## **VLA OBSERVING LOG**

## 2017-07-17\_2315\_17A-240

**Observing Date:** 17-Jul-2017

**Configuration:** C **Decommissioned:** N/A

Project:	17A-240	# Subarrays: 1	Observation Type:	Science
Observer(PI):	Dr John M. Cannon		Band(s) Used:	L
SBID(s):	33846637			
Source File(s):	17A-240_sb33846637_1_1			
Observer E-mail:	jcannon@macalester.edu			
Operator(s):	Blythe Guvenen			

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

_			Wind Speed &		API RMS	
Time (UTC)	Dew Point (C)	Temp. (C)	Direction (avg)	(mbars)	Phase (degs)	Remarks
17Jul 23:18:54	7.5	27.1	NE at 2.6 m/s	789.6	8.8	Sky cover 60%. Cumuliform clouds.
17Jul 23:53:49	8.1	25.5	S at 7.3 m/s	789.1	12.1	Sky cover 50%. Cumuliform clouds.
18Jul 0:27:15	8.3	24.4	S at 9.6 m/s	789.2	6.3	Sky cover 60%. Cumuliform clouds.

Number of antennas used: 27

					Down Time
Start Time	End Time	Comments/Outages	Form #	#Ants	(in minutes)
17Jul 23:15:58		Starting project 17A-240.			
17Jul 23:15:58		The band(s) used is(are): L.			
17Jul 23:18:46		On source 3C286 with all available antennas.			
17Jul 23:15:58		Antenna(s):11			
		do not have good baseline positions determined for them because they were			
		moved to their present location recently.			
		Please check for any significant errors and submit them to the NRAO Helpdesk			
		(https://science.nrao.edu/observing/helpdesk) under the VLA Observing			
		department.			
17Jul 23:15:58		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.			

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18Jul 0:46:49 End of project 17A-240		2452.9	3.7%		90.8	
Project End Time			tal Project Time (minutes x 27 ants.)	Down Time % of Total Time		Total Down Time
		Sensitivity degraded. 15K stage temp at start of script $\approx$ 20	65 K, at end ≈ 175 K.			
		L-band receiver near ambient temperature and cooling follows	owing power restoration.			
17Jul 23:15:58	18Jul 0:46:49	Antenna(s) 9 (Data: Corrupted):	CRYOGENICS	C140213	1.00	90.8
		https://science.nrao.edu/facilities/vla/docs/manuals/obsgu				
		Thanks very much for your support; this information will bupdated on the EVLA science pages at:	e continuousiy			
		- If possible, a spectrum of the RFI should be included in				
		intermittent?				
		- The characteristics of the RFI signal, in particular if it is	continuous or			
		- Frequency and Time of the observations				
		- Observation/project code				
		The key information to provide is:				
17Jul 23:15:58		Note: To support our ongoing RFI monitoring efforts, any program on RFI can be sent to: nrao-rfi@nrao.edu.	reedback from your			