

The PAUCam ROE in a nut shell

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PAUCam ROE

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ROE Layout



Science Crate

1 cPCI 6 slots bus
1 Master board (MCB)
1 Clock board (CB)
3 Acquisition boards (ACQ)
8 PREAMPS boards
2 MIX boards

Guiding Crate

cPCI 4 slots bus
Master board (MCB)
Clock board (CB)
Acquisition board (ACQ)
PREAMPS boards
MIX boards

ROE Layout



SIDE VIEW







DETECTORS

- 18 Hamamatsu CCDs 2k x 4k
 - 16 used for science (~150kHz)
 - 2 used for guiding (~200kHz)
- 15 µm pixel size, back-side illuminated
- 4 outputs



PREAMPs: Preamplification stage inside camera.

- 1 PREAMP/CCD
- Customized for:
 - Fully differential amplification
 - Low noise
 - Cryogenics and UHV

MIXS: Fanout clocks and bias signals.

- 2 types:
 - MIX5 drive 5 CCDs
 - MIX3 drive 3 CCDs
 - MIX3 used for guiding (drive 1 CCD)



Top view of the camera inside







panview + MONSOON

- MONSOON based on NOAO standards
- Ready to readout IR and CCDs detectors
- panview developed at CTIO and based on LabVIEW

panview + MONSOON

Configuration files:

From files here (main file is called dhe.conf)

- Get hardware description: CSV file
- Get link info: systran, slink, slink_d, auto
- Get hardware type: fermi, orange, sim
- Get FPA information: FPA name, initial readmode, overscan, prescan, etc
- Get specific "translations" file: define special attributes (cols, rows, intTime, etc)
- Get initialization macro name

MONSOON hardware Initialization

panview + MONSOON

MONSOON hardware Initialization:

- Open driver
- Read CSV (store)
- Read "translations" (store)
- Pass FPA info to GEOM,
- Get back total cols, rows, etc
- Set on hardware "special" attributes with right values: cols, rows, etc
- Executes specified initialization macro:
 - load specified .ucd file
 - run specified .mod file
 - In general, run any desired command





Power Supply Rack

- Manage all power supplies via TCP/IP
- Manage the rack cooling (warning & alarms)



IN/OUT









CABLE AMPACITY UL/CSA @ 30 °C

14 AVVG = 2.08 mm2 ~ 10.5 AMPS

12 AWG = 3.32 mm2 ~ 14 AMPS

ROE Power Supplies :

- High performance linealpower supplies (Agilent)
- Overvoltage and overcurrent protection
- Separated distribution for analog and digital voltages

Connectors:

 Militar (MIL-C-5015 and MIL-DTL-24308 Class M) and space grade (ASTM E-595 & NASA-RP-1124) connectors