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Alexander Katsevich* (alexander.katsevich@ucf.edu), Mathematics Department, University of Central Florida, Orlando, FL 32816, and **Roman Krylov**. *Inversion of the broken ray transform in the case of energy-dependent attenuation.*

Broken Ray transform (BRT) arises when one considers a narrow x-ray beam propagating through medium under the assumption of single scattering. Previous algorithms for inverting the BRT assumed that the medium is characterized by a single attenuation coefficient μ . However x-rays lose their energy after Compton scattering, and the energy loss depends on the scattering angle. Since the attenuation coefficient depends on energy, the μ 's before and after scattering are different.

The main thrust of this paper is inversion of the BRT with $N \geq 3$ detectors under the assumption that the attenuation coefficient is a linear function of energy. When the number of detectors is four or greater, we derive a family of inversion formulas. If $N > 4$, we find the optimal formula, which provides the best stability with respect to noise in the data. If $N = 4$, the family collapses into a single formula and no optimization is possible. If μ is independent of energy, $N = 3$ is sufficient for inversion. We also develop iterative reconstruction algorithms that can use global and local data. The results of testing the algorithms are presented. (Received December 16, 2014)