

ASTRONOMICAL DATABASES OF THE ODESSA OBSERVATORY

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The Odessa Observatory has one of the largest collections of wide-field plates: a total of over 80 000 plates has been accumulated during the years 1952 to 1996. A description of the present status and the future of this collection is presented.

The observatory has also a big collection of photometric, spectrophotometric and spectral observations.

The problems of archiving of these data are discussed.