



# 4217 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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**OBSERVATIONS**

<i>Folder</i>	<i>Observation</i>	<i>Label</i>	<i>Observing Template</i>	<i>Science Target</i>
Phase 1				
	1	NIRSPEC	NIRSpec Fixed Slit Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv
	2	MIRI/LRS	MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv
Phase 2				
	3	NIRSPEC	NIRSpec Fixed Slit Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv
	4	MIRI/LRS	MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv
Phase 3				
	5	NIRSPEC	NIRSpec Fixed Slit Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv
	6	MIRI/LRS	MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy	(2) 2024ahv

**ABSTRACT**

Details of dust formation in the early Universe are unknown. While AGB stars are considered to be primary dust producers, the first dust in the local Universe may have formed before AGB stars had time to make it. Core-collapse supernovae (CCSNe) are expected to play an important role in dust

production since their current formation rate predominates all other types of supernovae. To date, the community has been fixated on dust formation in CCSNe with intact hydrogen-rich envelopes. However, stripped-envelope supernovae (SESNe) come from the death of massive, shorter-lived stars, and are therefore one of the earliest possible sources of early Universe cosmic dust. We request 16.58 hr of non-disruptive ToO time to obtain an NIR+MIR spectral time-series of one SESN at four key epochs between ~70-300 days past-maximum luminosity to investigate: 1) the formation of CO at ~70 days past-maximum, 2) the formation of SiO precipitated by CO cooling (or rapid adiabatic cooling) at ~100 days, 3) the condensation of SiO to dust at ~200 days, 4) the growth of dust and obtaining its temperature at ~300 days, and 5) constraining the ejecta mass. The third and fourth epochs will allow us to determine the location of the dust and understand its origin, whether in-situ, in the circumstellar medium (CSM), or pre-existing in a molecular cloud. Following a SESN all the way from the formation of dust precursors CO and SiO through the dust formation phases will provide unprecedented insight into the deaths of a range of massive stars and how they might contribute to the total dust budget of the ISM.

### **OBSERVING DESCRIPTION**

We request a non-disruptive ToO trigger, to obtain a spectroscopic sequence of one stripped-envelope supernova from ~70-300 d past maximum light. Data will be taken at four epochs 70, 100, 200, and 300 d. At each epoch, we will use the low resolution spectral mode on MIRI, and the CLEAR/PRISM mode with the S400A1 slit on NIRSpec.

Proposal 4217 - Targets - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

Fixed Targets	#	Name	Target Coordinates	Targ. Coord. Corrections	Miscellaneous
	(2)  <i>Comments:</i> Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000	Epoch of Position: 2000	

Proposal 4217 - Observation 1 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	Proposal 4217, Observation 1: NIRSPEC Diagnostic Status: Warning Observing Template: NIRSPEC Fixed Slit Spectroscopy										
	(Visit 1:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.										
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	#	Name	Target Coordinates			Targ. Coord. Corrections			Miscellaneous		
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000			Epoch of Position: 2000					
Comments: Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO											
<b>Acquisition</b>	#	Target	TA Method	Subarray	Filter	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	1	SAME	WATA	SUB32	F140X	NRSRAPIDD6	3	1	1	0.26	143916.2
<b>Template</b>	Slit					Subarray					
	S400A1					SUBS400A1					
<b>Dithers</b>	#	Primary Dither Positions					Sub-Pixel Pattern				
	1	2					NONE				
<b>Spectral Elements</b>	#	Grating/Filter	Slit	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Ex #	Autocal	Total Dithers	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	1	G235M/F170LP	S400A1	NRSRAPID	4	1	NONE	2	2	15.621	
	2	G395M/F290LP	S400A1	NRSRAPID	6	1	NONE	2	2	21.853	

## Proposal 4217 - Observation 1 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

### Special Requirements

Between Dates 01-MAR-2024:00:00:00 and 30-MAR-2024:00:00:00

Group Observations 1, 2 within 1 Days

Proposal 4217 - Observation 2 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	Proposal 4217, Observation 2: MIRI/LRS Diagnostic Status: Warning Observing Template: MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy									
<b>Diagnostics</b>	(Visit 2:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.									
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	#	Name	Target Coordinates	Targ. Coord. Corrections			Miscellaneous			
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000	Epoch of Position: 2000						
	Comments: Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO									
<b>Acquisition</b>	#	Target	Filter	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID	
	1	SAME	F560W	FAST	10	1	1	27.75	143916.1	
<b>Template</b>	Subarray				Obtain Verification Image?					
	FULL				true					
<b>Dithers</b>	#	Dither Type	No. Spectral Steps	Spectral Step Offset	No. Spatial Steps	Spatial Step Offset				
	1	ALONG SLIT NOD								
<b>Pointing Verification</b>	#	PV Readout Pattern	PV Groups/Int	PV Integrations/Exp	PV Total Integrations	PV Exposures/Dith	PV Total Dithers	PV Total Exposure Time	PV ETC Wkbk.Calc ID	Filter
	1	FASTR1	5	1	1	1	1	13.875		F560W

Proposal 4217 - Observation 2 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

Spectral Elements	#	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Exposures/Dith	Total Dithers	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	Special Requirements	1	FASTR1	100	1	2	1	2	555.008
	Between Dates 01-MAR-2024:00:00:00 and 30-MAR-2024:00:00:00 Group Observations 1, 2 within 1 Days								

# Proposal 4217 - Observation 3 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	<b>Proposal 4217, Observation 3: NIRSPEC</b> <b>Diagnostic Status: Warning</b> Observing Template: NIRSPEC Fixed Slit Spectroscopy										
	(Visit 3:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.										
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Target Coordinates</b>			<b>Targ. Coord. Corrections</b>			<b>Miscellaneous</b>		
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000			Epoch of Position: 2000					
<i>Comments:</i> Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO											
<b>Acquisition</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Target</b>	<b>TA Method</b>	<b>Subarray</b>	<b>Filter</b>	<b>Readout Pattern</b>	<b>Groups/Int</b>	<b>Integrations/Exp</b>	<b>Total Integrations</b>	<b>Total Exposure Time</b>	<b>ETC Wkbk.Calc ID</b>
	1	SAME	WATA	SUB32	CLEAR	NRSRAPIDD6	3	1	1	0.26	205972.2
<b>Template</b>	<b>Slit</b>					<b>Subarray</b>					
	S400A1					SUBS400A1					
<b>Dithers</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Primary Dither Positions</b>					<b>Sub-Pixel Pattern</b>				
	1	2					NONE				
<b>Spectral Elements</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Grating/Filter</b>	<b>Slit</b>	<b>Readout Pattern</b>	<b>Groups/Int</b>	<b>Integrations/Ex #</b>	<b>Autocal</b>	<b>Total Dithers</b>	<b>Total Integrations</b>	<b>Total Exposure Time</b>	<b>ETC Wkbk.Calc ID</b>
	1	G235M/F170LP	S400A1	NRS	15	1	NONE	2	2	190.117	205972.4
	2	G395M/F290LP	S400A1	NRS	20	1	NONE	2	2	252.437	205972.6

## Proposal 4217 - Observation 3 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

### Special Requirements

Before Date 17-JUL-2024:00:00:00

Group Observations 3, 4 within 1 Days

Proposal 4217 - Observation 4 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	Proposal 4217, Observation 4: MIRI/LRS Diagnostic Status: Warning Observing Template: MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy									
<b>Diagnostics</b>	(Visit 4:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.									
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	#	Name	Target Coordinates		Targ. Coord. Corrections		Miscellaneous			
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000		Epoch of Position: 2000					
	Comments: Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO									
<b>Acquisition</b>	#	Target	Filter	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID	
	1	SAME	F560W	FASTGRPAVG	4	1	1	44.401	205972.1	
<b>Template</b>	Subarray				Obtain Verification Image?					
	FULL				true					
<b>Dithers</b>	#	Dither Type	No. Spectral Steps	Spectral Step Offset	No. Spatial Steps	Spatial Step Offset				
	1	ALONG SLIT NOD								
<b>Pointing Verification</b>	#	PV Readout Pattern	PV Groups/Int	PV Integrations/Exp	PV Total Integrations	PV Exposures/Dith	PV Total Dithers	PV Total Exposure Time	PV ETC Wkbk.Calc ID	Filter
	1	FASTR1	15	1	1	1	1	41.626		F770W

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Spectral Elements	#	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Exposures/Dith	Total Dithers	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	Special Requirements	1	FASTR1	100	5	10	1	2	2797.24
<p>Before Date 17-JUL-2024:00:00:00</p> <p>Group Observations 3, 4 within 1 Days</p>									

Proposal 4217 - Observation 5 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	Proposal 4217, Observation 5: NIRSPEC Diagnostic Status: Warning Observing Template: NIRSPEC Fixed Slit Spectroscopy										
	(Visit 5:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.										
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	#	Name	Target Coordinates			Targ. Coord. Corrections			Miscellaneous		
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000			Epoch of Position: 2000					
Comments: Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO											
<b>Acquisition</b>	#	Target	TA Method	Subarray	Filter	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	1	SAME	WATA	SUB32	CLEAR	NRSRAPIDD6	3	1	1	0.26	210137.2
<b>Template</b>	Slit					Subarray					
	S400A1					SUBS400A1					
<b>Dithers</b>	#	Primary Dither Positions					Sub-Pixel Pattern				
	1	3					NONE				
<b>Spectral Elements</b>	#	Grating/Filter	Slit	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Ex #	Autocal	Total Dithers	Total Integrations	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
	1	G235M/F170LP	S400A1	NRSRAPID	100	1	NONE	3	3	472.135	209618.4
	2	G395M/F290LP	S400A1	NRSRAPID	100	2	NONE	3	6	944.271	209618.6

## Proposal 4217 - Observation 5 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

### Special Requirements

Between Dates 15-AUG-2024:00:00:00 and 28-AUG-2024:00:00:00

Group Observations 5, 6 within 1 Days

Proposal 4217 - Observation 6 - Probing Early Dust Formation in the Universe via Stripped-Envelope Supernovae

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<b>Observation</b>	<b>Proposal 4217, Observation 6: MIRI/LRS</b> <b>Diagnostic Status: Warning</b> Observing Template: MIRI Low Resolution Spectroscopy									
	(Visit 6:1) Warning (Form): Overheads are provisional until the Visit Planner has been run.									
<b>Fixed Targets</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Target Coordinates</b>		<b>Targ. Coord. Corrections</b>		<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
	(2)	2024ahv	RA: 16 18 46.3100 (244.6929583d) Dec: +07 24 44.84 (7.41246d) Equinox: J2000		Epoch of Position: 2000					
<i>Comments:</i> Category=Star Description=[Supernovae] Extended=NO										
<b>Acquisition</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Target</b>	<b>Filter</b>	<b>Readout Pattern</b>	<b>Groups/Int</b>	<b>Integrations/Exp</b>	<b>Total Integrations</b>	<b>Total Exposure Time</b>	<b>ETC Wkbk.Calc ID</b>	
	1	SAME	F560W	FASTGRPAVG16	6	1	1	266.404	209618.1	
<b>Template</b>	<b>Subarray</b>				<b>Obtain Verification Image?</b>					
	FULL				true					
<b>Dithers</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>Dither Type</b>	<b>No. Spectral Steps</b>	<b>Spectral Step Offset</b>	<b>No. Spatial Steps</b>	<b>Spatial Step Offset</b>				
	1	ALONG SLIT NOD								
<b>Pointing Verification</b>	<b>#</b>	<b>PV Readout Pattern</b>	<b>PV Groups/Int</b>	<b>PV Integrations/Exp</b>	<b>PV Total Integrations</b>	<b>PV Exposures/Dith</b>	<b>PV Total Dithers</b>	<b>PV Total Exposure Time</b>	<b>PV ETC Wkbk.Calc ID</b>	<b>Filter</b>
	1	FASTR1	50	1	1	1	1	138.752		F1000W

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Spectral Elements	#	Readout Pattern	Groups/Int	Integrations/Exp	Total Integrations	Exposures/Dith	Total Dithers	Total Exposure Time	ETC Wkbk.Calc ID
		1	FASTR1	100	15	30	1	2	8402.821
Special Requirements	Between Dates 15-AUG-2024:00:00:00 and 28-AUG-2024:00:00:00								
	Group Observations 5, 6 within 1 Days								