

V&V Summary Report

L2 ASCDS Version : 8.4.3

Observation 13153 - L2 Version 2
Chandra X-Ray Center

L2 Processing Date : Feb 8 2012

See axaff13153N002-VV001_vvref2.pdf for the full report

V&V Scientist	Beth Sundheim
V&V Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2012.02.12
V&V Edition	1
V&V Disposition and Status	OK
V&V Charge Time	10

Comments

The data for this observation have been processed using the 'EDSER' sub-pixel event-repositioning algorithm of Li et al. (2004, ApJ, 610, 1204). Small-scale features should become sharper for sources near the aim point. The improvement will be less noticeable for off-axis sources where the size of the point-spread function is comparable to or larger than the size of an ACIS pixel. To take full advantage of the improvement, images should be binned on spatial scales smaller than the size of an ACIS pixel. Note that, at present, the point-spread function has not been calibrated for data to which the EDSER algorithm has been applied. If dither was disabled for the observation, then the algorithm can introduce artificial aliasing effects on spatial scales smaller than a pixel. If you would prefer to use no sub-pixel adjustment or to apply a coordinate randomization, then use `acis_process_events` to reprocess the data with the parameter `pix_adj=NONE` or `RANDOMIZE`, respectively.

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Charge time for this observation remains at original value of 10 ksec, although with the current processing the charge time would have been 6.9 ksec.

seq_num	501539	Sequence number
obs_id	13153	Observation id
title	Study of spatial structure associated with a gamma-ray enhancement of the Crab	Proposal title
observer	Dr. Martin Weisskopf	Principal investigator
object	Crab Nebula	Source name
dtcycle	0	
cycle	P	events from which exps? Prim/Second/Both
ra_targ	83.631667	Observer's specified target RA [deg]
dec_targ	22.015667	Observer's specified target Dec [deg]
ra_nom	83.630025463053	Nominal RA [deg]
dec_nom	22.012838499113	Nominal Dec [deg]
roll_nom	271.77535641283	Nominal Roll [deg]
revision	2	Processing version of data
ontime	6917.9534741044	Sum of GTIs [s]
liveltime	1208.0385349255	Livetime [s]
ontime7	6917.9534741044	Sum of GTIs [s]
l2events	3501130	Number of level 2 events

