



SIC tutorial

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Basics

Basics: I. Need help?

GILDAS web page <http://www.iram.fr/IRAMFR/GILDAS/>

Online help

```
SIC> HELP ! Summary of all commands, gathered by language
SIC\
 @          BEGIN          BREAK          CONTINUE          EDIT          ELSE
 ...
 LINEDB\
  USE          SELECT          LIST          INSERT          REMOVE
Additional help available (eg summaries):
  SIC\          VECTOR\          ADJUST\          LINEDB\
SIC> HELP SIC\ ! (with backslash) Language help with short command description
          SIC\ Command Language Summary
ACCEPT          : Read variable in various format.
BEGIN          : Begin a sub-procedure, help file or data file.
BREAK          : Exit without error from a FOR-NEXT loop.
COMPUTE          : Execute non-arithmetic operations on variables.
...
SIC> HELP COMPUTE ! Command help
  [SIC\]COMPUTE OutVar OPERATION InVar [Parameters] [/BLANKING Bval
  [Eval]]

Perform operations or transformations on variables that are not directly
supported by the array capabilities of the SIC command interpreter. Out-
Var is the output variable, InVar the input variable.
...
SIC> HELP HELP ! All possible helps explained here
```

Helpdesk (Questions? Comments? Bug reports?): gildas@iram.fr

Basics: II. Getting started

```
shell-prompt> sic -h
GILDAS Version: dev (16mar16 10:33) (x86_64-redhat6.4-ifort) source tree
Usage: sic [OPTIONS] [COMMAND-LINE]
```

Options:

-nl: No Log files

No log and message files will be produced in ~/.gag/logs/
for this session. For a permanent effect, put the line
"SIC_LOGFILES NO" in ~/.gag.dico

-d: Debug

Start the program with debug messages enabled. They can
be disabled or reenabled later on with the command SIC
DEBUG MESSAGE

-v: Version

Display the version information

-h: Help

Display this help

Batch mode:

```
shell> [nohup] sic < readfrom.pro > writeto.log 2>&1 &
"nohup" should not be required if you really redirect
STDIN, STDOUT, and STDERR as in the above example.
The command "exit" is not needed at the end of the
file "readfrom.pro" since a EOF signal will terminate
the process.
```

Basics: II. Getting started

```
shell-prompt> sic
GILDAS Version: dev (16mar16 10:33) (x86_64-redhat6.4-ifort) source tree

* Welcome to SIC

* Loaded modules
  sic (J.Pety, S.Bardeau, S.Guilloteau, E.Reynier)

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* Questions? Comments? Bug reports? Mail to: gildas@iram.fr
```

```
SIC>
```

```
shell-prompt> sic help
GILDAS Version: dev (16mar16 10:33) (x86_64-redhat6.4-ifort) source tree
...
HELP should be available on the following commands :
SIC\
  @          BEGIN          BREAK          CONTINUE          EDIT          ELSE
...
SIC>
```

Basics: III. Abbreviations and ambiguities

Commands can be abbreviated:

```
SIC> examine pi
PI          =          3.141592653589793      ! Double GLOBAL RO
SIC> exa pi
PI          =          3.141592653589793      ! Double GLOBAL RO
SIC> ex pi
E-PARSE, Ambiguous command could be :
SIC\EXIT          SIC\EXAMINE          SIC\EXECUTE
```

Options too:

```
SIC> exa pi /a
E-PARSE, Ambiguous option for command EXAMINE could be :
/ADDRESS          /ALIAS
```

But not the variables!

```
SIC> exa p
E-EXAMINE, No such variable P
W-SIC, Ambiguous Name, Could be:
PI
```

Keywords: list and disambiguation

```
SIC> define ?
I-DEFINE, Choices are:
  REAL          DOUBLE          INTEGER          LONG          LOGICAL          CHARACTER          COMPLEX
  TABLE          STRUCTURE          IMAGE          HEADER          FUNCTION          COMMAND          FITS
  UVTABLE          ALIAS          LANGUAGE
SIC> define int a
```


Basics: IV. Explicitly or implicitly spawning shell commands

Commands can be spawned to the shell by prefixing them with \$ (quick access):

```
SIC> $ls
pro  slides  tools
SIC> $date
Tue Mar 22 18:49:27 CET 2016
```

Commands can be spawned to the shell by prefixing them with SYSTEM (more flexible):

```
SIC> system "ls -l"
total 11184
-rw----- 1 bardeau astro      8 Apr  7 08:36 demo-greg-2d.aux
-rw----- 1 bardeau astro 22387 Apr  7 08:36 demo-greg-2d.log
...
SIC> define char*32 myfile
SIC> let myfile "demo-sic.pdf"
SIC> system "ls -l "'myfile'"
-rw----- 1 bardeau astro 509698 Sep 29 14:20 demo-sic.pdf
```

Some SIC commands all perform operating system commands (more portable):

```
SIC> sic mkdir foo/bar ! Create directory
SIC> sic dir foo ! Change working directory
SIC> sic dir ! Display working directory
I-SIC, Default directory is /home/pety/gildas-git/tutorials/kernel/foo
SIC> sic rename bar bleu
SIC> sic delete bar
SIC> edit ! Open an editor
I-EDIT, Writing stack content on stack.sic
I-EDIT, Using "emacsclient --no-wait" editor
```

Basics: V. Permanent customizations

Some customizations can be defined for all sessions. Two major ways:

\$HOME/.gag.dico Put here logical name and value pairs, available to all programs and all sessions.
For example:

```
home/user> cat .gag.dico
macro#dir:      ./;./pro;gag_pro;;
sic_logfiles    no
```

\$HOME/.gag/init/init.sic (or init.greg, etc) Init files are real script files executed like any other one, for all sessions of the given program, and for programs depending on it. For example:

```
home/user> cat .gag/init/init.sic
sic log macro#dir: "./;./pro/;"'macro#dir:' ! See slide "Procedures: II"
sic help scroll ! Scroll mode for HELP command
sic message * l+d ! Add debug messages in log file
symbol lrt "system ""ls --color=tty -lrt"" ! Create a custom shortcut for shell "ls"
```

Basics: VI. Efficient loops

Examples

1. Defining all integers from 1 to N

```
define integer a[100]
let a[i] i
```

2. Computing a 2D gaussian model

```
! Define the gaussian parameters
define integer np
let np 1024
define real xc yc amp sig z[np,np]
let xc np*0.5
let yc np*0.5
let amp 1.0
let sig np/5.0
! Track computing time
sic cpu
! Compute the gaussian model
! for y 1 to np
!   for x 1 to np
!     let z[x,y] amp*exp(-(((x-xc)^2+(y-yc)^2))/2/sig^2)
!   next x
! next y
! Report computing time
sic cpu
exa sic%cpu%raw%
```

Results

Non-vectorized

```
SIC%CPU%RAW%    ! Structure GLOBAL
SIC%CPU%RAW%ELAPSED =    33.757305
SIC%CPU%RAW%USER =    29.925451
SIC%CPU%RAW%SYSTEM =    3.484470
```

Vectorized ~1000 times faster!

```
SIC%CPU%RAW%    ! Structure GLOBAL
SIC%CPU%RAW%ELAPSED =    3.066086E-02
SIC%CPU%RAW%USER =    2.799600E-02
SIC%CPU%RAW%SYSTEM =    2.999999E-03
```

Procedures

Procedures: I. Editing

Invoking the editor The procedure files can be edited with your favorite text/program editor in your working environment. You can also briefly open-edit-close a file in the session with the EDIT command:

```
SIC> edit procedure-file-name  
I-EDIT, Using "emacs" editor
```

The editor can be customized with the SIC EDIT command.

Syntax highlighting GILDAS provides syntax highlighting configuration files.

Emacs editor Put the following lines in your \$HOME/.emacs configuration file.

```
; Customize emacs to work pretty well with GILDAS procedures  
(setq load-path (cons  
                "~/gildas/gildas-src-sep16b/admin"  
                load-path))  
(load "gildas")
```

This loads the file gildas.el in Emacs.

KDE editors (Kate or Kwrite) Copy (or link) the configuration file like this:

```
cp /gildas/gildas-src-sep16b/admin/gildas.xml $HOME/.local/share/katepart5/syntax/
```

Procedures: **II. Executing (1/2)**

```
SIC> @ procedure-file-name
```

Procedures: III. Extensions

Standard extensions: procedures are usually suffixed with

`.sic` contains commands understood by Sic,

`.greg` contains commands understood by Greg,

and so on.

Non-standard extensions: the procedure extension is free, e.g. `myprocedure.sic~`, `myprocedure.sic.bak`, `myprocedure.cmd...` can be executed.

Default extensions:

extension can be omitted. Sic will try several extensions from a predefined list:

```
SIC> sic extension
I-SIC, Default macro extensions: .sic .pro
```

default list depends on program, e.g.

```
MRTCAL> sic extension
I-SIC, Default macro extensions: .cal .class .greg .sic .pro
```

default list can be enriched:

```
SIC> sic extension .cmd
SIC> sic extension
I-SIC, Default macro extensions: .cmd .sic .pro
```

Procedures: IV. Paths

Procedures can be prefixed with a path, absolute or relative, e.g.

```
SIC> @ /home/me/pro/hello.sic
SIC> @ pro/hello.sic
```

Default search paths can be omitted: search first in current working directory and then in GILDAS defined procedures. `macro#dir:` is a logical value storing the paths where to search for procedures ⇒ user customizable.

```
SIC> sic logical macro#dir:                                ! Display current value
macro#dir: = ./;gag_pro;;
SIC> sic logical macro#dir: "./;./pro/;"'macro#dir:'      ! Set new value
SIC> sic logical macro#dir:                                ! Check new value
macro#dir: = ./;./pro;;gag_pro;;
SIC> @ hello.sic
Hello
```

SIC WHICH ProcName tells which file will be executed when executing @ ProcName.

```
SIC> sic which hello.sic
./pro/hello.sic
```


Procedures: II. Executing (2/2)

```
SIC> @ hello           ! You can omit both path and extension
Hello
```

```
SIC> sic which hello  ! Check which one is found
./pro/hello.sic
```

```
SIC> type hello       ! Show the contents of the file
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
!
say "Hello"
!
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
```

Procedures: V. Arguments - 1. The easy way

Procedure arguments are passed as character strings and retrieved as tokens &1, &2, ... (9 at most). Tokens are replaced before any other SIC interpretation

```
SIC> @ pro/abs2off 05:40:54 -02:28:35.00 05:40:54.270 -02:28:00.00
```

```
(-4.05,-35)
```

```
SIC> type abs2off.sic
```

```
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
! @ abs2off
! Convert from RA1,Dec1 coordinates to offsets from RA2,Dec2 projection
! center assuming a RADIO projection
! &1 (1st argument): ra1
! &2 (2nd argument): dec1
! &3 (4rd argument): ra2
! &4 (4th argument): dec2
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
!
define double sec_per_rad
let sec_per_rad 180*3600/pi
define double ra1 dec1
define double ra2 dec2
let ra1 "&1" /sexag r h ! Translate an input string from Hours to Radian
let ra2 "&3" /sexag r h
let dec1 "&2" /sexag r d ! Translate an input string from degree to Radian
let dec2 "&4" /sexag r d
! Answer to user, taking care of the projection and the unit conversion
say ""
say "("'nint(100*(ra1-ra2)*cos(dec1)*sec_per_rad)/100',"'"(dec1-dec2)*sec_per_rad'"")"
say ""
!
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
```

Procedures: V. Arguments - 2. The flexible way

`pro%narg` Number of input arguments (up to 32)

`pro%arg[iarg]` i argth argument of procedure in character string format.

```
SIC> @ pro/abs2off
E-ABS2OFF Usage: @ abs2off RA1 Dec1 RA2 Dec2
SIC> type abs2off.sic
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
! @ abs2off
! Convert from RA1,Dec1 coordinates to offsets from RA2,Dec2 projection
! center assuming a RADIO projection
! 1st argument: ra1
! 2nd argument: dec1
! 4rd argument: ra2
! 4th argument: dec2
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
!
if (pro%narg.lt.4) then
  message e abs2off "Usage: @ abs2off RA1 Dec1 RA2 Dec2"
  return base
endif
define double sec_per_rad
let sec_per_rad 180*3600/pi
define double ra1 dec1
define double ra2 dec2
let ra1 'pro%arg[1]' /sexag r h
let ra2 'pro%arg[2]' /sexag r h
let dec1 'pro%arg[3]' /sexag r d
let dec2 'pro%arg[4]' /sexag r d
say ""
say "("nint(100*(ra1-ra2)*cos(dec1)*sec_per_rad)/100'," "(dec1-dec2)*sec_per_rad'"")"
say ""
!
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
```

Procedures: VI. Local vs global scope for variables

```
SIC> type car2pol
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
! @ car2pol
! Input &1: x0 coordinate along the x axis
! Input &2: y0 coordinate along the y axis
! Output stored in the polar structure (polar%rho and polar%theta)
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
!
if .not.exist(polar) then
  define structure polar /global
  define double polar%rho polar%theta /global
endif
define double cos sin ! Local variables
let polar%rho sqrt(&1^2+&2^2)
let cos &1/polar%rho
let sin &2/polar%rho
let polar%theta atan2(sin,cos)
!
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
SIC>
SIC> @ car2pol 1.5 2.0
SIC> exa polar
POLAR          ! Structure GLOBAL
SIC> exa polar%
POLAR%         ! Structure GLOBAL
POLAR%THETA    =    0.9272952180016123      ! Double GLOBAL
POLAR%RHO      =    2.5000000000000000      ! Double GLOBAL
SIC> exa cos sin
E-EXAMINE, No such variable COS
```

Procedures: VII. Structuring in blocks - 1. Example

```
SIC> @ brightness-tools
I-BRIGHT, Brightness tool initialization complete
SIC> exa bright%
BRIGHT%          ! Structure GLOBAL
BRIGHT%JYPERK    =      0.0000000000000000      ! Double GLOBAL
BRIGHT%KPERJY    =      0.0000000000000000      ! Double GLOBAL
SIC> @ bright-jansky 115.3 22.5 22.5 ! IRAM-30m values.
Wavelength: 2.6 mm, Beam: 13.5 x 13.5
K per Jy/Beam: 0.18167472815151
mJy/beam per K: 5.504342899944E+03
SIC> @ bright-jansky 115.3 1.2 0.8 ! NOEMA values.
Wavelength: 2.6 mm, Beam: 0.7 x 0.5
K per Jy/Beam: 95.805032423647
mJy/beam per K: 10.437865054709
SIC> @ bright-jansky 115.3 0.02 0.015 ! ALMA values.
Wavelength: 2.6 mm, Beam: 0.012 x 0.09
K per Jy/Beam: 3.0657610375567E+04
mJy/beam per K: 0.032618328295964
```

Procedures: VII. Structuring in blocks - 2. Howto

```
SIC> type brightness-tools ! List the content of tools/brightness-tools.sic
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
begin procedure bright-def
  if not.exist(bright) then
    define structure bright /global
    define double bright%kperjy bright%jyperk /global
  endif
end procedure bright-def
!
begin procedure bright-jansky
  ! Compute conversion factor between Jy/Beam and K.
  define double nu theta[2] lambda rad_per_sec
  let nu 'pro%arg[1]' ! [GHz]
  let nu nu*1e9 ! [Hz]
  let theta 'pro%arg[2]' 'pro%arg[3]'
  let rad_per_sec pi/(180*3600)
  let theta theta*rad_per_sec ! Convert from arcsec to radian
  let theta theta/2./sqrt(log(2.0)) ! Convert from FWHM to 1/e width
  let lambda 2.99792458e8/nu
  let bright%jyperk 2.0*1.38e3*pi*theta[1]*theta[2]/lambda^2
  let bright%kperjy 1/bright%jyperk
  ! User Feedback
  say "Wavelength: "'nint(1e5*lambda)/100'" mm, Beam: "'nint(1000*theta[1]/rad_per_sec)/1000'" x "'nint(1000*theta[2]/rad_per_sec)/1000'"
  say "K per Jy/Beam: "'bright%kperjy'"
  say "mJy/beam per K: "'1e3*bright%jyperk'"
end procedure bright-jansky
!
@ bright-def
message i bright "Brightness tool initialization complete"
!
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
```

Procedures: VIII. Dealing with errors

Errors can be raised for two main reasons:

- **syntax error** (e.g. misspelled command, unknown option, missing argument),
- error during **command execution**.

```
SIC> type erroneous.sic
say "Entering"
let pi 1
say "Leaving"
```

```
SIC> @ erroneous.sic
Entering
E-LET, Readonly variables cannot be modified
I-ERROR, Occured in ./erroneous.sic at Line    2
SIC_3> let pi 1
```

In case of error:

- an **error message** is displayed (or a cascade of error messages),
- the **backtrace** is shown,
- the **faulty command** is recalled with a dedicated prompt

Your action is required:

1. **edit** the command line to fix the issue **and execute** it, then type **C (CONTINUE)** to resume procedure execution, OR
2. stop the execution with **Q (QUIT)** as many times as needed, and fix the issue in the procedure file.

Importing data from outside world

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I. ASCII tables

Example file:

```
SIC> type ascii.dat ! Display the file contents
! A comment line
11 1.23456
22 9.87654
```

If the number of lines is not known, use COMPUTE LINES:

```
SIC> define integer nl
SIC> compute nl lines ascii.dat
SIC> exa nl
NL      =      3          ! Integer GLOBAL
SIC> compute nl lines ascii.dat /blank ! Ignore comment lines
SIC> exa nl
NL      =      2          ! Integer GLOBAL
```

Read file in array variables with command ACCEPT:

```
SIC> define real a[nl]
SIC> accept * a /column ascii.dat ! Use * to skip columns to be ignored
SIC> exa a
A              is a real Array      of dimensions  2
 1.234560      9.876540
```

Comment lines are implicitly ignored. Column separator is a group of one or more blanks. Use option /FORMAT for columns with specific formatting.

Importing data from outside world:

II. FITS images, cubes, UV tables

FITS images (2D), cubes (3D and more), and UV tables have a standard structure and can be translated directly to the Gildas Data Format (see next slides) for use with Gildas tools:

```
SIC> sic mkdir tmp
```

```
SIC> fits fits/paws-pdbi+30m-12co10-1as-cube.fits to tmp/m51-12co10.lmv  
W-FITS, Reference system set by SPECSYS, ignoring VELREF  
I-GIO_WIH, GDFBIG re-allocation      2
```

```
SIC> fits fits/paws-pdbi+30m-12co10-1as-mom0.fits to tmp/m51-12co10.lm  
W-FITS, Reference system set by SPECSYS, ignoring VELREF  
W-FITS_GILDAS, Removing NaN on the fly, using DATAMIN/MAX
```

Remark: Direct support of the CLASS FITS files and HERSCHEL/HIFI FITS files is also available within CLASS (see documentation for details).

Importing data from outside world:

III. Other FITS files

All FITS files (in particular those with a structure which can not be transferred to the Gildas Data Format) can be read in a SIC structure mapping all their Header/Data Units (FITS HDU) and/or XTENSIONS:

```
SIC> define fits f myfile.fits  
[Messages and warnings]  
SIC> examine f%  
...
```

Primary HDU components are available under F%, other HDU/XTENSION are available under F%XXX% (where XXX is the HDU/XTENSION name).

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I. Looking at the header of a LM image

SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lm

File : tmp/m51-12co10.lm

REAL*4

Size	Reference Pixel	Value	Increment
935	468.000000000000	0.00000000000000	-1.454441189707743E-06
601	301.000000000000	0.00000000000000	1.454441189707743E-06

Blanking value and tolerance -445.51599 0.0000000

Source name M51-1

Map unit K.KM/S

Axis type RA DEC

Coordinate system EQUATORIAL Velocity LSR

Right Ascension 13:29:52.532 Declination 47:11:41.98

Lii 104.8522142960191 Bii 68.56109465989114

Equinox 2000.0000

Projection type AZIMUTHAL Angle 0.0000000000000000

Axis 1 A0 13:29:52.532 Axis 2 D0 47:11:41.98

Minimum 0.0000000 at 1 1

Maximum 445.51596 at 552 246

Axis 0 Line Name 12co10 Rest Frequency 115090.0037000000

Resolution in Velocity 0.0000000 in Frequency 0.0000000000000000

Offset in Velocity 0.0000000 Doppler 0.0000000000000000

Beam 1.16 0.970 73.00

NO Noise level

NO Proper motion

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

II. Looking at the header of a LMV cube

```
SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
```

```
File : tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
```

```
REAL*4
```

Size	Reference Pixel	Value	Increment
935	468.000000000000	0.000000000000000	-1.454441189707743E-06
601	301.000000000000	0.000000000000000	1.454441189707743E-06
120	60.5000000000000	0.000000000000000	5.000000000000000

```
Blanking value and tolerance 16.533276 3.12593595E-09
```

```
Source name M51-1
```

```
Map unit K
```

```
Axis type RA DEC VELOCITY
```

```
Coordinate system EQUATORIAL Velocity LSR
```

```
Right Ascension 13:29:52.532 Declination 47:11:41.98
```

```
Lii 104.8522142960191 Bii 68.56109465989114
```

```
Equinox 2000.0000
```

```
Projection type AZIMUTHAL Angle 0.000000000000000
```

```
Axis 1 A0 13:29:52.532 Axis 2 D0 47:11:41.98
```

```
Minimum 0.0000000 at 1 1
```

```
Maximum 445.51596 at 552 246
```

```
Axis 3 Line Name 12co10 Rest Frequency 115090.0037000000
```

```
Resolution in Velocity 5.0000000 in Frequency -1.919494647527124
```

```
Offset in Velocity 0.0000000 Doppler 0.0000000000000000
```

```
Beam 1.16 0.970 73.00
```

```
NO Noise level
```

```
NO Proper motion
```

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

III. Loading the header of a LMV cube into a SIC structure

```
SIC> define header head tmp/m51-12co10.lmv read
SIC> exa head
HEAD      ! Header      GLOBAL RO
SIC> exa head%
HEAD%     ! Header      GLOBAL RO
HEAD%RDONLY = T                ! Logical GLOBAL RO
HEAD%TELE_SEC =          0        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%PARALLAX = 0.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%MU     is a real Array      of dimensions 2
           0.000000      0.000000
HEAD%PROPER =          0        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%RMS    = 0.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%NOISE  = 0.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%SIGMA  =          0        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%PA     = 1.274090        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%MINOR  = 4.7026929E-06    ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%MAJOR  = 5.6238387E-06    ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%BEAM   =          3        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%VTYPE  =          1        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%DOPPLER = 0.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%F_AXIS =          3        ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%VELOFF = 0.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%VELRES = 5.000000        ! Real    GLOBAL RO
HEAD%RESTFRE = 115090.0037000000 ! Double  GLOBAL RO
HEAD%IMAGFRE = 0.0000000000000000 ! Double  GLOBAL RO
HEAD%FREQRES = -1.919494647527124 ! Double  GLOBAL RO
HEAD%LINE   = 12co10          ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%SPEC   =          14      ! Integer GLOBAL RO
...
```

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

III. Loading the header of a LMV cube into a SIC structure

```
...
HEAD%Y_AXIS      =          2          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%X_AXIS      =          1          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%ANGLE       =    0.0000000000000000 ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%DO          =    0.8237080532122611 ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%AO          =    3.533748647002357   ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%PTYPE       =          3          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%PROJ        =          9          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%EQUINOX     =    2000.000          ! Real GLOBAL RO
HEAD%BII         =    1.196616840586602   ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%LII         =    1.830016367472201   ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%DEC         =    0.8237080532122611 ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%RA          =    3.533748647002357   ! Double GLOBAL RO
HEAD%SOURCE      = M51-1              ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%POSI        =          15          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
HEAD%SYSTEM      = EQUATORIAL         ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT7       =                   ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT6       =                   ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT5       =                   ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT4       =                   ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT3       = VELOCITY          ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT2       = DEC               ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT1       = RA                ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%UNIT        = K                 ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
HEAD%DESC        =          24          ! Integer GLOBAL RO
...
```


GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

IV. Modifying, e.g., the source name

```
SIC> define header head tmp/m51-12co10.lmv read
SIC> exa head%source
HEAD%SOURCE      = M51-1                ! Character*12 GLOBAL RO
SIC> let head%source "M51"
E-LET, Readonly variables cannot be modified
SIC> delete /var head
SIC> define header head tmp/m51-12co10.lmv write ! Note the WRITE status
SIC> exa head%source
HEAD%SOURCE      = M51-1                ! Character*12 GLOBAL
SIC> let head%source "M51"
SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
...
Source name      M51-1                  ! It did not change on disk yet!
...
SIC> delete /var head                    ! The file is only updated on disk at this point!
SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
...
Source name      M51                    ! Now it did change on disk!
...
```

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

V. Loading the header and the data block of a LMV cube into a SIC structure

```
SIC> define image cube tmp/m51-12co10.lmv read
SIC> exa cube /address
CUBE          is a real Array      of dimensions  935  601  120
-11 47709906011152 3  935  601  120  1  1  1  1  67432200  1 T 0
SIC> exa cube[1] /ad
CUBE[1]       is a real Array      of dimensions  935  601
-11 47709906011152 2  935  601  0  0  0  0  0  561935  1 T 0
SIC> exa cube[1,1] /ad
CUBE[1,1]     is a real Array      of dimensions  935
-11 47709906011152 1  935  0  0  0  0  0  0  935  1 T 0
SIC> exa cube[1,1,1] /ad
CUBE[1,1,1]   is a real Array      of dimensions
-11 47709906011152 0  0  0  0  0  0  0  0  1  1 T 0
SIC> exa cube[1,1,1]
CUBE[1,1,1]   is a real Array      of dimensions
16.53328
SIC> exa cube%
CUBE%         is a real Array      of dimensions  935  601  120
CUBE%RDONLY   = T                    ! Logical GLOBAL RO
CUBE%TELE_SEC = 0                    ! Integer GLOBAL RO
CUBE%PARALLAX = 0.000000             ! Real    GLOBAL RO
...
SIC> exa cube[1,11:20,1]
CUBE[1,11:20,1] is a real Array      of dimensions  10
16.53328      16.53328      16.53328      16.53328      16.53328
16.53328      16.53328      16.53328      16.53328      16.53328
```

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

VI. Changing, e.g., the blanking value

```
SIC> define image cube tmp/m51-12co10.lmv read
SIC> exa cube[1,11:20,1]
CUBE[1,11:20,1] is a real Array of dimensions 10
  16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328
  16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328
SIC> let cube -1000 /where abs(cube-cube%blank[1]).le.cube%blank[2]
E-LET, Readonly variables cannot be modified
SIC> delete /var cube
SIC> define image cube tmp/m51-12co10.lmv write ! Note the WRITE status
SIC> exa cube[1,11:20,1]
CUBE[1,11:20,1] is a real Array of dimensions 10
  16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328
  16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328 16.53328
SIC> let cube -1000 /where abs(cube-cube%blank[1]).le.cube%blank[2]
SIC> let cube%blank[1] -1000
SIC> let cube%blank[2] 0
SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
...
Blanking value and tolerance 16.533276 3.12593595E-09 ! It did not change on disk yet!
...
SIC> delete /var cube ! The file is only updated on disk at this point!
SIC> header tmp/m51-12co10.lmv
...
Blanking value and tolerance -1000.0000 0.0000000 ! Now it did change on disk!
...
SIC> define image cube tmp/m51-12co10.lmv read
SIC> exa cube[1,11:20,1]
 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000
 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000 -1000.000
SIC> delete /var cube
```

GDF \simeq 1 header + 1 data block:

VII. Importing data, changing the blanking value, and modifying the header in a single procedure

```
SIC> type import ! List the content of pro/import.sic
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
begin procedure import-modify
  define real blank[2]
  let blank[1] &3
  let blank[2] &4
  define image ima "tmp/&1" write
  let ima blank[2] /where abs(ima-ima%blank[1]).le.ima%blank[2]
  let ima%blank blank ! Directly copy the full array
  let ima%source "&2"
  delete /var ima
  header "tmp/&1"
end procedure import-modify
!
begin procedure import-fits
  sic mkdir tmp
  fits "fits/&1.fits" to "tmp/&2"
end procedure import-fits
!
begin procedure import-data
  @ import-fits &1 &2
  @ import-modify &2 M51 -1000 0
end procedure import-data
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
@ import-data paws-pdbi+30m-12co10-1as-cube m51-12co10.lmv
@ import-data paws-pdbi+30m-12co10-1as-mom0 m51-12co10.lm
!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
SIC> @ import
...
```

GILDAS Tasks

GILDAS Tasks: I. Generalities

Definition Standalone program with standardized input parameters so that the program can be called through the RUN command.

Example Extracting a given subset of an image.

Input file name: tmp/m51-12co10.lm
Output file name: tmp/m51-12co10-ext.lm
Bottom left corner: 451 284 1 1
Top right corner: 485 318 1 1
Position of one pixel in input image: 451 284 1 1
Position of this pixel in output image: 1 1 1 1
Initialize output image: Yes
If YES, Fill information Below
Dimensions of output image: 0 0 0 0
Initialize with input file's blanking value: Yes
Initialization value [1 real]: 0

```
SIC> run extract
```

```
Waiting ...
```

```
I-RUN, Task extract running, logfile is  
I-RUN, /home/pety/.gag/logs/extract.gildas
```

```
I-GDF_STBL, Setting 2 starting blocks
```

```
I-GIO_RIH, GDFBIG re-allocation 2
```

```
Old dimensions 2 601
```

```
S-EXTRACT, Successful completion
```

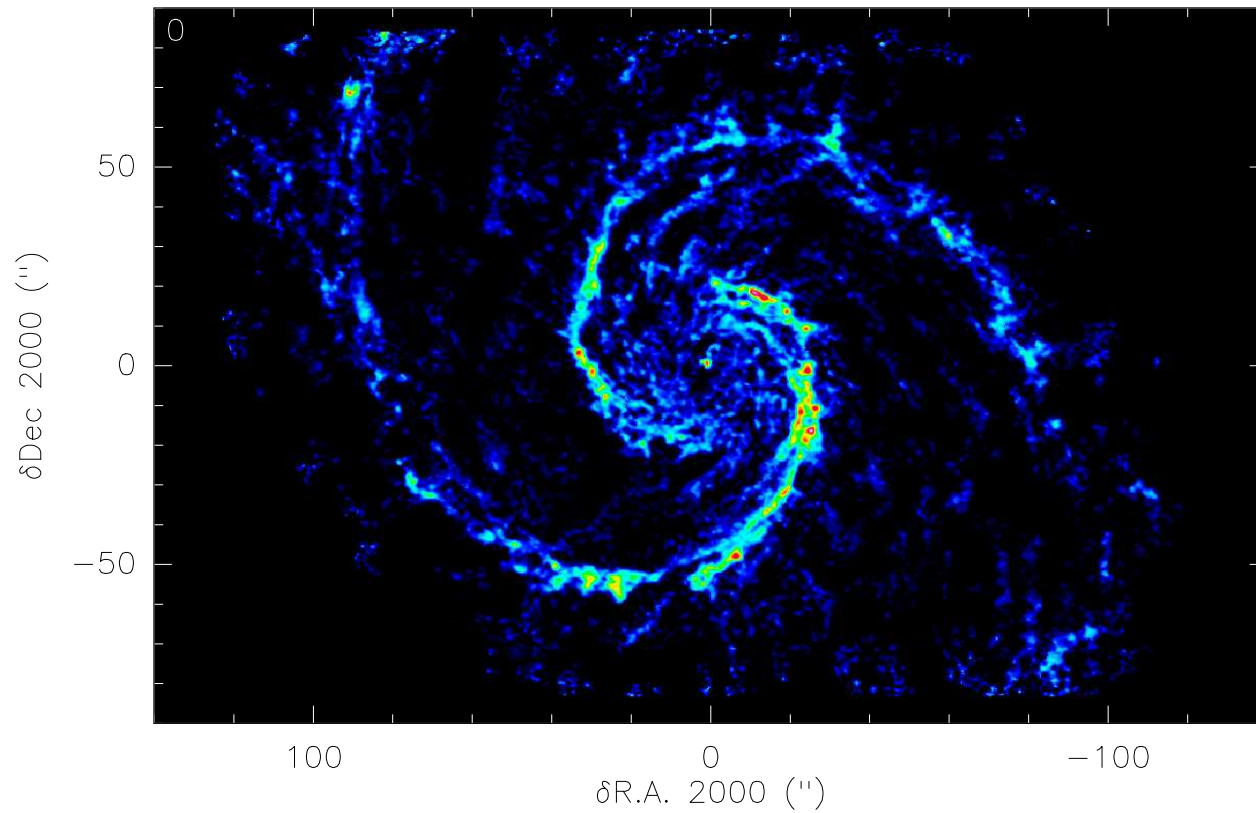
```
I-RUN, Elapsed .0, User .0, System .0
```

```
I-RUN, Task extract completed successfully
```

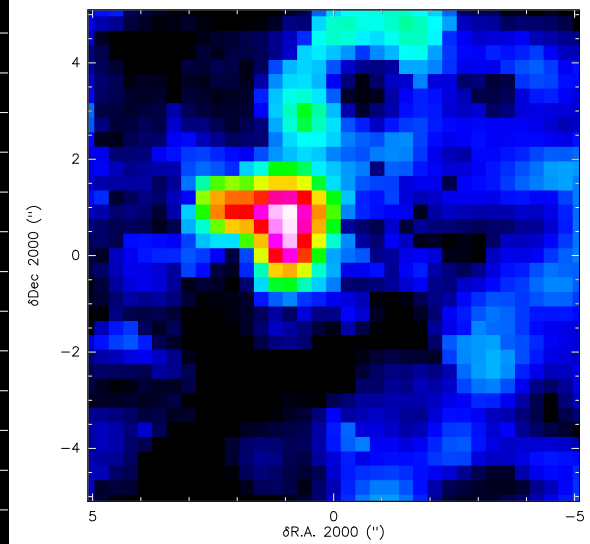
```
SIC>
```

GILDAS Tasks: II. Results

Full image before extraction



Zoom image after extraction



GILDAS Tasks: III. What is available, where?

Displaying the list of tasks with a one-line description per task.

```
SIC> help task
```

```
...
```

```
correlation-analysis
```

```
CORRELATE      Correlation image of two input images or data cubes
HISTO_CLOUD    Cross histogram of two input images (Table output)
HISTO_CROSS    Cross histogram of two input images/cubes (Image output)
HISTO_DOUBLE   Histogram of an image as a function of another one
HISTO_SIMPLE   Histogram of an image or of a table
HISTO_TABLE    Cross histogram of column tables
MINIMIZE       Find best linear correlation between two images
REGRESSION     Compute the linear regression from a cross histogram
CORRELATE      Correlation image of two input images or data cubes
TABLE_DENSITY Density of points from 2 columns of a table
```

```
...
```

Tasks are grouped to simplify their listing. A single group can be listed.

```
SIC> help task mapping ! Try "help task ?" for the available groups
```

```
mapping
```

```
UV_MOSAIC      Gather or Split Mosaic UV Tables
CLEAN          CLEAN deconvolution of an input data cube
MX            MX imaging and deconvolution algorithm starting from a UV table
PRIMARY       Correct for the interferometer primary beam attenuation an input cube
MAKE_PRIMARY   Linear mosaicing tool from individual cleaned fields
MAKE_MOSAIC    Build a dirty mosaic from individual fields (suited only to MAPPING)
MAKE_MOSAIC    Build a dirty mosaic from individual fields (suited only to MAPPING)
UV_AVERAGE    Channel averaging of UV data
UV_CAL        Apply an input table of gain (from UV_GAIN) to a table of uncalibrated visibilities
```

```
...
```

Tasks can be launched from any GILDAS program They are grouped only for bookkeeping purposes and to give the user a rough idea of their actions.

GILDAS Tasks: IV. Init file

```
SIC> $!s ! GILDAS remembers your last input for this task in extract.init
extract.init fits pro tmp tools
SIC> type extract.init
TASK\FILE "Input file name" Y_NAME$ "tmp/m51-12co10.lm"
TASK\FILE "Output file name" X_NAME$ "tmp/m51-12co10-ext.lm"
TASK\INTEGER "Bottom left corner" BLC$[4] 451 284 1 1
TASK\INTEGER "Top right corner" TRC$[4] 485 318 1 1
TASK\INTEGER "Position of one pixel in input image" PIXEL_IN$[4] 451 284 1 1
TASK\INTEGER "Position of this pixel in output image" PIXEL_OUT$[4] 1 1 1 1
TASK\LOGICAL "Initialize output image" INITIALIZE$ YES
SAY "If YES, Fill information Below"
TASK\INTEGER "Dimensions of output image" X_DIM$[4] 0 0 0 0
TASK\LOGICAL "Initialize with input file's blanking value" BLANKOUT$ YES
TASK\REAL "Initialization value [1 real]" INITVAL$ 0
TASK\GO
SIC> run extract ! Next time you will run this task, the widget will already be filled for you
Waiting ...
```

GILDAS Tasks: V. Debugging

```
SIC> spy extract
.....
/home/pety/.gag/scratch/124729/extract.par
.....
Y_NAME$
tmp/m51-12co10.lm
X_NAME$
tmp/m51-12co10-ext.lm
BLC$
          451          284          1          1
TRC$
          485          318          1          1
PIXEL_IN$
          451          284          1          1
PIXEL_OUT$
           1           1           1          1
INITIALIZE$
T
X_DIM$
           0           0           0          0
BLANKOUT$
T
.....
/home/pety/.gag/logs/extract.gildas
.....
I-GDF_STBL,  Setting  2 starting blocks
I-GIO_RIH,  GDFBIG re-allocation      2
  Old dimensions      2          601
S-EXTRACT,  Successful completion
```

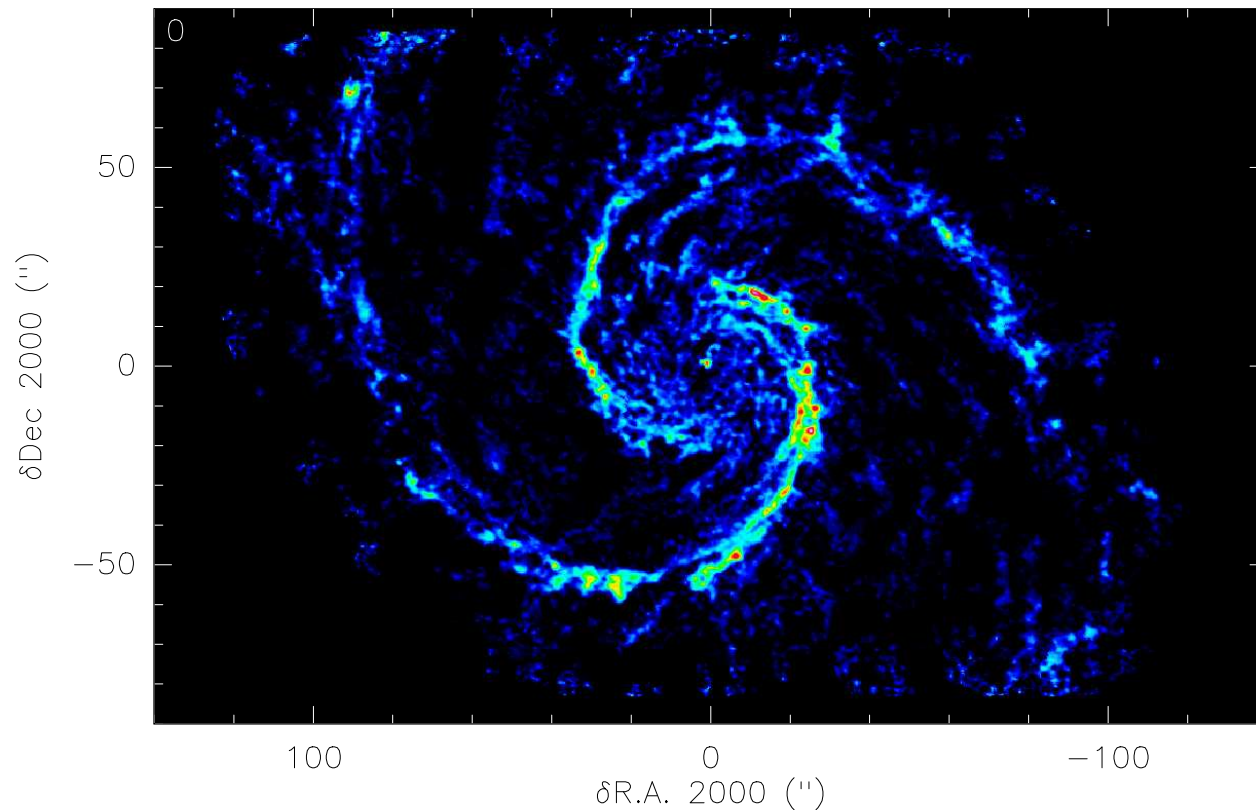
A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task

A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

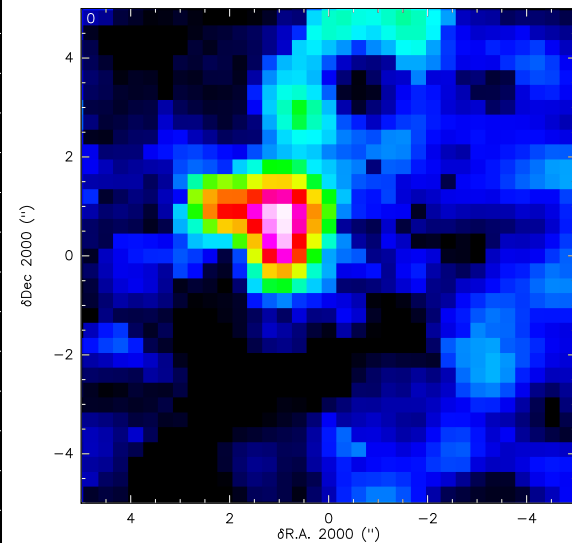
I. Results

```
SIC> @ extract-tools  
SIC> let name tmp/m51-12co10  
SIC> let type lm  
SIC> let center 0 ! arcsecond  
SIC> let size 10 ! arcsecond  
SIC> @ do-extract
```

Full image before extraction



Zoom image after extraction



A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

II. Defining global variables of many different kinds

```
begin procedure extract-def
  if .not.exist(name)   define character name*256 /global
  if .not.exist(type)   define character type*16 /global
  if .not.exist(size)   define double size[2] /global
  if .not.exist(center) define double center[2] /global
  if .not.exist(extract) then
    define structure extract /global
    define integer extract%blc[4] extract%trc[4] extract%axis[4] /global
    define double extract%min[4] extract%max[4] /global
  endif
end procedure extract-def
SIC> @ extract-tools
SIC> exa name
NAME                ! Character* 256 GLOBAL
SIC> exa type
TYPE                =                ! Character*16 GLOBAL
SIC> exa size
SIZE                is a double precision Array      of dimensions 2
0.0000000000000000  0.0000000000000000
SIC> exa center
CENTER              is a double precision Array      of dimensions 2
0.0000000000000000  0.0000000000000000
SIC> exa extract%
EXTRACT%            ! Structure GLOBAL
EXTRACT%MAX         is a double precision Array      of dimensions 4
EXTRACT%MIN         is a double precision Array      of dimensions 4
EXTRACT%AXIS        is a long integer Array         of dimensions 4
EXTRACT%OUT         is a long integer Array         of dimensions 4
EXTRACT%TRC         is a long integer Array         of dimensions 4
EXTRACT%BLC         is a long integer Array         of dimensions 4
```

A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

III. Parsing the input variables ⇒ Lot's of bookkeeping

```
if exist(extract%head) delete /var extract%head
define double rad_per_sec
let rad_per_sec pi/(180*3600)
define header extract%head 'name'". "'type' read /global
! Handle the X axis
if (extract%head%x_axis.ne.0) then
  ! Found the x_axis => assume that a conversion from second to radian is needed
  let extract%axis[1] extract%head%x_axis
  let extract%min[1] (center[1]-0.5*size[1])*rad_per_sec
  let extract%max[1] (center[1]+0.5*size[1])*rad_per_sec
else
  ! Assume that center[1] and size[1] refers to first axis in cube units
  let extract%axis[1] 1
  let extract%min[1] (center[1]-0.5*size[1])
  let extract%max[1] (center[1]+0.5*size[1])
endif
! Handle the Y axis
if (extract%head%y_axis.ne.0) then
  ! Found the y_axis => assume that a conversion from second to radian is needed
  let extract%axis[2] extract%head%y_axis
  let extract%min[2] (center[2]-0.5*size[2])*rad_per_sec
  let extract%max[2] (center[2]+0.5*size[2])*rad_per_sec
else
  ! Assume that center[2] and size[2] refers to second axis in cube units
  let extract%axis[2] 2
  let extract%min[2] (center[2]-0.5*size[2])
  let extract%max[2] (center[2]+0.5*size[2])
endif
```

A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

IV. Playing with coordinate axes to compute BLC and TRC

```
! Compute blc and trc for the LM axes
let extract%blc 1
let extract%trc 1
define integer kaxis ! Intermediate local variable to simplify code
define double min max ! Intermediate local variable to simplify code
for iaxis 1 to 2 ! 1 = x and 2 = y
  let kaxis extract%axis[iaxis]
  if (extract%head%convert[3,kaxis].ne.0) then
    ! Compute: ix = xref+(x-xval)/xinc
    let min extract%head%convert[1,kaxis]+(extract%min[iaxis]-extract%head%convert[2,kaxis])
    let min min/extract%head%convert[3,kaxis]
    let max extract%head%convert[1,kaxis]+(extract%max[iaxis]-extract%head%convert[2,kaxis])
    let max max/extract%head%convert[3,kaxis]
  else
    message e extract "Axis "'kaxis'" has a zero valued increment"
    return base ! Stop command flow after explaining why to the user
  endif
  let extract%blc[kaxis] min(min,max) ! Depending on inc sign min and max could be inverted
  let extract%trc[kaxis] max(min,max) ! Depending on inc sign min and max could be inverted
next iaxis
delete /var extract%head ! Done with the header => Delete to avoid memory leaks
```


A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

V. User feedback on what will be done

```
! The following code will produce something like
! I-EXTRACT, Will extract [451:485,284:318,1:1,1:1]
define character mess*80
let mess "Will extract ["
for iaxis 1 to 4
  let mess 'mess','extract%blc[iaxis]':"':'extract%trc[iaxis]','
  if (iaxis.lt.4) let mess 'mess',"
next iaxis
let mess 'mess']"
message i extract 'mess'
```

A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task:

VI. Silently calling the task from inside a procedure

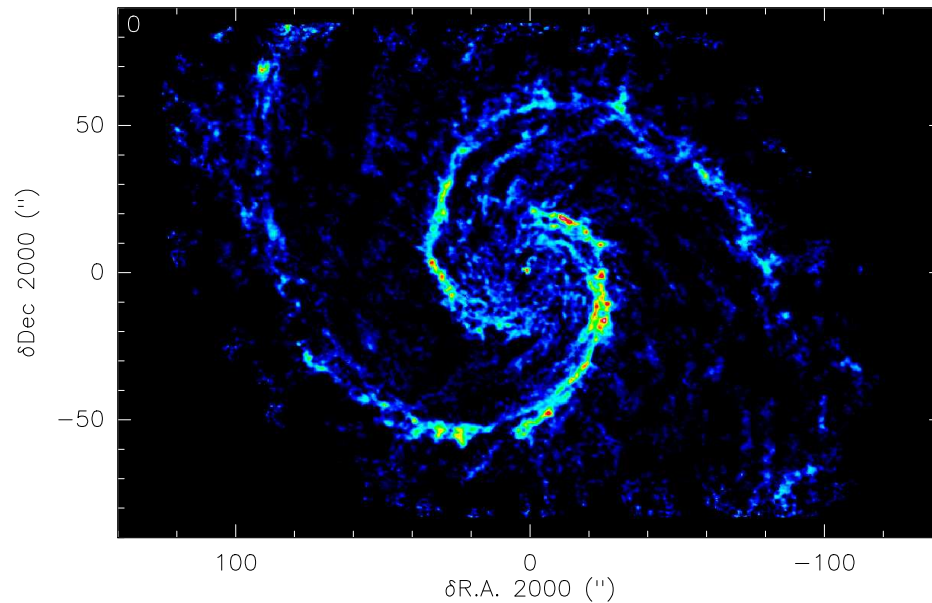
```
begin data gag_scratch:extract.init
  ! Parameter file for EXTRACT task
  task\file "Input file name"  Y_NAME$ 'name' "." 'type'
  task\file "Output file name" X_NAME$ 'name' "-ext." 'type'
  task\integer "Bottom left corner" BLC$[4] 'extract%blc[1]' 'extract%blc[2]' 'extract%blc[3]' 'extract%blc[4]'
  task\integer "Top right corner"   TRC$[4] 'extract%trc[1]' 'extract%trc[2]' 'extract%trc[3]' 'extract%trc[4]'
  task\integer "Position of one pixel in input image"  PIXEL_IN$[4] 'extract%blc[1]' 'extract%blc[2]' 'extract%blc[3]' 'extract%blc[4]'
  task\integer "Position of this pixel in output image" PIXEL_OUT$[4] 1 1 1 1
  task\logical "Initialize output image" INITIALIZE$ YES
  SAY "If YES, Fill information Below"
  task\integer "Dimensions of output image" X_DIM$[4] 0 0 0 0
  task\logical "Initialize with input file's blanking value" BLANKOUT$ YES
  task\real "Initialization value [1 real]" INITVAL$ 0
  task\go
end data gag_scratch:extract.init
!
begin procedure extract-do
  @ extract-parse-input ! Code from previous slides
  run extract gag_scratch:extract.init /nowindow
  let name 'name' "-ext"
  say " "
  message i extract "Sub-cube "'name' "." 'type'" successfully extracted"
  message w extract "Name set to "'name'"
  say " "
end procedure extract-do
```

A more user-friendly interface to the EXTRACT task: VII. How to plunge the initial image into a square grid?

⇒ Easy!

```
SIC> @ extract-tools  
SIC> let name tmp/m51-12co10  
SIC> let type lm  
SIC> let center 0 ! arcsecond  
SIC> let size 300 ! arcsecond  
SIC> @ do-extract
```

Full image before extraction



Zoom image after extraction

