

ISGRI Energy Calibration Status

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OSA 10 released in September 2012

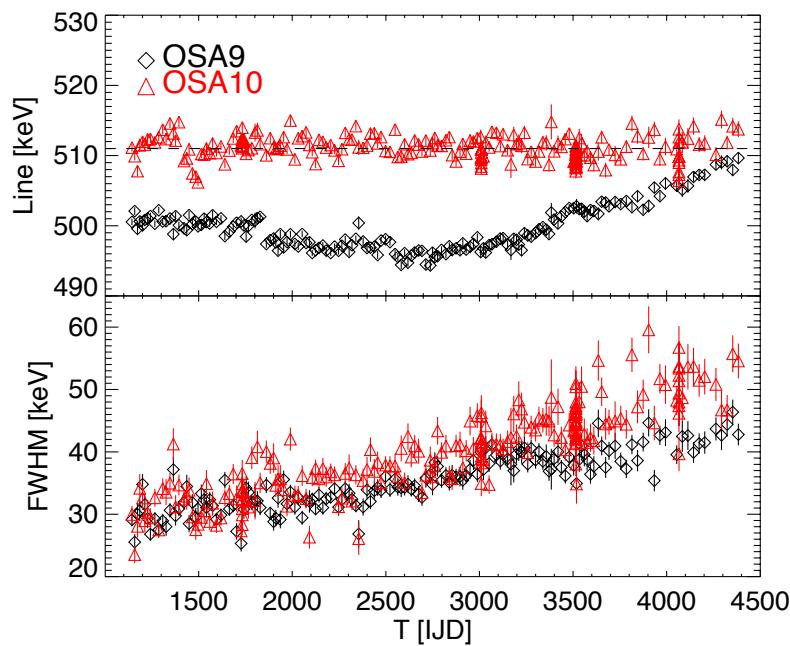
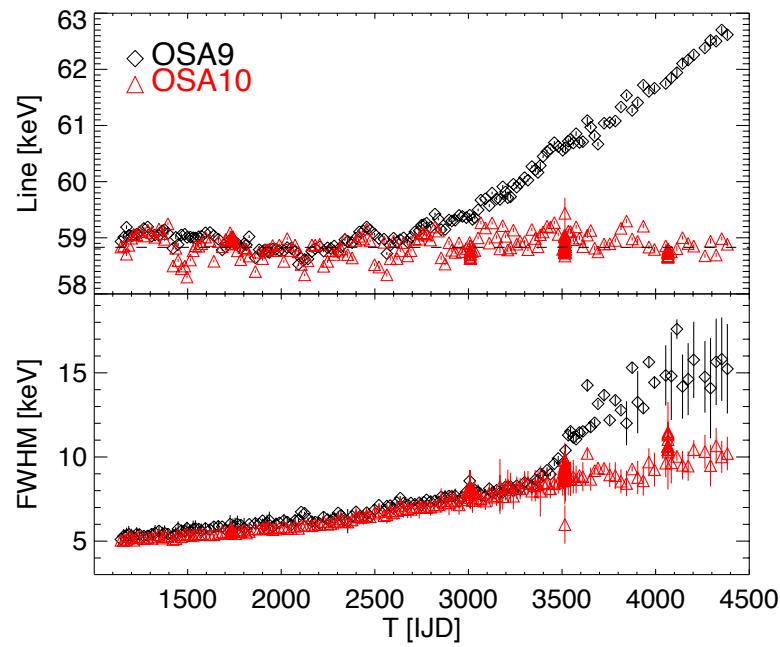
It includes the new ISGRI energy calibration, that contains:

- a new description for the gain depending on the time and the pulse rise time
- an improved temperature correction per module
- a varying shape of the low threshold, corrected for the change in energy resolution

Details of the new energy calibration have been presented at the INTEGRAL conference in Paris and submitted to PoS (Caballero et al.). Document available for the users at

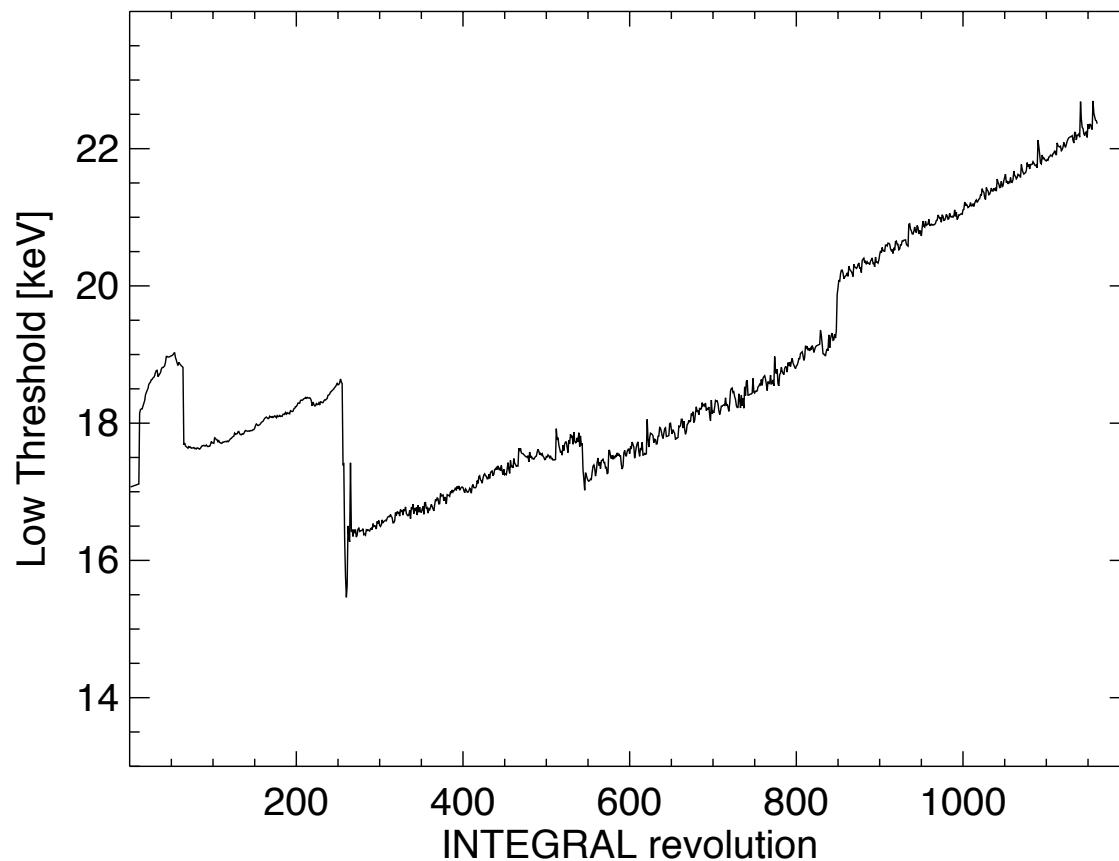
http://www.isdc.unige.ch/integral/download/osa/doc/10.0/isgri_energy_calib.pdf

Tungsten and ^{22}Na background lines stability in OSA 9 and OSA 10



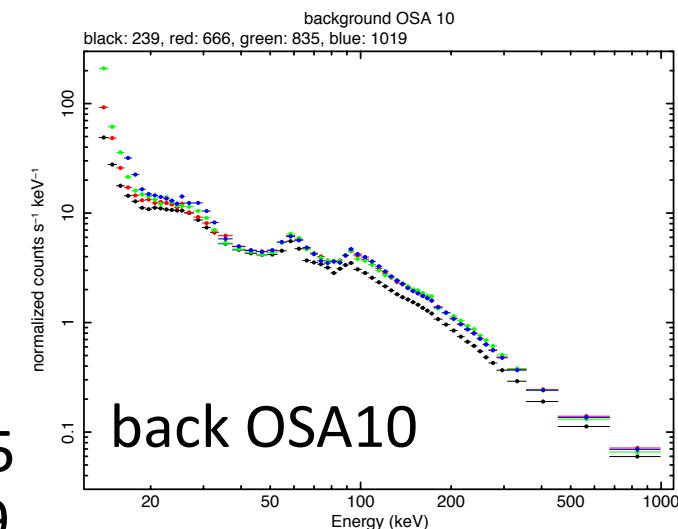
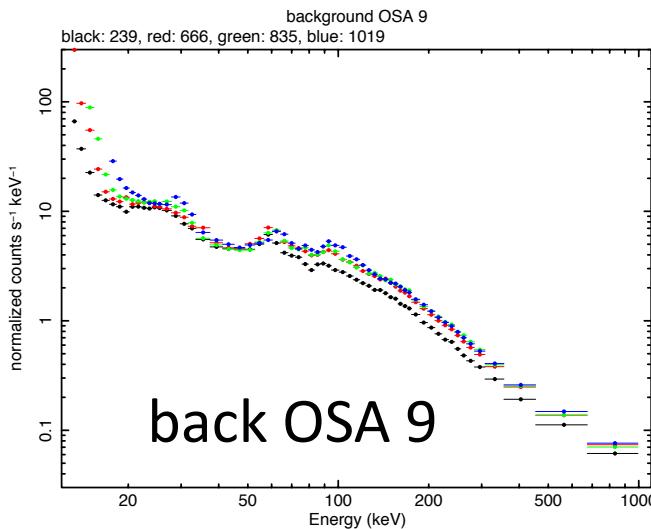
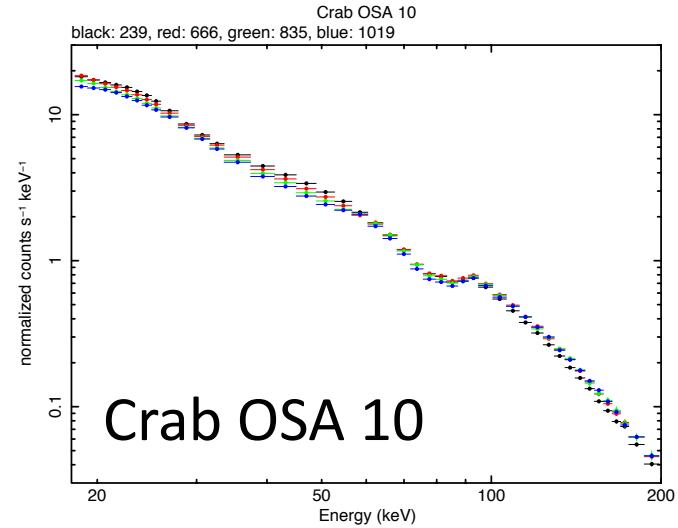
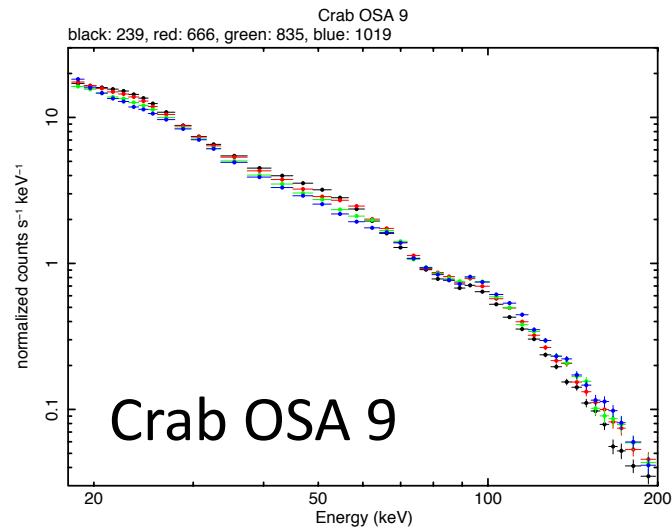
Evolution of low threshold – OSA 10

The low threshold position is corrected with the new energy calibration, and its shape now follows the spectral resolution evolution, instead of being fixed at the W line resolution at the beginning of the mission



Crab and background spectra: OSA 9 vs OSA 10

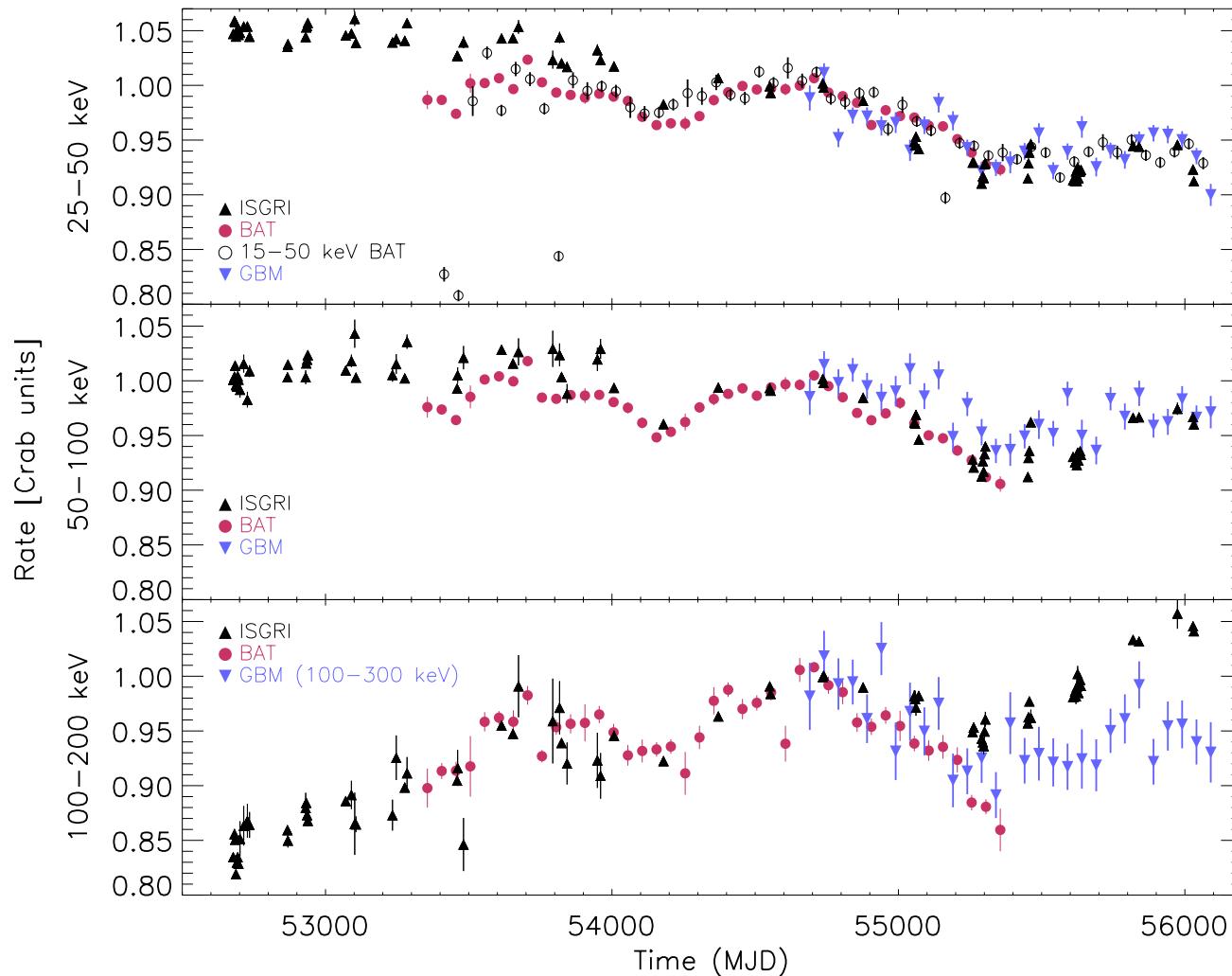
OSA 10 correction results in less variations of the count rate in the spectra along the mission compared to OSA 9



Black: rev. 239
Red: rev. 666
Green: rev. 835
Blue: rev. 1019

Inter-calibration

Crab light curves from ISGRI, Swift/BAT, Fermi/GBM:
good agreement between the different instruments.



Current work

- Current energy calibration requires the ARFs to be regularly updated.
- In collaboration with Lorenzo Natalucci (Rome), a new ARF using the Crab observations from revolution 1221 is being produced and will soon be delivered in the IC tree
- Long term project: new energy correction, LUT 2 3D...