## 12082 - Extending COS/G130M Coverage Down to 900A with Two New Central

## Wavelengths.

Cycle: 17, Proposal Category: CAL/COS
(Calibration)
(Availability Mode: RESTRICTED)

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VISITS

| Visit | Targets used in Visit | Configurations used in Visit | Orbits Used | Last Orbit Planner Run | OP Current <br> with Visit? |
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| 01 | (1) WD0320-539 <br> DARK | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | 09-Jul-2010 22:01:57.0 | yes |
| 21 | (4) GD-561 <br> DARK | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | 1 | 09-Jul-2010 22:02:07.0 | yes |
| 22 | (4) GD-561 <br> DARK | 2 |  |  |  |

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| 30 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (5) WD-0439+466 } \\ & \text { DARK } \end{aligned}$ | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | 1 | 09-Jul-2010 22:02:26.0 | yes |
| 31 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { (5) WD-0439+466 } \\ & \text { DARK } \end{aligned}$ | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | 1 | 09-Jul-2010 22:02:36.0 | yes |
| 32 | (5) WD-0439+466 <br> DARK | COS/FUV <br> COS/NUV <br> S/C | 2 | 09-Jul-2010 22:02:44.0 | yes |

8 Total Orbits Used

## ABSTRACT

These exploratory observations will provide sensitivity, wavelength range, and resolution measurements for two new COS FUV G130M central wavelength settings. These new settings will extend COS/G130M coverage down to 9050 in two new bandpasses; 940-1237A (HotBLUE) and 9001196A (Super-BLUE). The modes are chosen to provide continuous coverage from 900A to the existing coverage in the G130M/1291A setting with sufficient overlap in each mode for cross-calibration purposes. No focus adjustments will be made for these settings, as this is deemed an unnecessary risk to COS.

These new modes have the potential to provide greater than FUSE sensitivity at moderate $(1,000-5,000)$ resolution.

Three WD targets are defined;

1) GD50 (GSC-04717-00588; a well observed standard WD)
2) WD0320-539 (GSC-08493-00891, one of the targets used in exploring the G140L sensitivity),
3) REJ0503-289 (WD-5001-289 = GSC-04717-00588, a hot EUVE bright WD)
4) GD561
5) WD0439+466 (FUVB ONLY)

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But only targets 2,4 and 5 are used at this time.

In the observations section, G130M/1291A is a placeholder for the new settings.

## OBSERVING DESCRIPTION

After a NUV Imaging TA:

1) we switch to the FUV,
2) redefine the G130M/1291 setting to the one of the experimental settings
3) observe for Nsec at four FP-POS positions using FP=AUTO

4 redefine the G130M/1291 setting to the other experimental setting
5) observe for M sec at four FP-POS positions using FP=AUTO
6) restore the G130M/1291 definition
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In the new version, there are 5 new visits, but only 2 are scheduled to be used ( 21 , one orbit $\& 32$, two-orbits).

Visit 21: GD561, one orbit
Visit 22: GD561, original two-orbit version
Visit 30: WD0439+466, one-orbit version with ACQ/IMAGE only
Visit 31: WD0439+466, one-orbit version with ACQ/IMAGE+3x3 ACQ/SEARCH
Visit 32: WD0439+466, two-orbit version with ACQ/IMAGE+3x3 ACQ/SEARCH

The coordinates for WD0439+466 are uncertain, so an ACQ/SEARCH was added to Visit 30 to create Visit 31. However, there is probably not enough signal in Visit 31 to accurately measure the resolution. Visit 32 (two-orbit) was created to achieve sufficient S/N. WD0439 is too bright to have the A segments on, so we need the one-orbit version of GD561 to obtain information about the A segment.

Visit 21 should be executed first, with a 14-23 days delay before executing Visit 32

## CALIBRATION JUSTIFICATION

These exploratory observations will provide sensitivity, wavelength range, and resolution measurements for two new COS FUV G130M central wavelength settings. These new settings will extend COS/G130M coverage down to 900A in two new bandpasses; 1021-1171A (BLUE) and 9051055A (Super-BLUE). The modes are chosen to provide continuous coverage from 900A to the existing coverage in the G130M/1291A setting with approximately 30A of overlap in each mode for cross-calibration purposes. No focus adjustments will be made for these settings, as this is deemed an unnecessary risk to COS (we use the existing 1291A focus)
****** The setting have been adjusted for all visits after Visit 01, the new settings are G130M/1055 (900-1197A, SuperBLUE) and G130M/1096 (940-1237A, HotBlue). *******

## ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Expected Count Rates/Total Counts For Visit 01 (the other count rates are given in the Visit Comments)

| Mode | Estimated |  | Total Total per |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | CountRate | Time | Coun |  |  | $\mathrm{S} / \mathrm{N}=\operatorname{sqrt}($ per 20p-RE) |
| SuperBLUE-B | 60 | 888 | 5.3E+04 | 76.1 | 8.7 |  |
| SuperBLUE-A | 8400 | 888 | 7.5E+06 | 10656.0 | 103.2 |  |
| BLUE-B | 4800 | 80 | $3.8 \mathrm{E}+05$ | 548.6 | 23.4 |  |
| BLUE-A | 10650 | 80 | $8.5 \mathrm{E}+05$ | 1217.1 | 34.9 |  |

Total expected counts $=8.7 \mathrm{e}+06$

Special Requirements: (none)
(Visit 01) Warning (Orbit Planner): INEFFICIENT ORDERING OF FP-POS POSITIONS
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| 1) | WD0320-539 | RA |
|  | Alt Name1: GSC-08493- | D |
|  | 00891 | E |
|  | Alt Name2: EUVEJ0322- |  |
|  | 53.7 |  |

Target Coordinates Targ. Coord. Correct

## Fluxes

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RA: 032214.8010 (50.5616708

| Proper Motion RA: $0.00101 \mathrm{~s} / \mathrm{yr}$ | $\mathrm{V}=14.9$ |
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| Proper Motion Dec: $-0.066 " / \mathrm{yr}$ | $\mathrm{F}(1000)=0.8 \mathrm{E}-12$, |
|  | $\mathrm{F}(1250)=0.5 \mathrm{E}-12$ |

53.7

Comments: Flux from FUSE+STIS. Coordinates from 11491. Target previously observed in FUV with COS, so there should be no BOP constraints.

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 Comments:
$3(* 2 / 3=88)$
SQL is required to set qelogsheet.minwave to 1184

| 5 | ```Special Com DARK manding to \(t\) urn 1291 int o SuperBLU E``` | S/C, DATA, NONE | SPEC COM INSTR | 10 Secs |  |
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|  |  |  | ELCENTPATCH; | [==>] |  |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM ACTIO <br> N REPLACE; |  |  |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM CENT WAVE 1291; |  |  |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM TEST WAVE 1066; |  | [1] |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM STEP 8 088; |  |  |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM RES1 2 <br> 726; |  |  |
|  |  |  | QESIPARM RES2 7 $365$ |  |  |

 0M-1300A position of 7995. This shifts the Segment B coverage to 905-1055A, and Segment A to cover 1066-1208A. Use the focus postion for G130M/1291A.

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| GD561-G13 (4) GD-561 <br> 0M/1055 | COS/FUV, TIME-TAG, PSA | G130M | BUFFER-TIME=23 |
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|  |  | 1291 A | $6 ;$ |
|  |  |  | FLASH=S0150D03 |
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|  |  |  | FP-POS=AUTO |


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[ $==>$ (Split 2) $]$
FP-POS=AUTO
[ $==>$ (Split 3)]

Comments: This is the Super-Blue setting. Use the focus postion for G130M/1291A. Thirty second lamp exposure every 150 seconds. Simulations based upon the measured sensitivity of Visit 1 indicates a maximum flux of $80 \mathrm{cts} / \mathrm{s}$ (Segment B) and $<10000$ (Segment A). Total predicted count rate is $9675 \mathrm{ct} / \mathrm{s}$. Maximum $B T=2.35 E 6 / 9675=243 \mathrm{~s}$. We are using $B T=238$, so there is a very real chance that the buffer will overflow, we are ok with this.
SQL is required to set qelogsheet.minwave to 1055.

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SPEC COM INSTR ELCENTPATCH; QESIPARM ACTIO N RESTORE;
QESIPARM CENT
WAVE 1291

| 10 Secs |  |
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Comments: Special Commanding to restore the G130M/1291 settings.

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| $\stackrel{\square}{7}$ | Proposal 12082, Visit 22, implementation <br> Diagnostic Status: Warning <br> Scientific Instruments: COS/NUV, COS/FUV, S/C <br> Special Requirements: ON HOLD <br> Comments: This is the original two-orbit version of the GD561 observation. This has been replaced by Visit 21, but is retained for possible future use. <br> On Hold Comments: This two-orbit visit is on hold for possible future use. |  |  |  |
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|  | (Visit 22) Warning (Orbit Planner): INEFFICIENT ORDERING OF FP-POS POSITIONS <br> (GD561-G130M/1096 (22.003)) Warning (Form): FP-POS=AUTO requires input of TOTAL exposure time for all four automatically-generated exposures. However, BUFFER-TIME must be specified for a single exposure, and will be applied to each of the four automatically-generated exposures. <br> (GD561-G130M/1055 (22.005)) Warning (Form): FP-POS=AUTO requires input of TOTAL exposure time for all four automatically-generated exposures. However, BUFFER-TIME must be specified for a single exposure, and will be applied to each of the four automatically-generated exposures. |  |  |  |
|  | Name Target Coordinates | Targ. Coord. Corrections | Fluxes | Miscellaneous |
|  | (4) GD-561 RA: 23452.2600 (356.2594167d) <br> Alt Name1: Dec: +80 5659.70 (80.94992d)  <br> WD2342+806 Equinox: J2000  <br> Alt Name2: GSC04614-   <br> 01431   <br> Comments: $F(1200,1350)$ from IUE, $F(900,1100)$ from FUSE <br> There are no other targets in the field of GD561, no BOT constraints. <br> The Proper motions come from 2005ApJS..161..394F (Farihi et al) as repo | Proper Motion RA: - <br> $0.011867089769517026 \mathrm{~s} / \mathrm{yr}$ <br> Proper Motion Dec: 0.0040"/yr <br> Epoch of Position: 2000 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}=14.52 \\ & \mathrm{~F}(1350)=7 \mathrm{E}-13, \\ & \mathrm{~F}(1200)=8 \mathrm{E}-13, \\ & \mathrm{~F}(1100)=13 \mathrm{E}-13, \\ & \mathrm{~F}(900)=5 \mathrm{E}-13 \end{aligned}$ | Reference Frame: ICRS |

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| $\stackrel{\square}{6}$ | Diagnostic Status: Warning <br> Scientific Instruments: COS/NUV, COS/FUV, S/C <br> Special Requirements: ON HOLD <br> Comments: This is the one-orbit, ACQ/IMAGE only version for WD0439+366. This visit is on-hold and is not to be executed at this time, but may be executed at a later date once the coordinates are better known. <br> G130M/1055/FUVB : 549 counts/s <br> G130M/1055/FUVA : 60690 counts/s <br> G130M/1096/FUVB : 932 counts/s <br> G130M/1096/FUVA : 90866 counts/s <br> Therefore, we need to turn the FUVA segment off. <br> We are able to get 646s for G130M/1055 and 630s for G130M/1096, therefore, we expect: <br> G130M/1055/FUVB : 560,000 counts / 2000 RE $\sim 294$ cts/RE $\sim S / N=13$ per RE <br> G130M/1096/FUVB : 350,000 counts / 2000 RE $\sim 177 \mathrm{cts} / R E \sim S / N=17$ per $R E$ <br> On Hold Comments: This Visit is on hold for possible future use (after target coordinates are better understood). |  |  |  |
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| O | (Visit 30) Warning (Orbit Planner): INEFFICIENT ORDERING OF FP-POS POSITIONS <br> (WD0439-G130M/1096 (30.003)) Warning (Form): FP-POS=AUTO requires input of TOTAL exposure time for all four automatically-generated exposures. However, BUFFER-TIME must be specified for a single exposure, and will be applied to each of the four automatically-generated exposures. <br> (WD0439-G130M/1055 (30.005)) Warning (Form): FP-POS=AUTO requires input of TOTAL exposure time for all four automatically-generated exposures. However, BUFFER-TIME must be specified for a single exposure, and will be applied to each of the four automatically-generated exposures. |  |  |  |
|  | \# Name Target Coordinates | Targ. Coord. Corrections | Fluxes | Miscellaneous |
|  | (5)WD-0439+466 RA: 04 43 21.0840 (70.8378500d)  <br>  Alt Name1: CSI+46- Dec: +46 42 5.40 (46.70150d) <br> 04397 Equinox: J2000  <br>  Alt Name2: SH2-216  | Proper Motion RA: <br> $0.002284439000557604 \mathrm{~s} / \mathrm{yr}$ <br> Proper Motion Dec: - <br> 0.013349999999999999 "/yr <br> Epoch of Position: 2000 | $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{V}=12.67 \\ & \mathrm{~F}(920)=6 \mathrm{E}-12, \\ & \mathrm{~F}(160)=7.3 \mathrm{E}-12 \text { (FUSE), } \\ & \mathrm{F}(1260)=6 \mathrm{E}-12 \text { (STIS) } \end{aligned}$ | Reference Frame: ICRS |
|  | Comments: The coordinates of this target are a bit uncertian: $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 044321.268+464205.80 \text { from Kerber et al. } 2003 \text { using GSCII } \\ & 0443 \text { 21.27 }+4642 \text { 06.10 STIS Coordinates for E140M observation } \\ & 044321.36+464204.7 \text { FUSE coordinates } \\ & 044320.9+4642 \text { O5 SIMBAD coordinates for CS } \\ & 044321.268+4642 \text { 05.80 SIMABD coordinates for center of } P N \end{aligned}\right.$ <br> We are using the average of Kerber 2003 and SIMBAD/CS. $044321.0840+464205.40$ <br> Proper Motions are from Kerber 2008 $F(920)=6 E-12, F(1160)=7.3 E-12(F U S E), F(1260)=6 E-12(\text { STIS })$ |  |  |  |

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