

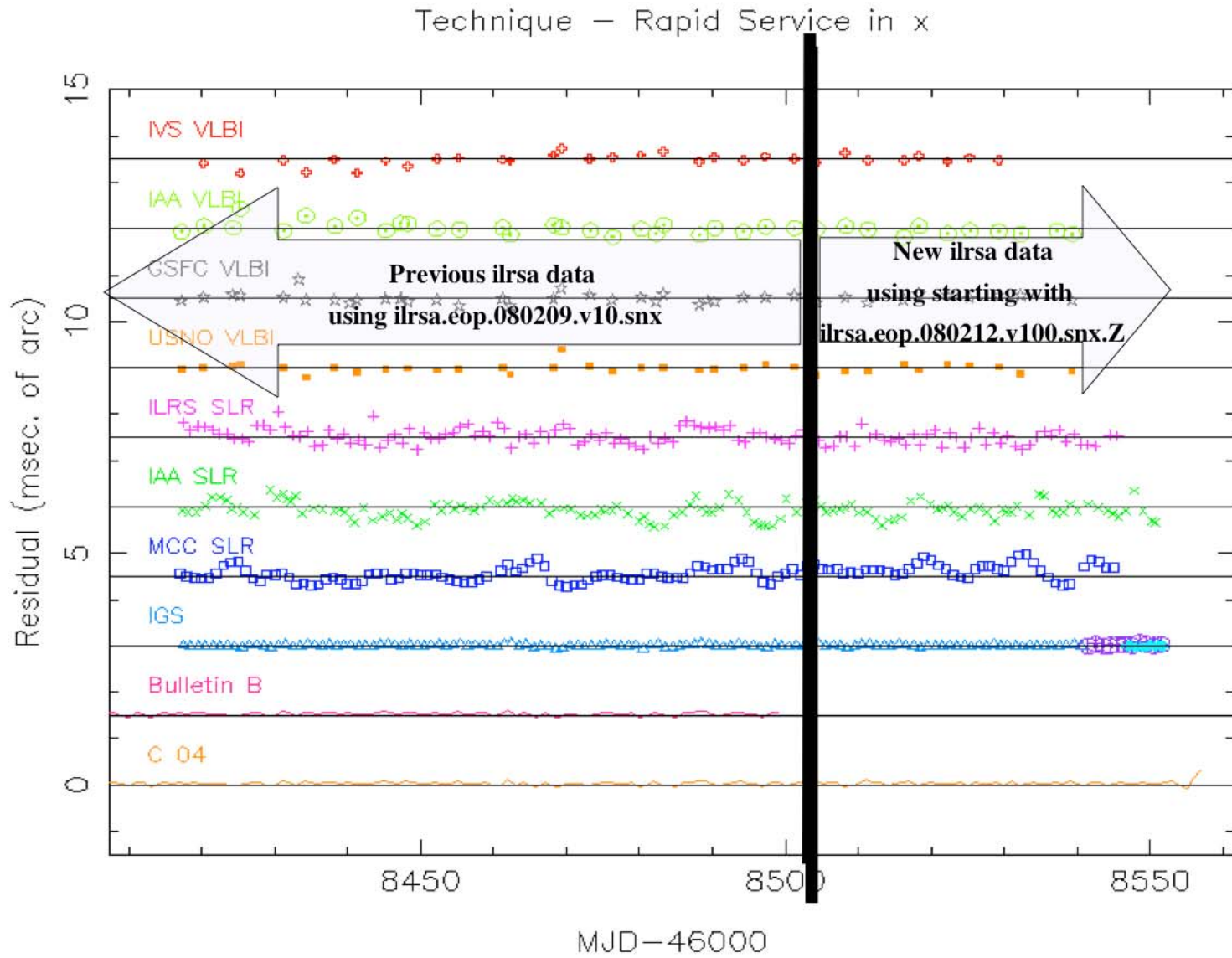
ILRS NEWS

- GPS Campaign to track NEOL GPS-35 & -36 – *ongoing*
- Upcoming Launches:
 - **GIOVE-B** **April 27, 2008**
 - **OSTM/JASON-2** **June 2008**
 - **GOCE** **Summer/Fall 2008**
- LARES Mission approved by ASI (February 2008), launch 2009 (VEGA)
- SET Call for calibration issued – *first response for participation from Beijing*
- A “station status” service is nearly in place: <http://aiuli3.unibe.ch:8000/slr/daystatus.y08>
- Meetings of interest to the ILRS:
 - EGU meetings in Vienna – April 12 – 18:
 - **AWG (TUW, April 12, 9 am - 6 pm)**
 - **ILRS DF&P (TUW, April 14, 3-5 pm)**
 - **ILRS GB (TUW, April 14, 5-8 pm)**
 - **GGOS WG of GN&C (TUW, April 16, 6-9 pm)**
 - **IAG/FIGS Congress/Lisbon, Portugal – May 12 – 15, 2008**
 - **AOGS/Busan, S. Korea – June 16 – 20, 2008**
 - **GGEO2008/Chania, Crete, Greece – June 23 – 27, 2008**

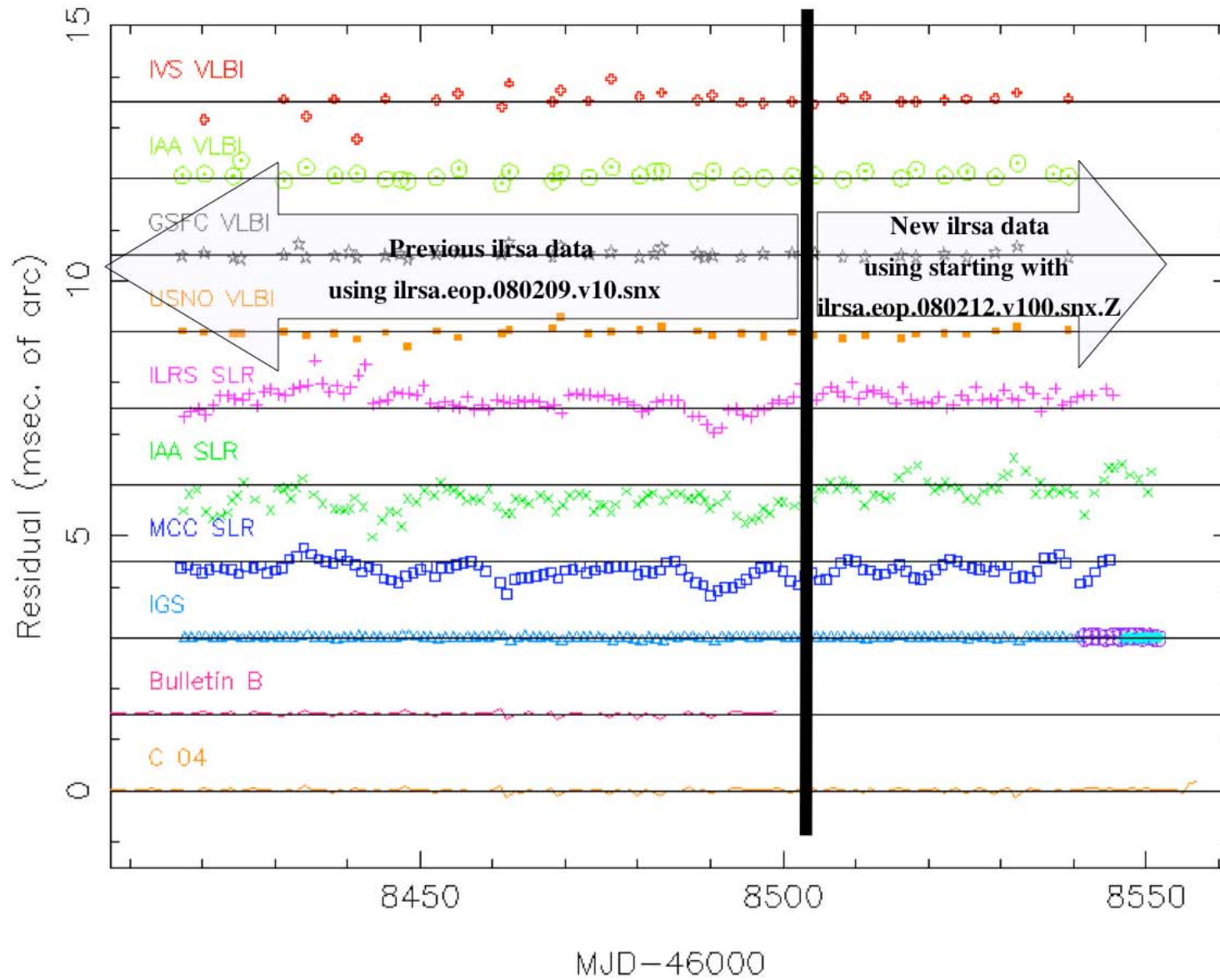
DAILY EOP PRODUCT

- ASI, BKG, GFZ, JCET and NSGF Contributing regularly since mid-February 2008
- NEOS has provided some preliminary evaluation results wrt to IERS EOP
- Internal precision (repeatability) analysis shows that we can deliver Polar motion to $\sim 80\text{-}100 \mu\text{as}$ and LOD to $\sim 45 \mu\text{ts}$
- We need more ACs to contribute and we also need to ensure that all of the contributing ACs use the correct standards and conventions (2003)

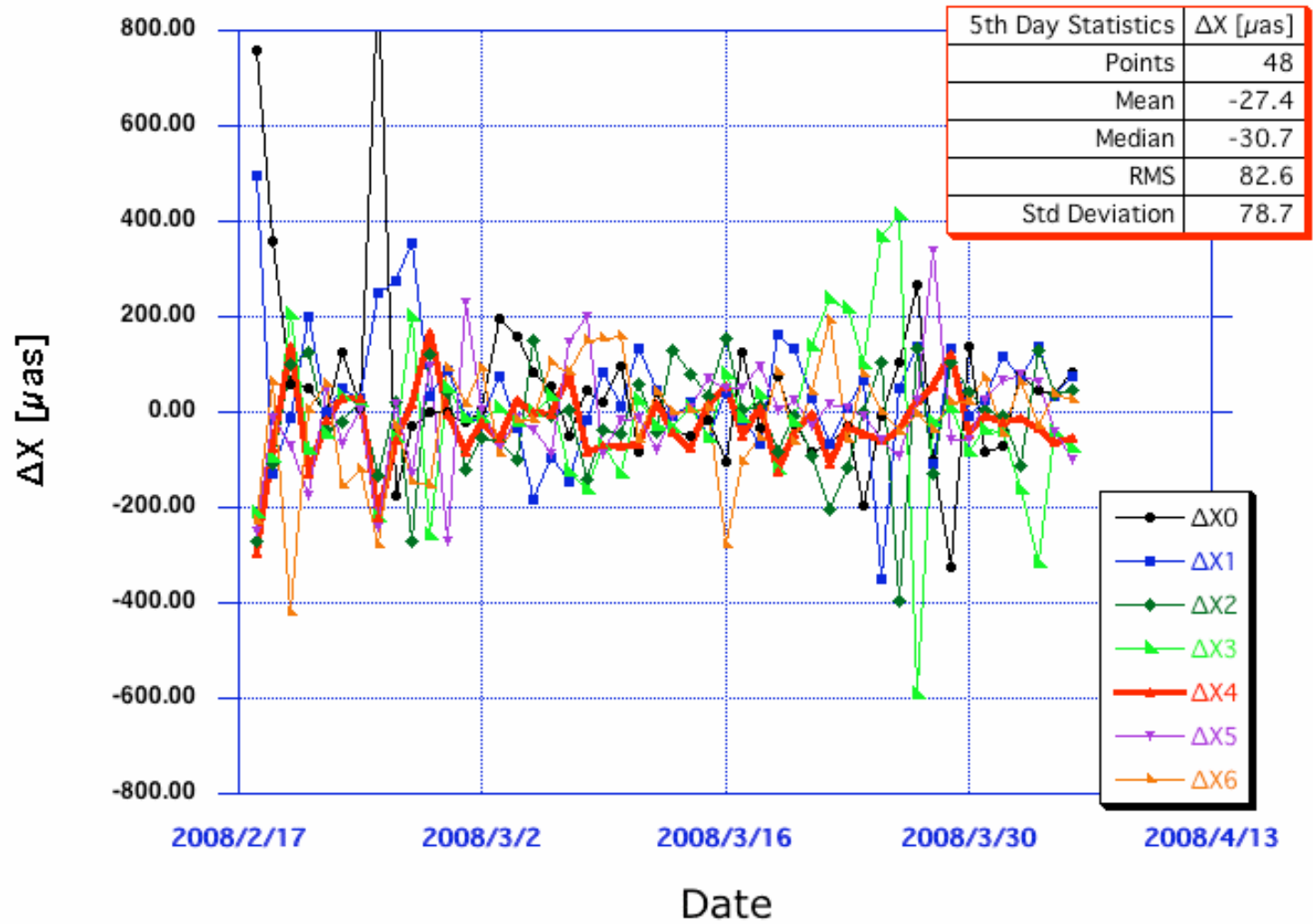
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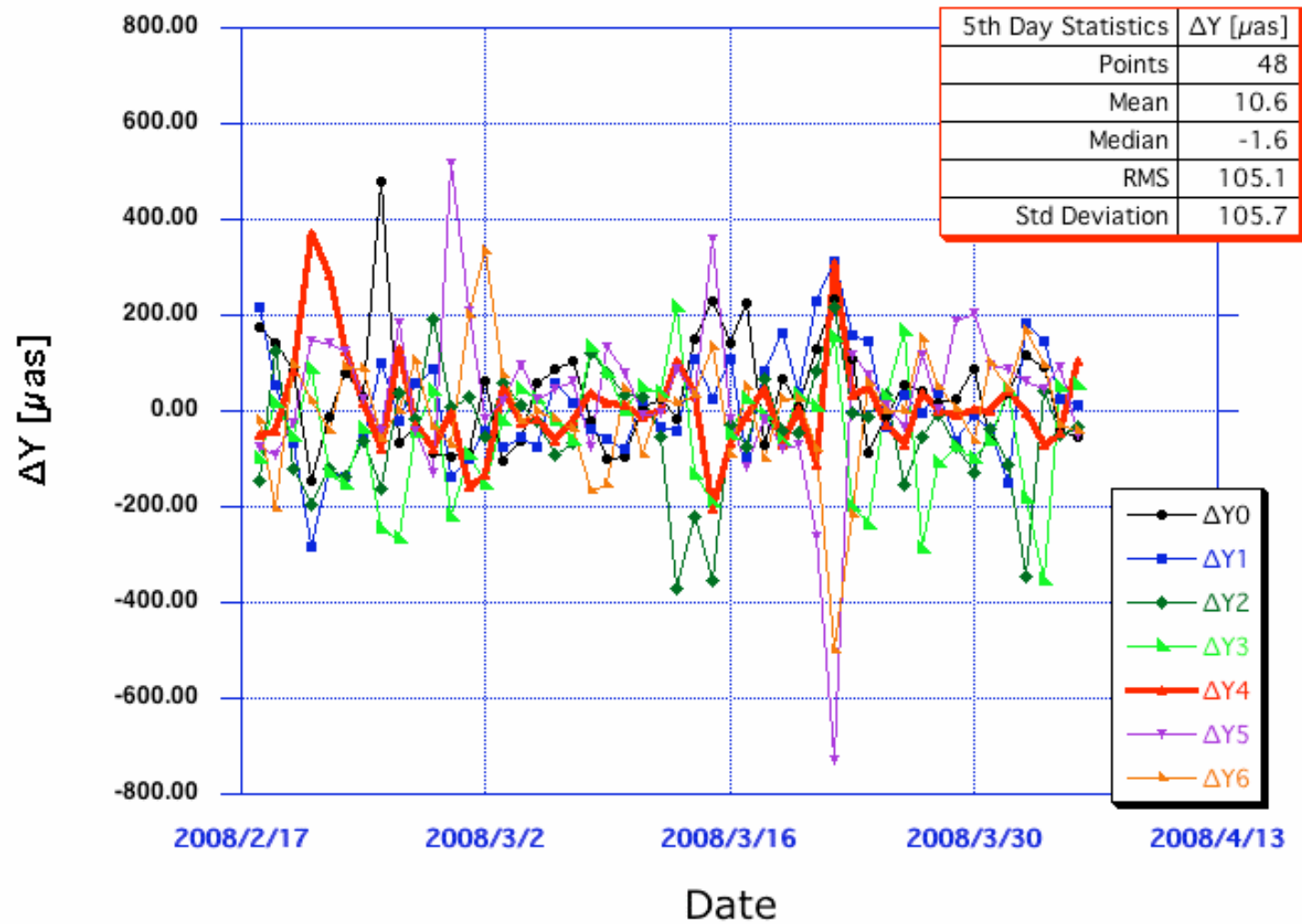
Technique – Rapid Service in y



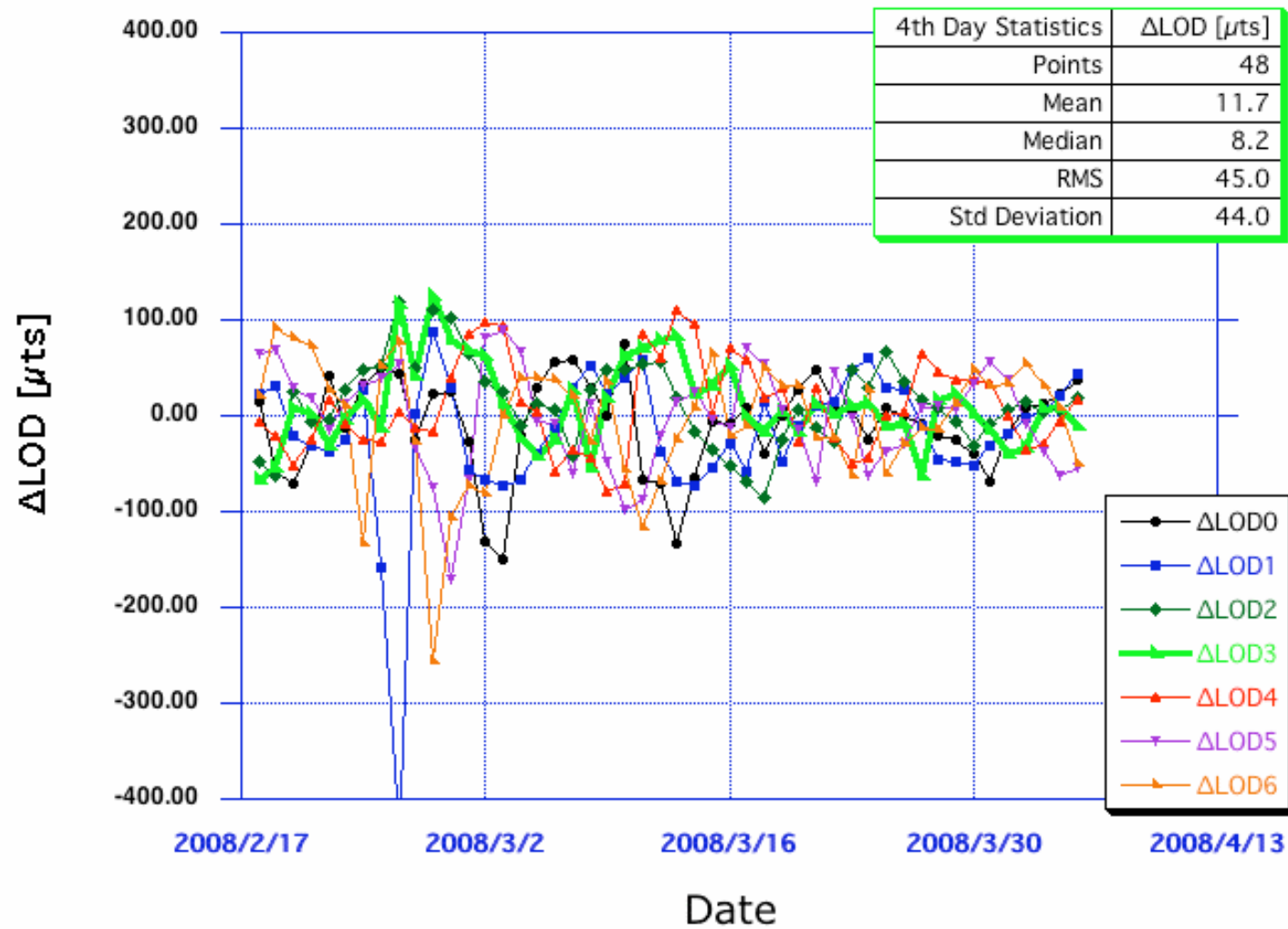
Daily EOP differences from mean



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Unified Analysis Workshop 2007 Action Items

5	SINEX Extension of Parameterization / Naming:		
5a	SINEX Proposal 2 will be distributed to all interested groups. The new version of SINEX should exclusively use new names. Old names are still supported for all older SINEX versions.	IERS ACoo	10-DEC-07
5b	Feedback of groups until	All	18-FEB-08
5c	Distribution of final SINEX version description	IERS ACoo	25-FEB-08
5d	Make a distinction between SINEX files for combination purposes and other purposes in the file name → convention. Proposal by Axel Nothnagel.	Nothnagel	NO NEWS 10-DEC-07 2 PROPOSALS
6	Atmospheric Loading:		
6a	Reference pressure for atmospheric loading: Johannes Böhm checks the deviations of GPT and ISO standard from a correct mean pressure field.	Böhm	31-JAN-08
6b	Correction of atmospheric loading on the weekly, daily or on observation level? Check IERS WS 2007 recommendation. Böhm, Tesmer, van Dam, MacMillan, Pavlis to perform tests to assess the difference between application on the obs. and SINEX level (daily/weekly).	Van Dam	31-MAR-08 NO NEWS
8	Generation of daily SINEX files:		
8a	Generation of daily SINEX files by VLBI (intensive sessions) and by GPS (rapid solutions). ACs are encouraged to submit daily SINEX files containing site coordinates, EOPs based on their rapid solutions. 24-hour data interval for GPS. ILRS/IDS will discuss how they could contribute.	IVS, IGS	01-MAR-08
8b	Intra-technique combination of daily SINEX files as a pilot phase	Ferland, Nothnagel	01-JUL-08
8c	Combination of daily SINEX files by interested groups as a pilot phase based on individual ACs	GFZ, OP, (IGN), (IGGB)	01-JUL-08
9	Benchmarking of diverse models in the software packages , that are common to all techniques. Which models should be checked? Put together a list with priorities. Technique-specific effects should be checked by technique services, common models should be checked on the IERS/GGOS level. Use UAW exploder.	Tim Springer	15-JAN-08 NO NEWS

10	Work towards a representation of parameters by piece-wise linear offsets (instead of offsets and rates):	Services , IERS	NO NEWS
10a	Generate SINEX files for the test period of CONT'05 with piece-wise linear ERPs (using the new SINEX format version) and, if possible, with the old representation (offsets and drifts)	ACs: CODE, ESA, DGFI, IGGB, ...	01-JUL-08
10b	ITRF CCs and other combination groups test the combination based on the new representation	ITRF CC, others	01-OCT-08
10c	A priori representation of the ERPs: ACs should converge to a unique representation (interpolation) of the a priori ERP values as a linear function (linear interpolation) between the vertices. Further discussion by e-mail (UAW).	IERS ACoo, ACs	01-OCT-08
11	Parameterization for ITRF20xx generation:		For the next generation of SINEX time series for ITRF (ca. end 2008)
11a	1) Add quasar coordinates to the SINEX files	IVS	
11b	2) All techniques should include polar motion rates in the SINEX files	All Services	
11c	3) Low-degree harmonics of the gravity field from SLR (degree/order 2)	ILRS	
12	Modeling standards for next ITRF generation:	Services	See AI 11
12c	1) FES2004 or GOT4.7b are recommended as ocean tide model for site displacements (Note: new values should be downloaded because of a model update of FES2004)	All Services	
12d	2) Atmospheric loading should be reconsidered after the tests by van Dam et al.		
12e	3) Consistency with gravity (FES2004 etc.) should be considered as well.	IGS ACoo	
12f	Check consistency of the above options with the IGS reprocessing options.	IGS ACoo	
13	Documentation of AC modeling and parameterization standards:		
13a	Technique-specific forms (a template) are provided by IVS, IGS, ILRS , IDS. (ask Hermann Drewes about his activity here as GGOS WG Chair !!)	IVS, IGS, ILRS, IDS, CBs	20-DEC-07
13b	Generation of a unified form, if not already done by H. Drewes (check also standards sheet by GGOS-D for completeness) and distribution to all ACs	IERS CB	15-JAN-08
13c	Forms filled and returned by all ACs	All ACs	15-FEB-08

21	Meteo data equipment/instrumentation coordinator, technique-independent → to be discuss a the next meeting of the GGOS Infrastructure WG	Pearlman	12-DEC-07
Recommendations			
24	A clear distinction should be made between a solution (SINEX) as input for combination and an optimum solution of a specific technique: for the combination work the parameterization and time resolution of the most sensitive technique has to be used by ALL ACs. Therefore, it might be necessary to generate two types of solutions.	All Services	
25a	Investigate the reason for cut-off angle dependent effects and elevation-dependent weighting.	IVS, IGS, IDS, ILRS	
25b	ACs should freeze their selection of processing options and models between two reprocessing activities	IVS, IGS, IDS, ILRS	
26	Continuous monitoring of the range biases by ILRS	ILRS	
30	Further studies are required to understand the bias between SLR and microwave GPS orbits	IGS, ILRS	
32	Study the influence of the arc length and orbit constraints on geocenter estimates	IGS, IDS, ILRS	

Proposal for a SINEX file name convention across techniques (small and capital letters are allowed)

Proposal 1

yyyy_doy_ntm_zz_aaaxxxx.SNX

where

yyyy = year and

doy = date when observation data used starts

n = number of days included, 1 for 1 day, 7 full week, 9 for fraction of day

t = technique, P = GNSS, L = SLR, M = LLR, R = VLBI, D = DORIS,

C = combined, I = Integrated, Q = Satellite Co-location,

T = local ties

m = type of primary content, C = covariances, D = normal equations with datum fixed, F = normal equations with datum free

zz = Session name or other technique specific identifier

aaa = Analysis center code

xxxxx = "solution" identifier

examples:

2007_273_1DC_NN_JPL2007a.SNX

2005_199_9RF_XA_iaa2006b.SNX

Proposal 2

yydoy_ntm_zz_aaaxxxx.SNX

where

yy = year and

doy = date when observation data used starts

n = number of days included, 1 for 1 day, 7 full week, 9 for fraction of day

t = technique, P = GNSS, L = SLR, M = LLR, R = VLBI, D = DORIS,

C = combined, I = Integrated, Q = Satellite Co-location,

T = local ties

m = type of primary content, C = covariances, D = normal equations

with datum fixed, F = normal equations with datum free

zz = Session name or other technique specific identifier

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examples:

07273_1DC_NN_JPL2007a.SNX

05199_9RF_XA_iaa2006b.SNX

Comment to both proposals:

Most of the ACs have 4-5-character long identifiers and we will try to artificially stuff these (as we do now too!) into 3 characters, which will make identification difficult and eventually ambiguous, especially for outsiders. On the other hand, a solution for a specific interval (1 day, 1 week, etc.) will easily be identified by a 2-digit year designator and a letter code, e.g. 08D, and I cannot think of anyone releasing more than 26 versions of such a file.

Why not swap the fields to:

aaaaa = Analysis center code
xxx = "solution" identifier

yyyy_doy_ntm_zz_aaaaaxxx.SNX

or

yy_doy_ntm_zz_aaaaaxxx.SNX

GPS 35 & 36 SLR Tracking Campaign 2008

The GPS-35 and -36 satellites will soon be decommissioned. They will continue to operate for a while, but they will not be used in the GPS navigation complex. These are the only GPS satellites that have retroreflectors and this may be our last chance to acquire a good set of GPS data for long-term studies, system comparisons, and reference frame support.

The ILRS Governing Board has approved an intensive tracking campaign on GPS-35 and -36 running from March 25 through May 31. The priority on GPS-35 and -36 will be raised to follow the Lageos Satellites. Pass segments should be 15 minutes (3 normal points) with 3 segments spread out over the pass to the extent possible.

Viewing schedules show that nighttime passes will be visible for GPS-35 in Europe, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, Eastern Australia, Tahiti and the Western US during this period.

Nighttime passes for GPS-36 should be visible from Asia, South America, Australia and Eastern US.

Courtesy Mark Davis

SLR Tracking of GPS
 Misclosures to
IGS ULTRA RAPID
2007 - 07-APR-2008

Site	G35 and G36 # Obs.	MEAN	Std. Dev. (meters)
Beijing	15	0.0003	0.0667
Chang Chun	96	-0.0165	0.0524
Tanegashima (GUTS)	116	0.0162	0.0556
Koganei - Toyko	51	-0.0161	0.0392
Mt Stromlo	129	-0.0065	0.0292
Yarragadee	672	-0.0273	0.0343
GGAO	15	-0.0124	0.0363
Mon Pk	8	-0.0206	0.0423
San Juan	729	0.0171	0.0235
TIGO	52	-0.0169	0.0287
Graz	193	-0.0161	0.0256
NERC	98	0.0053	0.0374
Katsively	7	-0.0579	0.0656
Riyadh	87	0.0111	0.0133
Wettzell	44	0.0066	0.0218
G35 - whole network	1034	-0.0102	0.0411
G36 - whole network	1264	0.0024	0.0346

Author: Oscar Brogdon, HTSI / NASA SLR

GPS Weekly Tracking Report

Received **24-MAR-2008 - 07-APR-2008**

Sat	Station	PAD_ID	Wave	ALL Passes	All Norm Points	31-MAR-2008 07-APR-2008 Passes	31-MAR-2008 07-APR-2008 Norm Points
GPS-36	Yarragad	7090	5320	12	50	6	24
GPS-36	Greenbel	7105	5320	1	2		
GPS-35	Monument	7110	5320	1	3		
GPS-36	Beijing	7249	5320	1	3		
GPS-35	Tokyo	7308	5320	2	9	1	6
GPS-35	Tanegash	7358	5320	7	39	4	28
GPS-36	Tanegash	7358	5320	5	36	3	27
GPS-36	San Juan	7406	5321	19	101	12	61
GPS-36	Mt Strom	7825	5320	3	19	3	19
GPS-35	Riyadh	7832	5320	8	44	4	21
GPS-35	Graz	7839	5320	4	43	1	12
GPS-36	Graz	7839	5320	1	2		
GPS-35	Herstmon	7840	5320	4	12	2	8
				68	363	36	206

Over the last two weeks

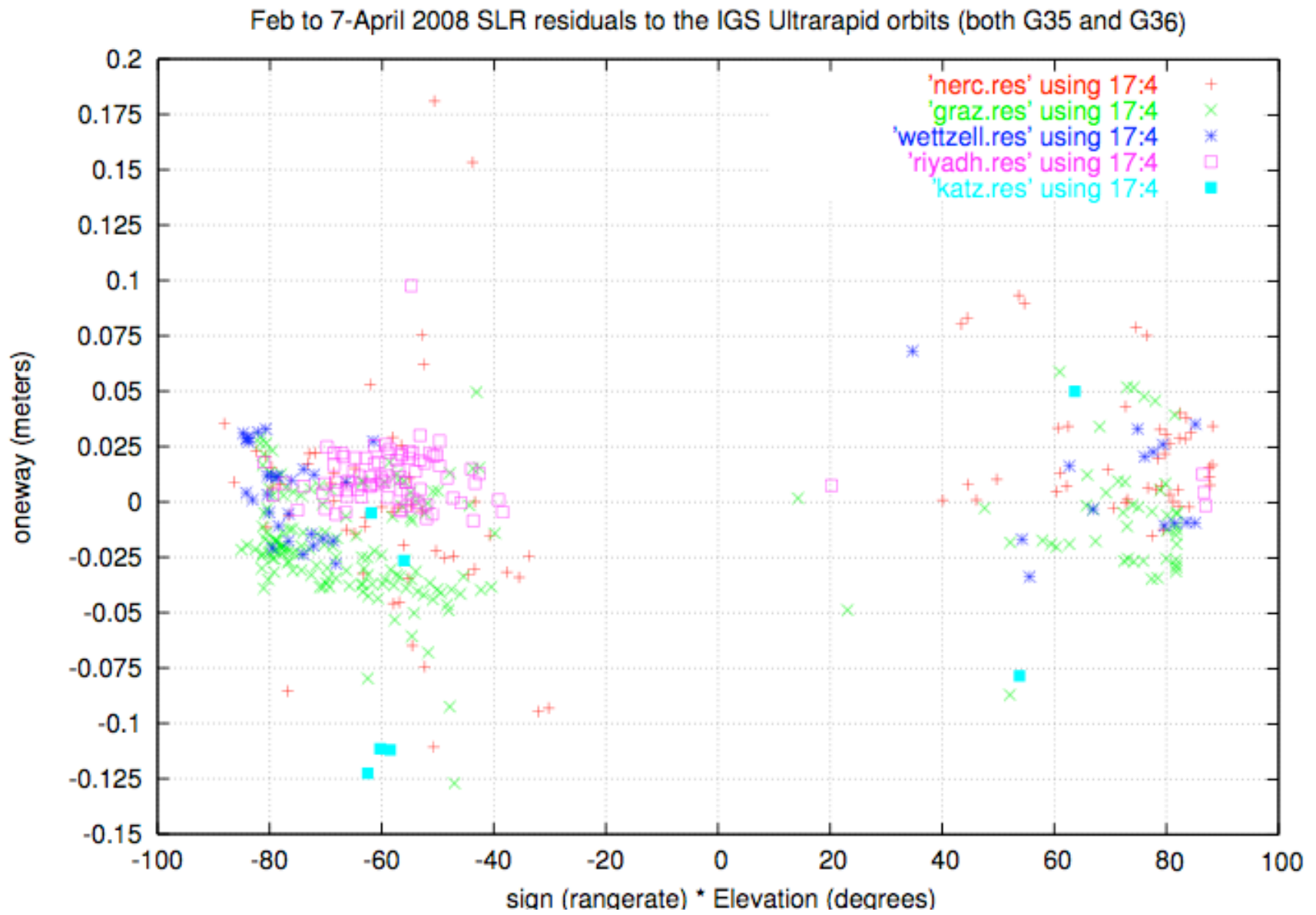
We have improved our yield on GPS 35 & 36 (combined)

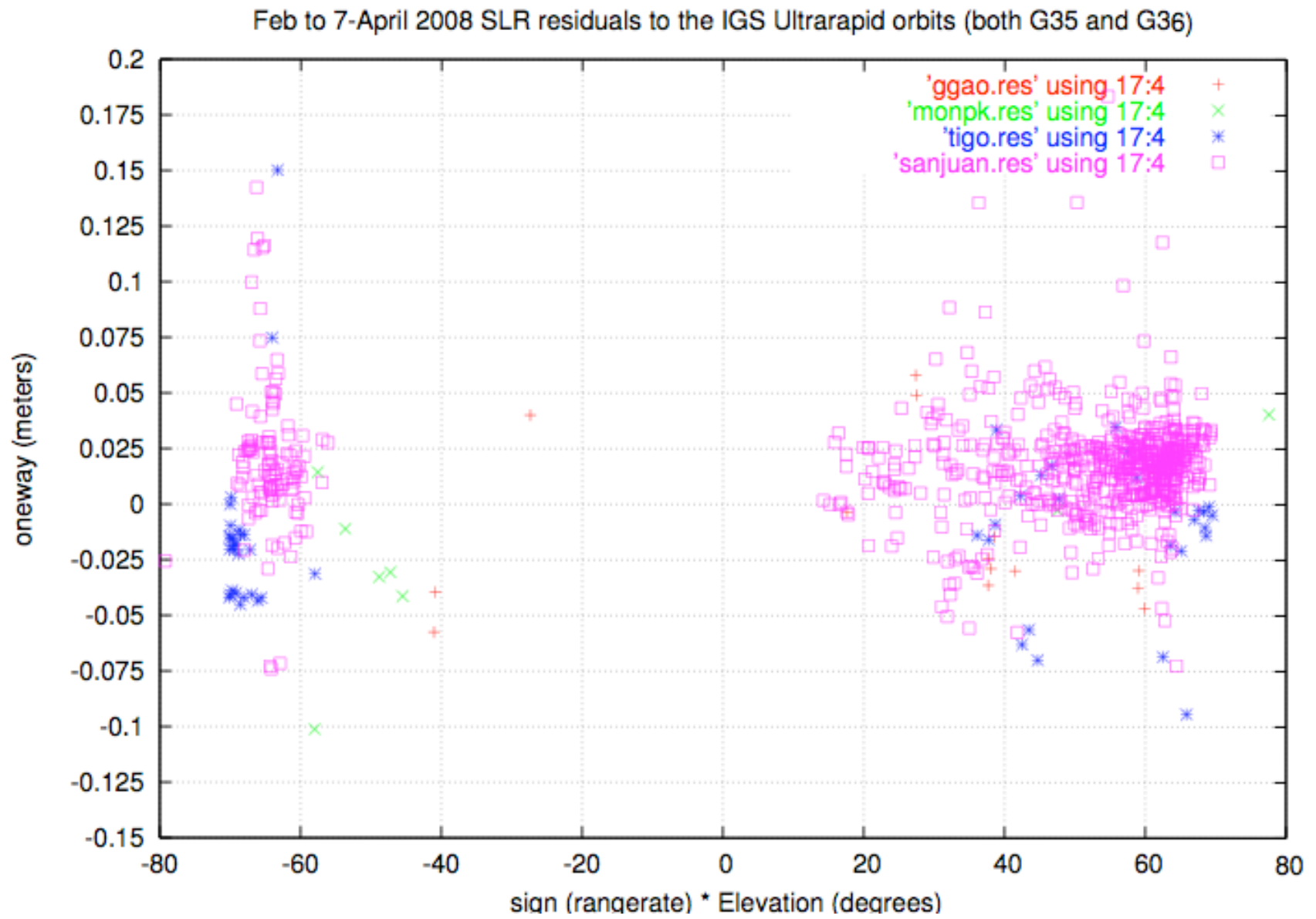
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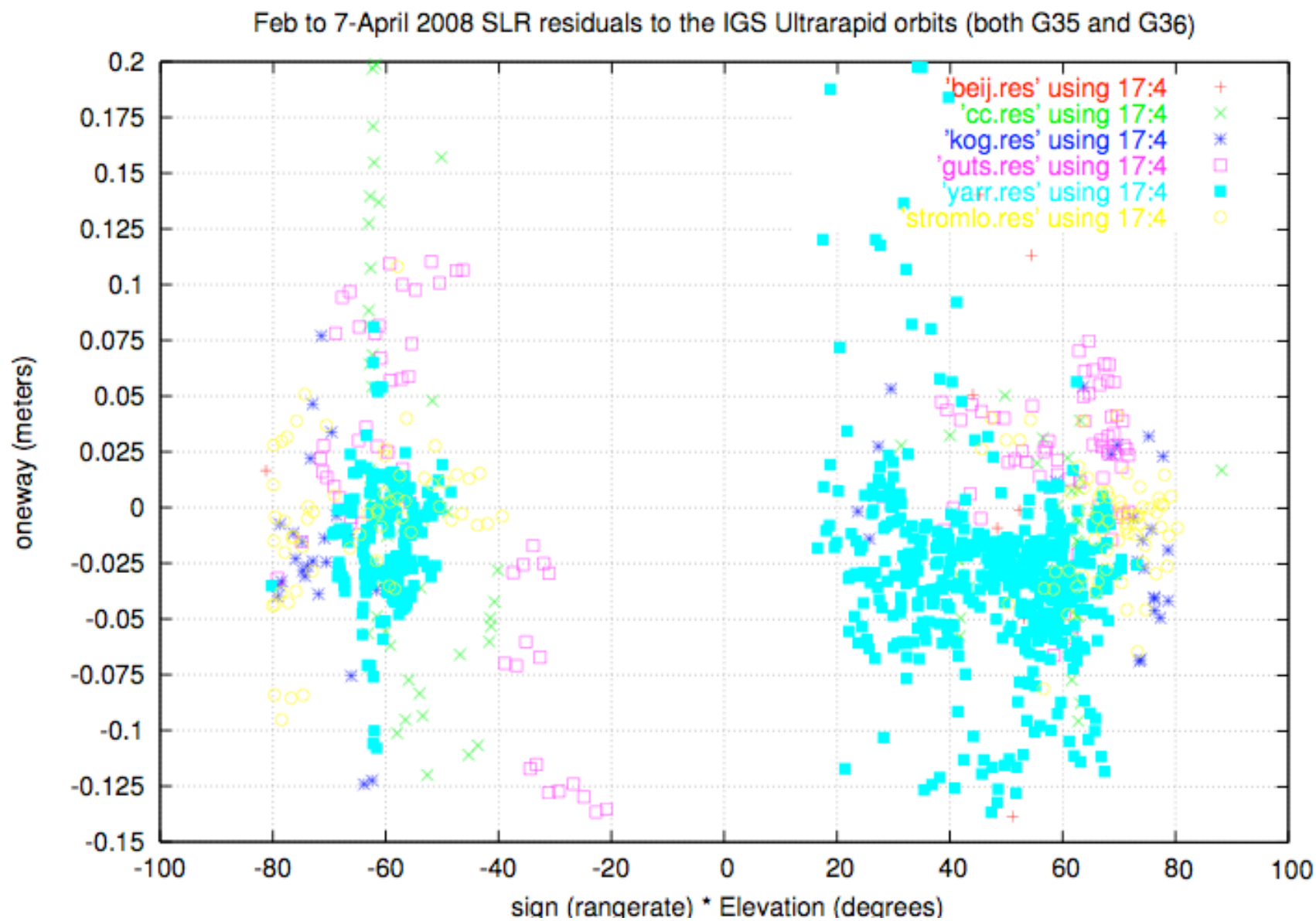
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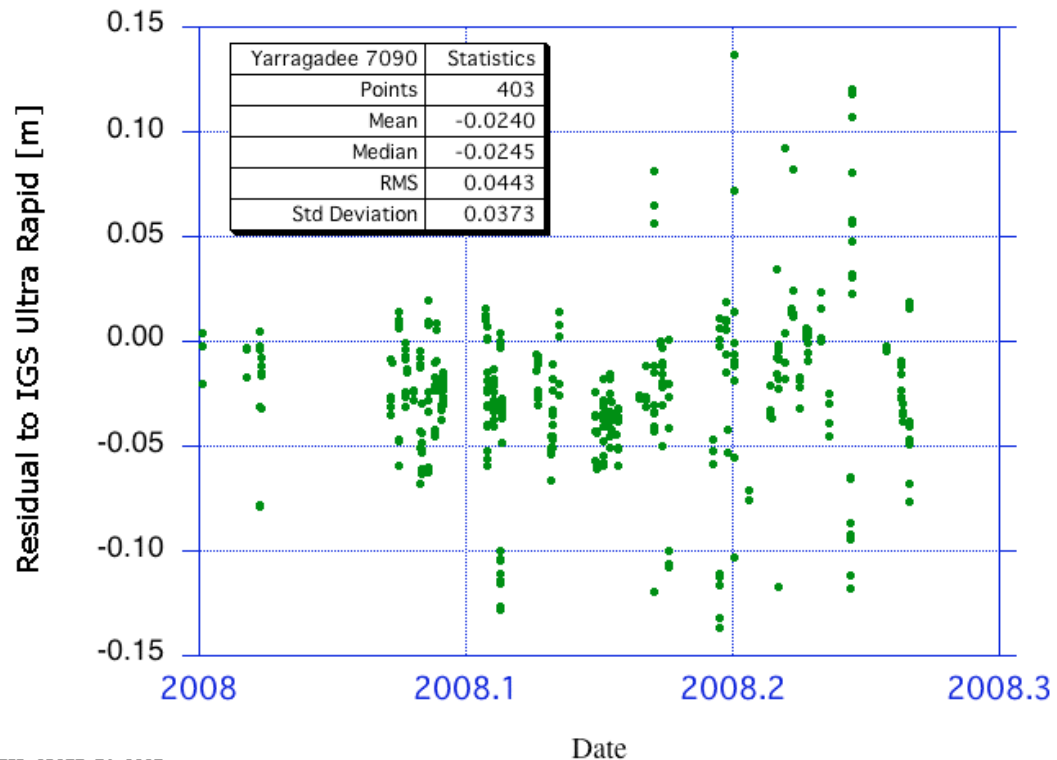
to

**26 Ranges/day
on average**





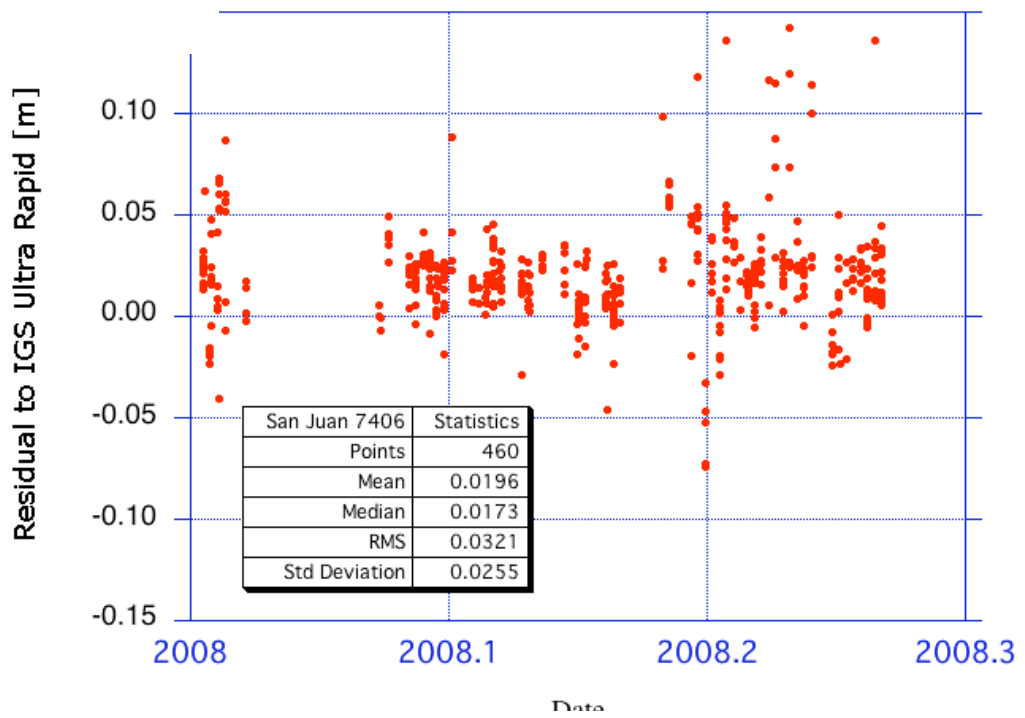




San Juan 7406

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Yarragadee 7090



CRD Data Format – The new ILRS Standard Format for all ILRS data

A draft timetable for CRD format implementation is as follows:

- **April '08** - We will request that all stations begin to make the conversion to the new format as soon as possible. We will also request that they send in both formats of the data for data validation. Once a system's data are validated by the **Analysis Working Group**, they will no longer be required to send in both formats.
- **Sept '08** - The Data Centers should be archiving data regularly. As of this date, the Operations Centers (EDC, HTSI) will convert all data that is NOT yet in the CRD format for a parallel delivery to the Data Centers. If a station's data has been validated, and they are only sending in CRD data, then the Operations Center will convert to normal point data for parallel delivery.
- **April '09** - By this date, we will expect that ALL ILRS systems will be sending in CRD data format.
- **January '10** - The Operations Centers will cease converting data to the old normal point format, and will only deliver CRD data to the Data Centers."

Note that the first item calls for the **AWG** to verify that the CRD data agrees with the old data for each station. We feel it is important that the network and analysts feel confident that the CRD data is not materially different from the old data, but is the **AWG** or a subset willing to take on this task?

MLRS CRD data at: http://cddis.gsfc.nasa.gov/pub/slr/data/npt_crd/.

STATION STATUS REPORT PAGE

<http://aiuli3.unibe.ch:8000/slr/daystatus.y08>

DOY	Date	BURF	CONL	HERL	MATM	POT3	SFEL	TEST	WETL	YARL	ZIML
071	11-Mar-2008	OUT	OUT	OPER		OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
072	12-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
073	13-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
074	14-Mar-2008	OPER	OUT	OUT	OPER	OPER	OPER		OUT	OPER	DOWN
075	15-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OUT		OUT	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
076	16-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OUT		OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
077	17-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OUT	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT	OUT	OPER	DOWN
078	18-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT	OPER	OPER	OPER
079	19-Mar-2008	OUT	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
080	20-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT		OPER	OPER	DOWN
081	21-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT			OPER	OPER	DOWN
082	22-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT	OUT			OPER	OPER	OPER
083	23-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER			OPER	OPER	OPER
084	24-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
085	25-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
086	26-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
087	27-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	OPER
088	28-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
089	29-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	OPER
090	30-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER		OPER	OUT	DOWN
091	31-Mar-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
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093	02-Apr-2008	OUT	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
094	03-Apr-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER	OUT	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	DOWN
095	04-Apr-2008	OPER	OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER		OPER	OPER	OPER

Dubious Local Ties as results from the ITRF2005 computation (All techniques)

Dubious means disagreement between Local Survey and Space Geodesy Estimates

Sites listed where discrepancy is larger than ~10 mm

Site Name	Vector	Sigma used in ITRF2005 (mm)	Magnitude of Discrepancy (mm)	Comments (*)
REYKJAVIK	GPS-DORIS	20	20	
BOROWIEC	GPS-SLR	15	25	
YUZHNO-SAKHALINS	GPS-DORIS	15	20	
ZIMMERWALD	GPS-SLR	10	15	SLR Range Bias ?
HERSTMONCEUX	GPS-SLR	3.3	10	Tie to be re-measured by IGN 2008
SAN FERNANDO	GPS-SLR	3	50	SLR ?GPS ? Tie ?
MADRID	GPS-VLBI	10	30	GPS ?
SHANGHAI	GPS-VLBI	4	10	VLBI ?
BEIJING	GPS-SLR	10	20	SLR ?
WUHAN	GPS-SLR	10	20	SLR ?
LHASA	GPS-SLR	20	15	SLR ?
CIBINONG	GPS-DORIS	20	30	GPS ?
MAHE ISLAND	GPS-DORIS	22	70	
FAIRBANKS	DORIS-GPS	4	15	EQ ?
KAUAI	GPS-VLBI	9	10	GPS ?
KAUAI	GPS-DORIS	9	15	
WESTFORD	GPS-VLBI	20	20	GPS ?
MAUI-Haleakala	GPS-SLR	3	9	
PIETOWN	GPS-VLBI	9	10	
RIO GRANDE	GPS-DORIS	8	20	
FORTALEZA	GPS-VLBI	30	30	GPS ?
CACHOEIRA PAULIS	GPS-DORIS	15	20	
EASTER ISLAND	GPS-SLR	35	20	
CONCEPCION	GPS-SLR-VLBI	15	15	
THULE	GPS-DORIS	15	25	
YARAGADEE	GPS-SLR	7	10	
GUAM	GPS-DORIS	30	40	
SYOWA	GPS-VLBI-DORIS	30	40	
O'HIGGINS	GPS-VLBI	60	40	
TAHITI	GPS-SLR	3	10	Tie Re-measured (IGN 2007)

Missing Ties (All techniques)

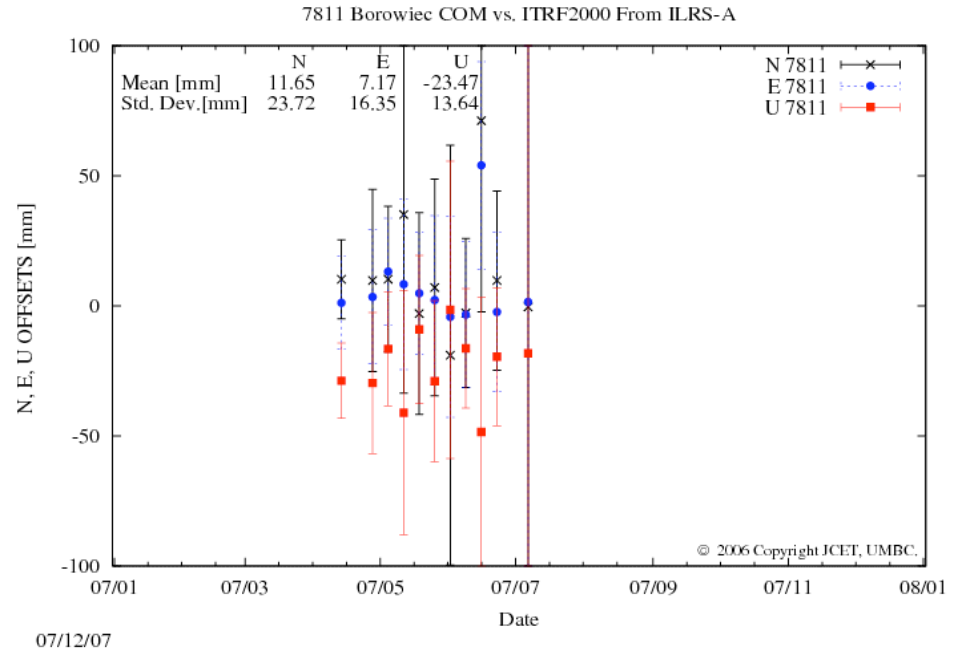
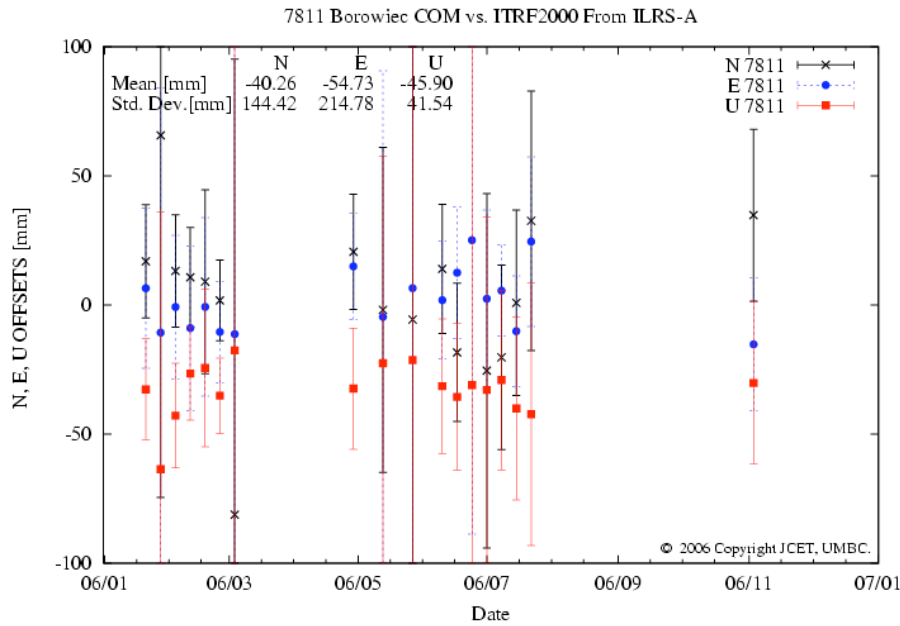
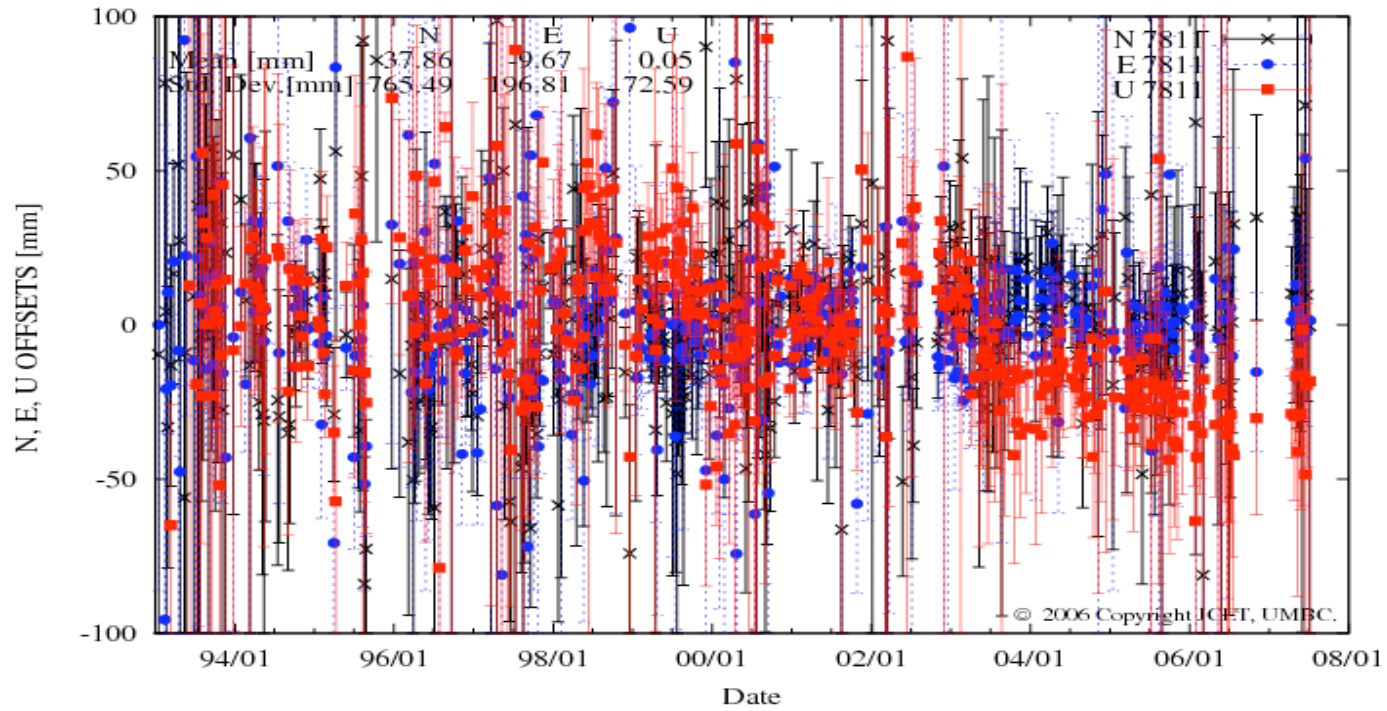
Site	Techniques	Comments
Ryiadh-Solar-Village	GPS-SLR	
URUMQI	GPS-VLBI-SLR	
SIMEIS-Katzively	SLR-VLBI	
KUNMING	SLR-GPS	SLR ?
MIZUSAWA	GPS-VLBI	
BREWSTER	GPS-VLBI	

Dubious Local Ties as results from the ITRF2005 computation (SLR Cases)

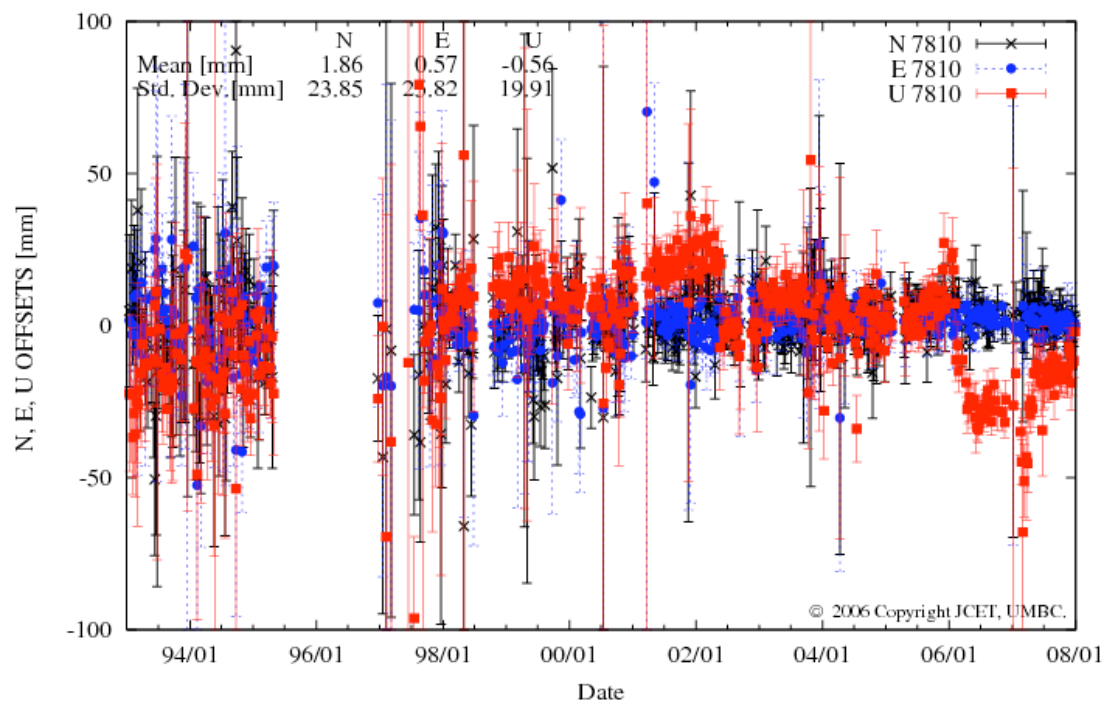
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BOROWIEC	GPS-SLR	15	25	NOISY SITE/REEVALUATE
ZIMMERWALD	GPS-SLR	10	15	SLR Range Bias ? REEVALUATE
HERSTMONCEUX	GPS-SLR	3.3	10	Tie to be re-measured by IGN 2008
SAN FERNANDO	GPS-SLR	3	50	SLR ? GPS ? Tie ? RIOA?
BEIJING	GPS-SLR	10	20	SLR ? REEVALUATE
WUHAN	GPS-SLR	10	20	SLR ? - Poor SLR site
LHASA	GPS-SLR	20	15	SLR ? - Poor SLR site
MAUI-Haleakala	GPS-SLR	3	9	OLD SLR SITE GONE
EASTER ISLAND	GPS-SLR	35	20	Old SLR site...
CONCEPCION	GPS-SLR-VLBI	15	15	BKG ?
YARAGADEE	GPS-SLR	7	10	GPS antenna pier uplift?
TAHITI	GPS-SLR	3	10	Tie Re-measured (IGN 2007) ΔX of -14 mm

Missing Ties Involving SLR

Site	Techniques	Comments
Ryiadh-Solar-Village	GPS-SLR	KACST?
URUMQI	GPS-VLBI-SLR	Poor SLR site
SIMEIS-Katzively	SLR-VLBI	Poor SLR site
KUNMING	SLR-GPS	SLR ? - Poor SLR site

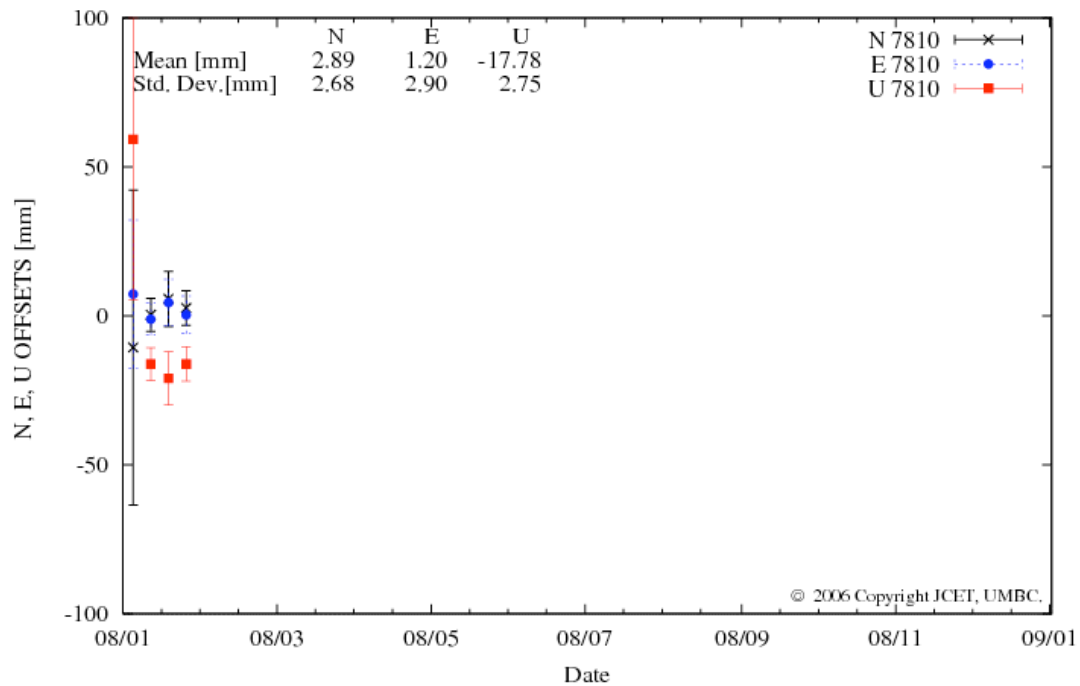


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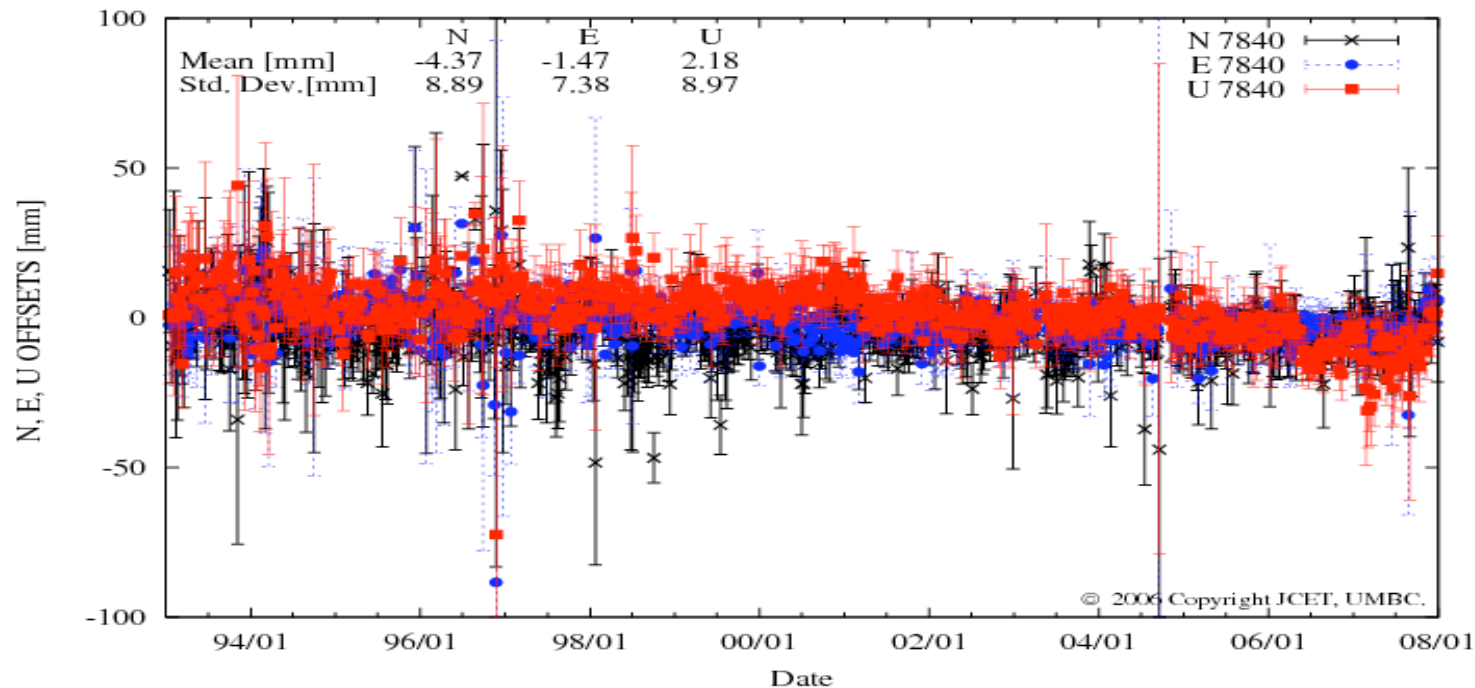
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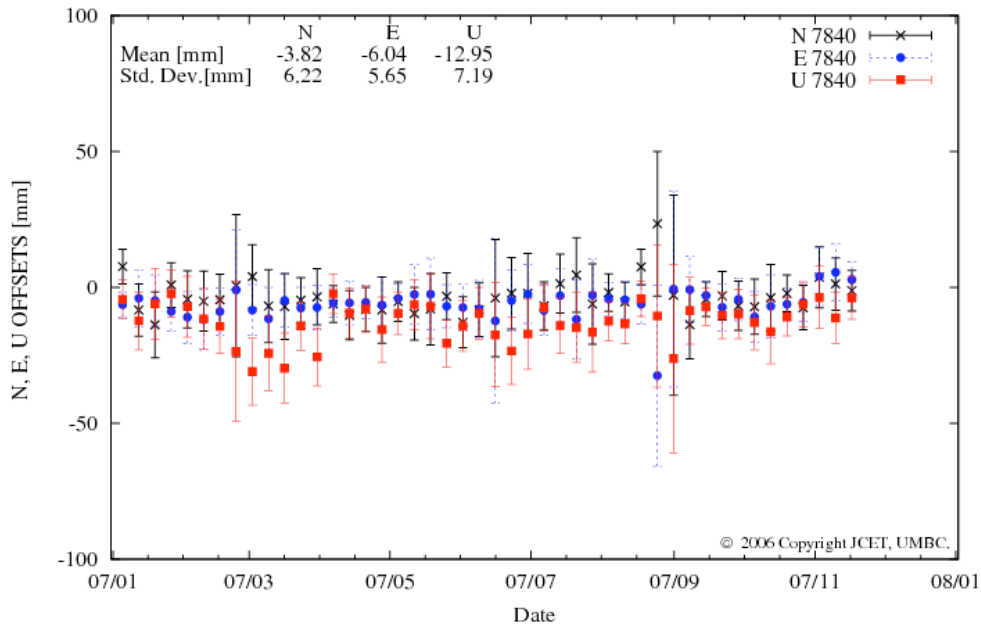
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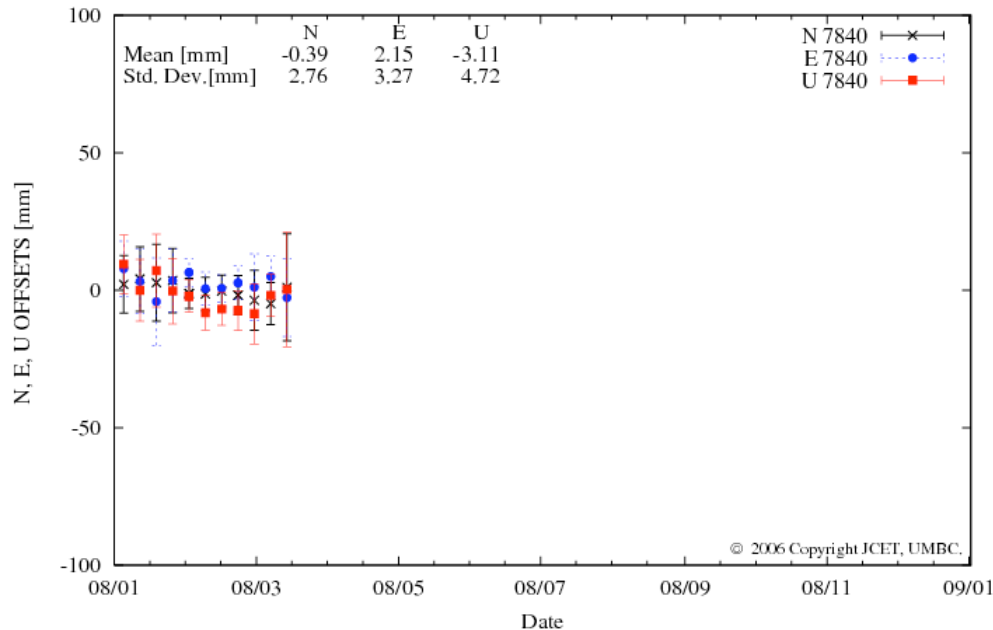
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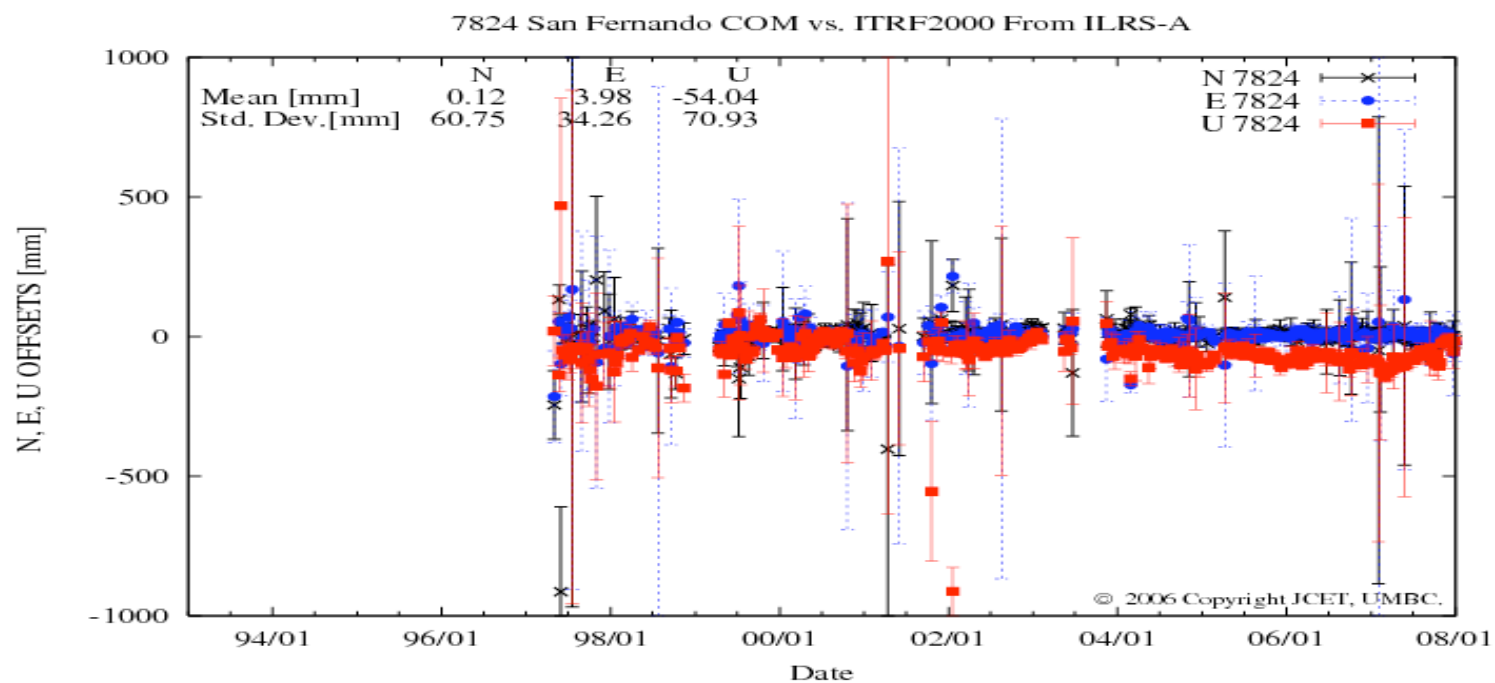


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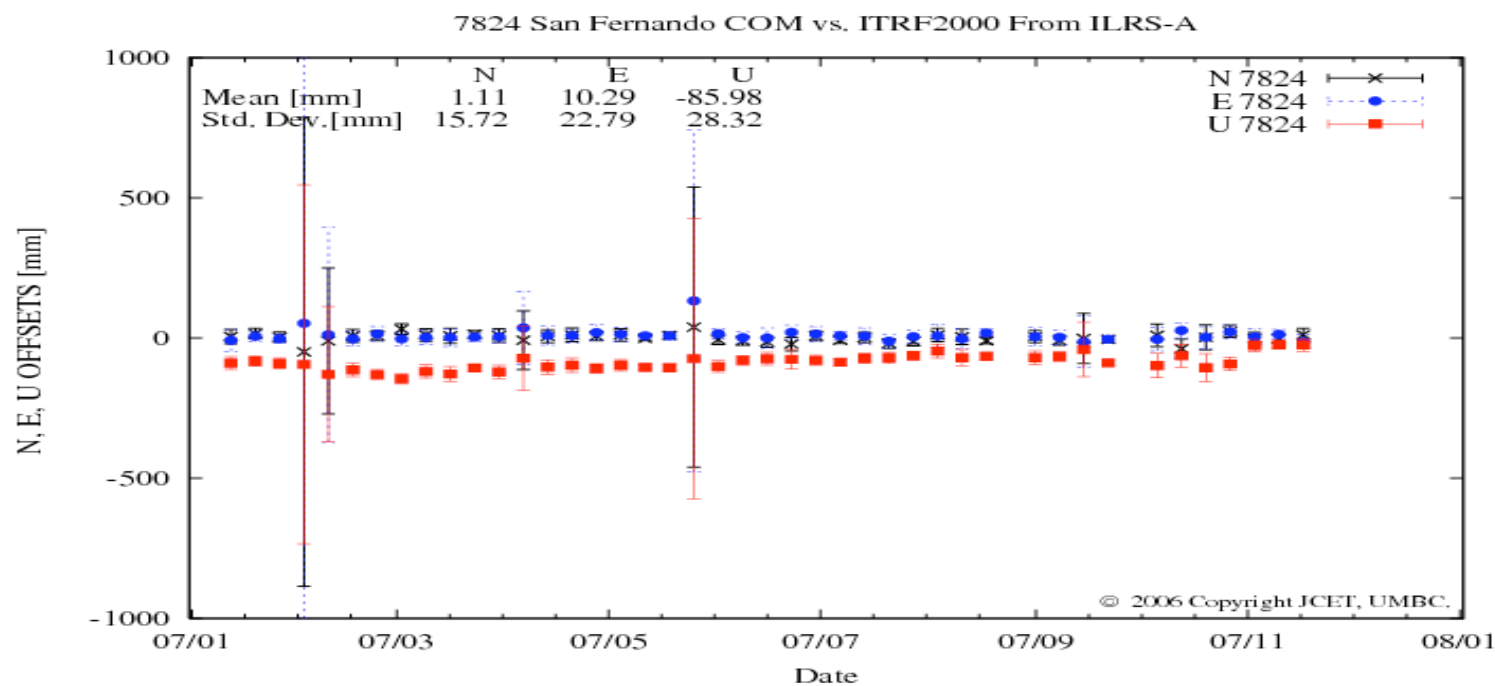
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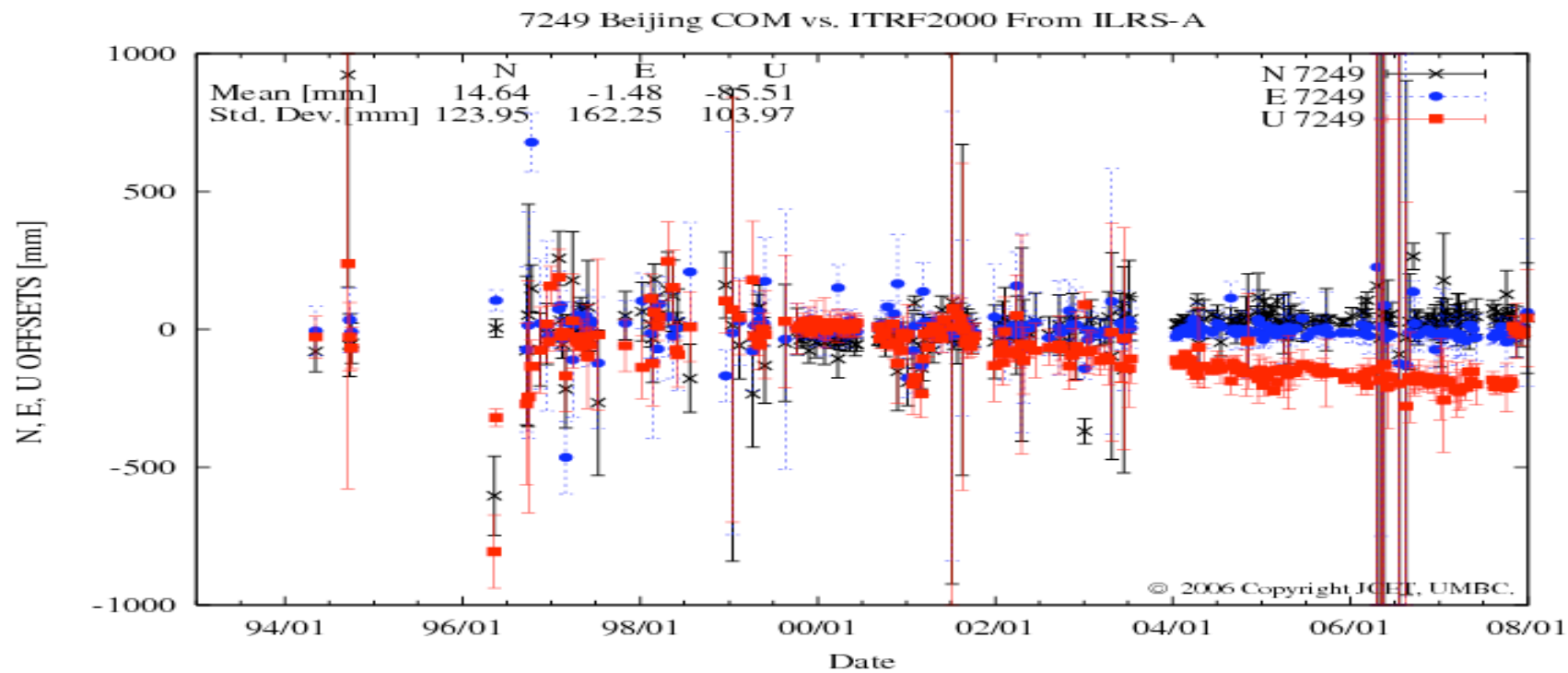
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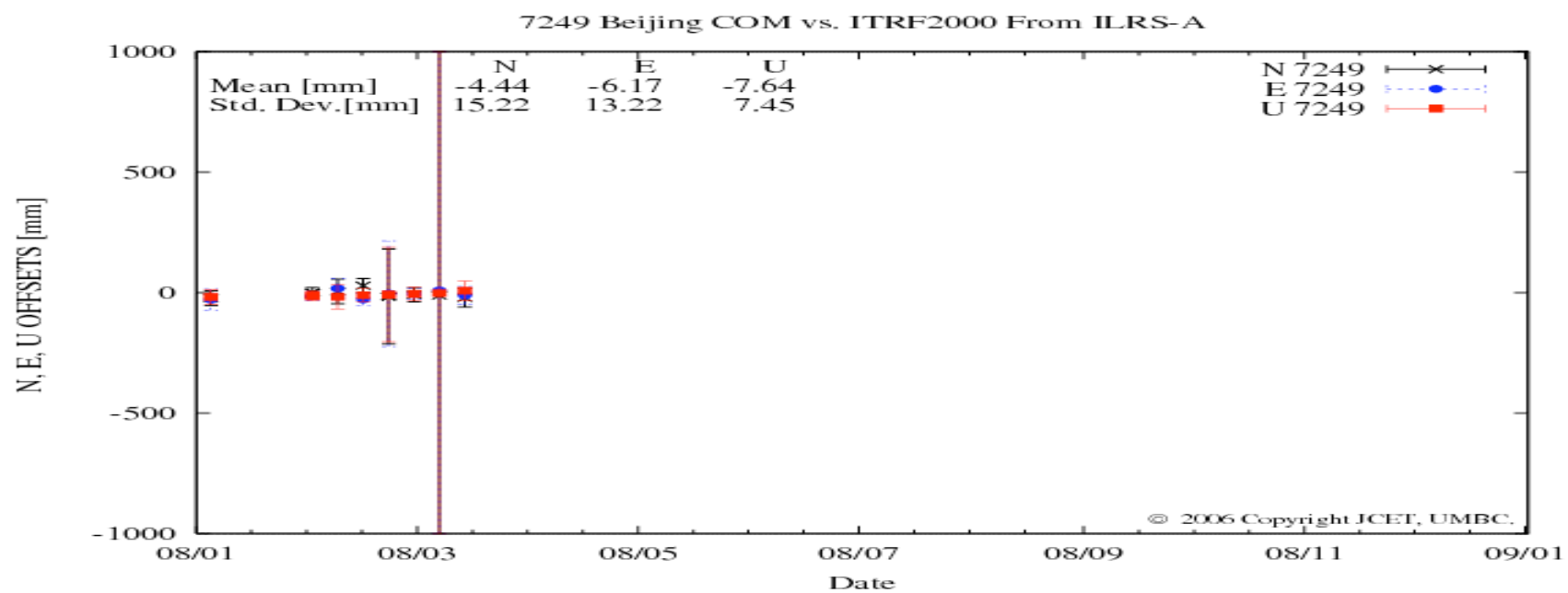
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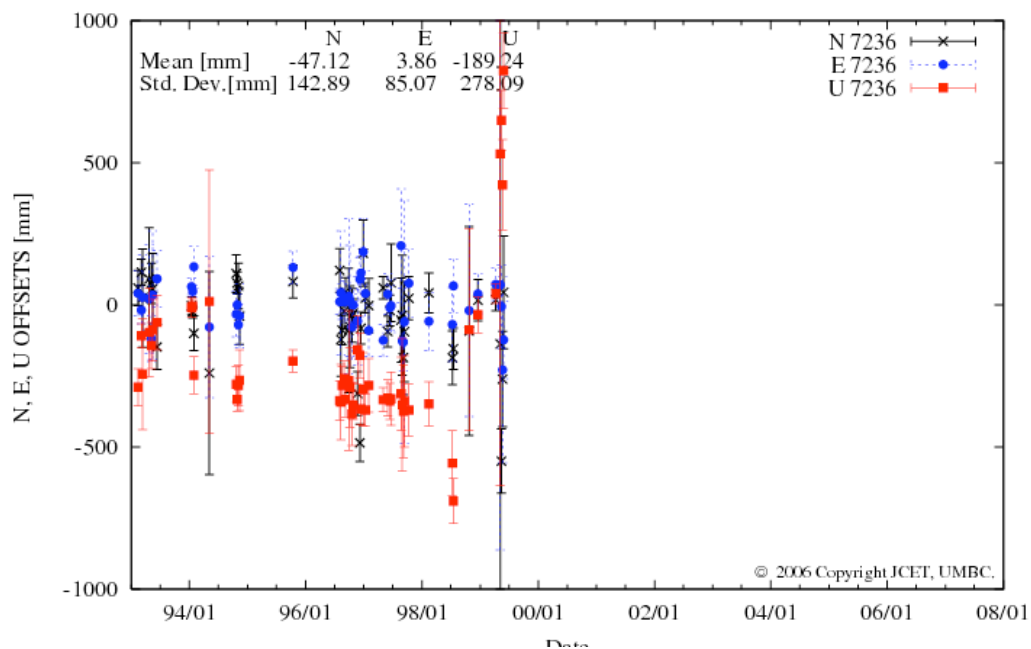


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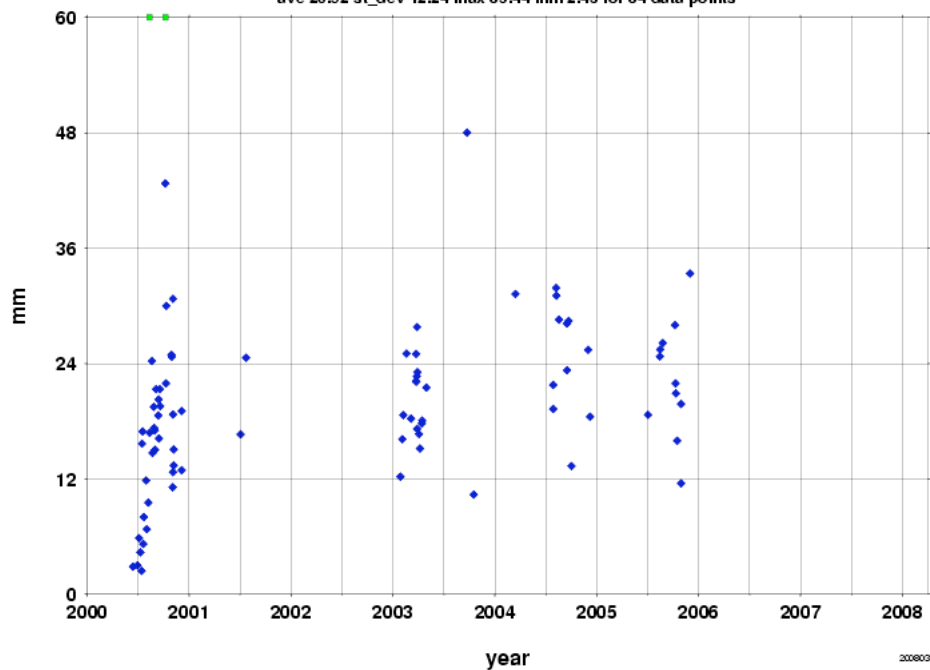
7236 Wuhan COM vs. ITRF2000 From ILRS-A



Wuhan, China 7231

pass average LAGEOS normal point rms

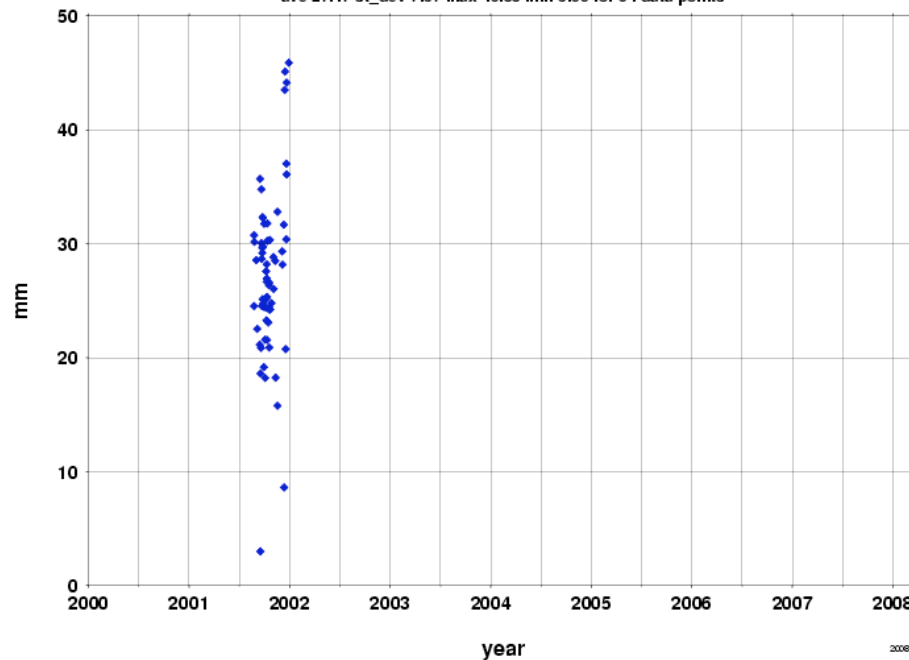
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Lhasa, China 7356

pass average LAGEOS normal point rms

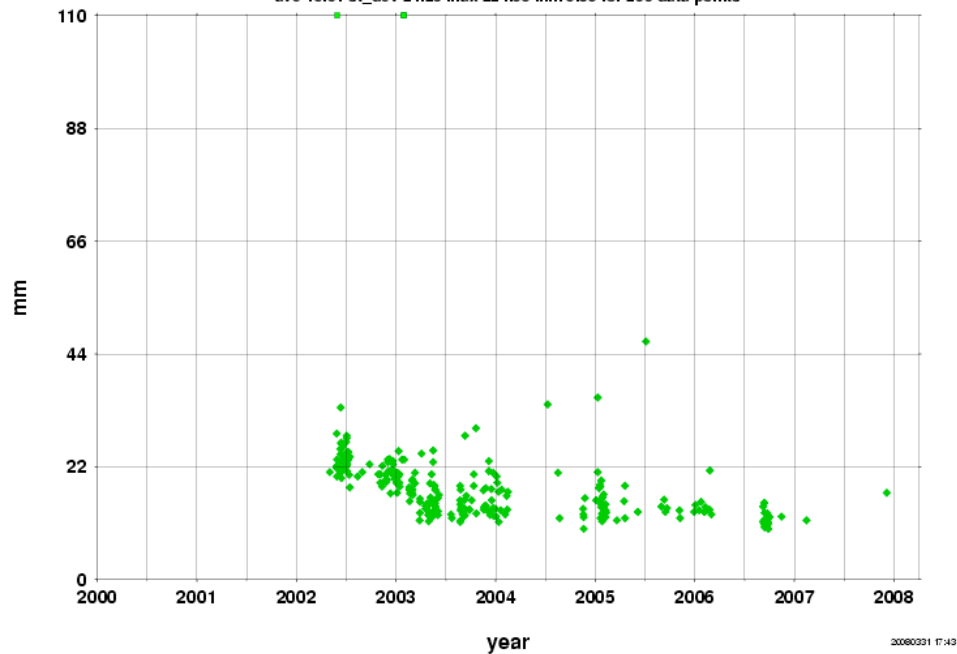
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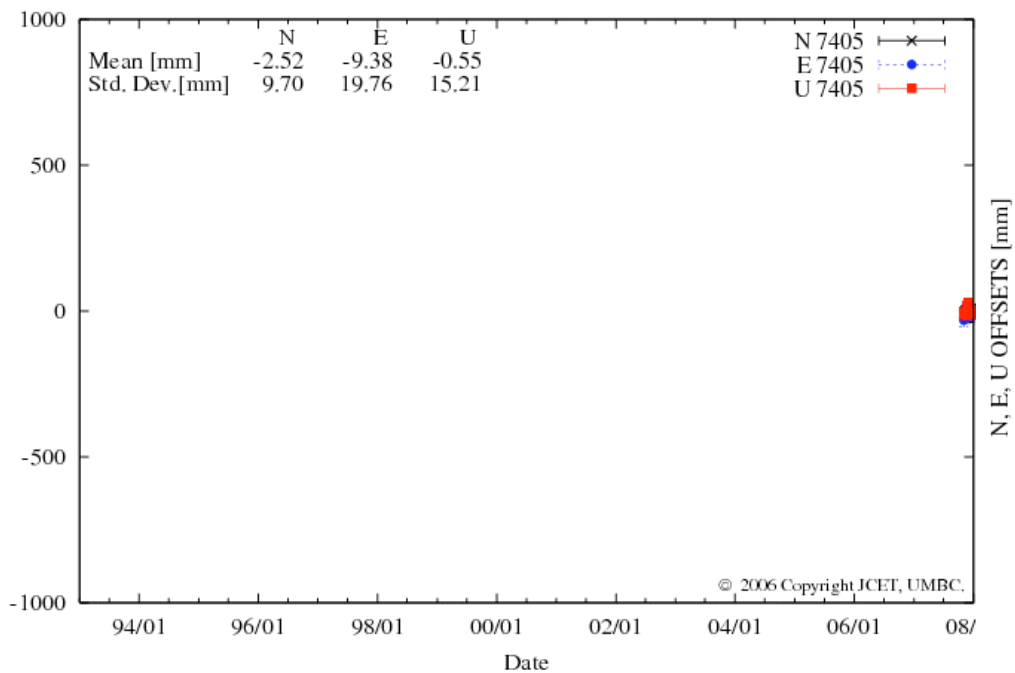
Concepcion, Chile 7405

pass LAGEOS rms

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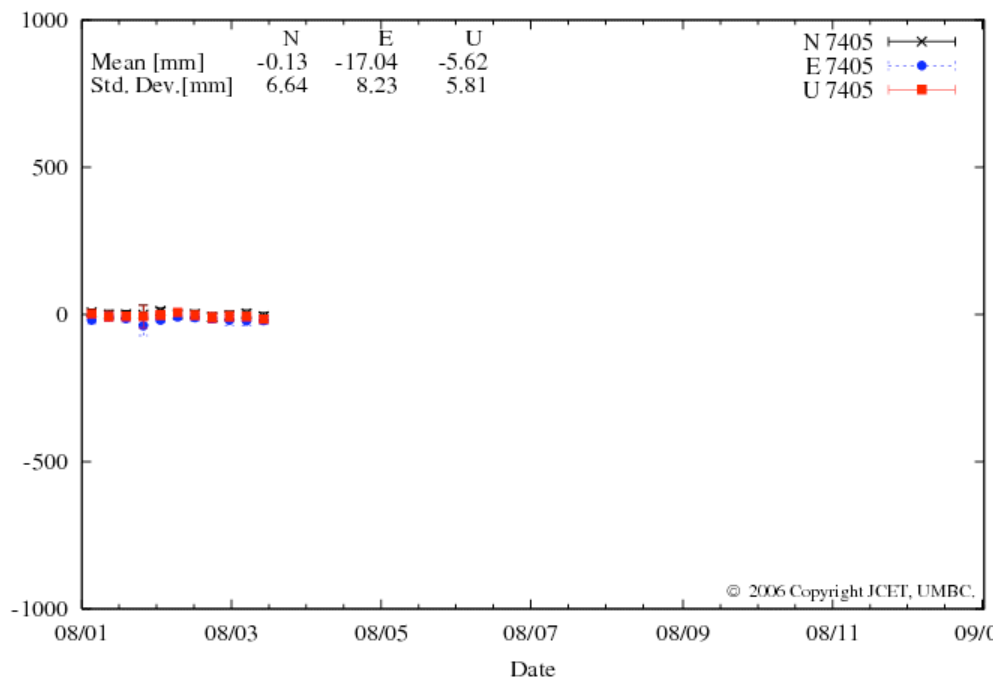


7405 Concepcion COM vs. ITRF2000 From ILRS-A

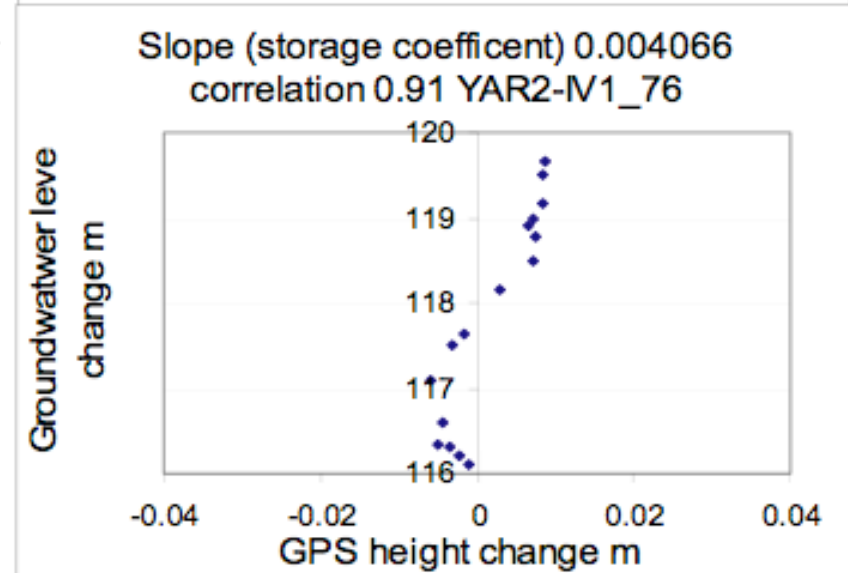
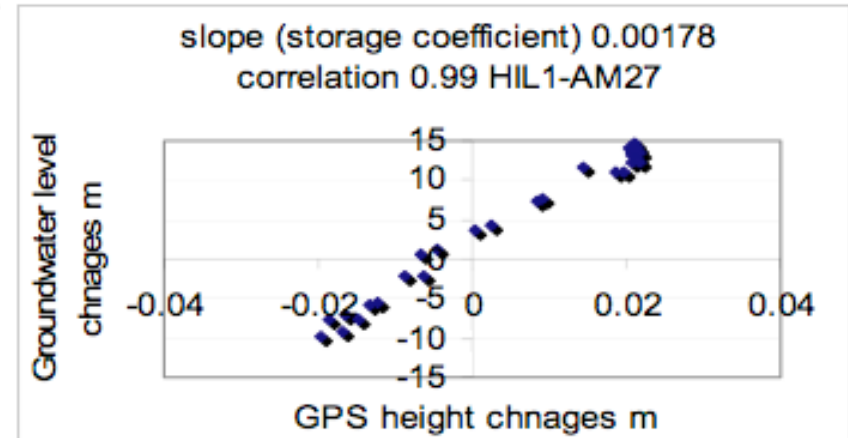
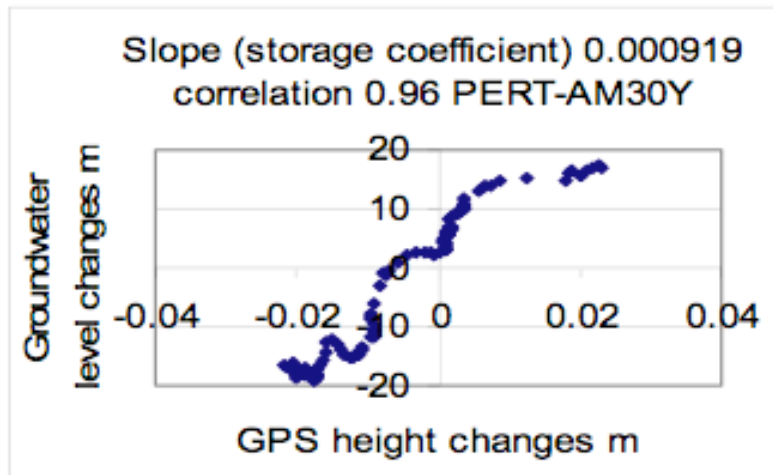


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7405 Concepcion COM vs. ITRF2000 From ILRS-A



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The slopes (storage coefficients) estimated using the least squares method are 0.000919, 0.00178 and 0.004066 for pairs PERT-AM30Y, HIL1-AM27 and YAR2-IV1_76 respectively. The correlations are 0.96, 0.99 and 0.91 for the three pairs. The correlations are almost linear.

SLR Discontinuities, Biases, Edits, etc. file

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+FILE/COMMENT
This file sets up a SLR discontinuity file
in parallel to those already available and subject to
updates in the IGS and IVS community.
SOLUTION/DISCONTINUITY
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Confirmed and Probable
Commonly used models for time series analysis are:
"M" Models codes for coordinates time series analysis:
  P = Position
  V = Velocity
  A = Annual Periodicity
  S = Semi-Annual Periodicity
  E = Exponential Decay
"A" Axis modeled:
  E,N,U = East, North, Up
  X,Y,Z = Geocentric XYZ
  -     = 3D
SOLUTION/DATAHANDLING
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"M" Models codes:
  X = Exclude/delete data
  R = Estimation of range bias recommended
  C = Target signature bias, Center-of-mass correction different to standard
  S = Stanford ET bias, BIAS in millimeter to be added to all one-way ranges

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-FILE/COMMENT

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+INPUT/ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

*AGY _____FULL_DESCRIPTION_____

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GFZ GeoForschungsZentrum Potsdam (GFZ), Potsdam, Germany

+ Several individuals.

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1893	A	12341S001	L	Katsively	33 58 32.5	44 23 3.8	43.9
7210	A	40445M001	L	Maui	203 44 38.7	20 42 26.0	3068.
7105	A	40451M105	L	Greenbelt	283 10 20.3	39 1 14.2	19.2
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7237	A	21611S001	L	Changchun	125 26 36.4	43 47 25.8	274.2
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7406	A	41508S003	L	San Juan, Argentina	291 22 36.5	-31 30 31.3	728.0
7604	A	10004M002	L	Brest	4 30 13.8	48 24 28.3	104.8
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7824	B	13402S007	L	San Fernando	353 47 40.8	36 27 54.9	98.3
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+SOLUTION/DISCONTINUITY

*CODE	PT	SOLN	T	_DATA_START_	_DATA_END_	M	A	COMMENTS
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7403	A	1	L	00:000:00000	01:175:73994	P	-	Arequipa Earthquake
7403	A	2	L	01:175:73994	01:219:00000	P	-	Post seismic
7403	A	3	L	01:219:00000	01:255:00000	P	-	Post seismic
7403	A	4	L	01:255:00000	02:237:00000	P	-	Post seismic
7403	A	5	L	02:237:00000	00:000:00000	P	-	
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7835	A	1	L	00:000:00000	97:146:00000	P	-	
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7835	A	3	L	97:293:00000	00:000:00000	P	-	
7838	A	1	L	00:000:00000	04:249:00000	P	-	
7838	A	2	L	04:249:00000	00:000:00000	P	-	
7839	A	1	L	00:000:00000	96:274:00000	P	-	
7839	A	2	L	96:274:00000	00:000:00000	P	-	
8834	A	1	L	00:000:00000	97:001:00000	P	-	
8834	A	2	L	97:001:00000	00:000:00000	P	-	

-SOLUTION/DISCONTINUITY

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+SOLUTION/DATAHANDLING

*CODE	PT	SOLN	T	_DATA_START_	_DATA_END_	M	BIAS	COMMENTS
1824	A	1	L	99:314:00000	00:000:00000	S	16.0	Add to all one-way ranges
1864	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R		

1868	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	
1884	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	
1893	A	1	L	98:171:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7105	A	1	L	06:336:18000	06:342:10800	X	Time unit failure
7210	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	
7231	A	1	L	99:001:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7237	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	
7249	A	1	L	01:020:00000	00:000:00000	S	22.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7343	A	1	L	00:032:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7406	A	1	L	06:020:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7810	B	1	L	97:001:00000	00:000:00000	S	11.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7810	B	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	For infrared wavelength only
7811	A	1	L	93:001:00000	94:001:00000	R	
7811	A	1	L	02:127:00000	00:000:00000	S	9.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7820	A	1	L	98:140:00000	00:000:00000	S	19.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7824	A	1	L	01:222:00000	00:000:00000	S	8.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7830	A	1	L	03:091:00000	03:274:00000	S	6.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7831	A	1	L	99:135:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7835	A	1	L	95:244:00000	05:213:00000	S	3.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7835	A	1	L	93:001:00000	98:001:00000	R	
7836	A	1	L	92:129:00000	00:000:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7838	A	1	L	04:183:00000	00:000:00000	S	9.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7839	A	1	L	93:001:00000	96:274:00000	R	
7840	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	C	245 mm CoM for LAGEOS1/-2
7840	A	1	L	93:001:00000	94:274:00000	R	Stanford Counter problems
7840	A	1	L	93:001:00000	02:032:00000	S	18.5 Add to all one-way ranges
7840	A	1	L	02:032:00000	00:000:00000	S	8.5 Add to all one-way ranges
7841	A	1	L	01:201:00000	04:050:00000	S	10.0 Add to all one-way ranges
7848	A	1	L	02:091:00000	02:274:00000	S	8.0 Add to all one-way ranges
8834	A	1	L	93:001:00000	97:001:00000	R	

-SOLUTION/DATAHANDLING

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+BIAS/EPOCHS **SLR DATA PROBLEM FILE PROPOSED by V. Husson in 2003**

*
* Last modified - 14 July 2003
* by V. Husson/ILRS Central Bureau (*back then :-*)
*
* ILRS Point Codes are:
*
* L1: LAGEOS-1
* L2: LAGEOS-2
* LC: LAGEOS Combined
* E1: Etalon-1
* E2: Etalon-2
* EC: Etalon Combined
* --: Wildcard (applies to all satellites, LEO, LAGEOS, and high)
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*
* ILRS Observation Bias Codes are:
*
* **R: range bias**
* **T: time bias**
* **P: pressure bias**
* **S: scale bias**
* **X: blunder, please edit**
*
*
* **The Solution Number Code is used to reflect the release flag**
* **of the data (byte 48 of the normal point data record)**
*
* Note: 1) The Mean Epoch field was intentionally left blank.
* 2) An entry with a Bias Code of 'X' will NOT have a corresponding
* entry in the SOLUTION/APRIORI BLOCK, because this data is to
* edited. Conversely, an entry with a bias code other than 'X'
* will have a corresponding entry in the SOLUTION/APRIORI BLOCK.

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*           1           2           3           4           5           6           7           8
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*
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1864 L1      0 X 99:170:58920 99:170:62520
1864 --      0 X 02:070:00000 02:101:00000
1868 L1      0 X 99:313:41160 99:313:44760
1868 L2      0 X 99:313:47520 99:313:51120
1868 L2      0 R 99:319:36120 99:319:39720
1868 L1      0 R 99:319:61080 99:319:64680
1868 L2      0 R 99:319:65460 99:319:69060
1884 L2      0 X 99:128:71280 99:128:74880
7105 L2      0 P 99:138:73380 99:138:76980
7105 L2      0 X 99:141:68416 99:141:68418
7105 L2      0 X 99:156:03150 99:156:03152
7105 L2      0 X 99:158:03021 99:158:03023
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7105 L1      0 P 99:191:15720 99:191:16444
7105 L1      0 X 99:191:16805 99:191:16807
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7210 L1      0 T 99:183:31980 99:183:33200
7210 L1      0 T 99:188:19860 99:188:20070
7210 L2      0 T 99:189:07380 99:189:08330
7210 L2      0 X 99:189:08584 99:189:08585
7210 L1      0 T 99:189:27900 99:189:29300

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-BIAS/EPOCHS
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+SOLUTION/APRIORI
*
* SOLUTION/APRIORI entries will have a corresponding entry
* in the BIAS/EPOCHS Block. The Point Codes, Solution Number
* and start epoch should exactly match the corresponding entries
* in the SOLUTION/APRIORI Block.
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*
* ILRS Parameters Types are:
*
*   RBIAS: range bias
*   TBIAS: time bias
*   SBIAS: scale bias
*   PBIAS: pressure bias
*   ZBIAS: tropospheric bias (zenith)
*
*
* ILRS Point Codes are:
*
*   L1: LAGEOS-1
*   L2: LAGEOS-2
*   LC: LAGEOS Combined
*   E1: Etalon-1
*   E2: Etalon-2
*   EC: Etalon Combined
*   --: Wildcard (apply to all satellites, LEO, LAGEOS, and high)
*
*
* The Solution Number Code is used to reflect the release flag
* of the data (byte 48 of the normal point data record)
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* ILRS Parameter Units are:
*
*   m: meters
*   mb: millibars
*   ms: milliseconds
*   us: microseconds
*   mas: milli-arc-seconds
* ppb: parts per billion
*
*
* Note: 1) Parameter Index is intentionally left blank
*       2) The Constraint Code has been set to "0", which implies a
*          fixed/tight constraint for the bias.
*       3) To apply the data correction subtract the correction field
*          (i.e. apriori bias) from the corresponding normal point
*          (NP) field
*
*          e.g. Corrected Range = NP Range - Range Bias
*                Corrected Epoch = Epoch - Time Bias
*                Corrected Pressure = NP Pressure - Pressure Bias
*
*       4) The uncertainty in the apriori bias value is in the column
*          Apriori Standard Deviation.
*
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* RBIAS  1868  L2    0  99:319:36120  m     0  0.1500000000000000E+01  .150000E-01
* TBIAS  7105  --    0  99:067:41720  ms   0  -.2015000000000000E+00  .500000E-03
* PBIAS  7105  L2    0  99:138:73380  mb    0  0.5600000000000000E+01  .100000E+01

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DGFI/GFZ PROPOSAL:**+SOLUTION/DATAHANDLING**

*CODE	PT	SOLN	T	DATA_START	DATA_END	M	BIAS	COMMENTS
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1864	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R		
7840	A	1	L	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	C		245 mm CoM for LAGEOS1/-2
7105	A	1	L	06:336:18000	06:342:10800	X		Time unit failure

VH-modified PROPOSAL:

*INDEX	TYPE	CODE	PT	SOLN	REF_EPOCH	UNIT	S	ESTIMATED VALUE	STD_DEV
	PBIAS	1864	--	0	90:270:00000	mb	0	-.6800000000000000E+01	.100000E+01
	RBIAS	1868	L2	0	99:319:36120	m	0	0.1500000000000000E+01	.150000E-01
	TBIAS	7105	--	0	99:067:41720	ms	0	-.2015000000000000E+00	.500000E-03
	PBIAS	7105	L1	0	99:138:73380	mb	0	0.5600000000000000E+01	.100000E+01
	SBIAS	7210	--	0	90:049:41720	ppb	0	-.809273589426100E+01	.500000E-03

FUSED VERSION PROPOSAL:

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+SOLUTION/DATAHANDLING									
*CODE	PT	UNIT	T	DATA_START	DATA_END	M	E-VALUE	STD_DEV	COMMENTS
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1868	L2	m	A	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	R	0.150000E+01	.150E-01	See 1993.12345
7840	--	m	M	93:001:00000	00:000:00000	C	0.245000E+01	.200E-02	LAGEOS1/-2
7105	L1	-	E	06:336:18000	06:342:10800	X	0.000000E+00	.000E+00	T-unit failed
7210	--	ppb	A	90:049:41720	90:342:10800	S	-.809274E+01	.500E-03	HOLLAS scale-b
7105	--	ms	E	99:067:41720	99:097:41720	T	-.201500E+00	.500E-03	Sec. time Unit

T-CODES:

S = Station-supplied/determined
A = Analysis-supplied/determined (1993.12345 refers to Rpt.)
M = Model-supplied/determined
E = Engineering-supplied/determined

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 Author: Werner Gurtner
 Subject: ILRS Combined Range Bias Report 09-Apr-2008

ILRS Combined Range Bias Report 1

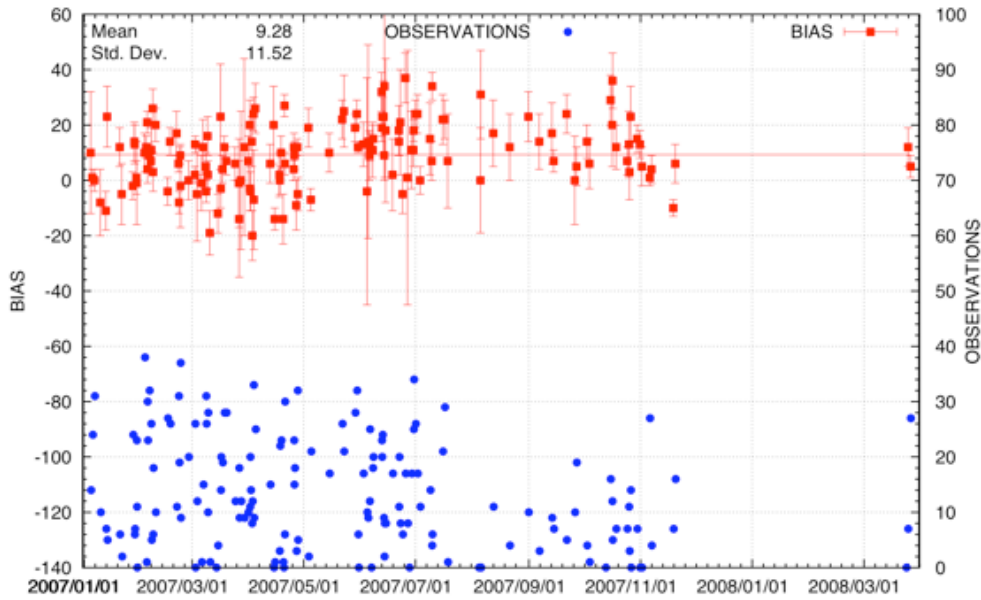
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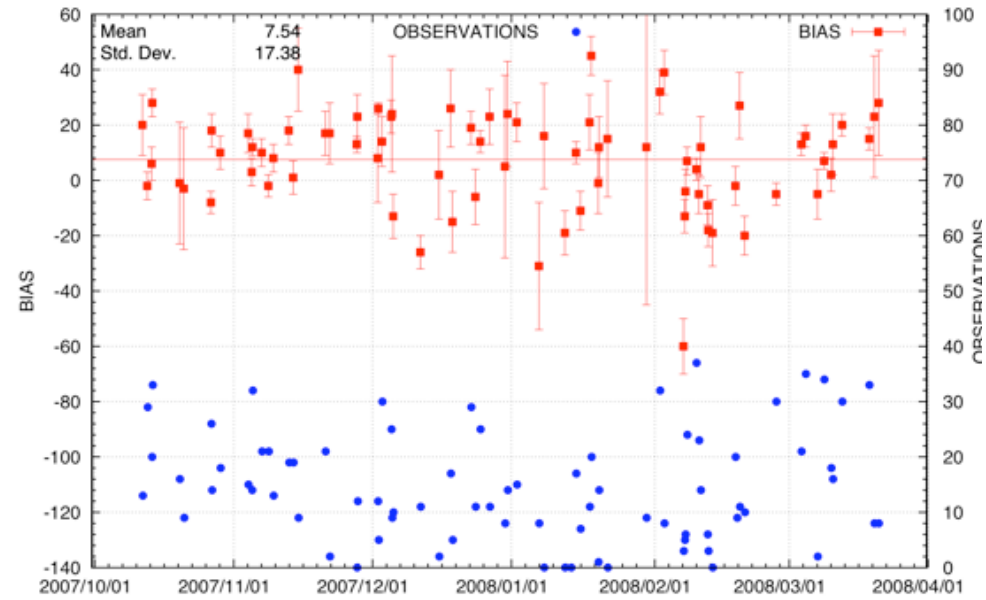
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1893	KTZL Katzively	532	<u>-21</u>	<u>10</u>			<u>-172</u>	<u>9</u>			<u>-177</u>	<u>8</u>
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7090	YARL Yarragadee	532	6	2	0	2	2	1	-6	1	7	3
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7249	BEIL Beijing	532	15	7	1	7	0	6	55	5	17	6
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7840	HERL Herstmonceux	532	<u>12</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>2</u>
7841	POT3 Potsdam	532	4	7	-3	5	-9	5			0	6
7941	MATM Matera	532	-5	2	18	2	-4	2	18	1	5	3
8834	WETL Wettzell	532	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>-2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>-17</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>3</u>

MLRS 7080 MCP Bias

LAGEOS1 FLAG NOT = 4

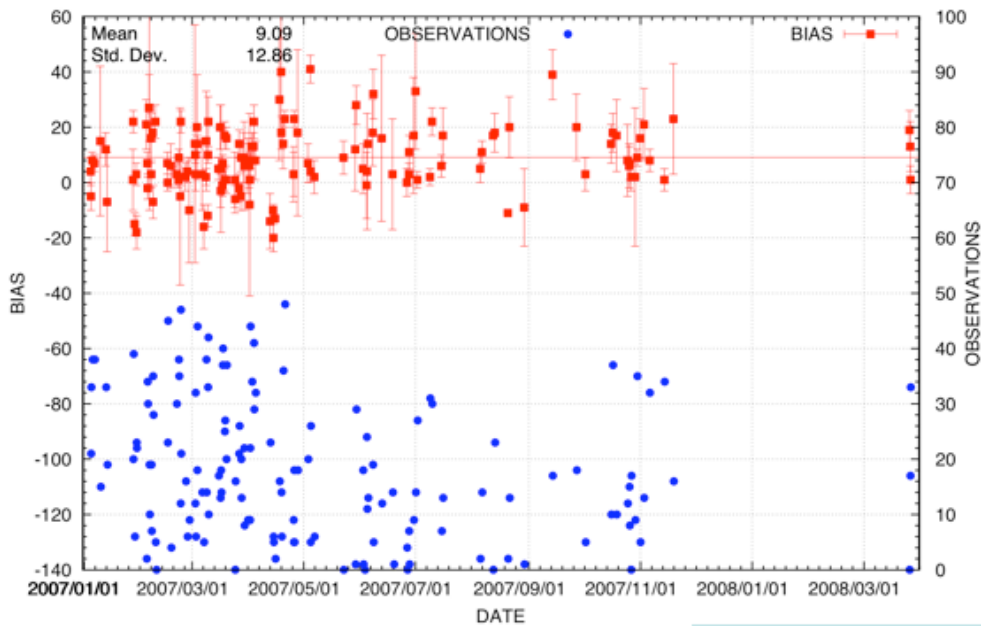


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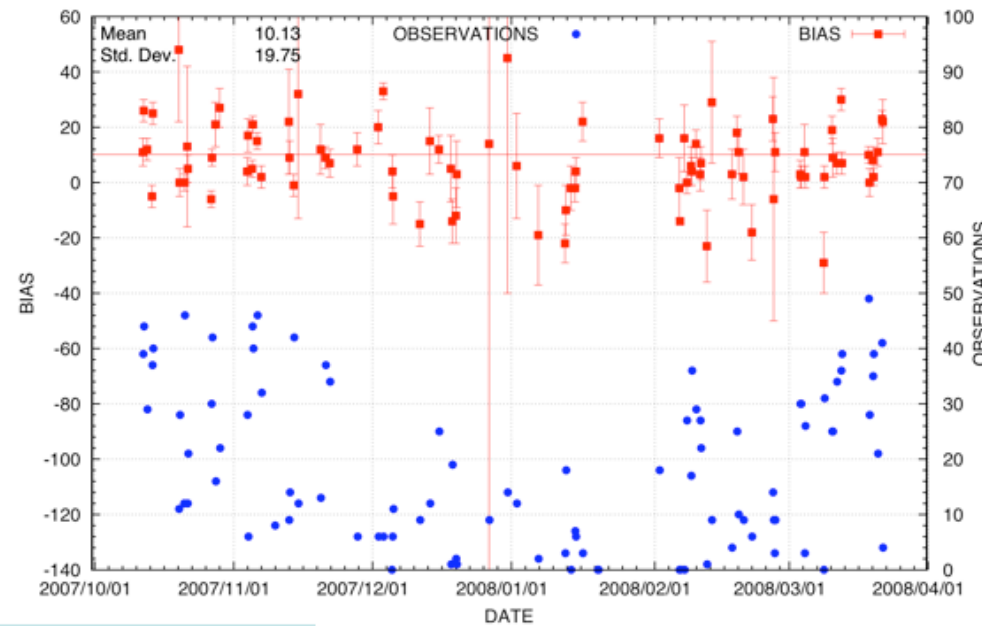


Rb^{L1} wrt Old MCP ≈ -1.7 mm

LAGEOS2 FLAG NOT = 4



LAGEOS2 FLAG 4



Rb^{L2} wrt Old MCP $\approx +1.0$ mm