

HAWC+ Update



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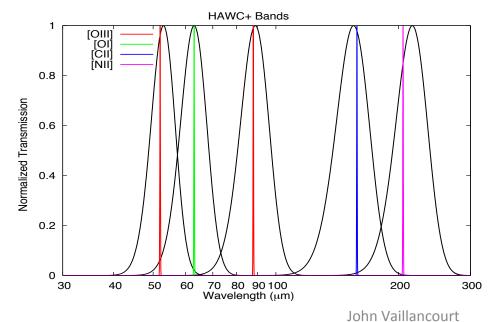








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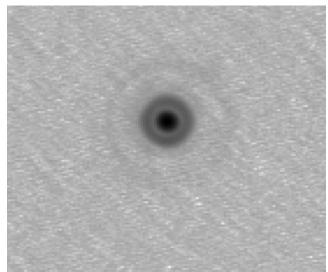






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HAWC PSF measured in lab





















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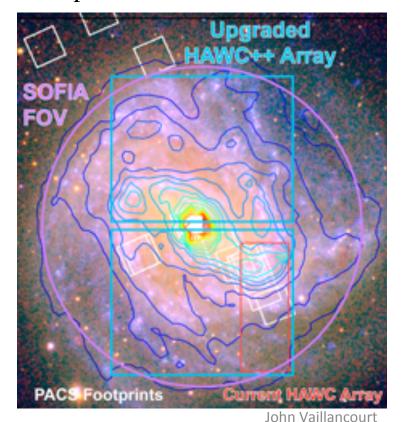


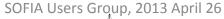




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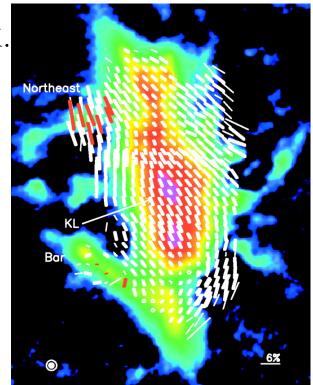




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HAWC+ Milestones



- HAWC successfully passed Pre-Ship review in July 2012
- HAWC+ design details for detectors and thermal spec.'s needed for 1-Kelvin stage are actively being worked (regular telecons)
 - Interface Control Document (ICD) for JPL-GSFC interface in draft form, discussions at SRR
- Systems Requirement Review (SRR): scheduled for 2013-May-8
- Successful fit-check of JPL polarimeter hardware in HAWC cryostat [2013-April-2]
- Working HAWC ship date Yerkes W JPL is 2013-May-15





















HAWC+ Activities



- JPL team witnessed HAWC dewar partial disassembly during polarimeter fit-check
- Regular team telecons to discuss issues related to detector fabrication, installation, and testing
- HAWC wiki migrated to Northwestern, administered there by Nicholas Chapman (NU) and Marc Berthoud (Chicago)
- Goddard site-visit by Software team: discussions of required HAWC+ software (flight & lab) with respect to existing tools for HAWC, GISMO, TES/MCE.
- SOFIA Telescope polarization requirements. Pasquale Temi (NASA Lead) supported by Vaillancourt, Dotson, Dowell, Novak















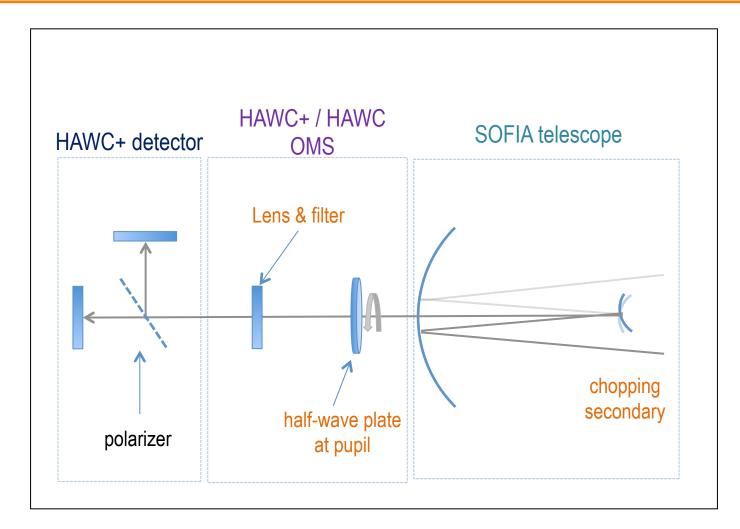


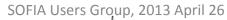




HAWC+ Optical Path























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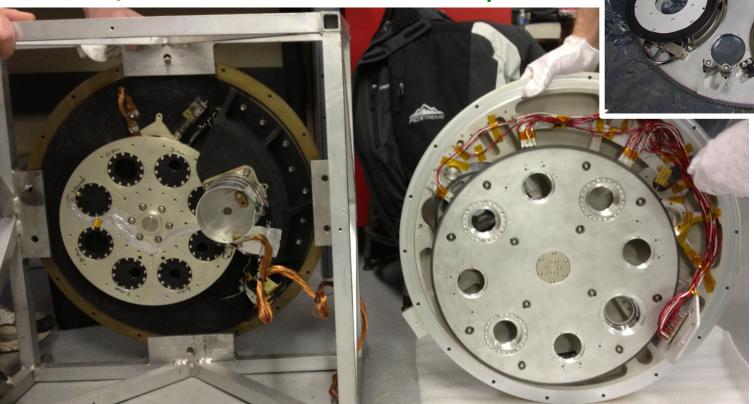
Polarimeter Fit-Check



Confirmed that new polarimeter hardware fits in existing HAWC cryostat

HAWC Pupil Wheel

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Polarization Requirements



There currently exist no polarization requirements on the SOFIA telescope. Proposed requirements (not yet accepted by PMB):

- Require: telescope-induced pol'n $P_{TA} \le 4\%$ at $\lambda = 40 300 \mu m$
- Require: Systematic uncertainty in measurement of P_{TA} , < 0.3% over most of 8 arcmin FOV
- Goal: telescope-induced pol'n $P_{TA} \le 1\%$ at $\lambda > 3 \mu m$
- Ø Requirements should allow systematic uncertainty of $P_{\rm sys}$ < 0.6% for astronomical measurements, as specified in HAWC+ instrument proposal. Spec.'s above were achieved on the KAO at 60 & 100 μ m
- \emptyset Goal would yield P_{sys} < 0.3% for HAWC+, also allow future polarization science at shorter wavelengths

















