

# Background Subtraction Algorithms

## Radial background

- per-event evaluates 2-d polar histogram of intensities and subtract it from imaging n-d array. Polarization correction and bin interpolation for imaging n-d array are also included.
- Refs: [Radial Background Subtraction Algorithm](#), [self-doc](#), method [polarization\\_factor](#), [example of analysis](#), code examples [test01-03](#)

## Median filter

- input imaging n-d array is treated per event as a set of 2-d frames for two lowest indexes. For each pixel of the 2-d frame median intensity is evaluated using a group of nearest pixels located in the circular region defined by the radial parameter rank (`rrank`). If input array has a number of dimensions exceeding 2 the `numpy.shape` of output array is reduced to 3-d.
- Refs: [self-doc](#), method [median\\_filter\\_ndarr](#), code examples [example01-03](#)

## Normalized fixed-shape background

- averaged background array (evaluated in advance and retrieved once from file or from `.../calib/pixel_bkgd/` by `det.bkgd(run)`) is subtracted from imaging array. Normalization factor is evaluated using pixel intensity in windows (parameter `winds`). It is assumed that windows specifies regions with dominating background and small amount of signal.
- Refs: [self-doc](#), method [subtract\\_bkgd](#), [example of analysis](#), code example [test\\_01](#)

## References

- Radial background: [Radial Background Subtraction Algorithm](#), [self-doc](#), method [polarization\\_factor](#), [example](#), code examples [test01-03](#)
- Median filter: [self-doc](#), method [median\\_filter\\_ndarr](#), code examples [example01-03](#)
- Fixed-shape background: [self-doc](#), method [subtract\\_bkgd](#), [example of analysis](#), code example [test\\_01](#)