



# Point Source Photometry (Using HIPE)

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# Outline

- Timeline (Level-1) Fitting (Recommended)
- Aperture Photometry on Maps (Level 2, 2.5, 3)
- Source Detection & Photometry in Blank Fields
  - HIPE Task: sourceExtractorSussextactor
  - HIPE Task: sourceExtractorDaophot

Reference: Section 5.7, "SPIRE Data Reduction Guide"

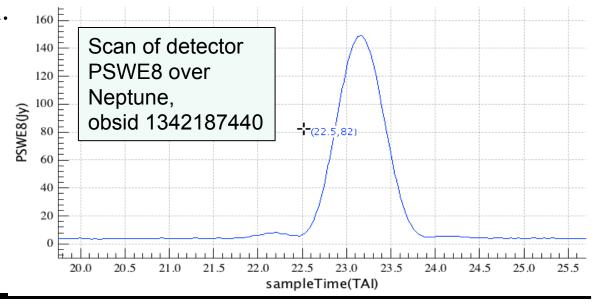






# SPIRE Point Source Calibration

- Standard Calibration Source: Neptune
- Method: calibration observations (in fine-scan mode) are so designed as every bolometer can see the source multiple times and measure the deflection of the source with better than adequate sampling. The calibration is then defined by relating the deflection peak to the source flux.
- Units: Jy/Beam
- Error: 6%
  - 2% random error
  - 4% model error













### Timeline Fitting (Recommended for Point Source Photometry)

- Inputs:
  - Level 1 timelines (consist of measurements of individual bolometers before map-making)
  - Initial guess of the coordinates of the source
- **Outputs:** source flux & position (best-fit)
- Algorithm: fitting individual measurements near the source position with a 2-d Gaussian function (a good match to the inner part of the PSF)
- Advantage over photometry using maps: avoid biases introduced by map-making (e.g. pixelization)
- **HIPE Task:** sourceExtractorTimeline

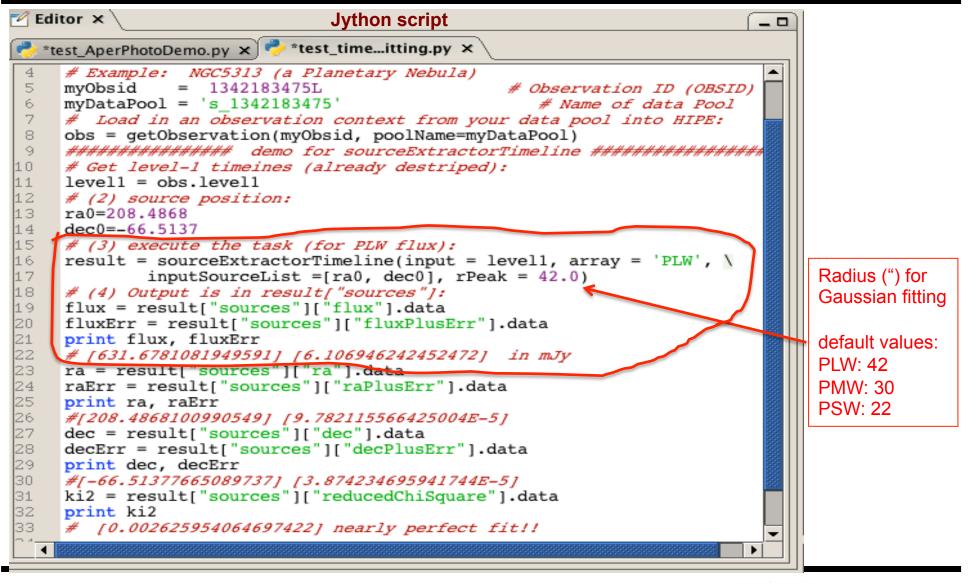
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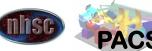
### sourceExtractorTimeline









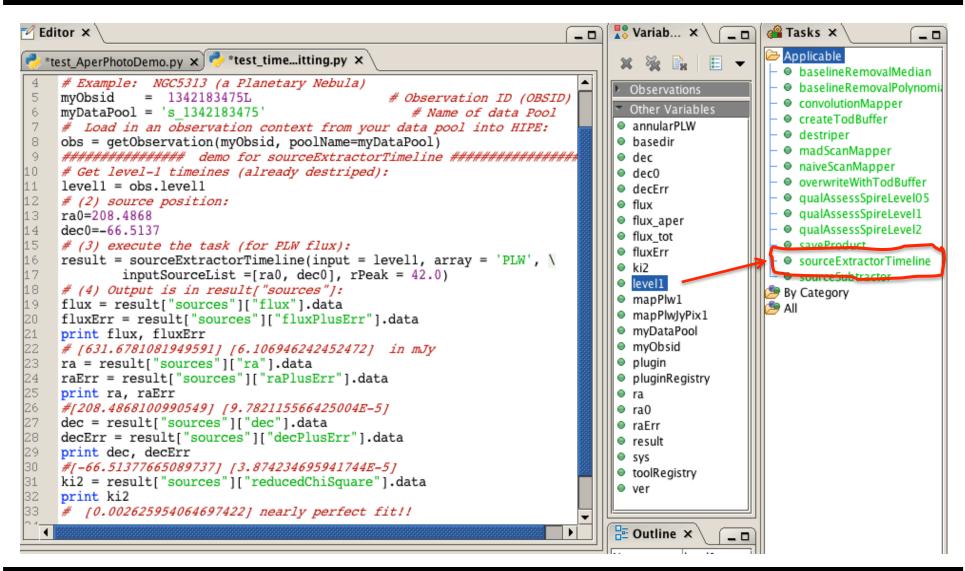






### sourceExtractorTimeline: GUI



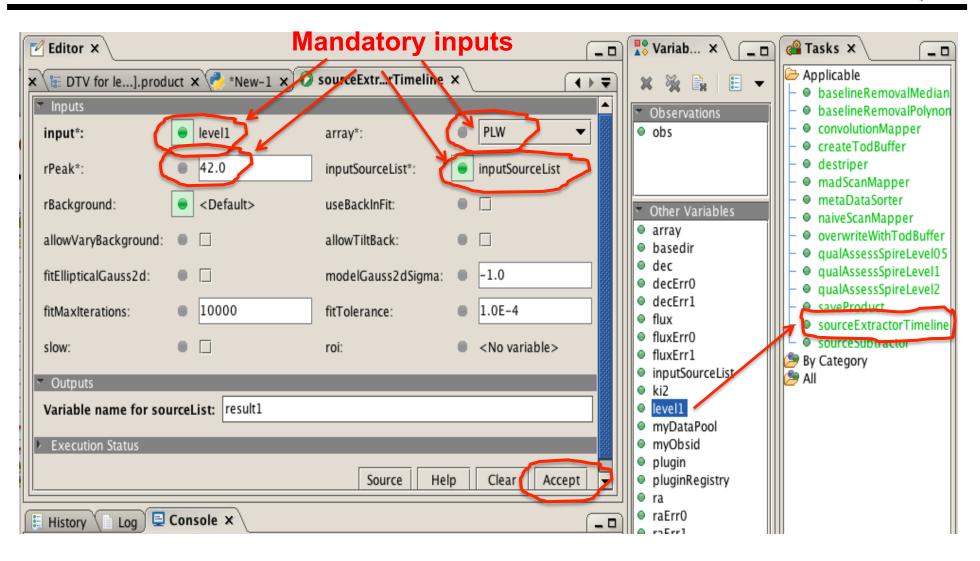








### sourceExtractorTimeline: GUI











### **Result (a product):**

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### **Reminders:**

- Flux error: should add (quadratically) the calibration error (6%).
- Flux: color correction (for spectra not in the form of  $f_v \sim v^{-1}$ ).









# Color corrections are described in the SPIRE Data Reduction Guide (Section 5.7.1.6)

Spectral Index	PSW Correction	PMW Correction	PLW Correction
(F <sub>nu</sub> =nu <sup>alpha</sup> )			
-4	0.94071	0.94049	0.87029
-3.5	0.95492	0.95471	0.89817
-3	0.96753	0.96734	0.92392
-2.5	0.97844	0.97827	0.94725
-2	0.98755	0.98741	0.96787
-1.5	0.99476	0.99468	0.98553
-1	1.00000	1.00000	1.00000
-0.5	1.00321	1.00332	1.01110
0	1.00434	1.00459	1.01868
0.5	1.00337	1.00380	1.02266
1	1.00028	1.00093	1.02299
1.5	0.99507	0.99599	1.01969
2	0.98777	0.98900	1.01282
2.5	0.97843	0.98002	1.00249
3	0.96710	0.96910	0.98887
3.5	0.95385	0.95632	0.97215
4	0.93878	0.94176	0.95257
4.5	0.92198	0.92553	0.93040
5	0.90359	0.90773	0.90592

### **Color correction table**

 The flux (to be corrected) should be multiplied by the correction factor found in the table.





# Checklist for timeline-fitting photometry

- Use the Level 1 timelines
- □Supply a starting position
- □Run the sourceExtractorTimeline Task
- □Apply color correction as needed







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# Aperture Photometry on Maps

- Applicable to maps in level 2, level 2.5, and level 3
  - Always use extended maps (e.g. extdPLW)

(this also applies when using your own aperture photometry tools)

- extended (extd) maps vs. point-source (psrc) maps:
  - Units: MJy/sr vs. Jy/Beam
  - Flux calibration: scaling with the total counts of a source in the entire beam vs. scaling with the peak of the deflection of the source (more details will be duscussed in the next talk on extended source photometry)
- HIPE task: annularSkyAperturePhotometry







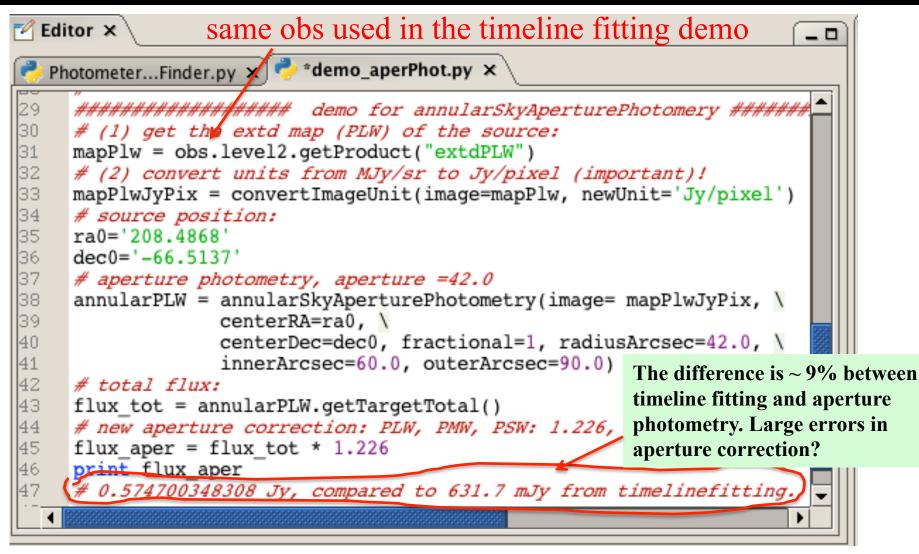






annularSkyAperturePhotometry





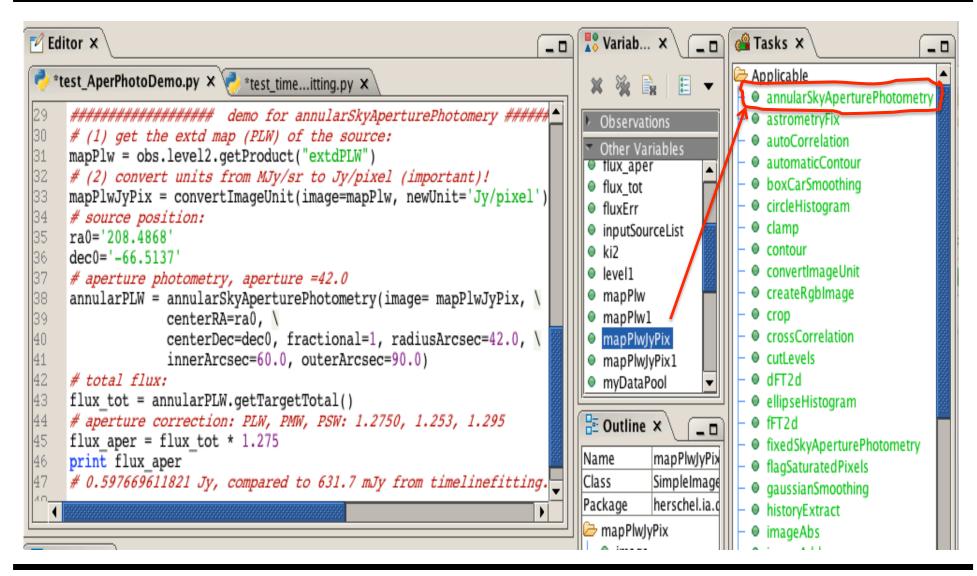






### annularSkyAperturePhotometry: GUI



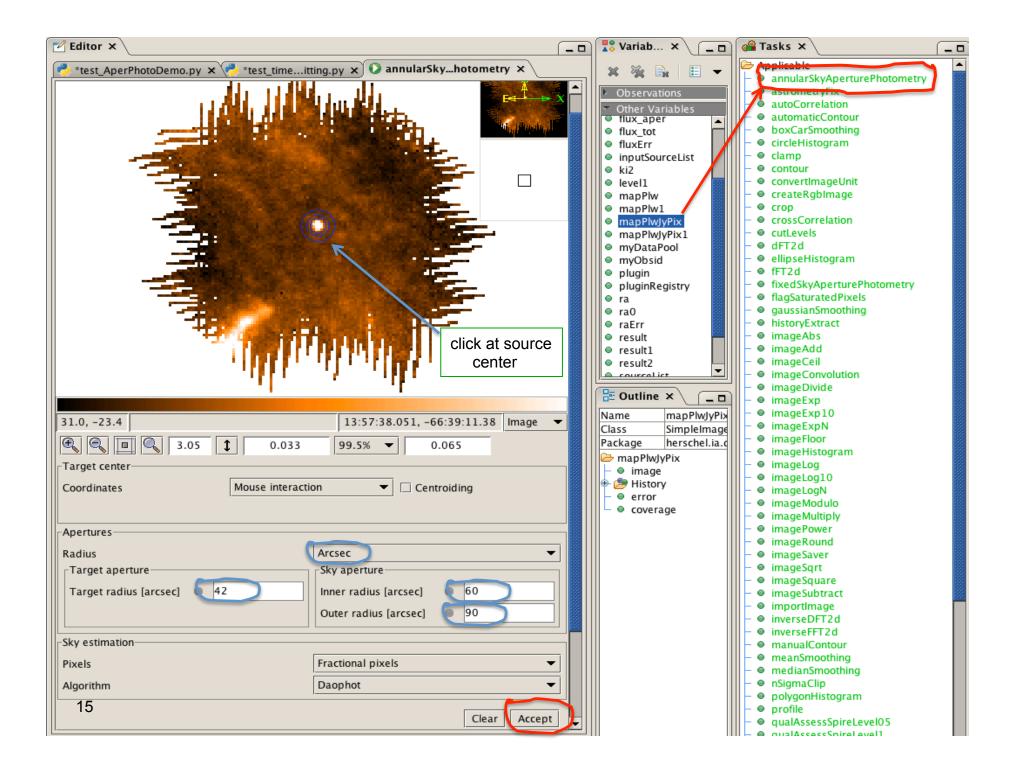














## NHSC Data Processing Workshop – Pasadena 26th- 30th Aug 2013 annularSkyAperturePhotometry: Result



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Target center (RA,Dec)	(13:53:56.534, -66:30:47.82)		mapPlw		
Target radius [pixels]	2.9999999999999143		mapPlw1		
Target radius [arcsec]	42.00		mapPlwJyPix		
Inner radius [pixels]	4.29		<ul> <li>mapPlwJyPix1</li> </ul>		
Inner radius [arcsec]	60.00		myDataPool		
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flux, need to do aperture correction Don't trust this error!!!!					









# Checklist for aperture photometry

- Use the level 2 (or 2.5/3) extd maps
- Convert to Jy/pixel using
  - "convertImageUnit" task
- Run the annularSkyAperturePhotometry task
- □Apply an appropriate aperture correction
- □Apply color correction as needed







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### **Two Source Extractors in HIPE**

- sourceExtractorSussextractor
  - Sussextractor algorithm
     (Savage & Oliver 2007)
  - A Bayesian algorithm for detection
  - Flux density is peak of smoothed image
- sourceExtractorDaophot
  - Algorithms from IDL AstroLib
  - FIND for detection
  - APER for photometry (not PSF-fitting!)















# The simplest operation of extractors uses the FWHM of each band

- Averages for nominal pixels:
  - 250um: 17.6 arcsec
  - 350um: 23.9 arcsec
  - 500um: 35.2 arcsec
- The fine-scale beam areas are needed (or the images must be converted)

- (465, 822, 1769) sq arcsec

(can be found in Section 5.7, SPIRE Data Reduction Guide)

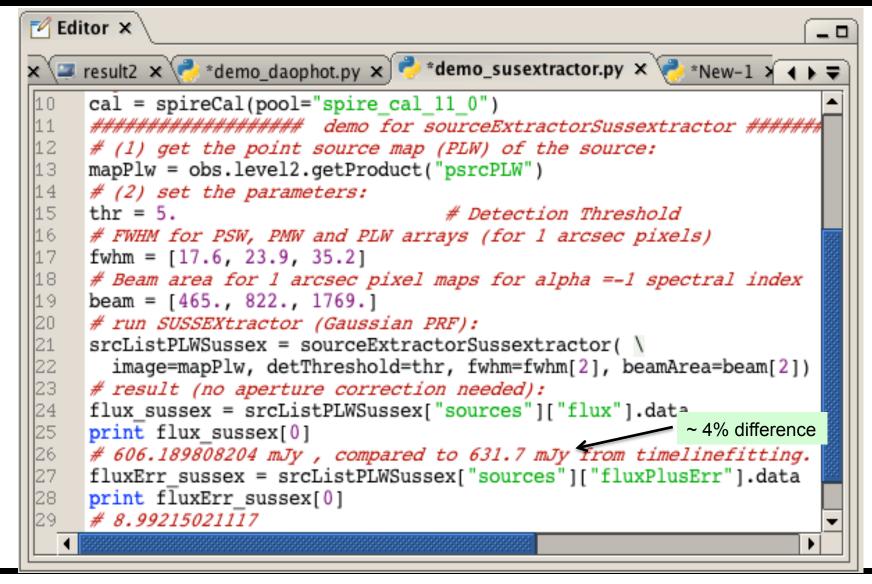






### sourceExtractorSussextractor









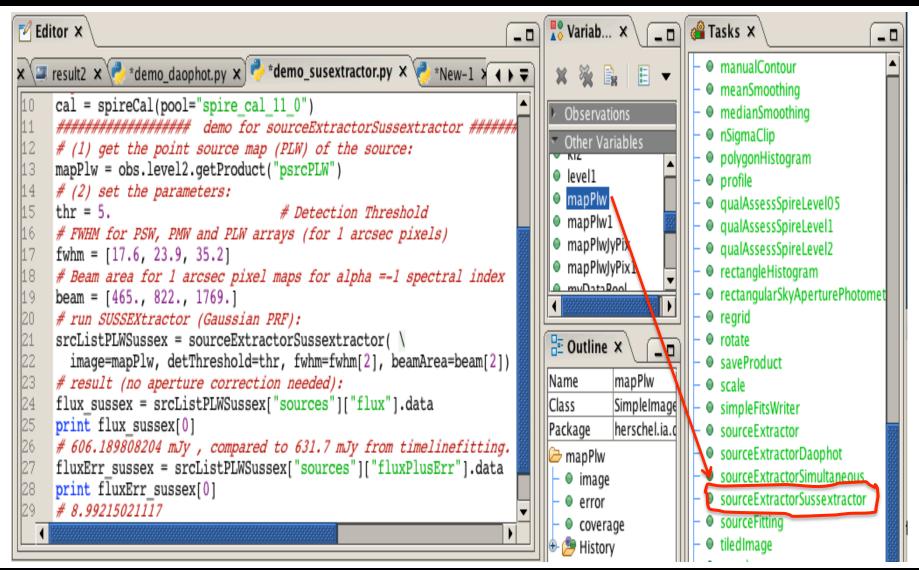






### sourceExtractorSussextractor









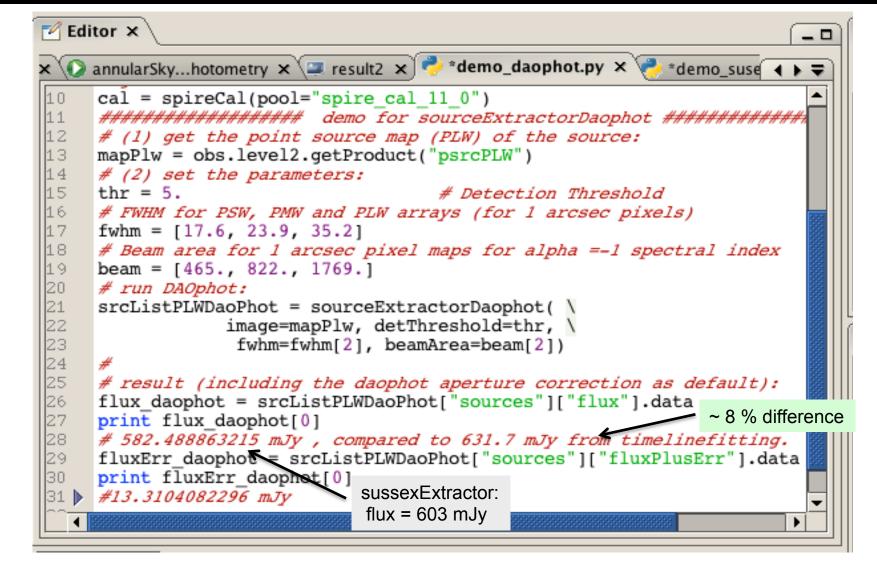






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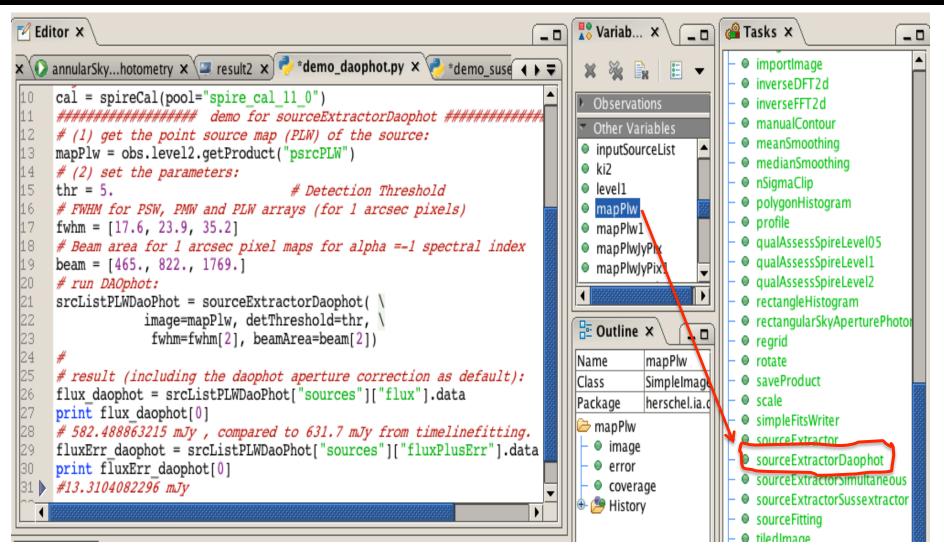






### sourceExtractorDaophot

















## Summary

- Timeline-fitting photometry is highly recommended for point source photometry. It makes the best use of the information stored in individual measurements, and the results are free from biases introduced by the map-making.
- The flux measured with aperture photometry using HIPE task annularSkyAperturePhotometry is ~9% different from the result of timeline-fitting photometry, suggesting large uncertainties in the aperture correction.
- For sources in blank fields, the HIPE task sourceExtractorSussextractor provides reasonable measures for the flux and error, while results of HIPE task sourceExtractorDaophot are not as good.

