

# Mining archival data using VO tools; SDSS & 2MASS

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# What is the VO?

“A virtual observatory is a collection of **interoperating** data **archives** and software **tools** which utilize the **internet** to form a scientific research environment in which astronomical **research** programs can be conducted.”

Wikipedia

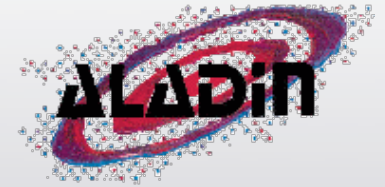
# Dictionary

- **Registry**: the yellow pages of the VO
- **PLASTIC**: PPlatform for AStronomy Tool InterConnection
- **Astro Runtime**: Astrogrid Client Runtime (ACR), provides an interface to access functions from python
- **VOTable**: data stored in XML format
- **SIA**: Simple Image Access
- **SSA**: Simple Spectral Access
- **MySpace**: virtual space storage

Data Discovery	Spectral Analysis	Data visualisation and handling	SED building and fitting
Aladin ✓	SPLAT	TopCat ✓	VOSED
VO Desktop ✓	VOSpec	STILTS	Yafit
<i>Datascope</i>	Specview	VOPlot	easy-z
Octet	Euro-3D	VisIVO	GOSSIP
<i>OpenSkyQuery</i>	<i>NVO Spectrum</i>	VOCat	<i>NVO Filter</i>
<i>VoEventNet</i>		<i>Montage</i>	
<i>ASPID</i>		<i>VOStat</i>	
<i>NED</i>		<i>NVO Footprint</i>	

# Aladin Sky Atlas

<http://aladin.u-strasbg.fr/>



*Description* Aladin is an interactive software sky atlas allowing the user to visualize digitized astronomical images, superimpose entries from astronomical catalogues or databases, and interactively access related data and information from the Simbad database, the VizieR service and other archives for all known sources in the field.

The Aladin sky atlas is available in three modes: a Java Standalone application, a Java applet interface and a simple previewer.

Aladin v5.0


Command  ICRS Pixel  full

**Aladin Sky Atlas - v5.0**

ALADIN is an interactive software sky atlas.  
It allows one to visualize digitized images of any part of the sky,  
to superimpose entries from astronomical catalogs,  
and to interactively access related data and information.

**Quick start...**

Just type your target in the "Command" field above  
(ex: M1 or 13:29:53 +47:11:48)



CENTRE DE DONNÉES  
ASTRONOMIQUES DE STRASBOURG

Aladin is developed by Pierre Fernique,  
Thomas Boch and François Bonnarel.  
(c) ULP/CNRS 1999-2008

select  
pan  
zoom  
dist  
draw  
tag  
text  
filter  
cross  
rgb  
assoc  
cont  
mgls  
pixel  
prop  
del

Zoom 1x

Search

grid multiview match

0 sel / 0 src 0Mb

## Server selector

Others



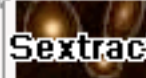
File



all VO



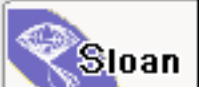
FOV



Sextractor

Image  
serversAladin  
images

SkyView



Sloan



MAST



CADC



DSS...



VLA...



Others...

Catalog  
serversAll  
VizieR

Surveys



Missions



SIMBAD



NED



SkyBot



Others..

## VizieR catalog service

Specify a target, and a catalog name or identification...

Target.....

Grab coord

Catalo...

Radius....

14.0'

 Get all  
columns... don't know which catalog ? Select the  
potentially interesting ones with words/keywords !

Author, free text...:

Wavelength

Mission

Astronomy

Radio

ANS

AGN

IR

ASCA

Abundances

optical

BeppoSAX

Ages

UV

CGRO

Associations

EUV

COBE

Atomic\_Data

X-ray

Chandra

BL\_Lac\_objects

Gamma-ray

Copernicus

Binaries:cataclysmic

EUVE

Binaries:eclipsing

EXOSAT

Binaries:spectroscopic

Einstein

Blue\_objects

FAUST

Clusters\_of\_galaxies

Reset

Clear

Help

SUBMIT

Close

## Server selector

160 catalog(s) found

## Catalogs

	Name	Category	Density	Description
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/16	Radio	1	Reference Catalogue of Bright Galaxies (RC1;...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/178	optical	1	Optical Extragalactic Emission-line Objects ...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/181	optical	1	X-ray of active galaxies and nuclei (Della C...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/188	X-ray	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (7th Ed.)...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/207	optical	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (8th Ed.)...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/215	optical	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (9th Ed.)...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/223	optical	1	The 2dF QSO Redshift Survey. V. The 10k cata...
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/224	optical	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (10th Ed....
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/235	optical	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (11th Ed....
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/241	optical	1	The 2dF QSO Redshift Survey (Croom+ 2004)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VII/248	optical	1	Quasars and Active Galactic Nuclei (12th Ed....
<input type="checkbox"/>	IX/15	optical	1	Einstein EMSS Survey (Gioia+ 1990, Stocke+ 1...
<input type="checkbox"/>	IX/32	X-ray	1	ROSAT Bright Survey (Fischer+, 1998-2000)
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/434/54	X-ray	1	Spectral properties of X-ray-selected AGNs (...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/481/95	X-ray	1	Radio identification of EGRET sources (Matto...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/510/659	Radio	1	Size and Structure of AGN in NGC 5548 (Peter...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/569/23	optical	1	Optical polarisation of 2MASS QSOs (Smith+, ...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/570/100	IR	1	BeppoSAX HELLAS survey. V. (La Franca+, 2002)
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/585/647	optical	1	Velocity dispersion in AGN (Boroson, 2003)
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/590/73	Radio	1	RASS AGN sample. II. (Xu+, 2003)
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/599/886	optical	1	Emission lines of radio-loud AGN (Eracleous+...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/609/539	optical	1	Kinematics of parsec-scale radio jets (Kelle...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/609/564	Radio	1	Blazar counterparts for 3EG sources (Sowards...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/610/128	Radio	1	NIR colors of hard X-ray-selected AGN (Watan...
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/613/682	IR	1	AGN central masses and broad-line region siz...

Get info.

SUBMIT

Reset

Close



Aladin v5.0

Location  ICRS Pixel  full

VII.248

0.0" x 0.0"

grid multiview match

Search

0 sel / 110893 src 94Mb

Catalogs

	Name
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/16
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/178
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/181
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/188
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/207
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/215
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/223
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/224
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/235
<input type="checkbox"/>	VII/241
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VII/248
<input type="checkbox"/>	IX/15
<input type="checkbox"/>	IX/32
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/434/54
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/481/95
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/510/659
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/569/23
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/570/100
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/585/647
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/590/73
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/599/886
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/609/539
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/609/564
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/610/128
<input type="checkbox"/>	J/ApJ/613/682

Get info.

Image servers

- Aladin image
- SkyView
- Sloa
- MAS
- CAD
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others.

select

pan

zoom

dist

draw

tag

text

filter

cross

rgb

assoc

cont

mqIs

pixel

prop

del

Zoom 8x

3493.59° x 3493.59°

Server selector

Others:  File  all VO  FOV  SExtractor

Images



Aladin image server ?

>>> Step 1: Specify a target/radius and press SUBMIT

Target

Radius

Step 2: load one or several images  by list or  tree

Default image format:  JPEG  FITS

Reset

Clear

History

SUBMIT

Close

Catalogs



Server selector

Others:  File  all-VO  FOV  SExtractor

Images



Aladin image server ?

Step 1: Specify a target/radius and press SUBMIT

Target

Radius

>>> Step 2: load one or several images  by list or  tree

	SURVEY	COLOR	SIZE	OBS ID	RE
<input type="checkbox"/>	SERC	ER(optical R)	12.8 'x12.8 '	DSS2.831	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	SERC	I(optical I)	12.8 'x12.8 '	DSS2.831	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	POSSI	O	12.8 'x12.8 '	DSS2.590	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	POSSII	J(optical B)	12.8 'x12.8 '	DSS2.831	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	POSSII	F(optical R)	12.8 'x12.8 '	DSS2.831	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2MASS	K(IR K)	8.6 'x17.1 '	000901N_KI0930009	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2MASS	K(IR K)	8.6 'x13.9 '	000901N_KI0940267	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2MASS	K(IR K)	8.6 'x17.1 '	000901N_KI0950009	1.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2MASS	K(IR K)	8.6 'x13.8 '	000901N_KI0960267	1.

Default image format:  JPEG  FITS

Catalogs



Reset

Clear

History

SUBMIT

Close

Aladin v4.0

Load... Save... Tools... Plugins... Print... Help... Quit

Position ICRS Pixel full

Others: **ALADIN**

Images

Aladin images

SkyView

Sloan

MAST

CADC

DSS...

VLA...

Others...

Step

Target

Radius

>>> Step 2: loa

SURVEY

- SERC
- SERC
- POSSI
- POSSII
- POSSII
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS

Reset

multiview

2MASS.H.981004S\_HI0670267

POSSII.F.DSS2.831

POSSII.J.DSS2.831

SERC.I.DSS2.831

8.84' x 8.84'

17.83' x 17.8'

17.83' x 17.8'

17.83' x 17.8'

17.83' x 17.8'

8.54' x 17.07'

select

pan

zoom

dist

draw

tag

text

filter

rgb

assoc

rsamp

cont

mlss

pixel

prop

del

Zoom 1/2x

POSSII.F.DSS

POSSII.J.DSS

SERC.I.DSS2

2MASS.H.98

Zoom out

Aladin v4.0

Load... Save... Tools... Plugins... Print... Help... Quit

Position ICRS Pixel full

Others: **ALADIN**

Images

- Aladin images
- SkyView
- Sloan
- MAST
- CADC
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others...

Step

Target

Radius

>>> Step 2: loa

SURVEY

- SERC
- SERC
- POSSI
- POSSII
- POSSII
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS

Reset

RGB img

select pan zoom dist draw tag text filter rgb assoc rsamp cont mqlss pixel prop del

RGB img

POSSII.F.DSS

POSSII.J.DSS

SERC.I.DSS2

2MASS.H.98

8.54' x 17.07'

4.31' x 4.42'

multiview

- RGB img

Zoom 2x

Others:

**Images**

- Aladin images
- SkyView
- Sloan
- MAST
- CADC
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others...

Step

Target

Radius

>>> Step 2: loa

SURVEY

- SERC
- SERC
- POSSI
- POSSII
- POSSII
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS

Reset

Aladin v4.0

Load... Save... Tools... Plugins... Print... Help... Quit

Position ICRS Pixel full

RGB img

select pan zoom dist draw tag text filter rgb assoc rsamp cont mqlss pixel prop del

- Contours
- RGB img
- POSSII.F.DSS
- POSSII.J.DSS
- SERC.I.DSS2
- 2MASS.H.98

8.54' x 17.07'

1' 4.31' x 4.42'

multiview - RGB img

Zoom 2x

Others:

**Images**

- Aladin images
- SkyView
- Sloan
- MAST
- CADC
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others...

Step

Target

Radius

>>> Step 2: loa

SURVEY

- SERC
- SERC
- POSSI
- POSSII
- POSSII
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS
- 2MASS

Reset

Aladin v4.0

Load... Save... Tools... Plugins... Print... Help... Quit

Position ICRS

RGB img

Aladin Script Console...  
 VOplot (VO-India): 2D plotter for selected objects...  
 Catalog cross match tool...  
 Image astrometrical (re)calibration...  
 Catalog astrometrical (re)calibration...  
 Catalog column calculator...  
 ROI extractor: postage stamp image generation tool...  
 Start Simbad pointer: automatical object discovery  
 Macro controller...  
 User preferences...

tag  
text  
filter  
rgb  
assoc  
rsamp  
cont  
mglss  
pixel  
prop  
del

Contours  
RGB img  
POSSII.F.DSS  
POSSII.J.DSS  
SERC.I.DSS2  
2MASS.H.98

6.54' x 17.07'

4.31' x 4.42'

Tools (console, x-match and recalibration tools, preferences,...)

Zoom 2x

multiview

Server selector

Others | File | all VO | FOV | Sextractor

**Image servers**

- Aladin images
- SkyView
- Sloan
- MAST
- CADC
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others...

**Catalog servers**

- All VizieR
- Surveys
- Missions
- SDSS
- NED
- SkyBot
- Others..

**VO discovery tool**

Target..... CDF-S Grab coord

Radius..... 6'

Servers  Images  Catalogs  Spectra Detailed list...

Press it to stop the processing => Stop it

Reset Clear Help SUBMIT Close



Liste des serveurs

Check/uncheck the servers concerned by the ALL VO discovery mode

Select all Unselect all

Image servers

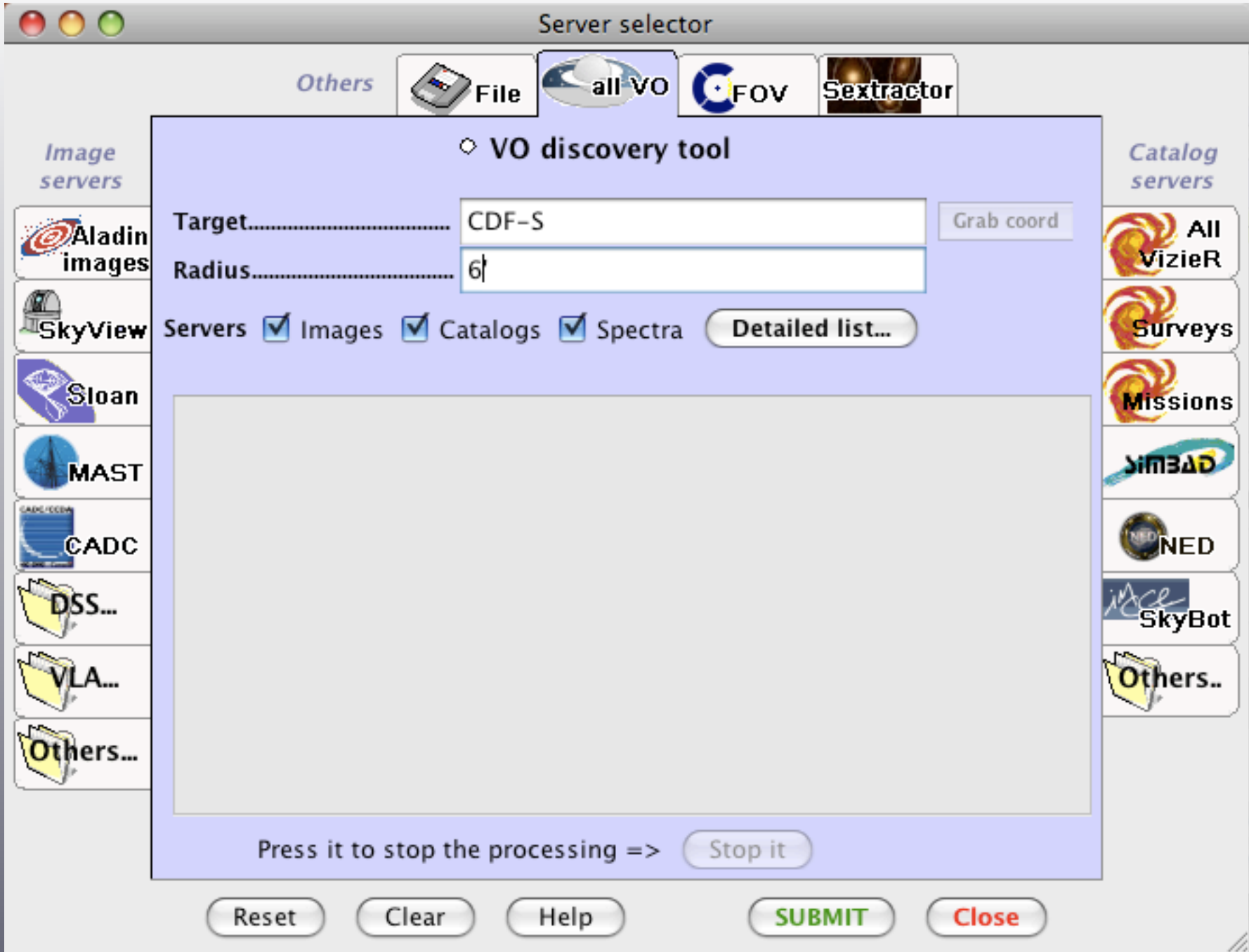
1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Aladin image server (CDS/Strasbourg) – DSS/MAMA/2MASS/IRAS	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
2) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SDSS DR6 images	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
3) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Multimission Archive at STScI (MAST)	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
4) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	MAMA ESO R Atlas – VO-Paris (Fr)	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
5) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Canadian Astronomical Data Center (CADC)	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
6) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Chandra X-Ray Observatory Data Archive	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
7) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SIA Service for Subaru/XMM-Newton Deep Survey 01	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
8) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	NCSA Astronomy Digital Image Library Simple Image Access	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
9) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The IRAS Galaxy Atlas	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
10) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Spitzer First Look Survey (FLS) -- Ancillary VLA Data	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
11) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2MASS 6X Lockman Hole Ancillary Data Atlas	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
12) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Mid-Infrared Galaxy Atlas	not yet used	<input type="button" value="?"/>
13) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			

SUBMIT Close



Image servers





Server selector

Others | File | all VO | FOV | Sextractor

**VO discovery tool**

Target..... CDF-S Grab coord

Radius..... 6'

Servers  Images  Catalogs  Spectra Detailed list...

- ESO Science Archive Spectrum Service
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
  - GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits

Press it to stop the processing => Stop it

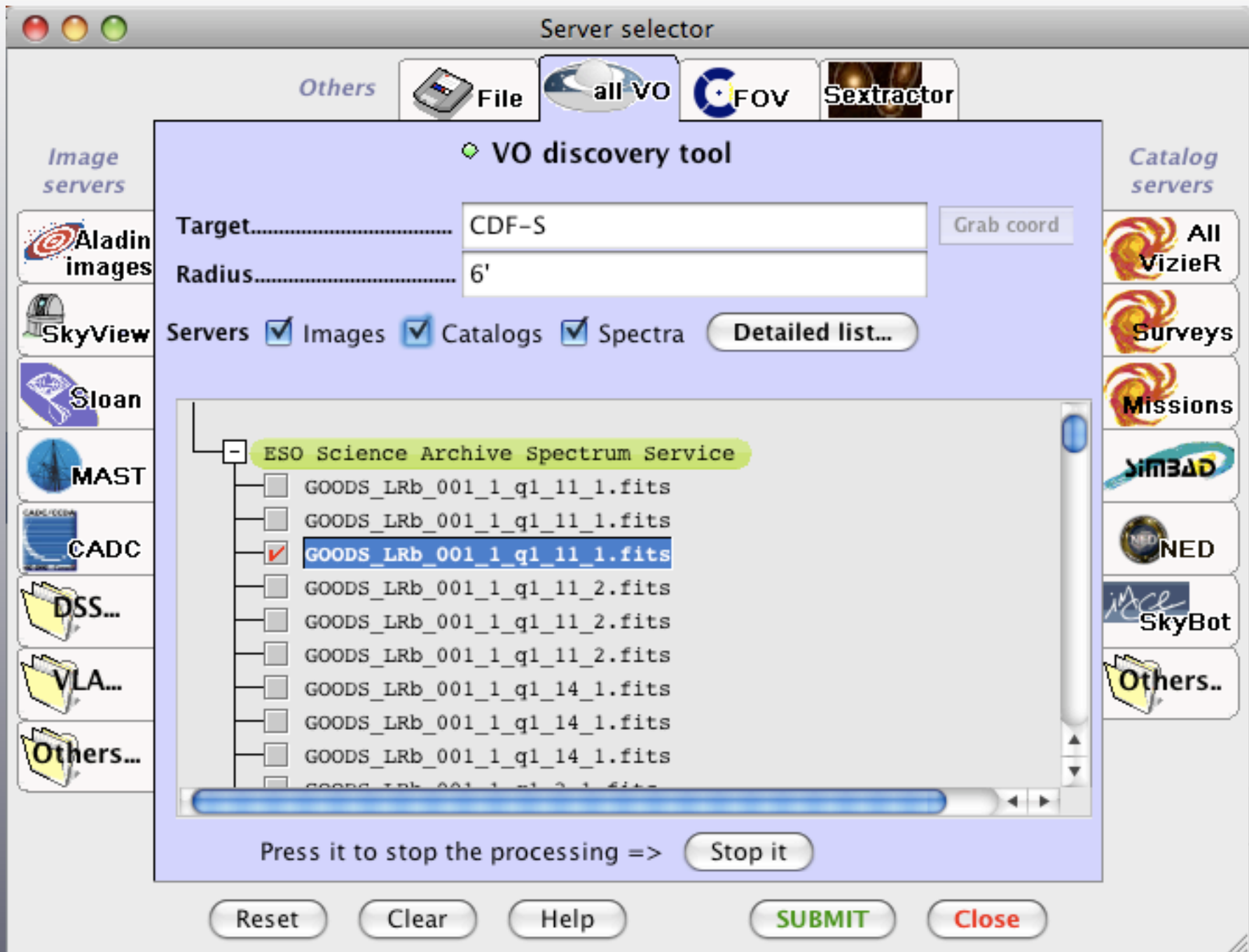
Reset Clear Help SUBMIT Close

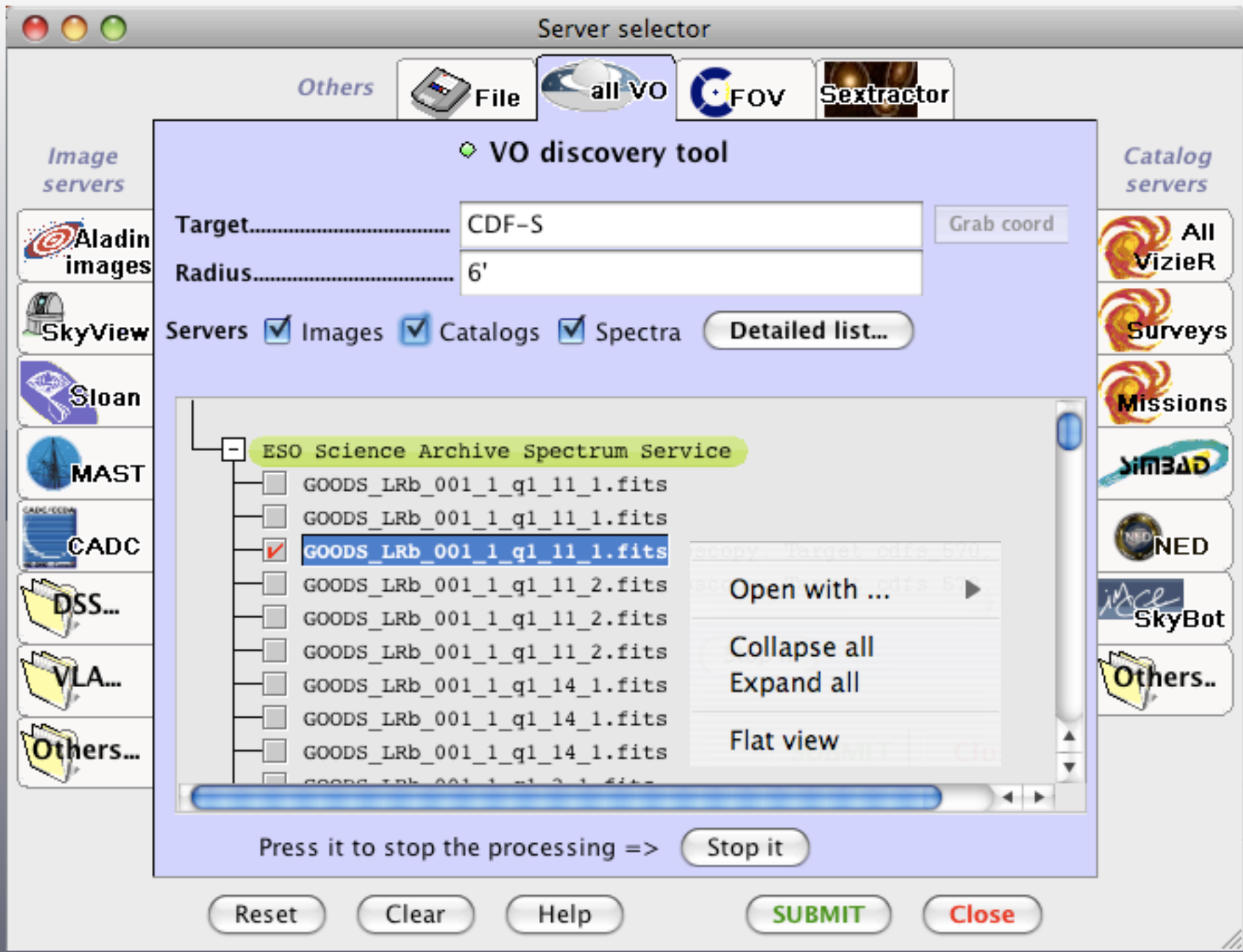
**Image servers**

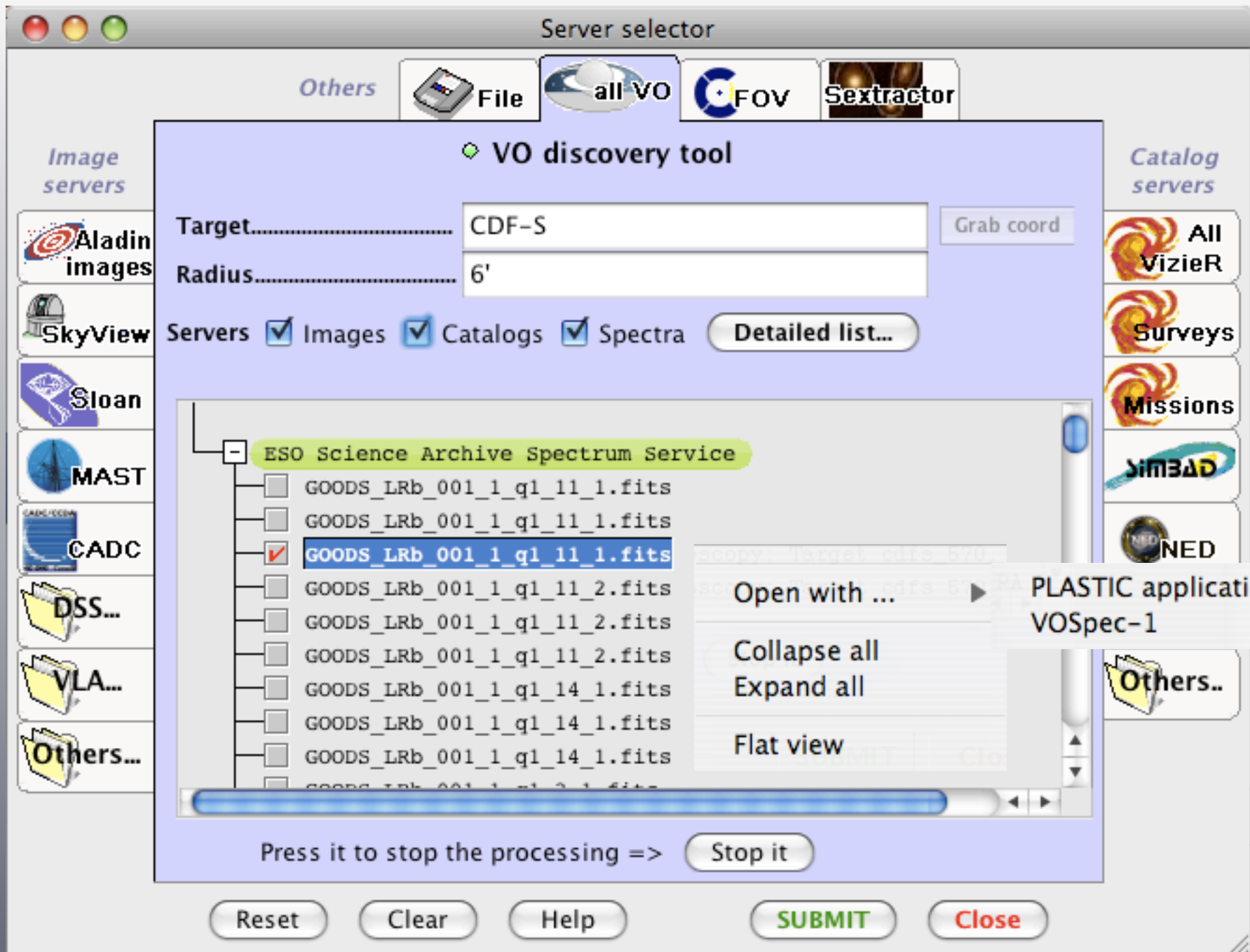
- Aladin images
- SkyView
- Sloan
- MAST
- CADC
- DSS...
- VLA...
- Others...

**Catalog servers**

- All VizieR
- Surveys
- Missions
- JM3AD
- NED
- SkyBot
- Others..







Server selector

Others

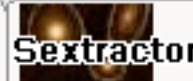


Image servers



Catalog servers



VO discovery tool

Target..... CDF-S

Grab coord

Radius..... 6'

Servers  Images  Catalogs  Spectra

Detailed list...

ESO Science Archive Spectrum Service

- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_11\_2.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits
- GOODS\_LRb\_001\_1\_q1\_14\_1.fits

- Open with ...
- Collapse all
- Expand all
- Flat view

PLASTIC applications:  
VOSpec-1

Press it to stop the processing => Stop it

Reset

Clear

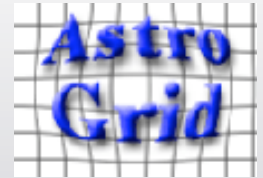
Help


SUBMIT

Close

# Astrogrid VO Desktop

<http://www.astrogrid.org/>



 VO Desktop

New VO Explorer

New File Explorer

New Task Runner

New All-VO Astroscope

New All-VO Helioscope

VO Desktop and Astro Runtime Preferences...

Run Self Tests

Show Background Processes


 Login to Community...

⌘L

 Logout

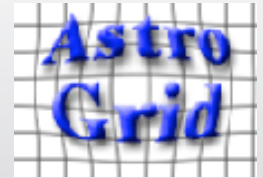
VO Desktop Help

About VO Desktop

 Exit VO Desktop

# Astrogrid VO Desktop

<http://www.astrogrid.org/>






























A screenshot of the VO Desktop application menu. The menu is open, showing a list of options. The top item, "New VO Explorer", is highlighted in blue. The menu items are: "New VO Explorer", "New File Explorer", "New Task Runner", "New All-VO Astroscope", "New All-VO Helioscope", "VO Desktop and Astro Runtime Preferences...", "Run Self Tests", "Show Background Processes", "Login to Community..." (with a keyboard shortcut of ⌘L), "Logout", "VO Desktop Help", "About VO Desktop", and "Exit VO Desktop" (with a red power button icon).



VO explorer - Vizier AGN tables

Contents of Vizier AGN tables - 334 resources

Filter result:

Status	Flag...	Title	Capability	Date
●		Optical spectroscopy of radio sources (Stickel+, ...	  	2008-01-12
●		Optical spectroscopy of radio sources (Stickel+, ...	  	2008-01-12
●		Optical spectroscopy of radio sources (Stickel+, ...	  	2008-01-12
●		Optically bright AGN in ROSAT-FSC (Veron-cetty...	  	2008-01-13
●		Optically bright AGN in ROSAT-FSC (Veron-cetty...	  	2008-01-13
●		Optically bright AGN in ROSAT-FSC (Veron-cetty...	  	2008-01-13
●		<b>Optically faint obscured quasars (Padovani+, 2...</b>	  	2008-01-13
●		Positions of 790 AGNs (Veron-Cetty+, 1996) - ...	  	2008-01-13
●		Positions of 790 AGNs (Veron-Cetty+, 1996) - ...	  	2008-01-13



Information Table Metadata

### Optically faint obscured quasars (Padovani+, 2004) - Type 2 AGNs (tables 1, 2 and 4 of paper)

Short Name J/A+A/424/545/agn ID ivo://CDS/VizieR/J/A+A/424/545/agn2  
Type CatalogService Created 2008-01-13T05:42:33  
Updated 2008-01-13T05:42:33

Content Type catalog Subject agn, qsos Level research

We use Virtual Observatory (VO) tools to identify optically faint, obscured (i.e., type 2) active galactic nuclei (AGN) in the two Great Observatories Origins Deep Survey (GOODS) fields. By employing publicly available X-ray and optical data and catalogues we discover 68 type 2 AGN candidates. [Further Information...](#)

Annotate  
 Flag   
Highlight   
Alternative title  
Notes  
Tags

About

Selection: CatalogService

Send table...  
Send tabl...  
Send res...  
Download...

Recent Changes  
VO taster list  
Cone search example  
Image access exampl  
Spectrum access exam  
Remote applications  
Queryable database e  
IR redshift  
Solar services  
SWIFT follow up  
Radio images  
Vizier AGN tables

Web interf...  
Send table...  
Send tabl...  
Send res...  
Download...




























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We use Virtual Observatory (VO) tools to identify optically faint, obscured (i.e., type 2) active galactic nuclei (AGN) in the two Great Observatories Origins Deep Survey (GOODS) fields. By employing publicly available X-ray and optical data and catalogues we discover 68 type 2 AGN candidates. [Further Information...](#)

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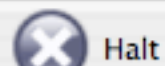
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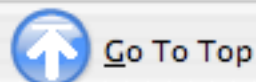
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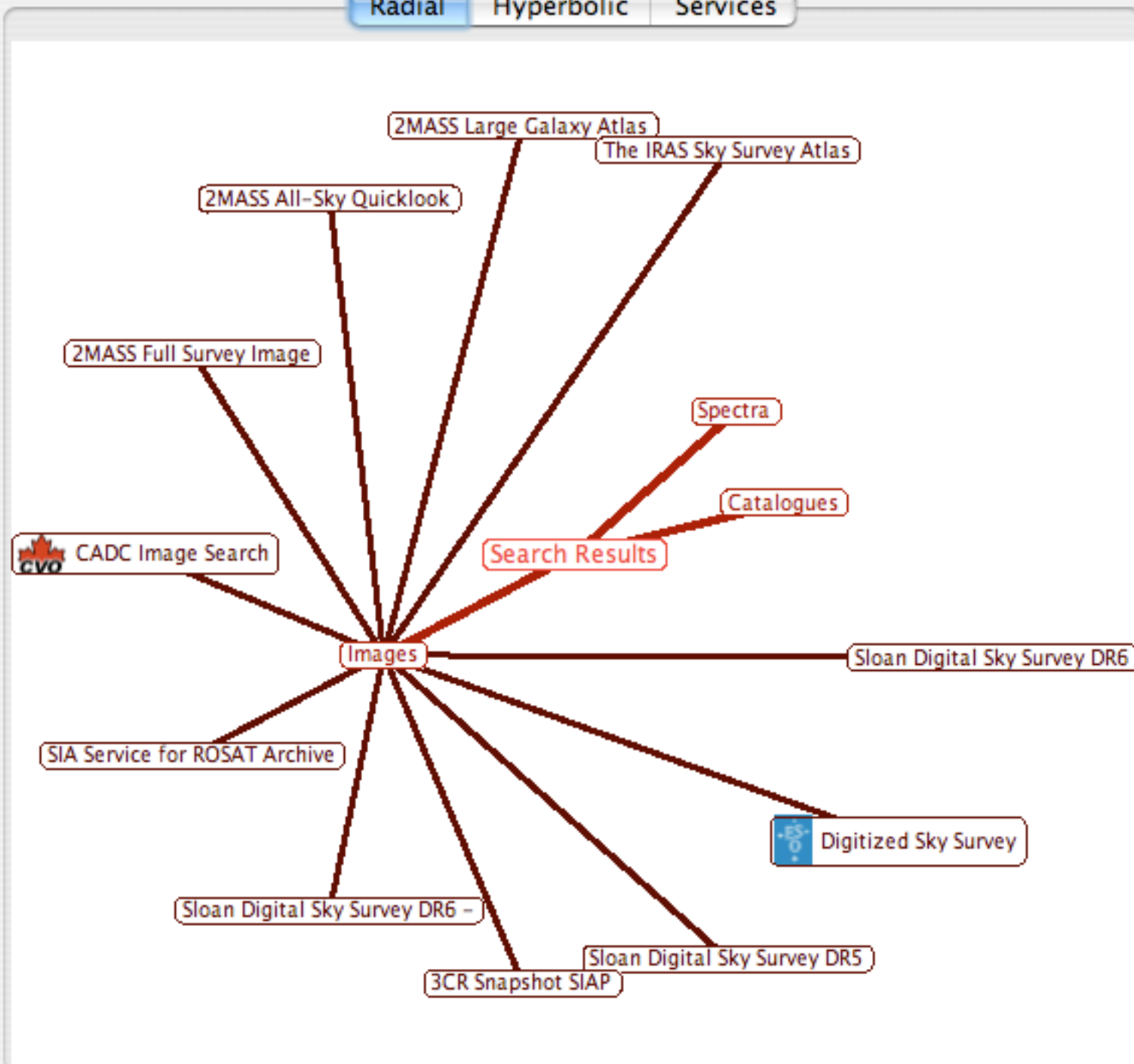
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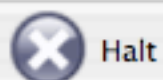
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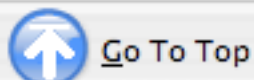
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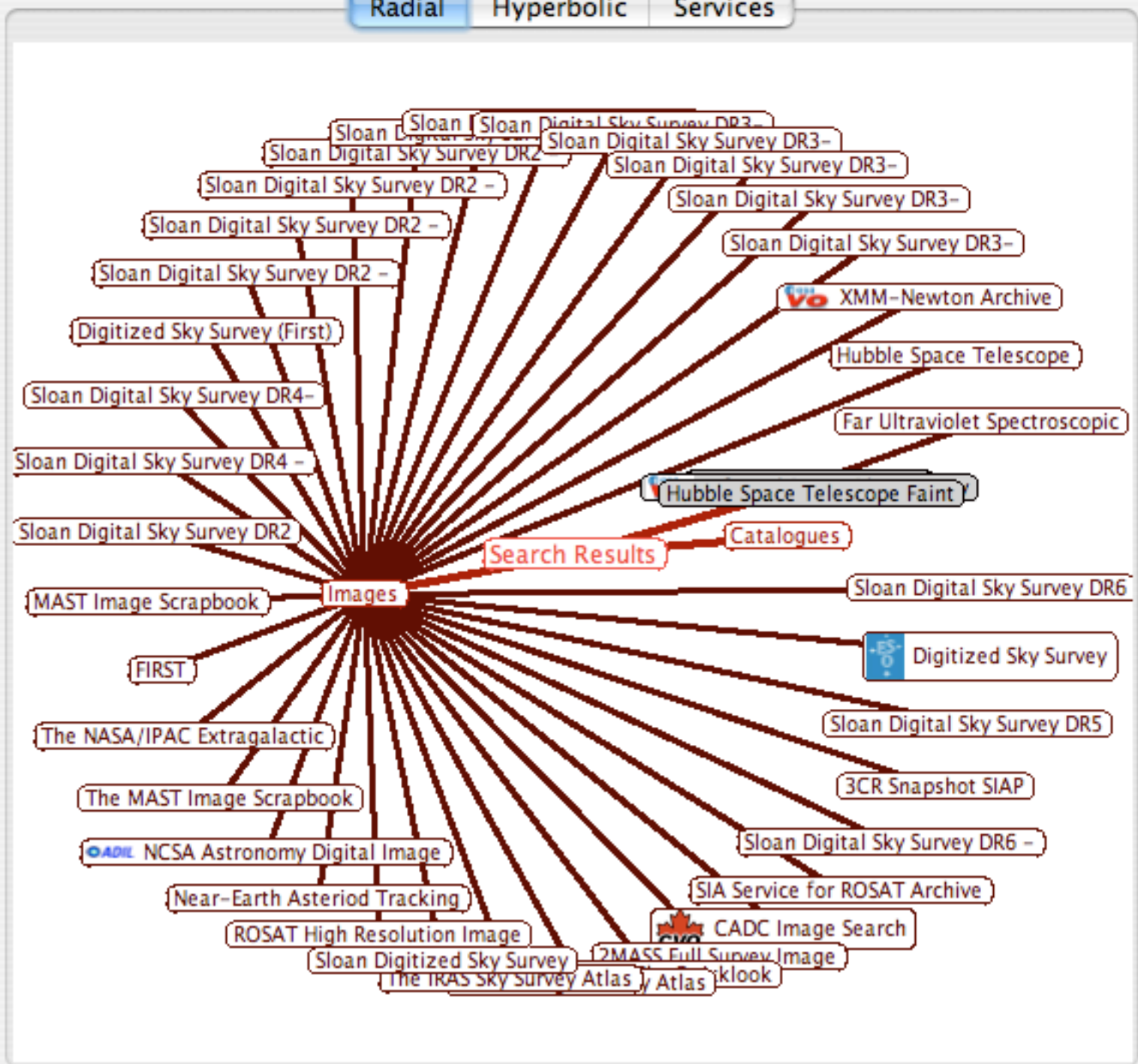


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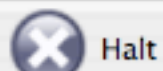
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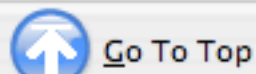
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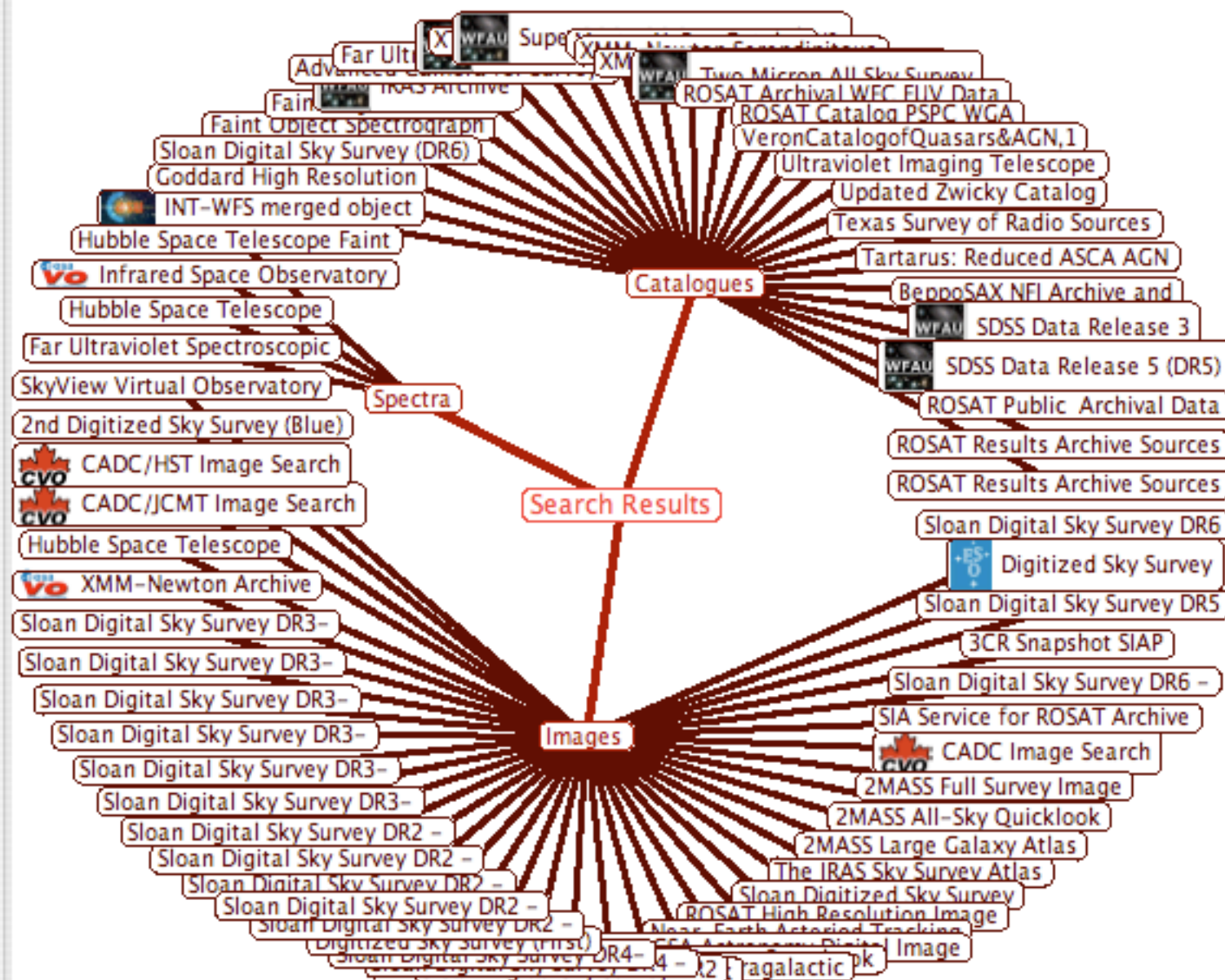


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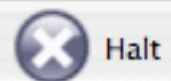
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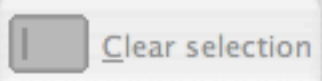
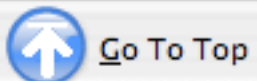
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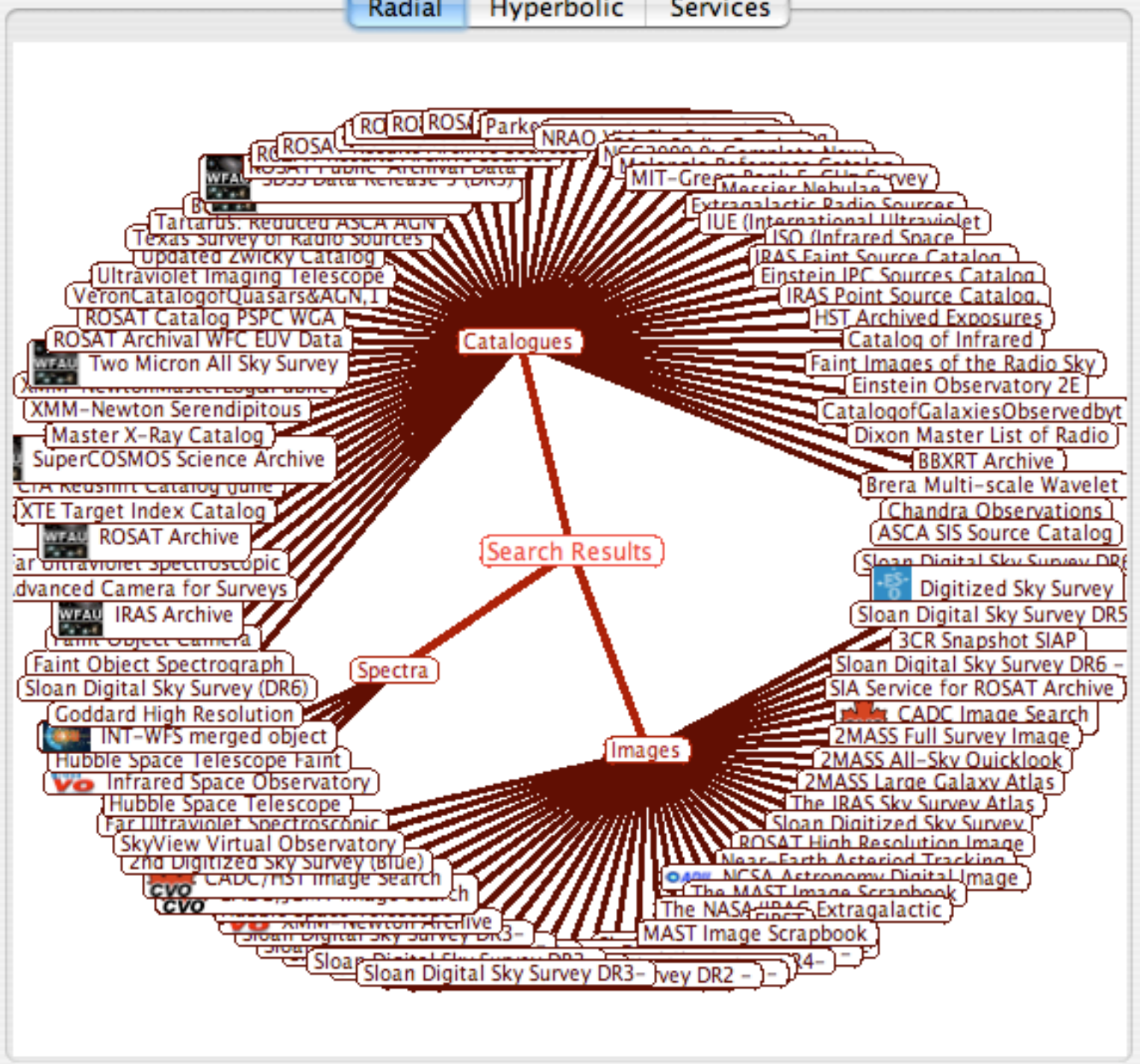
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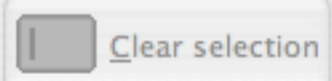
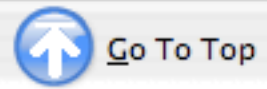
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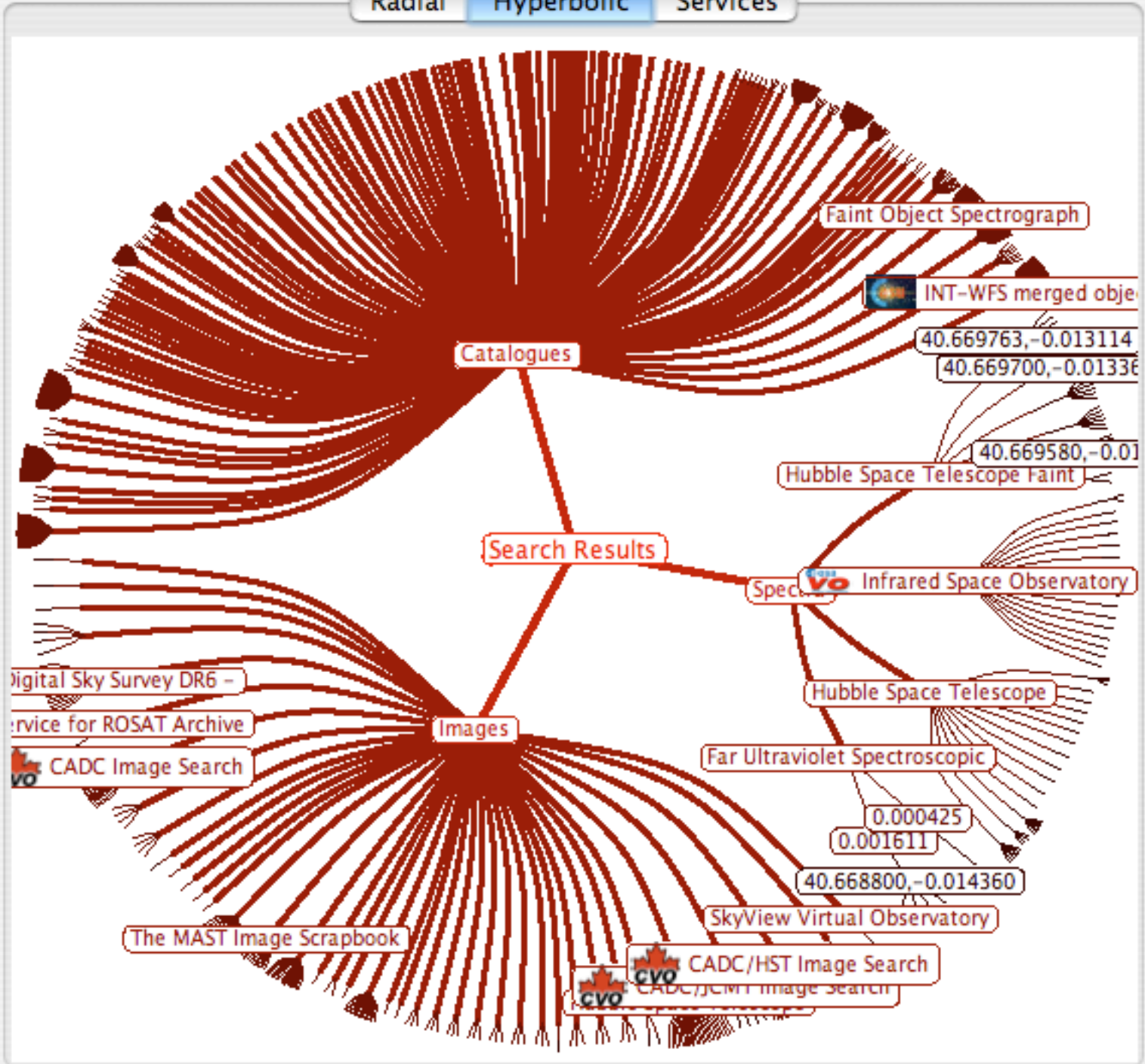
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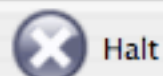
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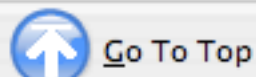
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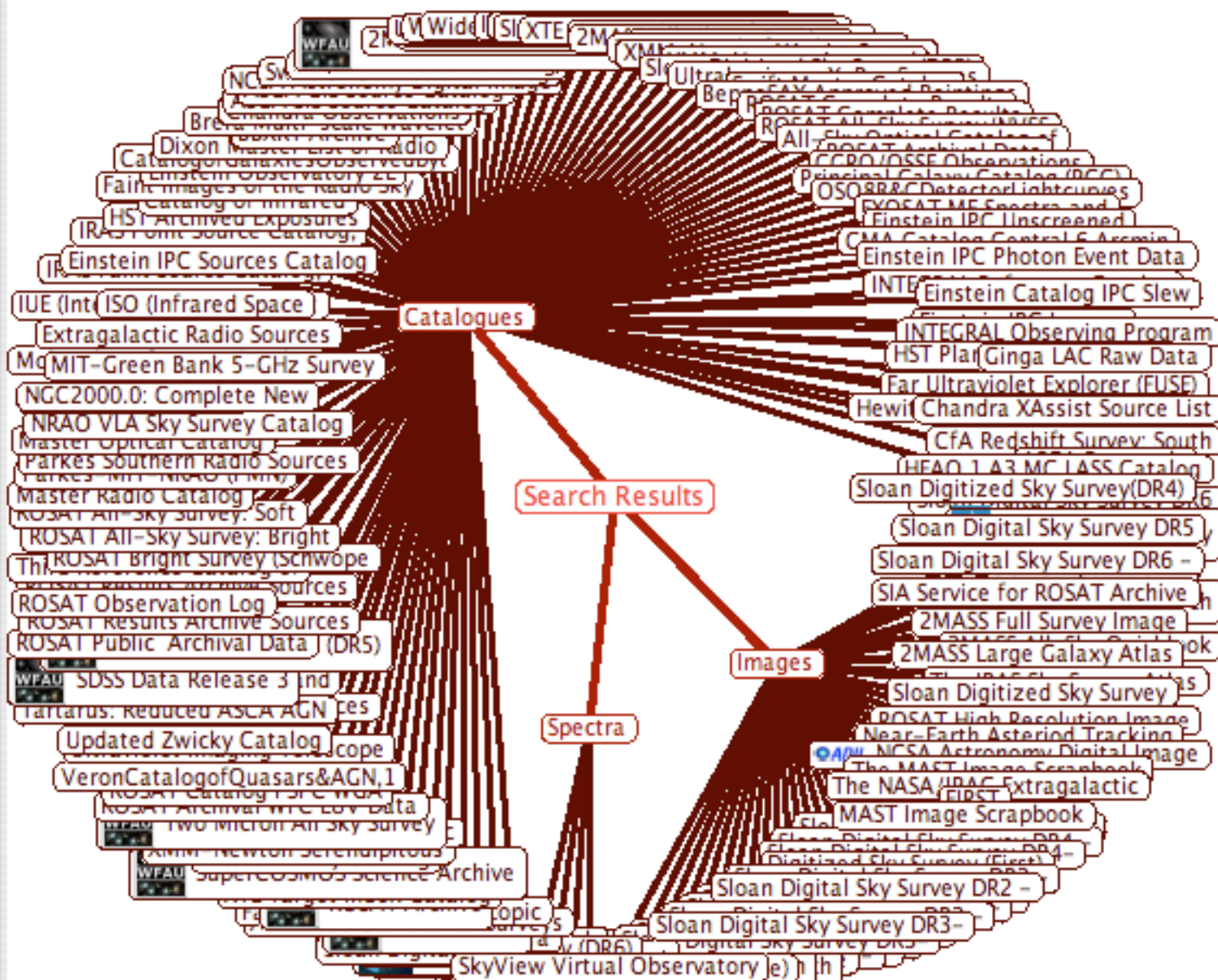
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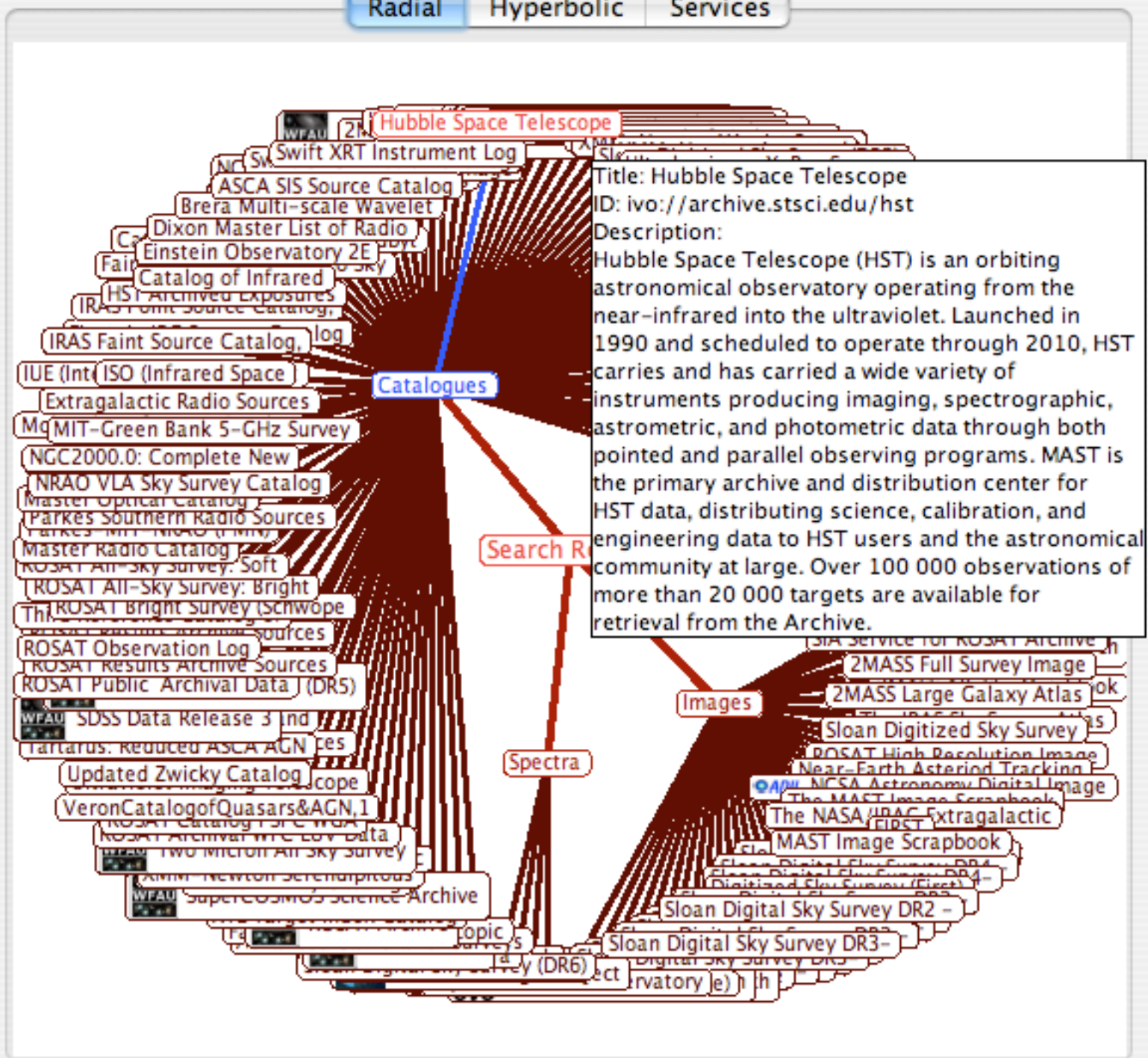
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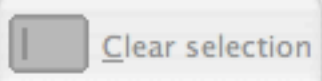
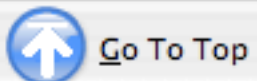
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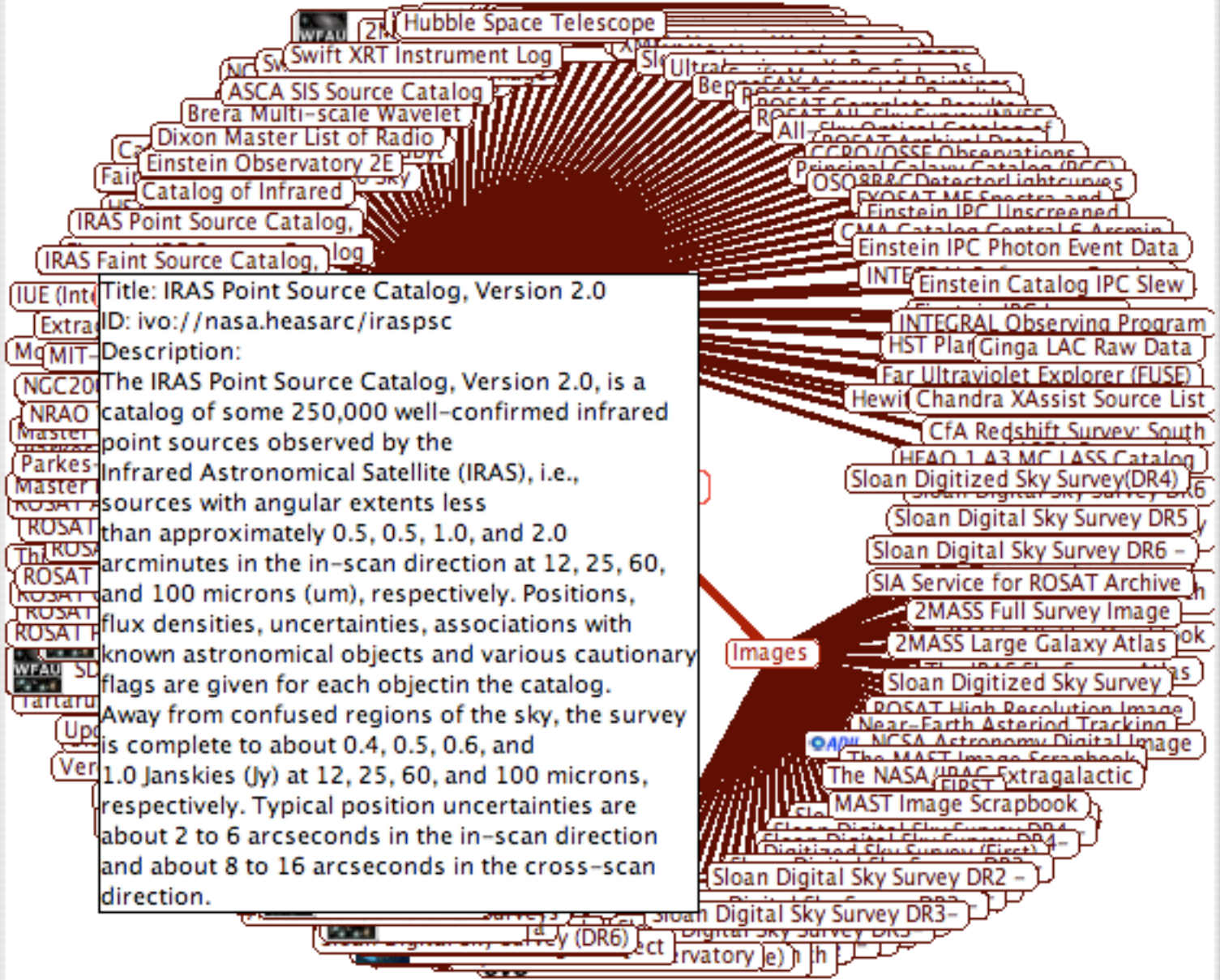
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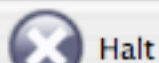
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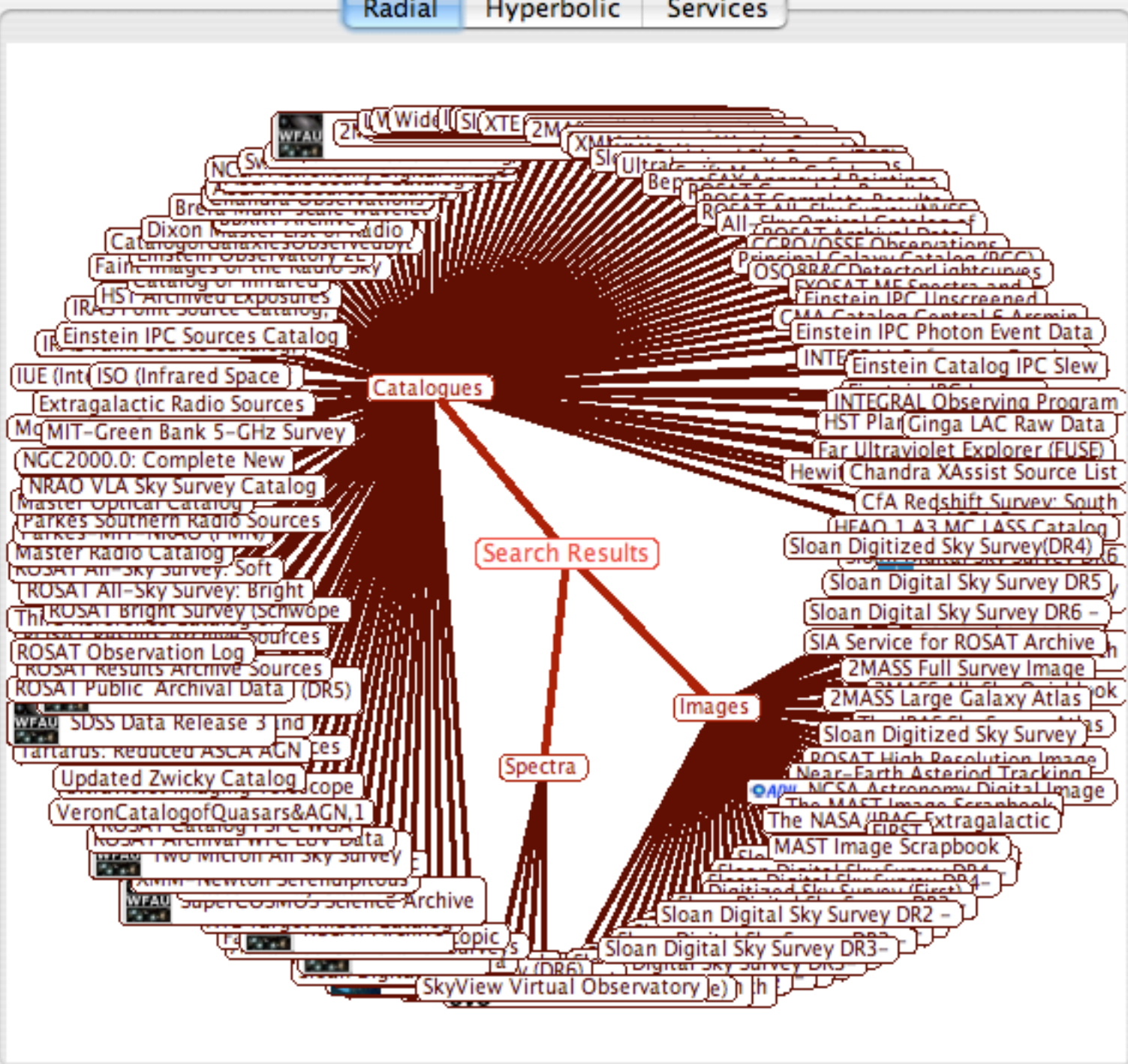
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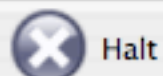
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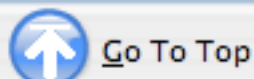
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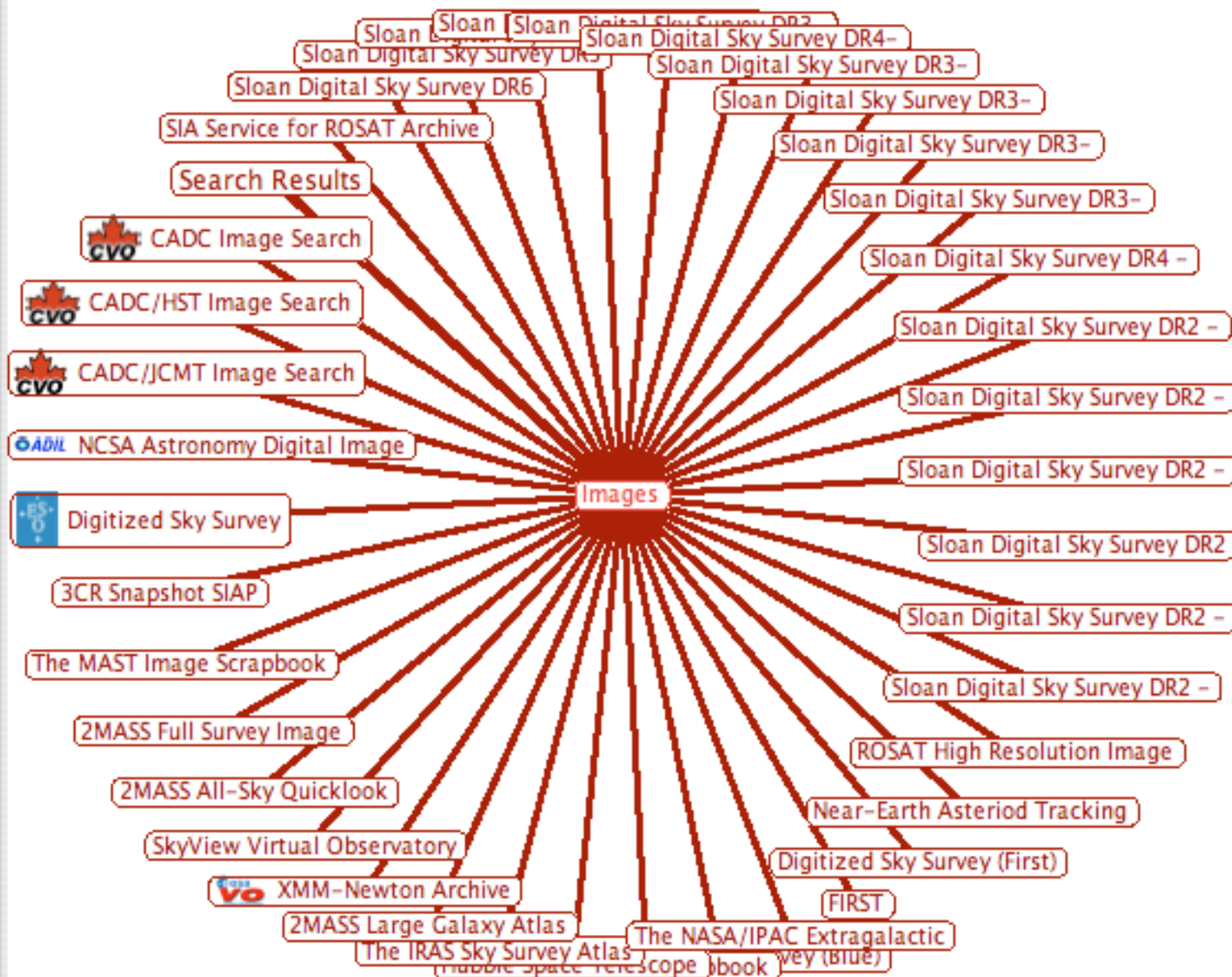


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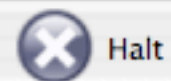
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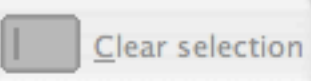
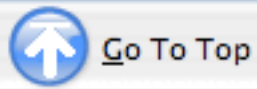
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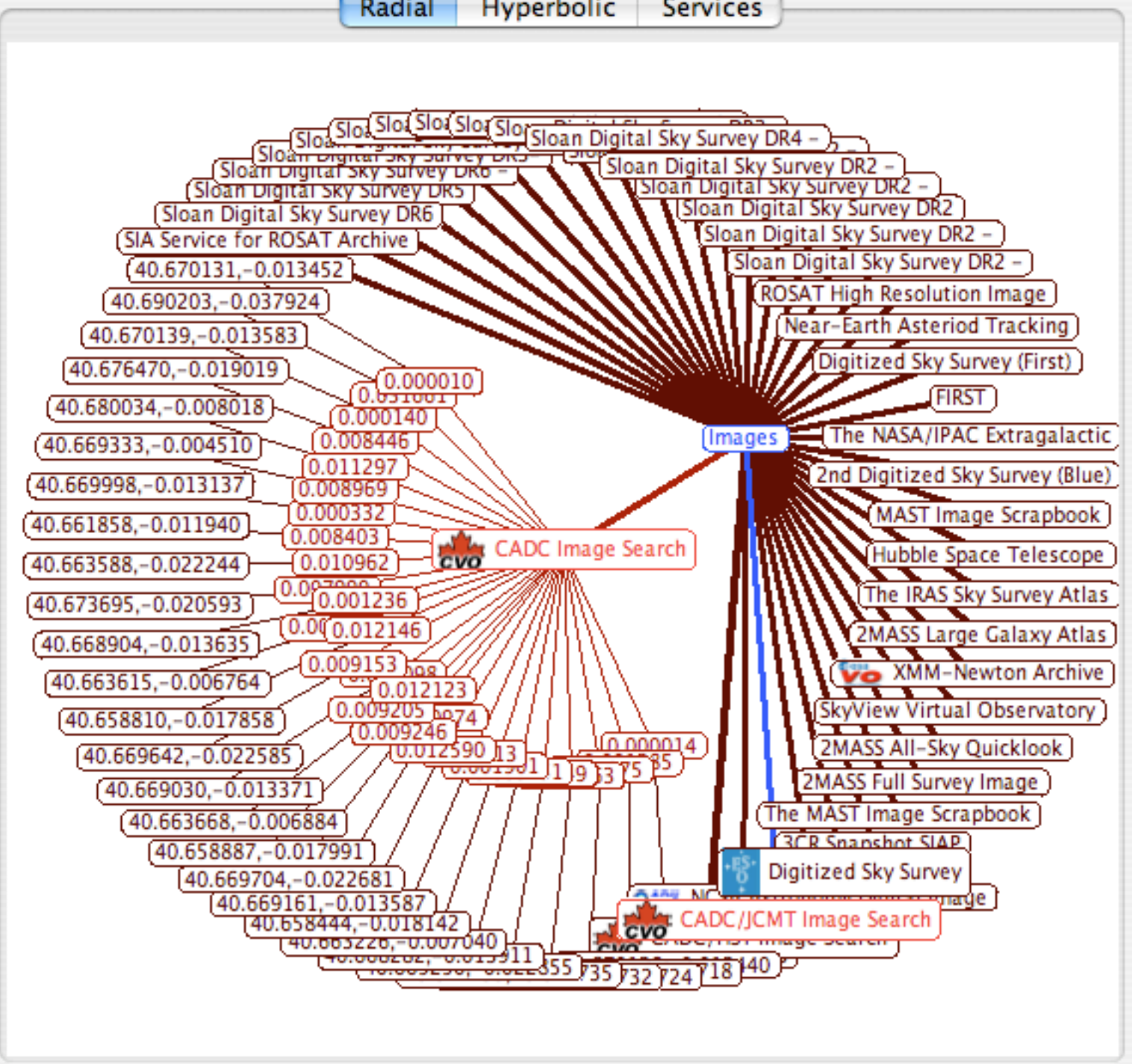
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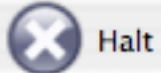
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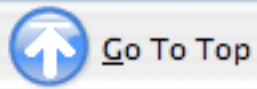
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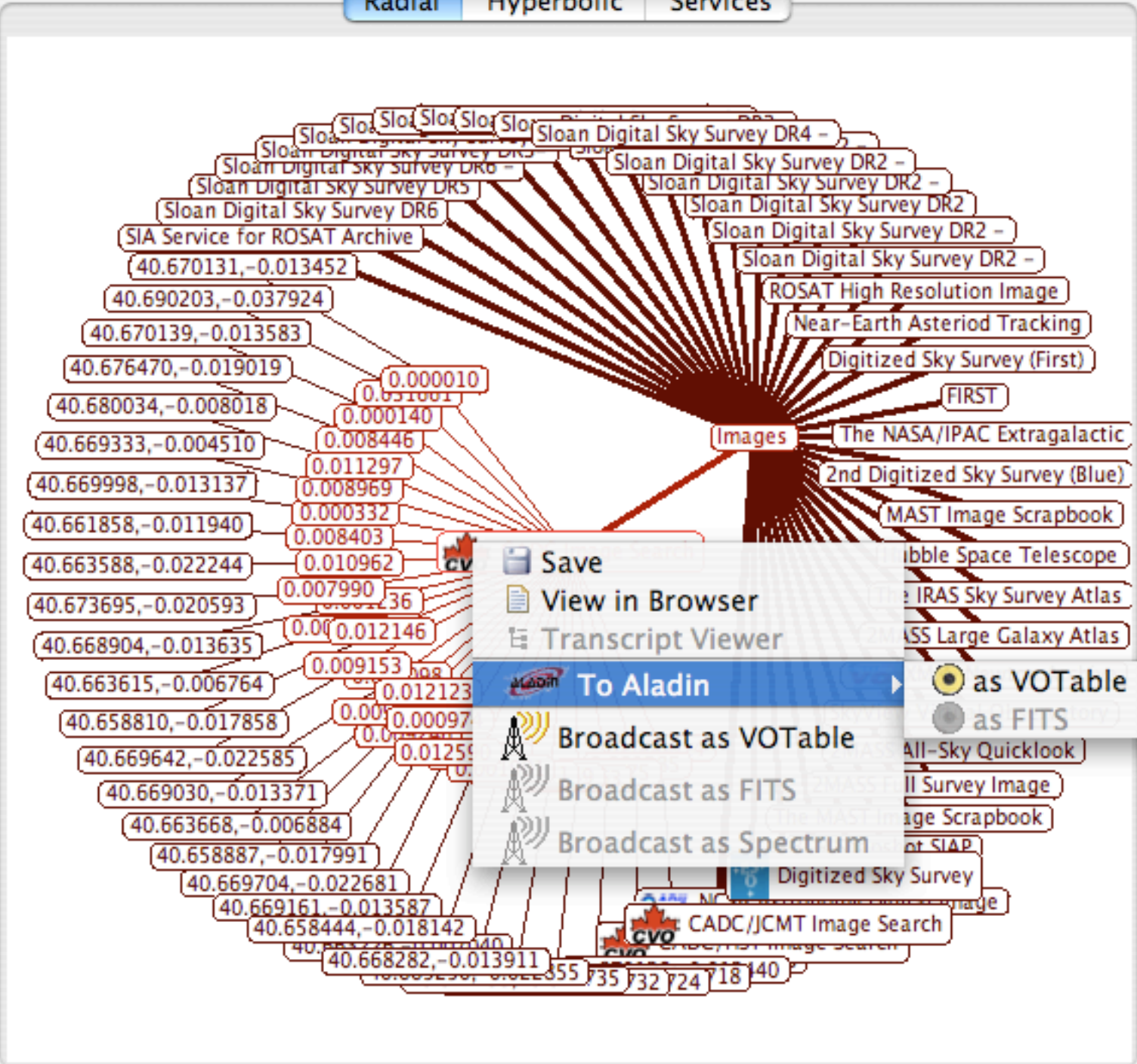
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Zoom 1/4x

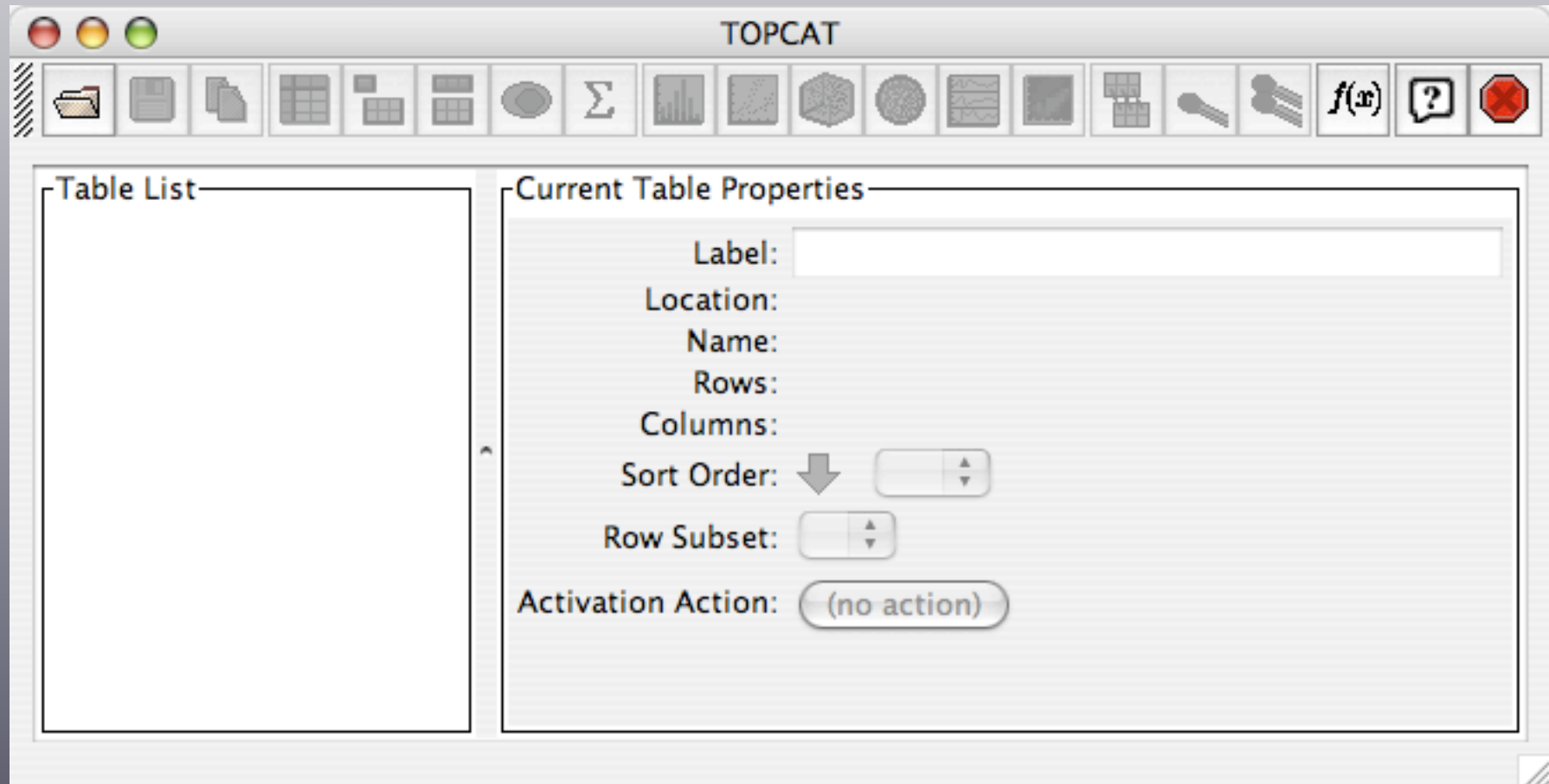
4 planes, 4 views, 8Mb

# Topcat

<http://www.star.bris.ac.uk/~mbt/topcat/>

**TOPCAT: Tool for OPERations on Catalogues And Tables**

TOPCAT is an interactive graphical viewer and editor for tabular data.





# TOPCAT



Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
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Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset

Rows: 875

Columns: 17

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:




Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current

R

Activati

### Histogram

Count

BMAG / mag

MAG\_B

MAG\_R

Bin Placement

Offset:  Width: 1.0

Main A

Data

Table: 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

X Axis: BMAG  Log

Row Subsets

- All
- galaxy
- star

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current

R

Activati

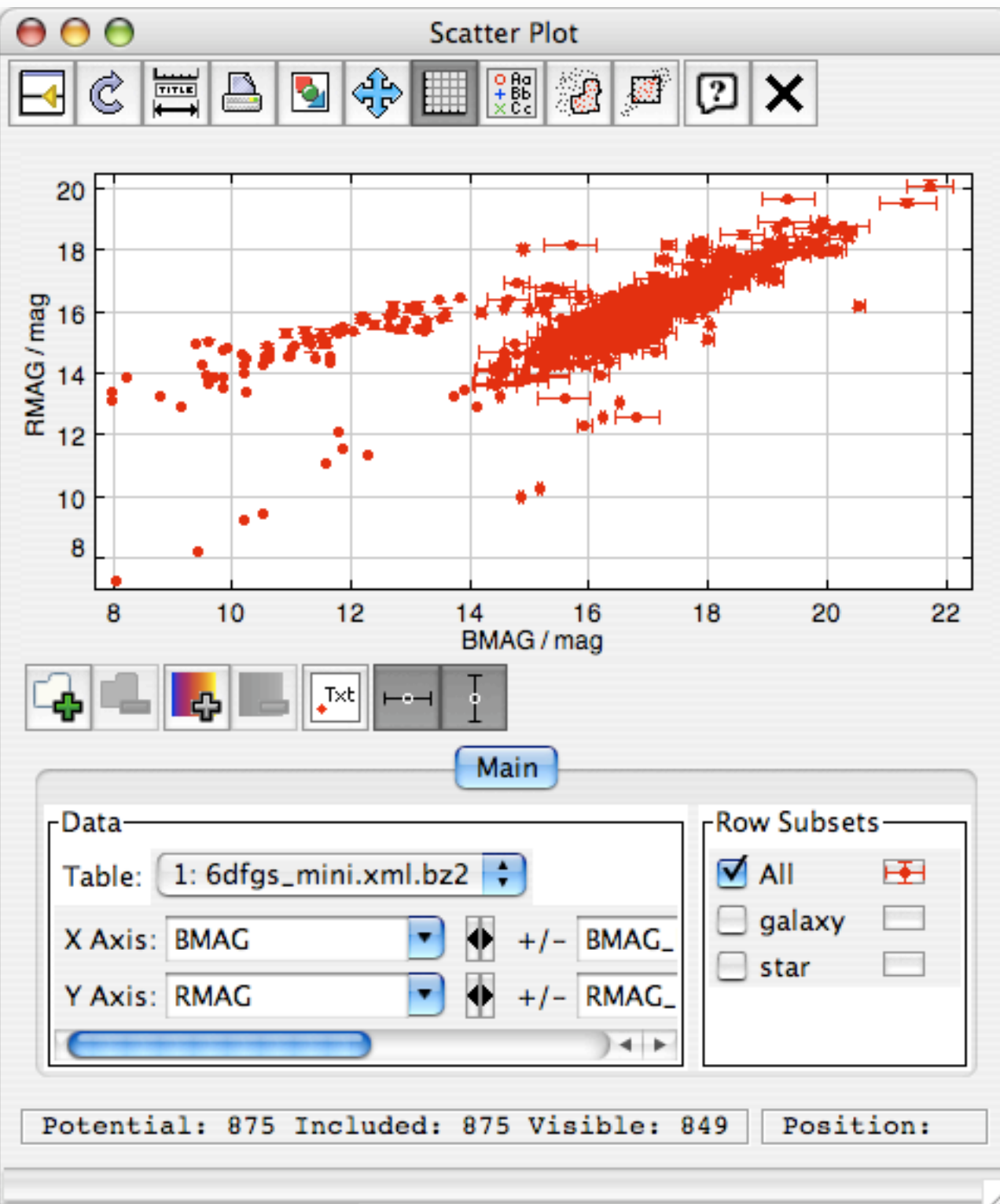


Table List

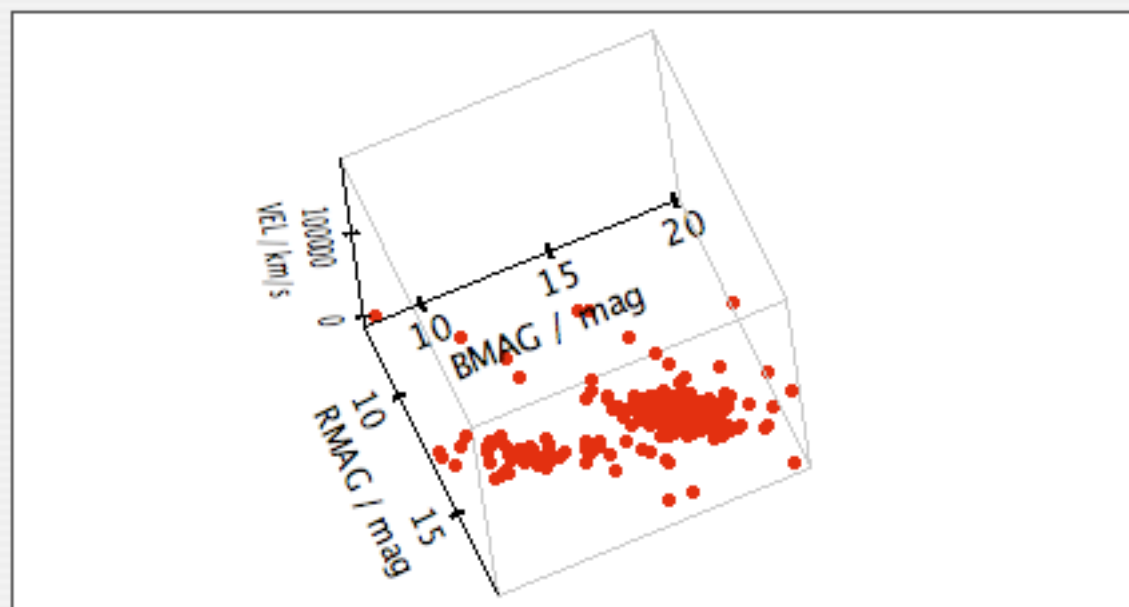
1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current

R

Activat

3D



Main

Data

Table: 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

X Axis: BMAG  Log

Y Axis: RMAG  Log

Z Axis: VEL  Log

Row Subsets

All

galaxy

star

Potential: 875 Included: 875 Visible: 335



# TOPCAT



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Activation Action:



## Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## Table Browser for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

	SGFLAG	galaxy	star	VEL	VEL_ERR	GAL_LONG	GAL_LAT
1	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	25482	5000	318.307	-61.5517
2	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			304.255	-32.3965
3	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	8514	4000	11.2328	-79.3746
4	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	6385	3950	307.605	-44.5303
5	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			312.637	-57.0657
6	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	10372	4000	28.441	-81.3329
7	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	26078	4000	327.409	-73.4069
8	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	7130	4000	92.9808	-73.1057
9	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			84.8265	-77.5191
10	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			309.073	-55.0615
11	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			304.348	-36.593
12	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	32554	4000	99.1738	-74.6882
13	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	24882	4000	110.268	-63.5474
14	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3553	200	106.286	-72.7337
15	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			308.598	-63.1813
16	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			113.849	-64.9378
17	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	11254	4000	112.817	-70.6809
18	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	35105	1900	51.8841	-87.269
19	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5989	4000	309.783	-74.677
20	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			104.589	-84.2521
21	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			305.412	-68.8892
22	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	17912	4000	323.16	-87.7827
23	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			302.989	-34.3338
24	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	37833	2500	301.159	-85.5352
25	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			301.565	-70.5046
26	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			125.216	-63.3838
27	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	16878	4000	128.858	-76.6203






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Row Subset:   
Activation Action:

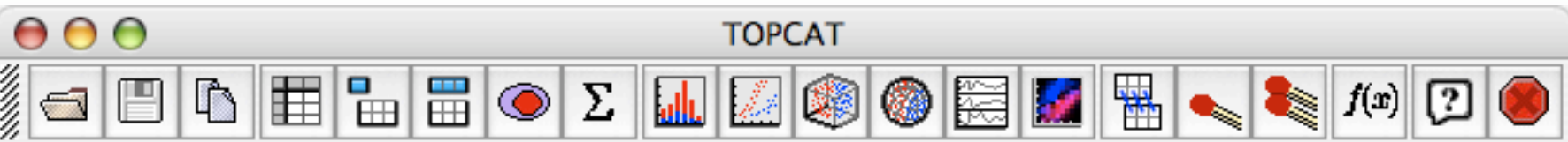


Table List

- 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources/...

TOPCAT(1): Table Parameters

Table Parameters for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Name	Value	Units	
Name	6dfgs_E7_subset		Table name
URL	jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources/Java/top...		URL of original tab
Column Count	17		Number of column
Row Count	875		Number of rows
Description	6dFGS master config file (version E7 March 2004) - DEMO SUBSET		
Original Source	http://www-wfau.roe.ac.uk/6dFGS/6dfgs_E7.fld.gz		URL of data file us
Credits	Column explanations provided by Mike Read (ROE) from 6dfGS pr...		
Conversion	Converted from 6dfgs_E7.fld.gz by Mark Taylor (Starlink) usin...		
RESOLUTION	15	arcsec	Nominal positional
Comment	Cut-down and messed around 6dfGS dataset for TOPCAT demo usage		



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Sort Order:   
Row Subset: All   
Activation Action: (no action)

## TOPCAT



## Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## Current Table Properties

Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## TOPCAT(1): Table Columns



## Table Columns for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

	Visible	Name	\$ID	Class	Units	Description
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Index	\$0	Long		Table row index
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TARGET	\$1	String		Target name
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA	\$2	String	HMS	Right Ascension J2000
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC	\$3	String	DMS	Declination J2000
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA2000	\$4	Double	degrees	Right Ascension J2000 (radiansToDegrees(hmsToRadians
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC2000	\$5	Double	degrees	Declination J2000 (radiansToDegrees(dmsToRadians(DEC
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG	\$6	Float	mag	SuperCOS Bj magnitude
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG_ERR	\$7	Float	mag	BMAG error (fake value for demo data)
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG	\$8	Float	mag	SuperCOS R magnitude
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG_ERR	\$9	Float	mag	RMAG error (fake value for demo data)
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGFLAG	\$10	Short		SuperCOS Star/Galaxy flag: 1=galaxy,2=star,3=unclass,4
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	galaxy	\$11	Boolean		Flag indicating a galaxy (sgflag==1)
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	star	\$12	Boolean		Flag indicating a star (sgflag==2)
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL	\$13	Integer	km/s	Velocity/redshift - some from literature ZCAT
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# Cone Search

## Columns

### Available Cone Search Services

shortName	title
2IBIS SGR	Second IBIS/ISGRI Soft Gamma-Ray Survey Catalog
2MASS-PSC(CDS)	2MASS All-Sky Point Source Catalog
2QZ	2dF QSO Redshift Survey. V. The 10k catalogue
A1	HEAO 1 A-1 X-Ray Source Catalog
A1POINT	HEAO 1 A1 Lightcurves
A2LED	HEAO 1 A-2 LED Catalog
A2PIC	HEAO 1 A-2 Piccinotti Catalog
A2POINT	HEAO 1 A2 Pointing
A3	HEAO 1 A3 MC LASS Catalog
A4	HEAO 1 A4 X-ray
AC2000.2	AC 2000.2 Catalogue
ACRS	Astrographic Catalog of Reference Stars

### Cone Search Parameters

Object Name:

RA:  degrees  (J2000)

Dec:  degrees  (J2000)

Radius:  degrees

## SIAP Query

## Columns

## Available SIAP Query Services

shortName	title
DSS1	Digitized Sky Survey: Version 1
EGRET	Energetic Gamma Ray Telescope (EGRET) All Sky Survey
EUVE	Extreme Ultraviolet Explorer All Sky Survey
ROSAT/PSPC	ROSAT PSPC Pointed Observations Mosaic
SFD IR	SFD IR and Dust Map Surveys
SkyView	SkyView Virtual Observatory
1420MHz	Bonn 1420 MHz Survey
2MASS	Two Micron All Sky Survey (H-Band)
2MASS ASKY AT	2MASS All-Sky Atlas Image Service
2MASS ASKYW AT	2MASS Full Survey Image Service
2MASS CAL AT	2MASS Calibration Image Service
2MASS QL	2MASS All-Sky Quicklook Image Service
2MASS SX AT	2MASS 6X Catalog Image Service
2MASS SXW AT	2MASS Full 6X Image Service
2cmVLBA	NRAO VLBA 2cm Survey

## SIAP Query Parameters

RA:  degrees Dec:  degrees Radius:  degrees 

Cancel

OK

SIAP Query

Columns

Available SIAP Query Services

shortName	
DSS1	Digitized Sky Survey: Version
EGRET	Energetic Gamma Ray Telesc
EUVE	Extreme Ultraviolet Explorer /
ROSAT/PSPC	ROSAT PSPC Pointed Observa
SFD IR	SFD IR and Dust Map Surveys
SkyView	SkyView Virtual Observatory
1420MHz	Bonn 1420 MHz Survey
2MASS	Two Micron All Sky Survey (H-Bar
2MASS ASKY AT	2MASS All-Sky Atlas Image Servic
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2MASS CAL AT	2MASS Calibration Image Service
2MASS QL	2MASS All-Sky Quicklook Image Service
2MASS SX AT	2MASS 6X Catalog Image Service
2MASS SXW AT	2MASS Full 6X Image Service
2cmVLRA	NRAO VLRA 2cm Survey

Registry Query

Registry:

Query:

Cancel OK

SIAP Query Parameters

RA:  degrees

Dec:  degrees

Radius:  degrees

Cancel OK

### SIAP Query

Columns

Available SIAP Query Services

shortName	
DSS1	Digitized Sky Survey: Version
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EUVE	Extreme Ultraviolet Explorer /
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2MASS CAL AT	2MASS Calibration Image Service
2MASS QL	2MASS All-Sky Quicklook Image Service
2MASS SX AT	2MASS 6X Catalog Image Service
2MASS SXW AT	2MASS Full 6X Image Service
2cmVLRA	NRAO VLRA 2cm Survey

SIAP Query Parameters

RA:  degrees

Dec:  degrees

Radius:  degrees

### Registry Query

Registry:

Query: All records

### GAVO Millennium Run Query

SampleQueries

Base URL:

User:

Password:

SQL Query: 

```
select DES.galaxyId as descendant_id,
  DES.stellarMass as descendant_mass,
  PROG.*
from millimil..DeLucia2006a DES,
  millimil..DeLucia2006a PROG
where DES.snapnum = 63
  and DES.mag_b < -20
  and PROG.galaxyId between DES.galaxyId and
  ES.lastprogenitorId
  and PROG.snapnum = 30
  and PROG.mag_b < -10
```

Cancel OK





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Row Subset:

Activation Action:

## TOPCAT

## TOPCAT(4): Table Columns

## Table Columns for 4: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

	Visible	Name	\$ID	Class	Units	Description
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Index	\$0	Long		Table row index
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TARGET	\$1	String		Target name
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA	\$2	String	HMS	Right Ascension J2000
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8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG	\$8	Float	mag	SuperCOS R magnitude
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG_ERR	\$9	Float	mag	RMAG error (fake value for demo data)
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGFLAG	\$10	Short		SuperCOS Star/Galaxy flag: 1=galaxy,2=star,3=unclass,4=
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	galaxy	\$11	Boolean		Flag indicating a galaxy (sgflag==1)
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16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GAL_LAT	\$16	Float	degrees	Galactic Latitude

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2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA	\$2	String	HMS	Right Ascension J2000
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC	\$3	String	DMS	Declination J2000

Sky Coordinate Columns

**Input Coordinates**

System:

Units:

Right Ascension:

Declination:

➤

**Output Coordinates**

System:

Units:

Right Ascension:

Declination:

TOPCAT

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3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC	\$3	String	DMS	Declination J2000

Sky Coordinate Columns

Input Coordinates

System:

- ✓ ICRS (Hipparcos)
- FK5 J2000.0
- FK4 B1950.0
- IAU 1958 Galactic
- de Vaucouleurs Supergalactic
- Ecliptic

Units:

Right Ascension:

Declination:

Output Coordinates

System:

ICRS (Hipparcos)

Units:

degrees

Right Ascension:

RAX

Declination:

DECx

OK

Cancel

TOPCAT

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Units:

Right Ascension:

Declination:

Output Coordinates

System:

ICRS (Hipparcos)

Units:

degrees

Right Ascension:

RAX

Declination:

DECx

OK

Cancel

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11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	galaxy	\$11	Boolean		Flag indicating a galaxy (sgflag==1)
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TOPCAT(4): Table Columns

Table Columns for [table name]

	Visible	
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ind
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TAR
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGF
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	gal
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	sta
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GA
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GA

Define Synthetic Column

**Name:** BMAG

**Expression:** \$6

**Units:** mag

**Description:** SuperCOS Bj magnitude

**UCD:** phot.mag;em.opt.B

**Index:** 6

OK Cancel

msToRadians(R.  
oRadians(DEC)))

r,3=unclass,4=

T  
data)

TOPCAT

TOPCAT(4): Table Columns

Table Columns for [table name]

	Visible	
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ind
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TA
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DE
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DE
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RM
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RM
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGF
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	gal
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	sta
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GA
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GA

Define Synthetic Column

Name: BMAG (AB)

Expression:  $B_6 + 0.07$

Units: mag

Description: SuperCOS Bj magnitude

UCD: phot.mag;em.opt.B

Index: 6

OK Cancel

msToRadians(R.  
oRadians(DEC)))

r,3=unclass,4=

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4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DE
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RM
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11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	gal
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15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GAL_LONG	\$15	Float	degrees	Galactic Longitude
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GAL_LAT	\$16	Float	degrees	Galactic Latitude

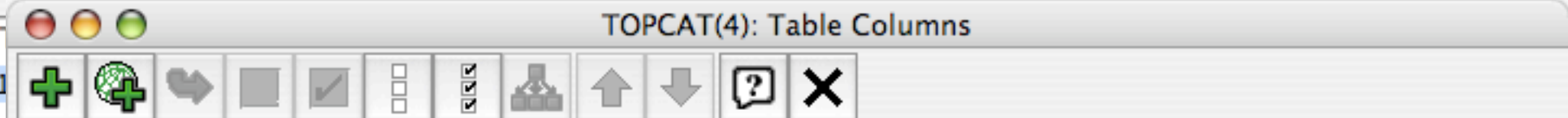
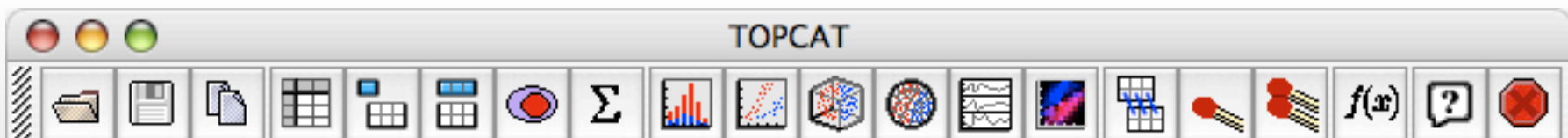


Table Columns for 4: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

	Visible	Name	\$ID	Class	Units	Expression	Description
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Index	\$0	Long			Table row index
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TARGET	\$1	String			Target name
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA	\$2	String	HMS		Right Ascension J2000
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC	\$3	String	DMS		Declination J2000
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA2000	\$4	Double	degrees		Right Ascension J2000 (radiansToDegrees(hmsT
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DEC2000	\$5	Double	degrees		Declination J2000 (radiansToDegrees(dmsToRa
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	BMAG	\$6	Float	mag		SuperCOS Bj magnitude
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG (AB)	\$18	Double	mag	$\$6+0.07$	SuperCOS Bj magnitude
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BMAG_ERR	\$7	Float	mag		BMAG error (fake value for demo data)
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG	\$8	Float	mag		SuperCOS R magnitude
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RMAG_ERR	\$9	Float	mag		RMAG error (fake value for demo data)
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGFLAG	\$10	Short			SuperCOS Star/Galaxy flag: 1=galaxy,2=star,3=
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	galaxy	\$11	Boolean			Flag indicating a galaxy (sgflag==1)
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	star	\$12	Boolean			Flag indicating a star (sgflag==2)
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL	\$13	Integer	km/s		Velocity/redshift - some from literature ZCAT
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL_ERR	\$14	Integer	km/s		Nominal velocity error (fake value for demo data)
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GAL_LONG	\$15	Float	degrees		Galactic Longitude

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TOPCAT(4): Table Columns

Table Columns for [table name]

	Visible	
0	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ind
1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	TA
2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DE
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RA
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DE
6	<input type="checkbox"/>	BM
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	BM
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RM
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	RM
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SGF
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	gal
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	sta
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	VEL
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	GA

Define Synthetic Column

Name: B-R

Expression: `$BMAG-RMAG`

Units:

Description:

UCD: no UCD

Index: 18

OK Cancel

Description

toDegrees(hmsTo

degrees(dmsToRa

data)

data)

galaxy,2=star,3=

=1)

)

temperature ZCAT

for demo data



# TOPCAT

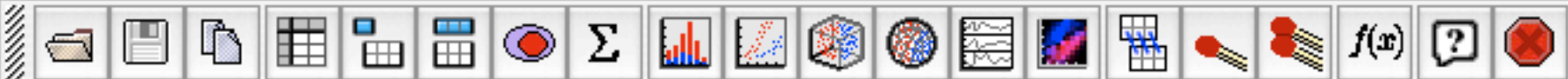


Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
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Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset


Rows: 875

Columns: 17

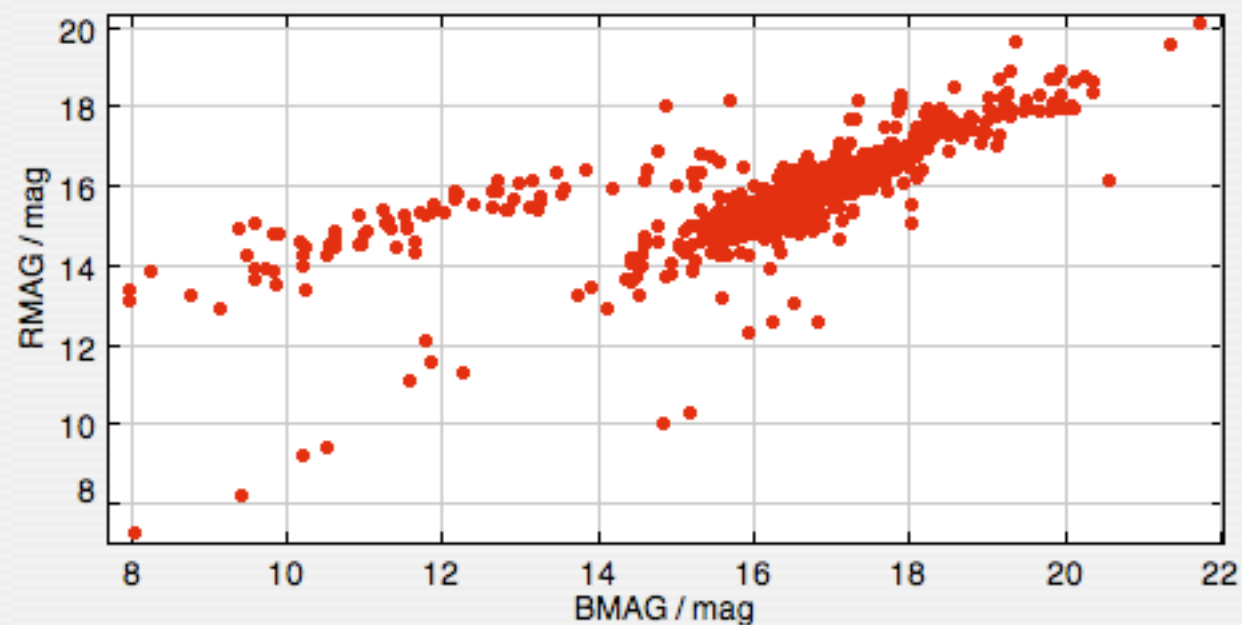
Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:



# Scatter Plot



Main

Data

Table: 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

X Axis: BMAG  Log

Y Axis: RMAG  Log

Row Subsets

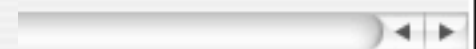
- All
- galaxy
- star

Potential: 875 Included: 875 Visible: 849

Position:



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# TOPCAT

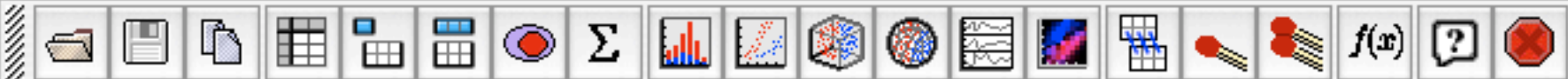


Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
-----------------------

Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset


Rows: 875

Columns: 17

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:



TOPCAT

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

TOPCAT(1): Row Subsets

Row Subsets for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

ID	Name	Size	Fraction	Col \$ID
_1	All	875	100%	
_2	galaxy	706	81%	\$11
_3	star	141	16%	\$12



TOPCAT

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

TOPCAT(1): Row Subsets

Row Subsets for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

ID	Name	Size	Fraction	Col \$ID
_1	All	875	100%	
_2	galaxy	706	81%	\$11
_3	star	141	16%	\$12

Define Row Subset

Subset Name:

Expression:

OK Cancel

TOPCAT

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

TOPCAT(1): Row Subsets

Row Subsets for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

ID	Name	Size	Fraction	Col \$ID
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_2	galaxy	706	81%	\$11
_3	star	141	16%	\$12

Define Row Subset

Subset Name:

Expression:

OK Cancel

TOPCAT

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

TOPCAT(1): Row Subsets

Row Subsets for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

ID	Name	Size	Fraction	Col \$ID
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_2	galaxy	706	81%	\$11
_3	star	141	16%	\$12

Define Row Subset

Subset Name:

Expression:

OK Cancel

TOPCAT

Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

TOPCAT(1): Row Subsets

Row Subsets for 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

ID	Name	Size	Fraction	Expression	Col \$ID
_1	All	875	100%		
_2	galaxy	706	81%		\$11
_3	star	141	16%		\$12
_4	bright_sample	38	4%	\$6<16 && \$8<14	

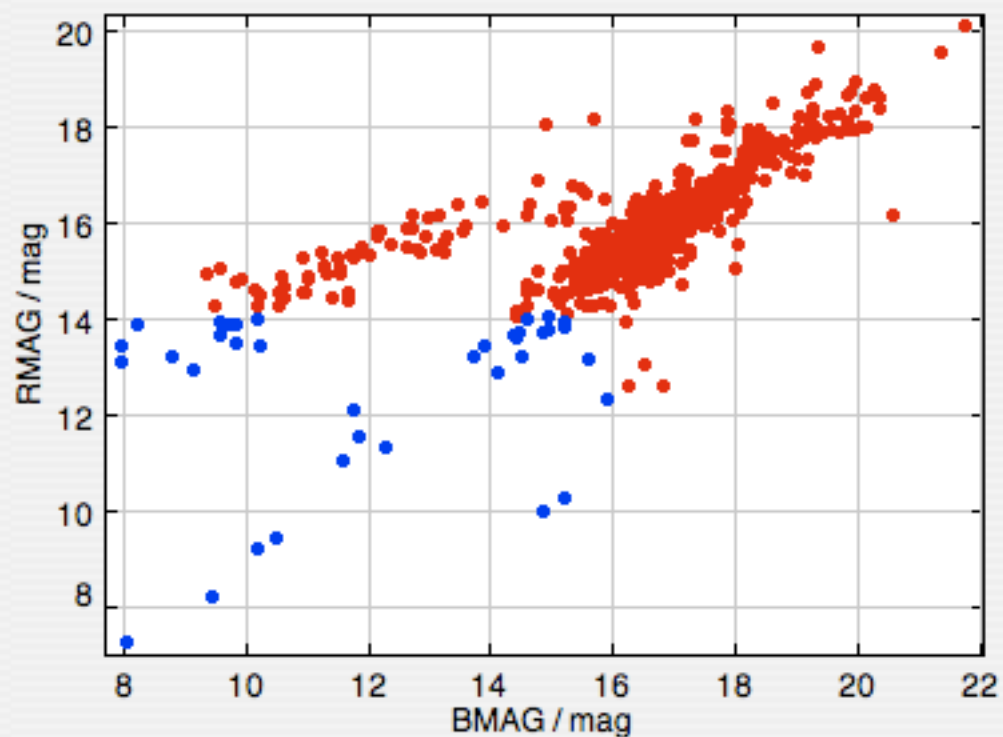
Define Row Subset

Subset Name: bright\_sample

Expression: \$6<16 && \$8<14

OK Cancel

Scatter Plot



- All
- bright\_sample



Main

Data

Table: 1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

X Axis: BMAG  Log  FI

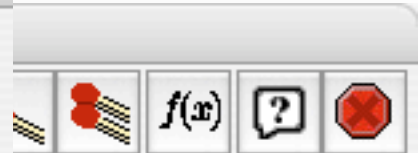
Y Axis: RMAG  Log  FI

Row Subsets

- All
- galaxy
- star
- bright\_sample

Potential: 875 Included: 875 Visible: 849

Position:



Subsets

on	Expression	Col SID
0%		
1%		\$11
6%		\$12
4%	\$6<16 && \$8<14	



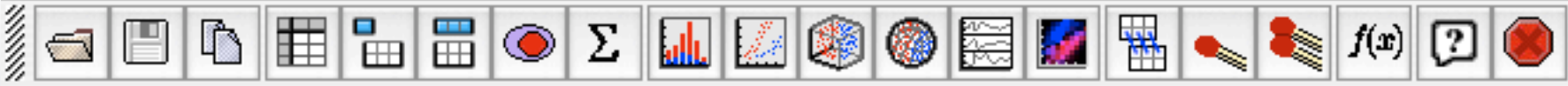


Table List

1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
4: USNO-B1
6: SDSS_EN1.vot
7: SDSS_EN2.vot

Current Table Properties


Label:

Location: /Users/evanthia/Desktop/SDSS\_EN2.vot

Name: ConeSearch?RA=240.0&DEC=40.0&SR=0.5

Rows: 5000

Columns: 24

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:

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Table List

- 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
- 4: USNO-B1
- 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot
- 7: SDSS\_EN2.vot

Current Table Properties

Label: SDSS  
Location: /User  
Name: Cone  
Rows: 5000  
Columns: 24  
Sort Order: ↑  
Row Subset: All  
Activation Action: (no)

Match Tables

Match Criteria

Algorithm: Sky

Max Error: 1.0 arcsec

Table 1

Table: [dropdown]

RA column: [dropdown] degrees

Dec column: [dropdown] degrees

Table 2

Table: [dropdown]

RA column: [dropdown] degrees

Dec column: [dropdown] degrees

Output Rows

Match Selection:  Best Match Only  All Matches

Join Type: 1 and 2

TOPCAT

Table List

- 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
- 4: USNO-B1
- 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot
- 7: SDSS\_EN2.vot

Current Table Properties

Label: SDSS  
Location: /User  
Name: Cone  
Rows: 5000  
Columns: 24  
Sort Order: ↑  
Row Subset: All  
Activation Action: (no)

Match Tables

Match Criteria

Algorithm: Sky  
Max Error: 1.0 arcsec

Table 1

Table: 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)  
RA column: RAJ2000 degrees  
Dec column: DEJ2000 degrees

Table 2

Table: 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot  
RA column: RA degrees  
Dec column: DEC degrees

Output Rows

Match Selection:  Best Match Only  All Matches  
Join Type: 1 and 2



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Table List

- 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
- 4: USNO-B1
- 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot
- 7: SDSS\_EN2.vot

Current Table Properties

Label: SD  
Location: /Us  
Name: Cor  
Rows: 500  
Columns: 24  
Sort Order: ↑  
Row Subset: All  
Activation Action: ( )

Algorithm: Sky

Max Error: 1.0 arcsec

Table 1

Table: 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)

RA column: RAJ2000 degrees

Dec column: DEJ2000 degrees

Table 2

Table: 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot

RA column: RA degrees

Dec column: DEC degrees

Output Rows

Match Selection:  Best Match Only  All Matches

Join Type: 1 and 2

- 1 and 2
- 1 or 2
- All from 1
- All from 2
- 1 not 2
- 2 not 1
- 1 xor 2

Go Stop

TOPCAT

Table List

- 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
- 4: USNO-B1
- 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot
- 7: SDSS\_EN2.vot

Current Table Properties

Label: SDSS  
 Location: /Users/...  
 Name: Correlation  
 Rows: 500  
 Columns: 24  
 Sort Order:

Row Subset: All  
 Activation Action: (None)

Algorithm: Sky

Max Error: 1.0 arcsec

Table 1

Table: 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)

RA column: RAJ2000 degrees

Dec column: DEJ2000 degrees

Table 2

Table: 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot

RA column: RA degrees

Dec column: DEC degrees

Rows

Action:  Best Match Only  All Matches

Match: **1 and 2**

- 1 or 2
- All from 1
- All from 2
- 1 not 2
- 2 not 1
- 1 xor 2

Go Stop

Match Successful

449 pairs found  
 New table created by match: 9: match(1,7) (449 rows)

OK

TOPCAT

arcsec

**Table List**

- 1: 2MASS-PSC(CDS)
- 4: USNO-B1
- 6: SDSS\_EN1.vot
- 7: SDSS\_EN2.vot
- 8: concat(6+7)
- 9: match(1,7)

**Current Table Properties**

Label: match(1,7)

Location: match(1,7)

Name: Joined

Rows: 449

Columns: 42

Sort Order: [dropdown]

Row Subset: All [dropdown]

Activation Action: (no action)

Match Successful

449 pairs found  
New table created by match: 9: match(1,7) (449 rows)

OK

Dec column: DEC [dropdown]    rees [dropdown]    degrees [dropdown]

rows

action:  Best Match Only     All Matches

[dropdown menu open]

- ✓ 1 and 2
- 1 or 2
- All from 1
- All from 2
- 1 not 2
- 2 not 1
- 1 xor 2

Go    Stop

## TOPCAT



## Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset

Rows: 875

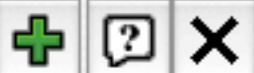
Columns: 17

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:





- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▶ Conversions
- ▶ Coords
- ▶ Distances
- ▶ Fluxes
- ▶ Formats
- ▶ Maths
- ▶ Strings
- ▶ Times
- ▼ **Activation Functions**
  - ▶ Output
  - ▶ System
  - ▶ Image
  - ▶ Spectrum
  - ▶ BasicImageDisplay
  - ▶ Sog
  - ▶ Browsers
  - ▶ Mgc
  - ▶ Sdss
  - ▶ SuperCosmos
  - ▶ TwoQZ

## Function Browser

Open tree nodes on the left by double-clicking to Select categories of functions. Clicking on the name of a function or constant will show details of its usage and semantics.



- ▼ Arithmetic
  - f()* abs( x )
  - f()* abs( x )
  - f()* max( a, b )
  - f()* max( a, b )
  - f()* min( a, b )
  - f()* min( a, b )
  - f()* round( x )
  - f()* roundDecimal( x, dp )
  - f()* roundDown( x )
  - f()* roundUp( x )
- ▶ Conversions
- ▶ Coords
- ▶ Distances
- ▶ Fluxes
- ▶ Formats
- ▶ Maths
- ▶ Strings
- ▶ Times
- ▼ **Activation Functions**
  - ▶ Output

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- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▼ Conversions
  - f()* fromHex( hexVal )
  - f()* parseByte( str )
  - f()* parseDouble( str )
  - f()* parseFloat( str )
  - f()* parseInt( str )
  - f()* parseLong( str )
  - f()* parseShort( str )
  - f()* toByte( value )
  - f()* toDouble( value )
  - f()* toFloat( value )
  - f()* toHex( value )
  - f()* toInteger( value )
  - f()* toLong( value )
  - f()* toShort( value )
  - f()* toString( value )
- ▶ Coords
- ▶ Distances
- ▶ Fluxes
- ▶ Formats

## Function Browser

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- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▶ Conversions
- ▼ Coords
  - f()* ARC\_MINUTE
  - f()* ARC\_SECOND
  - f()* DEGREE
  - f()* HOUR
  - f()* decFK4toFK5( raFK4, decFK4 )
  - f()* decFK4toFK5( raFK4, decFK4, bepoch )
  - f()* decFK5toFK4( raFK5, decFK5 )
  - f()* decFK5toFK4( raFK5, decFK5, bepoch )
  - f()* degreesToRadians( deg )
  - f()* dmsToRadians( dms )
  - f()* dmsToRadians( deg, min, sec )
  - f()* hmsToRadians( hms )
  - f()* hmsToRadians( hour, min, sec )
  - f()* hoursToRadians( hours )
  - f()* raFK4toFK5( raFK4, decFK4 )
  - f()* raFK4toFK5( raFK4, decFK4, bepoch )
  - f()* raFK5toFK4( raFK5, decFK5 )
  - f()* raFK5toFK4( raFK5, decFK5, bepoch )

## Function Browser

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- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▶ Conversions
- ▶ Coords
- ▼ Distances
  - Ⓒ METRE\_PER\_PARSEC
  - Ⓒ SEC\_PER\_YEAR
  - Ⓒ SPEED\_OF\_LIGHT
  - f()* MpcToM( distMpc )
  - f()* angularDiameterDistance( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* comovingDistanceL( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* comovingDistanceT( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* comovingVolume( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* lookbackTime( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* luminosityDistance( z, H0, omegaM, omegaLambda )
  - f()* mToMpc( distM )
  - f()* zToAge( z )
  - f()* zToDist( z )
- ▶ Fluxes
- ▶ Formats
- ▶ Maths
- ▶ Strings

## Function Browser

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## Fluxes

- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_B
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_Bj
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_I
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_Ic
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_R
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_Rc
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_V
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_g
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_gPrime
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_i
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_iPrime
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_r
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_rPrime
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_uPrime
- [C](#) JOHNSON\_AB\_zPrime
- [C](#) VEGA\_AB\_H
- [C](#) VEGA\_AB\_J
- [C](#) VEGA\_AB\_K
- [f\(\)](#) abToJansky( magAB )
- [f\(\)](#) fluxToLuminosity( flux, dist )

## Function Browser

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- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▶ Conversions
- ▶ Coords
- ▶ Distances
- ▶ Fluxes
- ▼ Formats
  - f()* formatDecimal( value, format )
  - f()* formatDecimal( value, dp )
  - f()* formatDecimalLocal( value, dp )
  - f()* formatDecimalLocal( value, format )
- ▶ Maths
- ▶ Strings
- ▶ Times
- ▼ **Activation Functions**
  - ▶ Output
  - ▶ System
  - ▶ Image
  - ▶ Spectrum
  - ▶ BasicImageDisplay
  - ▶ Sog
  - ▶ Browsers

## Function Browser

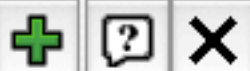
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- ▼ Maths
  - C* E
  - C* PI
  - C* RANDOM
  - f()* acos( x )
  - f()* acosh( x )
  - f()* asin( x )
  - f()* asinh( x )
  - f()* atan( x )
  - f()* atan2( y, x )
  - f()* atanh( x )
  - f()* cos( theta )
  - f()* cosh( x )
  - f()* exp( x )
  - f()* ln( x )
  - f()* log10( x )
  - f()* pow( a, b )
  - f()* sin( theta )
  - f()* sinh( x )
  - f()* sqrt( x )
  - f()* tan( theta )

## Function Browser

Open tree nodes on the left by double-clicking to Select categories of functions. Clicking on the name of a function or constant will show details of its usage and semantics.



- ▶ Maths
- ▼ Strings
  - f()* concat( s1, s2, s3 )
  - f()* concat( s1, s2, s3, s4 )
  - f()* concat( s1, s2 )
  - f()* contains( whole, sub )
  - f()* endsWith( whole, end )
  - f()* equals( s1, s2 )
  - f()* equalsIgnoreCase( s1, s2 )
  - f()* length( str )
  - f()* matchGroup( str, regex )
  - f()* matches( str, regex )
  - f()* padWithZeros( value, ndigit )
  - f()* replaceAll( str, regex, replacement )
  - f()* replaceFirst( str, regex, replacement )
  - f()* startsWith( whole, start )
  - f()* substring( str, startIndex, endIndex )
  - f()* substring( str, startIndex )
  - f()* toLowerCase( str )
  - f()* toUpperCase( str )
  - f()* trim( str )

## Function Browser

Open tree nodes on the left by double-clicking to Select categories of functions. Clicking on the name of a function or constant will show details of its usage and semantics.



Distances

Fluxes

Formats

Maths

Strings

Times

*f*( ) `besselianToMjd( besselianEpoch )`  
*f*( ) `dateToMjd( year, month, day )`  
*f*( ) `dateToMjd( year, month, day, hour, min, sec )`  
*f*( ) `decYearToMjd( decYear )`  
*f*( ) `formatMjd( mjd, format )`  
*f*( ) `isoToMjd( isoDate )`  
*f*( ) `julianToMjd( julianEpoch )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToBesselian( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToDate( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToDecYear( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToIso( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToJulian( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToTime( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `mjdToUnixMillis( mjd )`  
*f*( ) `unixMillisToMjd( unixMillis )`

## Function Browser

Open tree nodes on the left by double-clicking to Select categories of functions. Clicking on the name of a function or constant will show details of its usage and semantics.



- Distances
- Fluxes
- Formats
- Maths
- Strings
- Times
  - $f()$  `besselianToMjd( besselianEpoch )`
  - $f()$  `dateToMjd( year, month, day )`
  - $f()$  `dateToMjd( year, month, day, hour, min, sec )`
  - $f()$  `decYearToMjd( decYear )`
  - $f()$  `formatMjd( mjd, format )`
  - $f()$  `isoToMjd( isoDate )`
  - $f()$  `julianToMjd( julianEpoch )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToBesselian( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToDate( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToDecYear( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToIso( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToJulian( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToTime( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `mjdToUnixMillis( mjd )`
  - $f()$  `unixMillisToMjd( unixMillis )`

## Function `julianToMjd( julianEpoch )`

### Description:

Converts a Julian Epoch to Modified Julian Date. For approximate purposes, the argument of this routine consists of an integral part which gives the year AD and a fractional part which represents the distance through that year, so that for instance 2000.5 is approximately 1 July 2000.

### Parameters:

**`julianEpoch`** (*floating point*)  
Julian epoch

### Return Value (floating point):

modified Julian date

### Example:

`julianToMjd(2000.0) = 51544.5`

### Signature:

`double julianToMjd(double)`



- ▶ Arithmetic
- ▶ Conversions
- ▶ Coords
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  - ▶ BasicImageDisplay
  - ▶ Sog
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  - ▶ Sdss
  - ▶ SuperCosmos
  - ▶ TwoQZ

## Function Browser

Open tree nodes on the left by double-clicking to Select categories of functions. Clicking on the name of a function or constant will show details of its usage and semantics.



## TOPCAT



## Table List

1: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset

Rows: 875

Columns: 17

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:

Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
-----------------------

### Set Activation Action

$f(x)$  ? X

No Action

Display Cutout Image

View URL as Image

View URL as Spectrum

View URL as Web Page

Transmit Row

Transmit Coordinates

Execute Custom Code

Cutout Service: SuperCOSMOS All-Sky Blue

RA column: RA2000 degrees

Dec column: DEC2000 degrees

Width/Height in Pixels: 100 (0.67 arcsec)

Image Location column:

Spectrum Location column:

Web Page Location column:

Browser Type: basic browser

Target Application: All Listeners

RA Column: RA2000 degrees

Dec Column: DEC2000 degrees

Target Application: All Listeners

Executable Expression:


OK Cancel

Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
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### Set Activation Action

$f(x)$  ? X

  No Action

Display Cutout Image

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Web Page Location column:

Browser Type: basic browser

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Target Application: All Listeners

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RA Column: RA2000 degrees

Dec Column: DEC2000 degrees

Target Application: All Listeners

---

Executable Expression:


OK Cancel

Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
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### Set Activation Action

$f(x)$  ? X

  No Action

Display Cutout Image

View URL as Image

View URL as Spectrum

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Transmit Row

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Execute Custom Code

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Width/Height in Pixels: 100 (0.67 arcsec)

Image Location column:

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Browser Type: basic browser

Target Application: All Listeners

RA Column: RA2000 degrees

Dec Column: DEC2000 degrees

Target Application: All Listeners

Executable Expression:

OK Cancel



# TOPCAT

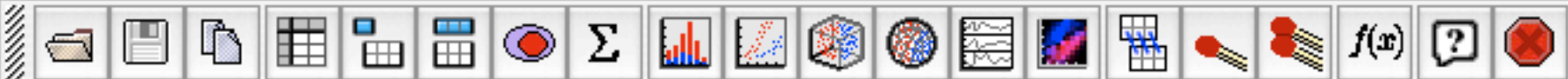


Table List

1: 6dfgs_mini.xml.bz2
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Current Table Properties


Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset


Rows: 875

Columns: 17

Sort Order: 

Row Subset:

Activation Action:



## TOPCAT



## Table List

4: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

## Current Table Properties

Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resources

Name: 6dfgs\_E7\_subset

Rows: 875 (706 apparent)

Columns: 18 (17 apparent)

Sort Order:  Row Subset: Activation Action:

TOPCAT

Table List

4: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Current Table Properties

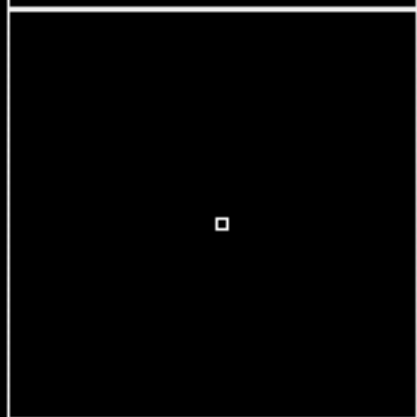
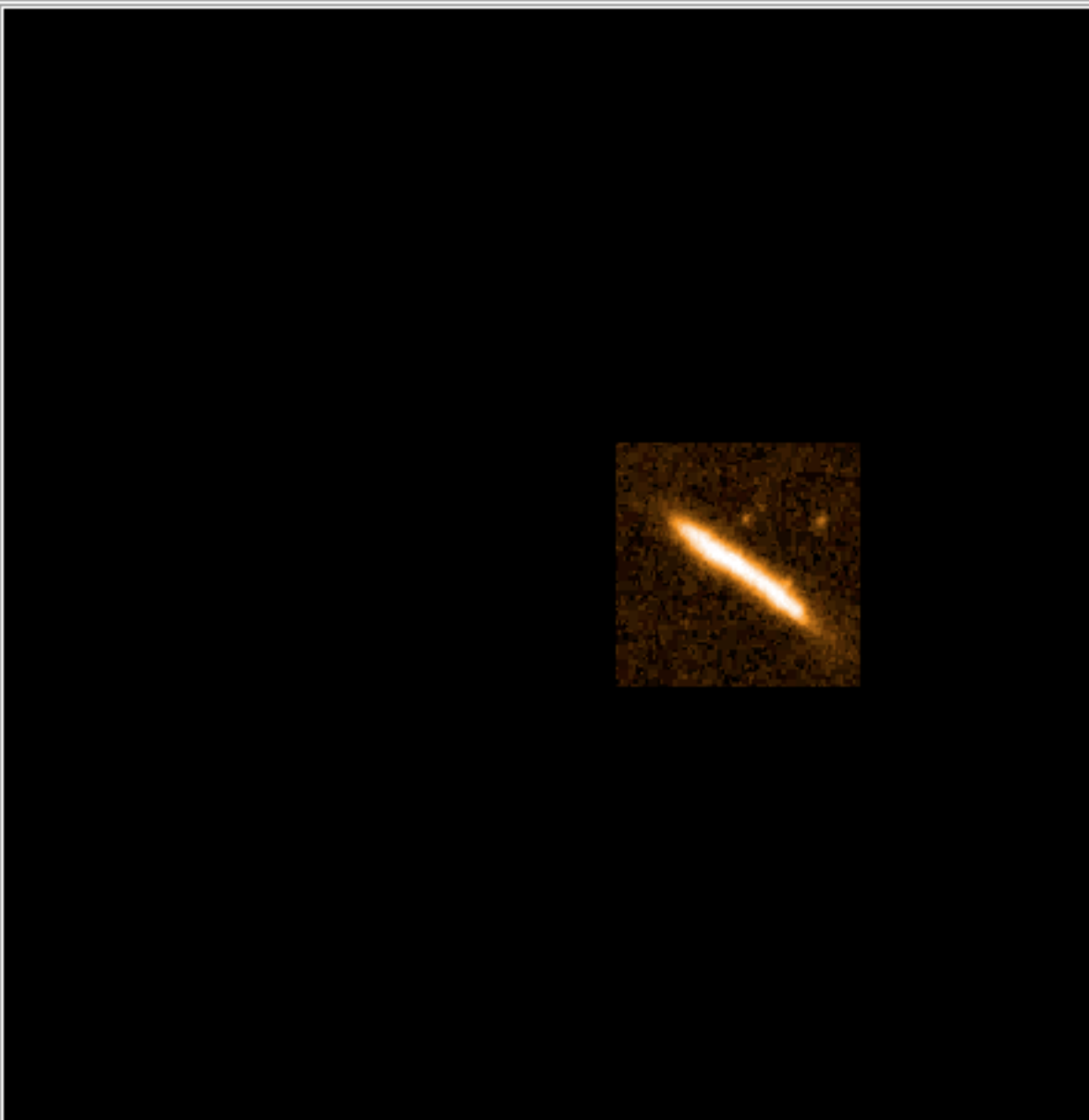
Label: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

Location: jar:file:/Applications/TOPCAT.app/Contents/Resc

TOPCAT(4): Table Browser

Table Browser for 4: 6dfgs\_mini.xml.bz2

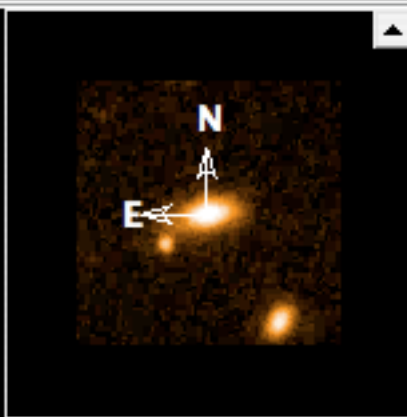
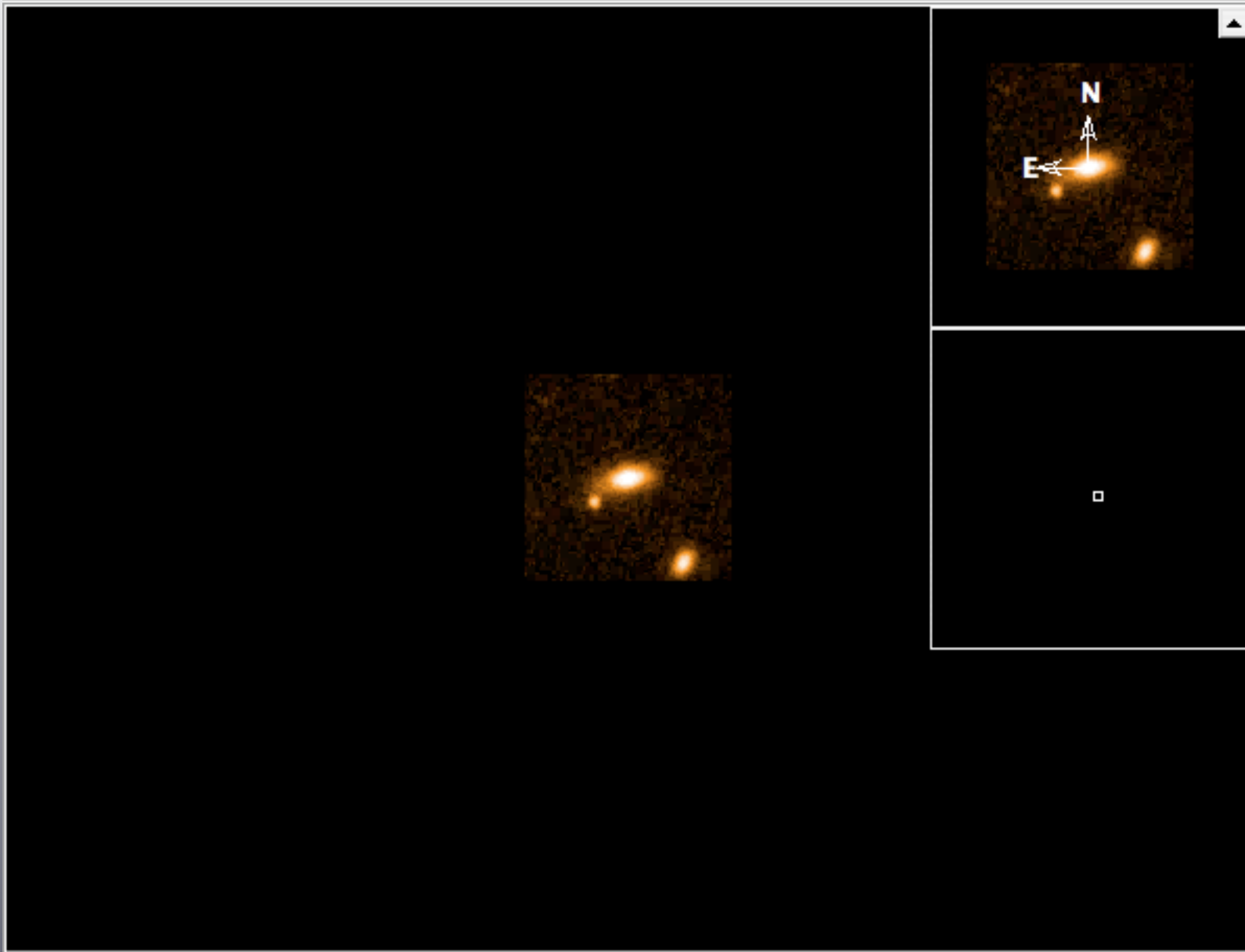
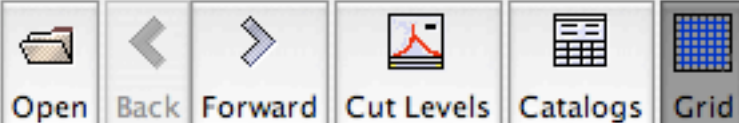
	TARGET	RA	DEC	RA2000	DEC2000	BMAG (AB)	BMAG
1	g0001434-540403	00:01:43.35	-54:04:03.0	0.43063	-54.0675	17.11	0.20
2	g0003330-843630	00:03:32.95	-84:36:29.7	0.88729	-84.60825	16.72	0.04
3	g0005313-303512	00:05:31.28	-30:35:11.6	1.38033	-30.58656	16.06	0.44
4	g0007379-721154	00:07:37.87	-72:11:53.8	1.90779	-72.19828	15.11	0.04
5	g0010060-591637	00:10:05.98	-59:16:36.8	2.52492	-59.27689	16.78	0.20
6	g0012267-272811	00:12:26.69	-27:28:10.6	3.11121	-27.46961	16.61	0.44
7	g0014497-415612	00:14:49.73	-41:56:12.2	3.70721	-41.93672	16.98	0.12
8	g0017171-121507	00:17:17.09	-12:15:06.6	4.32121	-12.25183	16.	0.04
9	g0019214-170521	00:19:21.36	-17:05:21.2	4.839	-17.08922	17.07	0.04
10	g0021438-614240	00:21:43.76	-61:42:40.1	5.43233	-61.71114	15.43	0.04
11	g0023562-802734	00:23:56.18	-80:27:34.2	5.98408	-80.4595	16.84	0.04
12	g0026219-125906	00:26:21.94	-12:59:05.5	6.59142	-12.98486	17.26	0.44
13	g0029010-011342	00:29:00.97	-01:13:41.9	7.25404	-1.22831	16.08	0.44
14	g0031357-103023	00:31:35.72	-10:30:22.7	7.89883	-10.50631	14.66	0.04
16	g0036052-022014	00:36:05.22	-02:20:13.5	9.02175	-2.33708	16.99	0.04
17	g0037589-080426	00:37:58.86	-08:04:26.1	9.49525	-8.07392	15.37	0.20
18	g0039553-261243	00:39:55.29	-26:12:43.2	9.98038	-26.212	16.98	0.20
20	g0041553-011500	00:41:55.29	-01:15:00.0	10.01500	-01.25000	16.04	0.20



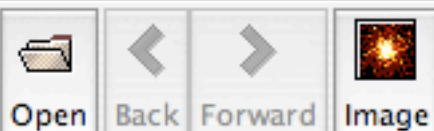
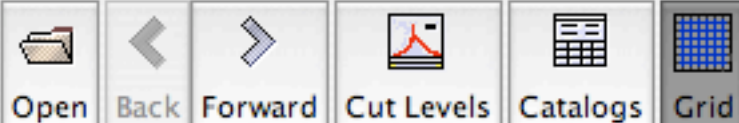
nts/Resc

BMAG (AB)	BMAG
17.11	0.20
16.72	0.04
16.06	0.44
15.11	0.04
16.78	0.20
16.61	0.44
16.98	0.12
16.	0.04
17.07	0.04
15.43	0.04
16.84	0.04
17.26	0.44
16.08	0.44
14.66	0.04
16.99	0.04
15.37	0.20
16.98	0.20
16.04	0.20





BMAG (AB)	BMAG
17.11	0.20
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15.43	0.04
16.84	0.04
17.26	0.44
16.08	0.44
14.66	0.04
16.99	0.04
15.37	0.20
16.98	0.20
16.04	0.20



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    - ABELL at CADC
    - GSC-2 at ESO
    - GSC-2 at STScI
    - Guide Star Catalog at CADC
    - Guide Star Catalog at ESO
    - USNO at CADC
    - USNO at ESO
    - QSO at CADC
    - RC3 at CADC

(Very few) things about SDSS &  
2MASS

# Sloan Digital Sky Survey (SDSS)

<http://www.sdss.org/>

The SDSS uses a dedicated, **2.5-meter** telescope on Apache Point, NM, equipped with two powerful special-purpose instruments. The **120-megapixel camera** can image **1.5 square degrees** of sky at a time, about eight times the area of the full moon. A pair of **spectrographs** fed by optical **fibers** can measure spectra of (and hence distances to) more than **600** galaxies and quasars in a single observation.

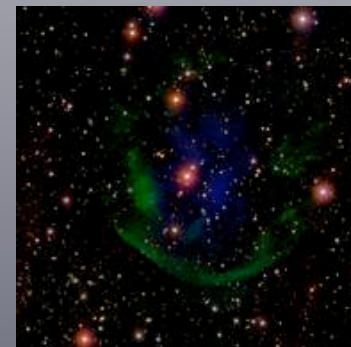
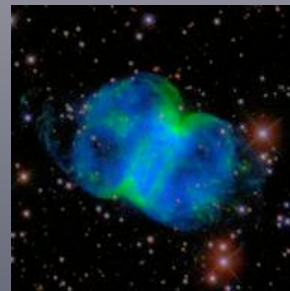
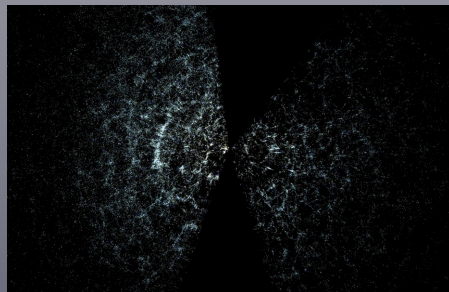
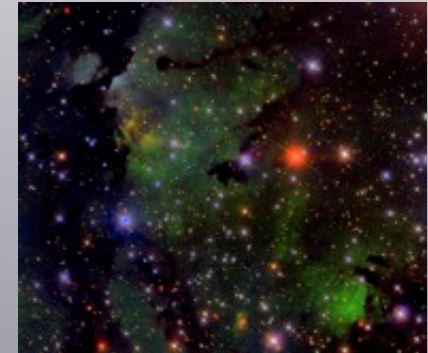
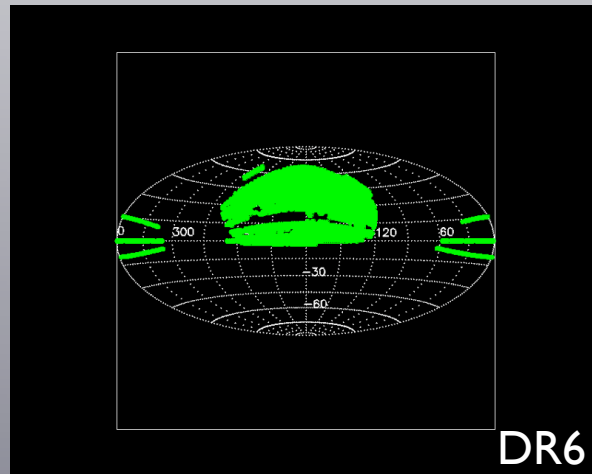
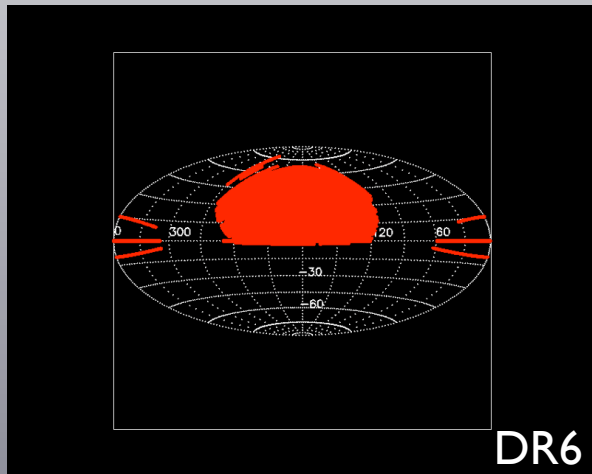
The survey was begun in 2000, and aims to map **25% of the sky** and obtain observations on around **100 million objects** and spectra for **1 million objects**. The main galaxy sample has a median redshift of **0.1**; there are redshifts for luminous red galaxies as far as  $z=0.4$ , and for quasars **beyond  $z=6$** .

Simultaneous imaging in 5 filters: ***u, g, r, i, z***

# Sloan Digital Sky Survey (SDSS)

<http://www.sdss.org/>

The SDSS completed its first phase of operations — SDSS-I — in June, 2005. Over the course of five years, SDSS-I imaged more than **8,000** square degrees of the sky in five bandpasses, detecting nearly **200 million** celestial objects, and it measured spectra of more than **675,000** galaxies, **90,000** quasars, and **185,000** stars.



# 2 Micron All Sky Survey (2MASS)

<http://www.ipac.caltech.edu/2mass/>

<http://pegasus.astro.umass.edu/>

Observations for the Two Micron All-Sky Survey (2MASS) began in 1997 and were completed in 2001 at **two telescopes** located one each in the northern and southern hemispheres (Mt. Hopkins Arizona and Cerro Tololo/CTIO Chile, respectively) to ensure coverage of the entire sky. The most ambitious project to map the night sky to date, the final (post-processing) data release for 2MASS occurred in 2003. The whole sky was covered using photometric system of three infrared wavebands around 2 micrometres ( $\mu\text{m}$ ): **J (1.25  $\mu\text{m}$ )**, **H (1.65  $\mu\text{m}$ )**, and **K<sub>s</sub> (2.17  $\mu\text{m}$ )**.

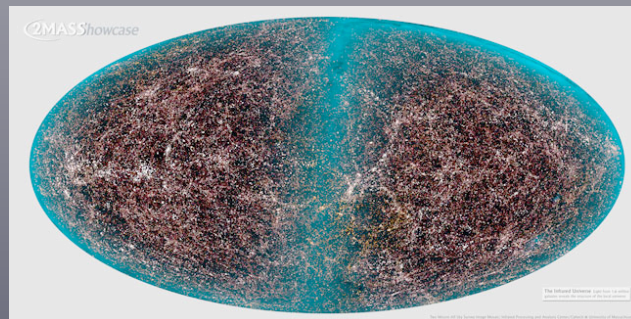
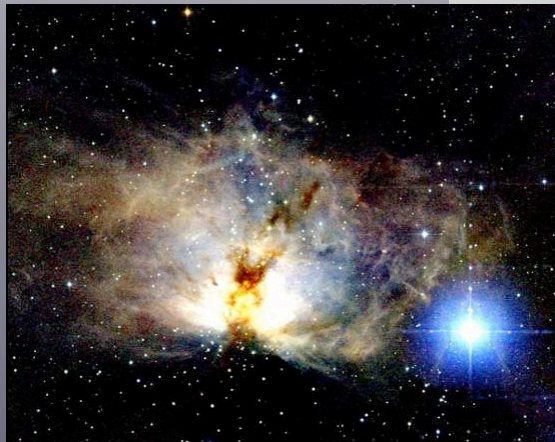
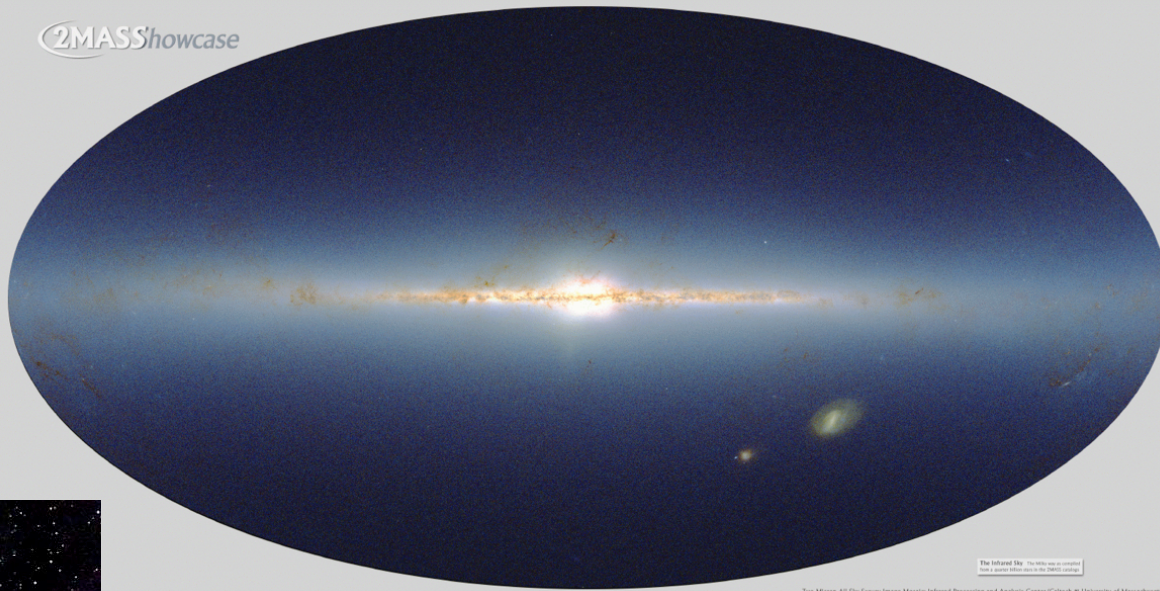
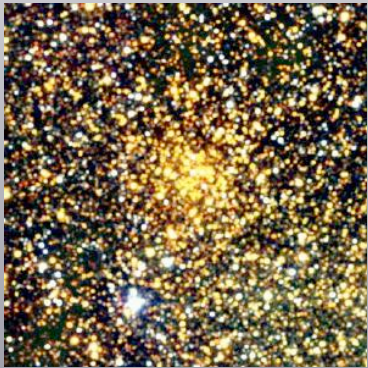
More than **300 million point** sources and **1 million extended** sources were catalogued.

# 2 Micron All Sky Survey (2MASS)

<http://www.ipac.caltech.edu/2mass/>

<http://pegasus.astro.umass.edu/>

2MASS Showcase



# A note about the magnitudes ...

(useful when one deals with catalogues)



# SDSS magnitudes

- **psfMag**, to be used for photometry of distant (i.e. isolated and point-like) quasars or for colours of stars
- **petroMag**, to be used for photometry of nearby galaxies
- **cmodel**, to be used for photometry of galaxies
- **model**, to be used for colours of galaxies (extended objects)

For a detailed description see:

<http://www.sdss.org/dr6/algorithms/photometry.html>

# 2MASS magnitudes

## PSC

- `j/h/k_m`, default magnitude, 4" radius aperture
- `j/h/k_m_stdap`, 'standard' aperture magnitude curve-of-growth corrected 4" radius

## XSC

- `j/h/k_m_k20fe`, `j/h/k_m_fe`, `j/h/k_m_ext`, `j/h/k_mnsurfb_eff`
- `j/h/k_m_k20fc`, `j/h/k_m_e`, `j/h/k_m_fc`, `j/h/k_m_i20e`, ...

[http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?  
submit=Select&projshort=2MASS](http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?submit=Select&projshort=2MASS)

# Accessing SDSS & 2MASS data through the standard interfaces

# SDSS Images

Data access - SDSS DR6

http://www.sdss.org/dr6/access/index.html

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### Tools for data access

DR6 data are distributed via the [Catalog Archive Server \(CAS\)](#), an SQL database with fast search capabilities, and the [Data Archive Server \(DAS\)](#), a collection of fits images and tables containing the outputs of the imaging and spectroscopic reduction pipelines. In addition, the SDSS collaboration has created catalogs and other data products based on public survey data that we link from our [Value Added Data Products](#) page.

### Catalog Archive Server (CAS) Search

#### Web interfaces

<a href="#">Catalog Archive Server (CAS)</a>	The Catalog Archive Server offers efficient search tools for querying the imaging and spectro catalogs from SDSS.
<a href="#">SEGUE Catalog Archive Server (SEGUE CAS)</a>	The SEGUE Catalog Archive Server offers an interface to the SEGUE imaging data (also available thru the CASJOBS interface)
<a href="#">Spectro Query Server</a>	Search spectra by position, or by spectral or photometric parameters. Retrieve survey files.
<a href="#">Imaging Query Server</a>	Search photometry catalog by position or by photometric parameters. Retrieve survey files.
<a href="#">SpecList</a>	Upload plate,MJD,fiber list as part of a SQL query
<a href="#">Imaging cross-ID</a>	Find SDSS matches for a list of objects.
<a href="#">SQL search</a>	Directly search the database using your own SQL queries (also see <a href="#">skyserver help pages</a> ).
<a href="#">CasJobs</a>	Use this batch job server for direct SQL searches of the database with generous timeout setting. Share result sets with your collaborators. Access to BEST, TARGET, SEGUE verions of sky.
<a href="#">Navigate</a>	Point and click on SDSS images.
<a href="#">Finding charts</a>	Generate jpeg finding charts from SDSS images.
<a href="#">Image lists</a>	Get jpeg cutouts of SDSS imaging for object lists with link to finding chart. Option to generate object list from SQL query.

# SDSS Images

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## DR6 Tools



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- Object Crossid
- CasJobs

## Imaging Query Form

Submit Request

Limit number of output rows (0 for unlimited) to

Output Format

HTML

XML

Please see the [Query Limits help page](#) for **timeouts** and **row limits**. To get FITS files from the [Data Archive Server \(DAS\)](#), save results to CSV file and upload it to [DAS retrieval form](#)

### Parameters to return

(Shift-mouse to select multiple contiguous entries, Ctrl-mouse to select non-contiguous entries)

Imaging

Spectroscopy

Filter (for DAS use)

- minimal
- typical
- radec
- model\_mags
- model\_magerrs

- TARGET Imaging
- BEST Imaging

- none
- minimal
- typical
- radec

u  g  r  i  z

Submit Request

### Position Constraints

min

ra

dec

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## DR6 Tools



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## Imaging Query Form

Submit Request Limit number of output rows (0 for unlimited) to  Reset Form

Output Format  HTML  XML  CSV

Please see the [Query Limits help page](#) for **timeouts** and **row limits**. To get FITS files from the [Data Archive Server \(DAS\)](#), save results to CSV to [DAS retrieval form](#)

### Parameters to return

(Shift-mouse to select multiple **contiguous** entries, Ctrl-mouse to select **non-contiguous** entries)

Imaging	Spectroscopy	Filter (for DAS use)
<input type="radio"/> TARGET Imaging <input checked="" type="radio"/> BEST Imaging	<input type="radio"/> none <input type="radio"/> minimal <input checked="" type="radio"/> typical <input type="radio"/> radecc	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> u <input type="checkbox"/> g <input type="checkbox"/> r <input type="checkbox"/> i <input type="checkbox"/> z

Submit Request Reset Form

### Position Constraints

Rectangle

min	ra	<input type="text"/>	dec	<input type="text"/>
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(max 10 square degrees)

# SDSS Data Archive Server: DR6

[Available Image Products](#) [Available Spectro Products](#) [DAS Users' Guide](#)

or, if you want to start again,

Step 1. Select one or more data products.

Data Product	File Description	run	rerun	camCol	filter	field	plate	MJD	fiberID	spRerun
<input type="checkbox"/> fpC	<a href="#">Corrected imaging frame</a>	X	X	X	X	X				
<input type="checkbox"/> fpBIN	<a href="#">Binned imaging frame</a>	X	X	X	X	X				
<input type="checkbox"/> fpM	<a href="#">Mask frame</a>	X	X	X	X	X				
<input type="checkbox"/> fpObjc	<a href="#">Catalog of Imaging Objects</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> fpAtlas	<a href="#">Atlas Images for a field</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> targetTsField	<a href="#">Target Summary for a field, target version</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> targetTsObj	<a href="#">Calibrated catalog for a field, target version</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> bestTsField	<a href="#">Target Summary for a field, best version</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> bestTsObj	<a href="#">Calibrated catalog for a field, best version</a>	X	X	X		X				
<input type="checkbox"/> tsObjFromMap	<a href="#">Calibrated catalog for targetted objects</a>						X	X		
<input type="checkbox"/> spPlate	<a href="#">extracted, calibrated spectra for a plate</a>						X	X		x
<input type="checkbox"/> spZbest	<a href="#">best fit spectroscopic classifications and redshifts</a>						X	X		x
<input type="checkbox"/> spZall	<a href="#">all fit spectroscopic classifications and redshifts</a>						X	X		x
<input type="checkbox"/> spZline	<a href="#">line fits</a>						X	X		x
<input type="checkbox"/> spSpec	<a href="#">One extracted, calibrated spectrum, with 1d parameters</a>						X	X	X	x
<input type="checkbox"/> spPlotGif	<a href="#">Plot of one spectrum (.gif)</a>						X	X	X	x
<input type="checkbox"/> spPlotPs	<a href="#">Plot of one spectrum (.ps.gz)</a>						X	X	X	x
<input type="checkbox"/> asTrans	<a href="#">Astrometric calibration</a>	X	X							
<input type="checkbox"/> asAlign	<a href="#">Astrometric alignment</a>	X	X	X						



asTrans[Astrometric calibration](#)

X X

 nfCalib[Photometric calibration](#)

X X X

**Data Product****File Description**

run rerun camCol filter field plate MJD fiberID spRerun

(\*) spRerun note: This parameter defaults to the best available spectro rerun. It does not usually need to be given.

Step 2. Create the "upload file" which describes the data you want to be downloaded by listing the parameters required, indicated in the table of Step 1.

The filename extension must be one of the following: .csv, .par, .tbl, .fit or .xml . Please refer to the [file specification section of the DAS users' guide](#) for details on the file format.

Step 3. Upload the object list, specifying the parameters required for the data products selected above.

Either select file to upload (created in Step 2)

or enter the CSV information below.

```
run,rerun,camcol,filter,field
1339,40,5,gri,75
```

Step 4. Select **one** of the following formats:

[wget](#)  rsync  tar.gz  tar  zip

Step 5.  to start again,

For a more detailed description of the data products, select information from the [Survey Interface File Formats](#), or see the description of the Early Data Release [Stoughton et al. [SDSS Early Data Release](#), AJ, 123, 485 (2002), §2.5.1].

**DP Version:** /export/usrdevel/neilsen/dp

# SDSS Catalogues

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "SDSS SkyServer DR6" with the URL "http://cas.sdss.org/astrodr6/en/". The browser's search bar contains "voservices". The website header features the SDSS logo and the text "Sloan Digital Sky Survey / SkyServer". A navigation menu includes links for Home, Tools, SQL Search, Schema, Finding Chart, Download, Projects, DR6, DAS, Site Search, and Help. A main banner image shows a galaxy. Below the navigation, a welcome message states: "Welcome to the DR6 Catalog Archive Server site providing public access to SDSS data for professional astronomers." A table lists available databases: BestDR6 (Default), SegueDR6, and TargDR6. A "News" section highlights that the site contains data from Data Release 6 (DR6) and provides links to Site News, What's New in DR6, and Known Problems. A code block shows a SQL query: "SELECT TOP 100 \* FROM TARGDR6..PhotoObj WHERE r<17 and r-i>2". The footer is organized into four columns: Search Tools, Advanced Tools, Links, and Help and Tutorials, each listing various resources and tools available on the site.

SDSS SkyServer DR6

http://cas.sdss.org/astrodr6/en/ voservices

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## Sloan Digital Sky Survey / SkyServer

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Welcome to the **DR6 Catalog Archive Server** site providing public access to SDSS data for professional astronomers.

The following databases are available

BestDR6	[Default] The best version photo (imaging), spectro and tiling data
SegueDR6	The SEGUE photo (imaging) data. See <a href="#">the SEGUE CAS site</a> .
TargDR6	The version of the data from which spectroscopic targets were chosen

**News**

This site contains data from **Data Release 6 (DR6)**. Please see the [Site News](#) page, [What's New in DR6](#) page and the [Known Problems](#) page for more information.

To run a query on one of the DR6 DBs other than **BESTDR6**, name the database explicitly in the query:

```
SELECT TOP 100 * FROM TARGDR6..PhotoObj WHERE r<17 and r-i>2
```

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# SDSS Catalogues

SkyServer DR6 Search

http://cas.sdss.org/astrodr6/en/tools/search/radial.asp

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## DR6 Tools

## Radial Search

NOTE: To be fair to other users, queries run from SkyServer search tools are restricted in how long they can run and how much output they return, by **timeouts** and **row limits**. Please see the [Query Limits help page](#). To run a query that is not restricted by a timeout or number of rows returned, please use the [CasJobs batch query service](#).

ra	240.0
dec	52.0
radius [arcmins]	10.0

	Min		Max
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	u	20
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	g	20
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	r	20
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	i	20
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	z	20

Submit Return:  all rows  max 10


Format:  HTML  CSV

Reset

Enter the **ra** and **dec** either in degrees or in h:m:s, d:m:s notation. The search **radius** is measured in arcminutes. Check the magnitudes you would like to constrain in your query. If you prefer not to use specific attributes, leave those rows unchecked. (If you do not insert constraints and select all entries, you will receive many records.)

# Remember the magnitudes?

	Visible	Name	\$ID	Class	Description
4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	camcol	\$4	Short	
5	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	field	\$5	Short	
6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	obj	\$6	Short	
7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	type	\$7	Short	
8	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	ra	\$8	Double	
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	dec	\$9	Double	
10	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	u	\$10	Double	
11	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	g	\$11	Double	
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	r	\$12	Double	
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	i	\$13	Double	
14	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	z	\$14	Double	
15	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Err_u	\$15	Double	
16	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Err_g	\$16	Double	
17	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Err_r	\$17	Double	



# SDSS Spectra

Same procedure as with images:  
create a CSV file with spectro info  
load it into the DAS retrieval form  
save the fits files locally  
send them to a tool

...

OR

VO Services Website: <http://www.voservices.org>  
Spectrum Services

- ▶ Object search
- ▶ ID search
- ▶ Cone search
- ▶ Advanced search
- ▶ Model search
- ▶ SQL search
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Hey, but this is already going  
Virtual!

# 2MASS from Gator

[http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?  
submit=Select&projshort=2MASS](http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?submit=Select&projshort=2MASS)

# 2MASS from Gator

<http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?submit=Select&projshort=2MASS>

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CATALOG SELECTION: 2MASS

2MASS All-Sky Release Database <span>Select</span>				
Selection	Descriptions	# Columns	# Rows	Information
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	2MASS All-Sky Point Source Catalog (PSC)	127	470992970	<a href="#">i</a>
<input type="radio"/>	2MASS All-Sky Extended Source Catalog (XSC)	423	1647599	<a href="#">i</a>
<input type="radio"/>	The 2MASS Large Galaxy Atlas	88	655	<a href="#">i</a>
<input type="radio"/>	2MASS All-Sky Survey Scan Info <a href="#">Read Me!</a>	68	59731	<a href="#">i</a>
<input type="radio"/>	2MASS All-Sky Survey Atlas Image Info	134	1373813	<a href="#">i</a>

# 2MASS from Gator

[http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?  
submit=Select&projshort=2MASS](http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?submit=Select&projshort=2MASS)

The screenshot shows the 'SPATIAL CONSTRAINTS' section of the Gator web interface. On the left is a vertical navigation menu with categories like 'OASIS Visualizer', 'Image Validation', and 'Data Sets'. The 'Data Sets' section is expanded to show '2MASS'. The main content area is titled 'SPATIAL CONSTRAINTS' and contains three search methods: 'SINGLE OBJECT SEARCH', 'MULTI-OBJECT SEARCH', and 'ALL-SKY SEARCH'. The 'SINGLE OBJECT SEARCH' section includes a text input for 'Coordinate or Object Name', a list of 'Examples' (e.g., '289.3848 11.9674 eq | 46.5377 -0.2518 gal'), and three search options: 'Cone' (selected), 'Box', and 'Polygon'. The 'Cone' option has fields for 'Radius' (10), a unit dropdown (arcsec), 'PA', and 'Axial Ratio'. The 'MULTI-OBJECT SEARCH' section has an 'Upload Table' option with a 'Choose File' button and a note 'no file selected'. It also includes a 'Cone Search Radius' field and a unit dropdown. The 'ALL-SKY SEARCH' section has a 'No Spatial Constraints' option.

**SPATIAL CONSTRAINTS**

SINGLE OBJECT SEARCH

Coordinate or Object Name:

*Examples:*  
289.3848 11.9674 eq | 46.5377 -0.2518 gal  
19h17m32s 11d58m02s Equ J2000 | M 31

Search Method (choose one):

**Cone:** Radius   PA  Axial Ratio   
(0<Radius≤3600 arcsec)

**Box:** Size:  arcsec  
(0<Size≤7200)

**Polygon:** Vertices:

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MULTI-OBJECT SEARCH

Upload Table:  no file selected  
(0<Radius≤300 arcsec)  
New Table? [Verify that it obeys the formatting rules](#)

Cone Search Radius:   PA  Axial Ratio

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ALL-SKY SEARCH

No Spatial Constraints

**OPTIONS**



# 2MASS from Gator

<http://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/cgi-bin/Gator/nph-scan?submit=Select&projshort=2MASS>

COLUMN CONSTRAINTS/OUTPUT COLUMN SELECTION

Table Selection		Sexagesimal Output			Calculate Colors		
<input type="radio"/> Standard <input type="radio"/> Long Form		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Name	Description	Sel	Low Limit (include >≥,=)	Up Limit (include <≤,=)	Units	Indx	DBType
<a href="#">ra</a>	right ascension (J2000 decimal deg)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	deg		decimal(9,6)
<a href="#">dec</a>	declination (J2000 decimal deg)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	deg	X	decimal(8,6)
<a href="#">err_maj</a>	major axis of 1-sigma error ellipse	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	arcsec		decimal(3,2)
<a href="#">err_min</a>	minor axis of 1-sigma error ellipse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	arcsec		decimal(3,2)
<a href="#">err_ang</a>	angle of error ellipse major axis (E of N)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	deg		smallint
<a href="#">designation</a>	source designation formed from sexagesimal coordinates	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>			char(17)
<a href="#">j_m</a>	J band selected "default" magnitude	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(5,3)
<a href="#">j_cmsig</a>	corrected J band photometric uncertainty	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(4,3)
<a href="#">j_msigcom</a>	combined (total) J band photometric uncertainty	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(4,3)
<a href="#">j_snr</a>	J band "scan" signal-to-noise ratio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>			decimal(9,1)
<a href="#">h_m</a>	H band selected "default" magnitude	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(5,3)
<a href="#">h_cmsig</a>	corrected H band photometric uncertainty	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(4,3)
<a href="#">h_msigcom</a>	combined (total) H band photometric uncertainty	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	mag		decimal(4,3)
<a href="#">h_snr</a>	H band "scan" signal-to-noise ratio	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>			decimal(9,1)

# Accessing SDSS & 2MASS data through the VO

# Aladin, TOPCAT, VOdesktop

in the directory ~/voexercise there are 3 jar files:  
*Aladin.jar*, *topcat\_full.jar* and *vodesktop-2008.1-app.jar*

to launch any of them:  
java -jar filename.jar

if you think you need more memory:  
java -Xmx512M -jar filename.jar

try them!

## Accessing SDSS images & catalogues:

launch VOdesktop

(\*first\* launch VOdesktop and then the other applications, aka "VO hazards")

New Smart List -> Any main field contains SDSS

Create

Select, eg, The SDSS Photometric Catalogue, Release 6

Query (241.5163, 55.4252, 0.233) -> Search

options: send tables to Aladin; send tables to TOPCAT

Select Sloan Digital Sky Survey DR5 - Images

Query -> Search -> right-click on "Sloan Digital Sky Survey DR5" inside Astroscope

View as Service Table -> Select a fits file -> right-click and send to Aladin

## Accessing SDSS (2MASS) images:

(launch Aladin & TOPCAT)

in Aladin: load -> Sloan (SkyView) -> 16 00 00 52 00 00, in 14' - submit  
select images and send to Aladin main window

RGB

load SDSS catalogue in the same area

...

TOCAP can also query SIAPs - try it:

in TOPCAT load -> DataSources -> SIAP query -> SDSS (2MASS) send catalogue to Aladin

...

OR

if you want to have a quick look at your sources with TOPCAT

Activation Action -> Display Cutout Image -> Select -> OK

by clicking on any entry of your table, a customized cutout will pop-up

## Accessing SDSS & 2MASS catalogues:

(launch Aladin & TOPCAT)

in Aladin: load -> Vizier (or all VO) -> 16 00 00 52 00 00, in 14', optical

SDSS DR6 - submit

right-click -> broadcast to TOPCAT

view table with TOPCAT

check columns - which magnitudes are there?

repeat with 2MASS PSC, same target, IR

send to TOPCAT, check columns

cross-match: can be done either with Aladin or TOPCAT

in TOPCAT load -> DataSources -> Cone Search -> query SDSS DR6 on the same position,

repeat with 2MASS PSC, check columns etc

## Multiple queries from SDSS & 2MASS catalogues:

So far we only dealt with a search around one position;  
what if we need to find SDSS and/or 2MASS photometry for a list of objects?

Scripting within the VO environment is feasible

One way is using python scripts (e.g. `conesearch_test.py` in `~/voexercise`)

you need: conesearch\_test.py; VOTable.py; a VOTable of your choice

```
conesearch_test.py:
```

```
# SETUP VARIABLES
```

```
...
```

```
# search radius
```

```
radius= 0.01
```

```
# list of registries we will use
```

```
cones = [  
    "ivo://sdss.jhu/services/DR4CONE"  
    , "ivo://irsa.ipac/2MASS-PSC"  
    , "ivo://ned.ipac/Basic_Data_Near_Position"  
    ]
```

```
# required columns:
```

```
nameCol = vot.getColumnIdx('Name')
```

```
raCol = vot.getColumnIdx('RAJ2000')
```

```
decCol = vot.getColumnIdx('DECJ2000')
```



to create a VOTable:

start from an ascii file containing a list of sources (coordinates and a column name are a must) and a header that looks like

```
# Name, RAJ2000, DECJ2000 ... (they have to match the column names defined in the script)
```

Load the ascii file into TOPCAT and save as VOTable

conesearch.py can be modified, changing the registries to be queried and the search radius. As it is, it queries the SDSS DR4, the 2MASS XSC and NED.

Try it:

launch VOdesktop (Astro RunTime runs at the background)

```
> python conesearch_test.py
```

select you VOTable from the pop-up window

the script will create a directory per source; explore the contents with TOPCAT

to query other resources, try to find the ivo identifiers and replace them in the script:

- ESA VO registry: <http://esavo.esa.int/registry/>
- NVO registry: <http://nvo.stsci.edu/VORegistry/index.aspx>
- AstroGrid registry: <http://registry.astrogrid.org/astrogrid-registry/>

# list of registries we will use

```
cones = [  
    "ivo://sdss.jhu/services/DR4CONE"  
    , "ivo://irsa.ipac/2MASS-PSC"  
    , "ivo://ned.ipac/Basic_Data_Near_Position"  
]
```

<http://www.euro-vo.org/pub/>

# EURO



The Euro-VO projects:

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## The European Virtual Observatory EURO-VO

The EURO-VO project aims at deploying an operational Virtual Observatory (VO) in Europe. Its objectives are technology take-up and VO compliant resource provision, building the technical infrastructure and to support its utilization by the scientific community.

### From AVO to EURO-VO

The *Astrophysical Virtual Observatory (AVO)* together with further national VO projects created the foundations of a regional-scale infrastructure by conducting a research and demonstration programme on the VO scientific requirements and technologies. AVO was a collaborative project of European organizations in 2002-2004 and was jointly funded by the European Commission under the 5th Framework Programme (HPRI-CT-2001-50030). The EURO-VO work programme is the logical next step from AVO as a Phase-B deployment of an operational VO in Europe.

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**NEW!** [Census of the European astronomical data centers](#)

The EURO-VO Data Centre Alliance project (<http://www.euro-vo.org/pub/dca/overview.html>) is a Coordination Action funded by the European Commission within the Sixth Framework Program. It aims at helping European astronomical data centres to publish their data and services in the Virtual Observatory, using standards defined by the International Virtual Observatory Alliance (IVOA). EuroVO-DCA operates by coordinating the sharing of expertise, organizing Workshops, and providing assistance, in



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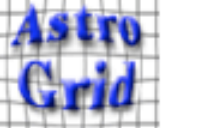



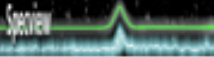


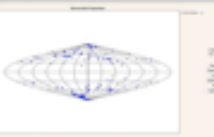
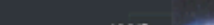
IVOA Standards →

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	Tool/Description	Version	Download/Launch
<b>DATA DISCOVERY</b>			
	<b>Aladin:</b> An interactive software sky atlas allowing the user to visualize digitized images of any part of the sky, to superimpose entries from astronomical catalogs	V5 (February 2008)	<a href="#">Standalone version</a>
	<b>Workbench:</b> A desktop application for working with the Virtual Observatory. It can explore data resources, query remote catalogs, and construct workflows to automate tasks.	2007.1.1	<a href="#">Download Page</a>
	<b>Datascope:</b> A Web Service for discovering and exploring data in the Virtual Observatory from archives and data centres around the world.	V2.1 (March 2007)	<a href="#">Web Service</a>
<b>SPECTRAL ANALYSIS</b>			
	<b>VOSpec:</b> A multiwavelength spectra analysis tool, with access to both Spectral services (SSAP) and Theoretical Spectral services (TSAP).	V3.0	<a href="#">Launch java applet</a>
	<b>SPLAT:</b> A spectra analysis tool.	Version: 3.8-5	<a href="#">Download Page</a>
	<b>Specview:</b> 1-D spectral visualization and analysis	2.14.1	<a href="#">Download Page or Run Applet</a>
	<b>Euro3D:</b> Analyse datasets in Euro3D FITS format.		<a href="#">Launch Java Webstart or Java applet</a>
<b>DATA VISUALISATION AND DATA HANDLING</b>			
	<b>Topcat:</b> An interactive graphical viewer and editor for tabular data. It understands a number of different astronomically important formats (including FITS and VOTable) and more formats can be added.	3.2 (January 2008)	<a href="#">Download Page</a>
	<b>VOPlot:</b> A tool to visualise astronomical data.	1.4.1 Beta	<a href="#">Download Page</a>
	<b>VisIVO:</b> A visualisation and analysis software for astrophysical data.		