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Synopsis

Cyclotron absorption line. XSpec model.

Description

A cyclotron absorption line as used in pulsar spectra. See Mihara et al. Nature 1990 or Makishima et al. PASJ 1990.

```
M(E) = exp(-Depth0 (Width0 * E/E0)^2/[(E-E0)^2 + Width0^2] + Depth2(Width2 E/(2 E0))^2/((E-2 * E0)^2 + Width2^2)
```

xscyclabs Parameters

Number	Name	Description
1	Depth0	depth of the fundamental
2	E0	cyclotron energy
3	Width0	width of the fundamental
4	Depth2	depth of the 2nd harmonic
5	Width2	width of the 2nd harmonic

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

sherpa

[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](#), [shloge](#), [sin](#), [sqrt](#), [stephi1d](#), [stepl01d](#), [tan](#), [tpsf](#), [tpsf1d](#), [usermodel](#), [xs](#), [xsabsori](#), [xsacisabs](#), [xsappec](#), [xsbapec](#), [xsbbbody](#), [xsbbbodyrad](#),

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xscutoffpl, xsdisk, xsdiskbb, xsdiskline, xsdiskm, xsdisko, xsdiskpn, xsdust, xsedge, xsequil, xsexpabs,
xsexpdec, xsexpfac, xsgabs, xsgaussian, xsgnei, xsgrad, xsgrbm, xshighecut, xshrefl, xslaor, xslorentz,
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xsvmekal, xsvnei, xsvnpshock, xsvphabs, xsvpshock, xsv raymond, xsv sedov, xswabs, xswndabs, xsxion,
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