The Hubble Legacy Archive: DR1, DR2, and Beyond

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OUTLINE

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Operations version - hla.stsci.edu Development version - hla-ags.stsci.edu

Hubble Legacy Archive - Goals and Philosophy

Our goal is to optimize the science return from the Hubble Space Telescope by providing online, enhanced Hubble products and advanced browsing capabilities.

We take advantage of various advances in the past decade:

- growing archives (less need to propose oneself)
- cheap disk space
- improved Hubble products (e.g., multidrizzled ACS and WFPC2 images, source lists, grism extractions, ...)

Our design philosophy is:

- keep it simple (e.g., web browser not application)
- use existing software where feasible
- provide only quick-look tools
- hierarchial easy to do simple things; advanced options

SIMPLE ONLINE SEARCH & ACCESS

(includes both tabular inventory and interactive display)



IMAGE & SPECTRAL FOOTPRINTS

(for easier browsing of available data)



ENHANCED DATA PRODUCTS

(e.g., combined & color images, mosaics, NICMOS grism extractions, ...)



IMPROVED ASTROMETRY

(~0.2" rather than current ~2")

SOURCE LISTS

(eventually an all-HST-sky source list)



What Was in DR1 (Feb. 08)?

| Instrument/Product | Source | HLA Enhanced Products | Standard Products | Download | Interactive Display? |
|-----------------------------|--------|--|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| ACS/combined images | STScl | ~90% | | FITS | ~ |
| ACS/DAOPHOT source lists | STScl | ~50%, <~2004 | | Ascii | ~ |
| ACS/SExtractor source lists | STScl | ~10%, Beta product ¹ | | Ascii | ~ |
| WFPC2/combined images | CADC | Coming Soon, Beta product ¹ | | FITS | ~ |
| WFPC2/single exposures | STScl | | 100% | DADS ² | |
| NICMOS/GRISM extractions | ST-ECF | ~80%, 1-D & 2-D spectra | | FITS | |
| NICMOS images | STScl | | 100% | DADS ² | |
| STIS images and spectra | STScl | | 100% | FITS | ~ |
| FOS spectra | STScl | | 100% | Tar | |
| GHRS spectra | STScI | | 100% | Tar | |

Notes:

- 1. Beta products are being validated and are not currently recommended for scientific analysis.
- 2. DADS downloads require a request to the DADS system.

What is New in Data Release 2 (Aug. 31)

New Science Products

- Image data for ~90 % of the WFPC2 data
- Next generation ACS source lists for ~100 % of "useable" images (up from 50% in DR1)
- Reprocessed ACS images (for 30 % originally provided as part of the "Early Release Data")
- Possibly some ACS GRISM prototypes
- Possibly some ACS mosaics

New User Interface Tools

- Shopping cart (rather than downloading one at a time)
- Enhanced plotting tool
- Overlays of GSC2, 2MASS, SDSS, FIRST
- Much faster footprints
- User defined search list

Preview of DR3 (~ February 2009)

- 1. NICMOS images
- 2. ACS mosaics (possibly some WFPC2 also)
- 3. Possibly WFPC2 reprocessed image ? (e.g. WF4 anomaly fixed, chip-to-chip astrometry improved, ...)
- 4. GHRS and FOS available in advanced plotting tool
- 5. Smaller pixel (30 mas rather than 50 mas) images when warranted
- 6. Combine moving target images
- 7. Early WFC3 data and COS data?
- 8. Various user interface enhancement (e.g., user provided background for footprints)

And Beyond

- 1. "All-HST-Sky" source list
- 2. Advanced "text" search
- 3. Better integration with other archives (e.g., SPITZER, CHANDRA)
- 4. Make software (and/or tools) accessible to community
- 5. Time resolved tools
- 6. FOC images ?

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- 7. STIS slitless spectra extractions
- 8. Access to outside-developed products/tools (e.g., photometric redshifts, age dating, ...)

Google-like "one box"



Advanced Search Option

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| | | | Data Product: | Best Available | - | | | | |
| | | ► Image p | references | | | | | | |
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Inventory View

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Footprints for easier browsing of what Hubble data already exists



Image View - subset of M101 images.



Interactive Display of M101 image



HLA source list overlay for blowup of M101 image

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http://hla-web.stsci.edu - fits2web image viewer

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The brighter/darker control can bring out the full dynamic range



VCC1154 (combined) ACS/WFC F475W WFC HST_9401_13_ACS_WFC_F475W

Interactive display Download FITS: Full-size (340.0 MB) Download Source Lists: None

More...



HLA >>>

Color images are automatically produced if observations in two or more filters are available.

Lars Christiansen (ECF) >>>





Four out of 600 ACS and STIS images of SN1987A





Image view of some STIS data



Image view and interactive display of STIS long-slit spectral data



Image view - GHRS spectral previews





NICMOS GRISM Extractions from ST-ECF

Define new query Home HLA FAQ



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