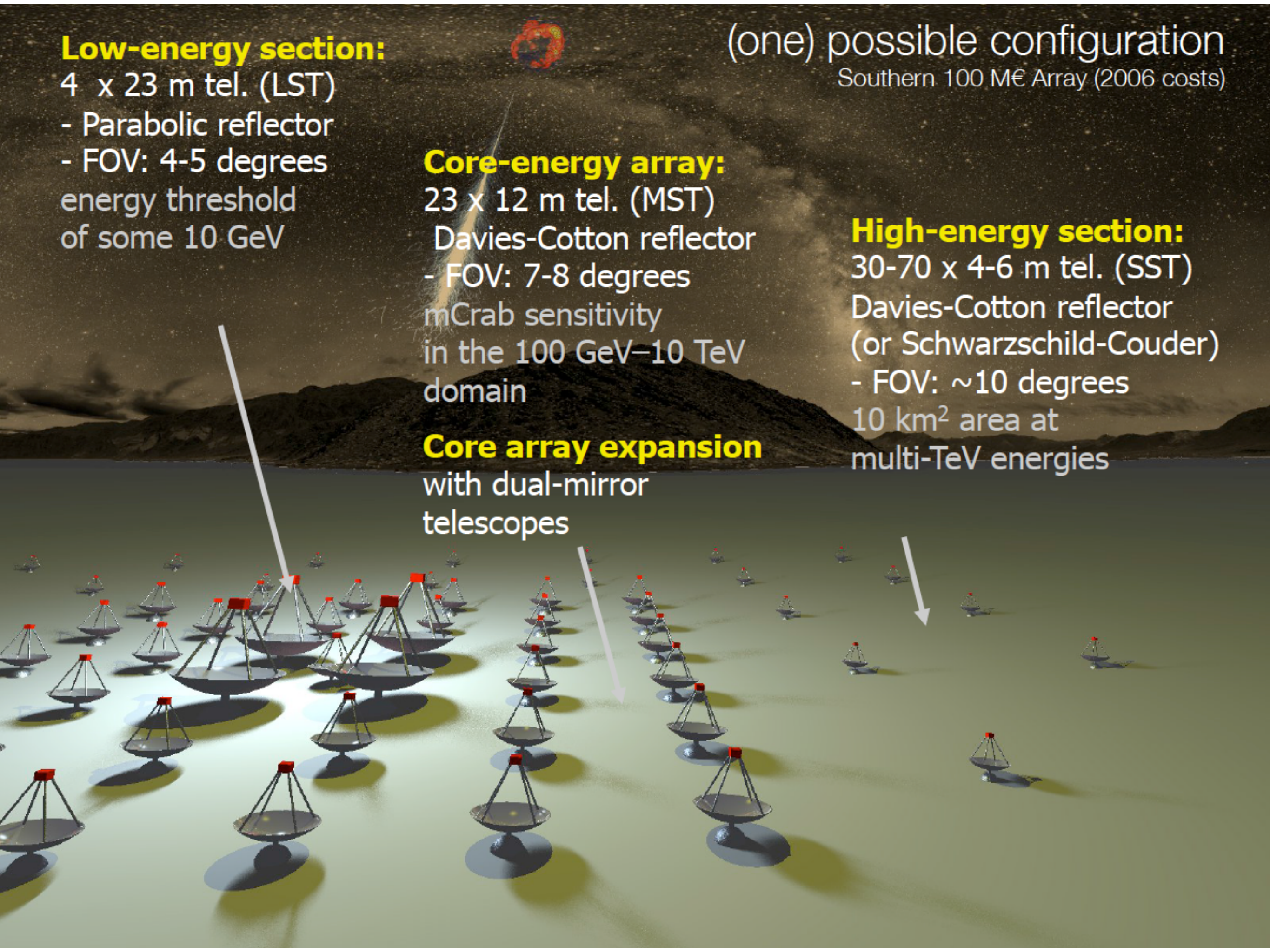
(one) possible configuration

Southern 100 M€ Array (2006 costs)

High-energy section:

30-70 x 4-6 m tel. (SST)

- Davies-Cotton reflector
(or Schwarzschild-Couder)
 - FOV: ~10 degrees
- 10 km² area at
multi-TeV energies



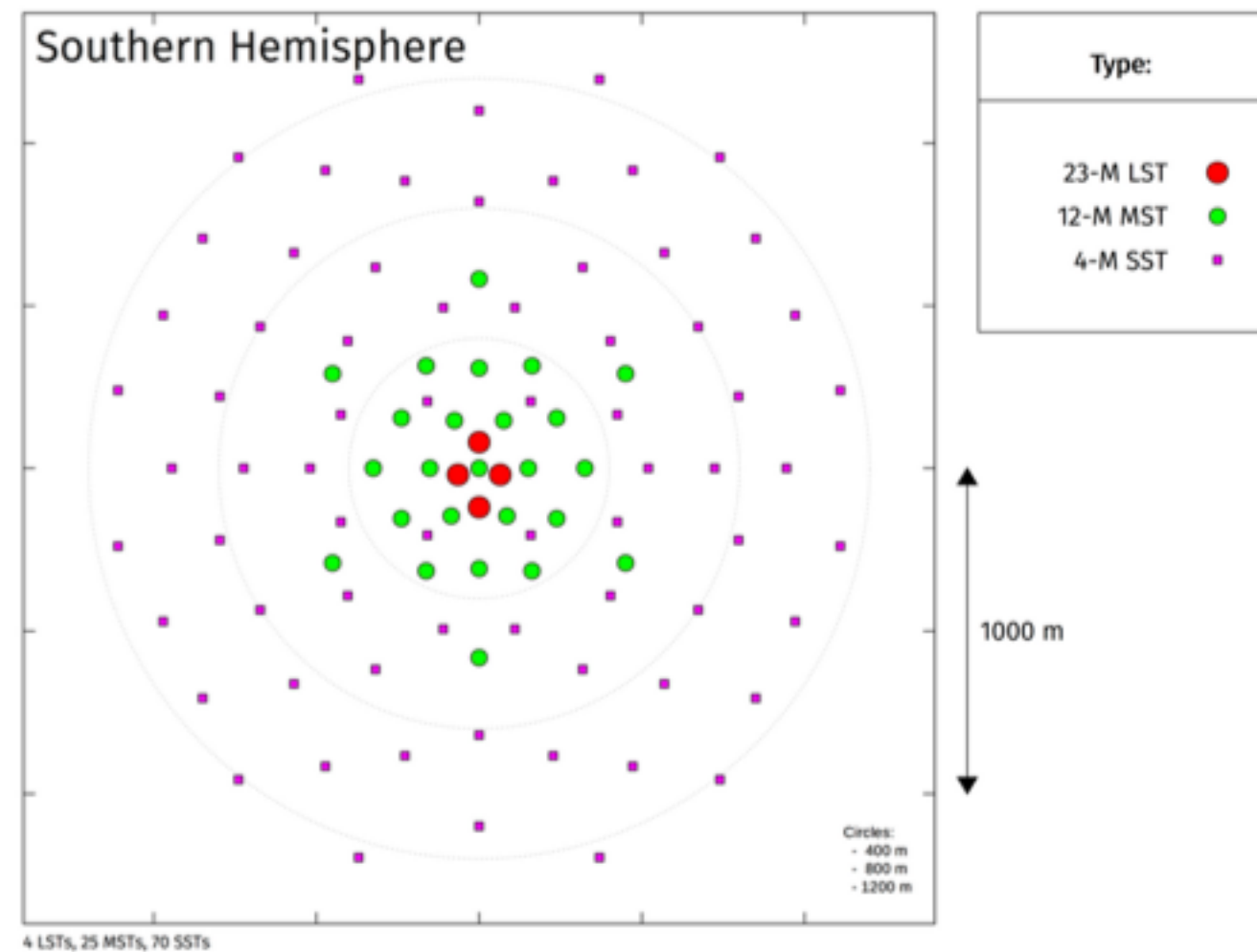
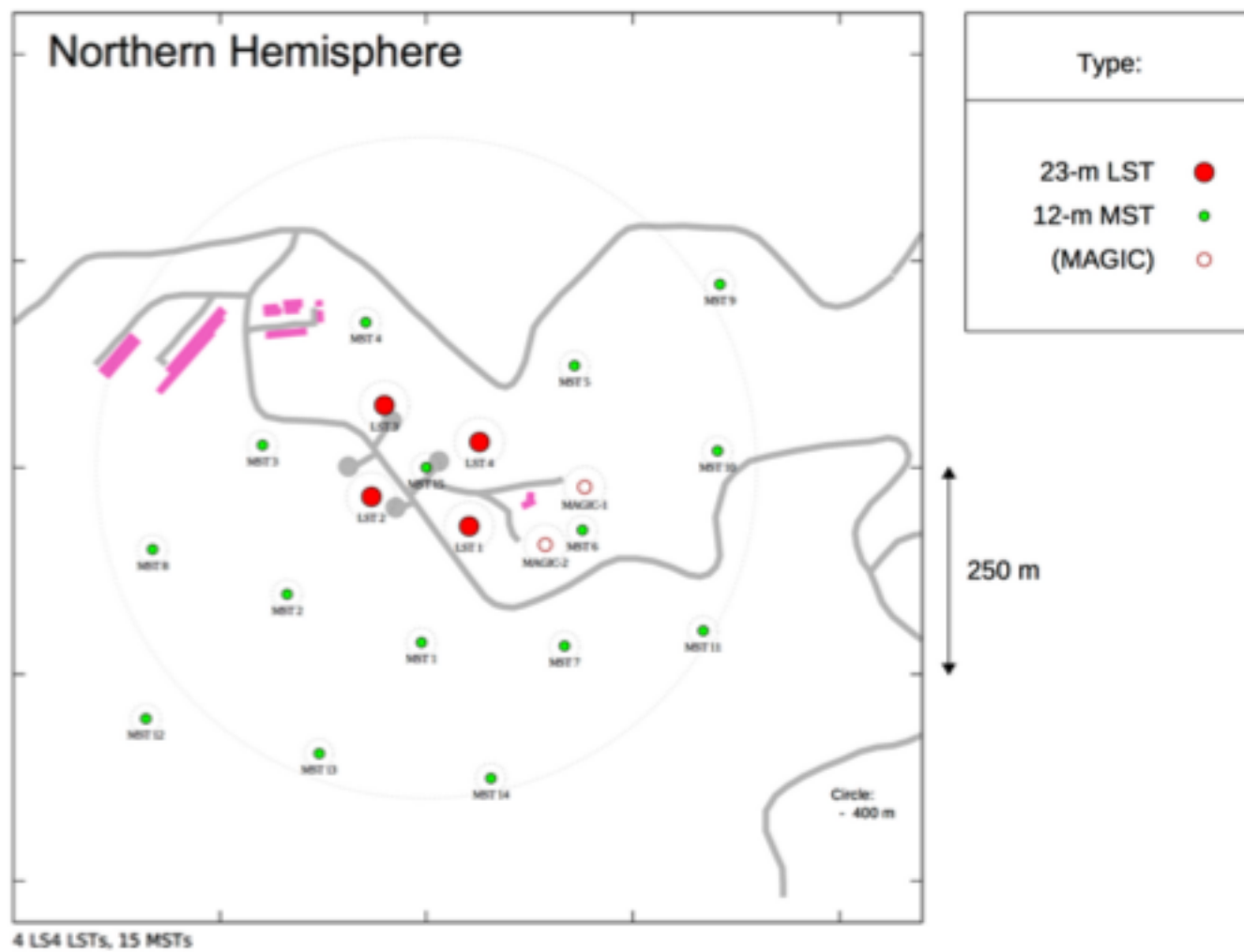
Cherenkov Telescope Array



5. Future of Gamma-Ray astrophysics

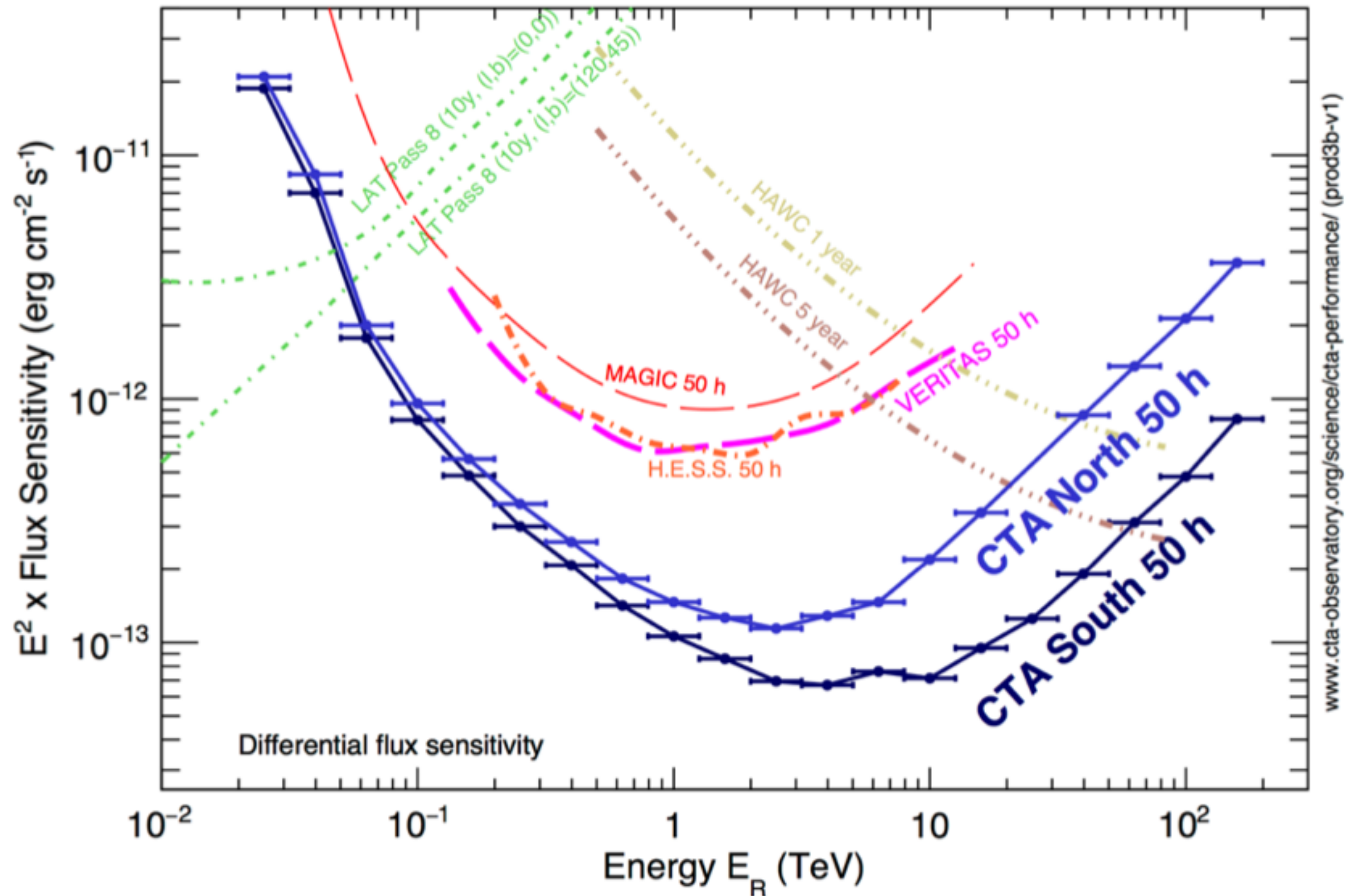
La Palma, Canary islands

Paranal, Chile

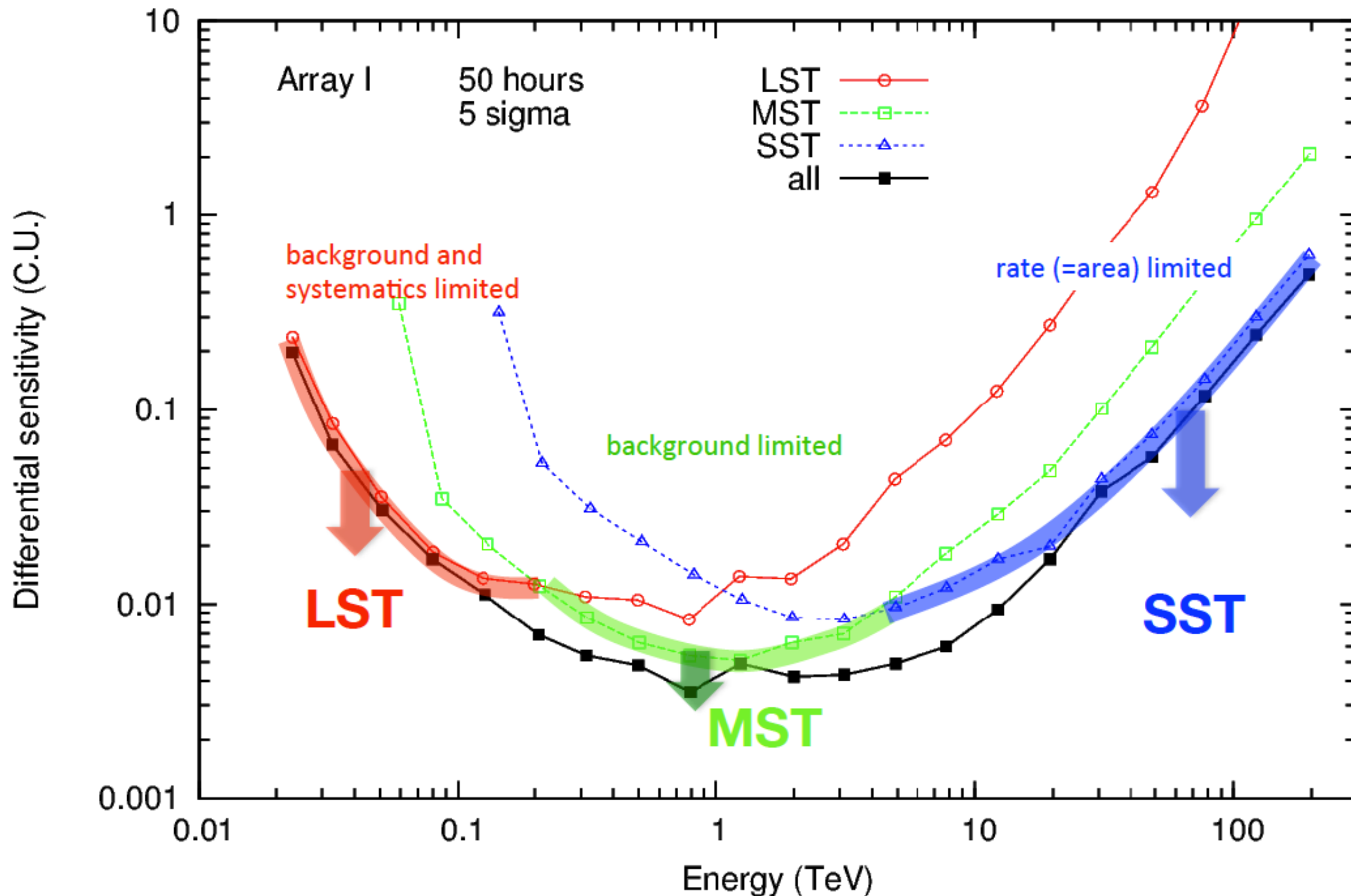


5. Future of Gamma-Ray astrophysics

Flux Sensitivities



5. Future of Gamma-Ray astrophysics



5. Future of Gamma-Ray astrophysics

Large Size Telescopes of CTA

LST collaboration:
11 countries
223 members
(134 receiving emails)
73 FTEs



LST Project : Big International Effort

BR(Brazil), CH(Switzerland), DE(Germany), ES(Spain), FR(France),
IN(India), IT(Italy), HR(Croatia), JP(Japan), SE(Sweden)

**Focal Plane Instr.
Electronics (JP/IT/ES)
Camera body (ES)**

**Camera Supporting
Structure (FR/IT)**

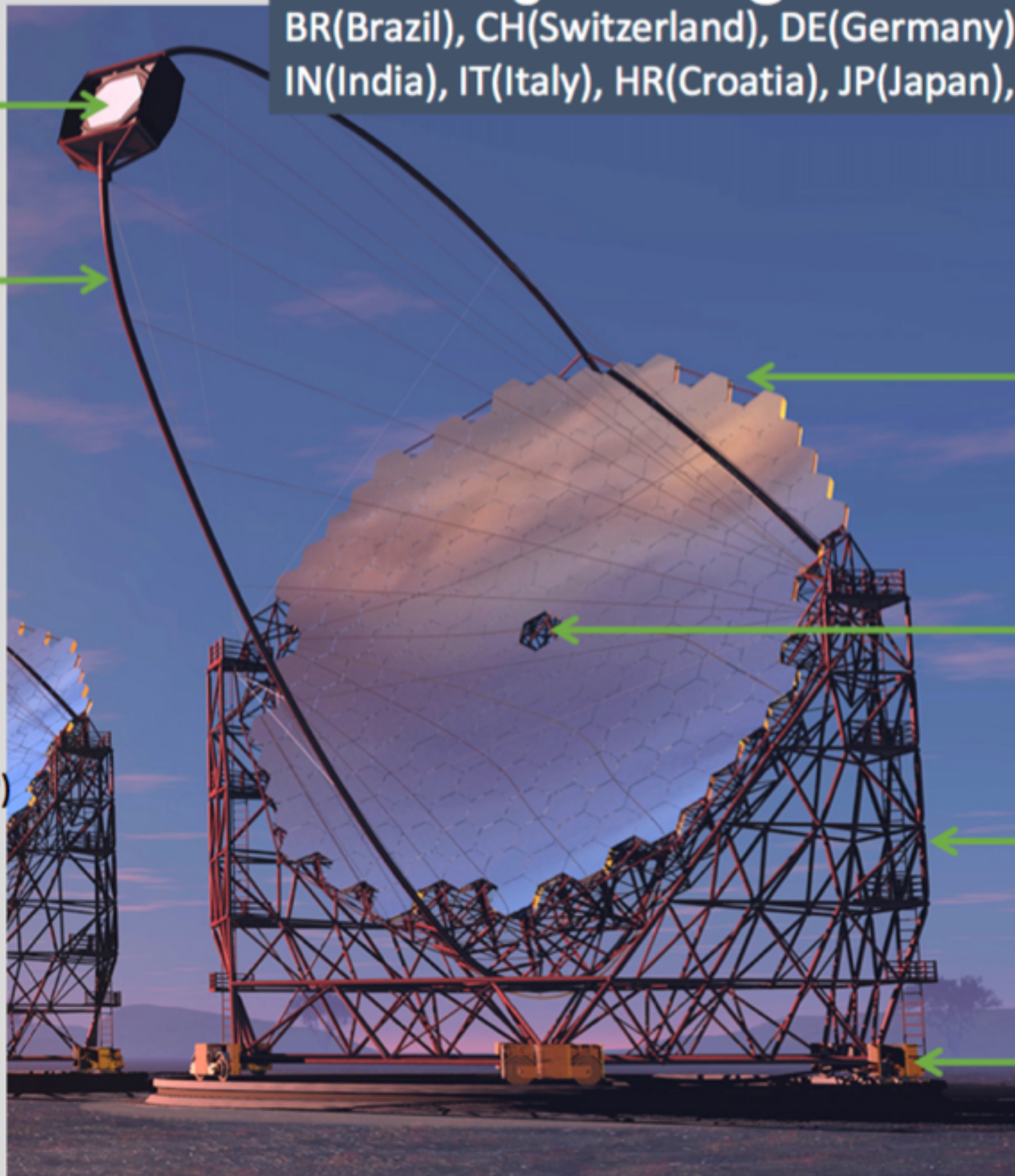
**Mirror (JP)
Interface Plate(DE/BR/JP)
Actuator (JP/CH)
CMOS-Cam (JP)**

**Star Guider (SE)
Calibration Box (IN/IT)**

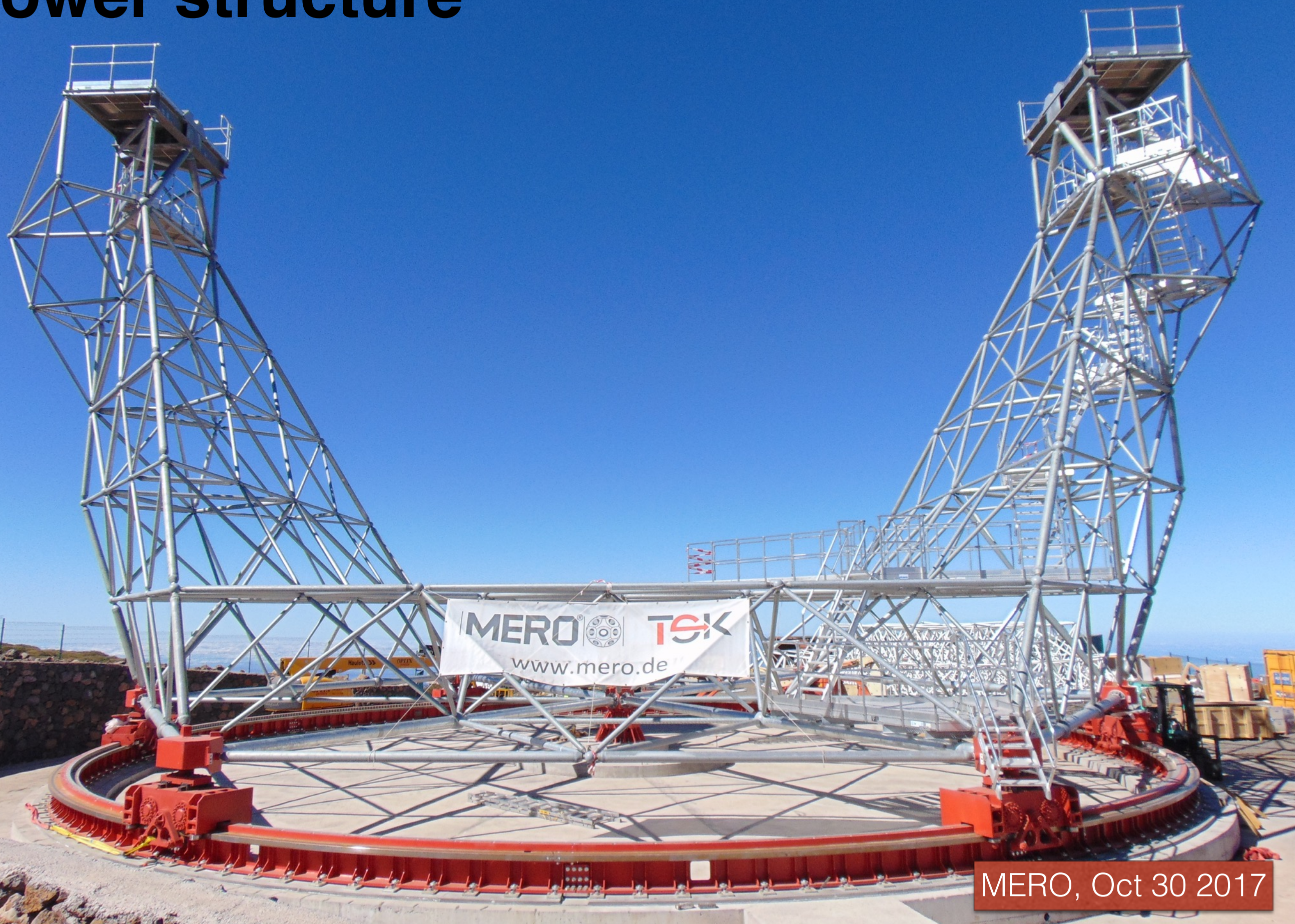
**Flywheel, UPS (JP)
Computers, network (JP)**

**Structure (DE)
Access Tower (DE/ES)**

**Drive (DE/FR/ES)
Bogie (DE/ES/IT)
Rail (DE/ES)
Foundation (ES)**



Lower structure



MERO, Oct 30 2017

December 2017

Dish installed



**counterweight installed
dish turned**

Feb 17, 2018



Inauguration of LST1: 10 Oct 2018

Mirrors

ICRR, Japan



Developed last 6 years

- Light weight 45kg
- Tolerance $< 10\mu\text{m}$
- Reflectivity $> 92\%$
- Aging $\sim 1\% / \text{yr}$

Before 2016 : 100 Mirror proto.
2016 : LST1-LST2 Mirrors (400)
2017 : LST3-LST4 Mirrors (500)
produced and in production

Mirca, La Palma



Shipping schedule

2017 Aug : LST1-2 Mirrors (400 units) @La Palma
2017 Oct: LST3 (200 units) are shipped
2017 Dec : LST4-5 Mirrors (300 units)

Camera

Japan + INFN-Pisa + IAC + IFAE + Complutense + CIEMAT



7 LGs

+



7 PMTs

+



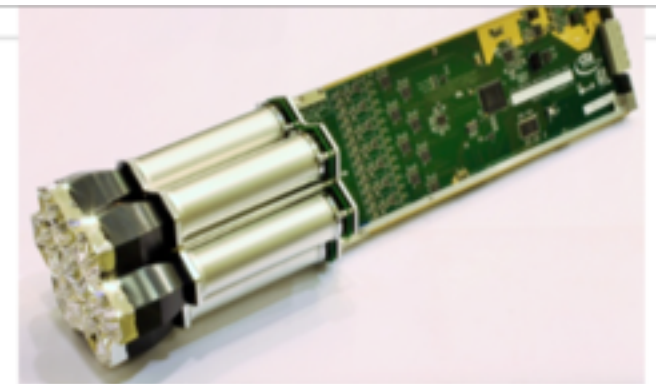
SCB

+



Dragon board

=



FPI module



Module assembly



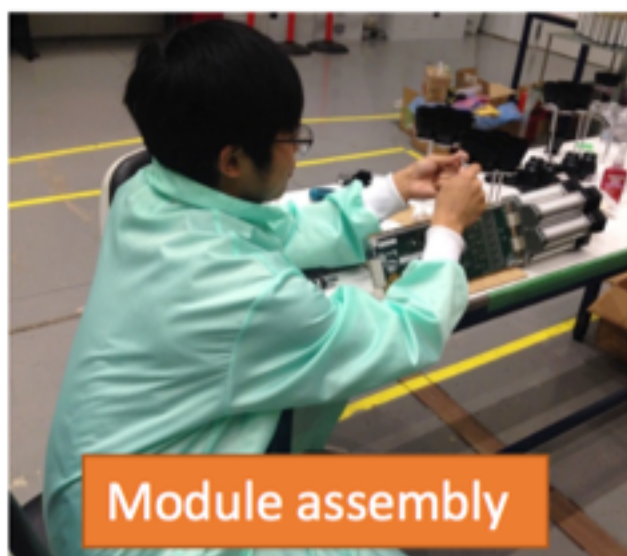
19 tested modules



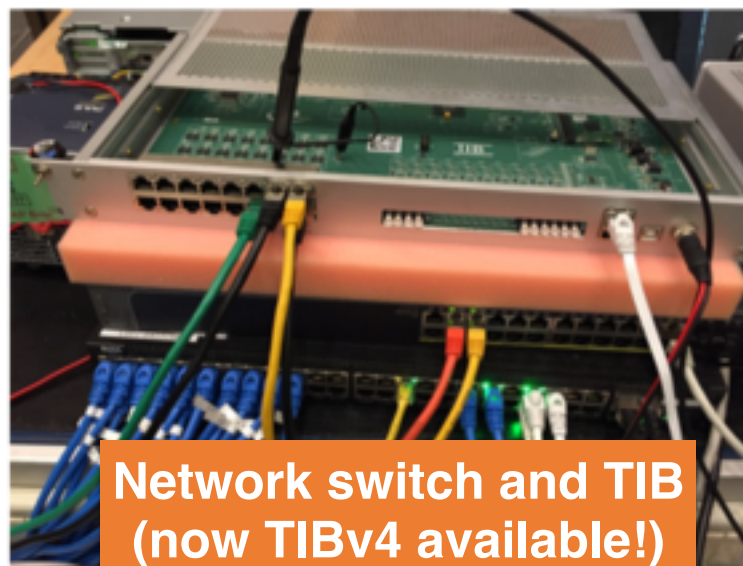
Trigger back planes

265 modules/ Tel.
needed.

270 modules are
assembled @ IAC



Module assembly



Network switch and TIB
(now TIBv4 available!)



Camera server

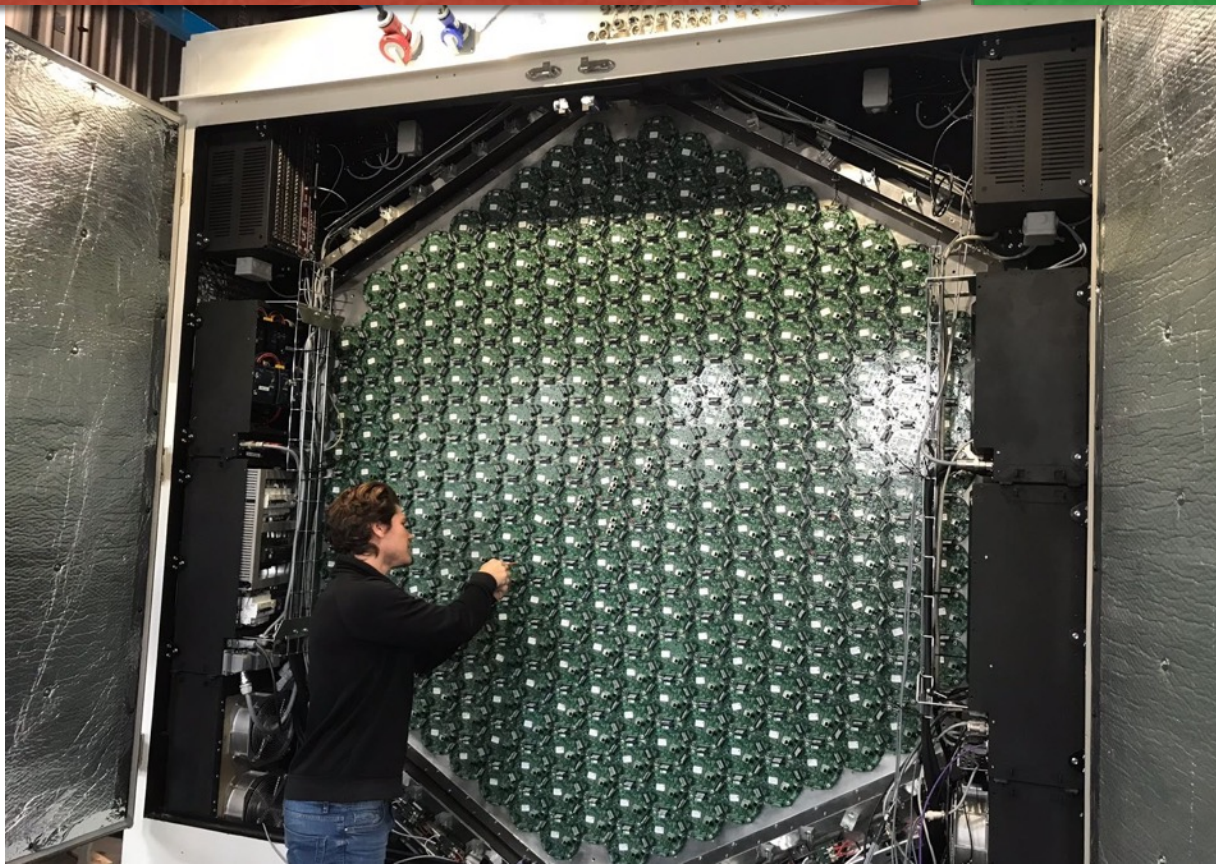
Now ready
to ship
to IFAE

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LST1 progress since November 2017

Backplanes of the camera installed

Jan 2018



Camera mechanics finished

Feb 2018



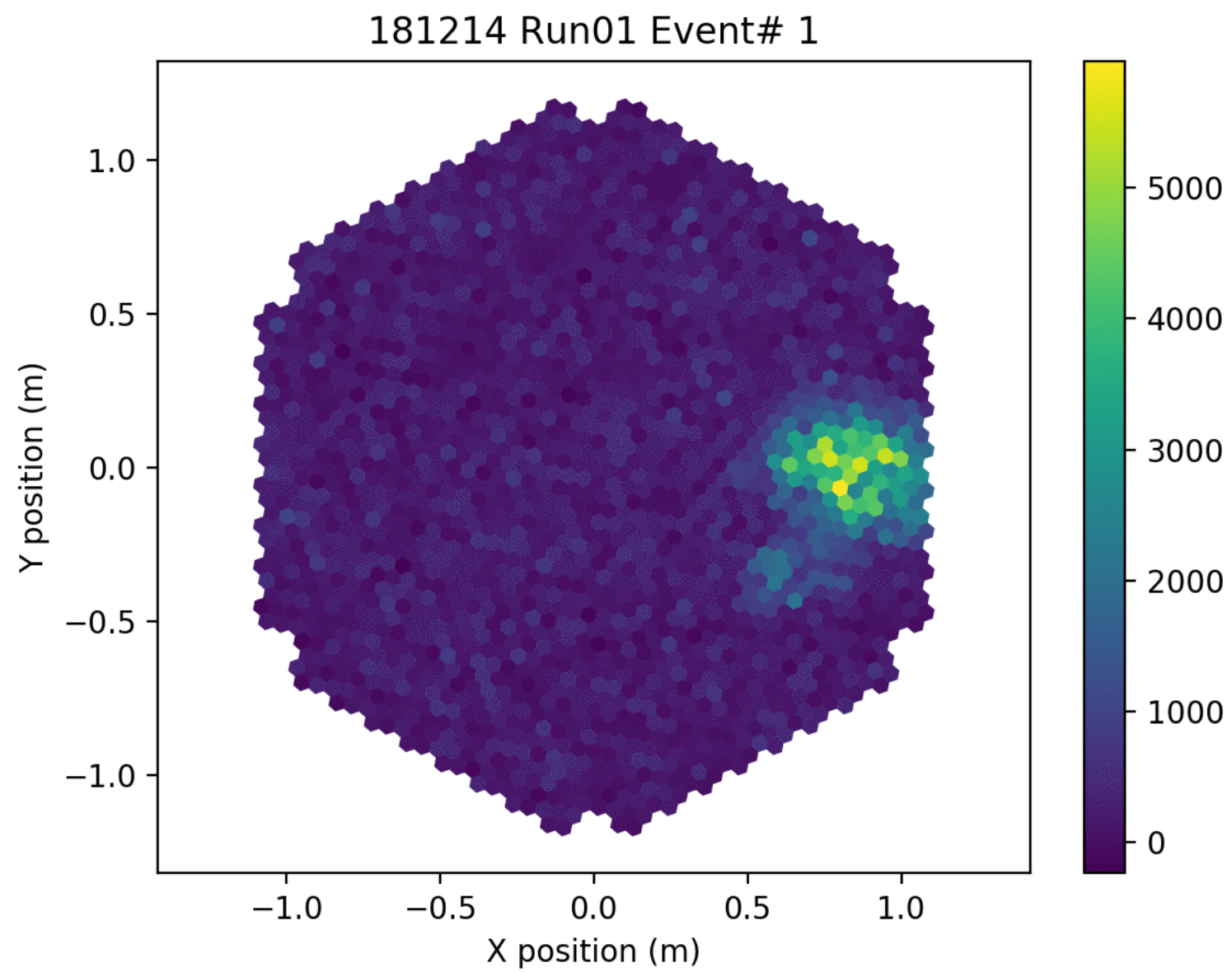
Camera Installation On the telescope

Sep 2018



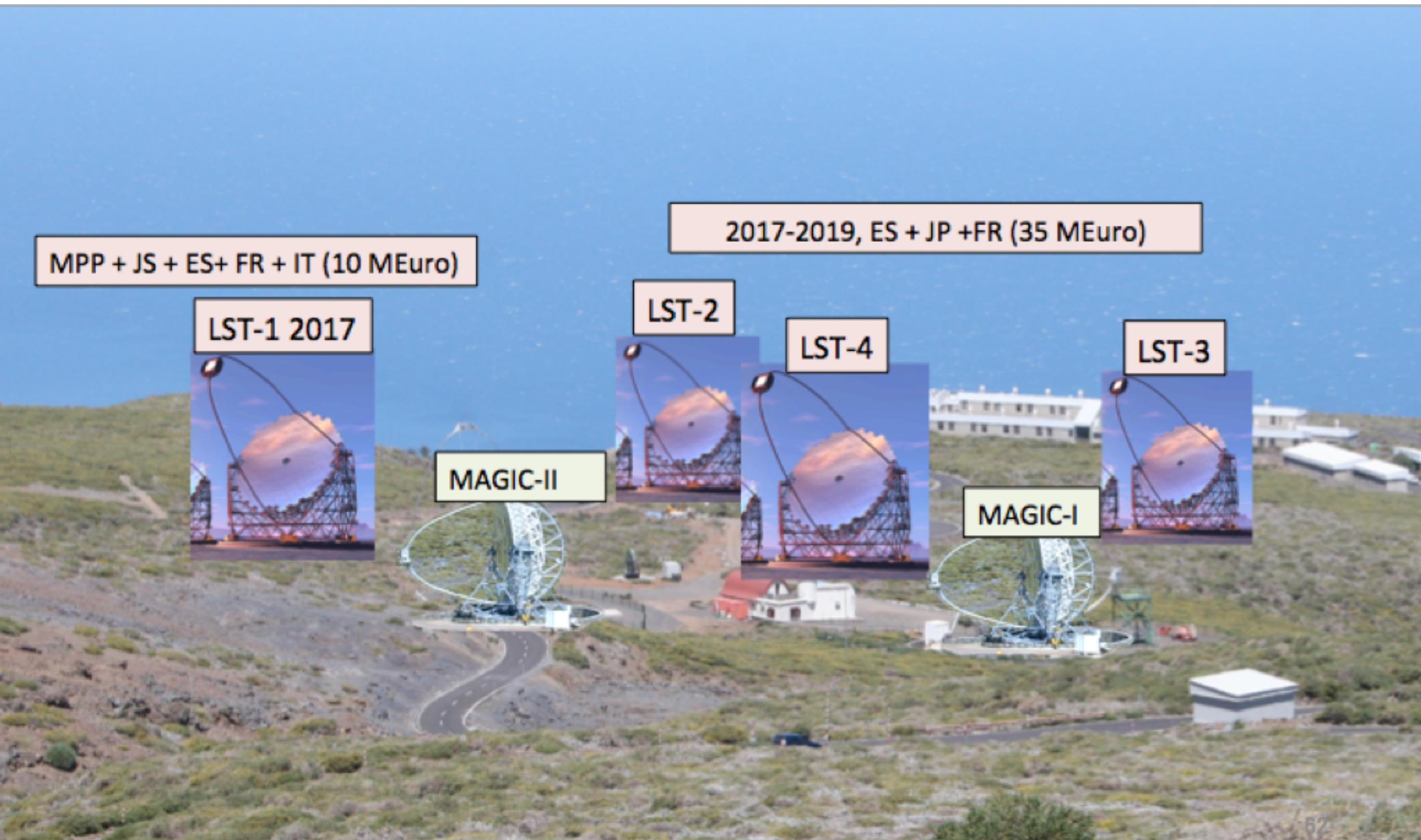
Oct 2018





試験観測が始まっている

4 LSTs in La Palma





Your (possible) future

