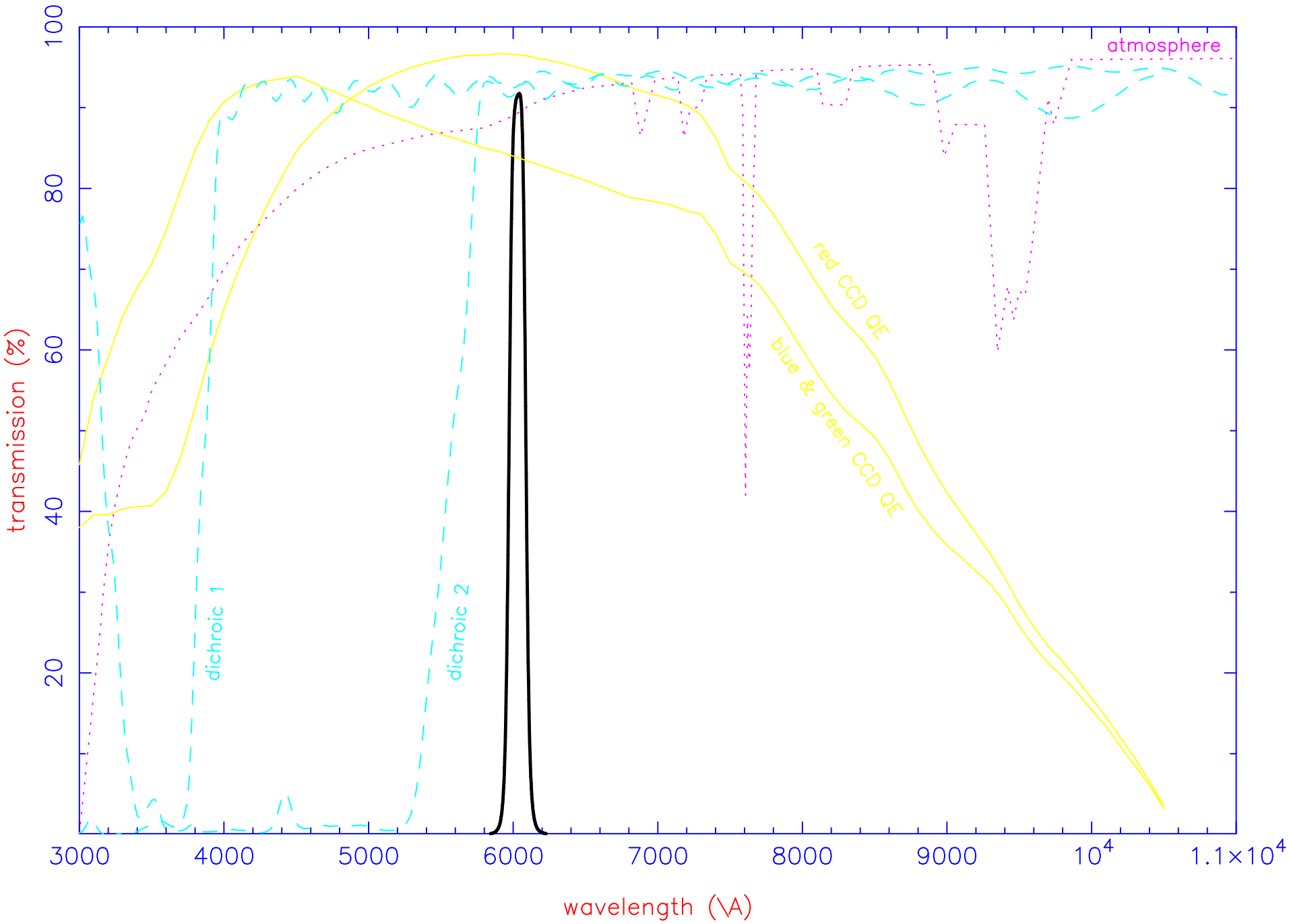red continuum #2