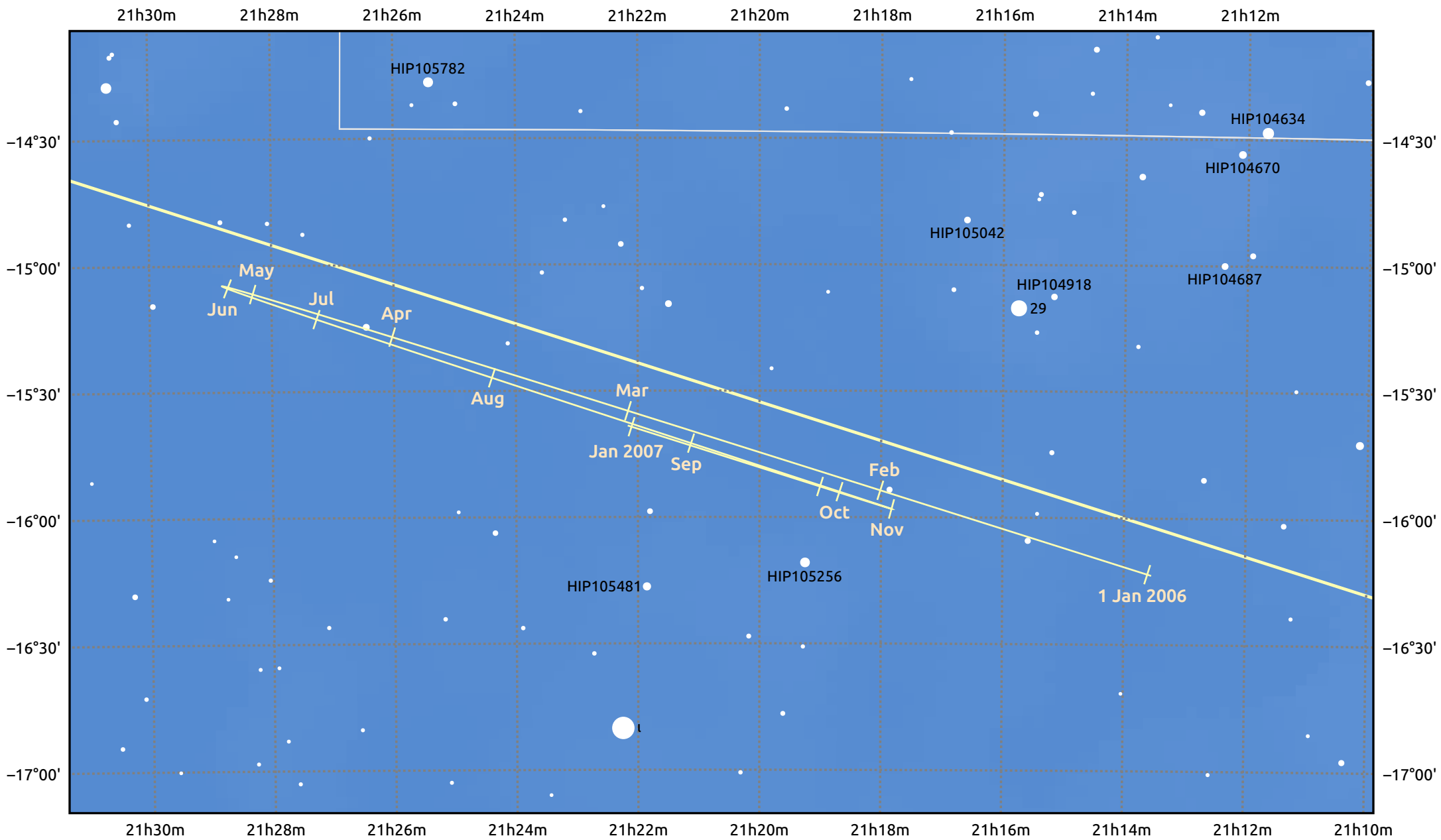


The path of Neptune in 2006



Magnitude scale: •10.0 •9.0 •8.0 •7.0 •6.0 ●5.0 ●4.0

— Ecliptic Plane

Galaxy Bright nebula Open cluster Globular cluster Planetary nebula

Date	Mag	Angular size
2006 Jan 1	8.0	2.2"
2006 Apr 1	8.0	2.2"
2006 Jul 1	7.9	2.3"
2006 Oct 1	7.9	2.3"
2007 Jan 1	8.0	2.2"