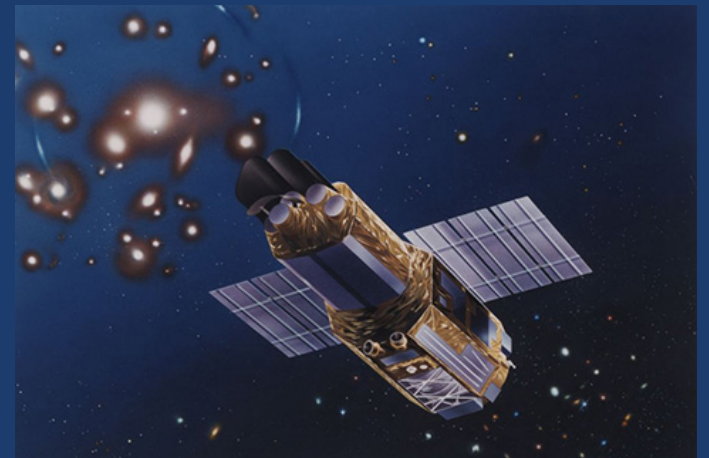




Other Instruments

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Gendetsim

Generalized model for pixel-based detectors: **gendetsim**

Parameters:

```
1  ImpactList = impacts.fits      impact list input file
2      RawData = raw.fits         raw data output file
3      Mission = SRG              mission name: Chandra, GRAVITAS, IXO,
      ATHENA, SRG, XMM
4  Instrument = eROSITA           instrument name
5      Mode = none                instrument mode (including filter)
6  (XMLFile = none)              XML input file with detector
      definition (overwrites Mission, Instrument, and Mode)
7  (MJDREF = 55000.0)            reference Modified Julian Date
8  (TSTART = 0.0)               start time (s)
9  Exposure = 1000.0             simulated exposure time (s)
10     (Seed = -1)                seed for random number generator (-1:
      initialize with system time)
11     (chatter = 3)              verbosity
12     (clobber = no)             overwrite output files if exist?
13     (history = true)           write a history block with program
      parameters to each FITS file?
```

XMLFile: generalized language allowing to model most pixel-based detectors

Example: CCDs for Arcus

Example: CCDs for ARCUS project

Start with field of view and imaging information:

```
1 <?xml version="1.0"?>
2 <!-- ARCUS Gratings CCD -->
3 <instrument type="ARCUS">
4   <telescope>
5     <fov diameter="0.5"/>
6     <focallength value="12.000"/>
7   </telescope>
```

More complicated instruments also have a PSF definition for the imaging.

Example: CCDs for Arcus

Detector specification:

General pixel information (for imaging):

```
9 <detector>
10
11 <dimensions xwidth="2048" ywidth="1024"/>
12
13 <pixelborder x="0." y="0."/>
14 <wcs xrpix="0.0" yrpix="0.0"
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Charge cloud and digitization information:

```
20 <cte value="1"/>
21
22 <split type="gauss" par1="5e-6"/>
23
24 <threshold_readout_lo_keV value="0.050"/>
25 <threshold_event_lo_keV value="0.050"/>
26 <threshold_split_lo_keV value="0.050"/>
```

Example: CCDs for Arcus

Detector specification (cont'd):

Reading out a pixel detector:

```
28 <readout mode="time">
29   <wait time="0.98976"/>
30   <loop start="0" end="1023" increment="1" variable="$i">
31     <readoutline lineindex="0" readoutindex="$i"/>
32     <lineshift/>
33     <wait time="1e-5"/>
34   </loop>
35   <newframe/>
36
37 </readout>
```

That's it:

```
38 </detector>
39 </instrument>
```

Example: CCDs for Arcus

Modification: binning in y -direction:

Reading out a pixel detector:

```
26 <readout mode="time">
27   <wait time="0.1"/>
28   <!-- read out 1023 rows in 10ms, binning 16 rows at a time -->
29   <!-- NB: 9.76562e-6 = 10ms/1024 -->
30   <loop start="0" end="1023" increment="16" variable="$i">
31     <loop start="0" end="15" increment="1">
32       <lineshift/>
33       <wait time="9.76562e-6"/>
34     </loop>
35     <readoutline lineindex="0" readoutindex="$i"/>
36   </loop>
37   <newframe/>
38
39 </readout>
```


Suzaku

A more complex example: *Suzaku* burst mode:

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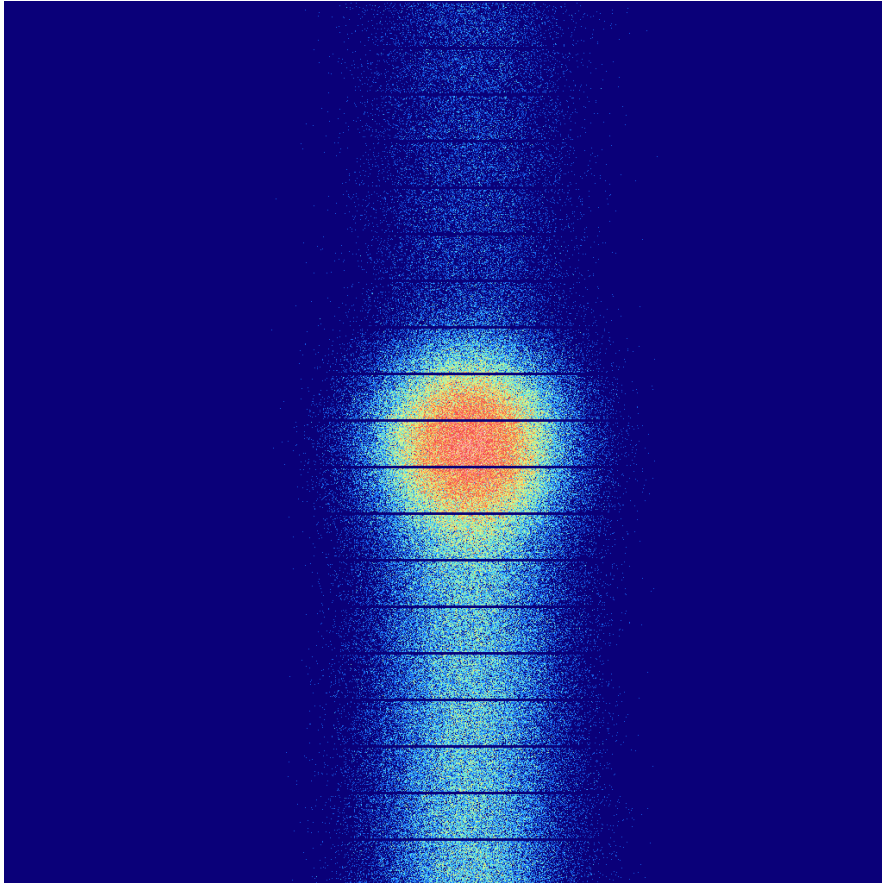
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Example: $b = 0.94$ s

```
1 <readout mode="time">
2   <wait time="7.906"/>
3   <loop start="0" end="1023"
4     increment="1">
5     <clearline lineindex="0"/>
6     <lineshift/>
7     <wait time="0.000152"/>
8   </loop>
9   <wait time="0.094"/>
10  <loop start="0" end="1023"
11    increment="1" variable="$i
12    ">
13    <readoutline lineindex="0"
14      readoutindex="$i
15      "/>
16    <lineshift/>
17    <wait time="0.0000244"/>
18  </loop>
19  <newframe/>
20 </readout>
```

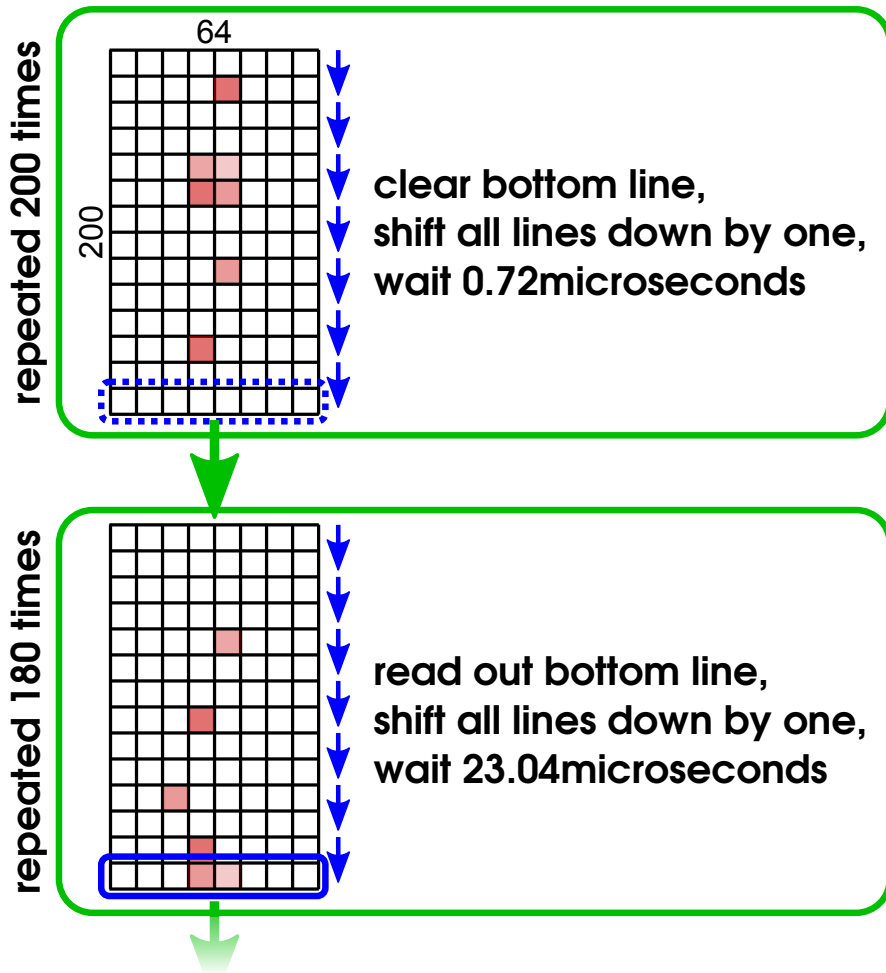
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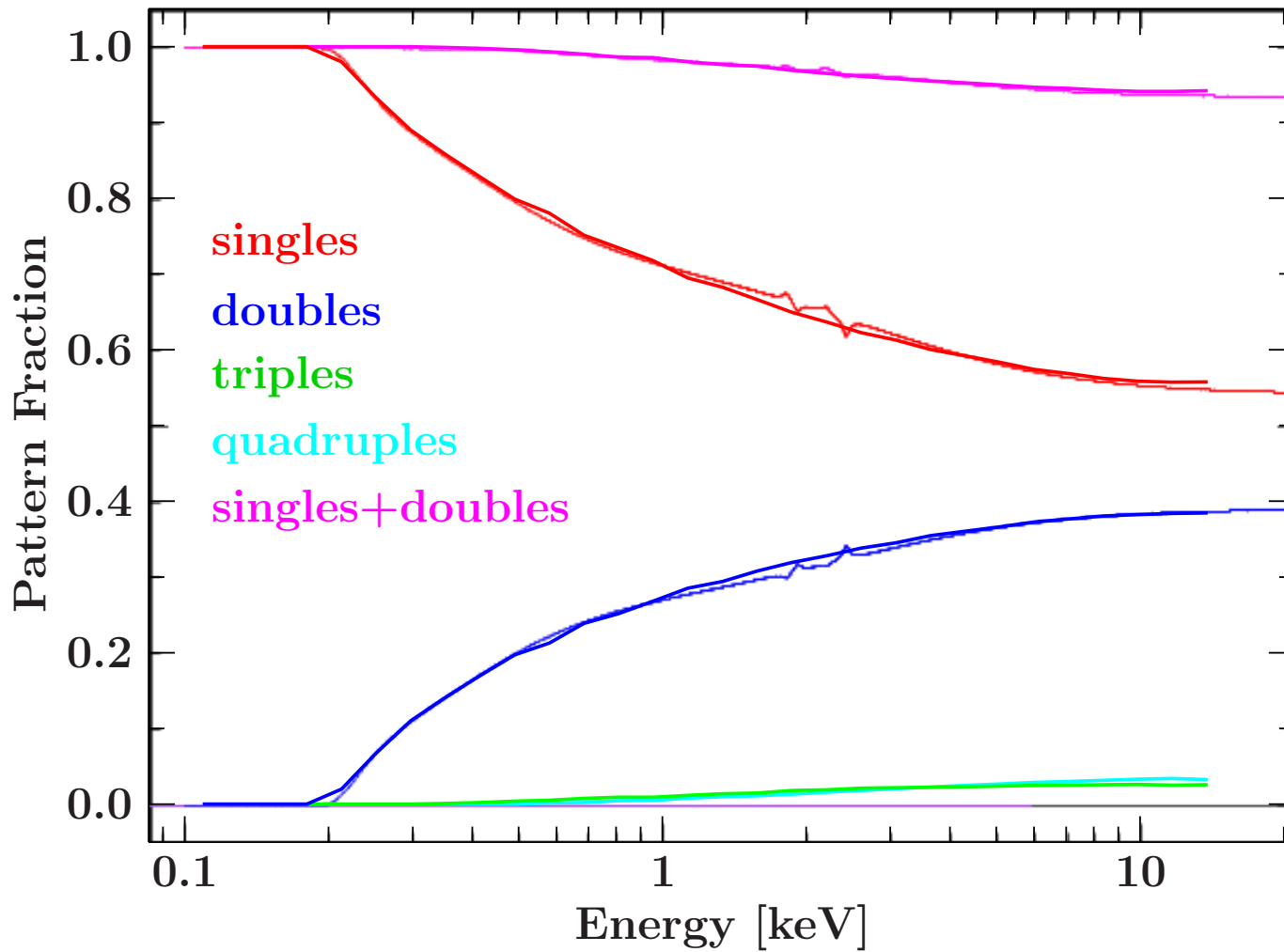
XMM-Newton



```
<readout mode="time">  
  <loop start="0" end="199" increment="1">  
    <clearline lineindex="0"/>  
    <lineshift/>  
    <wait time="0.72e-6"/>  
  </loop>  
  <loop start="0" end="179" increment="1"  
    variable="$i">  
    <readoutline lineindex="0"  
      readoutindex="$i"/>  
    <newframe/>  
    <lineshift/>  
    <wait time="23.04e-6"/>  
  </loop>  
</readout>
```

Verification: XMM-Newton EPIC-pn (example: burst mode readout)

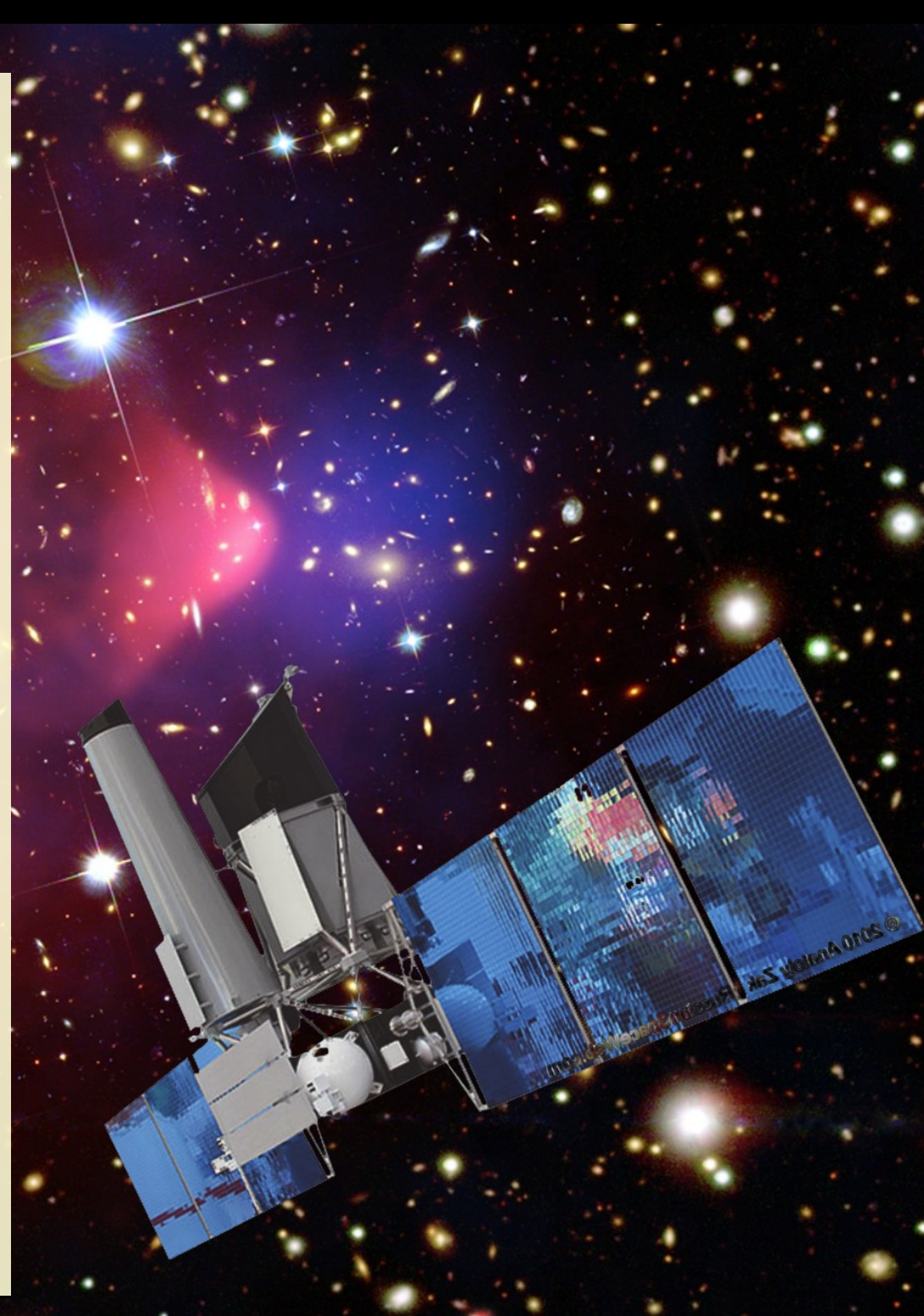
XMM-Newton



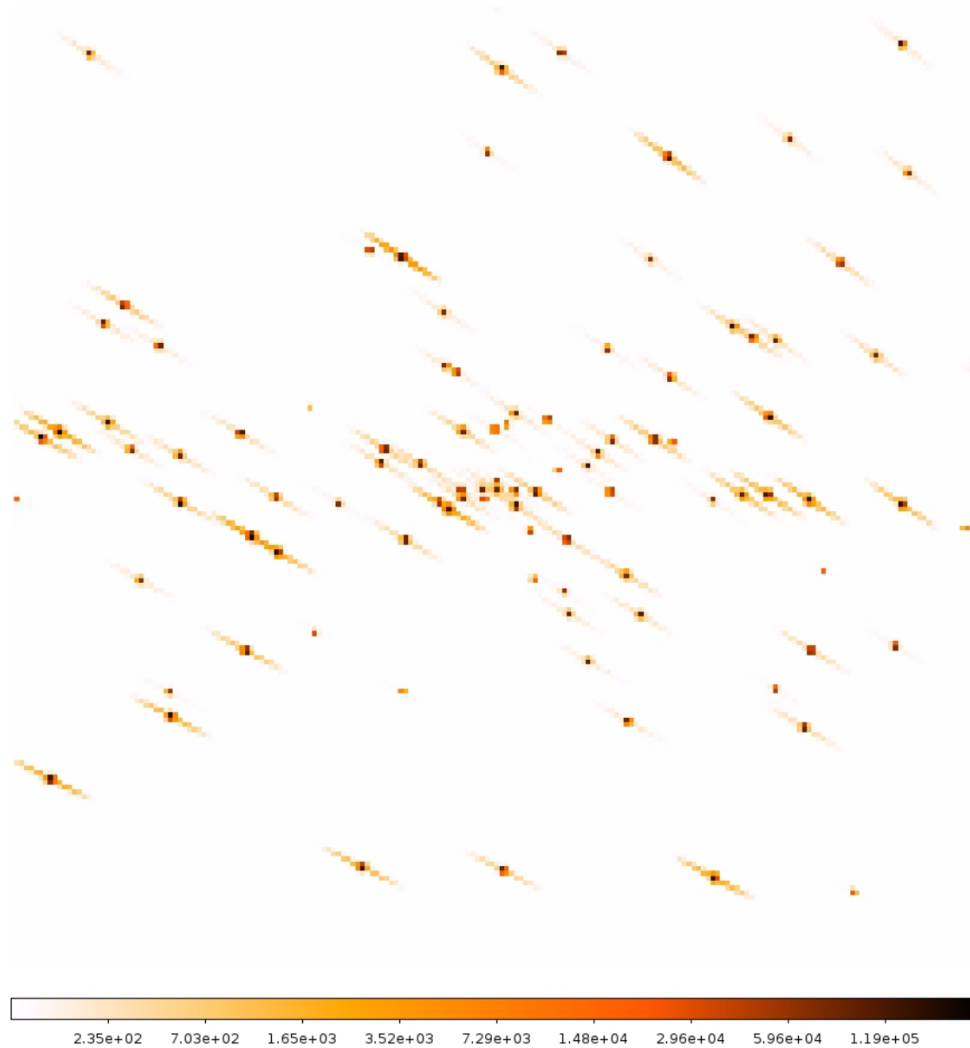
Charge cloud model in XMM-Newton EPIC-pn:
smooth lines: calibrated model, ragged lines: simulation

eROSITA:

- **Slew survey**, attitude!
- Simulation needed for 7 telescopes/detectors
- Frame store readout
- **Simulation tools:**
 - erosim: simulate survey
 - ero_vis: determine visibility of X-ray sources from attitude
 - ero_rawevents, ero_calevents: convert simulator output to internal eROSITA SASS formats
- Also have tool to produce telemetry stream (and FITS from telemetry) – available upon request

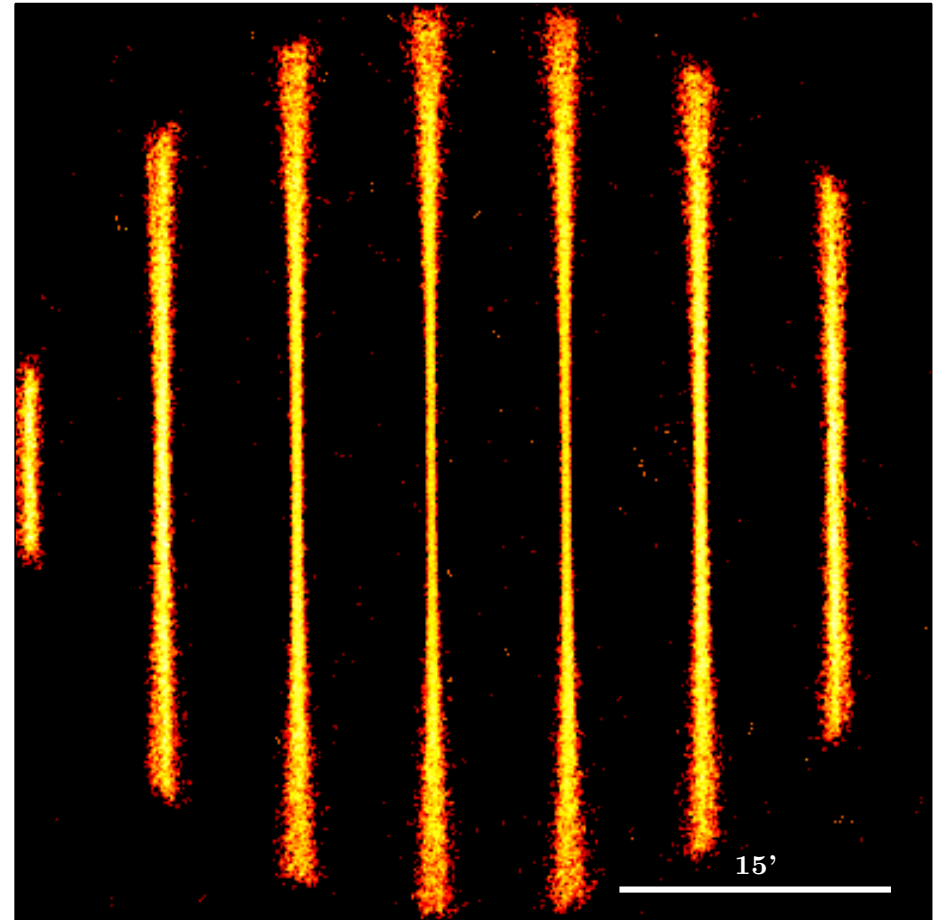
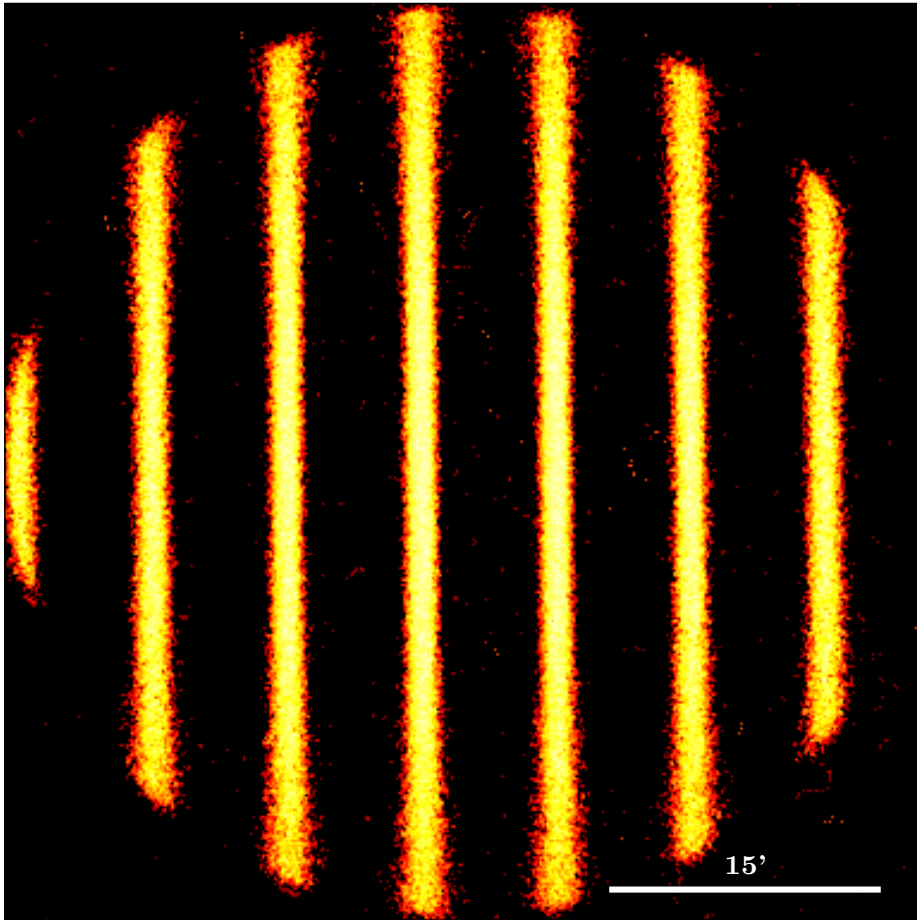


Galactic Center



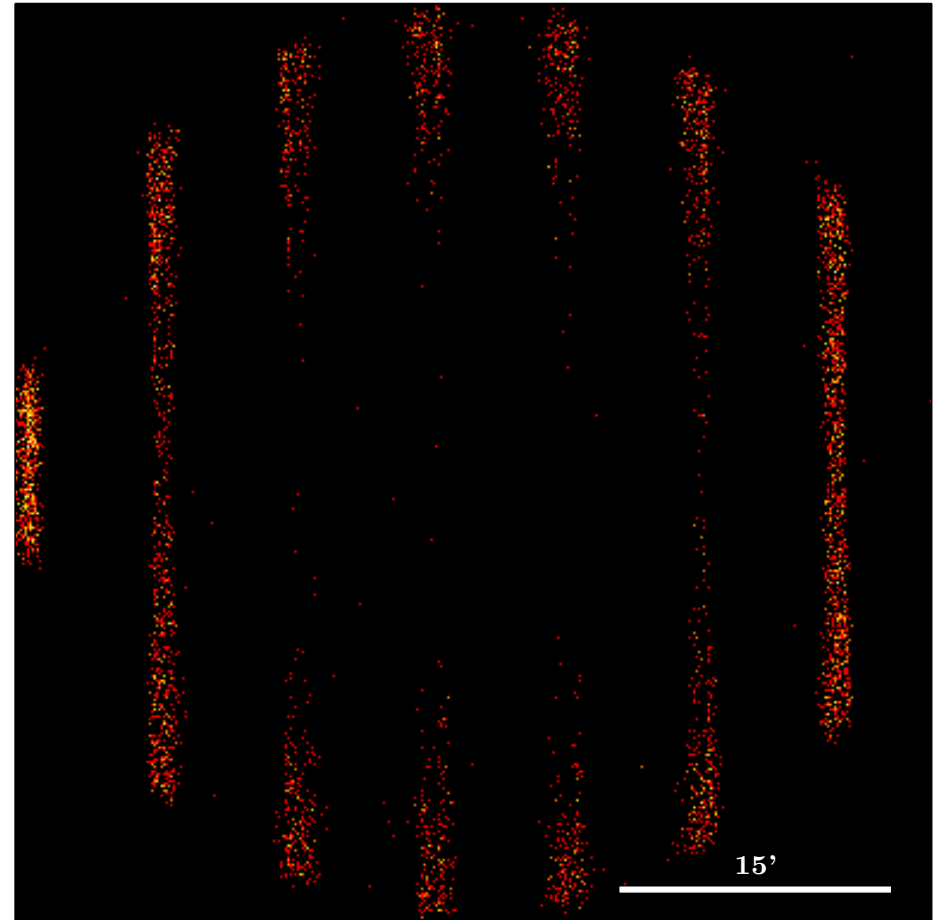
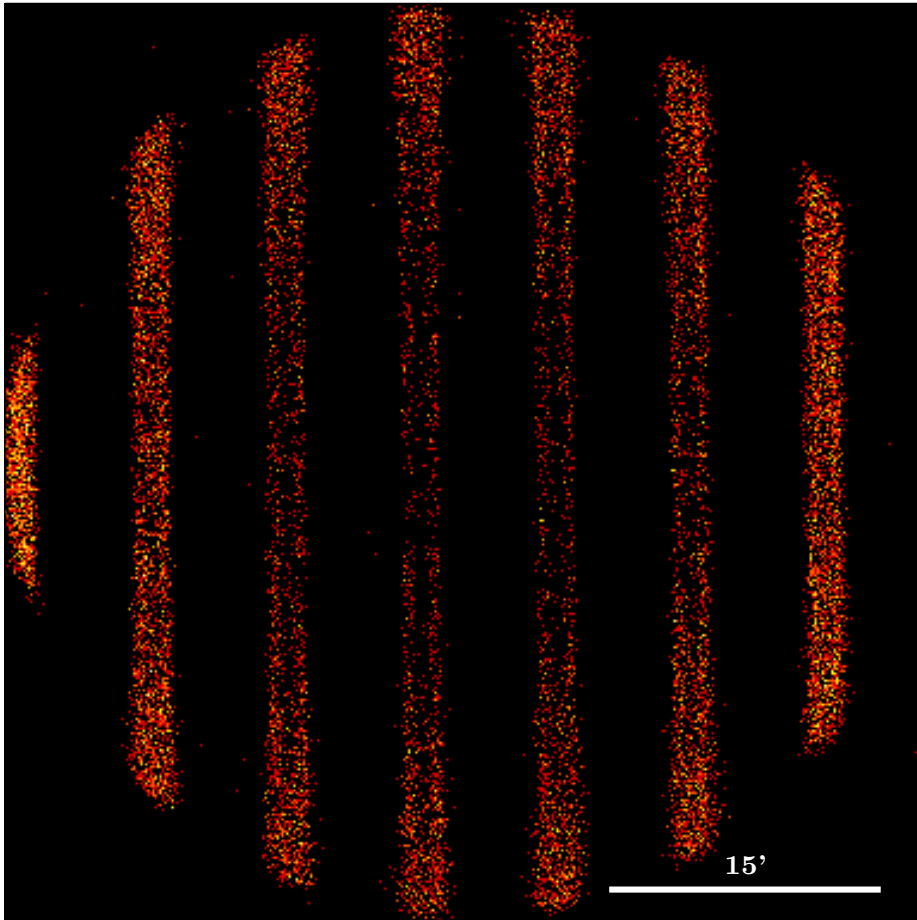
Inner 20° × 20° of the Galaxy

PSF effects



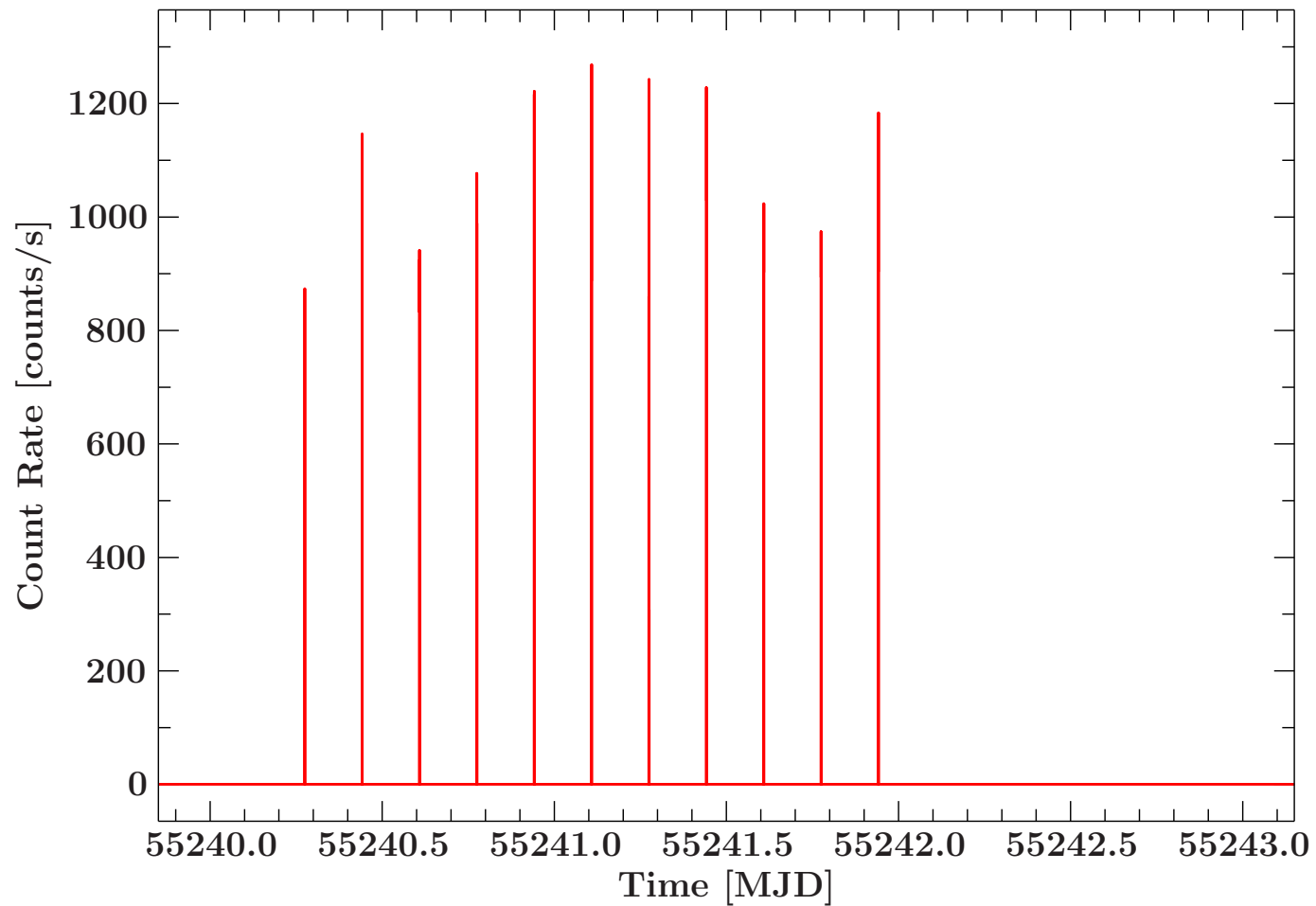
slew observation over the Crab and Vela X-1 (all evts)

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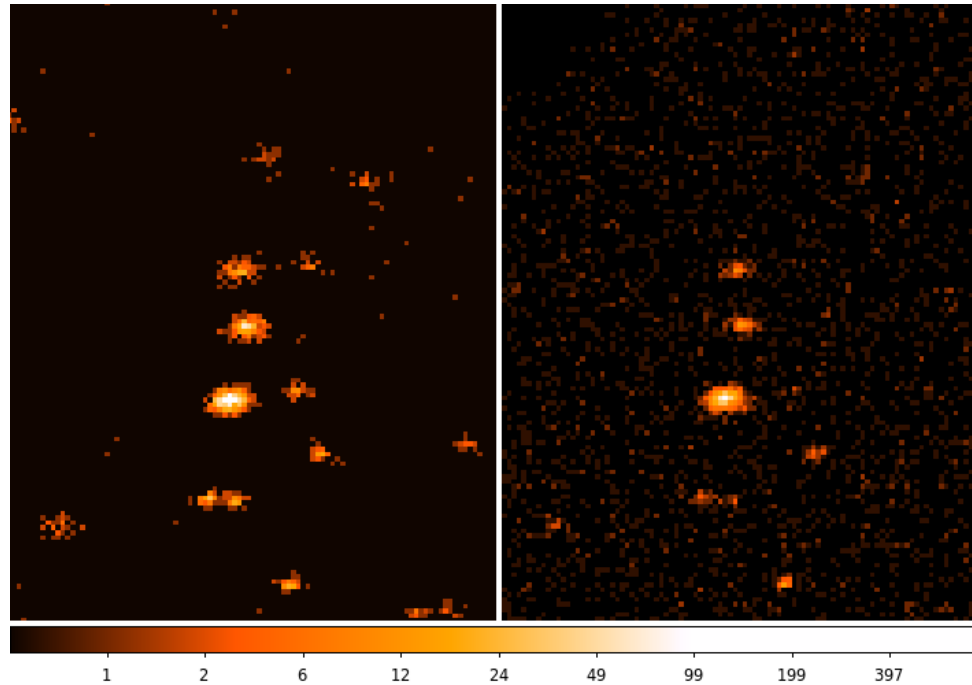
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PSF effects



Daily light curve of Cyg X-1

Chandra, Suzaku, XMM,...



CDFS: Simulation

Observation

Courtesy Hans Moritz Günther (MIT)

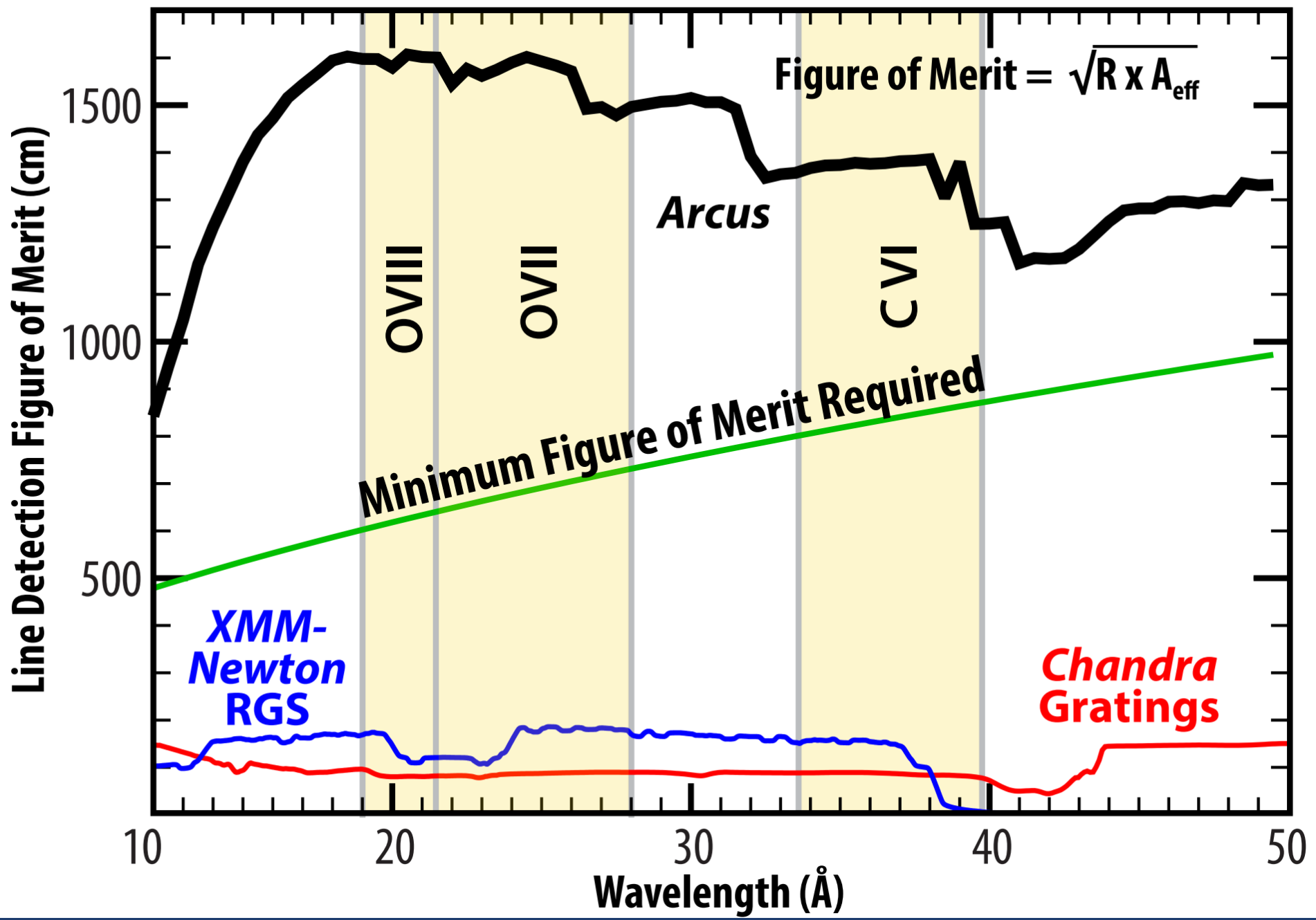
Chandra: As of MARX 5.3, MARX can work with SIMPUT files

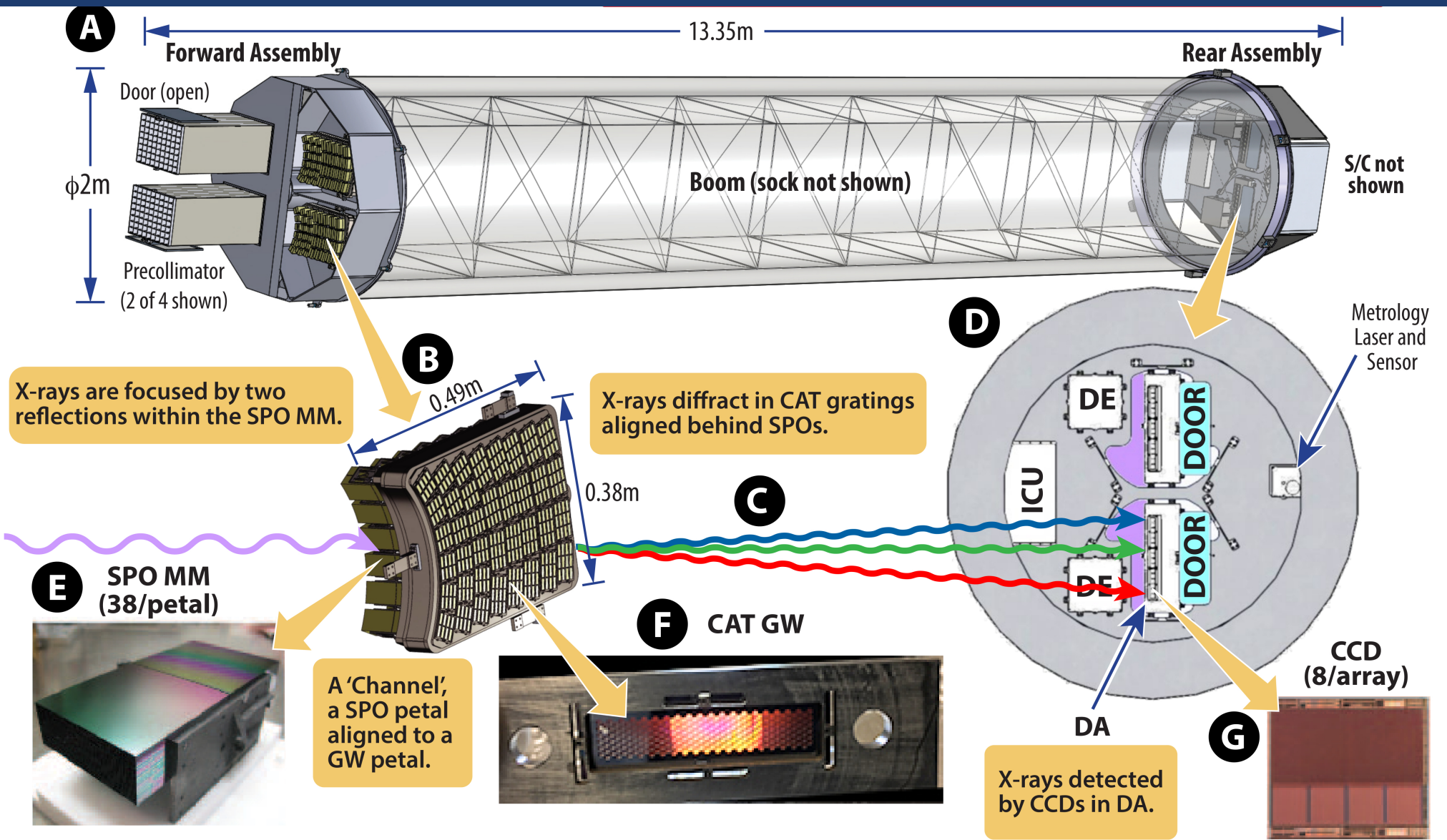
<http://space.mit.edu/cxc/marx/>

MARX parameters: `SourceType=SIMPUT S-SIMPUT-Source=CDFS_cat_giacconi.fits`

`S-SIMPUT-Library=/path/to/libsimput.so`

The simulator `simx` for Suzaku, XMM-Newton, Hitomi, Athena can also read and write SIMPUT

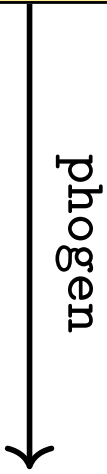
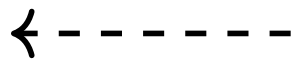




Arcus

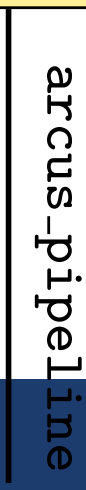
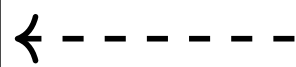
Photon generation

- SIMPUR source model:
- spectral shape
 - position
 - lightcurve
 - source extent (image)
 - cosmic X-ray background
 - Galactic diffuse emission



Projection to focal plane

- Raytraced Line spread functions (mirror model)
- Gratings model (dispersion, order probability)
- S/C attitude
- S/C jitter
- Focal plane geometry



Arcus

Projection to focal plane



arcus_pipeline



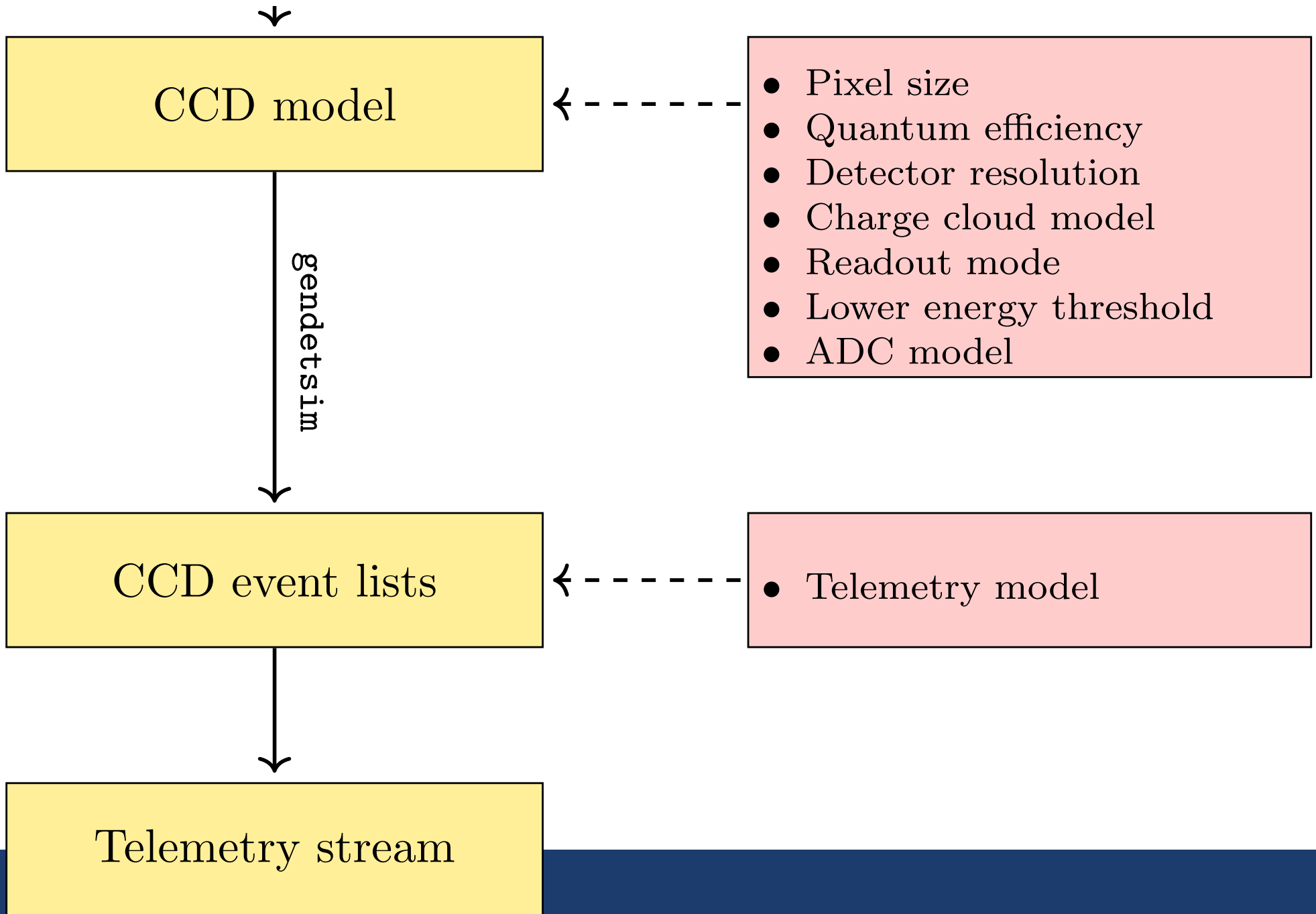
CCD model

gendet

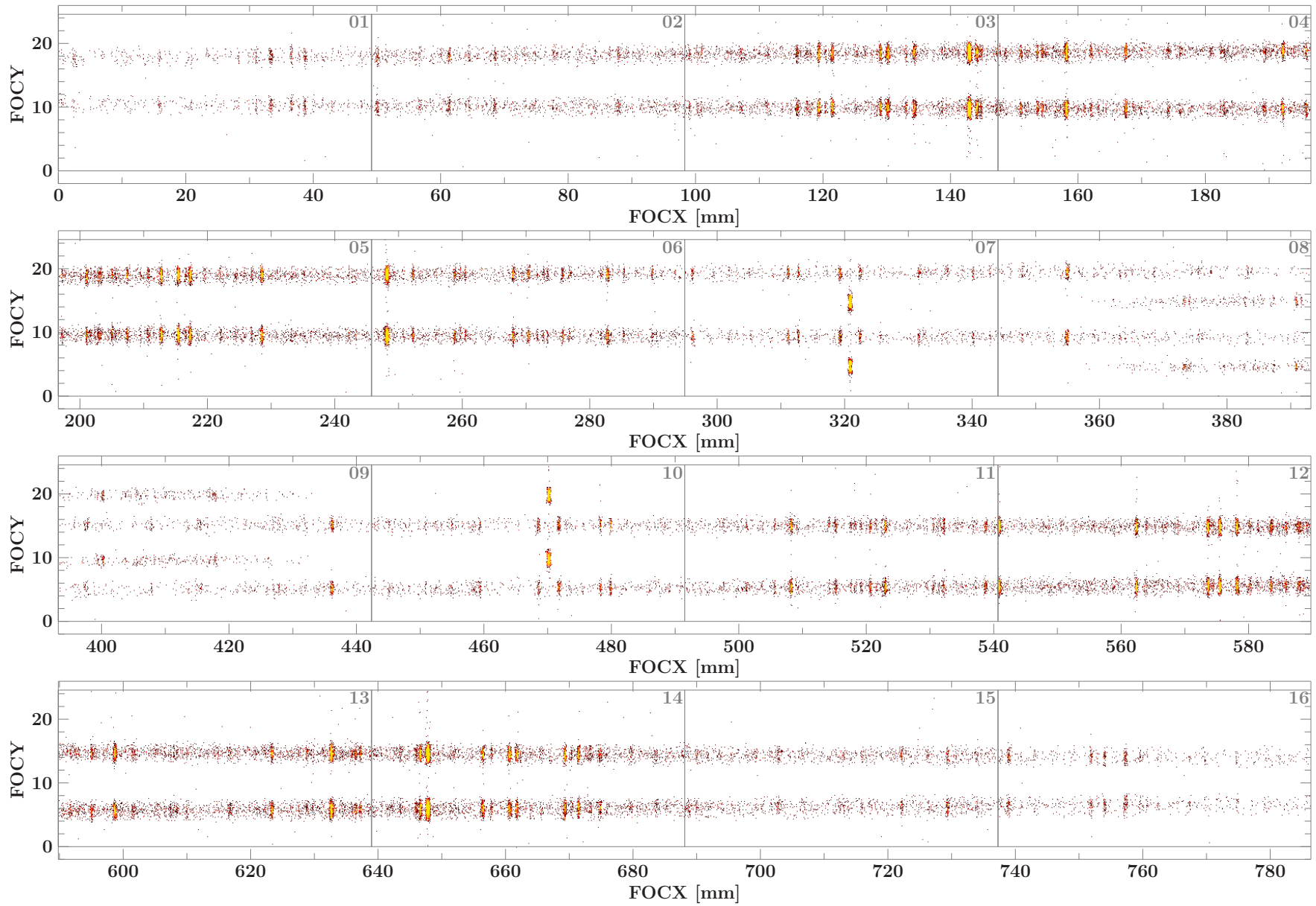
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- Pixel size
- Quantum efficiency
- Detector resolution
- Charge cloud model
- Readout mode
- Lower energy threshold
- ADC model

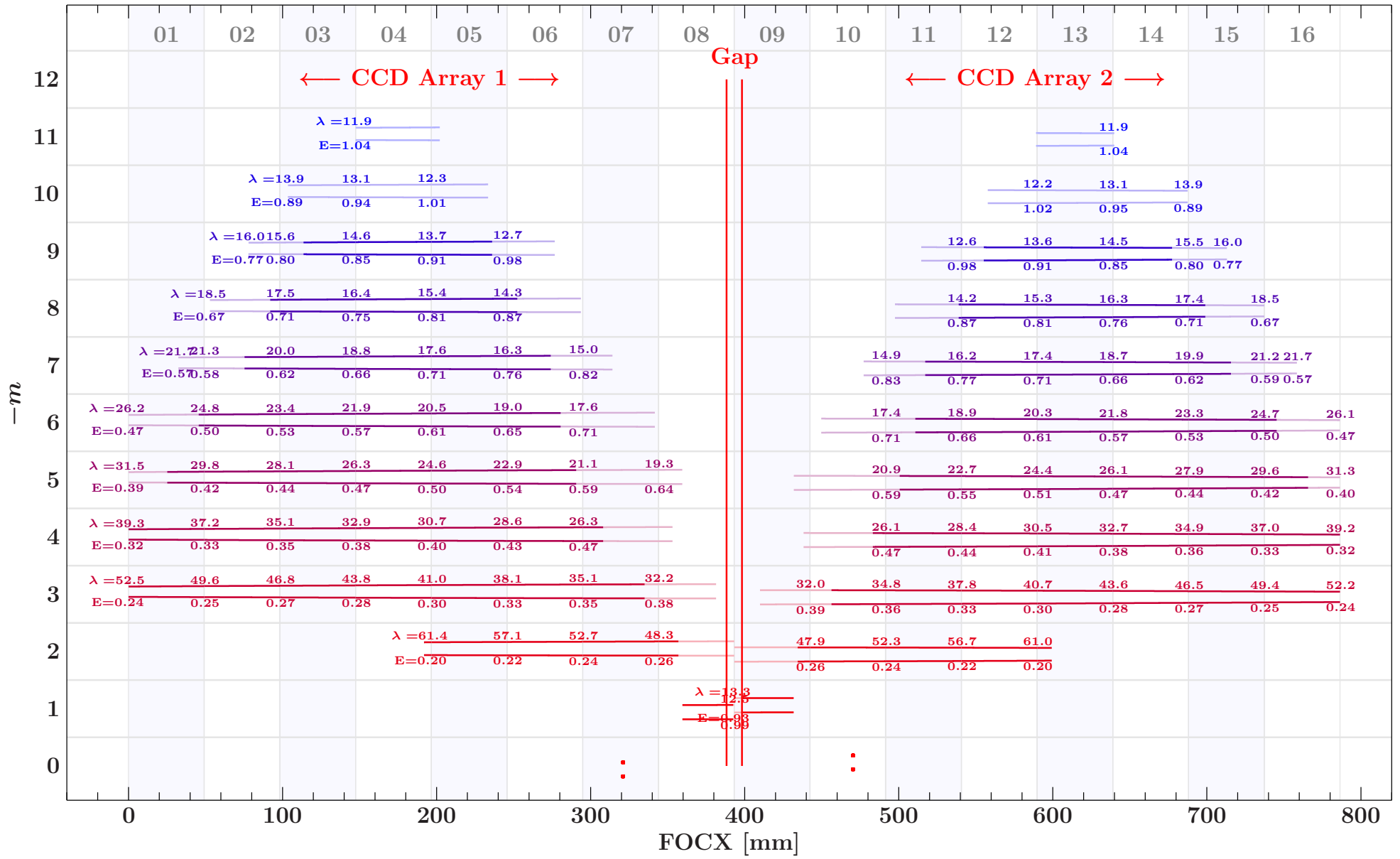
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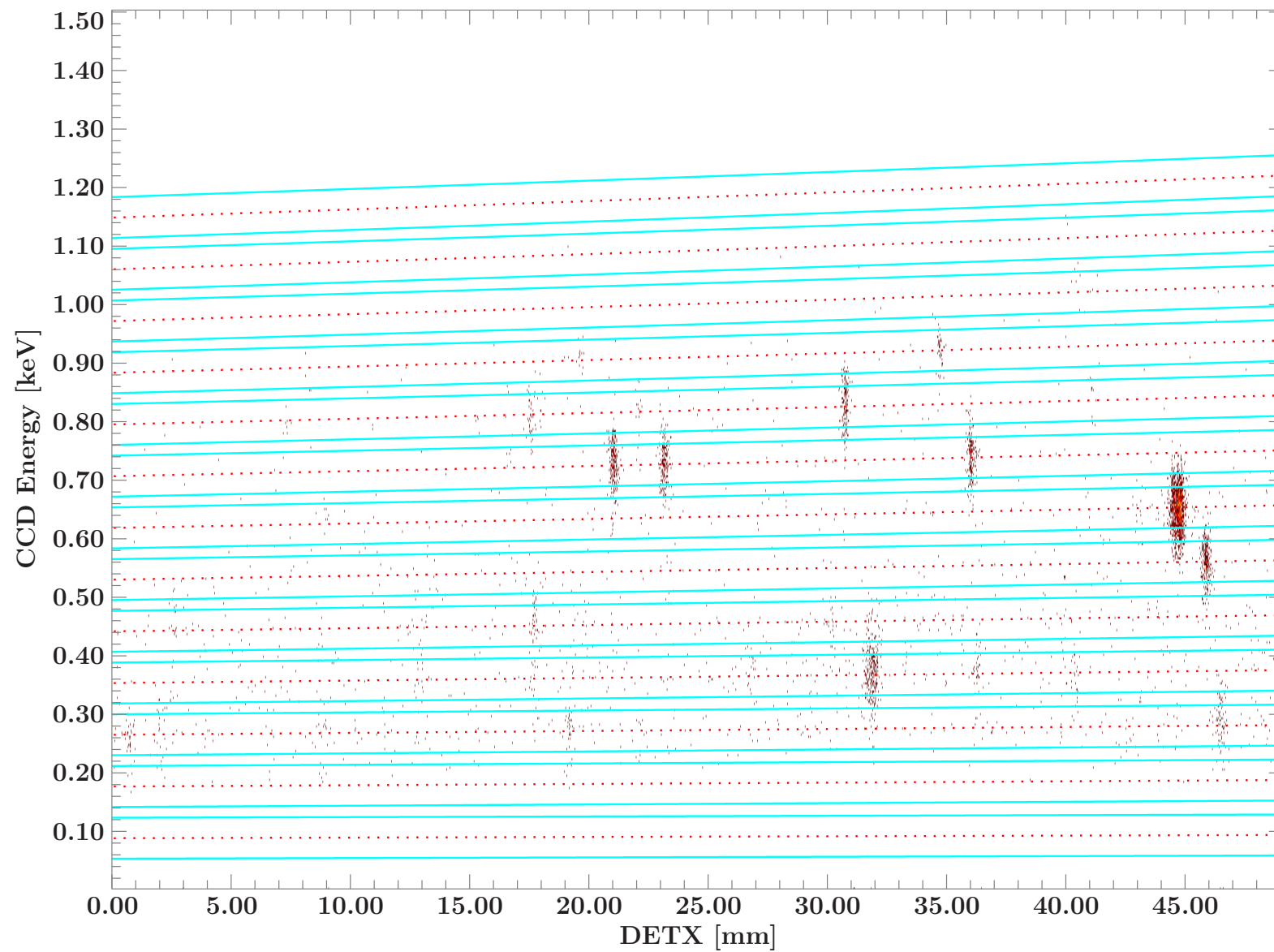
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Telemetry stream



Merged CCD event list
TIME, CCDID, PHA,
PI, CCDENERGY, TYPE,
RAWX, RAWY, DETX, DETY



Calibrated CCD event data
FOCX, FOCY, ALPHA,
BETA, CHANNEL, RA, DEC

- Convert telemetry to FITS
- correct for charge transfer inefficiency
- apply TYPE dependent split model for PHA \rightarrow PI conversion

- star tracker data
quaternions \forall trackers, $\vec{\xi}(t')$
- metrology data $x(t), y(t)$
- apply channel regions

Arcus

FOCX, FOCY, ALPHA,
BETA, CHANNEL, RA, DEC



- Grating equations
- CCD energy resolution

Gratings event list
ORDER, REALORDER,
MLAMBDA, LAMBDA, ENERGY



- time selection (good time intervals)
- focal plane geometry
- calibration data

Spectrum, Lightcurve,
ARF, RMF...