



The MM astronomy in the FINK era

The goal of the MM astronomy



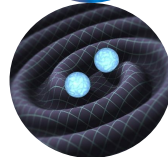
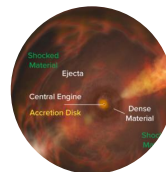
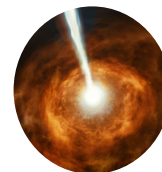
Each astro. messenger catches **unique** and/or **complementary information** about the physics of the most extreme phenomena in the Universe

Combining them is the key to have access to the “true picture” of such events:

- GW give us insights into the extreme properties of BH/NS objects and the pre-merger system
- the astroparticles (and especially the neutrinos) give us insights into the physics where the radiation is fully coupled and trapped by dense matter (early stages of explosion/acceleration mechanisms)
- the light tells us a lot about the transient environment, the nature of the radiating/absorbing chemical elements and the explosive mechanisms

The potential targets for the MM astronomy

The high energy transient sky



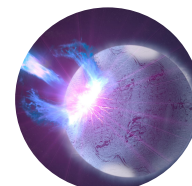
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GRB

FBOT?

CO merger & KN

The high energy flaring sky



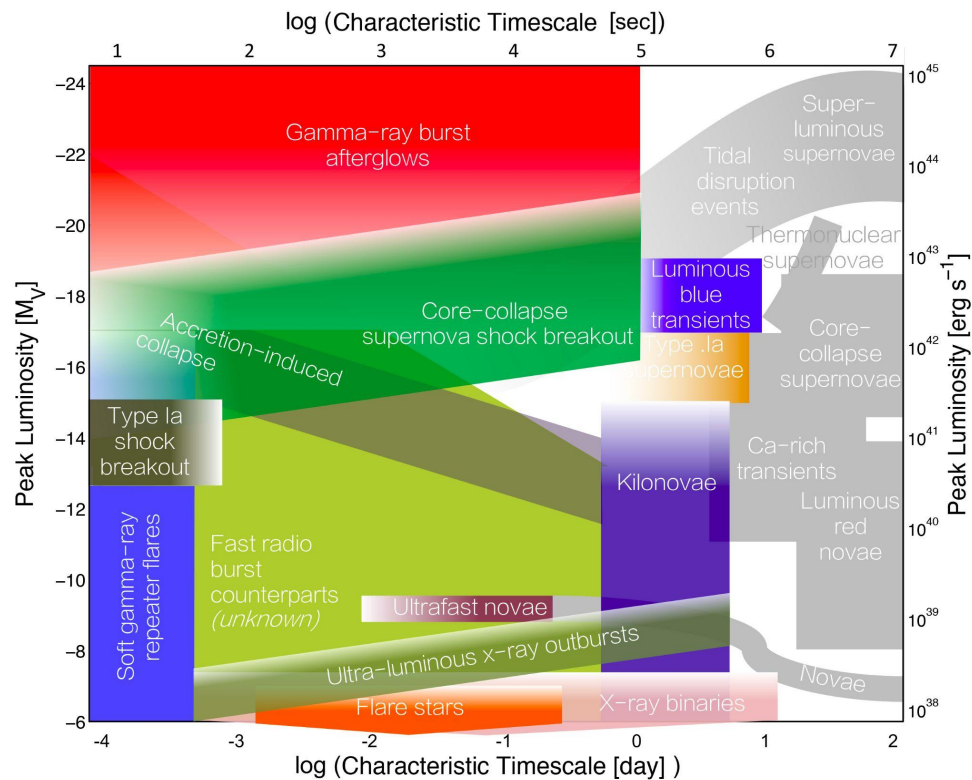
AGN/Blazars

X-ray binaries

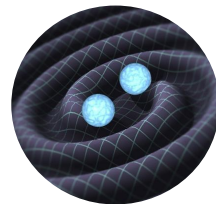
magnetars

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Very different energy output and timescales!



The alert provider landscape of the next decade



LIGO / Virgo / KAGRA and upgrades for O5 and beyond



KM3NeT, IceCube (-gen2?), Super-Kamiokande



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Note that most of the alert providers are also a follow-up facility! This will make the number of published GCN notices/circulars to explode

Breaking news!

Yesterday at 8h20 (Beijing local time)

The Einstein Probe x-ray satellite was successfully launched!!!



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Breaking news! There is a “new ZTF” in China

(science operations have started a month ago)



<https://wfst.ustc.edu.cn/>

<https://arxiv.org/abs/2306.07590>

<https://gcn.nasa.gov/circulars/34979>



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Ex: Collect all data and start a MM analysis in collab. with external teams



Can FINK play a role in this game?

The answer is yes! What do we have? What more do we need?

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What we already have

- The *fink-MM* module: GCN notices (GW, Swift, Fermi, IC) crossmatched with the VRO stream (online and offline)
- The *fast transient* module (mag rate computation)
- The Simbad galaxy crossmatch
- The GW crossmatch service accessible in what we used to call the Fink science portal (RIP)

filter and sub-streams




Topic Name	Description
--- GRB Filter ---	
fink_grb_bronze	Alerts with a real bogus (rb) ≥ 0.7 , classified by Fink as an extra galactic events within the error location of a GRB event.
fink_grb_silver	Alerts satisfying the bronze filter with a grb_proba ≥ 5 sigma.
fink_grb_gold	Alerts satisfying the silver filter with a mag_rate > 0.3 mag/day and a rb ≥ 0.9 .
--- GW Filter ---	
fink_gw_bronze	Alerts with a real bogus (rb) ≥ 0.7 , classified by Fink as an extra galactic events within the error location of a GW event.

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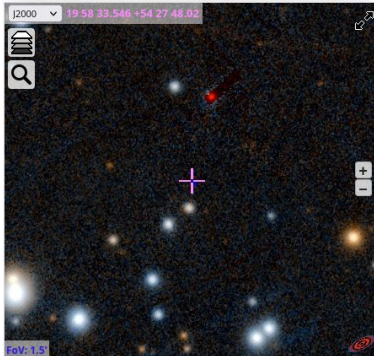
Anomaly ?

 **ZTF23abaanxz**

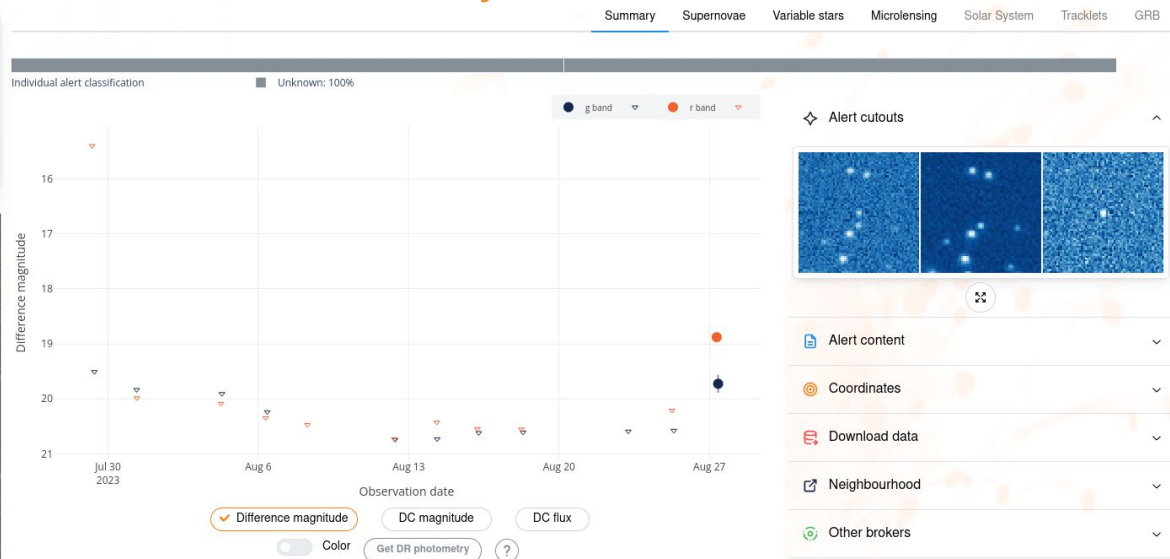
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Last detection: 2023-08-27 09:46:21
Duration: 0.07 / 0.14 days
Detections: 2 good, 0 bad, 20 upper
RA/Dec: 19 58 33.55 +54 27 48.0

J2000 19 58 33.546 +54 27 48.00



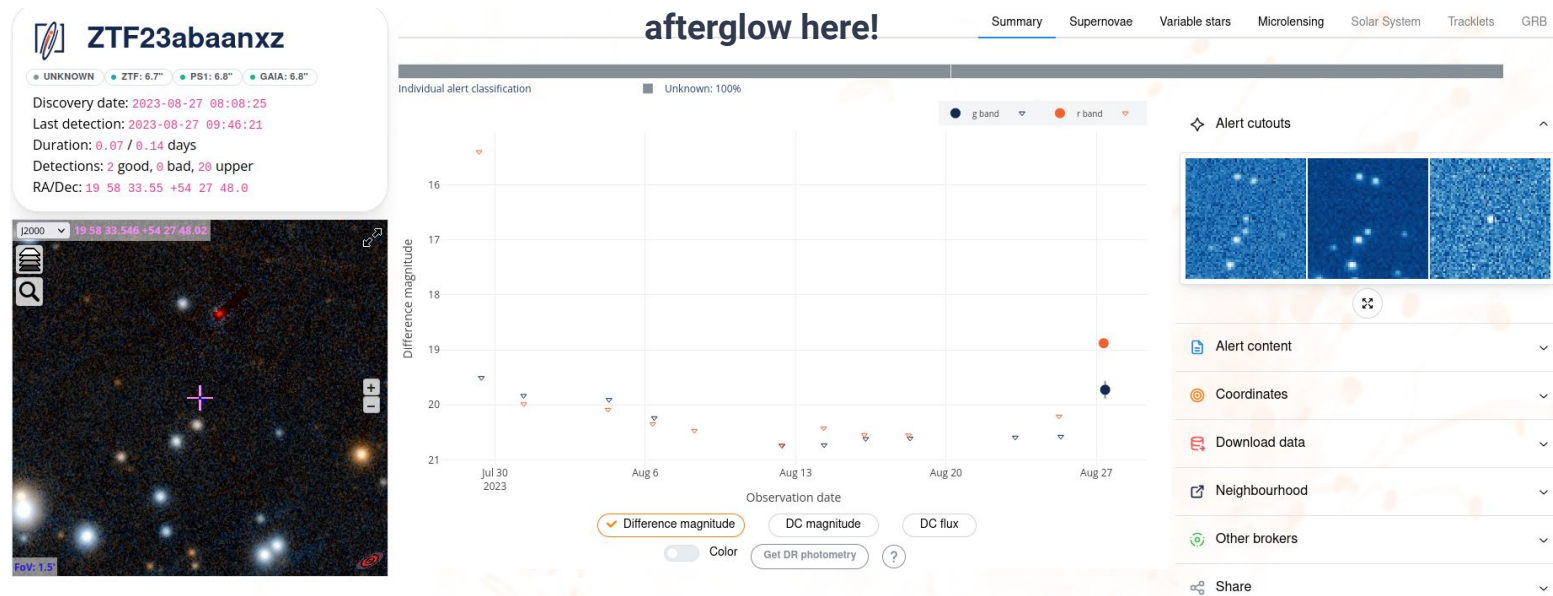
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ZTF23abaanxz **afterglow here!** [Summary](#) [Supernovae](#) [Variable stars](#) [Microlensing](#) [Solar System](#) [Tracklets](#) [GRB](#)

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In preparation

Targeted searches for optical Gamma-ray Burst afterglow counterparts using the Fink broker

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2023

Observation date

Difference magnitude DC magnitude DC flux

Color Get DR photometry ?

Neighbourhood

Other brokers

Share



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What more do we need?

- Matches with more notices stream or make joint with more streams?
- Slack bot for MM associations with the VRO stream (a null result is also an information)
- Flag in the VRO alert that it is compatible in time and space with a (validated) MM source (science case dependent...)
- Matches with more catalogs for specific MM science cases? catalogs to be defined
- A SN1b/c classifier for long GRBs association
- other ideas....?

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Classification and follow-up interest (for VRO optical transient sources)

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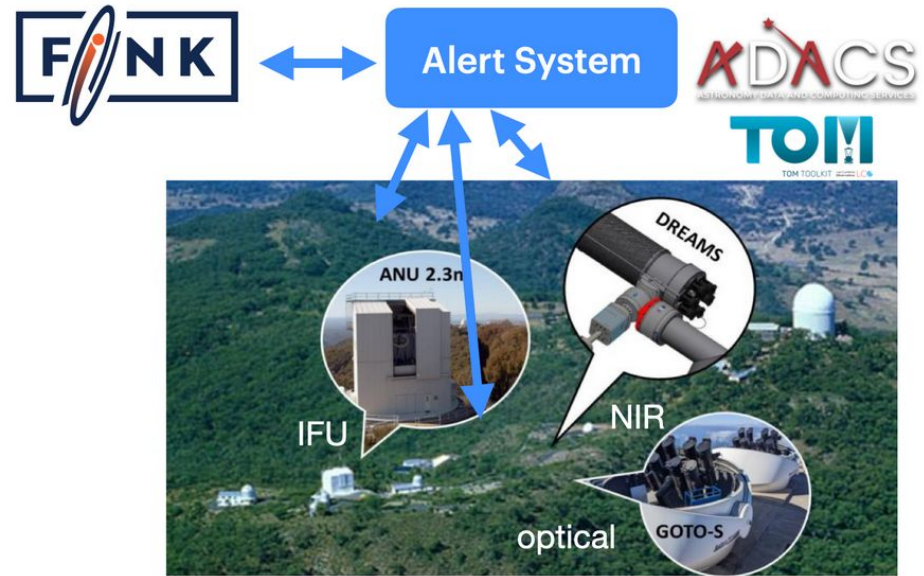
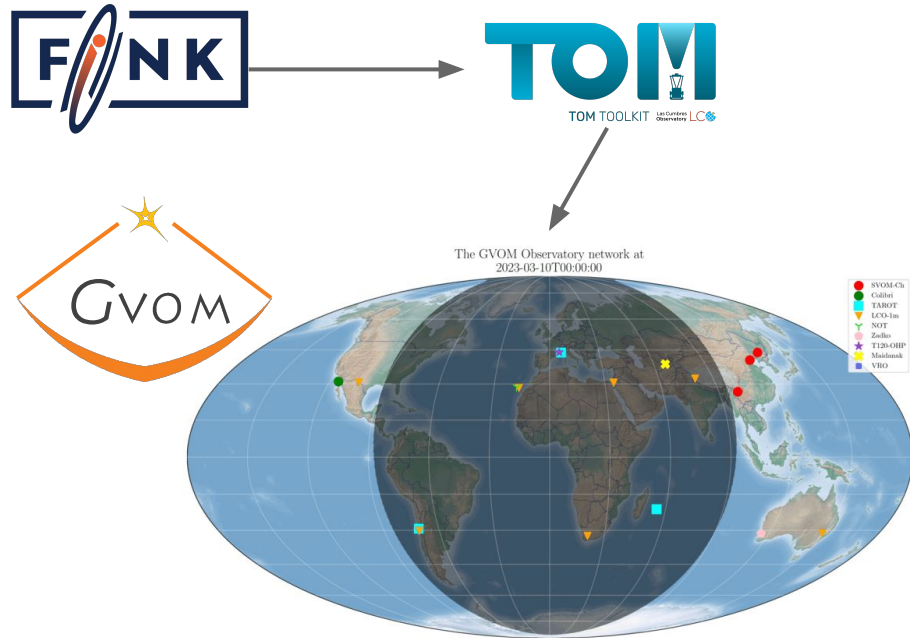
- All the FINK classifiers to filter out unrelated alerts

What more do we need?

- Probability of serendipitous association in the sky with a MM alert for each FINK source class that have a positive match?
- other dedicated classifiers to be implemented?
- A host or hostless? Look at template images if a galaxy is visible at the transient location or nearby (TBD)
- other ideas?

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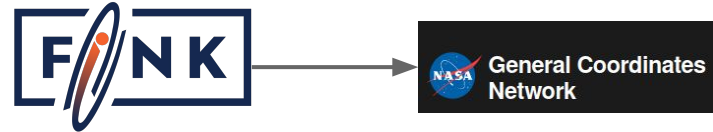


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- If we are quick enough to identify robust identification via FINK, could we suggest follow-up to external teams via official FINK GCN Circulars? More visibility for the Broker and the FINK MM team but template and author list need to be defined
- other ideas?



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Joint publications

What we already have

- A visibility in the MM community as being an official VRO broker that collects all the OT candidate data from LSST

What more do we need?

- Promote again and again our services to quickly extract data for transient source analysis.
- More interfaces (API, other?) with other MM Collaborations and services? Astro-Colibri To be listed...
- Other ideas...?

Any useful service for MMA that we don't have yet?