



AHELP for CIAO 3.4

# calGetInstrument

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## Synopsis

Returns the name of the instrument stored in the CALDB structure.

## Syntax

```
String_Type calGetInstrument( Caldb_Type cal )
```

## Description

This function returns the value of the instrument field in the CALDB structure.

## Example

```
variable cal = calCreateInfo( "img.fits" );
variable inst = calGetInstrument( cal );
vmessage( "The instrument used to create img.fits is %s", inst );
```

## Bugs

See the [bugs page for the caldb library](#) on the CIAO website for an up-to-date listing of known bugs.

## See Also

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[calcreateinfo](#), [calfindfile](#), [calgetdata](#), [calgetdate](#), [calgetdetector](#), [calgeterror](#), [calgetfilter](#), [calgetinstrument](#), [calgetquery](#), [calgettelescope](#), [calgettime](#), [calprintinfo](#), [calsetdata](#), [calsetdate](#), [calsetdetector](#), [calsetexpression](#), [calsetfilter](#), [calsetinstrument](#), [calsettelescope](#), [calsettime](#)

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