



AHELP for CIAO 3.4

set_analysis

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Synopsis

Module function to set the units for 1–D spectral analysis.

Syntax

```
Integer_Type set_analysis([Integer_Type],String_Type)
```

Success/Error Return Values: 1/0

Arguments:

(1) Dataset number (default 1)

(2) Units string

Description

The `set_analysis()` function tells Sherpa the units in which to do subsequent analyses, for the specified dataset. For Sherpa version 3.0.2, supported (case–insensitive) string inputs are "bin" (equivalent to ANALYSIS CHANNELS), "kev" (equivalent to ANALYSIS ENERGY), "ang" (equivalent to ANALYSIS WAVE), "ev", "mev", "nm", and "hz".

Example

```
sherpa> data example.pha
sherpa> instrument = rsp[a](example.rmfi,example.arfi)
sherpa> () = set_analysis(1,"hz")
sherpa> get_analysis()
Hz
sherpa>
```

Bugs

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

See Also

chandra

set_analysis

guide

sherpa

autoest, back, berrors, bsyserrors, bye, calc_kcorr, coord, data, dataspace, dcounts, dollarsign, echo,
eflux, eqwidth, erase, fakeit, feffile, flux, get, 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, group, groupbycounts, guess, is, is_subtracted, journal, list,
list_par, load, load_arf, load_ascii, load_back_from, load_backset, load_dataset, load_fitsbin,
load_image, load_inst, load_inst_from, load pha, load pha2, load_rmf, mcounts, numbersign,
paramest, plot_eprof, plot_rprof, prompt, read, reset, run, set, set_axes, set_backscale, set_coord,
set_data, set_dataspace, set_dir, set_exptime, set_subtract, set_verbose, set_weights, setback, setdata,
setplot, sherpa-module, sherpa_plotfns, sherpa_utils, show, simspec, subtract, ungroup, unsubtract,
use, version

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