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Mighti Level 1 Data Analysis Summary

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Introduction

The Level 0' output of the MIGHTI sensors are images of the Earth's limb recorded by a frame-transfer CCD detector from which neutral winds and temperatures of the Earth's upper Mesosphere/Lower Thermosphere can be measured as a function of altitude. An example image taken from a data simulation developed to test the level 1 software is shown in Figure 1. The wind measurements are obtained from a spatial fringe pattern produced by the atomic oxygen green (558 nm) and red (630 nm) line emissions at the left and upper right of Figure 1, respectively. The phase of these fringe patterns contains information about the atmospheric wind speed and the amplitude of the fringes contains information about the brightness of the emission. The separate temperature measurement (lower right of Figure 1) is determined from the relative brightness within three spectral channels which sample different parts of the near infrared molecular oxygen A-band. A more detailed description of the MIGHTI instruments can be found in Englert et. al. [DOI: 10.1007/s11214-017-0358-4](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11214-017-0358-4).

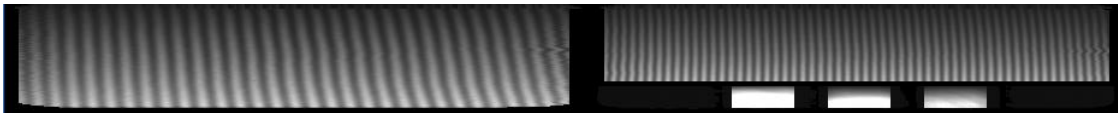


Figure 1. Representative image for MIGHTI. The green line fringe pattern is on the left half of the image, red line fringe pattern in the upper right, and five (3 illuminated) infrared channels for determining temperature on the lower right. The two non-illuminated IR channels (to the left and right of the three illuminated ones) provide a background measurement for the temperature derivation. Field of view tangent altitude is imaged vertically. The lowest green altitude is at a tangent height of 90 km and the highest is approximately 300 km.

1.0 Temperature Analysis

The Level 1 analysis of the temperature data is relatively straightforward. The signals from the infrared bands (3 signal channels and two background channels) are analyzed as follows:

- Correct for spikes due to hot pixels, star images, and/or cosmic ray events
- Dark subtract using the median value calculated from the four most recent dark exposures
- Correct for a small amount of pickup due to the smearing along rows as the image is shifted across the frame-transfer CCD sensor into the masked region
- Correct for changes in CCD gain if appropriate
- Convert to counts per second by dividing by the exposure time

These data are then passed to Level 2 where they are corrected for pixel to pixel response differences during the inversion process.

2.0 Analysis of Red and Green lines

The two primary outputs of the Level 1 wind analysis are the amplitude and phase of the fringe patterns (interferograms) as a function of pixel along a CCD row (horizontal direction in Figure 1) where each pixel in the row corresponds to the linearly varying optical path difference (OPD) of the interferogram. Along columns, the Earth's limb is imaged such that the CCD records a brightness profile of the emission from the Earth's limb covering an altitude range of approximately 90 – 300 km for the green line and 150 – 300 km for the red line. Atmospheric velocity information is contained in the phase of the interferogram whereas the amplitude carries information about the brightness of the emission but also has a weak dependence on atmospheric temperature. Emission brightness information is also contained in the mean signal value for each altitude after correcting for flat field and background signals. Both line-of-sight amplitude and mean signal values are saved at Level 1 but it is important to note that each have potential for systematic errors.

To obtain high-quality wind measurements the raw interferograms require processing to remove instrument effects such as pixel to pixel variations in sensitivity, instrument drifts with time, fringe distortions due to optical imperfections, CCD dark current, etc. During one orbit per 24 hour day, line emission from on-board calibration lamps produce a second set of fringes superimposed on the fringes from the atmosphere. The calibration lamp fringes are used to monitor instrument drifts both for the calibration orbit and subsequent orbits under the assumption that the instrument drifts are periodic with orbit. Special care must be used to separate the calibration and atmospheric signals in the analysis of fringe patterns obtained during the calibration orbit. Below we detail the Level 1 data analysis steps to extract the phase and amplitude of the fringe pattern for a variety of instrument modes. Note that there are two MIGHTI sensors, MTA and MTB, and each of them operate during both day and night. For calibration purposes, each of these four cases is treated as a different instrument. As a result, although the process for determining phase and amplitude is the same for all, the analyses are performed separately for each of them as they have different flat field, phase distortion, zero wind phases, and visibility correction calibration files.

2.1 Analysis for Interferograms Containing a Single Emission Line

The simplest images from which to extract the phase and amplitude of an emission line are those containing a single fringe pattern. The atmospheric exposures that are taken when the calibration lamps are off, which is the majority of them, fall into this category as do two per day calibration-only exposures (one in day mode and one in night mode) taken during the calibration orbit with the lamps on but with the aperture A1 closed, blocking the signal from the atmosphere. Here we describe the steps taken to analyze the data for phase and amplitude. Analysis of multi-line images will be addressed in Section 4.

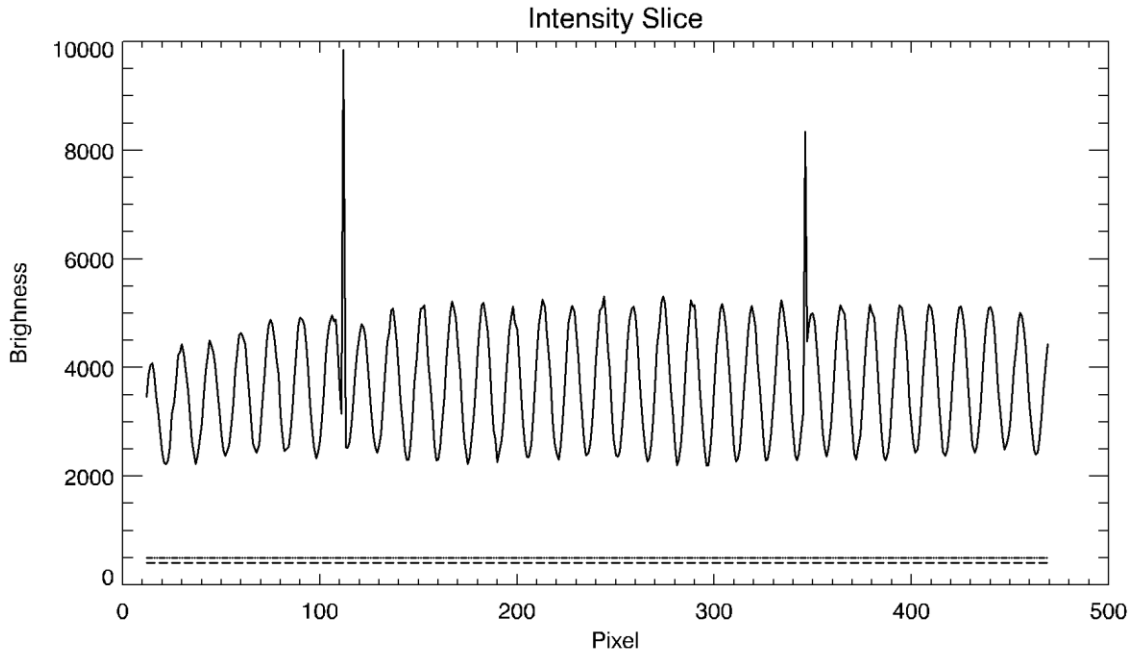


Figure 2. Brightness vs pixel for one altitude slice of green line atomic oxygen fringe (interferogram) from the simulated image in Figure 1. The primary data products of the Level 1 analyses are the phase of the interferogram which increases by 2π for every complete fringe and the fringe amplitude. There are numerous instrument artifacts evident in this plot that are removed in the Level 1 processing as described below.

- 2.1.1 **Dark and bias current subtraction.** Every image taken by the MIGHTI sensors has, in addition to light that falls on the detector, a DC bias and dark current, which is the spontaneous creation of electrons in the detector elements. To remove these effects from the images, 'dark frames' are taken and are subtracted from the raw images. To reduce noise contributions on the dark + bias frames a composite dark image is obtained from the mean of the most recent four dark images obtained during the calibration orbits. The dark + bias images are also spike corrected prior to subtraction. In Figure 2 the dark + bias signal is indicated by the dashed line at brightness value ~ 400 . Each pixel will have slightly different dark + bias current.
- 2.1.2 **Pick-up subtraction.** The MIGHTI CCDs are frame transfer devices which means when the integration time is complete the image transfers from the active area of the CCD to a masked area for readout. This results in some smearing of the image as the data moves quickly through still illuminated pixels (no shuttering). The CCDs are oriented so this image transfer is along rows (constant altitude) rather than along columns (constant optical path difference). This results in a small constant term being added to each pixel in any given interferogram which is proportional to the total row brightness. The amount to subtract is calculated for each row using the mean signal along the row multiplied by the ratio of the frame transfer time (307.5 ms) to the exposure time (30 or 60 s). For illustrative purposes the pick-up in Figure 2 is indicated as the ~ 100 counts above the dark signal. It is typically much less than 100 counts.

- 2.1.3 **Divide by proper flat field.** Flat field calibration files obtained during TVAC testing are used to correct for pixel to pixel variations in sensitivity caused either by the CCD sensor itself or the optical system (e.g. vignetting, variations in transmittance, etc.). Note that due to their different wavelengths, the calibration and atmospheric line images have different flat fields. In this step the flat field calibration file corresponding to the line being analyzed is used. Some of the pixel to pixel variation evident in Figure 2 is due to the flat field response.
- 2.1.4 **Spike correct image.** Spike correction is performed to eliminate cosmic ray events from the images that would otherwise result in additional scatter in the phase and amplitude results. There are two simulated spikes in Figure 2. First, the image is normalized (flattened) by dividing each row (altitude) by its median brightness to remove the atmospheric brightness profile. Then spikes are identified by using a median filter along columns (constant optical path difference). Identified spikes are replaced by least-squares interpolating the rest of the flattened column onto the identified pixels. Finally, the normalization is removed, restoring the atmospheric brightness profile to the data.
- 2.1.5 **Calculate brightness.** Similar to the process in the spike correction, the mean brightness per row is calculated for each altitude for both the red and the green wind measurement. Using the appropriate day/night, MTA/MTB calibration factor, this relative brightness profile (in DN) is converted to a best estimate of absolute brightness in Rayleighs based on ground based calibrations during TVAC. Because of uncertainties in the calibrations this estimate is recorded as a relative measurement at Level 1.
- 2.1.6 **Remove DC component.** In order to correct the interferograms for instrument visibility variations (see below) the low frequency component must be removed. In Figure 2 this component is the distance between the dot-dash line at ~500 counts and the midpoint of the fringe modulation. In practice the low frequency component is removed by Fourier transforming, blocking low frequencies in spectral space and inverse transforming to obtain a fringe pattern with modulation symmetric about zero. During this step a Hann function apodization is applied row by row to mitigate edge effects of the Fourier transform due to the non-periodic boundaries of the interferogram and to facilitate later processing.
- 2.1.7 **Correct for phase distortion.** Ideally a plot of phase vs pixel for a MIGHTI interferogram is linear in phase which corresponds to equally spaced interferogram fringes, however, due to small variations in the ideal optical path difference caused by non-flat optical surfaces or index of refraction variations, the recorded fringes have unequal spacing. This is most evident in Figure 1 by the curvature of the fringes. To correct for this effect, the phase of a fringe was measured during TVAC with the instrument illuminated by a homogenous diffuse emission line source. A perfect linear phase was then subtracted from this phase to obtain the phase distortion calibration image which is then used to correct on-orbit images.
- 2.1.8 **Correct for instrument induced amplitude variations.** Due to slight differences in the optical efficiencies of the interferometer arms (e.g. grating reflectivity, transmittance, etc.) the recorded fringe amplitude varies across the interferogram (cf. Figure 2). To accurately invert the line of sight measurement for wind, the fringe amplitude should be constant vs path difference and altitude when viewing a homogenous diffuse source. To remove the instrument induced amplitude variations, a calibration fringe amplitude was measured during TVAC with the field of

view illuminated with a diffuse emission line source. This calibration amplitude is divided into the interferogram row by row after removing the DC component to produce a corrected interferogram.

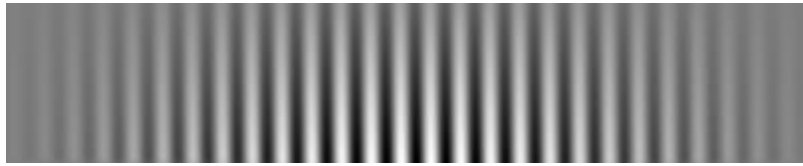


Figure 3. The green section of Figure 1 (left half of image) after correcting for dark, pickup, amplitude and phase distortion. Note the straightness of the fringes compared with Figure 1. Also evident is the Hann function apodization that tapers the amplitude to zero at the edges of the field.

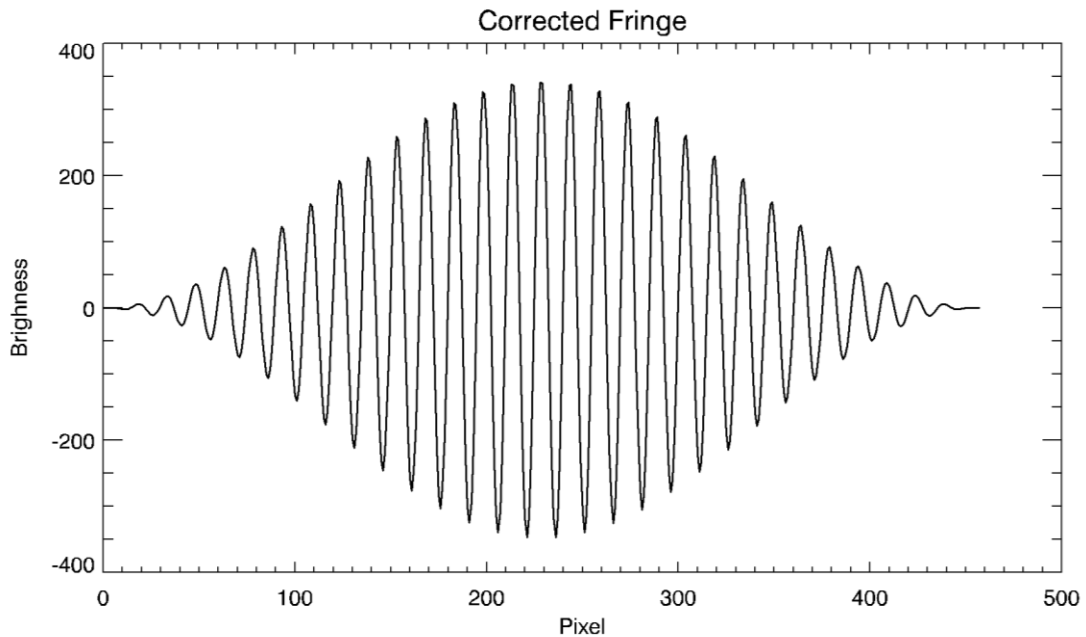


Figure 4. Intensity slice from Figure 3 after correction for instrument effects. This is the same row shown before correction in Figure 2.

2.1.9 **Isolate the spectral peak and inverse transform.** The phase vs pixel can be calculated by isolating one of the peaks in the spectrum (Fourier transform of the corrected interferogram), and inverse transforming to obtain a complex interferogram. Figure 5 shows the isolation in spectral space. In the case of spectra with both calibration and atmospheric lines (cf. Figure 9) the width of the spectral isolation function is chosen to isolate a single line.

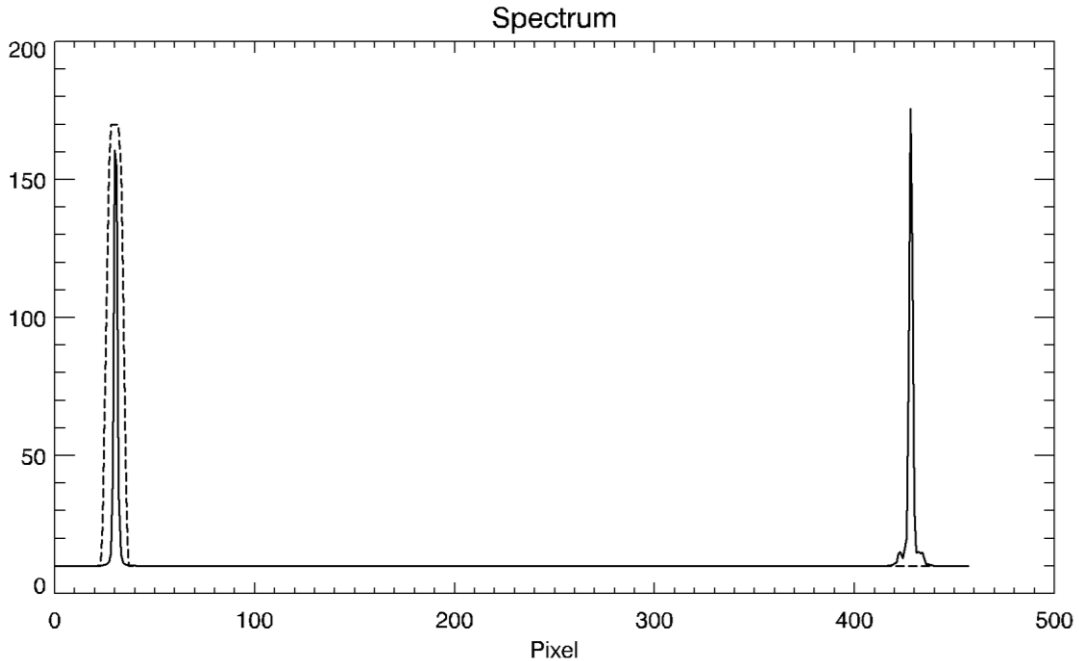


Figure 5. Isolation of the positive peak in the transform spectrum. The power spectrum of the plot from Figure 4 is shown (solid line) with the associated isolation function (scaled, dashed line). Note that a by-product of phase distortion correction is that the conjugate peak in the spectrum, on the right of the figure and removed with the isolation filter, receives twice the phase error as evidenced by its distorted line shape.

2.1.10 **Calculate phase and amplitude.** The phase is calculated by taking the inverse tangent of the imaginary part over the real part of the complex interferogram. A contiguous, or cumulative, linear phase is obtained by unwrapping the 2π jumps in the phase. Figure 6 shows the unwrapped phase vs pixel. The amplitude of the fringe, which is equal to the amplitude of the complex interferogram, is also saved at this step.

2.1.11 **Subtract reference phases.** In the final steps, as described below, a reference phase determined by calibration lamps is subtracted from the cumulative phase from step 2.1.10 in order to compensate for thermal effects. The resulting phase difference is then further subtracted from a phase difference derived from the “zero wind maneuver,” which is the calculated phase difference between the calibration lamps and an atmosphere at rest. This difference of differences is calculated along the entire optical path difference and passed to the Level 2 analysis.

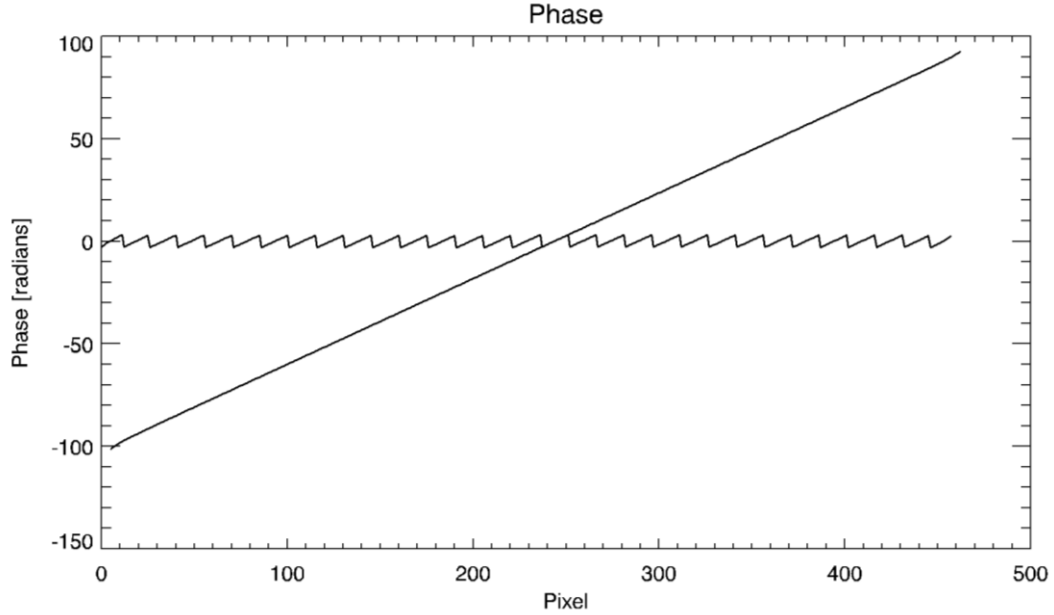


Figure 6. Phase vs pixel obtained from the inverse tangent. Each fringe corresponds to a change in phase of 2π . Also shown is the unwrapped phase where the 2π jumps have been removed.

3.0 Correction for Thermal Drifts and Zero Wind Determination

The line of sight atmospheric wind velocity is contained in the phase vs pixel (OPD, optical path difference) shown in Figure 6. Measuring this velocity requires that thermal drifts of the instrument be removed. This is accomplished by monitoring the fringes from an on-board calibration lamp with an emission line spectrally close to the atmospheric line. For the red line a neon emission at 630.4 nm is used and for the green line a krypton emission at 557.03 nm is used. As will be shown below, utilizing the calibration lamps requires that the phase difference between the calibration line and the atmospheric line for an atmosphere at rest (zero wind) be known. A special maneuver during which the field of view is oriented to view the limb towards the ram of the spacecraft, followed by a second observation where the field of view is oriented to view the same location on the limb towards the wake is referred to as the zero-wind calibration. To motivate the analysis, we start with a discussion of the calculations pertaining to thermal drift correction and zero wind calibration.

3.1 General atmospheric measurement

The phase vs pixel of an interferogram from an atmospheric emission line (cf. Figure 6) can be represented as follows:

$$\Phi_A = \Phi_{A0} + a*(v_s + v_A) + \delta\phi_{DA} \quad (1A)$$

Φ_A is measured phase vs pixel of atmospheric line observed for a particular altitude (CCD row) on the scene

Φ_{A0} is phase vs pixel of atmospheric line for zero wind, no spacecraft velocity and zero interferometer drift

a is $2\pi\sigma\Delta/c$, where Δ is path the difference vs pixel, σ is the signal wavenumber, c is the speed of light

v_s is the projection of the spacecraft velocity along the line of sight, which is known

v_A is the atmospheric line of sight velocity

and

$\delta\phi_{DA}$ is the thermal drift for the atmospheric line which is a function of time.

$\delta\phi_{DA}$ has two possible components. This first is the drift of the interferometer that is due to thermal changes of the path difference inside the interferometer. Over small wavelength ranges the interferometer drift can be considered as independent of fringe frequency and is therefore the same for atmospheric and calibration lines. The second source of possible drift is due to a mechanical shift of the detector with respect to the interferometer caused by a differential thermal motion of the interferometer assembly, exit optics or detector. This drift scales linearly with fringe frequency and is monitored using registration marks (“notches”) that are burned into one the interferometer gratings and imaged on the CCD. The notches can be seen along the top rows of Figure 1. $\delta\phi_{DA}$ can be expressed as:

$$\delta\phi_{DA} = \delta\phi_T + \delta\phi_{NA} = \delta\phi_T + f_A\Delta_N \quad (1B)$$

where $\delta\phi_T$ is the interferometer drift assumed to be the same for both atmospheric and calibration lines (Littrow shift) and $\delta\phi_{NA}$ is the phase shift of the atmospheric line due to the shift of the grating registration marks on the detector.

As indicated on the right-hand side of equation 1B, $\delta\phi_{NA} = f_A\Delta_N$ where f_A is the measured fringe frequency for the atmospheric line in units of phase per pixel and Δ_N is the measured shift in pixels of the grating registration marks. Zero reference for this shift is the same predefined zero state of the interferometer used in the zero wind analysis (below).

The phase vs pixel for the calibration lamp fringe pattern taken during calibration orbit can be expressed as:

$$\Phi_C = \Phi_{C0} + \delta\phi_{DC} \quad (2A)$$

Φ_C is the measured phase vs pixel of the on board calibration line

Φ_{C0} is the phase vs pixel of the calibration line at zero interferometer drift

$\delta\phi_{DC}$ is the phase drift of the calibration line. Following equation 1B $\delta\phi_{DC}$ can be written as

$$\delta\phi_{DC} = \delta\phi_T + \delta\phi_{NC} = \delta\phi_T + f_C\Delta_N \quad (2B)$$

where f_C is the measured frequency of the calibration line in units of phase per pixel.

Combining equations (1A) through (2B) gives

$$\Phi_A - \Phi_C = (\Phi_{A0} - \Phi_{C0}) + a^*(v_s + v_A) + (f_A - f_C)*\Delta_N \quad (3)$$

which is independent of the interferometer thermal drift, $\delta\phi_T$.

The first term on the right-hand side ($\Phi_{A0} - \Phi_{C0}$) is obtained from the zero-wind maneuver described in section 3.2.

3.2 Zero wind maneuver

The zero wind maneuver results in two exposures with opposite look directions, one viewing the limb towards the direction of the satellite velocity (ram) and the other following a 180° satellite yaw that views the same atmospheric volume on the limb but in the backward direction (wake). These exposures contain both atmospheric and calibration lines. Defining $\delta\phi_{DAZ1}$, $\delta\phi_{DCZ1}$ and $\delta\phi_{DAZ2}$, and $\delta\phi_{DCZ2}$ as the thermal drifts for both exposures (Z1 for ram and Z2 for wake) and for both sets of lines (subscript A for atmospheric and C for calibration), the phase vs pixel for each image and line can be expressed as

Atmospheric line:

$$\Phi_{ZA1} = \Phi_{A0} + a^*(v_s + v_A) + \delta\phi_{DAZ1} \quad : \text{ first measurement in ram} \quad (4)$$

$$\Phi_{ZA2} = \Phi_{A0} - a^*(v_s + v_A) + \delta\phi_{DAZ2} \quad : \text{ second measurement in wake} \quad (5)$$

Note the change of sign of the velocity terms.

Calibration line:

$$\Phi_{ZC1} = \Phi_{C0} + \delta\phi_{DCZ1} \quad : \text{ first measurement in ram} \quad (6)$$

$$\Phi_{ZC2} = \Phi_{C0} + \delta\phi_{DCZ2} \quad : \text{ second measurement in wake} \quad (7)$$

As before in equations 1B and 2B, each of the $\delta\phi_{Dxxx}$ terms can be expressed as the sum of a corresponding interferometer drift $\delta\phi_{Tx}$ and grating shift on the detector, $\delta\phi_{Nx} = f_x\Delta_{Nx}$.

Combining eqns (4), (5), (6), (7) and substituting for the drift terms gives:

$$\Phi_{A0} - \Phi_{C0} = \frac{1}{2}[(\Phi_{ZA2} - \Phi_{ZC2}) + (\Phi_{ZA1} - \Phi_{ZC1}) - (f_A - f_C)*(\Delta_{N1} + \Delta_{N2})] \quad (8)$$

Where Δ_{N1} is the grating shift in pixels for exposure Z1 and Δ_{N2} is the corresponding value for exposure Z2 from a reference position for zero notch shift determined during instrument check-out on orbit.

The left side of equation 8 is the phase difference between a zero-wind atmospheric line and the calibration line. It is a fundamental property of the interferometer that is independent of thermal drift.

3.3 Combining general atmospheric measurement and zero wind

Equation (3) can be now be used to determine v_A as follows

$$a^*(v_s + v_A) = (\Phi_A - \Phi_C) - (\Phi_{A0} - \Phi_{C0}) - (f_A - f_C)*\Delta_N \quad (9)$$

Note that v_s , the projection of the satellite velocity onto the line of sight, is removed in the level 2 analysis.

The first term in parentheses on the right side of equation 9 is obtained from the analysis of each atmospheric image while the second term in parentheses is from the zero-wind maneuver (cf. equation 8).

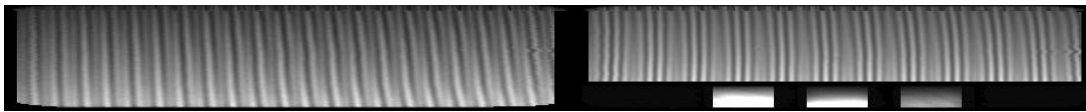


Figure 7. Example Level 0 image similar to Figure 1 but with the calibration lamps on. Notice the additional superimposed set of fringes from the calibration lamps.

4.0 Practical concerns

Equation 8 requires that the phase vs pixel be obtained for multiple images and for images containing superimposed fringe patterns of two spectral emission lines. There are several practical issues surrounding accurate determination of the phases:

- During normal operations the calibration lamps used to monitor the thermal drift will be on for only one orbit per 24-hour day. The measured thermal drift will need to be applied to data from subsequent orbits when the calibration lamps are not on. Most images during the calibration orbit will have both calibration and atmospheric lines, however, there are two calibration-only images (one for day and one for night) taken with aperture A1 closed, which blocks the signal from the atmosphere.
- As indicated above, the zero-wind maneuver consists of two images, one with the FOV pointed toward the spacecraft ram and one toward the wake. These images will contain both calibration and atmospheric lines.
- Analysis of images with both calibration and atmospheric lines are complicated by the fact that the two lines have different flat fields. This requires special processing to avoid the contamination of one line by the flat field of the other (see Figure 9).
- The fringe phase and amplitude in interferogram (fringe) space contains non-periodic boundary conditions, which creates artifacts near the edges of the transform window during discrete Fourier Transform processing. To reduce the effect of these artifacts on the derived winds, the phase and amplitudes are trimmed at each edge.

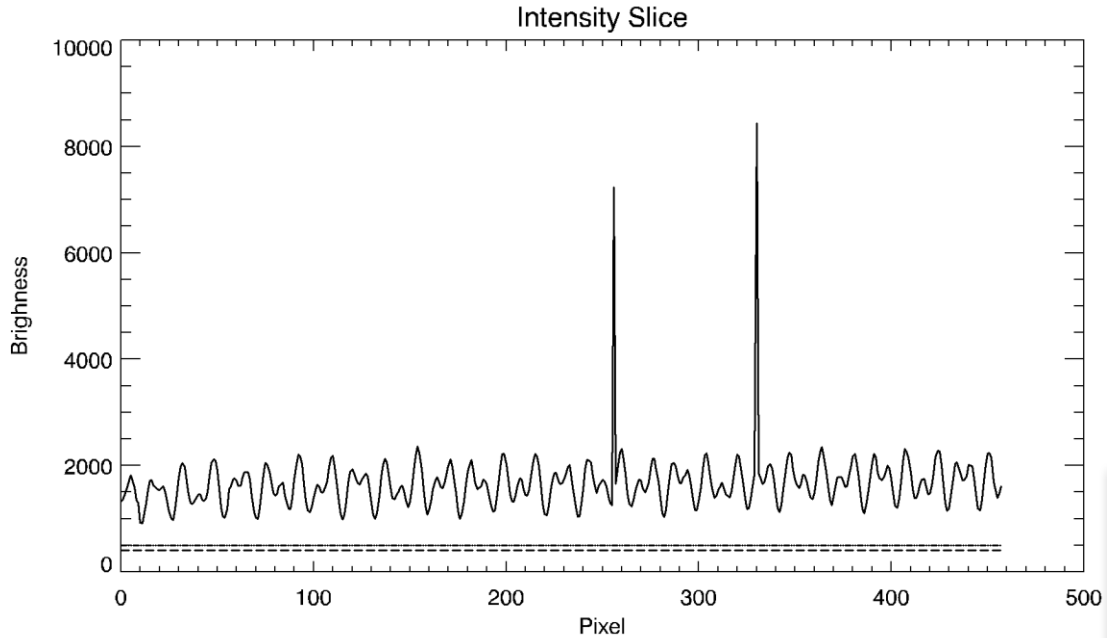


Figure 8. Brightness vs pixel for a slice through the green fringe pattern from Figure 7 when both the calibration and atmospheric lines are present. The double modulation is evident (compare with Figure 2).

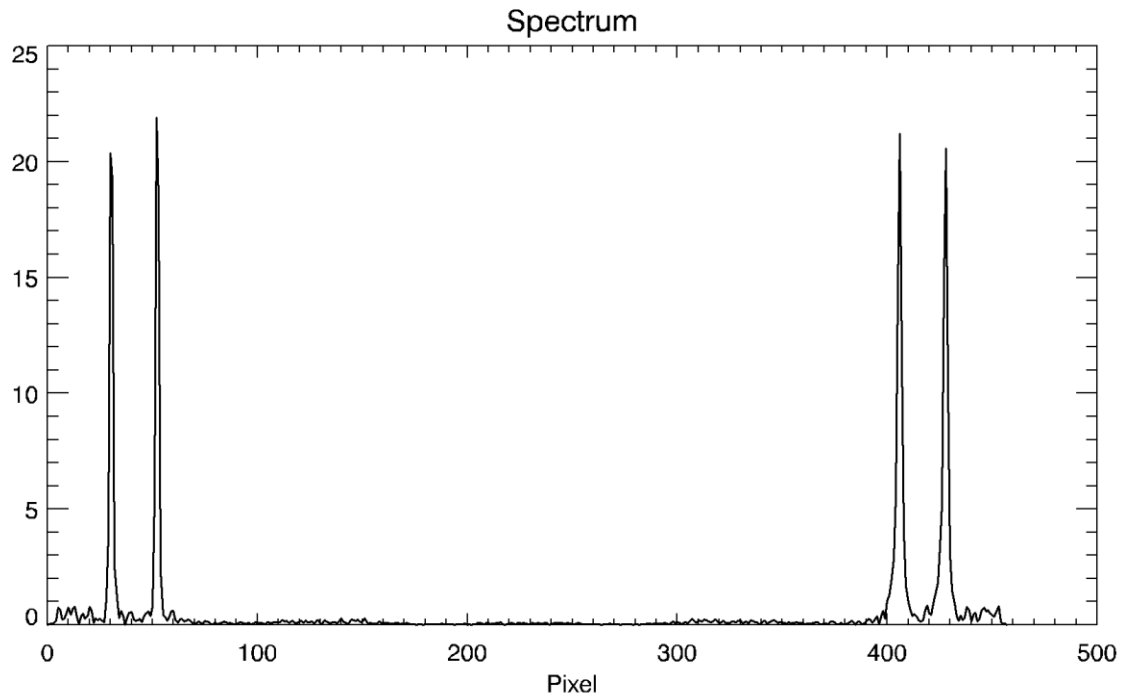


Figure 9. Amplitude Fourier transform of the slice shown in Figure 8 after correcting for dark, flat field, pickup, amplitude variation and phase distortion. The atmospheric line is near a frequency (fringes per window) of 23 while the calibration line is near a frequency of 43. The flat field for

the atmospheric line was applied to the image during the correction process. Note the fluctuations near the feet of the lines which is due to the atmospheric flat field applied to the calibration line. This contamination, which is a feature of all two-line interferograms, requires special processing to derive high-quality phase and amplitude information for both the calibration and atmospheric lines.

4.1 Extracting calibration phases from two-line data

To determine the calibration phase Φ_C for a given row for two-line interferograms while mitigating contamination from the atmospheric line, the following steps are used:

- 4.1.1 **Analyze calibration-only image.** Retrieve the closest-in-time calibration-only image and calculate phase vs pixel of calibration line using the standard technique detailed in Section 2. This provides a “high-quality” reference phase for the calibration line to be used in two-line analysis (Φ_{C0} in Equation 2).
- 4.1.2 **Reprocess calibration-only image and two-line image.** Divide each image by the *atmospheric line* flat field. Fourier transform the interferograms from both images. This results in a clean atmospheric spectral line in the two-line spectrum and creates an equally contaminated calibration spectral line for the calibration-only and two-line spectra. Two-line spectra using the atmospheric line flat field is shown in Figure 9.
- 4.1.3 **Isolate calibration line.** Using a spectral filter, remove the atmospheric line from the two-line spectra.
- 4.1.4 **Fit spectra for thermal shift.** Find the phase shift between the processed calibration-only and the isolated calibration spectra from the two-line image by fitting the first to the second in the spectral domain with free parameters of phase shift and amplitude. This phase shift is $\delta\phi_{DC}$ in equation 2A.
- 4.1.5 **Calculate calibration phase for two-line image.** Add the phase shift from step 4.1.4 to the calibration-only phase obtained in step 4.1.1 to obtain high-quality phase vs pixel for the calibration line Φ_C . A similar process is used to obtain Φ_{ZC1} and Φ_{ZC2} (cf. equations 6 and 7).

4.2 Extracting atmospheric phases from two-line data

To determine the atmospheric phase Φ_A for a given row the following steps are used:

- 4.2.1 **Get pure calibration-only phases.** Obtain the closest-in-time previous calibration-only image and dark subtract. Do not flat field. Also retrieve the thermal drift information by time in orbit. Add thermal shift to calibration-only image.
- 4.2.2 **Dark correct the two-line image to be analyzed.** Do not flat field.
- 4.2.3 **Remove calibration lines.** Subtract thermally shifted calibration-only fringe image from the two-line fringe image to obtain an atmosphere-only fringe image with a small calibration line residual component. Prior to subtraction, the brightness of the calibration-only fringe is scaled to the

brightness of the calibration line in the two-line fringe. The scale factor is determined from the areas under the respective lines in frequency space. After the isolation function is applied, the residual calibration component will have a negligible effect on the determined atmospheric phases.

- 4.2.4 **Process the atmosphere-only fringe image.** Take the resulting image from step 4.2.3 and analyze using the single-line process detailed in Section 2. This method is also used to obtain Φ_{ZA1} and Φ_{ZA2} for the zero wind maneuver analysis (cf. equation 8).

4.3 Obtaining the calibration line phase, Φ_C for single-line atmospheric data

Except for the calibration orbit, all atmospheric data during normal operations will consist of single-line images. These are analyzed to obtain Φ_A using the process described in Section 2. However, to obtain wind speeds using equation 9, an appropriate calibration lamp phase Φ_C is required. Assuming that the thermal drift is periodic with the orbit the following process is used to obtain Φ_C for single-line atmospheric data.

- 4.3.1 **Determine time in orbit.** Obtain the time since the day-night spacecraft terminator crossing for the file in question from the ancillary file.
- 4.3.2 **Determine thermal phase shift.** Interpolate the time since terminator variable from the previous calibration orbit in the Thermal Drift file to the current time in orbit to determine a current thermal phase shift.
- 4.3.3 **Retrieve calibration-only phases.** Obtain the phases of the calibration-only image that is saved in the Thermal Drift file.
- 4.3.4 **Create expected calibration phase.** Calculate the calibration phase term Φ_C by adding the thermal phase shift to the calibration-only phases.

5.0 Noise estimation

Formulas to estimate the uncertainty of the line of sight level 1 amplitudes and phases have been developed and tested using a Monte Carlo approach for both a simplified single line with background calculation, where the various parameters were varied over a wide range of values, and the Level 1 data analysis simulation including the various processes/corrections described above. Englert et. al. (2007) details the phase uncertainty on a pixel by pixel basis. Here the analysis is expanded to include the amplitude and formulas for the uncertainties averaged along an entire row.

5.1 Uncertainty estimates for each pixel

As given by Englert et. al. (2007) the phase uncertainty for each pixel is given by:

$$\sigma_{ph} = \sqrt{2 * I_{Tot} * n} / I_{sig} \quad (10)$$

where I_{Tot} is the total number of detected photons in the row

n is the width in pixels of the spectral filter used when isolating the line of interest in Fourier space and I_{sig} is the total number of detected photons in the line of interest.

Similarly, the fringe amplitude uncertainty for each pixel is given by:

$$\sigma_{\text{Amp}} = \sqrt{I_{\text{Tot}} * n/2} / N \quad (11)$$

where N is the total number of pixels in the row. Note that this depends only on the total number of photons, not the number of photons in the line of interest. This general property of Fourier transforms reflects the fact that each spectral element receives the same noise.

5.2 Uncertainty estimates averaged along a row

The calculation of the mean uncertainty along a row is complicated by the trimming applied to each row (described above) to mitigate the effect of large Fourier transform induced phase and amplitude deviations due to non-periodic boundary conditions at the beginning and end of each row. The effect of the trimming is to reduce the total number of detected photons. Formulas for the mean uncertainty and phase are:

$$\langle \sigma_{\text{ph}} \rangle = \sqrt{2 * I_{\text{Tot}} * N / N_{\text{trim}}} / I_{\text{sig}} \quad (12)$$

and

$$\langle \sigma_{\text{Amp}} \rangle = \sqrt{I_{\text{Tot}} / 2 * N / N_{\text{trim}}} / N \quad (13)$$

Where N_{trim} is the number of pixels in the row after trimming. Note that equations 12 and 13 are different from 10 and 11 by a factor of $\sqrt{1/n * N / N_{\text{trim}}}$ and are thus independent of n , the width of the spectral filter applied to isolate the line of interest in Fourier space. The factor N / N_{trim} simply reflects the reduction in numbers of photons and pixels along the row due to trimming.

MIGHTI_create_thermal_drift_v1_0_3

Restore Parameters .dat File
ReadNetCDF ; Read file to set parameters
Find Cal Only Images
analyzeCalOnlyImage
Read calibration orbit files
analyzeThermDrift
Prepare thermal drift file
Write thermal drift file

End

analyzeCalOnlyImage

Restore Parameters .dat File
ReadNetCDF ;read image file and zero wind calibration file
callDarks
verifyDarks_v6 ;subtracts dark (2.1.1)
pickUpRemove_v4 (2.1.2)
callFlatField_v3(2.1.3)
spikeCorrect_v8 (2.1.4)
removeDC_v6 (2.1.5)
vis_and_phase_correction_v5 (2.1.6, 2.1.7)
Calculate Phase and Envelope row by row (2.1.8, 2.1.9)
Create_notch_position
sheetFitPhases ;fits 2d plane to phases

End

analyzeThermDrift (4.1)

Restore Parameters .dat File
callDarks
verifyDarks_v6 ;subtracts dark
callFlatField_v3 ;Flat cal+atm image with atm flat (4.1.3)
callFlatField_v3 ;Flat cal_only image with atm flat (4.1.3)
Fit for thermal drift in frequency space (4.1.4)
Create_notch_position
polyFitPHaseShift ;Fit phase vs OPD with quadratic

End

7.0 Flowcharts for L0P to L1 codes

ICON MIGHTI L0P – L1 Code Flow Charts

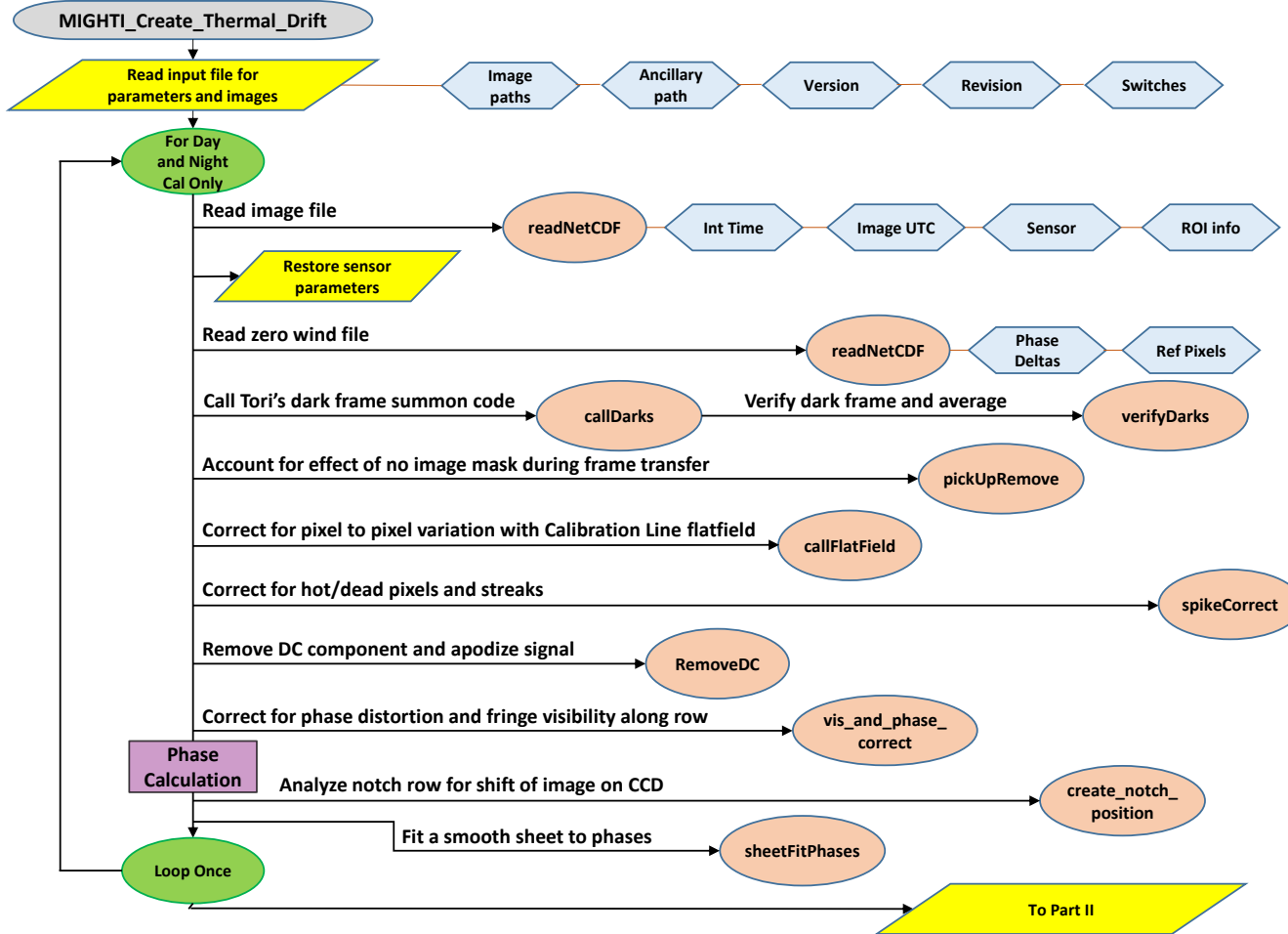
K. Marr
August 9, 2018

Key to Symbols

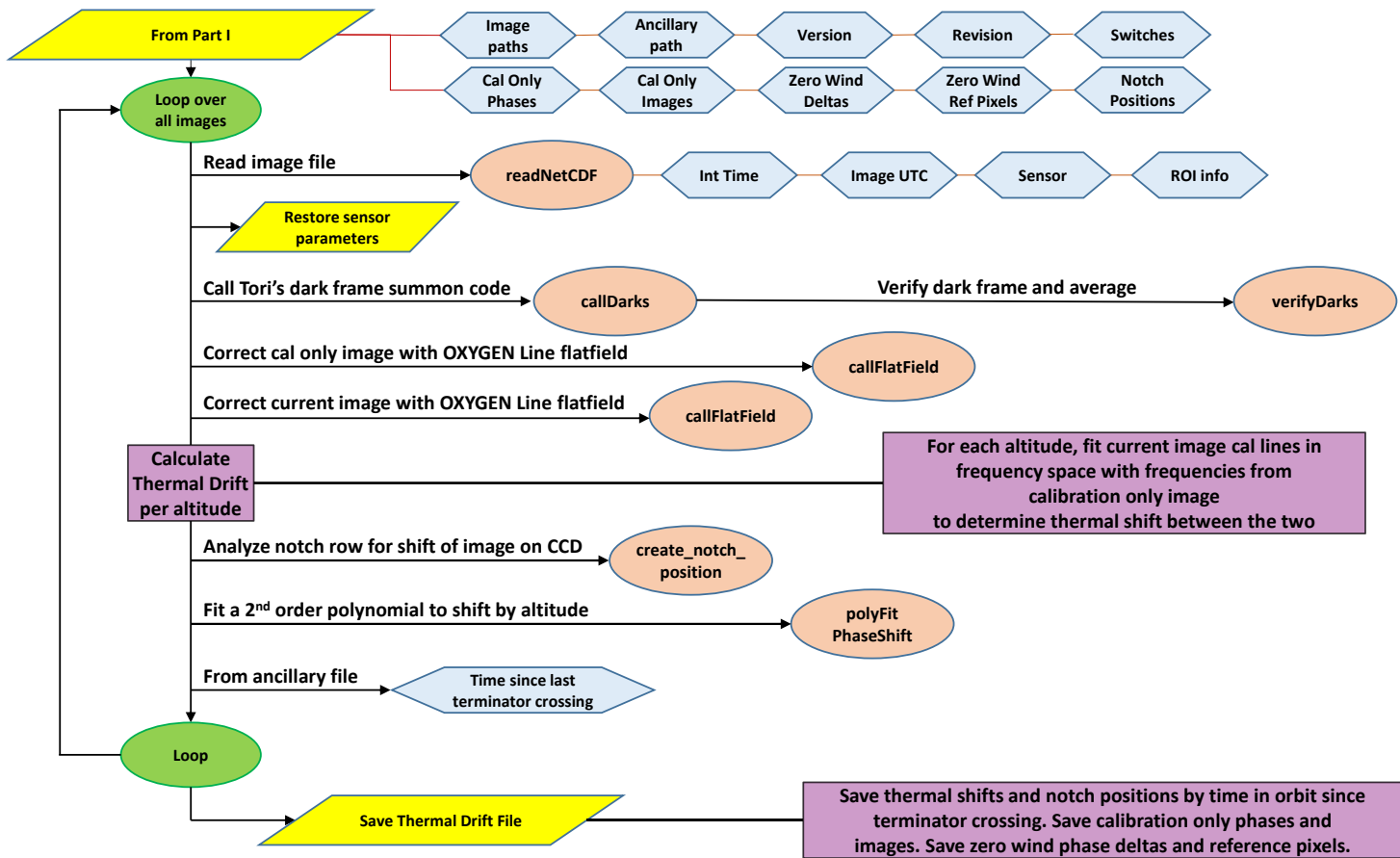
- Tan circles indicate subroutines
- Green ovals are beginning and end of do-loops
- Yellow parallelograms represent input and output operations
- Purple rectangles are used to indicate any processing operations
- Gold diamonds are used to indicate questions asked or conditions
- Blue hexagons indicate parameters or constants
- Arrows indicate the direction to be followed in a flow chart
- Solid lines are completed or near complete.
- Dashed lines need more work before inclusion

Codes will be run in the order indicated.

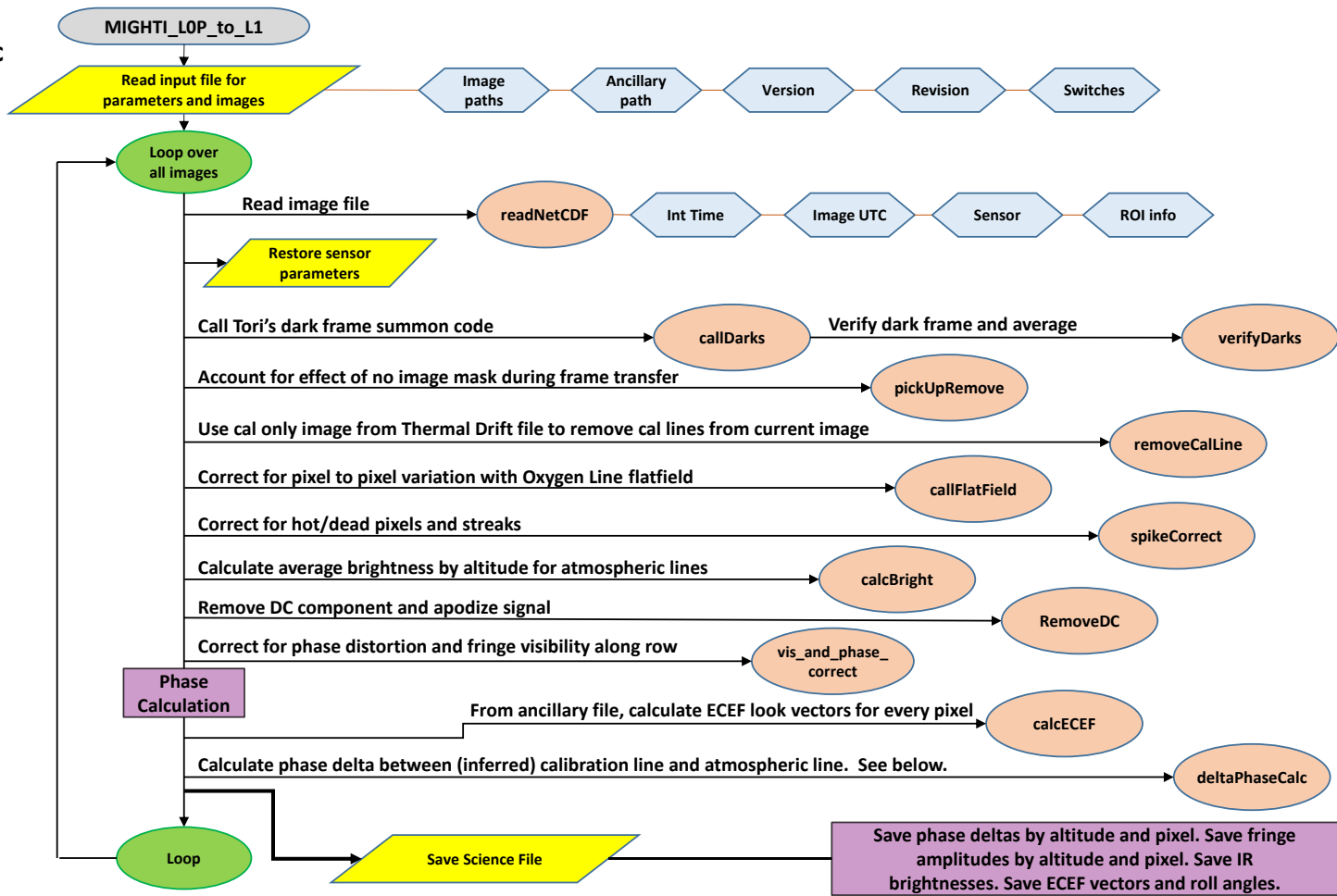
Cal Lamp
Orbit
Analysis
Part I



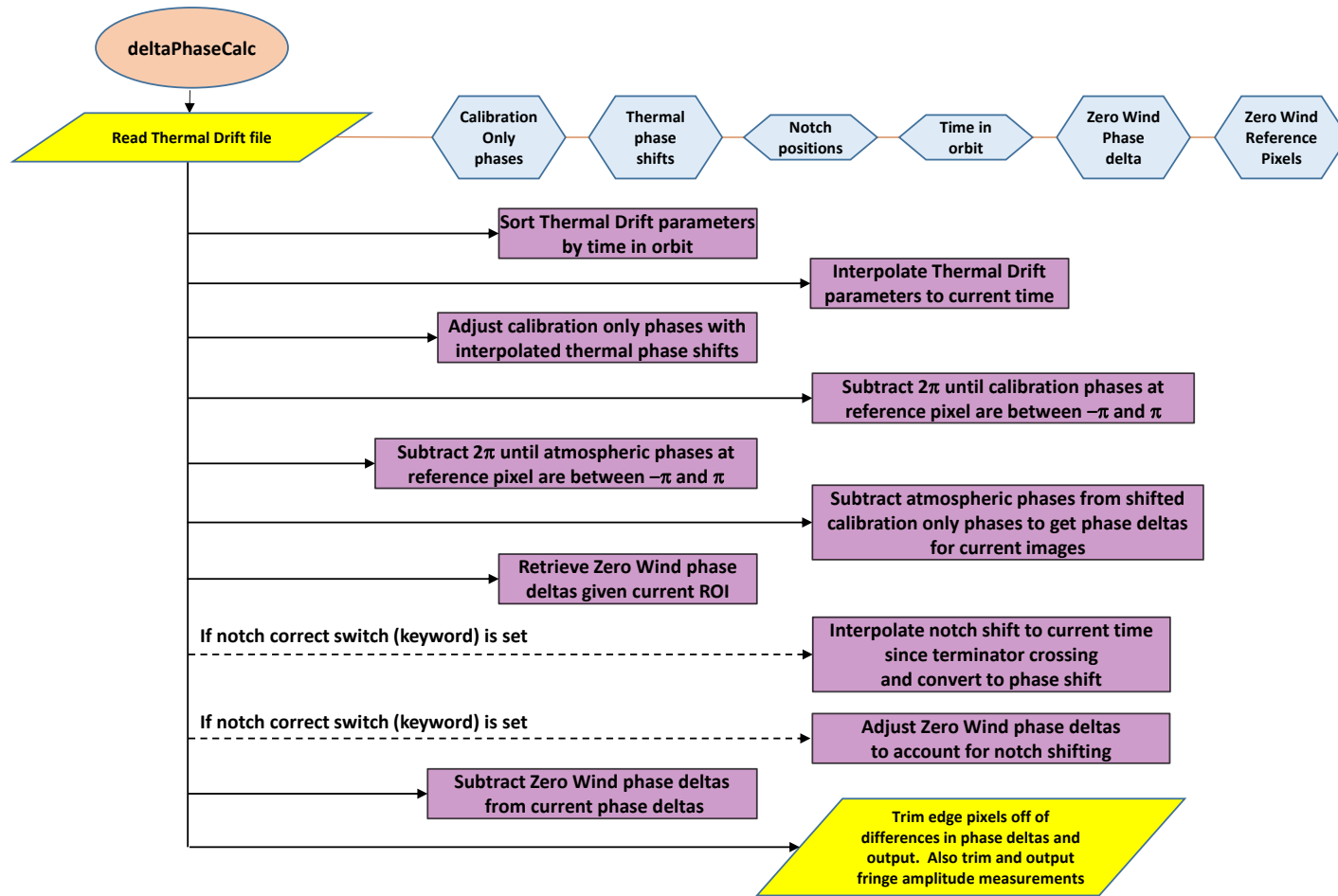
Cal Lamp Orbit Analysis Part II



Atmospheric Image Analysis



Phase Delta Calculation Subroutine



8.0 IDL routine header information

The following pages contain the header information for each of the IDL routines developed for the L0 prime to L1 MIGHTI software. Included are a brief description and the input and output parameters for each routine.

8.1 addAttributesScience.pro

```
;;;;;;
;
; addAttributesScience.pro - IDL procedure to create attributes
;   pertaining to MIGHTI NetCDF files
;
;;;;;;
;
; Version : 1.1.6
;
;;;;;;
;
; History:
;
; Date          Name          Action
; -----
; 07 Jul 17    K. Marr        Began Code
; 11 Oct 17    J. Harlander   Reviewed and commented
; 05 Jan 18    K. Marr        Added a few flag variables
; 02 Feb 18    K. Marr        Removed Shuffle, Deflate Level and
;                               Chunk(ing) Sizes.  These are set
;                               in writeNetCDF
; 28 Mar 18    K. Marr        Added quality factor variable.
; 25 Apr 18    K. Marr        Removed MonoTon:False and edited
;                               variable types to match variables.
; 07 May 18    K. Marr        Added conjugate maneuver register
; 17 Jul 18    K. Marr        Added brightness values
; 21 Aug 18    K. Marr        Improved Var Notes
; 14 Jan 19    K. Marr        Updated S/N flag attributes.  Removed
;                               near terminator flag.
; 30 Jan 19    K. Marr        Changed hyphen to underscore in
;                               dimension names.  Var Notes for flags.
;                               New variables
;
;;;;;;
;
; Program Description
;
; Creates attributes for MIGHTI science NetCDF files
;
;;;;;;
```



```

;
;
;
;
; Output:
;       Red and green brightnesses in R
;
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;       ImageIn: Input image to be analyzed
;       directory: path to working directory
;       Sensor:   'A' or 'B'
;       timeStr:  'Day' or 'Night'
;       redBotY:  Lowest row with red data
;       grnStart: First green column
;       redStart: Frist red column
;       grnStart: First green column
;       redStart: Frist red column
;       grnWidth: Width of green fringe pattern (columns)
;       redWidth: Width of red fringe pattern (columns)
;
;
; Outputs:
;       brightnessG: Mean brightness of green by row used for DC
;                   brightness estimate
;       brightnessR: Mean brightness of red by row used for DC
;                   brightness estimate
;
;

```

8.3 calcECEF_v4.pro

```

;
;
; calcECEF_v4.pro - IDL procedure to calculate ECEF vector locations
;                   for each pixel using polynomial fit detailed in the MIGHTI
;                   alignment document SSD-RPT-MI001
;
;
; Version : 4.0.0
;
;
; History:

```

```

;
; Date          Name          Action
; -----
; 31 Mar 17    K. Marr        Began coding
; 17 Jan 18    J. Harlander    Reviewed and commented
; 21 Mar 18    K. Marr        Fixed 2x16 to 2x2 offsets.
; 01 Feb 19    K. Marr        Added local solar time calculation.
;
;
;
;
; Program Description
;
;
; Determines ECEF vectors and latitude, longitude and altitude of
; tangent point for each pixel in the MIGHTI FOV using the
; polynomial functions detailed in the MIGHTI alignment report SSD-
; RPT-MI001.
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;   ancillaryStruct: structure containing ancillary file
;   information
;   directory: directory containing data begin analyzed. Must
;   have Input, Output and Calibrations subdirectories
;   Sensor: 'A' or 'B'
;   timeStr: 'Day' or 'Night'
;   ancIndex: ancillary index for file begin processed
;   redStart: column start for red fringes
;   grnStart: column start for green fringes
;   ROIStartY: lowest row of ROI
;   ROIStartX: lowest column of ROI
;   ROIHeight: maximum row of ROI
;
; Required external file:
;   Parameters file in Calibration subdirectory
;
; External functions or procedures called:
;   ECEF_to_wgs84
;
;
;
; Output: All outputs are calculated for beginning, middle and end of
; integration.
;   Array format: fltarr(x_pixel, y_pixel, 3, 3)
;                 where 3rd dimension contains vector data or Lat, Long,
;                 Alt and 4th dimension is time, beginning, middle, end
;                 of exposure
;
;   RedECEF: ECEF for each red pixel

```



```

;
;
; Output:
;         Flatfield corrected image data
;
;
;
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;         ImageIn:      Input image to be analyzed
;         rowmin:      Starting row for analysis
;         colmin:      Starting column for analysis
;         Sensor:      'A' or 'B'
;         SensorMode:  'Day' or 'Night'
;         LineType:    'Oxy' or 'Cal'
;         directory:   path to working directory.  Must have Input,
Output and Calibrations                               subdirectories
;
; Required Input Data:
;         Flatfield data must be in Calibrations subdirectory of
working directory:
;         MIGHTI_A_DAY_Flatfield_Oxy.nc
;         MIGHTI_A_NIGHT_Flatfield_Oxy.nc
;         MIGHTI_B_DAY_Flatfield_Oxy.nc
;         MIGHTI_B_NIGHT_Flatfield_Oxy.nc;
;
;imageIn, rowmin, colmin, Sensor, SensorMode, LineType,
FFCorrectedImage, directory, fileNameOut, failFlag
;
;
;
; Outputs:
;         FFCorrectedImage:  Fringe image corrected flat field
variations
;         fileNameOut:  Name of flat filed calibration file used for
correction
;         FailFlag:  0 if successful, 5 if no flat field calibration
file found
;
;
;

```

8.5 create_notch_position.pro

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
;
; create_notch_position.pro - IDL procedure to determine notch
;   positions from the on-orbit calibration data
;
;
;
; Version : 1.0.0
;
;
;
; History:
;
;   Date           Name           Action
;   -----
;   22 Dec 17     C. Englert       First cut
;   04 JAN 18     C. Englert       added initial conditions for fake data and
;   SDL calibration data
;
;                                     (SDL-cal data initial conditions are
commented out, but are
;                                     expected to be viable for flight data.)
;   23 Jul 18     J. Harlander     Reviewed and commented
;
;
;
; Program Description
;
;
; Routine processes one exposure.
; Depending on day or night mode, it uses
; the red or green side to find the notch position (shift). The notch
; position is determined by fitting an analytic function to a notch
; row.
;
; The initial conditions of the fit are highly important, due to the
; periodic nature of the analytic function that is fitted. If the
; initial conditions are not close to the correct solution, the fit
; will find a local minimum in Chi^2.
; If in doubt, the visual inspection of the data and fitted function
; makes it obvious whether the correct minimum is found or not.
; On orbit, any thermal changes are expected to be much too small to
; have any effect on the proper initial conditions, so that the
; predetermined initial conditions from the ground based calibration
; are expected to be robust.
;
;
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;   ImageIn:      Input image to be analyzed
;   timeStr:      'Day' or 'Night'
;   Sensor:       'A' or 'B'
```



```

; Program Description
;
; Corrects phase data for thermal drift and notch shift. Also trims
;   phase and envelope images
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;
;       pathName      path to calibration data containing thermal
;                     drift calibration file
;
;       timeInOrbit   time since most recent day/night terminator
;                     crossing
;
;       redPhasesIn   red phase image
;       grnPhasesIn   green phase image
;       redEnvIn      red envelope image
;       grnEnvIn      green envelope image
;       grnStart      start column for green images
;       redStart      start column for red images
;       grnWidth      width of green image before trimming
;       redWidth      width of red image before trimming
;       trim          number of pixels to be trimmed from each
;                     edge of image
;
;       timeStr       'Day' or 'Night'
;
;       redNeFreqDiff frequency difference between red and Ne
;                     lines - used in notch correction
;
;       grnKrFreqDiff frequency difference between green and Kr
;                     lines - used in notch correction
;
;       sensor        'A' or 'B'
;
;
; Outputs:
;
;       redDeltaPhasesOut corrected red phase image
;       grnDeltaPhasesOut corrected green phase image
;       redEnvOut        trimmed red envelope image
;       grnEnvOut        trimmed green envelope image
;       refPixelG        green reference pixel - read from
;                       thermal drift calibration file
;
;       refPixelR        red reference pixel - read from thermal
;                       drift calibration file
;
;       thermEpoch      time of first exposure in thermal drift
;                       file.
;
;
; External routines called
;
;       readNetCDF
;

```

8.7 MIGHTI_Create_Thermal_Drift_v01r00.pro

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
; MIGHTI_Create_Thermal_Drift_v01r00.pro - IDL procedure to calculate
thermal drift calibration file
;
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
;
;codeVersion = '1.0.3'
;
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
;
; History:
;
;   Date           Name           Action
;   -----
;   19 May 17      K. Marr         Started coding.
;   21 Feb 18      K. Marr         Switched to curvefit way of determining
;                                   phase shift
;   23 Mar 18      K. Marr         Swapped pickup remove to before anything
;                                   else.
;   26 Mar 18      K. Marr         Fixed error where calOnly Phases weren't
;                                   being saved.
;   01 May 18      K. Marr         Fixed cal Orbit guess issue.
;   03 May 18      K. Marr         Added code to skip any files taken during
;                                   non-science manuevers
;   08 May 18      K. Marr         Fixed non-orbit errors (too few files,
;                                   etc)
;   04 Jun 18      K. Marr         Update for spikeCorrect v8.
;   05 Jul 18      K. Marr         Added calibration file names in output
;                                   file
;   10 Aug 18      K. Marr         Changed how wrong ancillary is handled.
;
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;

;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
; Program Description
;
; Required Input Data:
;   Text file containing file names and other information for
;   the LOP files
;
;   Input text file has the following format:
;
;   Revision=944,944
;   Version=006
;   directory=C:\Users\John\Documents\research\proposals\ICON\
;   Ancillary=
;   ICON_LOP_MIGHTI-A_Ancillary_2017-05-29_v01r002.nc
;   GPI=ICON_Ancillary_GPI_2016-335_v01r001.nc
```

```

;
; [Files]
; ICON_LOP_MIGHTI-A_NOMINAL_2017-05-29_013817_v01r944.NC
; etc....
;
; where
;
; Revision indicates the revision of the output L1 file.
; There should be at least as many comma separated revision
; numbers as there are input LOP files.
; Version indicates the version of the output L1 file. Only
; one version number is used
; Directory is the directory location for the LOP files and
; other information as follows
;     Note: This directory must have subfolders
;     Input: Contains the LOP file data and associated
;            ancillary file (darks?)
;     Output: Subdirectory for output L1 files
;     Calibration: Contains calibration files including
;                  flatfield, visibility correction phase
;                  distortion correction, thermal drift
;                  and parameters files
;     Tohban: Subdirectory for output Tohban plots (if used)
;
; Ancillary is the name of the ancillary file associated
; with the LOP files. The file must be located in the Input
; subdirectory.
; GPI is the name of the GPI file associated with the LOP
; files. It is currently not used.
; Files is a list of the filenames of the LOP files to be
; analyzed.
;
;
;
; ;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;     Input text file as described above
;     Variable for error codes
;
; Required Input and Calibration Data:
;     Calibrations subdirectory of working directory must
;     contain the following files:
;     MIGHTI_X_DAY_Flatfield_Oxy.nc
;     MIGHTI_X_NIGHT_Flatfield_Oxy.nc
;     MIGHTI_X_DAY_Flatfield_Cal.nc
;     MIGHTI_X_NIGHT_Flatfield_Cal.nc
;     ICON_L1_MIGHTI-X_Calibration-Instrument-
;     Parameters_YYYY-MM-DD_vVVrRRR
;     ICON_L1_MIGHTI-X_Calibration-Phase-Night.nc
;     ICON_L1_MIGHTI-X_Calibration-Phase-Day.nc
;     ICON_L1_MIGHTI-X_Calibration-Visibility-Night.nc

```


8.8 MIGHTI_L0P_to_L1_v01r00.pro

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;;
;
; MIGHTI_L0P_to_L1_Launch.pro - IDL procedure generate level 1 (L1)
;   files from level 0 prime (L0P) files.
;
;
;
; codeVersion = '1.0.9'
;
;
;
; History:
;
; Date          Name          Action
; -----
; 01 Jan 17     K. Marr        Started coding.
; 16 Nov 17     K. Marr        Changed to have NaNs instead of 0.
; 16 Feb 18     J. Harlander    Reviewed and commented
; 14 Mar 18     K. Marr        Added deltaPhaseCalc changes. Reduced
;                               size of calcECEF variables.
; 23 Mar 18     K. Marr        Swapped pickup remove to before anything
;                               else.
; 28 Mar 18     K. Marr        Added quality factor
; 30 Mar 18     K. Marr        Moved uncertainty calculation to after
;                               delta calculation
; 10 Apr 18     K. Marr        Fixed trimming concerns
; 11 Apr 18     K. Marr        Increased trimming of uncertainty
;                               calculation to 100 pixels and added
;                               ability to set degree of poly fit.
; 16 Apr 18     J. Harlander    Modified low signal threshold to better
;                               catch signalless altitudes.
; 23 Apr 18     K. Marr        Version increment for push to UCB.
;                               Increased nRange minimum to 300.
; 25 Apr 18     K. Marr        Edited variable types.
; 27 Apr 18     K. Marr        Added check for closed atmospheric
;                               aperture
; 01 May 18     K. Marr        Fixed error created if no
;                               phases/amplitudes exist for a color
; 08 May 18     K. Marr        Added notch correct variables to
;                               deltaPhaseCalc from params file.
; 10 May 18     K. Marr        Updates to deltaPhase routine,
;                               uncertainty, skip unknown A1 files.
;                               Set for Launch
; 31 May 18     K. Marr        Adjusted IRStarts from parameter files to
;                               account for ROI trim. IRTopY added to
;                               spikeCorrect
; 08 Jun 18     K. Marr        Added orbit number as a global parameter.
; 09 Jul 18     K. Marr        Removed factor of sqrt(2) in uncertainty
;                               estimates
```

```

; 17 Jul 18 K. Marr Added brightness profile output and v2 of
; removeCalLine
; 10 Aug 18 K. Marr Changed how wrong ancillary is handled.
; 27 Aug 18 K. Marr Fixed calibration file names for
; attribute. Renamed file. Minor
; changes won't update revision value now.
; 20 Dec 18 K. Marr Added thermal drift file to calibration
; file output.
; 01 Jan 19 K. Marr Improved quality flags. Deleted
; terminator flag. Changed analysis
; threshold.
; 14 Jan 19 K. Marr Removed apodization of envelopes before
; saving.
; 30 Jan 19 K. Marr Added IR support data. Condensed into
; IRCalc code.
; 08 Feb 19 K. Marr Modified thresholding for analysis.
;
;
;
;
; Program Description
;
;
; Reads file containing filenames of LOP files and outputs L1 files
; for the MIGHTI instrument
;
;
;
; Required Input Data:
; Text file containing file names and other information for
; the LOP files
;
;
; Input text file has the following format:
;
; Revision=944,944
; Version=011
; useCalLines = 0
; doNotchCorrect = 0
; justPass = 1
; useSpecificDark = 1
; directory=C:\Users\John\Documents\research\proposals\ICON\
; Ancillary=
; ICON_LOP_MIGHTI-A_Ancillary_2017-05-29_v01r002.nc
; GPI=ICON_Ancillary_GPI_2016-335_v01r001.nc
;
; [Files]
; ICON_LOP_MIGHTI-A_NOMINAL_2017-05-29_013817_v01r944.NC
; etc....
;
; where
;

```



```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

8.9 pickupRemove_v4.pro

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;  
; pickupRemove_v4.pro - IDL procedure to correct images for signal  
; collected during  
; image transfer.  
;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;  
; Version : 4.0.0  
;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;  
; History:
```

```
;  
; Date          Name          Action  
; -----      -  
; 01 Mar 17    K. Marr        Started coding.  
; 21 Nov 17    K. Marr        Handle NaNs.  
; 16 Jan 18    J. Harlander    Reviewed and commented.  
; 08 Mar 18    K. Marr        Switched to division method of removing  
; pickup.  
;
```

```
;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;  
; Program Description  
;
```

```
;  
; Input image is corrected for signal pickup during image transfer  
; Correction is done along rows (the direction of readout)  
; Value of correction is determined by transfer time (307.5 ms),  
; integration time and number of pixels.  
;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;  
; Required Input Parameters:  
; imageIn: Image to be corrected  
; intItme: integration time of image in (msec)  
;
```

```
;;;;;;;;;;;;;
```

```
;  
; Output variables:  
; ImageOut: Pickup corrected image  
;
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

8.10 removeCalLine_v2.pro

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
;  
; removeCalLine_v2.pro - IDL procedure to remove calibration fringes  
;   from images containing both atmospheric and calibration signals  
;
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
;
```

```
;codeVersion = '2.0.0'
```

```
;
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
;
```

```
; History:
```

```
;
```

```
; Date          Name          Action
```

```
; -----
```

```
; 01 Jan 18    K. Marr        Started coding.
```

```
; 28 Jun 18    J. Harlander   Narrowed fft window in scaling to reduce  
;                                     edge effects, fixed thermal shift  
;                                     correction
```

```
; 02 Jul 18    J. Harlander   Reviewed and commented
```

```
; 01 ??? 18    K. Marr        Added Day/Night flexibility
```

```
;
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
; Program Description
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
;
```

```
; Subtracts calibration fringes from images containing both  
;   atmospheric and calibration signals
```

```
; Calibration fringes are obtained from cal-only image and are  
;   adjusted for thermal drift and brightness change (if any) before  
;   subtraction. Red and green regions are handled through separated  
;   calls to this routine.
```

```
;
```

```
////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////////
```

```
;
```

```
; Required Input Parameters:
```

```
;
```

```
; imageIn      image to be corrected
```

```
; thermalPath  path to thermal drift file
```

```
; xStart       starting column for removal
```

```
; xWidth       width in column for removal
```

```
; yBot         lowest row (altitude) for removal
```

```
; yTop         highest row for removal
```

```
; timeStr      string indicating Day or Night
```



```

; Removes non-modulated part from fringe data using high pass filter
;   in spectral domain.  Currently filters out lowest spatial
;   frequencies from -3,-2,...,0,...2,3 where frequency 0 is the DC
;   term.
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;   ImageIn: Input image
;   Sensor:  'A' or 'B'
;   redStart: column start for red fringes
;   redWidth: width of red fringes
;   grnStart: column start for green fringes
;   grnWidth: width of green fringes
;   imageBoty: lowest row green fringes
;   redBoty: lowest row red fringes
;   imageTopY: top row with image data
;   IRTopY: top row of IR image
;
; Logical input flags:
;   hasAtmoLines:  If atmospheric lines are present
;   hasCalLines:   If calibration lines are present
;
;
;
; Output:
;
;   imageOut:  ImageIn with non-modulated part subtracted
;
;
;

```

8.12 spikeCorrect_v8.pro

```

;
; SpikeCorrect_v8.pro - IDL procedure to perform a spike correction
;
;
; Version : 8.0.0
;
;
; History:
;
; Date      Name      Action
; -----
; 12 Apr 18  K. Marr  Fixed median brightness calculation issue.
; 31 May 18  K. Marr  Adjusted IR spike analysis
; 17 Jul 18  K. Marr  Added output for brightness.

```

```

; 24 Jul 18 J. Harlander   Reviewed and commented
;
;
;
;
; Program Description
;
; Corrects raw data for spikes using different methods for fringe
;   data and IR data.
;
; Fringe Data:  Normalize altitudes with brightness of row.
;                Add constant to offset from zero.
;                Calculate 5 pixel median along columns.
;                Identify spikes from difference between column and
;                median column using threshold.
;                Replace spikes with median value.
;                Median value at top and bottom two rows are set to
;                the median value third from top and third row.
;                Remove offset and normalization.
;
; IR Data:      Normalize with IR flat field.
;                Find 3x3 2D median image.
;                Identify spikes from difference between image and
;                median image using threshold.
;                Replace spikes with median value.
;                Median value at top and bottom two rows are set to
;                the 1D 3 pixel median along row.
;                Remove offset and normalization.
;
;
; Required Input Data:
;   IR Flatfield data must be in Calibrations subdirectory of
;   working directory:
;       ICON_L1_MIGHTI-A_Calibration-Flatfield_Day-IR.nc
;       ICON_L1_MIGHTI-A_Calibration-Flatfield_Night-IR.nc
;       ICON_L1_MIGHTI-B_Calibration-Flatfield_Day-IR.nc
;       ICON_L1_MIGHTI-B_Calibration-Flatfield_Night-IR.nc
;
;
; Output:
;   Spike corrected image data.  DC value of interferogram
;
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;   ImageIn: Input image to be analyzed

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;
; Version : 6.0.0
;
;
; History:
;
; Date          Name          Action
; -----
; 13 Jun 17    K. Marr        Stub created
; 21 Jun 17    J. Harlander    Added average and stddev checks,
;                                     aperture 1 position check,
;                                     calibration lamp check, Epoch check,
;                                     integration time check, sensor check,
;                                     TEC cold temperature check, Forward/Rear
;                                     bench temperature check
; 08 Jan 18    K. Marr        Changed averaging method to exclude
;                                     temporary spiked
;
;
;

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8.14 vis_and_phase_correction.pro

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; vis_and_phase_correction.pro - IDL procedure to perform a visibility
; and phase correction on MIGHTI A or B, on-orbit data
;
;
; Version : 5.0.0
;
;
; History:
;
; Date          Name          Action
; -----
; 16 Jan 17    J. Harlander    Started coding.
; 02 Feb 17    J. Harlander    Added code to correct phase distortion
; 07 Nov 17    K. Marr        Removed zeroing of non-numbers
; 17 Jan 18    J. Harlander    Reviewed and commented
;
;
;
; Program Description
;
; Reads the visibility and phase distortion data that was created by

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; Create_MIGHTI_vis_and_phase_correction.pro and apply it to the
;   measured data, depending on the sensor (A or B) and sensor mode
;   (day or night).
; Visibility correction done by dividing by visibility calibration
;   file.
; Phase distortion correction done by multiplying interferogram by
;   exp(-i*phase_dist) where phase_dist is obtained from the phase
;   distortion calibration file.
;
;::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::
;
; Required Input Parameters:
;   ImageIn: Input image to be analyzed
;   startX: Starting column for analysis
;   startY: Starting row for analysis
;   Sensor: 'A' or 'B'
;   timeStr: 'Day' or 'Night'
;   directory: path to working directory. Must have Input,
;             Output and Calibrations subdirectories
;
; Required external calibration files assumed to be in Calibrations
;   subdirectory of working folder:
;   Visibility data:
;       MIGHTI_A_DAY_Visibility.nc
;       MIGHTI_A_NIGHT_Visibility.nc
;       MIGHTI_B_DAY_Visibility.nc
;       MIGHTI_B_NIGHT_Visibility.nc
;   Phase Distortion data:
;       MIGHTI_A_DAY_Phase.nc
;       MIGHTI_A_NIGHT_Phase.nc
;       MIGHTI_B_DAY_Phase.nc
;       MIGHTI_B_NIGHT_Phase.nc
;
;::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::
;
; Outputs:
;   CorrectedImage: Fringe image corrected for visibility and
;                  phase distortions
;   fileNameOutVis: Name of visibility calibration file used
;                  for corrections
;   fileNameOutPhase: Name of phase distortion calibration
;                    used for correction
;   FailFlag: 0 if successful, 5 if no visibility or phase
;            correction calibration files found
;
;
;::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::::

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