

# **(EPIC) Source Detection & Catalogues**

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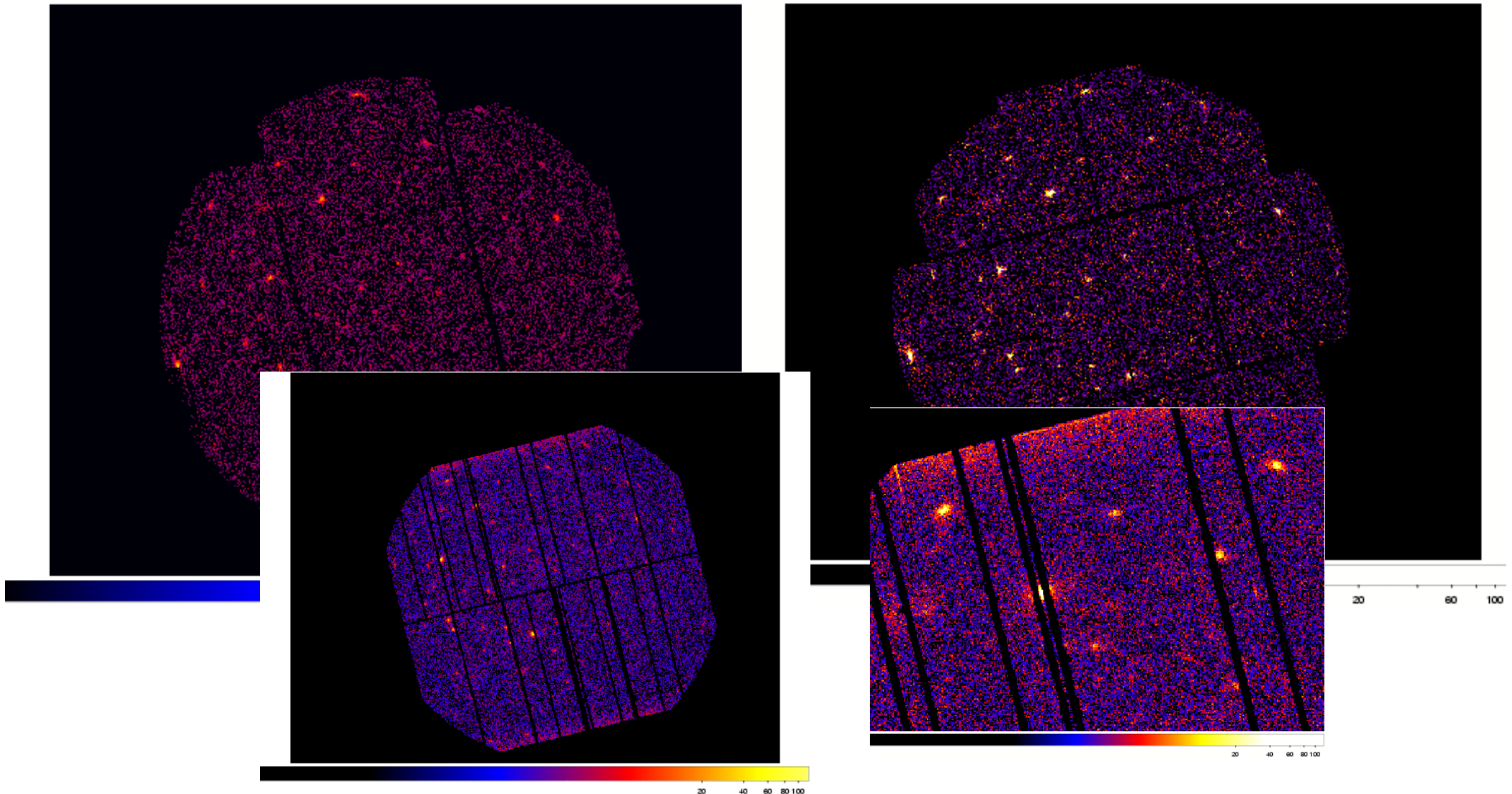
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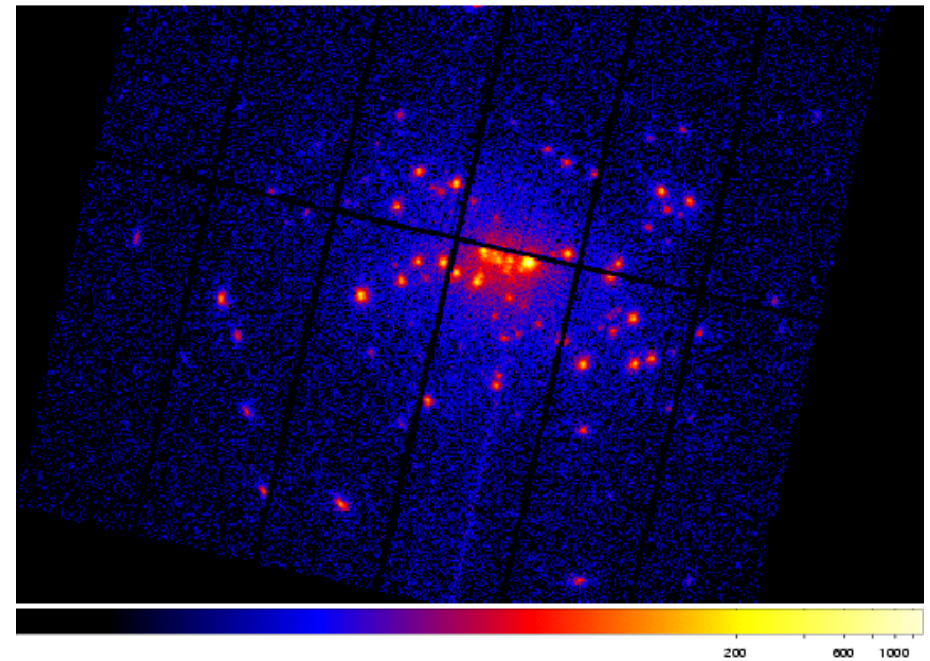
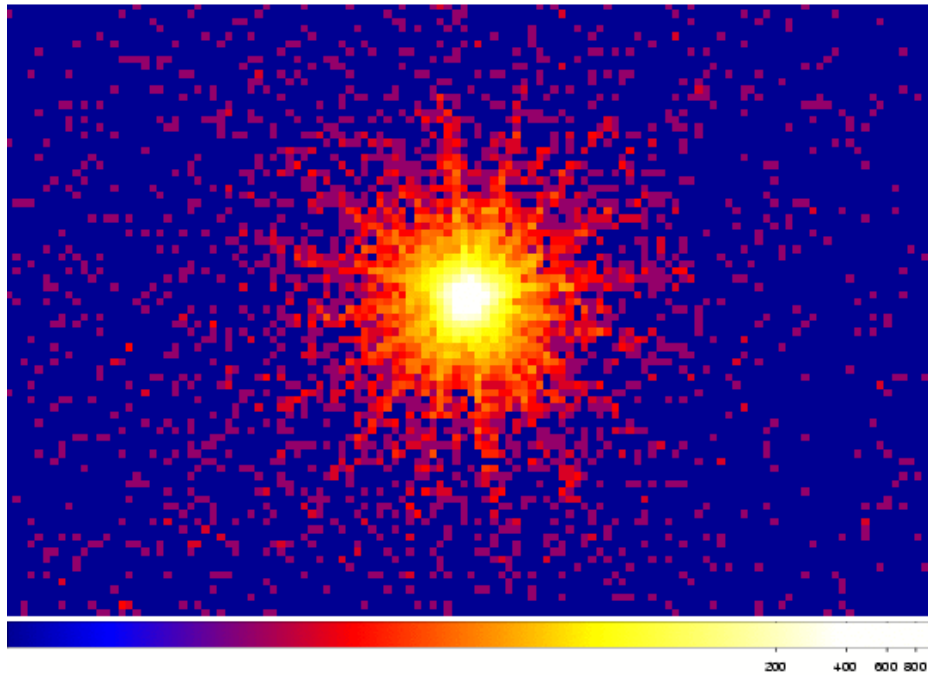
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Image production from events lists = collapsing events onto X-Y plane



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- >> source searching means basically looking for
  - \* **significant fluctuations**, which are
  - \* **compatible with sky sources**,
  - \* lying on top of *more* or *less* smooth distributions,
  - \* avoiding to get *fooled* by detection defects

>> goal:



to **maximize** source detection sensitivity  
**minimizing** number of fake detections

Looking for (small) fluctuations on top of distributions

>> **maximization of S/N ratio** for sources to be found

... cleaning calibrated event lists against flaring periods

>> produce high energy background lightcurves

+ define a threshold + produce GTIs

... taking into account the different source spectral characteristics

>> apply **band-passes** for deriving corresponding **images**

>> produce high energy background lightcurves

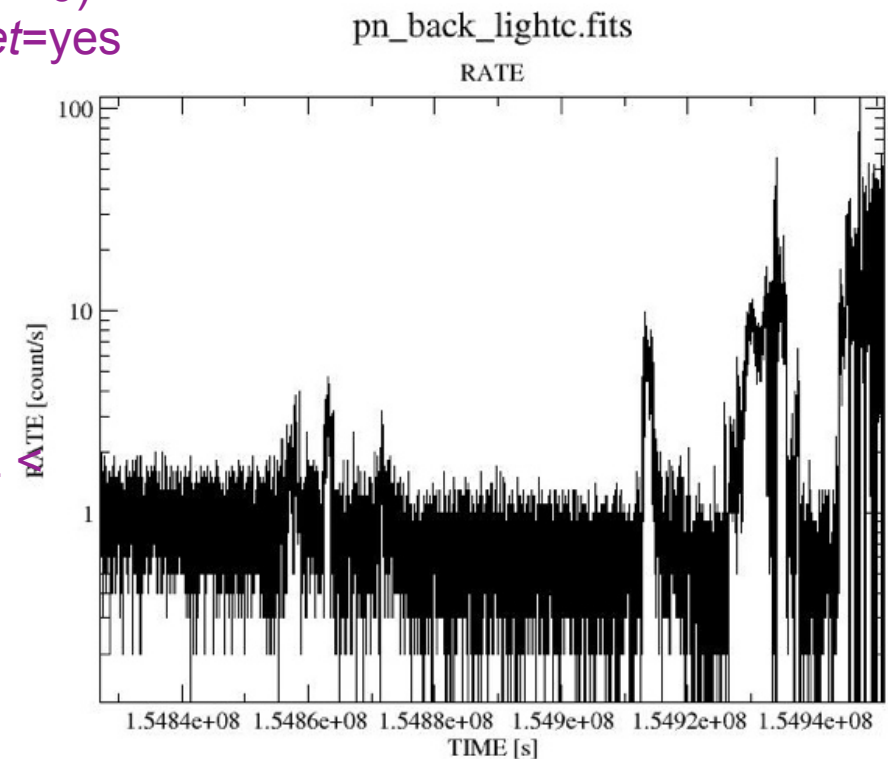
```
evselect table=PNevt:EVENTS  
expression='#XMMEA_EP&&(PI>10000)&&(PATTERN==0)'  
rateset=pn_back_lightc.fits timebinsize=10 withrateset=yes  
maketimecolumn=yes makeratecolumn=yes
```

+ define a threshold

```
dsplot table=pn_back_lightc.fits x=TIME y=RATE &
```

+ produce GTIs

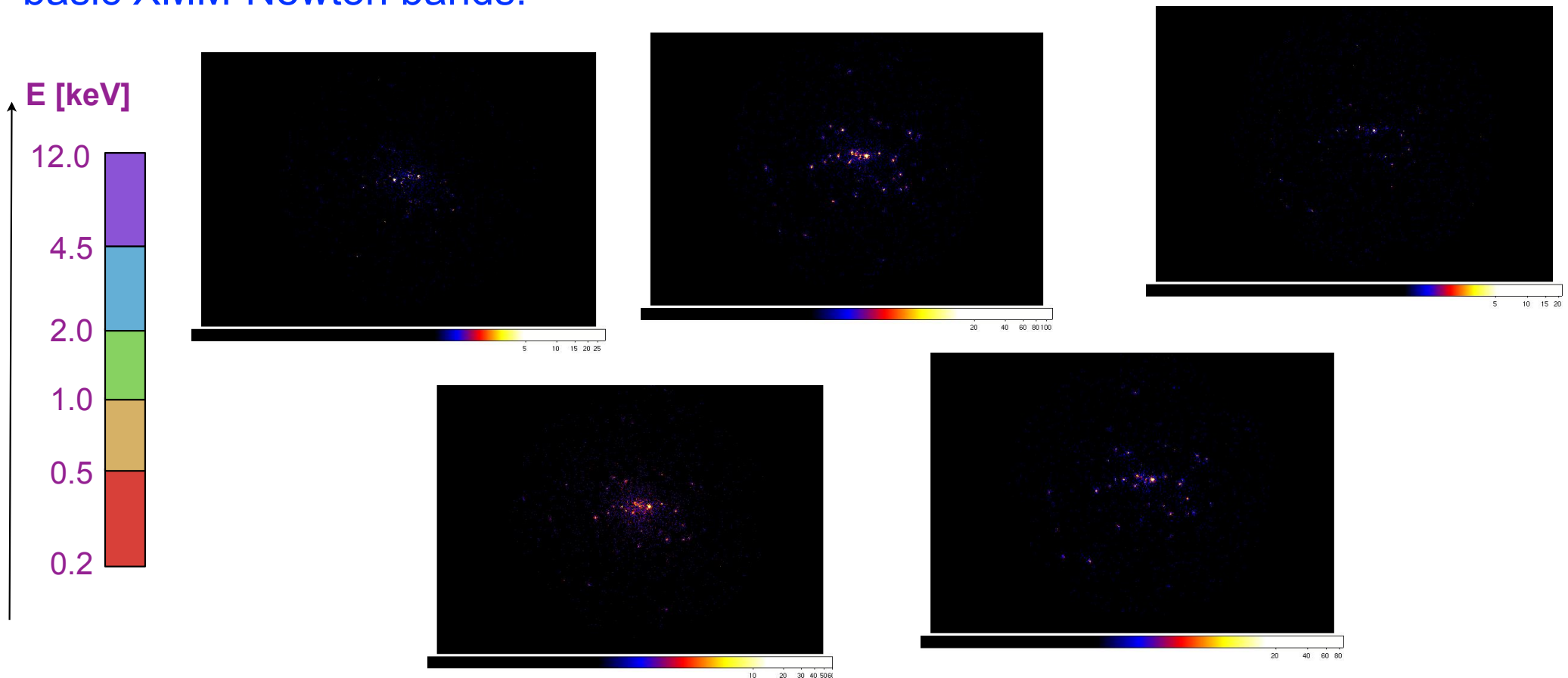
```
tabgtigen table=pn_back_lightc.fits expression="RATE  
1.50" gtiset=pn_back_gti.fits
```



# Source searching: preparatory steps

>> apply band-passes for deriving corresponding images

- \* selection of energy bands depend on the scientific purpose:
- basic XMM-Newton bands:



# Source searching: preparatory steps





Two methods of performing source detection on EPIC datasets:

## 1) edetect\_chain

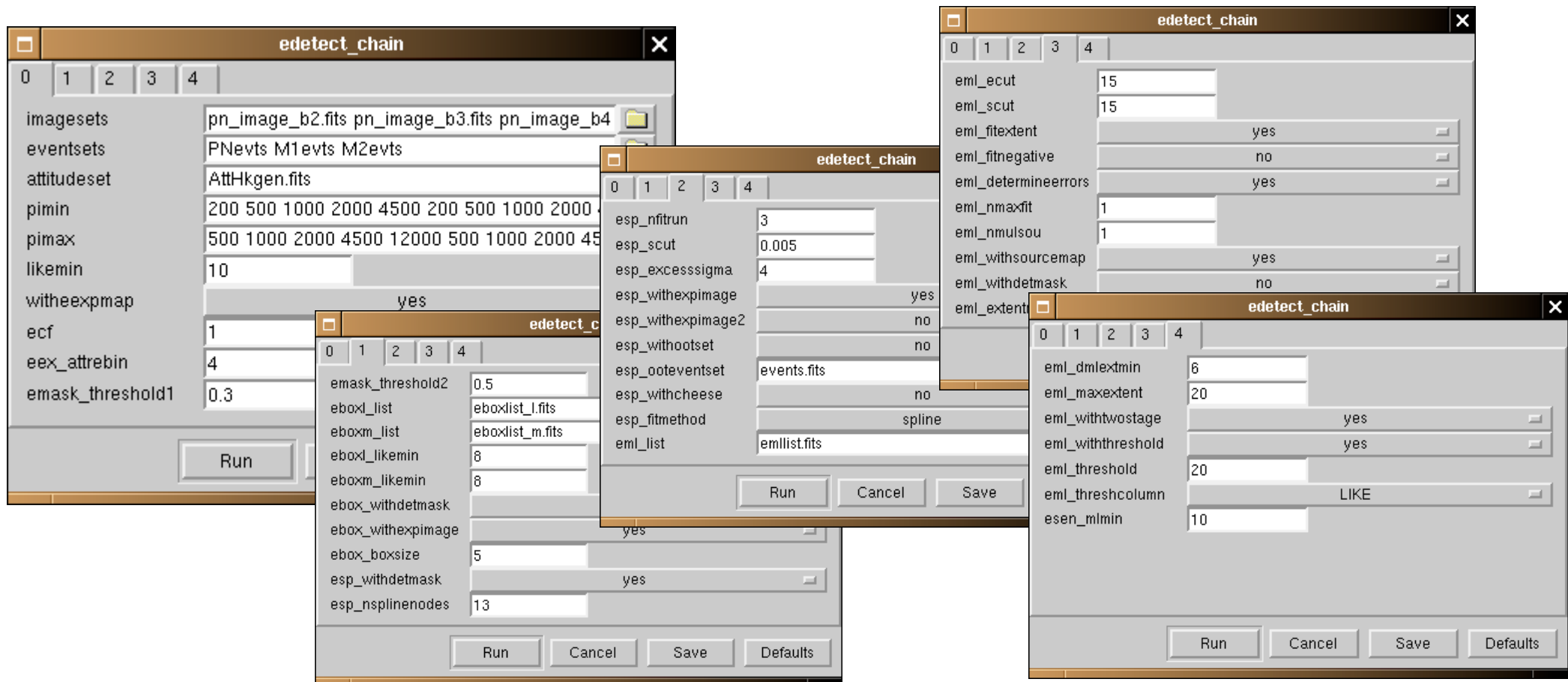
perl script running  
all these tasks  
consecutively

Task	Purpose	input data sets	output data sets
<a href="#">eexpmap</a>	creation of exposure maps	images, attitude files	exposure maps
<a href="#">emask</a>	creation of detection masks	exposure map	detection mask
<a href="#">eboxdetect</a> (local mode)	sliding box detection	images, exposure maps, detection mask	local box list
<a href="#">esplinemap</a>	creation of background maps	images, exposure maps, detection mask, local box list	background map
<a href="#">eboxdetect</a> (map mode)	box detection using bkg map	images, exposure maps, detection mask, background maps	map detect source
<a href="#">emldetect</a>	maximum likelihood fitting	images, exposure maps, detection mask, background maps	final source list
<a href="#">esensmap</a>	creation of sensitivity maps	exposure map, detection mask, background map	sensitivity map

2) [ewavelet](#) mexican hat wavelet algorithm for detecting both point and **extended** sources.  
Easy to use and efficient, but less reliable source parameters than those from [edetect\\_chain](#)

**edetect\_chain** is able to work on up to 240 images at one time

→ eg (“PPS approach”): running simultaneously the whole detection chain with 15 input images corresponding to the 5 standard energy bands of each EPIC camera



To quantify the significance of detected signals we need to know the observing conditions, eg., how long we have exposed the different parts of the detectors

>> **effective exposure time for each detector point**

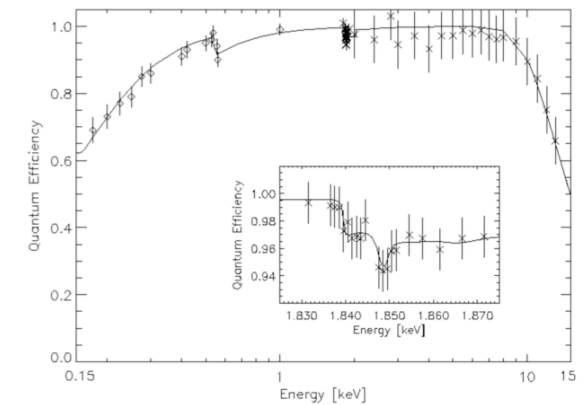
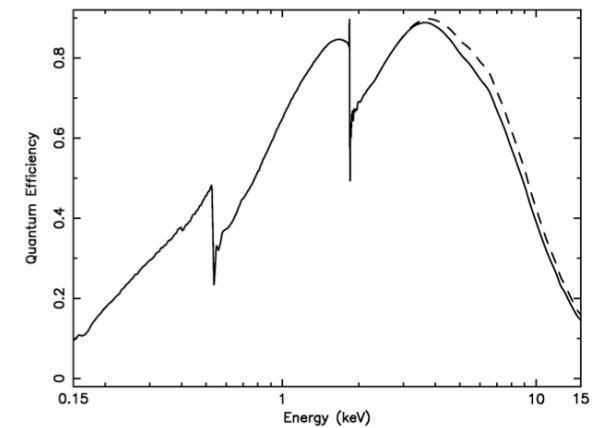
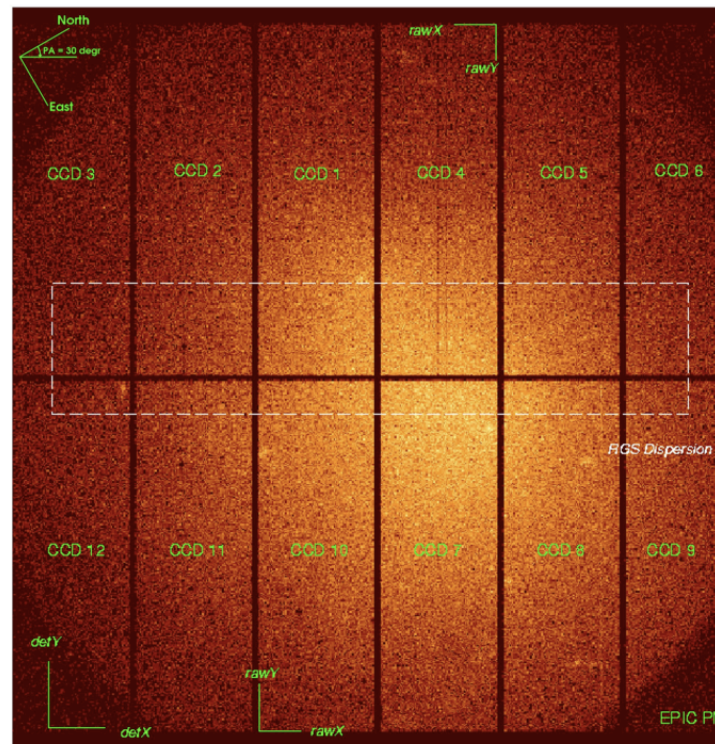
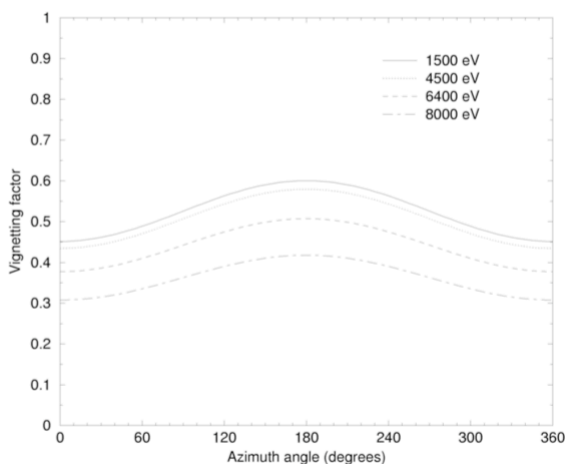
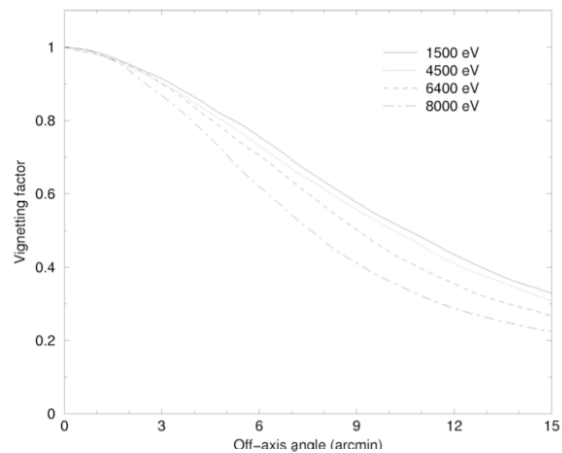
spatial quantum efficiency, filter transmission, mirror vignetting and FOV calculating for each attitude bin the exposure values projected onto the sky

[data taken from Calibration Files]

>> **instrument maps** containing **spatial efficiency** of the instrument (unit=[seconds])

# Source detection tasks

spatial quantum efficiency, filter transmission, mirror vignetting and FOV  
calculating for each attitude bin the exposure values projected onto the sky



(PN) example of single task commands issued:

## 1) create the multiband exposure maps by `eexpmap`:

- event energy is assumed to correspond to PI channel boundaries given (parameter *pimin* and *pimax*)
- Bad pixels as listed in the bad pixel extension of the input file are excluded from the instrument maps.
- Depending on flag selections in the image, the surroundings of bad pixels and border pixels are also excluded from the instrument maps.
- output in detector or sky coordinates (same as input image)

```
eexpmap attitudeset=xxxATTxxx.FIT eventset=xxxEVLxxx.FIT imageset=xxxIMAGExxx.FIT  
pimin="200 500 1000 2000 4500" pimax="500 1000 2000 4500 12000"  
expimageset="pn_1exp.fits pn_2exp.fits pn_3exp.fits pn_4exp.fits pn_5exp.fits"
```

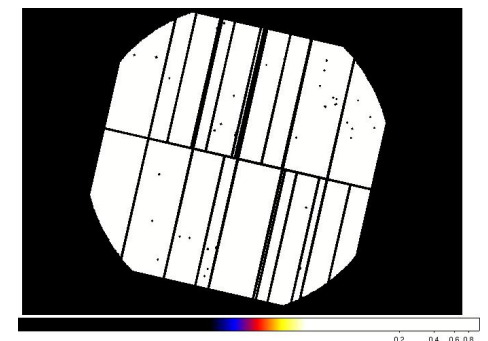
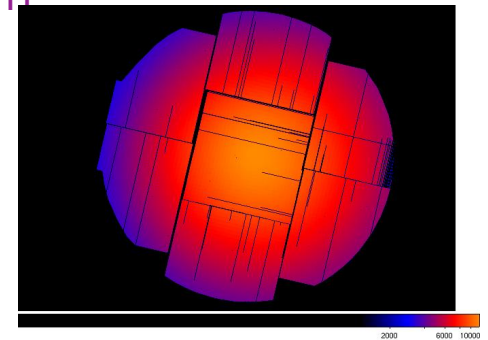
## 2) create the detection maps

(area defined which is suitable for source detection):

```
emask expimageset=pn_2000.fits threshold1=0.5 detmaskset=pn_mask.fits
```

Main criterium - valid area is only **area<sub>i</sub>** such that:

$$\text{exposure}_i > \text{threshold1} * \text{MAX}(\text{exposure})$$



Source detection is performed by `eboxdetect`

### 3) sliding box detection (local mode):

`eboxdetect` in “local mode”

- a) **source counts** accumulated in  $3 \times 3$  or **5x5** pixel window (parameter `boxsize`)  
**background** from surrounding  $7 \times 7$  or **9x9** pixels (40 or 56 pixels respectively)

Detection of extended sources doubling up to 3 times the pixel size in consecutive runs

**Background subtracted source counts** calculated applying correction factors to account for respective **fractions** of **source** counts falling on **source and background area**

**n** = detection box size

Enboxed energy fractions in source / background box:  $\alpha = \sum_{n \times n} \text{PSF}$  /  $\beta = \sum_{(n+4) \times (n+4)} \text{PSF} - \sum_{n \times n} \text{PSF}$

Raw box counts & raw background counts:  $\mathbf{C} = \sum_{n \times n} \text{image}$  &  $\mathbf{Bg} = \left( \sum_{(n+4) \times (n+4)} \text{image} - \sum_{n \times n} \text{image} \right) / ((n+4)^2 - n^2)$

PSF corrected and background subtracted counts:  $\mathbf{SC} = \mathbf{C} - \mathbf{Bg} * n^2 / [\alpha - \beta * n^2 / ((n+4)^2 - n^2)]$

Detection likelihoods given as:

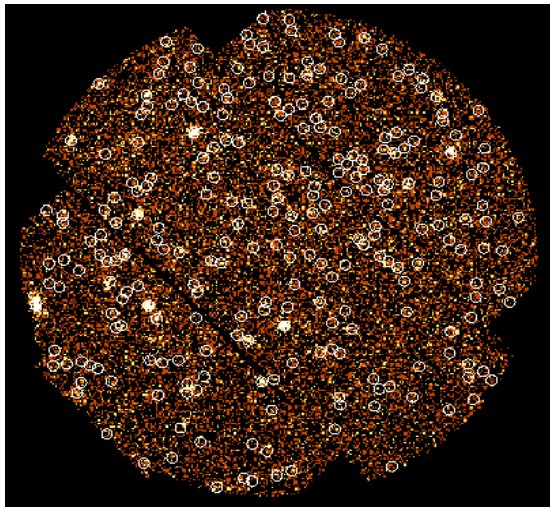
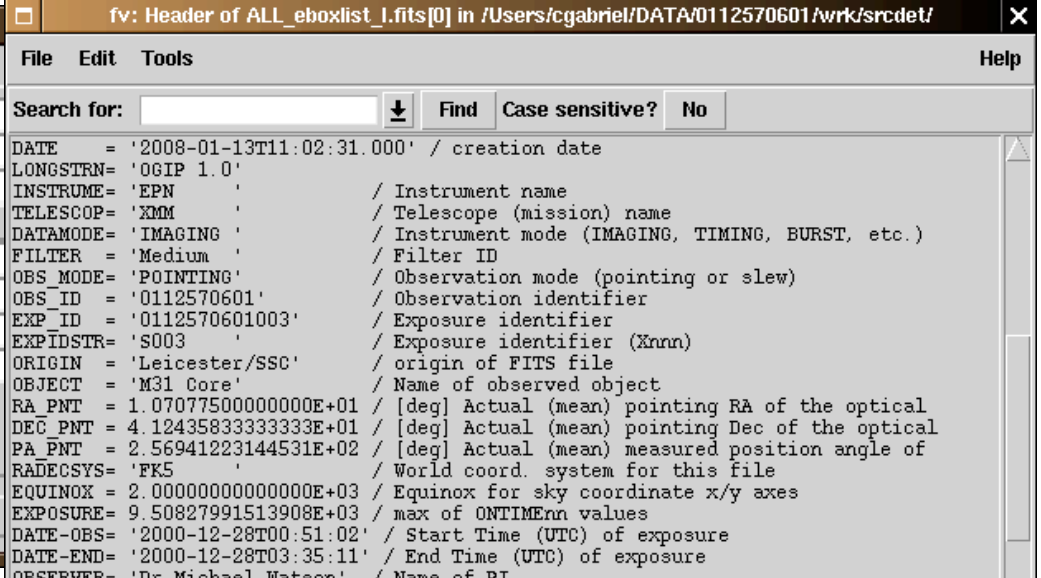
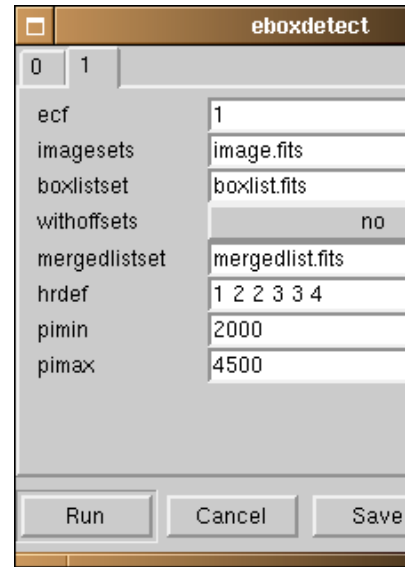
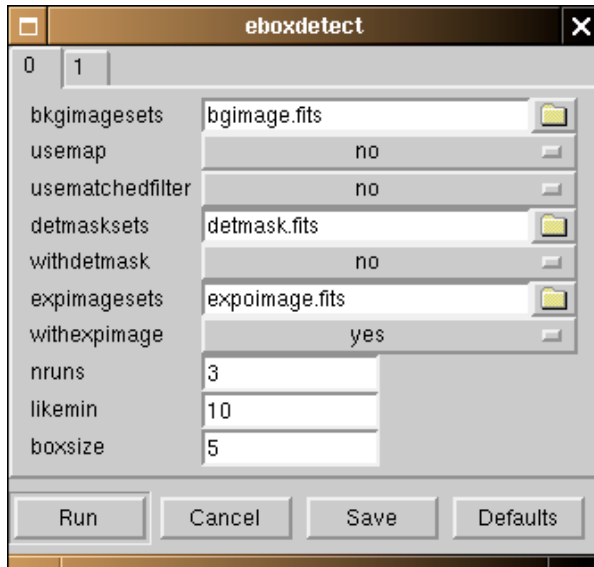
$L = -\ln p$      $p$  = probability of Poissonian random fluctuation of background counts in cell resulting in  $\geq$  observed source counts  
( $p$  using incomplete Gamma function  $\Gamma(a,x)$  as function of raw source and raw background counts in the detection box)

In case of simultaneous detection over several bands, likelihoods are added (!) and transformed into equivalent single band detection likelihoods

$$L = \Gamma(n_{\text{band}}, \sum_{i=1,n} L_i)$$

```
eboxdetect usemap=no likemin=10 withdetmask=yes detmasksets=pn_mask.fits \  
imagesets="PNIM_1000.FIT PNIM_2000.FIT PNIM_3000.FIT PNIM_4000.FIT PNIM_5000.FIT" \  
expimagesets="pn_1000.fits pn_2000.fits pn_3000.fits pn_4000.fits pn_5000.fits" \  
pimin="200 500 1000 2000 4500" pimax="500 1000 2000 4500 12000" \  
boxlistset=eboxlist_local.fits
```

# eboxdetect > FITS tables



Binary Table of ALL\_eboxlist\_1.fits[1].

Select	BOX_ID_SRC	ID_INST	ID_BAND	SCTS	SCTS_ERR	BOX_CTS	X_IMA	X_IMA_ERR	Y_IMA
	J	J	J	E	E	E	E	E	E
	counts	counts	counts	image pixels	image pixels	image pixels			
Invert	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify	Modify
1	1	0	0	8.606420E+02	7.444390E+01	2.980000E+02	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
2	1	1	0	4.769174E+02	5.399276E+01	1.610000E+02	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
3	1	1	1	1.047846E+02	2.559736E+01	3.500000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
4	1	1	2	1.673634E+02	3.275788E+01	5.700000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
5	1	1	3	1.310721E+02	2.913927E+01	4.500000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
6	1	1	4	5.990199E+01	1.374246E+01	1.900000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
7	1	1	5	1.379532E+01	1.220497E+01	5.000000E+00	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
8	1	2	0	2.138778E+02	3.677129E+01	7.100000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
9	1	2	1	1.882268E+00	1.038807E+01	4.000000E+00	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
10	1	2	2	8.139063E+01	1.627813E+01	2.500000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02
11	1	2	3	7.403590E+01	2.290094E+01	2.400000E+01	7.676847E+02	8.919184E-03	3.484796E+02



Modelling the background is a **key issue** for source detection

EPIC background has three main components

a) Photons:

- astrophysical, dominated by thermal emission at lower energies (unresolved cosmological sources)
- solar wind charge exchange
- single reflections from out of FOV, out-of-time events, etc

b) Particles:

- soft proton flares
- internal (cosmic-ray induced) background, direct (on CCDs) / indirect (fluorescence of S/C)

c) electronic noise

- bright pixels, columns, etc, readout noise, etc.

>> complex issue - so far in source detection by default phenomenologically:  
**2D-spline**

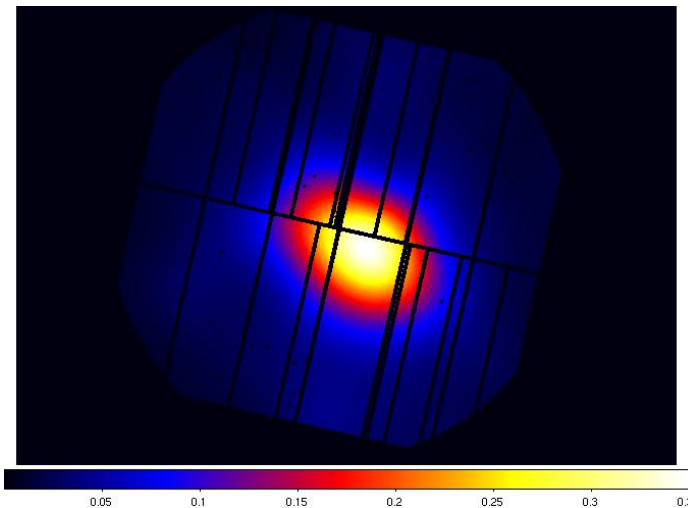
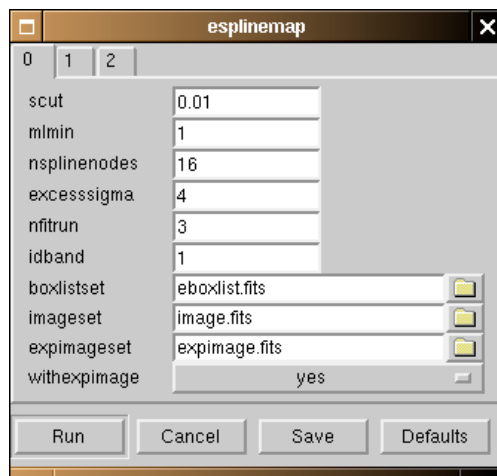
# creating bkg maps: `esplinemap`



## 4) creation of background maps (done per detector and band)

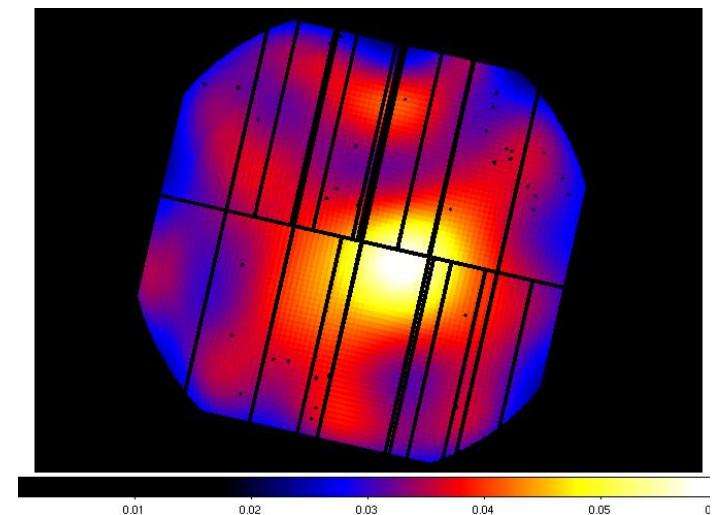
- a) Cutting-out sources (using source brightness dependent radius), `esplinemap` blanks out areas with sources detected by `eboxdetect` >> cheesed image
- b)  $n \times n$  (default=12) spline fits >> smoothed background map for entire image

```
esplinemap bkgimageset=pnback_1000.fits scut=0.005 imageset=PNIM_1000.FIT nsplinenodes=12 \
withdetmask=yes detmaskset=pn_mask.fits withexpimage=yes, expimageset=pn_1000.fits \
boxlistset=eboxlist_local.fits
```



pnback\_2000.fits

pnback\_5000.fits



## 5) box detection using the background maps

in **map mode** background is taken from background maps determined by **esplinemap**

>> improved detection sensitivity compared to local detection map

```
eboxdetect usemap=yes likemin=8 withdetmask=yes detmasksets=pn_mask.fits \  
  imagesets=... expimagesets=... pimin=... pim�=... bkgimagesets="pnback_1000.fits ..." \  
  boxlistset=eboxlist_map.fit
```

### Output table:

- one row per input image for each detected source (source table)
- number of summary rows containing broad band results for each EPIC telescope
- combined results for all EPIC telescopes taken together

### Source table:

- count rates and source positions including statistical errors + fluxes + ...
- detection likelihoods (per band and total) given for each source  
 $I = - \ln p$  with  $p$ =probability of random fluctuation of counts resulting in  $N_{\text{Counts}} \geq C_{\text{obs}}$
- if several images inputted then **hardness ratios** are calculated:

$$HR_i = (B_m - B_n) / (B_m + B_n)$$

## 6) maximum likelihood fitting for getting final source list

```
emldetect imagesets=... expimagesets=... bkgimagesets=... pimin=... pimax=... \  
boxlistset=eboxlist_map.fit ecf="10.596 6.8157 2.0542 0.99483 0.25933" \  
mllistset=emllist.fits mlmin=10 determineerrors=yes
```

Method: **Simultaneous maximum likelihood PSF fit** to source count distribution (convolved with a **source extent model**) in all bands with following free parameters:

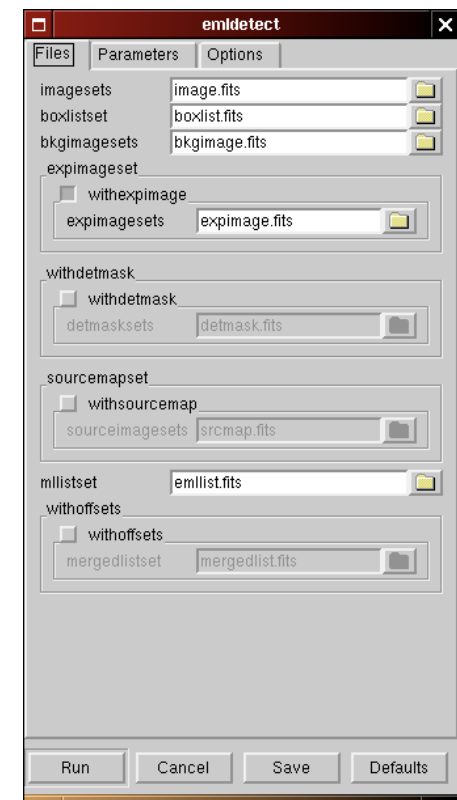
- \* source location ( $\alpha, \delta$ ) | constrained to same best-fit value | in all energy bands of each EPIC
- \* source extent (gaussian sigma) | in all energy bands of each EPIC
- \* source count rates in each band | individual best-fit value in each band

Second loop for fitting two PSFs to “extended sources” - if better > recalculation

**PSF fitting** may be performed in **single source** or in **multi-source** mode.

In multi-source mode sources with overlapping PSFs are fitted simultaneously (up to 6)

Energy conversion factors (ECF) supplied for conversion of count rates into correct flux values. **The ECFs depend on filter and pattern selection**



PSF fitting by `emldetect` is most crucial step for characterization of extended sources

Default (also for 3XMM) is the convolution of PSF with a  $\beta$  model for source extent

$$f(x, y) = \left( 1 + \frac{(x - x_0)^2 + (y - y_0)^2}{r_c^2} \right)^{-3\beta+1/2} \quad \beta = 2/3 \text{ (canonical for surface distribution of clusters)}$$

Fitting procedure minimizes the C - statistic

$$C = 2 \sum (e_i - n_i \ln e_i) \quad e = \text{expected model} \ \& \ n = \text{number of counts in pixel } i$$

Detection likelihood for each input image IM is  $L_{IM} = C_{NULL} - C_{BEST}$   $C_{NULL}$  is C of Null-hyp.

Detection likelihood obeys  $L = -\ln(P)$  with P probability that source is spurious

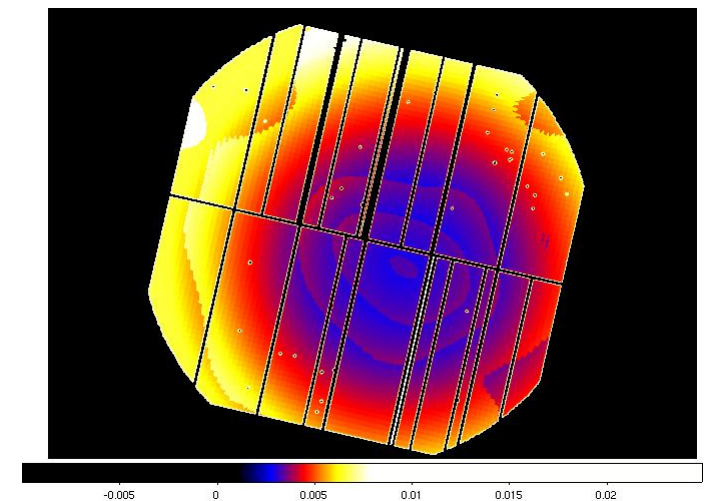
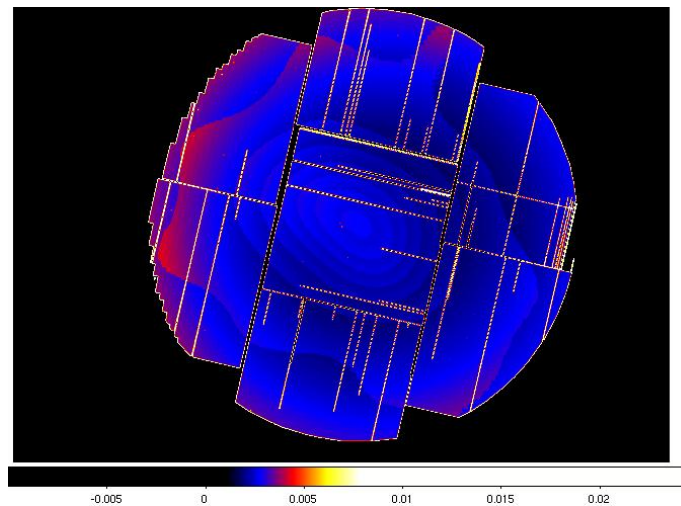
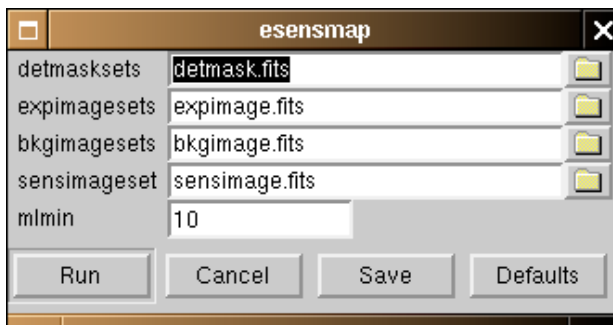
Extended likelihood  $L_{ext}$  calculated in analogy with  $C_{NULL}$  = best fitting point source model

Second fitting loop against source confusion: 2 source models simultaneously fitted  
(only for brighter sources)

## 7) creation of sensitivity maps (called for each detector and band)

```
esensmap expimagesets= pn_1000.fit bkgimagesets=pnback_1000.fits detmasksets=pn_mask.fits \  
mlmin=10. sensimageset=sens_map1.fits
```

**Sensitivity map** == point source **detection upper limits** (vignetting corrected source count rate corresponding to the likelihood of detection as specified in the parameter file) for each image pixel.



## off-edetect\_chain) *position rectification using optical catalogues*

correlation with optical source catalogue, checking whether there are offsets in RA and DEC which optimize the correlation

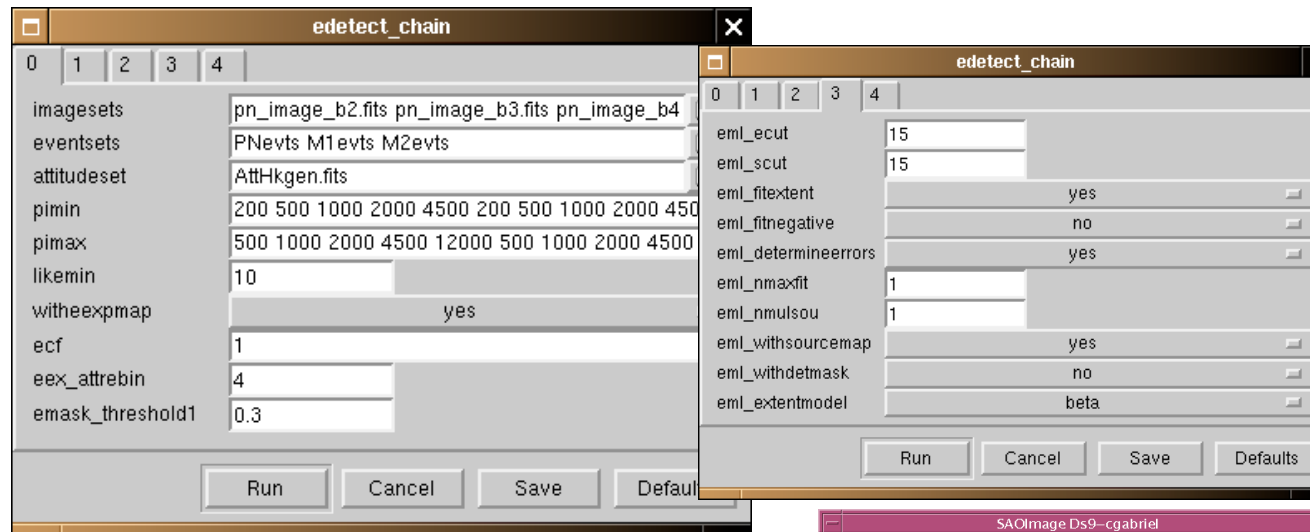
### Used in 4XMM-PPS:

**catcorr** *srclistset=emllist.fits catset=catextract.ds mingood=10 minfit=5 maxoffset=10*  
using not only USNO-B, but also 2MASS and SDSS >> covering 85% of all observations

# displaying sources: srcdisplay

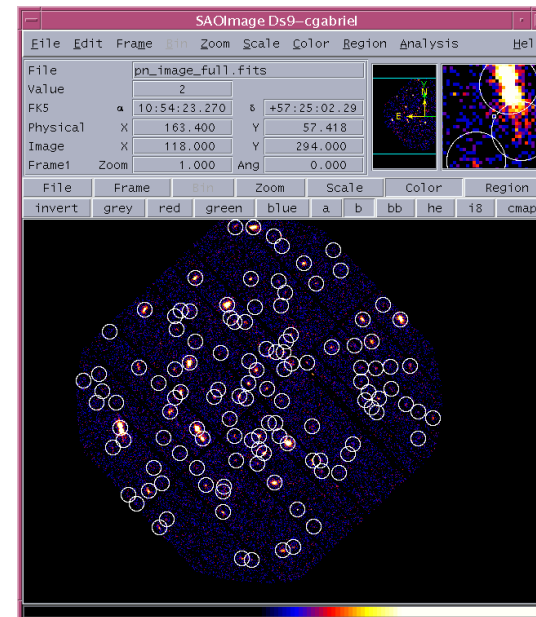
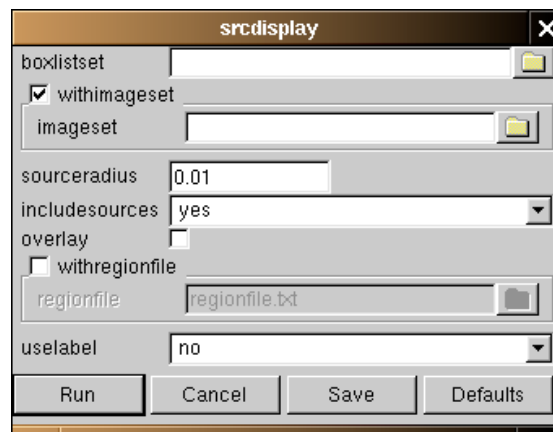


edetect\_chain -d



source list

srcdisplay -d





# Full reprocessing + 4XMM-DR12



- ESAC finished in mid-2020 the reprocessing of all the XMM-Newton data on behalf of the Survey Science Centre (SSC) @ IRAP (Toulouse) → 4XMM-DR10
- Uniform archive in terms of processing and calibration
- Since then, 4XMM-DR11 took place in September 2021

4XMM-DR12 catalogue = largest catalogue of X-ray sources  
[Webb et al., 2020]

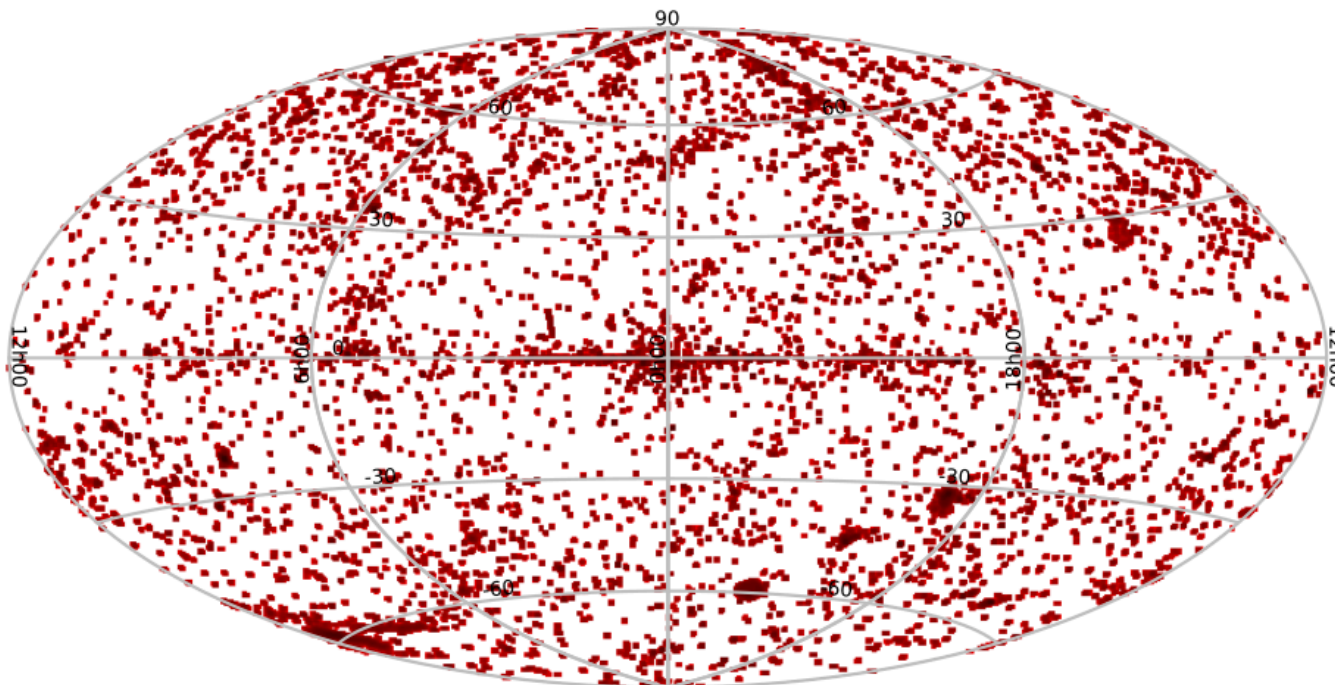
	4XMM-DR12	4XMM-DR11	Increment
Number of observations	12712	12210	502
Number of 'clean' observations (i.e., observation class < 3)	10543	10247	296
Observing interval	03-Feb-00 -- 31-Dec-21	03-Feb-00 -- 17-Dec-20	1 yr
Sky coverage, taking overlaps into account ( ≥ 1ksec exposure)	1283 sq.deg	1239 sq.deg	44 sq.deg
Number of detections	939270	895415	43855
Number of 'clean' detections (i.e., summary flag < 3)	821953	787963	33990
Number of unique sources	630347	602543	27804
Number of 'cleanest' (summary flag = 0, not in high-background fields) extended detections	20169	19077	1092
Number of detections with spectra	337058	319565	17493
Number of detections with timeseries	336776	319292	17484
Number of detections where probability of timeseries being constant is < $1 \times 10^{-5}$	7697	7283	415

- (0.2 - 12 keV) →  $\sim 2.3 \times 10^{-14}$  erg cm<sup>-2</sup> s<sup>-1</sup>
- (0.2 - 2 keV) →  $\sim 5.2 \times 10^{-15}$
- (2 - 12 keV) →  $\sim 1.2 \times 10^{-14}$ .

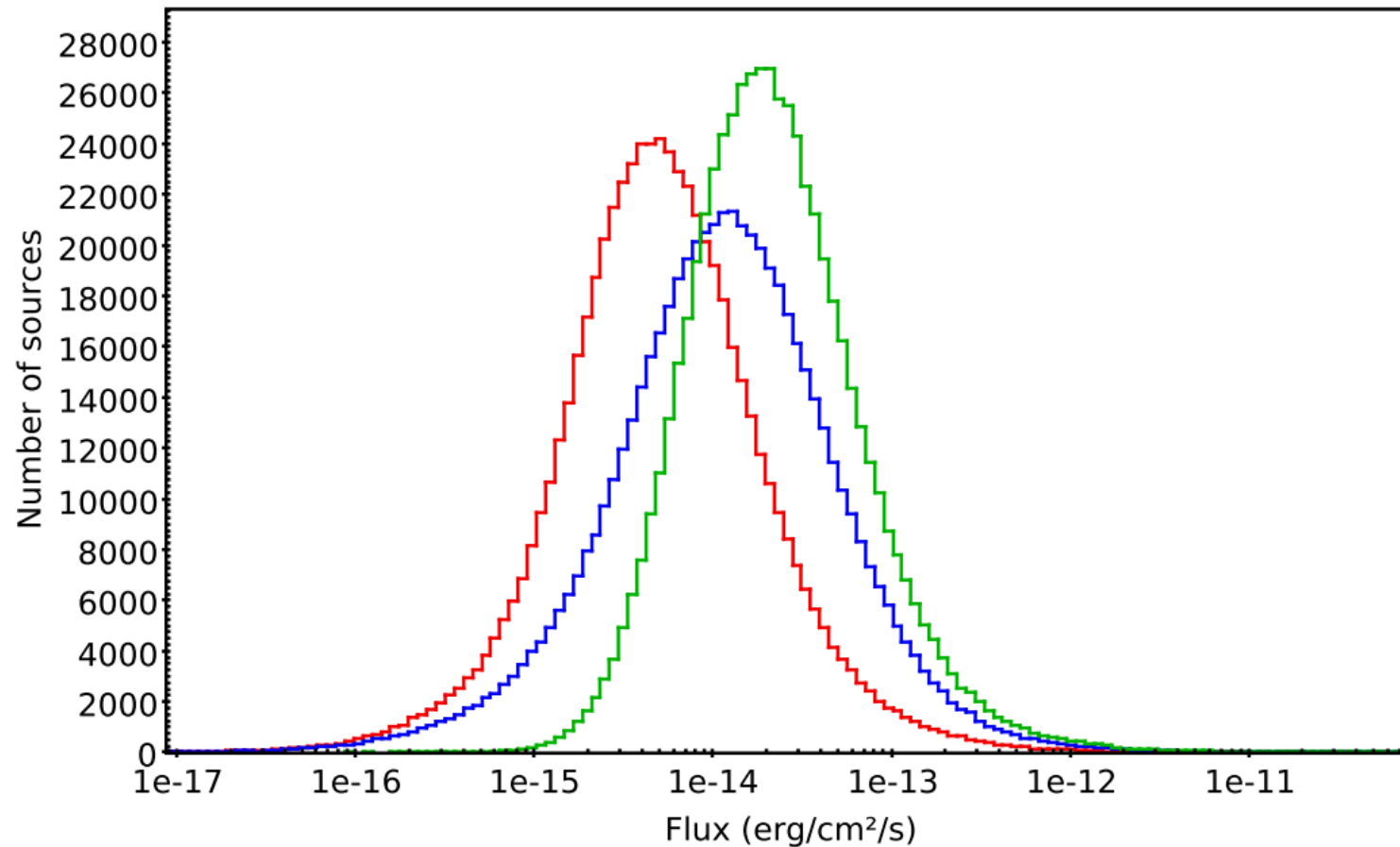


# 4XMM-DR12 properties

- The 4XMM-DR12 catalogue is about 5% larger than the 4XMM-DR11 catalogue.
- In terms of the number of X-ray sources, combining the 4XMM-DR12 and 4XMM-DR12s catalogues gives a catalogue that is similar in size to the Chandra Source Catalogue but 4XMM-DR12+4XMM-DR12s contain twice as many individual sources as the Chandra catalogue



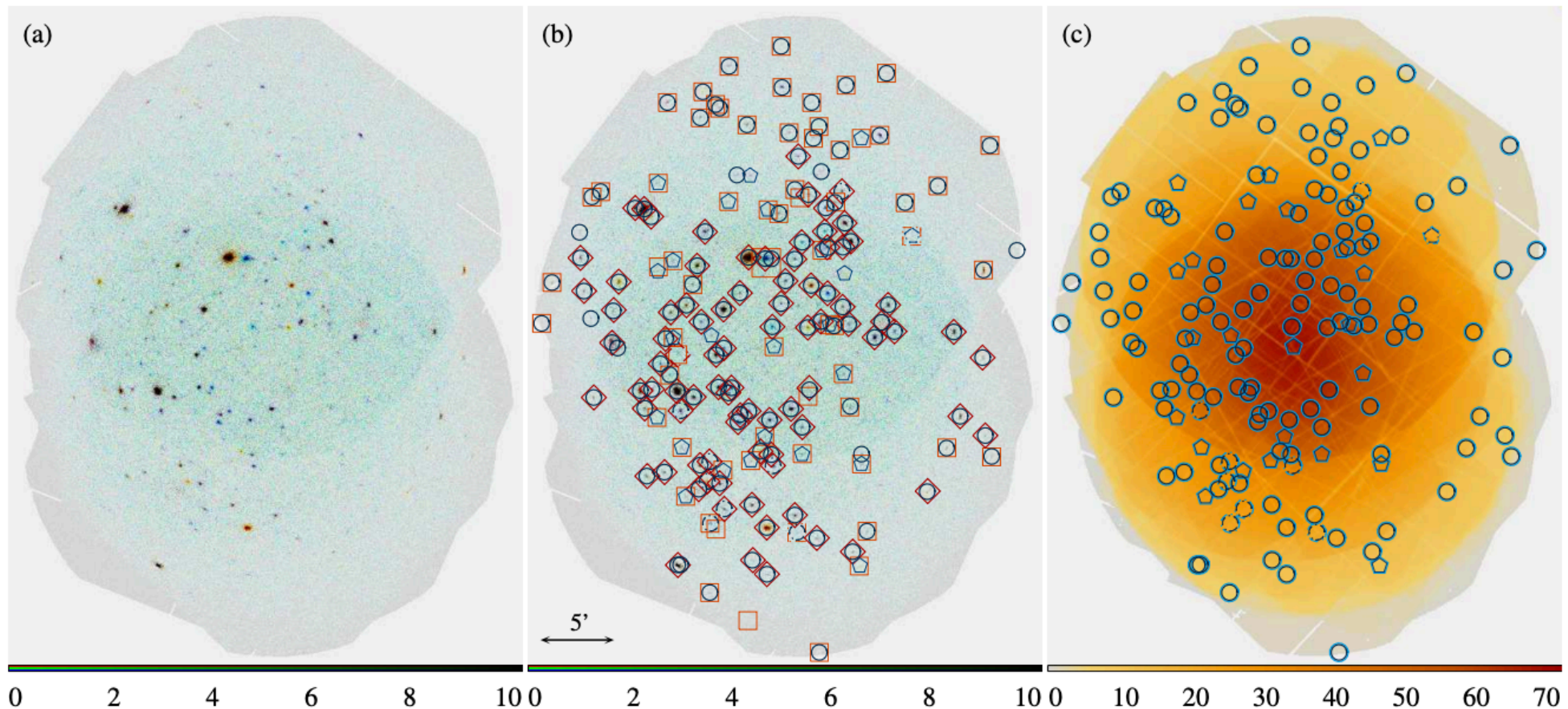
# 4XMM properties - detection limits



- 0.2-2.0 keV: Red
- 2.0-12.0 keV: Blue
- Total Band: Green

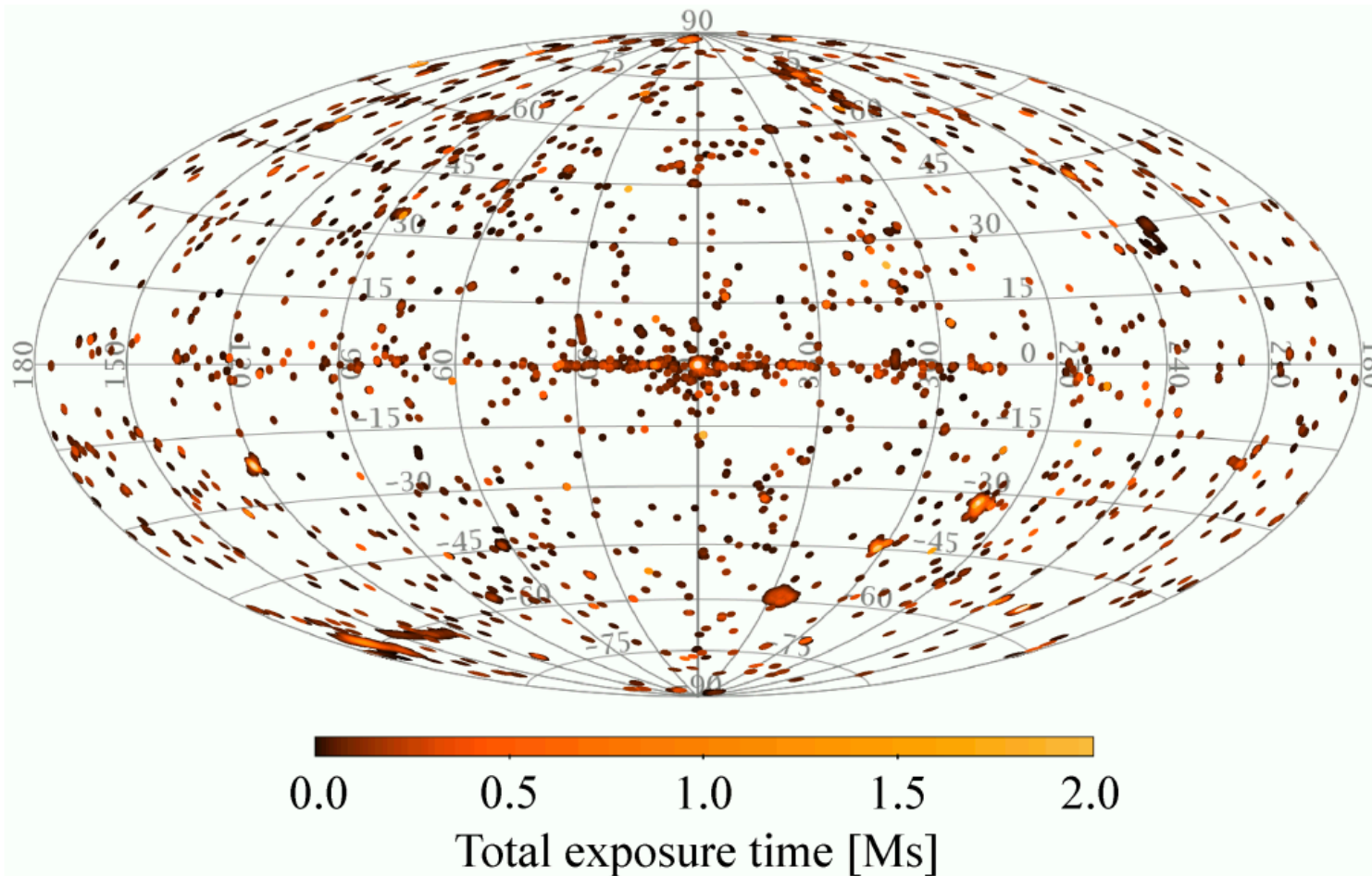
# 4XMM-DR12 - Stacked Catalogue

- A second independent stacked catalogue is compiled in parallel by the XMM-Newton SSC, called 4XMM-DR9s, where the letter 's' stands for stacked [[Traulsen et al., 2020](#)]
- This catalogue lists source detection results on overlapping XMM-Newton observations.
- The construction of the first version of such a catalogue, 3XMM-DR7s, is described in [Traulsen et al. \(2019\)](#).

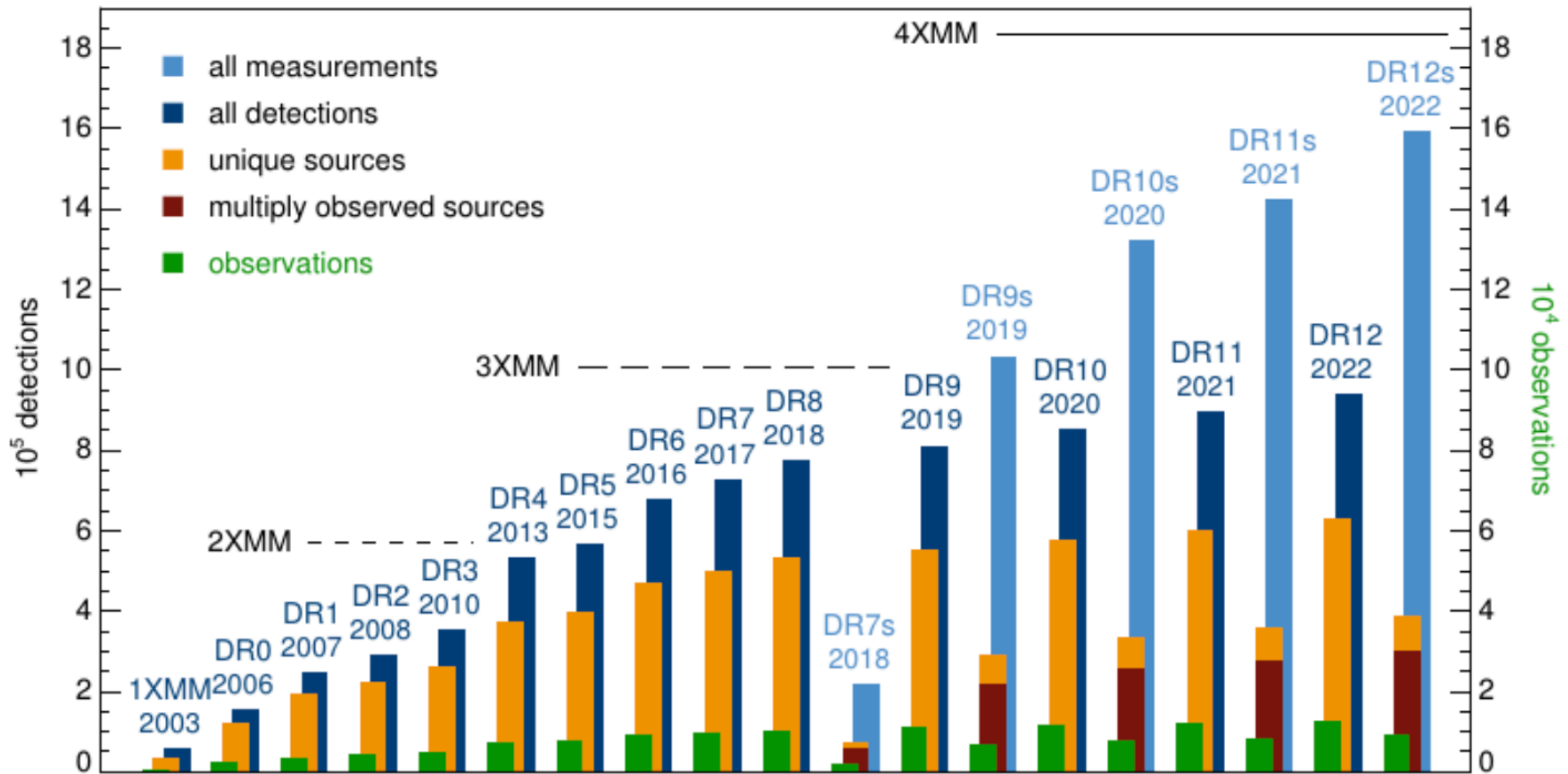


# 4XMM-DR12 - Stacked Catalogue

- Most of the stacks are composed of 2 observations and the largest has 372.
- The catalogue contains 386043 sources, of which 298626 have several contributing observations.
- Stacking observations allows yet fainter sources to be detected in sky regions observed more than once,



# XMM-Newton Catalogue: in numbers



# Detecting sources in overlapping fields



Main example for overlapping fields is the Mosaic Mode

Basic definitions:

- series of stable pointings with EPIC cameras in FF / Window mode, continuously taking data (same filter)
- only 1 PN offset map, taken by first pointing
- angular offset between pointings within [0.2 - 60] arcmin
- shortest integration time per pointing = 1500 sec
- whole observation included in one ODF - if observation not possible within one revolution, then several obs's.

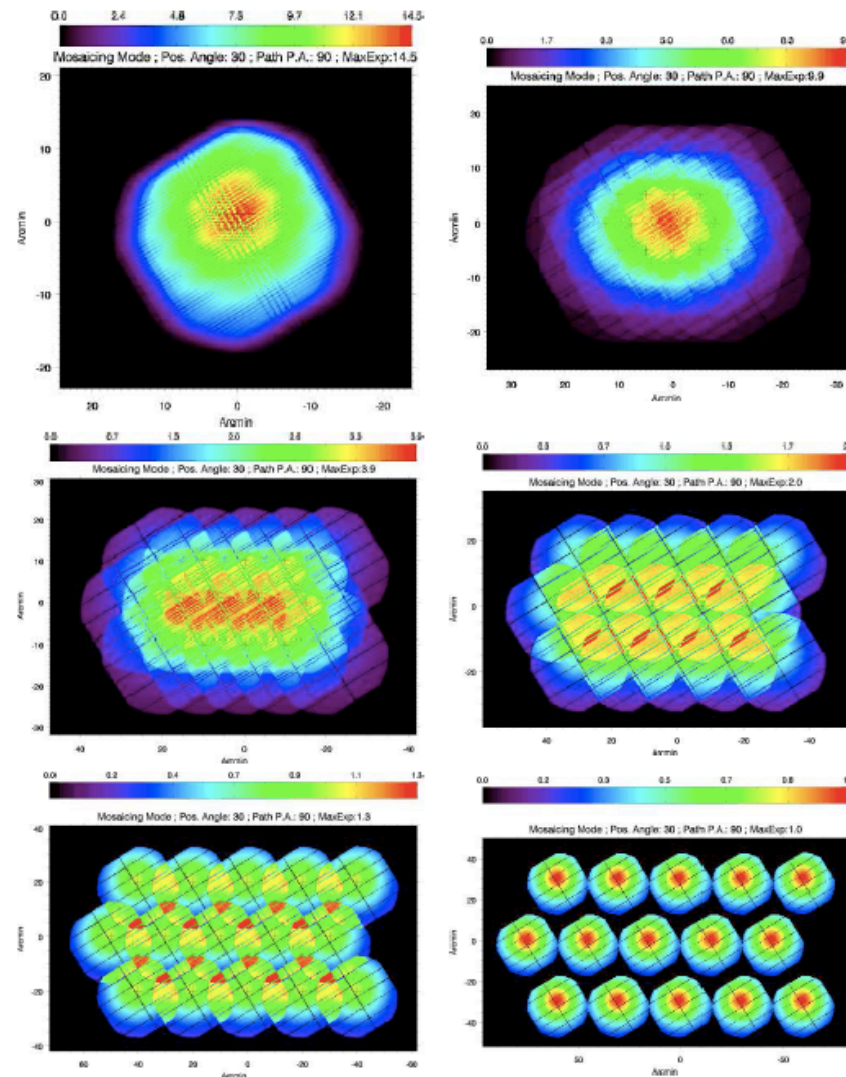


Figure 1: These figures simulate the EPIC-pn effective exposure maps achieved for a mosaic consisting in 5x3 individual pointings and for different angular offsets (1,5, 10, 15, 20 and 30 arcmin). The duration of a single pointing is taking as unit for these exposure maps. The relative position angle of the instruments has been arbitrarily set to 30degrees.

Simulated exposure maps of a 5x3 mosaic taken for angular offsets of 1.5', 10', 15', 20' and 30' with flat exposure per pointing, ignoring slews.

From P. Rodriguez TN



# Mosaic mode: analysis



Question to SAS / PPS:

- how to treat this data?
- definitions:
  - separate data corresponding to different pointings as if they were different exposures (ignoring slews)
  - treat them coherently for source detection, eg. one call to [eboxdetect](#) (map mode) and [emldetect](#)

Our PPS scheme: separate mosaic ODF into n single pointing ODFs >> process them “normally”

Our SAS scheme:

>> normal reduction to large single event file (epicproc)

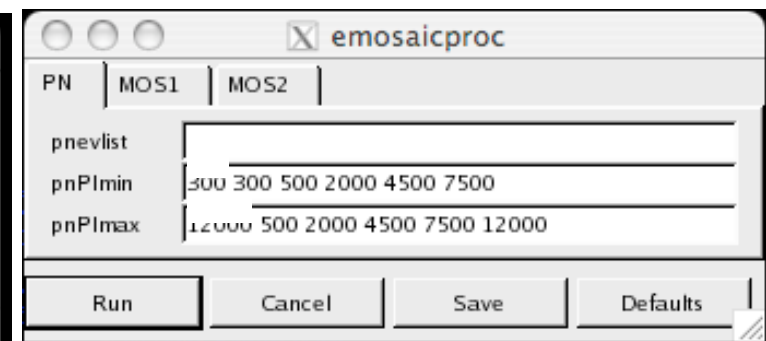
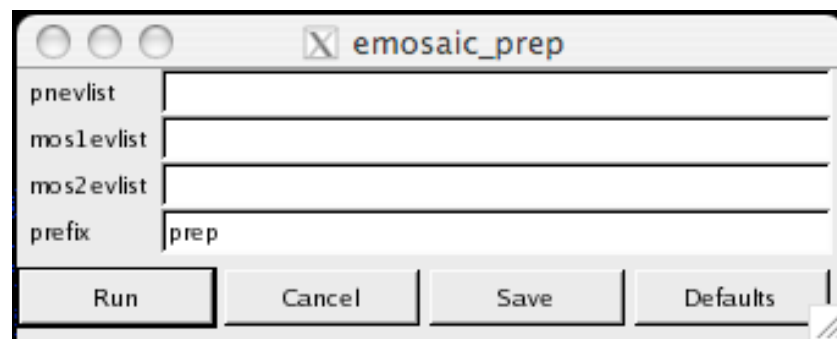
>> separation of events from different pointings

>> one event file per point per instrument through [emosaic\\_prep](#)

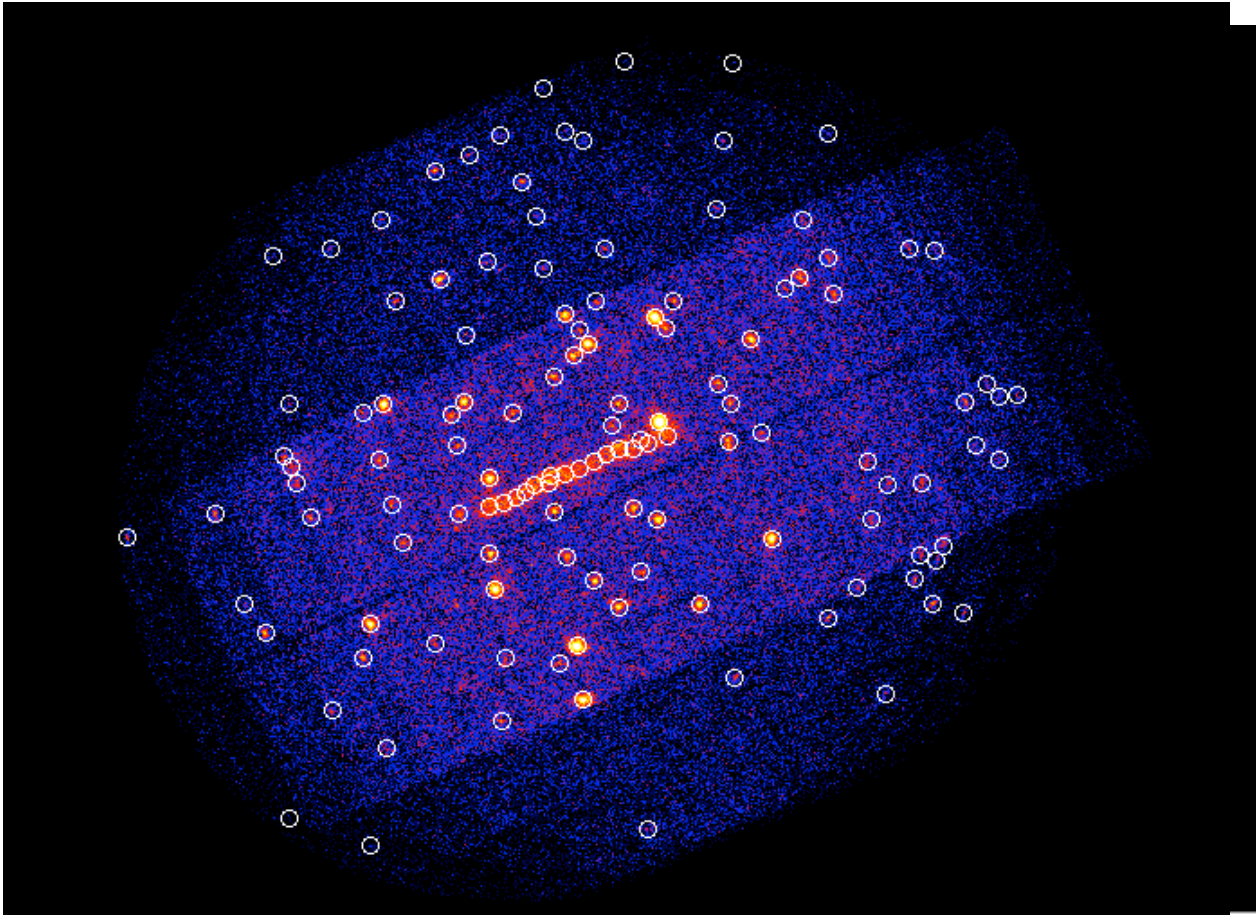
>> coherent source detection of (overlapping) chosen fields through [emosaicproc](#)

Source detection working with all EPIC data (**memory ~ map size can become an issue**)

>> GUIs



Jupiter observation 0200080701 - 4 pointings:



Detection using 3 spectral bands for each pointing and instrument, [400-1000], [1000-2000] and [2000-10000] eV

>> 36 images combined for eboxdetect (map mode) and emldetect

Problems with mosaic mode data:

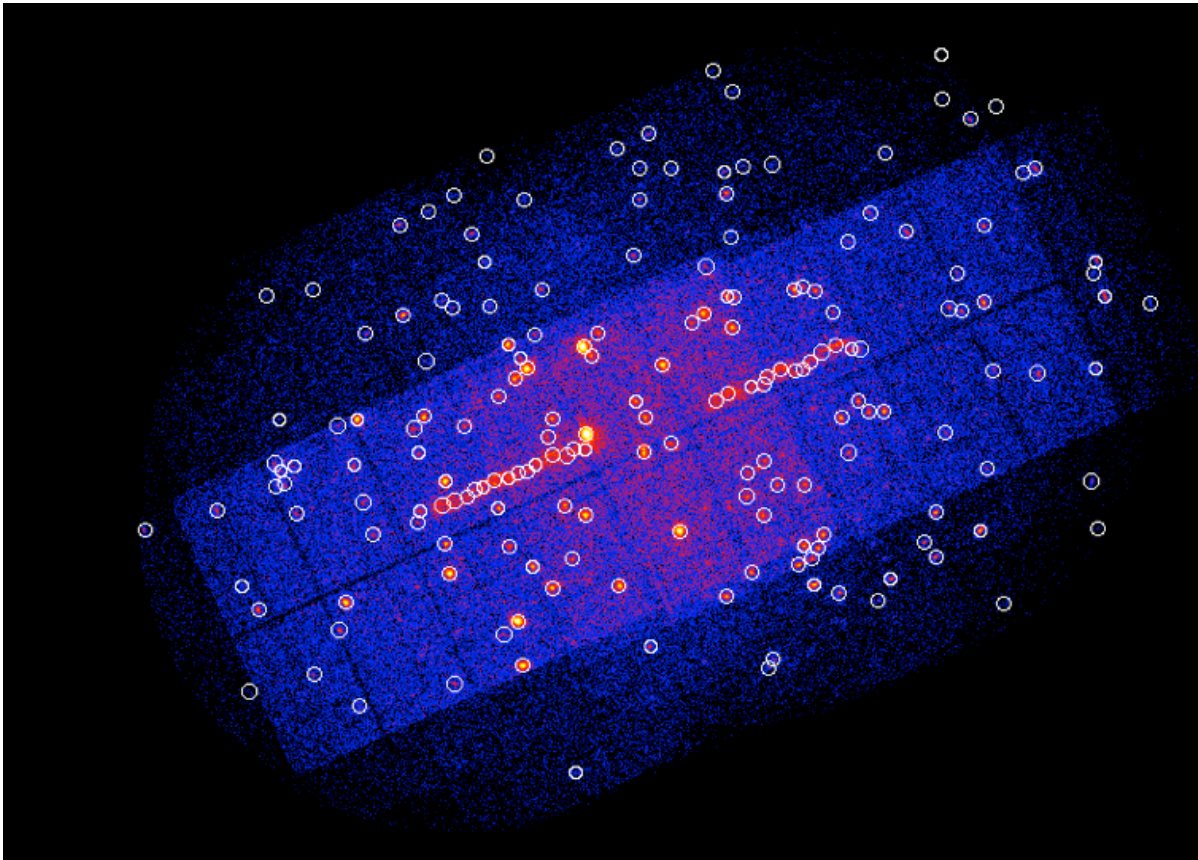
- > number of pointings can be large
  - >> **enormous** needs of memory
- > combination of not overlapping data **not necessary** at all

>> decision about which points to be combined and how to do recombination of source lists left to the observer

Remember - right combination:  
- more efficient source detection  
instead of **WRONG** source detection  
(wrong LHs if no separation)

>> so far no PPS implementation

Jupiter observation 0200080201+ 0200080701 - 4+4 pointings:



>> can be used by any overlapping observations, also with single pointing obs's taken at different times

Also using 3 spectral bands for each pointing and instrument, [400-1000], [1000-2000] and [2000-10000] eV

>> 72 images combined for eboxdetect (map mode) and emldetect

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<https://www.cosmos.esa.int/web/xmm-newton/xsa>

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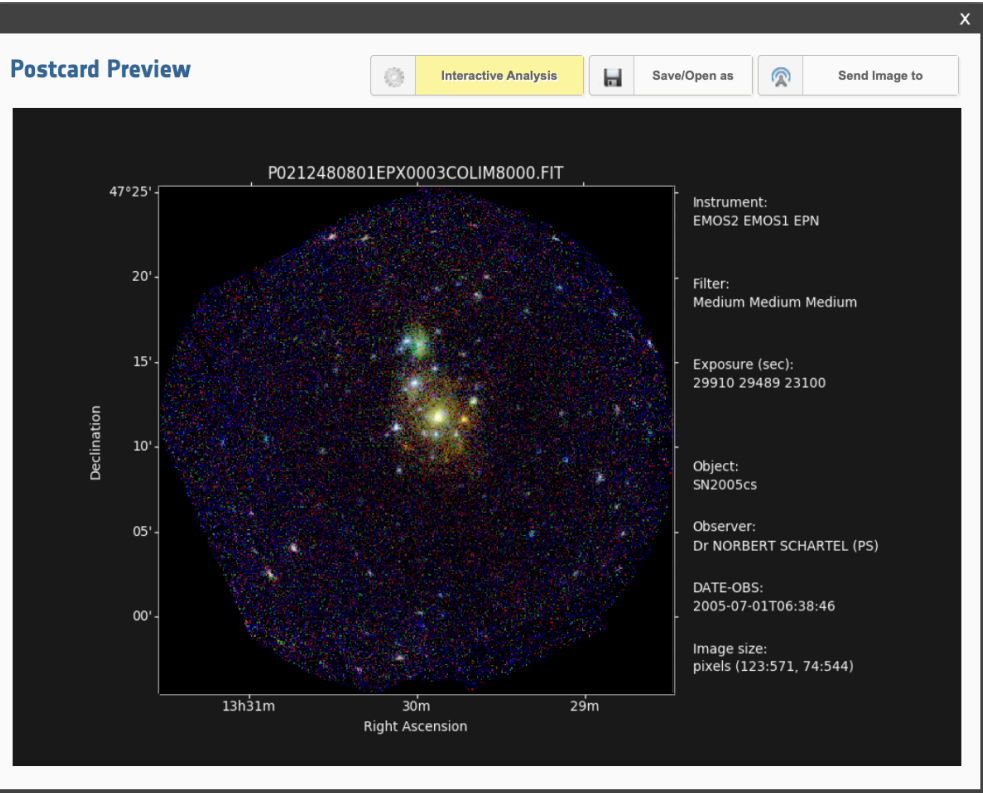
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Spectral lines:  Main

Obs Id

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Plot average Plot all



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The XMM-Newton Astroquery Module

## 1. INTRODUCTION

The module `astroquery.esa.xmm_newton` is a python interface for querying the XMM-Newton Science Archive (XSA) web service.

## 2. USAGE

Once python is installed you can do:

```
pip install --pre astroquery
```

or if you have a previous astroquery version installed:

```
pip install --pre --upgrade astroquery
```

More details can be found in astroquery instructions:

<https://astroquery.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>

## 3. EXAMPLES

See: [https://astroquery.readthedocs.io/en/latest/esa/xmm\\_newton.html](https://astroquery.readthedocs.io/en/latest/esa/xmm_newton.html)

### 1. Getting XMM-Newton data:

```
>>> from astroquery.esa.xmm_newton import XMMNewton
>>>
>>> XMMNewton.download_data('0505720401', level="PPS", extension="PDF", instname="M1", filename="result0505720401.tar")
INFO: File result0505720401.tar downloaded to current directory [astroquery.esa.xmm_newton.core]
```

This will download all PPS files for the observation '0505720401' and instrument MOS1, with 'PDF' extension and it will store them in a tar called 'result0505720401.tar'. The parameters available are detailed in the API.

For more details of the parameters check the section 3.4 at:

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## ▼ Filters for Observation, Proposal and Catalogue Searches

### Observation

Observation ID  List of Observation IDs  No file chosen

Revolution  between   and   Duration  

Availability   Status    Non-standard ODF  PPS with no science

[\[Instrument Configuration\]](#)

### Proposal

Target Type   PI Name  String in Abstract

[\[Advanced Proposal Options\]](#)

### Catalogue

**4XMM-DR12 Catalogue** 4XMM-DR12s Catalogue OM Source Catalogue Slew Survey Source Catalogue

Detection Likelihood

Select All

# All the individual sources detected



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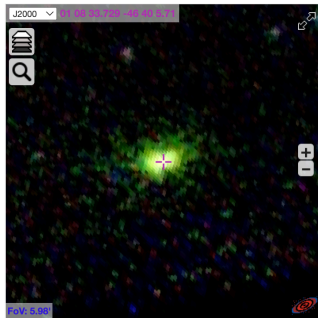
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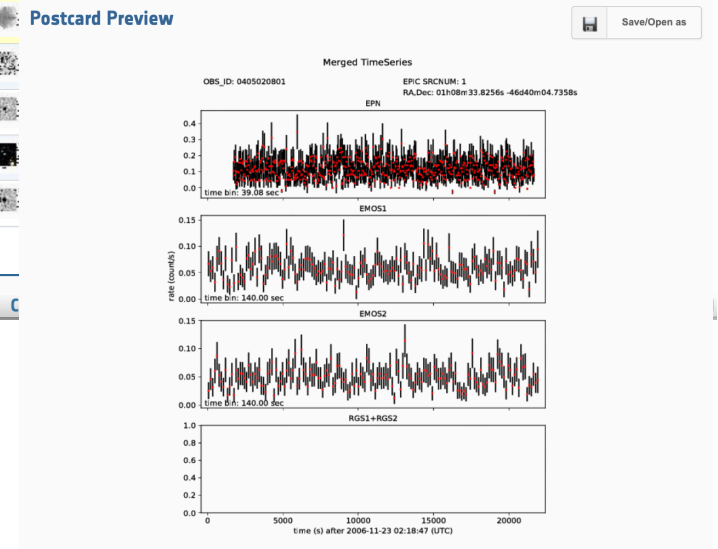
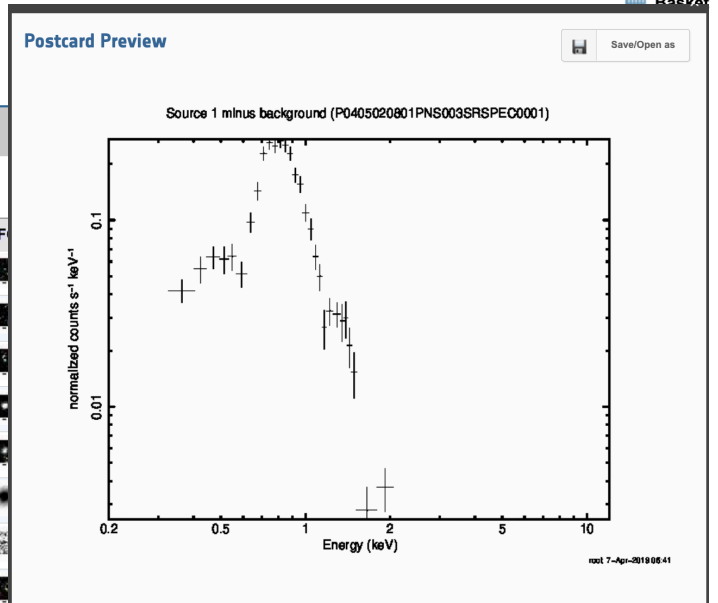
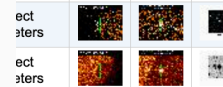
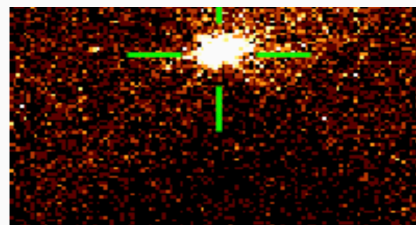
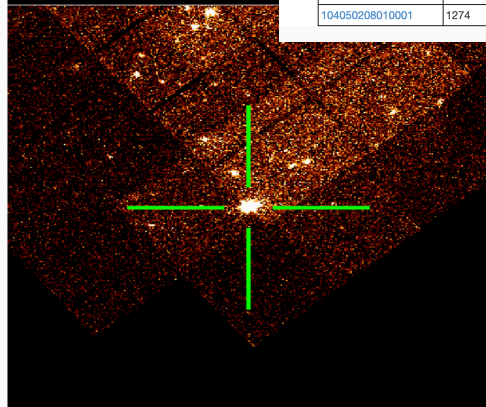
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mjd_last	54062.3473843	sc_ep_4_flux	1.19849e-14 ± 2.63889e-15
sc_chi2prob	0.855414	sc_ep_5_flux	1.77739e-15 ± 7.26143e-15
sc_ra	17.1405365435	sc_ep_8_flux	6.99701e-13 ± 1.3871e-14
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sc_det_ml	19542.0	sc_ep_9_flux	8.68594e-13 ± 1.37187e-14
sc_ext_ml	-3.88477	sc_extent	0.0
sc_fvar	None ± None	sc_hr1	0.712921 ± 0.0116533
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sc_var_flag	False	confused	False

This source in external databases: XCatDB, Chandra CSC 20" VOTable, Swift 2SXPS 20", RCSED, Simbad 2", Vizier 20", NED 2", Gaia 20" VOTable

#### Detections (observations of this source at different epochs)

detid	revolut	obs_id	src_num	poserr	ep_8_flux	utc_start	exptime	ep_offax	spectrum
104050208010001	1274	0405020801	1	0.567171	6.99701e-13	2006-11-23 02:47:21.000	19973	10.5813	True (Fit spectrum)

### Postcard Preview



# How to get (elsewhere) 4XMM data?



<http://xmm-catalog.irap.omp.eu/>

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Search around 17.1405, -46.6681 with radius 1arcmin in: [Chandra CSC VOTable](#), [Swift 2SXPS](#), [RCSED](#), [Simbad](#), [Vizier](#), [NED](#)

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4XMM J010833.7-464005	1	19542.0	6.99701e-13	0.0	0.567171

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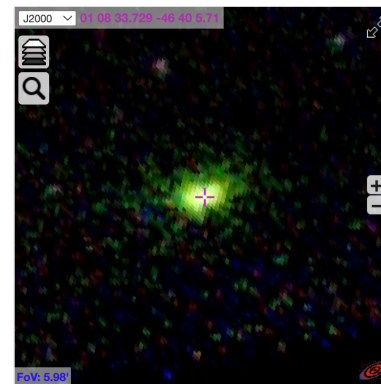
Search around 263.719479259, -32.6498225497 with radius 1arcmin in: [Chandra CSC VOTable](#), [Swift 2SXPS](#), [RCSED](#), [Simbad](#), [Vizier](#), [NED](#)

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<a href="#">4XMM J042017.6+555856</a>	4	226.462			
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<a href="#">4XMM J042056.0+555357</a>	3	40.0853			
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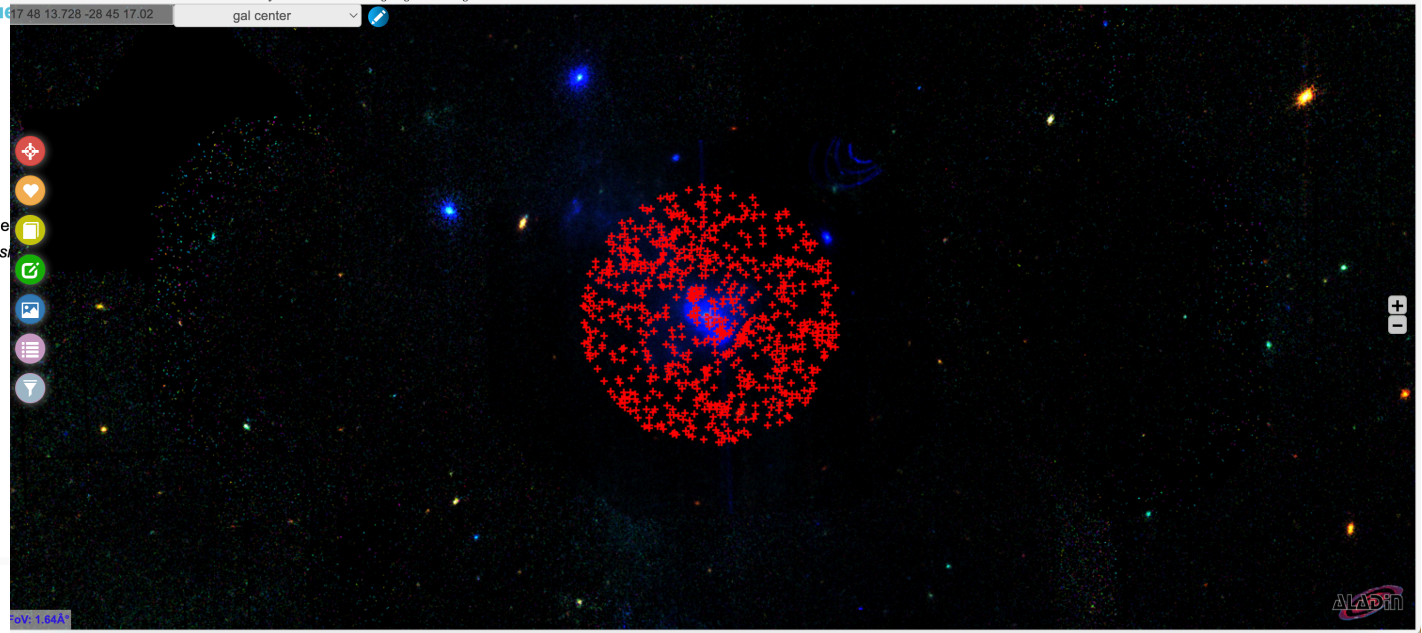
Access to the 3XMM catalogue (contain all detections)

<https://xcatdb.unistra.fr/4xmmdr12/>

4XMM-DR12 - Alix Sky Viewer - Observatory of Strasbourg  
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## The XCatDB: Strasbourg Interface of the 4th XMM-Newton Catalogue

- **Content**
  - Possible identifications of all EPIC sources in archival catalogs
  - **630347 sources** compiled from **939270 detections** in 12712 observations
  - EPIC spectra, EPIC time series and other useful previews.
  - Optical Finding Charts
  - read more on the SSC *Web pages*
- **Additional Data and Features**
  - **Online spectrum fitting** Select sources with spectra click on below any spectra
  - **Search by region** (Individual detections only) Open the query editor on the Position
- **Data Access**
  - Click on to browse **detections**
  - Click on to browse **unique sources**
  - Click on to browse **the VO sky** with Alix
- **Other Interfaces:**
  - XSA at ESA's XMM-Newton SOC
  - XCAT-DB at the SSC institute, Observatoire Astronomique, Strasbourg
  - Browse at HEASARC NASA GSFC
  - The IRAP catalogue server
  - LEDAS at the SSC institute, University of Leicester



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## Selection of Unique Sources

### 4XMM J010833.7-464005 Detection Plots

01:08:33.73-46:40:05.7 ± 0.5672arcsec

Good detection (0)	Point Source
Det ML 19542.0000	Not variable
7.00E-13 ± 1.39E-14 erg/sec/cm2 (0.2 12keV)	
HR1 0.7129	HR2 -0.5483
HR3 -0.9335	HR4 -0.9376

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01:08:33.73-46:40:05.7 ± 0.1363arcsec [More...](#)

Observation 0405020801	23/11/2006 2:47:21
Good detection (0)	Point Source
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7.00E-13 ± 1.39E-14 erg/sec/cm2 (0.2 12keV)	
5459 ± 80 counts	
HR1 0.7129	HR2 -0.5483
HR3 -0.9335	HR4 -0.9376

