

AGA5802

**Data reduction of spectra taken at
OPD with the Cassegrain
spectrograph (600 lines/mm
grating) + 1.6m telescope**
(example for data taken on 4 March 2014)

Open an xterm in your iraf directory & initialize typing *cl*



Go to your data directory and write *ls*

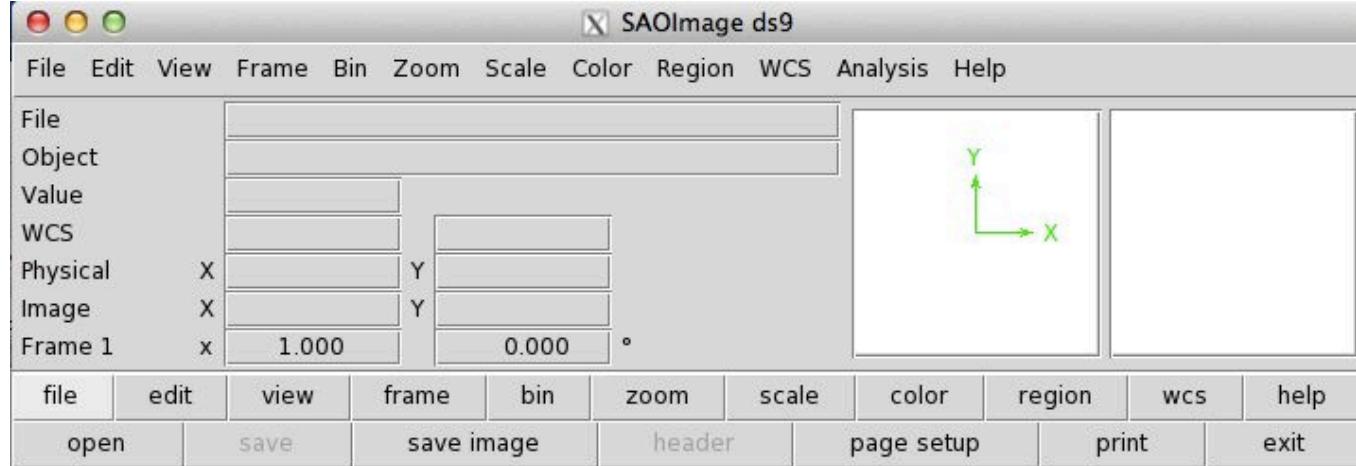
```
ecl> pwd
/Users/jorge/iraf
ecl> cd /Users/jorge/Dropbox/aga0414/trabalho/14mar04/
ecl> pwd
/Users/jorge/Dropbox/aga0414/trabalho/14mar04
ecl> ls
HD036079.fits  bias_002.fits  bias_007.fits  flat_002.fits  flat_007.fits
HD036673.fits  bias_003.fits  bias_008.fits  flat_003.fits  flat_008.fits
HD045289.fits  bias_004.fits  bias_009.fits  flat_004.fits  flat_009.fits
MP0190.fits    bias_005.fits  bias_010.fits  flat_005.fits  flat_010.fits
bias_001.fits   bias_006.fits  flat_001.fits  flat_006.fits  he-ar_001.fits
ecl> █
```

HD.fits e MP0190.fits* : stars

bias_.fits* : bias *flat_*.fits* : flats

he-ar_001.fits : He-Ar (for wavelength calibration)

ecl> !ds9&



ecl>ls

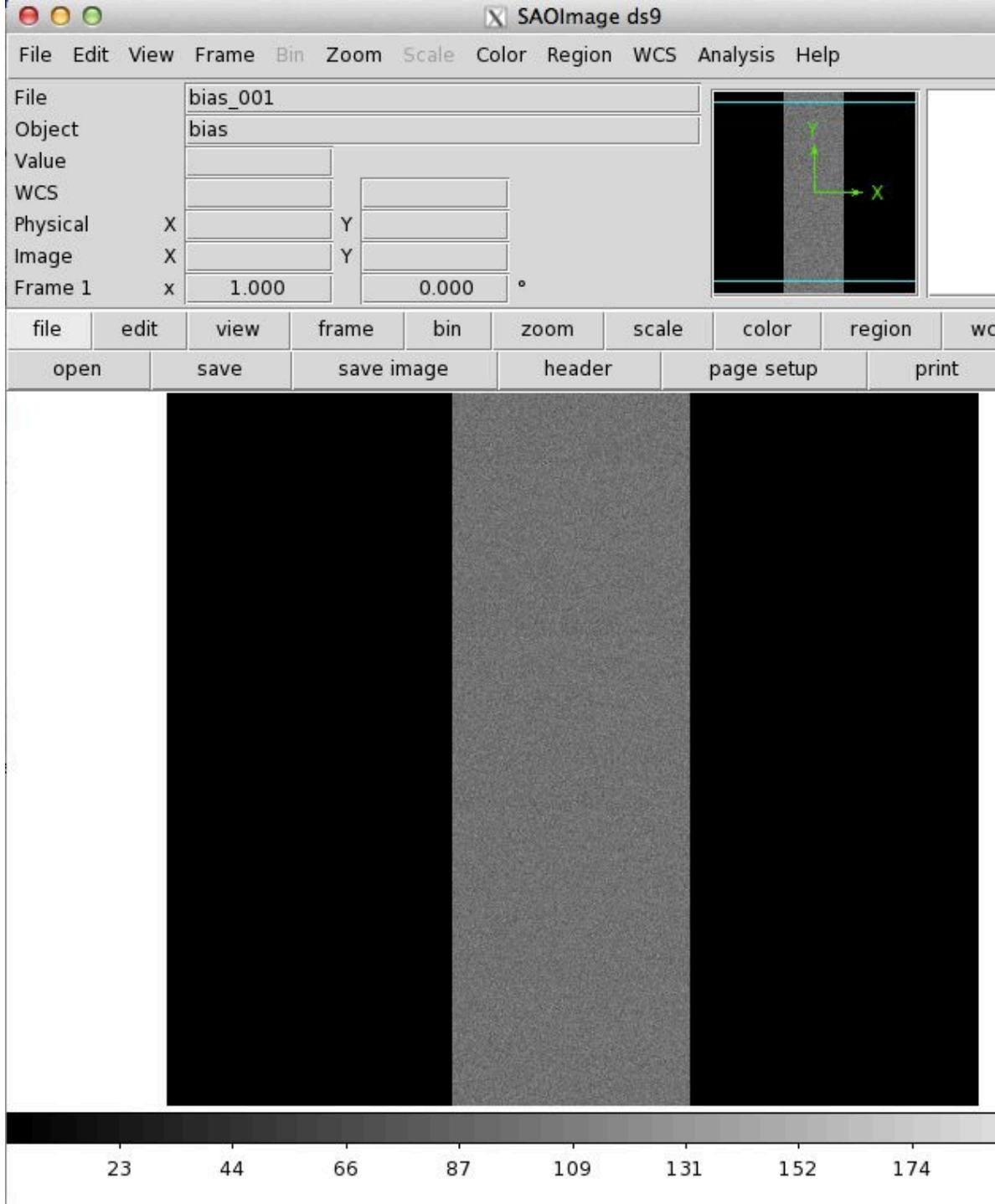
```
ecl> pwd  
/Users/jorge/Dropbox/aga0414/trabalho/14mar04  
ecl> ls  
HD036079.fits    bias_002.fits    bias_007.fits    flat_002.fits    flat_007.fits  
HD036673.fits    bias_003.fits    bias_008.fits    flat_003.fits    flat_008.fits  
HD045289.fits    bias_004.fits    bias_009.fits    flat_004.fits    flat_009.fits  
MP0190.fits      bias_005.fits    bias_010.fits    flat_005.fits    flat_010.fits  
bias_001.fits    bias_006.fits    flat_001.fits    flat_006.fits    he-ar_001.fits  
ecl> █
```

display bias_001 1 fill+

Frame # in ds9



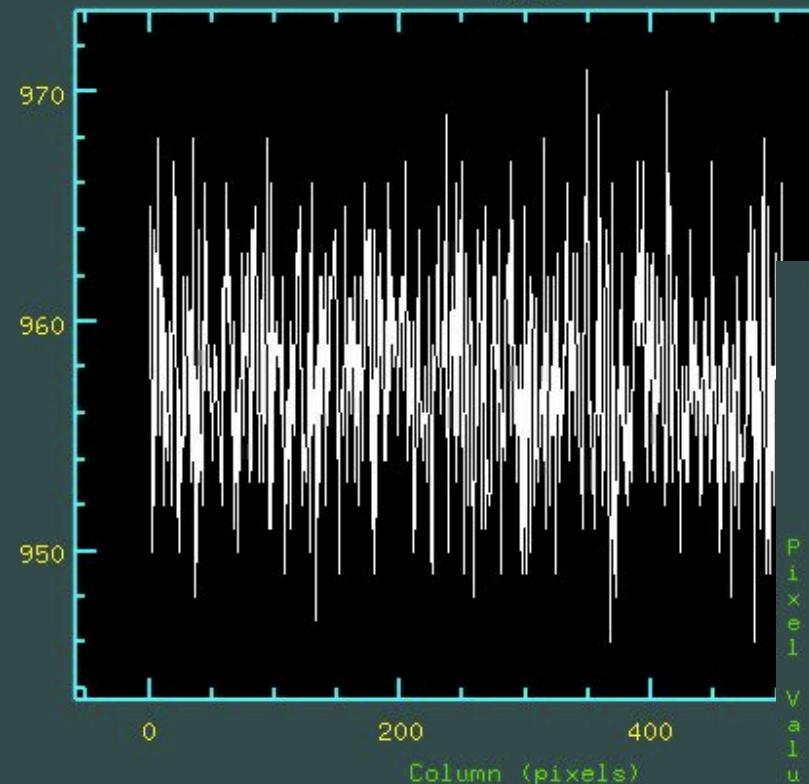
Display whole image



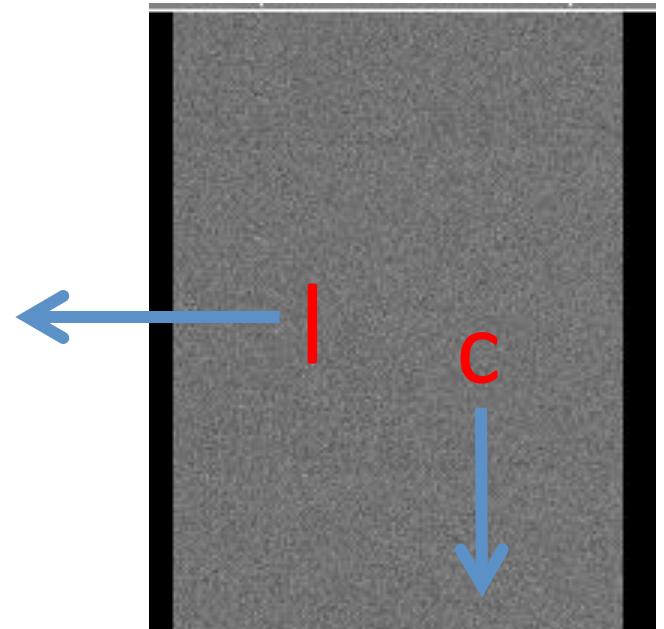
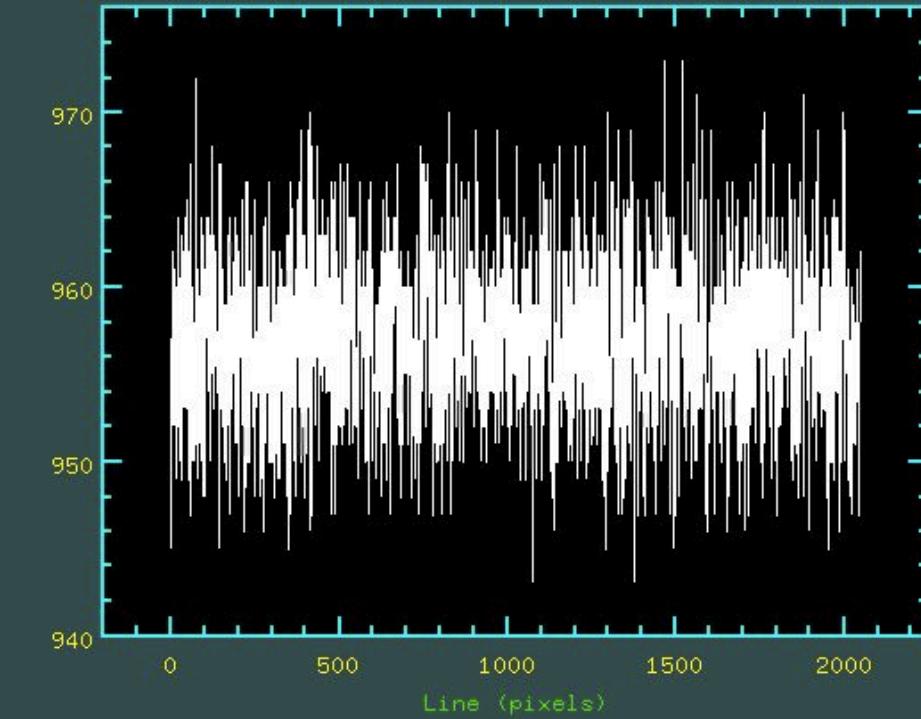


```
ecl> display bias_001 1 fill+
z1=943, z2=974,
ecl> imexamine
```

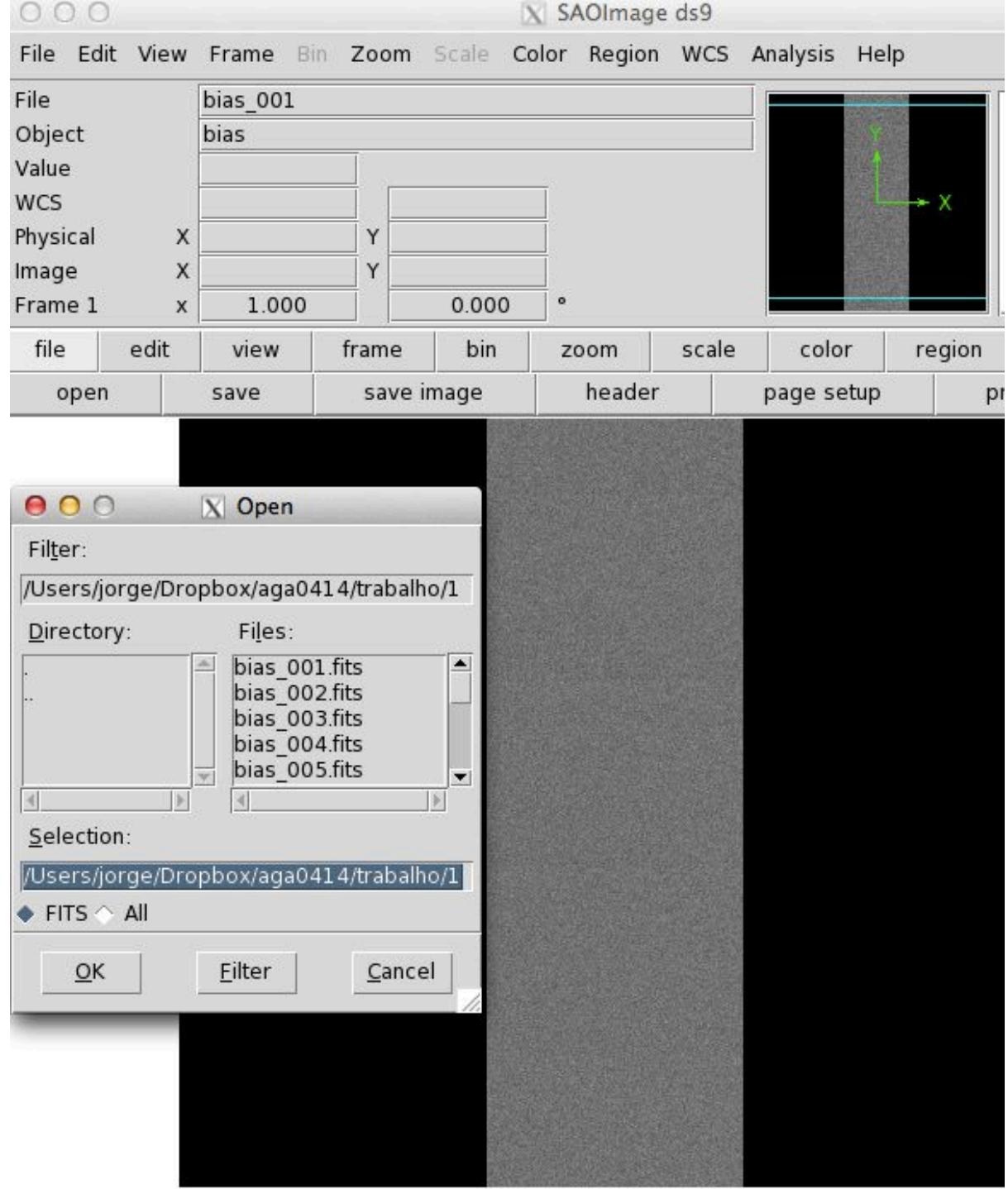
NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Mon 21:02:53 19-May-2014
bias_001: Lines 1287 - 1287
bias

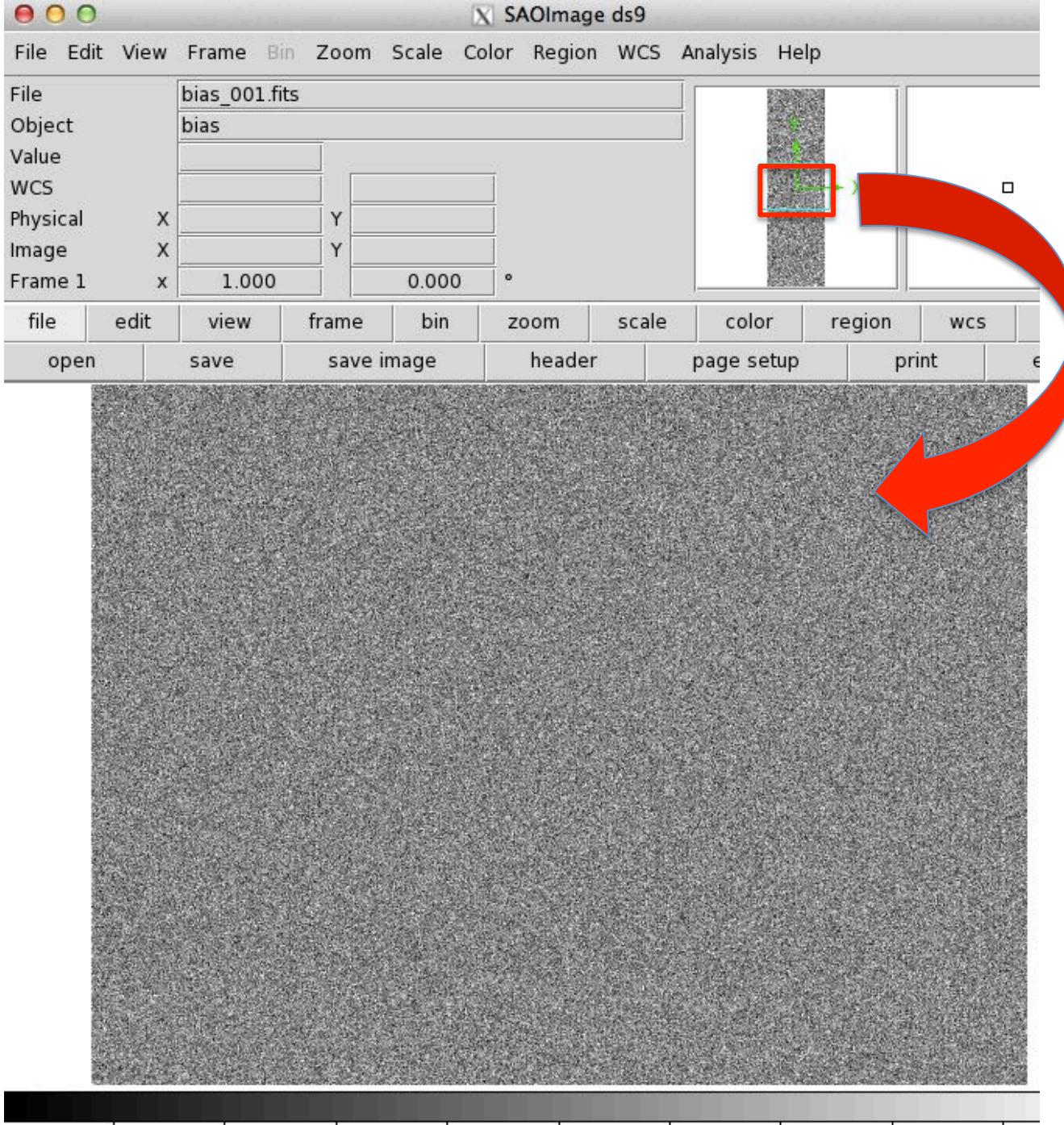


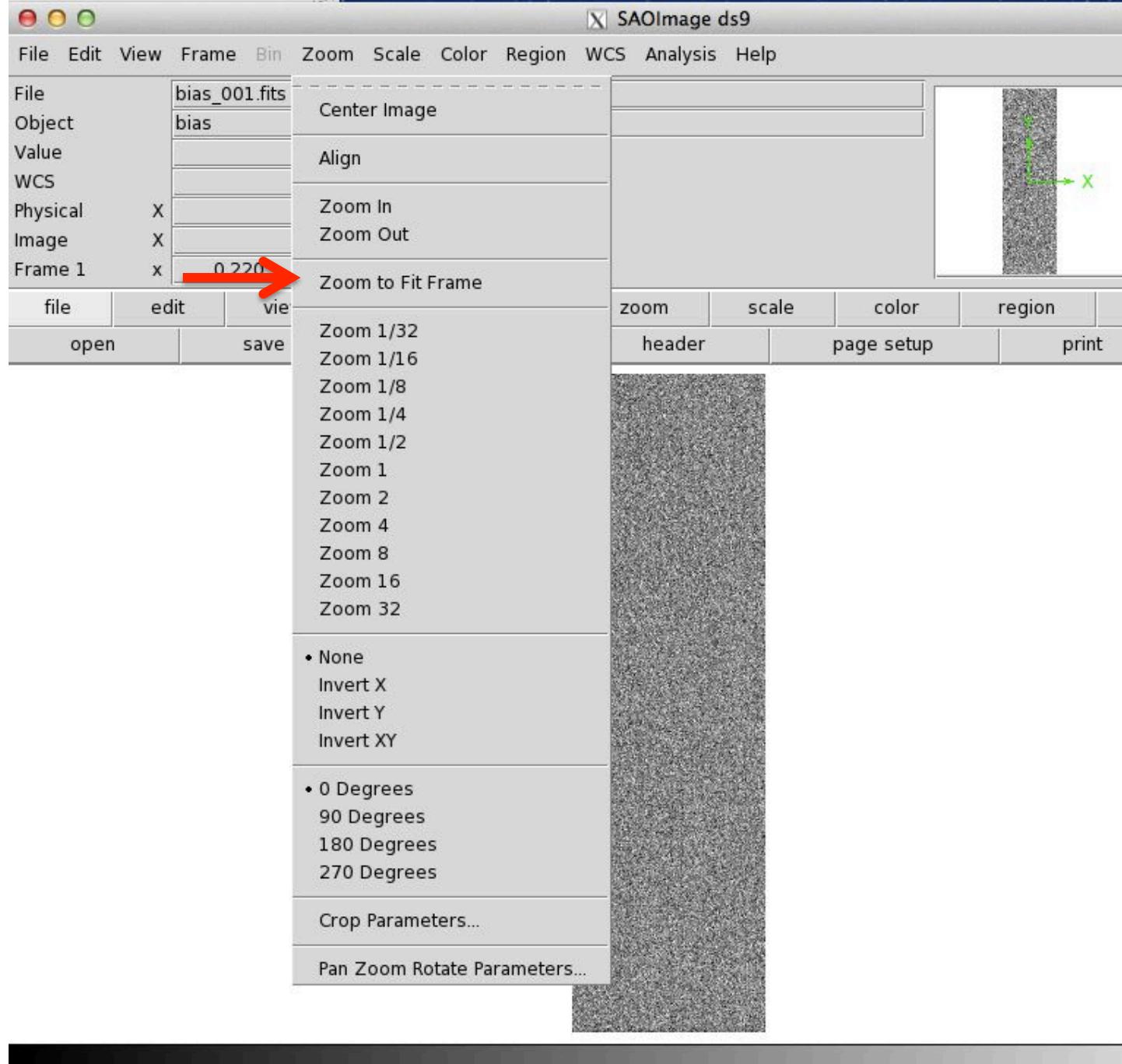
NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Mon 21:04:31 19-May-2014
bias_001: Columns 291 - 291
bias

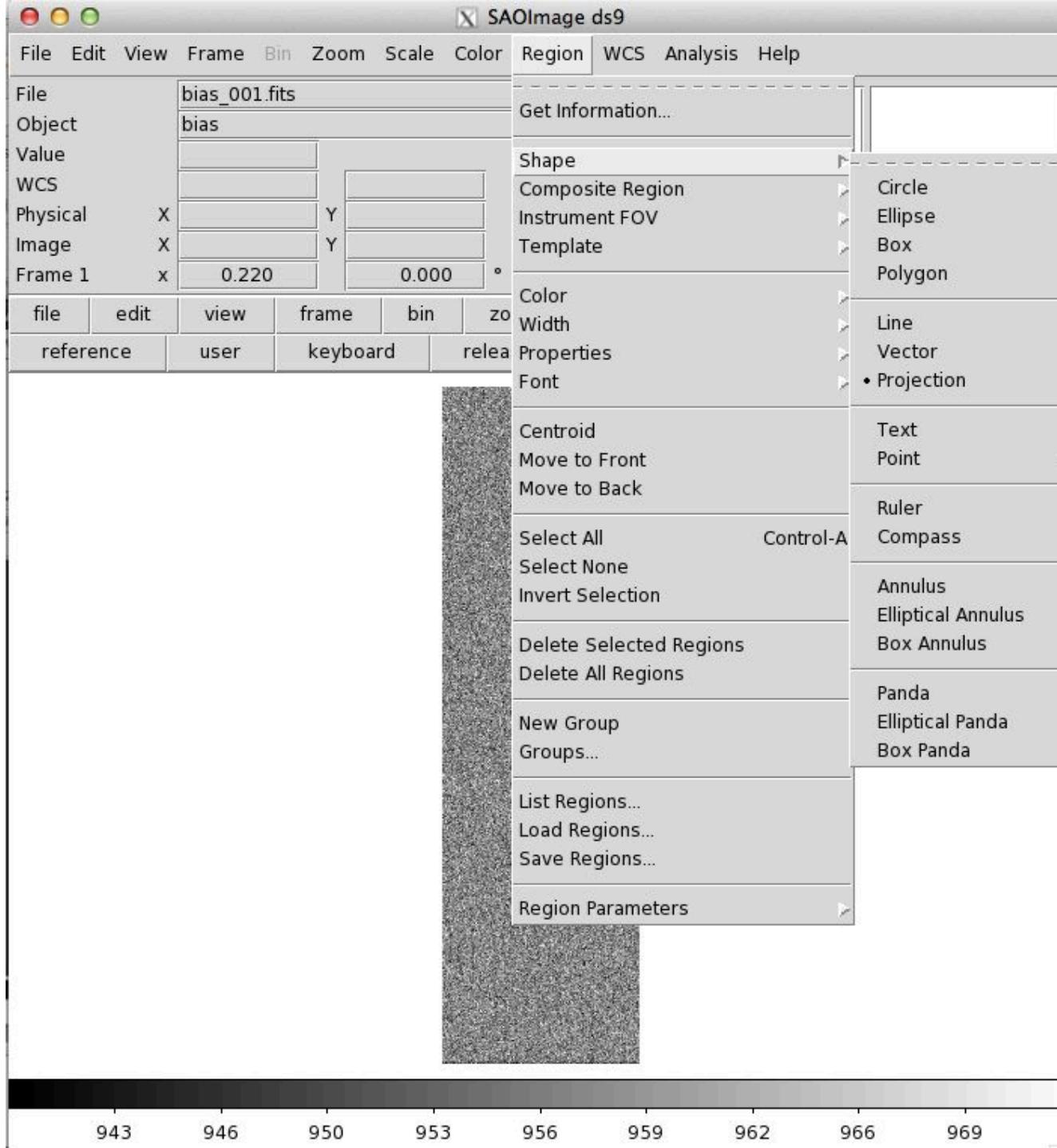


Another option (my favorite) is to load the image directly from ds9 and use “projection” (this is because projection may not work adequately if you load the image using *display*)

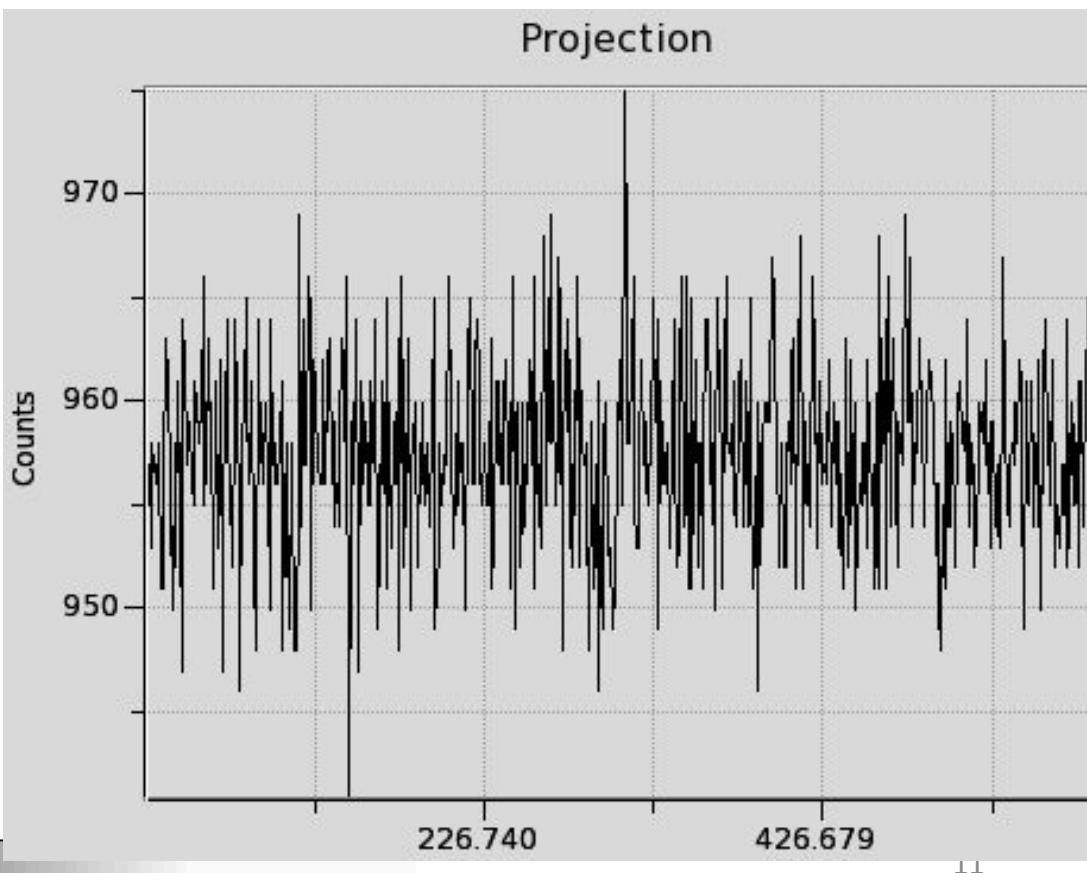
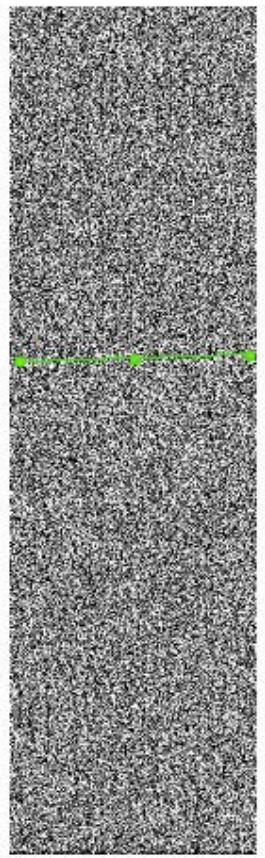
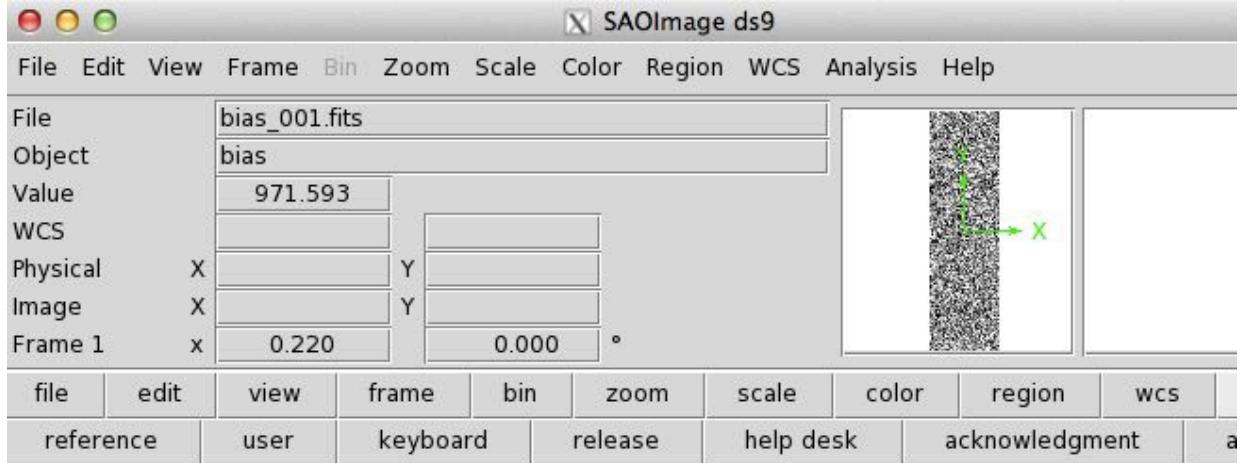








Region
Shape
Projection



```
ecl> imstat bias*
```

#	IMAGE	NPIX	MEAN	STDDEV	MIN	MAX
	bias_001.fits	1230848	957.3	4.613	934.	982.
	bias_002.fits	1230848	957.3	4.628	933.	982.
	bias_003.fits	1230848	957.2	4.628	934.	980.
	bias_004.fits	1230848	957.2	4.627	932.	980.
	bias_005.fits	1230848	957.3	4.608	934.	980.
	bias_006.fits	1230848	957.3	4.626	935.	981.
	bias_007.fits	1230848	957.4	4.613	935.	981.
	bias_008.fits	1230848	957.3	4.632	932.	982.
	bias_009.fits	1230848	957.3	4.625	935.	979.
-	bias_010.fits	1230848	957.3	4.612	932.	981.

```
ecl> imcombine bias* bias.fits comb=median
```

combine = median, scale = none, zero = none, weight = none
blank = 0.

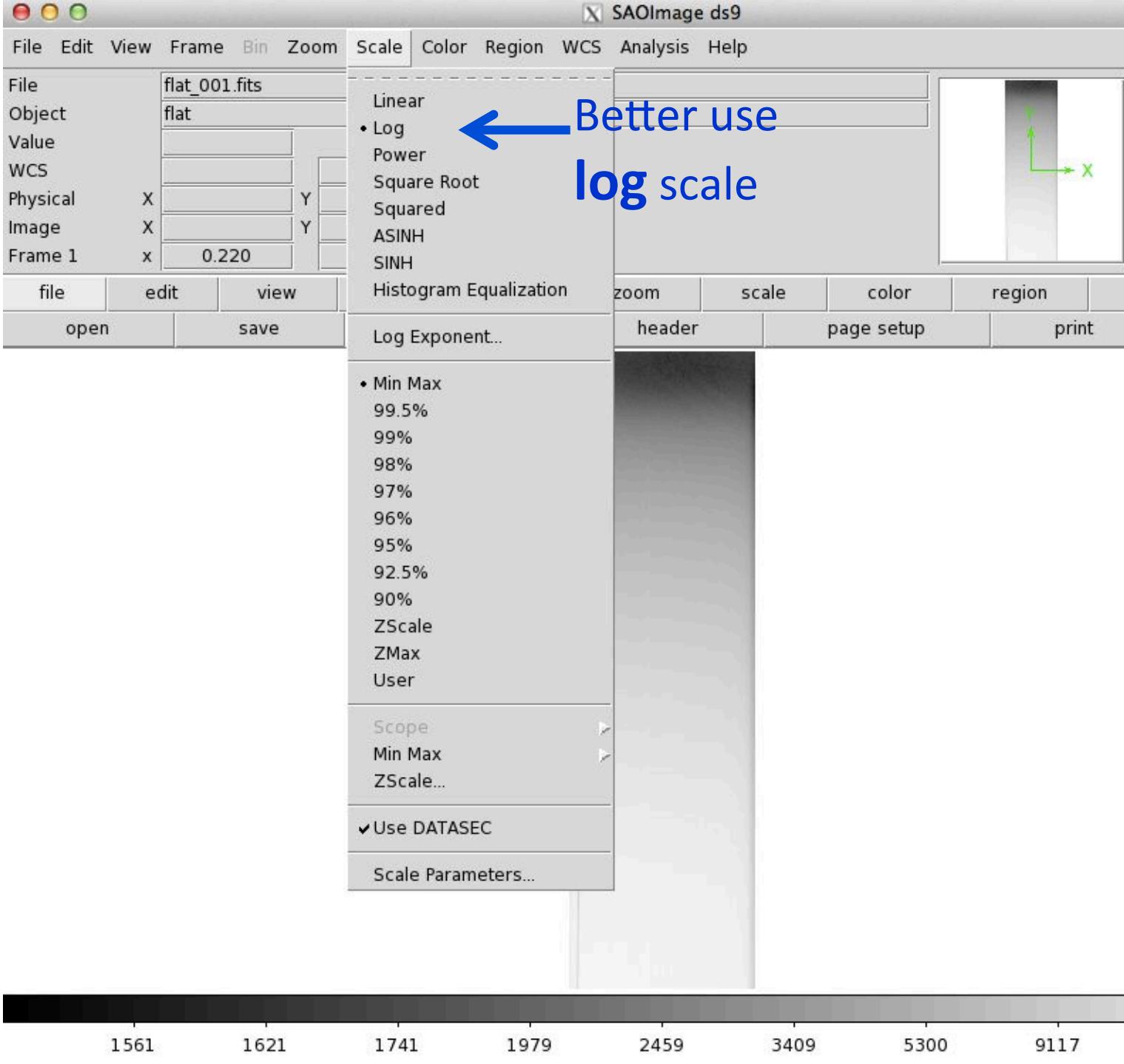
Images
bias_001.fits
bias_002.fits
bias_003.fits
bias_004.fits
bias_005.fits
bias_006.fits
bias_007.fits
bias_008.fits
bias_009.fits
bias_010.fits

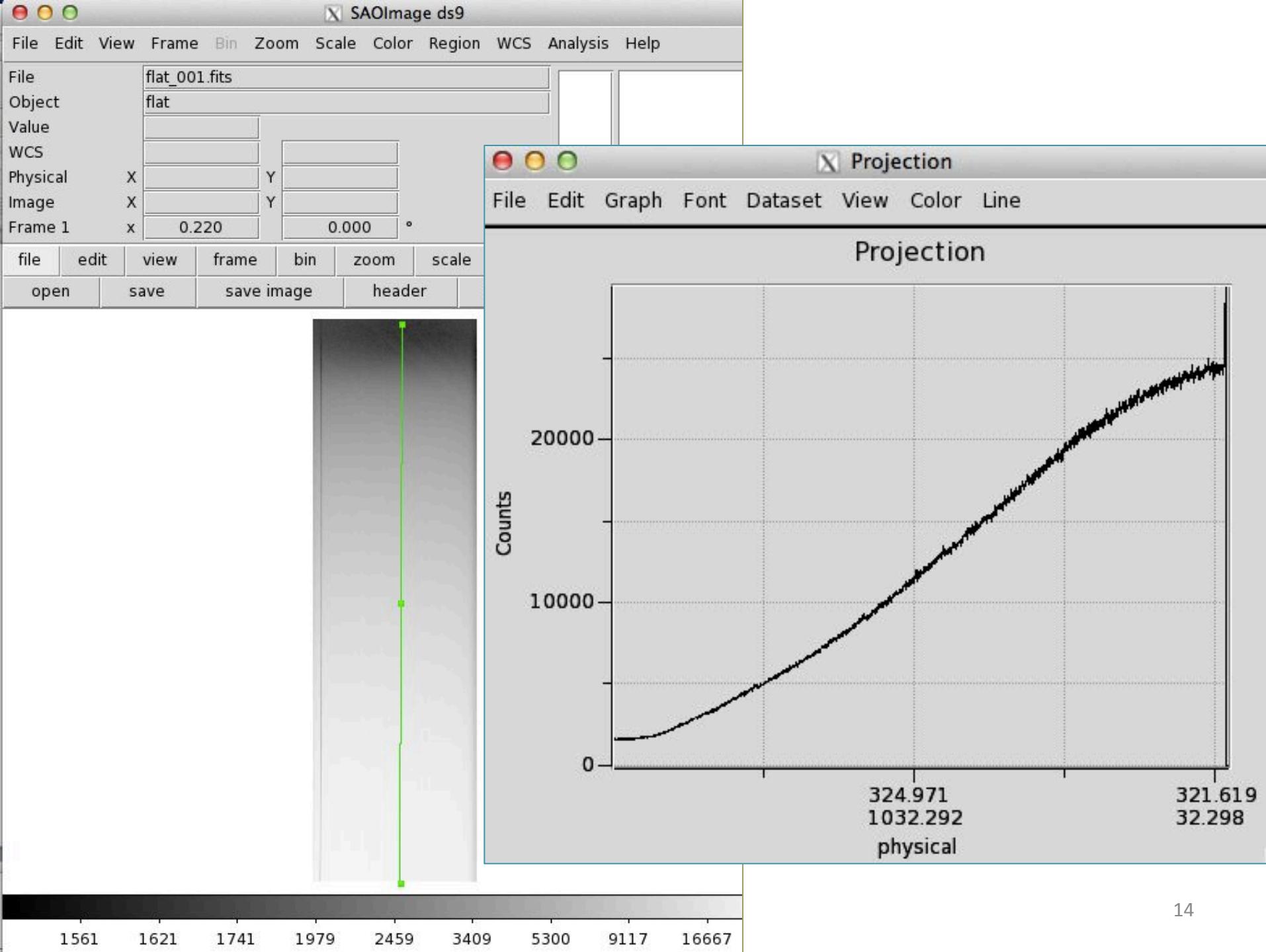
Output image = bias.fits, ncombine = 10

```
ecl> imstat bias.fits
```

#	IMAGE	NPIX	MEAN	STDDEV	MIN	MAX
.. -	bias.fits	1230848	957.3	1.746	946.5	965.5

Check the flat





Combine flats in flat.fits

```
ecl> imstat flat*
#          IMAGE      NPIX      MEAN      STDDEV      MIN      MAX
flat_001.fits 1230848 12000.    7659.    1531.    31731.
flat_002.fits 1230848 11998.    7658.    1526.    31716.
flat_003.fits 1230848 11953.    7628.    1533.    31642.
flat_004.fits 1230848 12009.    7662.    1525.    31772.
flat_005.fits 1230848 12043.    7682.    1523.    31817.
flat_006.fits 1230848 12061.    7691.    1529.    31828.
flat_007.fits 1230848 12054.    7687.    1512.    31944.
flat_008.fits 1230848 12095.    7711.    1540.    31903.
flat_009.fits 1230848 12138.    7739.    1542.    31927.
flat_010.fits 1230848 12107.    7718.    1526.    31933.
```

```
ecl> imcombine flat* flat.fits combine=median
```

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combine = median, scale = none, zero = none, weight = none blank = 0.

Images
flat_001.fits
flat_002.fits
flat_003.fits
flat_004.fits
flat_005.fits
flat_006.fits
flat_007.fits
flat_008.fits
flat_009.fits
flat_010.fits

Output image = flat.fits, ncombine = 10

flat-bias and normalize flat

```
ecl> imarith flat - bias flatb.fits
```

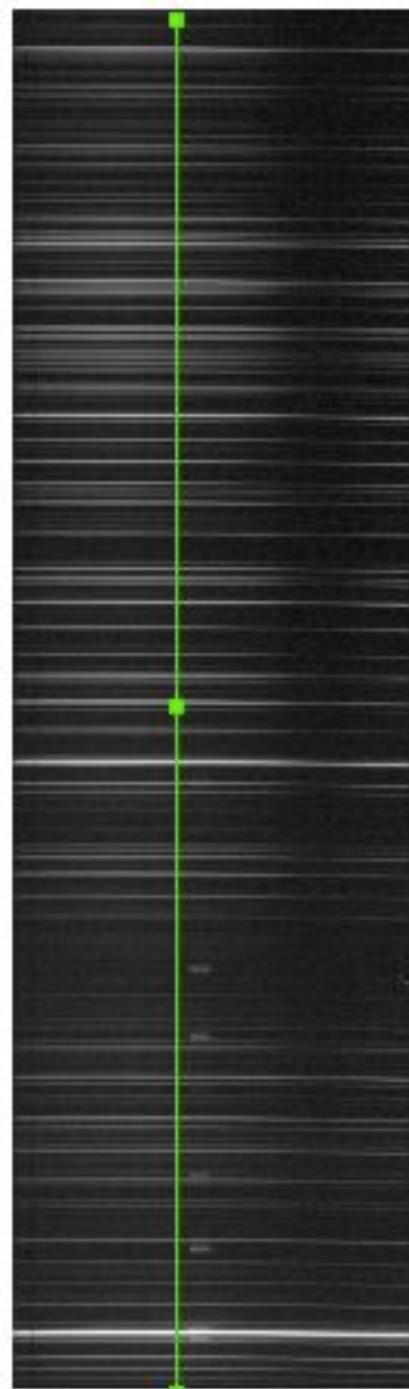
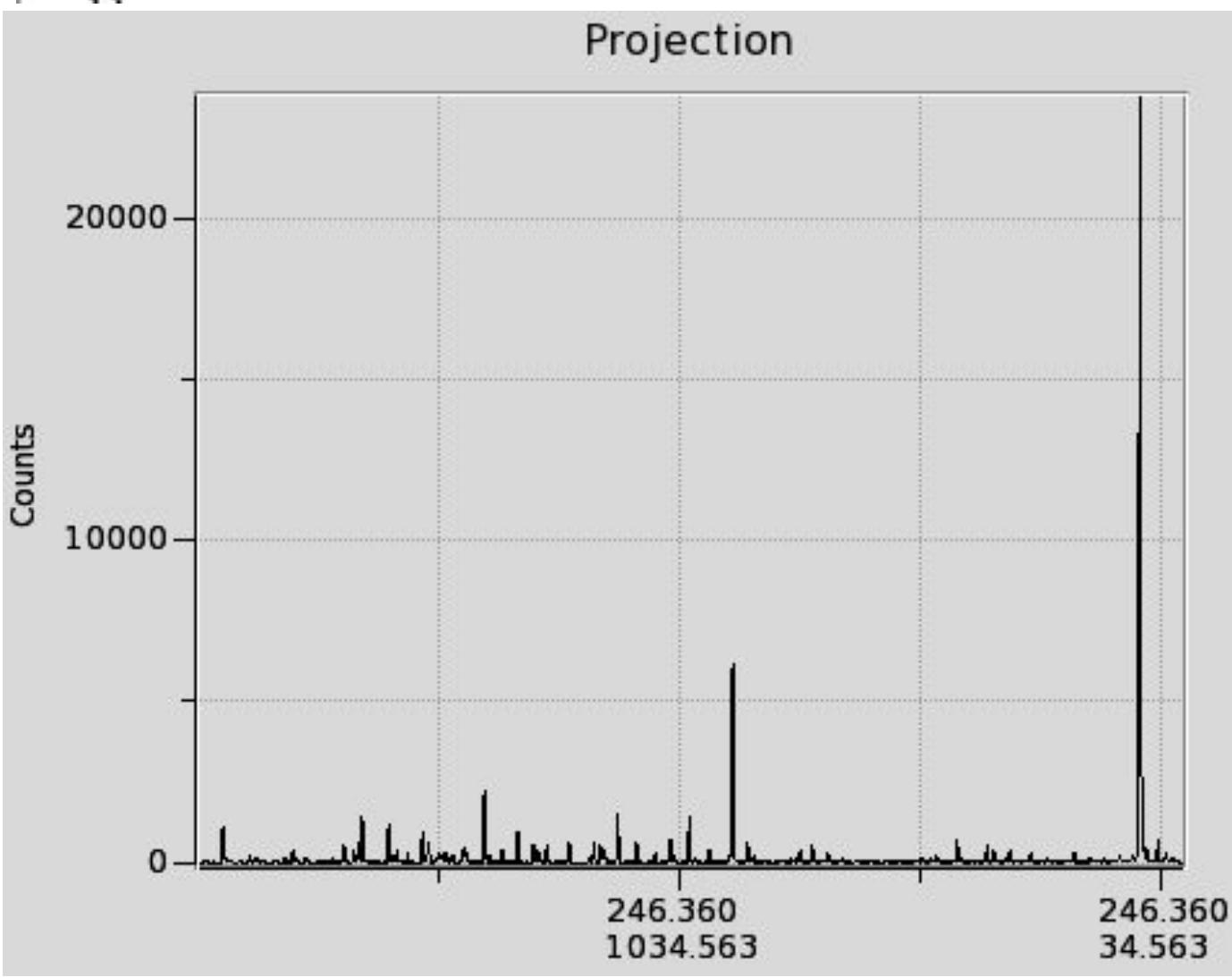
```
ecl> imstat flatb.fits fields=midpt,mean  
#      MIDPT      MEAN  
10045.    11088.
```

```
ecl> imarith flatb / 10045 flatn.fits
```

```
ecl> imstat flatn fields=midpt,mean,stddev,min,max  
#      MIDPT      MEAN      STDDEV      MIN      MAX  
1.      1.104     0.7648    0.05829    3.073
```

HeAr - bias

```
|ecl> imarith he-ar_001.fits - bias hear.fits
```



Verify observed stars

hselect HD*,MP* \$I,RA,DEC,exptime,title

```
ecl> hselect HD*,MP* $I,RA,DEC,exptime,title
boolean expression governing selection: yes
HD036079.fits 05:28:14      -20:45:34      8,00000 HD036079
HD036673.fits  05:32:43      -17:49:20      8,00000 HD036673
HD045289.fits  06:24:24      -42:50:51      200,00000   HD045289
MP0190.fits    04:53:24      +02:34:28      1000,00000  HD036673
```

ecl> hedit MP0190.fits title "MP0190" verify- update+

```
MP0190.fits,i_title: HD036673 -> MP0190
MP0190.fits updated
```

Subtract the bias from the HD stars

HD036079.fits

HD036673.fits

HD045289.fits

imarith HD*.fits - bias.fits HD*%.fits%b.fits%

HD036079b.fits

HD036673b.fits

HD045289b.fits

Flat fielding

imarith HD*b.fits / flatn.fits HD*%b.fits%f.fits%

HD036079f.fits

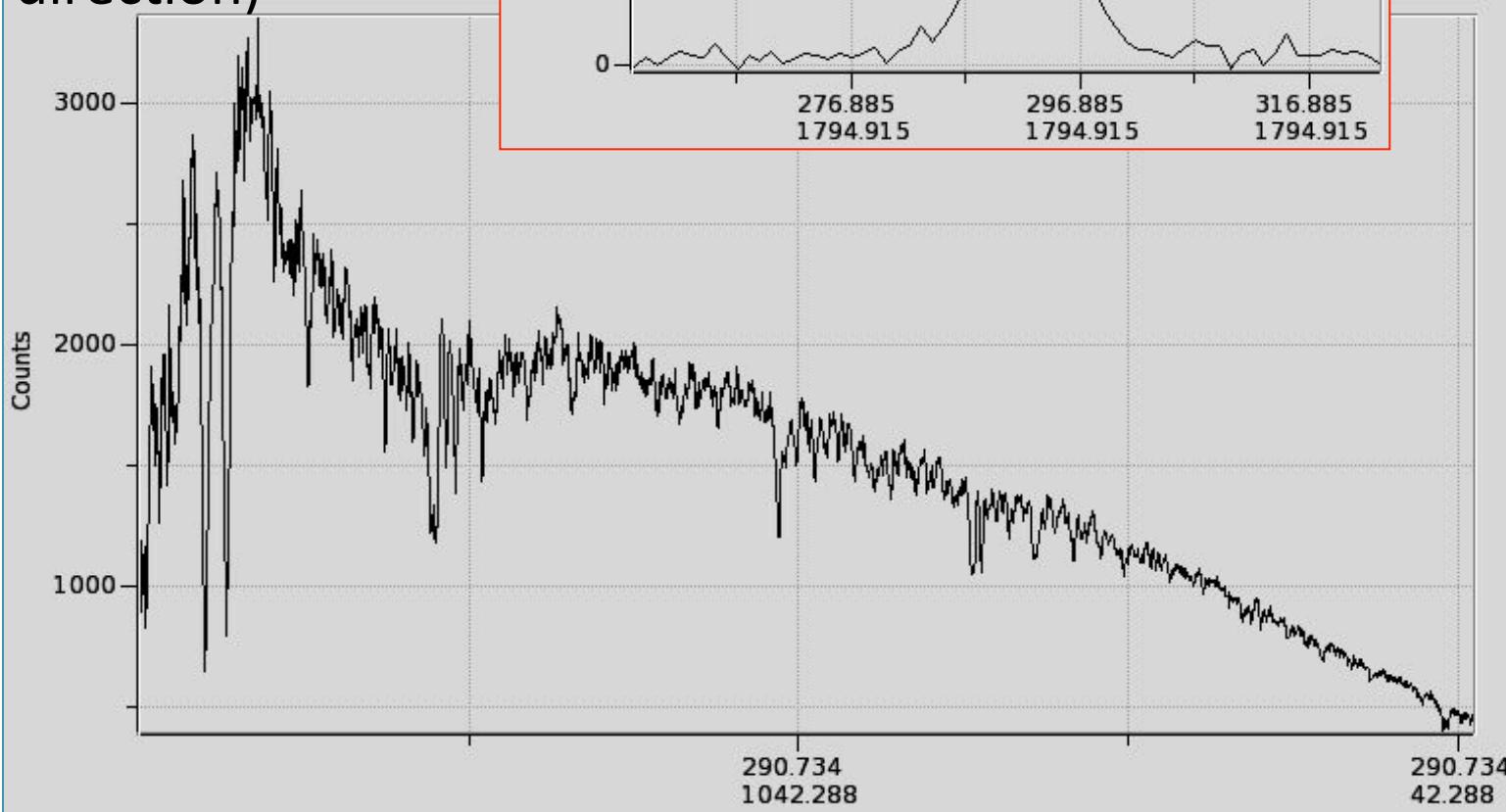
HD036673f.fits

HD045289f.fits

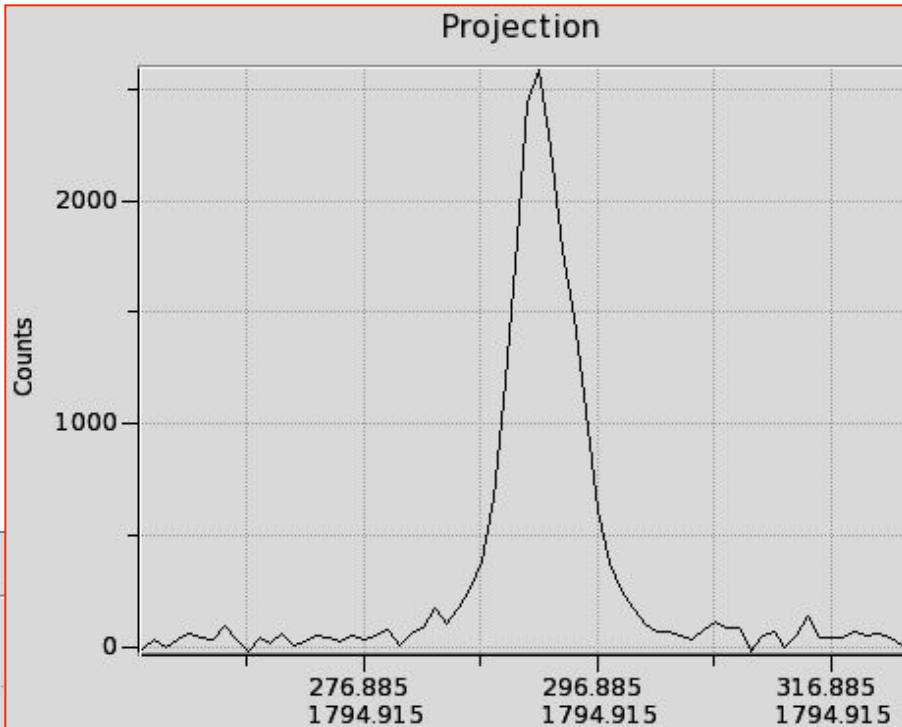
Spatial
direction (slit)



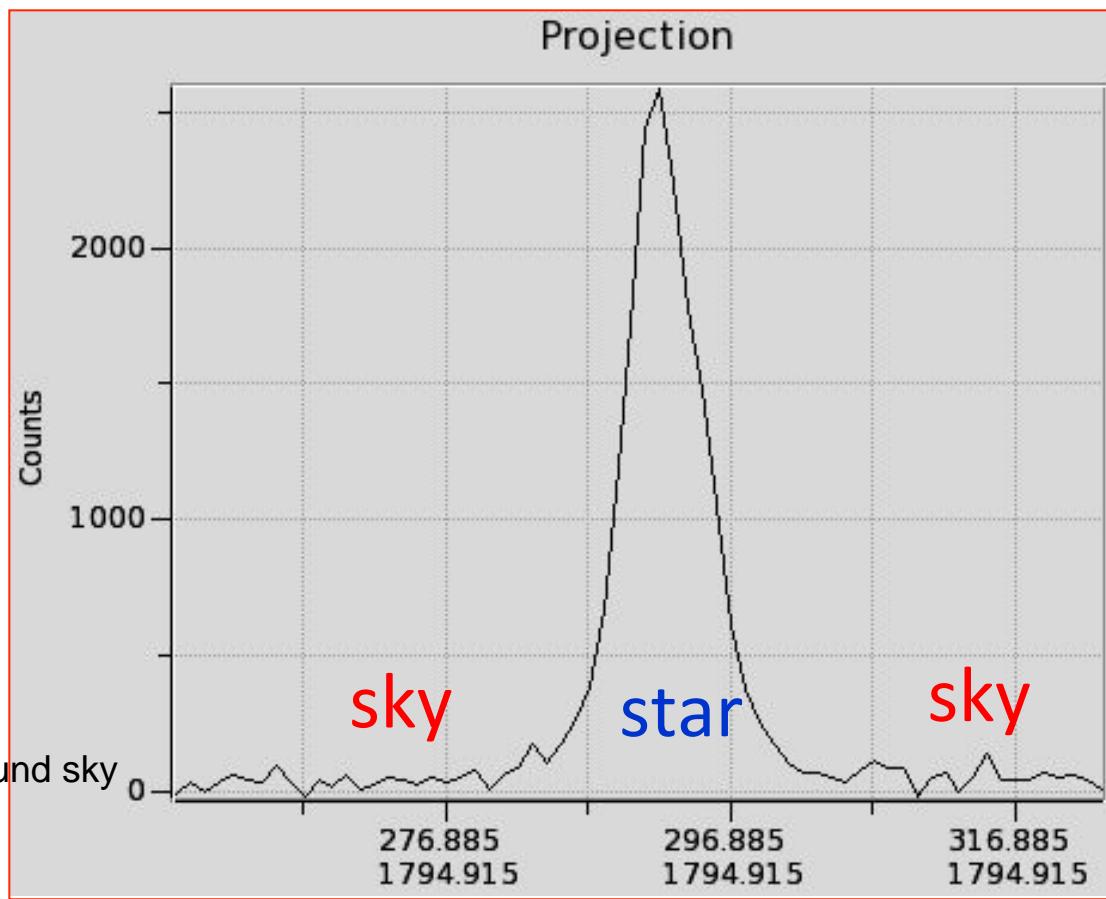
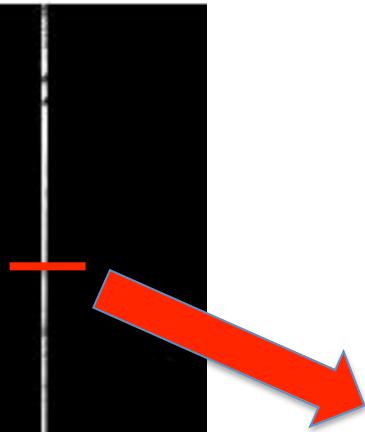
Dispersion
(spectral
direction)



Projection



Extracting the spectrum (simply adding counts inside star's profile)



Extract spectrum using **apall**, which is part of *noao.twodspec.apextract*

```
noao> two  
      apextract. longslit.
```

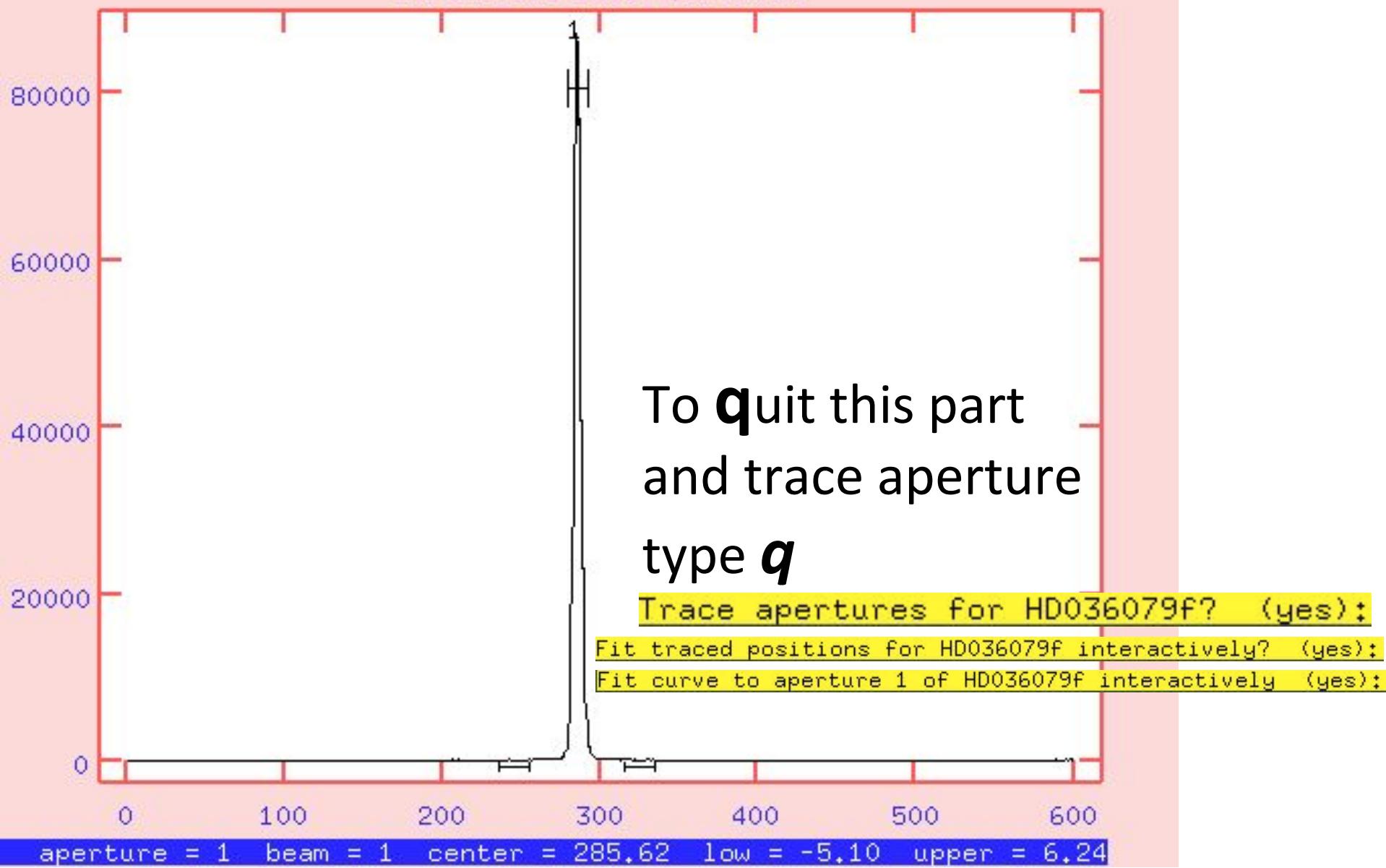
```
twodspec> ap
```

```
apextract> dispax=2
```

```
ap> apall HD*f.fits format=oned extras-  
b_sampl="-50:-30,30:50" ylevel=0.05 backgro=median clean+  
sat=100000 readnoise=18.0 gain=4.0 t_order=6
```

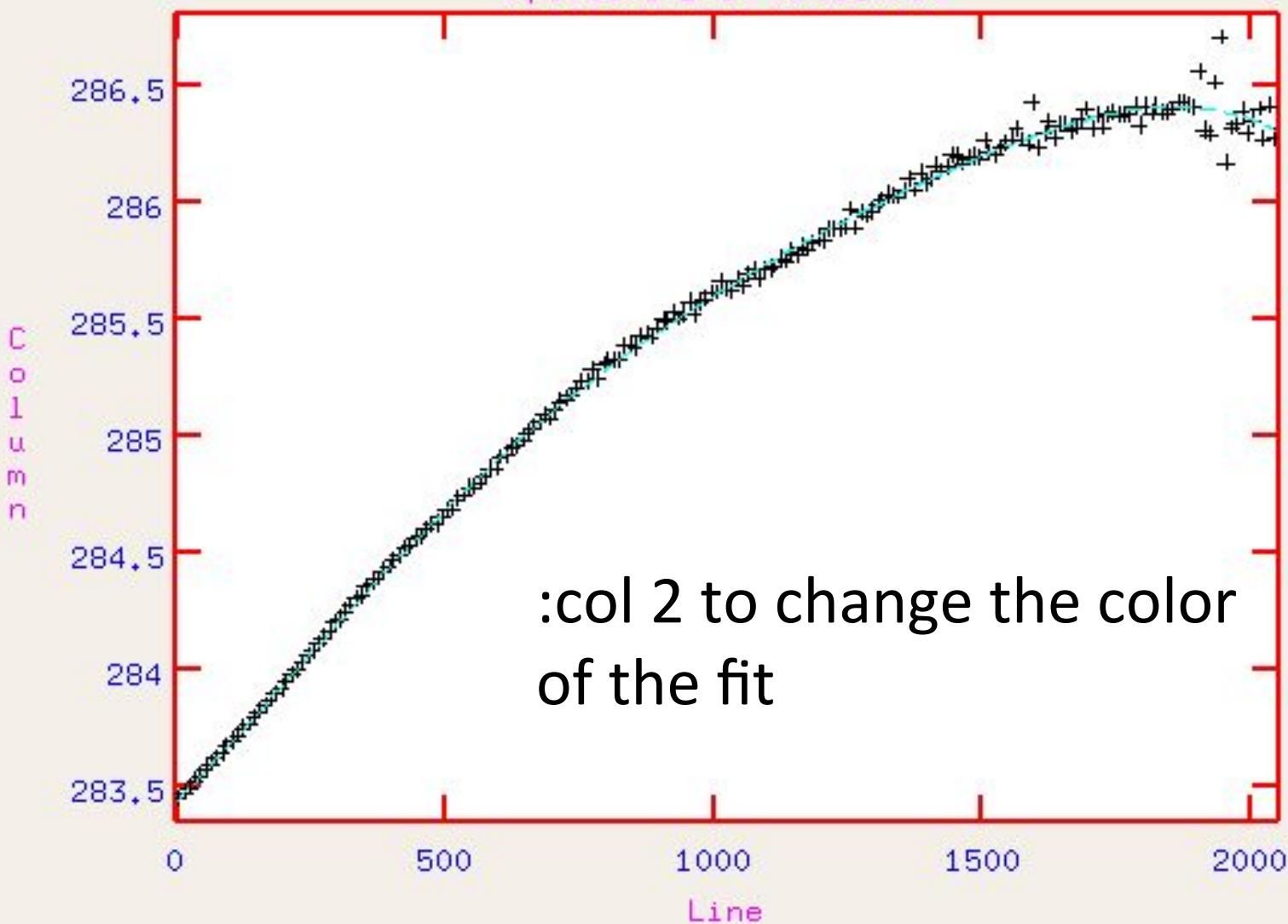
```
Find apertures for HD036079f? (yes):  
Number of apertures to be found automatically: 1  
Resize apertures for HD036079f? (yes):  
Edit apertures for HD036079f? (yes):
```

NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Tue 21:10:56 20-May-2014
Image=HD036079f, Sum of lines 1019-1028
Define and Edit Apertures



Fitting the position of maximum flux in the spectrum

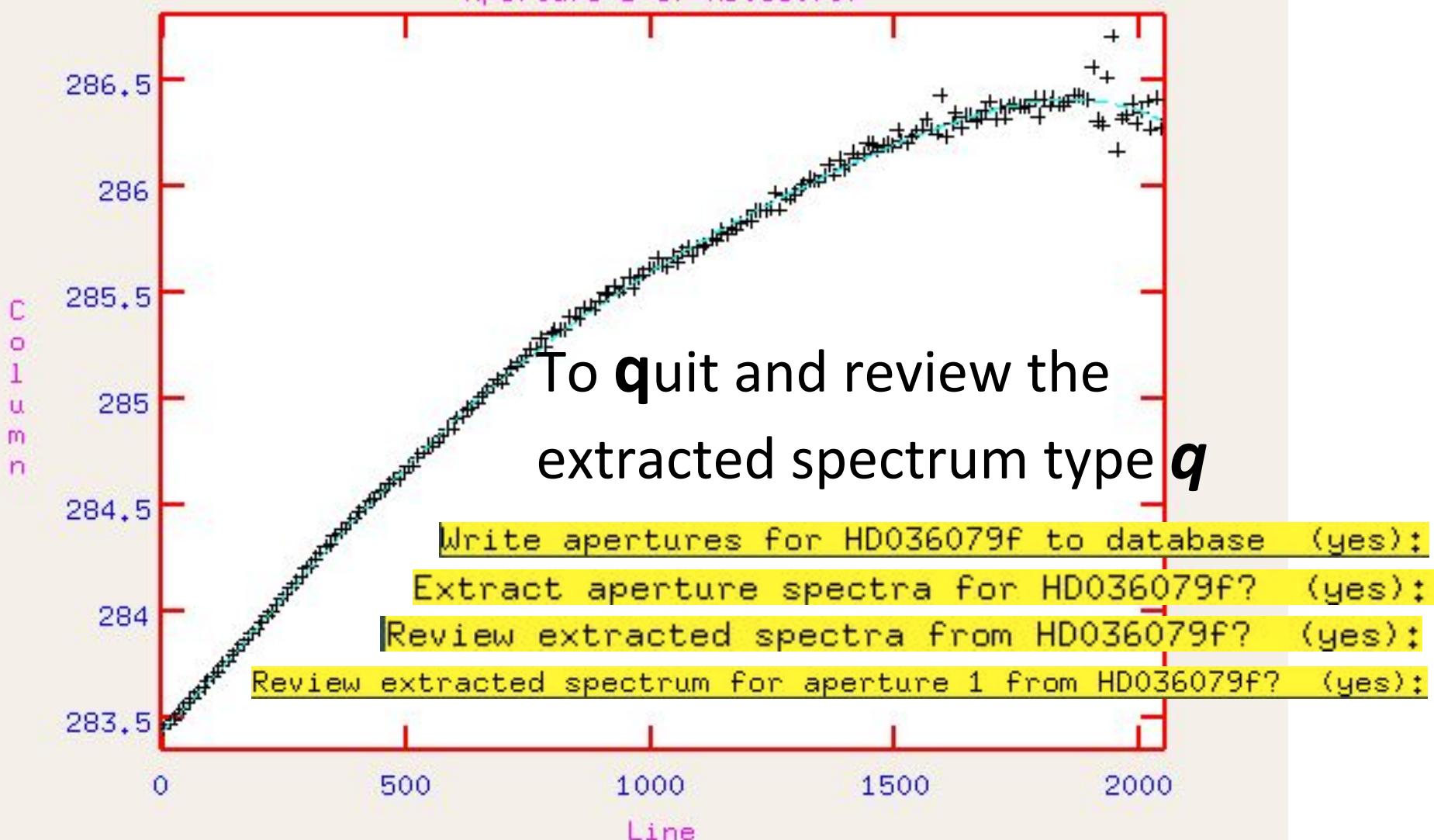
```
NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Tue 21:29:42 20-May-2014  
func=legendre, order=6, low_rej=3, high_rej=3, niterate=0, grow=0  
total=205, sample=205, rejected=0, deleted=0, RMS=0.04084  
Aperture 1 of HD036079f
```



Fitting the position of maximum flux in the spectrum

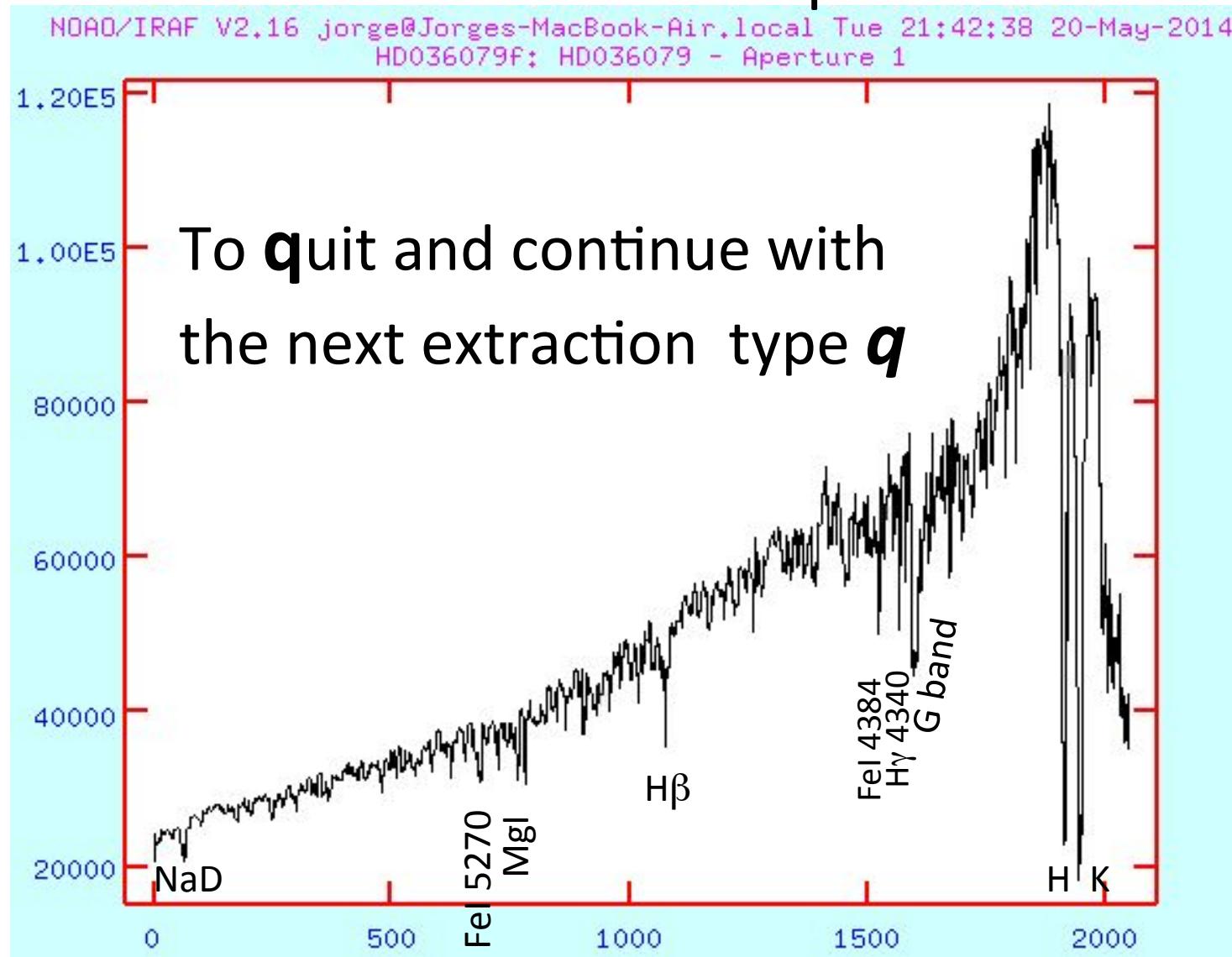
NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Tue 21:29:42 20-May-2014
func=legendre, order=6, low_rej=3, high_rej=3, niterate=0, grow=0
total=205, sample=205, rejected=0, deleted=0, RMS=0.04084

Aperture 1 of HD036079f



Example of reduced spectrum of HD036079

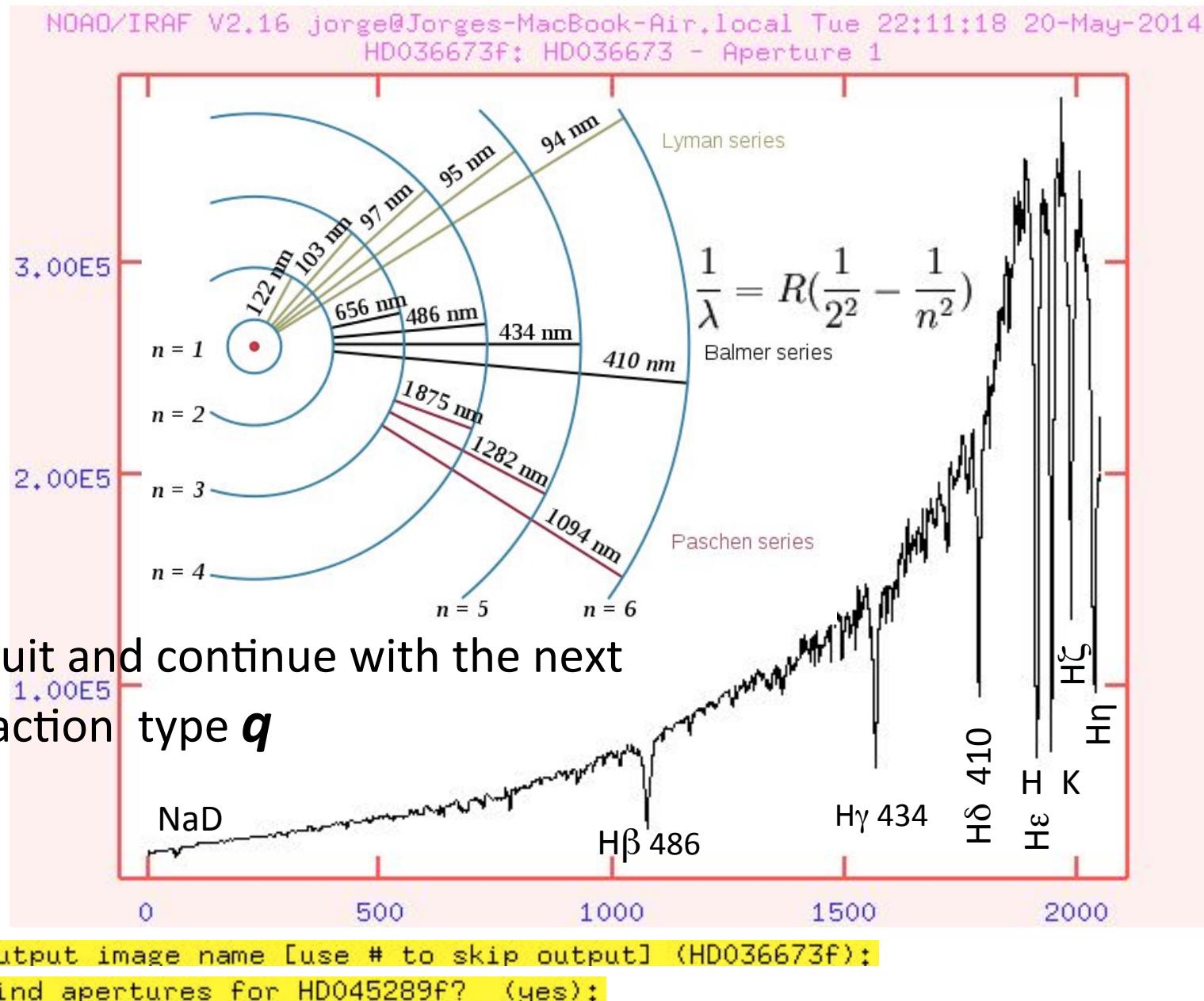
Counts as a function of pixel number



Output image name [use # to skip output] (HD036079F):

Find apertures for HD036673f? (yes):

Example of reduced spectrum of HD036673



Example of reduced spectrum of HD045289



Visualize the spectra using splot

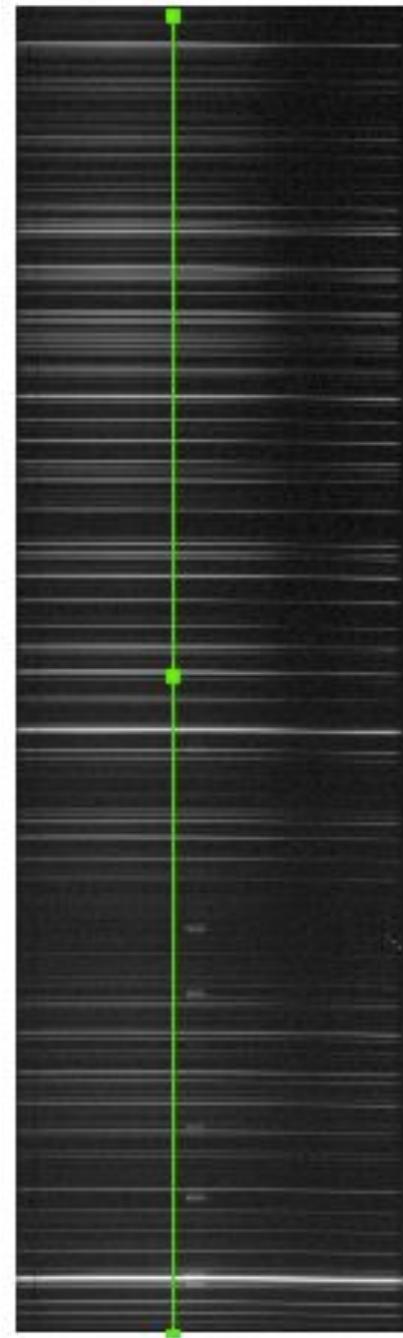
Use **splot** (noao.onedspec)

onedspec> splot HD*f.0001.fits

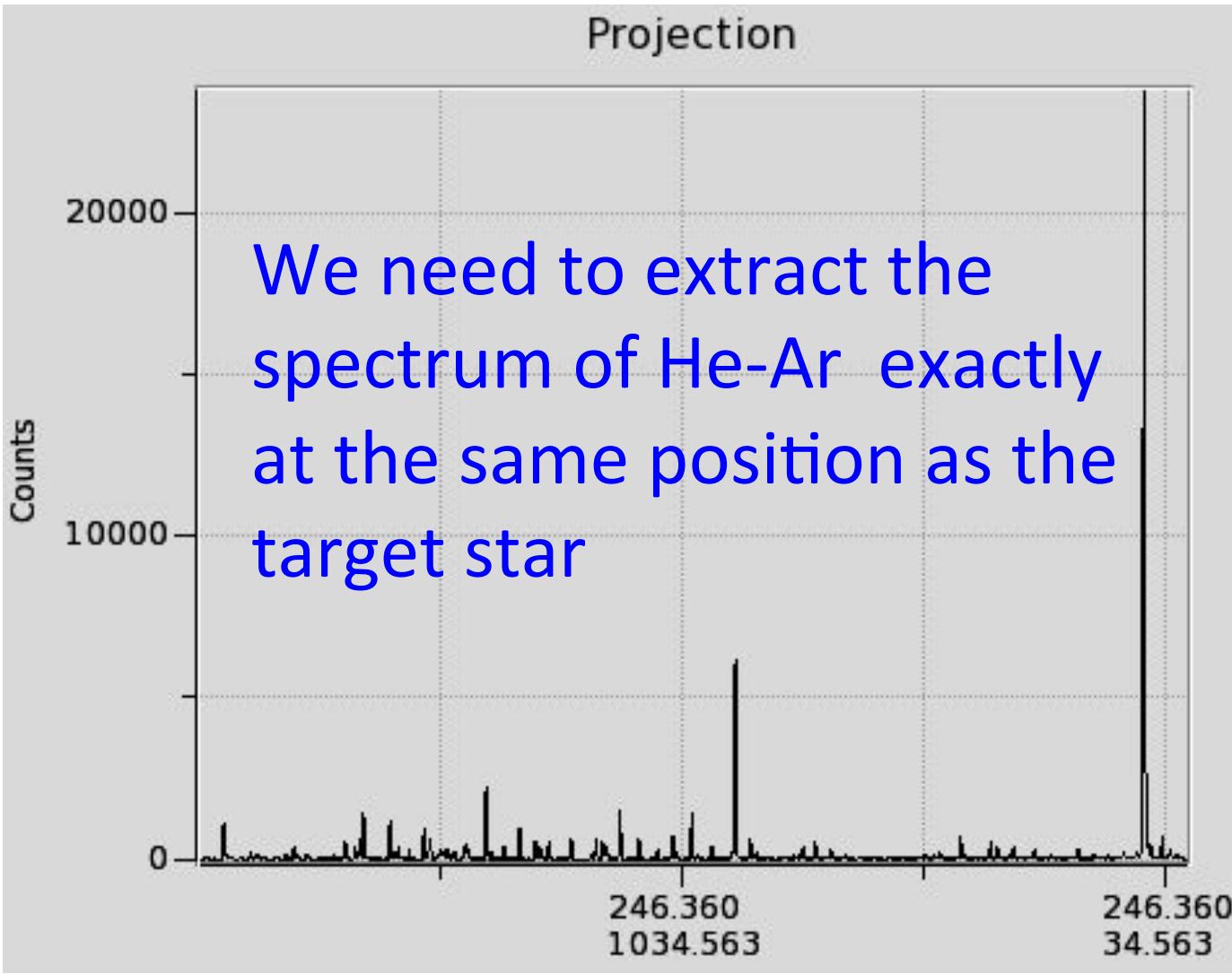
To visualize next
spectrum type *q*



Wavelength calibration: He-Ar (file *hear.fits*)



We need to extract the spectrum of He-Ar exactly at the same position as the target star



Extracting the spectrum of He-Ar at the same position as the reference (star) object

```
apall hear.fits out=hear_estrela.fits ref=estrela.fits  
inter- recen- trace- extras- backgro=none
```

- **hear.fits**: He-Ar image
- **out=hear_comp.fits**: extracted spectrum of He-Ar
- **ref =estrela.fits** the star's file name (before the extraction with *apall*)

Preparing the files to extract He-Ar for each star

```
> ls -1 *f.fits > lista_in
```

```
> !more lista_in
```

HD036079f.fits
HD036673f.fits
HD045289f.fits

```
> !sed "s/HD/hear_HD/g" lista_in > lista_out
```

```
> !more lista_out
```

hear_HD036079f.fits
hear_HD036673f.fits
hear_HD045289f.fits

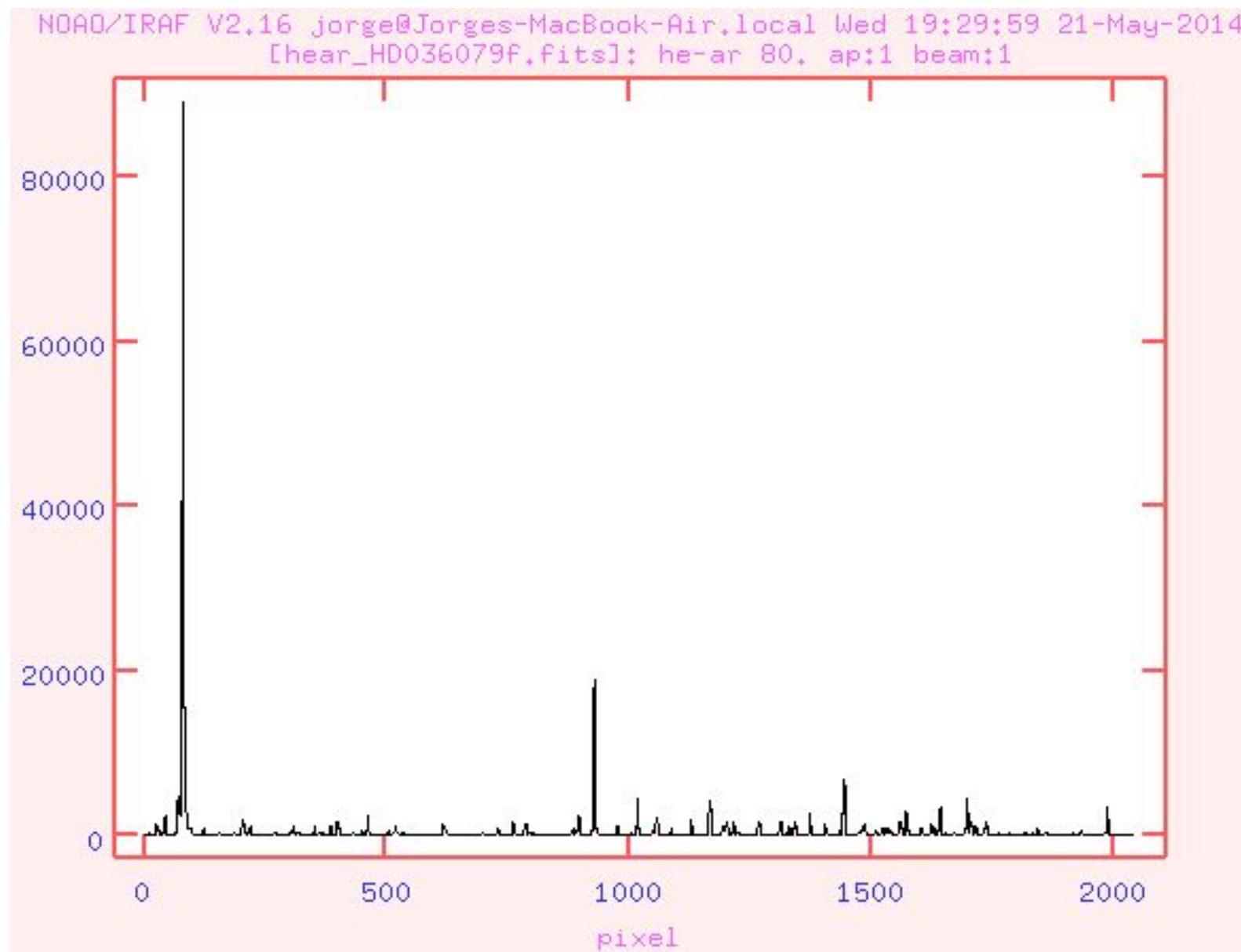
```
> !printf "hear.fits\n%.0s" {1..3} > lista_hear
```

```
> !more lista_hear
```

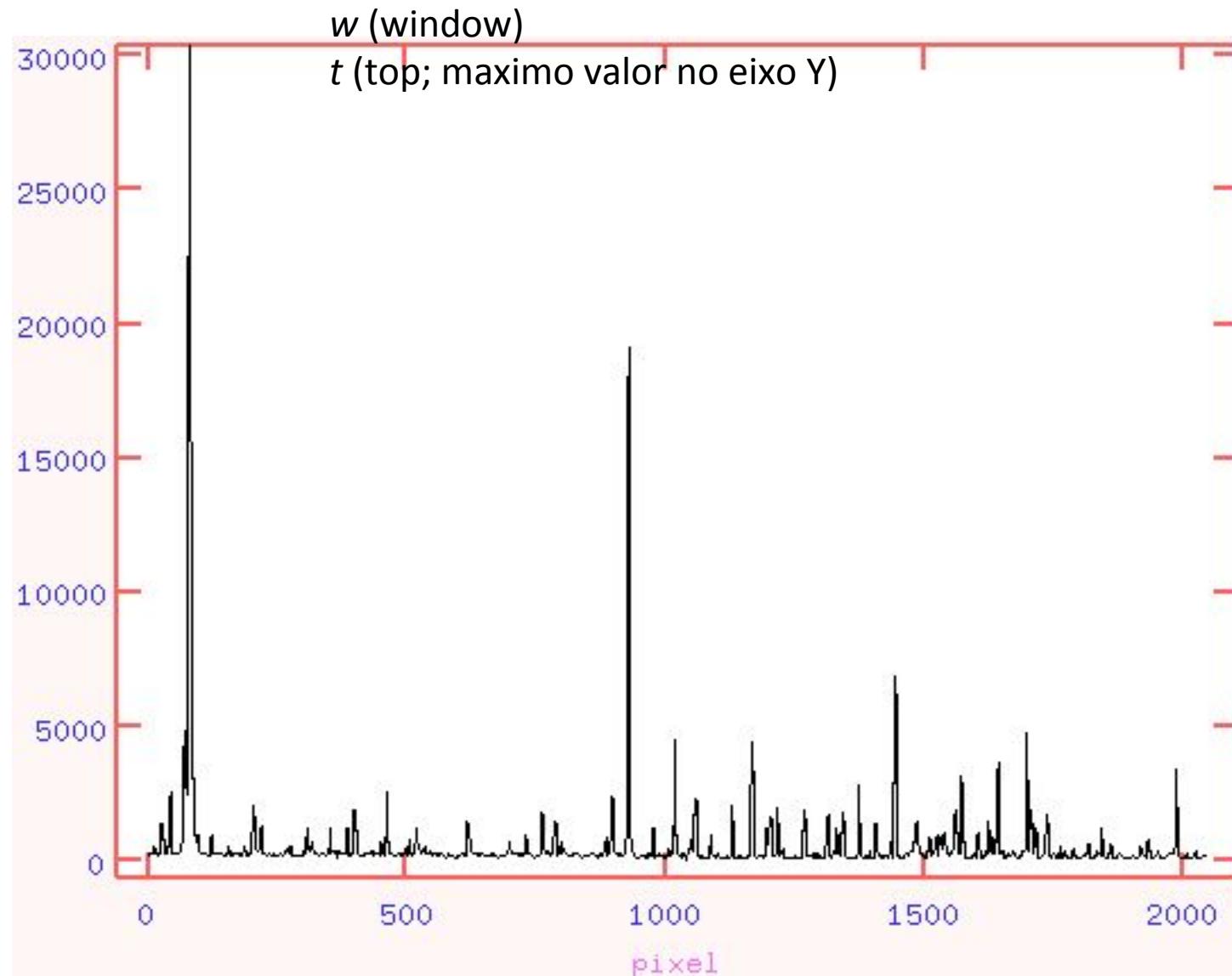
hear.fits
hear.fits
hear.fits

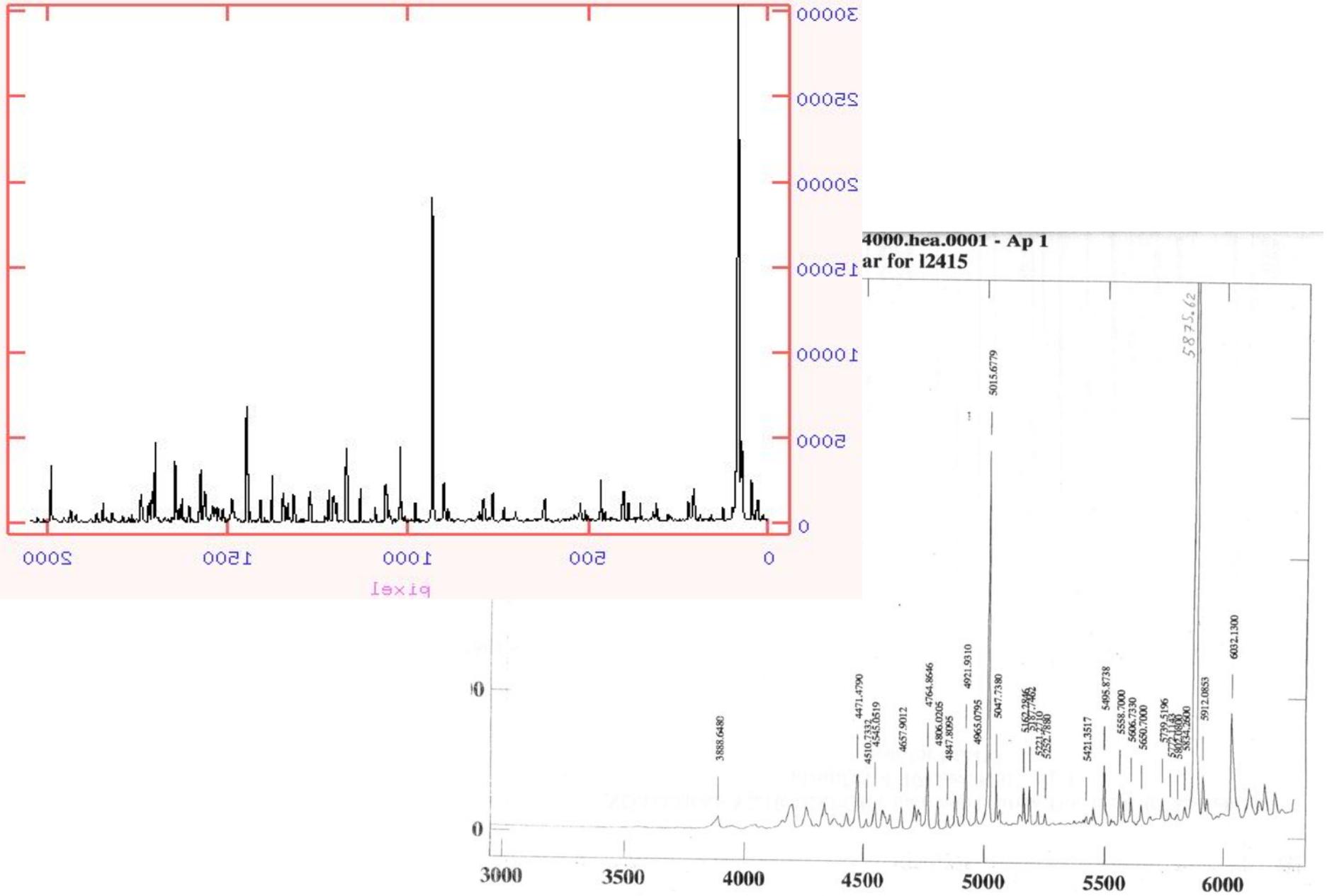
```
apall @lista_hear out=@lista_out ref=@lista_in inter- recen-  
trace- extras- backgro=none clean- sat=100000 readnoise=18.0  
gain=4.0 t_order=6
```

onedspec> splot hear_HD*

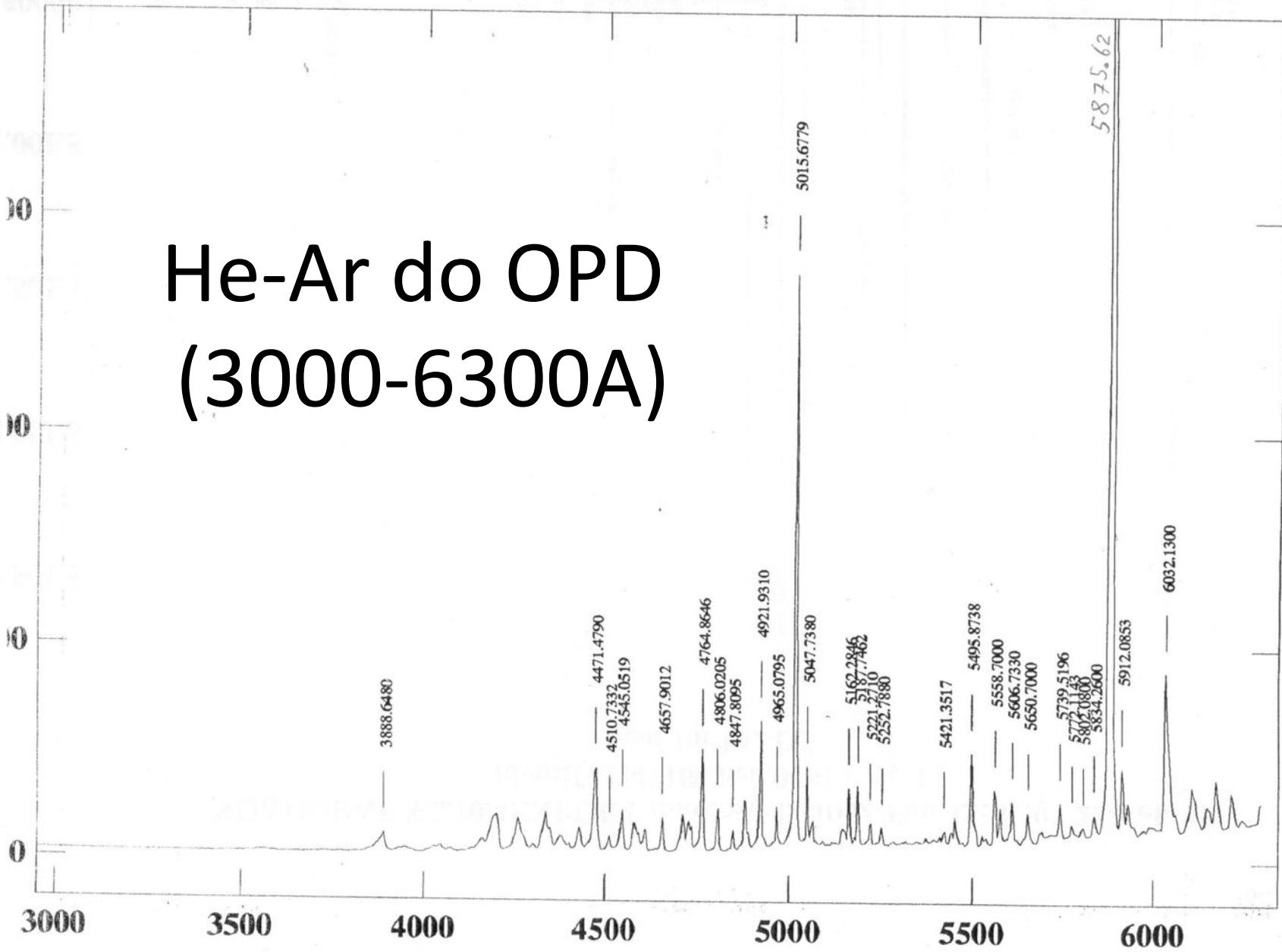


onedspec> splot hear_HD*



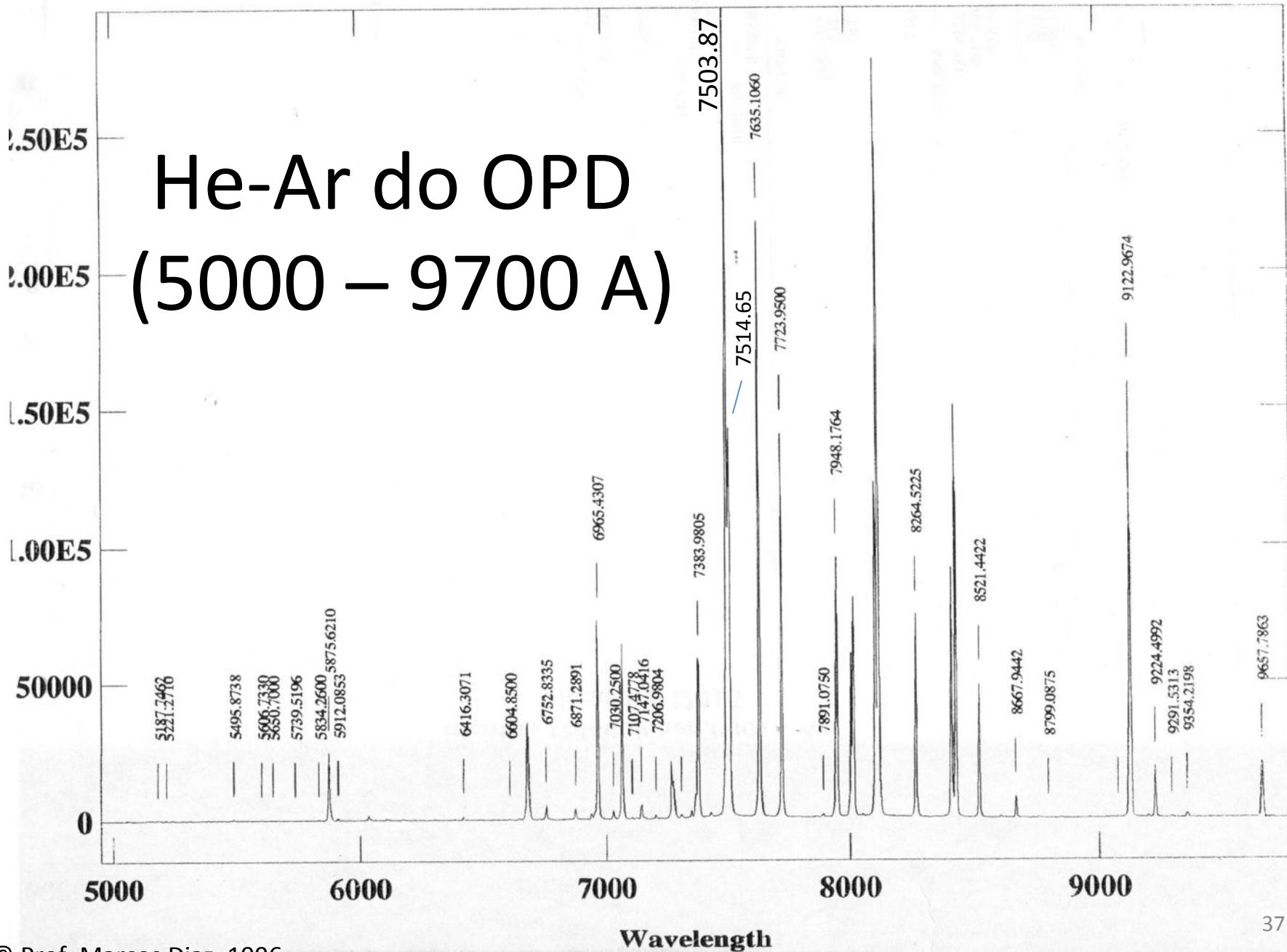


He-Ar do OPD (3000-6300A)

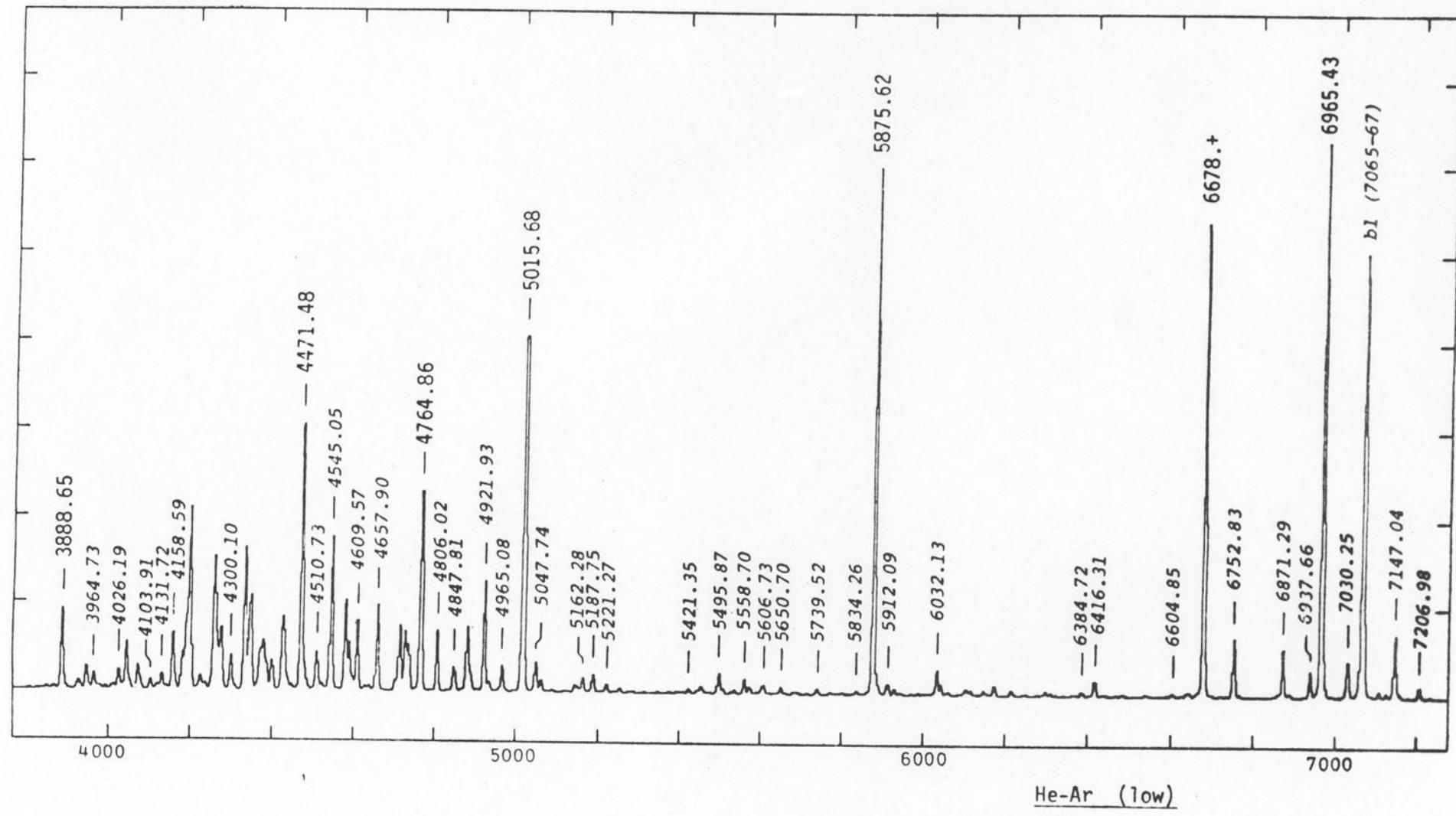


identify l247100.hea.0001 - Ap 1
hear for lt2415

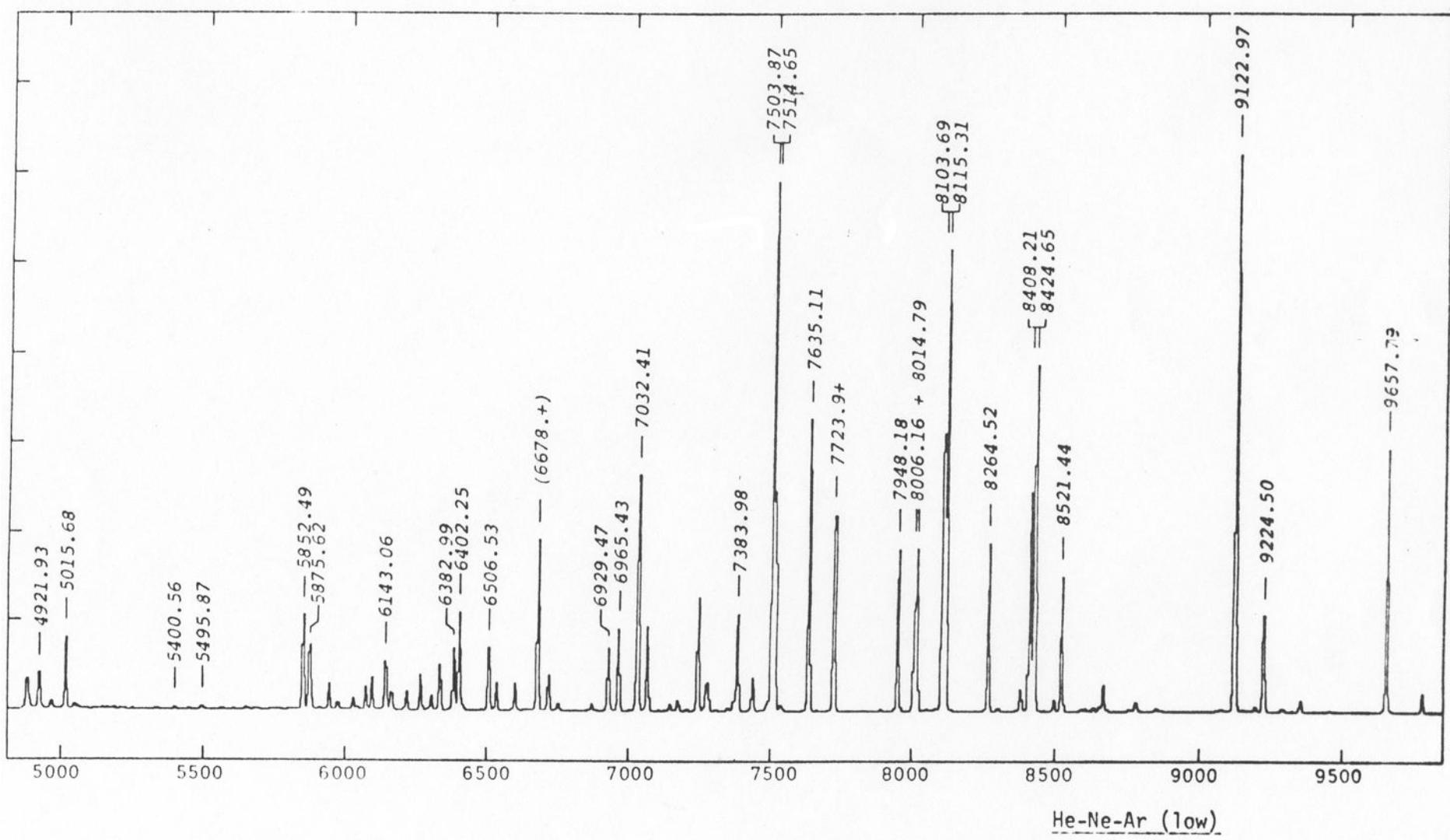
He-Ar do OPD (5000 – 9700 Å)



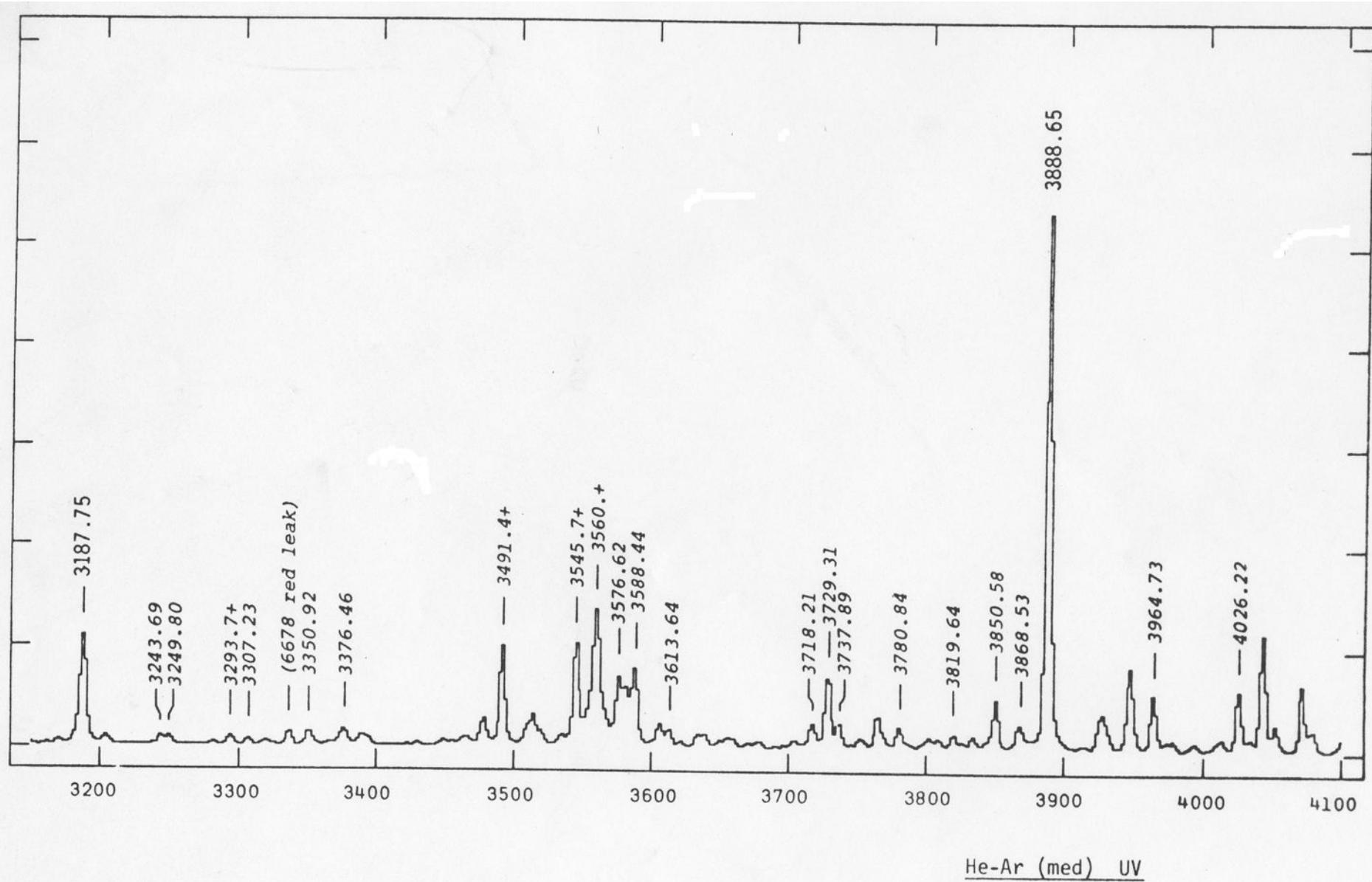
He-Ar do CTIO (3800-7200A) (low resolution)



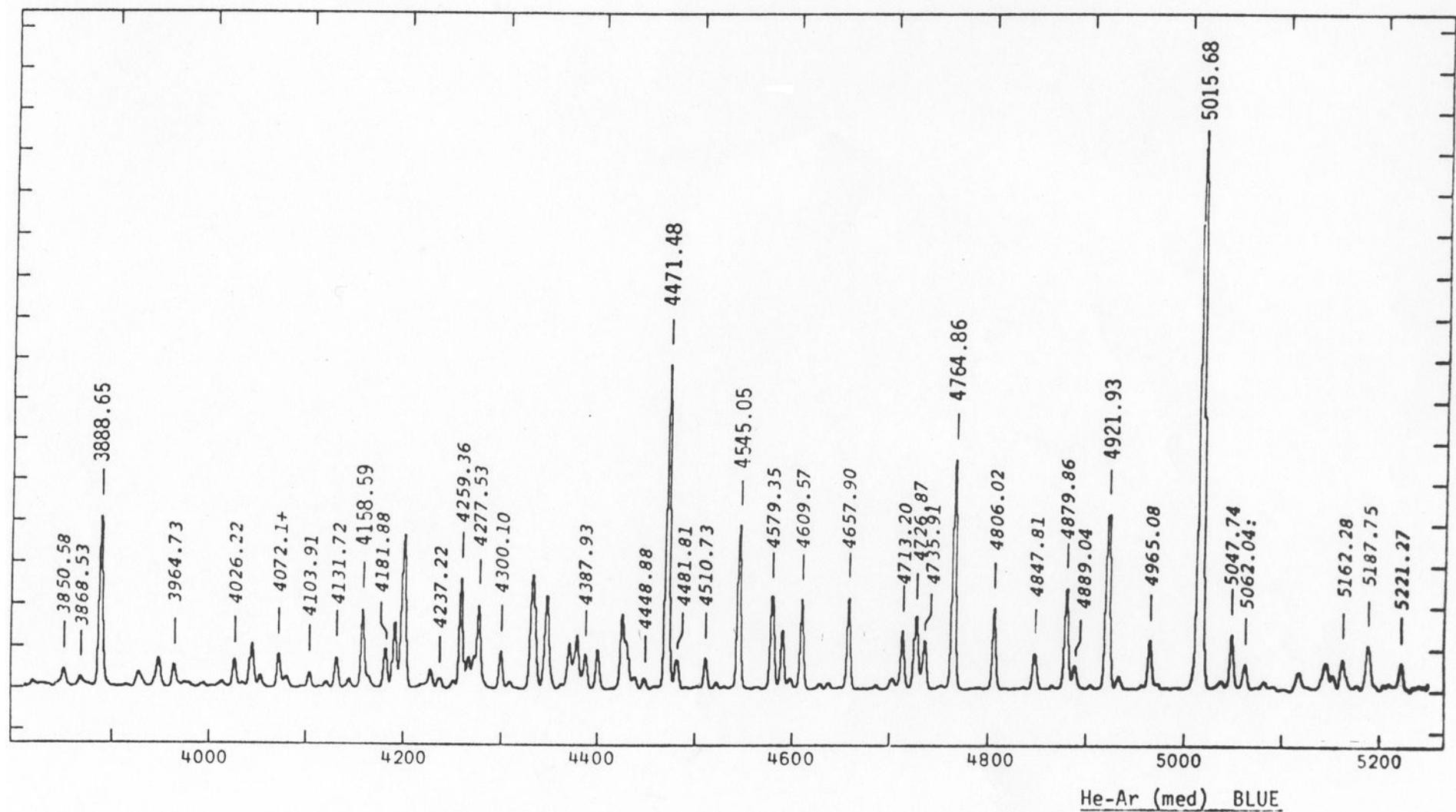
He-Ar-Ne do CTIO (4900-9700A) (low resolution)



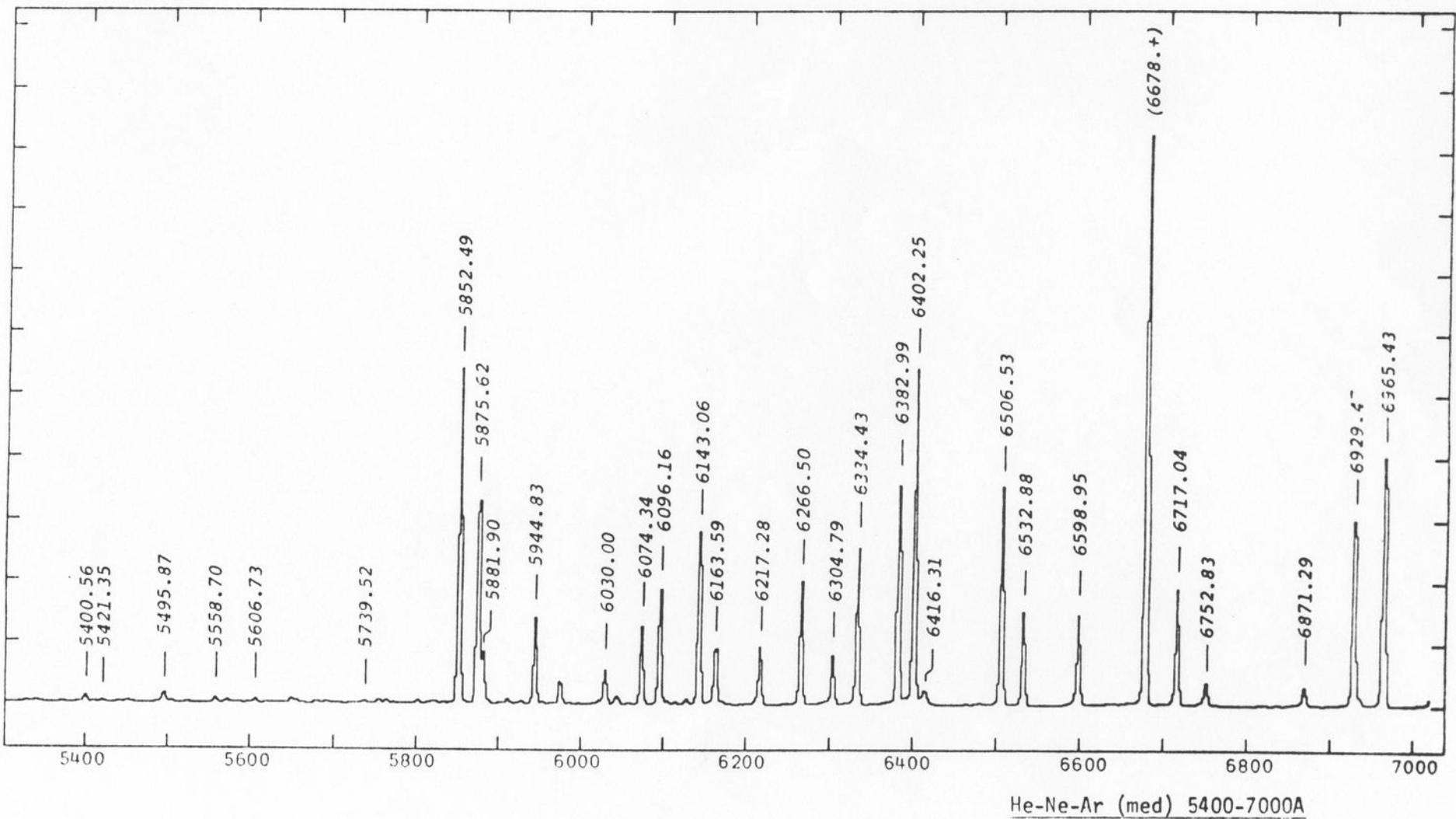
He-Ar do CTIO (3100-4100A) (medium resolution)



He-Ar do CTIO (3800-5250A) (medium resolution)

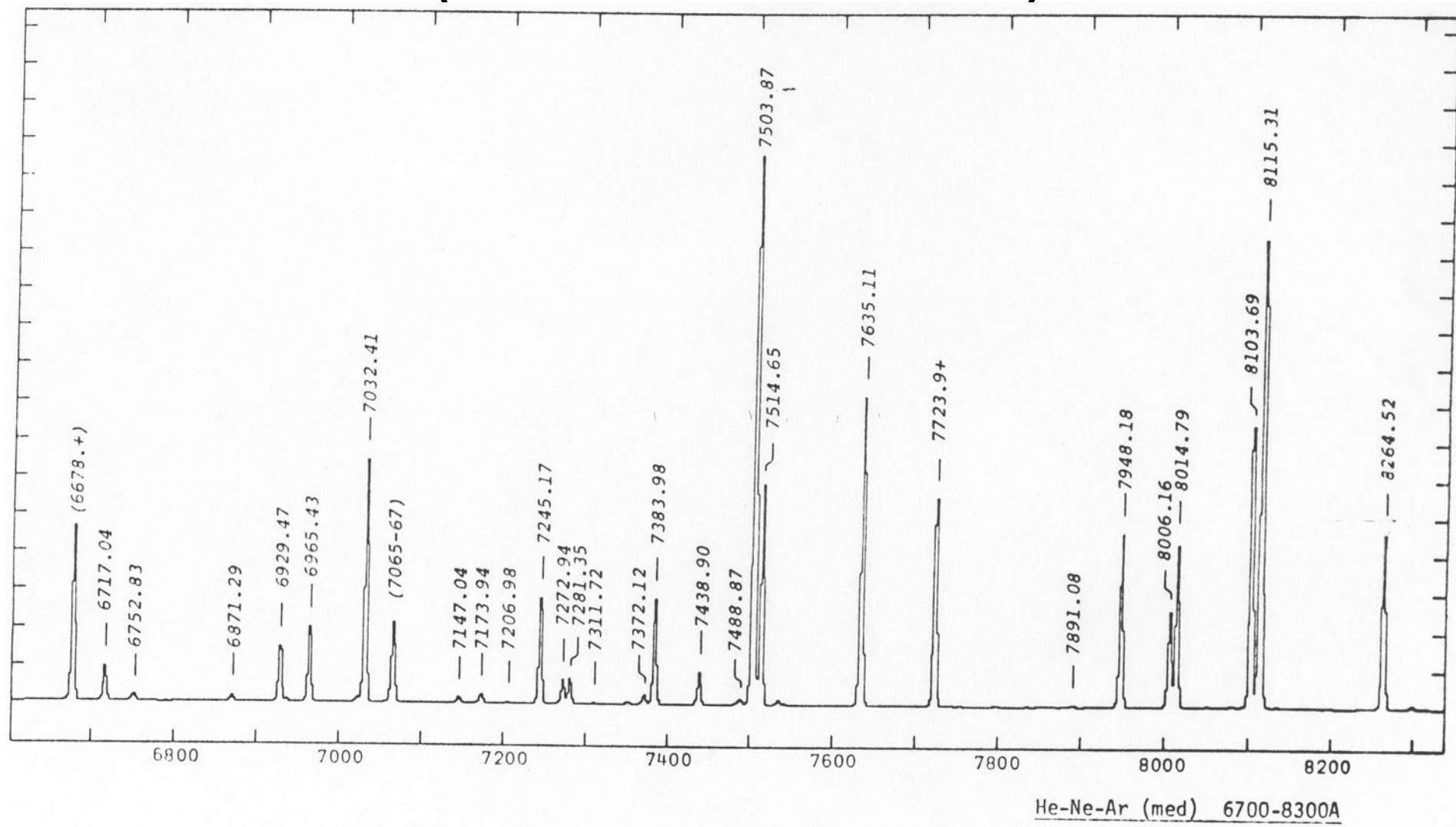


He-Ar-Ne do CTIO (5300-7000A) (medium resolution)

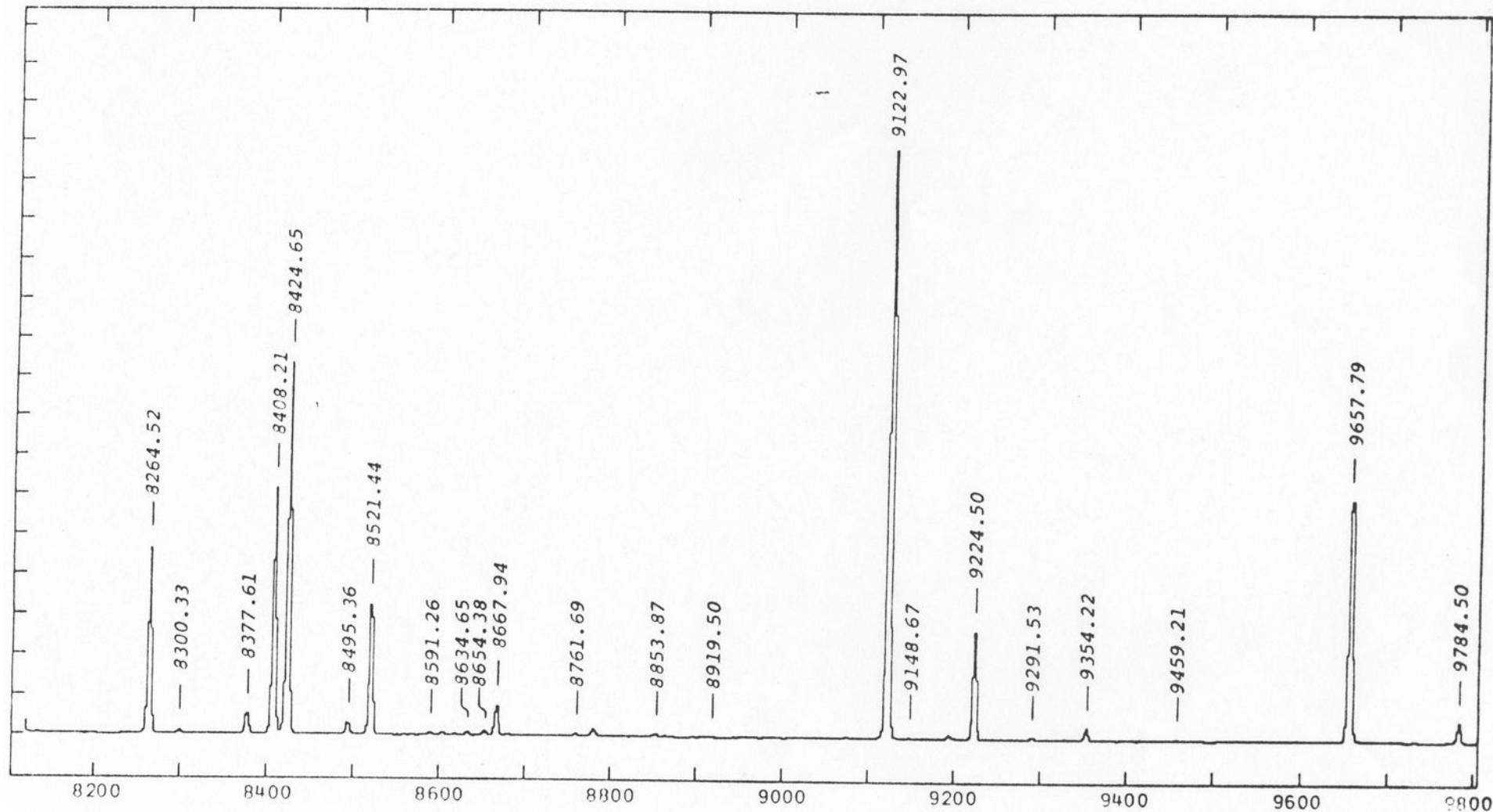


He-Ar-Ne do CTIO (6700-8300A)

(medium resolution)



He-Ar-Ne do CTIO (8200-9800A) (medium resolution)

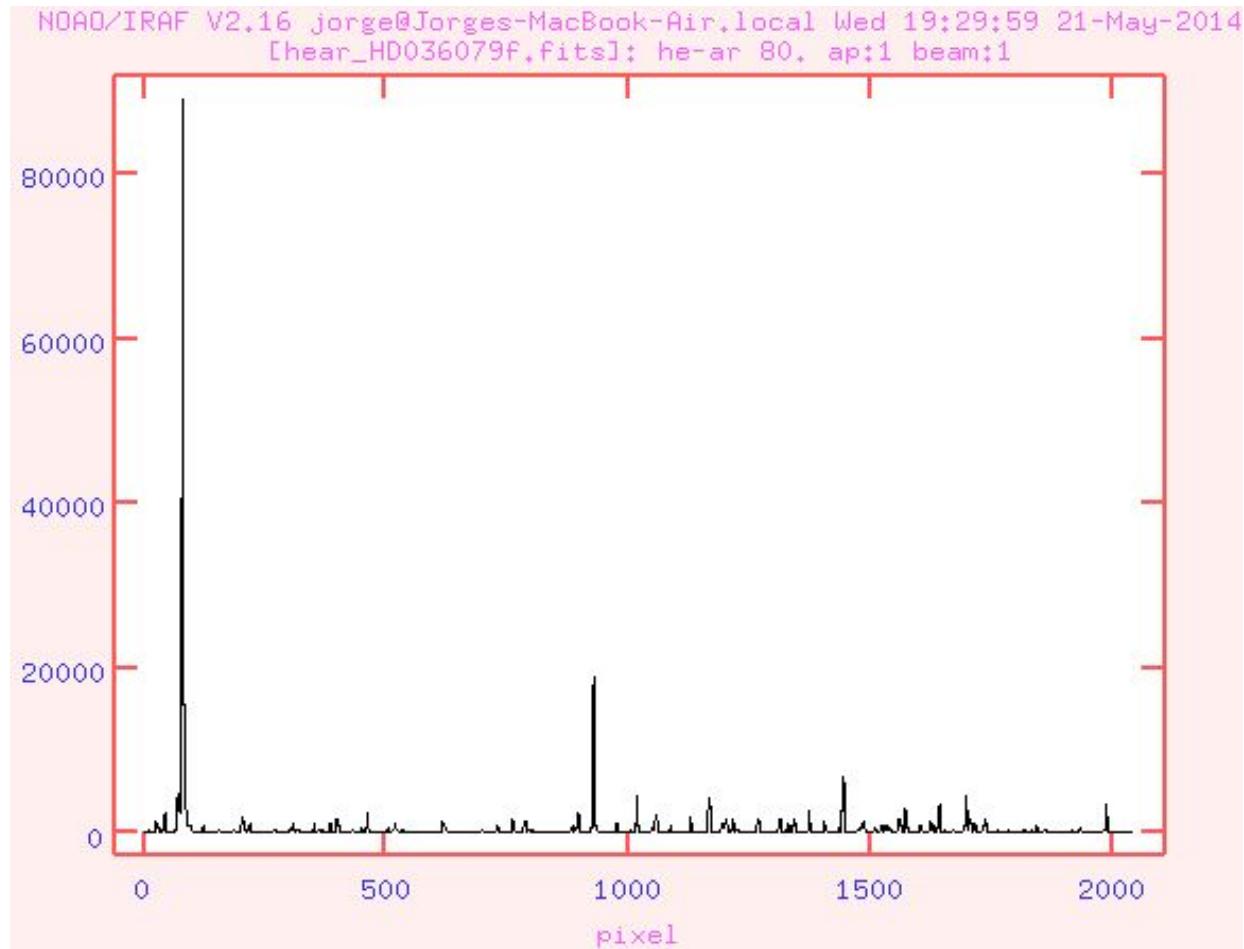


He-Ne-Ar (med) 8200-9800A

Line identification

```
ap> ls -1 hear_*
```

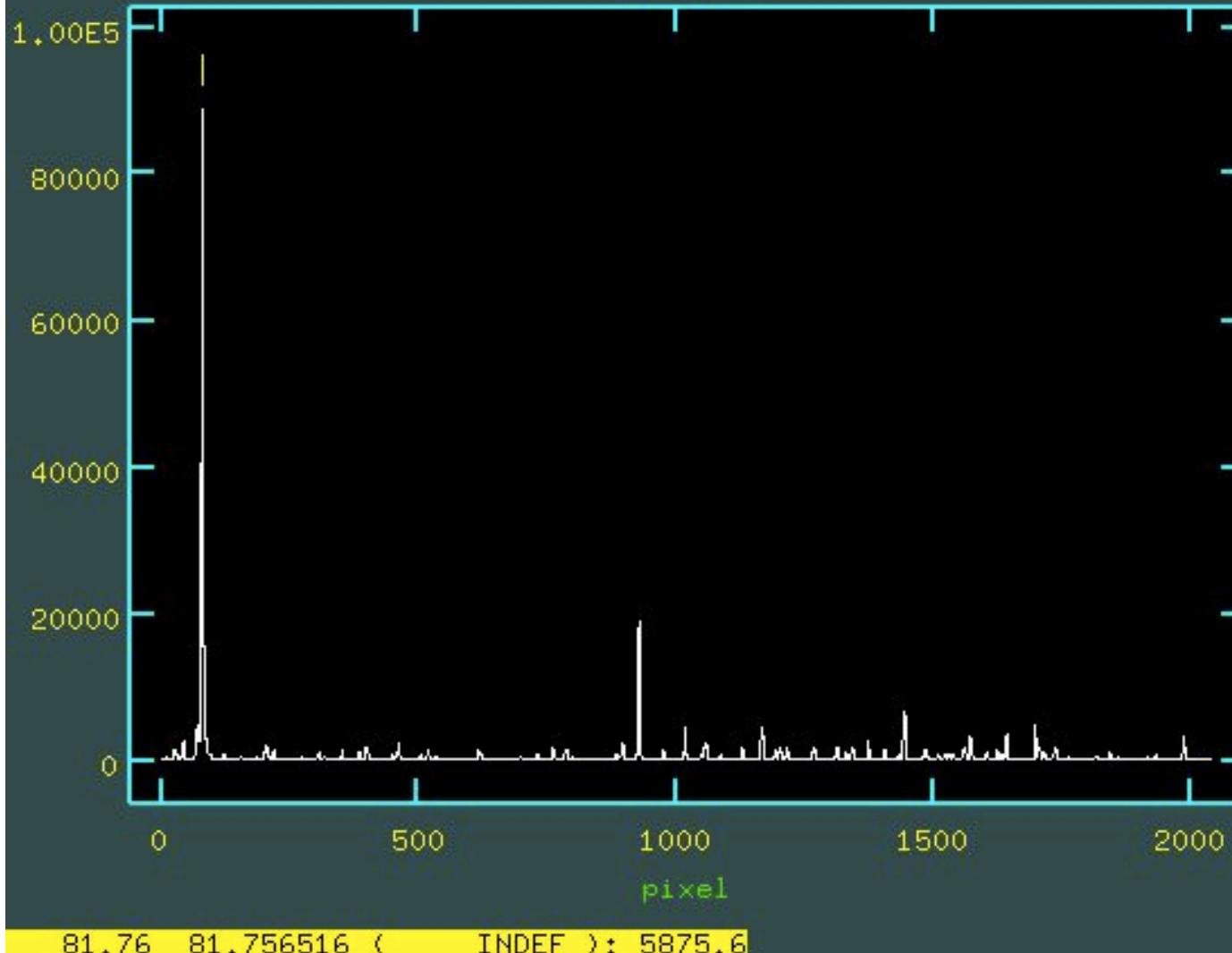
hear_HD036079f.fits
hear_HD036673f.fits
hear_HD045289f.fits



Line identification

```
ap> identify hear_HD036079f.fits coordli=linelists$idthenear.dat
```

```
NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Wed 21:34:37 21-May-  
identify hear_HD036079f - Ap 1  
he-ar
```

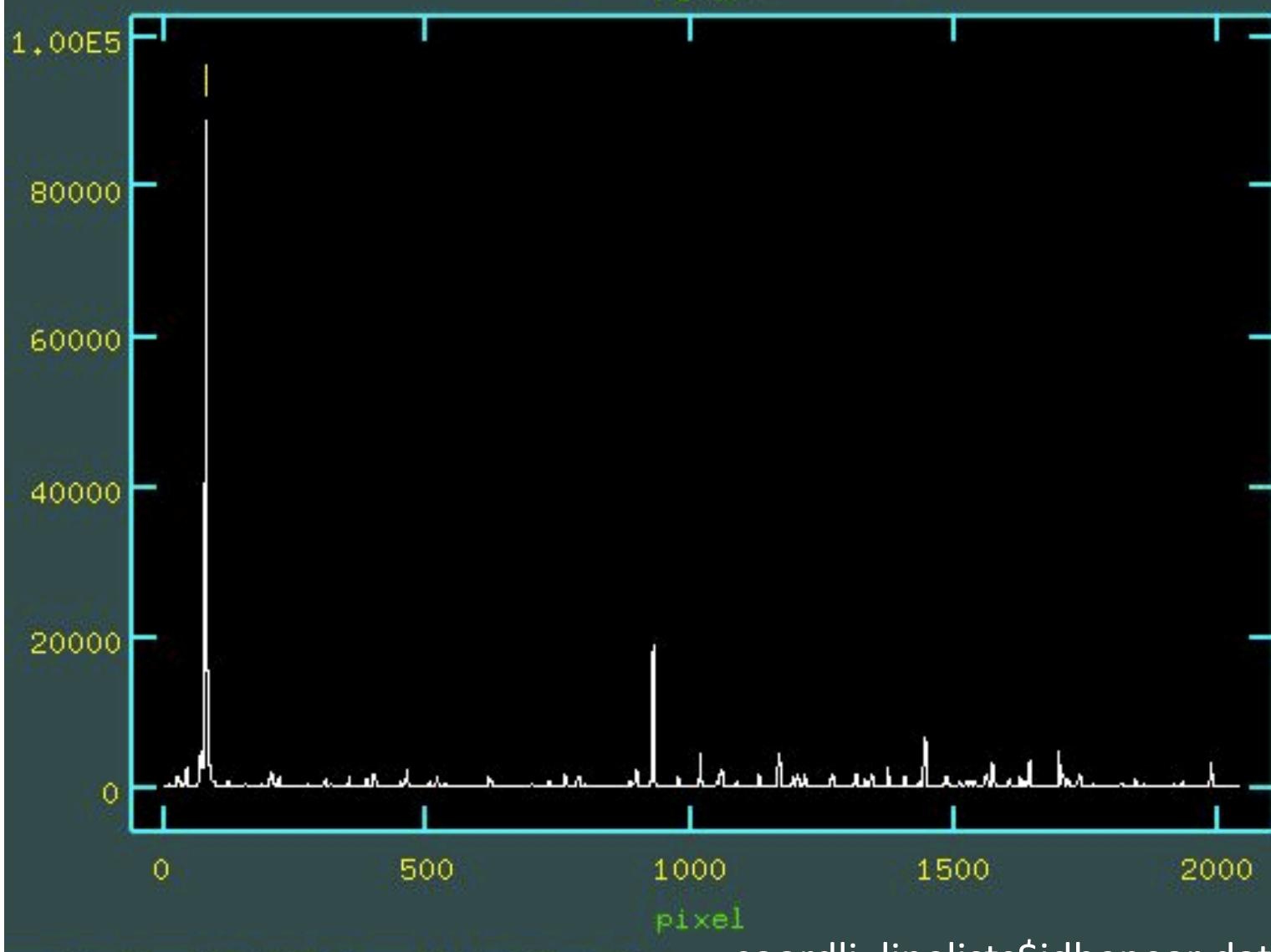


IRAF's line list
for He-Ne-Ar

Mark the line
with m , then
write the
wavelength
and hit *return*
(enter)

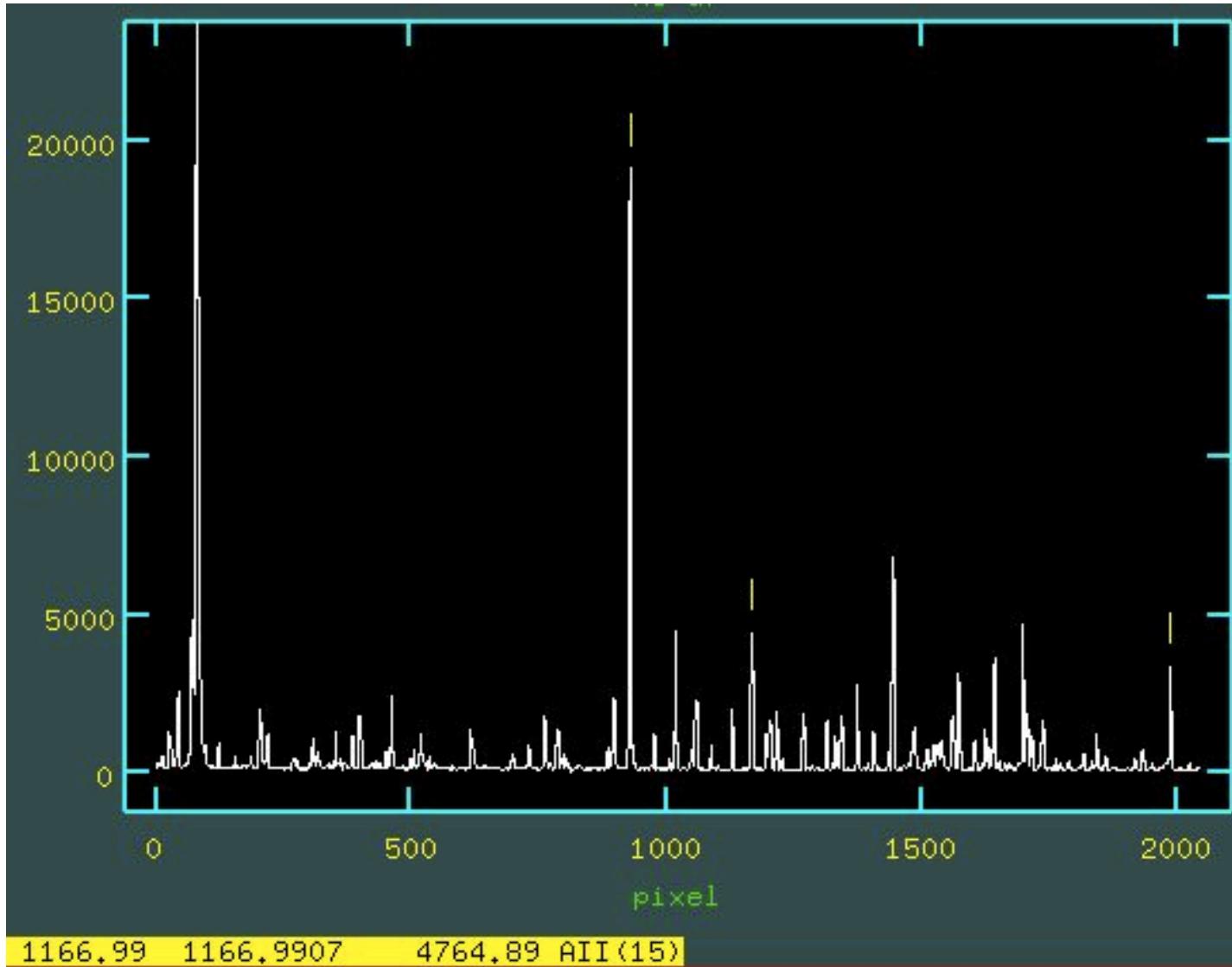
```
81.76 81.756516 ( INDEF ):: 5875.6
```

NOAO/IRAF V2.16 jorge@Jorges-MacBook-Air.local Wed 21:34:37 21-May-
identify hear_HD036079f - Ap 1
hear

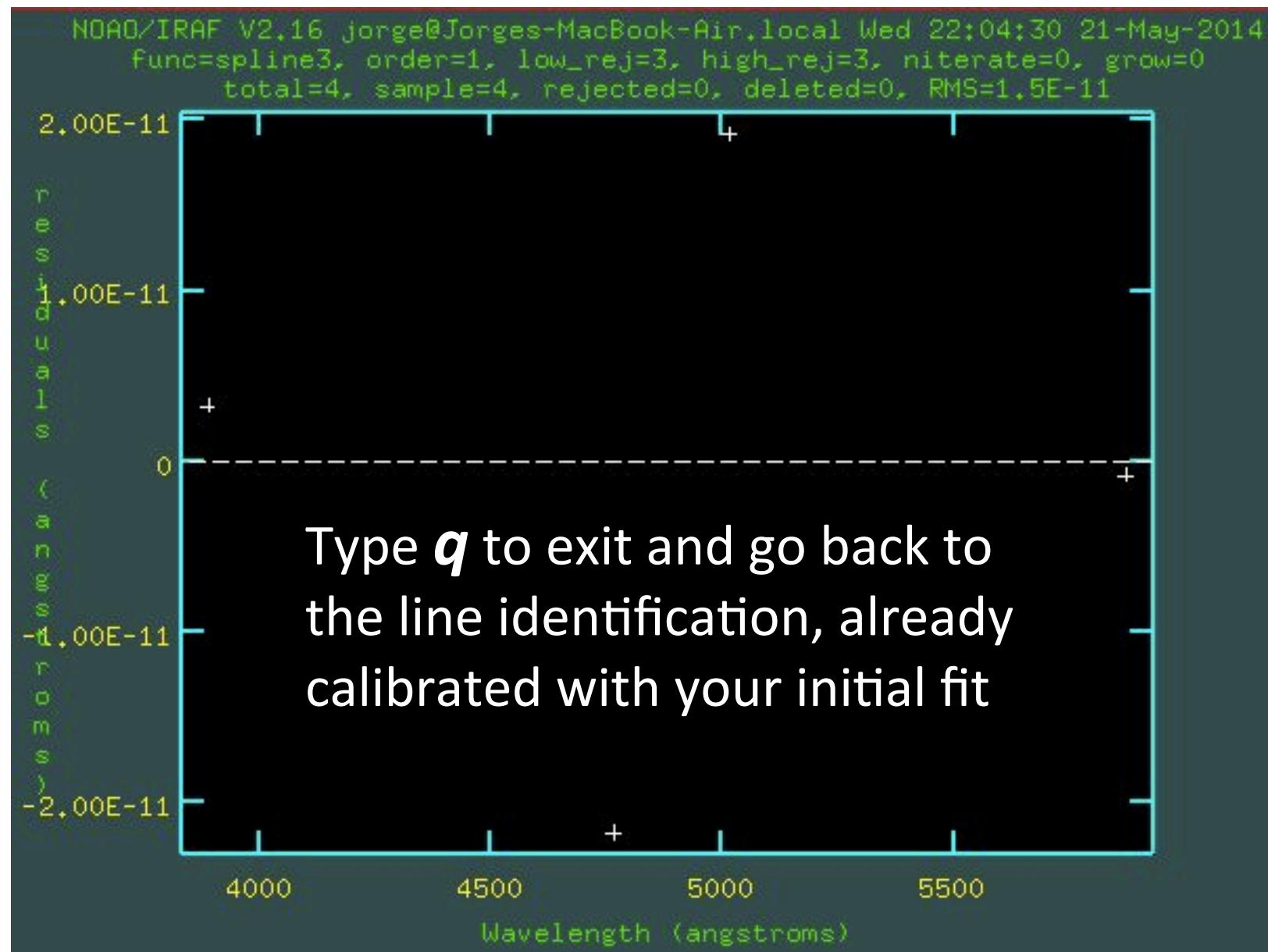


81.76 81.756516 5875.618 HeI

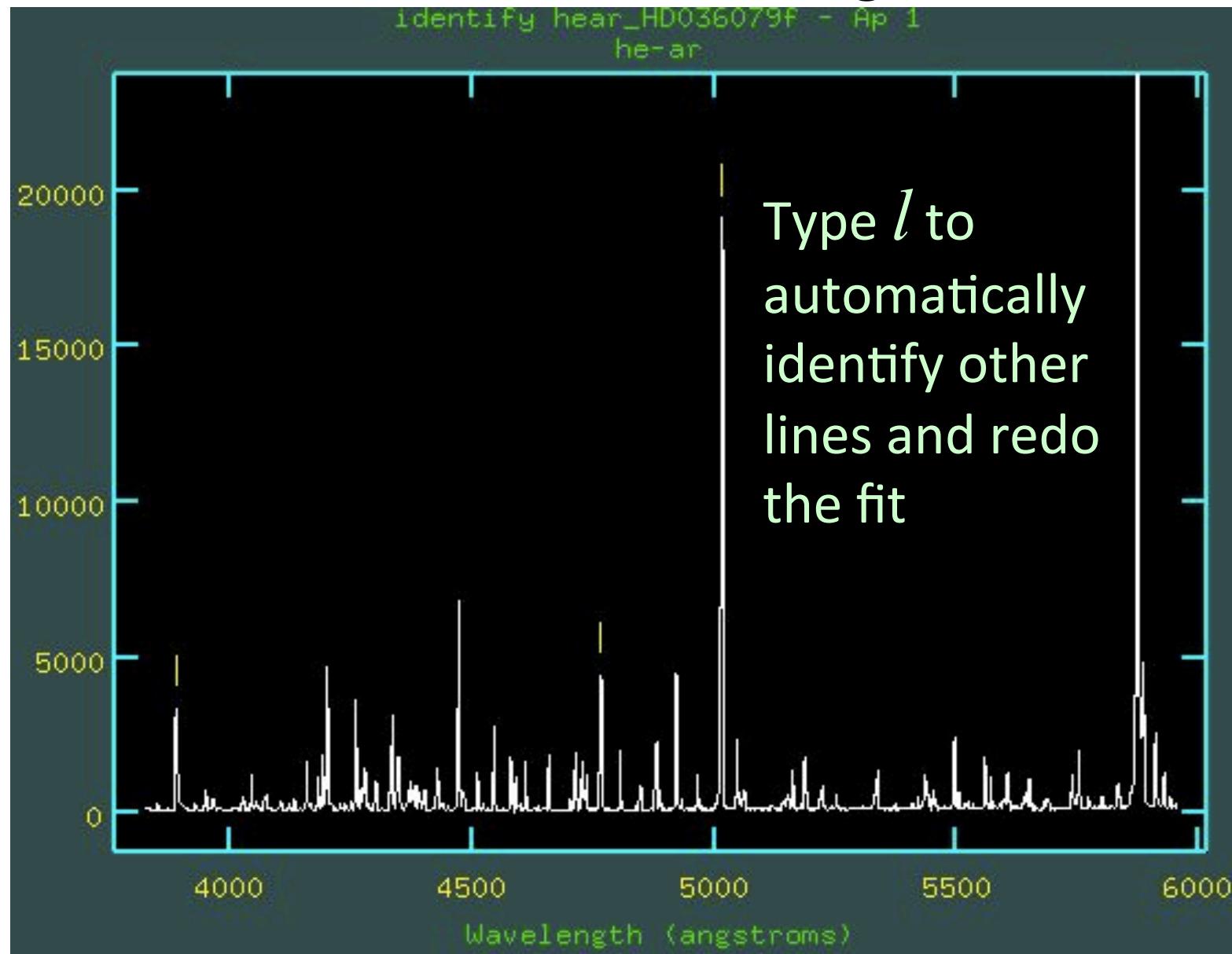
After identifying at least 4 lines (well spaced) type *f* (meaning *fit*)



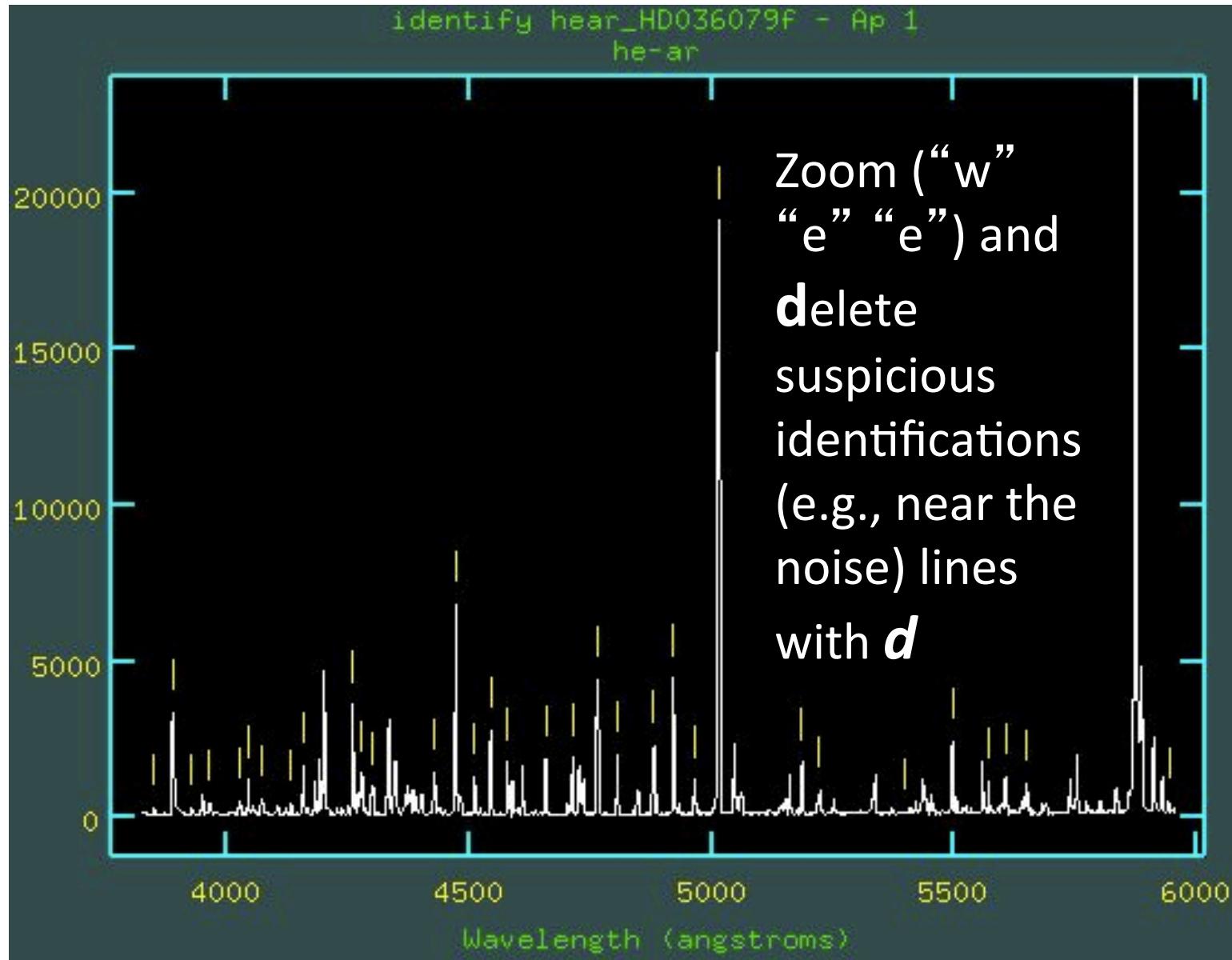
Residuals of the fit of pixel vs. wavelength



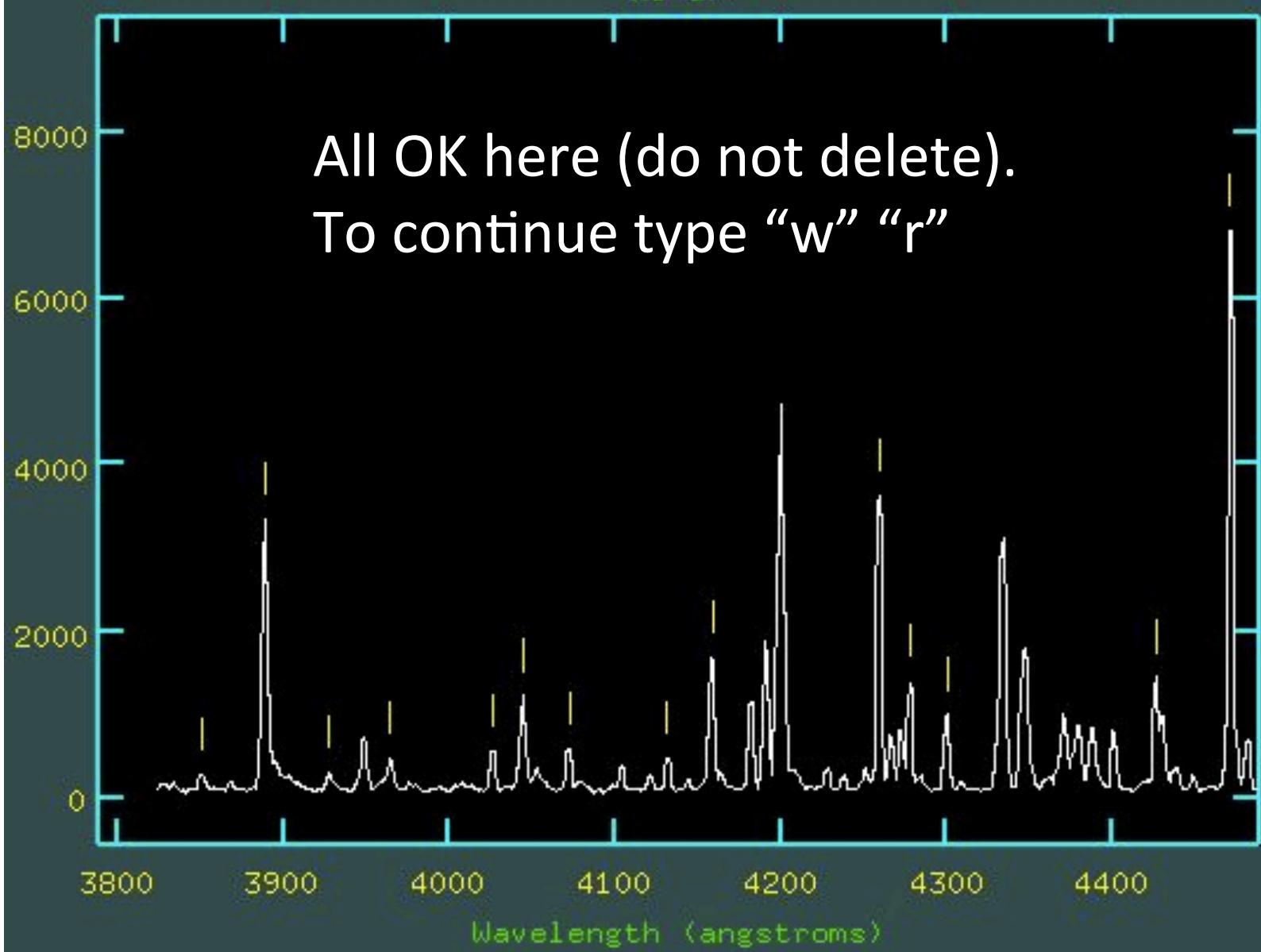
First estimate of the wavelength calibration



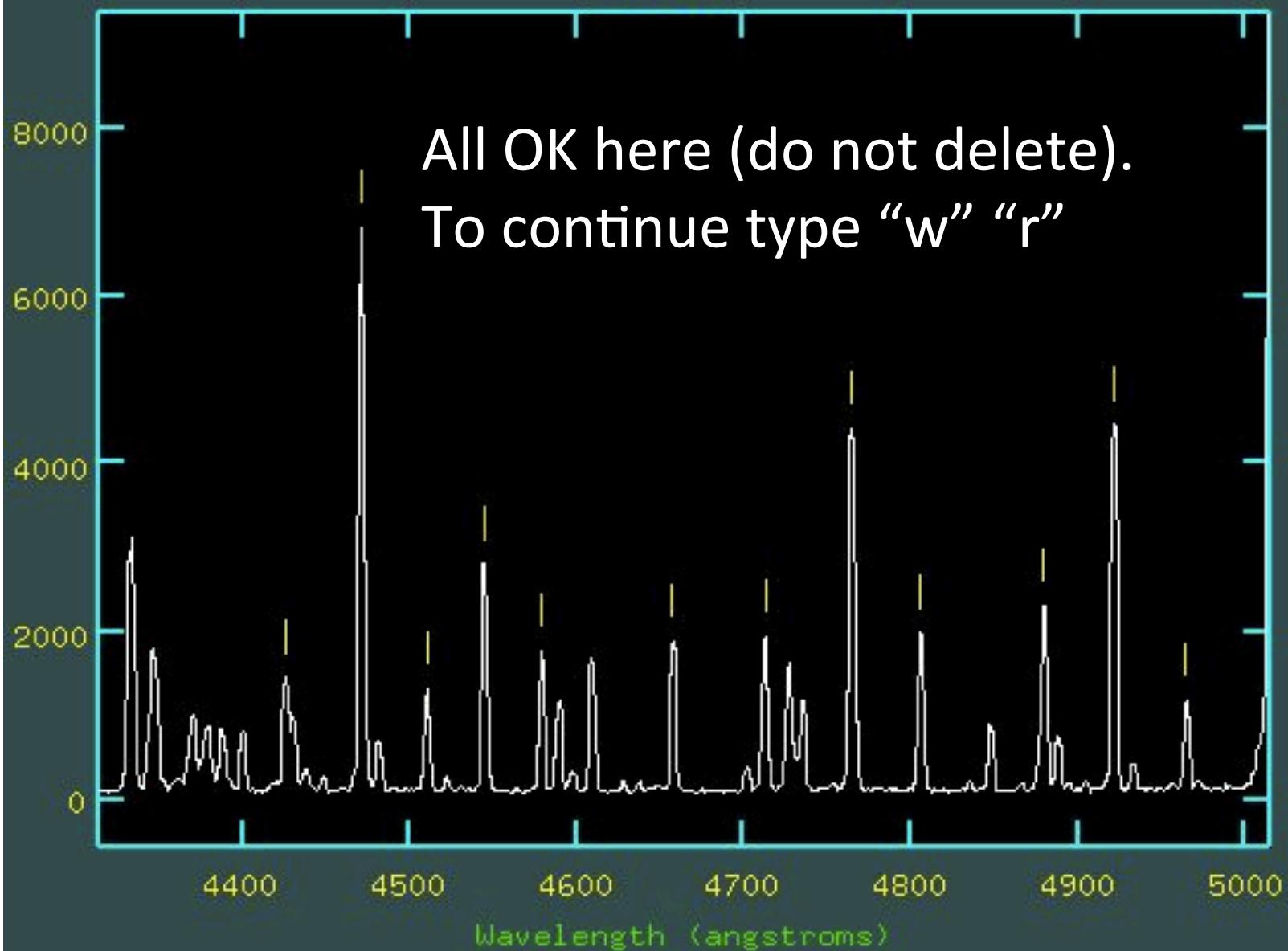
Lines automatically identified



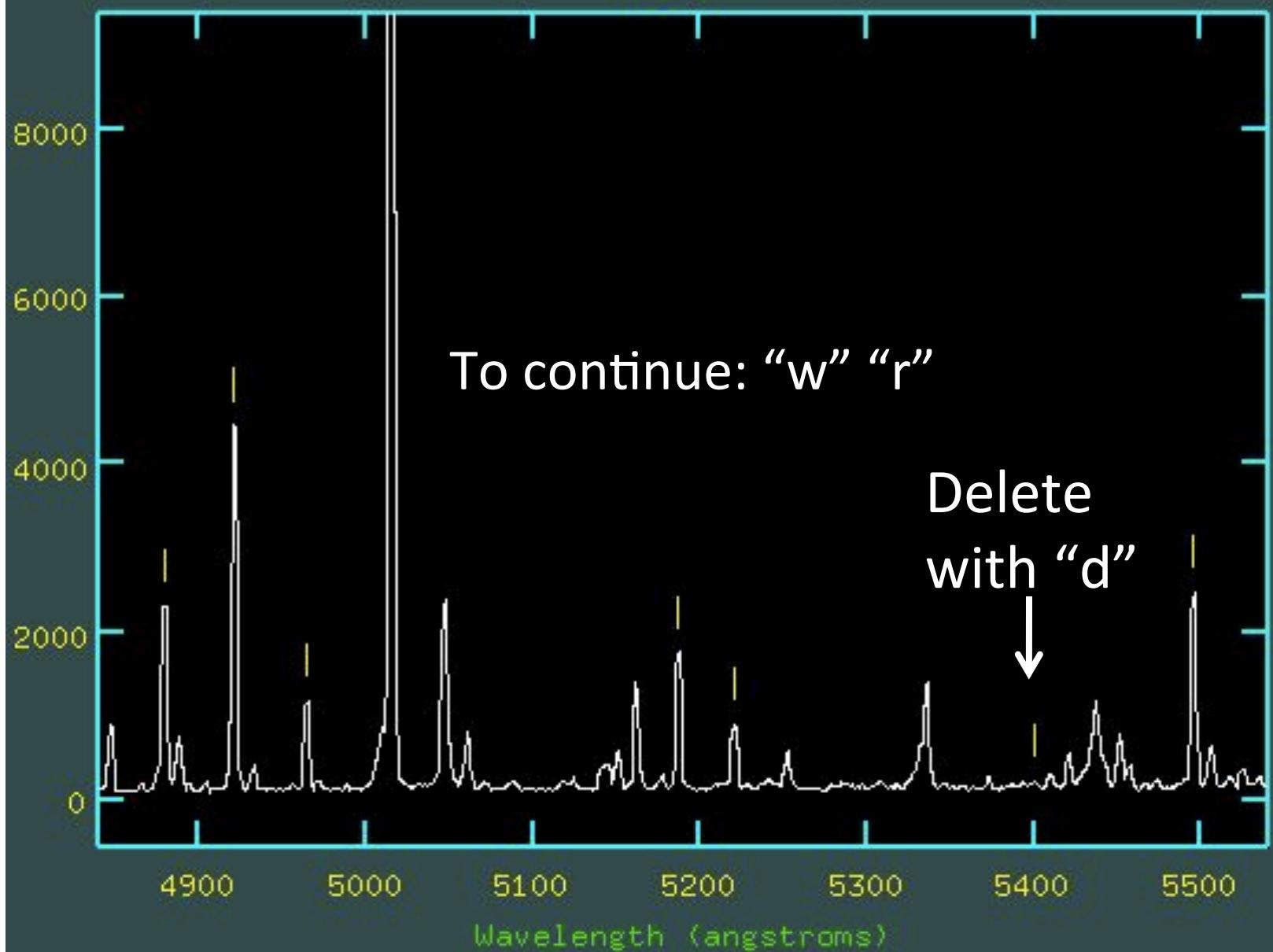
identify hear_HD0360/9F - Rp 1
hear

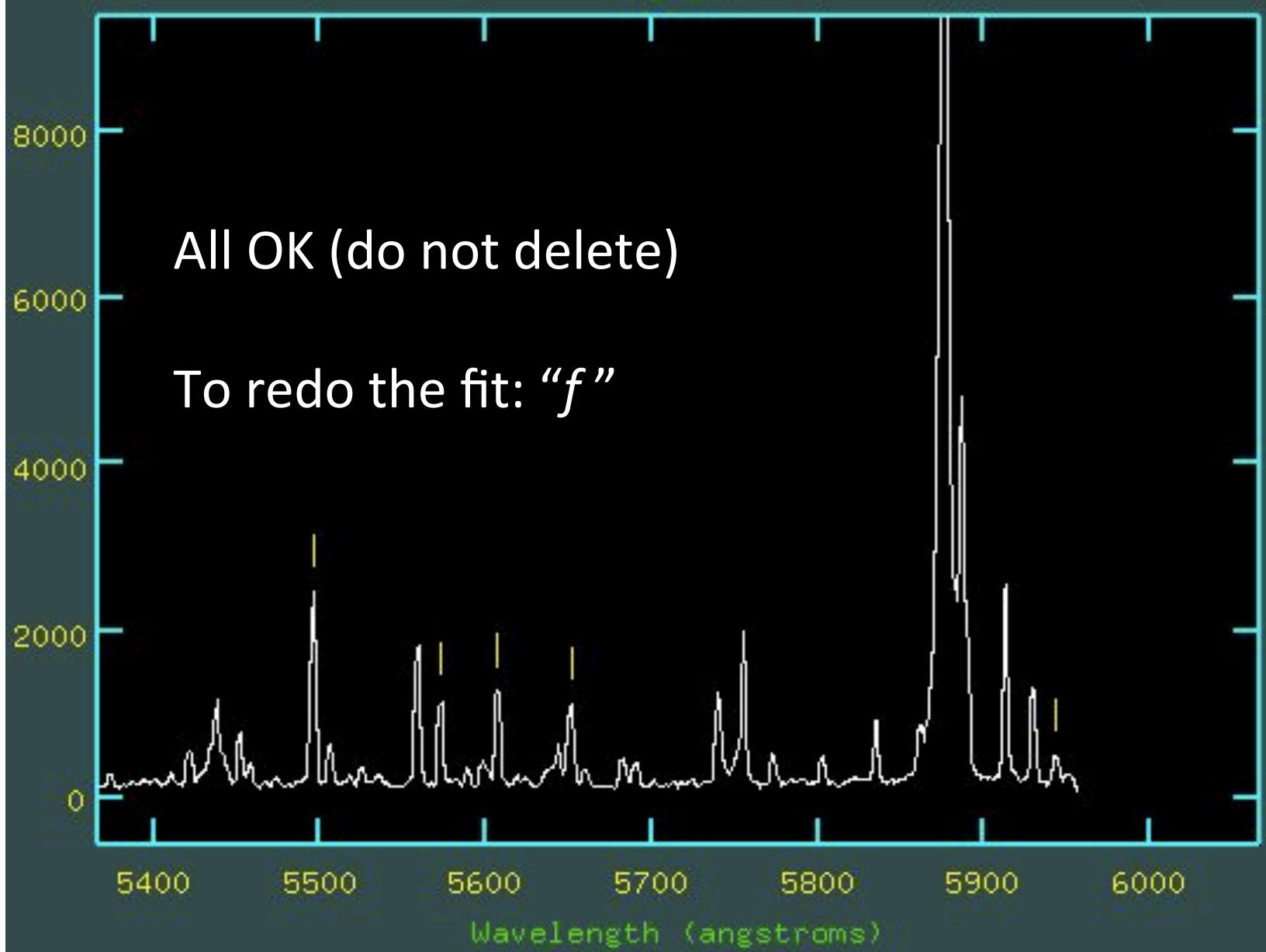


identify hear_HD036079F - Hp 1
hear



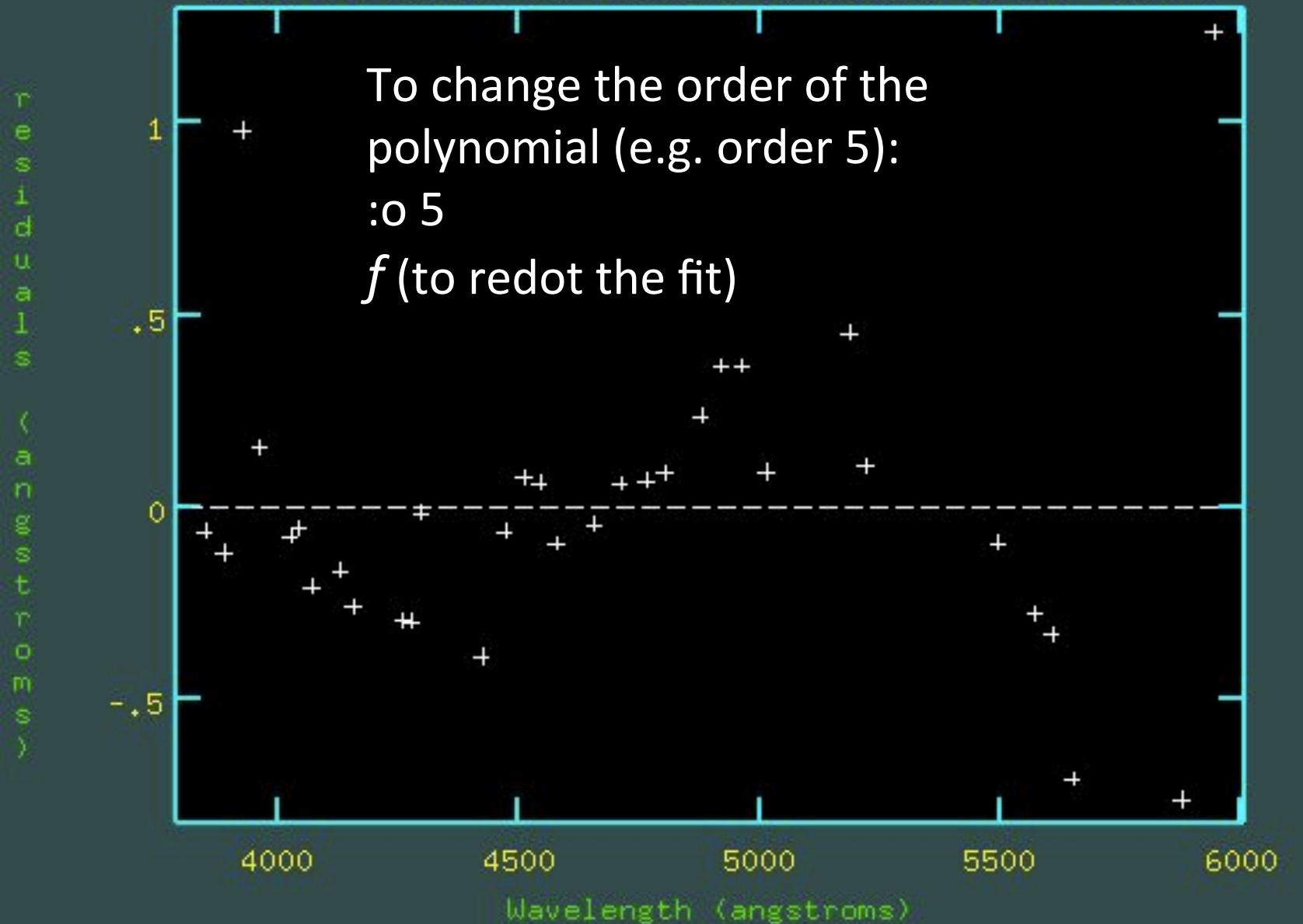
identify hear_HD036079F - Ap 1
he-ar



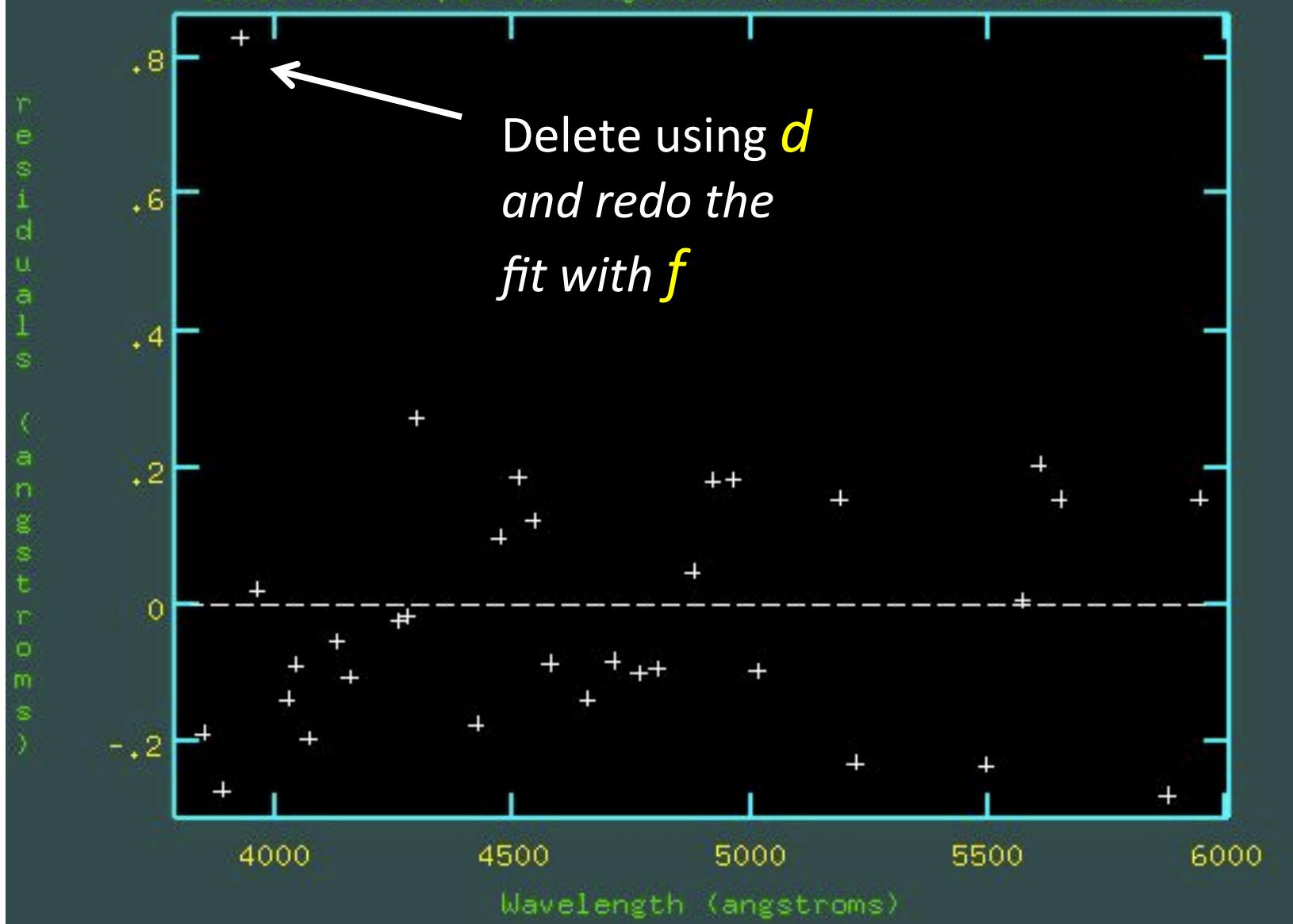


```
Func=spline3, order=1, low_rej=3, high_rej=3, niterate=0, grow=0  
total=33, sample=33, rejected=0, deleted=0, RMS= 0.3848
```

To change the order of the
polynomial (e.g. order 5):
:o 5
 f (to redot the fit)

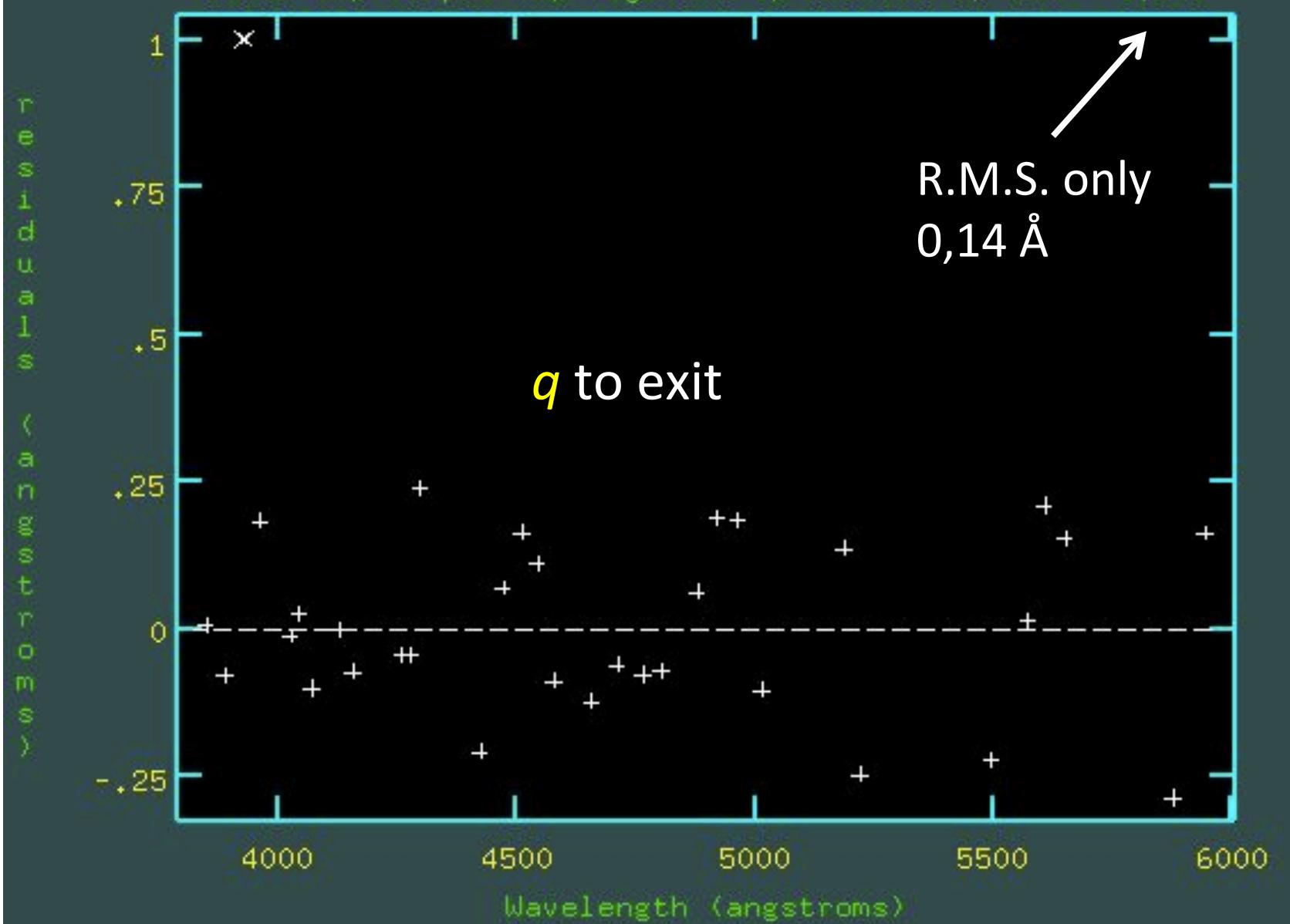


```
func=spline3, order=5, low_rej=3, high_rej=3, niterate=0, grow=0  
total=33, sample=33, rejected=0, deleted=0, RMS= 0.2108
```

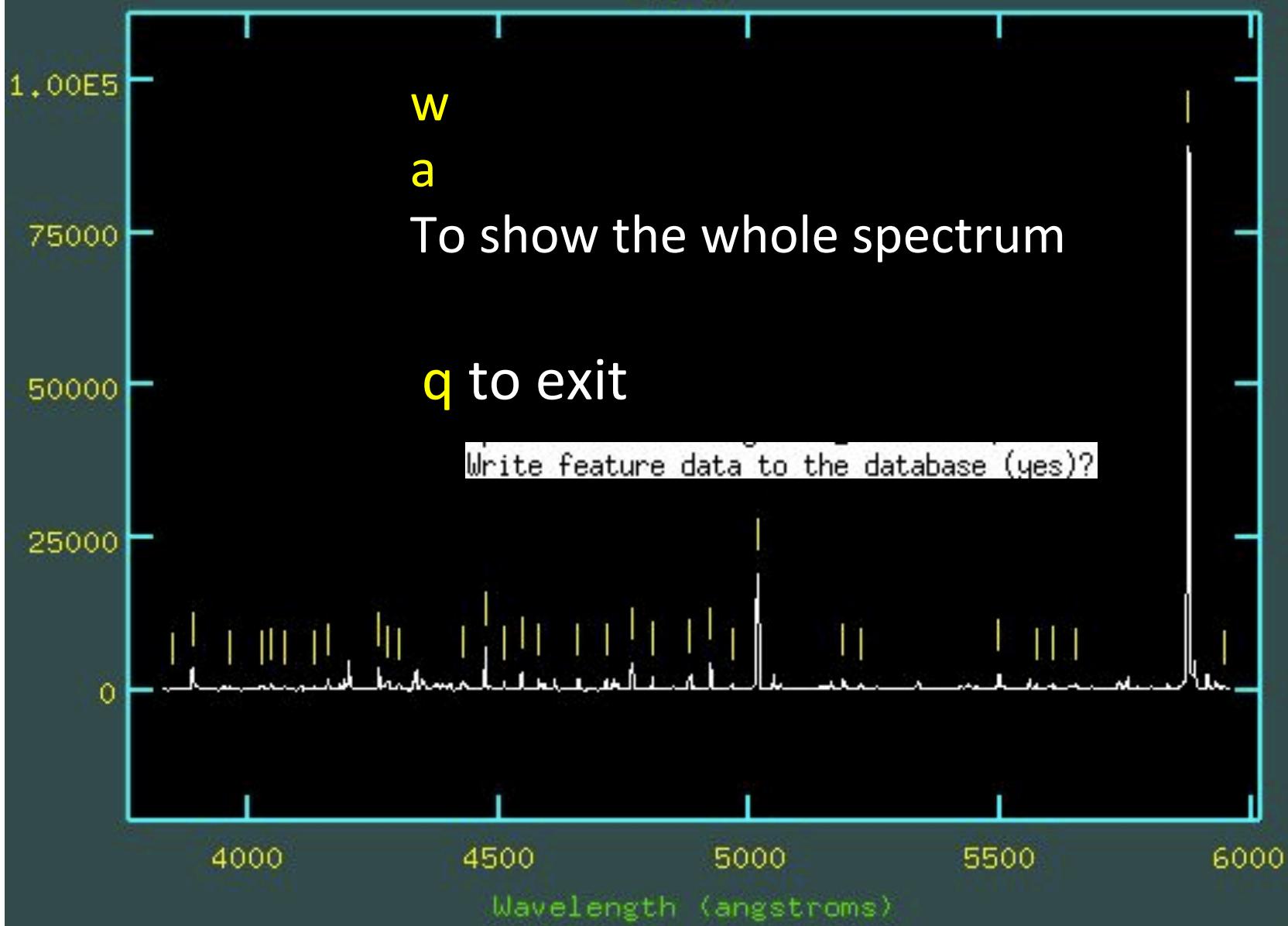


Delete using d
and redo the
fit with f

```
Func=spline3, order=5, low_rej=3, high_rej=3, niterate=0, grow=0  
total=33, sample=33, rejected=0, deleted=1, RMS= 0,141
```



identify hear_HD036079F - Ap 1
he-ar

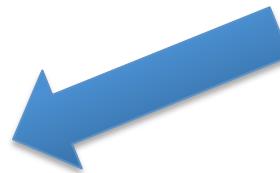


ecl> !more database/idhear_HD036079f

begin	identify hear_HD036079f - Ap 1	Computed wavelength	Laboratory wavelength	species
id	hear_HD036079f			
task	identify			
image	hear_HD036079f - Ap 1			
aperture	1			
aplow	283.25			
aphigh	286.85			
units	Angstroms			
features	32			
	13.36 5944.67304	5944.8342	4.0 1 1	NeI(1)
	81.76 5875.90795	5875.618	4.0 1 1	HeI
	307.84 5650.55171	5650.703	4.0 1 1	AI(12)
	351.94 5606.52455	5606.732	4.0 1 1	AI
	385.88 5572.53501	5572.548	4.0 1 1	AI
	461.78 5496.0989	5495.872	4.0 1 1	AI(14)
	730.06 5221.51883	5221.27	4.0 1 1	AI
	762.83 5187.61148	5187.746	4.0 1 1	AI
	928.05 5015.78031	5015.675	4.0 1 1	HeI
	976.69 4964.93737	4965.12	4.0 1 1	AII(14)
	1017.94 4921.74167	4921.929	4.0 1 1	HeI
	1057.87 4879.83806	4879.9	4.0 1 1	AII(14)
	1127.94 4806.14317	4806.07	4.0 1 1	AII(6)

tail is useful to visualize the last lines of the file (in the case below, the last 22 lines)

```
onedspec> !tail -22 database/idhear_HD036079f
    function spline3
    order 5
    sample *
    naverage 1
    niterate 0
    low_reject 3.
    high_reject 3.
    grow 0.
    coefficients      12
        3.
        5.
        1.
        2048.
        1063.1812771222
        992.1992068207723
        925.1840099637536
        854.9771910623752
        783.419179499576
        710.5804652246801
        637.434633320564
        563.5349304446175
```



In the file
idhear_HD036079f we
have the coefficients
of the polynomial fit of
pixel vs. wavelength

We only need to identify once the He-Ar lines in one star. For the others it could be done automatically

Identify automatically the He-Ar for the other stars using as reference the identification of HD036079f:

```
> reidentify hear_HD036079f hear_HD* nlost=2 inter-
```

Verify:

```
onedspec> ls -1 database/id*
database/idhear_HD036079f
database/idhear_HD036673f
database/idhear_HD045289f
```

To apply the calibration in wavelength, first we need to write in the header the information of the reference star

Reduced stellar spectra are *.0001.fits:

```
onedspec> ls *.0001.fits  
HD036079f.0001.fits      HD036673f.0001.fits      HD045289f.0001.fits
```

The spectra for wavelength calibration are:

```
onedspec> ls hear_HD*  
hear_HD036079f.fits      hear_HD036673f.fits      hear_HD045289f.fits
```

For the first star:

```
refspec HD036079f.0001.fits reference=hear_HD036079f.fits sort=none group=none
```

But we could do it for all stars using lists

```
> ls -1 *.0001.fits > listared_in
                               HD036079f.0001.fits
                               HD036673f.0001.fits
                               HD045289f.0001.fits
.
.
.
> ls -1 hear_HD* > listahear_in
                               hear_HD036079f.fits
                               hear_HD036673f.fits
                               hear_HD045289f.fits
.
.
.
>!sed 's/HD/refspec HD/g' listared_in > lista1
>!sed 's/hear/reference=hear/g;s/fits/fits sort=none group=none/g' listahear_in >
lista2
```

```
>!paste -d " " lista1 lista2 > lista_refs
```

VERIFY:

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```
> !more lista_refs
```

```
refspec HD036079f.0001.fits reference=hear_HD036079f.fits sort=none group=none
refspec HD036673f.0001.fits reference=hear_HD036673f.fits sort=none group=none
refspec HD045289f.0001.fits reference=hear_HD045289f.fits sort=none group=none
```

Assign the reference He-Ar:

(write in the header the reference He-Ar file)

cl < lista_refspec

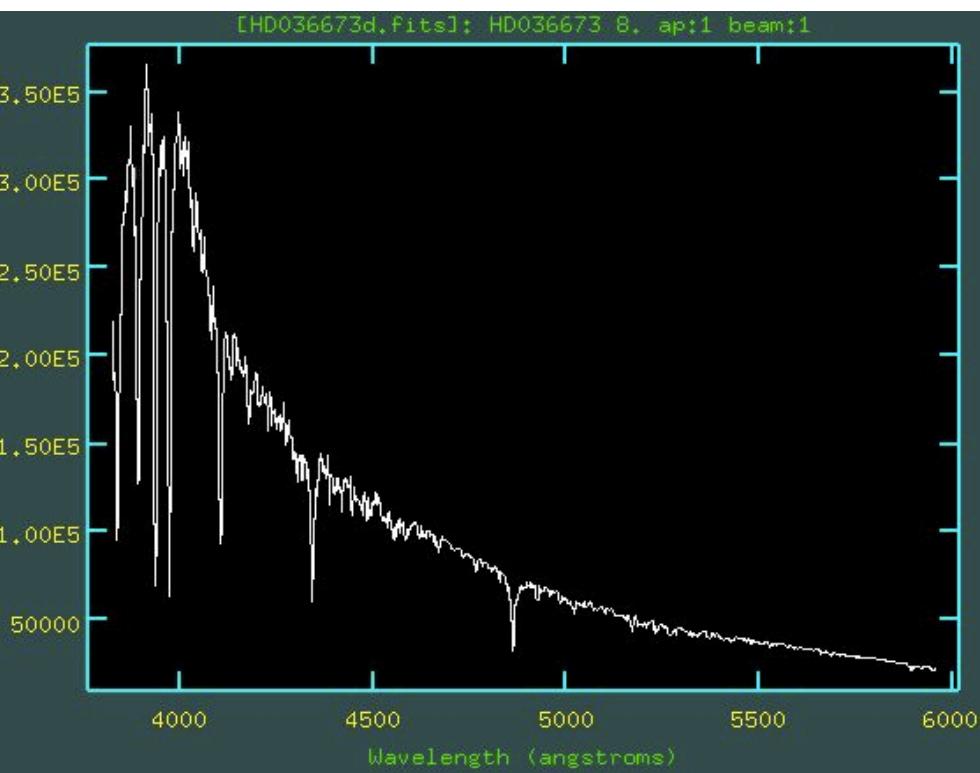
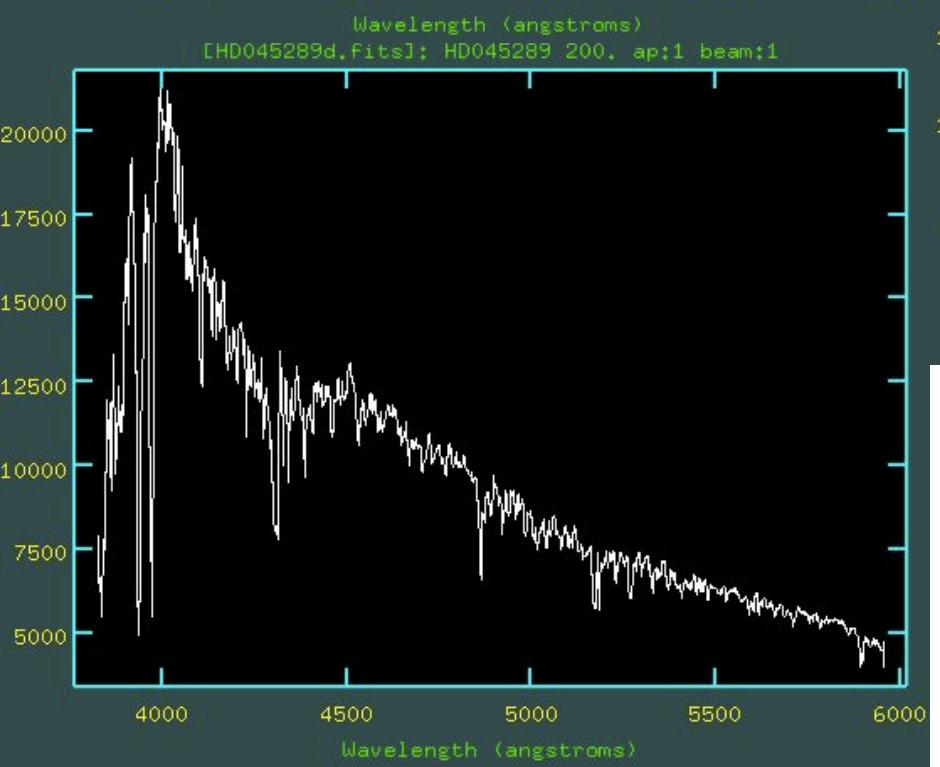
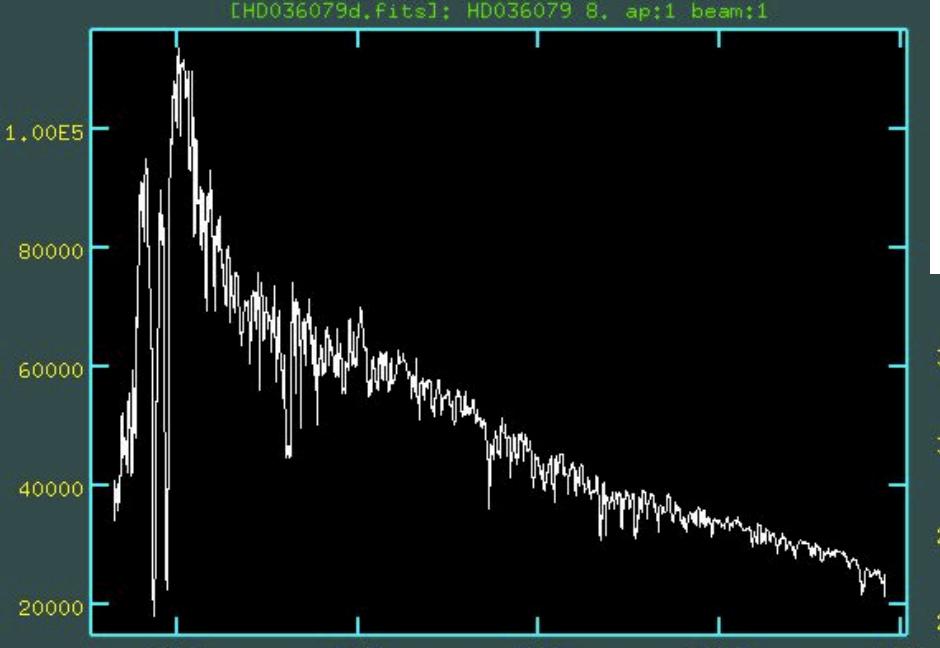
```
[HD036079f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD036079f' Accept assignment? (no|yes|YES): YES
[HD036079f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD036079f'
[HD036673f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD036673f' Accept assignment? (no|yes|YES): YES
[HD036673f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD036673f'
[HD045289f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD045289f' Accept assignment? (no|yes|YES): YES
[HD045289f.0001] refspec1='hear_HD045289f'
```

Apply the calibration in wavelength:

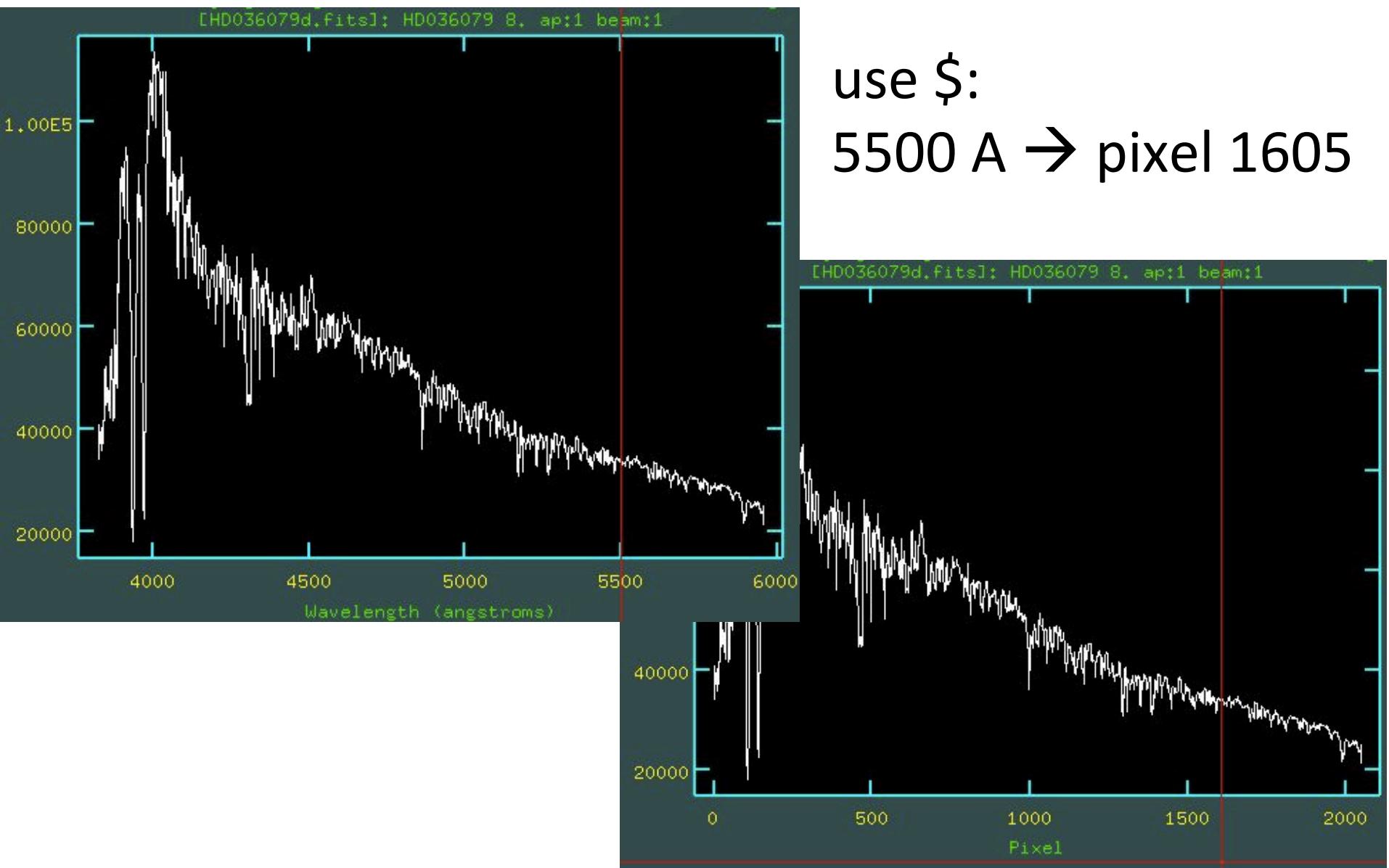
ap> dispcor *f.0001.fits *%f.0001.fits%d.fits%

```
HD036079f.0001.fits: REFSPEC1 = 'hear_HD036079f 1.'
HD036079d.fits: ap = 1, w1 = 3823.854, w2 = 5957.162, dw = 1.042163, nw = 2048
HD036673f.0001.fits: REFSPEC1 = 'hear_HD036673f 1.'
HD036673d.fits: ap = 1, w1 = 3823.725, w2 = 5956.925, dw = 1.04211, nw = 2048
HD045289f.0001.fits: REFSPEC1 = 'hear_HD045289f 1.'
HD045289d.fits: ap = 1, w1 = 3823.66, w2 = 5956.661, dw = 1.042013, nw = 2048
```

splot HD*d.fits



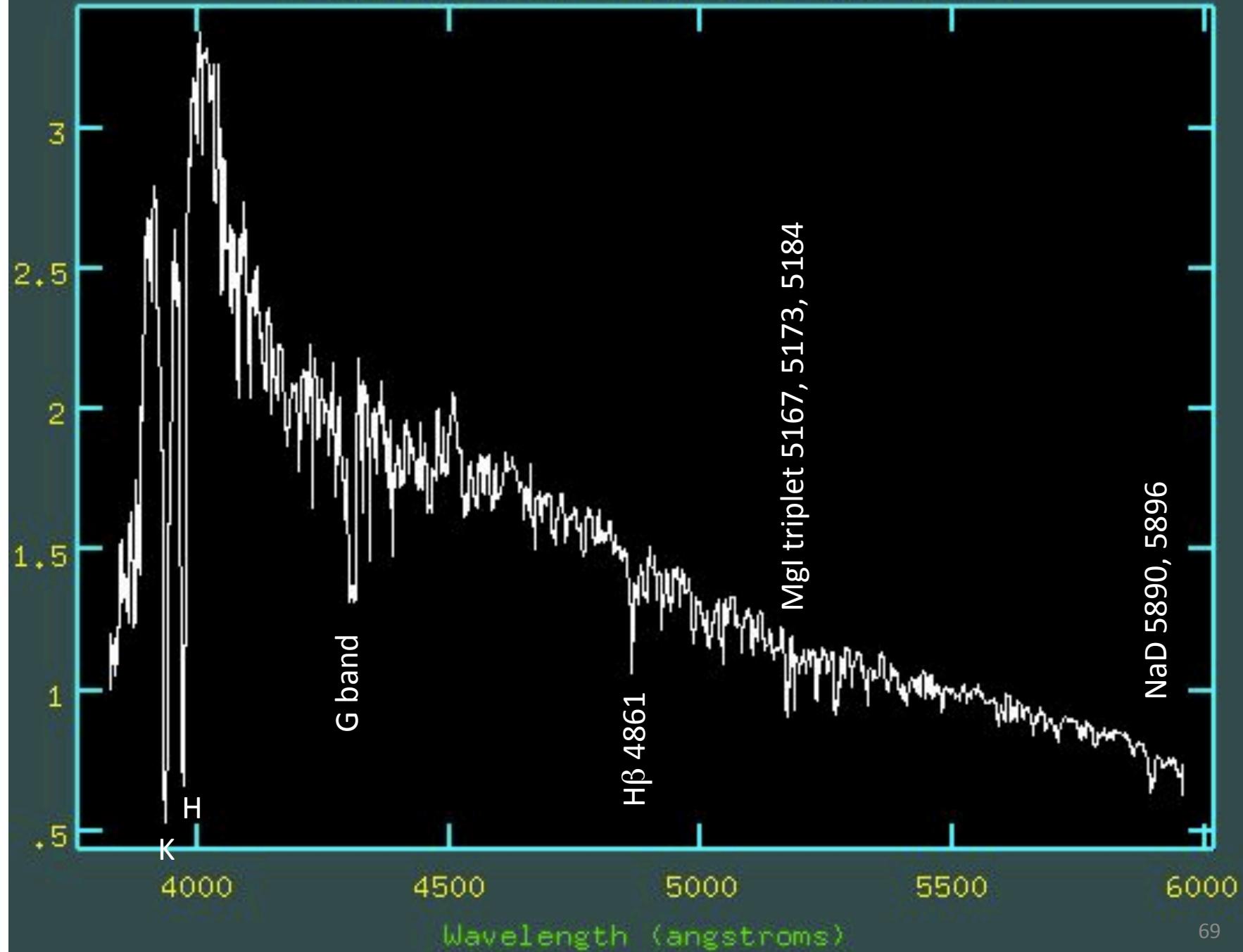
If you like you can normalize to a given flux value (e.g. 5500A) or in absolute flux

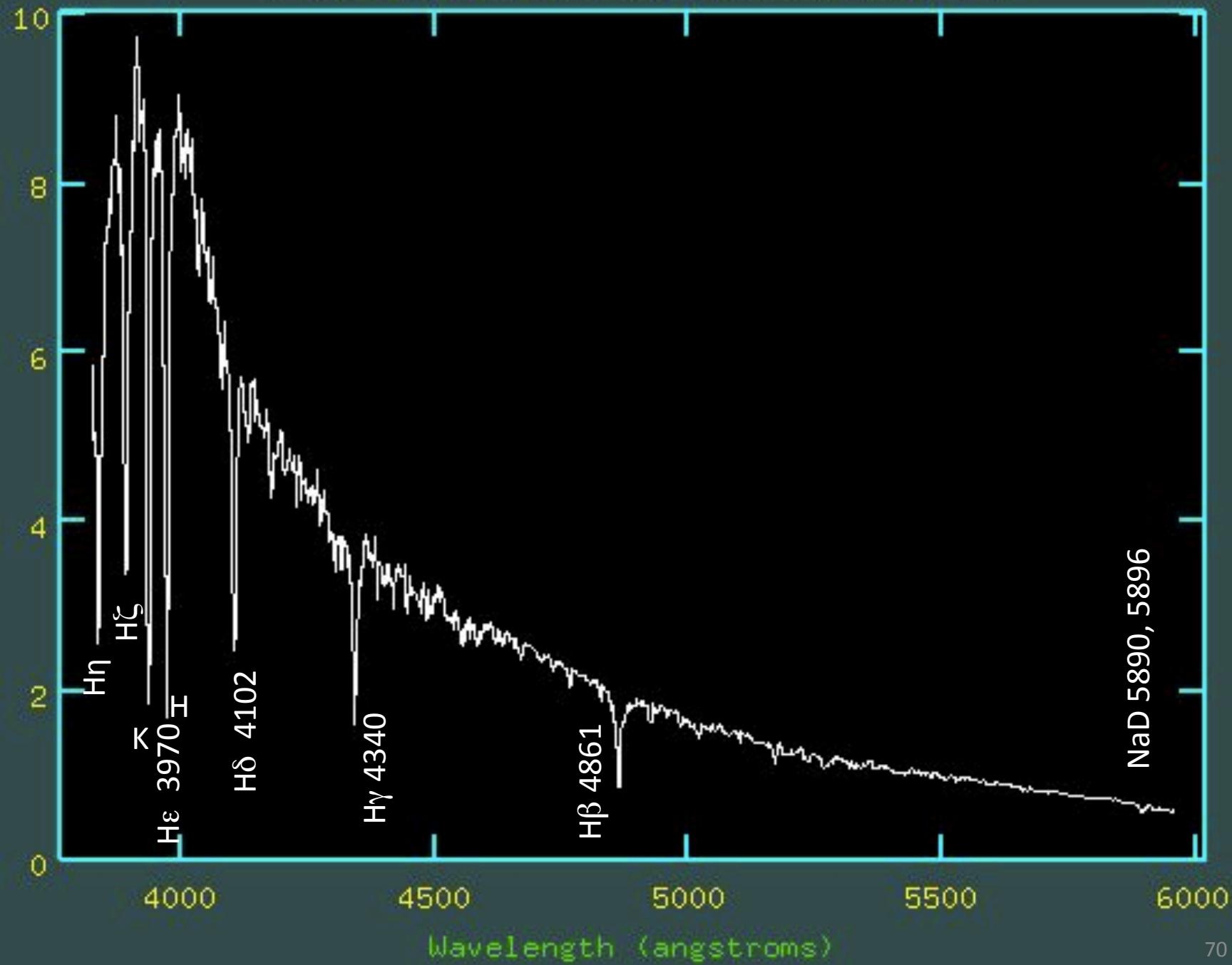


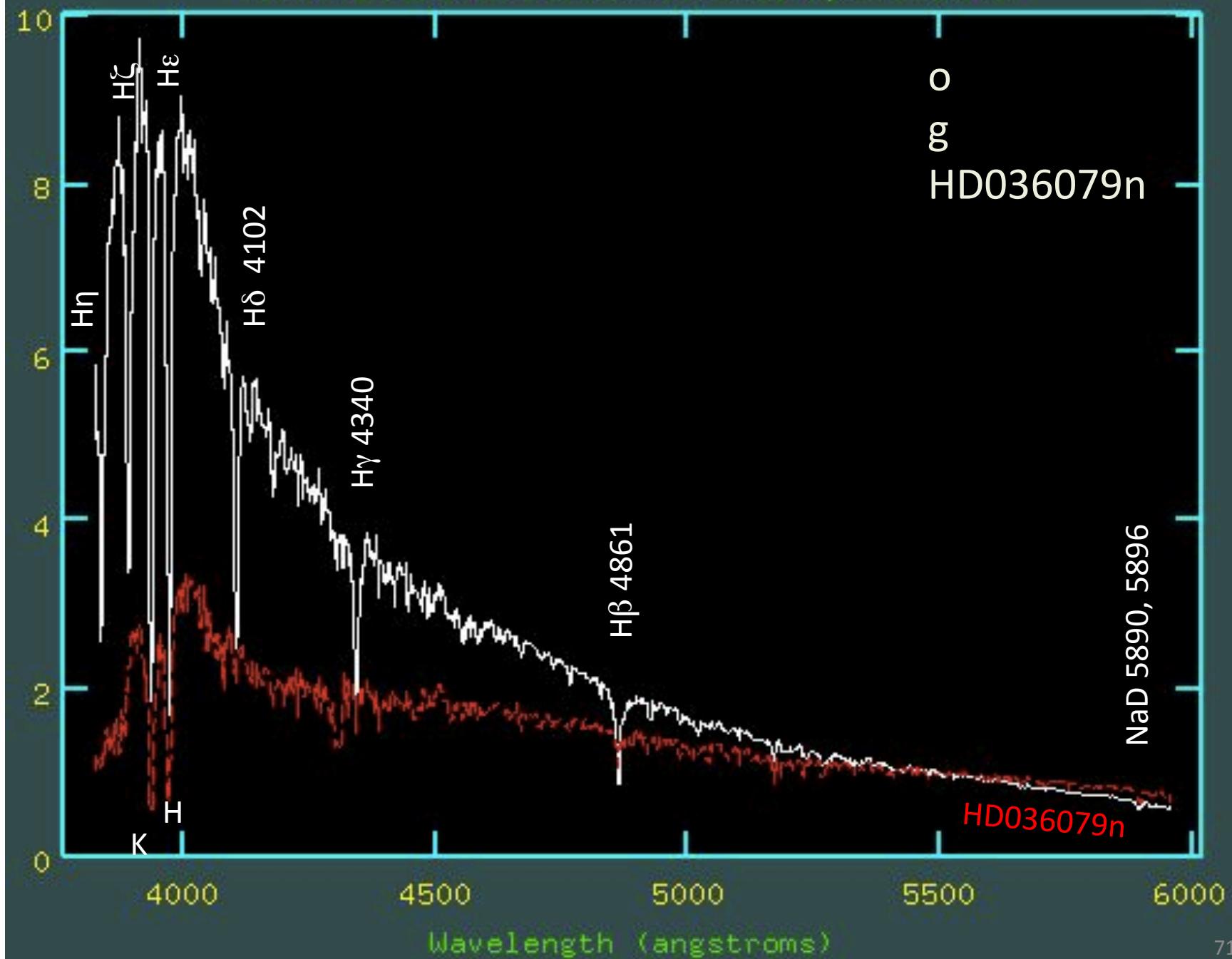
```
> imstat HD*d.fits[1600:1610] fields="midpt" > medtempo  
!sed 1d medtempo > mediana (to delete the first line [comment])  
!ls -1 *d.fits > listad1  
!sed 's/HD/imarith HD/g;s/fits/fits /g' listad1 > listad2  
!paste -d "/" listad2 mediana > listad3  
!sed 's/d.fits/n.fits/g' listad1 > listad4  
!paste -d “ ” listad3 listad4 > listan
```

VERIFY

```
> !more listan  
imarith HD036079d.fits /      33947. HD036079n.fits  
imarith HD036673d.fits /      37505. HD036673n.fits  
imarith HD045289d.fits /      6358. HD045289n.fits  
  
> cl < listan  
  
> splot HD*n.fits
```







Absolute flux calibration

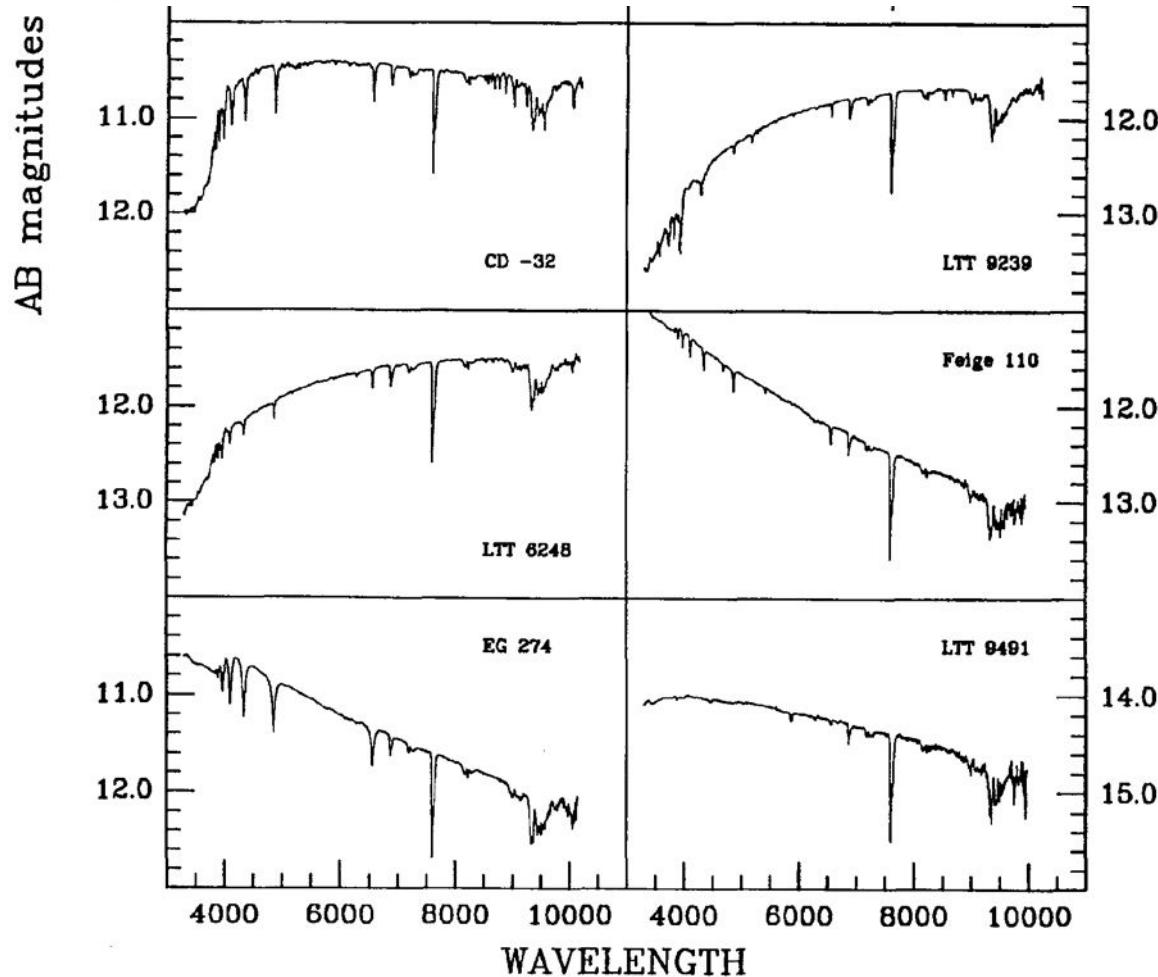
Publications of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific

106: 566–589, 1994 June

Southern Spectrophotometric Standards. II.

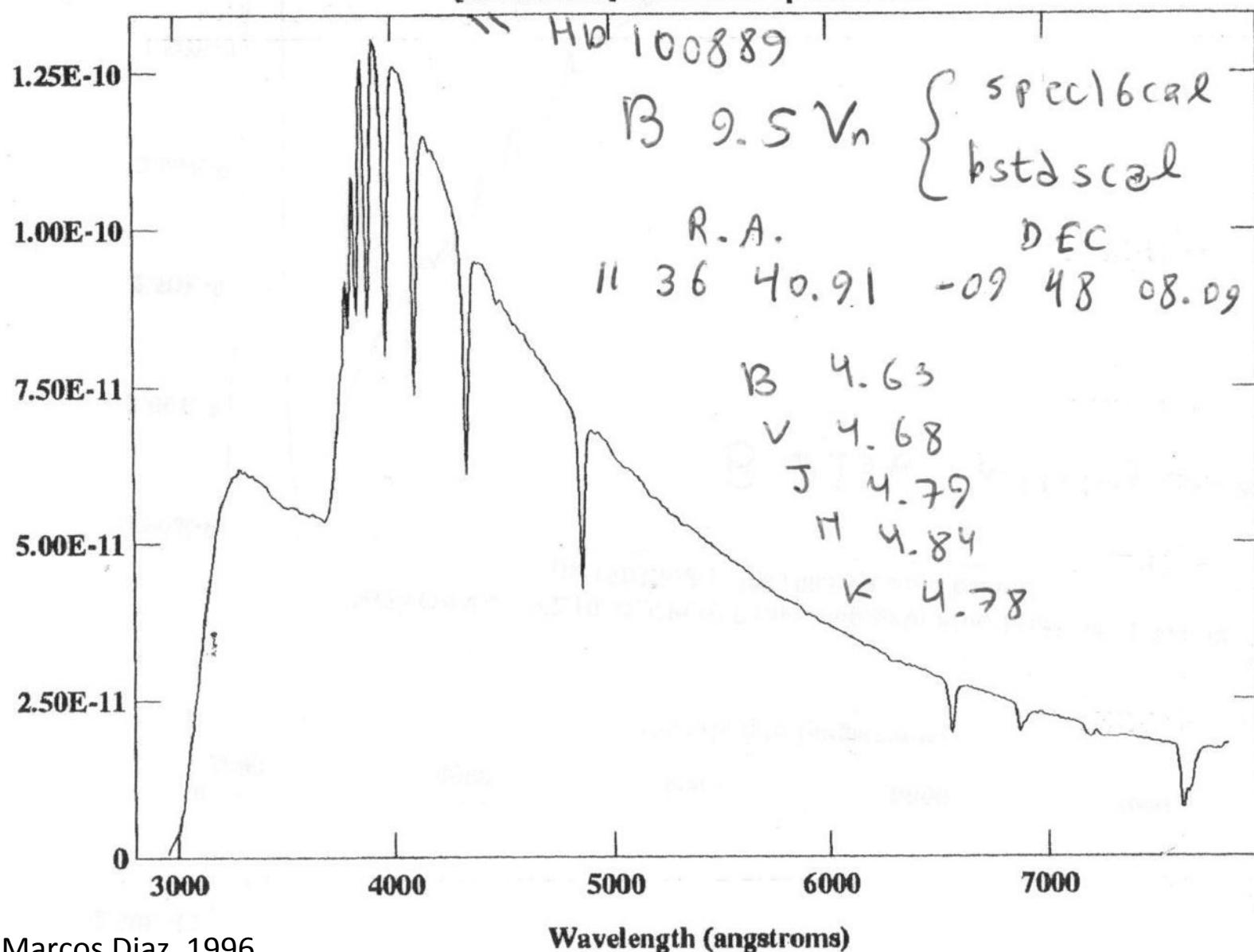
MARIO HAMUY, N. B. SUNTZEFF, S. R. HEATHCOTE, A. R. WALKER, P. GIGOUX,
AND M. M. PHILLIPS

$$m_\nu = -2.5 \log_{10}(f_\nu) - 48.590]$$



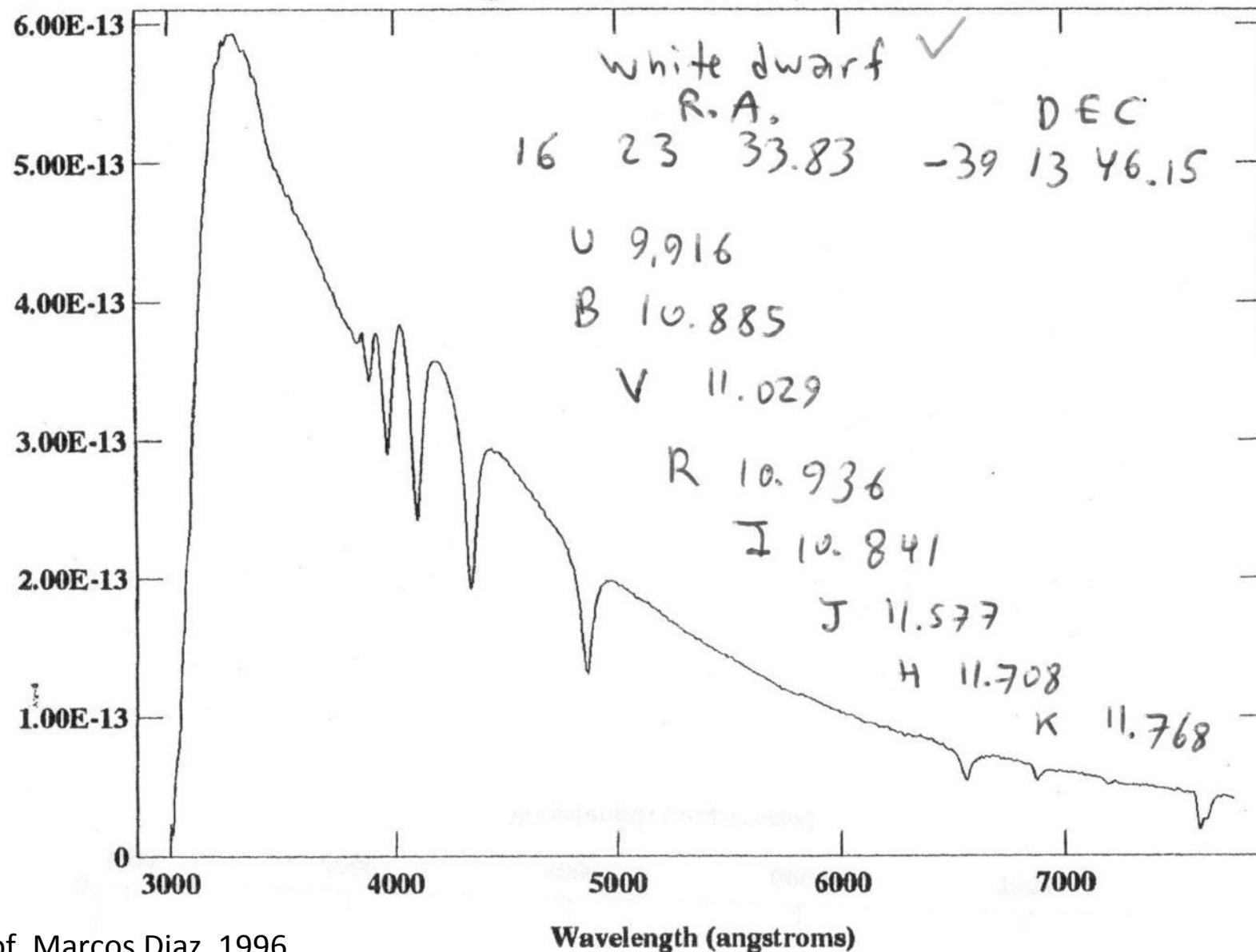
Flux standard HR4468 (HD 100889): B9.5Vn

NOAO/IRAF V2.10.4EXPORT marcos@gabi Mon 11:36:52 12-Feb-1996
[hr4468.imh]: HR4468 3. ap:1 beam:1



Flux standard EG 274: white dwarf

NOAO/IRAF V2.10.4EXPORT marcos@gabi Mon 11:36:47 12-Feb-96
[eg274.imh]: EG274 150. ap:1 beam:1



The onedstds\$ directory contains standard calibration data for extinction and sensitivity calibration

EXTINCTION TABLES (eg extinction = onedstds \$ctioextinct.dat)

- **ctioextinct.dat** - CTIO extinction table for ONEDSPEC (in A)
- **kpnoextinct.dat** - KPNO extinction table for ONEDSPEC (in A)

FLUX STANDARD DIRECTORIES

(eg caldir = onedstds\$bstdscal/):

- **blackbody** (blackbody flux distributions)
- **bstdscal** (brighter KPNO standards)
- **ctionewcal** (Directory containing fluxes at 50Å steps in the blue and red ranges)
- **spec16cal** - Directory containing fluxes at 16Å steps

For example

- **bstdscal** (brighter KPNO standards)

Standard stars in onedstds\$bstdscal/

hr718 hr3454 hr3982 hr4468 hr4534 hr5191 hr5511 hr7001
hr7596 hr7950 hr8634 hr9087 hd15318 hd74280
hd100889 hd188350 hd198001 hd214923 hd224926

Notice that hd188350=hr7596 and hr4468=hd100889

To see all lists available in IRAF (cl):

> cd onedstds

> ls

> cd bstdscal (*similar procedure for other lists*)

The full list at: <http://star.pst.qub.ac.uk/~jrm/iraf/speclis>

epar kpnoslit (salvar com CTRL-D)

*probably you could use **ctioslit**?*

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```
PACKAGE = imred  
TASK = kpnoslit
```

```
(extinct= onedstds$ctioextinct.dat) Extinction file  
(caldir = onedstds$spec50cal/) Standard star calibration directory  
(observa= observatory) Observatory of data  
(interp = poly5) Interpolation type  
  
(databas= database) Database  
(verbose= yes) Verbose output?  
(logfile= logfile) Log file  
(plotfil= ) Plot file  
  
(nsum = 1) Aperture sum for 2D images  
(records= ) Record number extensions  
(version= KPNOSLIT V3: January 1992)  
(mode = q1)  
($nargs = 0)
```

ctioextinct.dat OK para o OPD

No Hemisfério Sul escolher
ctionewcal ao invés de
spec50cal. Para estrelas
brilhantes temos outras
opções (p.ex., bstdscal).
Procurar as padrões em
onedstds

Figure 19: The package parameters for **kpnoslit**, modified to specify the ctio atmospheric extinction table. Note the final “/” on the subdirectory for **caldir**.

(absolute) flux calibration

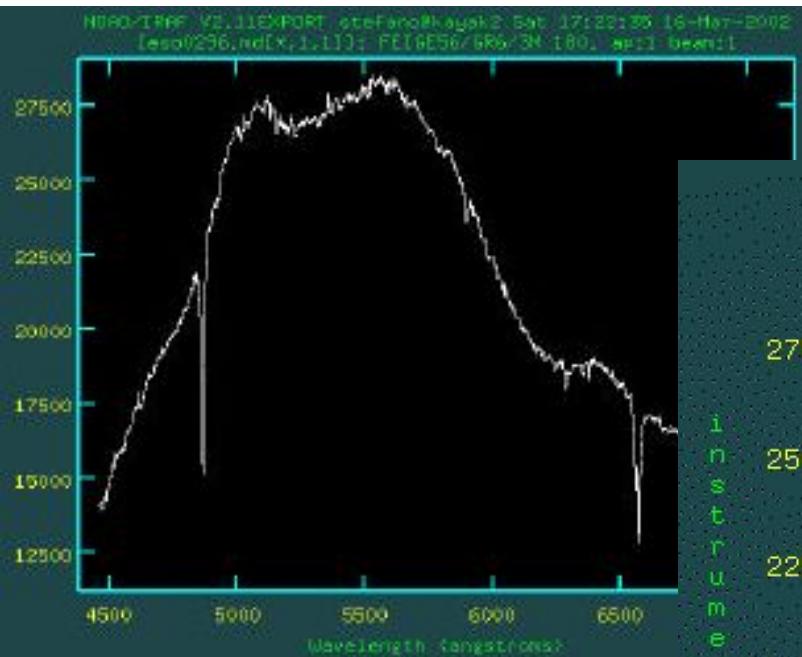
We need to observe absolute flux standards (e.g.
Hamuy et al. 1994, PASP 106, 566)

standard (noao.onedspec) p/todas as padrões
sensfunc (noao.onedspec) (do output de **standard**)
calibrate (noao.twodspec.longsit) aplica **sensfunc**

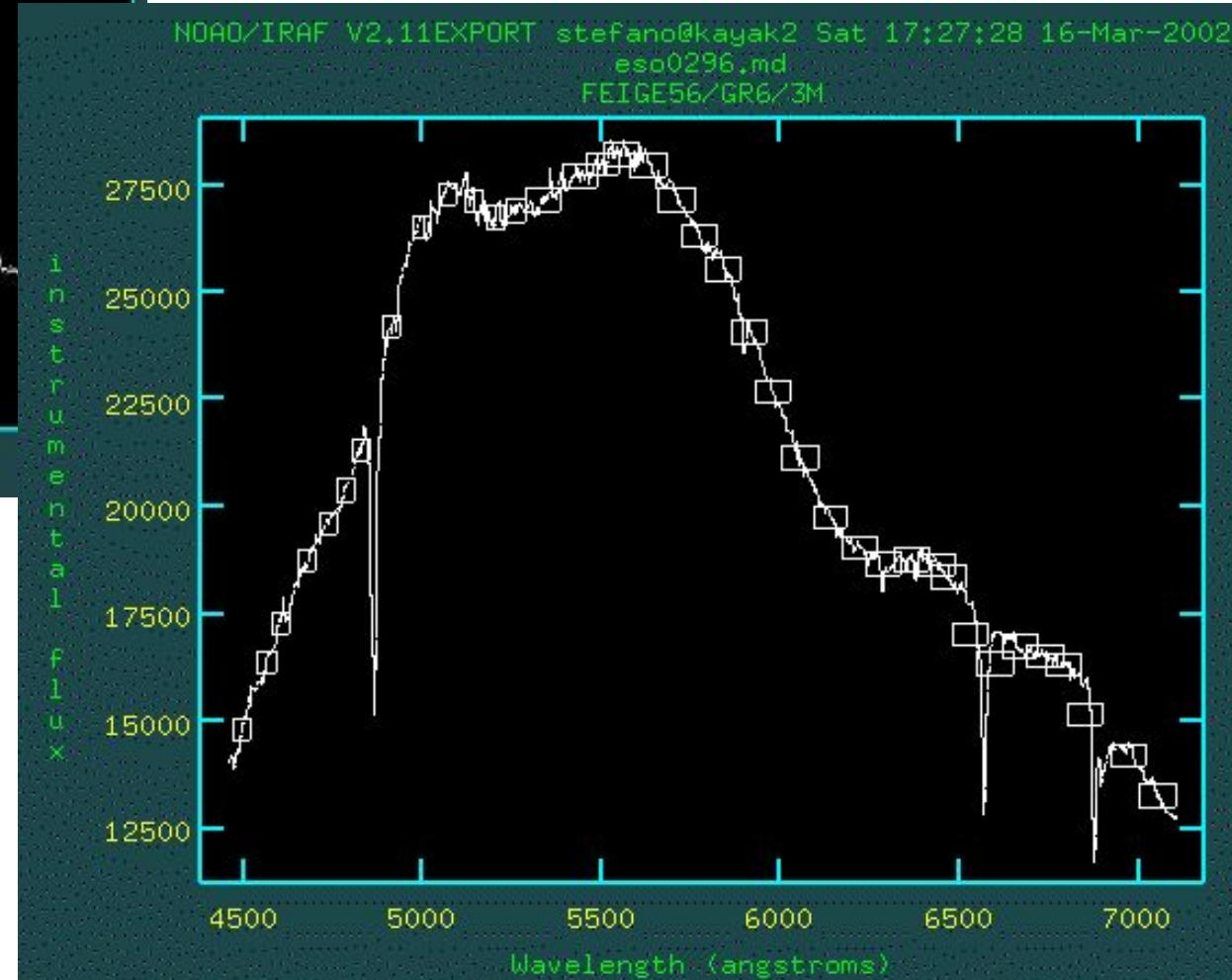
Details in pp 29-35 from IRAF manual:

http://www.astro.iag.usp.br/~jorge/aga5802/spect_iraf_reducao.pdf

Extract the standard star



Select only continuum regions (without lines)



Fit a polynomial transformation from counts to flux ($\text{erg cm}^{-2} \text{s}^{-1} \text{\AA}^{-1}$)

