



GLAST Observatory TVAC at NRL

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Organization

- Brett Pugh has agreed to take on "test director" mantle for organizing NRL option.
 - Billy Greenrock is GD-AIS Point of Contact
 - Organizing weekly teleconfs Mondays, 11:30 EDT
 - Talking with GD experts for needed info
 - Potential face to face GD & NRL in the next week or two
- □ Scott Clough has agreed to organize turn over fixture
 - Recover GSFC fixture and get it recertified
- □ Will create ICD or Agreements Document (Pugh, Johnson)
 - Outlining roles and responsibilities
 - Defining documentation
 - Required / provided facilities

Organization: Continued

- NRL Facilities (Mike Van Herpe, Bob Haynes)
 - Clean tent near TVAC chambers
 - Staging area in Center High Bay
 - Need to work power requirements, networking, offices, etc
- Mechanical Design, Analysis and Fab Marc Campell
 - Turnover fixture adapter plate
 - TVAC port plates
 - TVAC Trolley / table adaption to L-Frame
 - Released drawings SLAC
 - Analyses John Ku
 - Fab NRL / SLAC.
- □ TVAC preparation and test: Brett Pugh
 - GD Rep: Billy Greenrock
 - Van Herpe will organize chamber, CDAS, power supplies, etc
- □ QA and Safety: ???



NRL TVAC Status

- □ No show stoppers except ...
 - Howard Dew suggests that NASCOM connectivity to NRL, if required, will take 240 days
 - Jack Leibee has action to investigate
 - Need to understand GD network requirements
- □ NRL Contract
 - Neil working LAT CR to cover work thru August.
- □ Bakeout of L-Frame at NRL is on the rise decision 3 Aug.
 - GD's first choice does not have needed capabilities
 - Target date is ~ 24 Aug. availability of L-Frame
 - Potential assembly and test of WattRod heaters during bakeout
- ☐ New target for start of TVAC: 15 Oct
 - Obs arrival at NRL ~ 1 7 Oct.
- NRL Access and Badging
 - Should start identifying list of people needing access and begin badging paperwork. Foreign Nationals????



NRL Test Flow

- □ L-Frame Bakeout (TBD)
- □ Prep Work
 - Network connectivity verification
 - Pathfinding Turnover and TVAC Trolley/Table
 - TVAC chamber verification (part of bakeout?)
- □ GLAST Arrival, Unpack
- □ EGSE setup and checkout
- □ Post-ship checkout
- □ GLAST turn over
- □ Chamber Installation
- ☐ Open door CPT
- - ETE and other testing

- □ Post TVAC CPT
- Post TVAC Potential Flow
 - Solar Array ReInst
 - Prop System Checkout
 - ETE test
 - Optical Alignments
 - Final mass properties
 - ETE test
 - Pre Ship Review
 - Ship to Cape



Observatory Turn Over

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From Scott Clough – GSFC Ransome Table

Ransome Table Details

- Model 500-P
- Capacity 50,000 lbs
- Rotation Torque 600 K in. lbs
- Tilt Torque 1175 K in. lbs
- C.g. At 12" above and 12" eccentric
- Table rotation .007 RPM min .3 RPM max
- Weight 25300 lbs
- 460 V 3 phase
- Plug, 30A. 480V. 3 phase

□ Issues

- Potential conflicting use by another GSFC project
- Ownership and documentation

□ Certification

- Need 2x mass and torque test
- If Issues can not be favorably resolved, NRL has ICM turn over fixture that could be adapted. Need to quickly resolve the need for this work.





Summary

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□ Critical Paths?

- Network connectivity to NASCOM and GD-AIS(?)
- Identification, certification, adaptation and installation of turn over fixture
- Adaptation of L-Frame to NRL TVAC Trolley / Table and necessary analyses / certifications to demonstrate safety.
- Modification of test procedures / plans for NRL environment
 - Configuration and programming of thermal control system
 - Programming of TC monitoring and displays

□ Procedures, Configurations

- Everything done to GD procedures and drawings?
- Modifications for NRL facility / processes?

□ Risk Mitigation

Pathfind with version of L-Frame (#1) and mass model