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CRRLPY

Tools for processing Carbon Radio Recombination Line spectra.

The models are not shipped with the modules and scripts.

The documentation can be found in: http://astrofle.github.io/CRRLpy/

CRRLPY.CRRLS MODULE

```
crrlpy.crrls.FWHM2sigma (fwhm)
Converts a FWHM to the standard deviation of a Gaussian distribution.

crrlpy.crrls.Gauss (y, **kwargs)
Applies a Gaussian filter to y.

crrlpy.crrls.Gaussian (x, sigma, center, amplitude)
1-d Gaussian with no amplitude offset.

crrlpy.crrls.SavGol (y, **kwargs)

crrlpy.crrls.Voigt (x, sigma, gamma, center, amplitude)
The Voigt line shape in terms of its physical parameters.
```

Parameters

- **x** independent variable
- sigma HWHM of the Gaussian
- gamma HWHM of the Lorentzian
- center the line center
- amplitude the line area

```
crrlpy.crrls.Wiener (y, **kwargs)
crrlpy.crrls.alphanum_key (s)
```

Turn a string into a list of string and number chunks.

Parameters s – String

Returns List with strings and integers.

Return type list

Example

```
>>> alphanum_key("z23a")
["z", 23, "a"]
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.average(data, axis, n)
```

Averages data along the given axis by combining n adjacent values.

Parameters

- data (numpy array) Data to average along a given axis.
- axis (int) Axis along which to average.
- **n** (*int*) Factor by which to average.

Returns Data decimated by a factor n along the given axis.

Return type numpy array

```
crrlpy.crrls.best_match_indx(value, array, tol)
```

Searchs for the best match to a value inside an array given a tolerance.

Parameters

- **value** (*float*) Value to find inside the array.
- tol (*float*) Tolerance for match.
- array (*numpy.array*) List to search for the given value.

Returns Best match for val inside array.

Return type float

```
crrlpy.crrls.best_match_indx2 (value, array)
```

Searchs for the index of the closest entry to value inside an array.

Parameters

- **value** (*float*) Value to find inside the array.
- array (list or numpy.array) List to search for the given value.

Returns Best match index for the value inside array.

Return type float

Example

```
>>> a = [1,2,3,4]
>>> best_match_indx2(3, a)
2
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.best_match_value(value, array)
```

Searchs for the closest ocurrence of value in array.

Parameters

- **value** (*float*) Value to find inside the array.
- array (list or numpy.array) List to search for the given value.

Returns Best match for the value inside array.

Return type float.

Example

```
>>> a = [1,2,3,4]
>>> best_match_value(3.5, a)
3
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.blank_lines (freq, tau, reffreqs, v0, dv0)
```

Blanks the lines in a spectra.

Parameters freq (array) – Frequency axis of the spectra.

```
crrlpy.crrls.blank_lines2 (freq, tau, reffreqs, dv)
crrlpy.crrls.df2dv (f0, df)
```

Convert a frequency delta to a velocity delta given a central frequency.

Parameters

- **f0** (*float*) Rest frequency. (Hz)
- **df** (*float*) Frequency delta. (Hz)

Returns The equivalent velocity delta for the given frequency delta.

Return type float in Hz

```
crrlpy.crrls.dv2df (f0, dv)
```

Convert a velocity delta to a frequency delta given a central frequency.

Parameters

- **f0** (*float*) Rest frequency. (Hz)
- dv (*float*) Velocity delta. (m/s)

Returns The equivalent frequency delta for the given velocity delta.

Return type float in m s^{-1}

```
crrlpy.crrls.dv_minus_doppler(dV, ddV, dD, ddD)
```

Returns the Lorentzian contribution to the line width assuming that the line has a Voigt profile.

Parameters

- dV (float) Total line width
- **ddV** (*float*) Uncertainty in the total line width.
- **dD** (*float*) Doppler contribution to the line width.
- ddD Uncertainty in the Doppler contribution to the line width.

Returns The Lorentz contribution to the total line width.

Return type float

```
crrlpy.crrls.dv_minus_doppler2(dV, ddV, dD, ddD)
```

Returns the Lorentzian contribution to the line width assuming that the line has a Voigt profile.

Parameters

- **dV** (*float*) Total line width
- **ddV** (*float*) Uncertainty in the total line width.
- dD (float) Doppler contribution to the line width.
- ddD Uncertainty in the Doppler contribution to the line width.

Returns The Lorentz contribution to the total line width.

Return type float

```
crrlpy.crrls.f2n(f, line, n_max=1500)
```

Converts a given frequency to a principal quantum number n for a given line.

 $\verb|crrlpy.crrls.find_lines_in_band| (\textit{freq}, \textit{species='CI'}, \textit{transition='alpha'}, \textit{z=0}, \textit{verbose=False})|$

Finds if there are any lines corresponding to transitions of the given species in the frequency range. The line transition frequencies are corrected for redshift.

Parameters

- freq-
- species -

- **z** Redshift to apply to the rest frequencies.
- **verbose** (*bool*) Verbose output?

Returns

Return type List of principal quantum numbers and list of reference frequencies.

```
crrlpy.crrls.find lines sb (freq, transition, z=0, verbose=False)
```

Finds if there are any lines corresponding to transitions of the given species in the frequency range. The line transition frequencies are corrected for redshift.

```
crrlpy.crrls.fit_continuum(x, y, degree, p0)
```

Divide tb by given a model and starting parameters p0. Returns: tb/model - 1

```
crrlpy.crrls.fit_line(sb, n, ref, vel, tau, rms, model, v0=None, verbose=True)
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.fit_storage()
```

Returns a dictionary with the entries for the parameters to be fitted.

```
crrlpy.crrls.freq2vel(f0,f)
```

Convert a frequency axis to a velocity axis given a central frequency. Uses the radio definition of velocity.

Parameters

- **f0** (*float*) Rest frequency for the conversion. (Hz)
- **f** (numpy array) Frequencies to be converted to velocity. (Hz)

Returns f converted to velocity given a rest frequency f_0 .

Return type numpy array

```
crrlpy.crrls.gauss_area(amplitude, sigma)
```

Returns the area under a Gaussian of a given amplitude and sigma.

```
crrlpy.crrls.gauss_area_err (amplitude, amplitude_err, sigma, sigma_err)
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.gaussian_off(x, amplitude, center, sigma, c)
```

1-d Gaussian with a constant amplitude offset.

```
crrlpy.crrls.get_axis(header, axis)
```

Constructs a cube axis

Parameters

- header (pyfits header) Fits cube header.
- axis (int) Axis to reconstruct.

Returns cube axis

Return type numpy array

```
crrlpy.crrls.get_line_mask(freq, reffreq, v0, dv0)
```

Return a mask with ranges where a line is expected in the given frequency range for a line with a given reference frequency at expected velocity v0 and line width dv0.

Parameters

- **freq** (*numpy array or list*) Frequency axis where the line is located.
- **reffreq** (*float*) Reference frequency for the line.
- **v0** (*float*, *km/s*) Velocity of the line.
- **dv0** (*float*, *km/s*) Velocity range to mask.

Returns Mask centered at the line center and width $dv\theta$ referenced to the input freq.

crrlpy.crrls.get_line_mask2 (freq, reffreq, dv)

Return a mask with ranges where a line is expected in the given frequency range for a line with a given reference frequency and line width dv.

crrlpy.crrls.get_min_sep(array)

Get the minimum element separation in an array.

crrlpy.crrls.get rms(data, axis=None)

Computes the rms of the given data.

Parameters

- data (numpy array or list) Array with values where to compute the rms.
- axis (int) Axis over which to compute the rms. Default: None

Returns The rms of data.

rms =
$$\sqrt{\langle \text{data} \rangle^2 + V[\text{data}]}$$

where V is the variance of the data.

crrlpy.crrls.is_number(s)

Checks wether a string is a number or not.

crrlpy.crrls.line_width(dD, dL)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Voigt_profile#The_width_of_the_Voigt_profile

crrlpy.crrls.line_width_err(dD, dL, ddD, ddL)

Computes the error in the FWHM of a Voigt profile. http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Voigt_profile#The_width_of_the_Voigt_profile

crrlpy.crrls.linear (x, a, b)

Linear model.

crrlpy.crrls.load_model(prop, specie, temp, dens, other=None)

Loads a model for the CRRL emission.

crrlpy.crrls.load_ref (specie, trans)

Loads the reference spectrum for the specified atomic specie and transition. Available species and transitions: CI alpha CI beta CI delta CI gamma CI13 alpha HeI alpha HeI beta HI alpha HI beta SI alpha SI beta

crrlpy.crrls.load_ref2 (transition)

Loads the reference spectrum for the specified atomic specie and transition. Available transitions: CIalpha CIbeta CIdelta CIgamma CI13alpha HeIalpha HeIbeta HIalpha HIbeta SIalpha SIbeta

crrlpy.crrls.lookup_freq(n, specie, trans)

Returns the frequency of a given transition.

 $crrlpy.crrls.lorentz_width(n, ne, Te, Tr, W, dn=1)$

Gives the Lorentzian line width due to a combination of radiation and collisional broadening. The width is the FWHM in Hz. It uses the models of Salgado et al. (2015).

crrlpy.crrls.mask_outliers(data, m=2)

Masks values larger than m times the data median.

crrlpy.crrls.n2f(n, line, n_min=1, n_max=1500, unitless=True)

Converts a given principal quantum number n to the frequency of a given line.

crrlpy.crrls.natural_sort(l)

Sort the given list in the way that humans expect. Sorting is done in place.

```
crrlpy.crrls.plot_fit (fig, x, y, fit, params, vparams, sparams, rms, x0, refs, refs_cb=None,
                              refs cd=None, refs cg=None)
crrlpy.crrls.plot_fit_single (fig, x, y, fit, params, rms, x0, refs, refs_cb=None, refs_cd=None,
                                       refs cg=None)
crrlpy.crrls.plot_model(x, y, xm, ym, out)
crrlpy.crrls.plot_spec_vel(out, x, y, fit, A, Aerr, x0, x0err, sx, sxerr)
crrlpy.crrls.pressure_broad(n, Te, ne)
     Pressure induced broadening in Hz. Shaver (1975)
crrlpy.crrls.pressure_broad_coefs(Te)
     Defines the values of the constants a and \gamma that go into the collisional broadening formula of Salgado et al.
     (2015).
          Parameters Te (float) – Electron temperature.
          Returns The values of a and \gamma.
          Return type list
crrlpy.crrls.pressure_broad_salgado(n, Te, ne, dn=1)
     Pressure induced broadening in Hz. This gives the FWHM of a Lorentzian line. Salgado et al. (2015)
          Parameters
                • n (float or array) – Principal quantum number for which to compute the line broadening.
                • Te (float) – Electron temperature to use when computing the collisional line width.
                • ne (float) – Electron density to use when computing the collisional line width.
                • dn (int) – Difference between the upper and lower level for which the line width is com-
                  puted. (default 1)
          Returns The collisional broadening FWHM in Hz using Salgado et al. (2015) formulas.
          Return type float or array
crrlpy.crrls.radiation_broad(n, W, Tr)
     Radiation induced broadening in Hz.
crrlpy.crrls.radiation_broad_salgado(n, W, Tr)
     Radiation induced broadening in Hz. This gives the FWHM of a Lorentzian line. Salgado et al. (2015)
crrlpy.crrls.radiation_broad_salgado_general(n, W, Tr, nu0, alpha)
     Radiation induced broadening in Hz. This gives the FWHM of a Lorentzian line. The expression is valid for
     power law like radiation fields. Salgado et al. (2015)
crrlpy.crrls.remove_baseline(freq, tb, model, p0, mask)
     Divide tb by given a model and starting parameters p0. Returns: tb/model - 1
crrlpy.crrls.sigma2FWHM(sigma)
     Converts the \sigma parameter of a Gaussian distribution to its FWHM.
          Parameters sigma (float) – \sigma value of the Gaussian distribution.
          Returns The FWHM of a Gaussian with a standard deviation \sigma.
          Return type float
crrlpy.crrls.sigma2FWHM err (dsigma)
     Converts the error on the sigma parameter of a Gaussian distribution to the error on the FWHM.
crrlpy.crrls.stack_interpol(spectra, vmin, vmax, dv, show=True, rmsvec=False)
```

```
crrlpy.crrls.stack_irregular(lines, window='', **kargs)
```

Stacks spectra by adding them together and then convolving with a window to reduce the noise. Available window functions: Gaussian, Savitzky-Golay and Wiener.

```
crrlpy.crrls.sum_line(sb, n, ref, vel, tau, v0, tau0, dtau0, thr, rms)
```

Integrate the spectrum near a given velocity v0. It stops when the channels are within a threshold from a reference level.

```
crrlpy.crrls.sum_storage()
crrlpy.crrls.tryint(s)
crrlpy.crrls.vel2freq(f0, vel)
```

Convert a velocity axis to a frequency axis given a central frequency. Uses the radio definition, $\nu = f_0(1 - v/c)$.

Parameters

- **f0** (*float*) Rest frequency in Hz.
- **vel** (*float or array*) Velocity to convert in m/s.

Returns The frequency which is equivalent to vel.

Return type float or array

```
crrlpy.crrls.voigt(x, y)
```

crrlpy.crrls.voigt_area(amp, fwhm, gamma, sigma)

Returns the area under a Voigt profile. This approximation has an error of less than 0.5%

crrlpy.crrls.voigt_area_err(area, amp, damp, fwhm, dfwhm, gamma, sigma)

Returns the error of the area under a Voigt profile. Assumes that the parameter c has an error of 0.5%.

crrlpy.crrls.voigt_peak(A, alphaD, alphaL)

Gives the peak of a Voigt profile given its Area and the HWHM of the Gaussian and Lorentz profiles.

crrlpy.crrls.voigt_peak2area(peak, alphaD, alphaL)

Converts the peak of a Voigt profile into the area under the profile given the HWHM of the profile.

crrlpy.crrls.voigt_peak_err(peak, A, dA, alphaD, dalphaD)

Gives the error on the peak of the Voigt profile.

CRRLPY.MODELS.RRLMOD MODULE

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.**I_Bnu** (specie, Z, n, Inu_funct, *args)

Calculates the product $B_{n+\Delta n,n}I_{\nu}$ to compute the line broadening due to a radiation field I_{ν} .

Parameters

- **specie** (*str*) Atomic specie to calculate for.
- \mathbf{n} (int or list) Principal quantum number at which to evaluate $\frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{\Delta n} B_{n+\Delta n,n} I_{n+\Delta n,n}(\nu)$.
- Inu_funct (function) Function to call and evaluate $I_{n+\Delta n,n}(\nu)$. It's first argument must be the frequency.
- *args Arguments to *Inu_funct*. The frequency must be left out. The frequency will be passed internally in units of MHz. Use the same unit when required. *Inu_funct* must take the frequency as first parameter.

Returns

Return type array, Hz

Example

```
>>> I_Bnu('CI', 1., 500, I_broken_plaw, 800, 26*u.MHz.to('Hz'), -1., -2.6)
array([ 6.65540582])
```

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.I_broken_plaw(nu, Tr, nu0, alpha1, alpha2)

Returns the blackbody function evaluated at nu. As temperature a broken power law is used. The power law shape has parameters: Tr, nu0, alpha1 and alpha2.

Parameters

- nu ((Hz) or astropy.units.Quantity) Frequency. (Hz) or astropy.units.Quantity
- **Tr** Temperature at nu0. (K) or astropy.units.Quantity
- nu0 Frequency at which the spectral index changes. (Hz) or astropy.units.Quantity
- alpha1 spectral index for $\nu < \nu_0$
- alpha2 spectral index for $\nu \geq \nu_0$

Returns Specific intensity in $\operatorname{erg} \operatorname{cm}^{-2} \operatorname{Hz}^{-1} \operatorname{s}^{-1} \operatorname{sr}^{-1}$. See astropy.analytic_functions.blackbody_blackbody_nu

Return type astropy.units.Quantity

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.**I_cont** (*nu*, *Te*, *tau*, *IO*, *unitless=False*)

Computes the specific intensity due to a blackbody at temperature T_e and optical depth τ . It considers that there is background radiation with I_0 .

Parameters

- nu ((Hz) or astropy.units.Quantity) Frequency.
- Te Temperature of the source function. (K) or astropy.units.Quantity
- tau Optical depth of the medium.
- 10 Specific intensity of the background radiation. Must have units of erg / (cm2 Hz s sr) or see *unitless*.
- unitless If True the return

Returns The specific intensity of a ray of light after traveling in an LTE medium with source function $B_{\nu}(T_e)$ after crossing an optical depth τ_{ν} . The units are erg / (cm2 Hz s sr). See astropy.analytic_functions.blackbody_blackbody_nu

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.**I_external** (nu, Tbkg, Tff, tau_ff, Tr, nu0=<Quantity 100000000.0 MHz>, alpha=-2.6)

This method is equivalent to the IDL routine

Parameters nu – Frequency. (Hz) or astropy.units.Quantity

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.I_total (nu, Te, tau, IO, eta)
```

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.Mdn (dn)

Gives the $M(\Delta n)$ factor for a given Δn . ref. Menzel (1968)

Parameters $dn - \Delta n$.

Returns $M(\Delta n)$

Return type float

Example

```
>>> Mdn(1)
0.1908
>>> Mdn(5)
0.001812
```

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.broken_plaw(nu, nu0, T0, alpha1, alpha2)
Defines a broken power law.

$$T(\nu) = T_0 \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu_0}\right)^{\alpha_1} \text{ if } \nu < \nu_0$$
$$T(\nu) = T_0 \left(\frac{\nu}{\nu_0}\right)^{\alpha_2} \text{ if } \nu \ge \nu_0$$

Parameters

- **nu** Frequency.
- **nu0** Frequency at which the power law breaks.
- **TO** Value of the power law at nu0.
- **alpha1** Index of the power law for nu<nu0.
- alpha2 Index of the power law for nu>=nu0.

Returns Broken power law evalueated at nu.

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.eta (freq, Te, ne, nion, Z, Tr, trans, n_max=1500)
Returns the correction factor for the Planck function.

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.itau(temp, dens, line, n_min=5, n_max=1000, other='', verbose=False, value='itau')
```

Gives the integrated optical depth for a given temperature and density. The emission measure is unity. The output units are Hz.

Parameters

- temp Electron temperature. Must be a string of the form '8d1'.
- dens Electron density. Float
- line Line to load models for.
- n_min Minimum n value to include in the output. Int Default 1
- n_max Maximum n value to include in the output. Int Default 1500, Maximum allowed value 9900
- other String to search for different radiation fields and others.
- verbose Verbose output? Bool
- **value** ['itau'|'bbnMdn'|none] Value to output. itau will output the integrated optical depth.

bbnMdn will output the $\beta_{n,n'}b_n$ times the oscillator strength $M(\Delta n)$. :returns: The principal quantum number and its associated value.

Gives the integrated optical depth for a given temperature and density. The emission measure is unity. The output units are Hz.

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.itau_norad(n, te, b, dn, mdn)
```

Returns the optical depth with only the approximate solution to the radiative transfer problem.

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.j line lte(n, ne, nion, Te, Z, trans)
```

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.kappa cont (freq, Te, ne, nion, Z)
```

Computes the absorption coefficient for the free-free process.

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.kappa_cont_base(nu, Te, ne, nion, Z)
```

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.kappa_line(Te, ne, nion, Z, Tr, trans, n_max=1500)
```

Computes the line absorption coefficient for CRRLs between levels :mat:'n_{i}' and n_f , $n_i > n_f$. This can only go up to n_{max} 1500 because of the tables used for the Einstein Anm coefficients.

Parameters

- **Te** (*float*) Electron temperature of the gas. (K)
- **ne** (*float*) Electron density. (cm^{-3})
- nion (float) Ion density. (cm⁻³)
- **Z** (*int*) Electric charge of the atoms being considered.
- **Tr** (*float*) Temperature of the radiation field felt by the gas. This specifies the temperature of the field at 100 MHz. (K)
- trans (*string*) Transition for which to compute the absorption coefficient.
- n_max (int<1500) Maximum principal quantum number to include in the output.

Returns

Return type array

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.kappa_line_lte (nu, Te, ne, nion, Z, Tr, line, n_min=1, n_max=1500) Returns the line absorption coefficient under LTE conditions.

Parameters

- nu (array) Frequency. (Hz)
- **Te** (*float*) Electron temperature of the gas. (K)
- **ne** (*float*) Electron density. (cm^{-3})
- nion (float) Ion density. (cm⁻³)
- **Z** (*int*) Electric charge of the atoms being considered.
- **Tr** (*float*) Temperature of the radiation field felt by the gas. This specifies the temperature of the field at 100 MHz. (K)
- trans (*string*) Transition for which to compute the absorption coefficient.
- n_max (int<1500) Maximum principal quantum number to include in the output.

Returns

Return type array

- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.level_pop_lte (n, ne, nion, Te, Z)Returns the level population of level n. The return has units of cm⁻³.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_betabn (temp, dens, other='', trans='Clalpha', verbose=False)
 Loads a model for the CRRL emission.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_betabn_h (temp, dens, other='', trans='alpha', verbose=False)
 Loads a model for the HRRL emission.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_bn (temp, dens, other='')
 Loads the bn values from the CRRL models.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_bn2 (temp, dens, other='')
 Loads the bn values from the CRRL models.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_itau_all(trans='Clalpha', n_min=5, n_max=1000, verbose=False, value='itau')

 Loads all the available models for Carbon.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_itau_all_hydrogen(trans='alpha', n_max=1000, ver-bose=False, value='itau')

 Loads all the available models for Hydrogen.

Loads all trans_out models that can be found in trans_tin. This is useful when analyzing line ratios.

- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_itau_all_norad(trans='alpha', n_max=1000) Loads all the available models.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_itau_nelim(temp, dens, trad, trans, n_max=1000, verbose=False, value='itau')

 Loads models given a temperature, radiation field and an upper limit for the electron density.
- crrlpy.models.rrlmod.load_models (models, trans, n_max=1000, verbose=False, value='itau') Loads the models in backwards compatible mode. It will sort the models by Te, ne and Tr.

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.make_betabn (line, temp, dens, n_min=5, n_max=1000, other='')
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.make_betabn2 (line, temp, dens, n_min=5, n_max=1000, other='')
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.plaw(x, x0, y0, alpha)
 Returns a power law.

$$y(x) = y_0 \left(\frac{x}{x_0}\right)^{\alpha}$$

Parameters

- **x** (*float or array like*) x values for which to compute the power law.
- $\mathbf{x0}$ (*float*) x value for which the power law has amplitude y0.
- **y0** (*float*) Amplitude of the power law at *x0*.
- **alpha** (*float*) Index of the power law.

Returns A power law of index *alpha* evaluated at x, with amplitude y0 at x0.

Return type float or array

```
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.str2val(str)
crrlpy.models.rrlmod.val2str(val)
```

Converts a float to the str format required for loading the CRRL models. E.g., a temperature of 70 K is 7d1.

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.valid_ne(trans)

Checks all the available models and lists the available ne values.

crrlpy.models.rrlmod.xi (n, Te, Z)

CRRLPY.CRRLS.FREC CALC MODULE

```
crrlpy.frec_calc.line_freq(Z, R_X, n, dn)
```

Uses the Rydberg formula to get the frequency of a transition to quantum number n for a given atom.

Parameters

- **Z** (*int*) Charge of the atom.
- R X (float) -
- **n** (*int*) Principal quantum number of the transition. $n + \Delta n \rightarrow n$.
- dn (int) Difference between the principal quantum number of the initial state and the final state. $\Delta n = n_f n_i$.

Returns The frequency of the transition in MHz.

Return type float

```
crrlpy.frec_calc.main()
```

Main body of the program. Useful for calling as a script.

```
\texttt{crrlpy.frec\_calc.make\_line\_list} \ (\textit{line}, \textit{n\_min=1}, \textit{n\_max=1500}, \textit{unitless=True})
```

Creates a list of frequencies for the corresponding line. The frequencies are in MHz.

Parameters

- line Line to compute the frequencies for.
- n_min Minimum n number to include in the list.
- n max Maximum n number to include in the list.
- unitless If True the list will have no units. If not the list will be of astropy.units.Quantity objects.

Returns List with the frequency of the transitions for the line.

```
crrlpy.frec_calc.set_dn (name)
```

Sets the value of Delta n depending on the transition name.

Parameters name (*string*) – Name of the transition.

Returns Δn for the given transition.

Return type int

Example

```
>>> set_dn('CIalpha')
1
```

```
>>> set_dn('CIdelta')
4
```

```
crrlpy.frec_calc.set_specie(specie)
```

Sets atomic constants based on the atomic specie.

Parameters specie (string) – Atomic specie.

Returns Array with the atomic mass in a.m.u., ionization potential, abundance relative to HI, $V_X - V_H$ and the electric charge.

Example

```
>>> set_specie('CI')
[12.0, 11.4, 0.0003, 149.5, 1.0]
```

```
crrlpy.frec_calc.set_trans(dn)
```

Sets a name depending on the difference between atomic levels.

Parameters dn (*int*) – Separation between n_i and n_f , $\Delta n = n_i - n_f$.

Returns alpha, beta, gamma, delta or epsilon depending on :paramref:'dn'.

Return type string

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