

V&V Reference Report

L2 ASCDS Version : 8.4.5

Observation 3727 - L2 Version 3
Chandra X-Ray Center

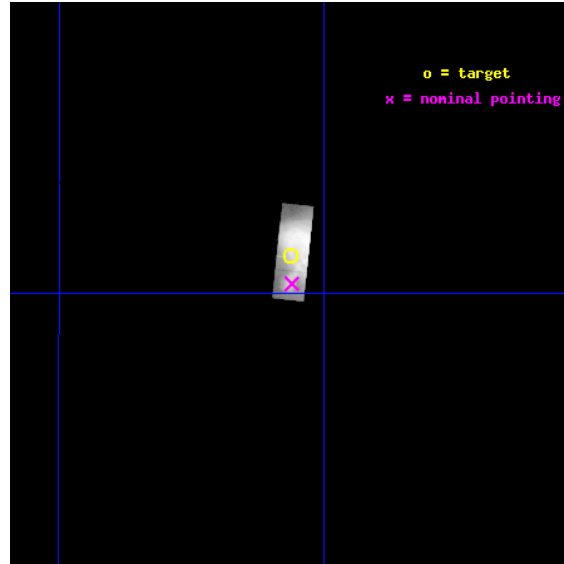
L2 Processing Date : Oct 20 2012

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1 Front

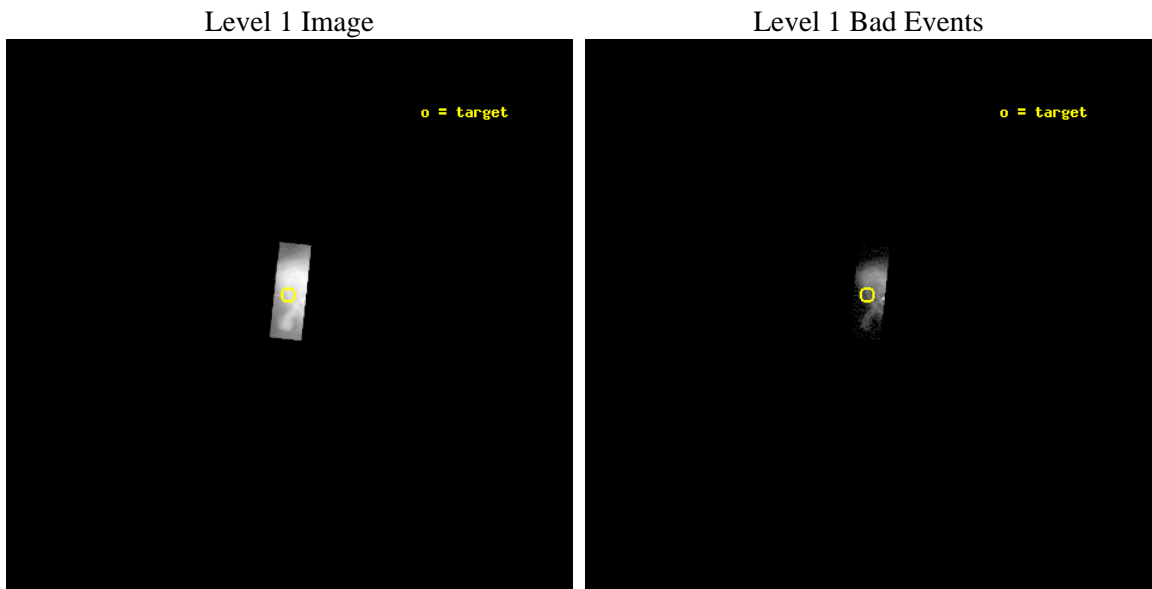
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observer	PROFESSOR HIROSHI TSUNEMI	Principal investigator
object	TITAN	Source name
dtcycle	0	
cycle	P	events from which exps? Prim/Second/Both
ra_targ	83.64077	Observer's specified target RA [deg]
dec_targ	22.016361	Observer's specified target Dec [deg]
ra_nom	83.640386896903	Nominal RA [deg]
dec_nom	22.003917792921	Nominal Dec [deg]
roll_nom	276.15596345214	Nominal Roll [deg]
revision	3	Processing version of data
ontime	11196.300444901	Sum of GTIs [s]
livetime	9848.9623899551	Livetime [s]
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l2events	1805804	Number of level 2 events



2 OBI

2.1 OBI

2.1.1 Images



2.1.2 Parameters

obi_num	1	Obi number	sched_exp_time	11000.000000	[s] Scheduled observation exposure time
ascdsver	8.4.5	Processing system revision	ontime	11196.300444901	Sum of GTIs [s]
caldbver	4.5.2	 	ontime7	11196.300444901	Sum of GTIs [s]
date	2012-10-20T17:52:14	Date and time of file creation	l1events	1887154	Number of level 1 events
revision	3	Processing version of data			

2.1.3 Events

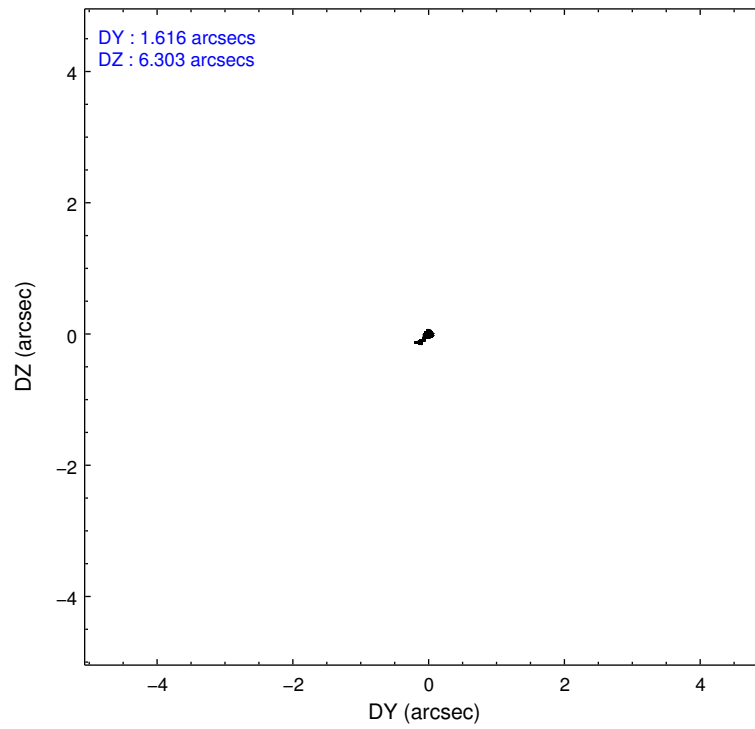
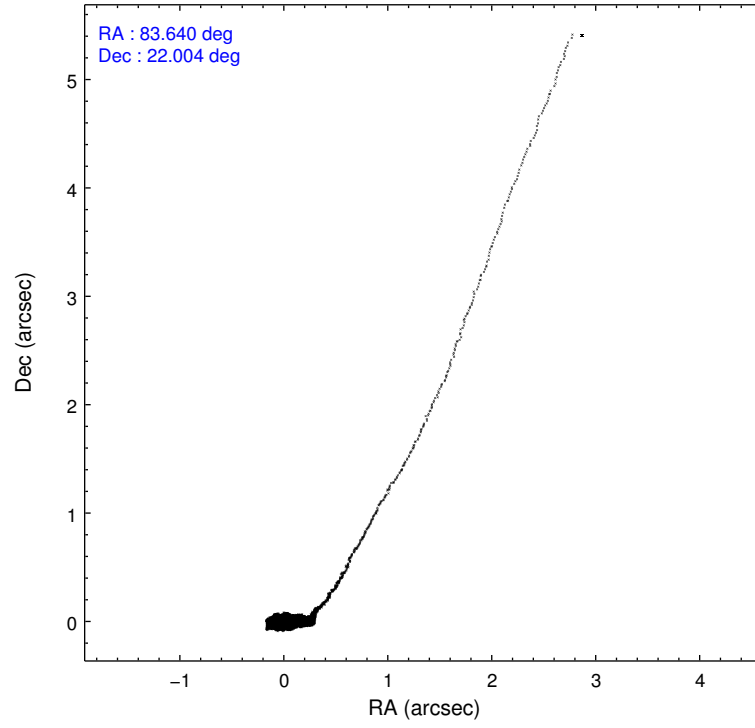
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rejected %	3%

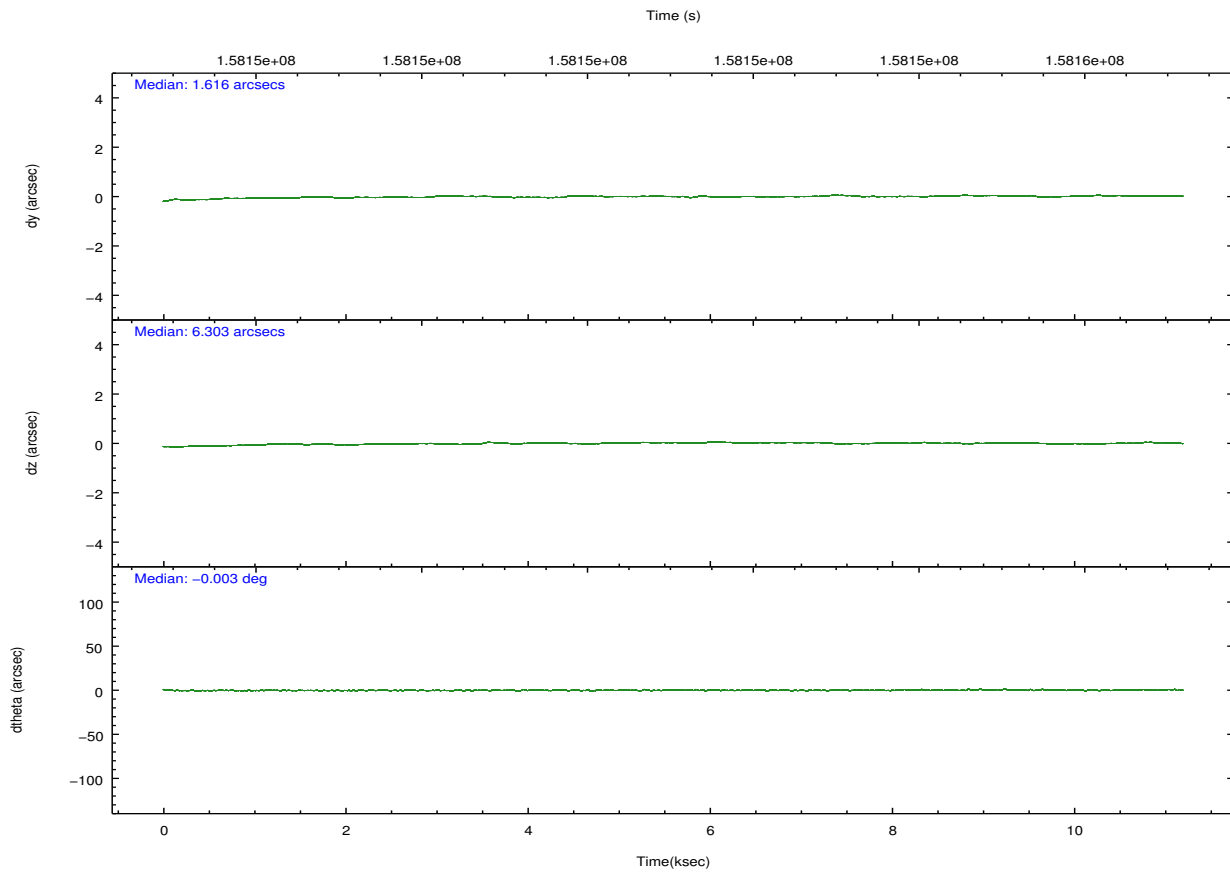
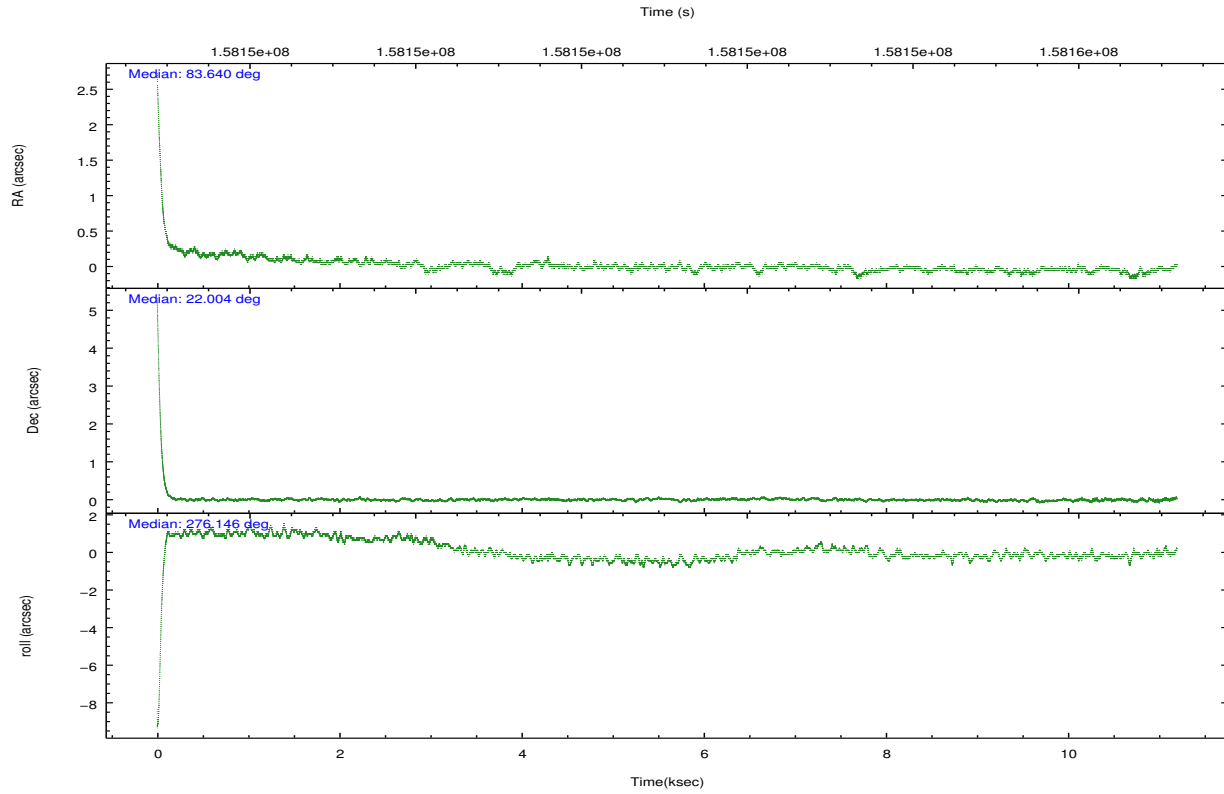
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	20%
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	0%
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grade 4 events	200114
	10%
grade 5 events	25186
	1%
grade 6 events	562330
	29%
grade 7 events	28263
	1%

2.2 Compared Parameters

Parameter	Planned	Actual	Parameter	Planned	Actual
Instrument	ACIS	ACIS	Obspar format version number	7	7
Detector	ACIS-7	ACIS-7	Obspar file type	PREDICTED	ACTUAL
Grating	HETG	HETG	Obspar update status	NONE	UPDATED
Data mode	GRADED	GRADED	Number of optional ACIS chips dropped	0	0
Observation mode	POINTING	POINTING	On-chip summing requested	N	N
[deg] Pointing RA	83.622724	83.64038689690324	Subarray requested	CUSTOM	CUSTOM
[deg] Pointing Dec	22.025663	22.0039177929207	Subarray start row	127	127
[deg] Pointing Roll	276.005957	276.1559634521385	Subarray row count	101	101
[s] Window start time (MET)	158144464.184000	158144464.184000	Alternating exposures requested	N	N
[s] Window stop time (MET)	158185864.184000	158185864.184000	[s] Primary exposure time	0.000000	0.3
[mm] SIM focus pos	-0.684267	-0.6828225247311905			
[mm] SIM defocus	0	0.001444936568705701			
[mm] SIM translation stage pos	-182.132523	-182.1344861297048			
[mm] SIM translation stage offset	-8	-7.998036453302973			
[s] Observation start time (MET)	158145630.184000	158144664.62059			
Observation start date	2003-01-05T09:19:26	2003-01-05T09:04:24			
[s] Observation end time (MET)	158156630.184000	158156763.7211			
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Read mode	TIMED	TIMED			

2.3 Aspect



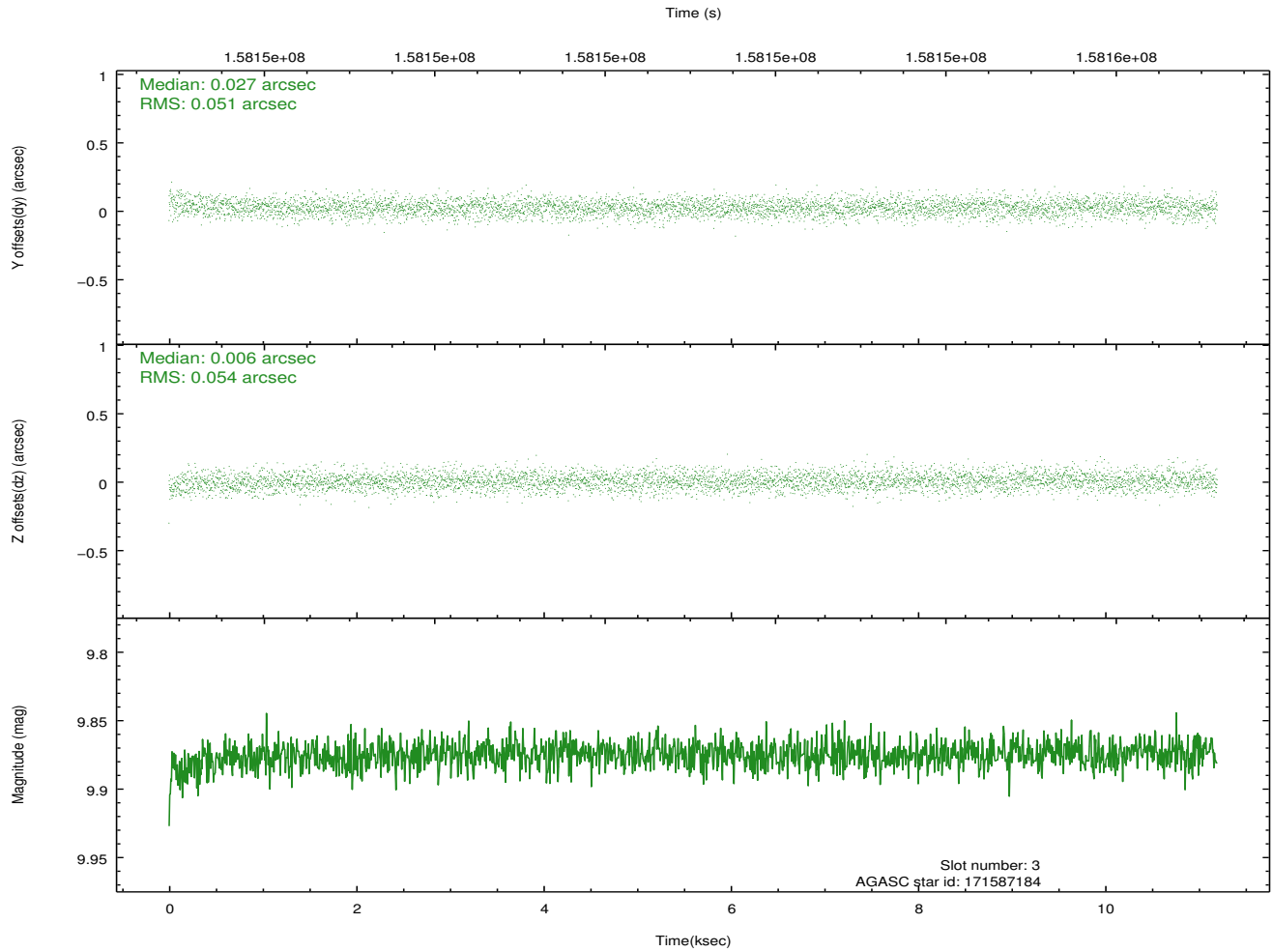
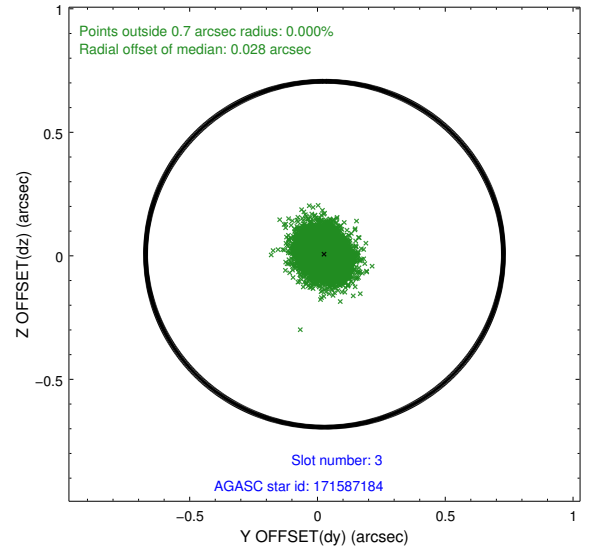
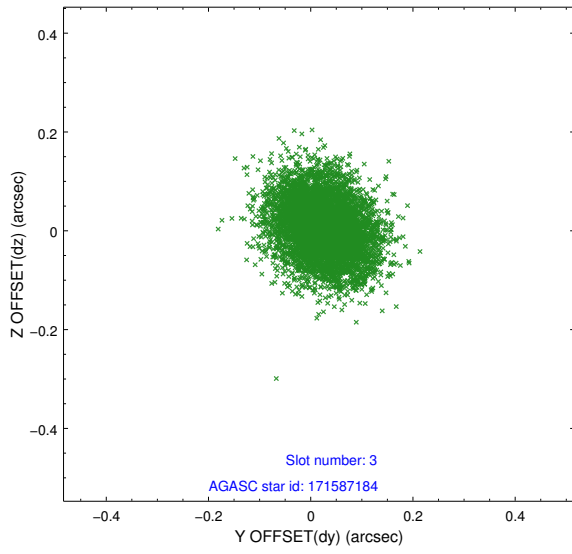


Slot Statistics

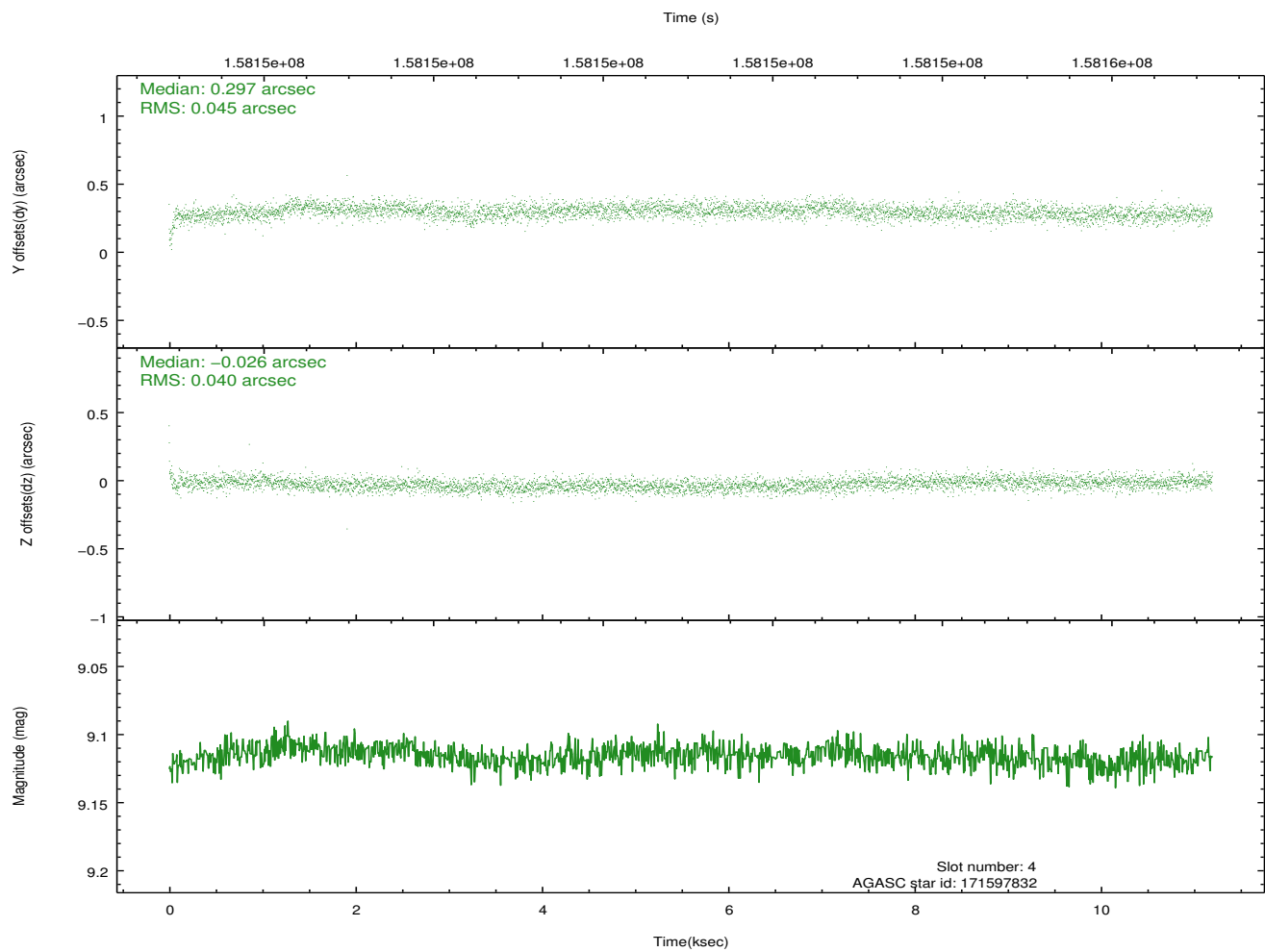
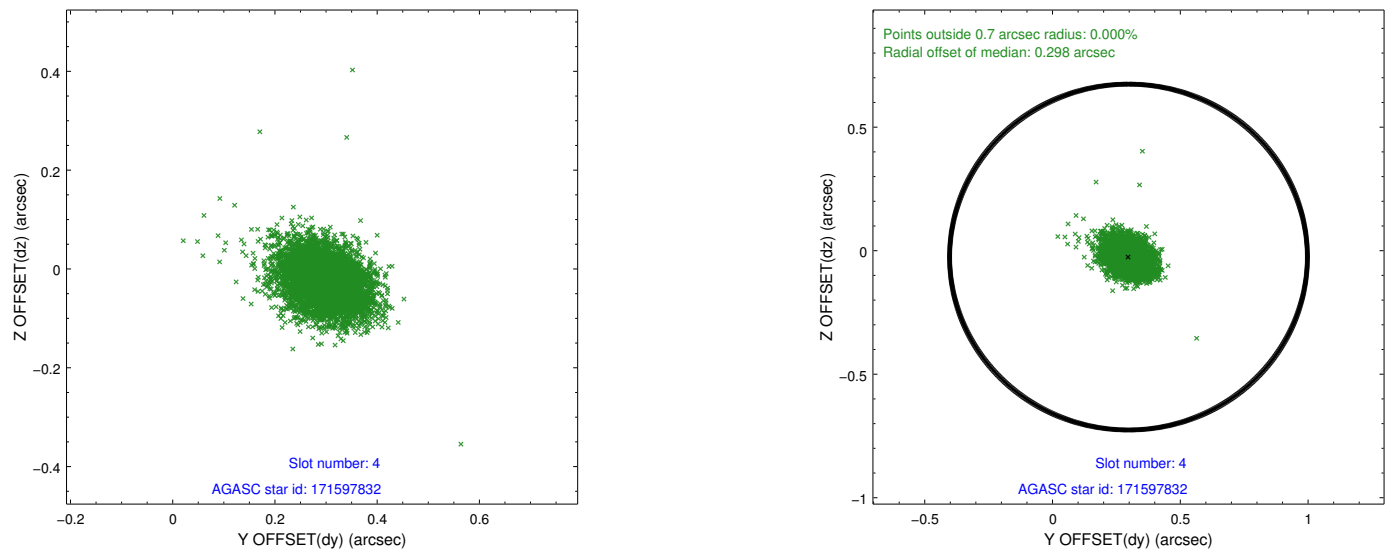
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1	FID	ACIS-S-4	7.18	2731	0.093	0.060	0.006	0.010	0.000000	0.000000	2159.53	15.77
2	FID	ACIS-S-5	7.22	2731	-0.064	0.063	0.007	0.012	0.000000	0.000000	-1805.95	10.01
3	GUIDE	171587184	9.88	5458	0.027	0.006	0.080	0.129	83.729362	22.466719	-1541.86	519.12
4	GUIDE	171597832	9.12	5462	0.297	-0.026	0.061	0.104	83.183230	21.366702	2203.65	-1712.56
5	GUIDE	171600224	9.66	5457	-0.269	0.034	0.078	0.132	82.941815	21.636094	1152.23	-2411.97
6	GUIDE	171721904	9.23	5461	-0.050	0.023	0.055	0.093	84.272676	22.116922	-104.45	2190.59
7	GUIDE	243941560	8.31	5462	-0.003	-0.038	0.035	0.057	83.733264	22.568598	-1905.30	570.40

2.4 Star Slots

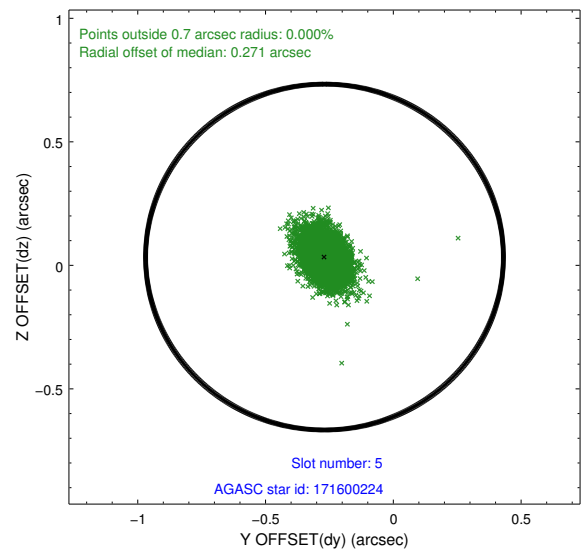
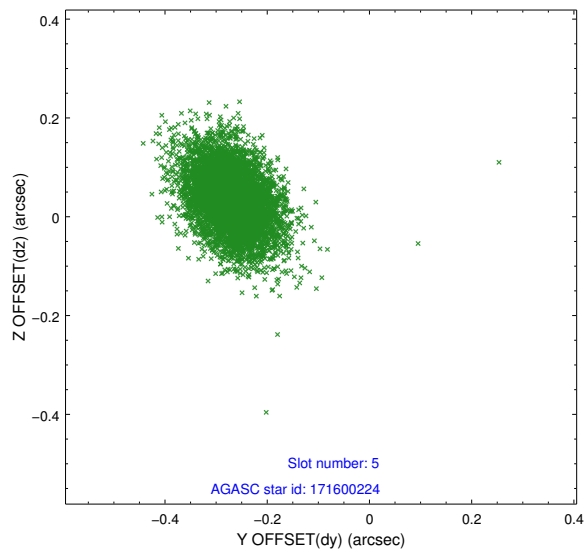
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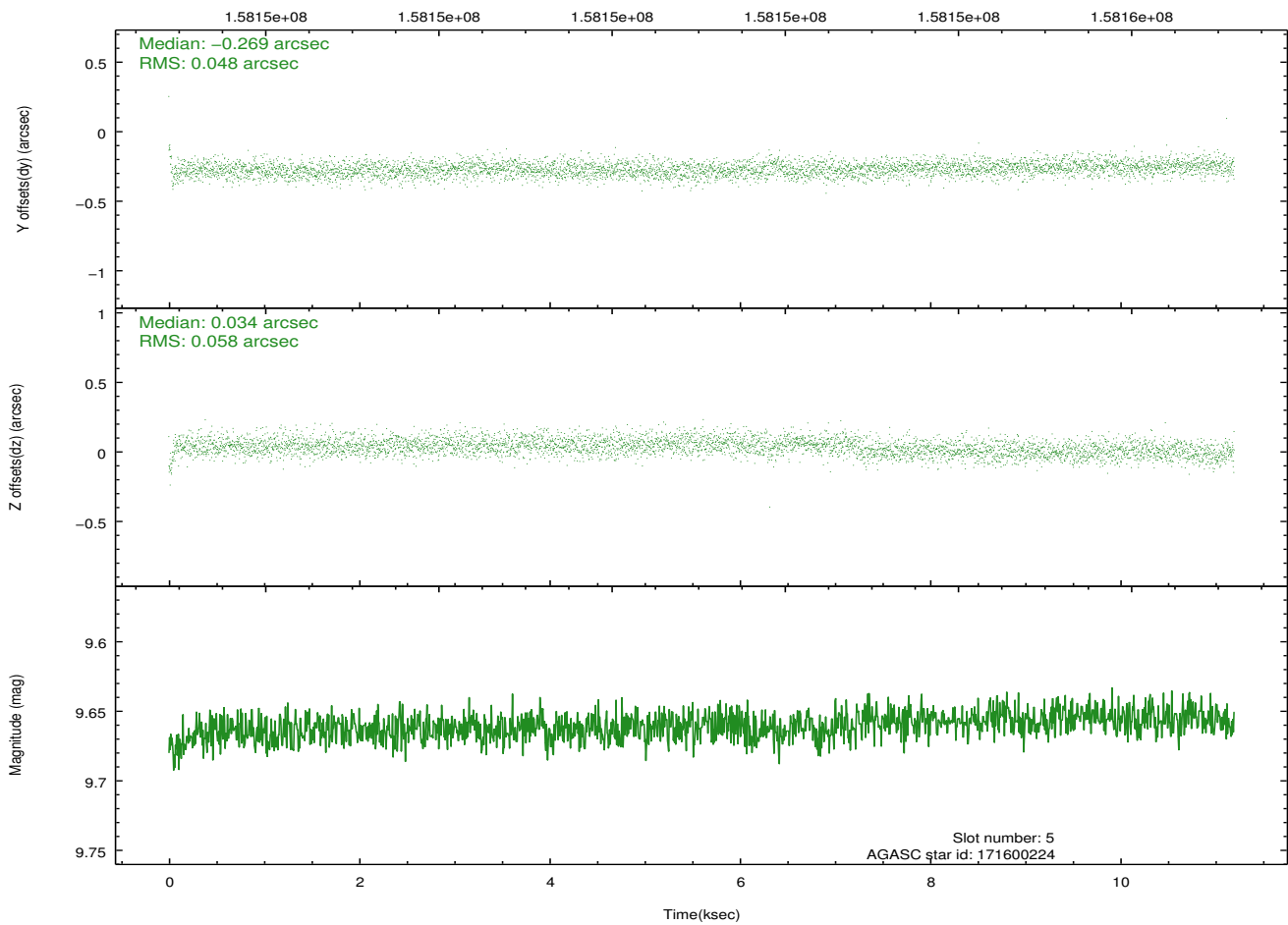
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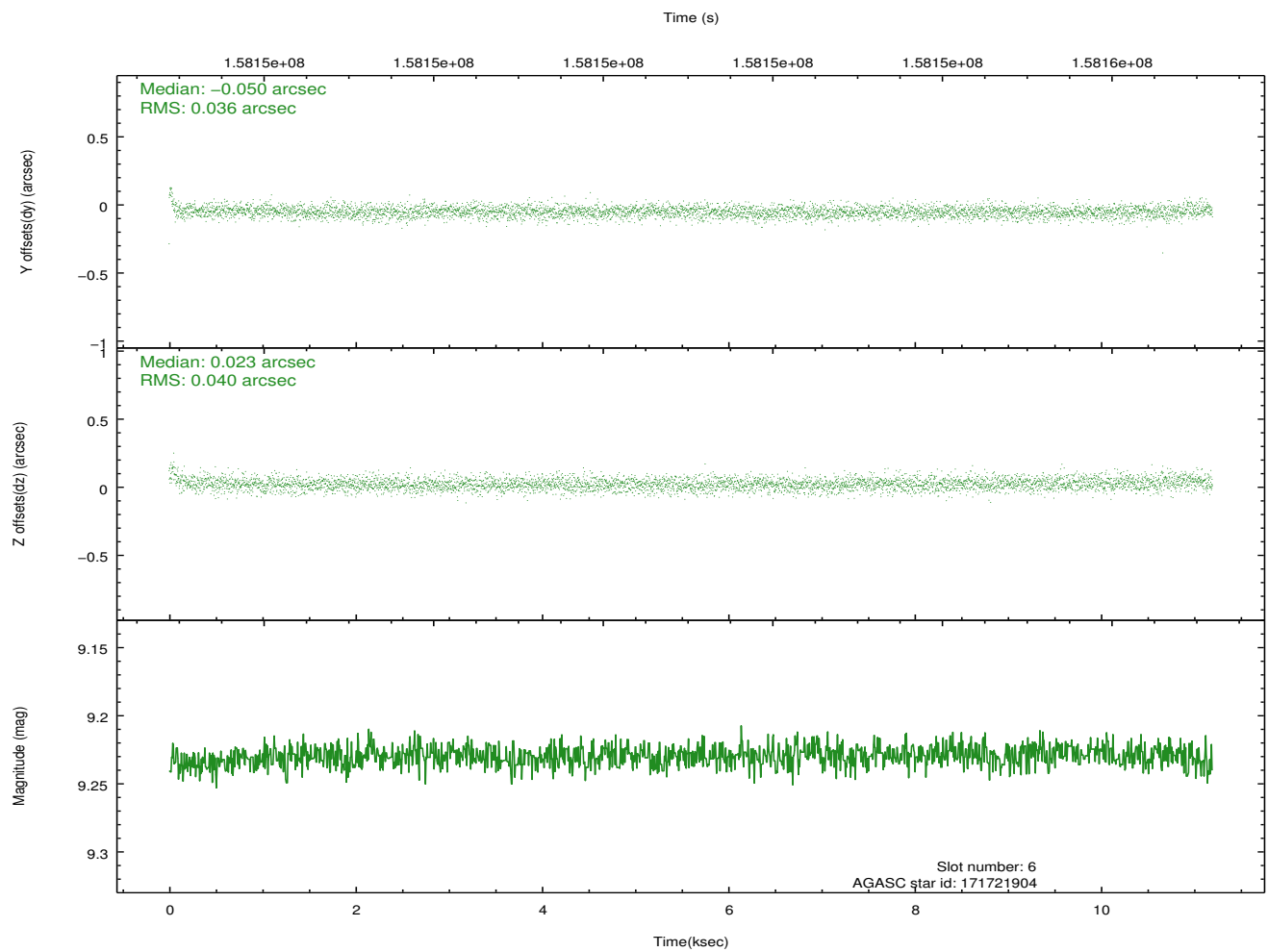
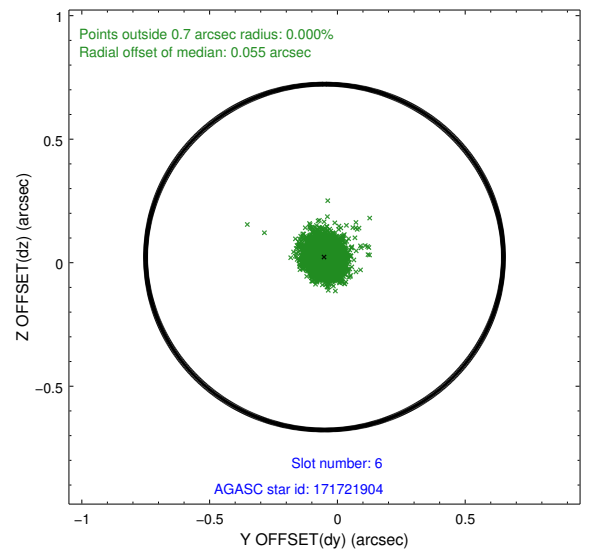
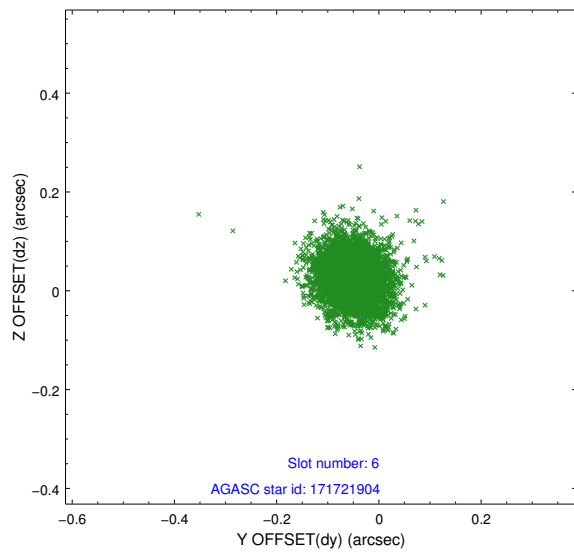
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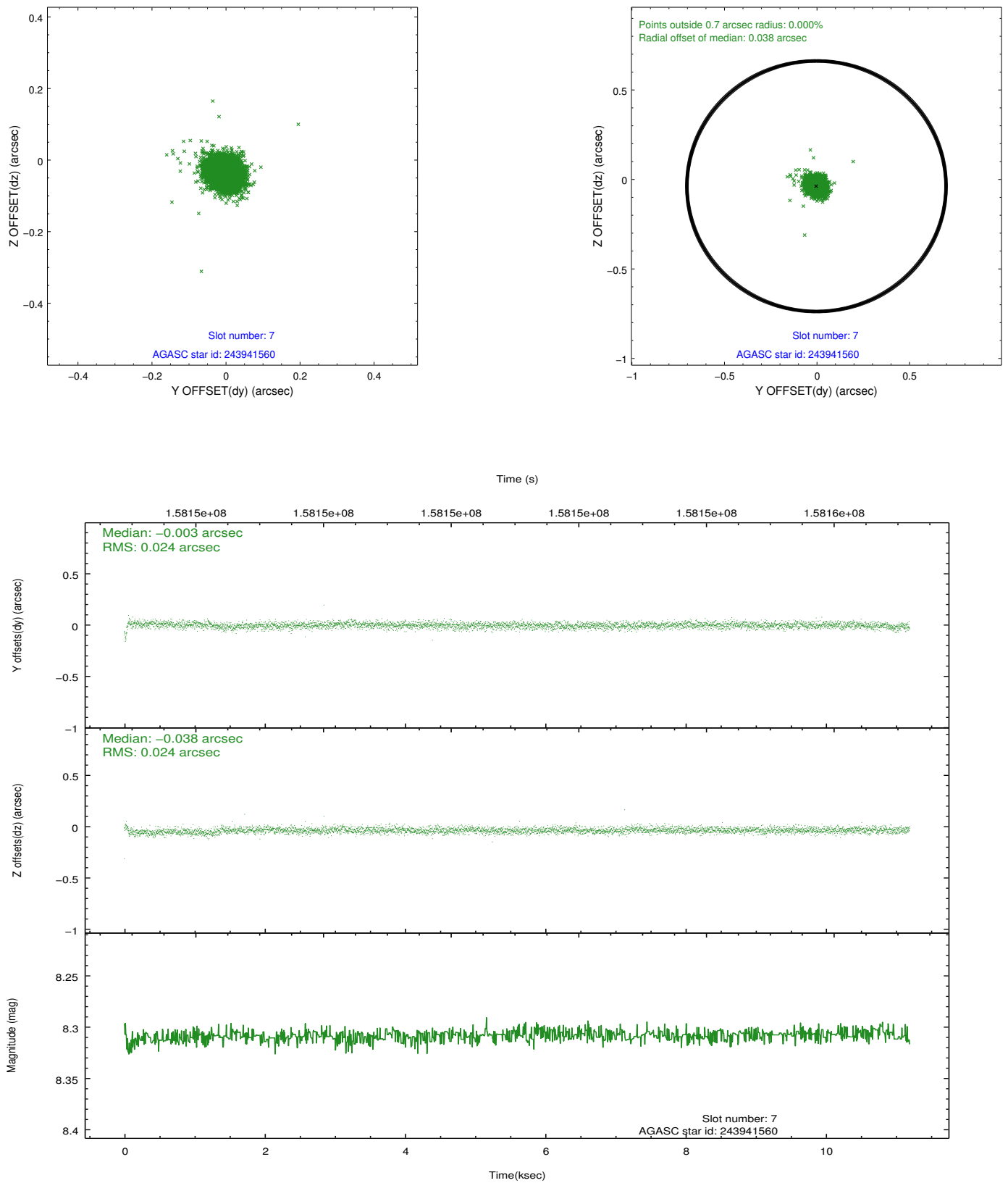
Time (s)



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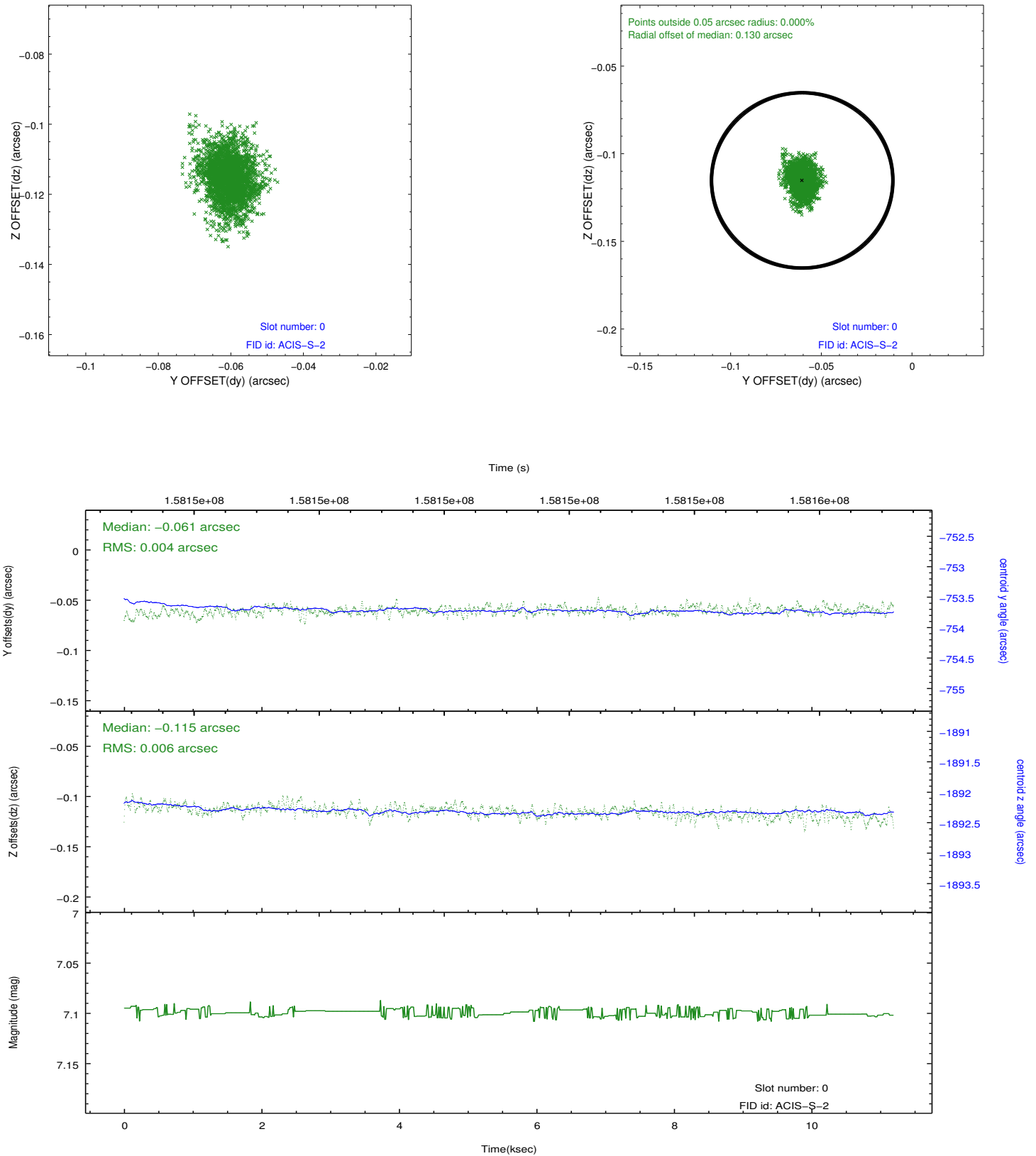


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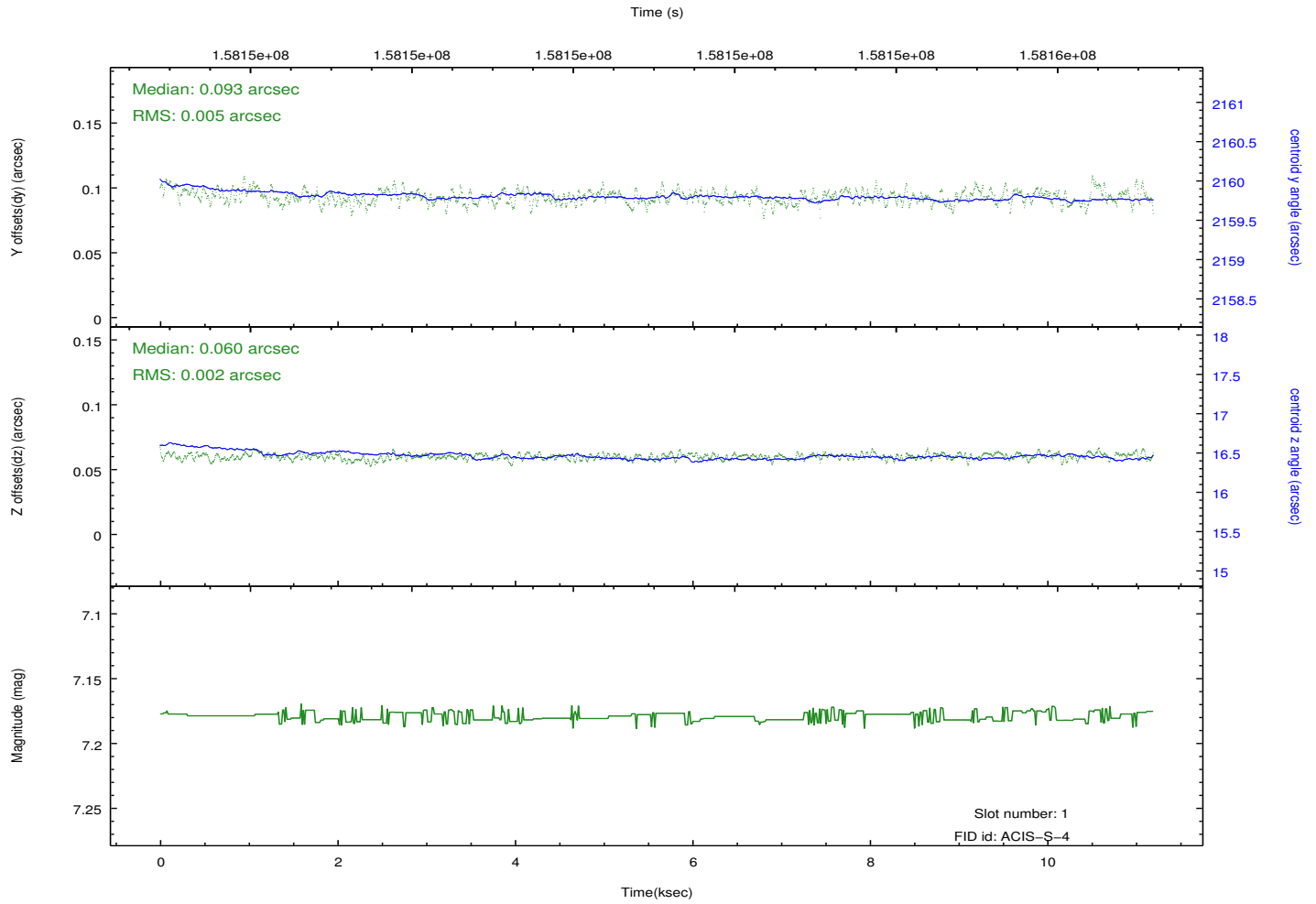
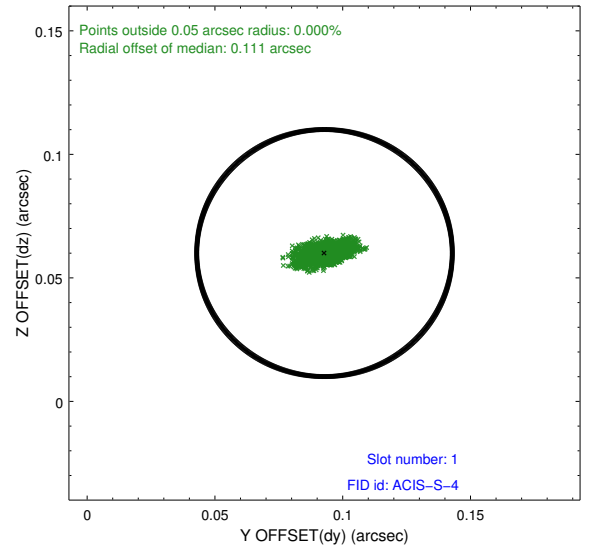
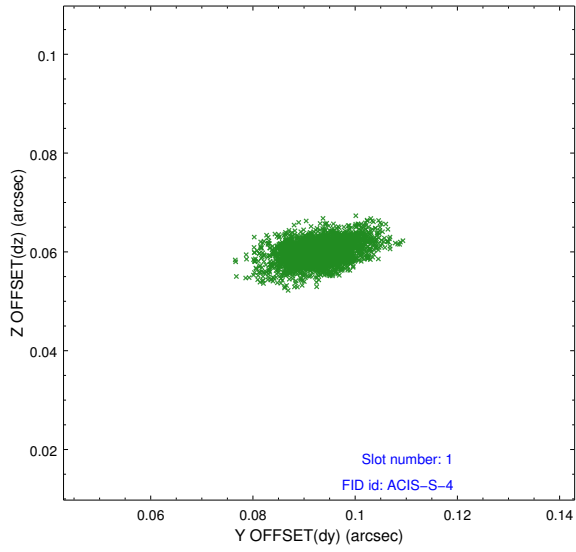


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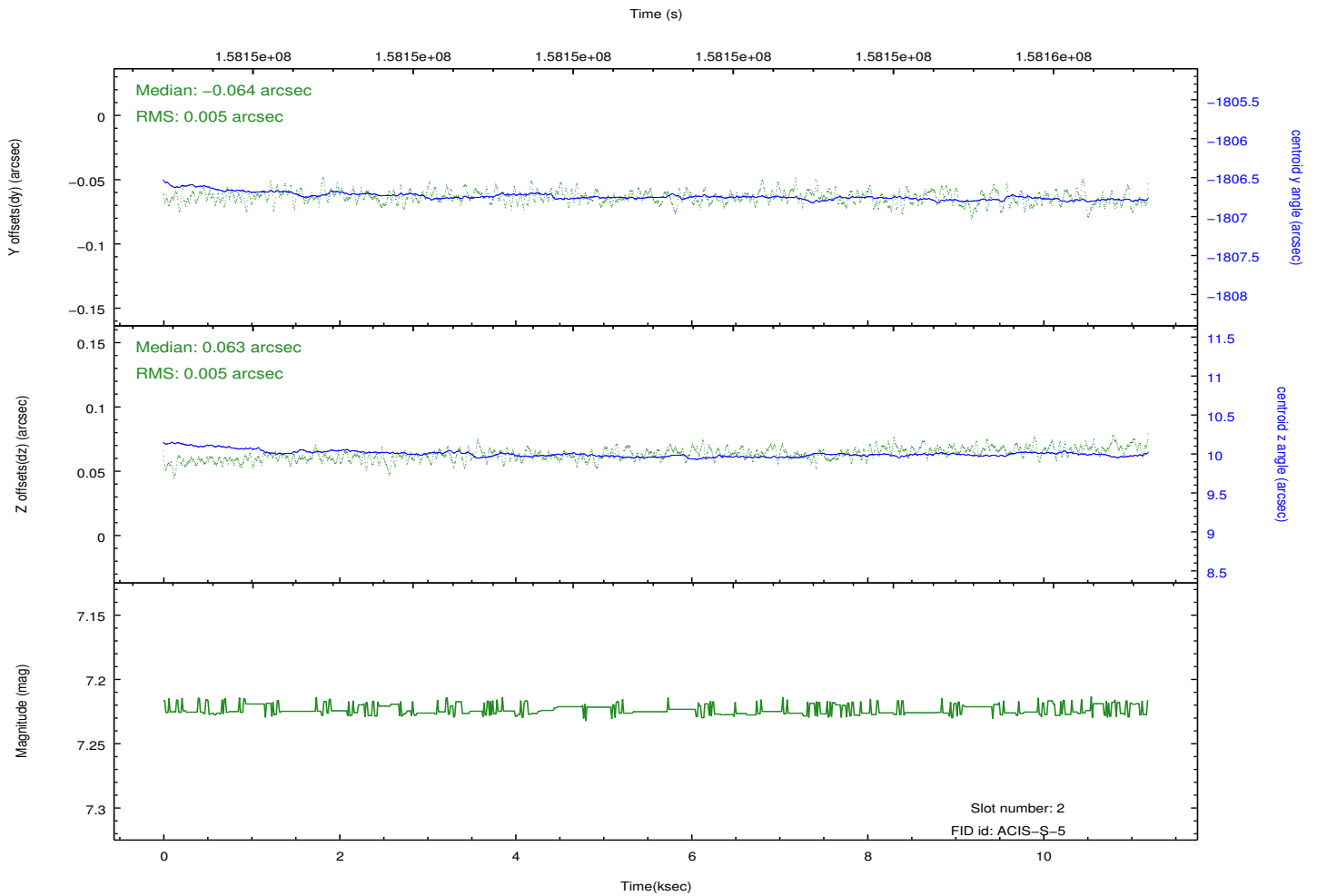
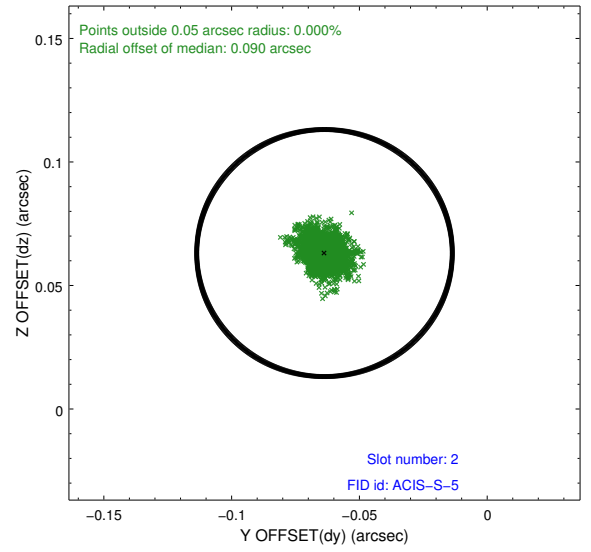
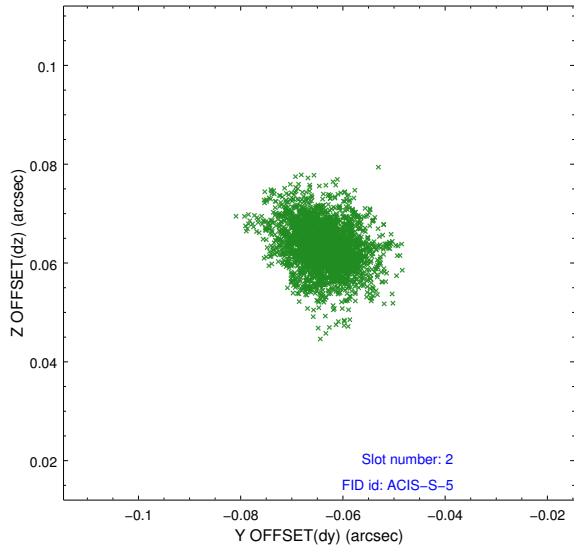
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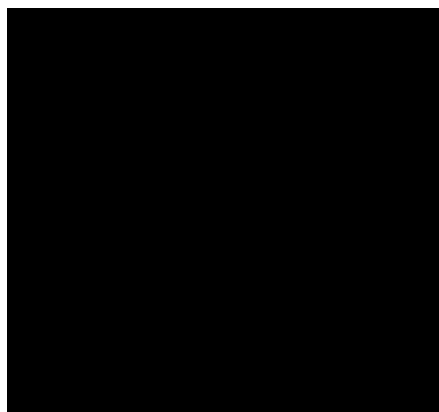


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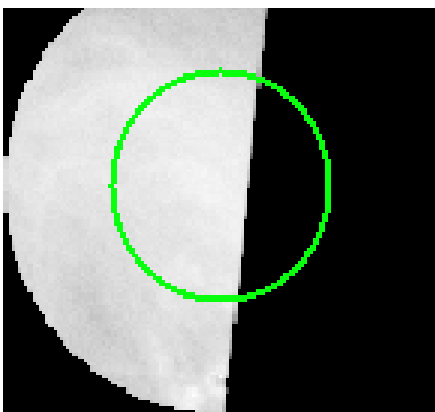


3 Gratings

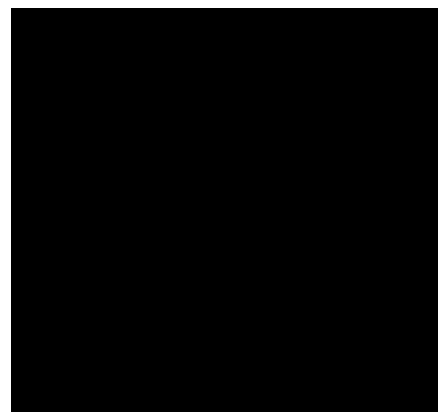
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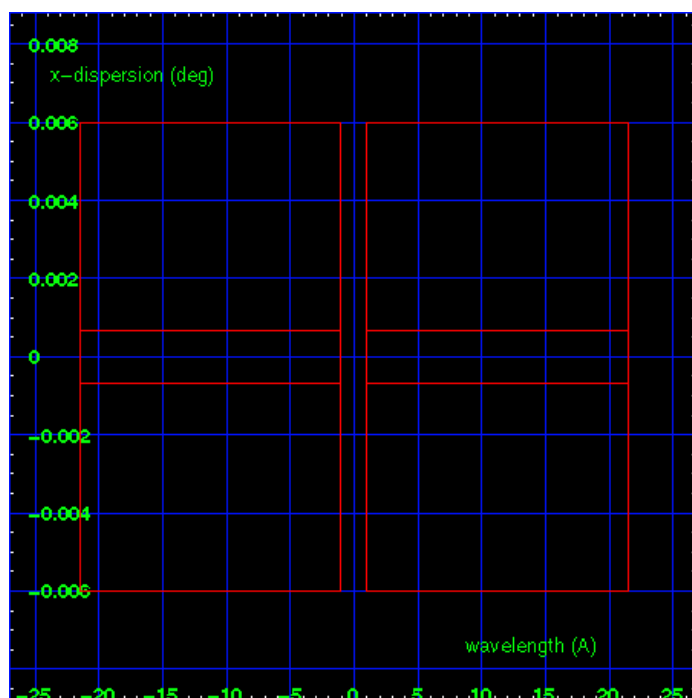
HEG Order Sort 123



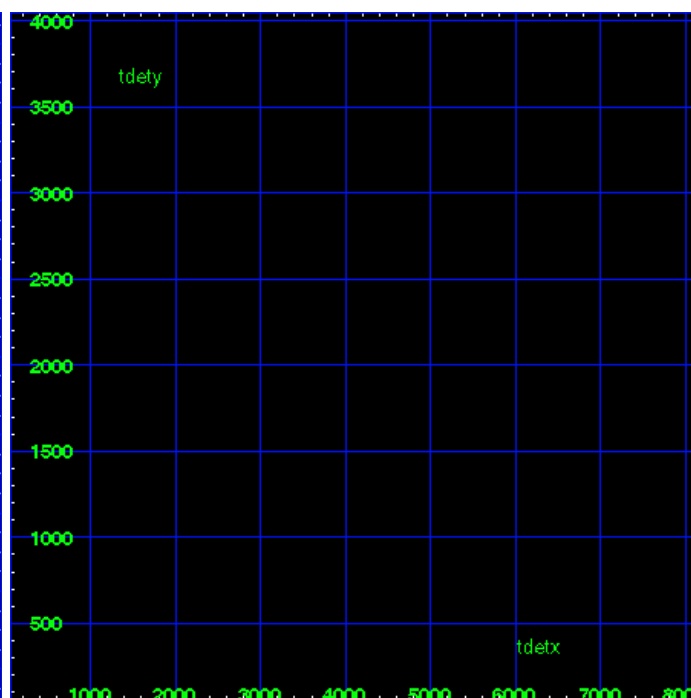
HEG Zero Order



HEG Order Sort ALL

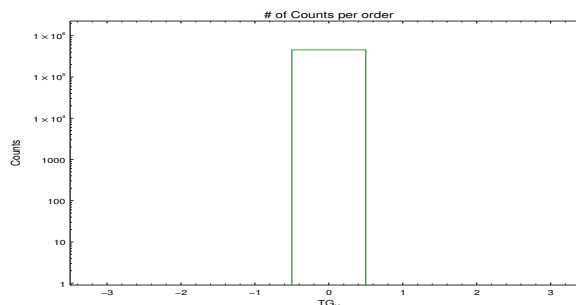


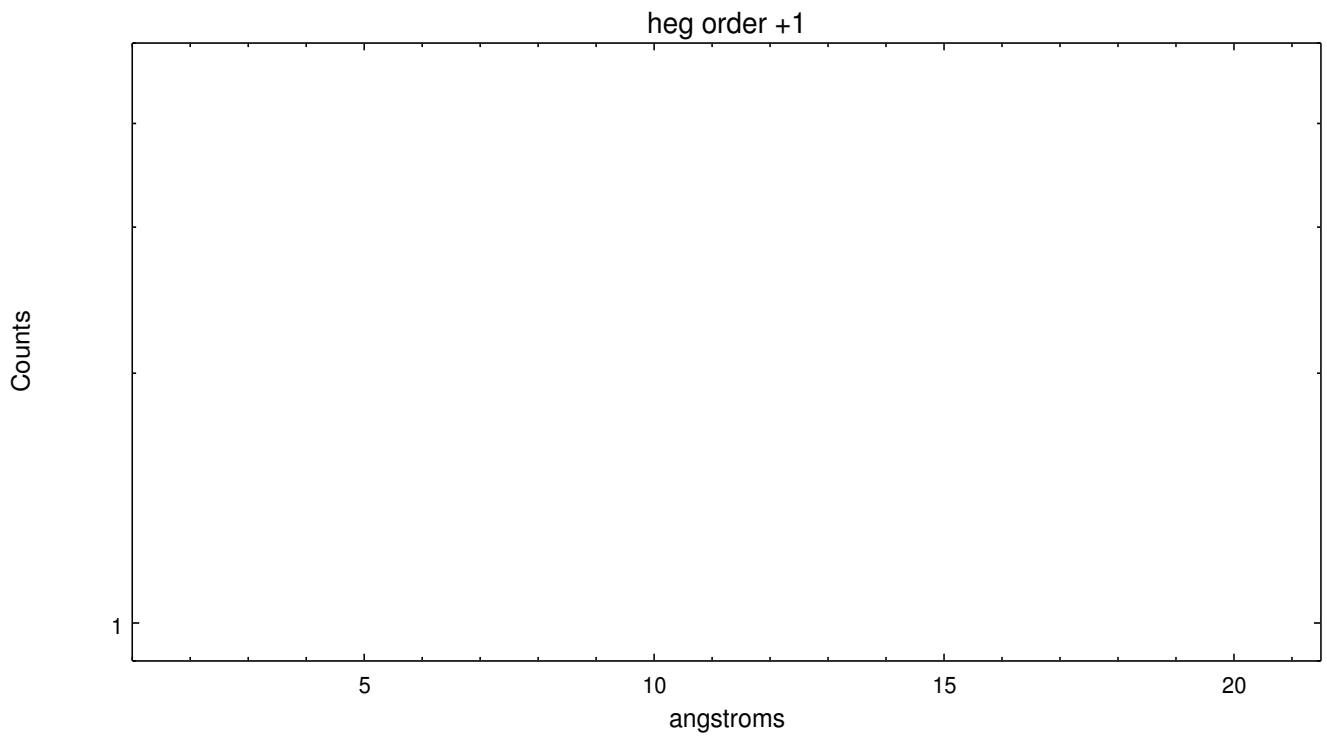
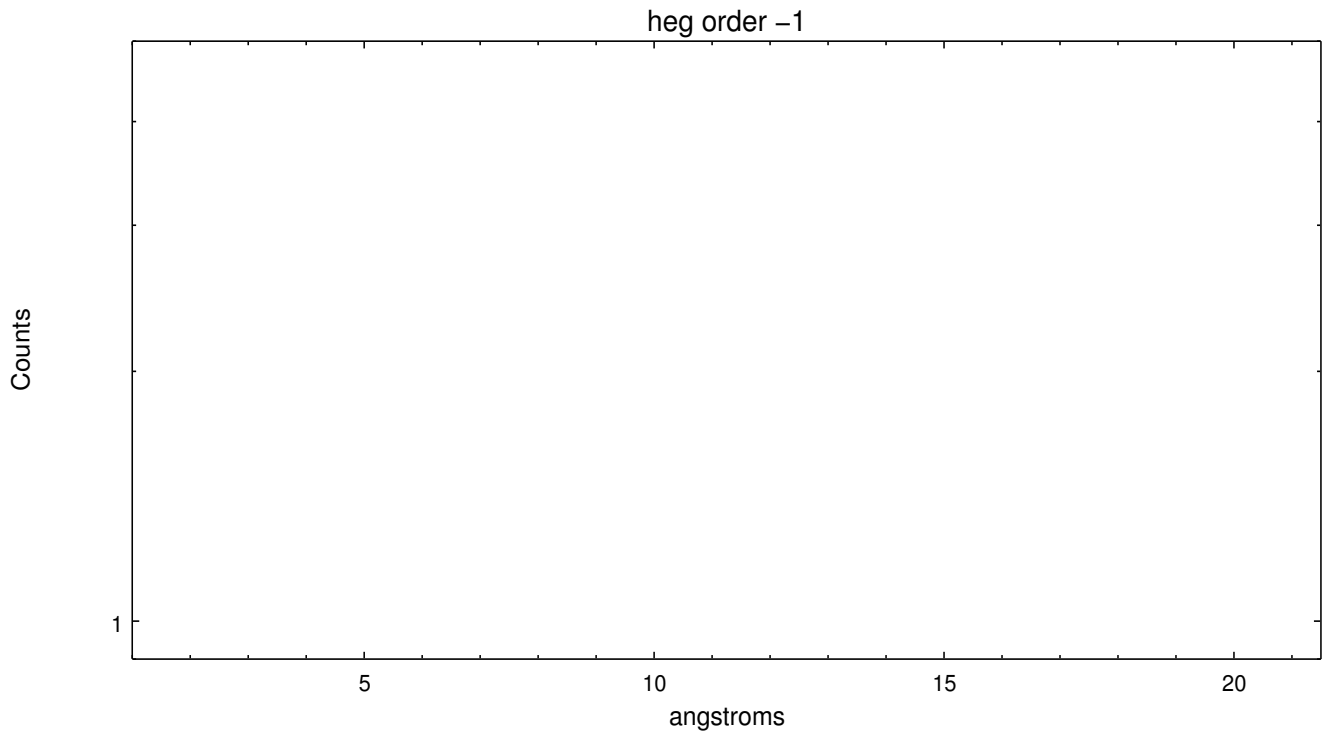
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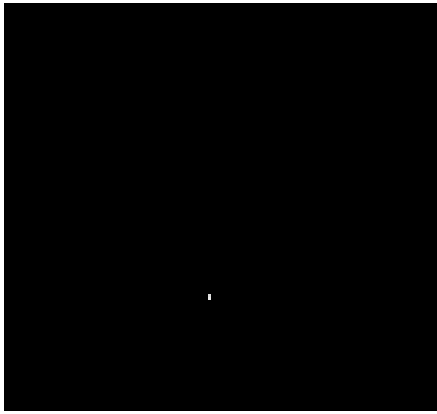
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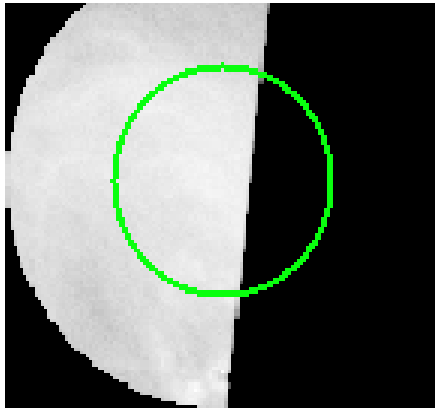




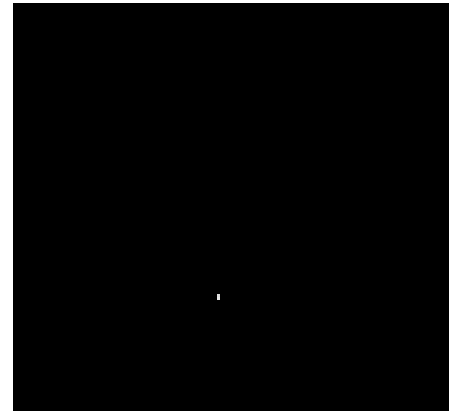
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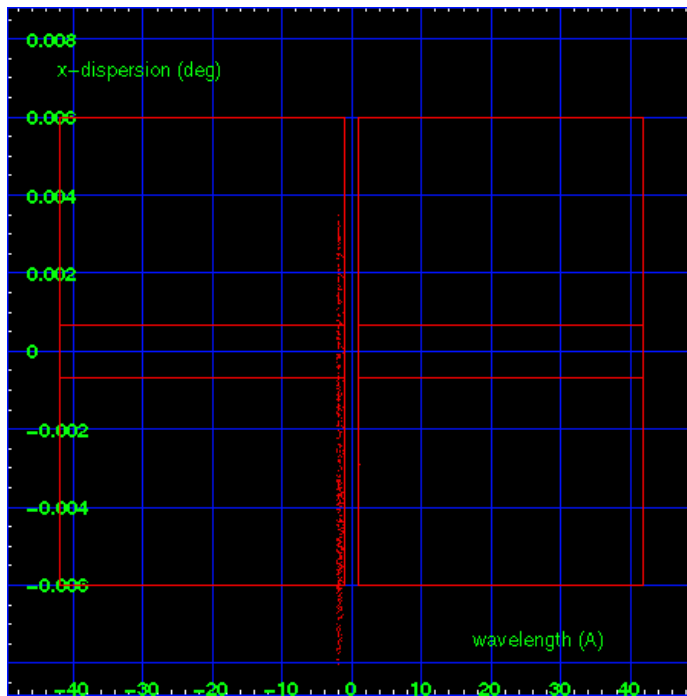
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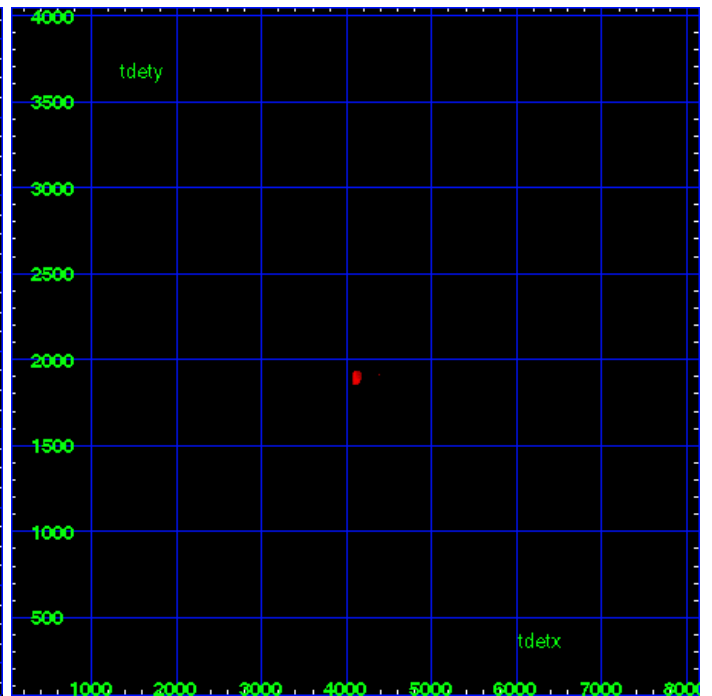
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MEG Order Sort ALL

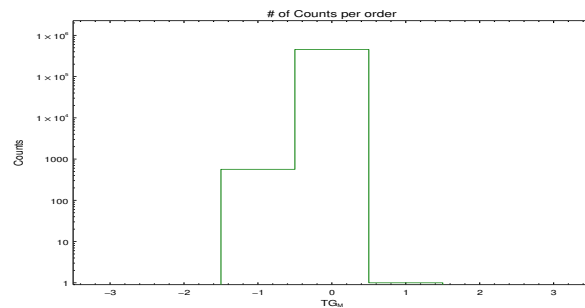


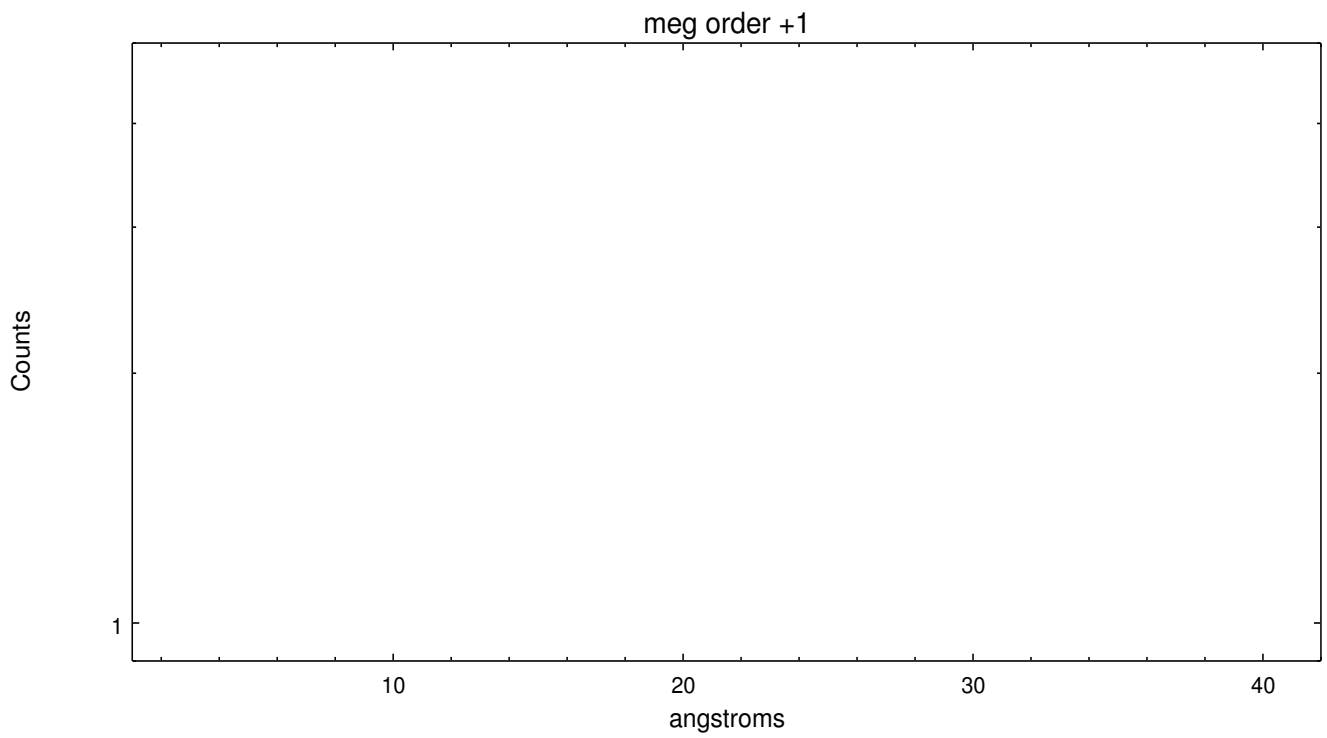
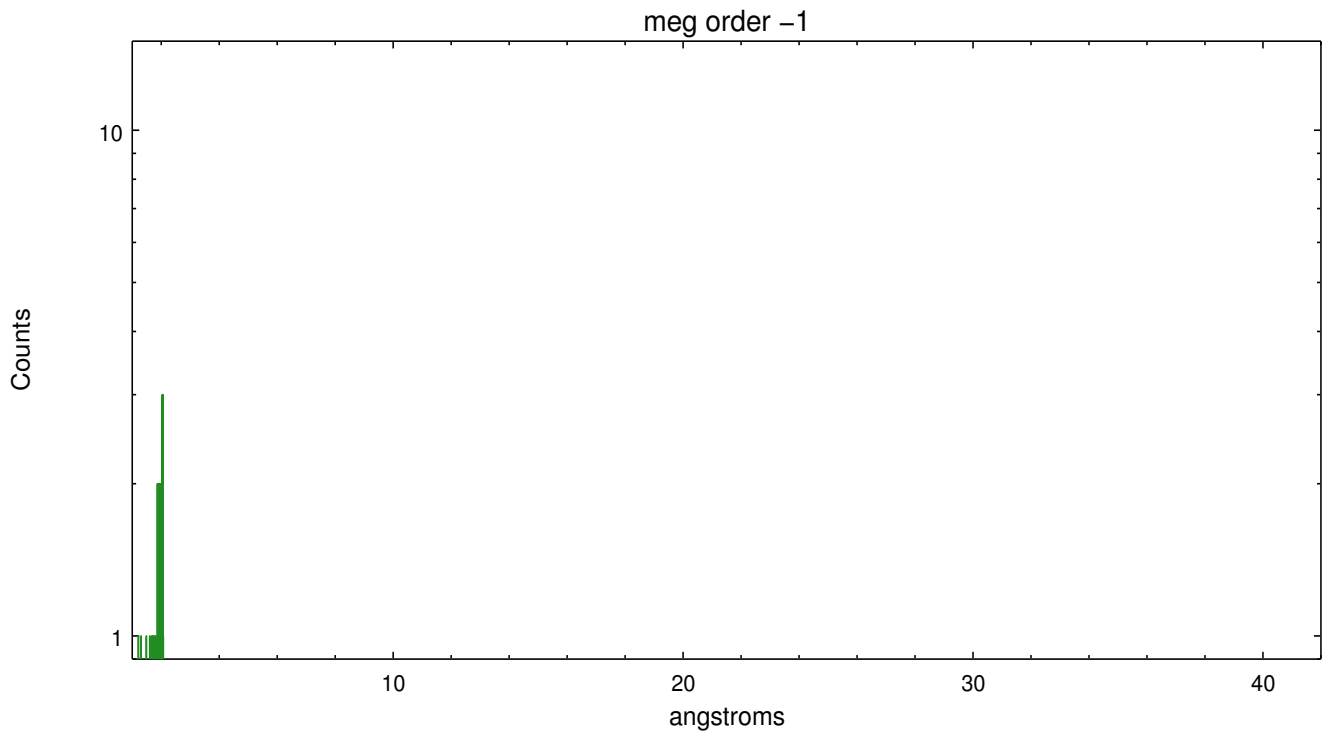
Spot Image MEG



Full Detector MEG

	order -3	order -2	order -1	order 0	order 1	order 2	order 3
Events	0	0	564	453770	1	0	0





A Summary

A.1 Status

V&V Scientist	Joy Nichols
V&V Date (YYYY-MM-DD)	2012.11.14
V&V Edition	1
V&V Disposition and Status	OK
V&V Charge Time	11.196

A.2 Comments

The target moves at a rate of about 8.9 arcsec/hr. The subarray chosen for the observation is large enough to keep the target within the active region for 3 hr. As with all observations of moving targets, event positions are in the reference frame of Chandra, not of Titan. Users should run a software tool such as `sso_freeze` to reposition the events in the reference frame of Titan, then run normal data analysis tools.

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HETG used as count-rate suppression filter. No useful HETG spectral products. Only zero-order imaging or ccd-spectral data are of interest.

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Observation was intended to record the passage of Titan in front of the Crab Nebula. Dither was turned off for this observation. The CCD node boundary at column 256 contains 2 columns of bad data due to disabling the dither.