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16534 - Cycle 29 COS FUV Wavelength Scale Monitor

Cycle: 29, Proposal Category: CAL/COS (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	3	12-Aug-2021 11:00:15.0	yes
		COS/NUV			

³ 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

To monitor the constant terms in the COS/FUV dispersion solutions in Cycle 29, we take 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

Proposal 16534 (STScl Edit Number: 1, Created: Thursday, August 12, 2021 at 10:00:16 AM Eastern Standard Time) - Overview 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; mild adjustments were made to the exposure times in Cycle 29 to allow for increased overheads due to LP changes. To maintain a regular interval of about 12 months since the last visit, the program will ideally be carried out in June-July 2022. The schedulability is set to 80% to fit all the observations in three orbits.

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Diagnostic Status: No Diagnostics

Scientific Instruments: COS/FUV, COS/NUV

Special Requirements: SCHED 80%; ORIENT 275D TO 60 D; ORIENT 160D TO 165 D; BETWEEN 22-JUN-2022:00:00:00 AND 05-JUL-2022:00:00:00

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 window in June-July 2022 is preferred to maintain a pattern of about 12 months between visits. The schedulability is set to 80% to fit all the observations in one orbit.

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S	#	† Name	Target Coordinates	Targ. Coord. Corrections	Fluxes	Miscellaneous	
		1) AV75	RA: 00 50 32.3900 (12.6349583d)		V=12.79	Reference Frame: ICRS	
2	1		Dec: -72 52 36.48 (-72.87680d)				
۱Ë			Equinox: J2000				
e l	Comments: This object was generated by the target selector and retrieved from the SIMBAD database.						
		Category=STAR					
ш	-	Description=[SUPERGIANT (0]				
	E	Extended=NO					

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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-W T	7		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			638 Secs (638 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			638 Secs (638 Secs) [==>]	[1]
5	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=2; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			322 Secs (322 Secs) [==>]	[1]
Exposures ⁹	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5737)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1577 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 4; FP-POS=4; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			322 Secs (322 Secs) [==>]	[2]
7	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=1; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			389 Secs (389 Secs) [==>]	[2]
8	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5738)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G160M 1623 A	BUFFER-TIME=15 4; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P4			389 Secs (389 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			246 Secs (246 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			246 Secs (246 Secs) [==>]	[2]

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11		COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M BUFFER-TIME=12	186 Secs (186 Secs)		
	5735)		1291 A	0; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P5	[==>]	[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 P5	$\frac{186 \text{ Secs } (186 \text{ Secs})}{I = => J}$	[3
13	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5740)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G140L 1280 A	BUFFER-TIME=80; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P3	80 Secs (80 Secs) [==>]	[3
14	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5741)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G140L 1105 A	BUFFER-TIME=80; FP-POS=3; LIFETIME-POS=L P3	80 Secs (80 Secs) [==>]	I
15	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5736)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1327 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=1; SEGMENT=A; LIFETIME-POS=L P5	190 Secs (190 Secs) [==>]	I
16	(COS.sp.102 (1) AV75 5736)	COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA	G130M 1327 A	BUFFER-TIME=12 0; FP-POS=3; SEGMENT=A; LIFETIME-POS=L P5	190 Secs (190 Secs) [==>]	I.



