How to use the SOFIA Science Data Archive at IRSA

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Outline

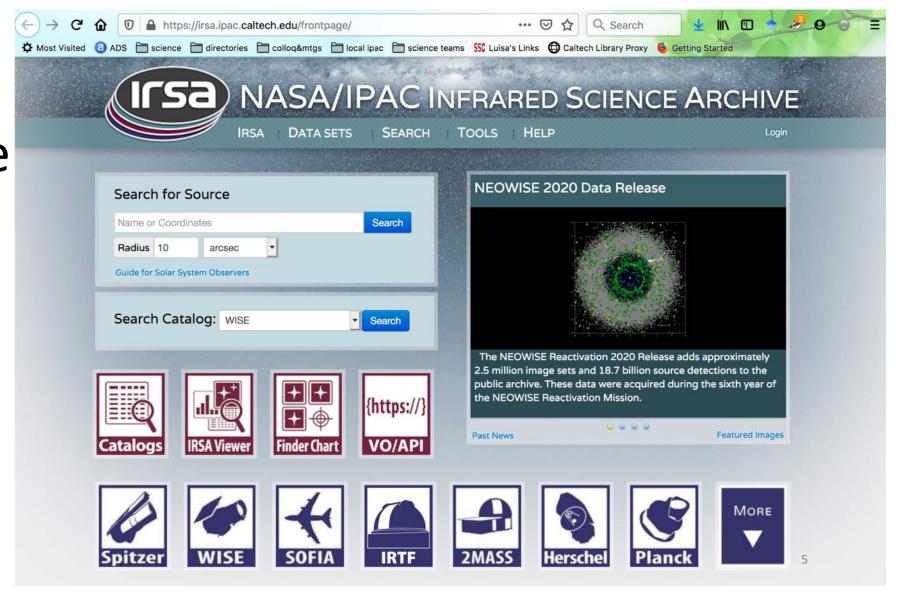
- https://irsa.ipac.caltech.edu/applications/sofia/
- I just want my data! Quick start guide.
- I want to find data on my favorite (inertial or moving) target.
- Highlights from other IRSA tools with a similar look-and-feel, including ways to plan future observations.
- Pointers to where to get more help:
 - Online help.
 - IRSA Helpdesk.
 - IRSA YouTube feed.

Quick Start Guide

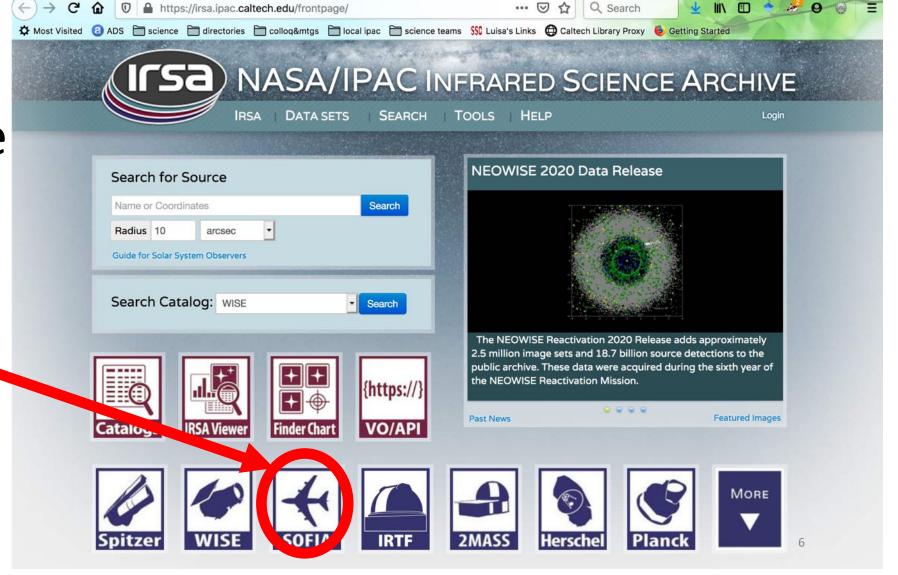
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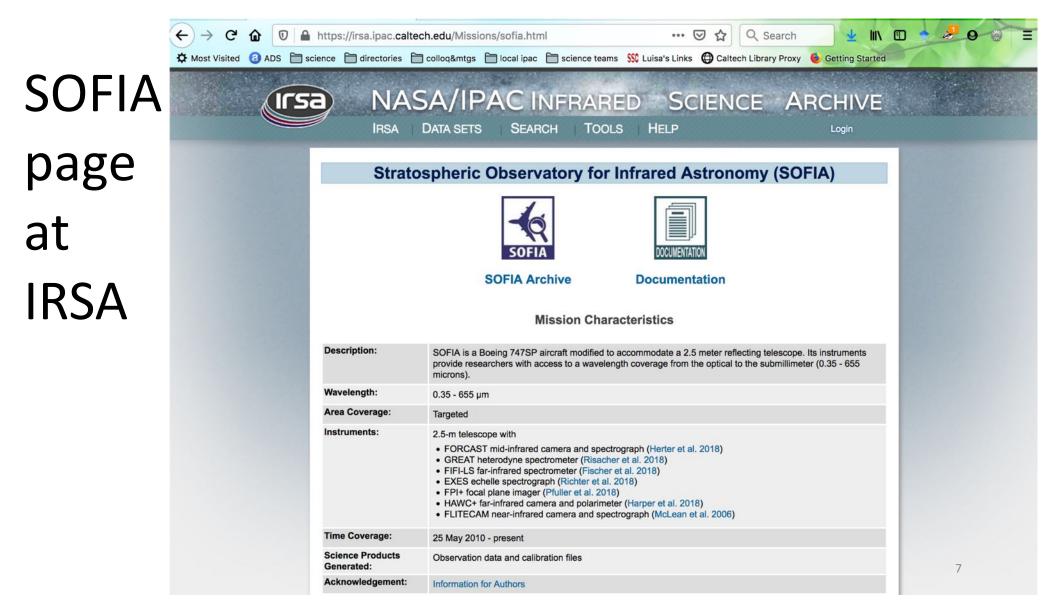
- Log in. (If data proprietary!)
 - Contact SOFIA Science Center helpdesk to request access. (Or, for existing PIs, look for email from IRSA's helpdesk with your account information.)
- Load the tool.
- Search on your PI name.
- Select all data.
- Download.

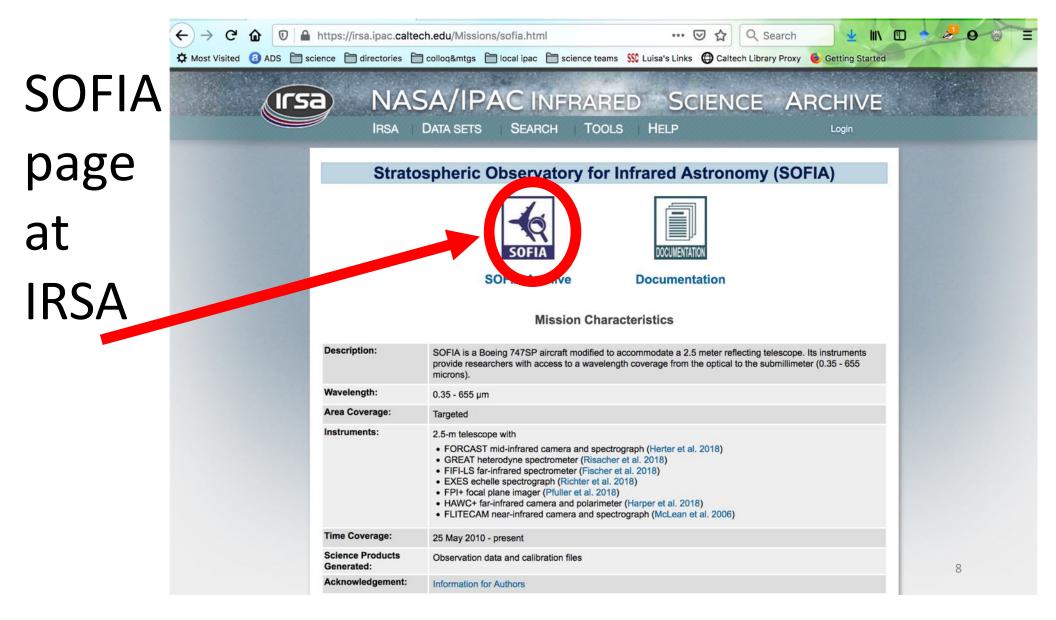
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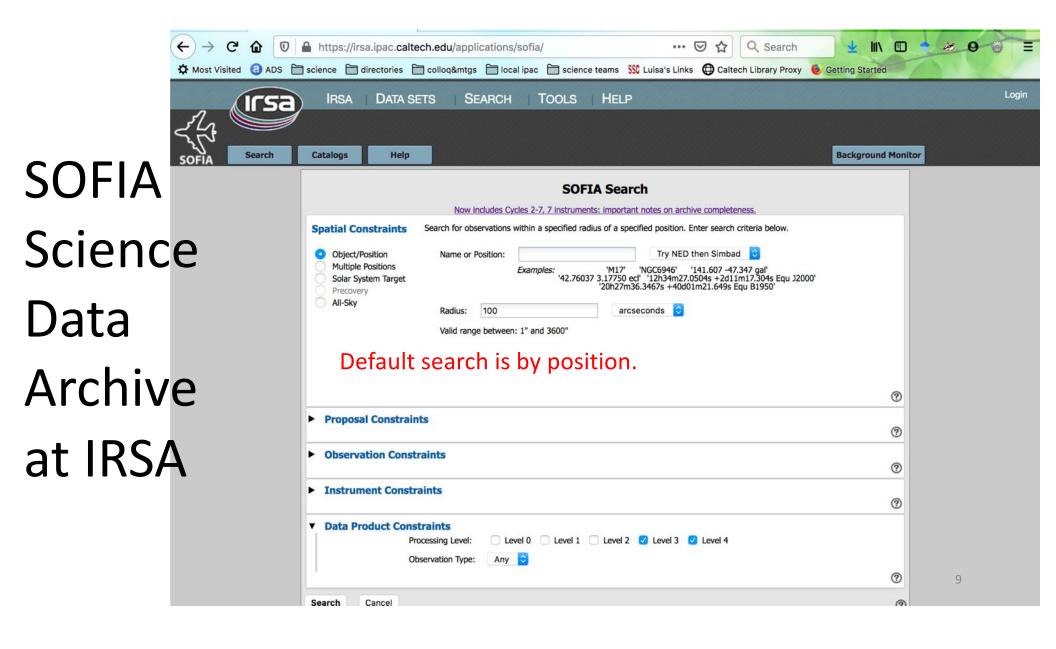


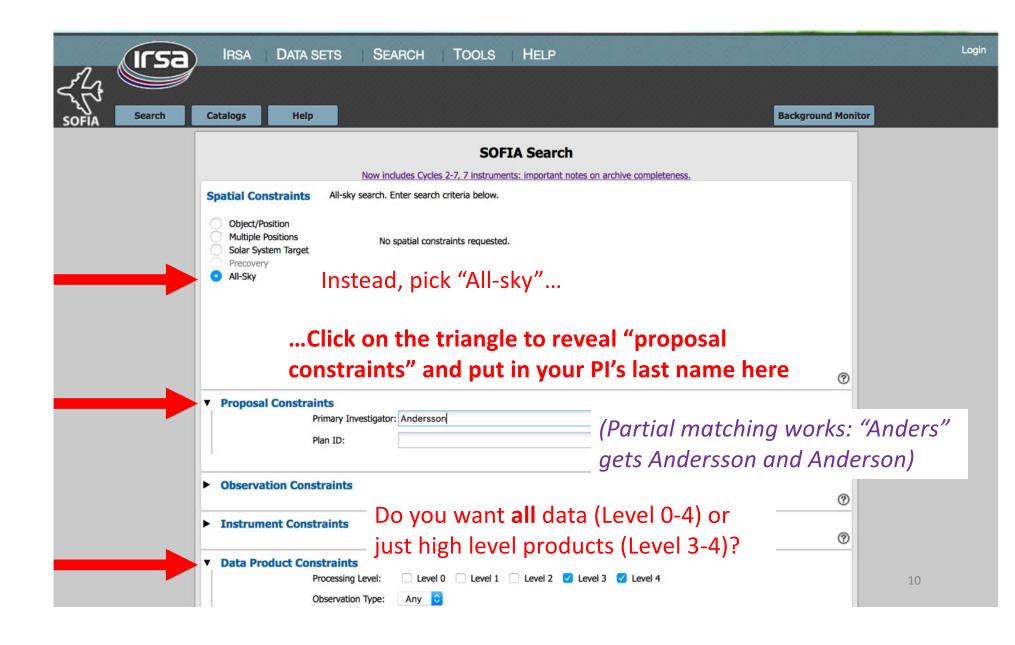
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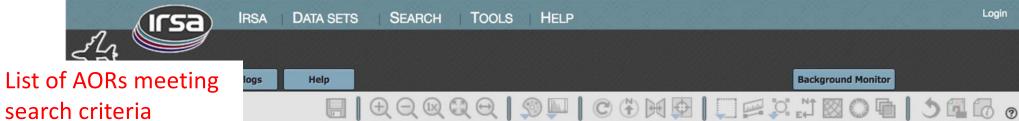




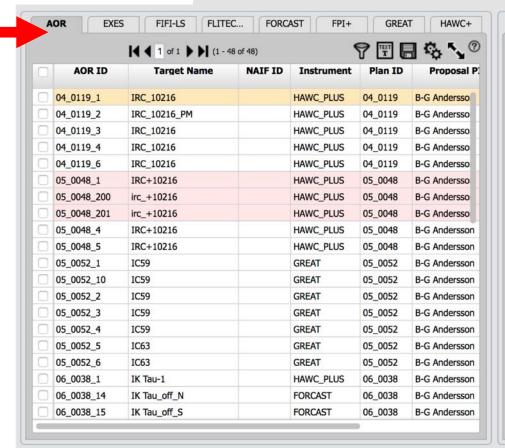




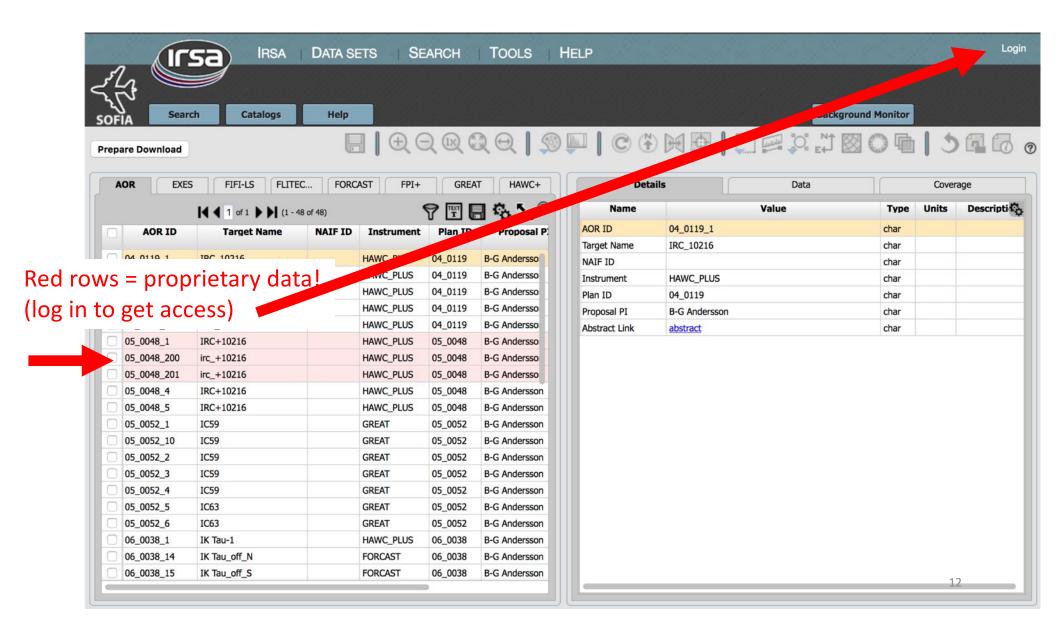


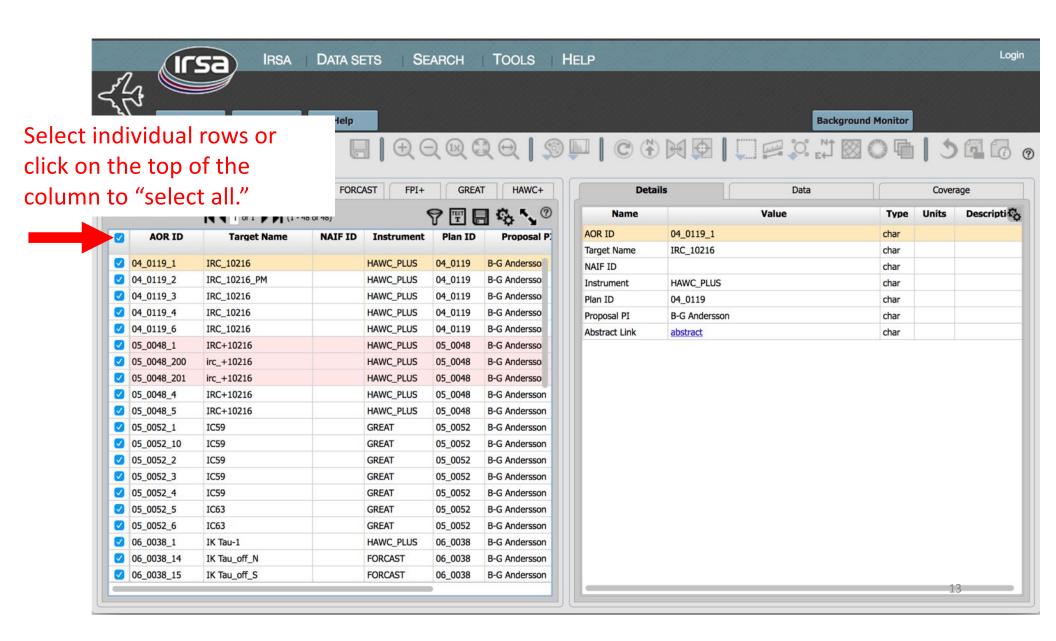


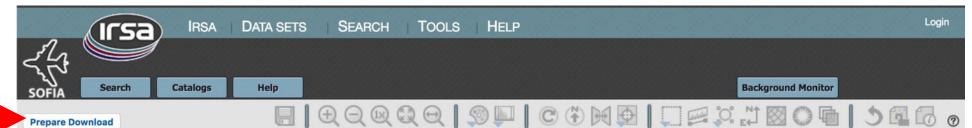
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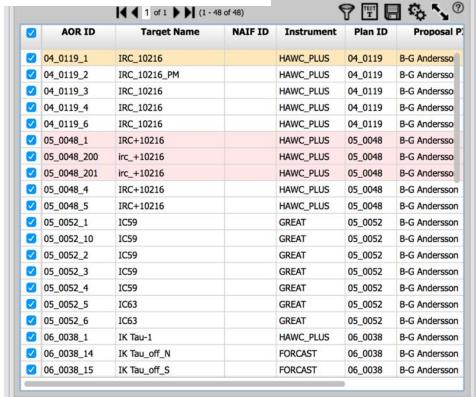






HAWC+

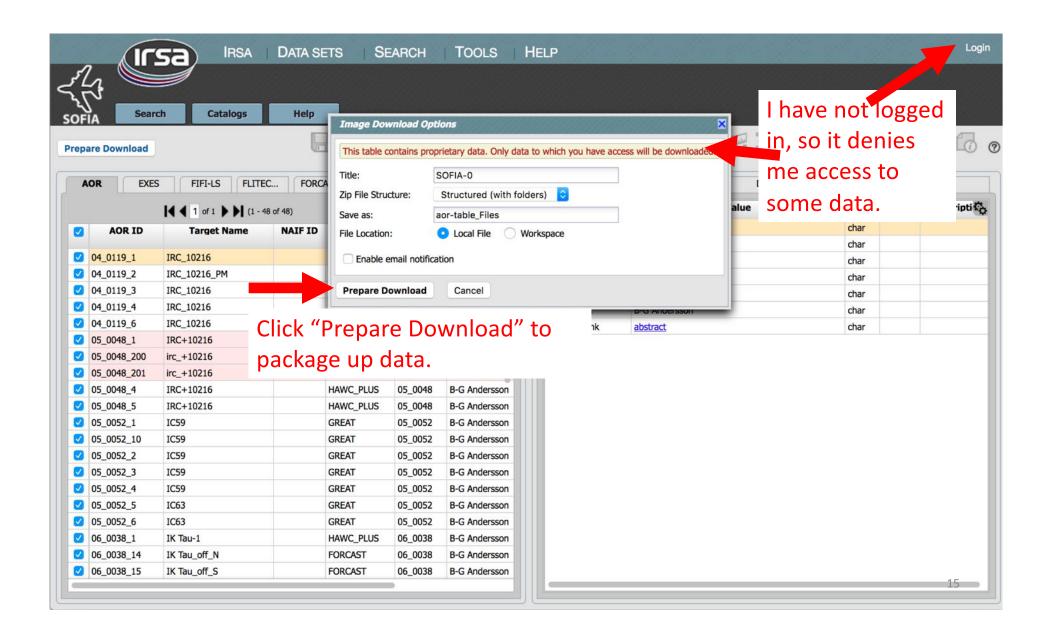
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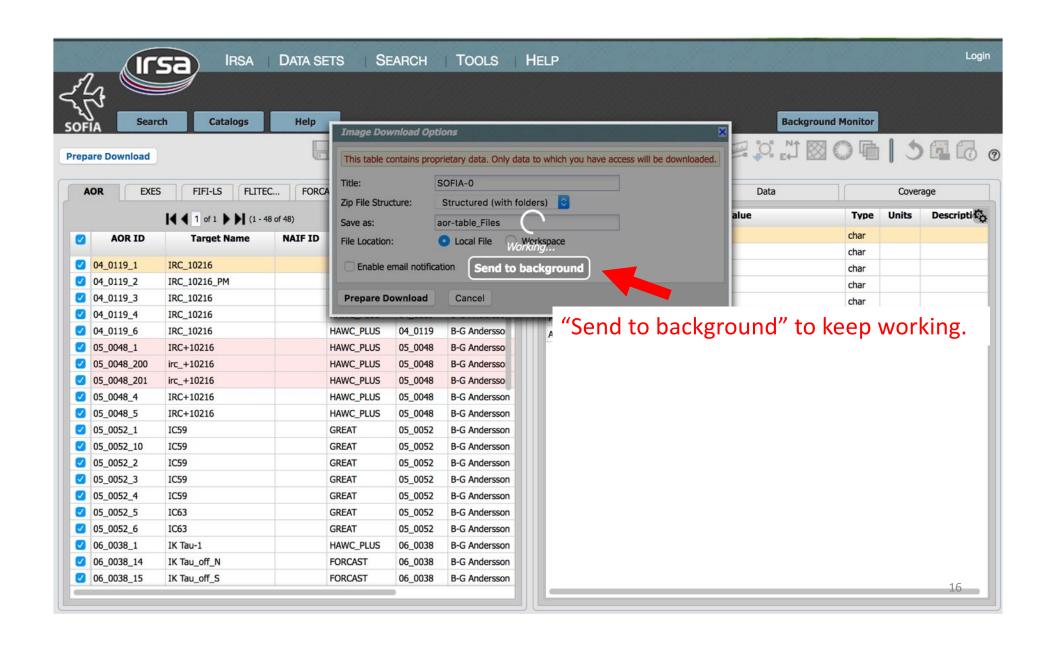


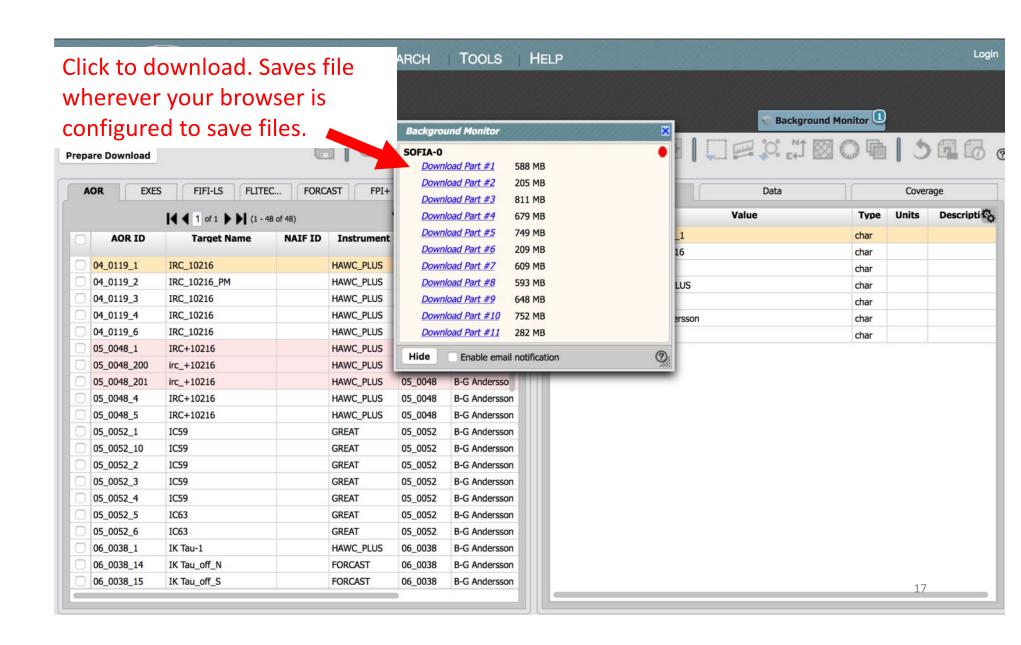
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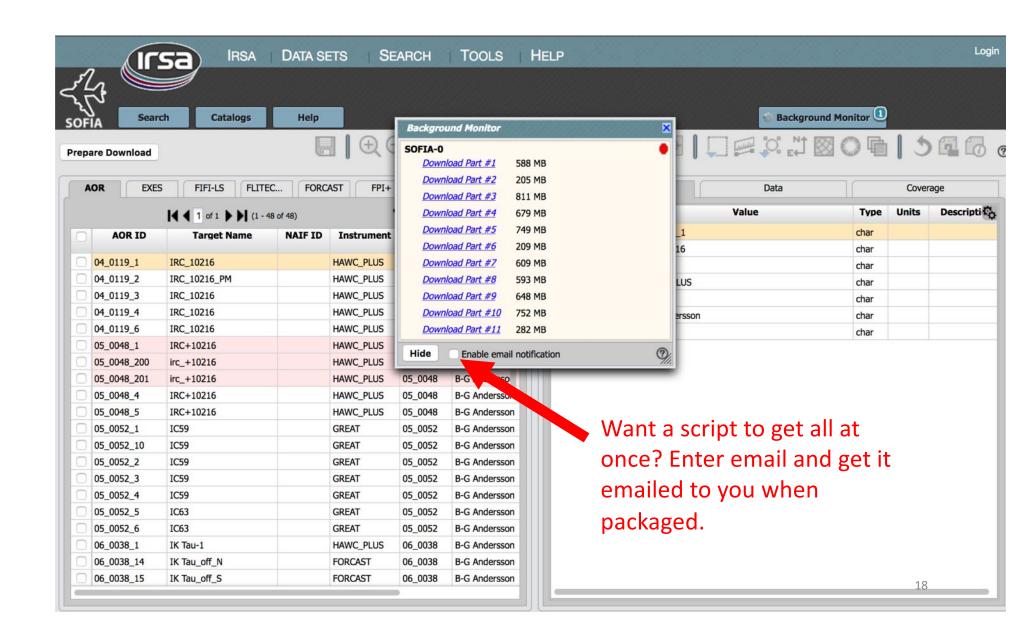
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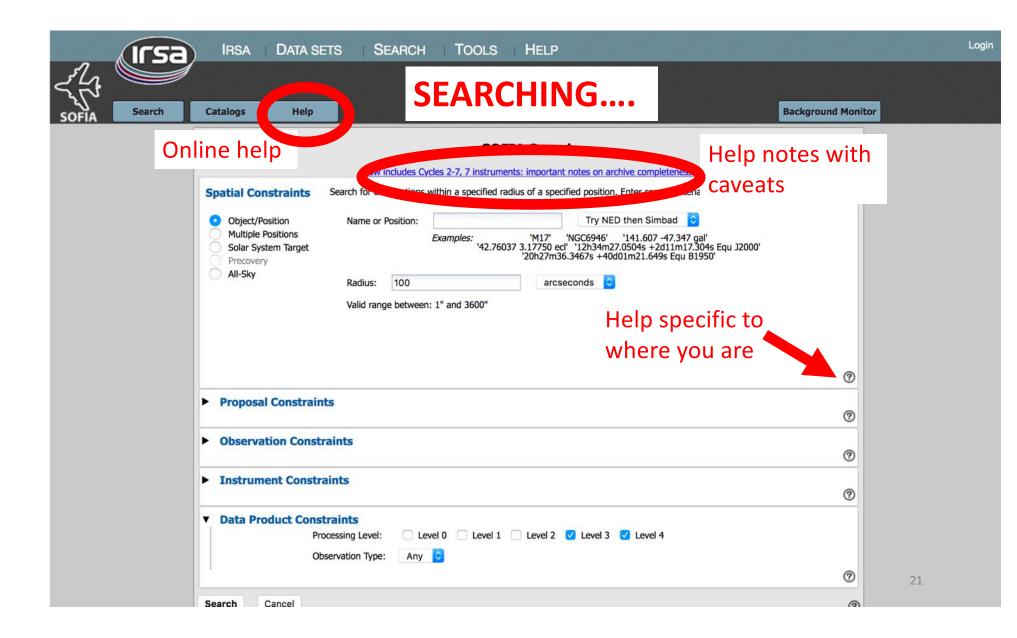


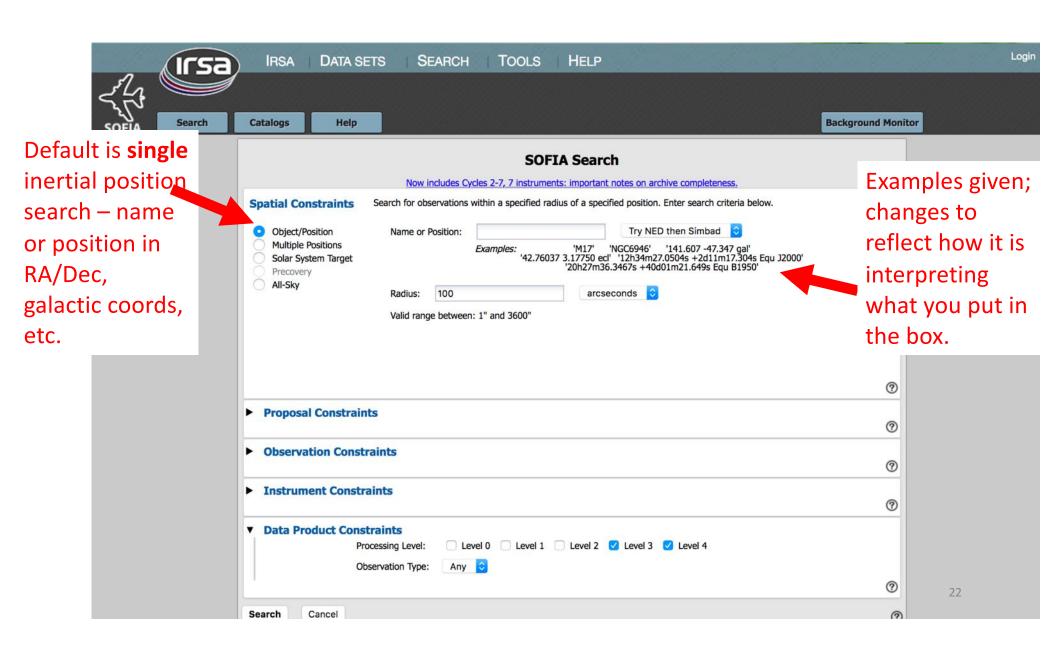


I want to find data on target X. (Now slower, with more choices!)

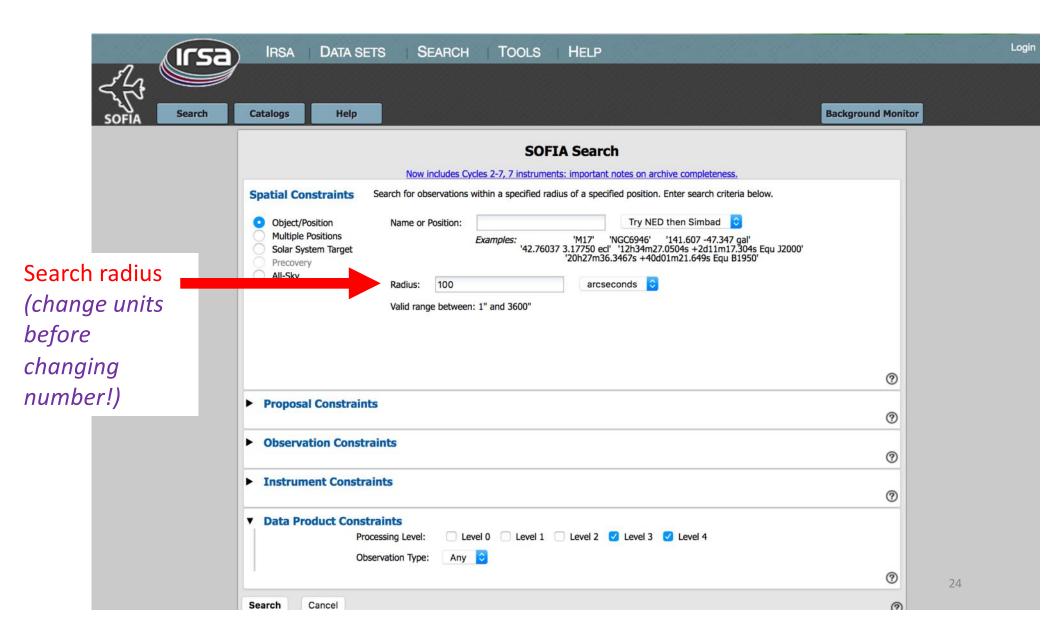
Finding & getting data

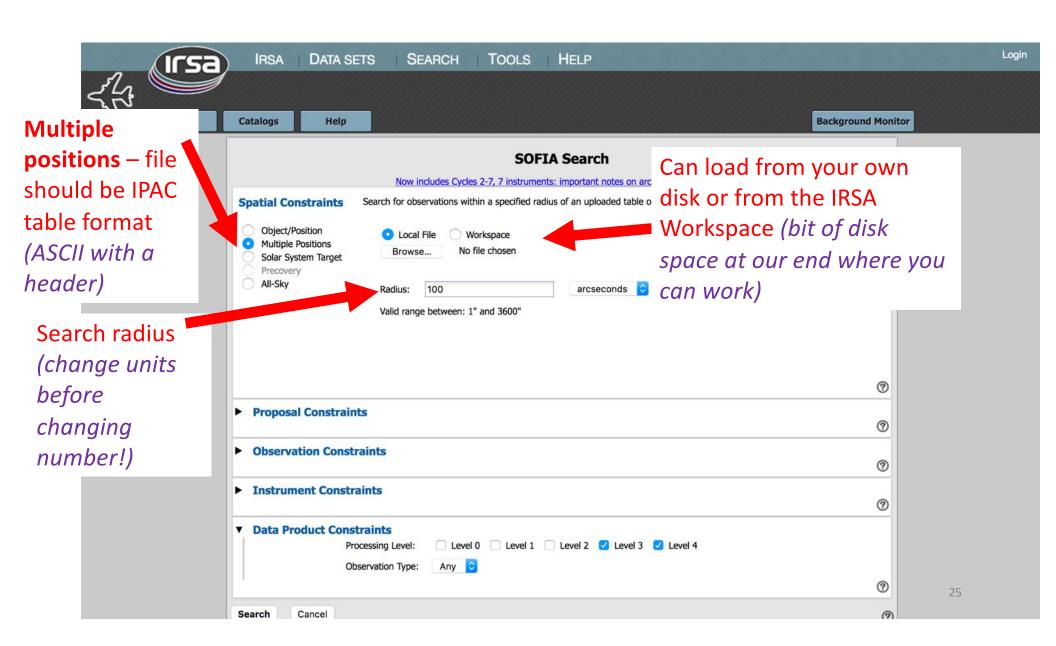
- **Searching**: Many ways to search.
- **Results**: Many ways to explore results of search, including previewing data.
- **Downloading**: Can change how files are packaged.
- Important points given in red.
- Hints and tips given in *purple italics*.

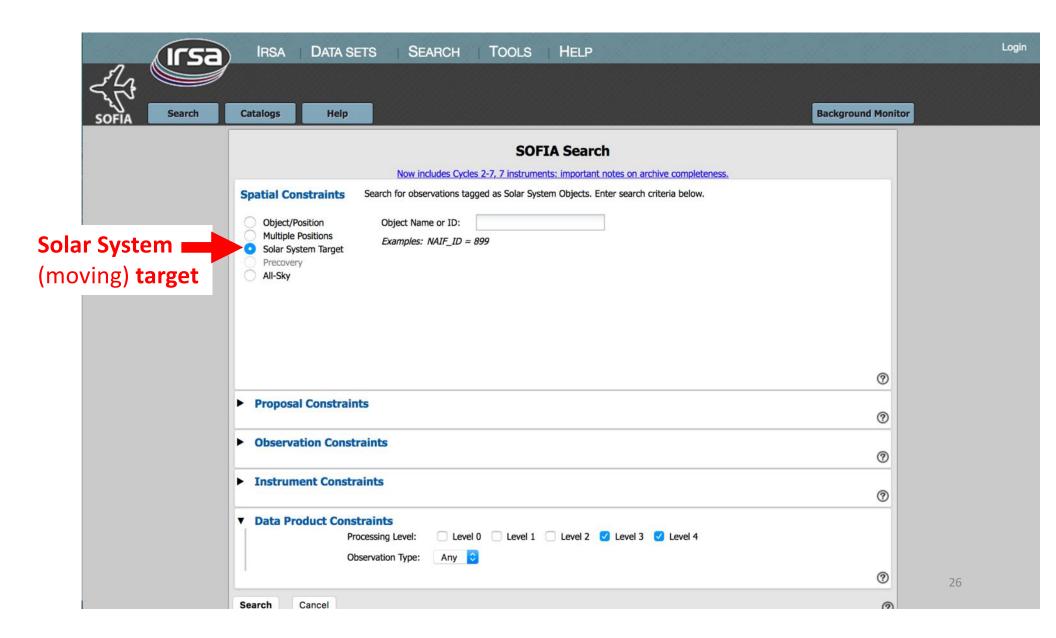


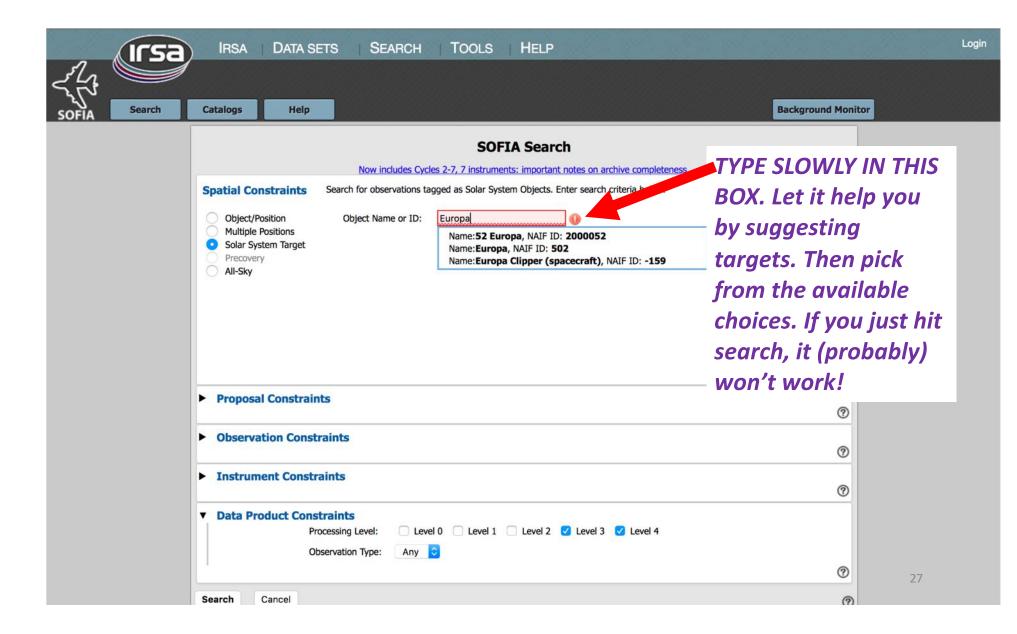


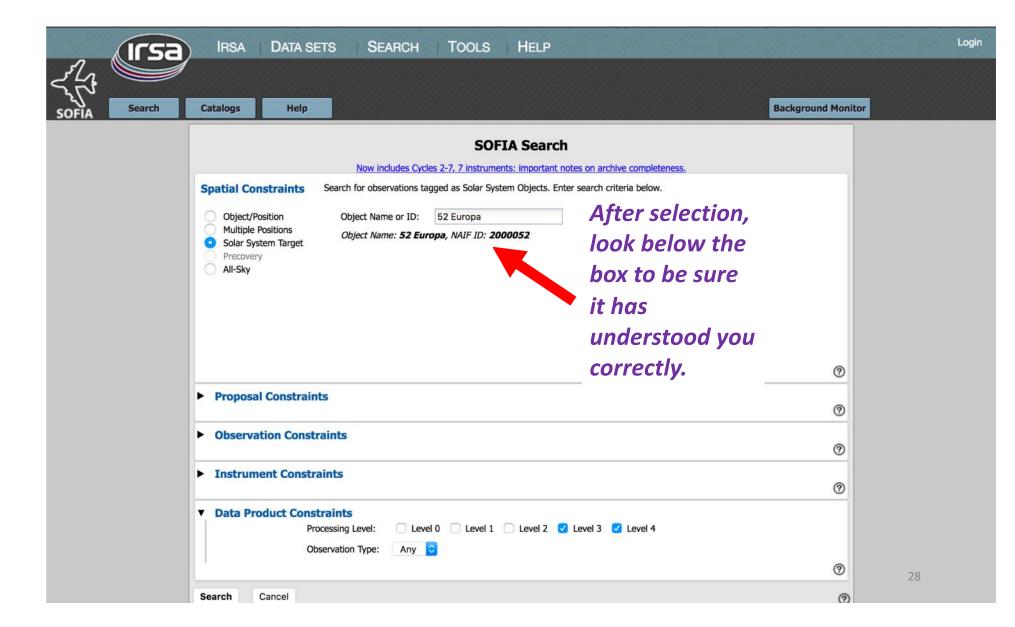
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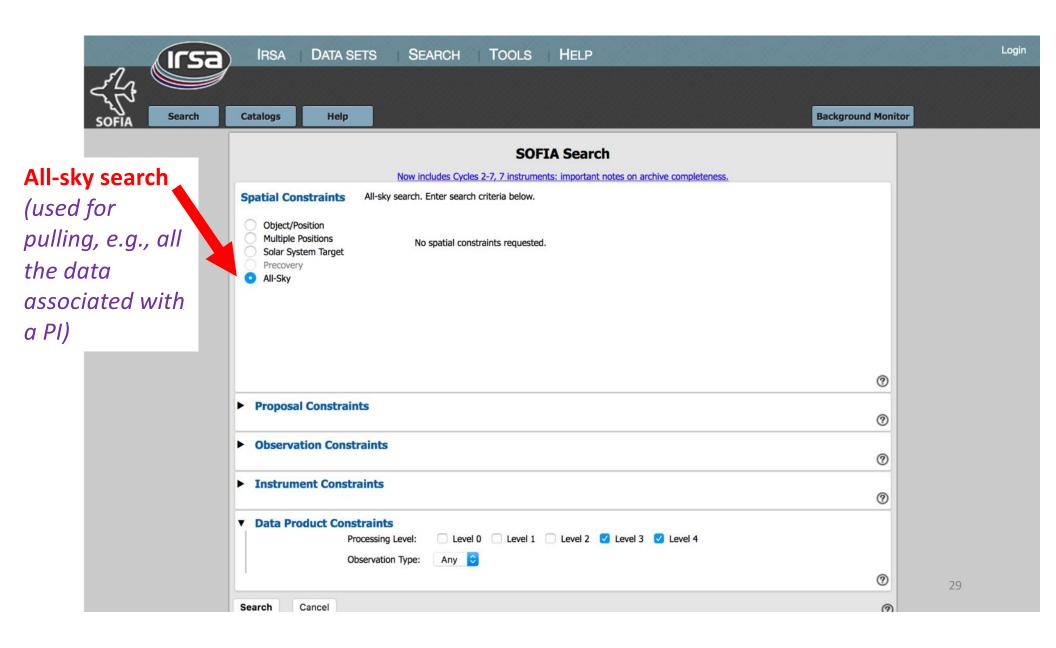


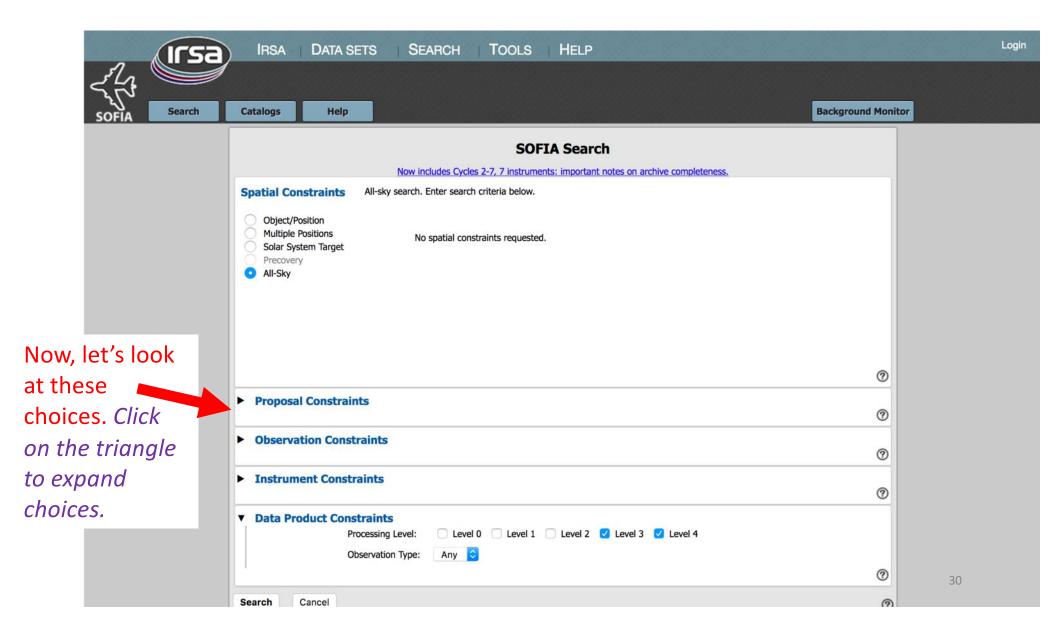








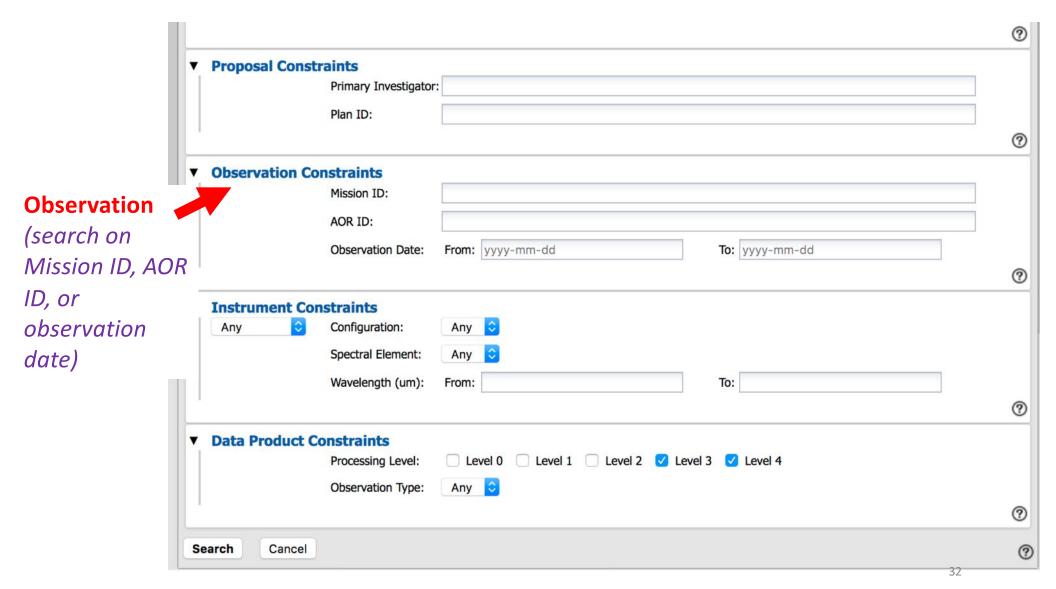


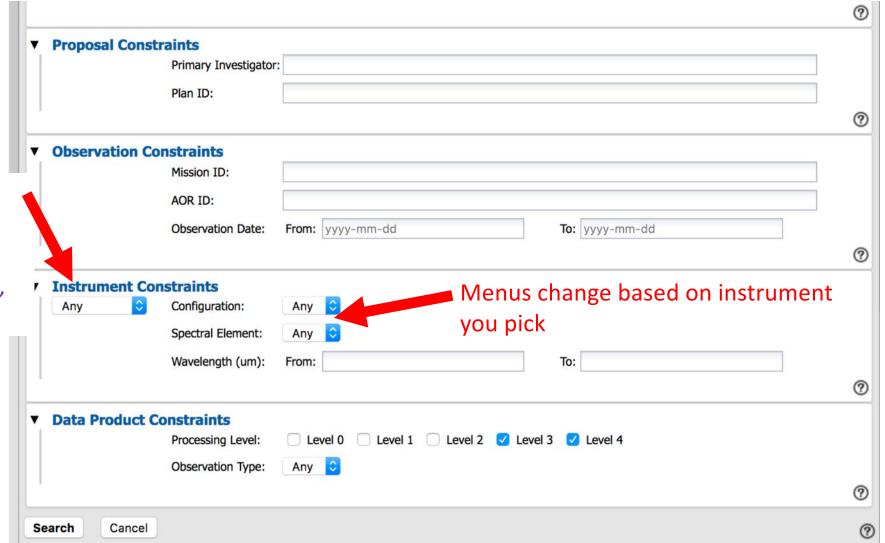


? **Proposal Constraints** Primary Investigator: Plan ID: (search on PI or ? **Observation Constraints** Mission ID: AOR ID: From: yyyy-mm-dd To: yyyy-mm-dd Observation Date: ? **Instrument Constraints** Configuration: Any Any 😊 Spectral Element: Any 🗘 Wavelength (um): From: To: ? **Data Product Constraints** Level 0 Level 1 Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Processing Level: Any 💲 Observation Type: ? Search Cancel ?

Proposal

Plan ID)

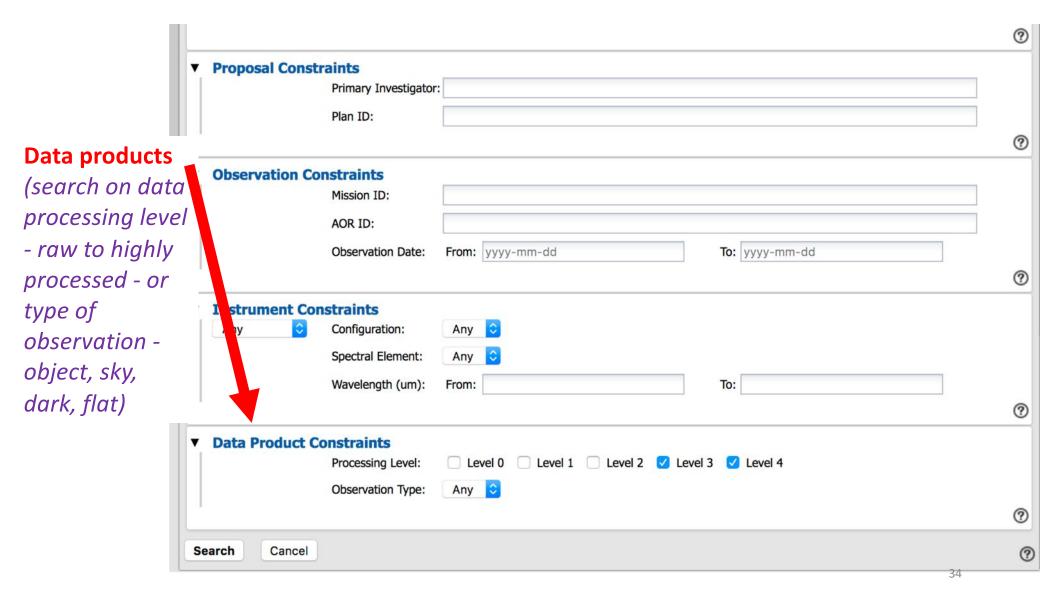




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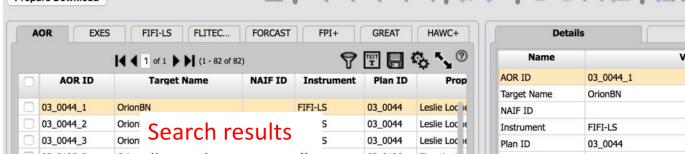
(search on instrument, configuration, wavelength)

EXES
FIFI-LS
FLITECAM
FORCAST
FPI+
GREAT
HAWC+

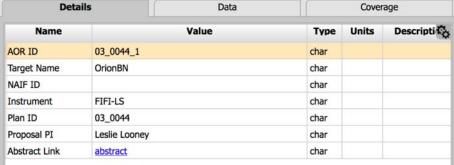




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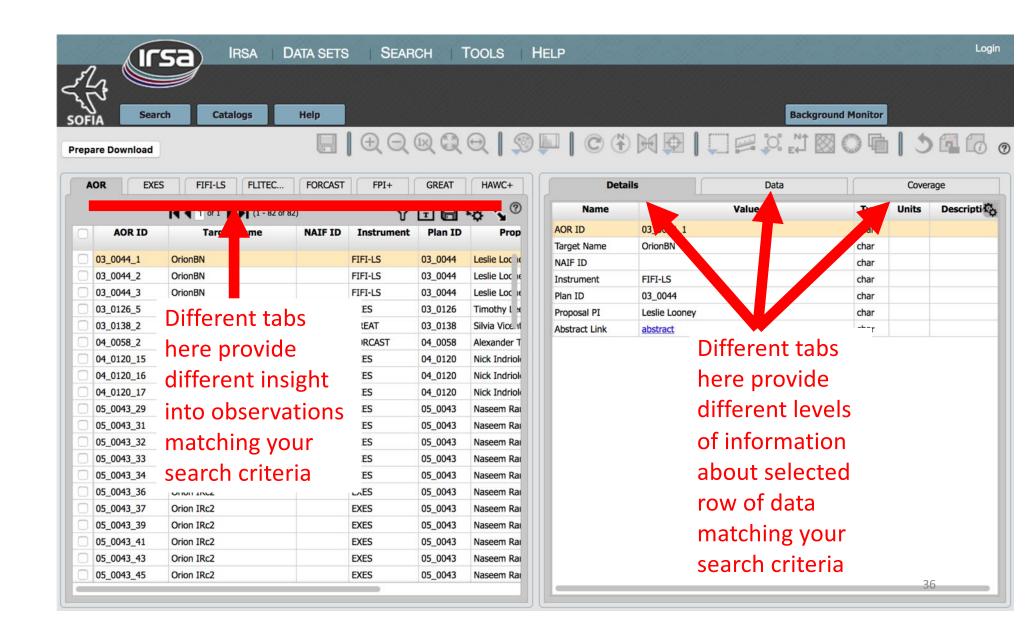
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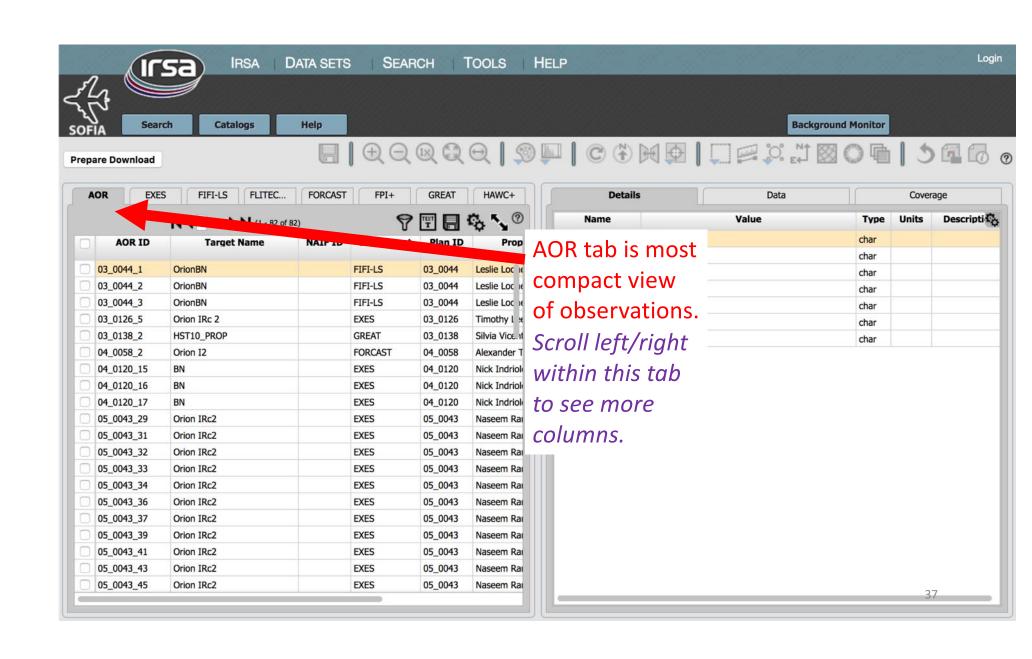


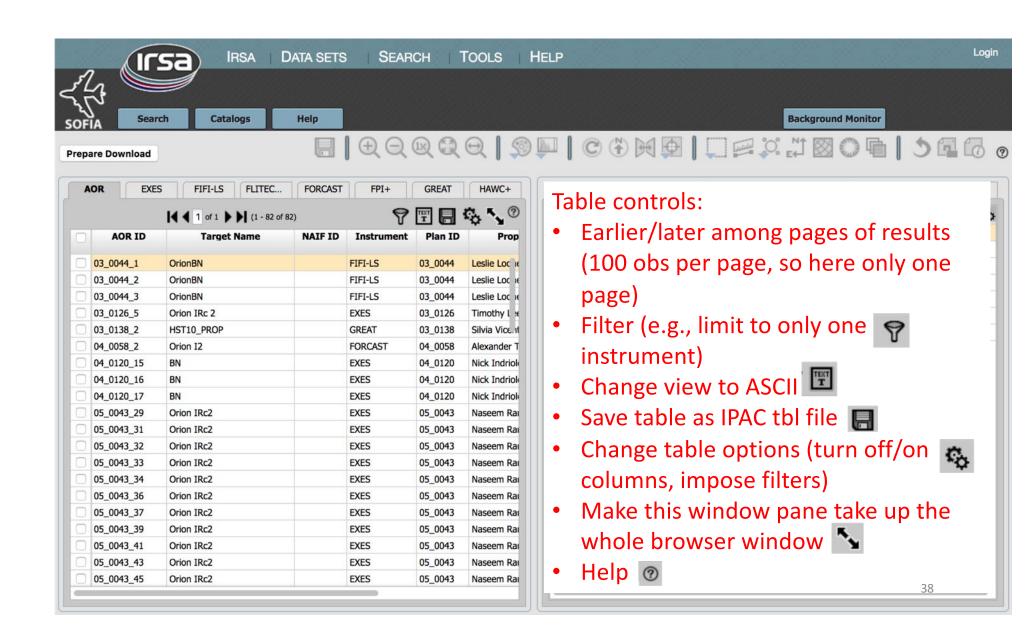
Details "window pane"

Click and drag boundary between panes to change relative sizes.

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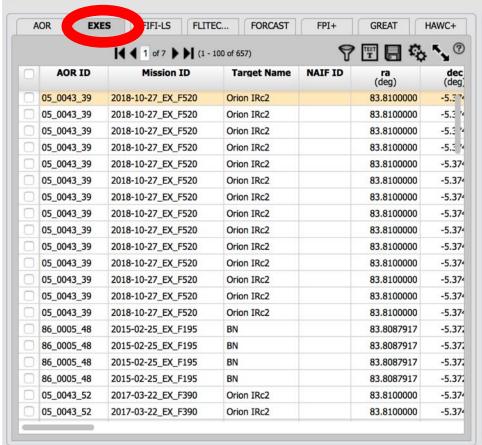


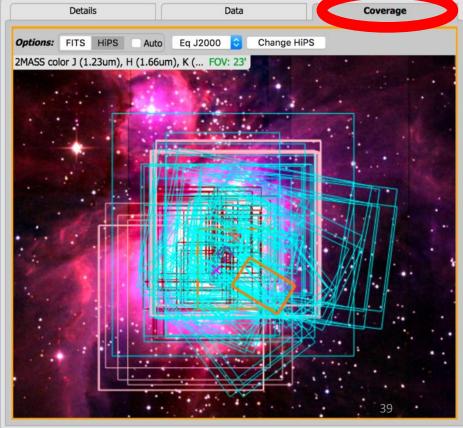


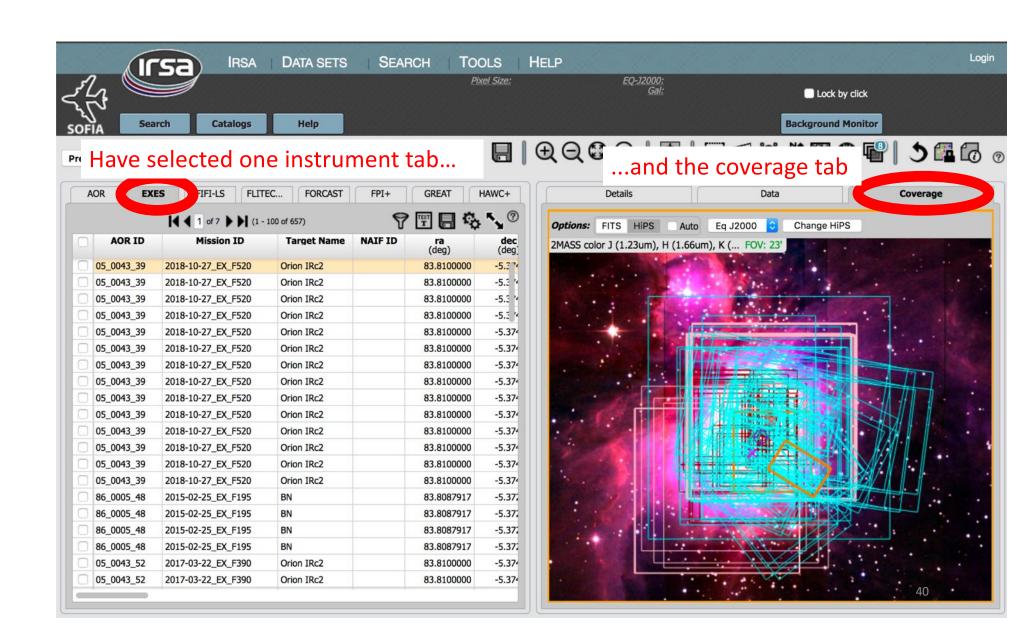


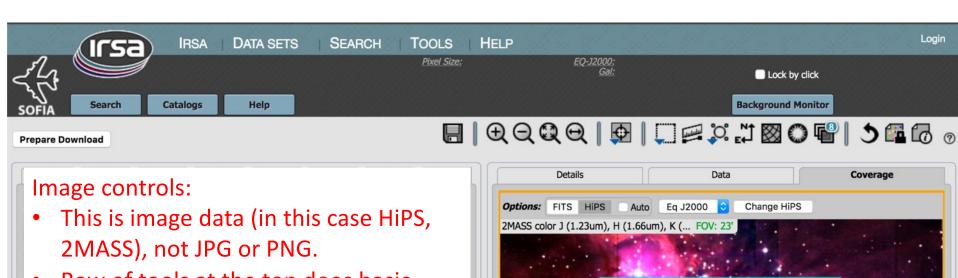
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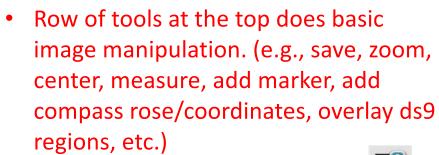






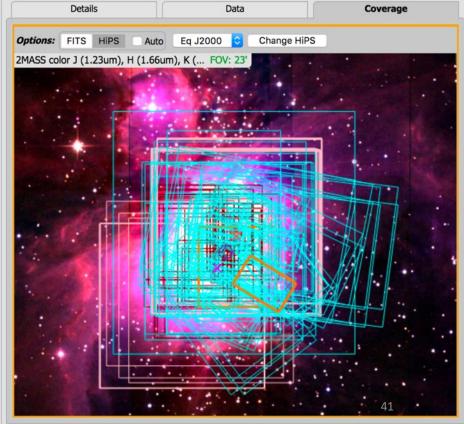


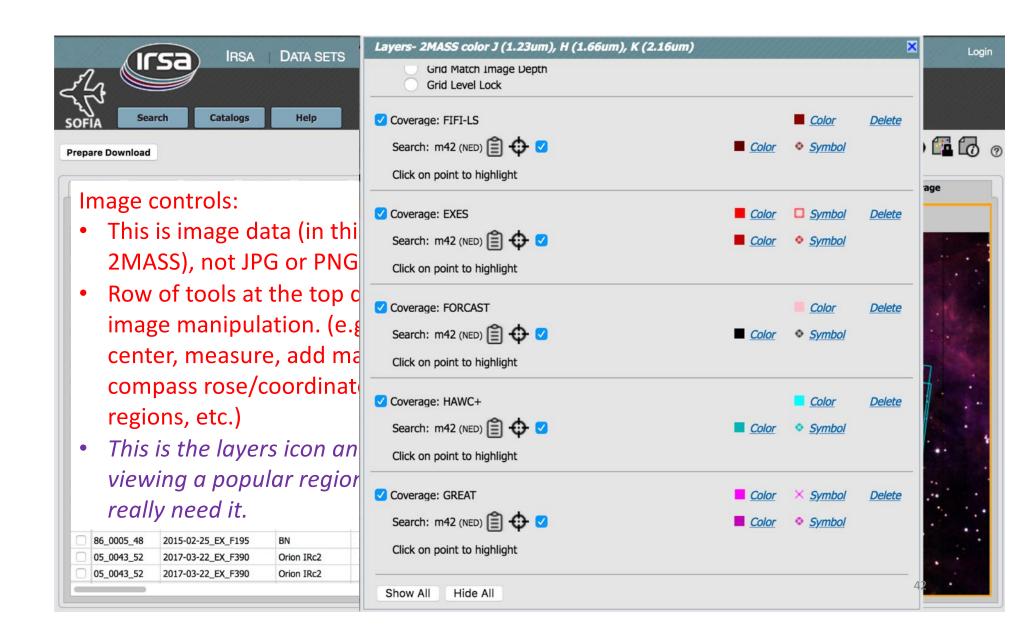


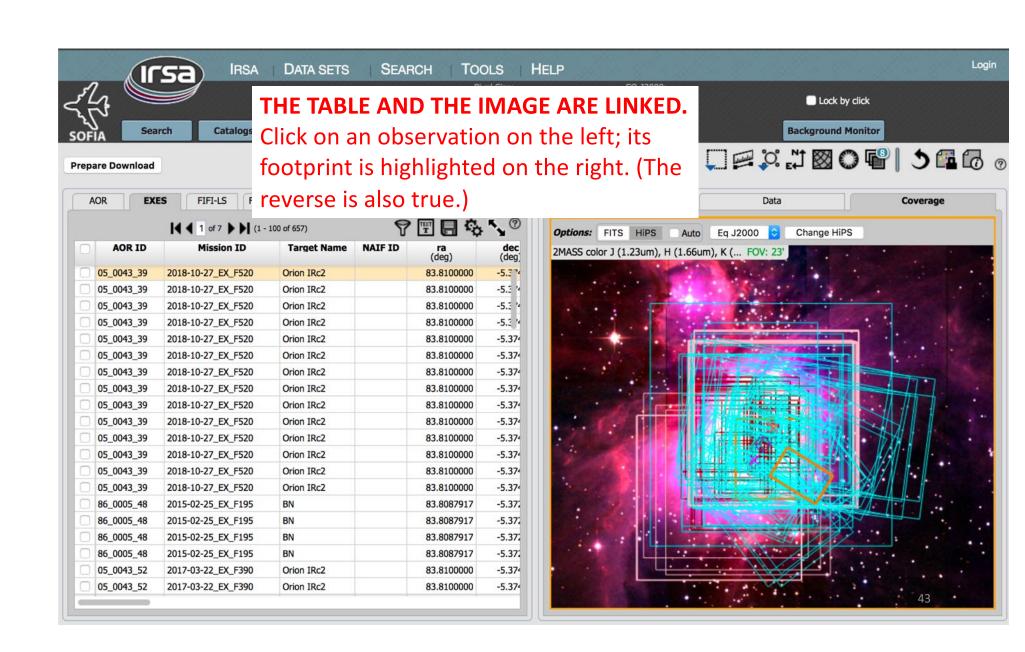


• This is the layers icon and when viewing a popular region like M42, you really need it.

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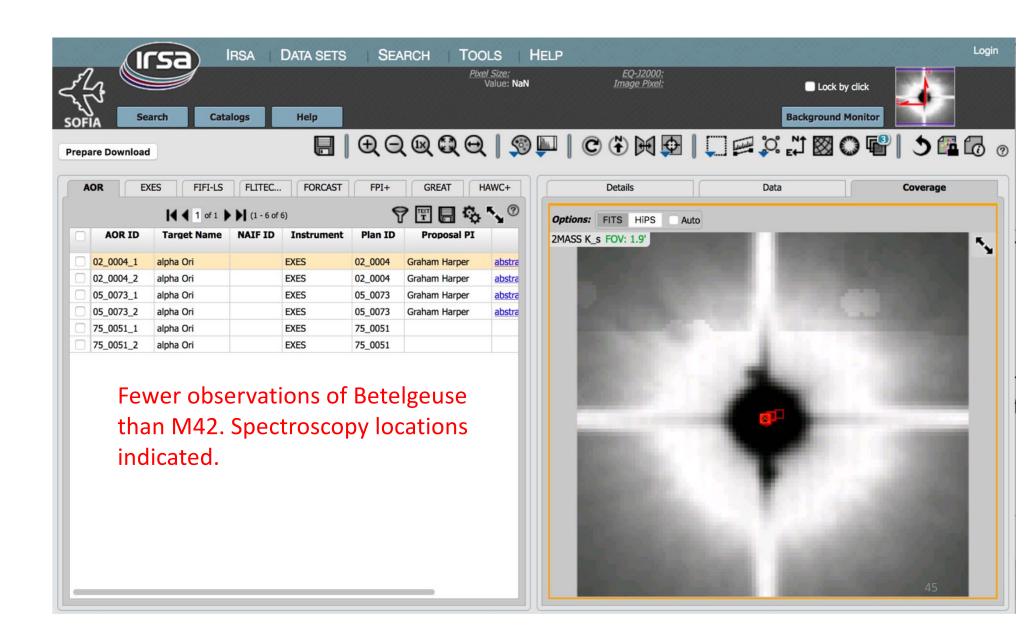






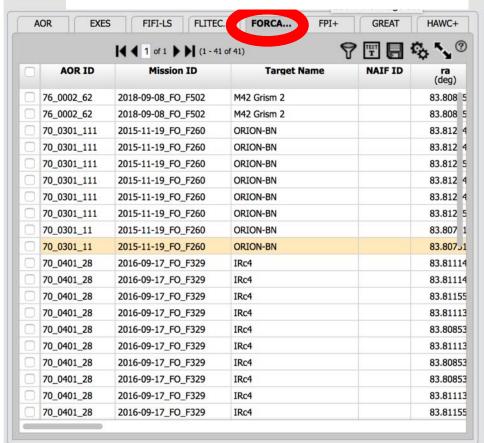
Taking advantage of this

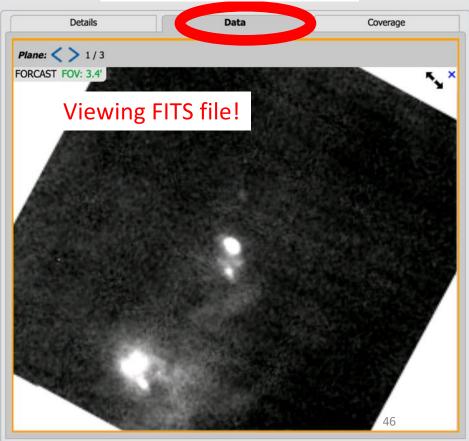
- The whole point is to give you ability to investigate observations that you may want.
 - Did it really cover the region you care about?
 - Are there other observations nearby?
- In a region where there are this many observations, it's overwhelming. May want to use layers pop-up to turn off footprints for all instruments other than the one you have selected on the left (in this case, EXES).
- Next slide has search results from a target with fewer observations:
 Betelgeuse.

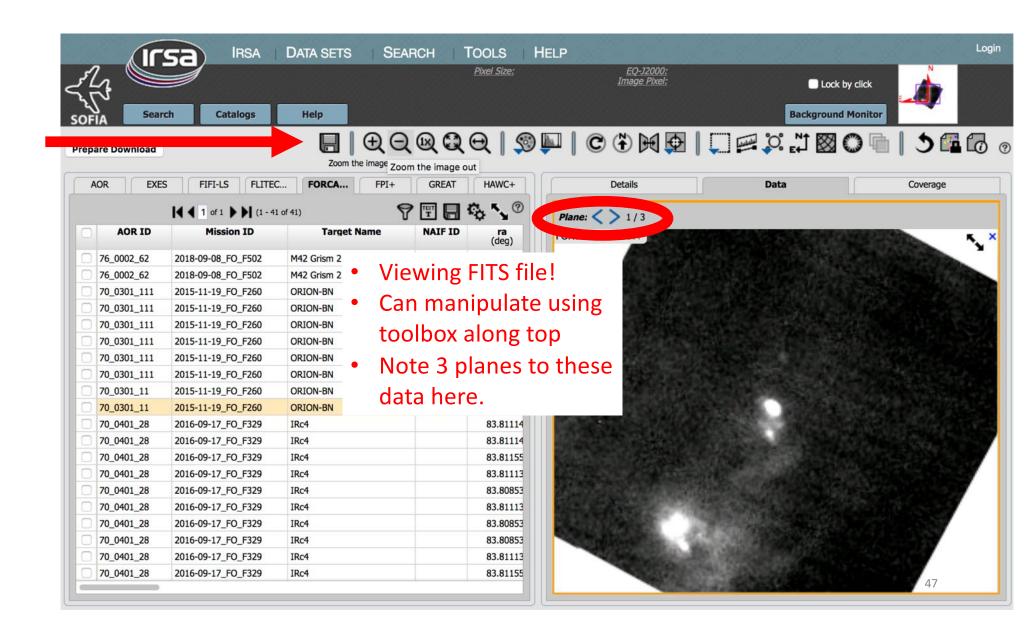


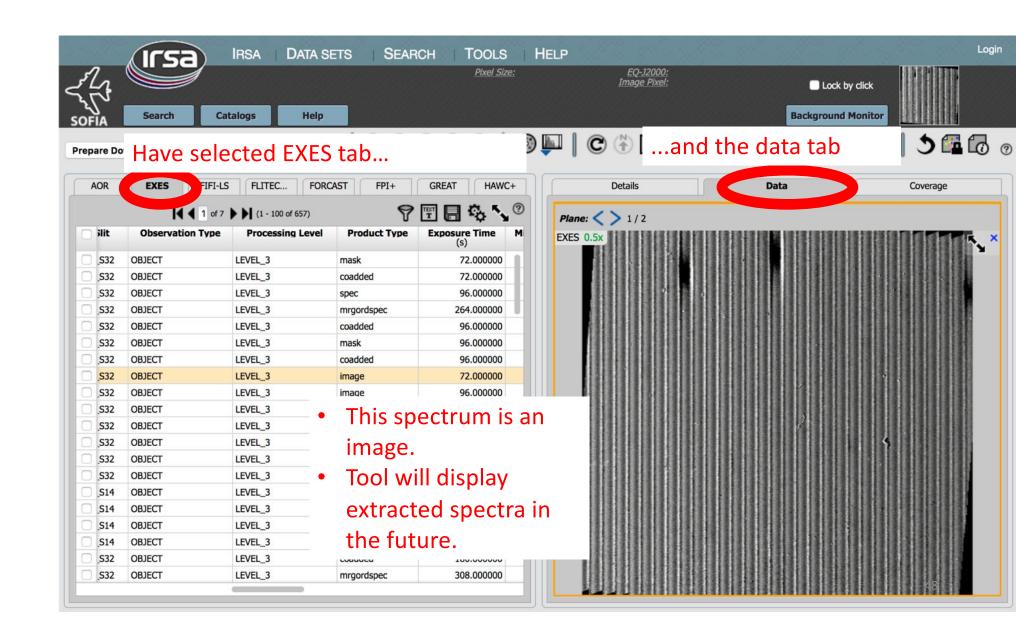


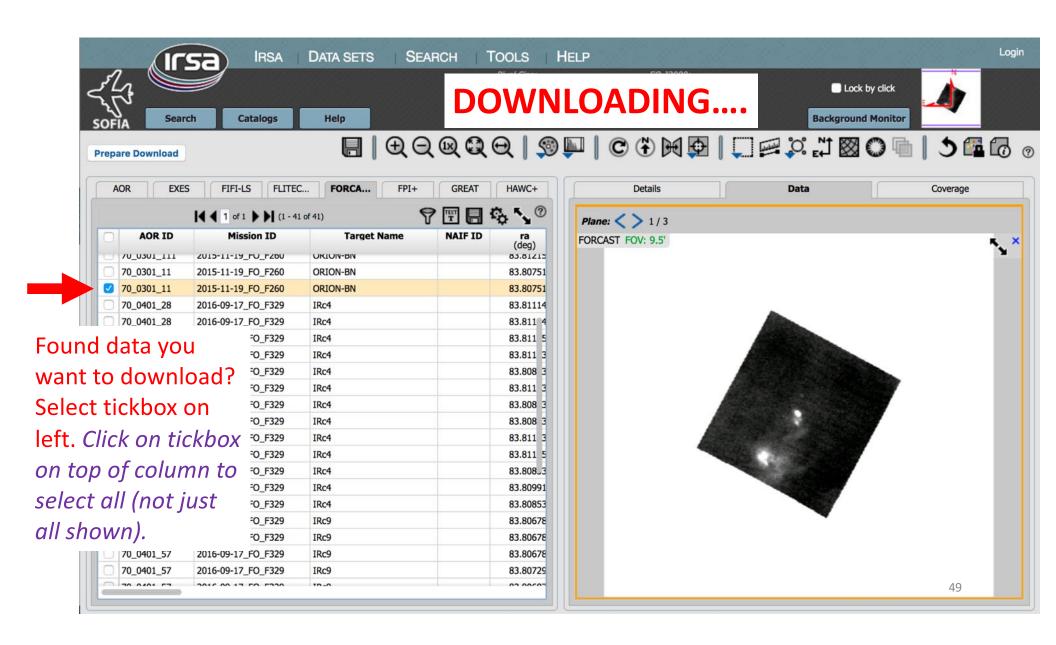
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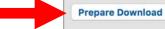


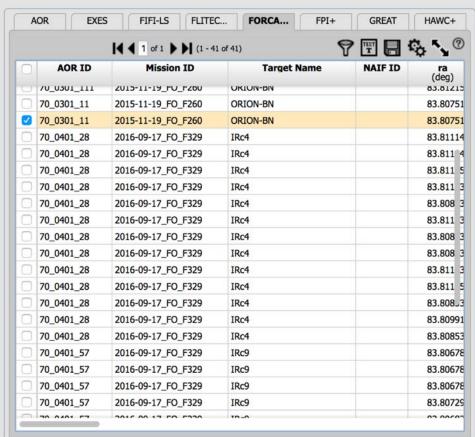


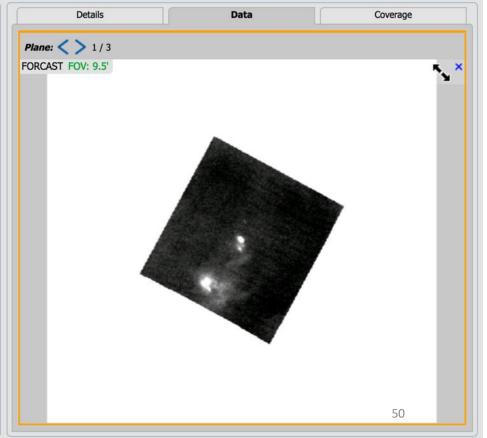


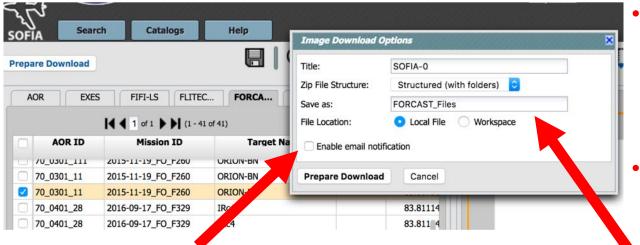












If you turn on email notification, it will:

- Let you know when it is done.
- Send you an email that also has a script to use to download all the pieces.

This matters more when you have huge downloads.

Your computer should know what to do with zip files; if working from the command line, it needs to have the wild card escaped: unzip *.zip

- "Title" just refers to how it is tracked through the background monitor.
 Doesn't matter so much for small downloads.
- Zip file structure means bundled into subdirectories (folders) by observation or a flat file structure.
- "Save as" is the filename it uses.
- Save to your disk or the IRSA Workspace (you need to be logged in).

It saves the files wherever your browser is configured to save files!

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04_0119_2	IRC_10216_PM		HAWC_PLUS	04_0119	B-G Andersso
04_0119_3	IRC_10216		HAWC_PLUS	04_0119	B-G Andersso
04_0119_4	IRC_10216		HAWC_PLUS	04_0119	B-G Andersso
04_0119_6	IRC_10216		HAWC_PLUS	04_0119	B-G Andersso
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05_0048_4	IRC+10216		HAWC_PLUS	05_0048	B-G Andersson
05_0048_5	IRC+10216		HAWC_PLUS	05_0048	B-G Andersson
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Red rows means proprietary data! You can't even preview those data unless you are logged in and have legitimate access to those observations.

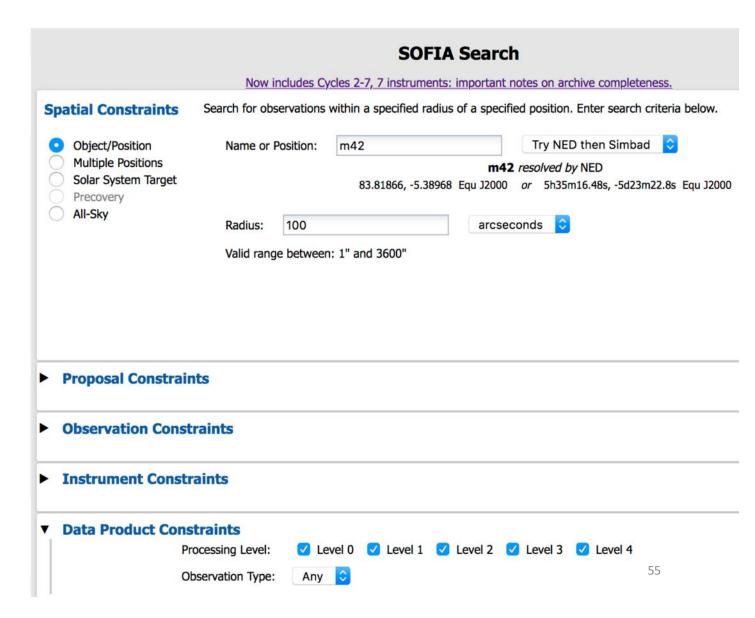
More advanced tips and tricks

- Many important caveats in the online help. Highlights:
 - Some columns aren't populated:
 - Things that aren't moving targets don't have a NAIF(*) id.
 - Calibration observations or products of many combined observations often don't have a PI.
 - Some files won't appear or visualize:
 - All data levels not found in all instruments.
 - Extracted spectra can be rendered as images.
 - GREAT Level 3 or 4 are tar files and cannot be visualized.
- Doing lots of subsequent searches? Everything on the search page is 'AND'ed together. Be sure you don't accidently leave a parameter set.

More advanced tips and tricks

- Filtering columns
 - Powerful for weeding down long lists.
 - Can filter on free-form text or from set of options.

Starting from another search on M42...

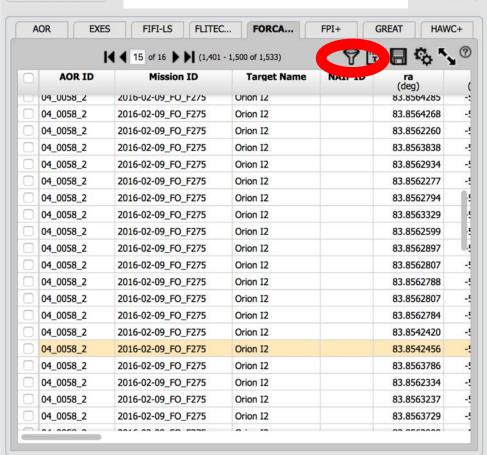


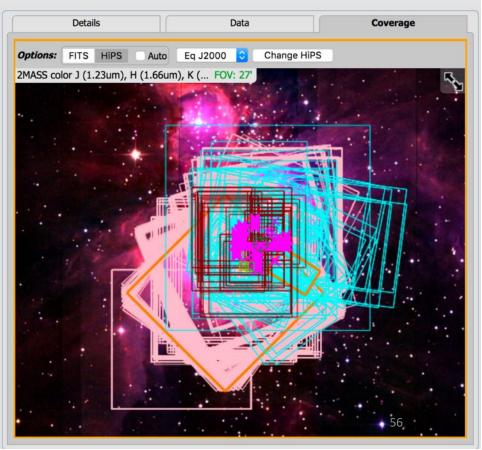
...this time asking for **all** data.

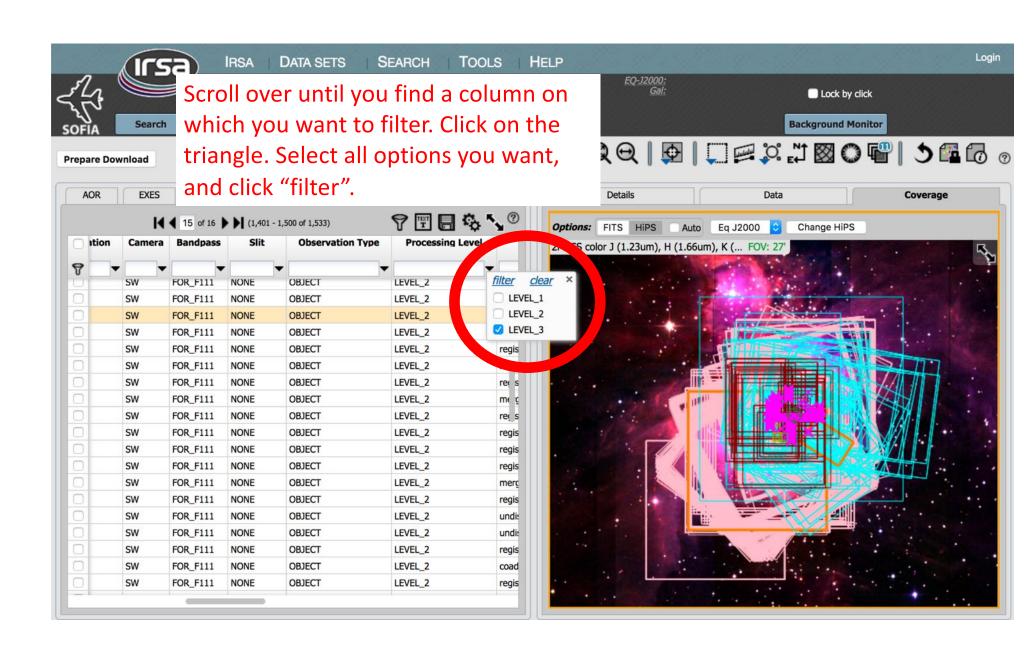


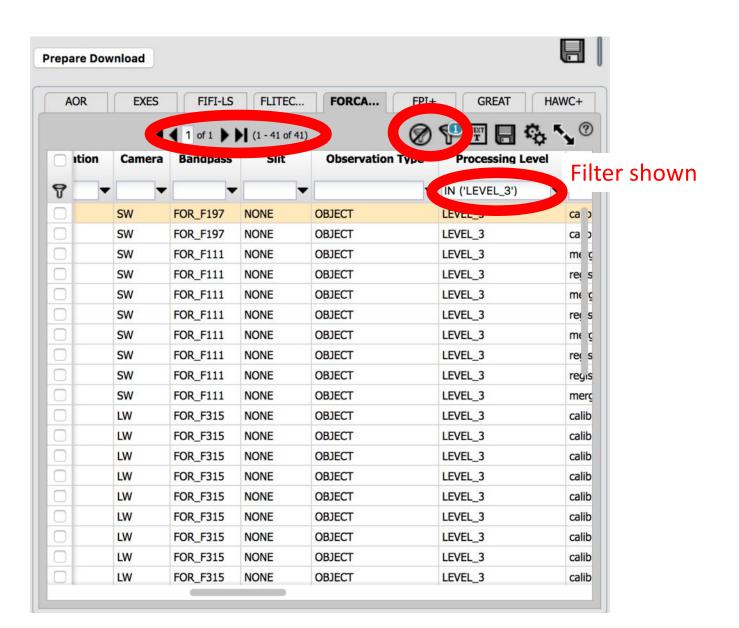
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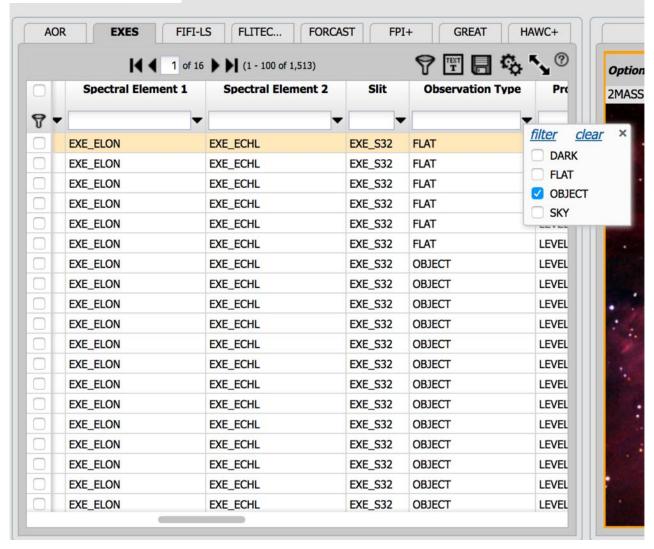


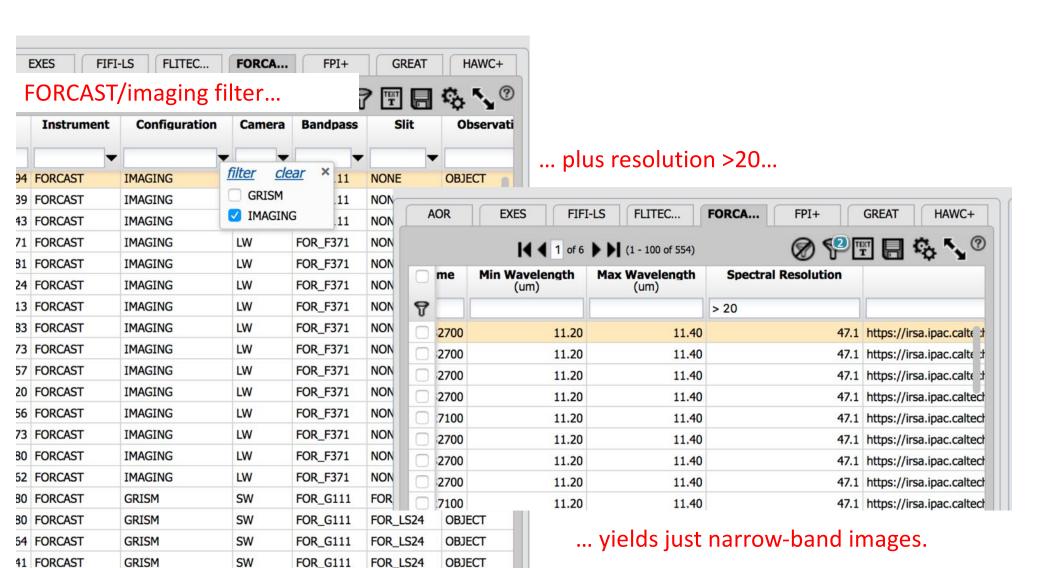




EXES/Observation Type filter

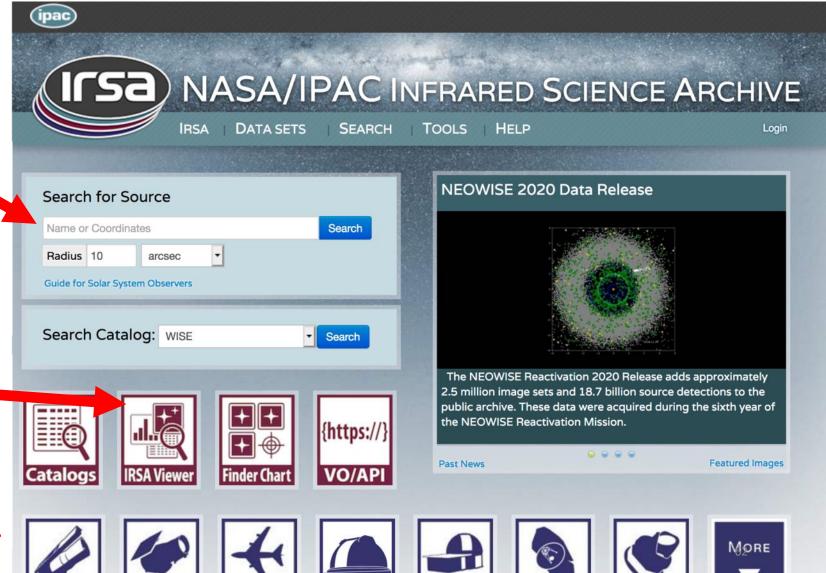






SOFIA in context at IRSA

- One of the main advantages to having the SOFIA archive at IRSA is that it allows you to use IRSA tools and SOFIA data together in context.
- Access other images, catalogs at IRSA.
- Access other images, catalogs worldwide in tools with this look-andfeel.

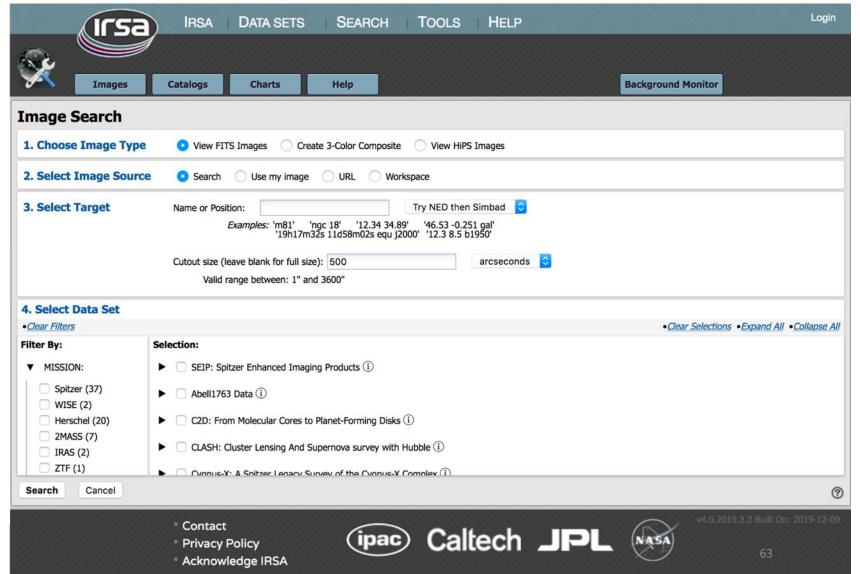


Data Discovery:
Tell me
everything you
can find at IRSA
overlapping this
position

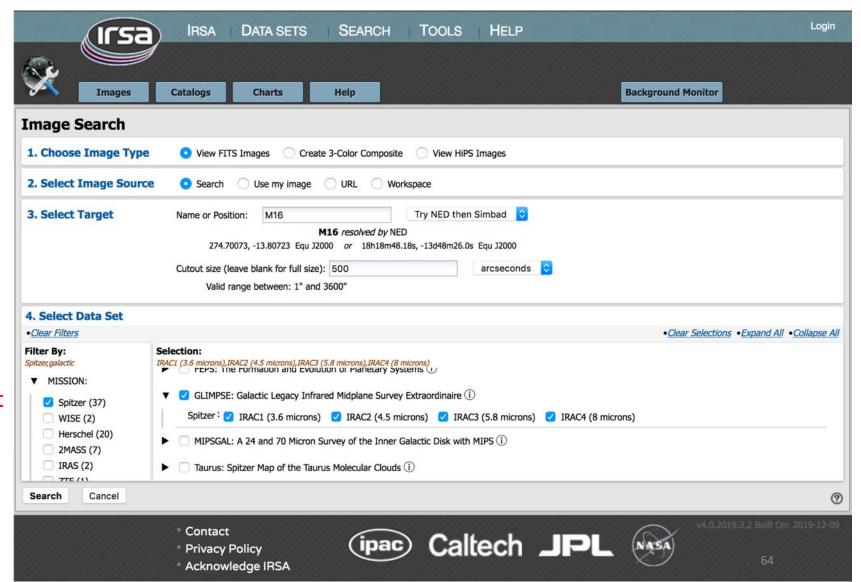
IRSA Viewer:
Tool for
comparing
data from
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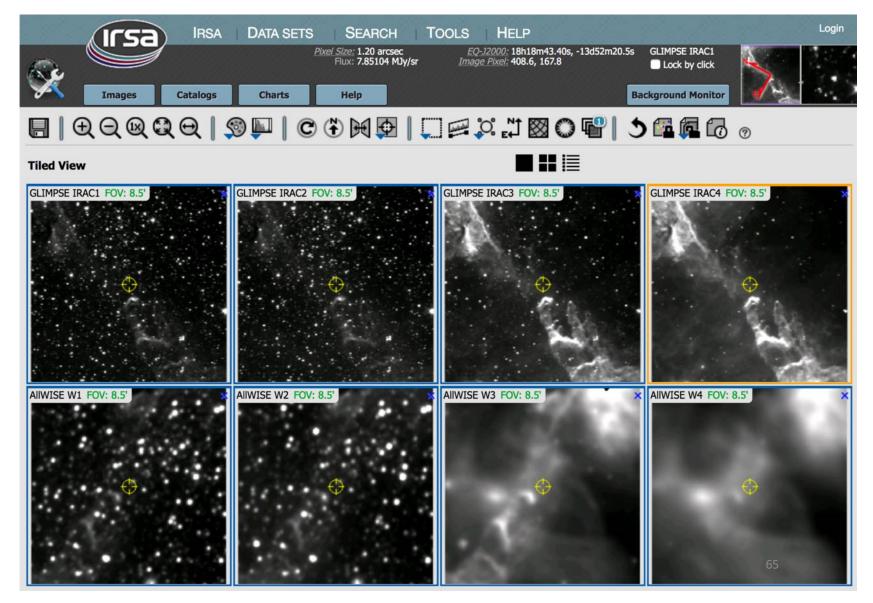
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This list is long. Use filters on left to weed down sheer number of programs on right.

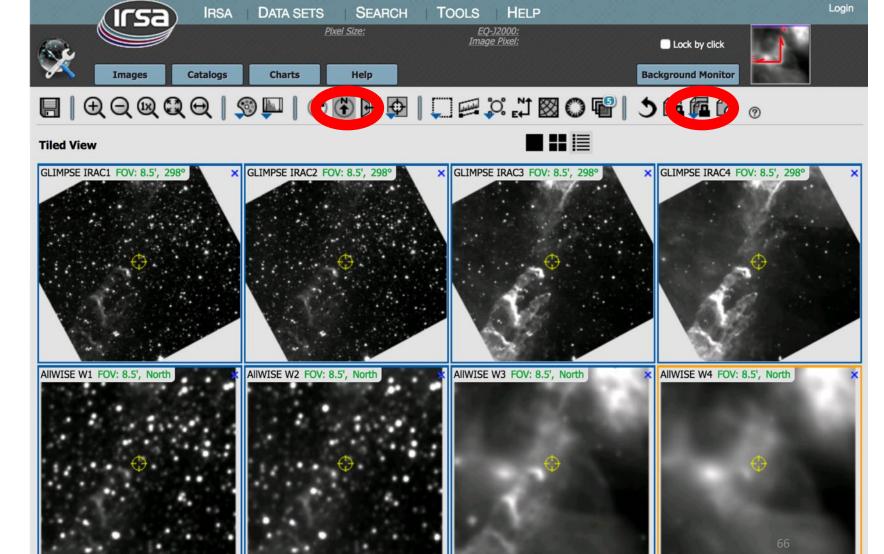


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and WISE (not
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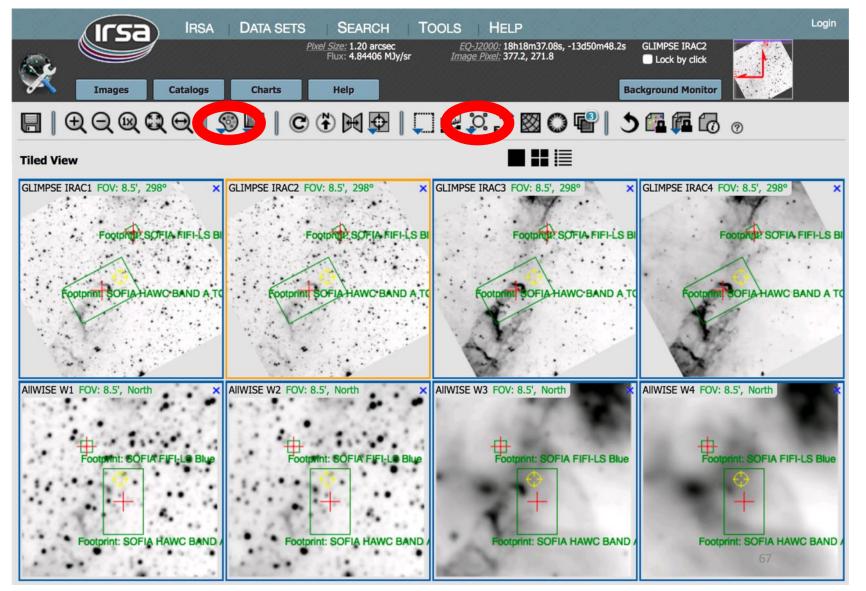




Initial results from search. Same size patch of sky.. But not oriented the same way.

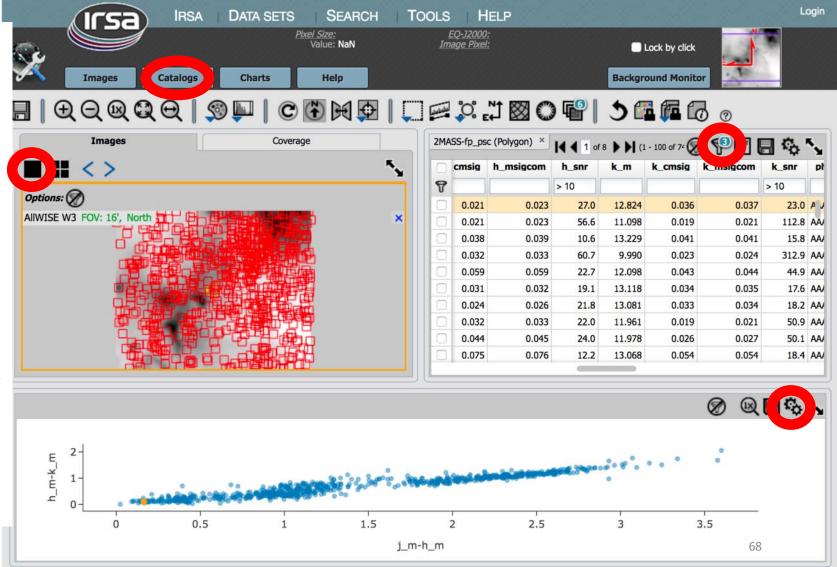


Lock images together by WCS, north up.



Reverse grey scale (change all at once); overlay SOFIA FIFI-LS and HAWC footprints.

Show only one image at a time, overlay 2MASS catalog (filtered to only have SNR>10 at all three bands), overlaid on image, make color-color plot. All are interactive; click on source in image or plot to find in table, etc.



Getting more help

 Help button at top gets online help. (Also available as pdf, which is searchable!)



- Context-sensitive help should drop you in relevant portion of online help.
- IRSA helpdesk (linked on IRSA main page).
- IRSA YouTube channel
 https://www.youtube.com/channel/UClysJbamhNnlu0Bgdrwxn w
- Playlist collects all the SOFIA videos in one place
 https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL3UuvF_s8KWJQWu7bjlXMWZ7Q
 RwL4DPRI
 though also see other tutorials for, e.g., overview of image toolbar, etc.