

*AHELP for CIAO 3.4***get\_flux\_str**Context: [sherpa](#)*Jump to:* [Description](#) [Example](#) [Bugs](#) [See Also](#)

## Synopsis

Retrieves a default structure for use with get\_pflux(), etc.

## Syntax

```
Struct_Type get_flux_str()
```

## Description

The output of get\_flux\_str(), a structure, can be used as input to get\_pflux() and get\_bpflux(). One would retrieve this default structure, modify its field values, and pass it to get\_pflux() et al. See the example below.

## Example

Define a structure foo and use it to compute the flux between 2 and 10 keV:

```
sherpa> foo = get_flux_str()
sherpa> print(foo)
dataset      = 1
range        = NULL
comp         = NULL
sherpa> foo.range = [2,10]
sherpa> print(get_flux(foo).value)
0.000166532
sherpa> print(get_flux(foo).units)
photons/cm**2/s
sherpa> print(get_pflux(,[2,10],"p").value)
0.000166532
```

## Bugs

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

## See Also

*chandra*  
     [guide](#)  
*sherpa*

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get dcounts sum, get dir, get eflux, get eqwidth, get filename, get flux2d, get lfactorial,  
get mcounts sum, get pflux, get source components, get verbose, groupbycounts, guess, is,  
journal, list, list par, mcounts, numbersign, paramest, plot eprof, plot rprof, prompt, reset, run, set,  
set analysis, set axes, set coord, set dataspace, set dir, set verbose, setplot, sherpa-module,  
sherpa plotfns, sherpa utils, show, simspec, use, version

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