

# V&V Summary Report

## L2 ASCDS Version : 7.6.9

Observation 1928 - L2 Version 001  
Chandra X-Ray Center

L2 Processing Date : Dec 8 2006

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V&V Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2006.12.14
V&V Edition	1
V&V Disposition and Status	OK
V&V Charge Time	30.28

## Comments

Standard data processing software did not correctly locate the zeroth order due to pileup. Manual intervention was used to input the correct sky coordinates into the \*src1a.fits file. These corrected coordinates were determined using the software tool finndzero.sl in ISIS, a CXC software package for data analysis. The tool calculates the intersection point of the readout streak and the MEG arm (preferred position), or the readout streak and the heg arm. The zeroth order source position determined by the standard pipeline processing using the tool tgdetect was not used in the extraction of the spectrum because it found a zeroth order position on the wings of the PSF due to the piled up profile. The \*pha2.fits file has the extracted spectral data based on the corrected zeroth order position. Note that these corrected coordinates of the zeroth order cannot be reproduced by running tgdetect with the default parameters on the data.

seq_num	400141
obs_id	1928
title	DYNAMICS OF THE IONIZED STELLAR WIND IN VELA X-1
observer	PROF. STEVEN KAHN
object	VELA X-1
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