
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Sat Jun 8 16:56:00 GMT 2002

Year: 02 Doy: 159

Observer: koon

Sat Jun 8 16:59:20 GMT 2002 CHIP Start Patrol

WEATHER COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 16:56:06 GMT 2002 Clear sky, wind=5 mph from the SE, temp=46 F.

Sat Jun 8 16:59:29 GMT 2002 PICS Start Patrol

A NEW TAPE HAS BEEN PUT INTO KAIEE DLT DRIVE, Sat Jun 8 17:05:41 GMT 2002

PSPT COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 17:09:14 GMT 2002

Observing.

WEATHER COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 17:11:41 GMT 2002

There is apparently a very thin cirrostratus overcast.

MKIV COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 17:12:14 GMT 2002

Scans look funny, probably due to the bright sky due to very thin cirrostratus.

Sat Jun 8 18:02:10 GMT 2002 PICS Flat Sat Jun 8 18:04:56 GMT 2002 PICS End Flat

MKIV COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 19:00:57 GMT 2002

The scans are finally starting to look decent.

 Sat Jun
 8 19:02:45 GMT 2002
 CHIP
 LSD

 Sat Jun
 8 19:05:12 GMT 2002
 CHIP
 End LSD

 Sat Jun
 8 19:05:20 GMT 2002
 CHIP
 BiasLSD

Sat Jun 8 19:06:14 GMT 2002 CHIP End BiasLSD

 Sat Jun
 8 19:06:33 GMT 2002
 CHIP
 Bias

 Sat Jun
 8 19:07:36 GMT 2002
 CHIP
 End Bias

 Sat Jun
 8 19:23:46 GMT 2002
 MKIV
 End Patrol

 Sat Jun
 8 19:43:30 GMT 2002
 MKIV
 End Cal

COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 19:50:26 GMT 2002

Extended the dome slot.

MKIV COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 19:53:52 GMT 2002

I made a slight adjustment to the N-S axis of the Spar guider telescope to center the O1 guider better in that direction. It wasn't at a limit but would get closer to a limit as the day progressed, before my adjustment.

PSPT COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 20:17:52 GMT 2002

Paused to remove the MLSO CaK filter set, then use it as a model to tilt the ND on the NSO CaK filter set. Will then install NSO filter set and MLSO filter set will be sent somewhere for evaluation. Currently, before I change the filters, the MLSO CaK filter set has a tilted ND to prevent imaging of reflections on the CCD, the NSO CaK filter set has the ND filter parallel to the CaK filter element which can cause reflections to appear as images on the CCD.

PSPT COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 20:36:33 GMT 2002

Restarted observing. The NSO CaK filter set with the newly tilted ND is now installed.

Sat Jun 8 20:37:27 GMT 2002 MKIV Start Cal

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Sat Jun 8 20:56:11 GMT 2002 MKIV
                                     End Cal
Sat Jun 8 20:56:22 GMT 2002 MKIV
                                     Start Patrol
COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 21:28:27 GMT 2002
Lost Tracking in Dec, repointed and reset Dec guider.
Sat Jun 8 21:55:40 GMT 2002
                            PICS
                                       End Patrol
Sat Jun 8 21:55:43 GMT 2002
                              CHIP
                                       End Patrol
WEATHER COMMENT: Sat Jun 8 21:55:44 GMT 2002
Thick orographic clouds have moved in, closing down.
                            MKIV End Patrol
Sat Jun 8 22:01:21 GMT 2002
Sat Jun 8 22:06:14 GMT 2002
       MkIV
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