



## Thermal SNR Working Group: Summary Report

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Thermal SNR Working Group*



## Thermal SNR Working Group

*One of the “Standard candle” working groups.*

*This presentation is a summary report of this group’s work:*

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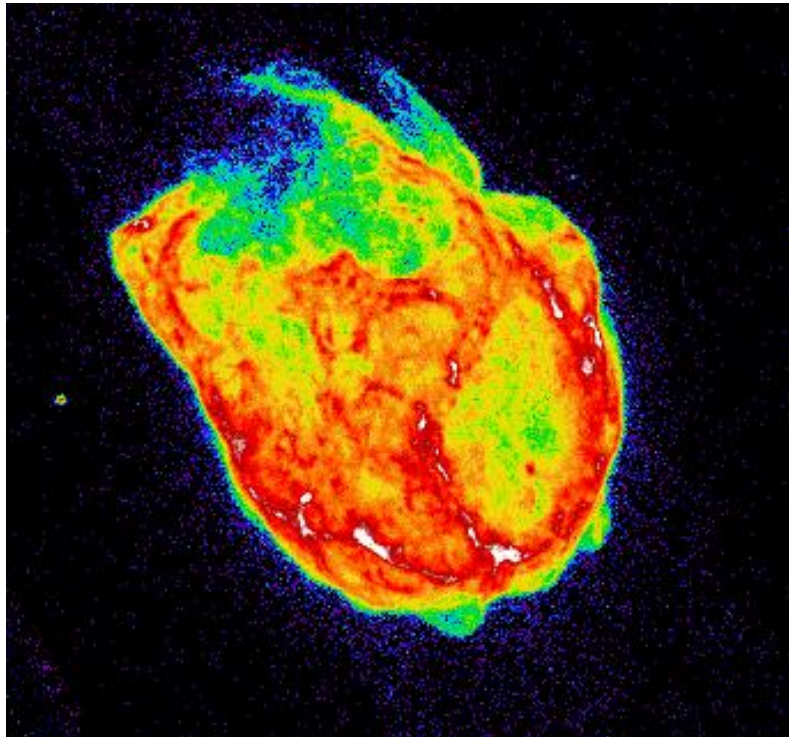


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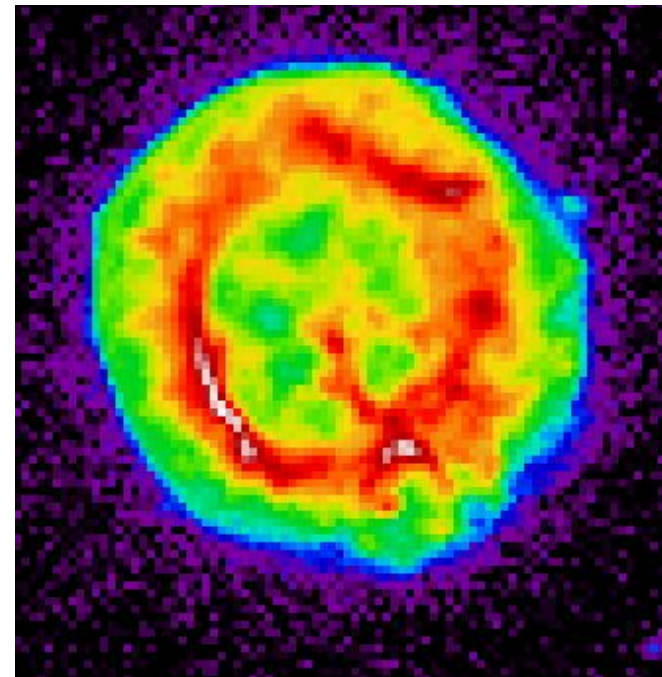
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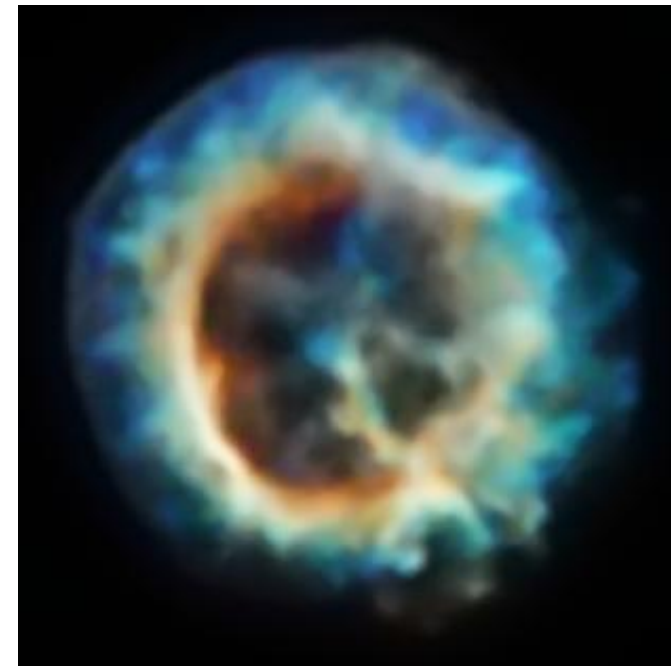
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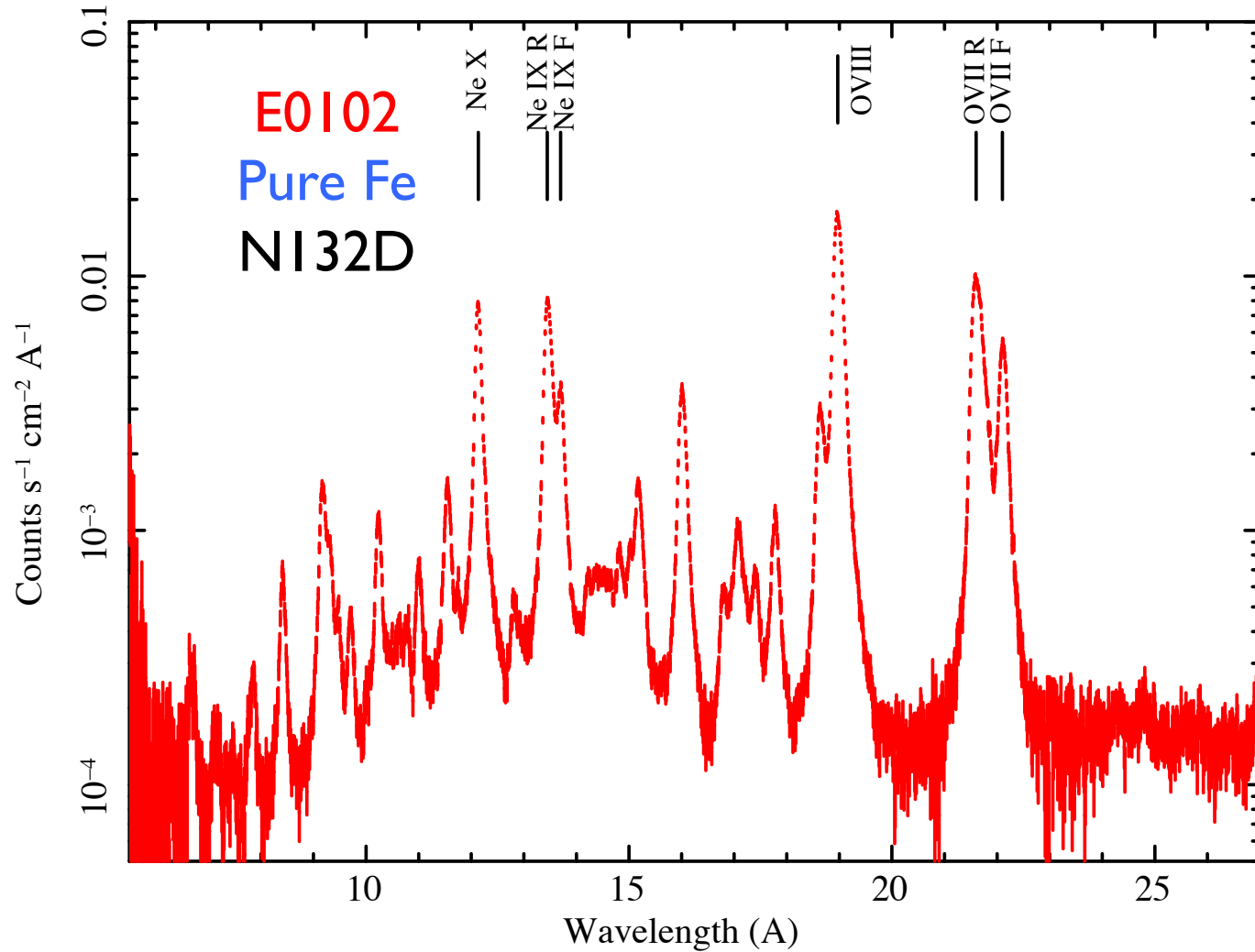


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## RGS Spectra of E0102 & N132D

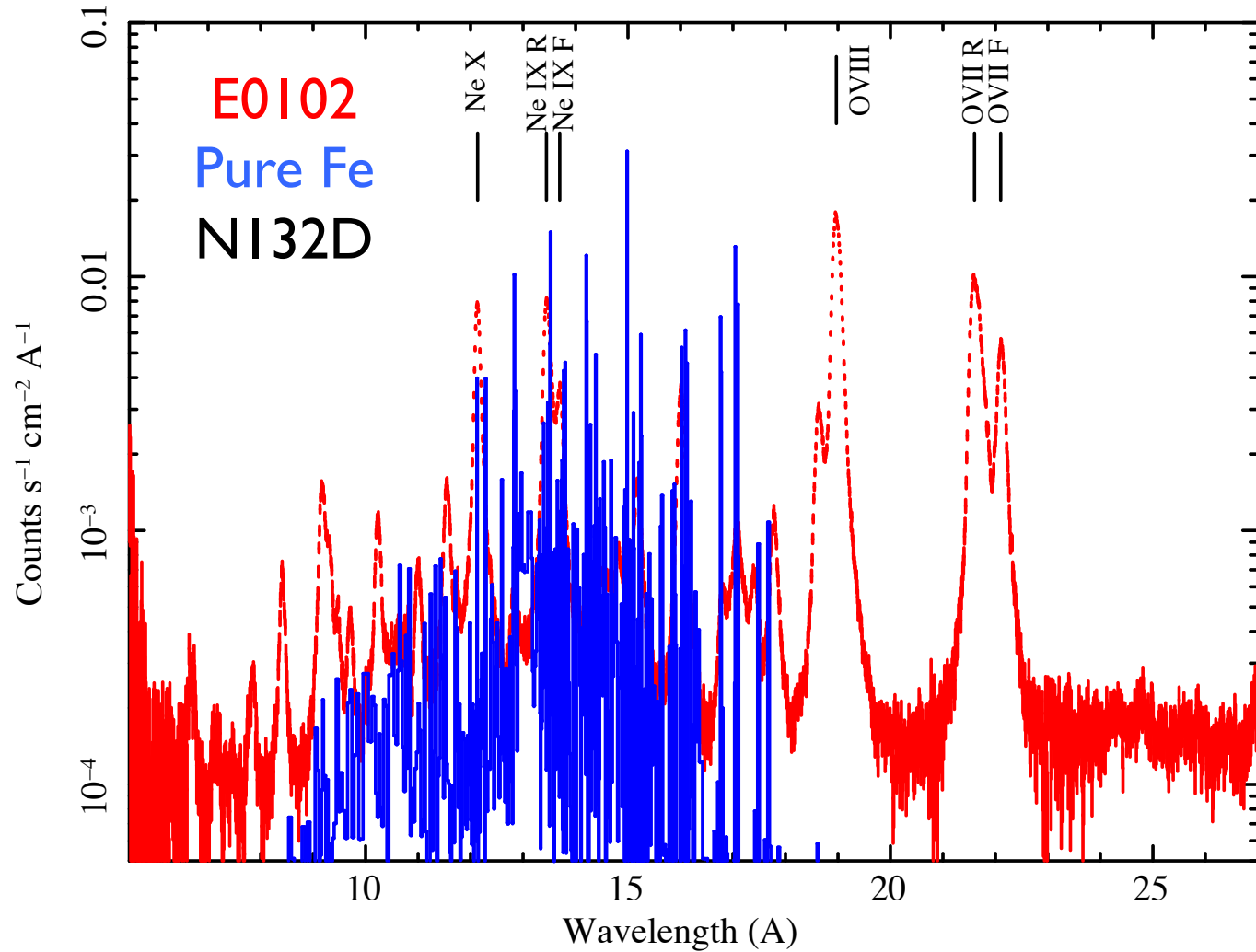
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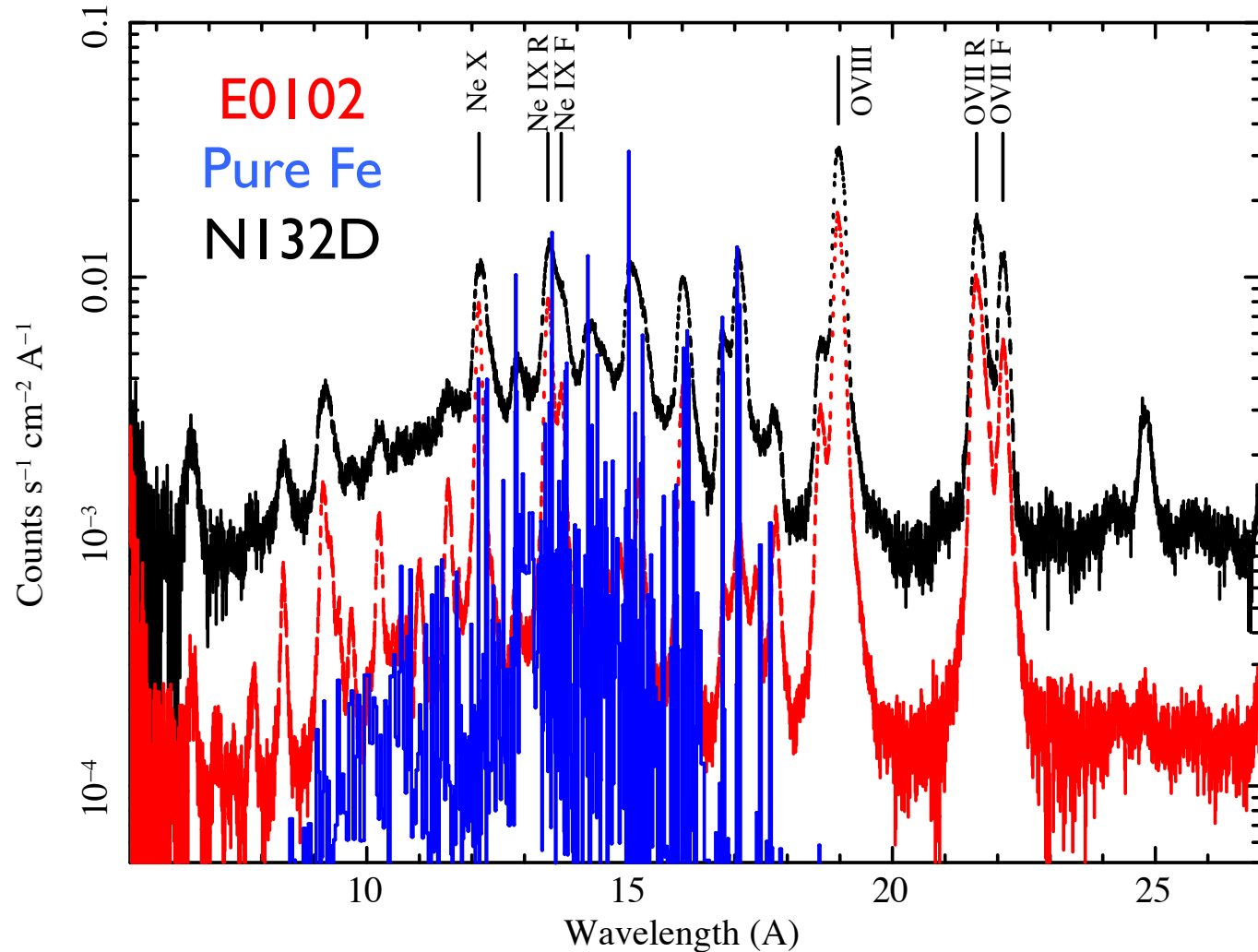




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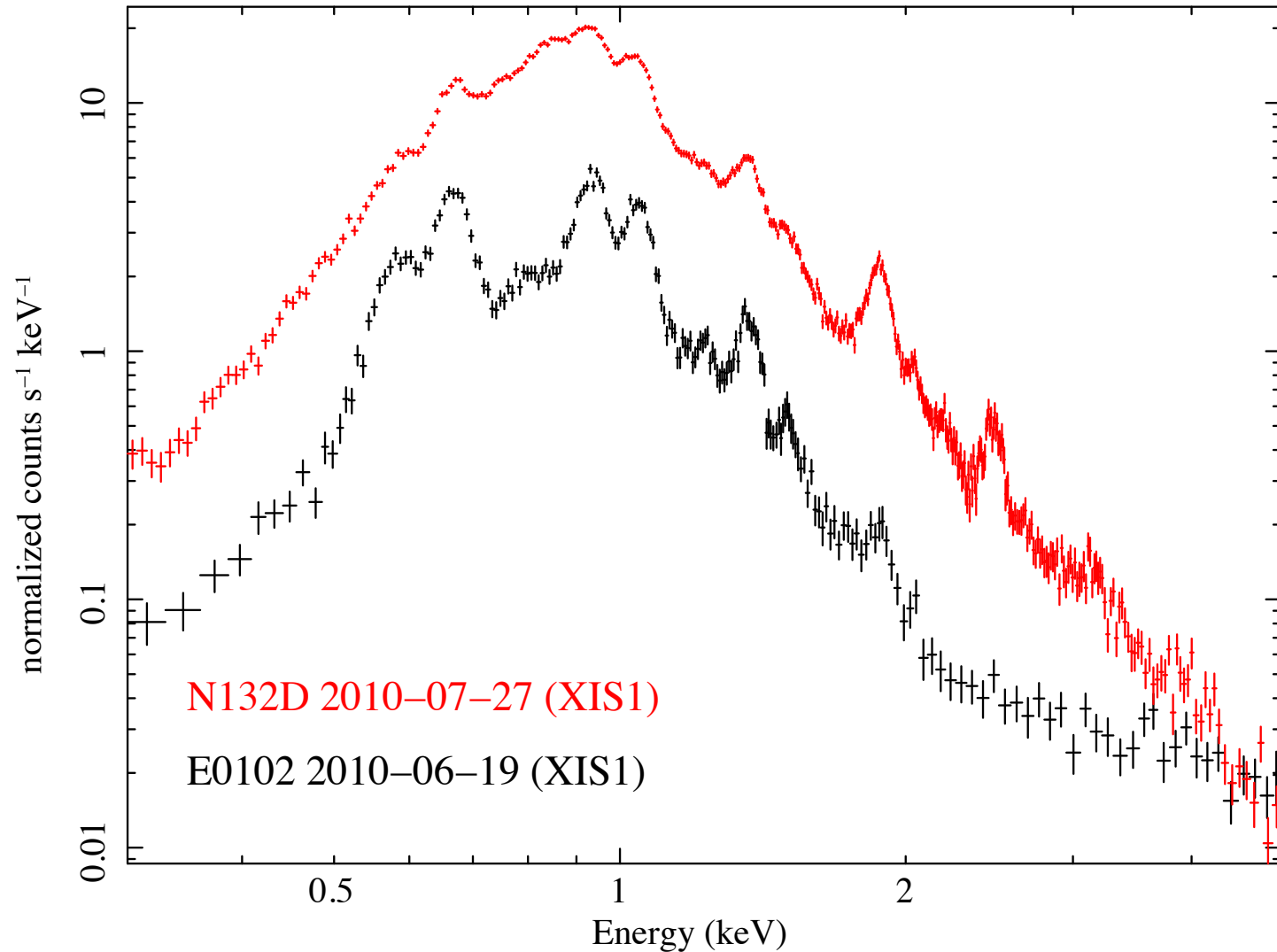
*Significant  
Fe in  
N132D's  
spectrum.  
Very little or  
no Fe in  
E0102's  
spectrum.*





## Suzaku Spectrum of E0102 & N132D

*Miller(MIT)*



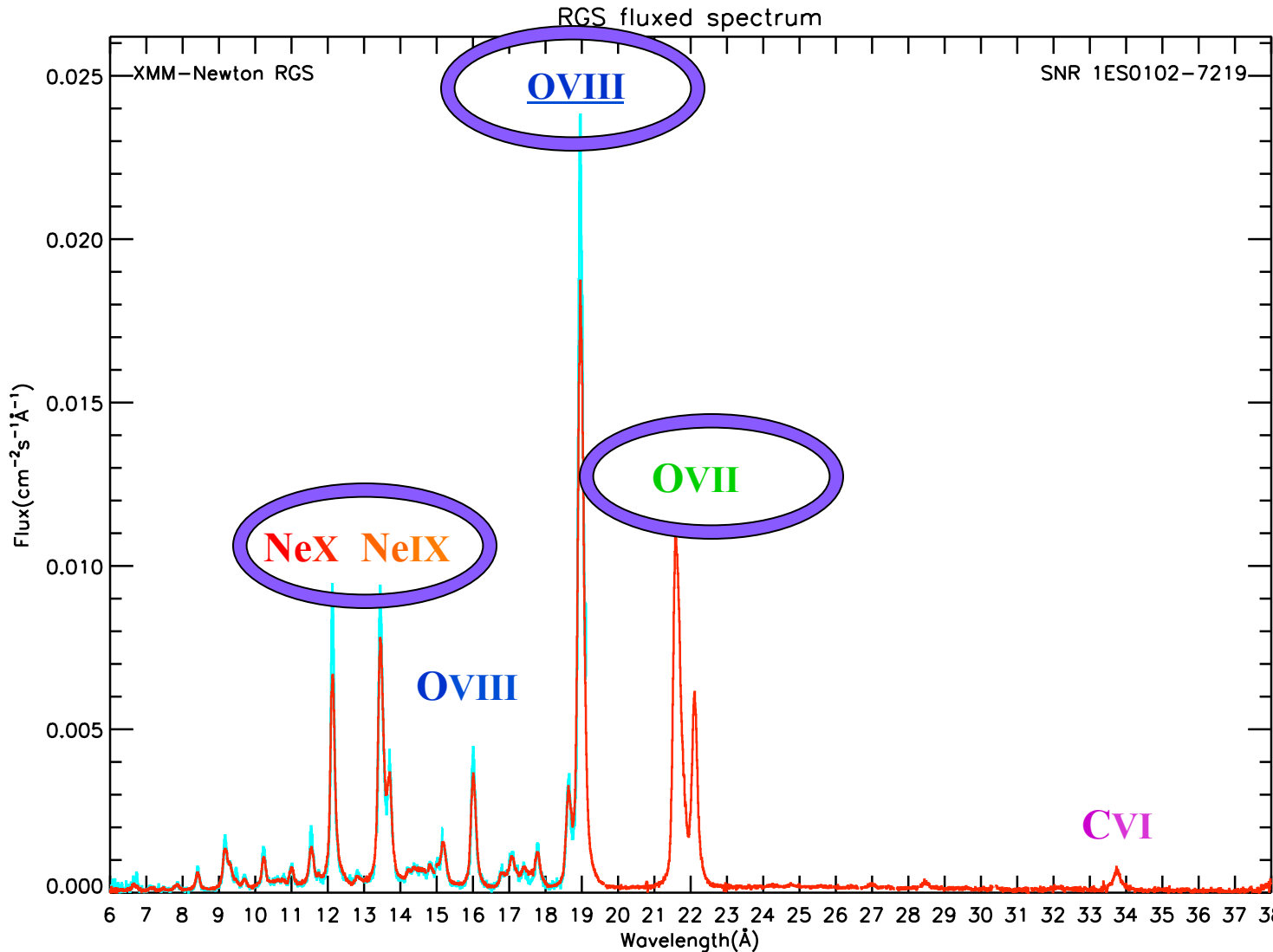




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## XMM-Newton RGS Spectrum of E0102: Pollock (ESAC)



IACHEC E0102 model

Plucinsky et al. 2012, SPIE  
Plucinsky et al., 2008 SPIE

Relatively simple spectrum dominated by O & Ne, little or no Fe emission.

In most applications, line energies & widths are frozen, only 4 normalizations are allowed to vary

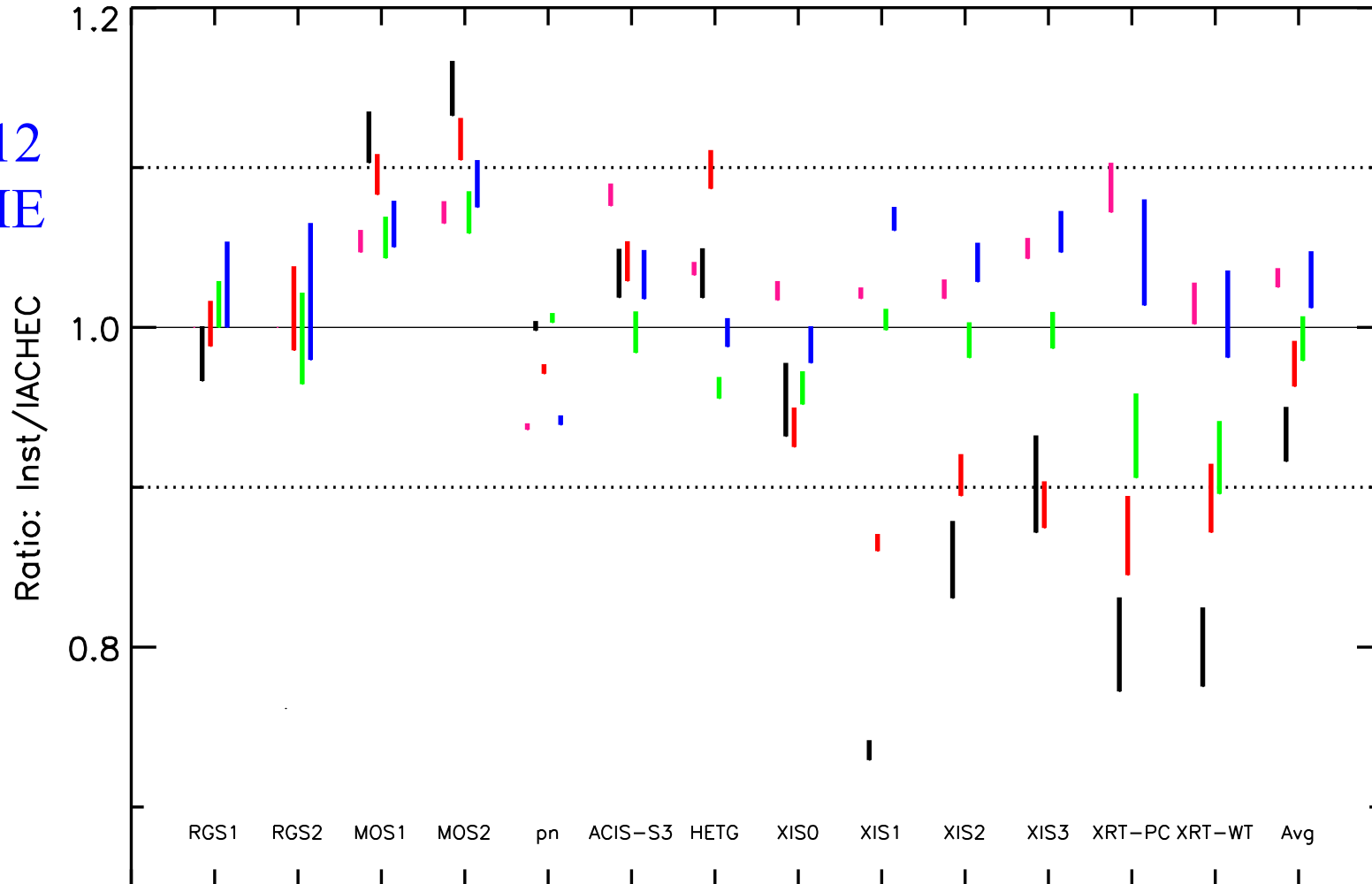
OVII, OVIII, NeIX, & NeX



## Comparison of Fluxes for Bright Line Complexes:

- Only 5 or 7 free parameters, normalizations for the OVII triplet (560-574 eV), the OVIII Ly-a (654 eV), the NeIX triplet (905-922 eV), and the NeX Ly-alpha line (1022 eV) and gain for some instruments

2012  
SPIE





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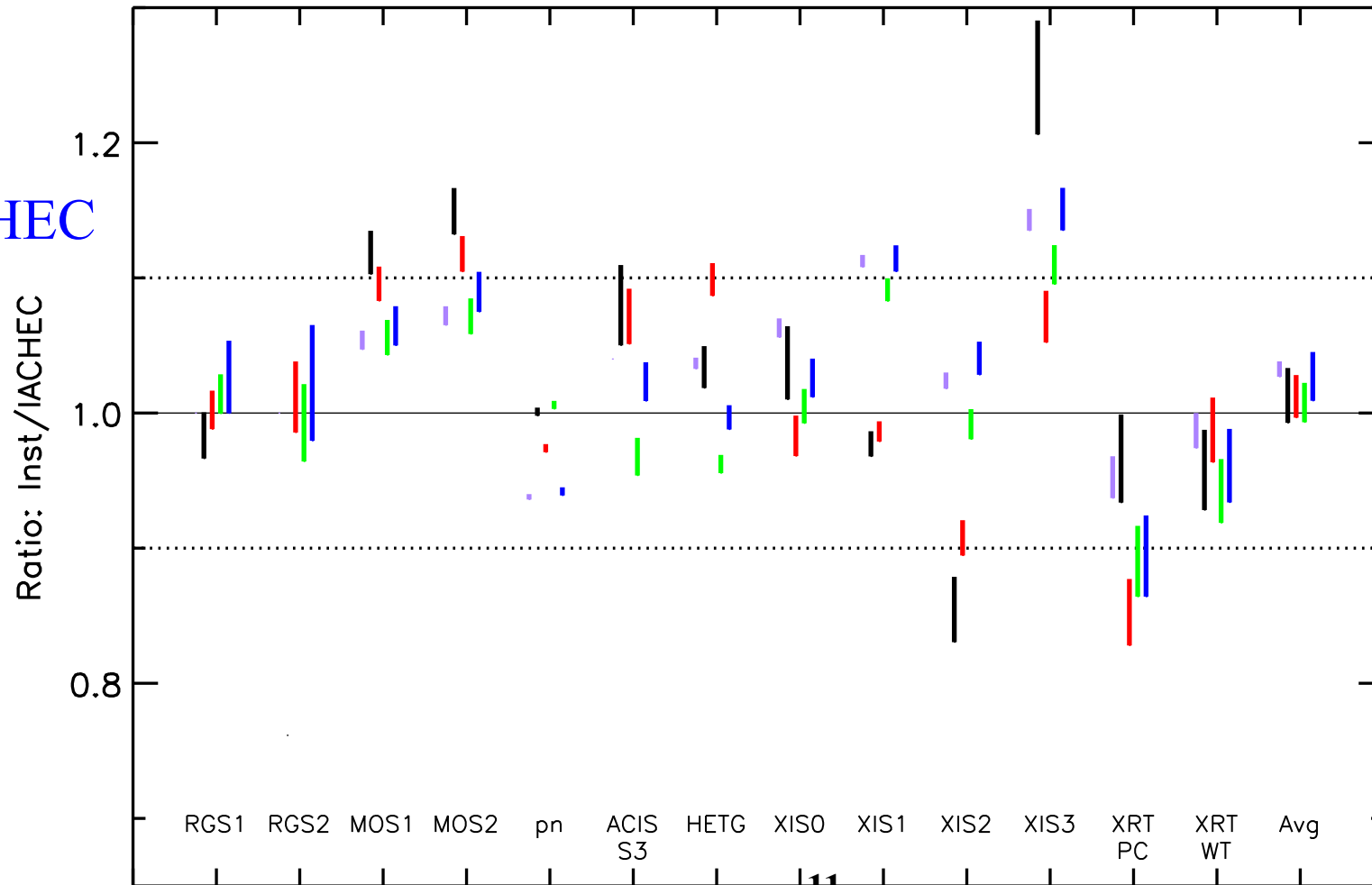
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Updated ACIS, XRT, & XIS0,1,3

2013  
IACHEC

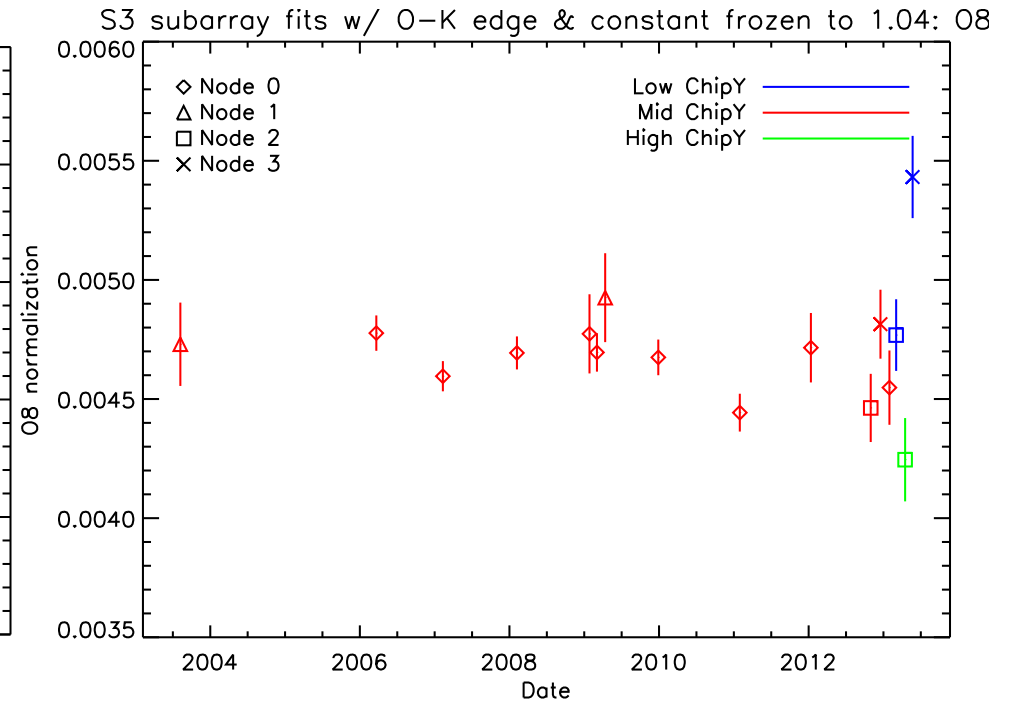
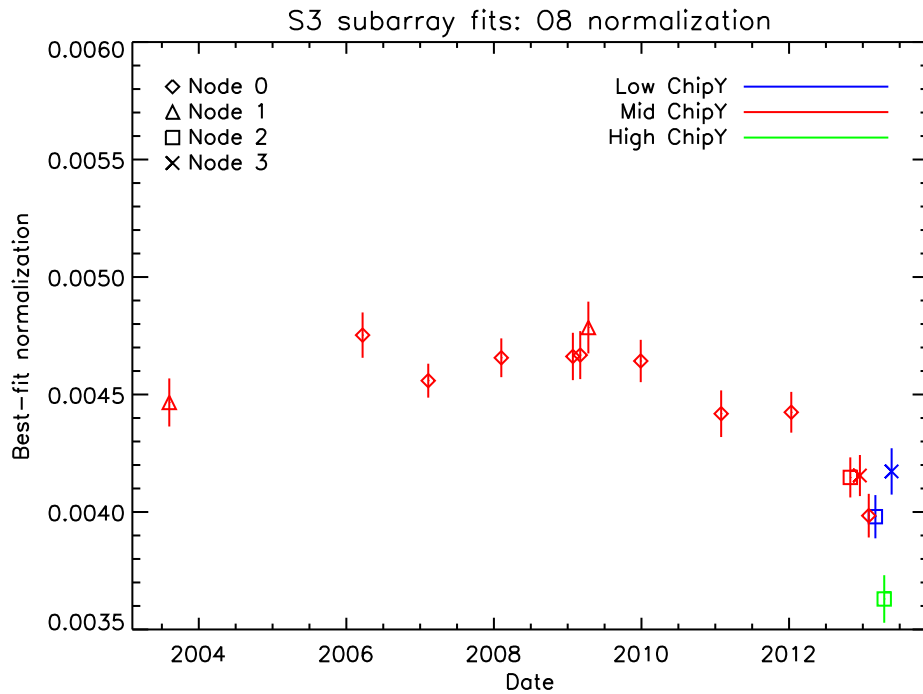




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*Posson-Brown(SAO)*

Time-variable extra O edge

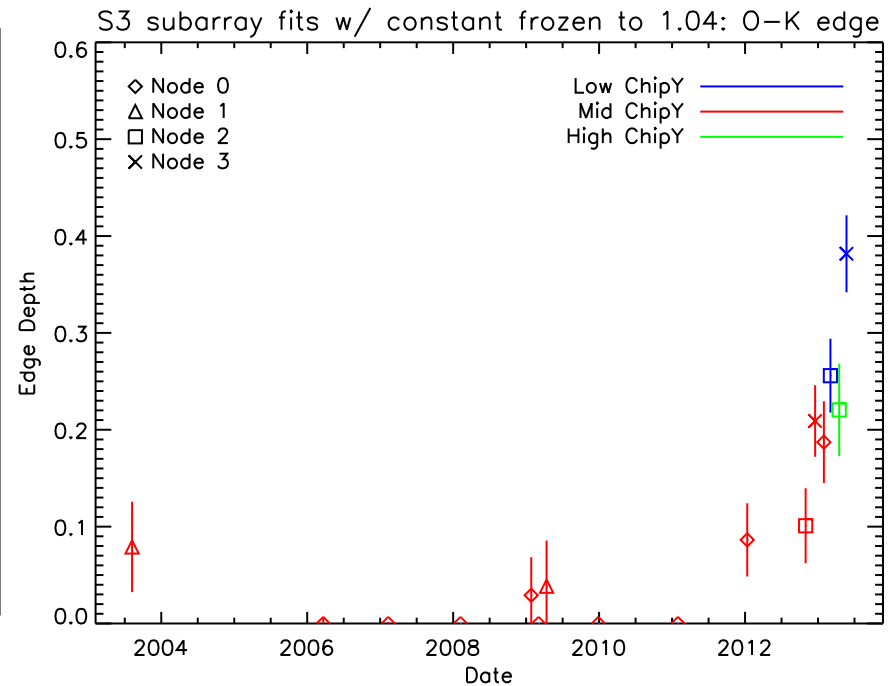
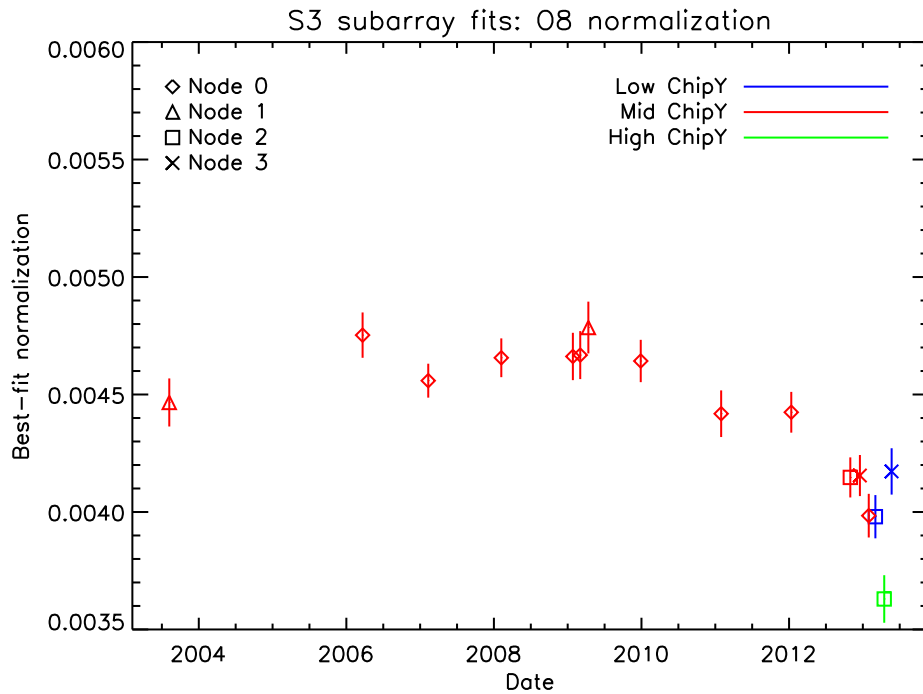




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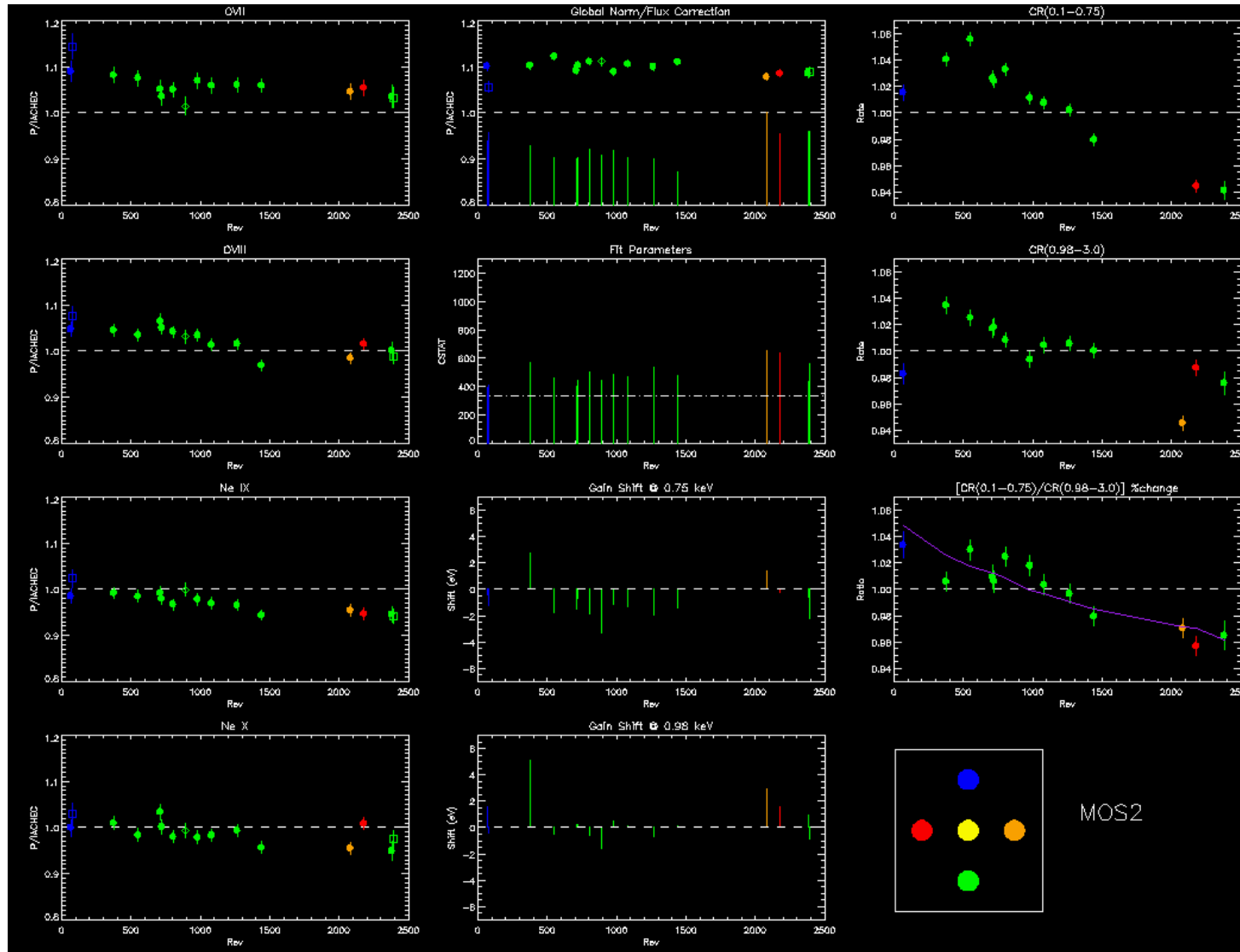




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## Use of the IACHEC E0102 Model: MOS Time Dependent Response



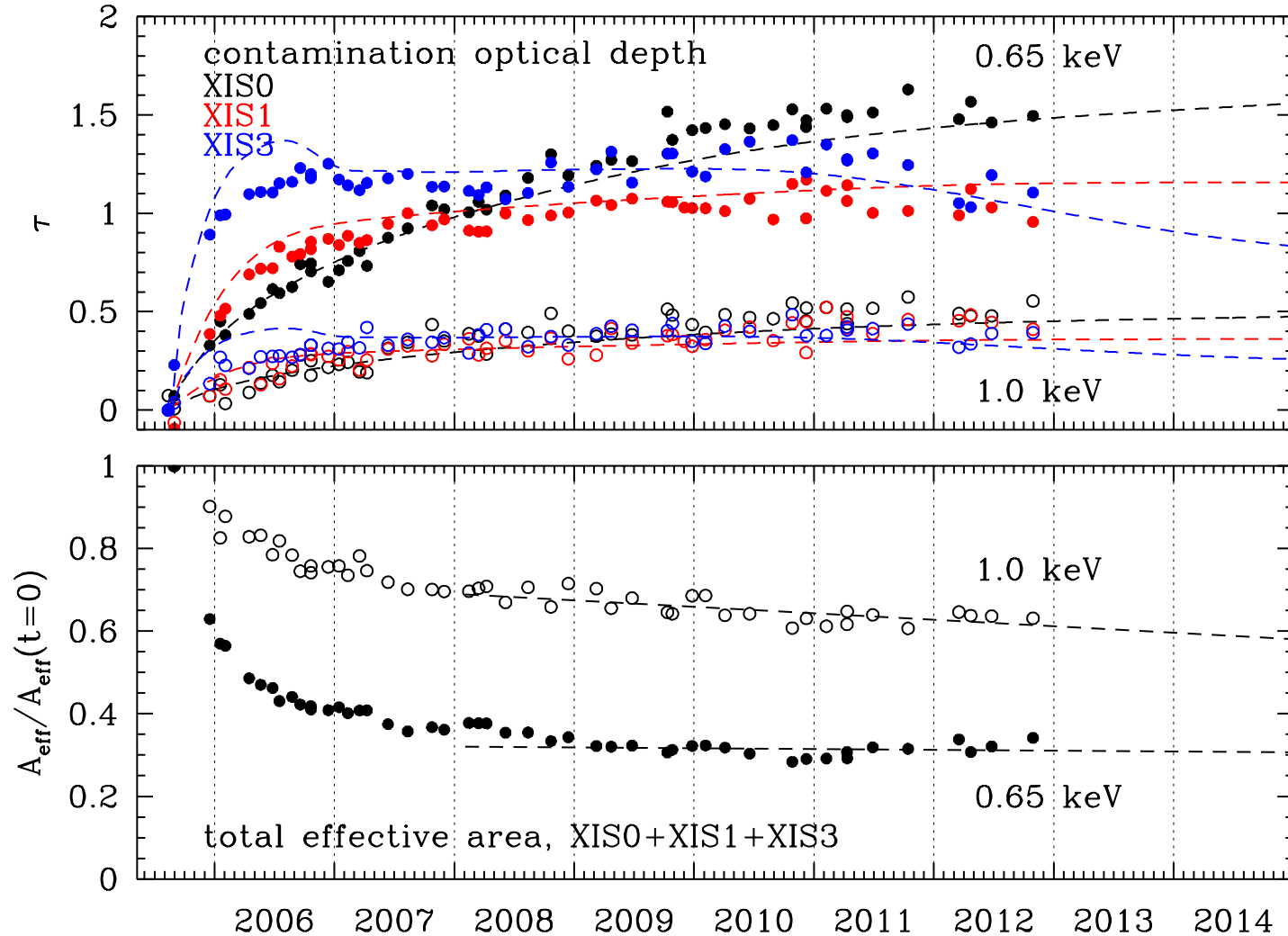
MOS2  
time-  
dependent  
response,  
Sembay  
(Leicester)



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## Use of the IACHEC E0102 Model: Suzaku XIS Contamination

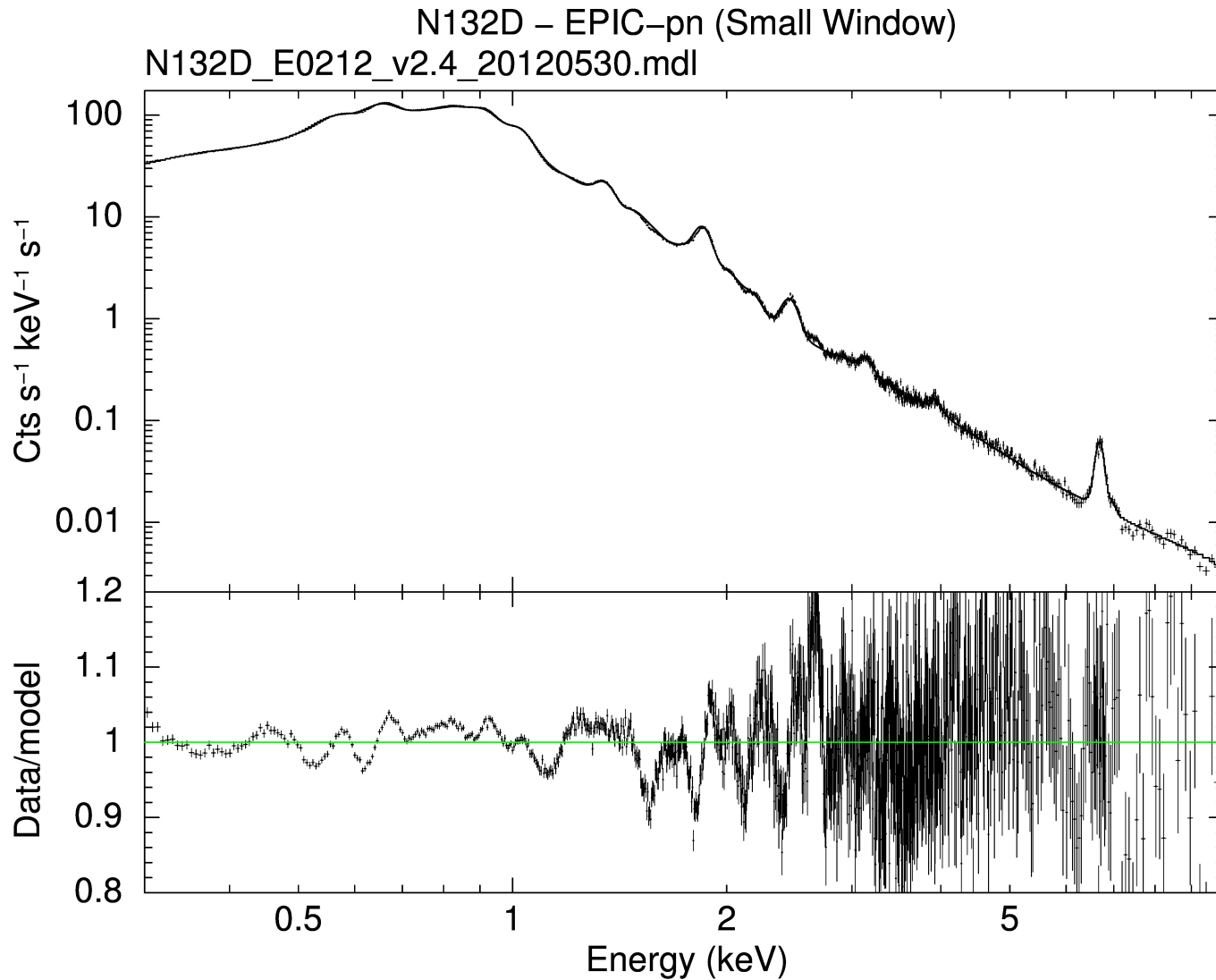


Miller  
(MIT)

from E0102



## N132D Model based on XMM RGS and PN data:



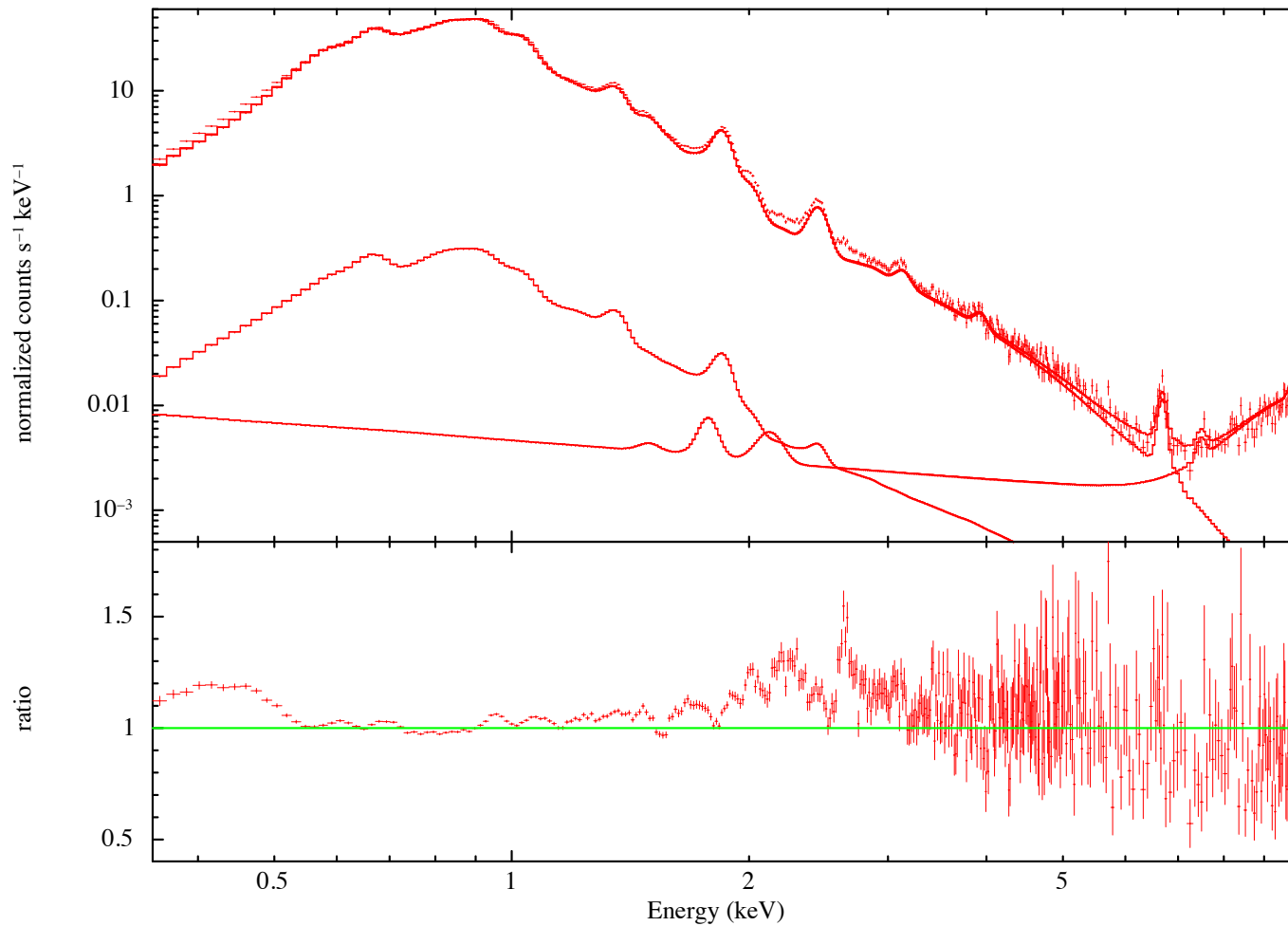
*Guainazzi,  
Stuhlinger, &  
Pollock (ESAC)  
v2.4*





## N132D v2.4 Model compared to ACIS Data:

N132D, ACIS S3, XMM version 2.4 model, no free parameters in source model  
background spectrum fit, parameters frozen in this plot

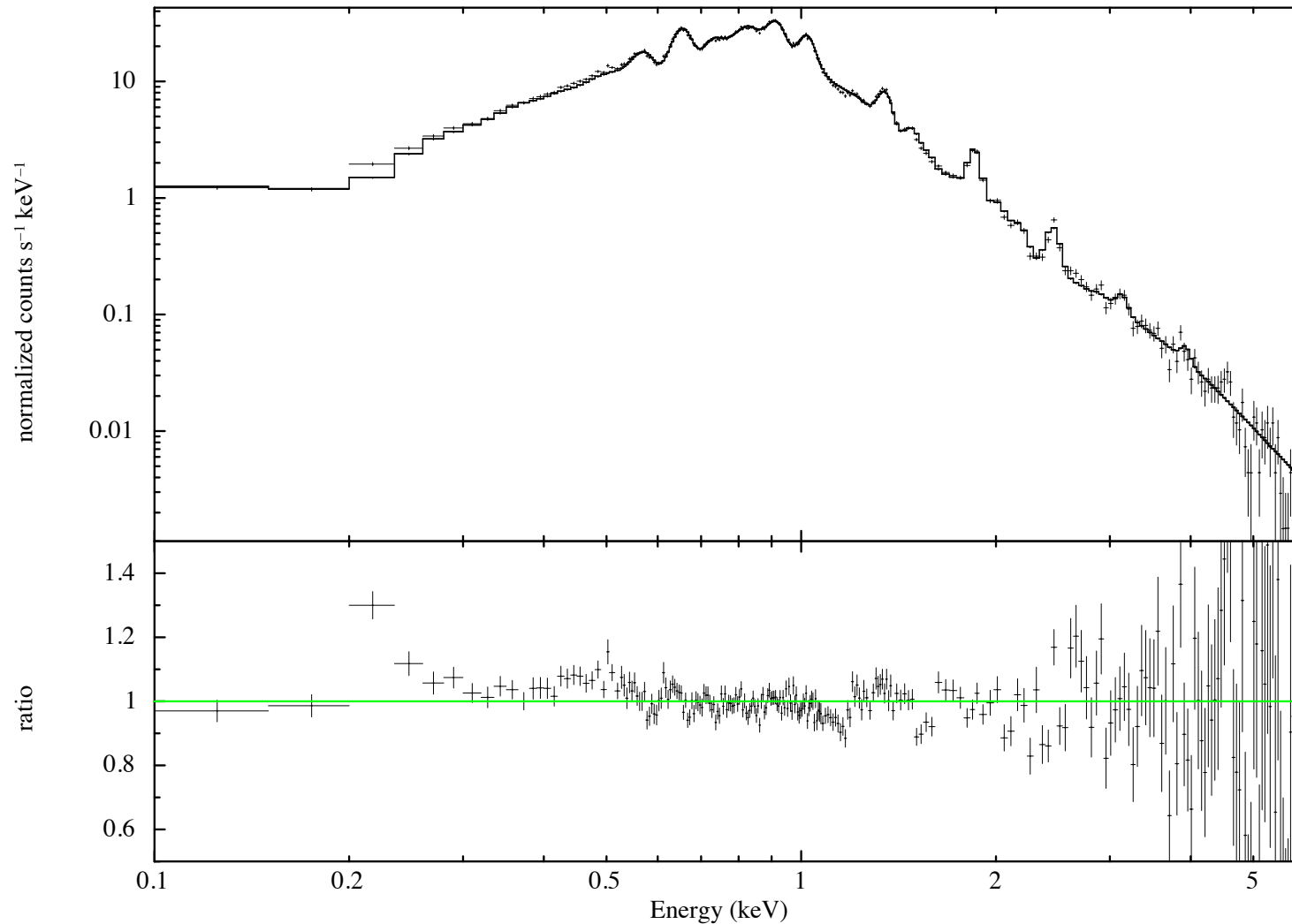




## N132D v2.4 Model compared to MOS Data:

N132D – MOS1 – Rev 0083

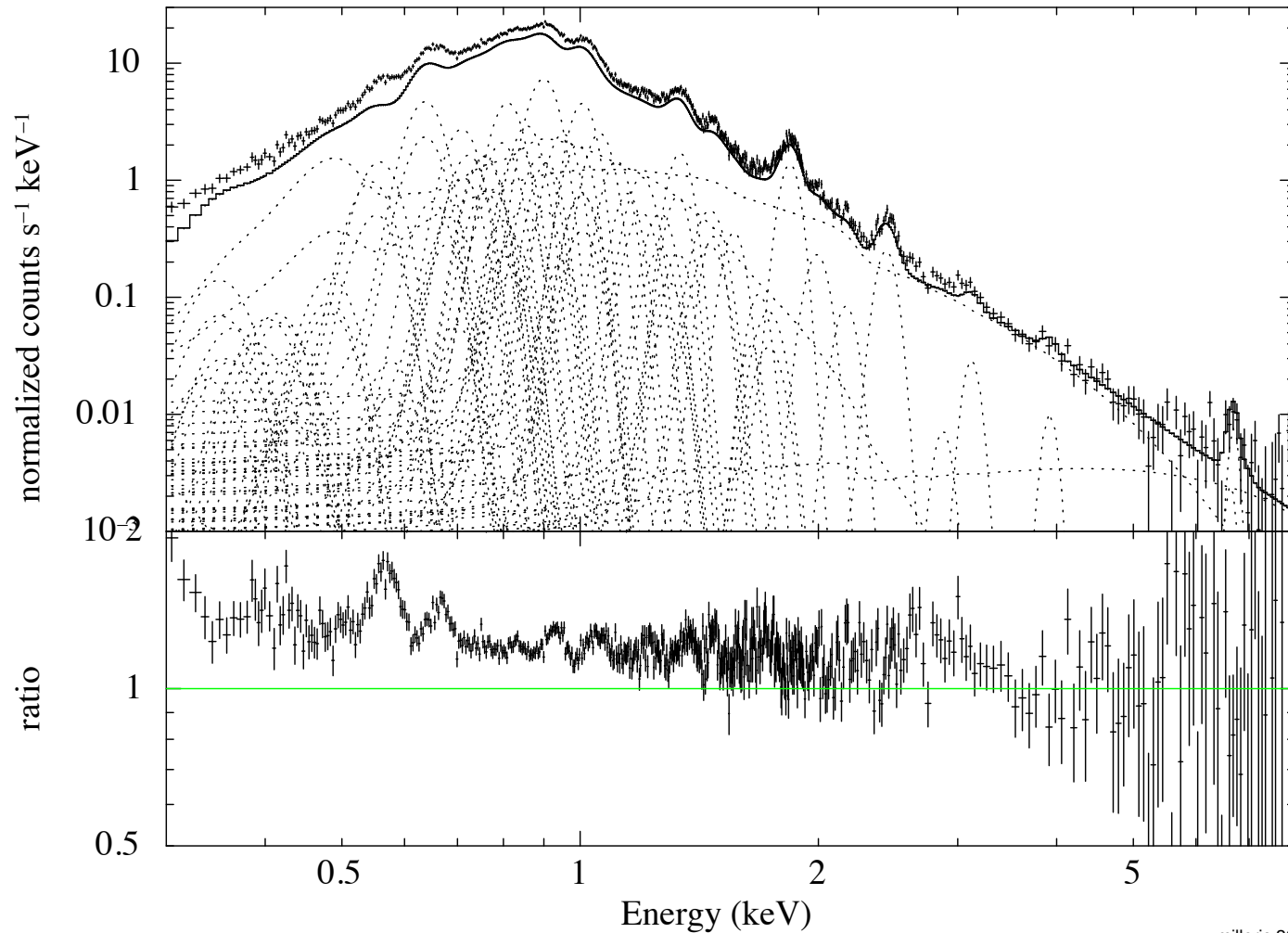
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## N132D v2.4 Model compared to Suzaku XIS Data:

N132D – XIS1, 20121020, w/ IACHEC model v2.4, contam 20120719



Miller  
(MIT)

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## Summary

### 1 E0102-7219:

- The IACHEC standard model has become a valuable tool for some of the teams to understand the changes in their instruments with time. This is a clear success of the IACHEC.
- SPIE papers are not good enough, we need to decide what we want to in an A&A paper to give the model more visibility.

### N132D:

- A standard IACHEC model of N132D is under development
- We need to decide how we will use such a model to help our calibrations