

Cassini Ultraviolet Imaging Spectrograph
UVIS HSP

Ring Stellar Occultation Atlas

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The table lists all occultations in this volume, including the star name, rev number, indication of ingress (I) or egress (E), date of the occultation, duration of the occultation, radial range coverage and elevation angle of the star.

Occultations are presented chronologically in the order they were observed. To keep the file size of this atlas manageable, it is presented in multiple volumes, each one covering a subset of the occultations.

Introduction

Over the course of the Cassini mission, the High Speed Photometer (HSP) of the Ultraviolet Imaging Spectrograph (UVIS) observed 170 occultations of stars by Saturn's rings. Details on the UVIS instrument can be found in Esposito et al. (1998, 2004). Information on the handling of HSP ring occultation data as well as a summary of data calibration and reduction techniques for the first part of the Cassini mission are in Colwell et al. (2010). This document provides a tabular and visual overview of these stellar occultations.

Description of Data Products in the Atlas

The HSP data consist of a time series of measured photon counts. With the exception of observations of some faint stars where the background signal dominates or is a significant contribution, the measured signal is primarily due to starlight transmitted through the rings. The HSP integration times are 1, 2, 4, or 8 msec. The majority of occultations used a 1 msec integration period, with most of the rest at 2 msec. In this atlas the data are binned to 1 second.

The data are shown in two plots: (1) a plot spanning the range of 70,000 km to 150,000 km from Saturn for all occultations to allow direct comparison of signal and coverage on a single distance scale; and (2) a plot that shows the data zoomed to the radial range of coverage of the occultation.

Two additional geometry plots are included for each occultation: (1) the radial ring plane resolution of the occultation (in the frame of Saturn, not accounting for ring particle motion or diffraction); and (2) the value of ϕ , an angle measured in the ring plane in the counterclockwise sense from the outward radial vector at the measurement point to the direction to the star projected into the ring plane. Thus, an observation where the look vector to the star is tangent to the rings has $\phi=90$ degrees.

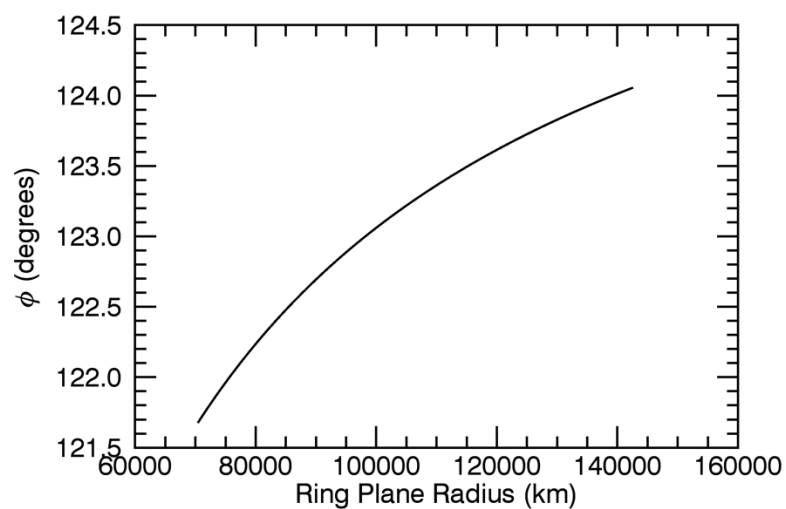
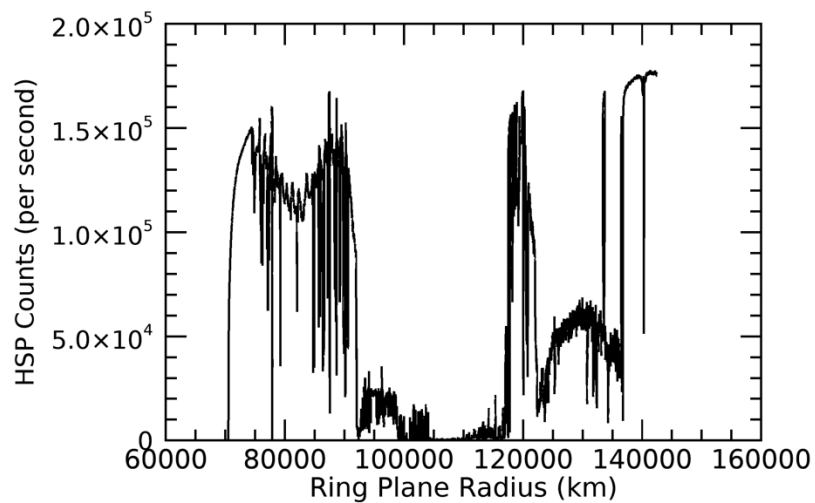
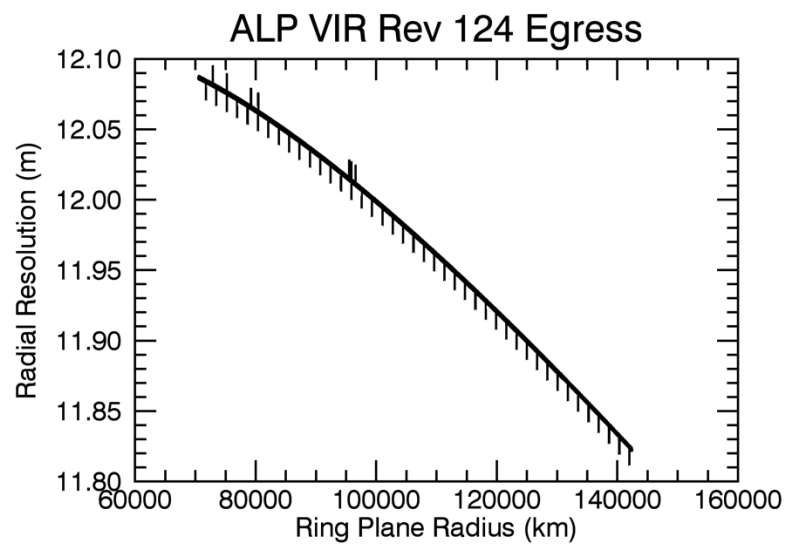
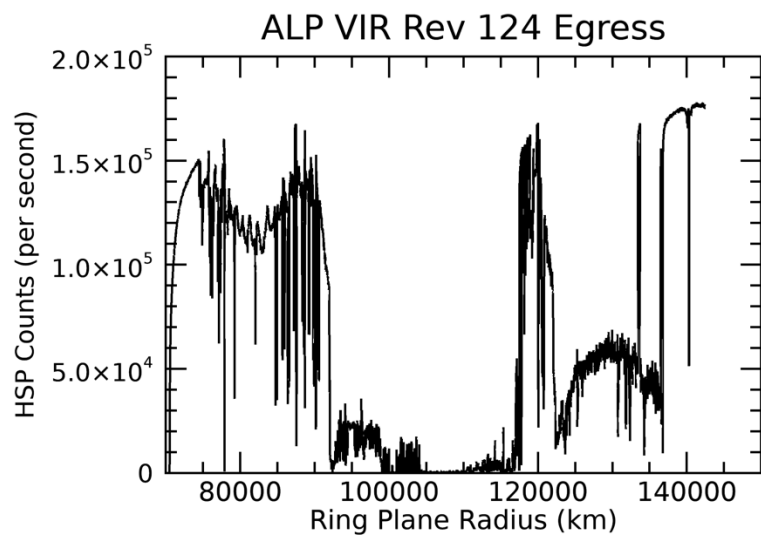
On the page following the data plots, a geometry visualization is shown at a time near the middle of the occultation. The position of the UVIS HSP field of view is labeled on each of these plots. Occultations that cut a chord across the rings, are presented here as separate "Ingress" and "Egress" occultations, referring to the portion of the occultation where the observation point is approaching or receding from Saturn, respectively. Some geometry visualizations are missing and will be included in the next revision of this volume.

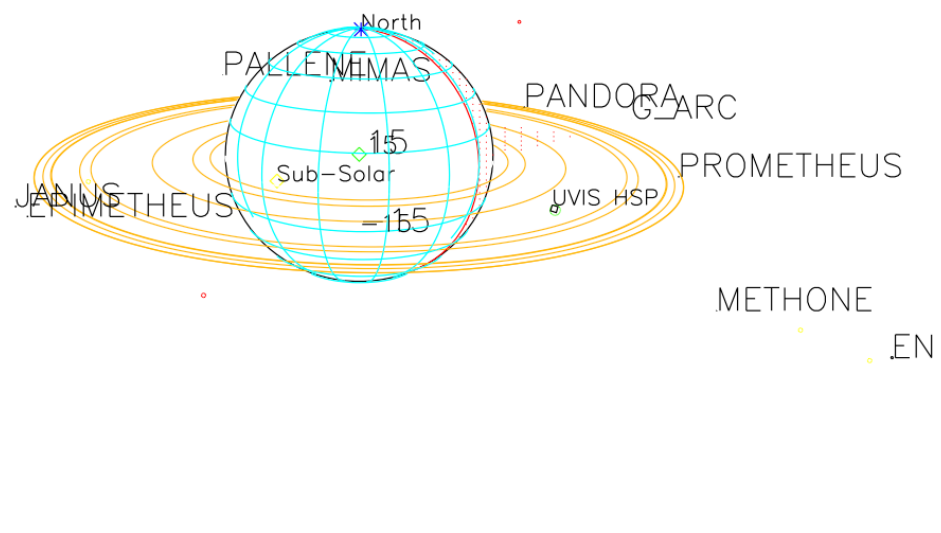
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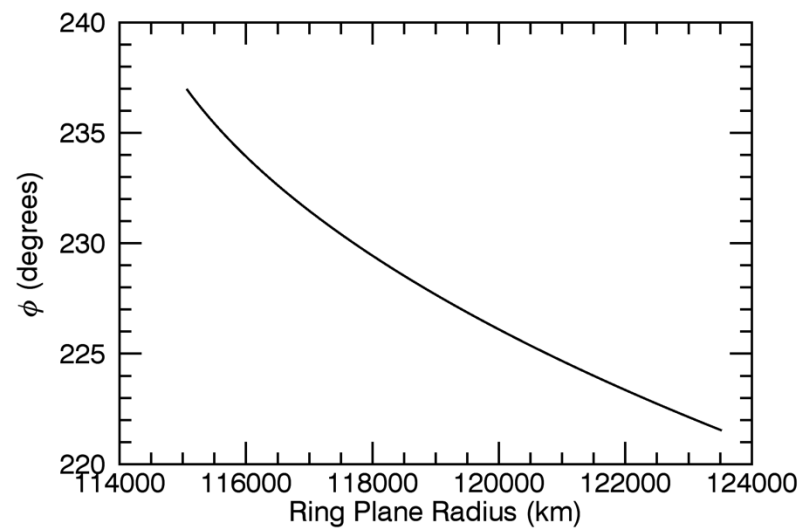
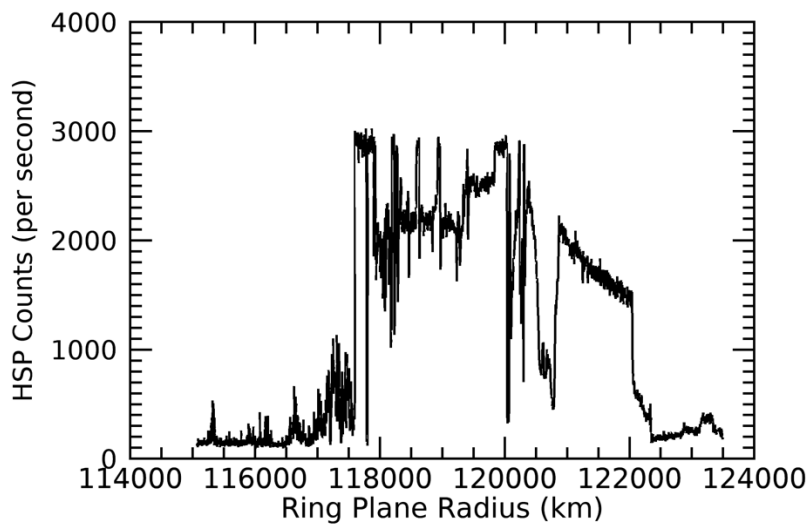
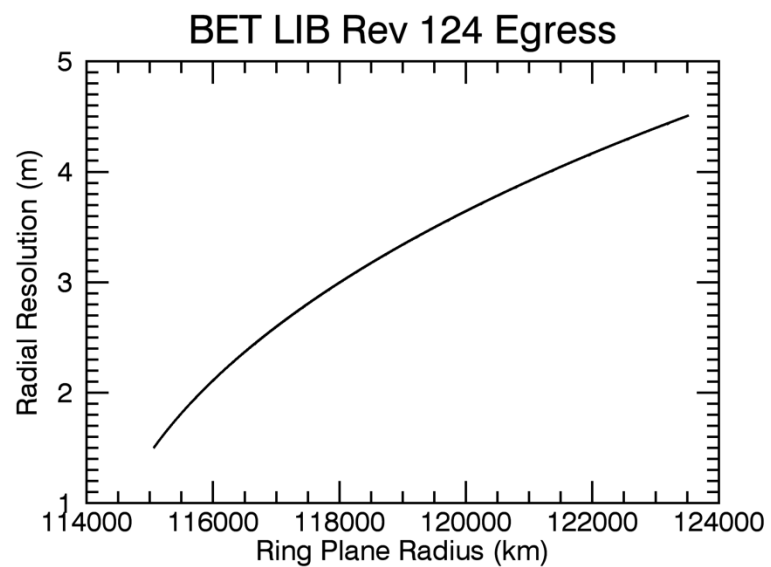
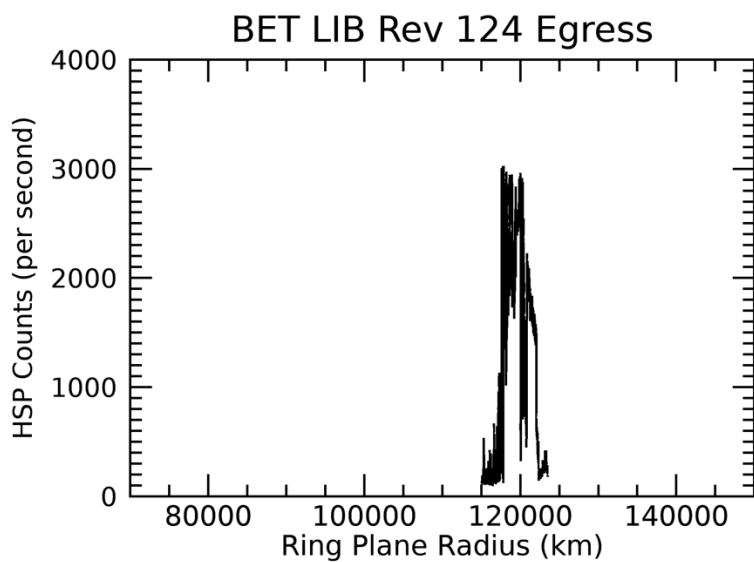


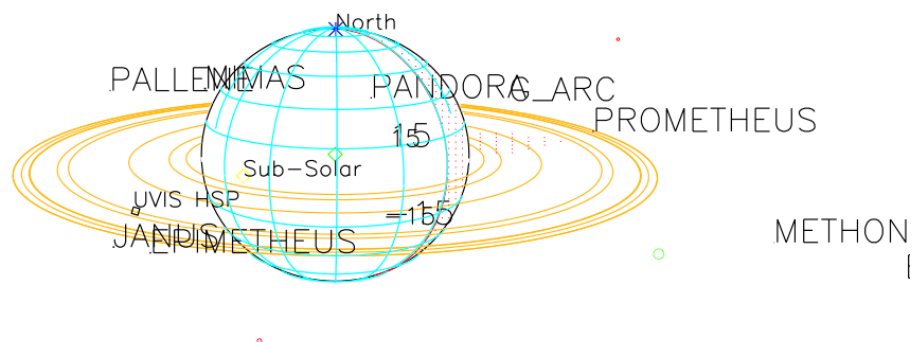
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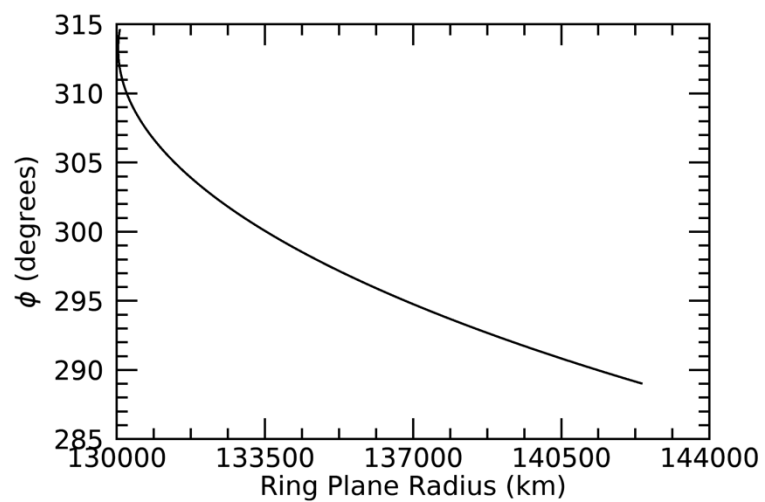
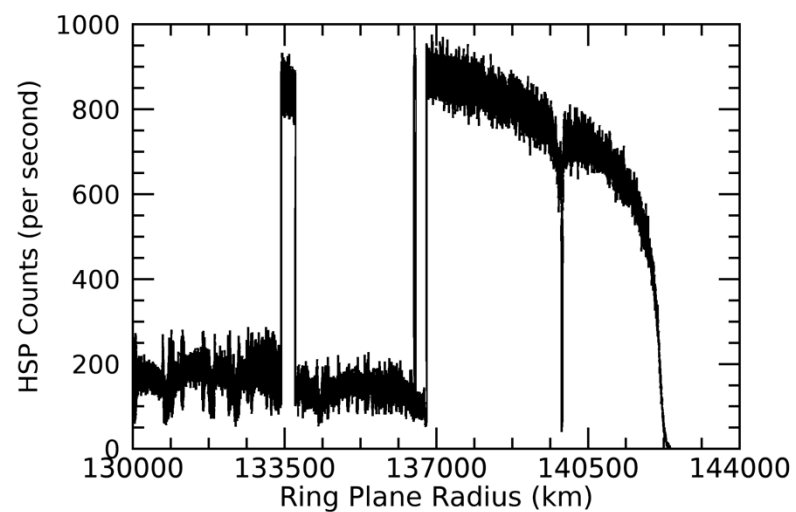
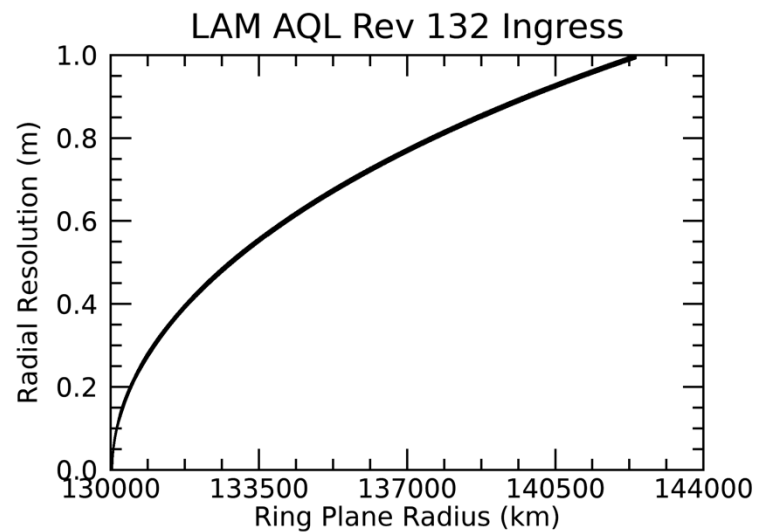
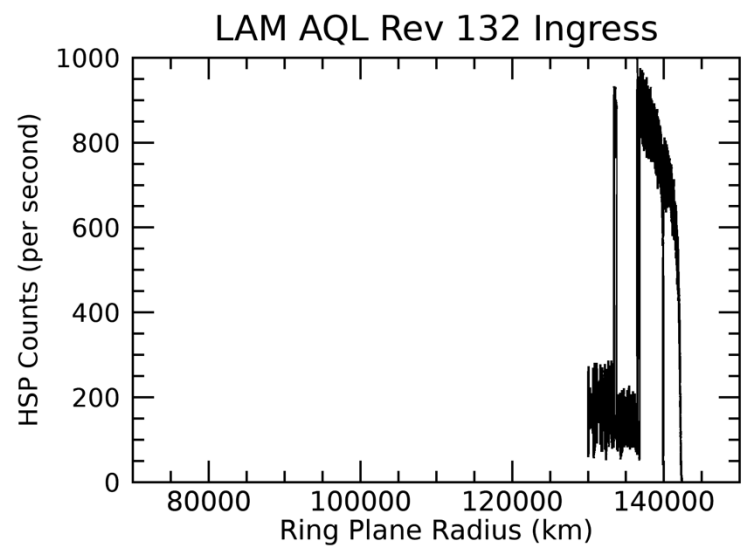


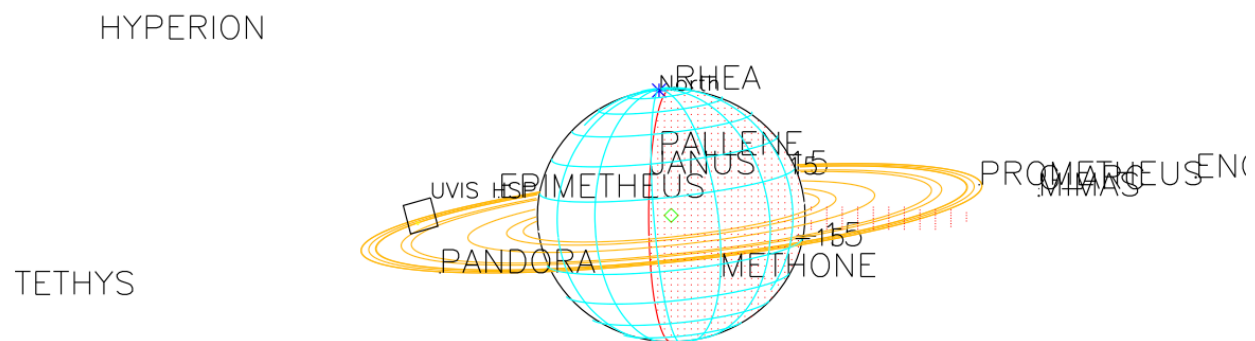
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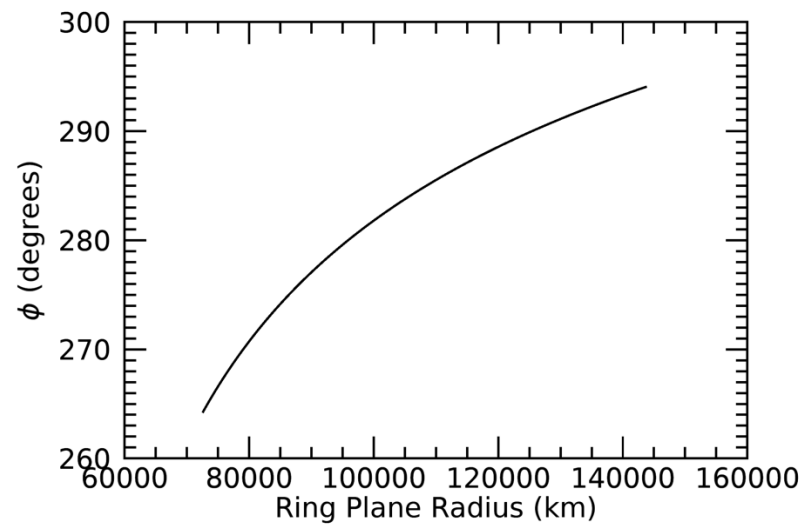
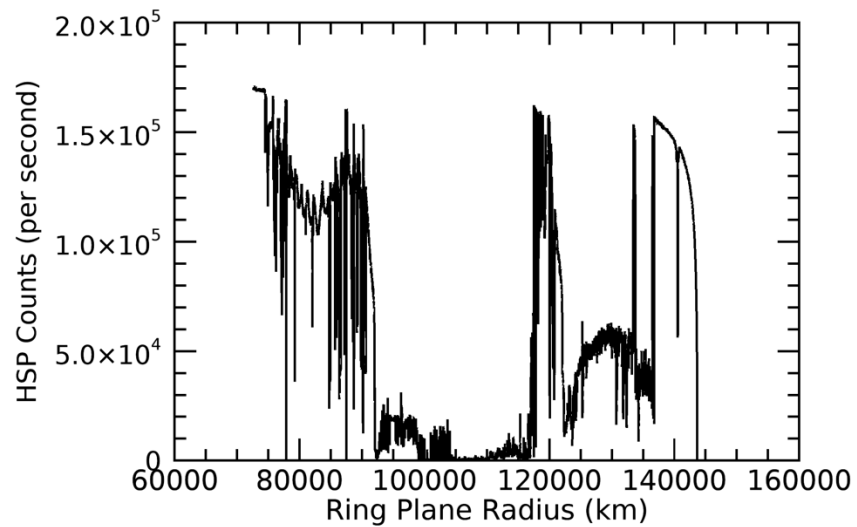
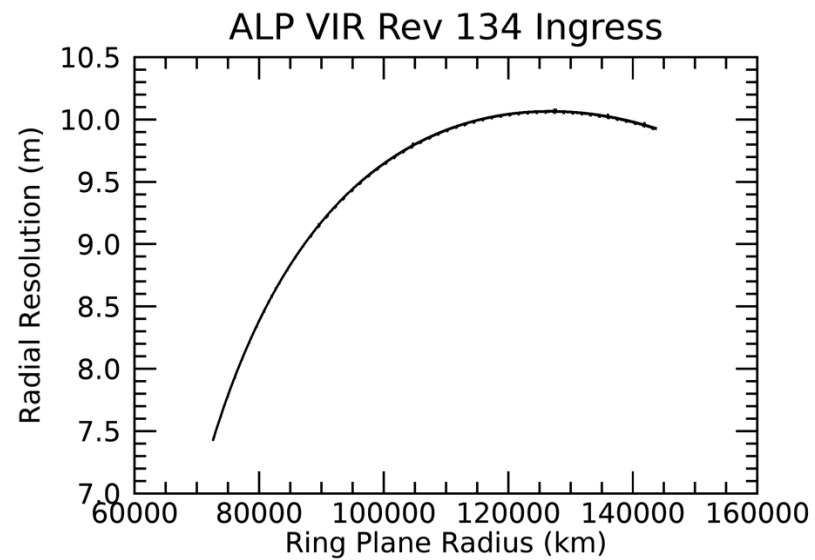
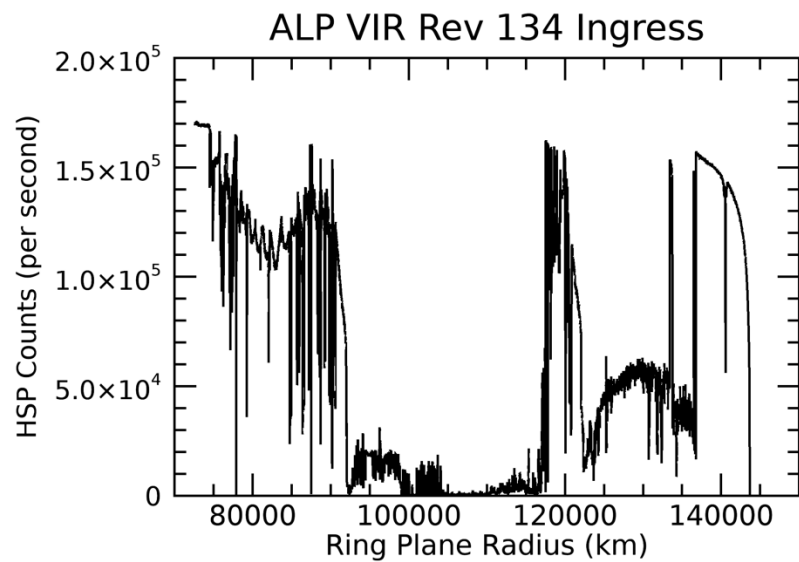


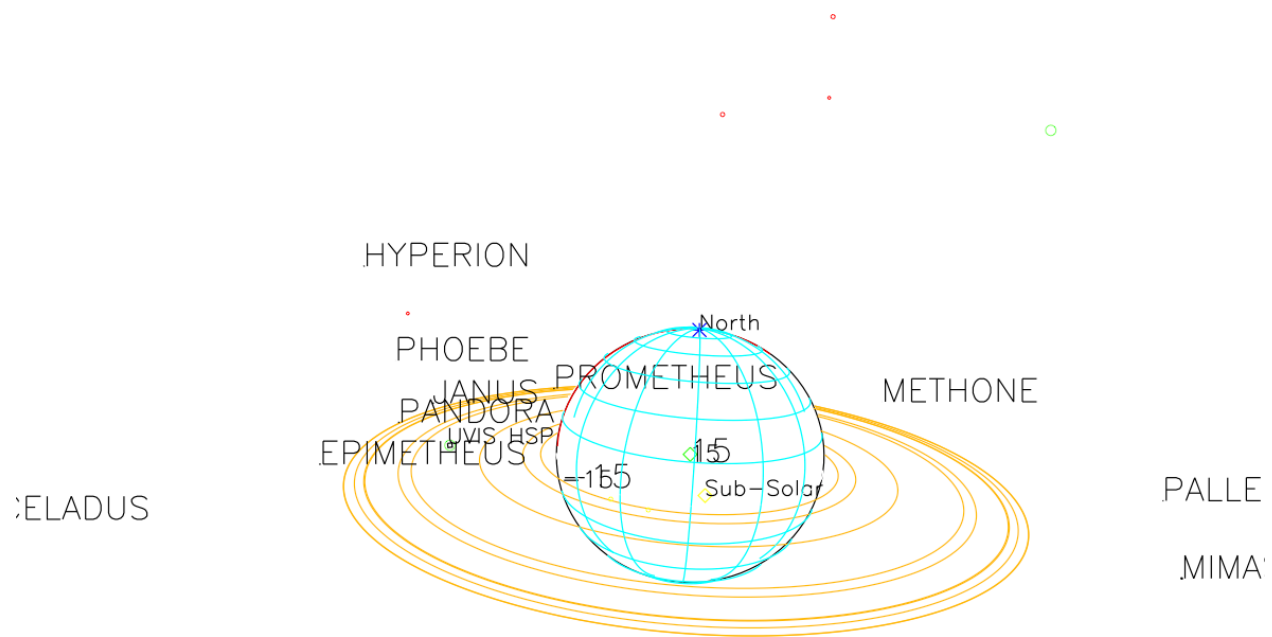
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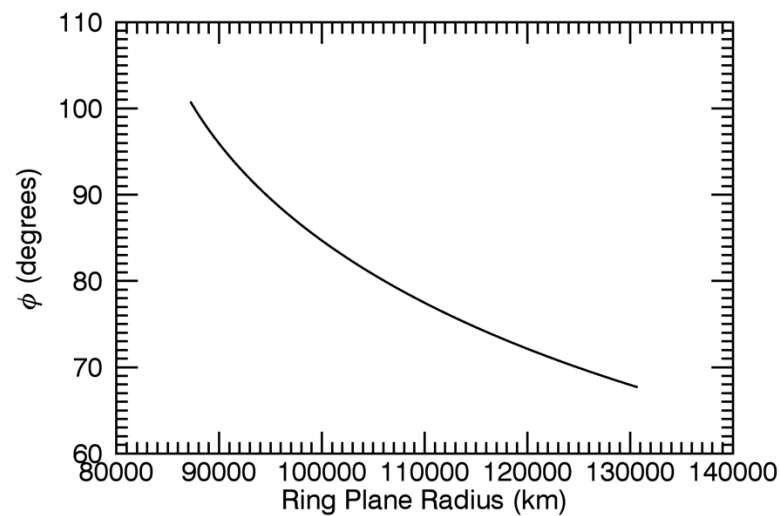
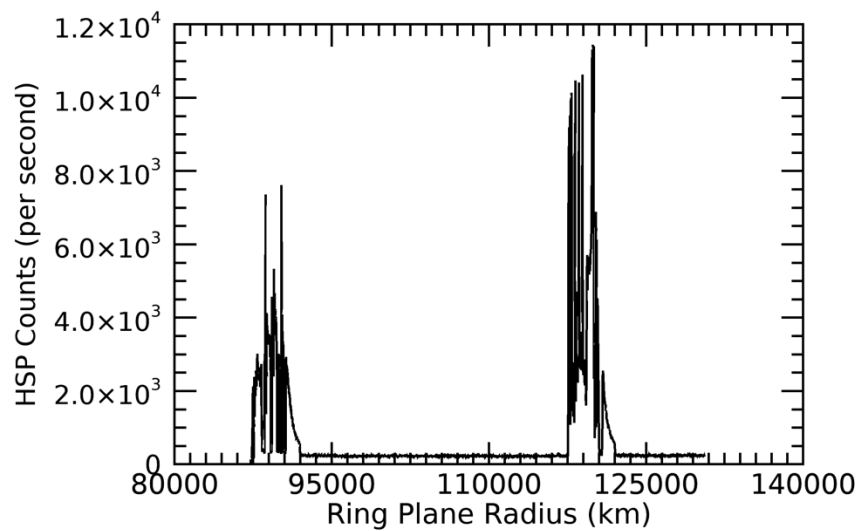
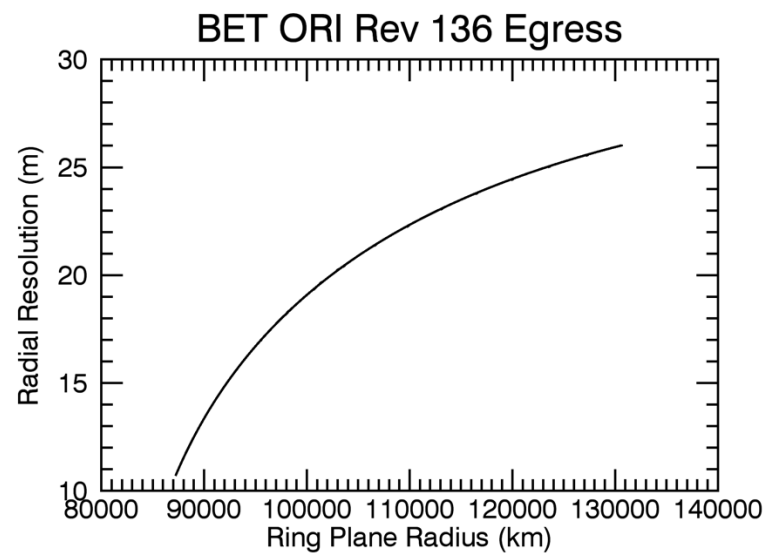
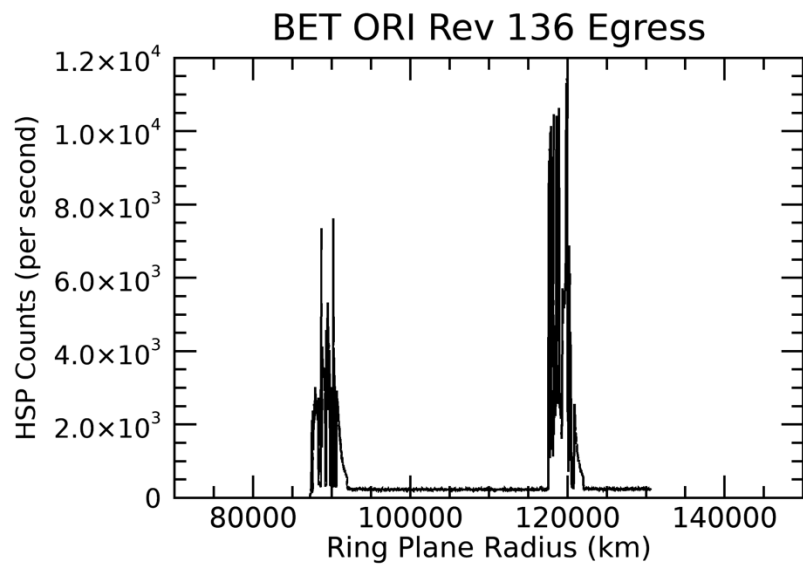


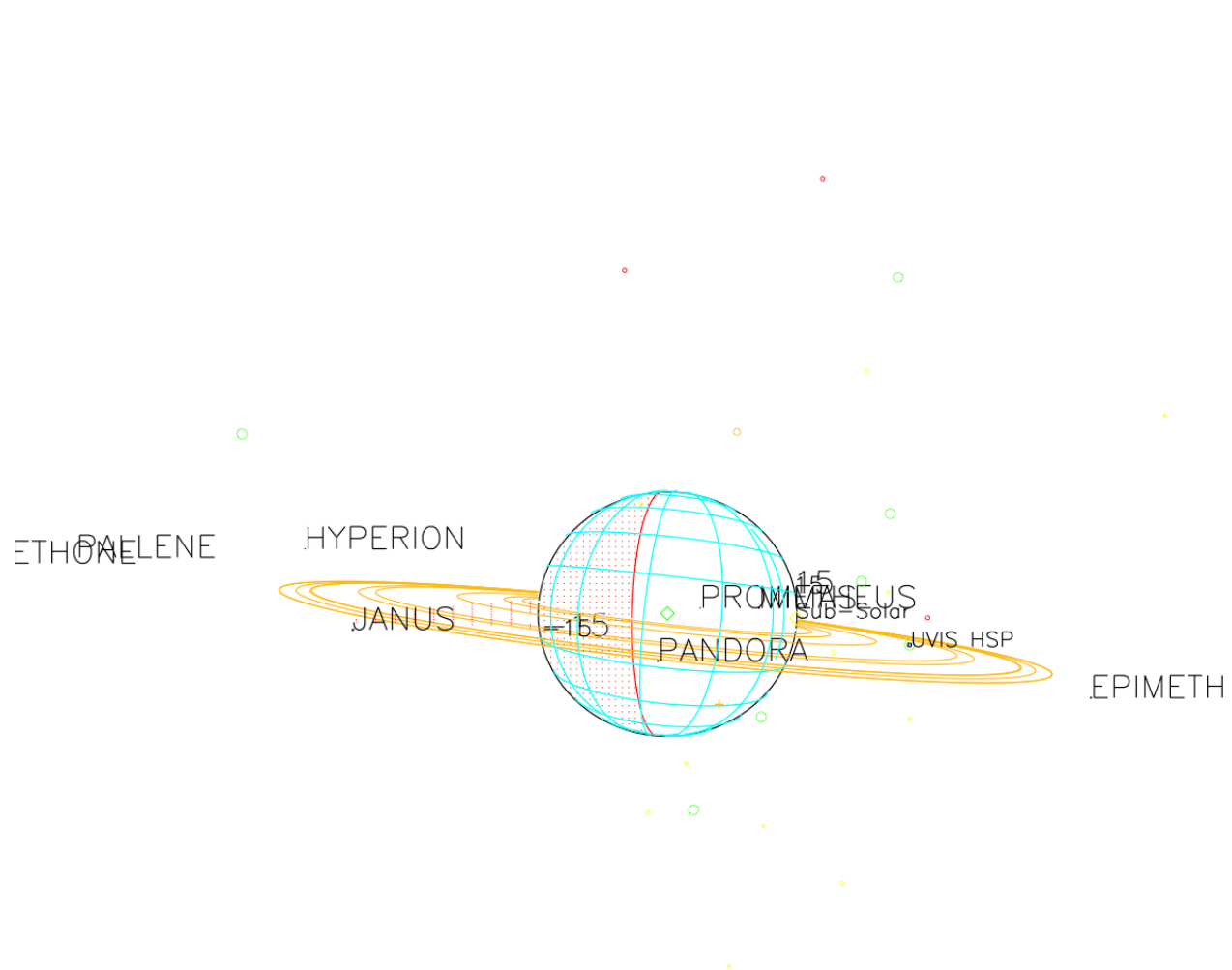
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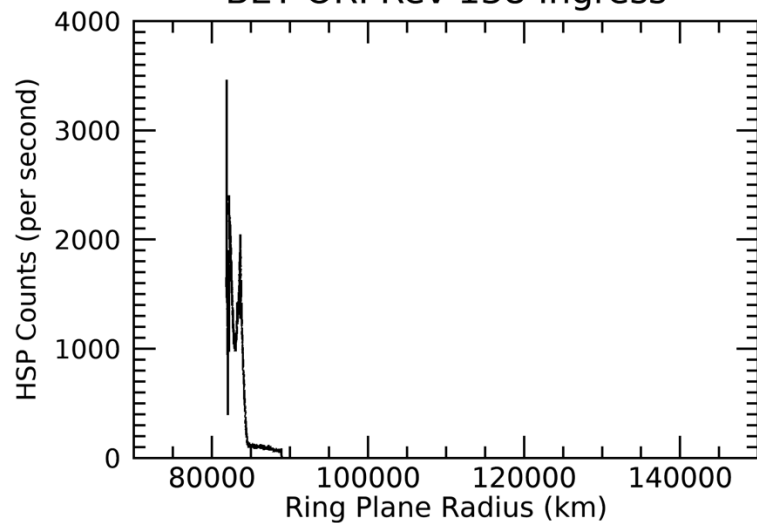
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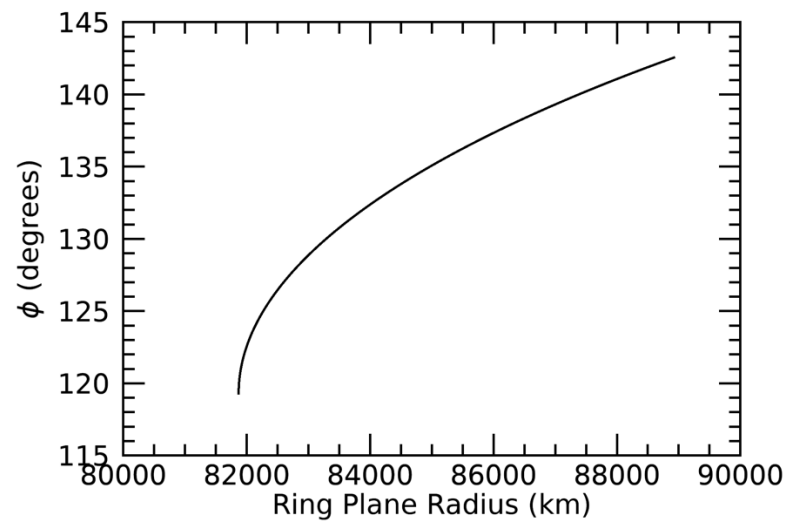
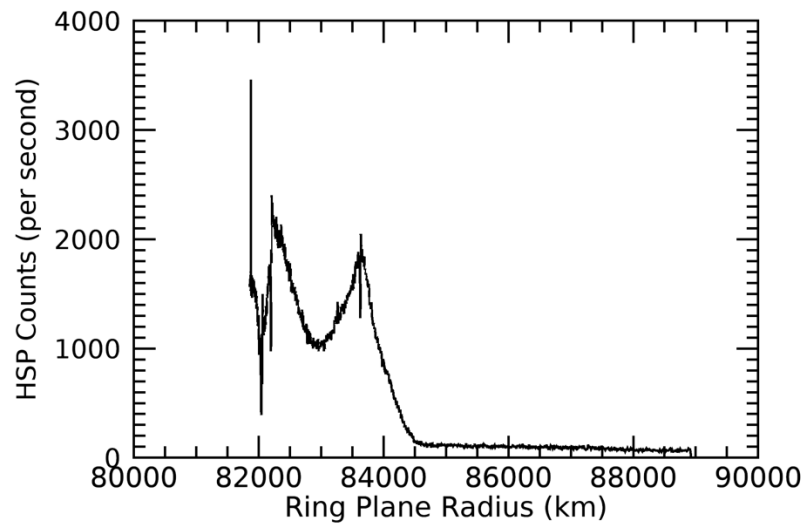
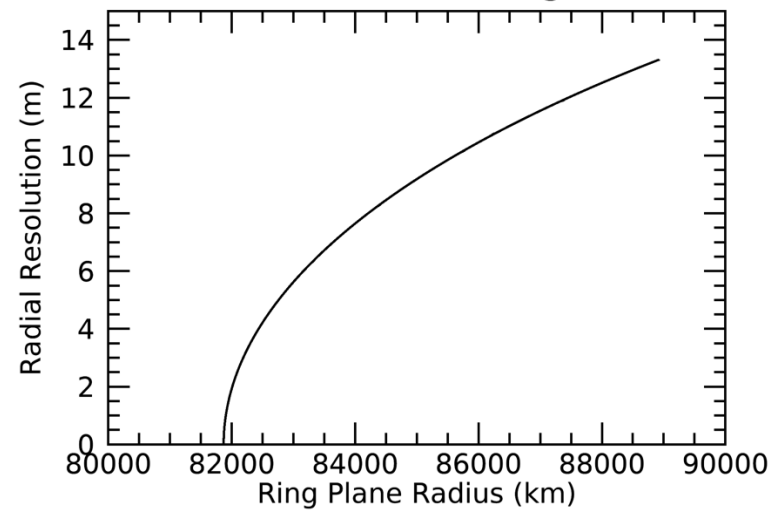
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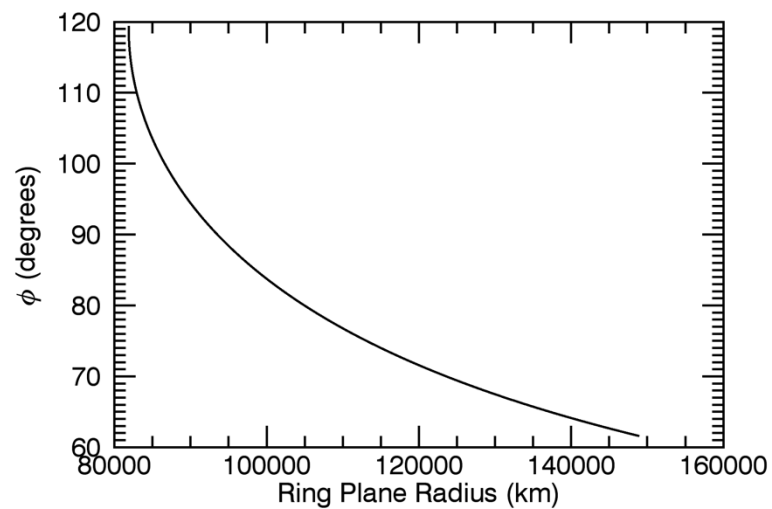
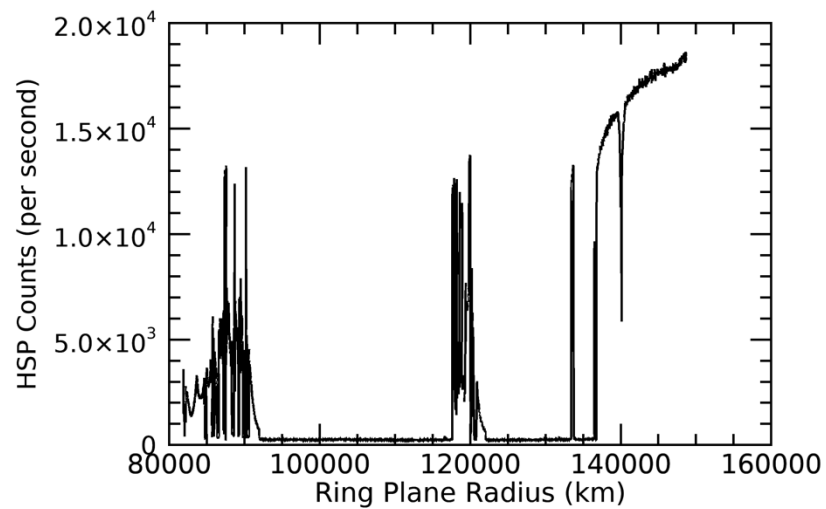
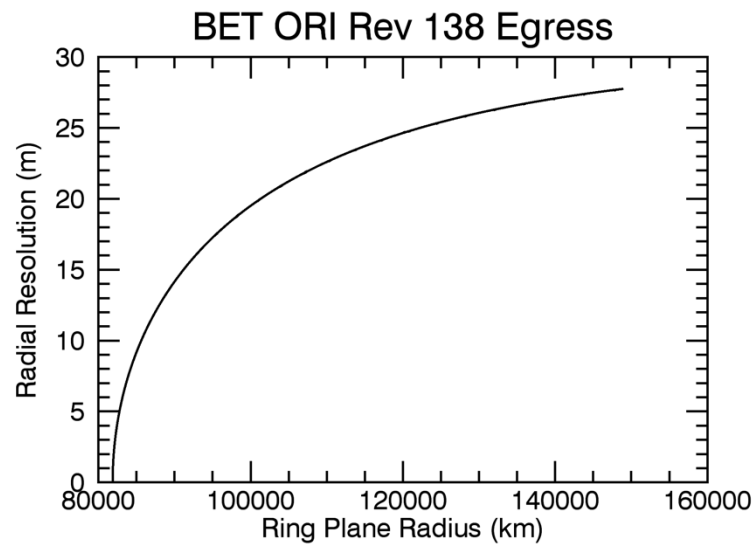
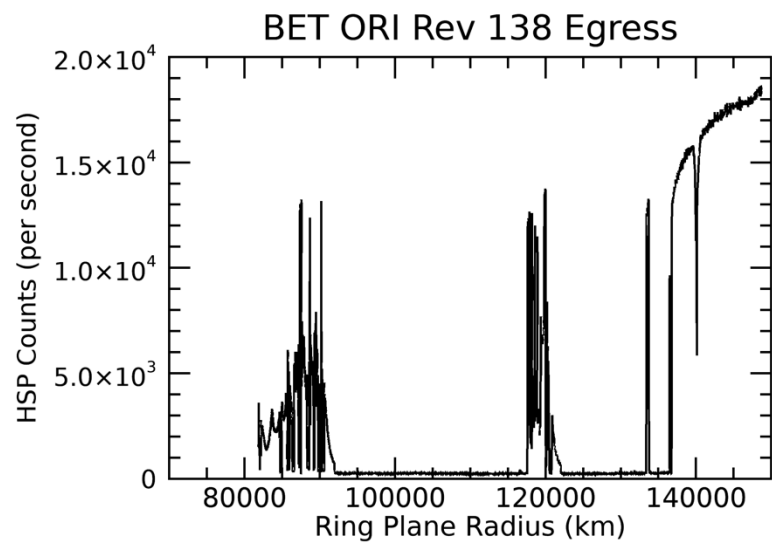
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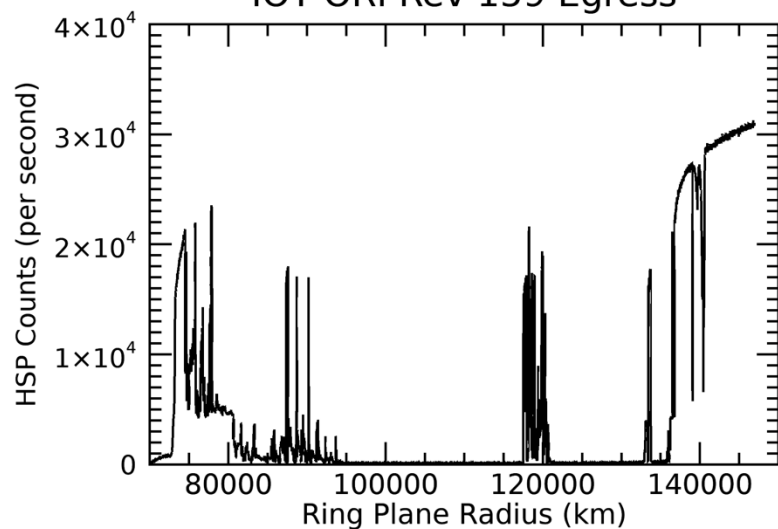
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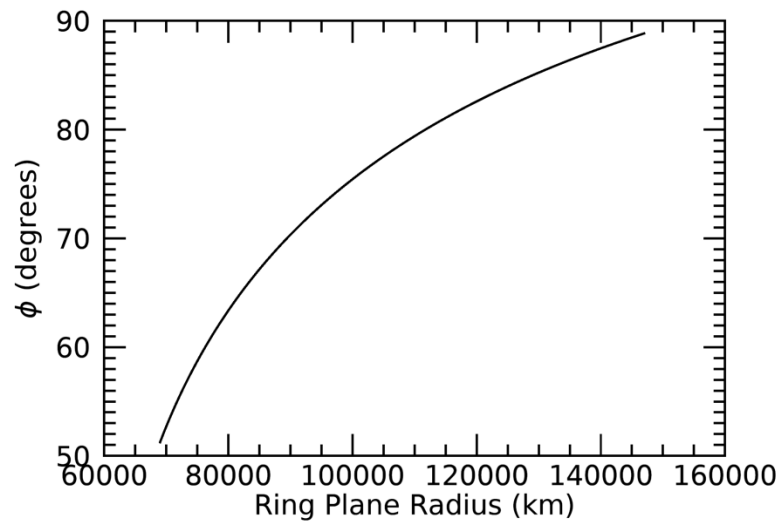
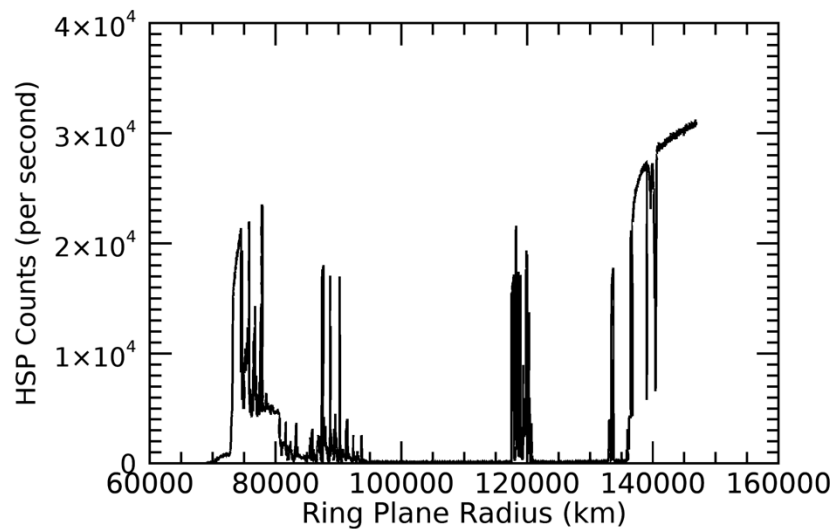
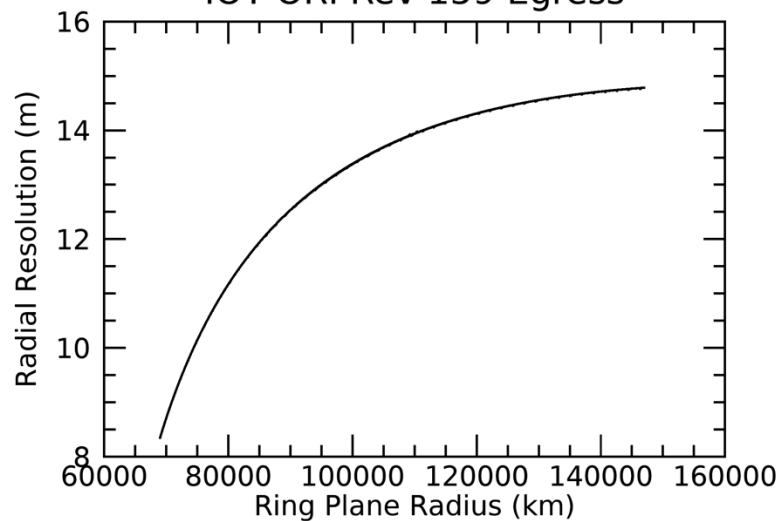


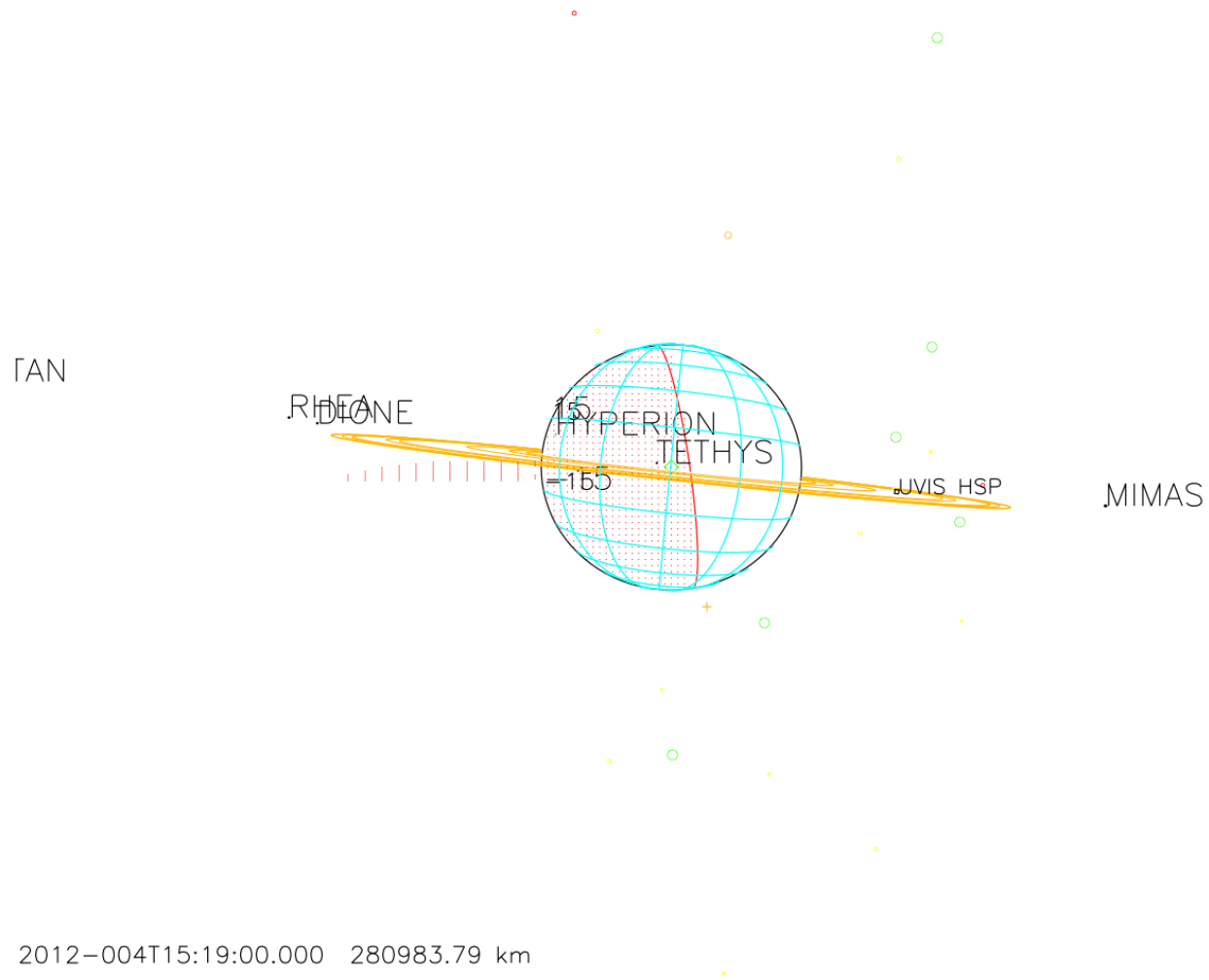
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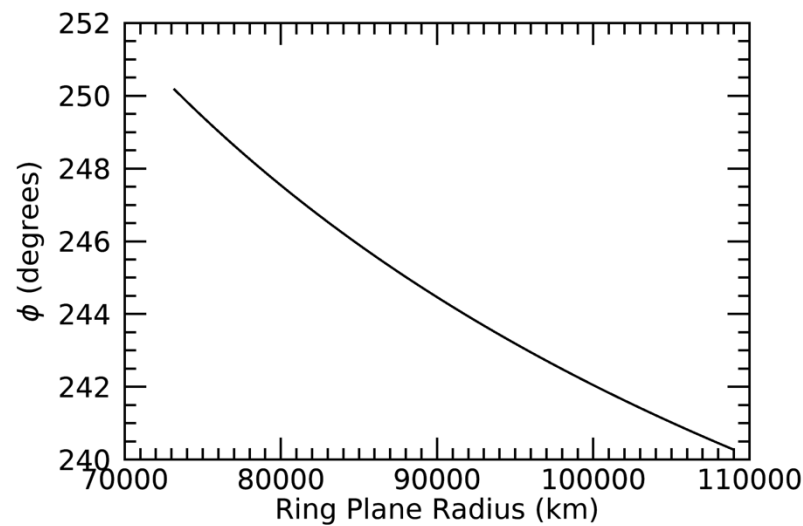
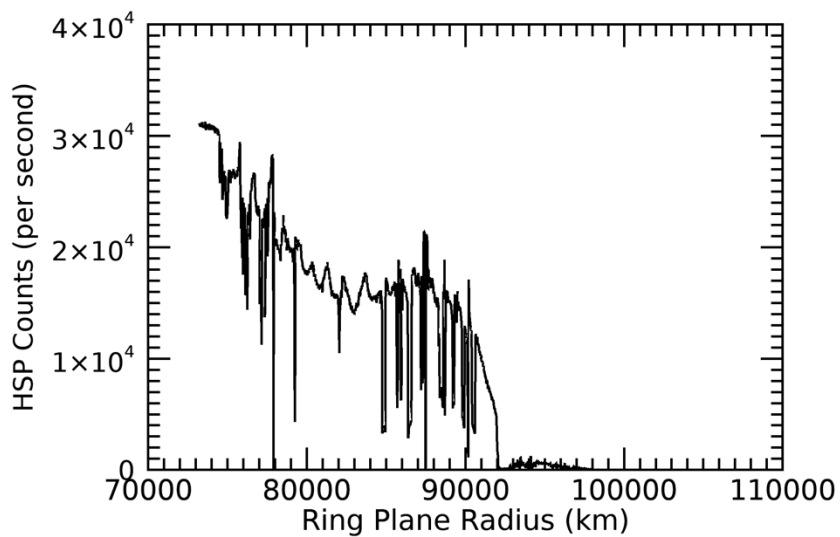
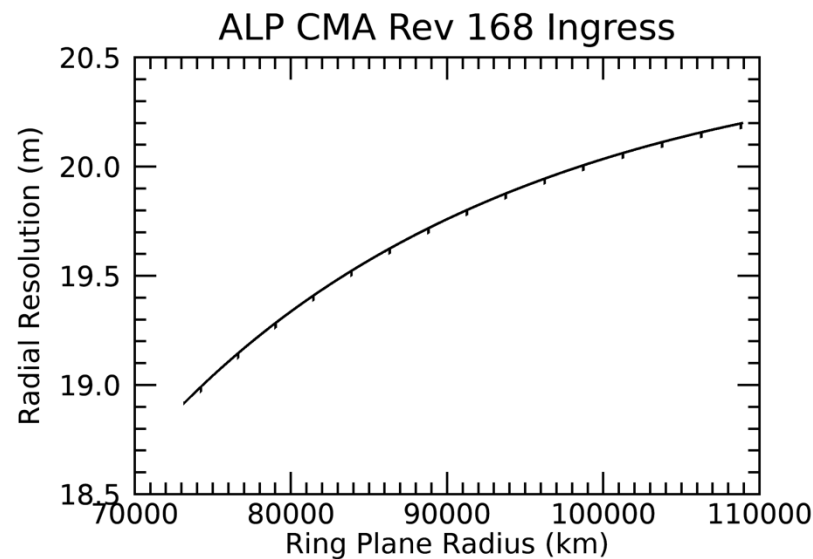
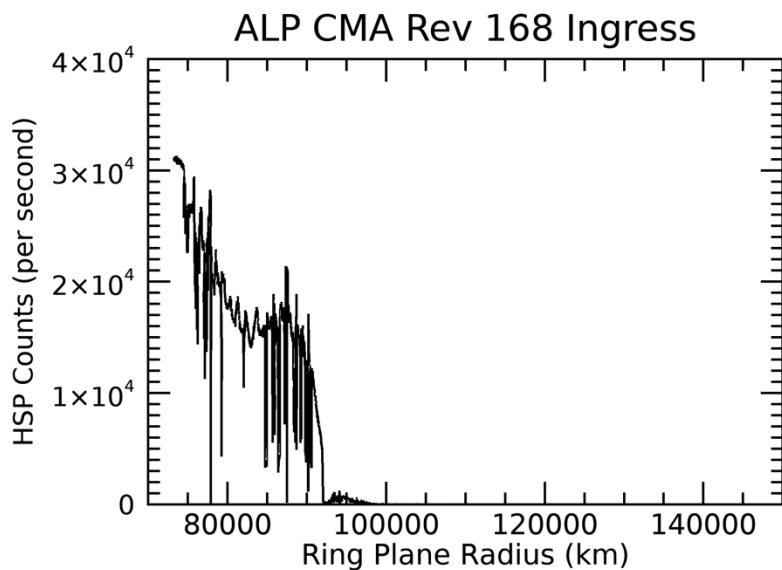


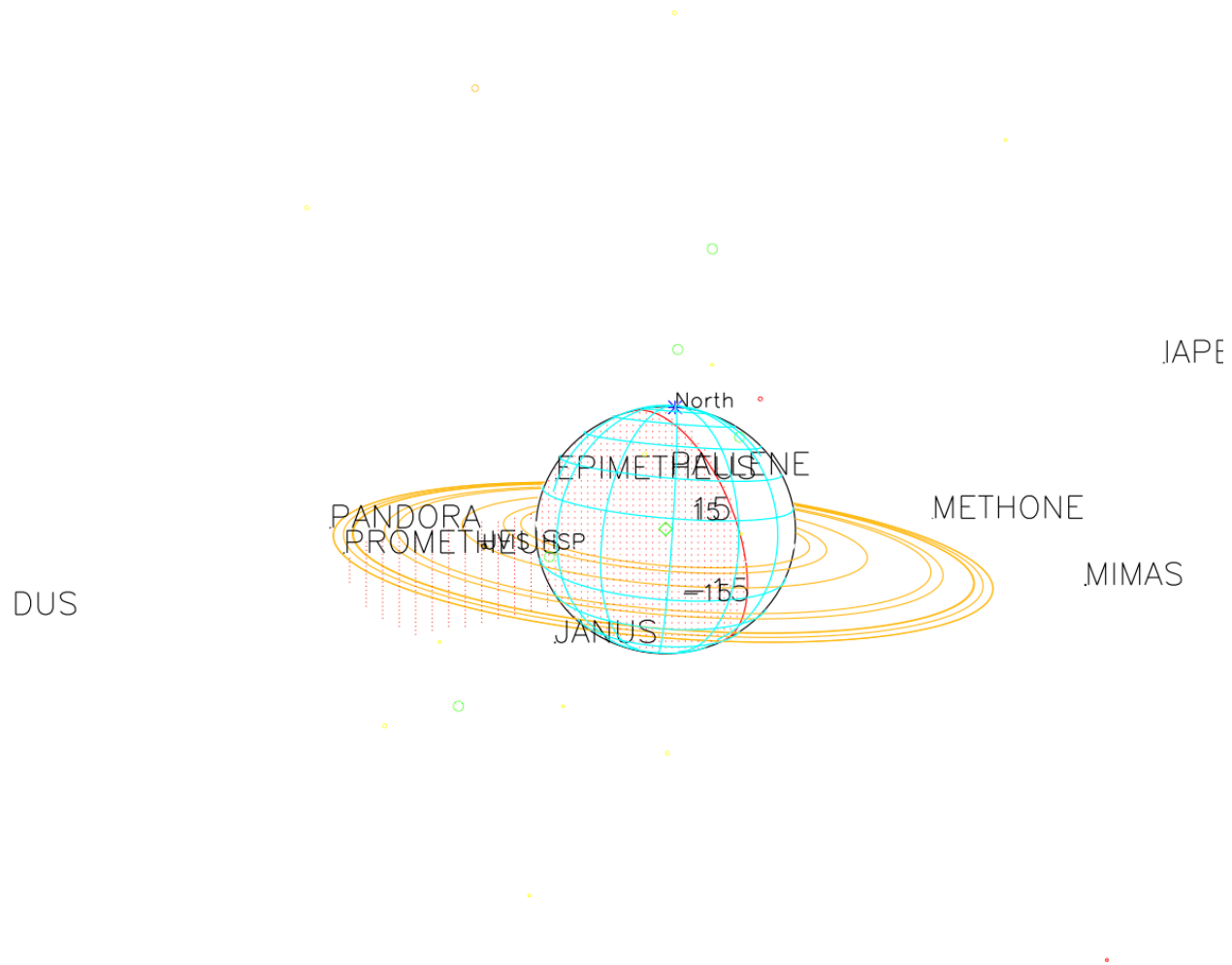
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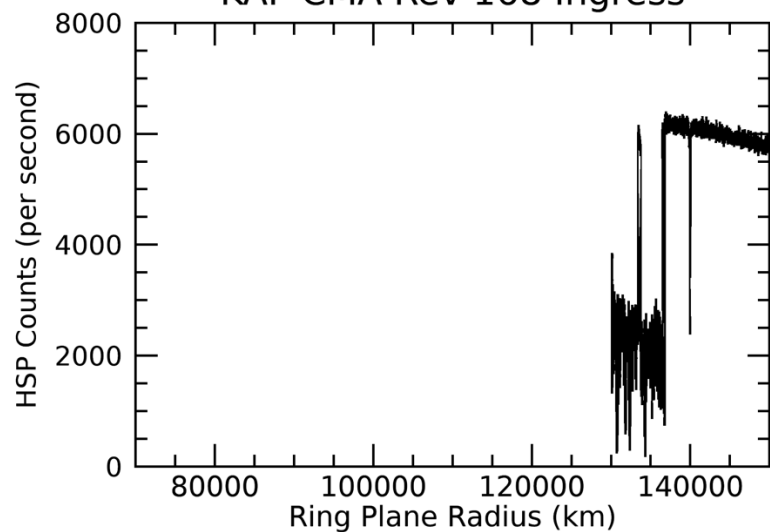
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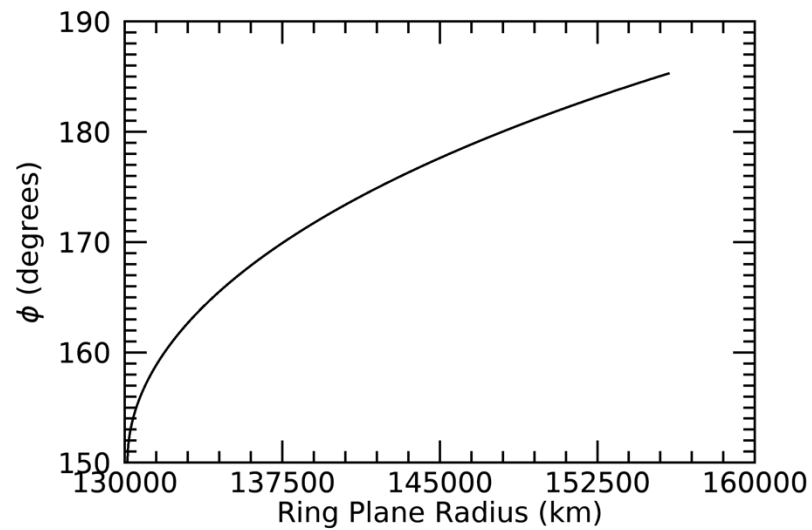
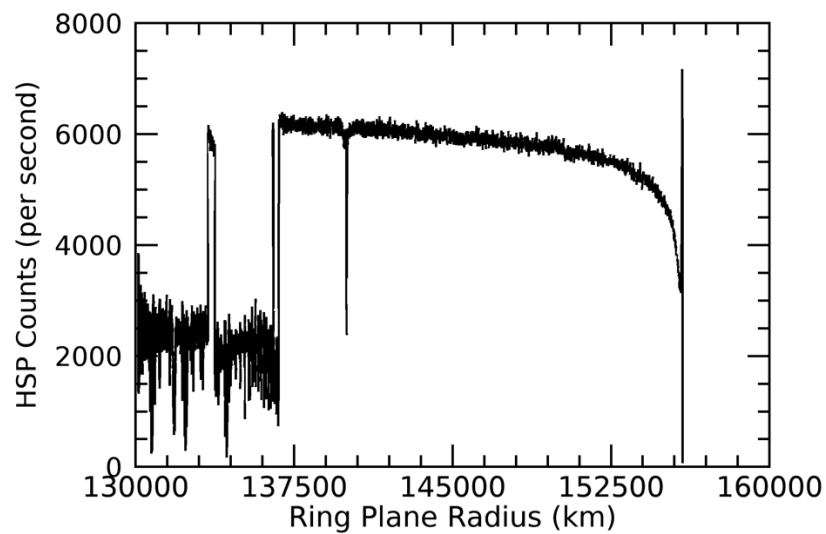
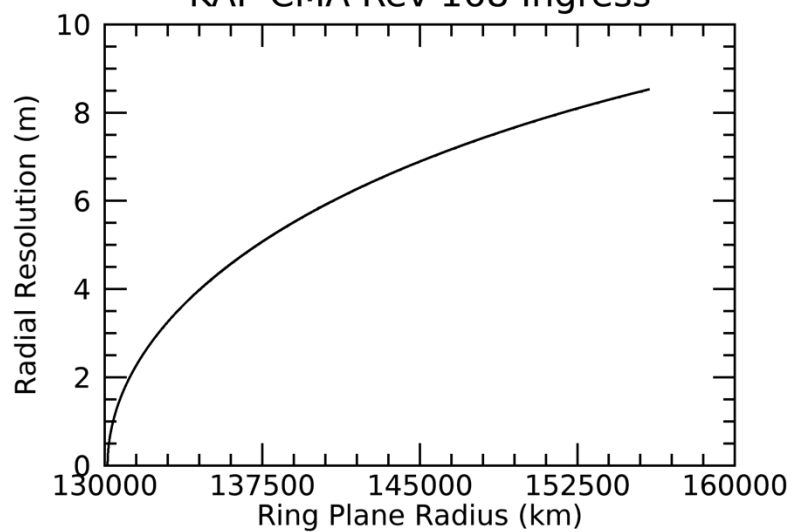
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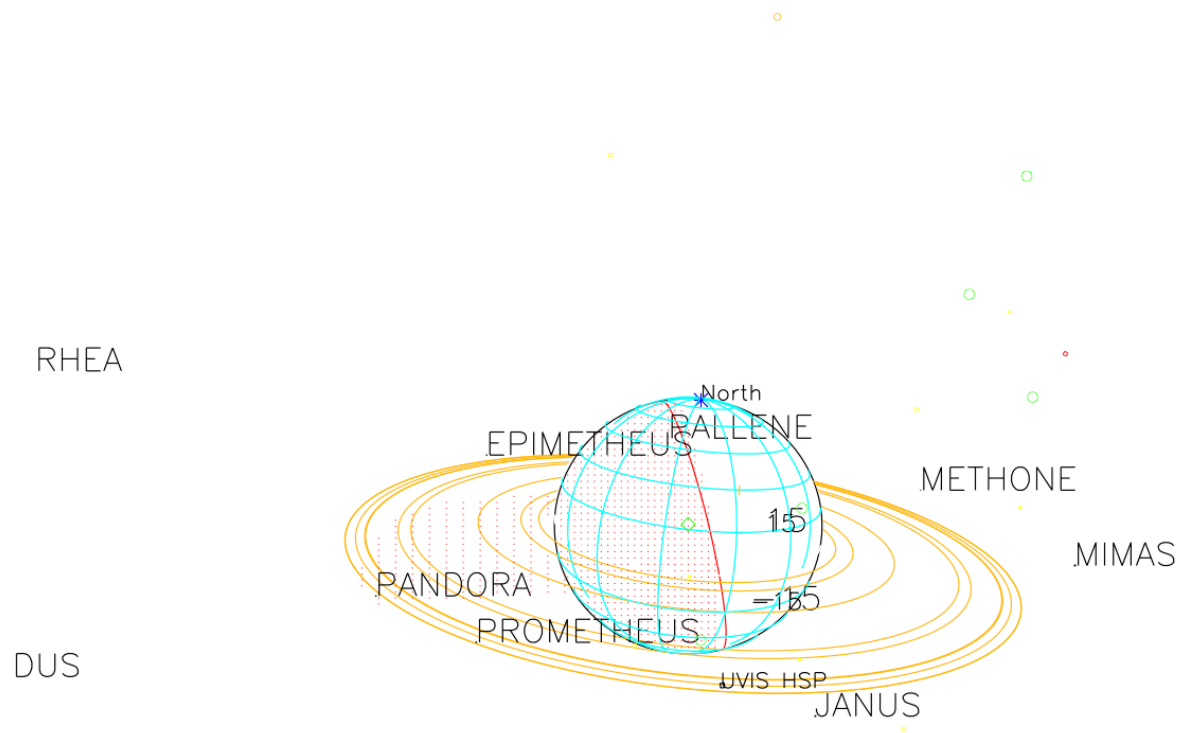
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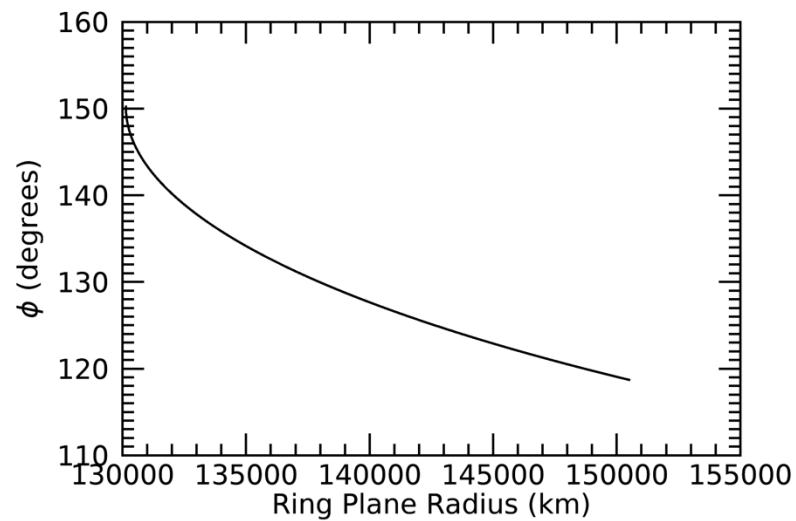
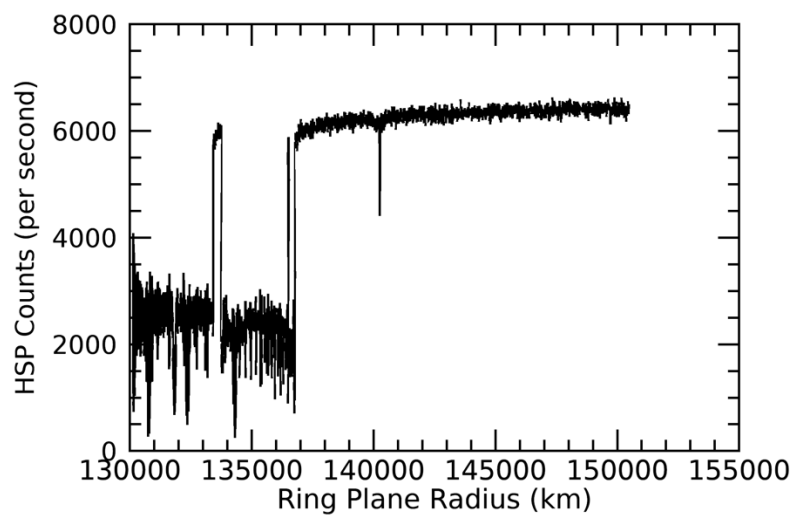
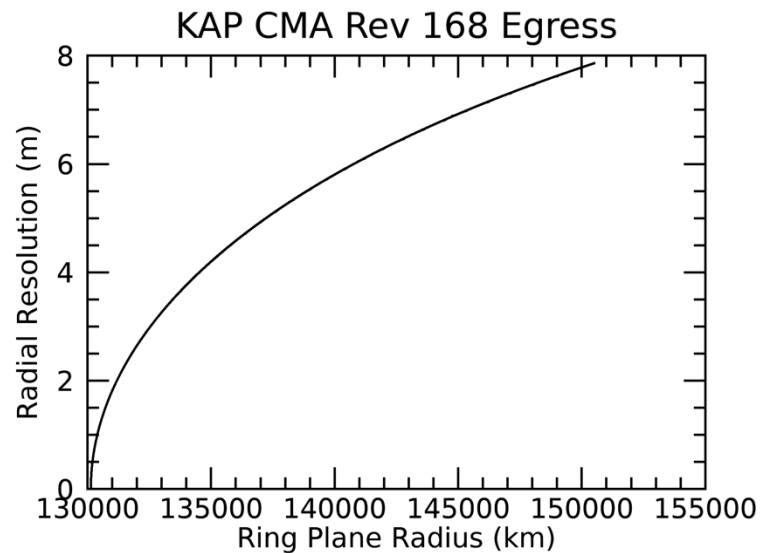
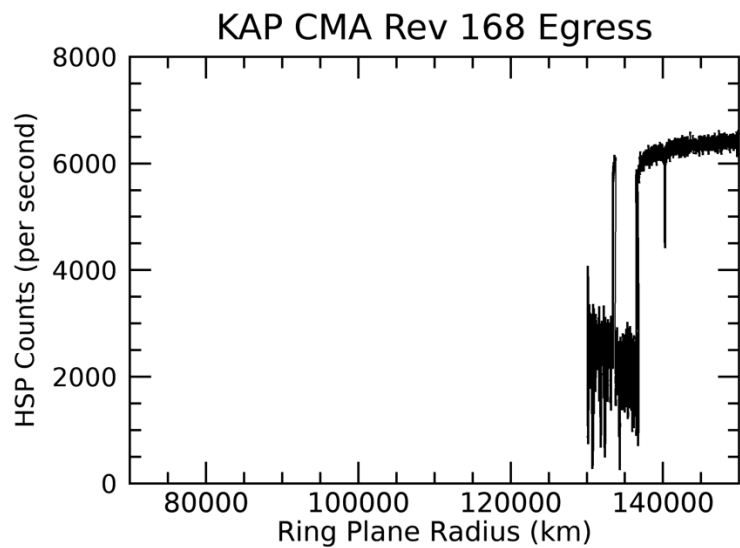


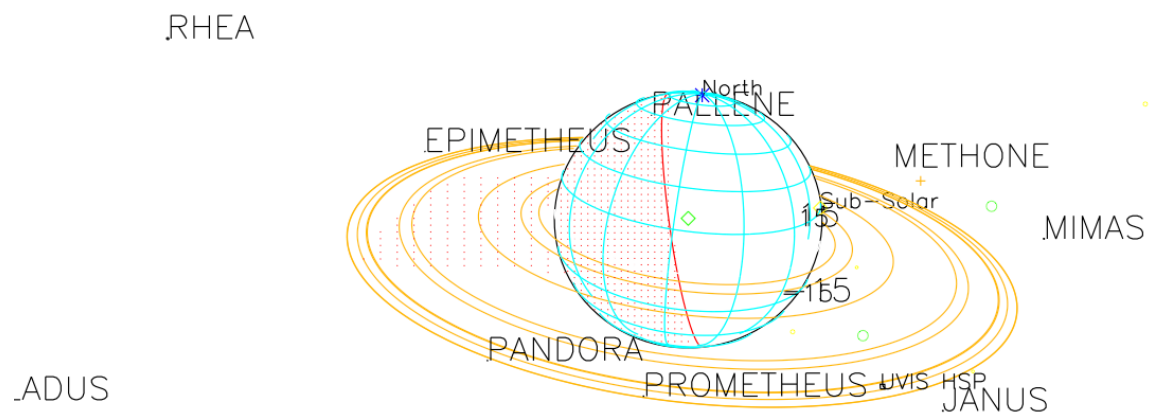
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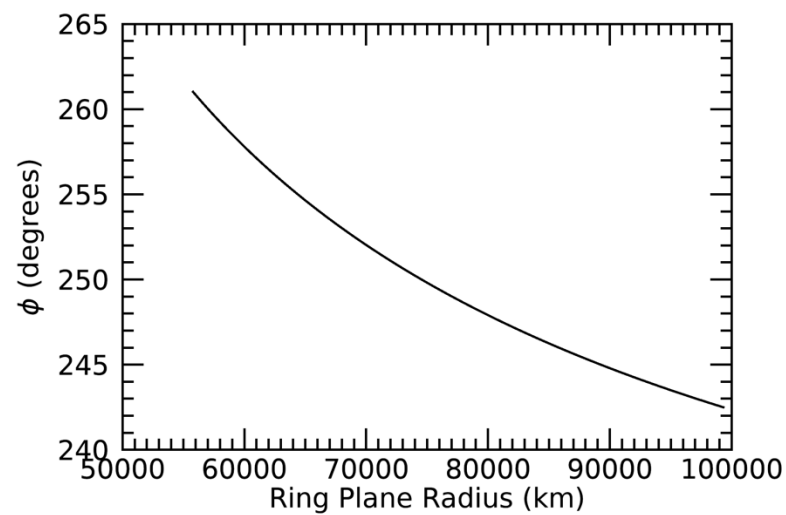
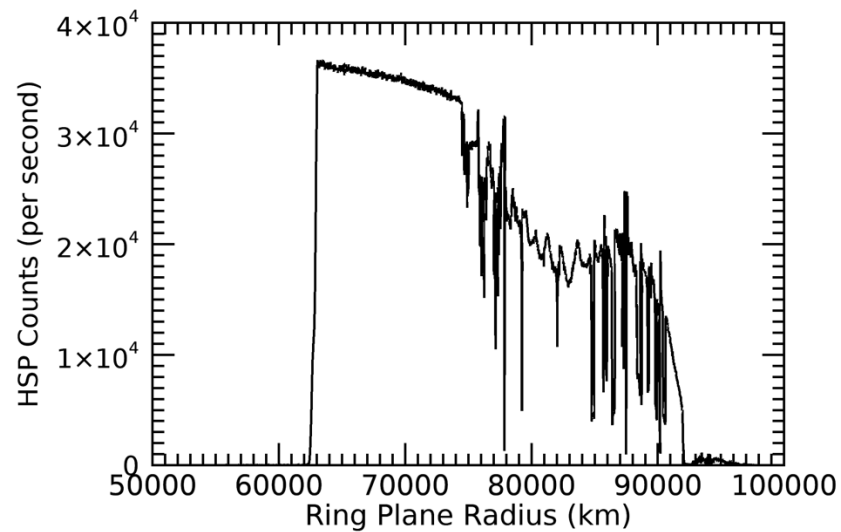
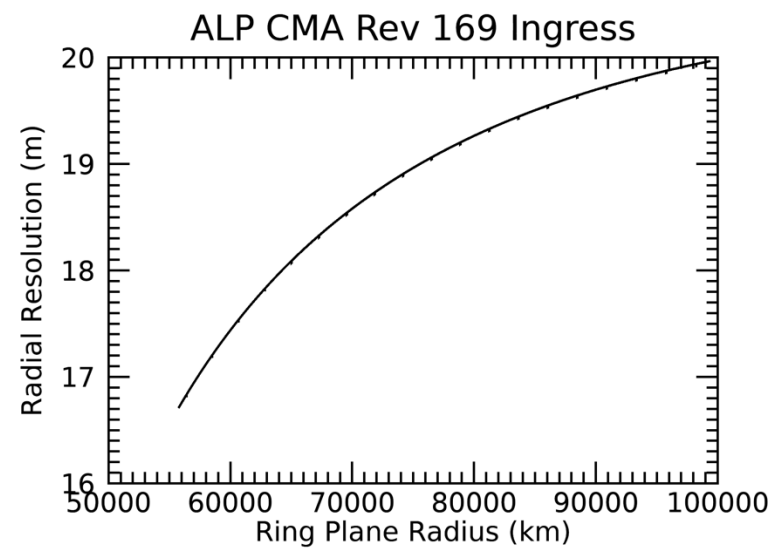
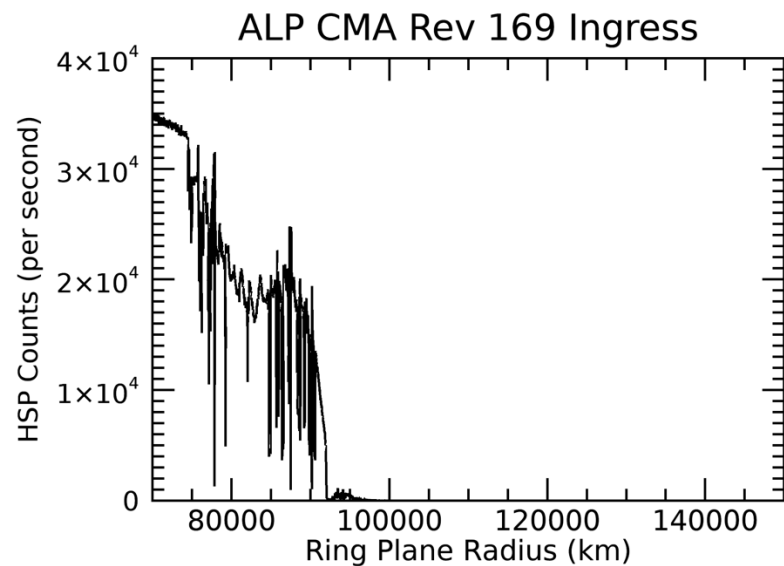
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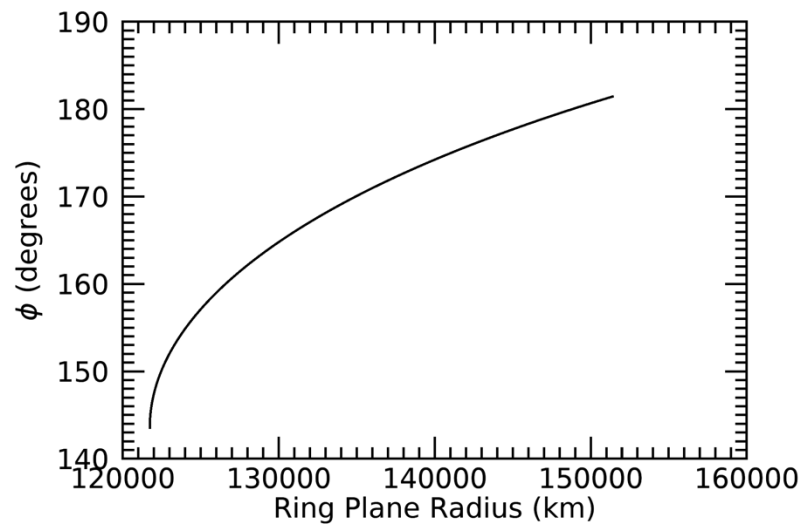
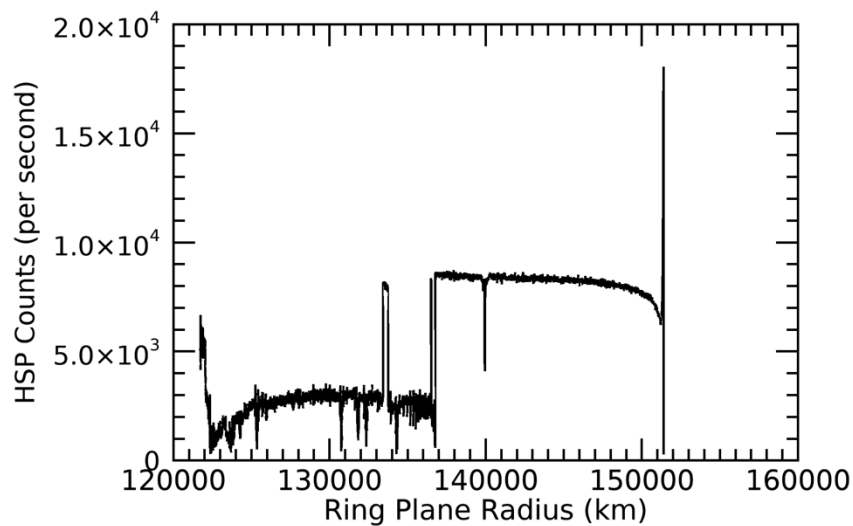
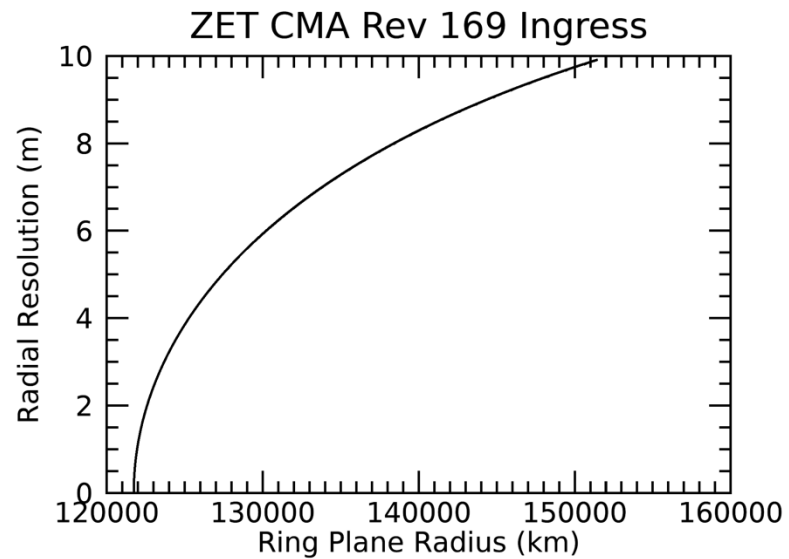
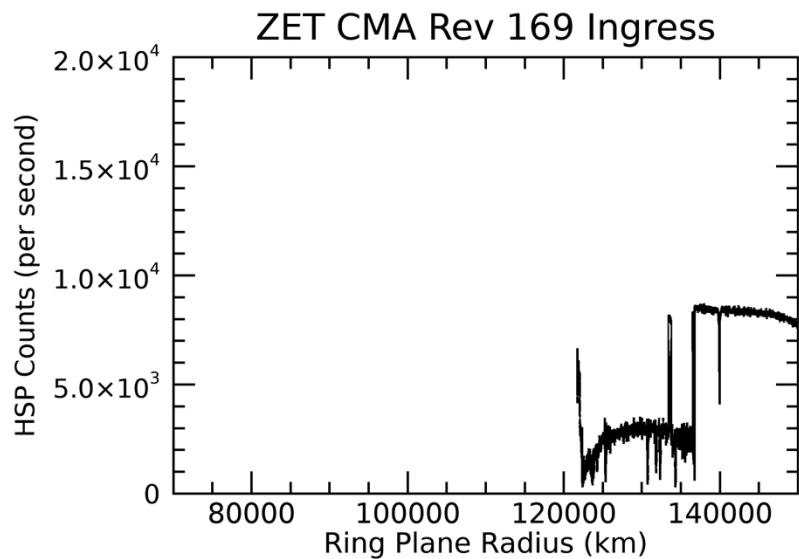
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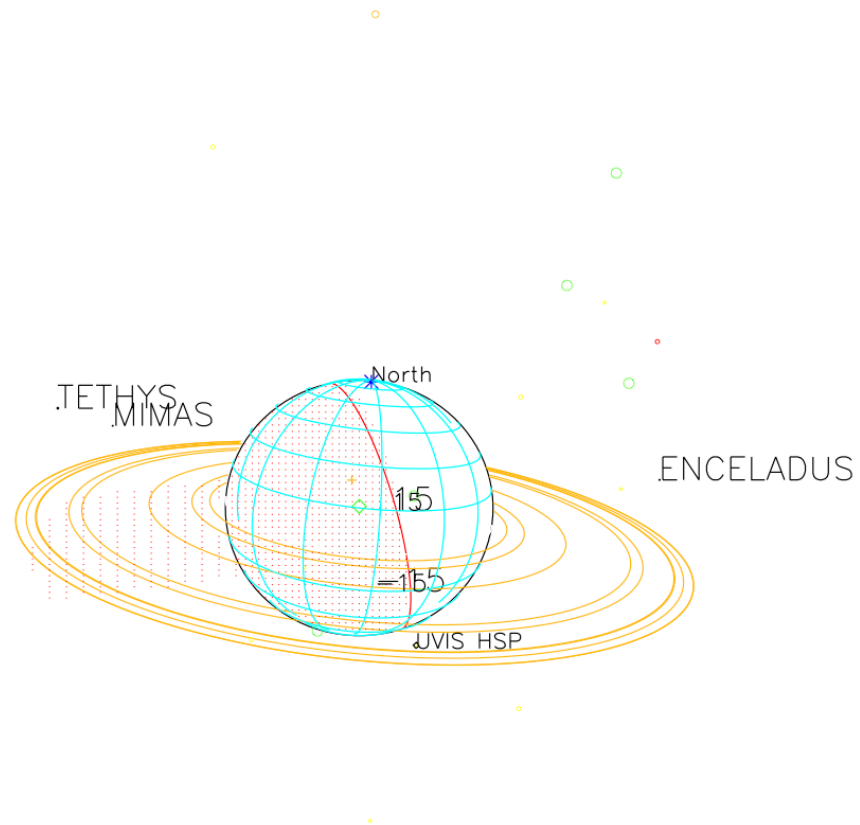




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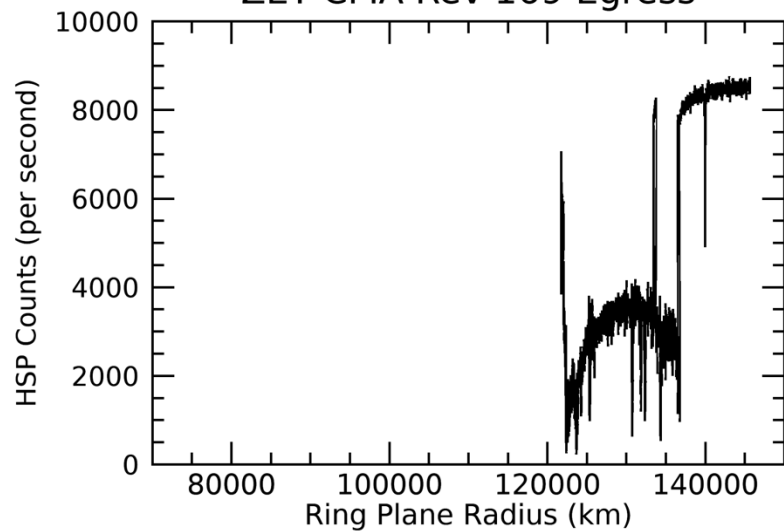
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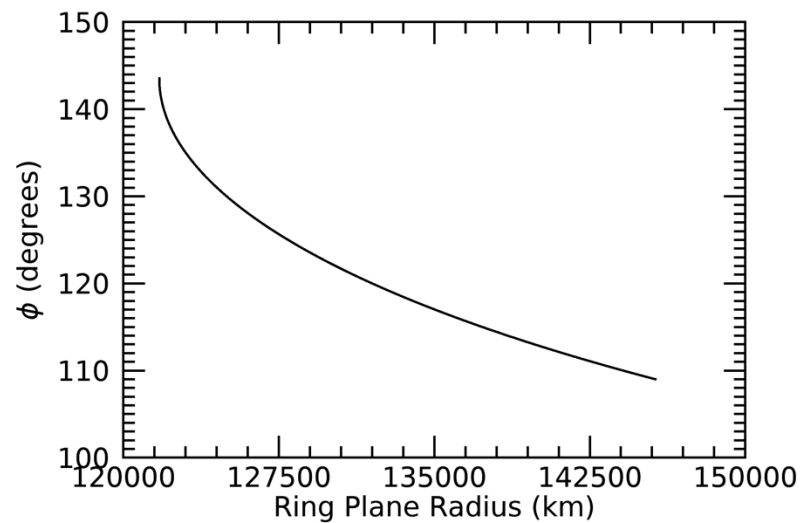
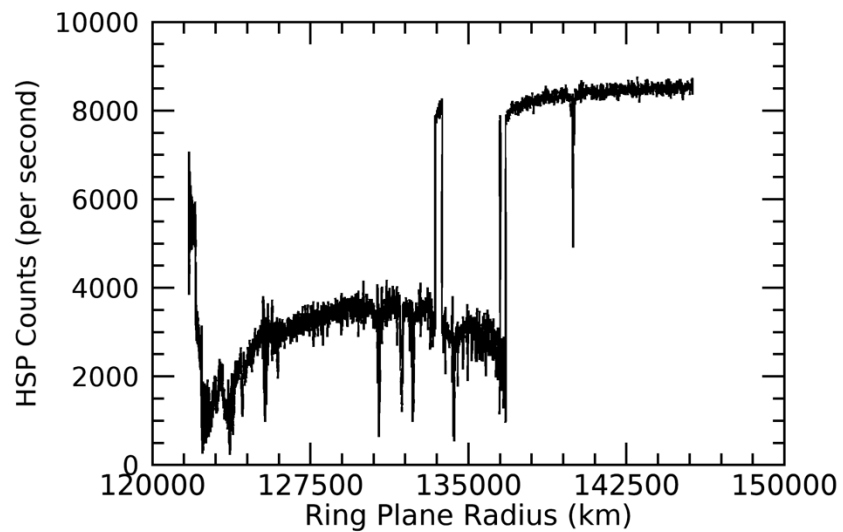
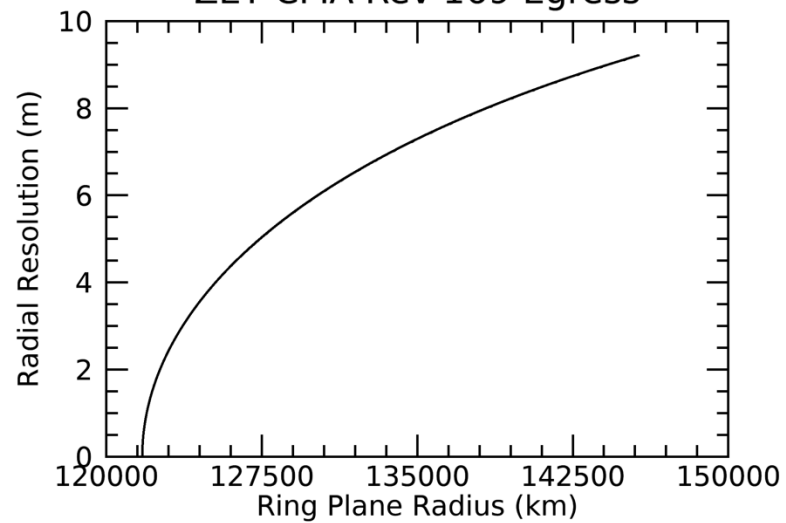
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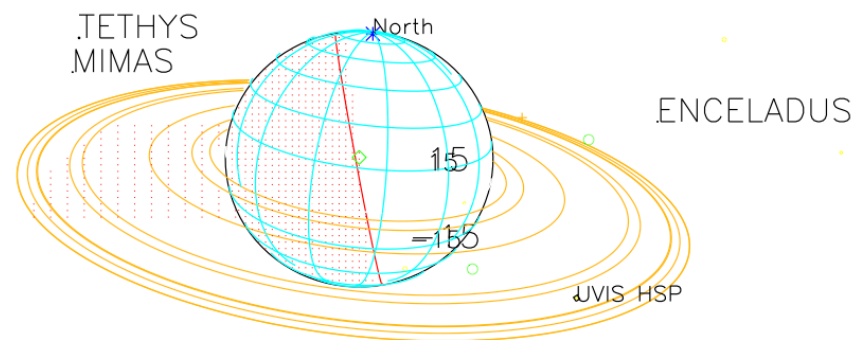
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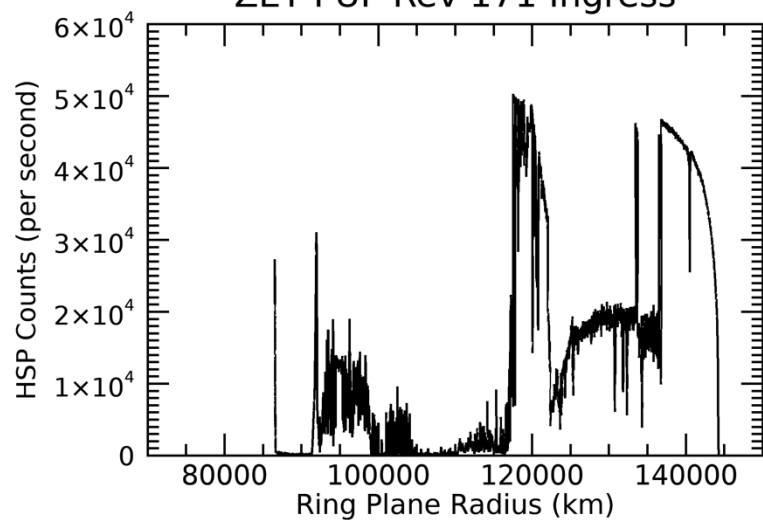
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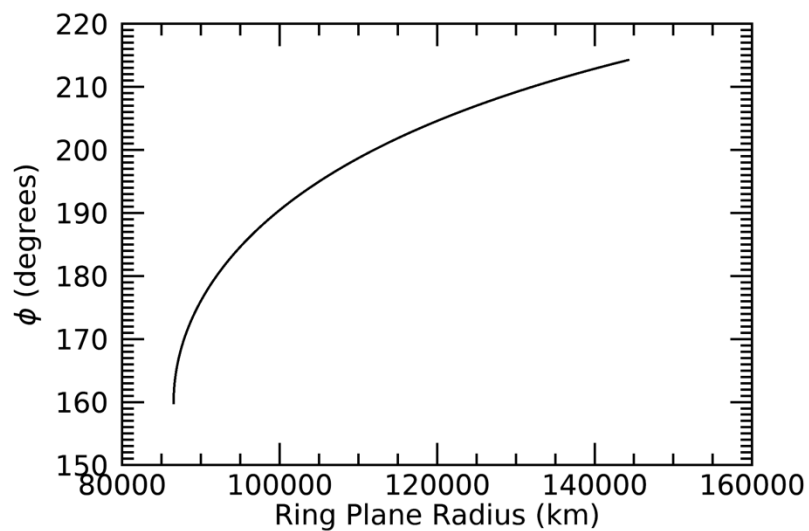
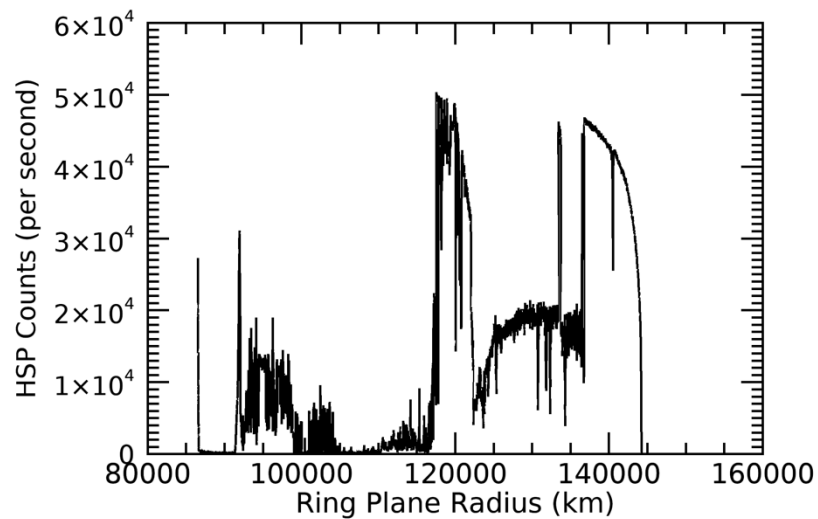
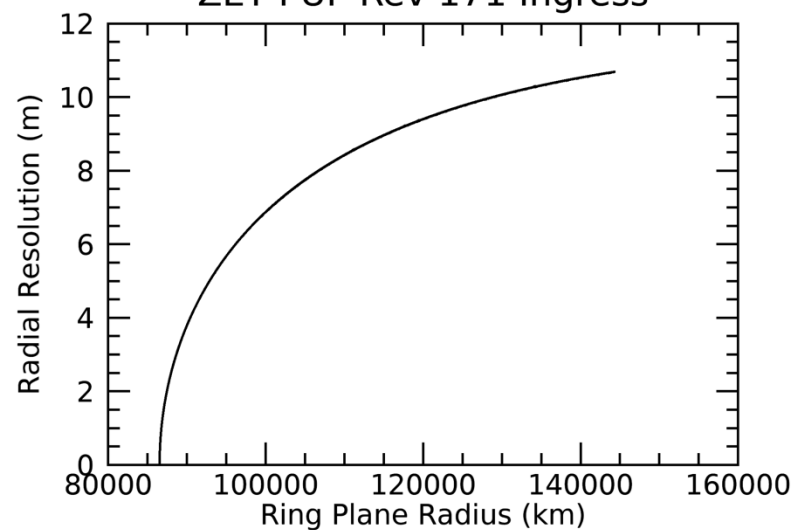
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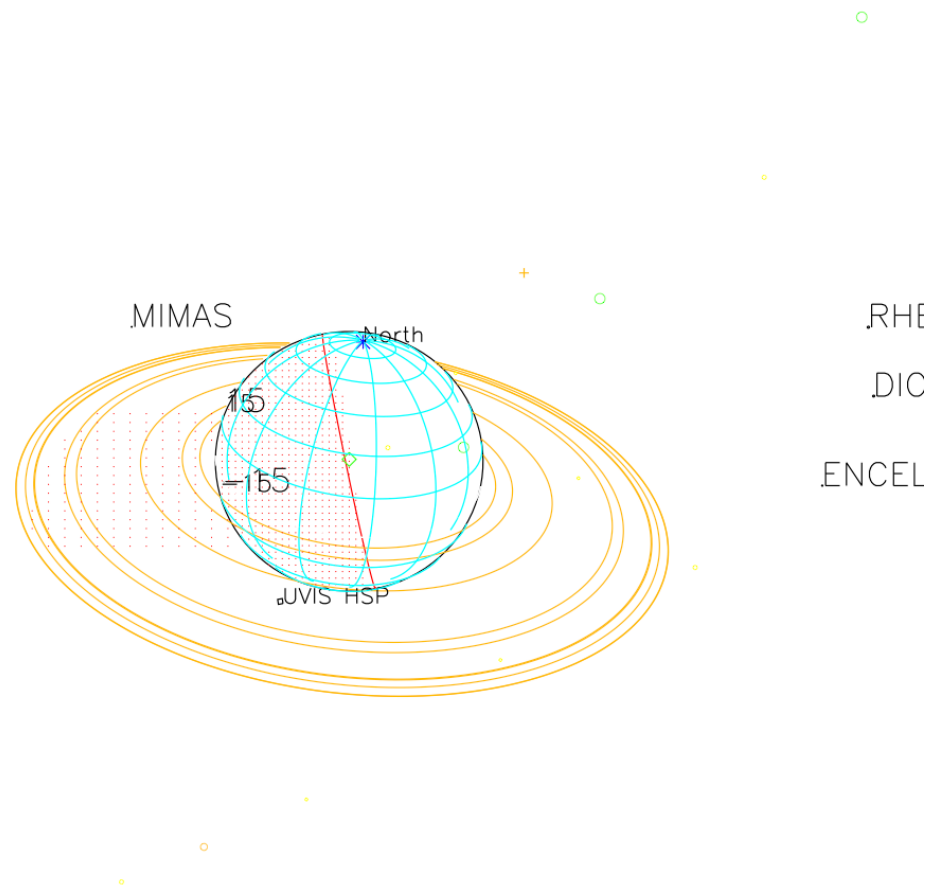
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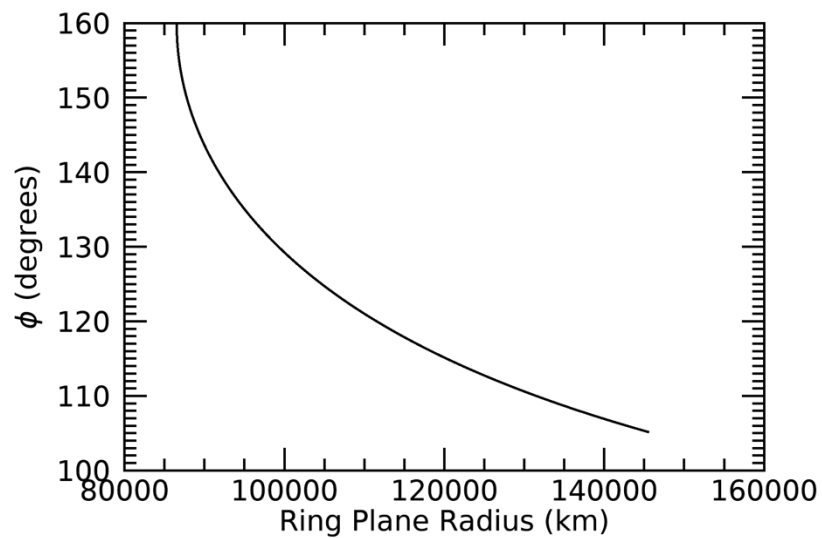
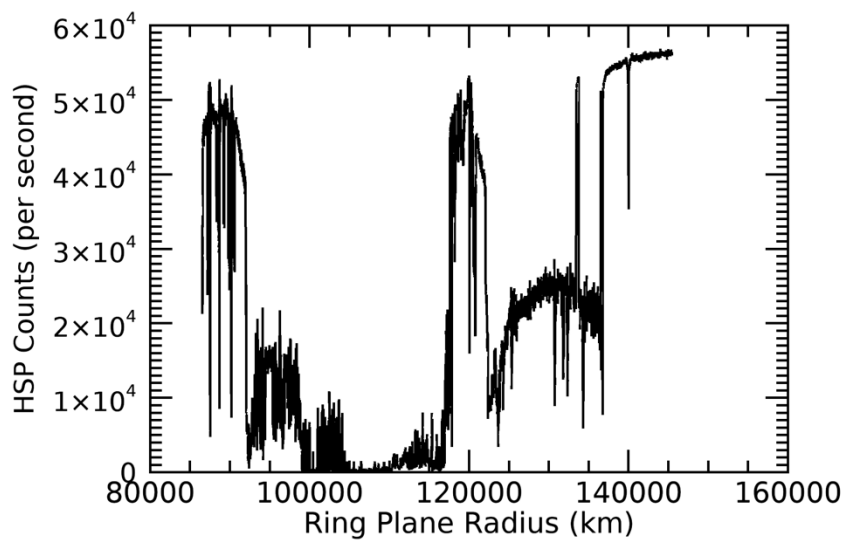
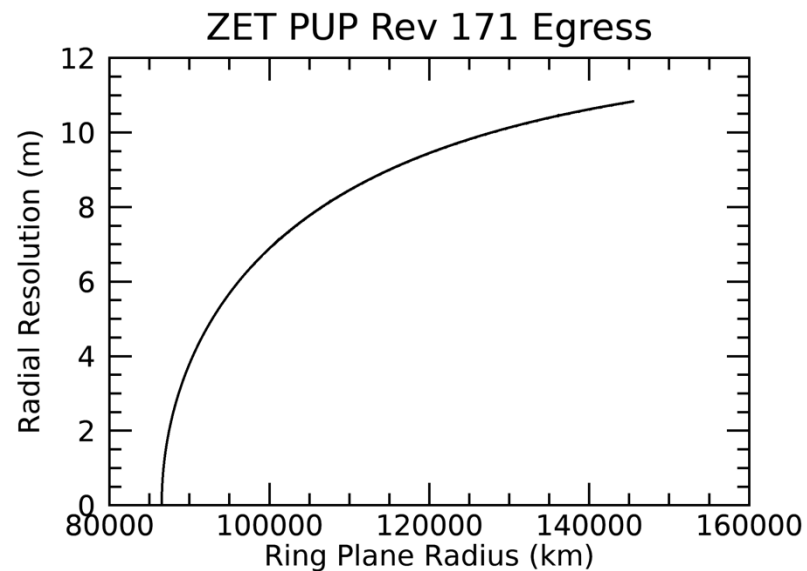
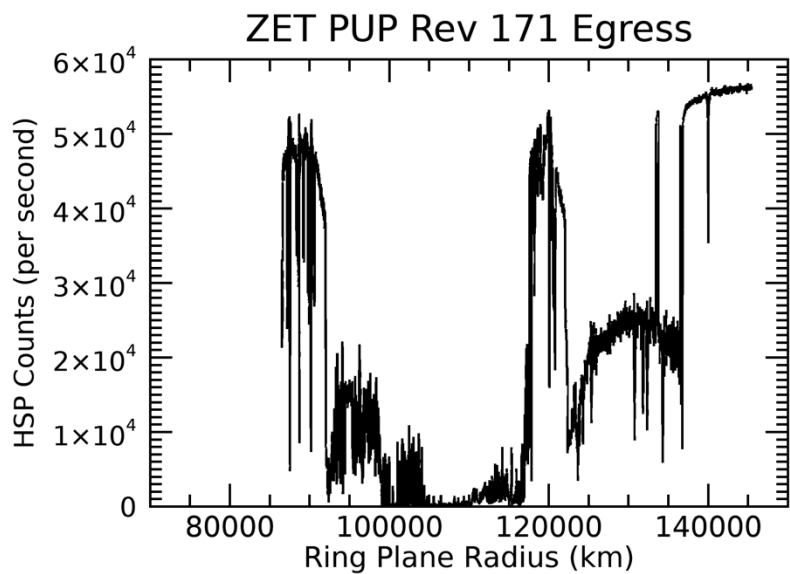


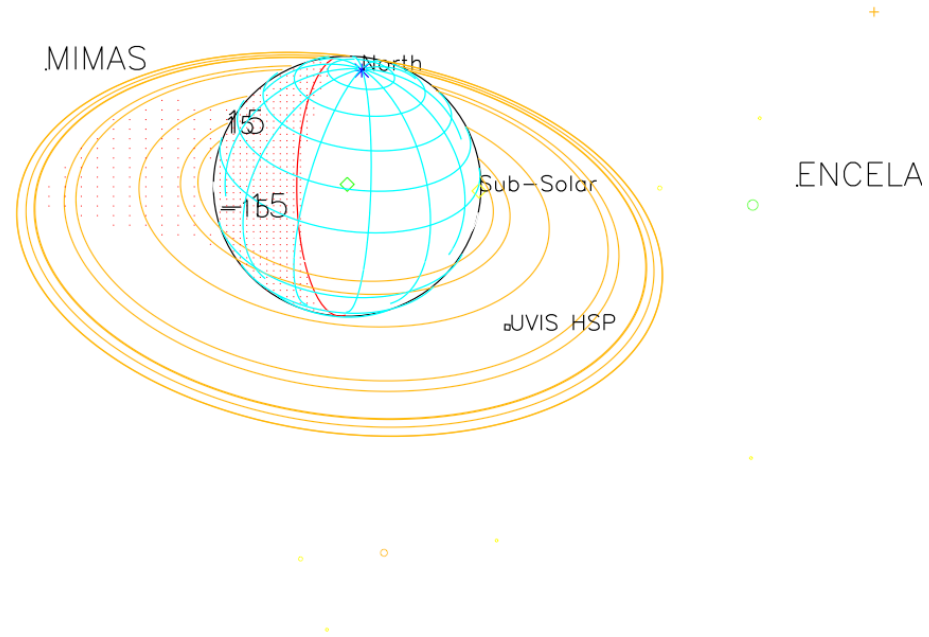
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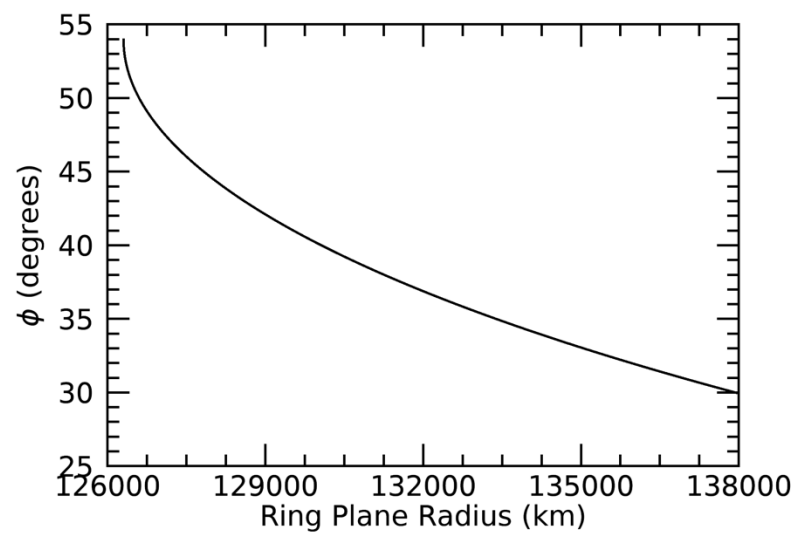
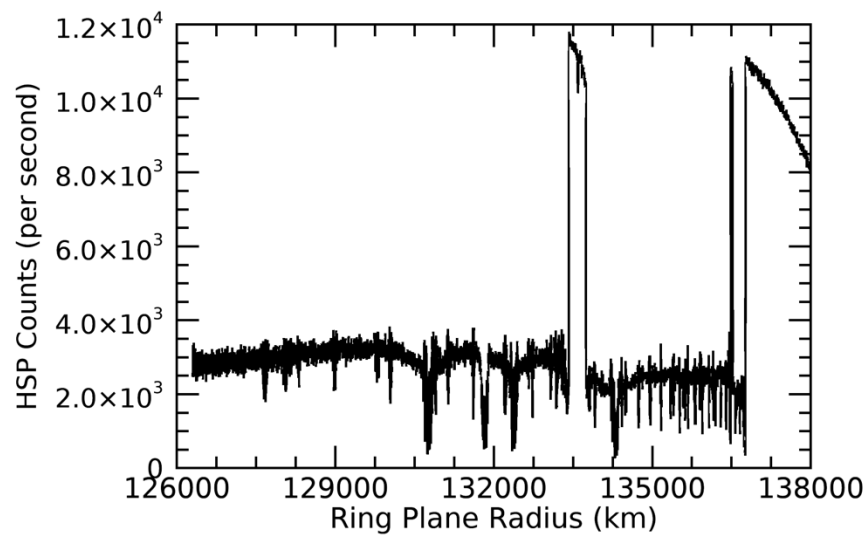
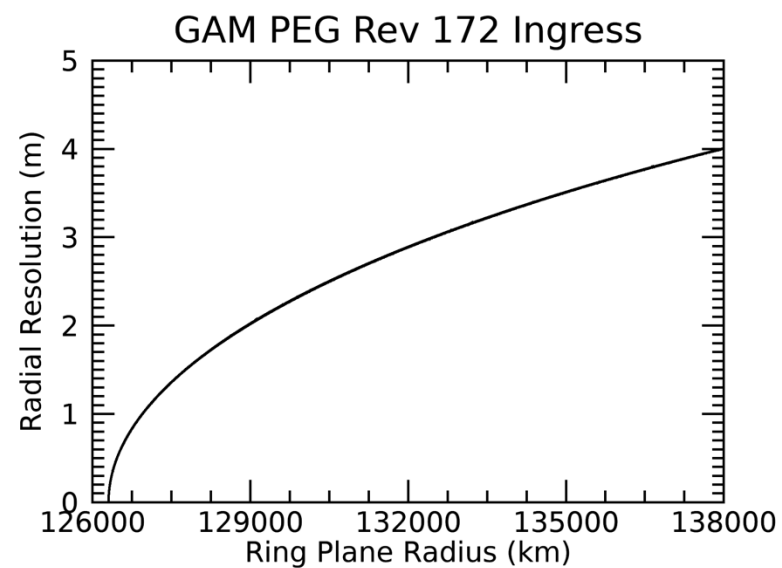
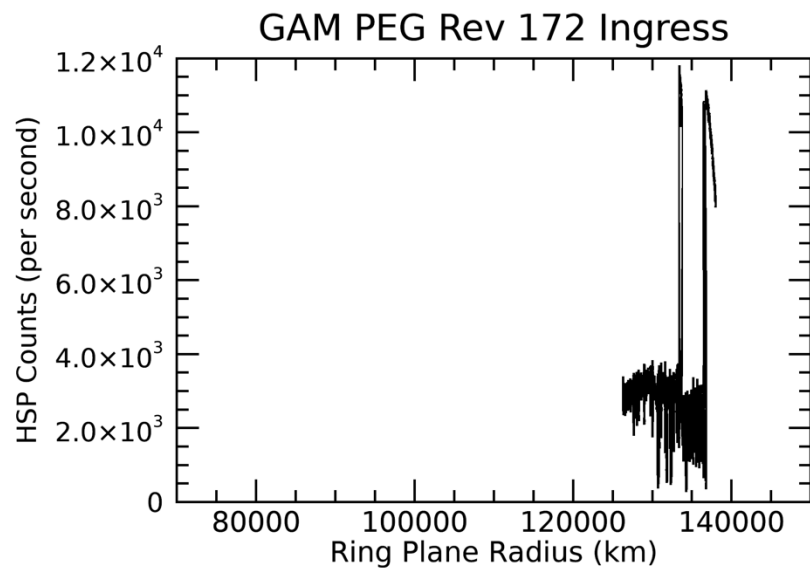


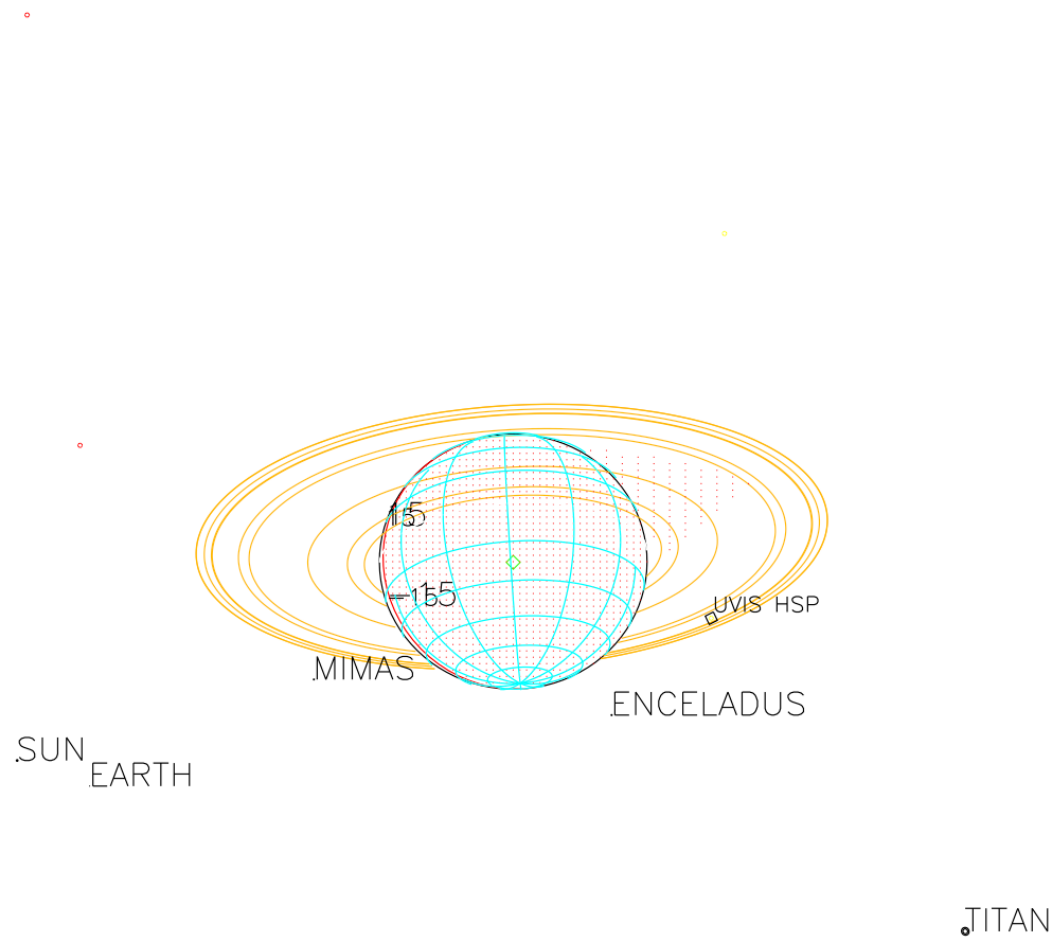
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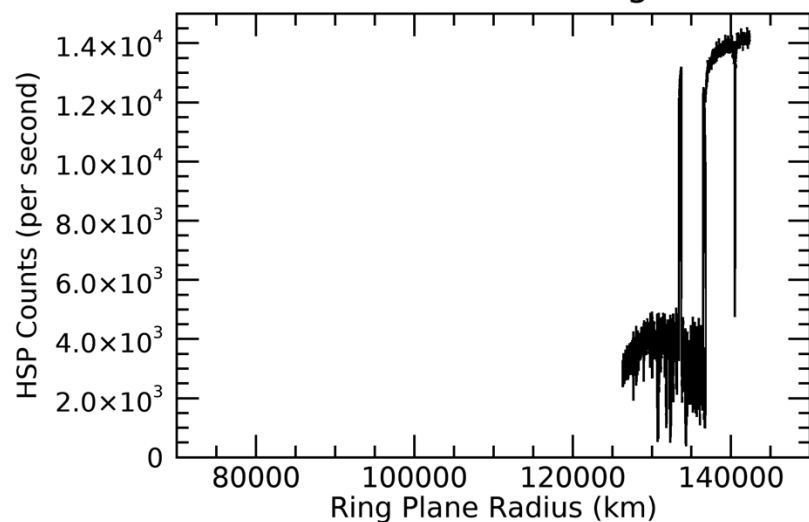
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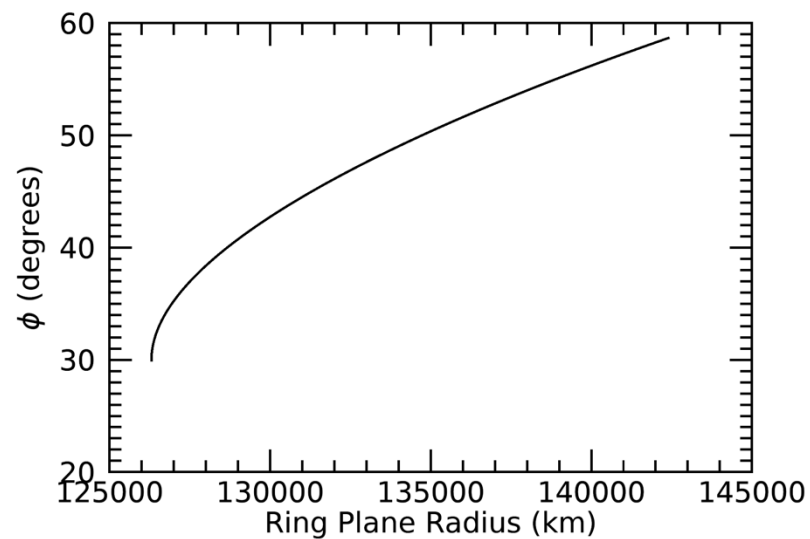
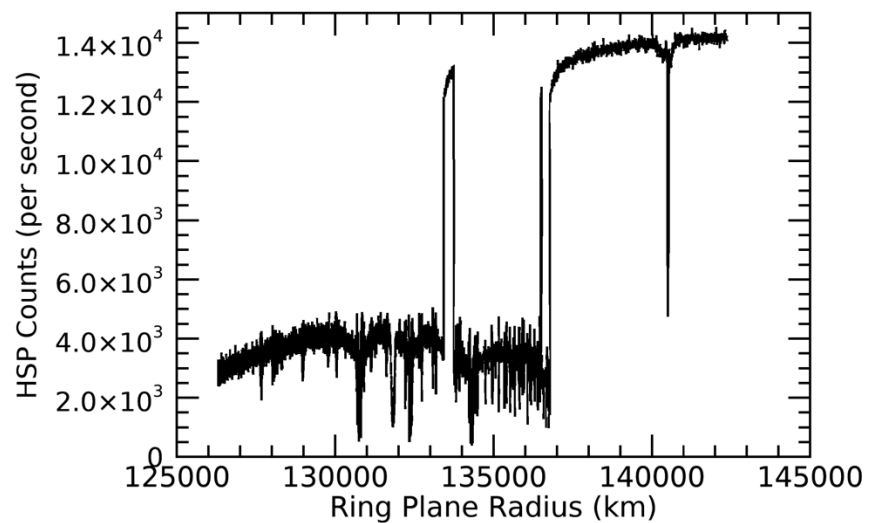
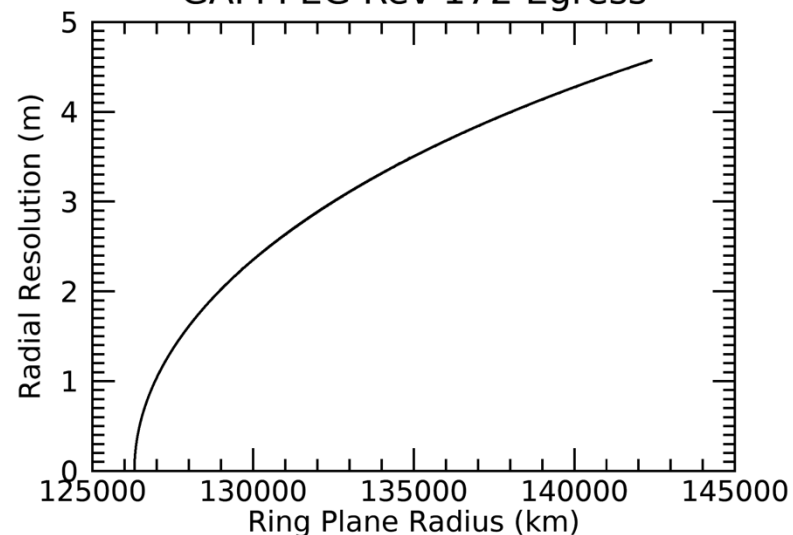


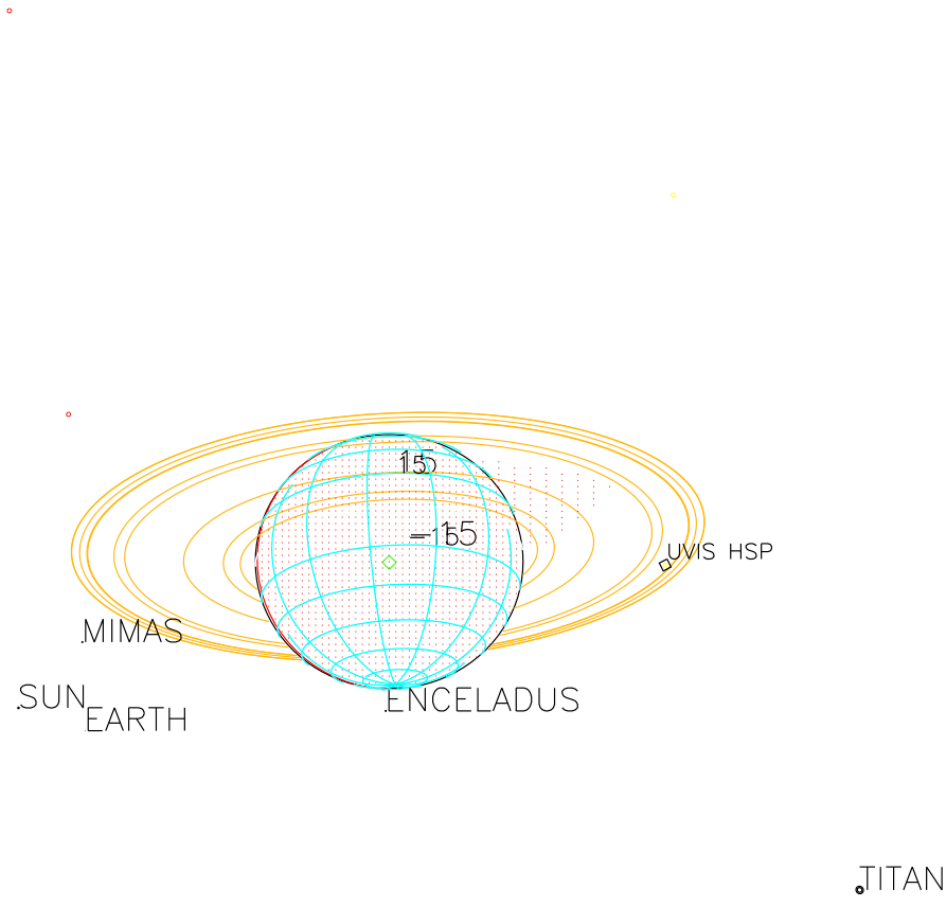
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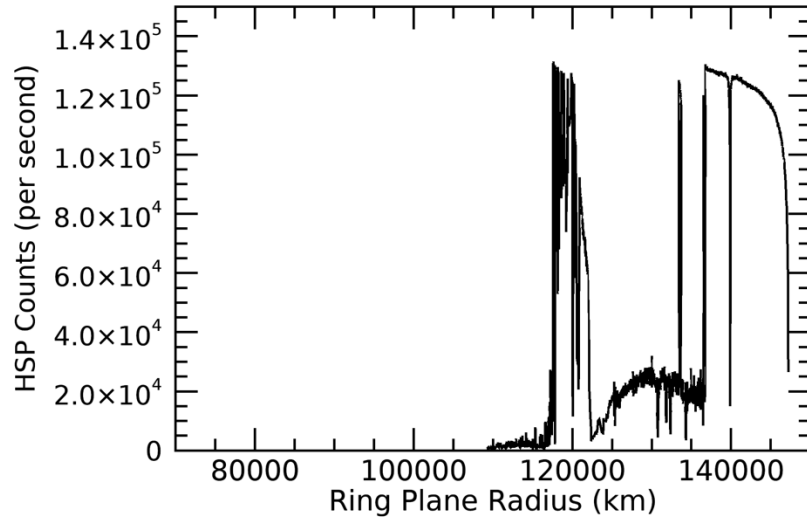
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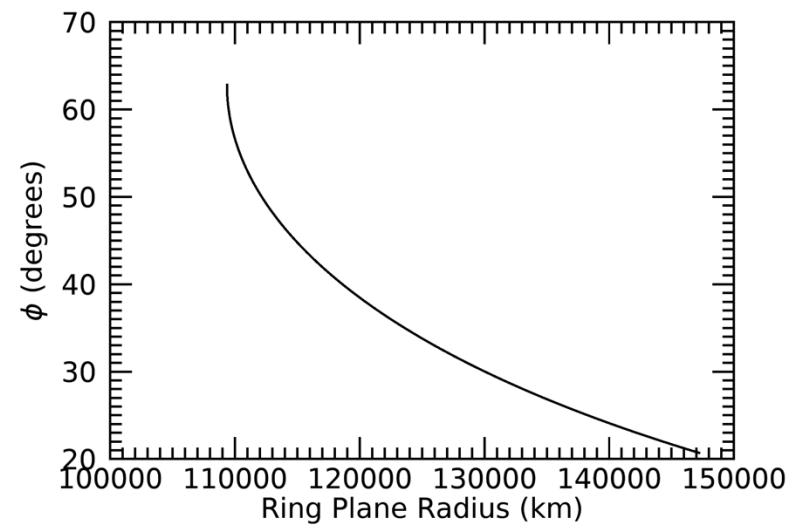
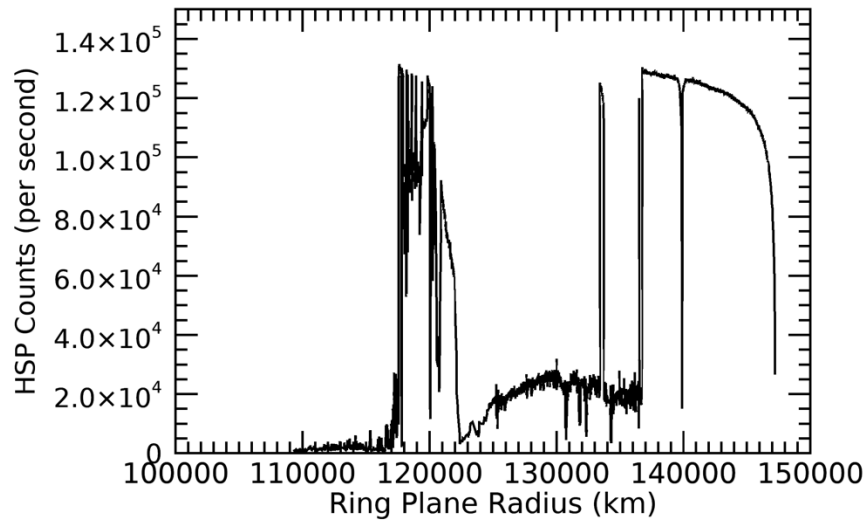
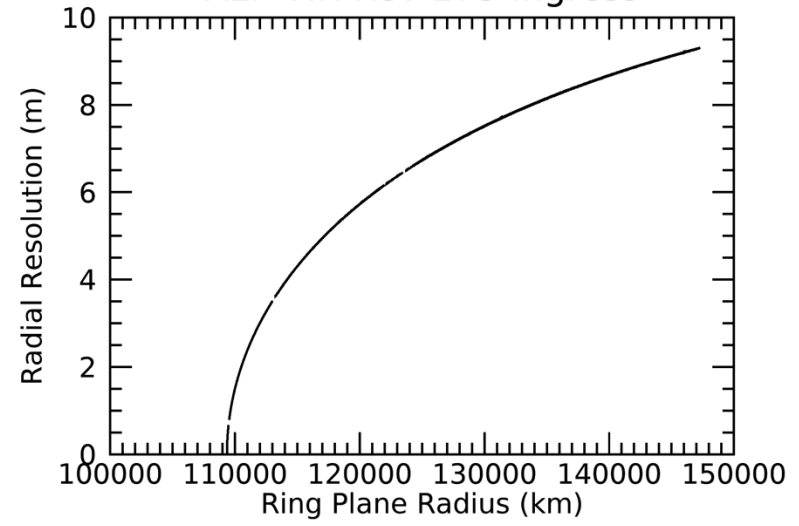
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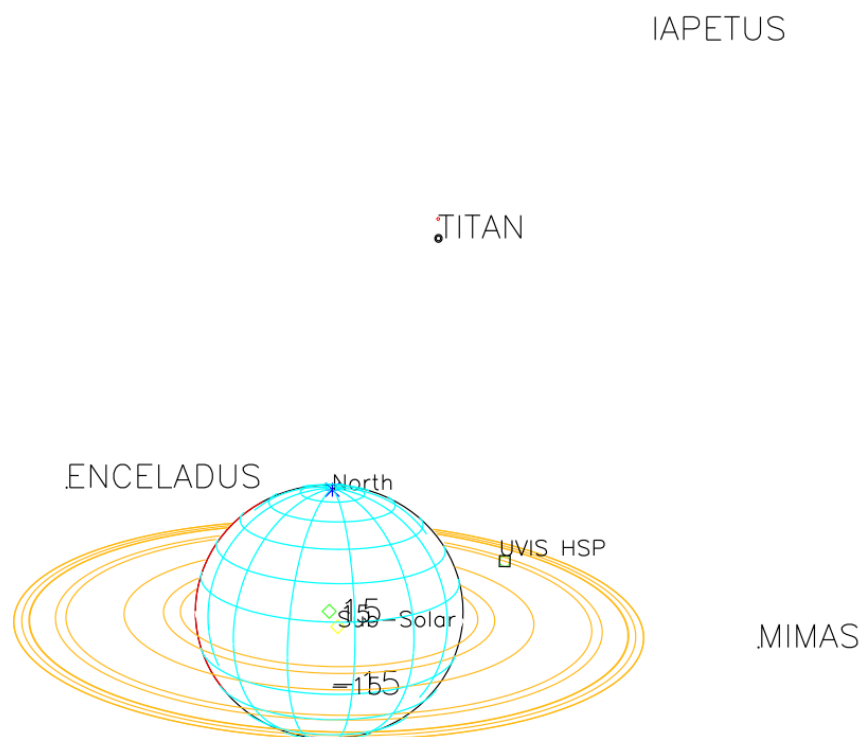
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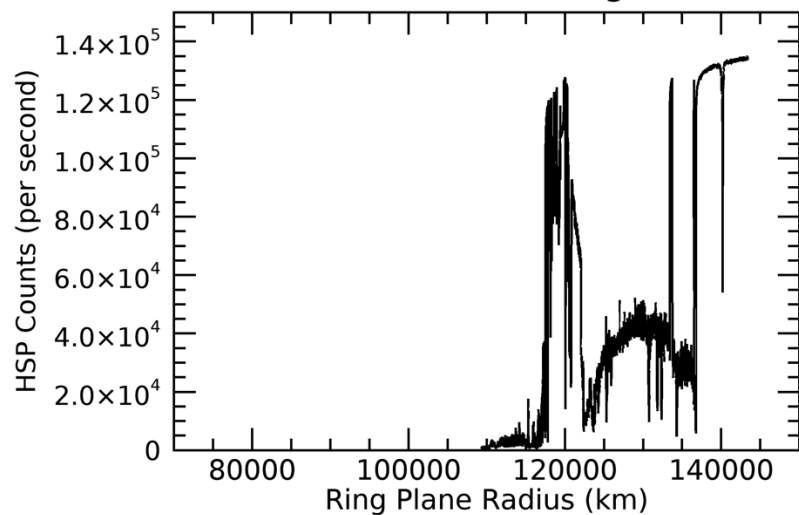
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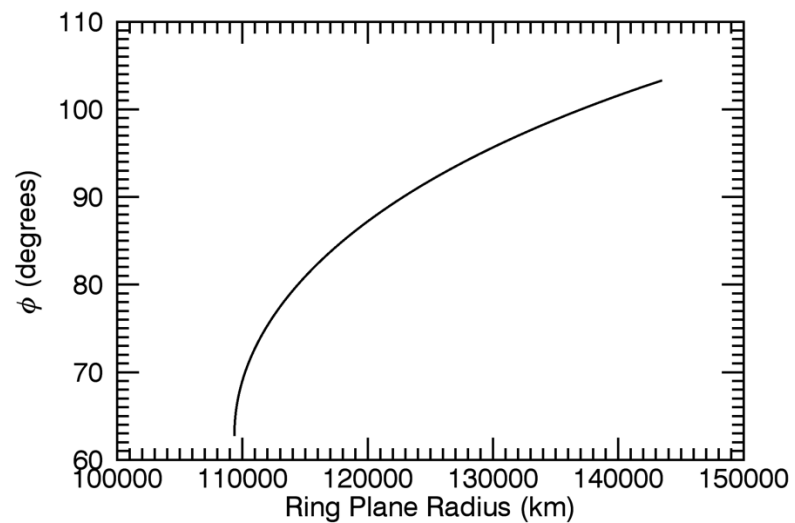
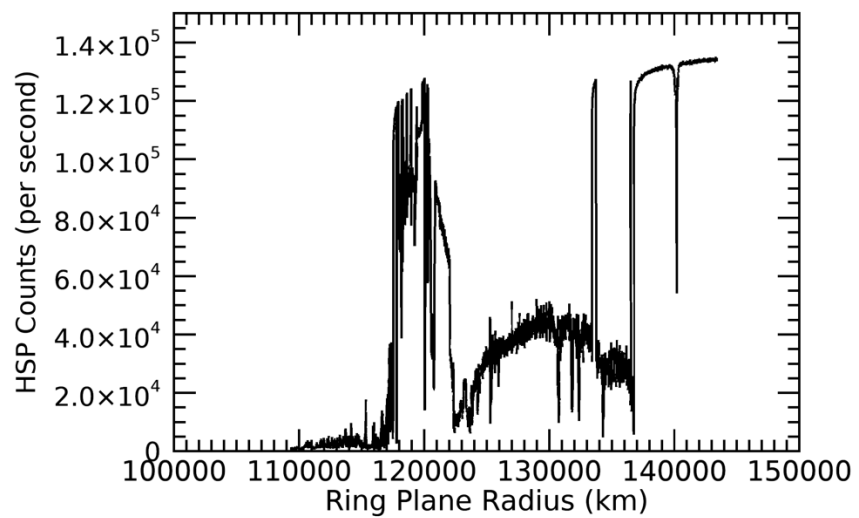
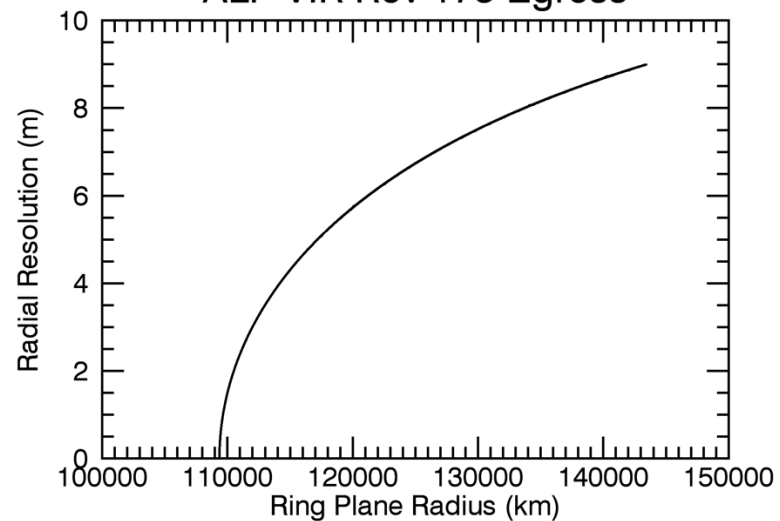
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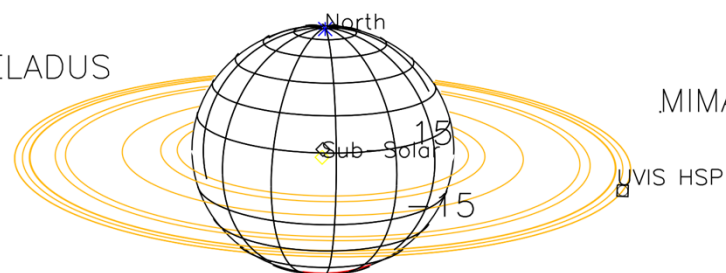


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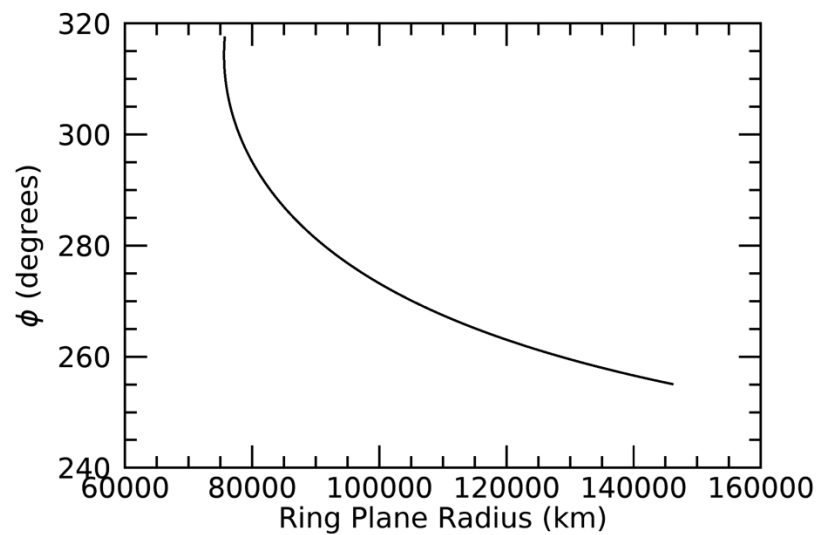
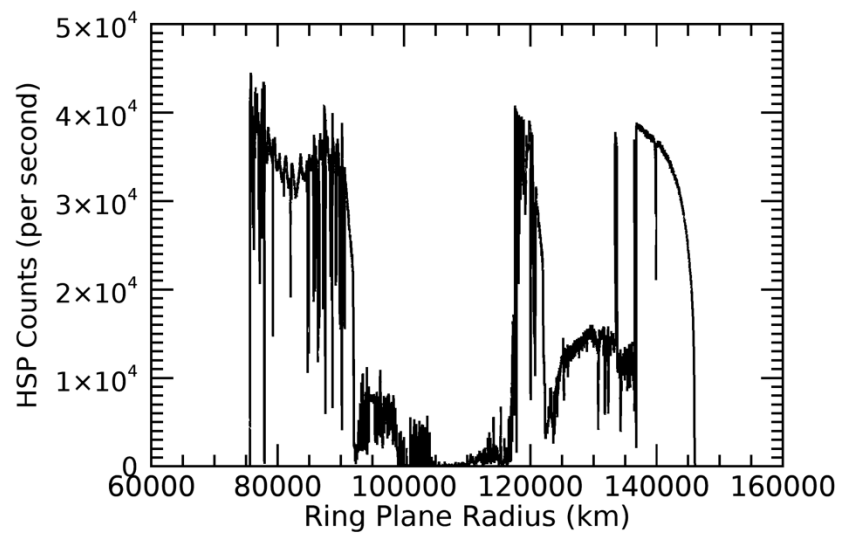
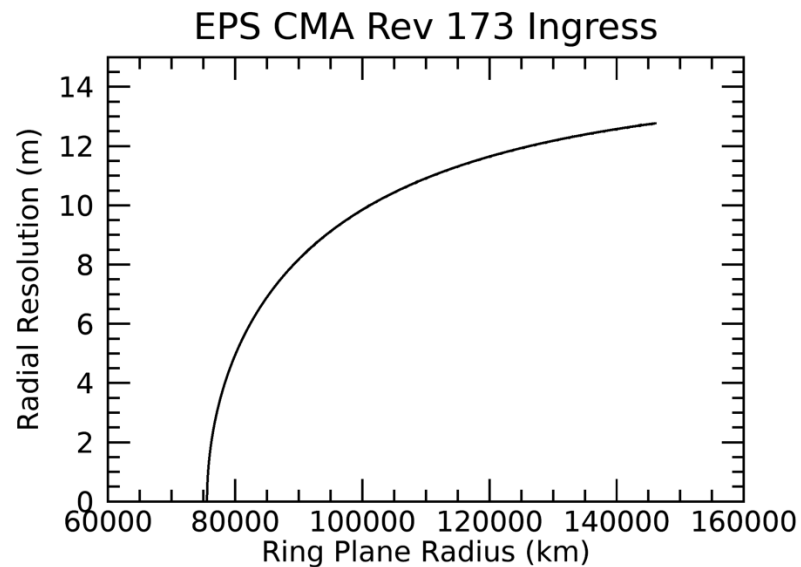
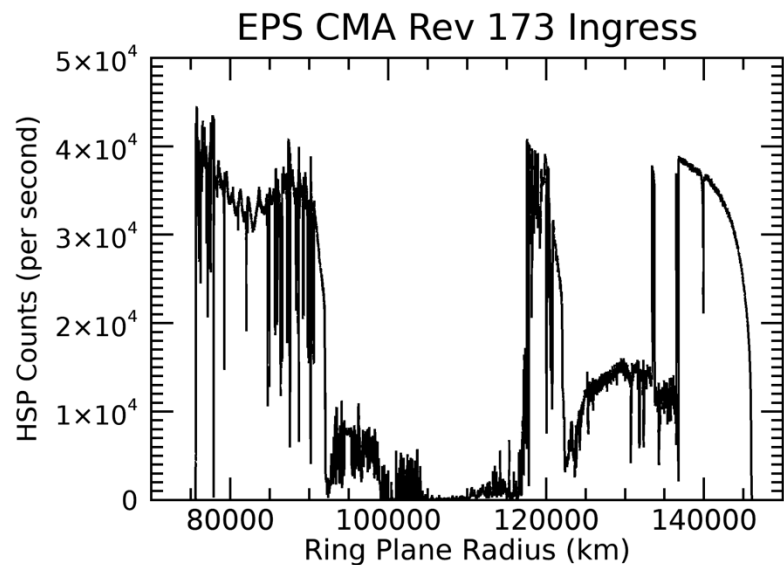
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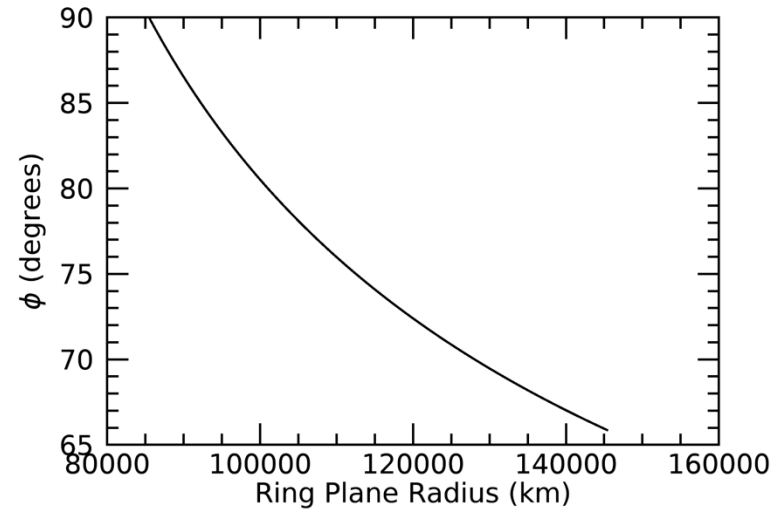
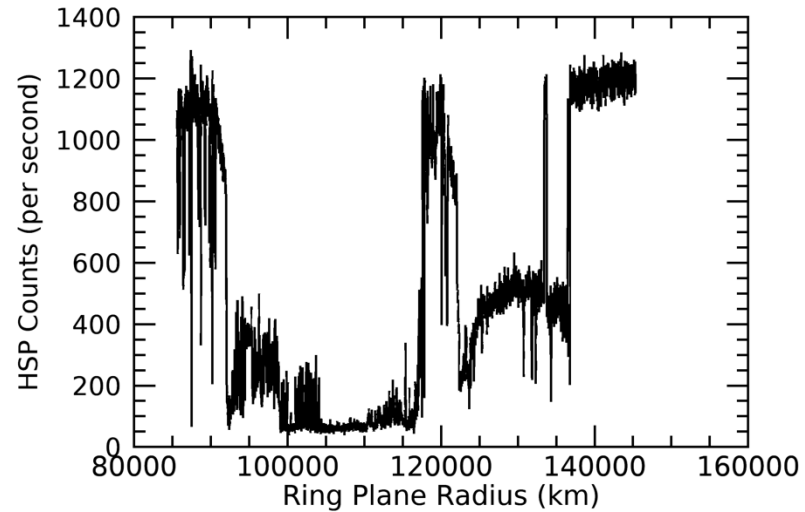
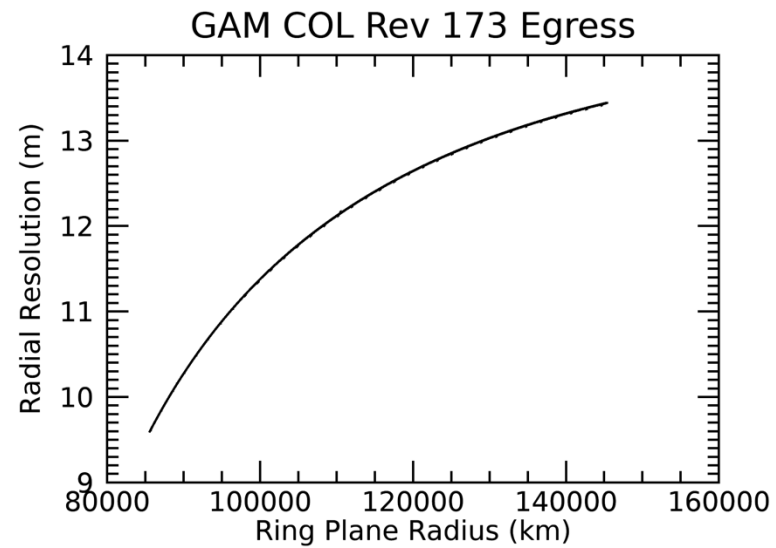
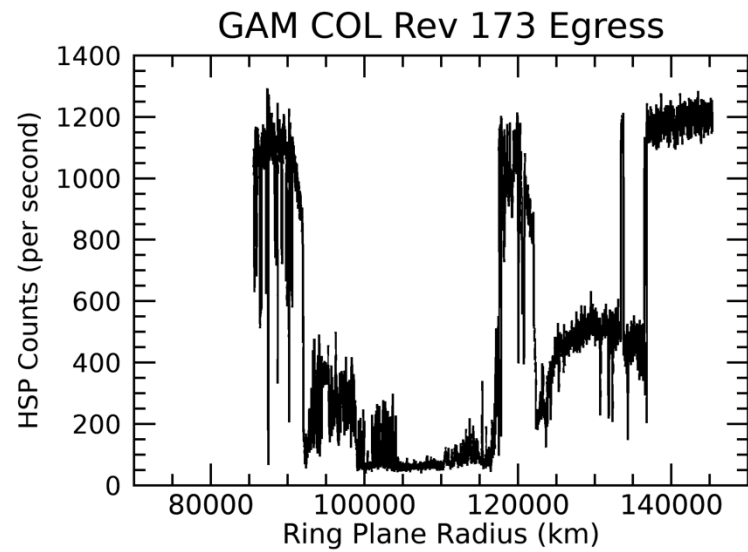
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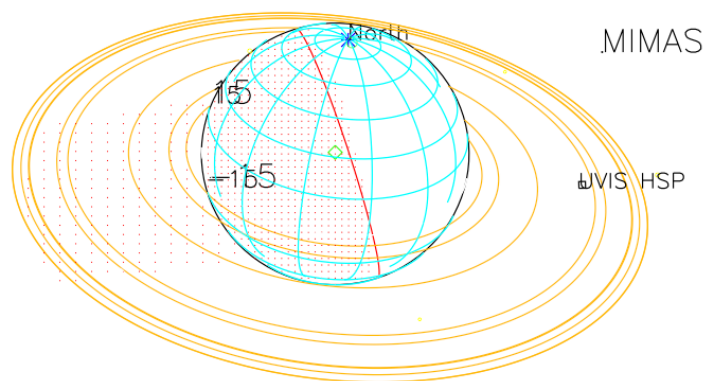
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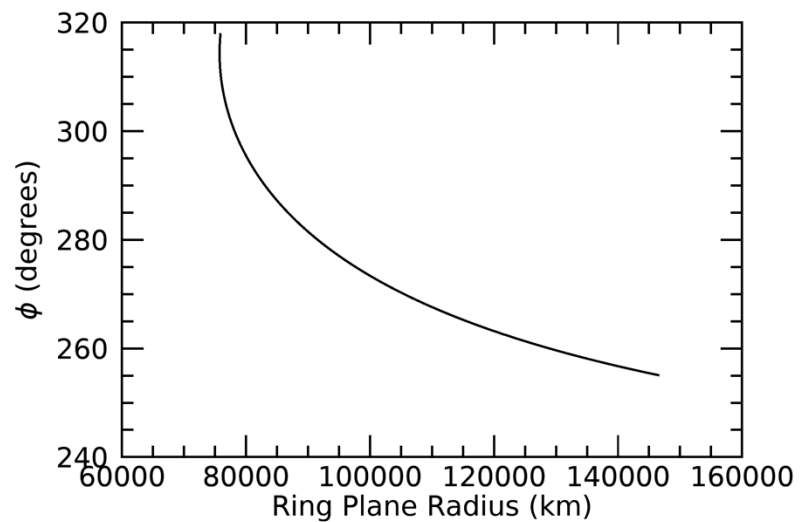
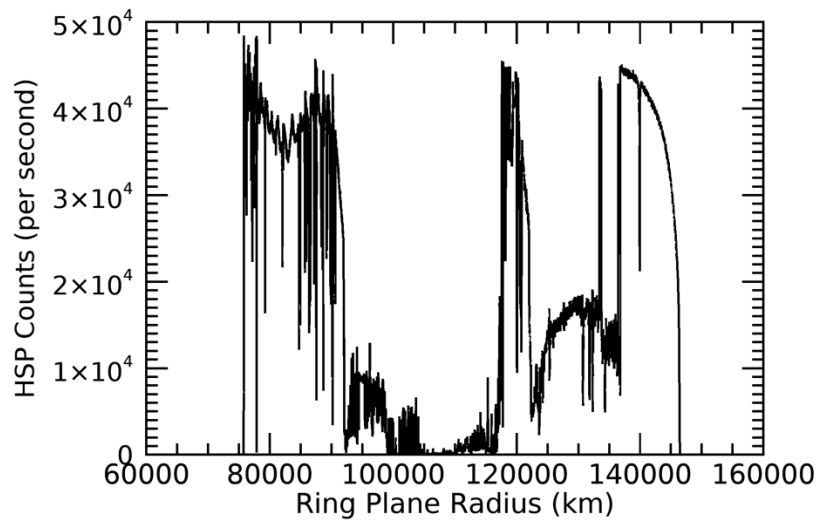
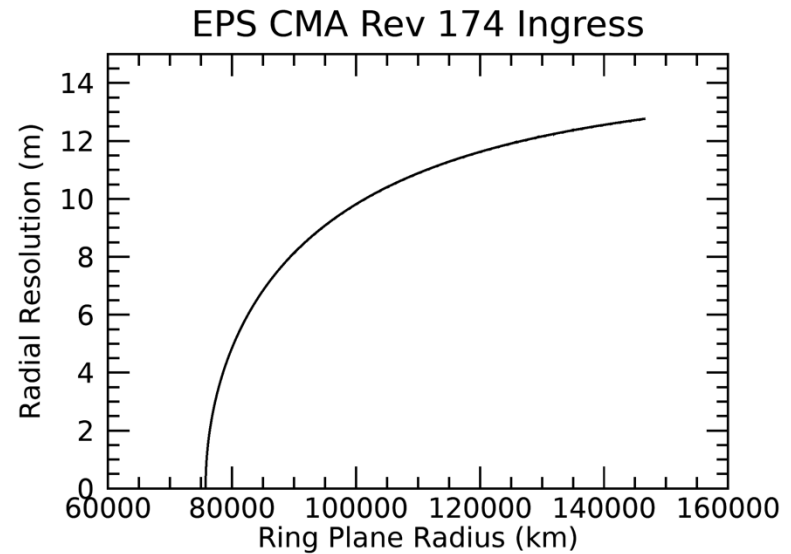
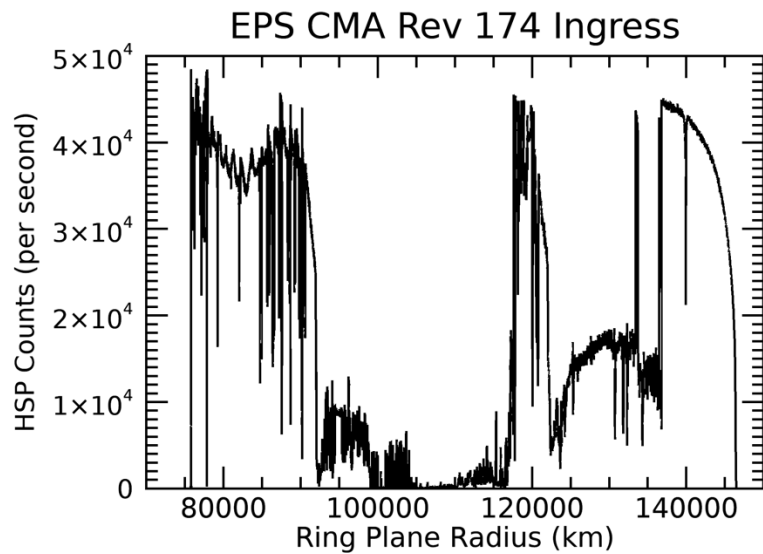
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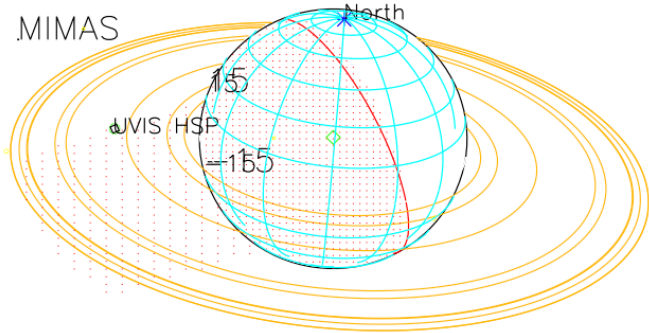
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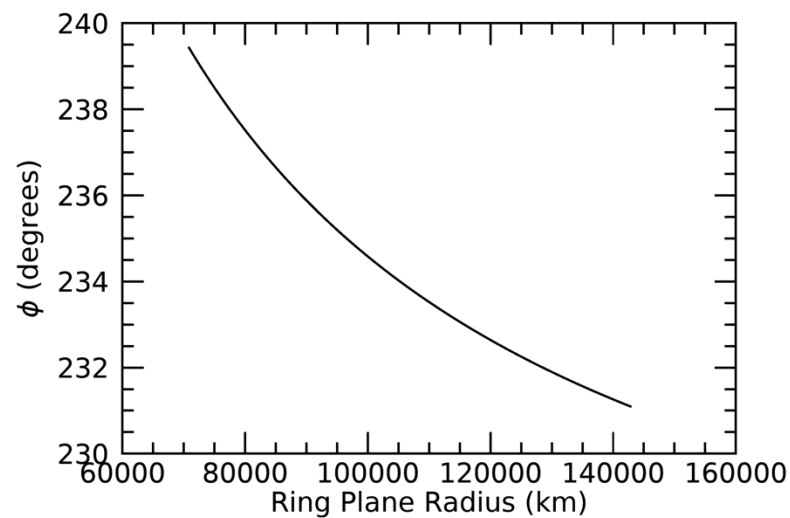
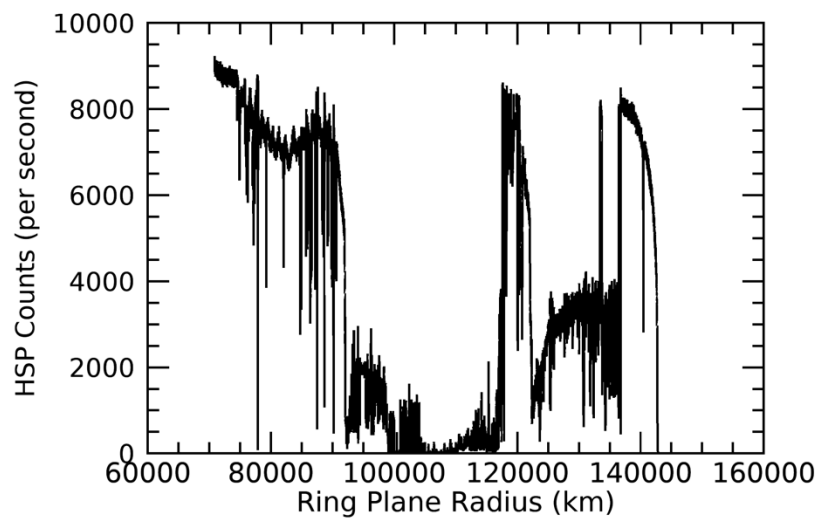
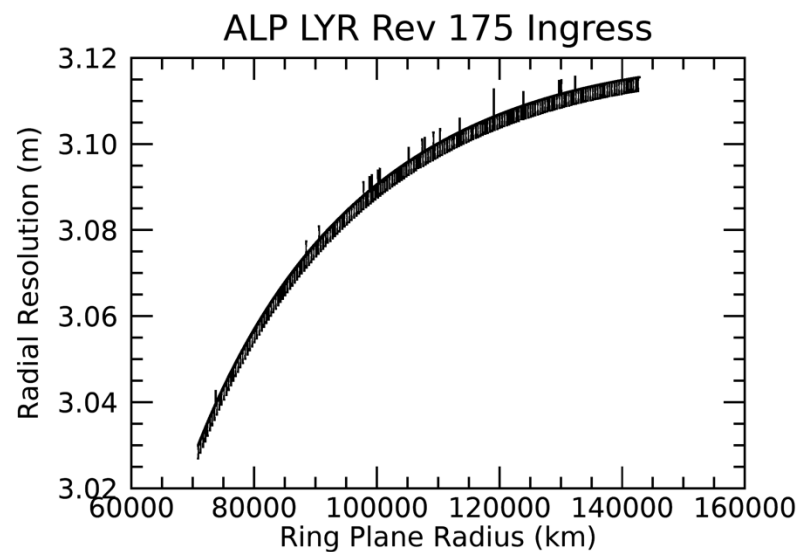
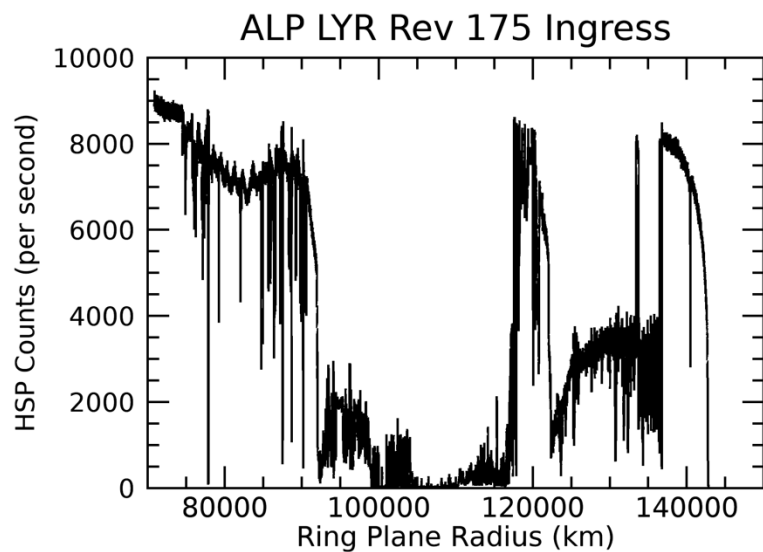
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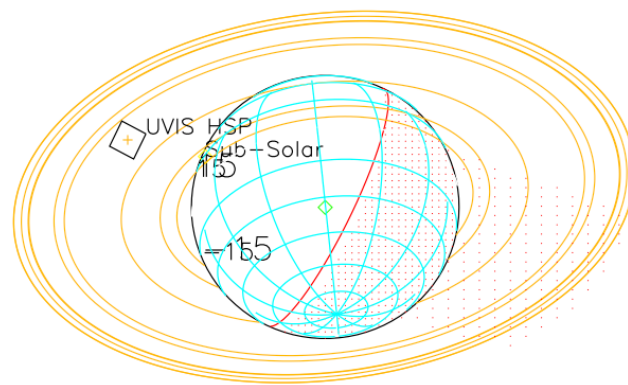
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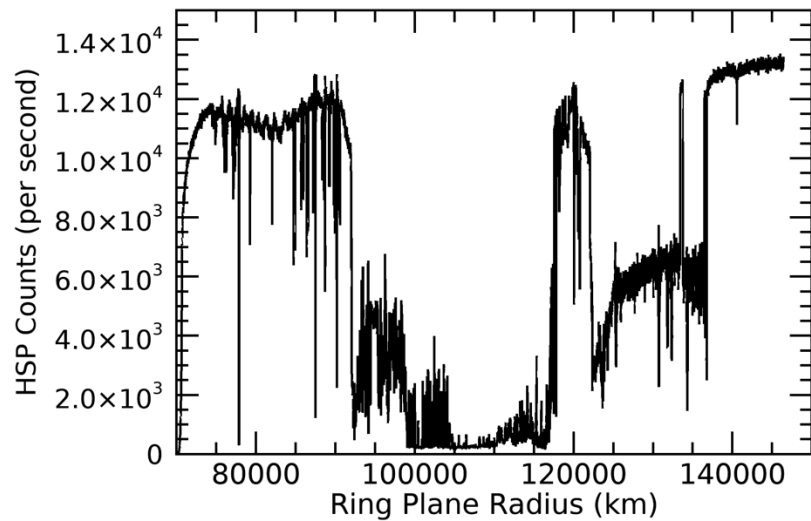
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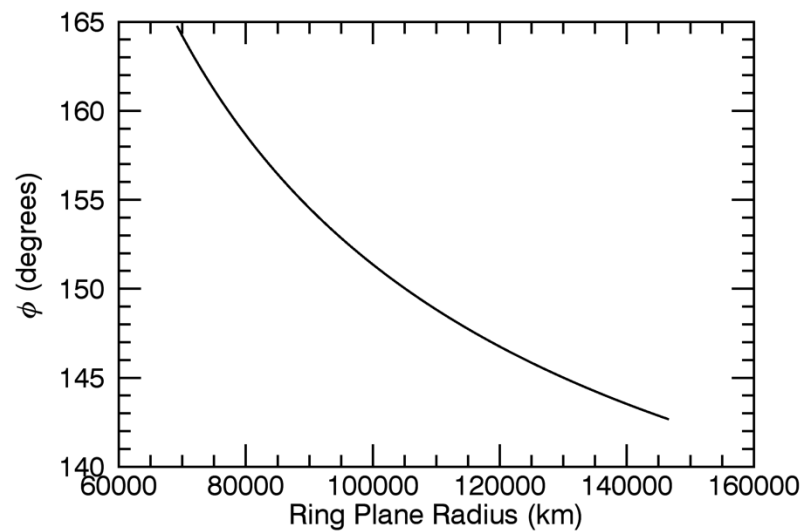
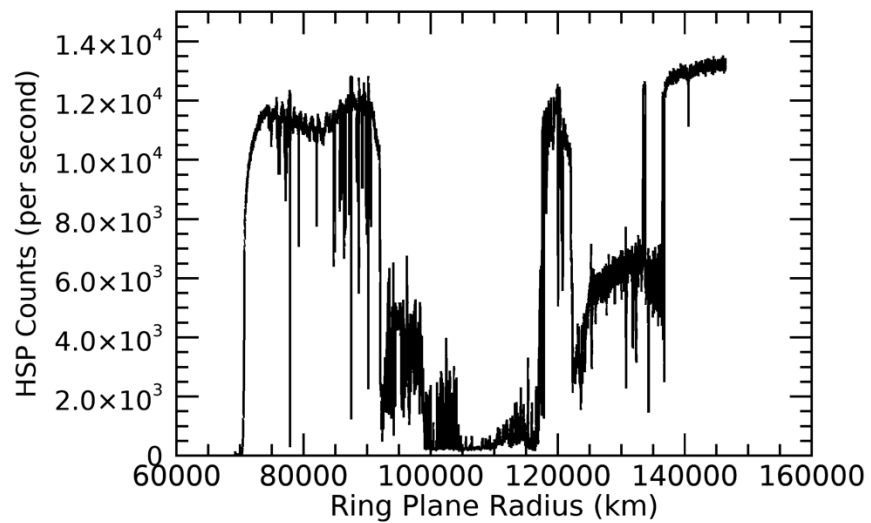
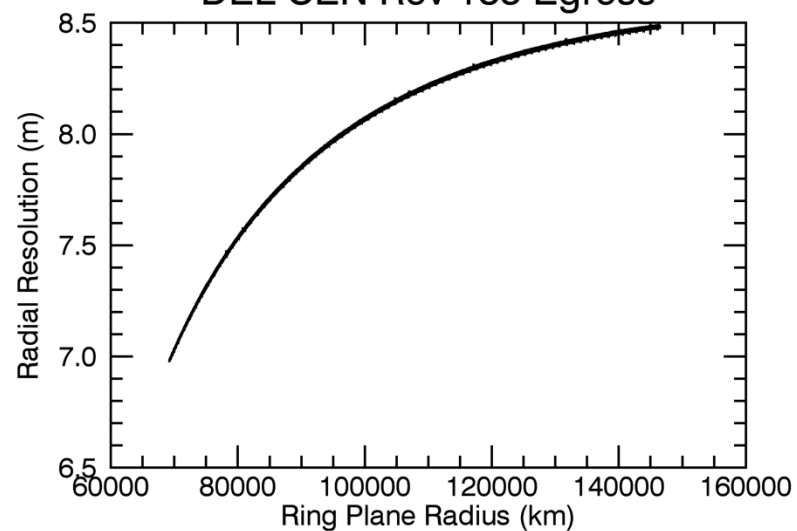
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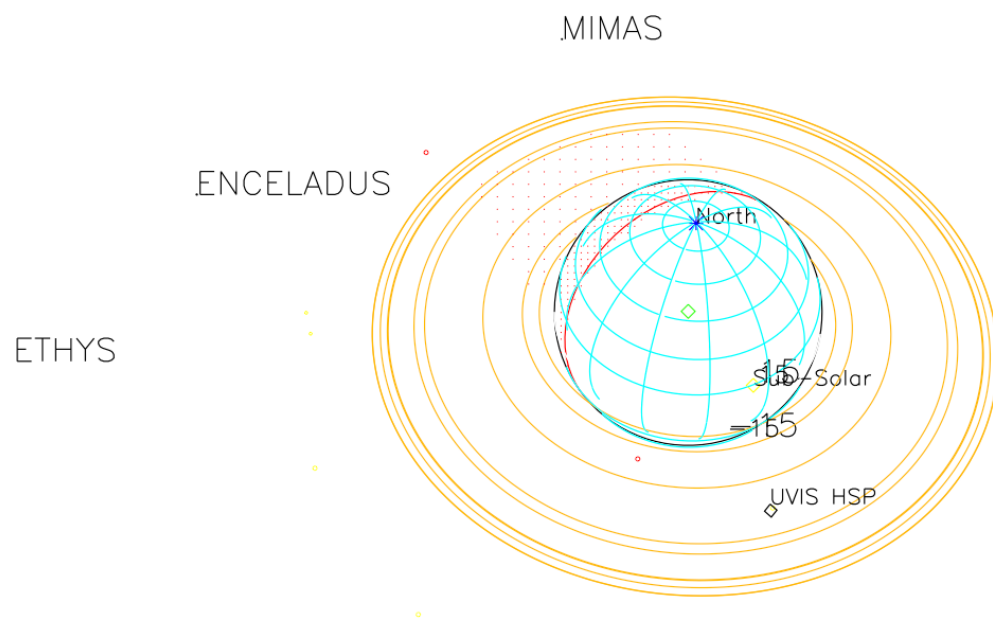
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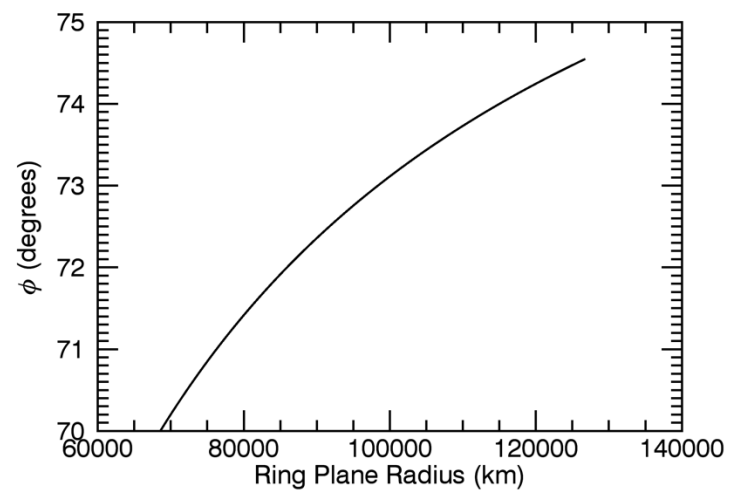
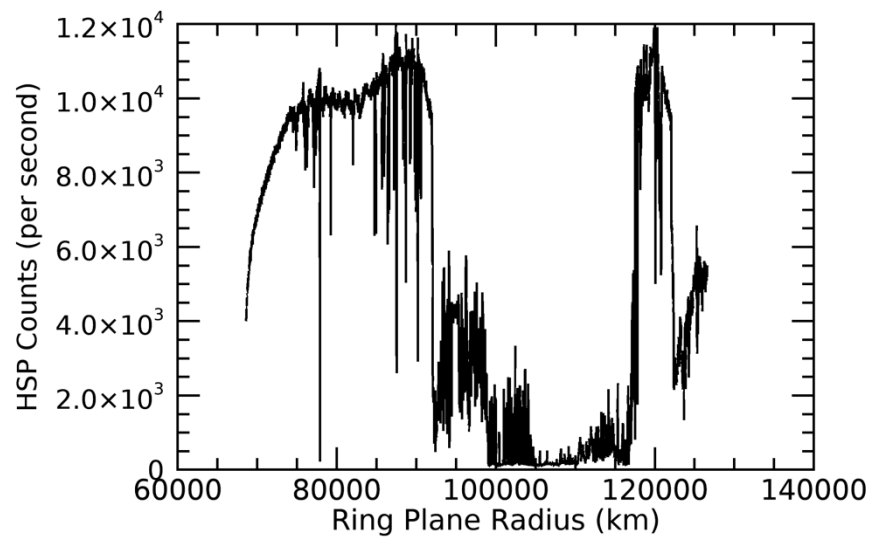
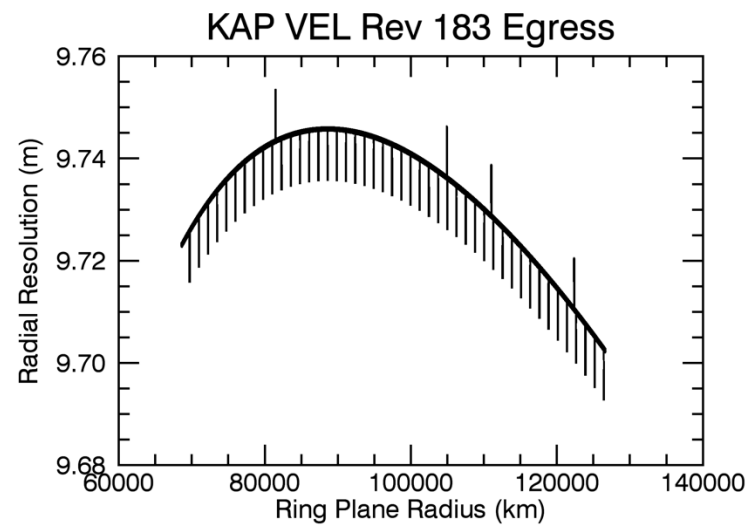
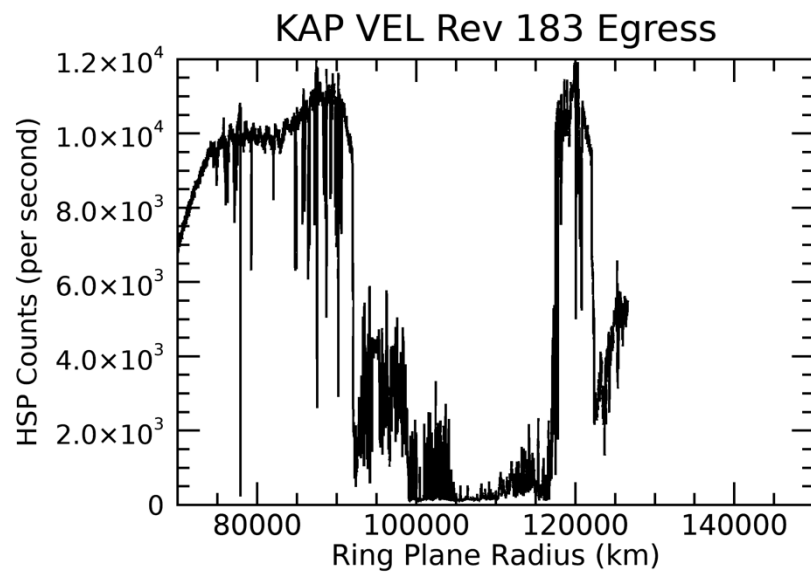


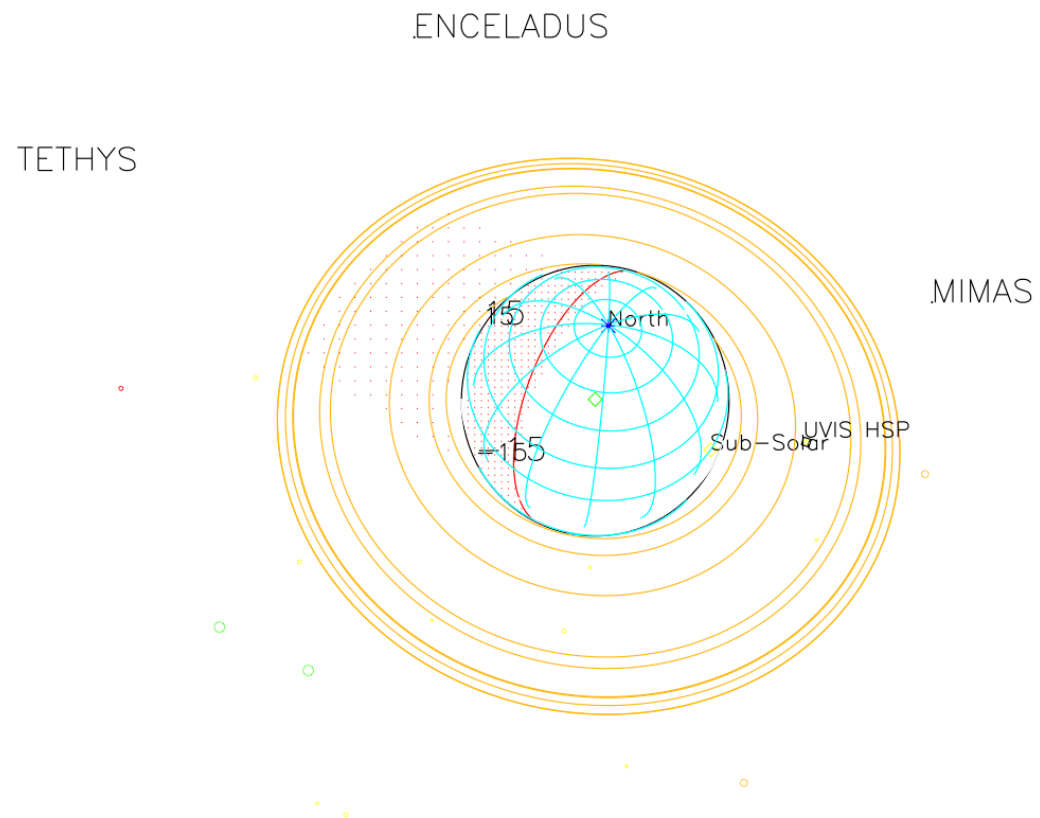
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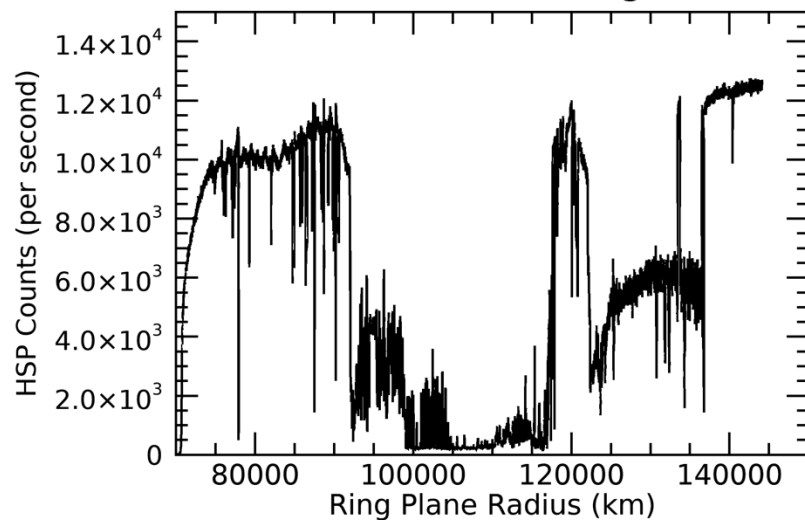
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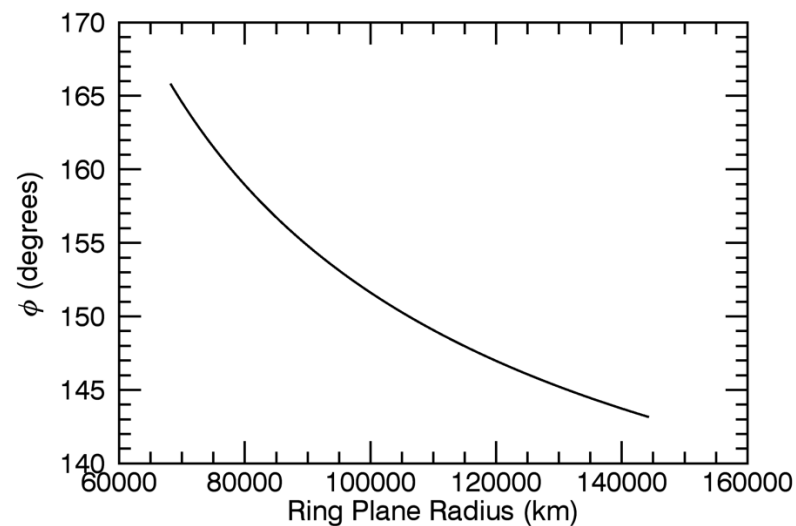
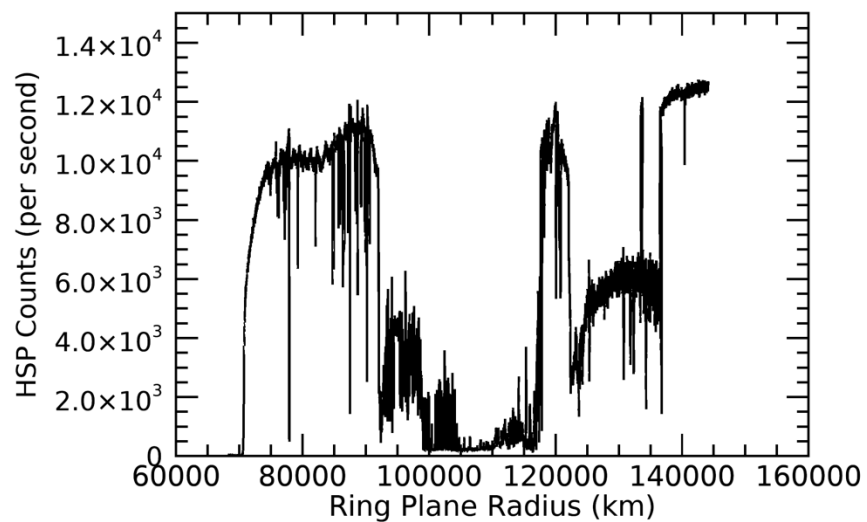
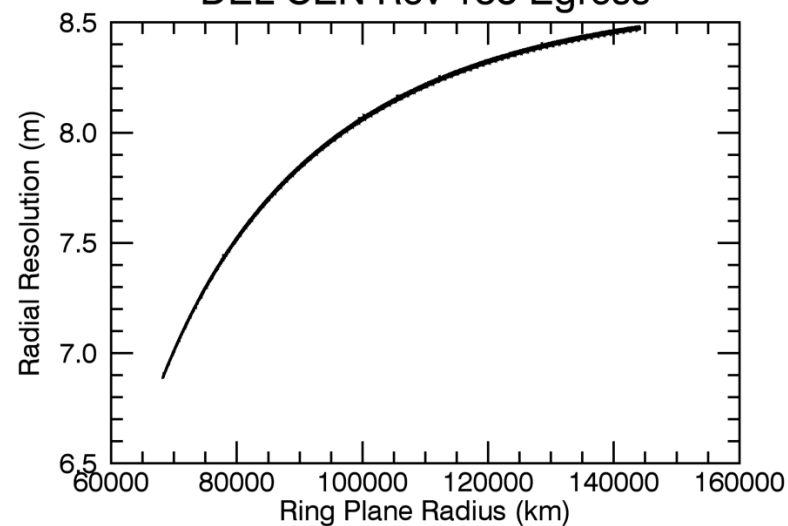
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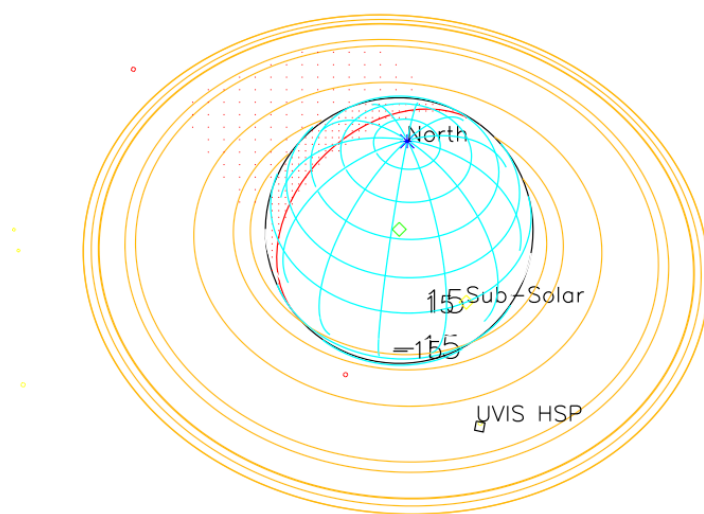
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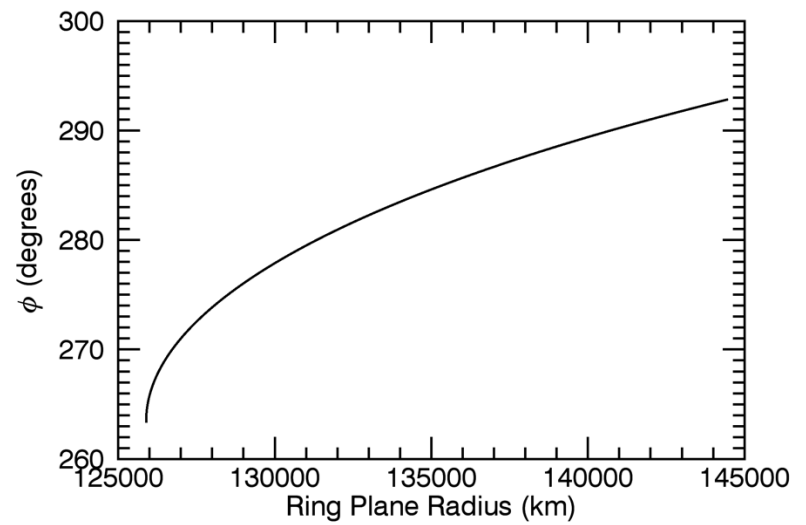
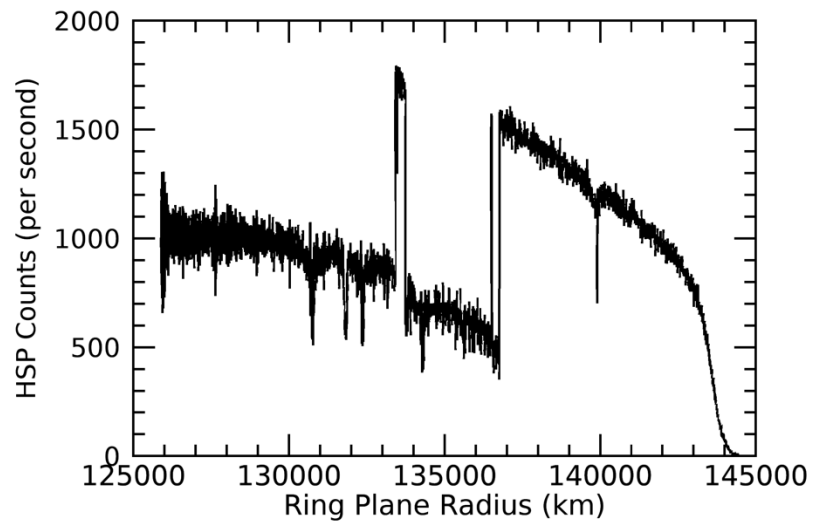
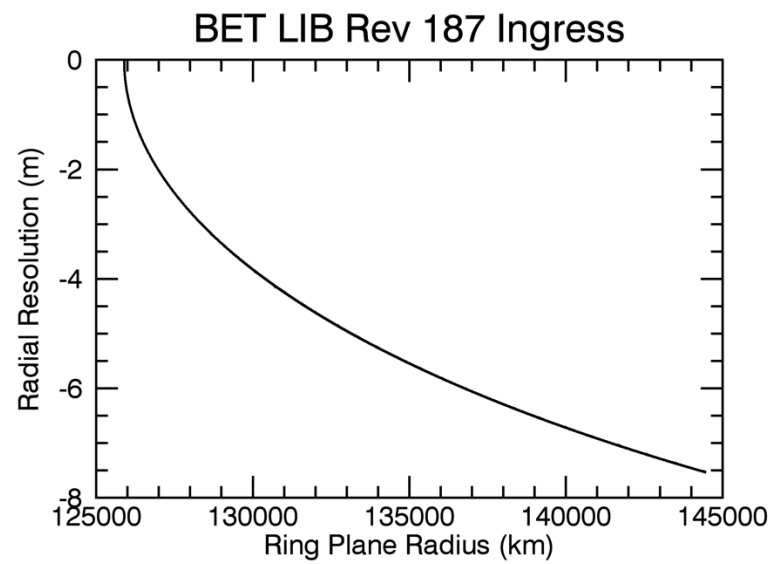
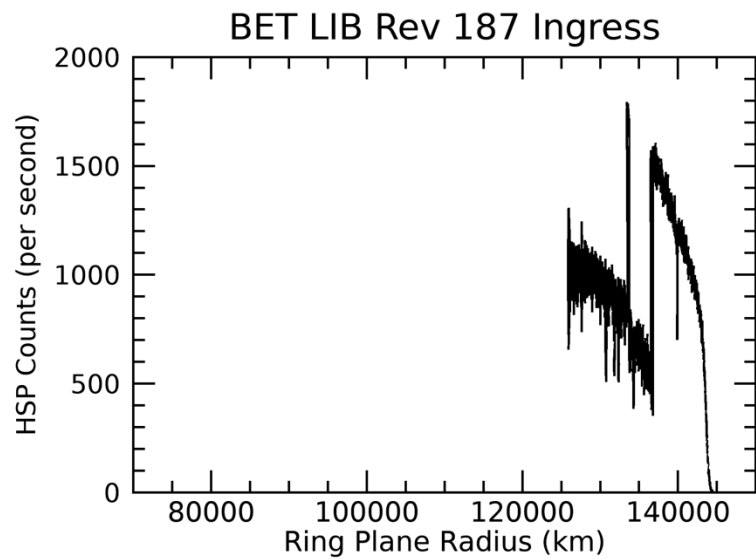
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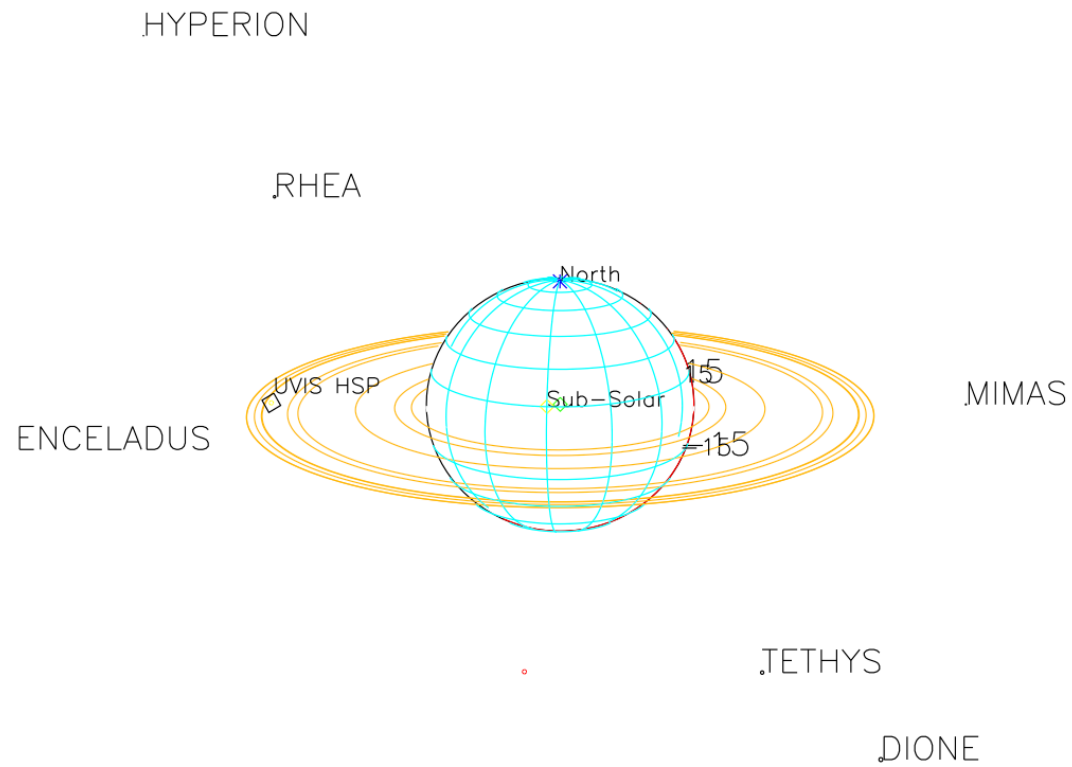
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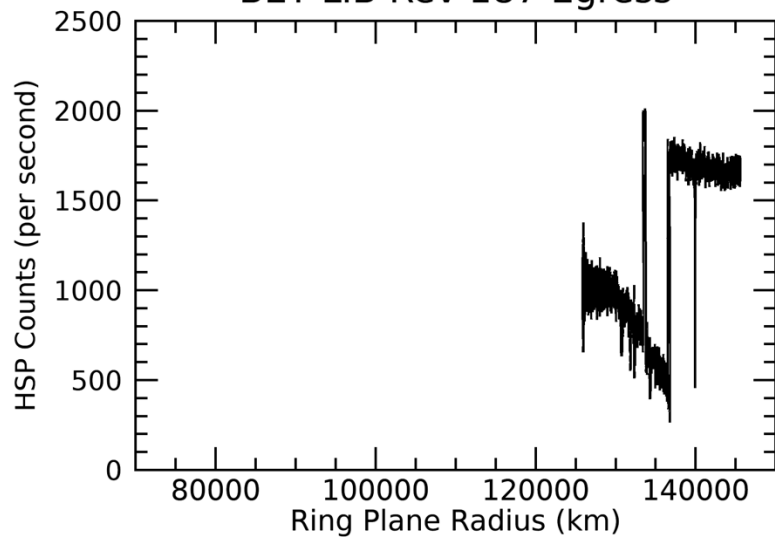
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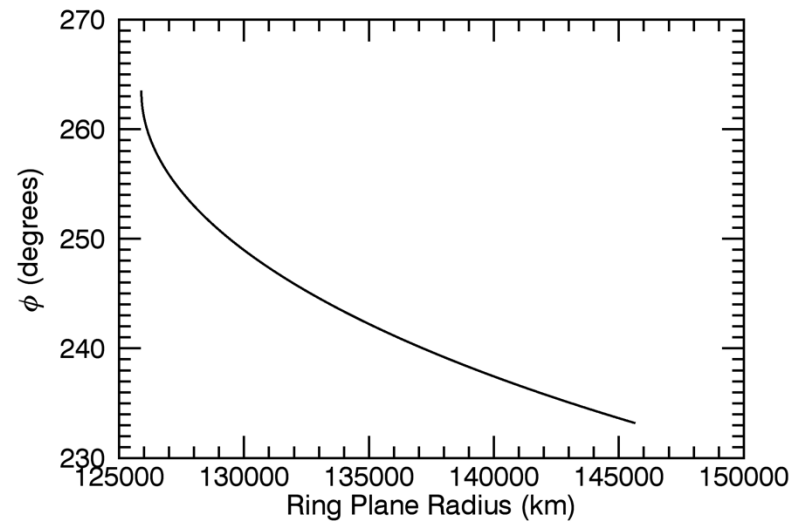
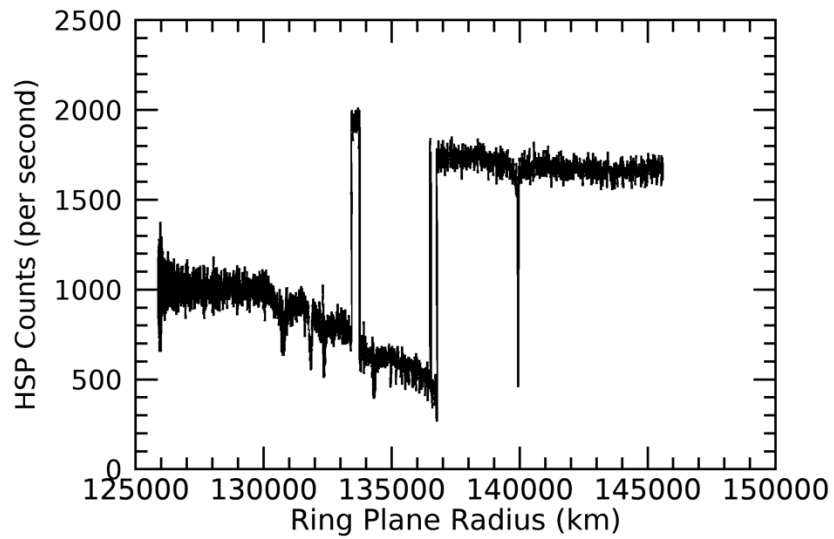
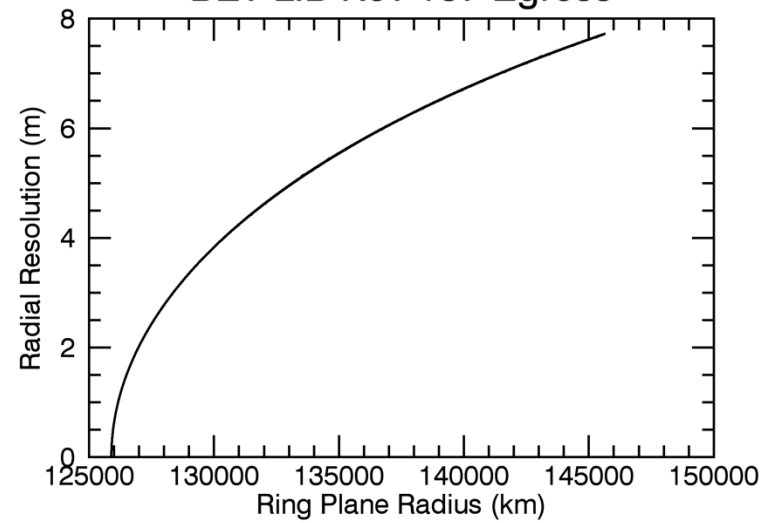
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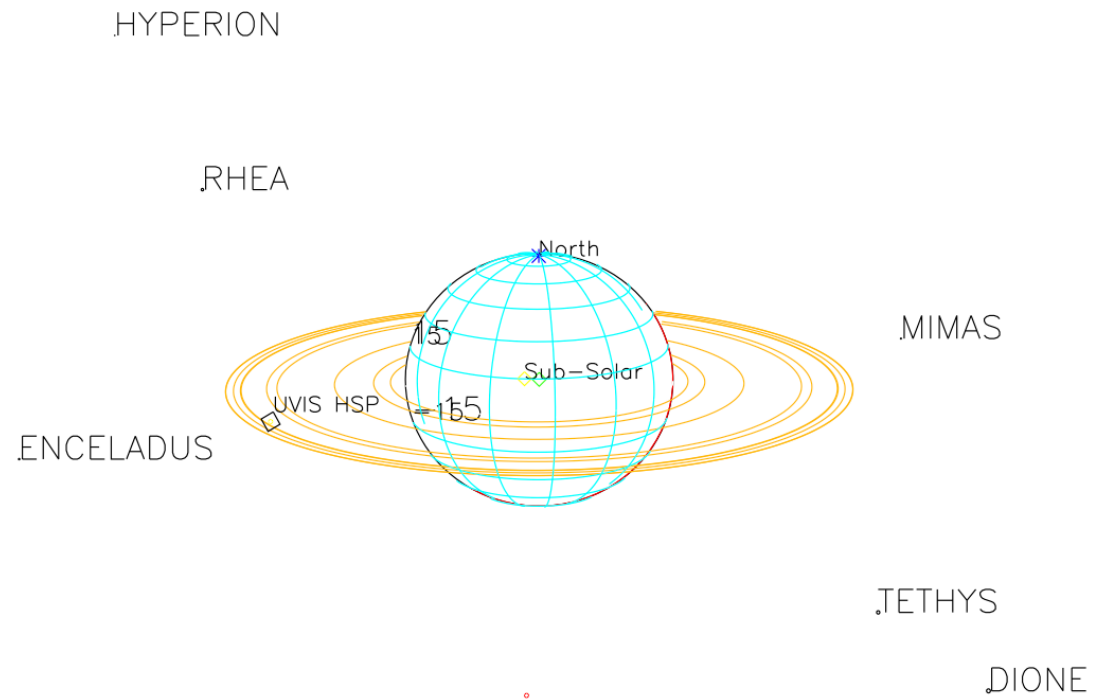
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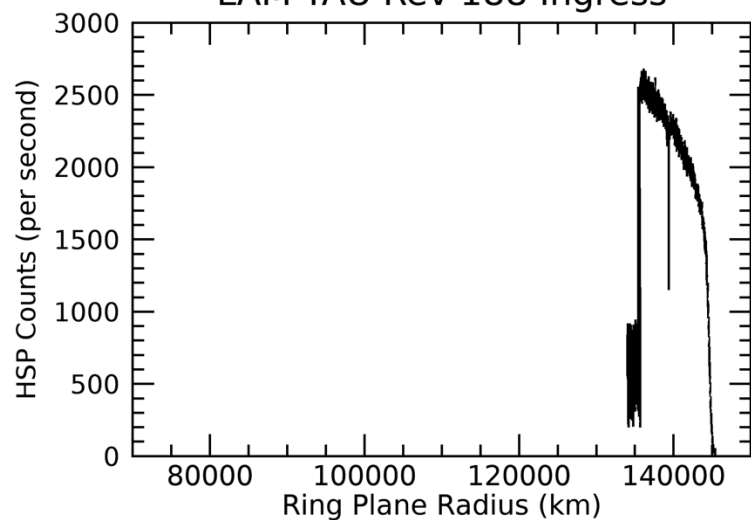
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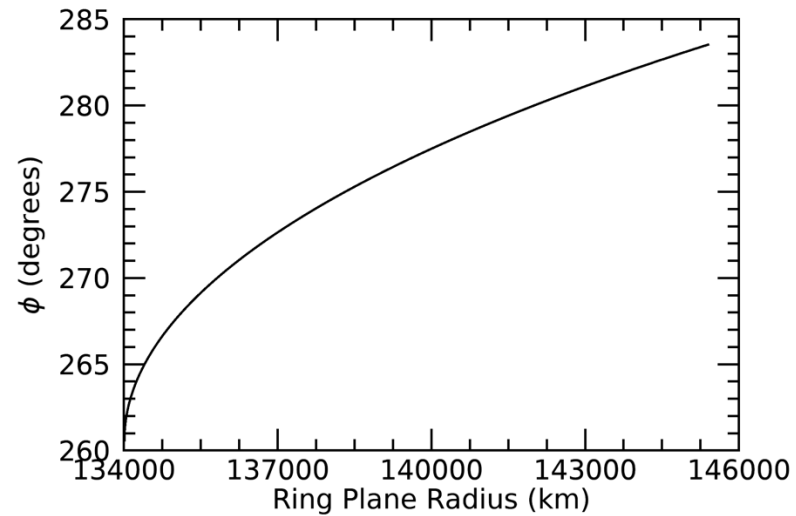
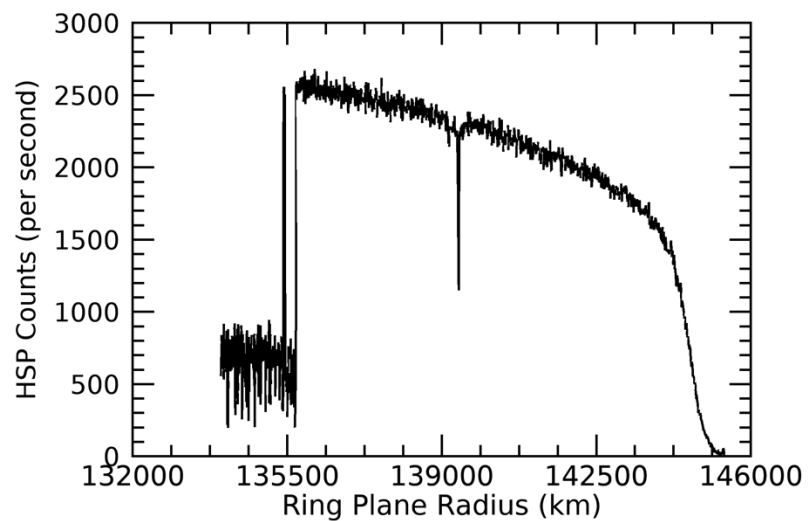
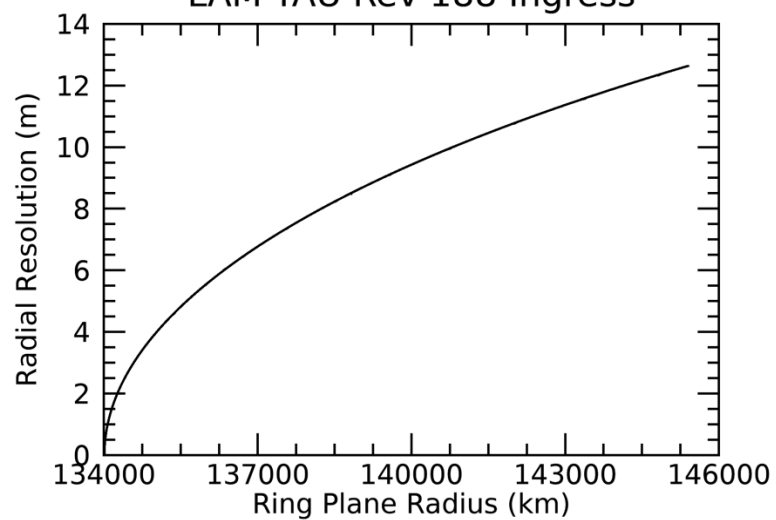
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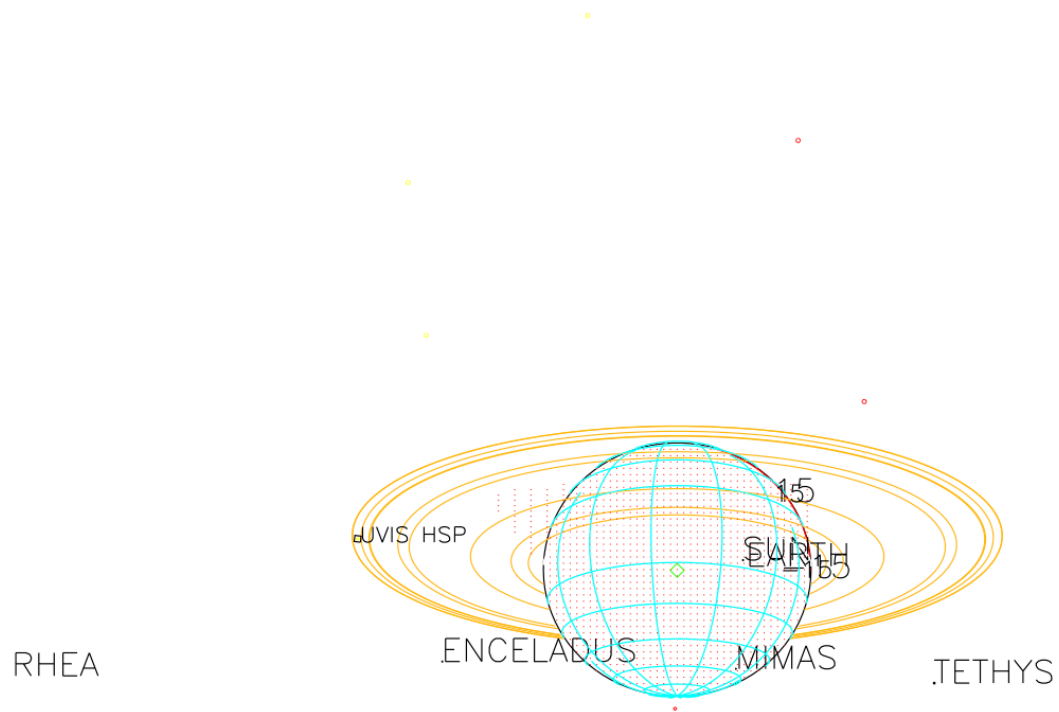
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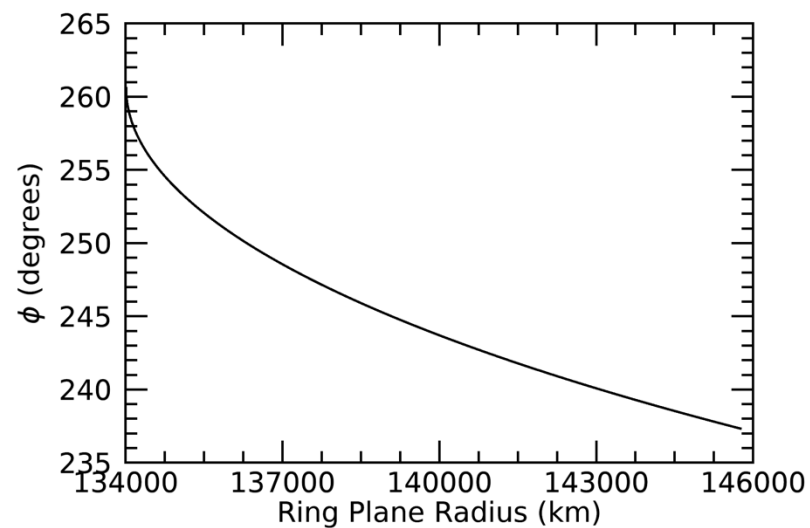
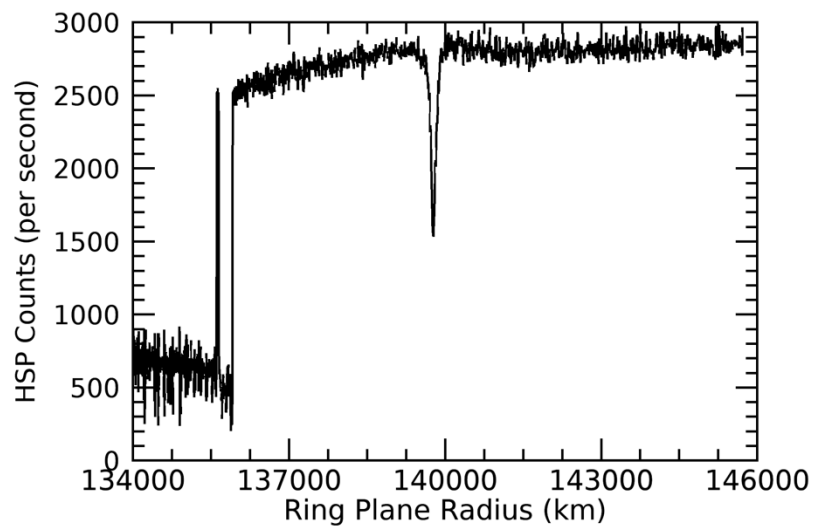
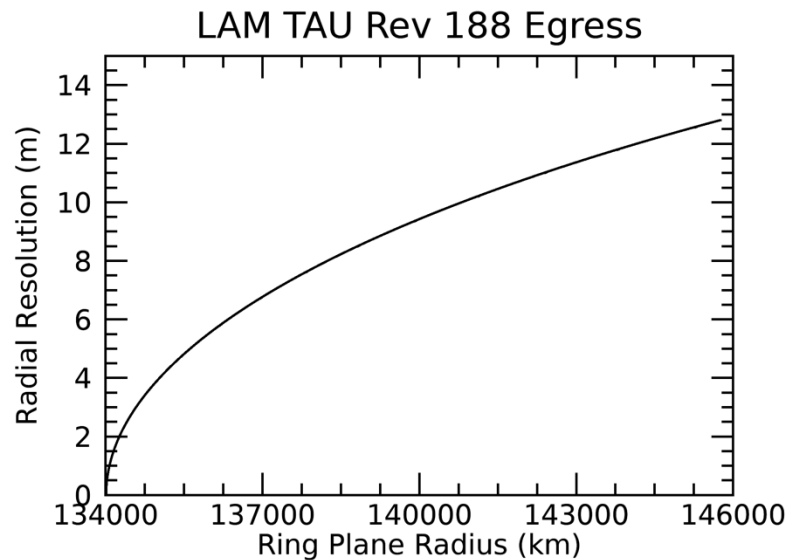
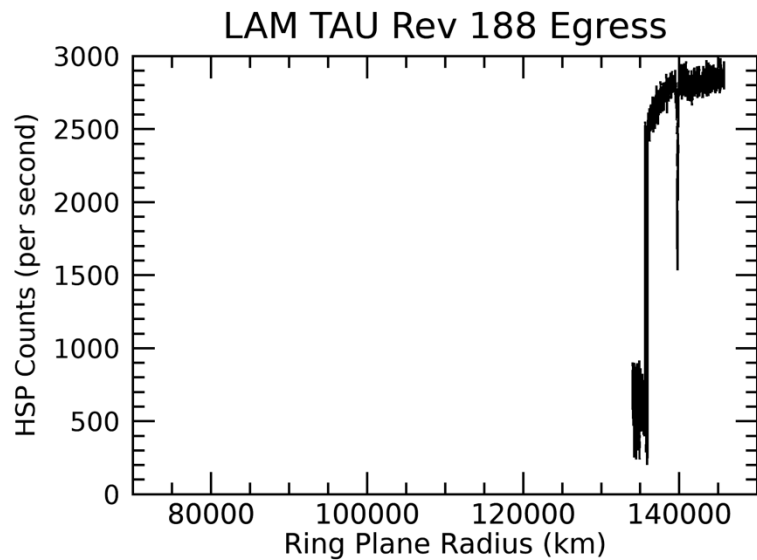


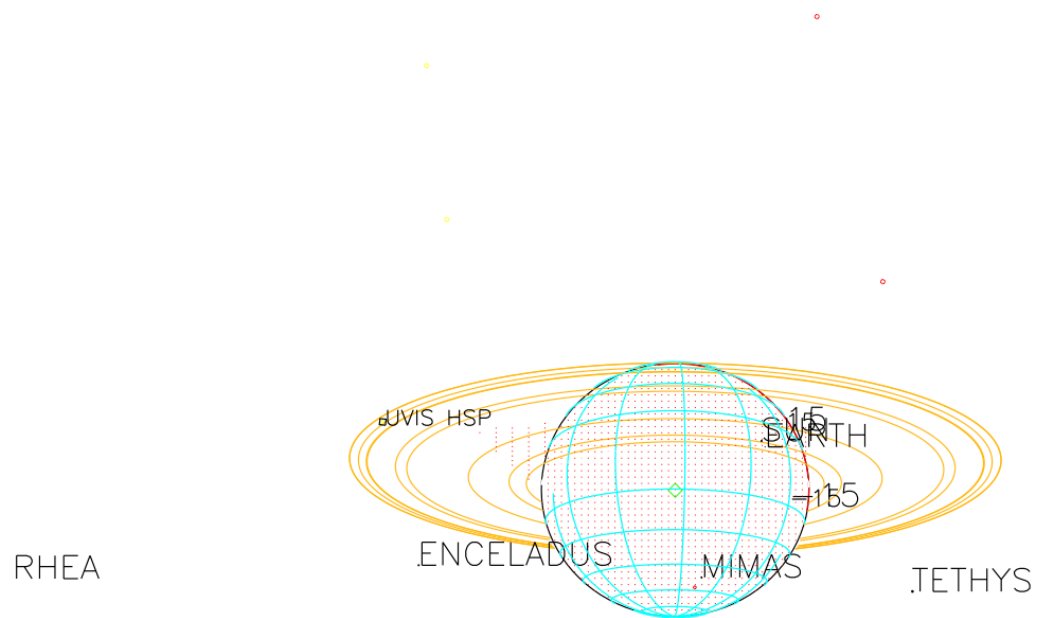
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Subsolar lat/lon: 15.13, -23.34

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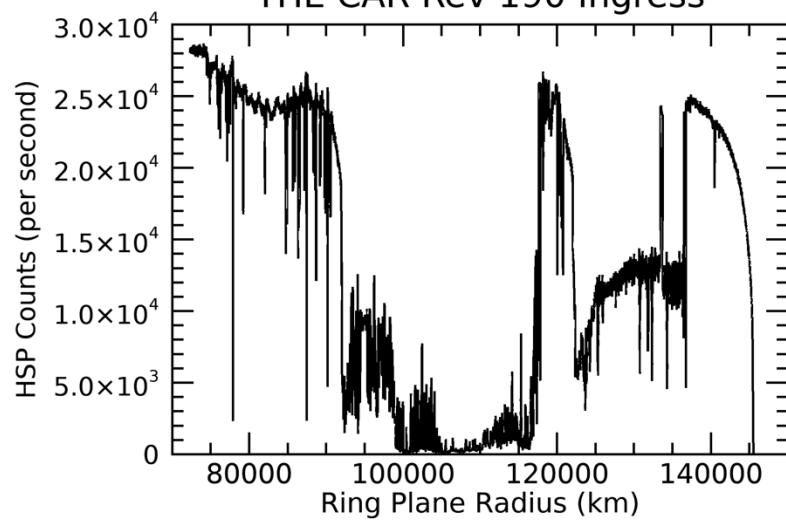
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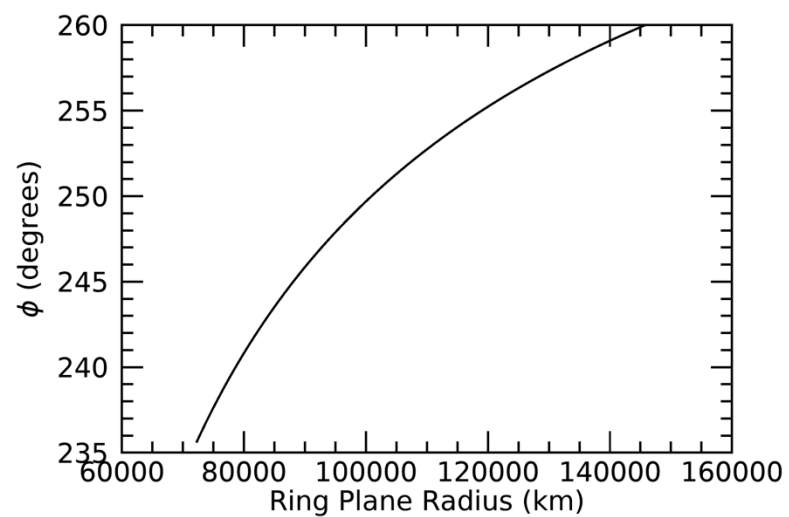
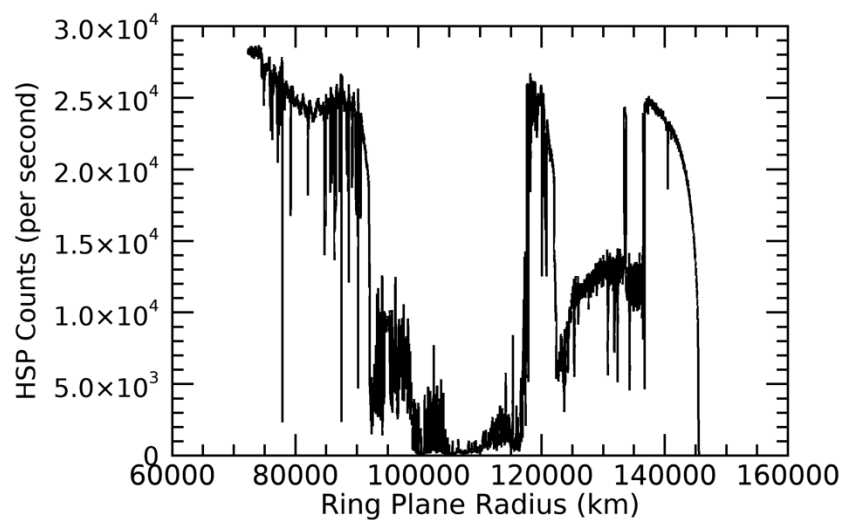
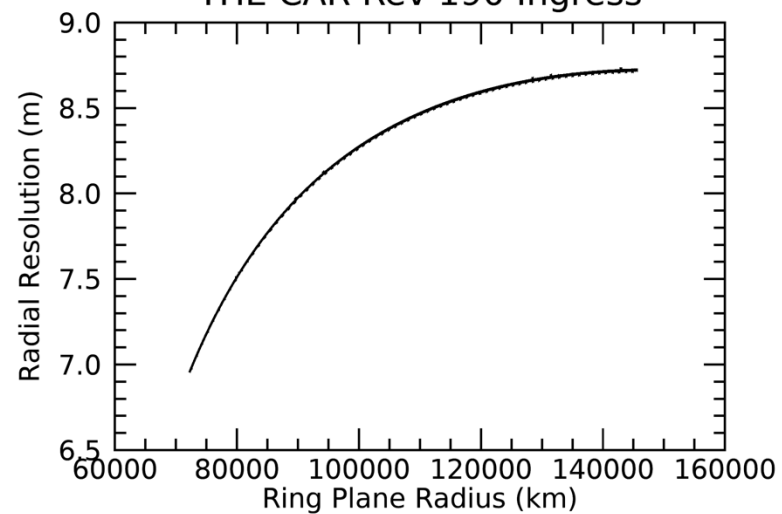
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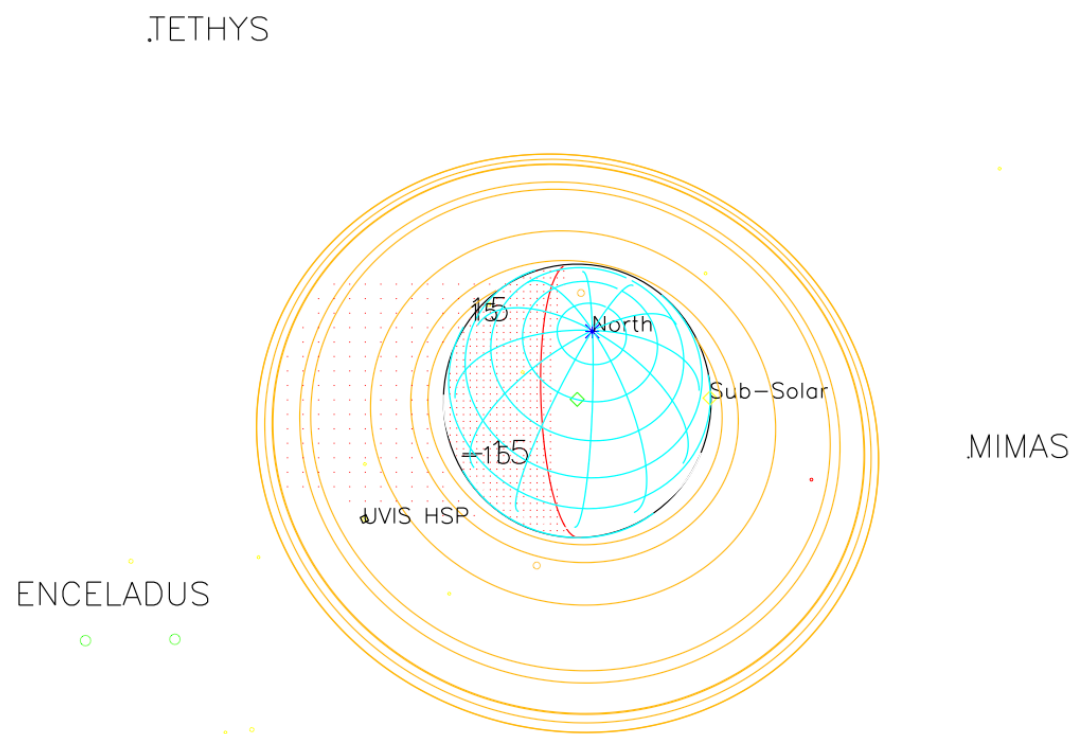
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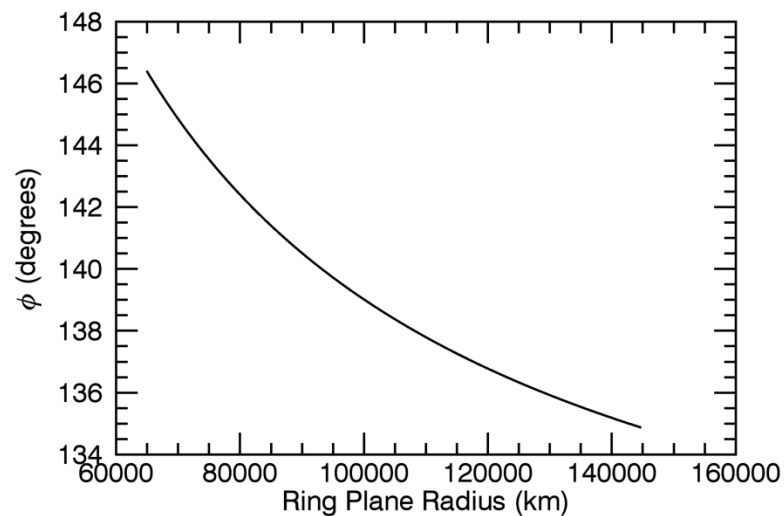
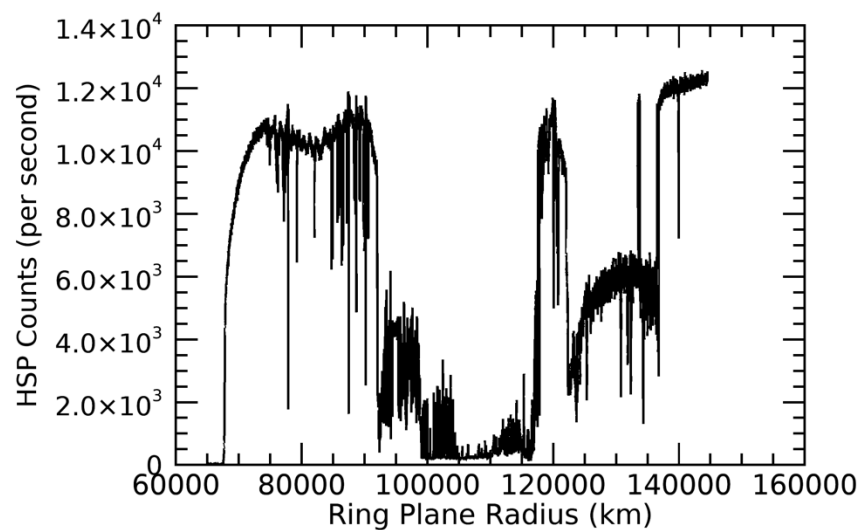
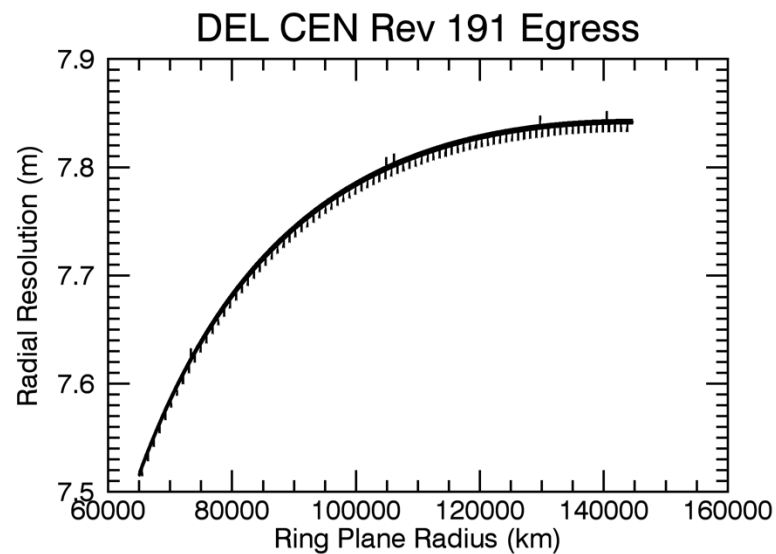
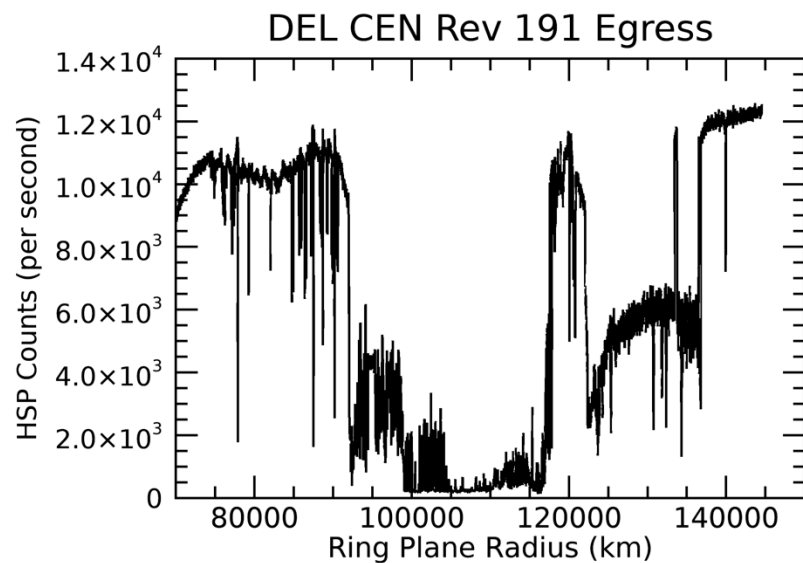


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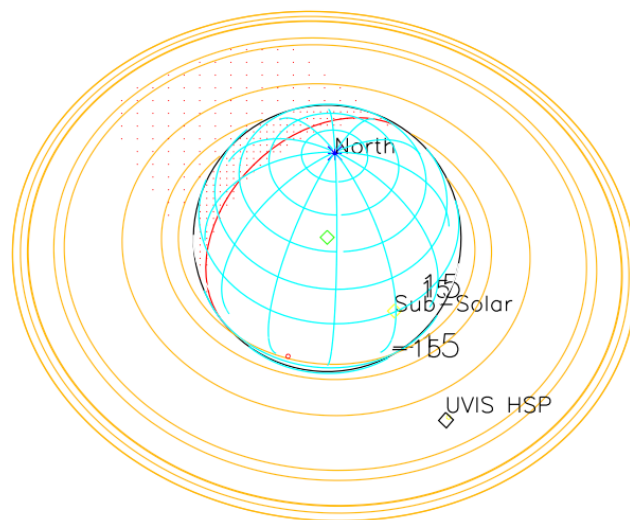
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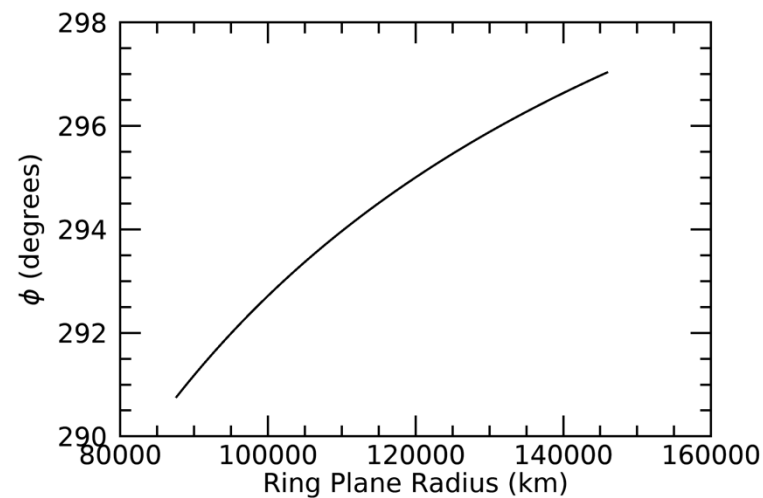
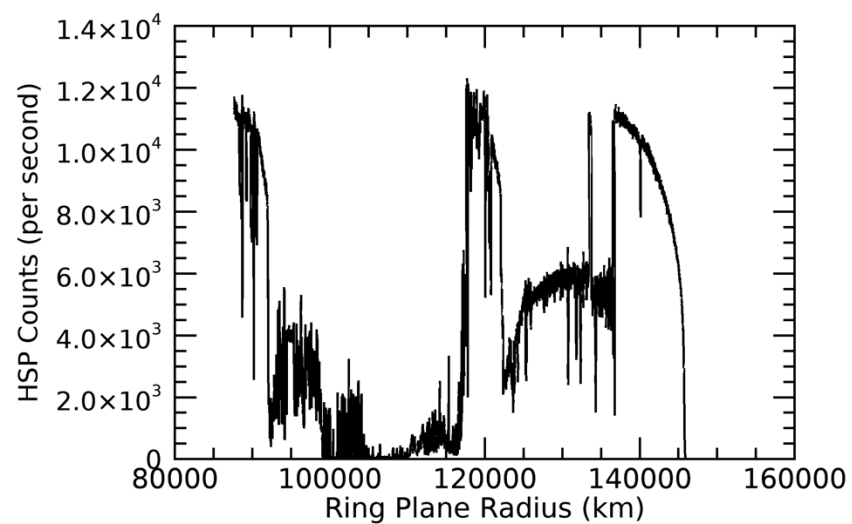
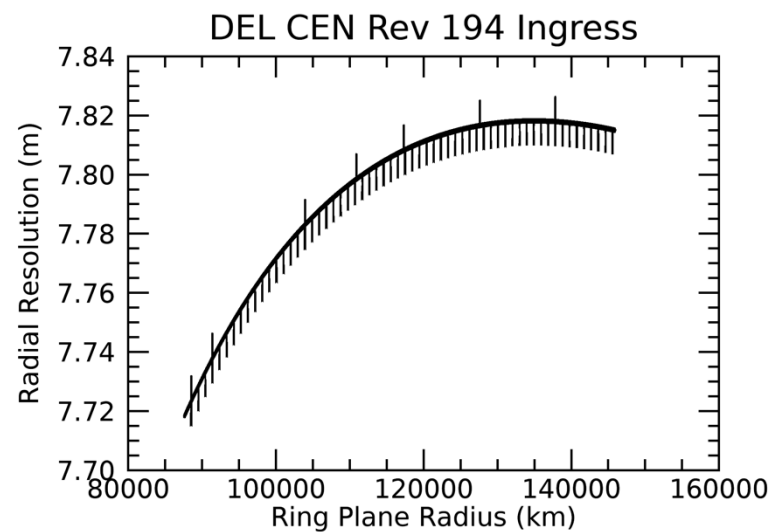
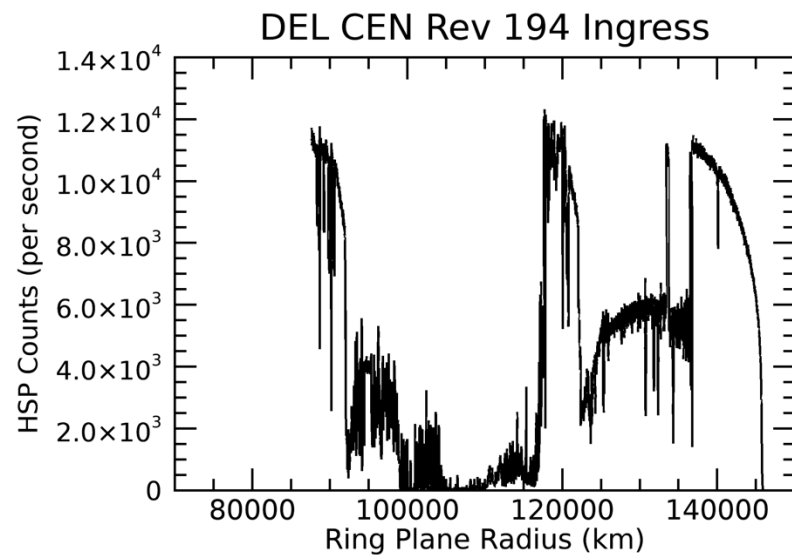
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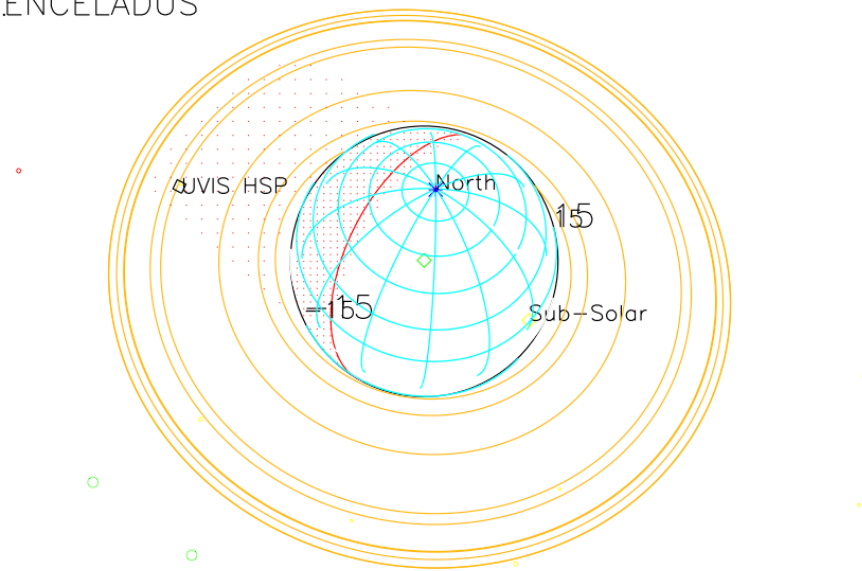
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Sub-s/c lat/lon: 45.13, 173.39



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Target RA/dec: 168.25, -54.21

Subsolar lat/lon: 15.72, 169.73

Sub-s/c lat/lon: 52.73, 111.46