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15536 - Cycle 26 COS FUV Wavelength Scale Monitor

Cycle: 26, Proposal Category: CAL/COS

(Calibration)

(Availability Mode: RESTRICTED)

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VISITS

Visit	Targets used in Visit	Configurations used in Visit	Orbits Used		OP Current with Visit?
01	(1) AV75	COS/FUV COS/NUV	3	25-Mar-2019 16:00:15.0	yes
51	(1) AV75	COS/FUV COS/NUV	3	25-Mar-2019 16:00:19.0	yes

6 Total Orbits Used

ABSTRACT

This program monitors the stability of the constant terms in the FUV dispersion solutions. To monitor for any changes, the program observes AV 75 at selected cenwaves at multiple FP-POS positions for all FUV gratings. Via cross-correlation, spectra are compared to those obtained in previous iterations of the program, to STIS spectra obtained in-orbit, and to a model.

OBSERVING DESCRIPTION

Proposal 15536 (STScI Edit Number: 3, Created: Monday, March 25, 2019 at 3:00:20 PM Eastern Standard Time) - Overview To monitor the constant terms in the COS/FUV dispersion solutions at lifetime position 4 in Cycle 26, we continue the approach of Cycle 25 program 15385. This includes taking spectra with the cenwaves 1096, 1222, 1291, and 1327 in G130M, cenwaves 1577 and 1623 in G160M, and cenwaves 1105 and 1280 in G140L. In accordance with the COS 2025 rules, changes were made for Cycle 25 and going forward: FP-POS 2 of cenwave 1291 was changed to 3, segment B of cenwave 1327 is not observed, and exposures were rearranged due to the overhead associated with turning a segment off. With the M gratings, FP-POS are alternated between exposures to fulfill our S/N requirements and mitigate the effects of gain sag. Orients have been put in place to avoid field objects that are too bright for the PSA/MIRRORA when performing the TA with the BOA. The detailed clearance of the target and crowded field was done in the CS review of calibration program 13070. Due to past GS acquisition issues (e.g., Visit 01 of Cycle 23 program 14437; see HOPR 83980), there is an ACQ/SEARCH in the TA sequence. Data from previous iterations of this program were used to update the ETC calculations for Cycle 25; exposure times were left the same for Cycle 26. To maintain a regular interval of about 12 months between visits, the program will ideally be carried out in March 2019.

Proposal 15536 - Visit 01 - Cycle 26 COS FUV Wavelength Scale Monitor

Proposal 15536, Visit 01, failed

Mon Mar 25 20:00:20 GMT 2019

Diagnostic Status: Warning

Diagnostics

Scientific Instruments: COS/FUV, COS/NUV

Special Requirements: SCHED 100%; ORIENT 275D TO 60 D; ORIENT 160D TO 165 D; BETWEEN 01-MAR-2019:00:00:00 AND 01-APR-2019:00:00:00

Comments: An ACQ/SEARCH was added to the TA sequence in Cycle 23 and should be carried over each cycle to avoid GS issues. This is a crowded field. The 15 day window in March 2019 is preferred to maintain a pattern of about 12 months between visits.

(Visit 01) Warning (Form): For the best data quality, it is strongly recommended that the maximum number of allowed FP-POS positions is used when observing at a given COS CENWAVE setting. See full description for details.

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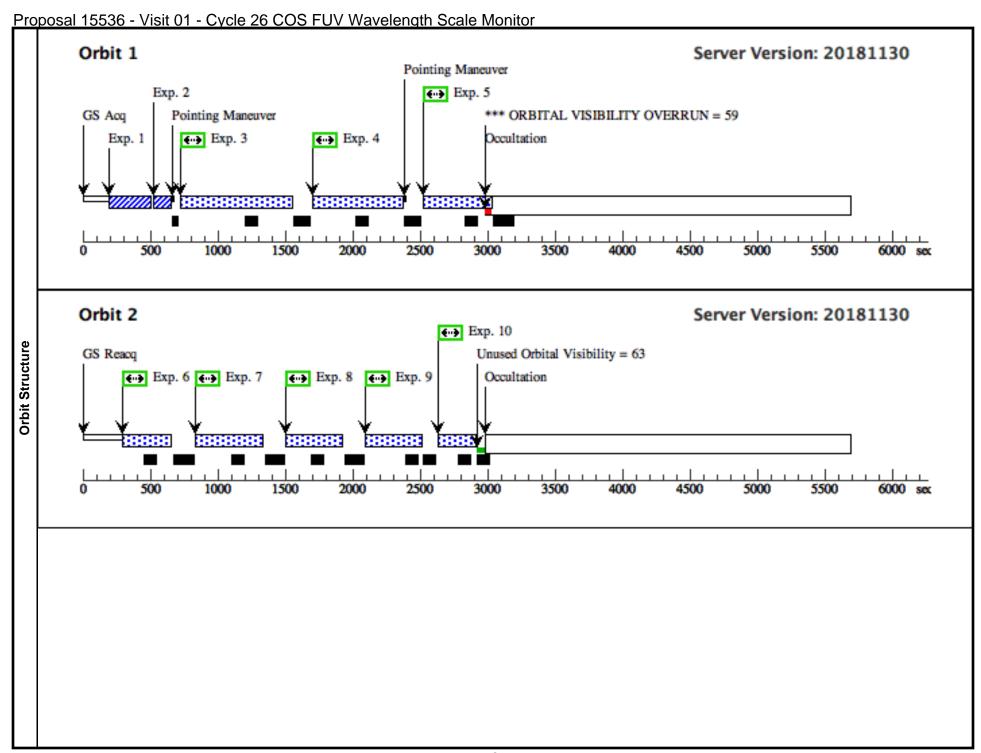
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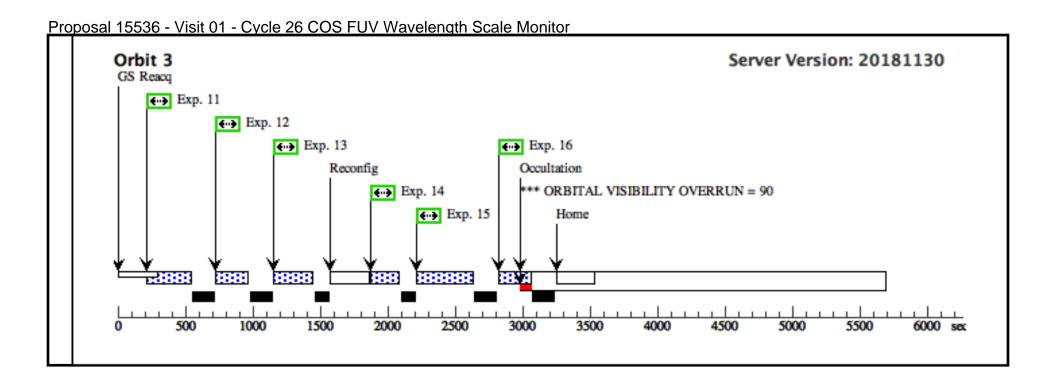
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#	Label Target (ETC Run)	Config,Mode,Aperture	Spectral Els.		Special Reqs.	Groups	Exp. Time (Total)/[Actual Dur.]	Orbit
1	(COS.ta.102 (1) AV75 5824)	COS/NUV, ACQ/SEARCH, BOA	MIRRORA	STEP-SIZE=1.767; SCAN-SIZE=2; CENTER=FLUX-W T			7.3 Secs (7.3 Secs) [==>]	[1]
2	(COS.ta.102 (1) AV75 5825)	COS/NUV, ACQ/IMAGE, BOA	MIRRORA				13.0 Secs (13 Secs) [==>]	[1]
3	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5732)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1096 A	BUFFER-TIME=29 0; FP-POS=2; LIFETIME-POS=L P2			620 Secs (620 Secs) [==>]	[1]
4	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5732)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1096 A	BUFFER-TIME=29 0; FP-POS=4; LIFETIME-POS=L P2			620 Secs (620 Secs) [==>]	[1]
5	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=2			305 Secs (305 Secs) [==>]	[1]
68	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=4			305 Secs (305 Secs) [==>]	[2]
Exposures	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=1			369 Secs (369 Secs) [==>]	[2]
û 8	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=3			369 Secs (369 Secs) [==>]	[2]
9	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5734)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1222 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=1; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			226 Secs (226 Secs) [==>]	[2]
1	0 (COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5734)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1222 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			226 Secs (226 Secs) [==>]	[2]
1	1 (COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5735)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1291 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			191 Secs (191 Secs) [==>]	[3]
1	2 (COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5735)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1291 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=4; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			191 Secs (191 Secs) [==>]	[3]

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13		0.102 (1) AV75 COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA G		BUFFER-TIME=80;	80 Secs (80 Secs)	
	5740)		1280 A	FP-POS=3	[==>]	[3]
14		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G140L	BUFFER-TIME=80;	80 Secs (80 Secs)	
	5741)		1105 A	FP-POS=3	[==>]	[3]
15		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M	BUFFER-TIME=12	192 Secs (192 Secs)	
	5736)		1327 A	0; FP-POS=1;	[==>]	
				LIFETIME-POS=L P4;		[3]
				SEGMENT=A		
16		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M	BUFFER-TIME=12	192 Secs (192 Secs)	
	5736)		1327 A	0;	[==>]	
				FP-POS=3;		
				LIFETIME-POS=L P4;		[3]
				SEGMENT=A		





Proposal 15536 - Visit 51 - Cycle 26 COS FUV Wavelength Scale Monitor

Proposal 15536, Visit 51 Mon Mar 25 20:00:20 GMT 2019

Diagnostic Status: Warning

Extended=NO

Scientific Instruments: COS/FUV, COS/NUV

Special Requirements: SCHED 100%; ORIENT 275D TO 60 D; ORIENT 160D TO 165 D; BETWEEN 22-JUN-2019:00:00:00 AND 13-JUL-2019:00:00:00

Comments: An ACQ/SEARCH was added to the TA sequence in Cycle 23 and should be carried over each cycle to avoid GS issues. This is a crowded field. The 15 day window in March 2019 is preferred to maintain a pattern of about 12 months between visits.

(Visit 51) Warning (Form): For the best data quality, it is strongly recommended that the maximum number of allowed FP-POS positions is used when observing at a given COS CENWAVE setting. See full description for details.

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Dec: -72 52 36.48 (-72.87680d)										
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	#	Label Target (ETC Run)	Config,Mode,Aperture	Spectral Els.	Opt. Params.	Special Reqs.	Groups	Exp. Time (Total)/[Actual Dur.]	Orbit
	1	(COS.ta.102 (1) AV75 5824)	COS/NUV, ACQ/SEARCH, BOA	MIRRORA	STEP-SIZE=1.767; SCAN-SIZE=2; CENTER=FLUX-V T	V		7.3 Secs (7.3 Secs) [==>]	[1]
	2	(COS.ta.102 (1) AV75 5825)	COS/NUV, ACQ/IMAGE, BOA	MIRRORA				13.0 Secs (13 Secs) [==>]	[1]
	3	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5732)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1096 A	BUFFER-TIME=29 0; FP-POS=2; LIFETIME-POS=L			620 Secs (620 Secs) [==>]	[1]
	4	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5732)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1096 A	P2 BUFFER-TIME=29 0; FP-POS=4; LIFETIME-POS=L P2			620 Secs (620 Secs) [==>]	[1]
	5	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=2			305 Secs (305 Secs) [==>]	[1]
	6	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=4			305 Secs (305 Secs) [==>]	[2]
Exposures	7	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=1			369 Secs (369 Secs) [==>]	[2]
Ĥ	8	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=3			369 Secs (369 Secs) [==>]	[2]
	9	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5734)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1222 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=1; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			226 Secs (226 Secs) [==>]	[2]
	10	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5734)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1222 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			226 Secs (226 Secs) [==>]	[2]
	11	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5735)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1291 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			191 Secs (191 Secs) [==>]	[3]
	12	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5735)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1291 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=4; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			191 Secs (191 Secs) [==>]	[3]

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	5740)		1280 A	FP-POS=3	[==>]	[3]
14		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G140L	BUFFER-TIME=80;	80 Secs (80 Secs)	
	5741)		1105 A	FP-POS=3	[==>]	[3]
15		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M	BUFFER-TIME=12	192 Secs (192 Secs)	
	5736)		1327 A	0; FP-POS=1;	[==>]	
				LIFETIME-POS=L P4;		[3]
				SEGMENT=A		
16	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M	BUFFER-TIME=12	192 Secs (192 Secs)	
	5736)		1327 A	0;	[==>]	
				FP-POS=3;		
				LIFETIME-POS=L P4;		[3]
				SEGMENT=A		

