



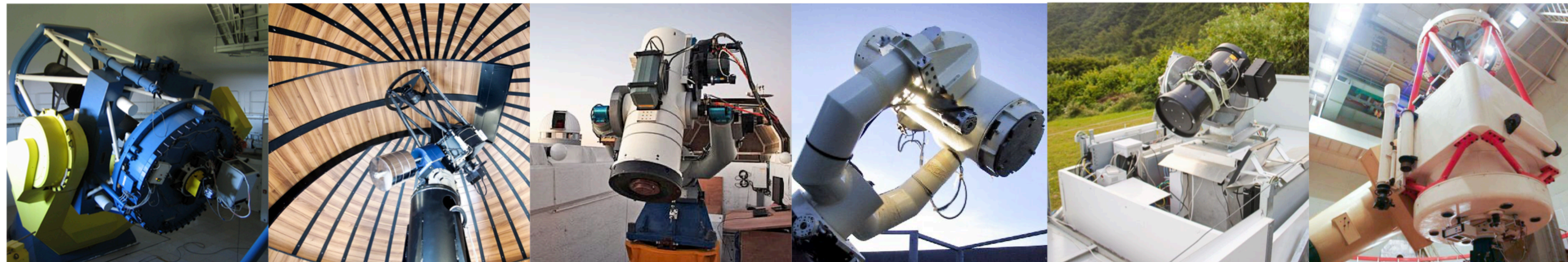
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# Multi-messenger follow-up of Galactic CCSNe

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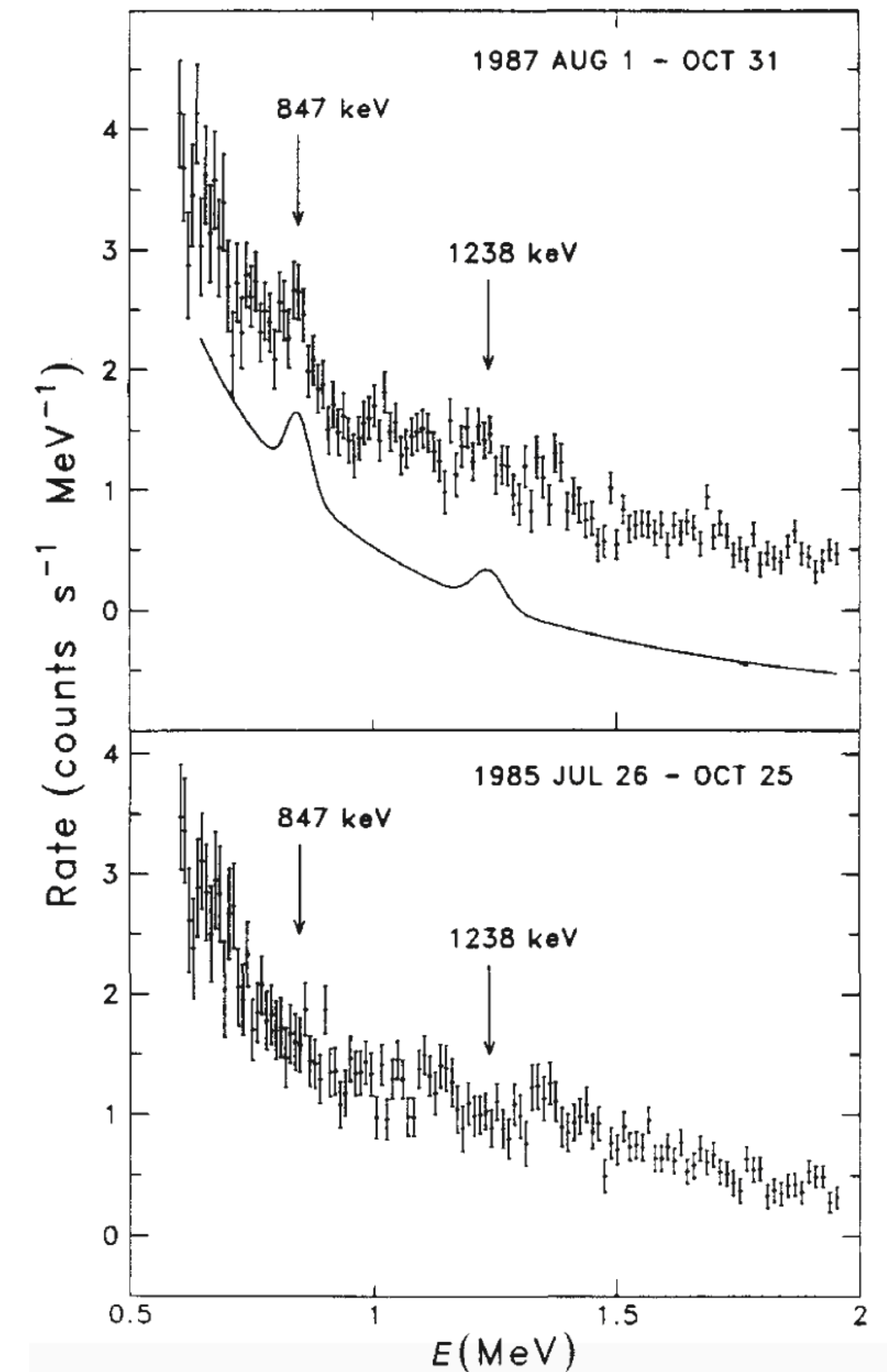




# Galactic CCSN: probe of the explosion mechanism

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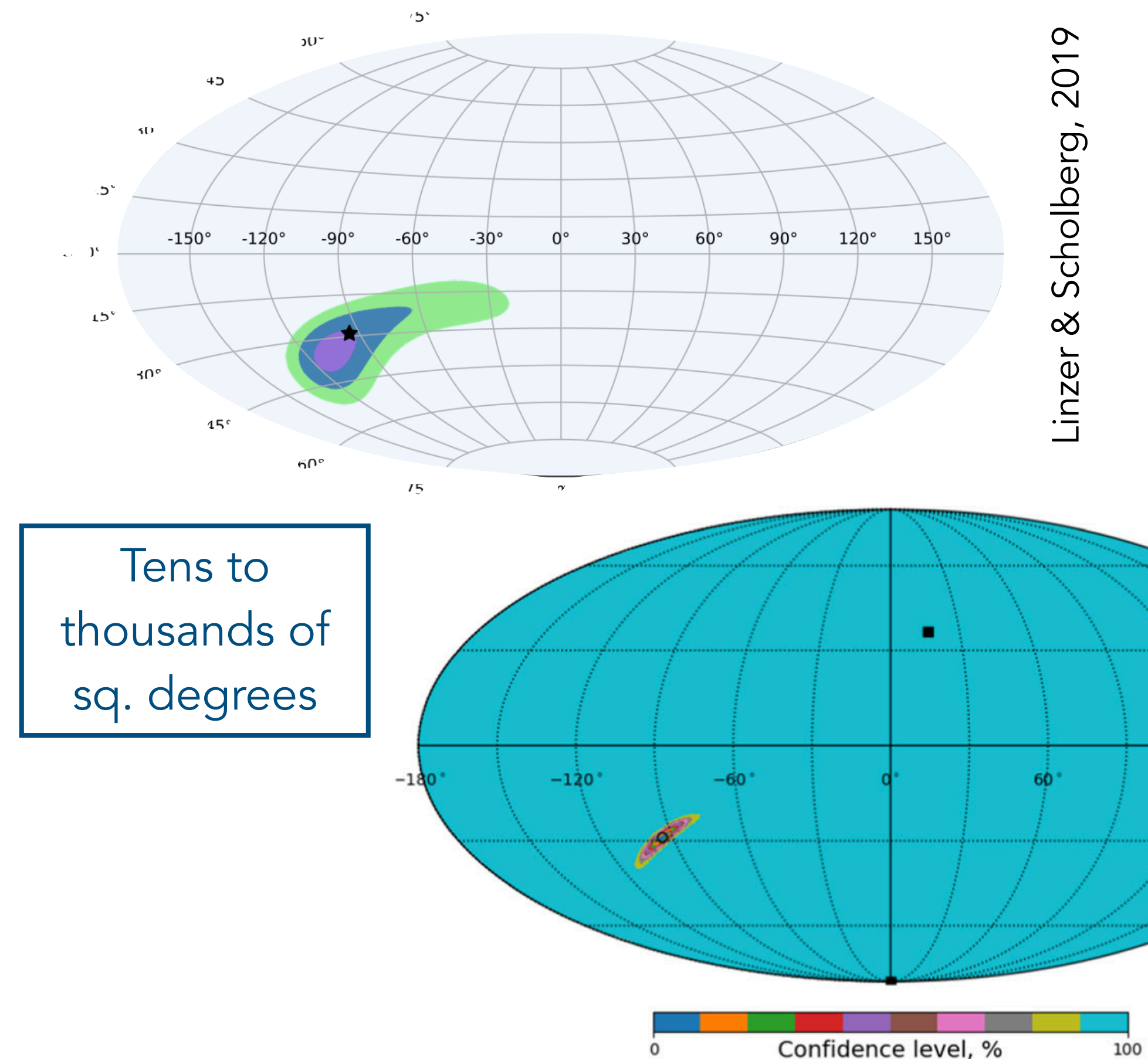
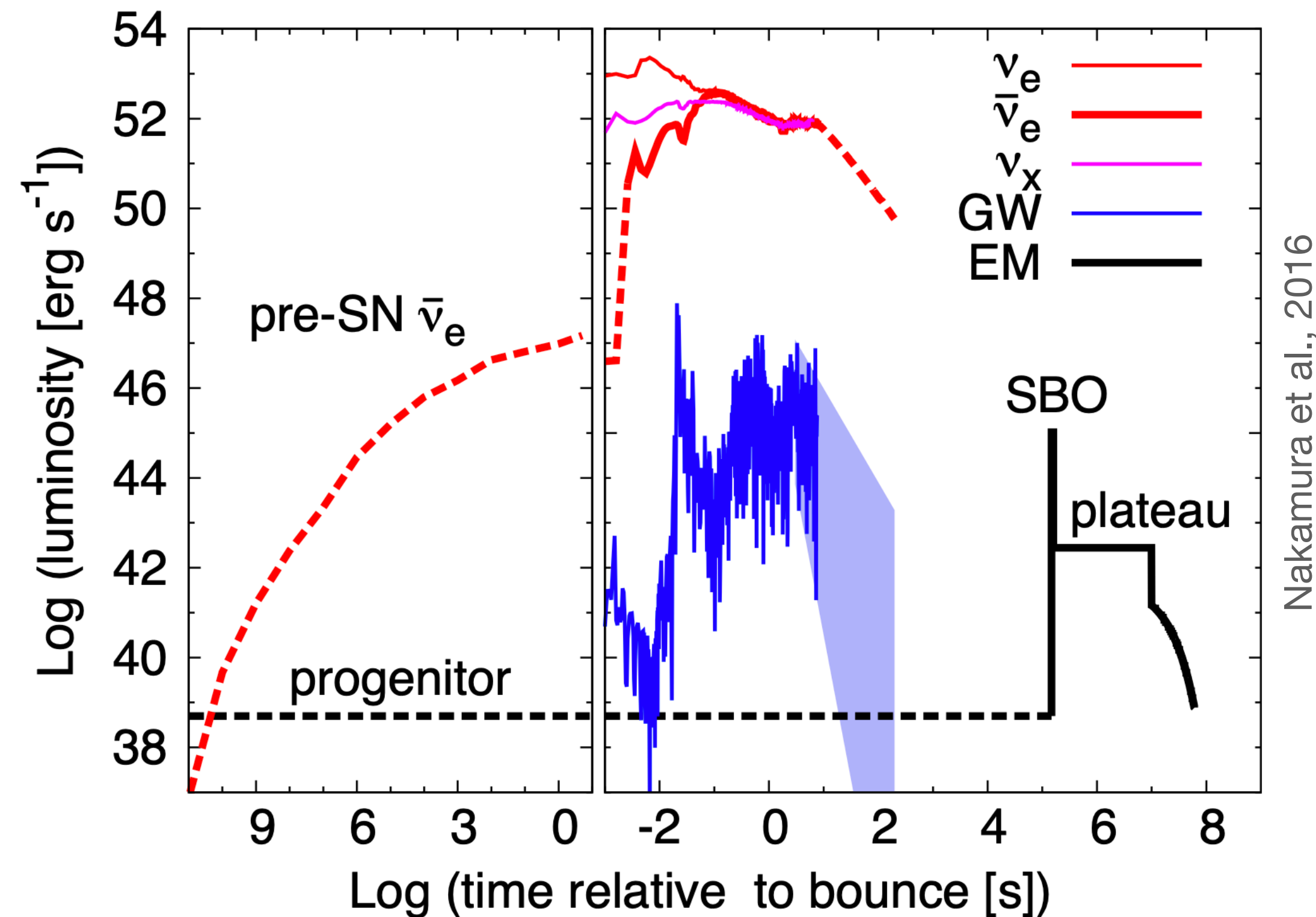
- **Extragalactic CCSNe** regularly observed but very indirect probes of the CCSN mechanism
- **Close-by CCSN:** Multi-messenger signal might be detected
- **SN1987A:** neutrinos and gamma-rays
- **Fast multi-messenger monitoring  $\Rightarrow$  crucial studies including:**
  - Shock breakout
  - Nature of the progenitor
  - Physics of the CCSN explosion
  - ...



Matz et al., 1888

# Neutrino detection is crucial

- **Neutrinos are crucial** to answer **WHERE** and **WHEN** to look
- **Delay between neutrinos and EM emission**  $\Rightarrow$  organize coordinated EM follow-up
- Scientific opportunities may be lost without world-wide multi-messenger coordination

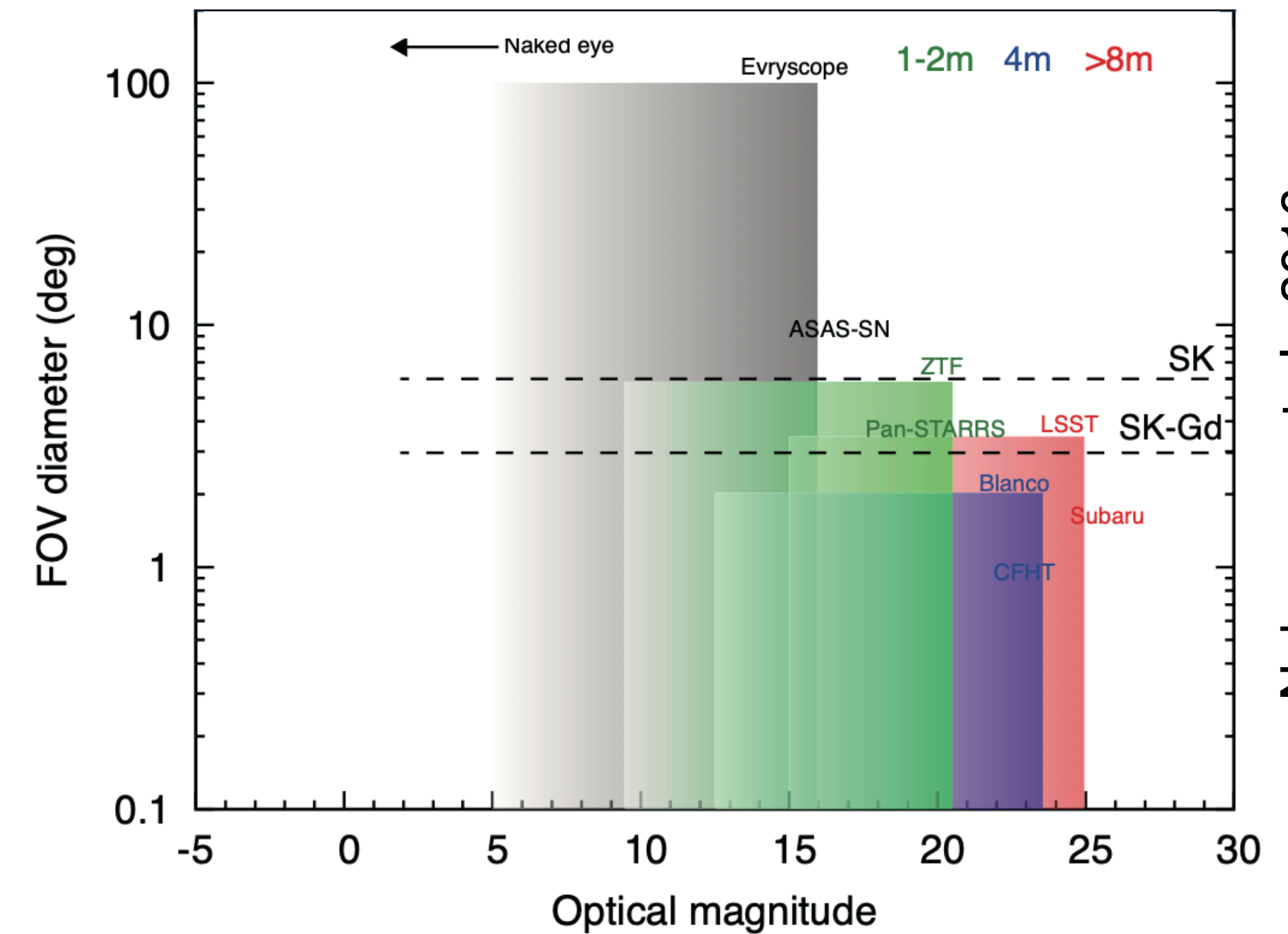
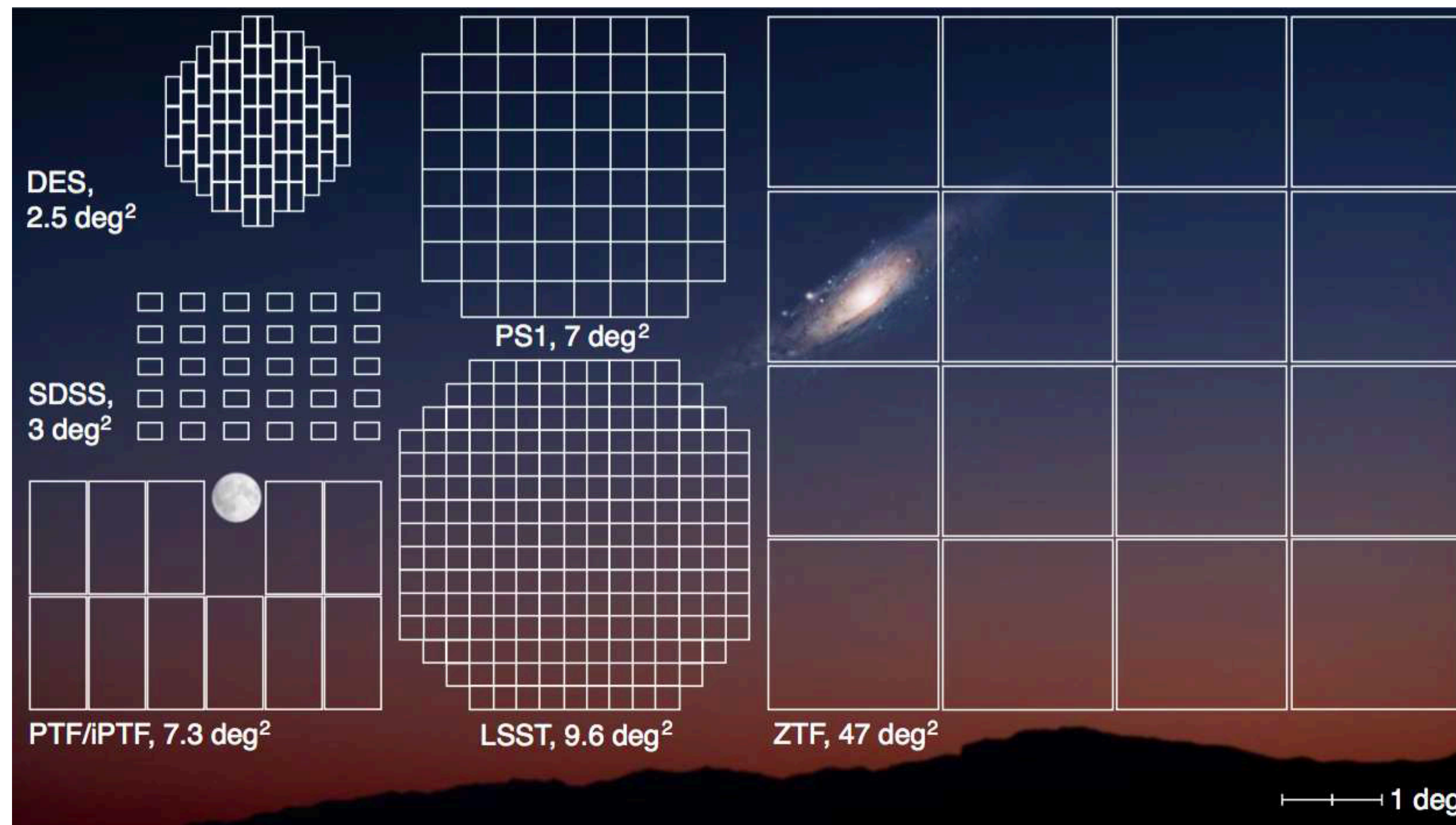




# Electromagnetic observing strategies

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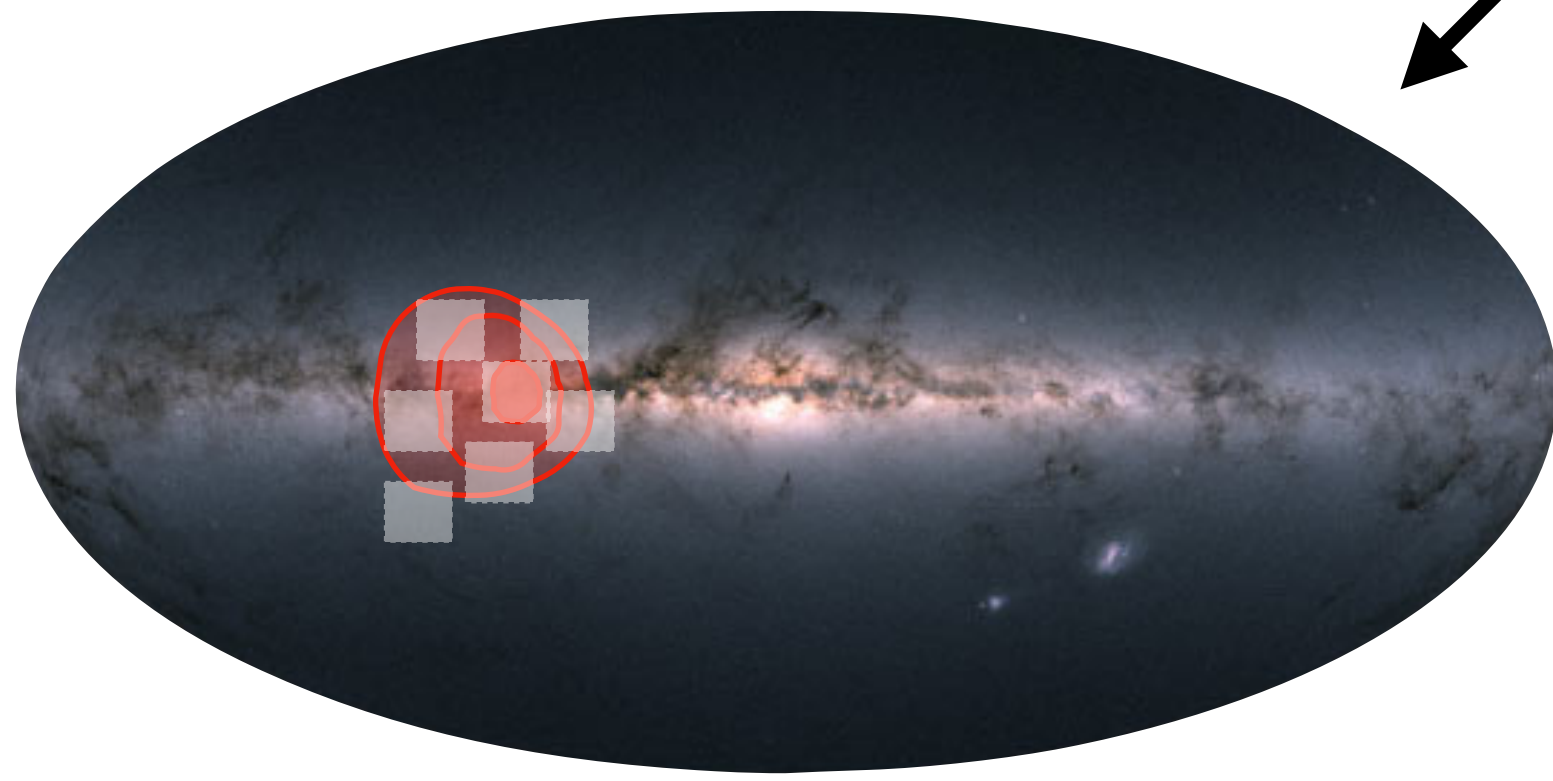




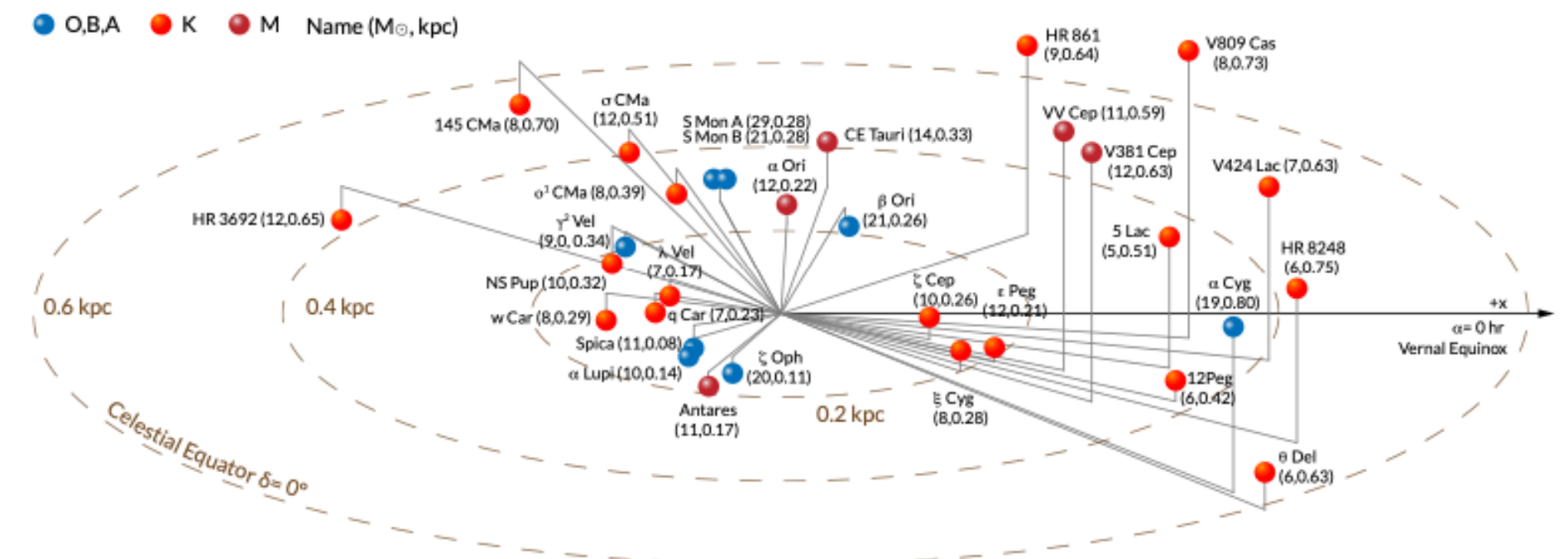
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**Tiling of the location  
error box with optimized prioritization**



**Catalogue targeting  
(supports target selection)**

- Smaller FoV telescopes might ensure longer timescale monitoring
- Requires good coordination and telescope networks



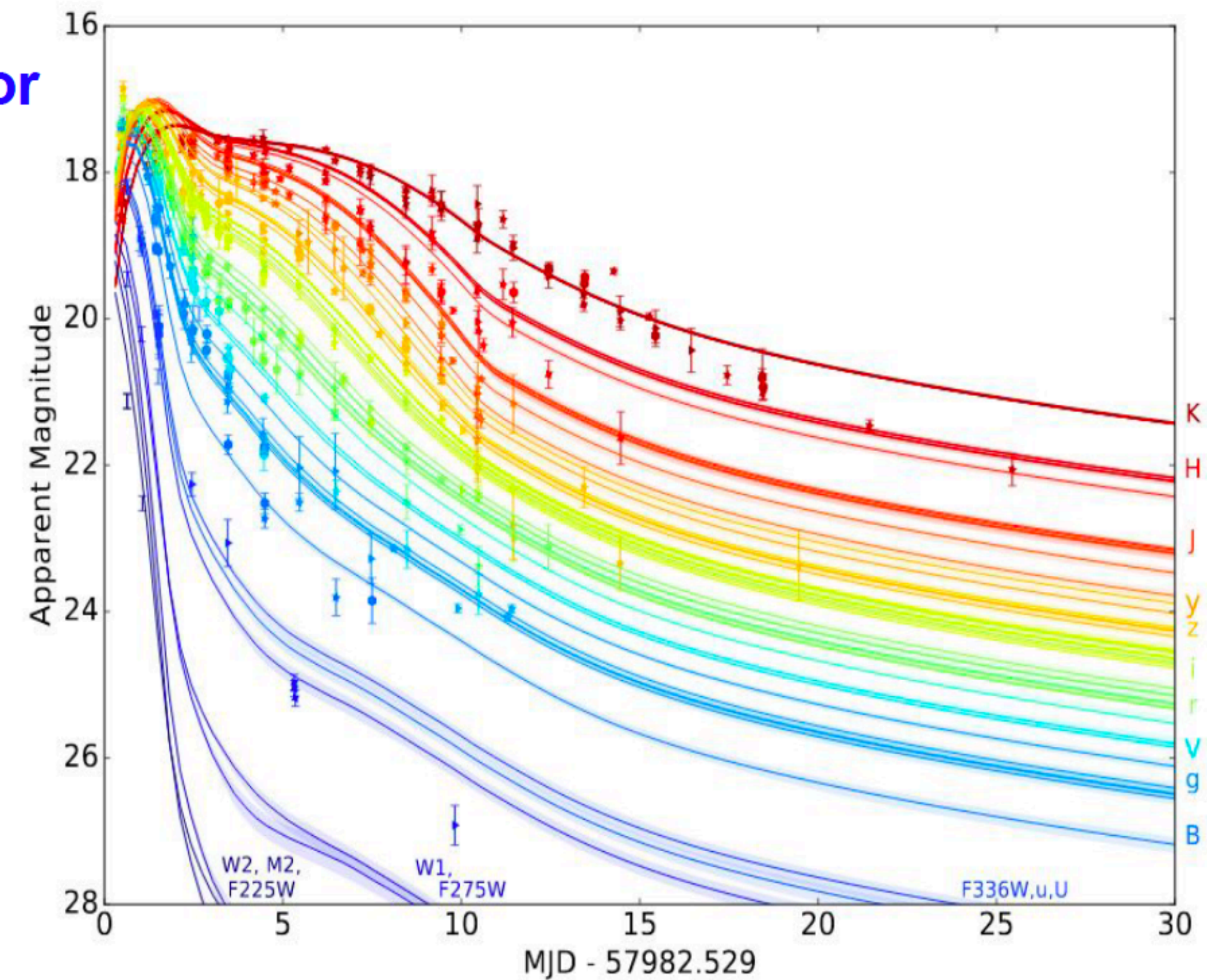
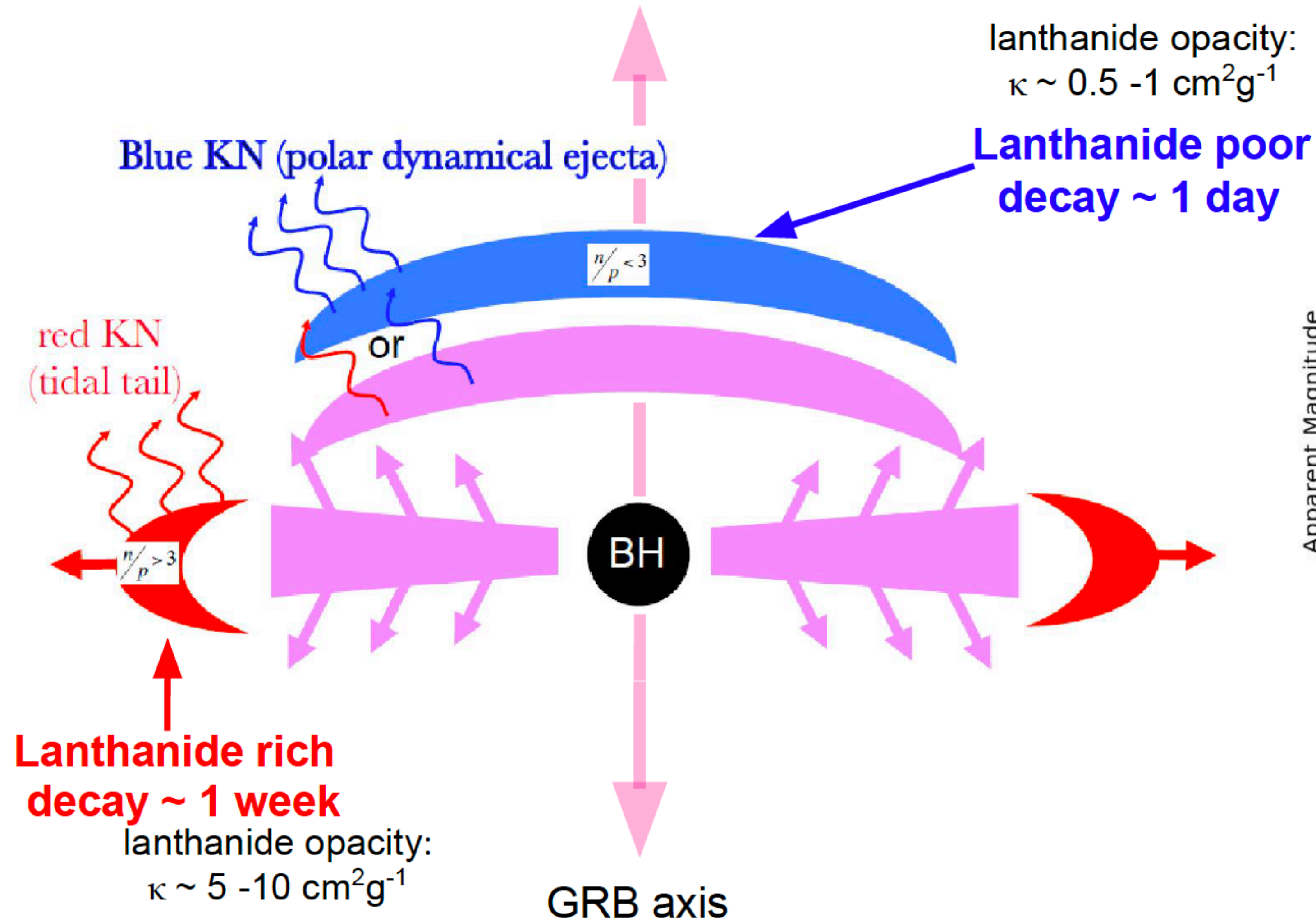
# GRANDMA Network



- **GRANDMA: network** of telescopes built in 2018 for multi-messenger & transient astronomy
- 18 countries - 23 observatories - **35 telescopes (optical + NIR)**
- Wide-fields down to **20 mag**
- EM candidates **~23 mag** in photometry and 22 mag in spectroscopy
- **Citizen science program** involving >100 amateur astronomers



# Kilonova observation



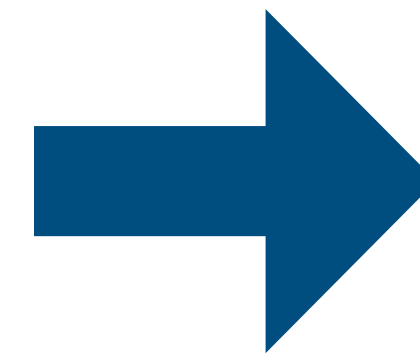
Lightcurves AT2017gfo - GW170817 kilonova  
Villar et al., 2017, APJL



# Kilonova observation

- Detecting EM emission associated to a kilonova is challenging

Kilonova Challenge	Possible solution
Short lived - Hours up to days	Quick reaction
Faint - Peak at 20.5 mag at 200 Mpc	Deep observations
Rapid Color Evolution	Multi-wavelength observations
Large localisation uncertainty	Coordination of observations



Requires a Network of **telescopes** and **people** with **different expertises** (electromagnetic, GW, neutrino emission)

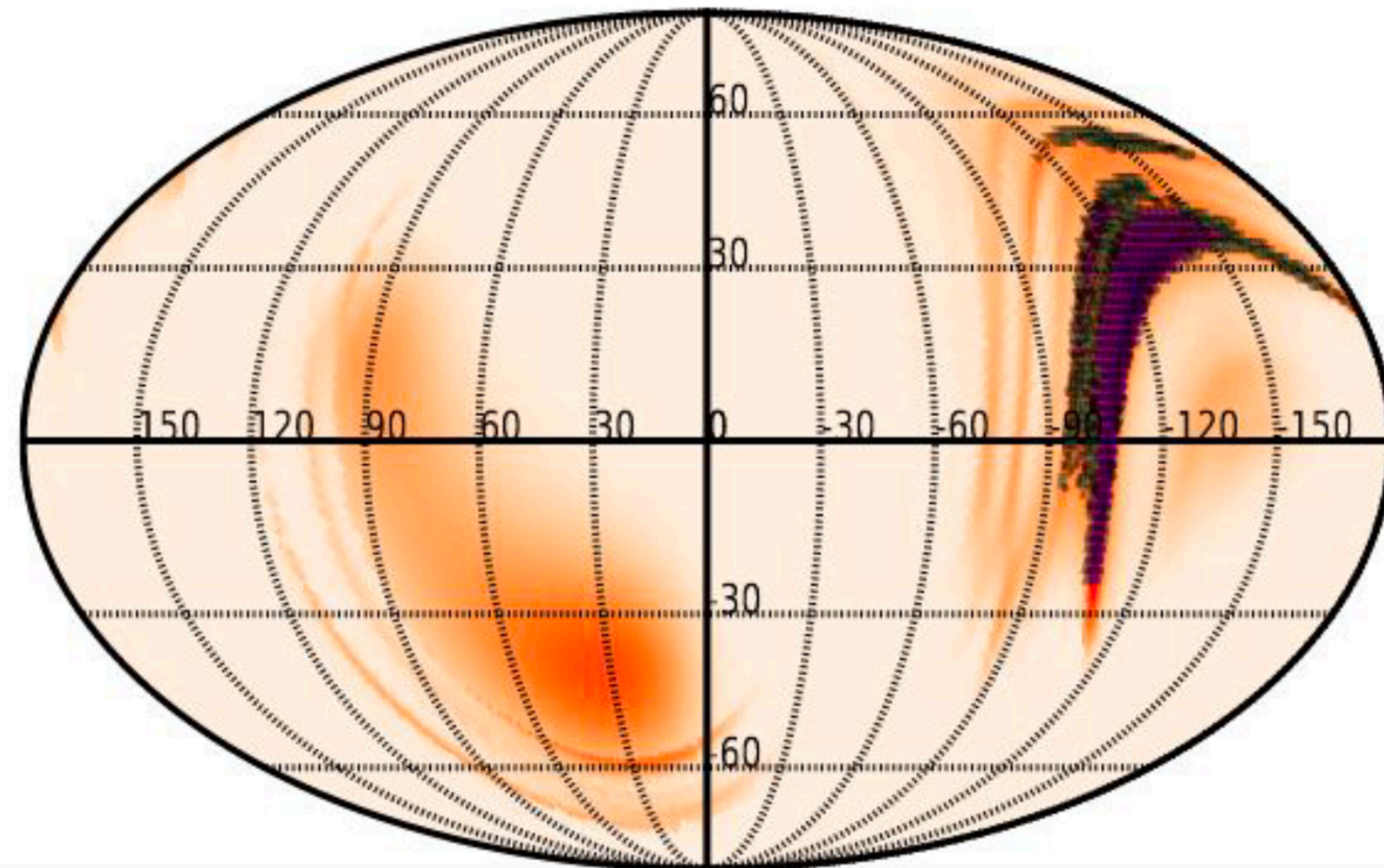


# GRANDMA observing strategies

## Tiling

Cover the sky localisation map of GW:

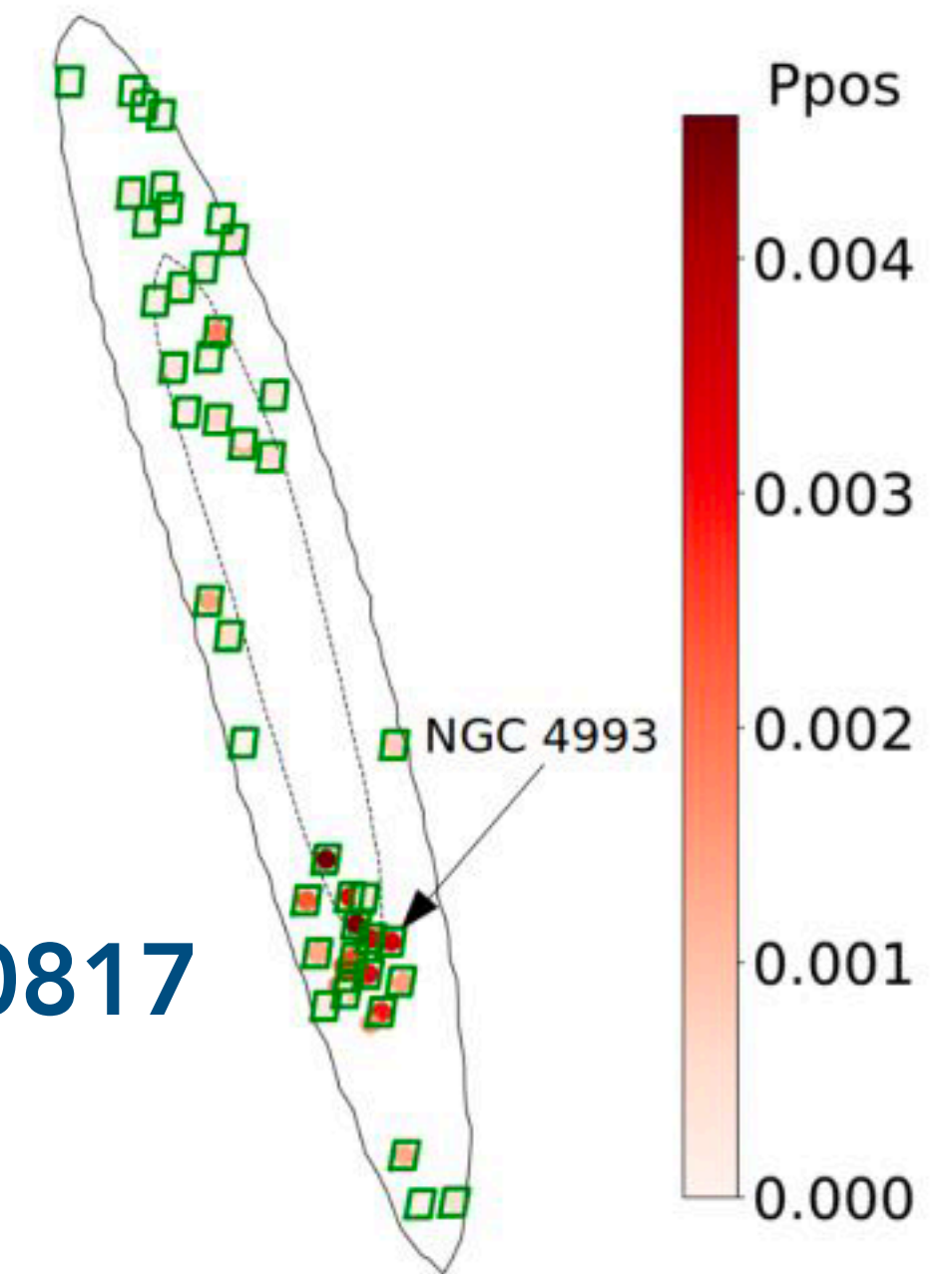
- Look for new object that are related to the GW
- **Best suited for large FoV ( $>1\text{deg}^2$ ) instruments**
- Widely used by current surveys (PAN-STARRS, ZTF, TAROT,...)



See 1909.01244 for the figure

## Galaxy targeting

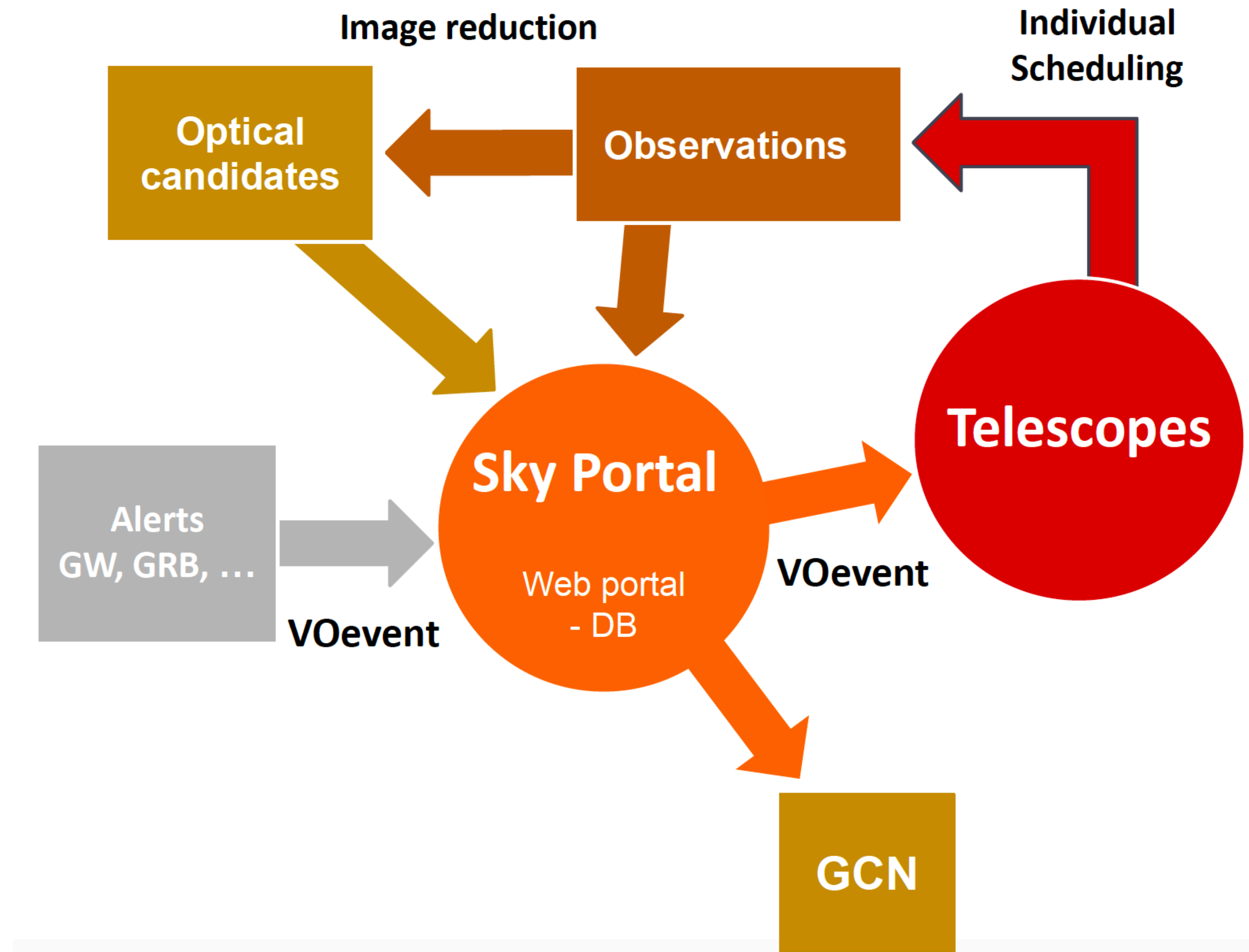
- Observe galaxies compatible with the GW error box
- Galaxies classified with
  - spatial information
  - stellar mass estimation
  - (distance)
- MANGROVE catalog
- **Best suited for small FoV instruments**
- **Technique used for GW170817 detection**



GW170817 localisation and compatible galaxies (1911.05432 and 1909.01244)

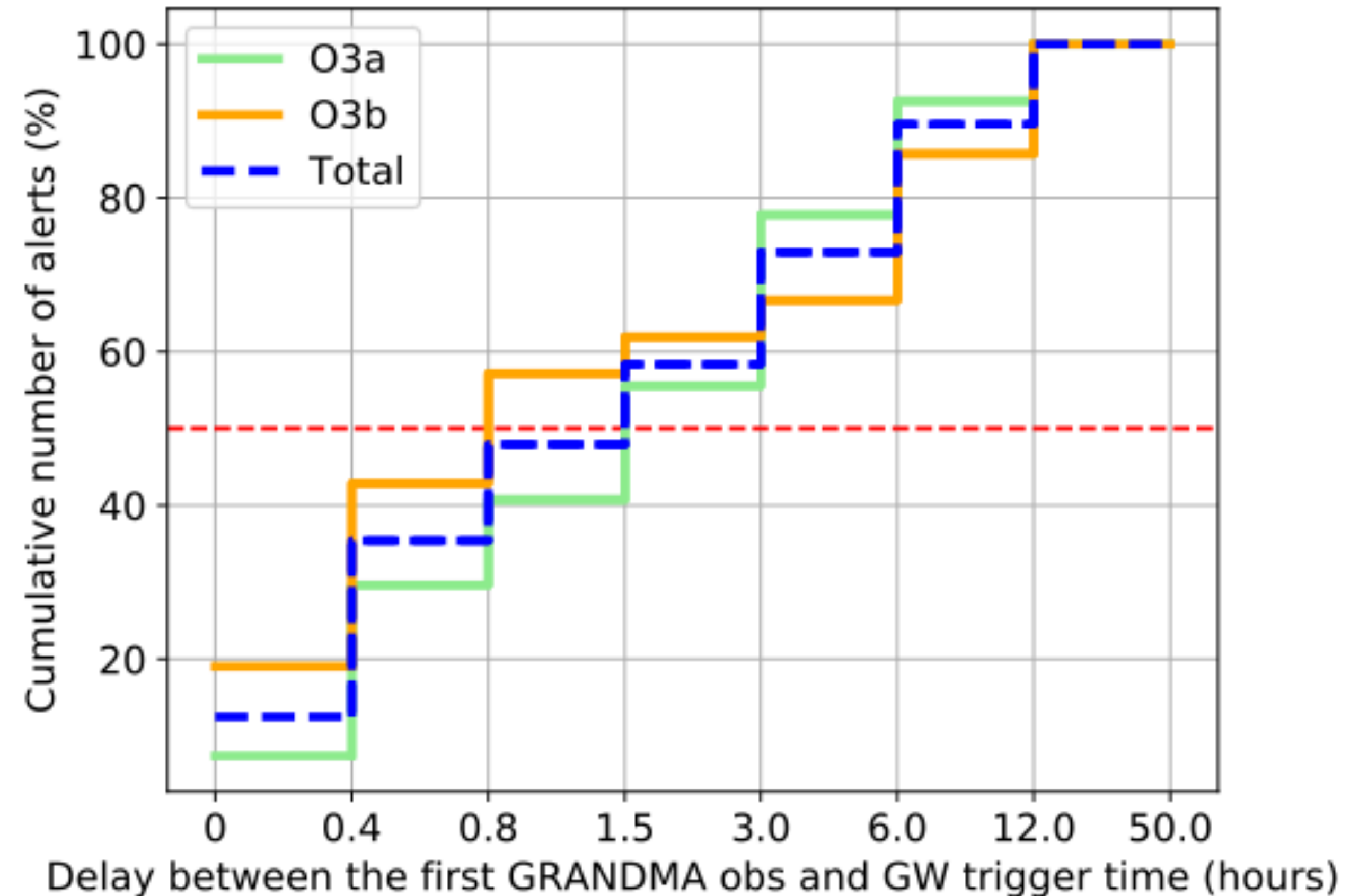
# GRANDMA Orchestration

- Listening to **external alerts**: GW, GRB, SNe
- GRANDMA operates with a **central database** SkyPortal
- Individual **observation plans** to GRANDMA instruments (GWEMOPT)
- 2 observation strategies : **Galaxy targeting** & **Tiling**
- Homogeneous **data reduction** (STDpipe & Muphoten) and **transient classification**
- Distribution of the **low latency analysis** via GCN circulars
- **Off-line analysis + Modelisation**
- **All our tools are public**





- 49/56 alerts were followed by GRANDMA
- 15 min for the first observation after the GW trigger
- 1.5 h delay for 50% of alerts
- ~200 deg<sup>2</sup> covered in each alert at 18 mag  
11 alerts covered above 90% confidence level
- No EM GW counterpart found but upper limits on ejecta properties



- **O3b and global summary of O3:** GRANDMA Observations of O3 Observational Campaign, MNRAS, 2020
- **O3a and presentation of the collaboration:** The first six months of O3 with GRANDMA, MNRAS, 2020

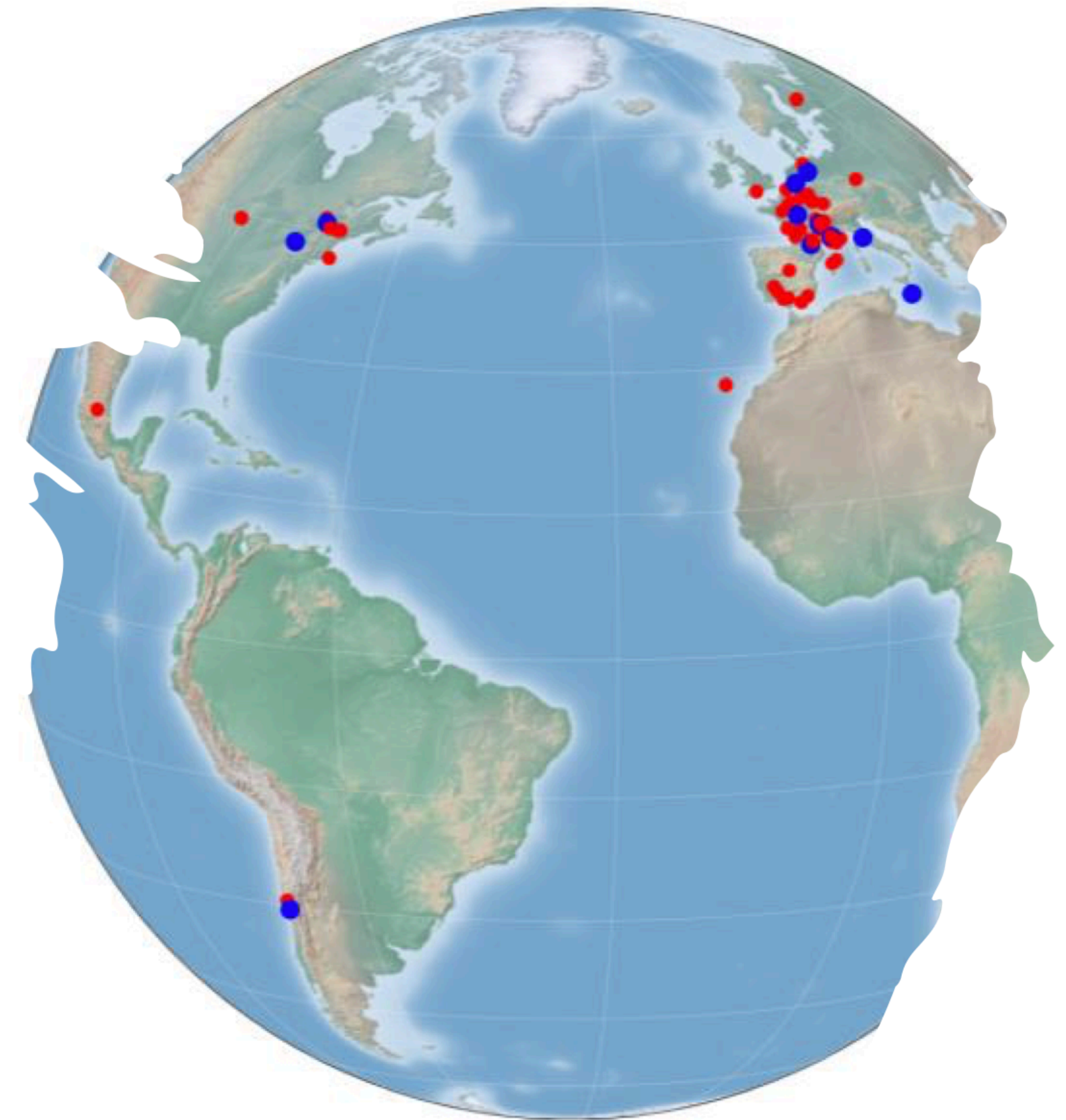


<http://kilonovacatcher.in2p3.fr>

## Connecting amateur astronomers to GRANDMA network

- Observation of transient events with poorly known location by amateur astronomers
- **More than 130 participants** with telescopes from 15-60 cm diameter
- **Example:** search for kilonovae:
  - GRANDMA provides **observing plans** optimized for the identification of the galaxy
  - Amateurs perform **observations**
  - **Automatic data analysis** to identify transients on GRANDMA database

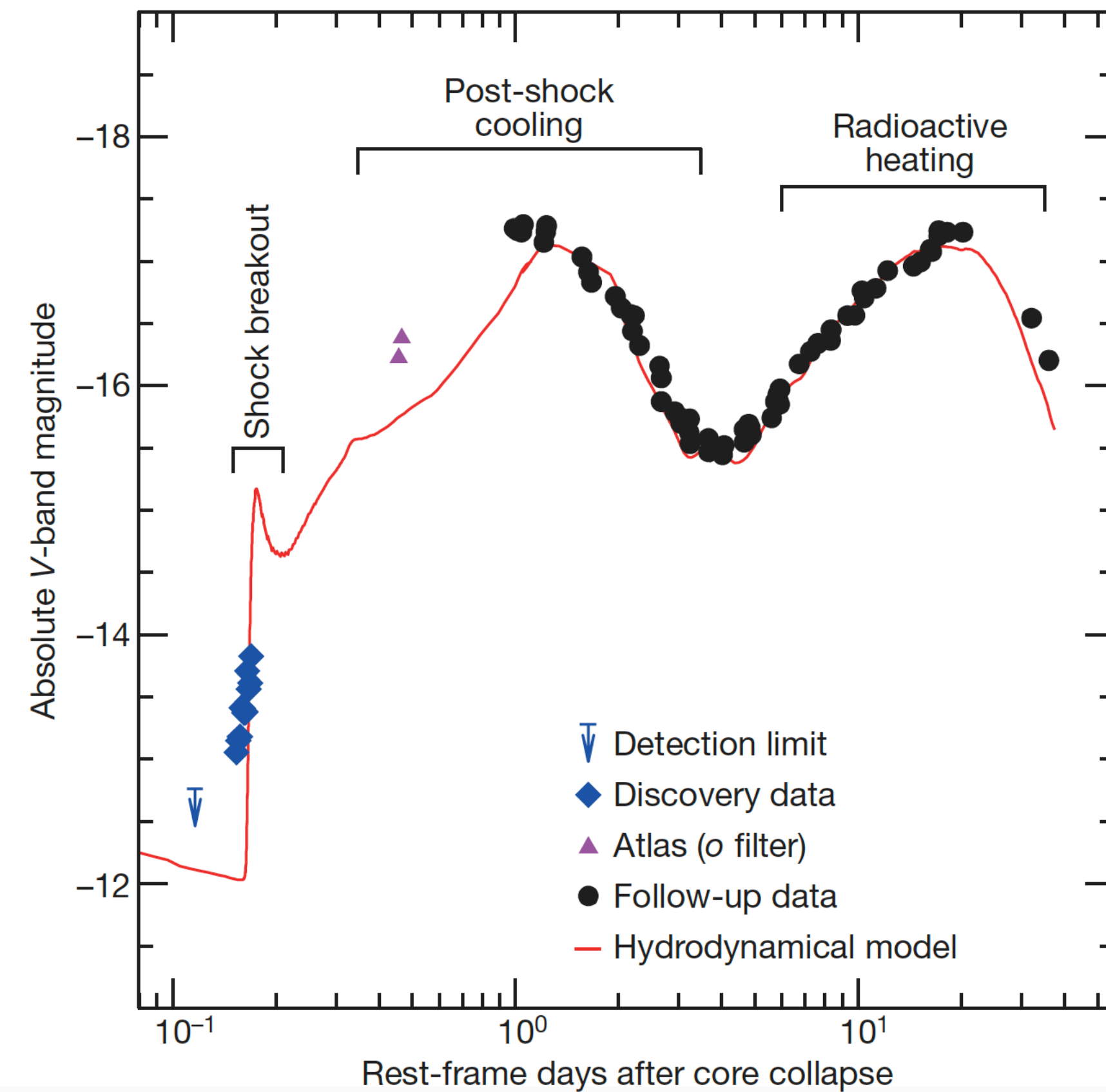
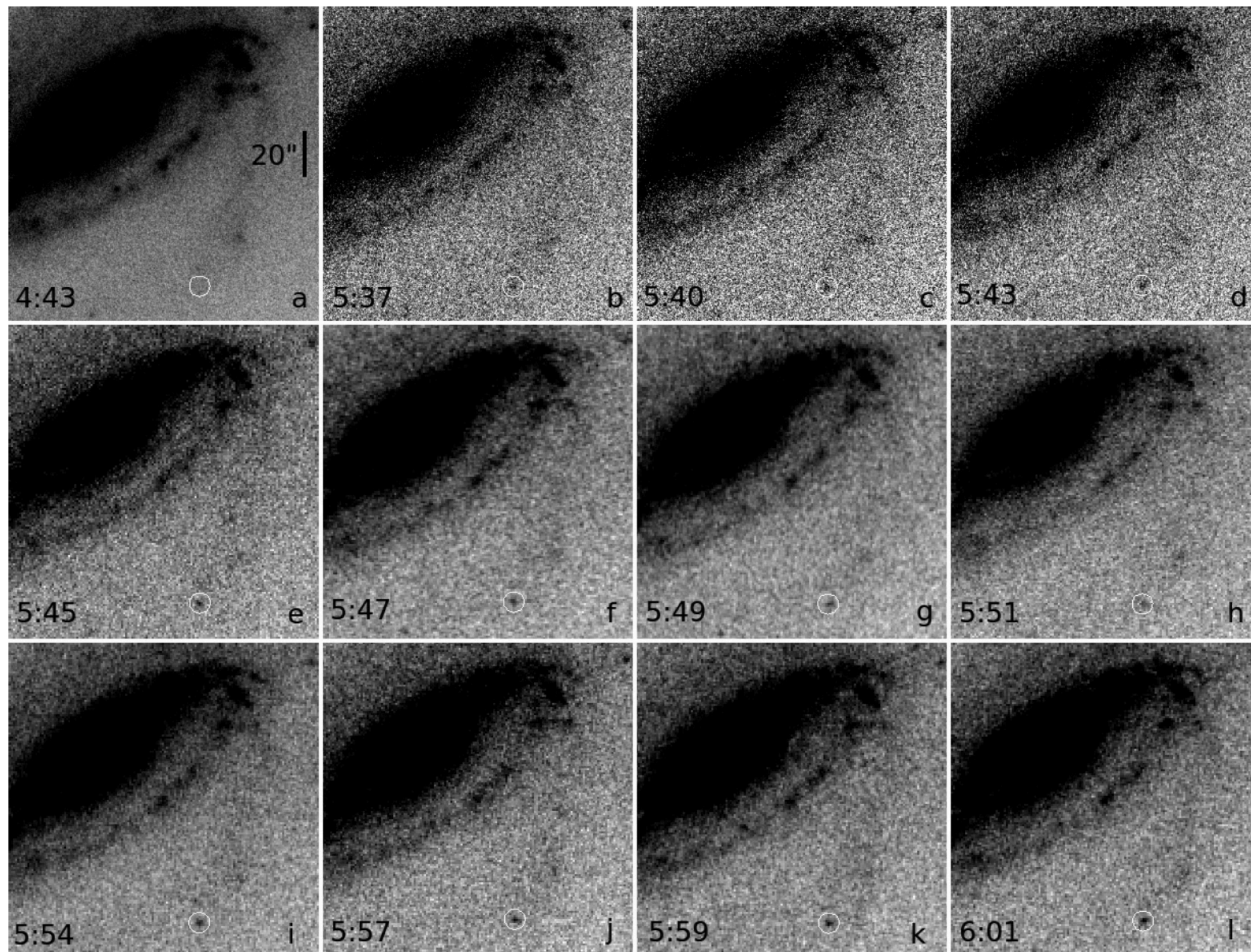
⇒ *First campaign demonstrated ability of amateur astronomers to reach required sensitivity to detect kilonova at  $\leq 150$  Mpc.*





# Kilonova-Catcher

- Same approach can be used for (Galactic) CCSN search.
- An example:
  - SN 2016gkg was observed serendipitously by an amateur astronomer Victor Buso in NGC 613
  - Core-collapse (type IIb CCSN) and observation of the shock breakout.

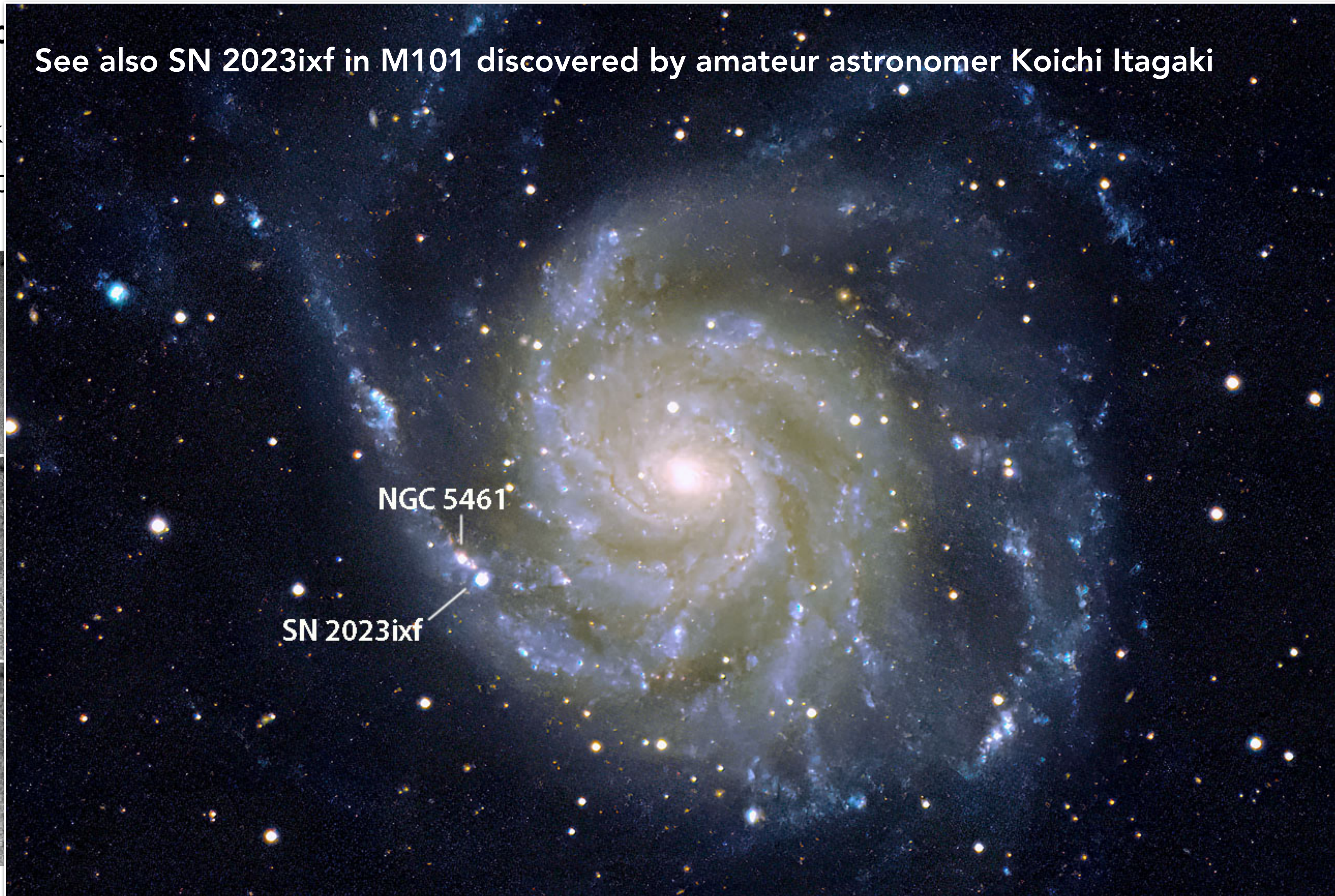
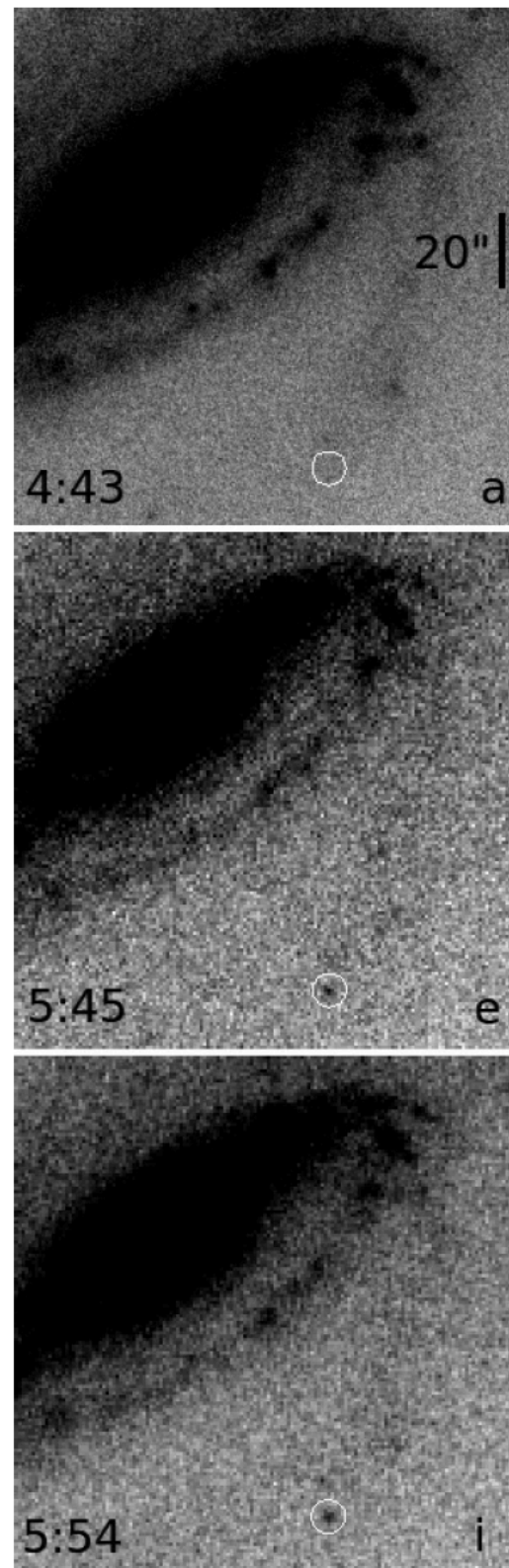


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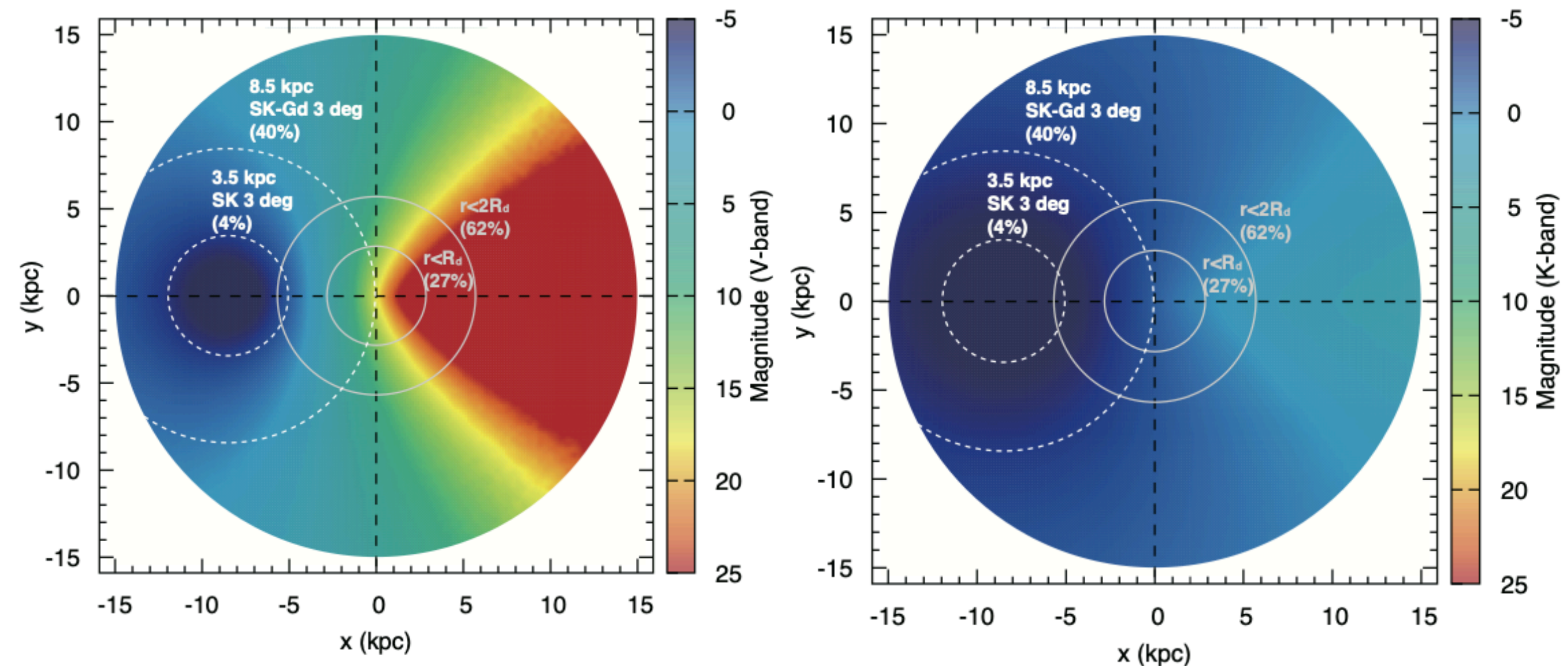


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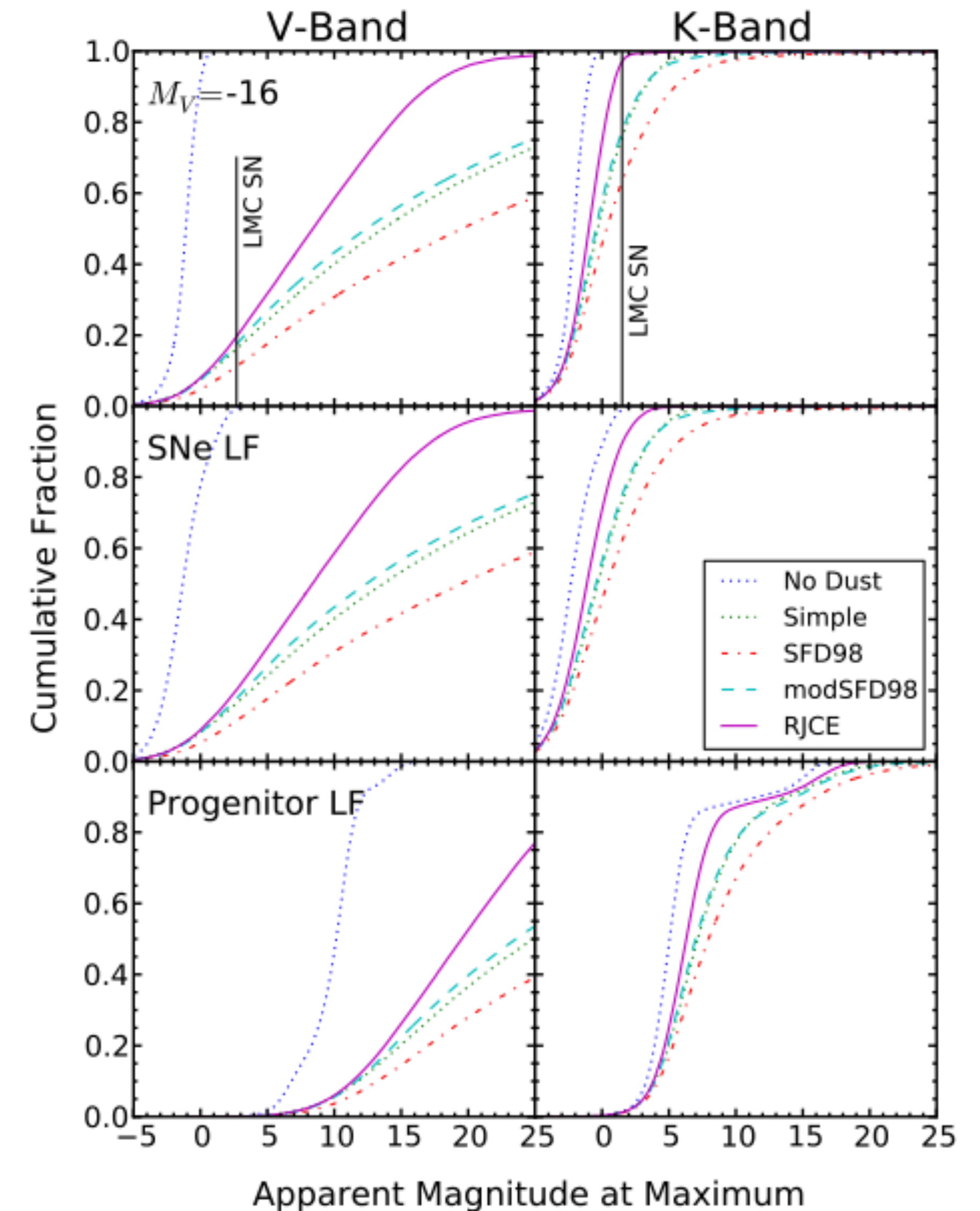


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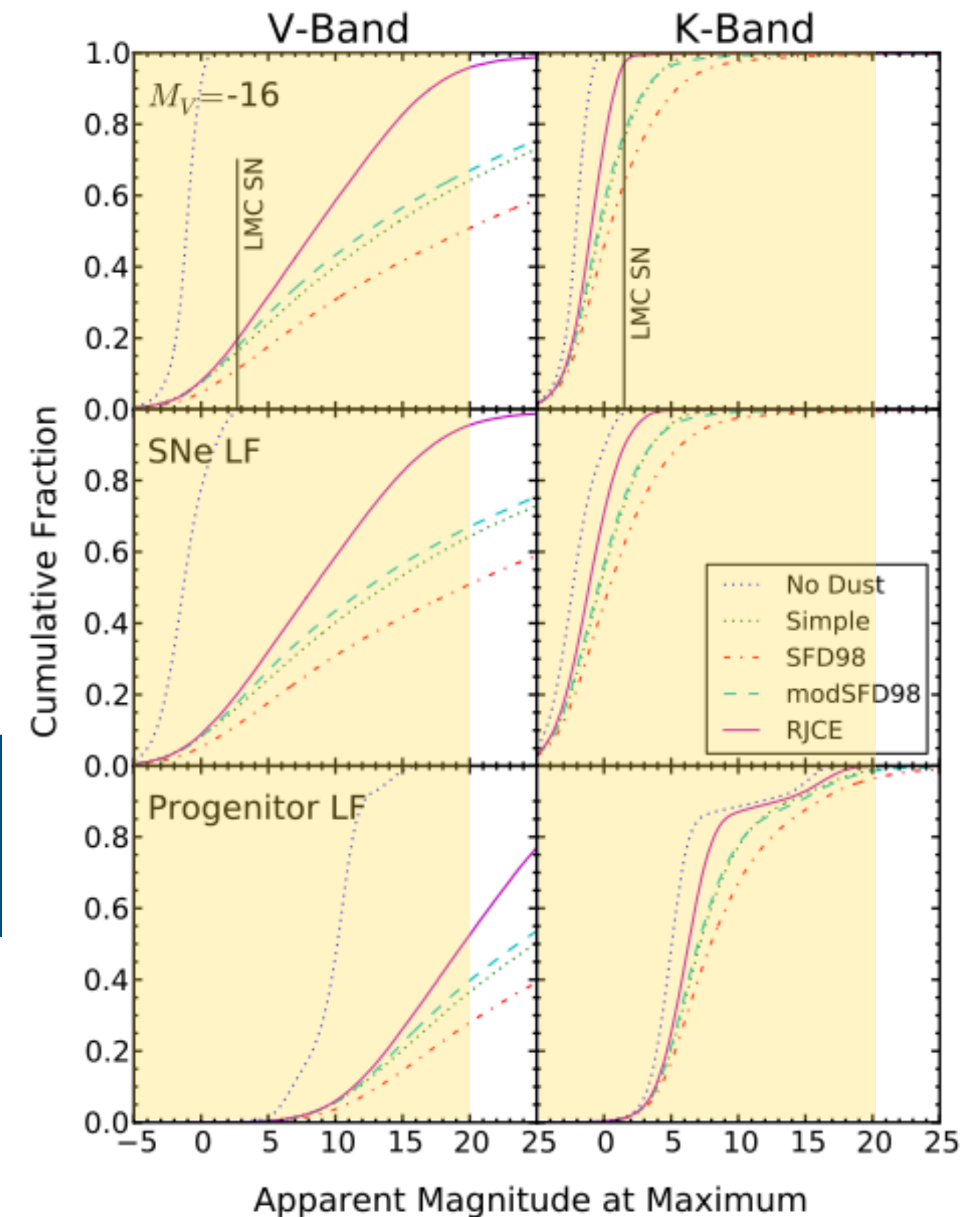




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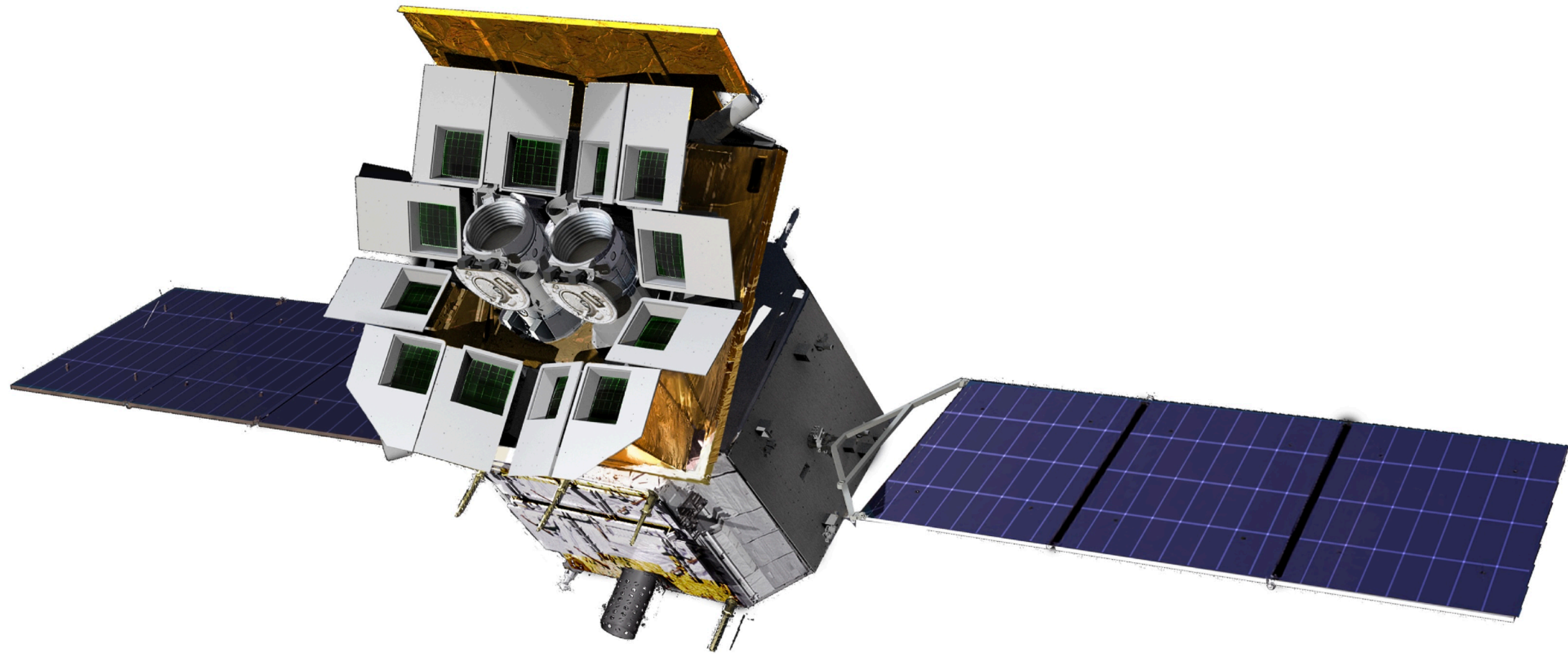
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GRANDMA should be able to detect  $\gtrsim 50\%$  of the cases



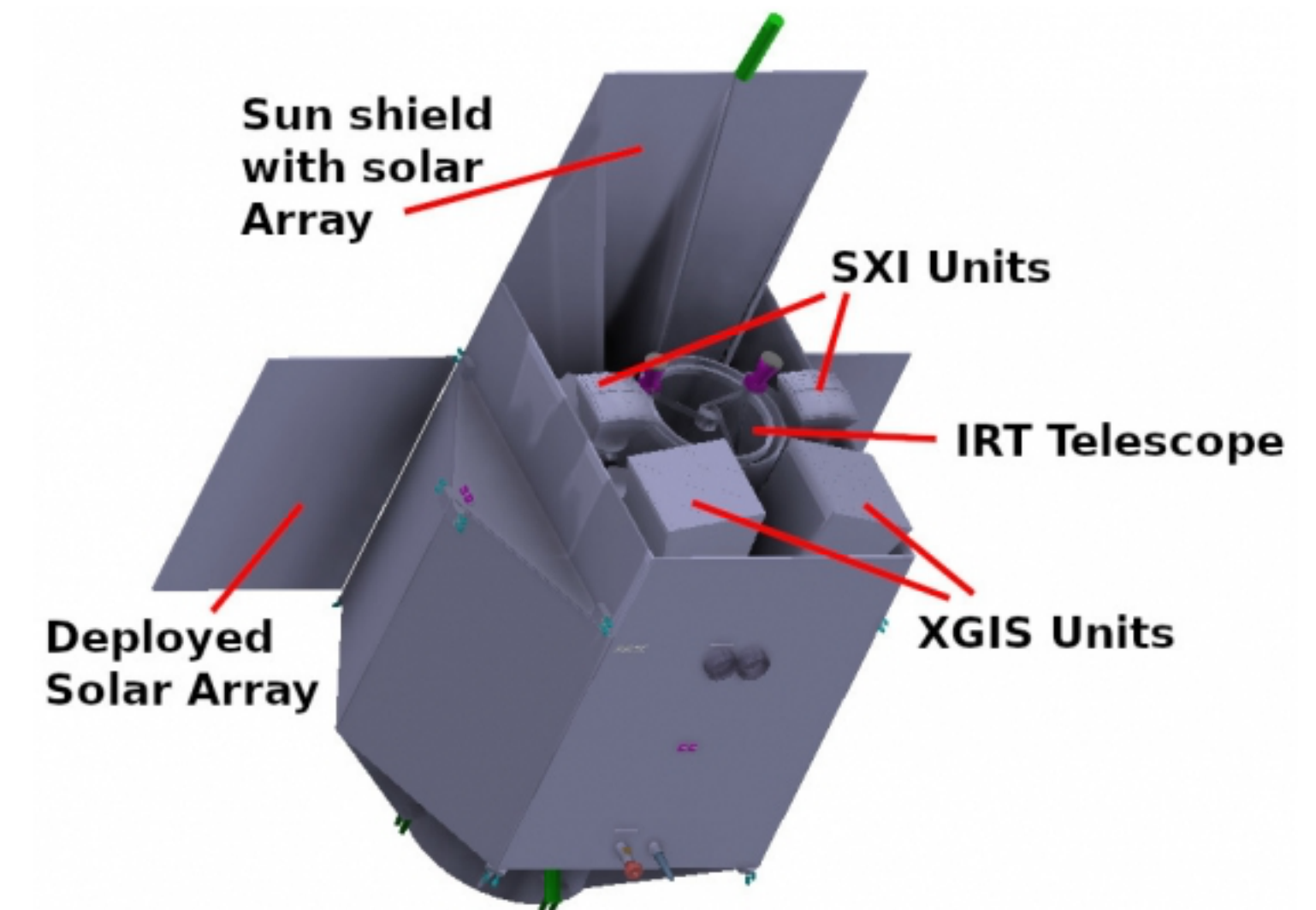


# Future X-ray facilities



**Einstein Probe:** Chinese space mission (with German + EU + Fr contribution)

- **Goal:** discover and characterize transient sources in the soft X-ray.
- To be launched end of 2023.
- WXT:  $\sim 3600 \text{ deg}^2$  FoV (5' angular resolution)  
 $\Rightarrow$  Shock breakout detection



- ESA / THESEUS (?):** Proposed in response to the ESA call M7
- Launch in  $\sim 2037$  if selected.
  - Dedicated to gamma-ray burst (at high  $z$ ) + X-ray transients.
  - 3 instruments on board including a  $\sim 1000 \text{ deg}^2$  FoV soft X-ray instrument.



# How to coordinate ?

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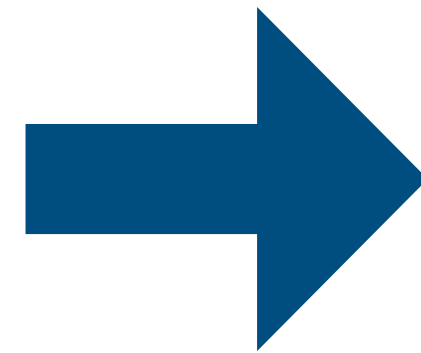
- **Network of multi-wavelength observatories** (optical, near-infrared, X-rays)
- **Amateur astronomers** can play a crucial role (if EM counterpart observable in optical)
- Requires an **efficient infrastructure** to coordinate observations + tools (see e.g. SkyPortal / GRANDMA, GROWTH, ... feedback)
- **Share observations plans and results** (through GCN, ATel, VOEvent, ...) to limit duplication
- GRANDMA: ongoing optimization of the follow-up strategy (tiling + catalog targeting) + detection probability
- Discuss data format + alert dissemination in advance



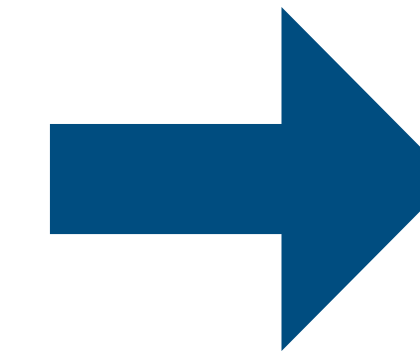
# Conclusions



GW170817 follow-up



Try to optimize multi-messenger follow-up,  
with **efficient coordination**



Improve the scientific  
outcome of once-in-a-  
lifetime opportunity

- **GRANDMA**: an example (among others) of coordinated networks dedicated to multi-messenger astronomy
- Proof-of-concept based on **GW follow-up** and kilonova searches (approach similar to CCSN follow-up)
- Tools, expertise already available.
- **GRANDMA is willing to contribute to this exciting challenge with SNEWS 2.0**