

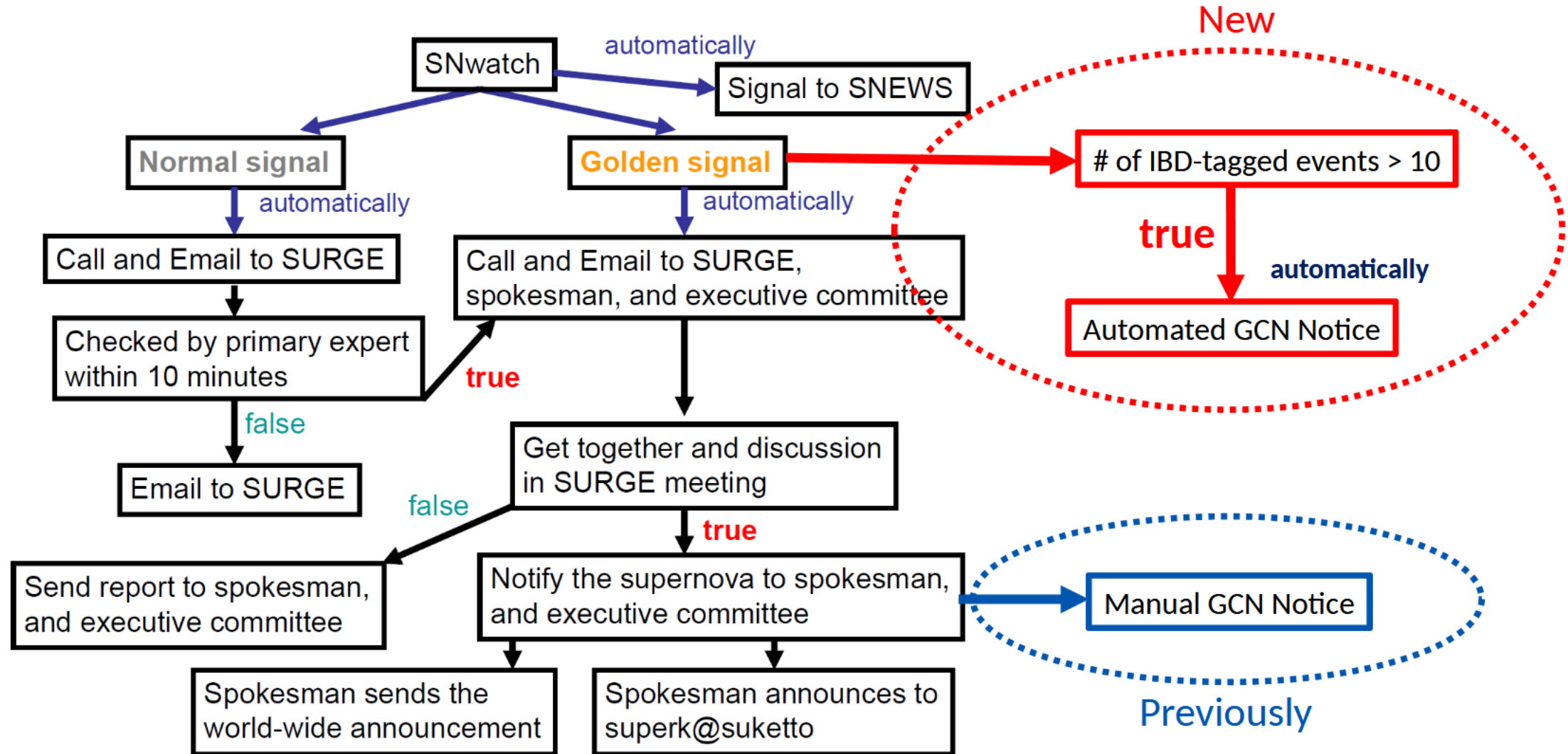
# SK Supernova alert on GCN Notice

- Since April 2021, SK supernova alert is now published on GCN (The Gamma-ray Coordinates Network) with the machine-readable format, too.
- An alert will be automatically published within some minutes from the detection of a neutrino burst by SK if the signal is significantly large. A bit lower significance signal generates an alert after expert check (<~ 1 hour)
- Almost 100% detection efficiency for core-collapse supernovae upto SMC. The typical error of SN direction is a few degree for SN in our galaxy.
- The notice (SK\_SN) can be received with the same framework as other GCN notices; GRB, GW and high energy neutrino alerts. A dummy (test) alert is published for test every month (on 1st day of the month).
- For more details about SK\_SN Notice, refer to [https://gcn.gsfc.nasa.gov/sk\\_sn.html](https://gcn.gsfc.nasa.gov/sk_sn.html)

## An example of SK\_SN Test Notice (1 per month) Distributed with binary and VOEvent formats

```
////////////////////////////////////  
TITLE:      GCN/SK_SN NOTICE  
NOTICE_DATE:  Mon 01 Nov 21 00:00:14 UT  
NOTICE_TYPE:  SK_SN TEST  
TRIGGER_NUMBER: SK_SN 10030  
SRC_RA:      254.4000d {+16h 57m 36s} (J2000),  
             254.6087d {+16h 58m 26s} (current),  
             253.9223d {+16h 55m 41s} (1950)  
SRC_DEC:     +31.2600d {+31d 15' 36"} (J2000),  
             +31.2275d {+31d 13' 39"} (current),  
             +31.3360d {+31d 20' 10"} (1950)  
SRC_ERROR68: 0.64 [deg radius, stat-only, 68% containment]  
SRC_ERROR90: 0.91 [deg radius, stat-only, 90% containment]  
SRC_ERROR95: 1.04 [deg radius, stat-only, 95% containment]  
DISCOVERY_DATE: 19518 TJD; 304 DOY; 21/10/31 (yy/mm/dd)  
DISCOVERY_TIME: 82816 SOD {23:00:16.74} UT  
N_EVENTS:    64124 (Number of detected neutrino events)  
ENERGY_LIMIT: 7.00 [MeV] (Minimum energy of the neutrinos)  
DURATION:    10.0 [sec] (Collection duration of the neutrinos)  
DISTANCE:    2.16 - 2.95 [kpc] (low - high as SN1987A like SNe)  
COMMENTS:    The position error is statistical only, there is no systematic added.  
COMMENTS:    All numbers are preliminary.  
COMMENTS:    NOTE: This is a TEST Notice.  
COMMENTS:
```

# SNWatch flow chart



# SNWatch resolution

