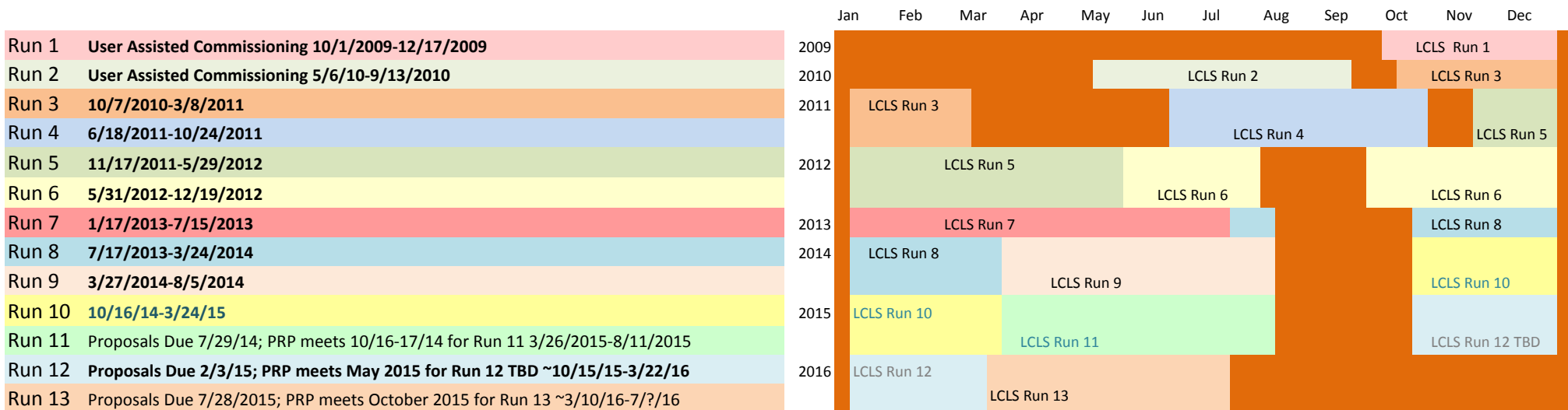


LCLS Operations Schedule



LCLS proposals are generally due twice a year, approximately 8 months before the start of the run in which the experiments will be scheduled.

In general, LCLS operates ~4,700 hours (39 weeks) each year in 2 scheduling periods: October-March and March-August.

Shut downs, indicated in orange, are necessary for maintenance and upgrades. There is typically a long shutdown August-October and a short one December-January.