Current Status of Suzaku (AstroE-2)

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- Mission Concept
- Report on the X-ray Calorimeter (XRS)
- New Power of Suzaku
 - XRT/X-ray CCD (XIS)/Hard X-ray Detector (HXD)
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- Summary

Astro-E2 (Suzaku)

Study of

- Structure-formation of the universe,
- Very vicinity of Blackholes

with

High-resolution X-ray spectroscopy and Wide-band X-ray spectroscopy

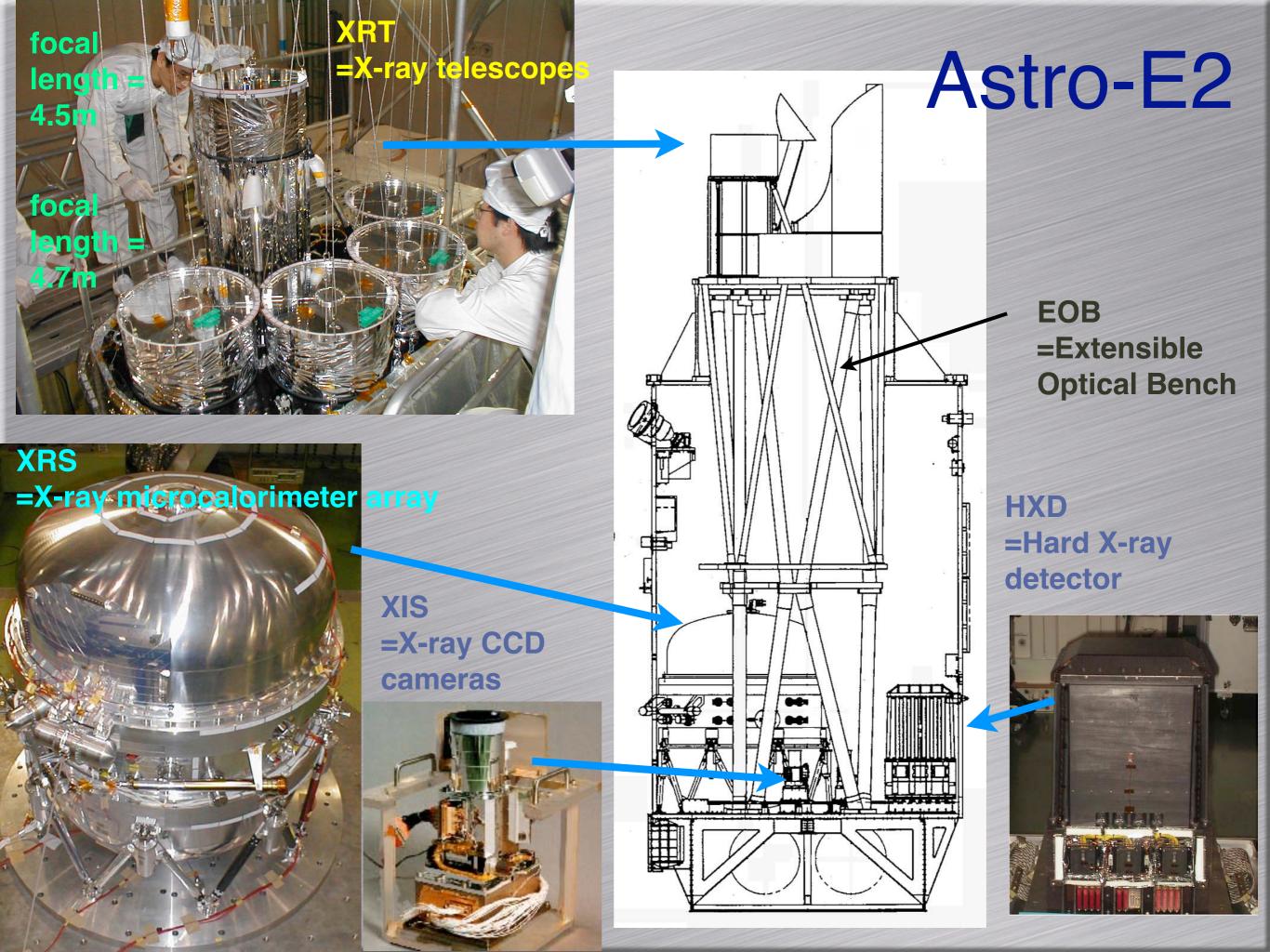


Highly complementary to Chandra (US) and XMM-Newton (ESA)

Japan/US international collaboration X-ray mirrors, X-ray spectrometer X-ray CCD, Analysis software

Suzaku Payload

Instrument	XRT-S + XRS	XRT-I + XIS	HXD		
Main role	high-resolution spectroscopy	wide-bar	nd spectroscopy		
Energy rage (keV)	0.3 - 10	0.2 - 10	10 - 700		
Effective Area (cm ²)	I 50 (@6keV)	I 300 (sum of 4 sets)	160 (@2keV)	330 (@100 keV)	
Field of View	2.9' x 2.9'	19' x 19'	0.56° x 0.56° (<80keV)	4.6° x 4.6° (>100 keV)	
HPD of PSF	1.9'	1.7 - 1.9'			
Number of pixels	30	1024 x 1024			
Pixel Size	29" × 29"	1.1" x 1.1"			
Energy resolution (FWHM)	6 – 7 eV	I 20 eV (@6keV)	3 keV (@20keV)	10% @550keV	
Time resolution	5 micro s	8ms – 8s	15.3 – 61 micro s		
operating temperature	60 mK	-90° C	-20° C		
mission life	2.4 - 3 years *	as long as possible	as long as possible		



The team

HXD

XRS



And more: International Scientific Advisors, Software/Operation

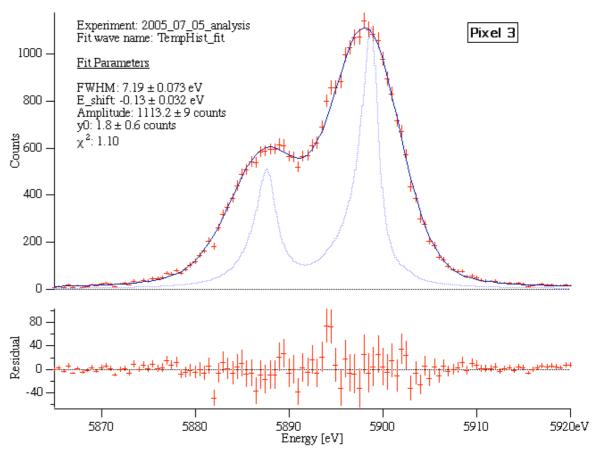
Lowest temperature and Highest Resolution

July 26: 60 mK was achieved. (lowest temperature achieved in space)

XRS

7eV energy resolution was obtained for the calibration pixel.

Detector was working as expected. We expected great scientific return for **YEARS** of hard work, over the next 3 years or so. Fine structure of Mn K $_{\alpha}$ line resolved by XRS in orbit

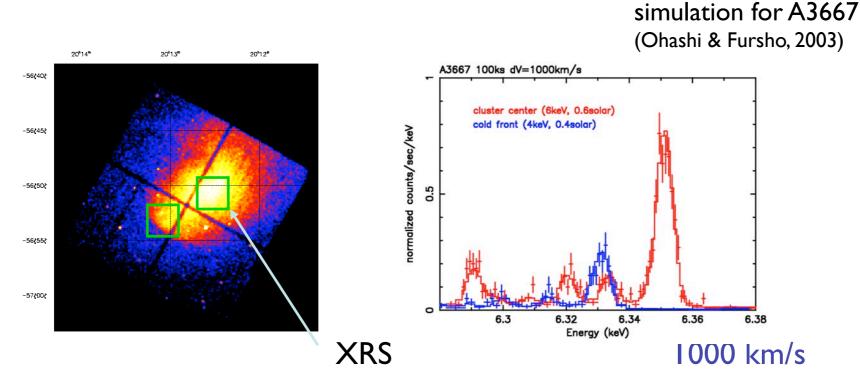






What we had expected

Astro-E2 Study of Clusters in merger



Bulk motion of the hot gas associated with a substructure in a cluster of galaxy, if observed, will be the direct evidence of a cluster merger.

The line profile and energy shift ->

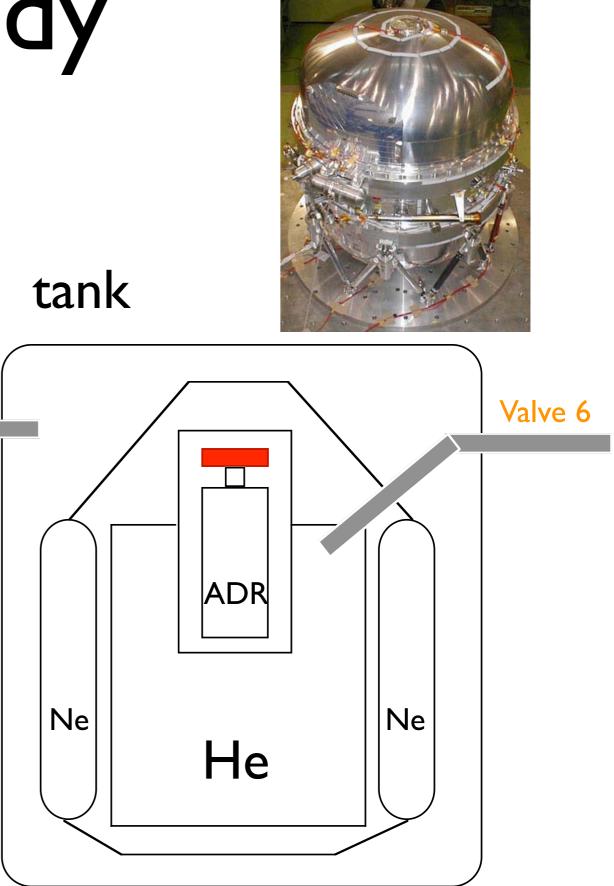
The line-of-sight motion of the hot gas associated with the merging sub-cluster (v>1000 km/s) can be obtained.

Tragedy

- July 10: Valve 6 (He gas bent) was opened
- July 25: Valve 12 (main shell evacuation valve) was opened
- July 29: First temperature spikes were seen, indicating helium gas (almost certainly vented from the tank) got to parts of the XRS that it shouldn't have Valve 12 gotten into.
- Aug 5: 7 eV resolution confirmed for most of pixels.
- Aug. 8: All Liquid He was lost (during several hours)

Cause of the failure is under investigation by mishap investigation boards of JAXA and NASA.

<u>http://suzaku.gsfc.nasa.gov/docs/astroe_lc/news/</u> <u>xrsend.html</u>

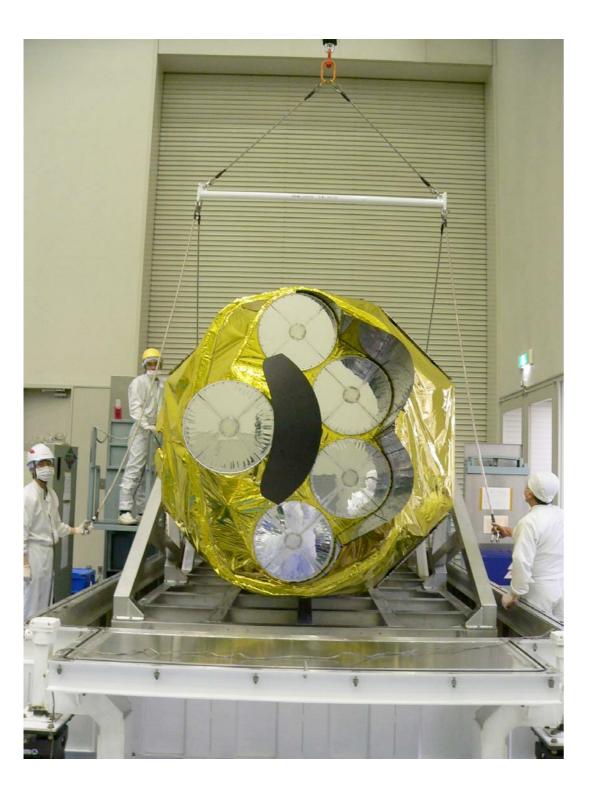


Even without the XRS

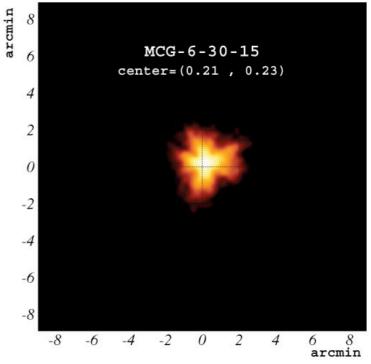
Suzaku will provide exciting results with

- Large area XRT with pre-collimeter
- Improved X-ray CCD (BI/FI) --- XIS
- Low Background Hard X-ray Detector
 --- HXD

XRT for the XIS



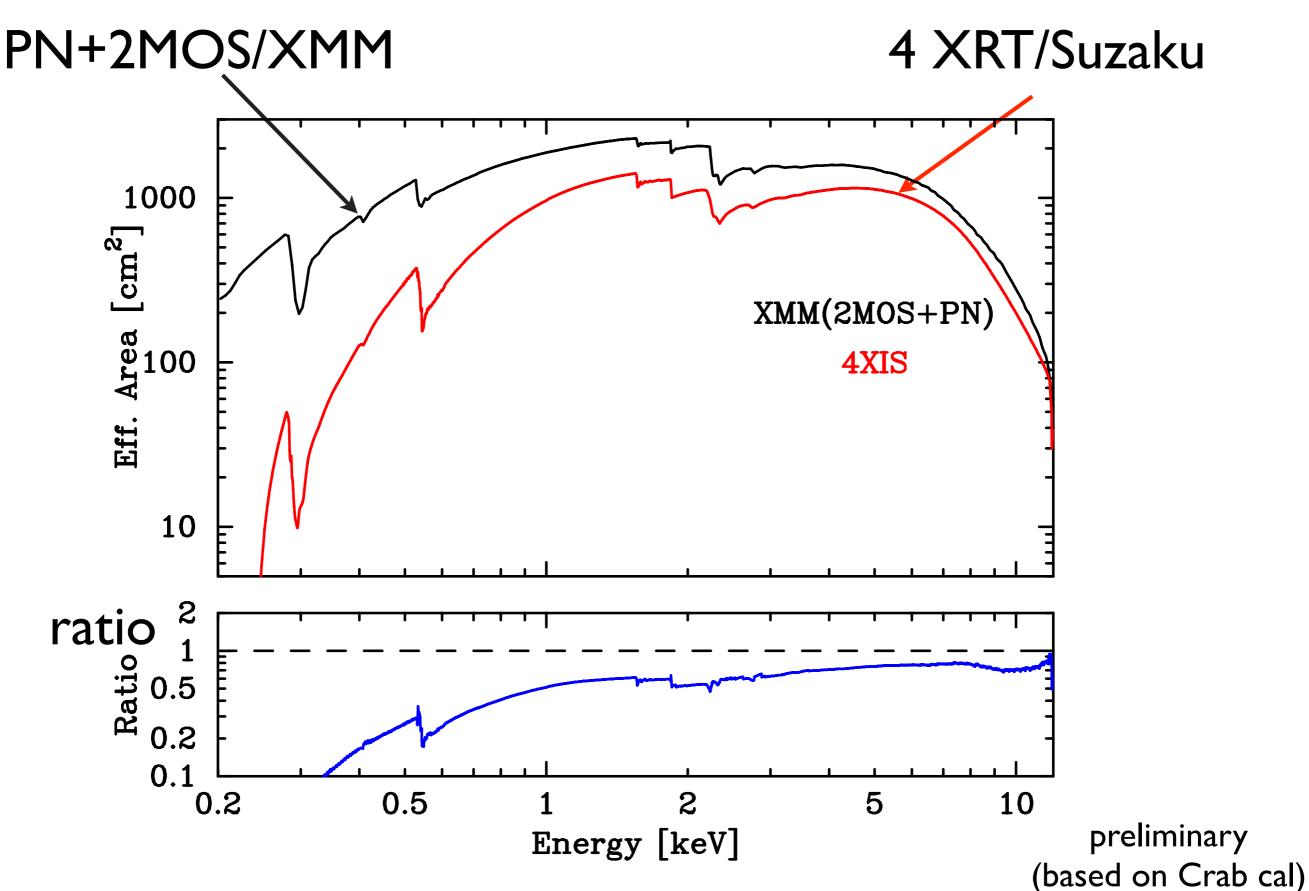




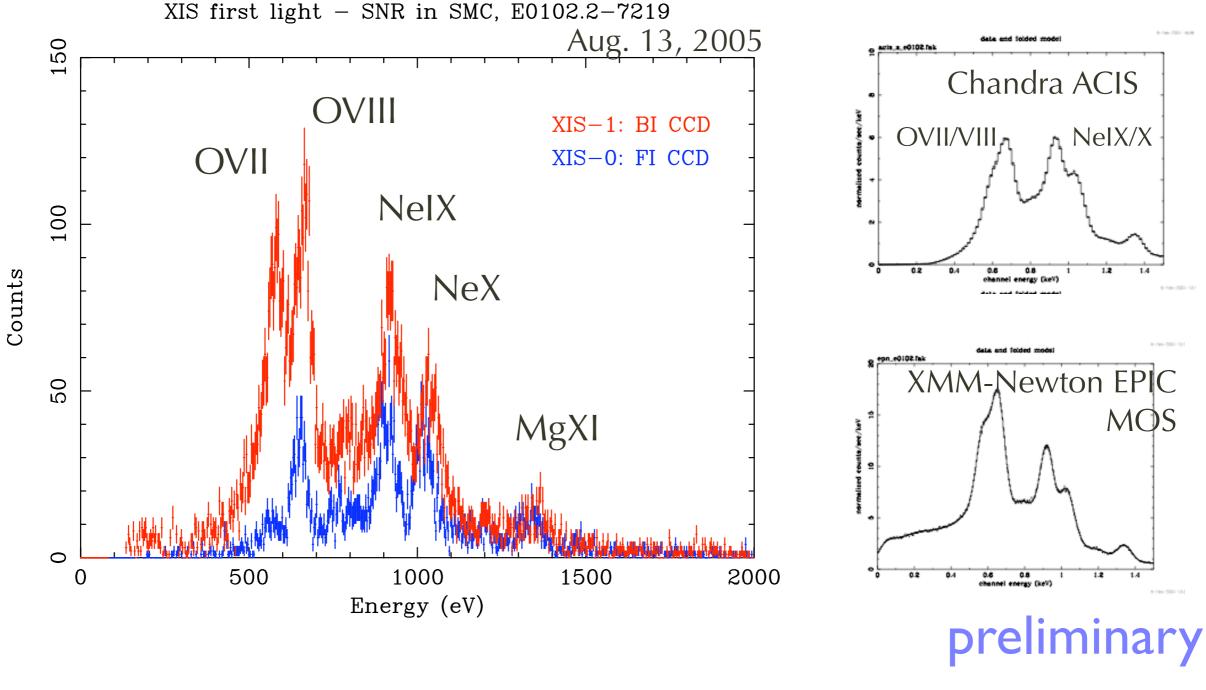
Suzaku XRT-I0 image (contactpass STT selected)

- 4 XRT (I for BI CCD, 3 for FI CCD)
- angular resolution 0.5 arcmin
- HPD ~2arcmin
- well calibrated

Effective Area



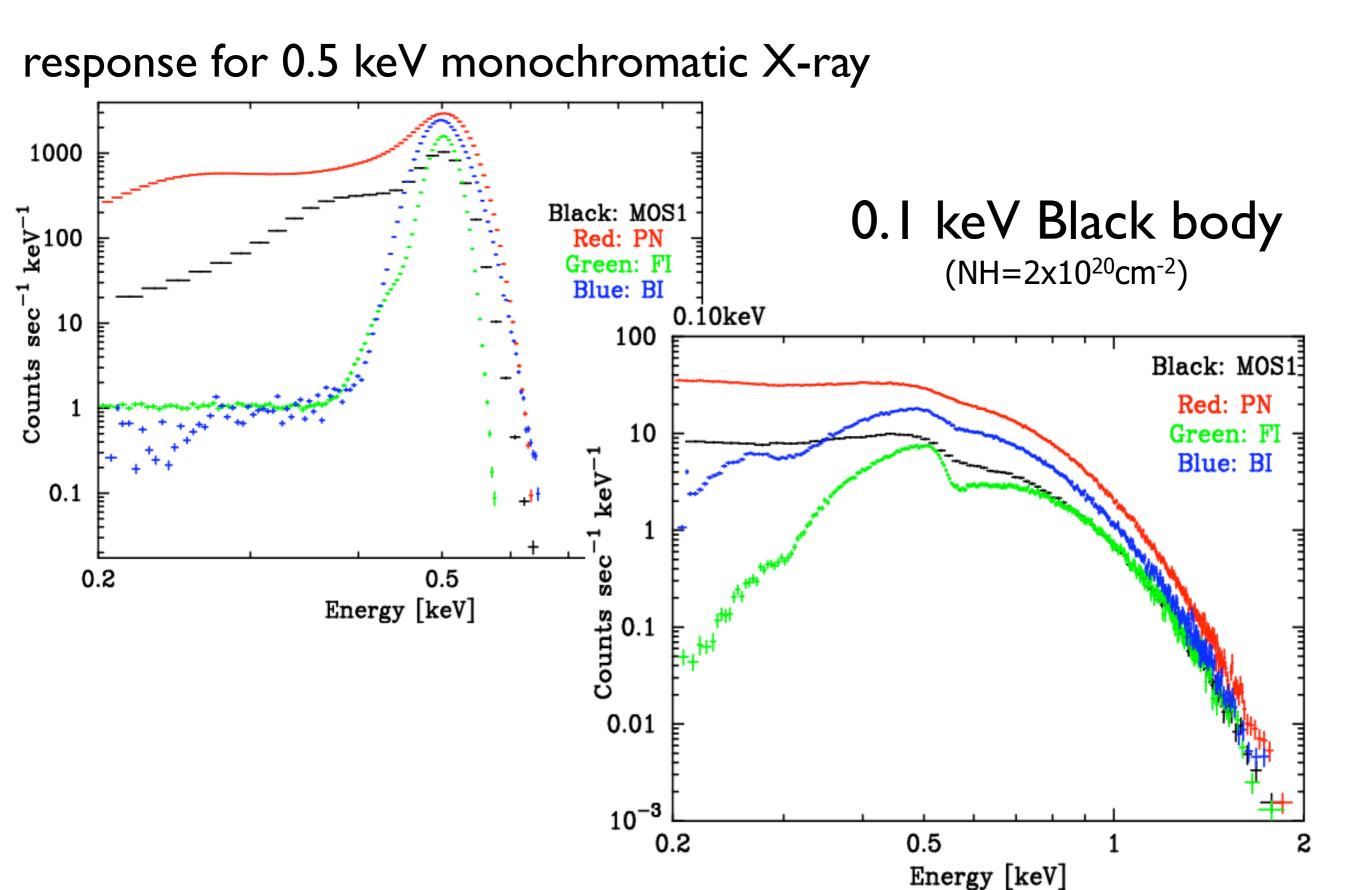
Low Energy Spectra with BI/FI-CCD (XIS)



CCD : collaboration with MIT/US

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No-tail



Low Background : XIS

counts/sec/keV/arcmin2/cm2

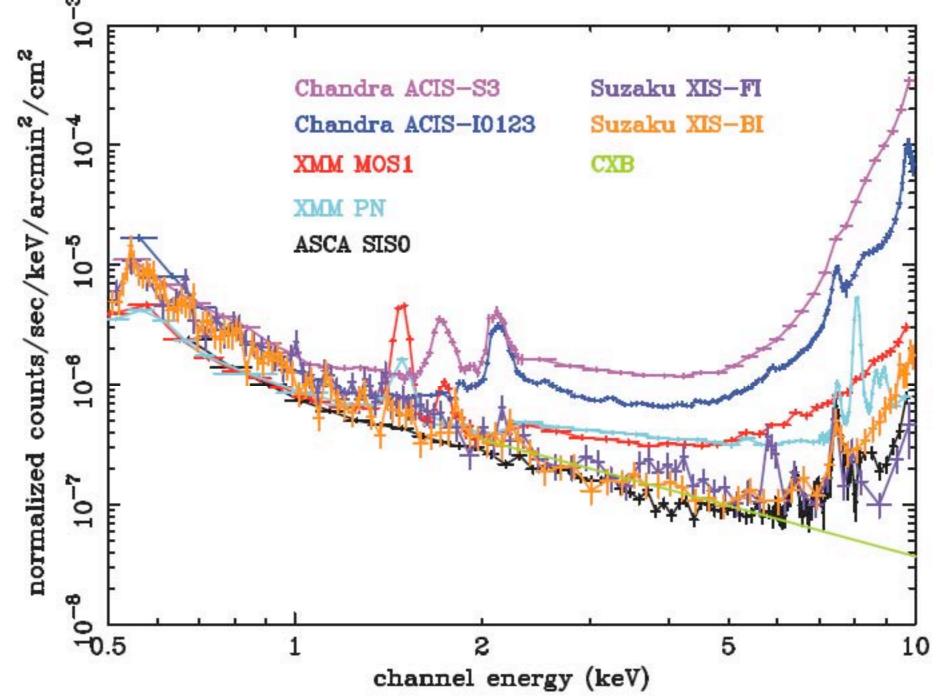
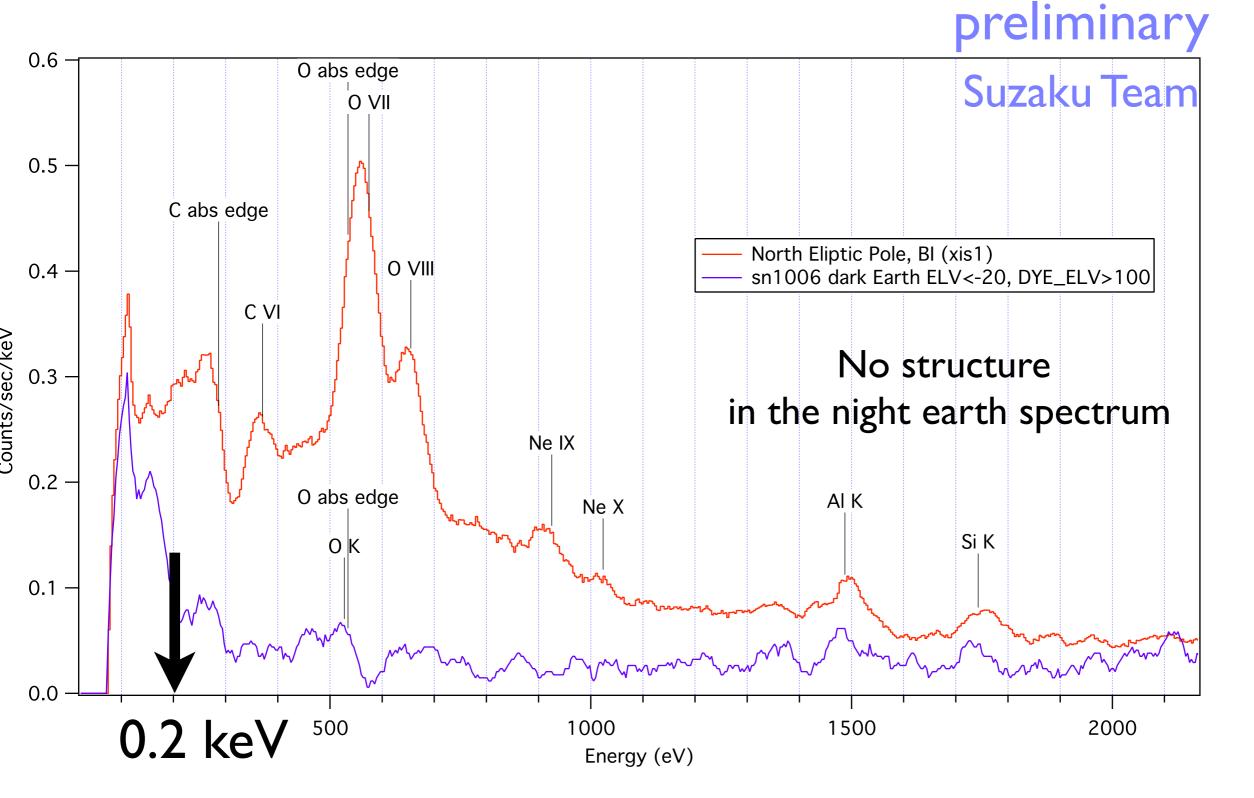


Figure 8: Comparison of the background spectra normalized by the effective area and by the FOV.

Good Spectrum

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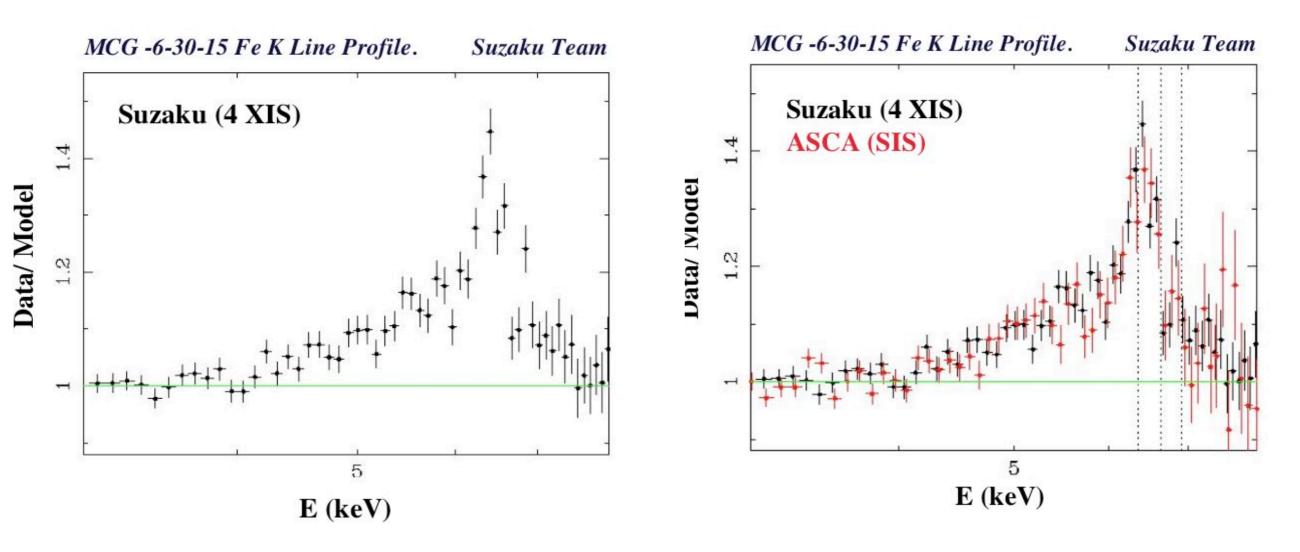


Broad Iron Line!

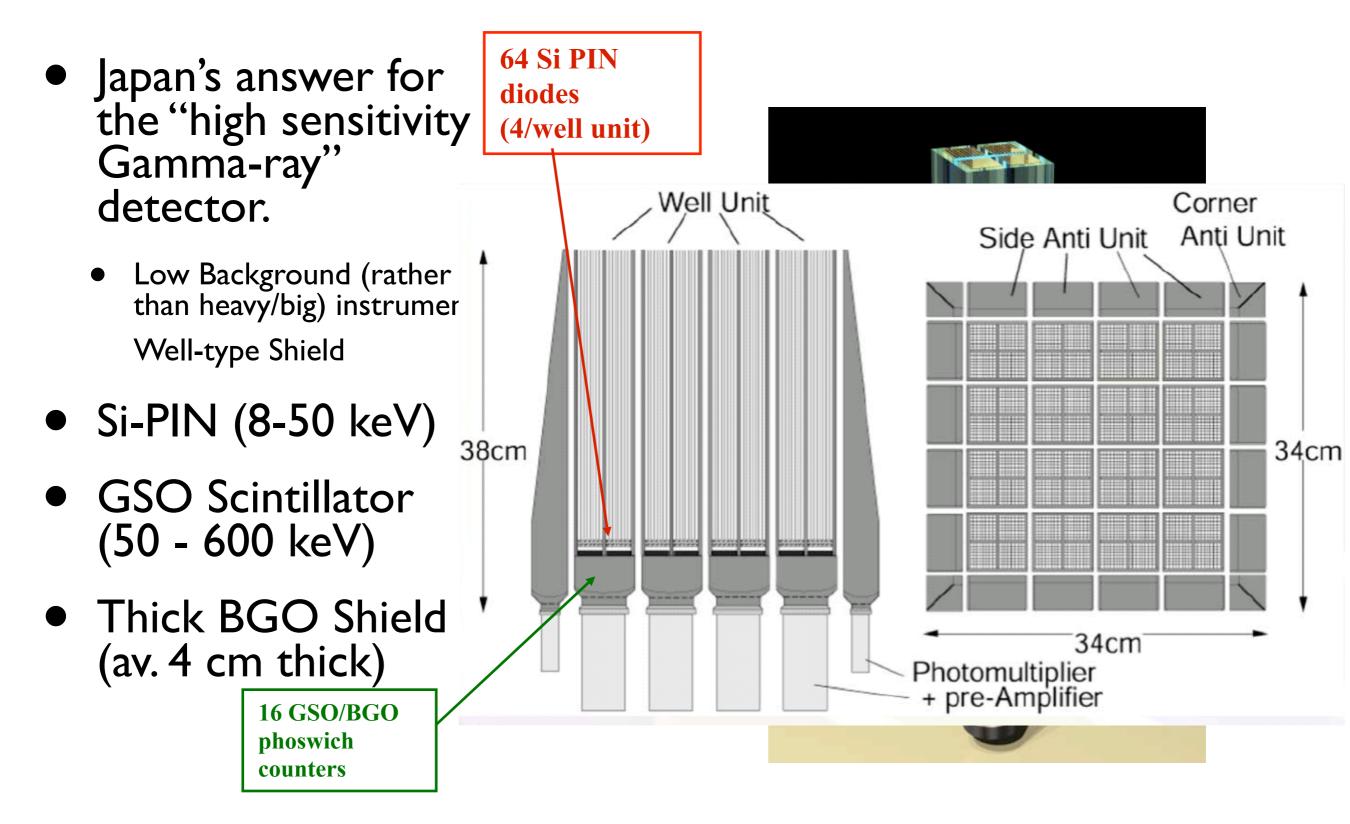
• MCG 6-30-15

preliminary

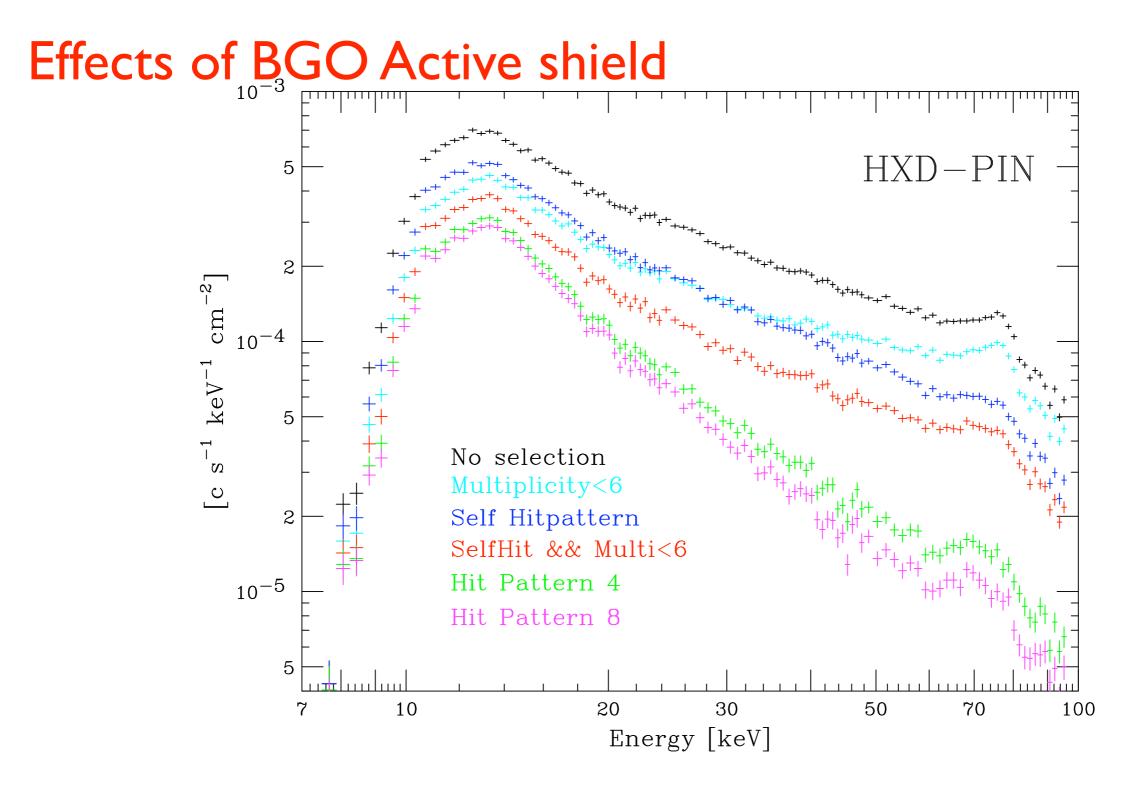
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Hard X-ray Detector

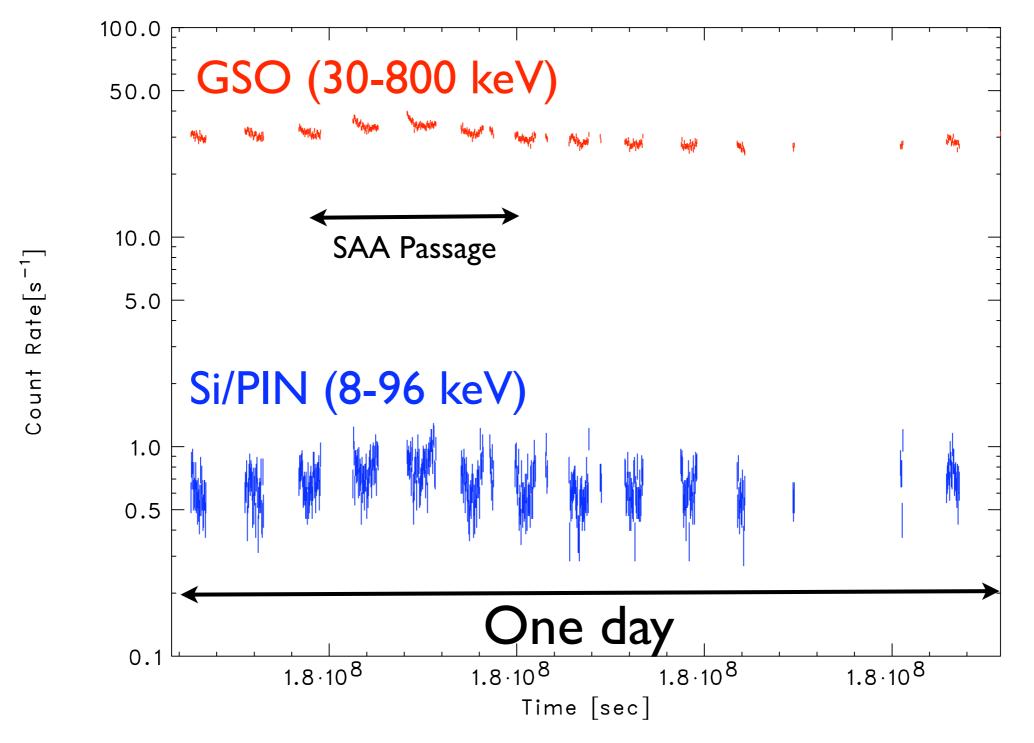


Background Reduction by "Well-type" BGO Shield

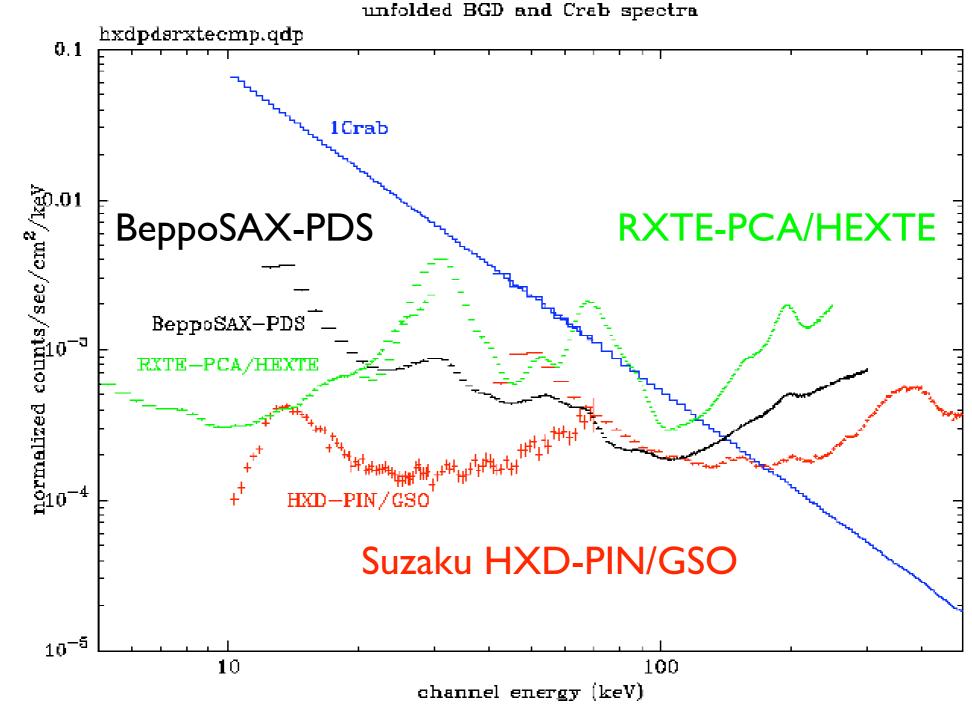


Background Light Curve

Very stable : even with an inclination angle of 36 degrees (with SAA passage)



Background/Sensitivity Comparison with SAX/RXTE



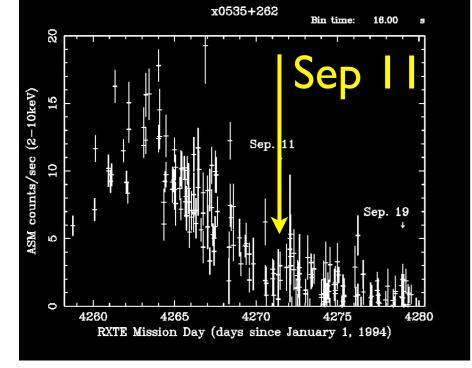
Background/Effective Area

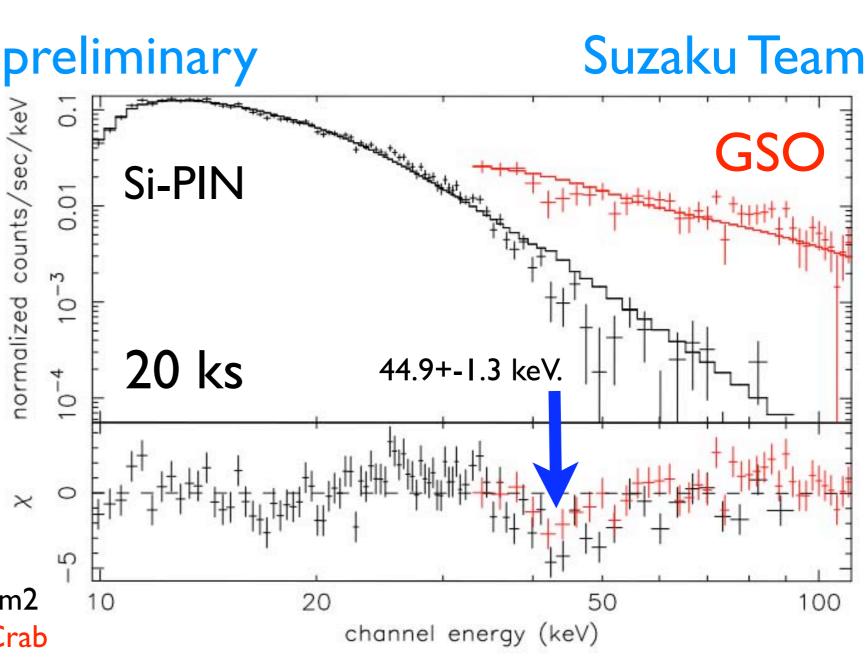
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Detection of cyclotron resonance absorption feature from 3A 0535+262

RXTE/ASM

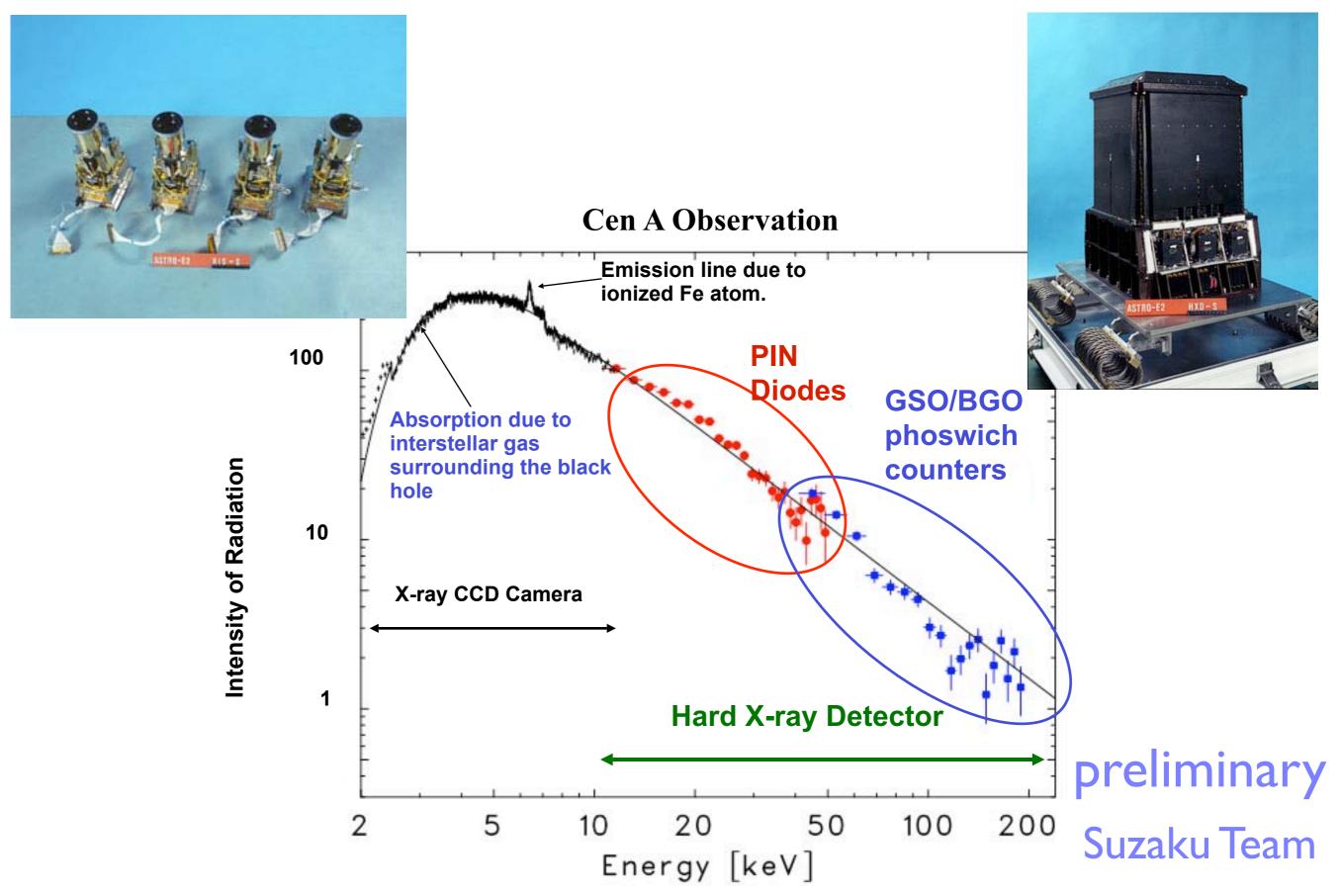
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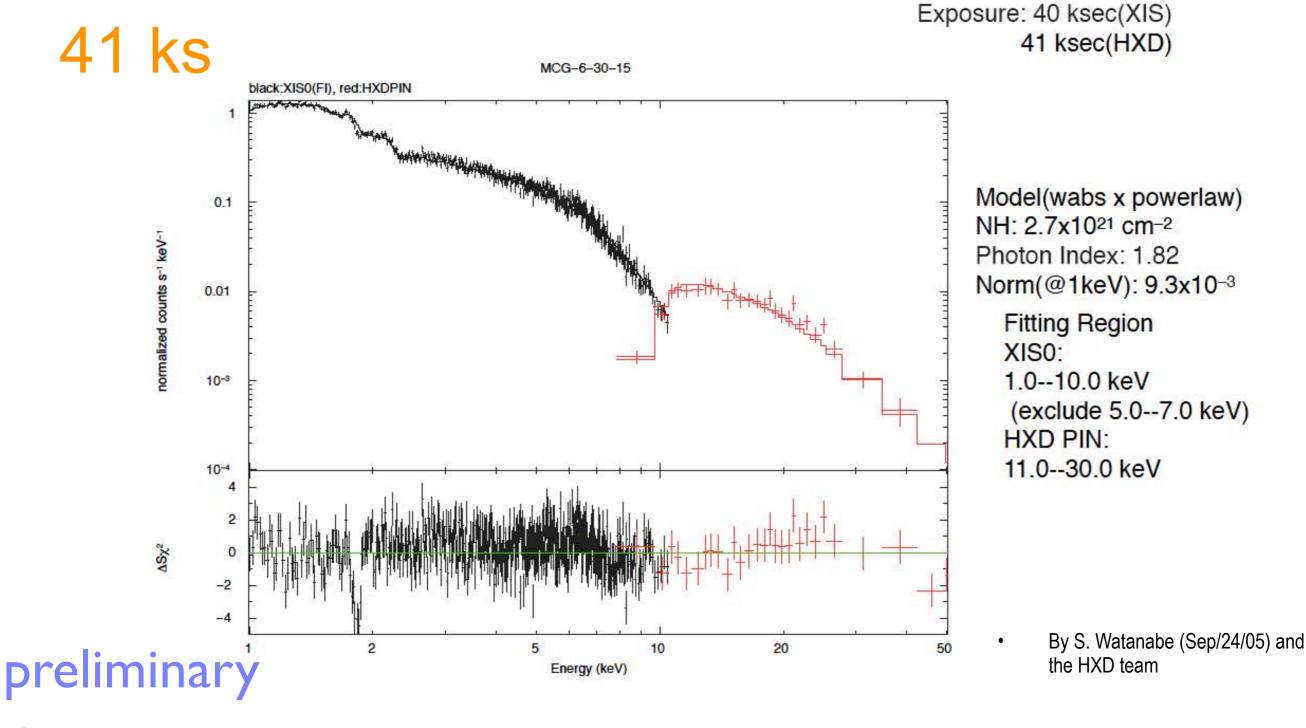


10-100 keV flux of 8.0E-10 ergs/s/cm2 which is equivalent to about 30 mCrab

Power of Suzaku



Preliminary Suzaku Results MCG6-30-15 (XIS+HXD) Team



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Preliminary Suzaku Results

XIS/HXD NGC4945

23 ks Exposure: 23 ksec NGC4945 black:XIS0(FI), red:HXDPIN 0.1 Model(wabs x powerlaw) N_H: 5.9x10²⁴ cm⁻² 0.01 normalized counts s⁻¹ keV⁻¹ Photon Index: 2.07 Norm(@1keV): 0.15 10-3 Fitting Region HXD PIN: 11.0--50.0 keV 10-4 2 0 ASX2 -2 By S. Watanabe (Sep/24/05) and 5 20 10 preliminary the HXD team Energy (keV) Detection upto at least 100 keV with GSO Suzaku Team

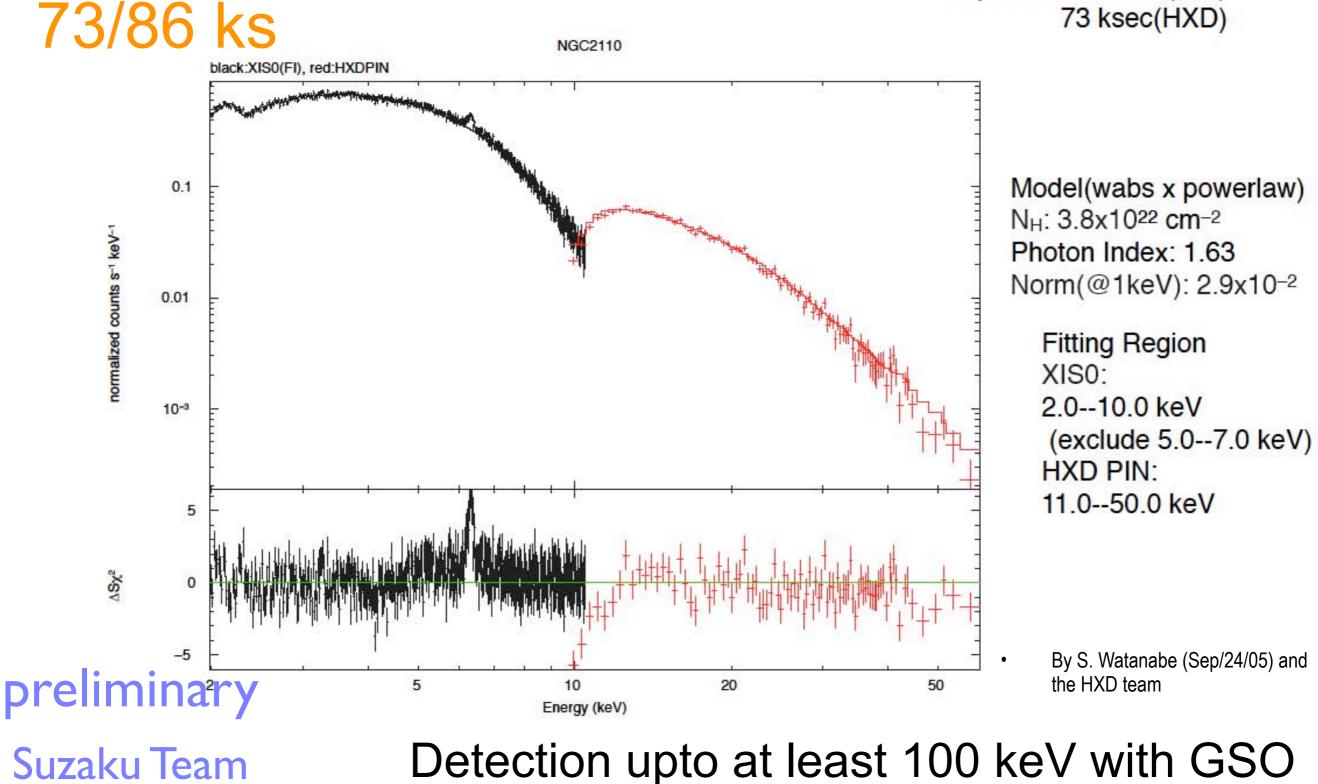
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Preliminary Suzaku Results

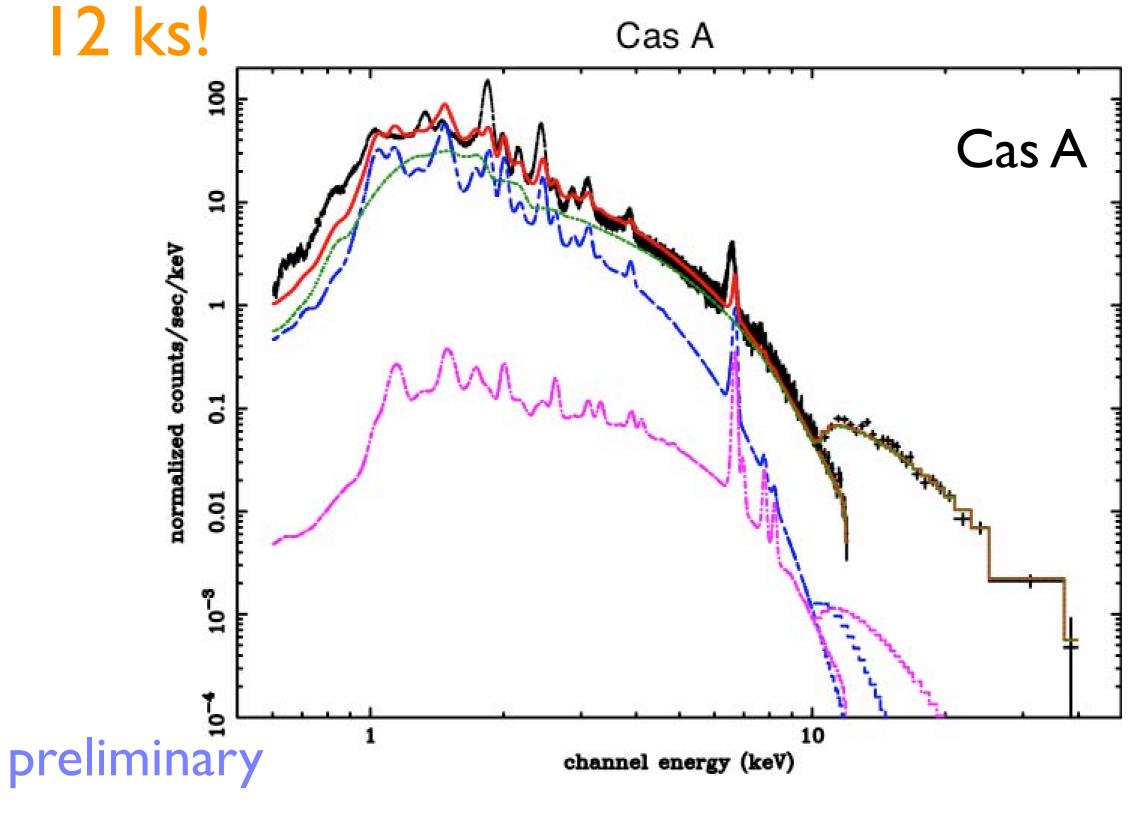
XIS/HXD NGC2110

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Exposure: 86 ksec(XIS) 73 ksec(HXD)

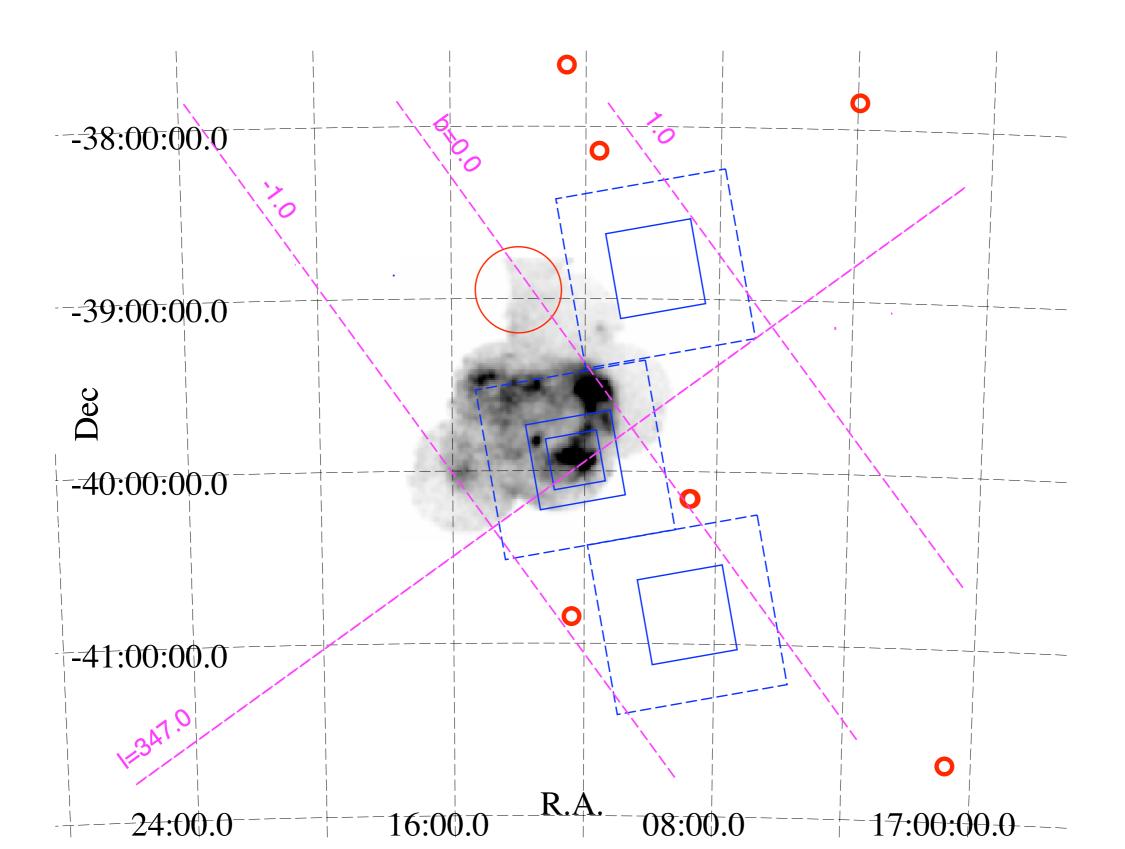


Supernova Remnants



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Narrow FOV of PIN (0.5deg)



Schedule

- Science Working Group (SWG) observations until Mar. 2006
- Guest Observer (GO) observations start from Apr. 1, 2006
 - All previous AO-1 selections are canceled (Sorry for those who are waiting for data.).
 - New AO will be released on October 15
 - Due date January 6, 2006
 - Selection by early March
 - Observation from April I
 - The time sharing of AO-I
 - J(50%), US(37.5%) and J-US(12.5%)
 - J(50%) includes all non-US proposals. In particular, its ~1/6, i.e. 8% of total, will be used for ESA.

Summary

Successful Launch of Suzaku after the failure of the launch of AstroEI.

Loss of the XRS is sad. But we need to know what went wrong so we can do it right the next time. It is important that we DID demonstrate the X-ray calorimeter in space (for 10 days), perfect performance.

I believe a mission with a calorimeter is now regarded as the highest priority in the X-ray community

We have started observations with the XIS and the HXD -- New Power of Suzaku --Low Background /Wide-band coverage New and Exciting data are comming now!

We will do our best to realize the calorimeter in VERY-NEAR FUTURE mission.