

WP	CASU WP name /sub task / 03Q4 deliverable	V.I. F.	name	date	end of month report	%sub
#						
	1 Management and definition of project responsibilities	3.0				
	1.1 report to VISTA, UKIDSS, JAC, ATC, GSC					
	provide fortnightly meeting minutes, monthly reports on progress + quarterly review reports and planning		MJI + STH			
	prepare for and attend PPRP meeting in Feb		MJI + STH			
	define CASU programme for e-skill bid		MJI + STH			
	1.2 interface control document between CASU and JAC				completed	
	1.3 interface control document between CASU and WFAU				completed	
	1.4 define data structures and FITS headers				completed	
	1.5 define observing protocols					
	define sensible range of suggested MSBs in conjunction with UKIDSS and JAC		MJI + STH			
	1.6 liaise with UKIDSS & JAC on observing strategy & survey planning					
	monitor progress		DWE			
	1.7 liaise with UKIDSS & JAC on VDFS products					
	monitor progress		DWE			
	1.8 liaise with UKIDSS and JAC on survey progress DB					
	1.9 system documentation					
	update and maintain web pages of system docs		DWE			
	write wrapper for WFCAM fits header for ESO		JRL			
	2 ESO VISTA software interface deliverables and documentation	4.0				
	2.1 VDFS user requirements document					
	update & prepare for PDR		PSB			
	2.2 data reduction specification document					
	update & prepare for PDR		PSB			
	2.3 calibration plan document					
	update & prepare for PDR		PSB			
	report on QDITS & CPL -v- CASU module & CFITSIO		PSB			
	2.5 ICD ESO/WPO					
	update draft version of Data Interface dictionary - especially FITS header specification		PSB			
	work on templates/Obs		PSB			
	use ISAAC example for translating pipeline DID keywords to ESO style		PSB			
	2.8 liaise with VISTA IR camera development team					
	3 Pipeline infrastructure and pipeline progress monitoring tools	3.5				
	3.1 interactive tools for running pipeline		JRL		paused	
	3.2 high level scripts to interrogate headers		STH, JMI		paused	
	3.3 automatic progression of results to web pages		STH, JMI		paused	

3.6 group documentation on pipeline infrastructure				
modify current documentation according to recommendations from stress tests.	JRL			
4 Set up and manage raw science archive	0.0			
5 Set up and manage data processing system hardware	2.0			
5.2 buy hardware and install			paused	
5.3 integrating and testing				
finish installing and testing pipeline and toolkit on data ingest server	MTB			
5.4 Manage day-to-day maintenance and upgrades				
upgrade remaining development PCs to Debian Linux OS	MTB			
6 Run standard pipeline	2.5			
7 Development work for summit pipeline	1.0			
7.1 Interface test pipelines in ORAC-DR			completed	
7.2 implement WFCAM pipeline at summit				
End-to-end comparative pipeline tests (ORACDR/CASU/Starlink)	JRL			
Demonstrate catalogue and non-catalogue DQCs	JRL			
7.3 documentation for ORAC-DR interface	JRL			
continue to add to interface documentation as pipeline modules are written. These will appear in the CIRDR and ORACDR documentation sets				
8 Development and testing of standard 2d processing	4.0			
8.1 further development of standard pipeline				
finish & deliver report on flatfielding and sky subtraction strategies	JRL			
write updated wrapper for improved version of catalogue software	JRL			
finish incorporating extra parameter measures	JRL			
8.2 liaison with WFCAM development team				
assess engineering test data for reset anomaly, dark stability, cross-talk, image retention and linearity	JRL			
8.3 partake in planning commissioning/characterisation observations	STH		paused	
8.6 documentation for 2D processing software				
updates docs as necessary and as a result of feedback	JRL			
8.7 Comparison between automated and manual data products				
finish pipeline processing of FIRES data	STH			
pipeline process UFTI data as it comes	STH			
9 Development and testing of standard catalogue products	4.0			
9.1 add in new measures requested				
test and debug new catalogue parameter measures	MJI			
9.2 refine astrometric calibration model	MJI		paused	
9.3 generate model simulations of expected data	STH, JMI		paused	
9.4 assess catalogue parameter reliability				
refine parameter error estimates and check for systematics in new parameters	JMI			

9.5	intercomparison of catalogue products with other packages	JMI		paused
9.6	Completeness and error estimates			
	refine parameter error estimates and check for systematics	JMI		
9.7	documentation of catalogue software and products			
	update catalogue products documentation	MJI		
10	Setup trial and run further processing pipeline	3.0		
10.2	development and assessment of PSF options 1,2			
	produce prototype PSF fitting code level 1	MJI		
11	Photometric standards and calibration	3.0		
11.1	agree on primary standards			
	complete narrow band filter calibration plan and update document	STH		
11.2	choose secondary standard fields			
	incorporate feedback from working group on choice of secondary fields and update document	STH		
	complete choice of secondary standard fields for VISTA and update photometry document	STH		
11.7	assess extinction monitoring methods and develop measures			
	complete investigation of UKIRT archive and write report	STH		
	prepare for calibration WG meeting and present report	STH		
12	Further development of DQC measures at summit and Cambr	2.0		
12.1	develop extra systematic noise measures			
	linked with detector characterisation	MJI		
12.2	Refine current measures for WFCAM/VISTA data			
	linked with detector characterisation	JRL		
12.3	implement 2mass for throughput measurement	JMI		paused
12.4	master calibration frames for detector monitoring			
	assess and report if current methods work on engineering WFCAM data	JRL		
13	Co-located list driven photometry	3.0		
13.2	develop basic WCS-based list driven photometer			
	investigate practicalities and implement agreed ICD for parameters	MJI		
13.3	externally driven WCS photometry and define parameter set			
	refine, test and debug list-driven parameter estimator	MJI		
14	Stacking and mosaicing	4.0		
14.1	develop benchmark simple stacking/mosaicing framework	MJI		complete
14.2	NN algorithm with simple rejection	MJI		complete
14.3	More sophisticated rejection dealing with pixellation			
	continue development of better spurion rejection allowing for pixellation	MJI		
15	Continuum subtraction and basic difference imaging	4.0		
15.1	Simple WCS-based subtraction techniques	MJI		completed
15.2	investigate and apply different interpolation methods	MJI		completed

15.3	develop adaptive kernel matching option				
	continue debugging and enhancements to adaptive kernel package		MJI		
16 Interpolation techniques and PSF modeling		4.0			
16.1	investigate alternative interpolation/PSF schemes				
	investigate PSF fitting algorithms and write report		DWE		
16.2	implications for different stacking methods				
	quantify effects of interpolation on stacked image quality		MJI		
16.3	implications for deriving catalogues and parameters				
	test profile fitting parameters and write report		DWE		
16.4	oversampled PSF generation per detector				
	write first pass PSF generator using optical test data		DWE		