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Two challenges

I. **Infrastructure** Connecting DESC | Rubin | Brokers

Phase I : Repeated 10% sample -> Brokers -> DESC

Now!

Phase II: 100% sample

September/October

II. **Classification**

September/October



ELAsTiCC & brokers

Rubin Observatory Full-Stream Alert Brokers

- [Alerce](#)
- [AMPEL](#)
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- [BABAMUL](#)
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- [Lasair](#)
- [Pitt-Google](#)

Rubin Observatory Downstream Alert Brokers

- [SNAPS](#)
- [POI: Variables](#)





- A community driven effort, *open to anyone*
- >40 researchers and engineers >7 countries and growing!
- Designed for Rubin with big data technology (e.g. distributed computation)
- Since 2019 processing ZTF II public alert stream available at fink-portal.org





enrich, select, distribute to maximise science



*enrich, select, **distribute** to maximise science*

ELAsTiCC

I. Infrastructure Connecting DESC | Rubin | Brokers

Phase I : Repeated 10% sample -> Brokers -> DESC

Status:

✓ Received stream with 10 % sample:

adapted LSST filters, fields, ...

✓ Resent stream with “fake” classifications

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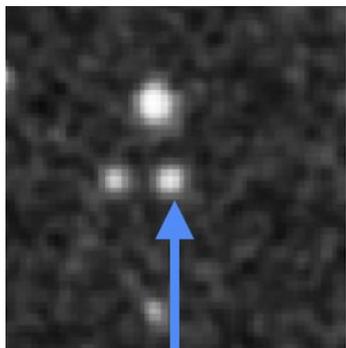
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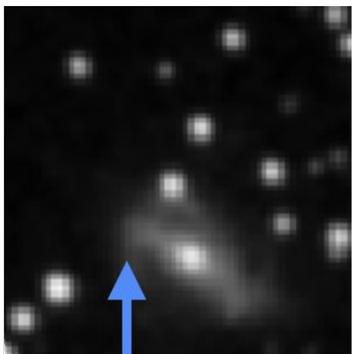
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Catalogues

*CDS SIMBAD, Gaia DR3,
GCVS, VSX, Mangrove, MPC*



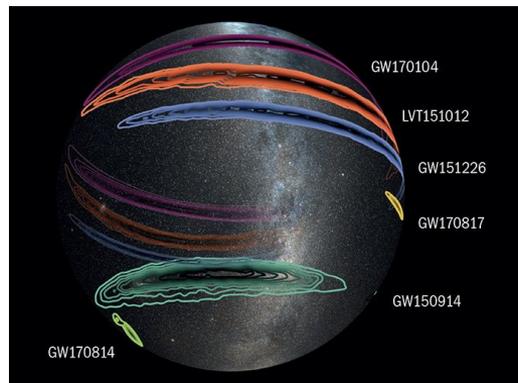
Variable Star



Galaxy close by

VOEvents, GCN, ...

features



Color, rates, ...



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Machine Learning

- Early SNIa: Random Forest (RF) and Active Learning ([Ishida+2019](#), [Leoni+2022](#))
- Supernova: RNNs ([Möller+2019](#))
- Microlensing: RF ([Godines, Bachelet+2019](#))
- Fast transients: RF (Biswas et al. In prep)
- [In progress] Multi-class: Transformers ([Allam+2021](#))
- [In progress] Multi-class: RNN ([Burhanudin+2021](#))
- [In progress] Multi-class: LSTM (Bom+ in prep.)

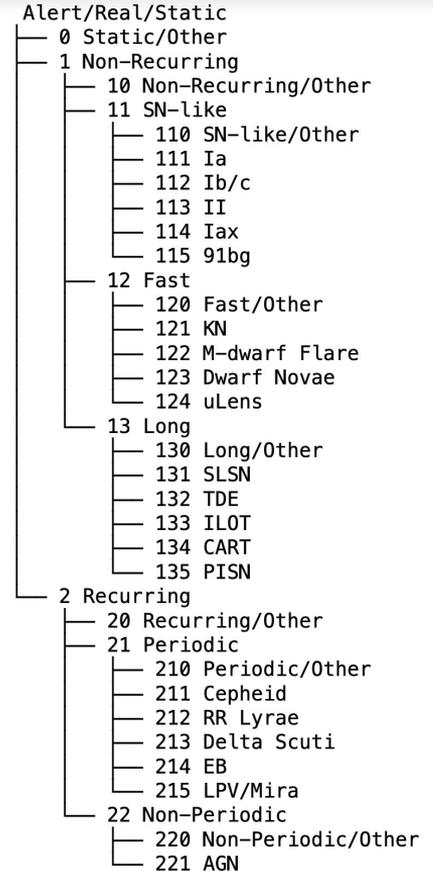
These algorithms + cuts select candidates! [Möller, Peloton, Ishida+2020](#)

This is different in ELAsTiCC as we can't query catalogues nor have additional info



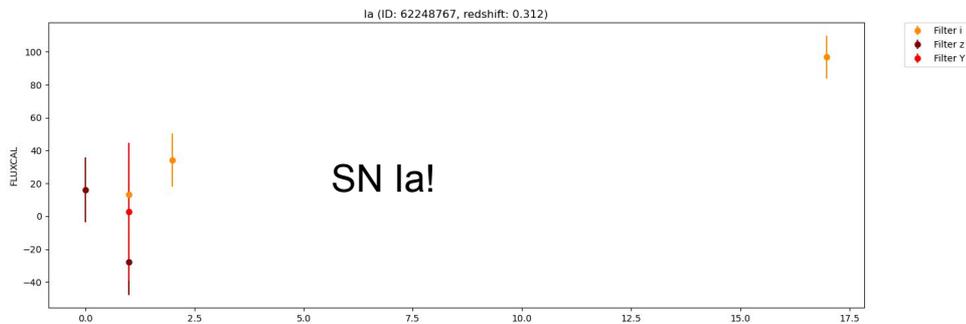
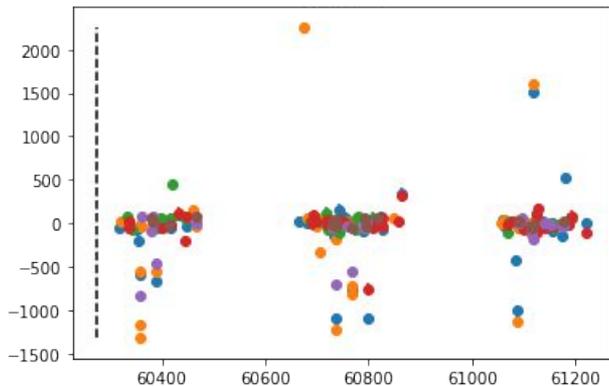
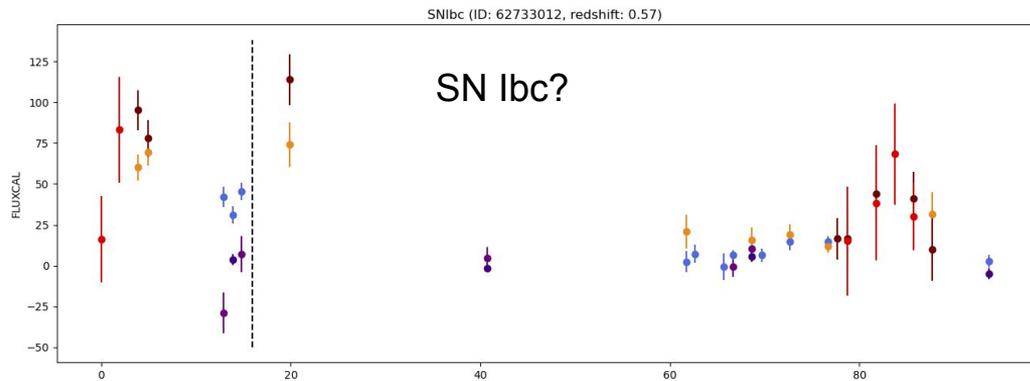
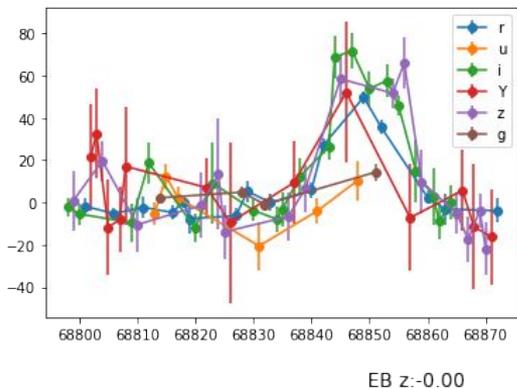
Machine Learning for ELAsTiCC

- Size and balance of subclasses affect the potential performance of algorithms when using only training set (no augmentation)
- Taxonomy
- Baselines
- Magnitude limits and detections





Machine Learning for ELAsTiCC



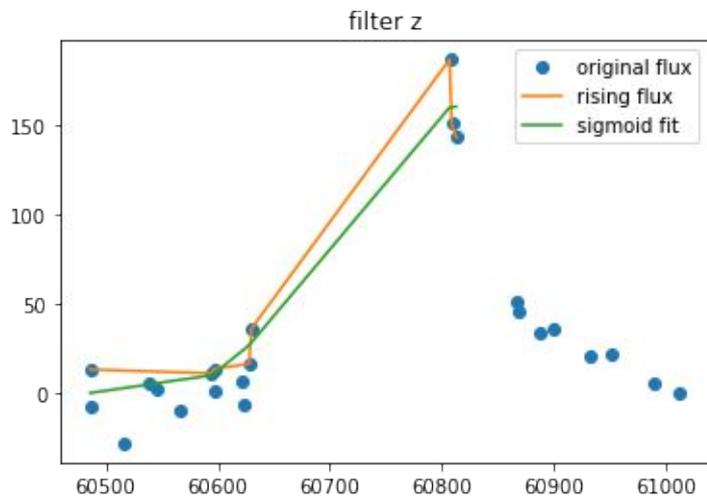


Machine Learning for ELAsTiCC

Very very preliminary!

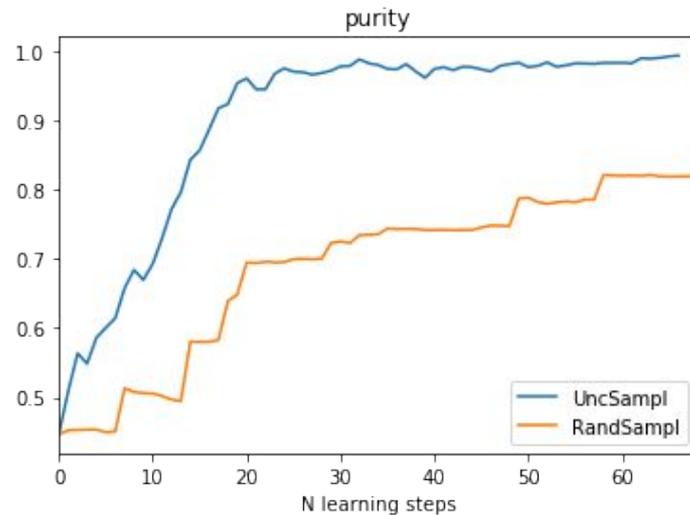
Early SNIa with Active Learning [Leoni+2022](#)

Feature extraction



Only rising events and FLUXCAL>100

AL loop



Work by M. Leoni & E.

Ishida

Purity : $TP / (TP + FN)$



Machine Learning for ELAsTiCC

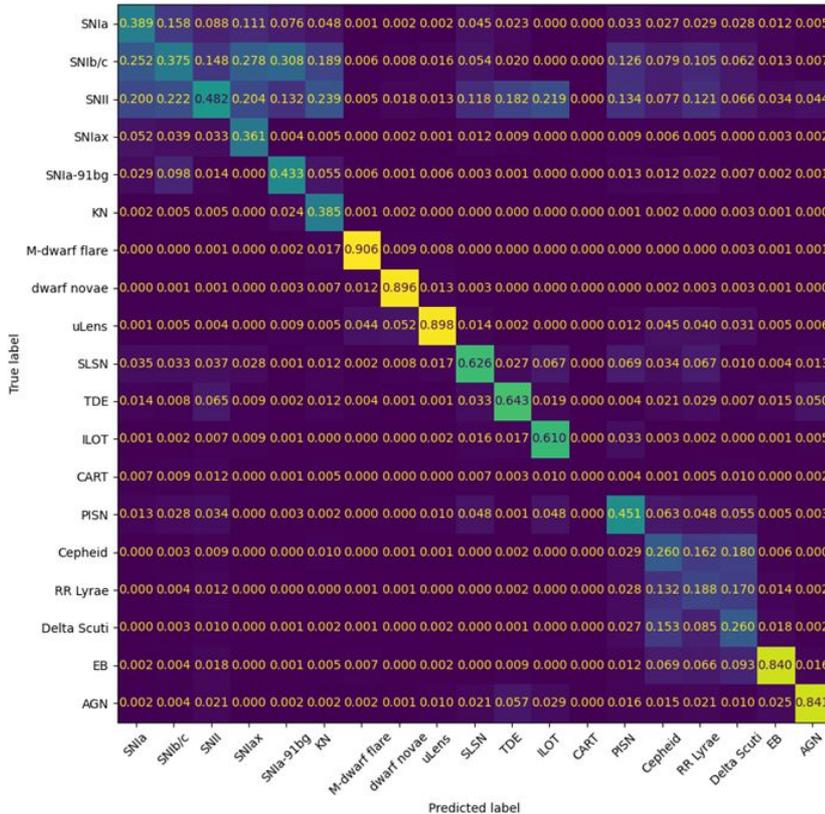
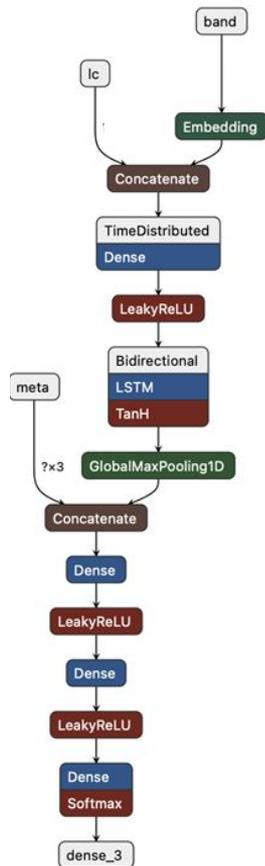
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Long Short-term Memory Deep Network

Using only the first alert and forced photometry

Metadata used:

- redshift+error
- host galaxy
- redshift+error
- MW extinction



Work by Bom, Fraga et al.



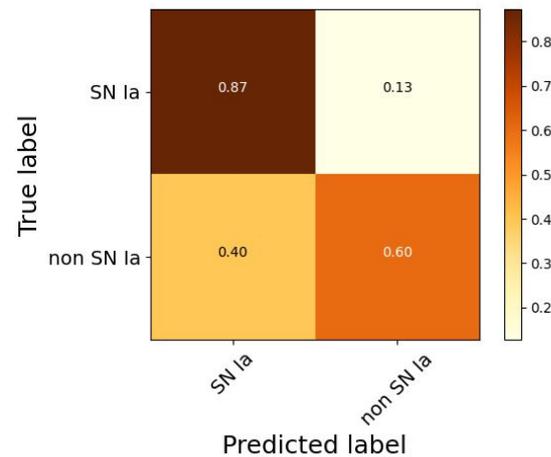
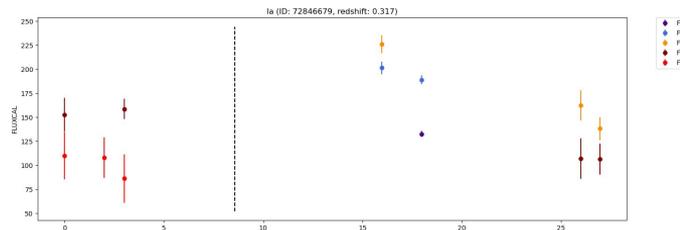
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SN Ia vs non-Ia with SuperNNova (RNN) [Möller+2019](#)

- ✓ Adapted algorithm to LSST filters/inputs
- ⚠ Training set curation
 - Time window
 - Sampling + magnitude limits

Accuracies SN Ia vs non-Ia: ~75% complete-lightcurve, partial are more challenging
Multi-class on the works...



FINK & ELAsTiCC

✓ Infrastructure tests successfully ongoing

⚠ ML phase

- ! Real data uses ML scores + selection cuts + catalogues + context
- ! Training set curation is non-trivial
- ! Different ML algorithms -> non-normalized scores...

Other questions....

- Very sparse sampled light-curves, should they be our selection goal?
 - Can we do cosmology with this type of observing strategy?

