V&V Summary Report L2 ASCDS Version: 8.4.3

Observation 12955 - L2 Version 3 Chandra X-Ray Center

L2 Processing Date: Feb 4 2012

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V&V Scientist	Jen Lauer
V&V Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2012.02.07
V&V Edition	1
V&V Disposition and Status	OK
V&V Charge Time	73.74318808639

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.

seq_num	600923	Sequence number
obs_id	12955	Observation id
title	NGC4342, an Optically Faint but Unusually Gas-Rich Early-Type Galaxy	& #160
observer	Dr William Forman	Principal investigator
object	NGC4342	Source name
dtycycle	0	& #160
cycle	P	events from which exps? Prim/Second/Both
ra_targ	185.9125	Observer's specified target RA [deg]
dec_targ	7.053889	Observer's specified target Dec [deg]
ra_nom	185.91547751141	Nominal RA [deg]
dec_nom	7.0829662087232	Nominal Dec [deg]
roll_nom	79.326864610887	Nominal Roll [deg]
revision	3	Processing version of data
ontime	73743.18808496	Sum of GTIs [s]
livetime	72809.407434611	Livetime [s]
ontime2	73739.988074601	Sum of GTIs [s]
ontime3	73733.341853678	Sum of GTIs [s]
ontime5	73743.147044957	Sum of GTIs [s]
ontime6	73736.623914301	Sum of GTIs [s]
ontime7	73743.18808496	Sum of GTIs [s]
ontime8	73739.78294462	Sum of GTIs [s]
12events	866552	Number of level 2 events

