

Science Pipelines Overview

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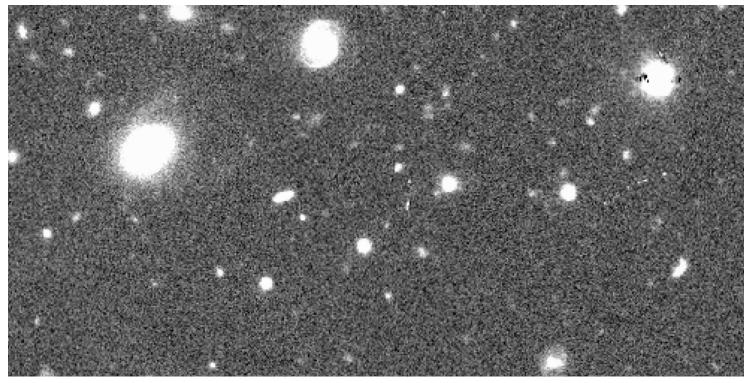






How do we "best" combine multi-epoch imaging to extract the maximum information?

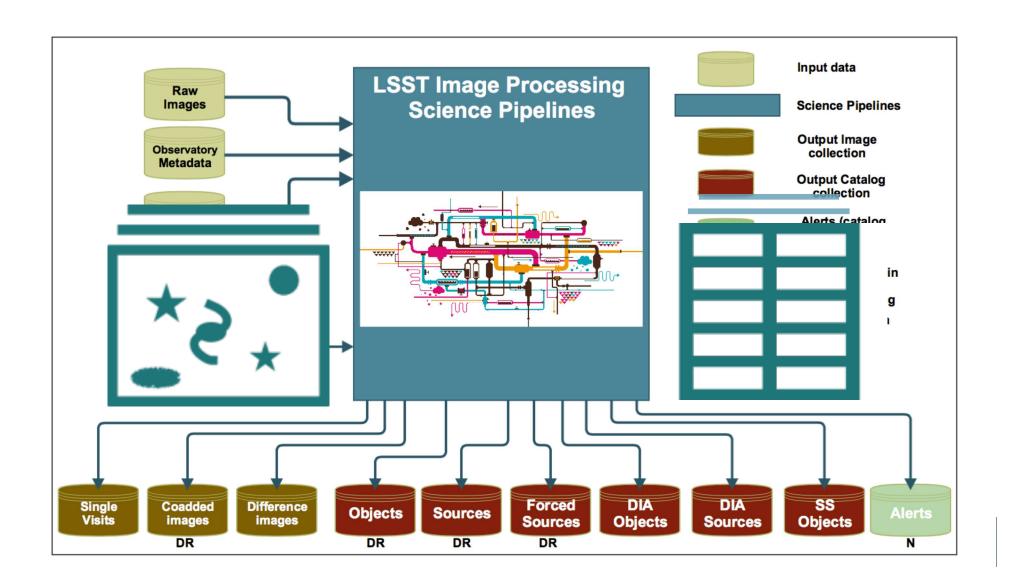




HSC-I COSMOS field (270s exposures)







Science Pipelines consists of 2 components: Prompt Products and Annual Data Release Production

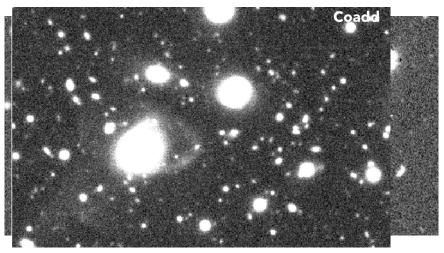


Annual Data Release Products (DRP)

11 Data releases in 10 years.

Final catalog: 15PB Final pixels: 100PB





Prompt Data Products via nightly alert streams (Alert Production = AP)

~10 million alerts per night issued within 60 s of shutter close





The DRP and AP pipelines are constructed from the same algorithmic components



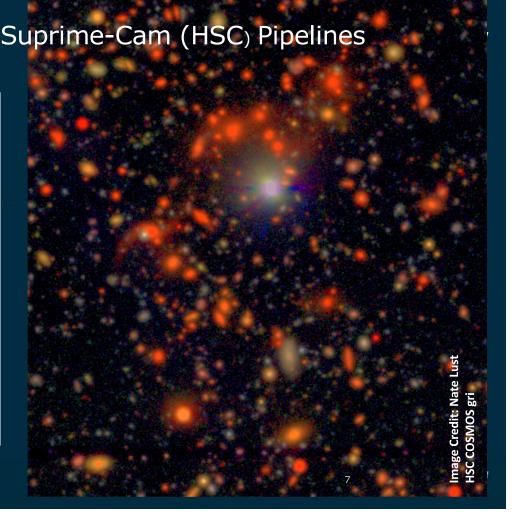


How do we know how well it works?



We say "HSC" frequently because the LSST Pipelines **are** the Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC) Pipelines

Survey Comparison	LSST	HSC (Subaru Strategic Program)
Effective Aperture	6.5m	8.2m
Filters	ugrizy	grizy + narrow
Exposure time per visit	~30s	~240s
Field of View	10 deg² 3.5 deg diam	1.8 deg ² 1.5 deg diam
Num CCDs	189 (4k x 4k)	103 (4k x 2k)

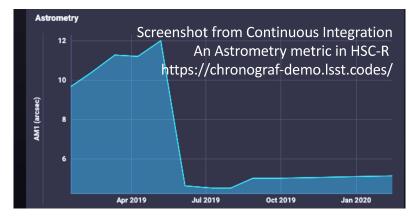




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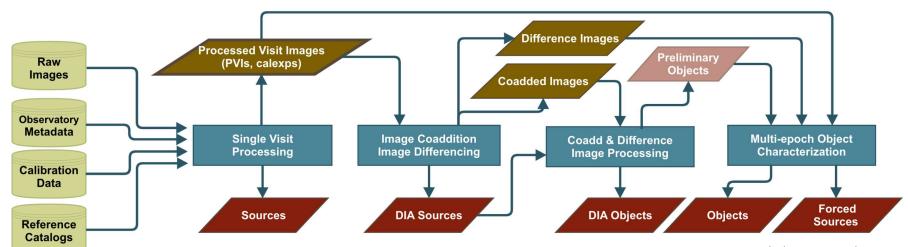
- Real HSC Data Releases
- Month continuous integration
 - Track metrics through time and version.
 - DRP on 5 sq. deg. HSC and LSST ImSim (DESC DC2)
- Nightly continuous integration
 - DRP on patch/ccd scale HSC/CFHT, AP on DECam
- Inject fake sources



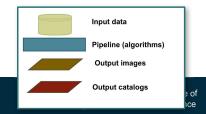




High level overview of the a Data Release Production



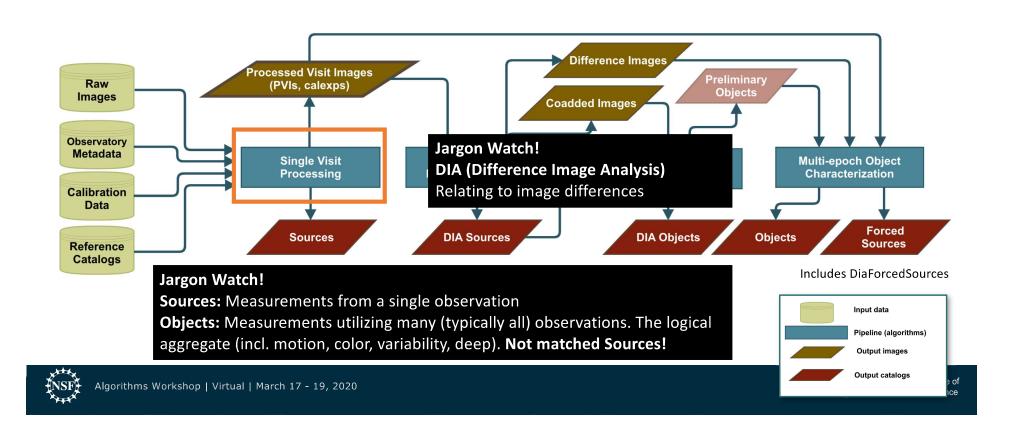
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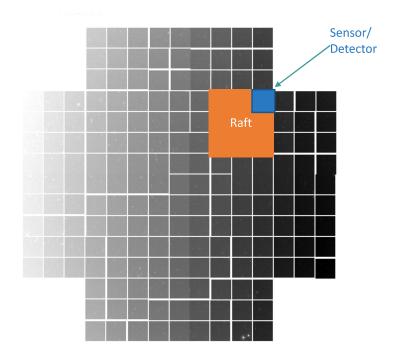


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Jargon watch: Visits, CCDs, Exposures

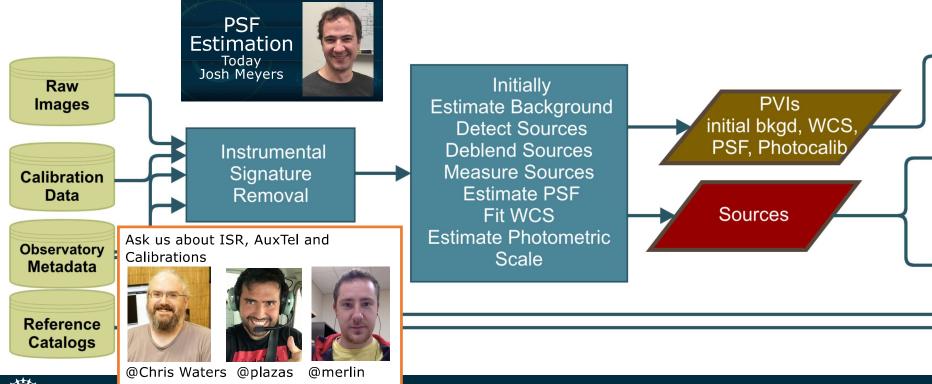


Exposure: A software Object that contains an image plane, mask plane, variance plane, PSF model, WCS, photoCalib and visit metadata. Stored in FITS format



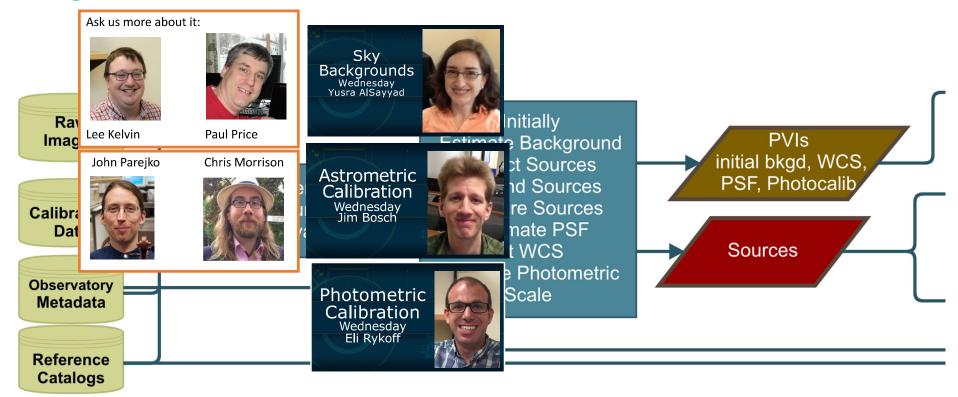
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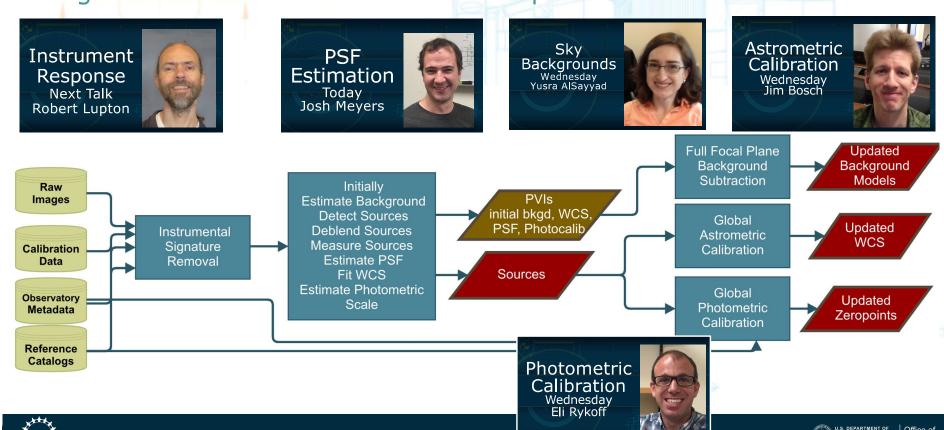
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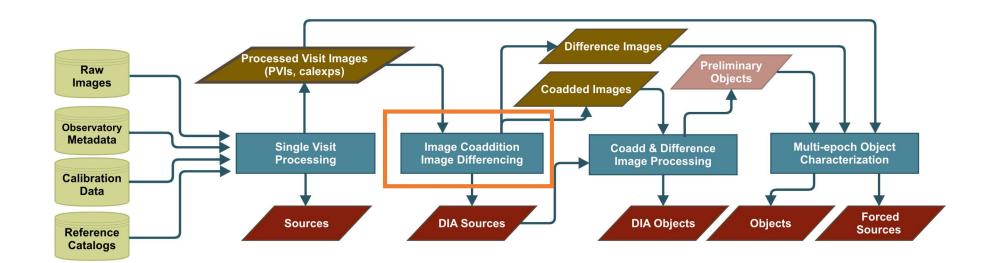


Single Visit Processing (as it works now) Image Characterization and Calibration: printout

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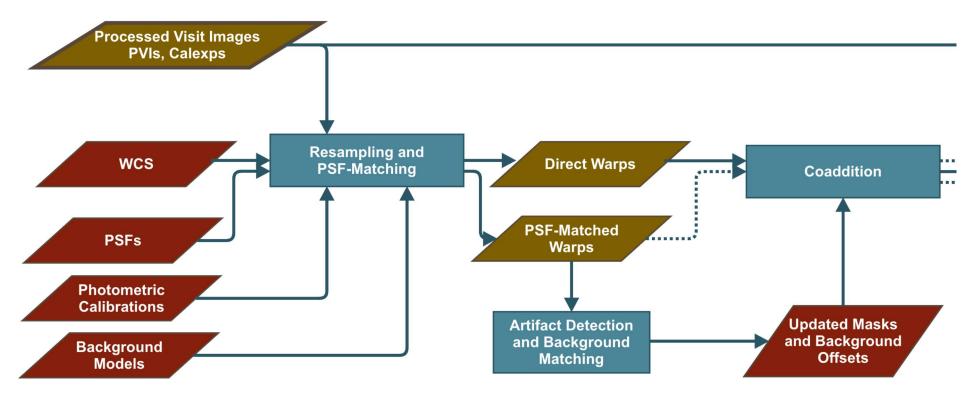


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Coaddition and Image Differencing







Jargon Watch! Tract, Patch HSC's skyMap:

SkyMap: a Software Object that defines a coadd's:

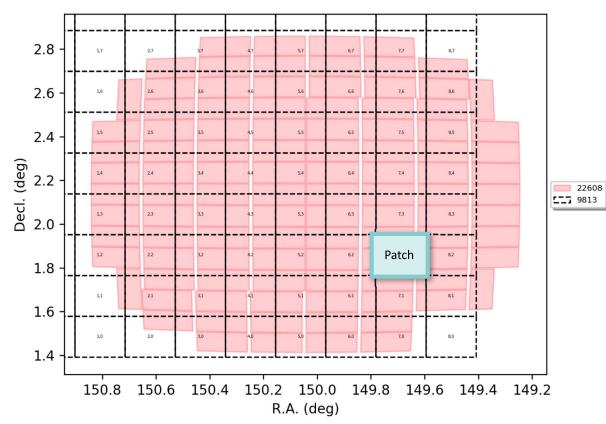
 WCS/Projection: TAN (gnomonic)

• Pixel Scale: ~Native

Tract Size: ~FOV

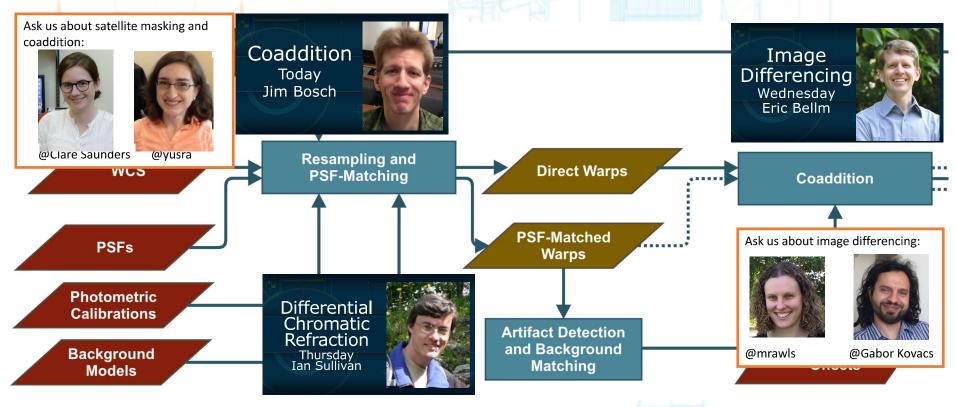
• Patch Size: ~CCD

Modular implementation makes it easy to swap projections and tessellations at runtime



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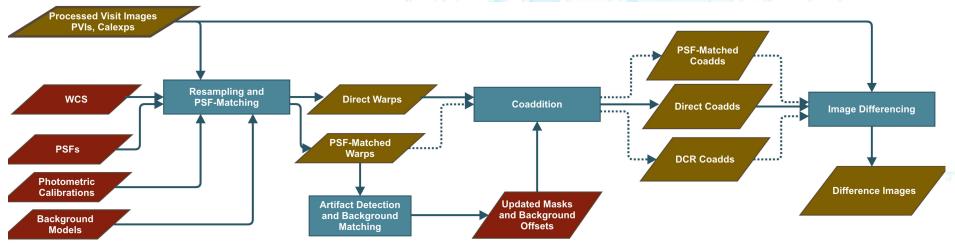
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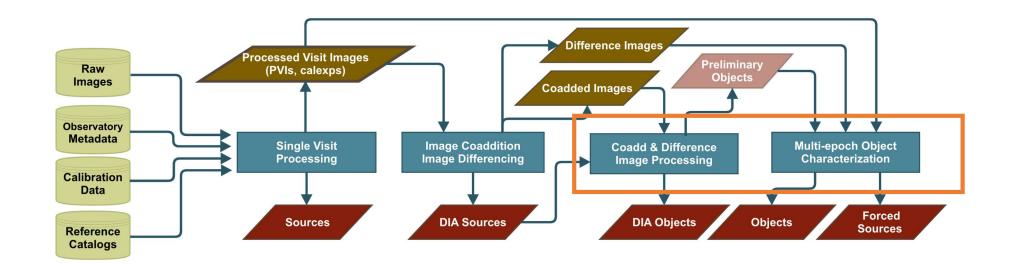








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Multi-band and Multi-epoch Object Characterization

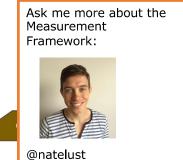




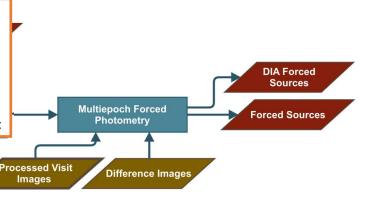






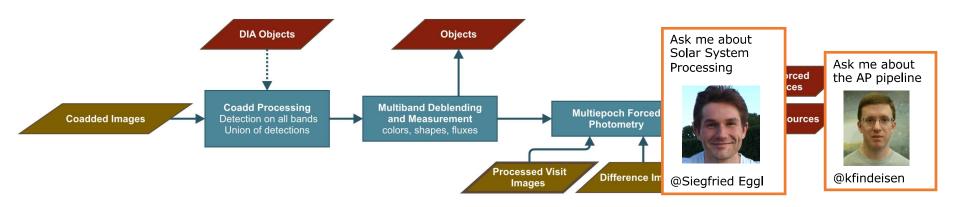






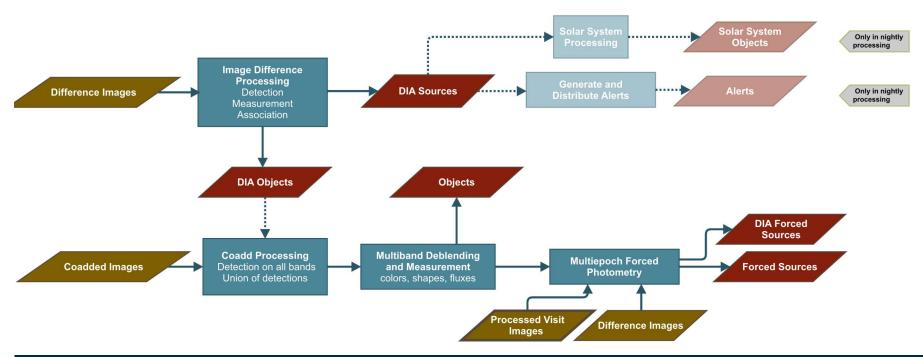
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You (Avatars in #mtg-algorithms-workshop)

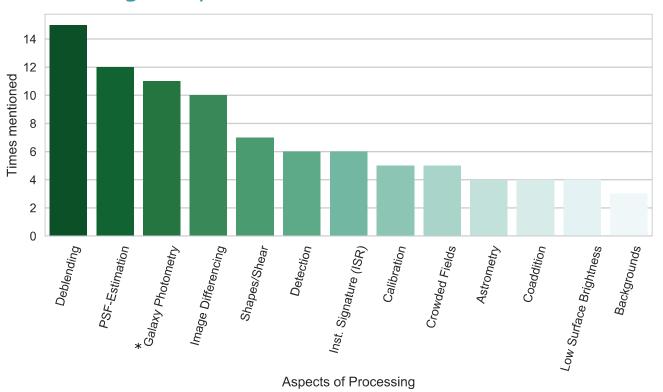




We asked you: "What aspects of the Science Pipelines Processing are you most interested in?"







←An unscientific coding

Also mentioned:

Templates Stellar motion **DCR** Coadd Artifact Rejection Coadd processing Brighter-Fatter



Some topics with interest **did not** make the cut for this workshop (beyond a brief mention)



- Software
- Data products
- Science Platform, Visualization
- Middleware
- Solar System Processing, moving objects processing
- Slow moving objects (Coaddition talk)
- Alerts
- Fake source injection
- Star Galaxy Separation
- Photo-z's (Galaxy Photometry talk)
- Dust Extinction
- Extended transients





- In talks that follow, we'll tell you:
 - Why is this component important and challenging?
 - What do we do now?
 - What are the limitations?
 - What are the plans for overcoming the limitations?
- We'd like:
 - To hear your lessons learned!
 - Your metrics. (i.e. will this support my science?)

More Information



- Data Products Definition Document (LSE-163): http://ls.st/dpdd
- Science Pipelines Design Document (LDM-151): http://ls.st/ldm-151
- Post questions at https://community.lsst.org/c/sci/data
- Post questions on LSSTC Slack if you're on Project or in a Science Collaboration
- Documentation and code: https://pipelines.lsst.io
- https://www.lsst.org/scientists/glossary-acronyms