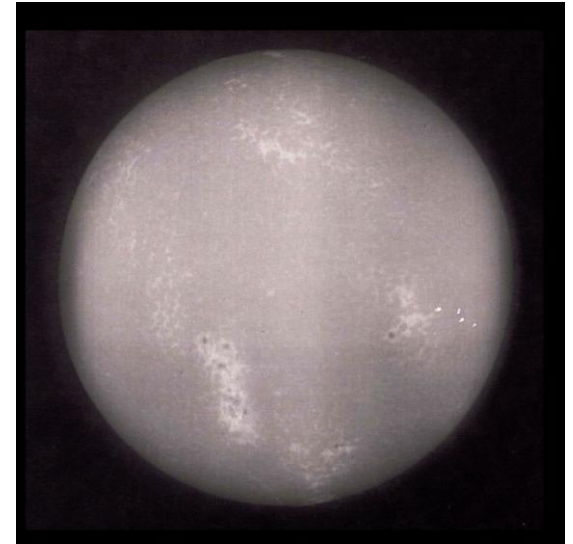


Data Archive Project of 44-year Full Disk Call K Images - Status Report -

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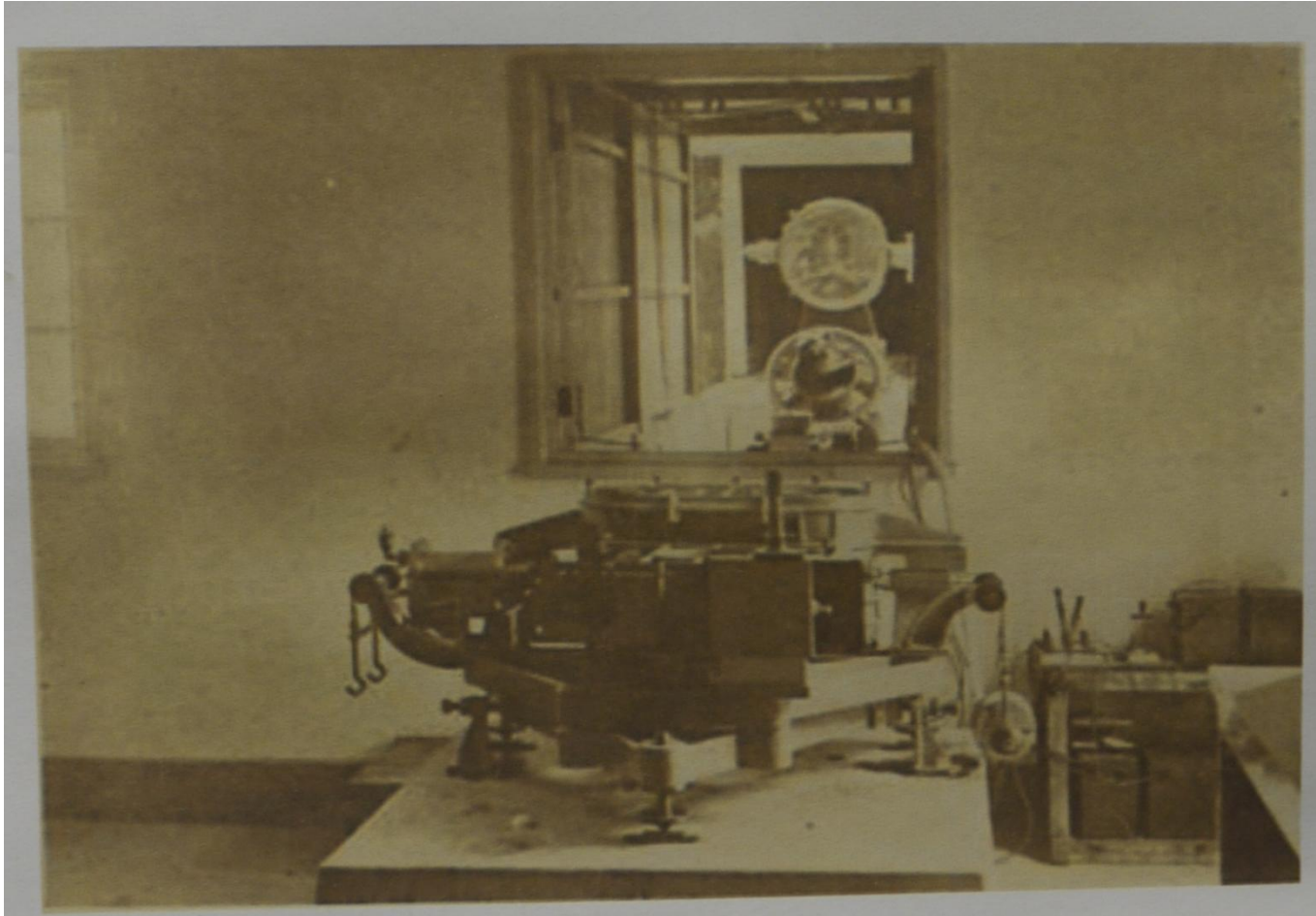
- **Introduction**
- **Spectroheliograph at Kyoto**
- **Present status of data archiving**
- **Plan of scientific analysis of archive data**



INTRODUCTION

地球科学メタ情報データベースの現状と
その活用 (2012.2.23)

Spectroheliographic Observation at Kwasan Observatory around 1930's



Grubb
D 42cm
Coelostat

Imaging
Mirror
(backside)

Steinheil
D 20cm
F 5m

Solar
Diameter
50mm

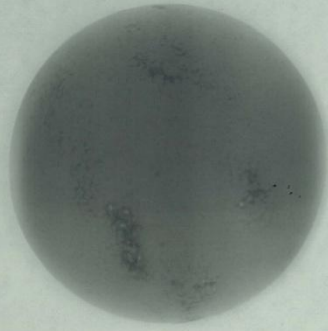
History of 44 year continuous observation

- 1926
 - Installation of ASKANIA Spectroheliograph
 - Start of Solar full-disk observation in Call K line
 - Siderostat telescope
- 1929
 - Movement of the device to Kwasan Observatory
 - Continuation of the observation
 - 30cm Ceolostat telescope
- 1941
 - Movement of the device to Ikoma Observatory
- 1969
 - Observation project ended

Photographic Plate

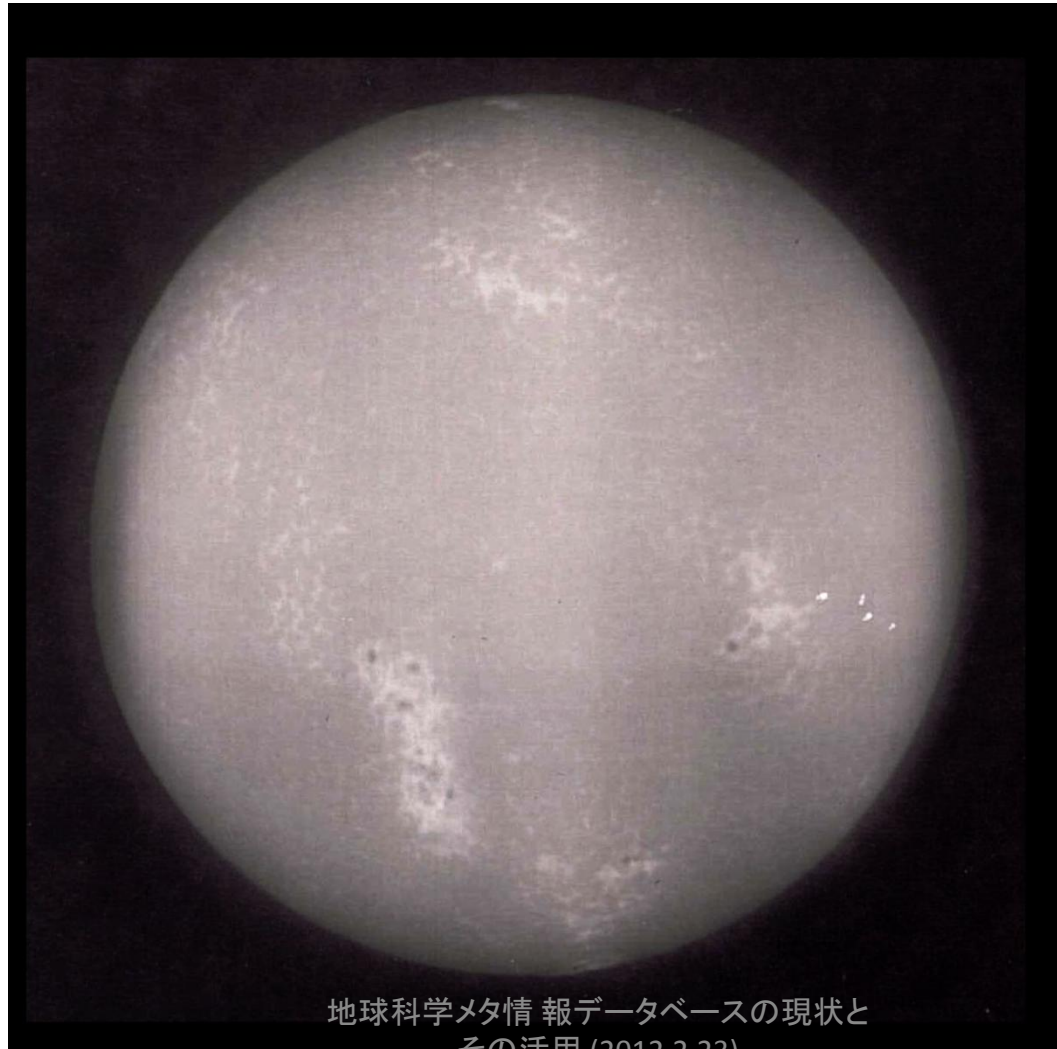
Solar Calcium Flocculi			
Date	May 24, 1967		NO. 1
Exposure	from 7 h 52 m 54 s	to 7 h 53 m 27 s	
		slit 90	
Weather	very fine		Wind
Quality	good		
Plate			
Development			
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Observed data	L	-	
k2-3 Character Figure			
Solar Flare			
Remark			
Observer			

May 24 1967 - 1 - 61



# Solar Chromosphere in CaIIK

1967 May 24



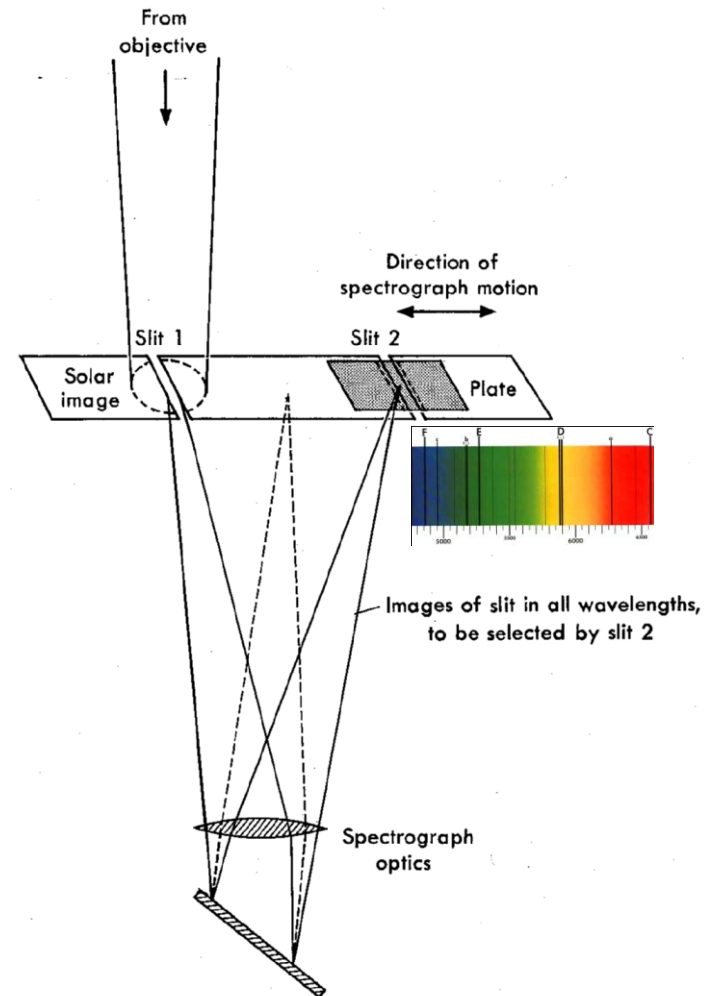
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# SPECTROHELIOGRAPH

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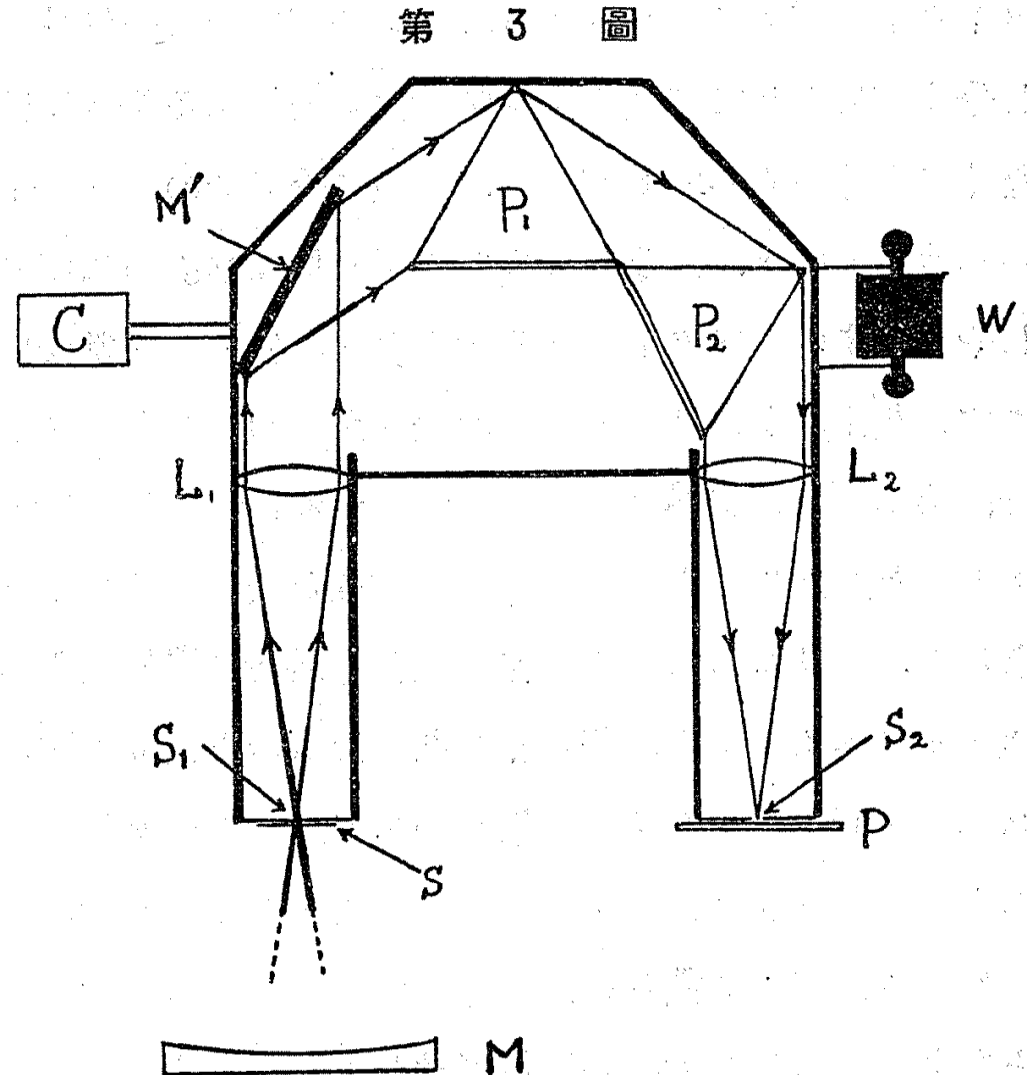
# Spectroheliograph(Single Image)

- Monochromatic solar image
- Solar image fixed
- Slit1 and Slit2 move with dispersing unit
- Plate(camera) fixed



# Askania Spectroheliograph

- K. Araki (1937)
- Tenkai Vol. 197, P401
- 荒木九皐 (昭和12年)
- 天界197号、401頁
- 分光太陽写真儀と分光太陽鏡



# Present status in Kwasan History museum



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# Front view



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# Double prism disperser



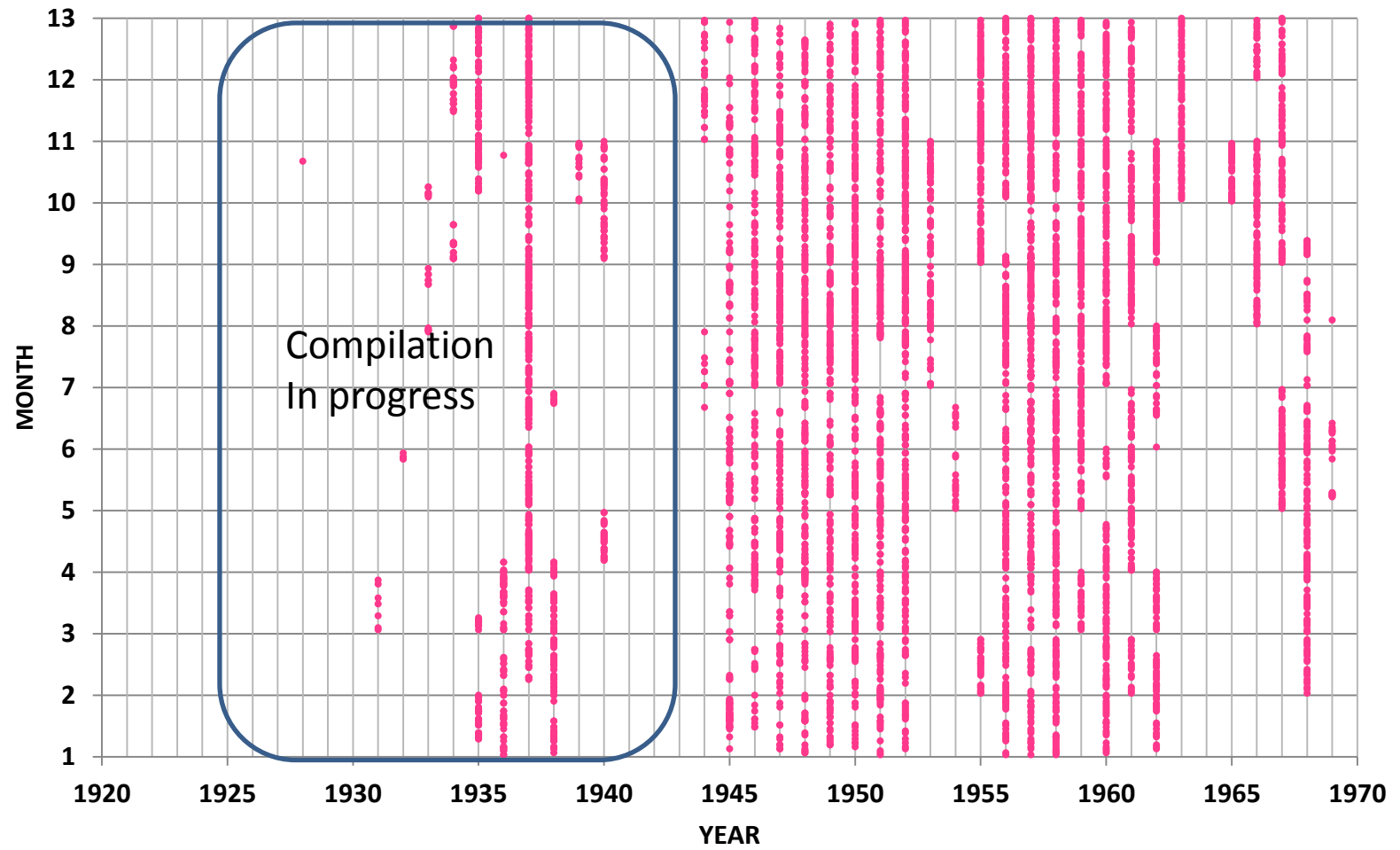
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# IMAGE DATA ARCHIVING

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# CaIIK Spectroheliogram ( in compilation )

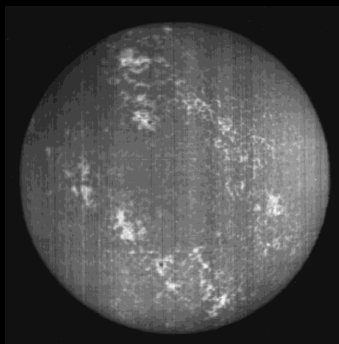
( as of 2012 Feb )



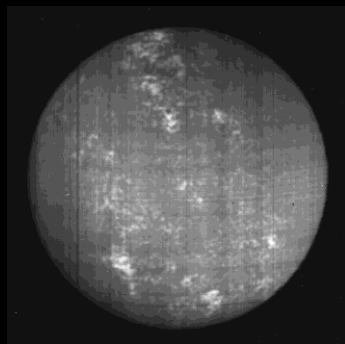
# Digital Scan of Call K Spectroheliogram

Since Jan 23, 2012

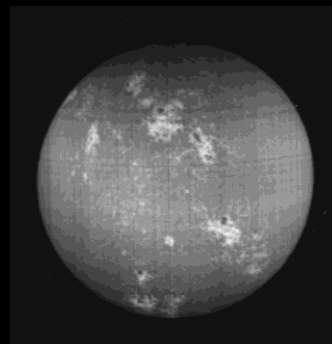
# Call K Monthly Variation in 1958



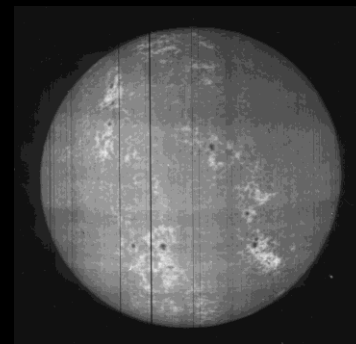
Jan.30



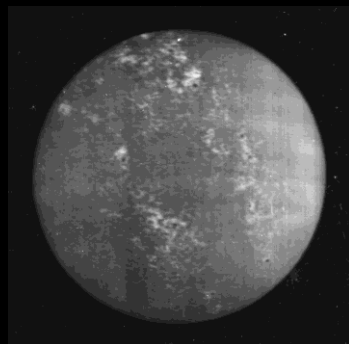
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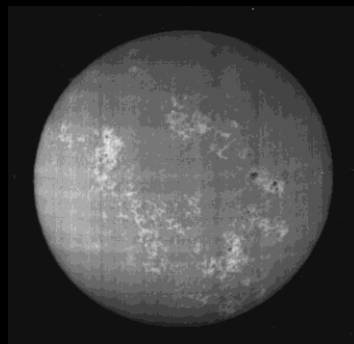
Mar.31



Apr.30



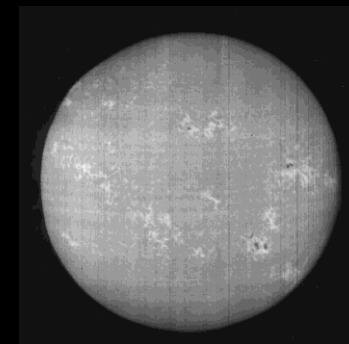
May .31



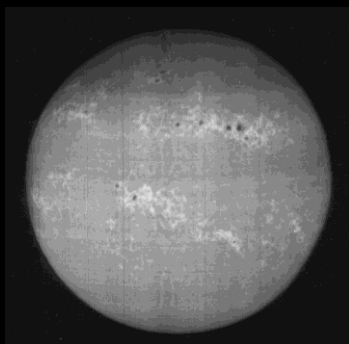
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Jul.29



Aug.19



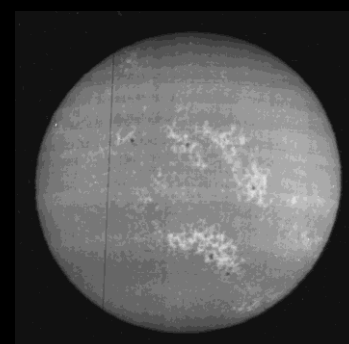
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Oct.16

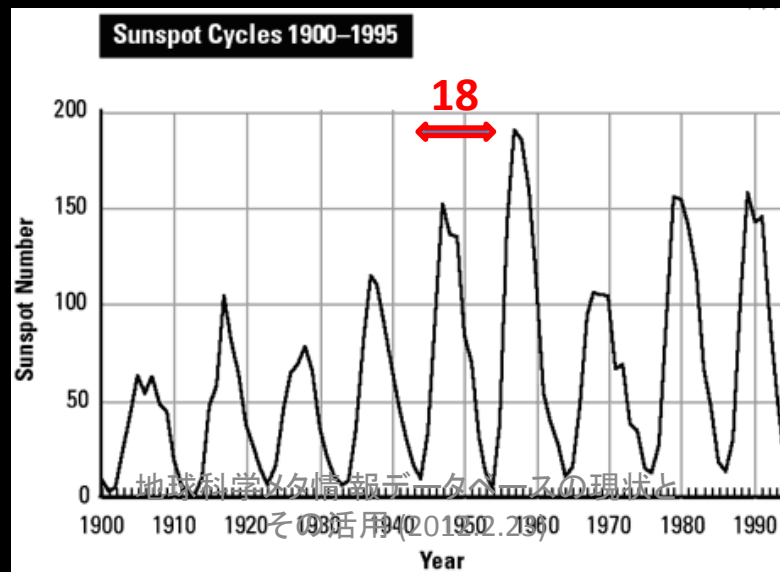
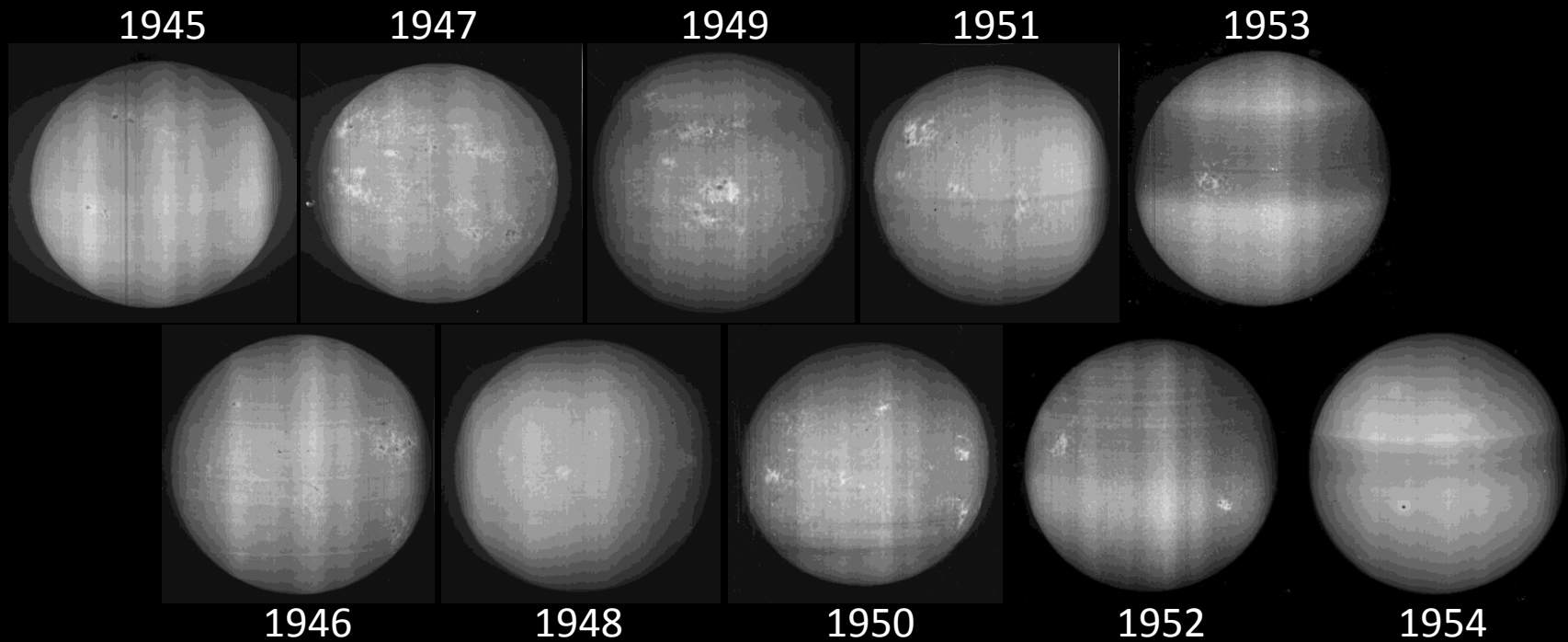


Nov.29

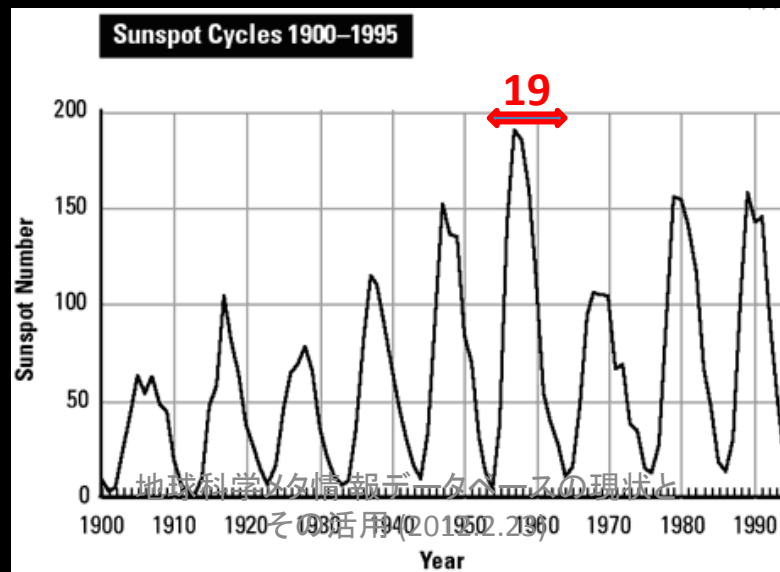
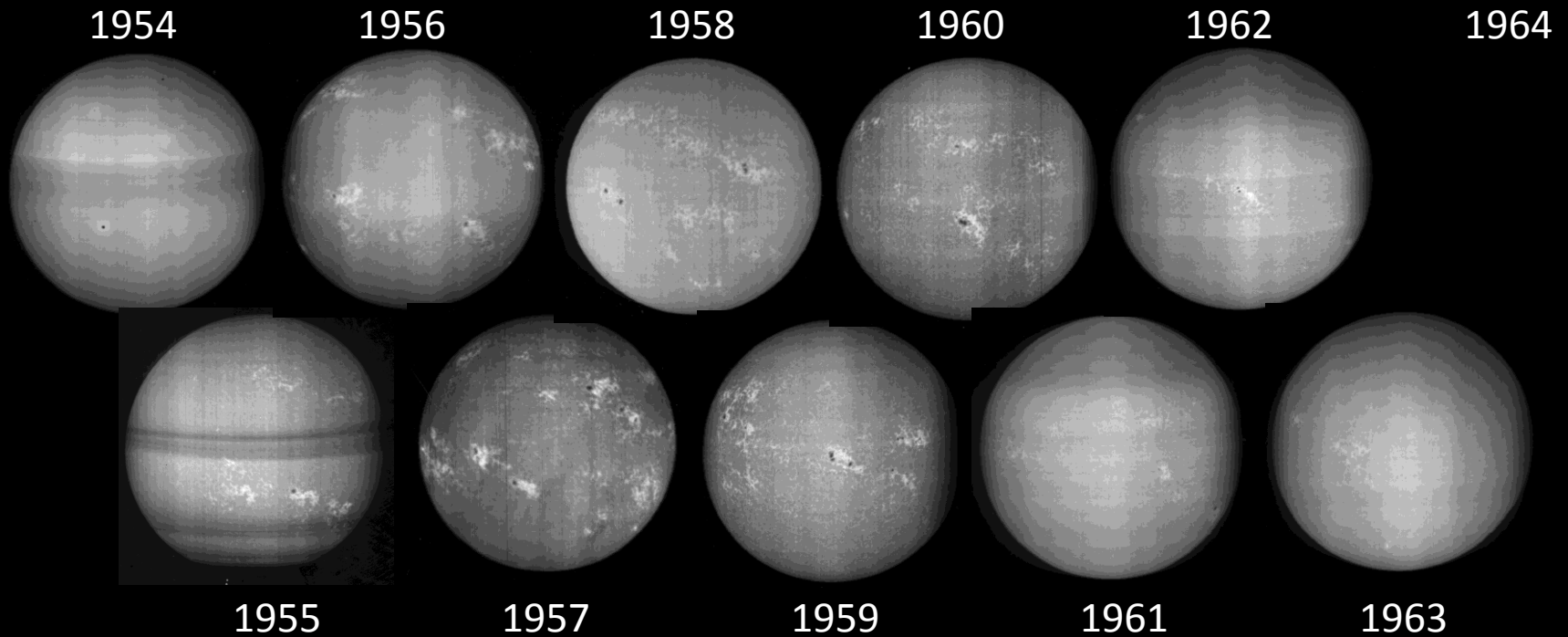


Dec.30

# Yearly Variation of Call K in Cycle 18

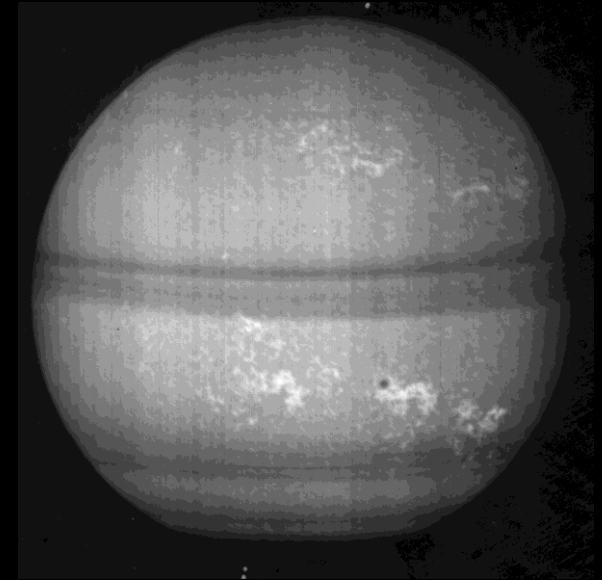


# Yearly Variation of Call K in Cycle 19



# To be fixed

- Orientation of the image
  - Celestial NS EW
  - Inclination of solar rotation axis
- Flat fielding
  - Curved band undulation
    - Irregular sliding motion of the spectrograph
    - Passing clouds
  - Thin straight lines : Dusts on the entrance slit
- Intensity calibration



# Orientation

Mt. Wilson

N

E

W

1958.Jan.28

Jan.29

Jan.30

S

**Ikoma  
1958.Jan.30**

**P=-11.4**

**W**

**N**

**N**



**W**

# Levels of image files

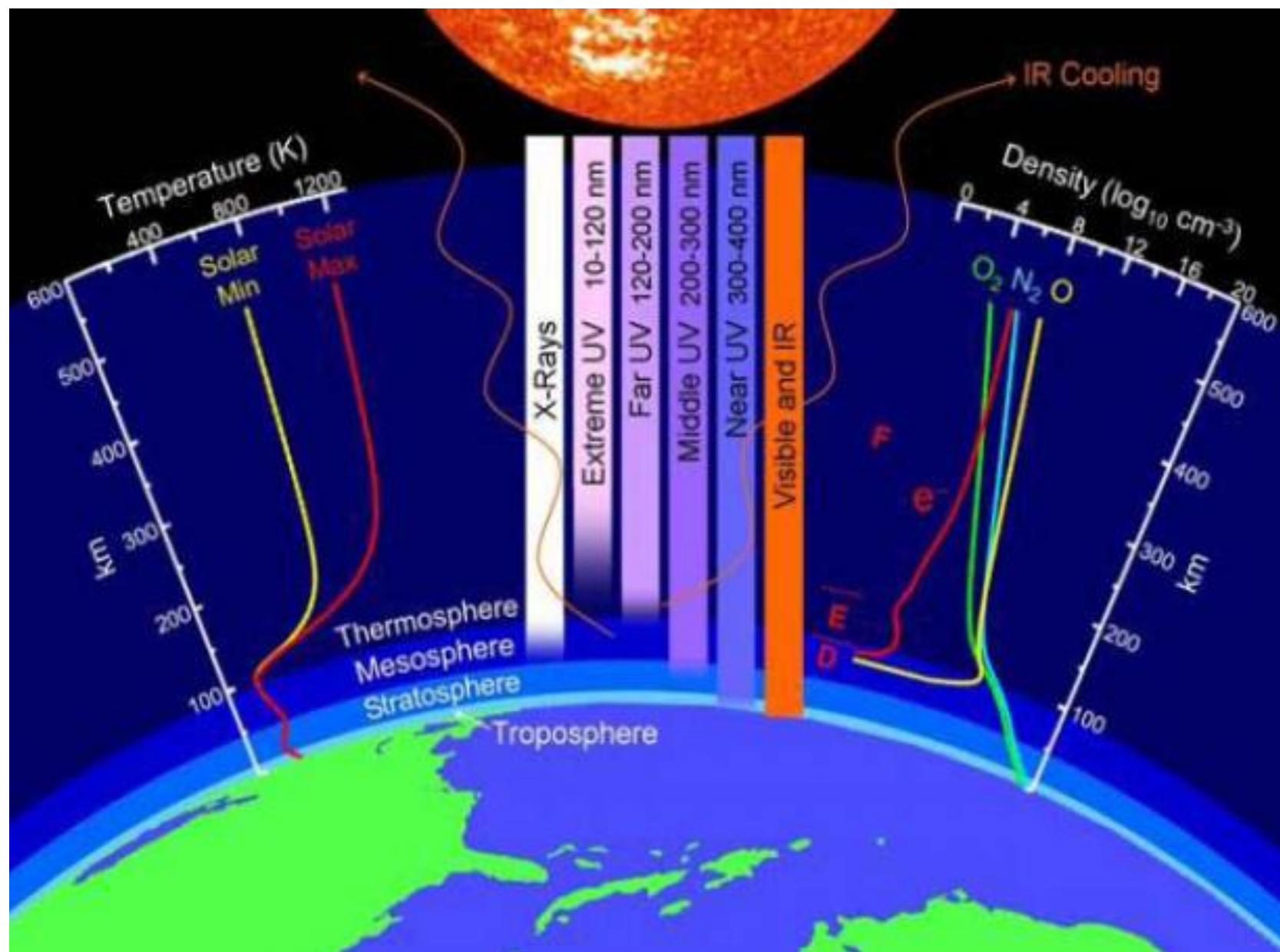
- Level0
  - Original images as are scanned and co-aligned
- Level1
  - Correction of Orientation applied
- Level2
  - Flat fielding applied

# **SCIENTIFIC ANALYSIS PLAN OF ARCHIVE DATA**

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# Heating of upper terrestrial atmosphere

- Open the image database through IUGONET  
( Inter-university Upper atmosphere Global  
Observation NETwork )
- Call K Flux ( Plage area ) as a proxy index of UV  
irradiation to the Earth
  - UV irradiation as a heating source of upper  
terrestrial atmosphere

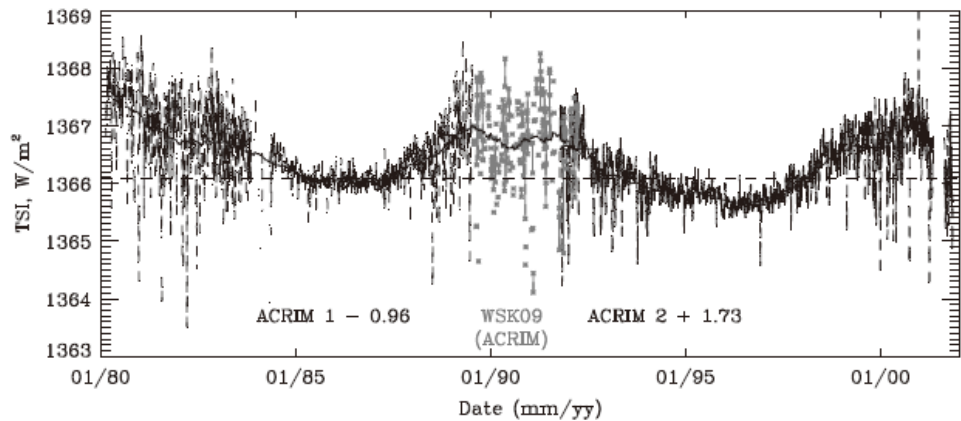


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# Model and Observation

TSI variation : 0.2 %  
in phase with the cycle

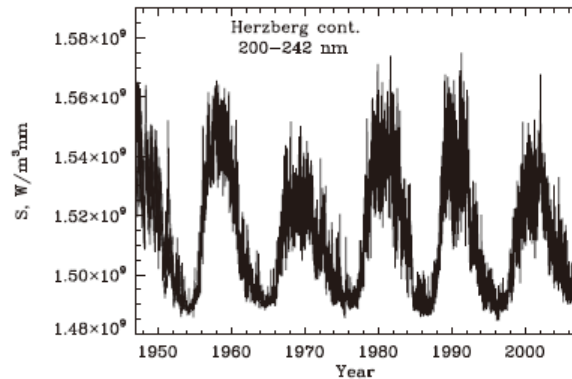
- TSI



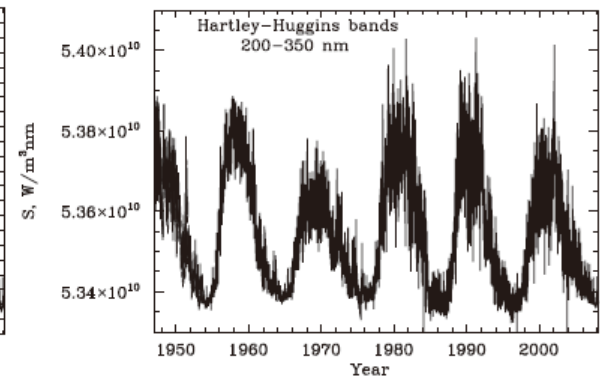
- UV spectral irradiance

UV variation : 5-10 %  
in phase with the cycle

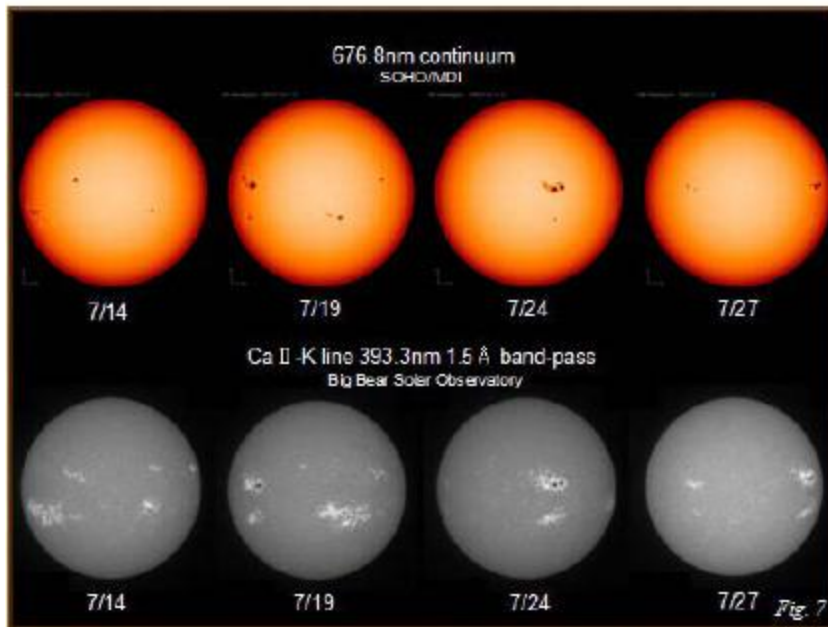
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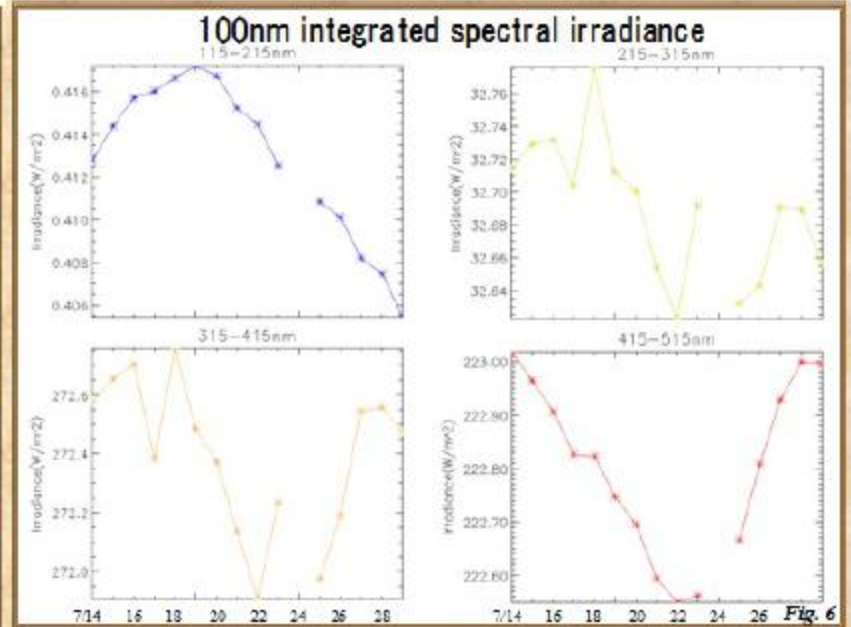
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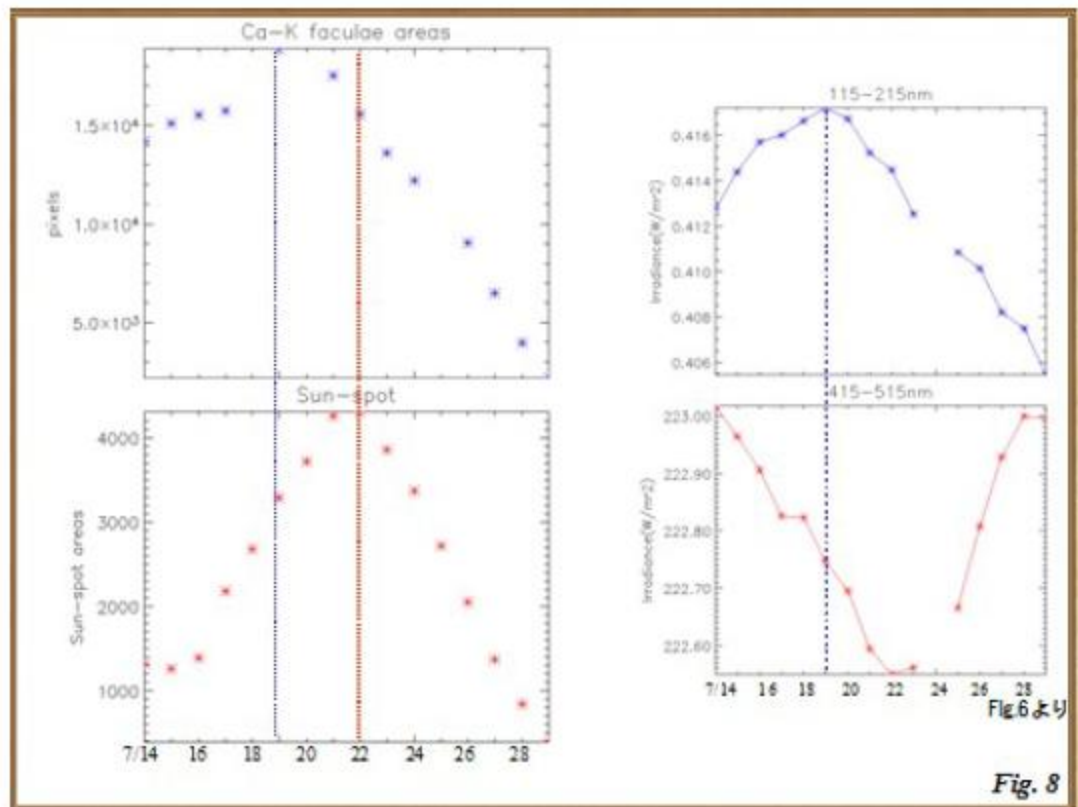
# Solar UV irradiation and the solar chromospheric brightness (M. Yokoyama, S. Masuda and J. Sato, 2005)



*(top panel)* : Sunspots observed with SOHO/MDI in the solar disc on 14, 19, 24 and 27 July 2004 respectively. *(bottom panel)* : Faculae area observed by Big Bear Solar Observatory in the solar disc on 14, 19, 24 and July 2004 respectively.



Integrated spectral irradiance variations at 1 AU from 14 July 2004 to 29 July 2004. The top-left panel demonstrates 115-215 nm integrated spectral irradiance variations and the bottom-right panel demonstrates 415-515 nm integrated spectral irradiance variations.

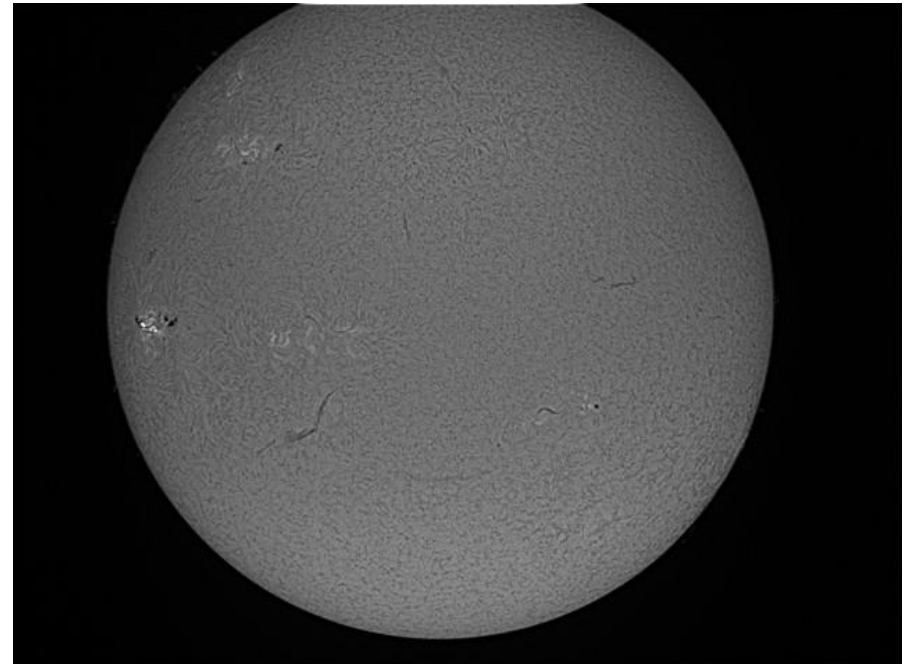
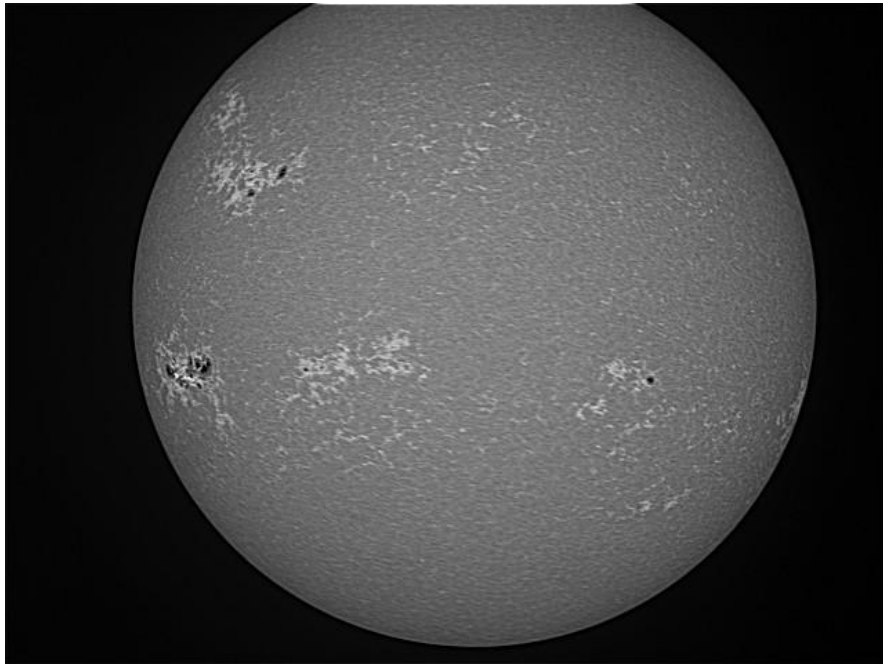


(top-left panel) : Variation of sunspots area observed with SOHO/MDI in the solar disc from 14 July 2004 to 29 July 2004 day by day. (bottom-left panel) : Variation of faculae area observed by Big Bear Solar Observatory in the solar disc from 14 July 2004 to 29 July 2004 day by day.

Solar plage area is a good proxy index of the UV irradiation on the upper terrestrial atmosphere .

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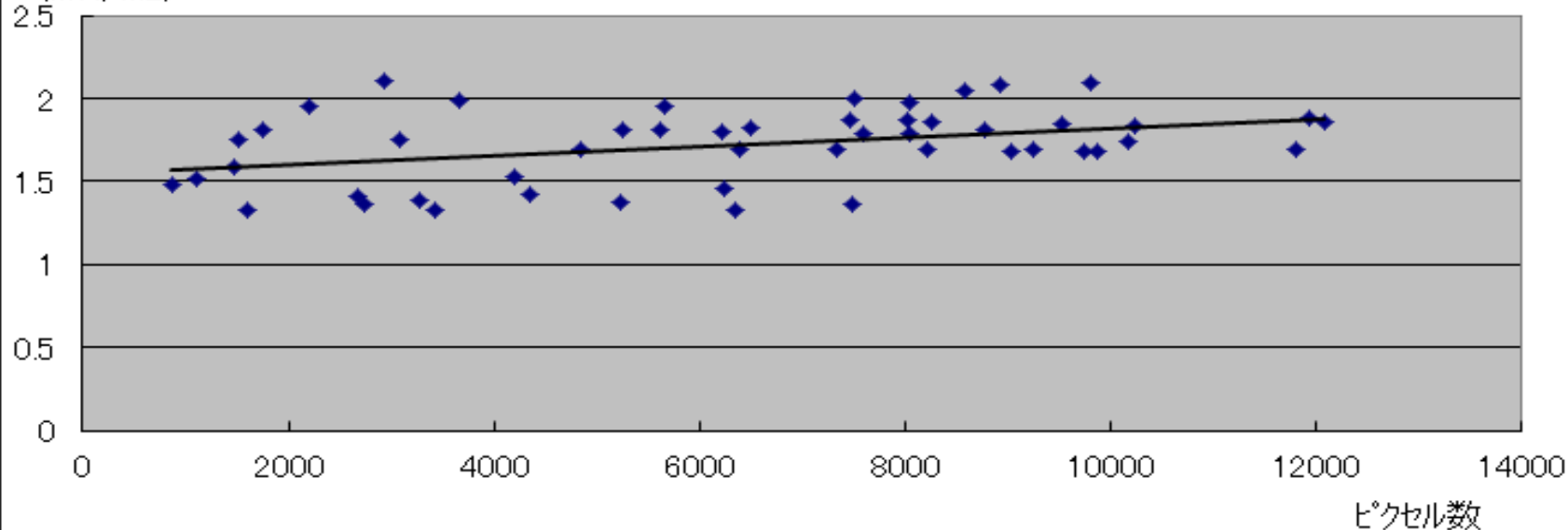
- $\Phi 60\text{mm}$
- CaII K  $2.6\text{ \AA}$ 、 $\text{H}\alpha$   $0.75\text{ \AA}$



紫外線強度 UV(26-34nm)

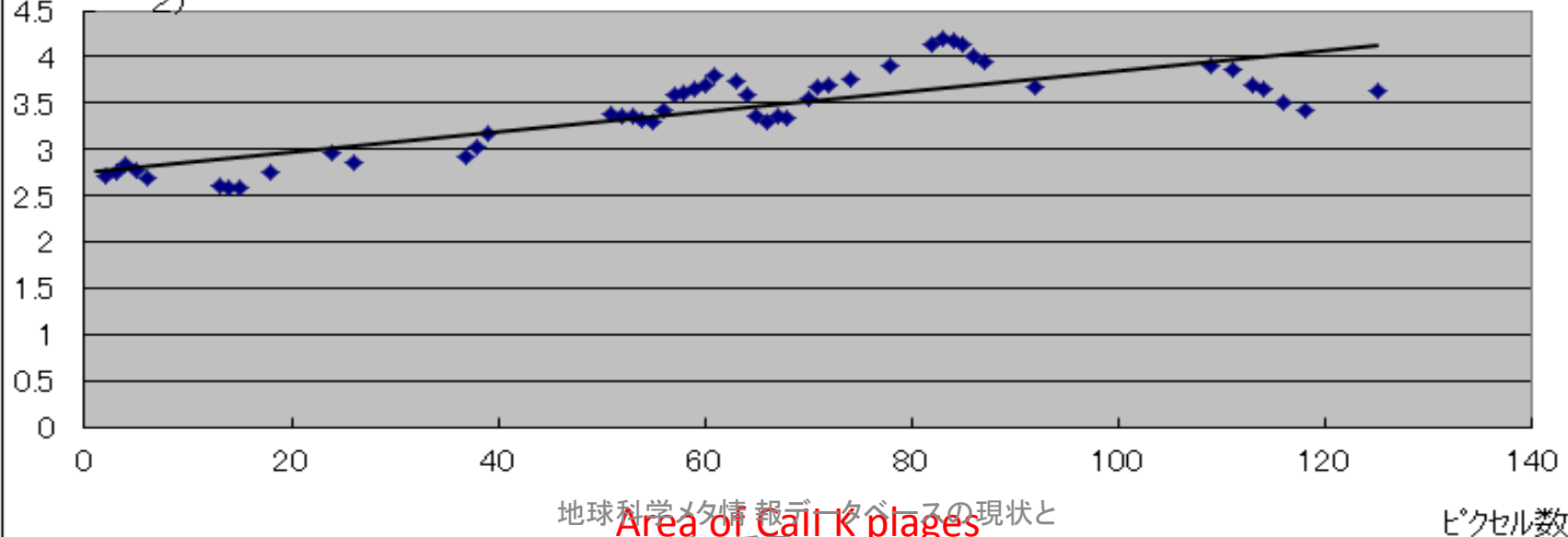
Ca II -K 1.08 中央 26

(mW/m²)



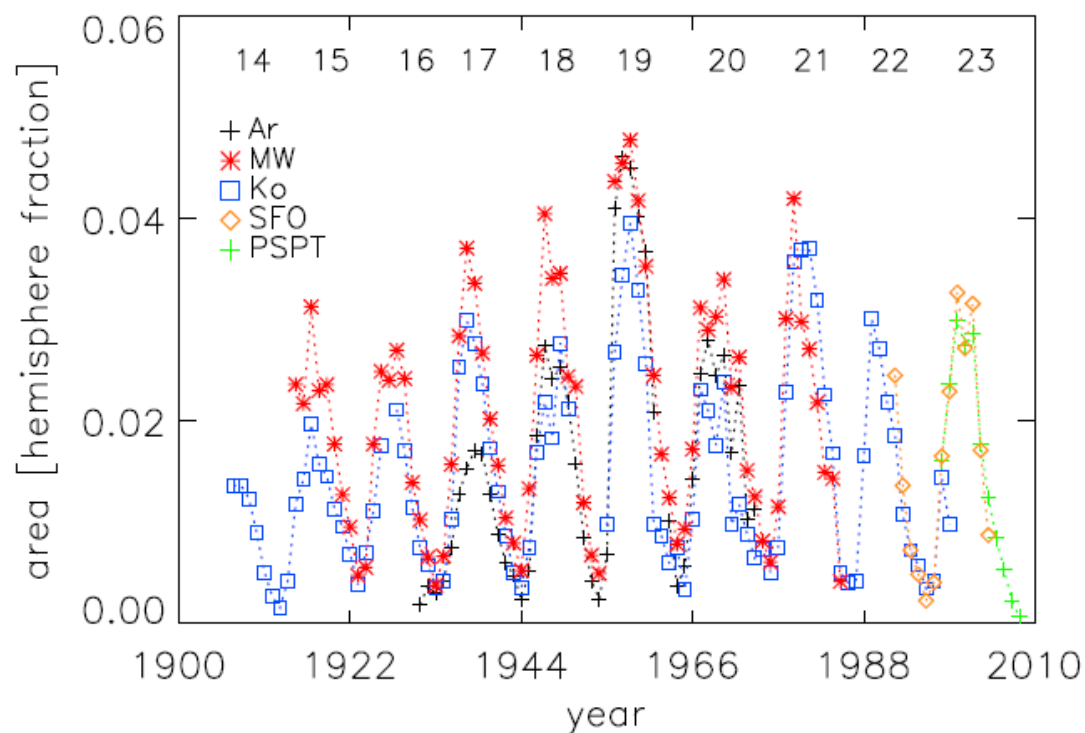
紫外線強度(mW/m UV(0.1-50nm) Ca II -K 1.08 中央 0.1

2)



I. Ermolli, S.Criscuoli and F. Giorgi

Contri. Astron. Obs. Skalnat Pleso Vol 41, 73-84, (2011)



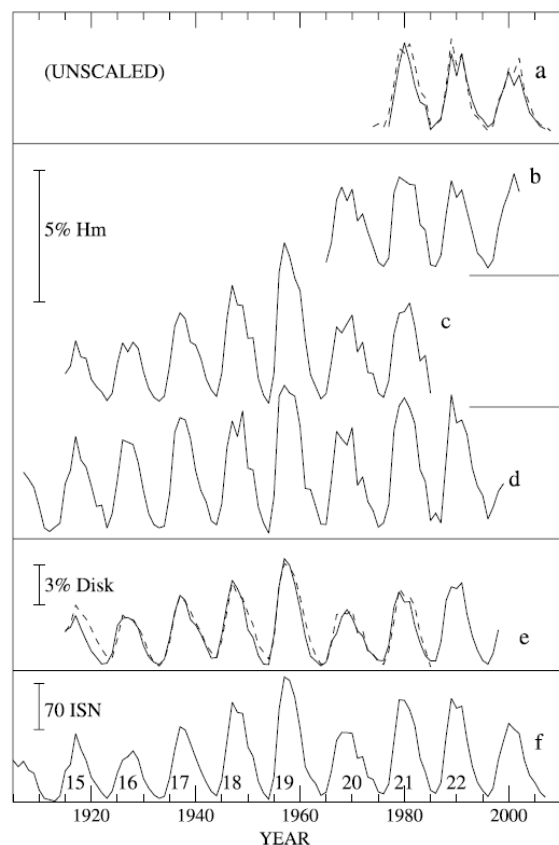
**Figure 4.** Temporal variation of the annual median values of the plage coverage measured from Arcetri (Ar), Kodaikanal (Ko), and Mt. Wilson (MW) series, as well as those obtained from the analysis of present-day Ca II K observations carried out with the Rome-PSPT (PSPT) and the synoptic telescope of the San Fernando Observatory (SFO). Details for the results derived from historical observations are given in Ermolli *et al.* (2009). Cycle numbers are given at the top of each cycle.

# A Century of Solar Ca II Measurements and Their Implication for Solar UV Driving of Climate

(P. Foukal et al. : Solar Phys (2009) 255: 229–238)

Annual mean of CaII K Index and  
Sunspot number

11-year running mean of CaII K  
Index



Sun-as-a-  
star

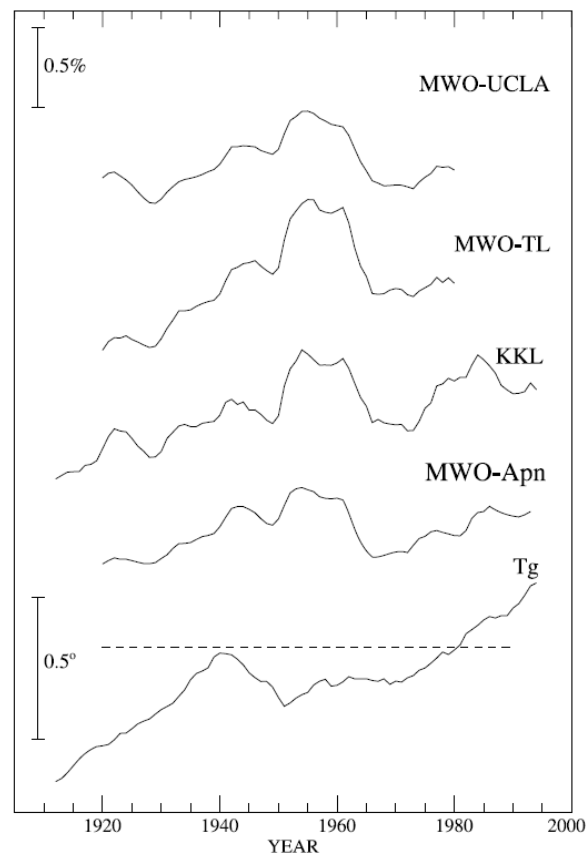
SPO

MWO

Kodaikanal

Apn

Sunspot



# Summary

- We are building an image database of **44-year solar full disk in Call K line**, which will be open via IUGONET system.
- The data archive will serve as a basic data for **solar UV irradiance variation**, which have a important role in upper atmospheric heating.