

Status of the Very Long Baseline Array

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In this talk I will present the current status of the Very Long Baseline Array (VLBA), including technical status, Open Skies observing, and prospects for the upcoming decade. The next generation Very Large Array (ngVLA) and its implications for the VLBA will be covered. Additionally I will discuss the VLBA's role in larger networks such as the High Sensitivity Array, global VLBI with the EVN, and concepts for expanding global VLBI capabilities.