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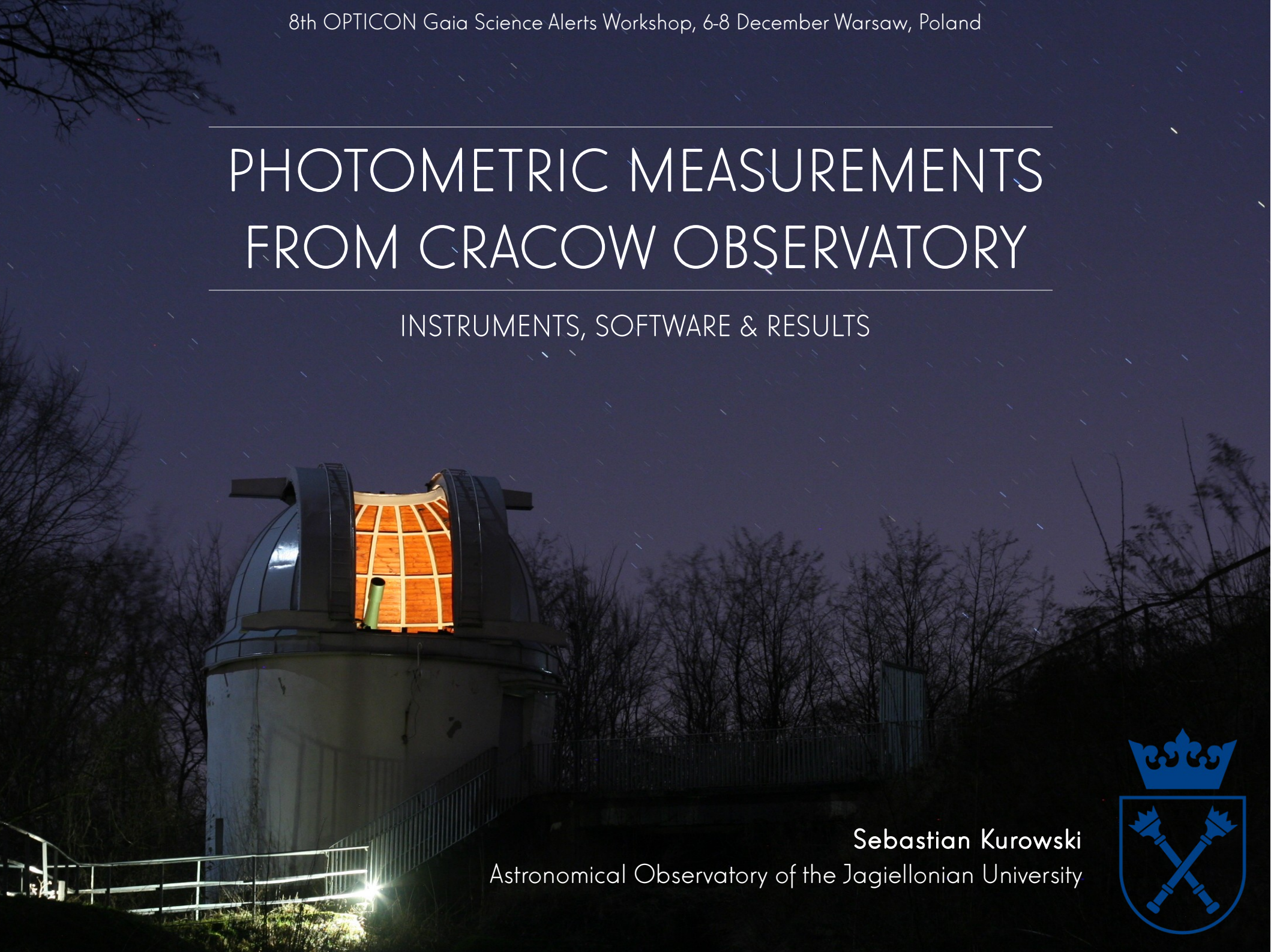
PHOTOMETRIC MEASUREMENTS FROM CRACOW OBSERVATORY

INSTRUMENTS, SOFTWARE & RESULTS



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Is Cracow a good place for observational astronomy?

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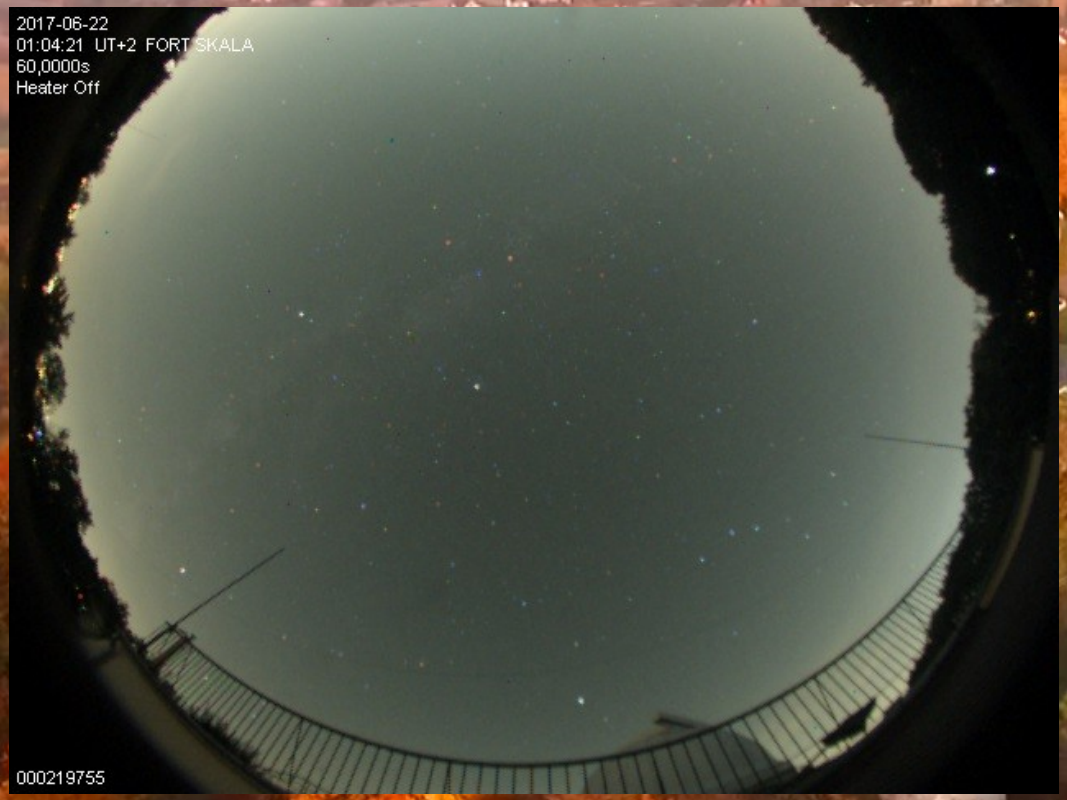


Is Cracow a good place for observational astronomy?

28-cm Celestron telescope

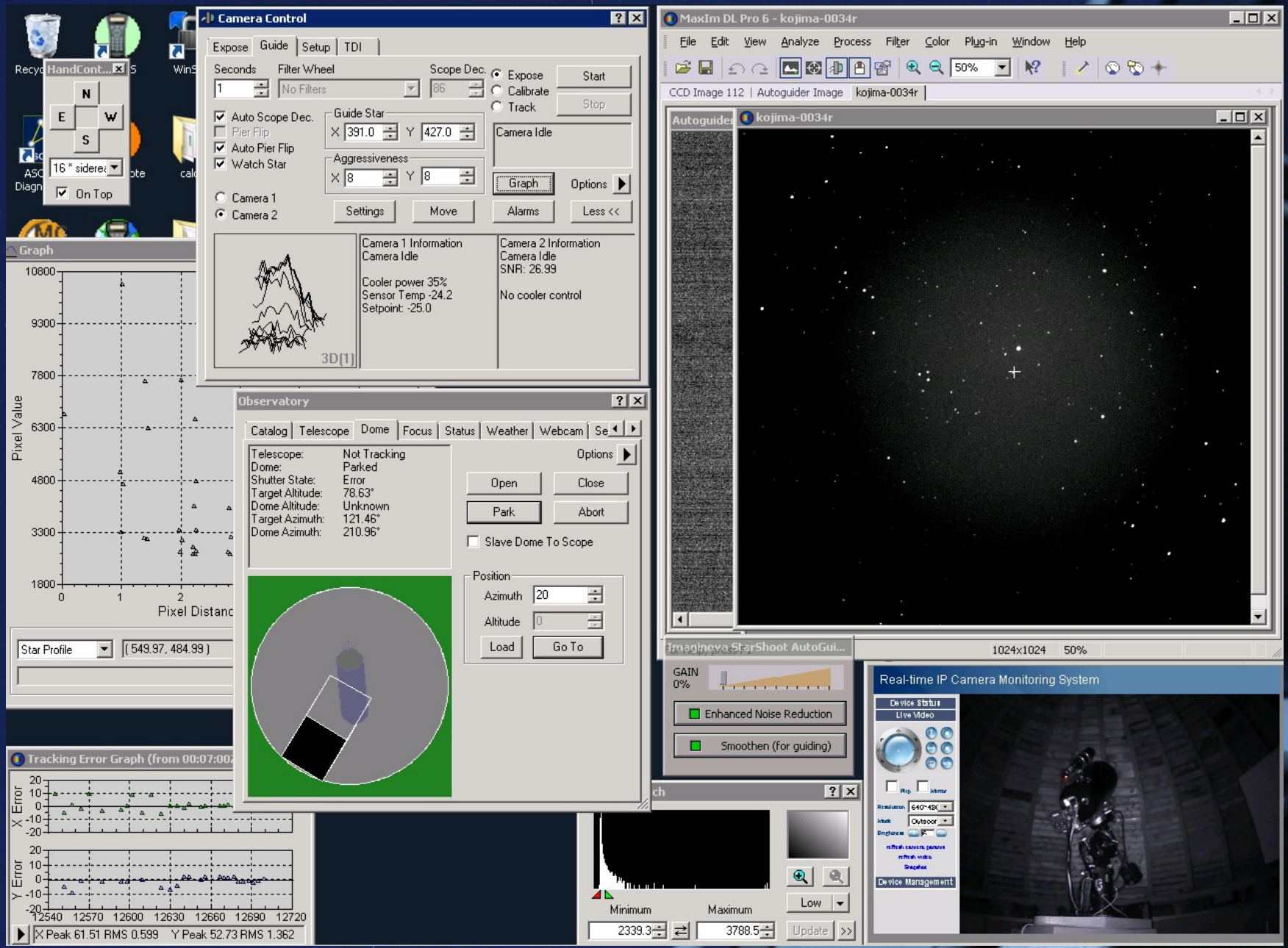
- 28-cm Schmidt-Cassegrain
- CGE Pro mount

- Apogee Alta U47 1kx1k CCD
- IFW filter wheel (UBVRI)
- Moonlite focuser

- FOV 35x35 arcmin
  (with focal reducer)
- Limiting magnitude ~14

- AAG Solo weather station
- DDW dome control system
- Maxim DL software

Maxim DL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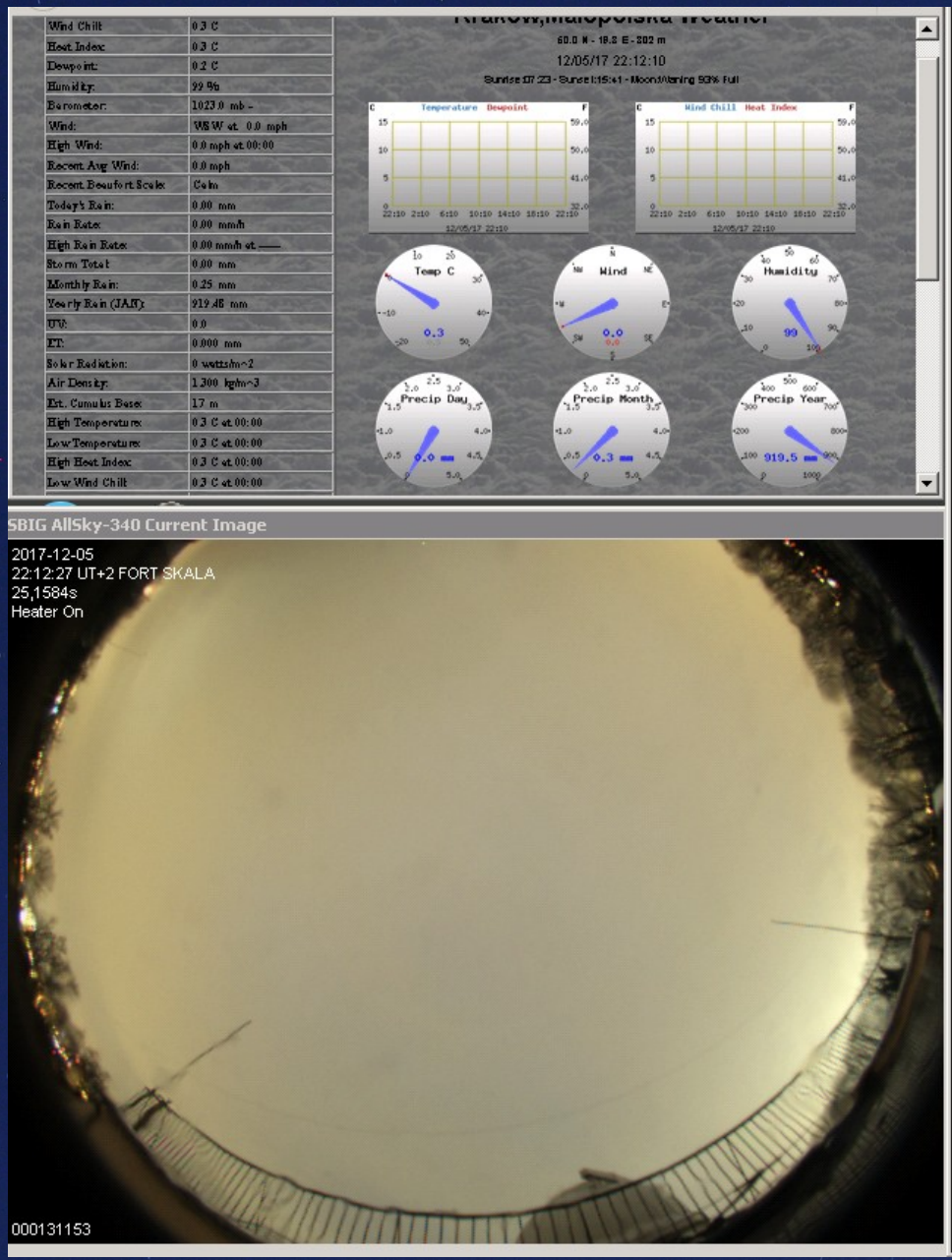

Results

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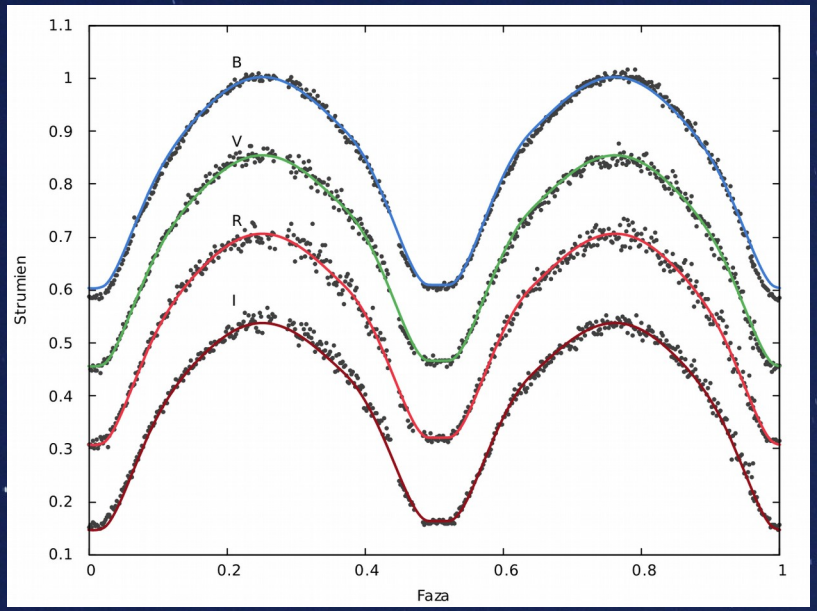
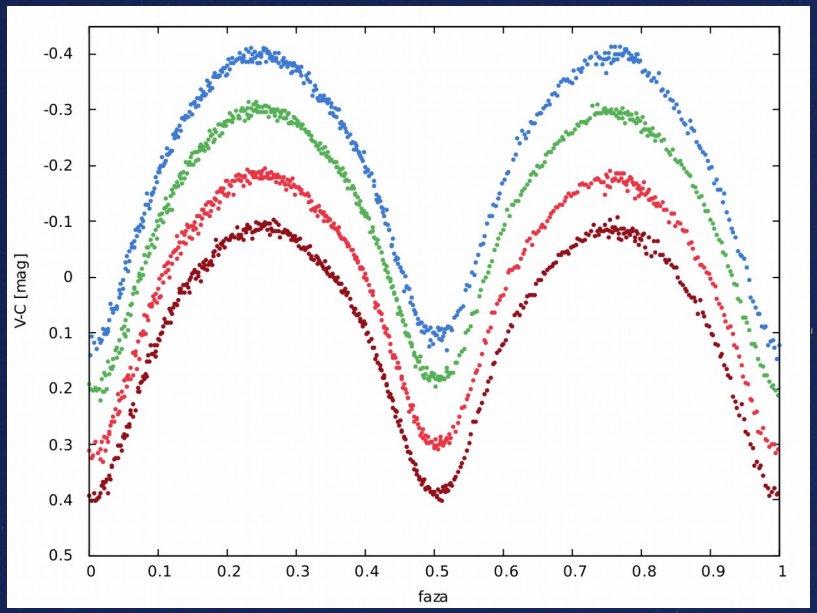
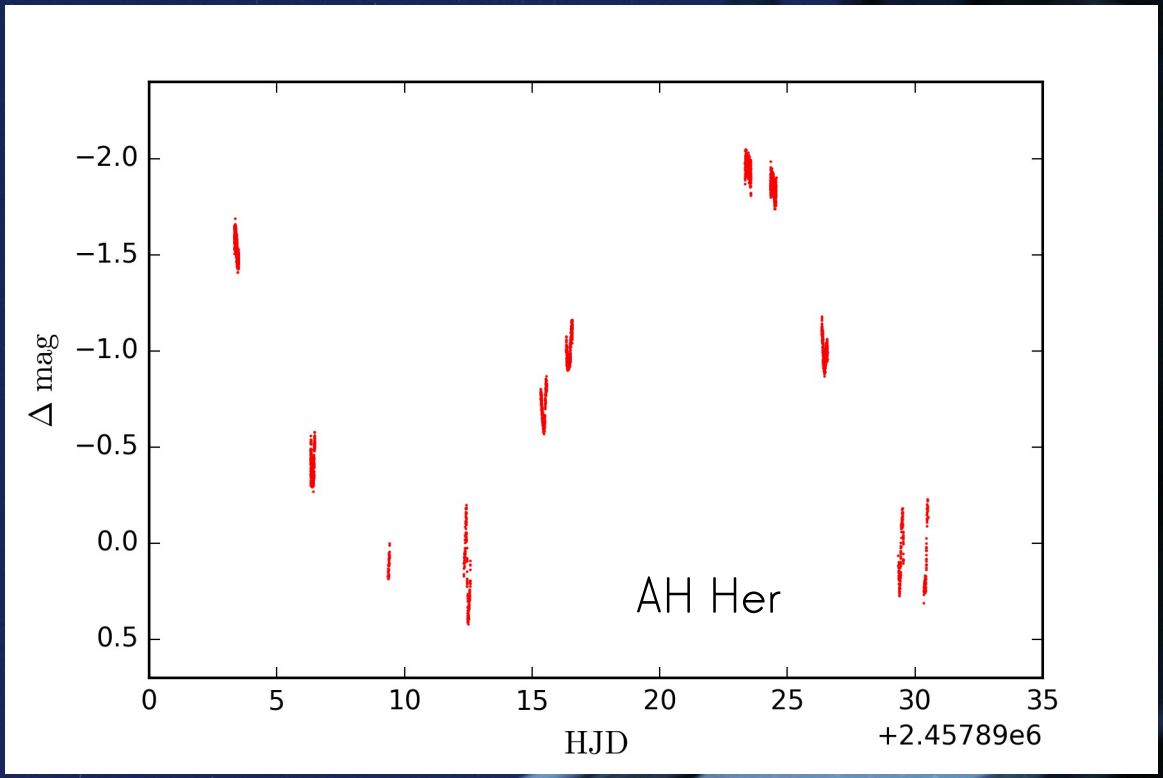
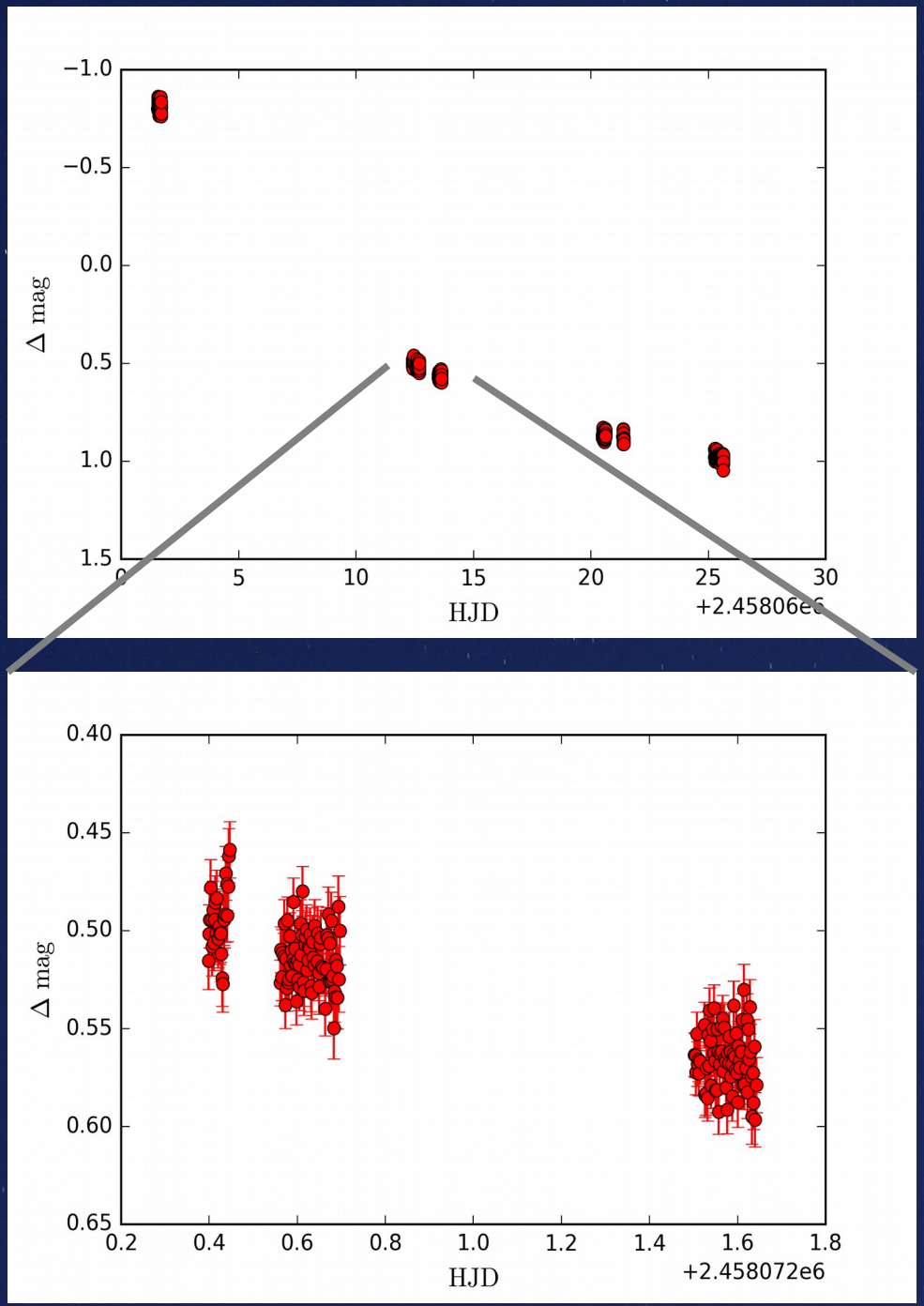




Cataclysmic variables

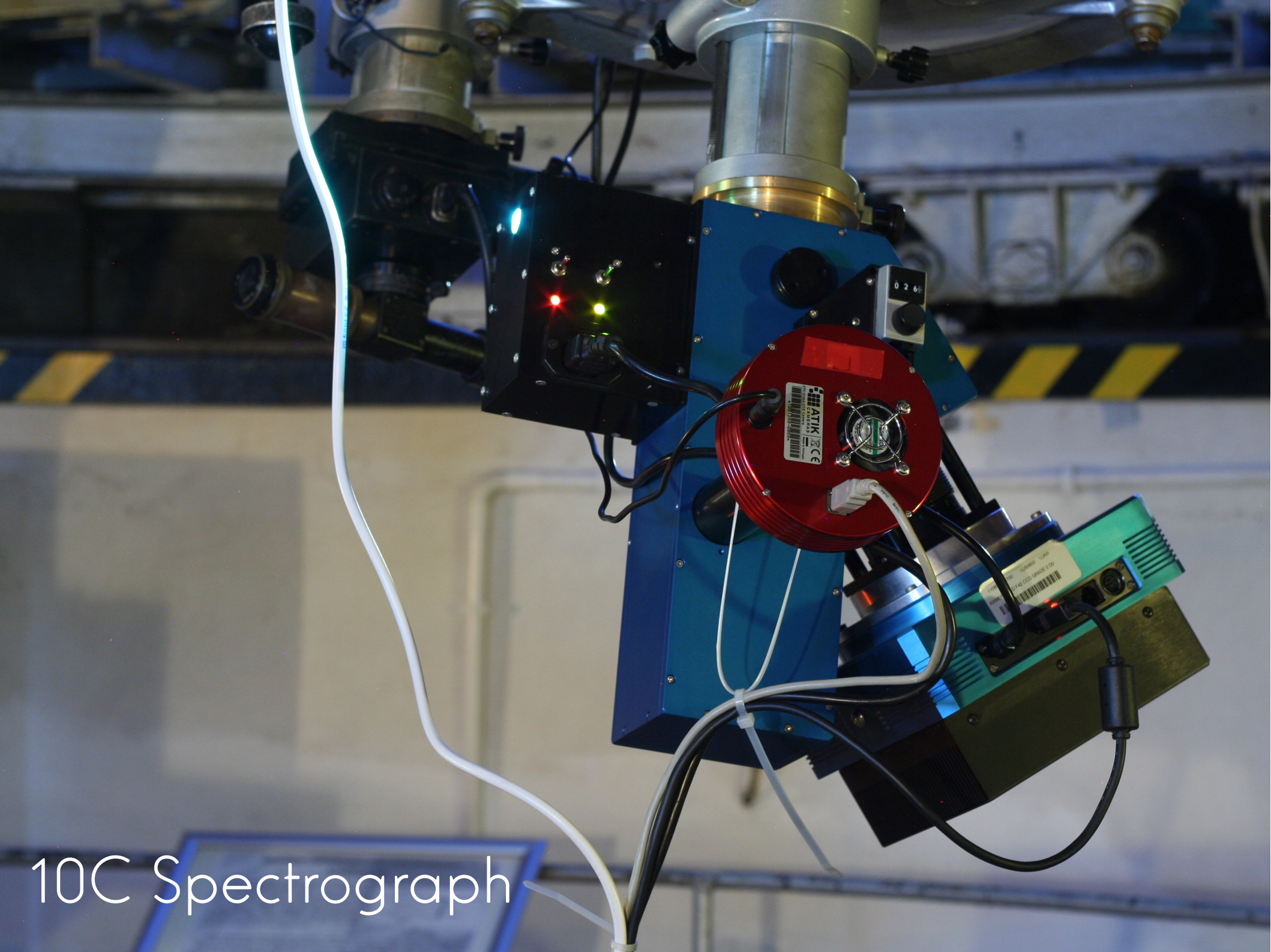


Kojima event



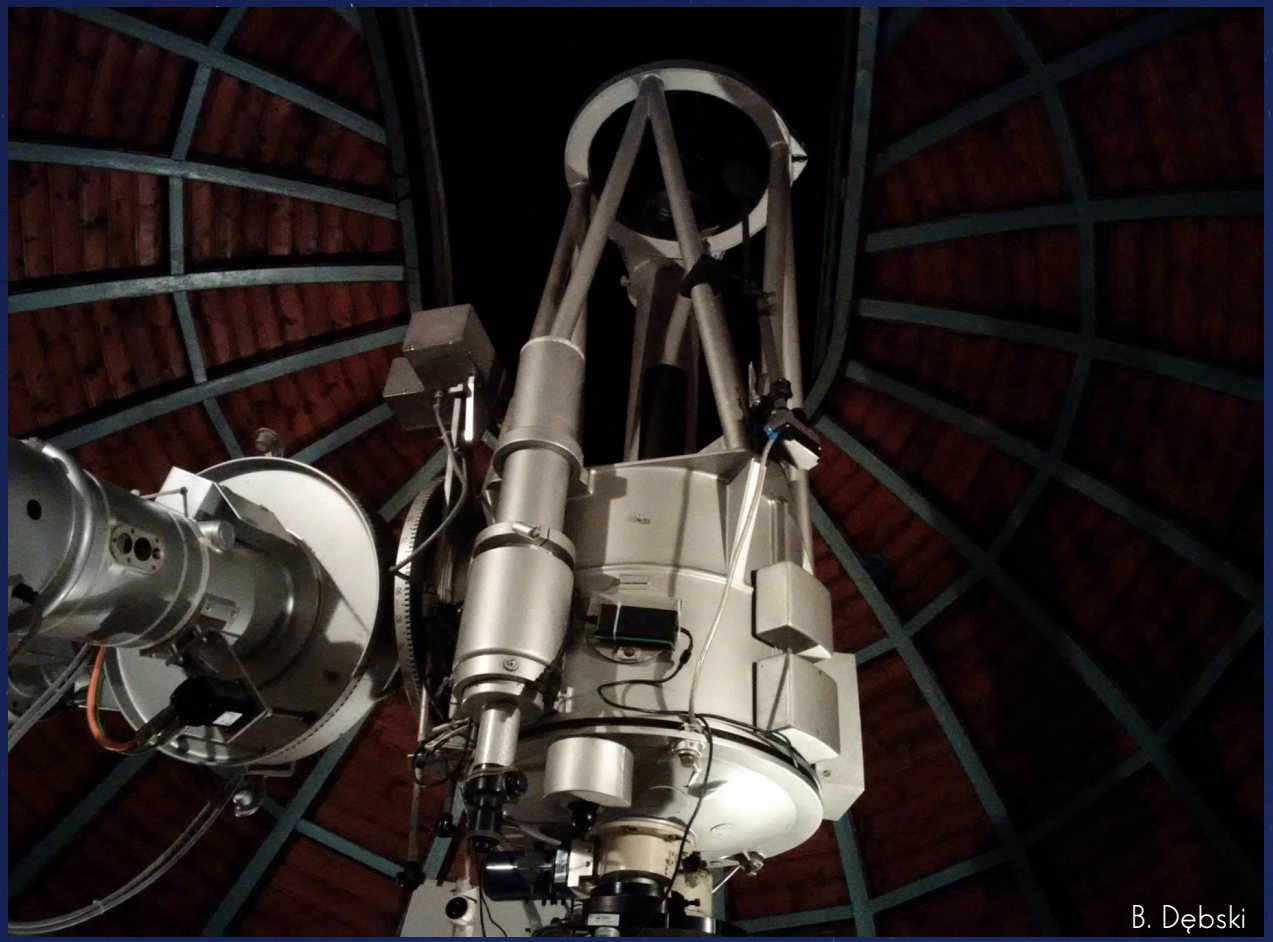
35-cm Maksutow telescope

- 37-cm mirror, 35-cm aperture Maksutow-Cassegrain
- SBIG STL 6303E with BVRI filter wheel
- FOV 20x25 arcmin
- Limiting magnitude ~15
- Spectrograph Optomechanics Research 10C Model with FLI PL16803 CCD camera
- JAstroCam software



10C Spectrograph

50-cm Cassegrain telescope



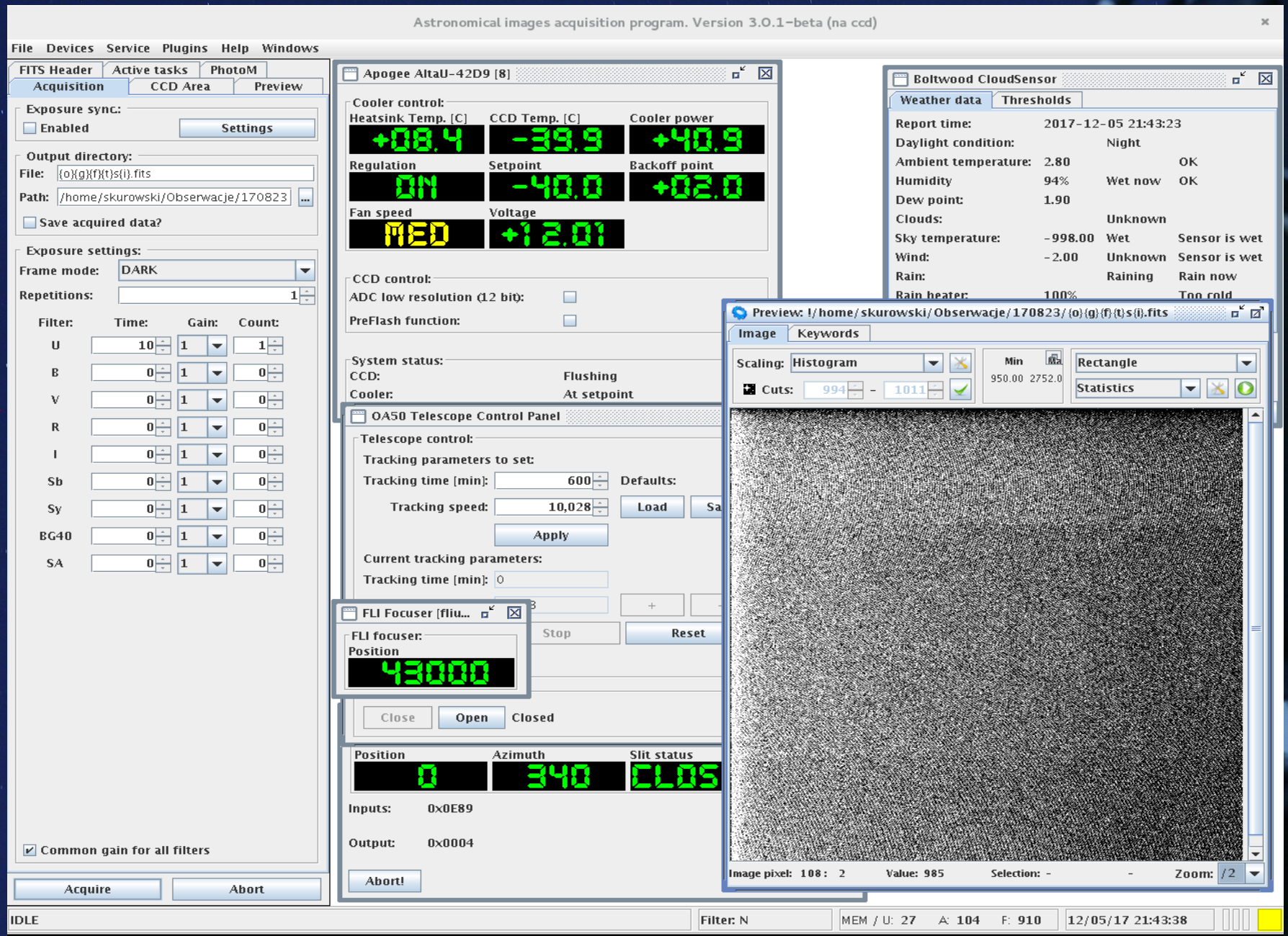
- Carl-Zeiss 50-cm Cassegrain
- modifications that allow semi-remote observations

- Apogee Alta F42 2kx2k CCD
- FLI filter wheel (UBVRI, Sb, Sy, BG40)
- FLI focuser

- FOV 14.2x14.2 arcmin
- Limiting magnitude ~17

- JAstroCam software

JAstroCam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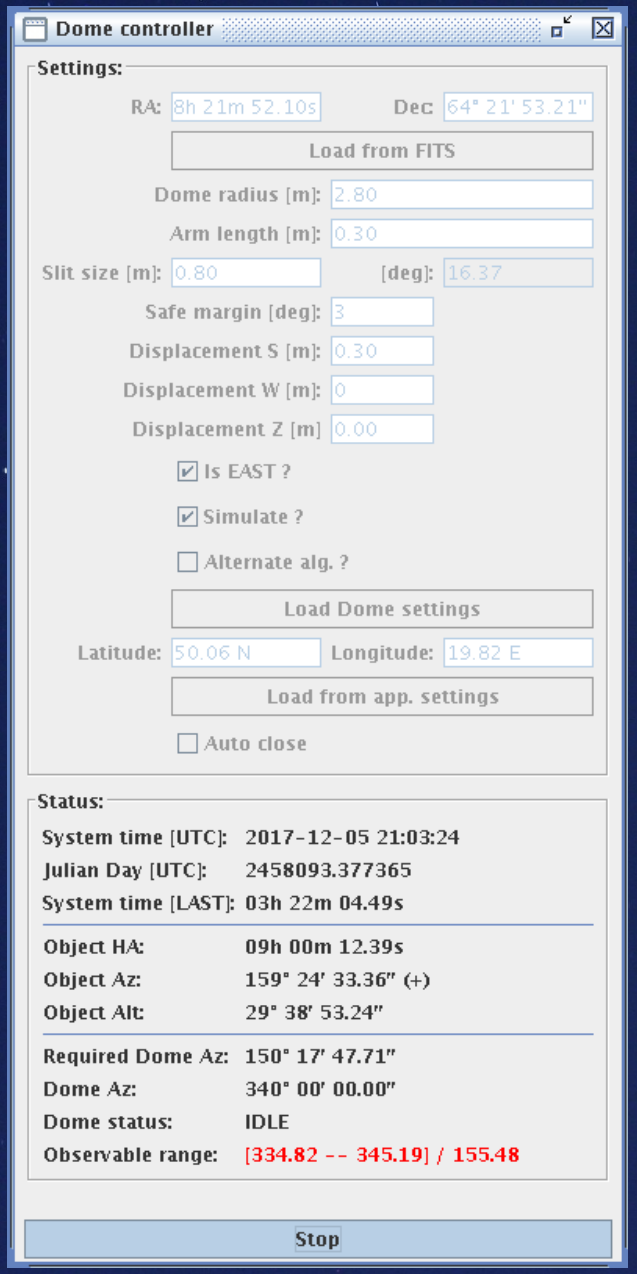
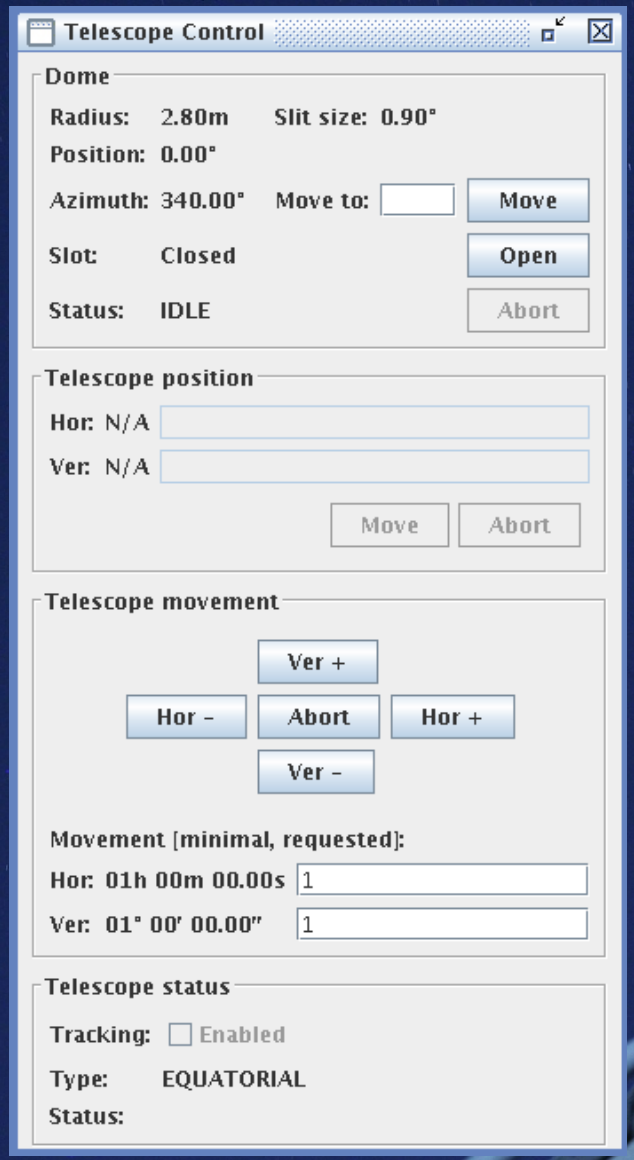
JAstroCam – telescope and dome control





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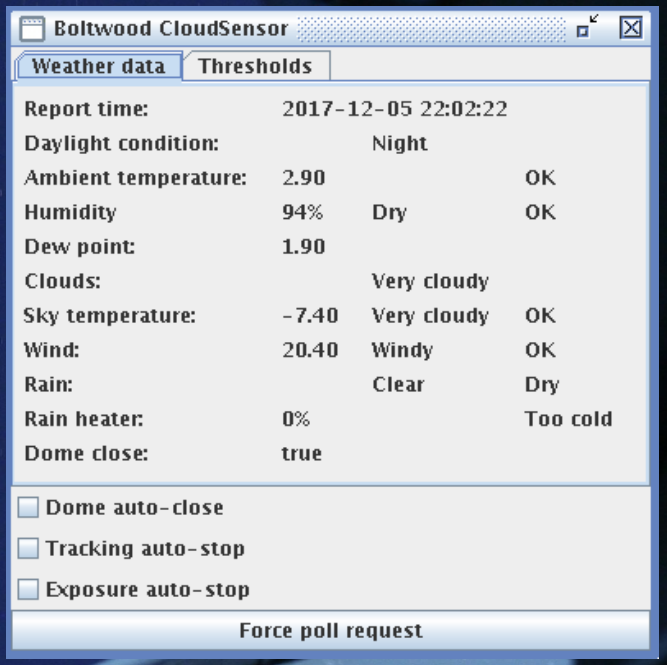

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- Quasars
- Comets
- Gravitational microlensing events

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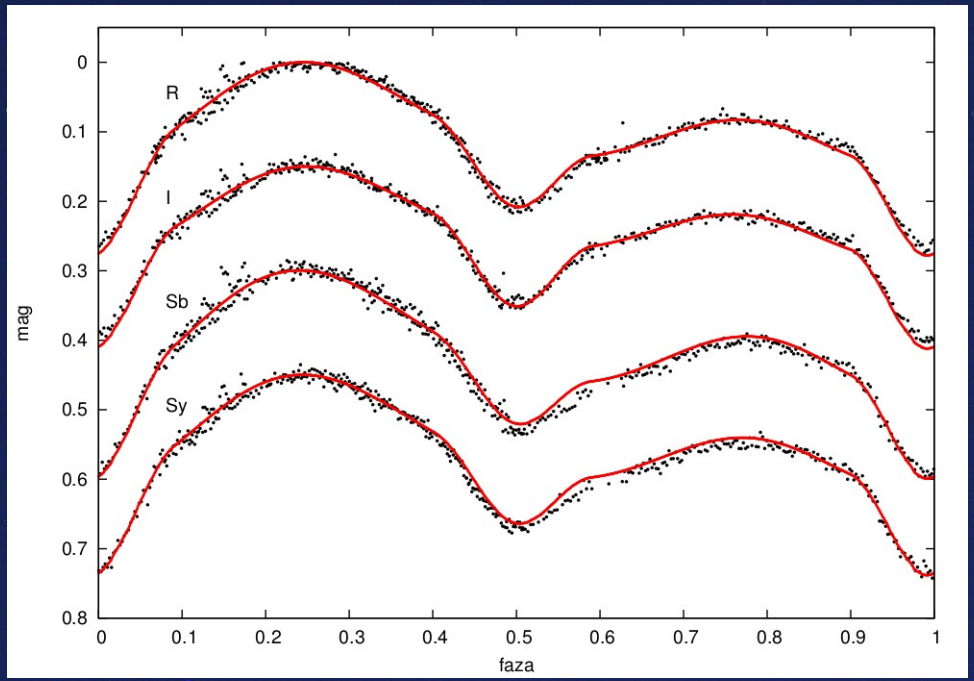

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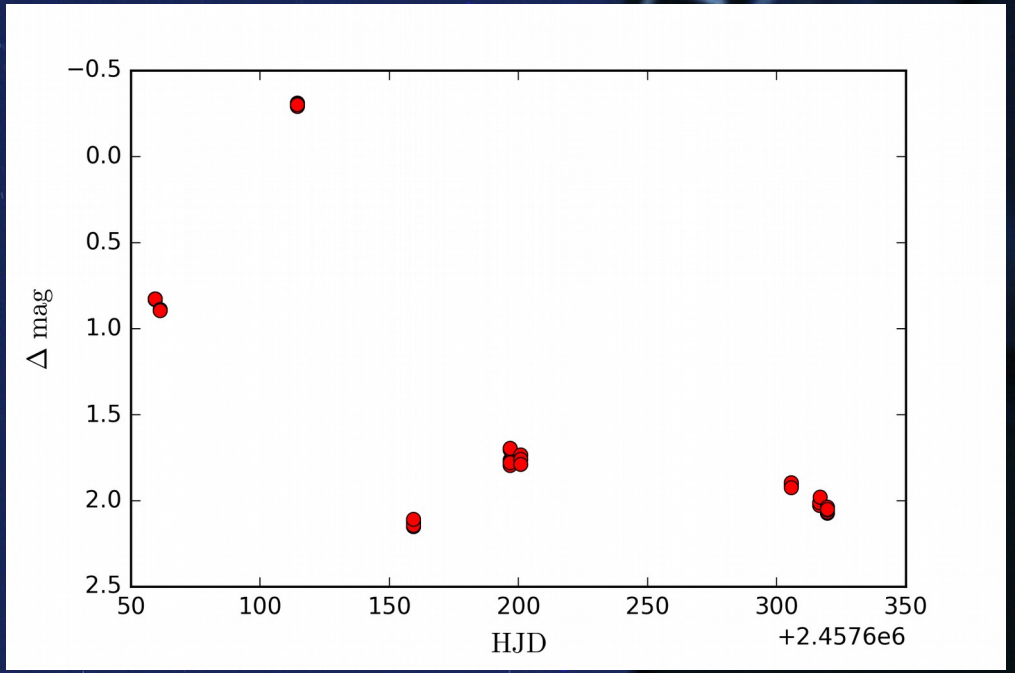

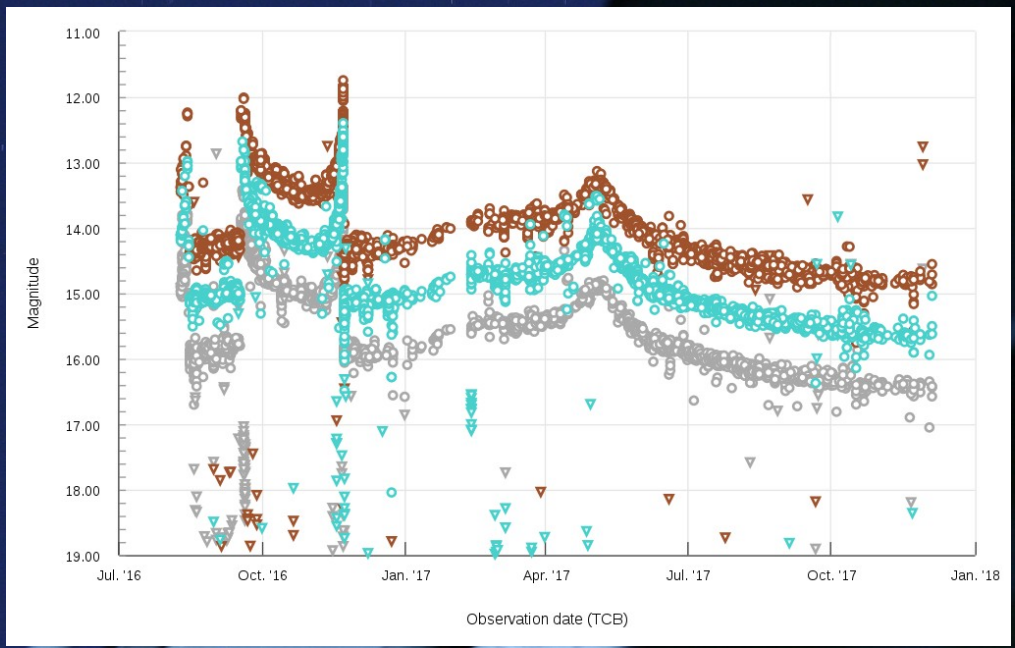

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