

# A Python Package for Gamma-Ray Astronomy

*“Multi-Messenger Data Analysis in the Era of CTA”, Sexten, June 24th 2019*

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# INTRODUCTION

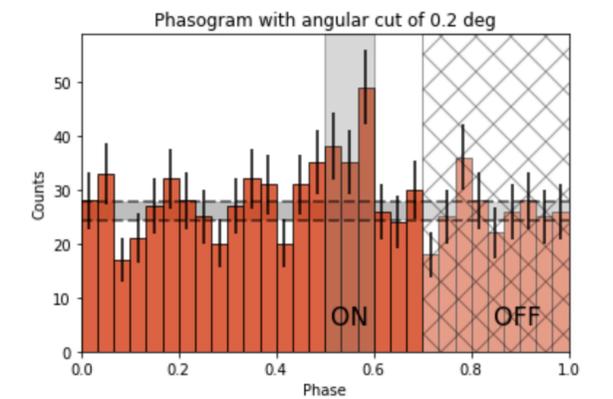
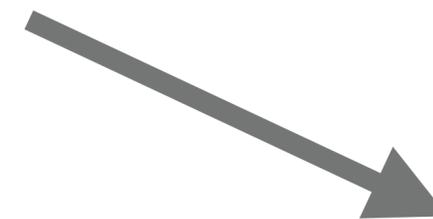
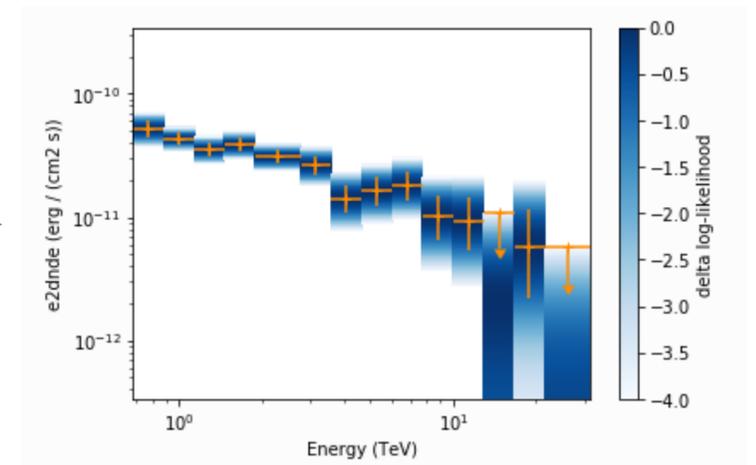
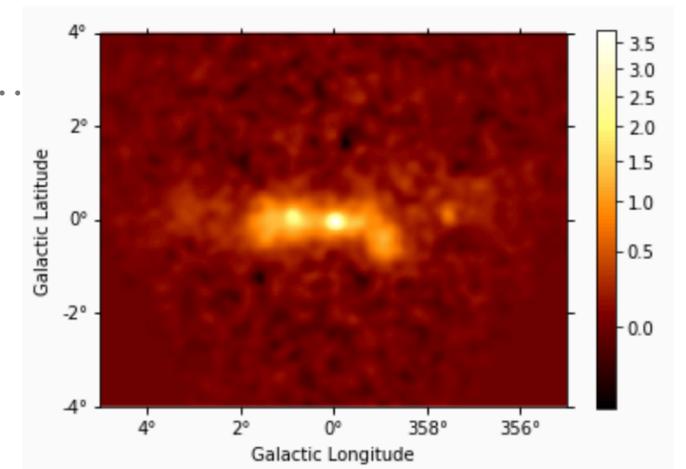
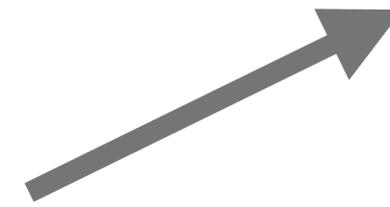
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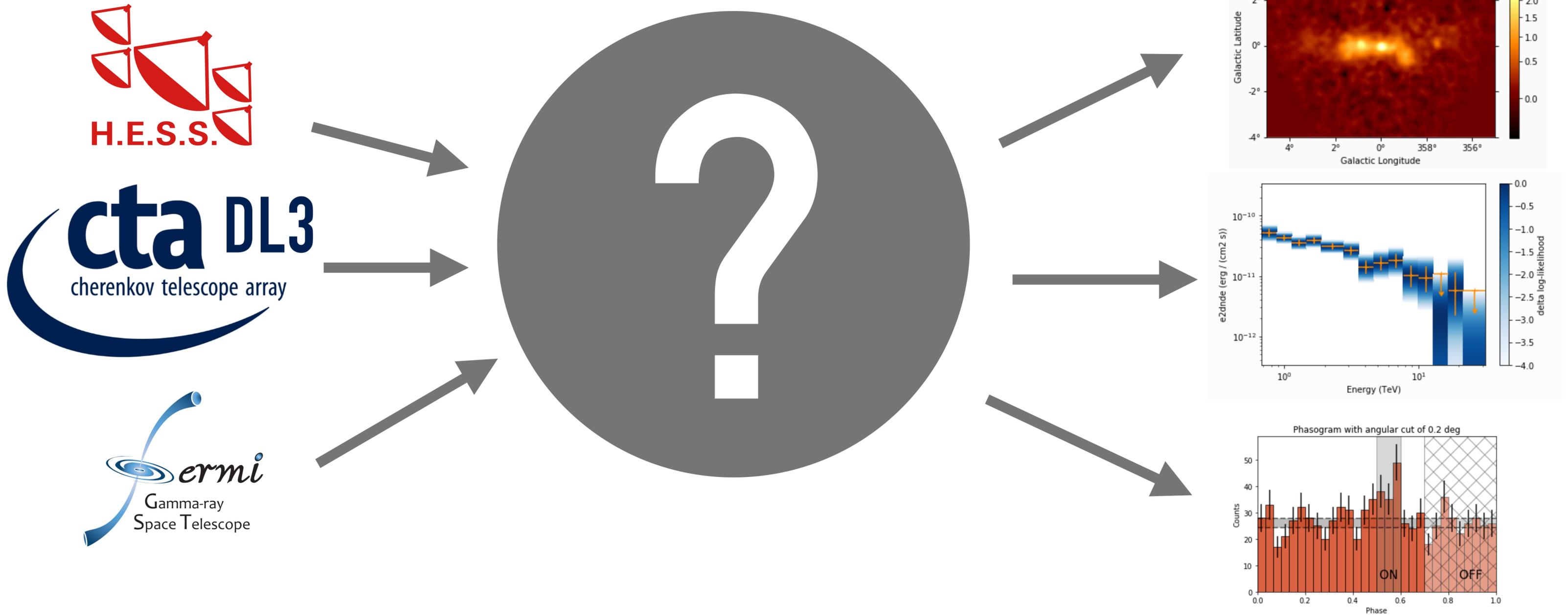
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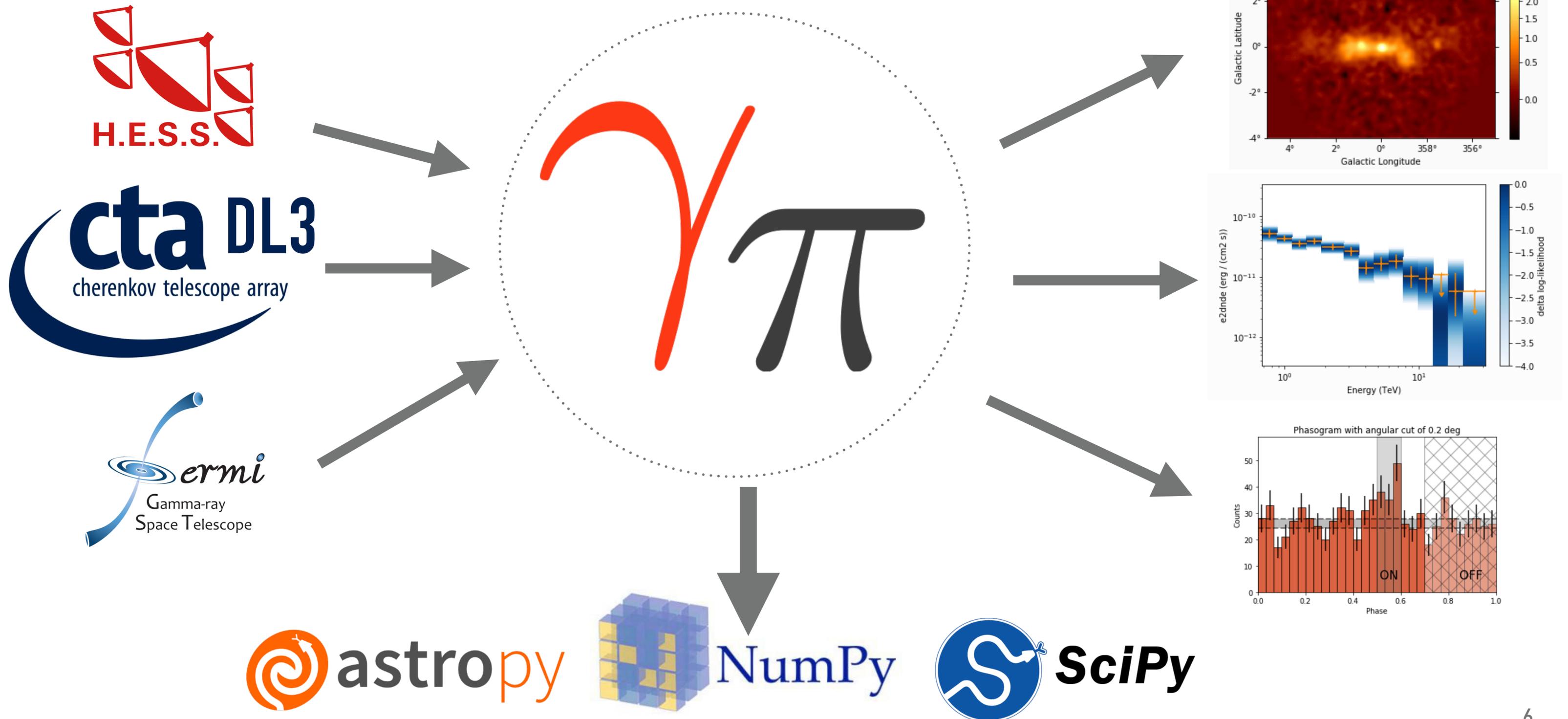
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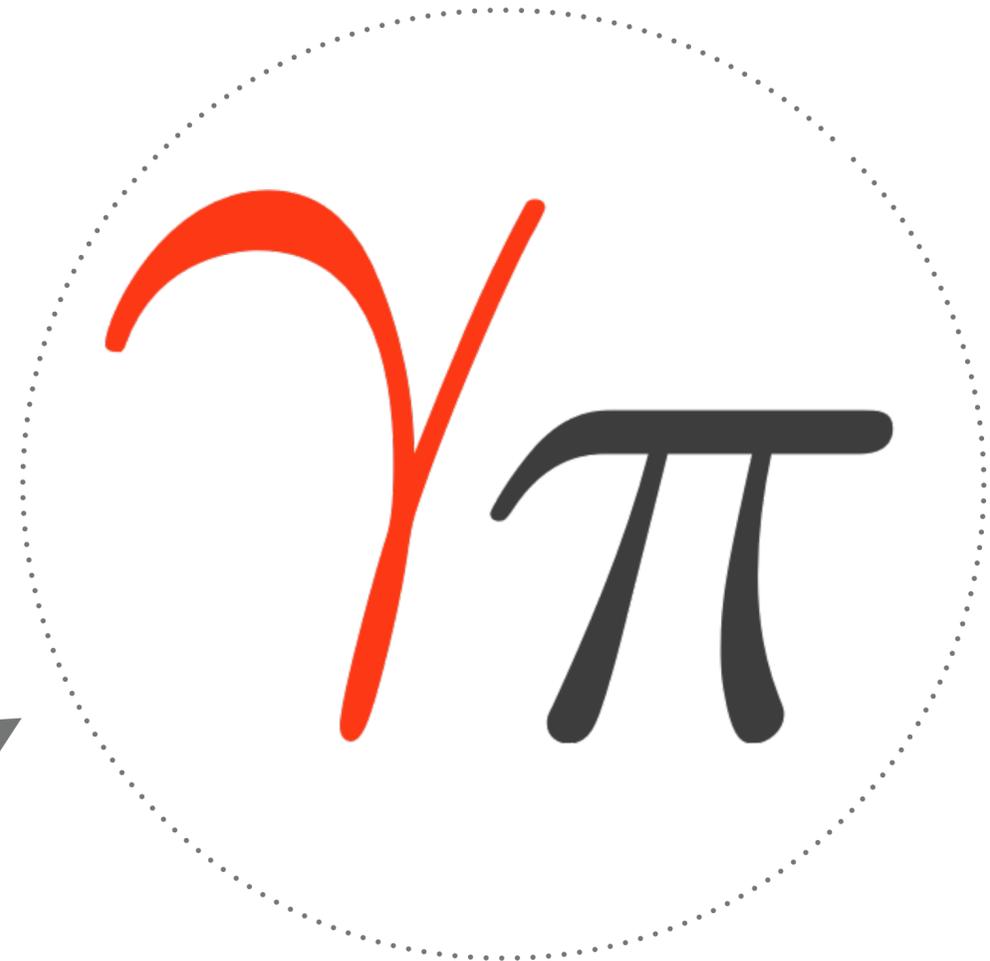
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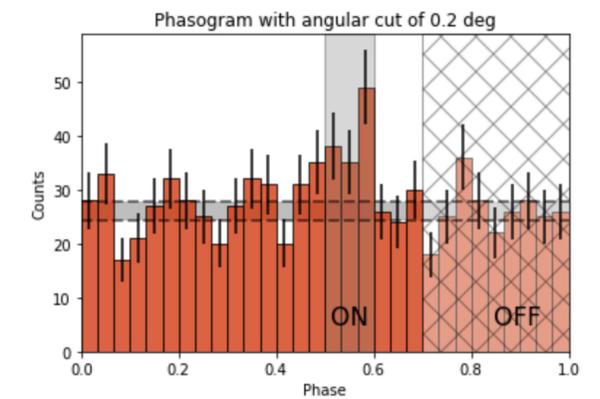
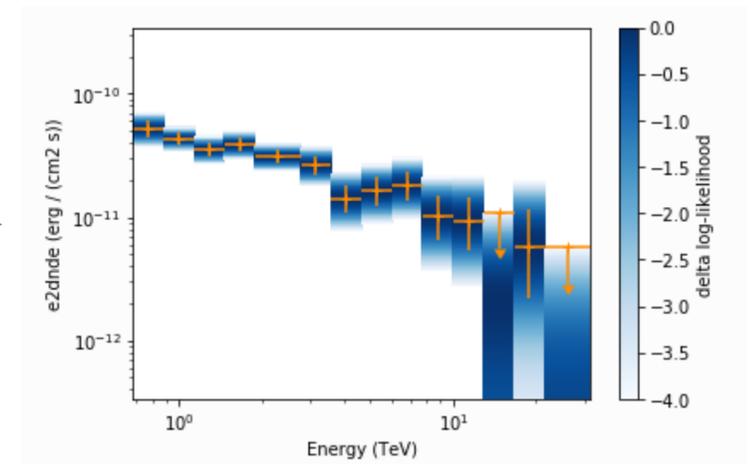
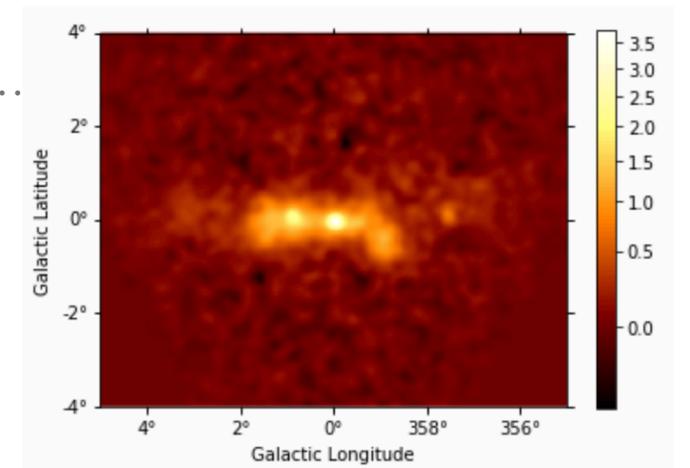


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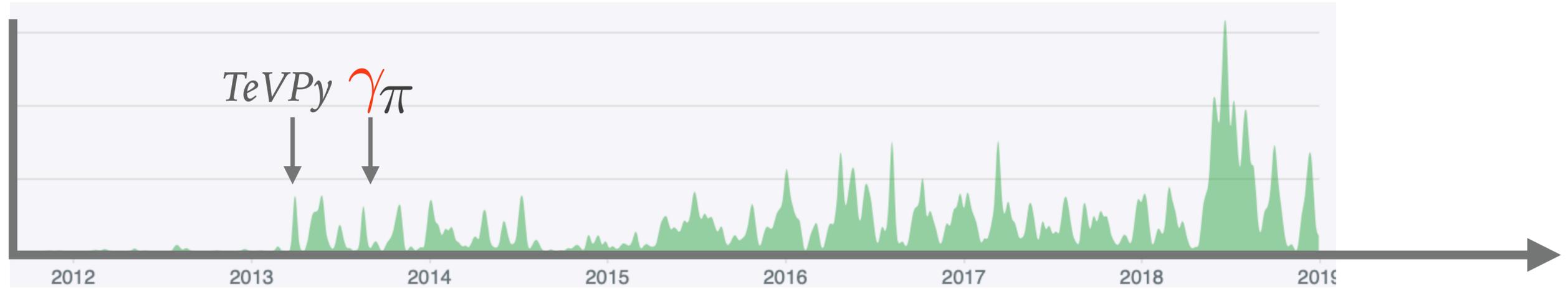
*A Python package for Gamma-Ray Astronomy  
& prototype for the CTA science tools:*

- Based on common data formats
- Transparent to users
- Embedded in the large astronomical Python community



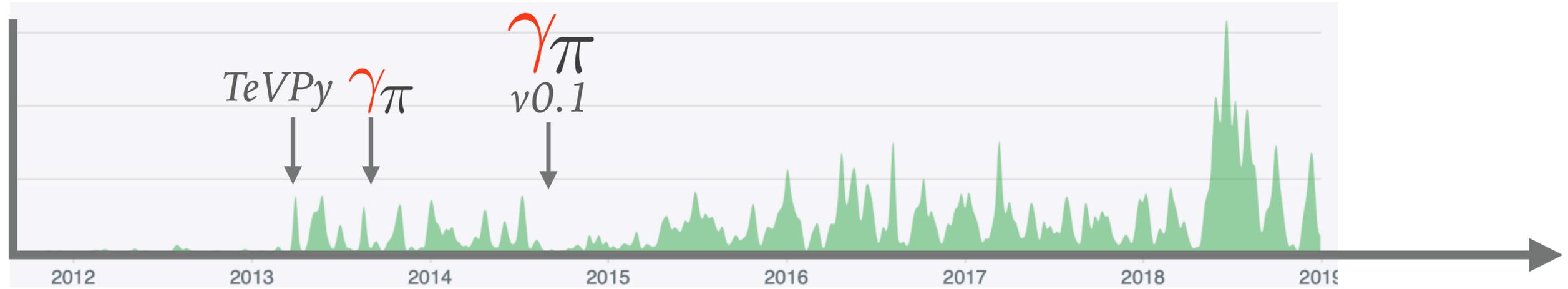
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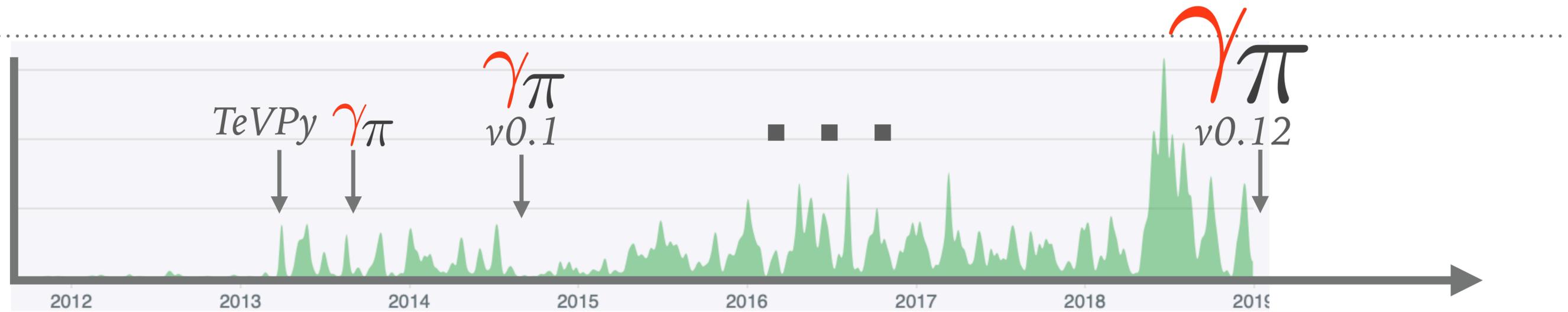
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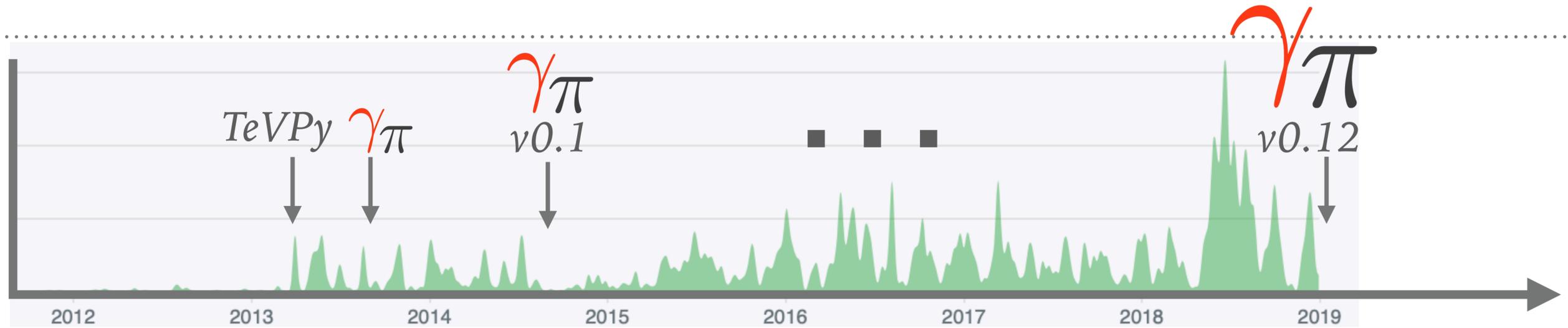
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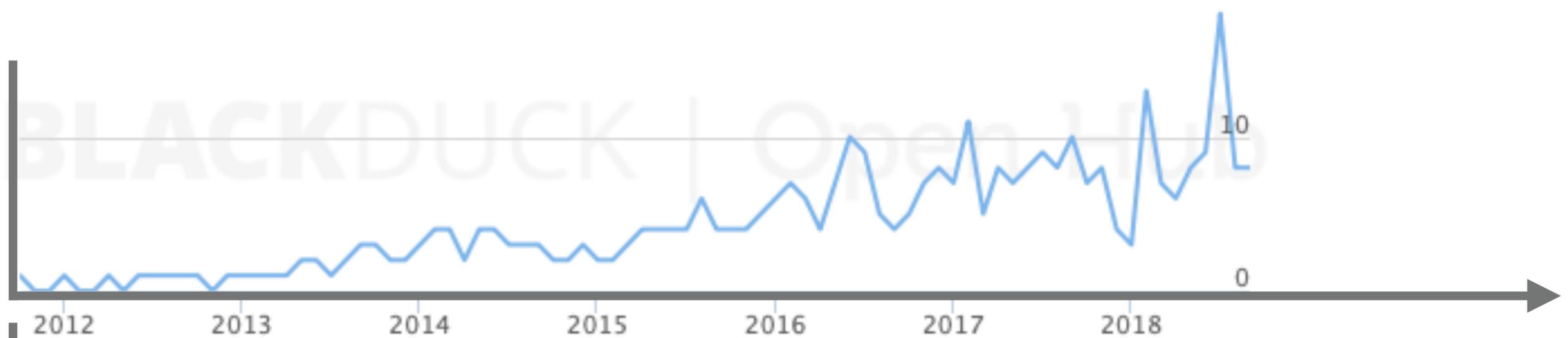


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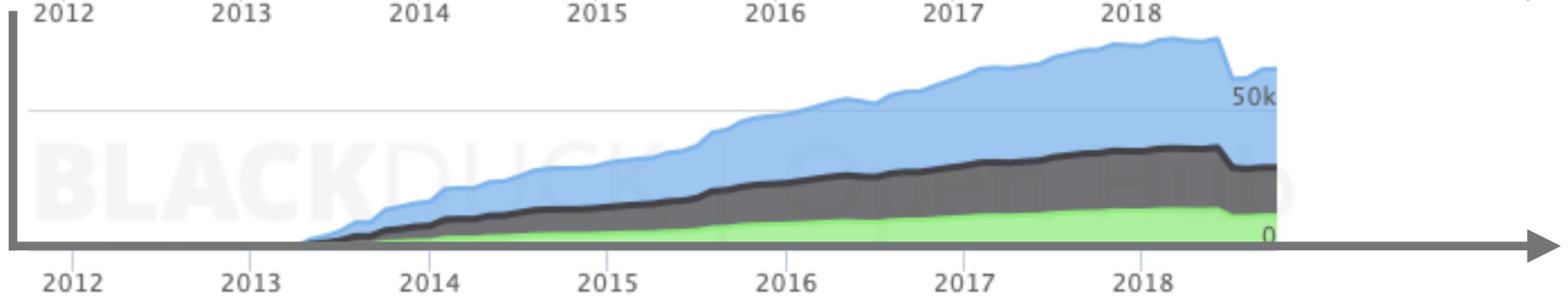
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Lines of code



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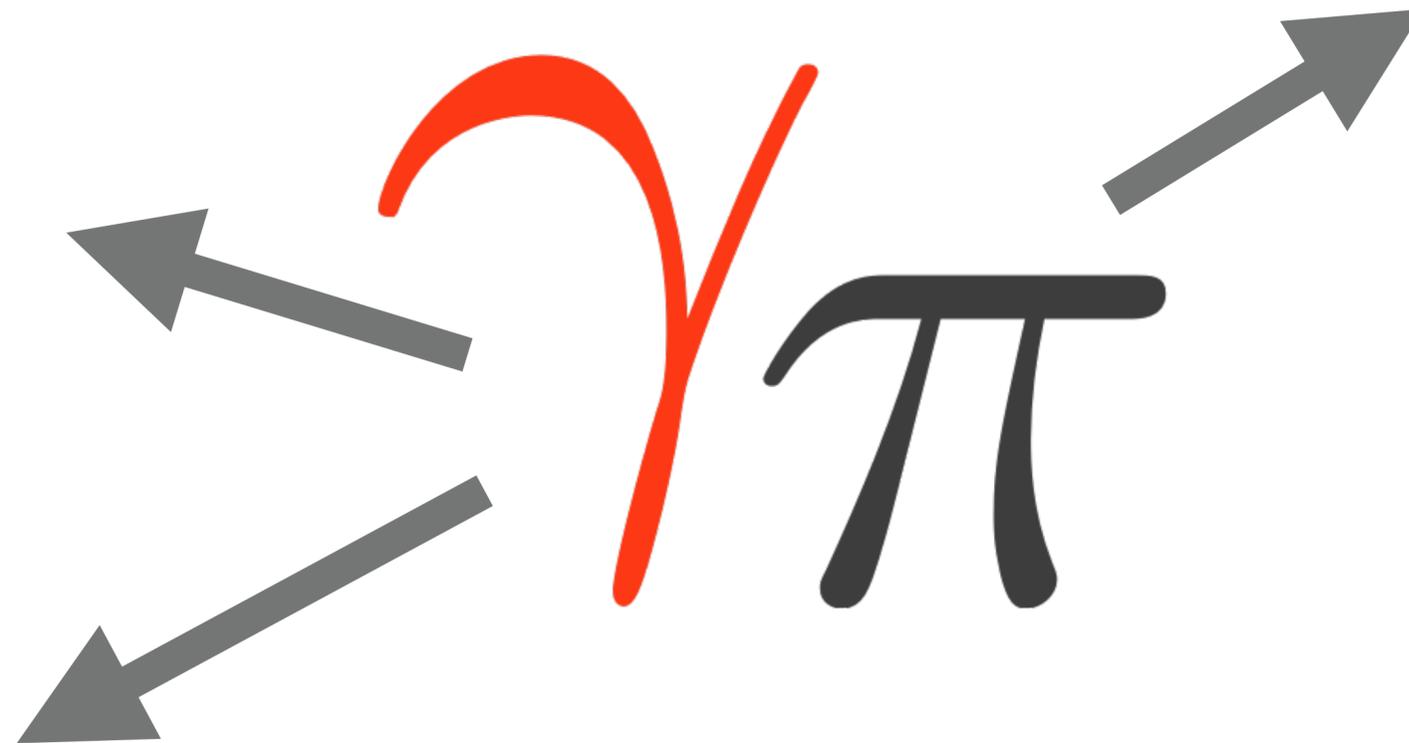
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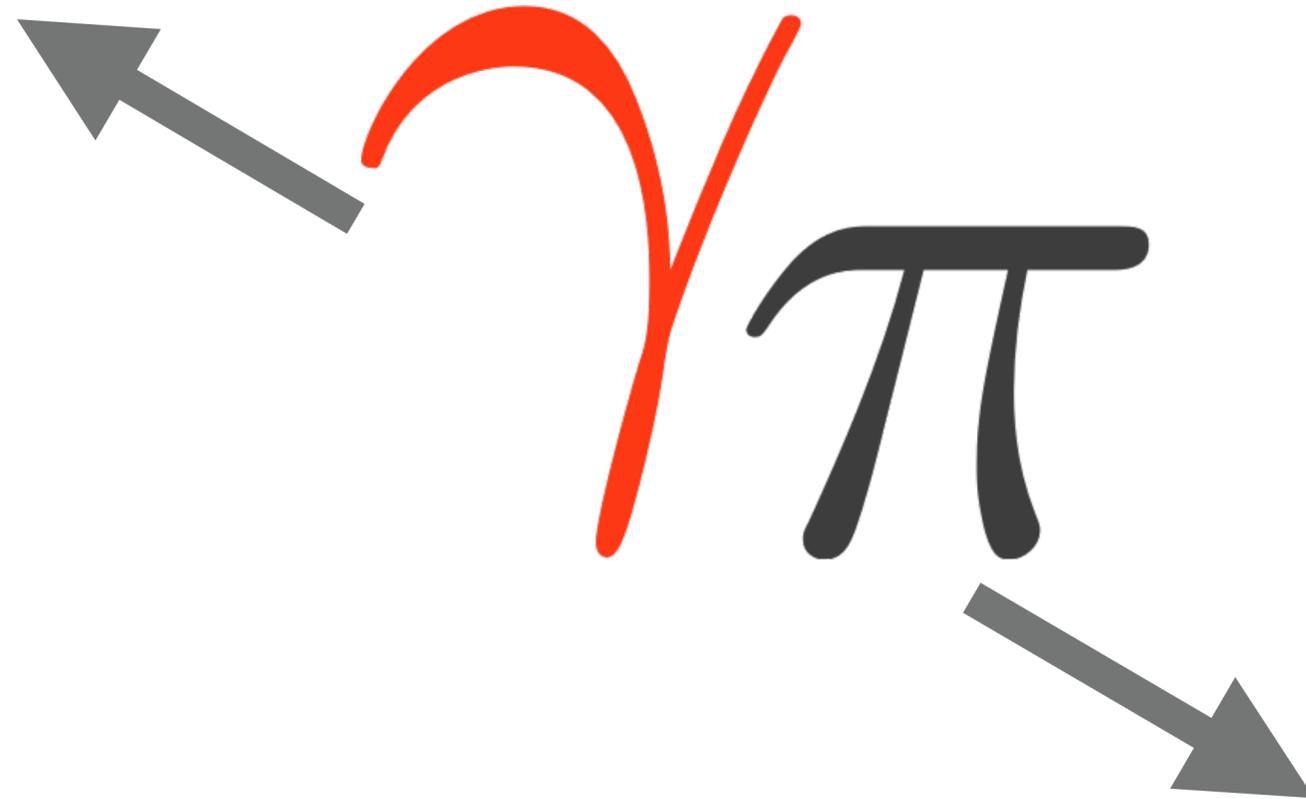
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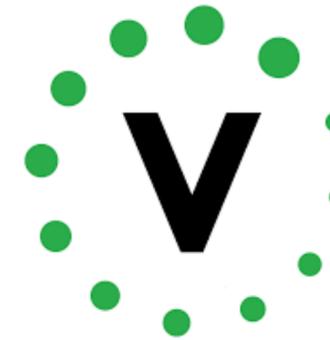
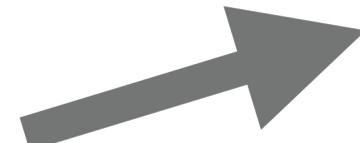
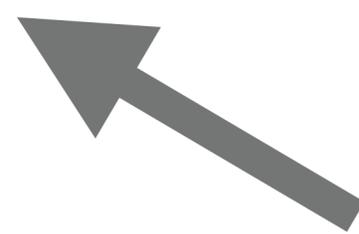
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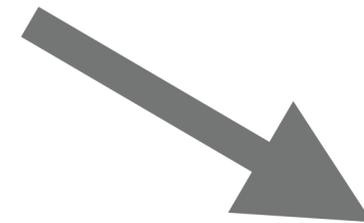
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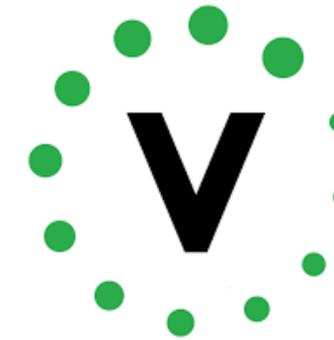
**Coding sprints**



*Paris in February 2019*



*Madrid in October 2018*



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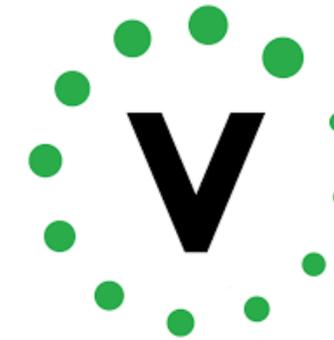
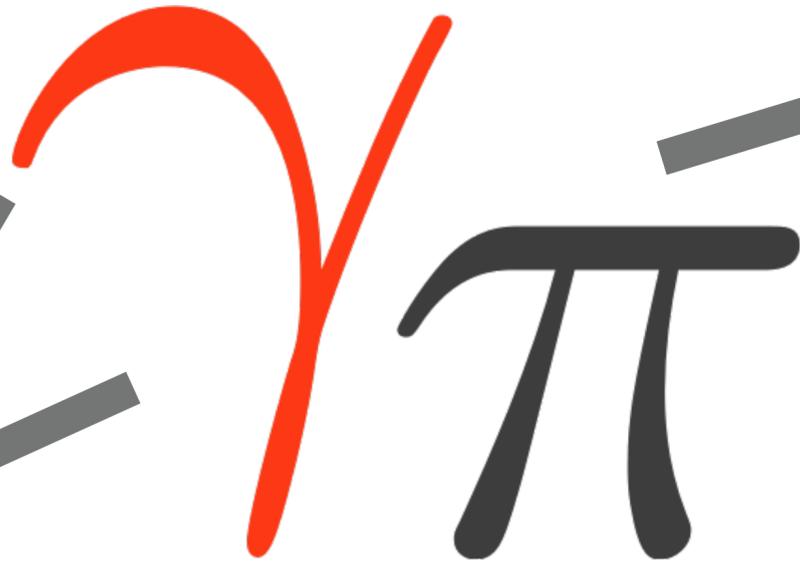
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**Next coding sprint**



**ERLANGEN CENTRE  
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*Erlangen July 15th - 19th, 2019*



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# RELATED PROJECTS

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“An open data collection and source catalog for VHE gamma-ray astronomy”

<https://github.com/gammapy/gamma-cat>



“A portal to the gamma-ray sky”

<https://github.com/gammapy/gamma-sky>



“Python and open data for Gamma-Ray Astronomy Workshop”, March 18th - 22nd

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/783425/>



## Gamma-astro-data-formats

“A place to propose and share data format descriptions for gamma-ray astronomy.”

<https://github.com/open-gamma-ray-astro>

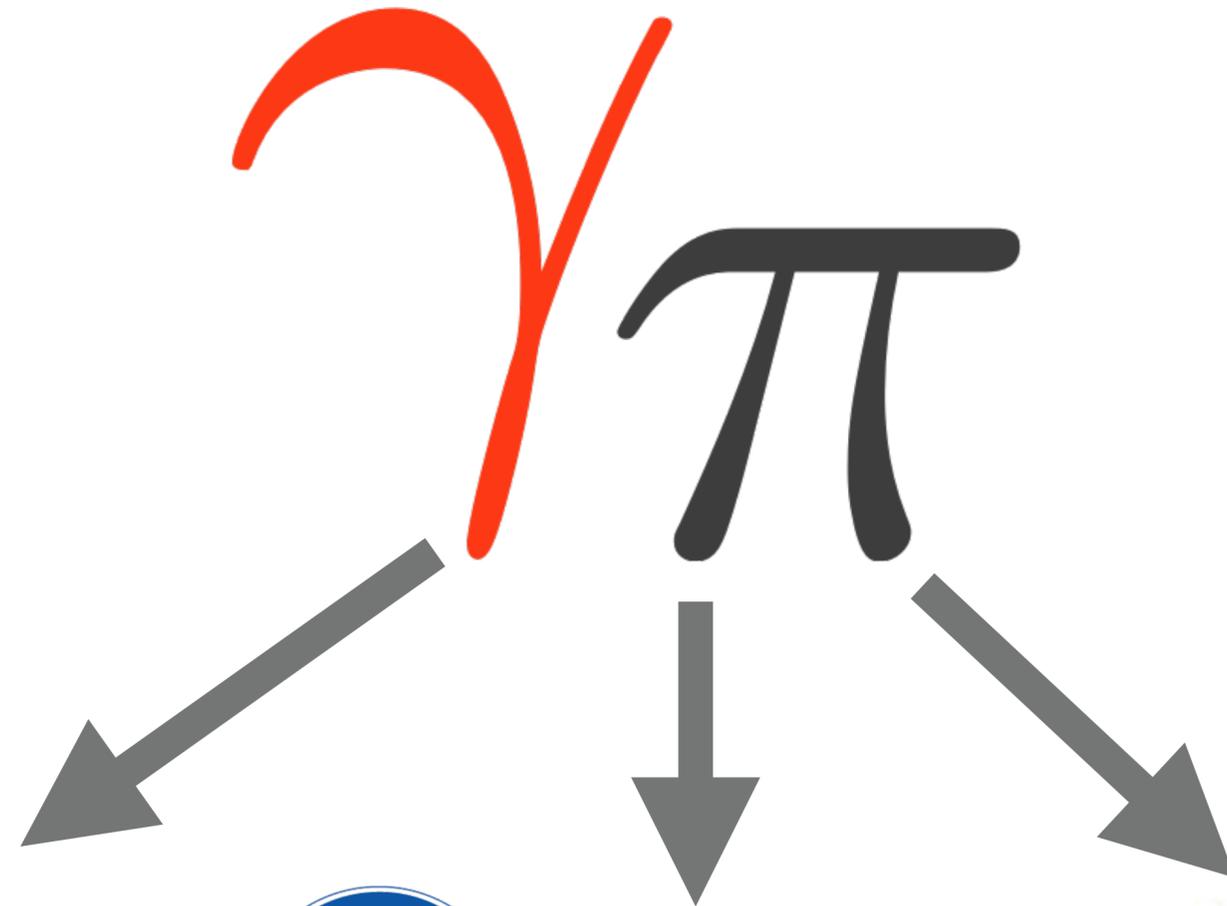
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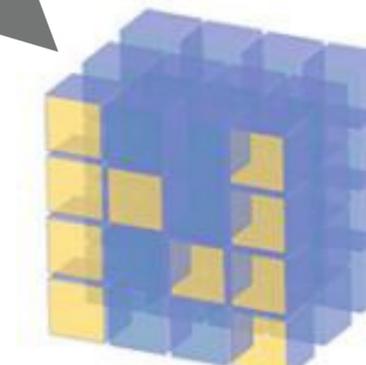
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**astroPy**  
*Coordinates, Quantities, Tables,  
FITS I/O, etc.*



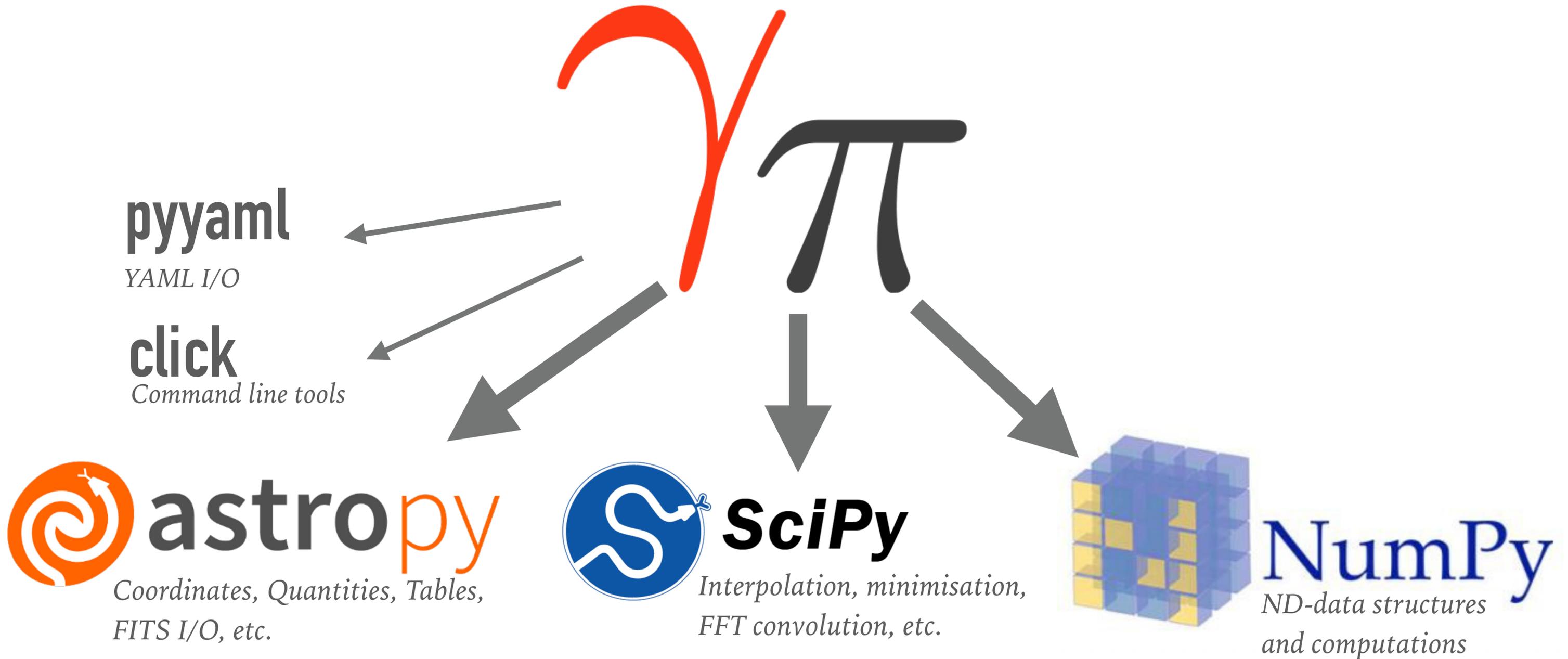
**SciPy**  
*Interpolation, minimisation,  
FFT convolution, etc.*



**NumPy**  
*ND-data structures  
and computations*

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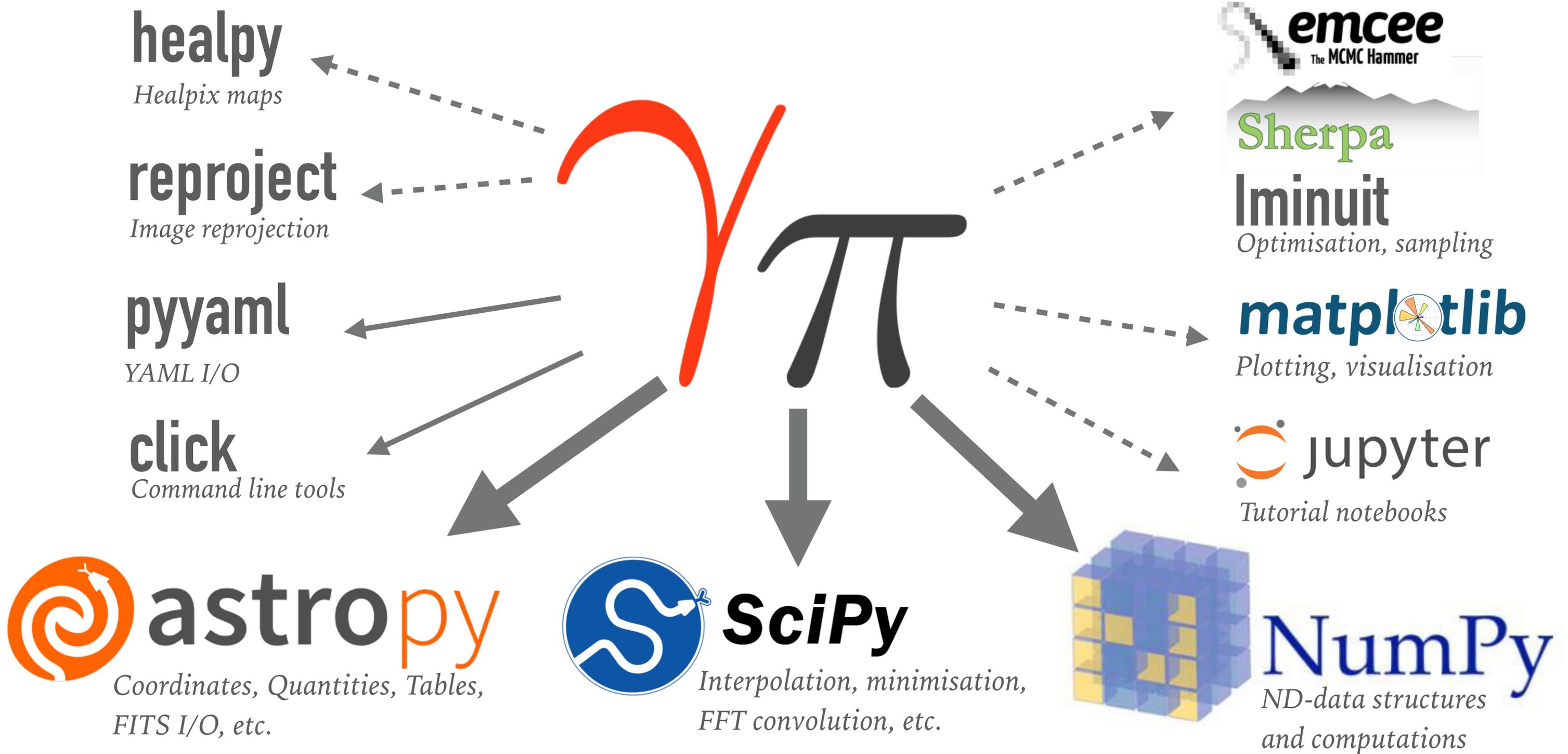
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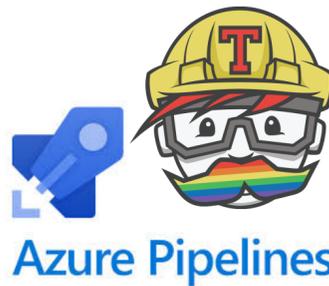


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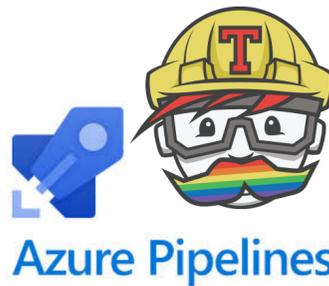
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Black code formatting used for a consistent code format.



Sphinx used to build the documentation



Pytest used for testing

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## Install Gammapy:

<https://docs.gammapy.org/0.12/getting-started.html#install>

1. `$ curl -O https://gammapy.org/download/install/gammapy-0.12-environment.yml`
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## Download tutorials:

1. `$ gammapy download tutorials`
2. `$ cd gammapy-tutorials`
3. `$ export GAMMAPY_DATA=$PWD/datasets`

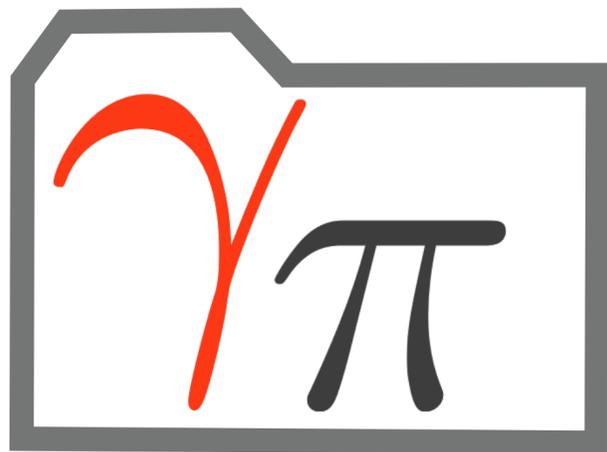


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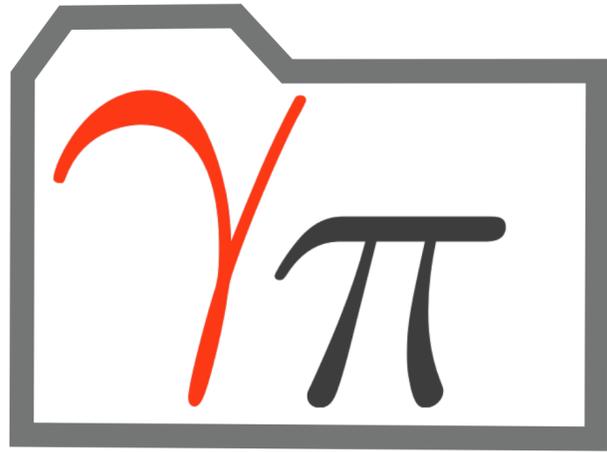
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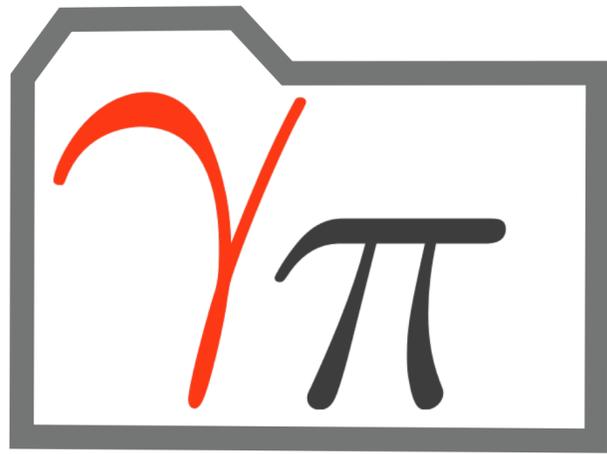
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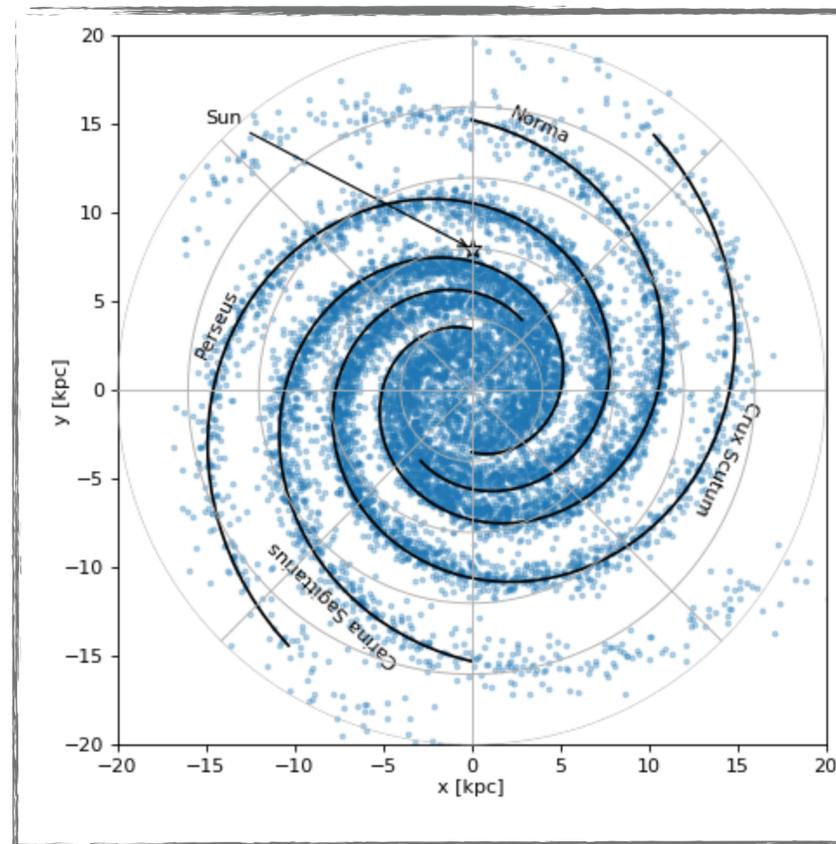
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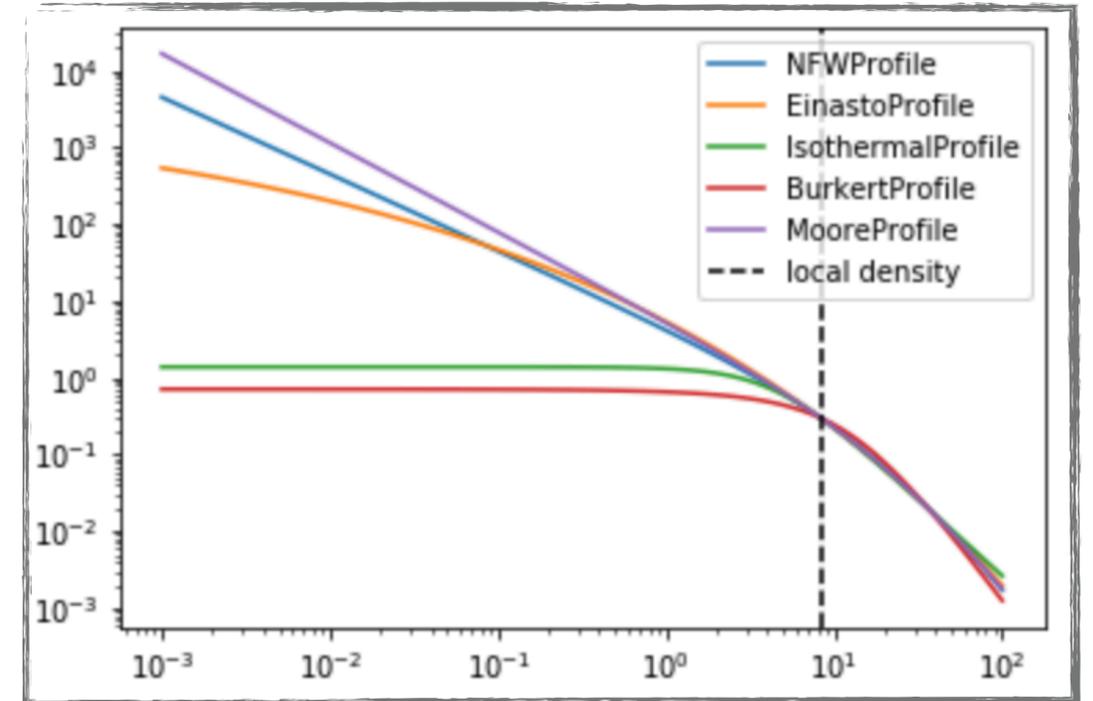
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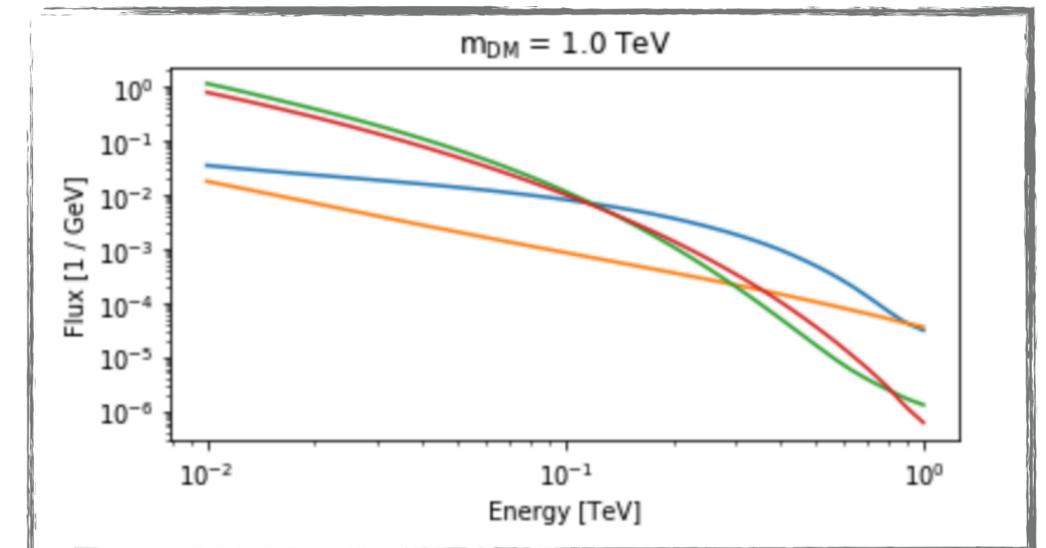


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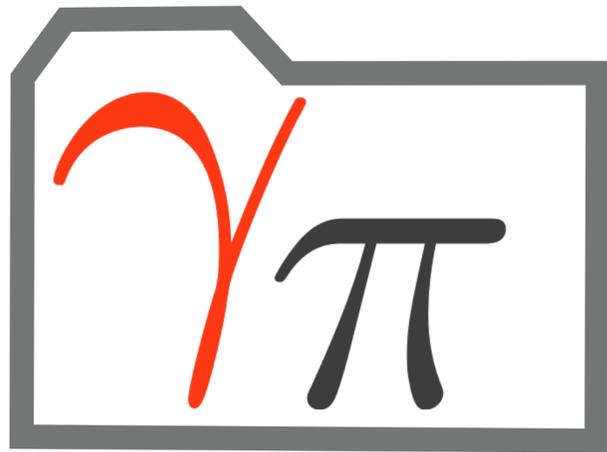


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## DL3 data access



## Handling of event lists / GTI tables

EVENT_ID	TIME	RA	DEC	ENERGY	DETX	DETY	MC_ID
	s	deg	deg	TeV	deg	deg	
uint32	float64	float32	float32	float32	float32	float32	int32
1	664502403.0454683	-92.63541	-30.514854	0.03902182	-0.9077294	-0.2727693	2
2	664502405.2579999	-92.64103	-28.262728	0.030796371	1.3443842	-0.2838398	2
3	664502408.8205513	-93.20372	-28.599625	0.04009629	1.0049409	-0.7769775	2
4	664502409.0143764	-94.03383	-29.269627	0.039580025	0.32684833	-1.496021	2
5	664502414.8090746	-93.330505	-30.319725	0.03035851	-0.716062	-0.8733348	2
6	664502415.5855484	-93.23232	-28.587324	0.034782063	1.0170497	-0.8021856	2
7	664502416.0332305	-92.62048	-29.781712	0.04999659	-0.17455244	-0.26183704	2
8	664502417.712146	-93.75603	-30.201115	0.041633684	-0.6013596	-1.242136	2
9	664502419.5261248	-94.33253	-29.964685	0.040493418	-0.37238783	-1.7444801	2
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
106208	664504199.8663232	-94.66981	-30.770557	0.08071349	-1.1837791	-2.0200346	1
106209	664504199.8737524	-92.56297	-29.534801	0.09855054	0.07247467	-0.21244664	1
106210	664504199.8762689	-95.91761	-29.870405	0.74107295	-0.31146556	-3.12023	1
106211	664504199.8870658	-92.75952	-28.651684	0.25559765	0.9550883	-0.386774	1
106212	664504199.9285337	-94.80082	-28.978634	0.6445309	0.6057789	-2.1711502	1

```
from gammapy.data import DataStore
data_store = DataStore.from_dir('$GAMMAPY_DATA/hess-dl3-dr1')
events = data_store.obs(23523).events
```

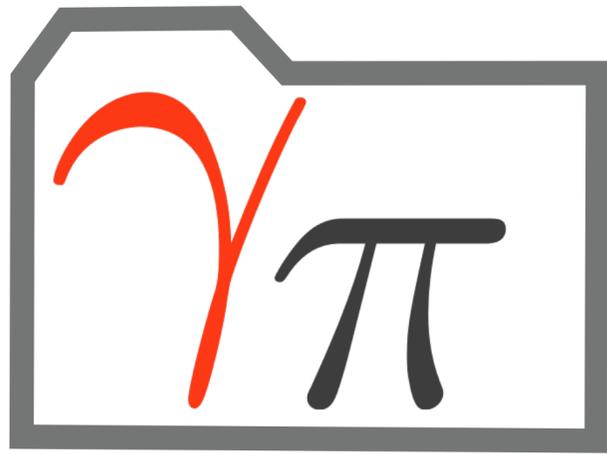


```
from gammapy.data import EventList
filename = '$GAMMAPY_DATA/hess-dl3-dr1/data/hess_dl3_dr1_obs_id_023523.fits.gz'
events = EventList.read(filename)
```



<https://docs.gammapy.org/0.12/data/index.html>

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## Gamma-ray source catalogs access

```

1 from gammapy.catalog import SourceCatalog3FHL
2
3 fermi_3fhl = SourceCatalog3FHL()
4 crab_3fhl = fermi_3fhl["Crab Nebula"]
5
6 crab_3fhl.spectral_model.energy_flux("1 TeV", "10 TeV").to("erg cm-2 s-1")

```

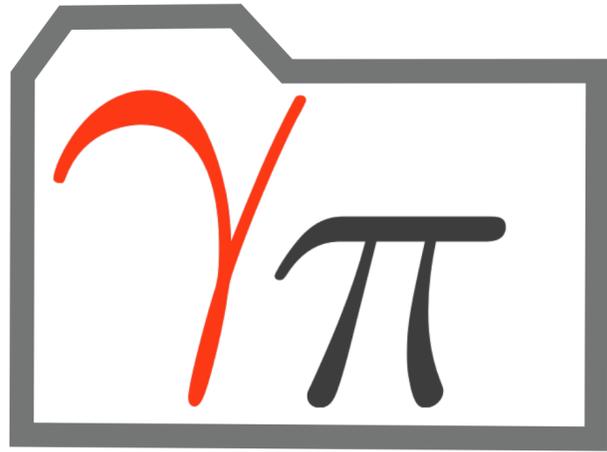
$1.112798 \times 10^{-10} \frac{\text{erg}}{\text{s cm}^2}$

Source_Name	RAJ2000	DEJ2000	GLON	GLAT	Conf_95_SemiMajor	Conf_95_SemiMinor	Conf_95_PosAng	ROI_num	Signif_Avg	Pivot_Energy	Flux_Density
	deg	deg	deg	deg	deg	deg	deg			GeV	1 / (cm <sup>2</sup> GeV s)
bytes18	float32	float32	float32	float32	float32	float32	float32	int16	float32	float32	float32
3FHL J0001.2-0748	0.3107	-7.8075	89.0094	-67.3118	0.0424	0.0424	nan	64	5.362	23.73	5.3174e-13
3FHL J0001.9-4155	0.4849	-41.9303	334.1216	-72.0697	0.1018	0.1018	nan	429	5.638	28.42	5.4253e-13
3FHL J0002.1-6728	0.5283	-67.4825	310.0868	-48.9549	0.0357	0.0357	nan	386	8.470	20.82	1.2062e-12
3FHL J0003.3-5248	0.8300	-52.8150	318.9245	-62.7936	0.0425	0.0425	nan	145	7.229	23.66	7.5065e-13
3FHL J0007.0+7303	1.7647	73.0560	119.6625	10.4666	0.0101	0.0101	nan	277	75.265	12.80	1.7436e-10
3FHL J0007.9+4711	1.9931	47.1920	115.3093	-15.0354	0.0196	0.0196	nan	302	17.774	17.19	5.9778e-12
3FHL J0008.4-2339	2.1243	-23.6514	50.2908	-79.7021	0.0366	0.0366	nan	517	9.679	16.96	3.0610e-12
3FHL J0009.1+0628	2.2874	6.4814	104.4637	-54.8669	0.0385	0.0385	nan	402	6.282	18.92	1.2691e-12



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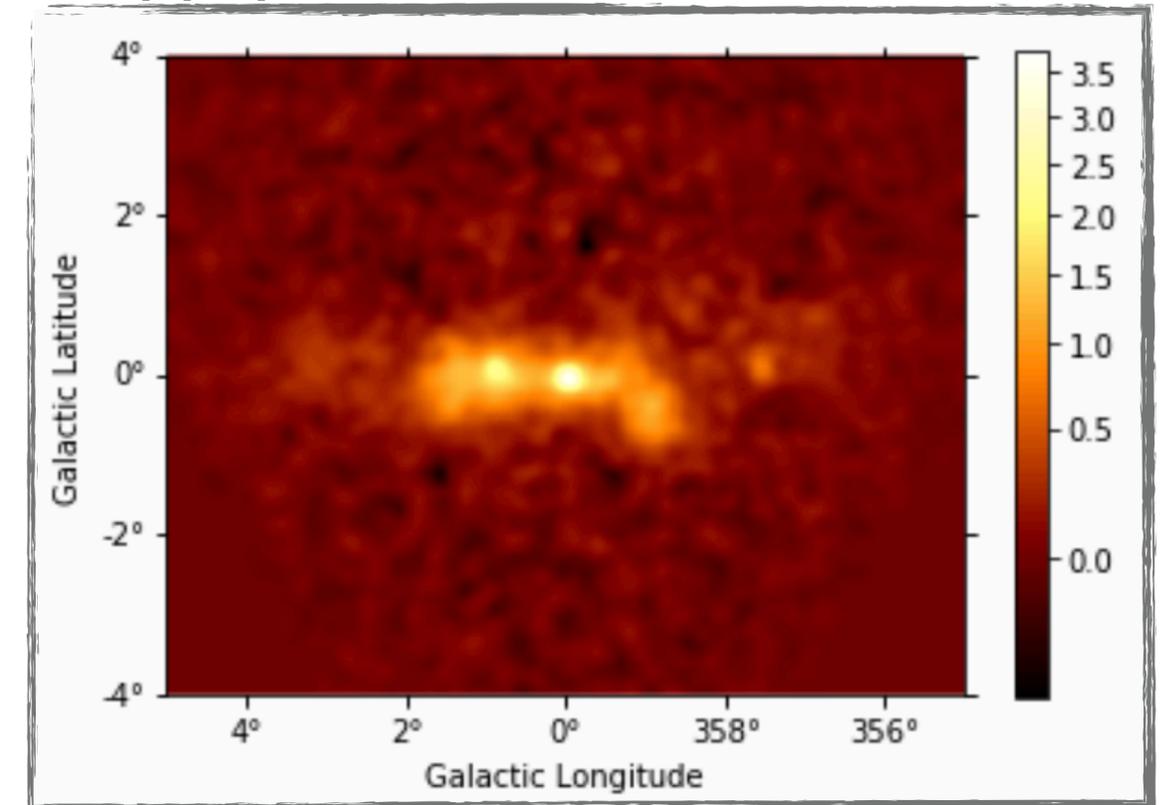
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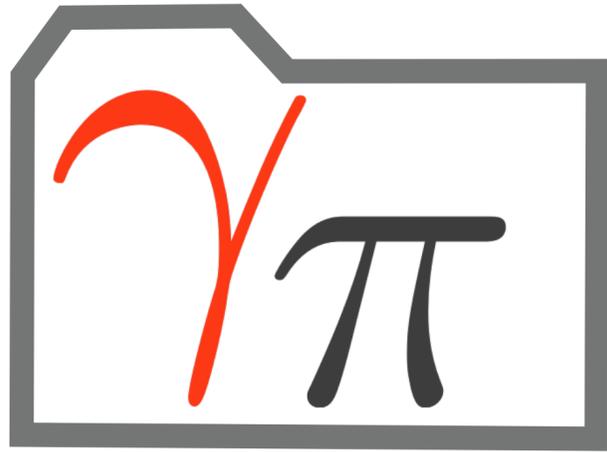
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from gammapy.image.models import SkyGaussian
from gammapy.spectrum.models import PowerLaw
from gammapy.cube.models import SkyModel

spatial_model = SkyGaussian(
    lon_0="0.2 deg",
    lat_0="0.1 deg",
    sigma="0.3 deg",
)
spectral_model = PowerLaw(
    index=3,
    amplitude="1e-11 cm-2 s-1 TeV-1",
    reference="1 TeV",
)
sky_model = SkyModel(
    spatial_model,
    spectral_model,
)
print(sky_model)
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## Map preparation



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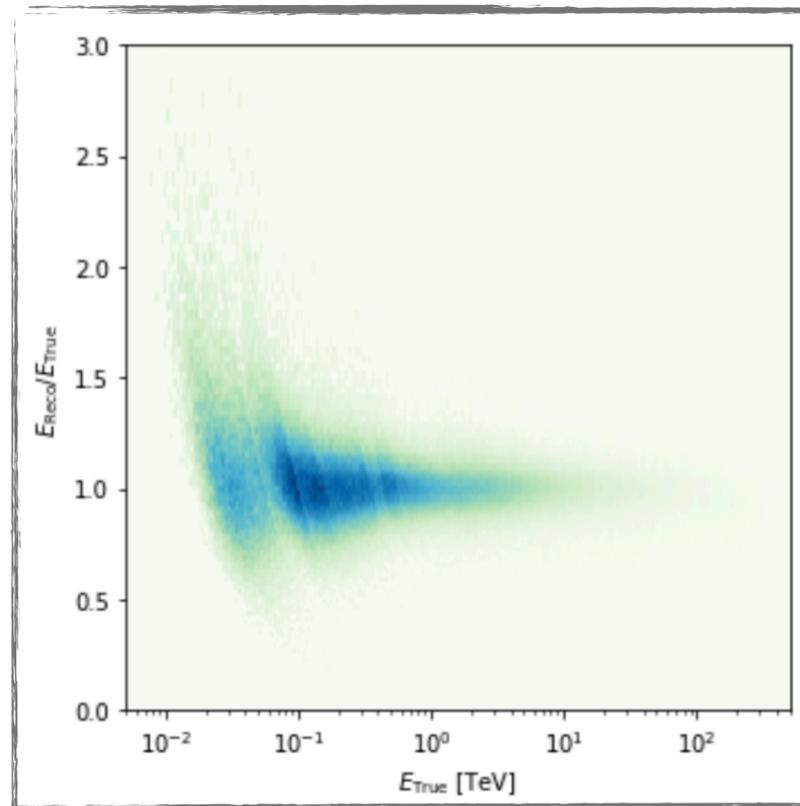
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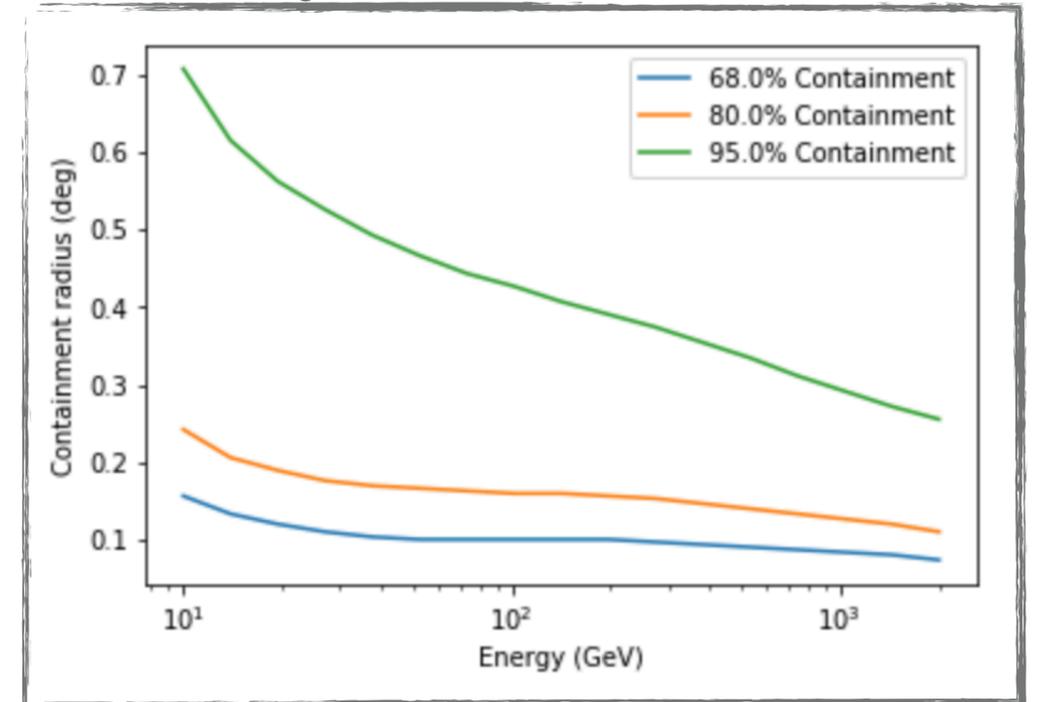
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## Energy dispersion handling



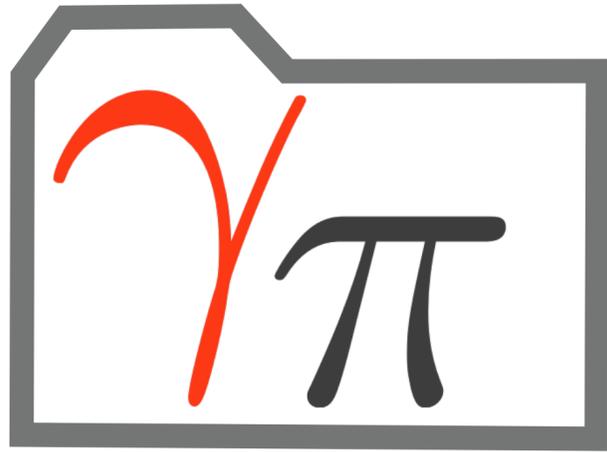
```
from gammapy.irf import EnergyDispersion2D
edisp = EnergyDispersion2D.read(irf_filename, hdu="ENERGY DISPERSION")
print(edisp)
```

## PSF handling



```
from gammapy.irf import EnergyDependentTablePSF
psf = EnergyDependentTablePSF.read(
    "$GAMMAPY_DATA/fermi_3fhl/fermi_3fhl_psf_gc.fits.gz"
)
print(psf)
```

# FEATURES OVERVIEW



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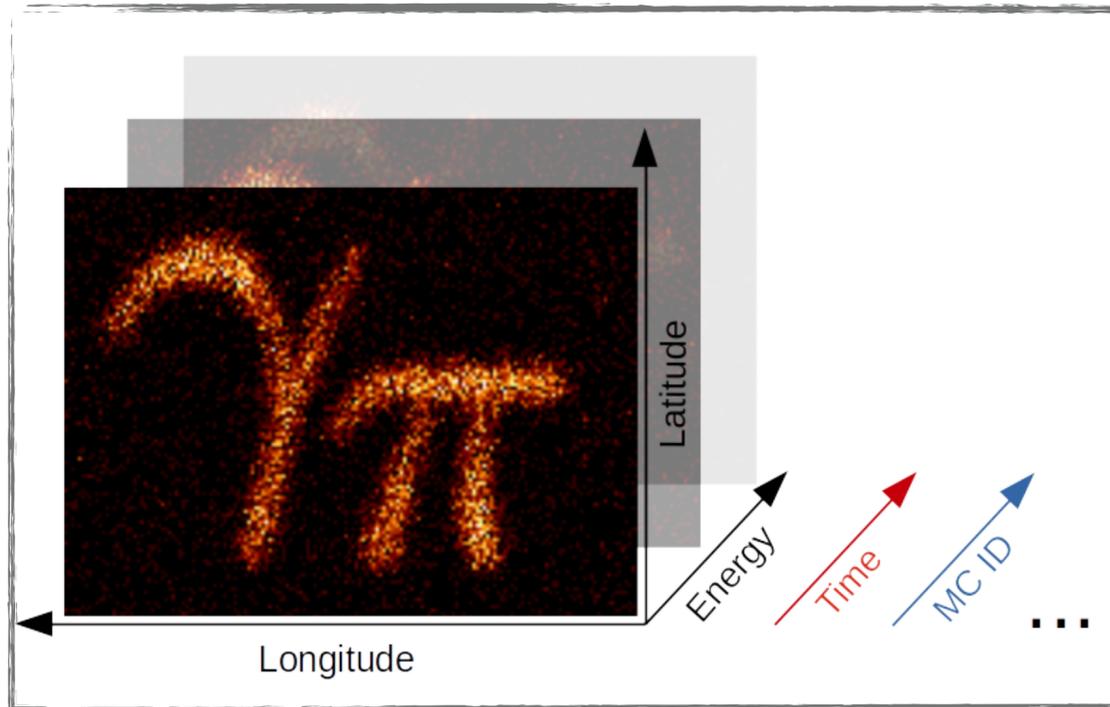
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## N-dimensional WCS and HEALPix based sky maps



```
from gammapy.maps import Map
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord

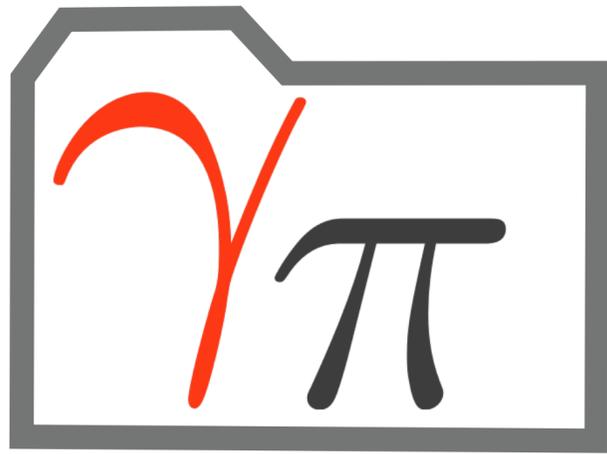
position = SkyCoord(0.0, 5.0, frame='galactic', unit='deg')

# Create a WCS Map
m_wcs = Map.create(binsz=0.1, map_type='wcs', skydir=position, width=10.0)

# Create a HPX Map
m_hpx = Map.create(binsz=0.1, map_type='hpx', skydir=position, width=10.0)
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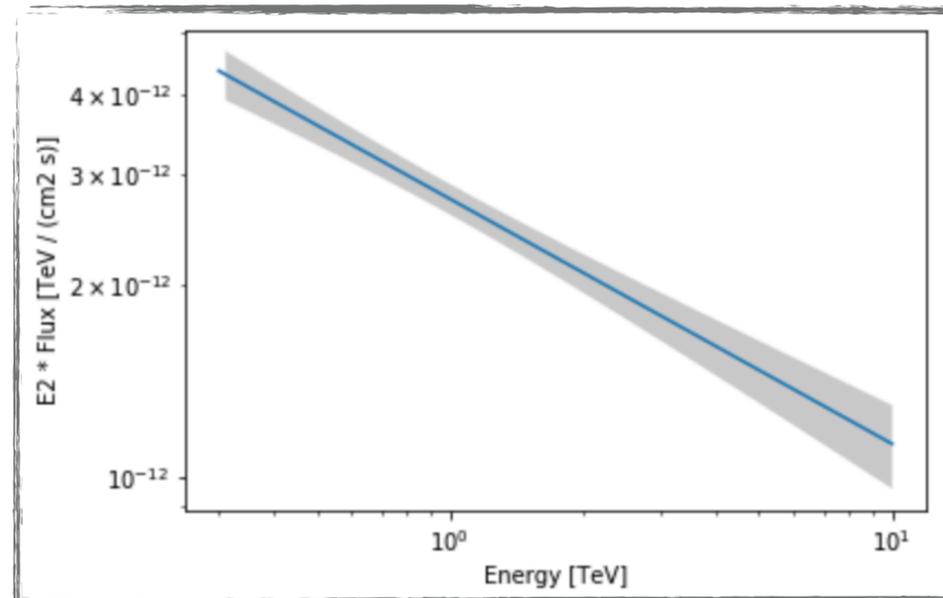
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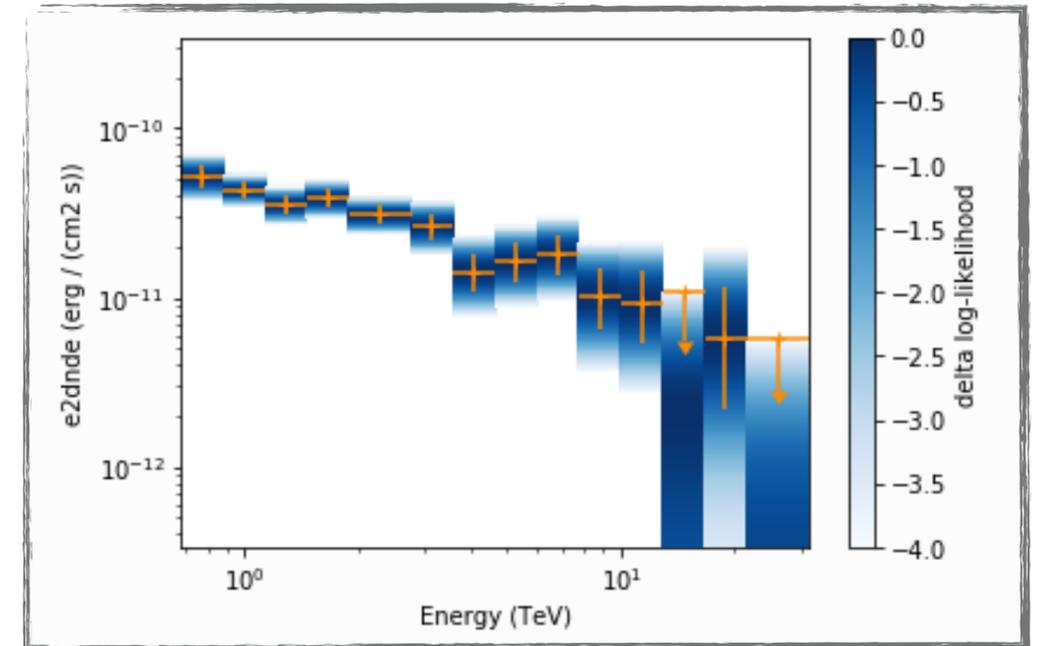
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## Spectral models



## SED computation and handling



## Spectral analysis

```
from gammapy.spectrum import SpectrumDatasetOnOff
from gammapy.utils.fitting import Fit
from gammapy.spectrum.models import PowerLaw

filename = '$GAMMAPY_DATA/joint-crab/spectra/hess/pha_obs23523.fits'
dataset = SpectrumDatasetOnOff.from_ogip_files(filename)

model = PowerLaw(
    index=2,
    amplitude='1e-12 cm-2 s-1 TeV-1',
    reference='1 TeV',
)

dataset.model = model

fit = Fit([dataset])
result = fit.run()
model.parameters.covariance = result.parameters.covariance
print(model)
```

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# DEMO

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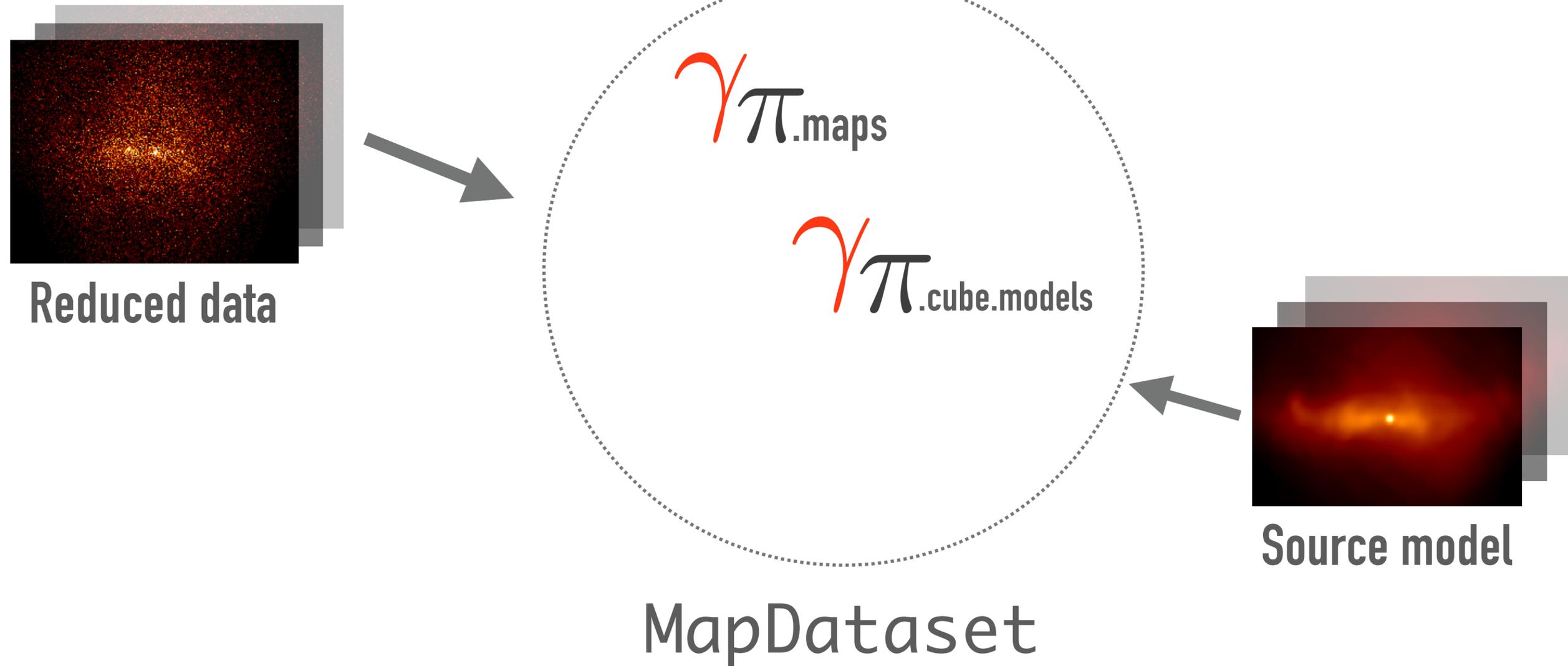
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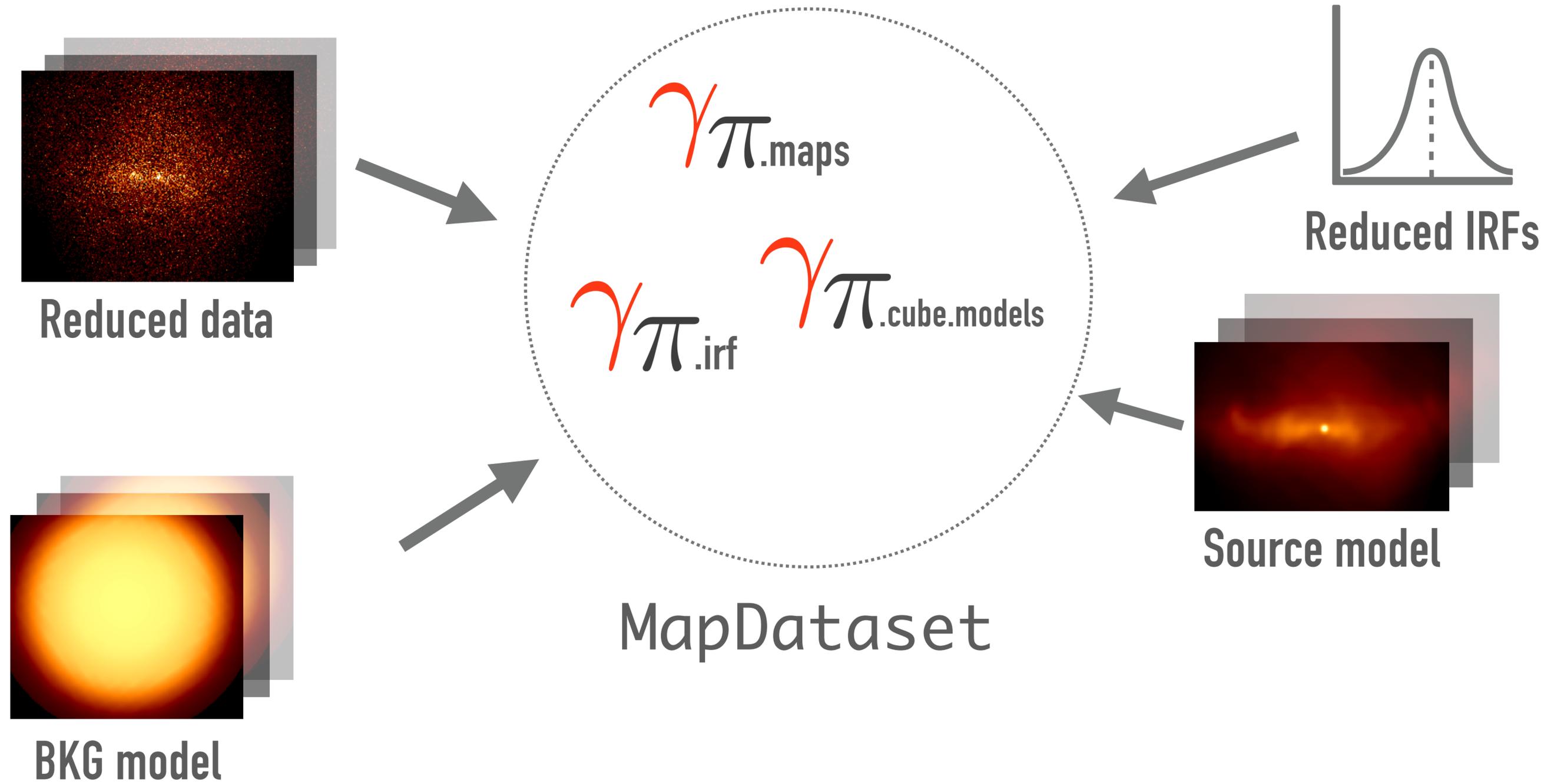
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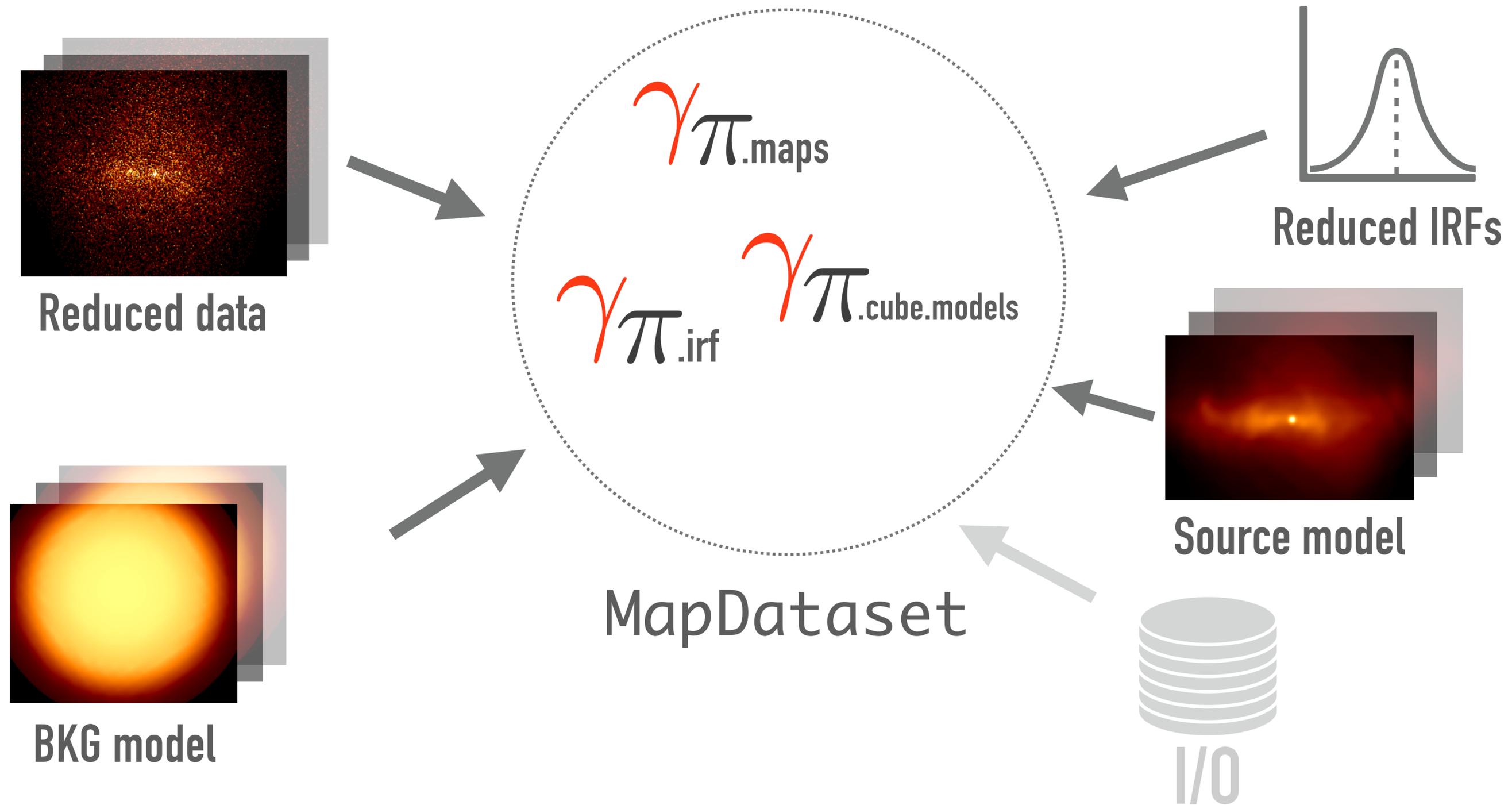
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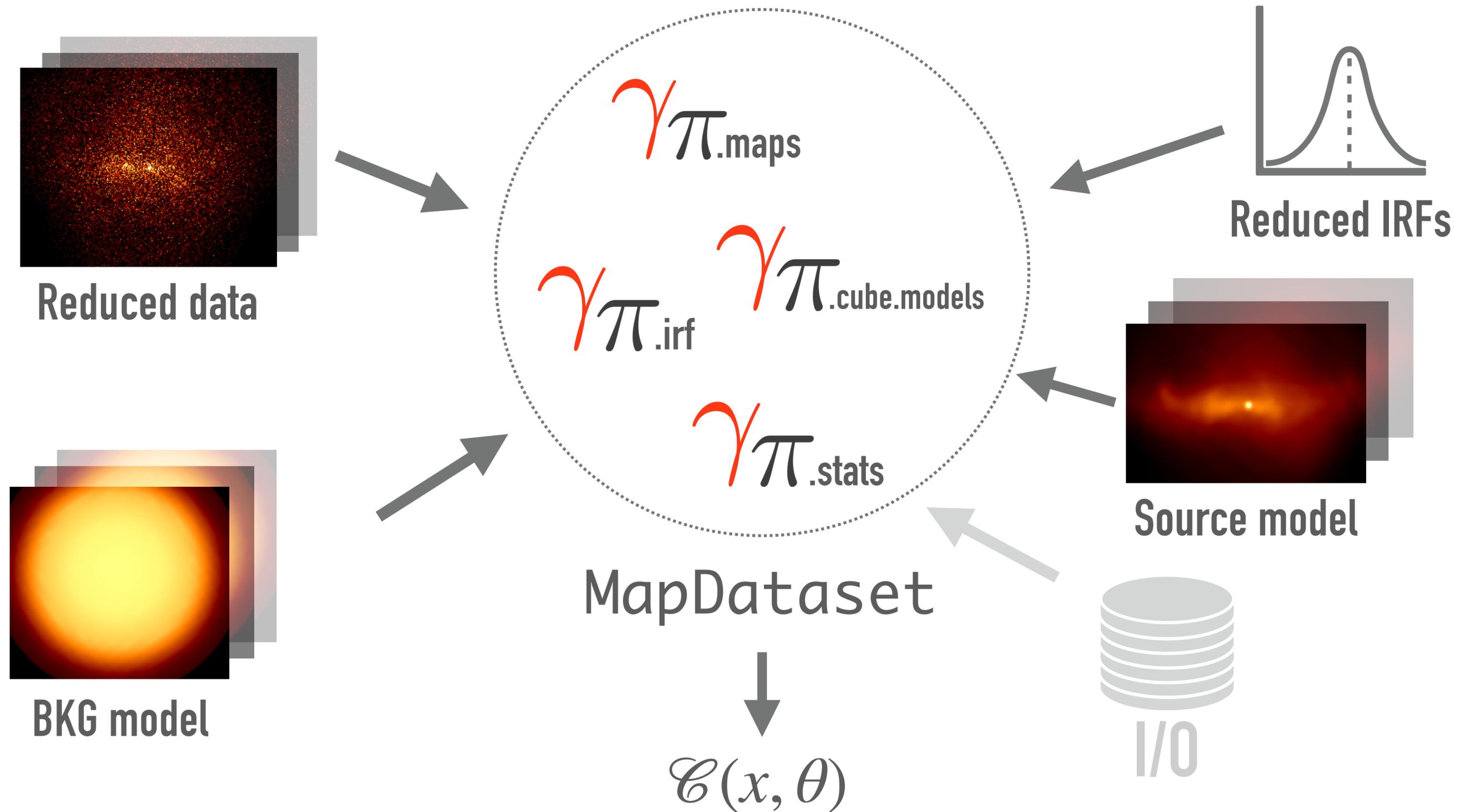
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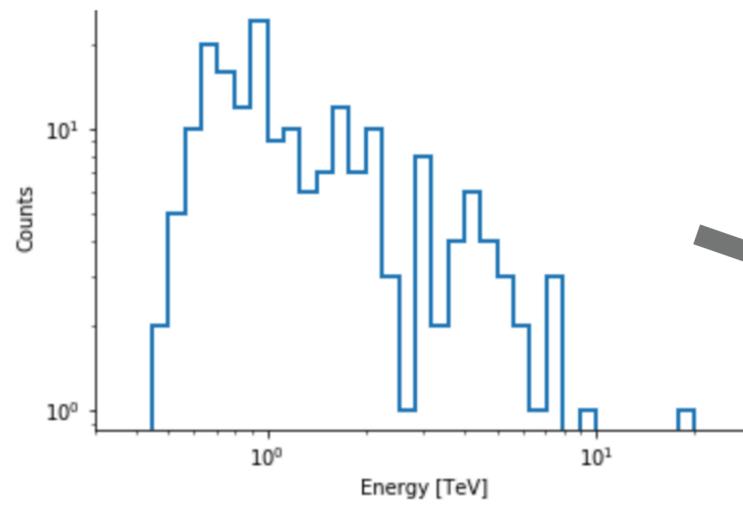
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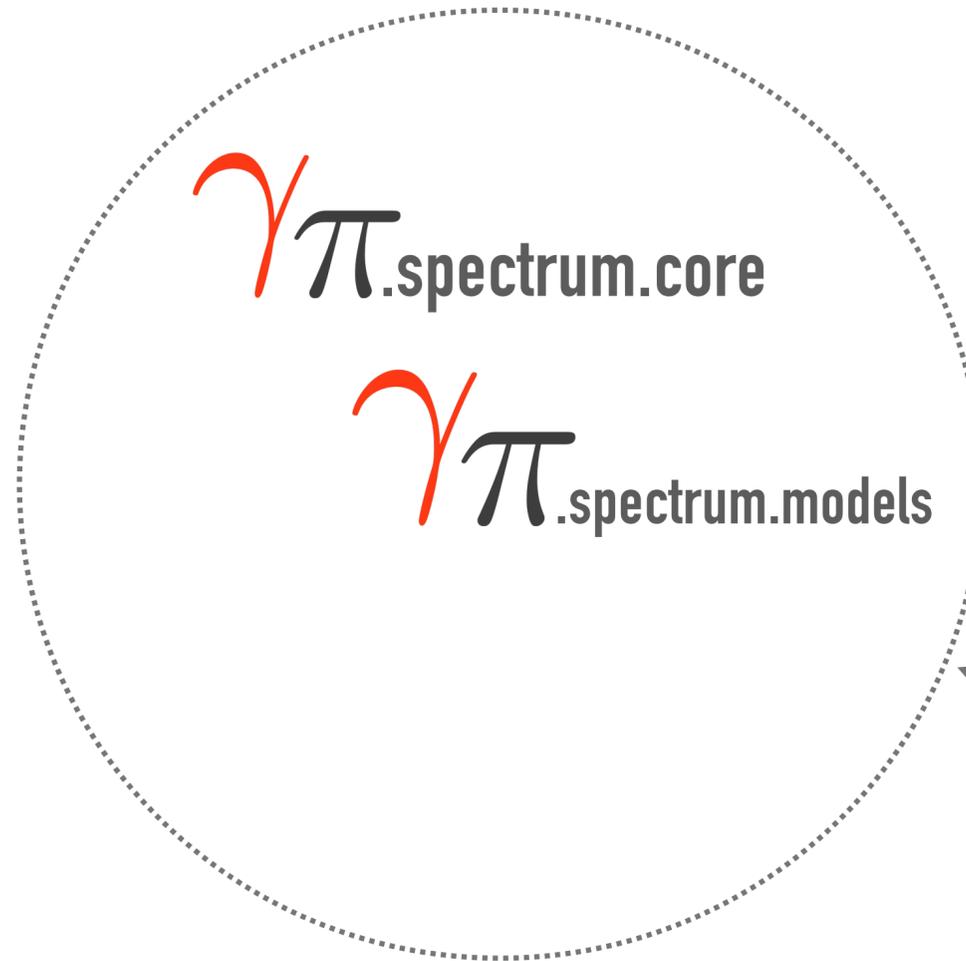
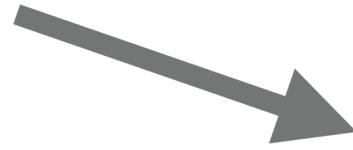
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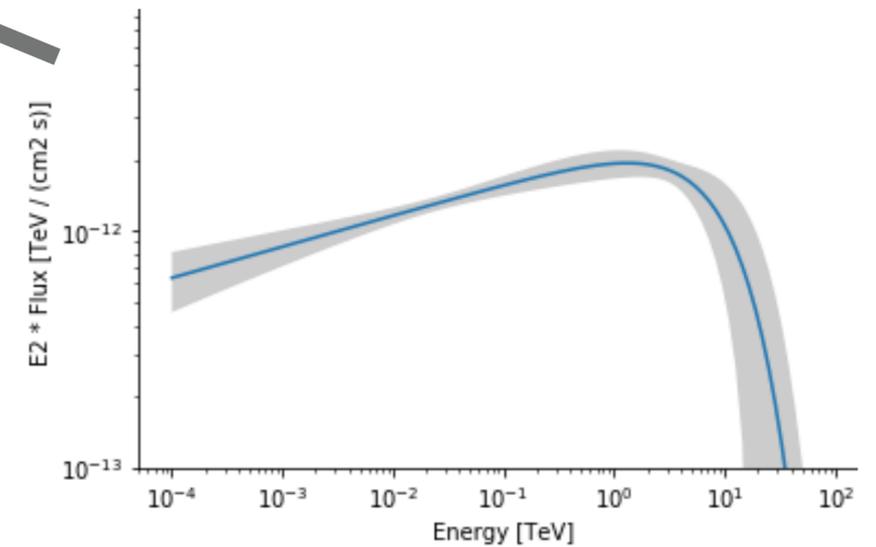
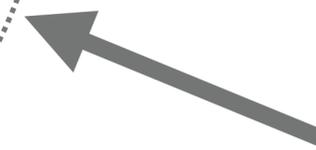
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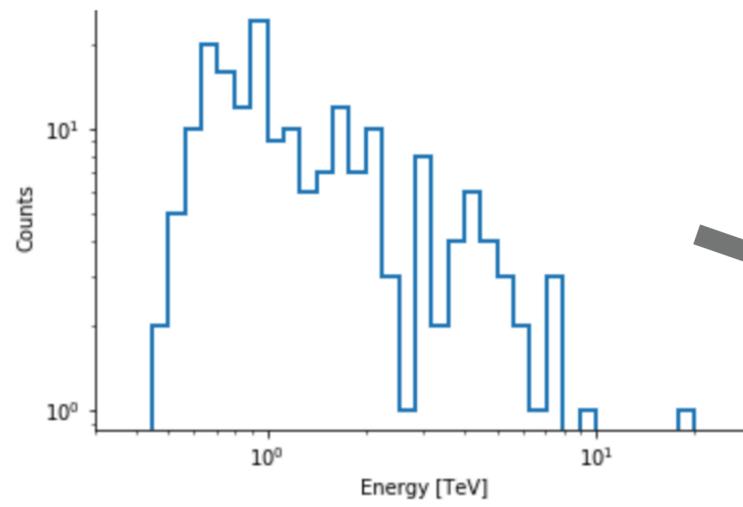


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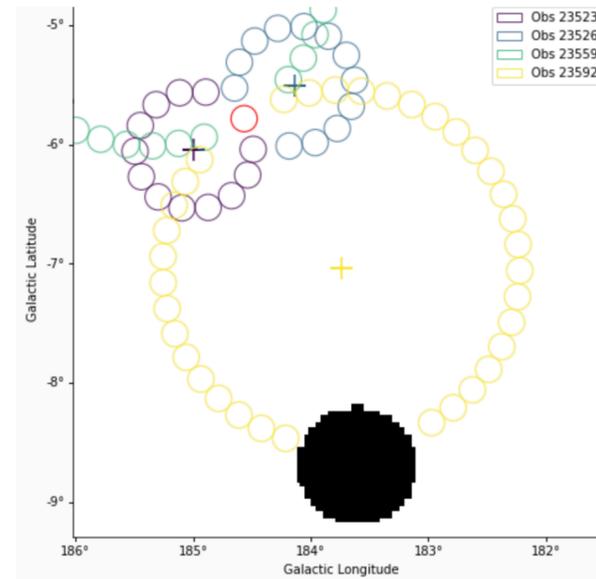


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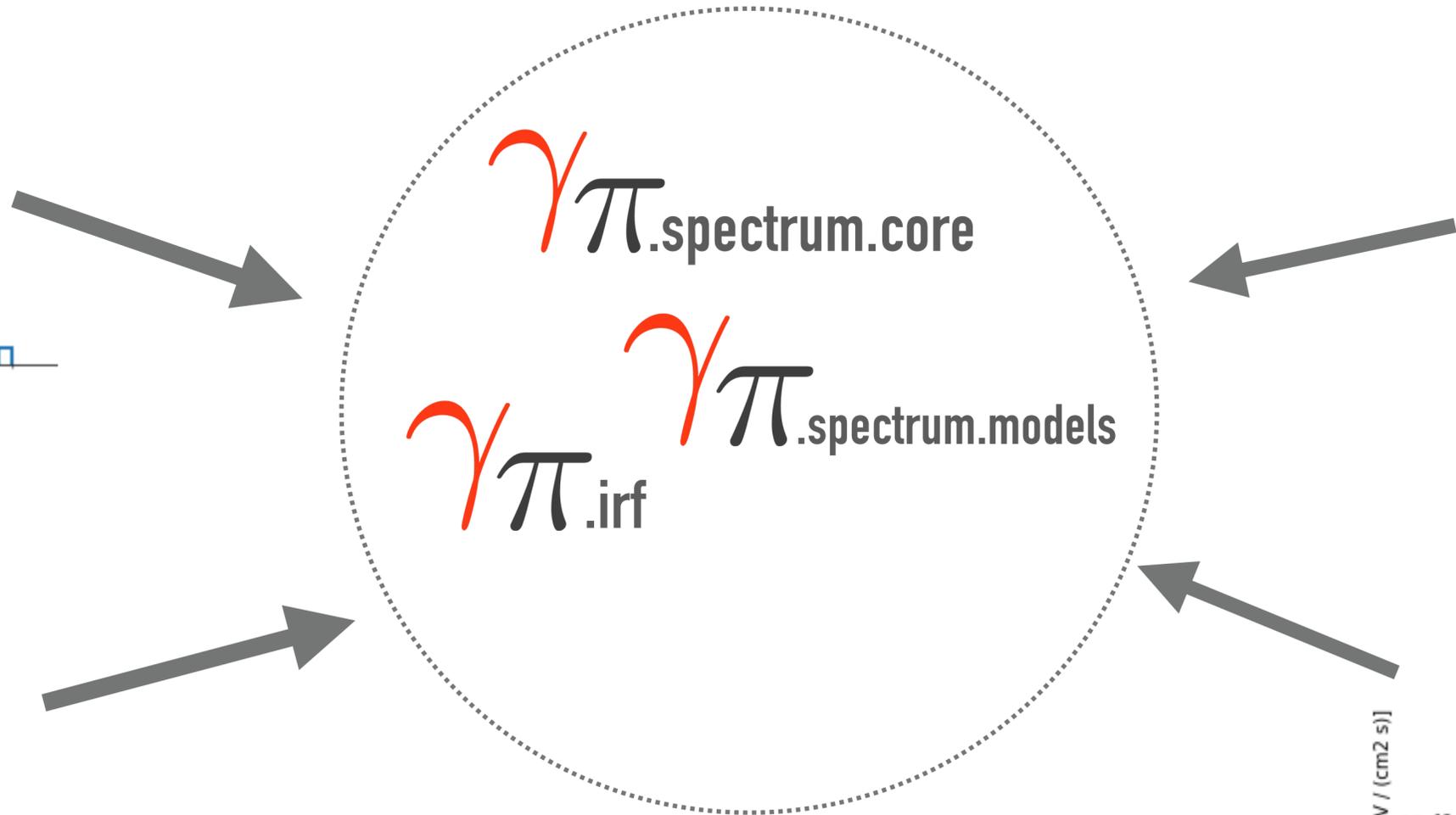
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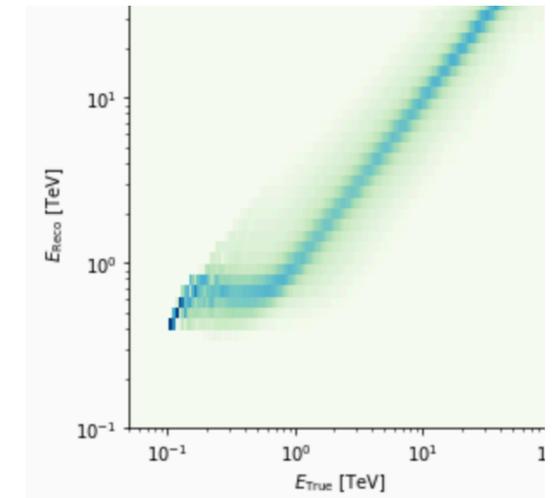
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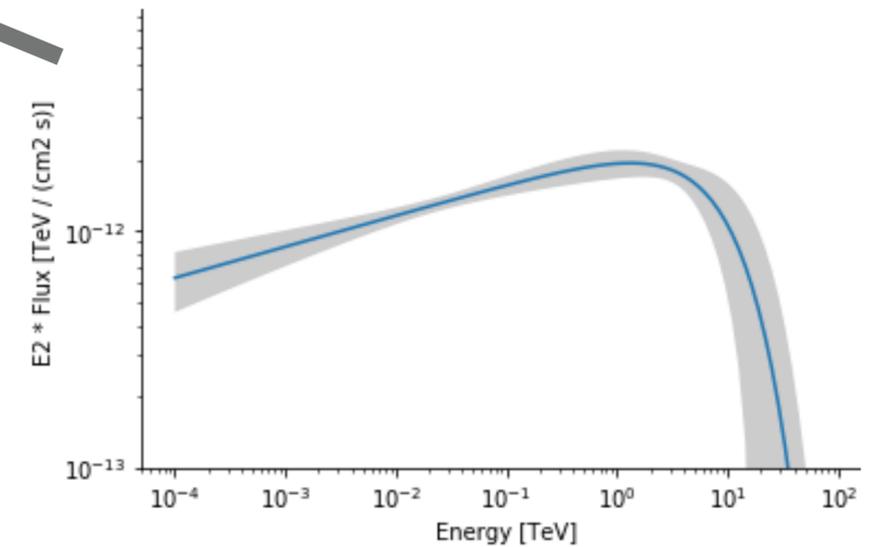
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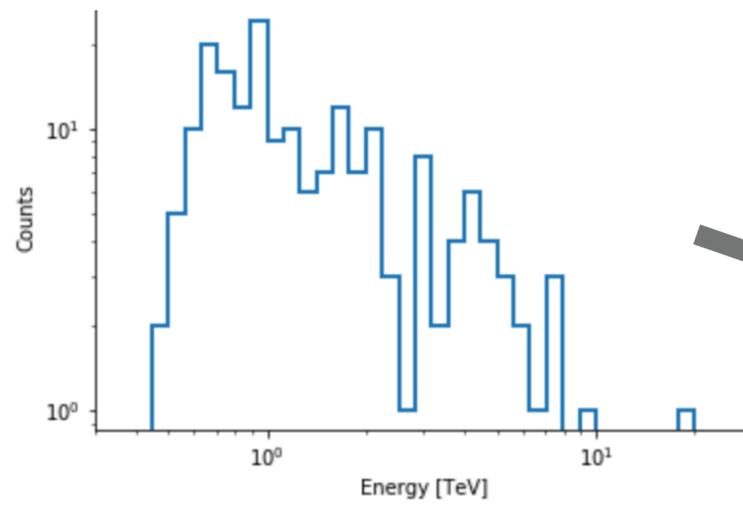
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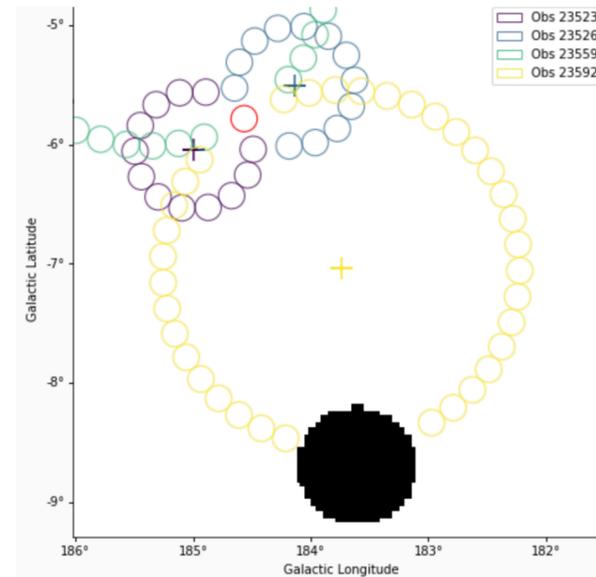
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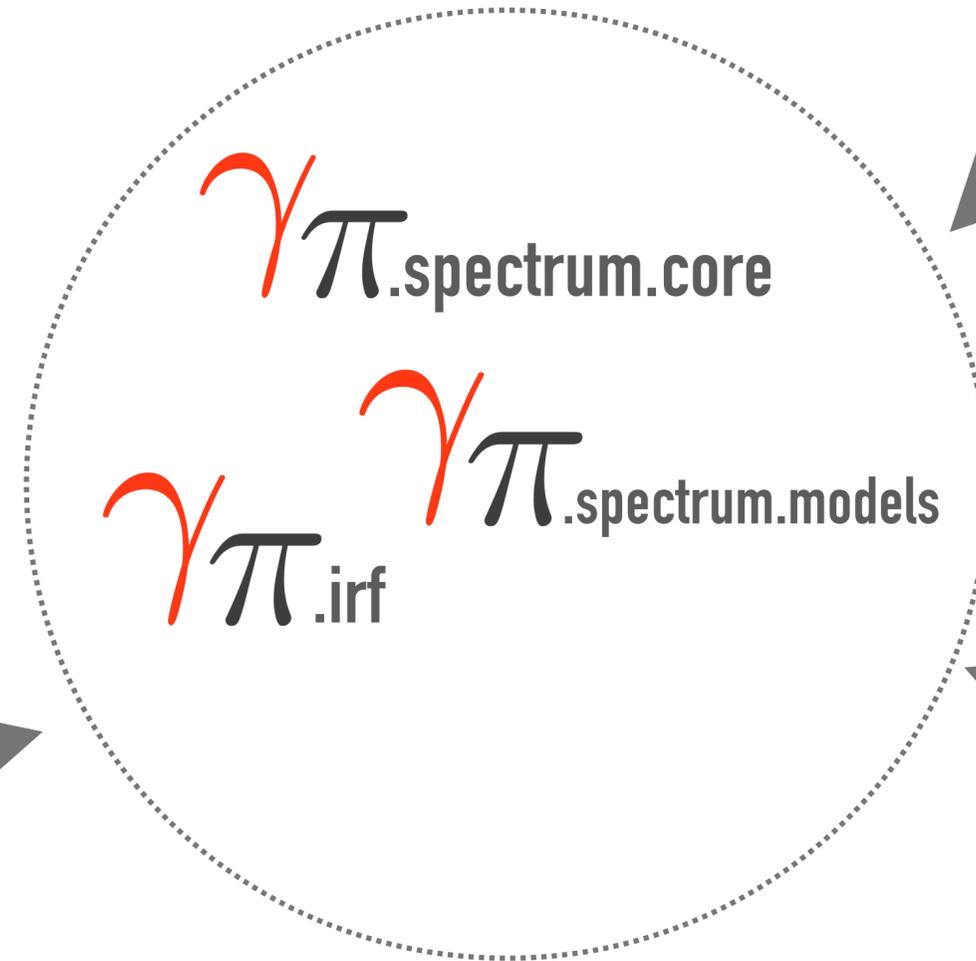
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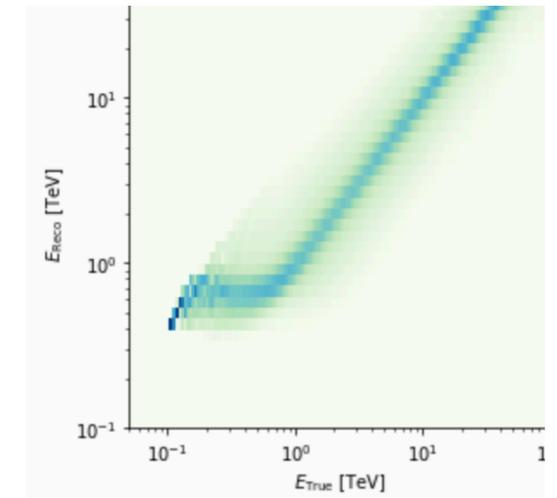
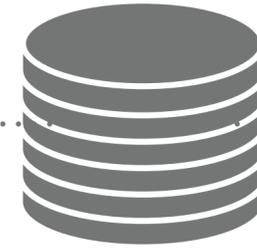
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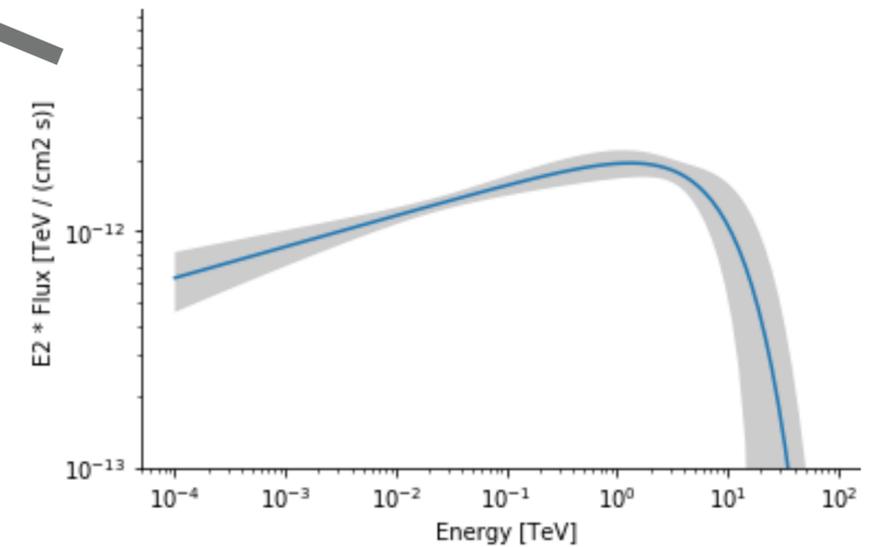
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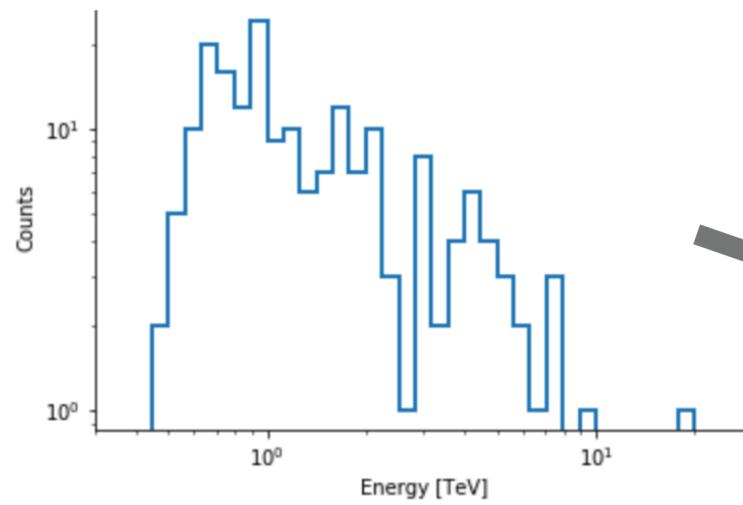
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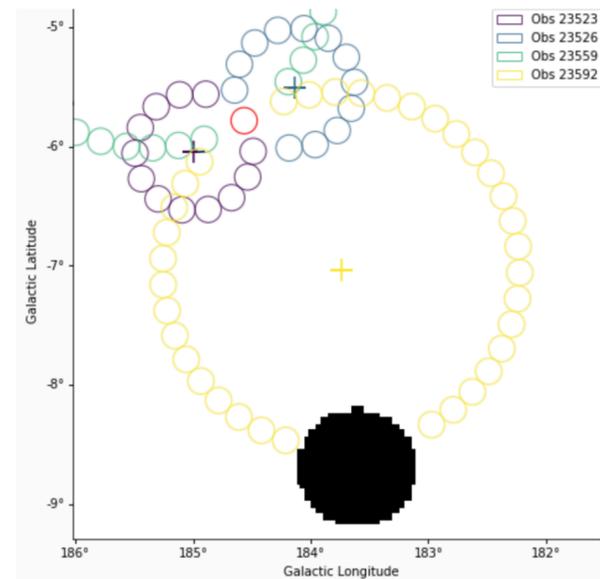
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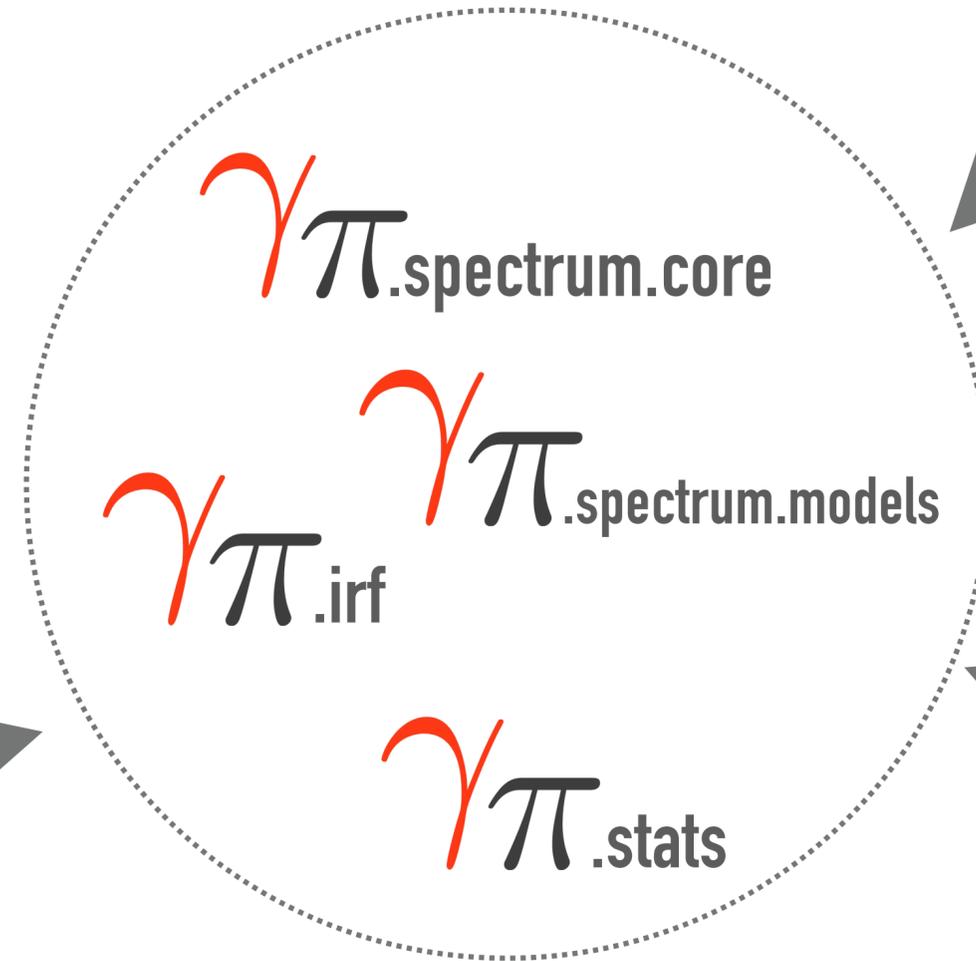
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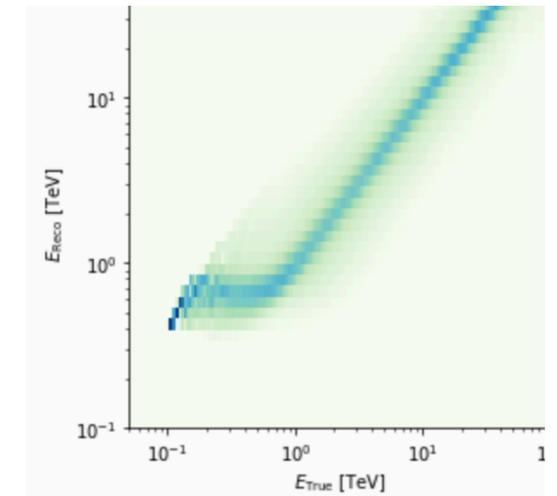
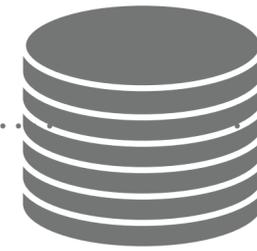


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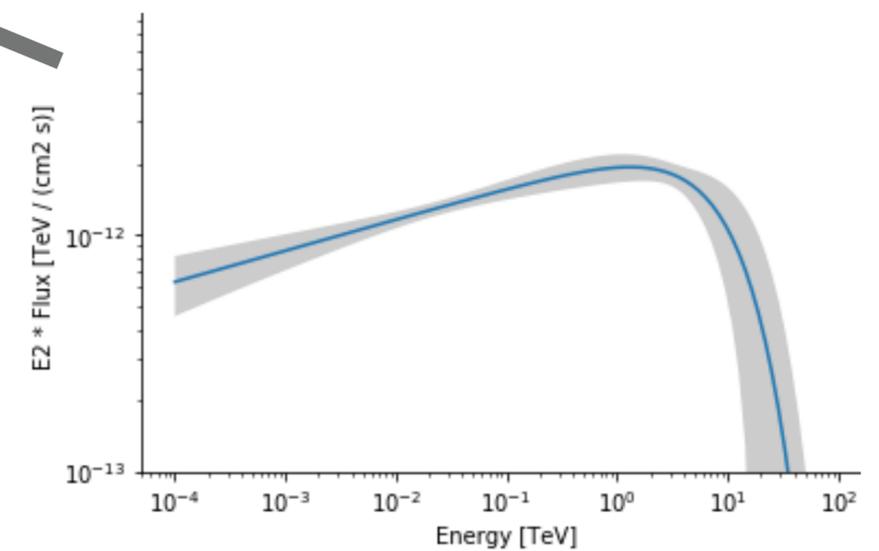


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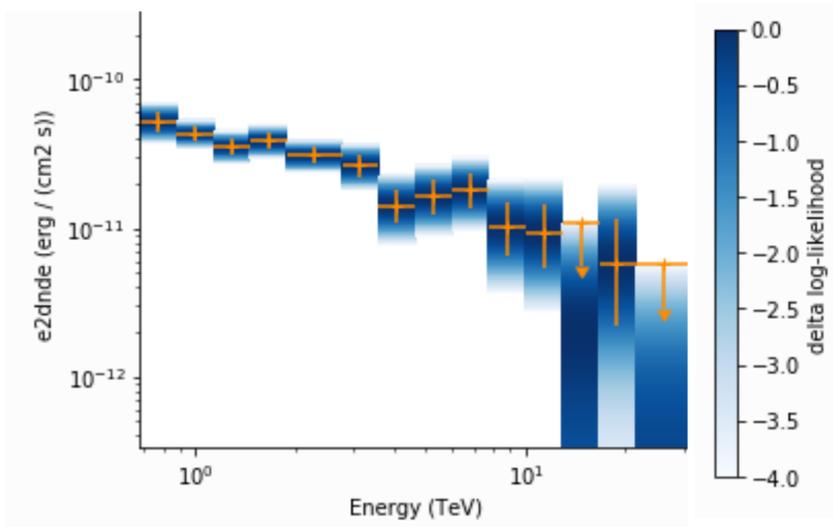


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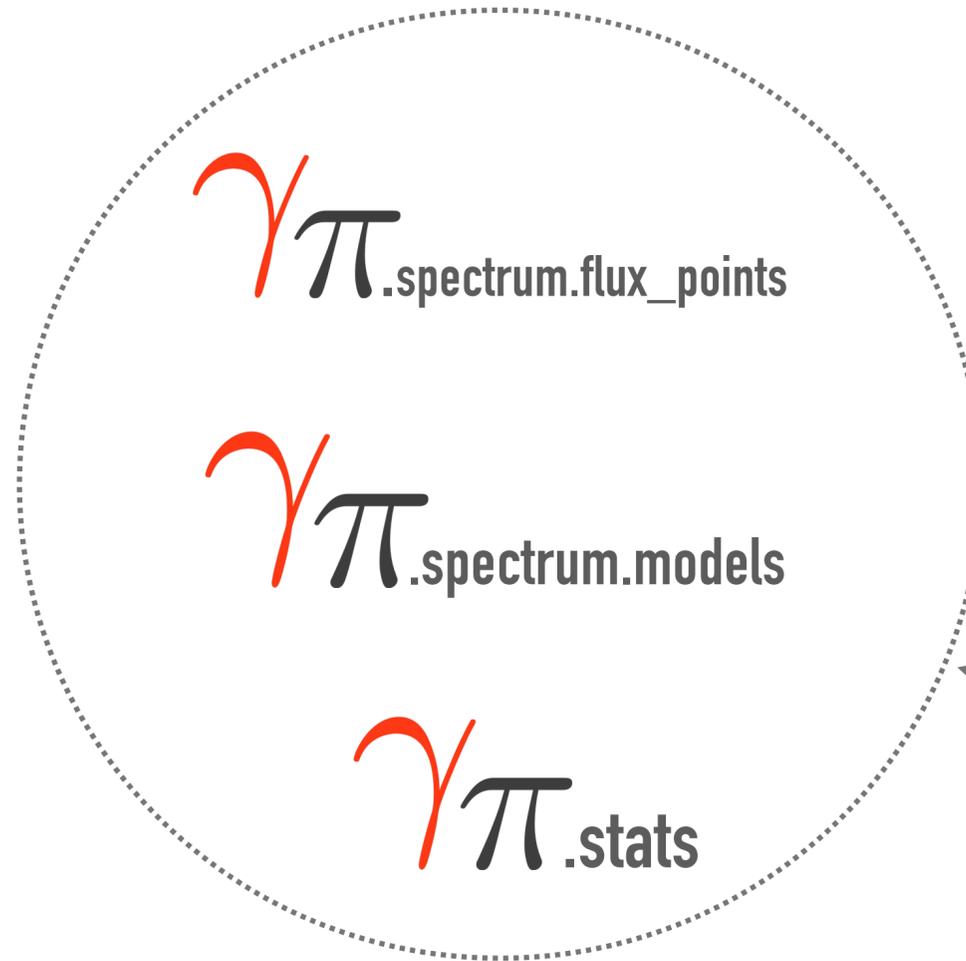


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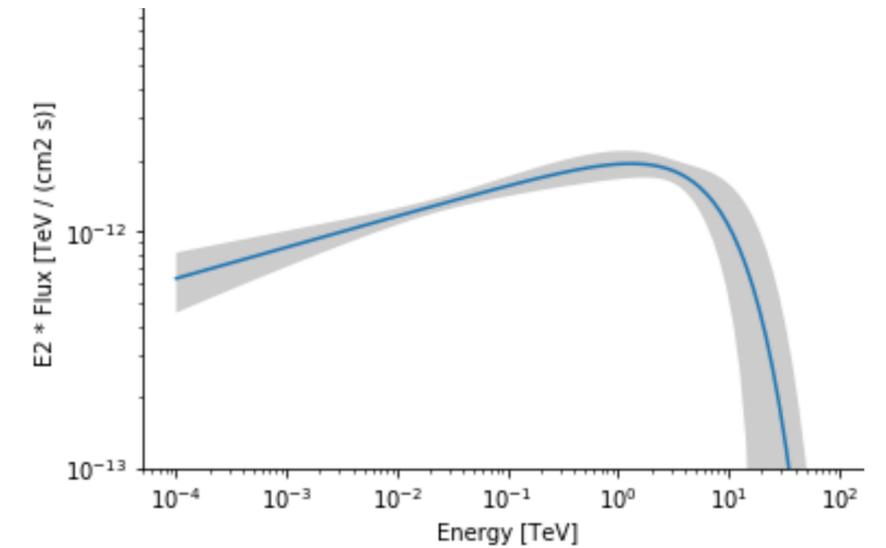


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FluxPointsDataset

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Spectral model

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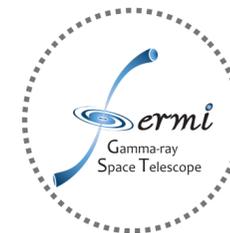
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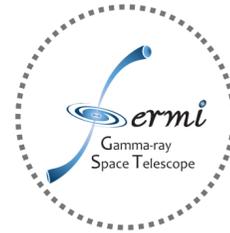
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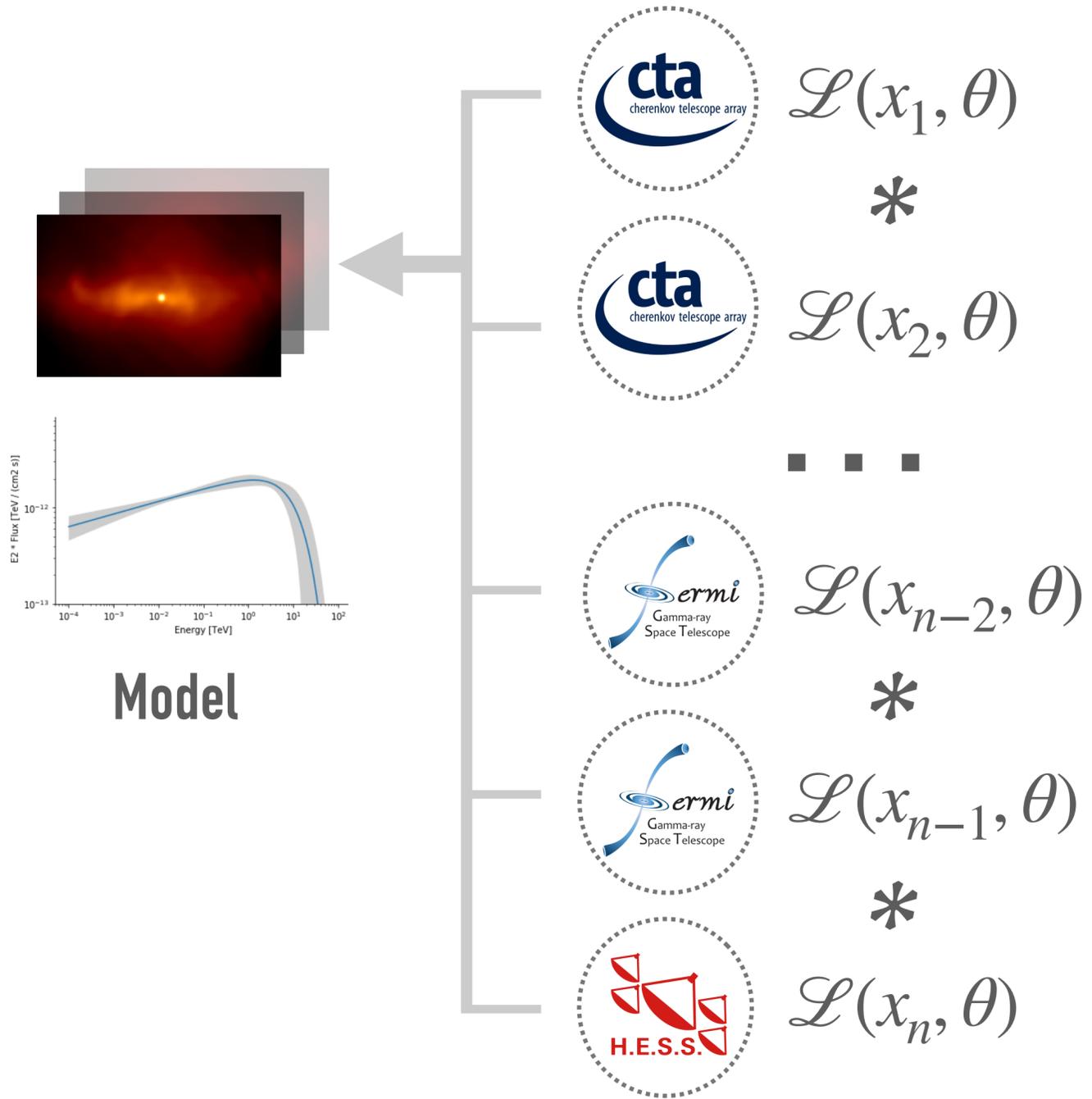
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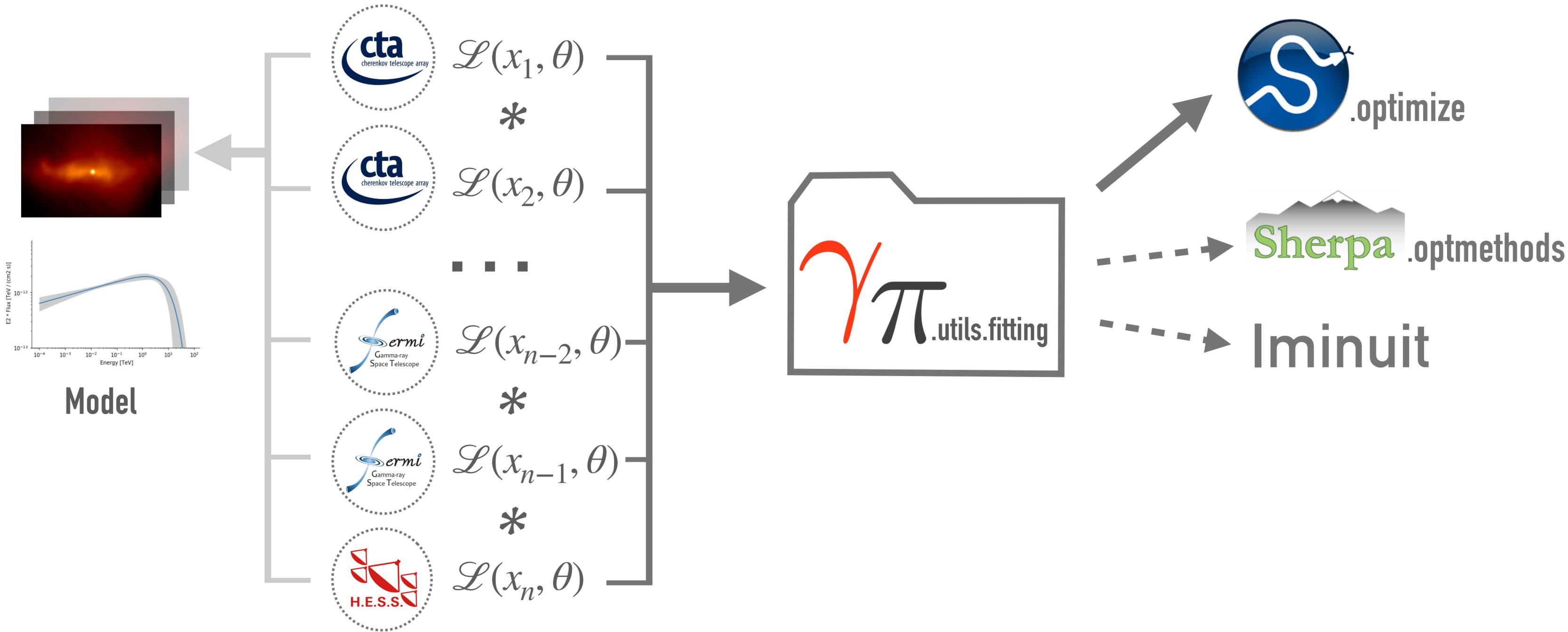


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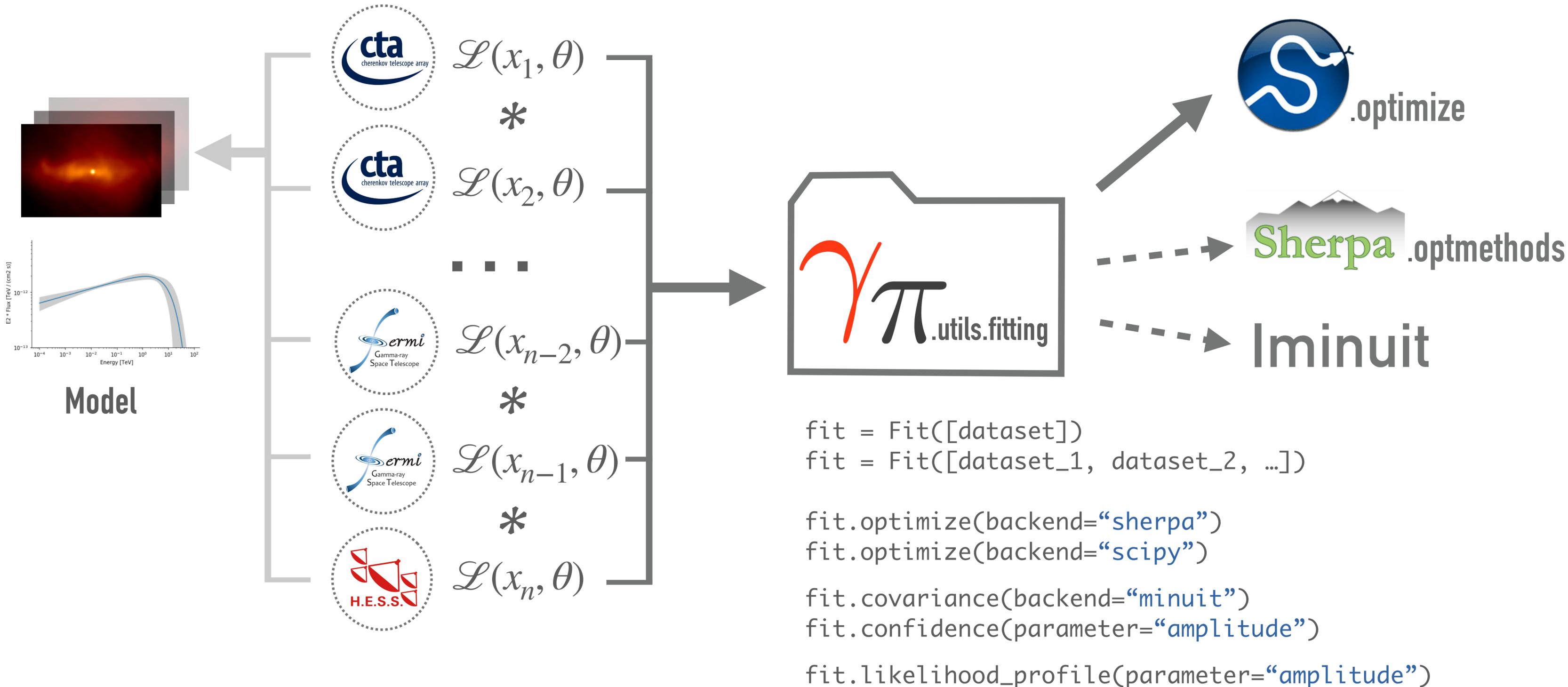
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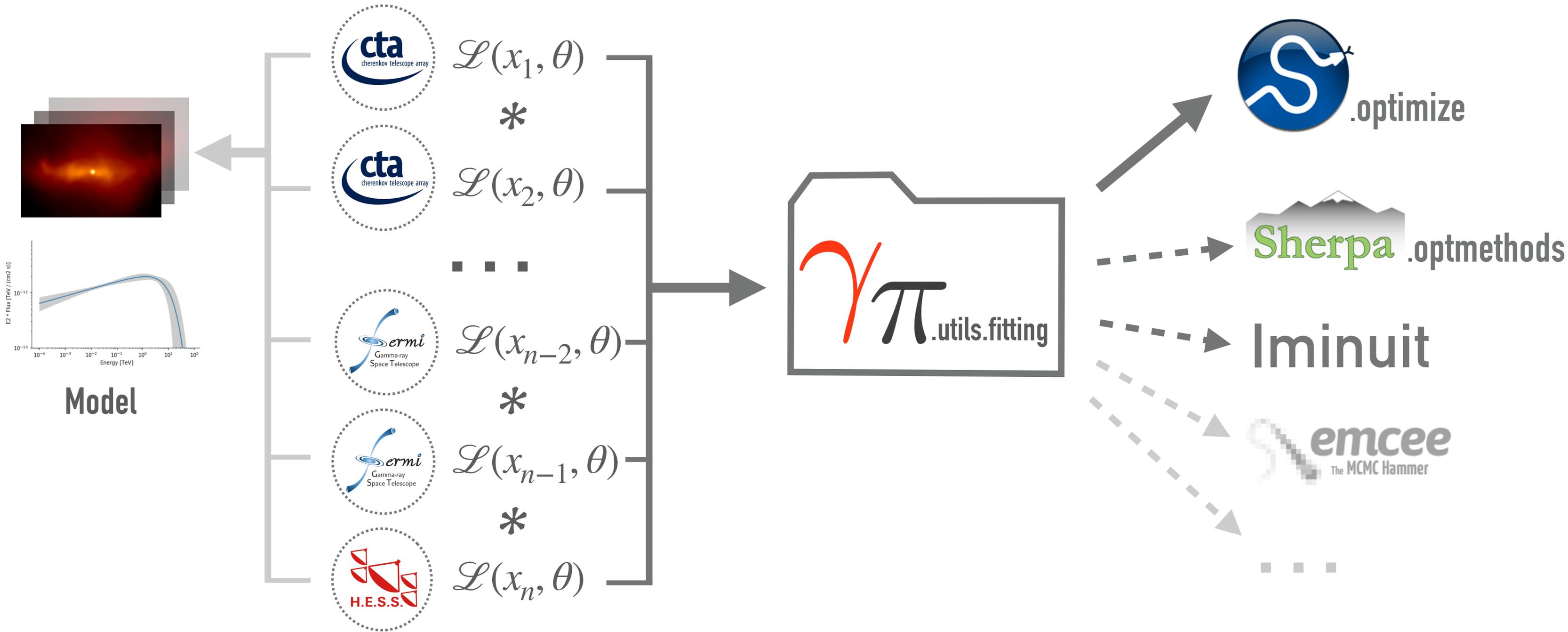
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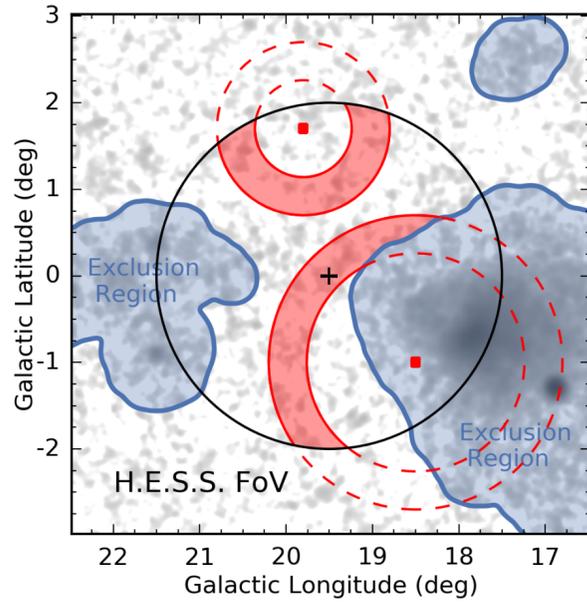


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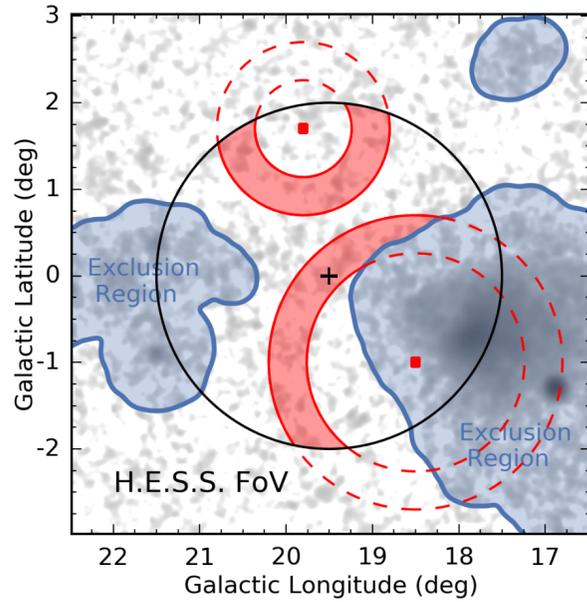
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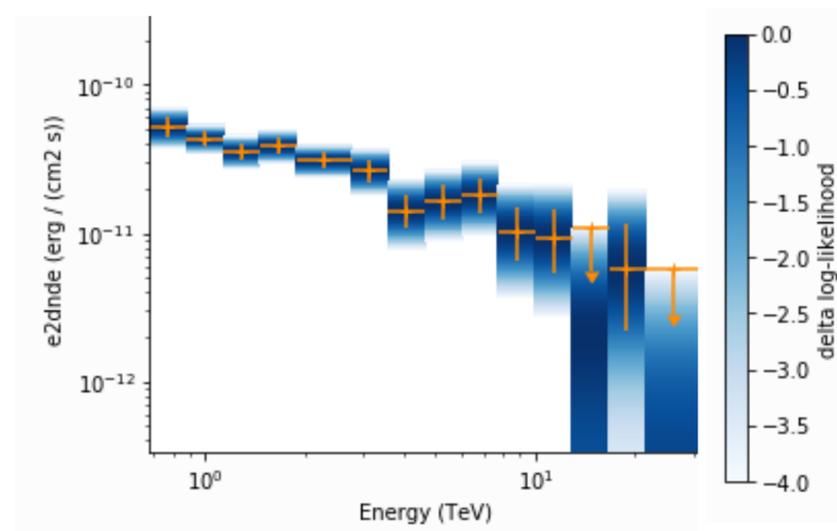
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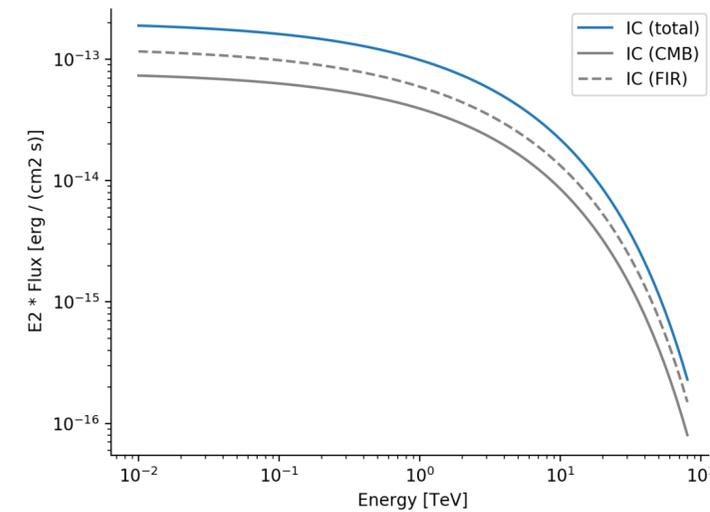
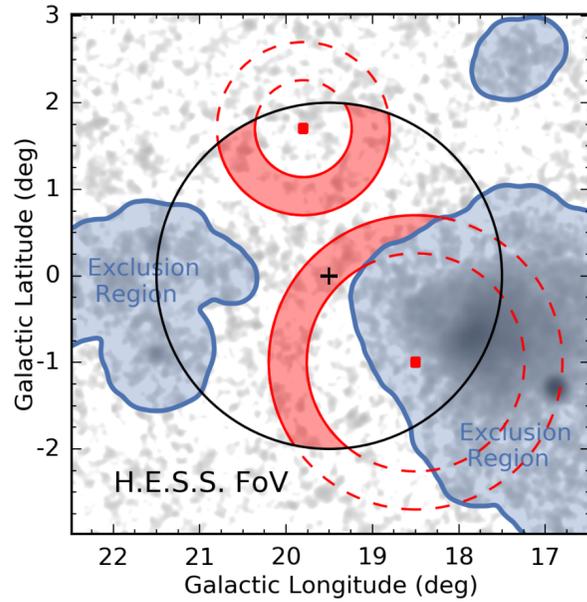


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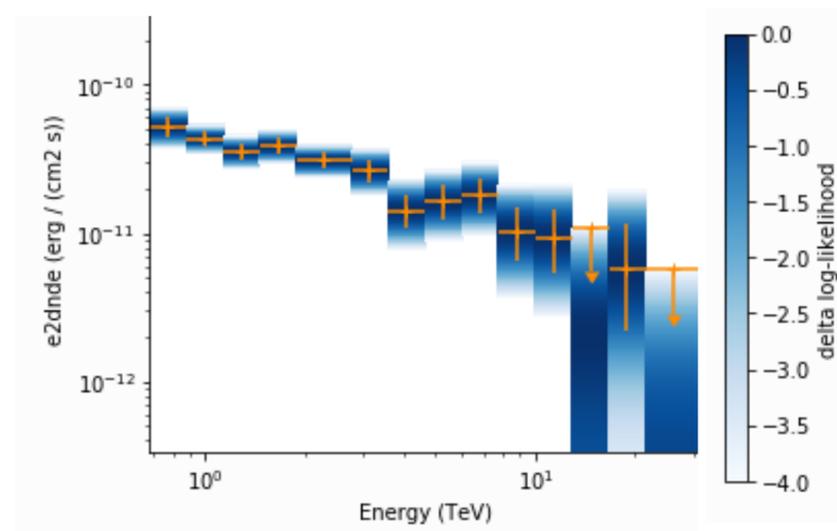
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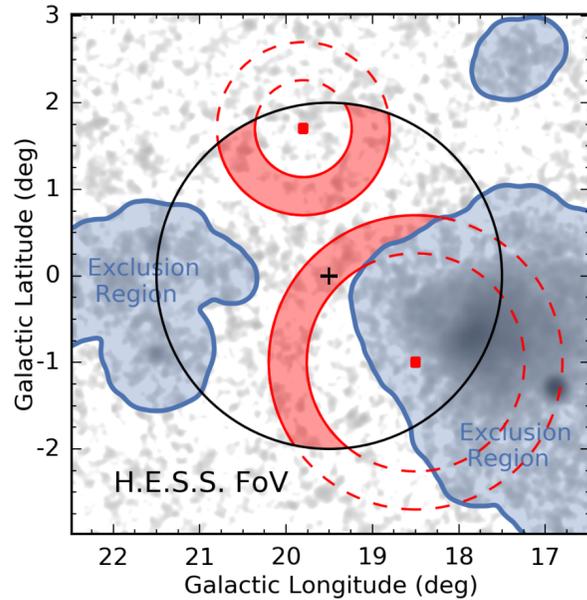
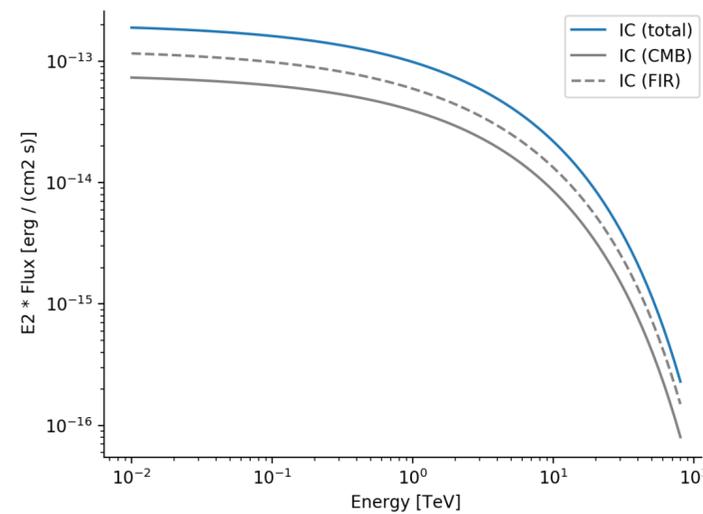


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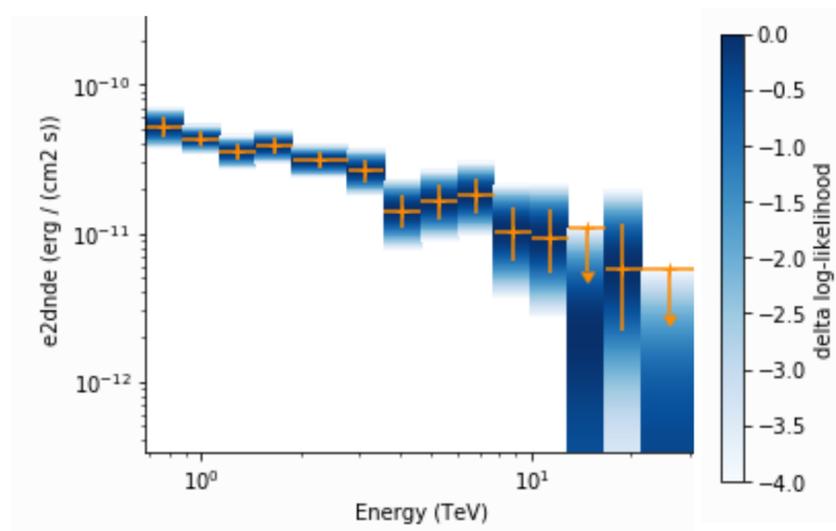
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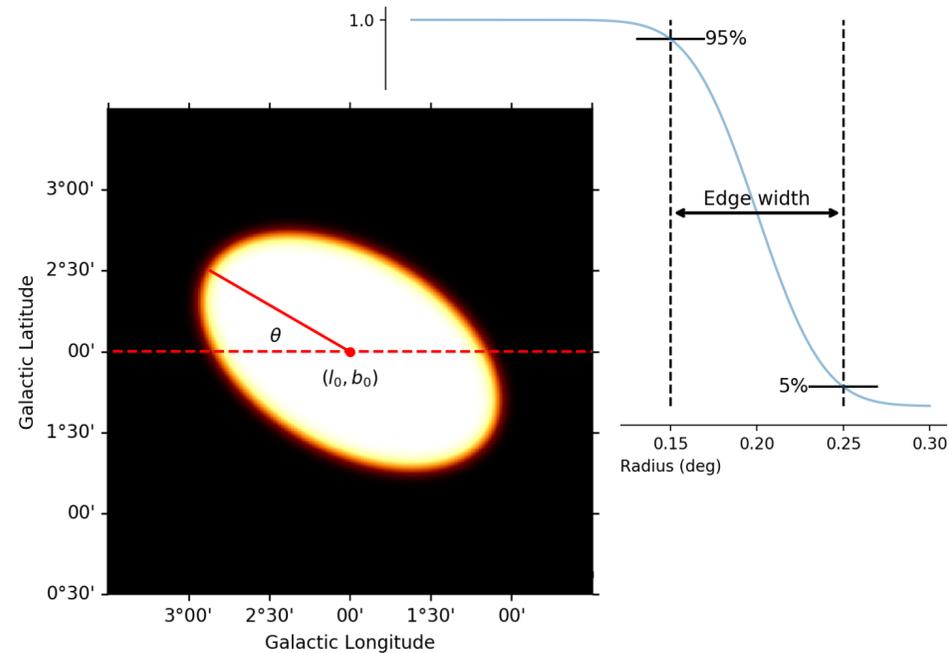


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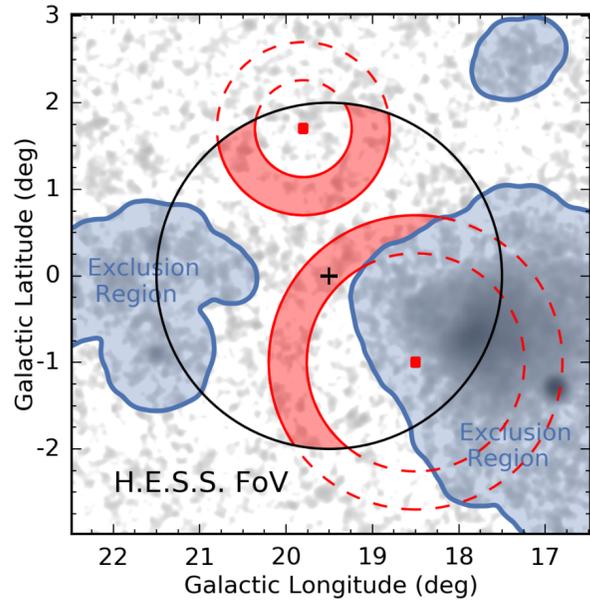
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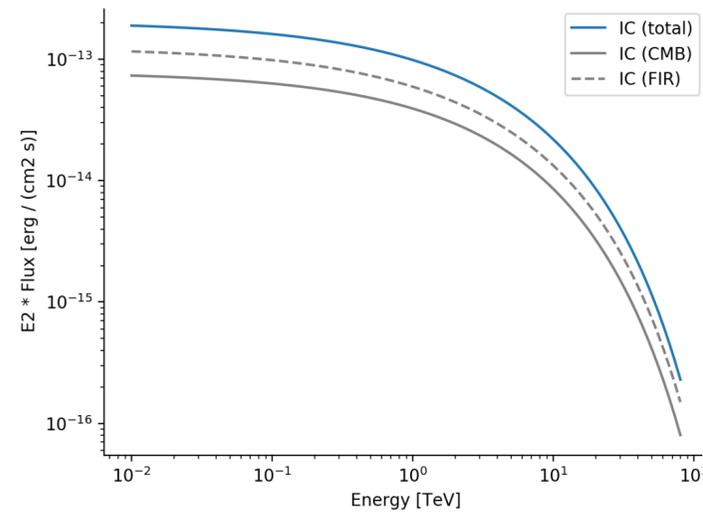
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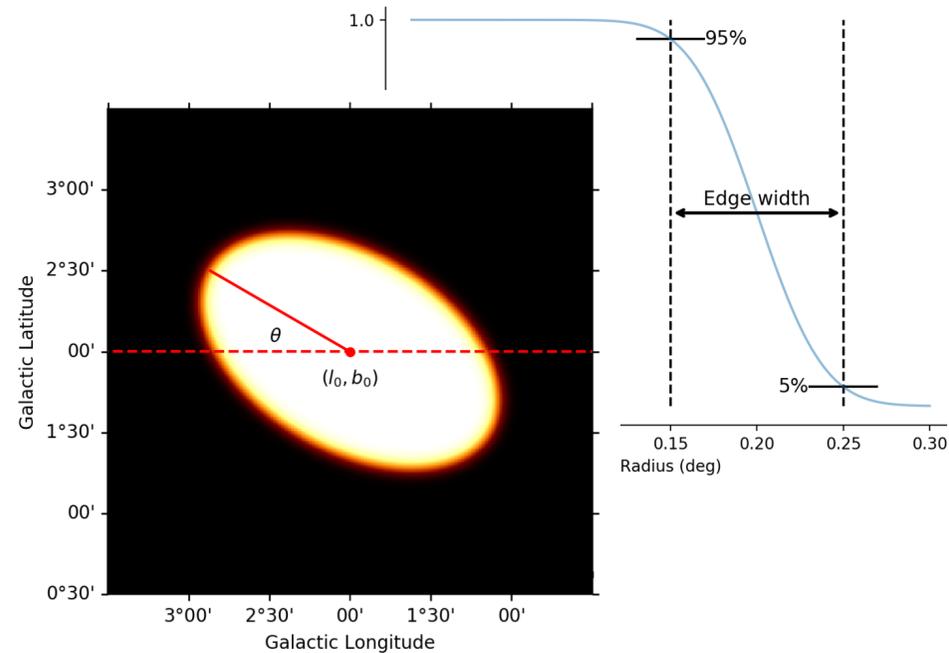
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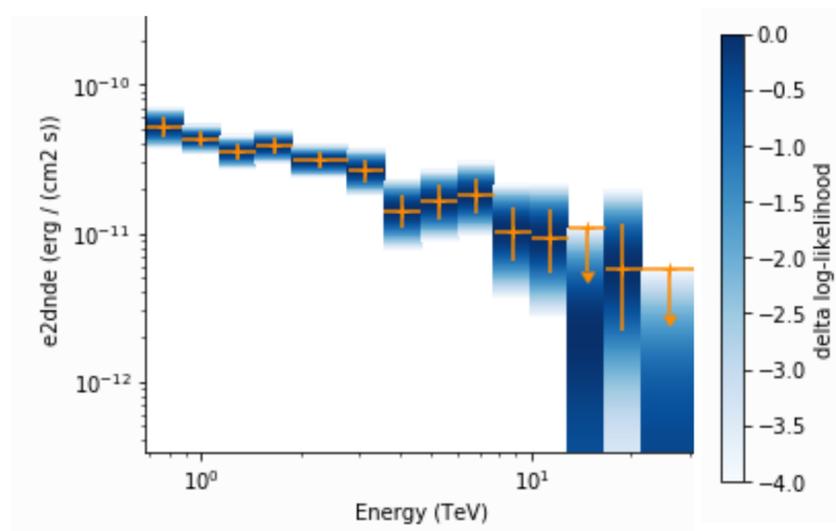
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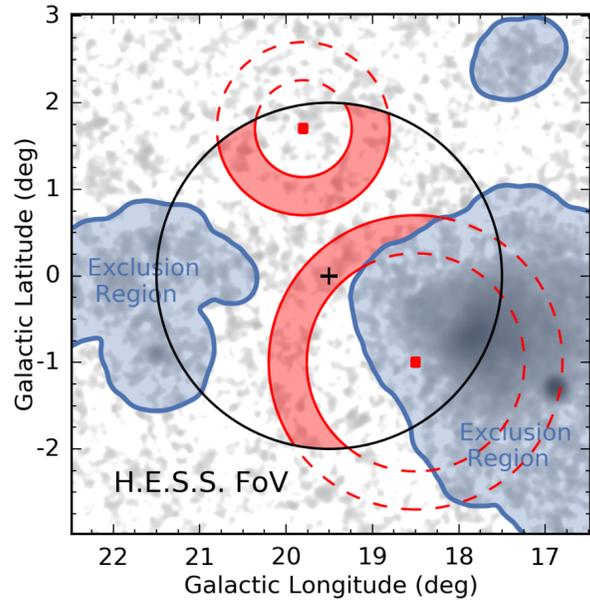
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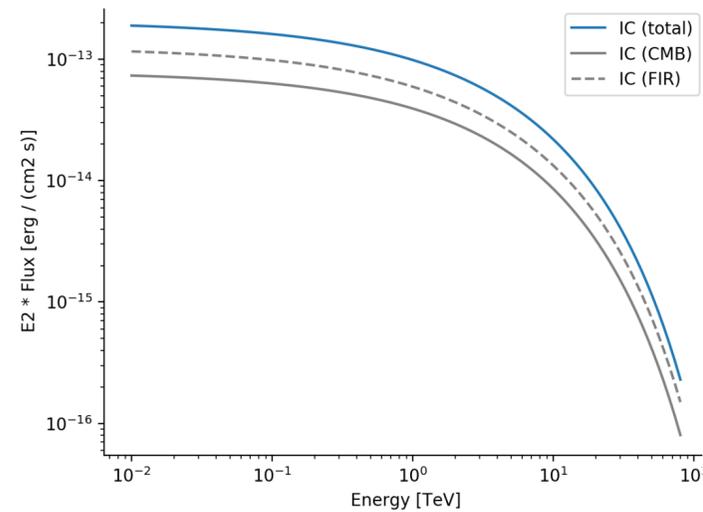
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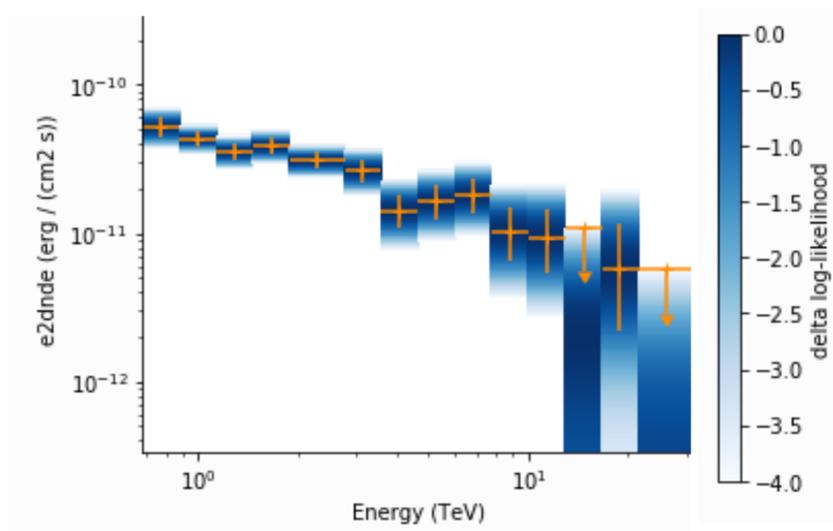
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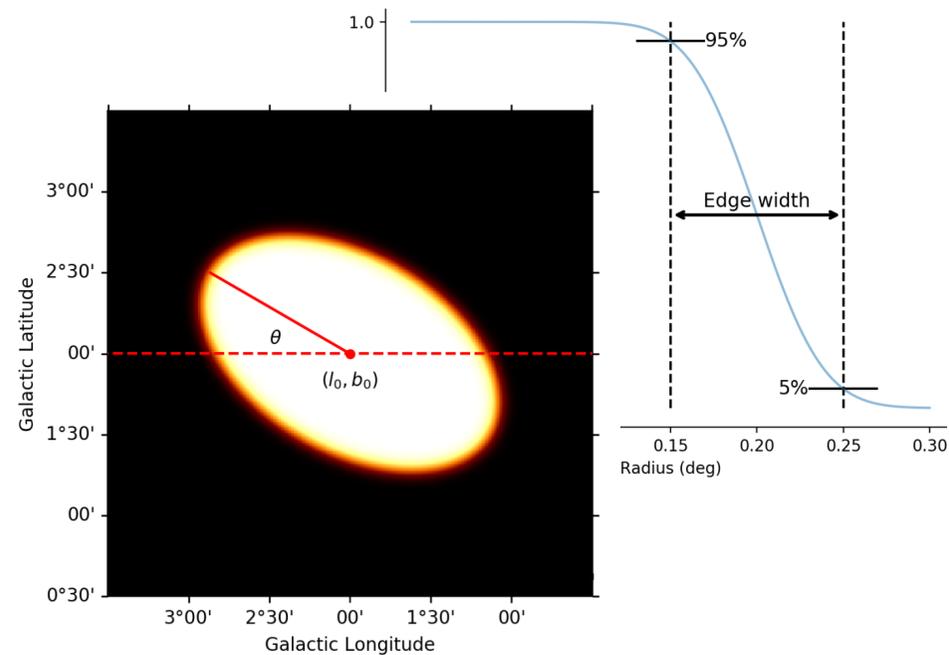
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# TOWARDS GAMMAPY V1.0

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# GAMMAPY ROADMAP 2019

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- Created: September 28, 2018
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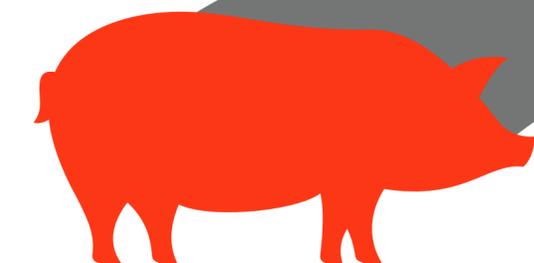
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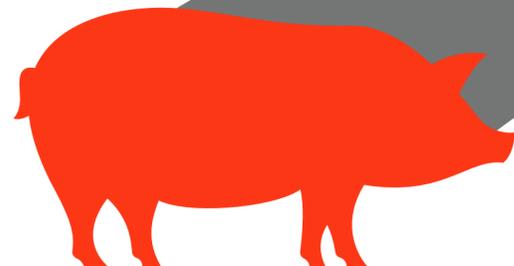
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## PIG 8 - Datasets

- Author: Axel Donath (editor), Christoph Deil, Regis Terrier & Atreyee Sinha
- Created: Jan 4th, 2018
- Accepted:
- Status: *95% implemented!*
- Discussion:

### Introduction

An essential feature of Gammapy for modeling gamma-ray data will be the possibility of joint-likelihood analyses. This includes the joint-likelihood fitting of a model across multiple observations, joint-likelihood fitting of IACT and Fermi-LAT data, combined analysis of gamma-ray data with flux points or a combined spectral and cube analysis. Joint-likelihood also allows for combining different event types in a single analysis and timing analyses. For this reason we propose to introduce the abstraction layer of Dataset in Gammapy. A dataset bundles the reduced data with a parameteric model and fit statistics function. It evaluates the model and log-likelihood and passes it on to the fit object. Datasets can be combined by adding their log-likelihood values and concatenating their model parameters.

### Proposal

We propose to introduce the following classes to implement the dataset handling in Gammapy:

#### MapDataset

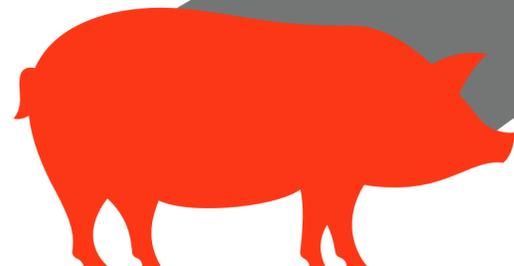
To enable the standard combined spectral and spatial analysis we propose to introduce a MapDataset class. A MapDataset bundles the counts data, source model, IRFs, background model, corresponding to a given event selection.

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## PIG 9 - Event simulator

- Author: Fabio Pintore, Andrea Giuliani, Axel Donath
- Created: May 03, 2019
- Accepted:
- Status:
- Discussion:

*Prototype exists, implementation for v0.13 / v0.14*

*Getting ready for DC2...*

### Introduction

An event simulator of gamma events is of high importance in exploiting the potentiality of the future Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA). It will allow us to simulate sources with different spectral and morphological properties and e.g. investigating the best configurations for each type of objects and the expected performance of CTA on this data. An event simulator is also listed as a requirement for the future CTA Science Tools. For this reason, we propose to implement a framework for event simulation in Gammapy. Based on finely binned input maps, containing the predicted number of counts for a given source with a defined morphological and spectral model, it samples events using the inverse cumulative distribution (Inverse CDF). In addition a light curve model can be taken into account. Then the proposed simulator will be able to apply the PSF and energy dispersion to each sampled event. Furthermore, the sampler will include the simulation of background events, again based on finely binned maps. The final output of the simulator is a stacked event list with source and background events for a given observation.

A working prototype of the event sample can be found at this URL: <https://github.com/fabiopintore/notebooks-public/blob/master/gammapy-event-sampling/prototype.ipynb>

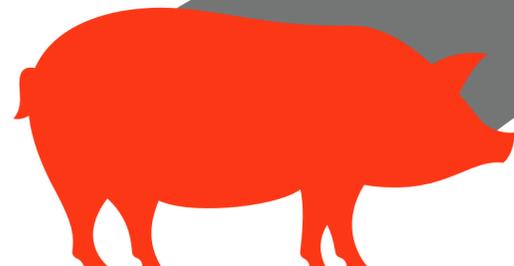
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## PIG 10 - Regions

- Author: Christoph Deil, Axel Donath, Régis Terrier
- Created: May 3, 2019
- Status: draft
- Discussion: [GH 2129](#)

*Harmonise API for v1.0...*

### Abstract

I propose to use [astropy-regions](#) to handle spatial sky and pixel regions throughout Gammapy. We already use [astropy-regions](#), so why a PIG? There are a few decisions we need to make where to use sky and where to use pixel regions and where to support both. This affects the algorithms used (e.g. for reflected region background estimation) and the API (where a WCS or exclusion map is needed in functions and methods working with regions). Also [astropy-regions](#) was started after Gammapy - so we have some code to work with sky cones and boxes that should partially be removed, partially refactored to use [astropy-regions](#). This PR lists the work to be done to get region-related code in shape for Gammapy.

The scope of this PIG is small and limited to spatial sky and pixel regions. The question of more general data subspace selections that include energy, time or phase regions and selections, or general n-dimensional regions, or whether to introduce a field of view (FOV) coordinate frame and special FOV regions is not addressed here.

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Pixel and sky regions. See section below: [Regions](#)

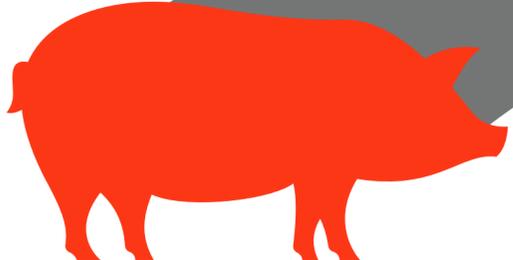
Spatial regions are used a lot in gamma-ray astronomy (and other domains of astronomy as well). Often a users

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## Further topics on the roadmap:

- Develop command-line interface
- Harmonise and stabilise API
- Add support for IRFs per model component
- Improve GTI handling
- Add support for event types/classes
- Improve documentation
- Set up science verification CI system
- Support for distributed computing

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- Gammapy is a Python package for gamma-ray astronomy, built on Numpy, Scipy and Astropy as core dependencies and uses open, FITS based data formats.
- It has grown in both features and contributors significantly over the past ~5 years.
- Development and CI setup are in a very good shape.
- Recently a lot of effort put into improving code quality and harmonising the concepts / API.
- Next releases: v0.13 in July and v0.14 in September with focus on API, data reduction and event sampling
- Science verification on H.E.S.S. DL3 data is in progress, paper expected soon.
- Gammapy v1.0 release and paper are planned for late 2019.

# THANKS FOR LISTENING!

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from gammapy import song; song(karaoke=True)
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