

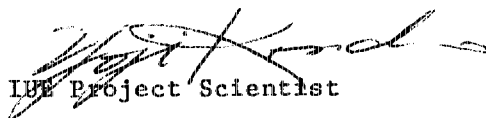
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Dear Colleague,

Recently a few papers have been published suggesting changes to IUE's calibration. The IUE Project asks our Guest Observers to include a statement with such articles clarifying that the changes are not part of the official IUE calibration.

It should be noted that no changes to IUE's photometric calibration have been adopted by the IUE Project since the May 1980 calibration (Holm, Bohlin, Cassatella, Ponz, and Schiffer, 1982, *Astron. Astrophys.* 112, 341). A method for correcting LWR low-dispersion spectra for sensitivity degradation (Clavel, Gilmozzi, and Prieto, 1985, NASA IUE Newsletter No. 27, p. 50) was approved by the Project.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.


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