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# Search for Gamma-Ray Counterparts of IceCube Neutrino Events in the AGILE Public Archive

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# High Energy Astrophysical Neutrinos

High energy neutrinos production processes ( $E > \text{TeV}$ ):

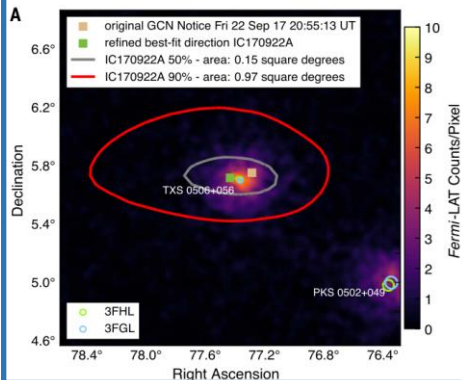
- **pp interactions**  $p + N \rightarrow X + \text{many} \times (\pi^+ + \pi^- + \pi^0)$
- **py interaction** (photo-pion reaction, threshold process)  $p + \gamma \rightarrow \Delta^+ \rightarrow n + \pi^+ \rightarrow p + \pi^0$

**Neutrino sources also gamma ray sources** - Lepto-Hadronic Scenario vs Purely Leptonic Scenario (SSC or EIC)

**Cosmic ray accelerators as producers of high energy neutrinos** → **Blazars (BL Lacertae + FSRQs) as best candidates**

*Eichler 1979, Stecker+ 1992, Mannheim 1995, Halzen&Zas 1997, Padovani&Resconi 2014, Ahlers&Halzen 2015, Tavecchio&Ghisellini 2015, Murase+ 2018, Giommi+ 2020, Giommi&Padovani 2021, Buson+ 2022, Bellenghi+ 2023, Buson+ 2023,...*

Blazar **TXS 0506+056** identified as EM counterpart of **IC-170922A**  
(Aartsen+ 2018)



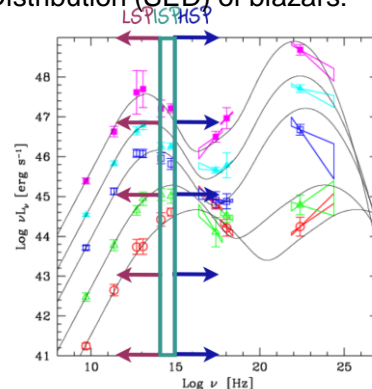
**Works about correlation with blazar catalogs and searches for EM counterparts of neutrino events**

*Lucarelli+ 2017, Lucarelli+ 2019, Krauss+ 2018, Aartsen+ 2019, Aartsen+ 2020, Franckowiak+ 2020, Kun + 2020, Plavin +2020, Plavin +2021, Abbasi+ 2022, Plavin +2023, Suray +2023, Abbasi +2023,...*

**Double humped Spectral Energy Distribution (SED) of blazars:**

**Searches on the contribution of the LBL/IBL/HBL subclasses: evidence accumulating for IHBLs**

*Padovani+ 2016, Giommi&Padovani 2021*

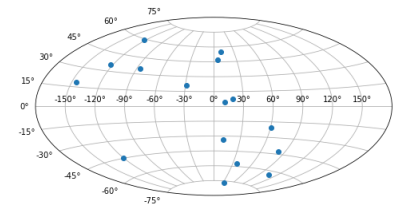


# Presentation Outline

- Search for candidate gamma-ray counterparts of a sample of IceCube neutrino events using the public data archive of the AGILE Mission
- Building of the light curves centered on the neutrino position using the AGILE-LV3 tool at the Space Science Data Center (SSDC) and multifrequency archival data
- Analysis of light curves over different time intervals around event  $T_0$  (1 month, 1 year and full mission)
- Identification and classification of candidate blazar counterparts using the VOU-Blazars tool and ASI SED builder
- Estimation of contribution of different blazar subclasses

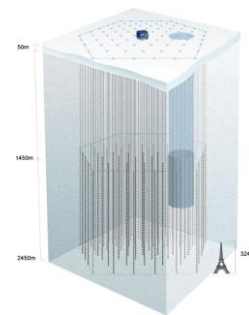
# The IceCube neutrino sample (16 events)

(September 2018 – March 2020)



Sample analyzed in my  
Master thesis (2022)  
Advisors:  
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IceCube Name	MJD	Event Type	RA (deg)	DEC (deg)	Error Radius* (arcmin)	Energy** ( $\times 10^2$ TeV)	Signalness	l (deg)	b (deg)
IC-180908A	58369	EHE	$144.58^{+1.55}_{-1.45}$	$-2.13^{+0.9}_{-1.2}$	20.36	1.1998	0.34364	237.2	35.1
IC-181023A	58414	EHE	$270.18^{+2.00}_{-1.70}$	$-8.57^{+1.25}_{-1.30}$	17.50	1.1998	0.28016	19.4	7.2
IC-190503A	58606	EHE	$120.28^{+0.57}_{-0.77}$	$6.35^{+0.76}_{-0.70}$	14.99	1.0000	0.36266	215.2	18.4
IC-181014A	58405	HESE	$225.15^{+1.40}_{-2.85}$	$-34.80^{+1.15}_{-1.85}$	73.79	6037.47[pe]	0.10	331.0	20.9
IC-190104A	58487	HESE	$357.98^{+2.3}_{-2.1}$	$-26.65^{+2.2}_{-2.5}$	73.79	8584.32[pe]	0.35	31.6	-76.7
IC-190124A	58504	HESE	$307.40^{+0.8}_{-0.9}$	$-32.18^{+0.7}_{-0.7}$	73.79	13555.75[pe]	0.91	10.8	-33.8
IC-190221A	58535	HESE	$268.81^{+1.2}_{-1.8}$	$-17.04^{+1.3}_{-0.5}$	73.79	12264.54[pe]	0.37	11.4	4.2
IC-190331A	58573	HESE	$337.68^{+0.23}_{-0.34}$	$-20.70^{+0.30}_{-0.48}$	534.00	198736.44[pe]	0.57	36.6	-57.3
IC-190504A	58607	HESE	65.79	-37.44	73.79	7328.35[pe]	0.63	239.9	-44.7
IC-190619A	58653	GOLD	$343.26^{+4.08}_{-2.63}$	$10.73^{+1.51}_{-2.61}$	162.59	1.9870	0.54551	81.8	-42.5
IC-190730A	58694	GOLD	$225.79^{+1.28}_{-1.43}$	$10.47^{+1.14}_{-0.89}$	71.10	2.9881	0.67158	11.1	54.8
IC-190922A	58748	GOLD	$167.43^{+3.40}_{-2.63}$	$-22.39^{+2.88}_{-2.89}$	177.00	31.139	0.20165	274.1	34.7
IC-190922B	58748	GOLD	$5.76^{+1.19}_{-1.37}$	$-1.57^{+0.93}_{-0.82}$	64.80	1.8737	0.50501	106.8	-63.6
IC-191001A	58757	GOLD	$314.08^{+6.56}_{-2.26}$	$12.94^{+1.50}_{-1.47}$	177.00	2.1742	0.58898	60.2	20.3
IC-191119A	58806	GOLD	$230.10^{+4.76}_{-6.48}$	$3.17^{+3.36}_{-2.09}$	220.19	1.7648	0.44999	5.5	47.1
IC-200109A	58857	GOLD	$164.49^{+4.94}_{-4.19}$	$11.87^{+1.16}_{-1.36}$	174.60	3.7523	0.76931	237.2	59.3



**IceCube Alert System (> 2016)**

**EHE**  $E = (500 \text{ TeV} \div 10 \text{ PeV})$

**HESE**  $E = (100 \text{ TeV} \div 1 \text{ PeV})$

**GOLD (>2019)**

signalness > 50%

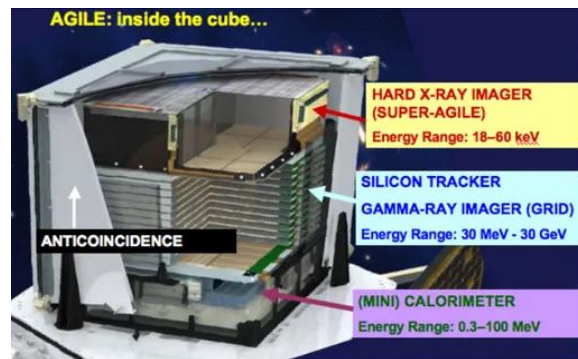
$$\text{Signalness}(E, \delta) = \frac{N_{\text{signal}}(E, \delta)}{N_{\text{signal}}(E, \delta) + N_{\text{background}}(E, \delta)}$$

\*: 50% CL for EHE neutrinos, 90% CL for HESE, GOLD neutrinos

\*\* : energy in photoelectrons for HESE neutrinos

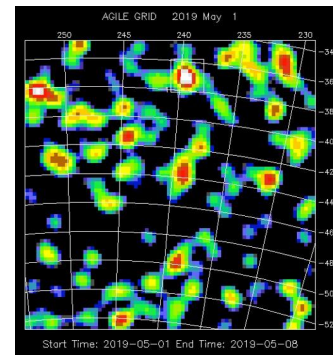
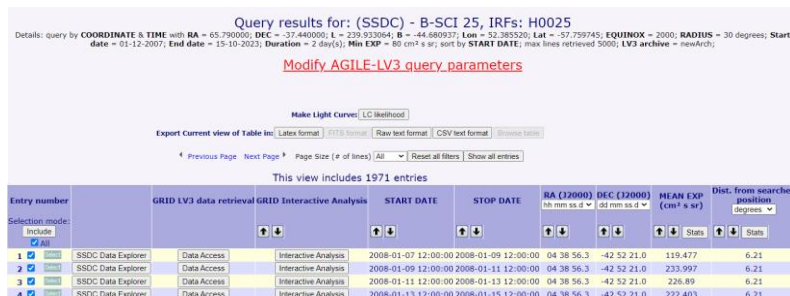
# Search for Candidate Gamma-ray Counterparts in the AGILE-GRID public archive (SSDC AGILE-LV3 Analysis Tool)

The AGILE Mission *Tavani+ 2008*

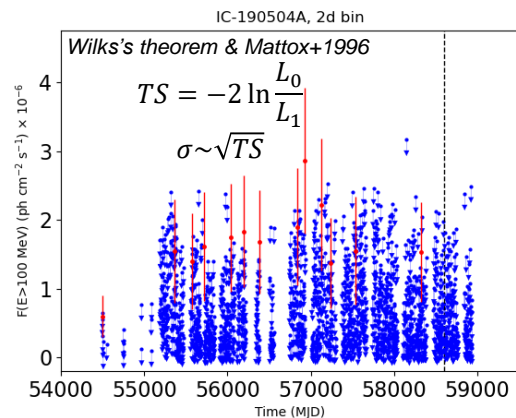


Full-mission (16 yrs) **AGILE light curves** using:

- **Public data** (AGILE-LV3 data archive, **Energy > 100 MeV**)
- **AGILE-LV3 ASI SSDC tool**: official on-line Maximum Likelihood analysis



Light curve of **2AGL J0429-3755 (PKS 0426-380)**



## Analysis Output

Light curves with bin duration: **2, 4, 7, 28 days**

**Significance ( $\sqrt{TS}$ ) of a Candidate Detections** (Maximum Likelihood results with  $\sqrt{TS} > 3$ )  
**Modified Julian Date (MJD), Flux (ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s), Spectral Energy Distribution (SED) data**

**Example: the HESE neutrino event IC-190504A**

MJD of neutrino event:  $T_0$  (MJD)= 58607

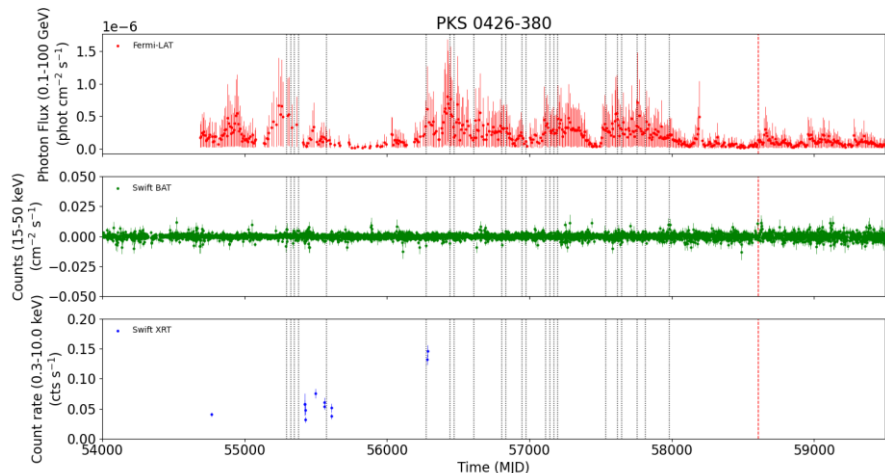
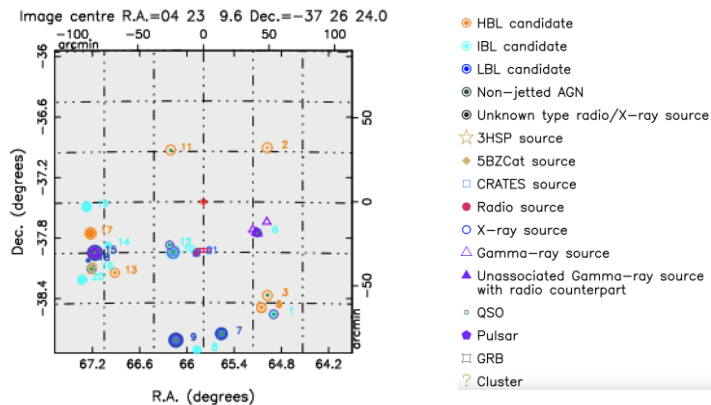
Multiple candidate detections in all light curves

Closest candidate detection ( $\Delta T \sim -9$  months) in light curve with bin duration of 2 days:

- $\sqrt{TS} = 3.1$
- MJD of the Candidate Detection =  $58324.5 \pm 1.0$
- Flux =  $(1.53 \pm 0.72)e-6$  ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s

# Identification and Analysis of the Candidate EM Counterparts

VOU-BLAZARS Tool (Chang+ 2019)



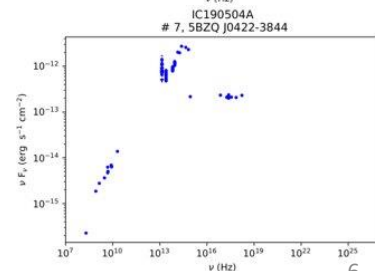
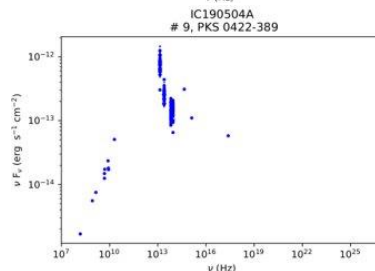
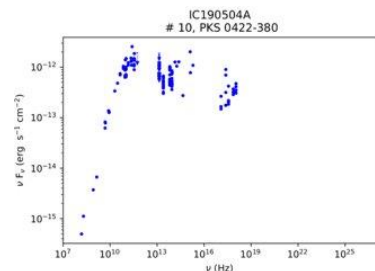
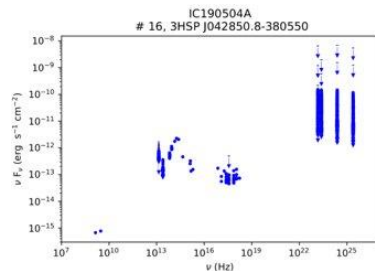
New candidate sources for all neutrino events

e.g.: IC-190504A (HESE)

$N_{\text{Candidate}}$	Source name	Type	RA	DEC	Distance(arcmin)	$\gamma$ -ray Counterpart
15	PKS 0426-380	LBL/IBL	67.17	-37.94	71.95	4FGL J0428.6-375
16	<b>3HSP J042850.8-380550</b>	IBL	67.21	-38.10	78.12	0
6	WISEA J042025.10-374445.0	IBL	65.11	-37.65	37.4	4LAC J0420.3-374
10	<b>PKS 0422-380</b>	LBL/IBL	66.17	-37.94	35.1	0
9	<b>PKS 0422-389</b>	LBL	66.14	-38.81	83.95	0
7	<b>5BZQ J0422-3844</b>	LBL/IBL	65.56	-38.75	79.2	0

Previously reported candidates (*Giommi+ 2020, GCN 24401*):

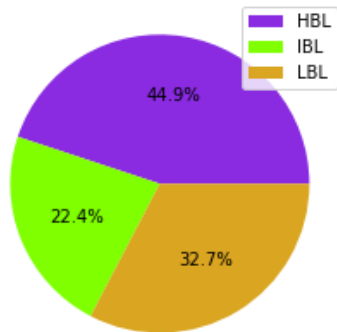
**PKS 0426-380 (LBL)** and **4LAC J0420.3-374 (IBL)**



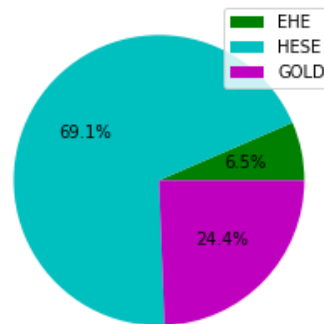
# Conclusions

Analysis of 16 IceCube neutrino events from September 2018 to March 2020

- Full-mission (16 yrs) **AGILE light curves** using public data and **AGILE-LV3 SSDC tool**
- SED of identified candidates with VOU-Blazars tool: **new candidate EM counterparts for all neutrino events**
- **2/16 light curves with association to 2AGL catalog blazars** (IC-190504A and IC-190730A)
- **8/16 light curves show significant detections** ( $\sqrt{TS} > 3$ ) **within  $T_0 \pm 1$  year**:
  - 2/3 EHE neutrinos (IC-180908A and IC-190503A)
  - 3/6 HESE neutrinos (IC-190104A, IC-190221A, IC-190504A)
  - 3/7 GOLD neutrinos (IC-190619A, IC-190922A, IC-191001A)



Classes of candidate blazars



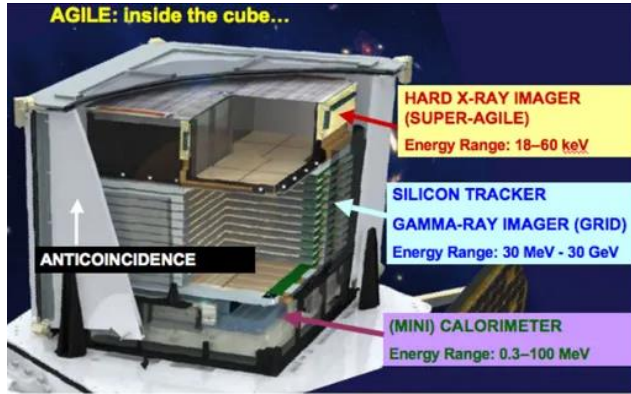
# Candidate AGILE detections vs. neutrino event type

Post-trial Probability under evaluation  
Paper in preparation

# EXTRA SLIDES

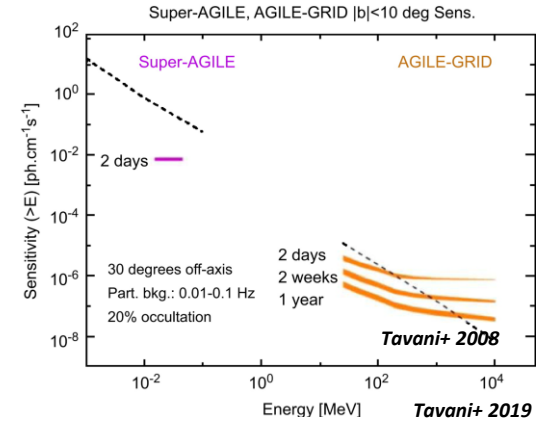


# The AGILE Mission



Tavani+ 2008

- Launch: 23/04/2007, more than 16 years activity
- Low Equatorial Orbit with  $2.5^\circ$  inclination
- Average altitude:  $\sim 500$  km
- Since 2009: "Spinning" observing mode
- Revolution period  $\sim 7$  min: 80% sky coverage every day



## AGILE-GRID:

- **Silicon Tracker (ST)**: gamma-ray conversion into  $e^+/e^-$  pairs, charged particles track reconstruction
- **Minicalorimeter (MCAL)**: measurement of charged particle energy (for estimation of incident photons energy); 30 CsI(Tl) bars with PIN photodiodes

FOV  $\sim 2.5$  sr

Angular resolution  $\sim 1.2^\circ$  for  $E > 100$  MeV (up to  $30^\circ$  off-axis)

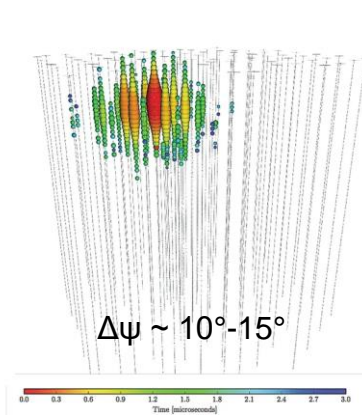
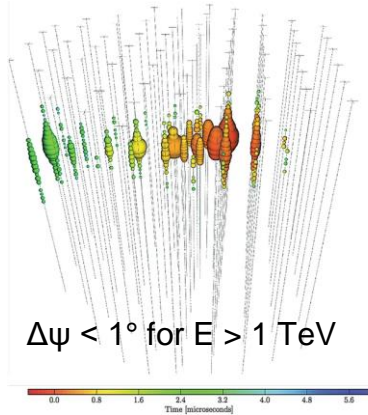
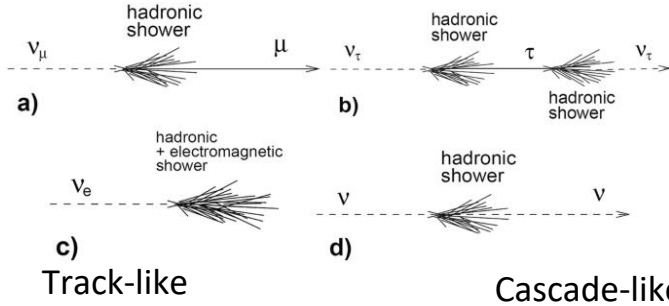
Sensitivity  $(10-20) \times 10^{-8}$  ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s (depending on sky region and exposure time)

Gamma-ray imaging detector (GRID)	
Energy range	30 MeV–50 GeV
Field of view	$\sim 2.5$ sr
Flux sensitivity ( $E > 100$ MeV, $5\sigma$ in $10^6$ s)	$3 \times 10^{-7}$ (ph cm <sup>-2</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )
Angular resolution at 100 MeV (68% cont. radius)	$3.5^\circ$
Angular resolution at 400 MeV (68% cont. radius)	$1.2^\circ$
Source location accuracy (high Gal. lat., 90% C.L.)	$\sim 15$ arcmin
Energy resolution (at 400 MeV)	$\Delta E/E \sim 1$
Absolute time resolution	$\sim 2 \mu\text{s}$
Dead time	$\sim 100\text{--}200 \mu\text{s}$
Hard X-ray imaging detector (Super-AGILE)	
Energy range	18–60 keV
Single (1-dim.) detector FOV (FW at zero sens.)	$107^\circ \times 68^\circ$
Combined (2-dim.) detector FOV (FW at zero sens.)	$68^\circ \times 68^\circ$
Sensitivity (18–60 keV, $5\sigma$ in 1 day)	$\sim 15$ mCrab
Angular resolution (pixel size)	6 arcmin
Source location accuracy ( $S/N \sim 10$ )	$\sim 1\text{--}2$ arcmin
Energy resolution (FWHM)	$\Delta E \sim 8$ keV
Absolute time resolution	$\sim 2 \mu\text{s}$
Mini-calorimeter	
Energy range	0.35–50 MeV
Energy resolution (at 1.3 MeV)	13% FWHM
Absolute time resolution	$\sim 3 \mu\text{s}$
Dead time (for each of the 30 CsI bars)	$\sim 20 \mu\text{s}$

# IceCube

- Neutrino detection via Charged Current (CC) and Neutral Current (NC) ( $\sigma \sim 10^{-38} \text{ cm}^2$  at 1 GeV):

- Charged Current (CC)  $\nu_l + N \rightarrow l + X$
- Neutral Current (NC)  $\nu_l + N \rightarrow \nu_l + X$

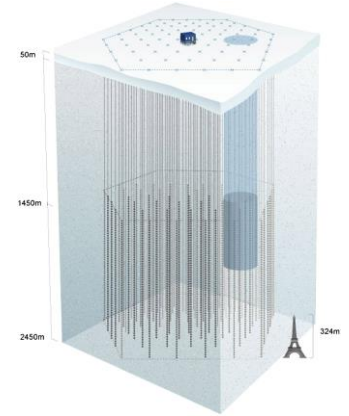


## IceCube Alert System (> 2016)

- EHE (Extremely High Energy event):**  $E = 500 \text{ TeV} - 10 \text{ PeV}$
- HESE (High Energy Starting Event):** track-like events with interaction vertex inside detector,  $E = 100 \text{ TeV} - 1 \text{ PeV}$
- GOLD (>2019):** signalness > 50%
- BRONZE (>2019):** signalness > 30%

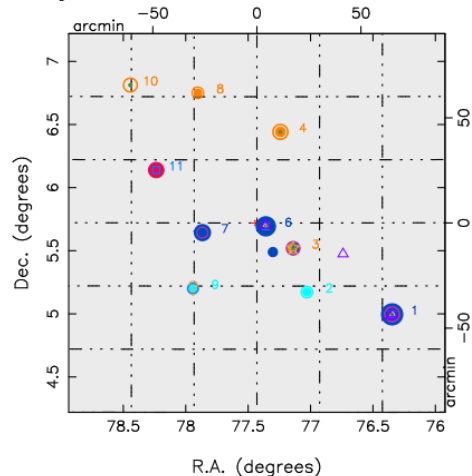
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$\delta$  =declination



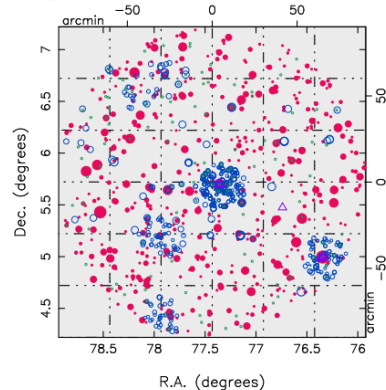
# VOU-Blazars Tool (*Chang+ 2019*)

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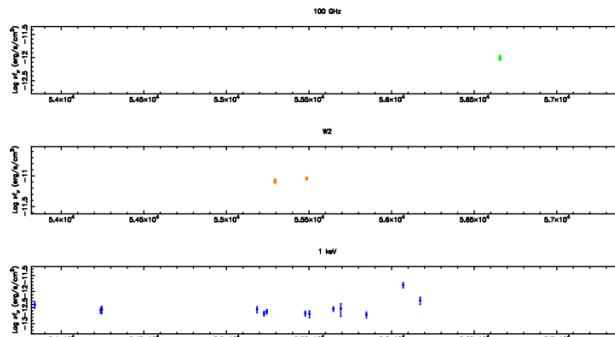
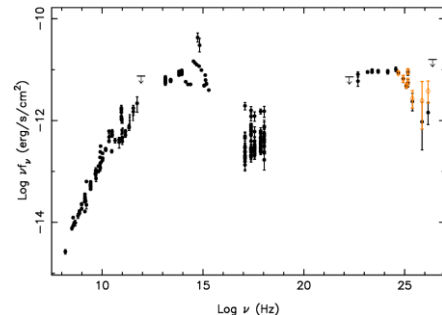
- HBL candidate
- IBL candidate
- LBL candidate
- Non-jetted AGN
- Unknown type radio/X-ray source
- ☆ 3HSP source
- ◆ 5BZCat source
- CRATES source
- X-ray source
- △ Gamma-ray source
- ▲ Unassociated Gamma-ray source with radio counterpart
- QSO
- Pulsar
- GRB
- Cluster

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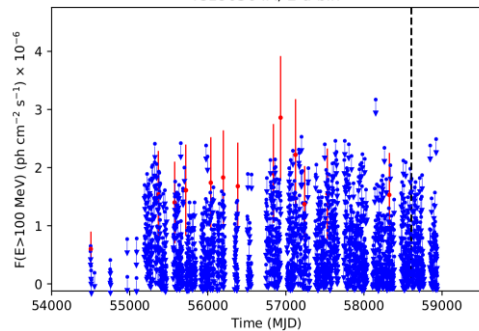
- **Input:** coordinates of center of search region (ra, dec), FOV
- **Output Phase 1 (37 catalogs):**
  - Sky Map with identified sources
  - **Candidate list** with: name, coordinates (ra, dec), angular distance from center,  $\log(\nu_{\text{peak}})$ , **classification** as LBL/IBL/HBL
  - **Gamma-ray counterparts** from Fermi-LAT catalog
- **Output Phase 2 (55 catalogs):** analysis of specific sources with production of **SED** and **light curves**

Source 6 position: 07 38 7.4, 17 42 19.0

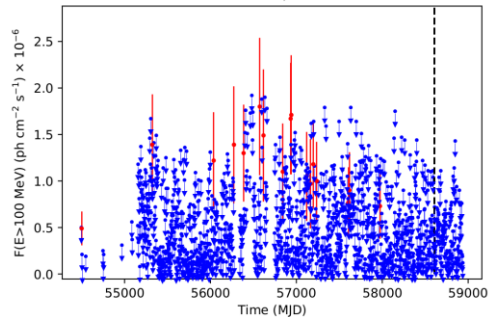


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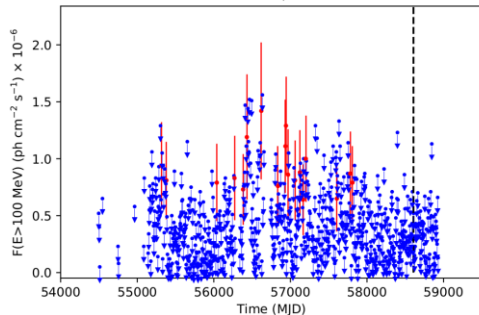
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IC190504A, 4 d bin



IC190504A, 7 d bin



IC190504A, 28 d bin

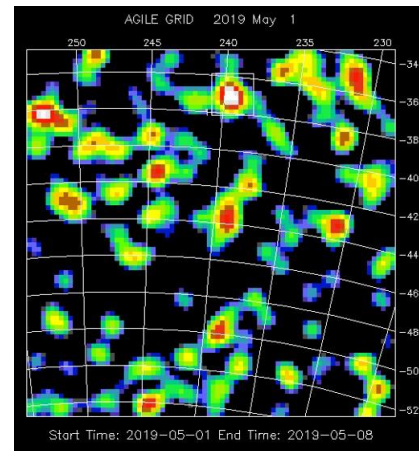
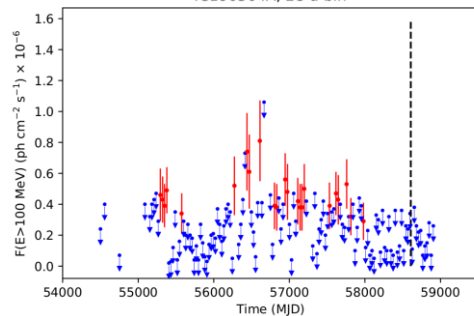
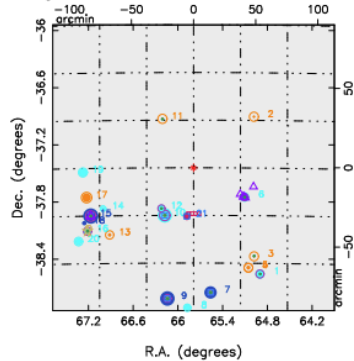


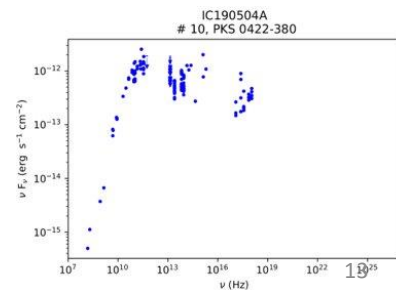
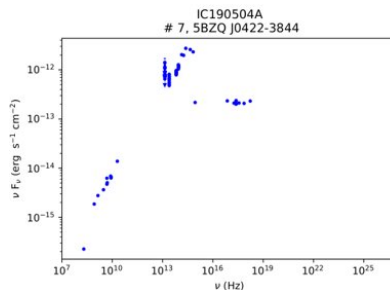
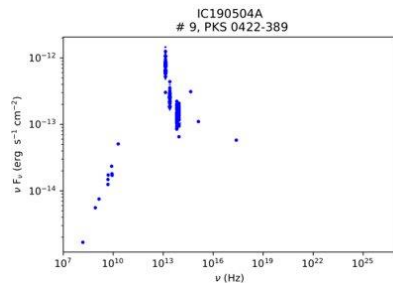
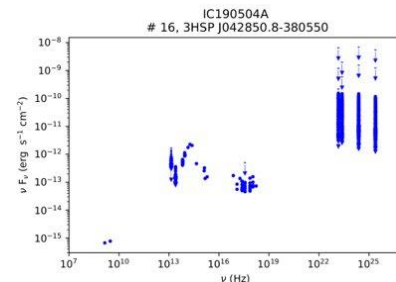
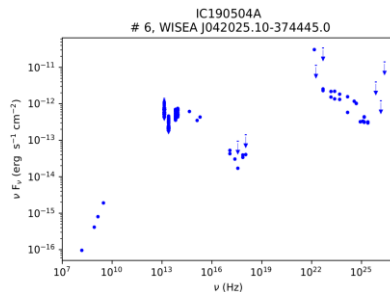
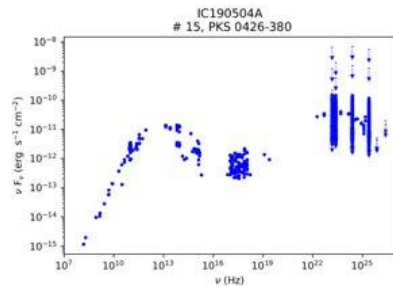
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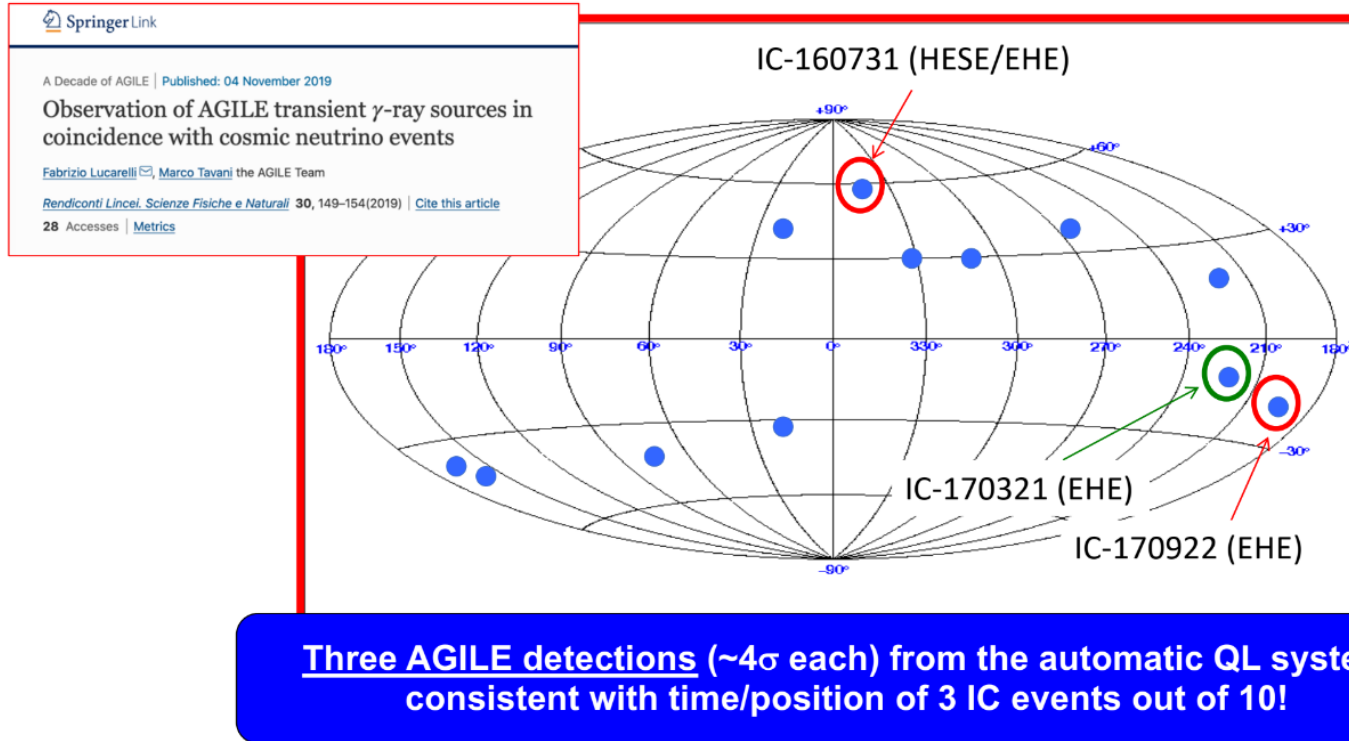
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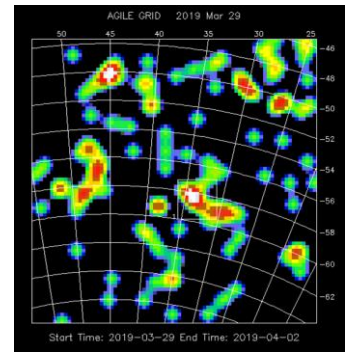


# AGILE detections of IceCube Neutrino Events (F. Lucarelli et al, ApJ 870, 2019)



# IC-190331A (HESE)

ATel #12623, Lucarelli+ (2019): new identified source AGL J2233-2212 spatially and temporally coincident with the neutrino event



Some candidates not previously reported

$N_{Candidate}$	Source name	Type	RA	DEC	Distance(arcmin)	$\gamma$ -ray Counterpart
AGL J2233-2212						
16	<b>3HSP J223248.8-202226</b>	HBL	338.20	-20.37	35.3	4FGL J2232.6-2023
12	<b>PKS 2227-214</b>	LBL	337.65	-21.21	30.8	-
19	<b>5BZQ J2234-2055</b>	LBL	338.73	-20.92	60.83	-

Lightcurve centered on arrival direction of neutrino:

$T_0 = 58573$  MJD

Bin duration: 4 days

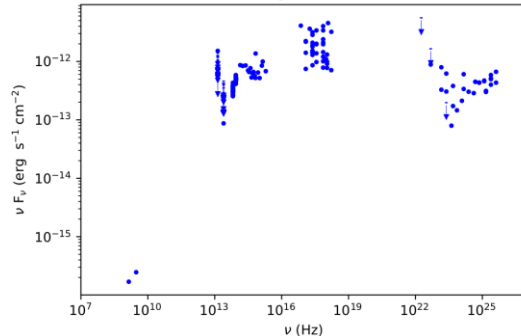
$\Delta T = -3.3$  years

MJD Detection =  $57365.5 \pm 2.0$  (09-12-2015)

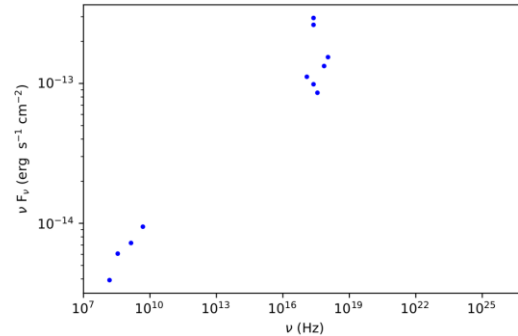
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## SEDs of the sources

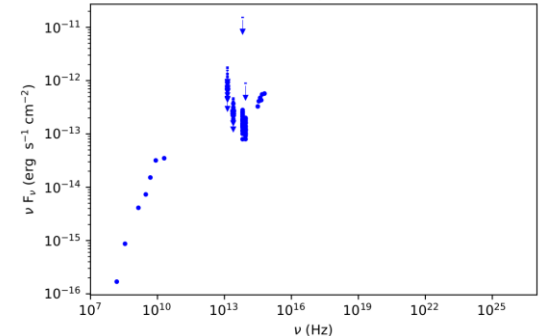
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IC190331A  
# 12, PKS 2227-214



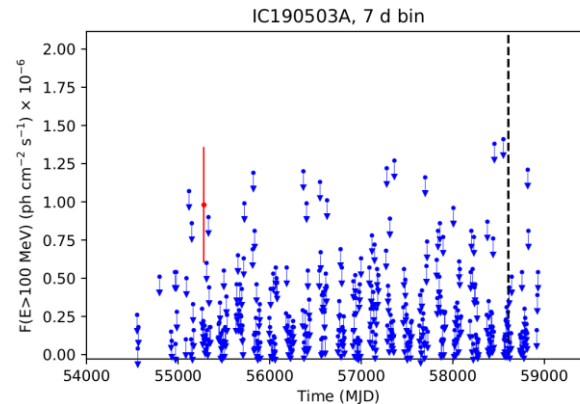
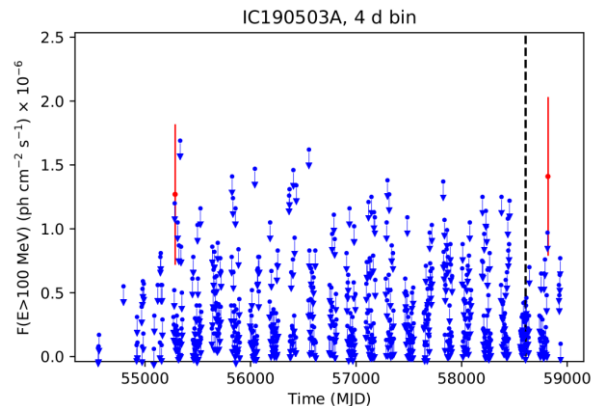
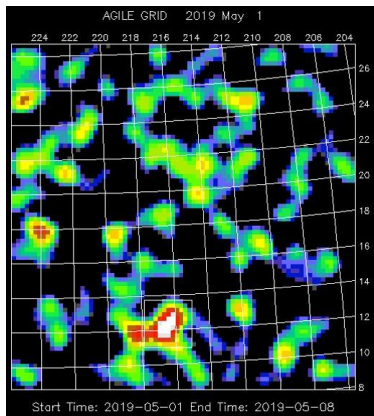
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# IC-190503A (EHE)

Map at time  $T_0$  and time bin 7 days



## Candidate Associated sources

$N_{Candidate}$	Source name	Type	RA	DEC	Distance(arcmin)	$\gamma$ -ray Counterpart
1	3HSP J080056.5+073235	HBL	124.24	7.54	71.1	4FGL J0800.9+0733
6	MRK 1210	Sy2	121.02	5.11	86.37	-
7	WISEA J080406.36+064843.3	HBL	121.03	6.81	51.23	-
4	SDSS J080352.97+061704.3	IBL	120.97	6.28	40.27	-

One previously reported candidate (GCN 24378): 3HSP J080056.5+073235 (HBL, 4FGL J0800.9+0733)

Lightcurve centered on arrival direction of neutrino:

$T_0 = 58606$  MJD

Detections for 4, 7 days binning

Closest Detection:

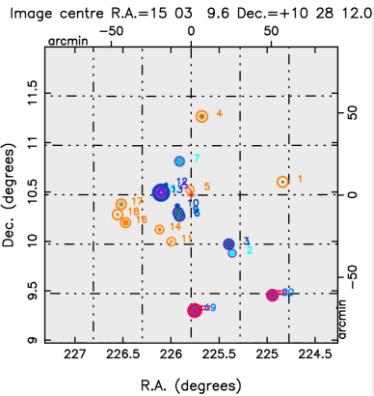
$\text{sqrt}(\text{TS}) = 3.4$

$\text{MJD} = 58817.5 \pm 2.0$  (30-11-2019)

$\Delta T = +7$  months

Flux =  $(1.41 \pm 0.62) \times 10^{-6}$  ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s



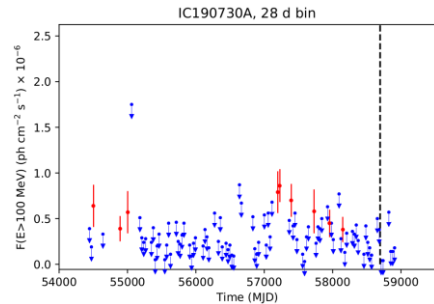
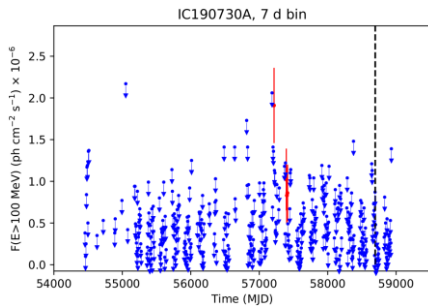
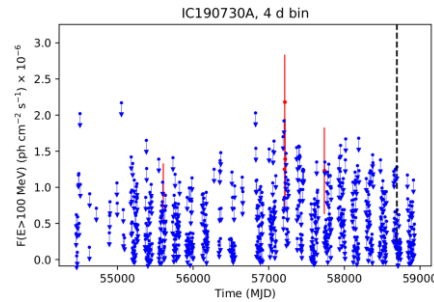
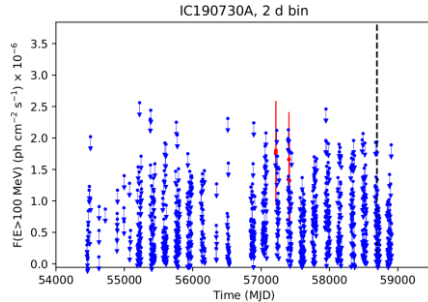
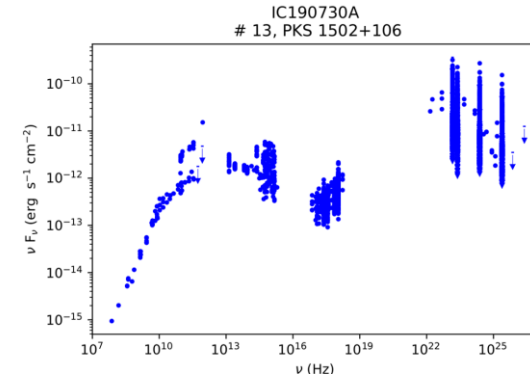


$N_{\text{Candidate}}$	Source name	Type	RA	DEC	Distance(arcmin)	$\gamma$ -ray Counterpart
13	PKS 1502+106	LBL	226.10	10.49	18.59	2AGLJ1507+1019
17	3HSP J150604.4+102233	HBL	226.52	10.38	43.35	-
6	<b>SDSS J150340.61+101429.4</b>	LBL	225.91	10.25	15.12	-
8	<b>1WGA J1503.7+1018</b>	LBL	225.91	10.27	14.21	-
7	<b>CRATES J150339+104836</b>	IBL	225.91	10.81	21.69	-
9	<b>SDSS J150339.35+101820.7</b>	LBL	22.93	10.29	13.63	-
1	<b>SDSS J145920.92+103603.3</b>	HBL	224.84	10.60	56.87	-
3	<b>SDSS J150135.83+095818.6</b>	LBL	225.40	9.97	37.75	-
4	<b>SDSS J150243.09+111557.3</b>	HBL	225.68	11.27	48.16	-

# IC-190730A (GOLD)

Previously reported candidates:

**PKS 1502+106 (LBL) and 3HSP J150604.4+102233 (HBL)**  
(GCN 25225, *Giommi+ 2020*, *Rodrigues+ 2021*, *Oikonomou+ 2021*)



Light curves of **2AGLJ 1507+1019**:

$T_0 = 58694$  MJD

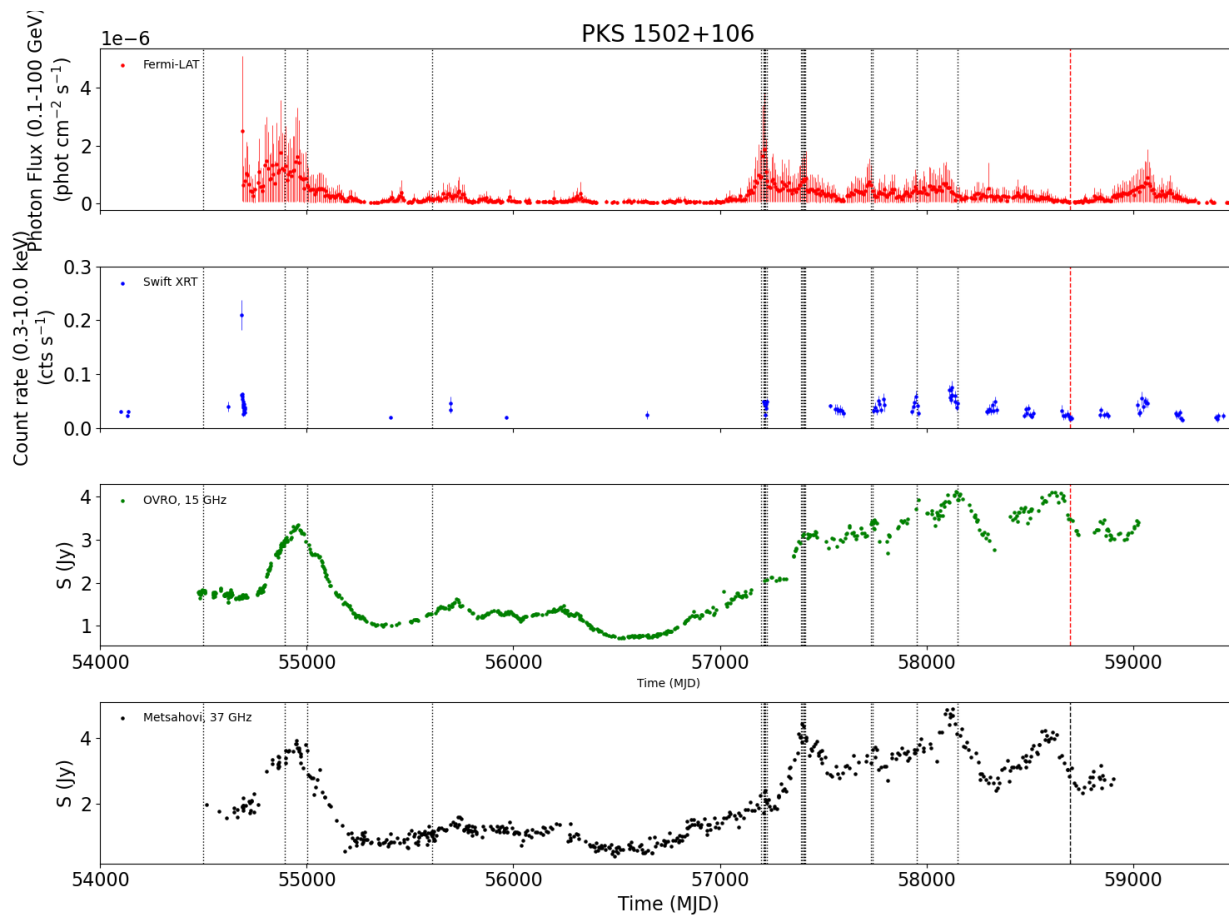
Bin duration: 28 days

$\Delta T = -1.5$  yr

MJD Detection =  $58149.5 \pm 14.0$  d (31-01-2018)

Flux =  $(0.38 \pm 0.14) \times 10^{-6}$  ph/cm<sup>2</sup>/s, sqrt(TS)=3.4

# IC-190730A (GOLD)



# Results: EHE neutrinos

IceCube Name	$T_0$ (MJD)	Event Type	$F_\gamma(E > 100 \text{ MeV})$ $\times 10^{-6}(\text{ph cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1})$	$\Delta t$ (yr)	$\sqrt{T\bar{S}}$ (days)	Bin	Associated Sources
IC-180908A	58369	EHE	$2.18 \pm 0.95$	+0.66	3.5	2	3HSP J093938.5-031503 (HBL) <b>MO J093826.55-004244.5 (LBL)</b>
IC-181023A	58414	EHE	-	-	-	-	4FGL J1804.5-0852 (BCU) <b>4FGL J1805.8-0803 (UNK)</b>
IC-190503A	58606	EHE	$1.41 \pm 0.62$ $1.27 \pm 0.55$ $0.98 \pm 0.38$	+0.66 -9.2 -9.2	3.4 3.4 3.5	4 4 7	3HSP J080056.5+073235 (HBL) <b>Mrk 1210 (Sy2)</b> WISEA J080406.36+064843.3 (HBL) SDSS J080352.97+061704.3 (IBL)

**2 events** out of 3 show a candidate detection within  $\pm 1$  year around  $T_0$  of neutrino event

**New candidate counterparts** (not previously reported in literature) in **bold**

## 2AGL associated source

Multiple detections in all light curves, only those closest to  $T_0$  reported here

# Results: HESE neutrinos

IceCube Name	$T_0$ (MJD)	Event Type	$F_\gamma(E > 100 \text{ MeV})$ $\times 10^{-6}(\text{ph cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1})$	$\Delta t$ (yr)	$\sqrt{T\bar{S}}$ (days)	Bin	Associated Sources
IC-181014A	58405	HESE	$1.07 \pm 0.48$ $0.32 \pm 0.11$	-7.3 -9.7	3.1 3.4	4 28	2AGL J1459-3542/PKS 1454-354 (LBL) PMN J1505-3432 (LBL)
IC-190104A	58487	HESE	$1.60 \pm 0.71$ $1.43 \pm 0.61$ $0.72 \pm 0.31$ $0.33 \pm 0.13$	0.84 -2.7 -3.0 -3.0	3.0 3.3 3.3 3.2	4 4 7 28	IC 5362 (BCG) VOU J235815-285341 (HBL) 3HSP J235034.3-300604 (HBL) 3HSP J235023.3-243602 (HBL) <b>1WGA J2350.5-2620 (Sy2)</b> <b>5BZQ J2353-2743 (IBL)</b> <b>MCXC J2351.6-2605 (CoG)</b>
IC-190124A	58504	HESE	$1.26 \pm 0.56$ $0.94 \pm 0.40$ $0.85 \pm 0.39$ $0.61 \pm 0.19$	-2.6 -10.9 -5.3 -5.3	3.2 3.3 3.0 4.2	7 2 7 28	<b>5BZQ J2024-3253/PKS 2021-330 (LBL)</b> <b>WISEA J202151.77-324420.6 (LBL)</b> <b>Abell 3681 (CoG)</b> <b>PMN J2028-3154 (LBL)</b>
IC-190221A	58535	HESE	$1.12 \pm 0.45$	+0.07	3.1	7	4FGL J1758.6-1622 (Radio source) 4FGL J1750.4-1723 (Gamma source) <b>4FGL J1751.6-1750 (BCU)</b>
IC-190331A	58573	HESE	$0.91 \pm 0.42$	-3.3	3.0	4	AGL J2233-2212 (HBL) 3HSP J223248.8-202226 (HBL) PKS 2227-214 (LBL) <b>5BZO J2234-2055 (LBL)</b>
IC-190504A	58607	HESE	$1.53 \pm 0.72$ $0.73 \pm 0.35$ $0.79 \pm 0.32$ $0.29 \pm 0.12$	-0.78 -1.7 -2.2 -1.7	3.1 3.2 3.4 3.0	2 4 7 28	2AGL J0429-3755/PKS 0426-380 (LBL/IBL) 4LAC J0420.3-3745 (IBL) 3HSP J042850.8-380550 (IBL) PKS 0422-380 (LBL) PKS 0422-389 (LBL) <b>5BZQ J0422-3844 (LBL/IBL)</b>

**3 events** out of 6 show a candidate detection within  $\pm 1$  year around  $T_0$  of neutrino event

# Results: GOLD neutrinos

2AGL associated  
source

3 events out of 7 show a  
candidate detection within  $\pm 1$   
year around  $T_0$  of neutrino event

Multiple detections  
in all light curves,  
only those closest  
to  $T_0$  reported here

IceCube Name	$T_0$ (MJD)	Event Type	$F_\gamma(E > 100 \text{ MeV})$ $\times 10^{-6}(\text{ph cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1})$	$\Delta t$ (yr)	$\sqrt{T S}$ (days)	Bin	Associated Sources
IC-190619A	58653	GOLD	$1.61 \pm 0.75$	-0.47	3.2	2	4FGL J2252.6+1245 (Gamma-ray source)
			$1.18 \pm 0.49$	-0.47	3.2	4	PKS 2251+11 (BLRG)
			$1.14 \pm 0.52$	-5.1	3.3	4	WISEA J224854.73+111427.3 (HBL) UGC 12237 (Sy2) UGC 12243 (Sy1) MCXC J2250.3+1054 (CoG) 3C 454.3 (FSRQ, within a few deg)
IC-190730A	58694	GOLD	$1.33 \pm 0.65$	-3.5	3.1	2	2AGL J1507+1019/PKS 1502+106 (LBL)
			$1.23 \pm 0.60$	-2.6	3.1	4	3HSP J150604.4+102233 (HBL)
			$0.86 \pm 0.34$	-3.5	3.3	7	SDSS J150340.61+101429.4 (LBL)
			$0.38 \pm 0.14$	-1.5	3.4	28	1WGA J1503.7+1018 (LBL) CRATES J150339+104836 (IBL) SDSS J150339.35+101820.7 (LBL) SDSS J145920.92+103603.3 (HBL) SDSS J150135.83+095818.6 (LBL) SDSS J150243.09+111557.3 (HBL)
IC-190922A	58748	GOLD	$0.83 \pm 0.33$	-0.25	3.5	7	4FGL J1103.6-2329 (BL Lac)
			$2.01 \pm 0.84$	-3.8	3.2	2	4FGL J1120.0-2204 (Gamma ray source) 4FGL J1100.0-2044 (BCU) HE 1106-2321 (HBL) MQ J111552.48-215640.7 (IBL)
IC-190922B	58748	GOLD	$1.53 \pm 0.68$	-3.8	3.0	4	4FGL J0022.0+0006 (BL Lac, within a few deg)
			$0.79 \pm 0.36$	-4.8	3.0	7	LBQS 0020-0202 (HBL)
			$0.41 \pm 0.16$	-4.8	3.0	28	Mrk 947 (Sy2) PGC 1077256 (HBL) MQ J002002.35-002122.9 (HBL) SDSS J001920.37-003532.9 (LBL)
IC-191001A	58757	GOLD	$2.10 \pm 0.90$	-0.82	3.7	2	4FGL J2115.2+1218 (BL Lac) 4FGL J2052.7+1218 (Millisecond pulsar)
IC-191119A	58806	GOLD	$1.81 \pm 0.86$	-7.2	3.1	2	MQ J151757.77+021544.2 (HBL)
			$1.39 \pm 0.70$	-9.8	3.0	2	ZW 20733 (IBL) WISEA J152506.63+022425.1 (HBL) CRATES J152122+042021 (Radio galaxy) 4FGL J1518.8+0203 (Pulsar)
IC-200109A	58857	GOLD	$1.18 \pm 0.53$	-1.6	3.0	4	TXS 1100+122 (IBL)
			$1.19 \pm 0.53$	-4.6	3.0	4	PGC 1403648 (HBL) ZW 11570 (HBL) SDSS J110108.25+111635.3 (IBL) PKS 1058+110 (Sy1) Mkn 728 (Sy1) Abell 1142 (CoG) DRCG 22-46 (CoG)

# Post-trial significance of identified detections

For each candidate detection we estimated (*Bulgarelli+2012, Lucarelli+2017*):

- The *p-value* (or *pre-trial probability*,  $p$ ): the probability for a candidate detection to be a false detection;
- The *Post-trial probability* ( $P$ ) to have  $k$  or more random detections in non-overlapping time intervals out of  $N$  trials (i.e., the number of generated maps with exposure above 80 cm<sup>2</sup>/s/sr centered on arrival direction neutrinos coordinates);

$$P(N, X \geq k) = 1 - \left( \sum_{j=0}^{k-1} \binom{N}{j} p^j (1-p)^{N-j} \right)$$

- The *Combined post-trial probability* ( $P_{cpt}$ ) to have a spatial coincidence of an AGILE-GRID detection with the IceCube error region inside the 10 deg *Region of Interest* (ROI);

$$P_{cpt} = P \times P_{ROI} \quad \text{where } P_{ROI} = 10^{-2}$$

- The *Joint post-trial probability* ( $P_{joint}$ ) is the probability to have a number  $n$  of neutrinos with a false candidate detection over a year from  $T_0$  out of  $N$  trials given by the product of the total number of the neutrino events analysed and the number of optimization of search radius (equal 1 in our work).

$$P_{joint}(\text{post-trial}) = 1 - \left( 1 - \prod_{i=1}^n P_i \right)^N$$