

ASTERA1200

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Dramatic leap of Meter class Telescope

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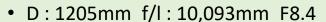




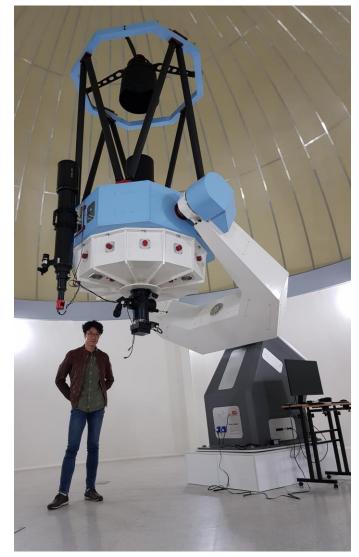
ASTERA 1200 Research Grade telescope





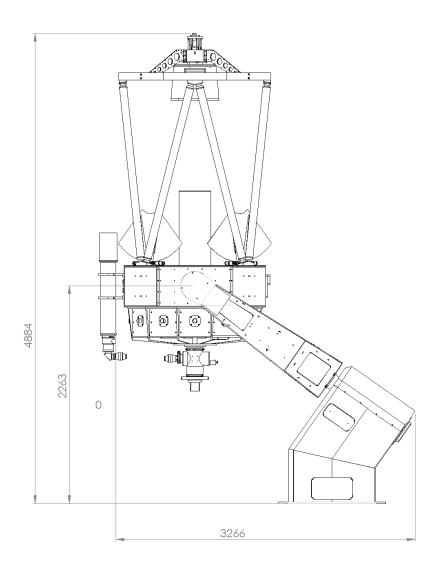


- Wide Flat Field Ritchey Chretien (2 mirrors & 2 Lens)
- Astrositall CO115M (M1, M2)
- Direct Drive Equatorial Mount
- Max Slewing Speed : 5 degree/Sec
- Full Remote Control System
- Manufacturing and Optical Design : SLLAB, INC Korea



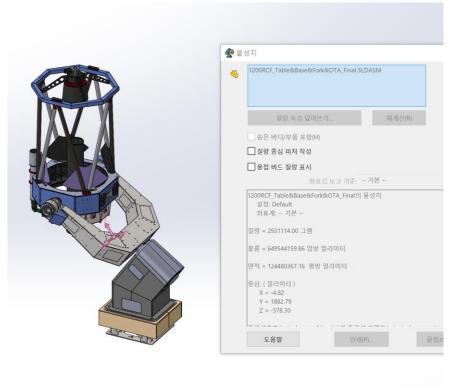


System Dimension and Total Weight



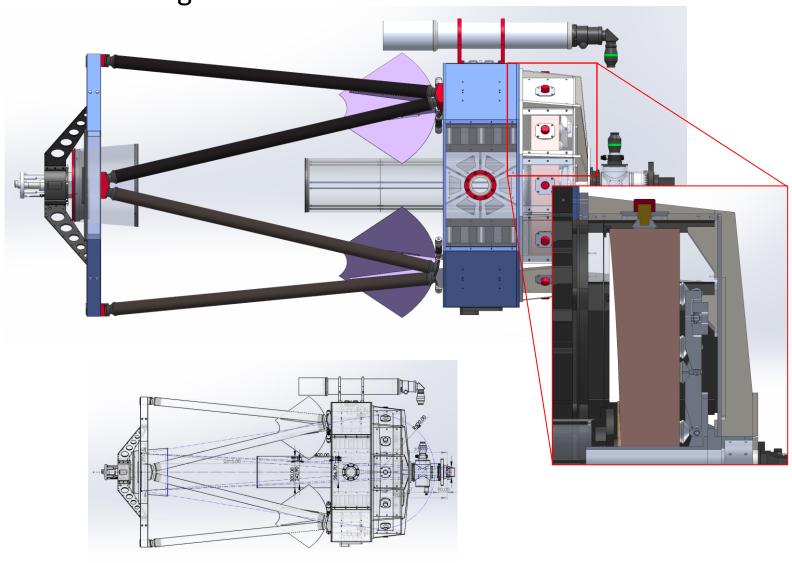
Total Weight: 2,970kg

Primary Mirror Weight: 385kg





Optical Tube Diagram





Manufacturing Process



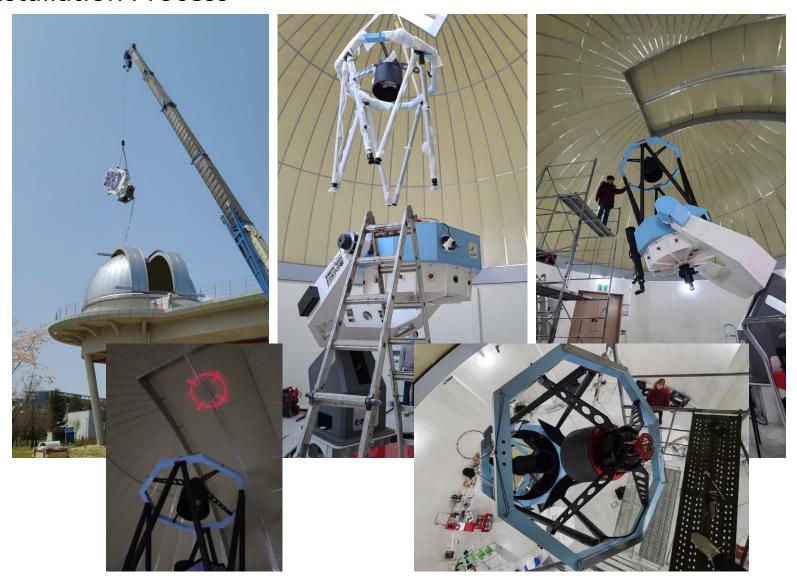






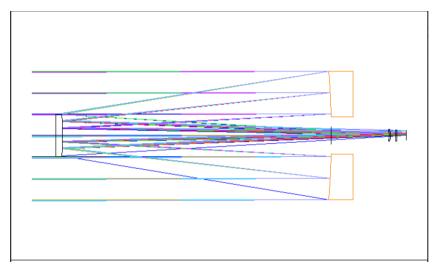


Installation Process



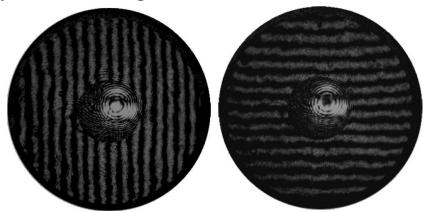


Optical Data of ASTERA1200



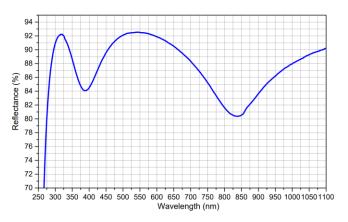
Img. Optical Diagram

System interferograms



Img. autocollimation with flat reference mirror

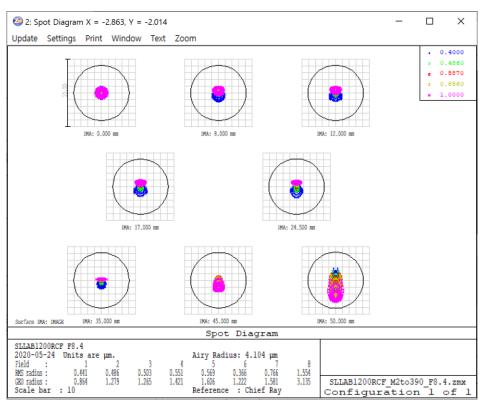
	Measured Data	
Туре	Ritchey Chretien	
M1 Diameter	1205.0mm	
M2 Diameter	392mm	
Focal Length	10,093mm	
Back Focus	700mm	
System Accuracy	λ/8.696 @ 633nm PtV Wavefront	
	λ/55.56 RMS	
	0.98 Stehl Ratio	
coating	Al+SiO2, ρ(λ)90.1%	
Field Corrector	2lens 2group	
coating	Fully Multi coated	



Img. Al-p coating RC-1200

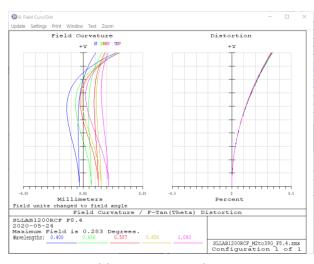


Focal Plane Size

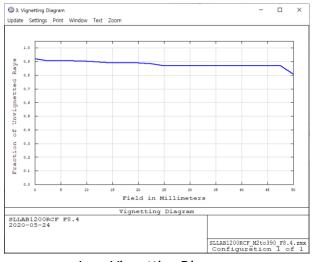


Img. Spot Diagram of ASTERA1200

- Effective Image circle(Diameter): 100mm
- RMS Spot Diameter: 0.88um (On Axis) to 3.11 um (50mm)
- Optical Design by SLLAB, INC



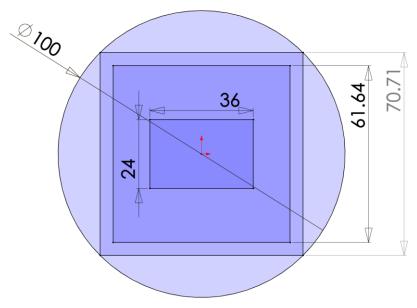
Img. Field Curvature and Distortion



Img. Vignetting Diagram



Suitable Detector Size



Img. Effective Focal Plane Diameter (Unit: mm)



Img. Effective imaging area of ASTERA1200 with KL6060

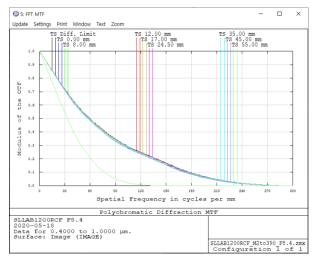
ASTERA1200 offer enough image circle for FLI KL6060.

Table. Pixel, Image size of ASTERA1200 with KL6060

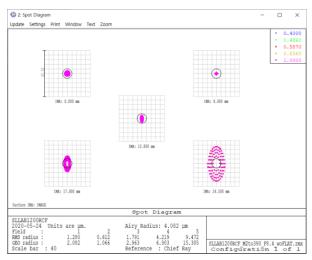
	X axis	Y axis	Diagonal
Size	20.94 arcmin	20.94 arcmin	29.61 arcmin
pixel	6144	6144	8689



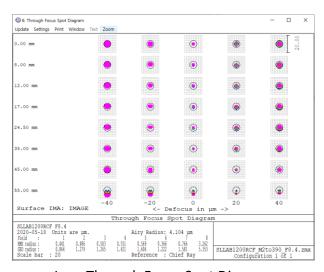
Optical Datas / Spot Diagram without Filed Corrector



Img. Field Curvature and Distortion



Img. Spot Diagram without Field Flattener



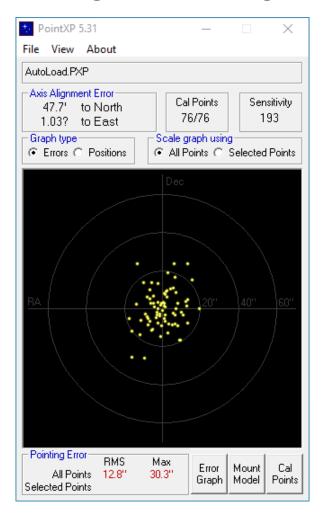
Img. Through Focus Spot Diagram
Even though +/- 40um offset, all spot size is smaller than airy disk



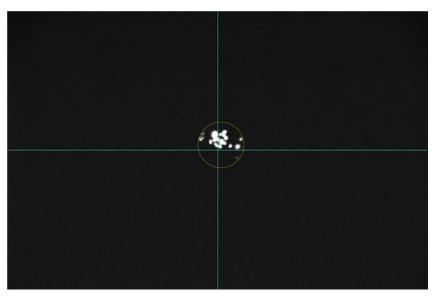
Img. CCD / Visual Port Changer (Standard Include)



Pointing and Tracking Accuracy of ASTERA 1200



Img. Pointing Error data by PointXP of SiTechExe



Img. pointing result of 21 stars, taken via PL11000m

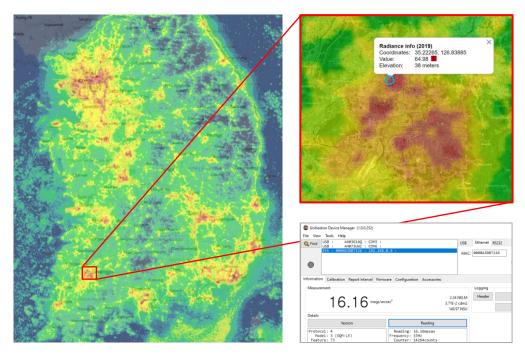
Pointing Accuracy of ASTERA1200 is 12.8arcsec. After performing precise polar alignment, we expect under 4arcsec Pointing Accuracy. (Result will update soon)

Tracking Accuracy is 0.1~0.2 arcsec. You can find result from astronomical photograph on next page.

"This is the best I've seen." - Dan Gray, Sidereal Tech

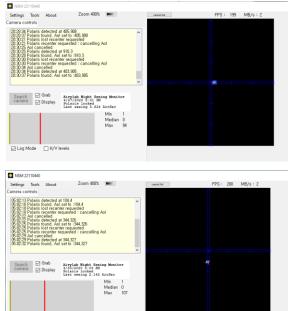


Installed Place and Sky Quality



Img. Map Overlay - VIIRS 2019 © www.lightpollutionmap.info

Installed at Gwangju Science Museum Gwangju is one of the largest city in Korea and observatory is greatly affected by serious light pollution.



Img. Measured by SQM(Unihedron) and NSM(AiryLab)

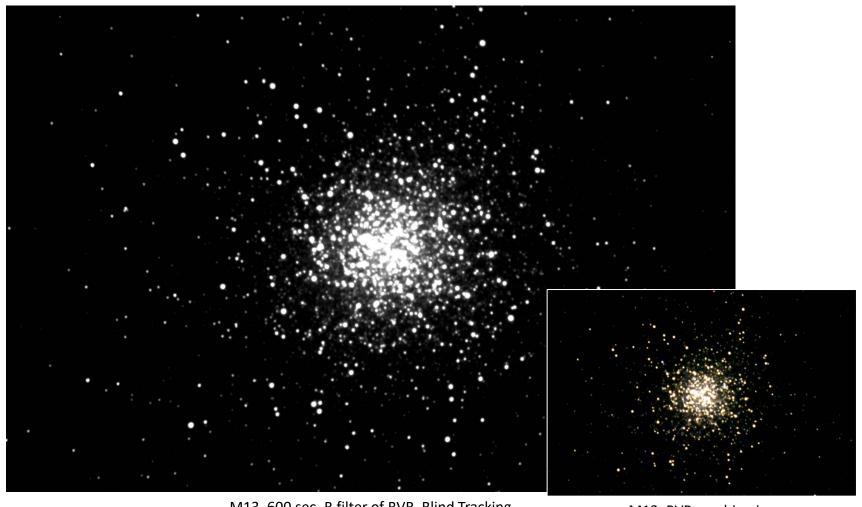
SQM: 16.16 mags/arcsec^2

Seeing: 2.142 ~ 5.624

Measured : April 25~30, 2020



M13 Blind Tracking Image (600sec)

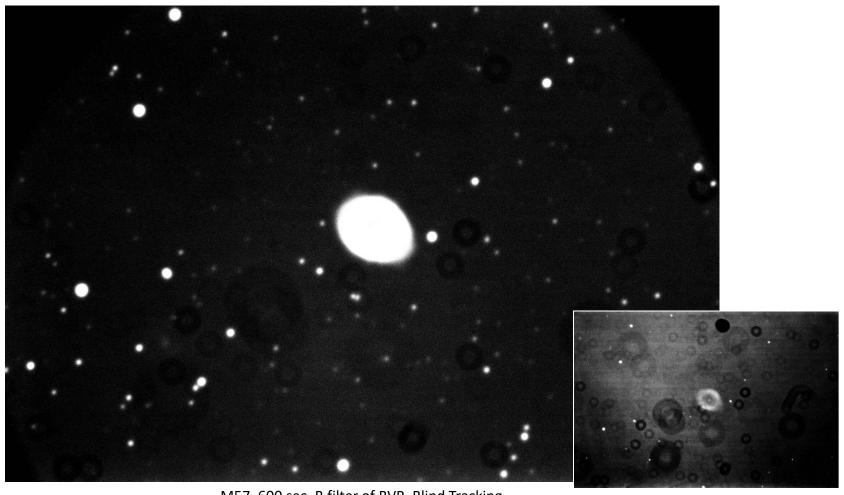


M13, 600 sec, B filter of BVR, Blind Tracking April 25, 2020 (Moon age 3) Camera: FLI PL11002M, B filter of UBVRI

M13, BVR combine image, 3 x 600sec Blind Tracking Same day



M57 Blind Tracking Image (600sec)



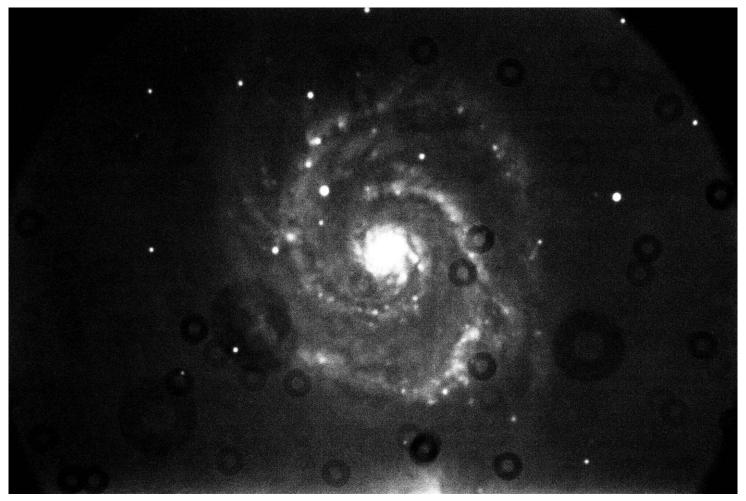
M57, 600 sec, B filter of BVR, Blind Tracking April 27, 2020 (Moon age 5) Camera: FLI PL11002M, B filter of UBVRI

Same condition May 7, 2020 (Full Moon)

^{*} Note. Vignetting happened via using 2inch CCD adapter at first light work, right image doesn't happen it.



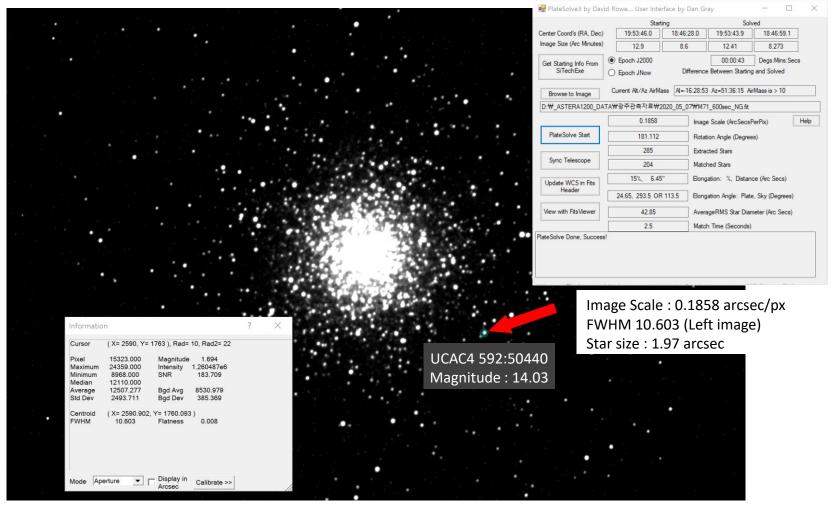
M51 Blind Tracking Image (600sec)



M51, 600 sec, B filter of BVR, Blind Tracking, April 27, 2020 (Moon age 5) Camera: FLI PL11002M, B filter of UBVRI



FWHM by Star Magnitude (mag 14.3)

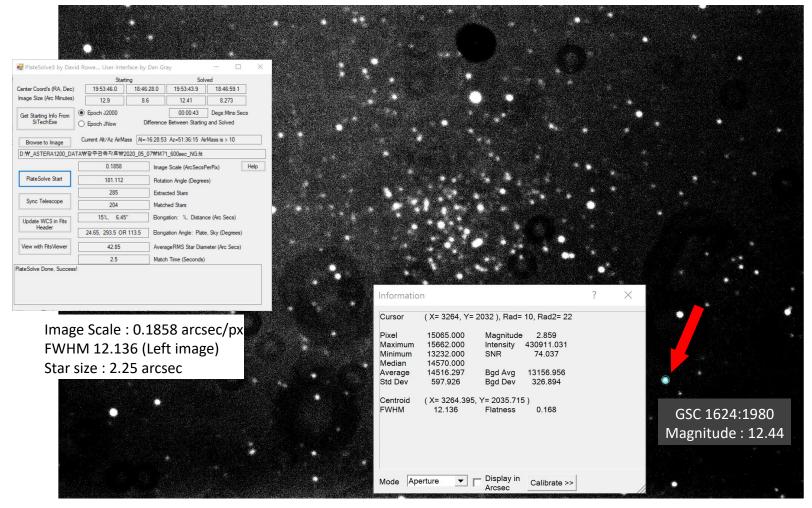


M3, 600 sec, Blind Tracking April 23, 2020 (Moon age 1)

Camera: SBIG STX11000M, B filter of RGB



FWHM by Star Magnitude (mag 12.4)



M71, 600 sec, B filter of BVR, Blind Tracking May 7, 2020 (Full Moon) Camera: FLI PL11002M, B filter of UBVRI