

HUBBLE eXtreme DEEP FIELD

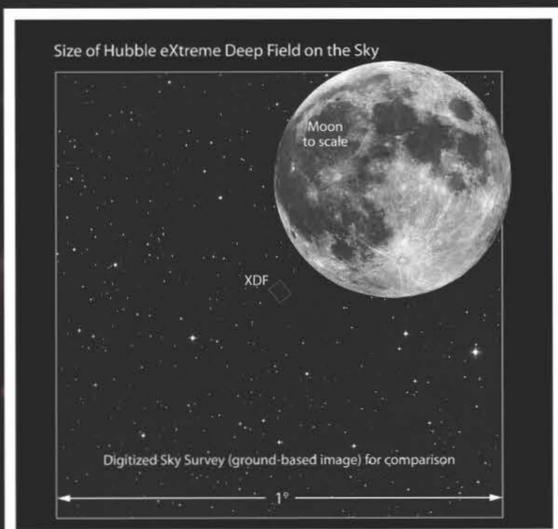


Image showing the tiny area of the sky that the main image shows



The Hubble Space Telescope

This image is a photograph of the Hubble eXtreme Deep Field and shows a very tiny speck of the night sky taken with the Hubble Space Telescope between 2003 and 2004. It shows over 5000 specks of light—each of these specks is a different galaxy, similar to our own Milky Way Galaxy.

The image took 23 days, and analysing the image with a computer took another 10 years! Just for this one picture!