

# Dealing with data complexity as astronomy approaches Big Data

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# How to get the most out of your data

**data utility**

**data  
analysis  
routines**

**data access**

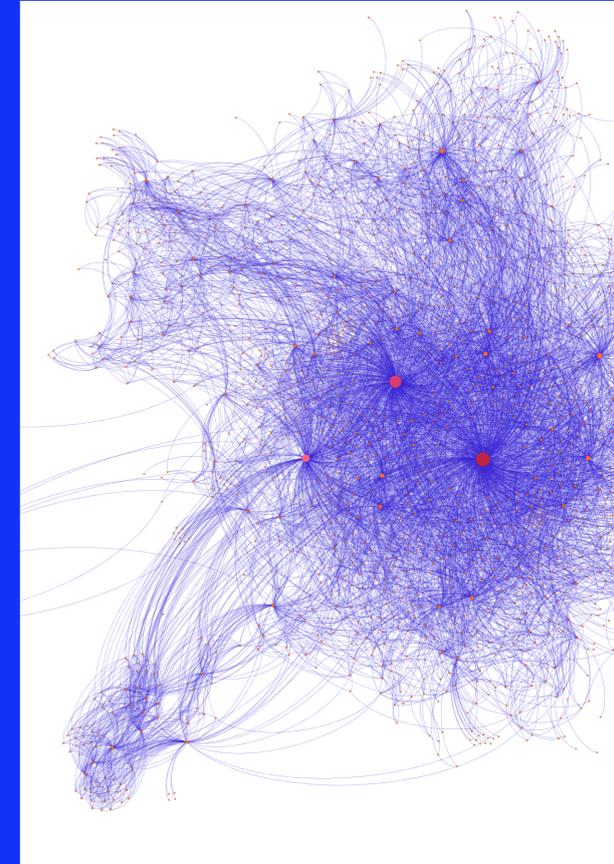
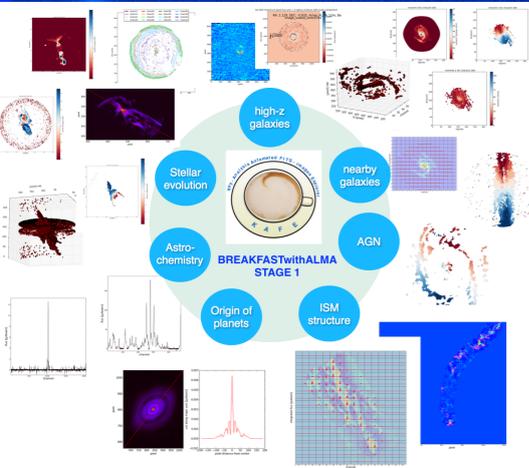
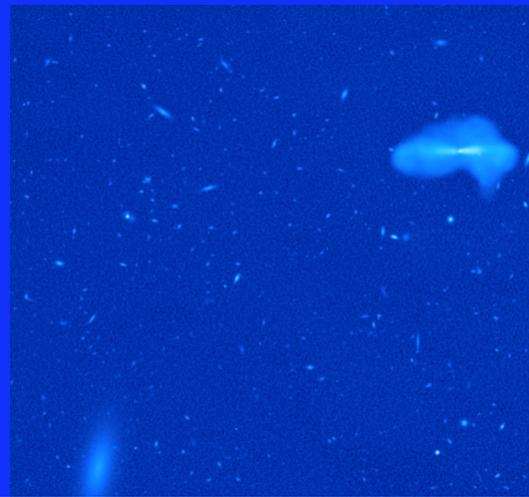
**link to  
theory/  
modeling**

**synergy  
with other  
telescopes**

**data  
visualization**

**data  
taxonomy**

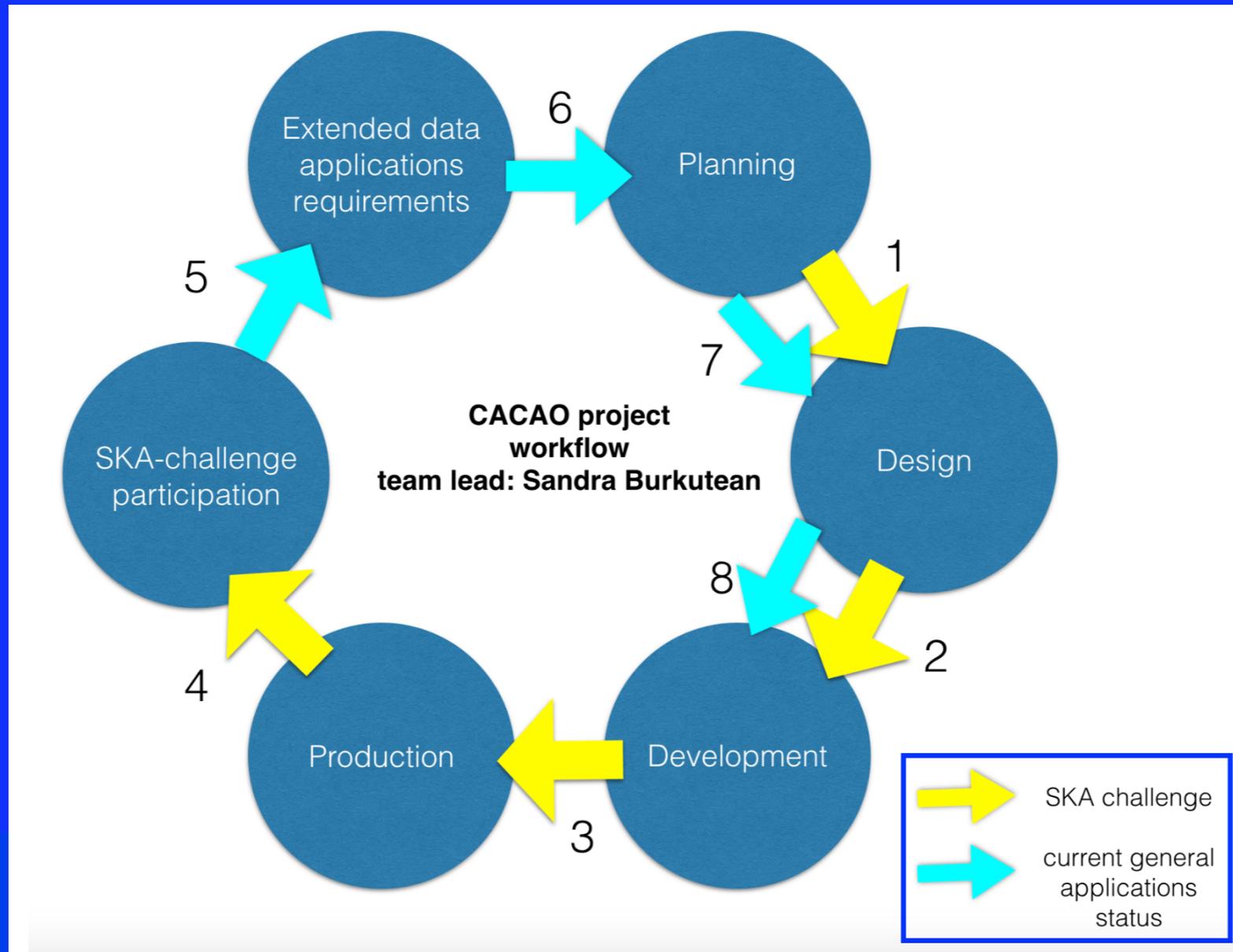
**software tools developments**





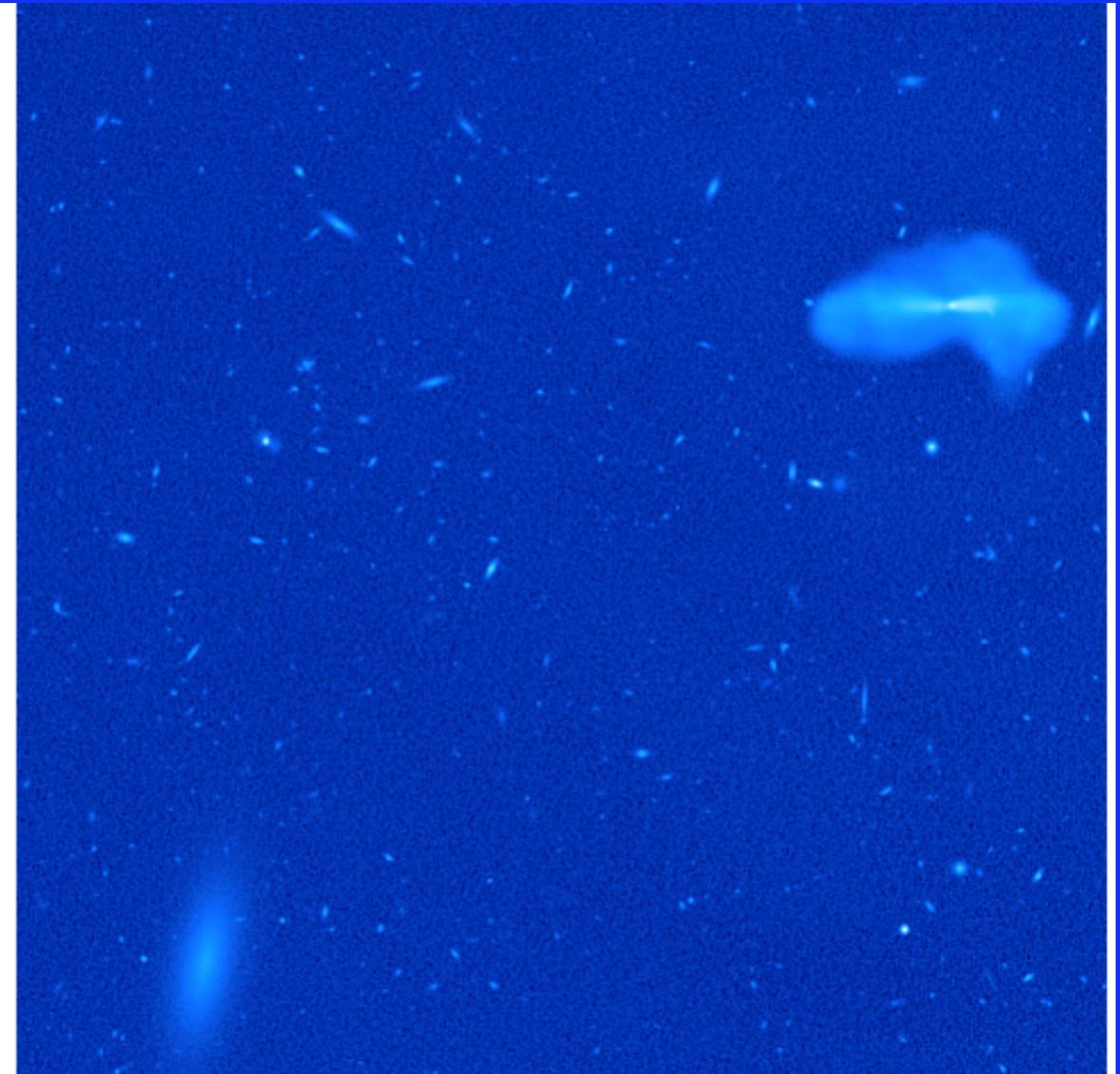
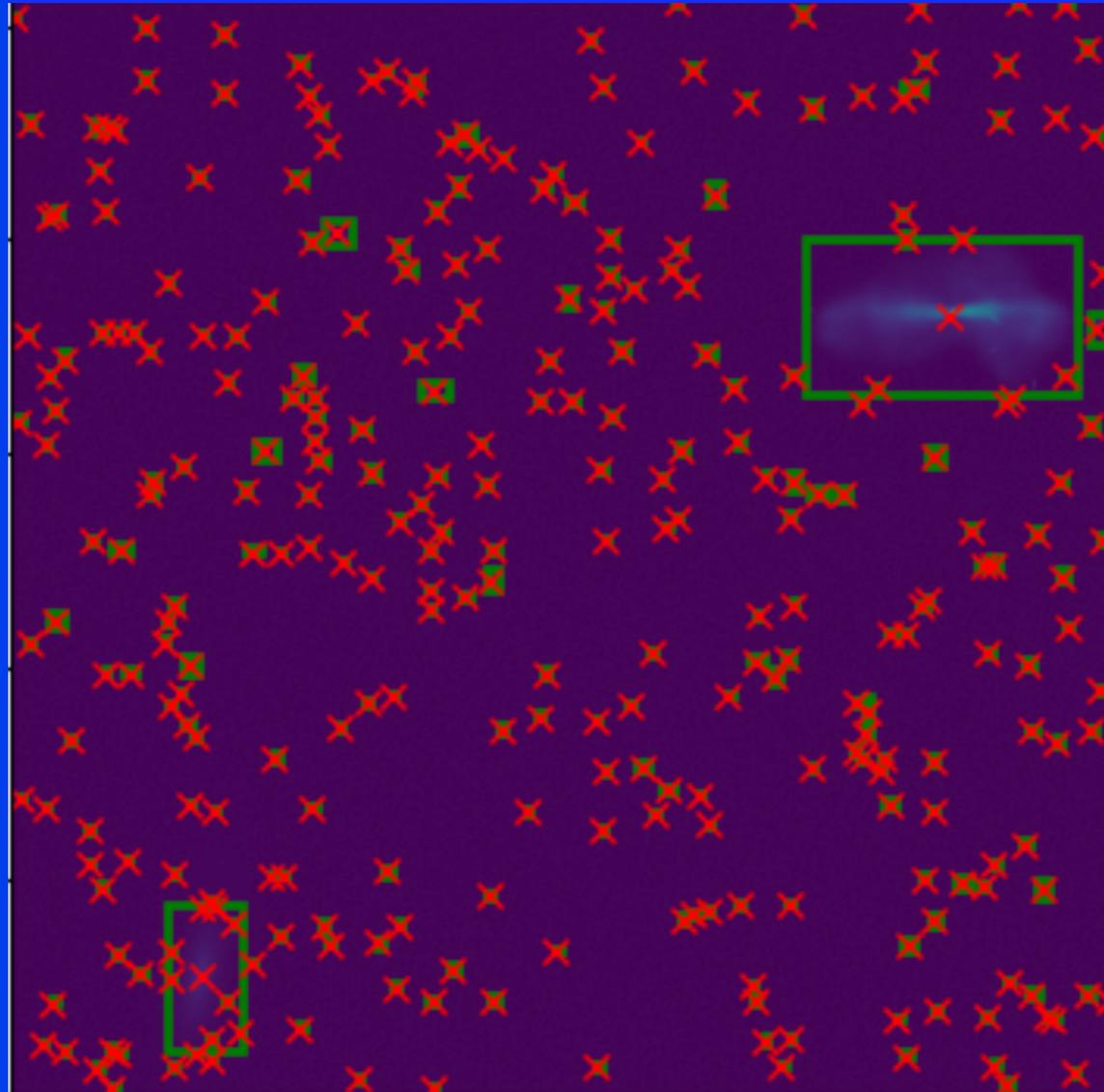
# ARCIt-CACAO

## Italian SKA data challenges experience





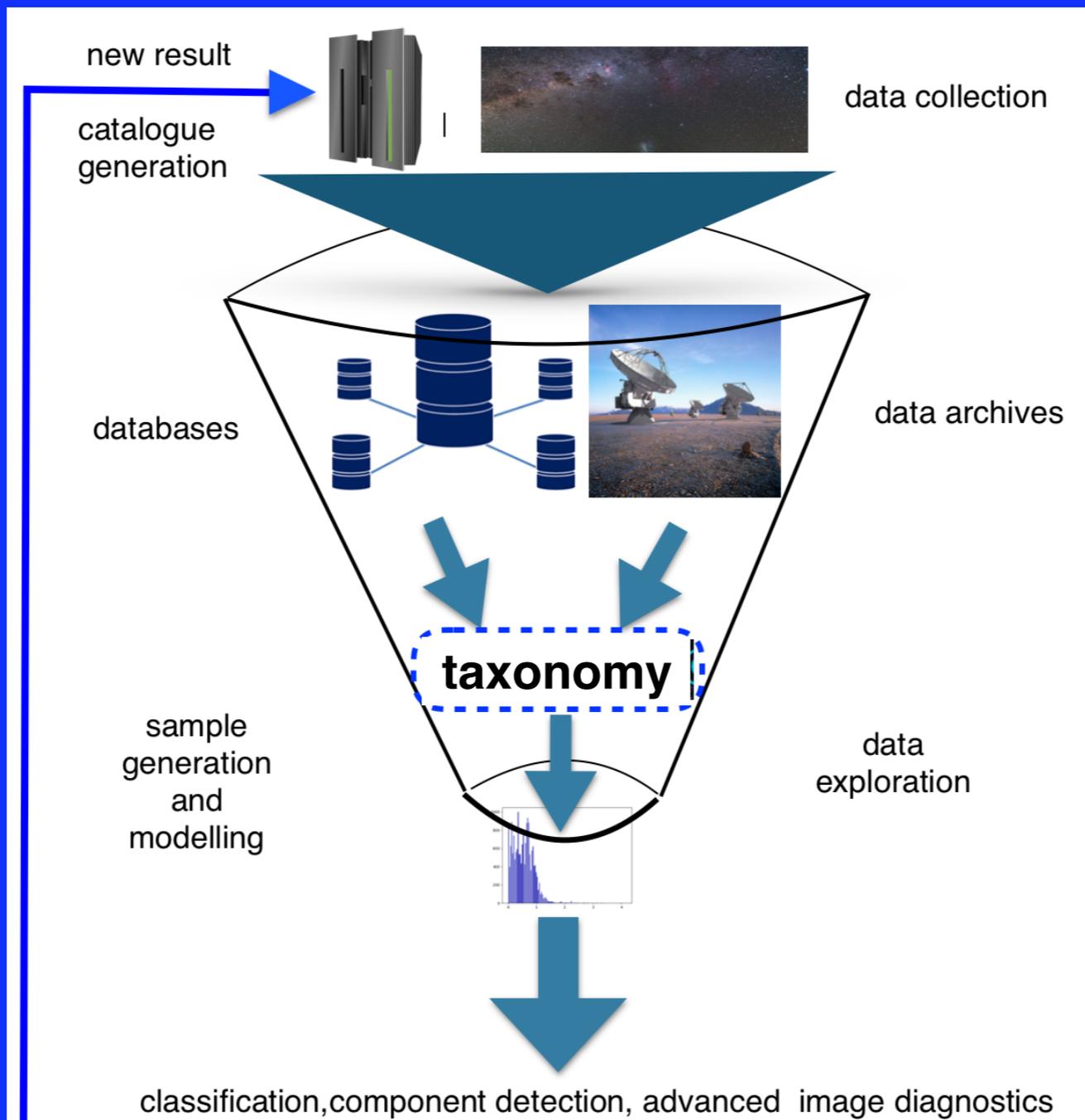
# CACAO: The Complete Automated Classification of Astronomical Objects Tool



**source finding, description, classification**

**developped for the 1st SKA data challenge, tests on real data**

**fully parallelized, further extension towards machine learning ongoing**



**often, the dataflow stops here  
once the  
catalogues have been  
produced**

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**data taxonomy**

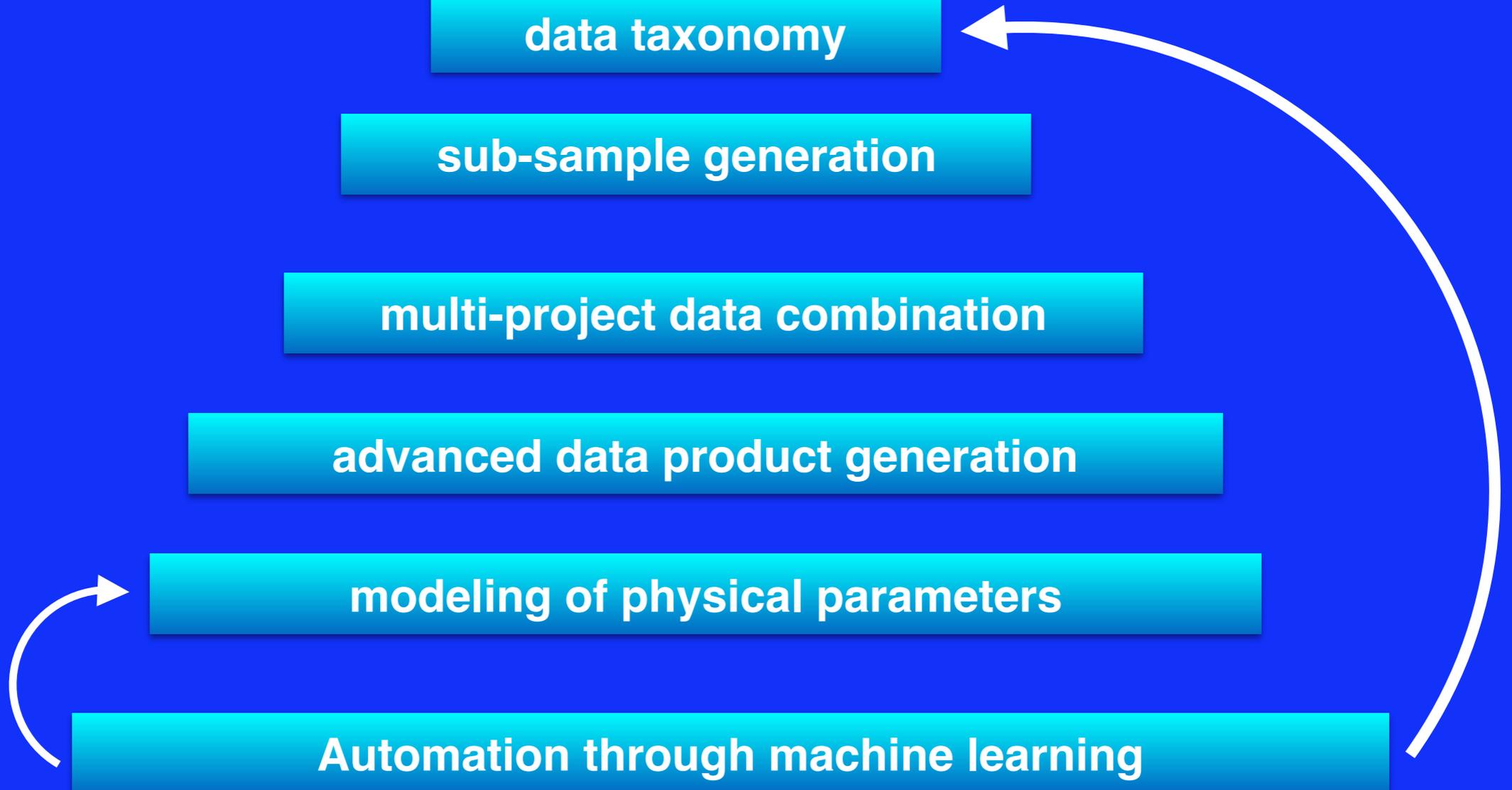
**sub-sample generation**

**multi-project data combination**

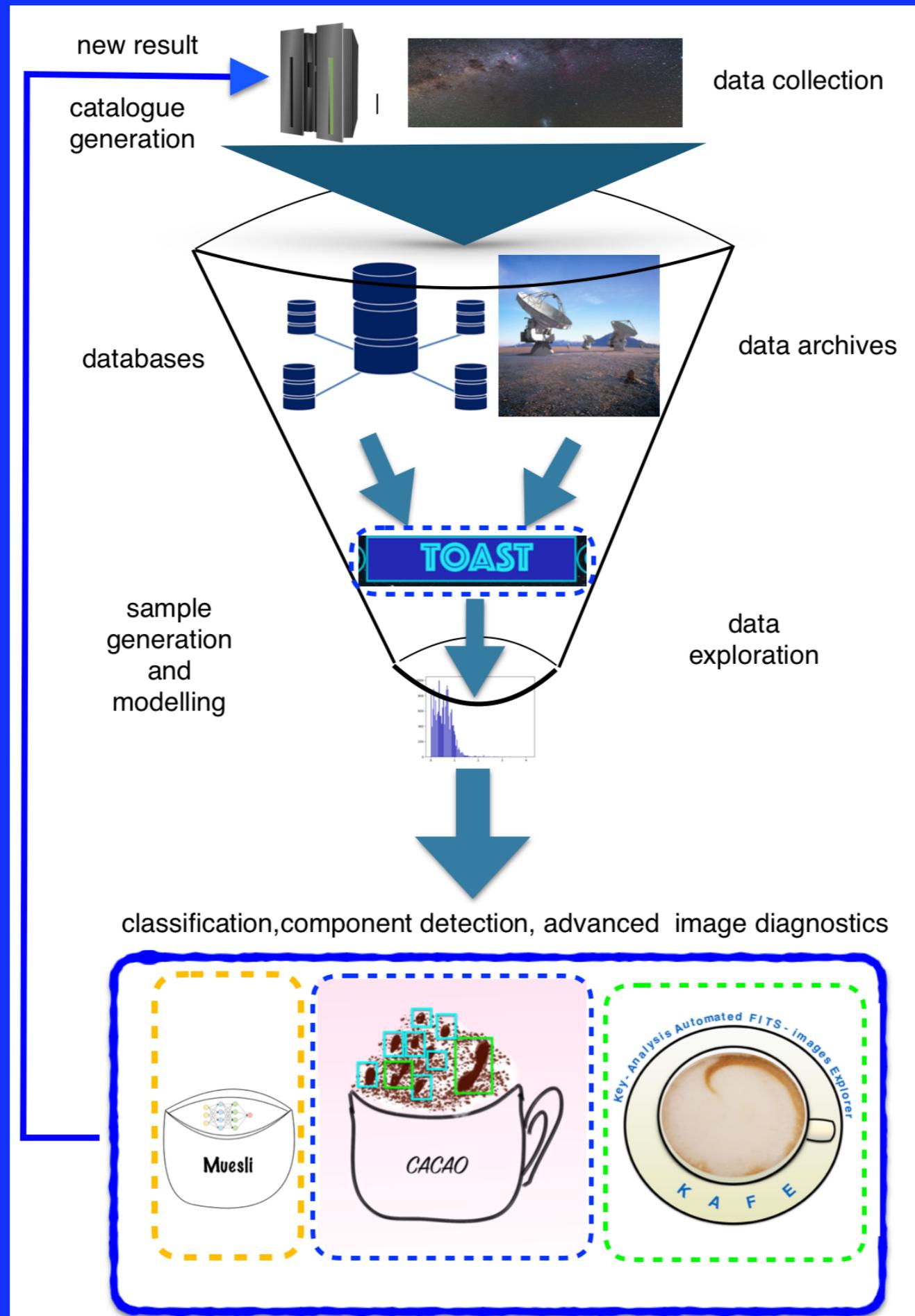
**advanced data product generation**

**modeling of physical parameters**

**Automation through machine learning**



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# TOAST: Telescope Observational Archive Sample Tool

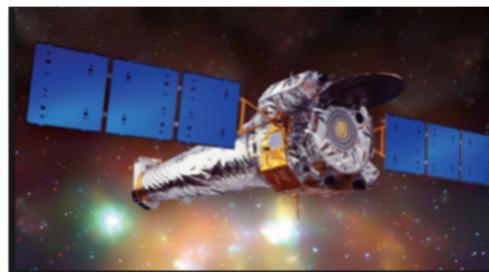
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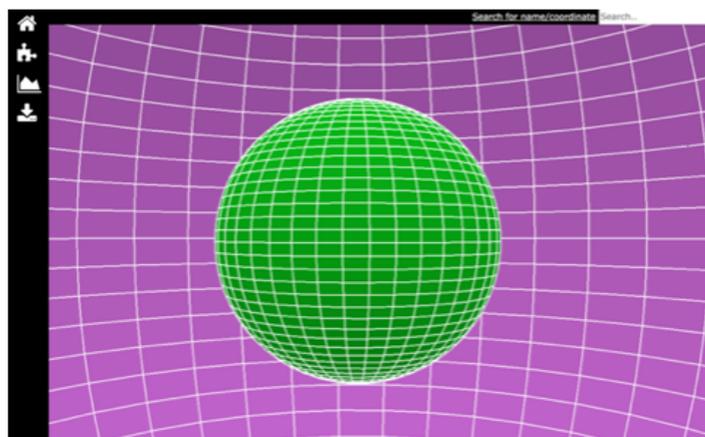
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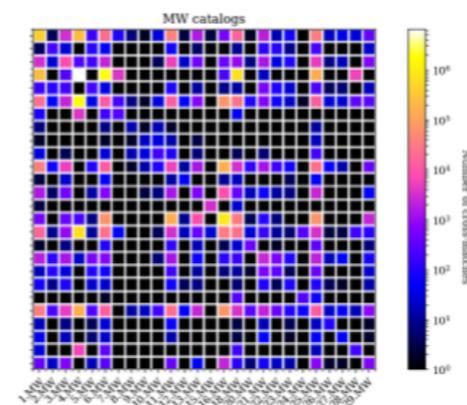
Big DATA  
visualisation

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Big DATA  
analysis

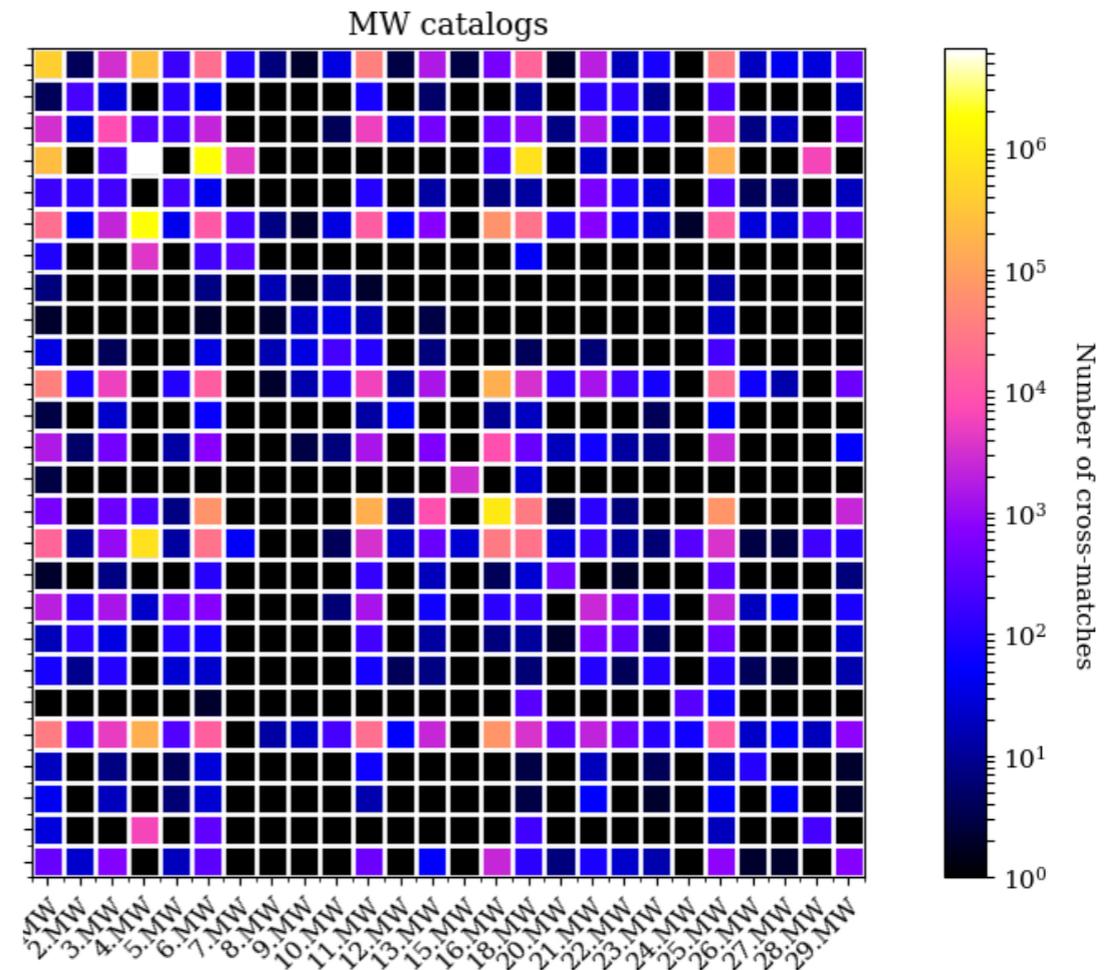
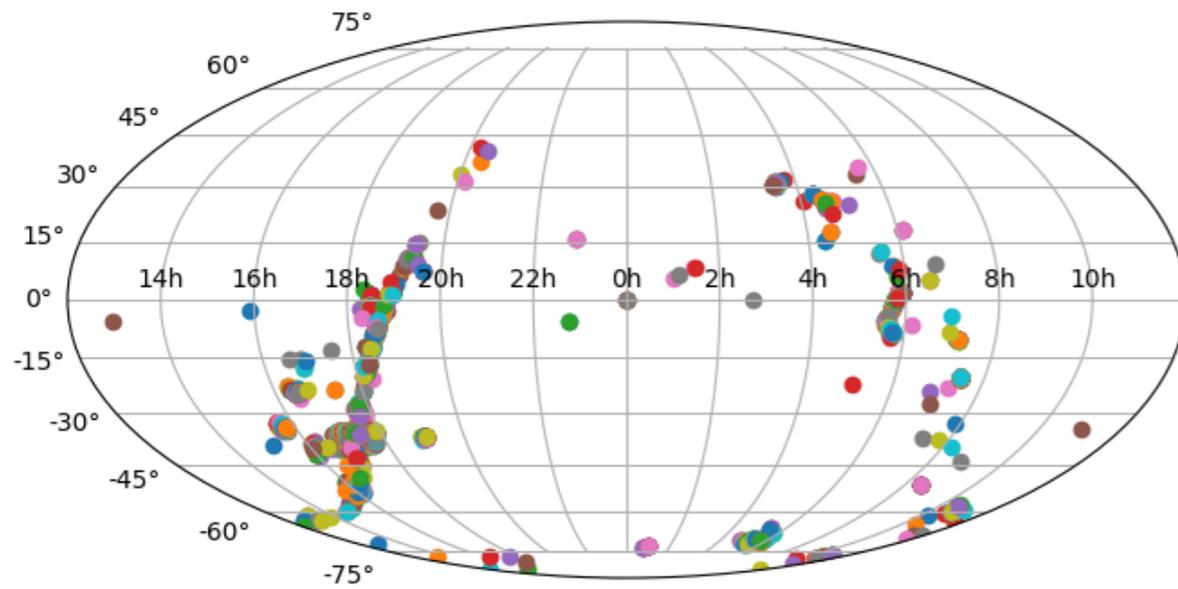
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Big DATA  
database statistics

# BREAKFASTwithALMA and TOAST

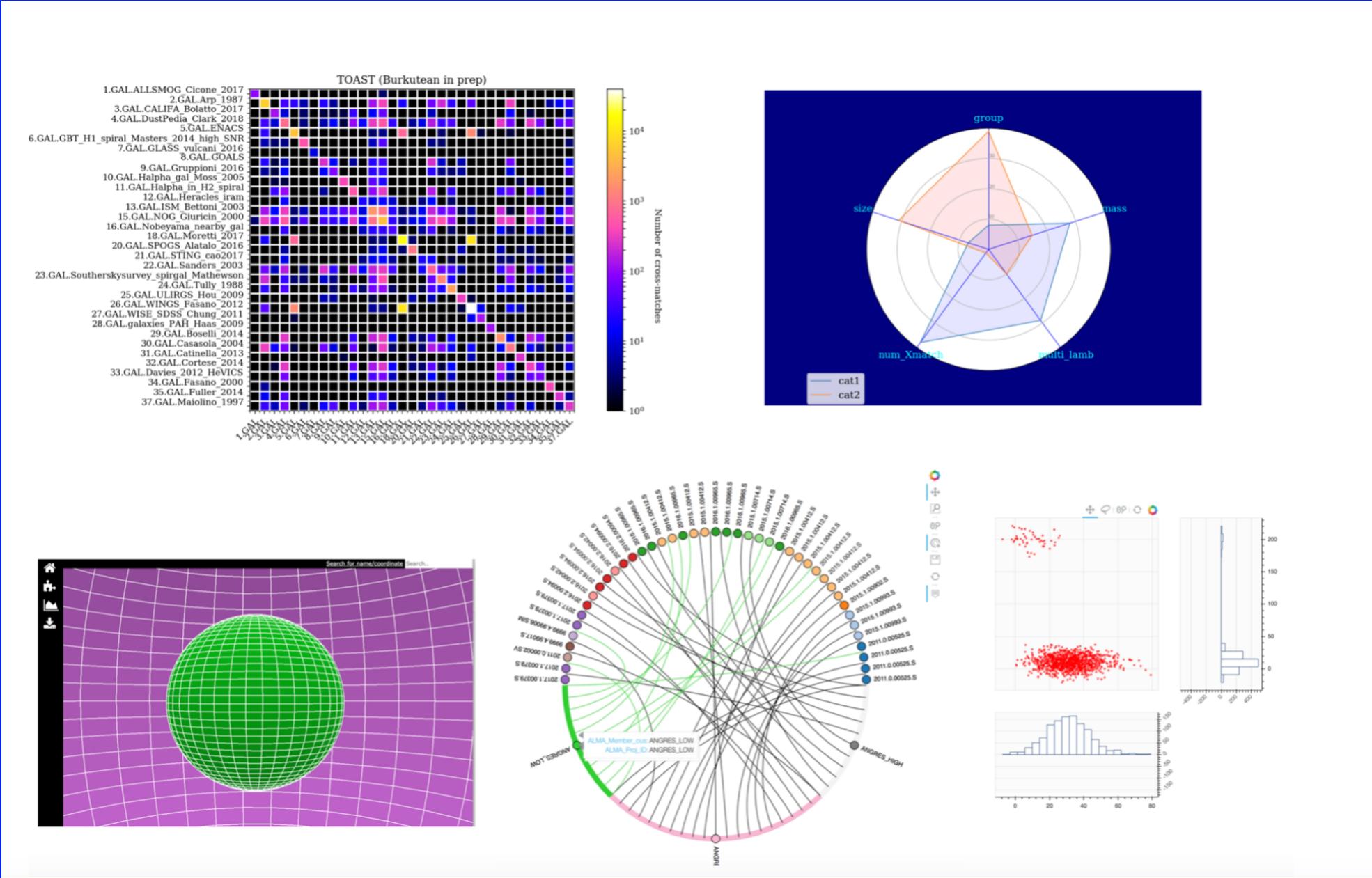
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using synergy with catalogues+NED+SIMBAD to create sub-samples

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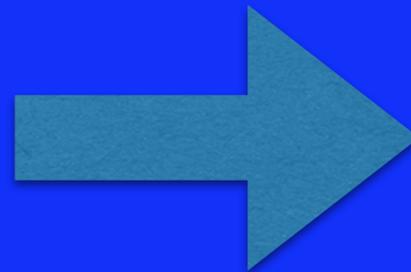
fully interactive graphs on web interface with partial 3D visualization

# KAFE: automated FITS image analysis + visualisation

*Burkutean et al., J. Astron.  
Telesc. Instrum. Syst. 4(2), 028001 (2018)*



user-generated/archival  
FITS-images



**image analysis**  
for ALMA, JVLA, PdB etc.

**fully automated**

**Inputs: FITS files**

**classification**

**continuum**

**cube/polarization**

**IMAGE FILTER SELECTION**

**FITS IMAGE SUB-SAMPLE diagnostics**

**continuum/polarization diagnostics**

**KEYWORDS**

**cube diagnostics**

**components**

**cont. analysis**

**cube analysis**

**spectrum**

**visualization**

- source detection fixed noise threshold
- source detection as a function of SNR
- polarization map

- image cuts along major/minor axis
- radial average
- radial light curves
- power spectrum

- sources component detection per channel
- continuum level identification
- line detection
- continuum subtraction

- spectrum around max
- spectrum 3D mask
- spectrum inner quarter
- line fit (spectrum 3D mask)

- 3D cube view
- spectral gallery
- channel maps
- moment maps
- Pos-Vel maps

**FITS SUB-SAMPLE classification/visualization**

**catalogue cross-match**

**composite field plot**

**image component redshifts (NED query)**

**OUTPUTS: diagnostic plots, FITS files with metadata, sub-sample and source classification diagnostics**

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**Public** archival images in the ALMA archive



KAFE

nearby galaxies

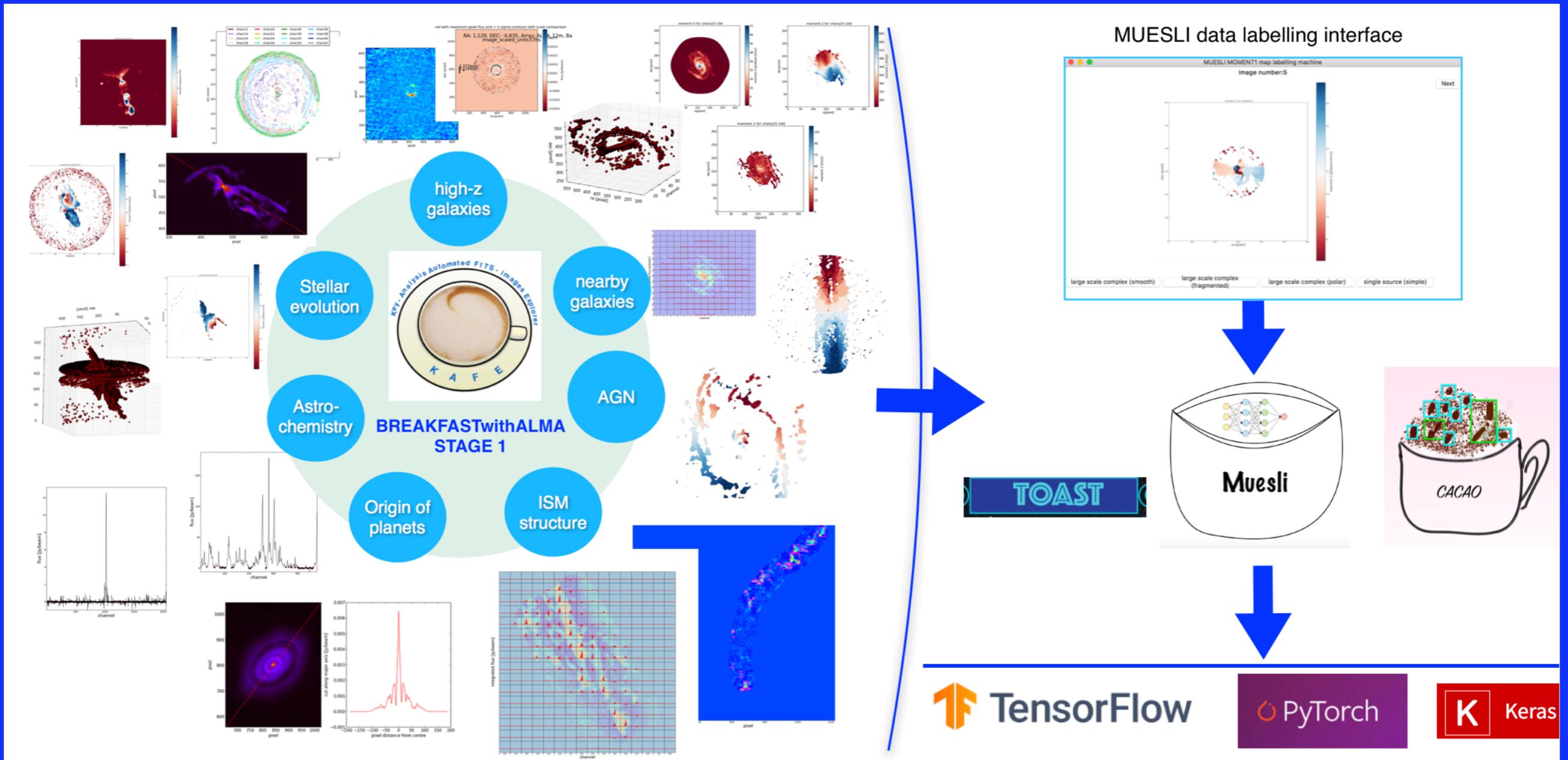
high-z

galactic

AGN

on Italian ARC cluster + HPC computing time at CHIPP (Trieste)  
+ GPU time (CINECA)

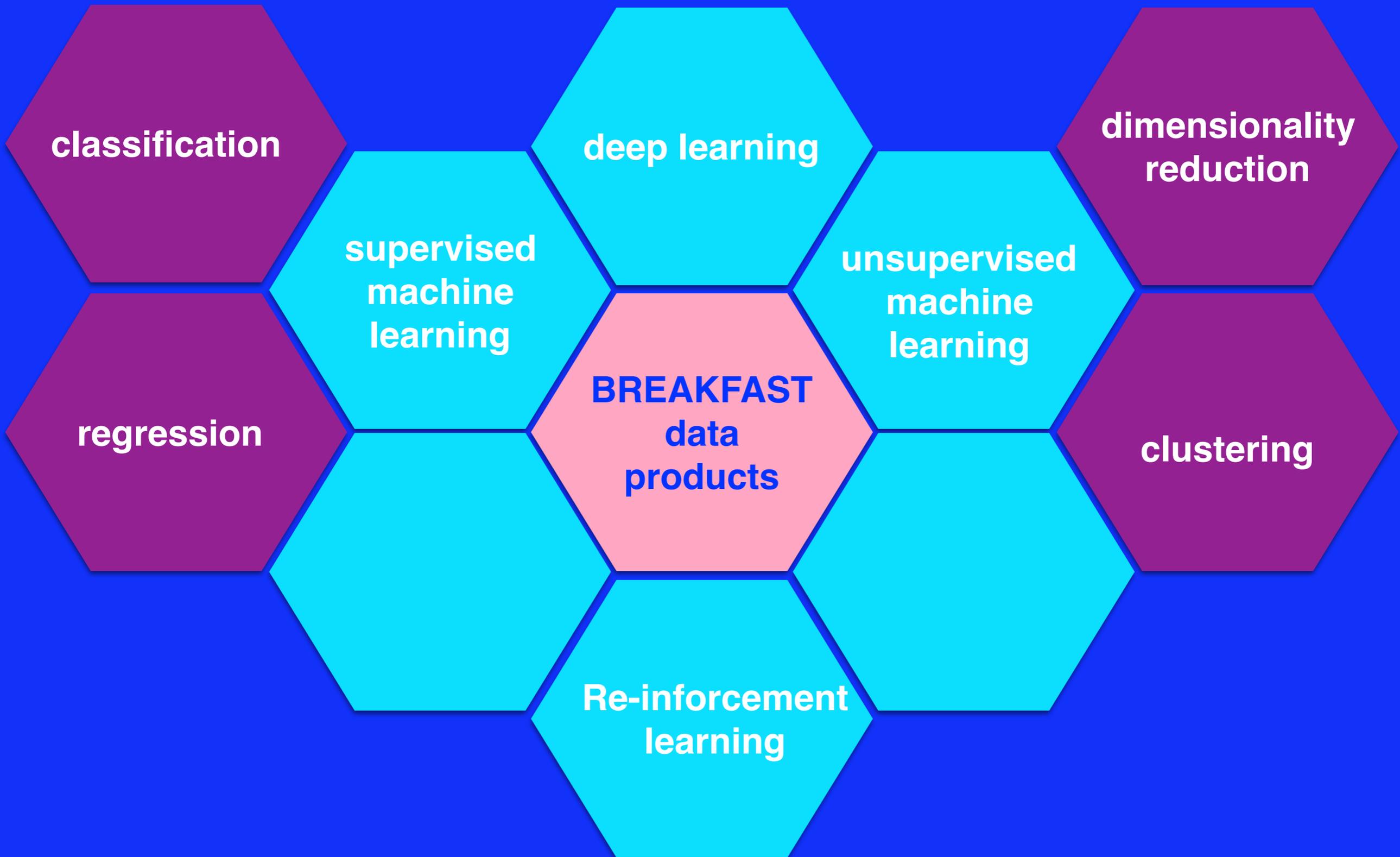
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Automation is the key !

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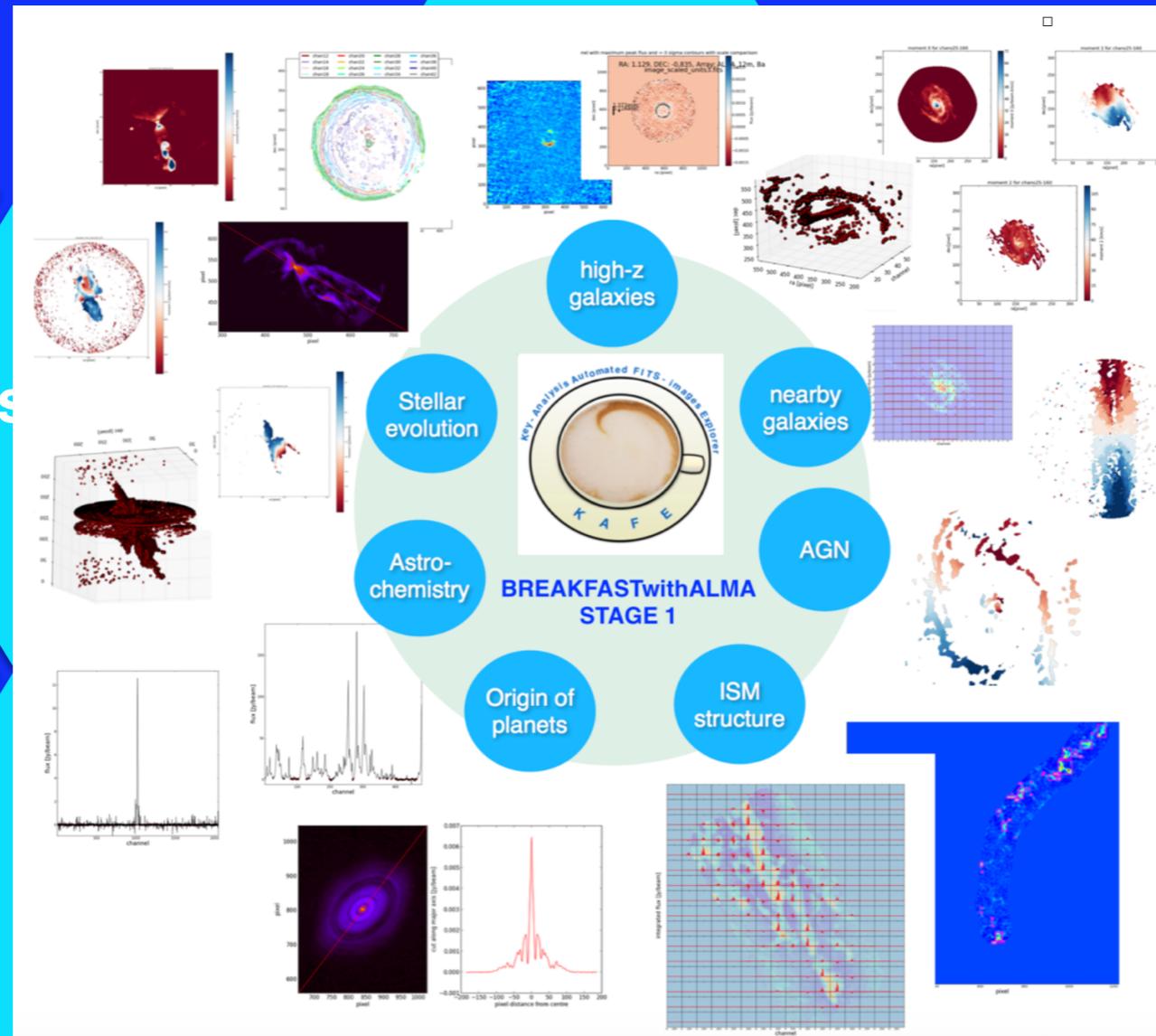
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classification

regression

dimensionality reduction

clustering



**Automatically generated advanced data products and their associated metadata are vital !!!**

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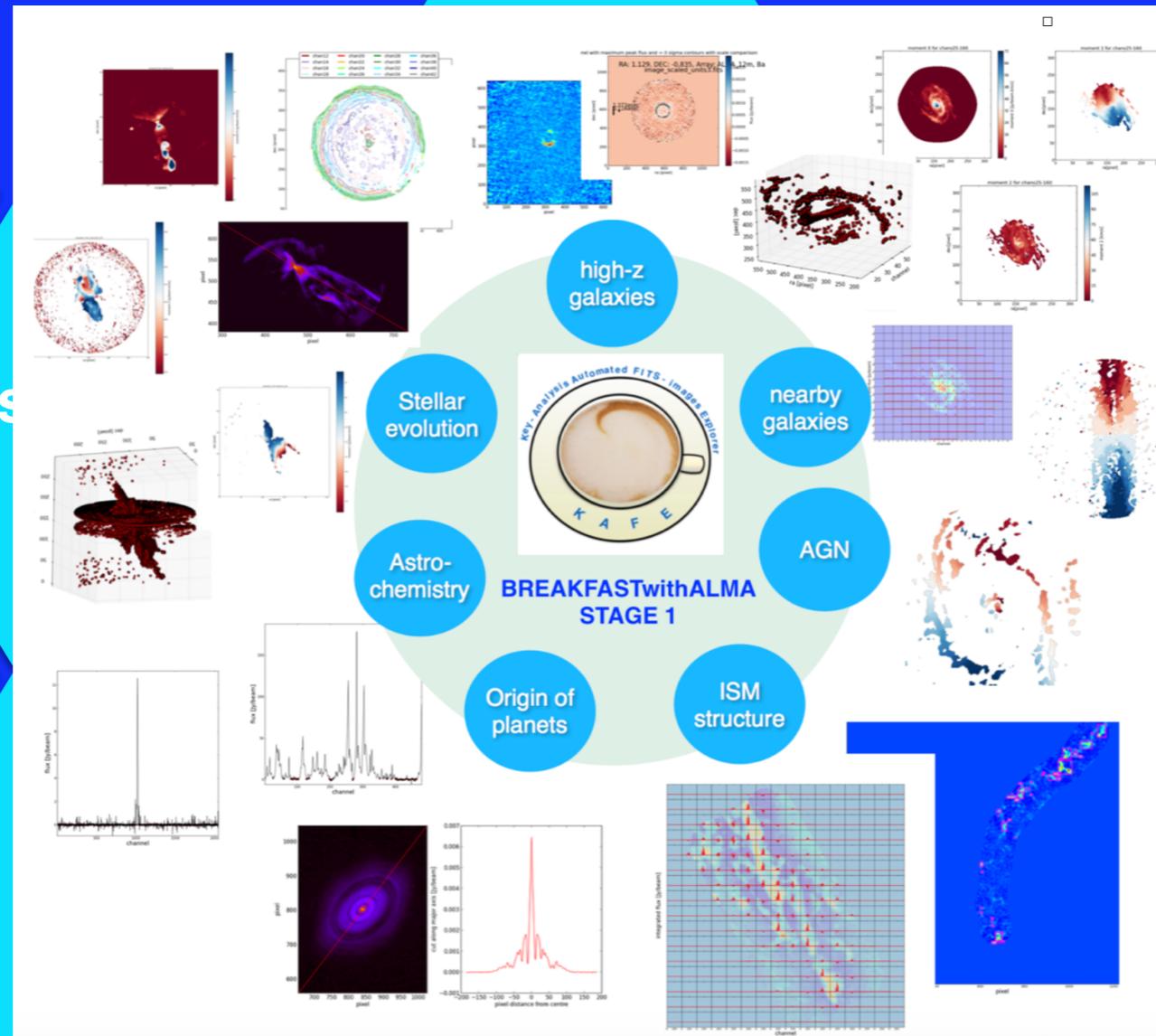
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**Ultimate aim: build a database system/archive that can stand the test of time and whose search capabilities exploit AI techniques !**

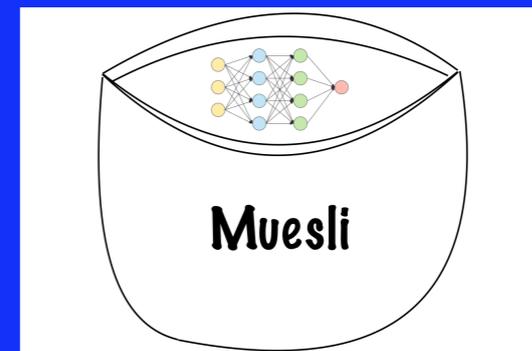
# Summary

Pathfinder projects such as BREAKFASTwithALMA can simulate dataflow at the analysis stage

We need to think of long-term advanced data product maintenance.

AI will be essential for pinpointing scientifically interesting regions in the data product parameter space

Stay tuned for  
BREAKFAST!



TOAST