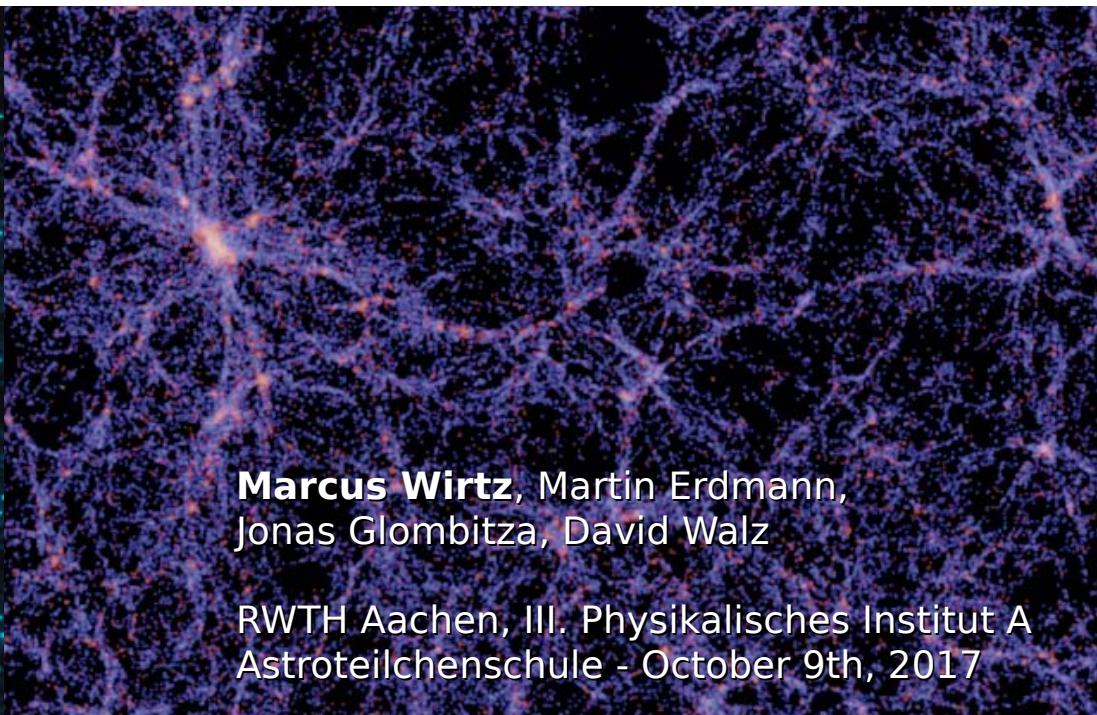


# Deep Learning in Astrophysics



Artist representation of a neural network

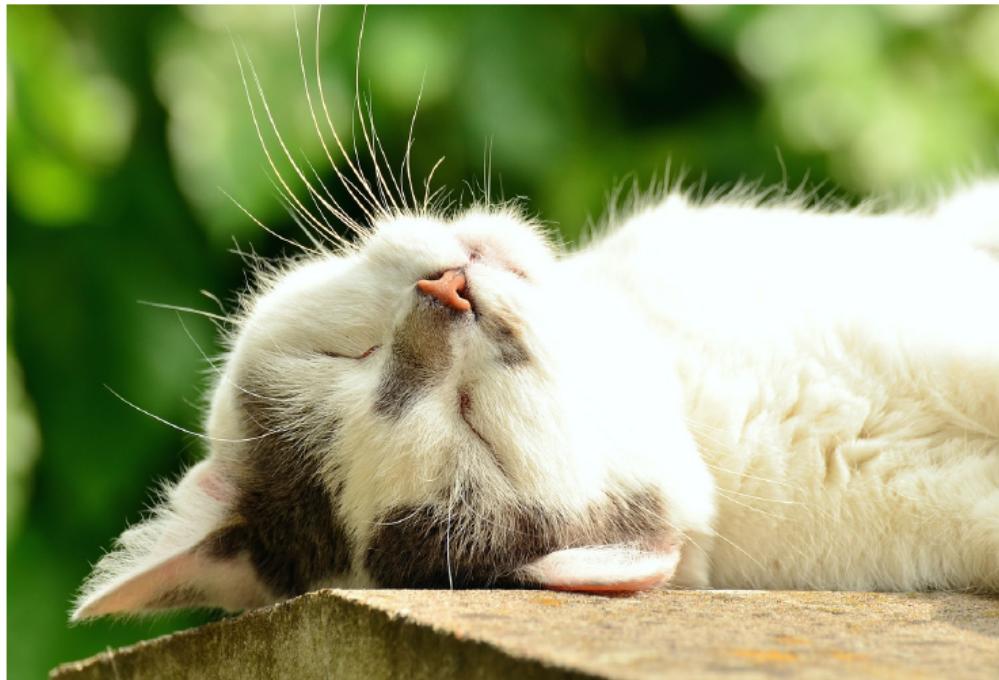


Large Scale structure of our universe

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Jonas Glombitza, David Walz

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Astroteilchenschule - October 9th, 2017

# Cat or dog?

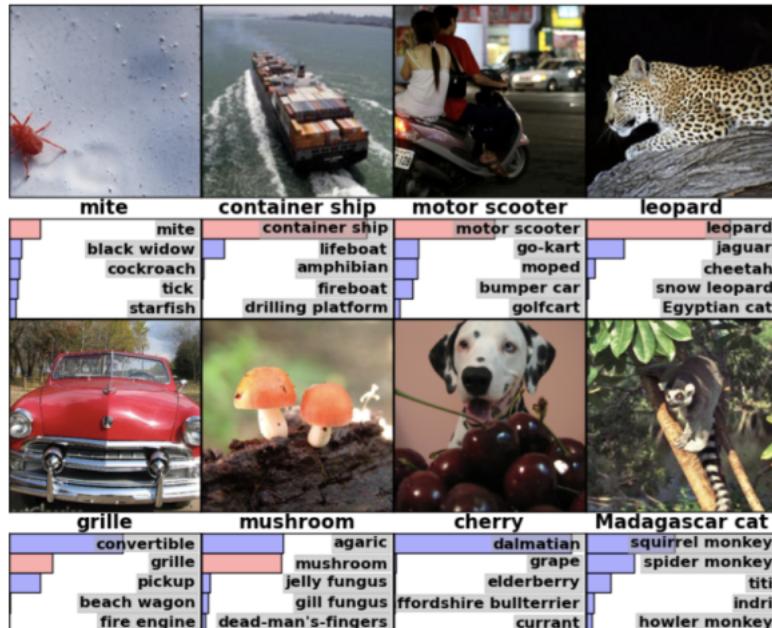


- ✗ Very easy for humans, very hard for machines
- ✗ **Challenges:** High dimensional input ( $10^4$  -  $10^7$ ) & Variations in image

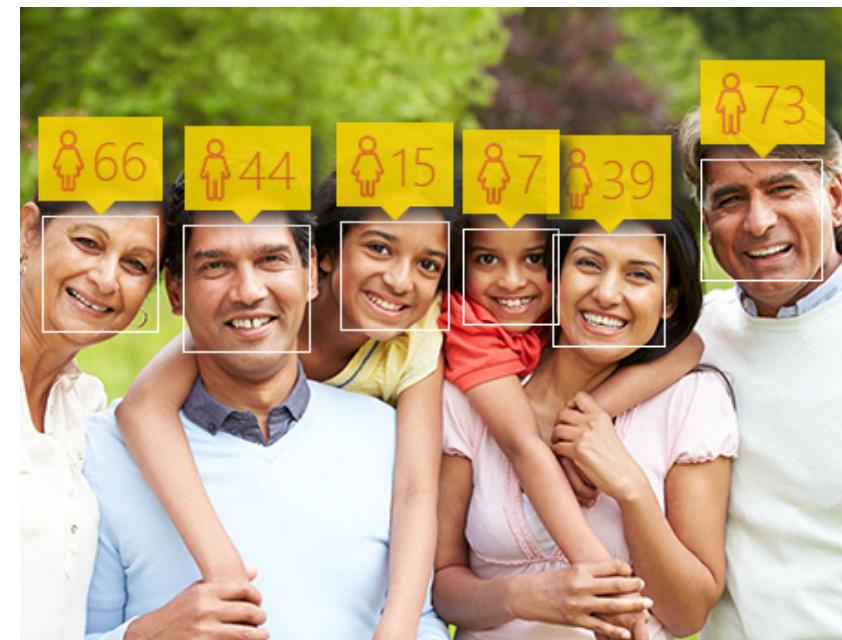
# Image recognition



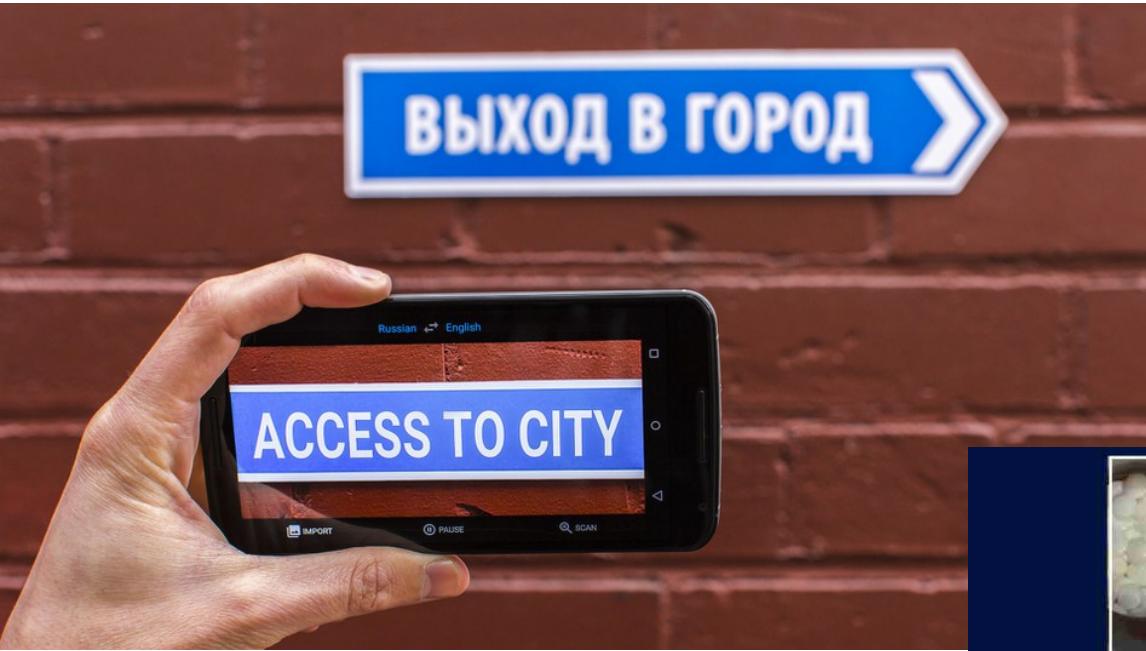
- 20,000 object classes (categories), 14 Mio images
- 3% error rate (human: 5%)



- Face recognition
- e.g. AmazonGo:  
Supermarket without cashiers



# Not only image recognition...



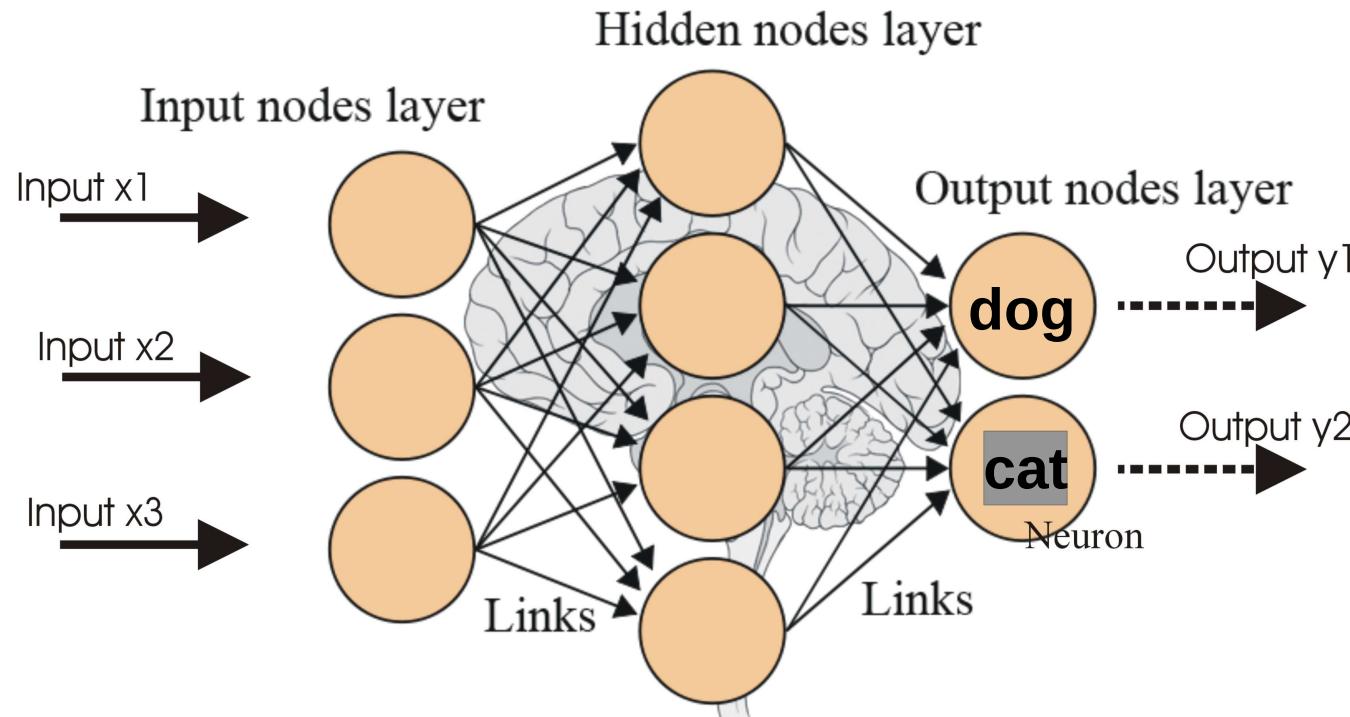
- ✖ **Unsupervised learning**
  - learns by “try and error”
  - autonomous cars
  - AlphaGo: neural network beats world champion in game Go



- ✖ **Recurrent neural networks**
  - Sequence of data (history)
  - e.g. translation, text-, audioprocessing

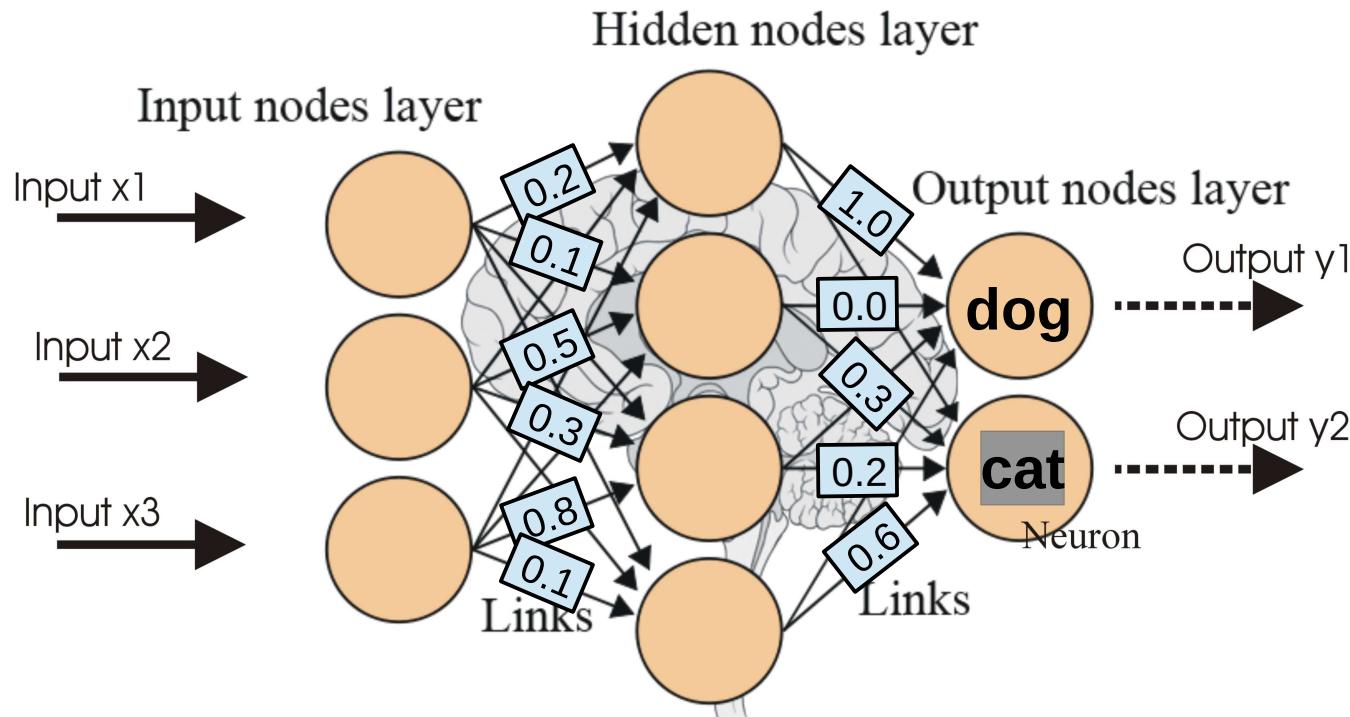
# Neural networks

$$\text{Output} = f(\text{Input})$$



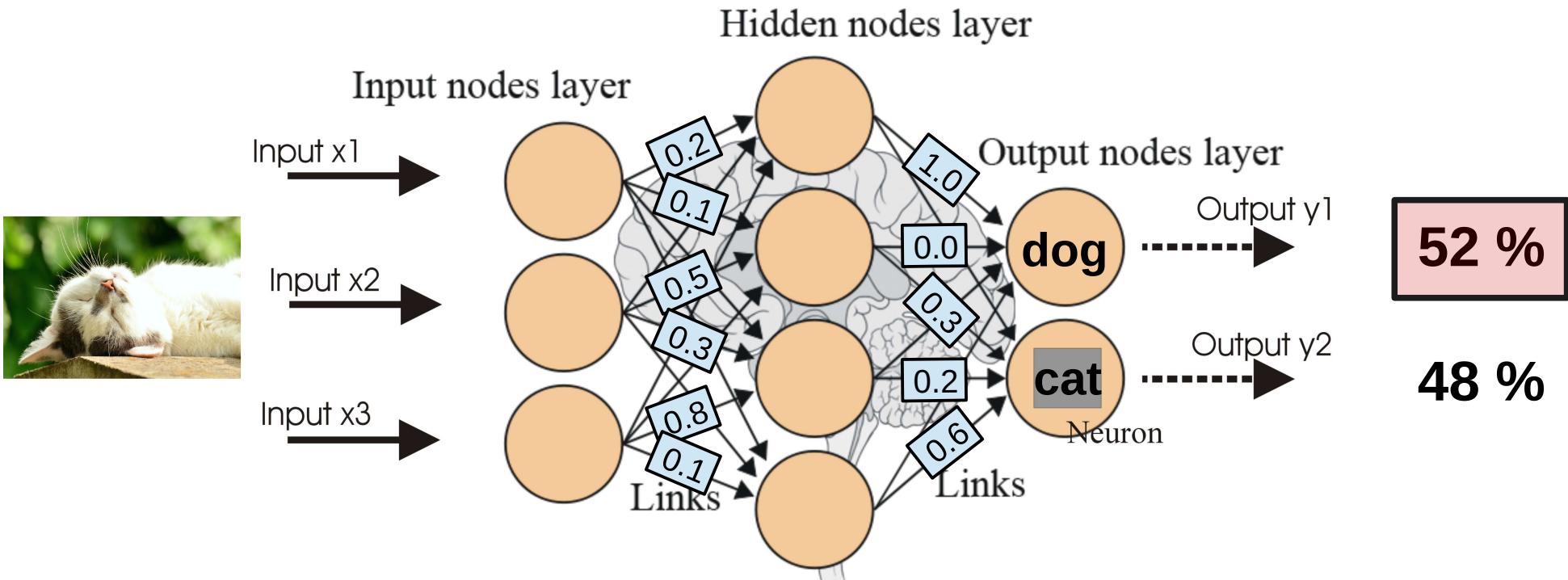
# Neural networks

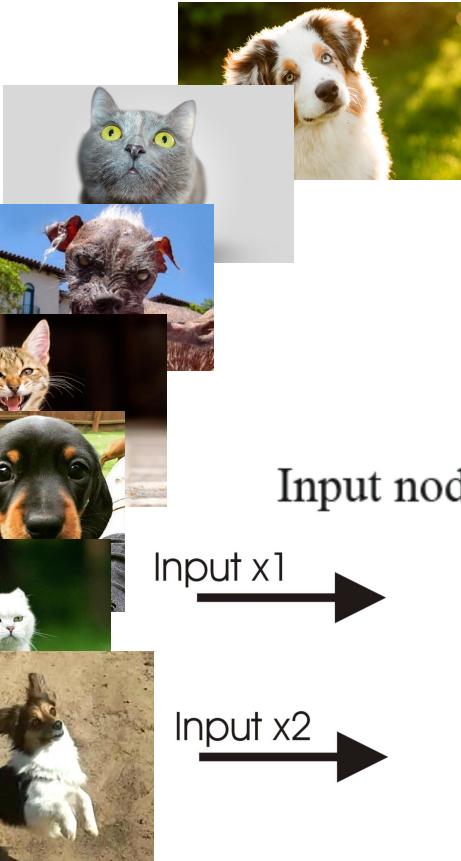
*Random initialization...*



# Neural networks

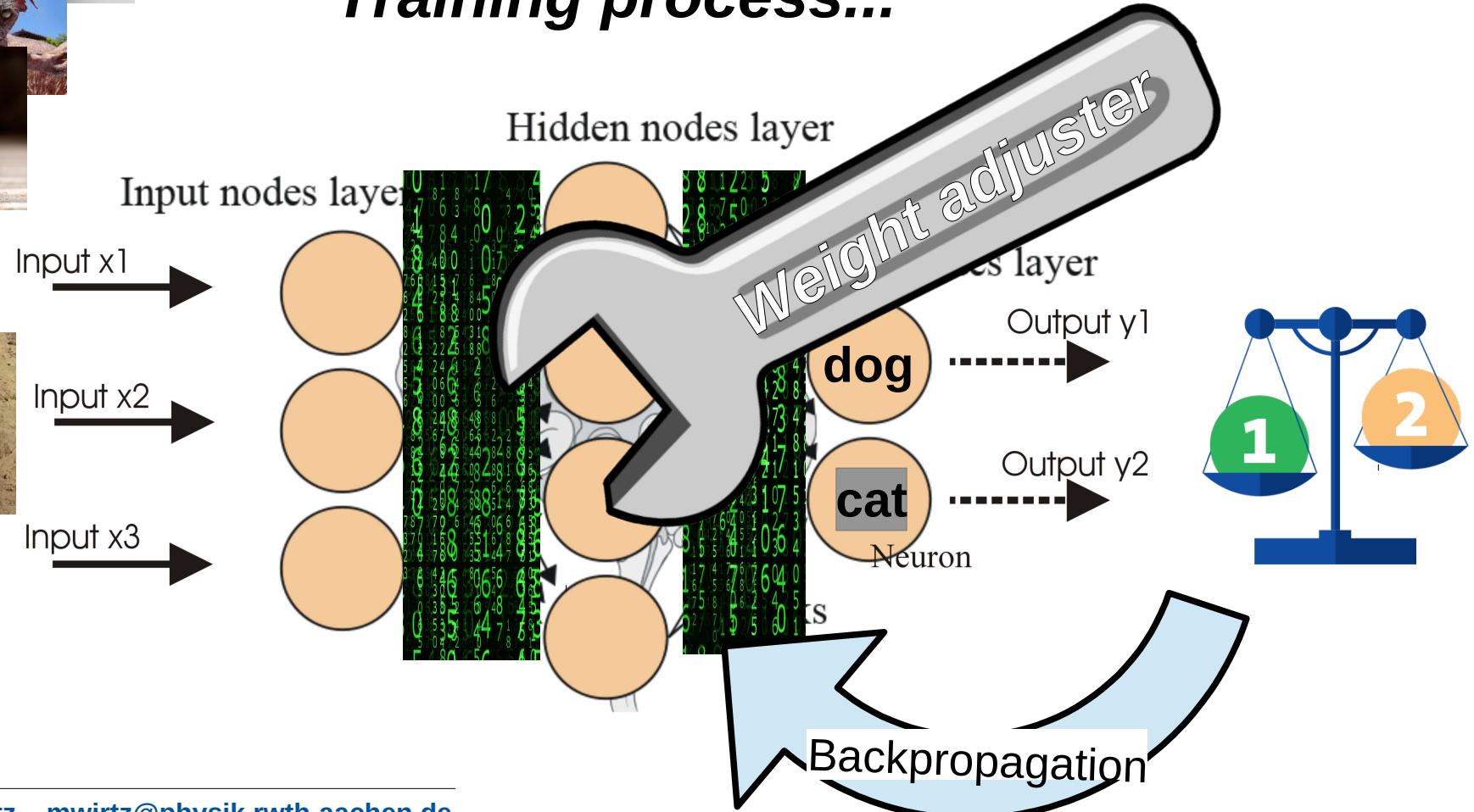
*Let's try a cat...*





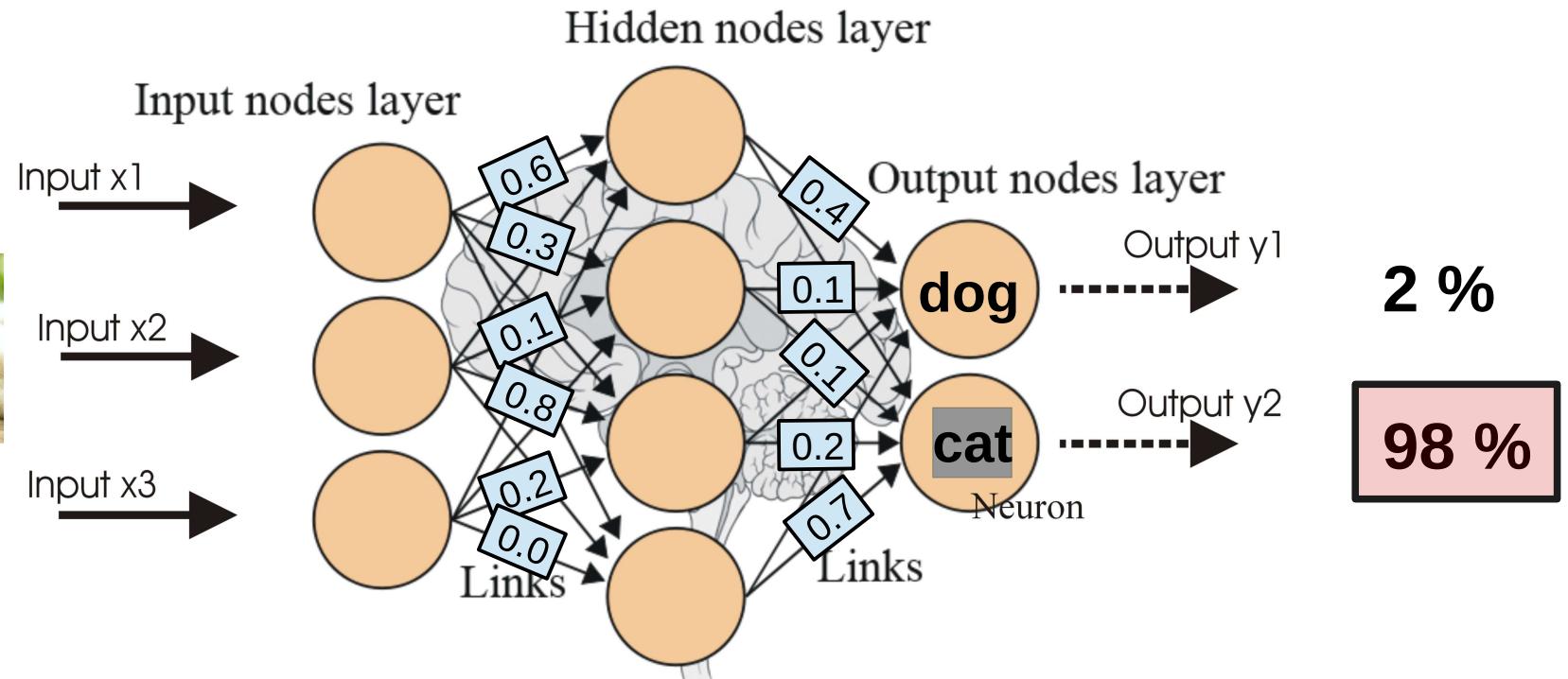
# Neural networks

*Training process...*



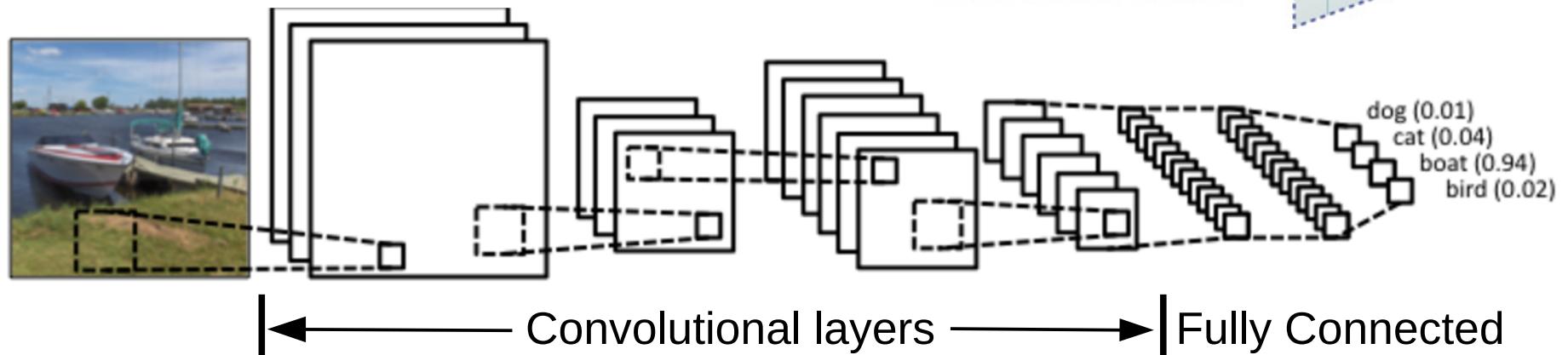
# Neural networks

*Try again...*



# Convolutional neural network

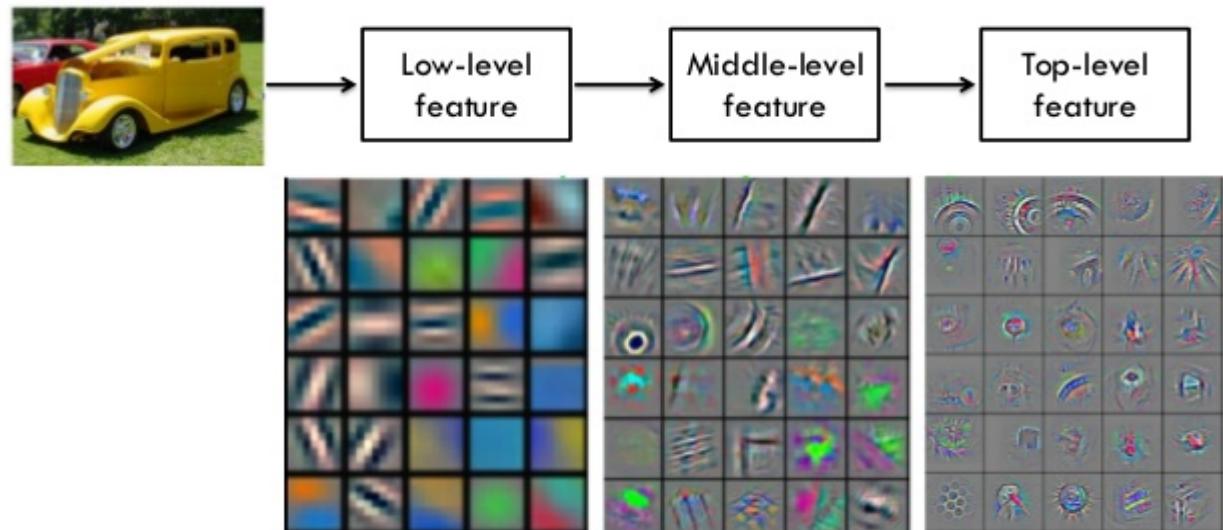
- ✗ Used in **image recognition**
- ✗ Looking for local correlations (substructures in image)
- ✗ Kernel consists of trainable parameters
- ✗ Fully connected network at end: classifies extracted features



# Convolutional neural network

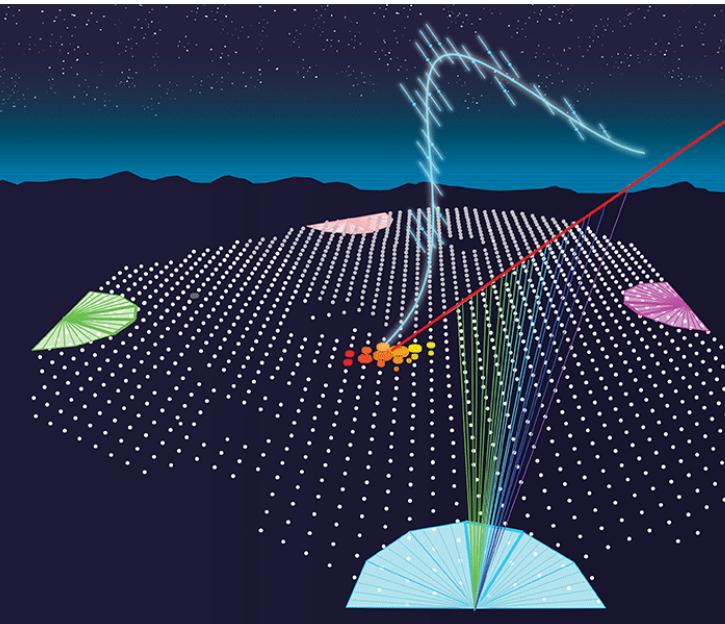
- ✗ Visualize feature maps for image
- ✗ Stacking several convolutions:  
Extract Features of different hierachie
- ✗ Low-level feature:  
Edges, gradients
- ✗ Top-level feature:  
image specific structures visible

Hierarchy of trained representations

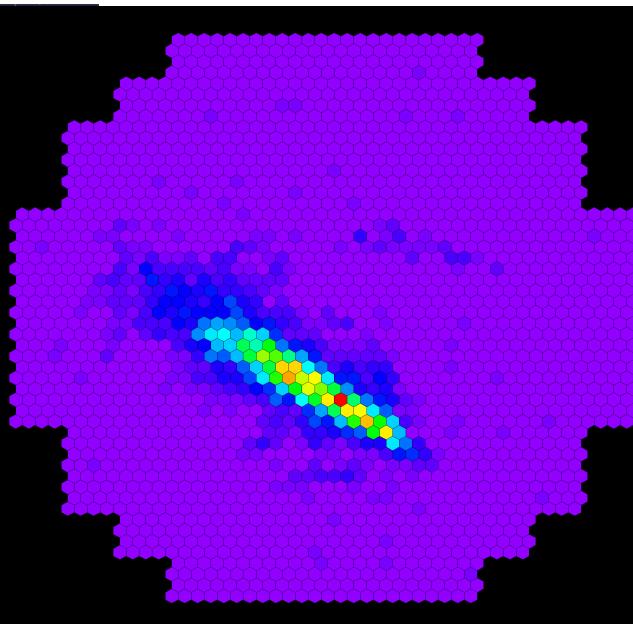


# Deep Learning in Astrophysics

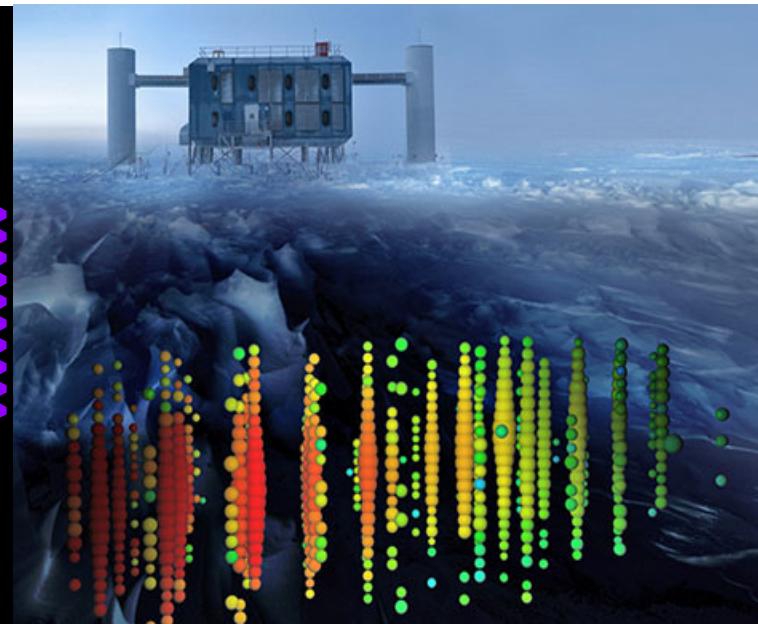
Pierre Auger Observatory



H.E.S.S.

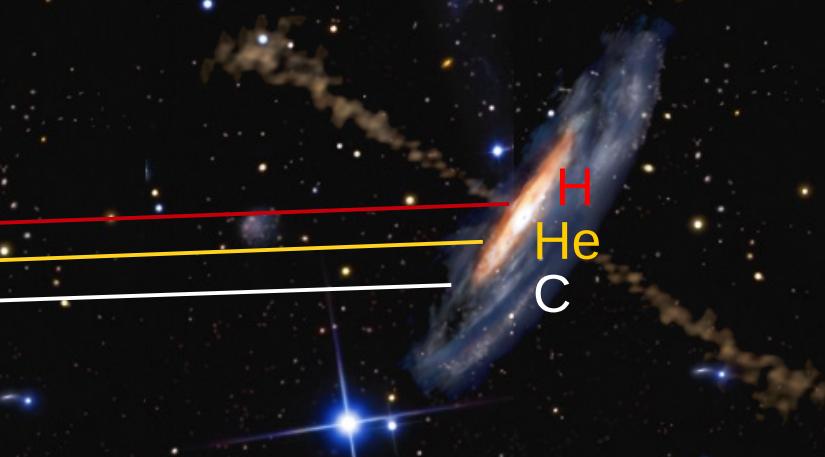
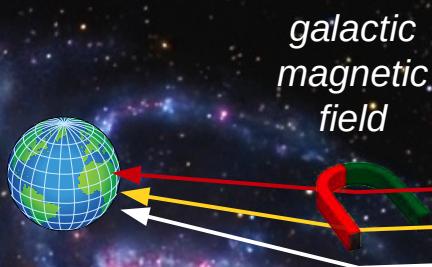


IceCube

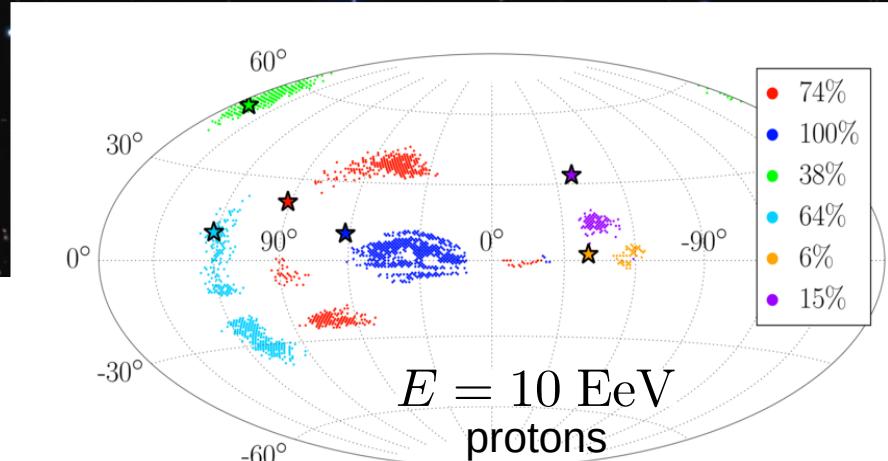


*Mainly used in the task of event reconstruction (direction, energy, type...)*

# Patterns in arrival directions of UHECRS

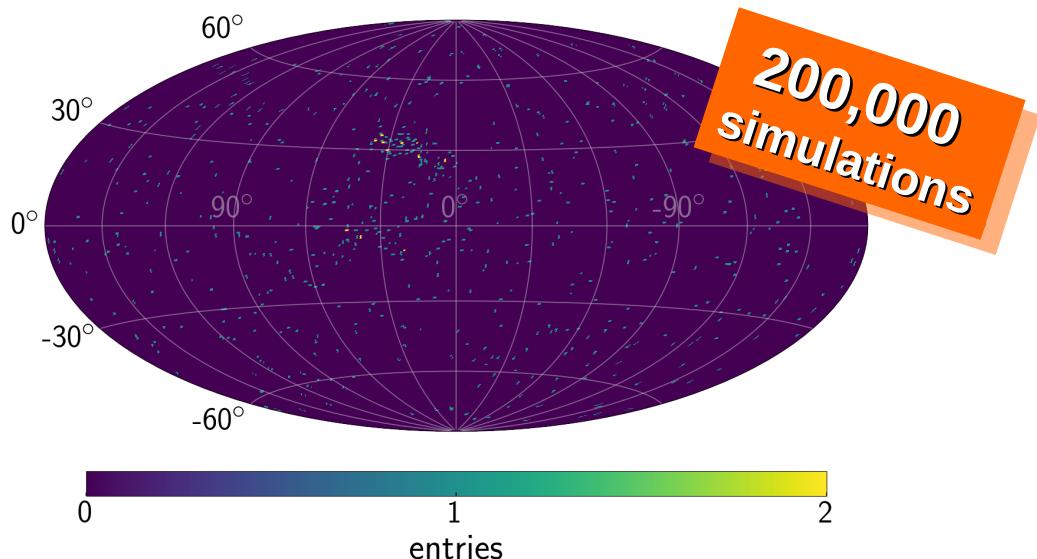
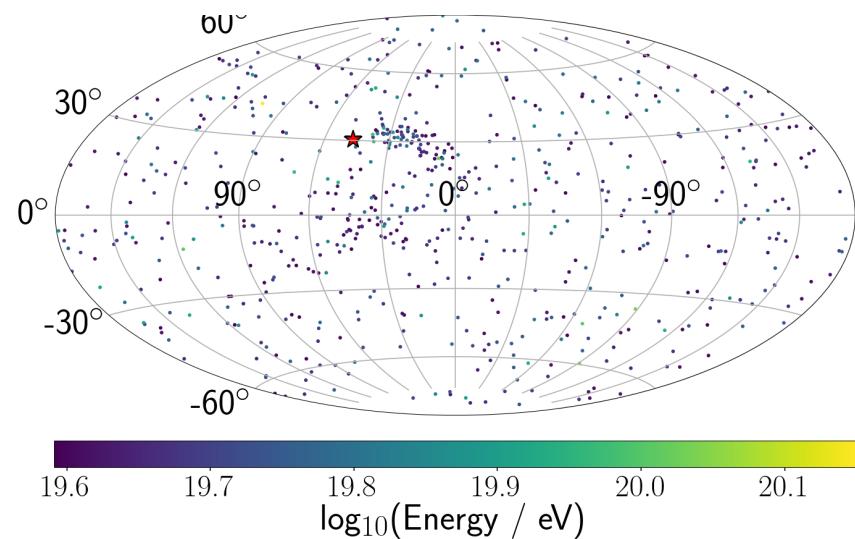


deflection  $\sim E/Z$



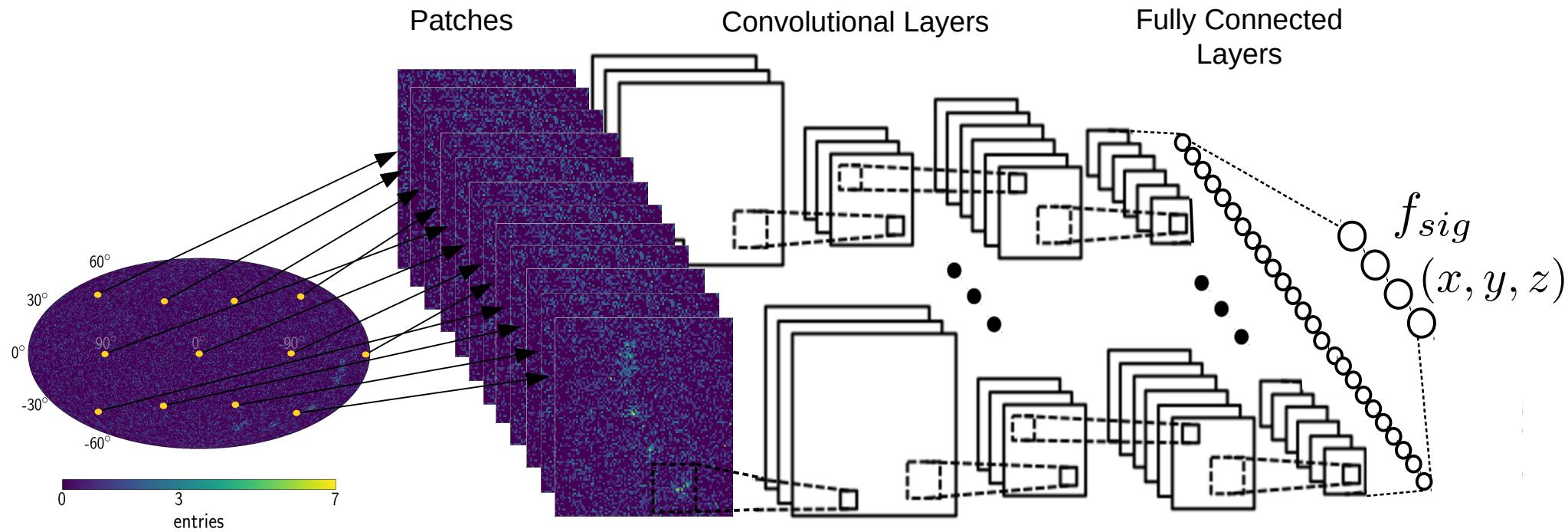
# Simulation

- ✗ Supervised learning with simulated data
- ✗ Ultra-high energy cosmic ray arrival skymap with CRPropa3 framework
- ✗ Choosing energy cut of  $E_{\text{min}}=39 \text{ EeV}$  – > 651 UHECRs (AUGER)
- ✗ Including variations: source position, signal fraction, mass, fields...



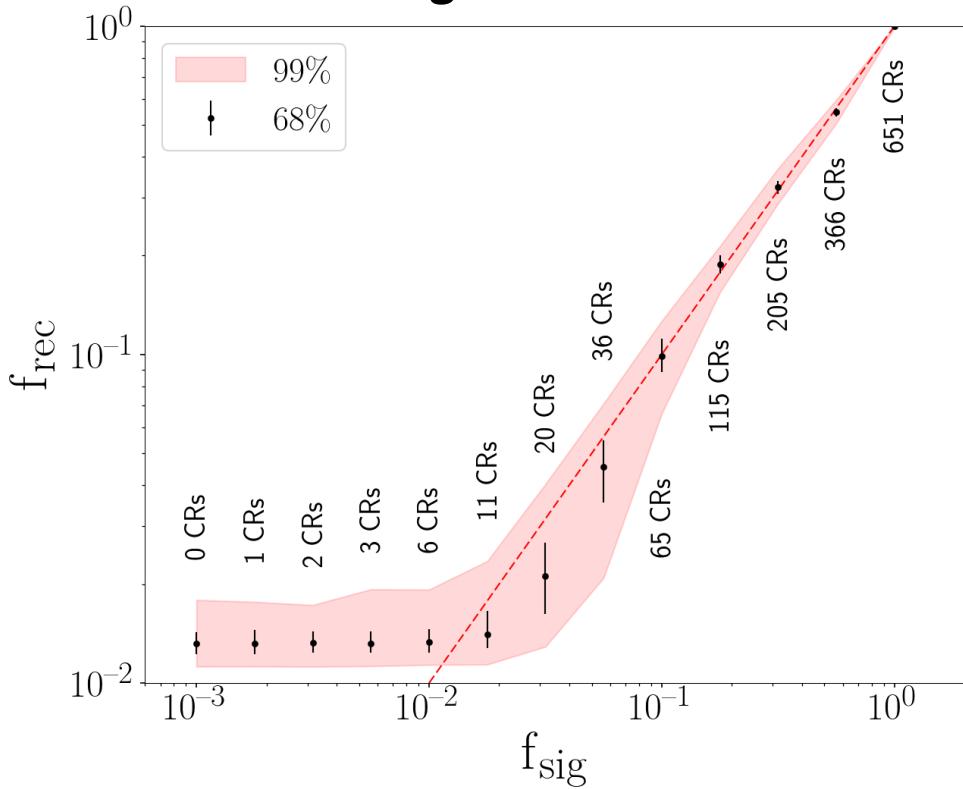
# Design of the neural network

- ✗ Image like input data –> Convolutional network
- ✗ Project spherical surface on 12 planar patches

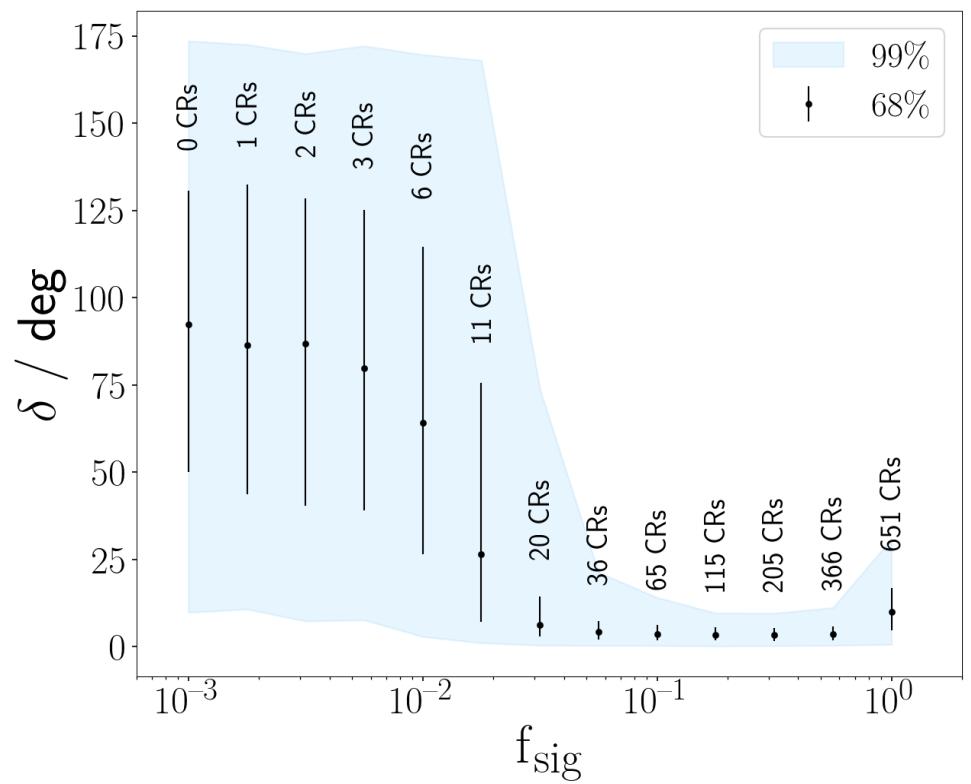


# Reconstruction on test data

*signal fraction*

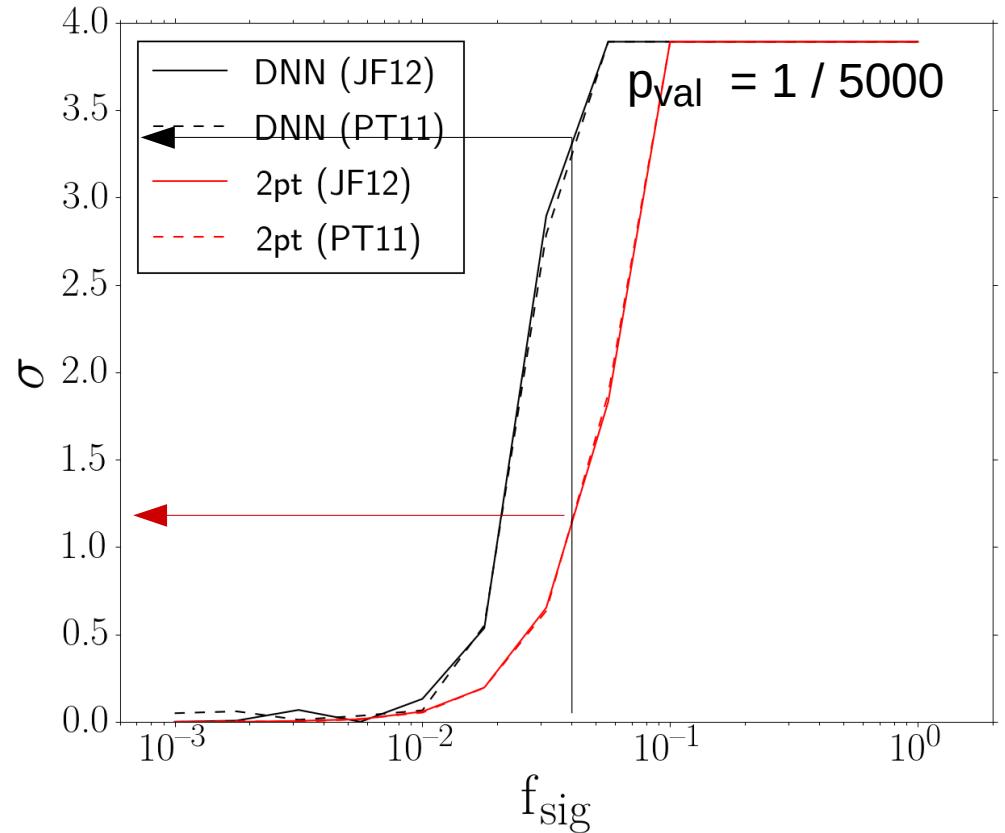
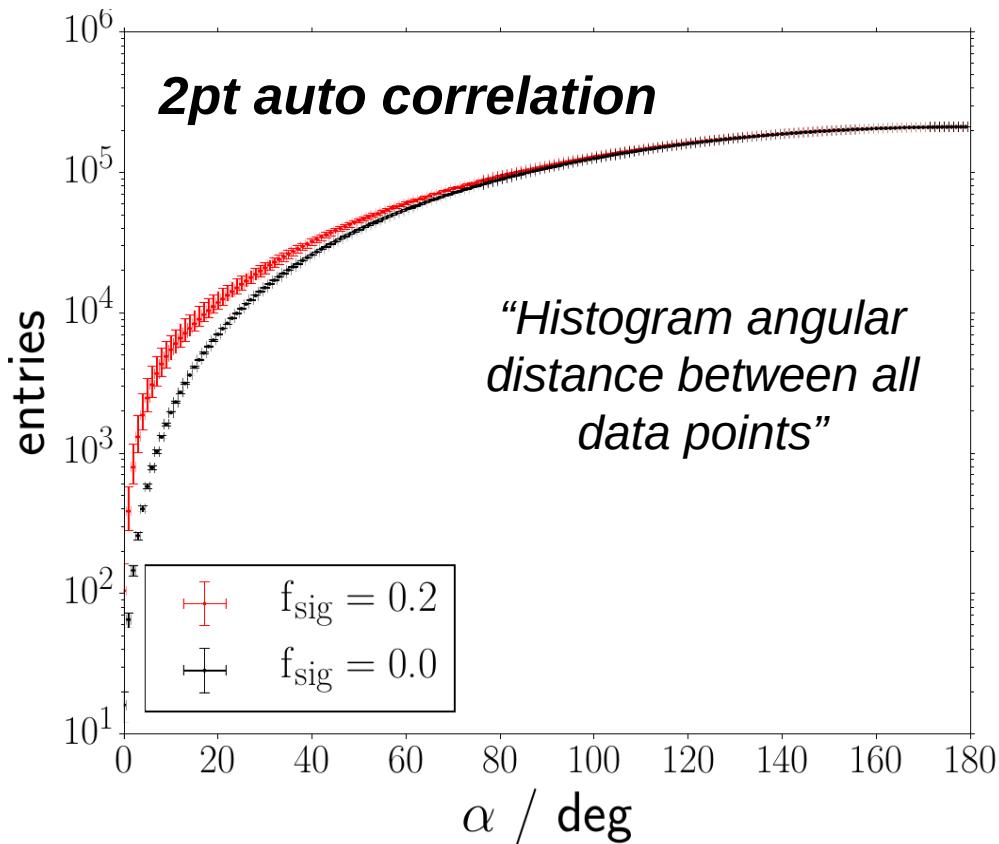


*angle to true source*



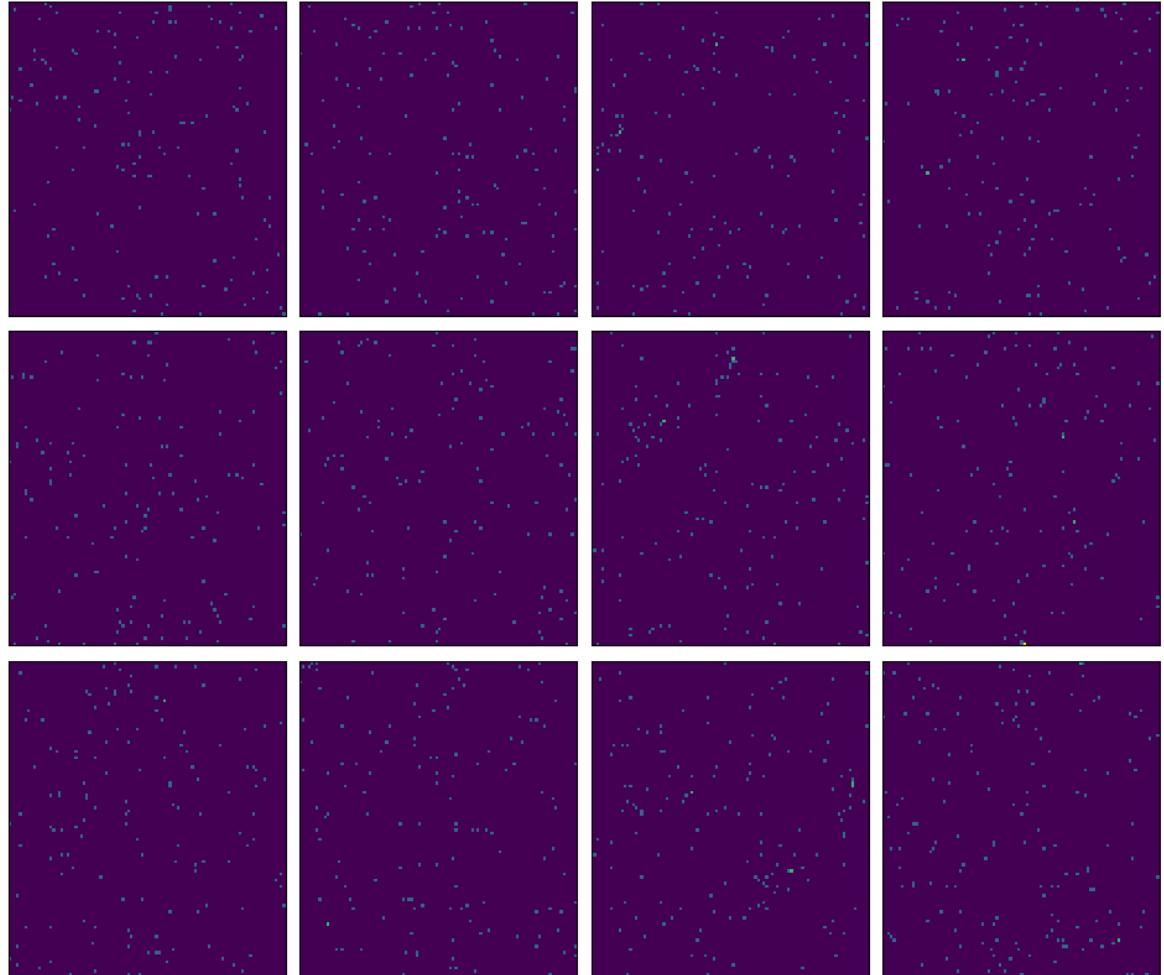
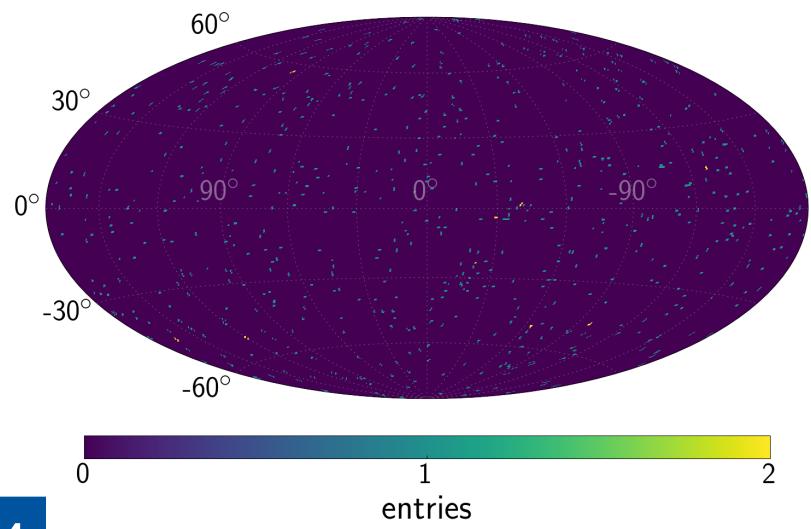
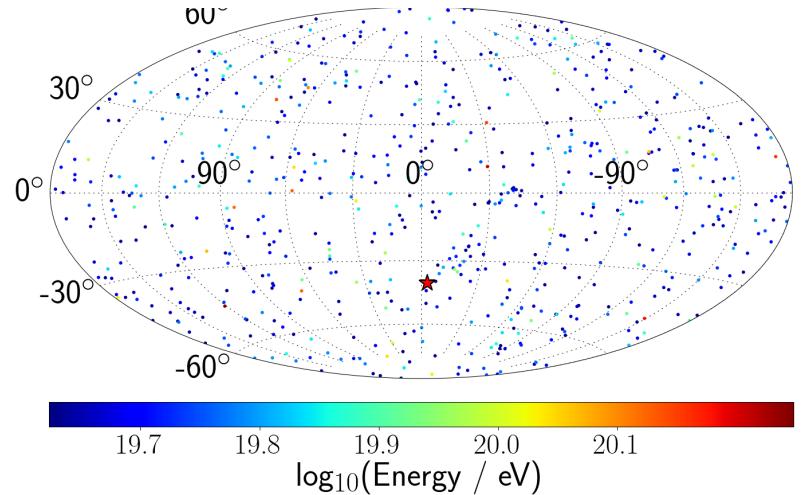
✗ Significance by comparing reconstructed signal fraction to isotropic maps

# Comparison to conventional analysis



- ✗ 2pt auto: Take angular bin with highest significance to exclude isotropy
- ✗ At 4% signal fraction: 2pt-auto ( $1.2 \sigma$ ) / DNN ( $3.4 \sigma$ )

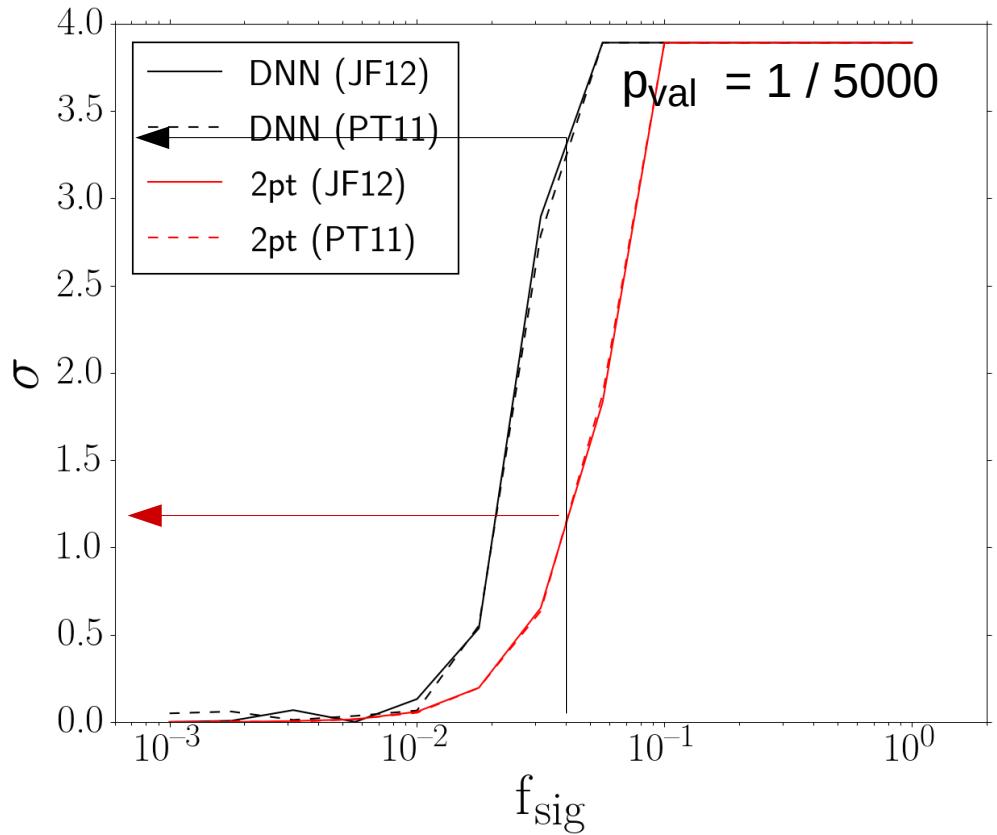
# How does 4% signal from 651 cosmic rays look like?



DNN able to detect at 3.5 sigma CL

# Summary

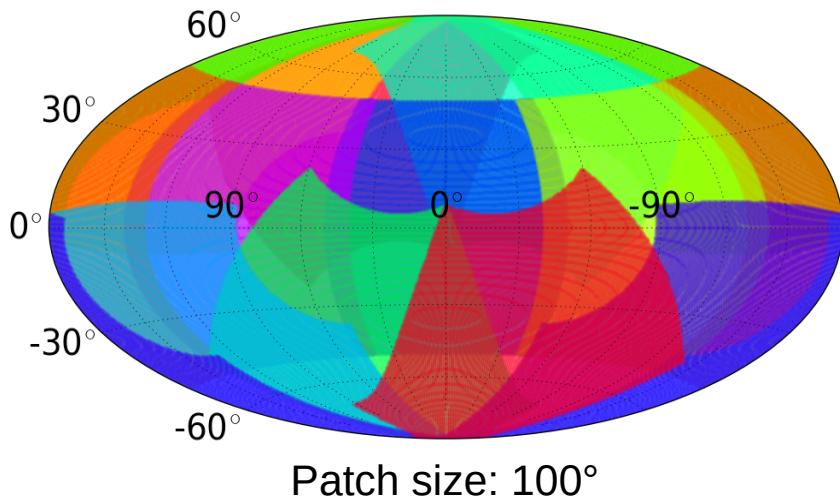
- ✖ Deep Learning is a powerful tool also for data analysis in physics
- ✖ Until now especially used for event reconstruction
- ✖ Simulated point source search for UHECRs : Deep Learning techniques perform better than a common used analysis method



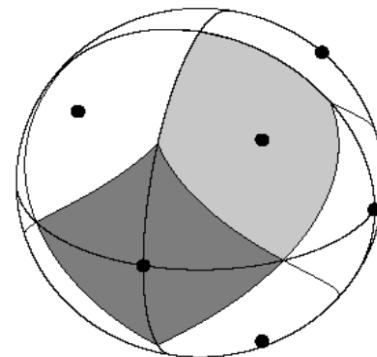
# Backup

# Image recognition on a sphere

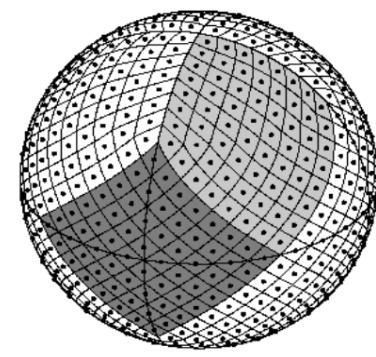
- ✗ Healpy scheme
- ✗ Divide sphere into 12 patches (~planar)  
→ size:  $100^\circ \times 100^\circ$



Patch resolution  
(npix = 12)



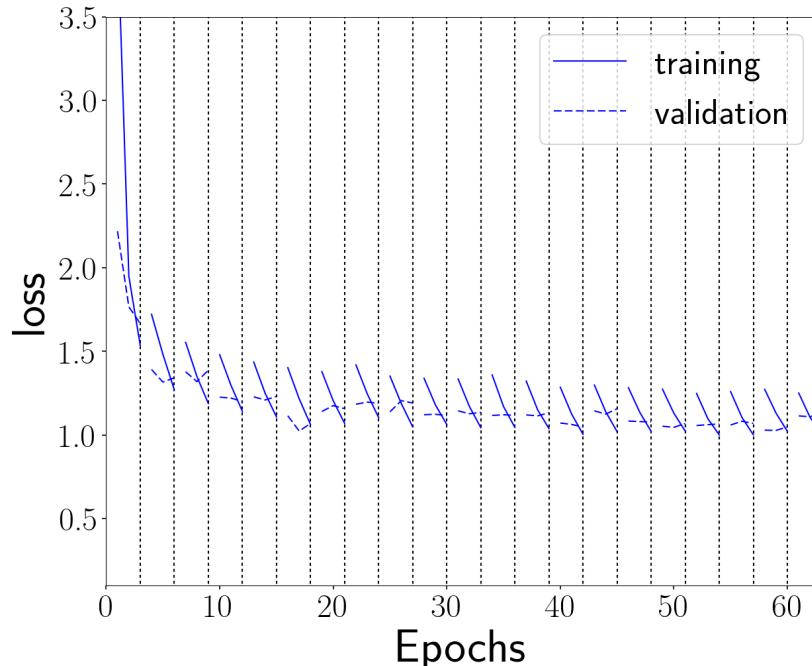
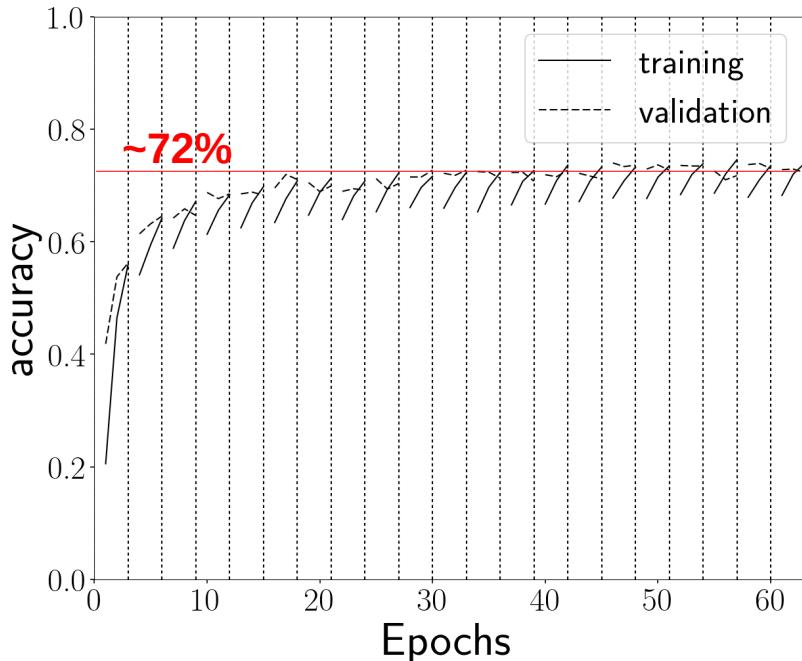
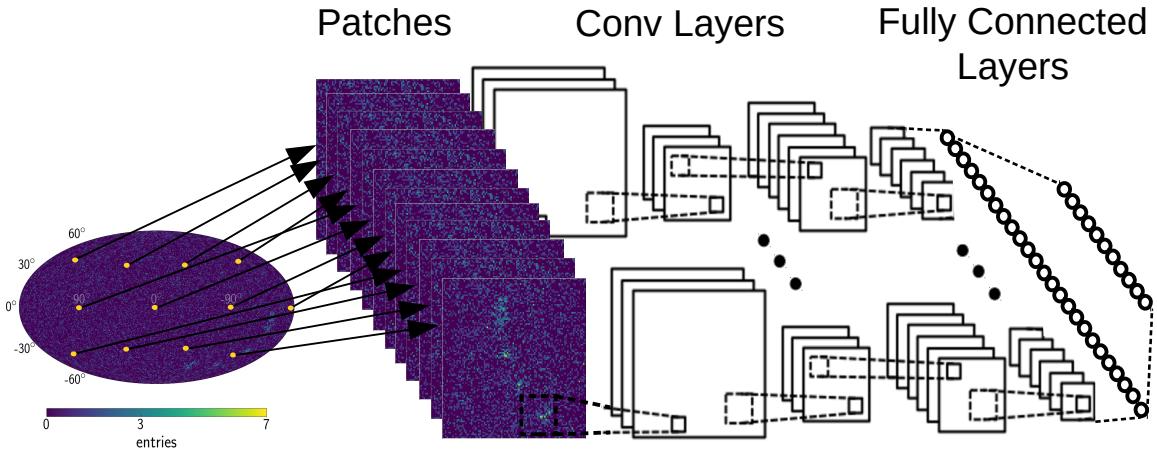
Source regions  
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- ✗ Run one 2D-CNN on each patch

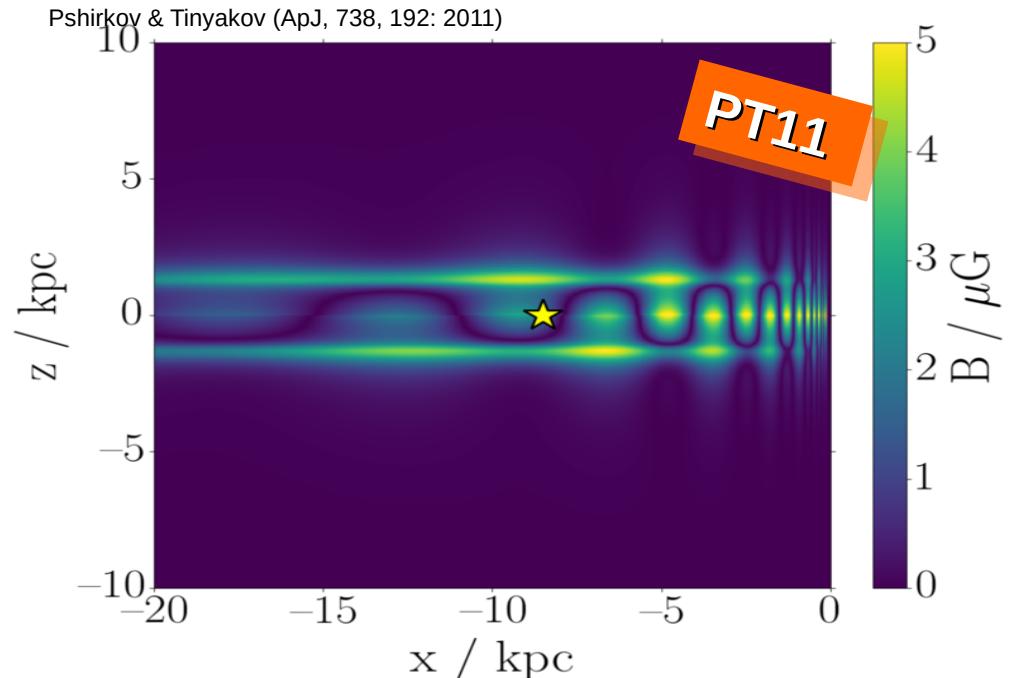
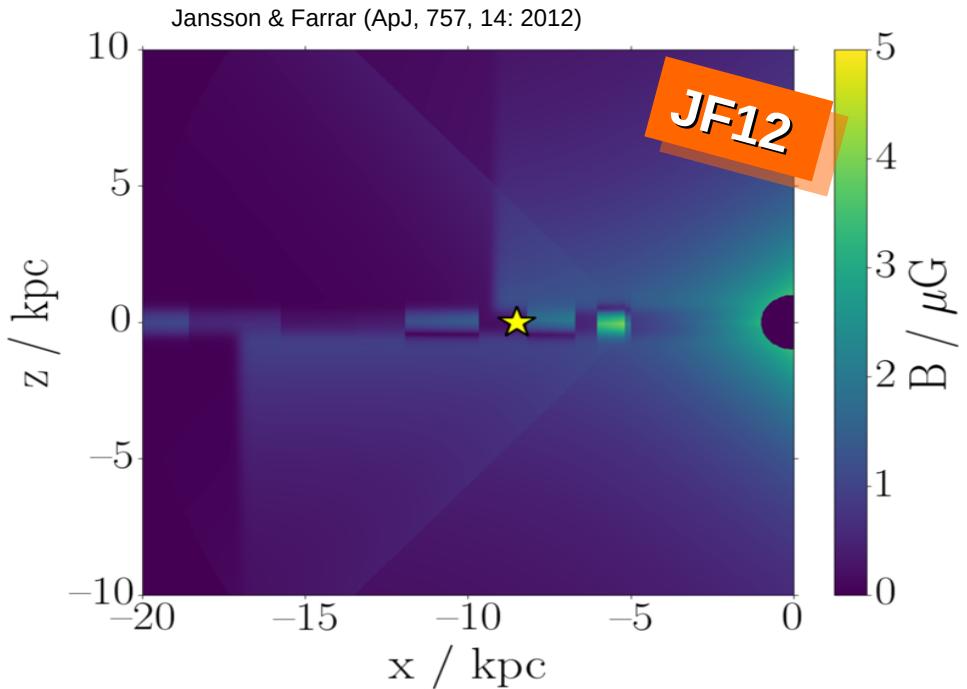
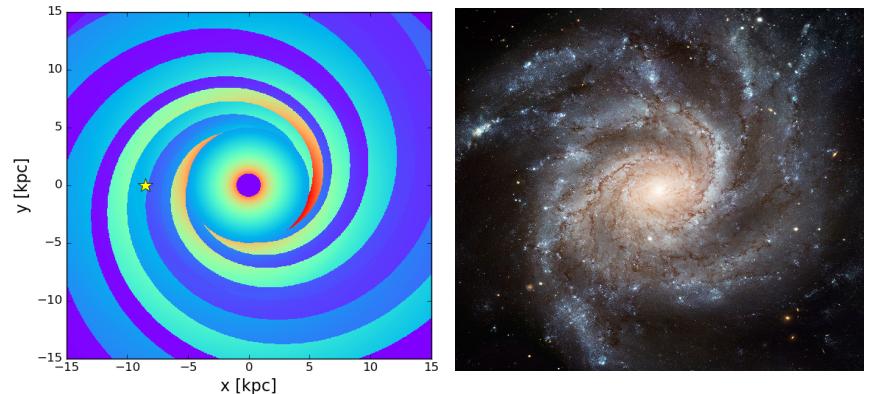
# Training

- ✗ Training data is expensive:  
1,000 skymaps  $\sim 1$  GB
- ✗ Maximum of 20,000 at once



# Galactic magnetic field - parametrizations

- ✗ Models tuned to measurements  
(e.g. rotation measurements, synchrotron radiation)

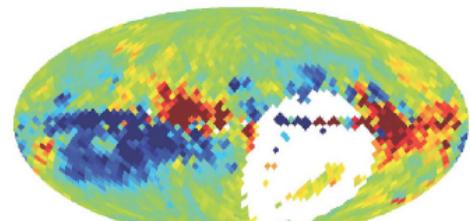


Rotation measures

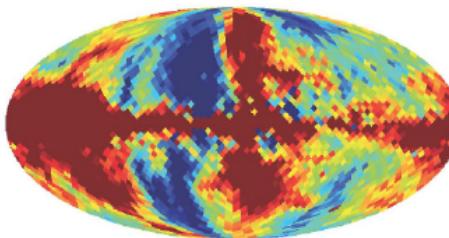
Stokes Q

Stokes U

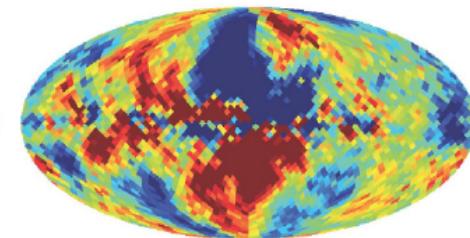
Data



-100 100 rad/m<sup>2</sup>

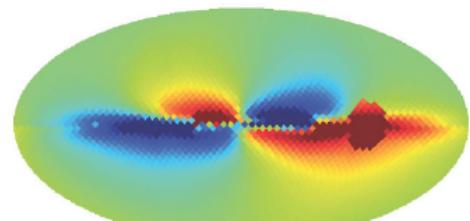


-0.02 0.02 mK

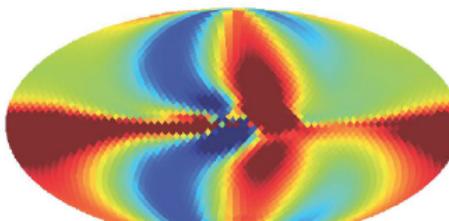


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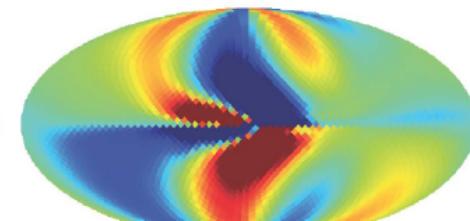
JF12



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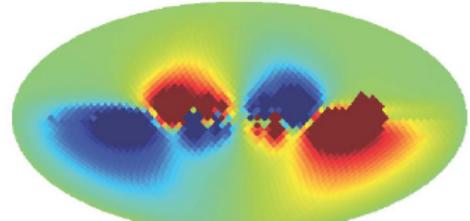


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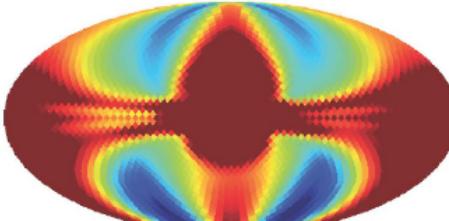


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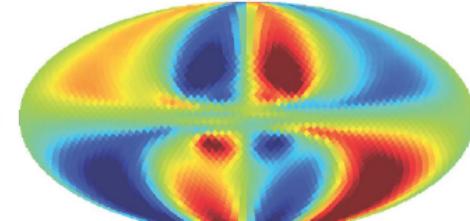
PT11



-100 100 rad/m<sup>2</sup>

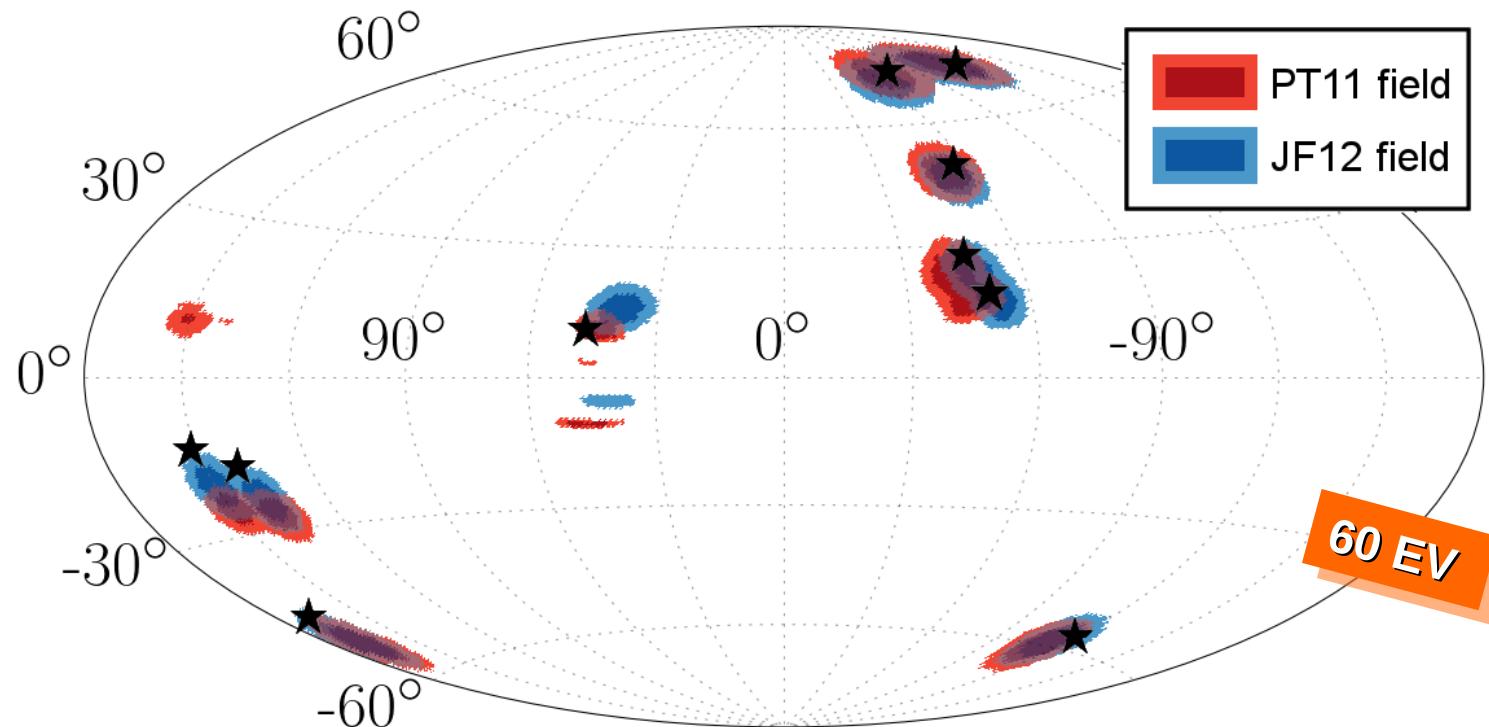


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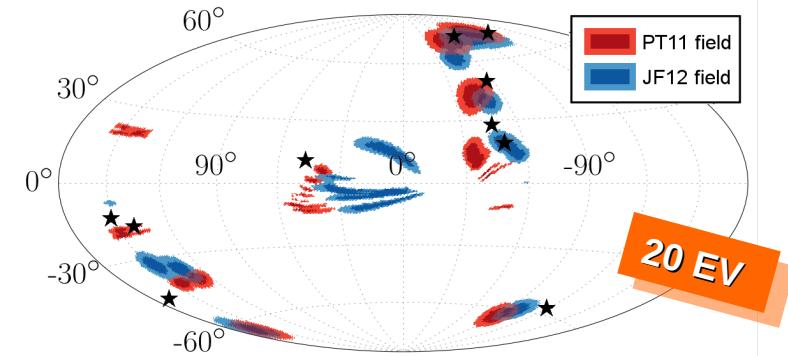


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# GMF arrival distributions



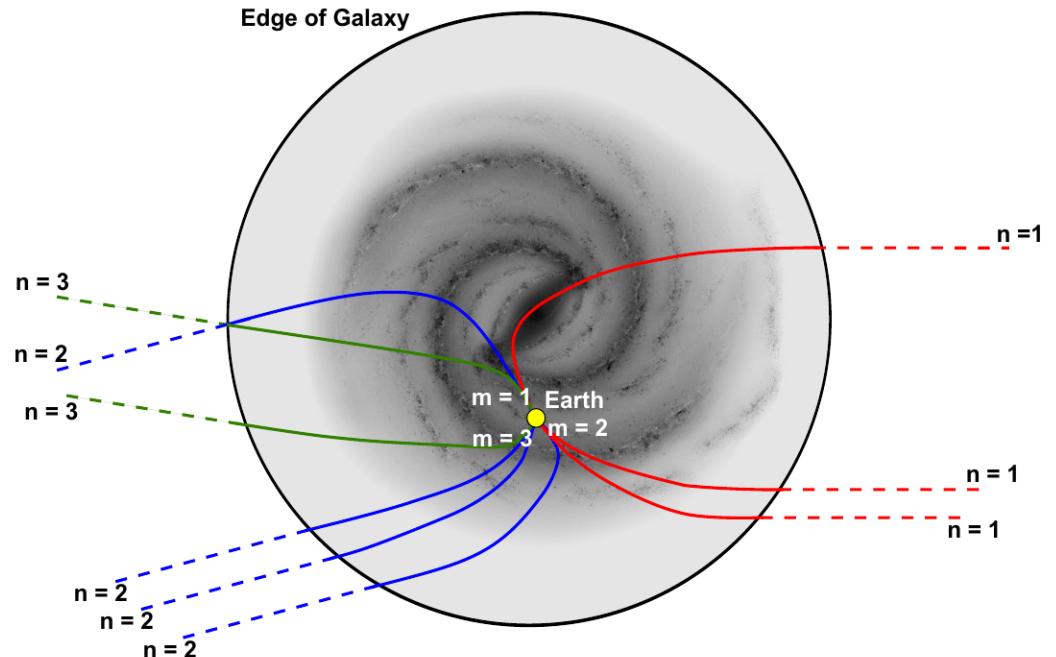
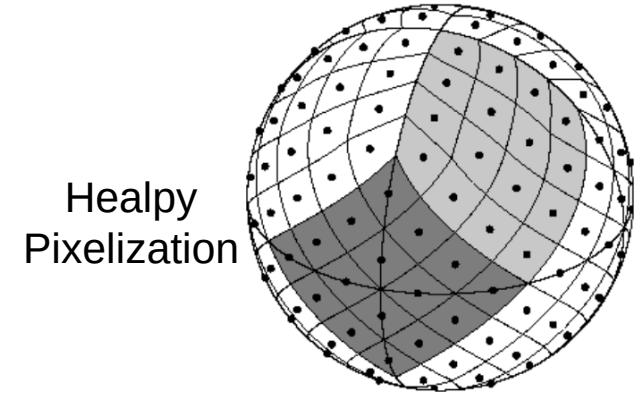
- ✗ Displacements of JF12 and PT11 match mostly
- ✗ Large deflections → point to similar directions



# Galactic magnetic field lenses

Matrices for each rigidity  $R = E / Z$  mapping  
**extragalactic directions** to **observed arrival directions**

- ✗ Based on Healpy framework  
(divide sphere into 49,152 cells)
- ✗ CRPropa simulation:  
Backtrack 5 million particles  
(inverting charge) per rigidity-bin  
to the edge of the galaxy
- ✗ 175 rigidity bins in the range from  
 $10^{17}\text{eV}$  to  $10^{20.5}\text{eV}$
- ✗ Matrices are normalized to the  
highest arrival probability  
→ rigidity and direction dependent  
transparency



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maxpooling3d_1 (MaxPooling3D)	(None, 12, 49, 49, 32)	0	convolution3d_1[0][0]
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Non-trainable params: 0			

