

VOSA

A VO Spectral Energy Distribution Analyzer. Part 2/2

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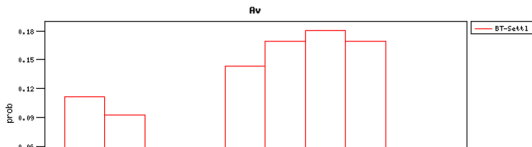
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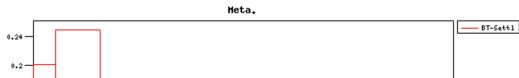
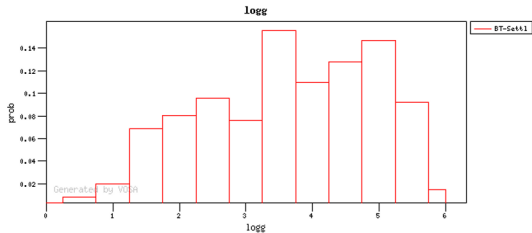
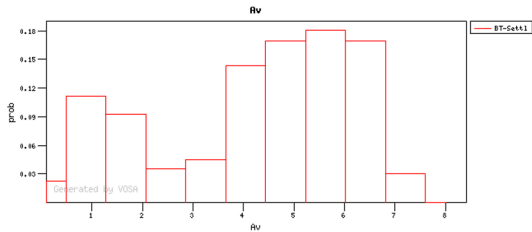
Here you can see, for each model, the relative probability found for each parameter. Only those with a probability higher than 1e-4 are shown.

BT-Sett1

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0.1	0.022217	0	0.003070	-4	0.201034	2400	0.016414
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2.47	0.035552	1.5	0.068443	-2.5	0.077276	2700	0.152081
3.26	0.045303	2	0.080602	-2	0.024373	2800	0.127643
4.05	0.143761	2.5	0.095909	-1.5	0.006795	2900	0.102901
4.84	0.169290	3	0.076231	-1	0.020237	3000	0.092399
5.63	0.180556	3.5	0.155589	-0.5	0.046966	3100	0.083539
6.42	0.169251	4	0.109599	0	0.073519	3200	0.092085
7.21	0.030289	4.5	0.128216	0.3	0.058646	3300	0.071022
8	0.000179	5	0.147018	0.5	0.065751	3400	0.039796
		5.5	0.092430			3500	0.018577
		6	0.014912			3600	0.005303
						3700	0.000924



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4.05	0.143761	2.5	0.095909	-1.5	0.006795	2900	0.102901
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6.42	0.169251	4	0.109599	0	0.073519	3200	0.092085
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Model Fit

Template fit

Template fit

This option allows you to estimate the spectral type for each object comparing its SED with those in template collections obtained from VO services.

Take a look to the corresponding [Help Section](#) and [Credits Page](#) for more information.

First select the template collections that you want to use for the fit

 L and T dwarf data archive

L and T dwarf data from Chiu et al. 2006, Golimowski et al. 2004 and Knapp et al. 2004

 Keck LRIS spectra of late-M, L and T dwarfs

These spectra were obtained between 1997 and 1999; they are all flux calibrated and generally span the wavelength range 6000-10,000 Å. Spectral types are on the Kirkpatrick et al system as defined in Kirkpatrick et al ApJS, 77, 417 (1991 - for M dwarfs) and Kirkpatrick et al ApJ 519, 802 (1999 - L dwarfs). While not all of these stars are primary spectral standards, they are all bright and should provide an adequate reference sequence. Photometric properties can be derived from the appended postscript files.

 The NIRSPEC Brown Dwarf Spectroscopic Survey

The Brown Dwarf Spectroscopic Survey (BDSS), established in 1998 by Dr. Ian McLean in collaboration with Dr. J. Davy Kirkpatrick at IPAC, is designed to study near-infrared moderate-to-high resolution spectra for a large sample of low-mass stars and sub-stellar mass objects in the M and newly defined L and T dwarf classes.

 The SpeX Prism Spectral Libraries

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Options for this fit

- Include model spectrum in fit plots? (*The fit process will be slower, because getting the spectra from the VO can take some time*)

Model fit **Template fit**

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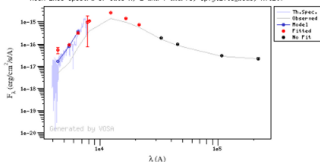
Best fit+ results

Hide graphs Delete this fit

Object	RA	DEC	Model	SpTy	more	A_v	χ^2	M_v	λ_{max}	N_{rs}/N_{tot}	Data	VOtables
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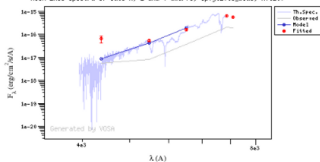
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Keck LRIS spectra of late-M, L and T dwarfs, SpTysL0.5_blue, Avs2.0



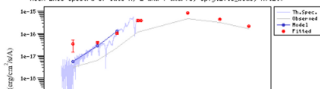
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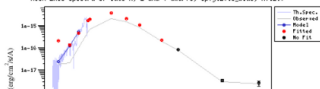
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Keck LRIS spectra of late-M, L and T dwarfs, SpTysL0.5_blue, Avs2.0



ChaHa12

Keck LRIS spectra of late-M, L and T dwarfs, SpTysL0.5_blue, Avs2.0



Hertzsprung-Russel diagram.

- Use the Luminosity and T_{eff} estimated in the fit.
- Obtain isochrones and evolutionary tracks from the VO.
- Interpolate them to estimate values for the Mass and Age of each object.
- (only for stars and brown dwarfs).

- **Log** of all the work done.
 - VO services consulted, fit made, fit undone, models used, etc since the file was uploaded.
 - Web visualization and downloadable file.
- **References**
 - Description of all the references for external services, models, etc used to obtain the results for a user file.
 - Bibtex file with the bibtex entries for those references.
- **Online help**



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Activity Log

Here you can see a log with a summary of all the activity already performed with this file.

Last operations are shown first

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 Ev. tracks
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- 2012/10/22 19:50:58 HR diagram generated
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 Ev. tracks
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 m_max = 1.400
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- 2012/06/13 09:57:00 Previous model fit+ results are not valid anymore. They have been deleted
- 2012/06/13 09:49:27 Previous model fit+ results are not valid anymore. They have been deleted
- 2012/06/09 05:52:52 Model fit+ executed
 Parameter values used for the fit:
 Kurucz ODFNEW /NOVER models
 teff_min = 3500
 teff_max = 50000

News: References

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If your research benefits from the use of VOSA, we would appreciate if you could include the corresponding reference in your publication. Note also that VOSA makes use of models, VO services, etc that should be referenced too if they are relevant to your final results. Here you have a list of all the services that have been used for obtaining the results for this particular file. Please, take that into account. The refs.bibtex.bib file includes all the bibtex entries corresponding to the information below

VOSA

- * VOSA
 - Acknowledgement : This publication makes use of VOSA, developed under the Spanish Virtual Observatory project supported from the Spanish MICINN through grant AyA2008-02156.
 - 2008A&A...492..277B : Bayo et al 2008, A&A, 492, 277B

Dereddening

- * For dereddening the SEDs we make use of the extinction law by Fitzpatrick (1999) improved by Indebetouw et al (2005) in the infrared.
 - 1999PASP...111..63F : Fitzpatrick, E.; 1999, PASP, 111, 63
 - 2005ApJ...619..931I : Indebetouw et al, 2005, ApJ 619, 931

VO photometry

- * 2MASS All-Sky Point Source Catalog
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 - 2000A&AS..143..230 : Ochsenein et al 2000, A&AS 143, 221
- * DENIS Catalogue
 - 2000A&AS..143..230 : Ochsenein et al 2000, A&AS 143, 221
- * Galaxy Evolution Explorer [GALEX]
 - Please, check the GALEX web page: <http://galex.stsci.edu>
- * WISE catalogue

References

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Model Fit

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One of the main analysis options of this application is the *Model fit*.

Here the observed SED for each object is compared to the synthetic photometry for several theoretical models using a chi-square test. This gives an estimation of the physical properties of the given object.

If you provide a range for the visual extinction (A_V), this fitting will also consider it as a fit parameter, as explained below.

Fit

When a fitting process is started you can choose among a list of theoretical spectra models available in the VO. Only those that are checked will be used for the fit.

In the next step the application uses the TSAP protocol (SSAP for theoretical spectra) for asking the model servers which parameters are available to perform a search. According to that, a form is built for each model so that you can choose the ranges of parameters that you want to use for the fit. Take into account that:

- The fitting process implies queries to VO services, data sent through the network, a lot of calculations (some done by the services themselves and some done by the application)... That means that it could take a long time to get the final results (seconds for only an object or half an hour for around 100 depending also on the load of the services).
- Using more models and wider ranges of parameters will imply a longer time for the fitting (specially if your file contains many objects) so be ready for a long waiting time in the next step.
- In some cases, the whole range of parameters offered by the models are not right for your objects. For instance, if you know, for whatever physical reasons, that your objects have small temperatures, choose only small temperatures in the forms to optimize the process.
- The response time has roughly linear dependence on the number of objects in the file (twice number of objects means twice waiting time). Thus, you could prefer splitting your input file in different ones (according to physical properties, pertinence to a group or other reasons) better than doing all the work in an only data file.
- If you decide to fit the extinction too (giving a range for A_V) this will also increase the fitting time. Take into account that 20 different values of A_V are considered for each object/model combination. Although this won't imply a fitting time 20 times larger, it also enlarges the calculation time.

Once the fit has been finished, you can see a list with the best fit for each object and, optionally, a simple plot of these fits.

Besides that, for each particular object, you can also see a list with the best 5 fits for each model and, then, ordered by χ^2 .

- Link to a [Votable](#) with the **synthetic spectra** corresponding to the best fit.

Extinction fit

If a range for the visual extinction (A_V) is given, it will also be considered a fit parameter.

You can provide this range for each object in two different ways:

- In the input file (10th column). See [Upload file format](#) section for more info.
- In the "Objects: extinction" tab.

If you don't provide a range for A_V , the default value provided by you (also in the input file or the Extinction tab) will be used.

If you provide a range, like for instance $A_V:0.5/5.5$, the fit service will compare each particular file of the model with the observed SED dereddened using 20 different values for A_V in that range. Then the best fit models will be returned by the service with the best corresponding value of A_V .

Reduced chi-square

The fit process minimizes the value of χ_r^2 defined as:

$$\chi_r^2 = \frac{1}{N - n_p} \sum_{i=1}^N \left\{ \frac{(Y_{o,i} - M_d Y_{m,i})^2}{\sigma_{o,i}^2} \right\}$$

Where:

N: Number of photometric points.

n_p: Number of fitted parameters for the model.

($N - n_p$ are the degrees of freedom associated to the chi-square test)

Y_o: observed flux.

σ_o: observational error in the flux.

Y_m: theoretical flux predicted by the model.

M_d: Multiplicative dilution factor, defined as:

$$M_d = \left(\frac{R}{D} \right)^2$$

being R the object radius and D the distance between the object and the observer.

It is calculated as a result of the fit too.

Observational errors

Save results.

- VOTable, ASCII
- PNG, EPS and grace files for the images available.
- Download as tar file.



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Save Results

Please, select what you want to retrieve.

Object SED

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Model Fit+

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Fit+ parameters info	<input type="checkbox"/>			
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Photometry (Obs+Model fit+)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Bayes Analysis+

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Template Fit

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Template Bayes Analysis+

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Log File

Activity log	<input type="checkbox"/>			
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The main reference for VOSA is:

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When you download your results two additional files are included:

- info/refs.dat : with a description of all references for the services that have been used in this file.
- info/refs.bibtex.bib : with the bibtex entries corresponding to all those references.

Please, read the info/refs.dat file and take it into account.

THANK YOU!