

IMPORTANT NOTICE

IUE Image Processing Capabilities

During January-April, 1983

For approximately four months beginning on or about January 4, 1983 the time available for IUESIPS production processing on the Sigma 9 computer will be reduced from approximately 76 hours per week to 60 hours per week. This change is mandated by the Project's need to provide additional machine time for the development and checkout of the IUE 2-gyro attitude control system. The Project will continue to provide priority processing of images for Guest Observers using the IUE RDAF in conjunction with their observing runs. Every effort will also be made to stay current in the processing of other Guest Observer images. Short-term backlogs of images may, however, occur. We trust that each of you will recognize the importance of our giving a very high priority to the implementation of the 2-gyro control system and will patiently endure any short-term inconveniences this change may bring about.

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