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get

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Synopsis

Summary of Sherpa/S–Lang module functions that retrieve settings or data.

Description

The get functions of the Sherpa/S–Lang module:

- Retrieve numerical data from Sherpa so that, e.g., they may be manipulated using S–Lang operators and/or functions. (These data may be put back into Sherpa using analogous set functions.)
- Retrieve Sherpa settings. (Quantities may be set using analogous set functions.)

Note that not all get functions have set function analogues: for instance, while it makes sense to retrieve, change, and set estimated errors, it makes little sense to put new arrays of residuals or predicted model amplitudes into Sherpa.

Summary of Sherpa/S–Lang Module set Functions

Name	Description
<code>get_data</code> <code>get_back</code>	Retrieves amplitudes of source and background datasets
<code>get_fluxed_spectrum</code> <code>get_back</code>	Retrieve a fluxed spectrum (counts divided by ARF)
<code>get_errors</code> <code>get_berrors</code>	Retrieves error estimates of source and background datasets
<code>get_syserrors</code> <code>get_bsyserrors</code>	Retrieves systematic errors of source and background datasets
<code>get_weights</code> <code>get_bweights</code>	Retrieves statistical weights for source and background datasets
<code>get_mcounts</code> <code>get_bmcounts</code>	Retrieves predicted source and background model counts amplitudes
<code>get_residuals</code> <code>get_bresiduals</code>	Retrieves the fit residuals for source and background datasets
<code>get_delchi</code> <code>get_bdelchi</code>	Retrieves the fit sigma residuals for source and background datasets
<code>get_ratio</code> <code>get_bratio</code>	Retrieves the ratio of data to model for source and background datasets
<code>get_statistics</code> <code>get_bstatistics</code>	Retrieves the contribution to the current statistic value from each bin, for source and background datasets
<code>get_source</code> <code>get_bg</code>	Retrieves predicted source and background model photon amplitudes

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get_groups get_bgroups	Retrieves grouping arrays associated with source and background dataset
get_quality get_bquality	Retrieves quality arrays associated with source and background dataset
get_filter get_bfilter	Retrieves filter arrays associated with source and background datasets
get_axes get_baxes	Retrieves the energy/wavelength/channel grid of source and background datasets
get_energy_axes get_energy_baxes	Retrieves the energy grid of source and background datasets
get_wave_axes get_wave_baxes	Retrieves the wavelength grid of source and background datasets
get_raw_axes get_raw_baxes	Retrieves the raw channel grid of source and background datasets
get_photon_axes get_bphoton_axes	Retrieves photon-space grids over which models are evaluated
get_photon_energy_axes get_photon_energy_baxes	Retrieves photon-space energy grids over which models are evaluated
get_photon_wave_axes get_photon_wave_baxes	Retrieves photon-space wavelength grids over which models are evaluated
get_arf_axes get_arf_baxes	Retrieves the energy/wavelength grid of an ARF associated with source and background datasets
get_analysis	Retrieves the current analysis setting.
get_coord	Retrieves the current coord setting.
get_fit get_goodness	Retrieves information about the quality of a fit
get_statistic get_bstatistic	Retrieves the current value of the statistic comparing source and background data and model values
get_record	Returns a record of model parameter values at the end of each iteration of the fitting process
get_flux get_bflux	Returns the unconvolved photon flux for source or background datasets
get_pflux2d	Returns photon fluxes in 2-D images
get_eflux get_beflux	Returns the unconvolved energy flux for source or background datasets
get_eflux2d	Returns energy fluxes in 2-D images
get_mcounts_sum get_bmcounts_sum	Returns the sum of convolved model counts in source and background datasets
get_mcounts_sum2d	Returns sums of model counts in 2-D images
get_dcounts_sum get_bdcounts_sum get_net_counts_sum	Returns the sum of observed counts in source and background datasets
get_dcounts_sum2d	Returns sums of observed counts in 2-D images
get_eqwidth get_beqwidth	Returns the equivalent width of a line in source or background data
get_par	Retrieve model parameter values, etc.
get_unc	Retrieves parameter bounds
get_proj	Retrieves parameter bounds
get_cov	Retrieves parameter bounds
get_intunc	Retrieves parameter value and best-fit statistic arrays
get_intproj	Retrieves parameter value and best-fit statistic arrays
get_regunc	Retrieves parameter value and best-fit statistic arrays

<code>get_regproj</code>	Retrieves parameter value and best-fit statistic arrays
<code>get_dimension</code>	Retrieve the dimensionality of source data
<code>get_exptime</code> <code>get_bexptime</code>	Retrieve source and background exposure times
<code>get_backscale</code> <code>get_bbackscale</code>	Retrieve source and background extraction region areas
<code>get_qvalue</code>	Returns the statistical significance computed as a q-value
<code>get_ftest</code>	Returns the statistical significance computed with the F test
<code>get_lfactorial</code>	Returns the natural logarithm of the factorial of the input quantity
<code>get_source_expr</code> <code>get_bg_expr</code>	Get the source and background model stack expression
<code>get_inst_expr</code> <code>get_sinst_expr</code> <code>get_binst_expr</code>	Get the source and background instrument model stack expression
<code>get_filter_expr</code> <code>get_bfilter_expr</code>	Retrieves description of filters applied to source and background datasets
<code>get_method_expr</code>	Returns the name of the current optimization method
<code>get_stat_expr</code>	Returns the name of the current statistic
<code>get_defined_models</code> <code>get_defined_inst_models</code>	Retrives lists of defined source and instrument models
<code>get_models</code> <code>get_inst_models</code>	Returns lists of available source and instrument models
<code>get_model_params</code> <code>get_inst_model_params</code>	Returns lists of parameter names for source and instrument models
<code>get_num_par</code> <code>get_num_par_frozen</code> <code>get_num_par_thawed</code>	Reports the total number of parameters for all defined models, including instrument models
<code>get_filename</code> <code>get_bfilename</code> <code>get_arf_filename</code> <code>get_rmf_filename</code>	Retrieve filenames associated with a dataset
<code>get_dir</code>	Returns the name of the current directory
<code>get_verbose</code>	Returns Sherpa's verbosity

Bugs

See the [Sherpa bug pages](#) online for an up-to-date listing of known bugs.

See Also

chandra

[guide](#)

sherpa

[bye](#), [calc_kcorr](#), [dataspace](#), [dcounts](#), [dollarsign](#), [echo](#), [eflux](#), [eqwidth](#), [erase](#), [flux](#), [get_dcounts_sum](#), [get_dir](#), [get_eflux](#), [get_eqwidth](#), [get_filename](#), [get_flux2d](#), [get_flux_str](#), [get_lfactorial](#), [get_mcounts_sum](#), [get_pflux](#), [get_source_components](#), [get_verbose](#), [groupbycounts](#), [guess](#), [is](#), [journal](#), [list](#), [list_par](#), [mcounts](#), [numbersign](#), [paramest](#), [plot_eprof](#), [plot_rprof](#), [prompt](#), [reset](#), [run](#), [set](#), [set_analysis](#), [set_axes](#), [set_coord](#), [set_dataspace](#), [set_dir](#), [set_verbose](#), [setplot](#), [sherpa-module](#), [sherpa_plotfns](#), [sherpa_utils](#), [show](#), [simspec](#), [use](#), [version](#)

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