

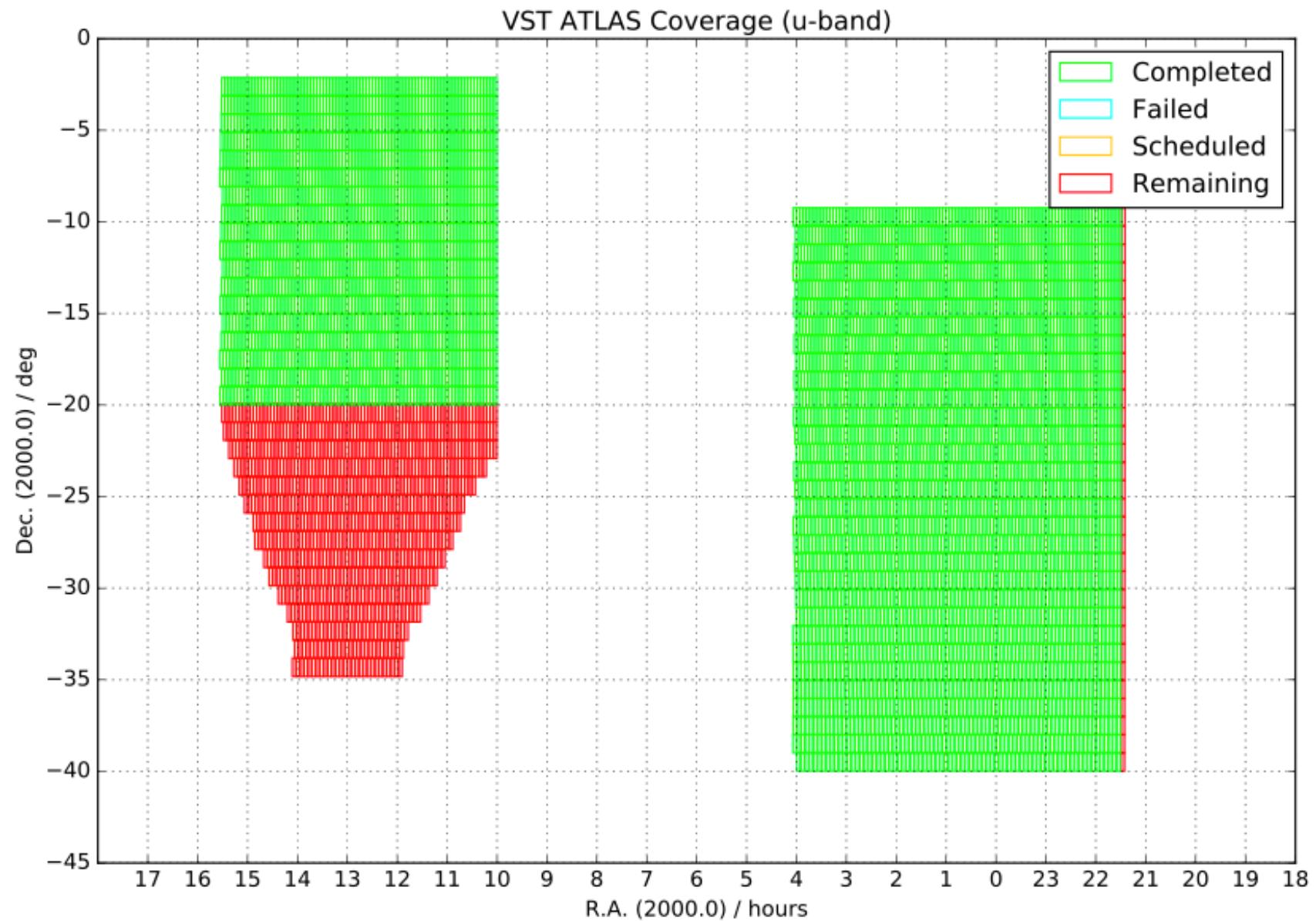
# ATLAS meeting schedule

- 11.00 Coffee
- 11.30 ATLAS Status - Tom Shanks
- 11.50 ATLAS Photometry issues - Nigel Metcalfe
- 12.10 Galaxy Photometry Issues - Behzad Ansarinejad/Ruari Mackenzie
- 12.30 lunch
- 13.00 CASU update
- 13.20 WFAU update
- 13.40-15.00 Discussion
- 15.00-15.30 Action plan

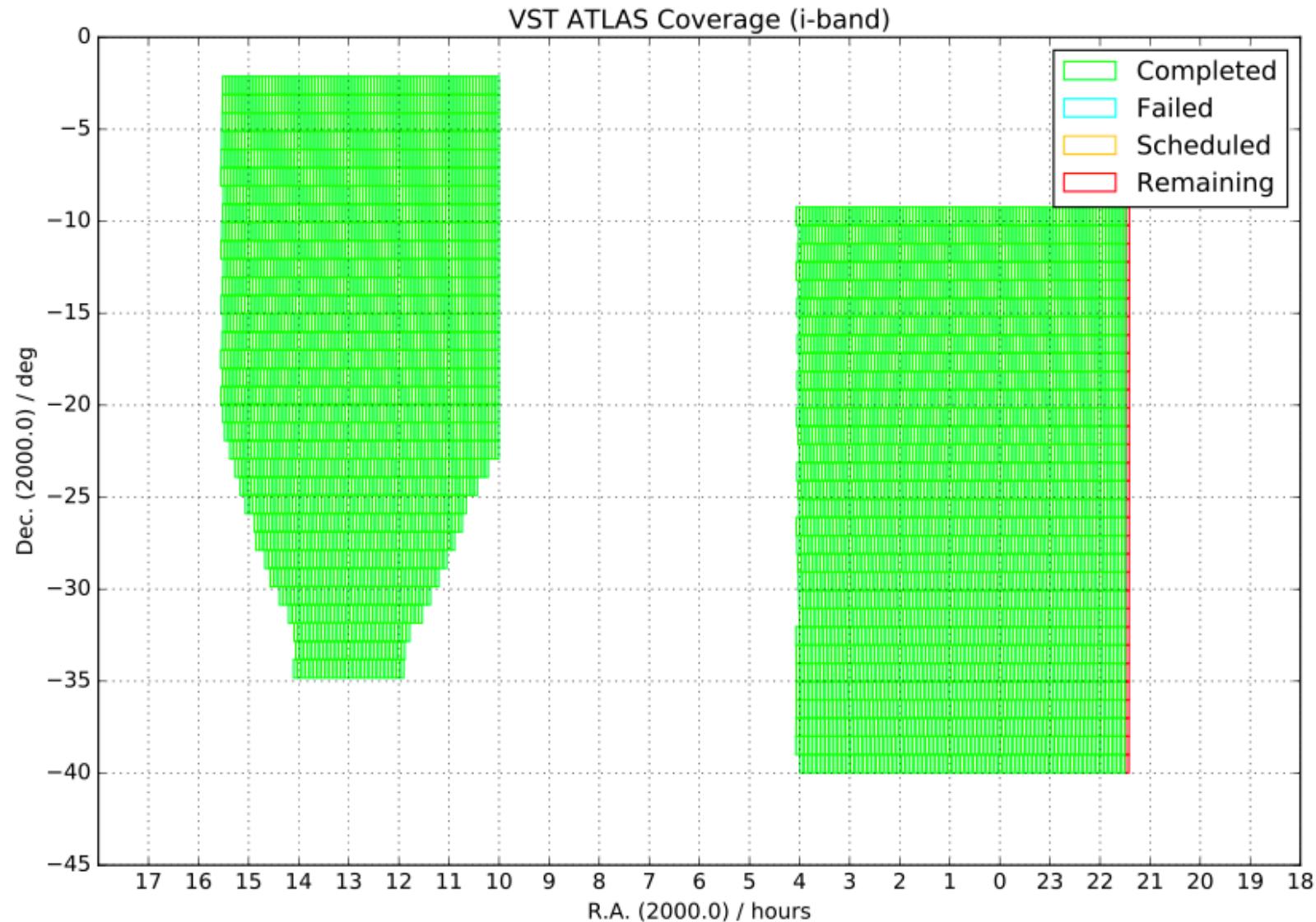
# VST ATLAS Status

Tom Shanks, NM, JRF et al

# Survey completed- u,g,r



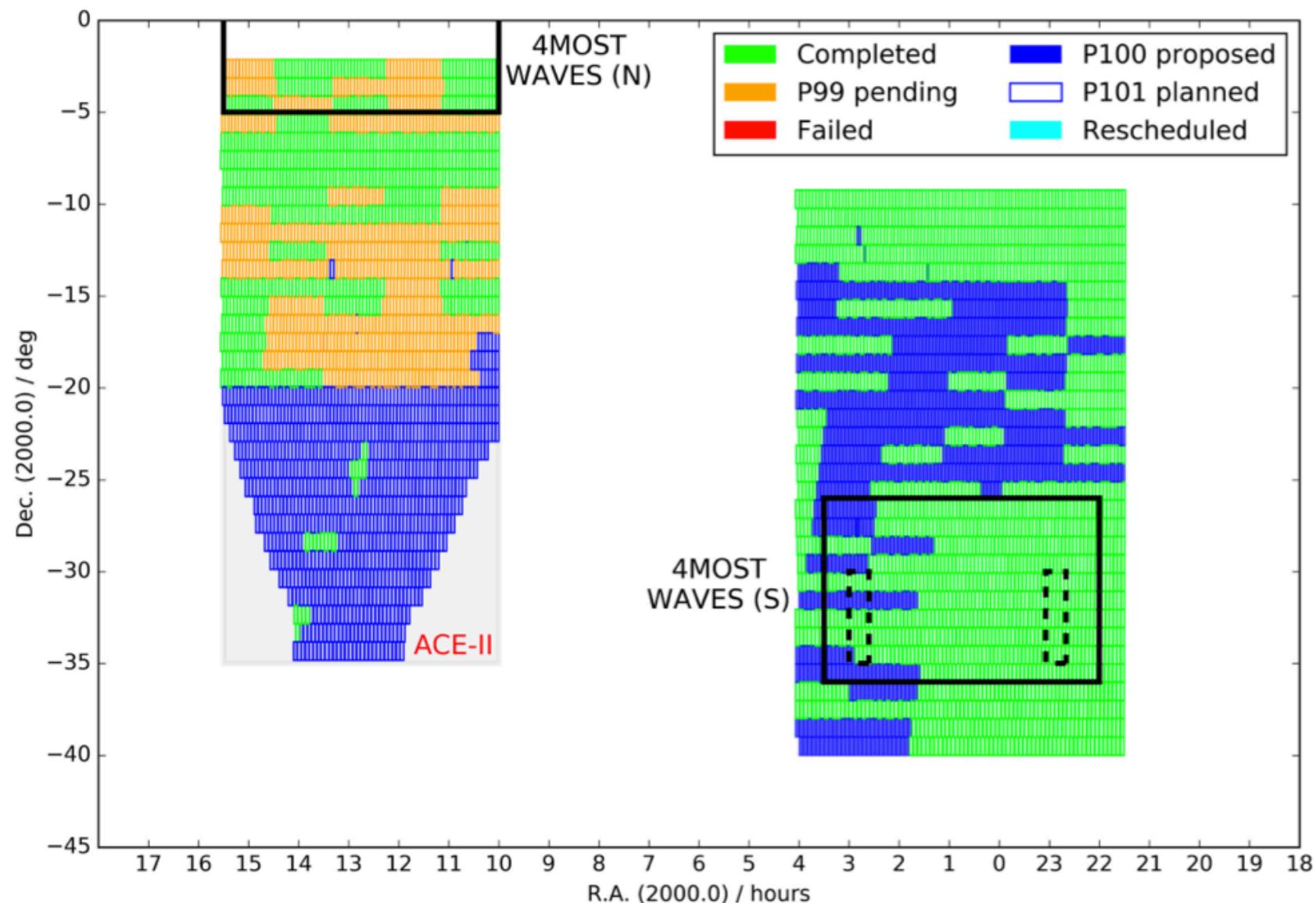
# i,z completed



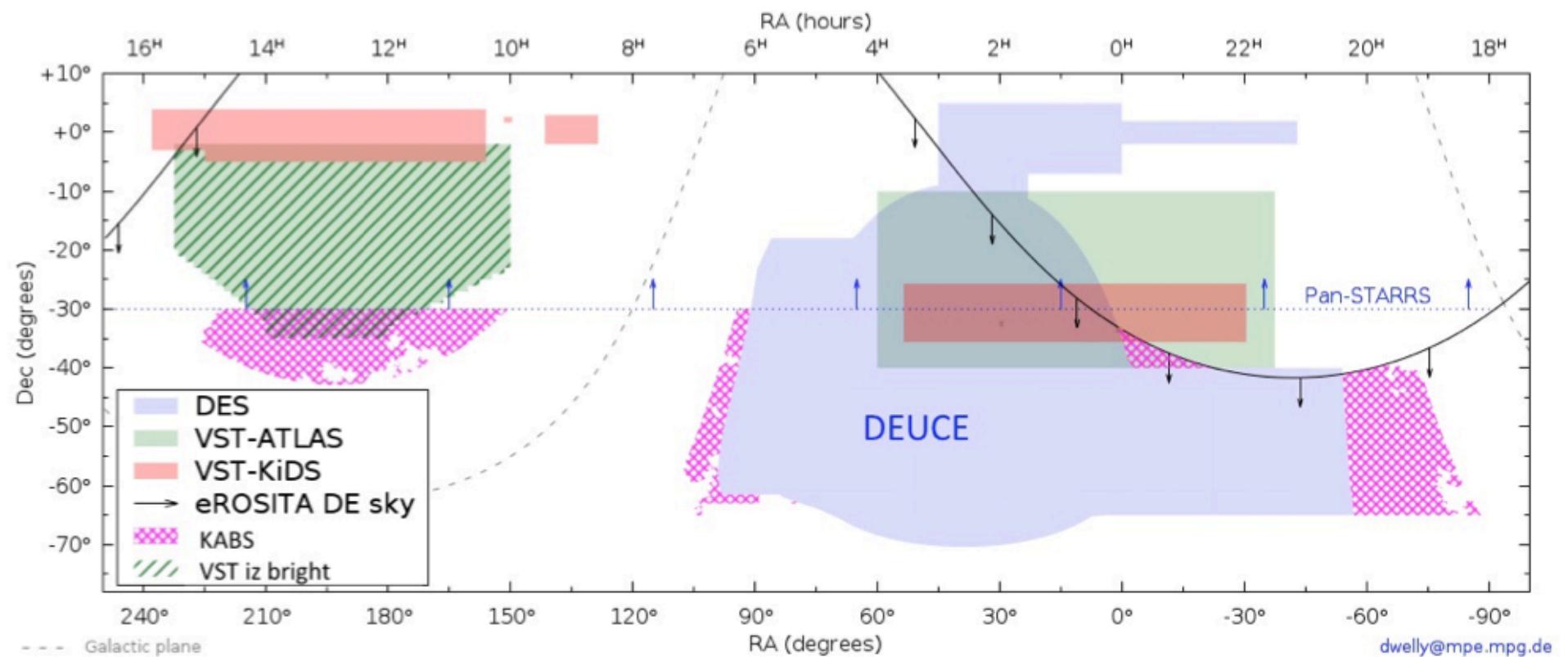
# ATLAS extensions ongoing

- ATLAS Chilean extension (ACE-I or UVAS) - doubles u exposure over 4700deg<sup>2</sup>
- ATLAS Chilean ugr extension (ACE-II) – completes ugr in ~600deg<sup>2</sup> in NGC at Dec<-20
- DES u Chilean Extension (DEUCE) – u-band in non-ATLAS DES area via VST OmegaCam (1400deg<sup>2</sup>)+CTIO DECam (1400deg<sup>2</sup> proposed)
- Kilo-ATLAS Bridging Survey (KABS) ugri to deeper depths

# ACE-I,-II Status 31/3/17



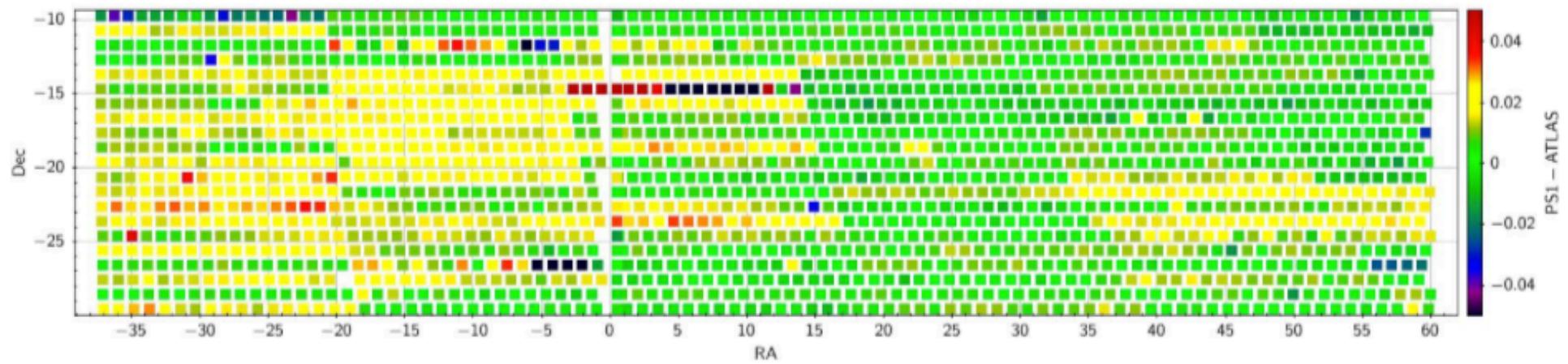
# ATLAS Extensions + eROSITA-dE



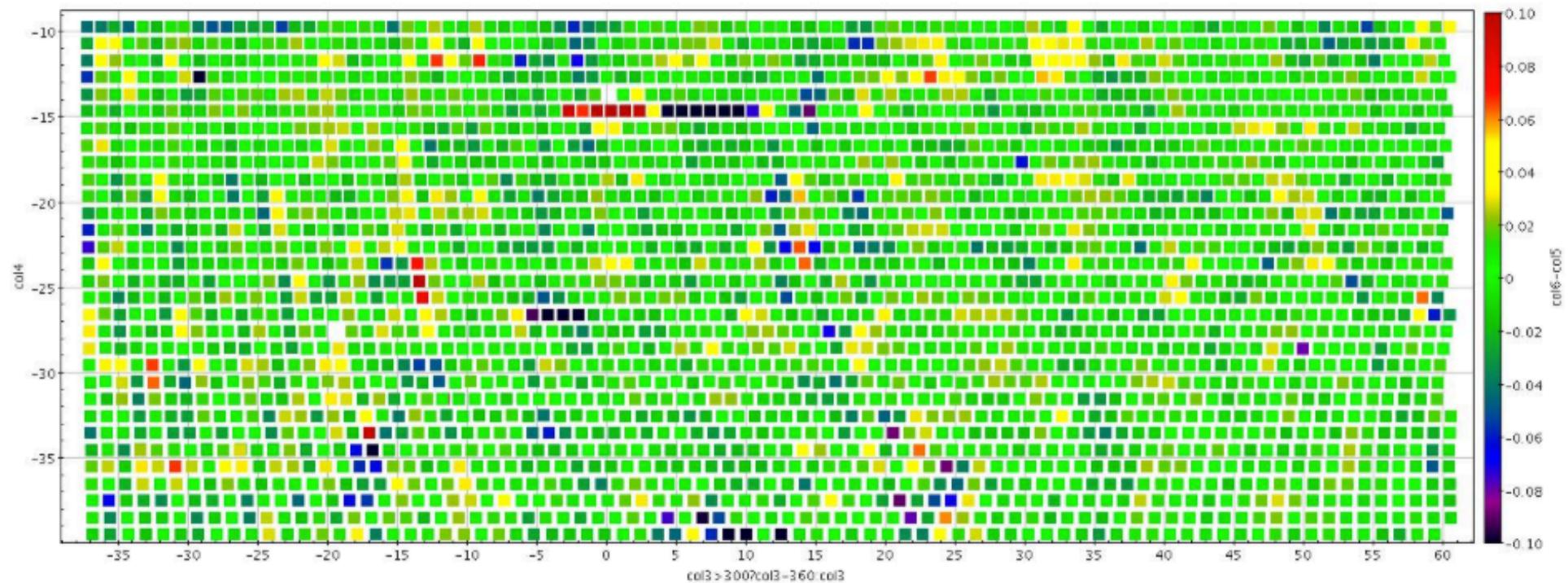
# Global Calibration

- Various methods:
- APASS – individual+nightly
- Ubercal – Koposov et al
- Matrix edge overlaps method – as applied by Findlay/Metcalf+Shanks
- Stellar Locus – SLR – Mackenzie
- Pan-STARRS direct + other

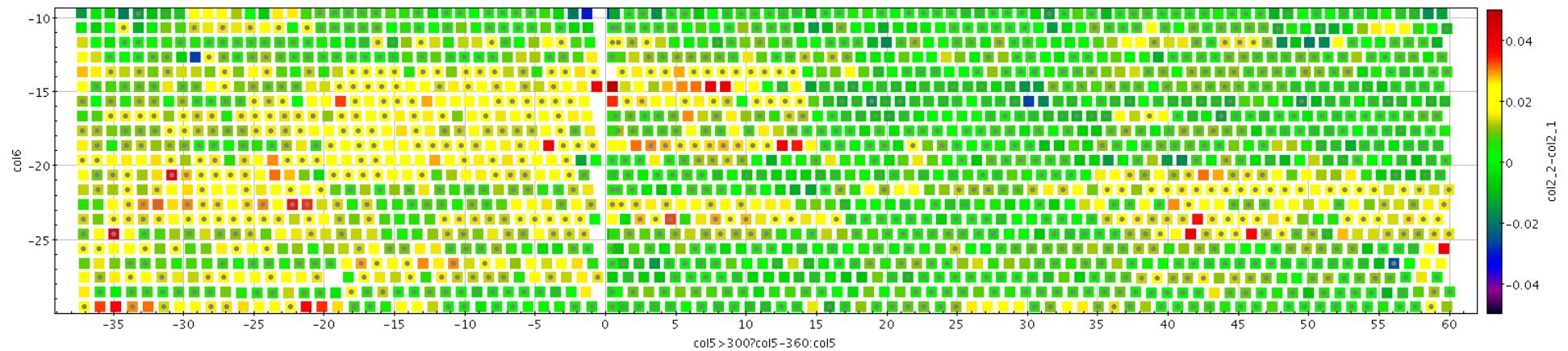
# i South PanSTARRS1-ATLAS APASS Nightly



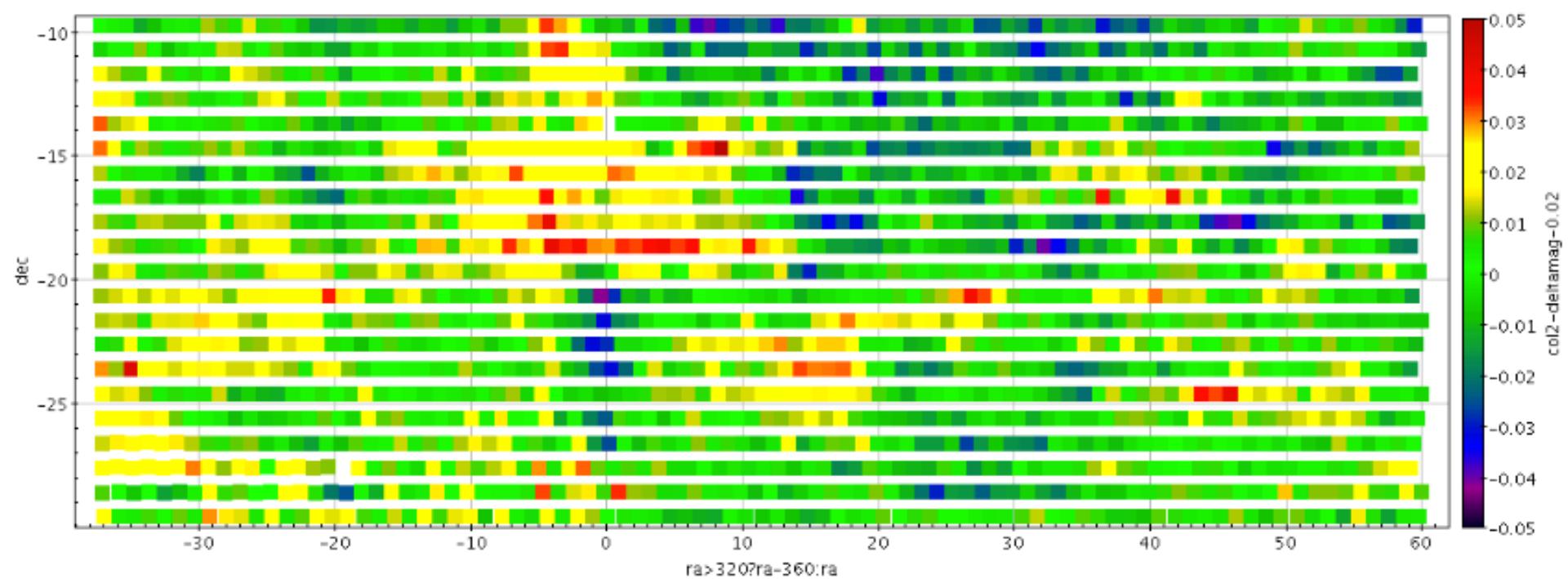
# i South APASS nightly-individual->anchors



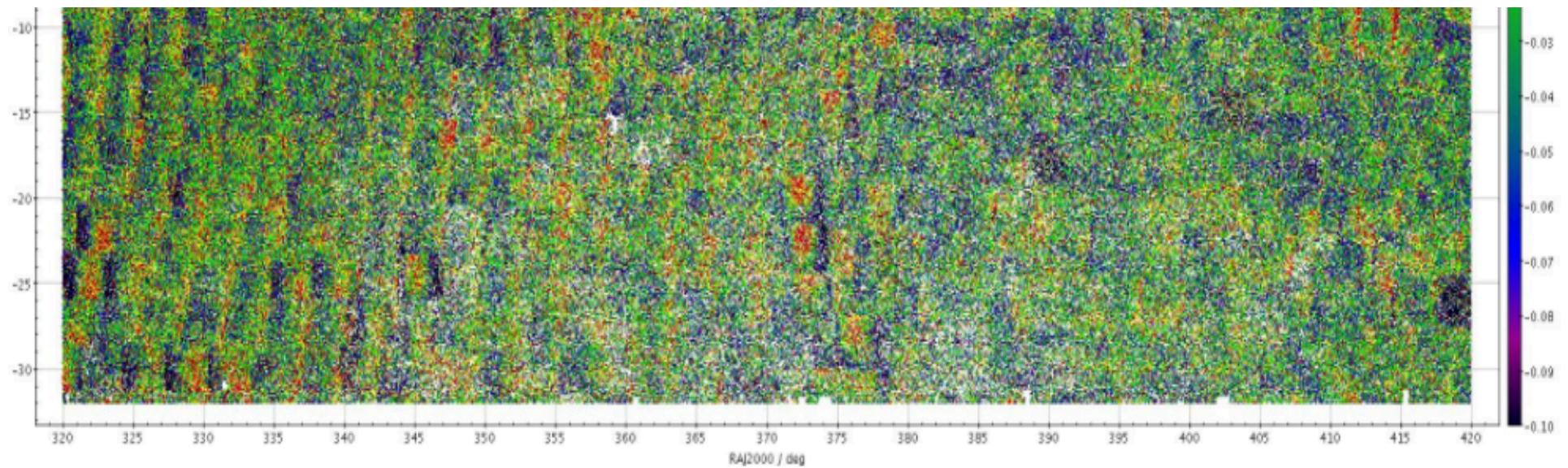
# i South PS1-matrix (59% anchors)



# i South PS1-Koposov ubercal

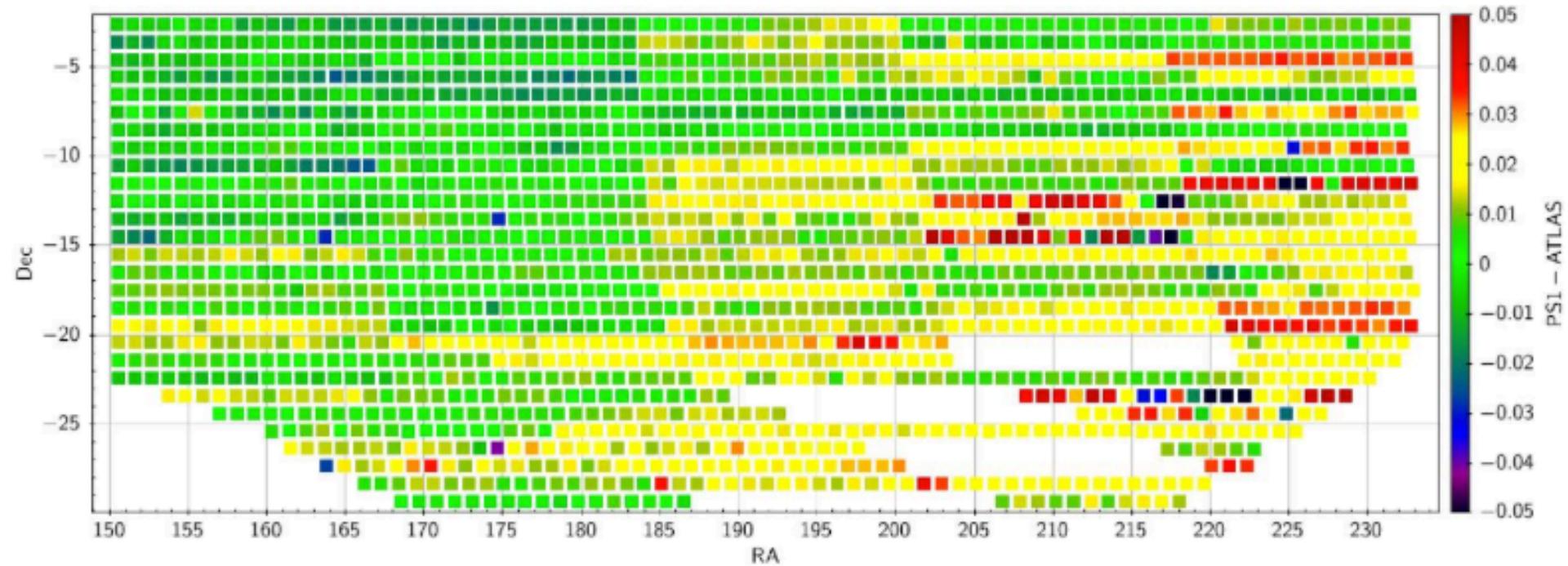


# i South PS1-APASS (stars)



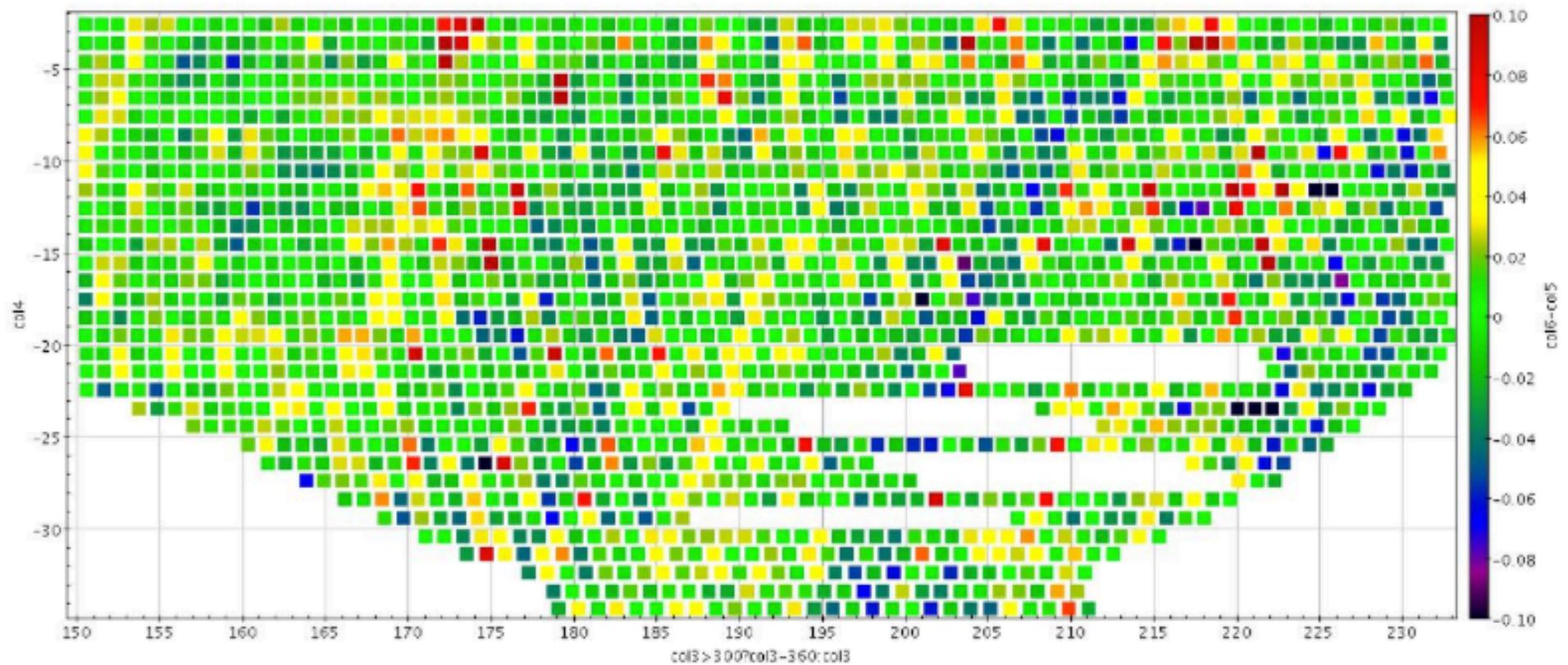
# i North PanSTARRS1-Nightly

i-band: ( $i_{\text{PS1}} - i_{\text{VST}} = 0.0_{\text{PS1}}$ )



# i N APASS Nightly-Individual -> Anchors

i-band:

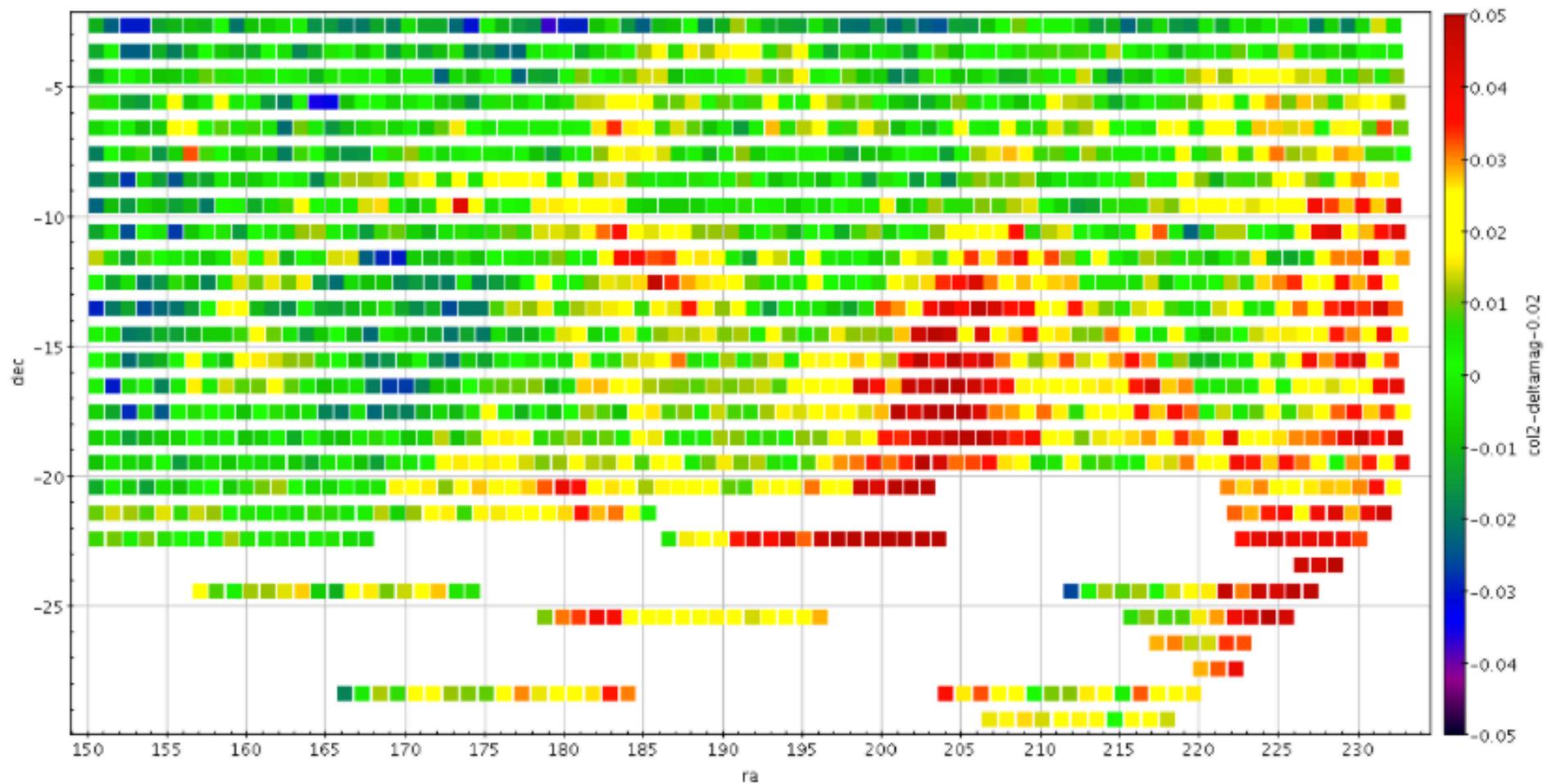


# $i$ N PS1-Matrix (59% Nightly anchors)



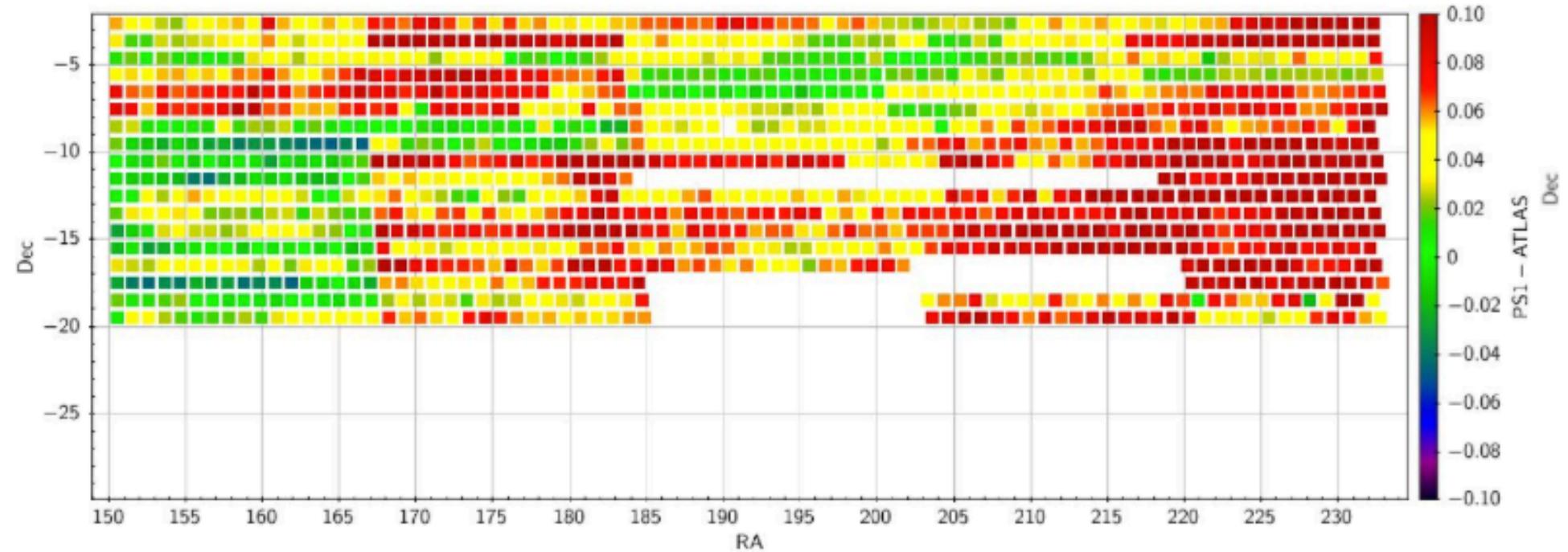
# i N PS1-Koposov Ubergal

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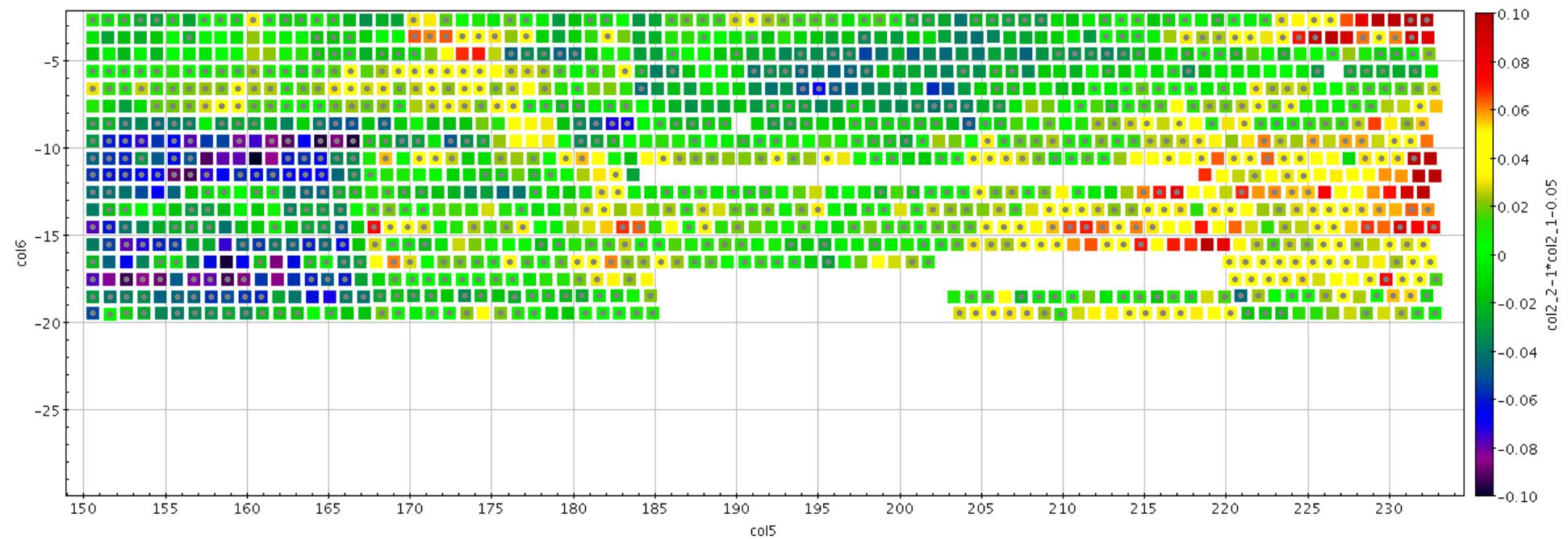


# u N PS1-ATLAS APASS nightly

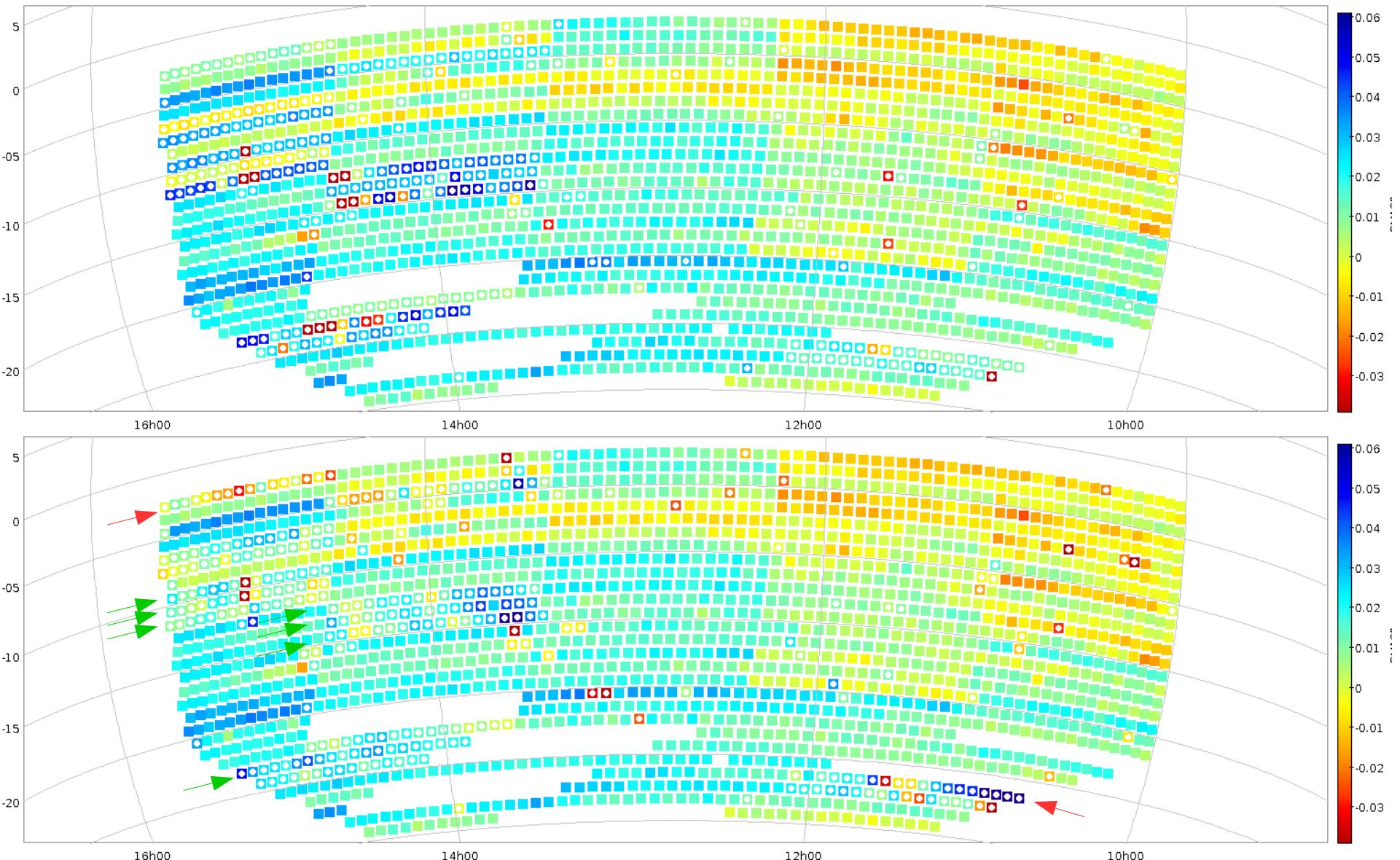
u-band: ( $g-r < 0.85$ :  $g_{PS1} - u_{VST} = -2.7(g-r)_{PS1} - 0.02$ ) ( $(g-r) \geq 0.85$ :  $g_{PS1} - u_{VST} = -1.3(g-r)_{PS1} - 1.5$ )



# u North PS1-matrix (59% anchors)



# Findlay's matrix + anchor edge rejection



# Conclusions

- ATLAS complete but ACE-I, ACE-II, DEUCE extensions ongoing
- u-band key for quasar surveys + eROSITA+4MOST
- Global calibration needed 1 year from now
- Possibilities – ubercal, PS1, matrix+nightly, SLR
- Default is matrix+nightly but still working on it
- Particularly on anchor selection
- But other calibration + galaxy photometry issues may dominate....

# ATLAS Wish List

- a) illum correction improvements in catalogues
- b) S-G sepn improvement in catalogues
- c) Route to implementing matrix zpts in images and catalogue headers
- d) Forced photometry for griz as well as u
- e) model mags for galaxies and psf mags for stars
- f) Analytic illum corrections
- g) APASS updates to nightly
- h)