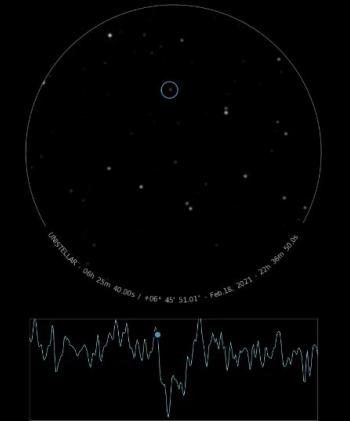
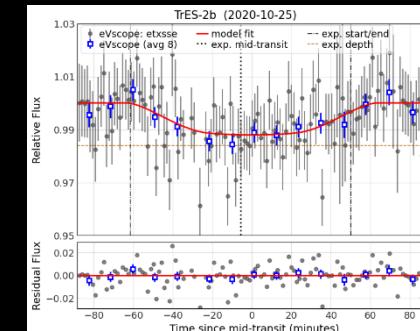
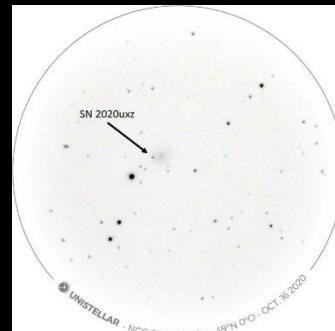
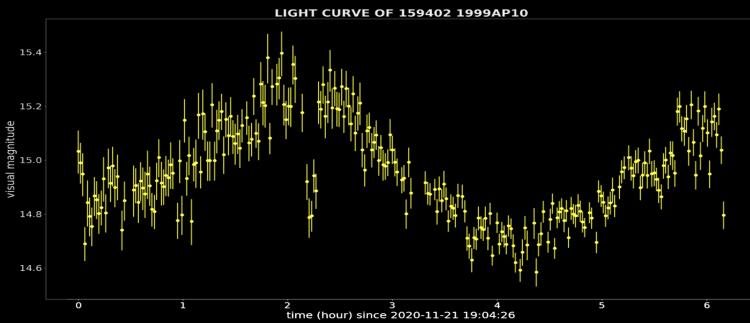




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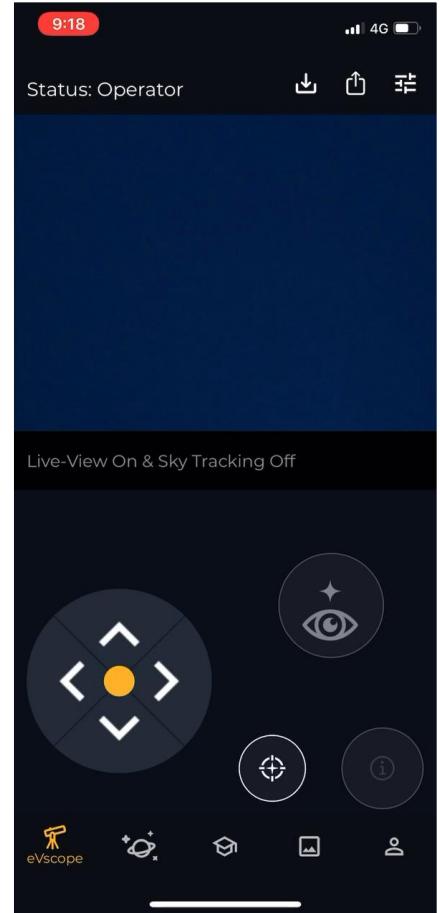
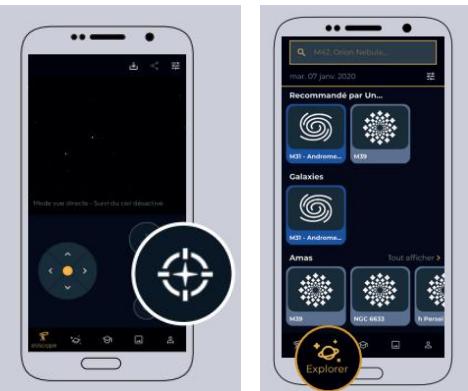
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- Détection de champ automatique
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- Monture Alt-Az
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- Portable (10 hr d'autonomie, 9 kg)
- Un ordinateur à bord

eVscope 1 / eQuinox
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Sony IMX224

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45' x 34' FOV; 1.33 "/pix
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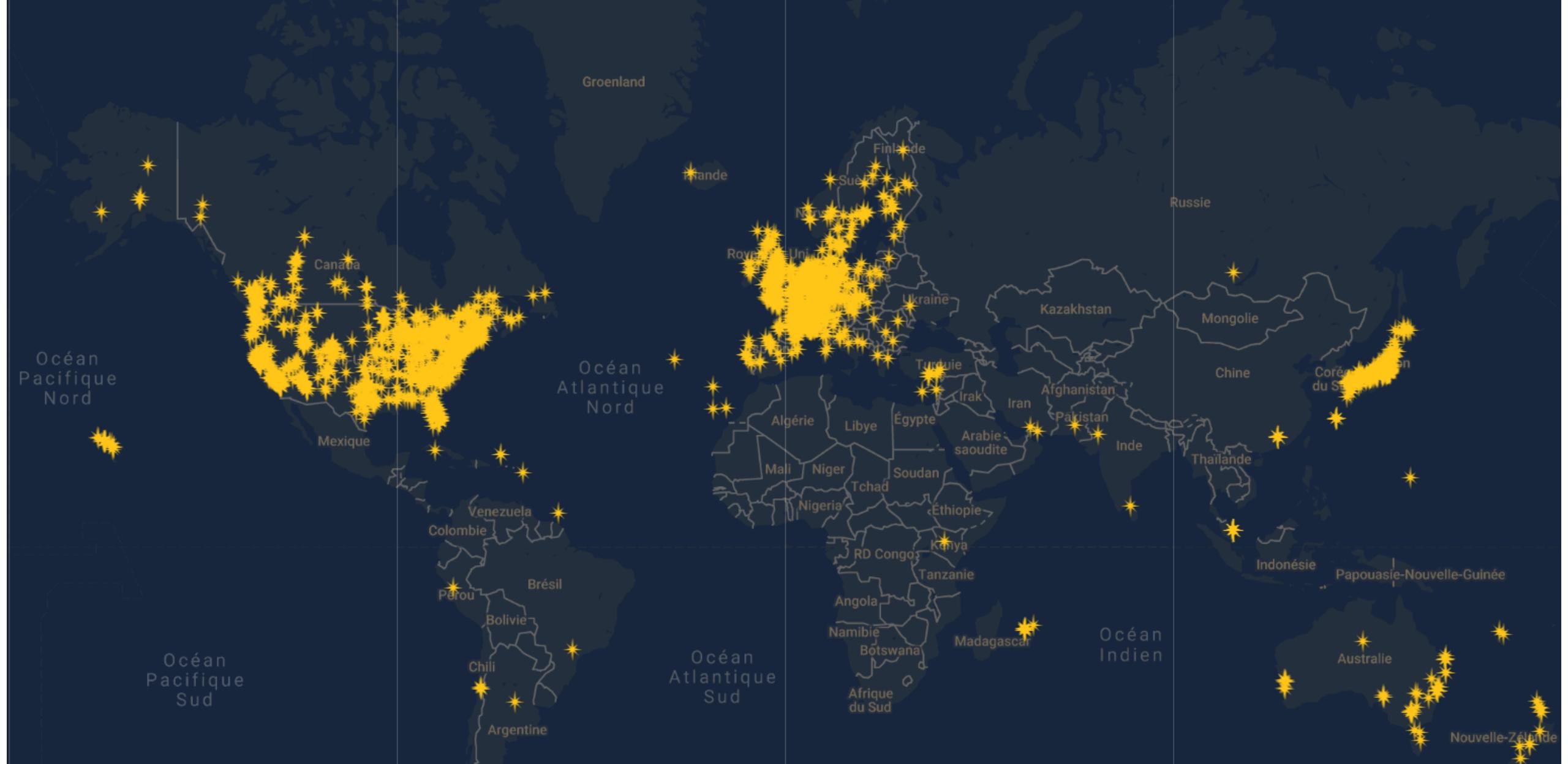
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Application

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- Fourth Panel:** A grid of circular images showing various celestial objects, likely captured by the eVscope.
- Right Panel:** The "MY EVSCOPE" tab of the device status screen, showing SSID (eVscope-), battery level (18% used), download/upload data buttons, and a "RELEASE" button.



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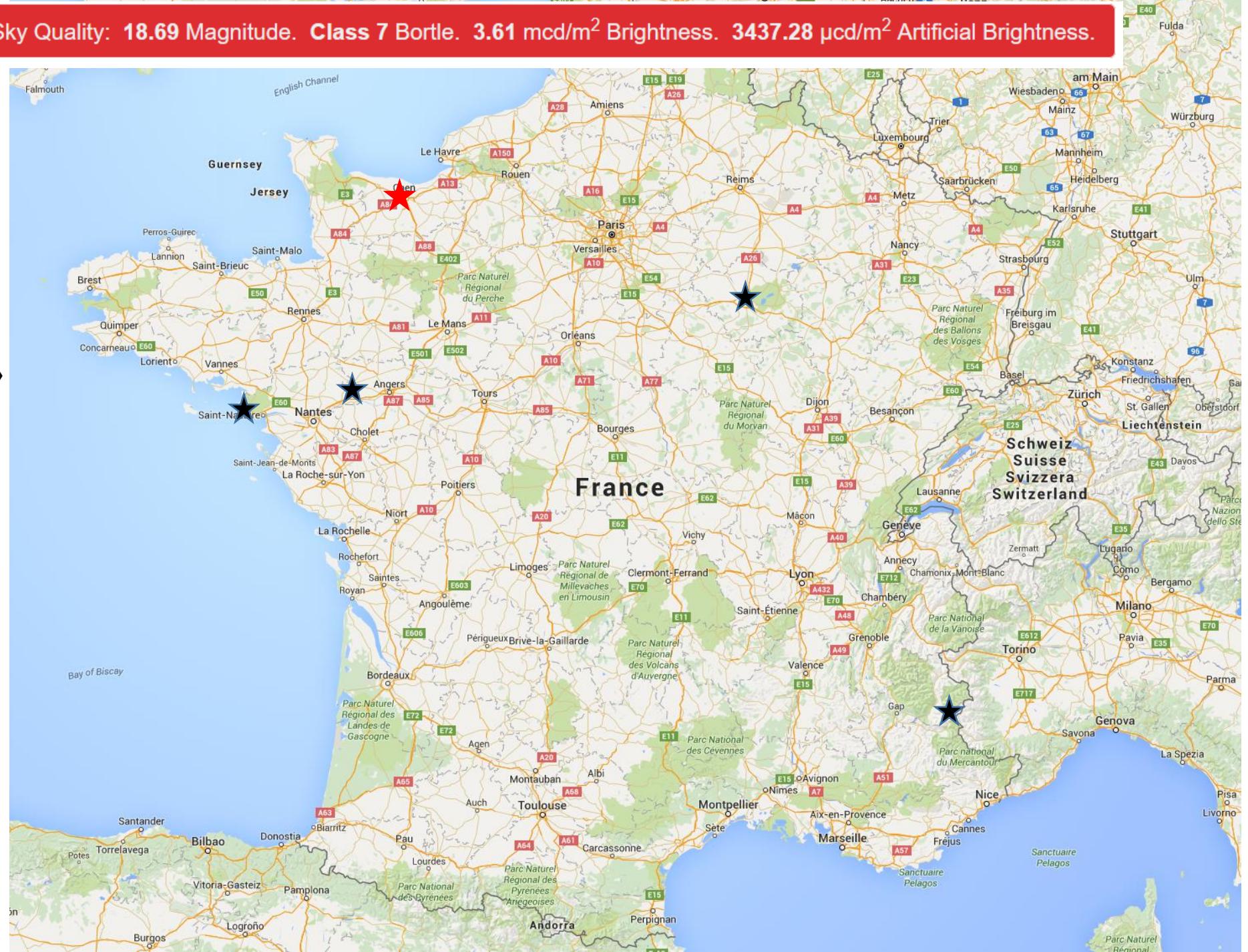


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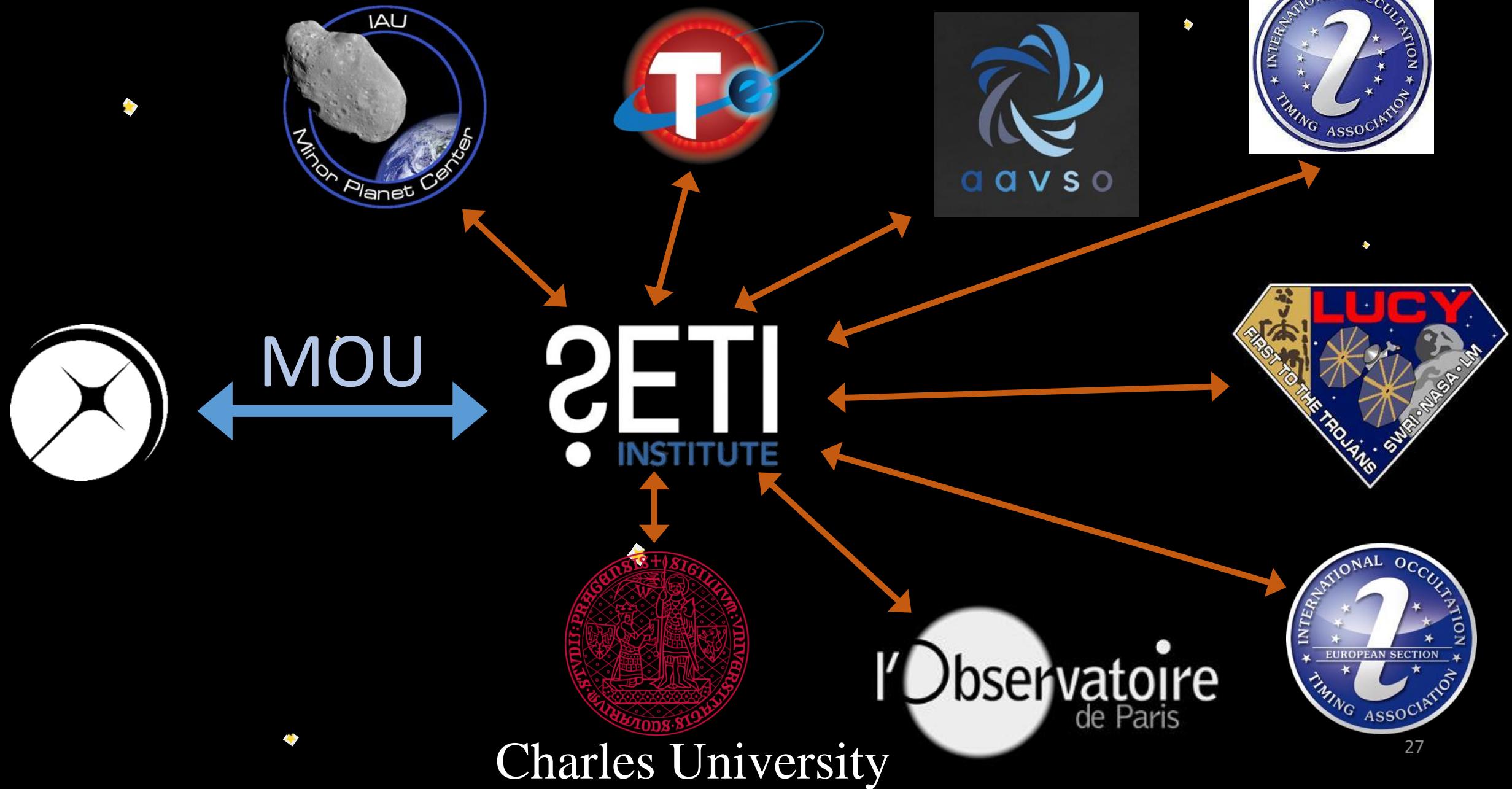
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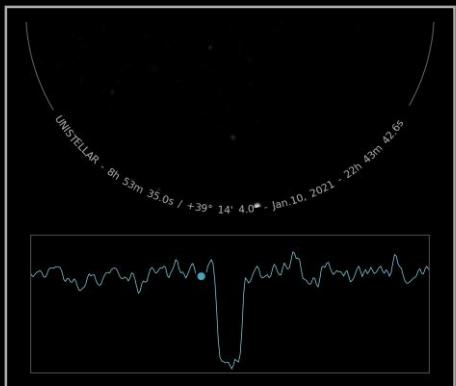
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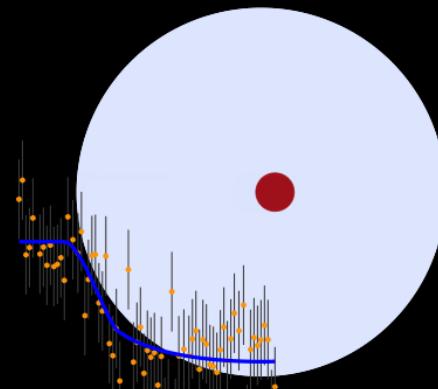
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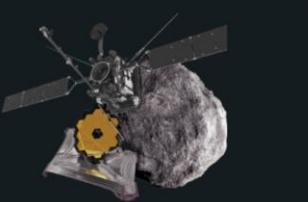


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Moving Target Ephemeris



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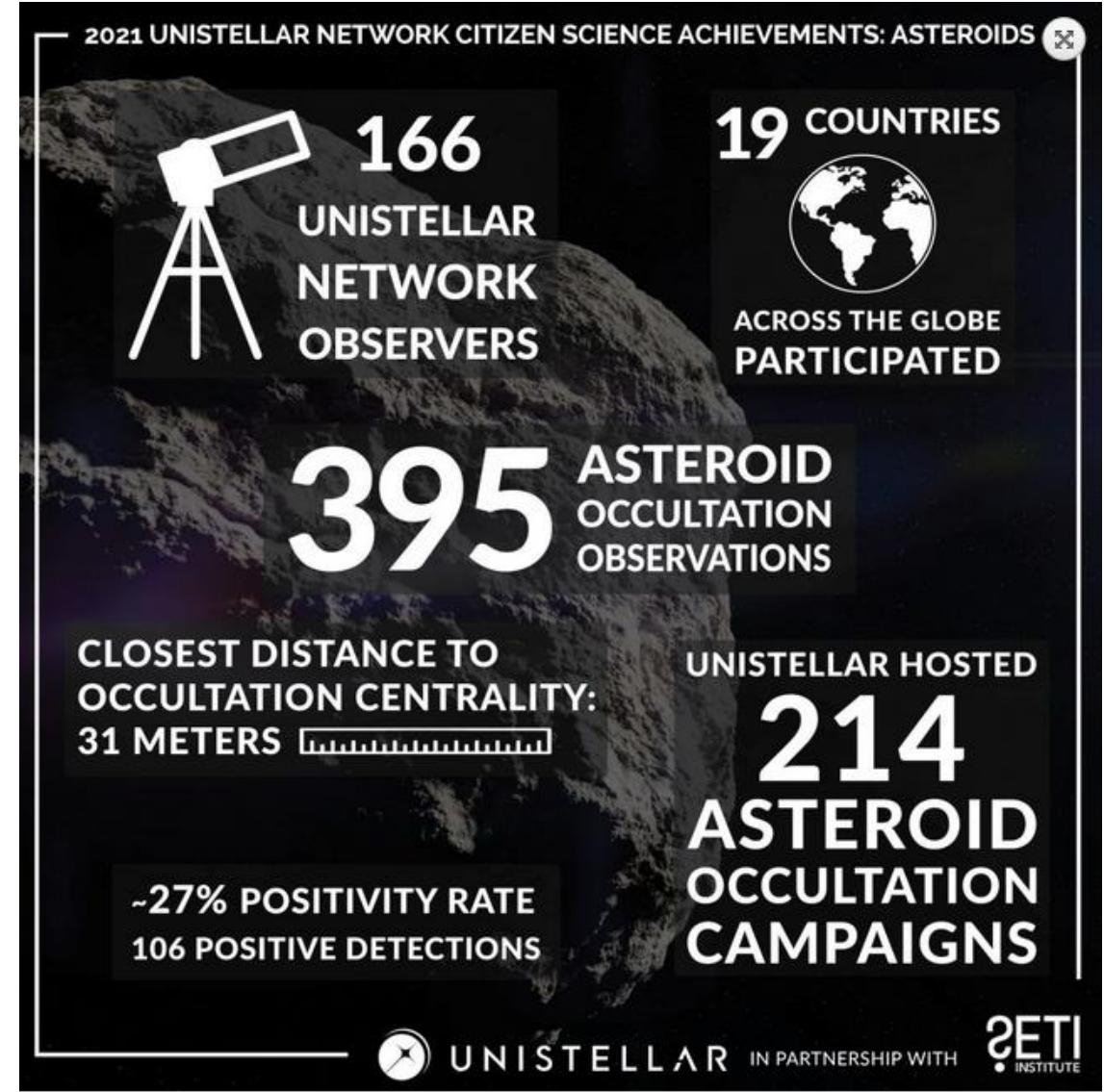
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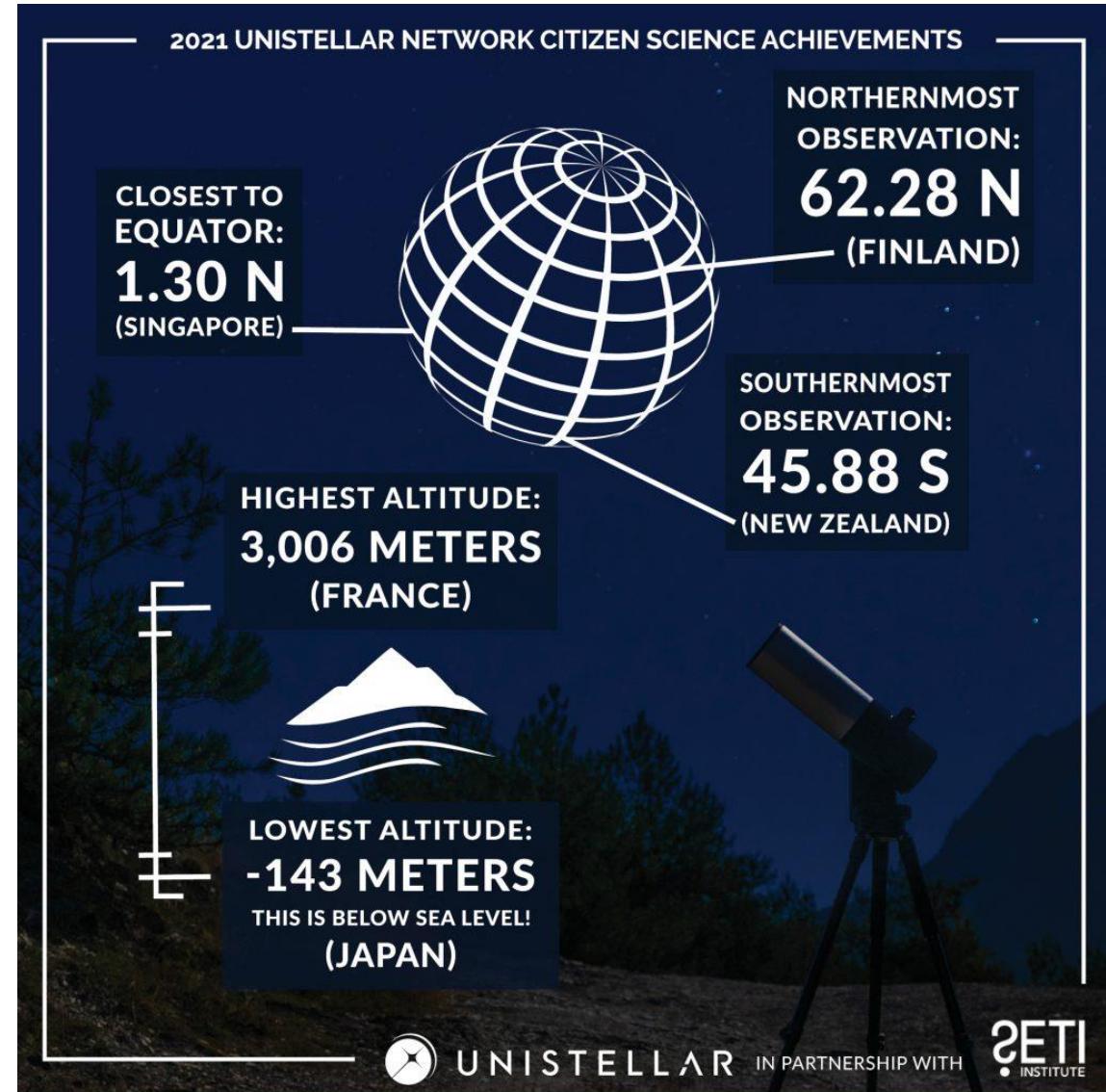
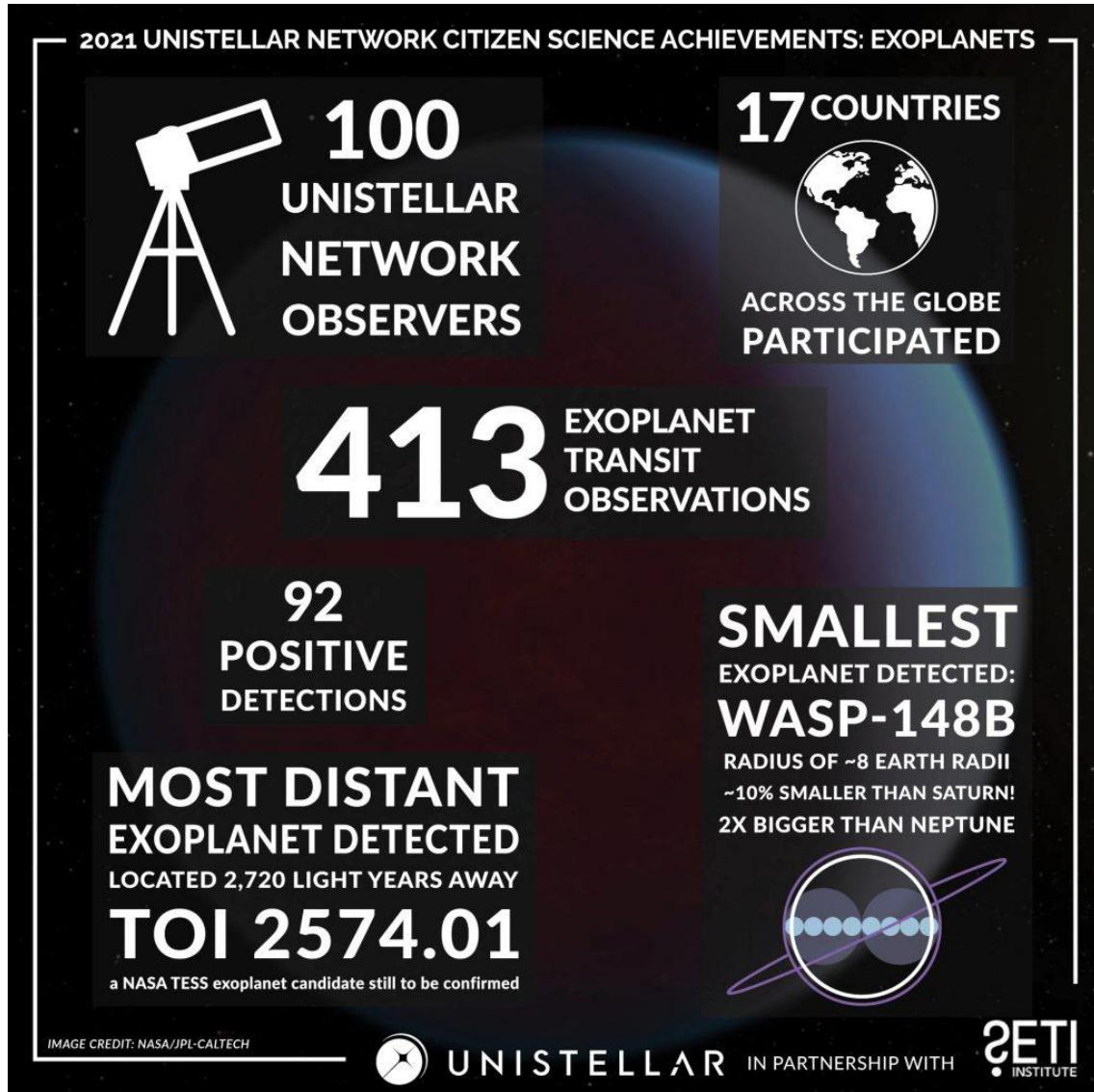
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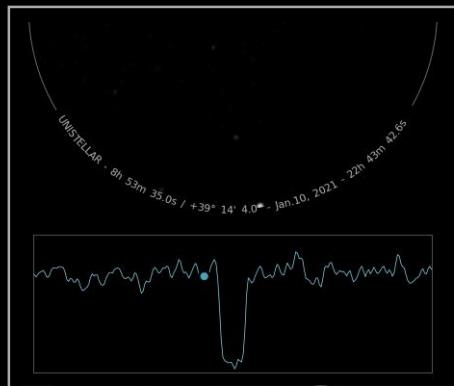
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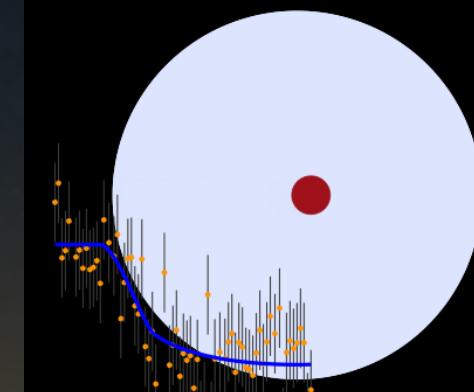
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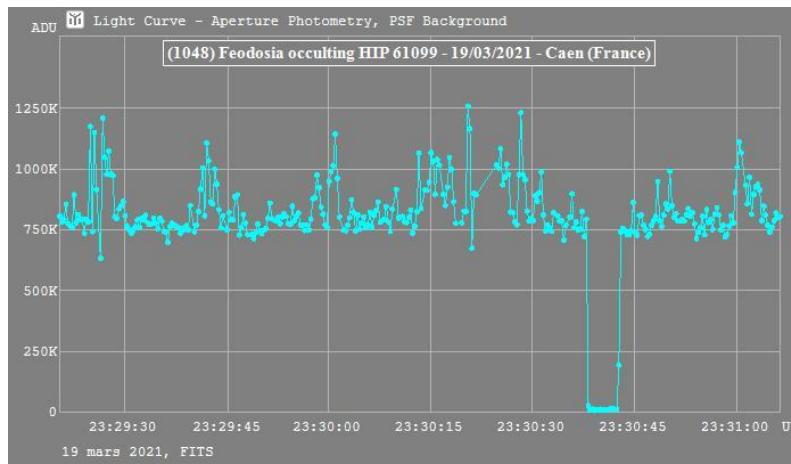
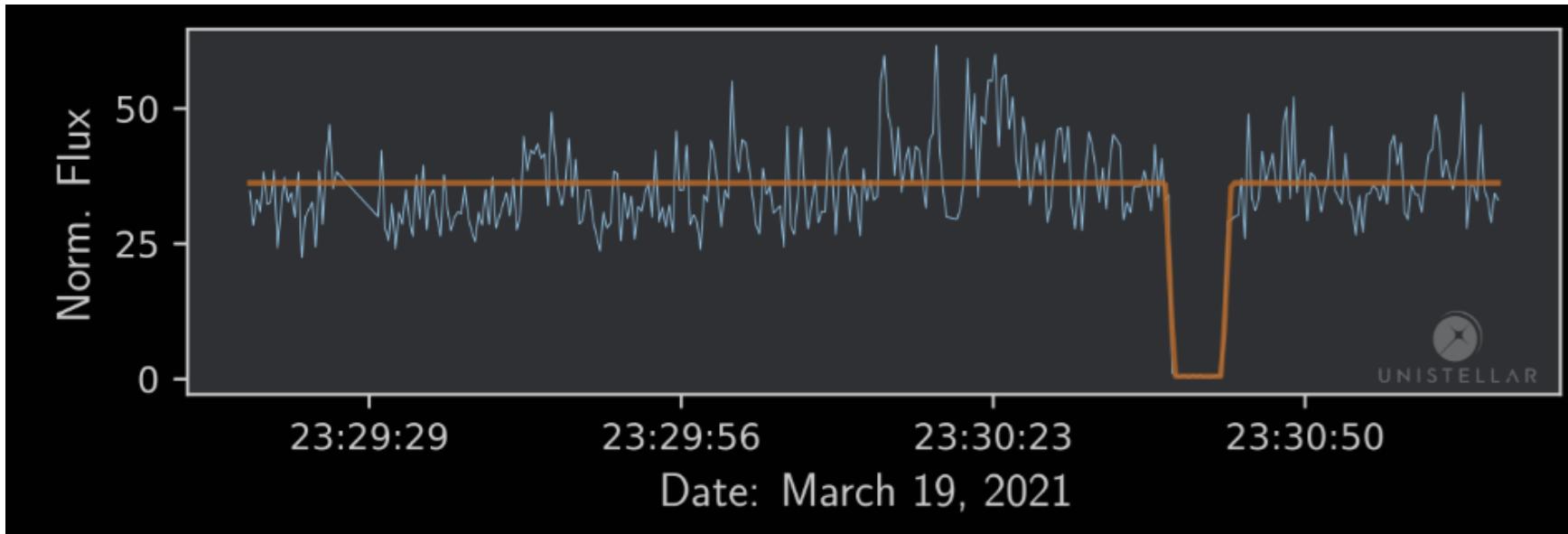
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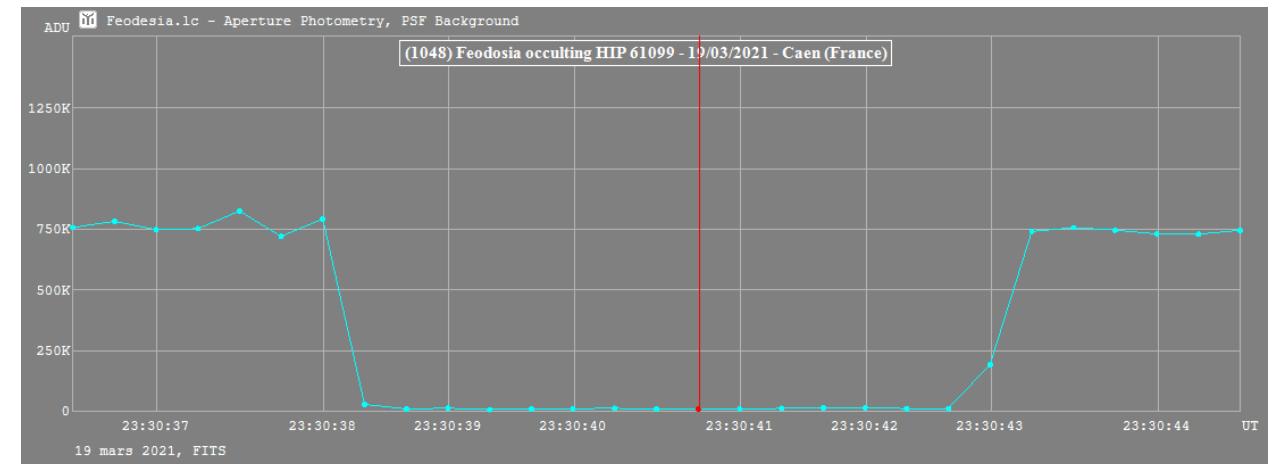
Astéroïde de la ceinture principale
(orbite entre les planètes Mars et Jupiter)
1^{ère} observation 29/11/1924 par Karl Reinmuth
distance moyenne au Soleil ~ 408 millions de km
excentricité : 0,181, période 4,5 ans
(périhélie 335 millions de km,
aphélie, est à 483 millions de km).
taille estimée à 70 km de diamètre
rotation sur lui-même en environ 10 h 30.

HIP 61099 (SAO 82349),
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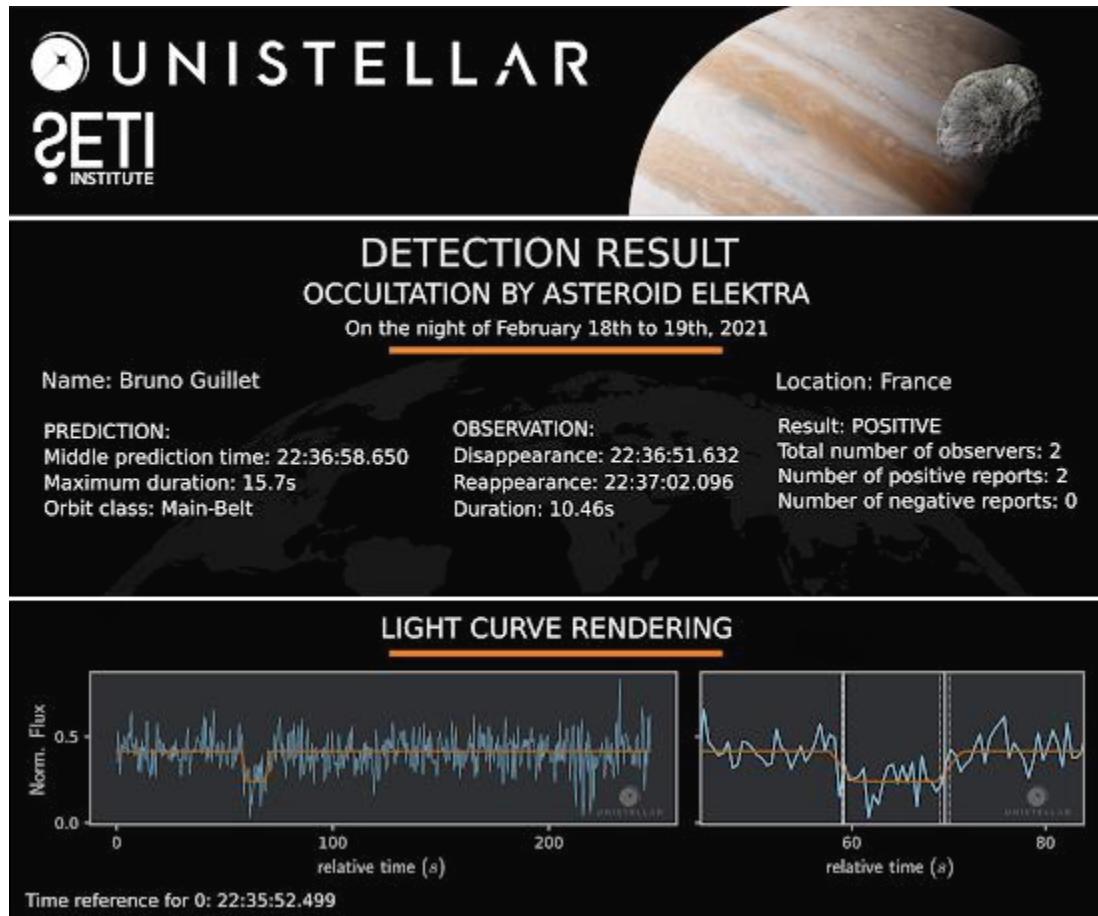
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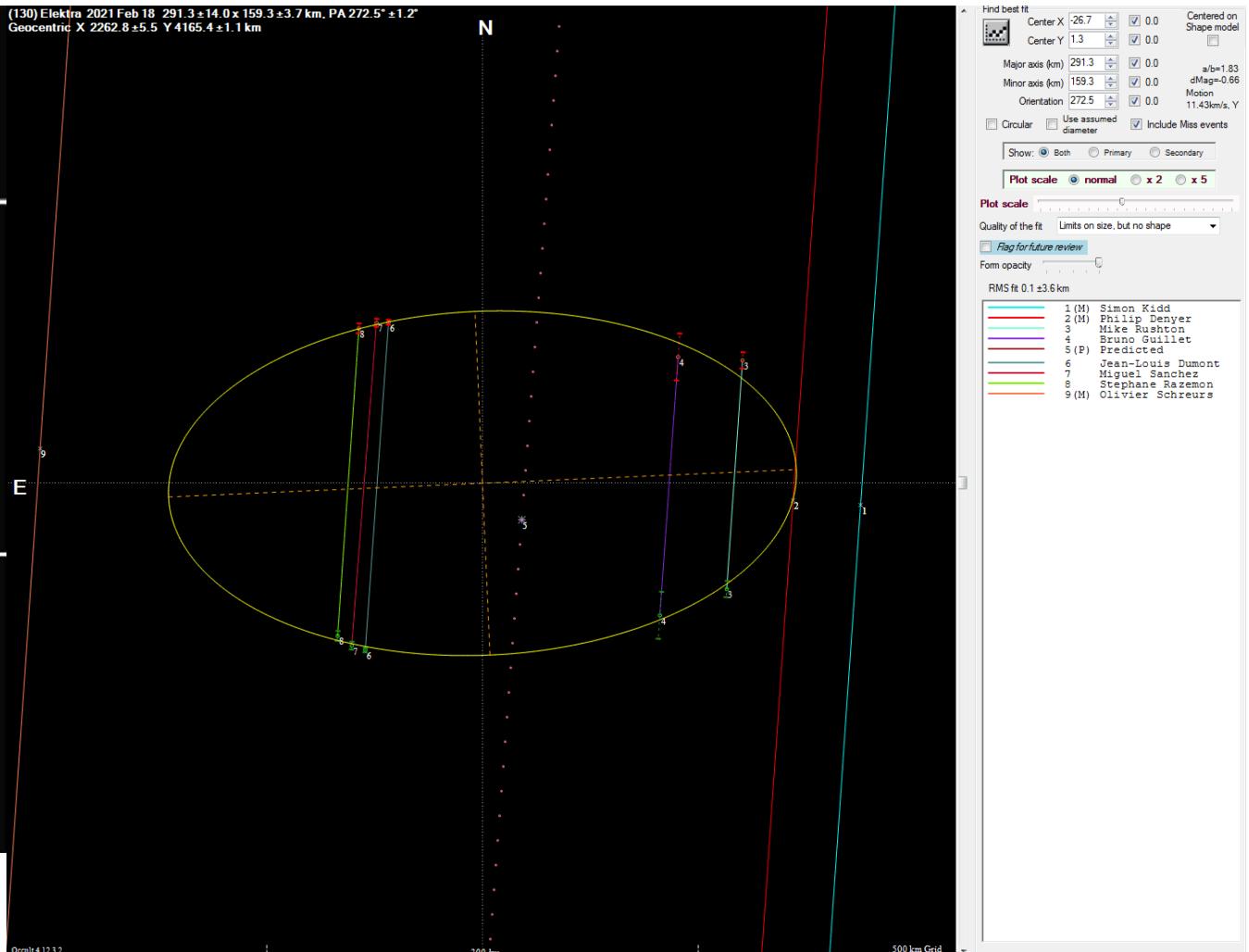
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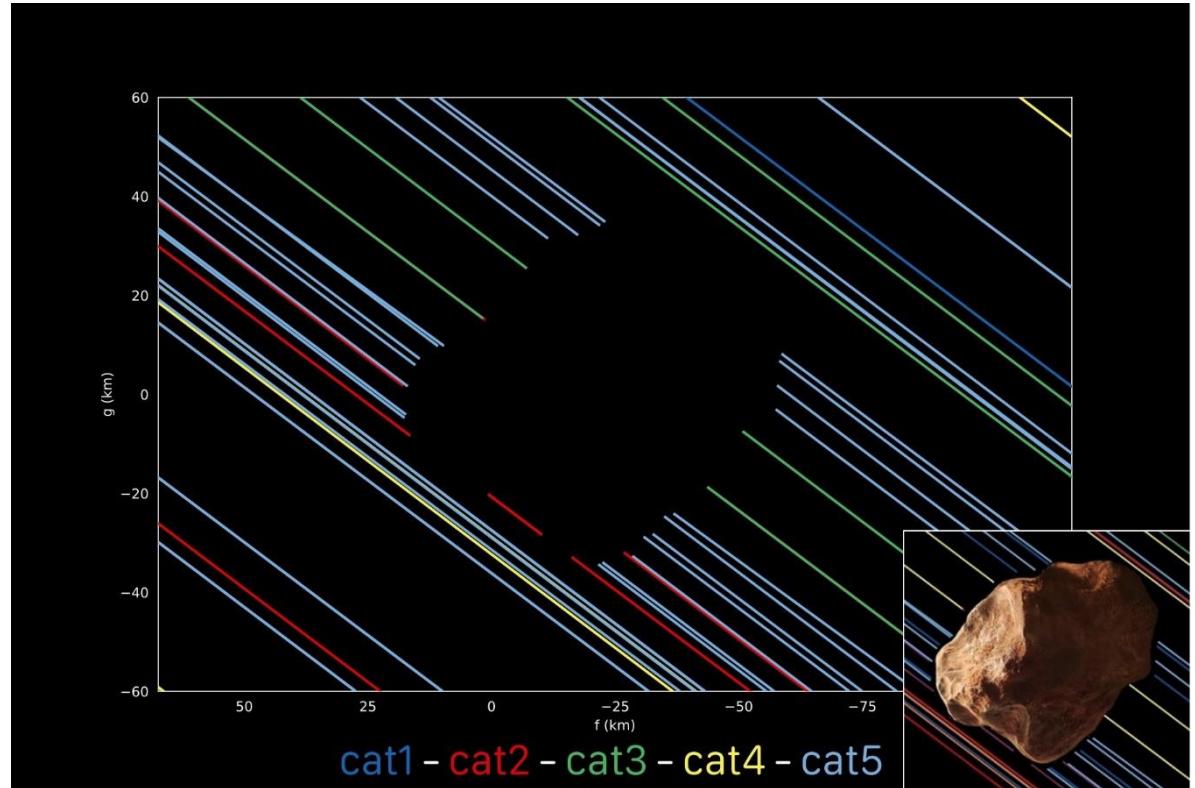
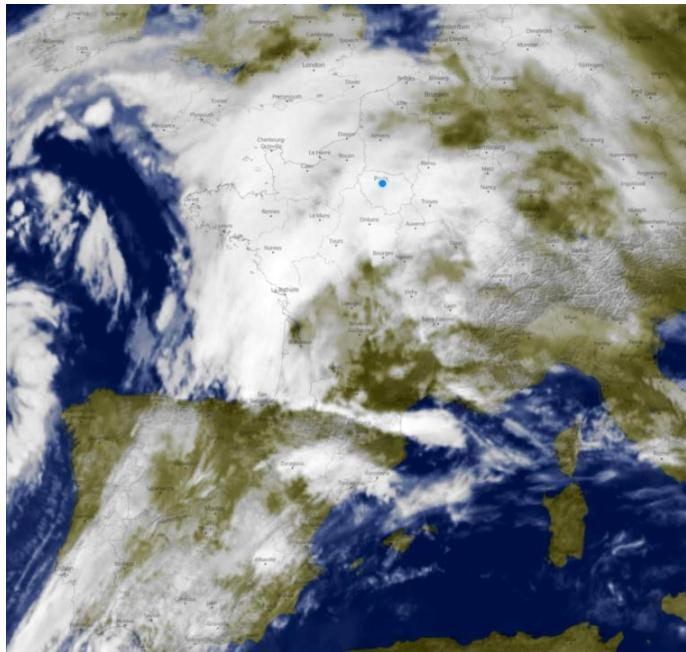
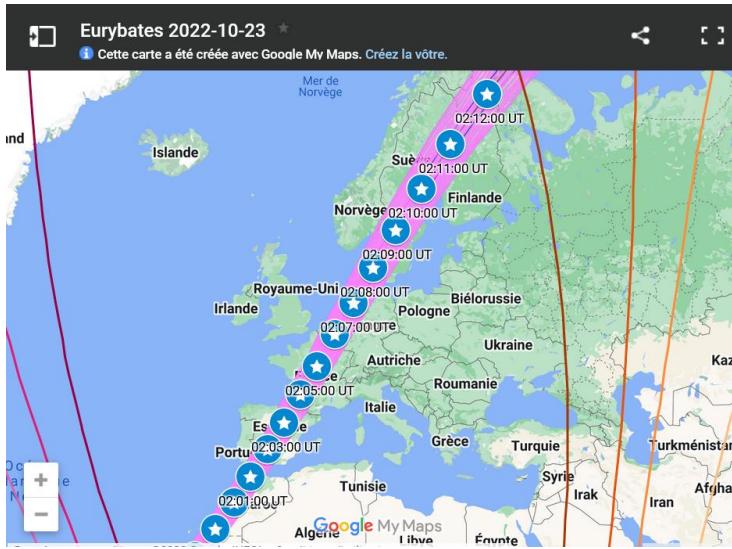
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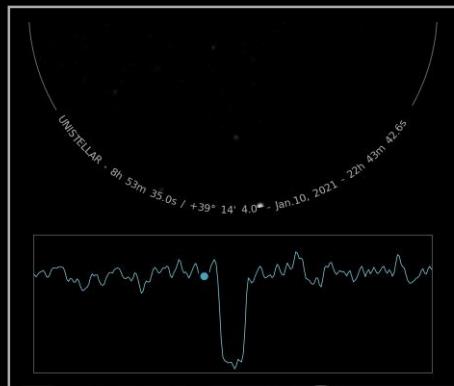


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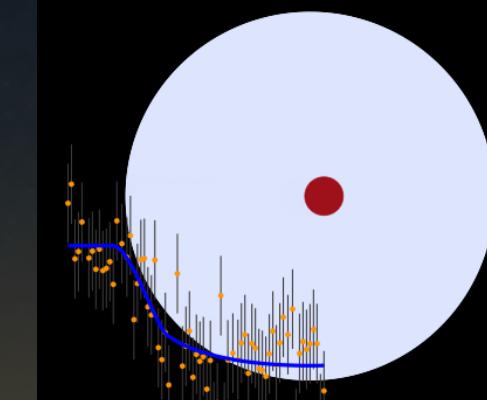
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Observation de NEA 2021 CO (diamètre 50 m) – 5 février 2021

Distance inférieure à la Lune

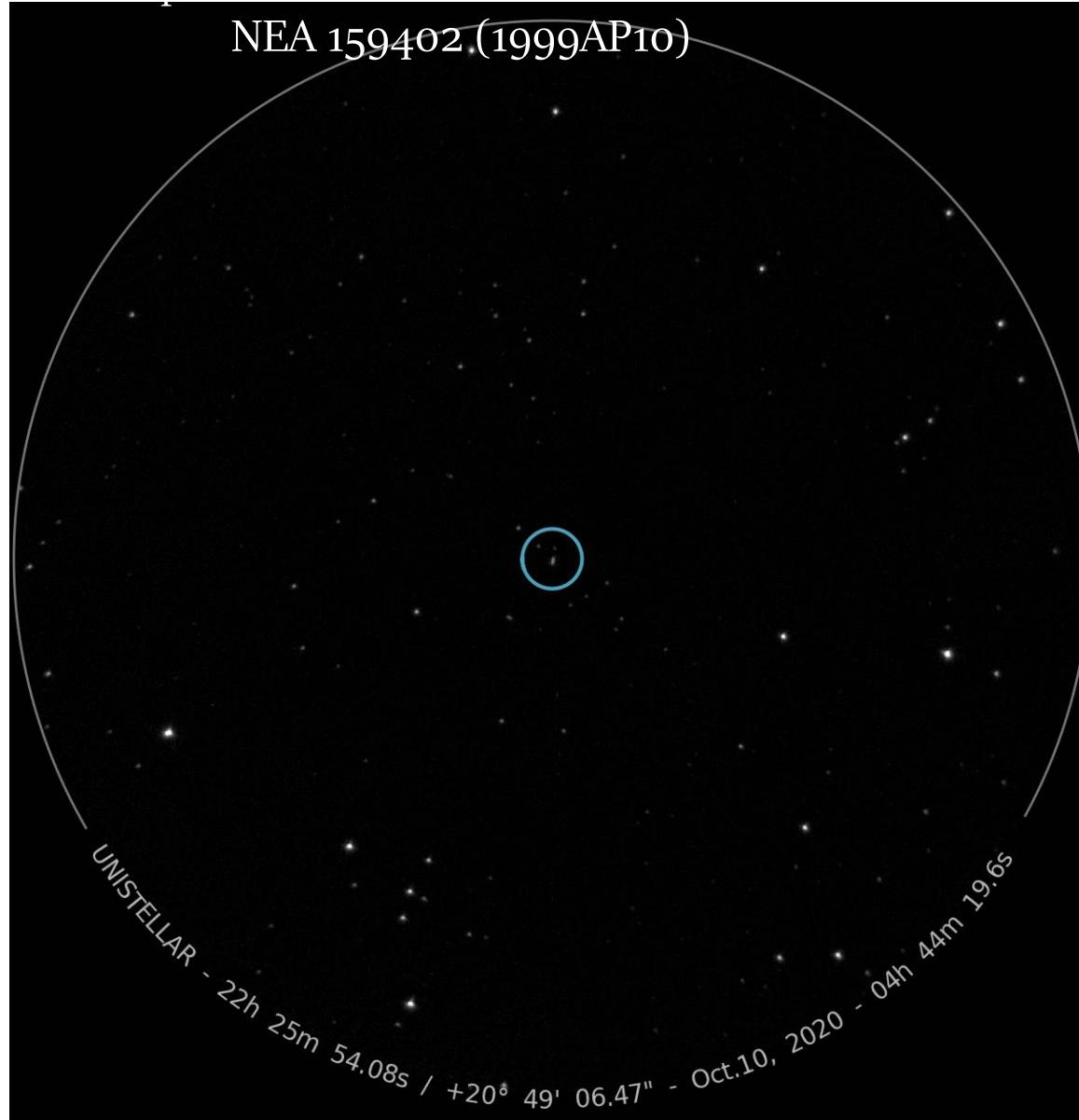


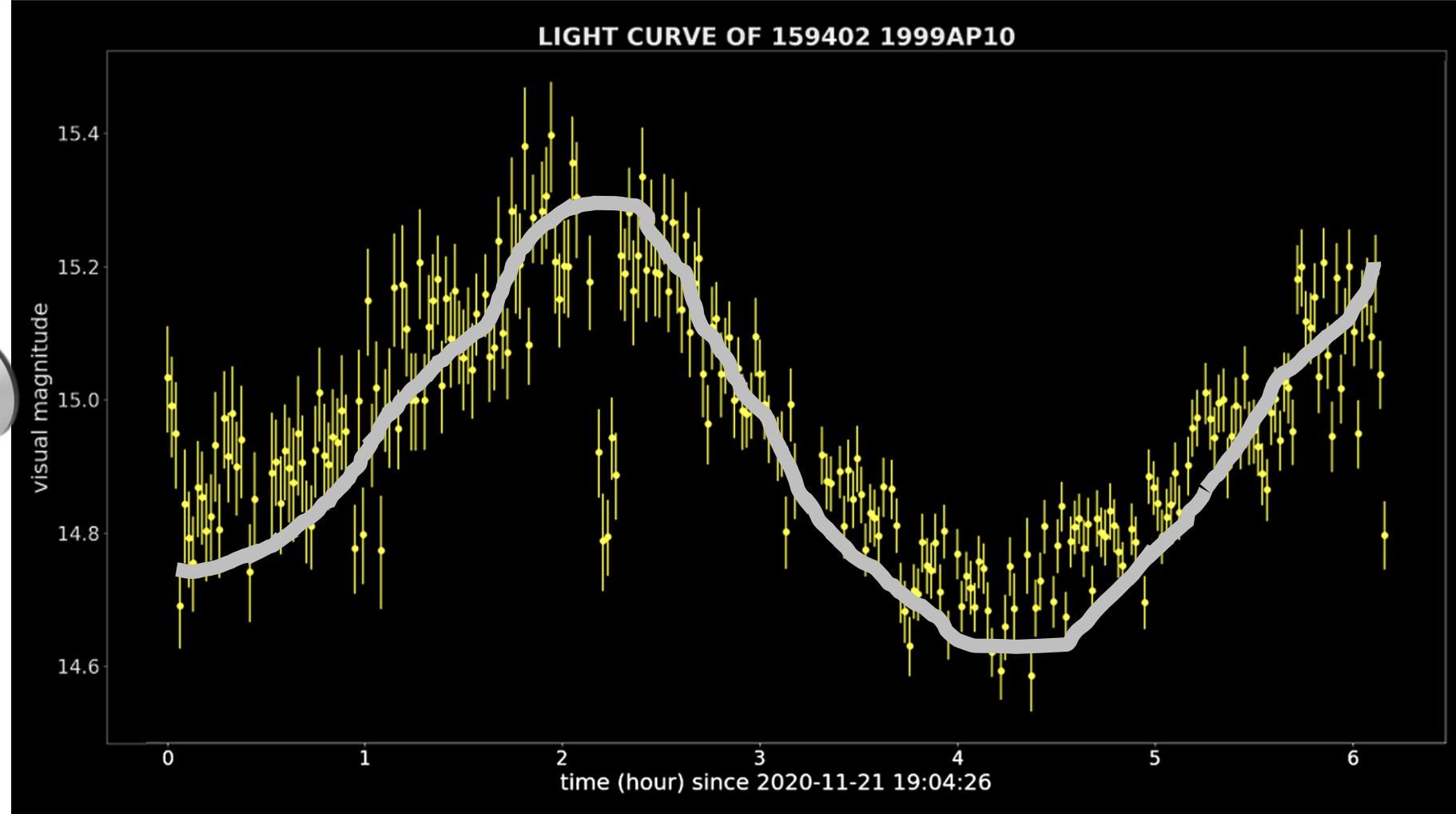
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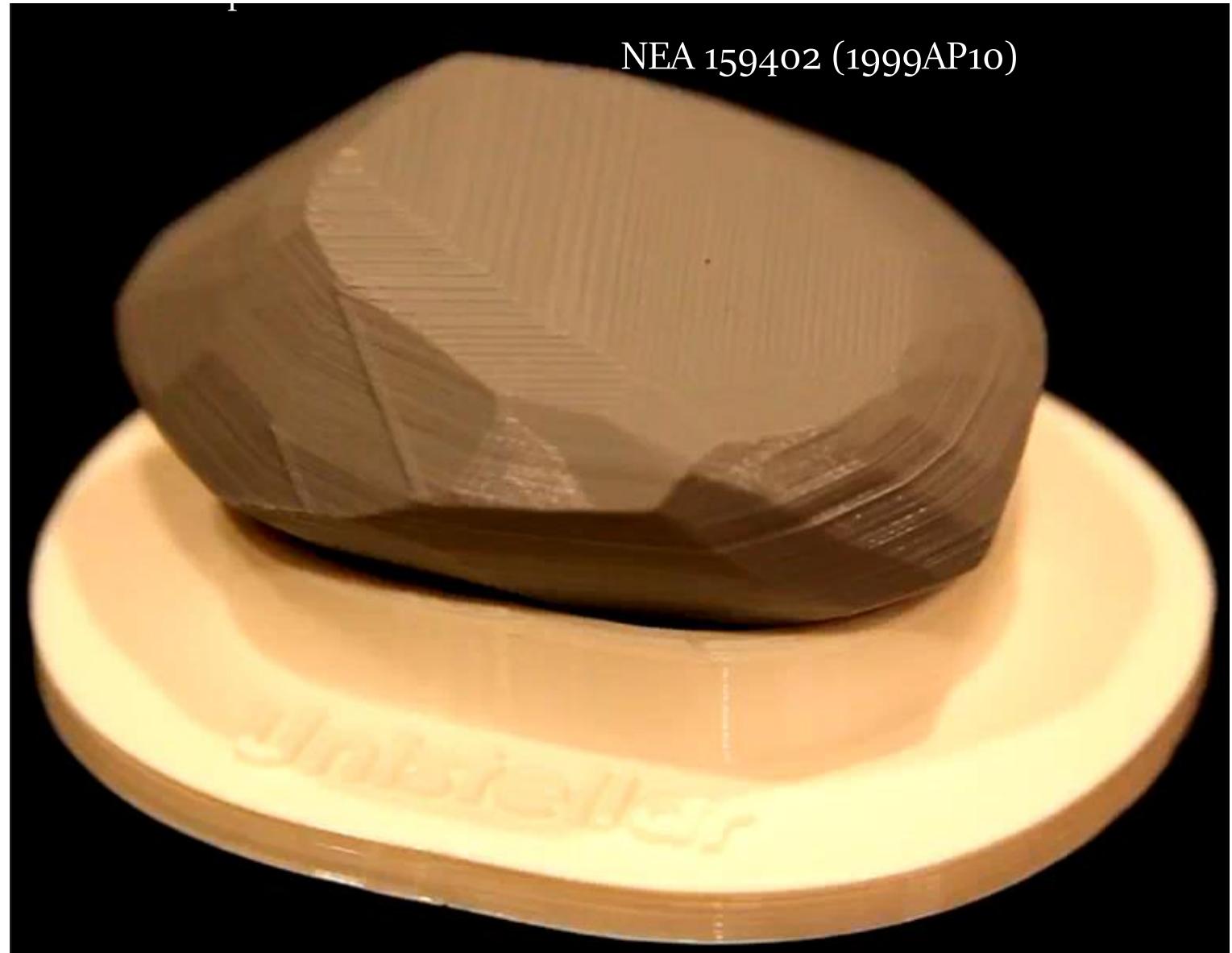
Horizons System

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Horizons Web Application







NEA 159402 (1999AP10)

ROTATION PERIOD DETERMINATION FOR (7335) 1989 JA

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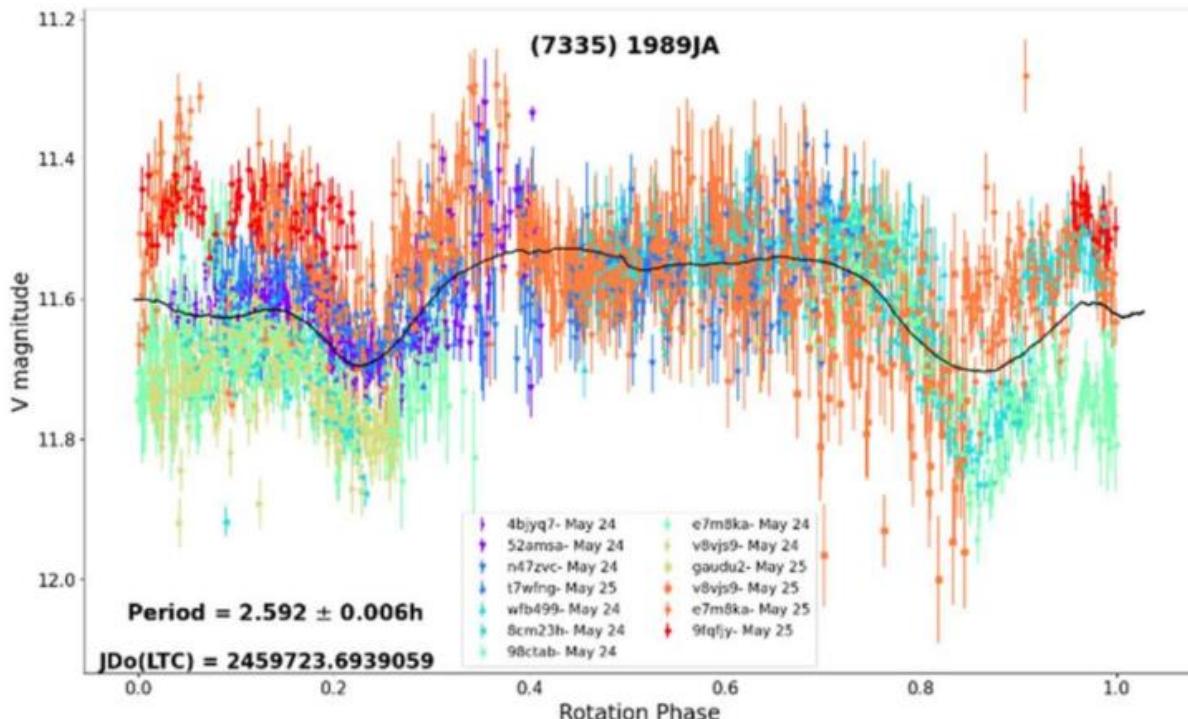
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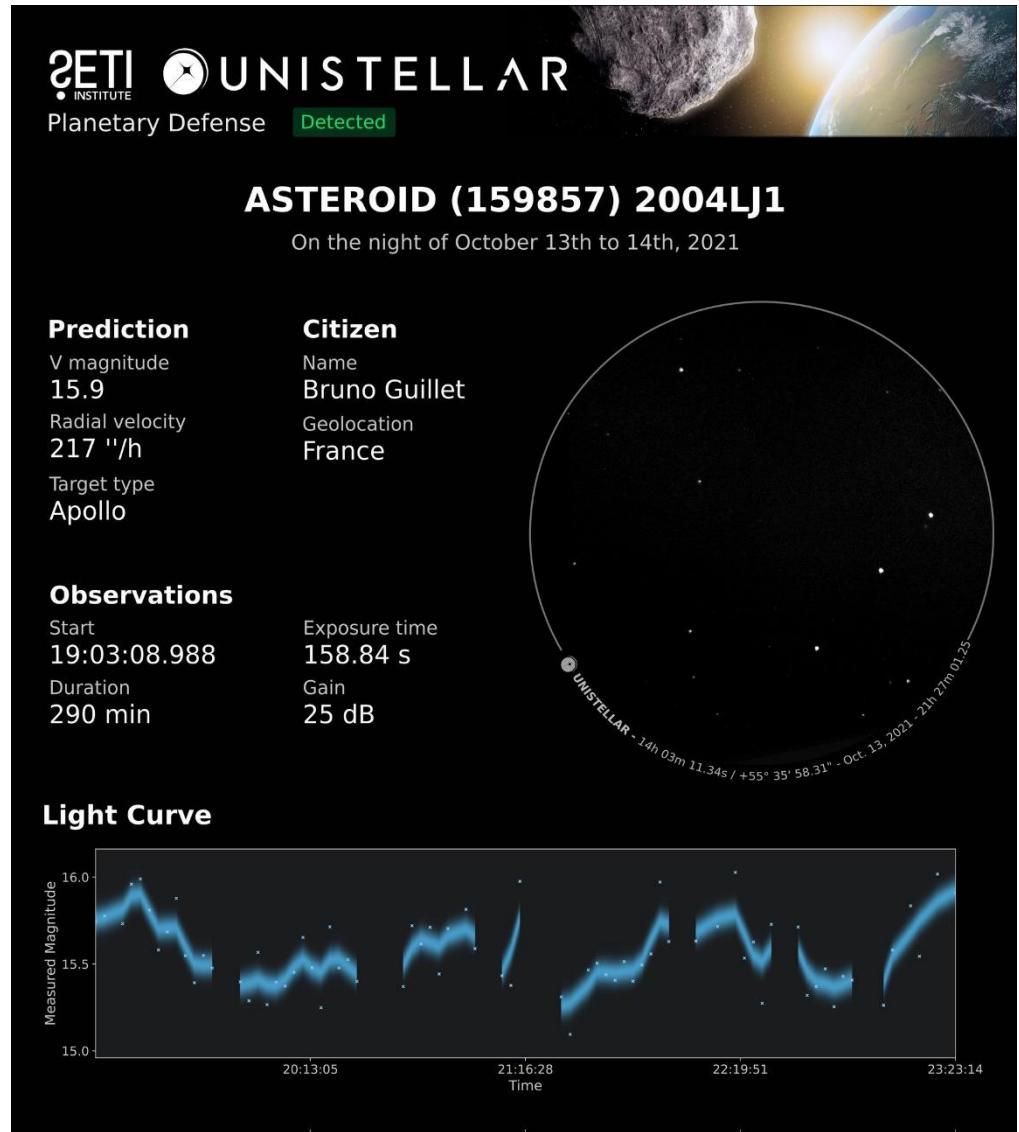
We present the results of an observational study of the near-Earth asteroid (7335) 1989 JA conducted during its recent close approach. Using data collected from participating Unistellar citizen astronomers network, we report a best-fitting synodic rotation period of 2.592 ± 0.006 hours with a corresponding amplitude of 0.09 ± 0.01 magnitudes for (7335) 1989 JA.



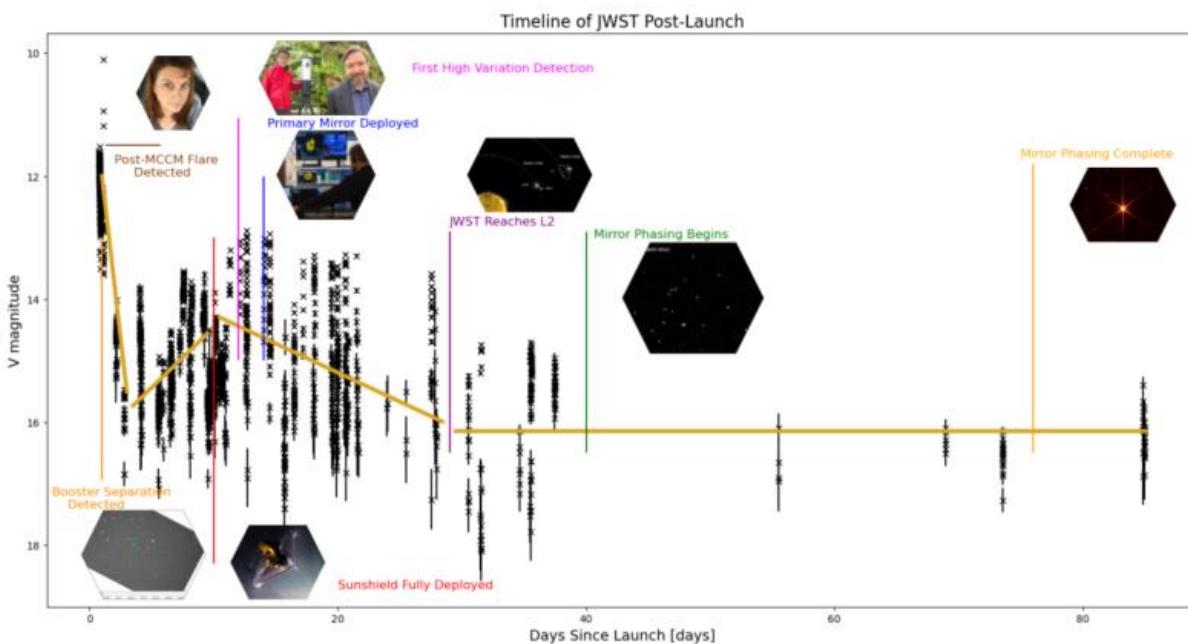
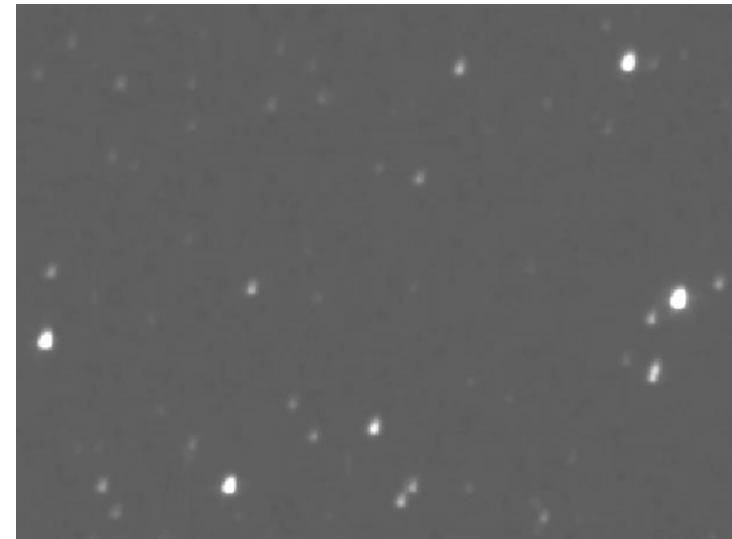
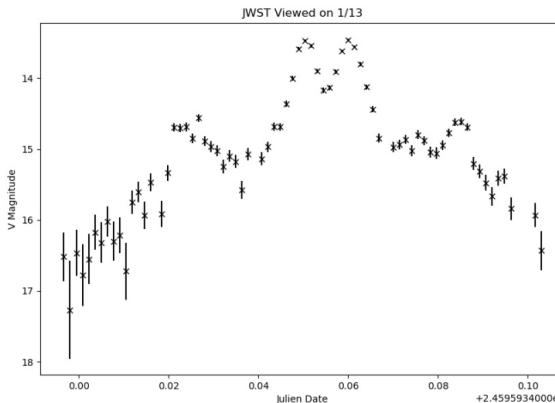
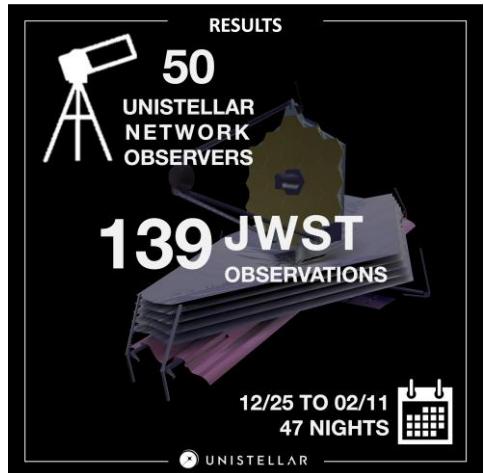
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This [#NEA](#) belongs to the Apollo asteroid: it will cross the path of Earth's orbit at some point. Its estimated size is around 3km across

Astrometric positions and photometry are useful to refine its orbit, its shape and its spin.



Observations d'engins spatiaux



Citizen Science Astronomy with a Network of Small Telescopes: The Launch and Deployment of JWST

Lambert R. A.^a, Marchis, F.^{a,b,*}, Asencio, J.^b, Blaclar, G.^b, Sgro, L.A.^a, Giorgini, J.D.^c, Plavchan, P.^d, White, T.^e, Verveen, A.^e, Goto, T.^e, Kuossari, P.^e, Sethu, N.^e, Loose, M.A.^e, Will, S.^e, Iibbernsen, K.^e, Pickering, J.W^e, Randolph, J.^e, Fukui, K.^e, Huet, P.^e, Guillet, B.^e, Clerget, O.^e, Stahl, S.^e, Yoblonsky, N.^e, Lauvernier, M.^e, Matsumura, T.^e, Yamato, M.^e, Laugier, J.M.^e, Brodt-Vilain, O.^e, Espudo, A.^e, Kukita, R.^e, Iida, S.^e, Kardel, S.^e, Green, D.^e, Tikkanen, P.^e, Douvas, A.^e, Billiani, M.^e, Knight, G.^e, Ryno, M.^e, Simard, G.^e, Knight, R.^e, Primm, M.^e, Wildhagen, B.^e, Poncet, J.^e, Frachon, T.^e, Shimizu, M.^e, Jackson, A.^e, Parker, B.^e, Redfern, G.^e, Nikiforov, P.^e, Friday, E.^e, Lincoln, K.^e, Sweitzer, J.^e, Mitsuoka, R.^e, Cabral, K.^e, Katterfeld, A.^e, Fairfax, M.^e

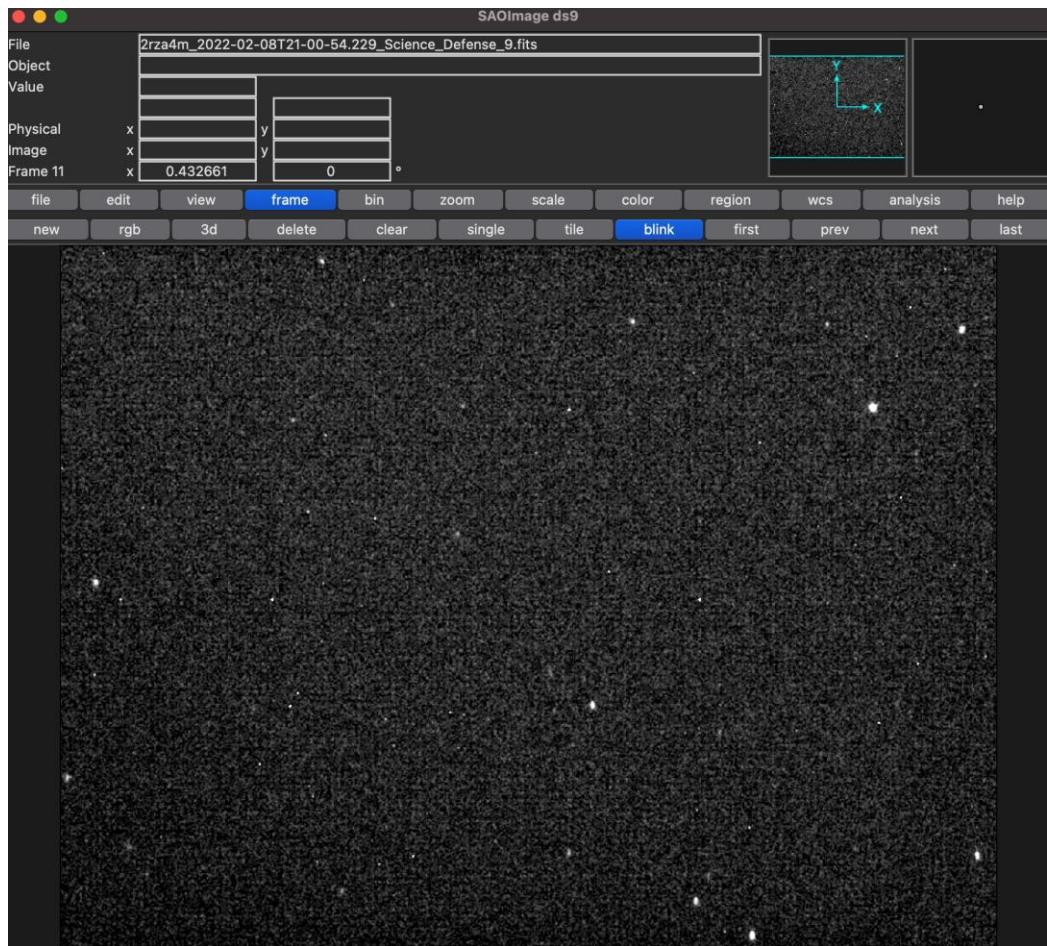
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Event: SPIE Astronomical Telescopes + Instrumentation, 2022, Montréal, Québec, Canada

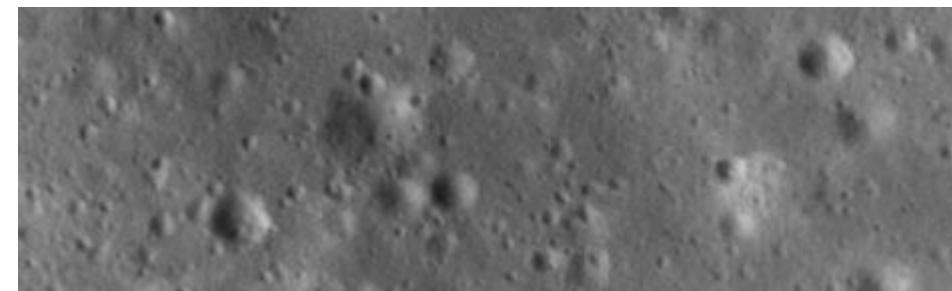
Figure 7. Global light curve variation showing the changes in brightness. Yellow lines indicate the overall trend in the brightness of JWST at various stages of its deployment.

DSCOVR booster (SpaceX) but the booster for the Chang'e 5-T1 lunar mission



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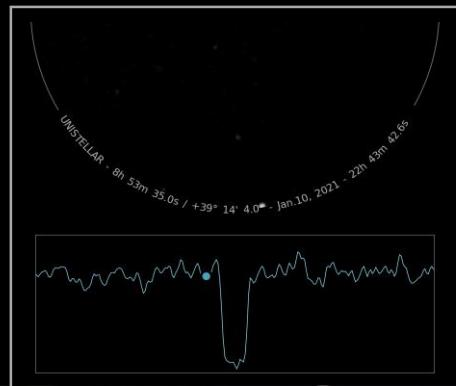
The before image is LRO's view from Feb. 28, 2022 (M1400727806L). The after image is from May 21, 2022 (M1407760984R). The width of the frame is 367 meters, about 401 yards. Credit: NASA/Goddard/Arizona State University



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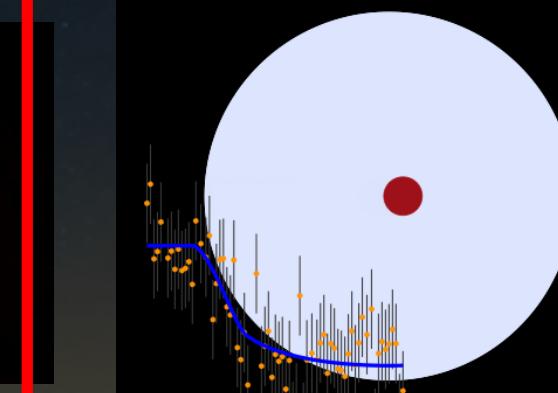


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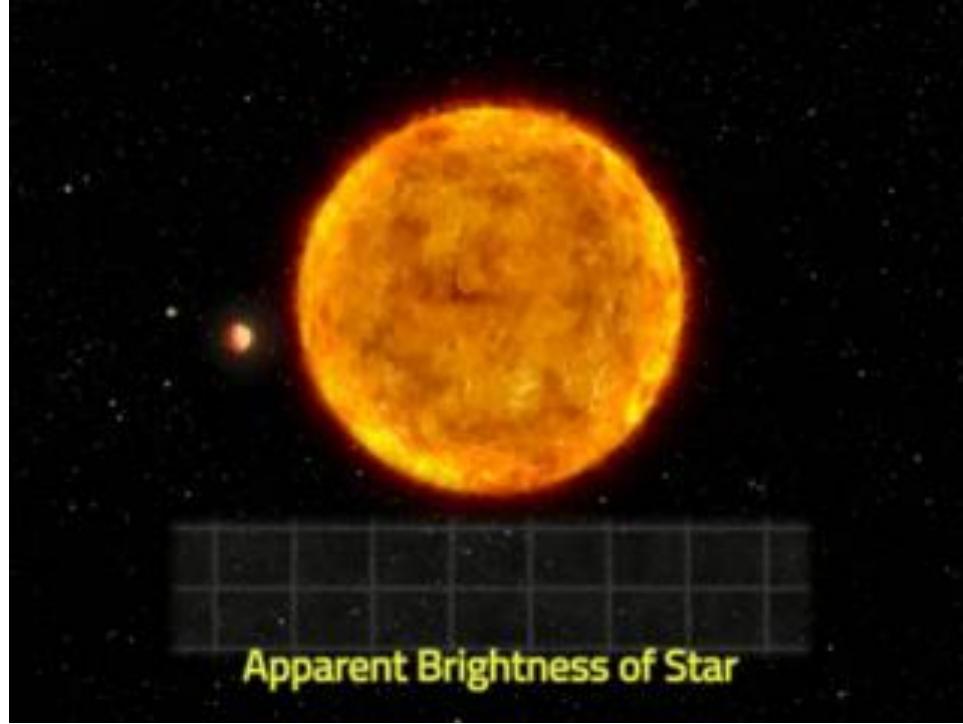
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Les objectifs

- Mesurer les temps de transit moyen des nouveaux TOI (TESS *Objects of Interest*) candidats à être une exoplanète afin d'affiner les éphémérides pour le suivi JWST/Ariel/LUVOIR.
- Aider à confirmer les candidats exoplanètes en éliminant les faux positifs (par exemple, les étoiles binaires à éclipses proches).
- Contribuer aux archives publiques telles que la base de données des exoplanètes de l'AAVSO (code obs. "UNIS").
- Mesurer les variations temporelles des transits (TTV) en collaboration avec TFOP et NASA Exoplanet Watch.
- Déetecter les transits de longue durée et de longue période nécessitant une large couverture géographique et continue du ciel.

The Unistellar Exoplanet Campaign: Citizen Science Results and Inherent Education Opportunities

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*See Appendix I for full list of citizen scientist names

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¹⁰Various Nations

ABSTRACT

This paper presents early results from and prospects for exoplanet science using a citizen science private/public partnership observer network managed by the SETI Institute in collaboration with Unistellar. The network launched in January of 2020 and includes 163 citizen scientist observers across 21 countries. These observers can access a citizen science mentoring service developed by the SETI Institute and are also equipped with Unistellar Enhanced Vision Telescopes (eVscopes). Unistellar technology and the campaign's associated photometric reduction pipeline enables each telescope to readily obtain and communicate light curves to observers with signal to noise ratio (SNR) suitable for publication in research journals. Citizen astronomers of the Unistellar Exoplanet Campaign (UE) routinely measure transit depths of $\gtrsim 1\%$ and contribute their results to the exoplanet research community. The match of the detection system, the targets, and the scientific and educational goals is robust. Results to date include 281 transit detections out of 651 processed observations. In addition to this campaign's capability to contribute to the professional field of exoplanet research, UE endeavors to drive improved STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) education outcomes by engaging students and teachers as participants in science investigations. That is, *learning science by doing science*.

Key words: exoplanets, citizen science astronomy, astronomy education, STEM education, exoplanet network

Figure 4 is an example of a raw, processed, and stacked image collected from a UE citizen scientist eVscope during a routine observation of Qatar-1b in April 2022 (V = 12.7).

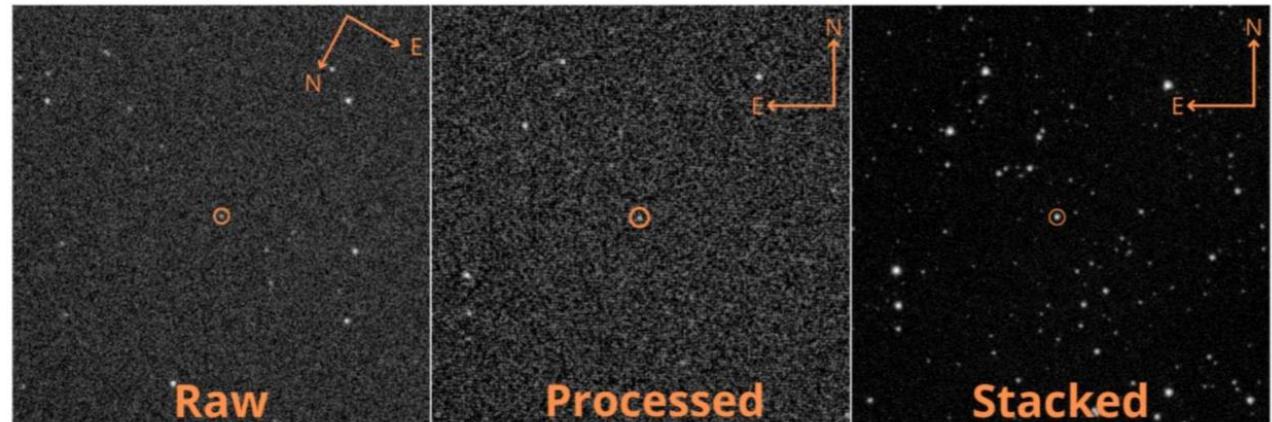


Figure 4. The observation was done in a Bortle 7 sky in a small city near Caen, France with a relatively high air mass between 2.4 and 1.9. The raw FITS file had an exposure of 3.970 s and gain of 31 dB. The processed image was dark subtracted and the stacked image is of 30 frames with 119.1 s integration time. The raw and single processed frames correspond to the first image in the stack. Each image is on a log brightness scale with minimum set to mean background level

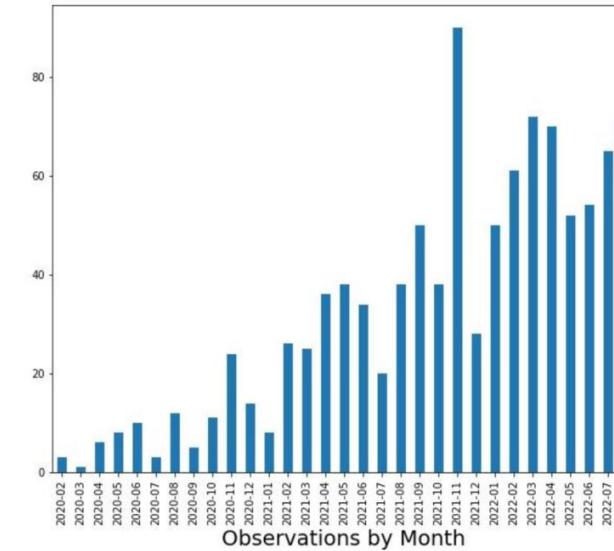


Figure 5. Distribution of all exoplanet observations of UE by observation date (YYYY-MM).

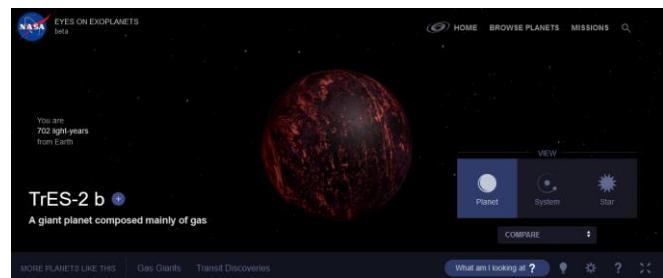
TrES-2b (ou connu aussi sous le nom Kepler-1b) est une planète de taille comparable à Jupiter qui orbite autour de GSC 03549-02811, une étoile de type solaire située à 700 années-lumière de nous.

Cette planète appartient à la classe des jupiters chauds, car elle se déplace sur une orbite très rapprochée de son étoile, à environ 5,3 millions de kilomètres, une distance 10 fois moindre que celle qui sépare Mercure du Soleil.

TrEs-2b est très sombre, plus noir qu'un bloc de charbon!

Etoile

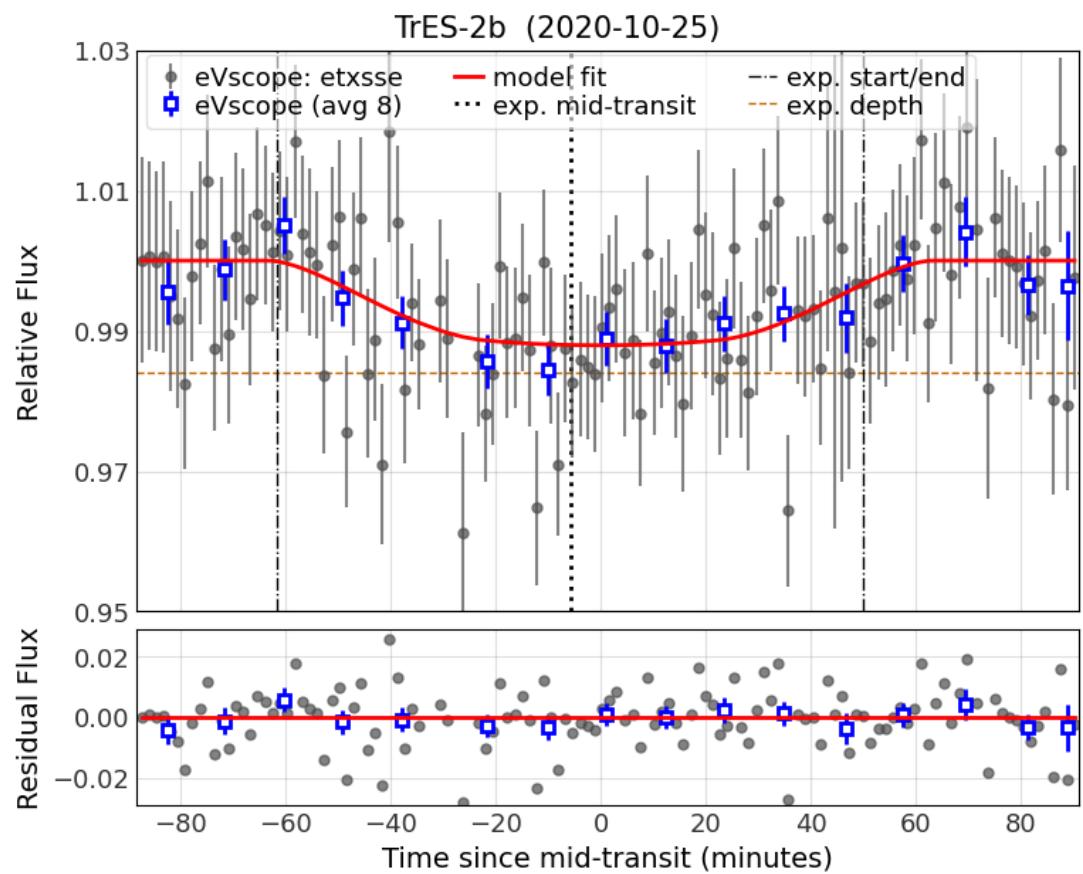
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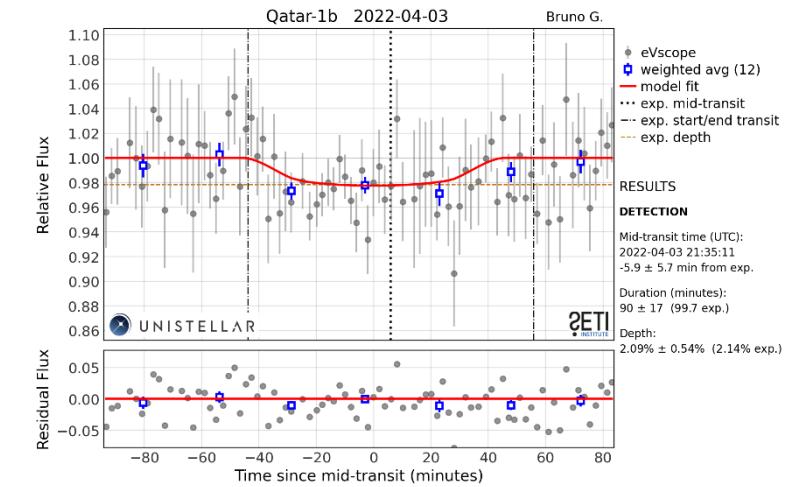
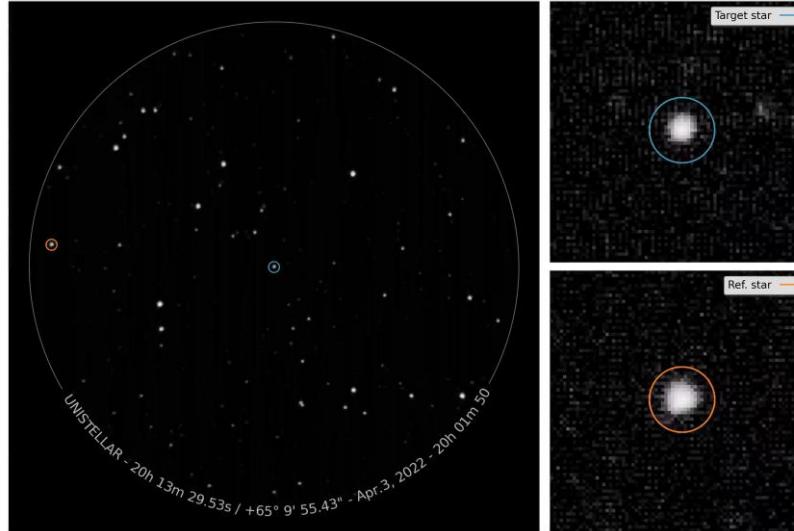
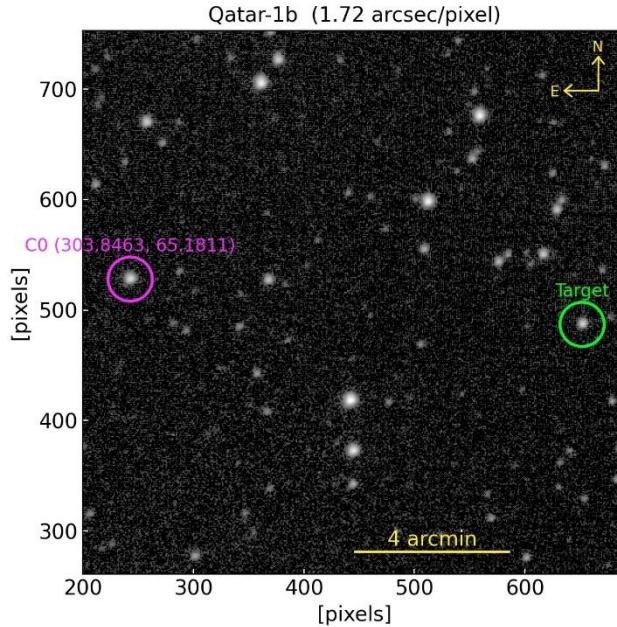


Mid-transit time: 5.8 ± 4.4 minutes later than predicted

Depth: $1.33\% \pm 0.24\%$ compared to 1.60% predicted

R_p/R_s (ratio of planet radius to host star radius): 0.115 ± 0.011 , compared to 0.125 predicted





→Enseignant aux USA

Utilisation des éphémérides publiques :

Unistellar

NASA exoplanet archive

Swarthmore transit fitter

ExoClock

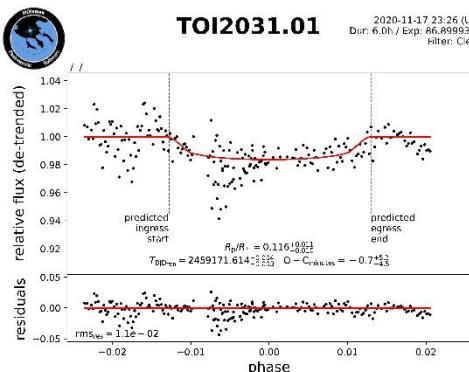


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WATCH

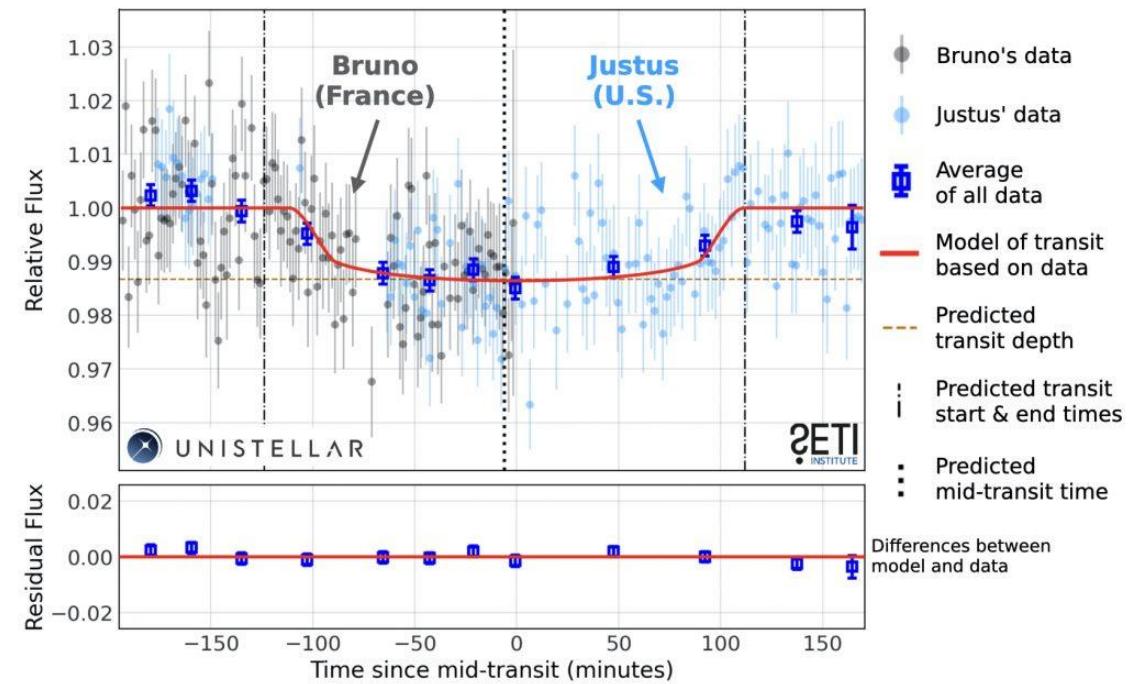


SG1: Seeing-limited Photometry

TOI 2031.01 (observations conjointes US-Europe) – Nov. 2020



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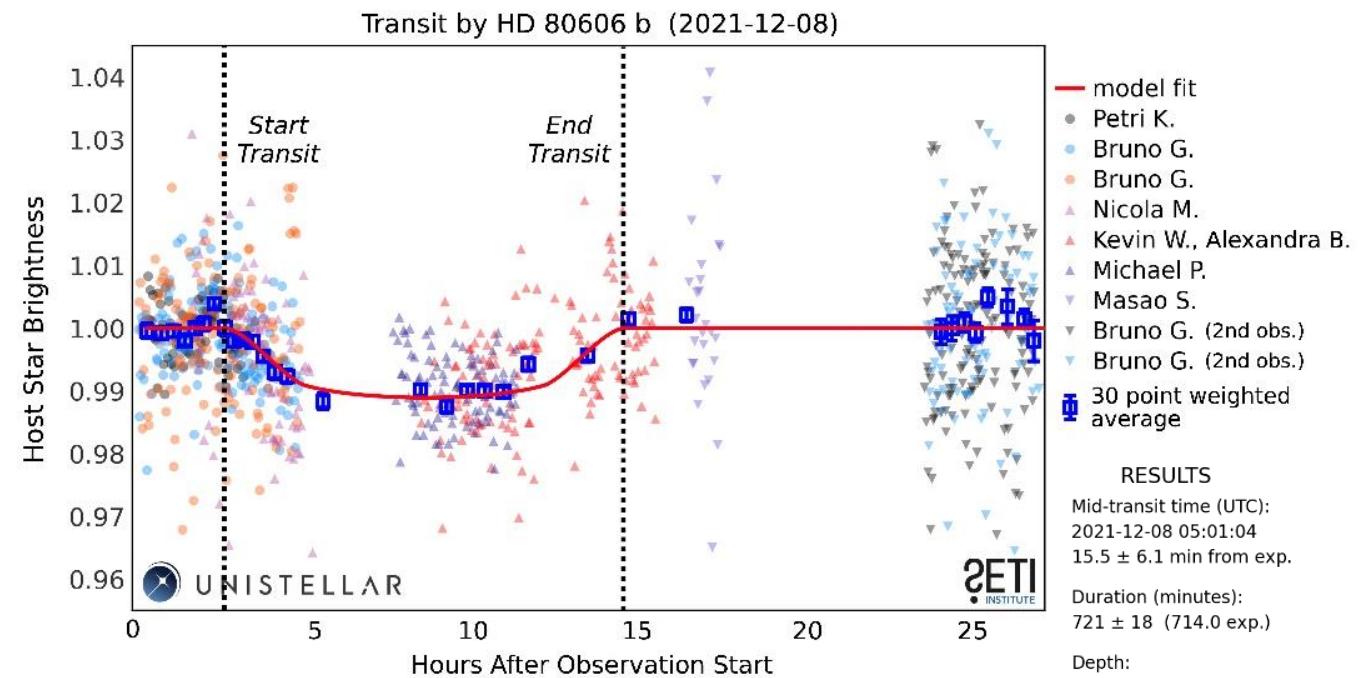


Planète (Jupiter chaude)
Période: 5.71547 ± 0.00001 jours
Rayon: $1.23 \pm 0.05 R_{\text{Jupiter}}$

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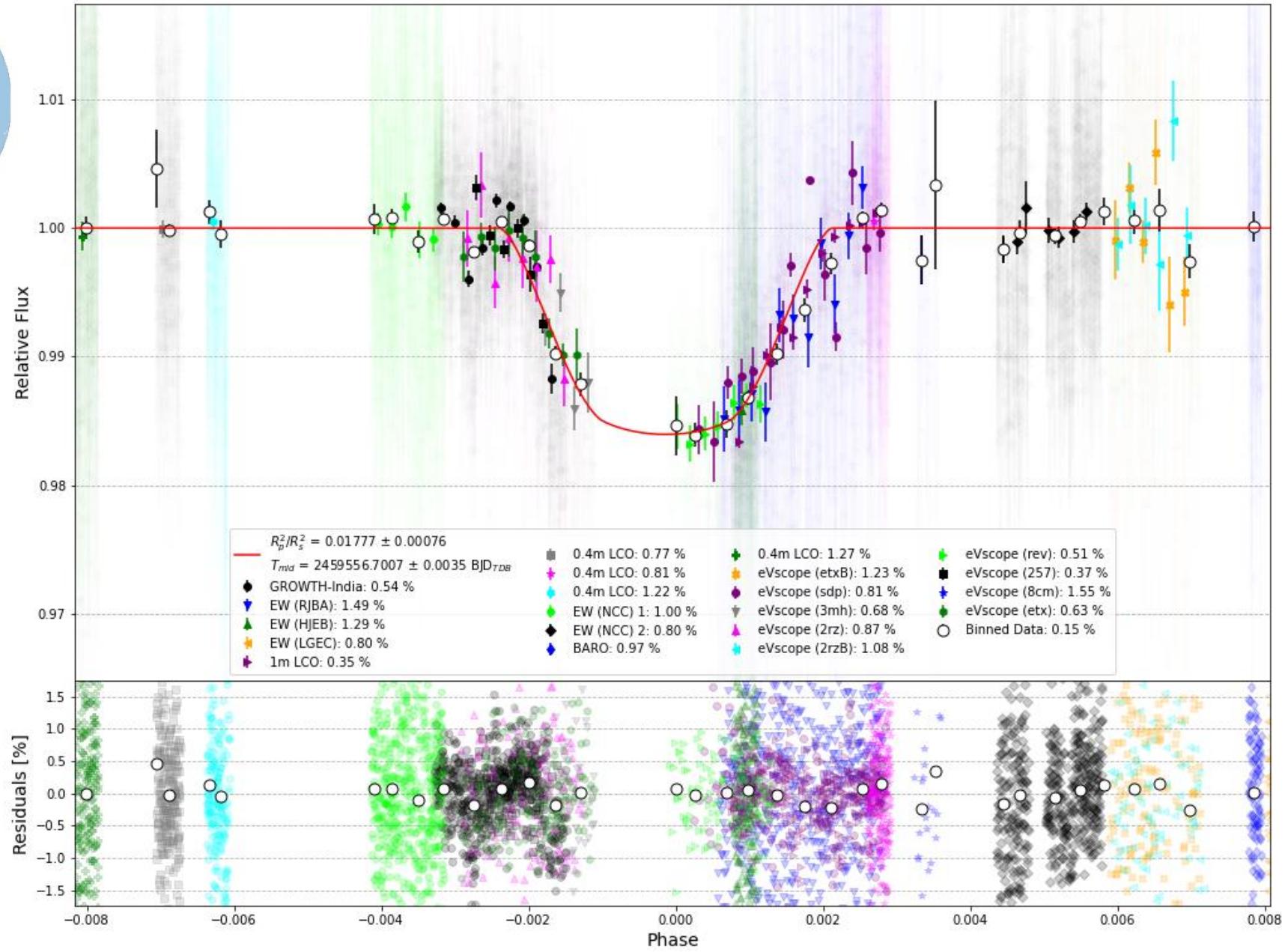
HD 80606b (préparation pour JWST) – Déc. 2021

L'observation du transit de HD 80606b, d'une durée de 12 heures, a permis d'améliorer l'horodatage du transit (± 15 minutes) en utilisant la photométrie recueillie pendant une période de 27 heures par des observateurs répartis sur sept fuseaux horaires.





Facility	Location (N,E)	Size (m)
Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS)	Space	0.1
Exoplanet Watch [HJEB]	(30.7, -104.2)	0.4
Las Cumbres (LCO)	(30.7, -104.2)	0.4
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Exoplanet Watch [NCC]	(23.5, 120.9)	0.4
Unistellar eVscope 2 (2rz)	(49.2, -0.4)	0.11
Unistellar eVscope (etx)	(49.2, -0.4)	0.11
Unistellar eVscope (257)	(60.8, 24.4)	0.11
Unistellar eVscope (3mh)	(45.3, 11.1)	0.11
Exoplanet Watch [GDAI]	(39.0, -108.2)	0.4
Unistellar eVscope (rev)	(30.4, 97.8)	0.11
Unistellar eVscope (sdp)	(32.2, -111)	0.11
GROWTH-India	(32.8, 79.0)	0.7
Exoplanet Watch [RJBA]	(34.1, -118.1)	0.15
Las Cumbres (LCO)	(30.7, -104.2)	1
Exoplanet Watch [HJEB]	(30.7, -104.2)	0.4
Las Cumbres (LCO)	(30.7, -104.2)	0.4
Unistellar eVscope (8cm)	(35.1, 134.4)	0.11
Exoplanet Watch [NCC]	(23.5, 120.9)	0.4
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Unistellar eVscope (etxB)	(49.2, -0.4)	0.11
Boyce-Astro Research Observatory (BARO)	(32.6, -116.3)	0.43
Exoplanet Watch [LGEC]	(28.3, -16.6)	0.4
Exoplanet Watch [FMAA]	(31.7, -111.1)	0.15





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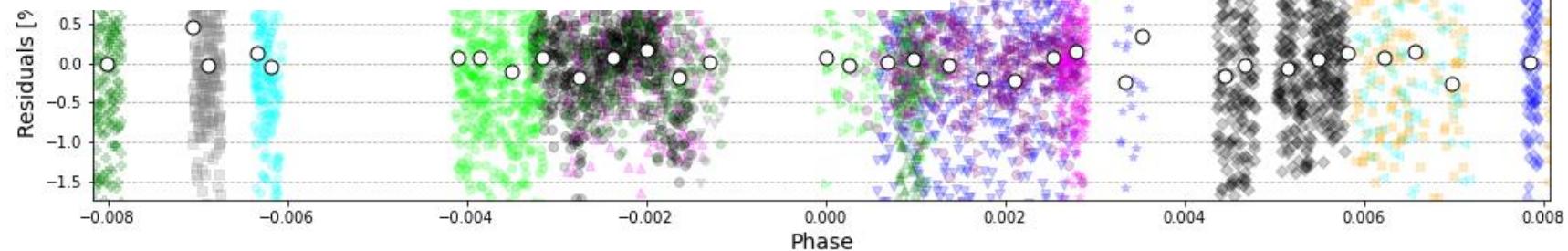
Utilizing a Global Network of Telescopes to Update the Ephemeris for the Highly Eccentric Planet HD 80606 b and to Ensure the Efficient Scheduling of JWST

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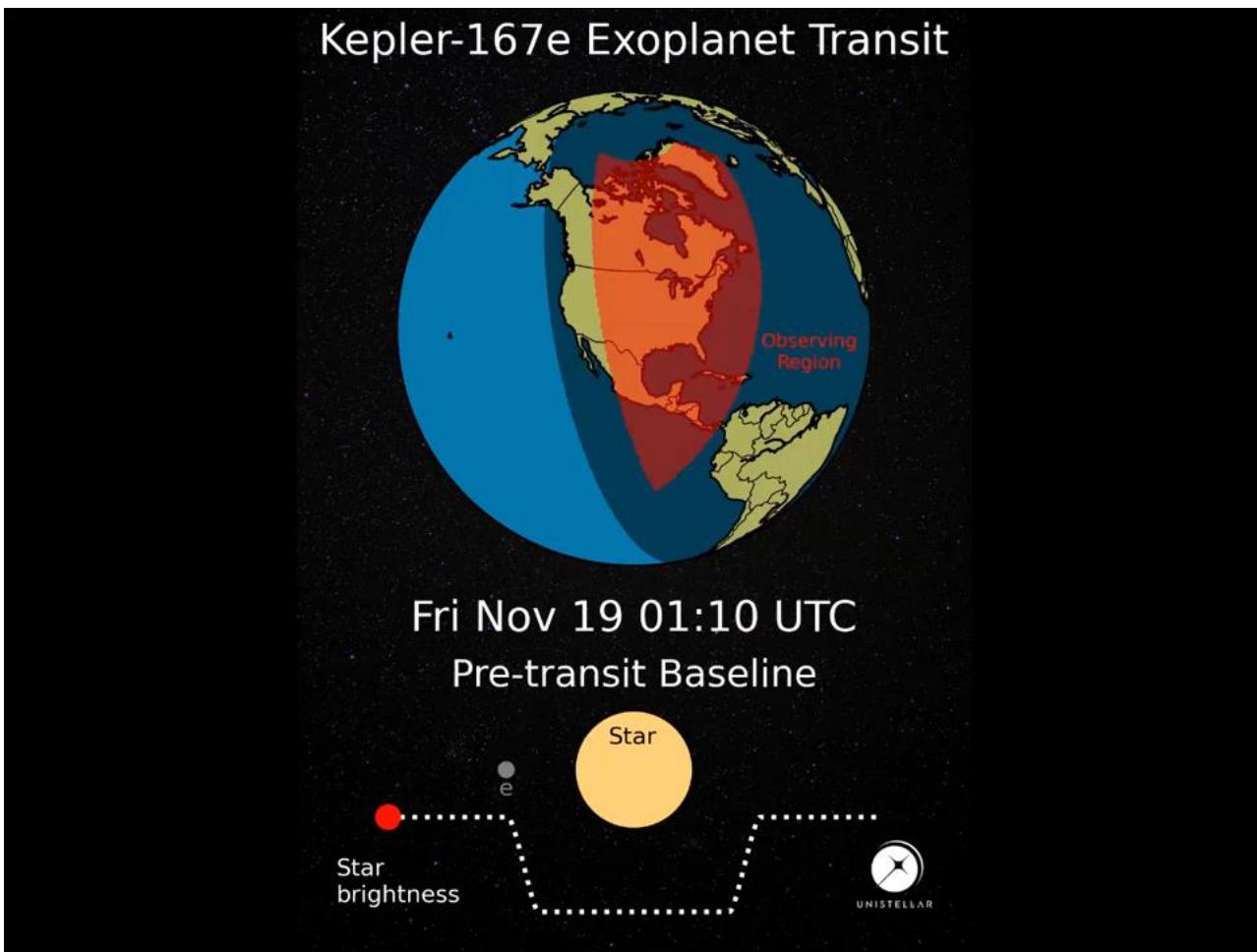
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scope (sdp): 0.81 %	eVscope (8cm): 1.55 %
scope (3mh): 0.68 %	eVscope (etx): 0.63 %
scope (2rz): 0.87 %	Binned Data: 0.15 %
scope (2rzB): 1.08 %	



« Jupiter-like »
Periode : 1071 jours
Transit : 16 heures

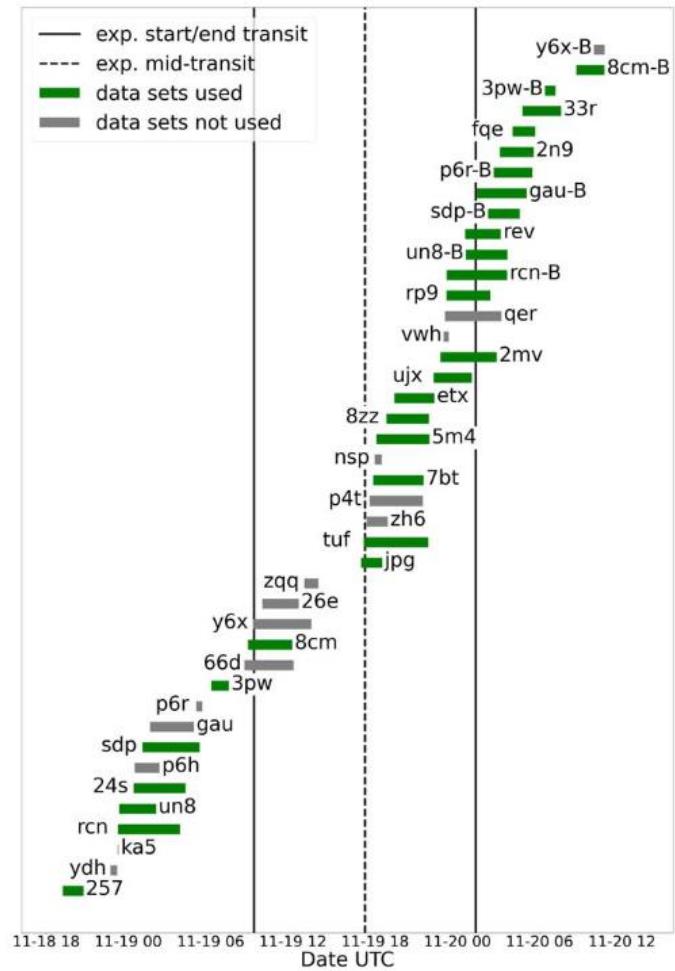


Figure 1. Time frames for eVscope observations of Kepler-167 e. 27 out of the 43 observations (green) were used to construct the final light curve. Vertical lines mark the predicted transit start, middle, and end times.

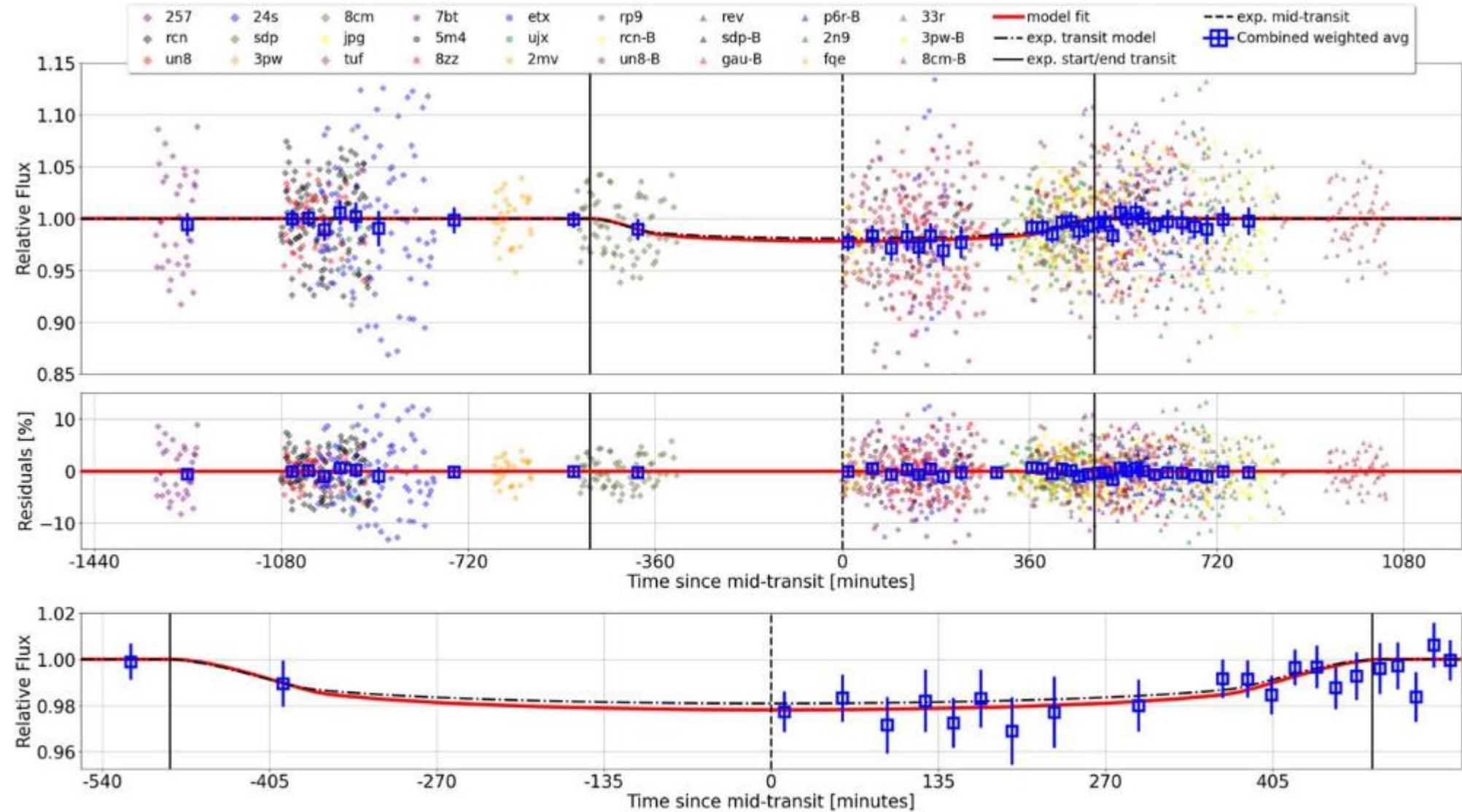


Figure 2. Transit light curve of Kepler-167 e (top) and residuals (middle) as observed by the Unistellar Network. Relative fluxes from individual data sets are plotted with different colors and symbols. The maximum likelihood model corresponding to the values in Table 1 is the red line and the time axis is defined as the time since that model's midtransit time. The blue squares are weighted average fluxes of the combined data. The expected transit model and its transit start, middle, and end times are plotted as black broken lines. The bottom panel is the same as the top panel but zooms in on the times the transit occurred and only shows the weighted average fluxes.

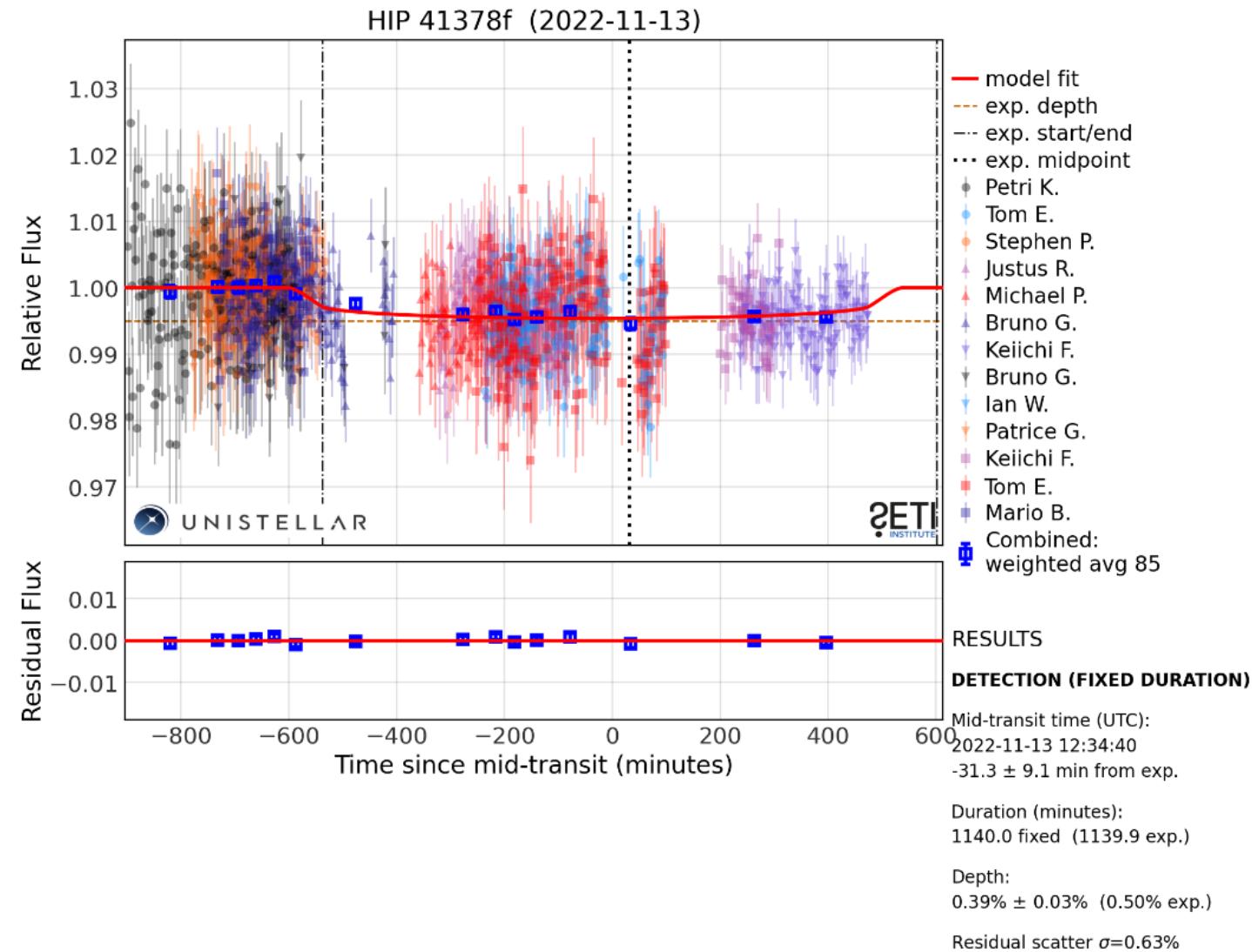


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« Saturn-like »

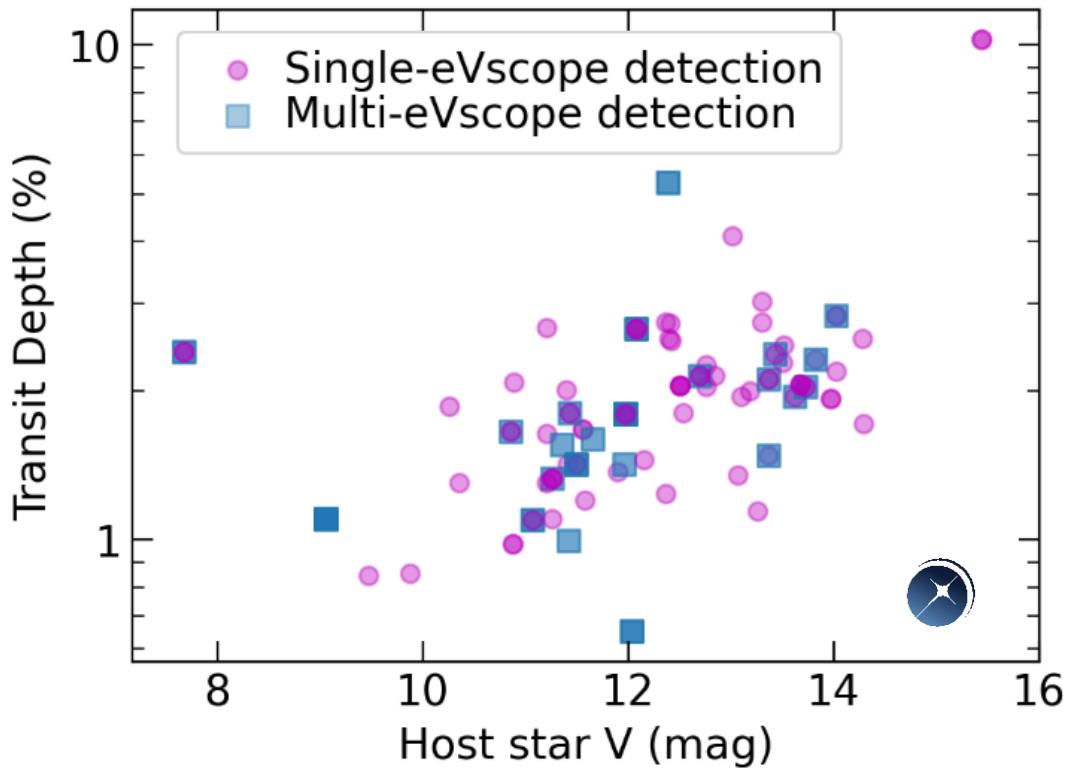
Periode : 542 jours

Transit : 16 heures



Méthode de réductions de données et résultats

Les images (3,95 s chacune) sont corrigées des Dark, alignées et moyennées sur des temps d'intégration typique de 100 s. En utilisant le pipeline Python d'Unistellar/SETI ou des logiciels dédiés (HOPS, EXOTIC, AstroImageJ), les flux sont mesurés à partir de ces images par photométrie différentielle d'ouverture. Les flux relatifs sont alors ajustés avec des modèles de transit via des méthodes MCMC ou des méthodes des moindres carrés pour estimer les propriétés du transit et de l'exoplanète observée.



Les conditions d'observations (gain, temps d'exposition, heures de début et de fin d'observation) ainsi qu'une carte du ciel centrée sur la cible sont données.

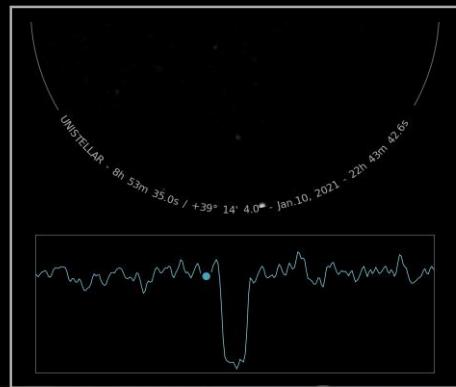
Au final, 92 transits ont été détectés pour 413 observations issues de 17 pays de 4 continents différents. Plus de 50 détections de transit d'exoplanètes ont été soumises à la base de données des exoplanètes de l'AAVSO (*American Association of Variable Star Observers*) afin que les astronomes professionnels puissent mieux comprendre les planètes de notre galaxie. Des campagnes spécifiques d'observations avec les réseaux ExoClock et Exoplanet Watch ont été aussi menées.



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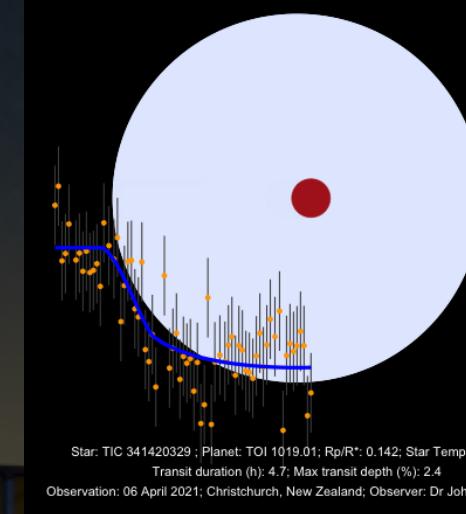
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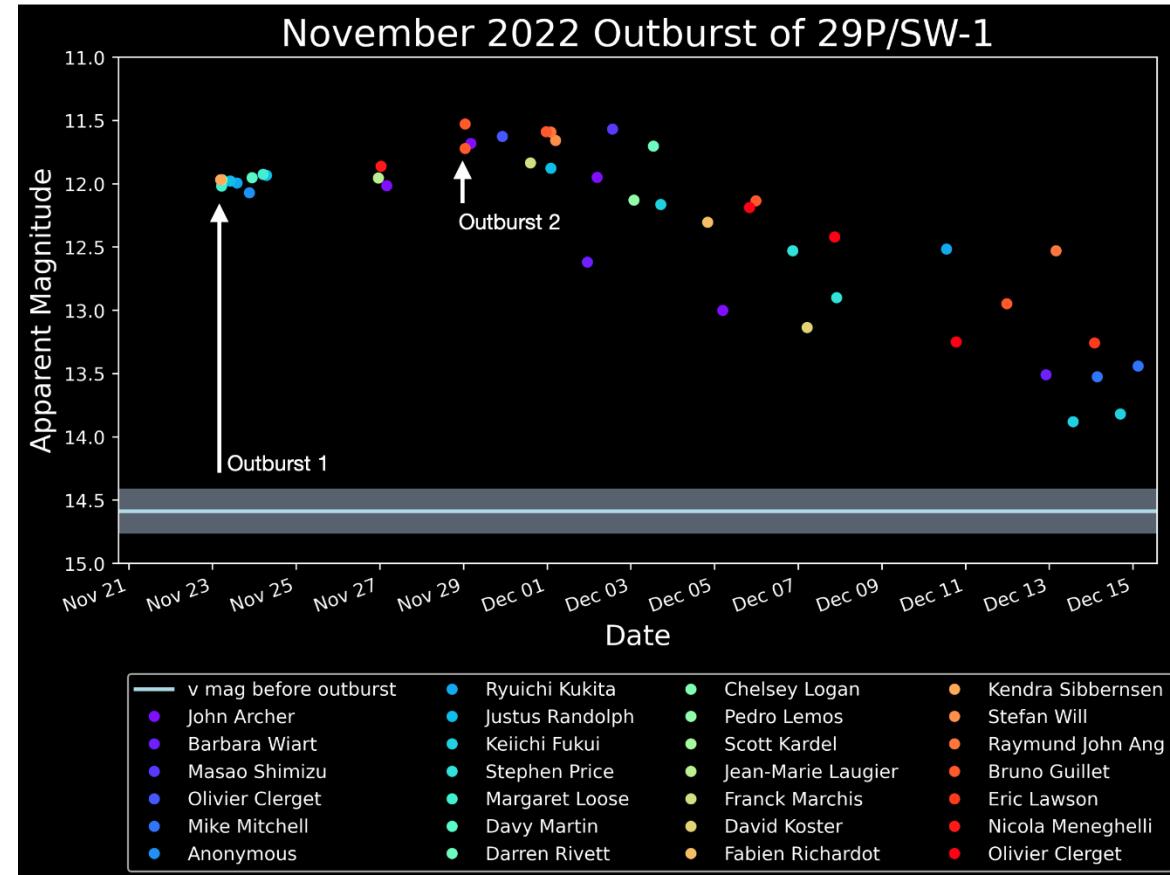
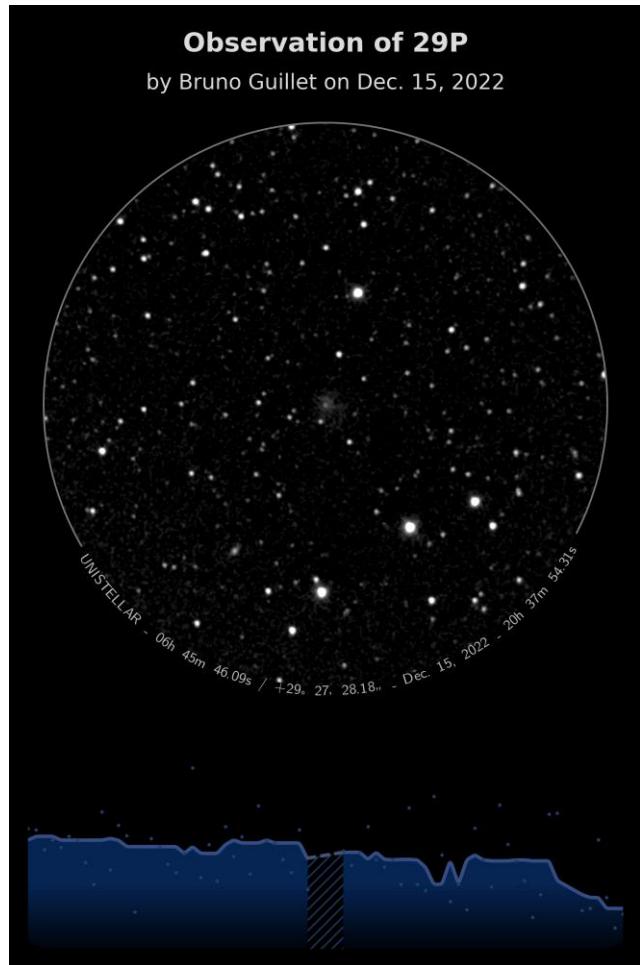
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DART mission: eVscope view of asteroid impact



*Patrice Huet,
Réunion Island*

*Yes, we can crash into
asteroids!*

**Collision de la sonde spatiale DART
avec l'astéroïde double (Didymos et Dimorphos)**
le 27 septembre 2022 à 3h14 (GMT +4) - île de La Réunion



Mission DART

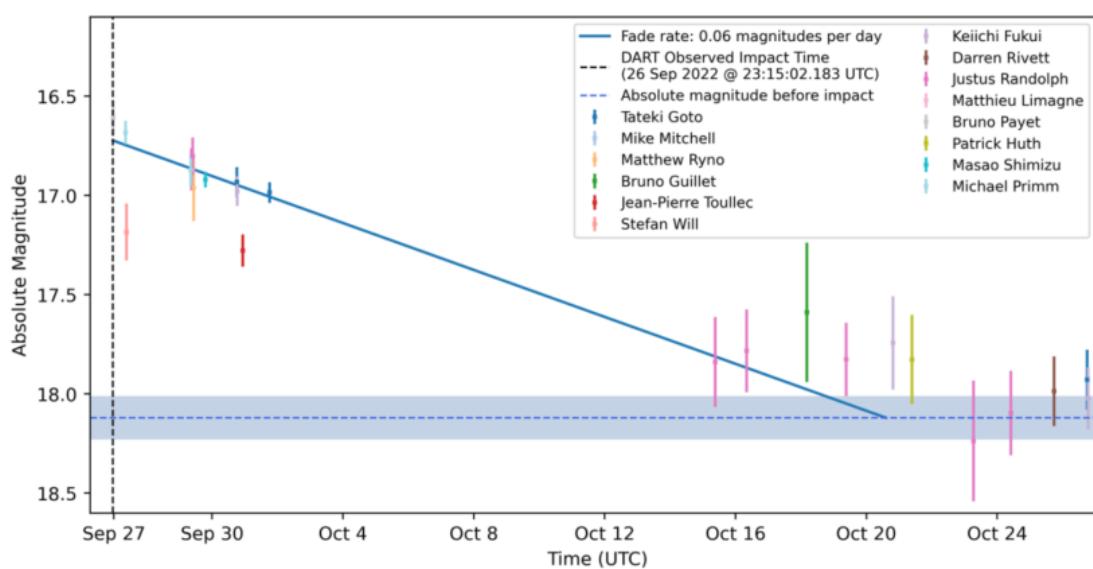
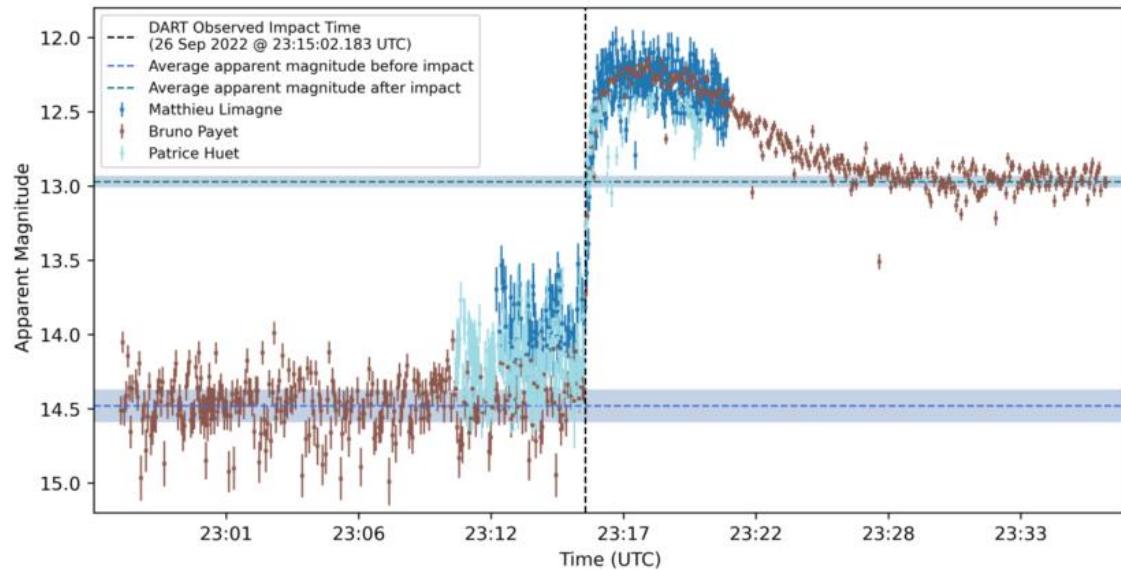


Ronald Wasilwa &
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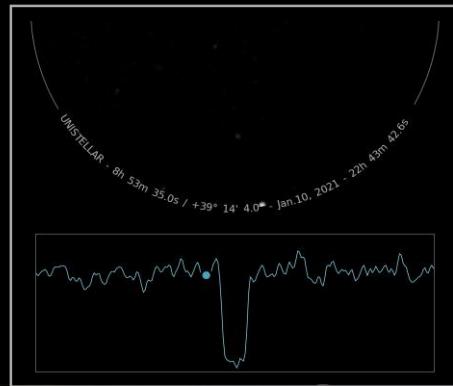
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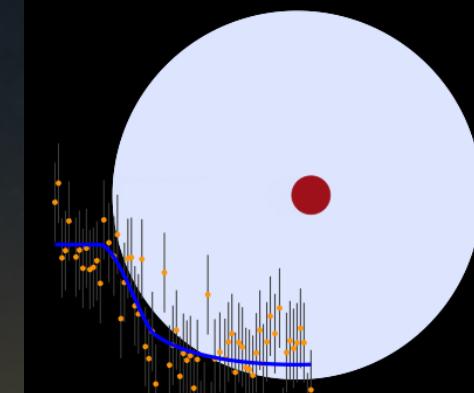
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Asteroid "1999AP10"

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Star: TIC 341420329 ; Planet: TOI 1019.01; Rp/R*: 0.142; Star Temp (K): 7550
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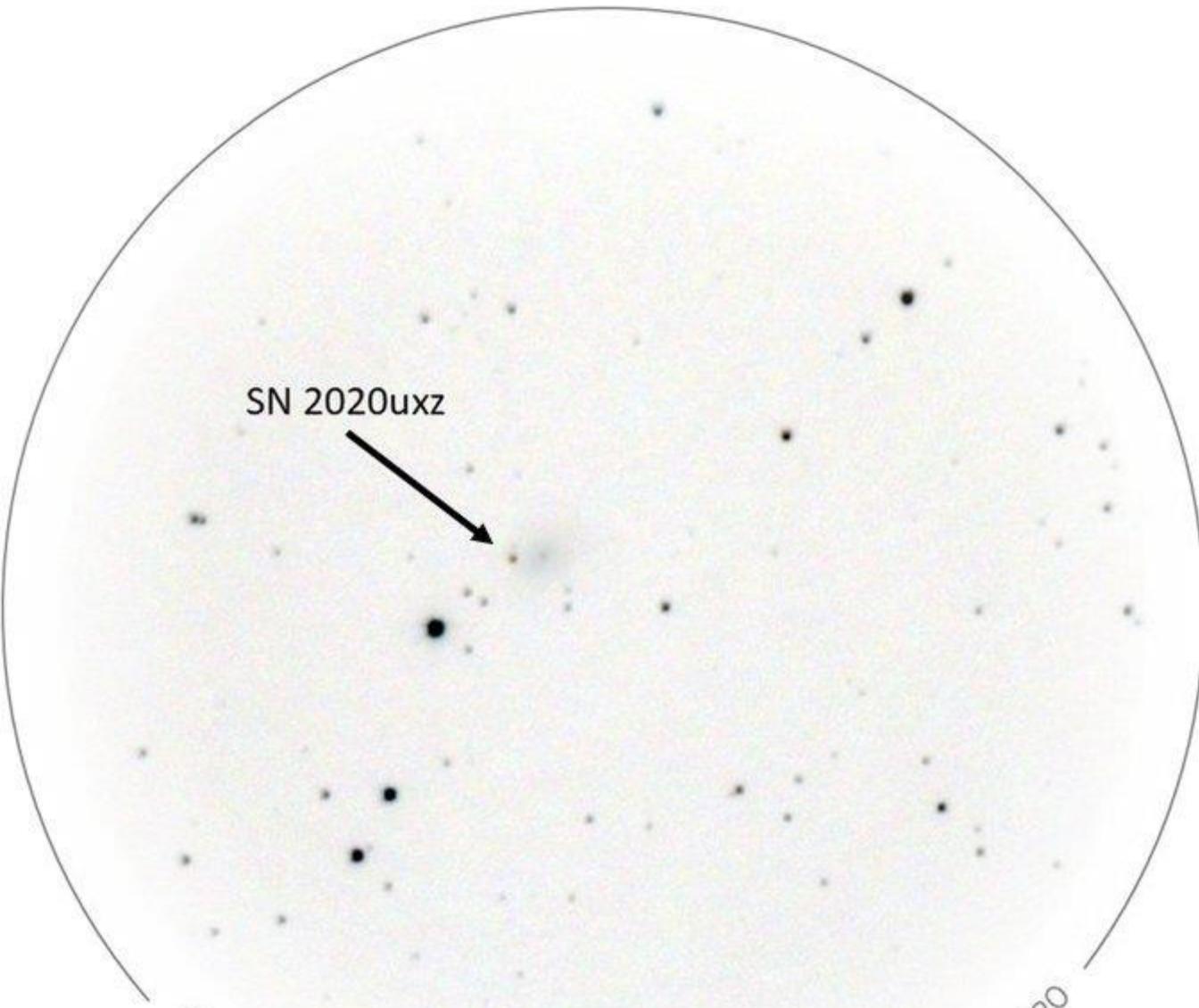
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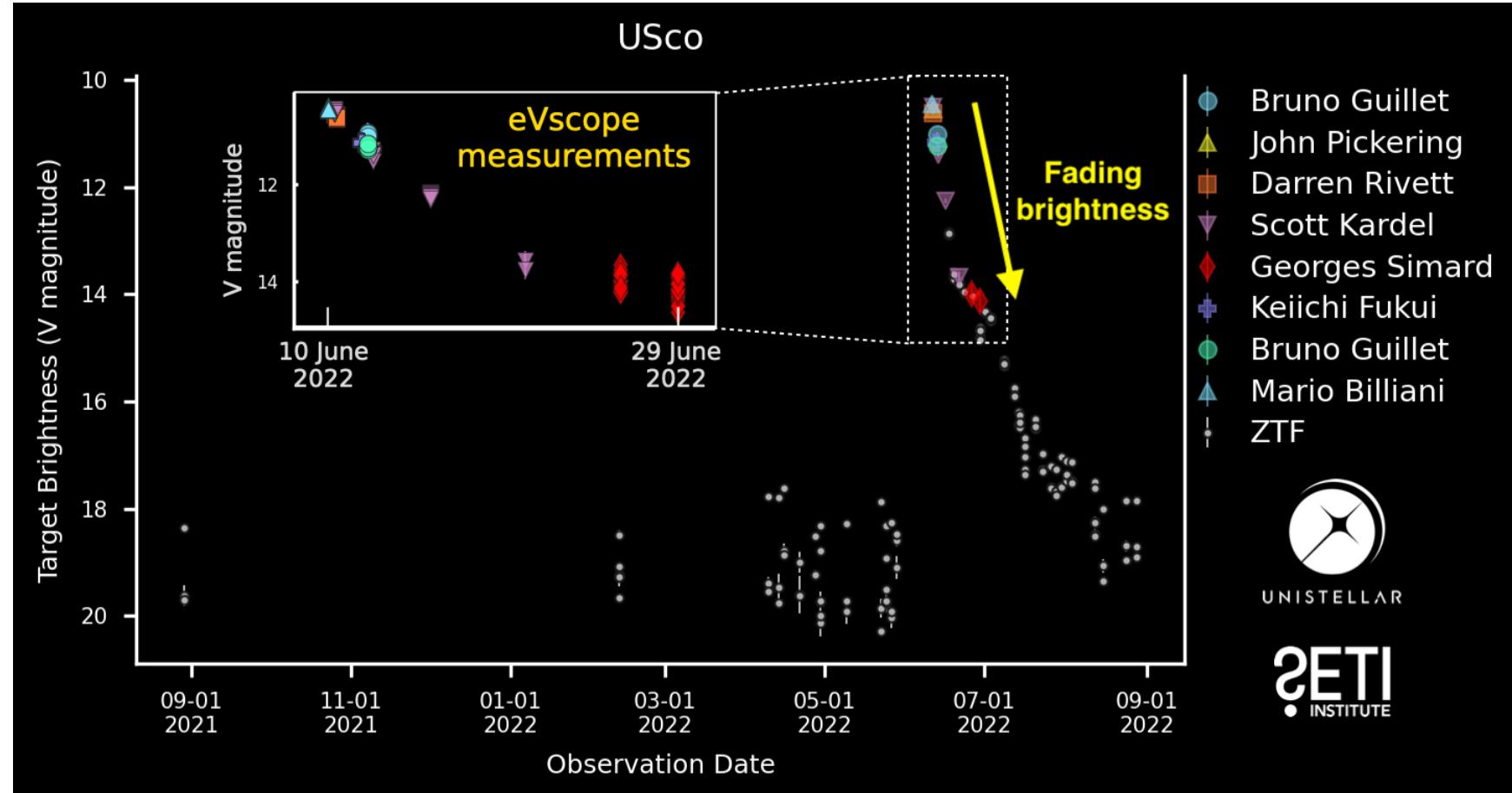
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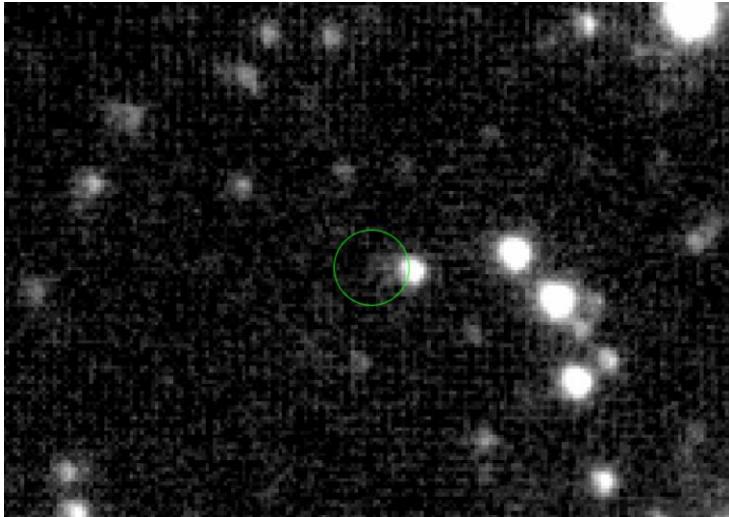


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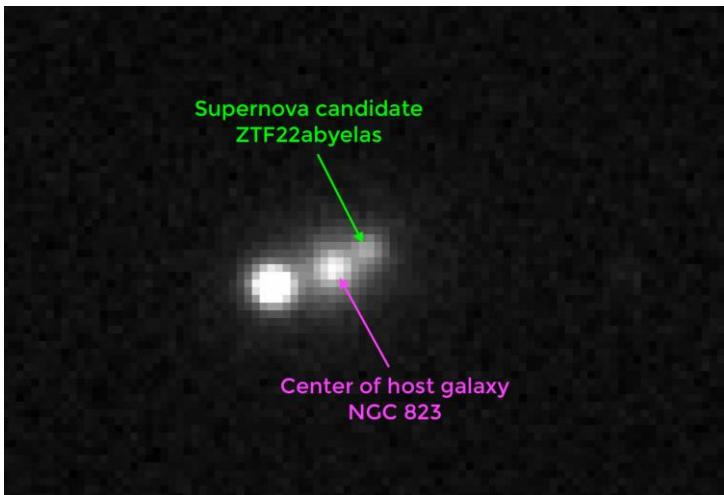
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A GRB Non-detection

In October of 2022, the gamma ray burst (GRB) GRB221009A briefly graced the night sky as one of brightest to ever be detected by gamma ray telescopes. The optical counterparts of these energetic events do not last long, but citizen astronomers were on target to see if they could catch it. Even though they did not detect the GRB, the campaign – started by the citizen astronomers themselves – proved to be a success. Seven observations showed a non-detection of the GRB, meaning astronomers could put a limit on its brightness.



Citizen Astronomers See a Dead Star Explode

On December 2nd, 2022 the Unistellar Alerts System received its first notification from professional telescopes that a new supernova-like object had been spotted. It then alerted Citizen Astronomers, who were on target only hours later. Rapid observations like these can help astronomers understand the conditions that caused the explosion. This target, ZTF22abyelas, was eventually classified by professionals as a Type Ia supernova, meaning that observers witnessed the light from an exploding white dwarf mere cosmic moments after its occurrence.

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Super image of Comet K2 - Oct 2022

Polymele new moon - Aug 2022

JWST followed by our network - June 2022

New grants from Moore and Lounsberry to support citizen science May 2022

1989JA - campaign and spin period - May 2022

First paper with a citizen scientist - feb 2022

HD80606b exoplanet orbit refined Apr 2022

TOI1812.01 orbit derived Jul 2022

NASA partnered of UNistellar/SETI for exoplanet confirmations