

Citizen Science Project's First Anniversary!

- NASA's "Backyard Worlds: Planet 9" citizen science project celebrates its one-year anniversary
- Since February 15, 2017, more than 100,000 volunteer citizen scientists have made nearly five million classifications of images from NASA's WISE telescope and NEOWISE mission
- 432 brown dwarf candidates, including 17 that have been confirmed, were discovered using data and tools at <http://www.backyardworlds.org>
- Besides brown dwarfs, the project is also sensitive to new planets in the outer Solar System, located 1000 times farther from the Sun than Pluto's orbit

