4th Code Camp
May 2, 2017

THIS TALK

- Introduction
  - Novelties
- Status of silx
- Goals of the code camp
  - For users
  - For core developers
- Hands on!

Plot: OpenGL Rendering

Add an OpenGL rendering backend to silx.gui.plot widgets:

- Dependencies:
  - PyQt.QtOpenGL
  - PyOpenGL 3.x
  - OpenGL 2.1 subset

- Usage: Set argument backend='gl‘ in widget constructor for:
  PlotWidget, PlotWindow, Plot1D, Plot2D, StackView, ImageView

- Example:

```
from silx import sx
plot = sx.Plot2D(backend='gl')
plot.show()
```

Plot: OpenGL Rendering

Pending improvements:

- Visual improvements:
  - Proper curve dash rendering
  - Text display on High DPI screen with PyQt5
  - Scatter plot points size in device independent units.
- Add support for Qt >=5.4 OpenGL widget API
- Optimizations
- Refactoring: Share more code with silx.gui.plot3d
- More (automated) testing and Continuous Integration

Plot: Object API

When getting a curve or an image from a Plot widget in silx, it used to return a list describing this item.

- In v0.5.0 it will return an object:
  - Add support for updating items in the Plot:
    curve, image, markers...
  - Mostly backward-compatible with previous API

- Documentation:

http://www.silx.org/doc/silx/dev/modules/gui/plot/items.html

Plot: Object API

- Example: Getting image information:

```
from silx import sx
w = sx.imshow(img)
```

- Object API:

```
image = w.getActiveImage()
data = image.getData(copy=True)
scale = image.getScale()
```

- Legacy API:

```
image = w.getActiveImage()
data = image[0]
scale = image[4]['scale']
```

Plot: Object API

Example: Updating an image:

```
from silx import sx
w = sx.imshow(img)
```

- Object API:

```
image = w.getActiveImage()
image.setScale(2., 2.)
```

- Legacy API:

```
data, legend, info, pixmap, params = w.getActiveImage()
w.addImage(data,
           legend=legend,
           info=info,
           pixmap=pixmap,
           scale=(2., 2.))
```

Plot: Object API

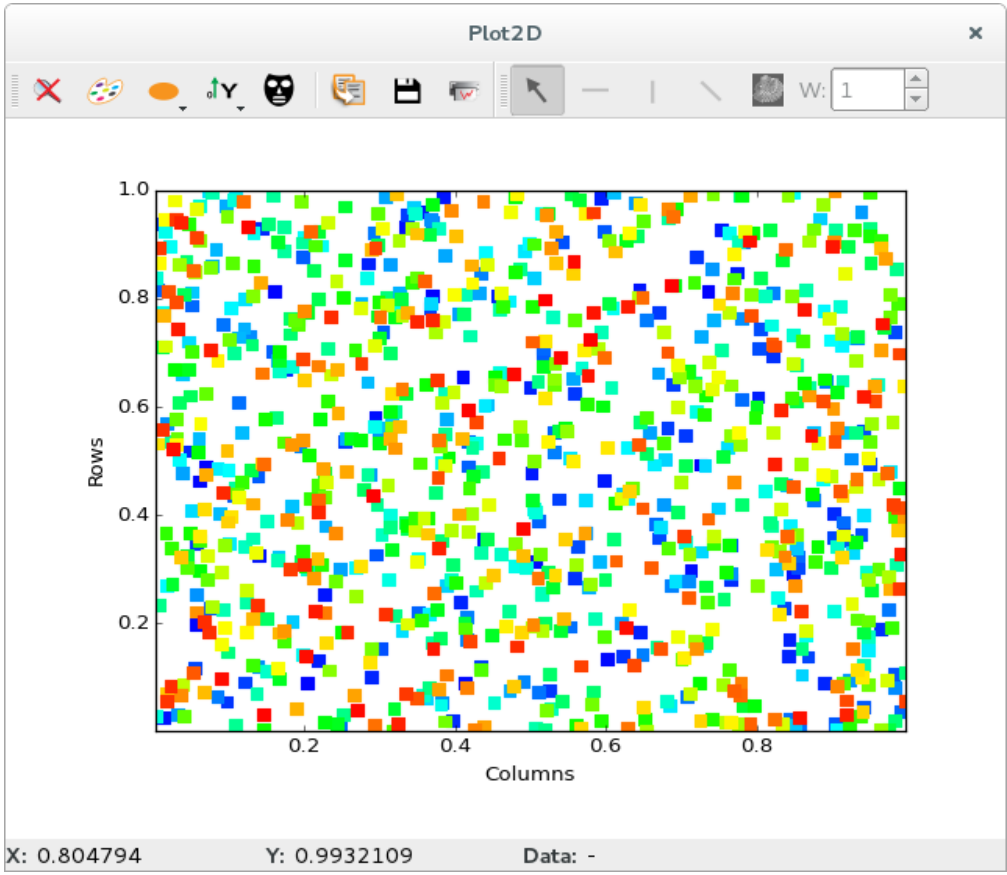
Pending improvements:

- Convert *dict* provided by Plot events to objects.
- Convert *dict* describing Plot colormap to objects.
- Add signals to Plot items objects.

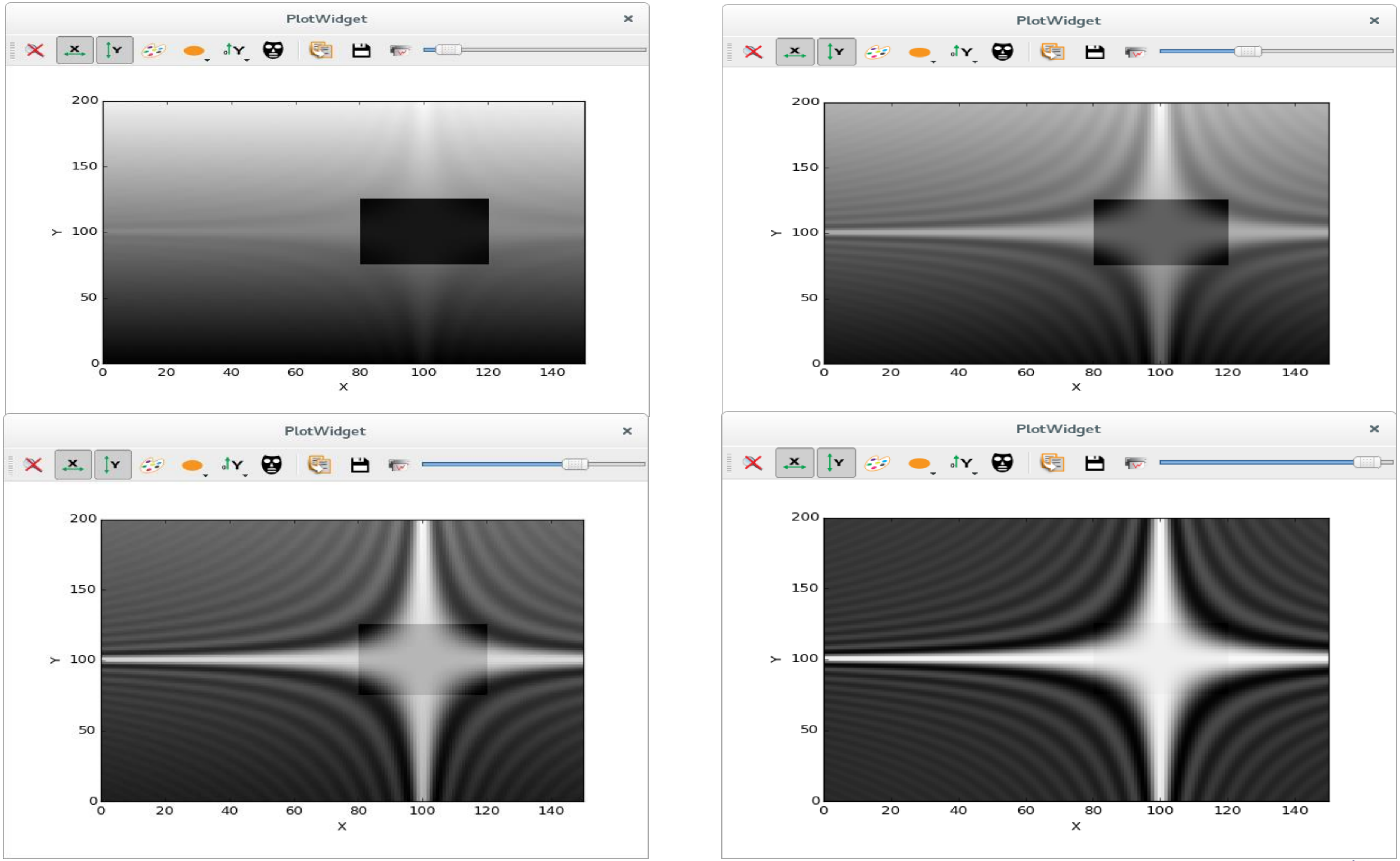
Feedback on API welcome!

Scatter Objects

```
import numpy
import sys
from silx.gui import qt
from silx.gui.plot import Plot2D

app = qt.QApplication([])
win = Plot2D()

win.addScatter(x=numpy.random.random(1000),
               y=numpy.random.random(1000),
               value=numpy.arange(1000),
               legend="my scatter")

sc = win.getScatter("my scatter")
sc.setSymbol("s")                          # square
sc.setSymbolSize(50)
sc.setColormap({'name': 'temperature',
                'normalization': 'linear',
                'autoscale': True,
                'vmin': 0.0, 'vmax': 1,})
win.resetZoom()
win.show()
sys.exit(app.exec_())
```



Image/Scatter Transparency Slider



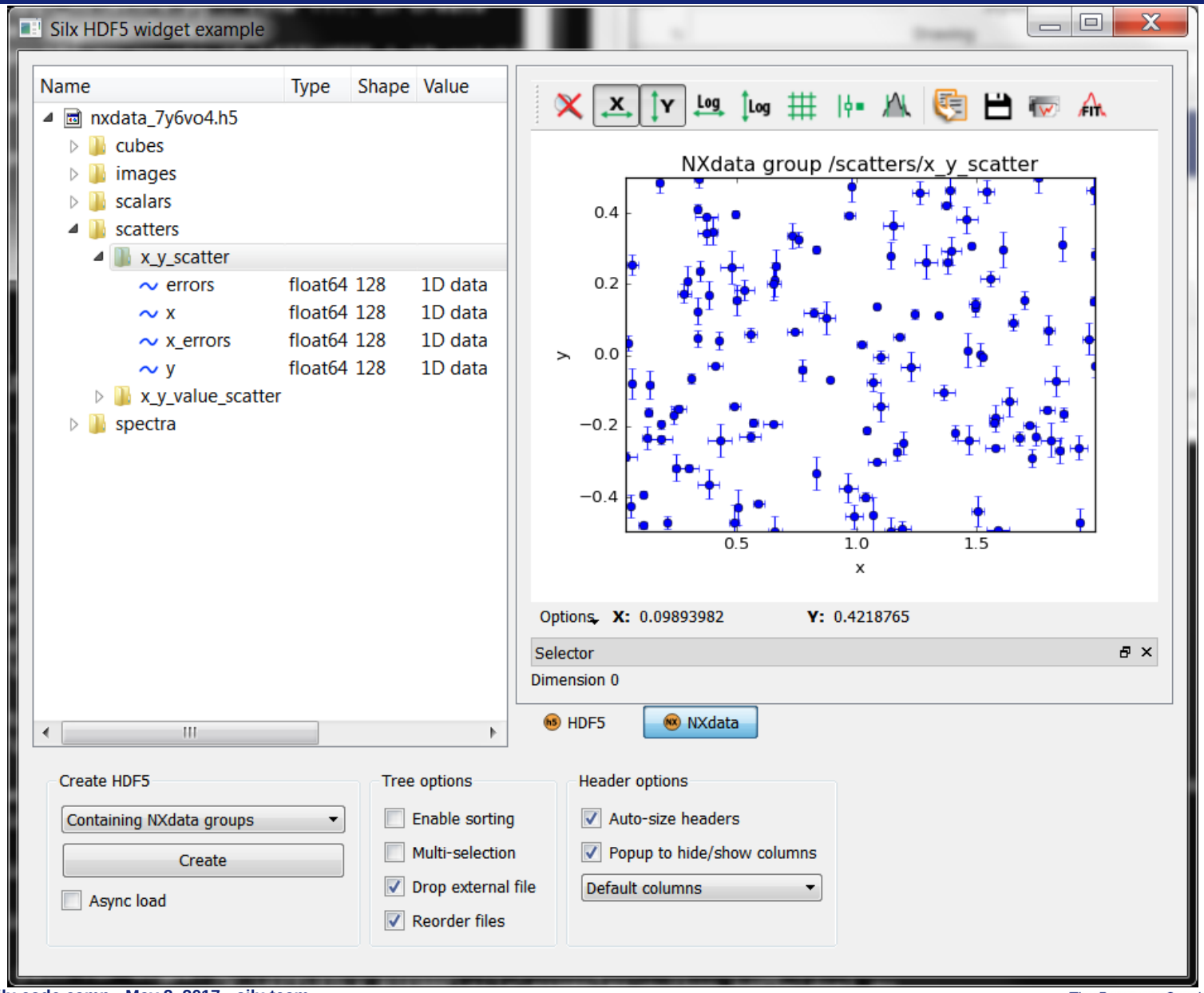
NXdataViewer

- Data viewer for viewing data in a Nexus NXdata group

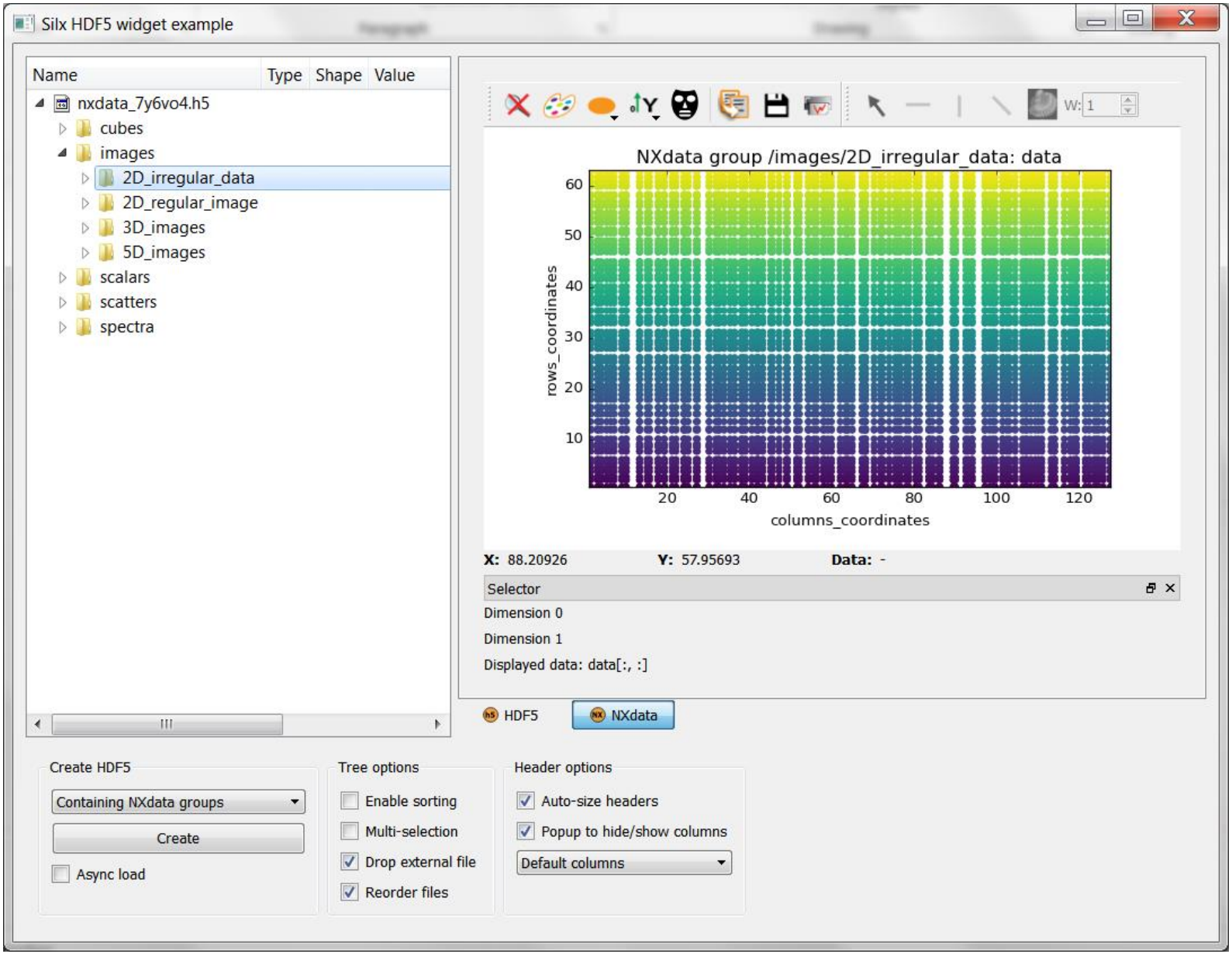
- Supports:
  - Scalars, curves, images, scatters, image stack for 3D data
  - Uncertainties, displayed as error bars for 1D data
  - Axes scaling (via @axes)
  - Axes labels (via @long_name)
  - Forcing of predefined views for high dimensionality data (via @interpretation=scalar/spectrum/image)

- See examples/hdf5widget.py for a demo
  (Create HDF5 > Containing NXdata groups)

NXdataViewer



NXdataViewer



Packaging

- Introduce a generic launcher
  - Linux / Mac / Windows
  - Can be run as silx (silx.exe) command line
  - Or as a python package (python -m silx)

- A single package for Debian 7
  - Containing Python 2 library and launcher

- A new package for Debian 8
  - silx package containing the launcher (Python 3)

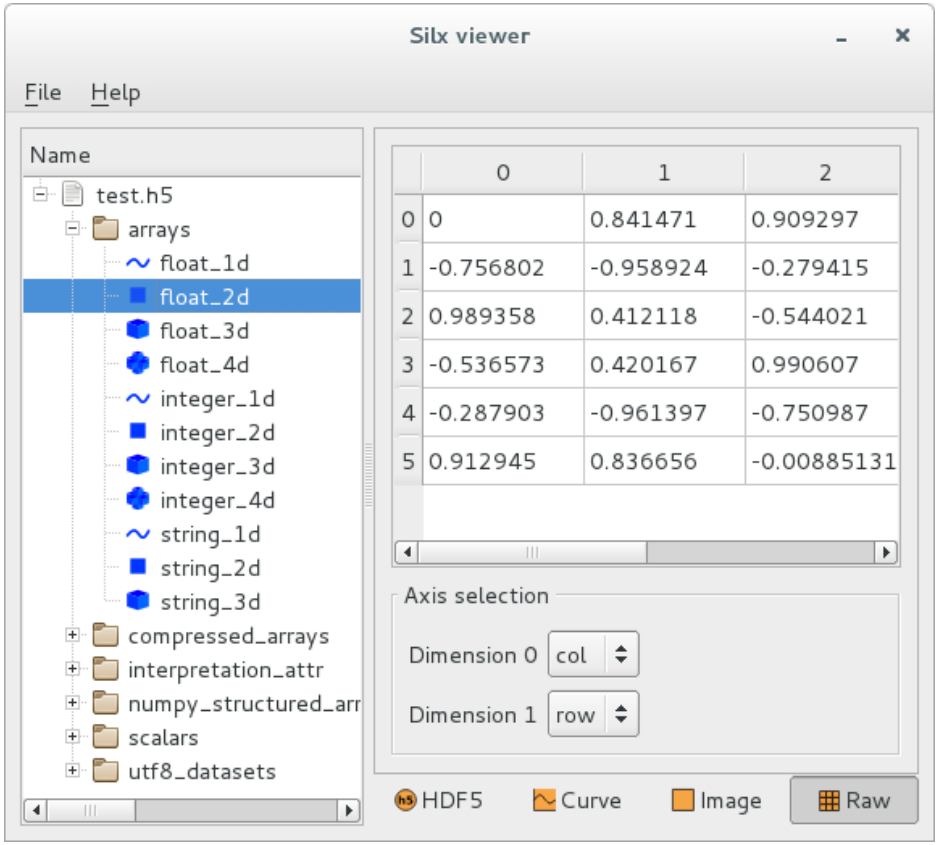
- Packaging for Debian 9
  - silx, python-silx, python3-silx...

Viewer Application

- Browse and display HDF5 files
  (plus any supported file as HDF5)

- File from:
  - *command line / open dialog / drag and drop*

- Commands
  - *silx view <filename>*
  - *python -m silx view*
  - *python3 -m silx view*
  - *./bootstrap.py silx view*

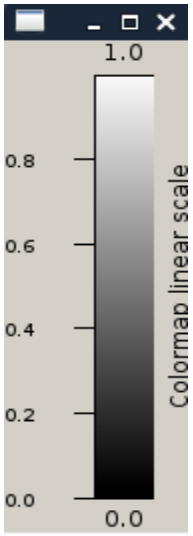


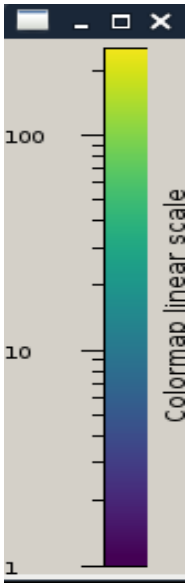
Color Bar

silx.gui.plot.ColorBar

Show colormap information (log scale, min, max …)
On mouse move display values associated to the color

```
import numpy
import sys
from silx.gui import qt
from silx.gui.plot.PlotWindow import Plot2D
from silx.gui.plot.ColorBar import ColorBarWidget

image = numpy.arange(100).reshape(10, 10)/99
app = qt.QApplication([])
plot = Plot2D()

plot.addImage(image)
colorbar = ColorBarWidget(parent=None, plot=plot)
colorbar.setLegend('Colormap linear scale')
colorbar.show()


image = numpy.arange(200).reshape(10, 20)
colorbar.getColorScaleBar().setMinMaxVisible(False)
clm = plot.getDefaultColormap()
clm['normalization'] = 'log'
clm['name'] = 'viridis'
plot.addImage(data=image, colormap=clm, legend='toto')
plot.setActiveImage('toto')

sys.exit(app.exec_())
```





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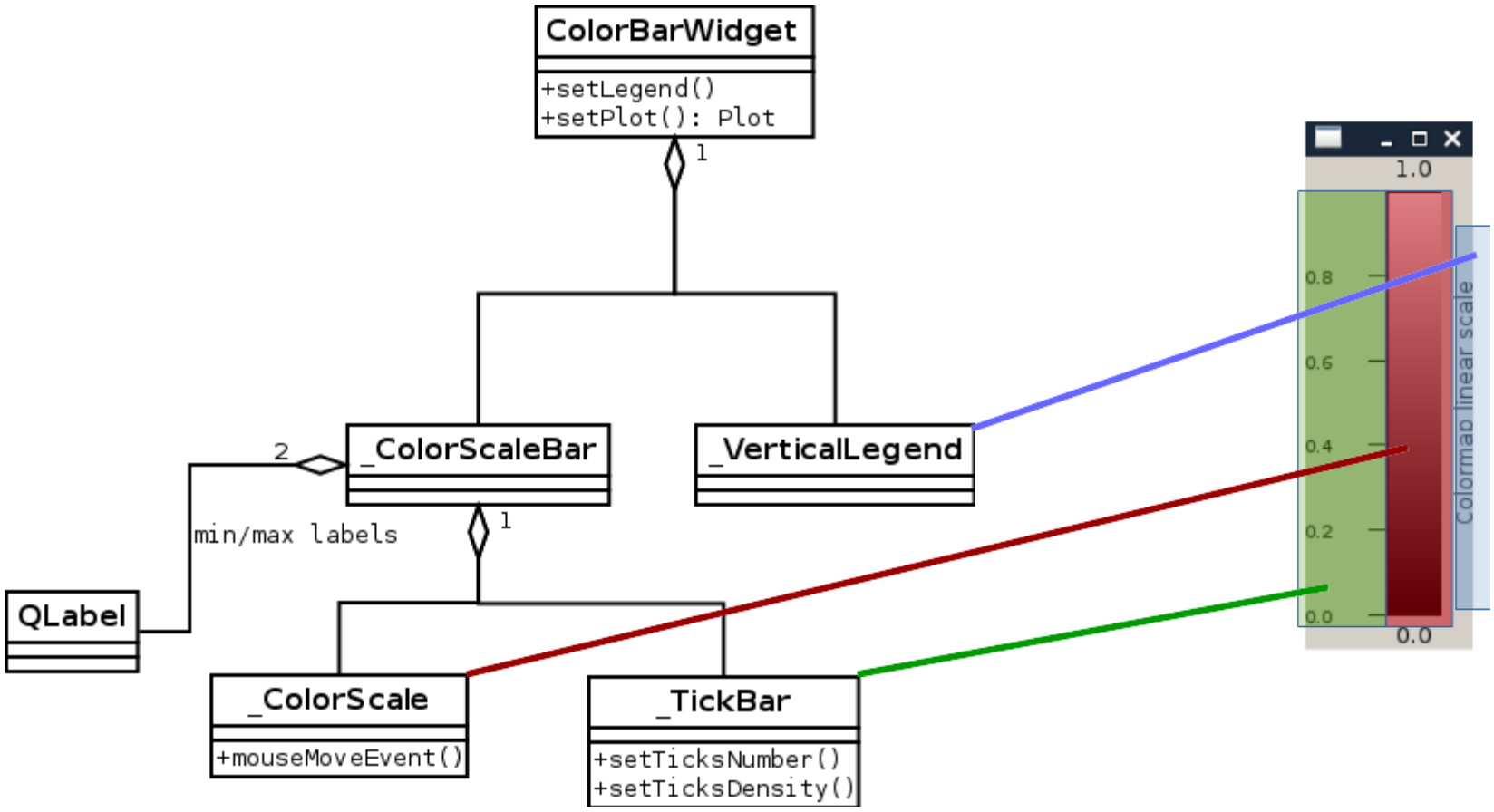


Median Filter (C++)

silx.math.medianfilter

medfilt(data, kernel_size=3, bool conditional=False)

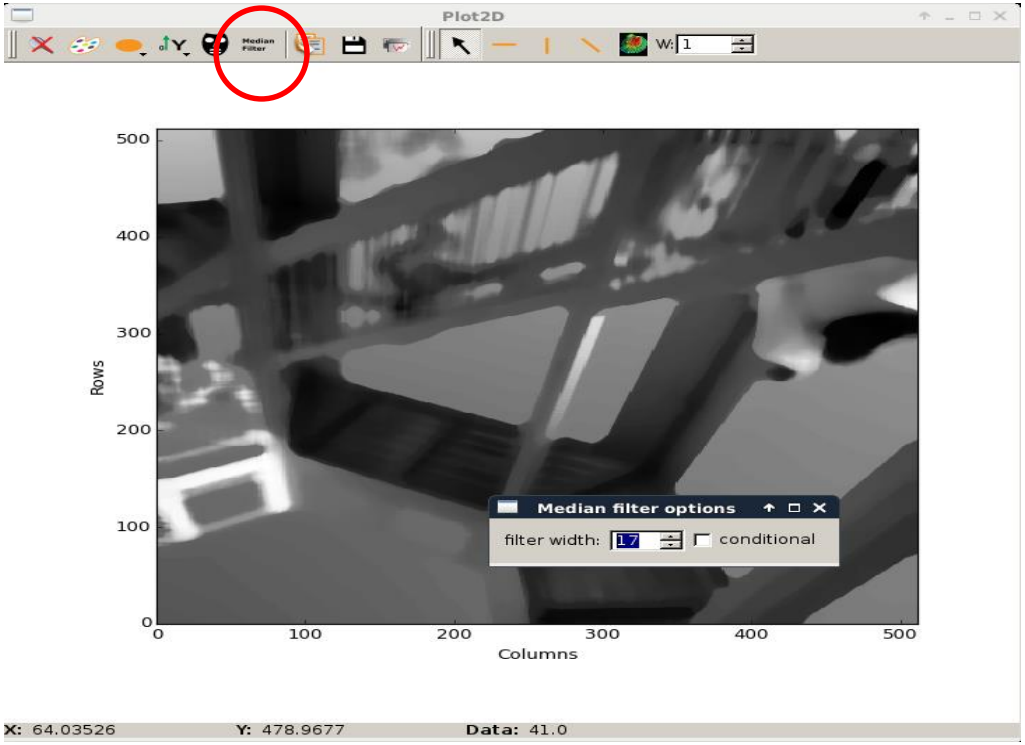
- 1D-2D median filter
  - data: 1D or 2D numpy array
    (specialized functions medfilt1d and medfilt2d available)
  - kernel_size int or tuple
  - Conditional if True apply conditional median filtering
    (apply only if pixel value is window minimum or maximum)

- Example:

```
from silx.math.medianfilter import medfilt2d
dataOut = medfilt2d(image,
                    kernel_size=(3, 3),
                    conditional=False)
```

Median Filter Option

silx.math.medianfilter




```
import sys
from silx.gui import qt
from silx.gui.plot import Plot2D

import scipy.misc
app=qt.QApplication([])
image=scipy.misc.ascent().astype('float32')

plotImage=Plot2D()
plotImage.addImage(image)
plotImage.getMedianFilter2DAction().setVisible(True)
plotImage.show()

sys.exit(app.exec_())
```

Median Filter (GPU)

silx.opencl.medfilt2d

- OpenCL implementation of the median filter
  - Works best on GPU, and large neighborhood
  - PR pending (not yet merged)

```
from silx.opencl import medfilt2d
from scipy.misc import ascent
from scipy.ndimage import filters

img = ascent().astype("float32")
%timeit filters.median_filter(img, (55,55)) → 5.8s

import silx.image
%timeit silx.image.medfilt2d(img, (55,55)) → 8.6s          (issue #773)

from silx.opencl import medifilt
%timeit medfilt.medfilt2d(img, (55,55)) → 2.4s
```

External Resources Manager

- Used in tests to download data as needed
- Used to create a temporary work-directory
- Can be re-used directly by other projects.

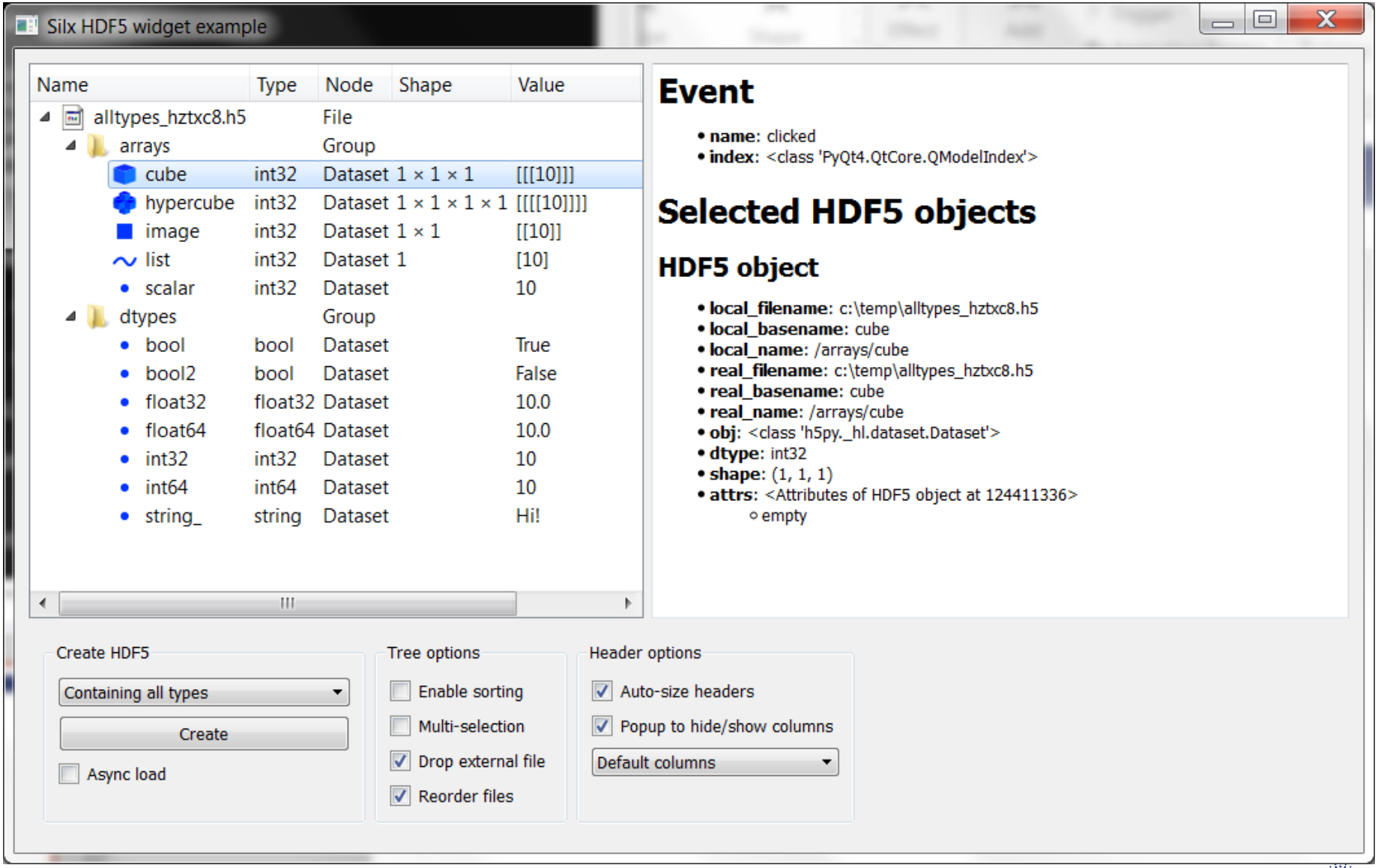
```
import silx.test.utils
print(silx.test.utils.utilstest.getfile("lena.png"))
        /tmp/silx_testdata_kieffer/lena.png
print(silx.test.utils.utilstest.tempdir)
        /tmp/silx_BHynBl_kieffer

import silx.resources as sr
erm = sr.ExternalResources("toto",“http://www.silx.org/pub/pyFAI/testimages/")
print(erm.getfile("Pilatus1M.edf"))
        /tmp/toto_testdata_kieffer/Pilatus1M.edf
```

CURRENT STATUS (0.5.0A)

silx.io Input/Output

- Read ALL files using an API similar to the h5py one
- Convert SPEC files to ESRF HDF5 NeXus implementation
- Dump dictionaries to files in HDF5, json or ini format
- Use FabIO for image formats other than TIFF
- Unified widget to deal with all data formats
- Generic data viewer (*silx view*)


Silx HDF5 widget example
Name
Type
Node
Shape
Value
alltypes_hztxc8.h5 File
arrays Group
cube int32 Dataset 1 × 1 × 1 [[[10]]]
hypercube int32 Dataset 1 × 1 × 1 × 1 [[[[10]]]]
image int32 Dataset 1 × 1 [[10]]
list int32 Dataset 1 [10]
scalar int32 Dataset 10
dtypes Group
bool bool Dataset True
bool2 bool Dataset False
float32 float32 Dataset 10.0
float64 float64 Dataset 10.0
int32 int32 Dataset 10
int64 int64 Dataset 10
string_ string Dataset Hi!
Event
name: clicked
index: <class 'PyQt4.QtCore.QModelIndex'>
Selected HDF5 objects
HDF5 object
local_filename: c:\temp\alltypes_hztxc8.h5
local_basename: cube
local_name: /arrays/cube
real_filename: c:\temp\alltypes_hztxc8.h5
real_basename: cube
real_name: /arrays/cube
obj: <class 'h5py._hl.dataset.Dataset'>
dtype: int32
shape: (1, 1, 1)
attrs: <Attributes of HDF5 object at 124411336>
empty
Create HDF5
Containing all types
Create
Async load
Tree options
Enable sorting
Multi-selection
Drop external file
Reorder files
Header options
Auto-size headers
Popup to hide/show columns
Default columns

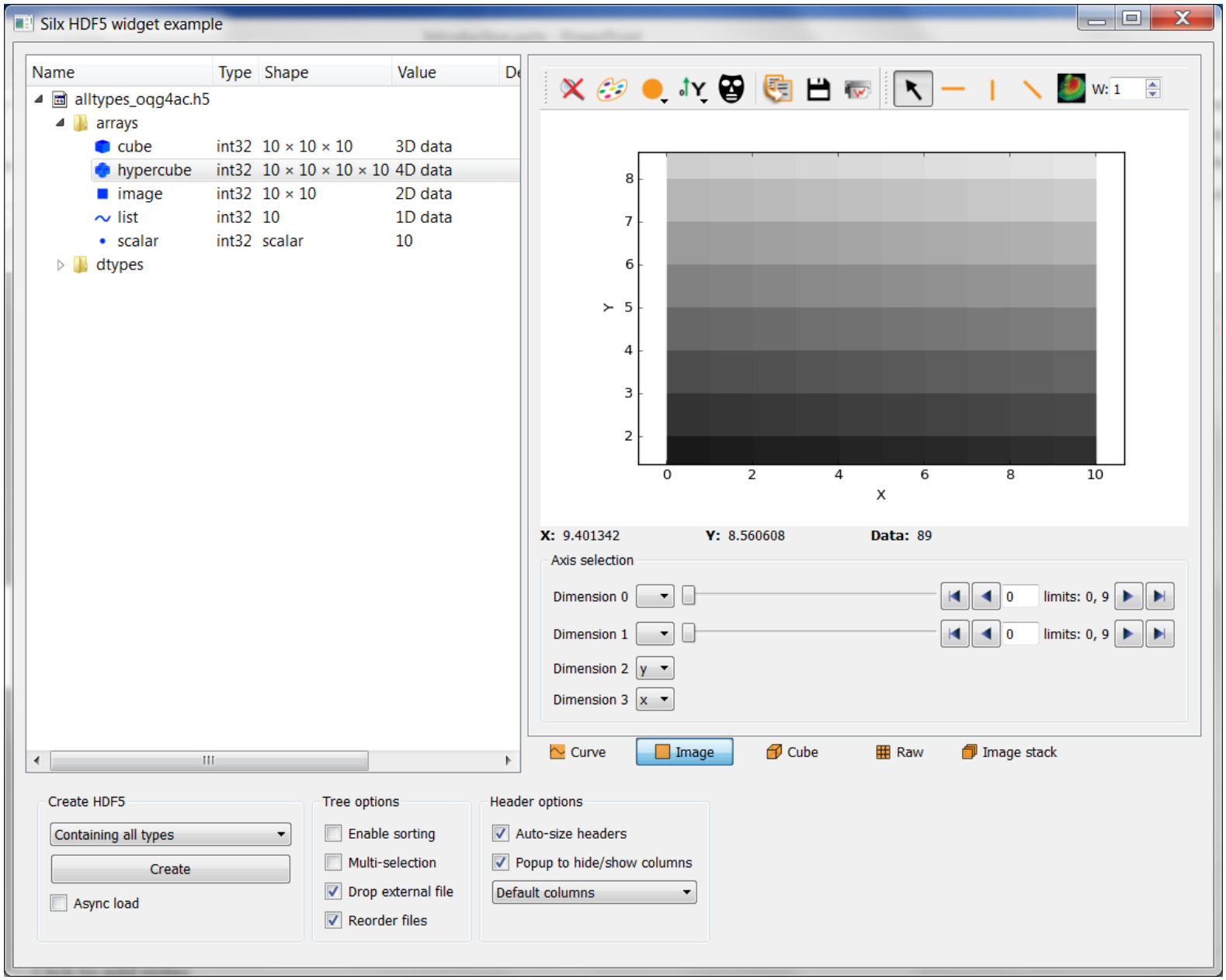

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image int32 10 × 10 2D data
list int32 10 1D data
scalar int32 scalar 10
dtypes
W: 1
X: 9.401342
Y: 8.560608
Data: 89
Axis selection
Dimension 0
Dimension 1
Dimension 2
Dimension 3
limits: 0, 9
Curve
Image
Cube
Raw
Image stack
Create HDF5
Containing all types
Create
Async load
Tree options
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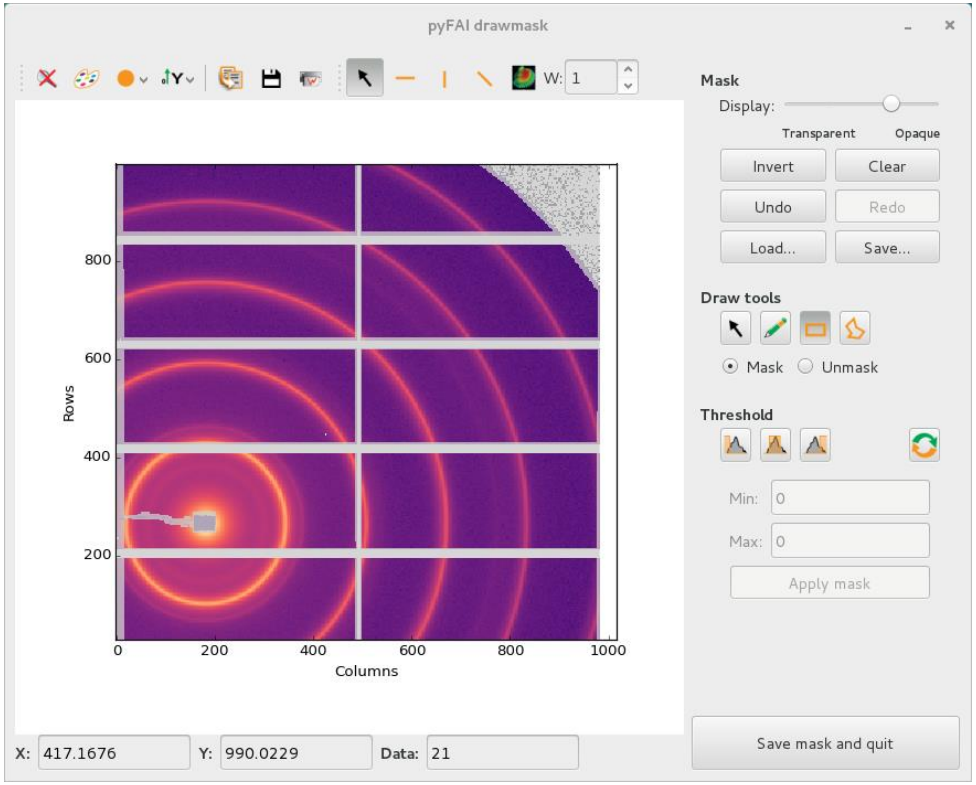
silx.math

- Weighted n-dimensional histograms
- Fast histogramming using look up tables
- Non-linear least squares fits with constraints
- 1D peak search
- Fitting functions with automatic estimation of initial parameters
- 1D and 2D median filters

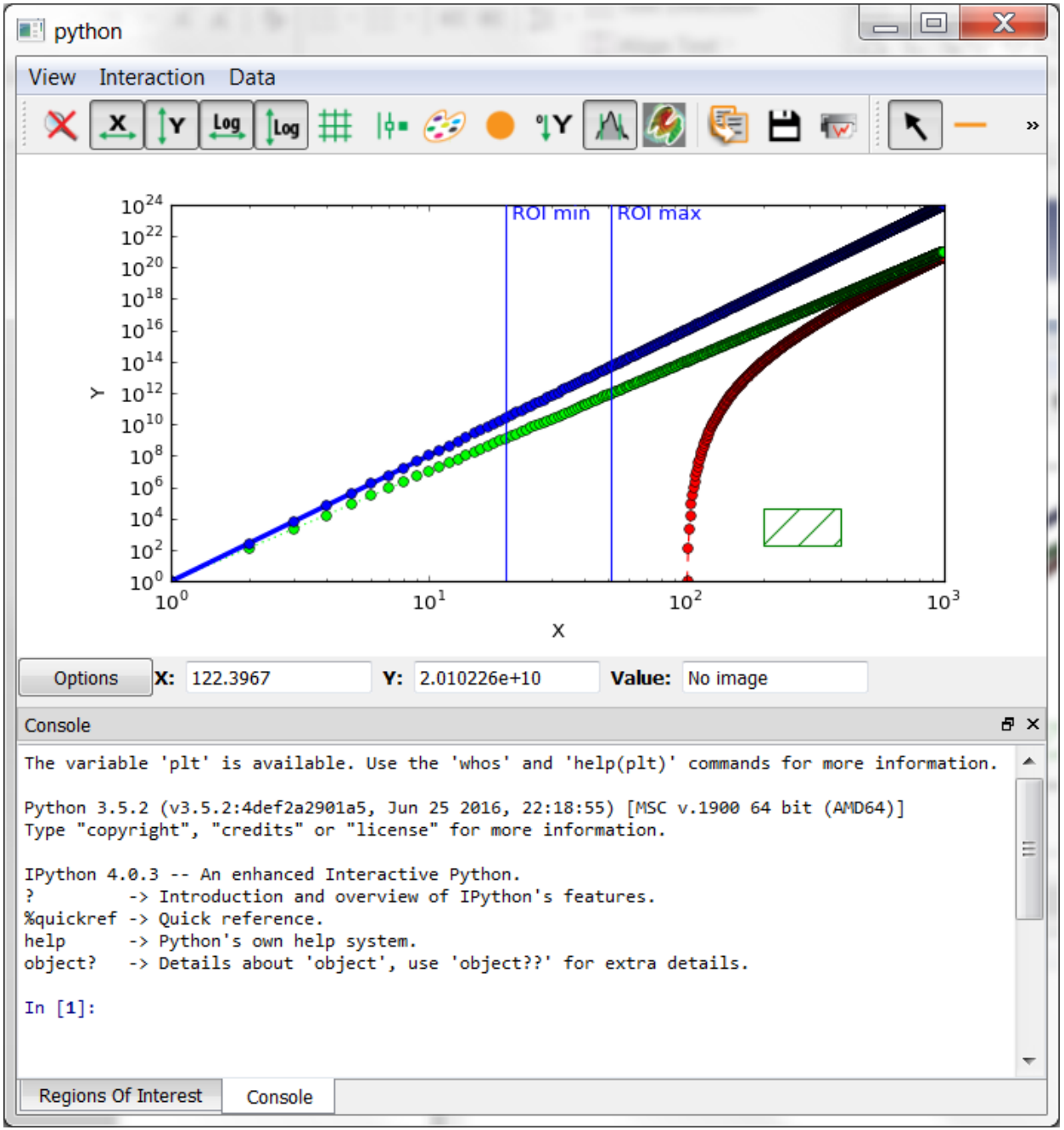
silx.image: Image processing tools

- Basic shapes for masks
  - Line profiles
  - Polygons
  - Circle
- Bilinear interpolation
  - Used to scale up/down images to display
- Gaussian blurring of images
  - GPU accelerated via OpenCL
- Image registration and alignment (SIFT)
  - GPU accelerated via OpenCL
- Median Filter
  - GPU accelerated via OpenCL



silx.gui: Plot 1D

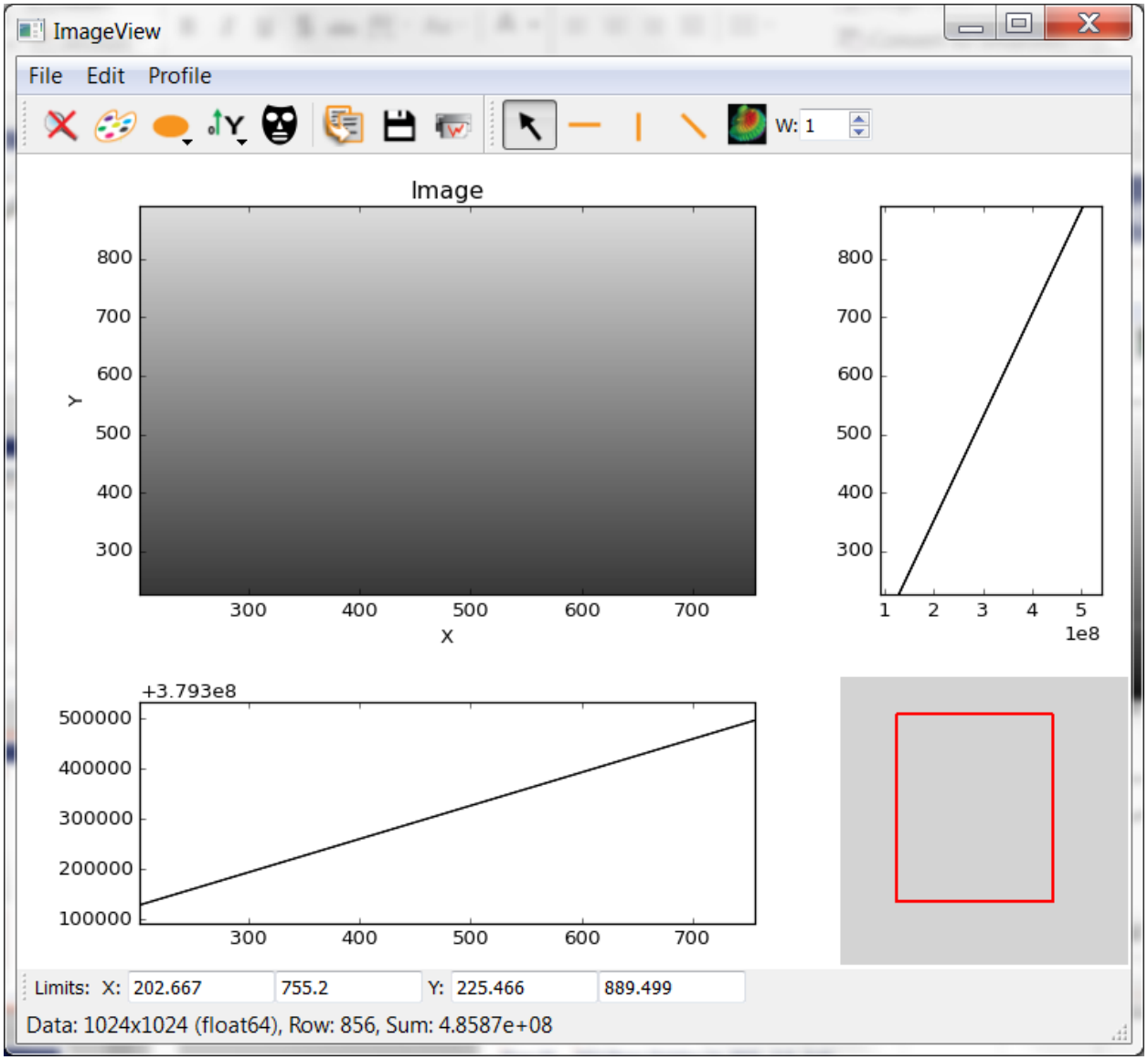
- Visualize 1D data
- Apply ROIs on them
- Control the plot via an interactive console
- Fitting capabilities
- Object oriented API


python
View
Interaction
Data
ROI min
ROI max
Y
X
Options
X: 122.3967
Y: 2.010226e+10
Value: No image
Console
The variable 'plt' is available. Use the 'whos' and 'help(plt)' commands for more information.
Python 3.5.2 (v3.5.2:4def2a2901a5, Jun 25 2016, 22:18:55) [MSC v.1900 64 bit (AMD64)]
Type "copyright", "credits" or "license" for more information.
IPython 4.0.3 -- An enhanced Interactive Python.
? -> Introduction and overview of IPython's features.
%quickref -> Quick reference.
help -> Python's own help system.
object? -> Details about 'object', use 'object??' for extra details.
In [1]:
Regions Of Interest
Console

silx.gui: Plot

- Visualize 2D data (Images and Stacks of Images)
  - Support Median Filters, Profiles and Masks on them
- Visualize 3D data as scatter plots
  - Support Masks on them
- Apply different colormaps
- Plot an image with associated histograms
- Visualize 3D scalar fields (Isosurfaces)

Full-featured Widgets



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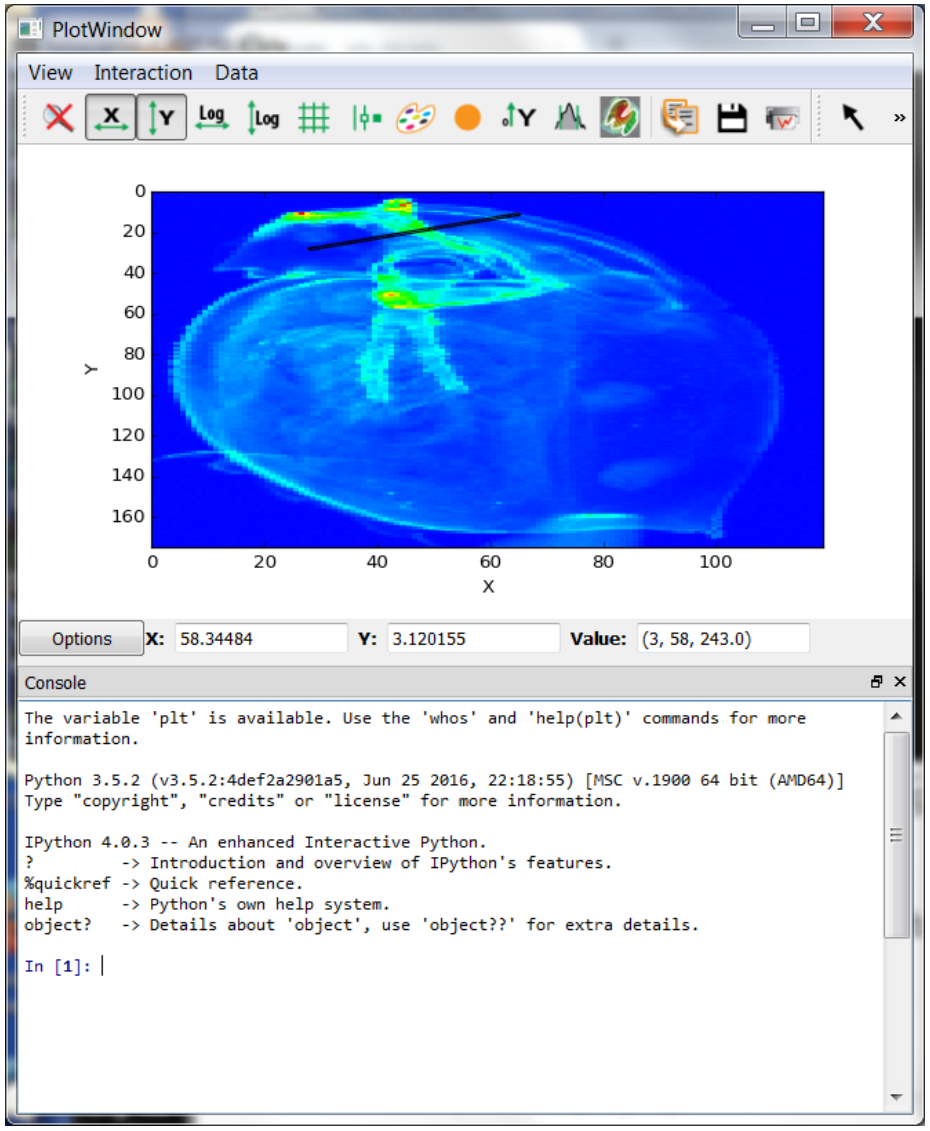
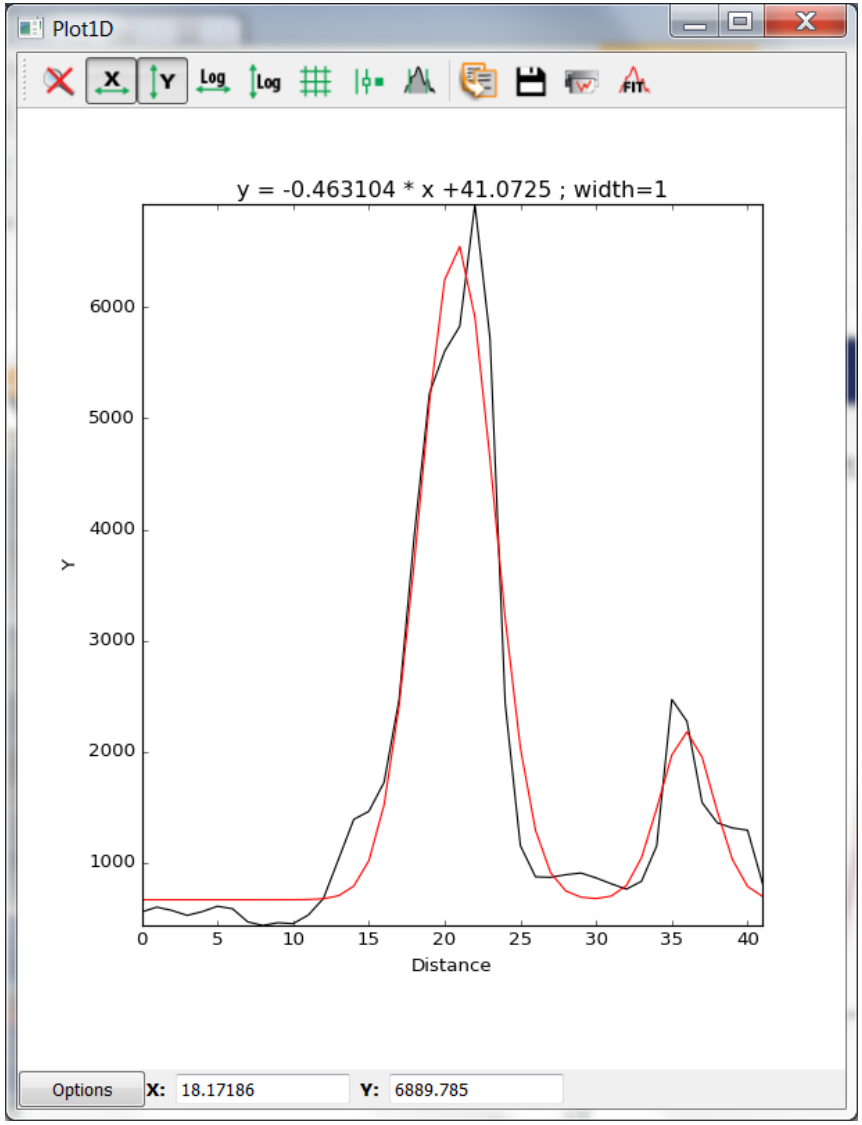
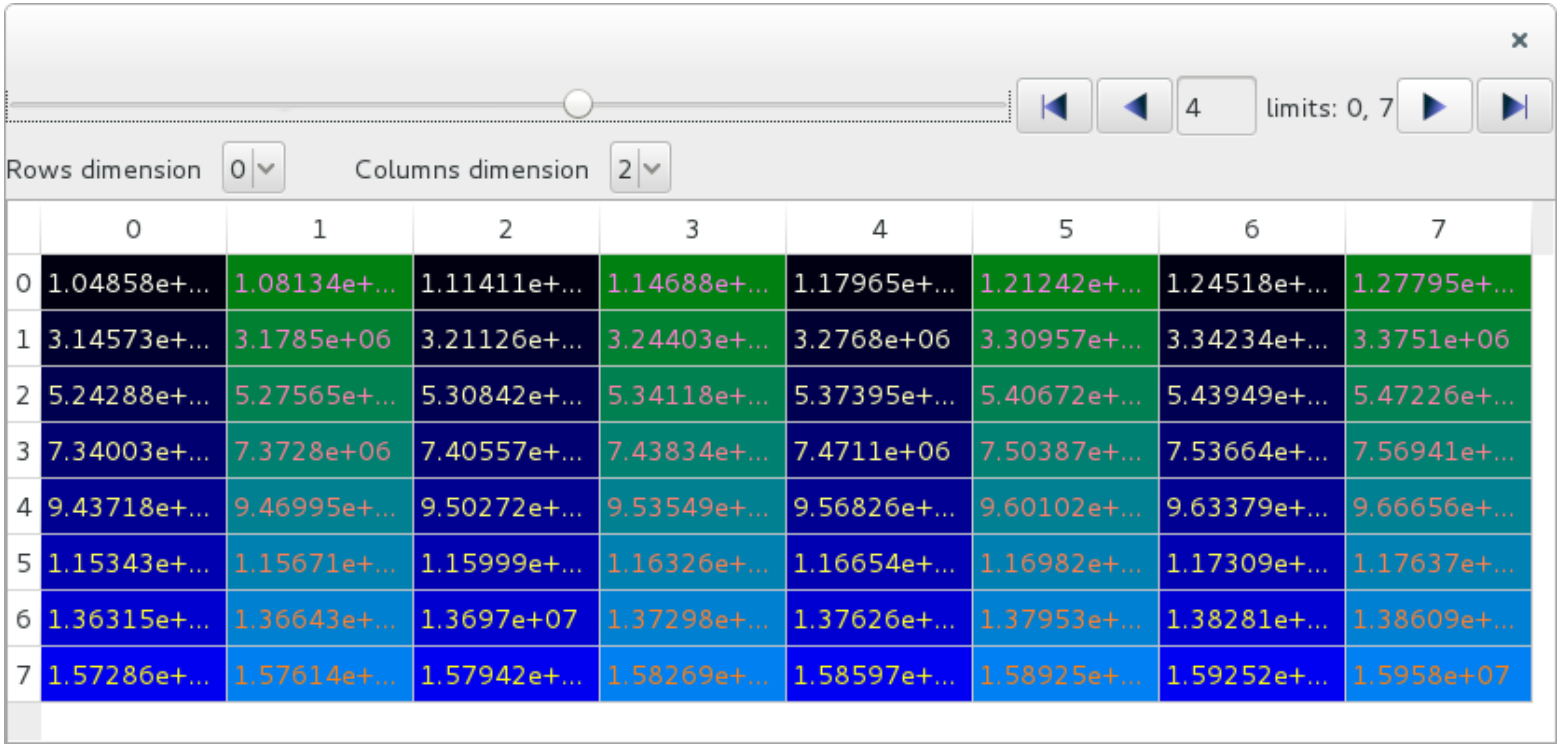




silx.gui.data.ArrayTableWidget

- Display arrays and datasets of any number of dimensions in a TableView

- Lazy loading for datasets: only the currently displayed 2D slice is read from HDF5 file



	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
0	1.04858e+...	1.08134e+...	1.11411e+...	1.14688e+...	1.17965e+...	1.21242e+...	1.24518e+...	1.27795e+...
1	3.14573e+...	3.1785e+06	3.21126e+...	3.24403e+...	3.2768e+06	3.30957e+...	3.34234e+...	3.3751e+06
2	5.24288e+...	5.27565e+...	5.30842e+...	5.34118e+...	5.37395e+...	5.40672e+...	5.43949e+...	5.47226e+...
3	7.34003e+...	7.3728e+06	7.40557e+...	7.43834e+...	7.4711e+06	7.50387e+...	7.53664e+...	7.56941e+...
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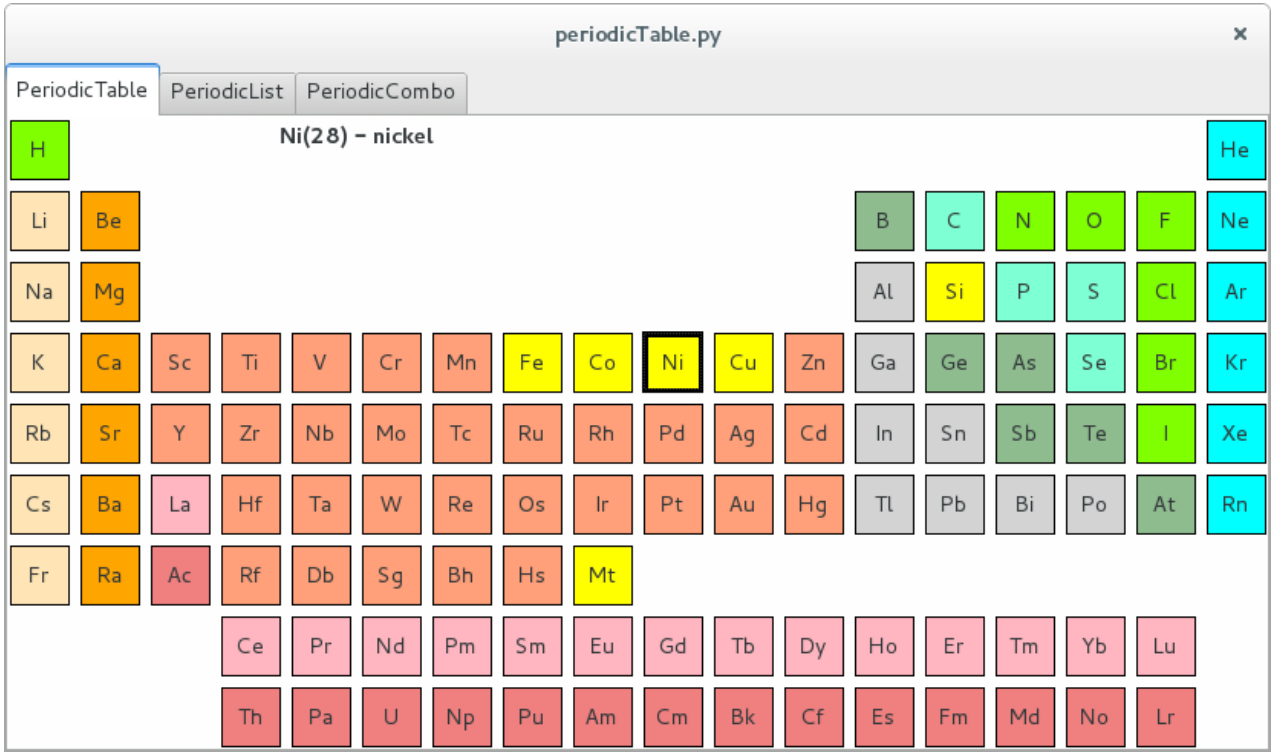
7	1.57286e+...	1.57614e+...	1.57942e+...	1.58269e+...	1.58597e+...	1.58925e+...	1.59252e+...	1.5958e+07

silx.gui.widgets.PeriodicTable

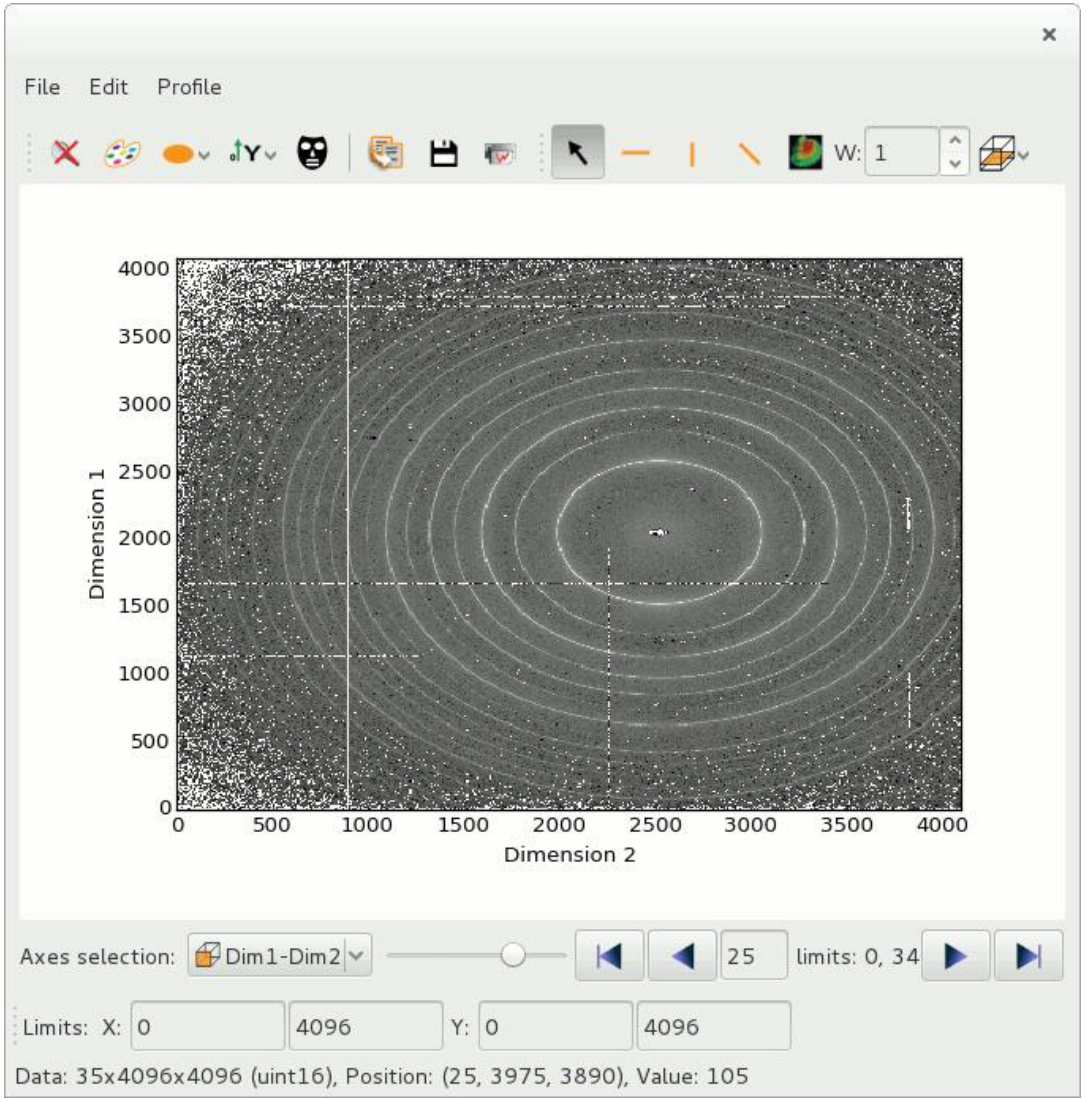
- Periodic table, list (QTreeView) and combo/dropdown list providing minimal data for elements: symbol, name, atomic number, mass

- Selectable elements, signals for element clicked and selection changed events



silx.gui.plot.StackView

- Viewing 3D arrays, 3D datasets or list of 2D arrays as a stack of images.
- Axes selection
- Profile tool to extract a 2D slice from the 3D stack
- Lazy loading for datasets (except when doing diagonal 3D profile)

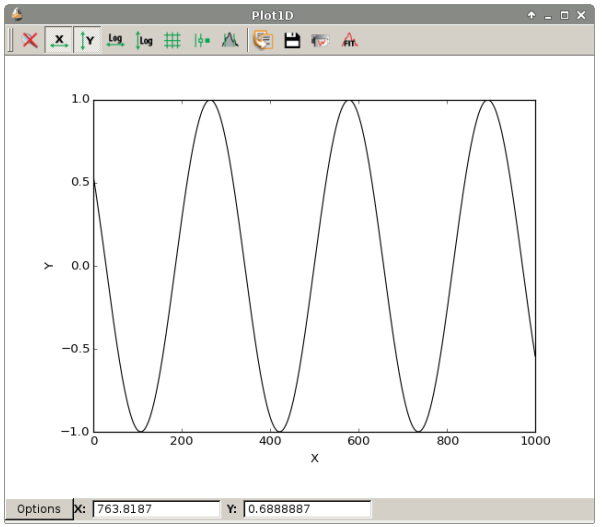


silx.sx: a module to simplify interactive use

pylab like module on steroids

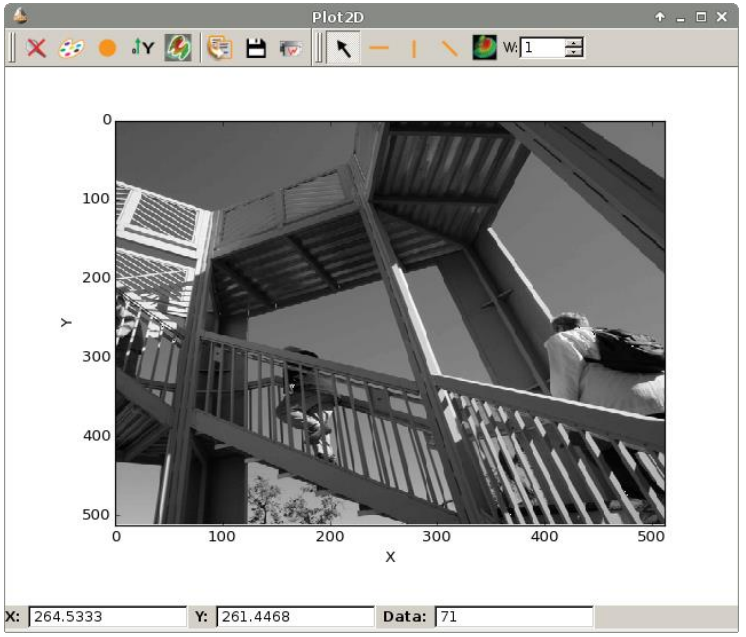
- 1D plotting: ROI, fitting & printing

```
>>> from silx import sx
>>> from numpy import sin, linspace
>>> sx.plot(sin(linspace(-10, 10, 1000)))
```

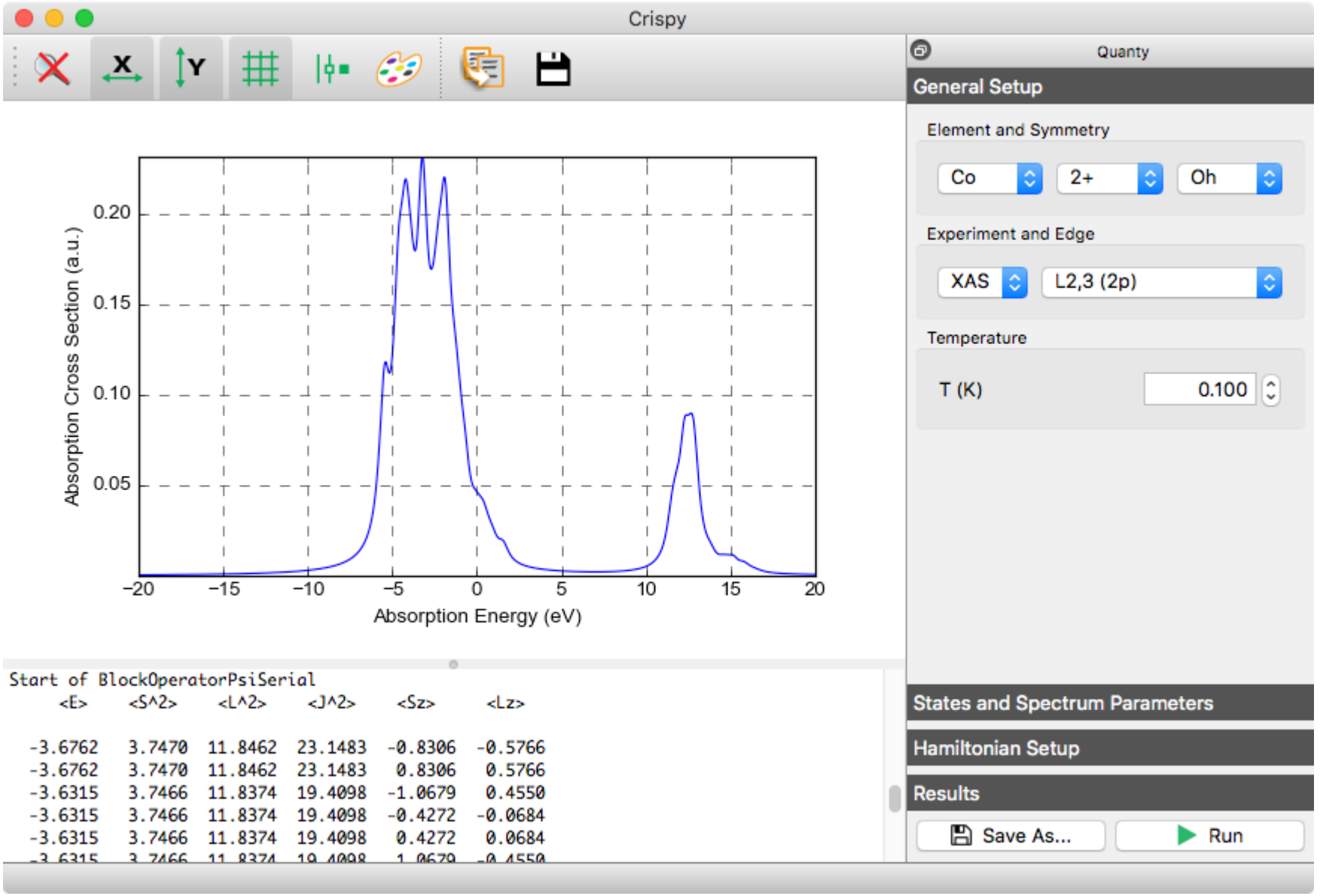


- 2D display: intensity, mask, profile

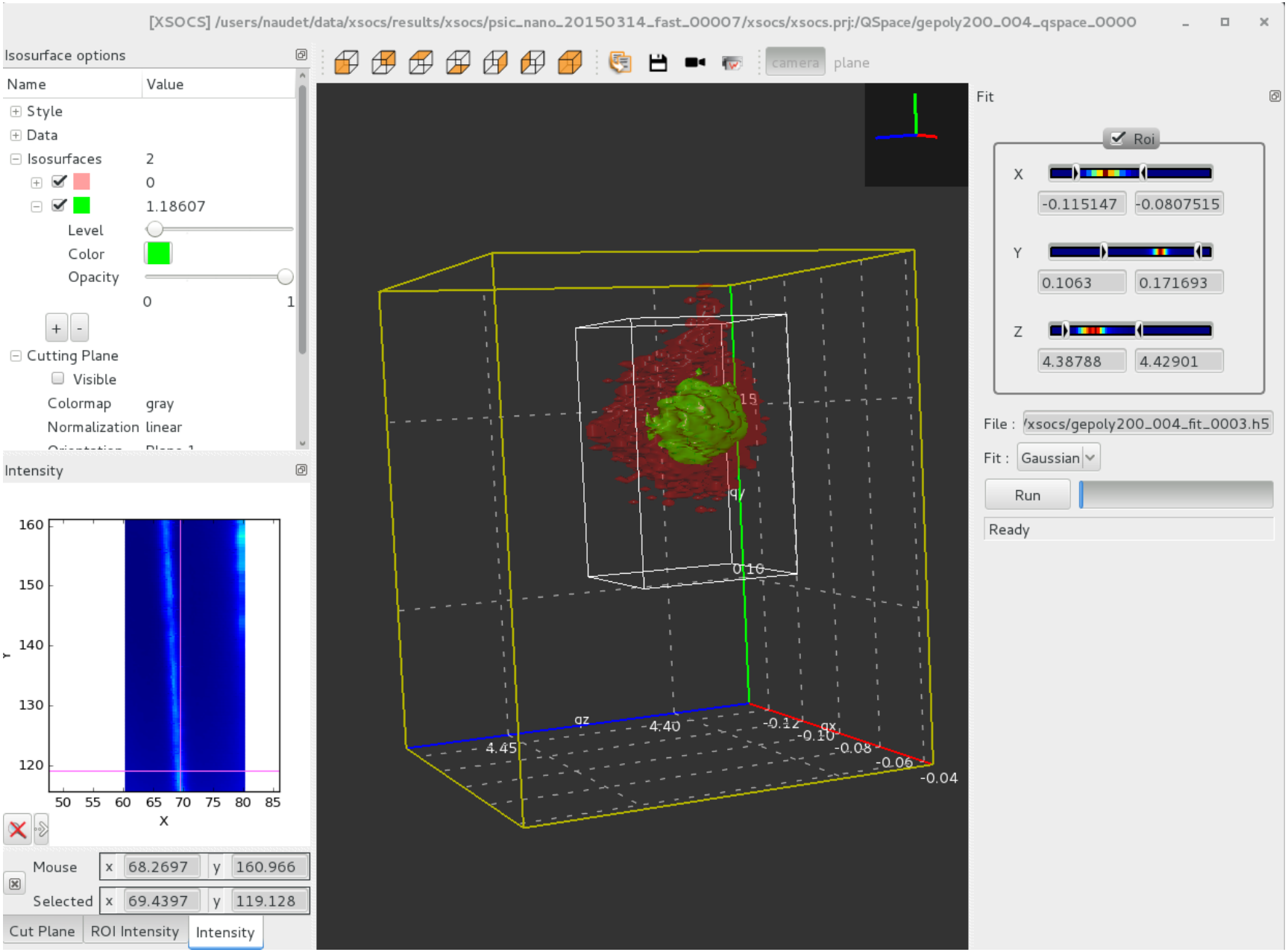
```
>>> from scipy.misc import ascent
>>> sx.imshow(ascent())
```



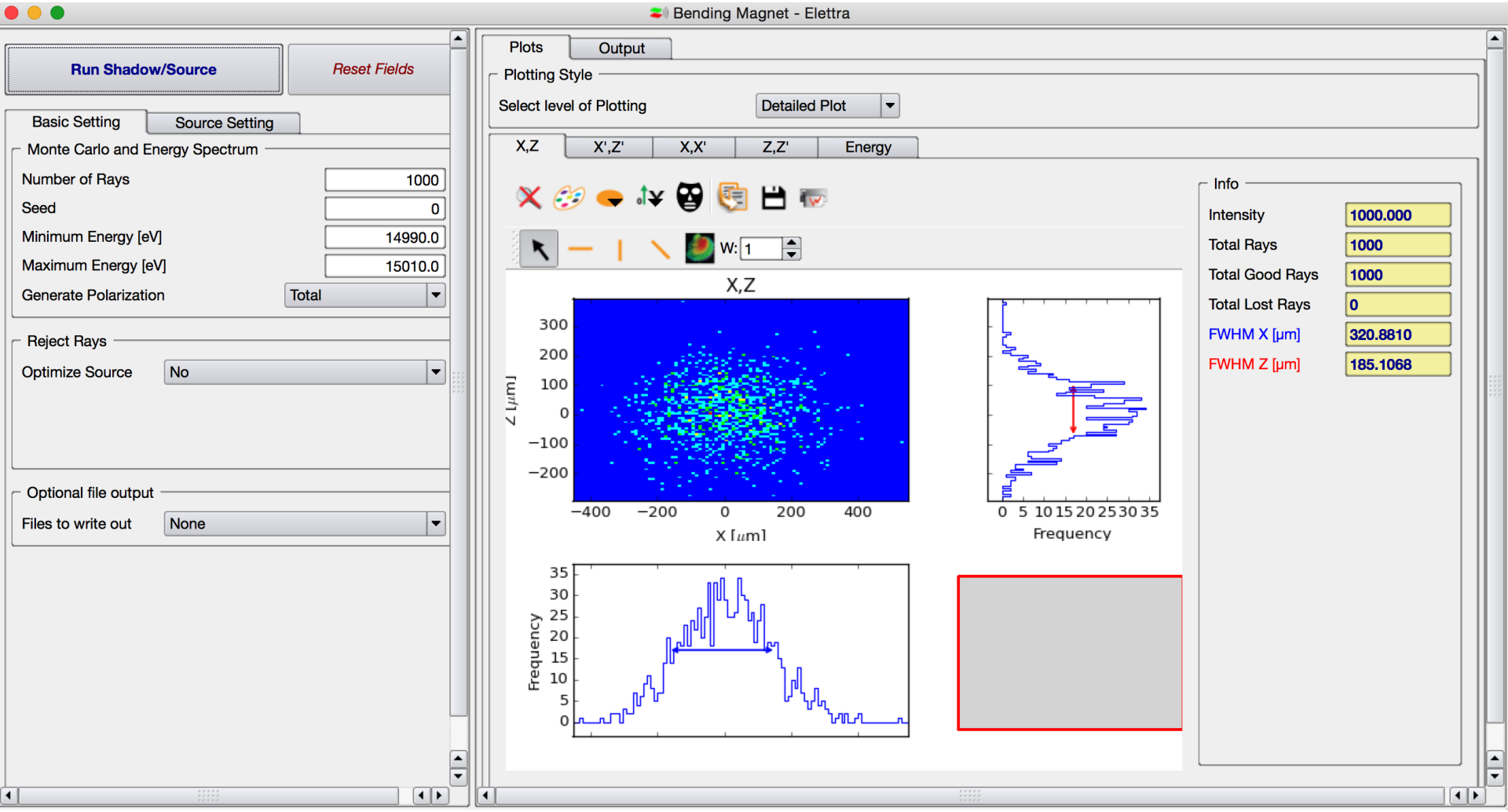
Applications - Crispy



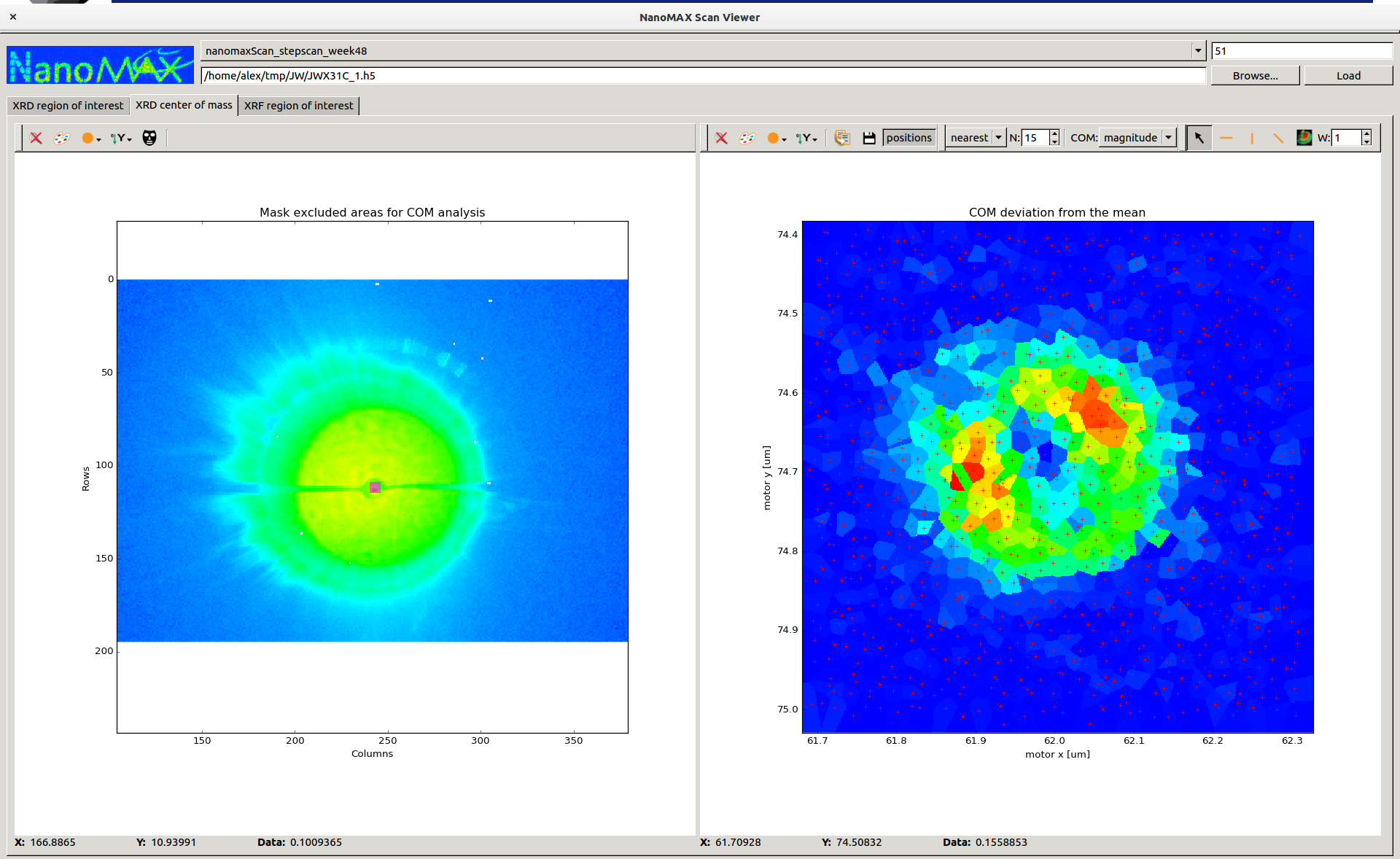
Applications - XSOCS



Applications - OASYS



Applications – Nanomax@Max IV



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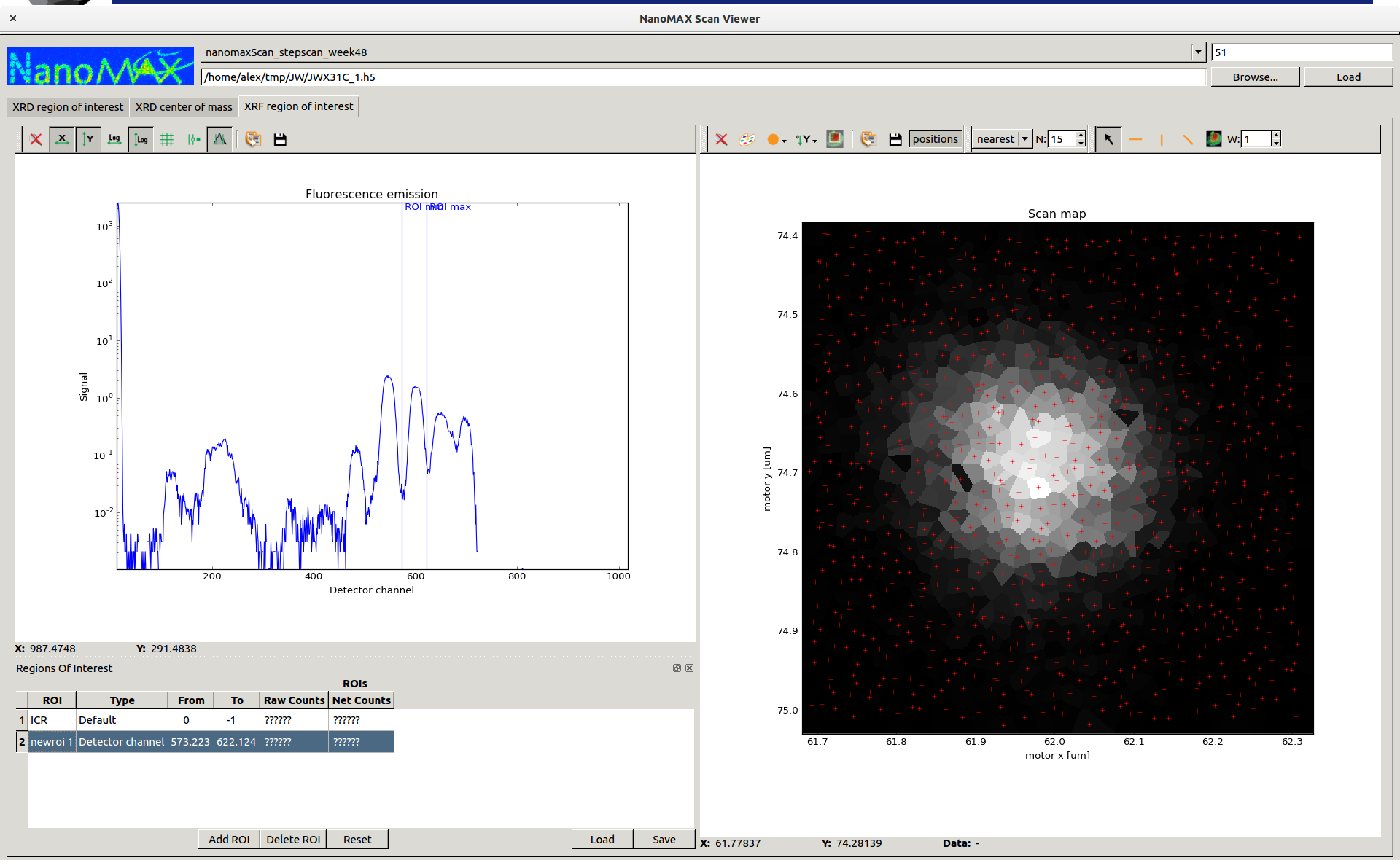

Roadmap

- This release
  - Object Oriented Plot API
  - OpenGL Plot Backend
  - NXdata Viewer
- Late 2017
  - 3D SceneGraph
  - Print Preview
  - pyFAI Calibration GUI
  - PyMca using silx Plot
- 2018
  - pyFAI 0.14 release with pyFAI GUI
- Let the library grow according to the needs of applications

ROLE OF NON-CORE DEVELOPERS

- Identify something you are interested on
- Try to achieve it
- Wow! I can do what I want, what next?
  - Start again
  - Make suggestions
  - Contribute with a demo/recipe
- I cannot do it
  - Ask help

ROLE OF CORE DEVELOPERS

- Help non-core developers
- Create issues
  - Bugs
  - Documentation
  - Desired features
- Fix issues
  - Bugs
  - Documentation
  - Unlikely for new features
- Review pull requests

HANDS ON!

- Try to start with a single entry point www.silx.org
  - You should be able to install 0.4.0 version
- For this code camp we'll use 0.5.0a, you can either:
  - clone the repository (and use your compilation chain)
  - install a nightly built package (debian)
  - use a pre-built binary wheel:
    - http://www.silx.org/pub/wheelhouse/