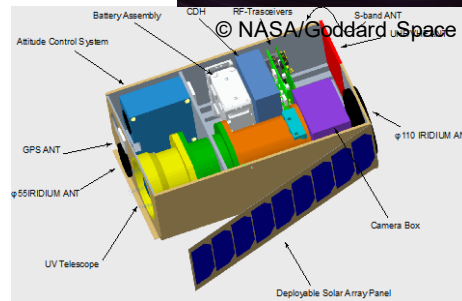
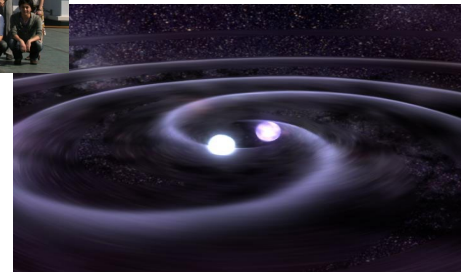


6U CubeSat for ultraviolet time-domain astronomy

Yoichi YATSU Tokyo Tech
on behalf of Tokyo Tech Small Sat team

Outline

- ◆ Self introduction
- ◆ Scientific Motivation
- ◆ Mission design
- ◆ System design
- ◆ Status report



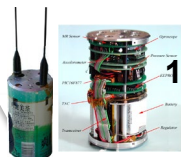
Tokyo Tech smallsat projects

2016 ASTRO-H (JAXA's flagship X-ray satellite)

~15 graduate students

3 faculty staffs from

Dept of Engineering and Dept of Physics



1999~ CAN Sats



2003~ CUTE-I

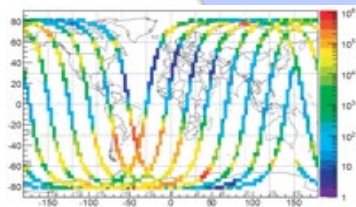


Still alive

2006 Cute-1.7 + APD



Re-entered



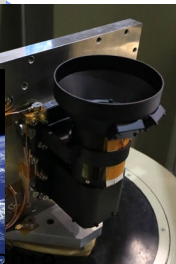
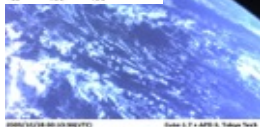
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2008~ Cute-1.7+APD II

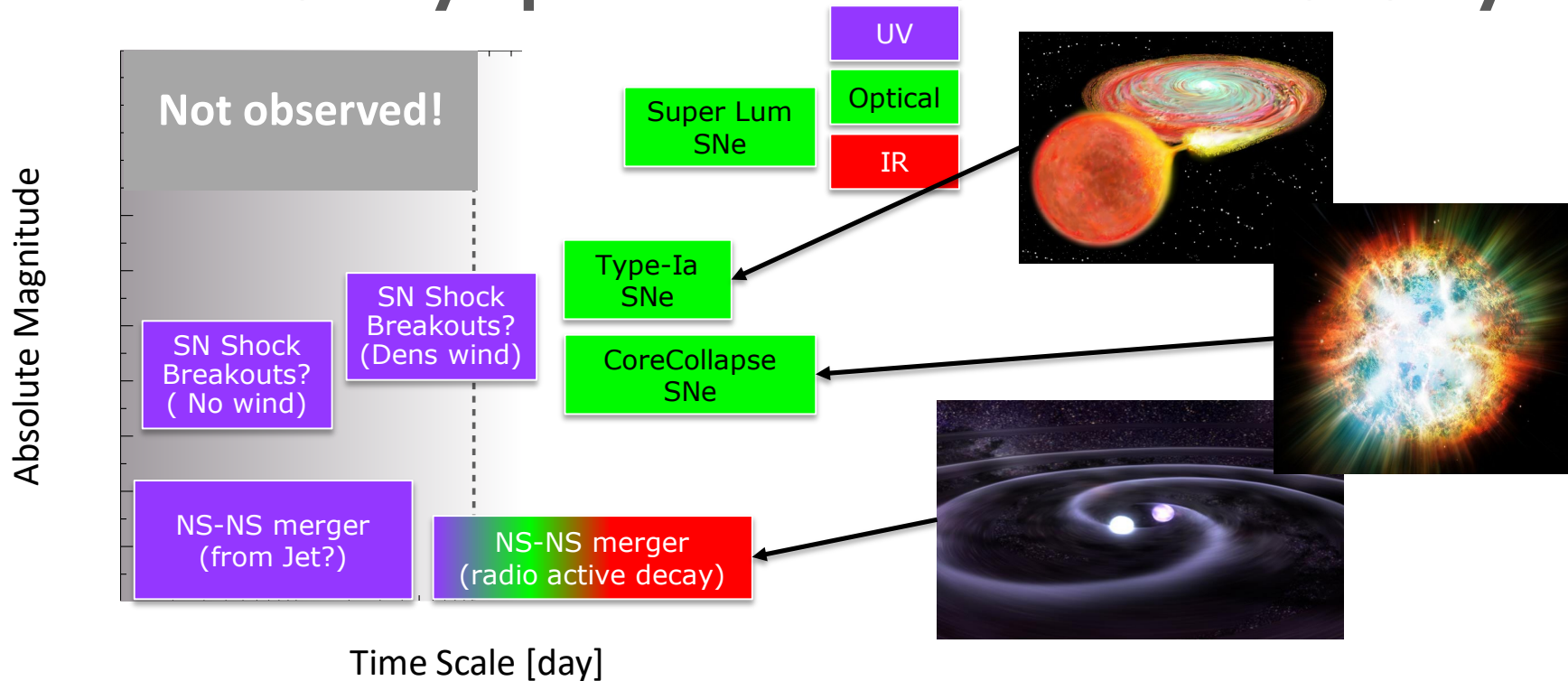


2014~2015
TSUBAME

2019~
DLAS/RAPIS-1



New discovery space: Time-domain astronomy



- ◆ A transient must be hotter in immediate after the explosion.
- ◆ UV is therefore ideal to investigate early phase behavior.

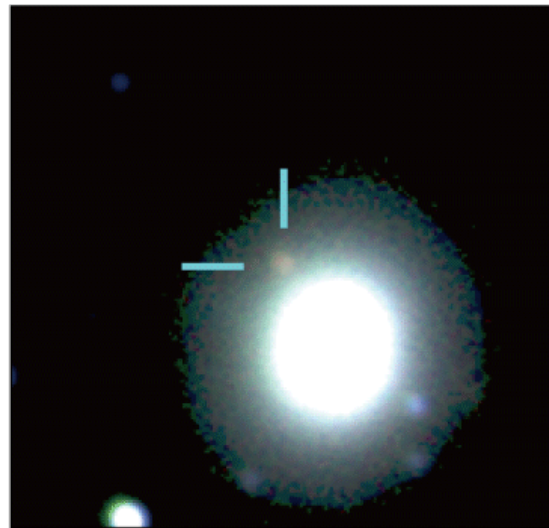
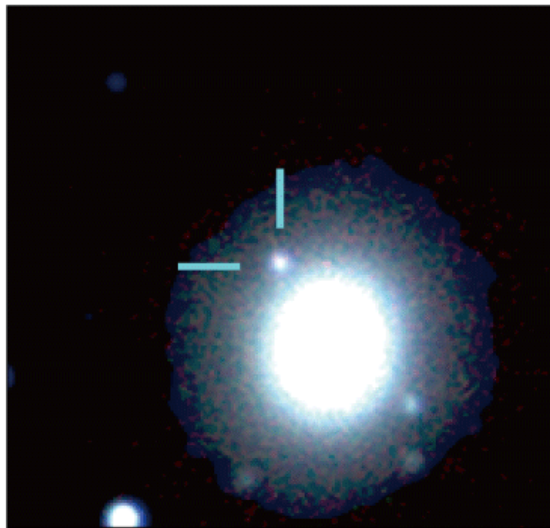
Main Target: Gravitational wave sources

- ◆ The afterglow was BLUE in the very early phase!

2017.08.18-19

2017.08.24-25

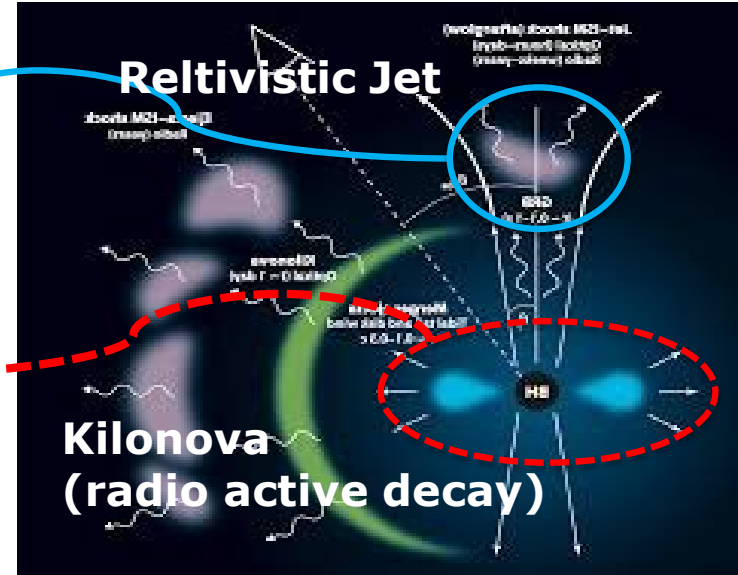
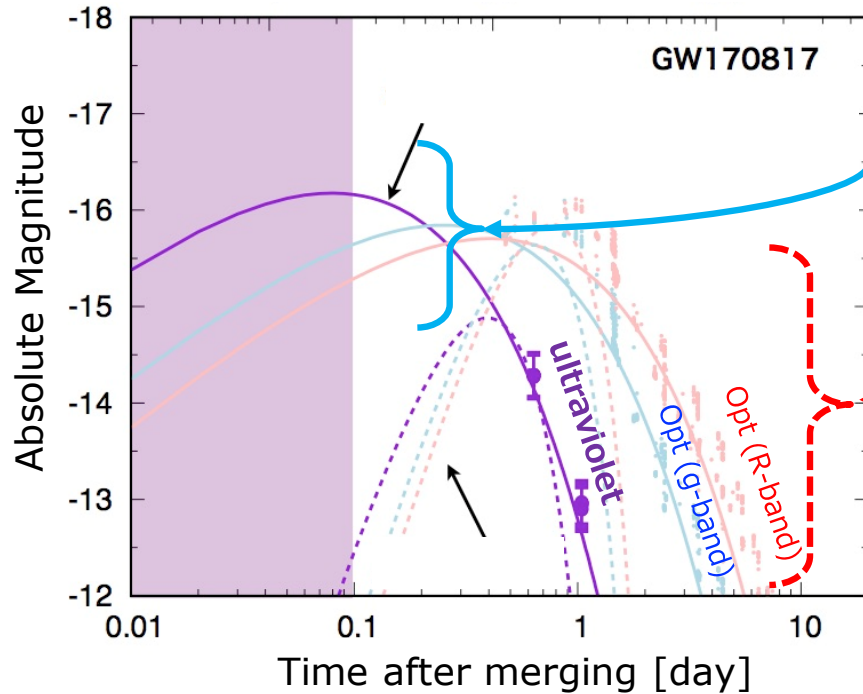
GW170817



Utsumi+ 2017

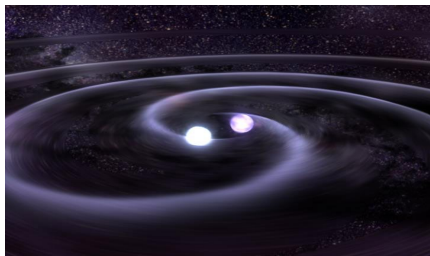
We still do NOT know the mechanism/origin of this blue emission !!

Kilonova or relativistic Jet

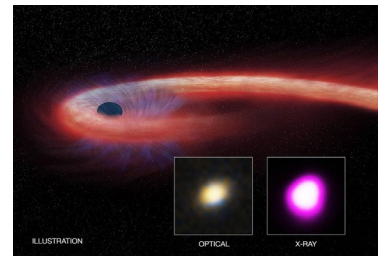


- ◆ Early phase observation within an hour after the merge
- ◆ In early phase, UV band is dominant

Possible Targets and Expected Event Rate



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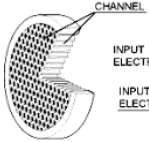



© CXC/M. Weiss

Target	Position uncertainty	Duration	Magnitude
GWs (NS-NS)	$\sim 100 \text{ deg}^2$	0.5~10 hr?	20 mag@100 Mpc
Shock Breakouts	Unpredictable	$\sim 0.5 \text{ hr?}$	$\sim 3 \text{ yr}^{-1} 100 \text{ deg}^{-2}$
Tidal Disruption Events	Unpredictable	\sim a few weeks	$\sim 2 \text{ yr}^{-1} 100 \text{ deg}^{-2}$

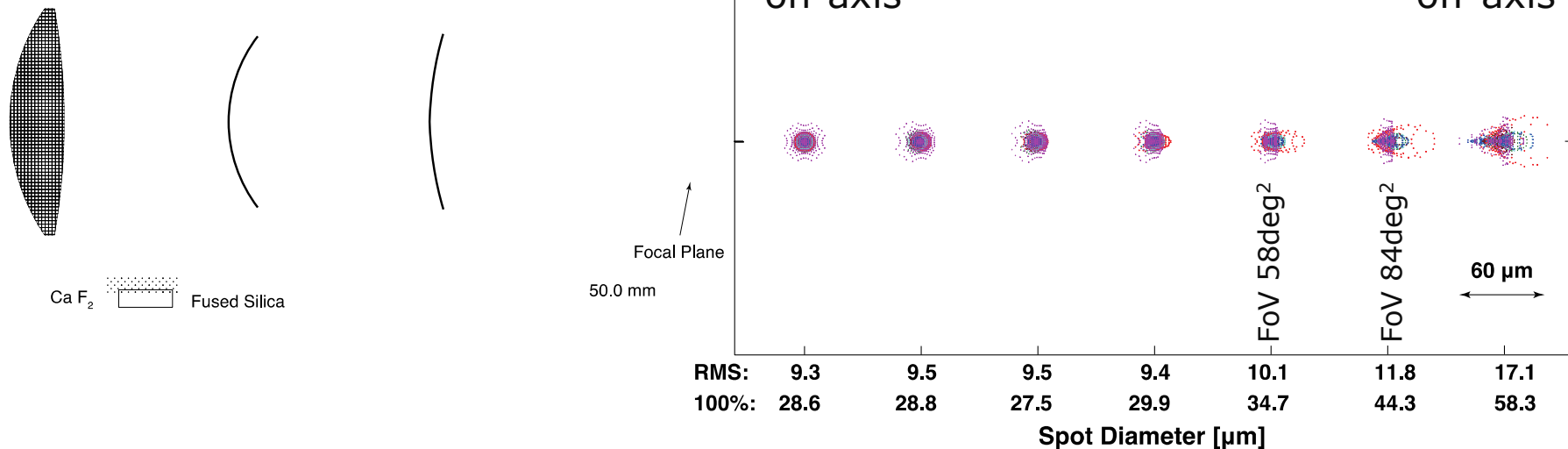
- ◆ FoV > 100 deg²
- ◆ Limiting mag > 20 mag
- ◆ Detection alert => within 1 hour

How to overcome the size limit?

BUS	Telescope	throughput	Detector	FoV	Cost
 GALEX (NASA)	D=50cm	T~3%	 MCP QE~10%	 1deg ²	\$100M

- ◆ Utilizing new technologies (JPL's delta-doping detector/AR coating)
- ◆ [Sensitivity]×[FoV] will be almost the same with GALEX

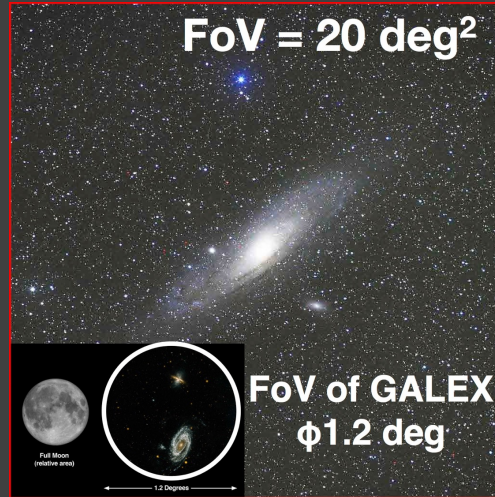
Ray diagram & Spot diagram



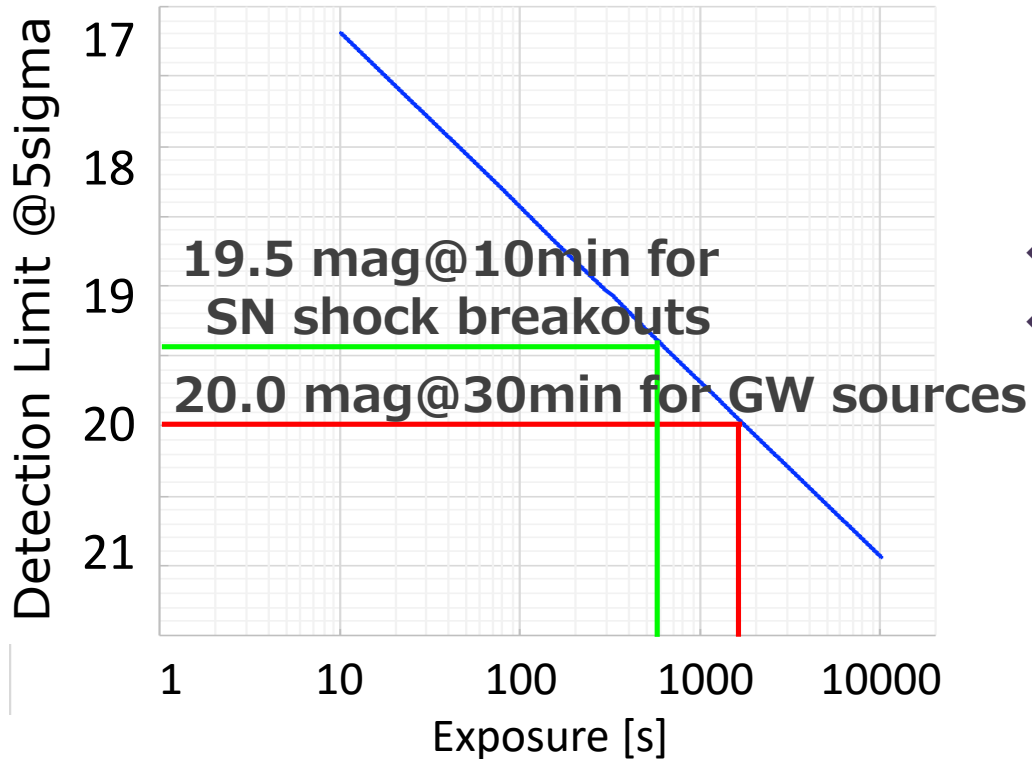
- ◆ The image circle $\geq \varnothing 48\text{mm}$, FoV $\geq 84 \text{ deg}^2$
- ◆ But the focal length is quite sensitive \sim a few tens of $\mu\text{m}/^\circ\text{C}$.

106 deg² (JPL CMOS)

84 deg² (PSF < 1 pixel)



Expected Performance



- ◆ We need 1800 s exposure
- ◆ Detection limit of 20mag@5 σ

Data rate

◆ Raw image data:

- $4k \times 4k \times 16bit \times 1/3(\text{zipped}) = 10.7 \text{ MByte/image}$
- Number of Images
 - $3 \text{ image} \times 4 \text{ field} \times 15 \text{ orbit} = 180 \text{ images/day}$
 - $(180 \text{ s combined image} \times 3 + 1 \text{ min MNV for 1 field})$
- **Image data: $180 \times 10.7 \text{ MByte} \sim 1.8 \text{ GByte/day}$**

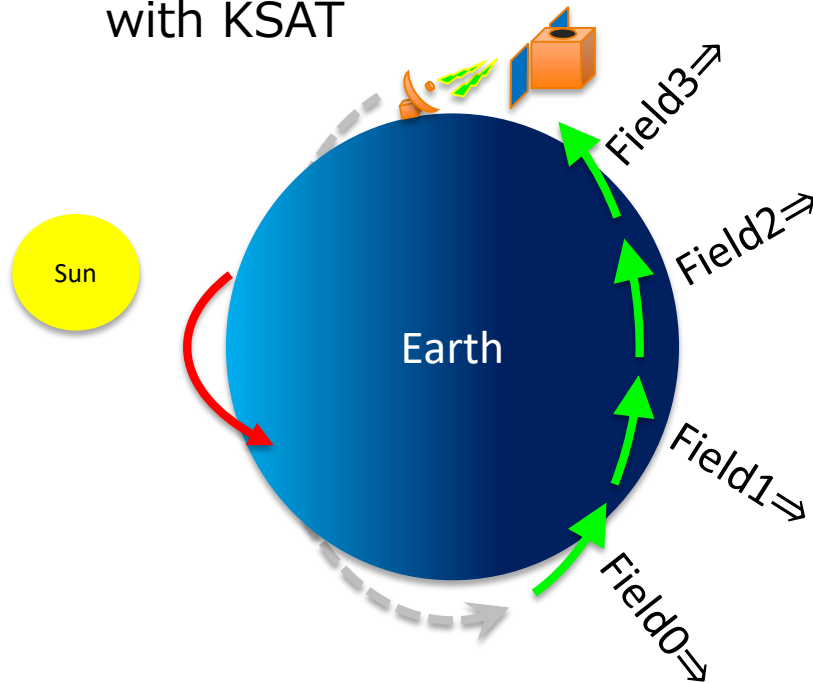
◆ Photometric data:

- Stellar density $< 20 \text{ mag} \sim 183 \text{ star/deg}^2$
- Stellar number (100deg^2) $\sim 20000 \text{ objects/image}$
- $[20000 \text{ stars}] \times [180 \text{ images}] \times 180\text{s}/60\text{s} = 1.08 \times 10^7 \text{ records}$
- Bit depth
 - Flux 16bit, Flux error 16 bit
 - Coordinate (R.A. 24bit, Dec 24bit, X 16 bit, Y 16 bit)
- Frame Header
 - Timestamp (32bit/frame)
 - Attitutde (Quatanion 16bitx4) bit
- **Photometric data = 152.2 MByte/day**

◆ **Data Rate $\sim 2\text{GByte /day}$**

Observation Strategy

TLM downlink
with KSAT



Charging
in Dayside

Observing
in Nightside

SSC2019

FoV : 100 deg^2

Survey area : $100 \text{ deg}^2 \times 4$

Limiting mag :

19.5 mag /orbit

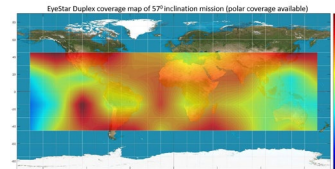
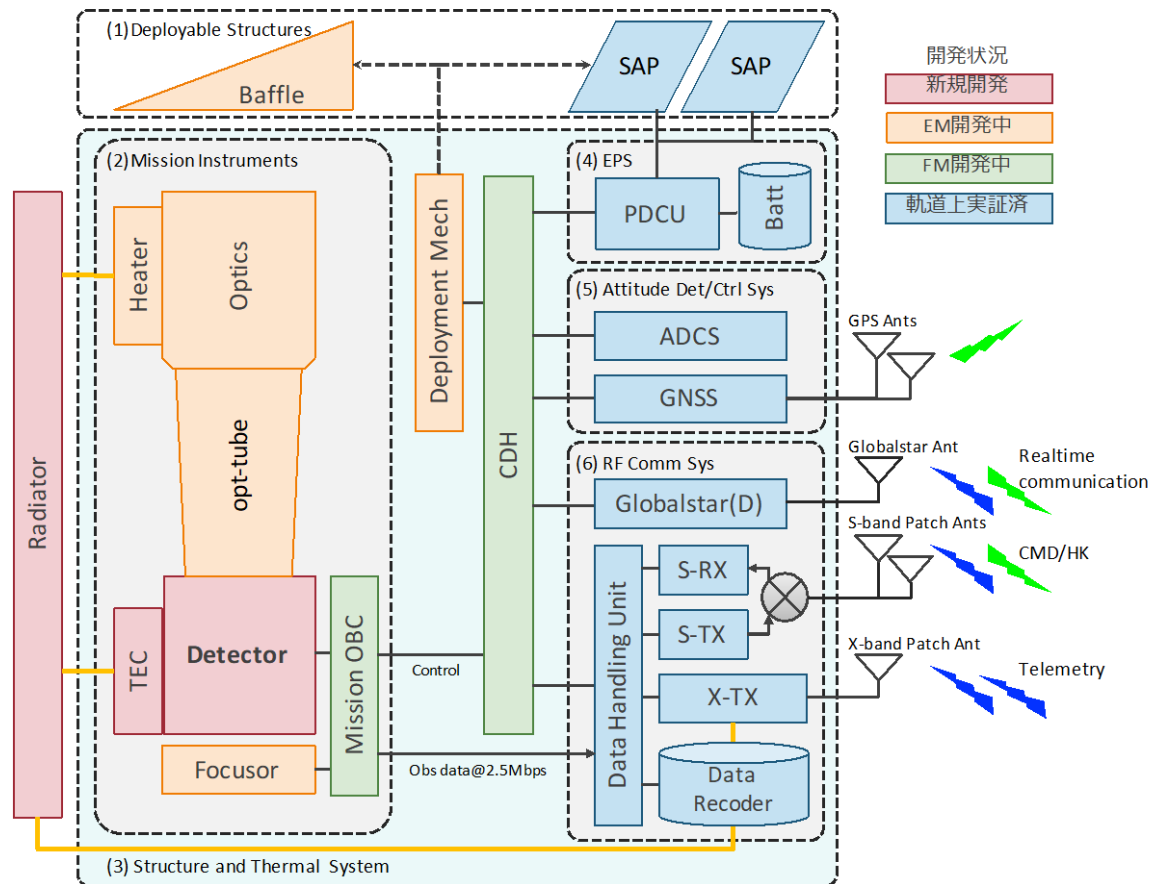
20.5 mag /day

We will observe the same
field for 3 weeks

$\Rightarrow 6800 \text{ deg}^2 \text{ /yr}$

- ◆ >20 core-collapse SNe
- ◆ $0.4 \sim 16 \text{ GW/yr}$

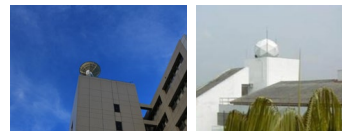
System block Diagram (Shopping list)



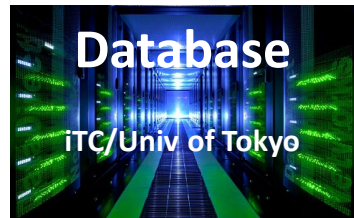
Globalstar (Alert)



KSAT(TLM)



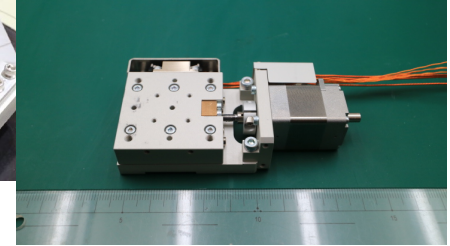
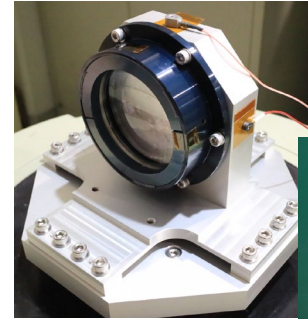
S-band station (CMD/HK)



Development status

◆ Mission components

- Optical tube passed the V-test
- Focusing mechanism

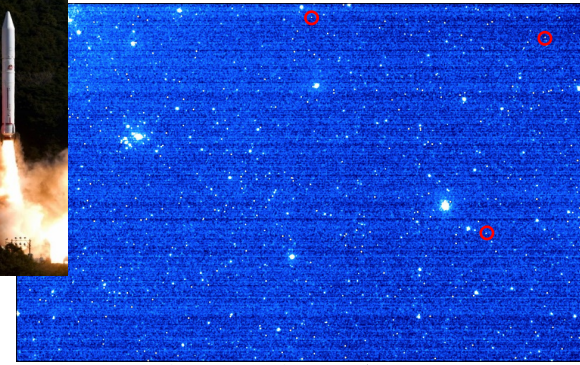


◆ OBC • Flight Software

- Demonstration of Astrometry software
- on RAPIS-1/DLAS

◆ Bus system

- I will enjoy shopping this week.

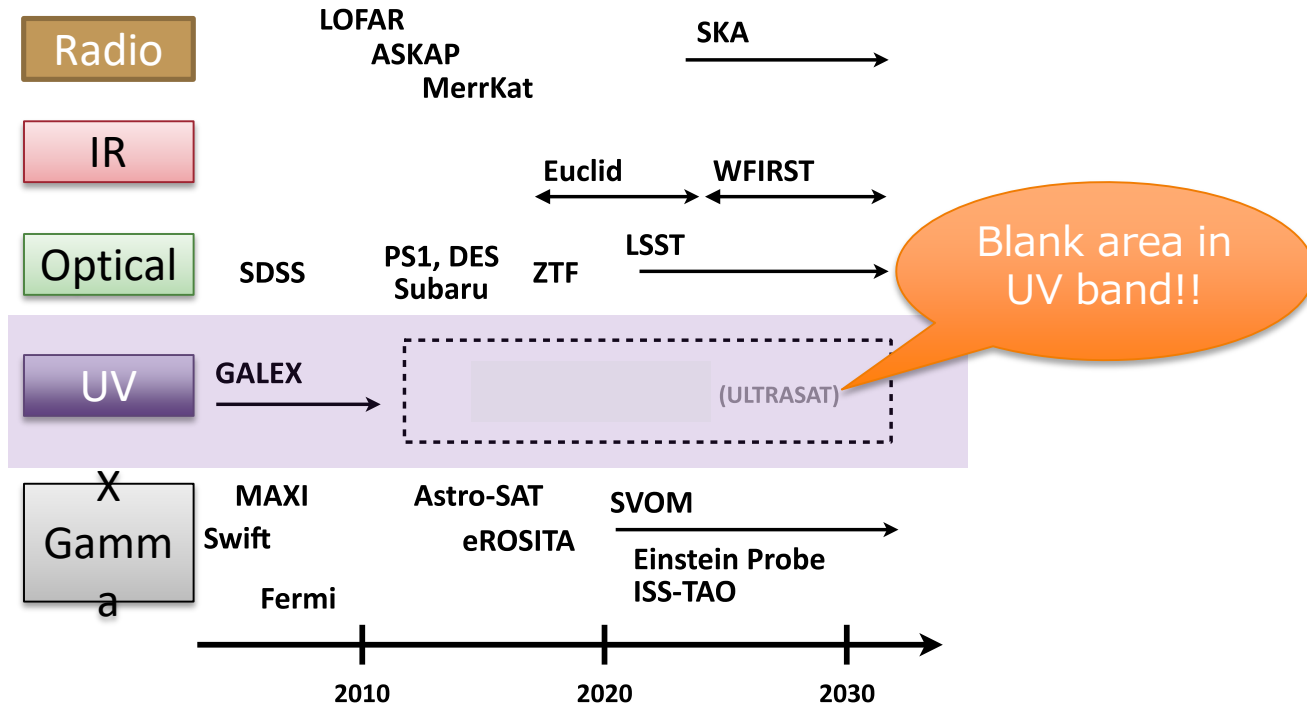


Summary

- ◆ We proposed a wide-field UV survey satellite for Time-domain astronomy.
- ◆ FoV $\sim 100 \text{ deg}^2$, Sensitivity $\sim 20 \text{ mag(AB)}$
- ◆ We finished conceptual design and moved to BBM phase.
- ◆ This satellite will be launched around 2023.

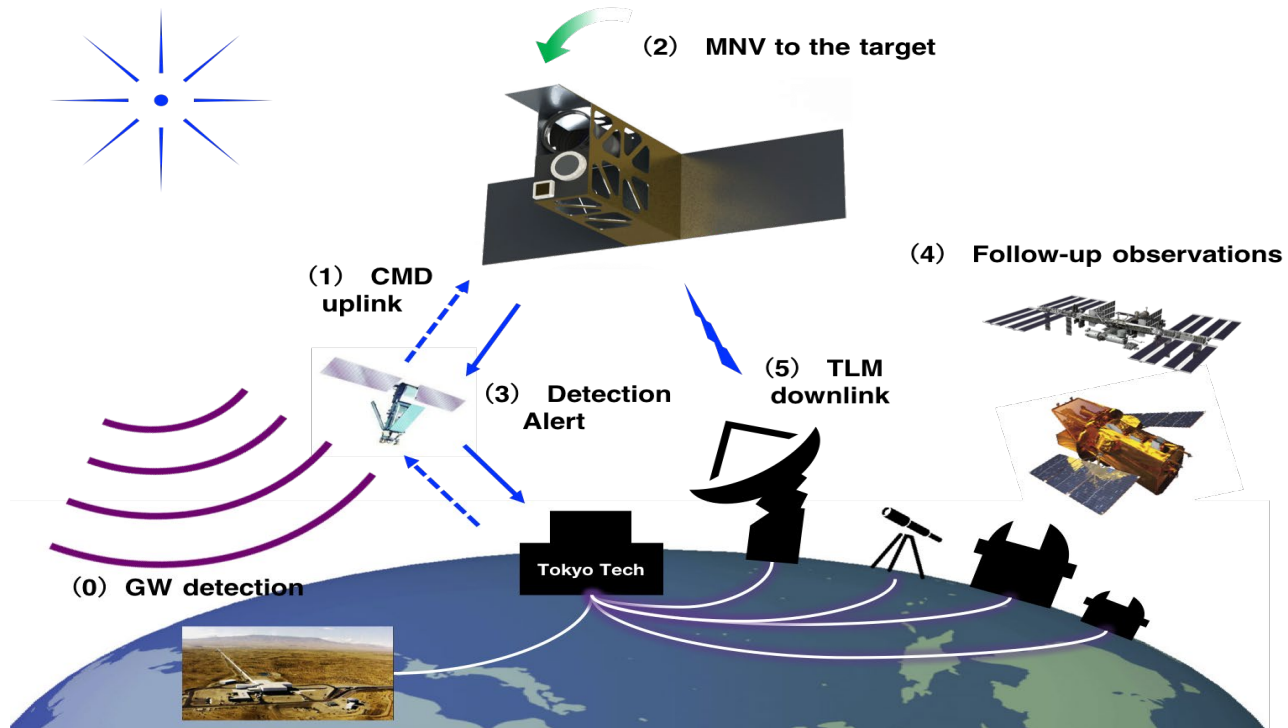


Wide-field Surveys for Time-domain



- ◆ A Wide-field telescope is required in UV band
- ◆ That should be launched in early 2020's

Mission Sequence



Detection Alert must be transferred within 30 min after the detection

Mission Requirements

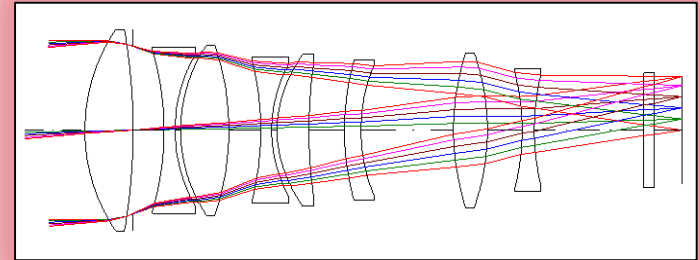
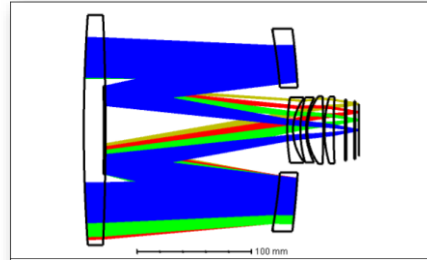
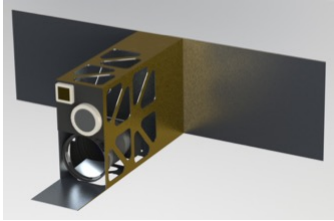
Parameter	Value	Target
Wavelength	near UV (< 300 nm)	SNe, GWs
FoV	100 deg ²	GWs
Survey Area	400 deg ²	SNe
Sensitivity (ABmag)	19 mag/orbit	SNe
	20 mag/hr	GWs
Survey Cadence	< 1 hr	SNe
Data link frequency	within 1 hr after observation	SNe, GWs

S.R. Kulkarni@Caltech (Science advisor) said

"All of the raw data should be transferred if you do not want to launch a useless satellite like a toy"

Optical design

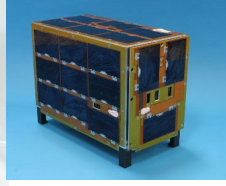
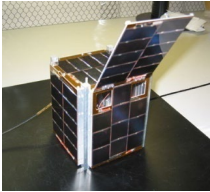
◆ Cassegrain vs Refractor (assuming the same diameters)



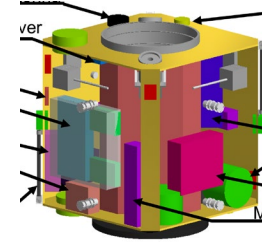
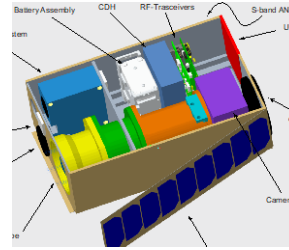
Target	Cassegrain	Refractor
Tube Length	Short	Long
Focal length	Long	Short (= Wide FoV)
Throughput Ratio	~50 %	~90%
Structure	Complicated	Simple
Cost	High	Low
Limiting magnitude	Shallower	Deeper

Refractor seems better for Cubesat and the sensitivity is also sufficient!!

Which platform should be use??



'05 Cute-1.7 '08 Cute-1.7 II



'14 TSUBAME

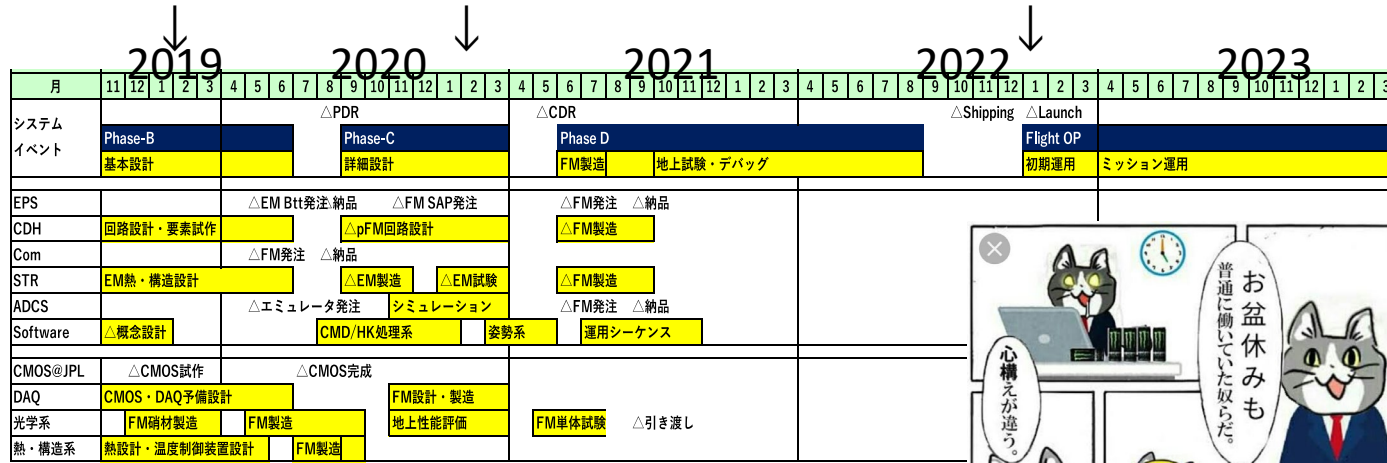
Type	Cubesat			50 kg class
Size	1 U	2~3 U	6 U	Custom
Cost	\$ 0.1M	\$0.2 M	0.5 M	2M~5M
Dev.Time	2 yr	3 yr	3 yr	5 yr
Launc Opp.	Frequent	Frequent	Frequent	Not Frequent
Difficulty	difficult	difficult	may be difficult	kind of hell
Telesope	Too small for	Φ50 mm	Φ80 mm	Φ200 mm
Sensitivity	-	15 mag	20 mag	21.5 mag

◆ We chose to go to space with 6U cubesat for the early realization.

開発スケジュール

革新1号打ち上げ 革新2号打ち上げ?

ひばり フライト?



- ◆ 実機開発は2021年内に完了
- ◆ 以降ソフトウェア・地上処理系開発に専念



開発コスト見積もり

Sub System	Component	Price(kyen)	Number	Sub Total	EM納品状況	Status
EPS	EPS/BMS	2,000	1	2,000	有	既成品
	太陽電池セル	40	100	4,000	一部有	既成品・革新2号で実証
Comm	S-Rx	1,500	1	1,500	有	ほどよしで実証済
	S-Tx	1,800	1	1,800	有	ほどよしで実証済
	X-Tx	4,000	1	4,000	未	ほどよしで実証済
	Globalstar(Duplex)	1,200	1	1,200	買わない	既成品・革新2号で実証
CDH	DHU	800	1	800	有	既成品・革新2号で実証
	DRU	1,500	1	1,500	有	既成品・革新2号で実証
	OBC Board	1,000	1	1,000	有	革新2号で実証
ADCS	XACT	20,000	1	20,000	買わない	ASTERIAで実証済み
	XACT Simulator	1,000	1	1,000	購入予定	ASTERIAで実証済み
	GNSS	50	1	50	有	既成品・革新1号で実証済み
STR	6U bus + 熱計装	10,000	1	10,000	製造予定	機械環境試験含む
Mission	Optics	10,000	1	10,000	有	若手AにてEMまで製造
	Detector/Driver	20,000	1	20,000	有	若手AにてBBMまで製造
	TEC System	10,000	1	10,000	製造予定	若手AにてBBMまで製造
	Focusor	1,000	1	1,000	有	若手AにてEMまで製造
	Mission OBC	1,000	1	1,000	有	革新2号で実証
Comm cost	KSAT	24	24	576	-	2年運用を見込む
	KSAT	9	4,380	39,420	-	1日6pass 2.25GByte/day
	Globalstar(Duplex)	360	24	8,640	-	1回700Byte 144秒に1回送受信
	S-band uplink/down	3,000	2	6,000	-	メンテナンス等コスト計上
Data Storage	Storage/DataBase	400	2	800	-	東大・会津大と協力
Operation	Automation Software	8,000	1	8,000	-	速報系, TLM系, 処理パイプライン
合計				154,286		29.6

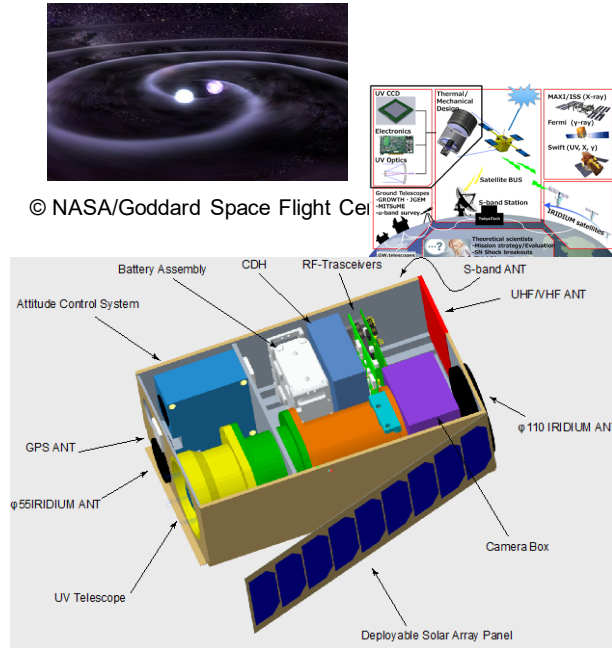
民間運用局利用（2年）+ 安全マージン30%込で2億円以下
GALEXの1/100

◆ Scientific Motivation

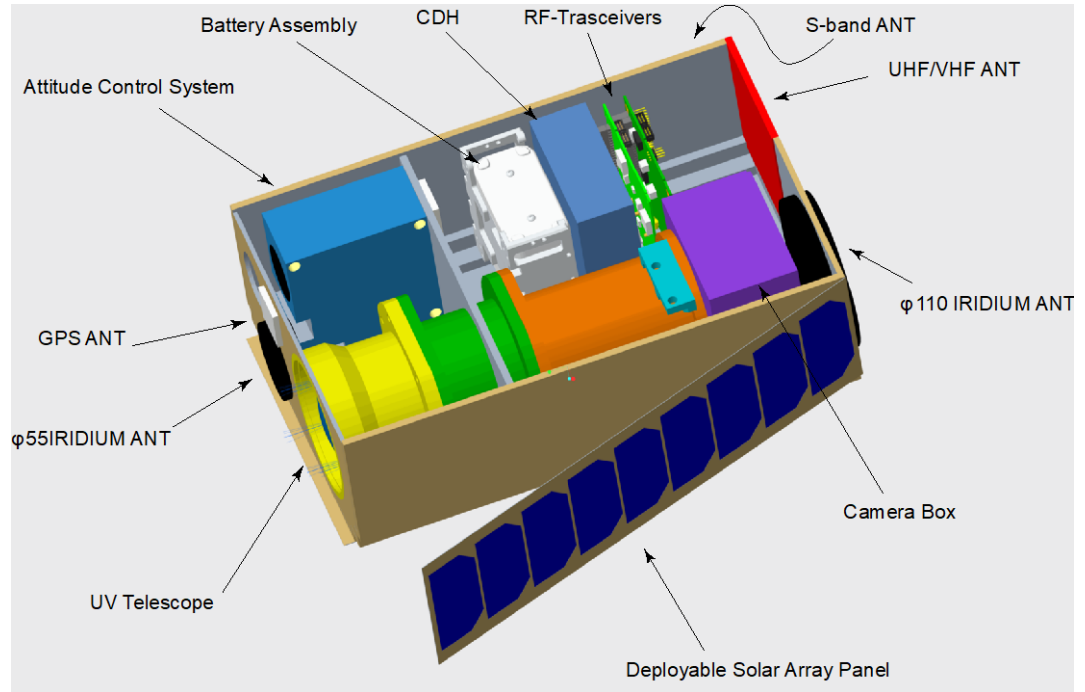
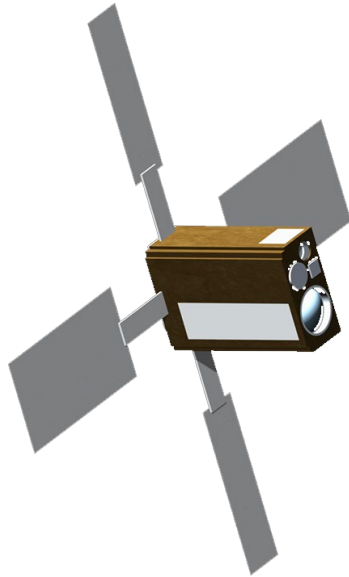
◆ Mission design

◆ System design

◆ Summary



Structure



Cooling system for the detector must be considered.

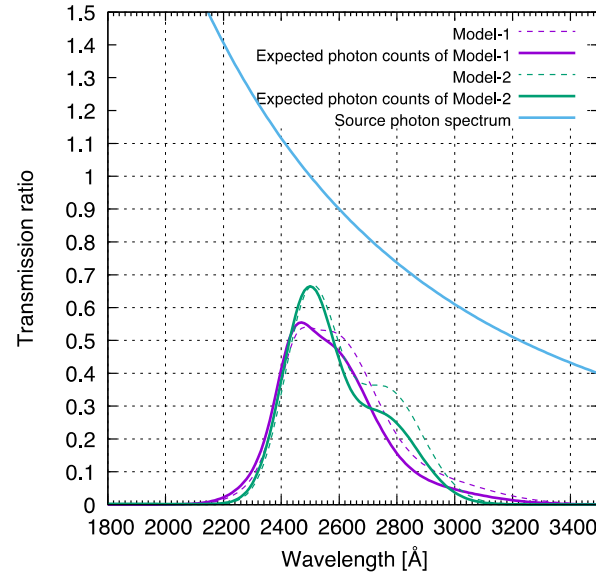
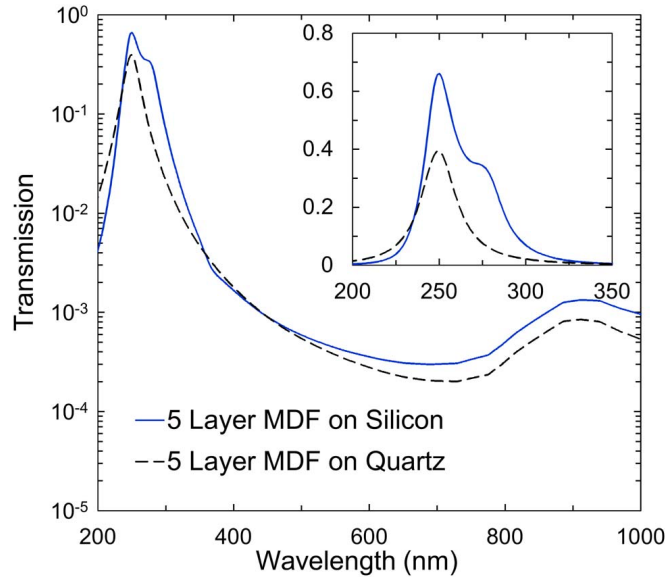
Summary

- ◆ A 6U cubesat for wide-field UV survey is proposed.
- ◆ Possible targets are
 - GW counterparts
 - SN Shock breakouts, Tidal disruption Events, Type-Ia SNe, Stellar flares etc
- ◆ Goal
 - covering LIGO's observable range(NS-NS merger)
 - ~ 3 shock breakouts/yr
 - ~ 2 TDE/yr
- ◆ Status
 - Conceptual Design, optical system design...almost Done
 - Launch will be 2021~2022
 - Demonstration of Attitude Sensors (will be launched in 2018)

Comments & Suggestions are welcom.

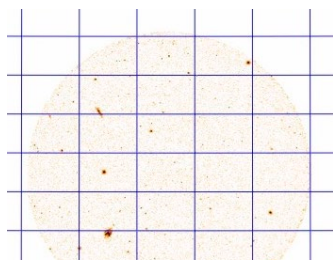
We can still modify the system design at this moment

spectral photon density



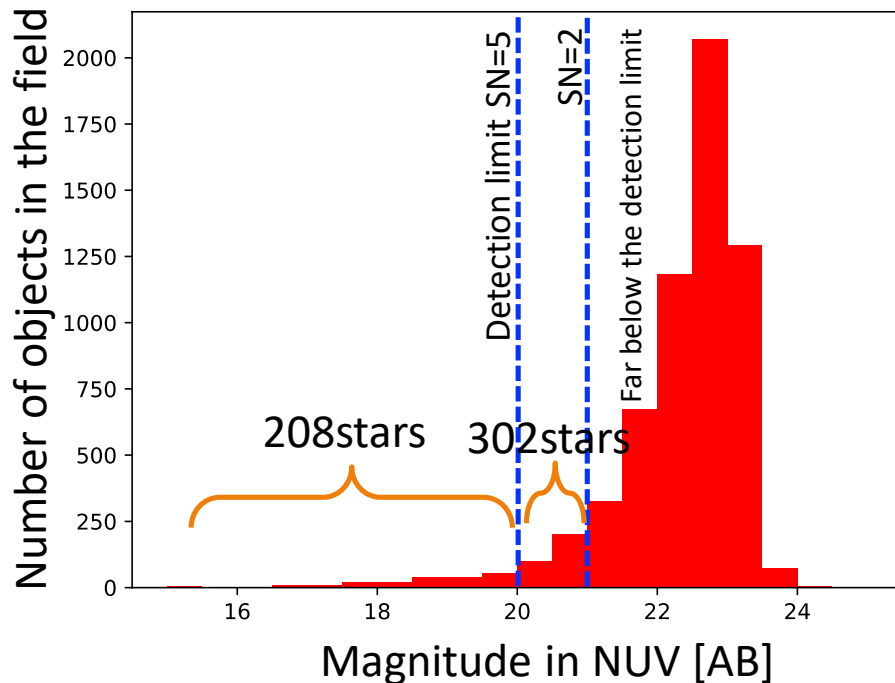
Centroid λ	2500 \AA
Reference λ	2288 \AA
	2389 \AA
	2444 \AA
	2507 \AA
	2606 \AA
	2765 \AA
Diameter	80 mm
focal length	≥ 267 mm
Tube length	< 300 mm

Stellar surface density in NUV



GALEX (FoV $\phi 1.2^\circ$)

Mag _{AB}	Number
15~20	208
20~21	302
21~22	998
22~23	3256
23~24	1374
NA	524
Total	6662



Stellar Surface density: 451個 deg⁻² @ direction of Virgo cluster

Allowed congestion facotr: 3000 star/Mpixel

For the pixel size of 12 μ m \Rightarrow Focal length \geq 267 mm

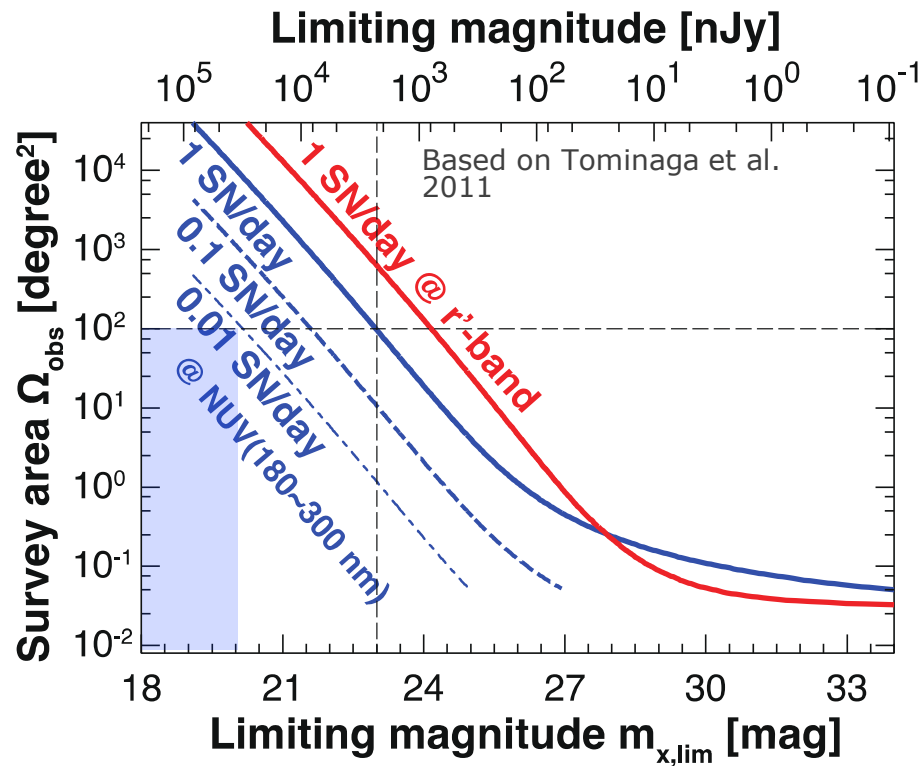
Summary: UV emission from NS mergers

by M. Tanaka

Timescale

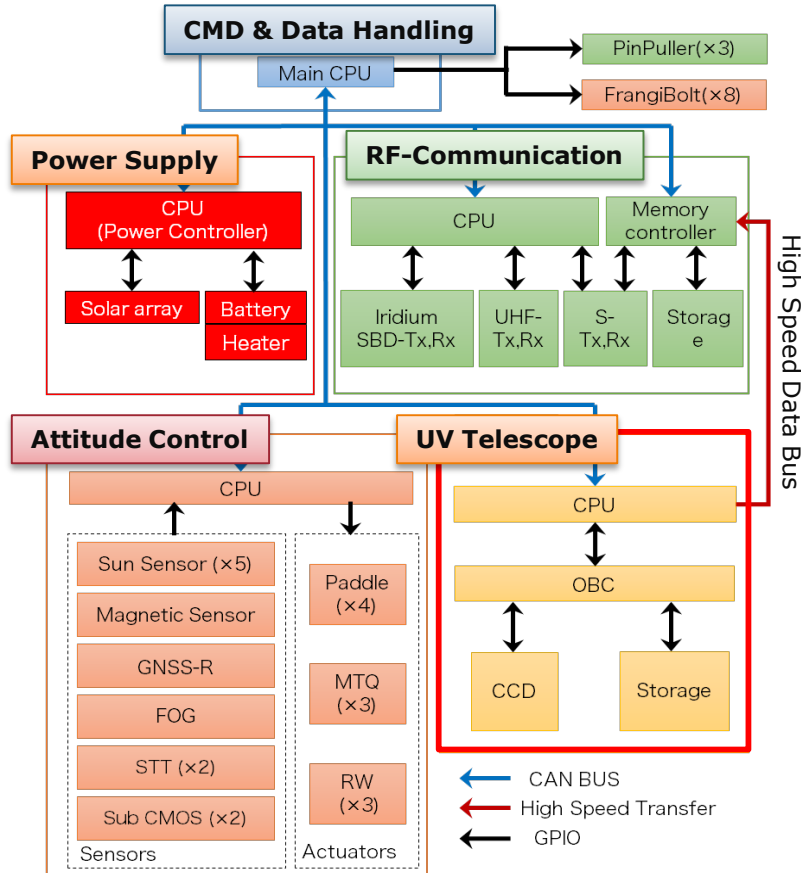
SSC2019
bari: 22.5 mag -100 deg² in 1 hr $\Rightarrow M \sim 0.03 M_{\odot}$

Event rate of Shock Breakouts



more than 3 events/year

System Block Diagram



- ◆ System design is based on the experiences in TSUBAME project



- ◆ Controlled by CDH
- ◆ 2 kind of Data BUS
- ◆ Redundant design