
Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log

Mon Feb 18 16:48:39 GMT 2019

Year: 19 Doy: 049

Observer: waters

WEATHER COMMENT: waters: Mon Feb 18 16:58:04 GMT 2019

Temp 37F with windspeed at about 28-33mph from the South. Sky is clear but will wait for the wind to calm down before opening.

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WEATHER COMMENT: waters: Mon Feb 18 20:10:40 GMT 2019

Currently misting

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Mon Feb 18 21:51:51 GMT 2019

Seems like the wind has finally calmed down but we are currently in misty cloud at present.

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY berkey: Mon Feb 18 22:00:49 GMT 2019

A bug fix was added to the logger that should catch/deal with the exception that was causing it to crash recently.

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Mon Feb 18 22:07:47 GMT 2019

Light rain

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Mon Feb 18 22:12:36 GMT 2019

MLSO logger just crashed: 'Python has stopped working-a problem caused the program to stop working correctly. Windows will close the program and notify you if a solution is available.'
It was working okay up until this message.

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Tue Feb 19 00:30:20 GMT 2019

MLSO logger crashed again

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Tue Feb 19 02:14:18 GMT 2019

MLSO logger crashed

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GONG COMMENT BY waters: Tue Feb 19 02:14:30 GMT 2019

Went down to the GONG shelter and stowed the turret. I also gently got the water off the outside lens with a kimwipe. While I was there, I looked for a replacement 9volt battery to replace the smoke alarm with. Turns out out of the two spares that I found, only one seemed to be full. Will need to get spare 9volts for future chirping.

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GENERAL OBSERVATORY COMMENT BY waters: Tue Feb 19 02:21:53 GMT 2019

Unfortunately, today was a wash; high winds in the morning made it dubious, if not impossible to open the dome and take data and by the time it calmed down, mist, cloud and rain were upon us. If it does ice over tonight, be careful in the dog house, as it still leaks when it rains.

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