

PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES

The Hubble Space Telescope:
From Cosmological Conflict
to Alien Atmospheres

Featuring Guest Speaker:
Tom Brown



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welcome

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to the hubble space telescope public

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today's talk the hubble space telescope

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from cosmological conflict

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to alien atmospheres by tom brown

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we're at the space telescope science

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institute and i am dr

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frank summers as your host i'd like to

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thank our wonderful tech team

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thomas marufu and grant justice who help

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us bring you this live stream

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next month we will have a really special

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talk from

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christopher our author christopher

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wangek who'll be talking about space

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how humans will settle the moon mars and

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beyond

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this is a little different talk for our

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series and i know you won't want to miss

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that one

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in may we have another special talk from

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the consonants collective

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and the bergamont quartet of the peabody

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here in baltimore this is a orchestra

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and this is these are music musicians

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who have

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gonna talk about and play for you

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finding the music of the spheres

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hearing stars and finally in

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june we will have a talk on exoplanets

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that's not the final

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title uh she promised she would give me

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a a

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a different title soon by emily rickman

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here at the space telescope science

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if you'd like to hear learn about it you

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can go to our website

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just go to www.sdsci.edu

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public hyphen lectures and you'll find

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this webpage

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is uh you can find things about our uh

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webcasting uh both on the youtube

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playlist and the webcast archive from

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the space telescope science institute

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on the lower right you can see our email

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on which you can

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enter your email address and subscribe

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and get our monthly

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our monthly postings also on the website

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we have

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00:02:11,750 --> 00:02:09,039
descriptions of each lecture both in

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compact form and if you click on it then

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of course you get the full details

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along with the title the description as

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well as

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links to the sdsci webcast and the

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youtube version of the webcast

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after the after recording

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for the email the announcements it's

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easiest just to sign up at our website

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uh you can also subscribe to our youtube

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channel

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youtube.com hubble space telescope all

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one word

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that will give you notices of these live

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events as well as

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video notices of new videos and finally

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if you have comments or questions you

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can send them to

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the email address public lecture

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our social media we have social media

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for the hubble space telescope

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for the james webb space telescope that

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launches in october of this year

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and for our institute space telescope

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science institute

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or on facebook twitter youtube and

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instagram

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as for myself i do a tiny bit of social

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media

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00:03:20,470 --> 00:03:16,710

and now the news from the universe for

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our first story for you tonight a comet

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amongst the trojan

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asteroids now that actually is a lot

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more

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different uh strange than it may sound

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so let me just

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break down what we're talking about

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first of all

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this is a diagram of the inner solar

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system okay

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and it's out to the orbit of jupiter and

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what you can see the main thing

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in red is the main asteroid belt there

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are

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hundreds of thousands 300 400 000

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asteroids

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in the main asteroid belt and you can

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see they stretch mostly from the orbit

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00:03:58,470 --> 00:03:56,159
of mars

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00:03:59,990 --> 00:03:58,480
out to the orbit of jupiter and of

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course interior to the orbit

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00:04:04,309 --> 00:04:02,640
of mars are the orbits of venus earth

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00:04:07,589 --> 00:04:04,319
and mercury

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00:04:10,149 --> 00:04:07,599
now there's also these blue objects that

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00:04:12,070 --> 00:04:10,159
are in that in that realm and these are

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00:04:12,949 --> 00:04:12,080

what were called the mars crossing

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asteroids

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00:04:16,949 --> 00:04:14,560

and they look like they could really

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00:04:18,629 --> 00:04:16,959

cause havoc to us but really there

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00:04:20,390 --> 00:04:18,639

aren't that many of them and they're

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really really small so they aren't that

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much of a threat as it may

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appear in this diagram but what i really

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want to talk about

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are these green blobs in the upper left

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and the upper right

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these are what's called the trojan

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asteroids around jupiter

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00:04:37,030 --> 00:04:36,160
and i've marked at the top where jupiter

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00:04:38,790 --> 00:04:37,040
exists

128
00:04:41,189 --> 00:04:38,800
and you'll notice that there's a clump

129
00:04:43,350 --> 00:04:41,199
of asteroids about 60 degrees

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00:04:45,030 --> 00:04:43,360
in front of jupiter and 60 degrees

131
00:04:47,749 --> 00:04:45,040
behind jupiter

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00:04:49,110 --> 00:04:47,759
and that's because the gravity of the

133
00:04:51,070 --> 00:04:49,120
sun and jupiter

134
00:04:52,790 --> 00:04:51,080
sort of balance out to create these

135
00:04:55,430 --> 00:04:52,800
semi-stable points

136
00:04:56,070 --> 00:04:55,440
uh 60 degrees in front and 60 degrees

137
00:04:58,710 --> 00:04:56,080
behind

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00:05:00,629 --> 00:04:58,720

jupiter and the asteroids can sit there

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and hang out there

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00:05:06,710 --> 00:05:03,759

so it was kind of crazy

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when hubble took this recent image of a

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trojan

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2019 ld2

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and you may look at that and go wait a

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minute that doesn't look like an

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asteroid

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00:05:24,950 --> 00:05:21,680

got a tail

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what has tails comets this

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isn't an asteroid this is in fact comet

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00:05:33,909 --> 00:05:31,840

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00:05:35,350 --> 00:05:33,919
and then you might ask well okay so what

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00:05:36,950 --> 00:05:35,360
is a comet doing

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00:05:39,270 --> 00:05:36,960
hanging out in a place where there are

154
00:05:42,070 --> 00:05:39,280
asteroids matter of fact this is the

155
00:05:44,150 --> 00:05:42,080
first comet ever discovered hanging out

156
00:05:46,710 --> 00:05:44,160
in a place where there are asteroids

157
00:05:48,070 --> 00:05:46,720
and to tell you that i gotta go give you

158
00:05:50,870 --> 00:05:48,080
the bigger picture

159
00:05:53,029 --> 00:05:50,880
of the outer solar system so here's a

160
00:05:55,590 --> 00:05:53,039
plot of the outer solar system

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00:05:57,510 --> 00:05:55,600
and the main feature here is the kuiper

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00:05:59,830 --> 00:05:57,520
belt all these red and white

163
00:06:01,350 --> 00:05:59,840

objects around the edge outside the

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00:06:03,510 --> 00:06:01,360

orbit of neptune

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00:06:04,710 --> 00:06:03,520

that is the kuiper belt now if you

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00:06:06,309 --> 00:06:04,720

haven't heard of that

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this is a region of the solar system

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that we only discovered

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in the 1990s we know thousands of

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objects out in the kuiper belt these are

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small

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icy bodies out at the edge of the solar

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system

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and by the way this is the region that

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includes pluto this is why pluto is no

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longer a planet

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because it's actually a member of the

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kuiper belt

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00:06:31,110 --> 00:06:28,720
but let's not get into that because

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00:06:34,150 --> 00:06:31,120
people can talk your ear off about that

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00:06:37,670 --> 00:06:34,160
so what happens is the kuiper belt

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is repository of these small icy objects

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00:06:41,590 --> 00:06:40,400
that if they get pulled into the inner

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00:06:44,790 --> 00:06:41,600
solar system

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00:06:47,029 --> 00:06:44,800
become comet so they

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00:06:49,110 --> 00:06:47,039
can have gravitational encounters with

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00:06:51,670 --> 00:06:49,120
neptune and with saturn

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00:06:54,070 --> 00:06:51,680

and uranus and jupiter that can bring

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00:06:56,469 --> 00:06:54,080

them into the inner solar system

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and so when they are traversing between

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the orbits of neptune

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and the orbits of jupiter there's

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something known as

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centaurs so there's a sort of

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gravitational pinball that happens

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with these kuiper belt objects so

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the significance of seeing comet p-2019

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ld2

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in the trojan asteroids is that it

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is um assuredly a comet that has been

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pulled in by this gravitational tug of

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war uh sometimes they call it a bucket

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brigade as one planet hands it off to

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00:07:31,110 --> 00:07:28,080
the other planet

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00:07:33,029 --> 00:07:31,120
and moves it in and it must have had

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00:07:34,629 --> 00:07:33,039
a close encounter with jupiter

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00:07:37,909 --> 00:07:34,639
relatively recently

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that pulled into a place where it could

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00:07:42,950 --> 00:07:40,319
be part of the semi-stable pack

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00:07:44,710 --> 00:07:42,960
at the trojan asteroids but it doesn't

211
00:07:45,110 --> 00:07:44,720
really fit in with the trojan asteroids

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00:07:48,629 --> 00:07:45,120
within

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00:07:50,390 --> 00:07:48,639

its orbit the cool thing is they do

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simulations of this on how long it will

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last there

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probably within a few years

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we will be able to watch le2

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move out of the trojan asteroids and

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change its orbit

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we can see orbital dynamics happening

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on a time scale of several years

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now maybe it will come into the inner

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solar system and maybe it'll be a bright

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comet we can see in the night sky

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but actually probably not because they

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actually

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they predict that within half a million

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years

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there's a 90 percent chance that it will

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have a gravitational encounter with

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jupiter

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that instead of sending it into the

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inner solar system will actually kick it

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out of the solar system so this is the

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first comet discovered amongst the

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trojan asteroids

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is it a standard weigh station on the

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on the traveling in from the kuiper belt

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to the inner solar system

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possibly they will continue to look for

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more

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and will be able to follow the

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development of

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second story i'm not going to go very

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deep into because

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many of you have probably seen a lot of

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it already this is perseverance

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on mars okay if you didn't know if

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you're

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living under a rock mars 2020 mission

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00:09:17,829 --> 00:09:16,240
called perseverance has landed on mars

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00:09:20,389 --> 00:09:17,839
and here are several pictures in the

253
00:09:23,190 --> 00:09:20,399
upper left that is the um

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00:09:23,990 --> 00:09:23,200
parachute that they use to glide it down

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to

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00:09:32,630 --> 00:09:32,160
thin martian atmosphere and so they

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00:09:35,110 --> 00:09:32,640
really

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00:09:36,389 --> 00:09:35,120
couldn't test it on earth with our much

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00:09:39,030 --> 00:09:36,399
thicker atmosphere

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so that's an amazing feat of engineering

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because

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they really couldn't test it in advance

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in the in the

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conditions and then you've got the shot

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looking down on

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the rover as it's heading to the surface

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the shot of the rover on the surface

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and three cool panoramas there is a

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ton of cool information and if you

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haven't watched the descent and landing

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video

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you gotta check it out okay mars

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perseverance we're gonna get some

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interesting science uh from the crater

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uh trying to look for signs of life

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could life have developed

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in this crater that was once an ancient

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ocean that stuff to

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stay tuned for but for right now you can

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get some really cool

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okay to our featured speaker tonight

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our featured speaker tonight is tom

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brown

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and he is extremely important person he

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is the head

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of the hubble mission office here at the

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00:10:38,870 --> 00:10:35,920

space telescope science institute

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00:10:40,150 --> 00:10:38,880

uh he got his undergraduate degree at

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00:10:42,389 --> 00:10:40,160

penn state

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00:10:43,269 --> 00:10:42,399

then got his graduate uh did his

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00:10:45,670 --> 00:10:43,279

graduate work

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00:10:47,030 --> 00:10:45,680

across the way at johns hopkins

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00:10:49,030 --> 00:10:47,040

university

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00:10:50,710 --> 00:10:49,040

he went down to our partner institution

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00:10:52,550 --> 00:10:50,720

the goddard space flight center

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00:10:54,310 --> 00:10:52,560

and then came here to space telescope

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00:10:55,990 --> 00:10:54,320

and it's uh fun that

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00:10:57,350 --> 00:10:56,000

tom and i learned today that we've both

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00:10:57,910 --> 00:10:57,360

been at the space telescope science

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00:10:59,990 --> 00:10:57,920

institute

301
00:11:01,750 --> 00:11:00,000
for 20 years now so we're both

302
00:11:03,509 --> 00:11:01,760
celebrating our 20th anniversary at

303
00:11:05,990 --> 00:11:03,519
space telescope this year

304
00:11:07,910 --> 00:11:06,000
uh he's going to tell you all about what

305
00:11:10,150 --> 00:11:07,920
his functional work is

306
00:11:11,350 --> 00:11:10,160
but he also does research i this is a

307
00:11:12,870 --> 00:11:11,360
guy in a really important position but

308
00:11:14,710 --> 00:11:12,880
he's still doing his research

309
00:11:16,470 --> 00:11:14,720
in fact he was telling me he just got

310
00:11:19,430 --> 00:11:16,480
hubble data last night

311
00:11:20,230 --> 00:11:19,440
on the globular cluster m4 and he's just

312
00:11:23,190 --> 00:11:20,240
itching to pre

313
00:11:25,030 --> 00:11:23,200

to preview that data and study it so

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00:11:29,269 --> 00:11:25,040

without further ado ladies and gentlemen

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00:11:33,110 --> 00:11:29,279

dr tom brown thank you frank

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00:11:35,670 --> 00:11:33,120

all right hello everyone yeah thanks

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00:11:37,030 --> 00:11:35,680

as you heard my name is tom brown and i

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00:11:38,630 --> 00:11:37,040

work at the space telescope science

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00:11:40,550 --> 00:11:38,640

institute and i'll be talking to you

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00:11:44,230 --> 00:11:40,560

today about the wide range of science

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00:11:49,269 --> 00:11:46,710

so hubble was launched over 30 years ago

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00:11:51,990 --> 00:11:49,279

in 1990 as a partnership between

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00:11:53,590 --> 00:11:52,000

nasa and esa and it's become

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00:11:55,030 --> 00:11:53,600

increasingly powerful

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00:11:56,949 --> 00:11:55,040

over the years through a series of

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00:11:59,269 --> 00:11:56,959

servicing missions

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00:12:00,870 --> 00:11:59,279

three missions in the 1990s and then

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00:12:04,069 --> 00:12:00,880

another one in 2002

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00:12:06,870 --> 00:12:04,079

and another in 2009 and while there are

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00:12:08,710 --> 00:12:06,880

no additional servicing missions planned

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00:12:10,150 --> 00:12:08,720

the observatory is expected to be

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00:12:12,790 --> 00:12:10,160

scientifically operational

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00:12:16,310 --> 00:12:12,800

through at least 2026 and hopefully the

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00:12:20,230 --> 00:12:18,310

this is an overview of the physical

335

00:12:22,790 --> 00:12:20,240

characteristics of the observatory it's

336

00:12:26,069 --> 00:12:22,800

about the size of a school bus

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00:12:27,269 --> 00:12:26,079

it's a little over 13 meters long 4.2

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00:12:30,550 --> 00:12:27,279

meters wide

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00:12:32,790 --> 00:12:30,560

a weight of 12 200 kilograms

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00:12:35,030 --> 00:12:32,800

it's a cassegrain telescope with a

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00:12:35,910 --> 00:12:35,040

primary mirror 2.4 meters across a

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00:12:39,750 --> 00:12:35,920

secondary mirror

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00:12:42,710 --> 00:12:39,760

0.3 meters across it's in orbit

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00:12:44,629 --> 00:12:42,720

at an altitude of 536 kilometers and

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00:12:45,269 --> 00:12:44,639

goes around the earth once every 95

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00:12:47,590 --> 00:12:45,279

minutes

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00:12:49,670 --> 00:12:47,600

and the orbit is expected to be stable

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00:12:52,870 --> 00:12:49,680

into the 2040s

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00:12:54,949 --> 00:12:52,880

the power is provided by solar arrays on

350

00:13:00,310 --> 00:12:54,959

the day side and batteries on the night

351

00:13:03,590 --> 00:13:02,550

the hubble instrument suite which is

352

00:13:05,829 --> 00:13:03,600

shown

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00:13:07,910 --> 00:13:05,839

in their layout here on the observatory

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00:13:10,230 --> 00:13:07,920

provides unique capabilities that

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00:13:11,829 --> 00:13:10,240

keep the telescope in high demand and

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00:13:13,590 --> 00:13:11,839

also keep it on the cutting edge of

357

00:13:16,069 --> 00:13:13,600

astrophysical research

358

00:13:17,430 --> 00:13:16,079

i'll go through those briefly here first

359

00:13:20,069 --> 00:13:17,440

there's the cosmic origin

360

00:13:22,389 --> 00:13:20,079

spectrograph or cos it was installed in

361

00:13:24,870 --> 00:13:22,399

the last servicing mission 2009

362

00:13:26,069 --> 00:13:24,880

and it's optimized for ultraviolet

363

00:13:28,629 --> 00:13:26,079

spectroscopy of

364

00:13:30,550 --> 00:13:28,639

faint sources complementing those

365

00:13:31,910 --> 00:13:30,560

capabilities is the space telescope

366

00:13:35,110 --> 00:13:31,920

imaging spectrograph

367

00:13:37,110 --> 00:13:35,120

or stis it was installed in the late 90s

368

00:13:38,310 --> 00:13:37,120

and repaired in the last servicing

369

00:13:40,710 --> 00:13:38,320

mission

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00:13:42,790 --> 00:13:40,720

it provides versatile spectroscopy and

371

00:13:44,069 --> 00:13:42,800

imaging over broad wavelength range in

372

00:13:47,189 --> 00:13:44,079

the optical

373

00:13:50,629 --> 00:13:47,199

ultraviolet and near-infrared next is

374

00:13:54,310 --> 00:13:50,639

the advanced camera for surveys or acs

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00:13:55,829 --> 00:13:54,320

it was installed in 2002 and repaired in

376

00:13:57,590 --> 00:13:55,839

the last servicing mission

377

00:13:59,509 --> 00:13:57,600

it provides wide field imaging and

378

00:14:01,030 --> 00:13:59,519

spectroscopy with an emphasis on red

379

00:14:02,629 --> 00:14:01,040

sensitivity

380

00:14:05,189 --> 00:14:02,639

and then there's the wide field camera 3

381

00:14:06,870 --> 00:14:05,199

which was installed in 2009

382

00:14:08,470 --> 00:14:06,880

and it provides wide field imaging and

383

00:14:10,389 --> 00:14:08,480

spectroscopy

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00:14:12,389 --> 00:14:10,399

with a broader wavelength range

385

00:14:13,350 --> 00:14:12,399

extending into the ultraviolet and the

386

00:14:16,550 --> 00:14:13,360

near infrared

387

00:14:18,470 --> 00:14:16,560

and also astrometric capabilities

388

00:14:19,590 --> 00:14:18,480

last there's the fine guidance side

389

00:14:21,829 --> 00:14:19,600

sensor package

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00:14:23,750 --> 00:14:21,839

or fgs it was launched with the

391

00:14:25,829 --> 00:14:23,760

telescope it has three sensors two of

392

00:14:27,350 --> 00:14:25,839

which were refurbished on subsequent

393

00:14:29,430 --> 00:14:27,360

servicing missions

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00:14:30,870 --> 00:14:29,440

it's mainly used as part of the pointy

395

00:14:32,629 --> 00:14:30,880

control system

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00:14:36,870 --> 00:14:32,639

but it can also be used for astrometric

397

00:14:40,949 --> 00:14:38,790

the diagram i'm showing on the right

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00:14:42,949 --> 00:14:40,959

shows the two main types of data that

399

00:14:45,509 --> 00:14:42,959

you get from these instruments

400

00:14:46,550 --> 00:14:45,519

this is looking at the massive star eta

401
00:14:49,030 --> 00:14:46,560
carina

402
00:14:50,230 --> 00:14:49,040
and this star system is quite violent

403
00:14:52,870 --> 00:14:50,240
it's

404
00:14:53,990 --> 00:14:52,880
shown here as a hubble image on the left

405
00:14:56,230 --> 00:14:54,000
side of the diagram

406
00:14:57,750 --> 00:14:56,240
a high resolution hubble image and then

407
00:15:00,470 --> 00:14:57,760
a spectrum from the center of this

408
00:15:02,790 --> 00:15:00,480
object is shown extending along the

409
00:15:05,590 --> 00:15:02,800
right side of this diagram

410
00:15:07,910 --> 00:15:05,600
and this demonstrates all in one diagram

411
00:15:09,430 --> 00:15:07,920
the power of the hubble space telescope

412
00:15:12,150 --> 00:15:09,440
hubble has powerful imaging and

413
00:15:14,069 --> 00:15:12,160

spectroscopic capabilities they extend

414

00:15:15,750 --> 00:15:14,079

the ultraviolet the optical and the near

415

00:15:17,590 --> 00:15:15,760

infrared and the ultraviolet is

416

00:15:19,269 --> 00:15:17,600

particularly important because you can't

417

00:15:20,949 --> 00:15:19,279

do ultraviolet astronomy from the ground

418

00:15:22,790 --> 00:15:20,959

due to the opacity of the atmosphere and

419

00:15:24,069 --> 00:15:22,800

the atmosphere also blurs light at other

420

00:15:26,790 --> 00:15:24,079

wavelengths and

421

00:15:27,670 --> 00:15:26,800

hubble avoids that by being in orbit and

422

00:15:30,310 --> 00:15:27,680

hubble

423

00:15:32,629 --> 00:15:30,320

has high resolution and contrast in its

424

00:15:36,150 --> 00:15:32,639

imaging and spectroscopy

425

00:15:39,269 --> 00:15:36,160

and these capabilities uh make hubble a

426

00:15:41,110 --> 00:15:39,279

powerful facility still to this day

427

00:15:42,790 --> 00:15:41,120

you can see the spectrum here

428

00:15:45,350 --> 00:15:42,800

complements the information you

429

00:15:46,069 --> 00:15:45,360

obtain with the image because of the

430

00:15:47,509 --> 00:15:46,079

features

431

00:15:51,030 --> 00:15:47,519

in the spectrum corresponding to the

432

00:15:54,870 --> 00:15:52,949

so first i'm going to review how

433

00:15:55,509 --> 00:15:54,880

powerful these two cameras are these

434

00:15:57,509 --> 00:15:55,519

cameras

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00:15:58,949 --> 00:15:57,519

are far more powerful the ones that are

436

00:16:01,350 --> 00:15:58,959

on there now acs and

437

00:16:02,710 --> 00:16:01,360

wide field camera three they're far more

438

00:16:03,749 --> 00:16:02,720

powerful than those on previous

439

00:16:06,710 --> 00:16:03,759

generations

440

00:16:07,670 --> 00:16:06,720

on the hubble uh so what i'm showing

441

00:16:10,470 --> 00:16:07,680

here on the left

442

00:16:12,629 --> 00:16:10,480

is uh the hubble's 30th anniversary

443

00:16:14,150 --> 00:16:12,639

image of the cosmic reef

444

00:16:15,990 --> 00:16:14,160

this is a beautiful image i'm going to

445

00:16:18,470 --> 00:16:16,000

step through a series of

446

00:16:19,829 --> 00:16:18,480

hubble images of nearby galaxies to make

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00:16:23,110 --> 00:16:19,839

a point

448

00:16:25,030 --> 00:16:23,120

so these are mostly spiral galaxies like

449

00:16:28,069 --> 00:16:25,040

our own milky way

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00:16:29,990 --> 00:16:28,079

spiral galaxies in the nearby universe

451
00:16:31,430 --> 00:16:30,000
and all these images are quite beautiful

452
00:16:34,949 --> 00:16:31,440
on the subject of press releases with

453
00:16:38,069 --> 00:16:36,389
some of these are thought to look

454
00:16:39,829 --> 00:16:38,079
somewhat like our own milky way

455
00:16:42,069 --> 00:16:39,839
and there are pairs of galaxies and

456
00:16:44,150 --> 00:16:42,079
interacting galaxies

457
00:16:45,749 --> 00:16:44,160
but i'm going to zoom in here on the

458
00:16:49,509 --> 00:16:45,759
sombbrero galaxy

459
00:16:49,990 --> 00:16:49,519
john galaxy here you can see this

460
00:16:52,710 --> 00:16:50,000
prominent

461
00:16:54,069 --> 00:16:52,720
dust lane in the foreground but what's

462
00:16:55,749 --> 00:16:54,079
fascinating is

463
00:16:57,509 --> 00:16:55,759

that you don't just see the sombrero

464

00:16:59,350 --> 00:16:57,519

galaxy you see much of the universe

465

00:17:00,790 --> 00:16:59,360

behind the sombrero galaxy and i can

466

00:17:03,110 --> 00:17:00,800

zoom in here

467

00:17:04,949 --> 00:17:03,120

you can see that there are distant

468

00:17:06,710 --> 00:17:04,959

spiral galaxies in the distant universe

469

00:17:08,870 --> 00:17:06,720

behind the sombrero that are also

470

00:17:09,750 --> 00:17:08,880

in this image and that's something that

471

00:17:11,429 --> 00:17:09,760

really

472

00:17:13,350 --> 00:17:11,439

started to become common with these two

473

00:17:14,870 --> 00:17:13,360

most powerful cameras we have on there

474

00:17:16,549 --> 00:17:14,880

most recently

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00:17:18,309 --> 00:17:16,559

uh previous generations of cameras

476

00:17:21,669 --> 00:17:18,319

didn't exhibit this behavior but

477

00:17:23,669 --> 00:17:21,679

now when we get a image with hubble

478

00:17:24,949 --> 00:17:23,679

we get not only the object we're looking

479

00:17:26,630 --> 00:17:24,959

at but we tend to get much of the

480

00:17:27,990 --> 00:17:26,640

universe behind that object for free in

481

00:17:30,870 --> 00:17:28,000

the same exposure that's because these

482

00:17:32,390 --> 00:17:30,880

cameras are so powerful

483

00:17:35,270 --> 00:17:32,400

now a lot of the science and hubble

484

00:17:36,870 --> 00:17:35,280

comes from its spectrographs

485

00:17:38,549 --> 00:17:36,880

i mentioned there are two spectrographs

486

00:17:42,310 --> 00:17:38,559

in hubble that complement each other

487

00:17:44,470 --> 00:17:42,320

cos and stis now press releases

488

00:17:46,150 --> 00:17:44,480

on science results involving the

489

00:17:49,190 --> 00:17:46,160

spectrographs often involve

490

00:17:50,630 --> 00:17:49,200

an artist impression because

491

00:17:52,789 --> 00:17:50,640

you don't usually get a pretty picture

492

00:17:54,549 --> 00:17:52,799

with this type of science

493

00:17:56,710 --> 00:17:54,559

i'm going to show you in this talk both

494

00:17:57,990 --> 00:17:56,720

the artist impression for those cases

495

00:18:00,150 --> 00:17:58,000

but i'm also going to show the

496

00:18:02,950 --> 00:18:00,160

spectroscopic data

497

00:18:04,390 --> 00:18:02,960

and i'm doing that just so those viewers

498

00:18:06,150 --> 00:18:04,400

who are interested can see that

499

00:18:07,750 --> 00:18:06,160

the the scientific data alongside the

500

00:18:08,870 --> 00:18:07,760

artist impression

501
00:18:11,110 --> 00:18:08,880
and briefly here i'll show you

502
00:18:12,549 --> 00:18:11,120
schematically how this works you have a

503
00:18:14,150 --> 00:18:12,559
patch of sky

504
00:18:16,070 --> 00:18:14,160
with an object of interest so this

505
00:18:17,029 --> 00:18:16,080
target star here is shown by the blue

506
00:18:19,510 --> 00:18:17,039
box

507
00:18:21,350 --> 00:18:19,520
the light falls down the telescope and

508
00:18:23,430 --> 00:18:21,360
most of it is intercepted but the light

509
00:18:27,270 --> 00:18:23,440
from the object of interest

510
00:18:30,310 --> 00:18:27,280
falls through to a dispersive element

511
00:18:32,070 --> 00:18:30,320
and then or like a grating or a prism

512
00:18:33,430 --> 00:18:32,080
and then it's spread out on the detector

513
00:18:36,150 --> 00:18:33,440

where you get a pattern of

514

00:18:37,909 --> 00:18:36,160

light and dark corresponding to the

515

00:18:39,029 --> 00:18:37,919

chemist chemistry and temperature in

516

00:18:40,549 --> 00:18:39,039

this object

517

00:18:42,230 --> 00:18:40,559

and that spectrum is then transmitted

518

00:18:44,150 --> 00:18:42,240

back down to earth

519

00:18:46,390 --> 00:18:44,160

so how does this work in practice so

520

00:18:49,510 --> 00:18:46,400

here are the hubble data

521

00:18:51,110 --> 00:18:49,520

for the southern crab nebula this is an

522

00:18:53,270 --> 00:18:51,120

image obtained with hubble as part of

523

00:18:54,310 --> 00:18:53,280

the 29th anniversary

524

00:18:55,750 --> 00:18:54,320

and what i'm going to do here is show

525

00:18:57,909 --> 00:18:55,760

you also the spectrum obtained with

526

00:19:01,029 --> 00:18:57,919

hubble for this object

527

00:19:05,190 --> 00:19:04,150

here is the hubble spectrum the lights

528

00:19:06,870 --> 00:19:05,200

dispersed

529

00:19:08,310 --> 00:19:06,880

with blue wavelengths on the left right

530

00:19:09,590 --> 00:19:08,320

or wavelengths on the right

531

00:19:11,110 --> 00:19:09,600

and then the features you see in the

532

00:19:12,150 --> 00:19:11,120

spectrum correspond to the chemistry of

533

00:19:14,150 --> 00:19:12,160

the object

534

00:19:15,990 --> 00:19:14,160

so on the left here is oxygen and then

535

00:19:19,270 --> 00:19:16,000

you also have hydrogen

536

00:19:22,470 --> 00:19:19,280

nitrogen and sulfur and then those

537

00:19:26,070 --> 00:19:24,390

to give you the colors you see in the

538

00:19:27,990 --> 00:19:26,080

actual image

539

00:19:30,150 --> 00:19:28,000

so this object we obtained both imaging

540

00:19:30,630 --> 00:19:30,160

and spectroscopy and you can see how

541

00:19:32,390 --> 00:19:30,640

those

542

00:19:33,990 --> 00:19:32,400

two types of data complement each other

543

00:19:35,270 --> 00:19:34,000

the image tells us about the structure

544

00:19:37,510 --> 00:19:35,280

of the object but

545

00:19:39,830 --> 00:19:37,520

the spectroscopy tells us about the

546

00:19:42,789 --> 00:19:39,840

temperature and chemistry

547

00:19:44,870 --> 00:19:42,799

now here are those data again the images

548

00:19:46,390 --> 00:19:44,880

and the spectra of this object

549

00:19:48,310 --> 00:19:46,400

now i'm showing along the bottom the

550

00:19:50,070 --> 00:19:48,320

type of plot that

551
00:19:52,390 --> 00:19:50,080
astronomers typically show when they

552
00:19:54,549 --> 00:19:52,400
have a spectrum this is a plot of flux

553
00:19:55,350 --> 00:19:54,559
or energy on the y-axis versus color on

554
00:19:58,470 --> 00:19:55,360
the x-axis

555
00:20:00,150 --> 00:19:58,480
in nanometers from 500 to 700 nanometers

556
00:20:02,549 --> 00:20:00,160
and you can see that the features in

557
00:20:05,430 --> 00:20:02,559
this plot along the black

558
00:20:06,070 --> 00:20:05,440
curve here the spikes correspond to

559
00:20:09,430 --> 00:20:06,080
features

560
00:20:11,430 --> 00:20:09,440
in the beautiful outreach figure so most

561
00:20:12,710 --> 00:20:11,440
of the time when astronomers have

562
00:20:14,950 --> 00:20:12,720
a spectrum they're showing in their

563
00:20:16,310 --> 00:20:14,960

paper they show something like the plot

564

00:20:17,430 --> 00:20:16,320

along the bottom here but you can see

565

00:20:18,630 --> 00:20:17,440

that the information this plot

566

00:20:22,070 --> 00:20:18,640

corresponds to

567

00:20:26,549 --> 00:20:23,590

now hubble science spans the full

568

00:20:28,710 --> 00:20:26,559

breadth of astrophysical phenomena

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00:20:29,909 --> 00:20:28,720

that's shown here by this pie chart on

570

00:20:31,909 --> 00:20:29,919

the left

571

00:20:33,669 --> 00:20:31,919

this is the breakdown of science topics

572

00:20:35,990 --> 00:20:33,679

in a broad brush

573

00:20:37,669 --> 00:20:36,000

that are being pursued by hubble in the

574

00:20:39,190 --> 00:20:37,679

current observing cycle

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00:20:41,270 --> 00:20:39,200

observing cycles occur on an annual

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00:20:44,470 --> 00:20:41,280

basis and you can see hubble

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00:20:47,110 --> 00:20:44,480

is doing work on black holes he's doing

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00:20:48,549 --> 00:20:47,120

work on exoplanets and planet formation

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00:20:50,310 --> 00:20:48,559

about a quarter of the times going into

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00:20:51,909 --> 00:20:50,320

galaxies a

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00:20:53,669 --> 00:20:51,919

significant amount of time is going to

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00:20:54,710 --> 00:20:53,679

studying the dark material between the

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00:20:57,510 --> 00:20:54,720

galaxies the

584

00:20:59,190 --> 00:20:57,520

intergalactic and circum galactic medium

585

00:21:00,310 --> 00:20:59,200

we have cosmology and large scale

586

00:21:03,510 --> 00:21:00,320

structure

587

00:21:05,510 --> 00:21:03,520

the solar system stellar physics

588

00:21:06,789 --> 00:21:05,520

and stellar populations or groups of

589

00:21:08,390 --> 00:21:06,799

stars

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00:21:10,950 --> 00:21:08,400

now in the upper right i'm showing a

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00:21:13,909 --> 00:21:10,960

plot of the number of refereed

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00:21:15,110 --> 00:21:13,919

publications using hubble data to date

593

00:21:17,270 --> 00:21:15,120

as a function of time

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00:21:18,470 --> 00:21:17,280

over the history of the mission and you

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00:21:20,310 --> 00:21:18,480

can see that

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00:21:21,750 --> 00:21:20,320

this is the scientific productivity of

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00:21:23,430 --> 00:21:21,760

the telescope has really grown over the

598

00:21:25,190 --> 00:21:23,440

years and now there's roughly a thousand

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00:21:27,909 --> 00:21:25,200

peer-reviewed papers per

600

00:21:28,870 --> 00:21:27,919

year over eighteen thousand publications

601
00:21:31,750 --> 00:21:28,880
to date

602
00:21:33,270 --> 00:21:31,760
and the bands of color in this plot show

603
00:21:35,029 --> 00:21:33,280
where the paper is drawing the hubble

604
00:21:38,789 --> 00:21:35,039
data from so the lowest

605
00:21:41,510 --> 00:21:38,799
band here in a greenish yellow color

606
00:21:43,750 --> 00:21:41,520
those are papers published by the same

607
00:21:44,310 --> 00:21:43,760
team of astronomers who requested time

608
00:21:47,110 --> 00:21:44,320
on the

609
00:21:47,990 --> 00:21:47,120
telescope so they asked for a time until

610
00:21:49,270 --> 00:21:48,000
on hubble

611
00:21:50,789 --> 00:21:49,280
they got the data and then they

612
00:21:52,630 --> 00:21:50,799
published their results and then the

613
00:21:54,870 --> 00:21:52,640

bands of color above that

614

00:21:56,549 --> 00:21:54,880

are from teams of astronomers who went

615

00:21:57,190 --> 00:21:56,559

back into the archive and at least part

616

00:21:59,990 --> 00:21:57,200

of their

617

00:22:01,029 --> 00:22:00,000

paper is drawing upon archival data uh

618

00:22:02,950 --> 00:22:01,039

collected from

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00:22:04,390 --> 00:22:02,960

previous observations not observations

620

00:22:05,909 --> 00:22:04,400

they requested themselves so you can see

621

00:22:07,909 --> 00:22:05,919

over half of the data

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00:22:09,830 --> 00:22:07,919

uh published with hubble these days was

623

00:22:11,430 --> 00:22:09,840

drawn from the archive

624

00:22:14,070 --> 00:22:11,440

now observing time on the telescope is

625

00:22:15,669 --> 00:22:14,080

awarded by a peer review process that's

626
00:22:18,789 --> 00:22:15,679
dual anonymous that was

627
00:22:20,230 --> 00:22:18,799
an innovation that hubble began in the

628
00:22:22,230 --> 00:22:20,240
field a few years ago

629
00:22:23,270 --> 00:22:22,240
this art the hubble telescope was the

630
00:22:25,190 --> 00:22:23,280
first telescope

631
00:22:26,789 --> 00:22:25,200
to use a dual anonymous peer review

632
00:22:27,590 --> 00:22:26,799
systems so the people submitting their

633
00:22:29,110 --> 00:22:27,600
ideas

634
00:22:31,510 --> 00:22:29,120
for peer review don't know who will be

635
00:22:33,830 --> 00:22:31,520
reviewing them and then the people

636
00:22:35,350 --> 00:22:33,840
who are evaluating those ideas don't see

637
00:22:35,990 --> 00:22:35,360
the identities of who submitted the

638
00:22:36,950 --> 00:22:36,000

proposal

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00:22:39,270 --> 00:22:36,960

those have been stripped from the

640

00:22:39,990 --> 00:22:39,280

proposal and that allows the peer review

641

00:22:42,390 --> 00:22:40,000

to just focus

642

00:22:43,750 --> 00:22:42,400

on the science and it mitigates bias in

643

00:22:46,070 --> 00:22:43,760

the review

644

00:22:47,270 --> 00:22:46,080

the telescope remains in high demand the

645

00:22:48,870 --> 00:22:47,280

over subscription whether you're

646

00:22:49,909 --> 00:22:48,880

measuring that by the number of requests

647

00:22:52,230 --> 00:22:49,919

for time

648

00:22:53,669 --> 00:22:52,240

or the amount of observer time needed

649

00:22:57,669 --> 00:22:53,679

exceeds what's available in any given

650

00:23:01,350 --> 00:22:59,350

now hubble science evolves with the

651
00:23:03,430 --> 00:23:01,360
field

652
00:23:04,870 --> 00:23:03,440
i'm going to show that here through two

653
00:23:06,549 --> 00:23:04,880
science topics that get a lot of

654
00:23:08,549 --> 00:23:06,559
attention these days and the top is

655
00:23:11,270 --> 00:23:08,559
cosmic expansion

656
00:23:13,190 --> 00:23:11,280
now the universe has been known to be

657
00:23:17,110 --> 00:23:13,200
expanding for decades

658
00:23:19,190 --> 00:23:17,120
and when the telescope launched in 1990

659
00:23:21,270 --> 00:23:19,200
astronomers hoped to use the telescope

660
00:23:22,630 --> 00:23:21,280
to accurately characterize the rate of

661
00:23:23,990 --> 00:23:22,640
expansion for the universe

662
00:23:25,750 --> 00:23:24,000
what was not known when the telescope

663
00:23:28,549 --> 00:23:25,760

launched was that that excel

664

00:23:30,070 --> 00:23:28,559

that expansion of the universe had a

665

00:23:32,310 --> 00:23:30,080

period of both deceleration and

666

00:23:33,029 --> 00:23:32,320

acceleration and hublicata played a key

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00:23:35,190 --> 00:23:33,039

role

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00:23:36,470 --> 00:23:35,200

in characterizing that variation in the

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00:23:38,230 --> 00:23:36,480

expansion of the universe

670

00:23:39,590 --> 00:23:38,240

and it was the subject of a nobel prize

671

00:23:40,789 --> 00:23:39,600

along with other telescopes that were

672

00:23:42,789 --> 00:23:40,799

used

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00:23:44,230 --> 00:23:42,799

we are now in an era of precision

674

00:23:46,390 --> 00:23:44,240

cosmology

675

00:23:47,750 --> 00:23:46,400

where people are measuring the expansion

676

00:23:49,430 --> 00:23:47,760

rate of the universe using different

677

00:23:50,070 --> 00:23:49,440

methods and those methods don't always

678

00:23:52,070 --> 00:23:50,080

give the same

679

00:23:54,549 --> 00:23:52,080

answer within the uncertainties and that

680

00:23:57,590 --> 00:23:54,559

might be implying new physics

681

00:24:00,390 --> 00:23:57,600

and the bottom here i'm showing the work

682

00:24:01,590 --> 00:24:00,400

hubble is doing on exoplanet atmospheres

683

00:24:03,510 --> 00:24:01,600

so the first

684

00:24:04,710 --> 00:24:03,520

exoplanet that is the first planet

685

00:24:06,390 --> 00:24:04,720

outside our own solar system was

686

00:24:08,390 --> 00:24:06,400

discovered after the telescope launched

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00:24:10,070 --> 00:24:08,400

so this was not a science topic

688

00:24:12,470 --> 00:24:10,080

at the time the telescope was designed

689

00:24:12,950 --> 00:24:12,480

and launched and now hubble spends about

690

00:24:14,789 --> 00:24:12,960

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691

00:24:16,950 --> 00:24:14,799

of its observing time looking at

692

00:24:19,110 --> 00:24:16,960

exoplanets and hubble is indeed

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00:24:20,710 --> 00:24:19,120

the premier facility for studying

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00:24:21,669 --> 00:24:20,720

exoplanets and their atmospheres even

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00:24:23,669 --> 00:24:21,679

though it's not the premiere

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00:24:25,669 --> 00:24:23,679

facility for discovering exoplanets

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00:24:26,950 --> 00:24:25,679

hubble's not a survey telescope but once

698

00:24:29,750 --> 00:24:26,960

other surveys find

699

00:24:31,909 --> 00:24:29,760

exoplanets hubble is used to follow them

700

00:24:33,590 --> 00:24:31,919

up and the way hubble does this work is

701
00:24:34,549 --> 00:24:33,600
shown by the artist impression at the

702
00:24:36,870 --> 00:24:34,559
bottom here

703
00:24:38,470 --> 00:24:36,880
a planet when it passes in front of its

704
00:24:39,590 --> 00:24:38,480
host star when it transits in front of

705
00:24:42,230 --> 00:24:39,600
the host star

706
00:24:42,789 --> 00:24:42,240
the planet and its atmosphere affect the

707
00:24:44,789 --> 00:24:42,799
light

708
00:24:46,710 --> 00:24:44,799
from the system that you see and the

709
00:24:48,470 --> 00:24:46,720
variation that light

710
00:24:50,390 --> 00:24:48,480
is measured with hubble usually through

711
00:24:51,510 --> 00:24:50,400
the spectrum and

712
00:24:56,390 --> 00:24:51,520
that tells us something about the

713
00:25:00,630 --> 00:24:59,350

so another advance with the telescope

714

00:25:02,710 --> 00:25:00,640

that has

715

00:25:04,710 --> 00:25:02,720

changed over time is the way we use the

716

00:25:06,710 --> 00:25:04,720

telescope and that's really making

717

00:25:08,230 --> 00:25:06,720

the pursuit of those two science cases i

718

00:25:10,149 --> 00:25:08,240

just showed you

719

00:25:11,909 --> 00:25:10,159

more powerful and this is called spatial

720

00:25:13,350 --> 00:25:11,919

scanning so normally

721

00:25:15,190 --> 00:25:13,360

it's important to hold a telescope

722

00:25:17,350 --> 00:25:15,200

steady when

723

00:25:18,950 --> 00:25:17,360

obtaining an exposure of an object

724

00:25:21,590 --> 00:25:18,960

whether you're obtaining a spectrum or

725

00:25:22,870 --> 00:25:21,600

you're looking at an image of stars

726

00:25:24,710 --> 00:25:22,880

what we do with spatial scanning is we

727

00:25:26,710 --> 00:25:24,720

intentionally drag the telescope

728

00:25:28,310 --> 00:25:26,720

across the field of view and so if

729

00:25:30,789 --> 00:25:28,320

you're looking at a group of stars

730

00:25:31,430 --> 00:25:30,799

as i'm showing here in the top image the

731

00:25:34,789 --> 00:25:31,440

stars

732

00:25:37,590 --> 00:25:34,799

create streaks during your exposure

733

00:25:39,190 --> 00:25:37,600

but this works to the advantage of of

734

00:25:40,870 --> 00:25:39,200

the astronomer because

735

00:25:42,630 --> 00:25:40,880

now you're getting high precision

736

00:25:43,830 --> 00:25:42,640

astronomers and parallax is for the

737

00:25:45,110 --> 00:25:43,840

objects in the field

738

00:25:46,950 --> 00:25:45,120

because instead of getting one

739

00:25:48,630 --> 00:25:46,960

measurement for the position of each

740

00:25:50,470 --> 00:25:48,640

star you're getting hundreds of

741

00:25:51,830 --> 00:25:50,480

measurements as those stars are dragged

742

00:25:53,909 --> 00:25:51,840

across the field of view

743

00:25:55,510 --> 00:25:53,919

so you can get very high precision

744

00:25:58,549 --> 00:25:55,520

measurements

745

00:26:00,149 --> 00:25:58,559

of their relative positions along the

746

00:26:02,870 --> 00:26:00,159

bottom i'm showing

747

00:26:04,710 --> 00:26:02,880

another way of using spatial scanning

748

00:26:05,110 --> 00:26:04,720

that's with spectroscopic observations

749

00:26:07,430 --> 00:26:05,120

so

750

00:26:09,029 --> 00:26:07,440

this is a exoplanet observation i'm

751

00:26:09,990 --> 00:26:09,039

showing here over the course of the

752

00:26:12,310 --> 00:26:10,000

exposure

753

00:26:13,029 --> 00:26:12,320

wavelength runs from left to right and

754

00:26:15,430 --> 00:26:13,039

then the

755

00:26:17,269 --> 00:26:15,440

spectrum during the exposure is dragged

756

00:26:18,310 --> 00:26:17,279

across the detector from the bottom to

757

00:26:19,350 --> 00:26:18,320

the top

758

00:26:21,830 --> 00:26:19,360

and of course we're spreading the

759

00:26:23,510 --> 00:26:21,840

detector over a larger area more signal

760

00:26:24,630 --> 00:26:23,520

can be detected before we saturate the

761

00:26:26,470 --> 00:26:24,640

detector

762

00:26:28,950 --> 00:26:26,480

and we can average out systematic errors

763

00:26:30,870 --> 00:26:28,960

and that allows a much higher accuracy

764

00:26:33,510 --> 00:26:30,880

to be obtained with the spectroscopic

765

00:26:37,430 --> 00:26:35,269

so next i'm going to explain a little

766

00:26:38,870 --> 00:26:37,440

more detail this cosmic expansion and

767

00:26:39,430 --> 00:26:38,880

how this kind of works pursued with

768

00:26:41,029 --> 00:26:39,440

hubble

769

00:26:42,630 --> 00:26:41,039

and one of the first ways that's being

770

00:26:45,190 --> 00:26:42,640

done is

771

00:26:46,070 --> 00:26:45,200

by combining uh observations of

772

00:26:47,990 --> 00:26:46,080

supernova

773

00:26:49,110 --> 00:26:48,000

explosions so these are exploding star

774

00:26:50,710 --> 00:26:49,120

systems

775

00:26:52,870 --> 00:26:50,720

and the brightnesses of the supernova

776

00:26:55,430 --> 00:26:52,880

are calibrated with cepheid stars

777

00:26:56,630 --> 00:26:55,440

and these are star stars with a known

778

00:26:58,549 --> 00:26:56,640

brightness

779

00:27:00,630 --> 00:26:58,559

so first i need to explain the concept

780

00:27:02,549 --> 00:27:00,640

of the standard candle

781

00:27:05,430 --> 00:27:02,559

so a standard candle is an object with a

782

00:27:09,909 --> 00:27:05,440

known intrinsic luminosity

783

00:27:11,430 --> 00:27:09,919

and then when you observe that object

784

00:27:13,029 --> 00:27:11,440

at a particular brightness that tells

785

00:27:14,710 --> 00:27:13,039

you something about how far away it is

786

00:27:16,310 --> 00:27:14,720

so if i'm standing in front of you with

787

00:27:17,750 --> 00:27:16,320

a candle and you see how bright it is

788

00:27:19,110 --> 00:27:17,760

and then i walk away into the darkness

789

00:27:21,750 --> 00:27:19,120

it looks like it's getting fainter

790

00:27:23,430 --> 00:27:21,760

due to me being further away and you can

791

00:27:27,190 --> 00:27:23,440

use that information to judge how far

792

00:27:28,950 --> 00:27:27,200

away i am so that's a standard candle

793

00:27:30,950 --> 00:27:28,960

parallax is another phenomenon that we

794

00:27:32,310 --> 00:27:30,960

see here on earth in everyday life so if

795

00:27:33,590 --> 00:27:32,320

you're driving your car and you're going

796

00:27:37,110 --> 00:27:33,600

down the road

797

00:27:39,510 --> 00:27:37,120

and you see trees outside the window

798

00:27:40,950 --> 00:27:39,520

nearby they seem to be moving relative

799

00:27:42,789 --> 00:27:40,960

to the background for example about

800

00:27:44,549 --> 00:27:42,799

relative to a distant mountain range

801
00:27:46,710 --> 00:27:44,559
and so as an observer looks at nearby

802
00:27:48,549 --> 00:27:46,720
objects as they're moving

803
00:27:49,909 --> 00:27:48,559
that causes nearby objects to appear

804
00:27:51,909 --> 00:27:49,919
like they're moving against

805
00:27:53,430 --> 00:27:51,919
a screen of distant objects and

806
00:27:55,190 --> 00:27:53,440
astronomers do the same thing with the

807
00:27:57,269 --> 00:27:55,200
earth going around the sun

808
00:27:58,789 --> 00:27:57,279
over the course of the year as the earth

809
00:28:00,149 --> 00:27:58,799
goes around the sun and hubble is going

810
00:28:02,470 --> 00:28:00,159
around the earth

811
00:28:04,070 --> 00:28:02,480
nearby stars appear to move relative to

812
00:28:07,029 --> 00:28:04,080
distant background objects

813
00:28:08,470 --> 00:28:07,039

and that geometry allows astronomers to

814

00:28:09,350 --> 00:28:08,480

measure the distance to those nearby

815

00:28:11,990 --> 00:28:09,360

objects

816

00:28:13,269 --> 00:28:12,000

so the same thing happens here with the

817

00:28:15,430 --> 00:28:13,279

measuring of the expansion of the

818

00:28:16,630 --> 00:28:15,440

universe so this cartoon demonstrates

819

00:28:18,549 --> 00:28:16,640

that on the left-hand side of the

820

00:28:19,510 --> 00:28:18,559

cartoon is a schematic of the milky way

821

00:28:22,149 --> 00:28:19,520

galaxy

822

00:28:24,230 --> 00:28:22,159

and there's the sun with hubble and the

823

00:28:26,789 --> 00:28:24,240

earth going around the sun every year

824

00:28:28,710 --> 00:28:26,799

and it's looking at nearby cepheid stars

825

00:28:30,549 --> 00:28:28,720

and obtaining their parallaxes from the

826

00:28:33,669 --> 00:28:30,559

motion around the sun

827

00:28:35,430 --> 00:28:33,679

so that geometric distance tells us how

828

00:28:37,269 --> 00:28:35,440

far away the cepheid stars are and then

829

00:28:38,950 --> 00:28:37,279

that allows us to calibrate

830

00:28:40,310 --> 00:28:38,960

how bright they are and make them into a

831

00:28:42,630 --> 00:28:40,320

standard candle

832

00:28:44,470 --> 00:28:42,640

those cepheid stars are then observed in

833

00:28:45,430 --> 00:28:44,480

nearby galaxies in the local universe

834

00:28:46,870 --> 00:28:45,440

that's shown in the center of the

835

00:28:48,389 --> 00:28:46,880

cartoon

836

00:28:50,070 --> 00:28:48,399

and that allows us to calibrate the

837

00:28:52,630 --> 00:28:50,080

distances to those

838

00:28:54,310 --> 00:28:52,640

galaxies then when a supernova explodes

839

00:28:55,510 --> 00:28:54,320

in those galaxies we know the distance

840

00:28:57,350 --> 00:28:55,520

to those galaxies so now we know the

841

00:28:57,990 --> 00:28:57,360

brightness of the supernova and now the

842

00:28:59,909 --> 00:28:58,000

supernova

843

00:29:01,510 --> 00:28:59,919

is a standard cannibal candle but it's a

844

00:29:03,110 --> 00:29:01,520

much brighter standard candle than the

845

00:29:04,310 --> 00:29:03,120

sepia it can be used at much greater

846

00:29:07,590 --> 00:29:04,320

distances

847

00:29:10,149 --> 00:29:07,600

and so now the supernova are observed

848

00:29:11,669 --> 00:29:10,159

at extreme distances across the universe

849

00:29:13,830 --> 00:29:11,679

in distant galaxies that's what's shown

850

00:29:15,269 --> 00:29:13,840

on the right-hand side of the cartoon

851
00:29:17,669 --> 00:29:15,279
and that us allows us to measure

852
00:29:19,110 --> 00:29:17,679
distances of galaxies receding away from

853
00:29:21,269 --> 00:29:19,120
us in the distant universe

854
00:29:23,190 --> 00:29:21,279
so it's a chain of evidence here working

855
00:29:25,990 --> 00:29:23,200
your way outward

856
00:29:26,870 --> 00:29:26,000
and just to summarize that so the this

857
00:29:29,269 --> 00:29:26,880
method

858
00:29:31,029 --> 00:29:29,279
combines using two types of standard

859
00:29:33,669 --> 00:29:31,039
candles cepheid variable stars

860
00:29:36,070 --> 00:29:33,679
and then type 1a supernova stellar

861
00:29:38,950 --> 00:29:36,080
explosions

862
00:29:39,669 --> 00:29:38,960
and those are calibrated in turn when

863
00:29:41,110 --> 00:29:39,679

and then you can

864

00:29:43,110 --> 00:29:41,120

measure the expansion of the universe

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00:29:44,789 --> 00:29:43,120

and for example rhys it all

866

00:29:46,389 --> 00:29:44,799

did this most recently and obtained a

867

00:29:48,310 --> 00:29:46,399

hubble constant

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00:29:50,710 --> 00:29:48,320

h naught and that's a measure of the

869

00:29:53,909 --> 00:29:50,720

expansion of the universe of 73.2

870

00:29:56,149 --> 00:29:53,919

plus or minus 1.3 kilometers per second

871

00:29:56,710 --> 00:29:56,159

per megaparsec so a mega parsec is a

872

00:29:59,909 --> 00:29:56,720

little over

873

00:30:03,110 --> 00:29:59,919

three million light years so that means

874

00:30:05,269 --> 00:30:03,120

uh for ev every uh

875

00:30:07,750 --> 00:30:05,279

megaparsec out you go the recession

876

00:30:07,990 --> 00:30:07,760

velocity is increasing by 73 kilometers

877

00:30:09,669 --> 00:30:08,000

per

878

00:30:12,389 --> 00:30:09,679

second so as you can see in the

879

00:30:13,909 --> 00:30:12,399

uncertainty there is quite small

880

00:30:16,389 --> 00:30:13,919

now there are other ways of measuring

881

00:30:19,430 --> 00:30:16,399

the expansion of the universe

882

00:30:21,029 --> 00:30:19,440

so the planck satellite for example is a

883

00:30:22,149 --> 00:30:21,039

mission that is mapping the cosmic

884

00:30:24,870 --> 00:30:22,159

microwave background

885

00:30:26,549 --> 00:30:24,880

this is relic radiation left over from

886

00:30:28,310 --> 00:30:26,559

the big bang that is all over the sky

887

00:30:29,830 --> 00:30:28,320

and it makes these all sky maps that are

888

00:30:32,230 --> 00:30:29,840

shown here on the left hand side of the

889

00:30:33,909 --> 00:30:32,240

diagram

890

00:30:35,510 --> 00:30:33,919

when you measure the ripples in the

891

00:30:35,990 --> 00:30:35,520

cosmic microwave background that gives

892

00:30:39,510 --> 00:30:36,000

you

893

00:30:41,430 --> 00:30:39,520

an estimate of how much how fast the

894

00:30:42,310 --> 00:30:41,440

universe is expanding and the planck

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00:30:45,190 --> 00:30:42,320

team

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00:30:46,950 --> 00:30:45,200

they measured a hubble constant of h

897

00:30:48,950 --> 00:30:46,960

naught of 67.4

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00:30:50,310 --> 00:30:48,960

plus or minus 0.5 kilometers per second

899

00:30:51,830 --> 00:30:50,320

per megaparsec

900

00:30:53,430 --> 00:30:51,840

and given the small uncertainty there

901
00:30:55,350 --> 00:30:53,440
that's significantly dif

902
00:30:57,029 --> 00:30:55,360
different than the expansion rate

903
00:30:59,990 --> 00:30:57,039
measured from supernova and cepheus

904
00:31:02,070 --> 00:31:00,000
which is 73.2 plus or minus 1.3

905
00:31:03,430 --> 00:31:02,080
these two measurements are significantly

906
00:31:06,630 --> 00:31:03,440
discrepant with each other

907
00:31:08,870 --> 00:31:06,640
now the planck measurement is looking at

908
00:31:12,070 --> 00:31:08,880
the relics left over from the big bang

909
00:31:13,909 --> 00:31:12,080
and working forward from that the

910
00:31:15,590 --> 00:31:13,919
cepheid and supernova method is looking

911
00:31:17,909 --> 00:31:15,600
in the nearby universe and working

912
00:31:19,350 --> 00:31:17,919
outward so maybe that's the source of

913
00:31:20,950 --> 00:31:19,360

the discrepancy here they're both coming

914

00:31:21,269 --> 00:31:20,960

at the problem from different angles and

915

00:31:23,029 --> 00:31:21,279

and

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00:31:24,470 --> 00:31:23,039

somewhere along the line there there's

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00:31:26,149 --> 00:31:24,480

new physics at work that

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00:31:28,789 --> 00:31:26,159

cause the disconnect and that's still

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00:31:30,389 --> 00:31:28,799

under investigation

920

00:31:32,950 --> 00:31:30,399

there are complementary programs

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00:31:36,789 --> 00:31:32,960

exploring the cosmic expansion

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00:31:39,190 --> 00:31:36,799

using different methods so this is

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00:31:40,230 --> 00:31:39,200

using what's known as a color magnitude

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00:31:41,830 --> 00:31:40,240

diagram

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00:31:44,149 --> 00:31:41,840

if you measure the brightnesses and

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00:31:47,110 --> 00:31:44,159

colors for a group of stars

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00:31:49,110 --> 00:31:47,120

those aren't random this is a plot here

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00:31:50,230 --> 00:31:49,120

of brightness on the y-axis and color on

929

00:31:52,710 --> 00:31:50,240

the x-axis

930

00:31:53,909 --> 00:31:52,720

for a group of stars and you can see

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00:31:56,230 --> 00:31:53,919

that

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00:31:57,669 --> 00:31:56,240

it traces out a particular pattern dwarf

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00:32:00,070 --> 00:31:57,679

stars like our own sun

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00:32:02,149 --> 00:32:00,080

fall near the bottom of this diagram

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00:32:04,549 --> 00:32:02,159

those stars like our own sun eventually

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00:32:06,549 --> 00:32:04,559

swell up and become red giant stars so

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00:32:07,909 --> 00:32:06,559

towards the upper right of this diagram

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00:32:09,350 --> 00:32:07,919

until they reach the tip of the red

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00:32:10,389 --> 00:32:09,360

giant branch the brightest red giant

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00:32:13,669 --> 00:32:10,399

branch stars

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00:32:15,590 --> 00:32:13,679

and those are a standard candle

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00:32:17,190 --> 00:32:15,600

so what wendy friedman's team is doing

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00:32:18,789 --> 00:32:17,200

here is using hubble these are hubble

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00:32:20,630 --> 00:32:18,799

images shown on the right here

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00:32:22,630 --> 00:32:20,640

looking at nearby galaxies and their

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00:32:23,590 --> 00:32:22,640

outskirts for bright red giant branch

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00:32:25,430 --> 00:32:23,600

stars and

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00:32:27,269 --> 00:32:25,440

measuring all the brightnesses of the

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00:32:29,190 --> 00:32:27,279

red giant branch stars in those

950

00:32:30,789 --> 00:32:29,200

outskirts of those galaxies and because

951
00:32:32,149 --> 00:32:30,799
it's a standard candle the red giant

952
00:32:33,830 --> 00:32:32,159
branch star

953
00:32:36,389 --> 00:32:33,840
that gives you a distance to these

954
00:32:37,509 --> 00:32:36,399
galaxies and then when supernova go off

955
00:32:39,190 --> 00:32:37,519
in those galaxies you have a new

956
00:32:40,630 --> 00:32:39,200
calibration for supernova and now

957
00:32:42,630 --> 00:32:40,640
the rest of the technique is similar to

958
00:32:43,990 --> 00:32:42,640
what i just showed you in the last slide

959
00:32:45,990 --> 00:32:44,000
this is a different way of calibrating

960
00:32:47,750 --> 00:32:46,000
supernova as standard candles

961
00:32:50,149 --> 00:32:47,760
using red giant branch stars instead of

962
00:32:52,070 --> 00:32:50,159
cepheids and using this method

963
00:32:55,029 --> 00:32:52,080

freeman and all found a hubble constant

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00:32:56,549 --> 00:32:55,039

of 69.8 plus or minus 1.9 kilometers per

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00:32:58,470 --> 00:32:56,559

second per megaparsec

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00:33:01,590 --> 00:32:58,480

which falls between the two measurements

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00:33:03,110 --> 00:33:01,600

i mentioned previously

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00:33:05,190 --> 00:33:03,120

a completely different way of coming at

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00:33:06,789 --> 00:33:05,200

this problem is with

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00:33:08,310 --> 00:33:06,799

gravitational lensing this is a little

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00:33:10,070 --> 00:33:08,320

bit of a trickier concept

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00:33:11,590 --> 00:33:10,080

what i'm showing you here on the left

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00:33:14,310 --> 00:33:11,600

are four

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00:33:15,830 --> 00:33:14,320

images with hubble of a gravitational

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00:33:16,470 --> 00:33:15,840

lens system and what a gravitational

976
00:33:19,110 --> 00:33:16,480
lens is

977
00:33:20,549 --> 00:33:19,120
is you have a massive object with a

978
00:33:21,509 --> 00:33:20,559
strong gravitational field in the

979
00:33:23,269 --> 00:33:21,519
foreground

980
00:33:25,110 --> 00:33:23,279
and then some background object that

981
00:33:26,230 --> 00:33:25,120
appears distorted on the sky because the

982
00:33:29,350 --> 00:33:26,240
light is reaching us

983
00:33:31,669 --> 00:33:29,360
through that gravitational lens and so i

984
00:33:33,509 --> 00:33:31,679
can demonstrate this schematically

985
00:33:35,029 --> 00:33:33,519
here's the observer the hubble space

986
00:33:36,310 --> 00:33:35,039
telescope

987
00:33:37,509 --> 00:33:36,320
we're collecting data with that and

988
00:33:39,590 --> 00:33:37,519

we're looking out into the distant

989

00:33:42,549 --> 00:33:39,600

universe at a foreground

990

00:33:43,590 --> 00:33:42,559

lens lensing galaxy so this galaxy acts

991

00:33:45,350 --> 00:33:43,600

like a lens because

992

00:33:47,110 --> 00:33:45,360

its gravitational field is so strong

993

00:33:50,149 --> 00:33:47,120

that the space space time is

994

00:33:52,389 --> 00:33:50,159

significantly curved around that galaxy

995

00:33:53,750 --> 00:33:52,399

you have a distant background object a

996

00:33:56,470 --> 00:33:53,760

lensed quasar

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00:33:57,669 --> 00:33:56,480

so quasar is a active galaxy in the

998

00:33:59,590 --> 00:33:57,679

distant universe

999

00:34:01,750 --> 00:33:59,600

powered by a supermassive black hole and

1000

00:34:03,590 --> 00:34:01,760

often has variations in its light

1001
00:34:05,750 --> 00:34:03,600
and the light from that quasar can reach

1002
00:34:05,990 --> 00:34:05,760
us to along different paths because of

1003
00:34:08,869 --> 00:34:06,000
the

1004
00:34:10,790 --> 00:34:08,879
lensing here so it can go along this

1005
00:34:13,589 --> 00:34:10,800
path i've shown schematically by path

1006
00:34:15,510 --> 00:34:13,599
a here it bends around the lens because

1007
00:34:17,909 --> 00:34:15,520
of the gravitational field of that

1008
00:34:19,750 --> 00:34:17,919
foreground galaxy and then we're looking

1009
00:34:22,629 --> 00:34:19,760
backwards along that sight line

1010
00:34:26,710 --> 00:34:22,639
so we see the lens quasar image offset

1011
00:34:30,470 --> 00:34:28,869
light can also take path b here along

1012
00:34:32,149 --> 00:34:30,480
this curved path

1013
00:34:34,149 --> 00:34:32,159

and again we look back along the sight

1014

00:34:35,990 --> 00:34:34,159

line and the dotted line says the

1015

00:34:37,430 --> 00:34:36,000

this quasar image appears offset in the

1016

00:34:38,550 --> 00:34:37,440

other direction and this is how you can

1017

00:34:40,950 --> 00:34:38,560

get multiple

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00:34:42,389 --> 00:34:40,960

images of the same object on the sky and

1019

00:34:43,109 --> 00:34:42,399

that's what's shown here in the lower

1020

00:34:44,550 --> 00:34:43,119

left

1021

00:34:46,069 --> 00:34:44,560

if you see the hubble images here

1022

00:34:47,190 --> 00:34:46,079

there's a yellow object that's the

1023

00:34:49,270 --> 00:34:47,200

lensing object

1024

00:34:50,470 --> 00:34:49,280

and then the white objects around it are

1025

00:34:52,230 --> 00:34:50,480

all the same object but they're

1026
00:34:53,430 --> 00:34:52,240
appearing offset on the sky because of

1027
00:34:56,550 --> 00:34:53,440
this lensing effect

1028
00:34:59,349 --> 00:34:56,560
and this is just from nature and gravity

1029
00:35:01,270 --> 00:34:59,359
so this actually gives you enough

1030
00:35:02,230 --> 00:35:01,280
information to constrain cosmology

1031
00:35:04,630 --> 00:35:02,240
because the light

1032
00:35:06,710 --> 00:35:04,640
is traveling to us from the quasar along

1033
00:35:09,510 --> 00:35:06,720
those different paths it takes different

1034
00:35:11,190 --> 00:35:09,520
amounts of time to reach the eye because

1035
00:35:12,710 --> 00:35:11,200
those paths are not the same length

1036
00:35:14,829 --> 00:35:12,720
and in this example here that light

1037
00:35:16,150 --> 00:35:14,839
travel time can vary by about 10 days or

1038
00:35:19,670 --> 00:35:16,160

so

1039

00:35:21,430 --> 00:35:19,680

actually

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00:35:23,109 --> 00:35:21,440

solve for the cosmology use high

1041

00:35:25,750 --> 00:35:23,119

resolution hubble images

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00:35:26,870 --> 00:35:25,760

to model the gravitational lens system

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00:35:29,109 --> 00:35:26,880

and then you monitor

1044

00:35:31,589 --> 00:35:29,119

those different images of the quasar on

1045

00:35:34,150 --> 00:35:31,599

the sky and look for flickering

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00:35:35,109 --> 00:35:34,160

in those images and variations in the

1047

00:35:37,589 --> 00:35:35,119

light

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00:35:38,870 --> 00:35:37,599

and if you see a one change happen in

1049

00:35:40,630 --> 00:35:38,880

the light with one image and then it

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00:35:42,870 --> 00:35:40,640

happens ten days later and another

1051
00:35:44,710 --> 00:35:42,880
in the other image of that quasar you

1052
00:35:46,550 --> 00:35:44,720
that gives you a sense of the time delay

1053
00:35:47,990 --> 00:35:46,560
along those two different paths

1054
00:35:50,390 --> 00:35:48,000
you combine that information and

1055
00:35:53,750 --> 00:35:50,400
constrains the geometry of space time

1056
00:35:55,750 --> 00:35:53,760
along and all in this example here

1057
00:35:58,150 --> 00:35:55,760
used such measurements to get a hubble

1058
00:36:00,069 --> 00:35:58,160
constant of 73.3 kilometers per second

1059
00:36:01,510 --> 00:36:00,079
per megaparsec which is very similar to

1060
00:36:03,190 --> 00:36:01,520
the first case i showed you with the

1061
00:36:05,430 --> 00:36:03,200
supernova and the cepheids from reefs at

1062
00:36:09,430 --> 00:36:07,589
now the hubble frontier fields is a

1063
00:36:11,190 --> 00:36:09,440

program with hubble that

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00:36:12,630 --> 00:36:11,200

really delved into this gravitational

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00:36:14,630 --> 00:36:12,640

lensing effect

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00:36:16,310 --> 00:36:14,640

this was a director's discretionary

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00:36:18,550 --> 00:36:16,320

program

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00:36:20,310 --> 00:36:18,560

of 840 orbits the director of space

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00:36:20,950 --> 00:36:20,320

telescope gets a pool of orbits every

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00:36:22,630 --> 00:36:20,960

year

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00:36:24,390 --> 00:36:22,640

that can be applied towards large

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00:36:27,430 --> 00:36:24,400

programs that benefit

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00:36:30,310 --> 00:36:27,440

a large area of research in the field

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00:36:31,430 --> 00:36:30,320

and that's what was done here i was 840

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00:36:34,310 --> 00:36:31,440

orbits and was

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00:36:35,750 --> 00:36:34,320

used to observe six massive galaxy

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00:36:38,310 --> 00:36:35,760

clusters which are shown in the

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00:36:39,670 --> 00:36:38,320

six top panels in this figure here and

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00:36:40,790 --> 00:36:39,680

because we have two cameras on hubble

1080

00:36:42,069 --> 00:36:40,800

while one's looking in the galaxy

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00:36:43,670 --> 00:36:42,079

cluster the other one

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00:36:45,270 --> 00:36:43,680

is looking in a nearby empty field a

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00:36:47,910 --> 00:36:45,280

parallel field so those are shown along

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00:36:52,310 --> 00:36:50,630

and the research you can do with this uh

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00:36:53,670 --> 00:36:52,320

is really amplifying what's possible

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00:36:54,710 --> 00:36:53,680

with hubble due to the gravitational

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00:36:58,550 --> 00:36:54,720

lensing

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00:37:01,430 --> 00:36:58,560

because gravity's

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00:37:02,550 --> 00:37:01,440

galaxies can be magnified by up to a

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00:37:04,550 --> 00:37:02,560

factor of 50.

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00:37:06,550 --> 00:37:04,560

hubble can detect galaxies 10 times

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00:37:09,030 --> 00:37:06,560

fainter than otherwise possible

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00:37:10,230 --> 00:37:09,040

and in the work here by rachel livermore

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00:37:13,750 --> 00:37:10,240

she used this

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00:37:14,870 --> 00:37:13,760

lensing to see into the distant universe

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00:37:16,550 --> 00:37:14,880

and look at the role of

1097

00:37:18,470 --> 00:37:16,560

faint galaxies in the evolution of the

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00:37:19,990 --> 00:37:18,480

early universe and demonstrated that

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00:37:23,990 --> 00:37:20,000

they had a significant role in the

1100

00:37:29,589 --> 00:37:27,270

so here are the lens images again

1101

00:37:31,109 --> 00:37:29,599

for all six galaxy clusters as i

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00:37:32,550 --> 00:37:31,119

mentioned if something happens if

1103

00:37:34,069 --> 00:37:32,560

there's a variation with one of the

1104

00:37:35,430 --> 00:37:34,079

lensed objects as i was talking about

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00:37:37,430 --> 00:37:35,440

the quasar earlier

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00:37:39,750 --> 00:37:37,440

because the light takes different paths

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00:37:41,430 --> 00:37:39,760

to get here through the lensing system

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00:37:43,030 --> 00:37:41,440

you might see the same event happen

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00:37:44,630 --> 00:37:43,040

multiple times and we were actually

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00:37:47,589 --> 00:37:44,640

lucky enough to have that happen in one

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00:37:50,230 --> 00:37:47,599

of these galaxy clusters a supernova

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00:37:51,990 --> 00:37:50,240

that was lensed occurred so a star

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00:37:54,630 --> 00:37:52,000

system exploded one time but we got to

1114

00:37:57,190 --> 00:37:54,640

see that explosion multiple times

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00:37:58,950 --> 00:37:57,200

and so that was in this one system here

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00:38:00,150 --> 00:37:58,960

it turns out that the supernova if we

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00:38:02,150 --> 00:38:00,160

had been looking would have been first

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00:38:03,349 --> 00:38:02,160

visible in 1995 that was the earliest

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00:38:05,510 --> 00:38:03,359

the light reached us

1120

00:38:06,630 --> 00:38:05,520

but no one was looking at that time so

1121

00:38:11,030 --> 00:38:06,640

that's shown here

1122

00:38:12,950 --> 00:38:11,040

that happened there but then in 2014

1123

00:38:15,030 --> 00:38:12,960

we saw the supernova occur in a lensed

1124

00:38:16,630 --> 00:38:15,040

image and modeling of the lens system

1125

00:38:17,990 --> 00:38:16,640

implied it would happen again and indeed

1126

00:38:19,430 --> 00:38:18,000

it was observed to happen again in

1127

00:38:22,230 --> 00:38:19,440

december of 2015

1128

00:38:23,270 --> 00:38:22,240

just in line with the predictions and if

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00:38:25,750 --> 00:38:23,280

you combine

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00:38:27,430 --> 00:38:25,760

the measurements similar to the method i

1131

00:38:30,950 --> 00:38:27,440

showed you before with long and all

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00:38:32,630 --> 00:38:30,960

this team who looked at these data first

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00:38:34,150 --> 00:38:32,640

shown in the bottom of the slide here

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00:38:36,150 --> 00:38:34,160

obtained an expansion rate of the

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00:38:37,349 --> 00:38:36,160

universe of 64 kilometers per second

1136

00:38:38,550 --> 00:38:37,359

which is a little lower than some of the

1137

00:38:40,470 --> 00:38:38,560

other measurements i mentioned

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00:38:41,670 --> 00:38:40,480

earlier but the uncertainties are

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00:38:43,349 --> 00:38:41,680

significantly larger

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00:38:47,349 --> 00:38:43,359

it's roughly plus or minus 10 kilometers

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00:38:49,829 --> 00:38:47,359

per second so it's still consistent

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00:38:50,550 --> 00:38:49,839

now i'm going to switch gears here and

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00:38:51,829 --> 00:38:50,560

talk about

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00:38:53,990 --> 00:38:51,839

the other topic i mentioned in the

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00:38:57,829 --> 00:38:54,000

beginning which is exoplanet science

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00:39:00,230 --> 00:38:57,839

so exoplanet science began in the 1980s

1147

00:39:01,910 --> 00:39:00,240

that's with this image here on the left

1148

00:39:04,069 --> 00:39:01,920

the beta pictoris system

1149

00:39:06,230 --> 00:39:04,079

then now in this image from the las

1150

00:39:08,950 --> 00:39:06,240

comanus observatory

1151
00:39:10,390 --> 00:39:08,960
what was seen once the telescope was

1152
00:39:12,470 --> 00:39:10,400
used in a way

1153
00:39:13,430 --> 00:39:12,480
employing a coronagraph to block out the

1154
00:39:15,430 --> 00:39:13,440
central light

1155
00:39:16,790 --> 00:39:15,440
and see the objects the fainter objects

1156
00:39:19,589 --> 00:39:16,800
around the bright star

1157
00:39:21,109 --> 00:39:19,599
what was seen was a planetary disk so a

1158
00:39:24,069 --> 00:39:21,119
baby soul system being

1159
00:39:25,430 --> 00:39:24,079
born and so this although this didn't

1160
00:39:26,950 --> 00:39:25,440
show us planets it showed us a

1161
00:39:29,270 --> 00:39:26,960
protoplanetary disk

1162
00:39:31,030 --> 00:39:29,280
being born in this system hubble

1163
00:39:34,150 --> 00:39:31,040

launched in 1990 at the time there were

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00:39:35,829 --> 00:39:34,160

no known exoplanets

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00:39:38,550 --> 00:39:35,839

the first normal exoplanet that was

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00:39:40,310 --> 00:39:38,560

discovered is this system 51 pegasi

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00:39:41,829 --> 00:39:40,320

and it wasn't done through imaging it

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00:39:43,349 --> 00:39:41,839

was done through what are known as

1169

00:39:45,030 --> 00:39:43,359

radial velocity measurements so what's

1170

00:39:46,630 --> 00:39:45,040

being plotted here is the velocity

1171

00:39:48,710 --> 00:39:46,640

variation in the star

1172

00:39:50,310 --> 00:39:48,720

along our sight line so our radial

1173

00:39:52,870 --> 00:39:50,320

velocity

1174

00:39:55,109 --> 00:39:52,880

as the star is wobbling due to the

1175

00:39:57,589 --> 00:39:55,119

tugging the gravitational pull

1176

00:39:59,030 --> 00:39:57,599

of a planet orbiting that star and so

1177

00:39:59,910 --> 00:39:59,040

this is just the change in radio

1178

00:40:01,589 --> 00:39:59,920

velocity

1179

00:40:03,030 --> 00:40:01,599

as a function of time over and over

1180

00:40:03,349 --> 00:40:03,040

again is what's being shown here over

1181

00:40:06,630 --> 00:40:03,359

the

1182

00:40:08,829 --> 00:40:06,640

its star

1183

00:40:10,309 --> 00:40:08,839

so that was in the mid 90s after hubble

1184

00:40:11,750 --> 00:40:10,319

launched

1185

00:40:14,630 --> 00:40:11,760

hubble did play a role in what's

1186

00:40:17,109 --> 00:40:14,640

currently known as the currently

1187

00:40:18,870 --> 00:40:17,119

the oldest known exoplanet and this is a

1188

00:40:20,309 --> 00:40:18,880

system that has a story that goes back

1189

00:40:22,230 --> 00:40:20,319

over a number of years so what i'm

1190

00:40:25,270 --> 00:40:22,240

showing in the center here is

1191

00:40:25,829 --> 00:40:25,280

an image from hubble of the globular

1192

00:40:34,230 --> 00:40:25,839

cluster

1193

00:40:36,790 --> 00:40:34,240

old stars roughly 13 billion years old

1194

00:40:37,670 --> 00:40:36,800

about a hundred thousand stars or more

1195

00:40:40,710 --> 00:40:37,680

and in

1196

00:40:43,750 --> 00:40:40,720

this globular cluster

1197

00:40:44,550 --> 00:40:43,760

in the late 80s a binary pulsar was

1198

00:40:46,150 --> 00:40:44,560

discovered

1199

00:40:48,150 --> 00:40:46,160

i'm not using hubble this is before

1200

00:40:49,750 --> 00:40:48,160

hubble launched a pulsar is kind of like

1201

00:40:52,069 --> 00:40:49,760

an astronomical light

1202

00:40:53,589 --> 00:40:52,079

house it's a collapsed neutron star

1203

00:40:55,190 --> 00:40:53,599

that's spinning very rapidly and sending

1204

00:40:56,470 --> 00:40:55,200

out a beam of energy into the universe

1205

00:40:57,589 --> 00:40:56,480

over and over again with a repeated

1206

00:41:00,390 --> 00:40:57,599

signal

1207

00:41:02,390 --> 00:41:00,400

in the early 90s multiple papers were

1208

00:41:03,829 --> 00:41:02,400

published showing that this pulsar had a

1209

00:41:05,030 --> 00:41:03,839

timing anomaly and that might be

1210

00:41:07,910 --> 00:41:05,040

indicating the presence

1211

00:41:10,069 --> 00:41:07,920

of a jupiter mass planet in the system

1212

00:41:11,750 --> 00:41:10,079

in the late 90s radio observations

1213

00:41:14,230 --> 00:41:11,760

gave more evidence that there was a

1214

00:41:17,030 --> 00:41:14,240

planet present and then 2003

1215

00:41:19,270 --> 00:41:17,040

astronomers used those data plus several

1216

00:41:19,990 --> 00:41:19,280

years of hubble imaging to conclusively

1217

00:41:21,589 --> 00:41:20,000

demonstrate

1218

00:41:22,950 --> 00:41:21,599

that there was a planet in the system

1219

00:41:24,230 --> 00:41:22,960

and that planet was two and a half times

1220

00:41:25,430 --> 00:41:24,240

the mass of jupiter and it was actually

1221

00:41:27,750 --> 00:41:25,440

a triple system

1222

00:41:29,670 --> 00:41:27,760

and given where this was it's a triple

1223

00:41:30,309 --> 00:41:29,680

system 13 billion years old so this is

1224

00:41:33,510 --> 00:41:30,319

the oldest

1225

00:41:37,910 --> 00:41:35,430

this plot at the bottom i'm showing from

1226
00:41:40,230 --> 00:41:37,920
sarah seeger demonstrates the difficulty

1227
00:41:41,670 --> 00:41:40,240
in doing exoplanet science it's a plot

1228
00:41:45,190 --> 00:41:41,680
of the energy of an object

1229
00:41:46,870 --> 00:41:45,200
versus the wavelength in microns

1230
00:41:49,030 --> 00:41:46,880
for different types of objects at the

1231
00:41:50,870 --> 00:41:49,040
top is in yellow is the spectrum you get

1232
00:41:53,190 --> 00:41:50,880
from a sun-like star

1233
00:41:55,430 --> 00:41:53,200
so star like our own sun the y-axis here

1234
00:41:56,309 --> 00:41:55,440
is logarithmic so as you move down this

1235
00:41:57,589 --> 00:41:56,319
scale

1236
00:41:59,349 --> 00:41:57,599
things are changing by an order of

1237
00:42:02,230 --> 00:41:59,359
magnitude by factors of 10

1238
00:42:04,150 --> 00:42:02,240

and so as you go down to the hot jupiter

1239

00:42:04,710 --> 00:42:04,160

here the next lowest object the dotted

1240

00:42:07,990 --> 00:42:04,720

line

1241

00:42:10,150 --> 00:42:08,000

that's what you would see for a jupiter

1242

00:42:11,750 --> 00:42:10,160

that's orbiting very close to its host

1243

00:42:13,190 --> 00:42:11,760

star so a hot jupiter and you can see

1244

00:42:13,990 --> 00:42:13,200

its orders are magnitude fainter than

1245

00:42:15,990 --> 00:42:14,000

its star

1246

00:42:17,670 --> 00:42:16,000

and then other planets that we see in

1247

00:42:20,150 --> 00:42:17,680

our own solar system like jupiter

1248

00:42:21,829 --> 00:42:20,160

venus earth and mars they're orders of

1249

00:42:23,510 --> 00:42:21,839

magnitude fainter still

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00:42:25,190 --> 00:42:23,520

so this is the trickiness of trying to

1251

00:42:28,309 --> 00:42:25,200

do exoplanet science

1252

00:42:31,190 --> 00:42:28,319

which is that exoplanets are

1253

00:42:33,990 --> 00:42:31,200

very faint objects extremely close to

1254

00:42:36,790 --> 00:42:34,000

much brighter objects their host stars

1255

00:42:38,470 --> 00:42:36,800

and so you need to try to mask the light

1256

00:42:39,750 --> 00:42:38,480

from that bright star if you want to see

1257

00:42:41,349 --> 00:42:39,760

the planet

1258

00:42:42,950 --> 00:42:41,359

or you have to look at the effects of

1259

00:42:45,109 --> 00:42:42,960

that planet on its host star

1260

00:42:46,790 --> 00:42:45,119

the light from that host star and that

1261

00:42:48,150 --> 00:42:46,800

it requires a very careful measurement

1262

00:42:50,150 --> 00:42:48,160

since the planets are so much fainter

1263

00:42:52,550 --> 00:42:50,160

than the host star

1264

00:42:54,230 --> 00:42:52,560

this diagram now here in the lower right

1265

00:42:55,670 --> 00:42:54,240

this is a plot of the number of known

1266

00:42:57,670 --> 00:42:55,680

exoplanets

1267

00:42:59,510 --> 00:42:57,680

over the lifetime of hubble going back

1268

00:43:00,790 --> 00:42:59,520

to 1990 to the present and you can see

1269

00:43:02,069 --> 00:43:00,800

when hubble launched there were no known

1270

00:43:03,589 --> 00:43:02,079

exoplanets and today we know of

1271

00:43:05,030 --> 00:43:03,599

thousands of exoplanets

1272

00:43:06,470 --> 00:43:05,040

and the different colors here are the

1273

00:43:08,630 --> 00:43:06,480

different methods for discovering

1274

00:43:10,550 --> 00:43:08,640

exoplanets as i said hubble is not used

1275

00:43:13,990 --> 00:43:10,560

generally to discover exoplanets

1276

00:43:15,270 --> 00:43:14,000

but it is used to follow them up

1277

00:43:17,109 --> 00:43:15,280

so i'll go through some of the

1278

00:43:18,550 --> 00:43:17,119

highlights of hubble's exoplanet work

1279

00:43:21,349 --> 00:43:18,560

here over the years

1280

00:43:23,190 --> 00:43:21,359

so hubble was used at for the first

1281

00:43:24,150 --> 00:43:23,200

detection of an atmosphere around an

1282

00:43:26,710 --> 00:43:24,160

exoplanet

1283

00:43:28,309 --> 00:43:26,720

this was done with this spectrograph

1284

00:43:29,109 --> 00:43:28,319

shown by the artist rendition here in

1285

00:43:31,589 --> 00:43:29,119

the middle

1286

00:43:33,750 --> 00:43:31,599

and what was done here is that stis

1287

00:43:35,750 --> 00:43:33,760

observed this exoplanet system

1288

00:43:37,670 --> 00:43:35,760

during four orbits of the planet around

1289

00:43:40,550 --> 00:43:37,680

its star

1290

00:43:42,710 --> 00:43:40,560

we obtain data like that's shown here on

1291

00:43:44,710 --> 00:43:42,720

the right this is the spectrum

1292

00:43:47,270 --> 00:43:44,720

so variations in energy versus

1293

00:43:49,430 --> 00:43:47,280

wavelength on the x-axis and microns

1294

00:43:51,670 --> 00:43:49,440

those little wiggles in the black data

1295

00:43:53,510 --> 00:43:51,680

points there are from the variations

1296

00:43:54,710 --> 00:43:53,520

in the chemistry of this atmosphere and

1297

00:43:57,430 --> 00:43:54,720

we've highlighted

1298

00:43:58,390 --> 00:43:57,440

the sodium feature in gray there the

1299

00:44:00,069 --> 00:43:58,400

sodium feature

1300

00:44:02,390 --> 00:44:00,079

in this spectrum over the course of

1301
00:44:04,790 --> 00:44:02,400
these observations varied significantly

1302
00:44:06,790 --> 00:44:04,800
due to the fact that the as the planet

1303
00:44:08,630 --> 00:44:06,800
passed in front of the star

1304
00:44:10,150 --> 00:44:08,640
the sodium in the atmosphere that planet

1305
00:44:11,349 --> 00:44:10,160
changed the sodium feature in the

1306
00:44:13,990 --> 00:44:11,359
spectrum

1307
00:44:15,430 --> 00:44:14,000
so this was the first exoplanet

1308
00:44:18,790 --> 00:44:15,440
atmosphere

1309
00:44:20,710 --> 00:44:18,800
found in a another star system

1310
00:44:21,910 --> 00:44:20,720
this star has a spectral type similar to

1311
00:44:25,910 --> 00:44:21,920
the sun and the planet has a mass

1312
00:44:29,349 --> 00:44:27,510
this is the first detection of an

1313
00:44:30,230 --> 00:44:29,359

organic molecule in an exoplanet

1314

00:44:32,790 --> 00:44:30,240

atmosphere

1315

00:44:33,430 --> 00:44:32,800

this was done with the nikmos instrument

1316

00:44:35,030 --> 00:44:33,440

which is still

1317

00:44:37,589 --> 00:44:35,040

on board hubble although it's no longer

1318

00:44:40,550 --> 00:44:37,599

operational what was performed here

1319

00:44:41,190 --> 00:44:40,560

was using nickmas observers watched the

1320

00:44:43,109 --> 00:44:41,200

planet

1321

00:44:45,510 --> 00:44:43,119

transit in front of its star and then go

1322

00:44:47,990 --> 00:44:45,520

behind its star the secondary eclipse

1323

00:44:49,670 --> 00:44:48,000

and the variations seen in the spectrum

1324

00:44:51,829 --> 00:44:49,680

over the course of that time there

1325

00:44:53,670 --> 00:44:51,839

was consistent with methane absorption

1326
00:44:55,750 --> 00:44:53,680
in the exoplanet atmosphere

1327
00:44:57,670 --> 00:44:55,760
so in the center bottom of the diagram

1328
00:44:58,950 --> 00:44:57,680
here you can see the variation in light

1329
00:45:01,349 --> 00:44:58,960
over time

1330
00:45:03,109 --> 00:45:01,359
at different wavelengths as the planet

1331
00:45:04,710 --> 00:45:03,119
passes in front of its star

1332
00:45:06,710 --> 00:45:04,720
and the lower right are the

1333
00:45:08,790 --> 00:45:06,720
spectroscopic data

1334
00:45:11,030 --> 00:45:08,800
this is a plot of absorption versus

1335
00:45:14,309 --> 00:45:11,040
wavelength and microns the black points

1336
00:45:15,990 --> 00:45:14,319
are the hubble data and then the curves

1337
00:45:16,950 --> 00:45:16,000
in orange and blue are different models

1338
00:45:18,390 --> 00:45:16,960

for what could be happening in the

1339

00:45:19,430 --> 00:45:18,400

atmosphere and you can see the orange

1340

00:45:21,109 --> 00:45:19,440

model which has the right amount of

1341

00:45:21,910 --> 00:45:21,119

methane agrees well with the black

1342

00:45:23,910 --> 00:45:21,920

points

1343

00:45:27,829 --> 00:45:23,920

indicating there is methane in the

1344

00:45:32,230 --> 00:45:30,870

this is hubble a few years ago now this

1345

00:45:34,470 --> 00:45:32,240

is more recently

1346

00:45:35,990 --> 00:45:34,480

using the spatial scanning technique i

1347

00:45:36,950 --> 00:45:36,000

mentioned earlier where we intentionally

1348

00:45:39,510 --> 00:45:36,960

drag out

1349

00:45:41,829 --> 00:45:39,520

the spectrum over the detector to obtain

1350

00:45:44,630 --> 00:45:41,839

more signal and get a more refined

1351
00:45:45,670 --> 00:45:44,640
uh signal for the exoplanet so this

1352
00:45:47,829 --> 00:45:45,680
enabled

1353
00:45:49,910 --> 00:45:47,839
the observation of simultaneous transits

1354
00:45:51,190 --> 00:45:49,920
of two earth-sized exoplanets around

1355
00:45:52,790 --> 00:45:51,200
their host star that's what's shown by

1356
00:45:55,829 --> 00:45:52,800
the artist's rendition here

1357
00:45:57,670 --> 00:45:55,839
this planets are trappist 1b and 1c this

1358
00:45:59,109 --> 00:45:57,680
is the trappist system

1359
00:46:01,109 --> 00:45:59,119
the data from hubble are shown on the

1360
00:46:03,349 --> 00:46:01,119
bottom again this is

1361
00:46:04,309 --> 00:46:03,359
changes in energy or flux versus

1362
00:46:05,829 --> 00:46:04,319
wavelength

1363
00:46:07,990 --> 00:46:05,839

so these are the spectra the black

1364

00:46:09,589 --> 00:46:08,000

points are the data points from hubble

1365

00:46:10,710 --> 00:46:09,599

and then the different colored curves

1366

00:46:12,550 --> 00:46:10,720

are different models for what's

1367

00:46:14,550 --> 00:46:12,560

happening in the atmosphere

1368

00:46:15,670 --> 00:46:14,560

and the best agreement comes when you

1369

00:46:17,670 --> 00:46:15,680

minimize the amount of

1370

00:46:19,990 --> 00:46:17,680

helium and hydrogen in the envelopes for

1371

00:46:21,109 --> 00:46:20,000

this exoplanet these exoplanets

1372

00:46:23,270 --> 00:46:21,119

and so that means these exoplanet

1373

00:46:23,510 --> 00:46:23,280

atmospheres have little hydrogen helium

1374

00:46:26,829 --> 00:46:23,520

and

1375

00:46:28,870 --> 00:46:26,839

increases the odds that they're

1376

00:46:30,550 --> 00:46:28,880

habitable

1377

00:46:32,790 --> 00:46:30,560

finally i'm showing you here a more

1378

00:46:34,790 --> 00:46:32,800

recent result from hannah wakeford

1379

00:46:36,390 --> 00:46:34,800

this is the most detailed look at an

1380

00:46:38,790 --> 00:46:36,400

exoplanet atmosphere

1381

00:46:40,550 --> 00:46:38,800

to date it combines data from three

1382

00:46:42,230 --> 00:46:40,560

different telescopes hubble

1383

00:46:43,910 --> 00:46:42,240

in space two of its instruments the very

1384

00:46:45,670 --> 00:46:43,920

large telescope on the ground one of its

1385

00:46:47,910 --> 00:46:45,680

instruments and then the spitzer space

1386

00:46:49,190 --> 00:46:47,920

space telescope one of its instruments

1387

00:46:50,069 --> 00:46:49,200

and you combine all those together you

1388

00:46:51,990 --> 00:46:50,079

get the spectrum

1389

00:46:53,829 --> 00:46:52,000

the composite spectrum on the upper

1390

00:46:55,589 --> 00:46:53,839

right there shown

1391

00:46:57,990 --> 00:46:55,599

on top of an artist rendition of the

1392

00:46:59,910 --> 00:46:58,000

planet this is a plot of

1393

00:47:01,510 --> 00:46:59,920

the signal strength on the y-axis versus

1394

00:47:06,150 --> 00:47:01,520

microns on the x-axis

1395

00:47:07,910 --> 00:47:06,160

and the different wiggles in that

1396

00:47:09,589 --> 00:47:07,920

spectrum are due to the chemistry of the

1397

00:47:12,870 --> 00:47:09,599

exoplanet so you can see

1398

00:47:15,349 --> 00:47:12,880

hydrogen helium sodium potassium water

1399

00:47:17,670 --> 00:47:15,359

and carbon dioxide

1400

00:47:19,349 --> 00:47:17,680

so this system uh the planet here is

1401

00:47:21,589 --> 00:47:19,359

called wasp 39b

1402

00:47:23,430 --> 00:47:21,599

it's thought to be a hot saturn orbiting

1403

00:47:25,510 --> 00:47:23,440

a sun-like star

1404

00:47:27,270 --> 00:47:25,520

the spectrum shows clear evidence of

1405

00:47:27,990 --> 00:47:27,280

water in the atmosphere at triple the

1406

00:47:30,230 --> 00:47:28,000

abundance

1407

00:47:31,910 --> 00:47:30,240

of that in the saturn of our own solar

1408

00:47:33,510 --> 00:47:31,920

system

1409

00:47:35,990 --> 00:47:33,520

along the bottom here now i'm going to

1410

00:47:37,430 --> 00:47:36,000

demonstrate why combining data from all

1411

00:47:40,309 --> 00:47:37,440

these different wavelengths

1412

00:47:42,710 --> 00:47:40,319

and different facilities is so powerful

1413

00:47:45,910 --> 00:47:42,720

so first we're showing you here

1414

00:47:47,910 --> 00:47:45,920

in purple just an analysis done on the

1415

00:47:50,069 --> 00:47:47,920

near infrared data alone so

1416

00:47:51,990 --> 00:47:50,079

on the bottom right here is a spectrum

1417

00:47:53,829 --> 00:47:52,000

showing the the absorption

1418

00:47:55,349 --> 00:47:53,839

on the y-axis versus wavelength on the

1419

00:47:56,710 --> 00:47:55,359

x-axis and microns

1420

00:47:59,430 --> 00:47:56,720

and the black data points are just the

1421

00:48:01,030 --> 00:47:59,440

infrared data the purple curves that are

1422

00:48:03,270 --> 00:48:01,040

passing through the black points

1423

00:48:05,589 --> 00:48:03,280

that's the full range of models that is

1424

00:48:07,990 --> 00:48:05,599

consistent with those data

1425

00:48:09,430 --> 00:48:08,000

on the lower left are four panels

1426

00:48:11,510 --> 00:48:09,440

showing the properties of

1427

00:48:13,190 --> 00:48:11,520

interest for this exoplanet system we'd

1428

00:48:13,910 --> 00:48:13,200

like to know its temperature the metals

1429

00:48:15,750 --> 00:48:13,920

present

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00:48:16,950 --> 00:48:15,760

the radius of the planet and the haze in

1431

00:48:18,710 --> 00:48:16,960

the atmosphere

1432

00:48:20,069 --> 00:48:18,720

and there are a lot of values that are

1433

00:48:21,190 --> 00:48:20,079

consistent with the data it's why

1434

00:48:24,549 --> 00:48:21,200

there's a distribution

1435

00:48:27,190 --> 00:48:24,559

in each of those plots if we however

1436

00:48:28,710 --> 00:48:27,200

combine now all the data available to us

1437

00:48:29,589 --> 00:48:28,720

from the ultraviolet the optical and the

1438

00:48:31,990 --> 00:48:29,599

infrared

1439

00:48:32,870 --> 00:48:32,000

that's what's shown now in green so the

1440

00:48:35,030 --> 00:48:32,880

black points

1441

00:48:36,630 --> 00:48:35,040

on the spectrum at the bottom right here

1442

00:48:37,670 --> 00:48:36,640

now the black points are the

1443

00:48:39,670 --> 00:48:37,680

the data from all the different

1444

00:48:41,349 --> 00:48:39,680

telescopes being combined over a wide

1445

00:48:43,349 --> 00:48:41,359

wavelength range

1446

00:48:45,829 --> 00:48:43,359

and because we have more data points in

1447

00:48:47,430 --> 00:48:45,839

black the the curves now for the model

1448

00:48:49,430 --> 00:48:47,440

which are now shown in green

1449

00:48:51,750 --> 00:48:49,440

are much tighter there are far fewer

1450

00:48:53,589 --> 00:48:51,760

models that are consistent with the data

1451
00:48:54,950 --> 00:48:53,599
and that's shown here by the constraints

1452
00:48:56,390 --> 00:48:54,960
on the left so now here are the four

1453
00:48:57,589 --> 00:48:56,400
properties again of the exoplanet

1454
00:49:00,069 --> 00:48:57,599
atmosphere we're interested in

1455
00:49:01,910 --> 00:49:00,079
temperature metals radius and haze and

1456
00:49:03,030 --> 00:49:01,920
now the distribution is much tighter and

1457
00:49:05,430 --> 00:49:03,040
if you see if i blink

1458
00:49:06,230 --> 00:49:05,440
back and forth and purple here's the

1459
00:49:07,990 --> 00:49:06,240
wide

1460
00:49:09,430 --> 00:49:08,000
where we don't have as good a handle on

1461
00:49:10,309 --> 00:49:09,440
things because we're not using all the

1462
00:49:12,710 --> 00:49:10,319
data

1463
00:49:14,230 --> 00:49:12,720

and now things are narrower because we

1464

00:49:16,549 --> 00:49:14,240

are using all the data available we get

1465

00:49:17,670 --> 00:49:16,559

much better constraints and so looking

1466

00:49:19,829 --> 00:49:17,680

ahead

1467

00:49:21,589 --> 00:49:19,839

this is giving us a lot of hope for work

1468

00:49:22,069 --> 00:49:21,599

the two telescopes working together when

1469

00:49:24,870 --> 00:49:22,079

when

1470

00:49:26,950 --> 00:49:24,880

james webb is up in space james the

1471

00:49:27,750 --> 00:49:26,960

james webb space telescope is launching

1472

00:49:29,910 --> 00:49:27,760

later this year

1473

00:49:30,790 --> 00:49:29,920

it's primarily an infrared telescope and

1474

00:49:32,069 --> 00:49:30,800

when it's working

1475

00:49:33,750 --> 00:49:32,079

in tandem with the hubble space

1476
00:49:35,270 --> 00:49:33,760
telescope when those two telescopes are

1477
00:49:36,790 --> 00:49:35,280
working together looking at exoplanets

1478
00:49:40,230 --> 00:49:36,800
we're going to get amazing constraints

1479
00:49:45,510 --> 00:49:43,349
now it's not just other solar systems

1480
00:49:46,870 --> 00:49:45,520
that hubble observes hubble spends a

1481
00:49:48,630 --> 00:49:46,880
significant amount of time looking at

1482
00:49:49,270 --> 00:49:48,640
our own solar system in particular

1483
00:49:51,670 --> 00:49:49,280
supporting

1484
00:49:53,109 --> 00:49:51,680
other dedicated missions throughout our

1485
00:49:55,670 --> 00:49:53,119
solar system

1486
00:49:57,670 --> 00:49:55,680
so for example the new horizons mission

1487
00:49:59,910 --> 00:49:57,680
navigated to pluto and hubble played a

1488
00:50:02,630 --> 00:49:59,920

key role in navigating to pluto

1489

00:50:04,150 --> 00:50:02,640

identifying four new pluto moons and

1490

00:50:05,910 --> 00:50:04,160

also confirming that the navigation

1491

00:50:07,109 --> 00:50:05,920

pathway for new horizons was safe from

1492

00:50:08,950 --> 00:50:07,119

debris

1493

00:50:11,589 --> 00:50:08,960

and then once new horizons arrived at

1494

00:50:13,109 --> 00:50:11,599

pluto hubble was used to identify a

1495

00:50:15,030 --> 00:50:13,119

target for an extended mission

1496

00:50:16,309 --> 00:50:15,040

for the new horizons mission ultimate

1497

00:50:18,470 --> 00:50:16,319

duel and

1498

00:50:20,630 --> 00:50:18,480

provided navigation assistance to

1499

00:50:21,430 --> 00:50:20,640

proceed to that target and so the center

1500

00:50:24,069 --> 00:50:21,440

image shown

1501
00:50:25,589 --> 00:50:24,079
here from hubble is the extended mission

1502
00:50:27,990 --> 00:50:25,599
target and on right

1503
00:50:28,790 --> 00:50:28,000
is the image obtained from new horizons

1504
00:50:32,950 --> 00:50:28,800
as it

1505
00:50:36,630 --> 00:50:34,710
hubble has looked at jupiter over the

1506
00:50:38,309 --> 00:50:36,640
years this is a relatively recent image

1507
00:50:41,109 --> 00:50:38,319
from 2020 of jupiter

1508
00:50:43,030 --> 00:50:41,119
beautiful color image and there are also

1509
00:50:45,829 --> 00:50:43,040
missions to jupiter

1510
00:50:46,390 --> 00:50:45,839
so for example the juno spacecraft which

1511
00:50:49,030 --> 00:50:46,400
is shown

1512
00:50:51,030 --> 00:50:49,040
not to scale in the upper left there has

1513
00:50:53,030 --> 00:50:51,040

been orbiting jupiter with a period once

1514

00:50:56,069 --> 00:50:53,040

every 53 days of approaching

1515

00:50:58,710 --> 00:50:56,079

jupiter's closest approach and when

1516

00:50:59,270 --> 00:50:58,720

the juno satellite orbiting jupiter

1517

00:51:01,510 --> 00:50:59,280

reaches

1518

00:51:02,309 --> 00:51:01,520

closest approach to jupiter at those

1519

00:51:03,670 --> 00:51:02,319

times hubble

1520

00:51:05,910 --> 00:51:03,680

is looking at the same time

1521

00:51:08,230 --> 00:51:05,920

contemporaneously to provide

1522

00:51:09,510 --> 00:51:08,240

data alongside the juno data as are

1523

00:51:10,870 --> 00:51:09,520

telescopes on the ground such as the

1524

00:51:12,870 --> 00:51:10,880

gemini telescope

1525

00:51:14,870 --> 00:51:12,880

and so working with multiple facilities

1526

00:51:17,430 --> 00:51:14,880

together we get

1527

00:51:18,470 --> 00:51:17,440

new insight into the physics of what's

1528

00:51:20,069 --> 00:51:18,480

happening in jupiter and

1529

00:51:23,109 --> 00:51:20,079

for example here the storm systems on

1530

00:51:23,990 --> 00:51:23,119

jupiter so the juno satellite is peering

1531

00:51:26,470 --> 00:51:24,000

into those so

1532

00:51:27,990 --> 00:51:26,480

those storm systems in radio waves the

1533

00:51:30,309 --> 00:51:28,000

gemini telescope

1534

00:51:31,190 --> 00:51:30,319

is looking in the thermal infrared and

1535

00:51:33,910 --> 00:51:31,200

hubble is

1536

00:51:35,430 --> 00:51:33,920

looking in reflected light but combining

1537

00:51:37,670 --> 00:51:35,440

data from all of those

1538

00:51:42,069 --> 00:51:37,680

facilities working together we can get

1539

00:51:45,670 --> 00:51:43,990

and we also besides looking at other

1540

00:51:46,069 --> 00:51:45,680

star systems for their exoplanets we

1541

00:51:48,230 --> 00:51:46,079

look at

1542

00:51:50,150 --> 00:51:48,240

other stars to understand star formation

1543

00:51:51,349 --> 00:51:50,160

history in the universe

1544

00:51:53,349 --> 00:51:51,359

this is something called stellar

1545

00:51:53,829 --> 00:51:53,359

archaeology when you look at a group of

1546

00:51:55,190 --> 00:51:53,839

stars

1547

00:51:56,870 --> 00:51:55,200

such as that shown here this is a

1548

00:51:57,510 --> 00:51:56,880

beautiful hubble image of a crowded star

1549

00:51:59,349 --> 00:51:57,520

field

1550

00:52:00,630 --> 00:51:59,359

you see a distribution of colors and

1551

00:52:02,549 --> 00:52:00,640

brightnesses

1552

00:52:04,069 --> 00:52:02,559

the colors reflect the temperatures of

1553

00:52:05,829 --> 00:52:04,079

those stars and the brightnesses reflect

1554

00:52:08,390 --> 00:52:05,839

the luminosities of those stars

1555

00:52:09,990 --> 00:52:08,400

but that distribution is not random the

1556

00:52:12,150 --> 00:52:10,000

the distribution you see

1557

00:52:13,349 --> 00:52:12,160

traces the life cycle of a star traces

1558

00:52:15,190 --> 00:52:13,359

stellar evolution

1559

00:52:17,670 --> 00:52:15,200

and the picture you see here will change

1560

00:52:18,150 --> 00:52:17,680

with age and hubble can use this kind of

1561

00:52:20,549 --> 00:52:18,160

information

1562

00:52:21,430 --> 00:52:20,559

to probe the detailed history of star

1563

00:52:23,829 --> 00:52:21,440

formation

1564

00:52:25,270 --> 00:52:23,839

in both nearby galaxies and nearby star

1565

00:52:27,829 --> 00:52:25,280

clusters where we can

1566

00:52:28,630 --> 00:52:27,839

resolve the individual stars like this

1567

00:52:30,549 --> 00:52:28,640

and so i'm going to show you an

1568

00:52:32,230 --> 00:52:30,559

animation put together by some folks

1569

00:52:33,910 --> 00:52:32,240

showing at the bottom there their names

1570

00:52:35,430 --> 00:52:33,920

at space telescope we put together this

1571

00:52:36,710 --> 00:52:35,440

animation of this hubble image we're

1572

00:52:38,710 --> 00:52:36,720

first going to sort

1573

00:52:40,470 --> 00:52:38,720

the stars in color left to right with

1574

00:52:42,549 --> 00:52:40,480

the hottest bluest stars

1575

00:52:44,710 --> 00:52:42,559

on the left and the coolest reddest

1576
00:52:45,829 --> 00:52:44,720
stars on the right

1577
00:52:47,670 --> 00:52:45,839
then we're going to sort the stars in

1578
00:52:48,950 --> 00:52:47,680
luminosity with the brightest stars at

1579
00:52:49,910 --> 00:52:48,960
the top and the faintest stars at the

1580
00:52:52,710 --> 00:52:49,920
bottom

1581
00:52:53,990 --> 00:52:52,720
and when you get here sorting the stars

1582
00:52:55,510 --> 00:52:54,000
in that hubble image is a color

1583
00:52:56,710 --> 00:52:55,520
magnitude diagram such as the one i

1584
00:52:58,630 --> 00:52:56,720
showed earlier in the talk when i was

1585
00:53:00,549 --> 00:52:58,640
talking about the red giant branch as

1586
00:53:02,470 --> 00:53:00,559
a distance indicator with the

1587
00:53:04,069 --> 00:53:02,480
cosmological measurements

1588
00:53:05,750 --> 00:53:04,079

so you can see here there's uh the

1589

00:53:06,390 --> 00:53:05,760

distribution is not random there's this

1590

00:53:09,109 --> 00:53:06,400

pattern

1591

00:53:11,349 --> 00:53:09,119

and dwarf stars are near the bottom of

1592

00:53:13,190 --> 00:53:11,359

this diagram the sun is a dwarf star

1593

00:53:15,270 --> 00:53:13,200

and dwarf stars will swell up and become

1594

00:53:16,710 --> 00:53:15,280

red giant stars towards the upper right

1595

00:53:18,470 --> 00:53:16,720

and the tip of the red giant branch are

1596

00:53:20,150 --> 00:53:18,480

the brightest red giant branch stars up

1597

00:53:22,630 --> 00:53:20,160

there at the upper right

1598

00:53:23,510 --> 00:53:22,640

those stars then ignite helium in their

1599

00:53:26,150 --> 00:53:23,520

cores

1600

00:53:28,069 --> 00:53:26,160

and become much hotter so they move over

1601
00:53:30,470 --> 00:53:28,079
to the upper left part of this picture

1602
00:53:31,510 --> 00:53:30,480
here where you see the bright blue stars

1603
00:53:33,910 --> 00:53:31,520
they're hotter and blue

1604
00:53:35,589 --> 00:53:33,920
blue bright stars and then when they

1605
00:53:38,470 --> 00:53:35,599
exhaust their fuel they fade as white

1606
00:53:40,710 --> 00:53:38,480
dwarfs to the lower left

1607
00:53:42,549 --> 00:53:40,720
so that's the the story that's told by

1608
00:53:44,309 --> 00:53:42,559
the distribution of color and brightness

1609
00:53:46,950 --> 00:53:44,319
in a hubble picture

1610
00:53:48,230 --> 00:53:46,960
and elene tolstoy demonstrates this well

1611
00:53:49,030 --> 00:53:48,240
here in this figure she's done a lot of

1612
00:53:51,430 --> 00:53:49,040
work in this area

1613
00:53:52,710 --> 00:53:51,440

with a variety of telescopes and what's

1614

00:53:54,630 --> 00:53:52,720

plotted here in her plot

1615

00:53:56,230 --> 00:53:54,640

is brightness on the y-axis versus color

1616

00:53:58,390 --> 00:53:56,240

or temperature on the x-axis

1617

00:53:59,910 --> 00:53:58,400

for different evolutionary phases in the

1618

00:54:01,349 --> 00:53:59,920

life cycle of a star

1619

00:54:02,950 --> 00:54:01,359

for stars of different masses and

1620

00:54:05,510 --> 00:54:02,960

they're color-coded here according to

1621

00:54:07,430 --> 00:54:05,520

the table alongside on the right

1622

00:54:08,950 --> 00:54:07,440

so for the most massive stars we call

1623

00:54:10,870 --> 00:54:08,960

those o stars they have a mass

1624

00:54:12,309 --> 00:54:10,880

more than 100 times the mass of the sun

1625

00:54:14,069 --> 00:54:12,319

they go whipping through this diagram

1626

00:54:15,670 --> 00:54:14,079

very quickly on a time scale of just a

1627

00:54:18,870 --> 00:54:15,680

few million years

1628

00:54:21,030 --> 00:54:18,880

and then for low mass stars such as an m

1629

00:54:22,630 --> 00:54:21,040

dwarf star at half the mass of the sun

1630

00:54:24,309 --> 00:54:22,640

it takes billions of years to go through

1631

00:54:25,109 --> 00:54:24,319

this diagram to evolve through this

1632

00:54:28,069 --> 00:54:25,119

diagram

1633

00:54:28,710 --> 00:54:28,079

and and so all the different masses of

1634

00:54:32,630 --> 00:54:28,720

stars

1635

00:54:34,390 --> 00:54:32,640

rates and we can trace their evolution

1636

00:54:36,630 --> 00:54:34,400

in this distribution of brightness and

1637

00:54:38,549 --> 00:54:36,640

temperature

1638

00:54:40,230 --> 00:54:38,559

now to give you a specific example of

1639

00:54:43,670 --> 00:54:40,240

this type of research

1640

00:54:45,430 --> 00:54:43,680

this is an image a photograph taken from

1641

00:54:46,630 --> 00:54:45,440

the surface of the earth of the dark

1642

00:54:48,390 --> 00:54:46,640

night sky

1643

00:54:50,549 --> 00:54:48,400

and for those of you who've been able to

1644

00:54:52,470 --> 00:54:50,559

look at the sky away from the cities

1645

00:54:54,630 --> 00:54:52,480

out in the out in the woods or out where

1646

00:54:56,309 --> 00:54:54,640

it's quite dark you can see the strip of

1647

00:54:57,190 --> 00:54:56,319

stars going across the sky it's called

1648

00:54:59,030 --> 00:54:57,200

the milky way

1649

00:55:01,030 --> 00:54:59,040

that's our own milky way galaxy we live

1650

00:55:03,589 --> 00:55:01,040

in a spiral galaxy in the disk of that

1651
00:55:06,309 --> 00:55:03,599
spiral galaxy is where the sun resides

1652
00:55:07,910 --> 00:55:06,319
and because we're in that disc it forms

1653
00:55:08,390 --> 00:55:07,920
a stripe of stars that goes across the

1654
00:55:09,750 --> 00:55:08,400
sky

1655
00:55:11,589 --> 00:55:09,760
if you're out someplace where it's dark

1656
00:55:13,670 --> 00:55:11,599
enough to see it

1657
00:55:14,950 --> 00:55:13,680
what's shown by the inset is the center

1658
00:55:17,910 --> 00:55:14,960
of the milky way where

1659
00:55:19,670 --> 00:55:17,920
we pointed with hubble and so that inset

1660
00:55:19,990 --> 00:55:19,680
there is the high resolution hubble

1661
00:55:22,390 --> 00:55:20,000
image

1662
00:55:23,589 --> 00:55:22,400
of just one tiny piece of this much

1663
00:55:25,349 --> 00:55:23,599

larger photograph

1664

00:55:27,750 --> 00:55:25,359

zoomed in on the center of the milky way

1665

00:55:30,309 --> 00:55:27,760

that field is called the sweeps field

1666

00:55:32,470 --> 00:55:30,319

the acronym is the sagittarius window

1667

00:55:34,549 --> 00:55:32,480

eclipsing extrasolar planet search

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00:55:35,910 --> 00:55:34,559

this is a program led by kyler sahu

1669

00:55:37,829 --> 00:55:35,920

nearly 20 years ago

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00:55:39,030 --> 00:55:37,839

he pointed hubble at this star field

1671

00:55:42,069 --> 00:55:39,040

this crowded star field

1672

00:55:43,430 --> 00:55:42,079

for a week to look for exoplanets and he

1673

00:55:44,789 --> 00:55:43,440

successfully found the most distant

1674

00:55:47,349 --> 00:55:44,799

exoplanets found

1675

00:55:48,470 --> 00:55:47,359

by transit when those exoplanets passed

1676

00:55:50,549 --> 00:55:48,480

in front of these crowded

1677

00:55:52,150 --> 00:55:50,559

this crowded field of stars it affected

1678

00:55:53,190 --> 00:55:52,160

the starlight from those stars that we

1679

00:55:55,510 --> 00:55:53,200

measured

1680

00:55:56,390 --> 00:55:55,520

and we were able to find exoplanets

1681

00:55:58,630 --> 00:55:56,400

however this

1682

00:56:00,309 --> 00:55:58,640

star field is itself interesting because

1683

00:56:02,630 --> 00:56:00,319

it gives insight into the formation of

1684

00:56:03,910 --> 00:56:02,640

the center of the milky way our galaxy

1685

00:56:05,829 --> 00:56:03,920

and this field has been imaged

1686

00:56:09,109 --> 00:56:05,839

repeatedly by hubble over the years

1687

00:56:10,390 --> 00:56:09,119

and because it has both excellent detail

1688

00:56:12,309 --> 00:56:10,400

in terms of the colors and brightnesses

1689

00:56:13,030 --> 00:56:12,319

we measure but also a time series of

1690

00:56:15,109 --> 00:56:13,040

being looked at

1691

00:56:17,030 --> 00:56:15,119

repeatedly over the years this gives us

1692

00:56:18,710 --> 00:56:17,040

both insight into the star formation

1693

00:56:20,390 --> 00:56:18,720

history but also the motions in the

1694

00:56:22,630 --> 00:56:20,400

center of the milky way

1695

00:56:26,150 --> 00:56:22,640

and so just to demonstrate that here's

1696

00:56:28,309 --> 00:56:26,160

the high resolution image from hubble

1697

00:56:30,549 --> 00:56:28,319

the again this distribution of color and

1698

00:56:34,309 --> 00:56:30,559

brightness is not random in here

1699

00:56:36,309 --> 00:56:34,319

and i'm going to zoom in on one patch

1700

00:56:37,910 --> 00:56:36,319

in the upper left here pull that over to

1701
00:56:38,789 --> 00:56:37,920
the side and if you look very carefully

1702
00:56:40,309 --> 00:56:38,799
at your screen

1703
00:56:42,309 --> 00:56:40,319
you can see that the stars are moving

1704
00:56:43,829 --> 00:56:42,319
this is two years of hubble data

1705
00:56:45,270 --> 00:56:43,839
turned into a time lapse it's just

1706
00:56:45,750 --> 00:56:45,280
playing back and forth over the light

1707
00:56:47,510 --> 00:56:45,760
loop

1708
00:56:49,510 --> 00:56:47,520
frontwards and backwards so you can see

1709
00:56:50,870 --> 00:56:49,520
the motion of stars so this is not an

1710
00:56:51,910 --> 00:56:50,880
animation or an artist's rendition

1711
00:56:54,950 --> 00:56:51,920
that's the actual

1712
00:56:56,789 --> 00:56:54,960
series of hubble images in one at one

1713
00:56:59,190 --> 00:56:56,799

wavelength and one filter on hubble

1714

00:57:00,950 --> 00:56:59,200

at that patch of the field and so you

1715

00:57:01,510 --> 00:57:00,960

can see the motions of the stars and you

1716

00:57:03,750 --> 00:57:01,520

can see

1717

00:57:05,349 --> 00:57:03,760

the ages of the stars and so will

1718

00:57:07,190 --> 00:57:05,359

clarkson recently had

1719

00:57:09,030 --> 00:57:07,200

a press release on these results where

1720

00:57:09,829 --> 00:57:09,040

he found two distinct populations of

1721

00:57:11,910 --> 00:57:09,839

stars

1722

00:57:14,069 --> 00:57:11,920

based on these data in the center of our

1723

00:57:15,670 --> 00:57:14,079

milky way he found an older population

1724

00:57:17,190 --> 00:57:15,680

that was less chemically enriched

1725

00:57:18,710 --> 00:57:17,200

and these stars were moving more slowly

1726

00:57:19,349 --> 00:57:18,720

and they were probably there in the

1727

00:57:21,030 --> 00:57:19,359

early

1728

00:57:22,630 --> 00:57:21,040

part of the milky way history and then

1729

00:57:23,990 --> 00:57:22,640

he found a younger population of stars

1730

00:57:26,150 --> 00:57:24,000

that was more enriched moving more

1731

00:57:27,589 --> 00:57:26,160

quickly these were probably

1732

00:57:29,270 --> 00:57:27,599

in smaller galaxies that were

1733

00:57:31,510 --> 00:57:29,280

cannibalized as they fell into the milky

1734

00:57:33,430 --> 00:57:31,520

way

1735

00:57:35,270 --> 00:57:33,440

now hubble's also has a very large

1736

00:57:38,390 --> 00:57:35,280

program underway right now

1737

00:57:39,109 --> 00:57:38,400

to to produce a library of stars for the

1738

00:57:41,190 --> 00:57:39,119

future

1739

00:57:42,630 --> 00:57:41,200

this is another director's discretionary

1740

00:57:44,390 --> 00:57:42,640

program like the frontier fields i

1741

00:57:44,950 --> 00:57:44,400

mentioned earlier this is a thousand

1742

00:57:46,549 --> 00:57:44,960

orbits

1743

00:57:48,549 --> 00:57:46,559

spread over three years it's called the

1744

00:57:50,309 --> 00:57:48,559

ulysses program the ultraviolet legacy

1745

00:57:51,270 --> 00:57:50,319

library of young stars as essential

1746

00:57:53,589 --> 00:57:51,280

standards

1747

00:57:55,190 --> 00:57:53,599

and what this program is doing is

1748

00:57:58,230 --> 00:57:55,200

creating a spectroscopic

1749

00:58:00,069 --> 00:57:58,240

library of ultraviolet spectroscopy

1750

00:58:01,670 --> 00:58:00,079

that can be used by other telescopes now

1751
00:58:04,230 --> 00:58:01,680
and in the future because this is

1752
00:58:05,670 --> 00:58:04,240
a unique hubble ability and it's going

1753
00:58:07,829 --> 00:58:05,680
to be a legacy for hubble

1754
00:58:10,230 --> 00:58:07,839
so the library is going to be looking at

1755
00:58:12,549 --> 00:58:10,240
young stars at a variety of masses

1756
00:58:14,470 --> 00:58:12,559
sampling different parameters for stars

1757
00:58:16,390 --> 00:58:14,480
the survey was put together

1758
00:58:18,150 --> 00:58:16,400
with the the participation of the

1759
00:58:20,309 --> 00:58:18,160
scientific community

1760
00:58:21,430 --> 00:58:20,319
they provided initial input for the

1761
00:58:23,270 --> 00:58:21,440
design of the survey and then they

1762
00:58:25,510 --> 00:58:23,280
continue to provide advice

1763
00:58:27,030 --> 00:58:25,520

the implementation team at the space

1764

00:58:29,829 --> 00:58:27,040

telescope science institute is led by

1765

00:58:31,030 --> 00:58:29,839

julia roman duvall

1766

00:58:32,549 --> 00:58:31,040

and so this is another one of these

1767

00:58:33,349 --> 00:58:32,559

stellar diagrams with brightness on the

1768

00:58:35,910 --> 00:58:33,359

y-axis

1769

00:58:37,670 --> 00:58:35,920

and color temperature on the x-axis and

1770

00:58:39,270 --> 00:58:37,680

showing the evolution of young stars at

1771

00:58:41,109 --> 00:58:39,280

different masses ranging from half

1772

00:58:42,390 --> 00:58:41,119

the mass of the sun to 15 times the mass

1773

00:58:45,750 --> 00:58:42,400

of the sun and they take

1774

00:58:47,349 --> 00:58:45,760

different tracks through that diagram

1775

00:58:49,030 --> 00:58:47,359

the ulysses program is spending about

1776
00:58:50,150 --> 00:58:49,040
500 orbits looking at the most massive

1777
00:58:53,030 --> 00:58:50,160
stars

1778
00:58:54,390 --> 00:58:53,040
in this diagram produce and this is a

1779
00:58:57,750 --> 00:58:54,400
beautiful hubble image of

1780
00:58:58,470 --> 00:58:57,760
such massive star formation and then

1781
00:59:00,150 --> 00:58:58,480
it's also

1782
00:59:02,230 --> 00:59:00,160
looking at the low-mass stars in this

1783
00:59:03,270 --> 00:59:02,240
diagram and this is a hubble image of

1784
00:59:04,950 --> 00:59:03,280
such a star

1785
00:59:06,710 --> 00:59:04,960
now this program though is producing

1786
00:59:08,069 --> 00:59:06,720
spectroscopy not images so it's

1787
00:59:09,910 --> 00:59:08,079
producing spectral like what's shown

1788
00:59:11,750 --> 00:59:09,920

here in the middle of your screen

1789

00:59:13,589 --> 00:59:11,760

this is the ultraviolet spectrum so

1790

00:59:14,870 --> 00:59:13,599

energy versus wavelength and angstroms

1791

00:59:17,270 --> 00:59:14,880

for a high mass star

1792

00:59:18,710 --> 00:59:17,280

and it's showing features from different

1793

00:59:19,430 --> 00:59:18,720

aspects of the chemistry and physics

1794

00:59:21,990 --> 00:59:19,440

involved

1795

00:59:22,630 --> 00:59:22,000

in blue is highlighted an absorption

1796

00:59:24,309 --> 00:59:22,640

feature

1797

00:59:25,670 --> 00:59:24,319

from the dark interstellar medium

1798

00:59:27,430 --> 00:59:25,680

between the stars

1799

00:59:29,030 --> 00:59:27,440

in green there's a feature from the

1800

00:59:31,510 --> 00:59:29,040

stellar wind in the star

1801
00:59:33,349 --> 00:59:31,520
and then red is highlighted a feature

1802
00:59:34,870 --> 00:59:33,359
from the dark circum galactic medium

1803
00:59:36,470 --> 00:59:34,880
between the galaxies

1804
00:59:38,069 --> 00:59:36,480
so for high mass stars we're going to be

1805
00:59:39,670 --> 00:59:38,079
doing the

1806
00:59:41,910 --> 00:59:39,680
giving a look into the winds chemistry

1807
00:59:43,670 --> 00:59:41,920
and radiation for stellar astrophysics

1808
00:59:45,670 --> 00:59:43,680
and we'll be looking at the interstellar

1809
00:59:47,589 --> 00:59:45,680
and circum galactic medium between the

1810
00:59:48,789 --> 00:59:47,599
stars and between the galaxies

1811
00:59:50,230 --> 00:59:48,799
and then for low-mass stars we're going

1812
00:59:51,910 --> 00:59:50,240
to be looking at the physics of those

1813
00:59:53,589 --> 00:59:51,920

low-mass stars the accretion that

1814

00:59:55,990 --> 00:59:53,599

happens the shocks flows

1815

00:59:58,549 --> 00:59:56,000

discs and jets and their transient

1816

01:00:01,990 --> 00:59:59,990

now as i mentioned the dark material

1817

01:00:02,710 --> 01:00:02,000

between the stars is also an area of

1818

01:00:04,950 --> 01:00:02,720

study and

1819

01:00:06,390 --> 01:00:04,960

it was actually the that kind of science

1820

01:00:09,030 --> 01:00:06,400

was a prime motivation

1821

01:00:10,630 --> 01:00:09,040

for the cosmic origin spectrograph uh

1822

01:00:11,430 --> 01:00:10,640

one of the two spectrographs on hubble

1823

01:00:13,109 --> 01:00:11,440

and

1824

01:00:14,870 --> 01:00:13,119

the way this science works is shown

1825

01:00:16,789 --> 01:00:14,880

schematically in the lower left here

1826

01:00:18,150 --> 01:00:16,799

the material between the stars is dark

1827

01:00:20,710 --> 01:00:18,160

it's gas and dust

1828

01:00:22,549 --> 01:00:20,720

it's not luminous and so the way you

1829

01:00:24,390 --> 01:00:22,559

measure that material is look along a

1830

01:00:26,950 --> 01:00:24,400

sight line through the universe at some

1831

01:00:28,789 --> 01:00:26,960

background illumination basically a

1832

01:00:31,190 --> 01:00:28,799

flashlight that nature provides

1833

01:00:32,390 --> 01:00:31,200

and you look back towards a quasar is

1834

01:00:33,670 --> 01:00:32,400

what's commonly done so that's what's

1835

01:00:35,190 --> 01:00:33,680

shown in the schematic here hubble is

1836

01:00:35,990 --> 01:00:35,200

looking through the dark material in the

1837

01:00:38,710 --> 01:00:36,000

universe

1838

01:00:40,390 --> 01:00:38,720

back towards a quasar a quasar is a

1839

01:00:42,870 --> 01:00:40,400

quasi-stellar object

1840

01:00:45,030 --> 01:00:42,880

it's an active galaxy nucleus powered by

1841

01:00:46,710 --> 01:00:45,040

a super massive black hole

1842

01:00:47,750 --> 01:00:46,720

these are bright as they give off the

1843

01:00:49,510 --> 01:00:47,760

light the light passes through the

1844

01:00:50,870 --> 01:00:49,520

universe comes back to hubble and then

1845

01:00:52,870 --> 01:00:50,880

some of that light is absorbed on the

1846

01:00:54,309 --> 01:00:52,880

way to hubble because of the circum

1847

01:00:56,390 --> 01:00:54,319

galactic medium

1848

01:00:58,069 --> 01:00:56,400

two recent examples of large hubble

1849

01:01:00,150 --> 01:00:58,079

surveys in this kind of work

1850

01:01:01,349 --> 01:01:00,160

uh there's the cubs survey led by

1851
01:01:03,270 --> 01:01:01,359
chennada

1852
01:01:04,630 --> 01:01:03,280
this is the cosmic ultraviolet barrion

1853
01:01:08,470 --> 01:01:04,640
survey uh

1854
01:01:10,230 --> 01:01:08,480
chen is looking here her and her team

1855
01:01:11,670 --> 01:01:10,240
are probing the circum galactic medium

1856
01:01:12,950 --> 01:01:11,680
toward distance galaxies and

1857
01:01:14,789 --> 01:01:12,960
intermediate redshift

1858
01:01:16,470 --> 01:01:14,799
looking back in time roughly four to ten

1859
01:01:18,870 --> 01:01:16,480
billion years into the past

1860
01:01:20,789 --> 01:01:18,880
to probe the chemistry of the circum

1861
01:01:21,670 --> 01:01:20,799
galactic medium over a fairly large

1862
01:01:23,109 --> 01:01:21,680
distance here

1863
01:01:25,109 --> 01:01:23,119

then there's the amiga program

1864

01:01:26,470 --> 01:01:25,119

absorption maps in the gas of andromeda

1865

01:01:29,030 --> 01:01:26,480

this is led by

1866

01:01:31,109 --> 01:01:29,040

leonardo this is probing the environment

1867

01:01:33,430 --> 01:01:31,119

around the nearby andromeda galaxy

1868

01:01:34,950 --> 01:01:33,440

that's a giant spiral galaxy like our

1869

01:01:36,630 --> 01:01:34,960

own galaxy it's the nearest spiral

1870

01:01:37,670 --> 01:01:36,640

galaxy to our own in the local

1871

01:01:39,349 --> 01:01:37,680

neighborhood

1872

01:01:41,030 --> 01:01:39,359

and this program is intended to

1873

01:01:42,710 --> 01:01:41,040

investigate the vast halo of gas around

1874

01:01:44,390 --> 01:01:42,720

andromeda now andromeda because it's the

1875

01:01:45,670 --> 01:01:44,400

nearest spiral galaxy and it's similar

1876

01:01:48,470 --> 01:01:45,680

to our own in many ways

1877

01:01:49,589 --> 01:01:48,480

it's been the subject of study to to

1878

01:01:51,670 --> 01:01:49,599

many astronomers over the years and

1879

01:01:53,349 --> 01:01:51,680

hubble spent a lot of time looking at it

1880

01:01:55,349 --> 01:01:53,359

and just to give you some background on

1881

01:01:57,430 --> 01:01:55,359

that there is the pan

1882

01:01:59,109 --> 01:01:57,440

chromatic hubble andromeda treasury led

1883

01:02:00,470 --> 01:01:59,119

by julianne del canton this was a very

1884

01:02:01,510 --> 01:02:00,480

large program spending hundreds of

1885

01:02:03,589 --> 01:02:01,520

orbits mapping

1886

01:02:05,029 --> 01:02:03,599

a significant part of andromeda so it's

1887

01:02:07,109 --> 01:02:05,039

shown here on the right

1888

01:02:08,870 --> 01:02:07,119

now is a ground-based image of the

1889

01:02:10,950 --> 01:02:08,880

andromeda galaxy the entire andromeda

1890

01:02:13,029 --> 01:02:10,960

galaxy which is quite large on the sky

1891

01:02:15,109 --> 01:02:13,039

again it's a spiral galaxy like our own

1892

01:02:16,150 --> 01:02:15,119

it's it's it's somewhat edge on not

1893

01:02:17,430 --> 01:02:16,160

entirely edge on

1894

01:02:19,990 --> 01:02:17,440

and then the section that's highlighted

1895

01:02:23,109 --> 01:02:20,000

where it says hst fat that's the map

1896

01:02:24,549 --> 01:02:23,119

that julianne del canton performed that

1897

01:02:27,910 --> 01:02:24,559

she obtained with hubble

1898

01:02:29,430 --> 01:02:27,920

taking hubble and tiling out in great

1899

01:02:32,230 --> 01:02:29,440

detail with hubble's

1900

01:02:33,510 --> 01:02:32,240

cameras a significant chunk of the

1901

01:02:34,950 --> 01:02:33,520

andromeda galaxy

1902

01:02:37,029 --> 01:02:34,960

in the ultraviolet optical and near

1903

01:02:37,910 --> 01:02:37,039

infrared making a high resolution map of

1904

01:02:41,270 --> 01:02:37,920

that part of the

1905

01:02:44,549 --> 01:02:41,280

galaxy i'll zoom in here

1906

01:02:46,150 --> 01:02:44,559

here's a more detailed look at the map

1907

01:02:47,589 --> 01:02:46,160

that's the fat program obtained and just

1908

01:02:48,950 --> 01:02:47,599

to give you a sense of scale

1909

01:02:51,270 --> 01:02:48,960

everyone knows what the full moon looks

1910

01:02:52,950 --> 01:02:51,280

like on the sky so this is how big

1911

01:02:54,789 --> 01:02:52,960

that patch of sky looks like compared to

1912

01:02:56,470 --> 01:02:54,799

the full moon when you go outside

1913

01:02:57,910 --> 01:02:56,480

and i'll zoom in on one section here

1914

01:03:00,789 --> 01:02:57,920

just so you can see that we

1915

01:03:03,029 --> 01:03:00,799

hubble is able to to resolve individual

1916

01:03:04,950 --> 01:03:03,039

stars in the disk of andromeda here and

1917

01:03:06,470 --> 01:03:04,960

disentangle the star formation history

1918

01:03:08,230 --> 01:03:06,480

of andromeda

1919

01:03:09,510 --> 01:03:08,240

so now i'm going to pull back out like i

1920

01:03:11,190 --> 01:03:09,520

said a lot of work has been done on the

1921

01:03:12,470 --> 01:03:11,200

stars of andromeda what this amiga

1922

01:03:16,230 --> 01:03:12,480

program has done though

1923

01:03:18,630 --> 01:03:16,240

is zoom much further out than this so

1924

01:03:20,069 --> 01:03:18,640

i'm going to pull much further out this

1925

01:03:22,549 --> 01:03:20,079

is to scale now the full moon would be

1926

01:03:26,069 --> 01:03:22,559

tiny on this scale hard to see

1927

01:03:27,589 --> 01:03:26,079

and the amiga program probed various

1928

01:03:30,390 --> 01:03:27,599

sight lines through the vast

1929

01:03:31,430 --> 01:03:30,400

plasma halo of andromeda around

1930

01:03:34,309 --> 01:03:31,440

andromeda

1931

01:03:35,990 --> 01:03:34,319

looking at background quasars so these

1932

01:03:37,109 --> 01:03:36,000

orange circles that are shown here are

1933

01:03:39,349 --> 01:03:37,119

each a sight line

1934

01:03:40,950 --> 01:03:39,359

to a background quasar behind andromeda

1935

01:03:42,150 --> 01:03:40,960

and looking through that sight line at

1936

01:03:43,829 --> 01:03:42,160

each of those quasars to see the

1937

01:03:44,789 --> 01:03:43,839

absorption from the halo of gas around

1938

01:03:46,630 --> 01:03:44,799

andromeda

1939

01:03:48,470 --> 01:03:46,640

and the results demonstrated that this

1940

01:03:51,750 --> 01:03:48,480

halo of gas on andromeda

1941

01:03:53,910 --> 01:03:51,760

extends at least 1.3 million light years

1942

01:03:55,670 --> 01:03:53,920

in all directions from andromeda and

1943

01:03:56,390 --> 01:03:55,680

what's amazing about that is andromeda

1944

01:03:57,990 --> 01:03:56,400

itself

1945

01:03:59,670 --> 01:03:58,000

is about two and a half million light

1946

01:04:00,390 --> 01:03:59,680

years away from the milky way our own

1947

01:04:02,309 --> 01:04:00,400

galaxy

1948

01:04:03,510 --> 01:04:02,319

so the fact that this halo extends 1.3

1949

01:04:04,390 --> 01:04:03,520

million light years in all directions

1950

01:04:06,789 --> 01:04:04,400

means it extends

1951

01:04:08,390 --> 01:04:06,799

more than halfway back towards us and

1952

01:04:10,230 --> 01:04:08,400

there are at least two distinct shells

1953

01:04:12,870 --> 01:04:10,240

of complex gas

1954

01:04:14,150 --> 01:04:12,880

in the halo of andromeda in this gas as

1955

01:04:16,230 --> 01:04:14,160

can be seen here by

1956

01:04:18,309 --> 01:04:16,240

features of carbon and silicon in the

1957

01:04:21,190 --> 01:04:18,319

spectra that are obtained

1958

01:04:22,150 --> 01:04:21,200

so the these halos are quite complex the

1959

01:04:25,190 --> 01:04:22,160

the shells

1960

01:04:26,309 --> 01:04:25,200

around this galaxy now as i said each of

1961

01:04:28,870 --> 01:04:26,319

these sight lines

1962

01:04:30,630 --> 01:04:28,880

is illuminated by a background quasar a

1963

01:04:32,950 --> 01:04:30,640

quasar is a distant

1964

01:04:34,630 --> 01:04:32,960

active galaxy nucleus powered by a black

1965

01:04:36,230 --> 01:04:34,640

hole and black holes are

1966

01:04:38,230 --> 01:04:36,240

also the subject of intense study with

1967

01:04:40,470 --> 01:04:38,240

hubble so i'll show

1968

01:04:42,230 --> 01:04:40,480

what really got this kicked off was an

1969

01:04:44,309 --> 01:04:42,240

observation of m84 in the late

1970

01:04:46,069 --> 01:04:44,319

90s with the space telescope imaging

1971

01:04:48,309 --> 01:04:46,079

spectrograph

1972

01:04:49,910 --> 01:04:48,319

stis is able to provide spatially

1973

01:04:51,190 --> 01:04:49,920

resolved spectroscopy so it's shown on

1974

01:04:54,069 --> 01:04:51,200

the far left here

1975

01:04:55,510 --> 01:04:54,079

is an image of the galaxy m84 with one

1976

01:04:57,029 --> 01:04:55,520

of the earlier cameras earlier

1977

01:04:58,630 --> 01:04:57,039

generation cameras on hubble wide field

1978

01:05:00,710 --> 01:04:58,640

planetary camera two

1979

01:05:02,549 --> 01:05:00,720

and then stis placed its slit in the

1980

01:05:03,589 --> 01:05:02,559

center of this galaxy along where the

1981

01:05:06,710 --> 01:05:03,599

black hole is

1982

01:05:08,390 --> 01:05:06,720

and produce the spectrum you see here so

1983

01:05:10,549 --> 01:05:08,400

what is being plotted

1984

01:05:11,750 --> 01:05:10,559

is the velocities implied by that

1985

01:05:13,349 --> 01:05:11,760

spectrum

1986

01:05:15,430 --> 01:05:13,359

as a function of position along the slit

1987

01:05:16,710 --> 01:05:15,440

so green is a velocity similar to the

1988

01:05:19,349 --> 01:05:16,720

velocity of the galaxy

1989

01:05:21,190 --> 01:05:19,359

and as you move along the slit the

1990

01:05:22,309 --> 01:05:21,200

velocity shifts dramatically over to the

1991

01:05:23,910 --> 01:05:22,319

blue

1992

01:05:25,750 --> 01:05:23,920

and then they move and that's a doppler

1993

01:05:27,109 --> 01:05:25,760

shift because things are blue shifted

1994

01:05:28,870 --> 01:05:27,119

and then they shift all the way back to

1995

01:05:30,150 --> 01:05:28,880

the red again before returning to the

1996

01:05:33,029 --> 01:05:30,160

velocity of the galaxy

1997

01:05:33,670 --> 01:05:33,039

so the blue is material that's falling

1998

01:05:36,150 --> 01:05:33,680

towards us

1999

01:05:37,670 --> 01:05:36,160

it's material on the far side of the

2000

01:05:39,510 --> 01:05:37,680

black hole falling into the black hole

2001

01:05:41,589 --> 01:05:39,520

towards us so it's blue shifted

2002

01:05:43,270 --> 01:05:41,599

and then the red is material on the near

2003

01:05:44,470 --> 01:05:43,280

side of the black hole falling away from

2004

01:05:46,390 --> 01:05:44,480

us into the black hole

2005

01:05:48,230 --> 01:05:46,400

and so it's shifted to the red and that

2006

01:05:49,990 --> 01:05:48,240

velocity that is implied by

2007

01:05:51,990 --> 01:05:50,000

this motion is a velocity of 400

2008

01:05:53,190 --> 01:05:52,000

kilometers per second at a point 26

2009

01:05:53,910 --> 01:05:53,200

light years out from the center of the

2010

01:05:58,230 --> 01:05:53,920

black hole

2011

01:05:59,349 --> 01:05:58,240

than 300 million times the mass of the

2012

01:06:01,589 --> 01:05:59,359

sun

2013

01:06:03,109 --> 01:06:01,599

and once hubble did this hubble

2014

01:06:05,190 --> 01:06:03,119

continued to look at many

2015

01:06:06,710 --> 01:06:05,200

black holes in the nearby universe over

2016

01:06:08,390 --> 01:06:06,720

the years since then

2017

01:06:09,990 --> 01:06:08,400

so for example here's a much more recent

2018

01:06:13,589 --> 01:06:10,000

result in 2019

2019

01:06:15,270 --> 01:06:13,599

looking at a spiral galaxy ngc 3147

2020

01:06:16,789 --> 01:06:15,280

the hubble image is shown on the left in

2021

01:06:19,109 --> 01:06:16,799

the center is an artist's rendition of

2022

01:06:19,750 --> 01:06:19,119

its black hole and on the right is a

2023

01:06:21,349 --> 01:06:19,760

spectrum

2024

01:06:22,789 --> 01:06:21,359

of the material in the vicinity of the

2025

01:06:25,990 --> 01:06:22,799

black hole

2026

01:06:26,549 --> 01:06:26,000

the black curve is the hubble spectrum

2027

01:06:28,549 --> 01:06:26,559

and in red

2028

01:06:30,230 --> 01:06:28,559

is the model of the material falling

2029

01:06:33,270 --> 01:06:30,240

into the black hole

2030

01:06:35,670 --> 01:06:33,280

the data shown here imply that that the

2031

01:06:37,670 --> 01:06:35,680

there is a supermassive black hole of

2032

01:06:38,309 --> 01:06:37,680

around 250 million times the mass of the

2033

01:06:40,390 --> 01:06:38,319

sun

2034

01:06:41,430 --> 01:06:40,400

and also shows that this material around

2035

01:06:43,829 --> 01:06:41,440

the black hole

2036

01:06:45,510 --> 01:06:43,839

is in an accretion disk that's moving at

2037

01:06:46,630 --> 01:06:45,520

relativistic speeds at about 10 percent

2038

01:06:48,630 --> 01:06:46,640

the speed of light

2039

01:06:50,390 --> 01:06:48,640

and the increase disc encroaches

2040

01:06:51,750 --> 01:06:50,400

closer to the black hole or event

2041

01:06:56,309 --> 01:06:51,760

horizon than what's predicted from

2042

01:06:59,750 --> 01:06:58,230

now as i said hubble has looked at many

2043

01:07:01,349 --> 01:06:59,760

black holes over the years and if you

2044

01:07:02,069 --> 01:07:01,359

look at the ensemble of black hole

2045

01:07:03,829 --> 01:07:02,079

measurements

2046

01:07:06,470 --> 01:07:03,839

made to date you can see that black

2047

01:07:07,829 --> 01:07:06,480

holes are intimately related to their

2048

01:07:09,589 --> 01:07:07,839

host galaxies

2049

01:07:11,109 --> 01:07:09,599

so what's shown here in the upper right

2050

01:07:14,309 --> 01:07:11,119

in this plot is

2051

01:07:16,470 --> 01:07:14,319

the mass of various black holes

2052

01:07:18,309 --> 01:07:16,480

in units of masses of the sun on a

2053

01:07:20,309 --> 01:07:18,319

logarithmic scale there

2054

01:07:21,750 --> 01:07:20,319

and then on the x-axis is the galaxy

2055

01:07:22,710 --> 01:07:21,760

mass for the galaxy where those black

2056

01:07:25,430 --> 01:07:22,720

holes reside

2057

01:07:26,230 --> 01:07:25,440

again on a logarithm logarithmic scale

2058

01:07:27,910 --> 01:07:26,240

in units of

2059

01:07:29,349 --> 01:07:27,920

the mass of the sun and you can see that

2060

01:07:31,190 --> 01:07:29,359

the two are correlated

2061

01:07:33,109 --> 01:07:31,200

uh they're tightly correlated there and

2062

01:07:33,910 --> 01:07:33,119

thus the black hole mass tends to go up

2063

01:07:36,870 --> 01:07:33,920

when they live

2064

01:07:38,630 --> 01:07:36,880

within a galaxy of higher mass and so

2065

01:07:42,789 --> 01:07:38,640

black holes are tied to the evolution

2066

01:07:44,870 --> 01:07:42,799

of the galaxy within which they live

2067

01:07:46,630 --> 01:07:44,880

hubble more recently is starting to look

2068

01:07:47,589 --> 01:07:46,640

at other explosive phenomena in the

2069

01:07:50,710 --> 01:07:47,599

universe like

2070

01:07:53,750 --> 01:07:50,720

gravitational wave events

2071

01:07:55,109 --> 01:07:53,760

which these are our ripples in the space

2072

01:07:57,589 --> 01:07:55,119

time continuum

2073

01:07:59,190 --> 01:07:57,599

caused by the merger of massive objects

2074

01:07:59,750 --> 01:07:59,200

and one that got a lot of attention with

2075

01:08:02,549 --> 01:07:59,760

the press

2076

01:08:04,950 --> 01:08:02,559

several years ago is this merger of a

2077

01:08:05,990 --> 01:08:04,960

binary neutron star system so neutron

2078

01:08:08,789 --> 01:08:06,000

star is a collapsed

2079

01:08:10,630 --> 01:08:08,799

dense star near the end of its life and

2080

01:08:13,430 --> 01:08:10,640

there's a binary neutron

2081

01:08:14,710 --> 01:08:13,440

neutron star system where the stars were

2082

01:08:16,070 --> 01:08:14,720

spiraling around each other and

2083

01:08:17,669 --> 01:08:16,080

eventually merged

2084

01:08:19,430 --> 01:08:17,679

and that caused a gravitational wave

2085

01:08:20,070 --> 01:08:19,440

event that rippled out throughout the

2086

01:08:22,070 --> 01:08:20,080

universe

2087

01:08:23,349 --> 01:08:22,080

and was detected by two gravitational

2088

01:08:24,630 --> 01:08:23,359

wave experiments

2089

01:08:27,430 --> 01:08:24,640

the advanced ligo experiment and the

2090

01:08:29,349 --> 01:08:27,440

virgo experiment in august of 2017

2091

01:08:31,189 --> 01:08:29,359

there was a gamma-ray burst detected

2092

01:08:32,709 --> 01:08:31,199

from this event also at the same time by

2093

01:08:35,269 --> 01:08:32,719

two experiments

2094

01:08:36,870 --> 01:08:35,279

and a bunch of facilities overall

2095

01:08:40,390 --> 01:08:36,880

following up on this and the event was

2096

01:08:43,510 --> 01:08:40,400

localized to the galaxy ngc 4993

2097

01:08:43,990 --> 01:08:43,520

at a distance of 40 megaparsecs hubble

2098

01:08:46,070 --> 01:08:44,000

and other

2099

01:08:48,229 --> 01:08:46,080

observatories provided follow-up in the

2100

01:08:50,149 --> 01:08:48,239

days and weeks afterwards

2101
01:08:51,349 --> 01:08:50,159
and that's what's shown here on the left

2102
01:08:53,349 --> 01:08:51,359
is the hubble imaging

2103
01:08:54,789 --> 01:08:53,359
of this event in the aftermath over the

2104
01:08:55,590 --> 01:08:54,799
course of several days or what the

2105
01:08:58,229 --> 01:08:55,600
insets that are

2106
01:08:59,110 --> 01:08:58,239
shown there and then also hubble by

2107
01:09:02,229 --> 01:08:59,120
chance happened to

2108
01:09:04,070 --> 01:09:02,239
observe this same galaxy by by luck

2109
01:09:05,510 --> 01:09:04,080
several months before the event in april

2110
01:09:06,870 --> 01:09:05,520
2017

2111
01:09:08,229 --> 01:09:06,880
so we also got to see what this galaxy

2112
01:09:09,110 --> 01:09:08,239
looked like before the explosion

2113
01:09:11,269 --> 01:09:09,120

happened

2114

01:09:12,470 --> 01:09:11,279

now hubble will play a critical role in

2115

01:09:14,870 --> 01:09:12,480

this type of science in the

2116

01:09:15,510 --> 01:09:14,880

2020s as more gravitational wave

2117

01:09:17,110 --> 01:09:15,520

experiments

2118

01:09:18,709 --> 01:09:17,120

come online and they become more

2119

01:09:19,349 --> 01:09:18,719

sensitive and there are additional

2120

01:09:22,789 --> 01:09:19,359

all-sky

2121

01:09:24,630 --> 01:09:22,799

surveys with a variety of facilities

2122

01:09:27,189 --> 01:09:24,640

all these surveys both gravitational

2123

01:09:28,870 --> 01:09:27,199

waves experiments and all sky surveys at

2124

01:09:30,550 --> 01:09:28,880

other wavelengths

2125

01:09:32,390 --> 01:09:30,560

then hubble are going to be scanning the

2126
01:09:34,309 --> 01:09:32,400
sky and finding new explosive transient

2127
01:09:36,950 --> 01:09:34,319
phenomena and uv optical

2128
01:09:37,990 --> 01:09:36,960
follow-up data with hubble will be key

2129
01:09:40,950 --> 01:09:38,000
because hubble

2130
01:09:43,030 --> 01:09:40,960
has unique capabilities and it'll help

2131
01:09:43,829 --> 01:09:43,040
provide a localization within the host

2132
01:09:45,749 --> 01:09:43,839
galaxy

2133
01:09:47,590 --> 01:09:45,759
for these events it'll provide high

2134
01:09:49,189 --> 01:09:47,600
position precision positions and

2135
01:09:50,550 --> 01:09:49,199
luminosities

2136
01:09:52,229 --> 01:09:50,560
it'll also provide discrimination

2137
01:09:53,510 --> 01:09:52,239
between competing models of the

2138
01:09:55,990 --> 01:09:53,520

transient event

2139

01:09:57,750 --> 01:09:56,000

and just to show you how it can do that

2140

01:09:59,750 --> 01:09:57,760

what's plotted here is from this

2141

01:10:02,229 --> 01:09:59,760

gravitational wave event 2017

2142

01:10:03,430 --> 01:10:02,239

is a plot of the brightness versus time

2143

01:10:07,030 --> 01:10:03,440

in days

2144

01:10:09,110 --> 01:10:07,040

at different wavelengths so in the

2145

01:10:10,790 --> 01:10:09,120

purple colors that's ultraviolet light

2146

01:10:11,910 --> 01:10:10,800

and then the red colors that's infrared

2147

01:10:15,990 --> 01:10:11,920

light

2148

01:10:17,910 --> 01:10:16,000

and this is from a variety of data sets

2149

01:10:19,669 --> 01:10:17,920

looking at this gravitational wave event

2150

01:10:20,950 --> 01:10:19,679

over the course of several days

2151

01:10:23,110 --> 01:10:20,960

and weeks and you can see in the

2152

01:10:24,470 --> 01:10:23,120

ultraviolet the gravitational wave event

2153

01:10:26,390 --> 01:10:24,480

fades quite quickly

2154

01:10:28,950 --> 01:10:26,400

whereas it takes weeks to fade in the

2155

01:10:32,070 --> 01:10:28,960

infrared and so this strong

2156

01:10:34,390 --> 01:10:32,080

wavelength dependence to the decay will

2157

01:10:37,189 --> 01:10:34,400

give us insight into competing models of

2158

01:10:39,830 --> 01:10:37,199

the physics of what's happening here

2159

01:10:41,830 --> 01:10:39,840

so hubble's outlook for the 2020s hubble

2160

01:10:44,709 --> 01:10:41,840

will play an exciting role in the next

2161

01:10:45,990 --> 01:10:44,719

decade of astrophysics hubble and webb

2162

01:10:48,310 --> 01:10:46,000

working together

2163

01:10:51,189 --> 01:10:48,320

will give us amazing insight into

2164

01:10:52,870 --> 01:10:51,199

exoplanets and their atmospheres

2165

01:10:55,110 --> 01:10:52,880

hubble will continue to probe the

2166

01:10:57,189 --> 01:10:55,120

expansion of the universe and the dark

2167

01:10:59,189 --> 01:10:57,199

energy responsible for it

2168

01:11:01,830 --> 01:10:59,199

hubble will work with solar system

2169

01:11:03,590 --> 01:11:01,840

missions exploring our own solar system

2170

01:11:05,030 --> 01:11:03,600

and hubble data will be key to

2171

01:11:07,590 --> 01:11:05,040

understanding

2172

01:11:09,110 --> 01:11:07,600

the data obtained of other upcoming

2173

01:11:12,709 --> 01:11:09,120

survey facilities

2174

01:11:14,310 --> 01:11:12,719

exploring transient explosive phenomena

2175

01:11:16,470 --> 01:11:14,320

we're going to have a new decade of all

2176
01:11:17,350 --> 01:11:16,480
sky surveys and also gravitational wave

2177
01:11:19,189 --> 01:11:17,360
astronomy

2178
01:11:21,750 --> 01:11:19,199
and hubble will be involved in all that

2179
01:11:28,229 --> 01:11:24,870
ah thank you tom that was great i mean

2180
01:11:29,030 --> 01:11:28,239
that is yeah i mean it takes a lot to

2181
01:11:30,709 --> 01:11:29,040
cram into an

2182
01:11:32,870 --> 01:11:30,719
hour all the things that hubble's done

2183
01:11:34,790 --> 01:11:32,880
for 30 years

2184
01:11:36,070 --> 01:11:34,800
how long have you been the uh hst

2185
01:11:38,790 --> 01:11:36,080
mission head

2186
01:11:40,070 --> 01:11:38,800
since 2016. i worked on james webb for

2187
01:11:40,950 --> 01:11:40,080
eight years before that and hubble

2188
01:11:43,510 --> 01:11:40,960

before that

2189

01:11:44,870 --> 01:11:43,520

right so you've seen uh you know quite

2190

01:11:46,390 --> 01:11:44,880

quite a bit of

2191

01:11:47,910 --> 01:11:46,400

some of the new stuff that we've done

2192

01:11:50,229 --> 01:11:47,920

we've been able to do

2193

01:11:51,189 --> 01:11:50,239

and so i i guess one of the questions i

2194

01:11:53,030 --> 01:11:51,199

would ask is

2195

01:11:55,030 --> 01:11:53,040

in looking at how hubble has changed

2196

01:11:55,669 --> 01:11:55,040

over how we've used hubble over the over

2197

01:11:58,310 --> 01:11:55,679

the years

2198

01:11:59,669 --> 01:11:58,320

you showcase the the drift scanning are

2199

01:12:00,870 --> 01:11:59,679

there other really cool things that

2200

01:12:02,390 --> 01:12:00,880

we've been able to do with hubble that

2201

01:12:03,350 --> 01:12:02,400

we didn't really imagine

2202

01:12:05,990 --> 01:12:03,360

that we were going to do from the

2203

01:12:07,270 --> 01:12:06,000

beginning i mean the actual planets is

2204

01:12:08,630 --> 01:12:07,280

the most obvious thing it really

2205

01:12:10,229 --> 01:12:08,640

captures the imagination because the

2206

01:12:11,350 --> 01:12:10,239

whole search for life it's really laying

2207

01:12:13,430 --> 01:12:11,360

the groundwork

2208

01:12:14,790 --> 01:12:13,440

for the eventual discovery of life and

2209

01:12:16,630 --> 01:12:14,800

other systems you know that's that's

2210

01:12:18,149 --> 01:12:16,640

one of the holy grails of astronomy so i

2211

01:12:20,229 --> 01:12:18,159

would say that uh

2212

01:12:21,990 --> 01:12:20,239

the high precision measurements that

2213

01:12:23,430 --> 01:12:22,000

we're doing with astrometry that

2214

01:12:25,510 --> 01:12:23,440

again i highlighted this early in the

2215

01:12:27,830 --> 01:12:25,520

talk that was not really foreseen

2216

01:12:29,270 --> 01:12:27,840

at this level uh when hubble launched we

2217

01:12:30,070 --> 01:12:29,280

knew that hubble was going to give us

2218

01:12:32,470 --> 01:12:30,080

really

2219

01:12:33,510 --> 01:12:32,480

amazing detail and high contrast high

2220

01:12:35,189 --> 01:12:33,520

resolution imaging

2221

01:12:36,630 --> 01:12:35,199

that would allow us to measure positions

2222

01:12:38,229 --> 01:12:36,640

and motions of stars

2223

01:12:40,229 --> 01:12:38,239

but with this drift scanning as we said

2224

01:12:42,470 --> 01:12:40,239

now that we can do its orders of

2225

01:12:43,830 --> 01:12:42,480

magnitude more powerful than we

2226

01:12:45,350 --> 01:12:43,840

thought we would be able to do at launch

2227

01:12:46,870 --> 01:12:45,360

and it's competitive with dedicated

2228

01:12:49,110 --> 01:12:46,880

missions i mean the gaia mission

2229

01:12:51,030 --> 01:12:49,120

is doing amazing work in this area over

2230

01:12:52,310 --> 01:12:51,040

the vast area you know sky but hubble

2231

01:12:53,510 --> 01:12:52,320

gets measurements that are competitive

2232

01:12:55,110 --> 01:12:53,520

with gaia in this area

2233

01:12:56,950 --> 01:12:55,120

and is actually you know used for

2234

01:12:57,669 --> 01:12:56,960

specific ways to complement what gaia is

2235

01:12:59,750 --> 01:12:57,679

doing so

2236

01:13:01,030 --> 01:12:59,760

i mean as the field changes hubble gets

2237

01:13:01,669 --> 01:13:01,040

used in new innovative ways to

2238

01:13:04,790 --> 01:13:01,679

complement

2239

01:13:06,870 --> 01:13:04,800

with other facilities

2240

01:13:08,630 --> 01:13:06,880

right and that's one of the benefits of

2241

01:13:11,189 --> 01:13:08,640

having a telescope that you

2242

01:13:11,830 --> 01:13:11,199

learn and re-learn and adjust for 30

2243

01:13:13,510 --> 01:13:11,840

years

2244

01:13:15,430 --> 01:13:13,520

right so we actually had a question

2245

01:13:18,390 --> 01:13:15,440

about that in our chat

2246

01:13:19,189 --> 01:13:18,400

um and it said how do you line up

2247

01:13:21,590 --> 01:13:19,199

multiple

2248

01:13:22,950 --> 01:13:21,600

exposures so precisely i mean hubble's

2249

01:13:24,149 --> 01:13:22,960

orbiting and it's got to be wiggling and

2250

01:13:25,669 --> 01:13:24,159

wobbling and such and

2251

01:13:27,910 --> 01:13:25,679

can you explain a bit about the uh the

2252

01:13:29,189 --> 01:13:27,920

fts stuff sure yeah so the pointing

2253

01:13:32,229 --> 01:13:29,199

control system

2254

01:13:33,750 --> 01:13:32,239

involves multiple components that are

2255

01:13:34,229 --> 01:13:33,760

all working together and when we're

2256

01:13:36,310 --> 01:13:34,239

actually

2257

01:13:38,149 --> 01:13:36,320

looking at an object we have three

2258

01:13:39,750 --> 01:13:38,159

operational gyroscopes

2259

01:13:40,950 --> 01:13:39,760

that are helping to orient the telescope

2260

01:13:43,110 --> 01:13:40,960

and then we also have what we said that

2261

01:13:44,950 --> 01:13:43,120

was the fine guidance sensor package

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01:13:47,189 --> 01:13:44,960

and these are three fine guidance

2263

01:13:48,950 --> 01:13:47,199

sensors that we also call the pickles

2264

01:13:50,149 --> 01:13:48,960

they have sort of a pickle shaped view

2265

01:13:52,149 --> 01:13:50,159

on the sky that

2266

01:13:53,990 --> 01:13:52,159

extends a much wider field of view than

2267

01:13:56,310 --> 01:13:54,000

you get on the normal cameras on hubble

2268

01:13:57,750 --> 01:13:56,320

and you can look on the web i don't have

2269

01:13:59,590 --> 01:13:57,760

one handy in the slides here but

2270

01:14:00,709 --> 01:13:59,600

you can see the the focal plane of

2271

01:14:02,149 --> 01:14:00,719

hubble and where all the different

2272

01:14:03,430 --> 01:14:02,159

cameras look and then the pickles are

2273

01:14:05,189 --> 01:14:03,440

these very obvious three

2274

01:14:06,630 --> 01:14:05,199

pickle-shaped fields of view and what

2275

01:14:08,310 --> 01:14:06,640

they do is they look at a big

2276

01:14:09,910 --> 01:14:08,320

group of stars and that fall into the

2277

01:14:11,990 --> 01:14:09,920

pickles and just track

2278

01:14:13,590 --> 01:14:12,000

where those stars are within the field

2279

01:14:13,990 --> 01:14:13,600

of view to find guidance sensors and you

2280

01:14:16,550 --> 01:14:14,000

have those

2281

01:14:17,590 --> 01:14:16,560

working in tandem with the the

2282

01:14:19,510 --> 01:14:17,600

gyroscopes

2283

01:14:20,870 --> 01:14:19,520

and then the reaction wheels can orient

2284

01:14:22,310 --> 01:14:20,880

the telescope and all those work

2285

01:14:24,229 --> 01:14:22,320

together very carefully

2286

01:14:26,070 --> 01:14:24,239

to hold things steady at the level of

2287

01:14:27,830 --> 01:14:26,080

milliarc seconds i mean so that's it's a

2288

01:14:29,669 --> 01:14:27,840

system that all works together dovetails

2289

01:14:31,430 --> 01:14:29,679

together very precisely

2290

01:14:32,709 --> 01:14:31,440

right i don't think people recognize

2291

01:14:34,310 --> 01:14:32,719

that they sort of think it's just the

2292

01:14:36,630 --> 01:14:34,320

gyroscopes doing it all

2293

01:14:38,229 --> 01:14:36,640

right and getting getting getting that

2294

01:14:39,590 --> 01:14:38,239

feedback loop between

2295

01:14:41,830 --> 01:14:39,600

all the different systems is so

2296

01:14:42,550 --> 01:14:41,840

important right okay so we got some

2297

01:14:43,910 --> 01:14:42,560

basic uh

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01:14:46,149 --> 01:14:43,920

uh questions that we always get about

2299

01:14:49,030 --> 01:14:46,159

hubble so i'll hit those first of all

2300

01:14:49,350 --> 01:14:49,040

sure um would another servicing mission

2301
01:14:51,510 --> 01:14:49,360
be

2302
01:14:52,709 --> 01:14:51,520
possible with for example the falcon

2303
01:14:54,630 --> 01:14:52,719
heavy

2304
01:14:56,070 --> 01:14:54,640
um right now there are no servicing

2305
01:14:59,350 --> 01:14:56,080
missions planned

2306
01:15:01,110 --> 01:14:59,360
but it is intriguing to watch the the

2307
01:15:02,070 --> 01:15:01,120
new variety of launch services coming

2308
01:15:04,550 --> 01:15:02,080
online as the

2309
01:15:05,189 --> 01:15:04,560
as the you know cooperation between uh

2310
01:15:07,430 --> 01:15:05,199
both

2311
01:15:08,709 --> 01:15:07,440
government space programs and commercial

2312
01:15:09,990 --> 01:15:08,719
space programs prior you know like

2313
01:15:13,510 --> 01:15:10,000

spacex and blue origin

2314

01:15:14,630 --> 01:15:13,520

and so forth uh so it's possible that

2315

01:15:16,550 --> 01:15:14,640

someday someone could

2316

01:15:18,310 --> 01:15:16,560

service hubble i mean right now no one

2317

01:15:20,070 --> 01:15:18,320

has mapped that out in detail but yes

2318

01:15:20,870 --> 01:15:20,080

there are heavy lift capabilities coming

2319

01:15:22,870 --> 01:15:20,880

into play

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01:15:24,149 --> 01:15:22,880

people have looked in the past at ways

2321

01:15:26,950 --> 01:15:24,159

we could have you know in the

2322

01:15:28,630 --> 01:15:26,960

at the in the early 2000s uh when the

2323

01:15:29,430 --> 01:15:28,640

servicing the last service admission to

2324

01:15:31,430 --> 01:15:29,440

hubble

2325

01:15:32,630 --> 01:15:31,440

was in danger of being uh canceled and

2326

01:15:33,910 --> 01:15:32,640

not proceeding people were looking at

2327

01:15:35,350 --> 01:15:33,920

ways of doing hubble servicing

2328

01:15:37,270 --> 01:15:35,360

robotically for example

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01:15:38,870 --> 01:15:37,280

so people have looked at innovative ways

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01:15:40,550 --> 01:15:38,880

to service hubble

2331

01:15:41,910 --> 01:15:40,560

and these new launch facilities coming

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01:15:45,030 --> 01:15:41,920

online could certainly

2333

01:15:47,750 --> 01:15:45,040

you know revisit that question good so

2334

01:15:49,350 --> 01:15:47,760

the obvious question then is without a

2335

01:15:52,709 --> 01:15:49,360

service commission how long do

2336

01:15:55,189 --> 01:15:52,719

do we expect hubble to last so hubble

2337

01:15:56,950 --> 01:15:55,199

is has already lasted much longer than

2338

01:15:58,470 --> 01:15:56,960

we expected and that's good news so i'm

2339

01:15:59,270 --> 01:15:58,480

not saying that uh oh that means it can

2340

01:16:01,510 --> 01:15:59,280

go any day

2341

01:16:02,870 --> 01:16:01,520

this is really a a positive story

2342

01:16:04,790 --> 01:16:02,880

because during the last service in

2343

01:16:06,229 --> 01:16:04,800

mission 2009

2344

01:16:07,510 --> 01:16:06,239

and i worked on one of the instruments

2345

01:16:08,630 --> 01:16:07,520

that whitefield camera three that's what

2346

01:16:09,510 --> 01:16:08,640

i was working on right before i switched

2347

01:16:11,270 --> 01:16:09,520

to james webb

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01:16:12,470 --> 01:16:11,280

we were hopeful that hubble at that time

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01:16:14,310 --> 01:16:12,480

after the last servicing mission would

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01:16:16,070 --> 01:16:14,320

last till about 2016 or so

2351
01:16:17,510 --> 01:16:16,080
that was really what we were looking for

2352
01:16:19,030 --> 01:16:17,520
but what happened was

2353
01:16:20,390 --> 01:16:19,040
after everything was up there we saw how

2354
01:16:22,070 --> 01:16:20,400
well everything was working and we were

2355
01:16:24,070 --> 01:16:22,080
able to track everything and watch the

2356
01:16:26,070 --> 01:16:24,080
evolution of it as it was up there and

2357
01:16:28,070 --> 01:16:26,080
in the harsh environment of space we had

2358
01:16:29,350 --> 01:16:28,080
to re-evaluate those reliability

2359
01:16:30,790 --> 01:16:29,360
estimates because we said oh hey you

2360
01:16:32,310 --> 01:16:30,800
know a lot of the things that

2361
01:16:33,990 --> 01:16:32,320
that look like they could be wearing out

2362
01:16:34,790 --> 01:16:34,000
it's actually working much better than

2363
01:16:36,709 --> 01:16:34,800

we thought and so

2364

01:16:38,070 --> 01:16:36,719

the engineers at nasa gave that all

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01:16:39,910 --> 01:16:38,080

another look and they

2366

01:16:41,510 --> 01:16:39,920

continuously update the estimates for

2367

01:16:42,470 --> 01:16:41,520

how reliable the different subsystems

2368

01:16:44,149 --> 01:16:42,480

and instruments are

2369

01:16:45,750 --> 01:16:44,159

and right now there's an excellent

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01:16:47,110 --> 01:16:45,760

chance that we are operational through

2371

01:16:48,709 --> 01:16:47,120

2026

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01:16:50,630 --> 01:16:48,719

and every year operational things look

2373

01:16:51,750 --> 01:16:50,640

better and better and so there's still a

2374

01:16:52,790 --> 01:16:51,760

good chance it lasts throughout the

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01:16:55,270 --> 01:16:52,800

2020s so

2376

01:16:55,990 --> 01:16:55,280

you know we'll see all right so that

2377

01:16:57,350 --> 01:16:56,000

leads to

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01:16:59,110 --> 01:16:57,360

the other the other question that was

2379

01:17:01,590 --> 01:16:59,120

asked is

2380

01:17:02,950 --> 01:17:01,600

about the capabilities of hst versus

2381

01:17:04,950 --> 01:17:02,960

jwst

2382

01:17:07,430 --> 01:17:04,960

and then we just got a recent question

2383

01:17:09,590 --> 01:17:07,440

about jjsd and hsd working together

2384

01:17:10,870 --> 01:17:09,600

so some people don't understand the the

2385

01:17:12,149 --> 01:17:10,880

different capabilities the two

2386

01:17:13,270 --> 01:17:12,159

telescopes have can you just go into

2387

01:17:15,510 --> 01:17:13,280

that for a little bit sure

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01:17:17,750 --> 01:17:15,520

so first of all james webb is much

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01:17:19,750 --> 01:17:17,760

larger than hubble it has a much bigger

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01:17:21,270 --> 01:17:19,760

aperture the width of its primary mirror

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01:17:22,790 --> 01:17:21,280

is six and a half meters across whereas

2392

01:17:24,070 --> 01:17:22,800

hubble is 2.4 meters across

2393

01:17:25,430 --> 01:17:24,080

so there's a lot more collecting area

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01:17:26,470 --> 01:17:25,440

for james webb and james webb was

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01:17:29,510 --> 01:17:26,480

designed

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01:17:32,470 --> 01:17:29,520

primarily to look at very faint

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01:17:34,149 --> 01:17:32,480

red objects in the far distant universe

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01:17:35,189 --> 01:17:34,159

looking way back in time looking all the

2399

01:17:37,750 --> 01:17:35,199

way across the universe

2400

01:17:38,630 --> 01:17:37,760

and so it's an infrared telescope uh it

2401

01:17:40,470 --> 01:17:38,640

has a

2402

01:17:42,709 --> 01:17:40,480

large segmented primary mirror to

2403

01:17:44,550 --> 01:17:42,719

collect this very faint infrared light

2404

01:17:45,910 --> 01:17:44,560

uh it doesn't really operate at short

2405

01:17:47,030 --> 01:17:45,920

wavelengths into the optical and

2406

01:17:49,590 --> 01:17:47,040

ultraviolet

2407

01:17:50,709 --> 01:17:49,600

and that's where hubble really shines

2408

01:17:52,149 --> 01:17:50,719

and because

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01:17:53,669 --> 01:17:52,159

it's one of the only facilities that

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01:17:54,950 --> 01:17:53,679

really you know it's the largest

2411

01:17:55,590 --> 01:17:54,960

telescope working the ultraviolet

2412

01:17:58,149 --> 01:17:55,600

optical

2413

01:17:58,950 --> 01:17:58,159

in space and so what we're going to see

2414

01:18:01,270 --> 01:17:58,960

is a shift

2415

01:18:02,950 --> 01:18:01,280

i think after james webb launches where

2416

01:18:04,630 --> 01:18:02,960

james webb is really going to be pushing

2417

01:18:05,990 --> 01:18:04,640

the envelope in the infrared

2418

01:18:07,350 --> 01:18:06,000

i think we'll still do infrared science

2419

01:18:08,950 --> 01:18:07,360

with hubble but we'll shift what we're

2420

01:18:10,390 --> 01:18:08,960

doing with uh on in the infrared hubble

2421

01:18:11,510 --> 01:18:10,400

given the presence of james webb

2422

01:18:13,350 --> 01:18:11,520

and then you're going to see things

2423

01:18:14,950 --> 01:18:13,360

working in tandem where looking at the

2424

01:18:16,550 --> 01:18:14,960

same object like an exoplanet

2425

01:18:17,910 --> 01:18:16,560

james webb will get the infrared data

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01:18:19,590 --> 01:18:17,920

hubble will get the ultrabon optical

2427

01:18:20,229 --> 01:18:19,600

data and you'll combine those to really

2428

01:18:21,510 --> 01:18:20,239

learn

2429

01:18:23,750 --> 01:18:21,520

everything about that object that you

2430

01:18:24,390 --> 01:18:23,760

can and the exoplanets is a great

2431

01:18:25,910 --> 01:18:24,400

example

2432

01:18:27,590 --> 01:18:25,920

of where that really works well but

2433

01:18:29,110 --> 01:18:27,600

there are other areas as well

2434

01:18:30,950 --> 01:18:29,120

exactly because you know your

2435

01:18:33,510 --> 01:18:30,960

demonstration in your slides

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01:18:34,950 --> 01:18:33,520

of why we need multiple telescopes in

2437

01:18:37,189 --> 01:18:34,960

multiple wavelengths

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01:18:39,030 --> 01:18:37,199

really show you know nasa doesn't need

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01:18:40,790 --> 01:18:39,040

just one telescope it needs a fleet of

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01:18:42,790 --> 01:18:40,800

telescopes to cover as much of the

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01:18:44,470 --> 01:18:42,800

electromagnetic spectrum as we can

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01:18:45,669 --> 01:18:44,480

yeah and hannah wakeford that was her

2443

01:18:47,350 --> 01:18:45,679

research there i had her name on the

2444

01:18:49,270 --> 01:18:47,360

slide but she's really given

2445

01:18:50,550 --> 01:18:49,280

stupendous talks if you look out there

2446

01:18:51,669 --> 01:18:50,560

on this subject about how

2447

01:18:53,350 --> 01:18:51,679

synergistically

2448

01:18:55,189 --> 01:18:53,360

combining exoplanet data from different

2449

01:18:57,830 --> 01:18:55,199

facilities really breaks open you know

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01:19:00,149 --> 01:18:57,840

what you can learn

2451

01:19:02,709 --> 01:19:00,159

um somebody asked uh has hubble ever

2452

01:19:05,110 --> 01:19:02,719

been hit by space debris

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01:19:06,830 --> 01:19:05,120

uh yes so it gets hit by microbes i like

2454

01:19:10,310 --> 01:19:06,840

the movie gravity by the way

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01:19:11,830 --> 01:19:10,320

yeah right so so it does

2456

01:19:13,510 --> 01:19:11,840

you know there's the environment of

2457

01:19:15,110 --> 01:19:13,520

space is pretty harsh so there are both

2458

01:19:16,229 --> 01:19:15,120

cosmic rays passing through hubble and

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01:19:18,470 --> 01:19:16,239

bouncing around

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01:19:20,390 --> 01:19:18,480

uh and causing scattering uh radiation

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01:19:21,910 --> 01:19:20,400

scattering uh and then there's also

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01:19:23,510 --> 01:19:21,920

micro meteorites and so when the

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01:19:24,229 --> 01:19:23,520

astronauts go up there every servicing

2464

01:19:26,149 --> 01:19:24,239

mission

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01:19:27,830 --> 01:19:26,159

they've refurbished the outside of

2466

01:19:29,750 --> 01:19:27,840

hubble and the blankets and

2467

01:19:31,430 --> 01:19:29,760

the surface of hubble and you can see

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01:19:32,630 --> 01:19:31,440

impacts from hubble but it's not like

2469

01:19:34,229 --> 01:19:32,640

something you know

2470

01:19:36,310 --> 01:19:34,239

has gone clear through it and you know

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01:19:38,070 --> 01:19:36,320

done damage that uh is catastrophic in

2472

01:19:39,590 --> 01:19:38,080

any way or anything like that it's just

2473

01:19:42,149 --> 01:19:39,600

uh you can see the impacts from

2474

01:19:45,350 --> 01:19:42,159

micrometeorites et cetera yeah

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01:19:45,669 --> 01:19:45,360

okay and then we get um a question that

2476

01:19:49,430 --> 01:19:45,679

i'm

2477

01:19:51,430 --> 01:19:49,440

to answer this one

2478

01:19:53,110 --> 01:19:51,440

uh do you think faint gravitational

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01:19:55,750 --> 01:19:53,120

waves from the early universe

2480

01:19:56,870 --> 01:19:55,760

will contribute to the cosmological

2481

01:19:59,030 --> 01:19:56,880

constant or understanding of the

2482

01:20:01,910 --> 01:19:59,040

cosmological constant and such

2483

01:20:03,830 --> 01:20:01,920

uh they're trying to take these

2484

01:20:05,510 --> 01:20:03,840

gravitational wave discoveries and see

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01:20:06,870 --> 01:20:05,520

does this affect the universe on large

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01:20:10,709 --> 01:20:06,880

scale with this

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01:20:13,590 --> 01:20:10,719

uh the dark energy i mean dark energy

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01:20:15,030 --> 01:20:13,600

still remains a mystery and as as these

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01:20:17,990 --> 01:20:15,040

as the uncertainties shrink

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01:20:18,790 --> 01:20:18,000

on the measurement of this expansion we

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01:20:20,149 --> 01:20:18,800

begin to

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01:20:22,070 --> 01:20:20,159

these groups who are doing this research

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01:20:23,430 --> 01:20:22,080

begin to rule out some of the possible

2494

01:20:24,629 --> 01:20:23,440

explanations for dark energy and the

2495

01:20:27,669 --> 01:20:24,639

expansion of the universe

2496

01:20:29,350 --> 01:20:27,679

uh given the the variety of answers

2497

01:20:31,110 --> 01:20:29,360

still on the table

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01:20:33,590 --> 01:20:31,120

i guess it's not unthinkable that the

2499

01:20:35,430 --> 01:20:33,600

gravitational wave astronomy could help

2500

01:20:37,510 --> 01:20:35,440

uh shed more light on that on that

2501

01:20:38,390 --> 01:20:37,520

problem uh no pun intended there because

2502

01:20:39,350 --> 01:20:38,400

there's really no light with the

2503

01:20:42,070 --> 01:20:39,360

gravitational waves but

2504

01:20:43,669 --> 01:20:42,080

but uh but i i you know i suppose it

2505

01:20:44,870 --> 01:20:43,679

could help narrow down what's going on

2506

01:20:46,790 --> 01:20:44,880

but i'm not a gravitational wave

2507

01:20:47,590 --> 01:20:46,800

astronomer either uh so i could just

2508

01:20:49,030 --> 01:20:47,600

tell you that

2509

01:20:51,110 --> 01:20:49,040

you know i've seen people looking at it

2510

01:20:53,030 --> 01:20:51,120

in cosmic microwave background radiation

2511

01:20:54,790 --> 01:20:53,040

and through these different uh chains of

2512

01:20:55,510 --> 01:20:54,800

evidence of the expansion from local

2513

01:20:57,750 --> 01:20:55,520

objects

2514

01:21:00,149 --> 01:20:57,760

gravitational wave astronomy might have

2515

01:21:03,189 --> 01:21:00,159

a role to play

2516

01:21:04,629 --> 01:21:03,199

it's um it's such a cool that we're

2517

01:21:06,950 --> 01:21:04,639

getting these new

2518

01:21:08,390 --> 01:21:06,960

ways of seeing the universe popping up

2519

01:21:10,629 --> 01:21:08,400

in our lifetime

2520

01:21:13,350 --> 01:21:10,639

okay last question i i gleaned from the

2521

01:21:15,030 --> 01:21:13,360

chat was about gravitational lensing

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01:21:16,470 --> 01:21:15,040

and it appears that this person is used

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01:21:16,950 --> 01:21:16,480

to seeing gravitational lensing as

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01:21:19,189 --> 01:21:16,960

forming

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01:21:20,870 --> 01:21:19,199

rings but when you showed them that they

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01:21:22,390 --> 01:21:20,880

were the point sources

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01:21:23,990 --> 01:21:22,400

right can you just go in a little bit

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01:21:25,669 --> 01:21:24,000

about that and how

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01:21:27,110 --> 01:21:25,679

gravitational lens can produce different

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01:21:30,229 --> 01:21:27,120

imaging sure

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01:21:31,669 --> 01:21:30,239

so if you actually make a map uh and i

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01:21:32,070 --> 01:21:31,679

showed in that one slide where that's

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01:21:33,189 --> 01:21:32,080

where

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01:21:34,149 --> 01:21:33,199

it looked like the video went off the

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01:21:35,590 --> 01:21:34,159

rails for a little bit and then i

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01:21:37,910 --> 01:21:35,600

brought it back so i guess people still

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01:21:39,830 --> 01:21:37,920

saw those images right

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01:21:41,270 --> 01:21:39,840

so there's actually a great paper on

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01:21:43,270 --> 01:21:41,280

this recently that i just saw in the

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01:21:45,430 --> 01:21:43,280

literature that explains this but

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01:21:46,950 --> 01:21:45,440

basically the gravitational lens is the

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01:21:49,830 --> 01:21:46,960

foreground object

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01:21:50,550 --> 01:21:49,840

and depending on how far away you are on

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01:21:53,510 --> 01:21:50,560

the sky

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01:21:54,470 --> 01:21:53,520

far away but you know just the

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01:21:56,709 --> 01:21:54,480

background object

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01:21:57,830 --> 01:21:56,719

where it falls on the sky relative to

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01:21:59,510 --> 01:21:57,840

that massive lens

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01:22:01,669 --> 01:21:59,520

you get dramatically different effects

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01:22:03,189 --> 01:22:01,679

and so there are places where you can go

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01:22:04,629 --> 01:22:03,199
and the geometry is quite complex where

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01:22:04,950 --> 01:22:04,639
you get something like a ring like you

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01:22:06,070 --> 01:22:04,960
said

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01:22:08,149 --> 01:22:06,080
but then there are other places you can

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01:22:09,510 --> 01:22:08,159
go where the light really is focused on

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01:22:11,110 --> 01:22:09,520
one side or the other

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01:22:13,030 --> 01:22:11,120
of the lens and that's when you get

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01:22:14,709 --> 01:22:13,040
these multiple images and

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01:22:16,470 --> 01:22:14,719
depending upon the structure of the

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01:22:18,310 --> 01:22:16,480
gravitational lens itself because often

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01:22:20,709 --> 01:22:18,320
it's not just a single

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01:22:22,310 --> 01:22:20,719
massive galaxy it can also be a galaxy

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01:22:23,189 --> 01:22:22,320

cluster with a complicated mass

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01:22:24,950 --> 01:22:23,199

distribution in there

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01:22:26,629 --> 01:22:24,960

you can get quite complex patterns in

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01:22:27,110 --> 01:22:26,639

the frontier fields so great examples of

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01:22:29,430 --> 01:22:27,120

that

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01:22:30,870 --> 01:22:29,440

where it's not just you know one lens

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01:22:32,790 --> 01:22:30,880

it's all these arcs and and

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01:22:33,990 --> 01:22:32,800

and you know a supernova exploded

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01:22:34,629 --> 01:22:34,000

multiple times even though it's just one

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01:22:36,229 --> 01:22:34,639

supernova

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01:22:37,590 --> 01:22:36,239

which blew people's minds when they saw

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01:22:38,950 --> 01:22:37,600

that i mean that was i mean you know you

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01:22:40,070 --> 01:22:38,960

knew it was possible but to have that

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01:22:41,189 --> 01:22:40,080

happen was like you know get out the

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01:22:42,870 --> 01:22:41,199

party hats because

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01:22:44,709 --> 01:22:42,880

uh because it was really an amazing

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01:22:46,950 --> 01:22:44,719

demonstration of both lensing and the

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01:22:49,669 --> 01:22:46,960

time delays involved right

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01:22:51,590 --> 01:22:49,679

so yeah uh gravitational lensing always

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01:22:54,229 --> 01:22:51,600

attracts the public's fascination

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01:22:55,430 --> 01:22:54,239

and it uh the the number of ways for it

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01:22:57,830 --> 01:22:55,440

to be complex

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01:22:59,030 --> 01:22:57,840

has just multiplied with hubble and i

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01:23:00,950 --> 01:22:59,040

remember when i was

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01:23:03,030 --> 01:23:00,960

just starting with hubble and we got the

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01:23:04,950 --> 01:23:03,040

image of abell 1689

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01:23:06,629 --> 01:23:04,960

and seeing the tremendous lensing that

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01:23:09,669 --> 01:23:06,639

hubble could see

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01:23:11,910 --> 01:23:09,679

that high resolution really has has has

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01:23:15,510 --> 01:23:11,920

made that field just jump

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01:23:18,830 --> 01:23:15,520

right right okay well tom uh

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01:23:20,950 --> 01:23:18,840

that was fantastic a really great great

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01:23:21,990 --> 01:23:20,960

overview i want to say to everybody

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01:23:24,790 --> 01:23:22,000

please join us

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01:23:26,149 --> 01:23:24,800

next month uh april 6th christopher

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01:23:28,629 --> 01:23:26,159

wanzak will be talking about

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01:23:29,430 --> 01:23:28,639

space fares how humans will settle the

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01:23:32,470 --> 01:23:29,440

moon

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01:23:33,350 --> 01:23:32,480

mars and beyond and thank you very much