

Status on Kunming station

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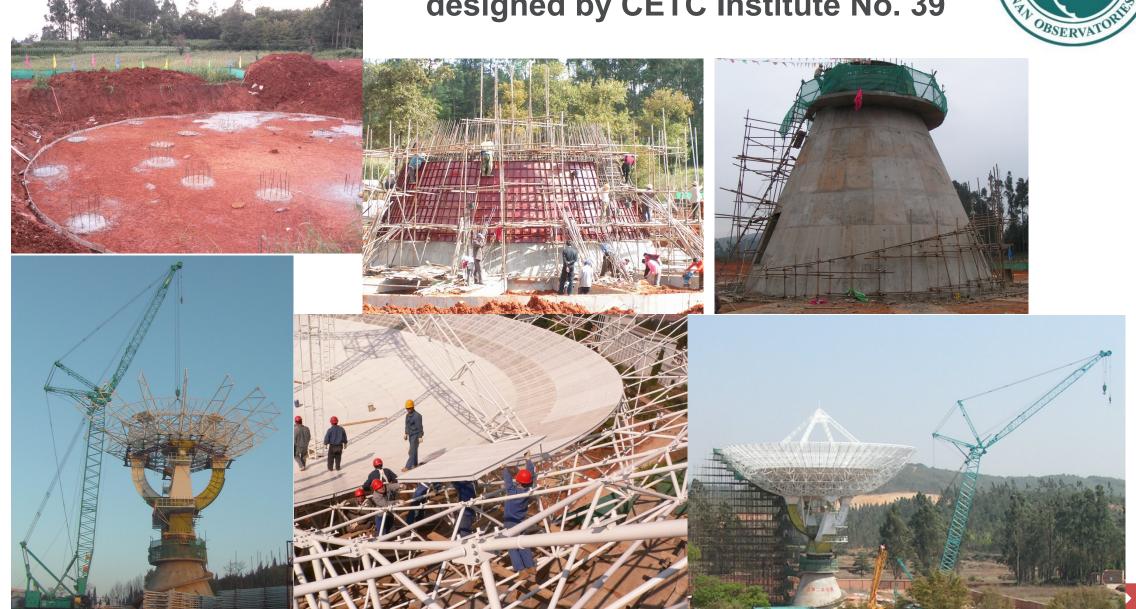
Outline

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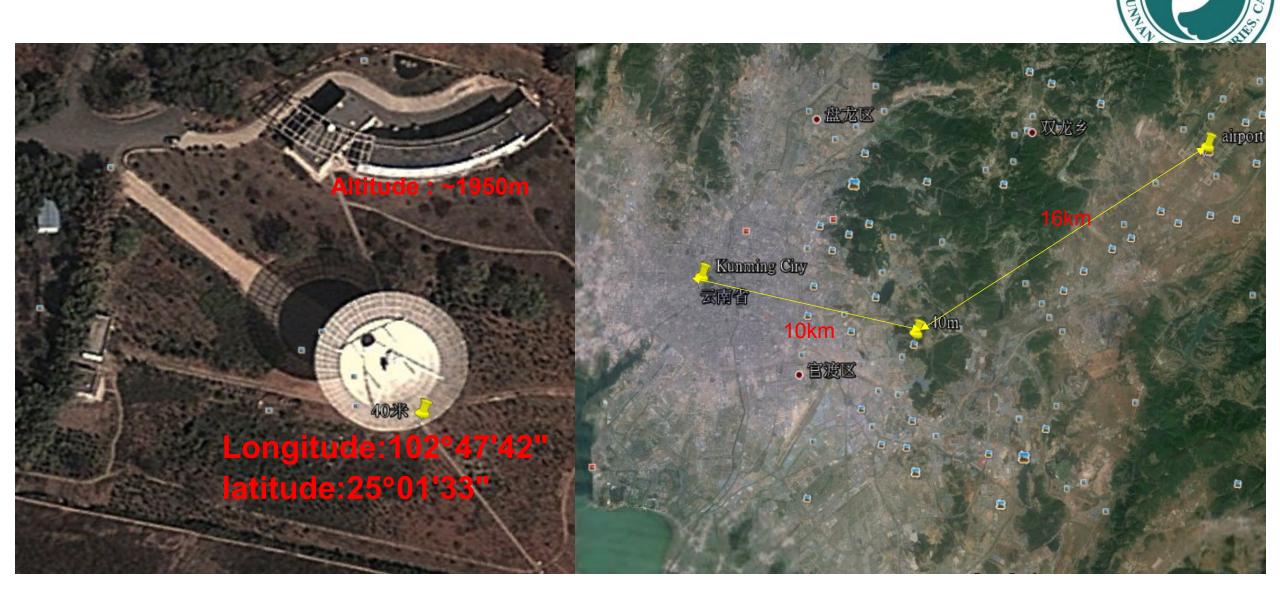
- Background
- EVN Observations
- Outlook

Construction: Basement construction and antenna mounting (Aug. 2005—May 2006)

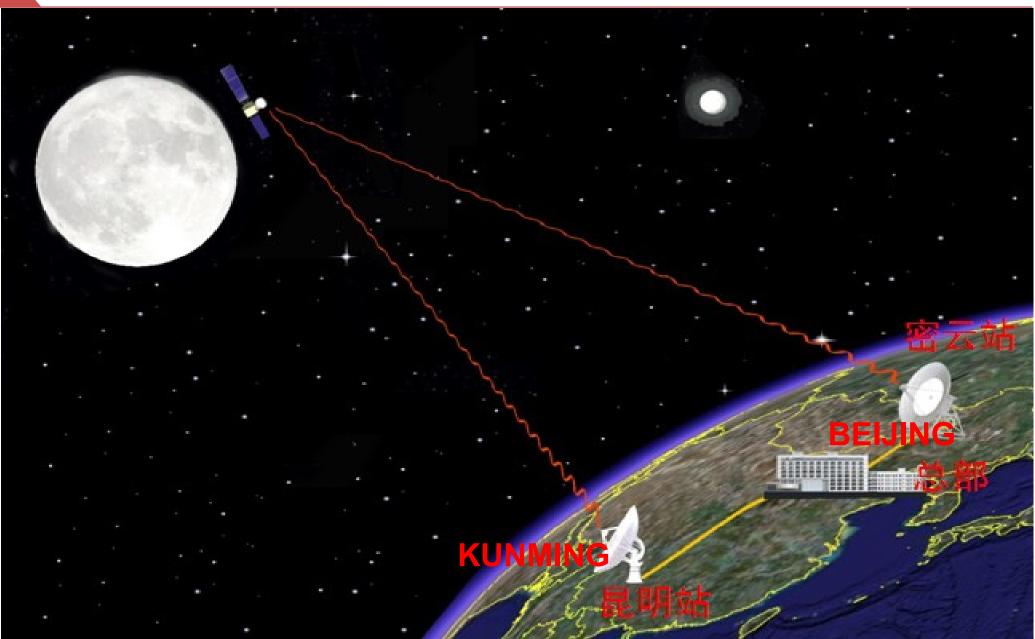
designed by CETC Institute No. 39



Location: Kunming station in Google

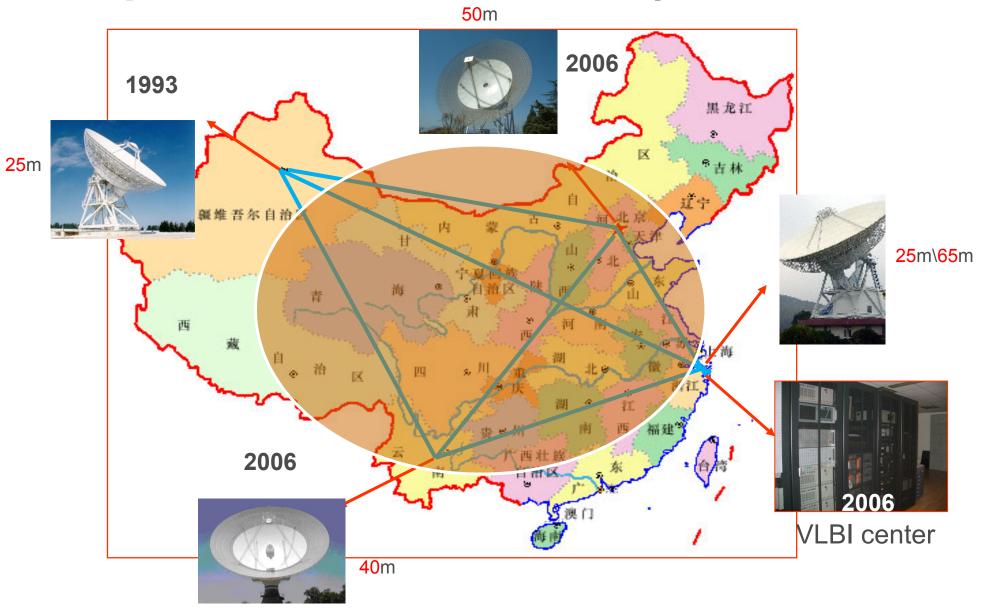


Data down-linking with Miyun 50m





Purpose: CVN for Lunar Project

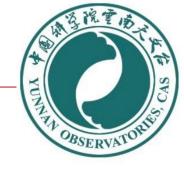




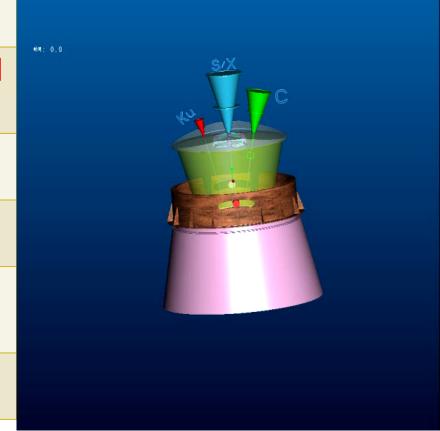
key specifications

Prime dish Diameter	40m
Mounting	Azimuth-Zenith
Surface(<26m)	Solid aluminum panel
Surface(26-40m)	Stainless steel mesh
Shape accuracy(<26m)	~0.5 mm (rms)
Shape accuracy (26-40m)	~2.5 mm(rms)
Pointing accuracy	~28"
Optics	Cassegrain; f/D=0.35

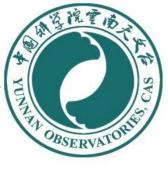
working bands

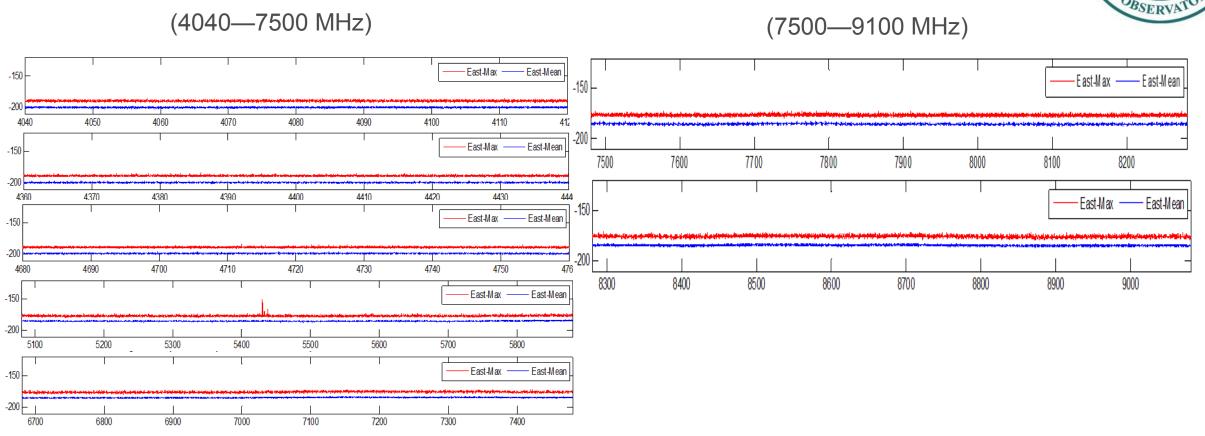


	S	X	C(new)
Frequency range	2150~2450M Hz	8200~9000M Hz	4000~8000M Hz
Polarization	L&R	L&R	L&R
LO	2000MHz	8100MHz	optional
Tsys	50K(Room TEMP.)	50K(Cooled)	35K
Efficiency	~60%	~45%	~50%



Radio Environment





Good!

VLBI terminal

- Chinese Data Acquisition System (CD AS,SHAO)
- ✓ Input frequency range: 0-512 MHz
- √ 32 Channels (including USB and LSB)
- ✓ Output: 0.125, 0.25, 0.5, ..., 32 MHz
- ✓ Mark 5B+ recorder
- Support 2 Gbps observations
- Time and Frequency System
- ✓ 1pps counter
- weather instrument
- ✓ GPS
- ✓ 5MHz & 1pps (H-maser)



New instruments

- H-Maser
- ✓ From USA
- Distribution system



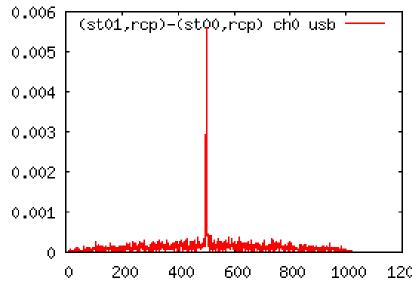
DBBC2 + Mark6



EVN observation: First fringes to EVN(S/X)

On 17 Jun 2009, the Kunming telescope participated in the EVN network monitoring experiment N09SX1 for the first time. We successfully detected fringes to the other EVN telescopes. The image shows the fringe on the baseline Kunming -- Effelsberg (7728 km).







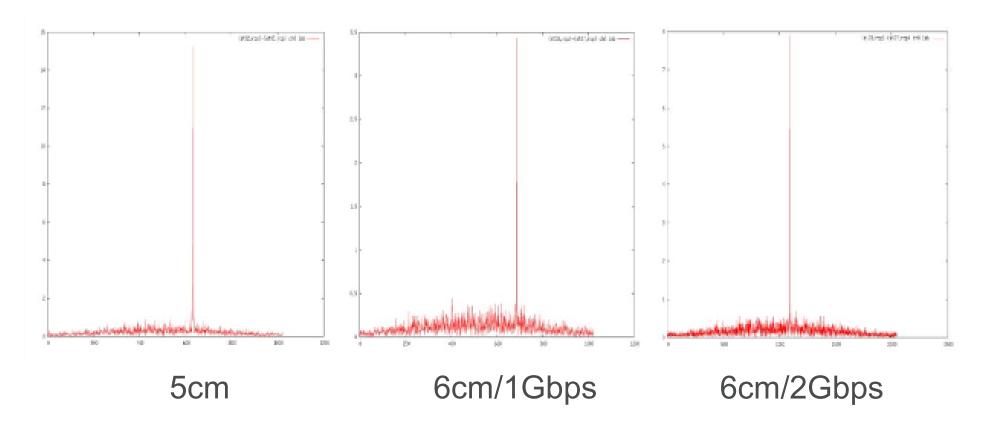
New 7 baselines were established, there are 5 baselines are over 7000km!



Ongoing: C band fringe test with EVN(2016)

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Oct 20~21 2016 N16M3&N16C3

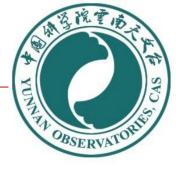


Ongoing: Sessions of EVN(2017)



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Ongoing: Sessions of EVN(2018)



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Ongoing: Sessions of EVN



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Ongoing: Become an associate member?



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Subject: Re: [EVN-CBD] Kunming participation in VLBI observing with the EVN

Dear Zhixuan,

Thank you very much for your comprehensive reply to my email - I received it on 24 April, and was very happy to read it.

At the EVN CBD meeting on May 9+10, we discussed the very encouraging developments at Kunming for participation in EVN observations, and your answers to the questions I had posed. The EVN CBD concluded that we should indeed, following your recommendation, announce to the proposers of EVN projects the availability of Kunming on a best efforts basis, at the bands for which it has receivers. We noted that this does not imply any formal or legal obligation on either side, as it is a best efforts basis. It means that there will be consultation by EVN staff with you in advance of every observing session, to determine actual ability to participate. This, however, is still a much-appreciated way to involve your telescope. Analysing the situation, we find that the postion of Kunming is best described as an affiliation to the EVN, which, again, comes without obligation, as opposed to an associated membership. The EVN CBD hopes that associate membership could be the next level of engagement to aspire to, after we have gotten into the habit of participation via affiliation for some time.

Issuing the call for proposals was actually urgent, as the deadline is 1 June. The EVN-PC Chair circulated the call on the day after the EVN CBD meeting. I point out the formulation in it:
"The Kunming 40 m telescope is an affiliated EVN station situated on Phoenix Mountain, about 10 km east of the city of Kunming, China. The telescope may be requested on a best efforts basis for EVN disk recording observations at 13, 6, 5 and 3.6 cm wavelengths."

Once again, I thank you for your engagement, and I am sure this will be the start of a mutually beneficial and exciting connection between Kunming and the EVN.

Best regards,

René Vermeulen Chair, EVN Consortium Board of Directors

Director International LOFAR Telescope (ILT) and ASTRON European Radio Facilities Office

outlook

- 1. Thanks for the support from the foreign and Chinese VLBI colleagues.
- 2.Kunming telescope has taken part in some VLBI observations with EVN, CVN, EAVN and IVS. We realize that the international VLBI cooperation is very important to promote our research and technique capabilities.

