Crowdsourced data analysis in EOSC

OR: How to increase EOSC use by many factors of ten using citizen science

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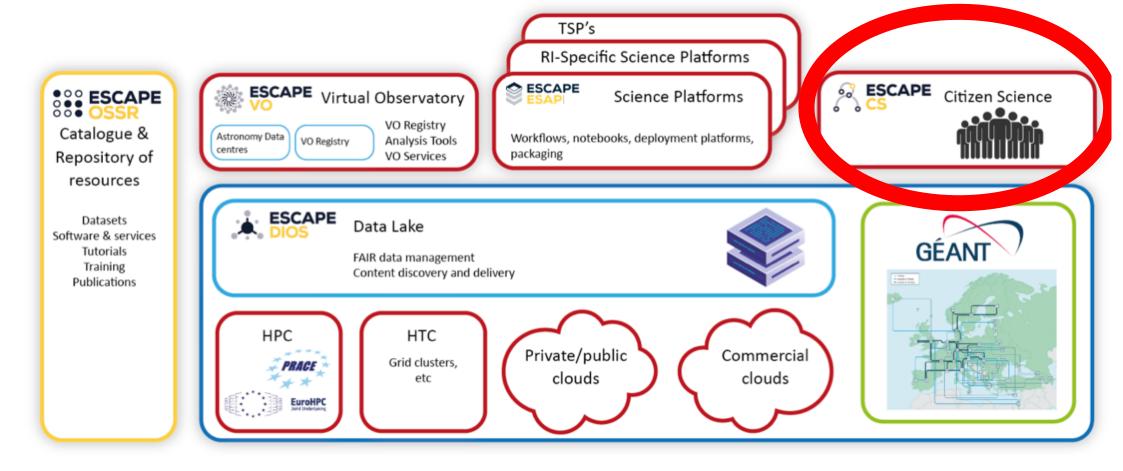








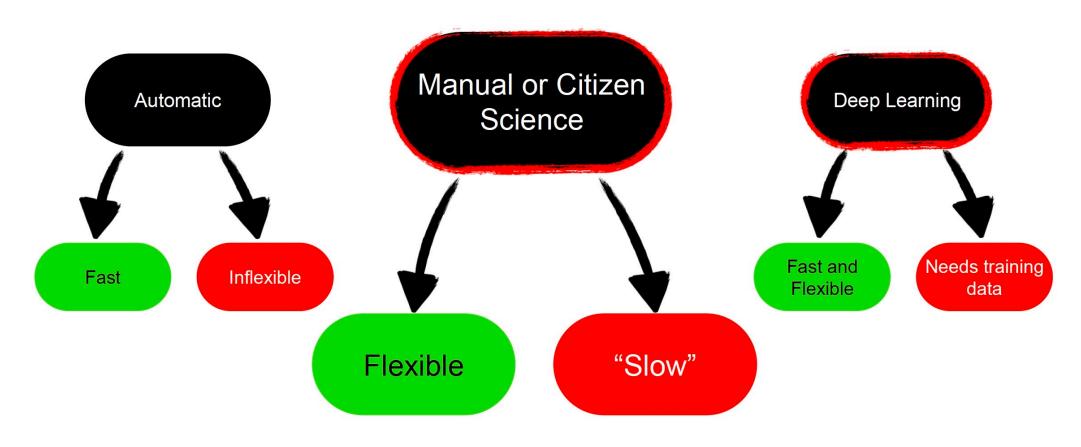






Improve access to data and tools through citizen science crowdsourcing experiments for most of the facilities in the ESCAPE remit.



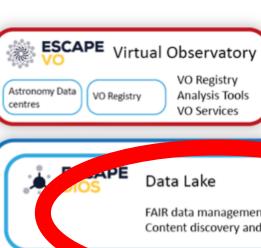






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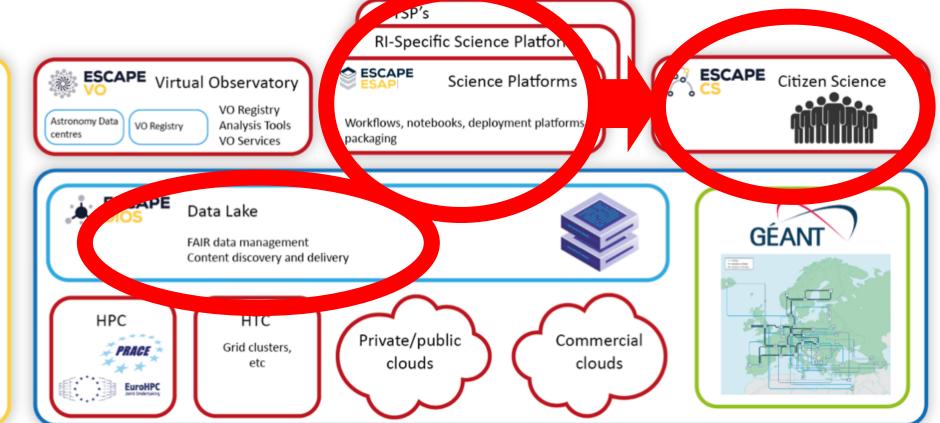






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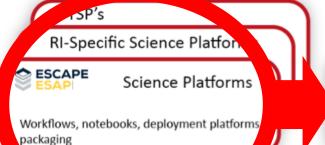




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HTC Grid clusters, etc

Private/public clouds

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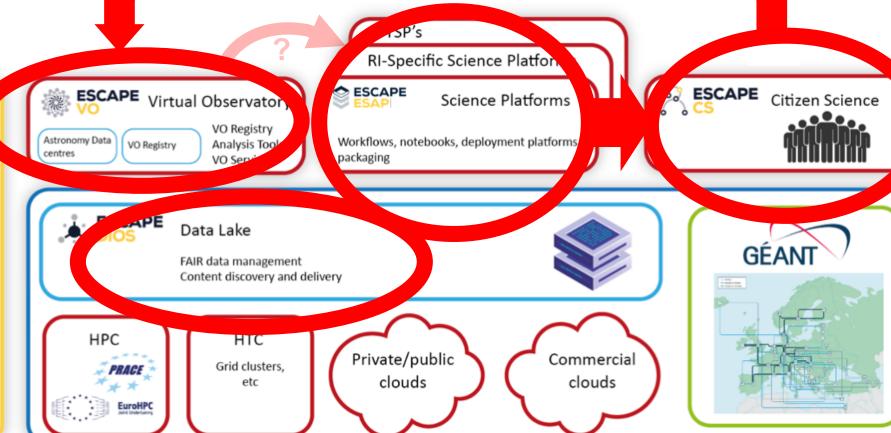




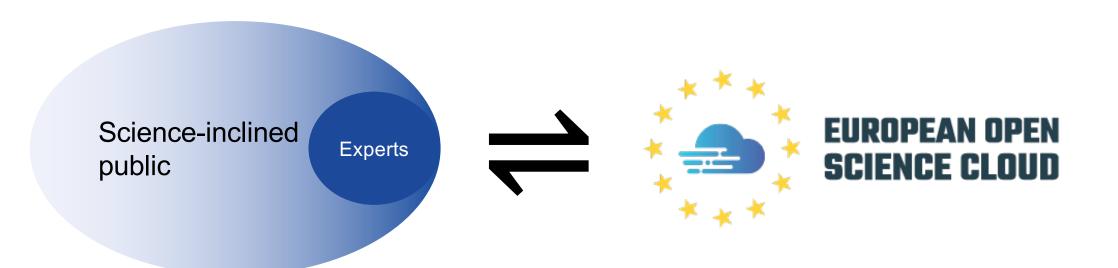
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Zooniverse: Advanced Project Building

Description: Demonstrates techniques for advanced Zooniverse project management using Python.

Link: https://git.astron.nl/astron-sdc/escape-

wp5/workflows/zooniverse-advanced-project-building

Author: Hugh Dickinson Runtime Platform: Python • Tutorial Jupyter notebooks.

* Recorded walkthroughs of these tutorials.

 Speech-to-text documentation of these recordings, for greater accessibility.

Zooniverse: Advanced

Description: Demonstrates how to use the Zooniverse Caesar engine to aggregate your data.

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wp5/workflows/zooniverse-advanced-aggregation-with-caesar.git

Author: Hugh Dickinson Runtime Platform: Python Keywords: jupyter-notebook **Description:** Shopping Cart and Zooniverse Example

Zooniverse: Integrating Machine Learning

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project with machine learning.



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WSRT-Apertif



Apertif Surveys

Data from the Apertif surveys include imaging and time-domain data. The time-domain products consist of high-time resolution filterbank data in the PSRFITS standard. The imaging data products include the raw observations in the measurement set (MS) standard format. In addition processed data

ASTRON VO



ASTRON Virtual Observatory

The Virtual Observatory defines a set of standards that can be used to download astronomical data. The ASTRON VO contains several image surveys, which are images in the FITS format. Since the VO is currenty under development, more data types will be

Zooniverse



Zooniverse Classification Database

The Zooniverse is the world's largest and most popular platform for people-powered research. This research is made possible by volunteers — more than a million people around the world who come together to assist

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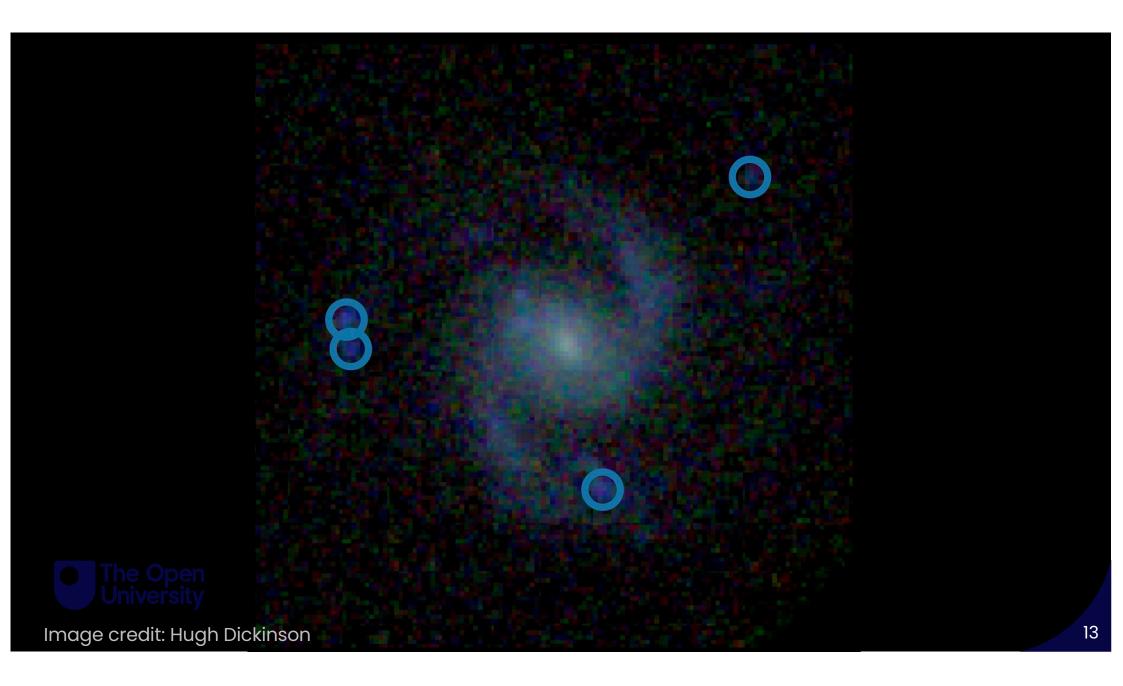


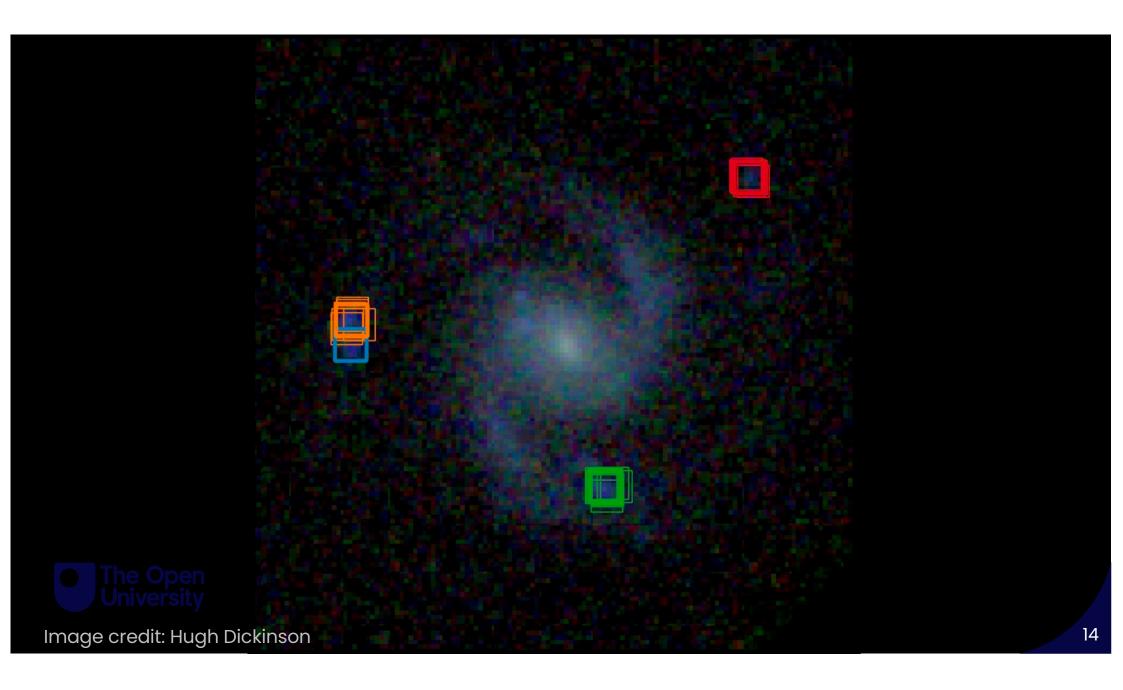
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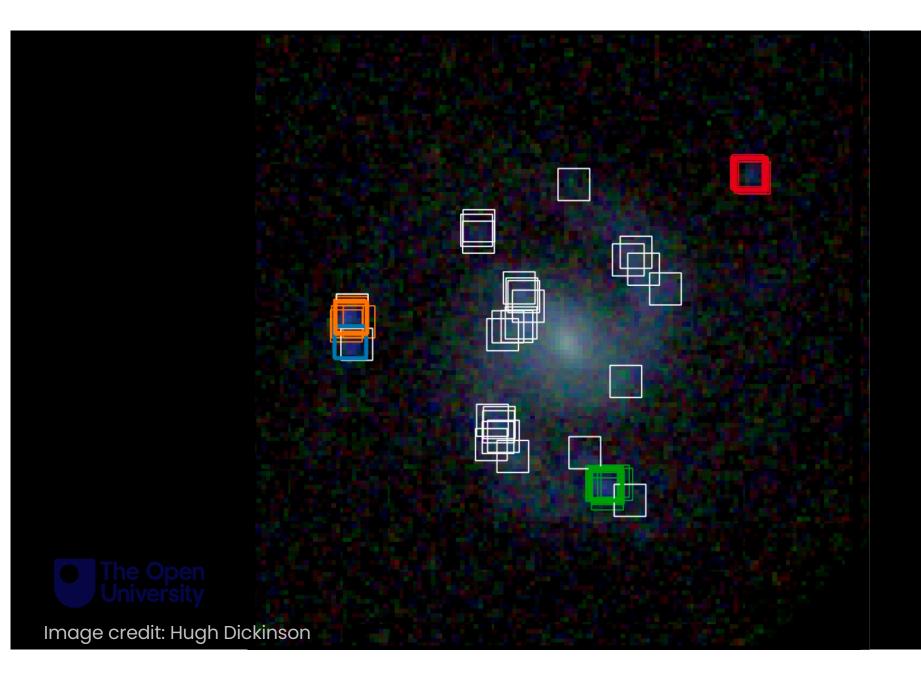
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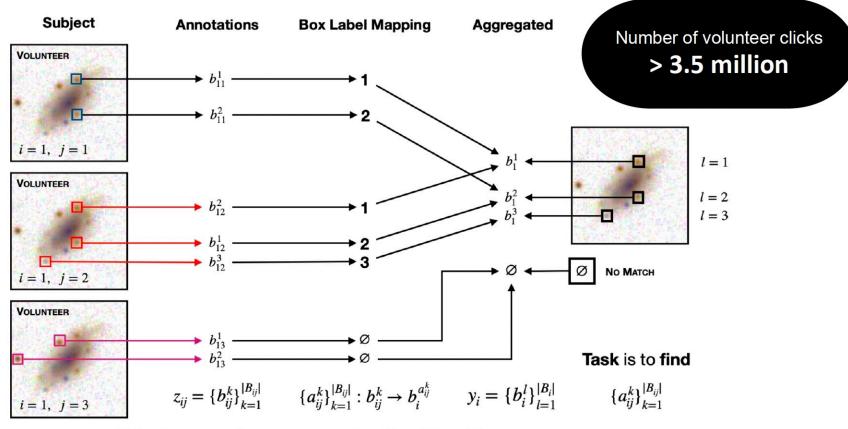
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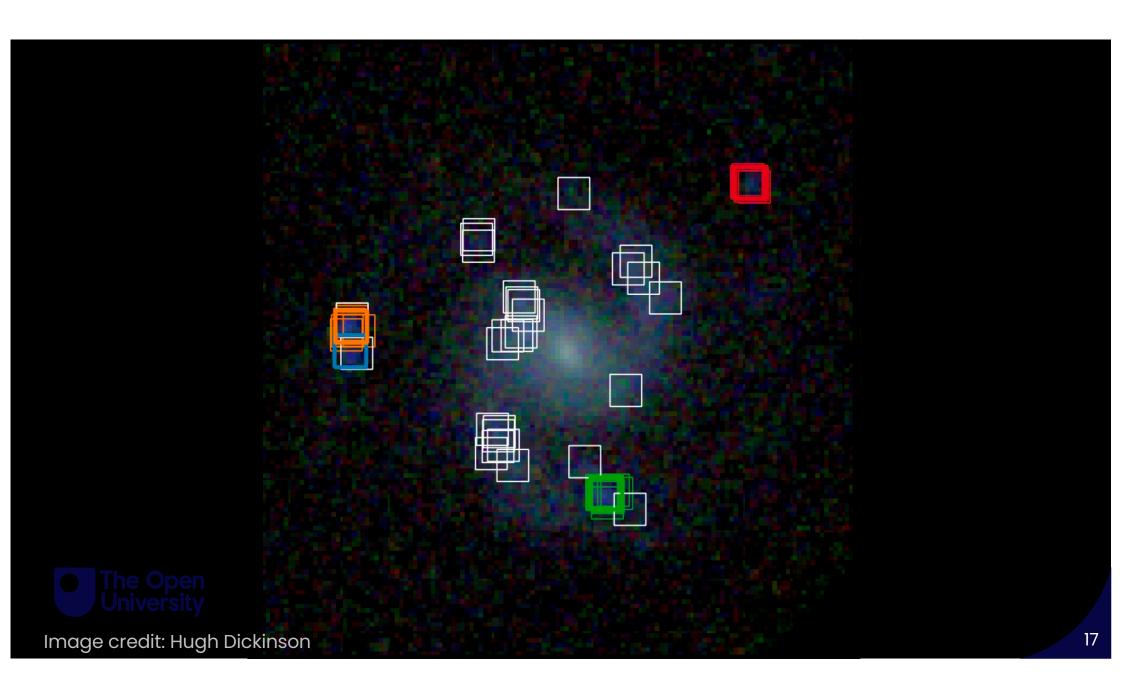


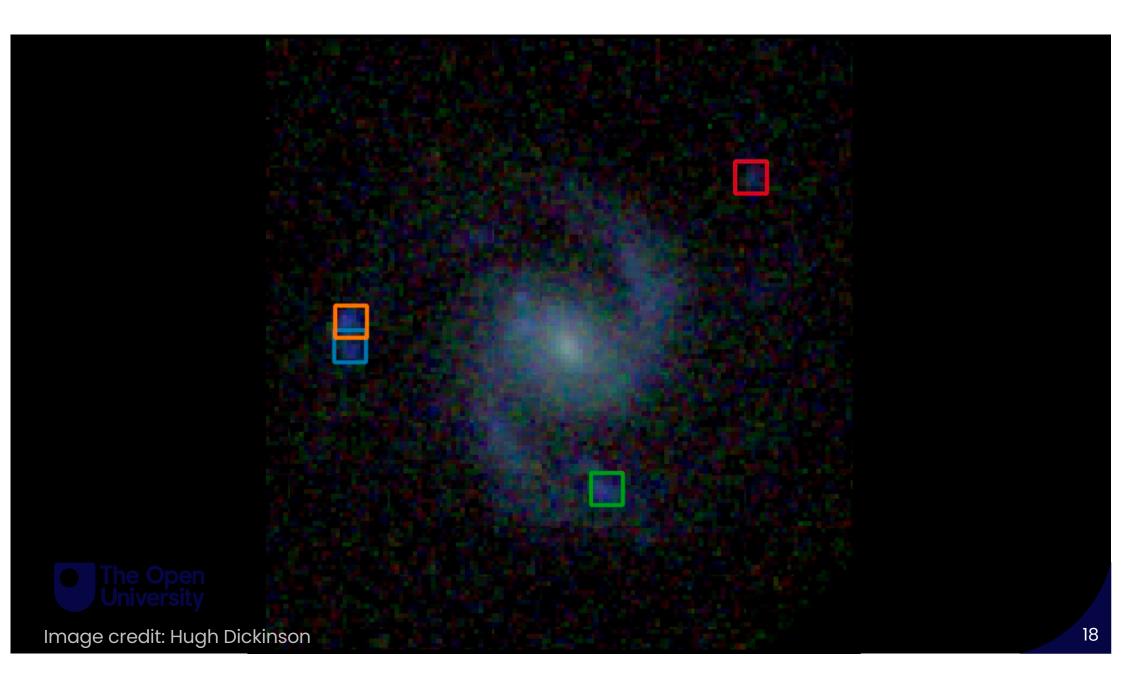


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arXiv Dickinson et al (2022) - arxiv.org/abs/2210.03684







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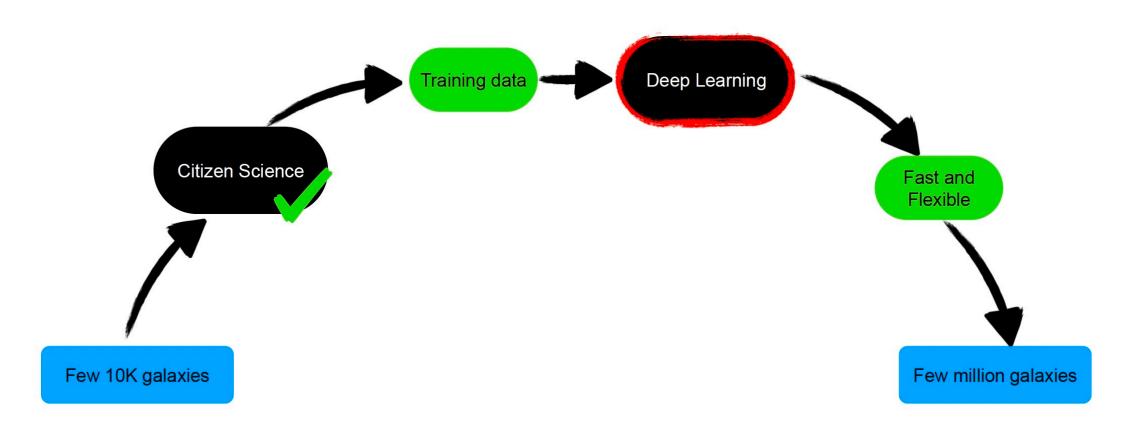
Number of potential clumps:

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First catalogue released!

arxiv.org/abs/2201.06581







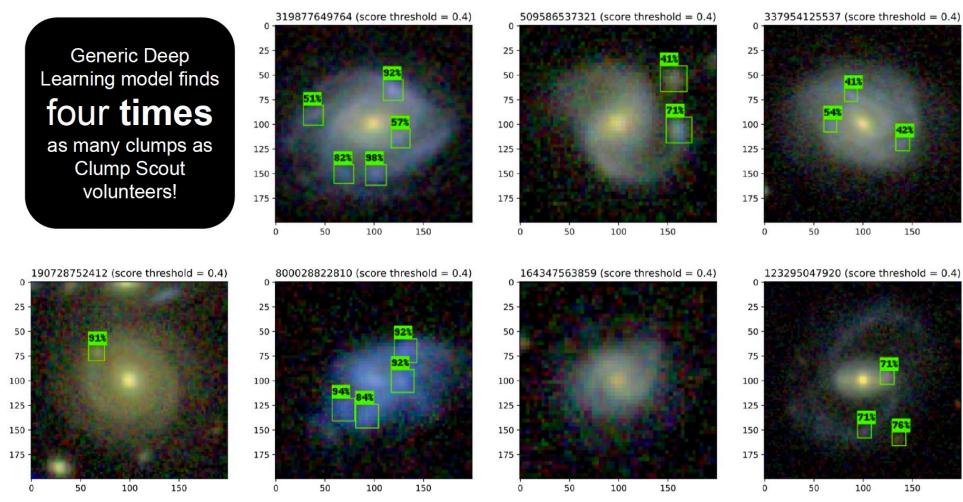




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Number of Galaxies inspected: ~80,000

Number of clumpy galaxies: ~35,000

Number of potential clumps: ~100,000

Two papers now out!

First catalogue released!

ML Model Trained!

Third paper in prep!

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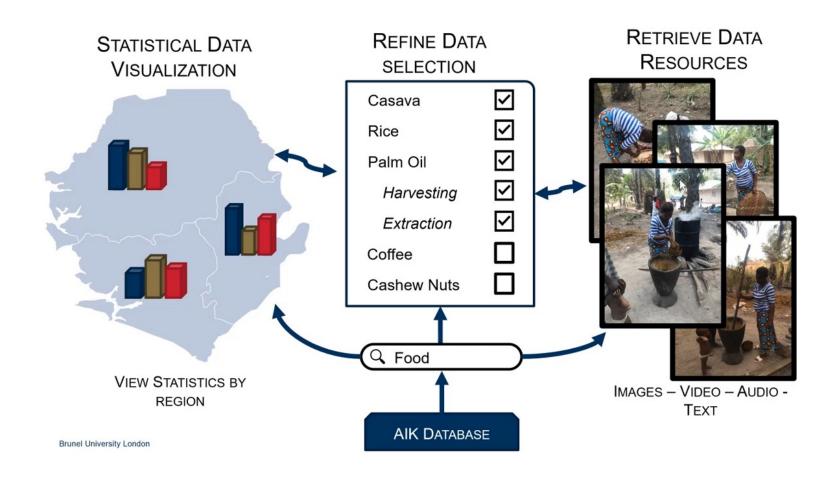
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African Indigenous Knowledge





Knitting patterns



What limits the take up of crowdsourced data mining in EOSC?

- Trust in the reliability? Skills at aggregating the data? Temptation just to pay Amazon MT?
- Seeing science results will help
- Seeing it work up close will help
- Build multi-disciplinary exemplar experiments following ESCAPE model
- Create worked examples of plug-and-play notebooks for running projects in EOSC
- Improve integration with other EOSC services, eg VO, AAI, virtuous circle with ESAP ML (for large projects)
- Open data standards in FAIRsharing.org?
- Dedicated EOSC task force for citizen science?
- > Funding for science analysis platform for interdisciplinary citizen science?





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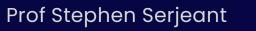






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