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## COMETS C/2007 J8-J12 AND C/2007 K7-K18 (SOHO)

Additional near-sun comets (cf. IAUC 8853) have been found on SOHO website images - all being Kreutz sungrazers except for C/2007 K12 (Meyer group). K. Battams reports that C/2007 J8, K7, K9, and K11 were slightly diffuse and very faint (mag 8) with no tail. C/2007 J9 was stellar (mag $\sim 6.5$ ) in C3 images, and very slightly diffuse with a hint of tail in C2 images. C/2007 J10, K13, K15, and K16 were slightly diffuse and faint (mag ~ 7.5). C/2007 J11 was stellar in C3 images, and was of mag $\sim 6.5$ with a hint of tail in C2 images. C/2007 J12 was extremely faint in C3 images and "very faint/diffuse" (mag 8) in C2 images. C/2007 K8 was stellar in appearance in C3 images, and slightly diffuse ( $\mathrm{mag} \sim 7$ ) with a hint of tail in C2 images. C/2007 K10 was stellar in appearance and faint in C3 images, and slightly diffuse and elongated (mag $\sim 7.5$ ) in C2 images. C/2007 K12 was stellar in appearance, elongated (but not in the direction of motion), and of mag $\sim 6.5$. C/2007 K14 was extremely faint ( $\mathrm{mag} \sim$ 8.5 ) and fairly diffuse. C/2007 K17 was very faint (mag ~8), elongated, and diffuse. C/2007 K18 was faint and stellar in appearance in C3 images, and slightly diffuse ( $\mathrm{mag} \sim 7$ ) with a hint of tail in C 2 images.

| Comet | 2007 UT | $\alpha_{2000}$ | $\delta_{2000}$ | Inst. | F | MPEC |
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| C/2007 J8 | May 12.913 | $3^{\mathrm{h}} 20.9$ | $+16^{\circ} 49^{\prime}$ | C2 | BZ | 2007-T56 |
| C/2007 J9 | 13.904 | 328.4 | +1614 | C3/2 | SY | 2007-T56 |
| C/2007 J10 | 14.135 | 325.7 | +1701 | C2 | BZ | 2007-T56 |
| C/2007 J11 | 15.433 | 340.0 | +1536 | C3/2 | BZ | 2007-T56 |
| C/2007 J12 | 15.679 | 338.4 | +1602 | C3/2 | BZ | 2007-T56 |
| C/2007 K7 | 16.854 | 334.3 | +1731 | C2 | BZ | 2007-T57 |
| C/2007 K8 | 17.196 | 340.9 | +1647 | C3/2 | BZ | 2007-T57 |
| C/2007 K9 | 17.646 | 338.5 | +1746 | C2 | BZ | 2007-T57 |
| C/2007 K10 | 17.779 | 343.4 | +1655 | C3/2 | BZ | 2007-T77 |
| C/2007 K11 | 18.271 | 341.1 | +1753 | C2 | BZ | 2007-T77 |
| C/2007 K12 | 18.396 | 341.9 | +20 08 | C2 | HS | 2007-T77 |
| C/2007 K13 | 21.175 | 352.4 | +1830 | C2 | TH | 2007-T77 |
| C/2007 K14 | 21.183 | 352.5 | +1829 | C2 | BZ | 2007-T78 |
| C/2007 K15 | 22.200 | 354.8 | +1834 | C2 | RK | 2007-T78 |
| C/2007 K16 | 22.292 | 355.9 | +1838 | C2 | HS | 2007-T78 |
| C/2007 K17 | 24.635 | 405.2 | +1907 | C2 | TH | 2007-T78 |
| C/2007 K18 | 26.263 | 411.9 | +1906 | C3/2 | MM | 2007-T78 |

