

Star Formation

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DATA VISUALIZATION

at the



HARVARD-SMITHSONIAN
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presented by Alyssa Goodman at HHSF14, MPA Heidelberg, June 2014

AFFINITY DETAILS (LIVE, ONLINE)

Here	Slide	Talk		Visualization	Universe->Galaxies	Galactic Structure	Galaxies->GMCs	GMCs->"Filaments"	"Filaments" -> Cores	Feedback	Cores->Disks & Structure	Disks->Stars + Planets	Making Exoplanets	Young Stars	Rad Xfer	Chemistry	Dust	Gas (ppv)	Simulation/Comparison	
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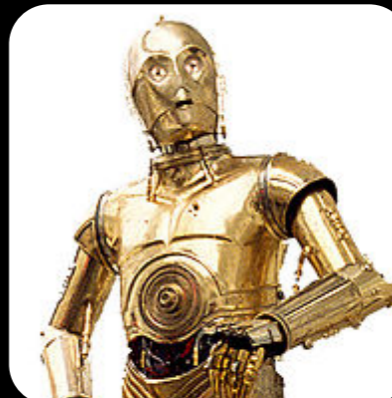
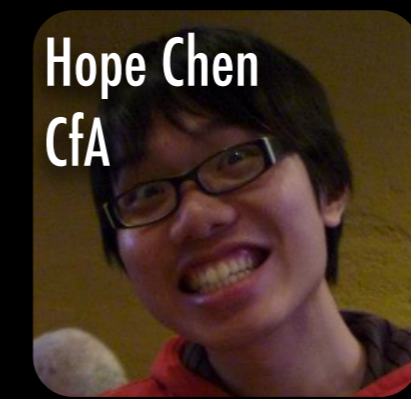
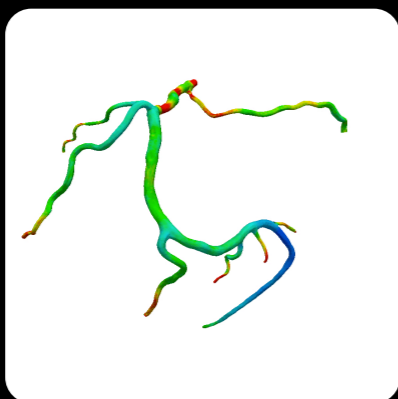
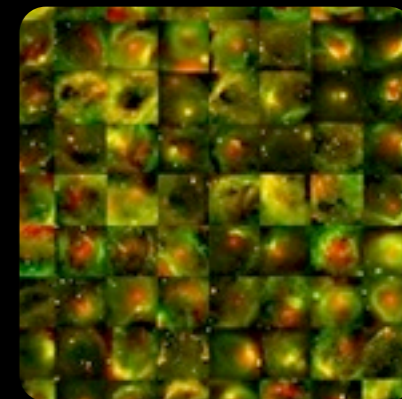
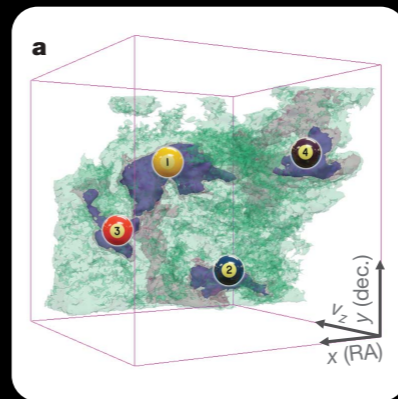
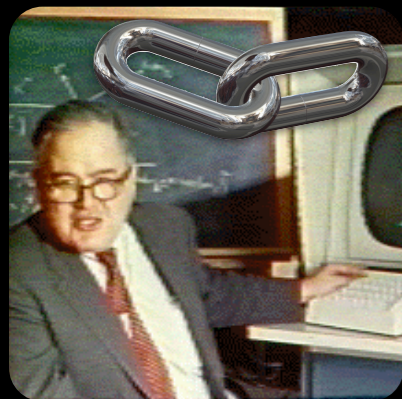
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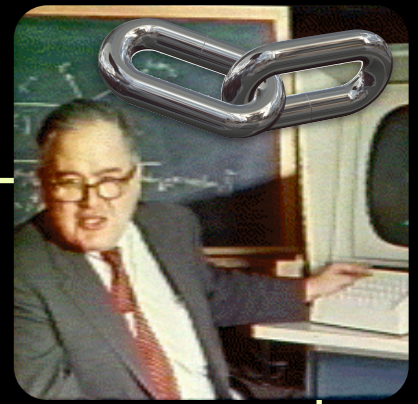


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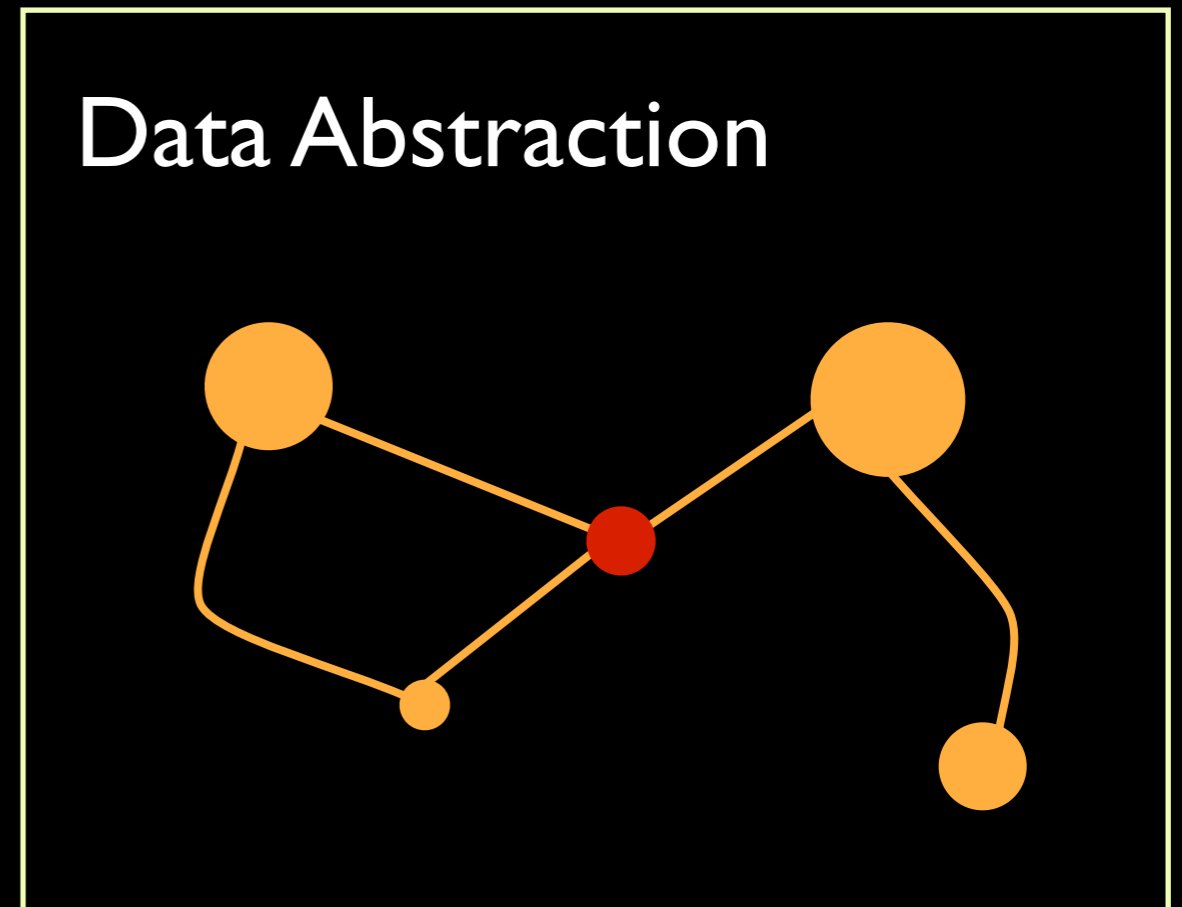
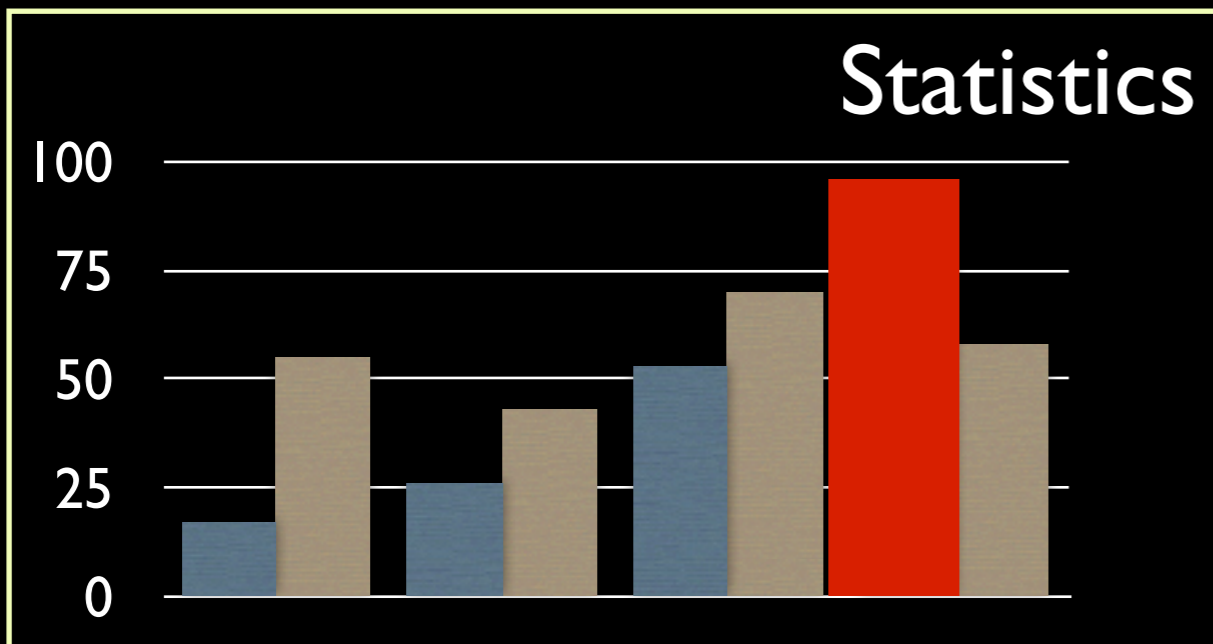
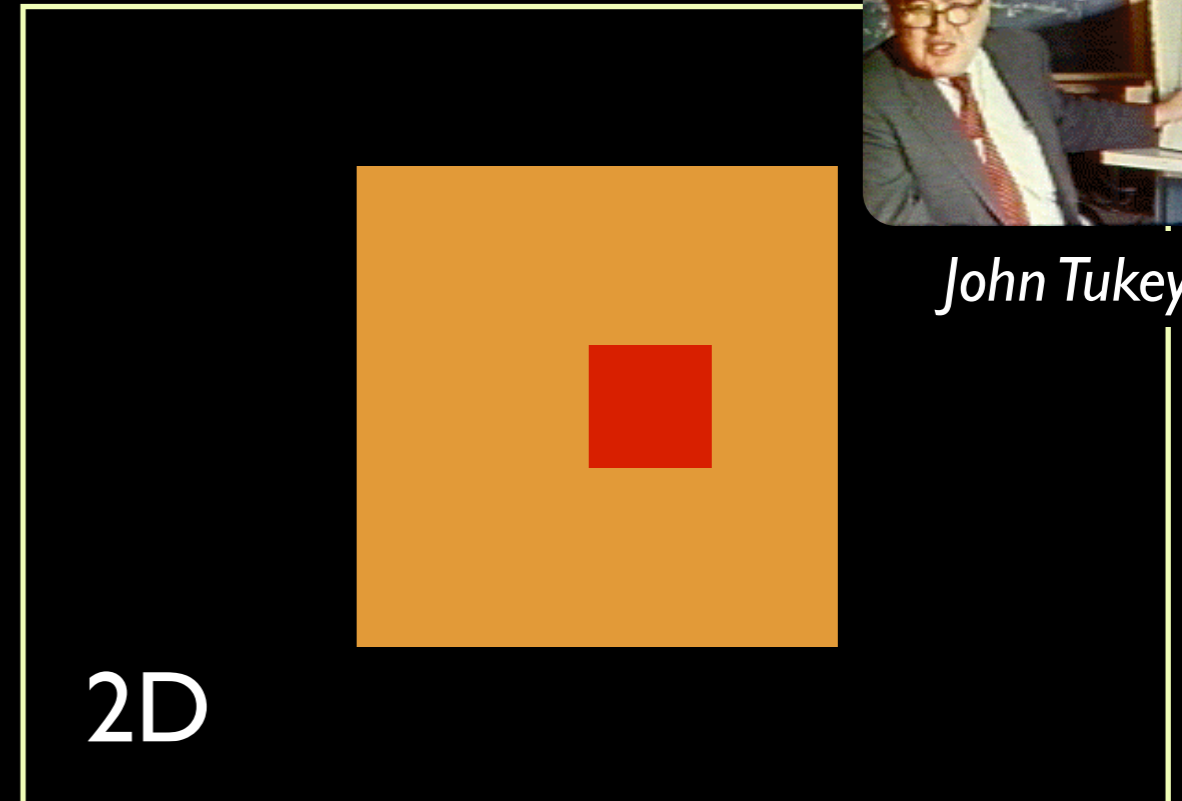
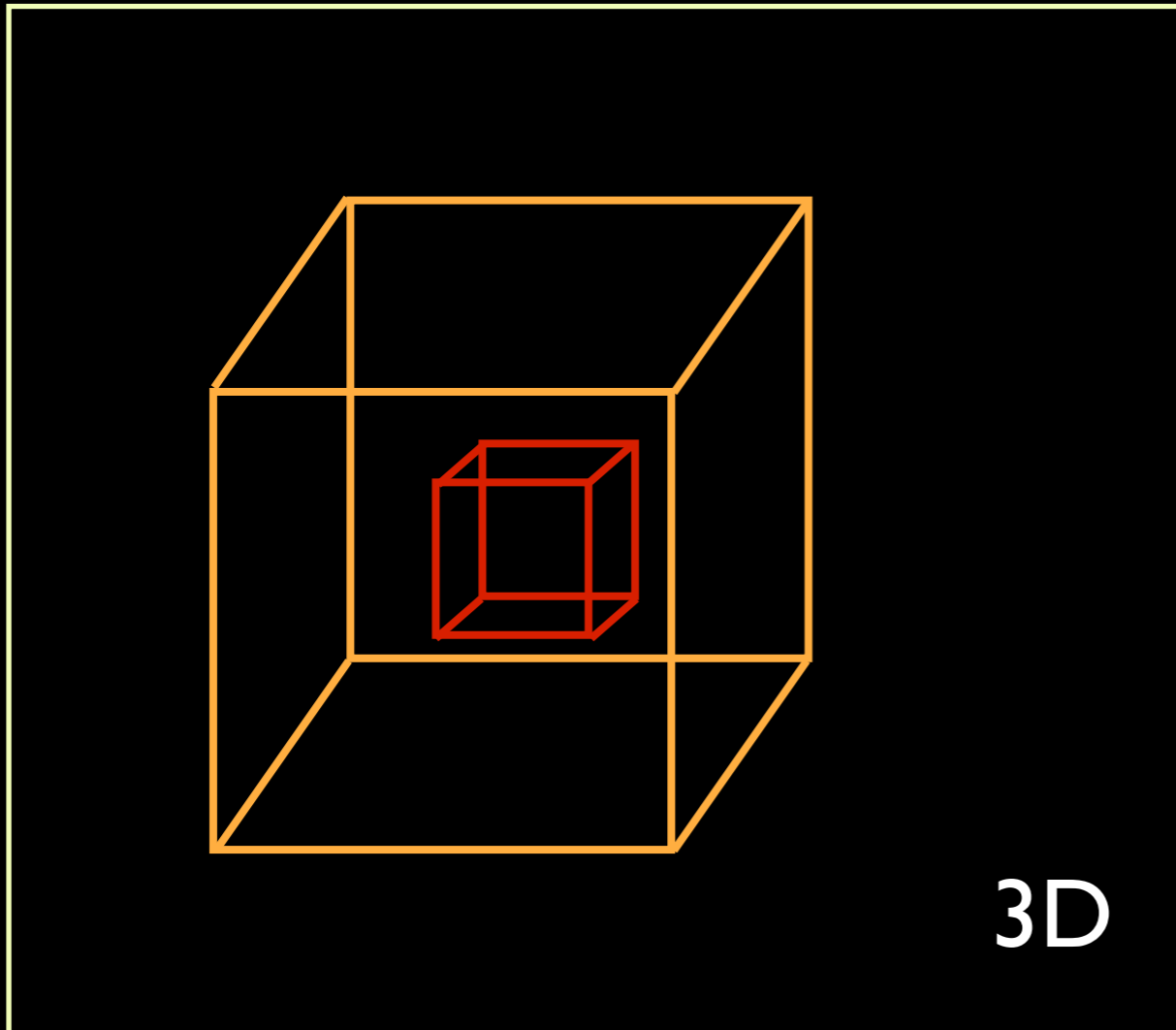
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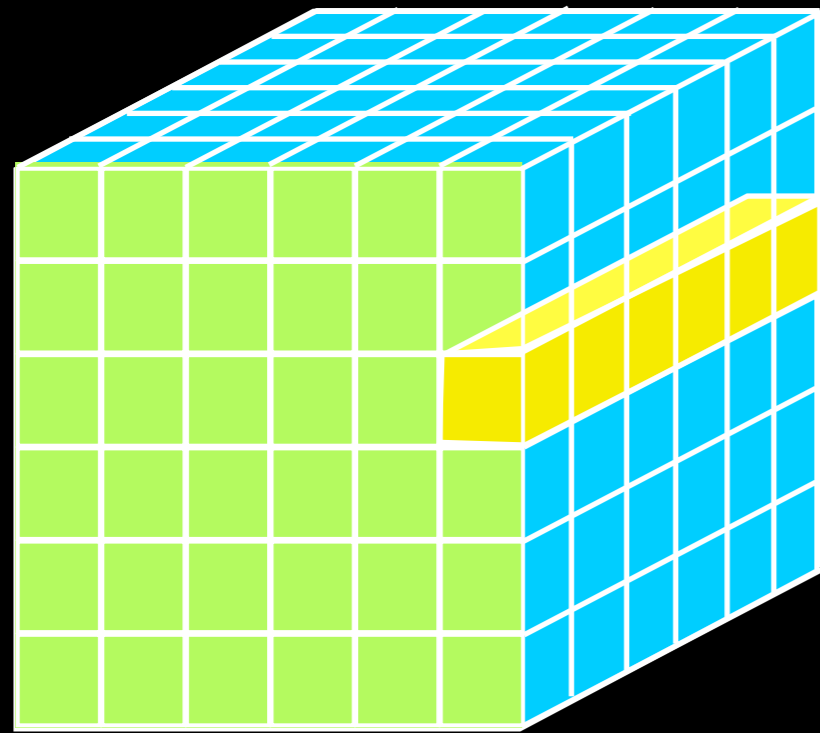
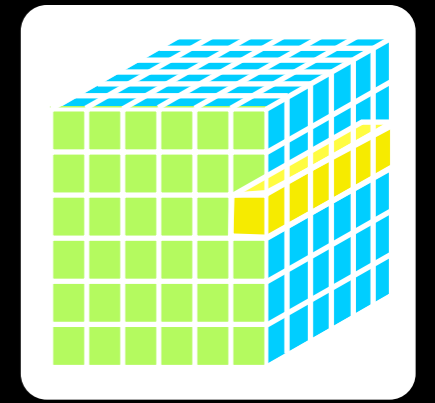


LINKED VIEWS OF HIGH-DIMENSIONAL DATA



John Tukey





"DATA, DIMENSIONS, DISPLAY"

- 1D:** Columns = "Spectra", "SEDs" or "Time Series"
- 2D:** Faces or Slices = "Images"
- 3D:** Volumes = "3D Renderings", "2D Movies"
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Michelle Borkin
Harvard

2009

3D PDF

INTERACTIVE
PPV CUBES
IN A "PAPER"

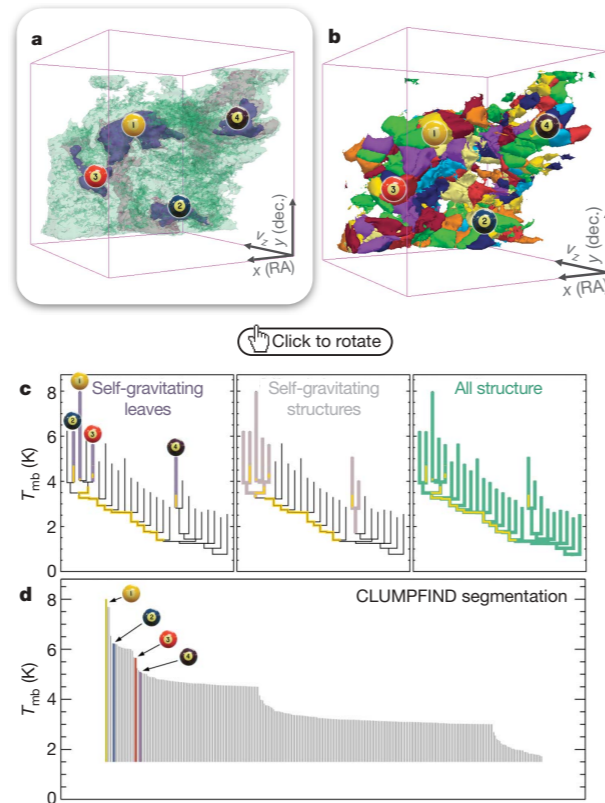


Figure 2 | Comparison of the 'dendrogram' and 'CLUMPFIND' feature-identification algorithms as applied to ^{13}CO emission from the L1448 region of Perseus. **a**, 3D visualization of the surfaces indicated by colours in the dendrogram shown in **c**. Purple illustrates the smallest scale self-gravitating structures in the region corresponding to the leaves of the dendrogram; pink shows the smallest surfaces that contain distinct self-gravitating leaves within them; and green corresponds to the surface in the data cube containing all the significant emission. Dendrogram branches corresponding to self-gravitating objects have been highlighted in yellow over the range of T_{mb} (main-beam temperature) test-level values for which the virial parameter is less than 2. The x - y locations of the four 'self-gravitating' leaves labelled with billiard balls are the same as those shown in Fig. 1. The 3D visualizations show position-position-velocity (p - p - v) space. RA, right ascension; dec., declination. For comparison with the ability of dendrograms (**c**) to track hierarchical structure, **d** shows a pseudo-dendrogram of the CLUMPFIND segmentation (**b**), with the same four labels used in Fig. 1 and in **a**. As 'clumps' are not allowed to belong to larger structures, each pseudo-branch in **d** is simply a series of lines connecting the maximum emission value in each clump to the threshold value. A very large number of clumps appears in **b** because of the sensitivity of CLUMPFIND to noise and small-scale structure in the data. In the online PDF version, the 3D cubes (**a** and **b**) can be rotated to any orientation, and surfaces can be turned on and off (interaction requires Adobe Acrobat version 7.0.8 or higher). In the printed version, the front face of each 3D cube (the 'home' view in the interactive online version) corresponds exactly to the patch of sky shown in Fig. 1, and velocity with respect to the Local Standard of Rest increases from front (-0.5 km s^{-1}) to back (8 km s^{-1}).

data, CLUMPFIND typically finds features on a limited range of scales, above but close to the physical resolution of the data, and its results can be overly dependent on input parameters. By tuning CLUMPFIND's two free parameters, the same molecular-line data set⁸ can be used to show either that the frequency distribution of clump mass is the same as the initial mass function of stars or that it follows the much shallower mass function associated with large-scale molecular clouds (Supplementary Fig. 1).

Four years before the advent of CLUMPFIND, 'structure trees'⁹ were proposed as a way to characterize clouds' hierarchical structure

using 2D maps of column density. With this 2D work as inspiration, we have developed a structure-identification algorithm that abstracts the hierarchical structure of an easily visualized representation called 'merger trees' are being used with in

Figure 3 and its legend explain the schematically. The dendrogram quantifies the hierarchy of emission with each explained in Supplementary Methods. The dendrogram is determined almost entirely by the sensitivity to algorithm parameters. The dendrogram is possible on paper and 2D screen data (see Fig. 3 and its legend). The dendrogram is a cross, which eliminates dimensions, preserving all information. Numbered 'billiard ball' labels are placed at the junctions between a 2D map and a sorted dendrogram.

A dendrogram of a spectral line emission cube tracks key physical properties of the emission, such as radius (R), surface area (A), and luminosity (L). The volumes can have any shape, and the luminosity is an approximate proxy for mass, such that $M_{\text{lum}} = X_{13\text{CO}} L_{13\text{CO}}$, where $X_{13\text{CO}} = 8.0 \times 10^{20} \text{ cm}^2 \text{ K}^{-1} \text{ s}$ (ref. 15; see Supplementary Methods and Supplementary Fig. 2). The derived values for size, mass and velocity dispersion can then be used to estimate the role of self-gravity at each point in the hierarchy, via calculation of an 'observed' virial parameter, $\alpha_{\text{obs}} = 5\sigma_v^2 R / GM_{\text{lum}}$. In principle, extended portions of the tree (Fig. 2, yellow highlighting) where $\alpha_{\text{obs}} < 2$ (where gravitational energy is comparable to or larger than kinetic energy) correspond to regions of p - p - v space where self-gravity is significant. As α_{obs} only represents the ratio of kinetic energy to gravitational energy at one point in time, and does not explicitly capture external over-pressure and/or magnetic fields¹⁶, its measured value should only be used as a guide to the longevity (boundedness) of any particular feature.

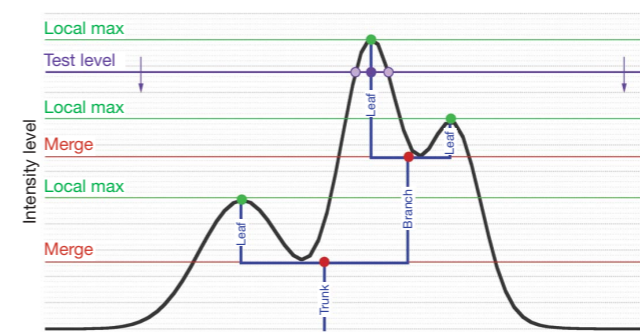


Figure 3 | Schematic illustration of the dendrogram process. Shown is the construction of a dendrogram from a hypothetical one-dimensional emission profile (black). The dendrogram (blue) can be constructed by 'dropping' a test constant emission level (purple) from above in tiny steps (exaggerated in size here, light lines) until all the local maxima and mergers are found, and connected as shown. The intersection of a test level with the emission is a set of points (for example the light purple dots) in one dimension, a planar curve in two dimensions, and an isosurface in three dimensions. The dendrogram of 3D data shown in Fig. 2c is the direct analogue of the tree shown here, only constructed from 'isosurface' rather than 'point' intersections. It has been sorted and flattened for representation on a flat page, as fully representing dendrograms for 3D data cubes would require four dimensions.

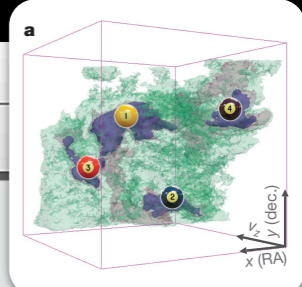
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Goodman et al. 2009, Nature, cf. Fluke et al. 2009



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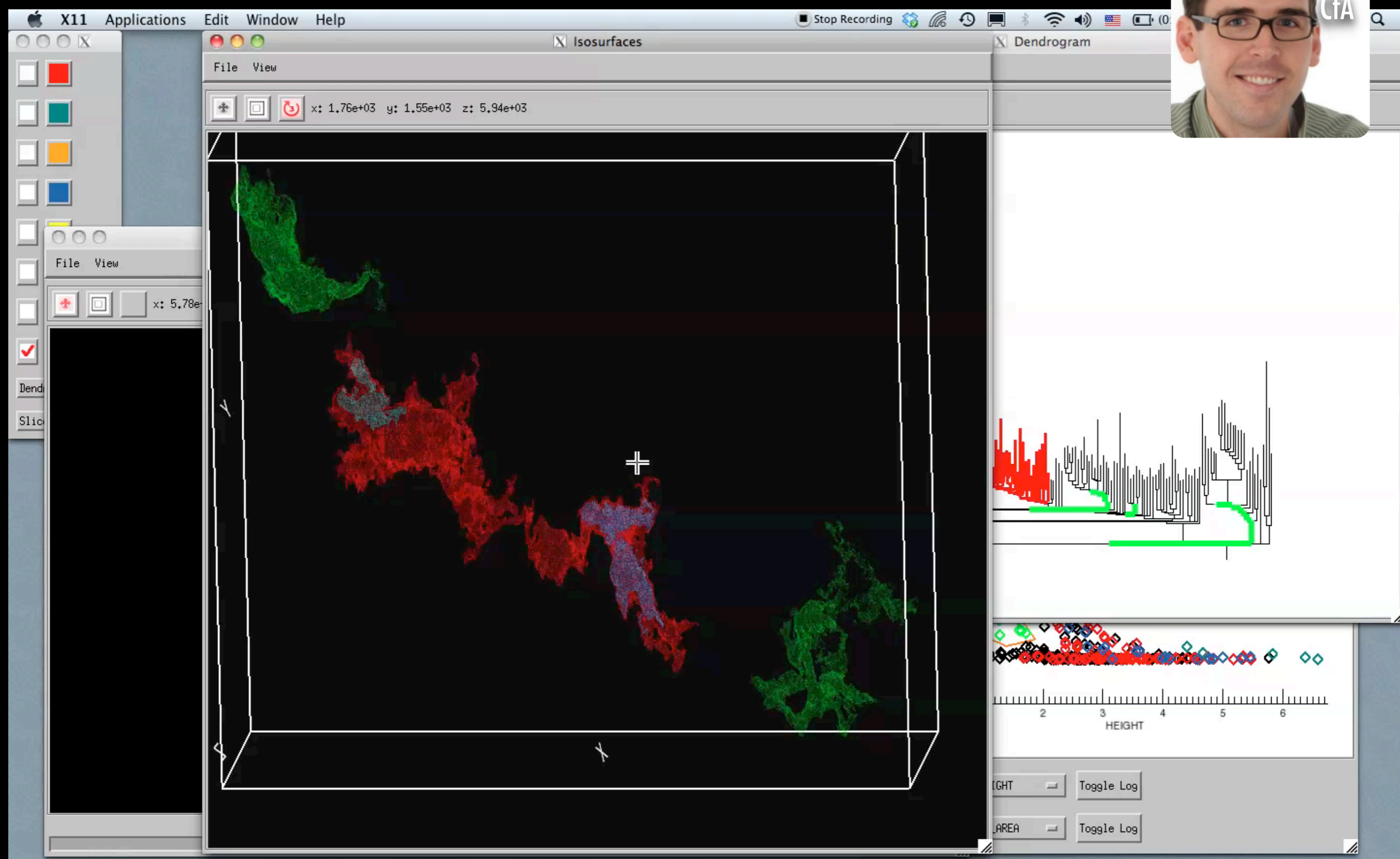
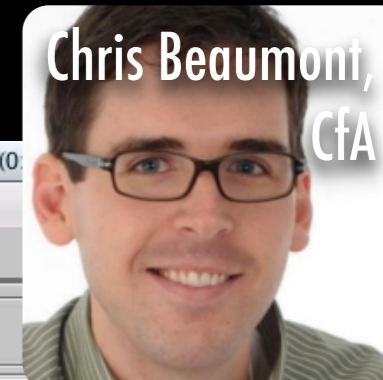
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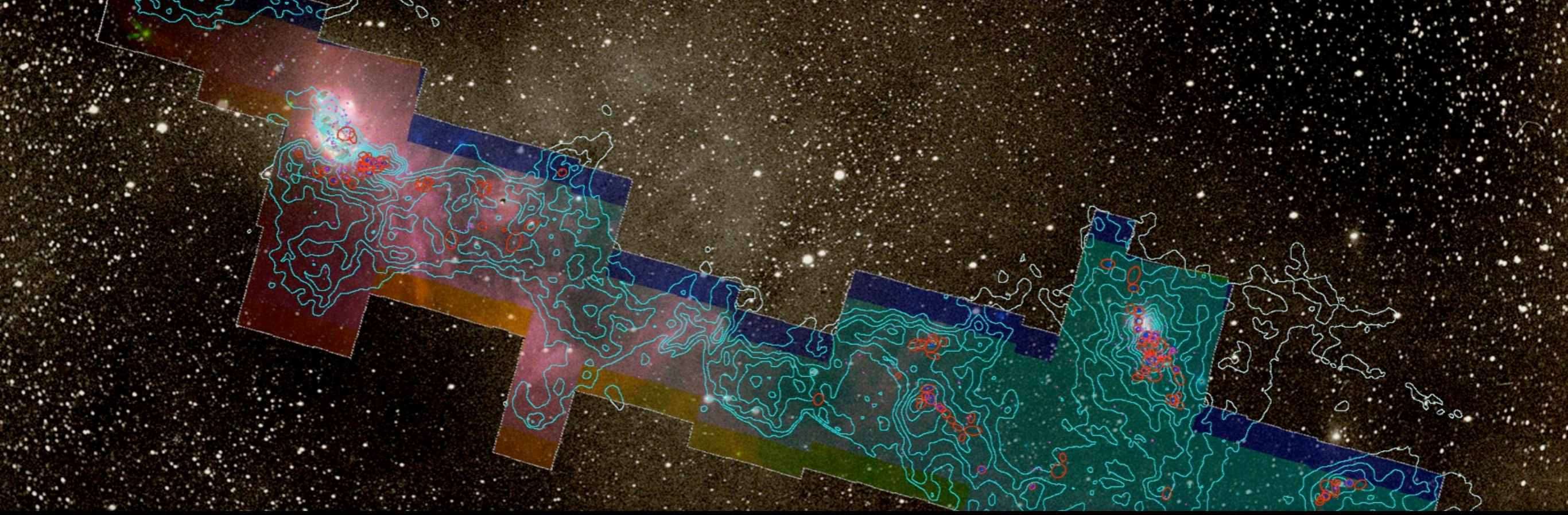
overlapping features as an option, significant emission found between prominent clumps is typically either appended to the nearest clump or turned into a small, usually 'pathological', feature needed to encompass all the emission being modelled. When applied to molecular-line



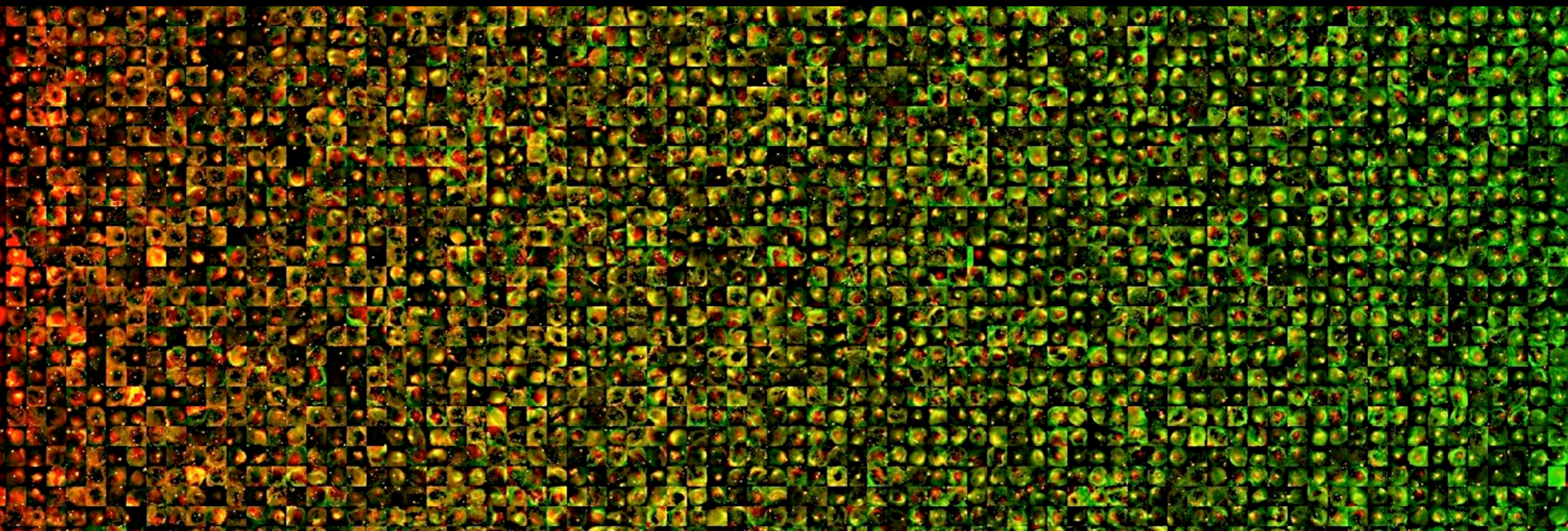
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Video & implementation: Christopher **Beaumont**, CFA;
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


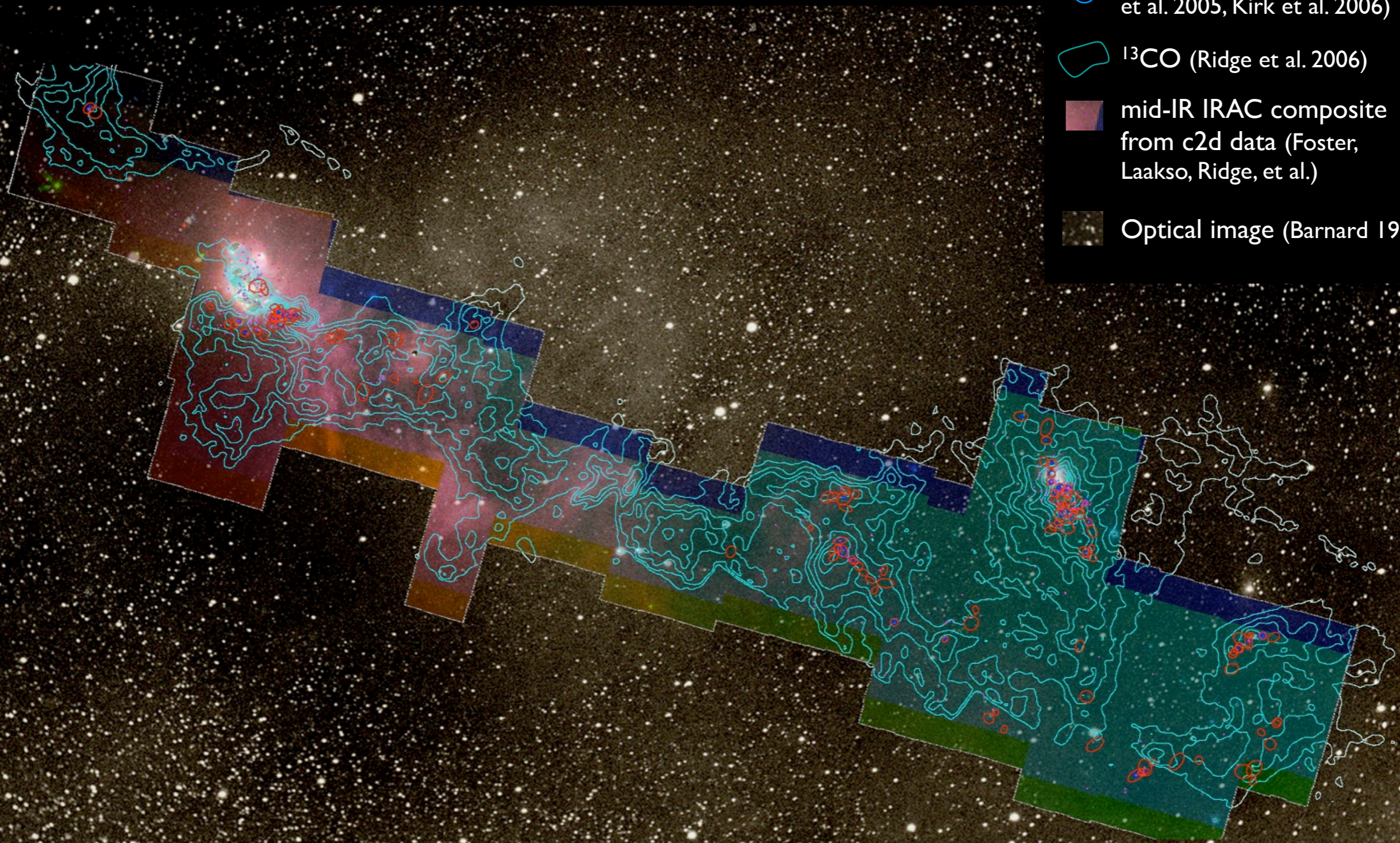
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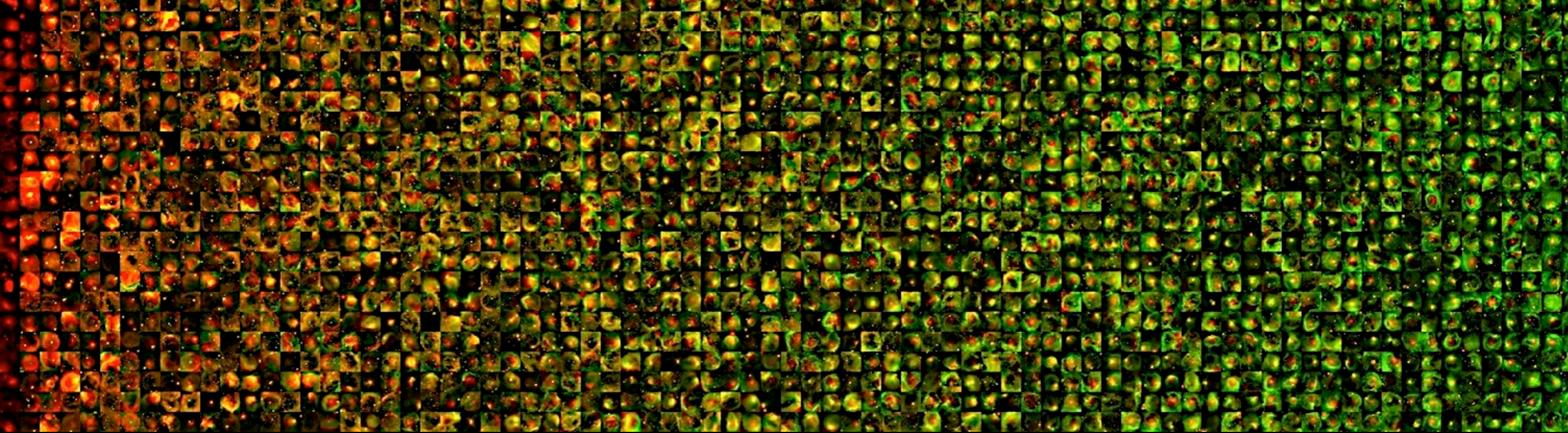


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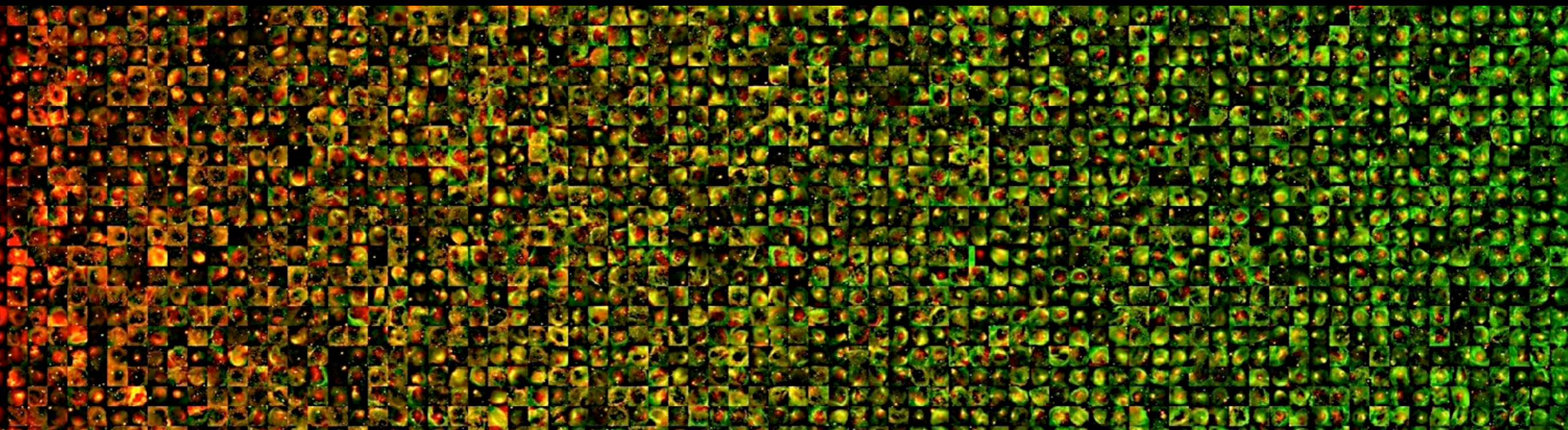
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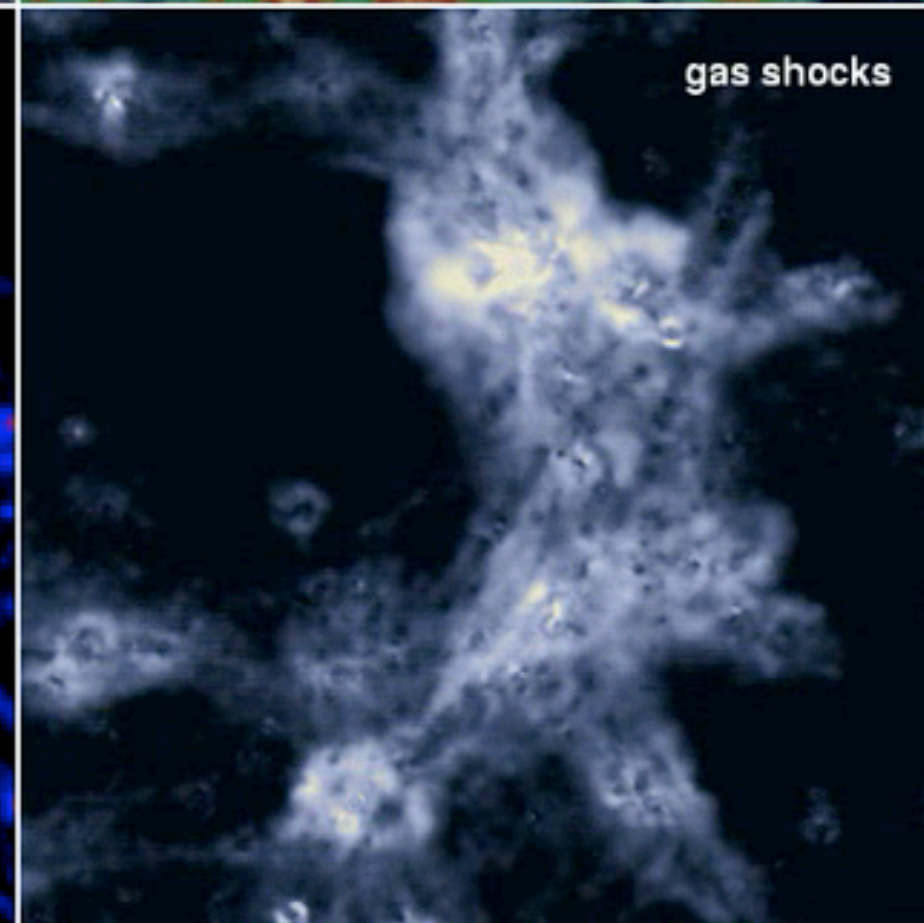
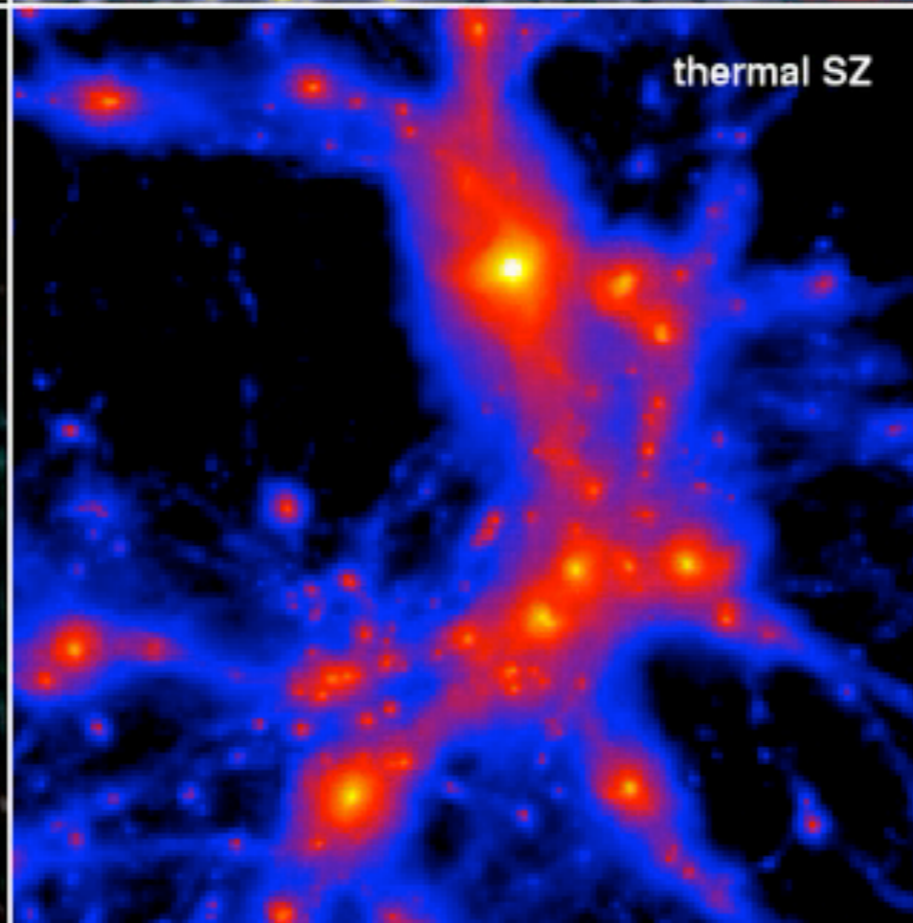
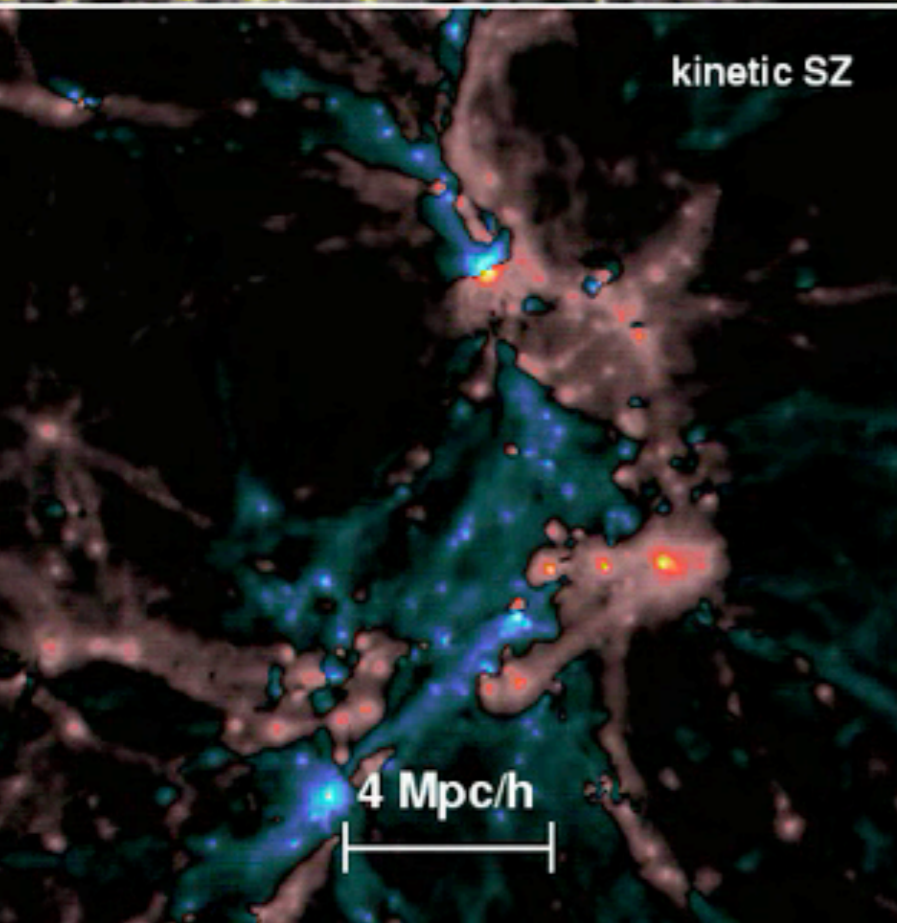
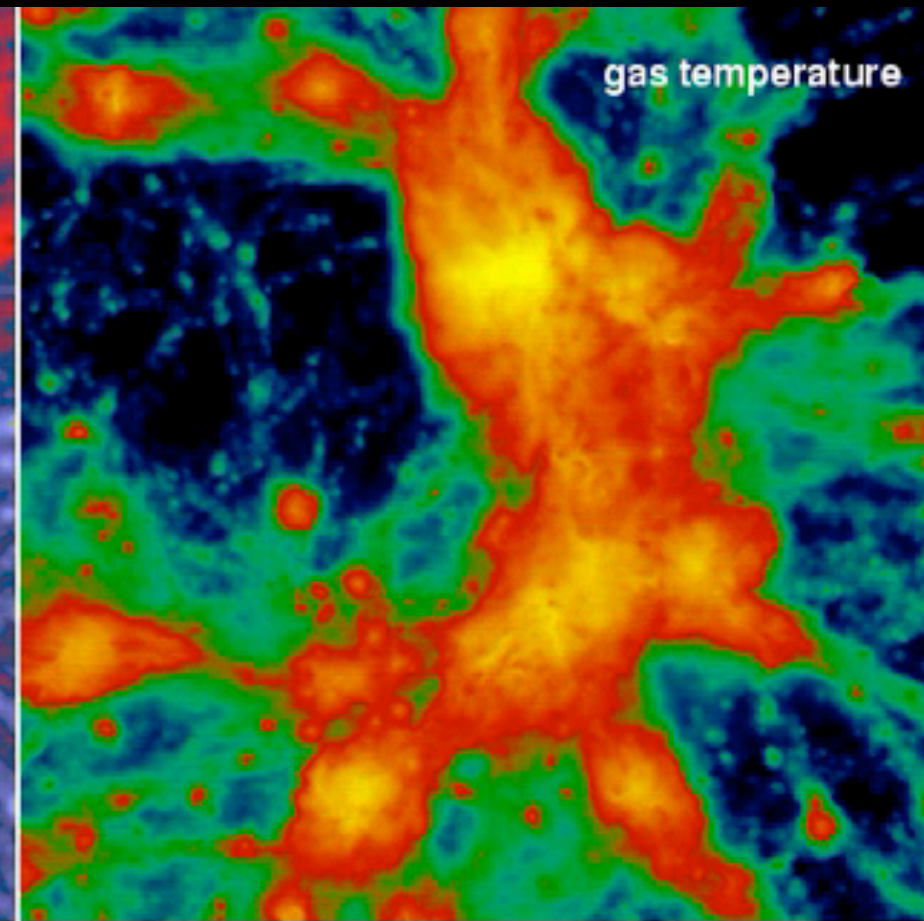
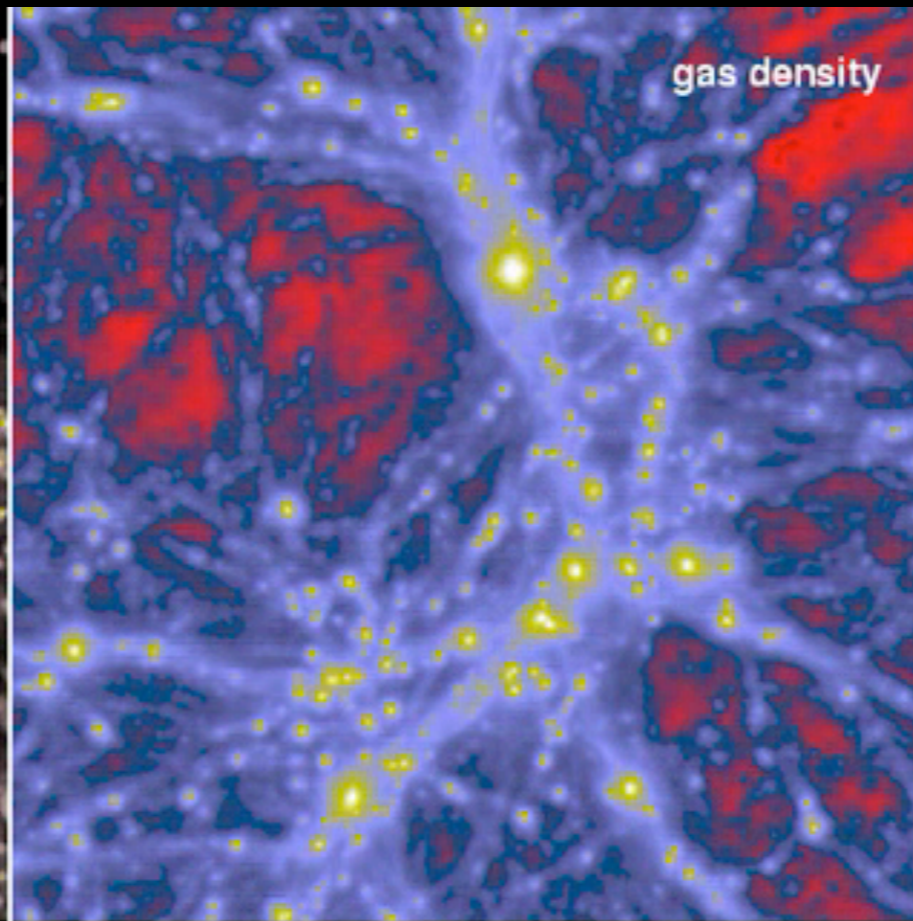
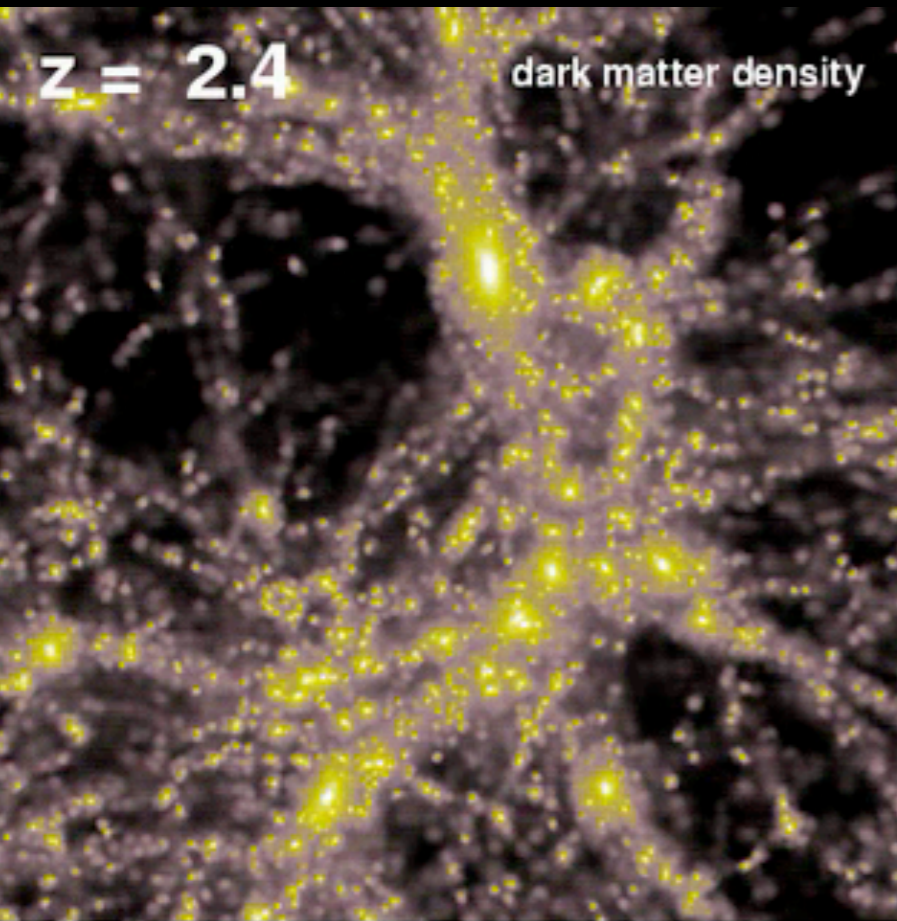
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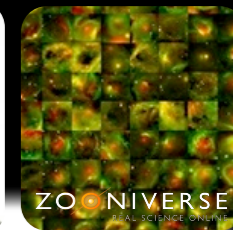
BIG AND WIDE DATA





Movie: Volker Springel, formation of a cluster of galaxies

BIG DATA AND "HUMAN-AIDED COMPUTING"

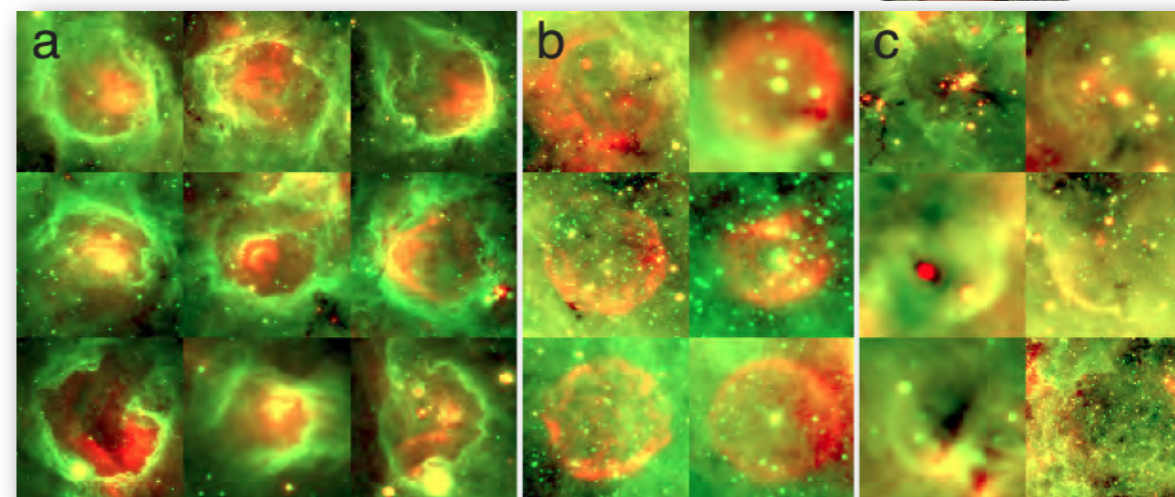


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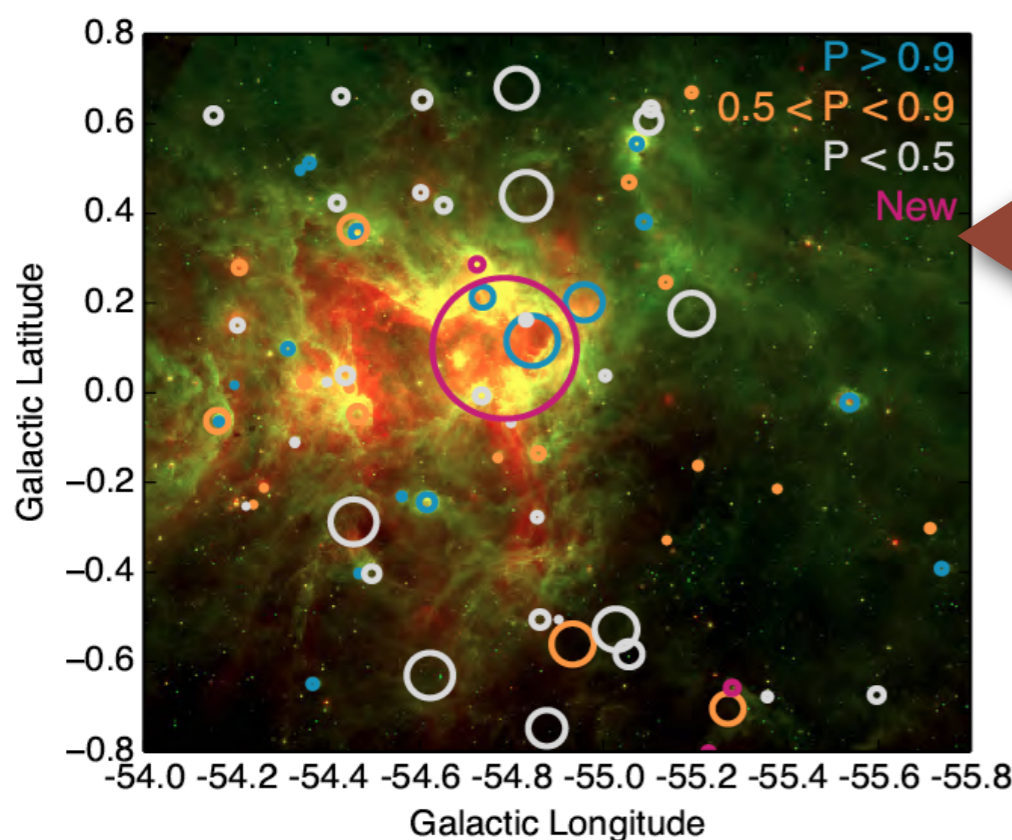
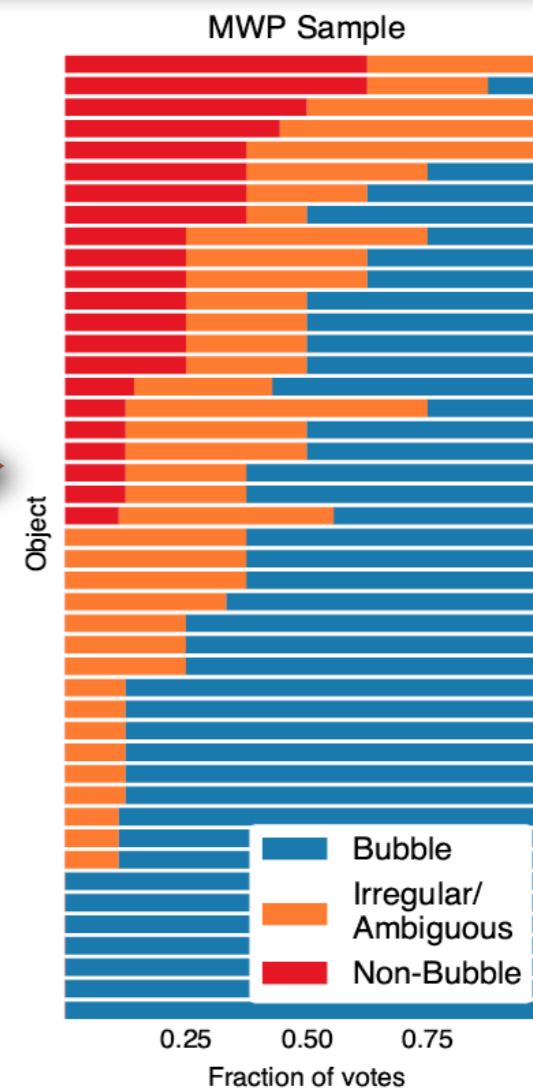
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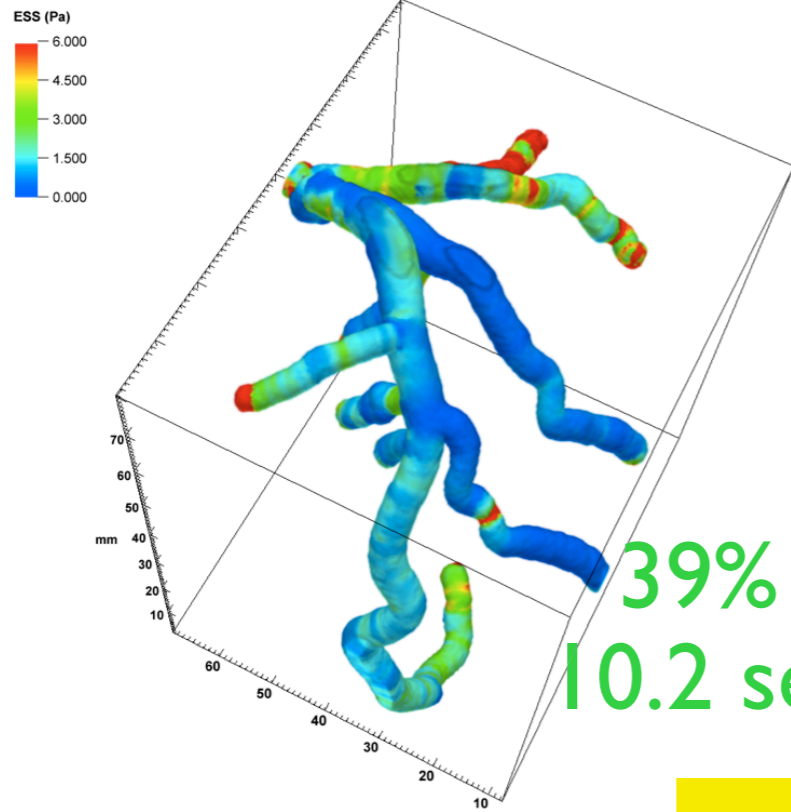
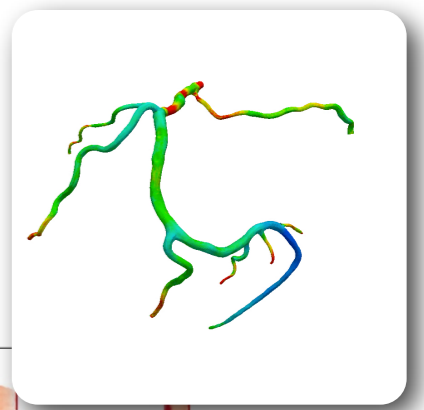


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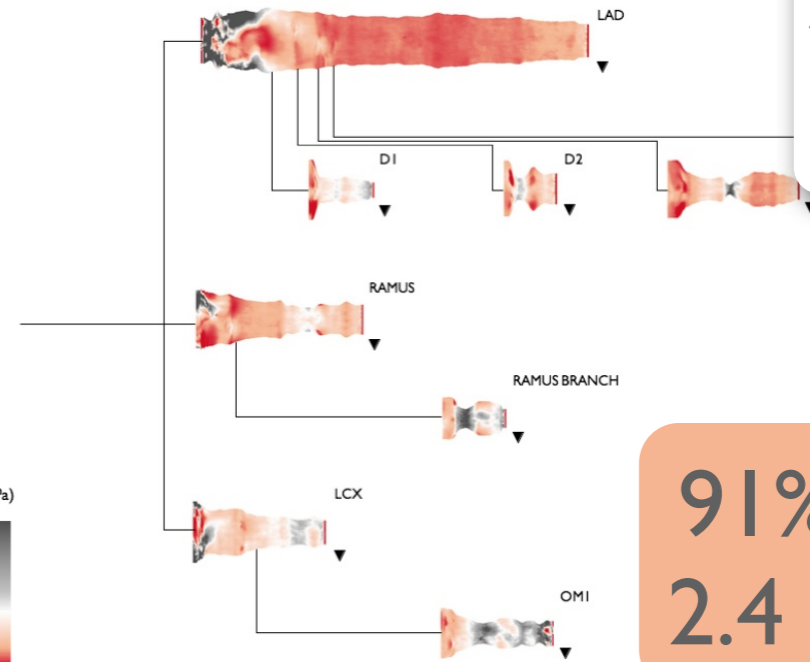


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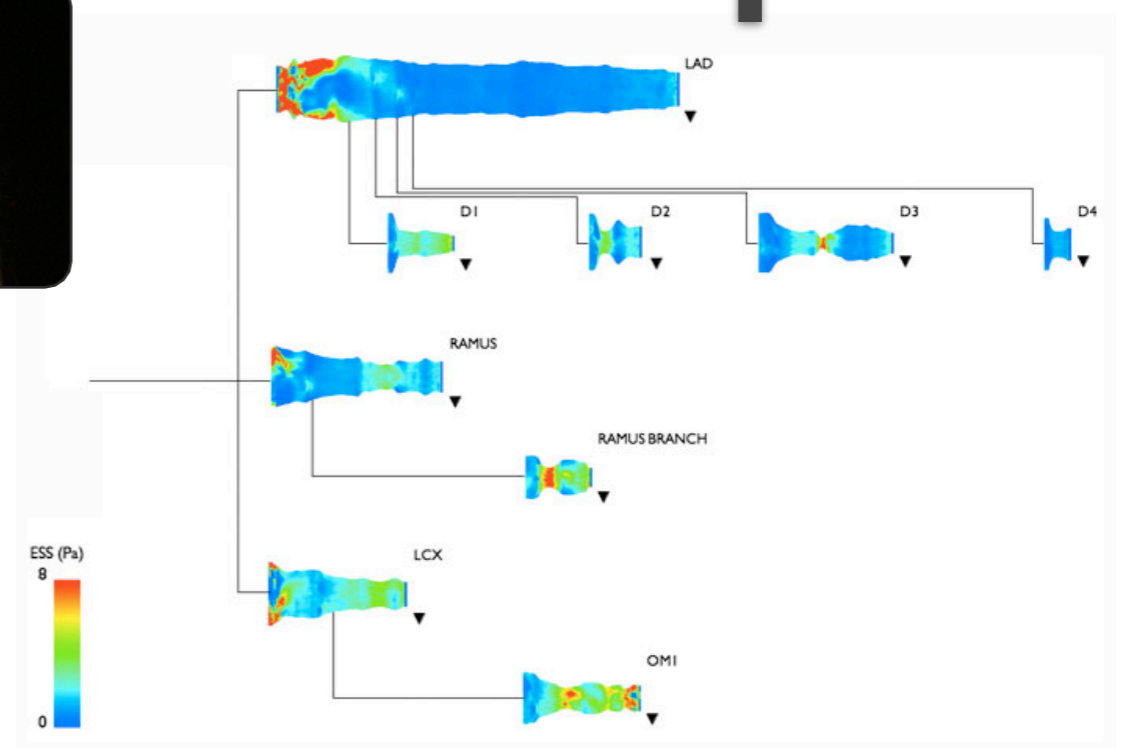
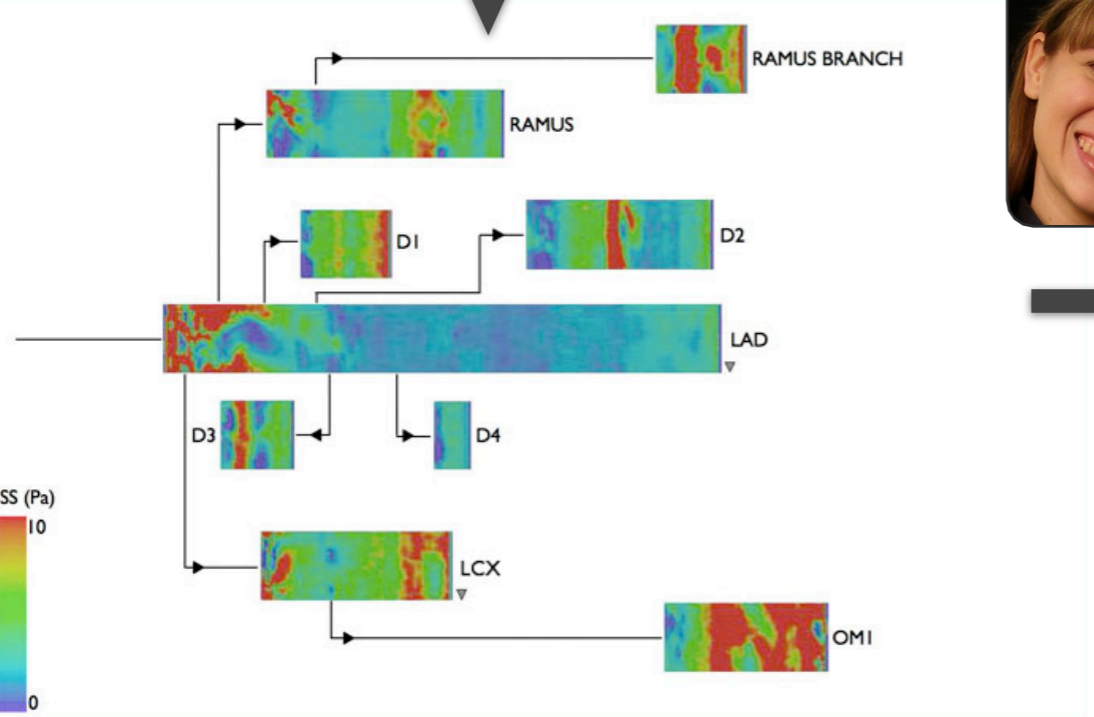


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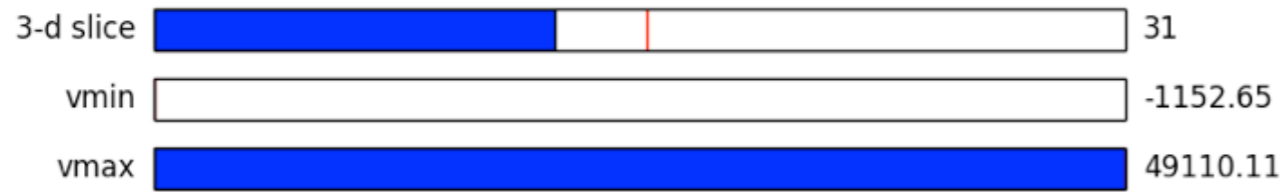
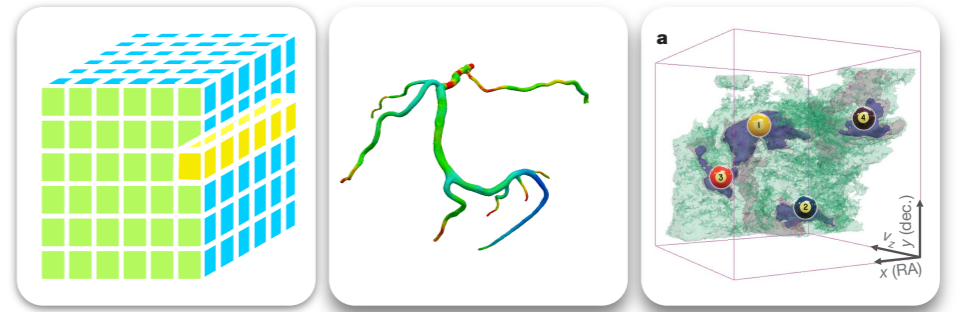
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see Michelle Borkin's talk



Borkin et al. 2011
cf. colorbrewer2.org

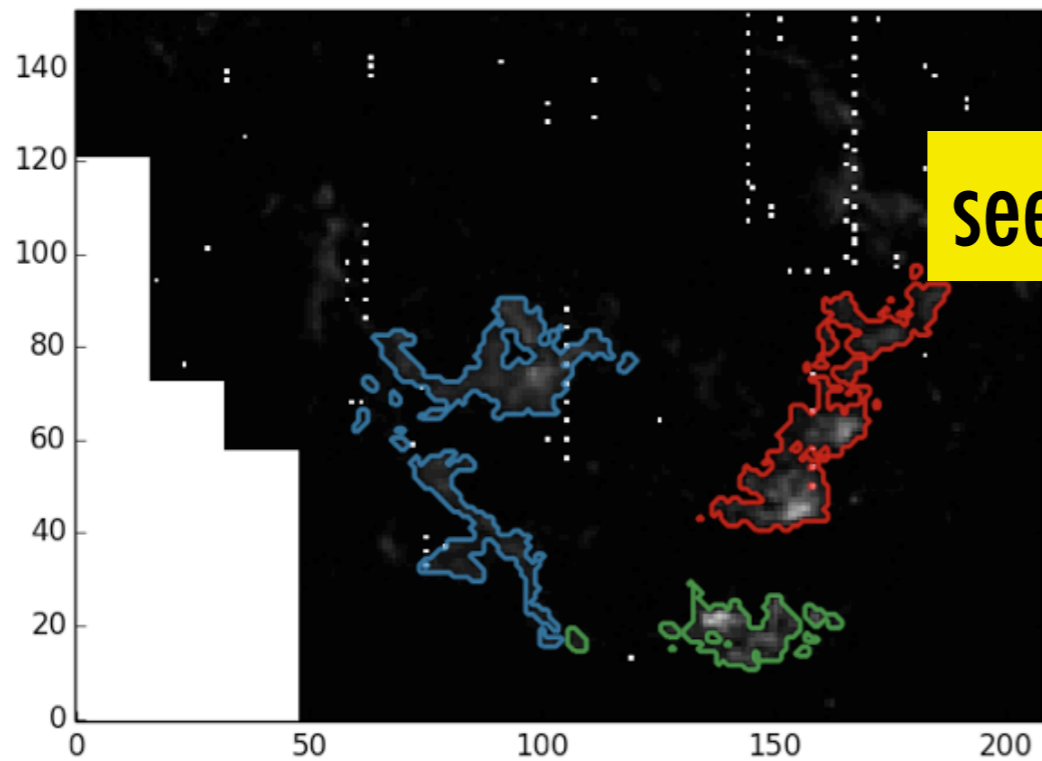
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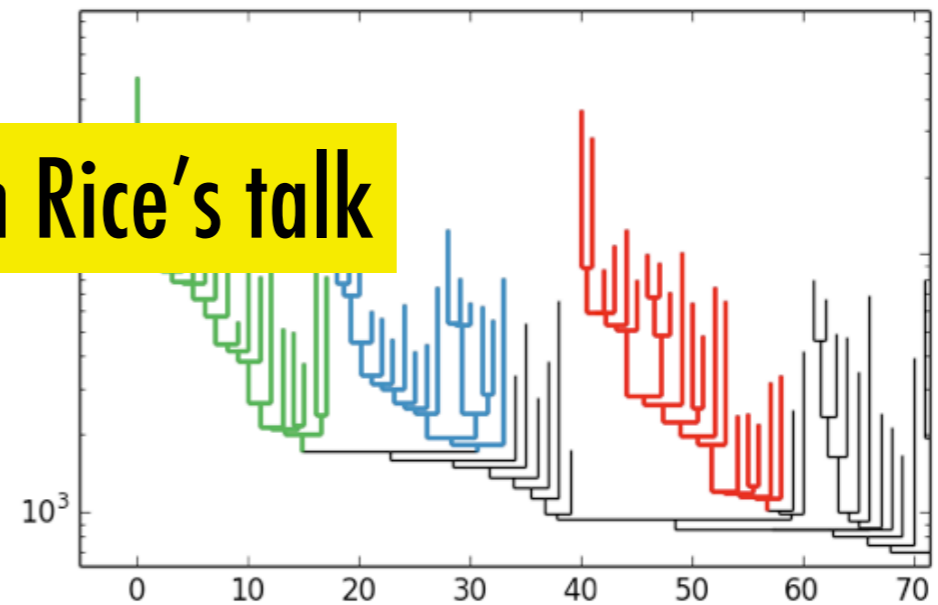
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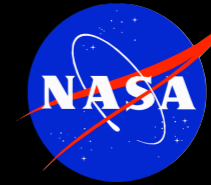


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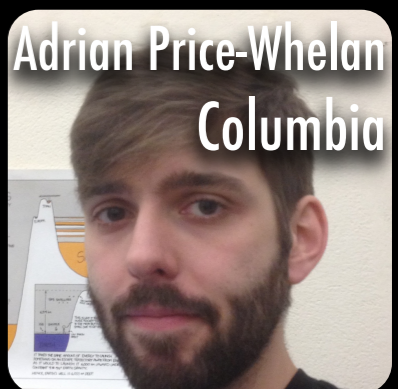
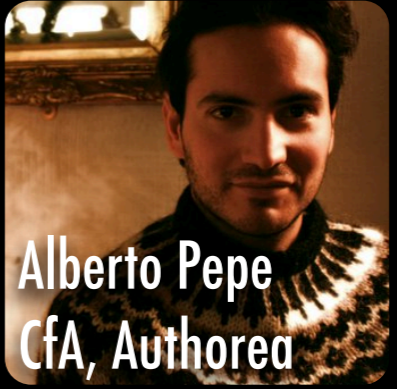
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stats



"THE STORY & THE SANDBOX" (GLUE:D3PO:AUTHOREA)



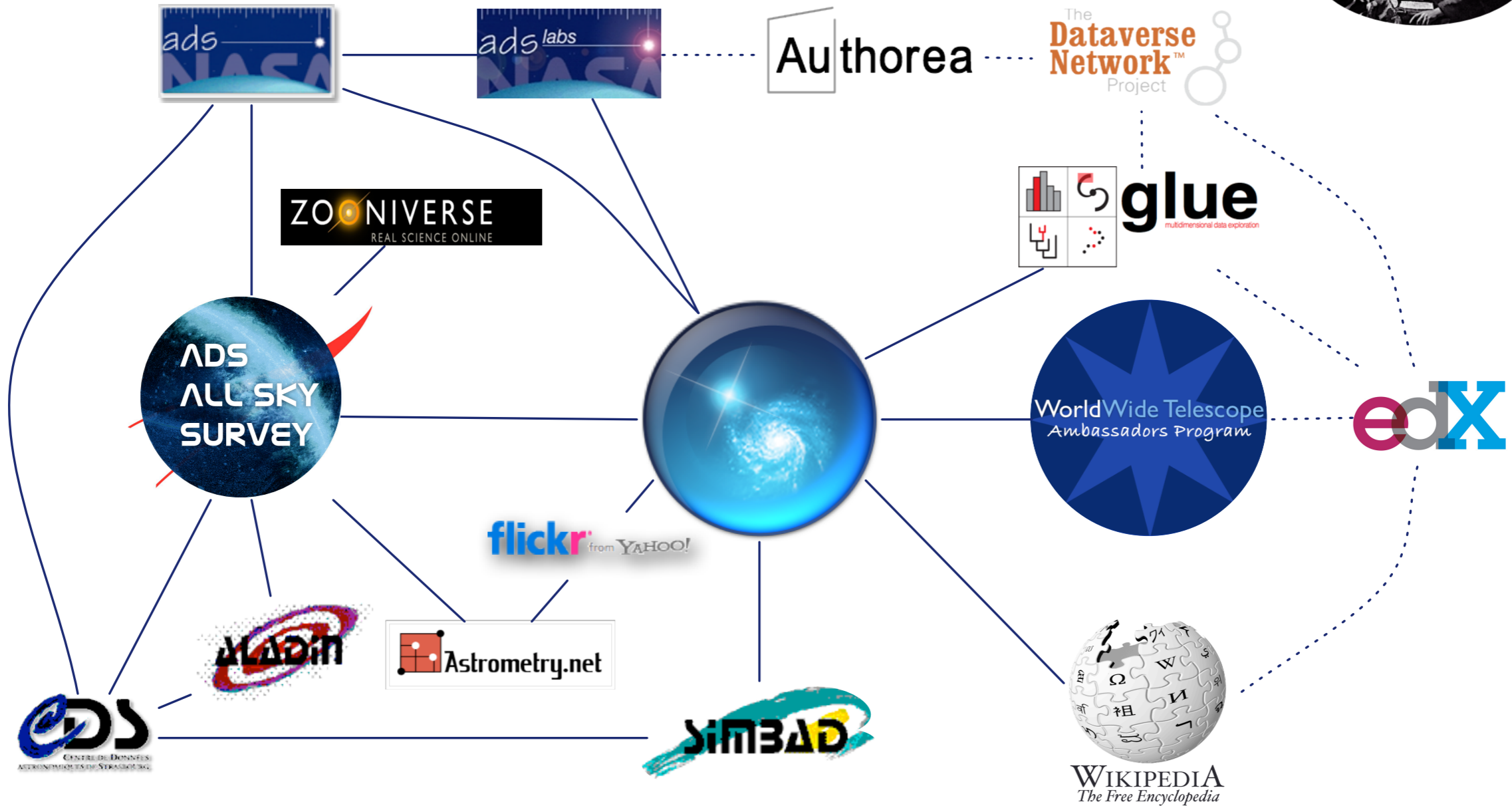
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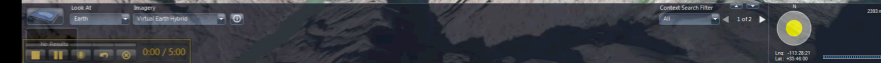
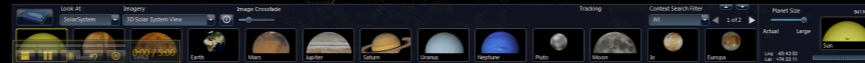
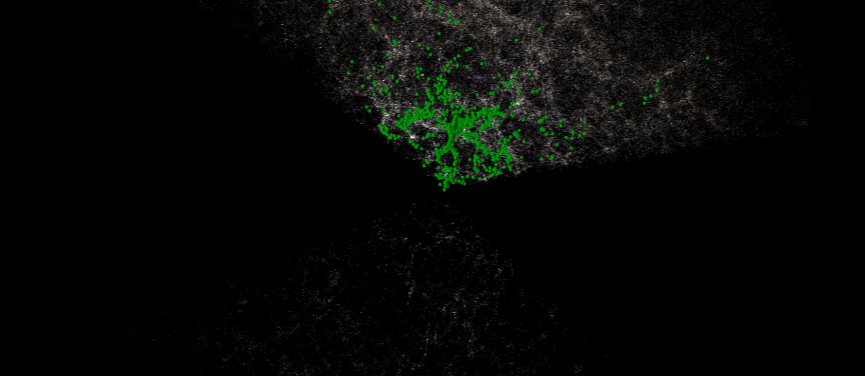
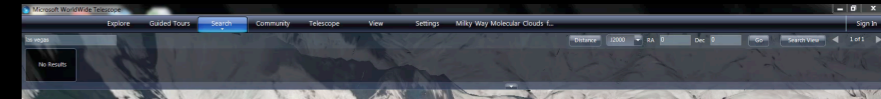
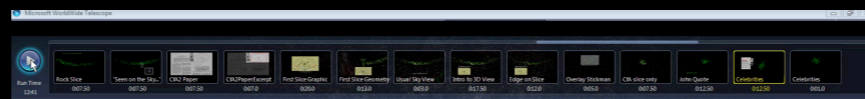
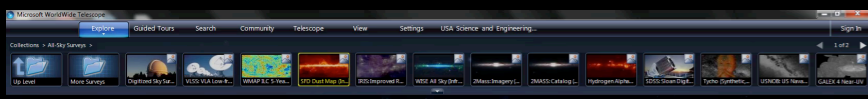
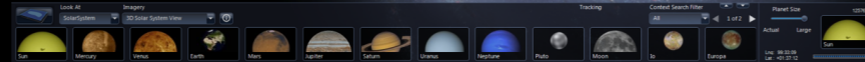
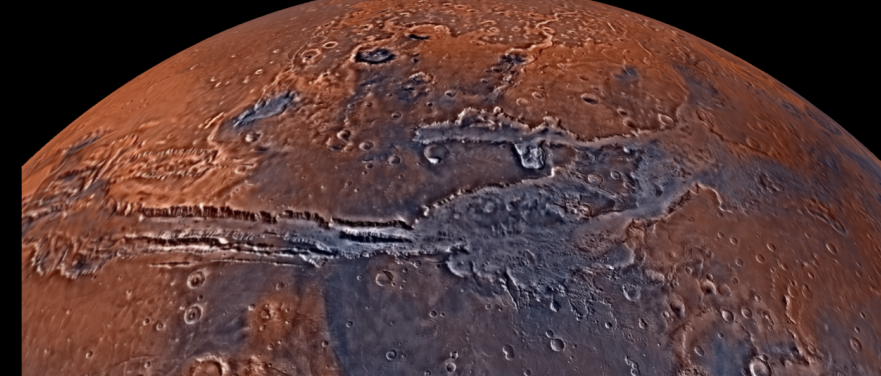
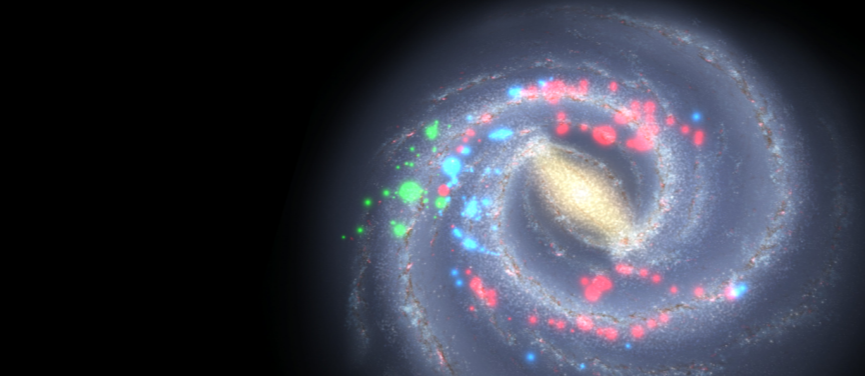
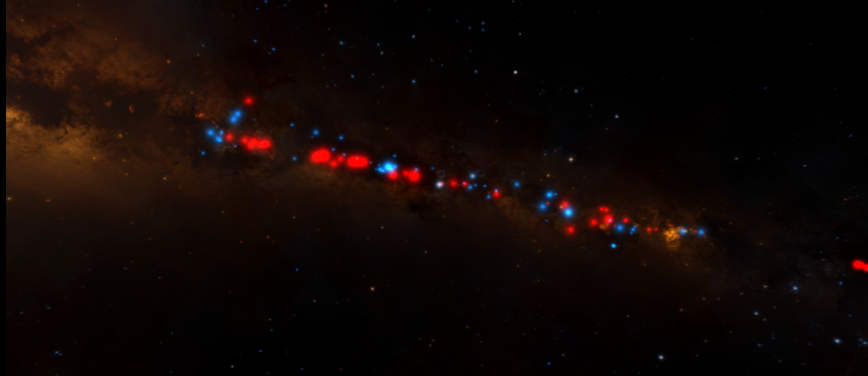
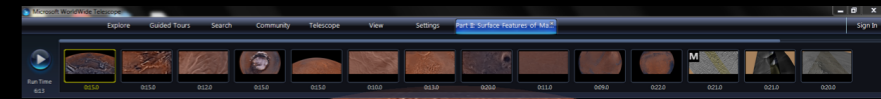
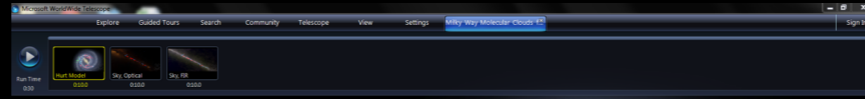
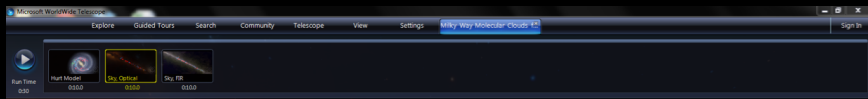
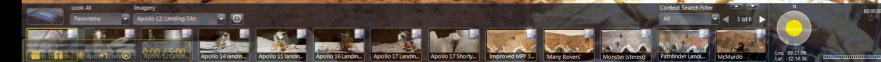
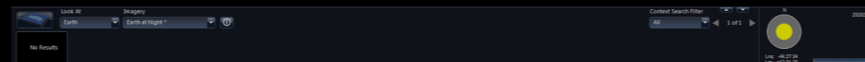
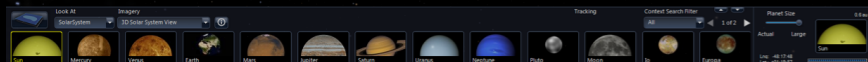
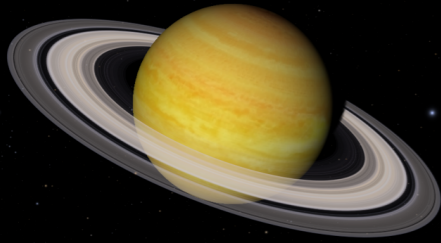
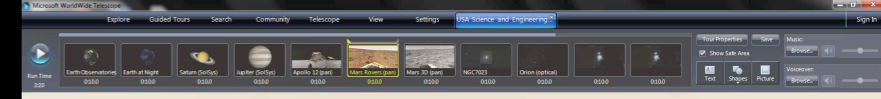
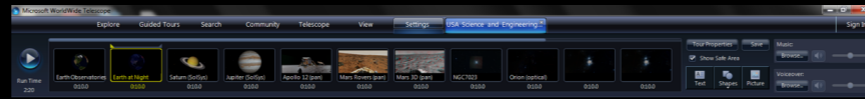
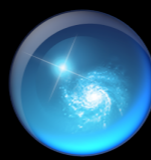
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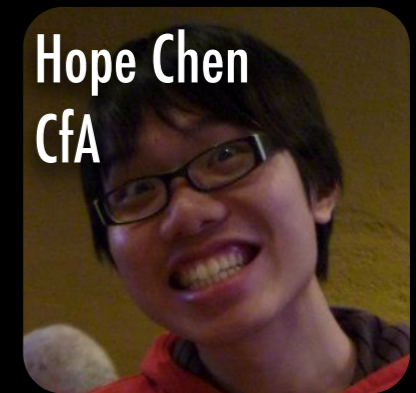
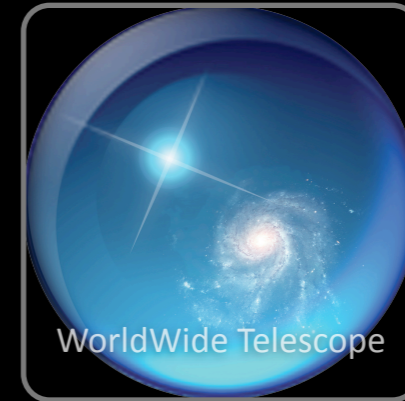


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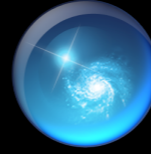
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Center on Perseus Center on Ophiuchus Center on Serpens

Full-Cloud Data (Phase I, All Data Available)

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Catalogs & Pointed Surveys

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Published in Mar 1906

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A GREAT PHOTOGRAPHIC NEBULA NEAR π AND δ SCORPII

By E. E. BARNARD

Through the courtesy of Professor Hale and the generosity of Mr. John D. Hooker, of Los Angeles, I spent the past spring and summer in photographic work at the Solar Observatory of the Carnegie Institution on Mount Wilson, California, at an altitude of 6000 feet. Mr. Hooker's generous grant made it possible to transport the Bruce Photographic Telescope of the Yerkes Observatory to Mount Wilson, where it was installed from February until September, 1905. It is hoped that the results may later be published in full, with reproductions of the principal photographs. At this time I wish to call attention to an especial region in *Scorpio*.

The main object of the work at Mount Wilson was to secure the best possible photographs of the Milky Way as far south as the latitude would permit. But little time was available for independent investigations in other parts of the sky, though the conditions for such work were often superb.

A few exposures were made, however, at various points in a search for diffused nebulosities. The extraordinary nebulosities in *Scorpio* and *Ophiuchus* which I found by photography in 1894—those of ρ *Ophiuchi*, ν *Scorpii*, etc.—suggested the immediate region of the upper part of the Scorpion as a suitable hunting-ground. Trial plates were exposed on ρ *Scorpii*, and π *Scorpii*, and elsewhere. The photographs of the region of π showed a very remarkable, large, straggling nebula extending from π to δ *Scorpii*, with branches involving several other naked-eye stars near.

With the exception of the great curved nebula in *Orion* and some of the exterior nebulosities of the *Pleiades*, this nebula is quite exceptional in its extent, and in the peculiarities of its various branches. A simple description of it would be inadequate to give a fair conception of these features.

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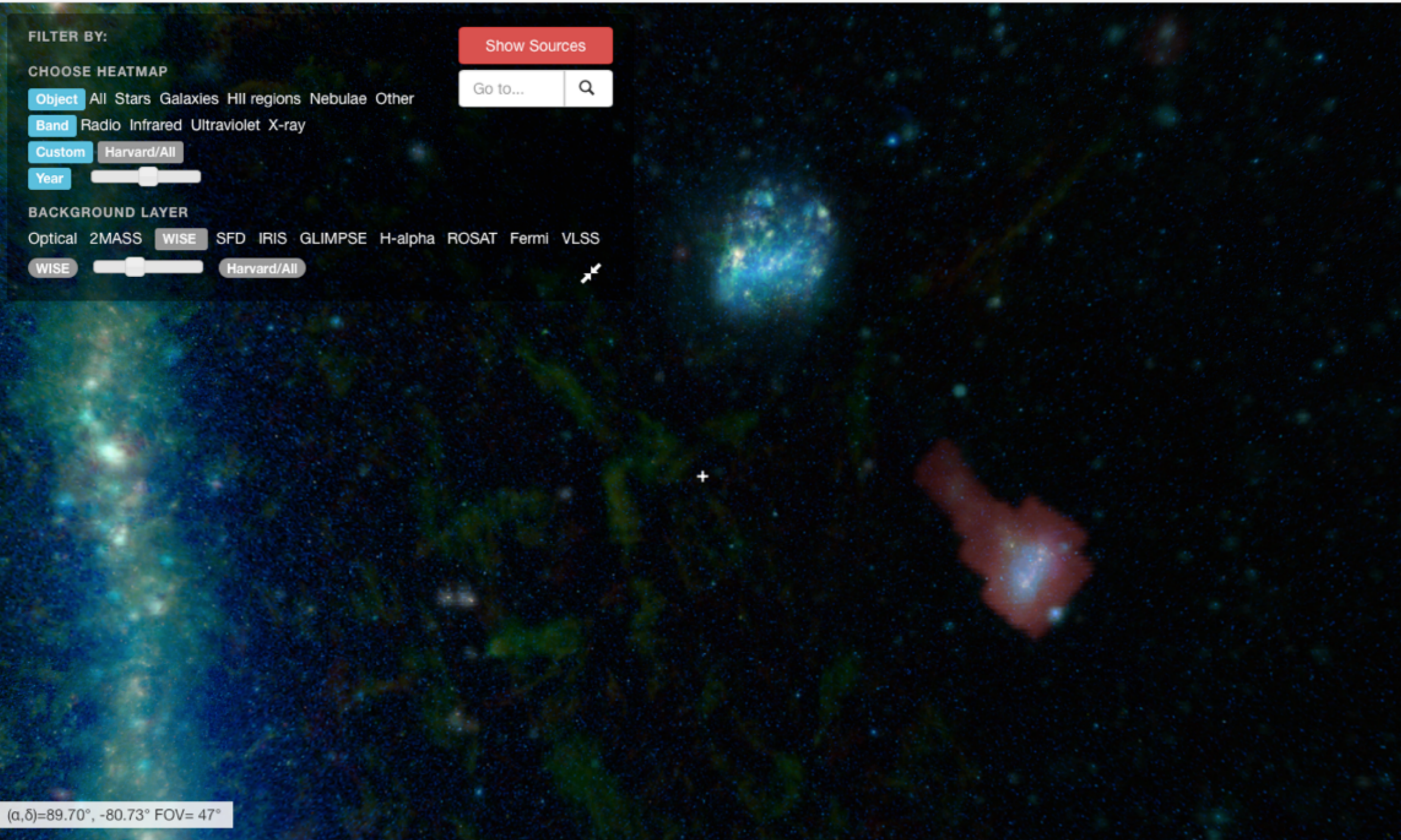
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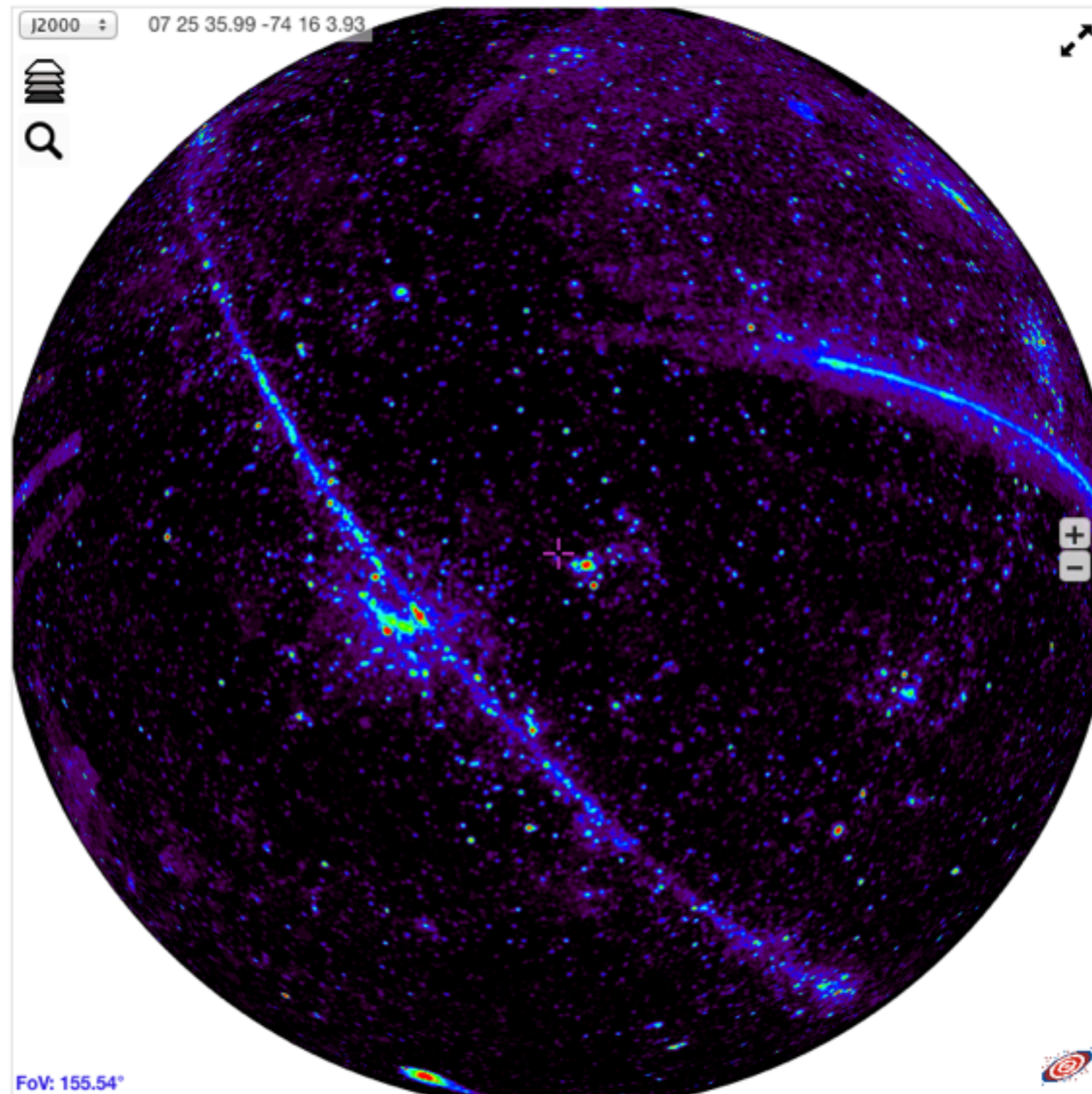


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FoV: 155.54°



let's zoom in (on Ophiuchus)

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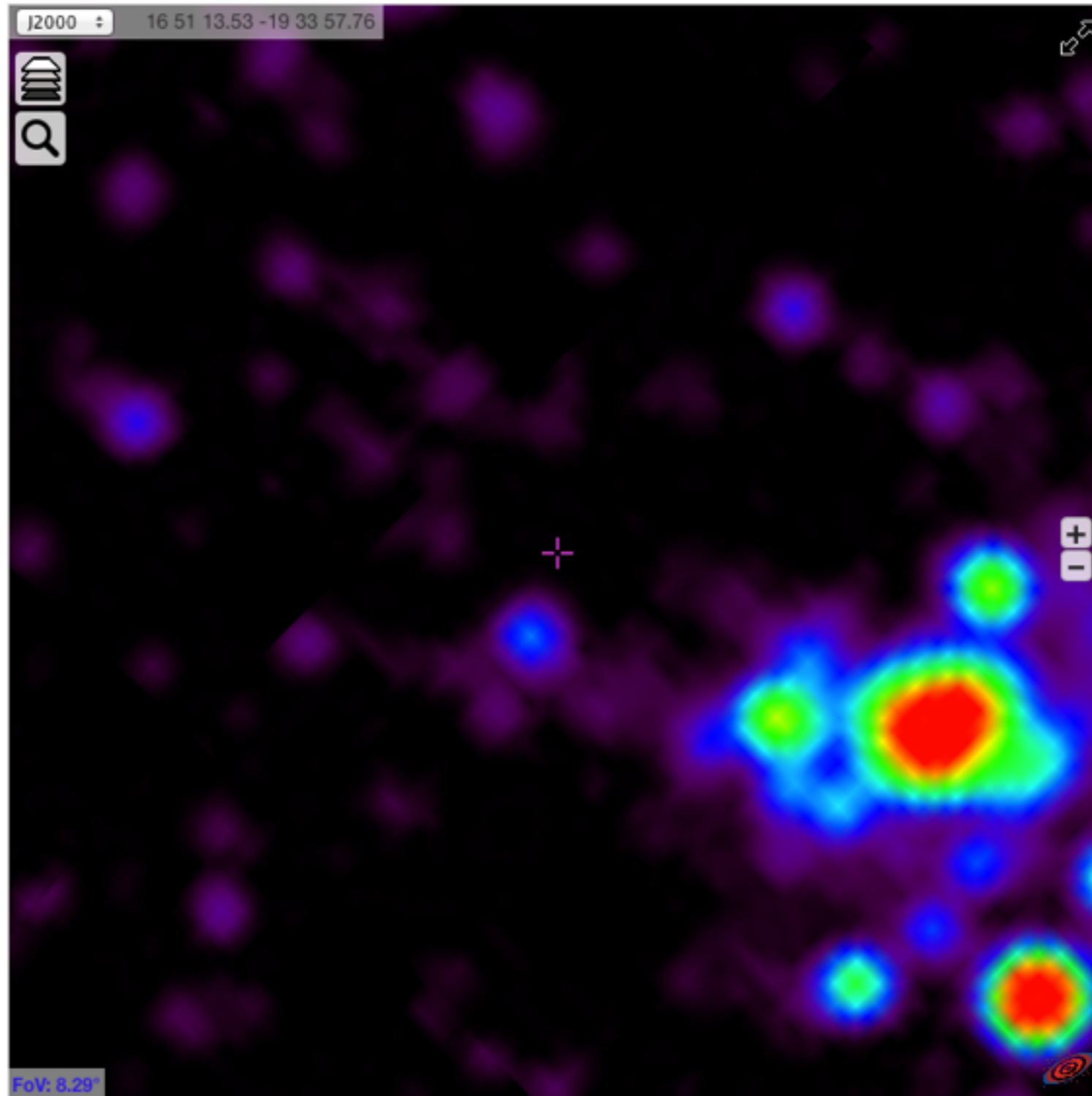
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now, let's toggle on the "Mellinger" view of the Sky ...to see a nice optical image of Ophiuchus

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to add **markers** for SIMBAD sources, we can click the **Select Tool**

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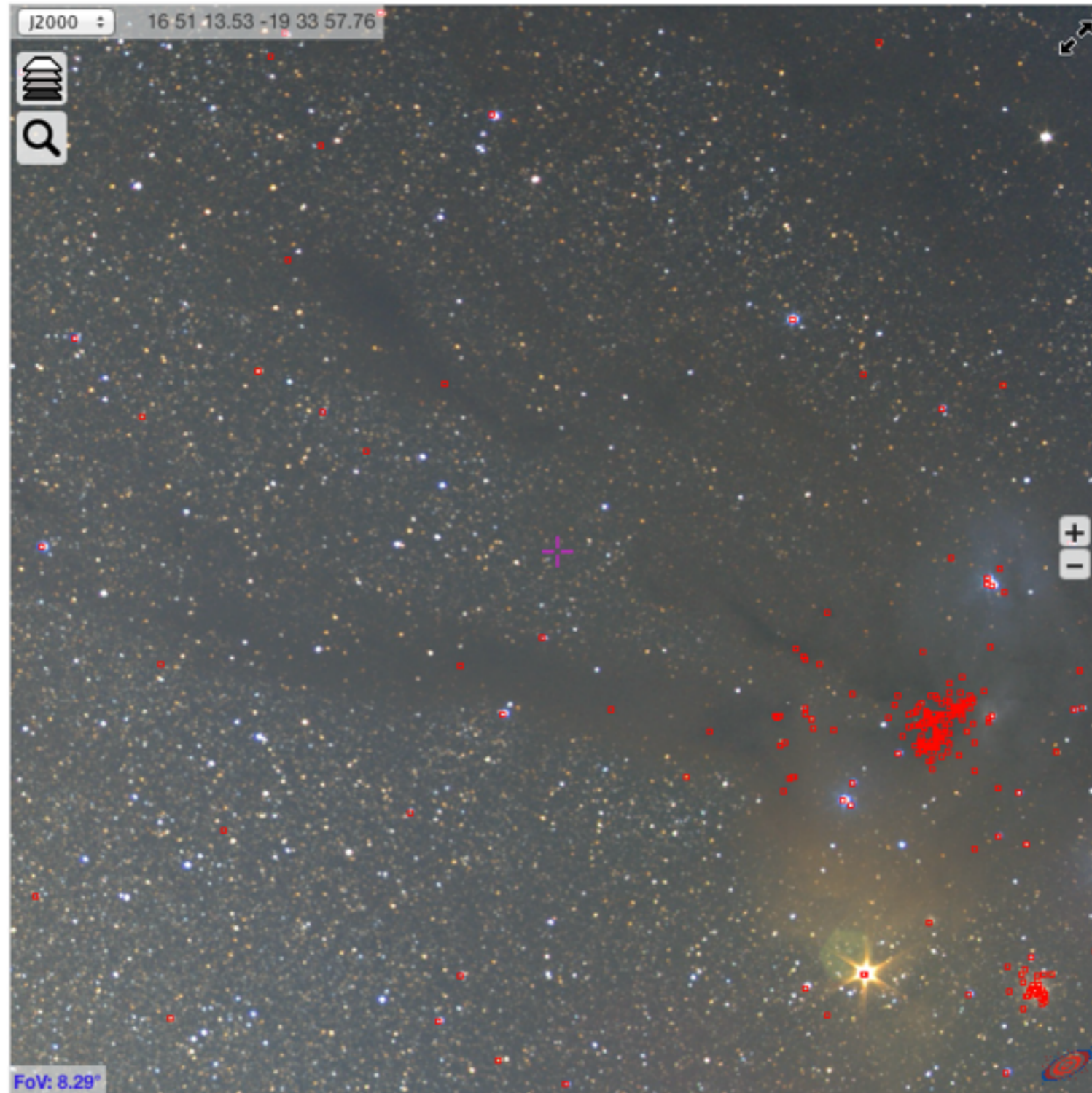
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now, if we re-select "All," we see **sources** on article distribution

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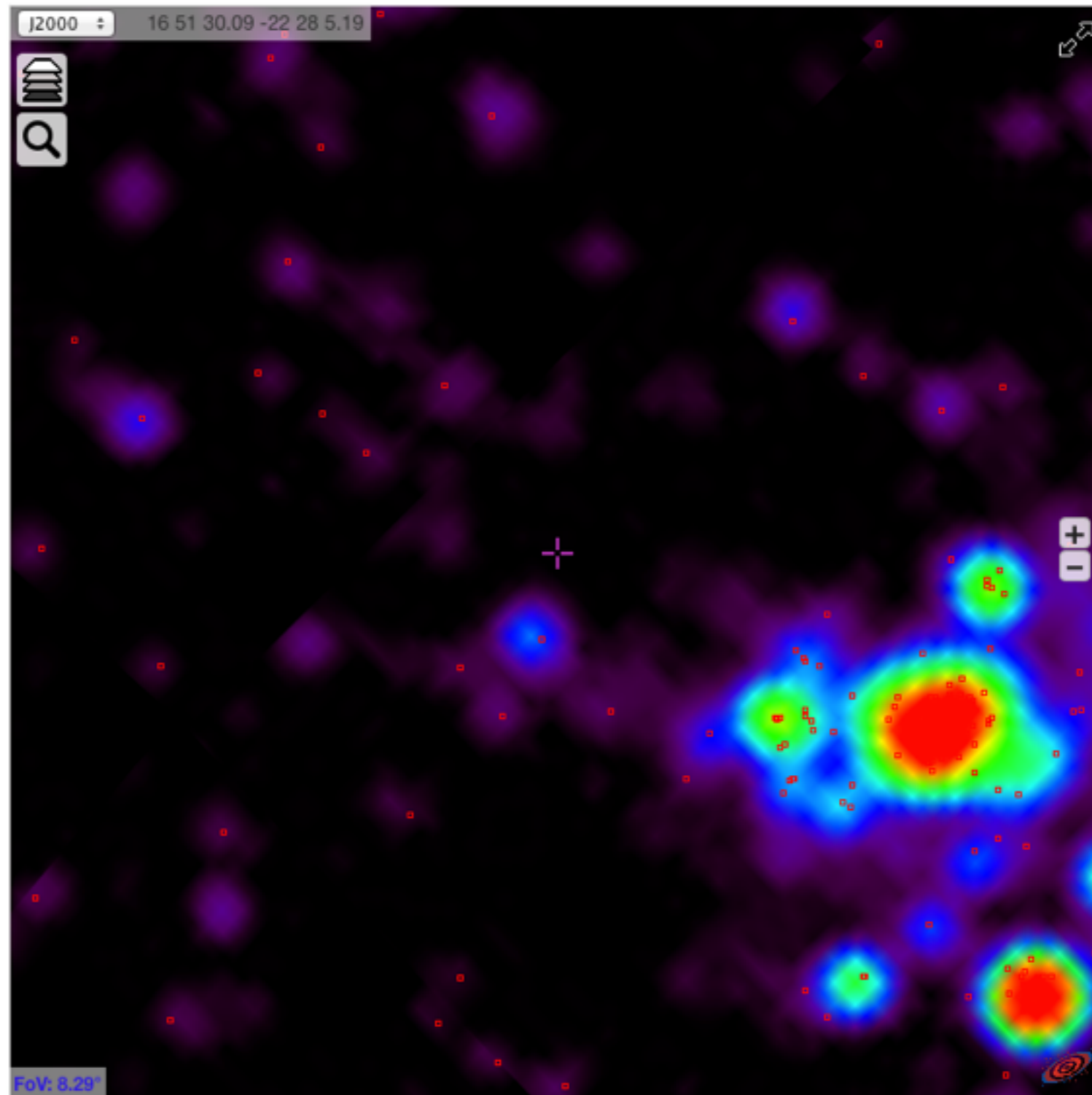
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panning over a bit, we can center our region of interest

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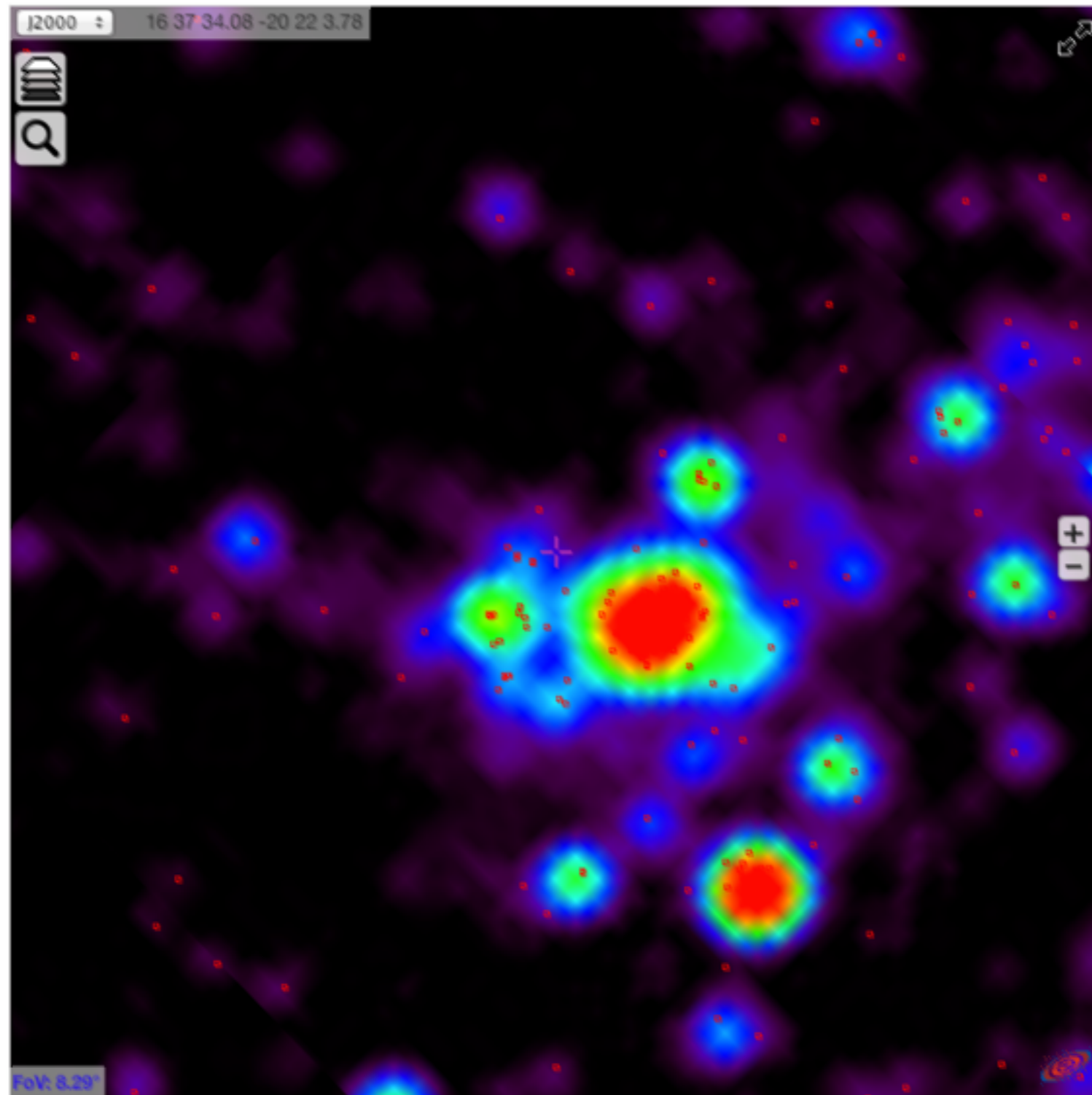
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let's change the **color table** from **rainbow** to greyscale to make **sources** more apparent

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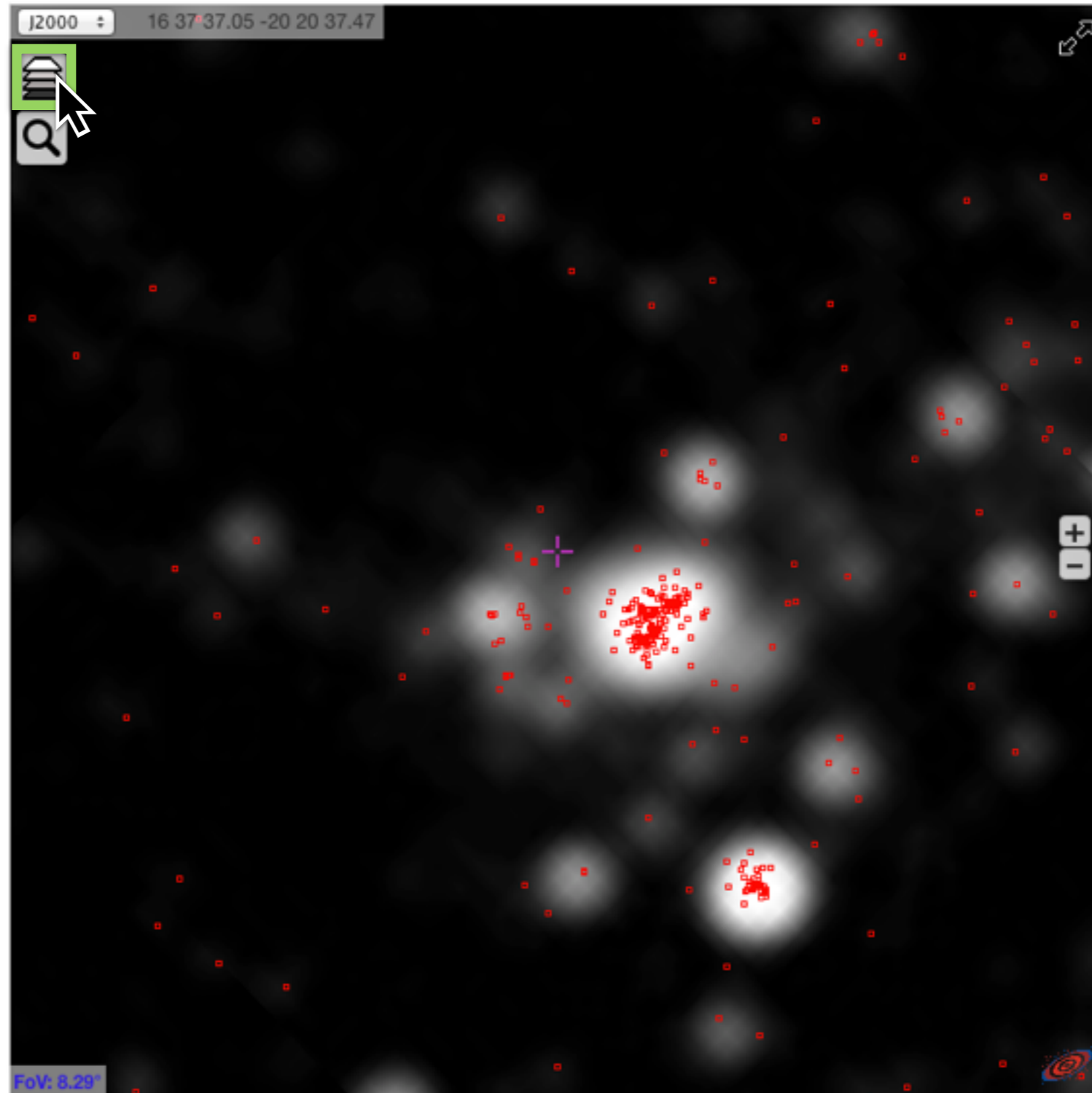
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let's look now at the distribution of articles about "HII regions" and *select* an area we're curious about

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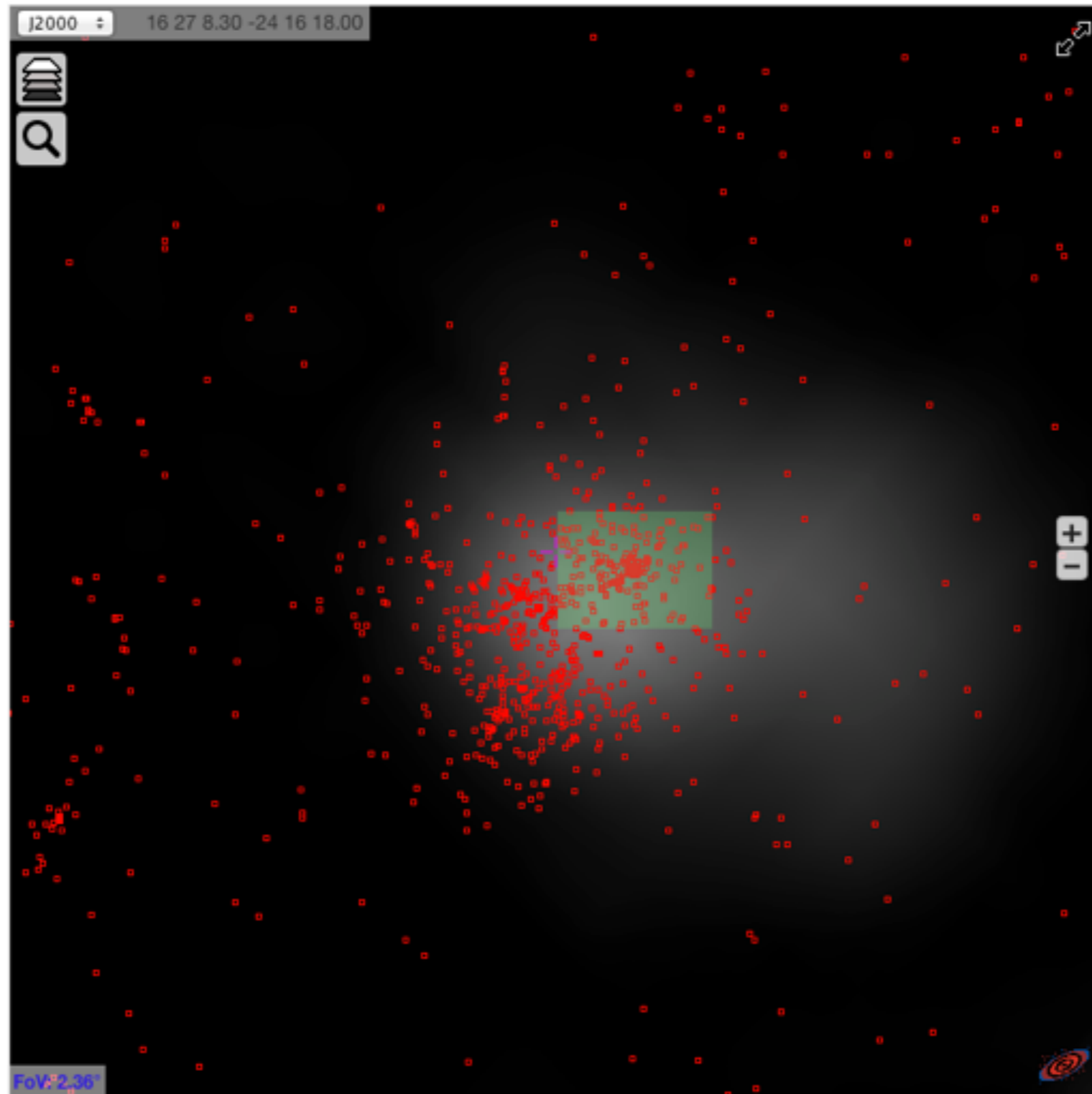
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Select tool



when we *release* the selection rectangle, we get a pop-up list of **papers (ADS)** mentioning these objects, or a list of the **objects (CDS/SIMBAD)** we highlighted

The screenshot shows the ALADIN web interface. At the top, there are navigation links: 'The ADS All Sky Survey', 'About', 'Watch videos', 'Tour', and 'Open WWT version'. On the right, it says 'Astronomy articles. In the sky.' The left sidebar contains filter options: 'FILTER BY', 'Object' (All Stars, Galaxies, HII regions, Nebulae, Other), 'Band' (Radio, Infrared, Ultraviolet, X-ray), 'Custom' (Harvard), and 'Year' (a slider). Below that is 'TOGGLE BASE LAYER' with options like 'Optical', 'Mellinger', 'GALEX', 'AIS', 'DSS2 Red', 'IRIS', '2MASS', 'Halpha', and 'VTSS'. A 'Select tool' button is at the bottom of the sidebar. The main content area is partially obscured by a pop-up window titled 'Selected papers/objects'. This window has two tabs: 'Papers' (selected) and 'Objects'. It contains a list of 30 astronomical references, truncated to 200 most recent papers. A mouse cursor is pointing at the 'Open papers in ADS' button in the window's header. The ALADIN logo is in the bottom right corner.

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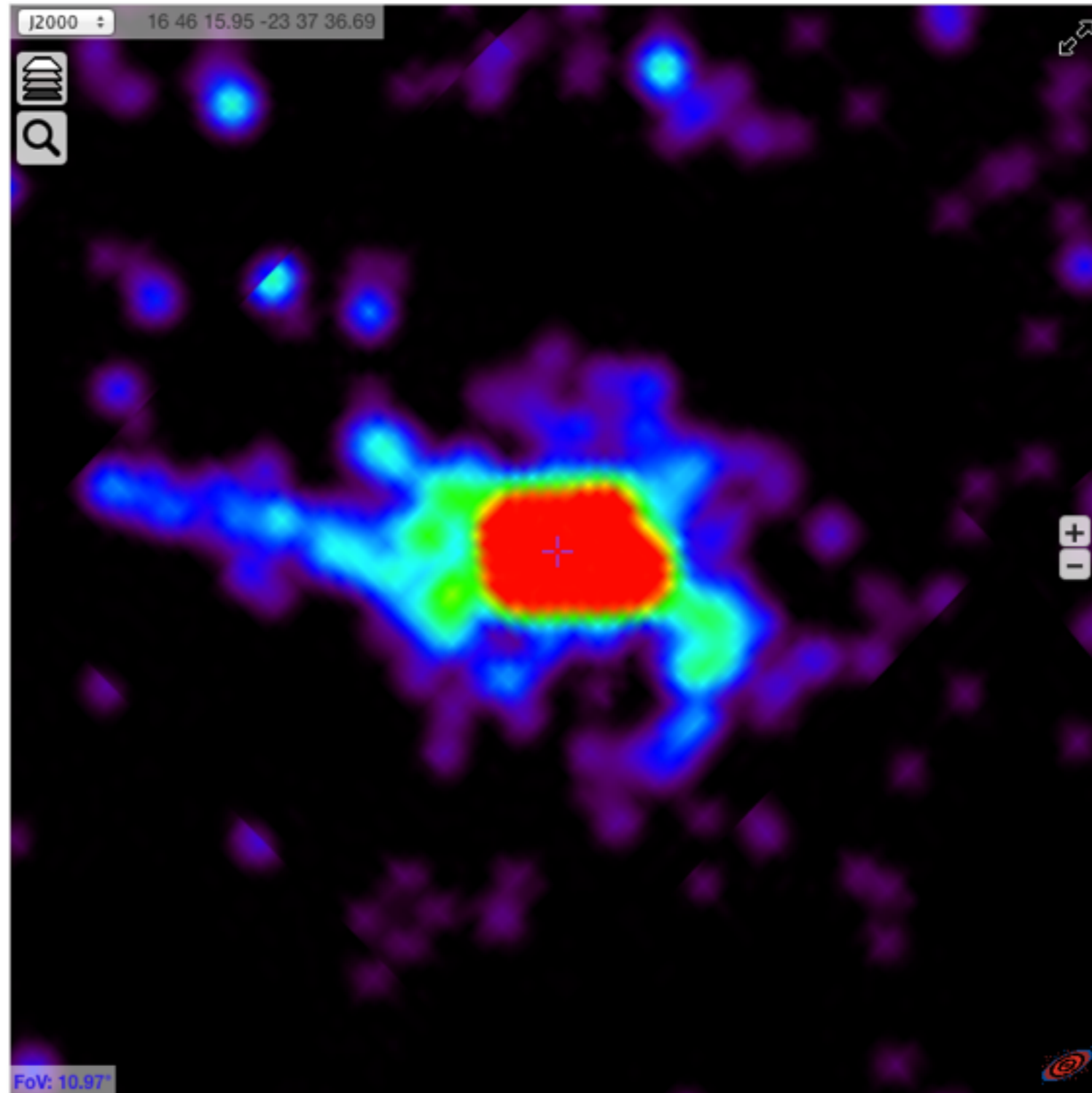
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dust is nice, but we're curious about HII regions, let's change view to **H-alpha**

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now let's zoom in, and try "Show Sources" to see what the SIMBAD X-ray sources really are

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