SXT Calibration Status



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AstroSat and Payloads



Launch date: 28 September 2015



Website : astrosat.iucaa.in

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PKS 2155-304, Raster Observations

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1E 0102-7217

E0102: Second X-ray brightest source in the SMC Size: 0.77X0.77 arcmin, 13X13 pc

t ~ 2,000 yr (Finklestein et al. 2006)

 $L_X(0.3-10.0 \text{ kev}) = 2.5 \times 10^{37}$ ergs s⁻¹ no compact object "O-rich" core-collapse

No compact object



ACIS 0.35-8.0 keV

1E 0102-7217 & ASTROSAT Calibration

2E 0102–7217 Pointing Details RA:01 04 01.20; Dec:-72 01 52.3



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2E0102-7217 RA:01 04 01.20; Dec:-72 01 52.3







0.05

0.00

RAW Y [pix]

Bore-sight of SXT Using SNR 2E0102-7217

Special Mode of data analysis required

$$y = -a(x-h)^2 + k$$





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Singh et al. 2017, (Telescope Description and Calibration Status), In preparation

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where S(r) is the surface brightness of the image corresponding to the particular energy band.





Source Name	Coordinate	Mode	max_radius	Number of cells
	(pix,pix)		(pix)	
1ES 1959+650	(298.56201, 291.64582)	A02a	280	40
	$(300.50042,\!293.53624)$	A02b	280	40
	$(298.42818,\!290.5263)$	G06	280	40
Faiall 9	$(302.42527,\!278.3769)$	G06	280	40
GX13+1	(142.38307, 169.47535)	G05	120	40
IGRJ17091-3624	$(204.66133,\!203.52306)$	T01	200	40
LMCX-2	(265.62066, 167.51322)	G05	170	35
Mrk 110	$(301.4574,\!294.72462)$	G05	280	40
Mrk 421	$(267.53592,\!185.48931)$	G05	180	40
Mrk 501	(301.54029, 294.61479)	G05	280	40
PKS 2155-304	(270.50215, 287.71113)	PV01	280	40
4U 1728-34	$(268.34081,\!171.5014)$	G05	170	40
Cyg X-3	(259.56974, 189.50537)	G05	200	40
	$(262.40972,\!187.35579)$	G05	200	40
NGC 4051	$(303.628,\!293.519)$	G05	280	40





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Fantastic Spectral Calibration for low energy side (0.3-2.0 keV)

Effective Area Calibration using Raster Scanning mode observations

Celebrated IACHEC SNR for low energy spectral calibrations



Red (0.3-0.5 keV), Green (0.5-0.75 keV) Blue (0.75 – 7.0 keV)

SNR 0102-7217 Spectrum [Exp. ~35 ks]



Figure 9. The X-ray spectrum of 1E0102-72.3 as fitted with the IACHEC model derived from several X-ray observatories carrying a CCD camera in the focal plane of a telescope. The SXT spectrum was extracted from a radius of 10 arcmin.



SXT March 2016 & Dec 2015 (reg. 8'; black); SXT Oct 2016 (reg. 18'; red); SXT (reg 13'; green)

(data-model)/error



The X-ray spectrum of Tycho SNR as obtained with the SXT, Swift XRT and the NuStar. The SXT spectrum was extracted from a radius of 18 arcmin for this bright source

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Summary

- The optical axis of SXT, determined, is approximately along the detector axis
- The energy dependent vignetting functions are generated and are updated in CALB
- The PSF determinations is almost done and are updated in CALDB
- The spectral comparison with the IACHEC model shows that the area and response matrix are constrained within satisfactory limits...a refinement is going on and soon will be updated with CALDB
- A gain shift of around 30 eV has been noted since the launch of AstroSat

1ES 1959+650 (SXT+LAXPC)



1ES 1101–232 X-ray Spectrum; SXT (black), NuSTAR(red & green)



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Combined Sky Bkg. Spectrum; including (red)/excluding(black) sky2a & sky2b

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normalized counts s⁻¹ keV⁻¹