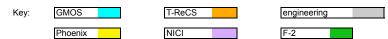
Gemini South Semester 2008B

The semester calendar shows multi-instrument queue nights, scheduled classical runs and engineering or commissioning blocks. Instruments potentially usable on queue nights are indicated by the colored-horizontal bands (see color key below). Note: ToO PIs should always check the "what's available now" pages that are linked from the contents list for the most up-to-date information. Scheduled classical runs are indicated by the last characters of the GS-2008B-... program ID number. Engineering or commissioning that involves one or more instruments is shown in the relevant instrument row(s). New and full moon dates are shown on the left.



v 1.2 August 1 new	GMOS T-ReCS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	August
16 full 30 new	Phoenix NICI other											Comr	nissio	ning																			
September 14 full 28 new	GMOS T-ReCS Phoenix NICI	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 C-2	10	11 C-6	12 Comn	13 nission	14 ing	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30		September
October 14 full 28 new	GMOS GMOS T-ReCS Phoenix NICI	1	2 C-4	3	4	5	6	7 Night	8 ttime t		10 engin	11 leering	12 I shutd	13 Iown: A	14 \&G an	15 d T-Re	16 CS ma	17 aintena	18 ance	19	20 Night	21 ttime t	22 test a	23 s nee	24 ded	25	26	27	28	29 C-5	30	31	October
November 12 full 27 new	GMOS T-ReCS Phoenix NICI	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11 C-3		13		15 Con				19 pre-ca				23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30		November
December 12 full 26 new	other GMOS T-ReCS Phoenix NICI	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			15 RUN #1	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	December
January 10 full 25 new	other GMOS T-ReCS Phoenix	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<u>OT*</u> 9	10	11	12	13	14	15 N RUN	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	January
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NICI notes: NICI commissioning and campaign science blocks are tentative and may be re-scheduled as needed. Campaign nights will be run with queue backup. NICI pre-campaign SV is one full night 18 Nov, second half nights 19-21 Nov, 2.5n in total. F2 Notes: F2 on-sky AT will not occur in 2008B.

Other notes: All classical nights are scheduled with queue backup.

OT*: 9 Dec is on-sky checkout of 09A OT release

*: 1-20 Jan, time-critical GMOS observations, plus/minus ~1 day

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