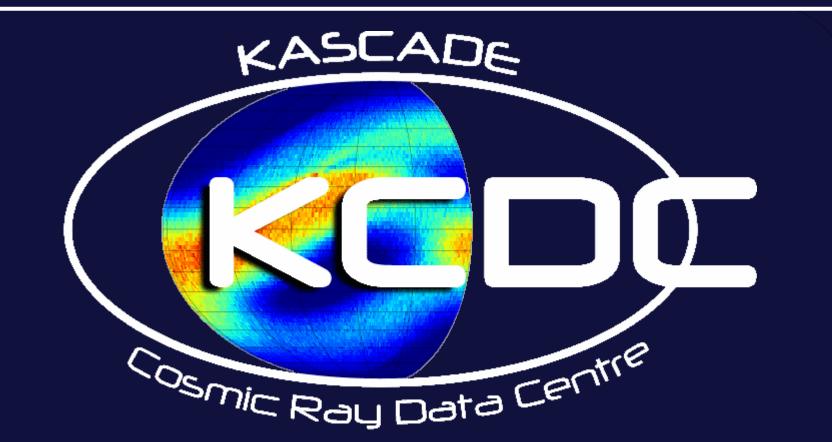


KASCADE Cosmic-ray Data Centre KCDC

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2013

WOLF359 160 million eve of KASCADE

2014

VULCAN

NABOO

2015

MERIDIAN Added more quantities and redesign of data

2017

shop and format

433 million events available and additional GRANDE detector component

2019

OCEANUS Added LOPES radio detector component

2020

Combined data sets of **KASCADE** and **GRANDE**

PENTARUS

2021

SKARAGAN MAKET-ANI data shop and upgraded all software

Now

https://kcdc.iap.kit.edu/

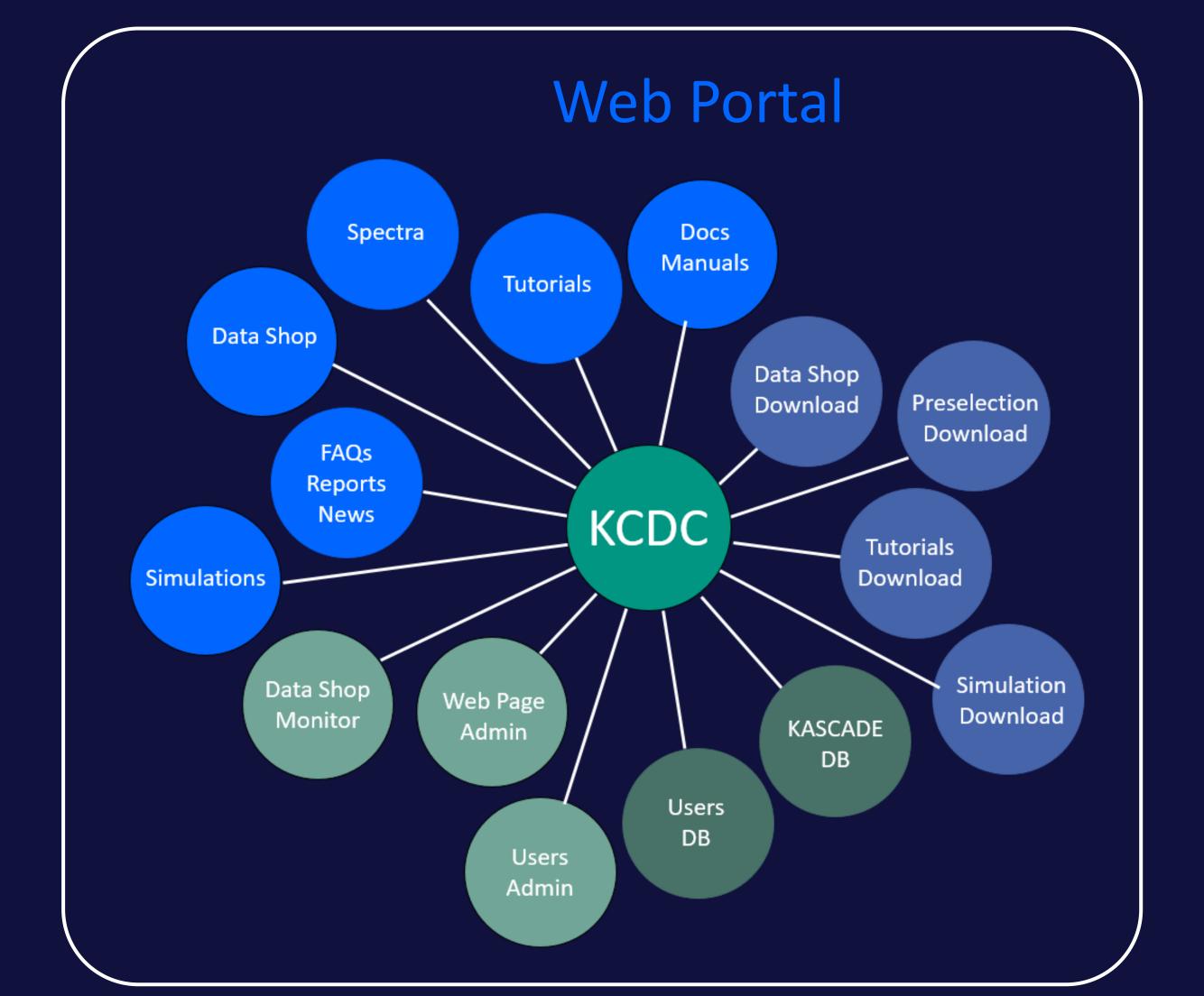
A web-based platform to provide scientific data for the general public



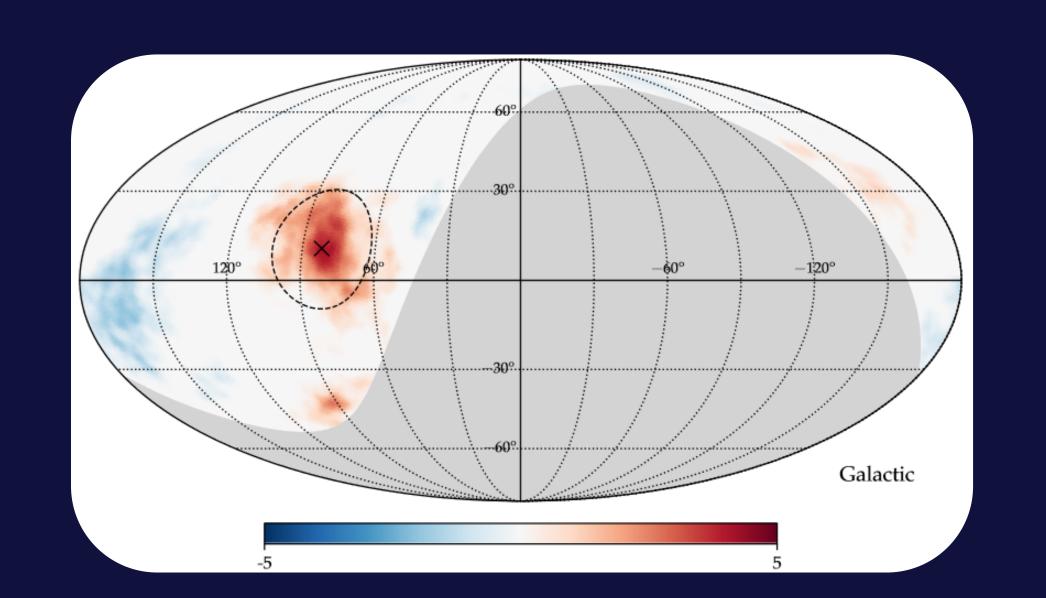
To archive original research data such as from KASCADE

To offer long-term scientific data for community and students





Physics with KCDC



Example: Re-analysis of the Anisotropies in the arrival directions of cosmic rays observed with KASCADE-Grande; The Astrophysical Journal 886 (2019)

KASCADE-Grande in Karlsruhe



- First release in 2013
- 433 million events from KASCADE and KASCADE-Grande including data on detector level
- Independent data shops for multi-experimental analysis
- Easily extendable and modifiable modular software design

Education & Outreach



- An important goal of the public data release
- Examples of simple data analyses for school students
- Online KCDC data analysis in Jupyter Notebook: https://jupyter.iap.kit.edu
- KCDC masterclass for students

KCDC is...

- Already accepted by Astroparticle Physics community
- Forerunner in public data access in Astroparticle Physics
- First step towards a Global Analysis & Data Centre
- Foreseen to be integrated in the PUNCH4NFDI Science Data Platform

