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# Fast **Machine Learning** for **Gravitational Waves**

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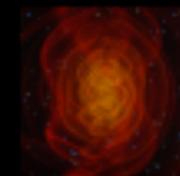


# Big Bang

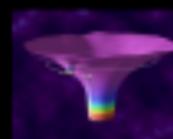
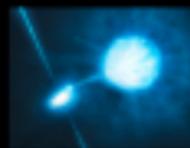
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## Supermassive Black Hole Binary Merger



## Compact Binary Inspiral & Merger



## Extreme Mass-Ratio Inspirals



## Pulsars, Supernovae



age of the universe

Wave Period

years

hours

seconds

milliseconds

$10^{-16}$

$10^{-14}$

$10^{-12}$

$10^{-10}$

$10^{-8}$

$10^{-6}$

$10^{-4}$

$10^{-2}$

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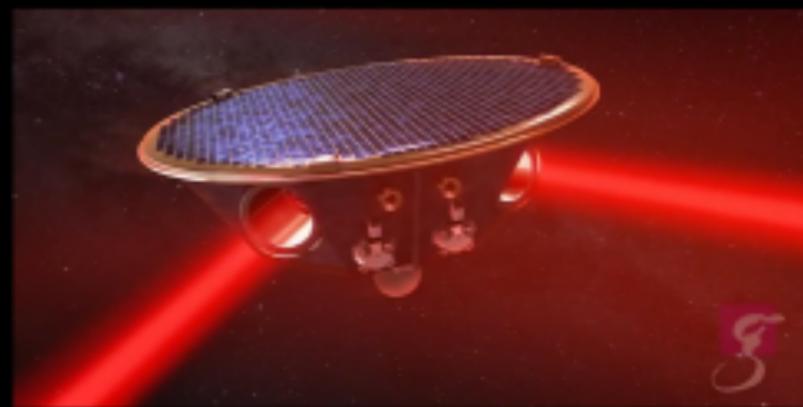
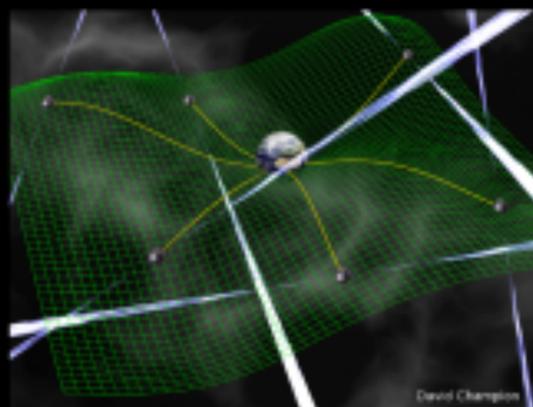
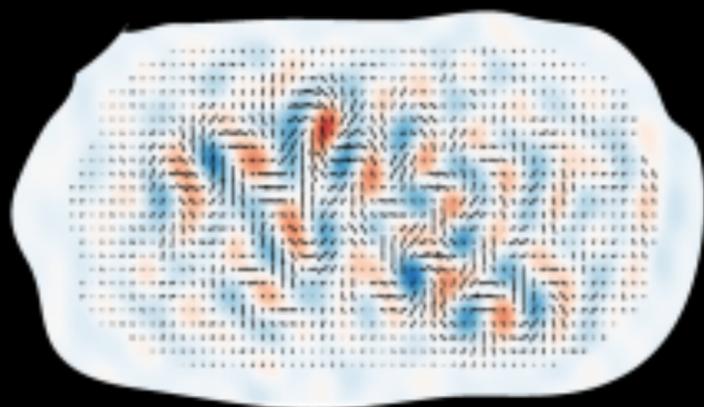
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Wave Frequency

CMB Polarization

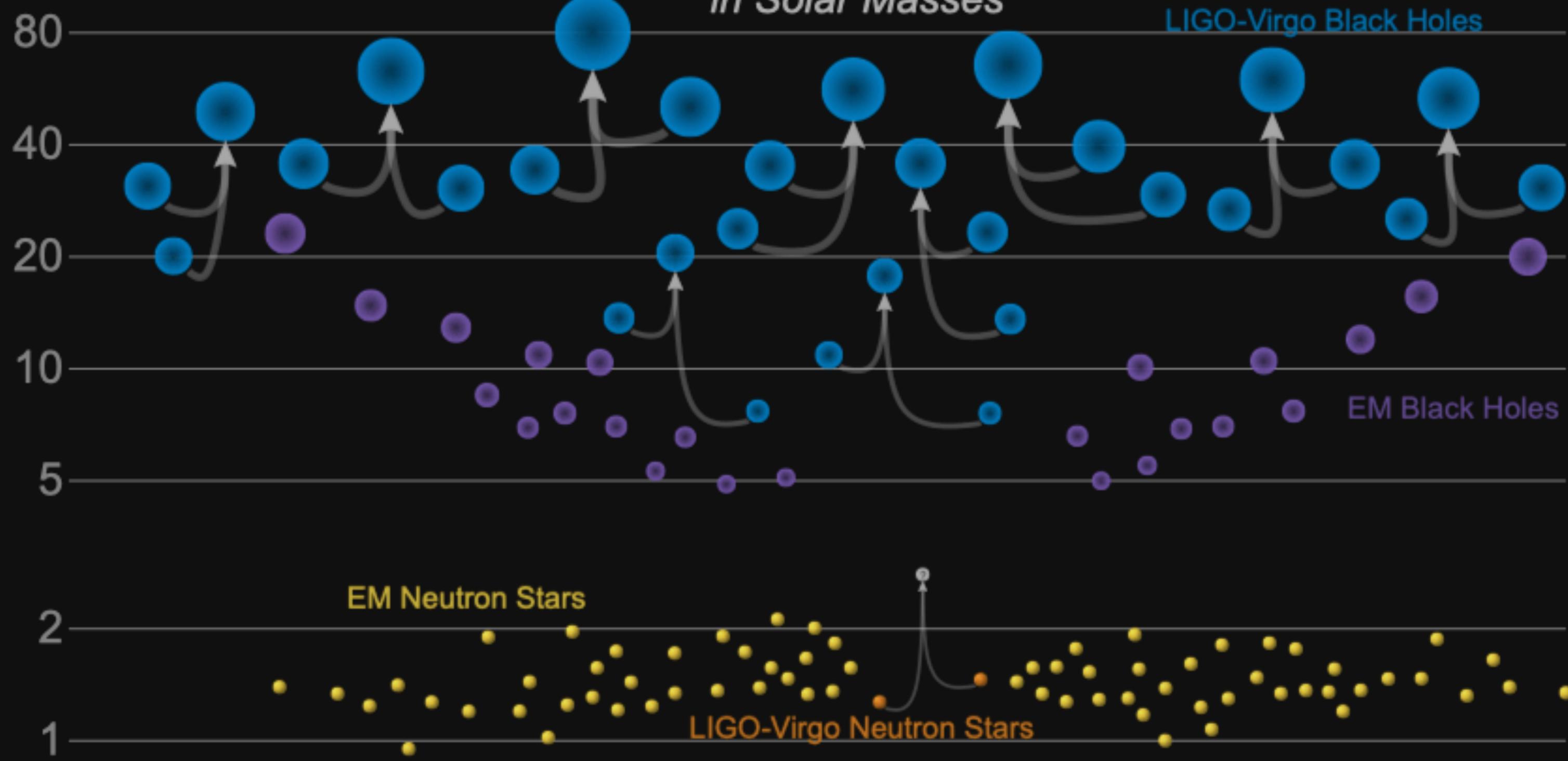
Radio Pulsar Timing Arrays

Space-based interferometers Terrestrial interferometers



# Masses in the Stellar Graveyard

*in Solar Masses*



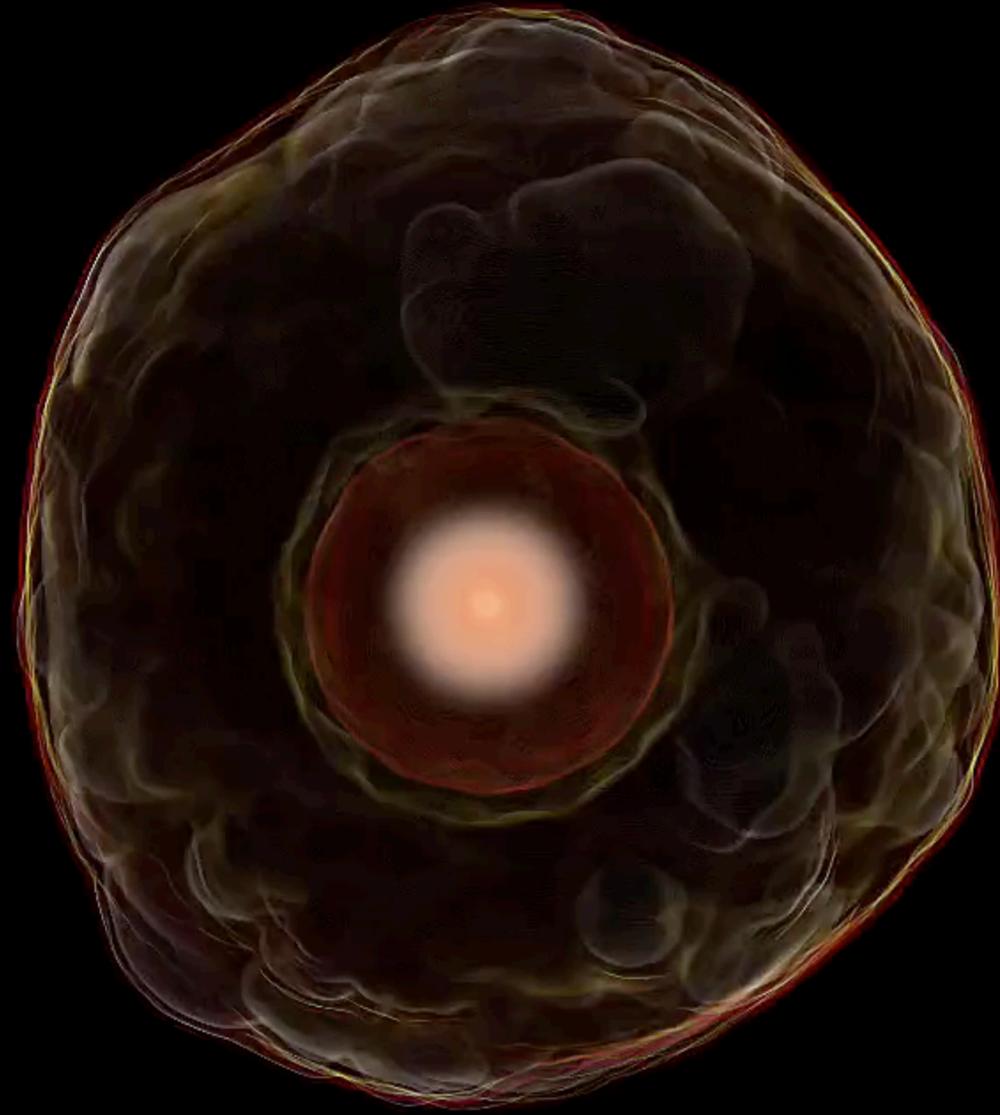
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Two glowing yellow spheres are positioned on a black background. One sphere is in the upper right quadrant, and the other is in the lower left quadrant. They have a soft, ethereal glow with a slight gradient from center to edge.

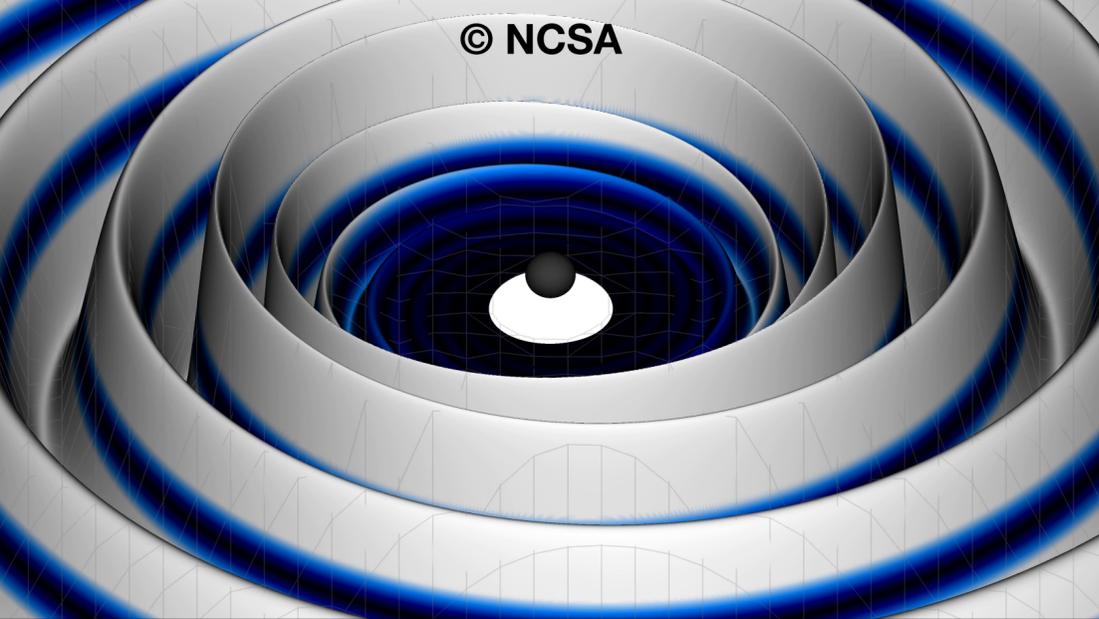
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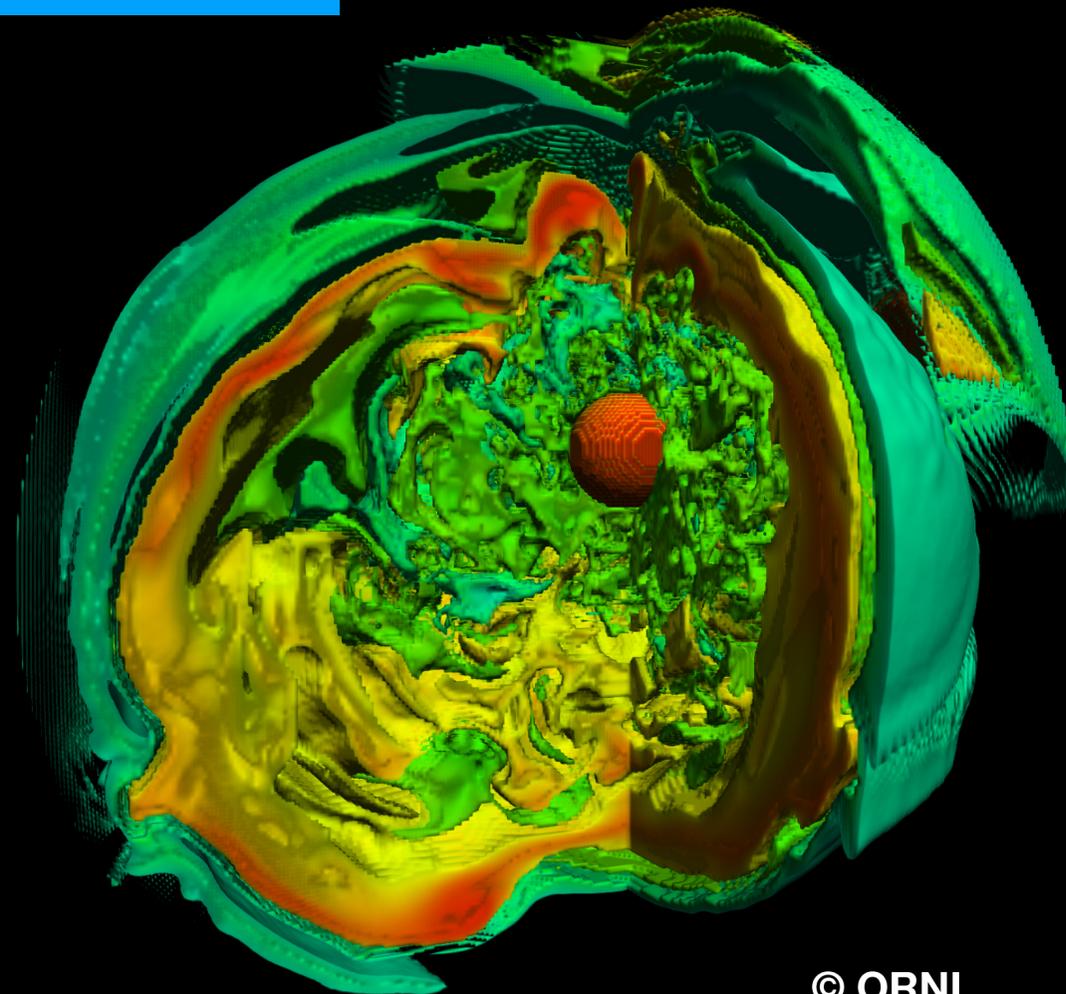
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Listen to the Dark Sector of the Universe



Listen to and observe cosmic mergers



Listen to, observe and feel cosmic explosions in the nearby Universe



# Challenges and Opportunities

Higher-dimensional signal manifold

Weak signals embedded in non-Gaussian and non-stationary noise

Existing algorithms cover a shallow signal manifold due to their lack of scalability and compute-intensive nature

Multi-Messenger searches are time-sensitive

Sociological

What can we learn from the Big Data Revolution?

Innovations in signal-processing tools have driven breakthroughs in industry and technology

Leverage software and hardware developments to tackle computational grand challenges across disciplines

Plenty of room for innovation in AI

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# Multi-Messenger Astrophysics has taken off!

Swift transition from “first detection era”  
to discovery at scale

Binary black holes observations are now routine!

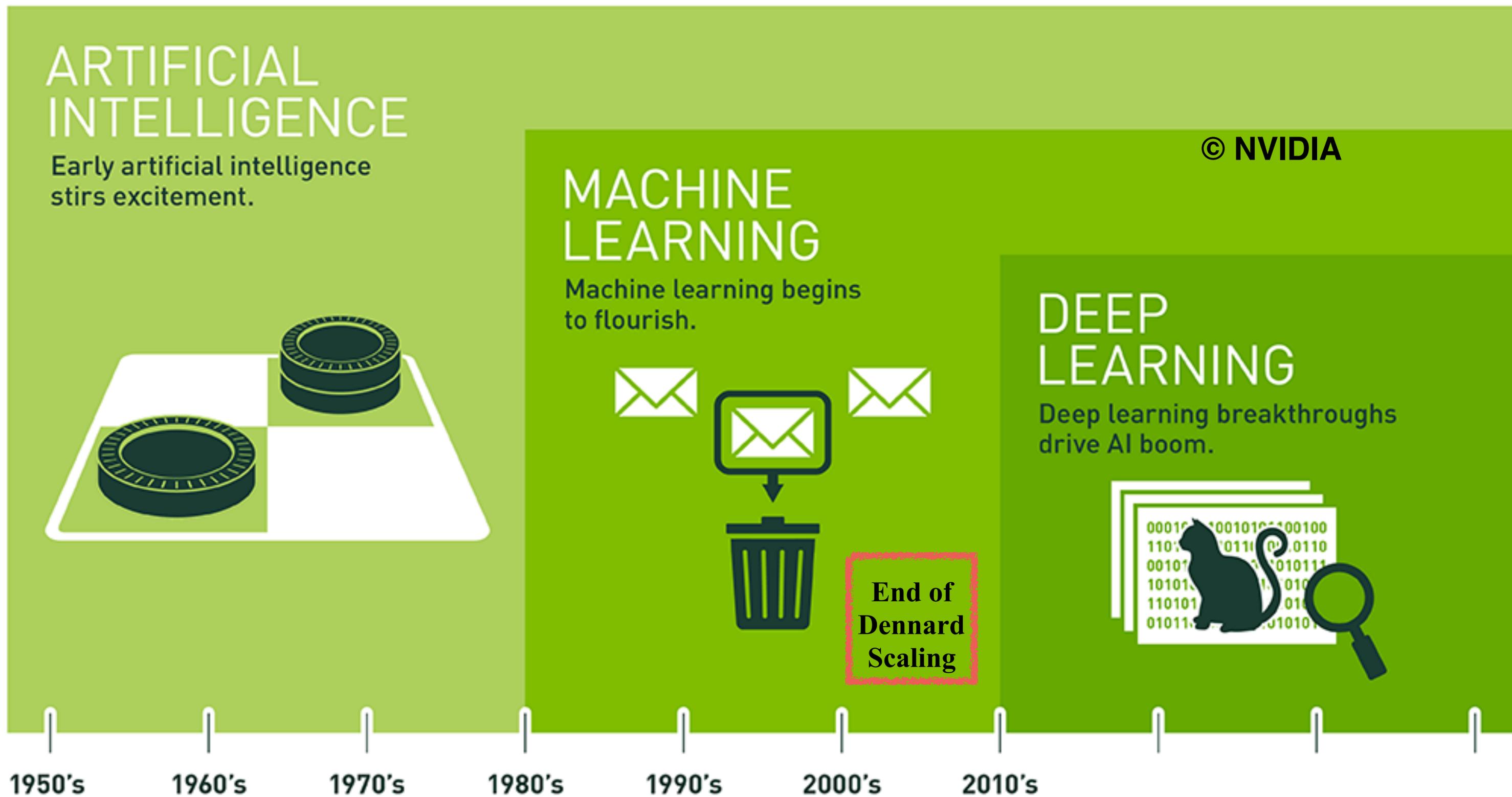
Several Multi-Messenger observations may take  
place in LIGO-Virgo third observing run

Pressing need to maximize discovery



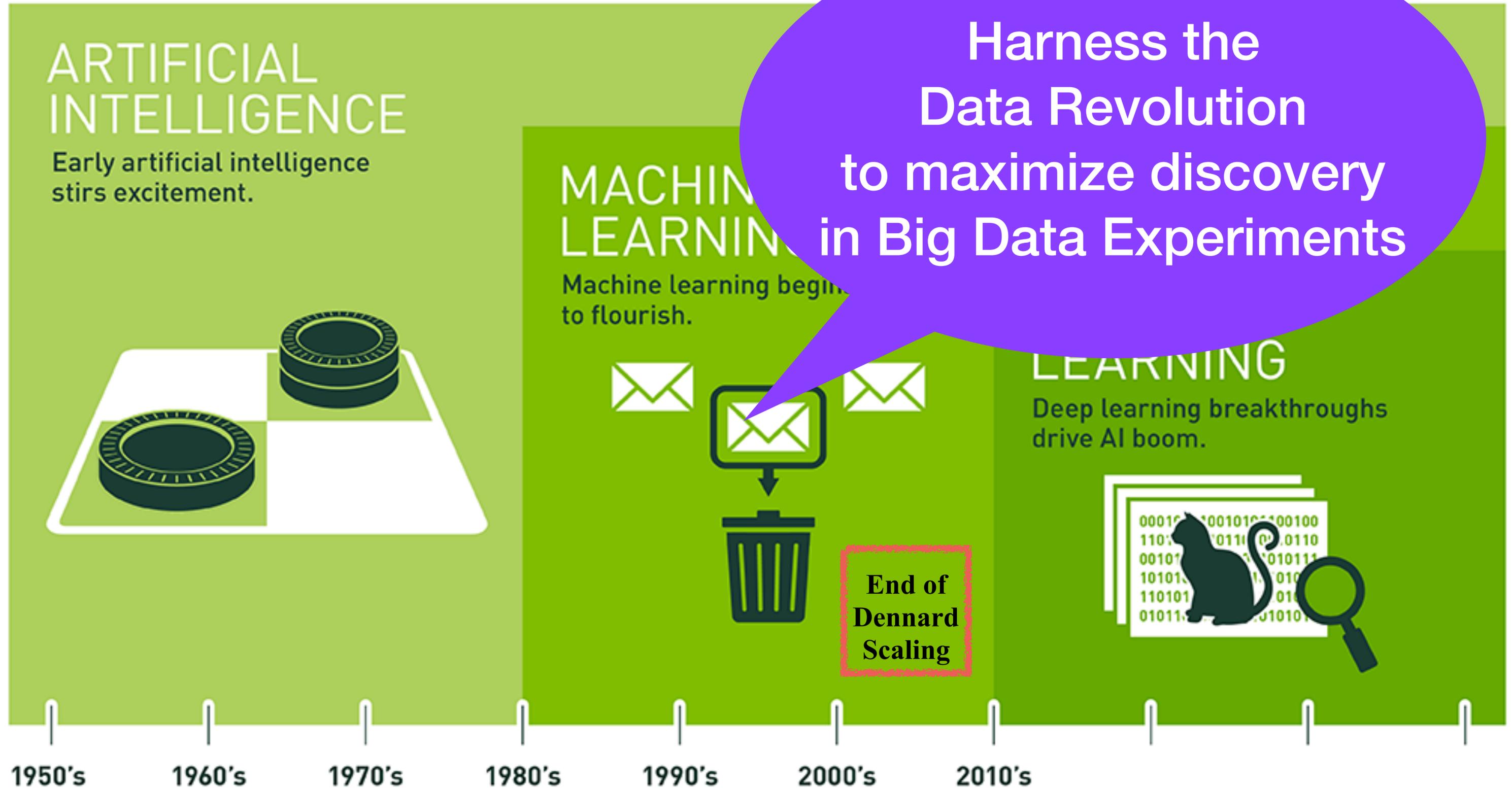
# Deep Learning

From optimism to breakthroughs in technology and science



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High Performance Computing

Understand sources with  
numerical relativity

Datasets of numerical relativity  
waveforms to train and test neural nets

Train neural nets with distributed  
computing

Innovative Hardware Architectures

Develop state-of-the-art neural nets with  
large datasets

Accelerate data processing and inference

Fully trained neural nets are  
computationally efficient and portable

Applicable to any time-series datasets

Faster than real time classification and regression

Faster and deeper gravitational wave searches

# The rise of deep learning for gravitational wave astrophysics

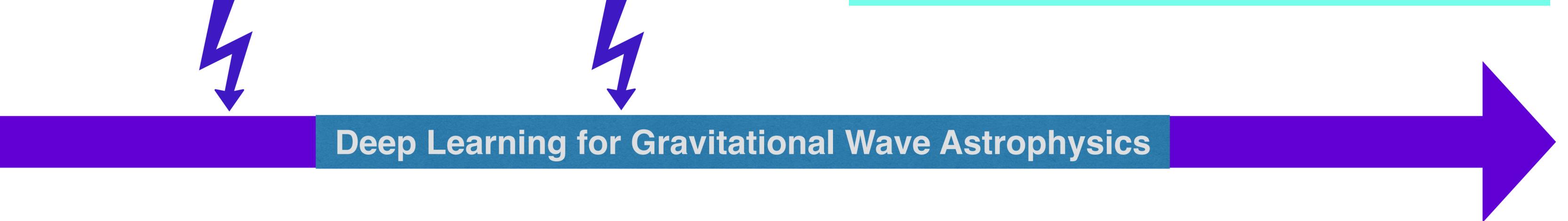
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*Phys. Rev. D*  
January 2017

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*classification and regression* of  
gravitational waves in real  
advanced LIGO noise**  
George & Huerta,  
*Physics Letters B*  
November 2017

Why relevant?

First demonstration that deep learning may be used  
for regression of time-series data

Application for real-time analysis  
of gravitational waves



**Deep Learning for Gravitational Wave Astrophysics**

2017 First Place Research Competition. Association for Computing Machinery at US Conferences

2018 Third Place Research Competition. Association for Computing Machinery at Conferences around  
the World

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Deep learning at scale for real-time gravitational wave parameter estimation and tests of general relativity  
Shen, Huerta & Zhao  
March 2019  
arXiv:1903.01998



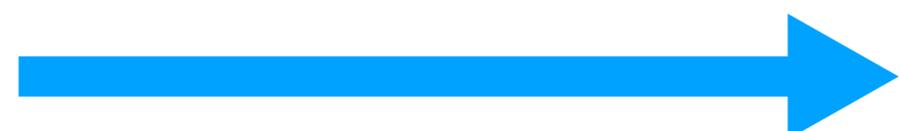
Deep Learning for Gravitational Wave Astrophysics

Training requires tens of thousands of modeled waveforms  
64 GPUs sufficient to finalize training in 30mins  
Evaluation time is faster than real-time

Prototypes

Training requires tens of millions of modeled waveforms  
1024 nodes at Theta finalize training in 30 mins  
Evaluation time is 2 ms per event

Production Scale



# First generation of neural network models for gravitational wave detection

Simple architectures

2-D black hole binary signal manifold

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George & Huerta, Phys. Rev. D 97, 044004 (2018)  
Classification and regression in simulated LIGO noise

George & Huerta, Physics Letters B, 778 64-70 (2018)  
Classification and regression in real advanced LIGO noise

See Sawan Condon's talk tomorrow



Follow-up studies a year later:

Classification of 2-D BBH signals in simulated LIGO noise:

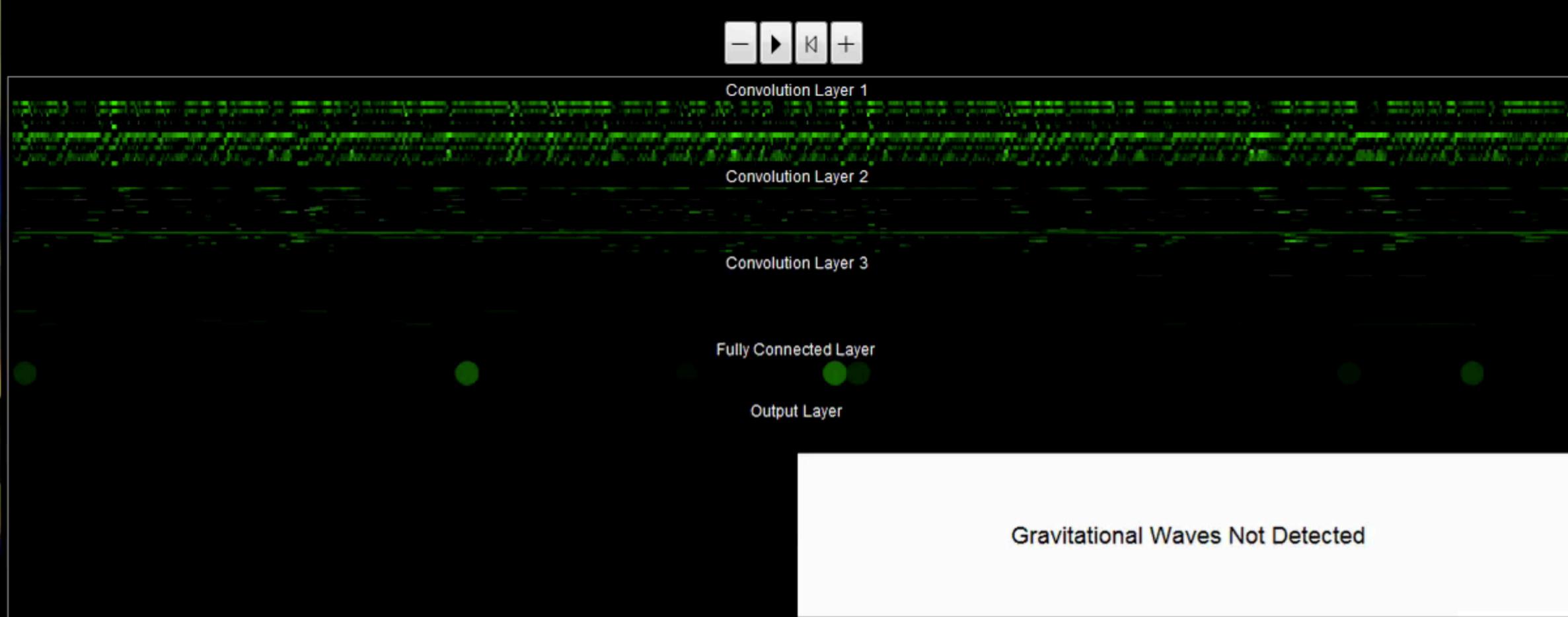
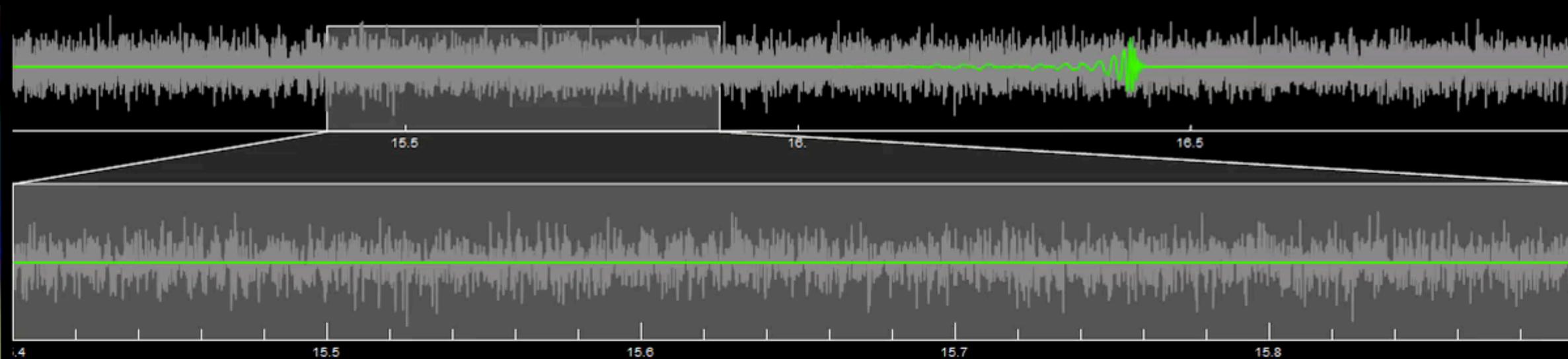
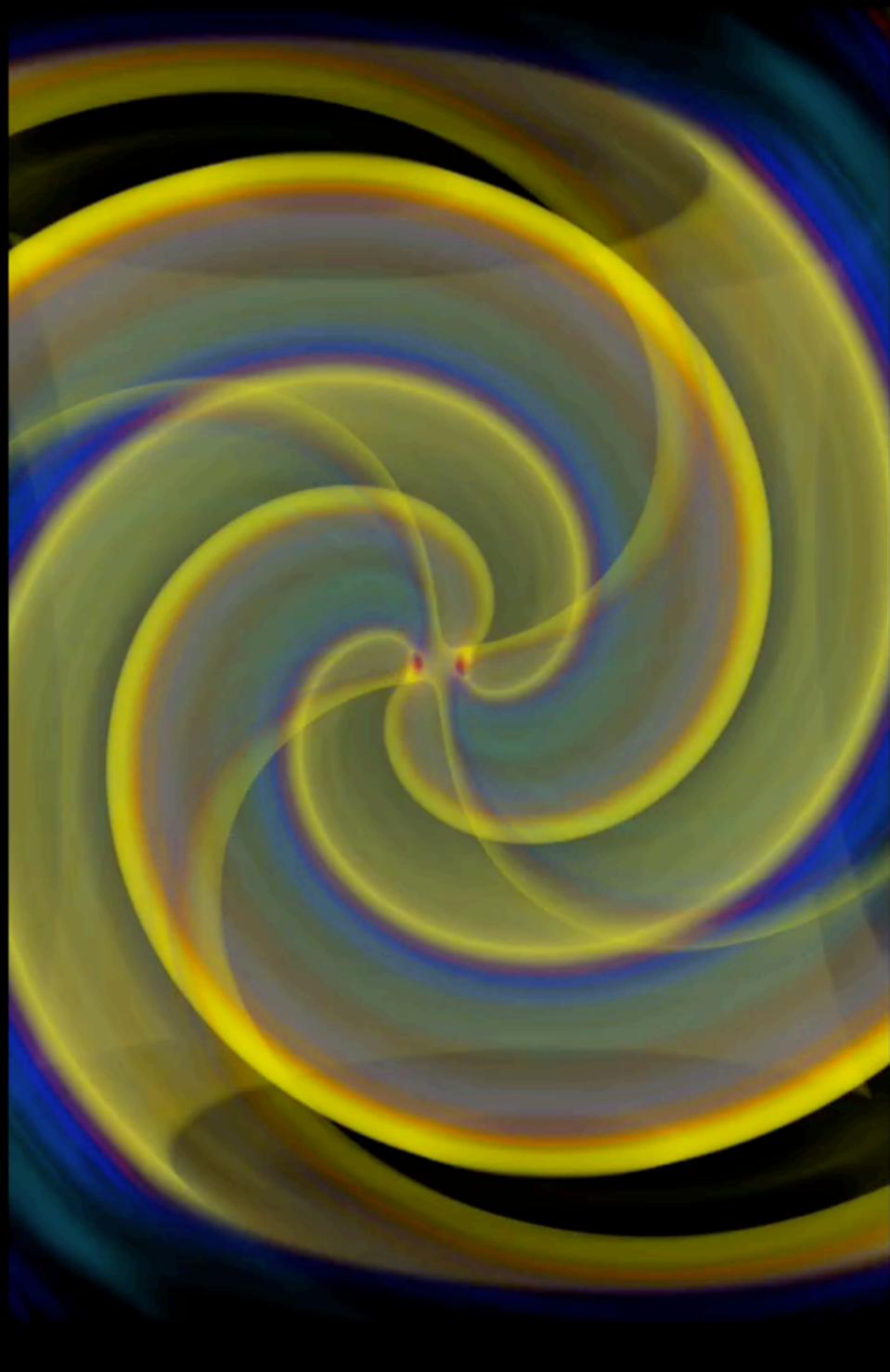
Gabbard *et al.*, PRL 120, 141103 (2018)

Xilong Fan et al., Sci.China Phys.Mech.Astron. 62 (2019)



# Detecting Gravitational Waves in Real-Time with Deep Learning

Data from a LIGO Interferometer around the first event (GW150914)



# Deep learning at scale for gravitational wave astrophysics

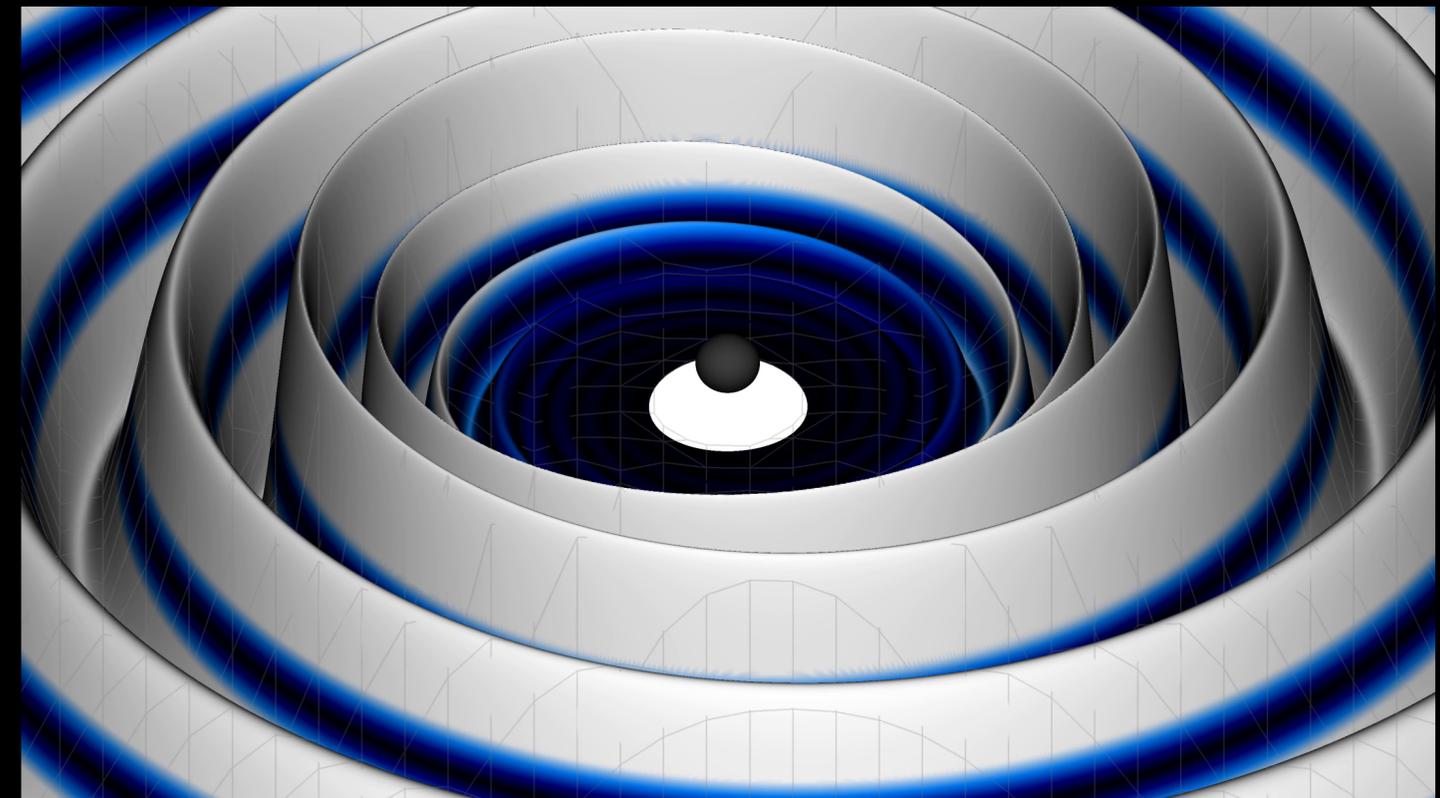
First application of deep learning at scale to  
characterize a 4-D signal manifold  
with 10M+ templates

Shen, Huerta and Zhao, [arXiv:1903.01998](https://arxiv.org/abs/1903.01998)



Inference of the properties of the binary  
components before and after merger

Parameter estimation studies are now endowed  
with a solid statistical backbone



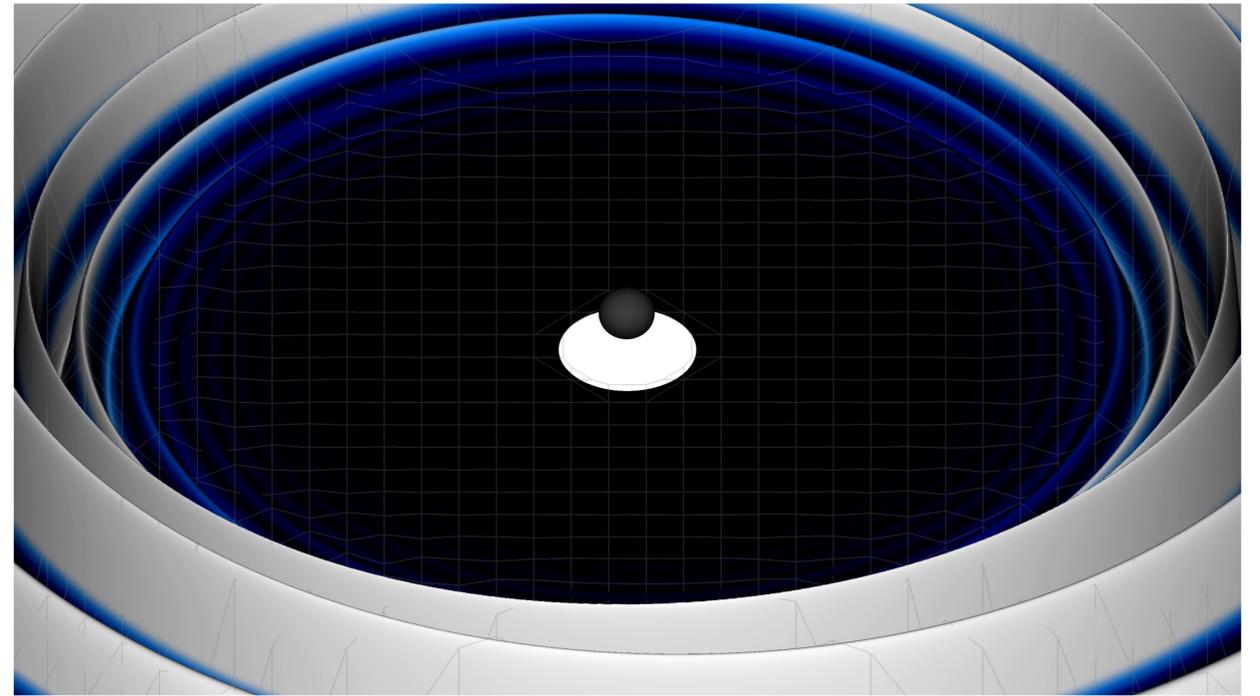
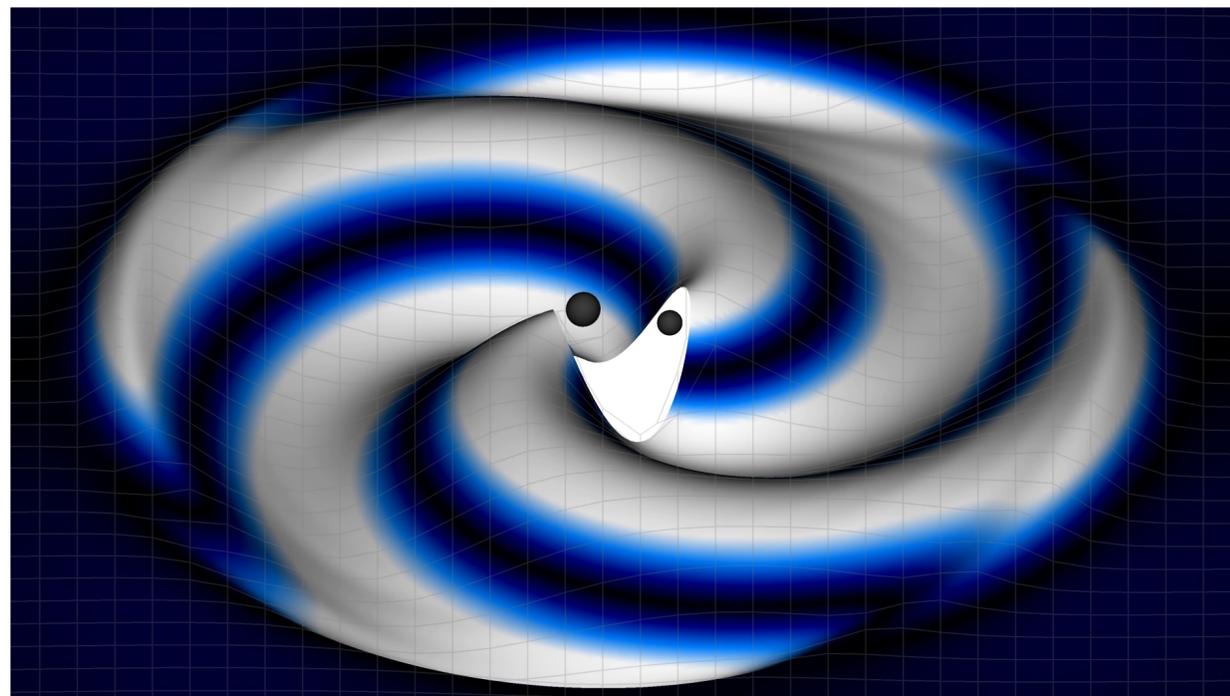
# Machine Learning for waveform generation

- Deep learning models perform optimally when trained with high quality data
- Use optimal waveform generators, i.e., machine learning models trained with numerical relativity waveforms
  - Blackman *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **95**, 104023 (2017)
  - Huerta *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **97**, 024031 (2018) [For eccentric black hole mergers]
  - Varma *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D **99**, 064045 (2019)
  - Varma *et al.*, arXiv:1905.09300

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Hongyu Shen, EA Huerta, Jane Zhao and Elise Jennings, [arXiv:1903.01998](https://arxiv.org/abs/1903.01998)

EVENT NAME	$m_1[M_\odot]$	$m_2[M_\odot]$	$a_f$	$\omega_R$	$\omega_I$
GW150914	37.46 [4.13  0.06]	30.80 [0.43 -1.65]	0.689 [0.037  0.17]	0.5362 [0.0127 -0.20]	0.0798 [0.0011  0.16]
GW151012	23.89 [0.35  1.65]	17.34 [0.56  1.44]	0.653 [0.009  0.25]	0.5214 [0.0030  0.15]	0.0810 [0.0003 -0.15]
GW151226	17.60 [2.01  0.87]	14.14 [2.85  0.73]	0.646 [0.006  1.53]	0.5188 [0.0021  1.51]	0.0812 [0.0001 -1.60]
GW170104	36.45 [1.54 -0.76]	21.83 [3.54 -0.56]	0.661 [0.080 -0.84]	0.5185 [0.0306 -0.48]	0.0816 [0.0029  0.57]
GW170608	13.96 [1.13  1.10]	11.96 [1.07  1.56]	0.697 [0.025 -1.28]	0.5278 [0.0154 -0.95]	0.0809 [0.0011 -0.67]
GW170729	48.61 [1.58 -1.61]	37.69 [1.82 -0.28]	0.694 [0.019 -0.47]	0.5102 [0.0107 -0.50]	0.0812 [0.0019 -0.16]
GW170809	31.01 [3.29  0.60]	22.42 [4.56  1.85]	0.698 [0.034 -1.23]	0.5428 [0.0163 -1.15]	0.0779 [0.0016 -1.05]
GW170814	35.07 [1.75  0.84]	21.50 [0.52  0.99]	0.718 [0.010 -1.89]	0.5377 [0.0108 -1.38]	0.0794 [0.0003  1.76]
GW170818	40.05 [1.29 -1.57]	24.08 [0.93 -1.33]	0.656 [0.015  0.73]	0.5129 [0.0043  1.21]	0.0816 [0.0005 -1.02]
GW170823	39.56 [1.75 -1.44]	30.14 [0.53 -1.68]	0.740 [0.002 -1.76]	0.5510 [0.0007 -1.74]	0.0782 [0.0001  1.75]

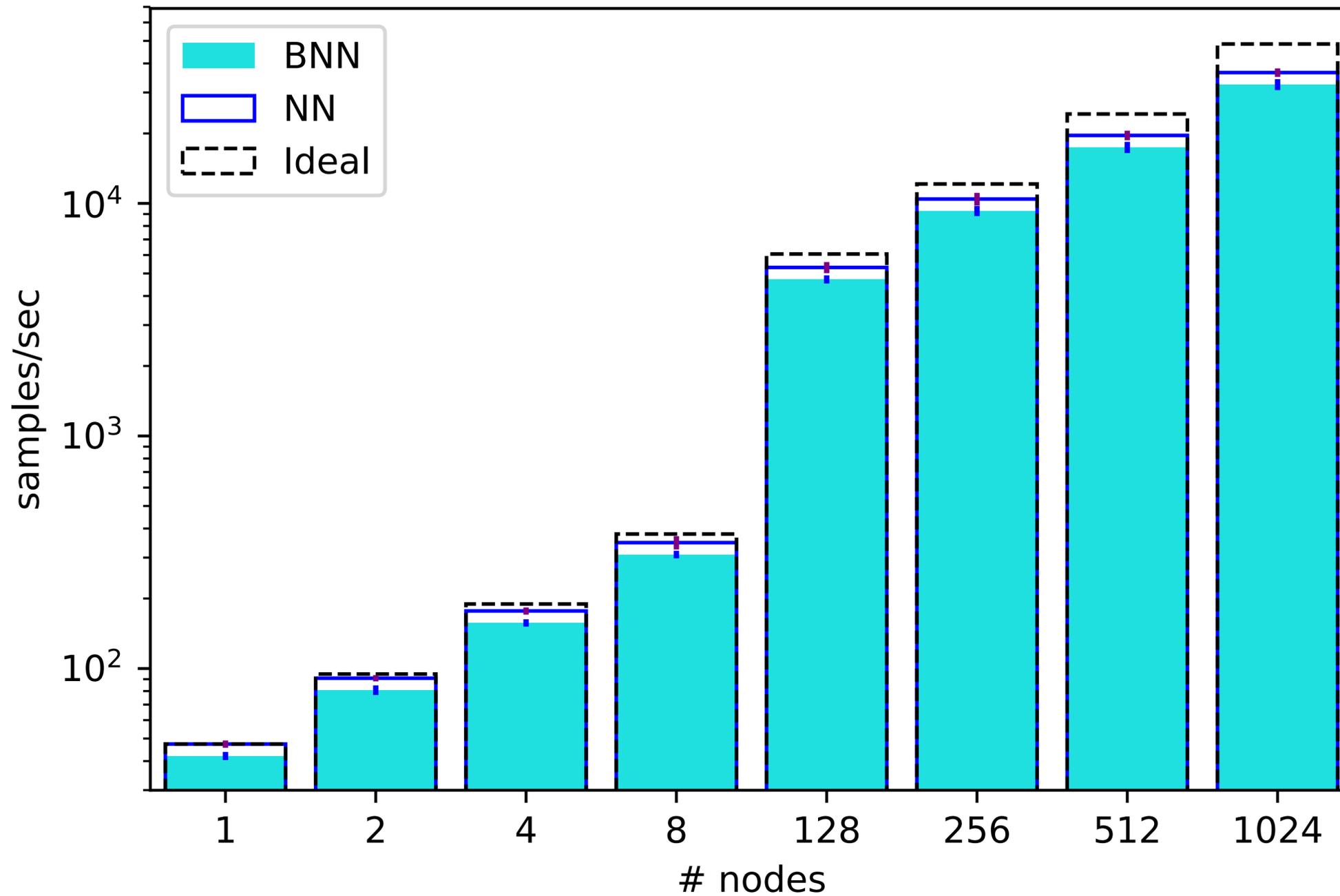




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**First Bayesian Neural Network model for gravitational wave parameter estimation**

**Trained with over ten million waveforms using 1024 nodes (64 processors/node) on an HPC platform optimized for deep learning research (Theta at Argonne National Lab)**

**Inference time is 2 milliseconds for each gravitational wave detection using a single GPU**

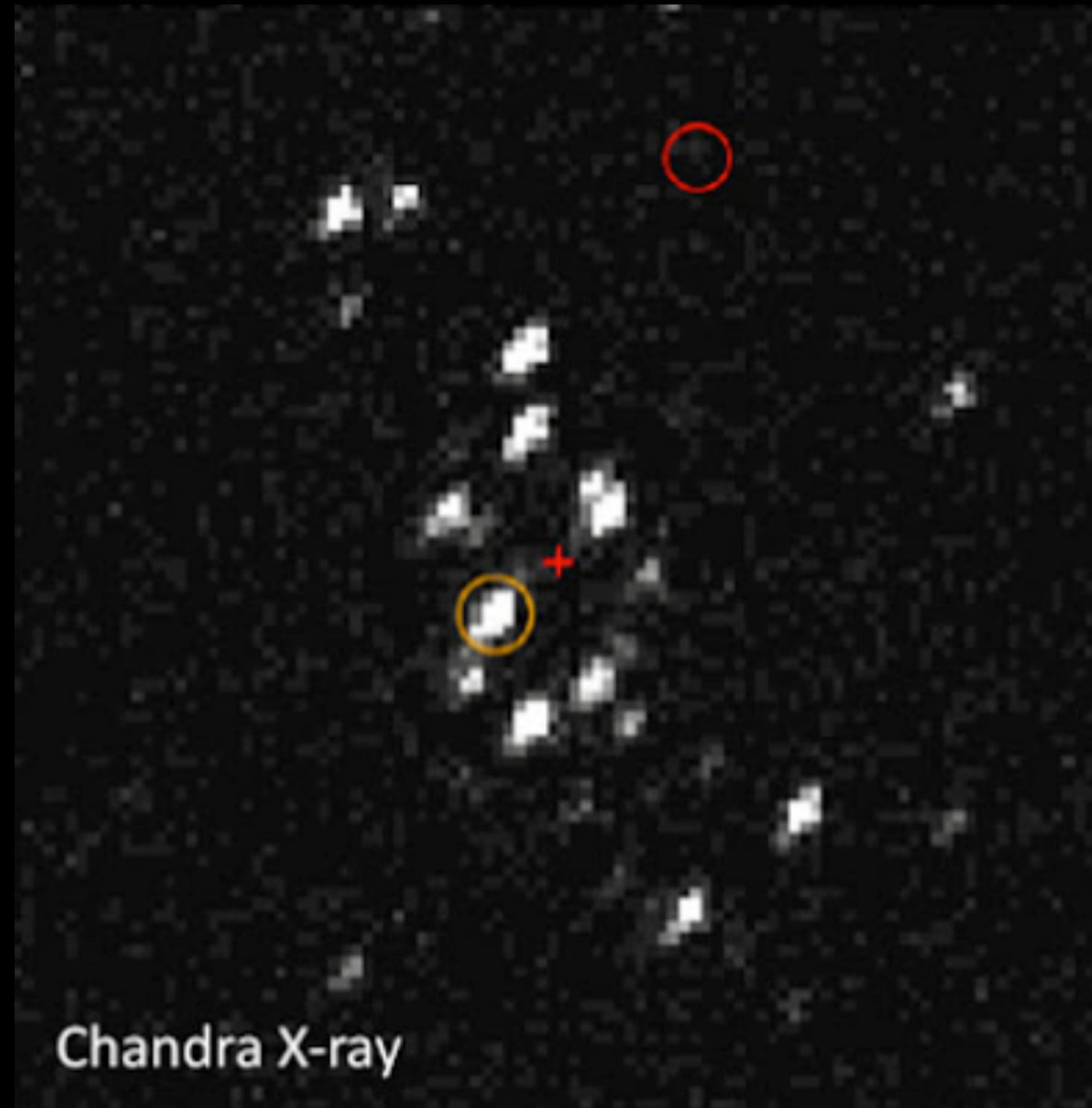
# Gravitational Wave Astronomy

Dynamical assembly of black hole and neutron star binaries in dense stellar environments

Use gravitational waves to probe the existence of these sources

Can we actually detect these signals with available algorithms?

What can we learn from the observation of dynamically assembled compact binaries?

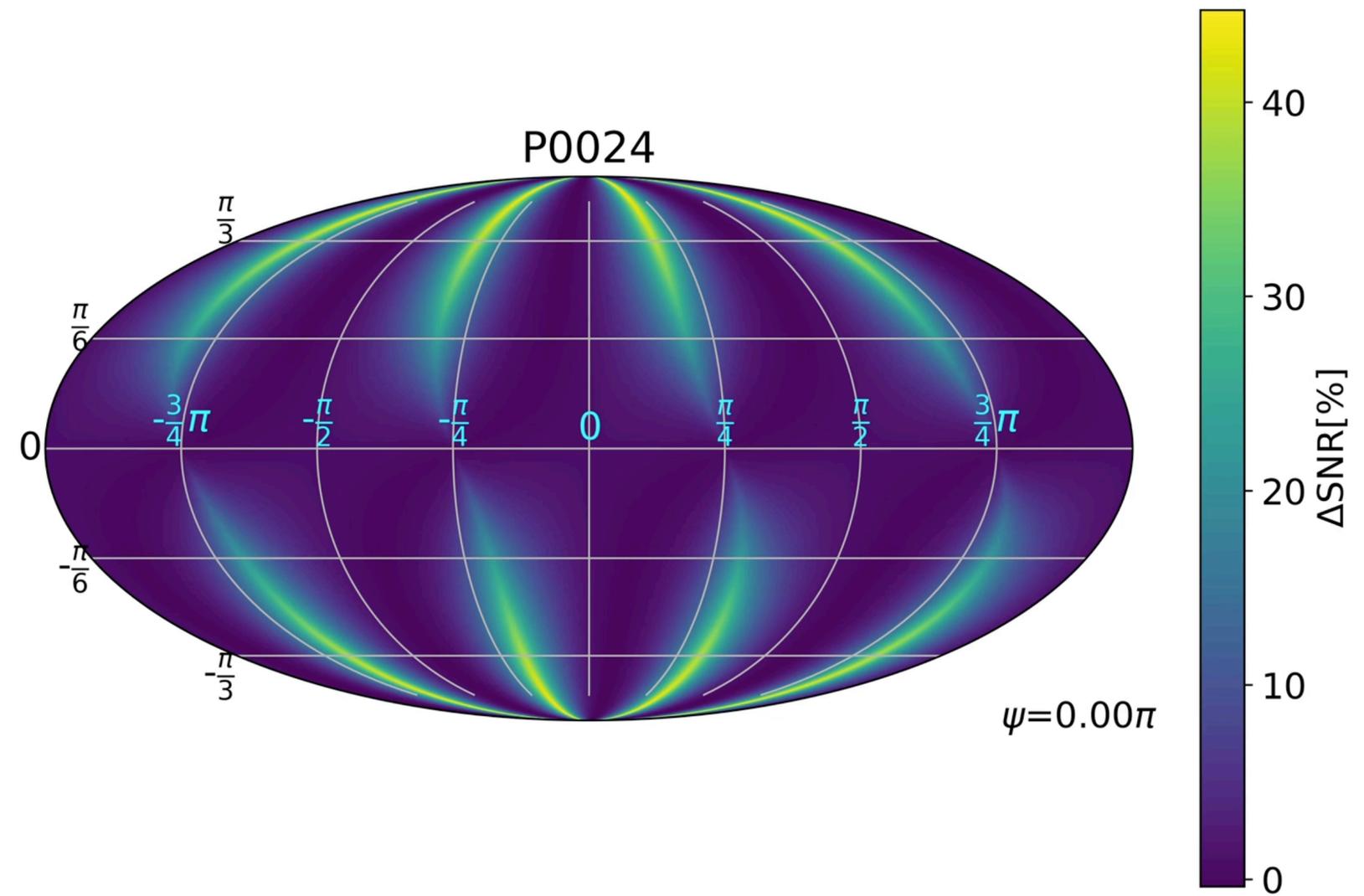
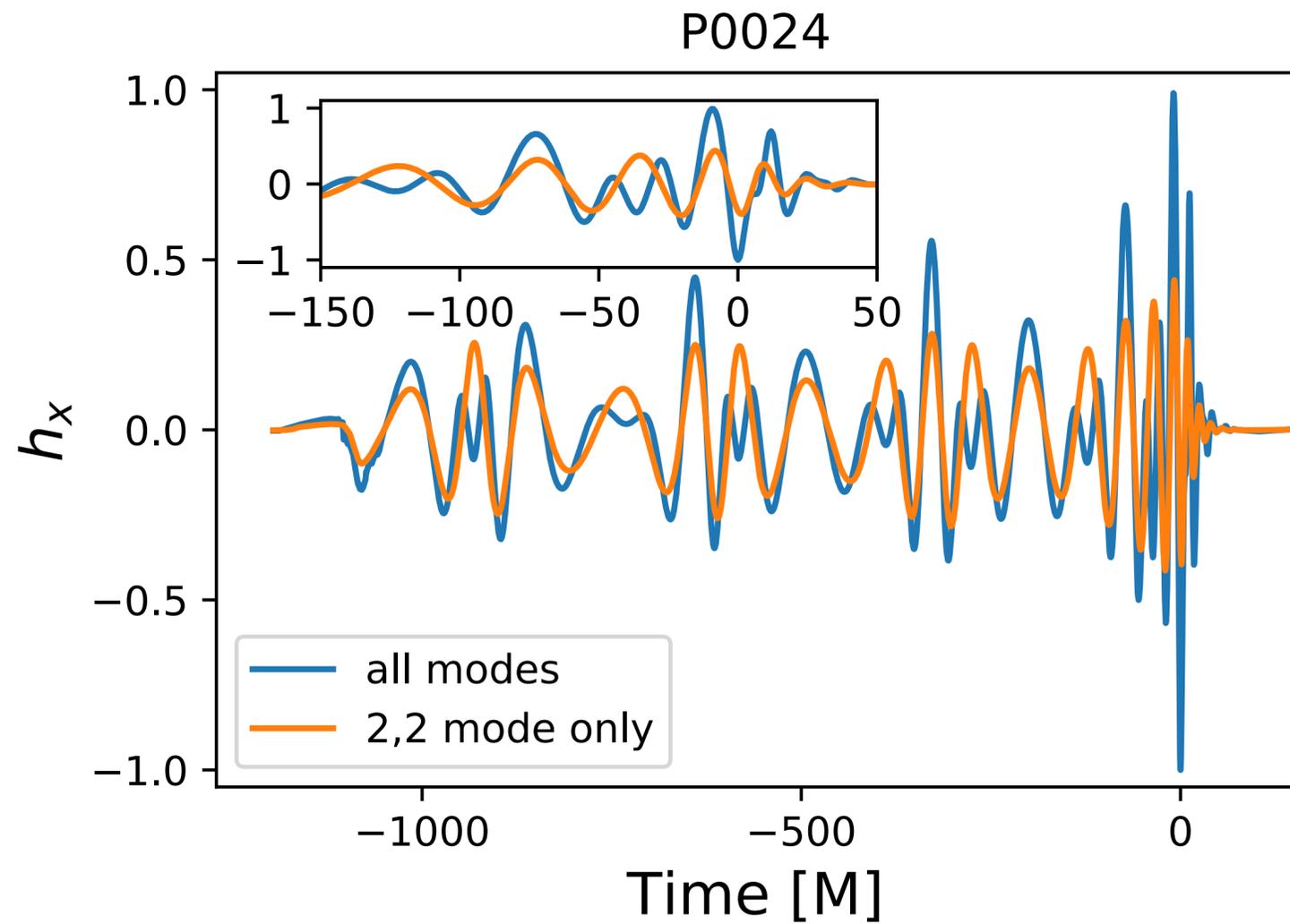


# Physics of Eccentric Binary Black Hole Mergers

EA Huerta, Roland Haas, *et al.*, Phys. Rev. D 100, 064003 (2019)

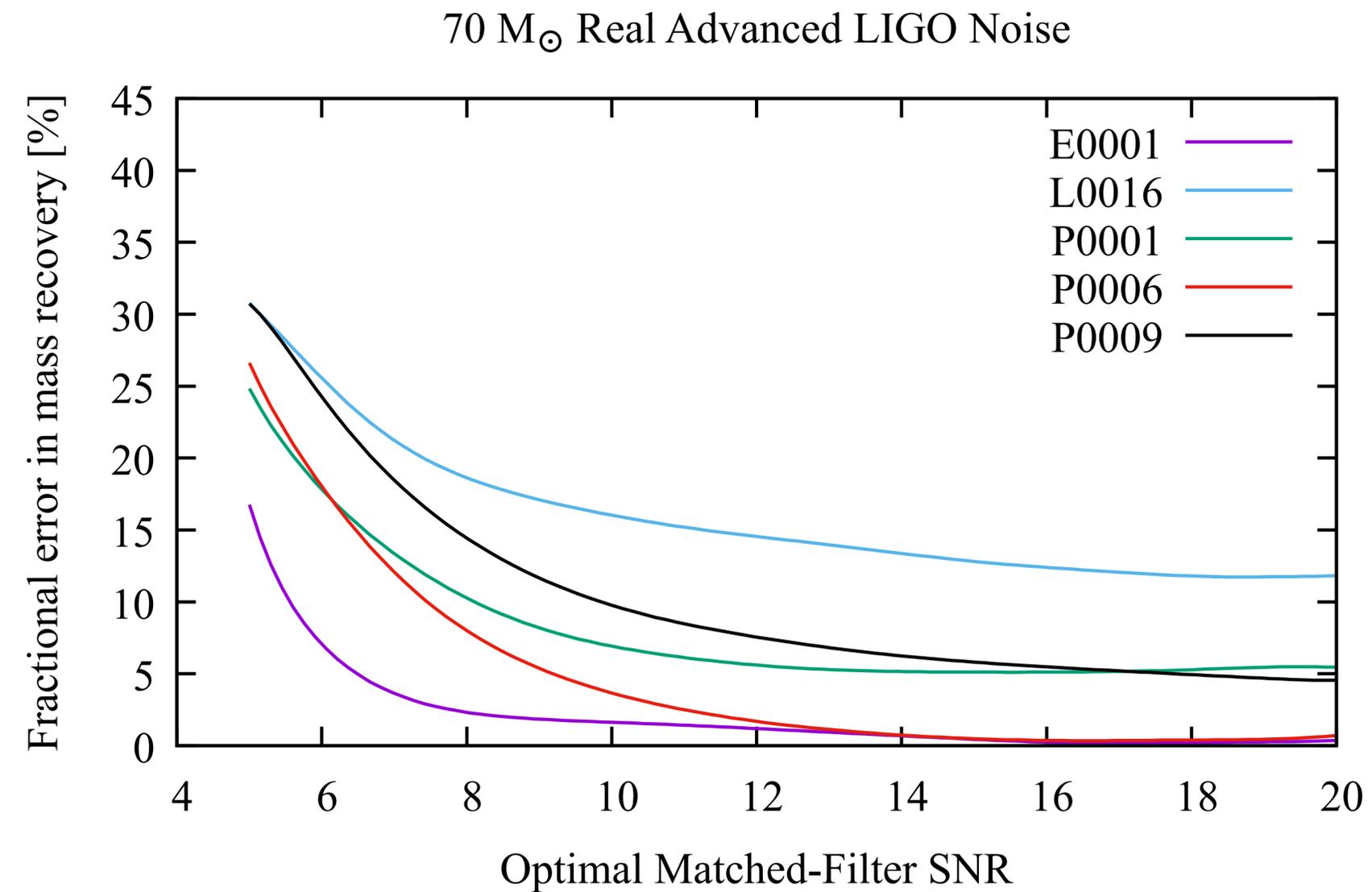
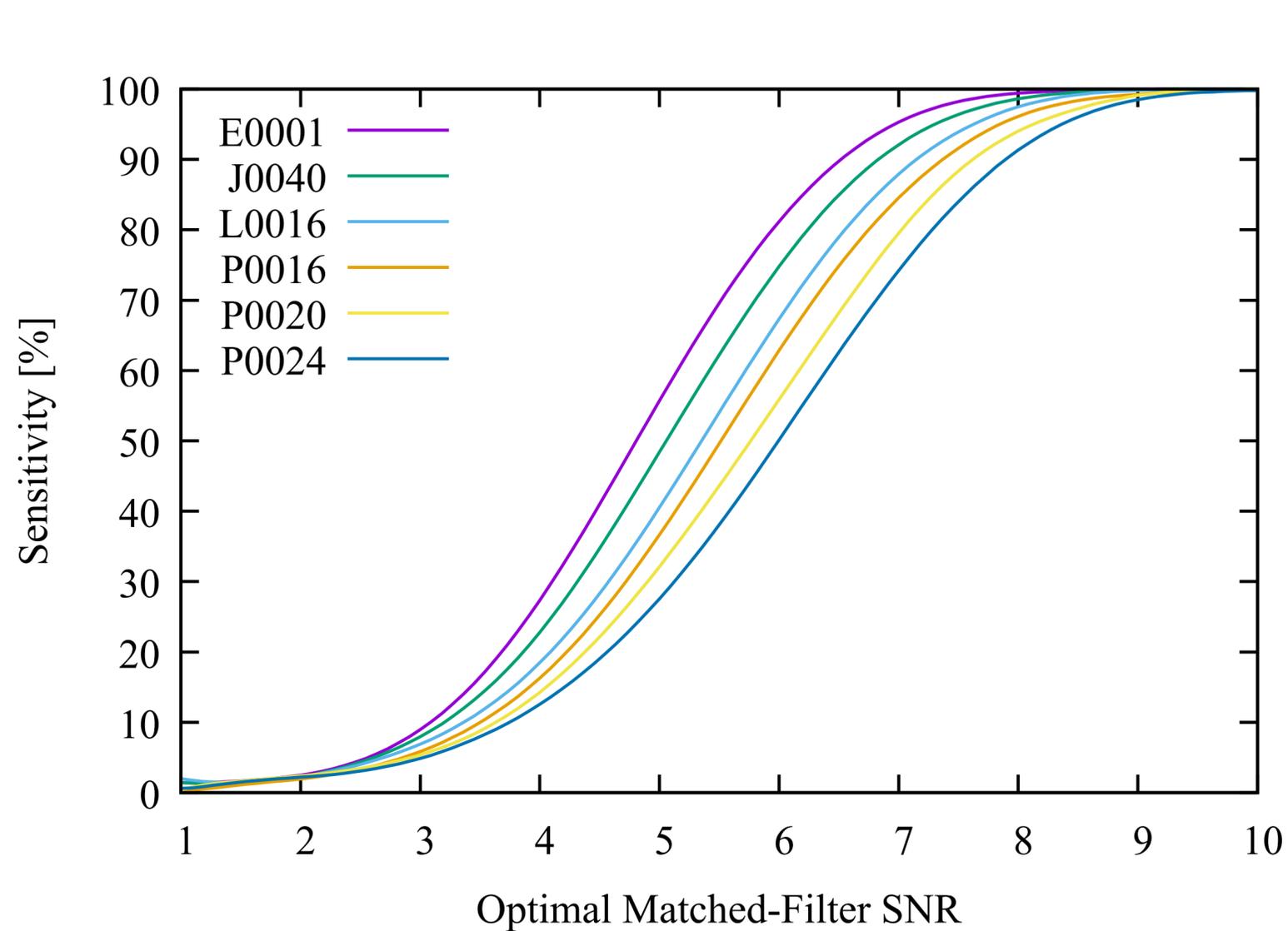
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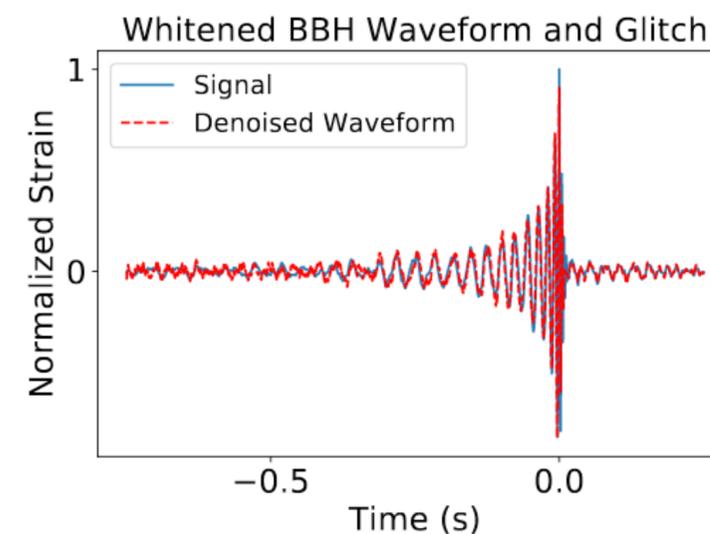
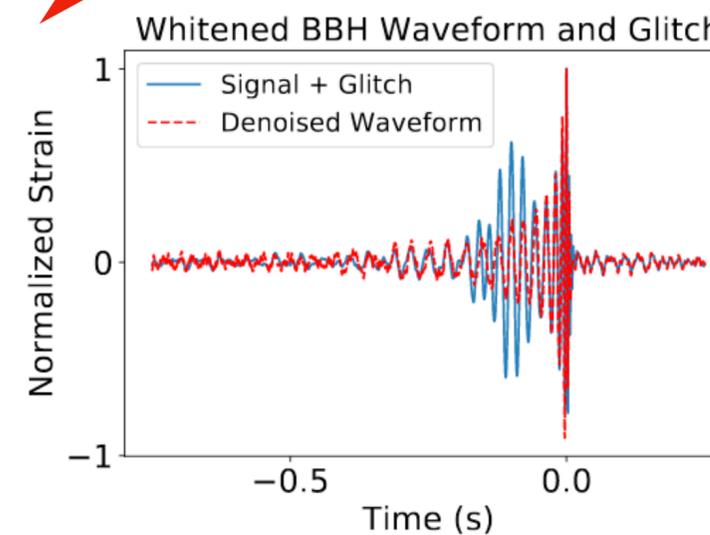
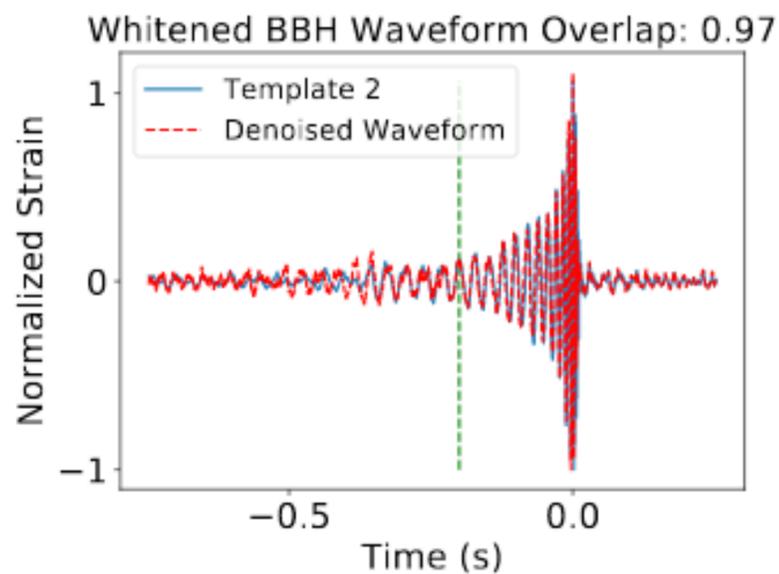
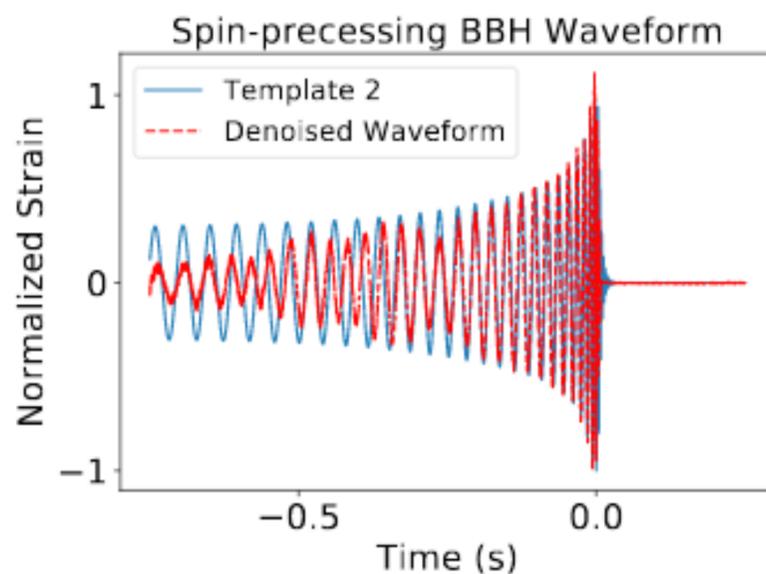
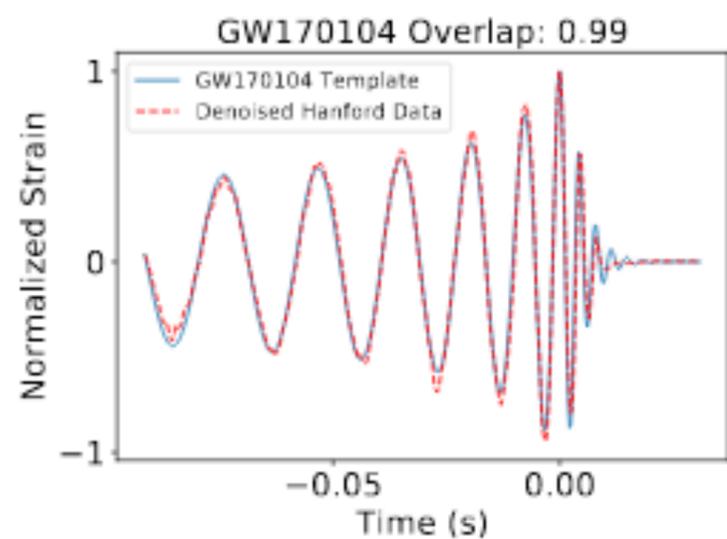
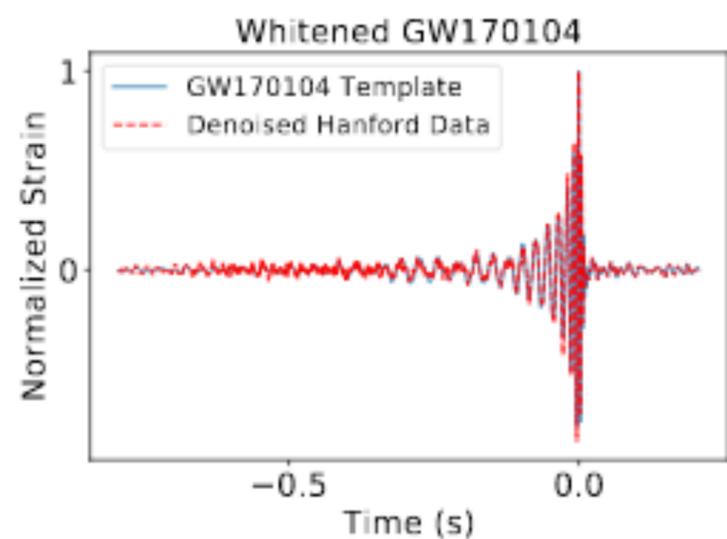
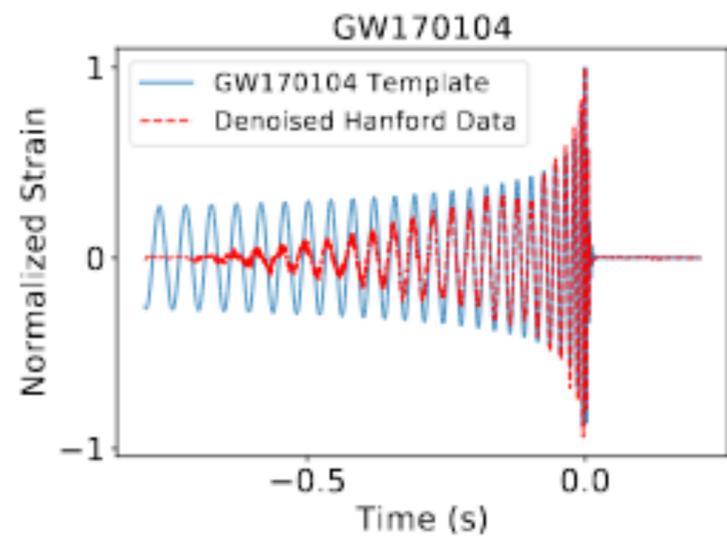
# Gravitational wave denoising



Wei Wei & EA Huerta, arXiv:1901.00869

$$\mathbf{s}_1 = (0.4, 0.6, 0.8), \mathbf{s}_2 = (0.4, -0.6, 0.7)$$

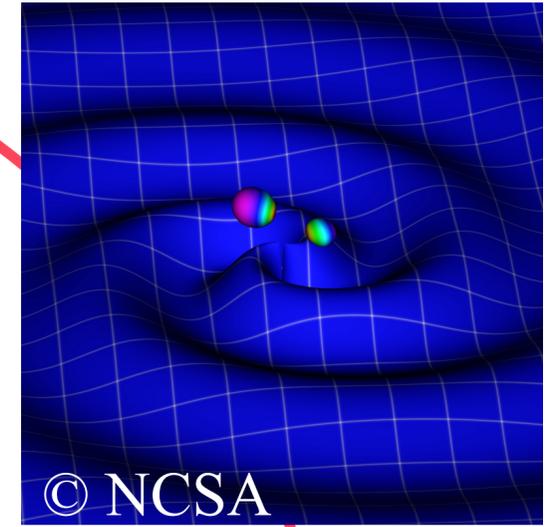
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**Training and testing datasets from numerical relativity simulations**

# Convergence of AI and HPC



**Observational data to train, validate and test neural network models**

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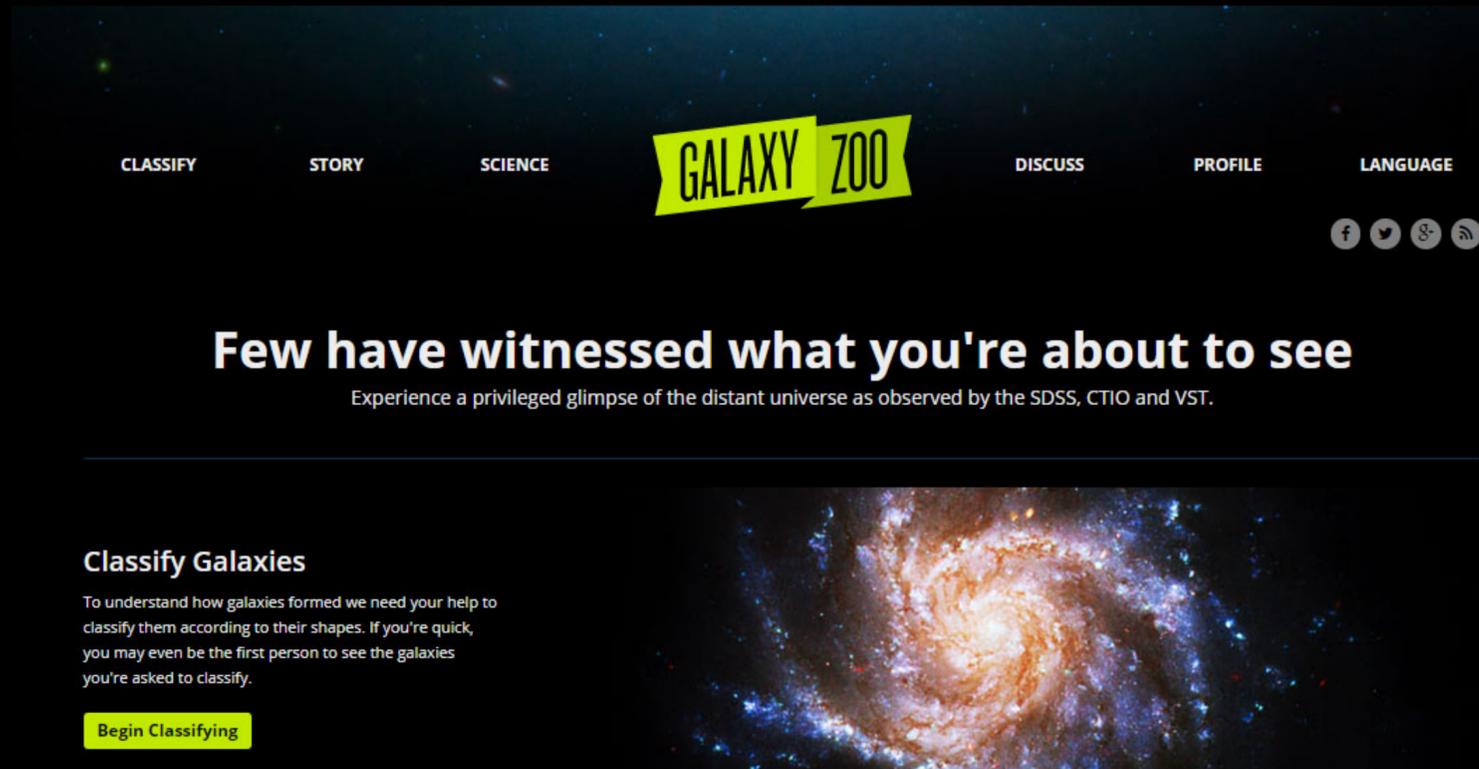
**Theory to inform the design of deep learning models**



$G_{\mu\nu} = 8\pi T_{\mu\nu}$   
Routine: black hole and neutron star collisions  
Future: supernovae, oscillating neutron stars....

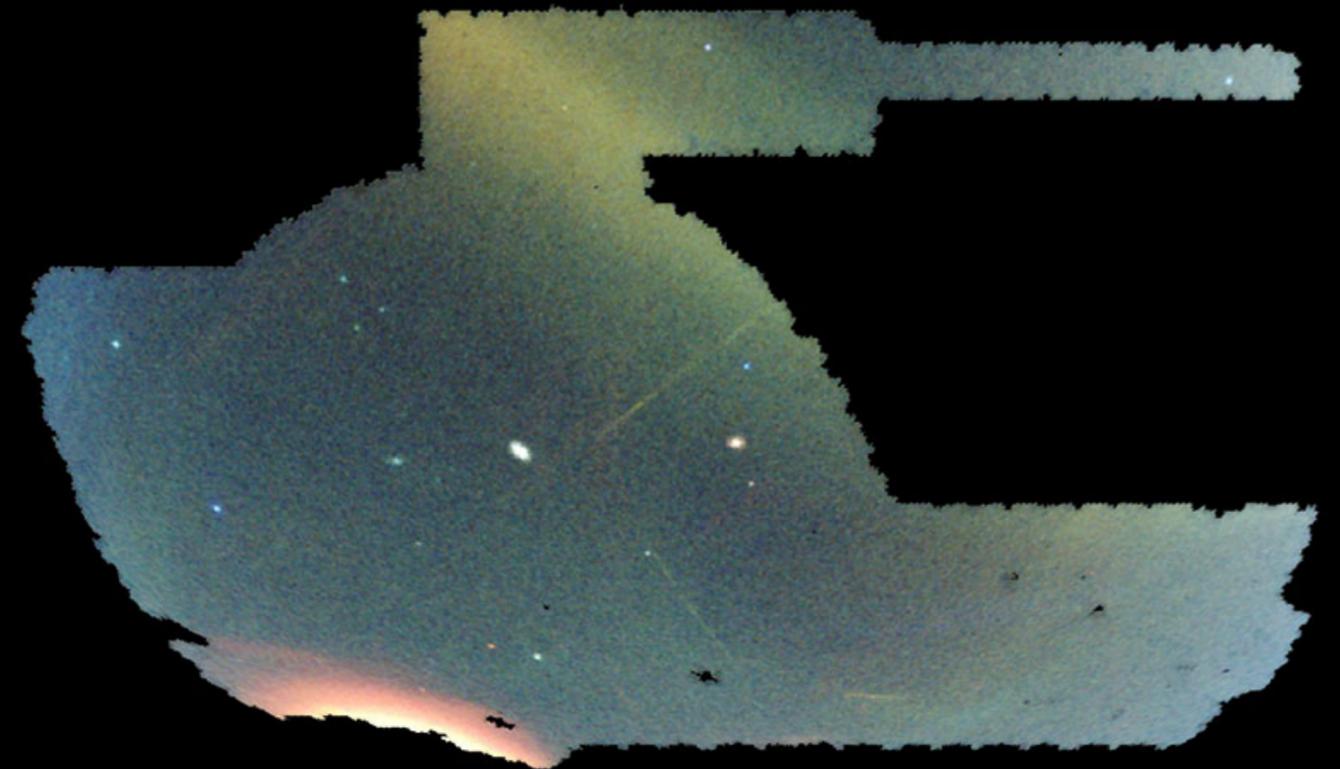


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From the citizen science revolution using the Sloan Digital Sky Survey...

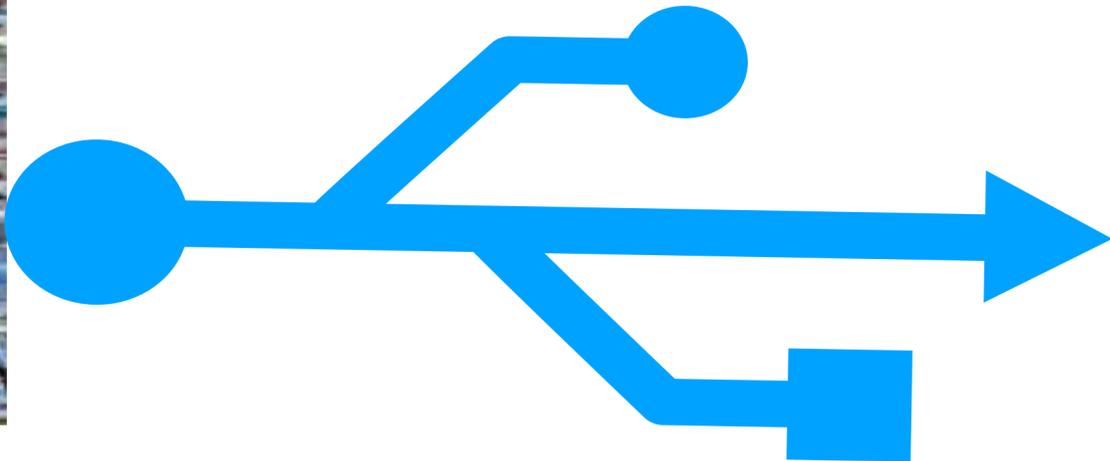
... to large scale discovery using unlabeled images in the Dark Energy Survey using deep learning



**Khan, Huerta, Wang, Gruendl,  
Jennings and Zheng,  
Physics Letters B 795 (2019) 248-258**

**Xception neural network model**  
**François Chollet, arXiv:1610.02357**  
**State-of-the-art model  
for computer vision**

**Convergence of deep transfer  
learning, distributed training, data  
clustering, and recursive training**



**State-of-the-art galaxy classification**  
**Scalable method for the construction of  
galaxy catalogs in the Dark Energy Survey**  
**Platform for next-generation  
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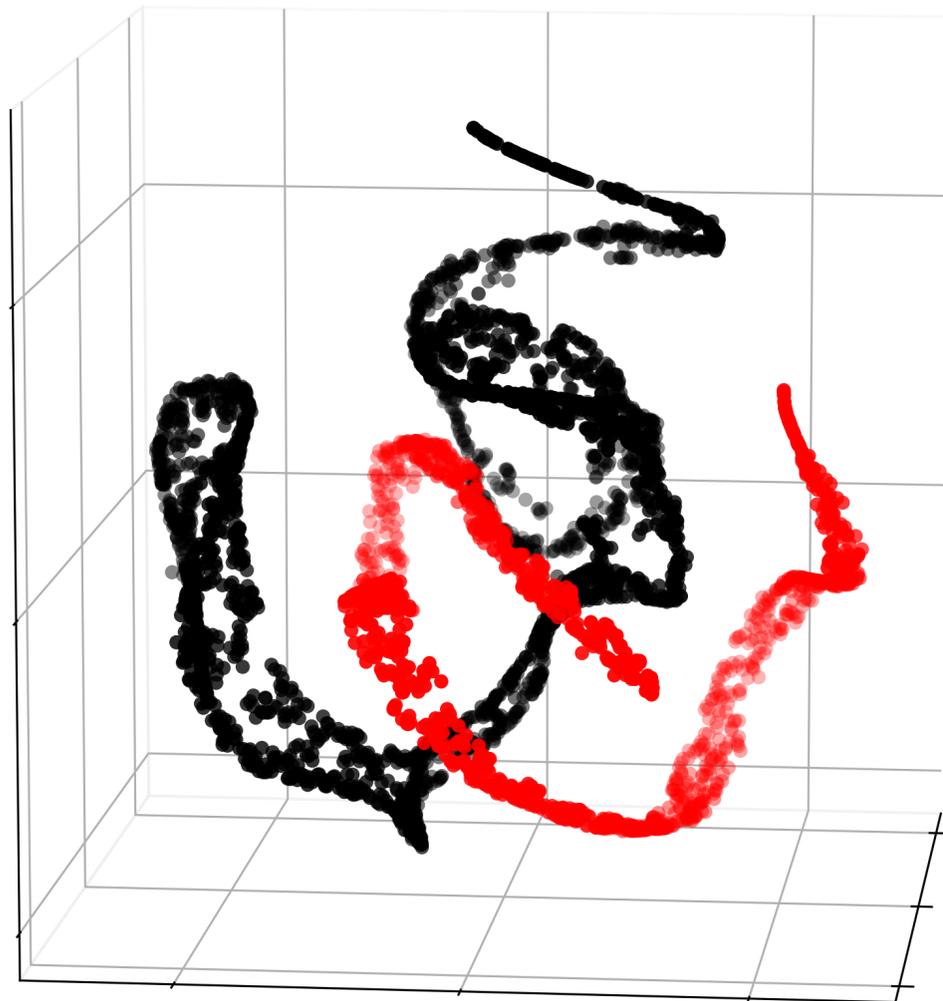
# Deep Learning for DES data science



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## Unlabelled DES

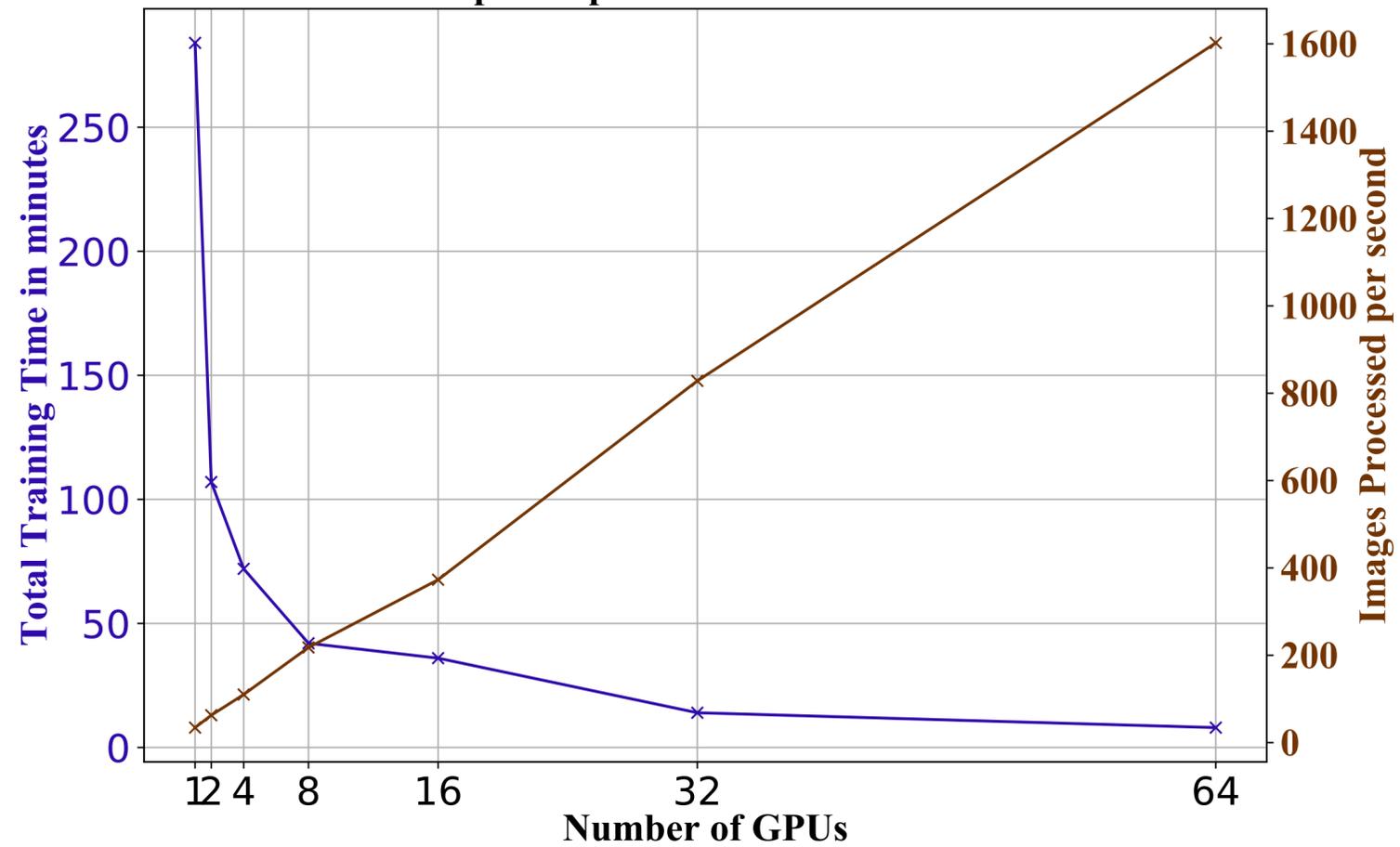


10k+ raw, unlabeled galaxy images from DES clustered according to morphology using RGB filters

Scalable approach to curate datasets, and to construct large-scale galaxy catalogs

Visualization: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1F3q7M8QjTQ>

Speed Up vs. Number of GPUs



Deep transfer learning combined with distributed training for cosmology

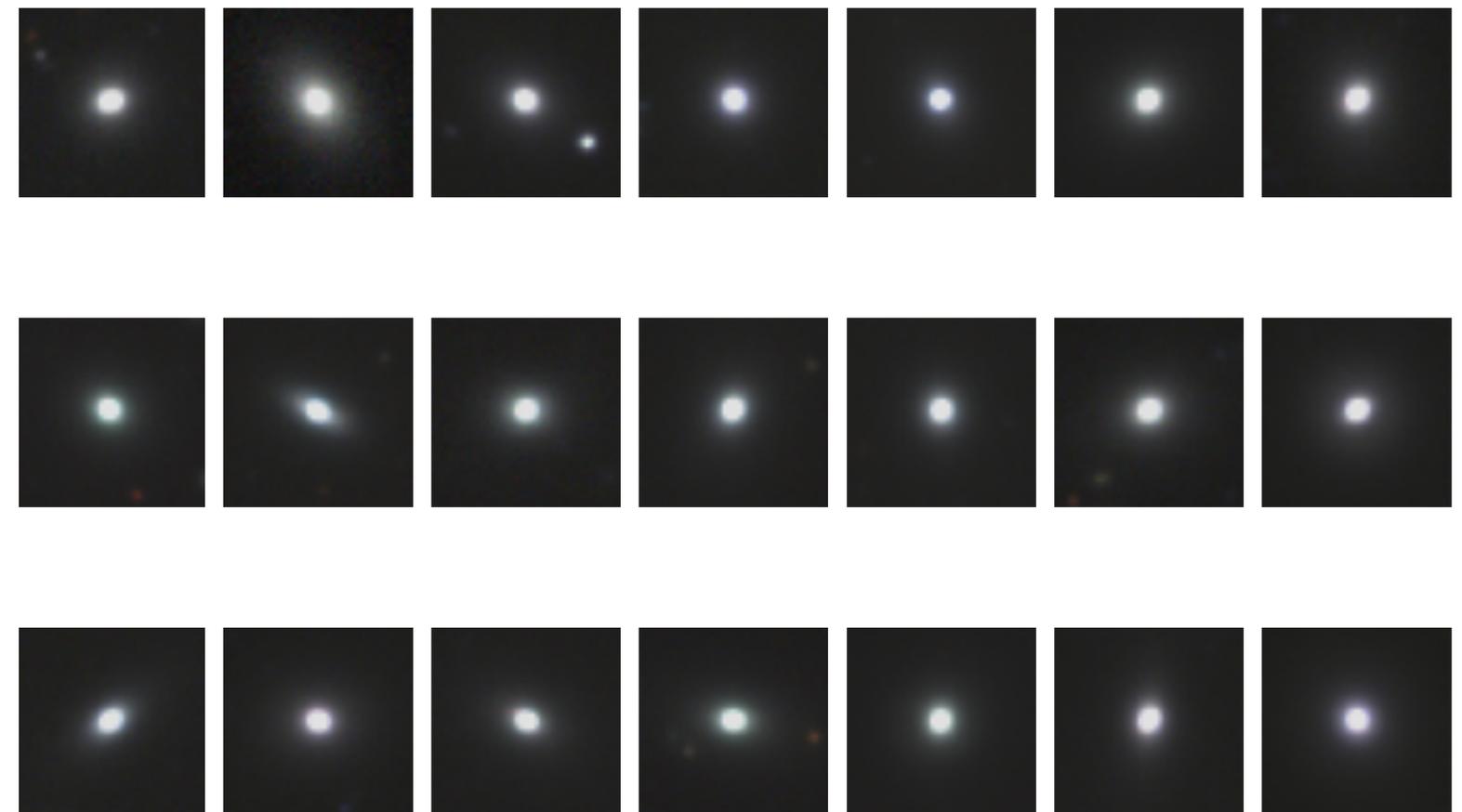
Training is completed within 8 minutes achieving state-of-the-art classification accuracy

Training done at the Cooley supercomputer at Argonne National Lab

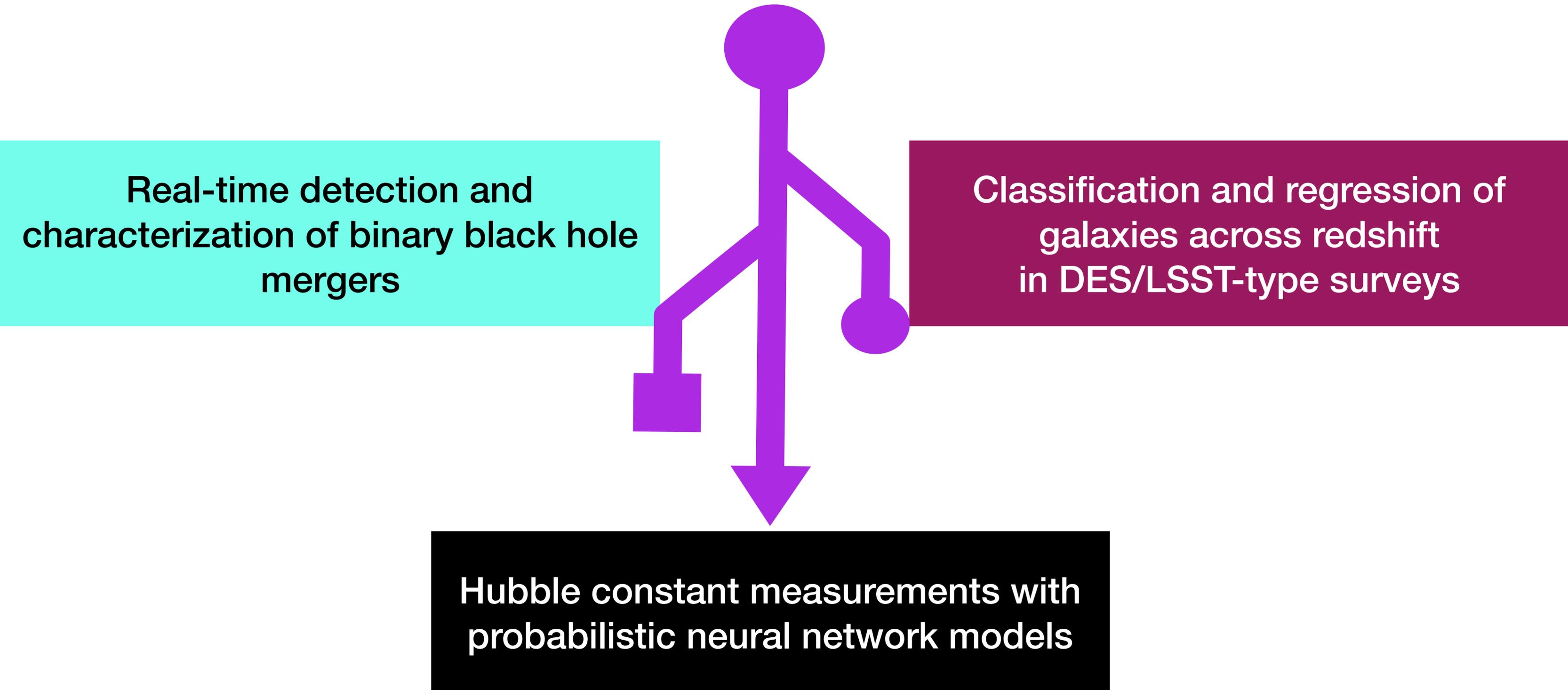
Predicted DES elliptical galaxies by our neural network model

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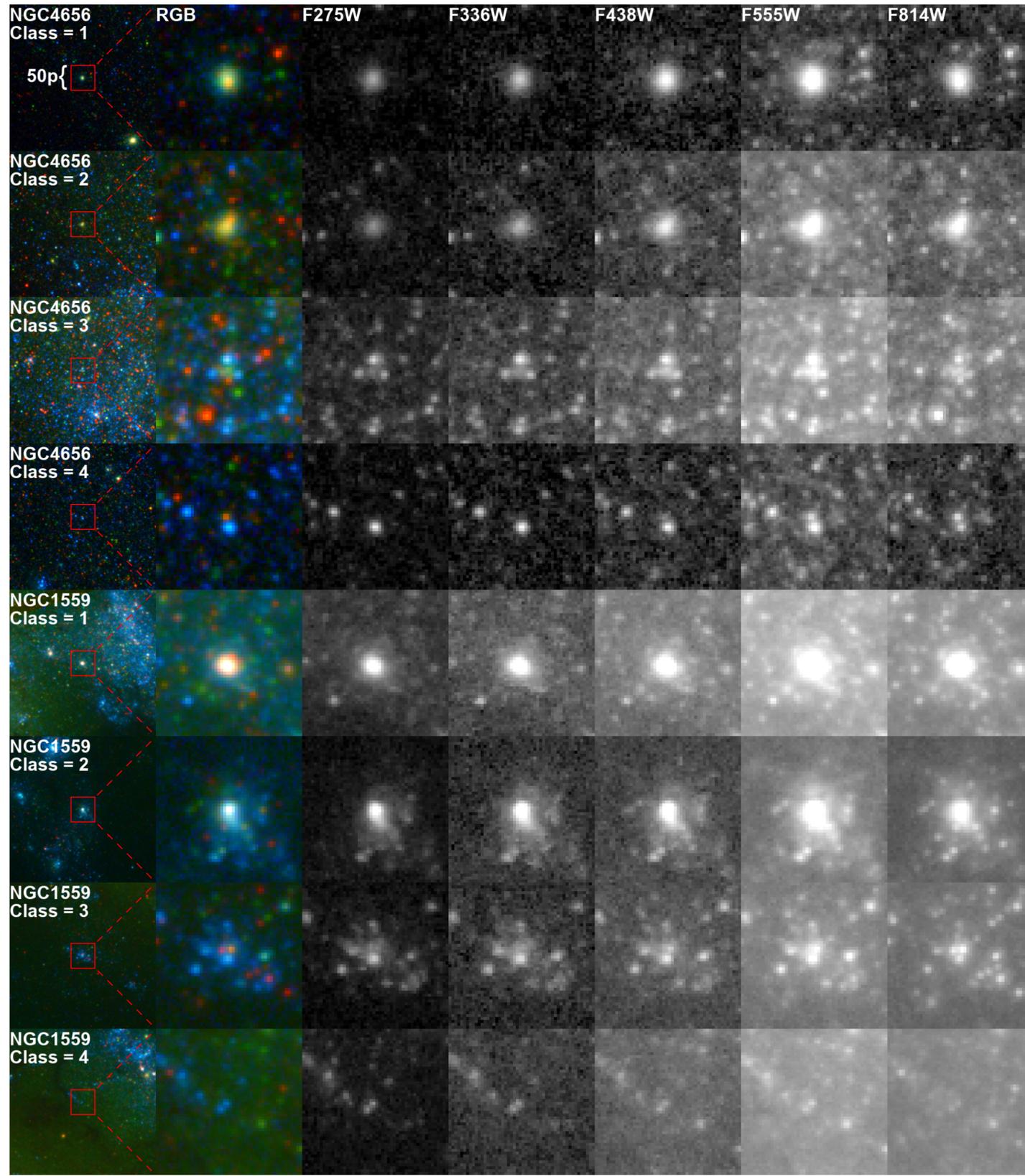
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# NCSA-IPAC-STScI-MPI



Wei Wei, EA Huerta, *et al.*, arXiv:1909.02024



Star cluster classification has been predominantly done by human experts

We have designed neural network models that outperform, for the first time, human performance for star cluster classification

Worldwide collaboration of experts in deep learning, astronomy, software and data

# Stay tuned...

Several new applications to be presented throughout the Fall

New computing frameworks to accelerate convergence of AI & HPC

Applications of AI & HPC for multi-messenger astrophysics, cosmology, and astronomy

Branching out to new areas including geoscience and medicine

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