







# LASCO

The Large Angle and Spectrometric Coronagraph Experiment

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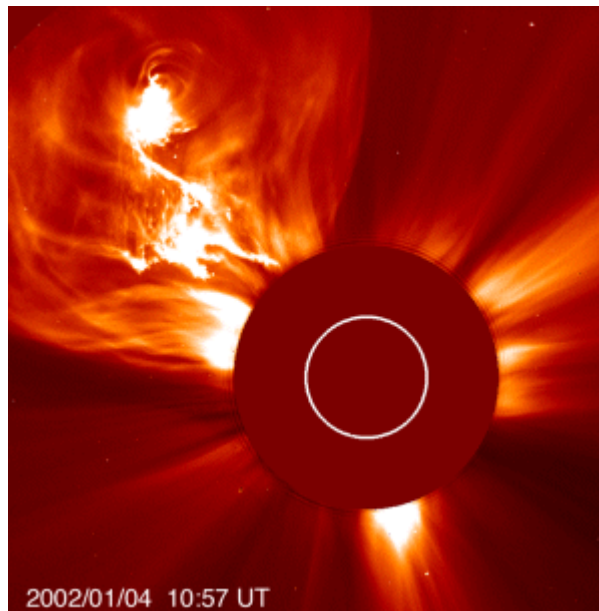
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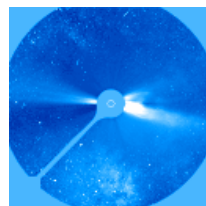
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A fiery CME seen in LASCO C2 in 2002

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Researchers in the Solar Physics Branch have been involved in observational and theoretical studies of the solar atmosphere since the early years of the space age. Experiments developed at NRL have flown on NASA missions such as [Skylab/ATM](#), the OSO satellite series, the Space Shuttle STS-3, Spacelab-2 and ATLAS missions.




It is now 15 Years, 4 Months, and 7 Days since SOHO Launched on December 2, 1995!

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