

Procedure to Clean Fiducials and Drive Surfaces

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The proper method to clean fiducials and drive surfaces.

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CAUTIONARY NOTES:

Only those persons having a purpose and trained by observatory staff may execute this procedure.

WINDSCREEN IS TO BE TURNED OFF AND TAGGED OUT WITH LOCK.

ENGAGE AN E-STOP ON THE LOWER LEVEL OF TELESCOPE.

EQUIPMENT INVOLVED IN THIS PROCEDURE

WD40

Clean lint free cloth

Small sized paper cloth wipes

Alcohol

PROCEDURE:

Wipe drive surface with WD40 and lint free cloth; do this by sections.

Bunch a cloth and pour alcohol onto the wipe. Gently wipe fiducials that can be reached.

Follow steps as above and clean remainder of Drive surface.

Return Azimuth to the stow position of 121deg.

Make sure to enter into Log book for Lockout Tag.

Release E-STOP when cleaning procedure completed.

END OF PROCEDURE
