Transiting Exoplanet WG Meeting

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Topics for Today

- General Updates/News
- Update from NIRCam team: CV3 Results
- Other CV3 Updates?
- General Discussion

General Updates/News

- ETC Sprints for NIRISS, NIRCam, and MIRI slitless grism modes completed.
 - Possible beta release of engine (no UI) in May
 - Benchmarks from IDTs welcome
- New builds for APT and pipeline to be released this Spring (April/May).
- While digesting CV3 data, keep an eye on/ document key systematics/performance metrics for Transiting Exoplanet Observations:
 - e.g. Saturation, linearity behavior into full well, persistence, behavior in small group regime, etc.
 - New Instrument Specific Home Spaces on Confluence



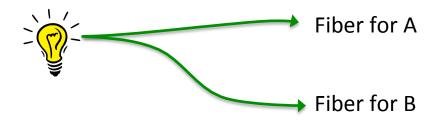
CV3 NIRCam Lessons Learned Detector Stability Tests

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Preliminary Analysis
Lots of more digging through CV3 data still to do

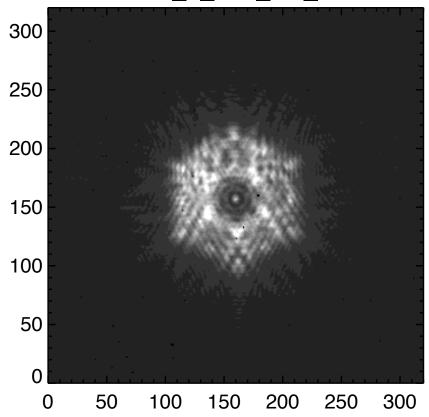
Extensive CV3 Tests

- Point source, full & sub-array
- Weak lens, full & sub-array
- LD 155 (narrowband 1.55um source)
 - Only works on short wave detectors
 - Two detectors illuminated at once (to track source variations)



Weak Lens data – spread over many pixels

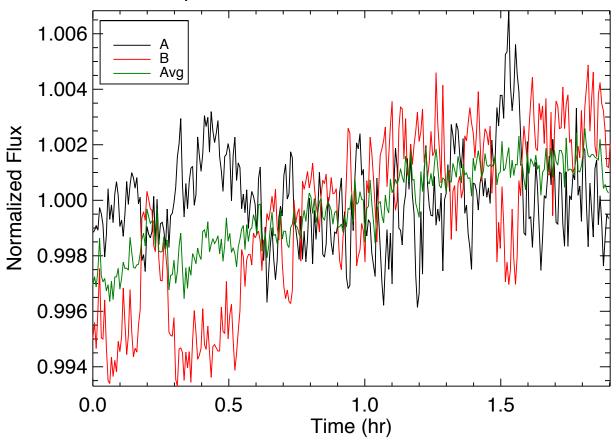
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Point source is de-focused by weak lens
Increasing Aperture size above 65 px does not appreciably change results
< ~50ppm

Two detectors A&B are anti-correlated

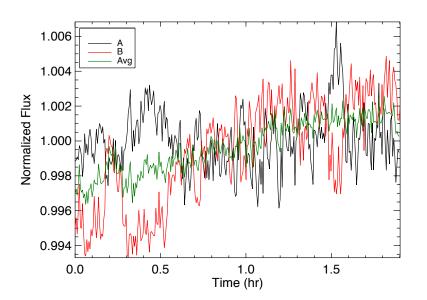
→ Turns out that having 2 fibers fed from the same source may create more problems that it helps correct for



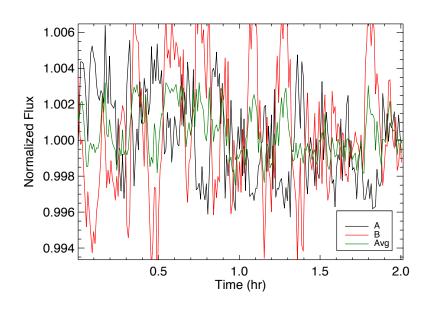
Linearly de-trended standard deviation = 0.062% or 620 ppm (in green curve)

Anti-correlation present in multiple data sets

Subarray Data 20 groups/int 307 ints



Linearly de-trended standard deviation (in green curve) = 0.062% or 620 ppm Full-Frame Data
2 groups/int (DCS)
225 ints



Linearly de-trended standard deviation (in green curve) = 0.13% or 1300 ppm, but less of a slope

Note about Telemetry

- Only 1 fits file so only 1 temperature for entire exposure
 - Telemetry data is stored for CV3 as binary extension – how about after launch?
 - We may want the TSO pipeline to look up telemetry time series for detector data

Open Discussion

Closing Remarks

 Everyone should be able to edit the confluence site. Feel free to start discussions.

https://confluence.stsci.edu/display/JTEWG/ JWST+Transiting+Exoplanet+Working+Group +Home

- Each instrument has a 'home space' to deposit relevant materials.
- Next meeting
 - Reschedule for March 22nd?
 - Cancel?