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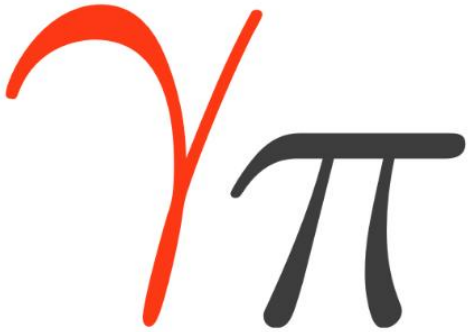

A Python package for gamma-ray astronomy

Introduction to Gammapy

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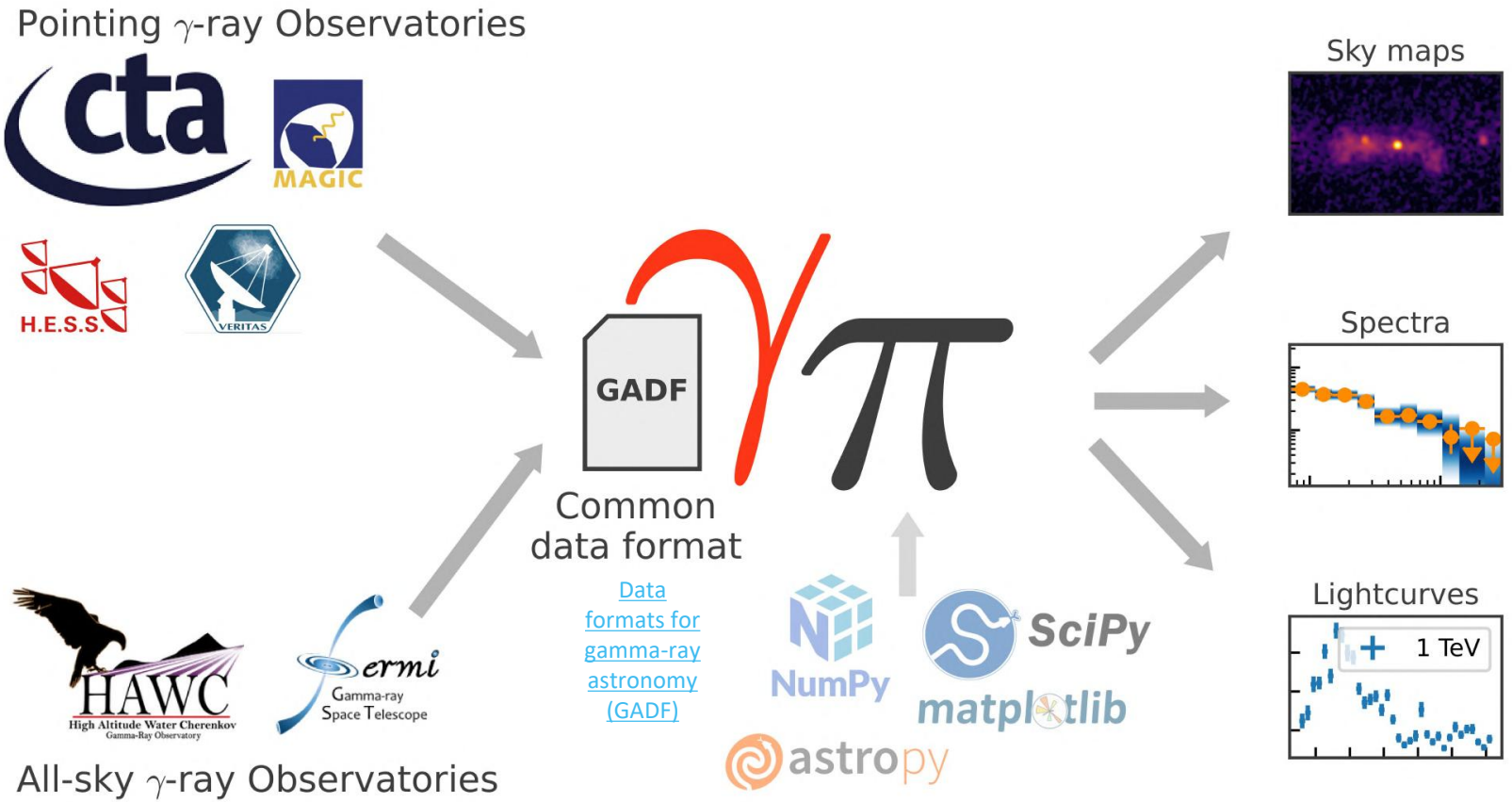
What is Gammapy?

- Gammapy is an open-source Python package for gamma-ray astronomy;
- It is used as core library for the Science Analysis tools of the Cherenkov Telescope Array (CTA);
- It is already widely used in the analysis of existing gamma-ray instruments, such as H.E.S.S. MAGIC, VERITAS and HAWC.



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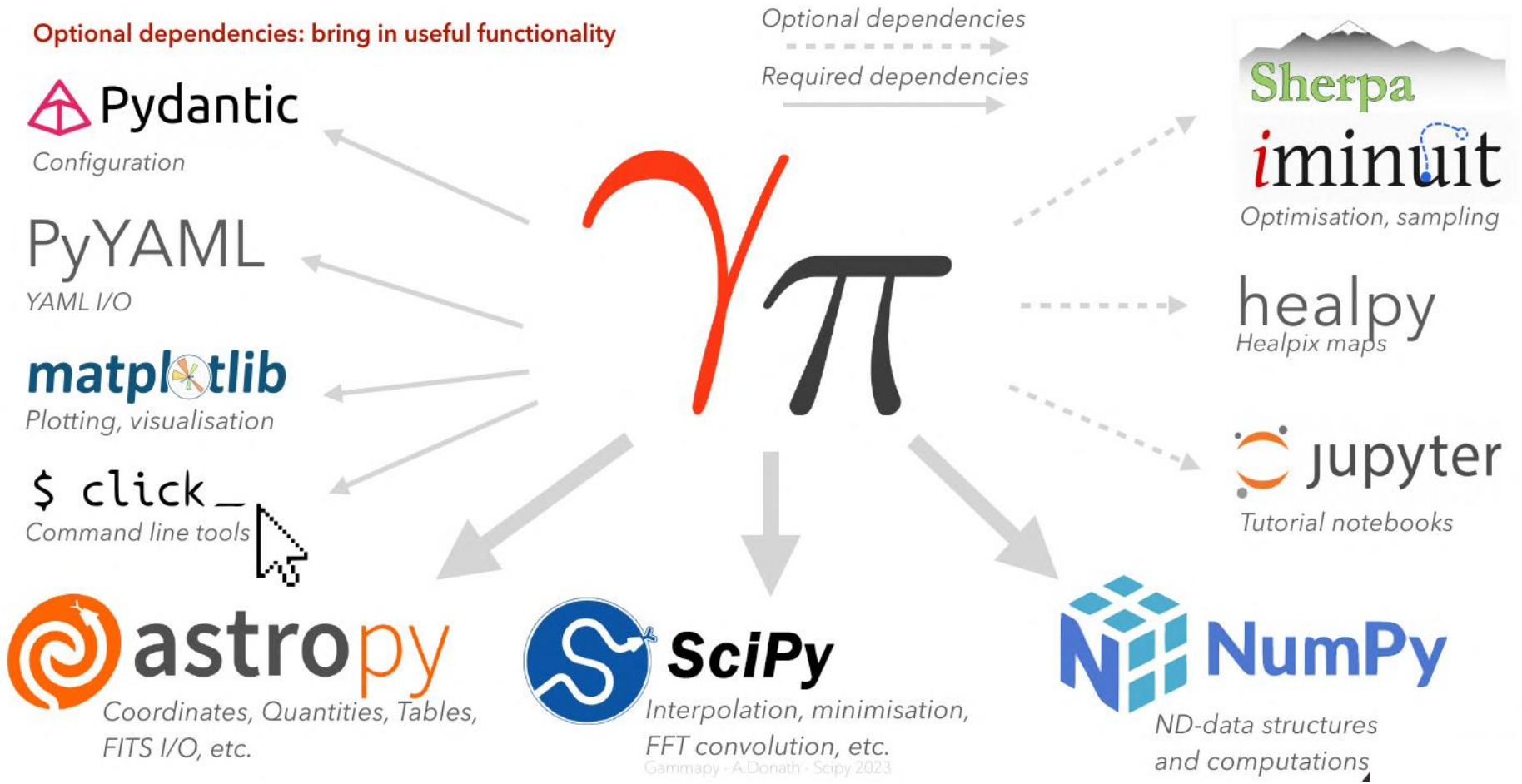

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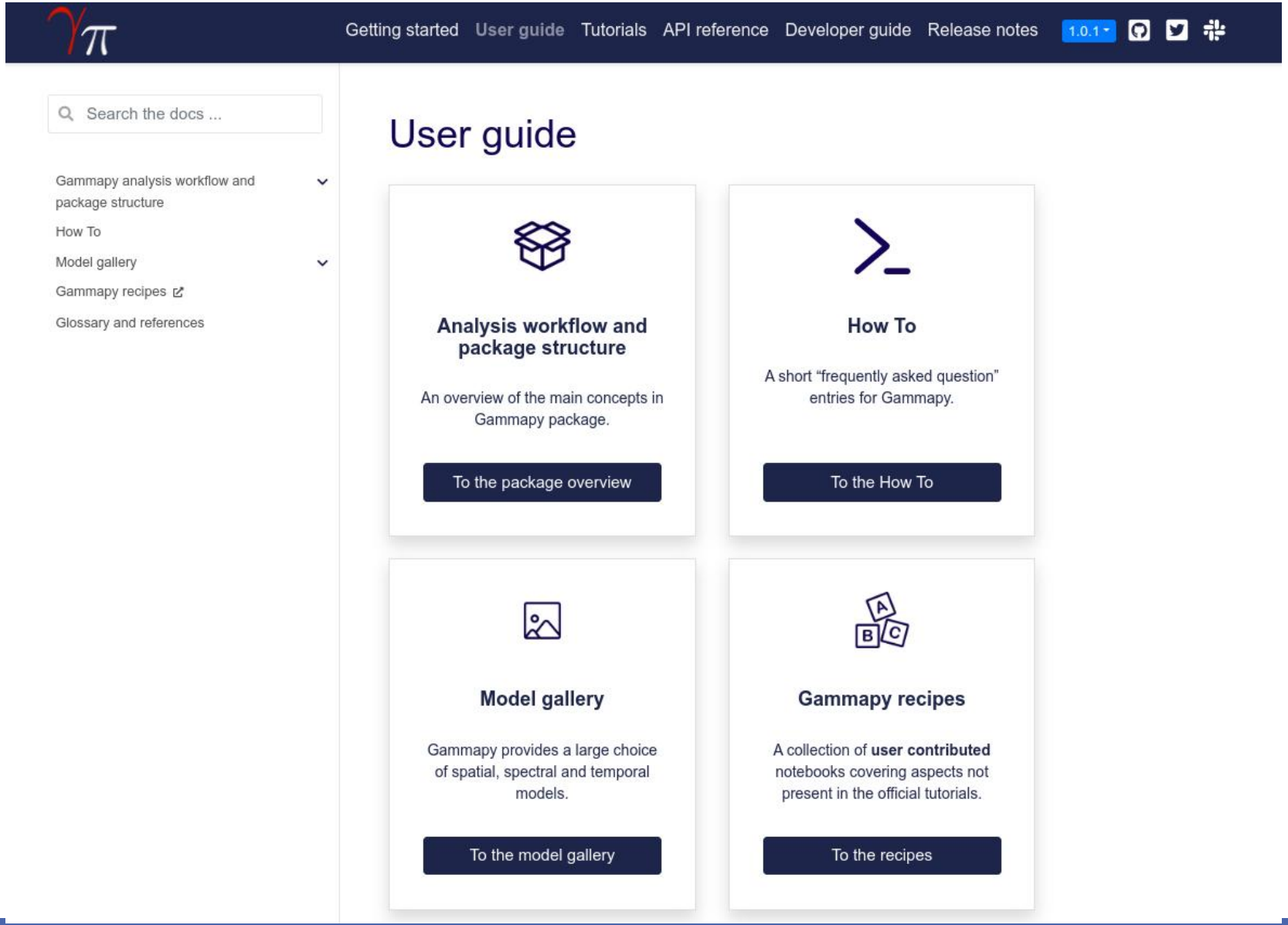

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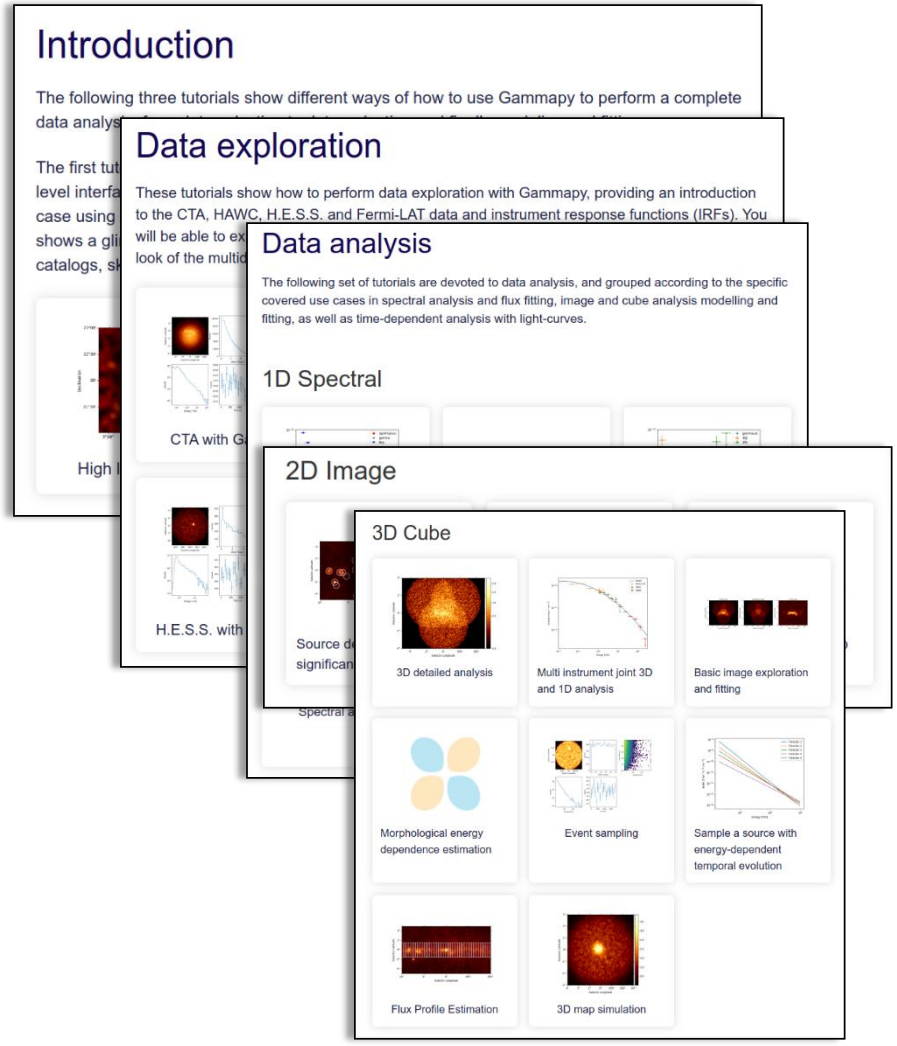
- **Learning with examples: the Tutorials**



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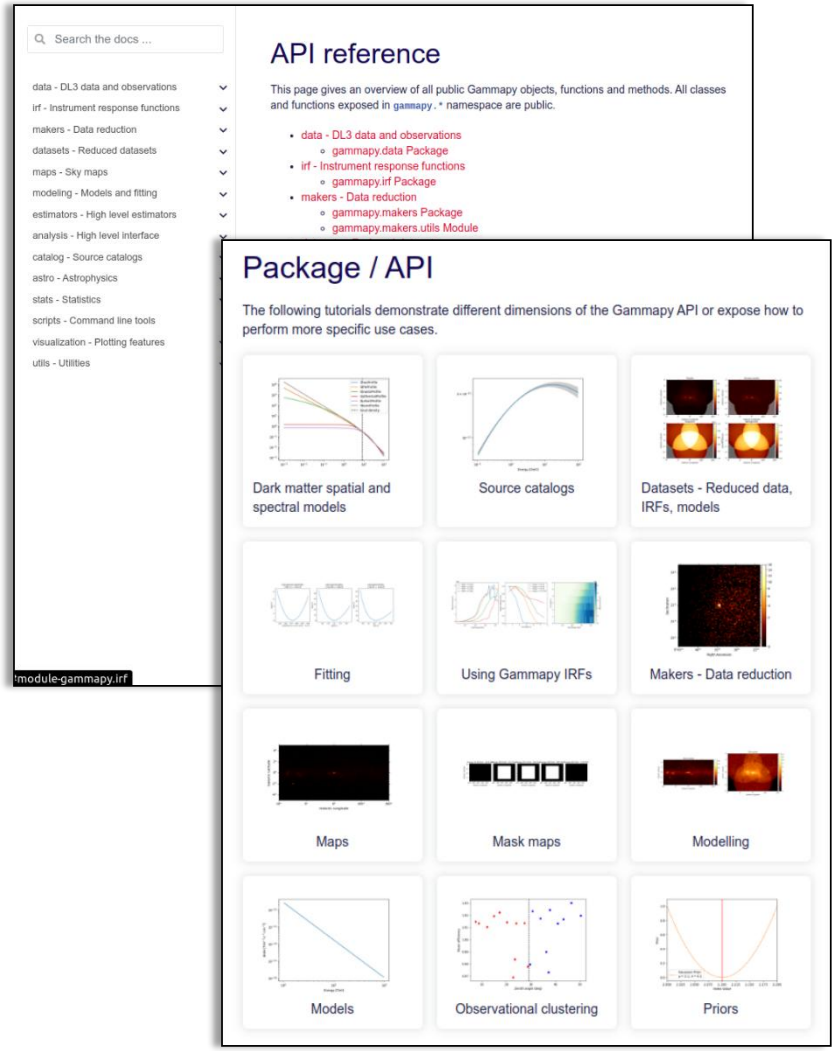
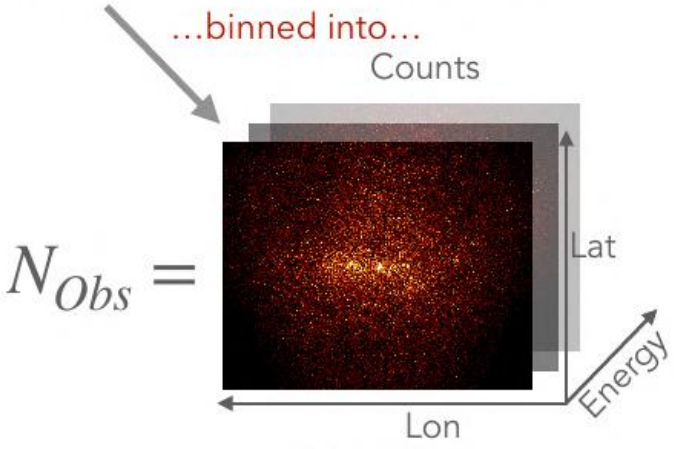


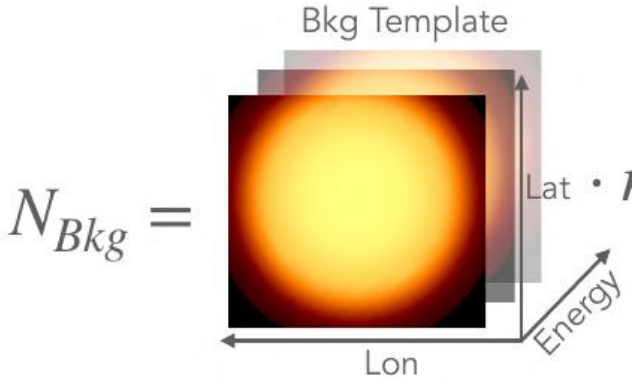
Gammapy: Gamma-ray Data Analysis

List of gamma-like events…

EVENT_ID	TIME	RA	DEC	ENERGY
	s	deg	deg	TeV
int64	float64	float32	float32	float32
5407363825684	123890826.66805482	84.97964	23.89347	10.352011
5407363825695	123890826.69749284	84.54751	21.004095	4.0246882
5407363825831	123890827.23673964	85.39696	19.41868	2.2048872

…binned into…





"Cash statistics": summed over all "bins"

$$\mathscr{C} = 2 \sum_i N^i_{Pred} - N^i_{Obs} \cdot \log N^i_{Pred}$$

$$N_{Pred} = N_{Bkg} + \sum_{Src} N_{Pred,Src}$$

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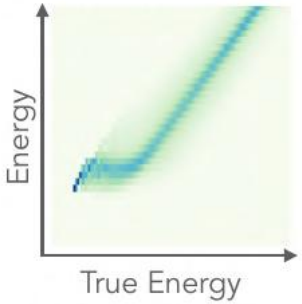
Gammapy: Gamma-ray Data Analysis

An analytical source model or template is **"forward folded" through the instrument response function (IRF)** to predict the measured number of counts…

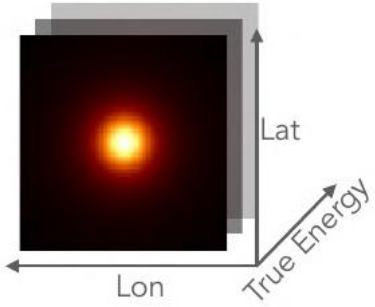
$$N_{Pred,Src} = \mathrm{EDISP}_{Src}(\mathrm{PSF}_{Src}(\mathscr{E}_{Src} \cdot f_{Src}))$$

$$f_{Src} = f_{Spectral}(E) \cdot f_{Spatial}(E, l, b) \cdot f_{Temporal}(t)$$

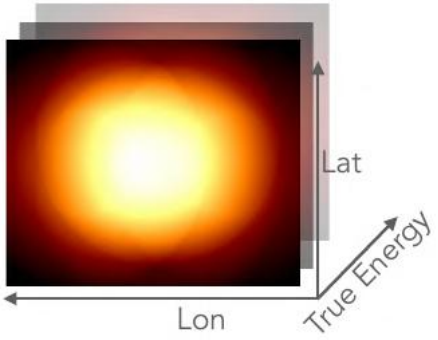
Energy Dispersion Matrix



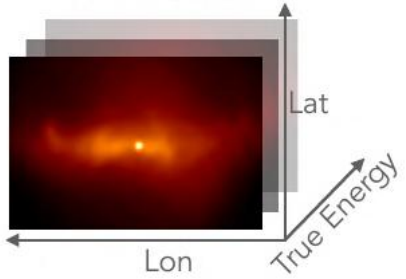
PSF Kernel



Exposure
(eff. area x lifetime)



Source Model



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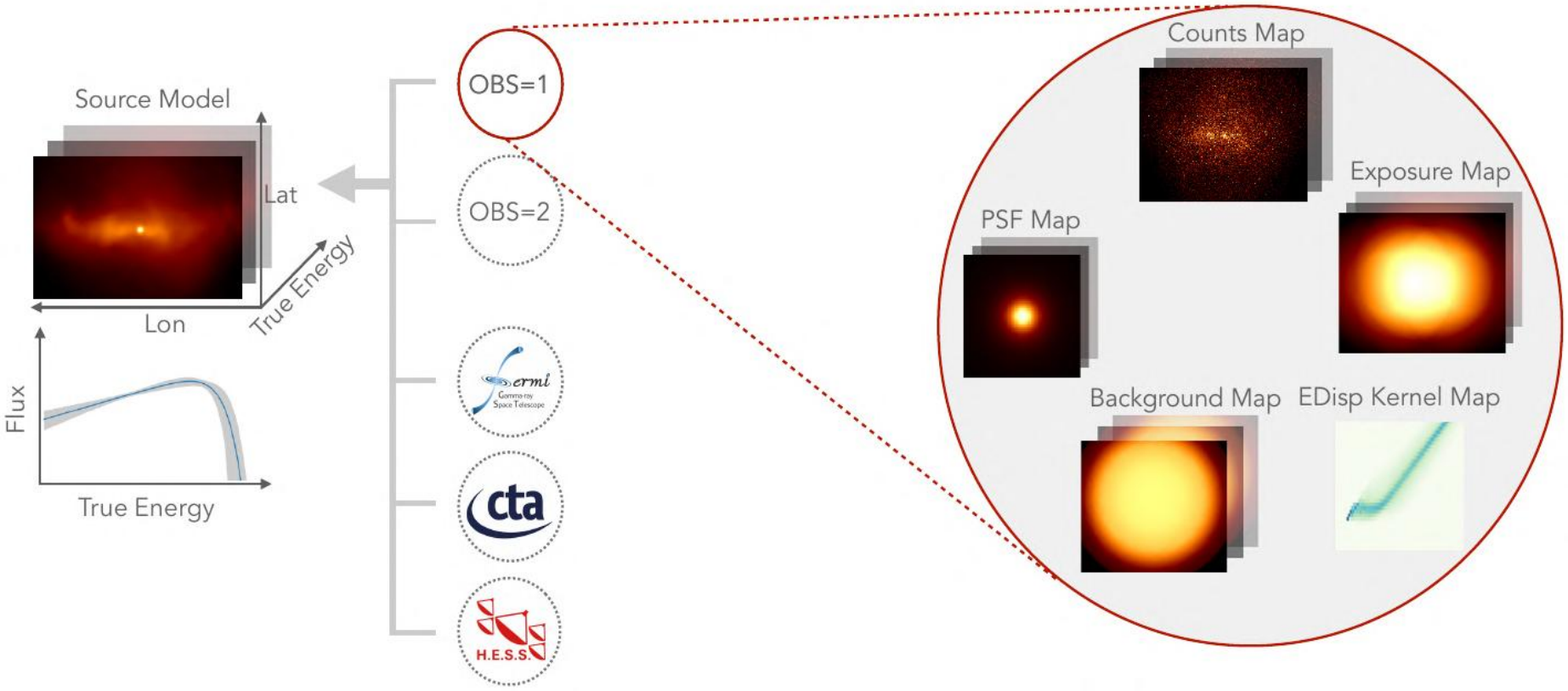
Gammapy: Gamma-ray Data Analysis

Joint Likelihood



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Gammapy: Gamma-ray Data Analysis

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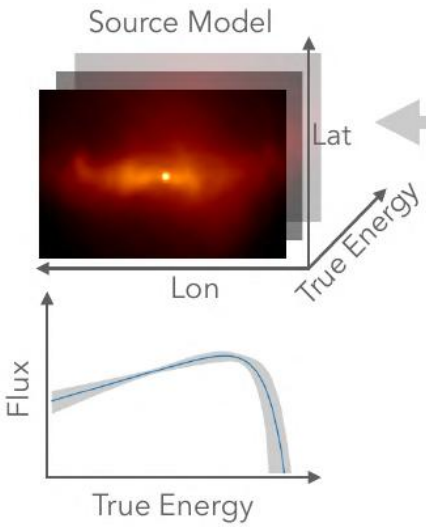

OBS=1 $\mathscr{L}(x_1, \theta)$

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OBS=2 $\mathscr{L}(x_2, \theta)$

$\cdots$

$\mathscr{L}(x_{n-2}, \theta)$

$*$

$\mathscr{L}(x_{n-1}, \theta)$

$*$

$\mathscr{L}(x_n, \theta)$

$$\mathscr{L}(x_{1\ldots n}, \theta)$$

$$\hat{\theta} = \underset{\theta \in D}{\operatorname{argmax}}\ \mathscr{L}(x_{1\ldots n}, \theta)$$

Best fit parameters and errors are reported as measurements in publications, including e.g., **total flux, spectral indices** and morphological parameters such as **size, position etc.**

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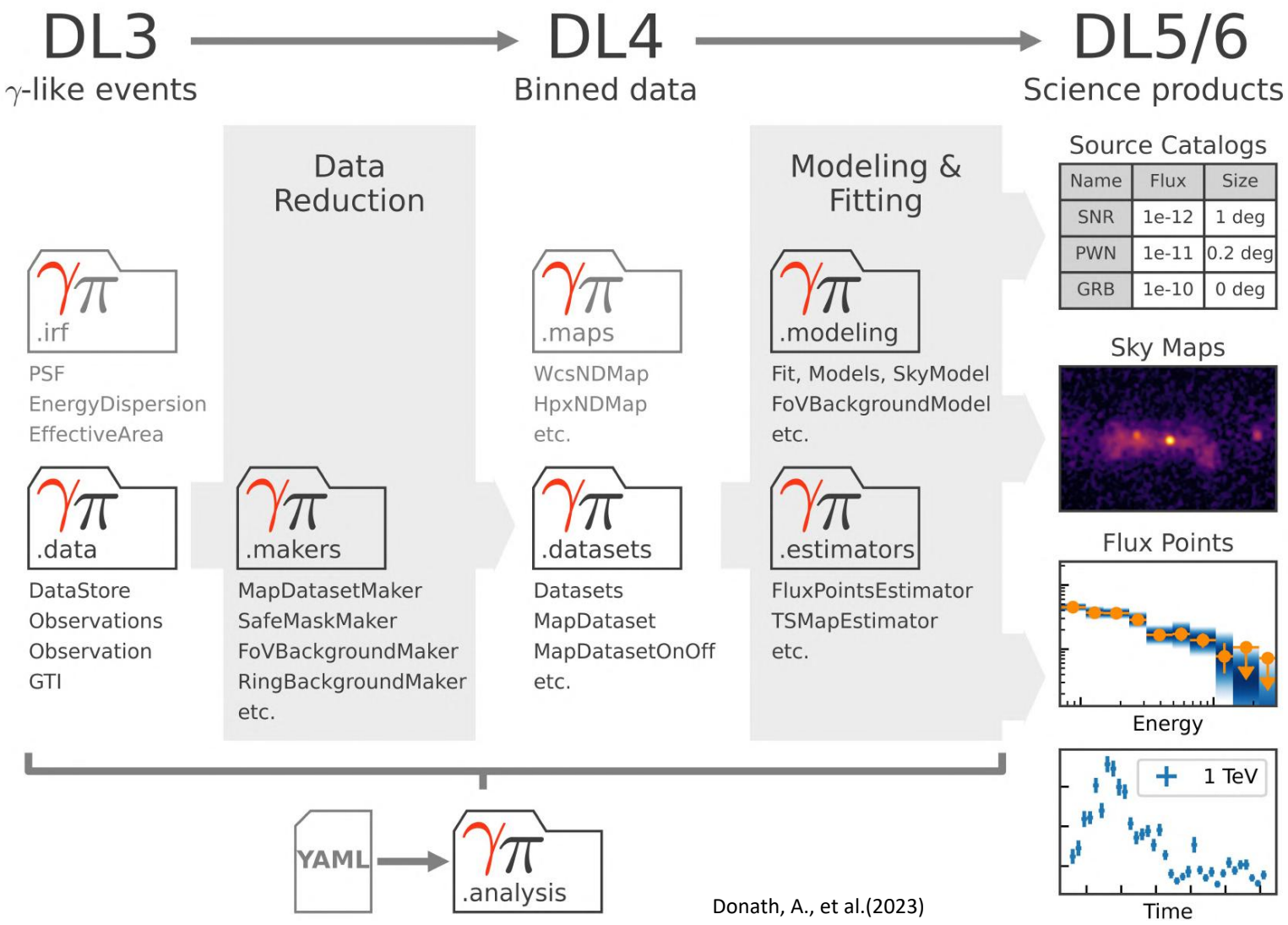
Data workflow and package structure

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/user-guide/package.html



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Gammapy package

- The **Gammapy package** is structured into multiple **sub-packages**.
- **Sub-packages** contain structures representing data at different reduction levels and/or algorithms to transition between these different levels.

gammapy.data

- The *gammapy.data* sub-package implements the functionality to select, read, and represent DL3 γ-ray data in memory.

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/api-reference/data.html#module-gammapy.data

Classes

`DataStore`([hdu_table, obs_table])	IACT data store.
`EventList`(table)	Event list.
`FixedPointingInfo`(meta)	IACT array pointing info.
`GTI`(table)	Good time intervals (GTI) `Table`.
`HDUIndexTable`([data, masked, names, dtype, ...])	HDU index table.
`Observation`([obs_id, obs_info, gti, aeff, ...])	In-memory observation.
`ObservationFilter`([time_filter, event_filters])	Holds and applies filters to observation data.
`Observations`([observations])	Container class that holds a list of observations.
`ObservationTable`([data, masked, names, ...])	Observation table.
`PointingInfo`(table)	IACT array pointing info.

Gammapy package

gammapy.data

- The *gammapy.data* sub-package implements the functionality to select, read, and represent DL3 γ-ray data in memory.

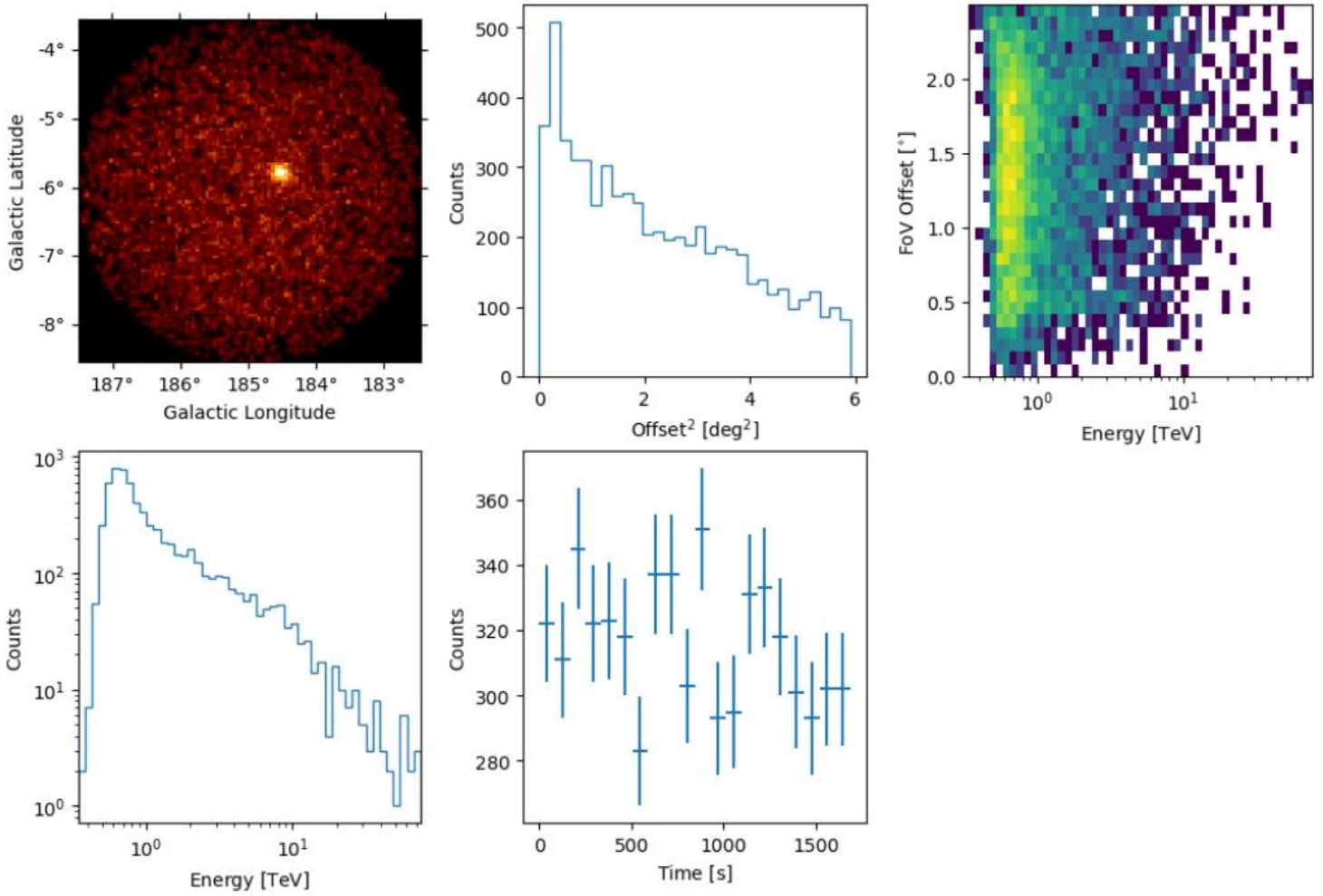
```
from gammapy.data import DataStore

data_store = DataStore.from_dir(
    base_dir="$GAMMAPY_DATA/hess-dl3-dr1"
)

obs_ids = [23523, 23526, 23559, 23592]

observations = data_store.get_observations(
    obs_id=obs_ids, skip_missing=True
)

for obs in observations:
    print(f"Observation id: {obs.obs_id}")
    print(f"N events: {len(obs.events.table)}")
    print(f"Max. area: {obs.aeff.quantity.max()}")
```

```
Observation id: 23523
N events: 7613
Max. area: 699771.0625 m2
Observation id: 23526
N events: 7581
Max. area: 623679.5 m2
Observation id: 23559
N events: 7601
Max. area: 613097.6875 m2
Observation id: 23592
N events: 7334
Max. area: 693575.75 m2
```

Gammapy package

gammapy.data

```
obs.events.select_offset([0, 2.5] * u.deg).peek()
```



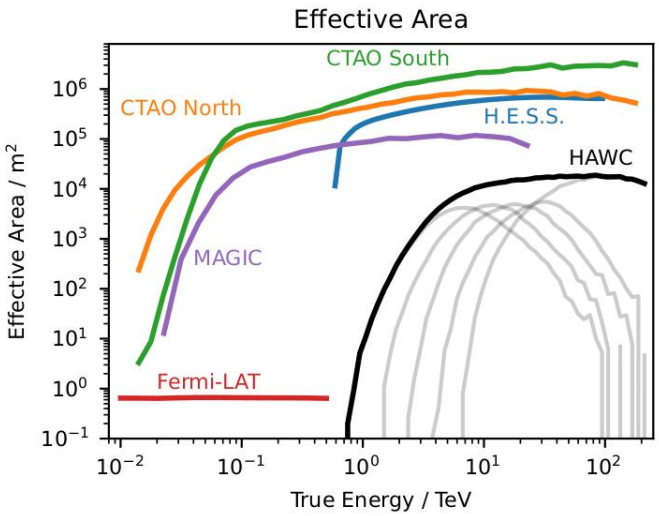
Gammapy package

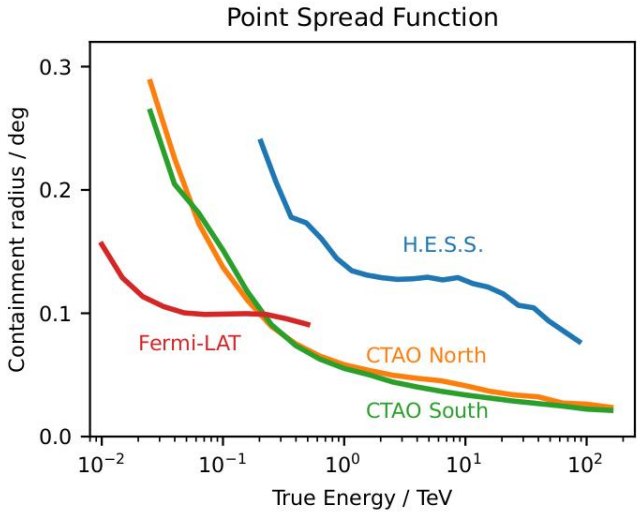
gammapy.irf

- The *gammapy.irf* sub-package contains all classes and functionalities to handle IRFs (Instrument Response Functions) in a variety of functional forms.

- The main quantities stored in the common γ-ray IRFs:
  - Effective area
  - Point spread function (PSF)
  - Energy dispersion
  - Background rate

$$R(p, E|p_{\text{true}}, E_{\text{true}}) = A_{\text{eff}}(p_{\text{true}}, E_{\text{true}}) \times PSF(p|p_{\text{true}}, E_{\text{true}}) \times E_{\text{disp}}(E|p_{\text{true}}, E_{\text{true}})$$





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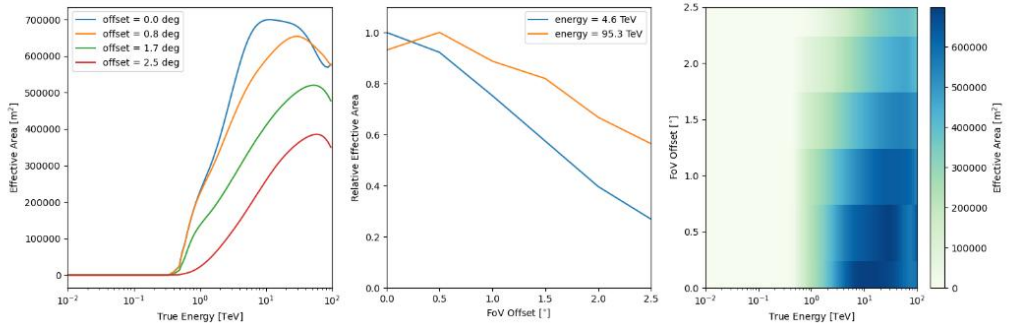
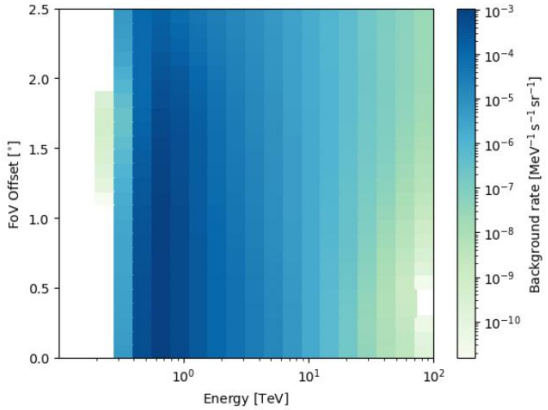
Gammapy package

gammapy.irf

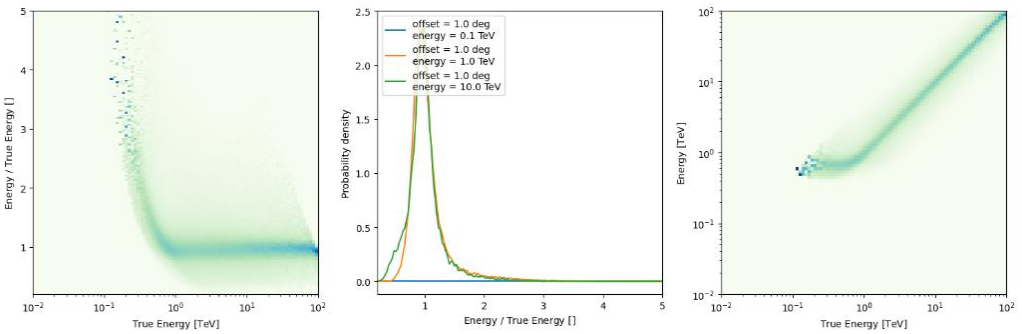
```
obs.aeff.peek()
```



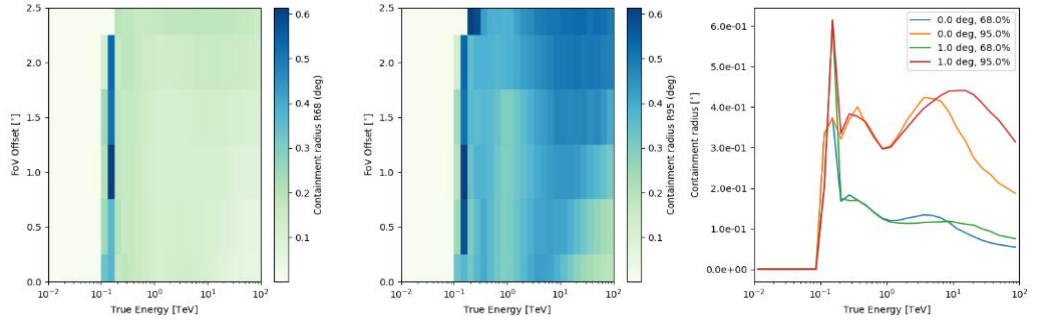

```
obs.bkg.to_2d().plot()
plt.show()
```




```
obs.edisp.peek()
```




```
obs.psf.peek()
```

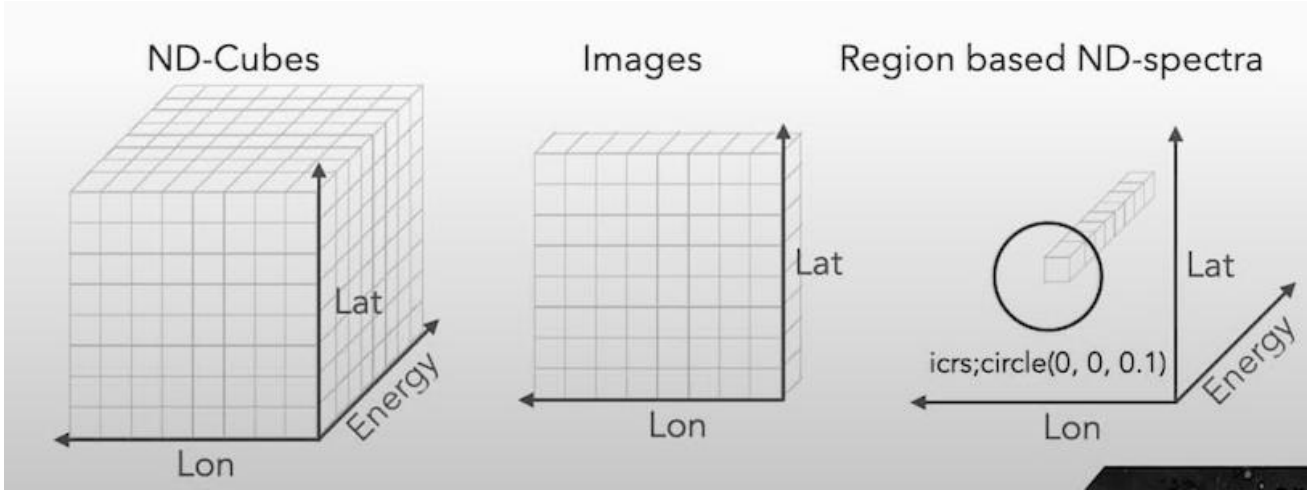


Gammapy package

gammapy.maps

- The *gammapy.maps* sub-package:
  - provides classes that represent data structures associated with a set of coordinates or a region on a sphere;
  - allows one to handle an arbitrary number of nonspatial data dimensions, such as time or energy.

- It is organized around three types of structures:
  - geometries;
  - sky maps;
  - map axes.



Gammapy package

gammapy.maps

```python
from gammapy.maps import Map, MapAxis
from astropy.coordinates import SkyCoord
from astropy import units as u

skydir = SkyCoord("0d", "5d", frame="galactic")

energy_axis = MapAxis.from_energy_bounds(
    energy_min="1 TeV", energy_max="10 TeV", nbin=10
)

# Create a WCS Map
m_wcs = Map.create(
    binsz=0.1,
    map_type="wcs",
    skydir=skydir,
    width=[10.0, 8.0] * u.deg,
    axes=[energy_axis])


# Create a HEALPix Map
m_hpx = Map.create(
    binsz=0.1,
    map_type="hpx",
    skydir=skydir,
    axes=[energy_axis]
)

# Create a region map
region = "galactic;circle(0, 5, 1)"
m_region = Map.create(
    region=region,
    map_type="region",
    axes=[energy_axis]
)

print(m_wcs, m_hpx, m_region)
```

```
WcsNDMap

        geom  : WcsGeom
         axes  : ['lon', 'lat', 'energy']
        shape : (100, 80, 10)
        ndim  : 3
        unit  :
        dtype : float32
HpxNDMap

        geom  : HpxGeom
         axes  : ['skycoord', 'energy']
        shape : (3145728, 10)
        ndim  : 3
        unit  :
        dtype : float32
RegionNDMap

        geom  : RegionGeom
         axes  : ['lon', 'lat', 'energy']
        shape : (1, 1, 10)
        ndim  : 3
        unit  :
        dtype : float32
```

Gammapy package

gammapy.datasets

- The *gammapy.datasets* sub-package contains classes to handle reduced gamma-ray data for modeling and fitting.
- The Dataset class, for example, bundles reduced data, IRFs and model to perform likelihood fitting and joint-likelihood fitting.
- To model and fit data in Gammapy, you have to create a Datasets container object with one or multiple Dataset objects.

Types of supported datasets

Gammapy has built-in support to create and analyse the following datasets:

Dataset Type	Data Type	Reduced IRFs	Geometry	Additional Quantities	Fit Statistic
`MapDataset`	`counts`	`background`, `psf`, `edisp`, `exposure`,	`WcsGeom` or `RegionGeom`		`cash`
`MapDatasetOnOff`	`counts`	`psf`, `edisp`, `exposure`	`WcsGeom`	`acceptance`, `acceptance_off`, `counts_off`	`wstat`
`SpectrumDataset`	`counts`	`background`, `edisp`, `exposure`	`RegionGeom`		`cash`
`SpectrumDatasetOnOff`	`counts`	`edisp`, `exposure`	`RegionGeom`	`acceptance`, `acceptance_off`, `counts_off`	`wstat`
`FluxPointsDataset`	`flux`	None	None		`chi2`

Gammapy package

gammapy.datasets

```
from pathlib import Path

from gammapy.datasets import (
    Datasets,
    FluxPointsDataset,
    MapDataset,
    SpectrumDatasetOnOff,
)

path = Path("$GAMMAPY_DATA")

map_dataset = MapDataset.read(
    path / "cta-1dc-gc/cta-1dc-gc.fits.gz",
    name="map-dataset",
)

spectrum_dataset = SpectrumDatasetOnOff.read(
    path / "joint-crab/spectra/hess/pha_obs23523.fits",
    name="spectrum-datasets",
)

flux_points_dataset = FluxPointsDataset.read(
    path / "hawc_crab/HAWC19_flux_points.fits",
    name="flux-points-dataset",
)


datasets = Datasets([
    map_dataset,
    spectrum_dataset,
    flux_points_dataset
])

print(datasets["map-dataset"])
```

```
MapDataset
----------

  Name                            : map-dataset

  Total counts                    : 104317
  Total background counts         : 91507.70
  Total excess counts             : 12809.30

  Predicted counts                : 91507.69
  Predicted background counts     : 91507.70
  Predicted excess counts         : nan

  Exposure min                    : 6.28e+07 m2 s
  Exposure max                    : 1.90e+10 m2 s

  Number of total bins            : 768000
  Number of fit bins              : 691680

  Fit statistic type              : cash
  Fit statistic value (-2 log(L)) : nan

  Number of models                : 0
  Number of parameters            : 0
  Number of free parameters       : 0
```

Gammapy package

gammapy.maker

- The *gammapy.datasets* sub-package contains the various classes and functions required to **process and prepare** γ-ray data from the DL3 to the DL4.
- The DL3 data is prepared for modeling and fitting, by binning events into a counts map and interpolating the exposure, background, psf and energy dispersion on the chosen analysis geometry.

gammapy.stats

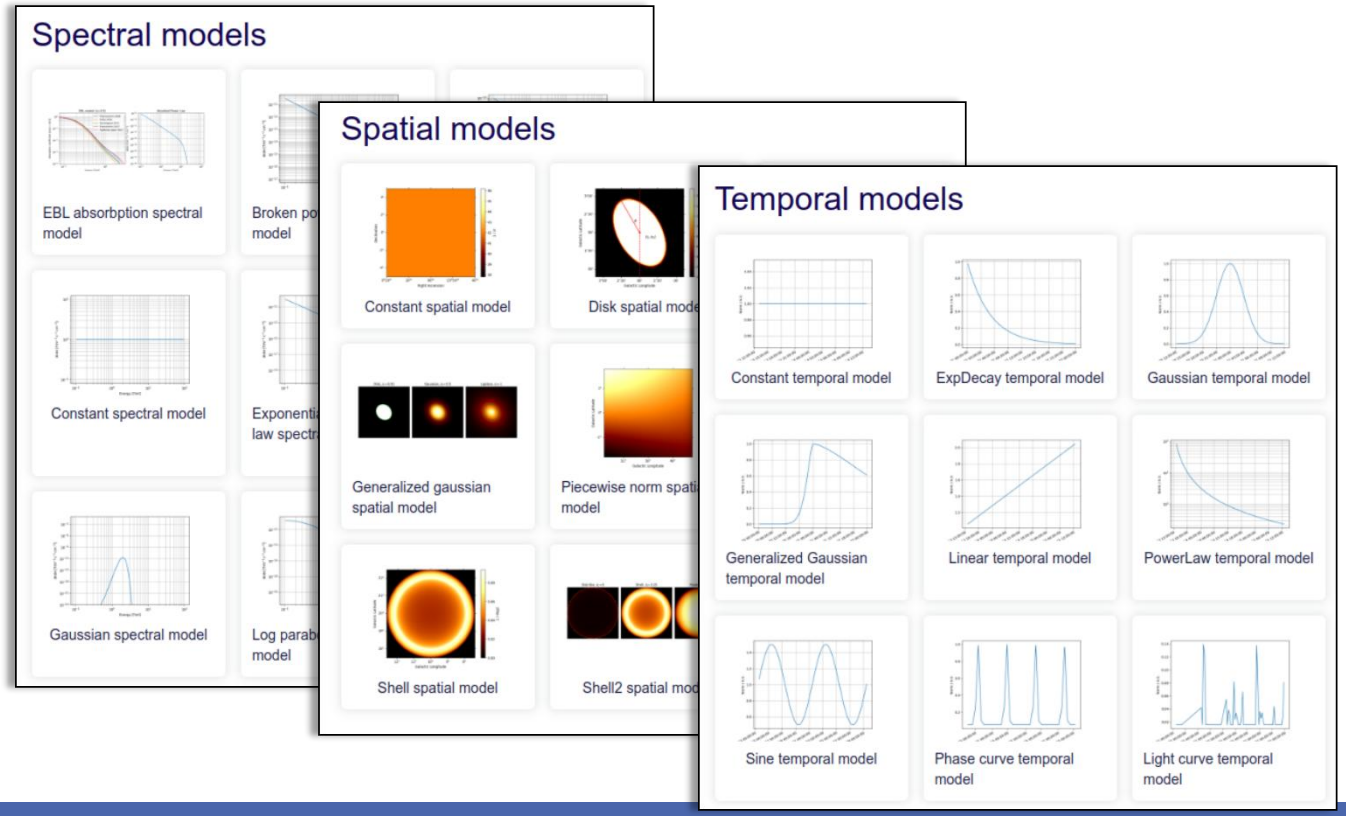
- The *gammapy.stats* sub-package contains the **fit statistics** and the associated statistical estimators commonly adopted in γ-ray astronomy.
- It contains classes that perform maximum likelihood ratio tests to estimate significance and compute likelihood profiles to measure errors and upper limits.

Gammapy package

gammapy.modeling

- The *gammapy.modeling* sub-package contains all the functionality related to modeling and fitting data. This includes **spectral, spatial and temporal model** classes, as well as the **fit**.

- **Models**



Model Gallery

Gammapy package

gammapy.modeling

- **Models**

```
from astropy import units as u
from gammapy.modeling.models import (
    ConstantTemporalModel,
    EBLAbsorptionNormSpectralModel,
    PointSpatialModel,
    PowerLawSpectralModel,
    SkyModel,
)

# define a spectral model
pwl = PowerLawSpectralModel(
    amplitude="1e-12 TeV-1 cm-2 s-1", index=2.3
)

# define a spatial model
point = PointSpatialModel(
    lon_0="45.6 deg",
    lat_0="3.2 deg",
    frame="galactic"
)

# define a temporal model
constant = ConstantTemporalModel()

# combine all components
model = SkyModel(
    spectral_model=pwl,
    spatial_model=point,
    temporal_model=constant,
    name="my-model",
)
print(model)
```

```
SkyModel

  Name                      : my-model
  Datasets names            : None
  Spectral model type       : PowerLawSpectralModel
  Spatial  model type       : PointSpatialModel
  Temporal model type       : ConstantTemporalModel
  Parameters:
    index                   :      2.300   +/-    0.00
    amplitude               :   1.00e-12   +/- 0.0e+00 1 / (cm2 s TeV)
    reference     (frozen):      1.000       TeV
    lon_0                   :     45.600   +/-    0.00 deg
    lat_0                   :      3.200   +/-    0.00 deg
```

Gammapy package

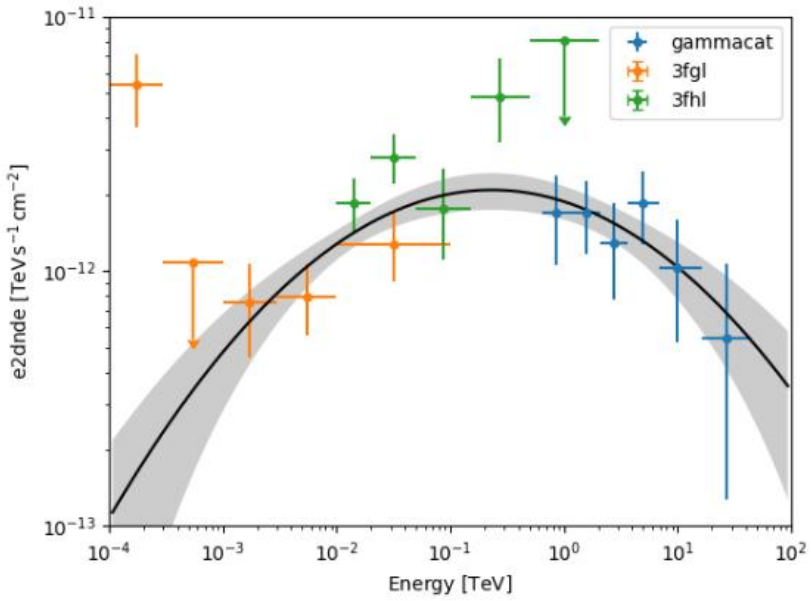
gammapy.modeling

- **Fit**

- It provides **methods to optimize**, model parameters and estimate their errors and correlations.

- Models can be **unique** for a given dataset, or contribute to **multiple** datasets, allowing one to perform a **joint fit** to multiple IACT datasets, or to jointly fit IACT and Fermi-LAT datasets.

- The Fit class provides a uniform interface to multiple fitting backends:
  - iminuit (Dembinski et al. 2020)
  - scipy.optimize (Virtanen et al. 2020)
  - Sherpa (Refsdal et al. 2011; Freeman et al. 2001)

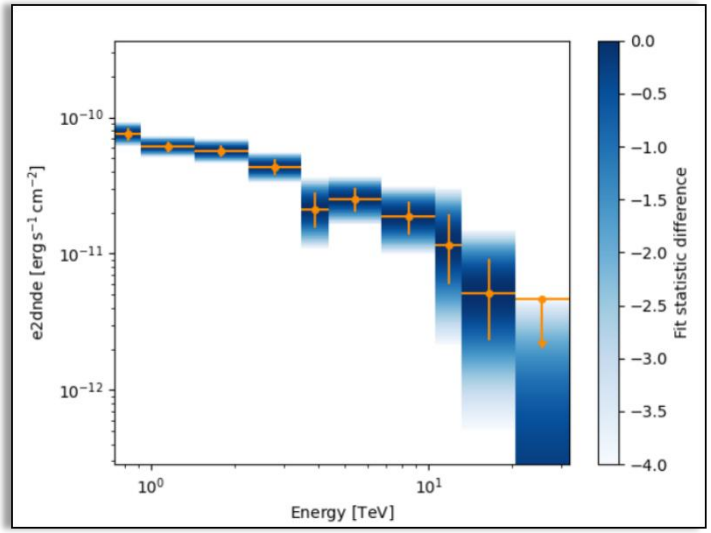


Gammapy package

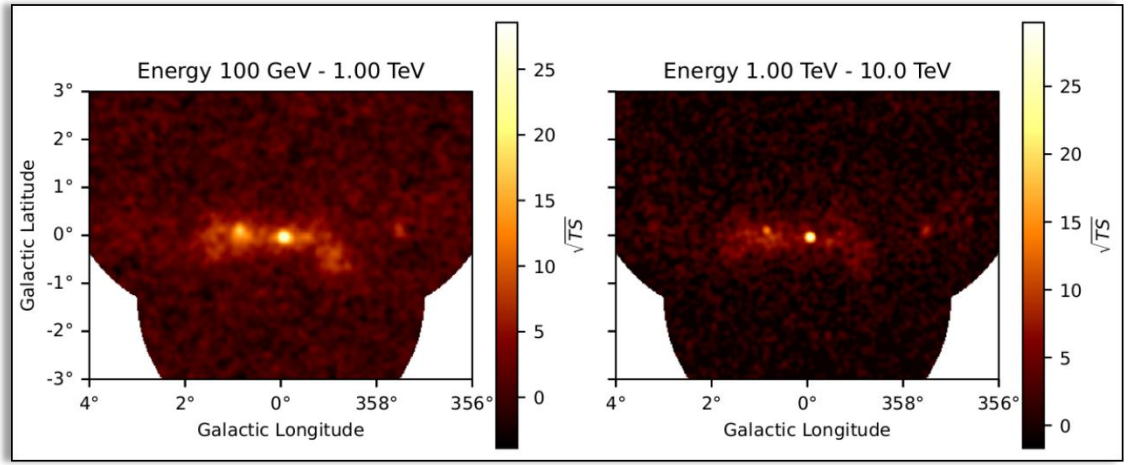
gammapy.estimators

- The *gammapy.estimators* sub-package features methods to compute flux points, light curves, flux maps and flux profiles from data.

- In general the flux can be estimated using two methods:
  - Based on model fitting;
  - Based on excess.



gammapy.estimators.FluxPointsEstimator



gammapy.estimators.TSMapEstimator

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gammapy.estimators

- Definition of the different SED types supported in Gammapy.

Type	Description	Unit equivalency
dnde	Differential flux at a given energy	$\mathrm{TeV}^{-1}\,\mathrm{cm}^{-2}\,\mathrm{s}^{-1}$
e2dnde	Differential flux at a given energy	$\mathrm{TeV}\,\mathrm{cm}^{-2}\,\mathrm{s}^{-1}$
flux	Integrated flux in a given energy range	$\mathrm{cm}^{-2}\,\mathrm{s}^{-1}$
eflux	Integrated energy flux in a given energy range	$\mathrm{erg}\,\mathrm{cm}^{-2}\,\mathrm{s}^{-1}$

Gammapy package

gammapy.catalog

- The *gammapy.catalog* sub-package provides a convenient access to the most important γ-ray catalogs.

- Supported catalogs in *gammapy.catalog*:

Class name	Shortcut	Description	Reference
`SourceCatalog3FGL`	`"3fgl"`	3rd catalog of *Fermi*-LAT sources	Acero et al. (2015)
`SourceCatalog4FGL`	`"4fgl"`	4th catalog of *Fermi*-LAT sources	Abdollahi et al. (2020)
`SourceCatalog2FHL`	`"2fhl"`	2nd catalog high-energy *Fermi*-LAT sources	Ackermann et al. (2016)
`SourceCatalog3FHL`	`"3fhl"`	3rd catalog high-energy *Fermi*-LAT sources	Ajello et al. (2017)
`SourceCatalog2HWC`	`"2hwc"`	2nd catalog of HAWC sources	Abeysekara et al. (2017)
`SourceCatalog3HWC`	`"3hwc"`	3rd catalog of HAWC sources	Albert et al. (2020)
`SourceCatalogHGPS`	`"hgps"`	H.E.S.S. Galactic Plane Survey catalog	H.E.S.S. Collaboration (2018b)
`SourceCatalogGammaCat`	`"gammacat"`	Open source data collection	Deil et al. (2022)

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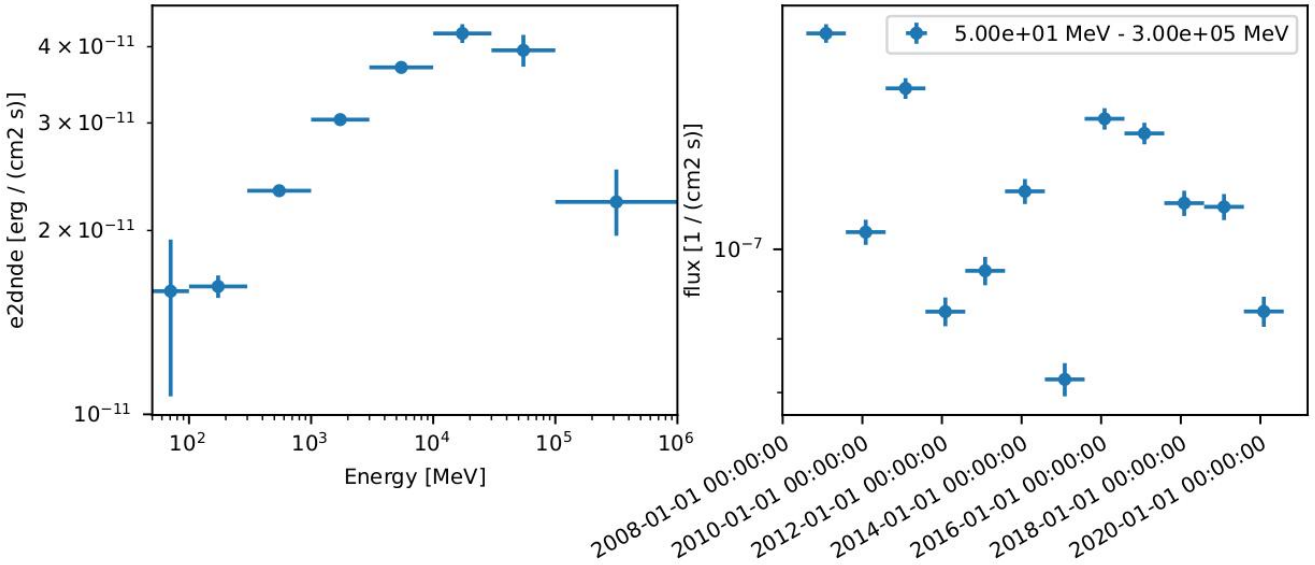
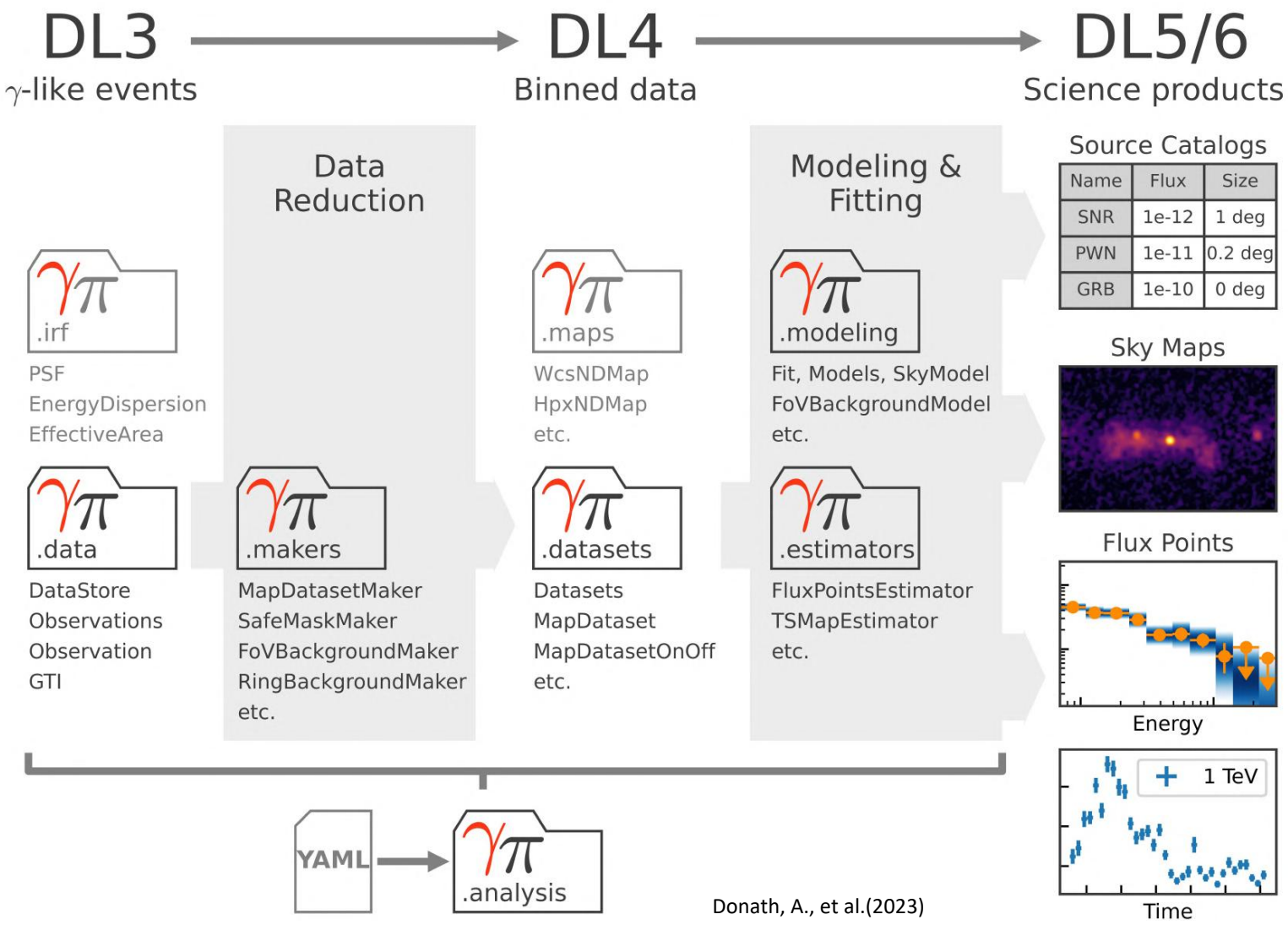
gammapy.catalog

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from gammapy.catalog import CATALOG_REGISTRY

catalog = CATALOG_REGISTRY.get_cls("4fgl")()
print("Number of sources :", len(catalog.table))

source = catalog["PKS 2155-304"]

_, axes = plt.subplots(ncols=2)
source.flux_points.plot(ax=axes[0], sed_type="e2dnde")

source.lightcurve().plot(ax=axes[1])
```



Gammapy analysis workflow

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/user-guide/package.html



Donath, A., et al.(2023)

Gammapy analysis workflow

Config-file driven analysis

The YAML configuration file

```yaml
general:
    log: {level: info, filename: null, filemode: null, format: null, datefmt: null}
    outdir: .
observations:
    datastore: $GAMMAPY_DATA/hess-dl3-dr1
    obs_ids: []
    obs_file: null
    obs_cone: {frame: icrs, lon: 83.633 deg, lat: 22.014 deg, radius: 5.0 deg}
    obs_time: {start: null, stop: null}
    required_irf: [aeff, edisp, bkg]
datasets:
    type: 1d
    stack: true
    geom:
        axes:
            energy: {min: 0.2 TeV, max: 30.0 TeV, nbins: 15}
            energy_true: {min: 0.1 TeV, max: 60.0 TeV, nbins: 30}
    map_selection: [counts, exposure, edisp]
    background:
        method: reflected
        exclusion: null
    safe_mask:
        methods: [aeff-default, aeff-max]
        parameters: {aeff_percent: 10}
    on_region: {frame: icrs, lon: 83.63 deg, lat: 22.01 deg, radius: 0.11 deg}
    containment_correction: true
fit:
    fit_range: {min: 0.6 TeV, max: 20.0 TeV}
flux_points:
    energy: {min: 0.4 TeV, max: 20.0 TeV, nbins: 10}
    source: Crab
    parameters: {selection_optional: all}
```

```python
config = AnalysisConfig.read(f"{estimate}/config.yaml")
analysis = Analysis(config)
analysis.get_observations()
analysis.get_datasets()

models = Models.read(f"{estimate}/models.yaml")
analysis.set_models(models)
analysis.run_fit()
```

Select observations

Define target Dataset geometry

Define data reduction methods

Define Fit configuration

Define high level estimators config.

See High Level Interface tutorial

Slide from B. Khélifi (Presentation made during a course in Brazil)

Outlook and Links

- **Gammapy Current version: 1.2** -- > Date: Feb 29, 2024

- **Useful Links:**
  - Gammapy Web page
  - Gammapy GitHub Discussions
  - Acknowledging or Citing gammapy
  - Contact points and communication channels for Gammapy
  - Gammapy paper in A&A

- **ESCAPE Data Science Summer School 2021:**
  - School main page
  - GitHub repository for all course material
  - YouTube recording of the presentations

Now, let's move on to gammapy in practice!

Backup Slides

Gammapy package

gammapy.irf

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/api-reference/irf.html#module-gammapy.irf

Functions

`load_cta_irfs`(filename)	**Deprecated since version v1.1.**
`load_irf_dict_from_file`(filename)	Load all available IRF components from given file into a dict.

Classes

`Background2D`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	Background 2D.
`Background3D`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	Background 3D.
`EDispKernel`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	Energy dispersion matrix.
`EDispKernelMap`(edisp_kernel_map[, exposure_map])	Energy dispersion kernel map.
`EDispMap`(edisp_map[, exposure_map])	Energy dispersion map.
`EffectiveAreaTable2D`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	2D effective area table.
`EnergyDependentMultiGaussPSF`(axes[, data, ...])	Triple Gauss analytical PSF depending on true energy and offset.
`EnergyDispersion2D`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	Offset-dependent energy dispersion matrix.
`FoVAlignment`(value)	Orientation of the Field of View Coordinate System
`IRFMap`(irf_map, exposure_map)	IRF map base class for DL4 instrument response functions
`ParametricPSF`(axes[, data, unit, ...])	Parametric PSF base class
`PSF3D`(axes[, data, unit, is_pointlike, ...])	PSF with axes: energy, offset, rad.
`PSFKernel`(psf_kernel_map[, normalize])	PSF kernel for `Map`.
`PSFKing`(axes[, data, unit, is_pointlike, ...])	King profile analytical PSF depending on energy and offset.
`PSFMap`(psf_map[, exposure_map])	Class containing the Map of PSFs and allowing to interact with it.
`RecoPSFMap`(psf_map[, exposure_map])	Class containing the Map of PSFs in reconstructed energy and allowing to interact with it.
`RadMax2D`(axes[, data, unit, is_pointlike, ...])	2D Rad Max table.

Gammapy package

gammapy.maps

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/api-reference/maps.html#module-gammapy.maps

Classes

`Geom`()	Map geometry base class.
`HpxGeom`(nside[, nest, frame, region, axes])	Geometry class for HEALPIX maps.
`HpxMap`(geom, data[, meta, unit])	Base class for HEALPIX map classes.
`HpxNDMap`(geom[, data, dtype, meta, unit])	HEALPix map with any number of non-spatial dimensions.
`LabelMapAxis`(labels[, name])	Map axis using labels
`Map`(geom, data[, meta, unit])	Abstract map class.
`MapAxes`(axes[, n_spatial_axes])	MapAxis container class.
`MapAxis`(nodes[, interp, name, node_type, unit])	Class representing an axis of a map.
`MapCoord`(data[, frame, match_by_name])	Represents a sequence of n-dimensional map coordinates.
`Maps`(**kwargs)	A Dictionary containing Map objects sharing the same geometry.
`RegionGeom`(region[, axes, wcs, binsz_wcs])	Map geometry representing a region on the sky.
`RegionNDMap`(geom[, data, dtype, meta, unit])	N-dimensional region map.
`TimeMapAxis`(edges_min, edges_max, reference_time)	Class representing a time axis.
`WcsGeom`(wcs, npix[, cdelt, crpix, axes])	Geometry class for WCS maps.
`WcsMap`(geom, data[, meta, unit])	Base class for WCS map classes.
`WcsNDMap`(geom[, data, dtype, meta, unit])	WCS map with any number of non-spatial dimensions.

Gammapy package

gammapy.datasets

Functions

`create_map_dataset_geoms`(geom[, ...])	Create map geometries for a `MapDataset`.

Classes

`Dataset`()	Dataset abstract base class.
`Datasets`([datasets])	Container class that holds a list of datasets.
`FluxPointsDataset`([models, data, mask_fit, ...])	Bundle a set of flux points with a parametric model, to compute fit statistic function using chi2 statistics.
`MapDataset`([models, counts, exposure, ...])	Main map dataset for likelihood fitting.
`MapDatasetEventSampler`([random_state, ...])	Sample events from a map dataset.
`MapDatasetOnOff`([models, counts, ...])	Map dataset for on-off likelihood fitting.
`OGIPDatasetWriter`(filename[, format, overwrite])	Write OGIP files.
`OGIPDatasetReader`(filename)	Read `SpectrumDatasetOnOff` from OGIP files.
`SpectrumDataset`([models, counts, exposure, ...])	Main dataset for spectrum fitting (1D analysis).
`SpectrumDatasetOnOff`([models, counts, ...])	Spectrum dataset for 1D on-off likelihood fitting.

https://docs.gammapy.org/1.1/api-reference/datasets.html#module-gammapy.datasets