

This document contains the model plots and the time budget calculations for the **3-filter strategies** for the LSST ToO program, as discussed in the Europe+Asia+Africa discussion calls during the workshop.

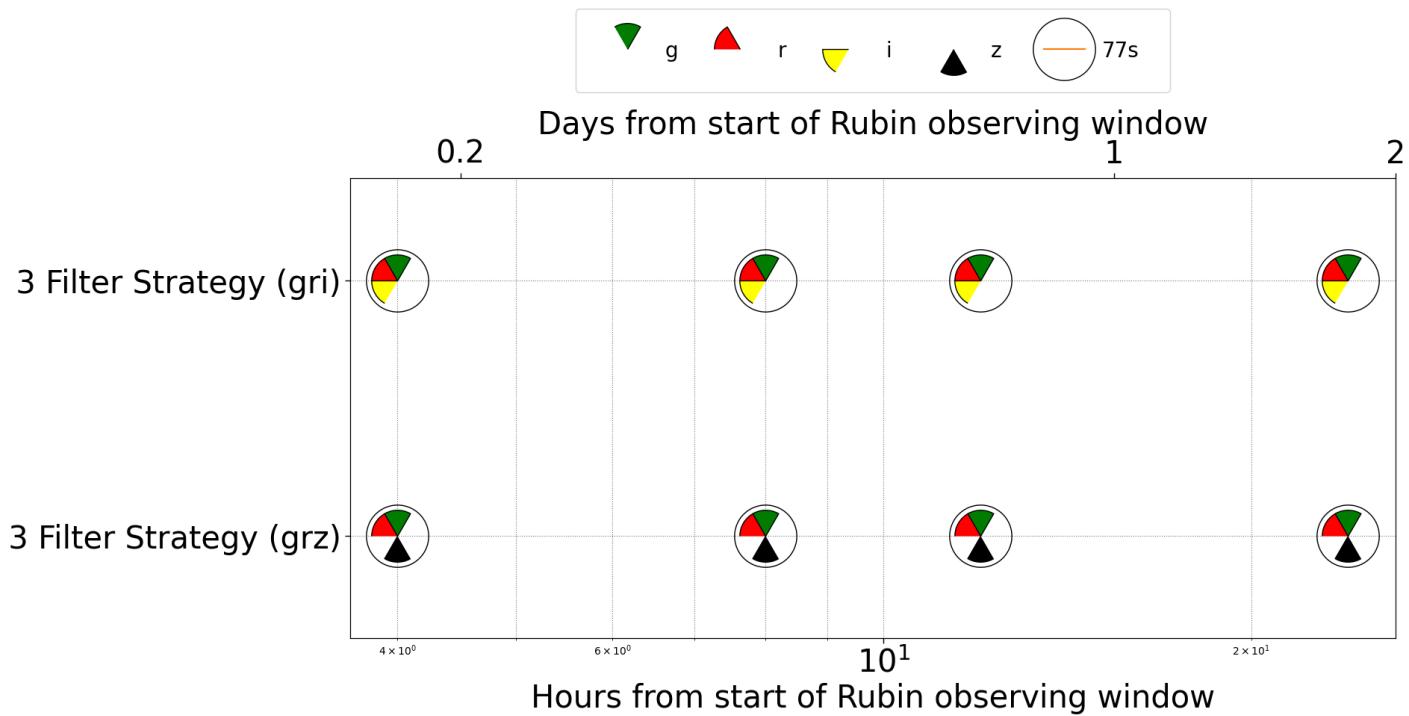
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Epochs - 3 visits on a single night, followed by two epochs after $t_0 + 1$ day

Science Case considered - BNS

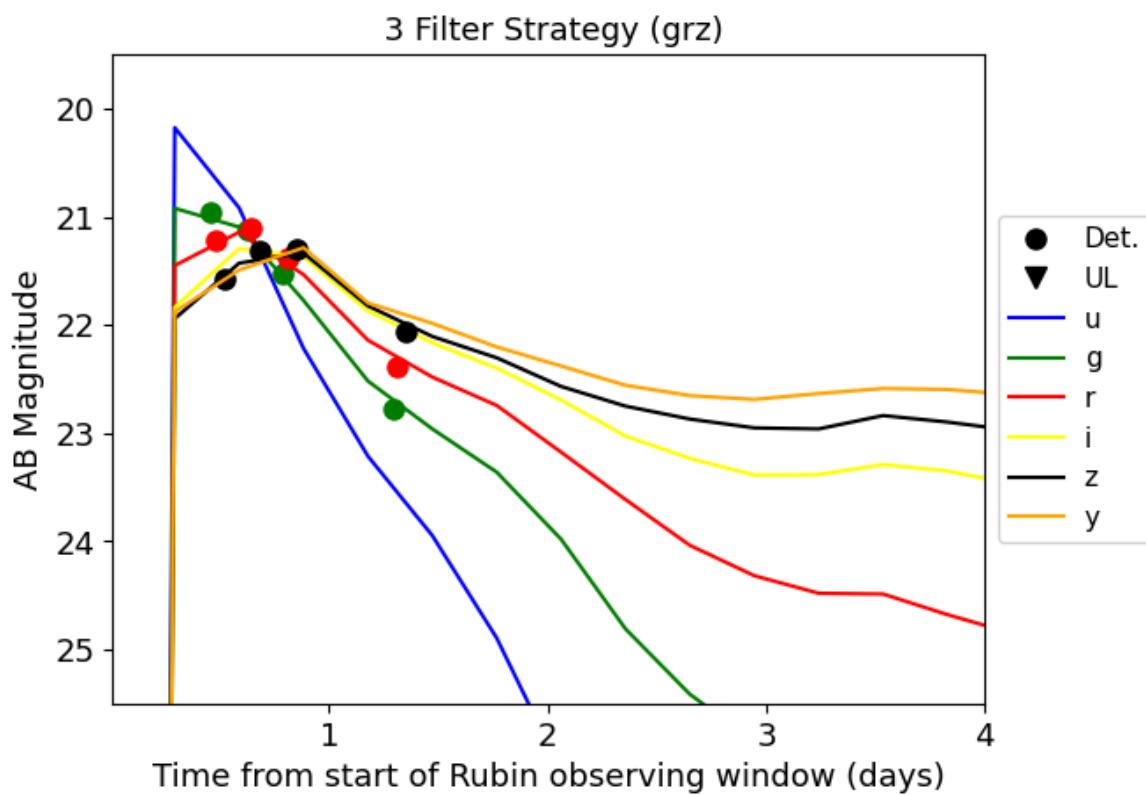
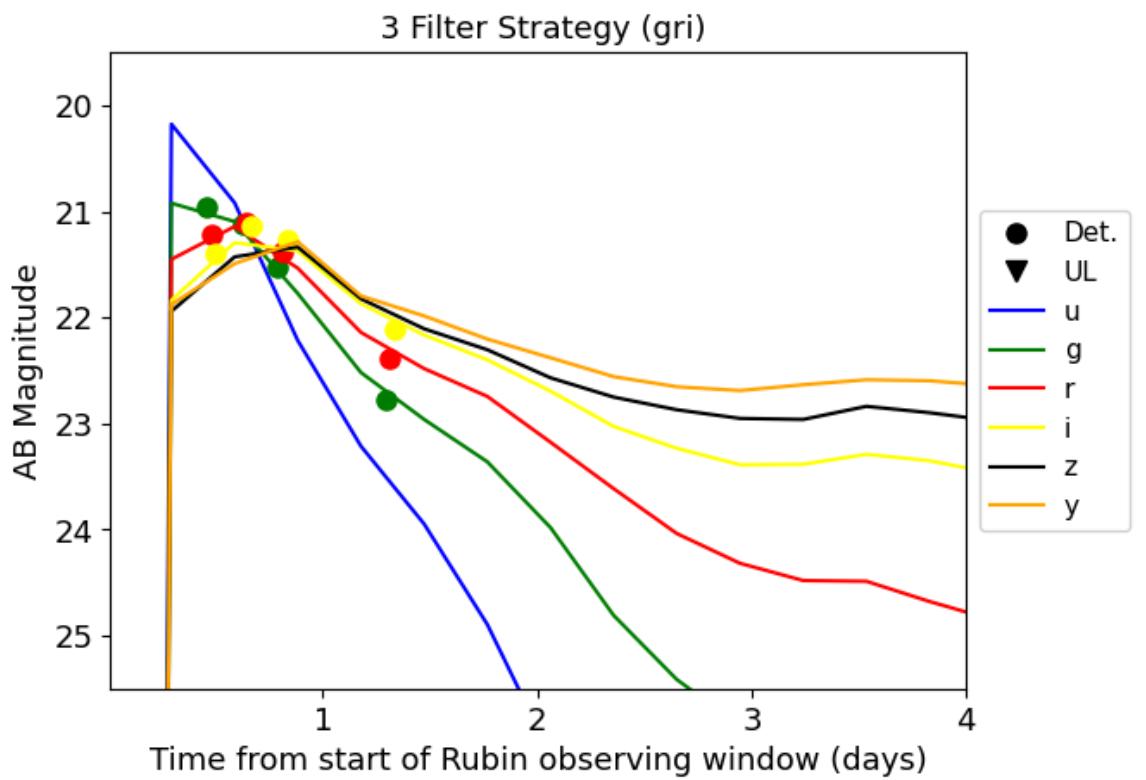
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Model plots at 400 Mpc (files for 350 Mpc to be added to Github yet). Model choice: GW170817 best fit polar viewing angle, theta=26 degrees; taken from <https://arxiv.org/pdf/2307.09511.pdf>:

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Time budget calculations for each strategy:

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (gri):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 12 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	267s	267s	267s	267s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s	14s
			Total exposure time per pointing	0.3hr
			Total time for 4 fields	1.36hr
			Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	6.79hr

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (grz):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 12 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	550s	550s	550s	550s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s	14s
			Total exposure time per pointing	0.61hr
			Total time for 4 fields	2.61hr
			Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	13.07hr

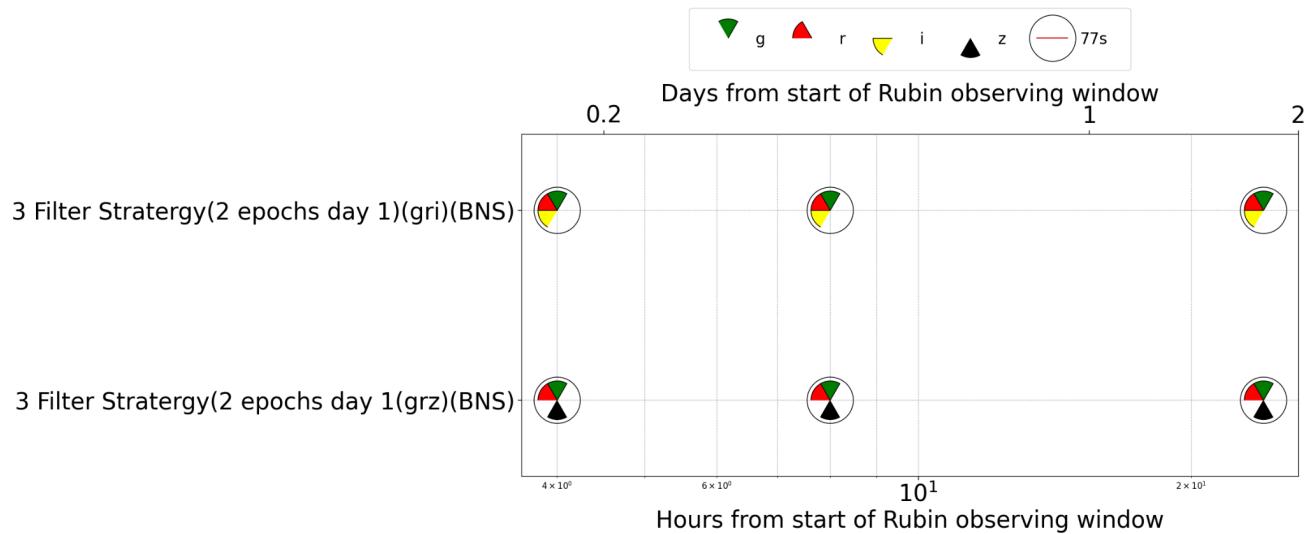
Considered combinations - gri,grz,

Epochs - 2 visits on a single night, followed by one epoch after $t_0 + 1$ day.

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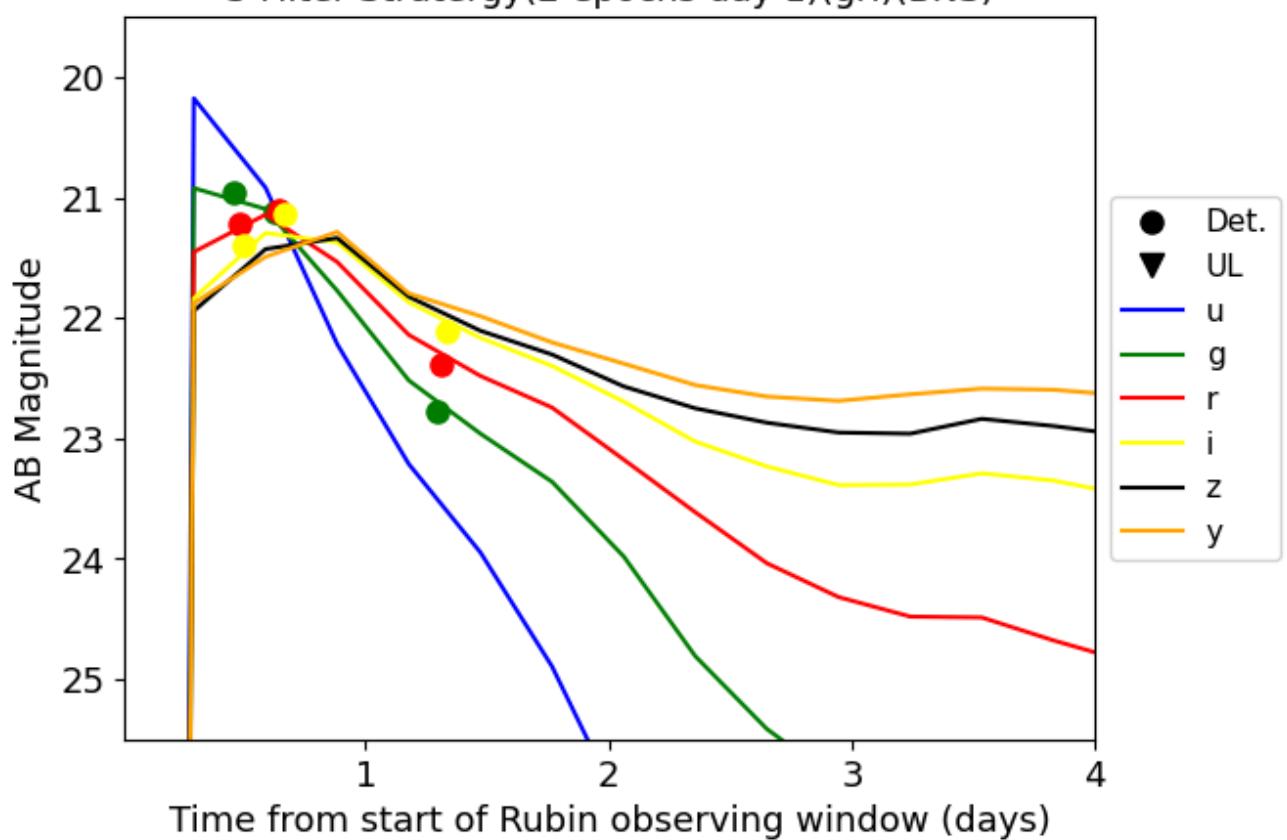
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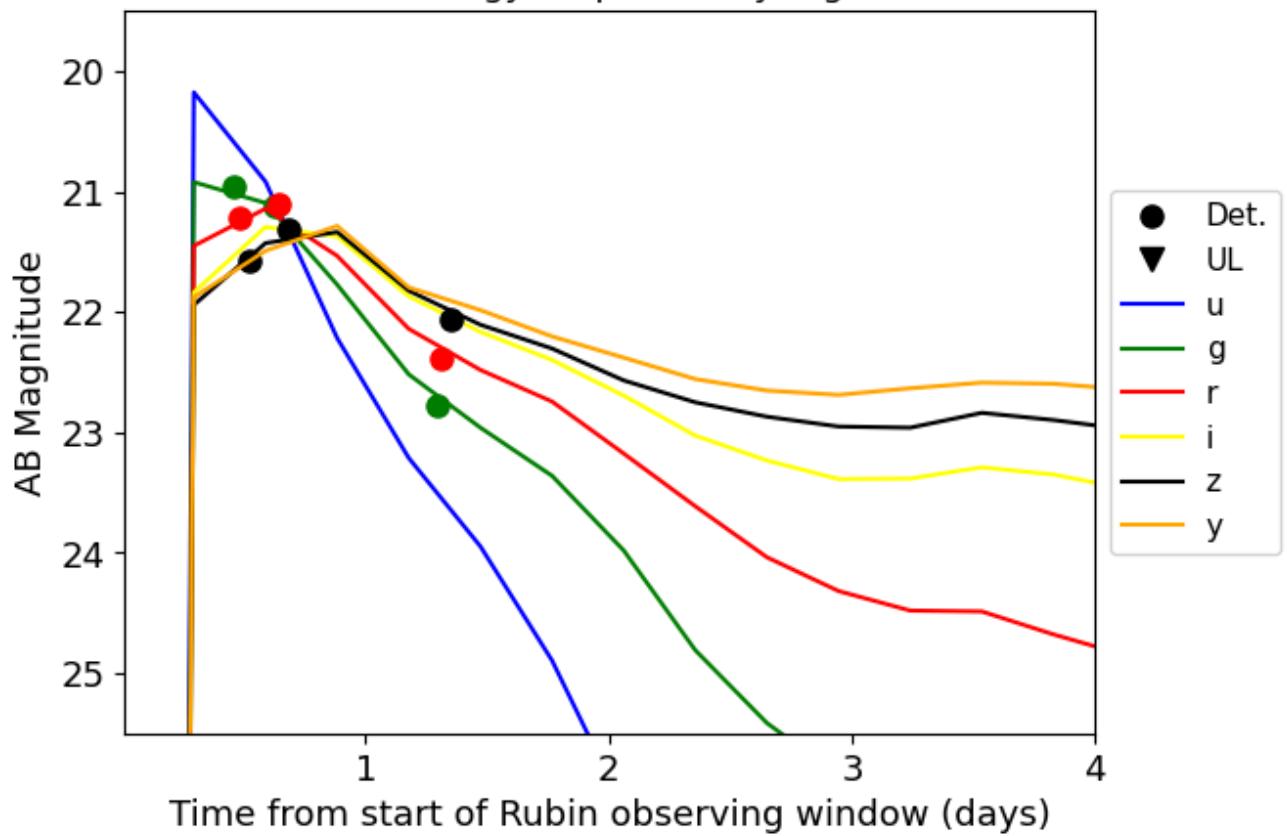
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3 Filter Strategy(2 epochs day 1)(gri)(BNS)



3 Filter Strategy(2 epochs day 1(grz)(BNS)



Time budget calculations for each strategy:

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (2 epochs day 1) (gri):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	267s	267s	267s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s
		Total exposure time per pointing	0.22hr
		Total time for 4 fields	1.02hr
		Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	5.09hr

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (2 epochs day 1) (grz):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	550s	550s	550s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s
		Total exposure time per pointing	0.46hr
		Total time for 4 fields	1.96hr
		Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	9.81hr

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Considered combinations - gru

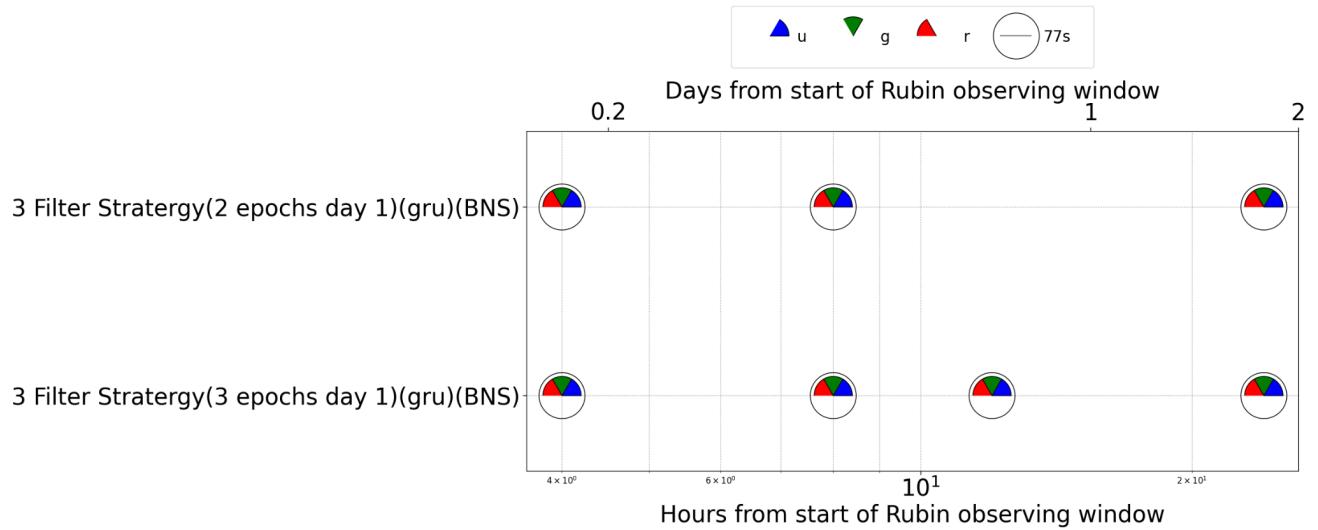
Epochs - Case 1: 2 visits on a single night, followed by one epoch after t0 + 1 day

Case 2: 3 visits on a single night, followed by one epoch after t0 + 1 day.

Science Case considered - BNS

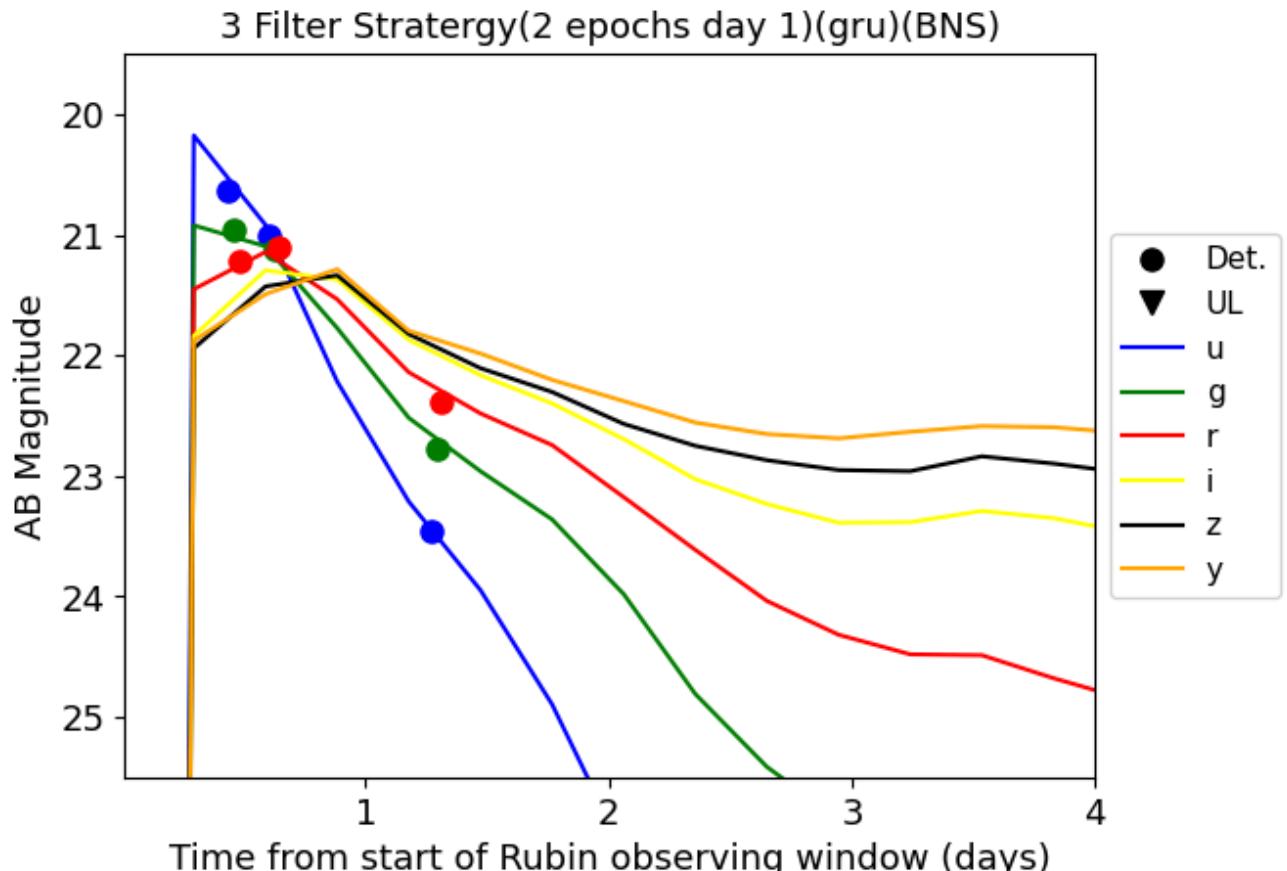
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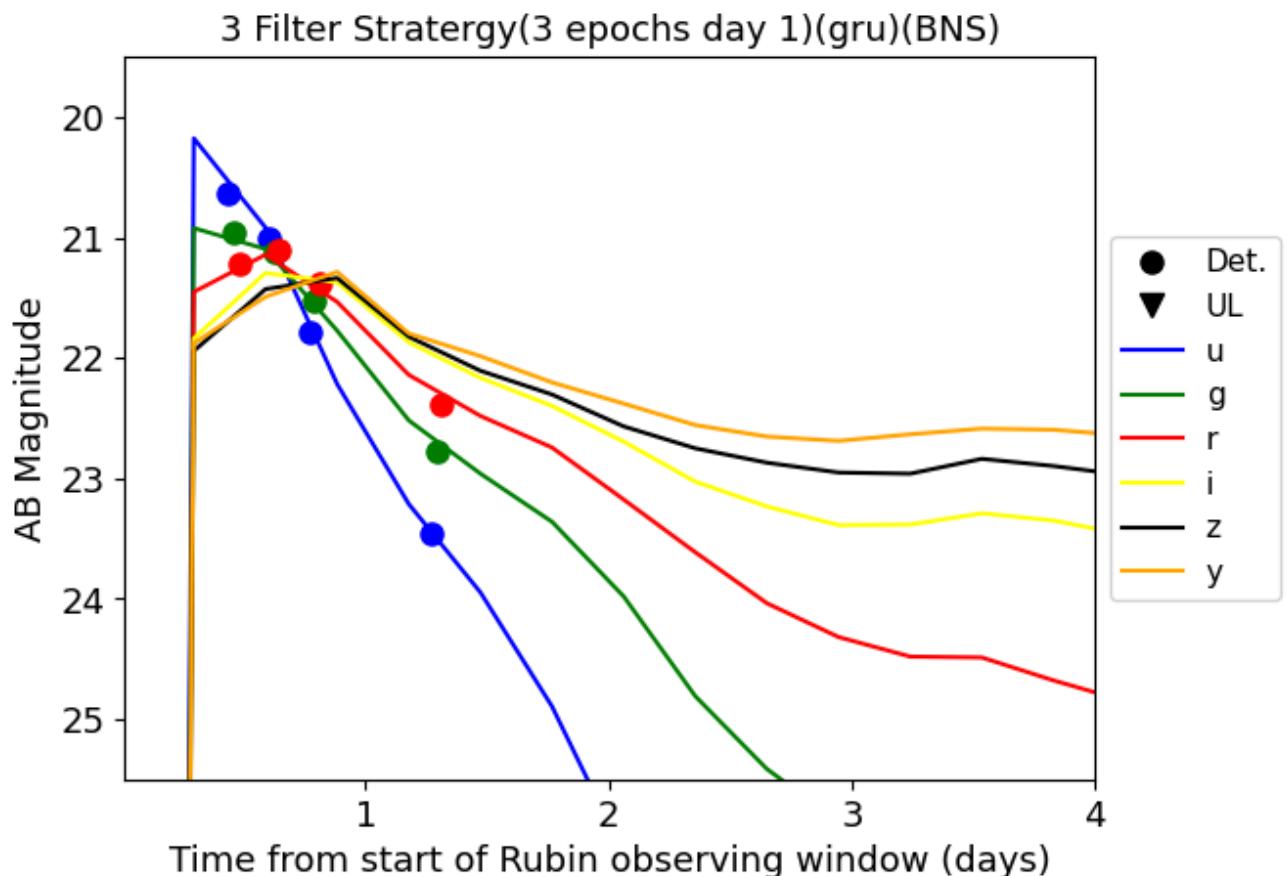
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Time budget calculations for each strategy:

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (gru):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	503s	503s	503s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s
		Total exposure time per pointing	0.42hr
		Total time for 4 fields	1.80hr
		Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	9.02hr

Strategy name: 3 Filter Strategy (gru):

	Epoch = 4 hr	Epoch = 8 hr	Epoch = 12 hr	Epoch = 24 hr
exposure times	503s	503s	503s	503s
overhead change filter	360s	360s	360s	360s
overhead between exposures	14s	14s	14s	14s
			Total exposure time per pointing	0.56hr
			Total time for 4 fields	2.41hr
			Total time for 4 fields and 5 events	12.03hr