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Errata

The following section corrects errors that have appeared in this publication (indicated as *Bull.*, with volume, issue and page number) or in names or citations published in the *Minor Planet Circulars*. Negative line numbers count from the bottom of the page (in the *Bulletin*) or from the bottom of the page or the bottom of the (second) column (in the *MPCs*).

Reference	Line(s)	
MPC 12459	-19	For Alexandra Rachel Druyen Sagan read
		Alexandra Rachel Druyan Sagan
		[(3680) citation]
Bull. 4, #6, 8	14	For Pocobutas read Počobutas
		[(191775) citation]
Bull. 4, #6, 9	- 6	For Zirmunai read Žirmūnai
		[(612946) name]
Bull. 4, #6, 9	-4 & -3	For Zirmunai read Žirmūnai
		[(612946) citation]
Bull. 4, #6, 10	12	For Dauksa read Daukša [(633225) name]
Bull. 4, #6, 10	14 & 15	For Dauksa read Daukša
		[(633225) citation]

Corrected Discovery Information

The following section lists corrected discovery information for numbered minor planets. The NS column contains an asterisk if the numbering was subject to the current numbering rules, the POC column contains the observatory code of the discovery observation of the principal provisional designation and the DOC column contains the discovery observation.

Number	NS	POC	Disc. Date	DOC	Discovery Site	Discoverer(s)
(283729)		704	2002-10-25	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(287259)		644	2002-10-04	644	Palomar	NEAT
(365533)	*	H07	2006-01-22	H07	7300	W. K. Y. Yeung
(544727)	*	461	2011-01-31	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky, Z. Kuli
(546166)	*	G96	2007-02-14	568	Maunakea	P. A. Wiegert
(546284)	*	691	2007-02-14	568	Maunakea	P. A. Wiegert
(546488)	*	G96	2007-01-19	568	Maunakea	P. A. Wiegert
(549676)	*	F51	2004-03-16	568	Maunakea	D. D. Balam
(550139)	*	691	2006-09-18	568	Maunakea	D. D. Balam
(550574)	*	D03	2007-01-19	568	Maunakea	P. A. Wiegert
(550666)	*	691	2006-10-23	568	Maunakea	D. D. Balam
(575526)	*	461	2011-10-21	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky
(575777)	*	G96	2011-10-21	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky
(580311)	*	461	2011-01-31	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky, Z. Kuli
(590311)	*	703	2011-10-21	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky

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(605606)	*	F51 461	2011-01-31	461 461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky
(605901)	*		2000-12-31	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky, L. Kiss
(607234)	*	461	1999-12-31	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky, L. Kiss
(614890)	•••	461 644	2000-12-31		Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky, L. Kiss NEAT
(624325)			2002-09-11		Palomar	
(626888)		G96			Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(629983)		704	2004-08-08	704		LINEAR
(632595)		G96	2008-09-20		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(632664)		G96	2008-10-09		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(632668)		691	2008-10-10	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(640023)		691	1995-09-24	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(640161)		691	1999-10-04	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(640364)		704	2000-10-24	704		LINEAR
(640375)		691	2000-11-26	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(641033)		699	2002-10-01		Anderson Meas	LONEOS
(641172)		644	2003-02-03	644		NEAT
(641413)		291	2003-10-28	291	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(641423)		645	2003-10-19	645		Mount Lemmon Survey
(641721)		599	2004-08-06	599	Campo Imperatore	A. Boattini, A. D. Paola
(641770)		704	2004-09-08	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(641852)		691	2004-10-05	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(641872)		699	2004-10-07	699	Anderson Mesa	LONEOS
(642209)		291	2005-07-05	291	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(642291)		644	2005-08-25		Palomar	NEAT
(642462)		691	2005-09-24	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(642682)		691	2005-10-24	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(642839)		G96	2005-10-29		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(643097)		G96	2005-12-05		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(643312)		G96	2006-01-23		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(643313)		461	2006-01-24	461	Piszkéstető	K. Sárneczky
(643689)		644	2006-08-12		Palomar	NEAT
(643726)		699	2006-08-27	699	Anderson Mesa	LONEOS
(643790)		691	2006-09-14	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(643849)		703	2006-09-17		Catalina	CSS
(643868)		691	2006-09-18	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(643938)		691	2006-09-26	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(644008)		699	2006-09-24		Anderson Mesa	LONEOS
(644111)		691	2006-10-11	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(644253)		691	2006-10-19	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(644850)		703	2006-12-23	703		CSS
(645416)		691	2007-09-15	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(646021)		J95	2007-12-16	J95	Great Shefford	P. Birtwhistle
(647139)		691	2008-09-05	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(647144)		691	2008-09-02	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(647254)		G96	2008-09-22		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(647270)		704	2008-09-28	704		LINEAR
(647272)		G96	2008-09-22		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(647290)		568	2008-09-16	568		D. J. Tholen
(647318)		G96	2008-09-24		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(647510)		691	2008-10-21	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(647947)		691	2009-01-02	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(648208)		691	2009-09-14	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(648413)		G96	2009-10-16		Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(648721)		691	2010-02-14	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(648853)		926	2010-06-16	926	Nogales	Tenagra II

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(648887)					Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(660088)		704	1998-08-17	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(660483)		291	2001-11-14	291	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(660497)		704	2001-12-11	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(660599)		699	2002-05-15	699	Anderson Mesa	LONEOS
(661238)		704	2004-02-25	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(661332)		644	2004-08-08	644	Palomar	NEAT
(661374)		704	2004-09-08	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(661897)		691	2005-09-24	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(662182)		G96	2005-11-06	G96	Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(662203)		704	2005-11-23	704	Socorro	LINEAR
(662404)		691	2006-01-27	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(662737)		699	2006-09-25	699	Anderson Mesa	LONEOS
(662768)		691	2006-09-27	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(662864)		691	2006-10-16	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(662878)		691	2006-10-18	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(663005)		E12	2006-11-22	E12	Siding Spring	Siding Spring Survey
(663030)		G96	2006-11-21	G96	Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(663215)		691	2007-02-17	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(663216)		691	2007-02-17	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(663491)		G96	2007-09-10	G96	Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(663787)		691	2007-11-01	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(663927)		691	2007-12-30	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(664220)		703	2008-04-07	703	Catalina	CSS
(664545)		691	2008-09-20	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(664565)		G96	2008-09-22	G96	Mount Lemmon	Mount Lemmon Survey
(664998)		A77	2008-11-16	A77	Dauban	F. Kugel
(665326)		691	2009-03-15	691	Kitt Peak	Spacewatch
(665835)		G68	2009-10-22	G68	Sierra Stars	Sierra Stars
(665942)		J75	2009-11-10	J75	La Sagra	OAM
(666408)	*	C51	2010-04-08	C51	WISE	WISE
(666517)	*	C51	2010-08-04	C51	WISE	WISE

New Names of Minor Planets

The following new names of minor planets have been approved by the WGSBN. Discovery details, for information only, are given in the following order: date of discovery; discoverer(s) name(s); discovery site; discovery site observatory code. The discoverer(s) names(s) is/are followed by an asterisk if this is a change from what was published when the object was numbered.

(5371) Albertoaccomazzi = 1987 VG_1

Discovery: 1987-11-15 / S. Ueda, H. Kaneda / Kushiro / 399

Alberto Accomazzi (b. 1964) is an American scientist at the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics where he has served as the Principal Investigator of the Astrophysics Data System since 2015. Alberto also leads the expansion of the ADS as the Principal Investigator and Program Manager of the NASA Science Explorer.

(5373) Michaelkurtz = 1988 VV₃

Discovery: 1988-11-14 / S. Ueda, H. Kaneda / Kushiro / 399

Michael Kurtz (b. 1947) is an American astronomer and computer scientist at the Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics. Kurtz has been with the NASA Astrophysics Data System project since its inception in 1993 and is the project scientist emeritus for the ADS and its expansion to the NASA Science Explorer.

(10196) Akiraarai = 1996 TJ₁₅

Discovery: 1996-10-09 / S. Ueda, H. Kaneda / Kushiro / 399

Akira Arai (b. 1981) is a Japanese astronomer who is a Support Astronomer at the Subaru Telescope, National Astronomical Observatory of Japan. His research is on observations of classical and recurrent novae using ground-based telescopes in mainly optical and near-infrared wavelengths.

(10723) Tobiashinse = 1986 TH

Discovery: 1986-10-03 / P. Jensen / Brorfelde / 054

Tobias Cornelius Hinse (b. 1975) is a German astronomer who has made original contributions in both theory and observations of exoplanets, small solar system bodies and natural satellites. In addition to being a gifted scientist, he is a fine ambassador for public science outreach projects in many countries.

(11511) Billknopf = 1990 WK₂

Discovery: 1990-11-18 / E. F. Helin / Palomar / 675

William Knopf (b. 1959) is an American Program Executive in the Planetary Science Division, NASA HQ, Washington, DC with expertise in physics, computer science and project management. He has participated in and overseen numerous projects, programs and spacecraft missions, including AMMOS, Cassini, EPOXI, Grail, Janus, Lunar Trailblazer, Psyche and VERITAS.

(14332) Brucebarnett = 1981 EX_{26}

Discovery: 1981-03-02 / S. J. Bus / Siding Spring / 413

Bruce Barnett (b. 1956) is an American Certified Public Accountant who was the first Chief Financial Officer of the Planetary Science Institute. He provided infrastructure that allowed decades of growth at PSI, and generously provided administrative support and advice to other astronomical organizations when they were in need.

(14333) Alanfischer = 1981 ED₃₄

Discovery: 1981-03-01 / S. J. Bus / Siding Spring / 413

Alan Fischer (b. 1957) is an American journalist and the first Public Information Officer of the Planetary Science Institute. He has written about research results of more than 100 scientists, communicating the excitement of their work to the public and advancing science literacy. He is a strong advocate for the engagement of scientists with the public.

(14334) Lindarueger = 1981 EE_{38}

Discovery: 1981-03-01 / S. J. Bus / Siding Spring / 413

Linda Rueger (b. 1954) is the first Human Resources Director of the Planetary Science Institute. Her patience, accessibility and empathy for all staff, her tireless support for scientists, and her rigor in maintaining state and federal regulatory compliance have contributed much to making PSI a caring, stable workplace.

(14799) Mitchschulte = 1979 MS₂

Discovery: 1979-06-25 / E. F. Helin, S. J. Bus / Siding Spring / 413

Mitchell D. Schulte (b. 1965) is an American Program Scientist in the Planetary Science Division, NASA HQ, Washington, DC. He has experience in the petrography and aqueous alteration history of chondritic meteorites, and he has overseen the science content of the Mars 2020 Rover, the U.S. contribution to ESA's ExoMars rover, and the Mars Exploration Rovers.

(20014) Annalisa = 1991 RM₂₉

Discovery: 1991-09-13 / H. E. Holt / Palomar / 675

Annalisa Scarrone (b. 1985) is an Italian singer and songwriter. She holds a physics degree but has made her mark in the music industry, achieving significant international success with her songs that have won awards and numerous platinum records.

(20015) Liguori = 1991 SR

Discovery: 1991-09-30 / R. H. McNaught / Siding Spring / 413

Domenico Liguori (b. 1970) is an Italian physicist and teacher who specializes in the study and understanding of cosmic rays and various physical phenomena. In 2023, he was awarded the Atlante Italian Teacher Award as the best Italian teacher of mathematics and physics.

(27844) Fumitake = 1994 TG₁

Discovery: 1994-10-02 / K. Endate, K. Watanabe / Kitami / 400

Fumitake Watanabe (b. 1983) is a Japanese amateur astronomer and chief researcher at the Nayoro Observatory in Nayoro City, Hokkaido. He makes follow-up observations of novae and supernovae. He is an active popularizer of astronomy.

(27861) Sudachikako = 1995 BL₄

Discovery: 1995-01-28 / K. Endate, K. Watanabe / Kitami / 400

Chikako Suda (b. 1949) is a Japanese amateur astronomer and a member of the Japanese Meteor Society. On 1967 November 18, she witnessed a daytime meteor shower from Ishinomaki, Miyagi, Japan, at about 2:50 P.M. that lasted about 30 minutes. The event is recorded in the bulletins and astronomical documents of Japanese meteor observing organizations.

(52703) Bernardleblanc = 1998 FW_{72}

Discovery: 1998-03-26 / ODAS / Caussols / 910

Bernard Leblanc (1941–2015) was a French professor at the Ecole Nationale Supérieure Louis Lumière in Paris. He taught hundreds of photographers and cinematographers the science of sensitometry. He wrote many technical papers on photographic emulsions in magazines like *Zoom*, *le Photographe* and *Photologie*.

(52860) Méganediet = 1998 SX

Discovery: 1998-09-16 / ODAS / Caussols / 910

Mégane Diet (b. 1988) is a French Optical Ground Station engineer at Centre National d'Études Spatiales. She led to the creation of the fourth telescope in New-Caledonia as TAROT (Telescope à Action Rapide pour les Objets Transitoires) project manager. She is committed to nature, with a taste for yoga and the pleasures of natural life.

(52982) Marieclaire = 1998 UY₁₅

Discovery: 1998-10-21 / ODAS / Caussols / 910

Marie-Claire Hainaut (née Rouelle, b. 1965) is a Belgian physicist and painter. She has worked at various world-class telescopes on La Silla, Maunakea, and both Gemini telescopes, optimizing the quality of astronomical observations. She then studied and practiced modern and classical painting techniques.

(53127) Adrienklotz = 1999 AH₂₅

Discovery: 1999-01-15 / ODAS / Caussols / 910

Adrien N. Klotz (b. 1999) is a French amateur astronomer who observes RR Lyrae stars. He has also contributed to the technical maintenance of the TAROT telescope network. He is also a passionate musician and a research engineer at the Laboratoire d'Etudes en Géophysique et Océanographie Spatiales.

(63463) Calamandrei = 2001 OR₁₂

Discovery: 2001-07-20 / M. Tombelli, L. Tesi / San Marcello / 104

Marco Calamandrei (b. 1954) is an Italian amateur astronomer at the Gruppo Astrofili Montelupo. Before he retired, he was an anesthesiologist at the Meyer pediatric hospital in Florence.

(152583) Saône = 1994 TF

Discovery: 1994-10-04 / L. Tesi, G. Cattani * / San Marcello / 104

Saône is a small town in eastern France that is twinned with the municipality of San Marcello Piteglio, the discovery site for this minor planet.

(193818) Polidoro = 2001 QH

Discovery: 2001-08-16 / L. Tesi, G. Forti * / San Marcello / 104

Massimo Polidoro (b. 1969) is an Italian author and science communicator who fosters critical thinking and a sense of wonder in the public.

(215458) Yucun = 2002 PJ₁₇₈

Discovery: 2002-08-15 / NEAT / Palomar / 644

Yucun is located in Anji, Zhejiang Province, China, and was named "the Best Tourist Village" by the UN World Tourism Organization in 2021. The entire village is like a boat sailing in the vast sea of bamboo waves, green mountains and clear waters. The name was suggested by T. Chen, who discovered this minor planet in publicly-available archive data.

$(216194) \text{ Újvárosy} = 2006 \text{ UA}_4$

Discovery: 2006-10-17 / K. Sárneczky * / Piszkéstető / 461

Antal Újvárosy (b. 1954) is a Hungarian environmental specialist, teacher and amateur astronomer. He is active in environmental education, dissemination and attitude formation. Previously he was the leader of the comet section of several astronomical journals and the director of The Planetarium of Kecskemét.

(219008) Igazantal = 2008 YY_8

Discovery: 2008-12-23 / K. Sárneczky * / Piszkéstető / 461

Antal Igaz (b. 1970) is a Hungarian amateur astronomer and the founder of the first meteor camera network in Hungary. He is one of the designers and builders of the Konkoly Observatory's meteor camera network, and the finder of a piece of the Ribbeck meteorite, the remnant of the impactor 2024 BX₁.

(352704) Stevefleming = 2008 SW₁₅₁

Discovery: 2008-09-26 / R. Holmes * / Charleston / H55

Steve Fleming (1974–2017) was a principal of Vernon High School in Vernon, Texas. As principal he initiated the astronomy program and enabled students to get started in astronomical research. His enthusiasm and joy for students and life will be remembered. Name suggested by students and teacher Stephen Caldwell of Vernon High School.

(548624) Ekwerike = 2010 TL₇₈

Discovery: 2010-09-15 / R. Holmes * / Charleston / H21

Alphonsus Ekwerike (1960–2022) was an early participant of the International Astronomical Search Collaboration and the first Nigerian to discover an asteroid. He was also a prominent professional in the medicine and health sciences fields. His contributions and dedication to education will be remembered. Name suggested by Patrick Miller and the IASC.

(578622) Fergezsuzsa = 2014 EN₁₇

Discovery: 2012-10-21 / K. Sárneczky, G. Hodosán * / Piszkéstető / 461

Zsuzsa Ferge (1931–2024) was a Hungarian economist, who worked in the fields of social statistics, sociology, and social policy. Her main fields of interest in research and teaching were social structure, social inequalities, education, social policy, poverty, and the social impact of the transition.

(605901) Montághimre = 2016 WD₅₃

Discovery: 2011-10-24 / K. Sárneczky, L. Kiss / Piszkéstető / 461

Imre Montágh (1935–1986) was a Hungarian remedial therapist, speech therapist, teacher, popular TV and radio personality, author of several books. A significant part of his life was spent serving the Hungarian language. His aim was to improve speech and teach metacommunicative gestures.

(664136) Tercu = 2008 EM₁₄₄

Discovery: 2008-03-11 / EURONEAR * / La Silla / 809

Ovidiu Tercu (b. 1971) is the founder of the Astronomical Observatory of the Museum Complex of Natural Sciences and Călin Popovici Astroclub in Galați, Romania. He has contributed to public outreach and astronomy education, observing asteroids, comets, discovering variable stars, and has been a mentor for generations of amateur and professional astronomers.

(668527) Christophgerhard = 2012 BD

Discovery: 2012-01-17 / B. Haeusler / Maidbronn / B82

Christoph Gerhard (b. 1964) is a German electrical engineer, theologian, publisher, author and cellarer of the Benedictine Abbey of Münsterschwarzach. At his observatory he tracks and measures Near Earth Objects and comets.

(677772) Bettonvil = 2017 DA₂₃

Discovery: 2012-10-18 / M. Langbroek, K. Sárneczky * / Piszkéstető / 461

Felix Bettonvil (b. 1966) is a Dutch engineer and project manager of the NOVA Optical IR Group at Leiden Observatory and ASTRON. He is an active meteor observer and board member and former chair of the Dutch Working Group on Meteors. Felix is active in public outreach on astronomy.

Recent Comet Namings & Numberings

Recently-assigned comet names and numbering of periodic comets are listed below. The recently-assigned names list indicates, using an asterisk, any comet whose discovery is eligible for the Edgar Wilson Award, as well as the reference where the name first appears (this may not be the circular announcing the discovery, or the first appearance of a name if the name was modified subsequently). If a date appears as the reference, it refers to the date that a News note of a name change appeared on the WGSBN website. If a name contains accented characters, the approved ASCII-only version of the name is included between [...]: note that any print, PDF or web usage must use the proper accented form. Newly-numbered objects that are being accorded dual status are flagged as such.

Recent Namings (in reverse chronological order)

[Wierzchos]	MPEC 2024-K31
	MPEC 2024-J134
	MPEC 2024-J133
	MPEC 2024-J126
	MPEC 2024-J123
eppard-Tholen)	MPEC 2024-H65
	MPEC 2024-H22
	MPEC 2024-H20
[Wierzchos]	MPEC 2024-H10
	MPEC 2024-G103
	MPEC 2024-G102
	MPEC 2024-F91
[Wierzchos]	MPEC 2024-E102
	<i>MPEC</i> 2024-E8
	<i>MPEC</i> 2024-E7
	MPEC 2024-G1
	MPEC 2024-D135
RS)	MPEC 2024-D133
	MPEC 2024-D102
	MPEC 2024-D98
	MPEC 2024-D97
	MPEC 2024-C180
	MPEC 2024-C178
	MPEC 2024-C177
	MPEC 2024-C87
	MPEC 2024-C86
oo (ATLAS)	MPEC 2024-B139
	eppard-Tholen) [Wierzchos] [Wierzchos]

C/2024 A1 (ATLAS)		MPEC 2024-B78
474P/2023 S4 = P/2017 O4 (Hogan)		MPEC 2024-B74
P/2023 Y2 (Gibbs)		MPEC 2024-A148
P/2023 Y1 (Gibbs)		MPEC 2023-Y60
C/2023 X4 (Hogan)		MPEC 2023-X272
P/2023 X3 (PANSTARRS)		MPEC 2023-X269
C/2023 X2 (Lemmon)		MPEC 2023-X226
C/2023 X1 (Leonard)		MPEC 2023-X222
C/2023 RN ₃ (ATLAS)		MPEC 2023-X85
P/2023 V6 (PANSTARRS)		MPEC 2023-V262
C/2023 V5 (Leonard)		MPEC 2023-V193
C/2023 V4 (Camarasa-Duszanowicz)	*	MPEC 2023-V192
C/2023 V3 (PANSTARRS)		MPEC 2023-V109
P/2023 V2 (PANSTARRS)		MPEC 2023-V108
C/2023 V1 (Lemmon)		MPEC 2023-V23
C/2023 S3 (Lemmon)		MPEC 2023-V1
C/2023 T3 (Fuls)		MPEC 2023-U290
C/2023 U1 (Fuls)		MPEC 2023-U288

Recent Numberings

483P/2016 J1 = P/2010 M9 = P/2020 Y6 = P/2021 K5 (PA)	NSTARRS)
	MPC 171409
482P/2014 VF ₄₀ (PANSTARRS)	MPC 171409
$481P/2012 \text{ WA}_{34} = P/2024 \text{ C5 (Lemmon-PANSTARRS)}$	MPC 171409
480P/2014 A3 = P/2023 X6 (PANSTARRS)	MPC 169139
$479P/2011 \text{ NO}_1 = P/2023 \text{ WM}_{26} \text{ (Elenin)}$	MPC 169139
$478P/2023 \text{ Y}3 = P/2017 \text{ BQ}_{100} \text{ (ATLAS)}$	MPC 169139
477P/2018 P3 = P/2023 V8 (PANSTARRS)	MPC 169139
$476P/2015 HG_{16} = P/2023 W2 (PANSTARRS)$	MPC 169139
$475P/2004 \text{ DO}_{29} = P/2023 \text{ V7 (Spacewatch-LINEAR)}$	MPC 169139
474P/2023 S4 = P/2017 O4 (Hogan)	MPC 169139
473P/2001 Q6 = P/2023 W1 (NEAT)	MPC 169139
$472P/2002 T6 = P/2023 RL_{75} (NEAT-LINEAR)$	MPC 167069
$471P/2023 \text{ KF}_3 = P/2010 \text{ YK}_3$	MPC 164694
470P/2014 W1 = P/2023 O2 (PANSTARRS)	MPC 164694
469P/2015 XG ₄₂₂ (PANSTARRS)	MPC 164694
468P/2004 V3 = P/2023 O1 (Siding Spring)	MPC 164694
$467P/2010 \text{ TO}_{20} = P/2023 \text{ H6 (LINEAR-Grauer)}$	MPC 164694
466P/2015 T3 = P/2023 M3 (PANSTARRS)	MPC 163244
465P/2008 L2 = P/2023 L1 (Hill)	MPC 163244
464P/2014 OL ₄₆₅ (PANSTARRS)	MPC 163244
463P/2018 HT3 (NEOWISE)	MPC 163244
$462P/2022 \text{ M1} = P/2000 \text{ OZ}_{21} \text{ (LONEOS-PANSTARRS)}$	MPC 163244
$461P/2010 \text{ OE}_{101} = P/2021 \text{ LJ}_{31} \text{ (WISE)}$	MPC 163244

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