
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Sun Dec 14 17:08:50 GMT 1997

Year: 97 Doy: 348

Observer: koon

WEATHER COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 17:08:53 GMT 1997

Thin cirrostratus with scattered cirrus also, wind=5 mph from the South,

temp=42 F.

Sun Dec 14 17:12:41 GMT 1997 CHIP CHIP Start Patrol Sun Dec 14 17:12:41 GMT 1997 CHIP CHIP Start Patrol

MKIII COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 17:20:40 GMT 1997

Will wait for clouds to clear before starting this instrument.

Sun Dec 14 18:01:01 GMT 1997 CHIP Bias Sun Dec 14 18:01:58 GMT 1997 End Bias CHIP Sun Dec 14 18:02:06 GMT 1997 CHIP Water Sun Dec 14 18:02:14 GMT 1997 PICS Flat Sun Dec 14 18:02:48 GMT 1997 CHIP End Water Sun Dec 14 18:03:48 GMT 1997 PICS End Flat

PSPT COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 18:25:43 GMT 1997

Haosheng gave me a call this morning and we fixed a few of the problems I had yesterday. The control PC wasn't running the correct program so I had to start that up, that cured the communications problem I had with the PSPT. Typing "init sys" cleared the strange dome state and it would no longer runaway after that. To avoid this problem everytime we need to point the dome manually, we came up with a solution that should work well, the dome will now be pointed to the South at the end of observations which puts it into a position where we can open the shutter without having to point the dome manually in the morning or afternoon. The last problem is that the data disk isn't mounted properly on the Sparcstation, we're still working on that one.

PSPT COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 18:34:05 GMT 1997

Haosheng wanted to know at what time the sun clears the bottom shutter door in the morning. It is just starting to peak above the door into the FOV of the instrument. Since the data are degraded early in the morning and it is a hassle to open and close the bottom door it may work out that we don't need to open and close that door anyway. The sun should rise above that door even earlier during the rest of the year since we are almost at the Winter Solstice right now.

PSPT COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 18:58:09 GMT 1997

Sun Dec 14 19:03:09 GMT 1997

We couldn't fix the problem that is preventing the data disk from mounting, Haosheng will contact a Systems Manager to look into the problem, then they will get back to us. Other than that it looks like everything is working and ready to observe. We have cirrostratus anyway today, so no big loss.

Bias

CHIP

Sun Dec 14 19:00:35 GMT 1997 MKIII Start Patrol Sun Dec 14 19:01:01 GMT 1997 PICS Flat

Sun Dec 14 19:02:25 GMT 1997 PICS End Flat

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Sun Dec 14 19:04:20 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Bias
Sun Dec 14 19:04:33 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Water
Sun Dec 14 19:05:16 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Water
Sun Dec 14 20:02:03 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          Flat
Sun Dec 14 20:03:02 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Gain
Sun Dec 14 20:03:29 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          End Flat
Sun Dec 14 20:08:49 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Gain
Sun Dec 14 20:08:59 GMT 1997
                                          Bias
                                 CHIP
Sun Dec 14 20:09:53 GMT 1997
                                          End Bias
                                 CHIP
Sun Dec 14 20:10:07 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Water
Sun Dec 14 20:10:52 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Water
Sun Dec 14 21:03:03 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Bias
Sun Dec 14 21:03:11 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          Flat
Sun Dec 14 21:04:08 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Bias
Sun Dec 14 21:04:18 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Water
Sun Dec 14 21:04:42 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          End Flat
Sun Dec 14 21:05:03 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          End Water
PSPT COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 21:48:10 GMT 1997
Haosheng wrote back and said their system manager is on vacation and asked
if ours could help us. I don't know who could and would help us from
Boulder, maybe Peter Fox? I'll ask around and see who is willing.
Sun Dec 14 22:01:08 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          Flat
Sun Dec 14 22:02:33 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          End Flat
Sun Dec 14 22:03:04 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Bias
Sun Dec 14 22:04:05 GMT 1997
                                          End Bias
                                 CHIP
Sun Dec 14 22:04:15 GMT 1997
                                 CHIP
                                          Water
Sun Dec 14 22:04:57 GMT 1997
                                          End Water
                                 CHIP
Sun Dec 14 22:39:14 GMT 1997
                                 PICS
                                          End Patrol
Sun Dec 14 22:41:08 GMT 1997
                                          ending tape
                                 CHIP
Sun Dec 14 22:42:59 GMT 1997
                                          CHIP End Patrol
                                 CHIP
COMMENT: Sun Dec 14 22:43:08 GMT 1997
TAPES:
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MKIII: H01700
PICS: P01061
CHIP: C00447
LOWL: L00487
Sun Dec 14 22:45:41 GMT 1997
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19_24.rawmk3	20_06.rawmk3	20_38.rawmk3	21_11.rawmk3	c19_54.rawmk3
19_27.rawmk3	20_09.rawmk3	20_41.rawmk3	21_14.rawmk3	c20_00.rawmk3
19_30.rawmk3	20_12.rawmk3	20_44.rawmk3	21_16.rawmk3	