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Mauna Loa Solar Observatory Observer's Log  
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Thu Apr 29 16:30:46 GMT 2004

Year: 04 Doy: 120

Observer: stueben

WEATHER COMMENT: Thu Apr 29 16:45:12 GMT 2004

Clear, south wind 5-10 mph, temp 44F.

Thu Apr 29 16:46:17 GMT 2004 CHIP Start Patrol

Thu Apr 29 16:46:35 GMT 2004 PICS Start Patrol

Thu Apr 29 16:52:38 GMT 2004 MKIV Start Patrol

MKIV COMMENT: Thu Apr 29 16:53:05 GMT 2004

Centered 01 guider.

A NEW TAPE HAS BEEN PUT INTO KAIEE DLT DRIVE, Thu Apr 29 17:09:53 GMT 2004

PSPT COMMENT: Thu Apr 29 17:09:57 GMT 2004

Observing.

Thu Apr 29 18:01:39 GMT 2004 CHIP LSD

Thu Apr 29 18:03:22 GMT 2004 CHIP End LSD

Thu Apr 29 18:03:38 GMT 2004 CHIP BiasLSD

Thu Apr 29 18:04:13 GMT 2004 PICS Flat

Thu Apr 29 18:04:31 GMT 2004 CHIP End BiasLSD

Thu Apr 29 18:04:42 GMT 2004 CHIP Bias

Thu Apr 29 18:05:34 GMT 2004 CHIP End Bias

Thu Apr 29 18:06:38 GMT 2004 PICS End Flat

Thu Apr 29 19:08:15 GMT 2004 MKIV End Patrol

Thu Apr 29 19:08:21 GMT 2004 MKIV Start Cal

Thu Apr 29 19:27:52 GMT 2004 MKIV Start Patrol

\*\*ECHO PROBLEM\*\*: Thu Apr 29 19:52:48 GMT 2004

Echo not behaving this morning. It was pointed west and not moving to point to the sun when I arrived. After some investigation I found that the HA axis would move to a step position but not an angular position. Alice told me that the step position control ignores the limit switches and stall limits. This suggests that either limit switches or stall torque are the problem. Will investigate further.

MKIV COMMENT: Thu Apr 29 20:03:26 GMT 2004

Centered 01 guider. Also centered before startup but neglected log entry.

Thu Apr 29 20:09:27 GMT 2004 CHIP End Patrol

Thu Apr 29 20:13:32 GMT 2004 PICS End Patrol

Thu Apr 29 20:15:24 GMT 2004 MKIV End Patrol

Thu Apr 29 20:15:58 GMT 2004 MKIV Start Patrol

Thu Apr 29 20:16:18 GMT 2004 CHIP Start Patrol

Thu Apr 29 20:16:35 GMT 2004 PICS Start Patrol

\*\*ECHO PROBLEM\*\*: Thu Apr 29 22:05:26 GMT 2004

Alice made two versions of echo software one to ignore stall detection and one to ignore limit switched. The no limit switch version results in normal operation, so it looks like the problem is a limit switch or the wiring between a switch and the HA motor controller board. Echo is running for now. Alice will ask Kim if we should leave it running with now limits, and also request better mechanical drawings so I can figure out which covers to remove to get at the switches and switch cabling.

MKIV COMMENT: Thu Apr 29 22:13:46 GMT 2004

Centered 01 guider.

MKIV COMMENT: Fri Apr 30 00:43:28 GMT 2004

Centered 01 guider.

\*\*ECHO PROBLEM\*\*: Fri Apr 30 00:43:55 GMT 2004

After receiving an emailed photo from Alice showing the cover plate with the limit switches I removed the plate and the ground wire pin broken off a connector. Couldn't find a new connector here in our stock so I have requested we be sent one. At present Echo is running software which disables the limits but we could also solder a jumper wire around the bad connector.

Fri Apr 30 01:09:01 GMT 2004 CHIP End Patrol

Fri Apr 30 01:09:07 GMT 2004 PICS End Patrol

Fri Apr 30 01:10:20 GMT 2004 MKIV End Patrol

Fri Apr 30 01:17:35 GMT 2004 MKIV Start Patrol

Fri Apr 30 01:17:55 GMT 2004 CHIP Start Patrol

Fri Apr 30 01:18:11 GMT 2004 PICS Start Patrol

Fri Apr 30 02:29:37 GMT 2004 CHIP End Patrol

Fri Apr 30 02:29:54 GMT 2004 PICS End Patrol

COMMENT: Fri Apr 30 02:30:31 GMT 2004  
Reconfigured dome shutter about 01:20 UT.  
Fri Apr 30 02:34:25 GMT 2004 MKIV End Patrol  
Fri Apr 30 02:41:33 GMT 2004  
MkIV

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