

# HiPS



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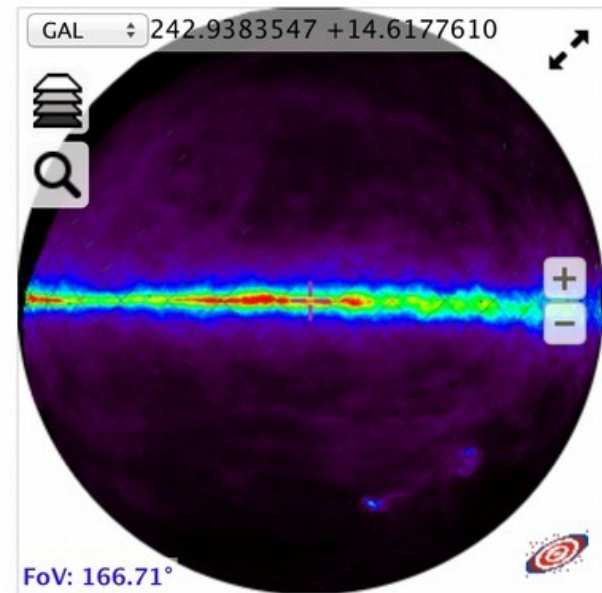
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# □ What's the plan ?

- 1) What is a HiPS ?
- 2) How to create it ?
- 3) How to publish it ?



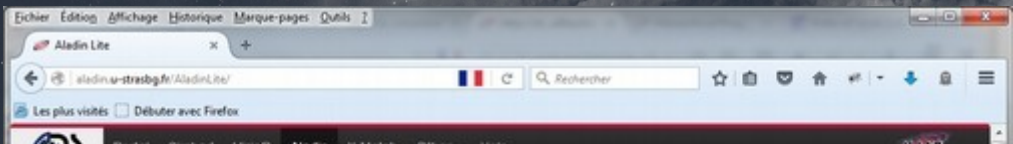
# □ HiPS – What is it ?


## Hierarchical Progressive Survey

“The more you zoom in on a particular area, the more details show up”

- Multi-resolution HEALPix data structure for Images, Catalogues, 3-dimensional data cubes, ...
- Conserves scientific data properties alongside visualisation considerations
- No databases or servers, just HTTP





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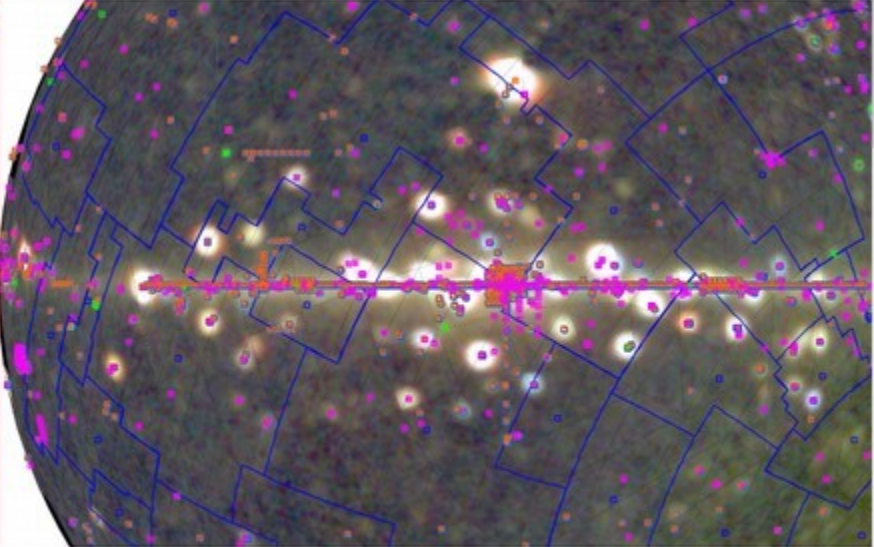
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Check with external services:  
[SDSS DR7 Navigate Tool](#)  
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[SIMBAD](#)



## □ State of art (June 2016)

- **300+ HiPS** for **85TB** data (CDS 92%, CADC 5%, ESAC 2%)
- **300 000+ HiPS tiles requested / day** (+40% in 1 year)
- **More a more HiPS clients :**
  - Aladin Desktop (CDS), Aladin Lite (CDS), MIZAR (CNES)
  - + in dev: **STScI portal** (NASA), **openVWT** (Microsoft), **proto** (China), ...
  - + Aladin Lite implementation: ESAsky (ESAC), JUDO2 (JAXA), **SkyWatch**, ...
  - + Aladin Lite web page inclusion: Simbad, VizieR, GLIMPSE360, CADE, ADS allsky, CASSIS, Akari-Viewer, **VistaOrion**, **AstroDEEP**, **CDS portal v2...**
  - + Aladin Desktop usage “diversion”: **Arches walker**

# □ State of art (June 2016)

- **12+ HiPS servers**
  - CDS, SSC-XMM, IAS, IRAP/CADE, IPAC, ADS, ESAC, JAXA, AMIGA, Spanish-VO, Vista-Orion, TGSSADR...
- **2 HiPS generators**
  - Images & cubes: Aladin/Hipsgen (perf: 10h/1Tpix),
  - Catalogs: Hipsgen-cat
- **1 paper** → 2015A&A...578A.114F
- **More docs** → <http://aladin.unistra.fr/hips>  
(“*Make your HiPS in 10 steps*”, *Aladin Lite examples*, ...)

# □ HiPS in action

- **HST & HLA : 48 HiPS**

built by D.Durand/CADC – released in Feb 2016

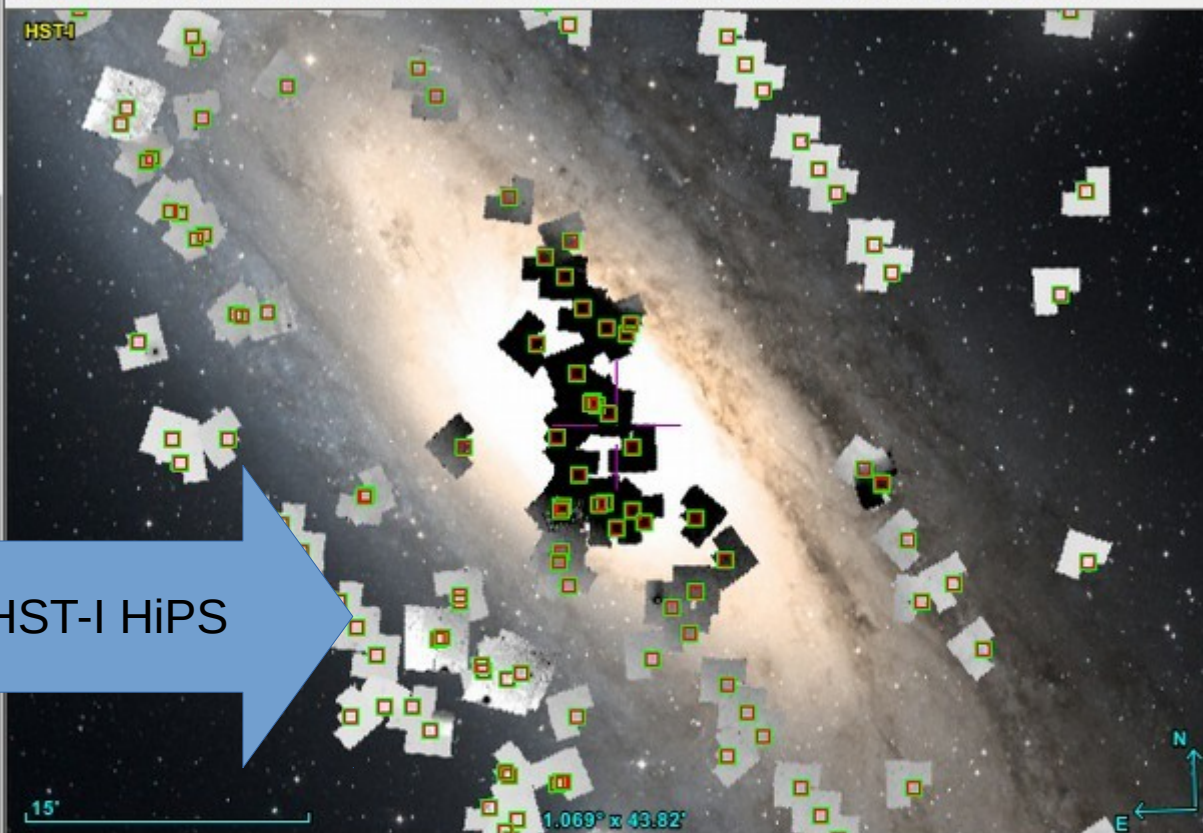
- grouped by "usual filters": B, CO, H, H2O, Halpha, HBeta, I, J, NII, OII, OIII, Palpha, Palpha\_c, R, SDSSg, SDSSr, SDSSz, SIII, U, UV, V, Y, wideUV, wideV (rather than wavelength ranges).
- Provided both in **preview** tiles & in **full dynamic** tiles
- Incorporate "progenitor links" facility: for accessing associated original images directly
- Use "**-live**" HiPS extension: allow incremental updates

Location 

Frame ICRS

★ DSS ★ SDSS ★ 2MASS ★ WISE ★ GALEX ★ PLANCK ★ AKARI ★ XMM ★ Fermi ★ Simbad ★ NED ★ 2MASSFX +

ALADIN



HST-I HiPS



**Details HST-I**

HST-I

DSS colored

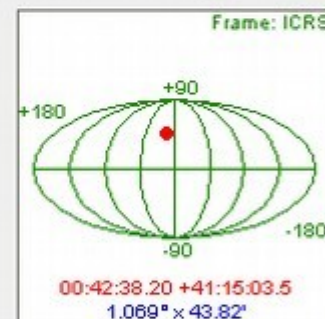
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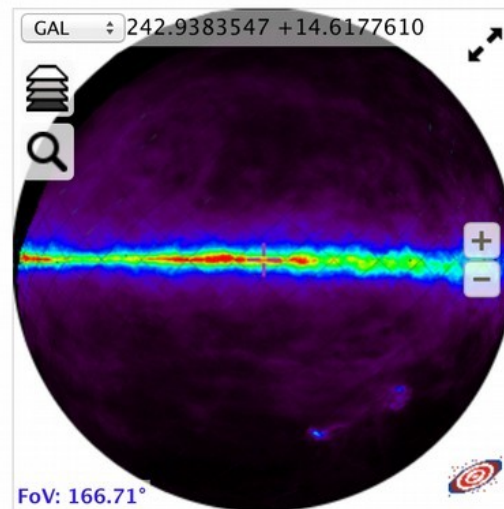


## □ The 4 HiPS principles (in an ideal world)

- **Universality**: Anybody should be able to generate HiPS (authors, projects, missions, archives, data centers...)
- **Quality**: HiPS should be generated by the data providers themselves (they know their data). Otherwise, archives or data centers do the job.
- **Efficiency**: HiPS should be distributed by several sites and mirrored/synchronized as much as possible (big data is here – think petabytes !)
- **Simplicity**: user point of view: just “click & play” !

# □ HiPS hands-on

Do HiPS yourself! (20mn)



Thanks !  
Questions ?

