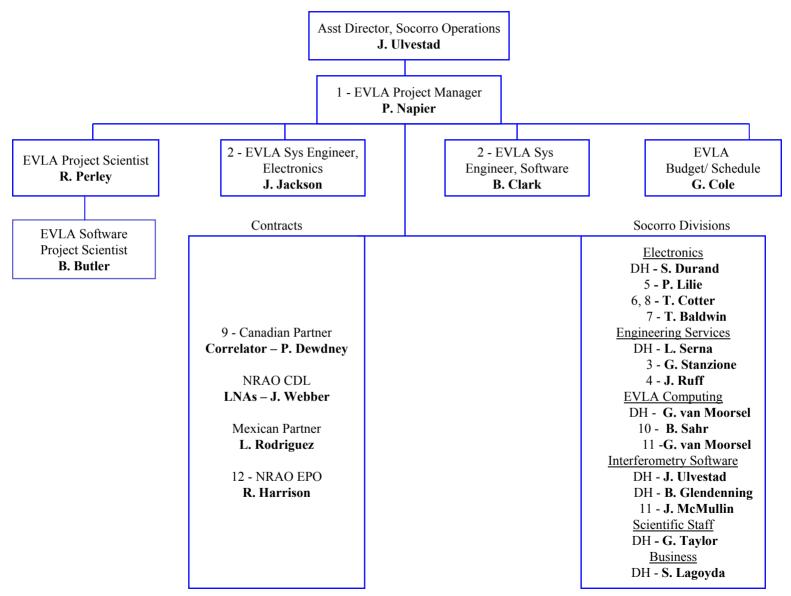


# **EVLA Advisory Committee Project Overview** P. Napier, Project Manager

- Management, Schedule, Budget
- Recent Progress
- Issues from previous meeting

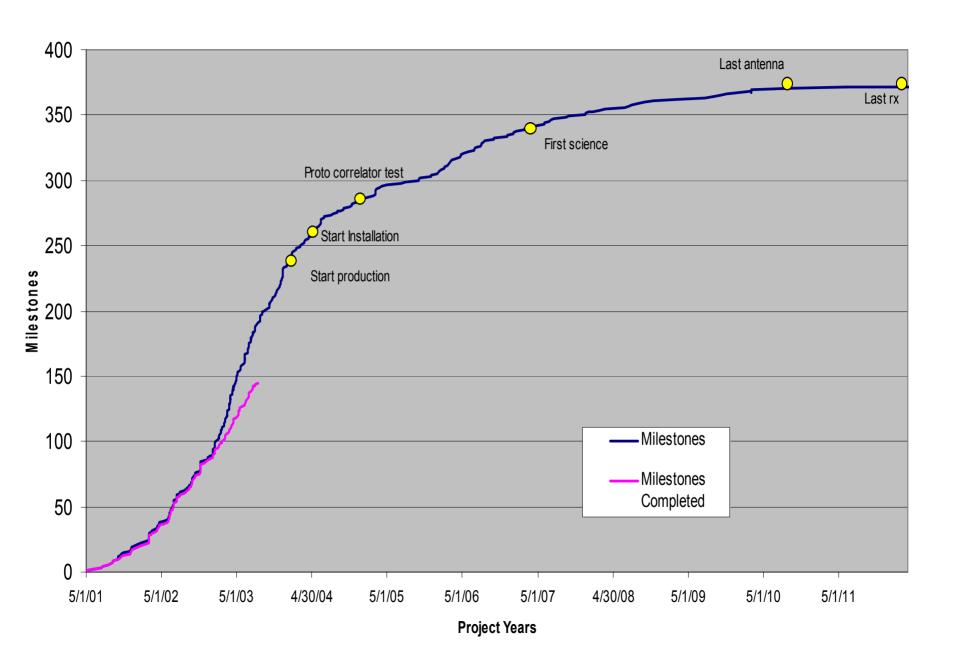
# EVLA MANAGEMENT

### **CHART**



**Note:** DH means Division Head Numbers refer to WBS Level 2 Tasks

#### **EVLA Project Milestone Summary**



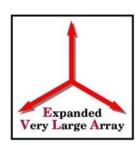
**Table 12.2 EVLA Project Budget Plan** 

All amounts are in \$k dollars (FY2003)

| Actual Actual Budgeted |                              |       |       |        |        |        |        |        |        |       |       |       |       |        |
|------------------------|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| WBS                    | Task Name                    | 2001  | 2002  | 2003   | 2004   | 2005   | 2006   | 2007   | 2008   | 2009  | 2010  | 2011  | 2012  | Totals |
| 6.01 F                 | Project Management           | 77.0  | 204.6 | 272.0  | 323.5  | 278.6  | 271.5  | 249.3  | 232.5  | 177.5 | 136.5 | 135.5 | 0.0   | 2358   |
| 6.02                   | System Integration & Testing | 212.0 | 479.5 | 351.1  | 530.7  | 180.4  | 180.4  | 184.9  | 176.9  | 174.9 | 76.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 2547   |
| 6.03                   | Civil Construction           | 0.2   | 252.1 | 52.0   | 242.8  | 509.0  | 30.0   | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1086   |
| 6.04                   | Antennas                     | 0.0   | 46.8  | 268.0  | 183.0  | 75.2   | 45.5   | 28.0   | 22.0   | 8.2   | 8.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 685    |
| 6.05 F                 | Font End Systems             | 385.4 | 124.1 | 868.4  | 2285.1 | 1113.0 | 1006.0 | 1185.7 | 1046.8 | 884.1 | 695.1 | 285.4 | 114.4 | 9993   |
| 6.06 L                 | ocal Oscillator System       | 14.1  | 292.3 | 560.5  | 477.0  | 367.0  | 367.0  | 367.0  | 356.0  | 353.0 | 352.5 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 3506   |
| 6.07 F                 | Fiber Optic System           | 4.7   | 642.8 | 1125.0 | 1382.0 | 933.2  | 783.2  | 873.2  | 743.2  | 719.2 | 643.6 | 478.4 | 0.0   | 8328   |
| 6.08 I                 | ntermediate Frequency System | 0.0   | 96.0  | 355.6  | 575.4  | 285.0  | 285.0  | 285.0  | 285.0  | 285.0 | 283.0 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 2735   |
| 6.09                   | Correlator                   | 149.0 | 362.0 | 155.0  | 618.0  | 37.0   | 4281.5 | 1879.0 | 45.0   | 17.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 7544   |
| 6.10 N                 | Monitor & Control System     | 0.0   | 216.8 | 474.9  | 423.4  | 280.0  | 201.3  | 193.2  | 193.5  | 208.9 | 62.0  | 54.0  | 0.0   | 2308   |
| 6.11                   | Data Management & Computing  | 2.8   | 3.0   | 208.0  | 160.0  | 85.5   | 26.0   | 177.0  | 119.0  | 519.0 | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 1300   |
| 6.12 E                 | Education & Public Outreach  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 0.0    | 250.0  | 250.0  | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 0.0   | 500    |
|                        | M&S Total                    | 845   | 2720  | 4690   | 7201   | 4144   | 7477   | 5672   | 3470   | 3347  | 2257  | 953   | 114   | 42891  |
|                        | Travel                       | 8     | 47    | 89     | 123    | 152    | 167    | 105    | 57     | 48    | 32    | 2     | 4     | 834    |
|                        | NRAO Wages & Benefits        | 322   | 2667  | 4041   | 4535   | 4155   | 3867   | 3316   | 3021   | 2618  | 554   | 399   | 232   | 29565  |
|                        | Canadian Labor               | 54    | 414   | 671    | 533    | 468    | 365    | 532    | 321    | 136   | 0     | 0     | 0     | 3494   |
| Sub Total              |                              | 1229  | 5847  | 9493   | 12392  | 8918   | 11877  | 9625   | 6869   | 6149  | 2843  | 1355  | 350   | 76785  |
| Contingency            |                              | 0     | 0     | 0      | 0      | 6      | 0      | 0      | 406    | 764   | 2973  | 1861  |       | 6010   |
| Redirected NRAO Effort |                              | -195  | -1549 | -2317  | -2186  | -1985  | -1872  | -1703  | -1475  | -1325 | -382  | -246  | -232  | -15195 |
| Canadian Contribution  |                              | -203  | -776  | -826   | -1151  | -505   | -4647  | -2411  | -366   | -153  | 0     | 0     | 0     | -11038 |
| Mexican Contribution   |                              |       |       |        | -1000  | -1000  |        |        |        |       |       |       |       | -2000  |
| EVLA Project Funds     |                              | 831   | 3523  | 6349   | 8055   | 5434   | 5358   | 5511   | 5434   | 5434  | 5434  | 2970  | 119   | 54562  |
| Carryover to next yr   |                              | 2170  | 3648  | 2621   |        |        | 76     |        |        |       |       | 119   |       |        |
|                        | Carryover from prior yr      |       | -2170 | -3648  | -2621  |        | -6     | -76    |        |       |       |       | -119  |        |
|                        | NSF Funded                   | 3001  | 5000  | 5322   | 5434   | 5434   | 5428   | 5435   | 5434   | 5434  | 5434  | 3089  | 0     | 54562  |



# Progress Over last Year



### 1 Management

- Restructuring of software management

### 2 Systems

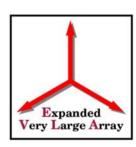
- RFI-tight racks, bins, modules built and tested
- Power supplies selected and purchased
- Bench integration proceeding

#### 3 Civil Construction

 Fiber burial complete on W and E arms 6 mo ahead of schedule



# Progress (Cont.)



#### 4 Antennas

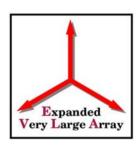
- Feed cone and structural mods complete on Test Antenna.
- Assembly of L and C band feeds beginning

#### 5 Front Ends

- Scale model of L band feed built and tested
- Design of wideband OMT completed
- Design of new L and C band receivers completed
- MMICs for Ka and Q bands produced by Caltech
- Existing X band rx remounted in test antenna



# Progress (Cont.)



#### 6 Local Oscillator

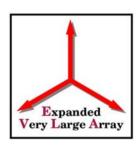
High frequency synthesizers designed and prototyped

### 7 Fiber Optics

- Testing in support of installation continuing
- Control building distribution and fiber installed
- Fiber installed on test antenna
- Fiber phase stability tests under way
- Digital transmission modules tested @ 10 Gbps



# Progress (Cont.)



### 8 Intermediate Frequency

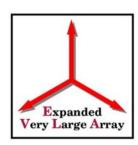
- Converter module prototypes completed
- Integrated down converter design under way
- Commercial supplier for integrated U/X converter selected

#### 9 Correlator

- Canadian funding secured
- Detailed design proceeding
- Decision made to forego FPGA prototype, proceed directly with new correlator chip



# Progress (Cont)



#### 10 Monitor and Control

- Recruitment problem solved
- Ethernet fiber to Test Antenna tested
- Module Interface Board (MIB) Tested

### 11 Computing

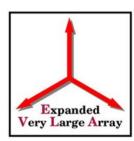
- New management structure for AIPS++ and e2e
- New archive in use and ready for EVLA

#### **12 EPO**

Presentations and displays on EVLA at major meetings



### Phase II

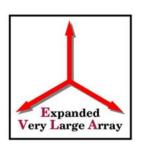


### Phase II proposal

- Proposal completed and in internal NRAO review
- Engineering effort limited by Phase I priorities



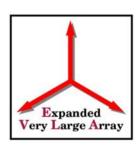
# Issues From Previous Advisory Meeting



- Phase I is too slow.
  - We make the case with NSF but no extra money yet
- Connection between science drivers and design goals
  - Project Book Chap 2 now has information on this
- Make more use of MMICs, surface mount and integration
  - Used in Ka-Q receivers, converter modules, switches etc
- Need better coordination of software effort
  - New software management should help this. Software Division Head, Software Systems Engineer and Software Project Scientist appointed.



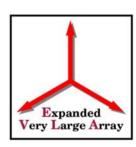
# Past Issues (Cont)



- Receivers define solar observing mode
  - Coupler-fed scheme selected for two bands
- RFI concerns
  - Significant effort, Perley will report
- LO-IF phase stability spec not good enough for L band
  - Specification improved but in-beam self cal possible
- Correlator concerns about funding and software
  - Funding secured, NRAO/HIA joint software effort



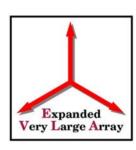
# Past Issues (Cont)



- Need for top-level M/C software design
  - Not yet complete. Priority given to hardware M/C
- Consider using ALMA M/C software
  - Monthly coordination meeting between EVLA/ALMA
- Need more astronomer involvement in software.
  - Project scientists (Myers, Frail, Butler) appointed,
    requirements documents written
- Need for clear software "deliverables"
  - Van Moorsel and Butler will address this



# Past Issues (Cont)



- AIPS++ needs to be widely accepted
  - Significant effort under way for ALMA acceptance milestone, M<sup>c</sup>Mullin will report
- Submit Phase II Proposal ASAP
  - Complete and under internal NRAO Review
- Fund E Array or low frequencies from Phase I contingency
  - Maybe E Array at end of Phase I, but unlikely
- Consider focal plane array for low frequencies
  - Looks interesting (Memo 53), needs more work.