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Deciphering the gamma-ray sky using ground- and space-based high-energy telescopes

The Fermi Gamma-Ray Space Telescope is an international satellite mission with a physics program spanning from gamma-ray astronomy to particle astrophysics. Fermi was launched in mid 2008, and is continuously performing science observations at GeV energies.

A variety of discoveries have been made during the first 18 months in orbit, e.g. finding radio-quiet pulsars as major constituents among the Galactic gamma-ray sources, and disproving an universal GEV excess in the diffuse emission spectrum.

Complementary in many aspects and operating at high Gev to TeV energies, the groundbased High Energy Stereoscopic System (H.E.S.S.) reveals even more extreme particle accelerators. With both techniques deployed, we have entered into a Golden Age for particle astrophysics using the photon messenger.

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