

Tools and Techniques:

Host Galaxy Identification

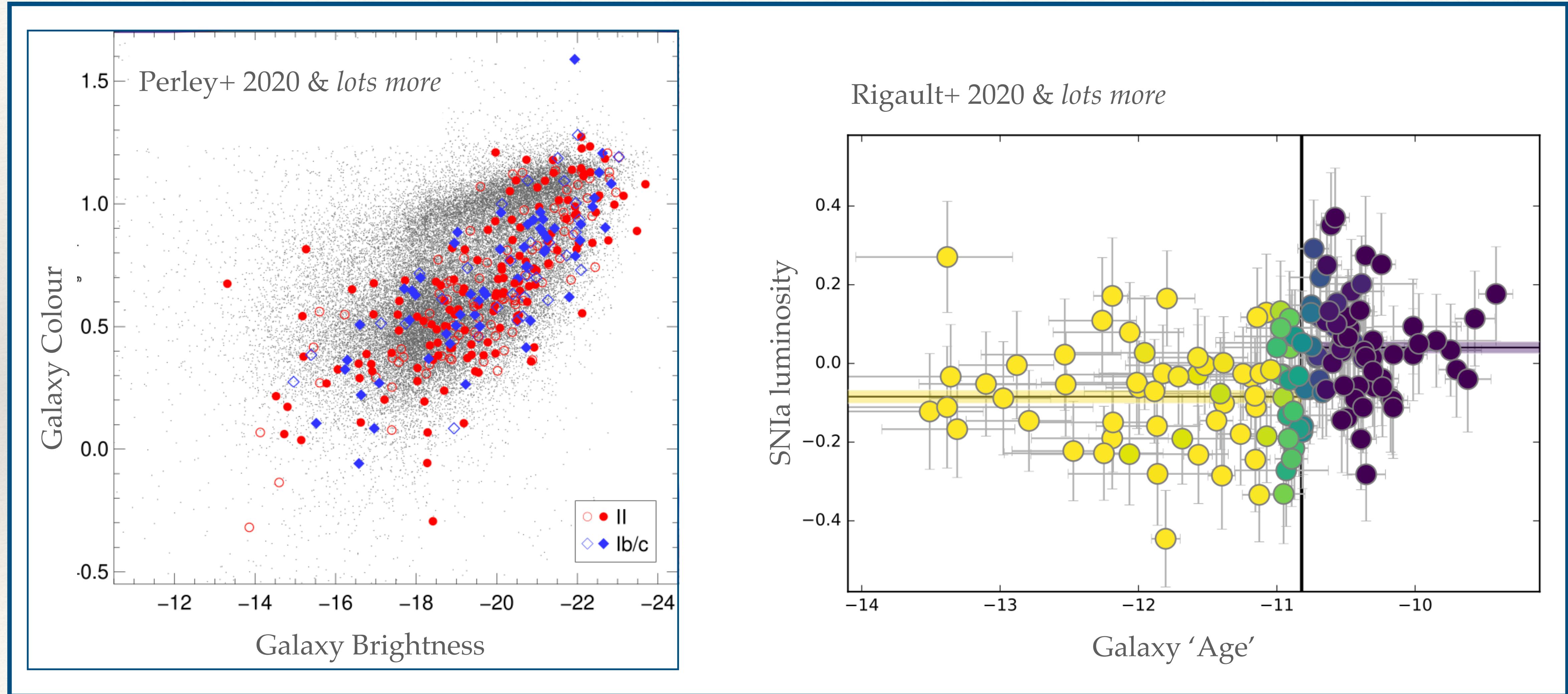
Mathew Smith *on behalf of the SNIa WG*



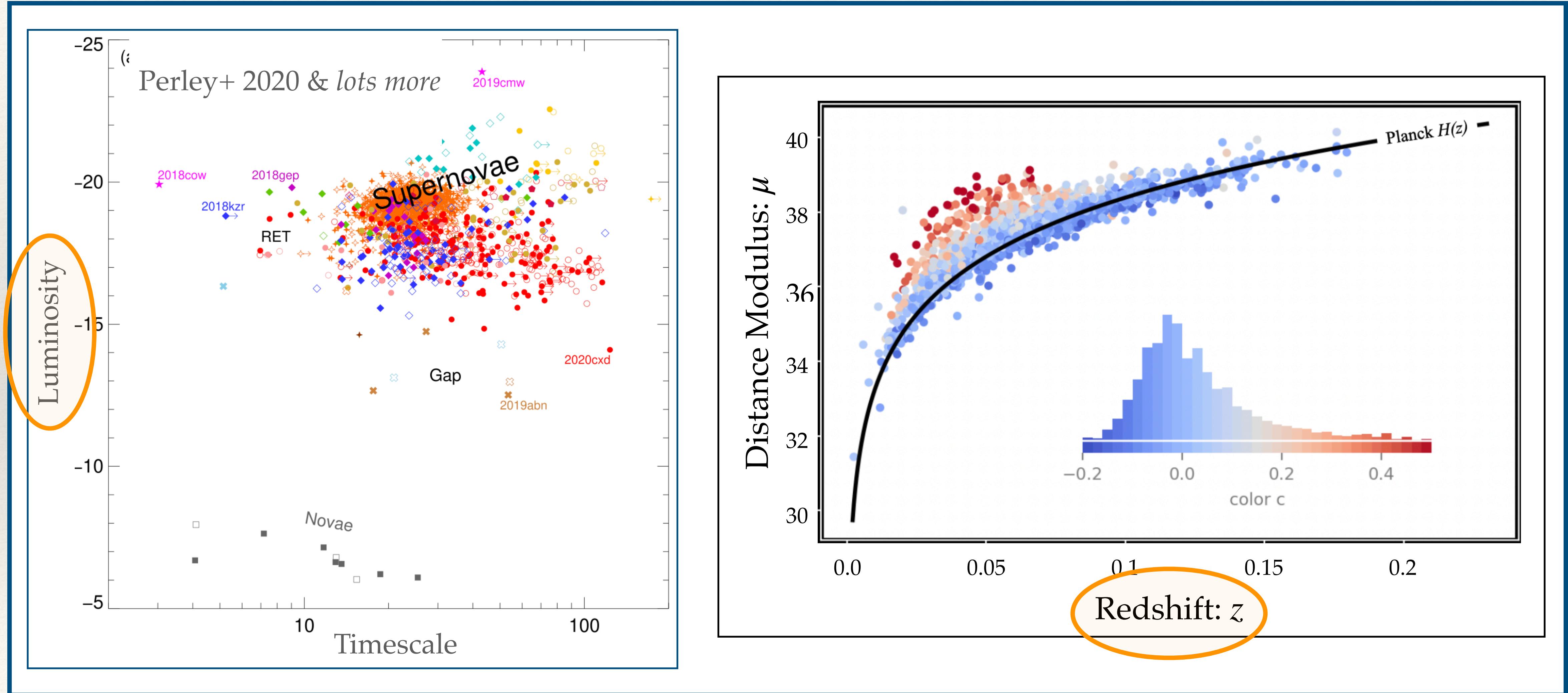
WICKY TRANSIENT FACILITY



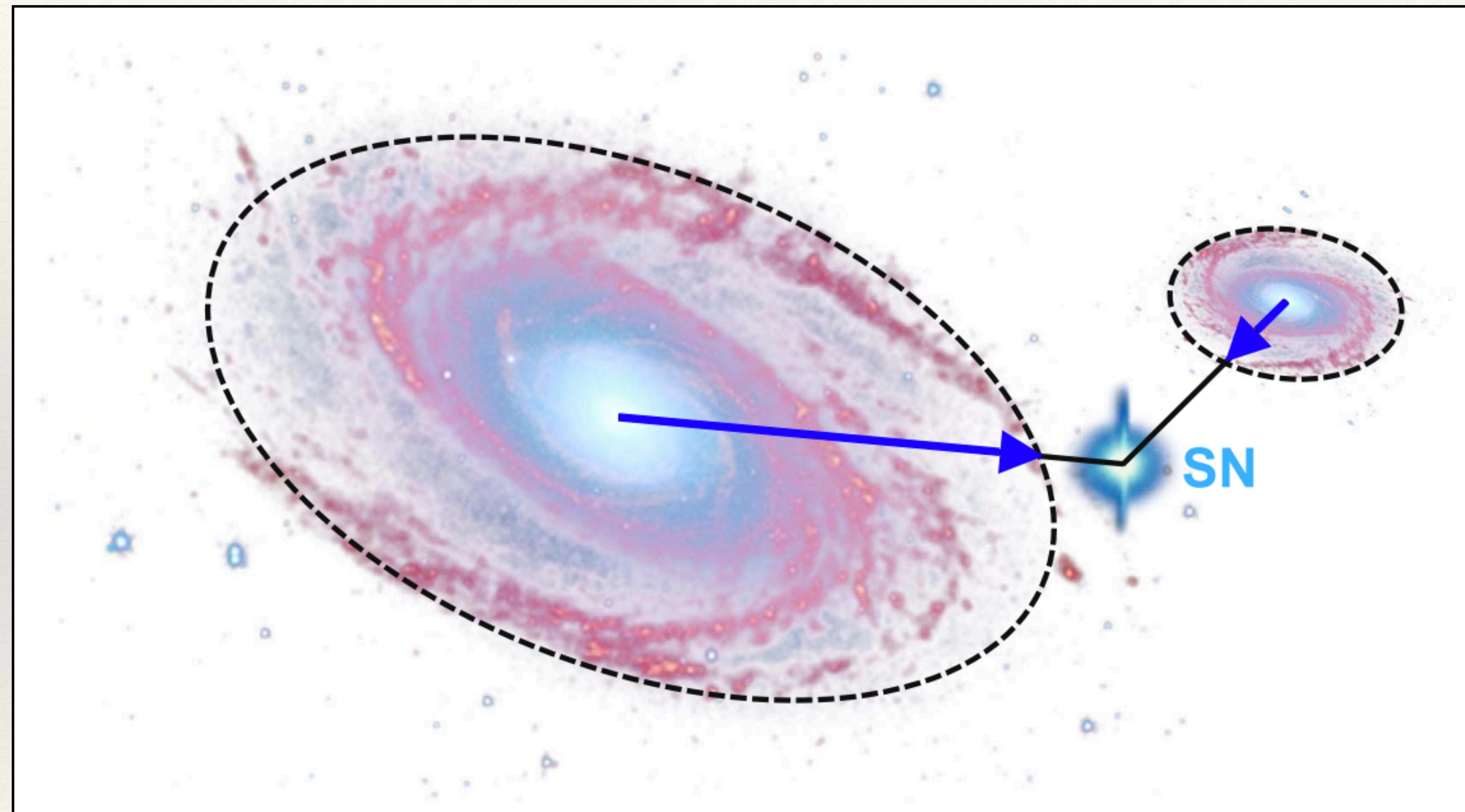
GALAXIES ~ PROGENITORS



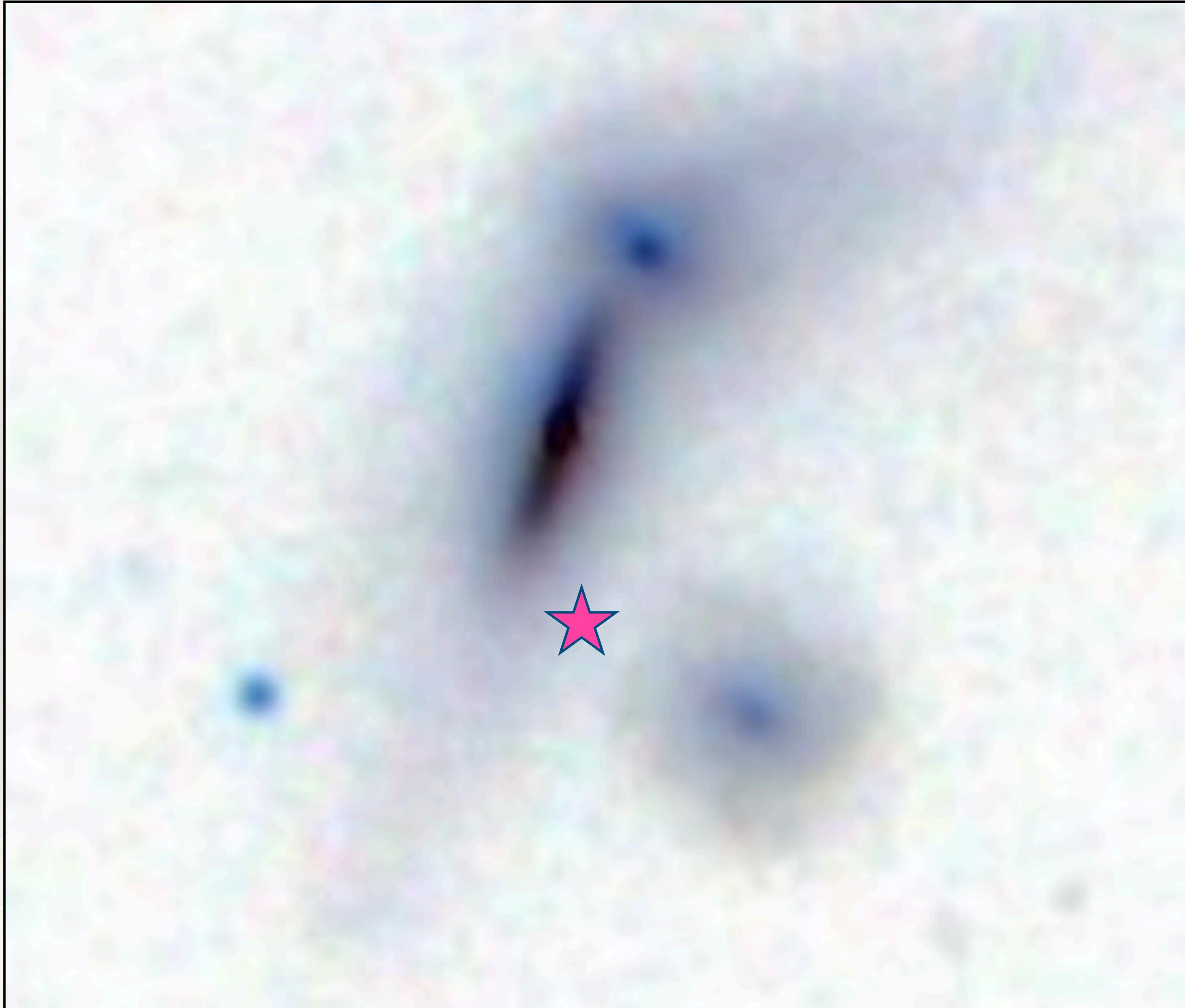
GALAXIES ~ DISTANCES



THE PROBLEM



THE PROBLEM IN ACTION



Problems:

What objects are galaxies?

What is the size of a galaxy?

What does closest mean?

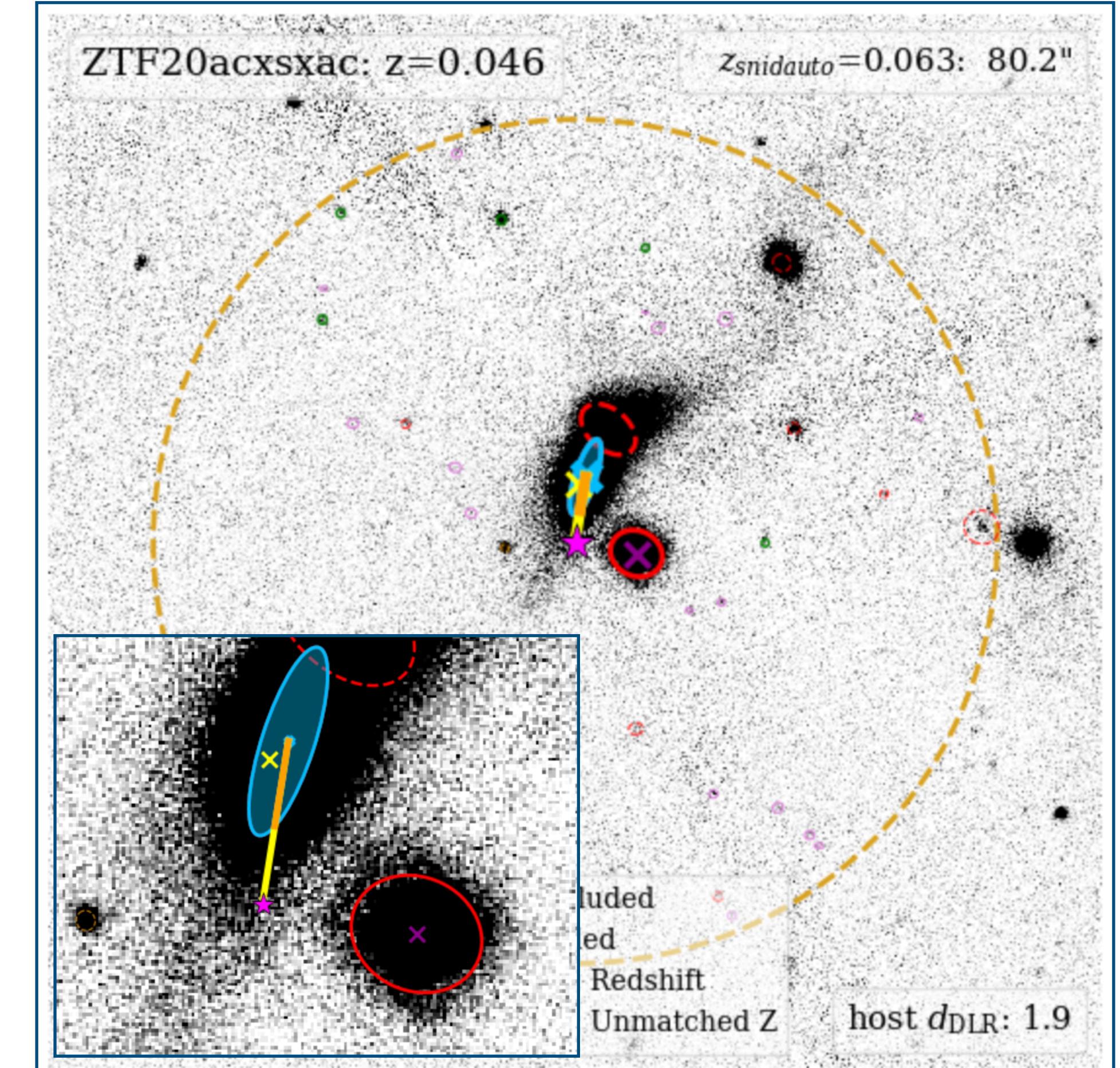
ZTF_DR2_Generation : GET_HOST

Python framework Automated solution

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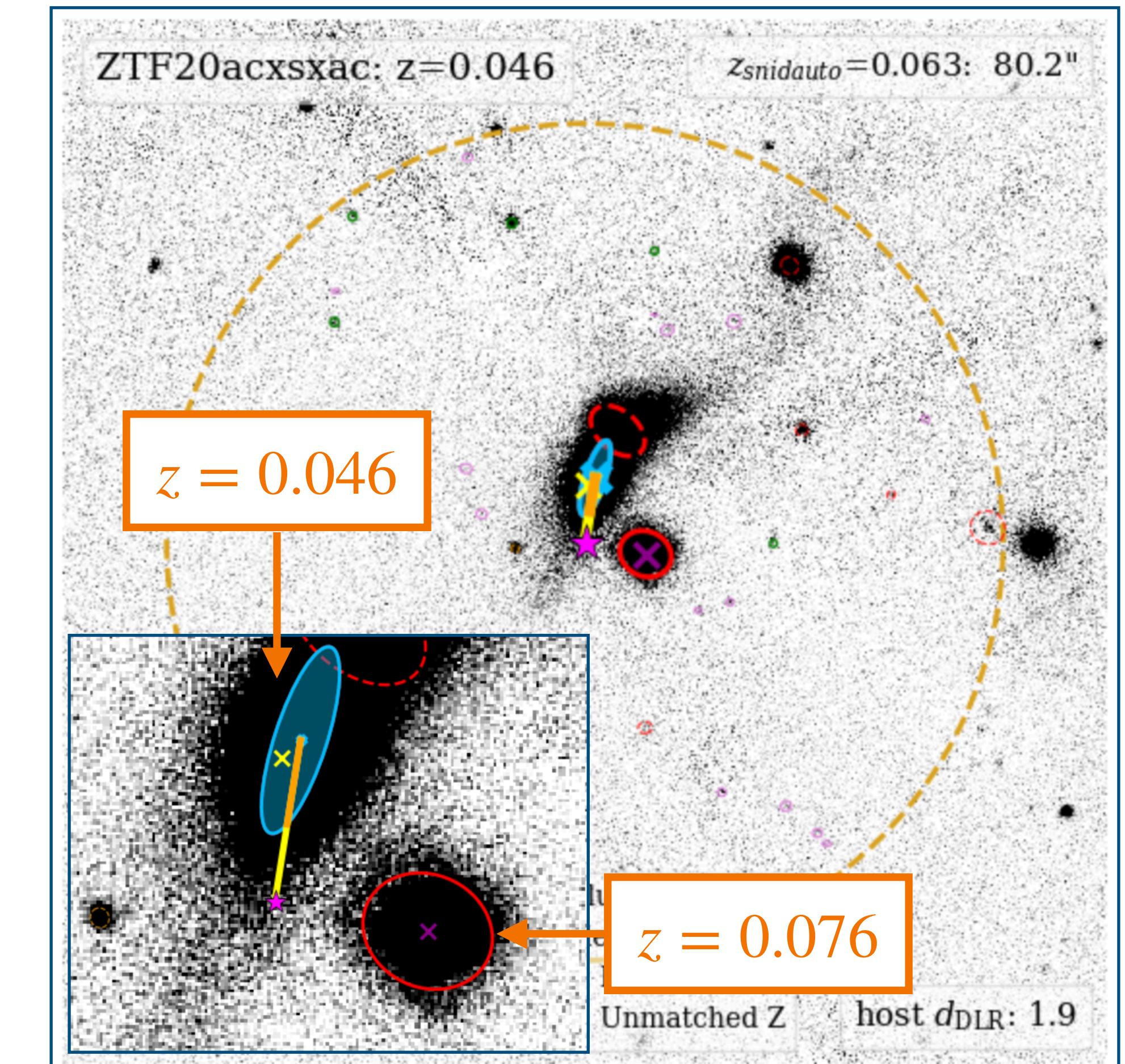
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Draws on 3 static galaxy catalogues:

Legacy Survey, SDSS, PanStarrs

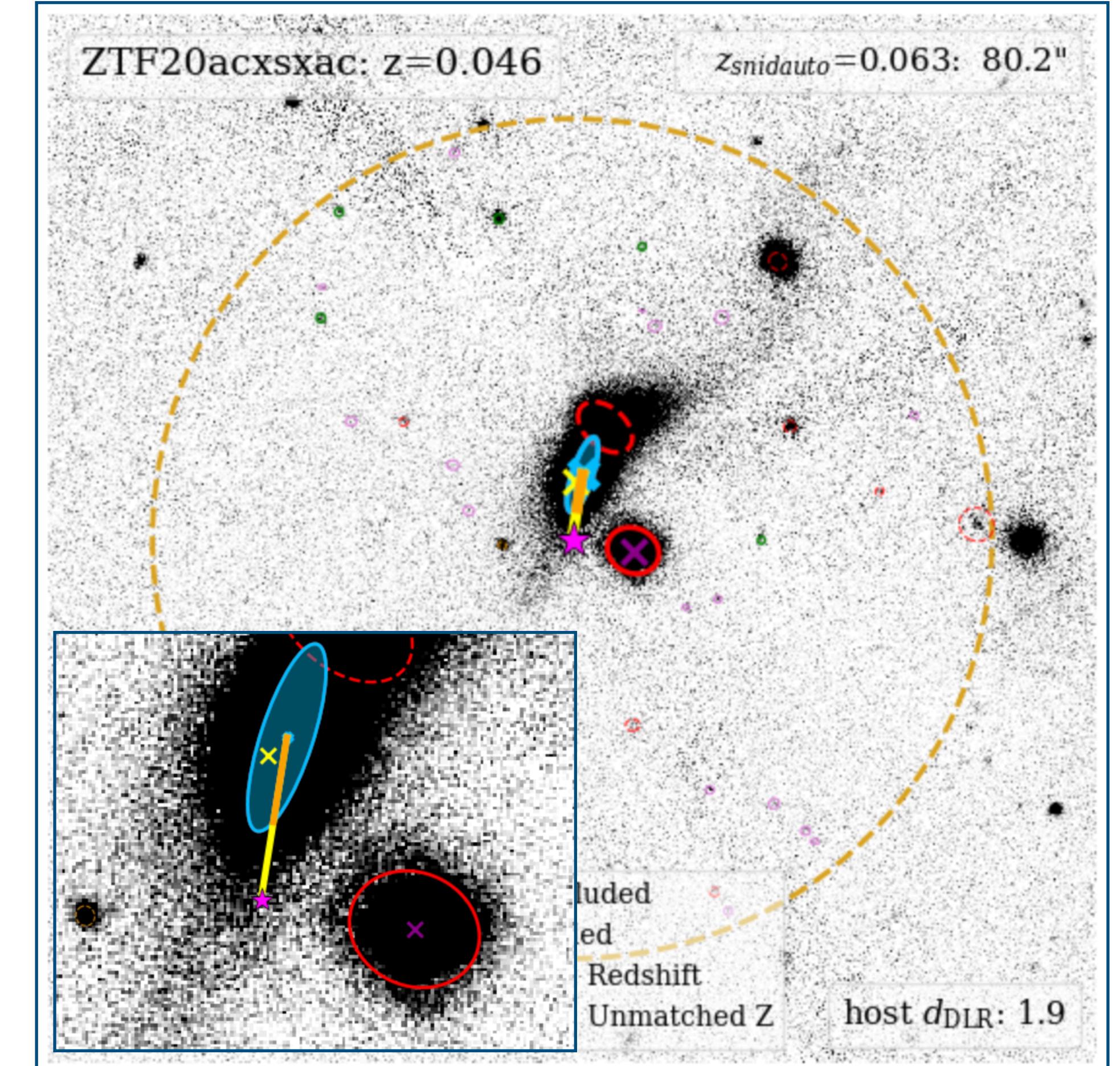
Robust cuts

*positions from Fritz; initial redshift
to aid cross-match and cuts*

Cross matches with static redshift catalogues

SDSS, Simbad, NED

*Most recent redshift used;
consistency calculated*



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python: *astroquery + astropy + pandas*

Total time 5s

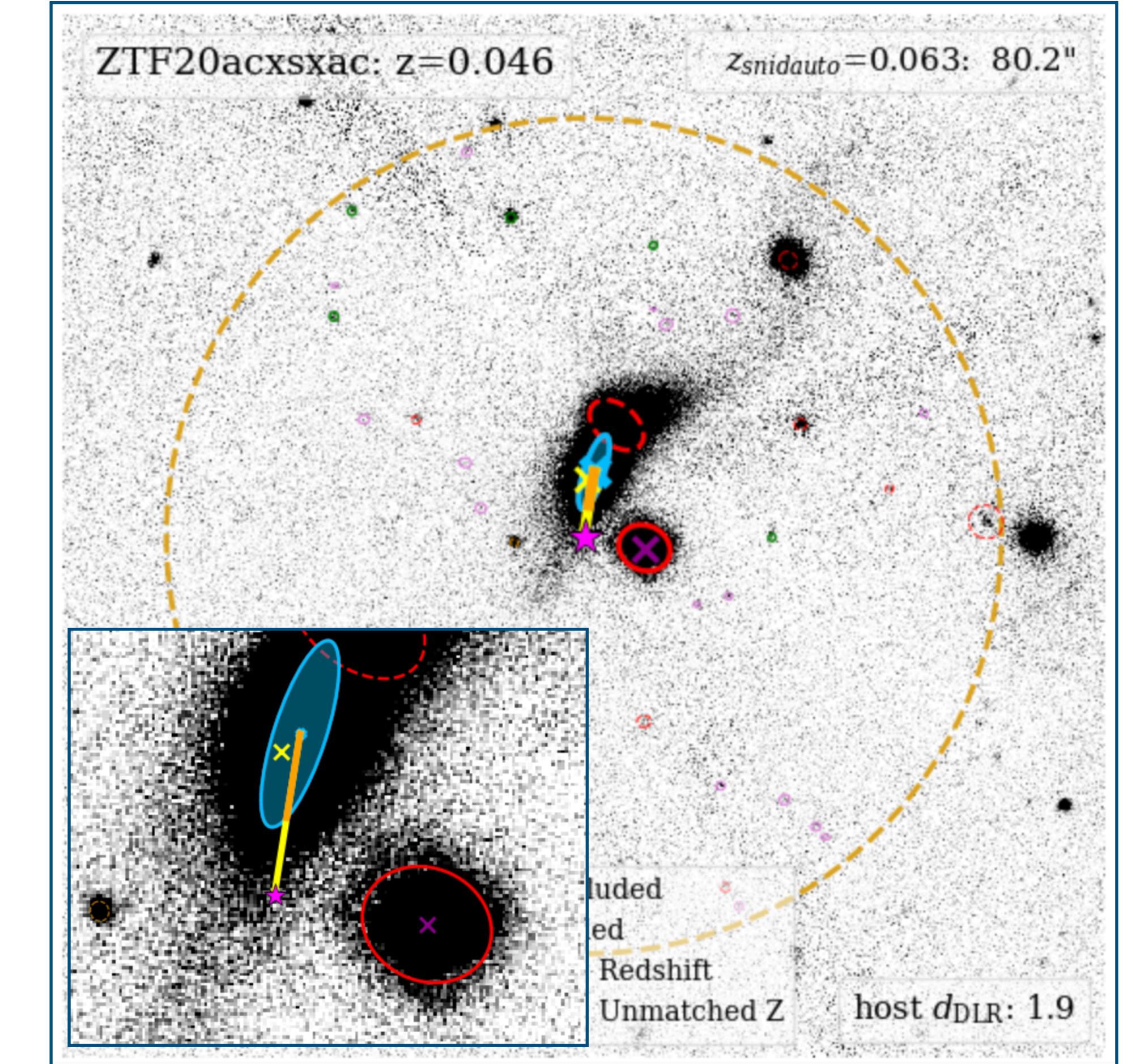
Limiting factors:

Catalogue cross-match

Query limits

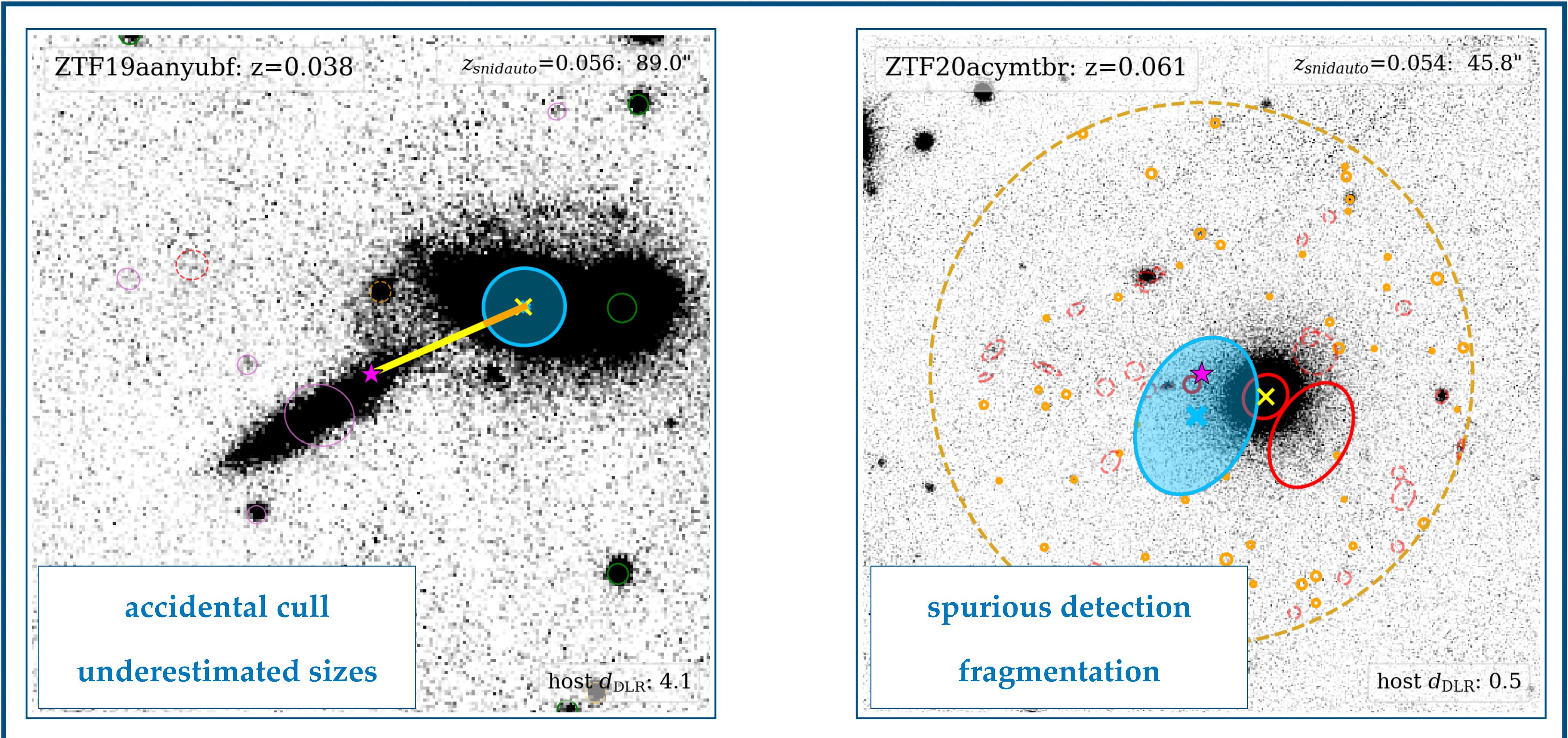
Maintenance

Database load



Typical Problem Cases

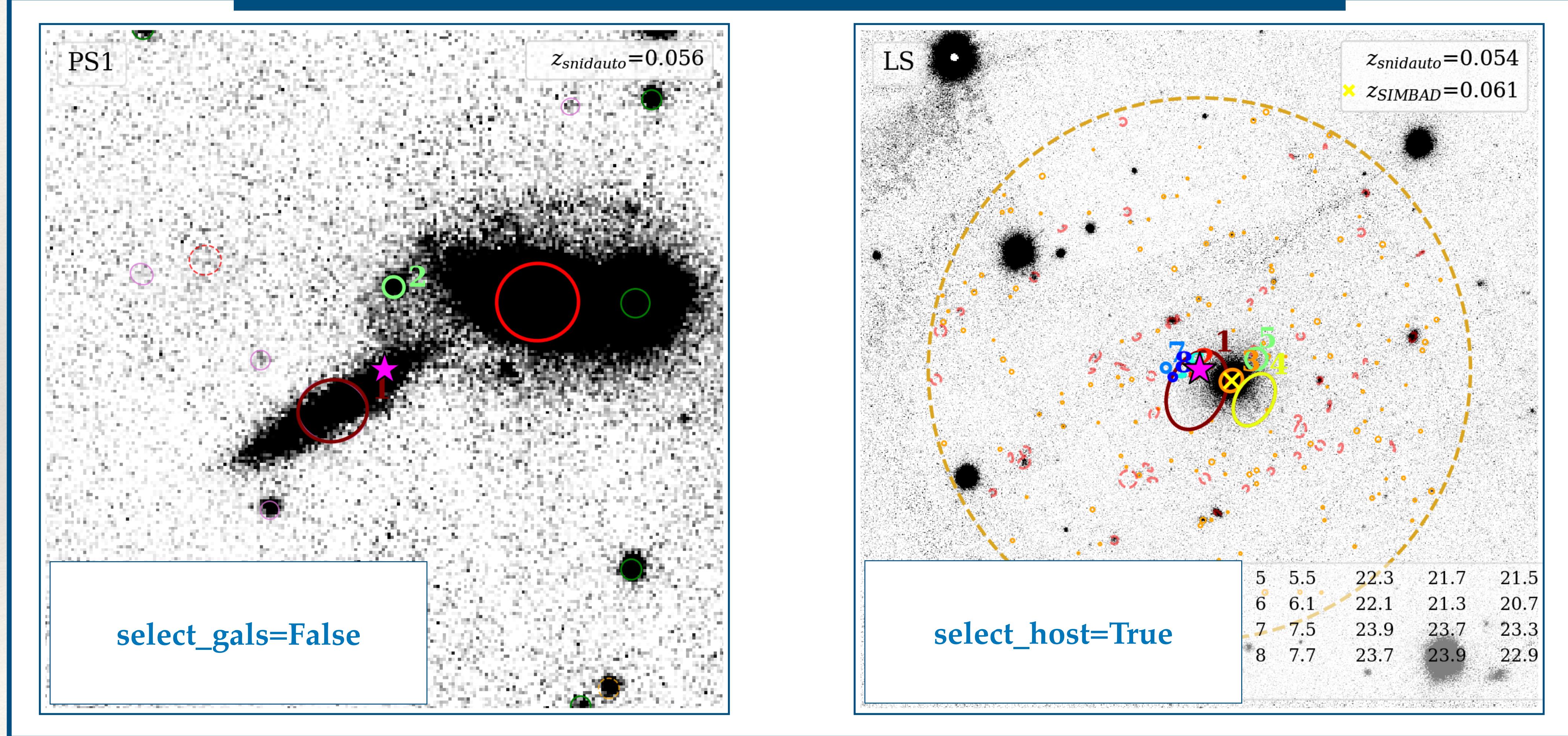
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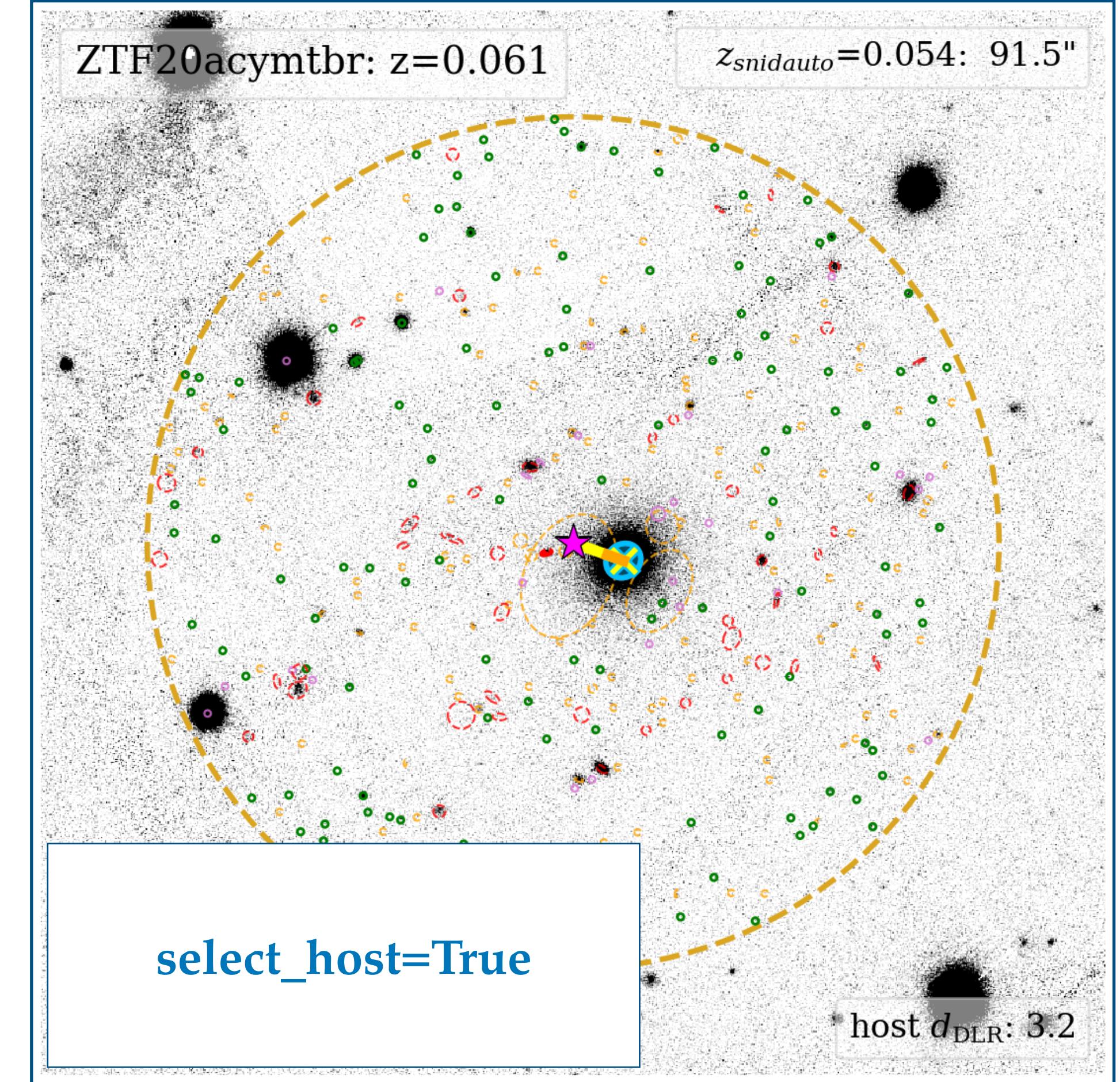
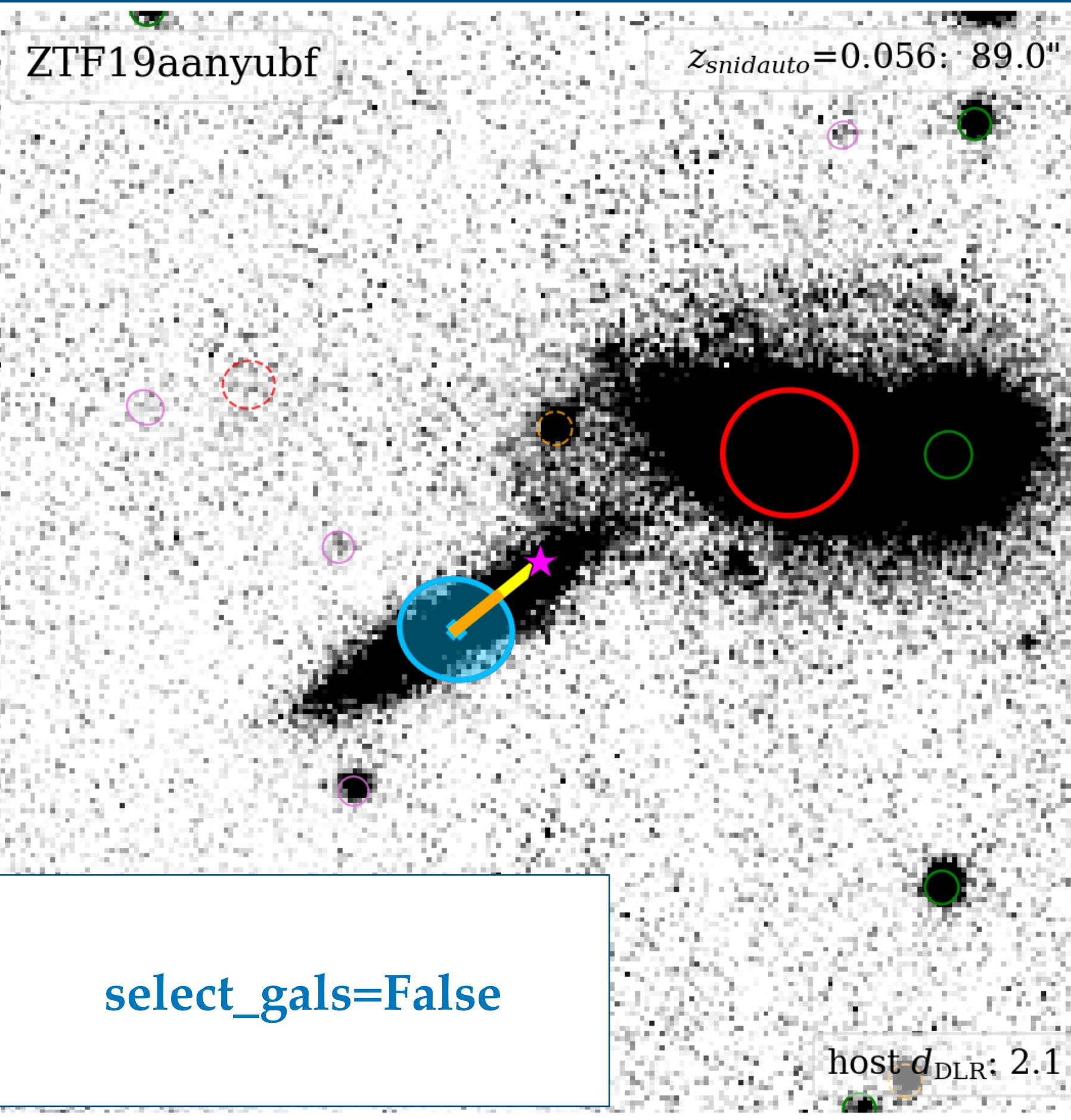
Quick and Easy Visualisations



Quick, simple solutions

>99% success rate

Quick and Easy Visualisations



Summary

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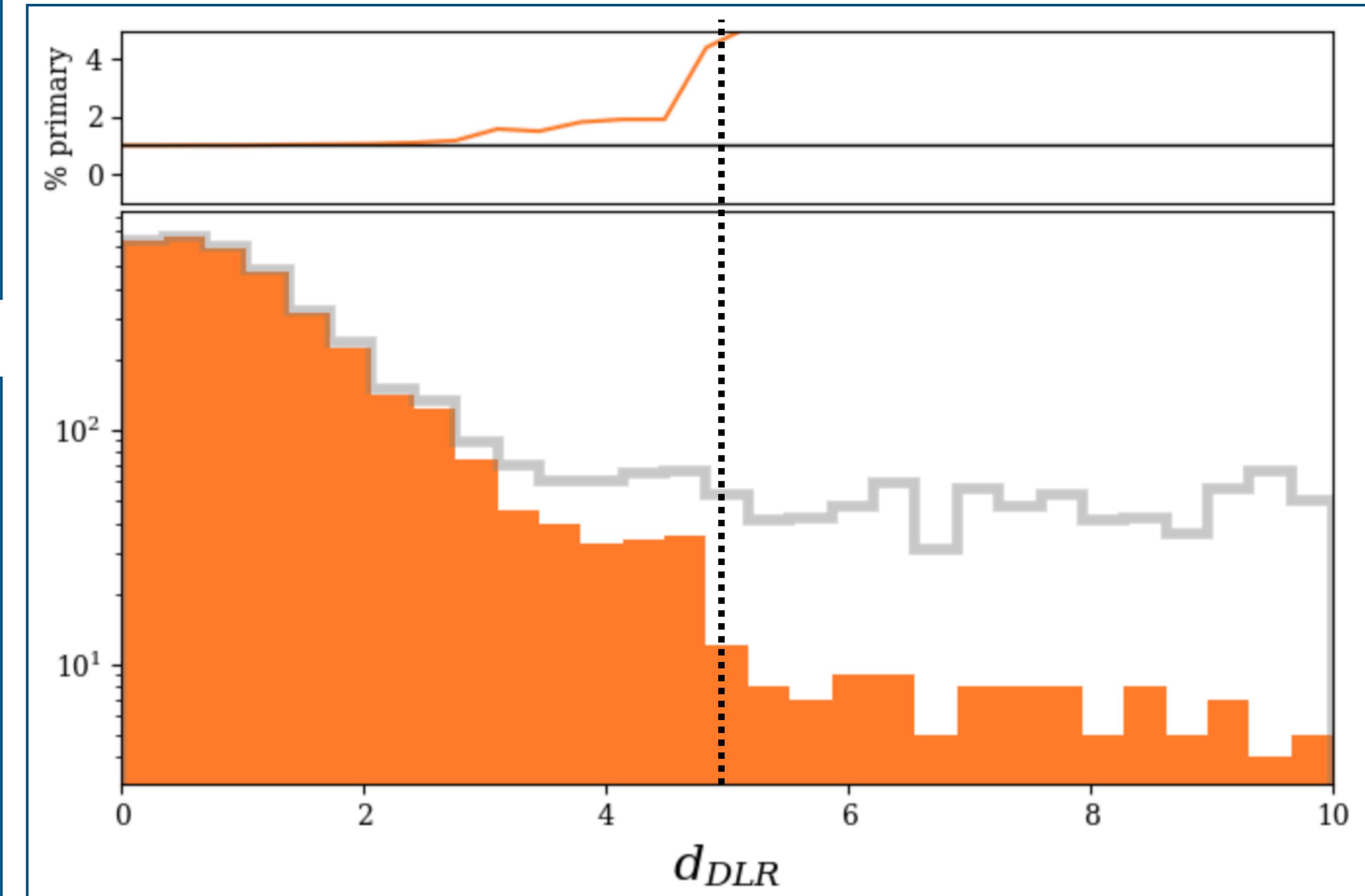
associations done < 12 hours

cross-check visualisation <1 week

Multi λ , physical properties :

BTS + SNIa: ongoing

Limiting factors: automation of
Image download
Object detection
Background estimation



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also automated:
baseline correction & lc fits

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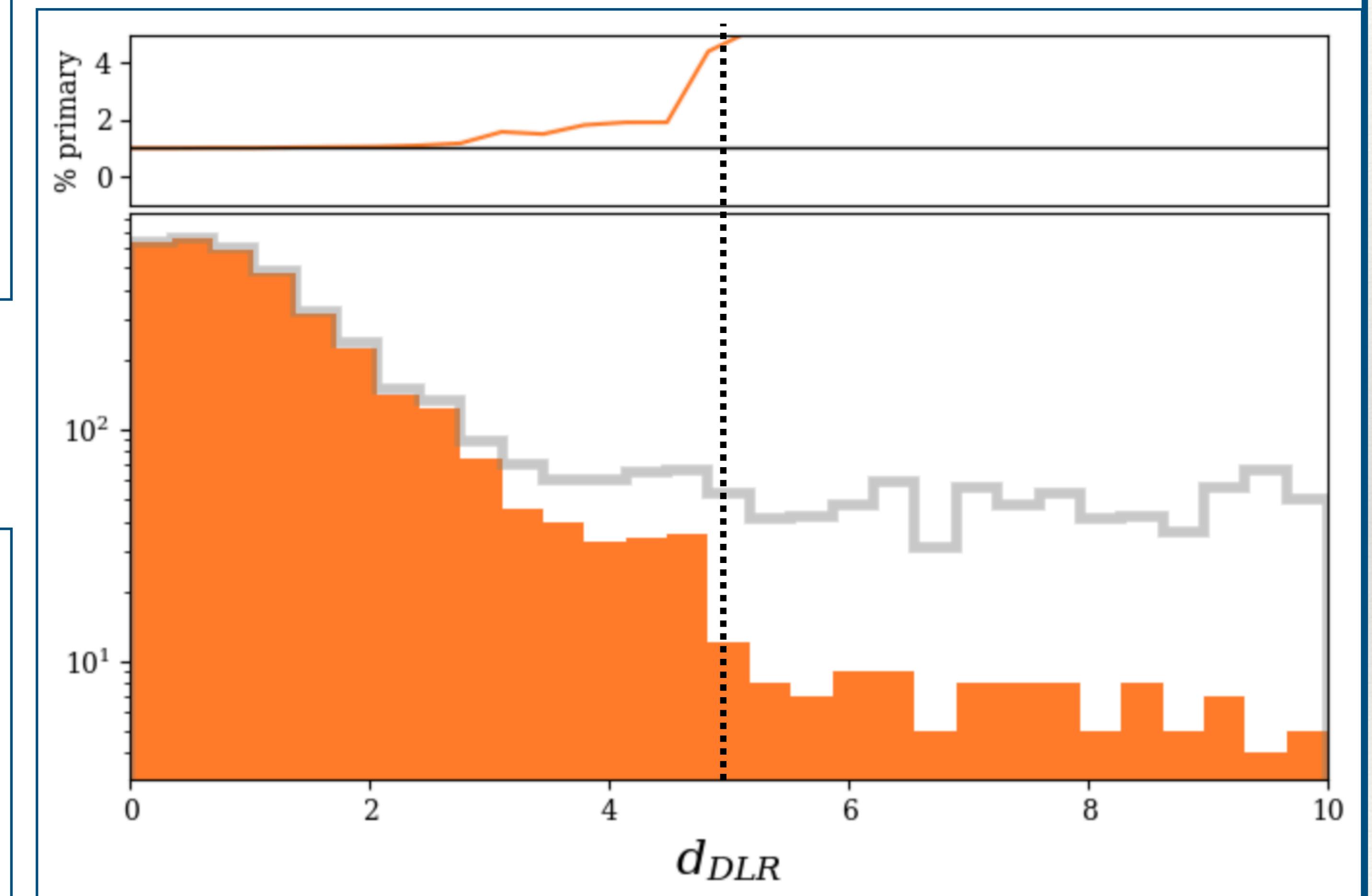
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ZTF-DR3 (30,000 events) :

more automation required

visualisation : *impossible + biased*

simulations + AMPEL?



THANK YOU :-)
