

The HEASARC Framework

Tecniche e strumenti di analisi dati per sorgenti astrofisiche
e polarimetria nei raggi X

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- The **High Energy Astrophysics Science Archive Research Center** (HEASARC) is the primary archive for NASA's (and other space agencies') high-energy missions.
- The HEASARC archive contains data obtained by high-energy astronomy missions (EUV, X-ray, gamma-ray), as well as data from CMB facilities since its merger with the Legacy Archive for Microwave Background Data Analysis (LAMBDA) in 2008.
- The HEASARC is a member of the NASA Astronomical Virtual Observatories (VO), “the vision that astronomical datasets and other resources should work as a seamless whole”.

HEASARC Archive

<https://heasarc.gsfc.nasa.gov/>

The screenshot shows the HEASARC homepage with a header featuring the center's name and a background image of a satellite. Below the header is a navigation bar with links for About the HEASARC, Resources for Scientists, Feedback, FAQ & Help Desk, Site Map, and Other Archives. A sidebar on the left lists Active Guest Observer Facilities/Science Centers (AGILE, AstroSat, Chandra, Fermi, Hitomi, INTEGRAL, MAXI, NICER, NuSTAR, SGR/eROSETTA, Swift, TESS, XARM, XMM-Newton) and Historic Guest Observer Facilities/Science Centers (ASCA, BeppoSAX, CGRO, COBE, EUVE, GALEX, HETE-2, LPF DRS, ROSAT, RXTE, Suzaku, WMAP, NASA Archives, ADS, EOSDIS, ExoArchive, HORIZONS, LIGOS). The main content area includes a search bar, a table of mission statistics (Chi-Square, Lvl, P/F), and a list of past X-ray missions. Below this is a section about the HEASARC mission, a "Picture of the Week" (a pink nebula), and an "Astronomy Picture of the Day" (a spiral galaxy). A "Latest News" sidebar features news items like "SkyView V3.3.4: GLEAM Survey and new features" and "RXTE has Re-entered".



HEASARC Observatories

ACTIVE MISSIONS

AGILE

AstroSat

Chandra

Fermi

Hitomi

INTEGRAL

MAXI

NICER

NuSTAR

Swift

XMM-Newton

PAST MISSIONS

ANS

ARIEL V

ASCA

BBXRT

BeppoSAX

CGRO

COPERNICUS

COS-B

DXS

EINSTEIN

EUVE

EXOSAT

GINGA

GRANAT

HAKUCHO

HEAO-1

HEAO-3

HETE-2

OSO-7

OSO-8

ROSAT

Rossi XTE

SAS-2

SAS-3

Suzaku

TENMA

UHURU

VELA 5B

High Energy Astrophysics Observatories

These Web pages describe all the high energy astronomy observatories, or "missions," ever launched, excluding those solely dedicated to observing the Sun. If on the other hand you are interested in cosmic microwave background experiments, please check out this extensive [list on the LAMBDA web site](#).

The links to the left in the menu-bar are dedicated to the most notable past and present X-ray and gamma-ray astronomy missions. The pages for each mission include:

- a mission overview,
- technical information on the instrumentation,
- a bibliography and
- a gallery of images.

They also contain a description of the available data if they are present in the HEASARC archive. Information on other satellites carrying either an X-ray or a gamma-ray telescope is available on the [All Missions](#) pages.

Other Resources

- [All Missions \(Info & Images\)](#)
- [All Missions by Time](#)
- [All Missions by Energy](#)
- [Comparison of Mission Capabilities](#)
- [Concepts for Future Missions](#)
- [Images, Spectra, and Light Curves](#)

High energy astrophysics is a young discipline, whose [history](#) is only a few decades old, and requires space-borne instruments to observe the [X-ray](#) and [gamma-ray](#) sky.

X-ray Observatories

After the rocket experiments during the 1960s, the first X-ray Earth-orbiting explorers were launched in the 1970s (*Uhuru*, *SAS-3*, *Ans*) followed in the 1970s/early 1980s by larger missions (*HEAO-1*, *Einstein*, *EXOSAT*, *Ginga*). These scientific instruments, in particular the first X-ray images taken by *Einstein*, turned X-ray astronomy into the mainstay of astrophysical research. It is now known that nearly every astronomical object from nearby [comets](#) to distant [quasars](#) emits X-rays. In the 1990s the *ROSAT* survey detected more than 100,000 X-ray objects, the *ASCA* mission made the first sensitive measurements of the X-ray spectra from these objects, and *RXTE* studied their timing properties. The late 1990's launch of the *Chandra* and *XMM-Newton* observatories brought high-resolution imaging and high-throughput capability to X-ray astronomy. These missions, combined with *Suzaku/Astro-E2*, launched in 2005, have opened new and exciting horizons in the journey of the X-ray astronomy

Gamma-Ray Observatories

SAS 2 and *Cos B*, launched in the 1970s, made the first surveys of the gamma-ray sky, followed by the *Compton Gamma-ray Observatory* in 1990 and more recently by *INTEGRAL* in 2002. *Blazars*, *bubbles*, and many unidentified sources in our galaxy are the gamma-ray emitters. *Fermi* (formerly *GLAST*), the first gamma-ray observatory, is expected to resolve the angular emission and make an all-sky survey with higher angular and energy resolution. The mysterious [gamma-ray bursts](#) (GRBs) discovered in the late 1960s by the *Vela* satellite, were shown to be the most powerful explosions in the Universe and isotropically distributed, thanks to the rapid response capability of *BeppoSAX* and the all-sky monitoring of *CGRO*. *Swift*, launched in November 2004, is providing data on the GRBs' prompt emission and their afterglows to allow the most comprehensive study on GRBs and determine their origin.



HEASARC Online Tools

General Tools

- [Bibliography](#) – Bibliographic references to HEASARC services and missions
- [Coordinate Converter](#) – CoCo: Object location and coordinate converter
- [Energy Converter](#) – Energy/frequency/wavelength converter
- [FITS File Verifier](#) – Run verify on any of your own FITS files
- [nH Column Density](#) – Determine neutral Hydrogen column density by target coordinates
- [Time/Date Converter \(xTime\)](#) – Convert between Julian date formats and standard date formats such as YYYY-MM-DD
- [Universal Atomic Database](#) – Find atomic physics quantities needed for astrophysical research
- [X-Ray Background](#) – Calculate average X-ray background count rates from the ROSAT All-Sky Survey diffuse background maps
- [X-Ray, Gamma-Ray, and EUV Source Finder](#) – Is my favorite object a high-energy source?

Multi-Mission Tools

- [Hera](#) – Astronomical data analysis over the Internet
- [RPS](#) – Remote Proposal System
- [Date/Time Converter \(xTime\)](#) – Convert Fermi, RXTE, Suzaku, Swift, and XMM-Newton times to other time systems and formats, and vice versa
- [SkyView](#) – The Internet's Virtual Telescope
- [Timeline Tool](#) – Swift, RXTE and HETE-2 observation (as-flown) timelines
- [Viewing](#) – Determine possible viewing times for missions and objects
- [WebPIMMS](#) – Determine source flux or count rates
- [WebSpec](#) – Simulate spectral data for missions/instruments

Cosmic Microwave Background Analysis Tools

- [LAMBDA Toolbox](#) – Useful tools for CMB and general astronomy

HEASARC Calibration

NASA's HEASARC: Calibration Database

Remote Access Documentation Keywords Cross-Calibration Mission-Specific Calibration Info

The HEASARC Calibration Database

Caldb manager: [Dr. M. F. Corcoran](#)

The HEASARC's calibration database (CALDB) system stores and indexes datasets associated with the calibration of high energy astronomical instrumentation. The system can be accessed by users and software alike to determine which calibration datasets are available, and which should be used for data reduction and analysis. ([Read more....](#))

User Information

CALDB Location: <https://heasarc.gsfc.nasa.gov/FTP/caldb>

Supported Missions

Missions and Instruments which use the HEASARC CALDB

Download and Installation Instructions

Get your own copy of the CALDB for any supported mission

Remote Access to the HEASARC CALDB

The easiest way to access calibration data from the HEASARC

CALDB Documentation Library

CALDB file format definitions, user guides and more. For quick reference, a table listing the [CALDB Header Keywords](#), with brief definitions, is available.

Cross-Calibration Information

This page contains documents regarding efforts at cross-calibration of X-ray and Gamma-ray instruments.

CALDB Software

Find out what HEASOFT software interacts with the CALDB.

Installing, Managing or Creating your own CALDB

Download the HEASARC CALDB and update it, or make your own CALDB

CALDB Personnel

Who's who at the CALDB (and who was who)

Need Help?

Latest News

- NuSTAR CALDB Update** (19 Apr 2018)
The NuSTAR Calibration DataBase was updated on April 19, 2018 (CALDB version 20180419). This updates the NuSTAR clock correction file to version 80, valid through 2018-04-19.
- NICER CALDB Updated to Version 20180417** (18 Apr 2018)
The NICER XTI calibration has been updated to version 20180417. Please make sure you're using the most recent version of the `caldb.config` file in order to access the NICER XTI CALDB data.
- Chandra CALDB 4.7.8 installed at the HEASARC** (22 Mar 2018)
CALDB 4.7.8 is now installed and available at the HEASARC. Chandra 4.7.8 was released by the CXC on March 19, 2018...
- Swift CALDB UVOT index file updated** (22 Mar 2018)
The CALDBVER keyword in version 20170922 had an incorrect value of the CALDBVER keyword. This keyword value has been corrected to CALDBVER = '20170922'.

[+RS... \[What??\]](#)
[+Caldb News Archive](#)



CALDB

- The HEASARC Calibration Database (CALDB) is a modular system for storing and retrieving calibration data on an instrument-by-instrument basis.
- It is designed to be flexible and installable on any Unix workstation, desktop or laptop.
- The CALDB is integrated with the HEAsoft software package in that the HEAsoft tasks can access appropriate calibration data from the CALDB with little input from the user.

Traditional Browse Interfaces

- **Browse Keyword Search:** Search-Engine-like query using keywords
- **Browse Table Index:** List of all tables in the HEASARC database
- **Browse Correlation:** Cross-(anti)correlation of full tables (radius or time)
- **Browse Mission Interface:** Full-featured interface

Browse Mission Interface

Full-featured interactive search interface:

<https://heasarc.gsfc.nasa.gov/cgi-bin/W3Browse/w3browse.pl>

1. Do you want to search around a position ... ?

(If you want to search on parameters other than object name or coordinates, select "Detailed Mission/Catalog Search".)

<u>Object Name or Coordinates:</u> <input type="text"/>	and/or	<u>Select Local File:</u> <input type="button" value="Select"/> <input type="button" value="Scegli file"/> Nessun file selezionato
<p>e.g. Cyg X-1 or 12 00 00, 4 12 6 or Cyg X-2; 12.235, 15.345 (Note use of semi-colons (;) to separate multiple object names or coordinate pairs)</p>		
<u>Coordinate System:</u> <input type="button" value="J2000"/>	<u>Search Radius:</u> Default	arcmin <input type="button" value=""/>
<p>Default uses the optimum radius for each catalog searched.</p>		
... and/or search by date?		
<u>Observation Dates:</u> <input type="text"/>	YYYY-MM-DD hh:mm:ss or MJD: DDDDD.ddd	
<p>Not all tables have observation dates. For those that do, the time portion of the date is optional. Separate multiple dates/ranges with semicolons (;). Range operator is '..' (e.g. 1992-12-31; 48980.5; 1995-01-15 12:00:00; 1997-03-20 .. 2000-10-18)</p>		



Browse Mission Interface 2

2. What missions and catalogs do you want to search? (Bold text indicates mission is active)

Most Requested Missions

- | | | | |
|--|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chandra [CXC,CSC] | <input type="checkbox"/> Fermi | <input type="checkbox"/> Hitomi | <input type="checkbox"/> NICER |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NuSTAR [CaTech] | <input type="checkbox"/> ROSAT | <input type="checkbox"/> RXTE | <input type="checkbox"/> Suzaku |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swift | <input type="checkbox"/> WMAP | <input type="checkbox"/> XMM-Newton [XSA] | |

Other X-Ray and EUV Missions

- | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ariel V | <input type="checkbox"/> ASCA | <input type="checkbox"/> BBXRT/Astro-1 | <input type="checkbox"/> BeppoSAX |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Copernicus | <input type="checkbox"/> Einstein | <input type="checkbox"/> EUVE [MAST] | <input type="checkbox"/> EXOSAT |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ginga | <input type="checkbox"/> HEAO 1 | <input type="checkbox"/> Kvant | <input type="checkbox"/> MAXI [JAXA] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OSO8 | <input type="checkbox"/> SAS 3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Uhuru | <input type="checkbox"/> Vela 5B |

Other Gamma-Ray Missions

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|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> AGILE [ASDC] | <input type="checkbox"/> CGRO | <input type="checkbox"/> COS B | <input type="checkbox"/> HETE-2 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> INTEGRAL [ISDA/ISDC] | <input type="checkbox"/> SAS 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> Gamma-Ray Bursts | <input type="checkbox"/> RHESSI |

Missions and Facilities

- | | | | |
|--|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> AKARI (IR) [Project] | <input type="checkbox"/> ANS (UV) | <input type="checkbox"/> COBE (IR/sub-mm) [LAMBDA] | <input type="checkbox"/> CoRoT (Opt) [CNES] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> FAUST/Atlas-1 (UV) | <input type="checkbox"/> FUSE (UV) [MAST] | <input type="checkbox"/> GALEX (UV) [MAST] | <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Based (Opt-Radio) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Herschel (IR-submm) [ESA] | <input type="checkbox"/> HST (UV-NearIR) [MAST] | <input type="checkbox"/> IRAS (IR) | <input type="checkbox"/> ISO (IR) [IDA] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IUE (UV) [MAST] | <input type="checkbox"/> LPF [ESA] | <input type="checkbox"/> MSX (UV-IR) | <input type="checkbox"/> Planck (submm-radio) [ESA,IRSA] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SDSS (Opt) [Project] | <input type="checkbox"/> Spitzer (IR) [SSC] | <input type="checkbox"/> TD1 (UV) | <input type="checkbox"/> UIT/Astro-1 (UV) [MAST] |
| <input type="checkbox"/> WISE (IR) [IRSA] | | | |

Popular Catalog Choices

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|--|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hipparcos Main | <input type="checkbox"/> HST Guide Stars 2.3.2 🚧 | <input type="checkbox"/> NGC 2000 | <input type="checkbox"/> USNO B1 🚧 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2MASS 🚧 | <input type="checkbox"/> ROSAT All-Sky Survey | <input type="checkbox"/> ROSAT Pointed Source Catalogs | <input type="checkbox"/> CGRO BATSE GRB Catalog |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Veron Quasars/AGN | <input type="checkbox"/> All VizieR Catalogs 🚧 | <input type="checkbox"/> 3XMM-DR4 Serendipitous Source Catalog | |

Multiwavelength Catalogs

- | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Galaxies | <input type="checkbox"/> Master | <input type="checkbox"/> Nebulae | <input type="checkbox"/> General |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stars | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio | | |



Browse Mission Interface 3

3. What types of information do you want to search for?

- Archived data and observations
- Object catalogs
- Proposals, abstracts, and schedules
- [CDS VizieR](#) catalogs  (query VizieR catalogs relevant to missions or catalogs selected above)

4. Do you want to modify the defaults for number of results and their display?

Limit Results To: rows

Output Format: Note: FITS format requires FITS software (such as [fv](#)) to examine the results.

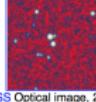
Show All Parameters: Select to display all catalog parameters instead of only defaults

Search Example

Query Information Query Results Data Products Retrieval Help

Images generated by [SkyView](#)
Click on image to see full SkyView image

DSS Optical image, 2.83'



RASS X-ray image, 75.0'



Images centered on requested position

Search was based on:
Object/Coordinates: 3c454.3
resolved by SIMBAD (local cache) to [22 53 57.75, +16 08 53.6]
Using the coordinates from the SIMBAD resolver for 3c454.3.
Coord. System: Equatorial, equinox 2000
Maximum Rows: 1000
Search Radius: Default arc minutes

Redisplay AS HTML Table
Printer-Friendly Version
Save All Objects To File
Ripristina

Reissue Query Save Query To File

Browse Tip: Do you know how to estimate the number of random matches in a cross-correlation? [Learn more on this topic](#) or [See all tips](#)

Table Name/Row Count Summary: 19 tables queried. A total of 4503 rows returned.

Click on table name to view search results

swiftmstr:Swift Master Catalog	465	swiftgrb:Swift Gamma Ray Bursts Catalog	0
swsdsqso:Swift Simultaneous UV, Optical, and X-Ray Observed Quasar Catalog	0	swiftuvlog:Swift UVOT Instrument Log	1000
swbatagn60:Swift BAT 60-Month Survey of Active Galactic Nuclei Catalog	1	swxscat:Swift X-Ray Telescope Cluster Survey Catalog	0
swftdrss:Swift TDRSS Messages	0	swiftxrog:Swift XRT Instrument Log	1000
swxrxscid:Swift X-Ray Telescope Cluster Survey Cross-Correlation Catalog	0	sacspscatt:Swift AGN & Cluster Survey (SACS) Hard-Band (2-10 keV) Point Source Catalog	0
sacspscat:Swift AGN & Cluster Survey (SACS) Total-Band (0.2-10 keV) Point Source Catalog	0	sacspscat:Swift AGN & Cluster Survey (SACS) Soft-Band (0.5-2 keV) Point Source Catalog	0
swxrtflgl:Swift XRT Counterparts to unidentified 1FGL Sources	0	swbatsfxt:Swift BAT 100-Month Supergiant Fast X-Ray Transient Catalog	0
sixsvrcat:Swift-INTEGRAL X-Ray (SIX) Survey Catalog	0	swuvotssob:Swift/UVOT Serendipitous Source Catalog, v1.1: Observations IDs	37
sacsescat:Swift AGN & Cluster Survey (SACS) Soft-Band (0.5-2 keV) Extended Source Catalog	0	swuvotsac:Swift/UVOT Serendipitous Source Catalog, v1.1	1000
swftbalog:Swift BAT Instrument Log	1000		



Swift Master Catalog

O: DSS, R: RASS, N: NED, S: SIMBAD, D: DATA, B: ADS

Query Information Query Results Data Products Retrieval Help

swift
swiftmstr swiftuvlog swbatagn60 swiftxlog swuvotssob swuvotssc swiftbalog

Click mission tabs (middle tab level) to display table tabs. Move cursor over tabs to see more information.

Table Legend:
Display all parameters for a row
Sort by a column in order: 1,2,3 Sort by column in reverse order: 3,2,1 Current table sort
Services links: O: Digitized Sky Survey image, R: ROSAT All-Sky Survey image, N: NED objects near coordinates,
S: SIMBAD objects near coordinates, D: get list of data products, B: ADS bibliography holdings, G: GRB Coordinate Network (GCN) notices, F: FOV plot for observation

Data Products: Click checkbox to add row to Data Product Retrieval List

Search radius used: 25.00

Select	Related Links	Services	name	objid	ra	dec	start time	processing date	art exposure	uvot exposure	bat exposure	archive date	Search Offset	F1 from (target)
<input type="checkbox"/>	All	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	0003500000	22 53 58.11	+16 09 17.5	2005-04-24 19:20:02	2014-10-18	14352.15600	11230.12200	15001.00000	2005-05-05	0.409 (3c454.3)
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<input type="checkbox"/>	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	00031493016	22 53 55.71	+16 10 33.2	2012-12-27 03:25:59	2017-06-30	7128.02600	7075.65500	0.00000	2013-01-07	1.730 (3c454.3)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	00031493022	22 54 15.81	+16 07 41.7	2013-07-28 06:28:59	2017-11-18	6993.31200	6904.12800	6967.00000	2013-08-06	4.500 (3c454.3)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	00031493028	22 53 47.93	+16 07 23.6	2013-10-27 06:23:59	2017-12-02	6910.47600	6882.24600	6966.00000	2013-11-07	2.794 (3c454.3)	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	00031493019	22 54 01.84	+16 08 07.9	2013-05-27 12:51:58	2017-11-11	5489.44900	5464.30700	5518.00000	2013-05-07	1.244 (3c454.3)	
<input type="checkbox"/>	BAT UVOT XRT	O B N S D B	3C454.3	00031018012	22 53 52.57	+16 12 55.5	2014-01-14 10:43:59	2014-01-24	5385.27600	5286.37900	5414.00000	2014-01-25	4.220 (3c454.3)	



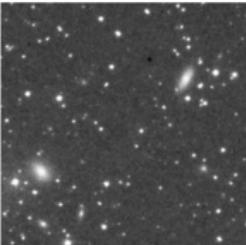
DSS

 **SkyView** 
The Internet's Virtual Telescope

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SkyView Images

Digitized Sky Survey: Original Digitized Sky Survey



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Image color table: 
Image scaling: Log, values range from 1699.0 to 12696.0
Image size(degrees): 0.14166666 x 0.14166666
Image size(pixels): 300 x 300
Requested Center: 35.67876666,+43.03824225
Requested Center: 35.67876666, 43.03824225
Coordinate System: J2000.0
Map projection: Tan
Sampler: NN Sampler
Provenance: Data taken by ROE and AAO, CalTech, Compression and distribution by Space Telescope Science Institute.
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RASS



SkyView Images

RASS-Cnt Broad: ROSAT All-Sky X-ray Survey Broad Band: Counts



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[Links to mosaic inputs](#)

Image color table:
Image scaling: Log, values range from 0.0 to 6.0
Image size(degrees): 3.75000006 x 3.75000006
Image size(pixels): 300 x 300
Requested Center: 35.67876666,+43.03824225
Requested Center: 35.67876666, 43.03824225
Coordinates: Galactic coordinates
Map projection: Tan

Sampler: NNSampler

Provenance: Max Planck Institute for Extraterrestrial Physics (Garching FRG)

Copyright: MPE but data may be used for scientific purposes so long as [appropriate reference](#) is included.

[More information](#)

Associated maps for Counts band Images:

[Flux map](#).



NED

NASA/IPAC EXTRAGALACTIC DATABASE
 Date and Time of the Query: 2018-05-08 T01:16:28 PDT
[Help](#) | [Comment](#) | [NED Home](#)

You have selected the following parameters to search on:

Redshift: Unconstrained
 Include ANY Object Type:
 Exclude ANY Object Type:
 Parameters for Distances and Cosmology: $H_0 = 73.0$; $\Omega_{\text{matter}} = 0.27$; $\Omega_{\text{vacuum}} = 0.73$
 Derived Quantities use a Redshift corrected to a Reference Frame defined by the 3K CMB

NED results within 2.000 arcmin of 02h22m42.90400s, +43d02m17.6721s (Equatorial; J2000.0)

27 objects found in NED.

SOURCE LIST

Object list is sorted on Distance to search center

No.	Object Name (+ >> External Notes)	Equi2000.0	Object	Velocity/Redshift	Mag./ Spectral Type	Number of Qual Filter	Notes	Phot	Point	Val/z	Diam	Assoc	Images	Spectra	No.		
1.	2XMM J022242.4+430218	02h22m42.4s +43d02m18s	XrayS	0.583	0	0	0	0	0	0	Retrievr	Retrievr	1		
2.	2XMM J022241.0+430215	02h22m41.0s +43d02m15s	XrayS	0.496	0	0	0	0	0	0	Retrievr	Retrievr	2		
3.	B3 0219+427B	02h22m45.3s +43d02m28s	RadioS	0.560	-1	0	-3	-3	0	0	-1	Retrievr	Retrievr	3	
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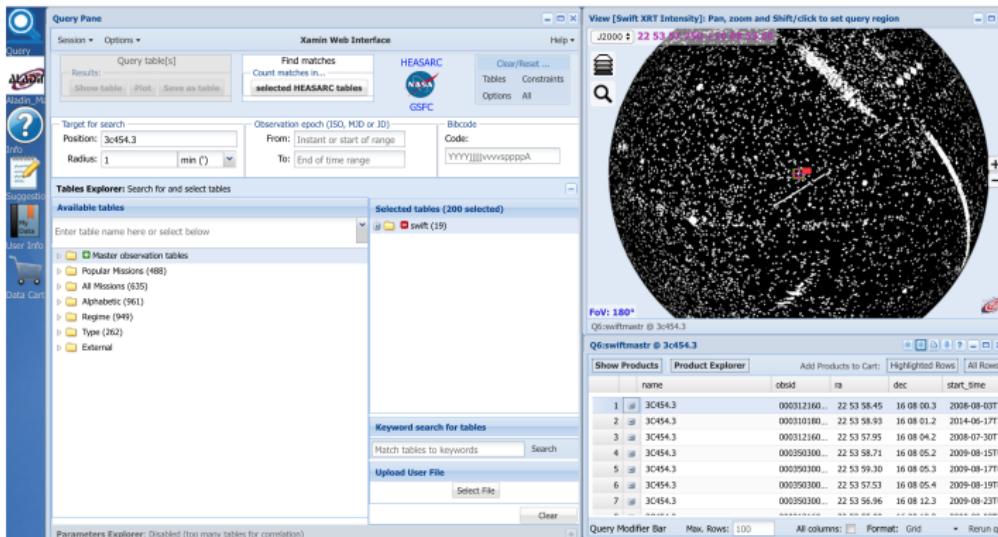
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Both Xamin and the classic Brows Mission Interface are accessible through command line batch interfaces.



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- FTOOLS - General FITS file utility programs and mission-specific data analysis tools.
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- PIMMS - Program to estimate count rates from fluxes or vice versa, or to estimate count rates in one instrument from those measured in another.
- **SAOImage DS9** - Astronomical Imaging and Data Visualization Application.
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SAOImage DS9 development has been made possible by funding from the Chandra X-ray Science Center (CXC) and the High Energy Astrophysics Science Archive Center (HEASARC). Additional funding was provided by the JWST Mission office at Space Telescope Science Institute to improve capabilities for 3-D data visualization.

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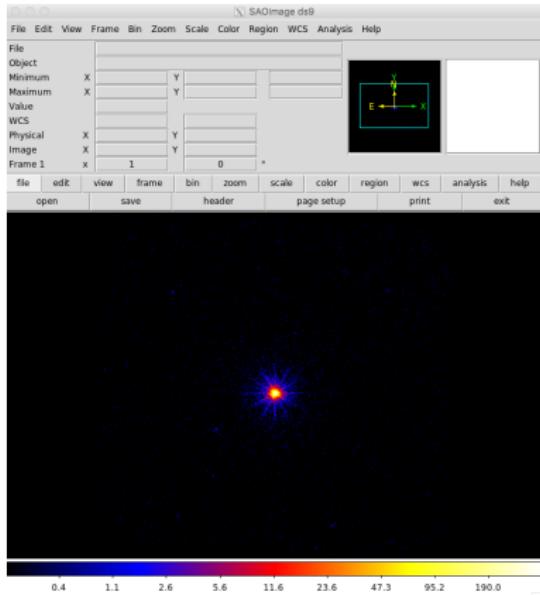
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- FTOOLS
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- Mission-specific packages

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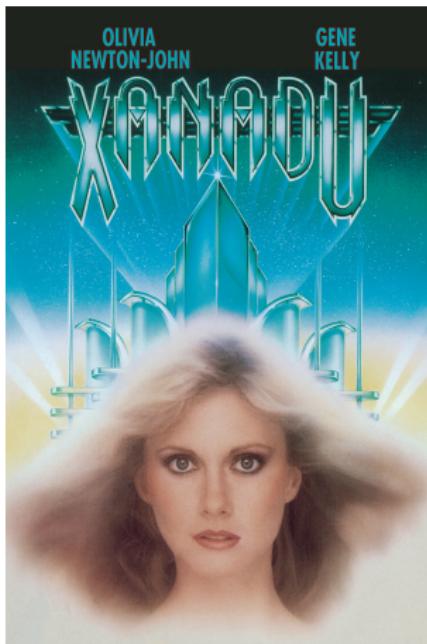
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