

Program

Checkouts



Calibration observations are required to align the optics each time an instrument is installed.

Checkouts



Requires an instrument
(target already attached).

Time cards cannot be played on other programs before Checkouts are complete.



Any bright star will do

Target



Bright



3h

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C:



T:



M:



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Program

Poor Weather



Proposals for programs under poor seeing or thick clouds can be submitted at anytime!

Poor Weather



Requires an instrument
(target already attached).



+2 points per hour.



Your favorite bright target

Bright



/poorweather

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Target



C:



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Program

Band 1



Spectroscopic program

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (in AO mode or not).

Band 1



60 points if complete.



20 points for  observed.



-30 points if 0 observed.

/expectations

*Band 1 programs take the highest priority.
Our first goal is to complete as many, and
as soon as possible.*

C:



T:



M:



Program

Band 1



Imaging program

Can only use instruments that have imaging capability (in AO mode or not).

Band 1



60 points if complete.



20 points for  observed.



-30 points if 0 observed.

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A backup list of targets for Classical programs must be described which can use poorer conditions.

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Program

Band 1



Spectroscopic program

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (no AO mode).



50 points if complete.



20 points for  observed.



-20 points if 0 observed.

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Priority Visiting observers sit in the control room and elect when to carry out their program or to run the queue.

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Band 1

C:



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Program

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Imaging program

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Band 1



50 points if complete.



20 points for  observed.



-20 points if 0 observed.

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Gemini may subsidize the travel expenses of an individual student, or other early-career observer, when accompanied by an advisor.

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Program

Band 2



Imaging program

Can only use instruments that have imaging capability (in AO mode or not).

Band 2



50 points if complete.



15 points for  observed.



-15 points if 0 observed.

/expectations

Band 2 programs have lower priority, but are intended to be executed to as of a high completion rate as possible.

C: 

T: 


M: 

Program

Band 2



Spectroscopic program

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (in AO mode or not).

Band 2



30 points if complete.



15 points for  observed.



-10 points if 0 observed.

C:



T:



M:



/eavesdropping

All Band 1 and 2 PIs are invited to eavesdrop if they wish, via the email announcing they have been granted time.

Program

Band 2



Spectroscopic program

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (in AO mode or not).

Band 2



40 points if complete.



10 points for  observed.



-15 points if 0 observed.

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Rapid ToO observations must be executed within 24 hours. Standard ToO ones can be executed at any time after the trigger.

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C:



T:



M:



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Program

Band 2



Imaging program

Can only use instruments that have imaging capability (in AO mode).

Band 2



40 points if complete.



10 points for  observed.



-10 points if 0 observed.

www.gemini.edu/Change

Requests for significant changes must be made by the PI to the Head of Science Operations for the relevant telescope.

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M:



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**Spectroscopic program**

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (no AO mode).



20 points if complete.



10 points for  observed.



-0 points if 0 observed.

/expectations

Band 3 programs are fillers, which should, in order to get data, be able to take worse observing conditions.



**Spectroscopic program**

Can only use instruments that have spectroscopic capability (no AO mode).

Band 3

**20 points** if complete.10 points for  observed.

-0 points if 0 observed.

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In Band 3, try to relax the observing constraints, avoid oversubscribed R.A.s, and use commune instrument configurations.

C:



T:



M:



Program

Band 3



Imaging program

Can only use instruments that have imaging capability (no AO mode).

Band 3



20 points if complete.



10 points for  observed.



-0 points if 0 observed.

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In Band 3, get your Phase II ready early, be flexible with your targets, prioritize your observations, and choose a bright guide stars.

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C:



T:



M:



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