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## Synopsis

Gamma-ray burst model. XSpec model.

## Description

A model for gamma-ray burst continuum spectra developed by D. Band, et. al., 1993 (ApJ 413, 281).

$$A(E) = K (E/100.)^{\alpha} \exp(-E/\text{temp}) \text{ for } E < (\alpha - \beta) * \text{temp}$$

$$A(E) = K' (E/100.)^{\beta} \text{ for } E > (\alpha - \beta) * \text{temp}$$

### xsgrbm Parameters

Number	Name	Description
1	alpha	first power law index
2	beta	second power law index
3	temp	characteristic energy in keV
4	norm (K)	normalization constant; K' is set to provide a continuous model at E=(alpha-beta)*temp

This information is taken from the [XSpec User's Guide](#). Version 11.3.1 of the XSpec models is supplied with CIAO 3.2.

## Bugs

For a list of known bugs and issues with the XSPEC models, please visit the [XSPEC bugs page](#).

## See Also

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[atten](#), [bbody](#), [bbodyfreq](#), [beta1d](#), [beta2d](#), [box1d](#), [box2d](#), [bp11d](#), [const1d](#), [const2d](#), [cos](#), [delta1d](#), [delta2d](#), [dered](#), [devaucouleurs](#), [edge](#), [erf](#), [erfc](#), [farf](#), [farf2d](#), [fpsf](#), [fpsf1d](#), [frmf](#), [gauss1d](#), [gauss2d](#), [gridmodel](#), [hubble](#), [jdpileup](#), [linebroad](#), [lorentz1d](#), [lorentz2d](#), [models](#), [nbeta](#), [ngauss1d](#), [poisson](#), [polynom1d](#), [polynom2d](#), [powlaw1d](#), [ptsrc1d](#), [ptsrc2d](#), [rsp](#), [rsp2d](#), [schechter](#), [shexp](#), [shexp10](#), [shlog10](#), [shlog](#), [sin](#), [sqrt](#), [steph1d](#), [steplo1d](#), [tan](#), [tpsf](#), [tpsf1d](#), [usermodel](#), [xs](#), [xsabsori](#), [xsacisabs](#), [xsappec](#), [xsbapec](#), [xsbody](#), [xsbodyrad](#), [xsbxrav](#), [xsbxriv](#), [xsbknpower](#), [xsbmcl](#), [xsbrems](#), [xsbvap](#), [xsc6mekl](#), [xsc6pmekl](#), [xsc6pvml](#), [xsc6vme](#), [xscabs](#), [xscemekl](#), [xscenvml](#), [xscflow](#), [xscompbb](#), [xscompl](#), [xscompst](#), [xscomptt](#), [xsconstant](#), [xscutoffpl](#), [xscyclabs](#), [xsdisk](#), [xsdiskbb](#), [xsdiskline](#), [xsdiskm](#), [xsdisko](#),

xsdiskpn, xsdust, xsedge, xsequil, xsexpabs, xsexpdec, xsexpfac, xsgabs, xsgaussian, xsgnei, xsgrad,  
xshighecut, xshrefl, xslaor, xslorentz, xsmeka, xsmekal, xsmkcflow, xsnei, xsnotch, xsnphshock, xsnsa,  
xsnteea, xspcfabs, xspewrwlw, xspexrav, xspexriv, xsphabs, xsplabs, xsplcabs, xsposm, xspowerlaw,  
xspshock, xspwab, xsraymond, xsredder, xsredge, xsrefsch, xssedov, xssmedge, xsspline, xssrcut,  
xssresc, xsssicce, xssstep, xstbabs, xstbgrain, xstbvarabs, xsuved, xsvapec, xsvarabs, xsvbremss,  
xsvequil, xsvgnei, xsvmcflow, xsvmekal, xsvnei, xsvnpshock, xsvphabs, xsvpshock,  
xsvraymond, xsvsedov, xswabs, xswndabs, xsxion, xszbbbody, xszbremss, xszedge, xszgauss,  
xszhighect, xszpcfabs, xszphabs, xszpowerlw, xsztbabs, xszvarabs, xszvfeabs, xszvphabs, xszwabs,  
xszwndabs

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