0 - Fringes everywhere

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1 Presence of fringes in MIRI MRS spectra?

Let's look at the spectra extracted from different MIRI optical stimuli.

1.1 > Import modules

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In [1]: import funcs
    import mrsobs
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1.2 > Get data

We load the images for one band of the MRS for different kinds of sources, including:

* MTS 800K BB extended source * MIRI 800K BB internal calibration source * MTS 800K BB extended source observed through etalon "ET1A" * MTS 800K BB extended source observed through

tended source observed through etalon "ET1A" * MTS 800K BB extended source of 100micron pinhole * OTIS 800K BB ASPA source (semi-extended)

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In [2]: # Define paths to data
       workDir = '/Users/ioannisa/Desktop/python/miri_devel/'
        cdpDir = workDir+'cdp_data/'
       d2cMapDir = workDir+'distortionMaps/'
       lvl2path = workDir+'FM_data/LVL2/'
       otisdatapath = workDir+'OTIS_data/'
        # Get data
       band = '1A'
       ext_source_sci,ext_source_bkg
       mrsobs.FM_MTS_BB_extended_source(1v12path,band,bb_temp='800K')
       intcal_source_sci
       mrsobs.MIRI_internal_calibration_source(lvl2path,band,campaign='FM')
       etal_source_sci,etal_source_bkg
       mrsobs.FM_MTS_800K_BB_extended_source_through_etalon(lvl2path,band,etalon='ET1A')
       point_source_sci,point_source_bkg
       mrsobs.FM_MTS_800K_BB_point_source_raster(lvl2path,position='middle',pointing='P1')
        semiext_source_sci,semiext_source_bkg
       mrsobs.OTIS_ASPA_semiextended_source(otisdatapath,band,pointing='v03')
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1.3 > Transform data

We subtract background exposures where available (Contamination Control Cover closed for internal calibration source observations, no background exposures taken)

1.4 > Modeling

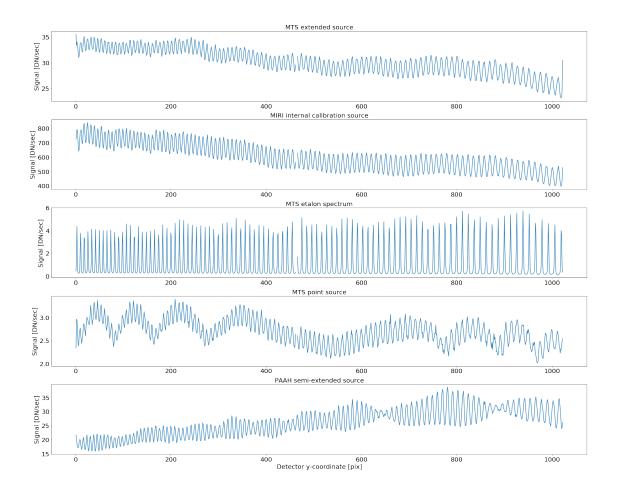
We extract a detector pixel trace based on different criteria, including as example:

* slice number and along-slice position (required geometric distortion calibration information for the latter) * peak signal of compact source in slice which contains the center of the PSF

1.5 > Visualization

Let's look at the 2D images and the extracted spectra through the pixel traces.

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In [5]: from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
        plt.style.use('presentation')
        %matplotlib inline
In [6]: # make plots
        fig,axs=plt.subplots(1,5,figsize=(25,4))
        axs[0].imshow(ext_source_bkgsubtr)
        axs[0].set_title('MTS extended source')
        axs[1].imshow(intcal_source_sci)
        axs[1].set_title('MIRI internal calibration source')
        axs[2].imshow(etal_source_bkgsubtr)
        axs[2].set_title('MTS etalon spectrum')
        axs[3].imshow(point_source_bkgsubtr)
        axs[3].set_title('MTS point source')
        axs[4].imshow(semiext_source_bkgsubtr)
        axs[4].set_title('PAAH semi-extended source')
        plt.tight_layout()
        fig,axs=plt.subplots(5,1,figsize=(25,20))
        axs[0].plot(ext_source_bkgsubtr[ypos_p,xpos_p])
        axs[0].set title('MTS extended source')
        axs[1].plot(intcal_source_sci[ypos_p,xpos_p])
        axs[1].set_title('MIRI internal calibration source')
        axs[2].plot(etal_source_bkgsubtr[ypos_p,xpos_p])
        axs[2].set_title('MTS etalon spectrum')
        axs[3].plot(point_source_bkgsubtr[ypos_p,xpos_p])
        axs[3].set_title('MTS point source')
        axs[4].plot(semiext_source_bkgsubtr[ypos_se,xpos_se])
        axs[4].set_title('PAAH semi-extended source')
        axs[4].set_xlabel('Detector y-coordinate [pix]')
        for plot in range(5): axs[plot].set_ylabel('Signal [DN/sec]')
        plt.tight_layout()
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1.6 Conclusions:

- No matter what kind of source is observed with the MIRI MRS, all produced spectra will show fringes. Why? Because the frequency of the constructive and destructive interference produced by the optical setup prior to the Indium bumps (i.e. pixels) is spectrally resolved by the MRS instrument.
- The extended source spectrum shows a high-frequency fringe and a low-frequency fringe.
- The MIRI internal calibration source spectrum shows a similar fringe pattern as per the one seen in the extended source spectrum (how do these two compare, see Notebook 9).
- The point source spectrum is more difficult to analyze due to the pixel sampling of the PSF (need to find a way to tackle this issue, see Notebook 4). The high-frequency fringe can still be seen, however the low-frequency fringe is not as discernable.
- Although difficult to see, the etalon spectrum also shows fringing along the profile of its peaks. This fringing is presumably produced by the interaction of the monochromatic light with the fringe pattern seen in the spectrum of the extended source.

• The fringe pattern in the ASPA source spectrum (acquired from the Pass-and-a-half OTIS test) is different from the fringe pattern of the MTS extended source or point source. This is presumably due to the PAAH test set-up, which has three auto-collimating mirrors sample three circlular portions of the JWST primary mirror. The non-uniform mirror illumination can give rise to interferometric frequencies. This is just a conjecture, however it is not quantitatively clear how the observed fringe beating relates to the JWST PM illumination.

1.7 Follow-up question:

How does the fringe pattern of extended sources change in different slices / along-slice positions?

In []: