
A Cluster Energy Study

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Analyzing the energy in each cluster of ^{55}Fe

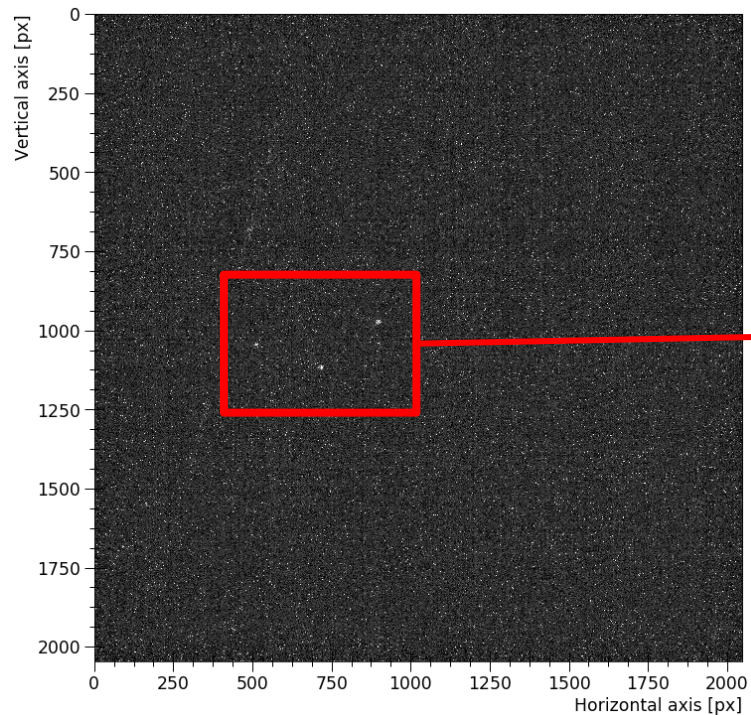
Default configuration:

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Camera = Flash
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BY THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

- Look at three ^{55}Fe spots in the same image.
- Applying pedestal subtraction and zero suppressing
- Scan the energy in the cluster as a function of the radius

Image 31



Zoom in the three ^{55}Fe spots

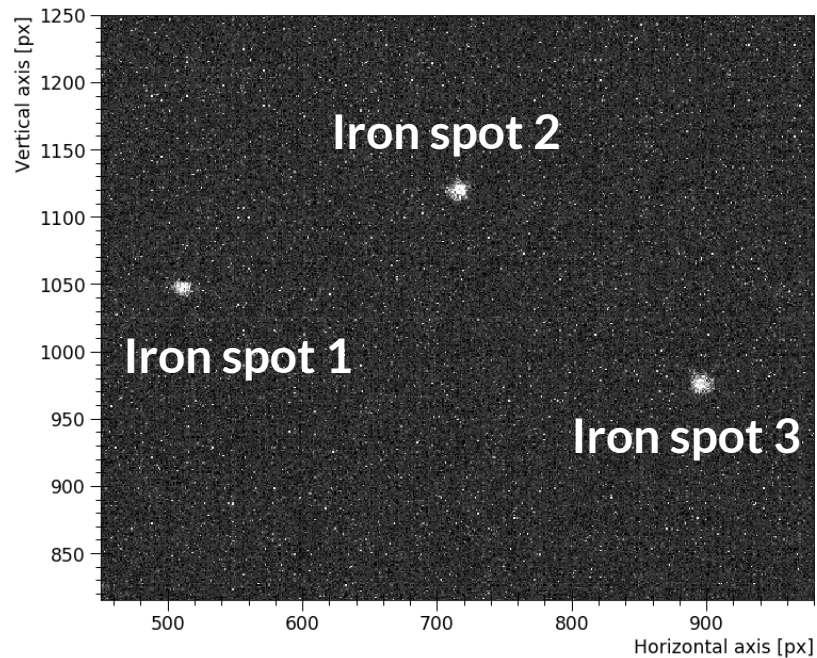


Image 31 - Cluster radius analysis

- In order to calculate how big a cluster need to be to get all the energy we created a circle around ^{55}Fe clusters and scanned over its radius, starting at the center of each spot.
- Below you can see an example of clusters with radius equal to **10**, **50** and **100** (from the left to the right).

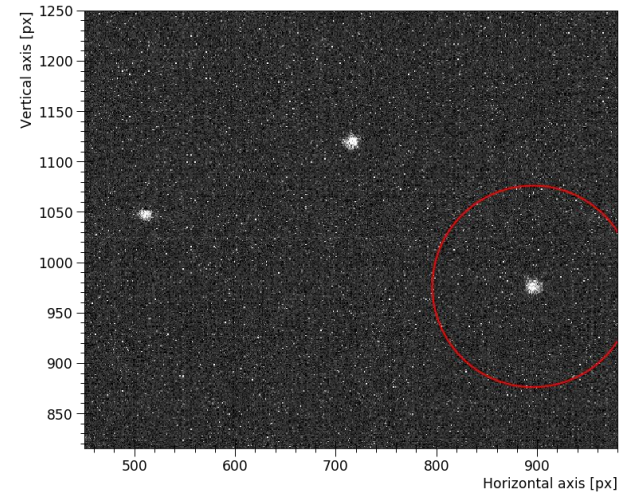
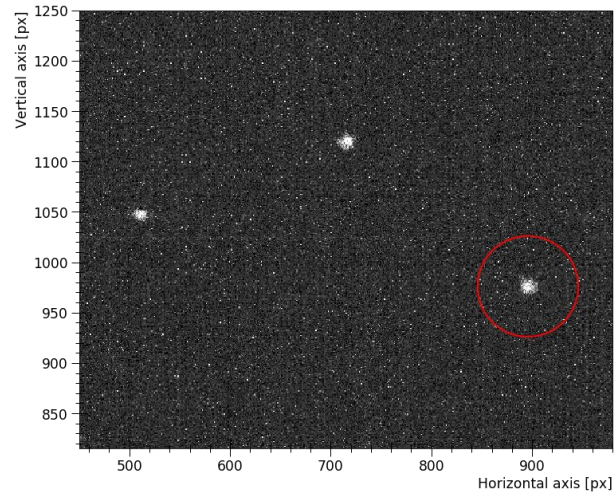
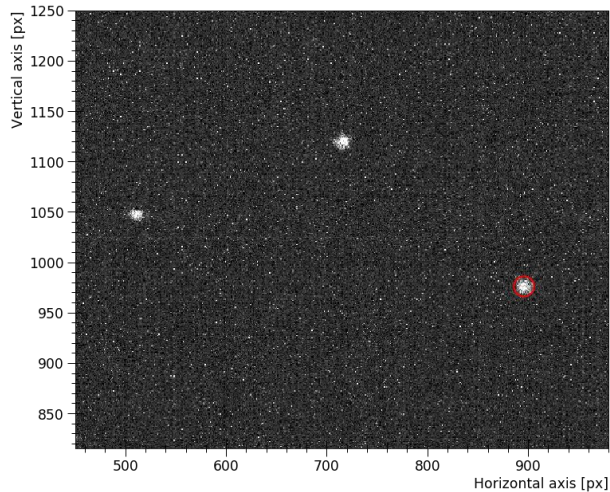


Image 31 - Cluster radius analysis

- Example of 10 and 100 radius in a full image

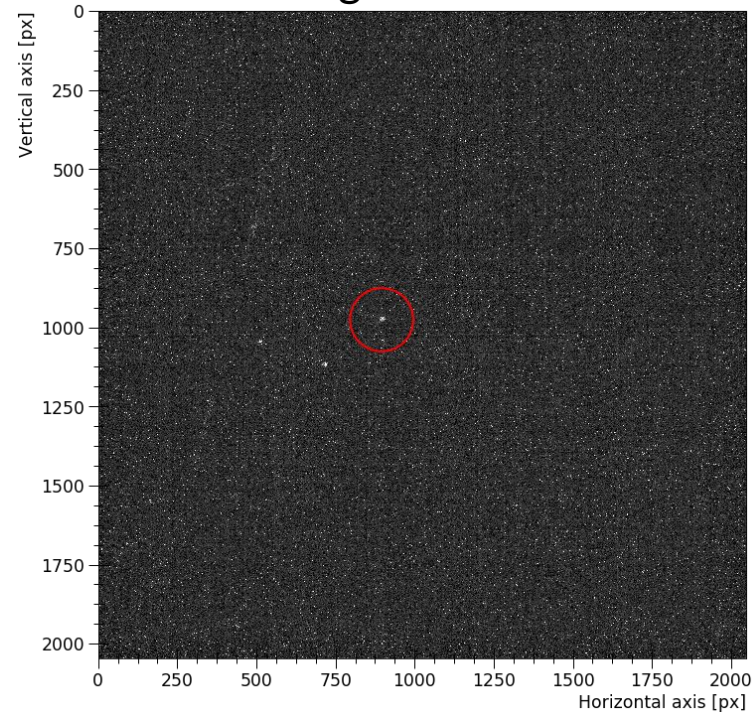
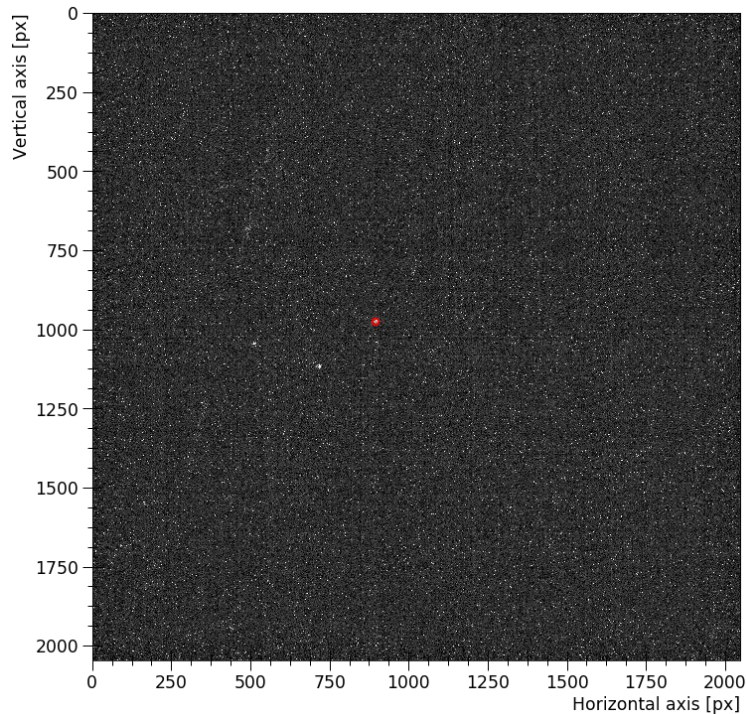


Image 31 - Cluster radius analysis

- Example of 30 radius in a full image and the iDBSCAN

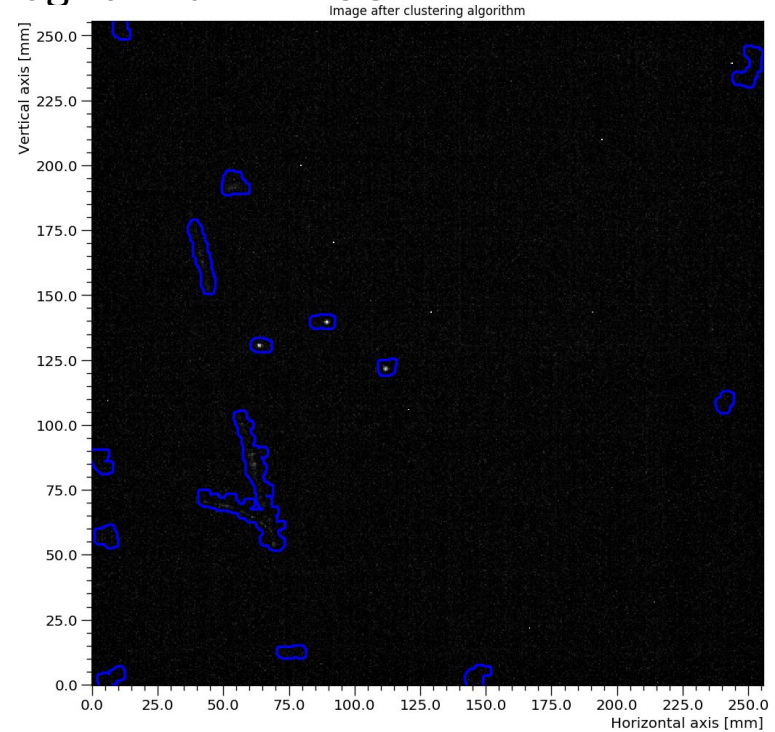
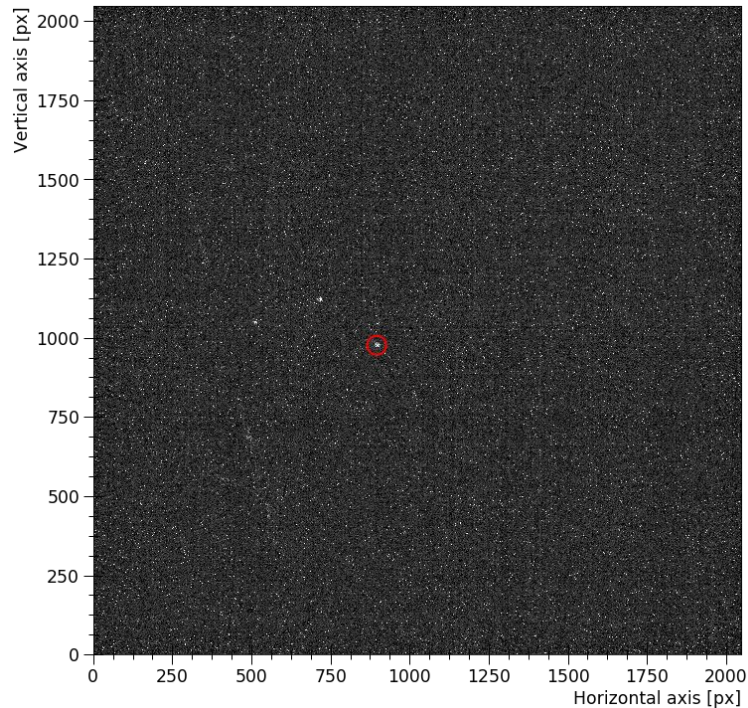


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Taking into account that we are not using a clustering algorithm the only preprocessing applied to the image was **steps 1 and 2**.

And the next results were made using **only step 1** and **steps 1 and 2**, in order to see the difference between them.

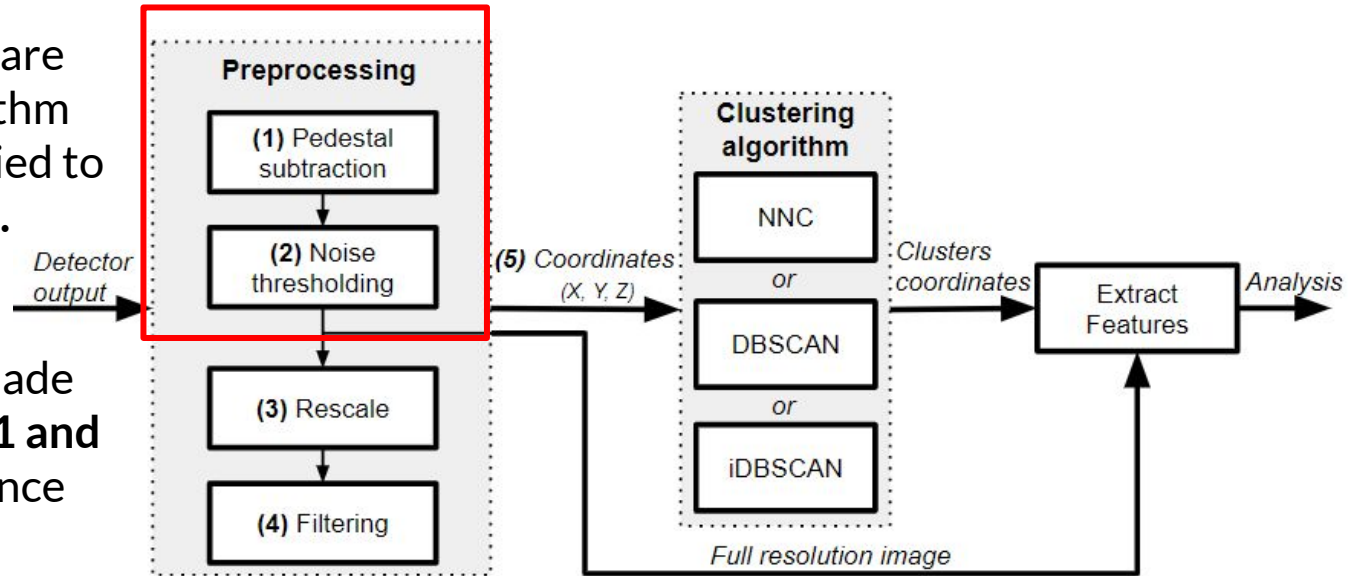
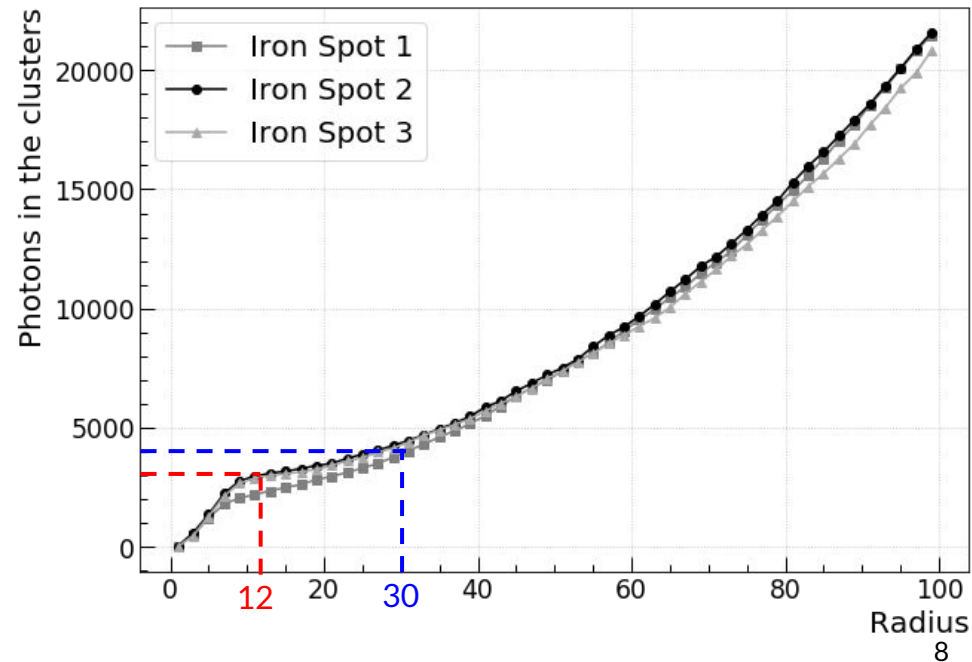
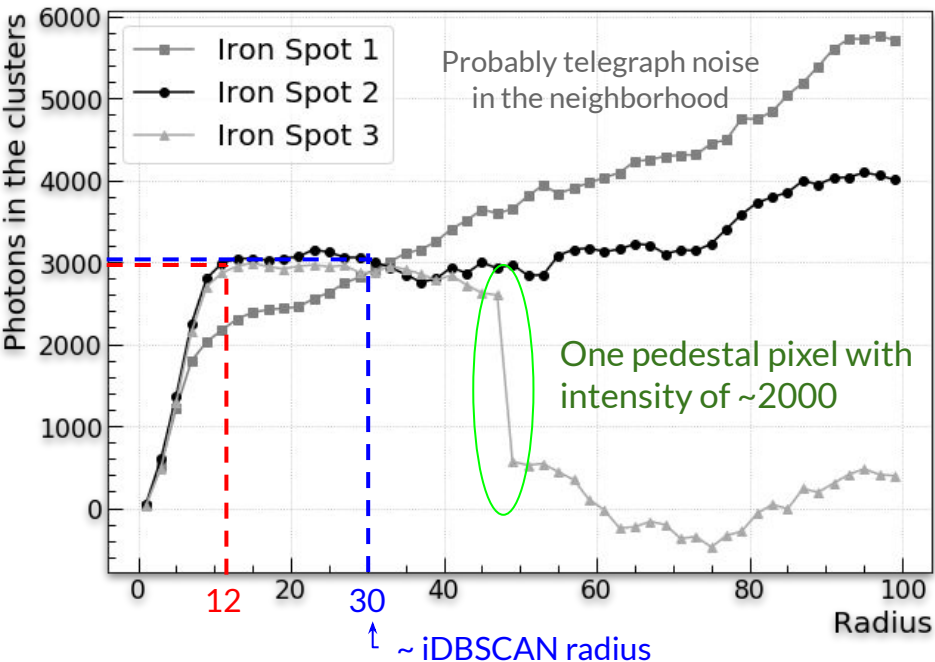


Image 31 - Cluster radius analysis

- Accordingly to these plots we can get the full energy when the radius is around 12.
- The energy keep increasing when increasing the radius, even in the left plot, which can indicate that the noise fluctuation is not gaussian.



Analyzing the energy in the background

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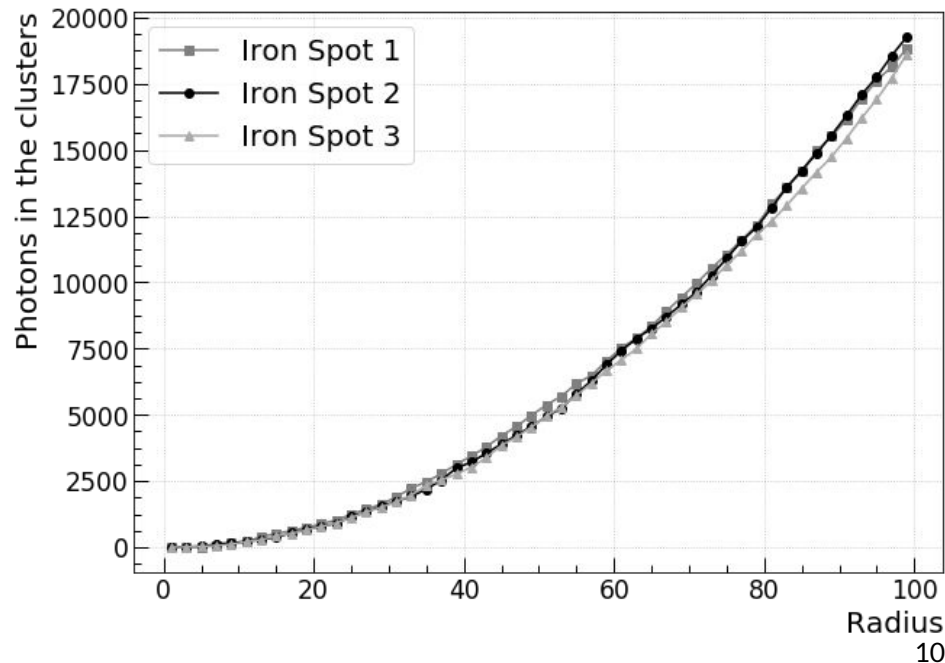
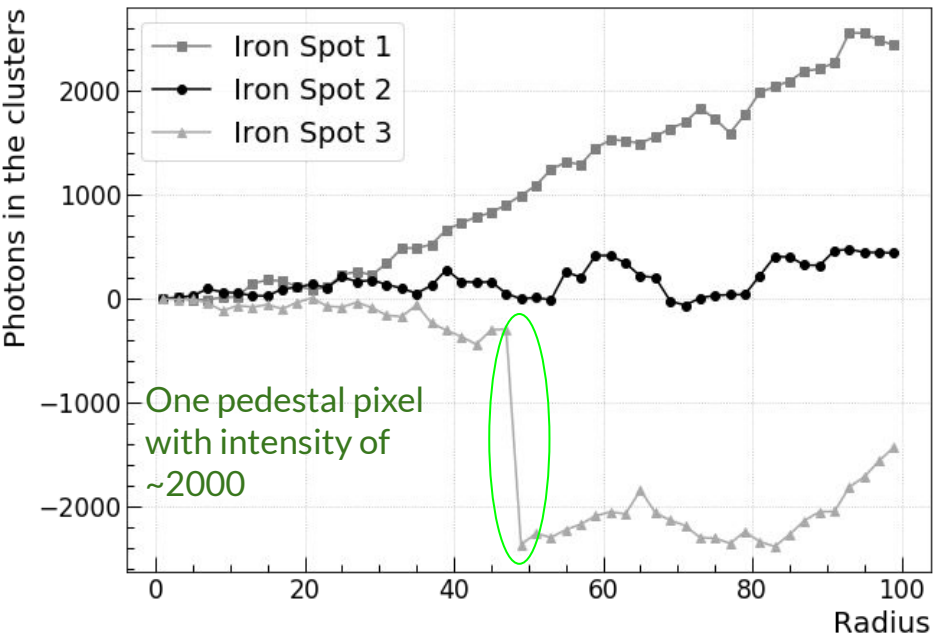
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Camera = Flash
Run = 02155
Vgem = 260V
Drift Field = -----
Transfer Field = 2.5 kV/cm

BY THE FOLLOWING STEPS:

- Look over a pedestal image
- Applying pedestal subtraction and zero suppressing
- Scan the energy in randomly circle cluster with radius equal to 10, 15 and 20.

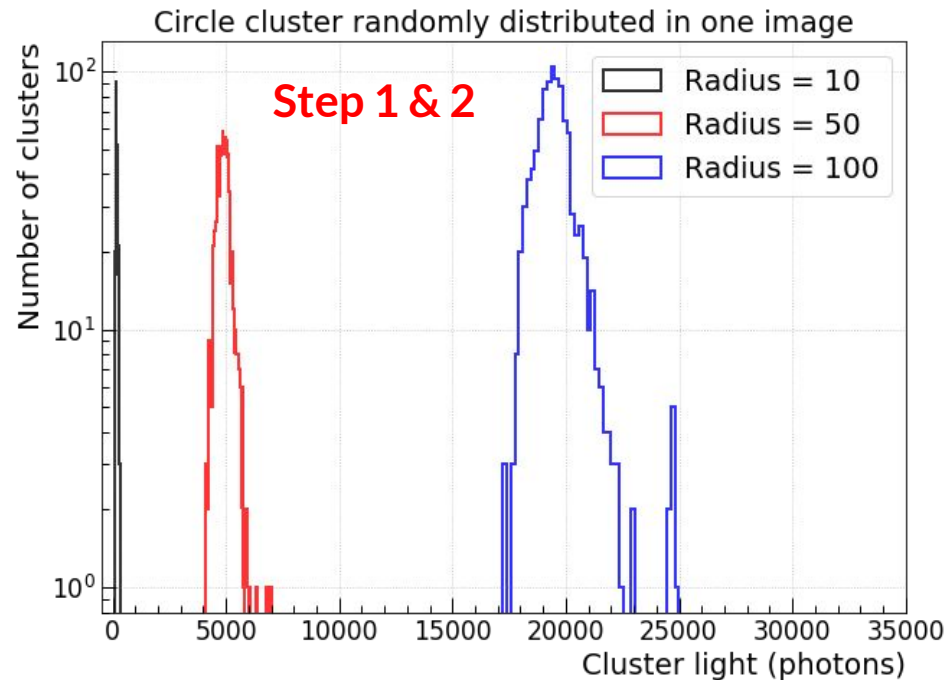
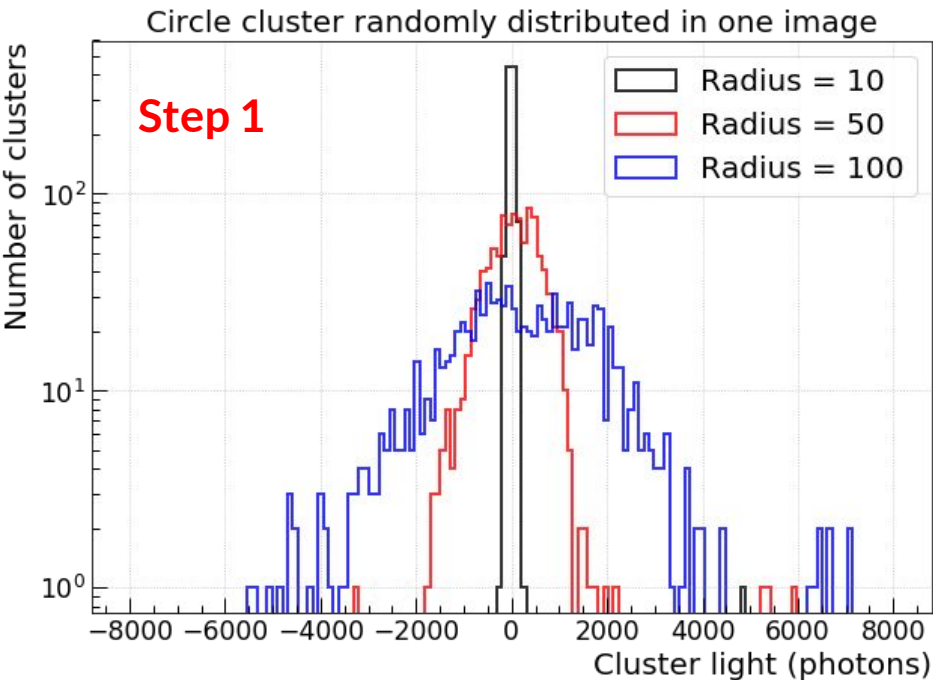
Pedestal image 31

- Starting a new radius scan in the same position of the three iron spots shown before **BUT in a noise-only image.**



Randomly distributed circle clusters

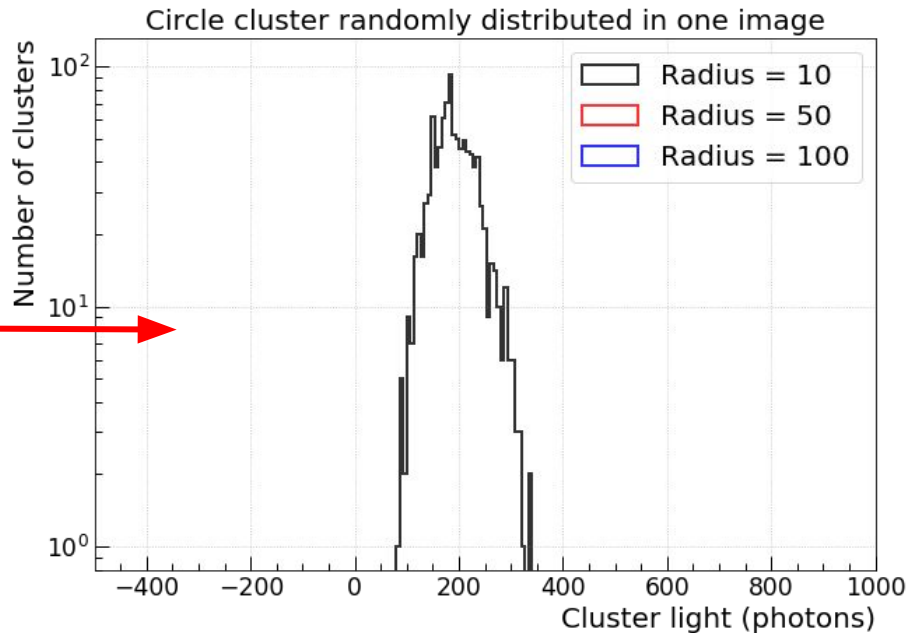
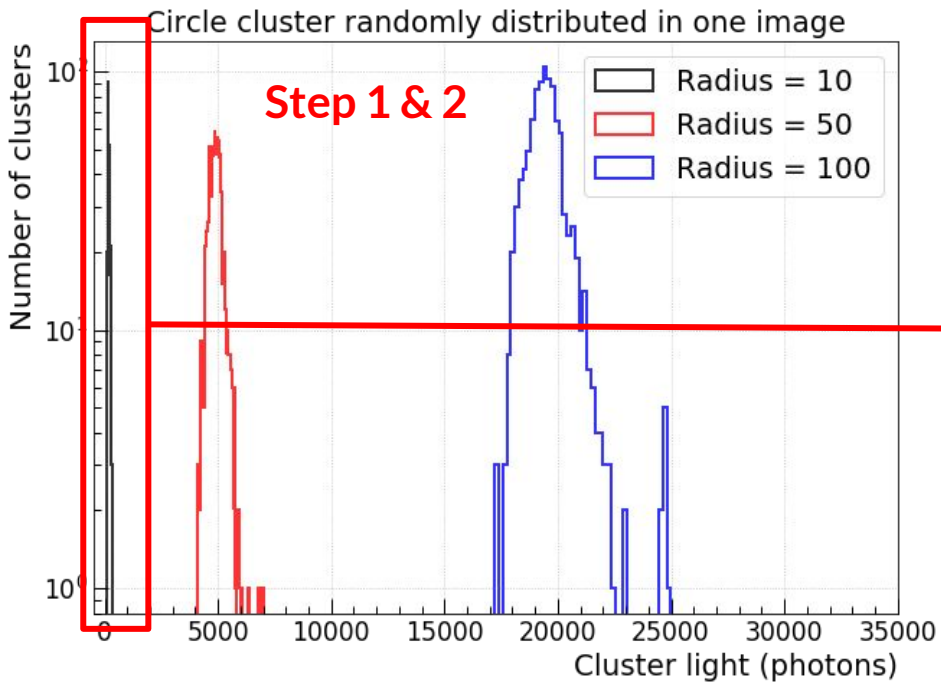
(n=1000)



A good background rejection of the clustering algorithm might be important to avoid high energy meas. error

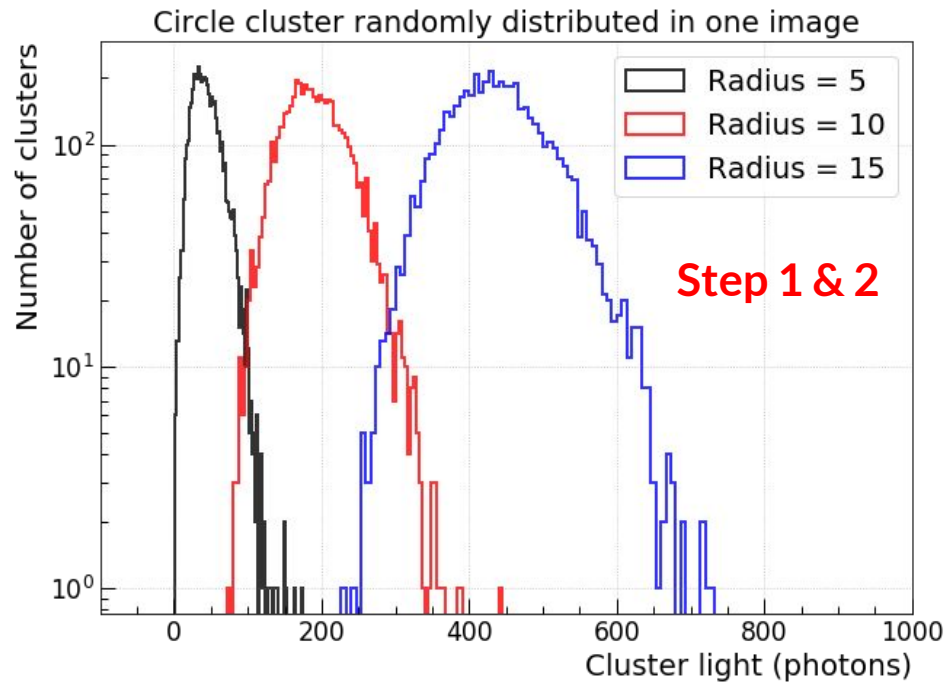
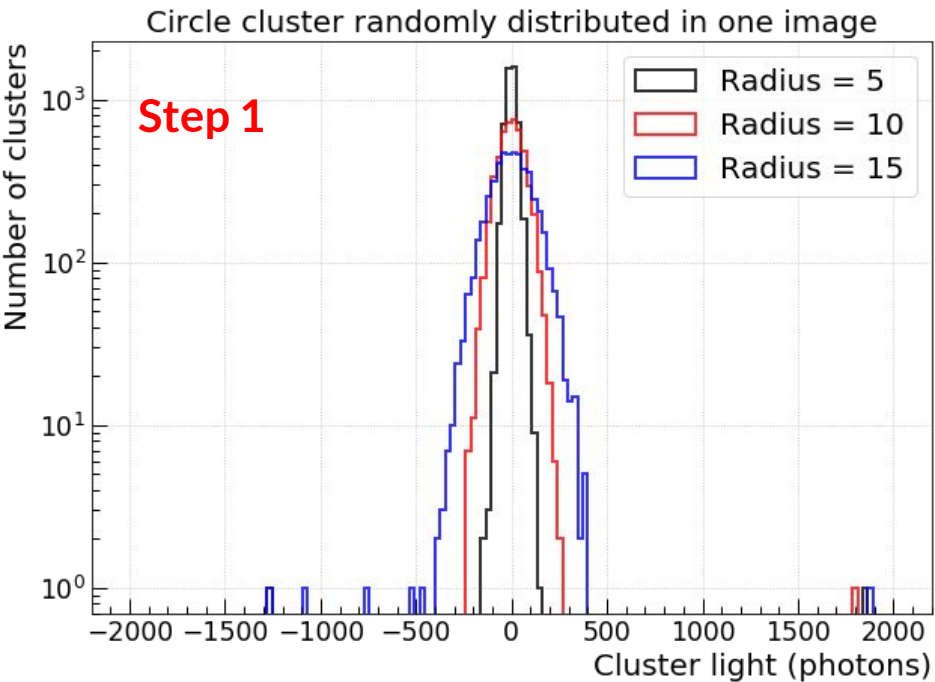
Randomly distributed circle clusters

(n=1000)



Randomly distributed circle clusters

($n=5000$ and Radius 5, 10 and 15)



Conclusions

- ❑ Noise is not Gaussian and tends to have more positive spikes than negative ones;
- ❑ Computation of energy without threshold has low bias in energy estimation, however if background rejection is low, its error might be high;
- ❑ Computation of energy after threshold might add an elevated bias to energy estimation if background rejections is low;
- ❑ For the ^{55}Fe spots the iDBSCAN seems to be working well.