
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Sun Feb 13 17:26:15 GMT 2000

Year: 00 Doy: 044

Observer: koon

WEATHER COMMENT: Sun Feb 13 17:26:44 GMT 2000

Clear sky, wind=5 mph from the South, temp=42 F.

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Sun Feb 13 17:33:35 GMT 2000 MKIV Start Cal

Sun Feb 13 17:33:47 GMT 2000 CHIP CHIP Start 7 Passband Patrol

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Sun Feb 13 17:34:09 GMT 2000 MKIV End Cal

Sun Feb 13 17:34:13 GMT 2000 MKIV Start Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Sun Feb 13 17:34:30 GMT 2000

Accidentally started a Cal instead of Patrol, Aborted and started Patrol.

Sun Feb 13 18:02:51 GMT 2000 PICS Flat

Sun Feb 13 18:05:26 GMT 2000 PICS End Flat

Sun Feb 13 20:02:31 GMT 2000 CHIP Gain7

Sun Feb 13 20:11:05 GMT 2000 CHIP End Gain

Sun Feb 13 20:11:20 GMT 2000 CHIP Bias

Sun Feb 13 20:12:03 GMT 2000 CHIP End Bias

MLSO PROBLEM Sun Feb 13 21:50:03 GMT 2000

The spar was off-pointed for about 15 minutes while I released the declination drive clutch and fine tuned the dec oriented spar balance, then I tightened the dec clutch more than it was previously. This was done in hopes of steadying the dec motion more and preventing the loss of dec tracking around noon. I haven't reset the dec guider yet today but may have to later if there was substantial slipping before my adjustments. The spar was fairly well balanced before I fine tuned the balance, so the loss of tracking may have been due to reaching the end of the dec guider range due to something else besides poor dec balance, maybe dec drive slippage due to a clutch friction weaker than needed to overcome the spar rotational inertia (even though it is balanced). If this doesn't cure the problem then maybe we could try resetting (recentering the range) the dec guider soon after we start guiding on the sun in the morning, then maybe there will be enough range to get through the day without losing dec tracking.

**** EVENT COMMENT ****: Sun Feb 13 22:08:23 GMT 2000

CME in progress at PA=255.

Sun Feb 13 23:07:15 GMT 2000 PICS End Patrol

**** EVENT COMMENT ****: Sun Feb 13 23:07:38 GMT 2000

CME appears to be over, closing down.

P End Patrol

Sun Feb 13 23:08:26 GMT 2000 CHIP ending tape

COMMENT: Sun Feb 13 23:43:18 GMT 2000

TAPES:

MKIV: 00044
CHIP: C01040
PICS: P01663
LOWL: L00671 in drive #0

Sun Feb 13 23:44:12 GMT 2000
MkIV

17_34.rawmk4	18_52.rawmk4	20_00.rawmk4	21_09.rawmk4	22_17.rawmk4
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17_40.rawmk4	18_58.rawmk4	20_06.rawmk4	21_14.rawmk4	22_23.rawmk4
17_43.rawmk4	19_01.rawmk4	20_09.rawmk4	21_17.rawmk4	22_26.rawmk4
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17_49.rawmk4	19_07.rawmk4	20_15.rawmk4	21_23.rawmk4	22_31.rawmk4
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18_13.rawmk4	19_31.rawmk4	20_39.rawmk4	21_47.rawmk4	22_55.rawmk4
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18_43.rawmk4	19_51.rawmk4	21_00.rawmk4	22_08.rawmk4	
18_46.rawmk4	19_54.rawmk4	21_03.rawmk4	22_11.rawmk4	
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