

Combining JEM-X and ISGRI data

Suggestions for a cookbook

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The XMMU J174716.1-281048* / IGR J17464-2811 case

1. ATel #970: IGR J17467-2811 type I X-ray burst discovered by JEM-X
2. Del Santo et al., 2007 (astro-ph/0704.2134): PRE $\Rightarrow$ **d $\approx$ 3 kpc** **
3. ATel #1207: Refined distance: **d $\approx$ 8 kpc**

* ATel #972

** Cited by ATels #1078, 1136, 1174



Model: **constant<1>*wabs<2>(bbodyrad<3>)**

Model	Fit	Model	Component	Parameter	Unit	Value		Data
par	par	comp						group
1	1	1	constant	factor		1.00000	frozen	1
2	2	2	wabs	nH	10 ²²	6.75260	+/- 0.00000	1
3	3	3	bbodyrad	kT	keV	1.85120	+/- 0.00000	1
4	4	3	bbodyrad	norm		1345.90	+/- 0.00000	1
5	5	4	constant	factor		0.140130	+/- 0.00000	2
6	2	5	wabs	nH	10 ²²	6.75260	= par 2	2
7	3	6	bbodyrad	kT	keV	1.85120	= par 3	2
8	4	6	bbodyrad	norm		1345.90	= par 4	2

Chi-Squared = 81.78282 using 81 PHA bins.
 Reduced chi-squared = 1.062115 for 77 degrees of freedom
 Null hypothesis probability = 0.333



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1	1	1	constant	factor		1.00000	frozen	1
2	2	2	wabs	nH	10^22	0.00000	frozen	1
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3 variable fit parameters

Chi-Squared = 898.4246 using 81 PHA bins.

Reduced chi-squared = 11.51826 for 78 degrees of freedom

Null hypothesis probability = 0.00

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Model flux	20.16	photons (1.6902E-07 ergs)cm**-2 s**-1 (1.000- 30.000)
DtSet :	1	
Model flux	2.825	photons (2.3684E-08 ergs)cm**-2 s**-1 (1.000- 30.000)
DtSet :	2	

⇒ Bad flux (~10x) ⇒ bad distance...



The cross correlation factor must not be let free on too poor statistical data (short time interval)*.

* TBC with OSA 7

The cross correlation factor
obtained from long Crab observation
is: $\text{JEMX} / \text{ISGRI} \approx \mathbf{0.8}$
or: $\text{ISGRI} / \text{JEMX} \approx \mathbf{1.3}$

Cookbook

- Freeze the normalisation constant to 1 for one of the instruments.
- Limit the cross correlation factor inside 0.8 and 1.3, respectively.
- Apply 3% systematics to JEM-X and 2% to ISGRI.
- The interval times must be identical $\Rightarrow$
- Use only data for which the source is inside both instrument FoVs.
- Source distance estimate must be done (assuming a PRE) from the XrB peak flux, not the average spectrum flux.