



VIOLET

X-RAYS

GAMMA R

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00:00:22,620 --> 00:00:19,950
glassed is designed to look at gamma

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00:00:24,450 --> 00:00:22,630
rays and gamma rays of the highest

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00:00:26,070 --> 00:00:24,460
energy form of light there's the light

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00:00:28,320 --> 00:00:26,080
we see with our eyes but there are lots

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00:00:30,179 --> 00:00:28,330
of other types of light gamma rays are

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00:00:33,689 --> 00:00:30,189
the most energetic form of light the

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00:00:34,979 --> 00:00:33,699
most powerful gamma rays are the part of

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00:00:35,849 --> 00:00:34,989
what we call the electromagnetic

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00:00:37,950 --> 00:00:35,859
spectrum

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00:00:40,590 --> 00:00:37,960
which starts in radio at very long

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00:00:42,569 --> 00:00:40,600
wavelengths goes through optical then

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00:00:44,759 --> 00:00:42,579
through x-rays and then gamma rays at

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00:00:47,099 --> 00:00:44,769

the very highest energy form of that

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00:00:48,479 --> 00:00:47,109

type of radiation the reason it's

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00:00:51,360 --> 00:00:48,489

important to look at the high-energy

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00:00:53,039 --> 00:00:51,370

gamma rays is that many objects the most

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00:00:55,590 --> 00:00:53,049

violent and some of the most interesting

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00:00:57,479 --> 00:00:55,600

objects in the universe emit most of

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00:00:59,189 --> 00:00:57,489

their light in this high-energy gamma

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00:01:01,199 --> 00:00:59,199

ray part and the only thing that can

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00:01:02,849 --> 00:01:01,209

generate gamma rays are incredibly

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00:01:05,369 --> 00:01:02,859

violent events incredibly energetic

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00:01:07,830 --> 00:01:05,379

events and we're talking stars exploding

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00:01:10,380 --> 00:01:07,840

and neutron stars with really strong

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00:01:12,149 --> 00:01:10,390

magnetic fields and really exotic and

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00:01:14,490 --> 00:01:12,159

strange objects like that

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00:01:16,980 --> 00:01:14,500

it's like Christmas trees shining and

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00:01:19,169 --> 00:01:16,990

it's flaring there are Russians every

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00:01:21,359 --> 00:01:19,179

day gamma ray bursts being example

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00:01:23,760 --> 00:01:21,369

something that for a brief instant of

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00:01:25,440 --> 00:01:23,770

time outshines the entire rest of the

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00:01:29,370 --> 00:01:25,450

universe these are the biggest

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00:01:35,290 --> 00:01:32,340

we think that there are the signals that

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00:01:37,570 --> 00:01:35,300

happen when a black hole is born we

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00:01:39,580 --> 00:01:37,580

don't know in detail how it works and by

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00:01:42,040 --> 00:01:39,590

looking with glass we'll be able to

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00:01:45,790 --> 00:01:42,050

study the physics of what causes a

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00:01:48,010 --> 00:01:45,800

gamma-ray burst the thing is that most

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00:01:50,410 --> 00:01:48,020

of the gamma rays we look at in terms of

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00:01:52,300 --> 00:01:50,420

gamma-ray astronomy never reach people

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00:01:55,030 --> 00:01:52,310

in the atmosphere essentially absorbs

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00:01:56,830 --> 00:01:55,040

all of those chemicals which is the

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00:01:58,810 --> 00:01:56,840

reason why glass has to fly on the

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00:02:01,120 --> 00:01:58,820

settlor there's none of the gamma rays

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00:02:03,580 --> 00:02:01,130

we want to see actually to make it to

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00:02:04,990 --> 00:02:03,590

the ground glass is going to open up

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00:02:07,000 --> 00:02:05,000

that part of the electromagnetic

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00:02:10,389 --> 00:02:07,010

spectrum to better understand the

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00:02:12,640 --> 00:02:10,399

universe it provides the widest energy

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00:02:15,220 --> 00:02:12,650

coverage for gamma-ray bursts that has

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00:02:17,650 --> 00:02:15,230

ever been put into space it's going to

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00:02:19,750 --> 00:02:17,660

see the frontiers of many objects

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00:02:21,610 --> 00:02:19,760

high-energy objects in history shows

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00:02:23,590 --> 00:02:21,620

that when you open up a new band in the