

VLA OBSERVING LOG

2017-11-11_1614_17A-240

Observing Date: 11-Nov-2017
Configuration: B
Decommissioned: 21

Project:	17A-240	# Subarrays:	1	Observation Type:	Science
Observer(PI):	Dr John M. Cannon			Band(s) Used:	L
SBID(s):	34232871				
Source File(s):	17A-240_sb34232871_1_1				
Observer E-mail:	jcannon@macalester.edu				
Operator(s):	Kristin Renda				

Adobe PDF version of this log is located at: <http://www.vla.nrao.edu/operators/logs/>

Visibility data is updated each day at IAT/UT midnight and is available from the online archive at: <https://archive.nrao.edu>

Time (UTC)	Dew Point (C)	Temp. (C)	Wind Speed & Direction (avg)	Bar. Pressure (mbars)	API RMS Phase (degs)	Remarks
11Nov 16:15:40	-2.2	11.2	SW at 4.0 m/s	789.3	2.7	Sky cover 50%. Stratiform clouds.
11Nov 17:00:08	-3.9	13.9	W at 8.1 m/s	789.3	7.6	Sky cover 20%. Stratiform clouds.
11Nov 18:33:39	-6.4	16.2	SW at 3.8 m/s	788.9	12.3	Sky cover 20%. Stratiform clouds.

Number of antennas used: 27

Start Time	End Time	Comments/Outages	Form #	#Ants	Down Time (in minutes)
11Nov 16:14:10		Starting project 17A-240.			
11Nov 16:14:10		The band(s) used is(are): L.			
11Nov 16:14:51		On source 3C286 with all available antennas.			
11Nov 16:14:10		To access your data from the NRAO archive visit:			
		https://science.nrao.edu/facilities/vla/archive .			
		All VLA science data are processed through the VLA calibration pipeline. Details are at: https://science.nrao.edu/facilities/vla/data-processing/pipeline .			
		For further questions please use the NRAO helpdesk at:			
		https://science.nrao.edu/observing/helpdesk .			
11Nov 16:14:10		Note: To support our ongoing RFI monitoring efforts, any feedback from your program on RFI can be sent to: nrao-rfi@nrao.edu .			
		The key information to provide is:			
		- Observation/project code			
		- Frequency and Time of the observations			
		- The characteristics of the RFI signal, in particular if it is continuous or			

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		intermittent?			
		- If possible, a spectrum of the RFI should be included in the e-mail.			
		Thanks very much for your support; this information will be continuously updated on the EVLA science pages at:			
		https://science.nrao.edu/facilities/vla/docs/manuals/obsguide/modes/rfi/			
11Nov 16:14:10	11Nov 18:43:46	Antenna(s) 28 (Data: Lost):	SERVO	C140766	1.00 149.6
		Antenna has elevation motor faults. Stowed and excluded from script.			
Project End Time			Total Project Time (minutes x 27 ants.)	Down Time % of Total Time	Total Down Time
11Nov 18:43:46	End of project 17A-240		4039.2	3.7%	149.6