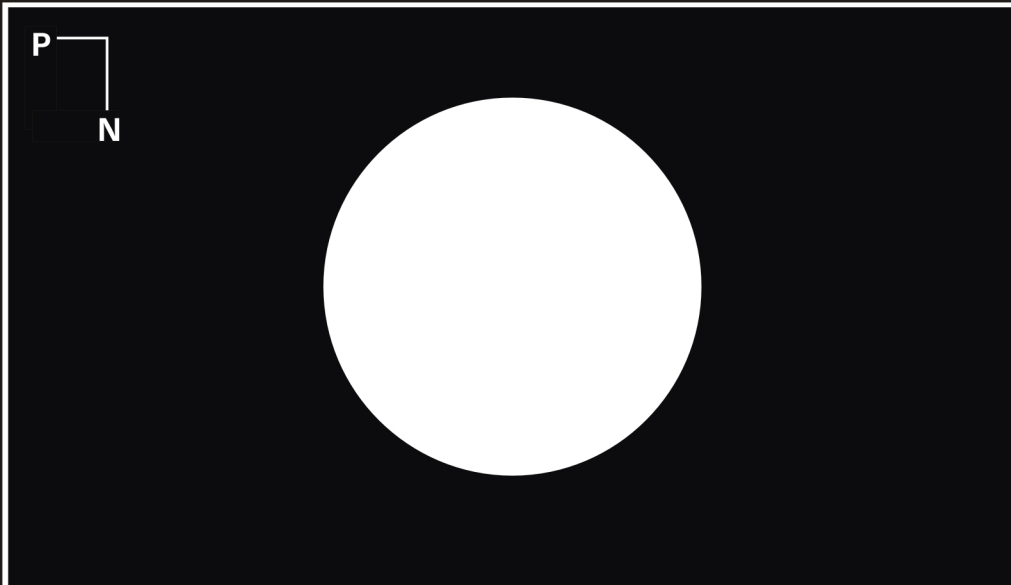


VENUS OBSERVING FORM



Observer: _____

Location: _____

Date: _____

Start time: _____ UT End time: _____ UT

Conditions: _____

Seeing (I excellent, V poor): _____

Instrument: _____

Magnification: _____

Filters: _____

Comments: _____

Intensity estimates.

Indicate any regions of the planet which show intensity variations.

Intensity estimates are made using the following scale:

0 - White

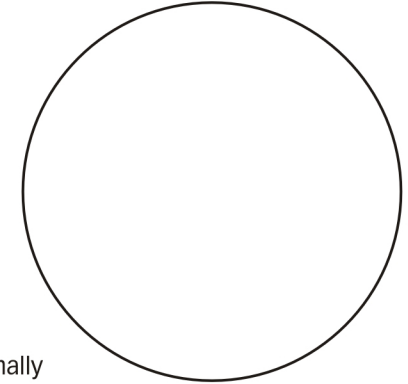
1 - General colour of the planet's disk

2 - Shadings that are very hard to see

3 - Shadings that can be seen with certainty

4 - More definite shadings (rare)

5 - Even darker shadings; seen only very occasionally



Phase Estimates

Predicted phase: _____ %

Observed phase: _____ %

Venus - General Features Guide

Typical features that may be observed on Venus are:

Cusp caps

Cusp bands

Irregularities in the line of the terminator

A bright limb band extending wholly or partially from cusp to cusp

Dark hemisphere illumination

Cusp extensions

Dark shadings across the planet's disk

Print scale check 50mm

