Kytos Parameter Descriptions

Event Definition

The pixel intensities representing a particle image will exceed the detection threshold in a series of sequential frames as it flows across the camera imaging region. Each of these frames represents an event element.

Event Intensity

Event intensity analysis uses up to a 5x5 array of pixels centered by the pixel with the brightest intensity.



- First Frame Frame number in which the first event element is detected
- Frames in Flight The number of event elements comprising an event
- Stream ID Stream in which the event is detected
- Event Width The maximum number of frame column pixels in any row in which 1 or more pixels exceeds threshold over the course of an event's Frames in Flight
- Event Number Number of event as it was processed
- Peak X/Y Coordinate The X (frame pixel column) divided by Y (frame pixel row) location in the image of the Peak Intensity pixel.
- Peak Intensity The brightest pixel value seen during the event Frames in Flight.
- **Peak Intensity 3x3 Average** The average intensity of the 3x3 pixel array centered by the event Peak Intensity pixel.
- **Peak Intensity 5x5 Average** The average intensity of the 5x5 pixel array centered by the event Peak Intensity pixel.

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Veloview Parameter Descriptions



Scatter Channel Image

- A rotated minimum area bounding rectangle is used to determine spheroid length (imLength) and width (imWidth).
- Perimeter encompasses all pixels with intensities greater than the threshold.

Image Derived VeloView User Parameters

- Image Event Length (imLength) The length of the rotated minimum area rectangle bounding the event object. (units: µm)
- Image Event Width (imWidth) The width of the rotated minimum area rectangle bounding the event object. (units: µm)
- Image Event Eccentricity Image Event Width divided by Image Event Length (units: %) Eccentricity of a perfectly circular event object is equal to 100%
- Image Event Area (imArea) Calculated from pixel x (column) and y (row) coordinates comprising the event object perimeter
- **imArea Fluorescence positive (%)** Number of pixels exceeding fluorescence threshold divided by pixel area within perimeter boundary
- **Image Integrated Intensity** The sum of intensities of all pixels within the event image scanning regions of each channel (units: relative)
- Image Integrated Intensity Size Normalized Image Integrated Intensity divided by Image Event Area (units: relative)
- **Rectangularity** The ratio of the object's area to the area of the object's minimum bounding rectangle.
- **Circularity** The ratio of the object's area to the area of a circle that has the same perimeter length as the object



- The axial spine of an event object is a specialized
 feature that can be most accurately evaluated for elongated, wormlike objects.
- Image Event Spine Length The length of the axial spine of elongated, wormlike event objects. (units: µm)
- Image Event Spine Width the average width of elongated wormlike event objects, calculated as Image Event Spine Length divided by Image Event Area. (units: μm)
- Image Event Curl A measure of the relative degree to which an elongated wormlike object is curled up, calculated as Image Event Length divided by Image Event Spine Length. (units: %) Curl of an extended, uncurled event object is equal to 100%

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