

Townhall meeting for ALMA Cycle 11 proposal preparation

A night sky with a full moon, stars, and a tree silhouette. The background is a dark blue night sky filled with numerous stars and the faint, pinkish-purple glow of the Milky Way galaxy. A large, bright full moon is positioned in the upper center, partially obscured by the dark silhouette of a tree. The tree's branches are intricate and spread out, creating a stark contrast against the starry background. The foreground shows the dark silhouettes of rolling hills or mountains, suggesting a rural or mountainous landscape.

Observing Tool

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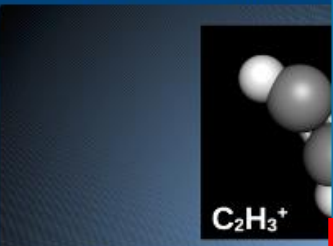


Quick Guidance



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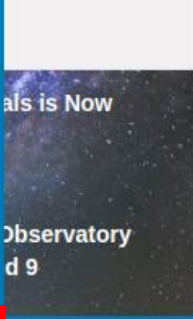
Protonated acetylene in the z=0.89 galaxy



View of the molecule (created from the absorption spectrum observed from the line of sight of the quasar PKS 1830-211 (here observed with the Mopra radio telescope at radio wavelengths) is lensed by a foreground galaxy at z=0.89 (optical image from HST).

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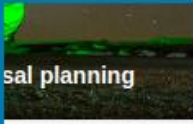
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Last observed source: XID614
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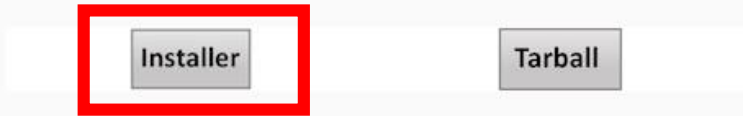
The ALMA Observing Tool (OT) is a Java desktop application used for the preparation and submission of ALMA Phase 1 proposals and, for those which are accepted, Phase 2 materials (Scheduling Blocks). It is also used for preparing and submitting Director's Discretionary Time (DDT) proposals and Supplemental Call (ACA stand-alone) proposals. The current *Cycle 11* release of the OT is configured for the present capabilities of ALMA as described in the Proposer's Guide. Note that in order to submit proposals you will have to register with the ALMA Science Portal beforehand.

Download & Installation

The OT should run on all common operating systems and depends on a version of Java being available. The Cycle 11 version of the OT will come with its own version of Java 17 and thus the users need no longer worry about their local Java installation. Unfortunately, as Java 17 does not include Web Start, this version of the OT is no longer available. The Cycle 11 OT can be installed in two different ways, either with a modern installer or manually with a tarball distribution.

It is recommended that the OT be installed using the ALMA **OT Installer**. This uses a modern graphical interface to report the progress of the installation and allows the user to change various settings from their defaults, including the amount of memory the OT may use. The installation will produce an executable file that can be used to start the OT. If problems are encountered with the installer, then the tarball must be used.

The **tarball** version must be installed manually and the instructions for doing this have not changed.



NOTE: For those who require the **Cycle 10 version of the OT**, it can be found [here](#).

Documentation

Extensive documentation is available to help you work with the OT and optimally prepare your proposal:

- If you are a novice OT user you should start with the [OT Quickstart Guide](#), which takes you through the basic steps of ALMA proposal preparation.



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Important Input Parameters

Important parameters I

- Scales (Control and Performance; Field Setup)
 - Angular Resolution (beam size) ~ depend on the longest baseline
 - Maximum Recoverable Scale (MRS)
 - depends on the shortest baseline (~ 10 x beam size)
 - When the scale is longer than MRS, the emission is resolve out
 - Largest Angular Structure (LAS) should be shorter than MRS.
 - LAS > MRS → multiple configuration or ACA and TP are added.
 - Field of View (FOV)
 - FWHM of the 12m telescope primary beam
 - ~19 arcsec (33 arcsec) @ 300 GHz for 12m (7m)
 - Area of target is larger than 1/3 FOV, mosaic is needed.

Schedule for C11 configurations

Start date	Configuration	Longest baseline	LST for best observing conditions
2024 October 1	C-3	0.50 km	~ 22—10 h
2024 October 20	C-2	0.31 km	~ 23—11 h
2024 November 10	C-1	0.16 km	~ 1—13 h
2024 November 30	C-2	0.31 km	~ 2—14 h
2024 December 20	C-3	0.50 km	~ 4—15 h
2025 January 10	C-4	0.78 km	~ 5—17 h
2025 February 1	<i>No observations due to maintenance</i>		
2025 March 1	C-4	0.78 km	~ 8—21 h
2025 March 20	C-5	1.4 km	~ 9—23 h
2025 April 20	C-6	2.5 km	~ 11—1 h
2025 May 20	C-7	3.6 km	~ 13—3 h
2025 June 20	C-8	8.5 km	~ 14—5 h
2025 July 11	C-9	13.9 km	~ 16—6 h
2025 July 30	C-10	16.2 km	~ 17—7 h
2025 August 20	C-9	13.9 km	~ 19—8 h
2025 September 10	C-8	8.5 km	~ 20—9 h

Band 5 (around 183GHz) and 7-10 are recommended within LST ranges (not Dec-March)

AR and MRS for C11 configurations

Config.	L_{\max}	Band Freq. (GHz)	1	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
			40	100	150	185	230	345	460	650	870
	L_{\min}										
7-m	45 m	θ_{res} (arcsec)	31.5	12.5	8.35	6.77	5.45	3.63	2.72	1.93	1.44
	9 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	167	66.7	44.5	36.1	29.0	19.3	14.5	10.3	7.67
C-1	161 m	θ_{res} (arcsec)	8.45	3.38	2.25	1.83	1.47	0.98	0.74	0.52	0.39
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	71.2	28.5	19.0	15.4	12.4	8.25	6.19	4.38	3.27
C-2	314 m	θ_{res} (arcsec)	5.75	2.30	1.53	1.24	1.00	0.67	0.50	0.35	0.26
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	56.5	22.6	15.0	12.2	9.81	6.54	4.90	3.47	2.59
C-3	500 m	θ_{res} (arcsec)	3.55	1.42	0.94	0.77	0.62	0.41	0.31	0.22	0.16
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	40.5	16.2	10.8	8.73	7.02	4.68	3.51	2.48	1.86
C-4	784 m	θ_{res} (arcsec)	2.30	0.92	0.61	0.50	0.40	0.27	0.20	0.14	0.11
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	28.0	11.2	7.50	6.08	4.89	3.26	2.44	1.73	1.29
C-5	1.4 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	1.38	0.55	0.36	0.30	0.24	0.16	0.12	0.084	0.063
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	16.8	6.70	4.47	3.62	2.91	1.94	1.46	1.03	0.77
C-6	2.5 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	0.78	0.31	0.20	0.17	0.13	0.089	0.067	0.047	0.035
	15 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	10.3	4.11	2.74	2.22	1.78	1.19	0.89	0.63	0.47
C-7	3.6 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	0.53	0.21	0.14	0.11	0.092	0.061	0.046	0.033	0.024
	64 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	6.45	2.58	1.72	1.40	1.12	0.75	0.56	0.40	0.30
C-8	8.5 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	0.24	0.096	0.064	0.052	0.042	0.028	0.021	0.015	0.011
	110 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	3.55	1.42	0.95	0.77	0.62	0.41	0.31	0.22	0.16
C-9	13.9 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	0.14	0.057	0.038	0.031	0.025	0.017	0.012	0.0088	0.0066
	368 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	2.03	0.81	0.54	0.44	0.35	0.24	0.18	0.13	0.093
C-10	16.2 km	θ_{res} (arcsec)	0.11	0.042	0.028	0.023	0.018	0.012	0.0091	0.0065	0.0048
	244 m	θ_{MRS} (arcsec)	1.25	0.50	0.33	0.27	0.22	0.14	0.11	0.077	0.057

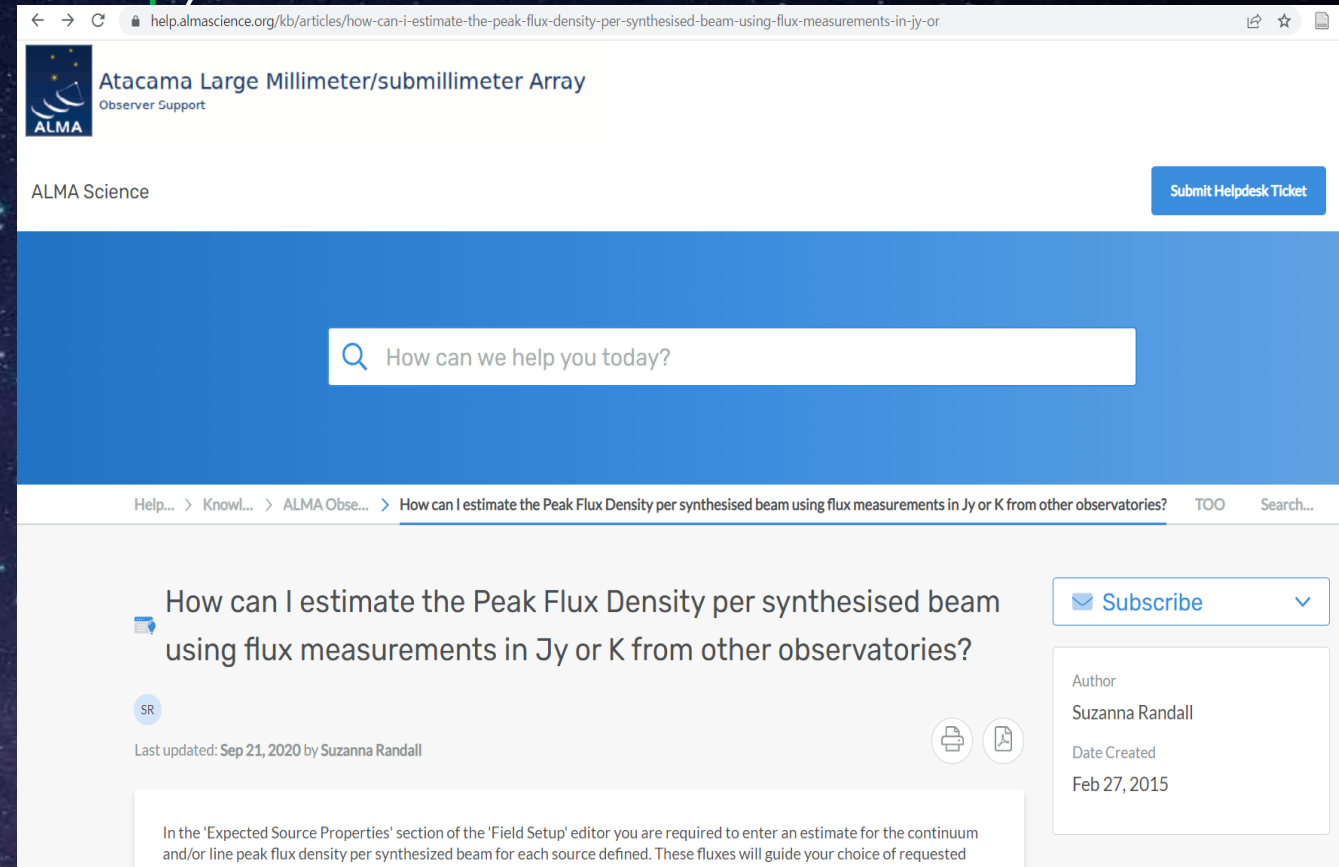
Most Extended configuration	Allowed Compact configuration pairings	Extended 12-m Array Multiplier	Multiplier if compact 12-m Array needed	Multiplier if 7-m Array needed	Multiplier if TP Array needed and allowed (with 7-m Array in 4x4-bit mode)	Multiplier if TP Array needed and allowed (with 7-m Array in 2x2-bit mode)
7-m Array	TP			1	1.7	1.4
C-1	7-m Array & TP	1		7.0	11.9	9.5
C-2	7-m Array & TP	1		4.7	7.9	6.3
C-3	7-m Array & TP	1		2.4	4.1	3.3
C-4	C-1 & 7-m Array & TP	1	0.34	2.4	4.0	3.2
C-5	C-2 & 7-m Array & TP	1	0.26	1.2	2.1	1.7
C-6	C-3 & 7-m Array & TP	1	0.25	0.6	1.0	0.8
C-7	C-4	1	0.23			
C-8	C-5	1	0.22			
C-9	C-6	1	0.21			
C-10	–	1				

Table A-2: Allowed Array Combinations and Time Multipliers. See Chapter 7 of the [Technical Handbook](#) for relevant equations and detailed considerations. If the array configuration that meets the AR request according to Table A-1 has a MRS that is smaller than the LAS request, the OT checks if adding more compact array configurations, following the restrictions of this Table, fulfills the LAS request. If so, the final setup consists of the selected combination of arrays. Otherwise, the OT returns a validation error.

Important parameters II

- Expected Source properties (**Field Setup**)
 - Position, source velocity
 - **Peak Flux Density per beam**
 - SNR > 3
 - **Polarization**
 - linear > 0.1% (< 0.3 FOV)
 - circular > 1.8 % (< 0.1 FOV)
 - **Line width**
 - > 3 x spectral resolution

You should describe how to derive/adopt these values in Technical Justification



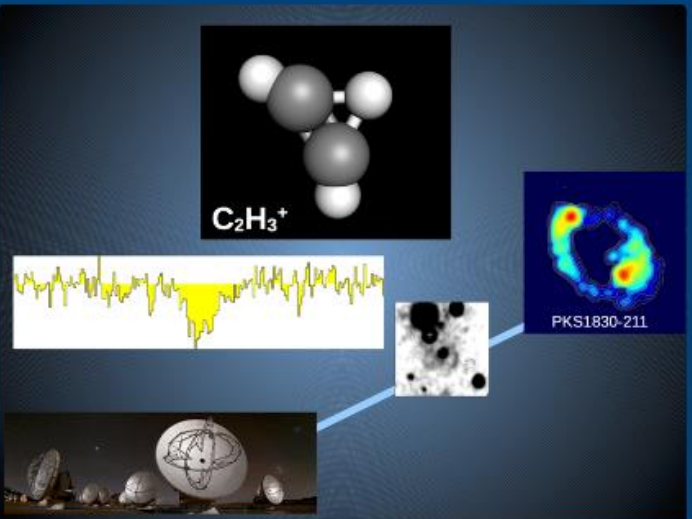
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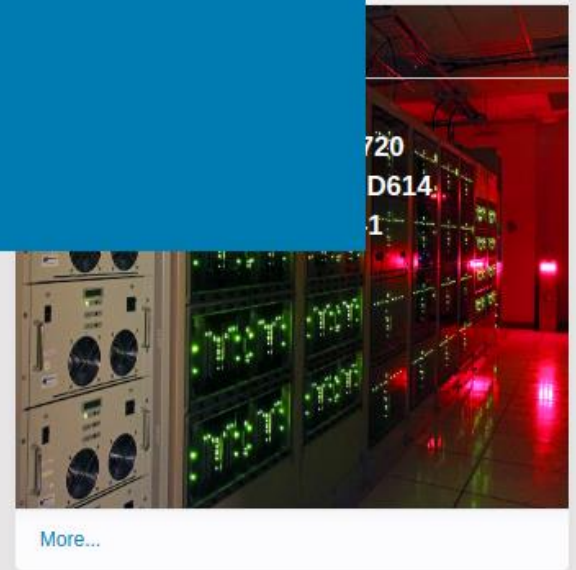
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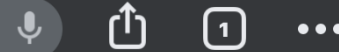
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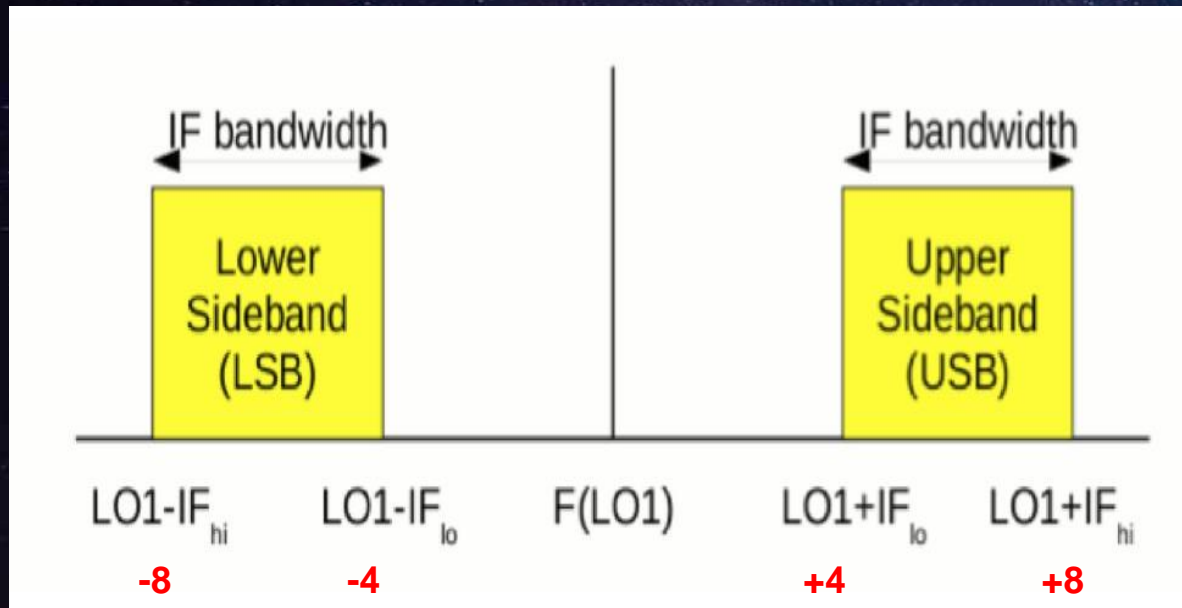
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Important parameters III

- Spectral Setup
 - LSB and/or USB
 - 4 basebands (with 2GHz max. width)
 - 2 or 4 basebands in the one sideband

LSB/USB (<4GHz, ≤4 basebands)
 Baseband (<2GHz, ≤4spws)
 Spectral window(spw)



Band	Frequency range (GHz)	Wavelength range (mm)	IF range (GHz)	Type
1	35 – 50	8.5 – 6	4 – 12	SSB
3	84 – 116	3.6 – 2.6	4 – 8	2SB
4	125 – 163	2.4 – 1.8	4 – 8	2SB
5	158 – 211	1.9 – 1.4	4 – 8	2SB
6	211 – 275	1.4 – 1.1	4.5 – 10	2SB
7	275 – 373	1.1 – 0.8	4 – 8	2SB
8	385 – 500	0.78 – 0.60	4 – 8	2SB
9	602 – 720	0.50 – 0.42	4 – 12	DSB
10	787 – 950	0.38 – 0.32	4 – 12	DSB

Spws in a baseband

- one fraction 1
- two fraction $\frac{1}{2}$
- four fraction $\frac{1}{4}$
- one fraction $\frac{1}{2}$ + two fraction $\frac{1}{4}$

Spectral windows (SPW) should have the same resolution.

Bandwidth (MHz)	Channel spacing (MHz)	Spectral resolution (MHz)	Number of channels	Correlator mode	Bit Mode
1875	15.6	31.2	120	TDM	
938	0.976	1.952	1024	FDM	4x4 *
1875	0.488	0.976	3840	FDM	2x2
469	0.488	0.976	1024	FDM	4x4
938	0.244	0.488	3840	FDM	2x2
234	0.244	0.488	1024	FDM	4x4
469	0.122	0.244	3840	FDM	2x2
117	0.122	0.244	1024	FDM	4x4
234	0.061	0.122	3840	FDM	2x2
58.6	0.061	0.122	1024	FDM	4x4
117	0.0305	0.061	3840	FDM	2x2
58.6	0.0153	0.0305	3840	FDM	2x2

Table 5.1: Available spectral windows in multi-region mode (dual polarization). Each time the fraction is changed, the number of channels and bandwidth of a particular correlator mode is halved. Each row corresponds to a particular spectral resolution.

Spectral resolution \propto 1/ fraction for a given bandwidth

Fraction = 1		Fraction = 1/2		Fraction = 1/4	
Bandwidth (MHz)	# channels	Bandwidth (MHz)	# channels	Bandwidth (MHz)	# channels
1875	4096	937.5	2048	468.75	1024
937.5	4096	468.75	2048	234.375	1024
468.75	4096	234.375	2048	117.118	1024
234.375	4096	117.118	2048	58.594	1024
117.118	4096	58.594	2048	not available	
58.594	4096	not available		not available	



Procedures In OT



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Principal Investigator

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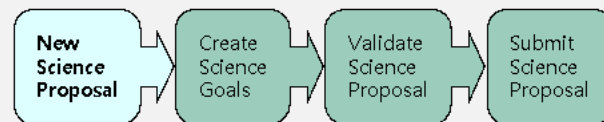
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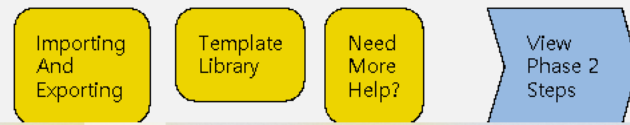
Contextual Help

1. Please ensure you and your co-Is are registered with the [ALMA Science Portal](#)
2. Create a new proposal by either:
 - Selecting *File > New Proposal*
 - Clicking on the  icon in the toolbar
 - Or clicking on this [link](#)
3. Click on the  [proposal](#) tree node and complete the relevant fields.

Phase I: Science Proposal



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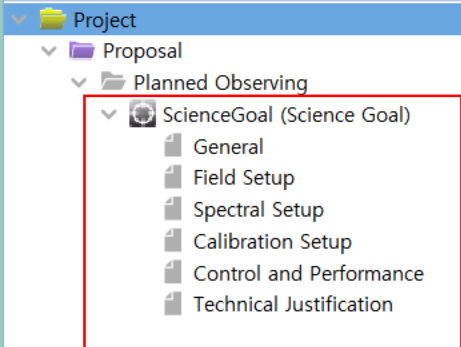




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

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Project

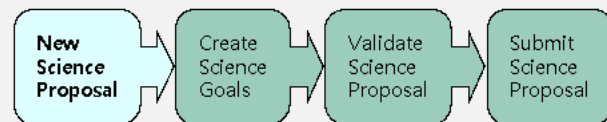
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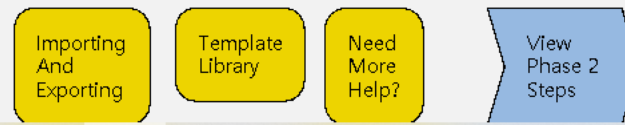
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Proposal Information

Proposal Title

Proposal Cycle 2023.1

Abstract (max. 1200 characters)

Proposal Type

Regular
 Target Of Opportunity
 VLBI
 Large Program
 Phased Array

Scientific Category

Cosmology and the High Redshift Universe
 Galaxies and Galactic Nuclei
 ISM, star formation and astrochemistry
 Circumstellar disks, exoplanets and the solar system
 Stellar Evolution and the Sun

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Proposal Information

- **Proposal Title:** The title of the project can be entered here and is limited to 120 characters.
- **Proposal Cycle:** This is formed from the proposal year and the submission period. If a non-submitted proposal created during a previous cycle is read into the OT the old proposal cycle will be shown, but this will be updated to the current cycle if the project is then submitted.
- **Abstract:** The abstract can be entered as plain text and is limited to 1200 characters.
- **Proposal Type:** Four projects types are currently available

Display help from reference manual

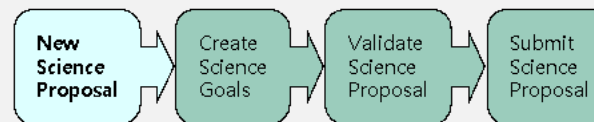


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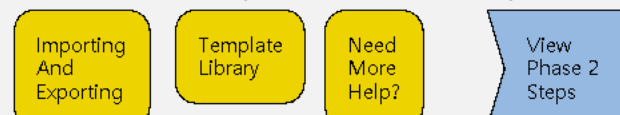
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Circumstellar disks, exoplanets and the solar system
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Joint Proposals

Is this a Joint Proposal? Yes No

Investigators

Type	Full name	Email	Affiliation	ALMA ID	Executive	Reviewer
PI	Not set	Not set	Not set	Not set	Non-ALMA	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Select PI

Add CoPI

Add Col

Remove Collaborator

Add from Proposal

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Is this a Joint Proposal? Yes NoType of Joint Proposal Main Partner

Observatory	Project Code	Requested Time

Add Partner Observatory

Remove Partner Observatory

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Type	Full name	Email	Affiliation	ALMA ID	Executive	Reviewer

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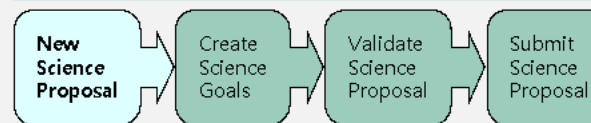
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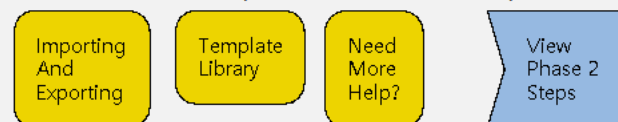
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Comparison of Observing time
 Main : ALMA > Partner
 Partner : ALMA < Partner



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Observatory	Project Code	Requested Time
JWST	N/A	0.00 h
JWST		
VLA		
VLT		

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Remove Partner Observatory

Please provide the technical justification for the time requested on JWST as a joint proposal

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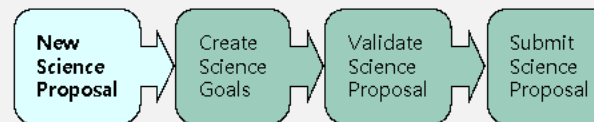
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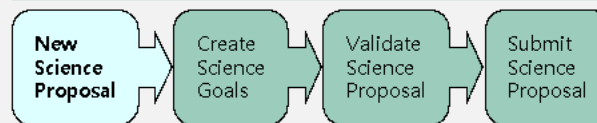


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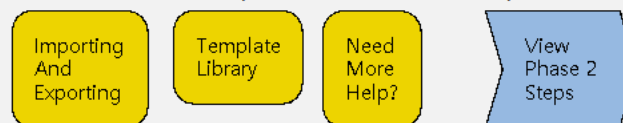
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Type of Joint Proposal Main Partner

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Observatory	Project Code	Requested Time
JWST	N/A	1.00 h
VLA	N/A	1.00 h



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Remove Partner Observatory

Please provide the technical justification for the time requested on JWST as a joint proposal

Please provide the technical justification for the time requested on VLA as a joint proposal

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Investigator search constraints

Name contains Seokho Lee

Attribute to match

Find Investigators

Full name	Email	Affiliation	ALMA ID
Seokho Lee	seokholee@kasi.re.kr	Radio Astronomy Division, Kore... shlee	

Select PI Cancel

Select PI Add CoPI Add Col Remove Collaborator Add from Proposal

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Reviewer Information

Please designate a reviewer who will participate in the distributed review process. The reviewer may be the PI of the proposal or one of the other investigators. A student (without a PhD) may serve as the reviewer only if they are the PI of the proposal and a mentor (with a PhD) is identified. The mentor does not need to be an investigator on the proposal.

Reviewers are requested to update their user profiles with combinations of scientific categories and keywords which describe their area(s) of expertise using the new 'Expertise' tab in <https://asa.alma.cl/UserRegistration/secure/updateAccount.jsp>. Available expertise information will be used in the distribution of proposal assignments.

Reviewer has a PhD? No Yes

Select Mentor

Mentor name

Mentor has a PhD? No Yes

Science Case

Please ensure that your science case is properly anonymized following instructions on the Science Portal

Science Case (Mandatory, PDF, 4 pages max.)

Attach

Detach



View

Duplicate observations

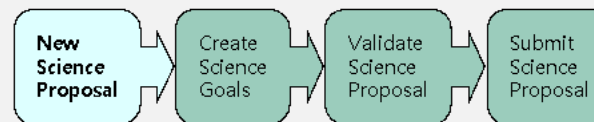
Briefly justify any new observations that duplicate archival data or accepted programs. Information regarding the ALMA Duplication Policy and how to search archival data and accepted programs can be found at: <http://almascience.org/proposing/duplications>.

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<https://asa.alma.cl/UserRegistration/secure/updateAccount.jsp>

Reviewer has a PhD? No Yes

Select Mentor

Mentor name

Mentor has a PhD? No Yes

12 point (<15%)
< 20 MB

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Empty text box for duplicate observations justification.

Observatory Use Only



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Summary table of Science Goals. Double-clicking on a row will take you to that Science Goal

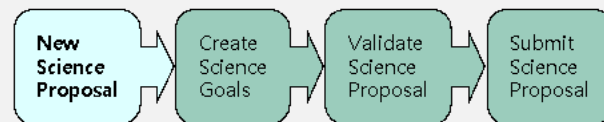
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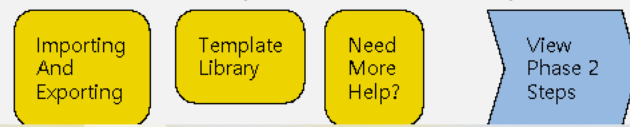
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General (Optional)

Science Goal Name Science Goal

Description

SinglePoint

Source

Source Name

Resolve

Choose a Solar System Object?

Name of object Unspecified

System ICRS

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Parallax 0.00000 mas

Source Coordinates

RA 00:00:00.0000



PM RA 0.00000 mas/yr

Dec 00:00:00.000

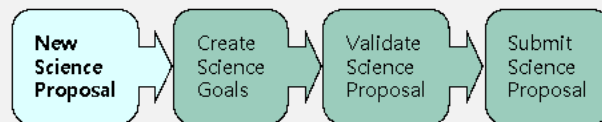
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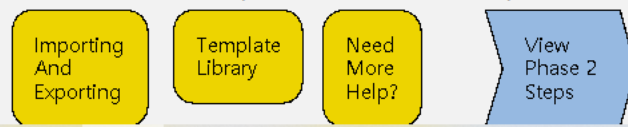
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Spectral Spatial ScienceGoal (Test)

General (Optional)

Science Goal Name Test

Description

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System Object?

Name of object Unspecified

Resolve

System ICRS

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Source Coordinates

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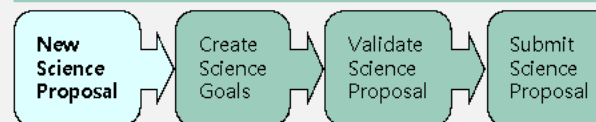
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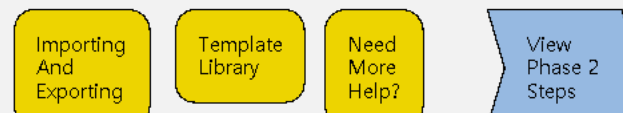
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Science Goal	No. Sources	Band	Spec. Type	No. Spec. Win.	Pol.	Calibration Setup	Ang. Res.	Largest Scale	Rep. Freq.	Sens.
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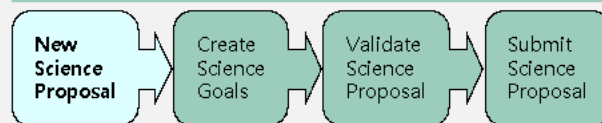
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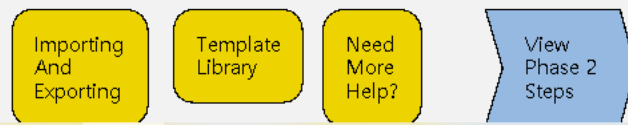
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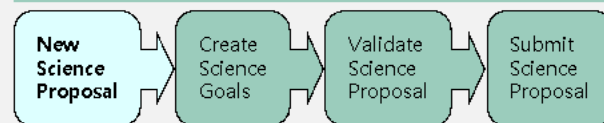
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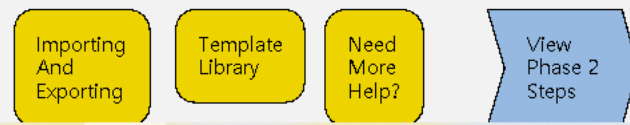
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Spatial Image

Image Filename

TW Hya

Source

Source Name

TW Hya

Resolve

Choose a Solar System Object?

Name of object Unspecified

Get source details from SIMBAD or NED

Source Coordinates

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PM Dec 0.00000

mas/yr

Source Radial Velocity

0.000

km/s

Isrk

z 0.000000000

Doppler Type

RADIO

Target Type

 Individual Pointing(s)
 1 Rectangular Field

Expected Source Properties

Peak Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam

0.00000

Jy

Continuum Linear Polarization

0.0

per cent

Continuum Circular Polarization

0.0

per cent

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam

0.00000

Jy

Line Width

0.00000

km/s

Line Linear Polarization

0.0

per cent

Line Circular Polarization

0.0

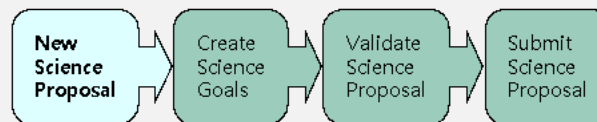
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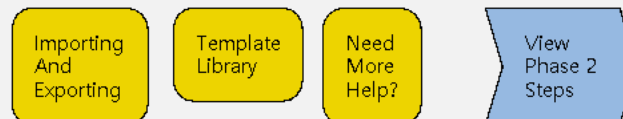
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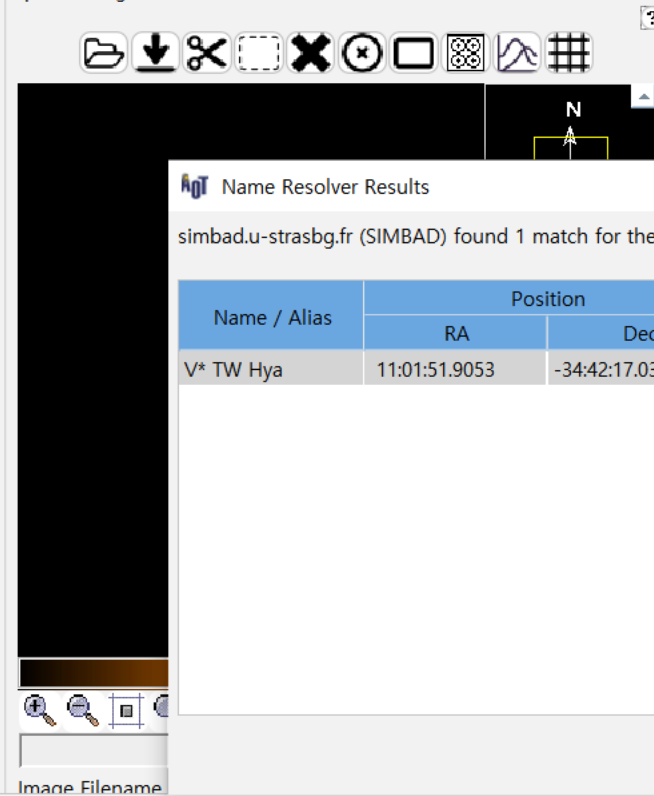
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TW Hya

Source

Source Name

TW Hya

Resolve

Choose a Solar System Object?

Name of object

Unspecified

Name Resolver Results

simbad.u-strasbg.fr (SIMBAD) found 1 match for the object 'TW Hya'.

Name / Alias	Position		Proper Motion		Velocity
	RA	Dec	RA	Dec	
V* TW Hya	11:01:51.9053	-34:42:17.033	-68.309 mas/yr	-13.9 mas/yr	12.335 km/s

Cancel

Select

Parallax 0.00000 mas

PM RA 0.00000 mas/yr

PM Dec 0.00000 mas/yr

z 0.000000000 Doppler Type RADIO

Angular Field

Beam 0.00000 Jy

0.0 per cent

0.0 per cent

0.00000 Jy

0.00000 km/s

0.0 per cent

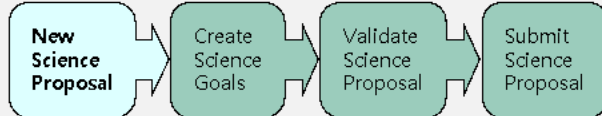
0.0 per cent

Overview

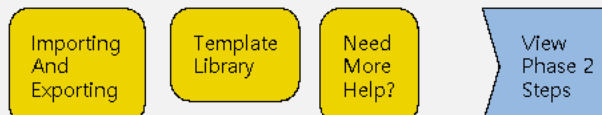
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You should check that the "Resolved information" is correct!!!

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Spectral Spatial Field Setup

Source

Source Name TW Hya Resolve

Choose a Solar System Object? Name of object Unspecified

System ICRS Sexagesimal display?

Source Coordinates

RA 11:01:52.0913 Parallax 16.62890 mas

Dec -34:42:15.750 PM RA -68.30900 mas/yr

PM Dec -13.90000 mas/yr

Source Radial Velocity 12.335 km/s hel z 0.000041146 Doppler Type RELATIVISTIC

Target Type Individual Pointing(s) 1 Rectangular Field

Expected Source Properties

Peak Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam 50.00000 mJy

Continuum Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent

Continuum Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam 10.00000 mJy

Line Width 1.00000 km/s

Line Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent

Line Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

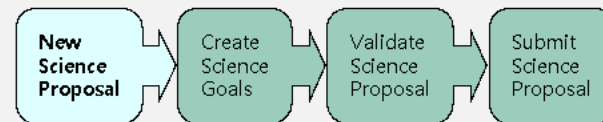
Image Filename unit1w.jsky3wcacheWjsky12077043586718440107.fits

Field Centre Coordinates

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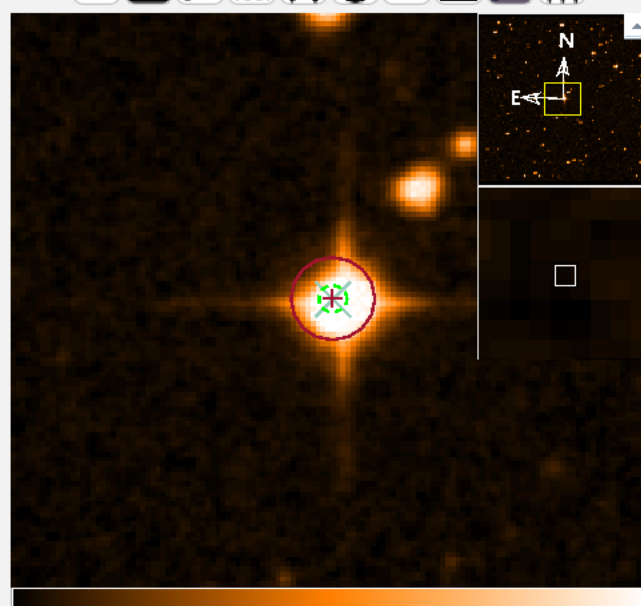
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Source

Source Name: TW Hya

Choose a Solar System Object? Name of object: Unspecified

ICRS System: ICRS Sexagesimal display?

RA: 11:01:52.0913 Parallax: 16.62890 mas

Dec: -34:42:15.750 PM RA: -68.30900 mas/yr

PM Dec: -13.90000 mas/yr

12.335 km/s hel Doppler Type: RELATIVISTIC

Individual Pointing(s) 1 Rectangular Field

Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam: 5.00000 Jy

Continuum Linear Polarization: 0.0 per cent

Continuum Circular Polarization: 0.0 per cent

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam: 10.00000 mJy

Line Width: 1.00000 km/s

Line Linear Polarization: 0.0 per cent



Line Circular Polarization: 0.0 per cent

Field Centre Coordinates: 11:01:46.783, -34:43:09.24 (J2000)

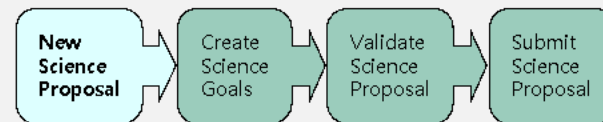
Image Filename: unit\W\jsky3\wcache\Wjsky12077043586718440107.fits

FOV Parameters

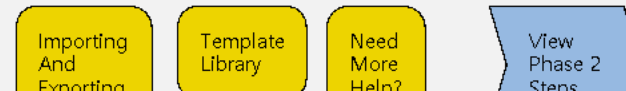
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Spectral Spatial Field Setup

Source

Source Name: TW Hya

Choose a Solar System Object? Name of object: Unspecified

System: ICRS Sexagesimal display?

Source Coordinates

RA	11:01:52.0913	Parallax	16.62890	mas
Dec	-34:42:15.750	PM RA	-68.30900	mas/yr
		PM Dec	-13.90000	mas/yr

Source Radial Velocity: 12.335 km/s hel z: 0.000041146 Doppler Type: RELATIVISTIC

Target Type: Individual Pointing(s) 1 Rectangular Field

Expected Source Properties

Peak Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam	50.00000	mJy
Continuum Linear Polarization	0.0	per cent
Continuum Circular Polarization	0.0	per cent
Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam	10.00000	mJy
Line Width	1.00000	km/s
Line Linear Polarization	0.0	per cent
Line Circular Polarization	0.0	per cent

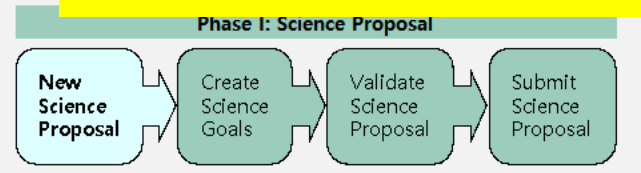
Image Filename: unit1W.jsky3WcacheWjsky12077043586718440107.fits

FOV Parameters: 3x 361.2, 242.8 4039.0

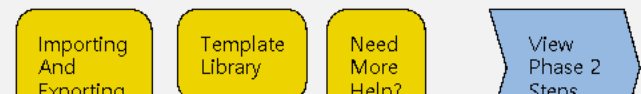
Field Centre Coordinates: 11:01:46.783, -34:43:09.24 (J2000)

You should describe how to get these values in T.J.

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Project Structure

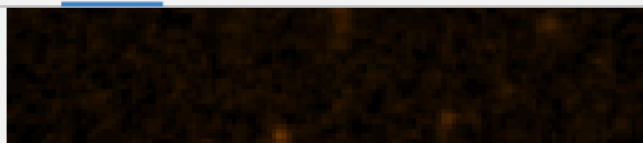
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Spectral Spatial Field Setup



3x 290.2, 240.8 5365.0

11:01:52.586, -34:43:13.53 (J2000)

Image Filename unit\W\jsky3\Wcache\Wjsky12077043586718440107.fits

FOV Parameters

Representative Frequency (Sky) 345.782 GHz

Array Type 12m

Antenna Beamsize (HPBW) 16.840 arcsec

Show Antenna Beamsize

Image Query

Image Server Digitized Sky (Version II) at ESO

Image Size(arcmin) 10.0 Query

Continuum Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent

Continuum Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam 10.00000 mJy

Line Width 1.00000 km/s

Line Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent

Line Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

Field Centre Coordinates

Coord Type Relative AbsoluteArray Type 12m

Offset Unit arcsec

#Pointings 12m Array 1

RA [arcsec]	Dec [arcsec]
0.00000	0.00000



Add Delete Reset Import Export

Add Source Load from File Export to File Clone Source Delete Source Delete All Sources

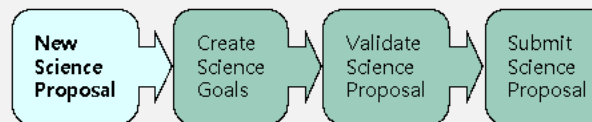
Mosaic
Multiple positions

Overview

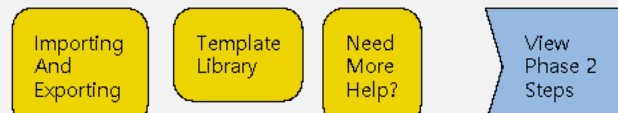
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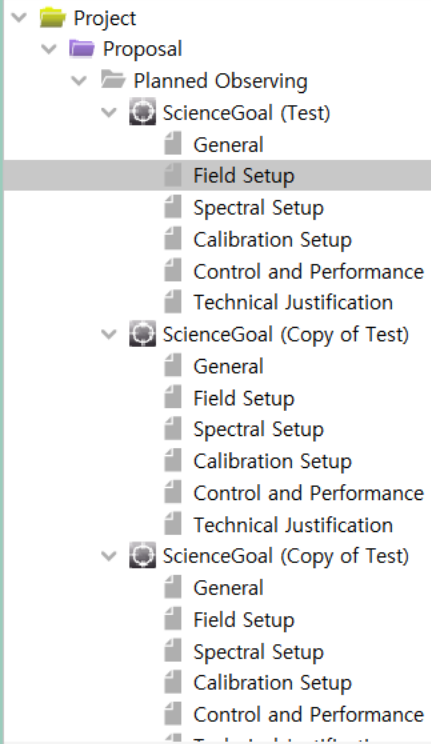




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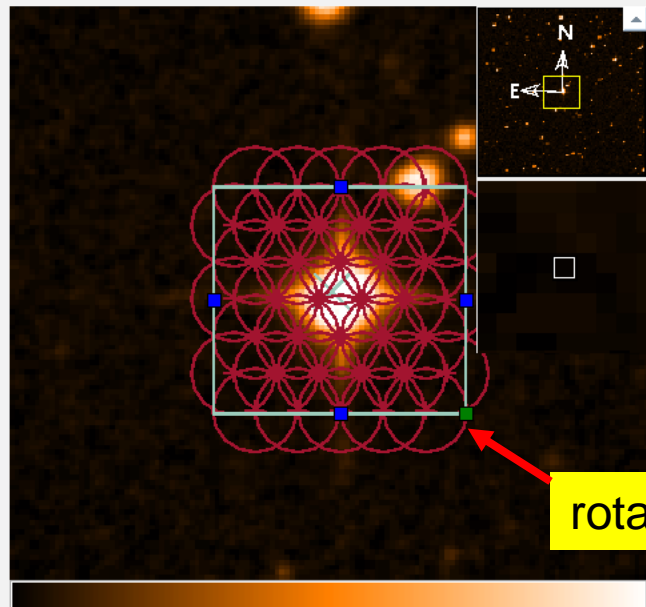
Editors

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Draw box

Show mosaic

Spatial Image



rotation

3x 359.8, 265.8 3842.0

11:01:46.951, -34:42:46.14 (J2000)

Image Filename unitWiskv3WcracheWiskv12077043586718440107.fits

TW Hya

Source

Source Name

TW Hya

Resolve

Choose a Solar System Object?

Name of object Unspecified

System ICRS

Sexagesimal display?

Parallax 16.62890

mas

Source Coordinates

RA 11:01:52.0913

PM RA -68.30900

mas/yr

Dec -34:42:15.750

PM Dec -13.90000

mas/yr

Source Radial Velocity

12.335

km/s

hel

z 0.000041146

Doppler Type

RELATIVISTIC

Target Type

 Individual Pointing(s) 1 Rectangular Field

Expected Source Properties

Peak Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam

50.00000

mJy

Continuum Linear Polarization

0.0

per cent

Continuum Circular Polarization

0.0

per cent

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam

10.00000

mJy

Line Width

1.00000

km/s

Line Linear Polarization

0.0

per cent



Line Circular Polarization

0.0

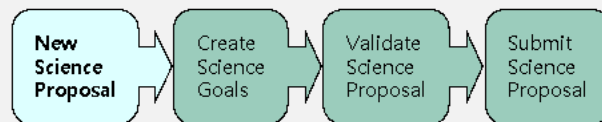
per cent

Overview

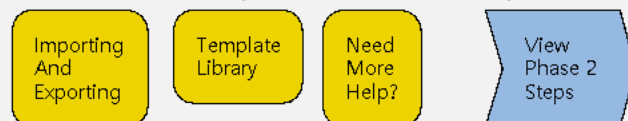
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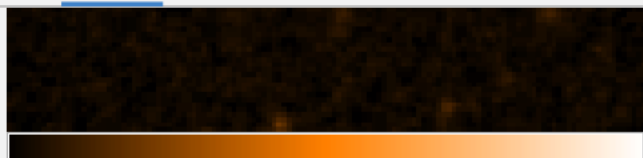
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Spectral Spatial Field Setup



3x 359.5, 251.2 4124.0
 11:01:46.941, -34:43:00.91 (J2000)
 Image Filename unit1wjsky3wcachewjsky12077043586718440107.fits

FOV Parameters

Representative Frequency (Sky) 345.782 GHz
 Array Type 12m
 Antenna Beamsize (HPBW) 16.840 arcsec
 Show Antenna Beamsize

Image Query

Image Server Digitized Sky (Version II) at ESO
 Image Size(arcmin) 10.0 Query

Continuum Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent
 Continuum Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent
 Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam 10.00000 mJy
 Line Width 1.00000 km/s
 Line Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent
 Line Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

Rectangle

Coords Type Relative Absolute

Field Centre Coordinates Offset(Longitude) 0 arcsec

Offset(Latitude) 0 arcsec

p length 50.0 arcsec

q length 40.0 arcsec

Position Angle 0.0 deg

Spacing 0.51093 fraction of antenna beamsize Reset to Nyquist

#Pointings 12m Array 33 Export

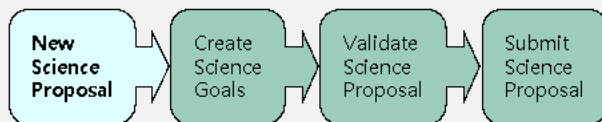
Add Source Load from File Export to File Clone Source Delete Source Delete All Sources

Overview

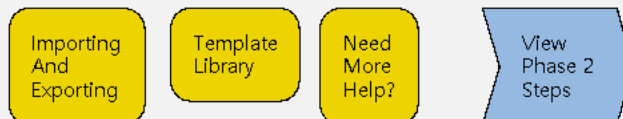
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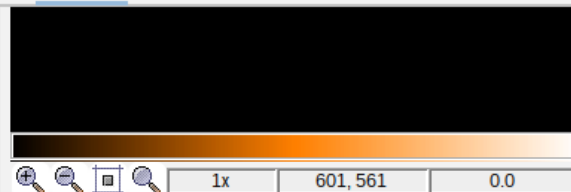


Image Filename

FOV Parameters

Representative Frequency (Sky) 345.531 GHz
 Array Type 12m
 Antenna Beamsize (HPBW) 16.852 arcsec
 Show Antenna Beamsize

Image Query

Image Server Digitized Sky (Version II) at ESO
 Image Size(arcmin) 10.0 Query

Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam 2.00000 Jy
 Line Width 3.00000 km/s
 Line Linear Polarization 0.0 per cent
 Line Circular Polarization 0.0 per cent

Field Centre Coordinates

Coord Type Relative AbsoluteArray Type 12m

Offset Unit arcsec

#Pointings 12m Array 1

RA [arcsec]	Dec [arcsec]
0.00000	0.00000

Multiple sources within S.G.

Add Source Load from File Export to File Clone Source Delete Source Delete All Sources

Feedback

Validation Validation History Log

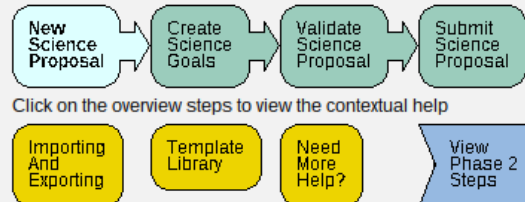
Description Suggestion

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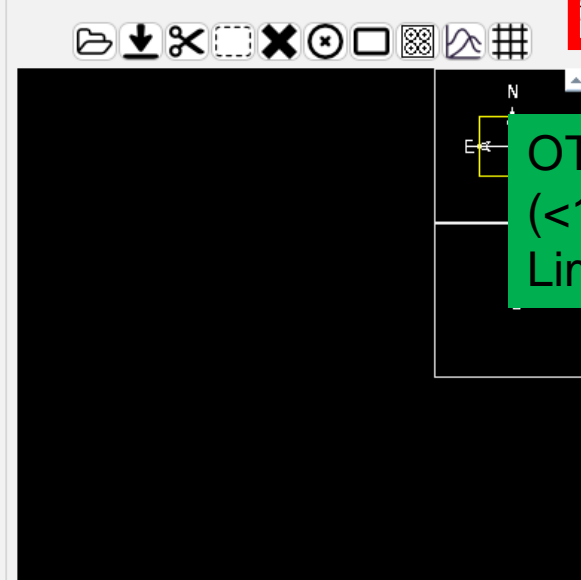
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OT automatically split sources into different "clusters"
 (<10 degrees or < 1 degree for C7-C10)
 Limit of sources : ≤ 150

TW_Hya TW_Hya_1 TW_Hya_2 TW_Hya_3 TW_Hya_4 TW_Hya_5

Source

Source Name TW_Hya_3

Choose a Solar System Object?

Name of object Unspecified

Resolve

Expected Source Properties

Peak Continuum Flux Density per Synthesized Beam	5.00000	Jy
Continuum Linear Polarization	0.0	per cent
Continuum Circular Polarization	0.0	per cent
Peak Line Flux Density per Synthesized Beam	2.00000	Jy
Line Width	3.00000	km/s
Line Linear Polarization	0.0	per cent

Feedback

Validation Validation History Log

Description

Suggestion

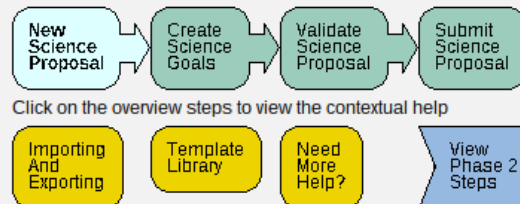


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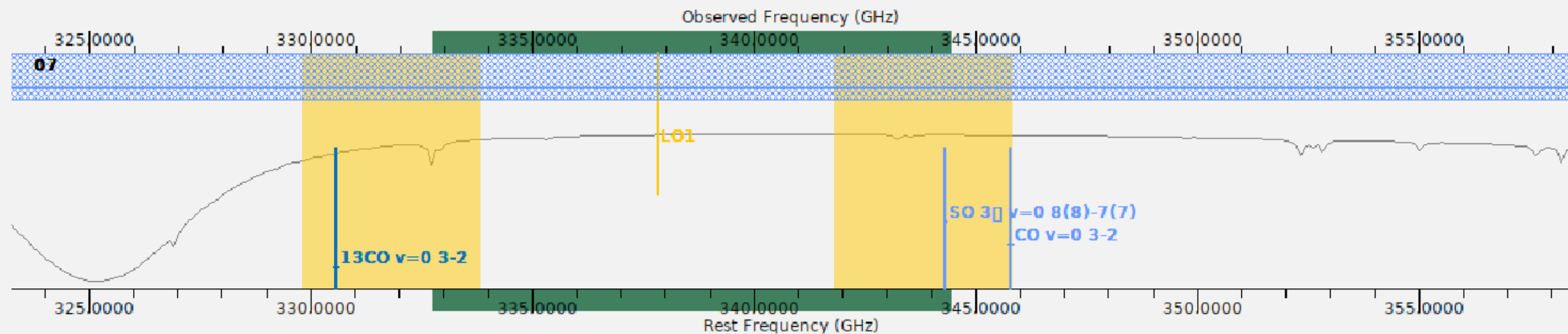
Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Visualisation

In the table below, it is possible to define up to 16 spectral windows, 4 per baseband as long as the total Fraction per baseband is no more than 1. Each baseband is 2GHz wide and can be separately configured i.e. each spectral window can have a different bandwidth and resolution. Note that for bands 3 to 8, it is not possible to put 3 basebands in one sideband and the fourth one in the other.

Left/right click to zoom in/out, grab sliding bar to pan

Note: Moving LO1 here is for experimentation only - actual setup determined by the windows



Overlays: Receiver Bands Transmission DSB Image Spectral Lines Select Lines to Overlay

Water Vapour Column Density: Automatic Ch Toggle receiver bands overlay (4th Octile) ▼

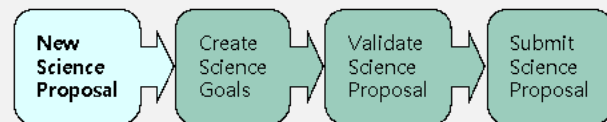
Viewport: Pan to Spectral Window Zoom to Band Reset

Overview

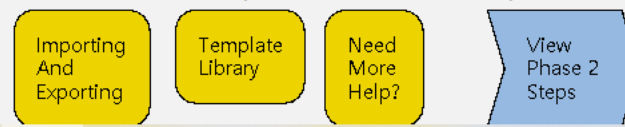
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Two mode for Single Continuum



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 - ▼ Proposal
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 - ▼ ScienceGoal (Copy of B6 C180 + S)
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Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Water Vapour Column Density: Automatic Choice Manual Choice 0.913mm (3rd Octile) ▼

Viewport:

Pan to Spectral Window

Zoom to Band

Reset

Spectral Type

Spectral Type

- Spectral Line
- Single Continuum
- Spectral Scan

Produce image sidebands (Bands 9 and 10 only)

Polarization products desired

- XX
- DUAL
- FULL

Spectral Setup Errors

Single Continuum

Receiver Band 7 [275.0-373.0 GHz] ▼

Reset to Standard Frequency

Sky Frequency 343.50000 GHz ▼

Rest Frequency 343.50000 GHz

- Low spectral resolution (TDM)
- High spectral resolution (FDM)

Baseband-1

Fraction	Centre Freq (rest,topo)	Centre Freq (sky,topo)	Transition	Bandwidth, Resolution (smoothed)	Spec. Avg.	Representative Window
1(Full)	336.50954 GHz	336.50000 GHz	Single Continuum	1875.000 MHz(1670 km/s), 1.129 MHz(1.006 km/s) (2-bit)	2	<input type="radio"/>

Feedback

Validation

Validation History

Log

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Phase I: Science Proposal

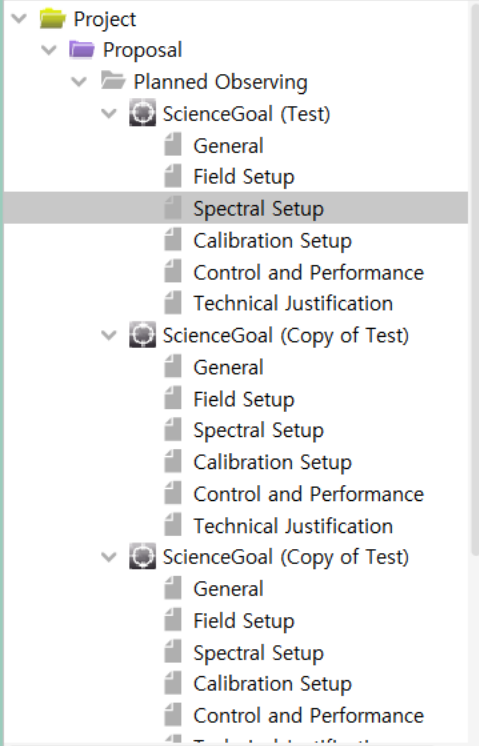




Project Structure

Proposal Program

Unsubmitted Proposal



Editors

Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Spectral Type

Spectral Type

- Spectral Line
 Single Continuum
 Spectral Scan

Line survey at a point

Highest spectral resolution

Produce image sidebands (Bands 9 and 10 only)

Polarization products desired

- XX DUAL FULL

polarization

Spectral Setup Errors

Spectral Line

Baseband-1

Fraction	Centre Freq (rest, hel)	Centre Freq (sky, hel)	Transition	Bandwidth, Resolution (smoothed)	Spec. Avg.	Representative Window
1/2	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	234.375 MHz(203 km/s), 244.141 kHz(0.212 km/s)	1	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1/4	344.31061 GHz	344.29645 GHz	SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	117.188 MHz(102 km/s), 282.227 kHz(0.246 km/s)	2	<input type="radio"/>

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

 Show image spectral windows

Baseband-2

1(Full)	330.58797 GHz	330.57436 GHz	13CO v=0 3-2	234.375 MHz(213 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.128 km/s)	2	<input type="radio"/>
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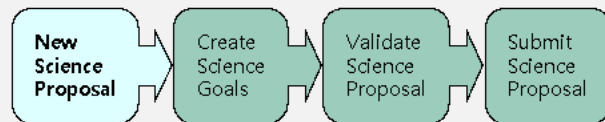


Overview

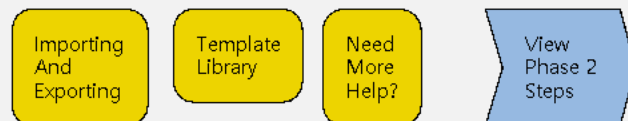
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Create spectral windows centred on spectral lines

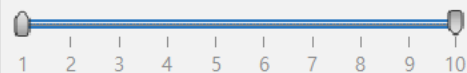
Transition Filter

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e.g. CO*2-1* or *oxide*

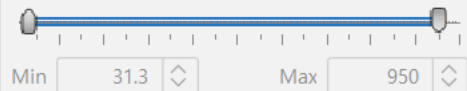
Include description

Frequency Filters

ALMA Band



Sky Frequency (GHz)



Receiver/Back End Configuration

- All lines
- Potentially selectable lines
- Lines in defined spws
- Filtering unobservable lines

Upper-state Energy (K)

Min 0 Max 0

Molecule Filter / Environment

- Show all atoms and molecules
- all atoms and molecules
 - most common molecules
 - hot cores
 - dark clouds
 - diffuse clouds
 - AGBs, PPNs and PNs
 - comets
 - planets
 - extra-Galactic

Transitions matching your filter settings:

(double-click column header for primary sort, single-click subsequent columns for secondary sorting. Single clicks will reverse sort order of already selected columns.)

Transition ▲	Description	Rest Frequency ▲	Sky Frequency	Upper-state Energy	Lovas Intensity	Sij μ ²	Catalog
CH3CN v=0 18(4)-17(4), F=17-16	Methyl Cyanide	330.969808 GHz	330.956190 GHz	265.219 K	1.38	496.315 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(4)-17(4), F=17-18	Methyl Cyanide	330.969812 GHz	330.956195 GHz	265.219 K	1.38	0.001 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(4)-17(4), F=19-18	Methyl Cyanide	330.969815 GHz	330.956198 GHz	265.219 K	1.38	554.827 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =18-17, K = -12 --12	Methyl Cyanide	330.977817 GHz	330.964199 GHz	1861.315 K		286.041 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =38-38, K =10-8	Methyl Cyanide	330.988159 GHz	330.974541 GHz	1758.834 K		0.017 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =18-17, K =14-14	Methyl Cyanide	331.009015 GHz	330.995396 GHz	1881.454 K		203.422 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(3)-17(3), F=18-17	Methyl Cyanide	331.014296 GHz	331.000677 GHz	215.24 K	1.38	1073.219 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(3)-17(3), F=17-16	Methyl Cyanide	331.014306 GHz	331.000687 GHz	215.24 K	1.38	1015.053 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(3)-17(3), F=19-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.014315 GHz	331.000695 GHz	215.24 K	1.38	1134.981 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(3)-17(3), F=17-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.014315 GHz	331.000695 GHz	215.24 K	1.38	0.003 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(2)-17(2), F=18-17	Methyl Cyanide	331.046102 GHz	331.032481 GHz	179.533 K	1.6	545.146 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(2)-17(2), F=17-16	Methyl Cyanide	331.046104 GHz	331.032483 GHz	179.533 K	1.6	515.6 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(2)-17(2), F=19-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.046113 GHz	331.032492 GHz	179.533 K	1.6	576.385 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(2)-17(2), F=17-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.046115 GHz	331.032494 GHz	179.533 K	1.6	0.001 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(1)-17(1), F=17-16	Methyl Cyanide	331.065188 GHz	331.051566 GHz	158.106 K	1.64	520.407 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(1)-17(1), F=18-17	Methyl Cyanide	331.065191 GHz	331.051570 GHz	158.106 K	1.64	550.355 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(1)-17(1), F=19-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.065197 GHz	331.051576 GHz	158.106 K	1.64	581.893 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(1)-17(1), F=17-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.065201 GHz	331.051579 GHz	158.106 K	1.64	0.001 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 18(0)-17(0), F=17-18	Methyl Cyanide	331.071563 GHz	331.057942 GHz	150.963 K	1.77	0.001 D ²	Offline

Add to spectral window list

Spectral windows in this baseband (maximum of four)

Transition ▲	Description	Rest Frequency ▲	Sky Frequency

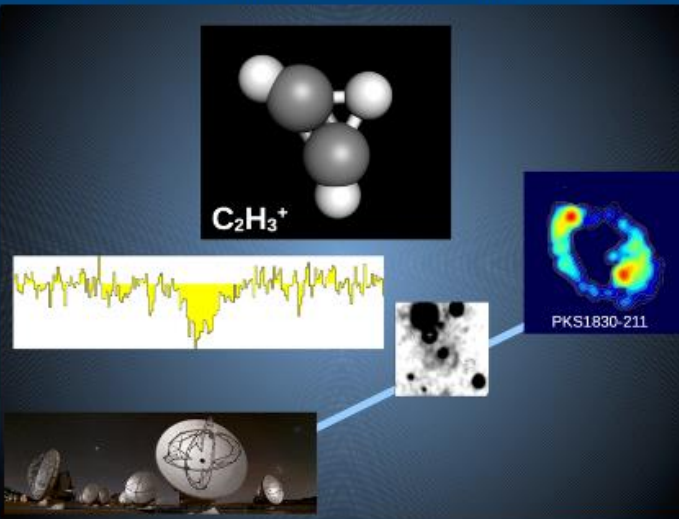
Remove spectral window(s)

Cancel Ok



Science Highlight

Protonated acetylene in the z=0.89 absorber toward PKS1830-211



View of the molecule (created with MolView) and an absorption spectrum observed with ALMA in the line of sight of the quasar PKS1830-211. The quasar (here observed with the MERLIN interferometer at radio wavelengths) is lensed by a foreground spiral galaxy at z=0.89 (optical image from HST).

The line of sight to the lensed blazar PKS1830-211 intercepts the disk of a foreground spiral galaxy at z=0.89 where absorption has been detected for more than 60 molecular species, mostly at mm wavelengths. In a paper accepted for publication in A&A. Dr. Sebastian Muller and colleagues report the detection of a new

Observatory News

- ALMA Cycle 11 Call for Proposals OPEN!
Mar 21, 2024
- Planned Release of Data from Projects in Configurations 8 and 9
Mar 21, 2024
- Over one third of all ALMA proposals make use of data from the ALMA Archive
Feb 16, 2024
- Announcement for early proposal for Cycle 11
More...

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- Splatalogue**
- NRAO Science Ready Data Products
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- Japanese Virtual Obs.
- Solar Ephemeris

ALMA Status

Configuration Schedule

Refereed publications: 3720
Last observed source: XID614
Current configuration: C-1
More...

...whole, including proposers, archive researchers, ALMA

- [SnooPI](#)
- [DDT Proposals](#)

Splatalogue

Database for Astronomical Spectroscopy
Giving you the right frequency one line at a time.

[Basic Version](#)

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Search Species

e.g. ammonia, carbon, methanol, CO

Search Parameters

Quick Picker

CO v=0	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	¹³ CO v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>
C ¹⁷ O	<input type="checkbox"/>	C ¹⁸ O	<input type="checkbox"/>
CH ₃ OH v ₁ =0	<input type="checkbox"/>	H ₂ CO	<input type="checkbox"/>
HCN v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>	HNC v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>
H ¹³ CN v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>	HC ¹⁵ N v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>
DCN v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>	HCO ⁺ v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>
CS	<input type="checkbox"/>	H ¹³ CO ⁺	<input type="checkbox"/>
NH ₃	<input type="checkbox"/>	C I	<input type="checkbox"/>
C II	<input type="checkbox"/>	O I	<input type="checkbox"/>
O III	<input type="checkbox"/>	N II	<input type="checkbox"/>
H ₂ O v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>	HDO	<input type="checkbox"/>
SiO v=0	<input type="checkbox"/>	More molecules	

Save and Restore Settings

Settings Name

Query Filters

Telescope Bands

- ALMA Band 5 (183-211 GHz)
- ALMA Band 6 (211-275 GHz)
- ALMA Band 7 (275-373 GHz)
- ALMA Band 8 (385-500 GHz)

Energy Range
From To

E_L (cm⁻¹) E_L (K)

Specify a Frequency Range
From To

Frequency Unit

Load Freqs From listobs
 No file chosen

Load Freqs From ObsProposal.xml
 No file chosen

Redshift

Astronomical Filters

- None
- Top 20 list
- Planetary Atmosphere
- Hot Cores
- Dark Clouds
- Diffuse Clouds
- Comets
- AGB/PPNP/N
- Extragalactic

Export Data

Export Fields

- Export current fields
- Export current fields without Resolved QNs
- Export CASA fields

Field Separator

- Tab
- Colon

Range

- All Records
- Current Page

Search Results

Create spectral windows centred on spectral lines

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Proposal

co v=0*

Unsubmitted Proposals

e.g. CO*2-1* or *oxide*

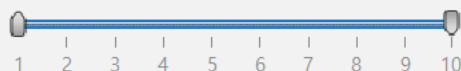
Project

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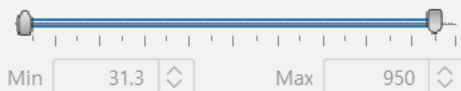
Proposals

Frequency Filters

ALMA Band



Sky Frequency (GHz)



Receiver/Back End Configuration

 All lines Potentially selectable lines Lines in defined spws Filtering unobservable lines

Upper-state Energy (K)

Min 0 Max 0

Molecule Filter / Environment

Show all atoms and molecules

Overview

Can't find the transition you're looking for in the offline pool? Find more in the online Splatalogue.

Search Online

Reset Filters

Transitions matching your filter settings:

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CO v=0 3-2	Carbon Monoxide	345.795990 GHz	345.781762 GHz	33.192 K	70	0.036 D ²	Offline

Add to spectral window list

Spectral windows in this baseband (maximum of four)

Transition ▲	Description	Rest Frequency ▲	Sky Frequency
CO v=0 3-2	Carbon Monoxide	345.795990 GHz	345.781762 GHz

Remove spectral window(s)

Cancel

Ok

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Importing
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Exporting

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Accept selected lines and close the dialog



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Editors

Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Spectral type Single Continuum
 Spectral Scan

Produce image sidebands (Bands 9 and 10 only)

Polarization products desired XX DUAL FULL

Spectral Setup Errors

Spectral Line

Baseband-1

Fraction	Centre Freq (rest, hel)	Centre Freq (sky, hel)	Transition	Bandwidth, Resolution (smoothed)	Spec. Avg.	Representative Window
1(Full) ▼	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	117.188 MHz(102 km/s), 70.557 kHz(0.061 km/s)	2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1(Full)						<input type="radio"/>
1/2						<input type="radio"/>
1/4						<input type="radio"/>

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

 Show image spectral windows

Baseband-2

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line



Add spectral window manually

Delete

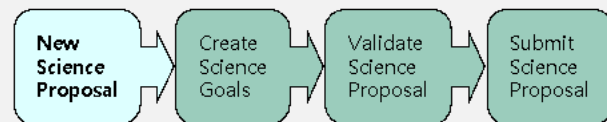
 Show image spectral windows

Overview

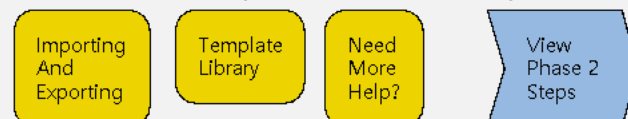
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 - ▼ Proposal
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 - General
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Editors

Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Baseband-4

Line	Frequency (GHz)	Velocity (km/s)	Bandwidth (MHz)	Resolution (km/s)	Bits
1(Full)	230.53800	CO v=0 2-1	230.54486	234.375 MHz(305 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.183 km/s)	(2-bit)
				58.594 MHz(76 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.183 km/s)	(4-bit)
				117.188 MHz(152 km/s), 70.557 kHz(0.092 km/s)	(2-bit)
				117.188 MHz(152 km/s), 282.227 kHz(0.367 km/s)	(4-bit)
				234.375 MHz(305 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.183 km/s)	(2-bit)
				234.375 MHz(305 km/s), 564.453 kHz(0.734 km/s)	(4-bit)
				468.750 MHz(610 km/s), 282.227 kHz(0.367 km/s)	(2-bit)
				468.750 MHz(610 km/s), 1.129 MHz(1.468 km/s)	(4-bit)
				937.500 MHz(1219 km/s), 564.453 kHz(0.734 km/s)	(2-bit)
				937.500 MHz(1219 km/s), 2.258 MHz(2.936 km/s)	(4-bit)
				1875.000 MHz(2438 km/s), 1.129 MHz(1.468 km/s)	(2-bit)
				1875.000 MHz(2438 km/s), 36.125 MHz(46.976 km/s)	(2-bit)

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Representative Frequency

The representative frequency is used in conjunction with observing time and to set the size of the antenna beam so that the spectral lines do not fall in the centre of the chosen spectral window, its frequency is shown in the targets table below.

Rest Frequencies

Please set the rest frequencies of spectral lines that will be observed. These will be used during data reduction to set the velocity scale and will enhance the ALMA Science Archive. We recommend that this be done once the spectral setup is fully defined.

Feedback

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Create spectral windows centred on spectral lines

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Frequency Filters

ALMA Band

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Sky Frequency (GHz)

Min 31.3 Max 950

Receiver/Back End Configuration

All lines

Potentially selectable lines

Lines in defined spws

Filtering unobservable lines

Upper-state Energy (K)

Min 0 Max 0

Molecule Filter / Environment

Show all atoms and molecules

Search Online

Reset Filters

Overview

Transition Filter

*
e.g. CO*2-1* or *oxide*

Include description

Frequency Filters

ALMA Band

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Sky Frequency (GHz)

Min 31.3 Max 950

Receiver/Back End Configuration

All lines

Potentially selectable lines

Lines in defined spws

Filtering unobservable lines

Upper-state Energy (K)

Min 0 Max 0

Molecule Filter / Environment

Show all atoms and molecules

Search Online

Reset Filters

Transitions matching your filter settings:

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Transition ▲	Description	Rest Frequency ▼	Sky Frequency ▲	Upper-state Energy	Lovas Intensity ▼	Sij μ ²	Catalog
13CH3OH v t=0 5 (...)	Methanol	349.222565 GHz	349.208196 GHz	56.339 K		0 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(6)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.212338 GHz	349.197970 GHz	424.7 K	0.71	1106.34 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(6)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.212332 GHz	349.197964 GHz	424.7 K	0.71	995.379 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(6)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.212321 GHz	349.197953 GHz	424.7 K	0.71	0.002 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(6)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.212285 GHz	349.197917 GHz	424.7 K	0.71	1049.515 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =19...	Methyl Cyanide	349.208926 GHz	349.194558 GHz	2089.502 K		204.763 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =19...	Methyl Cyanide	349.174395 GHz	349.160028 GHz	2068.707 K		289.09 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(7)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.125319 GHz	349.110955 GHz	517.407 K	0.5	531.025 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(7)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.125315 GHz	349.110950 GHz	517.407 K	0.5	477.876 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(7)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.125298 GHz	349.110934 GHz	517.407 K	0.5	0.001 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(7)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.125249 GHz	349.110884 GHz	517.407 K	0.5	503.75 D ²	Offline
CH3OH v t=0 14(1,...)	Methanol	349.107020 GHz	349.092656 GHz	260.203 K	3.52	25.799 D ²	Offline
13CH3OH v t=0 4 (...)	Methanol	349.097921 GHz	349.083558 GHz	45.01 K		0 D ²	Offline
13CH3OH v t=0 3 (...)	Methanol	349.034424 GHz	349.020063 GHz	35.947 K		0 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(8)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.025009 GHz	349.010648 GHz	624.32 K	1.03	505.523 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(8)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.025006 GHz	349.010646 GHz	624.32 K	1.03	454.821 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(8)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.024983 GHz	349.010623 GHz	624.32 K	1.03	0.001 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v=0 19(8)-1...	Methyl Cyanide	349.024918 GHz	349.010558 GHz	624.32 K	1.03	479.558 D ²	Offline
CH3CN v8=1 J =19...	Methyl Cyanide	349.016636 GHz	349.002276 GHz	2294.548 K		316.133 D ²	Offline

Add to spectral window list

Spectral windows in this baseband (maximum of four)

Transition ▲	Description	Rest Frequency ▲	Sky Frequency
SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	Sulfur Monoxide	344.310612 GHz	344.296446 GHz
CO v=0 3-2		345.795990 GHz	345.781762 GHz
SiO v=0 8-7	Silicon Monoxide	347.330579 GHz	347.316288 GHz

Remove spectral window(s)

Cancel Ok

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Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Produce image sidebands (Bands 9 and 10 only) Polarization products desired XX DUAL FULL

Spectral Setup Errors

The spectral window range exceeds the baseband width : 3.051092345699999 GHz

Spectral Line

Baseband-1

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1/2	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	58.594 MHz, 70.557 kHz	2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1/4	344.31061 GHz	344.29645 GHz	SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	58.594 MHz, 141.113 kHz	2	<input type="radio"/>
1/4	347.33058 GHz	347.31628793178334 GHz	SiO v=0 8-7	Please select a correlator mode	1	<input type="radio"/>

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

 Show image spectral windows

Baseband-2

Error : over the width of the baseband

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

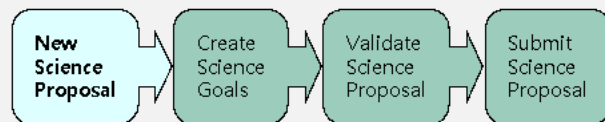
 Show image spectral windows

Overview

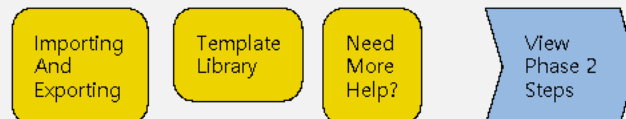
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Spectral Spatial Spectral Setup

Produce image sidebands (Bands 9 and 10 only) Polarization products desired XX DUAL FULL

Spectral Setup Errors

Baseband-1 : Spectral window resolution mismatch in spectral set-up. All windows must be allocated the same resolution.

Spectral Line

Baseband-1

Fraction	Centre Freq (rest, hel)	Centre Freq (sky, hel)	Transition	Bandwidth, Resolution (smoothed)	Spec. Avg.	Representative Window
1/2	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	58.594 MHz(51 km/s), 70.557 kHz(0.061 km/s)	2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1/4	344.31061 GHz	344.29645 GHz	SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	58.594 MHz(51 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.123 km/s)	2	<input type="radio"/>

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

 Show image spectral windows

Baseband-2

Error : different spectral resolution within the baseband

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

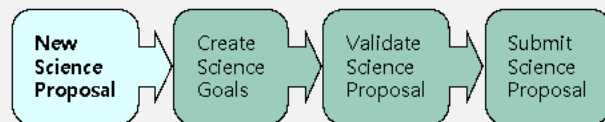
 Show image spectral windows

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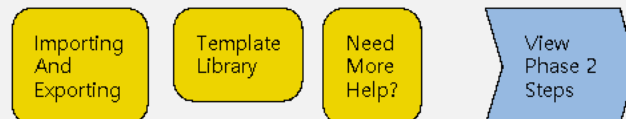
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Reduce image subbands (bands 0 and 10 only)

Polarization products desired

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Spectral Line

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1/2	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	117.188 MHz, 141.113 kHz	2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1/4	344.31061 GHz	344.29645 GHz	SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	58.594 MHz, 141.113 kHz	2	<input type="radio"/>

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually

Delete

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Baseband-2

1/2	329.33055 GHz	329.31700 GHz	C18O 3-2	Please select a correlator mode	1	<input type="radio"/>
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Error : Outside of IF bandwidth

Add spectral window centred on a spectral line

Add spectral window manually



Delete

 Show image spectral windows

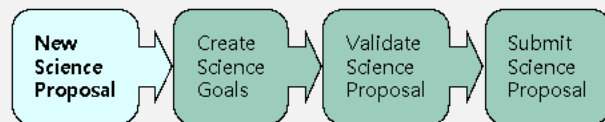
Baseband-3

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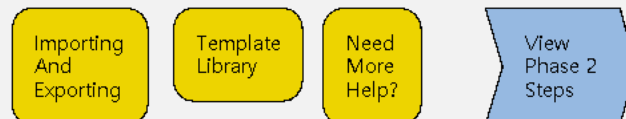
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1/2	345.79599 GHz	345.78176 GHz	CO v=0 3-2	117.188 MHz(102 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.122 km/s)	2	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
1/4	344.31061 GHz	344.29645 GHz	SO 3Σ v=0 8(8)-7(7)	58.594 MHz(51 km/s), 141.113 kHz(0.123 km/s)	2	<input type="radio"/>

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Baseband-2

1(Full)	330.58797 GHz	330.57436 GHz	13CO v=0 3-2	117.188 MHz(106 km/s), 70.557 kHz(0.064 km/s)	2	<input type="radio"/>
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Representative Frequency

The representative frequency is used in conjunction with the sensitivity entered on the 'Control and Performance' page to estimate the required observing time and to set the size of the antenna beam shown in the 'Spatial Visual' editor. If the transition you are most interested in does not fall in the centre of the chosen spectral window, its frequency can be changed here. The sky equivalents of the representative frequency are shown in the targets table below.

 GHz

Rest Frequencies

Please set the rest frequencies of spectral lines that will be observed. These will be used during data reduction to set the velocity scale and will enhance the ALMA Science Archive. We recommend that this be done once the spectral setup is fully defined.

Sources

Source Name	Velocity	Frame	Representative Frequency (Observed)
TW Hya	12.335 km... hel		345.7818 GHz

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Spectral Spatial Calibration Setup

Select calibration strategy.

Goal Calibrators

By default, calibrators will be selected automatically at runtime and a single observation will be used to calibrate the bandpass and flux scale.

- System-defined calibration (recommended)
- System-defined calibration (force separate amplitude calibration using solar-system object)
- User-defined calibration



Astrometry

If you wish positional accuracy that is better than that provided by default (see the Proposer's Guide for more information) then select enhanced accuracy.

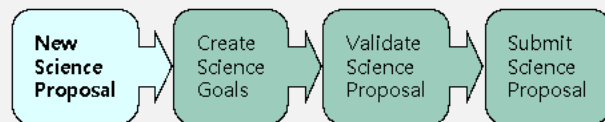
- Standard positional accuracy (default)
- Enhanced positional accuracy

DGC Override (observatory-use only)

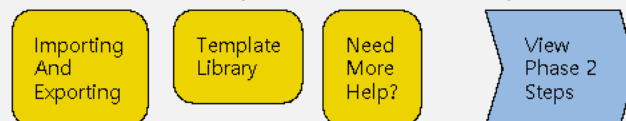
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Spectral Spatial **Control and Performance**

These parameters are used to control various aspects of the observations, including the required antenna configurations and integration times.

Configuration Information

Antenna Beamsize ($1.13 * \lambda / D$)	12m	<input type="text" value="16.840 arcsec"/>	7m	<input type="text" value="28.868 arcsec"/>	
Number of Antennas	12m	<input type="text" value="43"/>	7m	<input type="text" value="10"/>	TP <input type="text" value="3"/>
		ACA 7m configuration	Most compact 12m configuration	Most extended 12m configuration	
Longest baseline	<input type="text" value="0.049 km"/>	<input type="text" value="0.161 km"/>	<input type="text" value="16.197 km"/>		
Synthesized beamsize	<input type="text" value="3.632 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="0.938 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="0.016 arcsec"/>		
Shortest baseline	<input type="text" value="0.009 km"/>	<input type="text" value="0.015 km"/>	<input type="text" value="0.256 km"/>		
Maximum recoverable scale	<input type="text" value="19.388 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="8.391 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="0.145 arcsec"/>		

Desired Performance

Desired Angular Resolution (Synthesized Beam) Single Range Any Standalone ACA

arcsec to arcsec

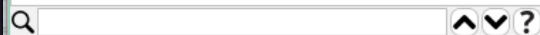
Largest Angular Structure in source arcsec

Desired sensitivity per pointing mJy equivalent to @ 0.150 "

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Description	Suggestion

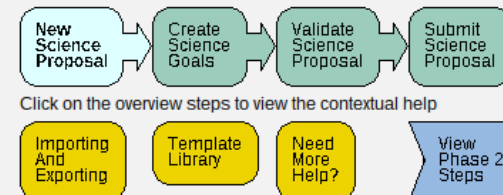


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Shortest baseline	<input type="text" value="0.009 km"/>	<input type="text" value="0.015 km"/>	<input type="text" value="0.256 km"/>
Maximum recoverable scale	<input type="text" value="19.388 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="8.391 arcsec"/>	<input type="text" value="0.145 arcsec"/>

Desired Performance

Desired Angular Resolution (Synthesized Beam) Single Range Any Standalone ACA

arcsec to arcsec

Largest Angular Structure in source arcsec

Desired sensitivity per pointing mJy equivalent to @ 0.150 " and @ 0.0500 "

Bandwidth used for Sensitivity Frequency Width

Override OT's sensitivity-based time estimate (must be justified) Yes No

Science Goal Breakdown: time estimate, clustering, beam and configurations

Simultaneous 12-m and ACA observations Yes No

Are the observations time-constrained? Yes No

Range is recommended
(single ~ < 20%)

Flux unit is used although
K can be chosen.

$$\left(\frac{T}{1\text{ K}}\right) = \left(\frac{S_\nu}{1\text{ Jy}}\right) \left[13.6 \left(\frac{300\text{ GHz}}{\nu}\right)^2 \left(\frac{1''}{\theta_{max}}\right) \left(\frac{1''}{\theta_{min}}\right)\right]$$

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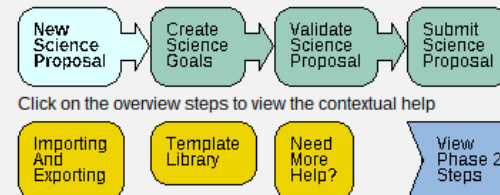
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Spectral Spatial **Control and Performance**

Shortest baseline	0.009 km	0.015 km	0.256 km
Maximum recoverable scale	19.388 arcsec	8.391 arcsec	0.145 arcsec

Desired Performance

Desired Angular Resolution (Synthesized Beam) Single Range Any Standalone ACA

0.05 arcsec to 0.15 arcsec

Largest Angular Structure in source: 1.00000 arcsec

Desired sensitivity per pointing: 3.3 mJy equivalent to 1.4998 K @ 0.150 "

and 13.499 K @ 0.0500 "

Bandwidth used for Sensitivity: Frequency Width: 0.195313 MHz

Override OT's sensitivity-based time estimate (must be justified)

Science Goal Breakdown: time estimate, clustering, beam and configurations

Simultaneous 12-m and ACA observations

Are the observations time-constrained? Yes No

- RepWindowEffectiveChannelWidth
- RepresentativeWindowBandWidth
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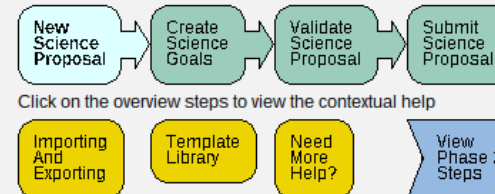
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Maximum recoverable scale

Desired Performance

Desired Angular Resolution (Synthesized Beam) Single Range Any Standalone ACA

arcsec to

Largest Angular Structure in source arcsec

Desired sensitivity per pointing mJy equivalent to and

Bandwidth used for Sensitivity Frequency Width

Override OT's sensitivity-based time estimate (must be justified) Yes No

Science Goal Breakdown: time estimate, clustering, beam and configurations

Simultaneous 12-m and ACA observations Yes No

Are the observations time-constrained? Yes No

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Note: The time in brackets is that required to reach the sensitivity. Operational requirements often mean that the actual observed time is longer, especially for mosaics. Please see the User Manual for more details.

Input Parameters

Requested sensitivity 3.300 mJy
 Bandwidth used for sensitivity 0.195 MHz
 Representative frequency (sky, first source) 345.782 GHz

Estimated Total time for Science Goal

8.93 h

Cluster 1

Source Name	RA	Dec	Velocity
TW Hya	11:01:51.9053	-34:42:17.033	12.335 km/s

Possible Configuration Combinations

12-m (1)	12-m (2)	7-m	TP
C-6	None	No	No

Input Parameters

Precipitable water vapour (all sources) 1.262mm (4th Octile)

Time required for 12m (1) [C-6]

Time on source per pointing (first source) 2.82 h [2.77 h]
 Total number of pointings (all sources) 1
 Number of tunings 1
 Total time on source 2.82 h [2.77 h]
 Total calibration time 5.80 h
 Other overheads 18.40 min
 Total time for 1 SB execution 1.49 h
 Number of SB executions 6
 Total time to complete SB 8.93 h

Calibration Breakdown per SB execution

4 x Pointing 8.00 min
 1 x Amplitude/bandpass 10.00 min
 19 x Phase 5.70 min
 4 x CheckSource 2.00 min
 2 x DGC 8.00 min
 10 x Atmospheric 6.67 min
 1 x DGC Bandpass 5.00 min

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Spectral Spatial Technical Justification

Enter a Technical Justification for this Science Goal, paying special attention to the parameters reproduced below.

Sensitivity

Requested RMS over is

For a peak flux density of , the S/N is

Achieved RMS over the total bandwidth is

For a continuum flux density of , the achieved S/N is

For a peak line flux of , the achieved S/N over 1/3 of the source line width (/ 3 =) is

Line width / bandwidth used for sensitivity (/) =

Spectral Dynamic Range (continuum flux / line rms):

Justify your requested RMS and resulting S/N for the spectral line and/or continuum observations.



For line observations also justify the bandwidth used for the sensitivity calculation.

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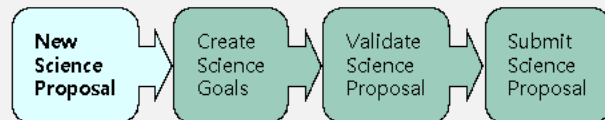
Spectral dynamic range is related with the bandpass accuracy. It is 1000 (3-6), 400 (7), 250 (8), 170 (9), and 150 (10).

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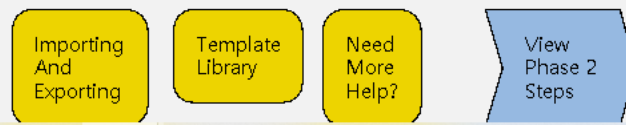
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Requested angular resolution Requested Largest Angular Scale

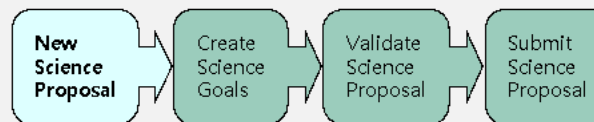
Justify the chosen angular resolution and largest angular scale for the source(s) in this Science Goal

Correlator configuration

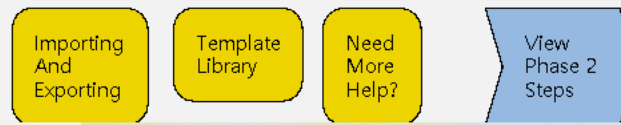
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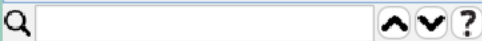


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

Correlator configuration

line width / representative spectral window resolution: / =

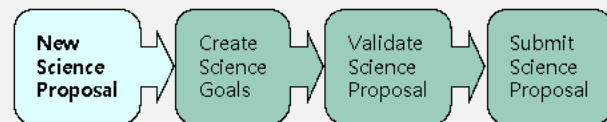
Representative spectral window width :

Justify your correlator set-up with particular reference to the number of spectral resolution elements per line width.
You may want to consider spectral averaging to lower the data rate

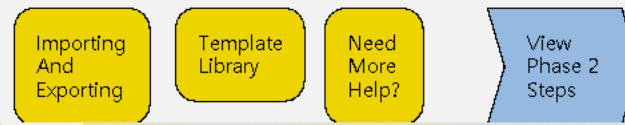
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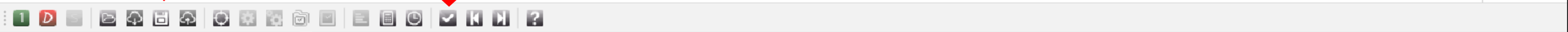
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Reviewer has a PhD? No Yes

Select Mentor

Mentor name

Mentor has a PhD? No Yes

Science Case ?

Please ensure that your science case is properly anonymized following instructions on the Science Portal

Science Case (Mandatory, PDF, 4 pages max.) Attach Detach View

Duplicate observations ?

Briefly justify any new observations that duplicate archival data or accepted programs.
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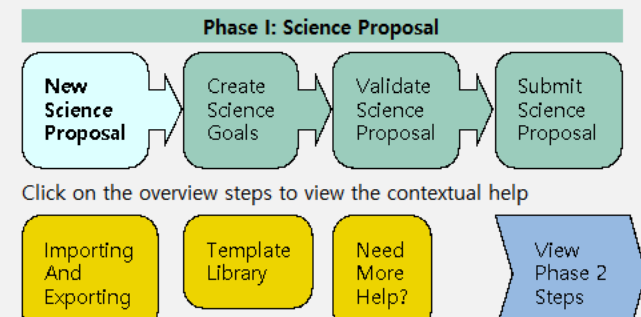
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Proposal Program

Unsubmitted Proposals

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 - Calibration Setup
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Technical Justification

Requested angular resolution 50.00 mas - 10.00 mas

Requested Largest Angular Scale 1.00 arcsec

Justify the chosen angular resolution and largest angular scale for the source(s) in this Science Goal

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Feedback

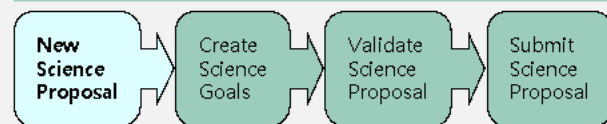
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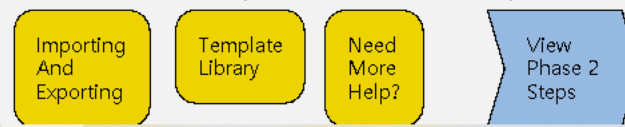
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-  Save Ctrl-S
- Save As...
- Show ALMA Template Library
- Use Project as Template >
- Validate Ctrl-L
-  Submit Project Finance
- Submit Project to ALMA
- Preferences
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Spectral Spatial Technical Justification

Imaging

Requested angular resolution Requested Largest Angular Scale





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

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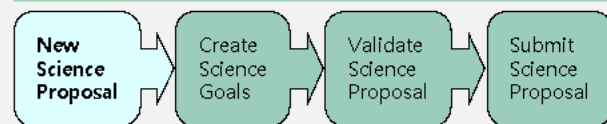
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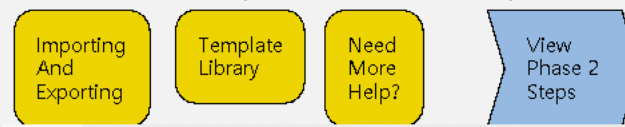
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