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***小島信久氏の天体写真乾板 103 枚を発見**

国立天文台旧図書館で古い天体写真乾板が見つかり、2008年に発足した天文情報センターアーカイブ室でその整理を分担して行っている。筆者は旧図書館で発見される天体写真以外の雑乾板・フィルムなどの整理を引き受けてきた。

筆者が整理している雑乾板・フィルムには天体写真も含まれている。今回、発見された天体写真乾板はコメットハンターとして知られた小島信久氏が1971年(昭和46年)9月28日～1975年(昭和50年)10月9日の間に撮影された手札版103枚の天体写真乾板である。撮影対象は彗星が主であり、それらが入っていたコダック乾板の箱、およびその中に入っていたFUJI FILMの天体写真乾板、SHEET FILMの箱(写真1)であり、この2つの小箱に入らない乾板が、撮影年月日が順不同で詰め込まれていた。その中にアーカイブ室新聞680号の記事のブロー二判の天体写真のフィルム、小島氏の手紙なども入っていた。その一覧が表1である。



写真1

撮影されている天体は、主に小島氏が発見された彗星であり、東京天文台の新天体発券業務に携わっていた香西洋樹氏に送られたもので、香西氏宛の手紙も入っている。

No.	KJ No.	Object	α	δ	年	月	日	begin	end	EXP	UT	Note
1	No.2		P/S-S, $\Delta=-5$		1971	9	28	02h08m00s	02h29m00s	20m		
2	No.5		P/S-S, $\Delta=-5$		1971	9	28	03h25m00s	03h45m00s	20m		
3	72125	New Comet?	18h23.4m	-18° 52'	1972	11	1	04h02m00s	04h20m00s	18m	31.79931	
4	72132	New Comet?			1972	11	2	03h15m00s	03h30m00s	15m		
5	72133	New Comet	8h22.1m	-19° 02'	1972	11	2	03h40m00s	03h50m00s	10m	1.78125	31cmf5 FLO II
6	72134	New Comet			1972	11	2	04h08m00s	04h18m00s	10m	1.8007	
7	72161	彗星1972j	Kojima		1972	11	25	28h49m00s	28h55m00s	6m	25.82778	
8	72162	彗星1972j	Kojima		1972	11	25	28h58m00s	29h03m00s	5m	25.83368	
9	72163	彗星1972j	Kojima		1972	11	25	29h05m00s	29h10m00s	5m	25.83854	
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13	72170	彗星1972j	Kojima			1972	11	29	26h33m00s	26h38m00s	5m	29.73299	
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94	73163	彗星Huchura				1973	5	11	22h08m00s	22h14m00s	6m		

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96	74020	Tsuchiya			1974	5	24			10m	24.5333	2cmに絞る
97	75024	彗星Kohoutek	2h48.1m	16° 11'	1975	2	28	19h09m00s	19h20m00s	11m	28.42674	
98	75025	彗星Kohoutek			1975	2	28	19h31m00s	19h38m00s	7m	28.44063	
99	75071	彗星1975h	Kobayashi-Berger-Milon		1975	7	8	25h13m00s	25h18m00s	5m	8.67743	
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102	75131	彗星1975j			1975	10	9				9.79097	
103	75132	彗星1975j			1975	10	9				9.81389	

表 1

これらの乾板をスキャナーで取り込み、撮影年月日順に並べ替え箱詰めにしたものが写真2である。



写真 2

使用したスキャナーは EPSON GTX-970 を使った。フィルムエリアガイドを用い、ポジフィルムとして 24bit カラー、解像度 600dpi で取り込んだ。

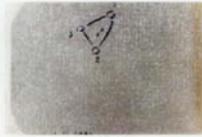
スキャナーで取り込んだ 103 枚のサムネイルを載せておく。



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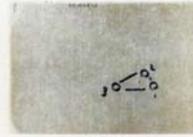
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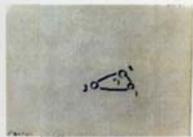
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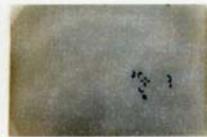
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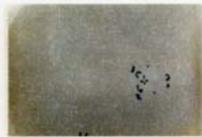
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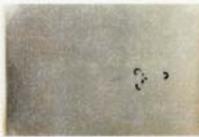
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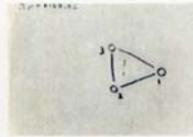
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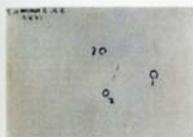
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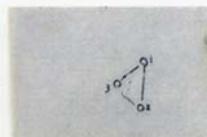
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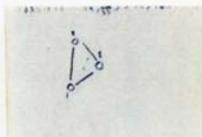
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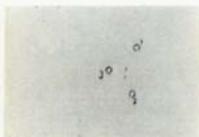
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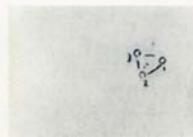
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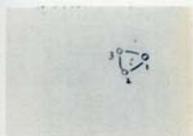
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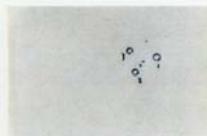
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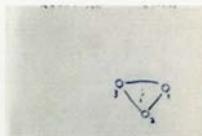
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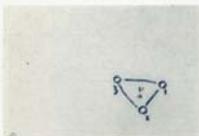
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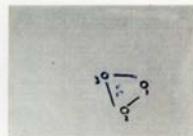
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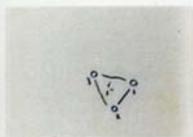
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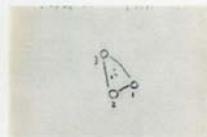
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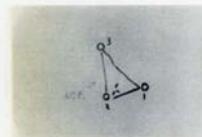
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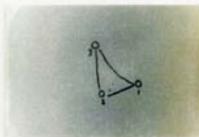
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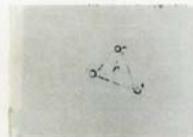
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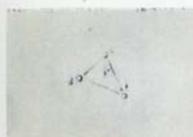
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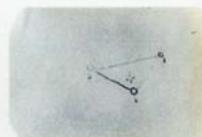
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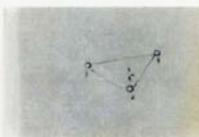
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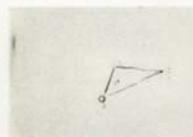
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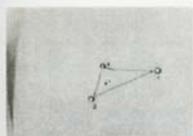
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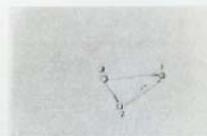
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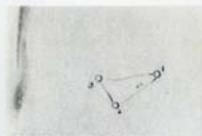
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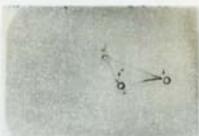
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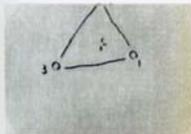
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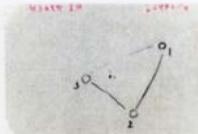
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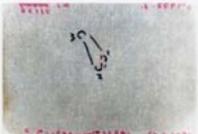
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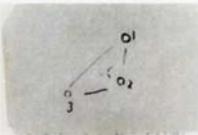
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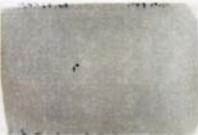
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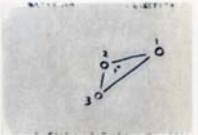
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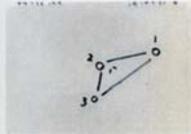
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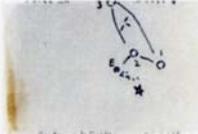
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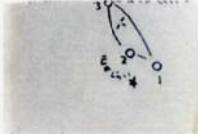
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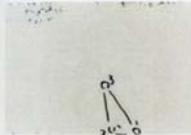
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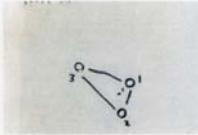
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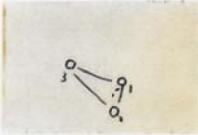
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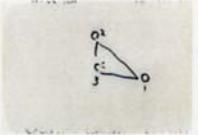
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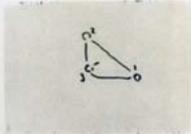
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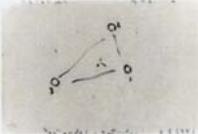
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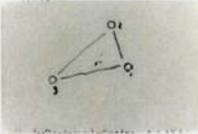
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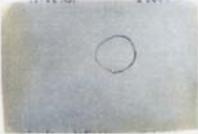
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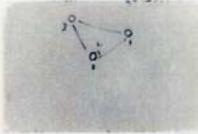
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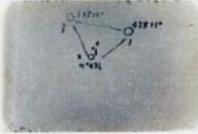
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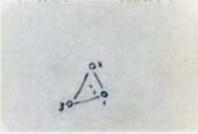
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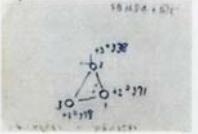
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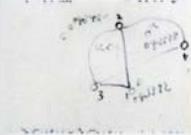
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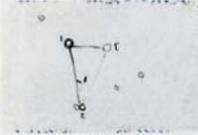
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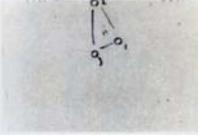
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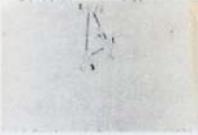
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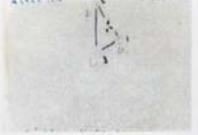
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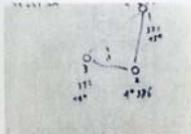
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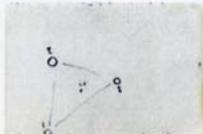
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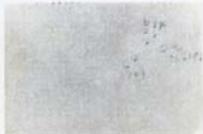
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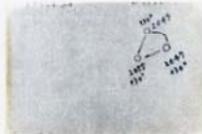
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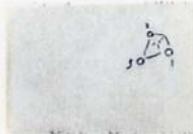
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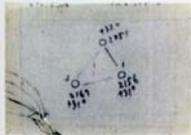
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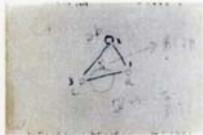
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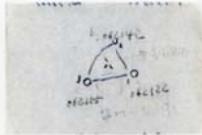
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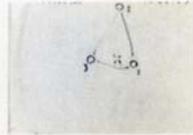
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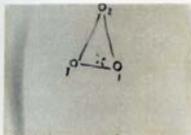
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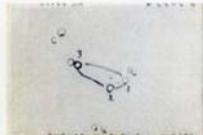
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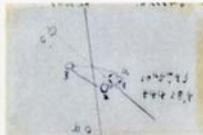
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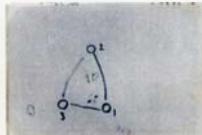
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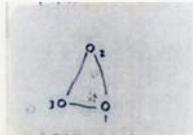
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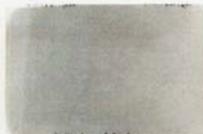
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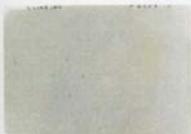
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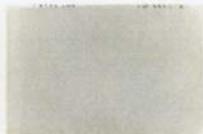
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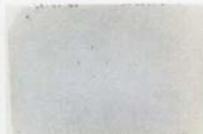
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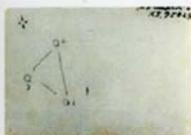
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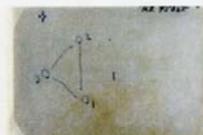
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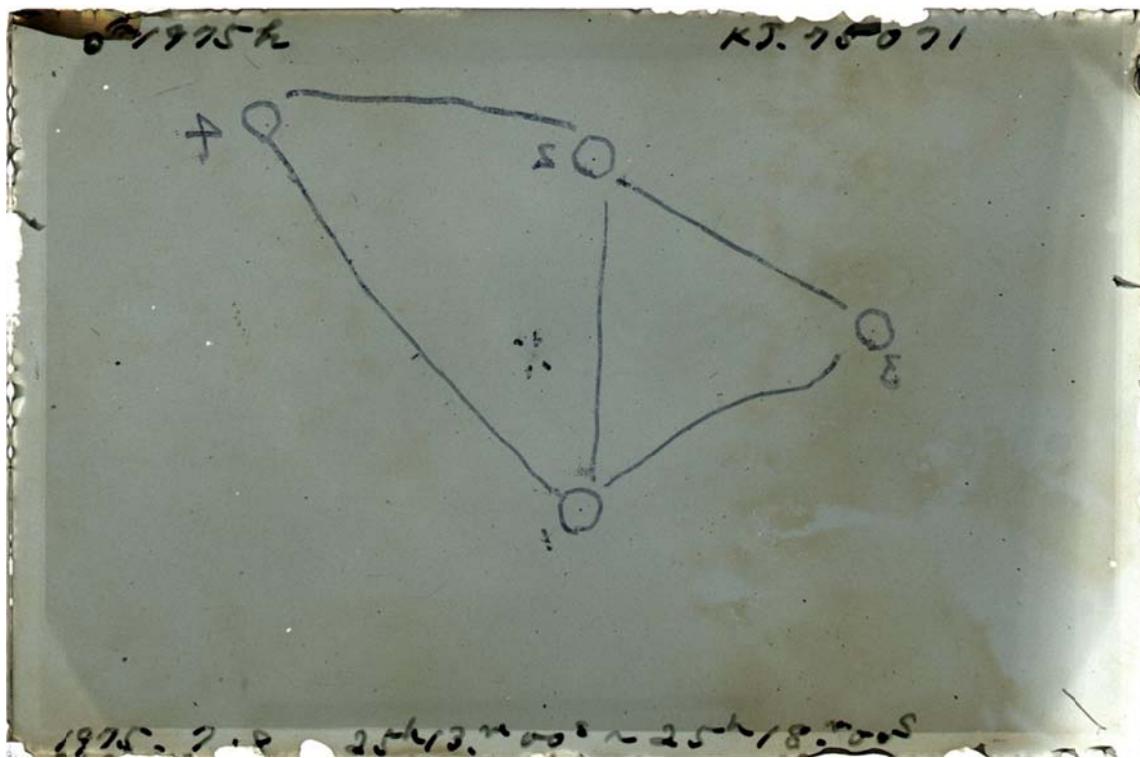


写真 3 彗星 1975h Kobayashi-Berger-Milon

サムネイルでは、詳細が分からないので、彗星を同定した様子がわかる写真 3 枚を紹介する。写真 4 は New Comet とされたもの、写真 5 は彗星 Kojima の例、写真 6 は KJ72174 の彗星 Kojima の例である。

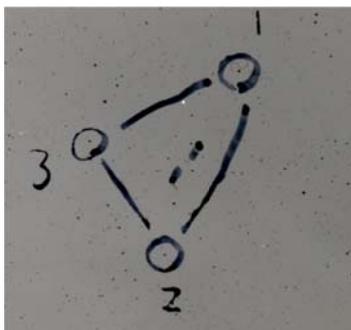


写真 4 New Comet



写真 5 彗星 Kojima

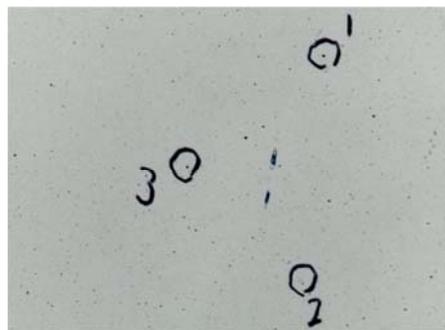
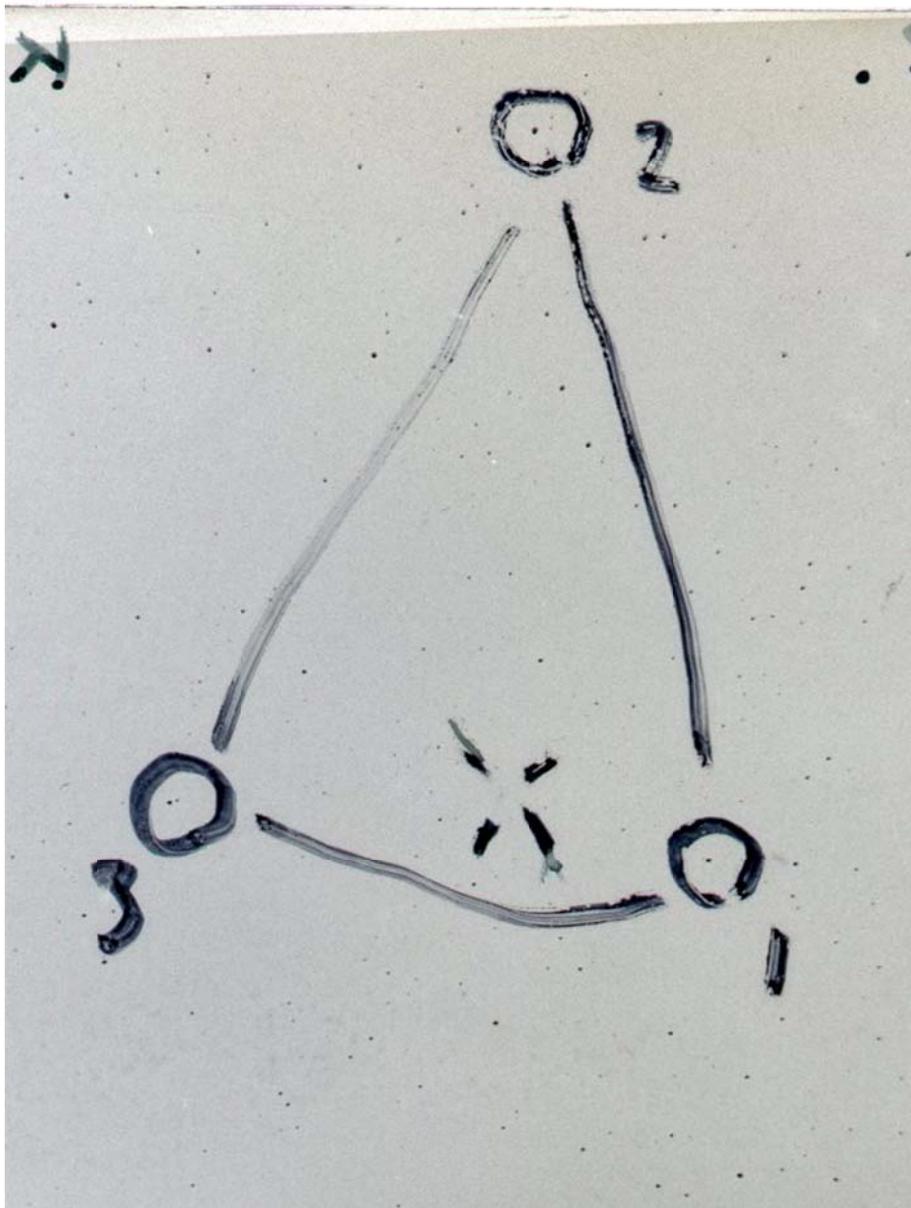


写真 6 彗星 Kojima KJ72174

彗星の中には Kohoutek もある。その例が写真 7 である。



KJ73114 彗星 Kohoutek

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