

## 1 METEOSAT-6

Meteosat-6 gain settings are available from 21 October 1996 until 30 September 2005 (current gain settings are listed on the [Gain Settings](#) page) for the following detectors:

[ [IR 1](#) | [IR 2](#) | [WV 1](#) | [WV 2](#) | [VIS 1/VIS 2](#) ]

**NOTE: when spacecraft are decontaminated no gain settings are available for the spacecraft that is being decontaminated. During these short periods another spacecraft is usually used and this is indicated in the tables below. In each case a link is provided to the gain setting of the backup spacecraft.**

### 1.1 Detector IR 1

From		To		Gain Value
Date	Slot	Date	Slot	
21 Oct 1996	18	25 Oct 1996	17	5
25 Oct 1996	18	13 Feb 1997	17	<b>MET-5</b>
13 Feb 1997	18	03 Jun 1998	16	5
03 Jun 1998	17	18 Jan 1999	17	<b>MET-7</b>
18 Jan 1999	18	20 Jan 1999	17	5
20 Jan 1999	18	17 Jan 2000	17	<b>MET-7</b>
17 Jan 2000	18	21 May 2001	25	5
21 May 2001	26	21 Jan 2003	19	4
21 Jan 2003	20	18 May 2004	17	5
18 May 2004	18	09 Nov 2004	17	4
09 Nov 2004	18	25 Apr 2005	17	5
25 Apr 2004	18	30 Sep 2005	48	4

### 1.2 Detector IR 2

Not used.

### 1.3 Detector WV 1

Not used.

### 1.4 Detector WV 2

From		To		Gain Value
Date	Slot	Date	Slot	
21 Oct 1996	18	25 Oct 1996	17	6
25 Oct 1996	18	13 Feb 1997	17	<b>MET-5</b>
13 Feb 1997	18	03 Jun 1998	16	6
03 Jun 1998	17	18 Jan 1999	17	<b>MET-7</b>
18 Jan 1999	18	20 Jan 1999	17	6

20 Jan 1999	18	17 Jan 2000	17	<b>MET-7</b>
17 Jan 2000	18	13 Jul 2004	17	6
13 Jul 2004	18	09 Nov 2004	17	5
09 Nov 2004	18	30 Sep 2005	48	6

### 1.5 Detector VIS 1 / VIS 2

From		To		Gain Value
Date	Slot	Date	Slot	
21 Oct 1996	18	30 Sep 2005	48	5