
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Fri Dec 28 17:24:35 GMT 2001

Year: 01 Doy: 362

Observer: yasukawa

WEATHER COMMENT: Fri Dec 28 17:24:57 GMT 2001

Cool, in patch of scattered thin cirrus, south wind.

Fri Dec 28 17:37:21 GMT 2001 CHIP Start Patrol

Fri Dec 28 17:38:25 GMT 2001 MKIV Start Patrol

PICS PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 17:40:28 GMT 2001

David's assessment of the PICS problem is camera shutter failure. Testing yesterday using video mode confirms his assessment. Pattern on image was alternating between top and bottom, limb images use two exposures, one being wrong at the beginning and the other being wrong at the end of the exposure, in video mode I saw an odd/even variation in how the images were messed up. Camera will have to go back to Redlake MASD (formerly Kodak MASD) for repair.

PSPT COMMENT: Fri Dec 28 17:56:40 GMT 2001

Started observing.

Fri Dec 28 18:03:02 GMT 2001 CHIP LSD

Fri Dec 28 18:05:22 GMT 2001 CHIP End LSD

Fri Dec 28 18:05:36 GMT 2001 CHIP BiasLSD

Fri Dec 28 18:06:23 GMT 2001 CHIP End BiasLSD

Fri Dec 28 18:06:39 GMT 2001 CHIP Bias

Fri Dec 28 18:07:27 GMT 2001 CHIP End Bias

PSPT PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 18:35:05 GMT 2001

PSPT stalled at 18:28 UT after centering solar image on CCD. Error message on IDL: Execution halted at: STR_TIME

5 str_time.pro

Killed runPspt.pro and restarted.

Fri Dec 28 19:03:01 GMT 2001 CHIP LSD

Fri Dec 28 19:05:15 GMT 2001 CHIP End LSD

Fri Dec 28 19:05:29 GMT 2001 CHIP BiasLSD

Fri Dec 28 19:06:15 GMT 2001 CHIP End BiasLSD

Fri Dec 28 19:06:23 GMT 2001 CHIP Bias

Fri Dec 28 19:07:06 GMT 2001 CHIP End Bias

PSPT PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 19:27:25 GMT 2001

PSPT stalled again at 19:21 UT, same problem and resolution as above.

Fri Dec 28 19:30:42 GMT 2001 MKIV End Patrol

Fri Dec 28 19:30:57 GMT 2001 MKIV Start Cal

Fri Dec 28 19:49:46 GMT 2001 MKIV End Cal

Fri Dec 28 19:49:56 GMT 2001 MKIV Start Patrol

Fri Dec 28 20:02:53 GMT 2001 CHIP LSD

**** EVENT COMMENT ****: Fri Dec 28 20:03:36 GMT 2001

CME starting at 1946 UT between PA 90-140.

Fri Dec 28 20:05:13 GMT 2001 CHIP End LSD

Fri Dec 28 20:05:27 GMT 2001 CHIP BiasLSD

Fri Dec 28 20:06:20 GMT 2001 CHIP End BiasLSD
Fri Dec 28 20:06:33 GMT 2001 CHIP Bias
Fri Dec 28 20:07:20 GMT 2001 CHIP End Bias
**** EVENT COMMENT ****: Fri Dec 28 20:25:43 GMT 2001
WOW, CME is a spectacular one!
PSPT PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 20:32:55 GMT 2001
PSPT stalled again at 20:20 UT, this time trying to take red image
(Hi Res Data). Kill/restart
GONG PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 20:34:16 GMT 2001
GONG crash team arrived on mountain to troubleshoot and repair the
instrument's waveplate rotator problem.
Fri Dec 28 21:00:03 GMT 2001 CHIP LSD
Fri Dec 28 21:02:17 GMT 2001 CHIP End LSD
Fri Dec 28 21:02:30 GMT 2001 CHIP BiasLSD
Fri Dec 28 21:03:17 GMT 2001 CHIP End BiasLSD
Fri Dec 28 21:03:25 GMT 2001 CHIP Bias
Fri Dec 28 21:04:10 GMT 2001 CHIP End Bias
PSPT PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 21:35:58 GMT 2001
PSPT stalled again at 21:17 UT, after centering. This time, IDL message
was: Execution halted at: RTIME
5 rtime.pro

Killed runPspt.pro and restarted.

MKIV PROBLEM: Fri Dec 28 21:52:39 GMT 2001
Investigated barrel angle acquisition system further and diagrammed it.
Sent email to Darryl and to Boulder detailing the interconnections and
possible solutions. One solution would be to replace the power supply with
a larger (higher current) unit. Other would be to disconnect the subsystem
that supplies the OCP Barrel module display. One factor is the OCP display
shows constant angle readouts whereas the KCC gui displays intervals of
2-3 degree changes due to processing time requirements. The OCP provides
better resolution when one needs to stop the barrel at some specific
angle.

Fri Dec 28 22:00:04 GMT 2001 CHIP LSD
PSPT COMMENT: Fri Dec 28 19:27:16 GMT 2001
PSPT COMMENT: Fri Dec 28 22:01:42 GMT 2001
Ended observation.
Fri Dec 28 22:02:26 GMT 2001 CHIP End LSD
Fri Dec 28 22:02:41 GMT 2001 CHIP BiasLSD
Fri Dec 28 22:03:35 GMT 2001 CHIP End BiasLSD
Fri Dec 28 22:03:50 GMT 2001 CHIP Bias
Fri Dec 28 22:04:39 GMT 2001 CHIP End Bias
Fri Dec 28 22:05:47 GMT 2001 MKIV End Patrol
Fri Dec 28 22:07:00 GMT 2001 CHIP End Patrol
Fri Dec 28 22:08:44 GMT 2001
MkIV

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