



# EO-1 Lessons Learned Hyperion Calibration Strategy

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# EO-1 Science Validation Team (SVT)

- **Instrument Team**
  - Validate/re-establish and refine pre-launch characterizations
  - Provide technology validation
  - Participate on Science Validation Team
- **NASA Selected Investigators**
  - Conduct scene based instrument performance characterizations
  - Measure ability of instruments to make Landsat-like observations
  - Assess capability for addressing earth remote sensing applications
  - Assist in technology validation
  - Facilitate Commercial Applications (CRSP/SSC)
- **International Collaborators**
  - Argentina, Australia, Canada, Italy, Japan, Singapore

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# SVT Investigator Research Topics

Southern Hemisphere Campaign: ARGENTINA – AUSTRALIA – ELSEWHERE

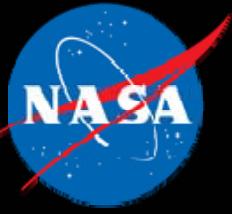
Research Topic	Principal Investigator
Forest Logging in Amazonia	Asner, G. P., University of Colorado
Desertification	Asner, G. P., University of Colorado
Forest Composition/Function	Martin, M., University of New Hampshire
Inter-Sensor Calibration	Huete, A. R., University of Arizona, Tucson
Arid Vegetation Abundance	Mustard, J. F., Brown University.
Tropical Forest Burn Scars	Liew, S. C., National University of Singapore
Forest Composition/Structure	Townsend, P. A., University of Maryland
Land Cover/Land Use	White, W. A., Crawford, M., University of Texas at Austin
Sustainable Forest Development	Goodenough, D. G., Natural Resources Canada
Monitoring Forest &	Gong, P., University of California, Berkeley
Non-Native Plant Species	McGwire, K. Desert Research Institute

## SVT Investigator Research Topics (continued)

Research Topic	Principal Investigator
Invasive Plants: Chinese Tallow	Ramsey III, E. W., <b>USGS, Denver</b>
Invasive Leafy Spurge	Root, R., <b>USGS</b>
Agricultural Monitoring	Liang, S., <b>USDA, Maryland</b>
Inter-Satellite Comparison	Moran, M. S. <b>USDA, Tucson, Arizona.</b>
Fire Hazard Assessment	Roberts, D. A., <b>University of California, Santa Barbara</b>
Geologic Validation of Hyperion	Kruse, F. A., <b>AIG, Boulder, Colorado</b>
Volcanic Debris flow Hazards	Crowley, J. K., <b>USGS, Reno, Nevada</b>
Analysis of Hot Spots	Flynn, L., Wright, R., <b>University of Hawaii</b>
Environmental Monitoring of Coastal/Inland Water in Japan	Matsunaga, T., <b>Tokyo Institute of Technology.</b>
Oceanography, Pollution and Urban Mapping	Abrams, M. J., <b>JPL, California</b> ; R. Bianchi and L. Alberotanza, <b>NRC, Italy.</b>
Glaciological Applications	Bindschadler, R., <b>NASA/GSFC, Maryland</b>

## SVT Investigator Research Topics (continued)

Research Topic	Principal Investigator
<b>Ecological Applications in Yellowstone National Park</b>	Boardman, J. W., <b>AIG, Colorado</b>
<b>Commercial Applications</b>	Cassady, P. E., <b>Boeing, Washington</b>
<b>Radiometric and Spatial Evaluation of ALI and Hyperion</b>	Biggar, S. F., Thome, K., <b>University of Arizona</b>
<b>Atmospheric Correction</b>	Carlson, B. E., <b>NASA /GISS, New York</b>
<b>Atmospheric Correction and Sparse Vegetation Mapping</b>	Goetz, A. F. H., <b>University of Colorado</b>
<b>Australian Hyperspectral Calibration and Validation Sites</b>	Jupp, D. L. B., <b>CSIRO, Australia</b>
<b>Integrated Assessment of EO-1 and Landsat Instrument Suites</b>	Meyer, D. J., <b>EDC, South Dakota</b>
<b>Canopy Temperature Estimation</b>	Smith, J. A., <b>NASA GSFC, Maryland</b>
<b>Lunar Calibration</b>	Kieffer, H., <b>USGS, Flagstaff, AZ</b>



# EO-1 Calibration Strategy

- Prelaunch
  - Calibrate and characterize (component and system level)
  - Characterize the calibration and characterization
  - Ensure conformity with, and comparison against, NMI laboratory standards
- Post-launch
  - Lamps
  - Solar
  - Lunar (astronomical)
  - Vicarious
  - “Special Targets” (limb scanning, active illumination)
  - Statistical (trending, 90° yaw)
  - Direct comparison against other satellites

# CALIBRATION MEASUREMENTS STRATEGY FOR PASSIVE OPTICAL ( $0.35\text{-}3.5\ \mu\text{m}$ ) SYSTEMS

## OBSERVING SYSTEM CATEGORY

MS     ≡ Multi-Spectral

WIS    ≡ Wedge Imaging Spectrometer

GIS    ≡ Grating Imaging Spectrometer

## OBSERVING SYSTEM PARAMETERS

$F(\lambda)$    ≡ Spectral response function

$R_N$      ≡ Radiometric response for detector N

$S_o$      ≡ Dark response

$(x,y)_N$    ≡ Geometric response (detector pointing vectors)

MTF     ≡ Modulation transfer function

# CALIBRATION MEASUREMENTS STRATEGY

	PARAMETER														
	F( $\lambda$ )			R <sub>N</sub>			S <sub>o</sub>			(x, y) <sub>N</sub>			MTF		
	MS	WIS	GIS	MS	WIS	GIS	MS	WIS	GIS	MS	WIS	GIS	MS	WIS	GIS
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SUBSYSTEM TESTS: TELESCOPE, GIS, WIS AND MS/PAN	○	●	○	○	○	○	○	○	○	●	●	○	○	○	○
INSTRUMENT LEVEL LABORATORY TESTS	○	○	●	●	●	●	○	○	○	○	●	●	●	●	●
ON-ORBIT MEASUREMENTS	—	—	—	●	●	●	○	○	○	—	—	—	—	—	—
- SOLAR DIFFUSER	—	—	—	●	●	●	○	○	○	—	—	—	—	—	—
- CLOSED APERTURE COVER	—	—	—	—	—	—	●	●	●	—	—	—	—	—	—
- INTERNAL SOURCES	—	—	—	○	○	○	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
- LUNAR SCANS	—	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	○	○	○	○
- EARTH SCENES	—	○	○	○	○	○	—	—	—	○	○	○	○	○	○



PRIMARY MEASUREMENT



SECONDARY MEASUREMENT

# CALIBRATION MEASUREMENTS STRATEGY

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PRIMARY MEASUREMENT

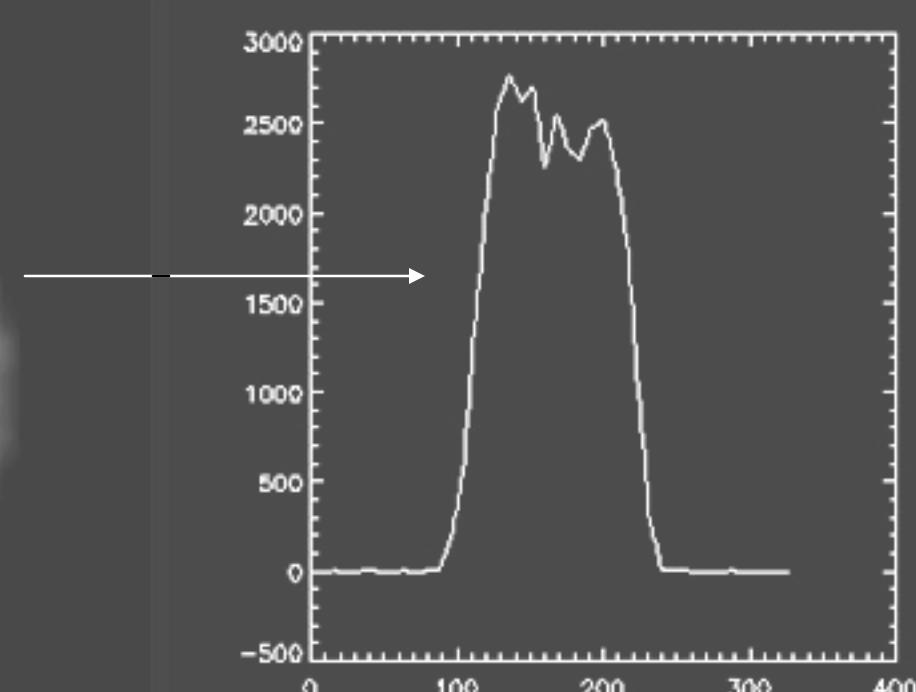


SECONDARY MEASUREMENT

# Image Quality (Edge Sharpness)



Lunar Image Expanded  
by a Factor of 8



Horizontal Slice Through Expanded  
Lunar Image Rise and Fall About 1  
Pixel in Normal Image.



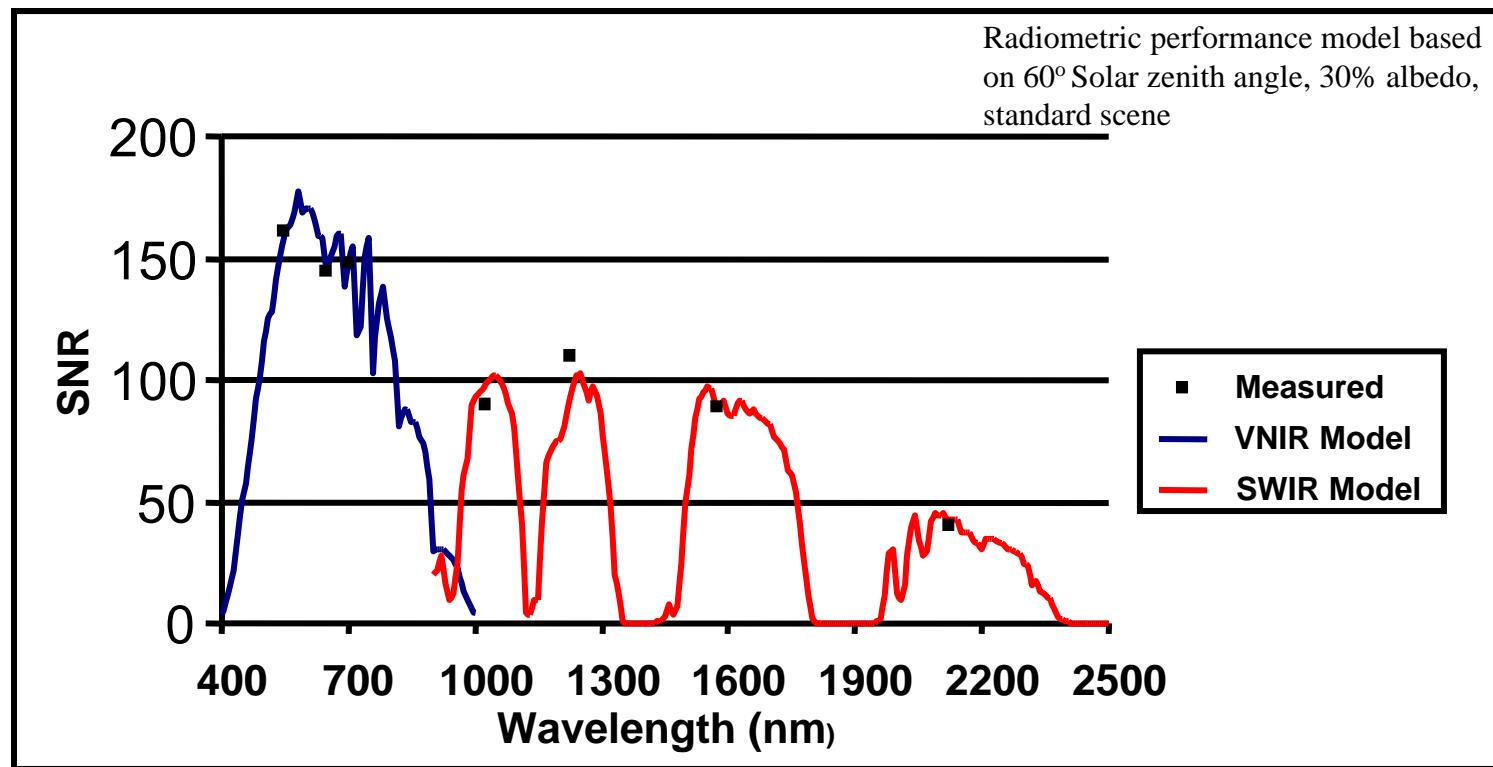
# Focus : Lunar Edge

# Hyperion Characteristics

Characteristic	Pre-launch Cal	On-orbit Cal
GSD (m)	<b>29.88</b>	<b>30.38</b>
Swath (km)	<b>7.5</b>	<b>7.75</b>
No. of Spectral Channels	<b>220</b>	<b>200 (L1 data)</b>
VNIR SNR (550-700nm)	<b>144-161</b>	<b>140-190</b>
SWIR SNR (~1225nm)	<b>110</b>	<b>96</b>
SWIR SNR (~2125nm)	<b>40</b>	<b>38</b>
VNIR X-trk Spec. Error	<b>2.8nm@655nm</b>	<b>2.2nm</b>
SWIR X-trk Spec. Error	<b>0.6nm@1700nm</b>	<b>0.58</b>
Spatial Co-Reg: VNIR	<b>18% @ Pix #126</b>	*
Spatial Co-Reg: SWIR	<b>21% @ Pix #131</b>	*
Abs. Radiometry(1Sigma)	<b>&lt;6%</b>	<b>3.40%</b>
VNIR MTF @ 630nm	<b>0.22-0.28</b>	<b>0.23-0.27</b>
SWIR MTF @ 1650nm	<b>0.25-0.27</b>	<b>0.28</b>
VNIR Bandwidth (nm)	<b>10.19-10.21</b>	*
SWIR Bandwidth (nm)	<b>10.08-10.09</b>	*

\* Consistent with Pre-Launch Calibration or not measured

# Hyperion SNR



Hyperion Measured SNR						
550 nm	650 nm	700 nm	1025 nm	1225 nm	1575 nm	2125 nm
161	144	147	90	110	89	40



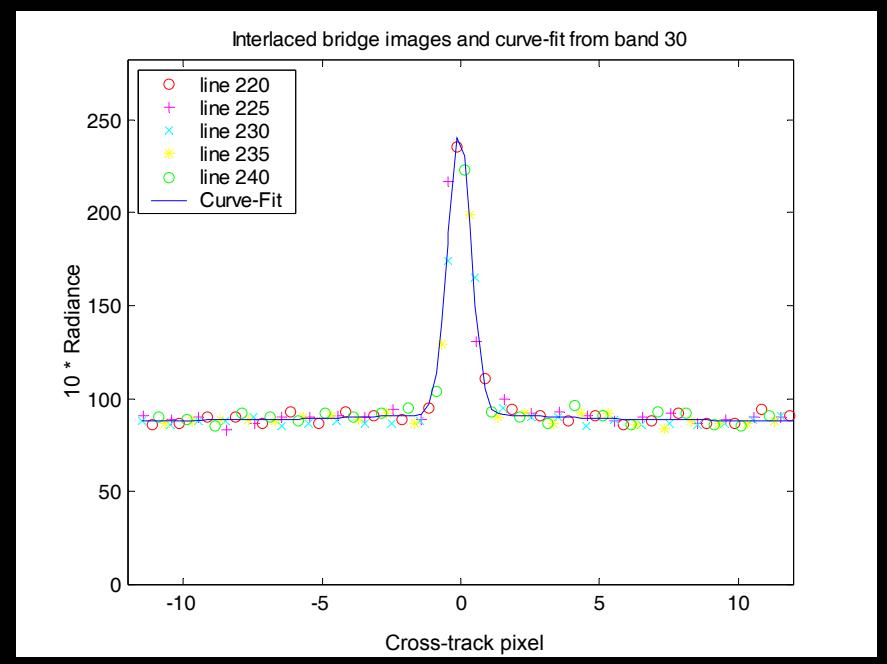
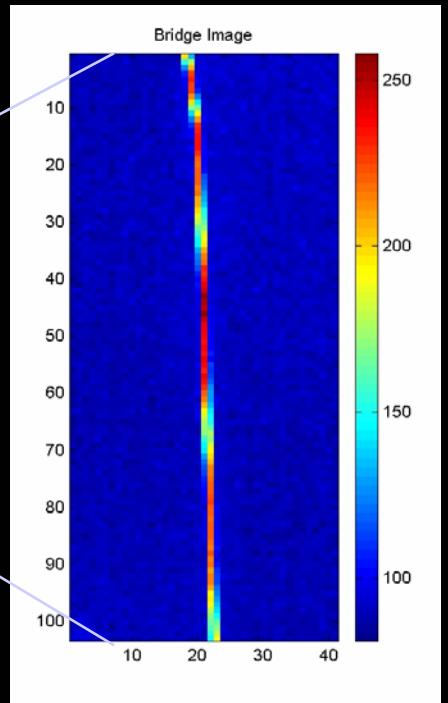
# Post Launch MTF Validation Approach

- Calculate cross-track and in-track MTF using a step response and impulse response example
- Results of on-orbit analysis give good agreement with the pre-launch laboratory measurements



# Example: Cross-track MTF

- Scene is Port Eglin from Dec 24, 2000. Bridge is the Mid-bay bridge . Bridge width is 13.02 meters.
- Bridge angle to the S/C direction is small so every 5th line is used to develop the high resolution bridge image.
- MTF result at Nyquist is between 0.39 to 0.42 while the pre-flight measurement was 0.42.





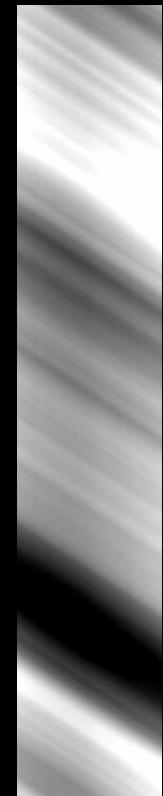
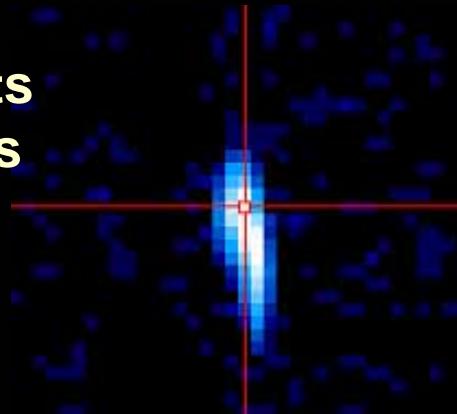
# Special targets for characterization



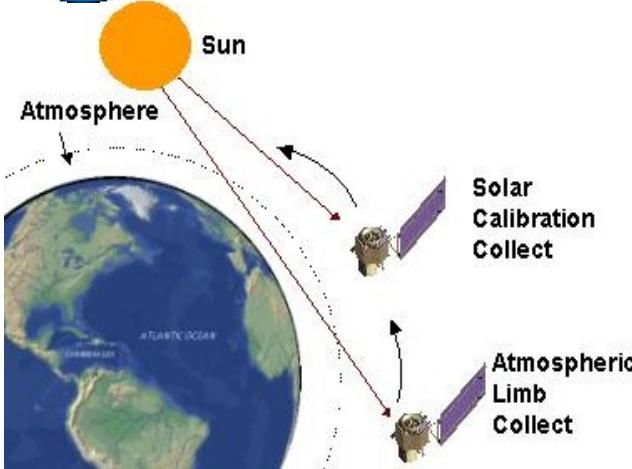
Searchlights  
-California

Gas Flares  
-Moomba

Planets  
-Venus



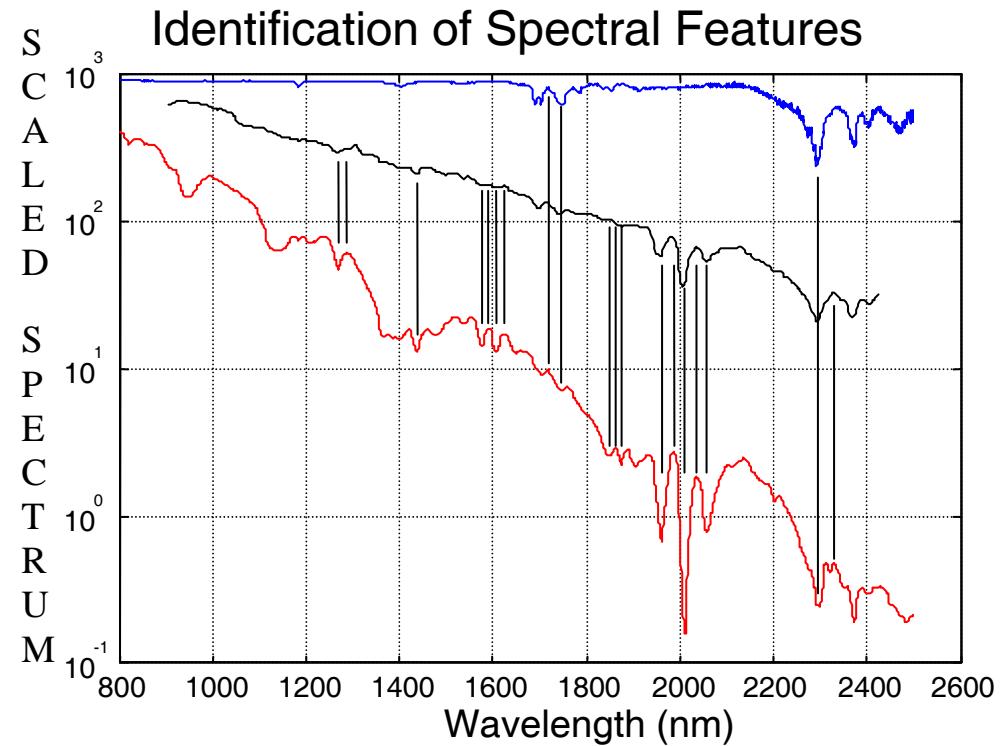
90 deg  
Yaw



### Process:

- Create Pseudo-Hyperion Spectra from reference: Modtran-3 for atmosphere, and Cary 5 & FTS measurements for diffuse reflectance of the cover
- Correlate Spectral Features: band number units of Hyperion max/min correlated with reference wavelength of max/min
- Calculate Band to Wavelength map: apply low order polynomial to fit the data over the entire SWIR regime

# Spectral Calibration –SWIR



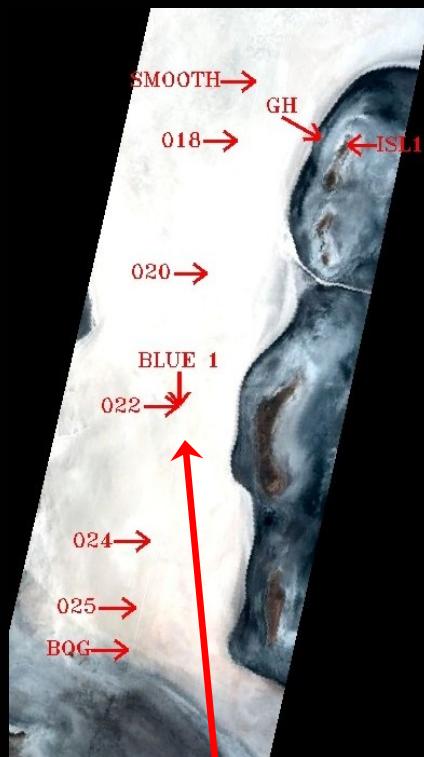
*Hyperion Spectra – red*

*Atmospheric Reference – black*

*Diffuse Reflectance of cover – blue*

# Desert Sites used for Vicarious Calibration

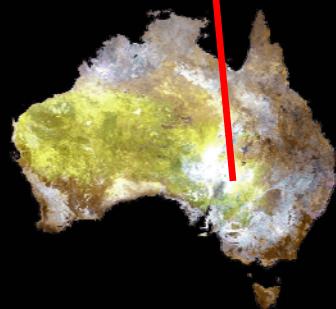
Lake Frome



RR Valley



Arizaro/Barreal Blanco

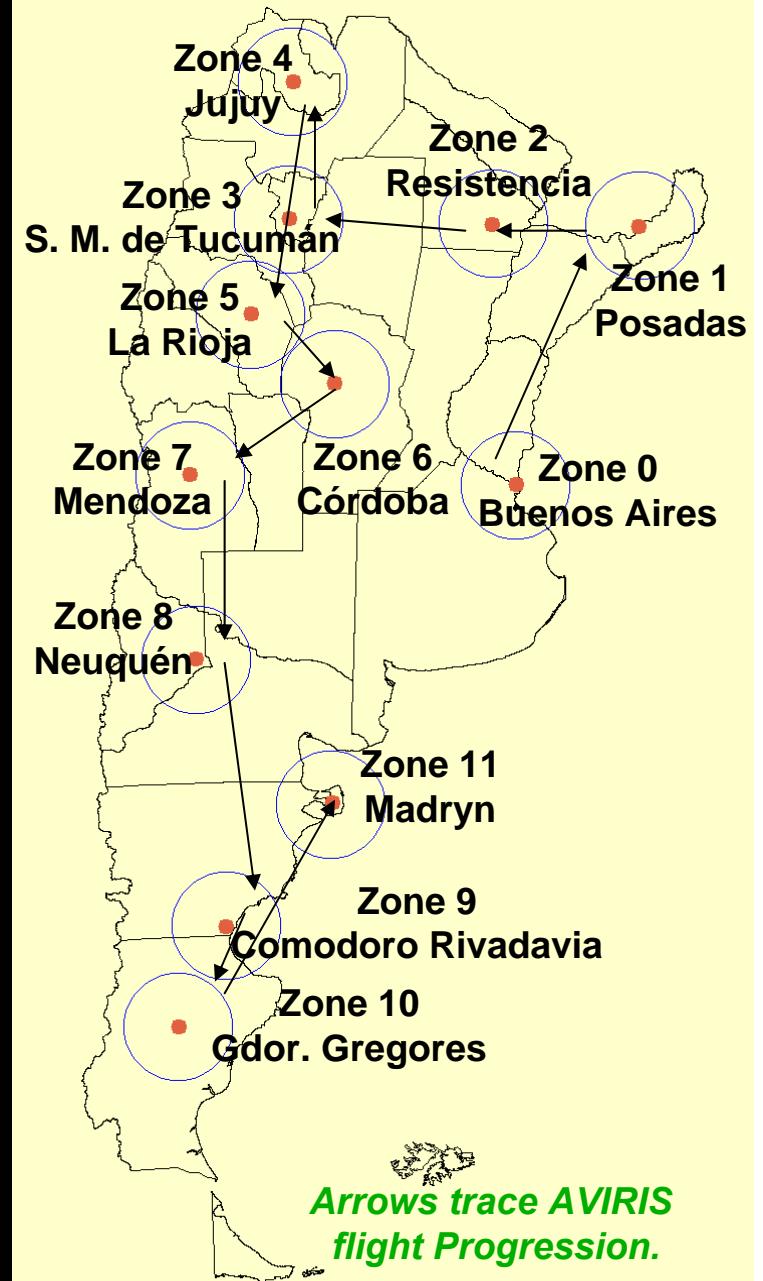


# EO-1 Accelerated Mission Southern Hemisphere Field Campaigns

*January – February 2001*

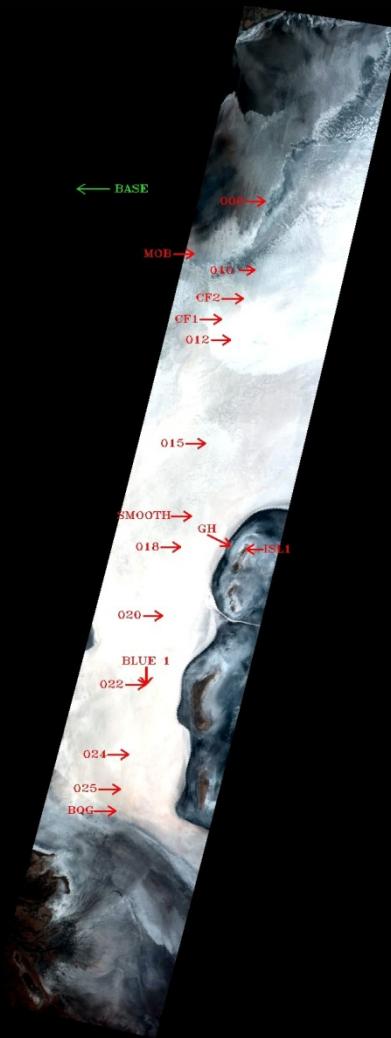
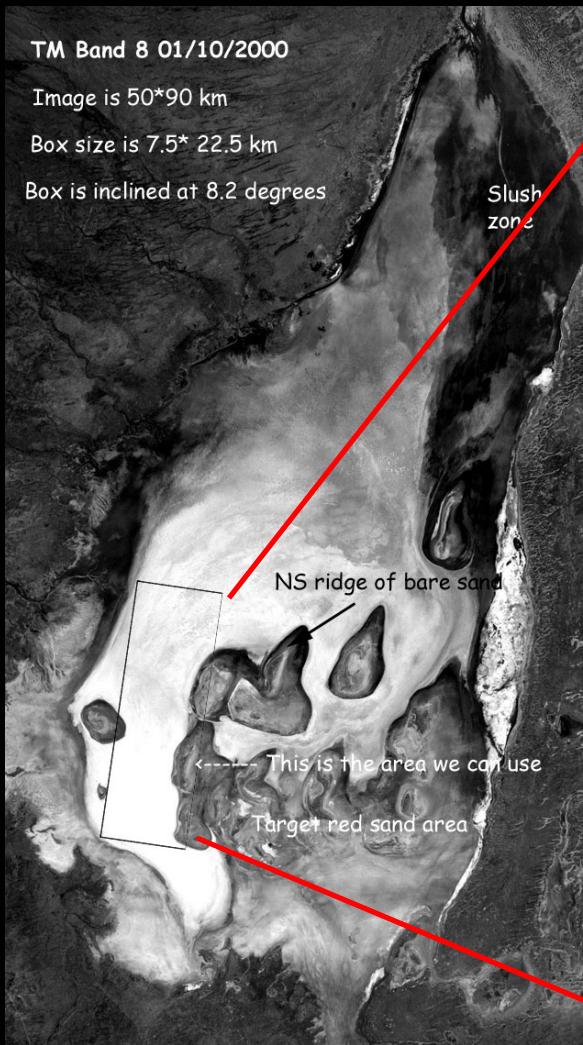


Australian Test Sites



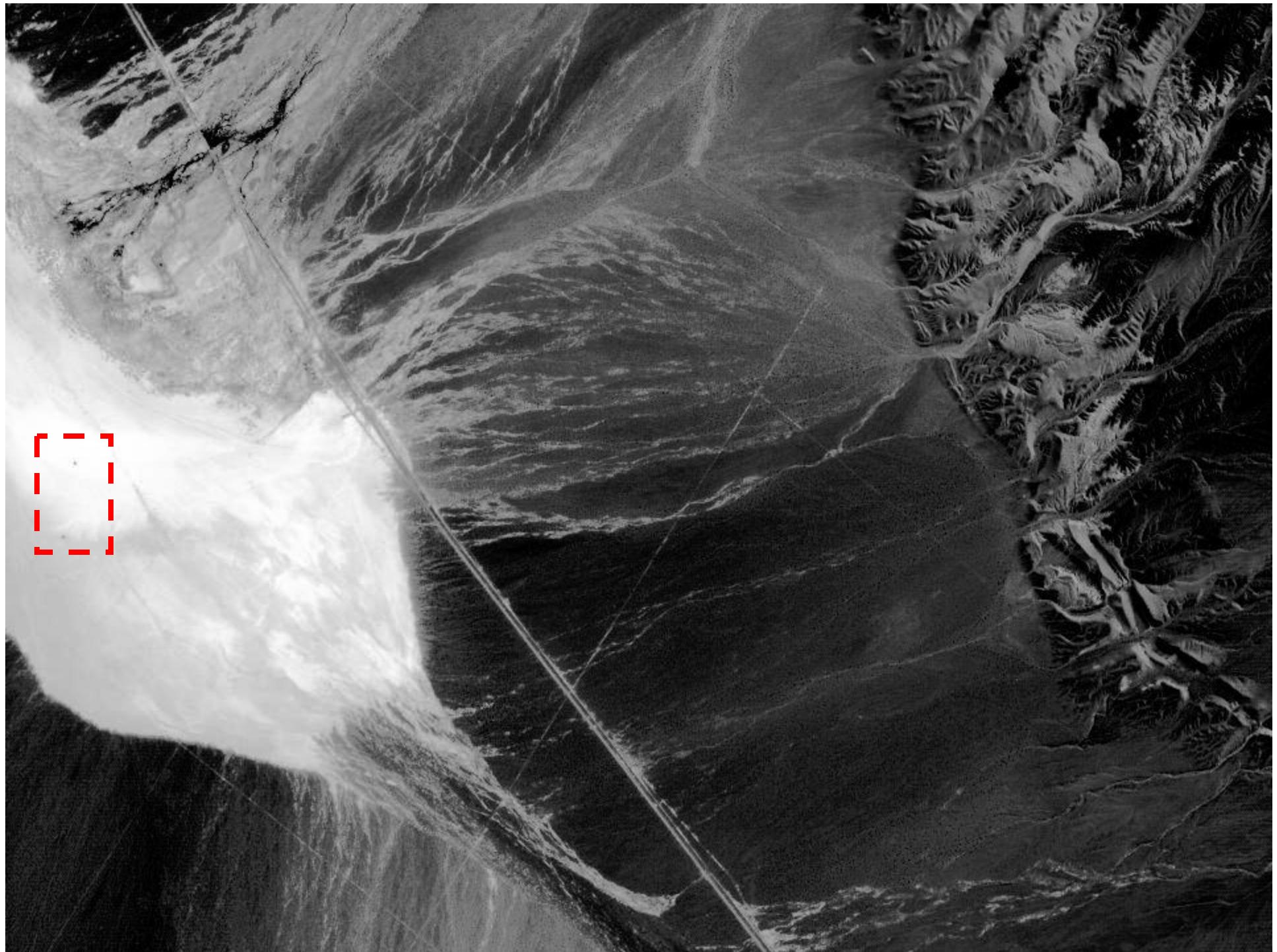
Argentine/AVIRIS Sites

# Lake Frome Calibration Site



# Barreal Blanco, Argentina

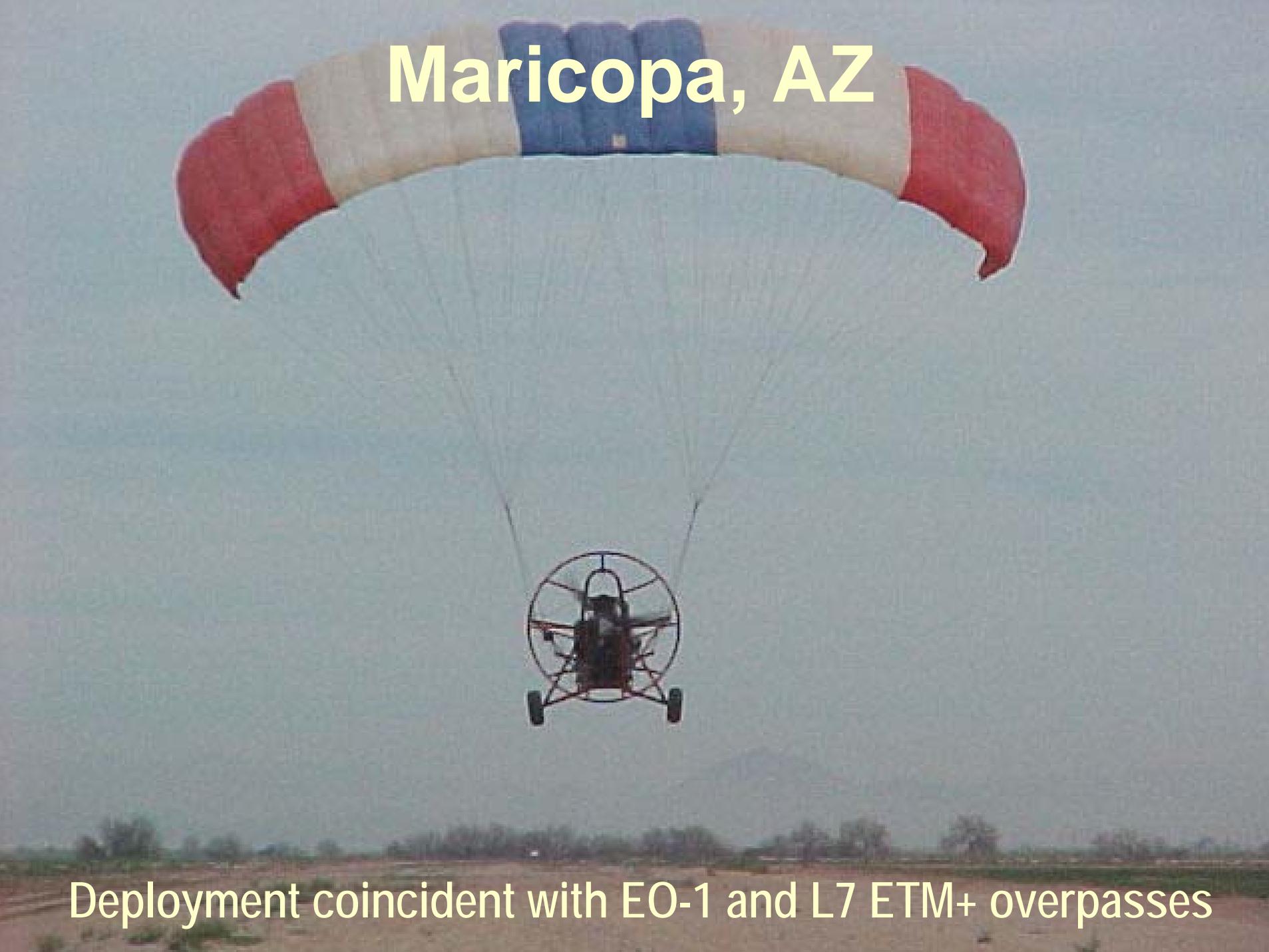






# AVIRIS Twin Otter





Maricopa, AZ

Deployment coincident with EO-1 and L7 ETM+ overpasses

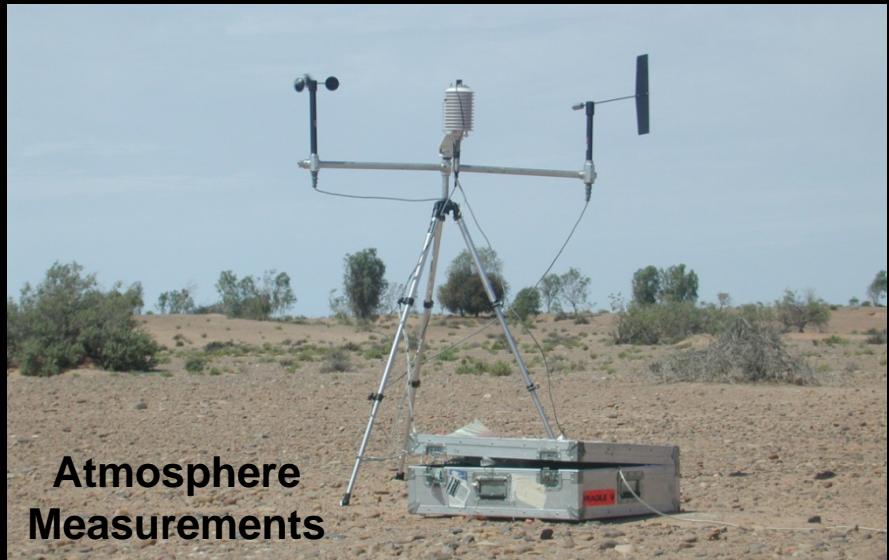
# Venice field site



# Ground Truth Site: Lake Frome, Au



Ground  
Measurements



Atmosphere  
Measurements



# Radiometric Calibration

- **Ground Truth Referencing**
  - Lake Frome, Au ground truth collected by CSIRO.
  - Barreal Blanco and Arizario Argentina ground truth collected by U. of Arizona and U. of Colorado
  - Ivanpah Playa ground truth collected by U. of Arizona
  - AVIRIS underflights



# EVEOSD Vegetation Sampling



# Field Data Collection



Forest  
Growth



Leaf & Canopy  
Chemistry



Canopy  
Structure



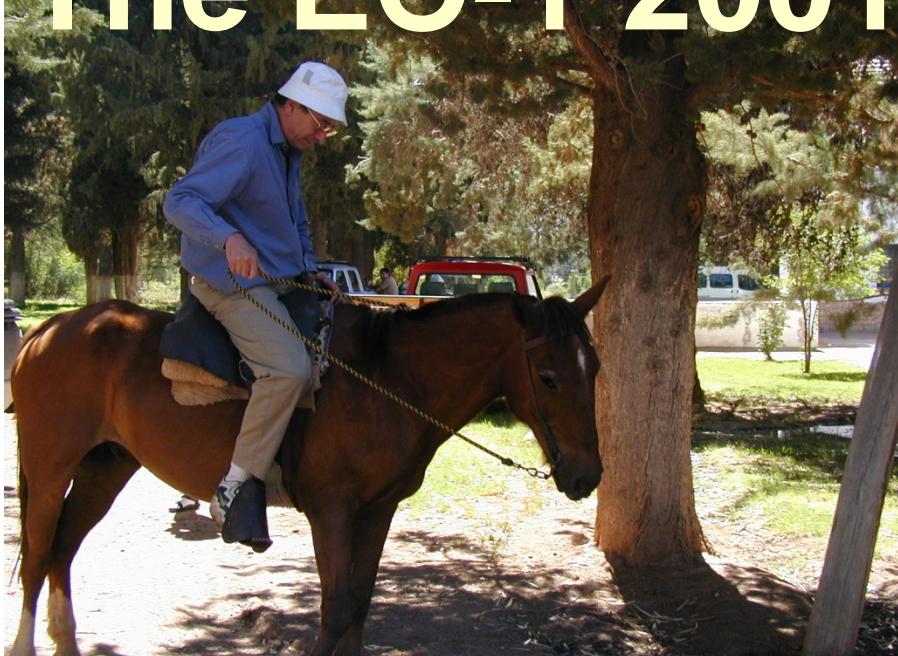
Soil &  
Water  
Chemistry

# The EO-1 2001 Field Campaign



AVIRIS Overflights

# The EO-1 2001 Field Campaign



Barreal Blanco

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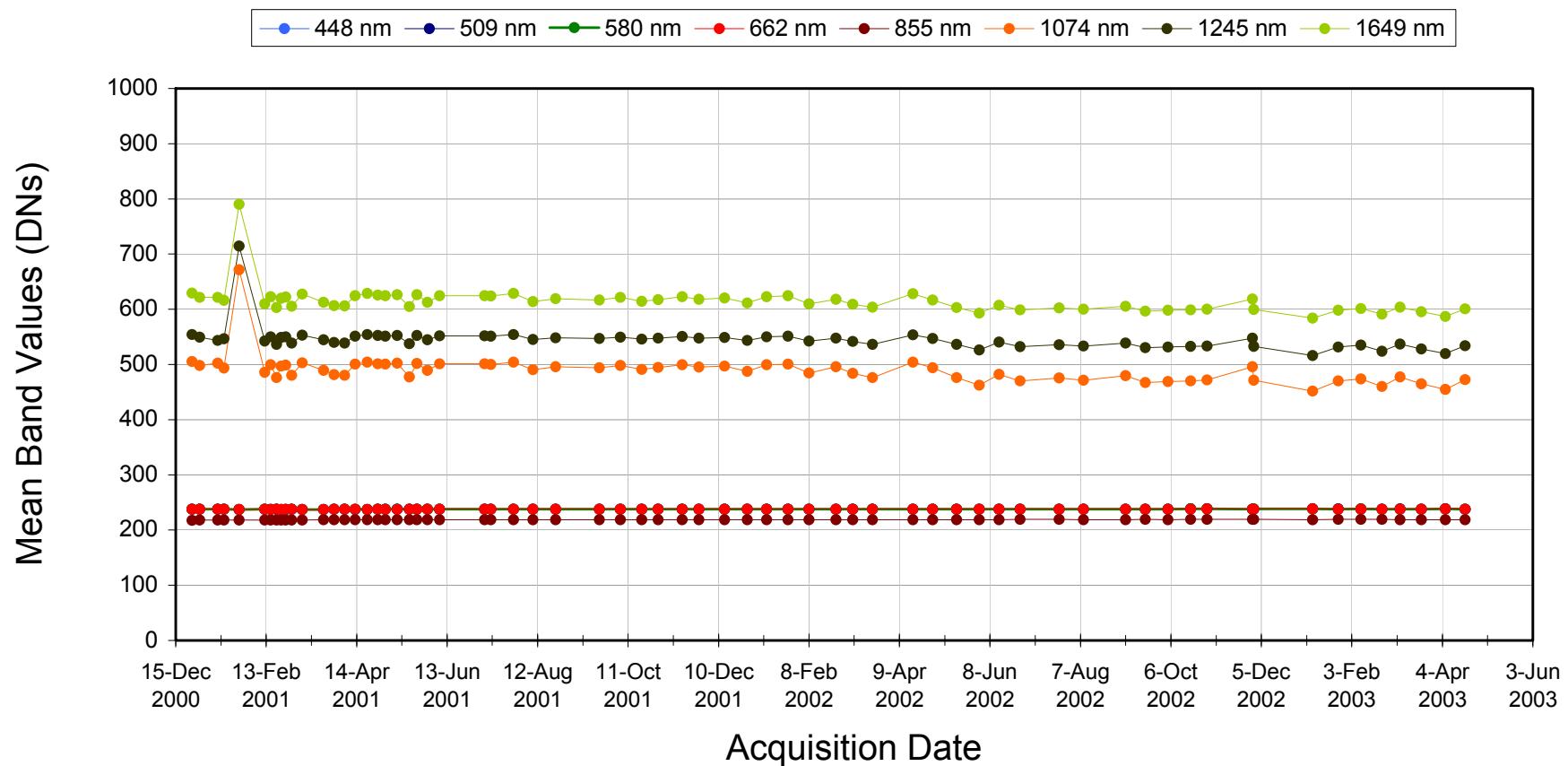
Central Australia

# The EO-1 2002 Field Campaign

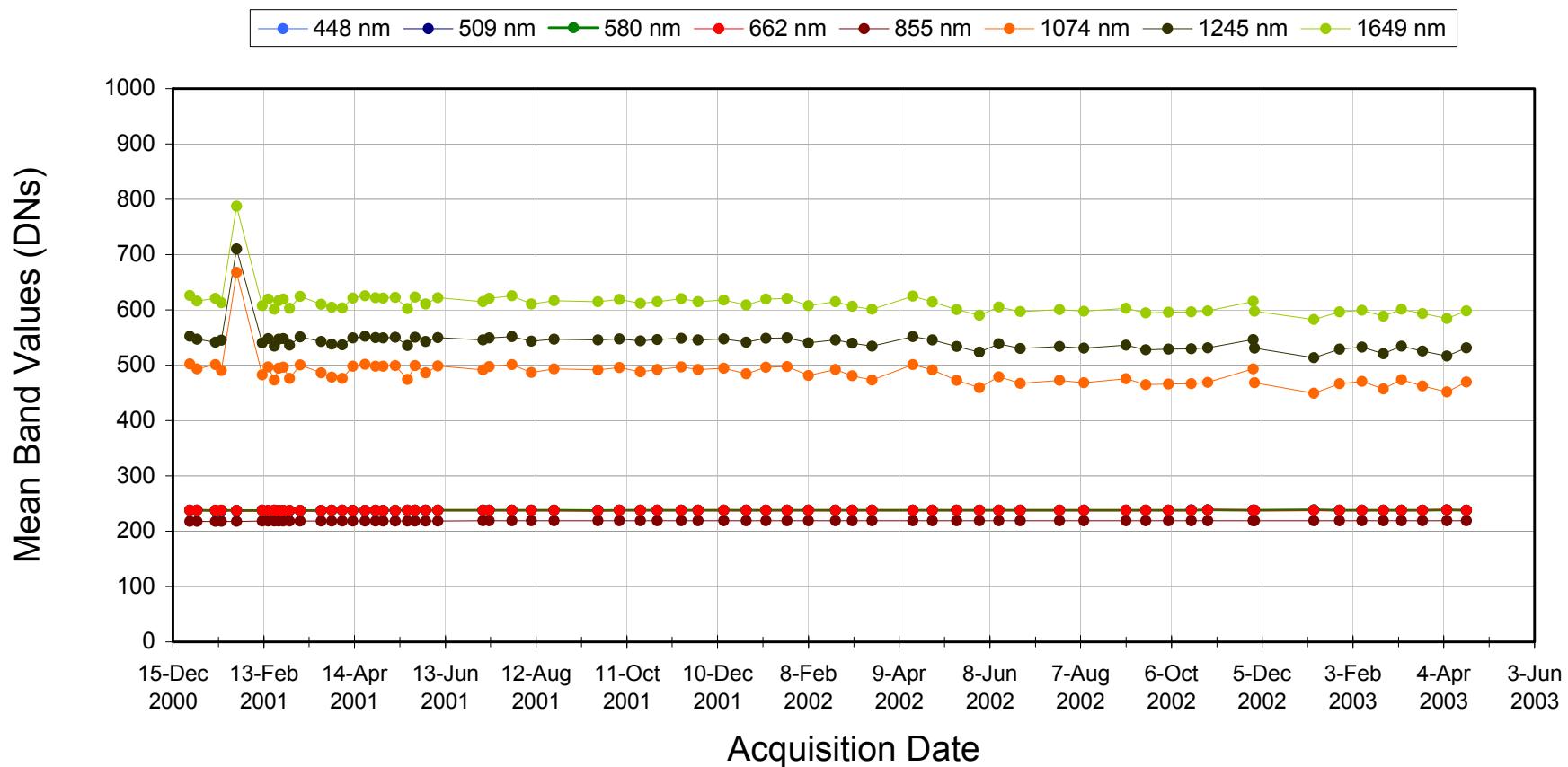
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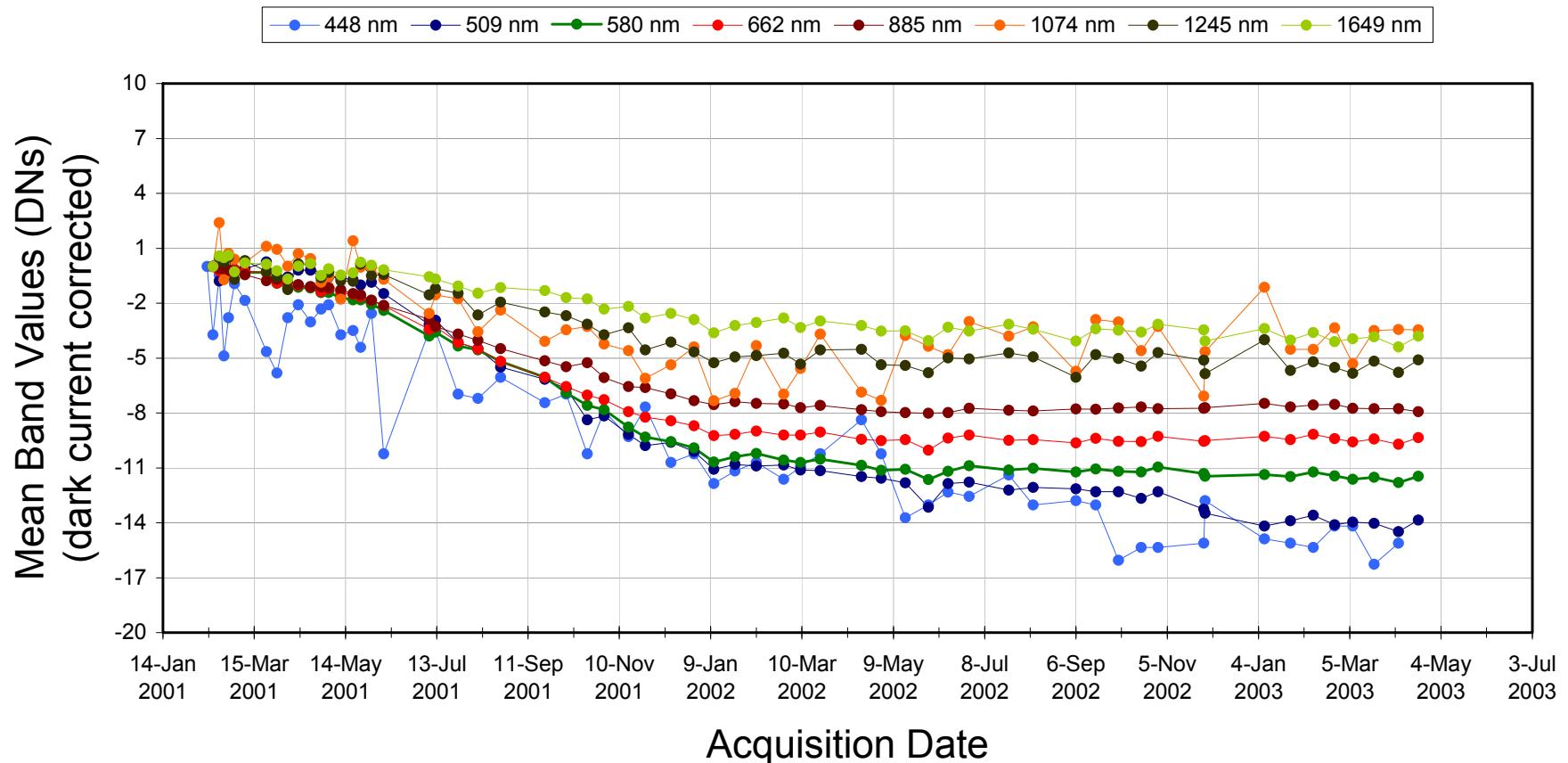
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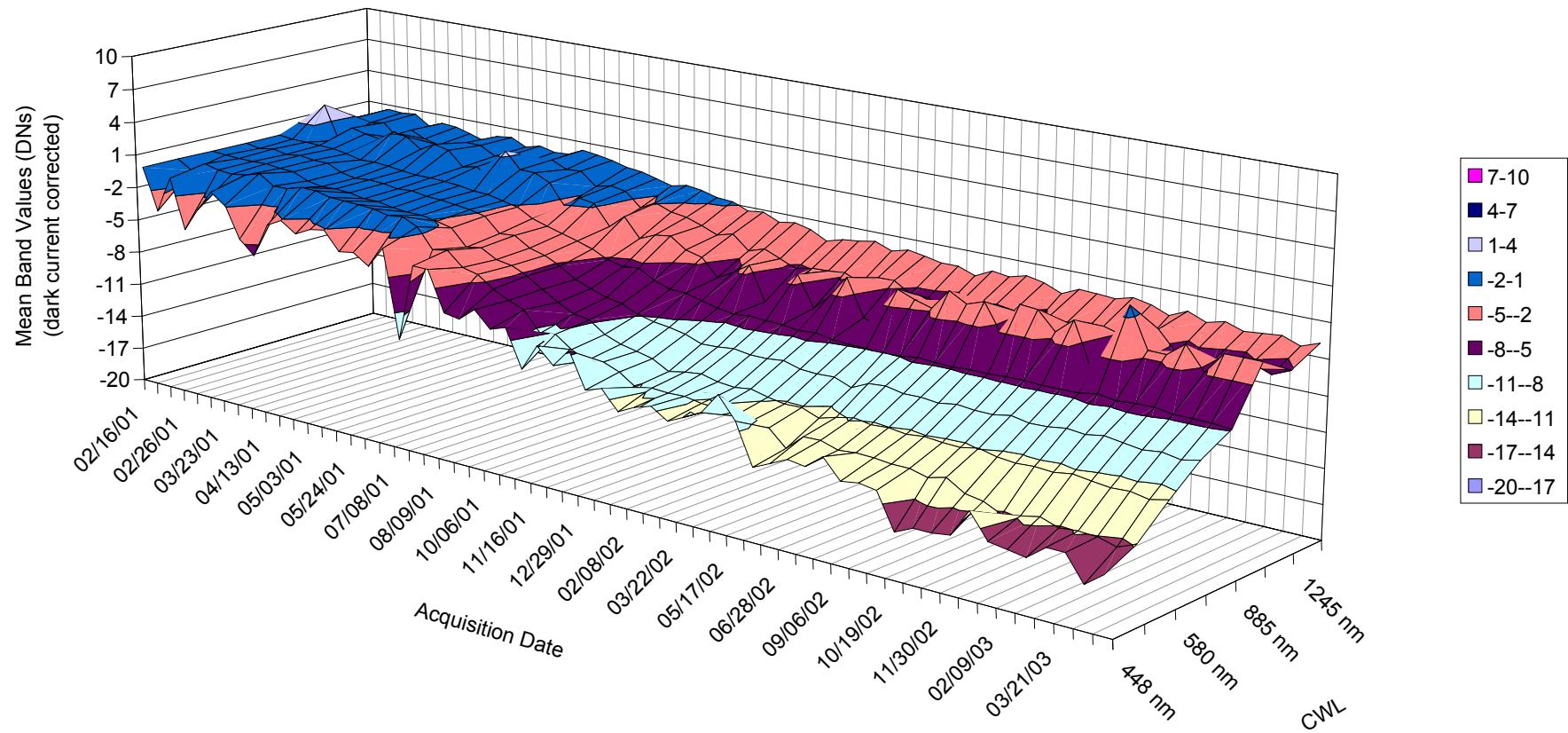
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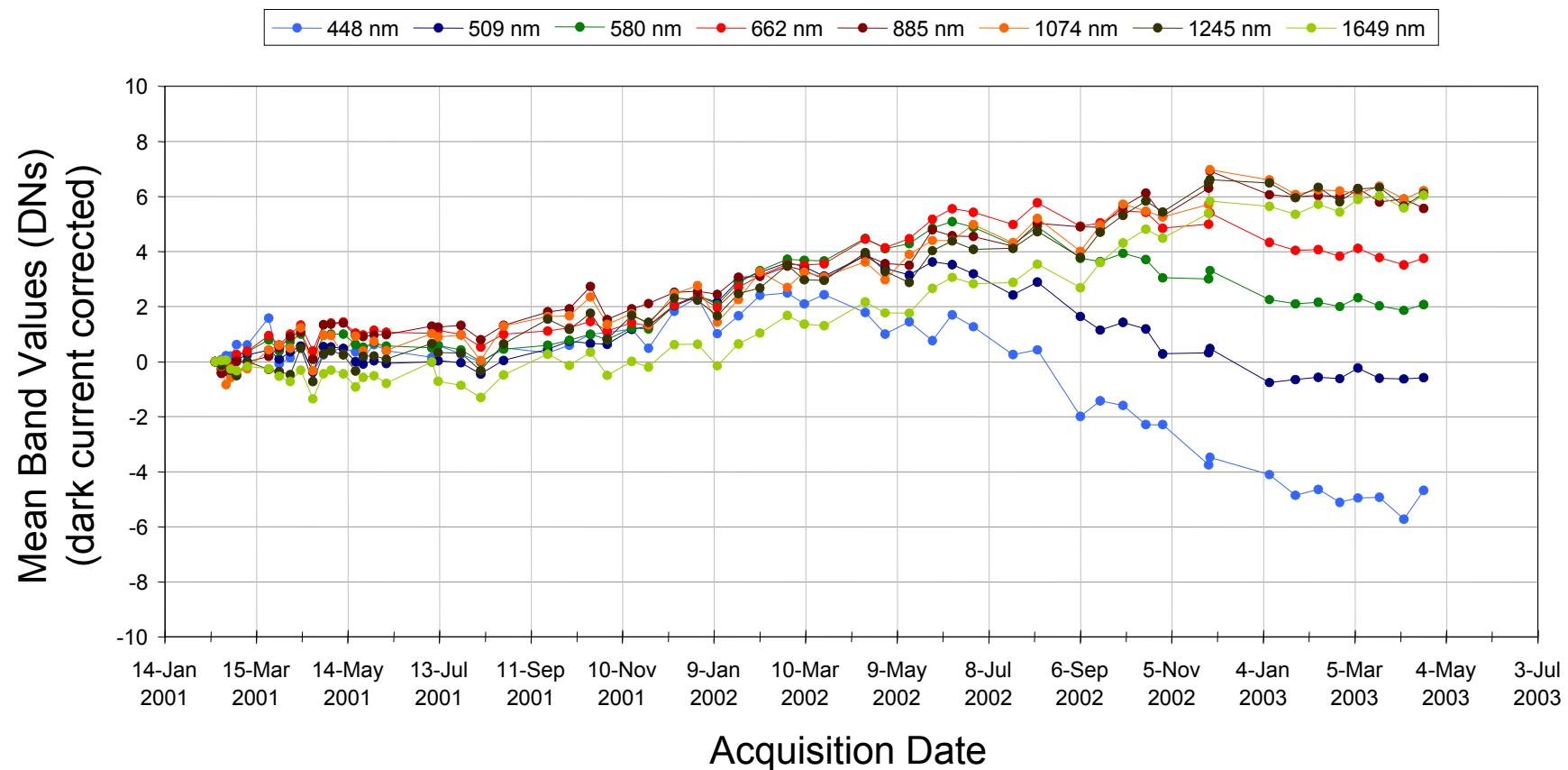
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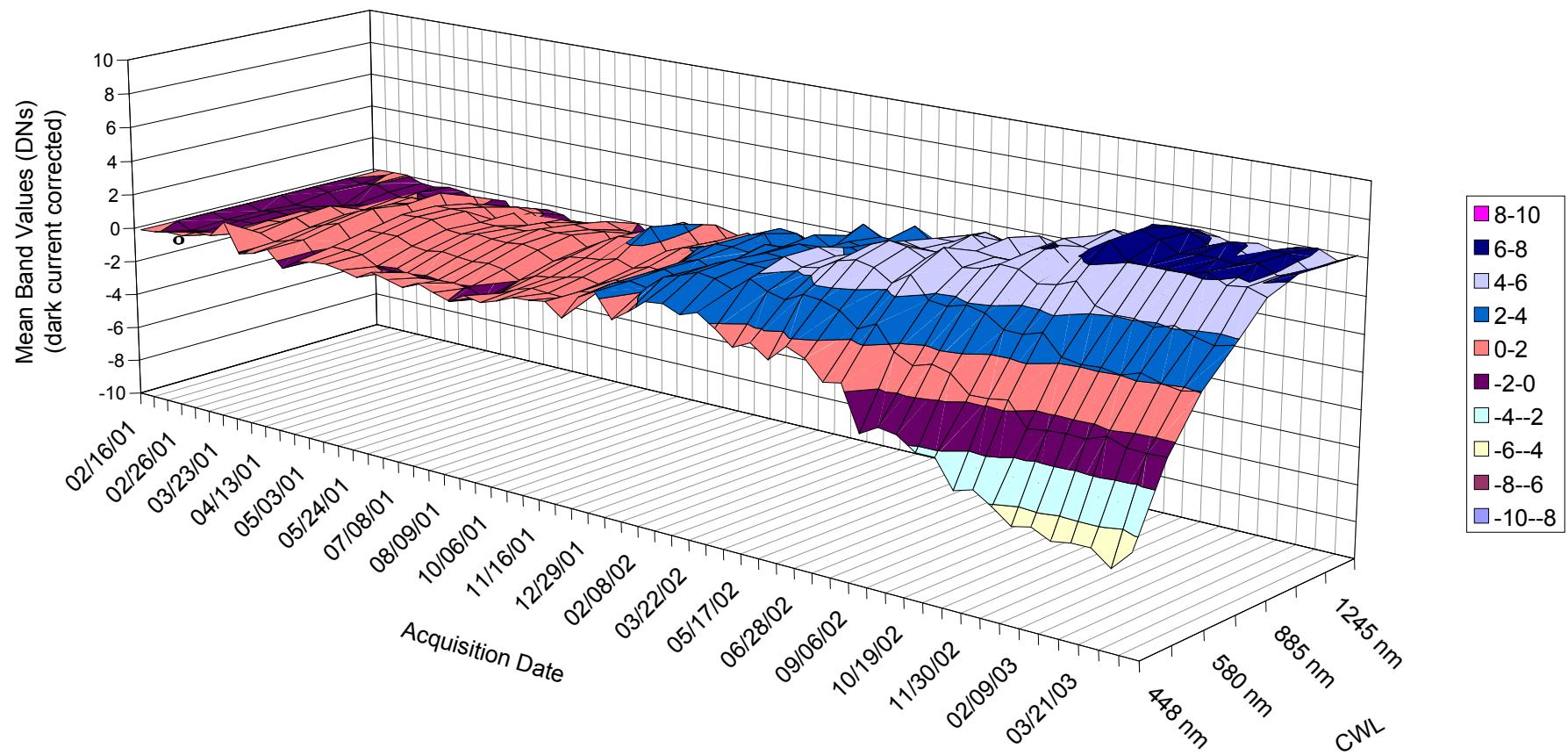
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## % Change EO-1 Hyperion Normalized Solar Cal. Response

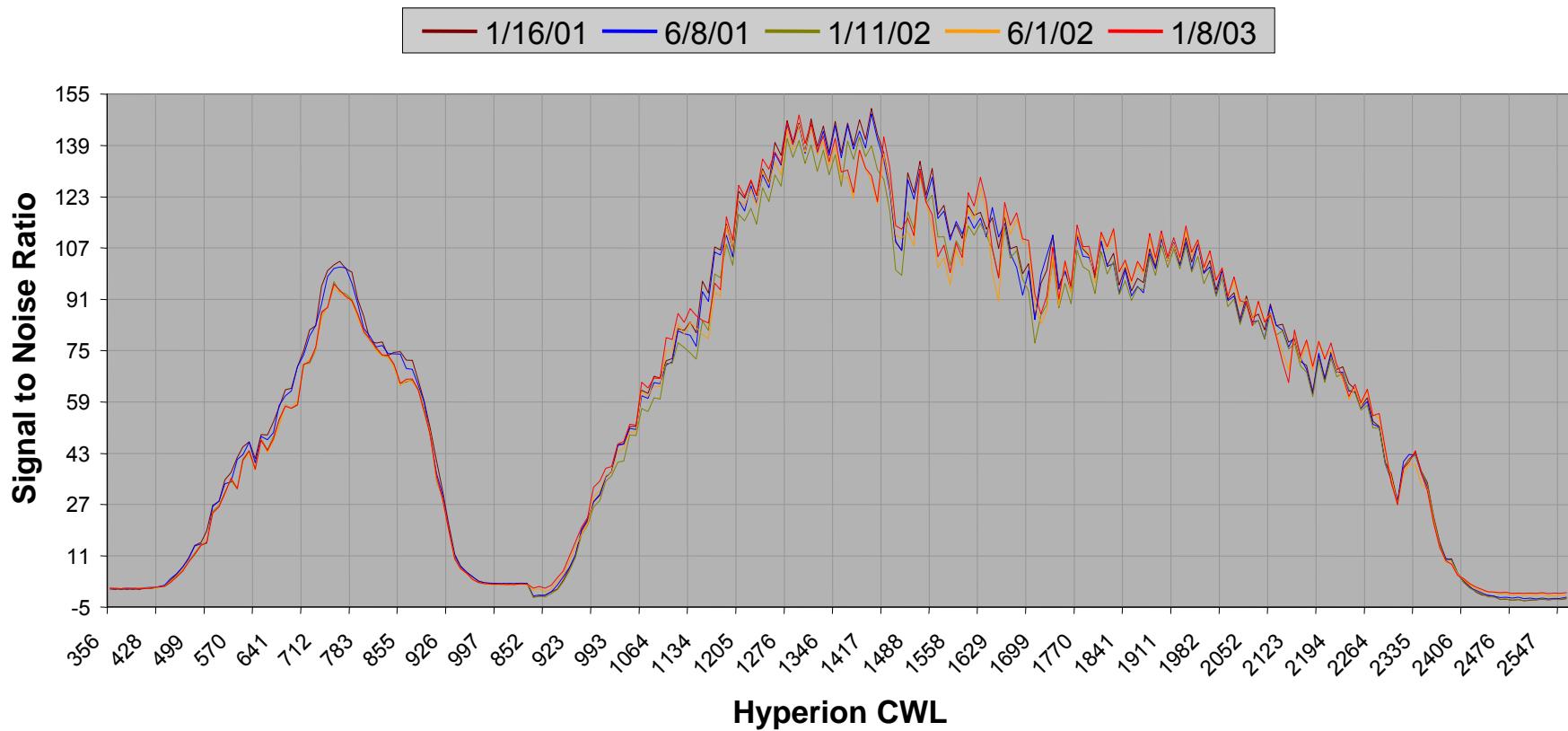


# % Change EO-1 Hyperion Solar Cal. Response (normalized for solar distance)



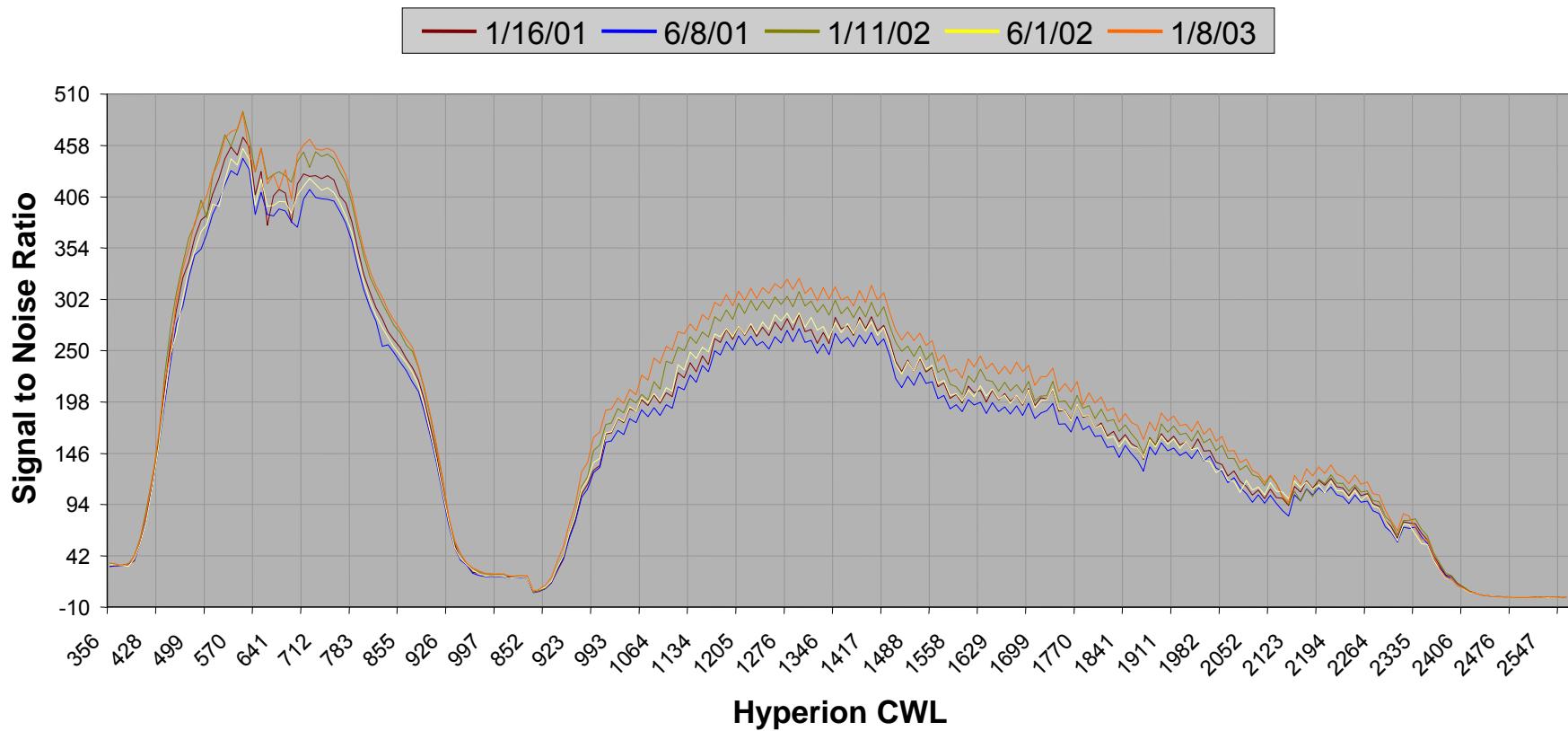
# Hyperion Lamp Cal. Signal to Noise Ratio

(normalized solar mean / standard deviation)



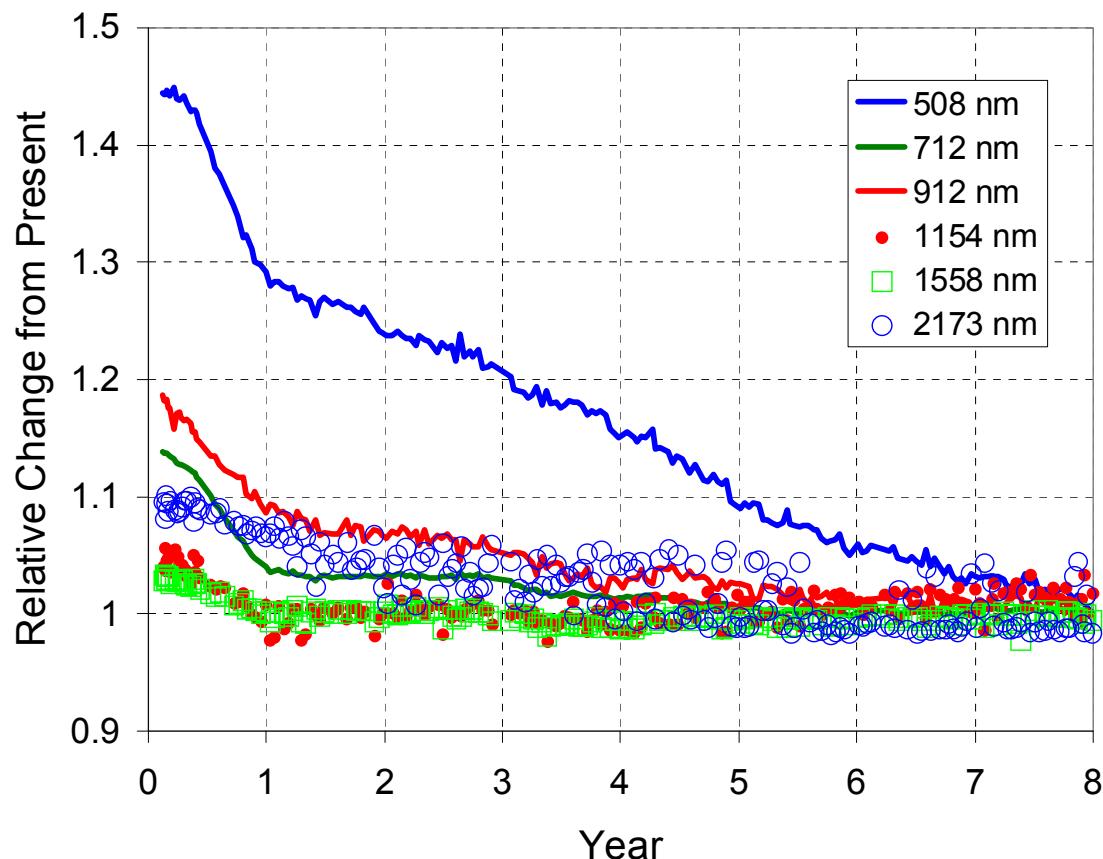
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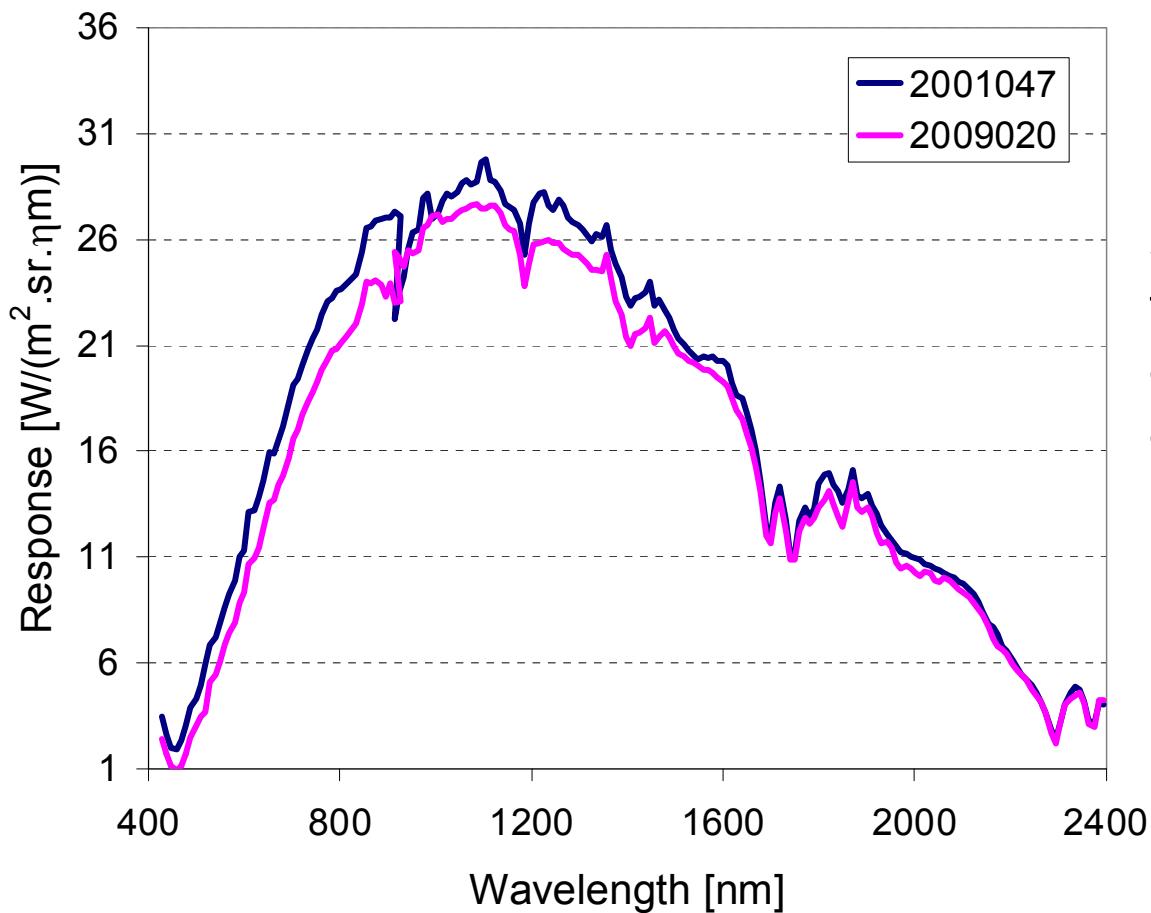
# Hyperion Lamp Trends



- There is a significant initial decrease in lamp output during the first year of operation.
- The lower wavelength channels (< 500 nm) exhibits the largest change.
- Changes in the SWIR channels are less than 10%.
- For most bands the lamps appears to achieve some stability after year 4.



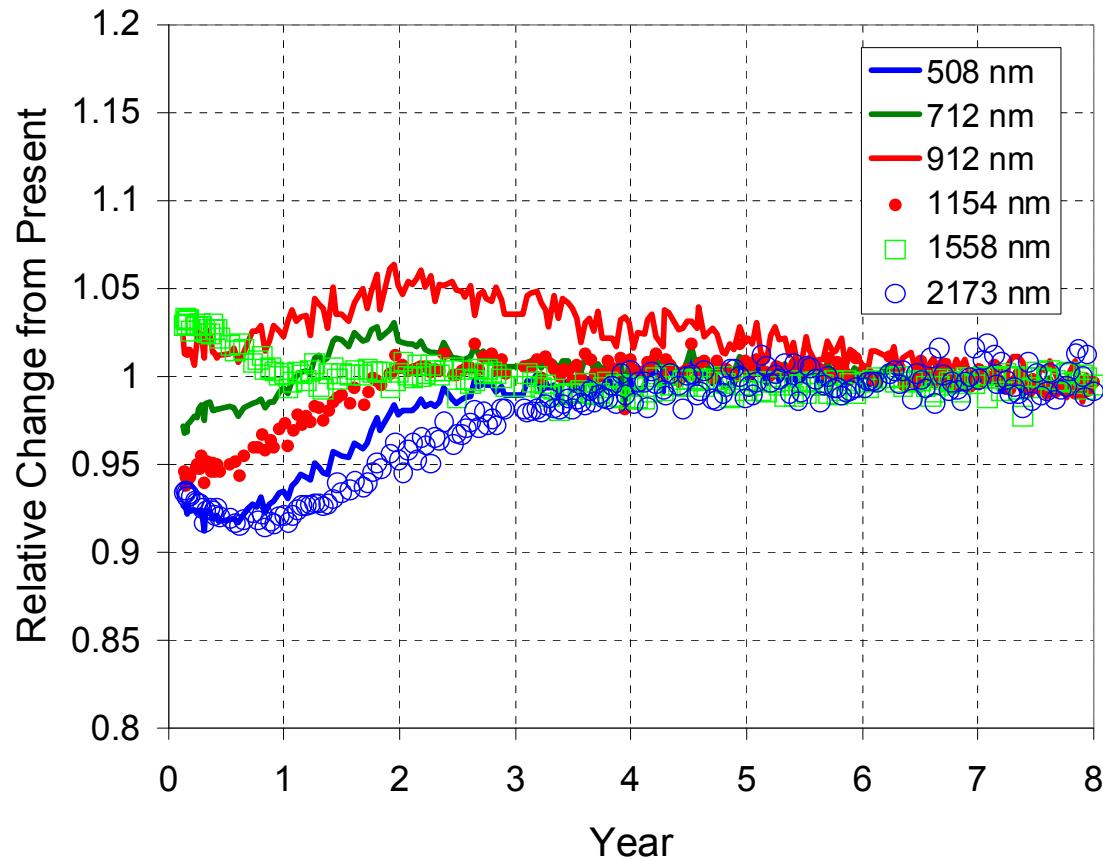
# Hyperion Lamp Spectra



Lamps intensity shows some degradation over the entire spectral range over the 8 years of operation



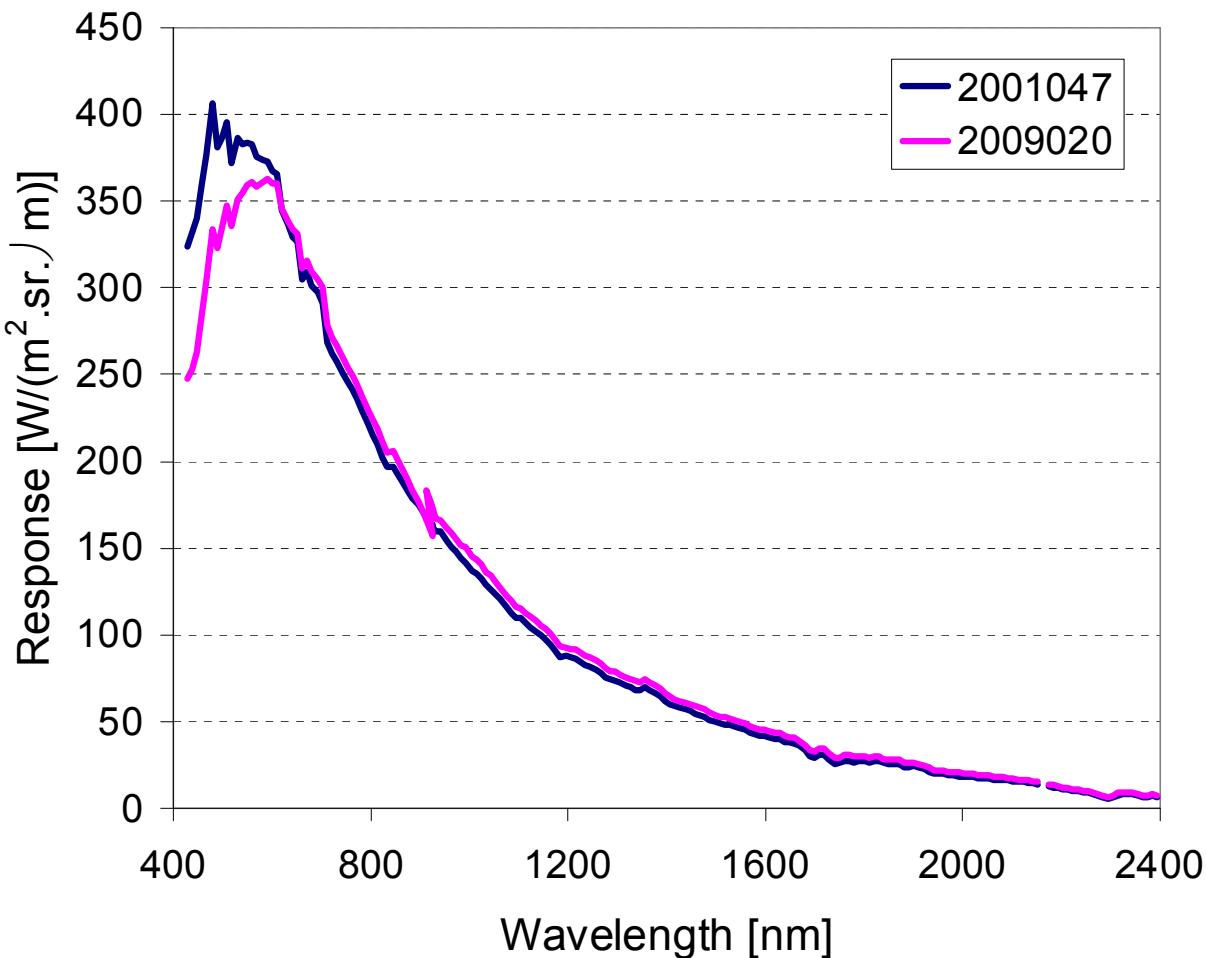
# Hyperion Solar Trends



- Changes in the solar panel on orbit are most pronounced during the first 3 years
- Most of the variations are within +/- 1.5% except for the longer wavelengths.
- For most bands the lamps appear to achieve some stability after year 4.



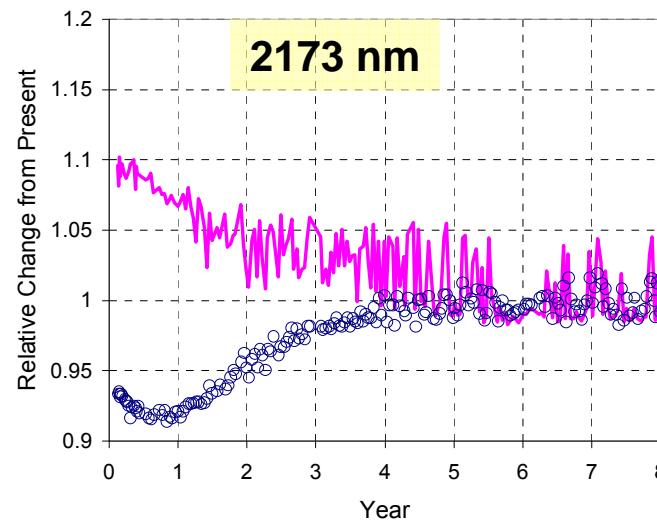
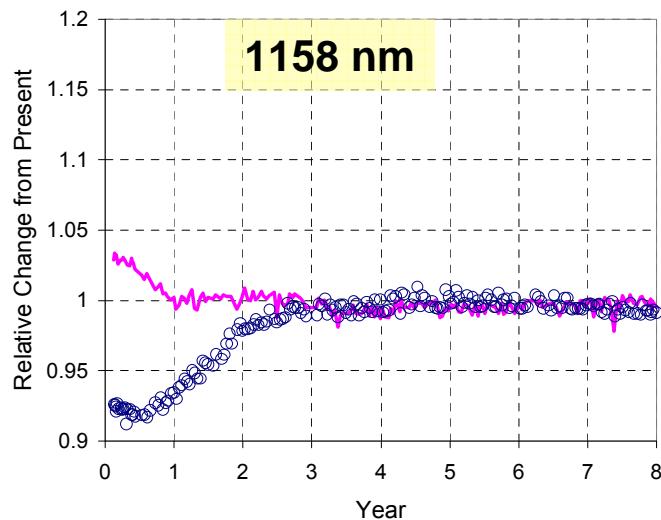
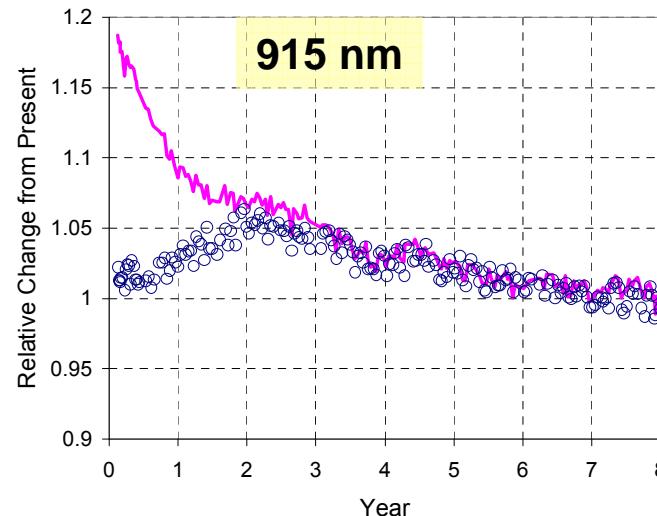
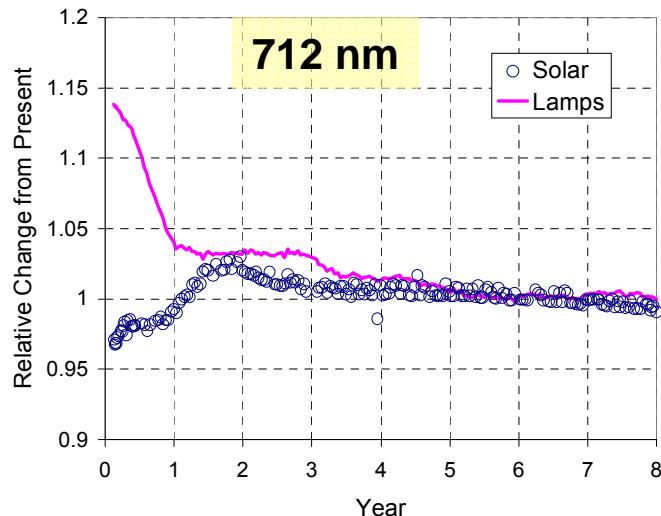
# Solar Panel Spectra



Spectra of the solar panel show large degradation in the shorter wavelengths



# Comparing Lamp & Solar Trends



Although inconsistent during early mission life, the solar and Lamp trends agree well after 4 years in orbit

# Radiometric Calibration

- Lunar Calibration
  - Calculate Lunar spectral irradiance ( $E_M(\lambda)$ )
  - Compare to the USGS Robotic Lunar Observatory lunar irradiance model

- Intersatellite Comparison

- Landsat 7
  - Sites Compared

- CA Super Site Jan 2001

- Railroad Valley Jan 2001

- Lake Frome Jan 2001

- Compared Bands 1, 2, 3, 5, 7 due to similarity of spectral responses

- Terra comparisons forthcoming



# Typical Lunation (aka Lunar Cycle)



USGS Robotic Lunar Observatory

## ROLO Model

$$I_k = \Omega_p \sum_{i=1}^{N_p} L_{i,k}$$

$$A_k = \frac{\pi \cdot I_k}{\Omega_M E_k}$$

1 total lunation takes ~29.5 days

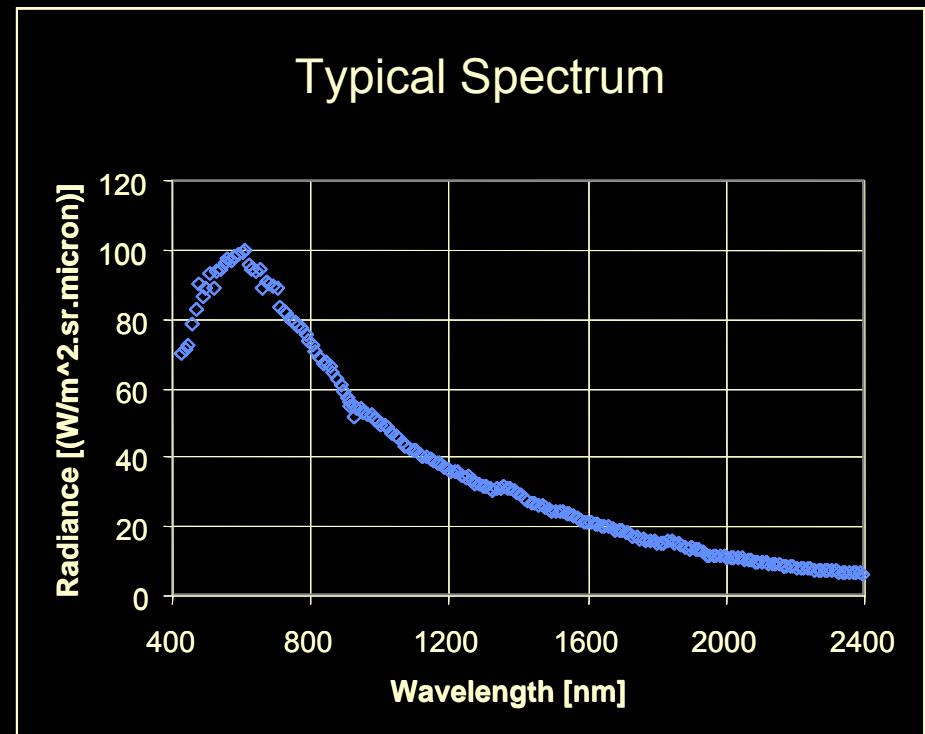
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(EO-1 ALI Pan band)



Full Moon

(EO-1 Hyperion)



Cumulative Spectral Radiance

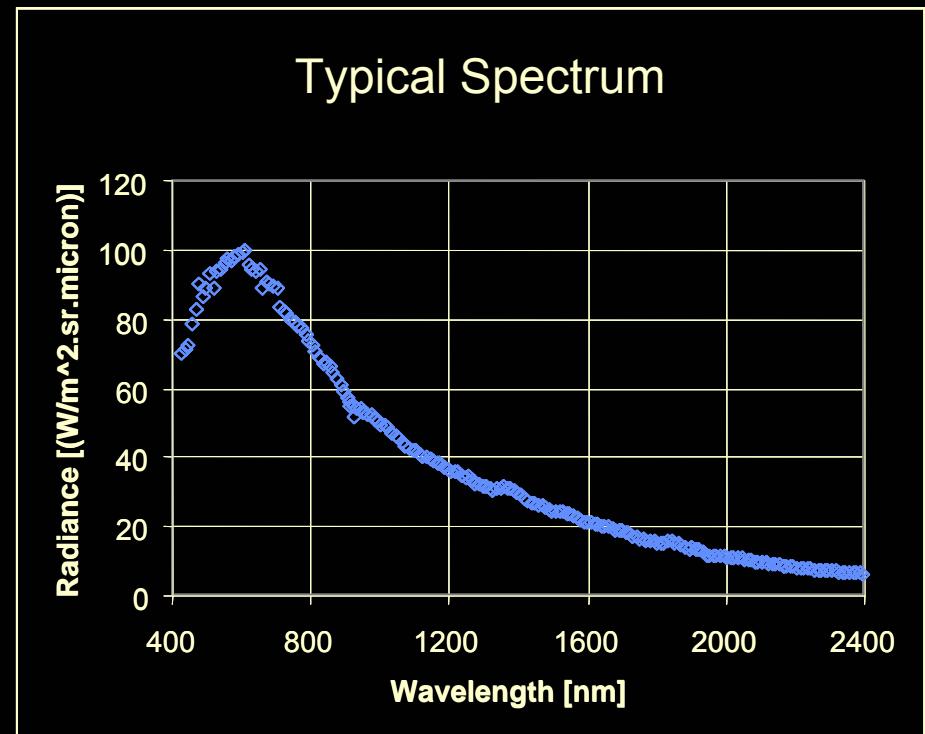
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(EO-1 Hyperion)



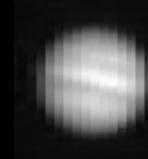
Cumulative Spectral Radiance

# Extra-terrestrial calibration!

(Views with the EO-1 ALI Pan band)



Full Moon



Jupiter



Half  
Moon



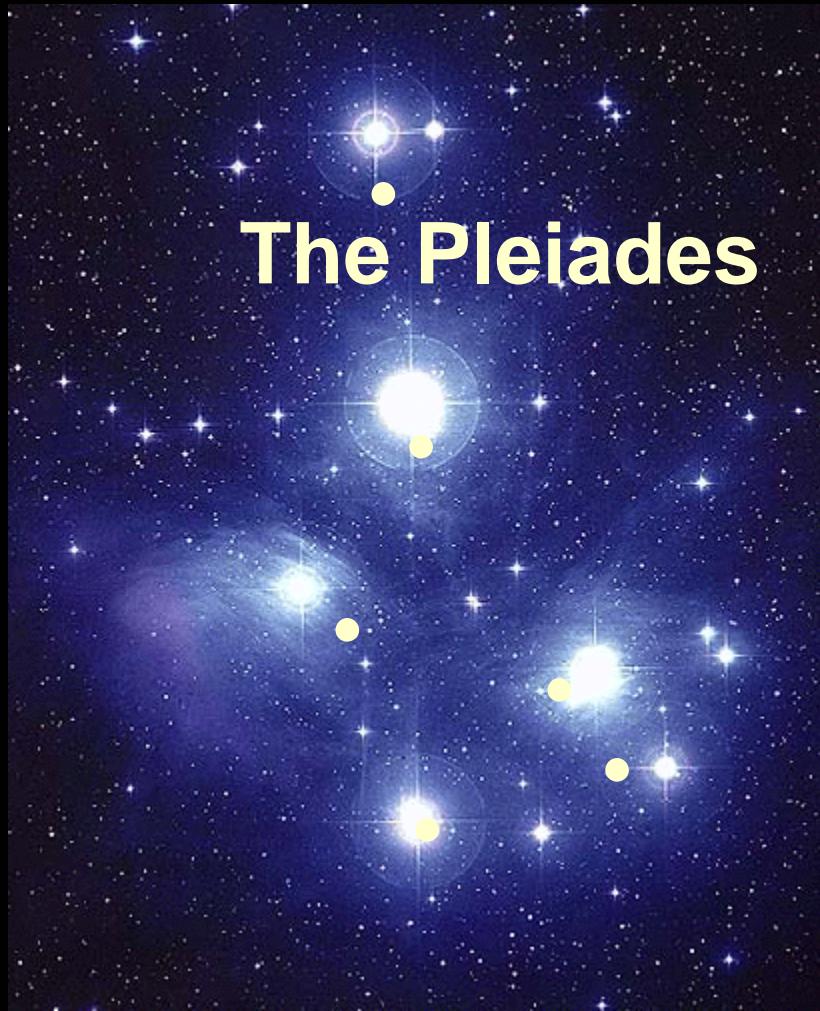
Saturn



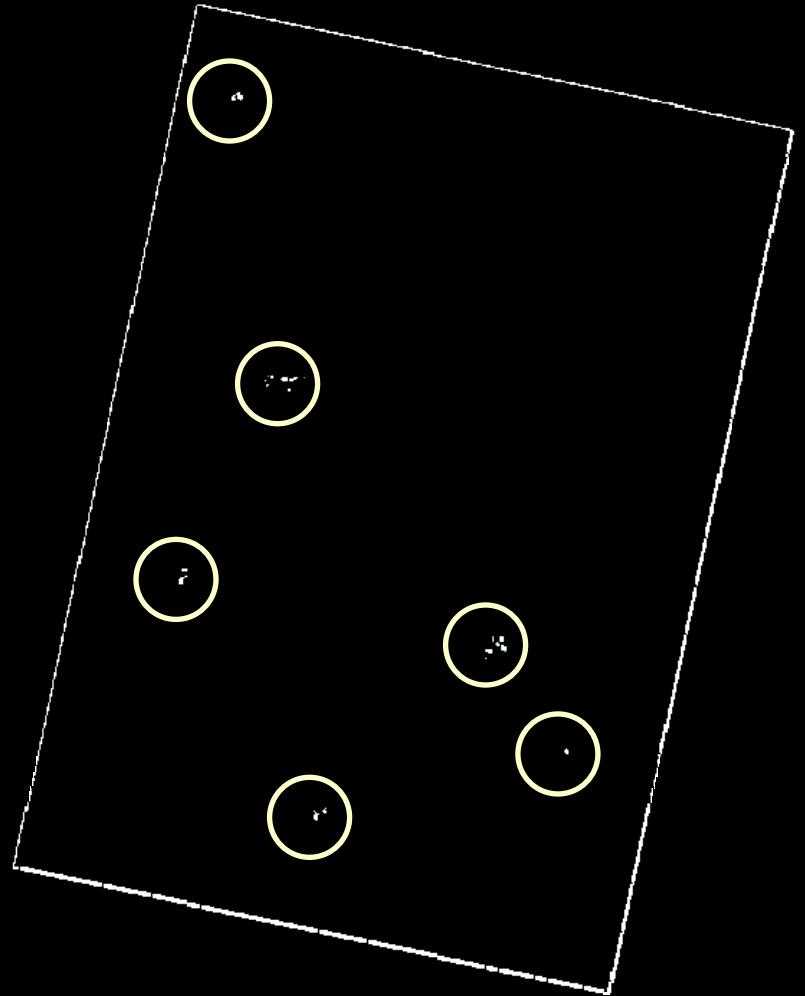
Venus

# Extra-terrestrial calibration!

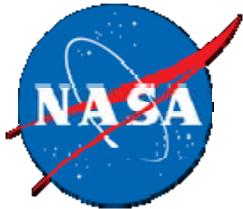
(Views with the EO-1 ALI Pan band)



Photograph



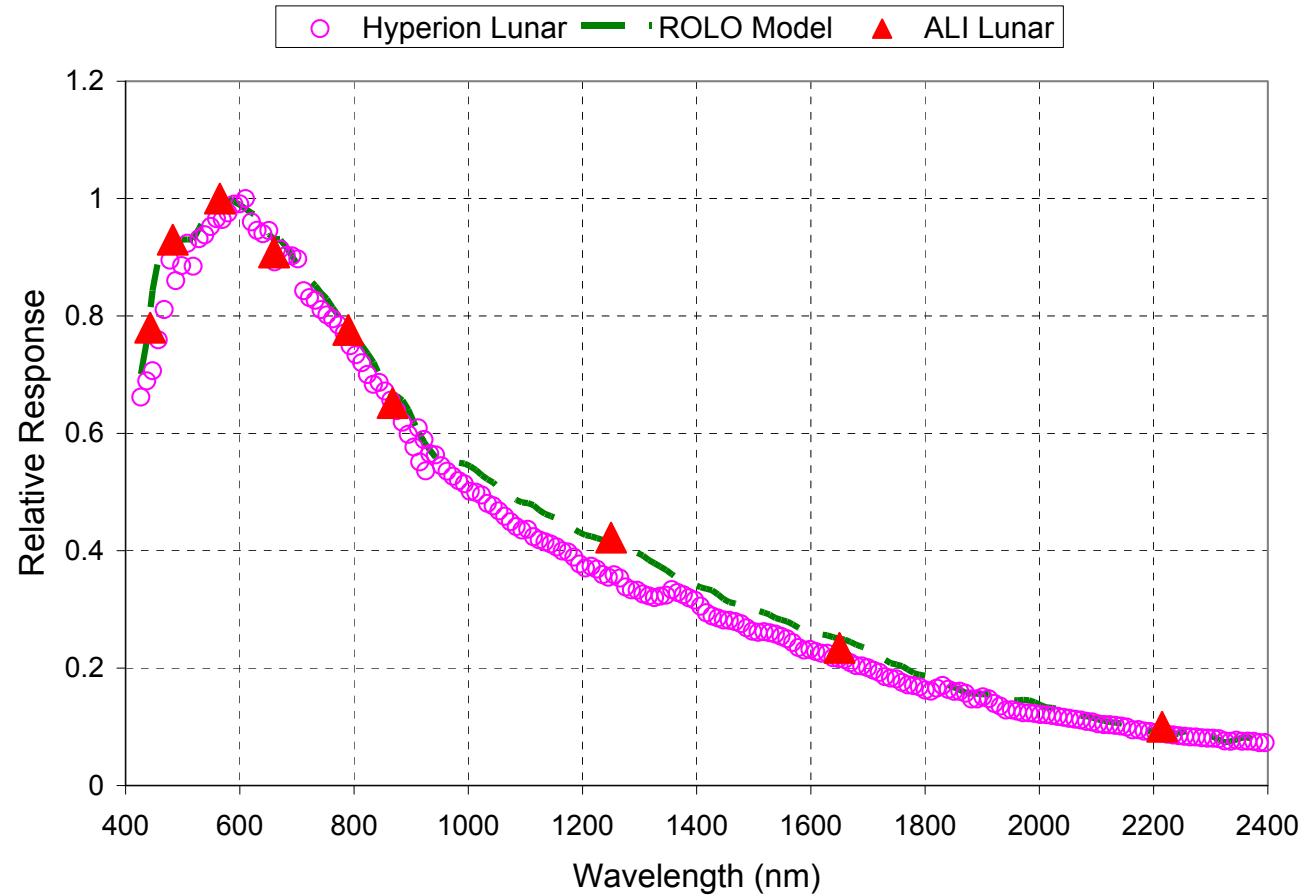
ALI detections



# Hyperion Lunar Spectra



The pitch rate across the moon is the same as that used for earth imaging. This results in a 8X oversampling of the moon.

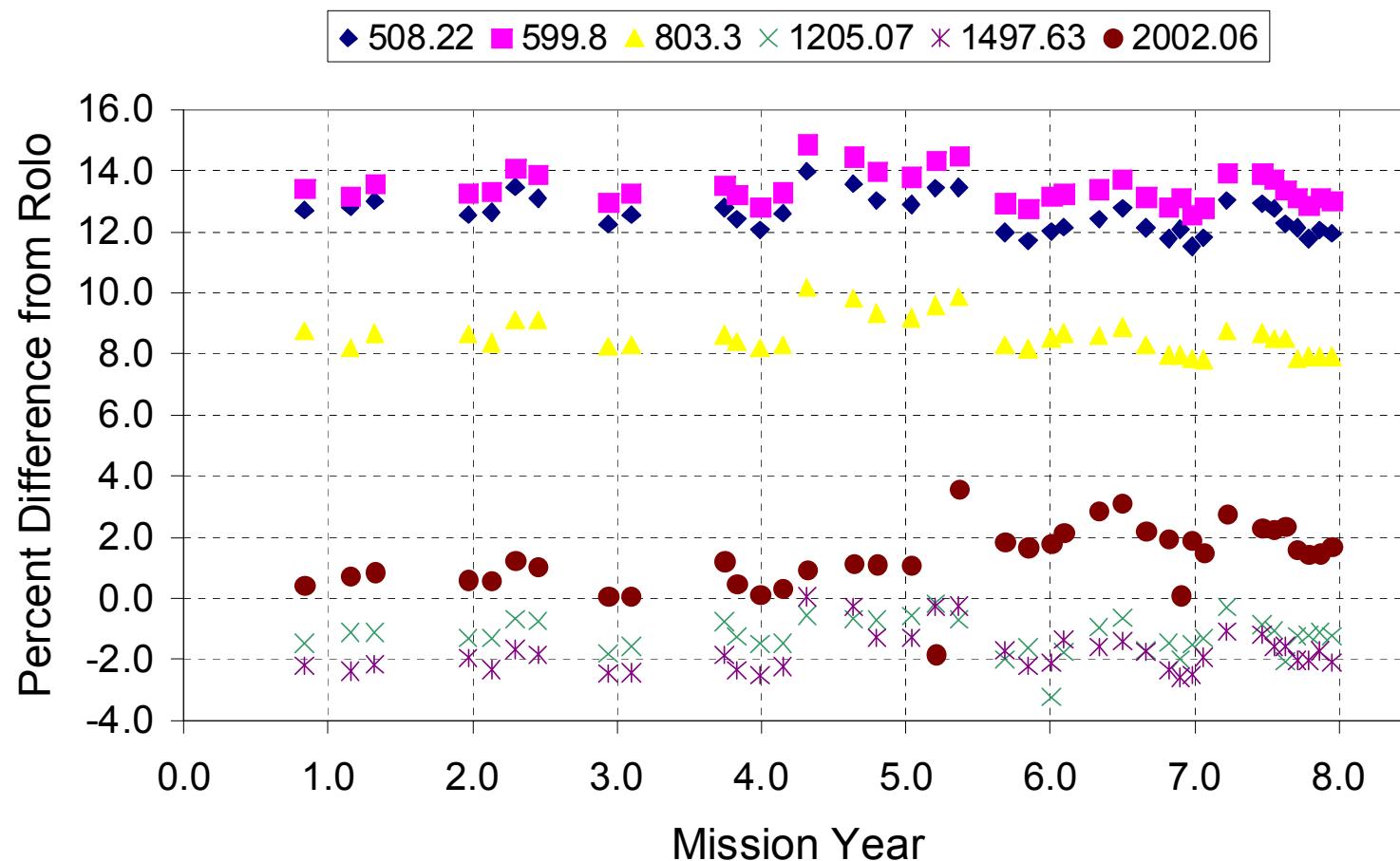




# Lunar Calibration Results



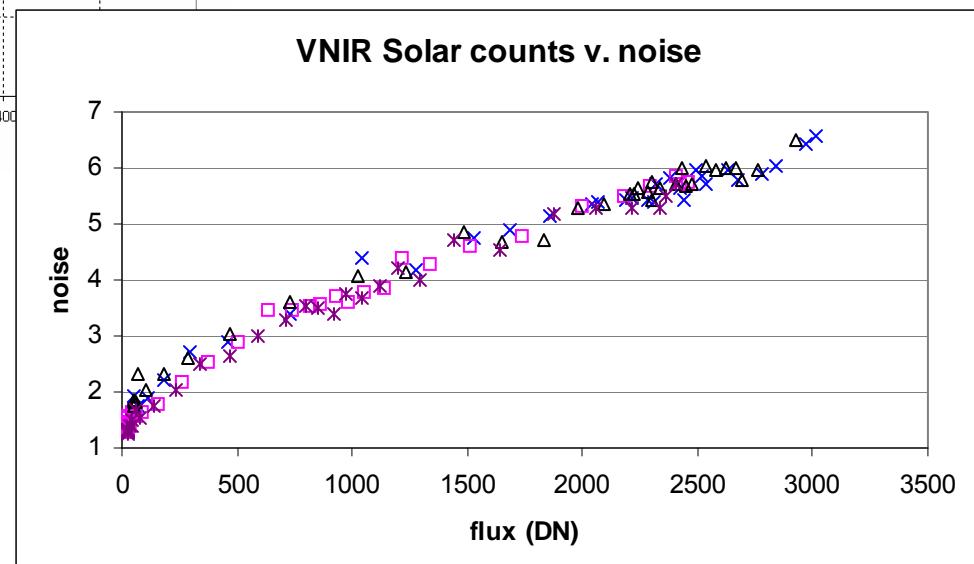
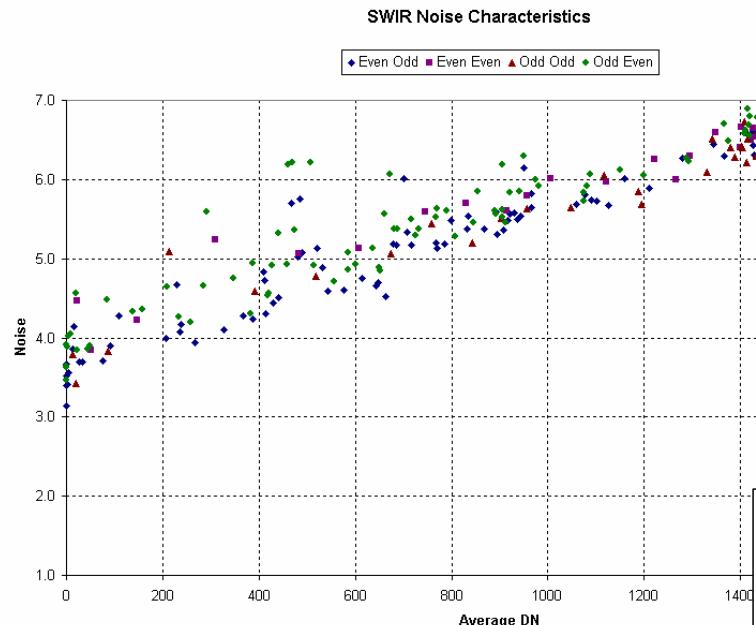
Hyperion Lunar Cal. Trends for Selected Bands



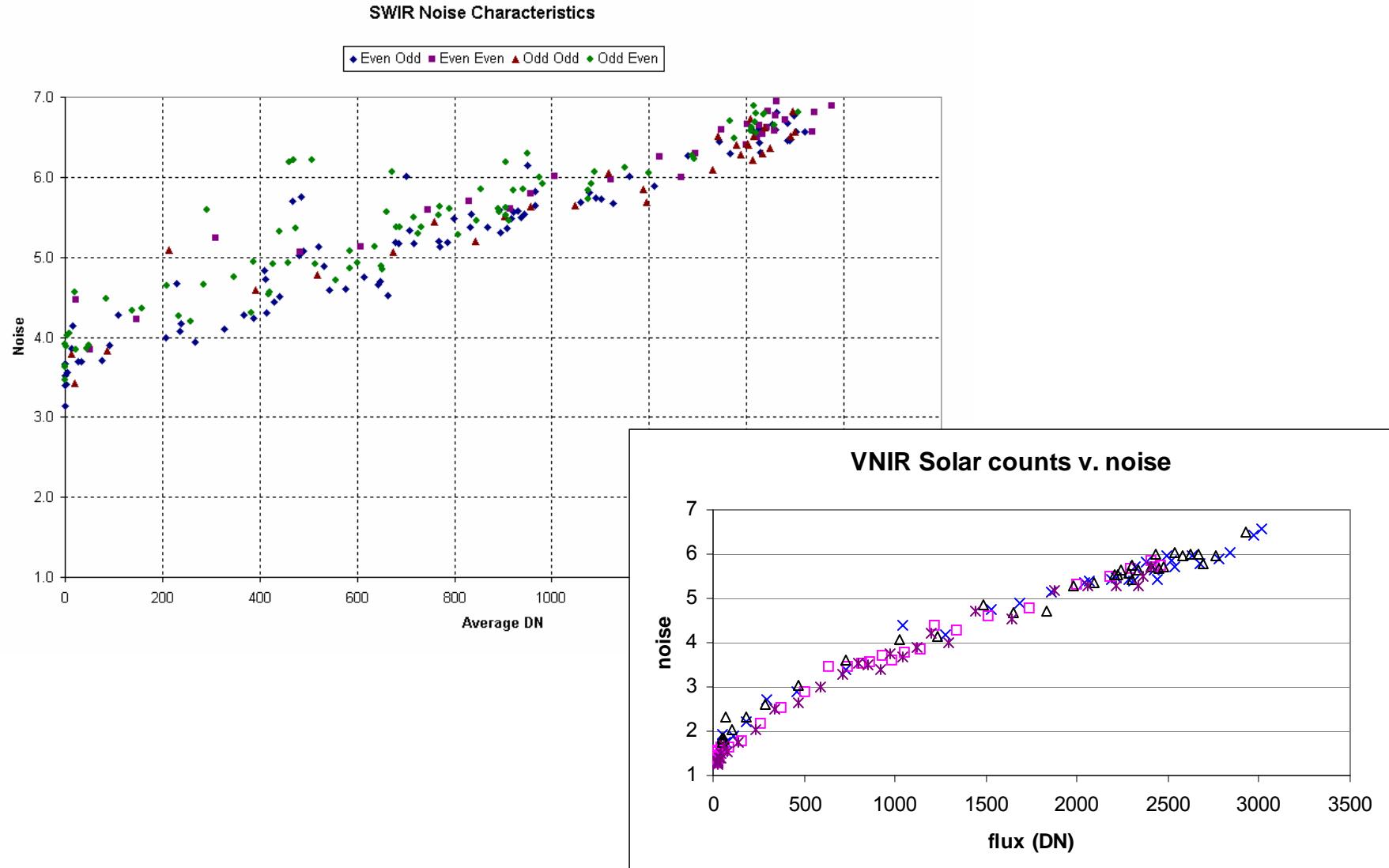
# Why does Steve wear a hat?



# SNR Calculated From Solar Calibration Data



# SNR Calculated From Solar Calibration Data



# Scene Based Estimate of Hyperion SNR

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