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## SDP: Standard Data Processing

The CXC performs pipeline processing on all Chandra science data. This processing has several <u>levels</u> or stages. All data products from SDP undergo <u>V&V</u>.

The processing version is recorded in the header keyword "ASCDSVER". <u>CIAO</u> is designed for use with data with a processing version of R4CU5UPD8 or DS 6.0.0 or higher. Note that the <u>version naming convention</u> changed after version R4CU5UPD14 to the "DS" system, starting with DS 6.0.0.

This <u>FAQ entry</u> shows you how you can use CIAO to find out the processing version of your data.

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