
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Tue Jun 3 16:41:21 GMT 2008

Year: 08 Doy: 155

Observer: koon

WEATHER COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 16:41:24 GMT 2008

Clear sky, wind=5 mph from the SE, temp=45F.

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Tue Jun 3 16:48:06 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 16:48:21 GMT 2008 CHIP Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 16:48:41 GMT 2008 PICS Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 16:50:09 GMT 2008 PICS End Patrol

PICS PROBLEM: Tue Jun 3 16:57:30 GMT 2008

Disk images went bad sometime before 1:22 UT yesterday afternoon, problem not fixed, I'll look at it today, until then no PICS images.

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A NEW TAPE HAS BEEN PUT INTO KAIEE DLT DRIVE, Tue Jun 3 17:08:45 GMT 2008

PSPT COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 17:16:19 GMT 2008

Obs.

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NICE MK4 IMAGE: 1708

NICE CHIP IMAGE: 1657

Tue Jun 3 17:29:34 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

Tue Jun 3 17:31:52 GMT 2008 CHIP End Patrol

PICS PROBLEM: Tue Jun 3 17:32:01 GMT 2008

Pausing instruments to move spar, access PICS better, and fix problem noted earlier.

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Tue Jun 3 18:50:59 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 18:51:17 GMT 2008 CHIP Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 18:51:30 GMT 2008 PICS Start Patrol

PSPT PROBLEM: Tue Jun 3 19:02:00 GMT 2008

Crashed, restarted.

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Tue Jun 3 19:02:21 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Cal

PICS PROBLEM: Tue Jun 3 19:03:22 GMT 2008

I fixed the problems. The Halle filter wasn't being moved due to a damaged cable-chain that jumped a sprocket, I replaced the cable-chain. I also fixed the root of the problem, the sprockets for the Halle filter drive were misaligned, probably due to a damaged setscrew that was difficult to access and remove, I removed it and replaced it with one of my custom made tough setscrews loctited into place, then aligned the sprockets and reassembled all. This cable-chain should last a lot longer than the last one. I was pleased to see that my previous modifications designed to relieve stress on the Halle stage leadscrew end bearings works very well, no longer does tilting the spar pop out the end bearings - which used to cause cable-chains to jump sprockets with similar symptoms as this problem had. -Darryl

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NICE PICSLIMB IMAGE: 1854

NICE PICSDISC IMAGE: 1909

Tue Jun 3 19:21:01 GMT 2008 MKIV End Cal

Tue Jun 3 19:21:07 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 19:27:20 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 19:28:08 GMT 2008

David is testing a new way to do flat fields that requires me to reboot KCC to load new corrector tables. After that I'll do 2 normal scans and then a cal and then back to Patrol.

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Tue Jun 3 19:31:37 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 19:31:42 GMT 2008

Rebooted KCC, now doing 2 normal Patrol scans before I do a cal.

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Tue Jun 3 19:37:54 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

Tue Jun 3 19:38:00 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Cal

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 19:38:50 GMT 2008

The corona looks very faint in the 2 test scans, cal is in progress now.

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Tue Jun 3 19:56:40 GMT 2008 MKIV End Cal

Tue Jun 3 19:56:46 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 20:08:47 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 20:10:03 GMT 2008

Doind another iteration of: reset KCC, 2 scans, cal.

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Tue Jun 3 20:13:12 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

Tue Jun 3 20:19:32 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

Tue Jun 3 20:19:38 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Cal

Tue Jun 3 20:38:18 GMT 2008 MKIV End Cal

Tue Jun 3 20:38:25 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 20:59:53 GMT 2008

Going to end Patrol and reboot KCC, then back to Patrol w/o cal.

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Tue Jun 3 21:02:11 GMT 2008 MKIV End Patrol

Tue Jun 3 21:05:51 GMT 2008 MKIV Start Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Tue Jun 3 21:19:13 GMT 2008

Scans look normal.

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Wed Jun 4 02:01:58 GMT 2008 PICS End Patrol

Wed Jun 4 02:02:05 GMT 2008 CHIP End Patrol

Wed Jun 4 02:21:33 GMT 2008

MkIV

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