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(1) "Sibeck_Korea", 2 MB pdf, 28 pages.

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: RBSP 2012 - Part 3

: International Conference on Radiation Belts

and Space Weather, Daejeon, Korea.

Dear ISWI Participant:

One of the exciting aspects of space weather research is that it draws upon the data of a vast variety of instruments and observatories — on the ground, in the air, and in orbit.

I attach for your inspection a presentation by Dr D.G. Sibeck of NASA/GSFC; it was delivered at the recent RBSP conference in Korea. The title is: "Radiation Belt Storm Probes (RBSP): Partnership with Other Missions."

RBSP welcomes your participation in this mission. More info can be found here: http://rbsp.jhuapl.edu/

Respectfully yours,

George MaedaThe Editor

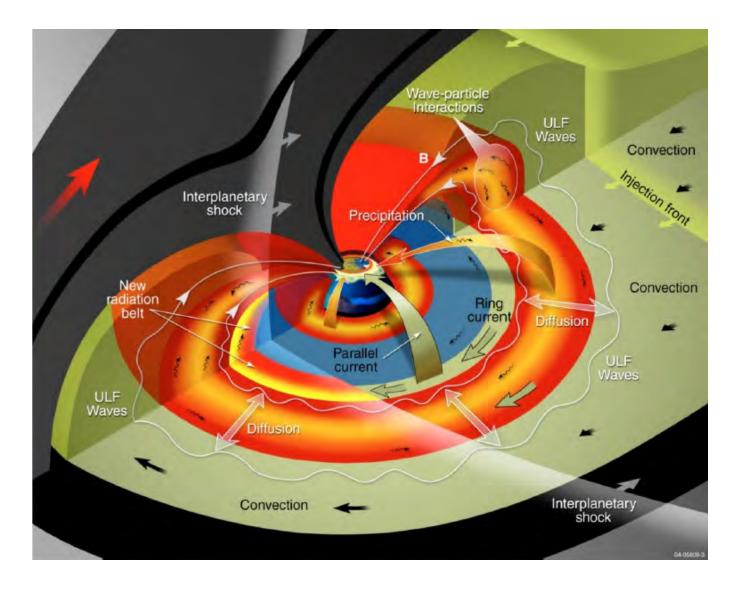
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Radiation Belt Storm Probes (RBSP): Partnerships with Other Missions

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B. H. Mauk, N. Fox, and A. Ukhorskiy JHU/APL



Many processes sculpt the inner magnetosphere: Correlative studies help quantify their importance

RBSP Science Questions

• Which physical processes produce radiation belt enhancement events?

• What are the dominant mechanisms for relativistic electron loss?

• How do ring current and other geomagnetic processes affect radiation belt behavior?

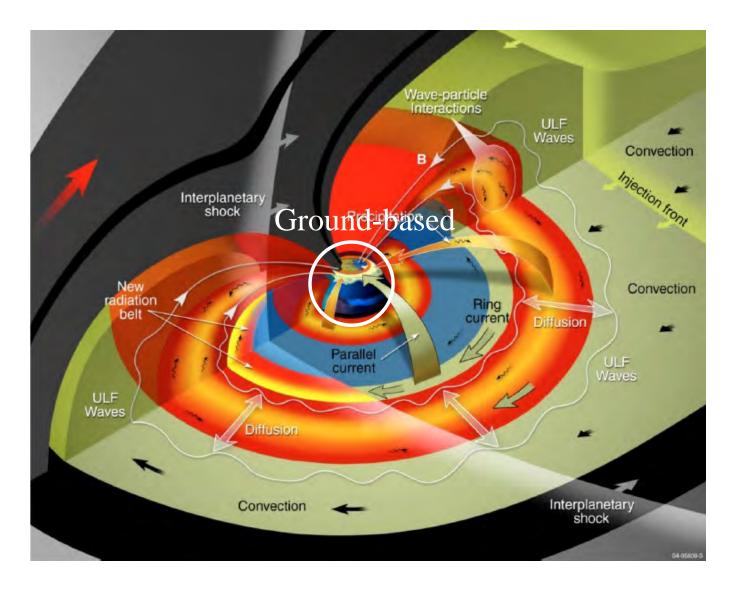
Correlative Measurements for RBSP

Ground-based

Balloons

• Low-altitude spacecraft

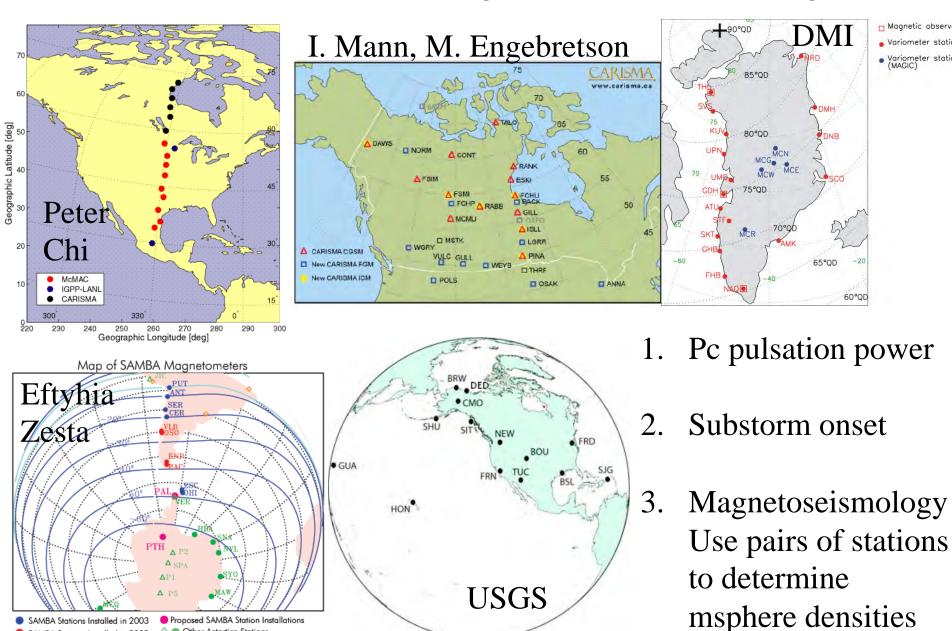
• High-altitude spacecraft



Ground-based observations at the footprints of magnetospheric magnetic field lines

Extensive Ground Magnetometer Coverage

Variometer static



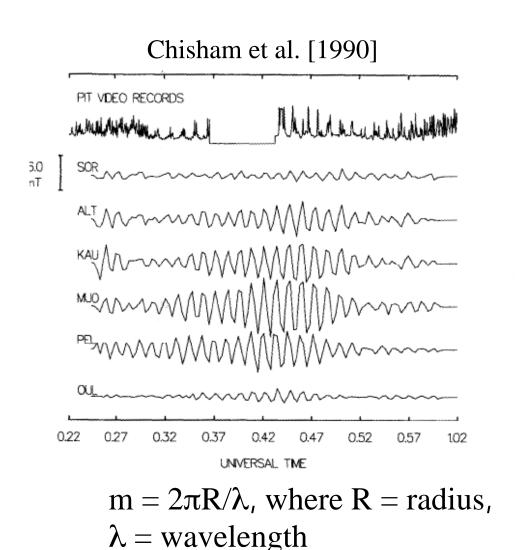
Proposed SAMBA Station Installations

SAMBA Stations Installed in 2003

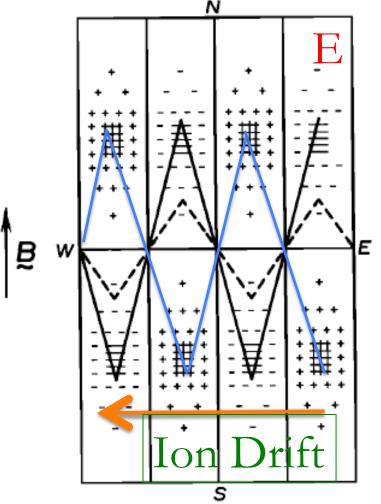
SAMBA Stations Installed in 2002 Other Antartica Stations

Poloidal Pulsations:

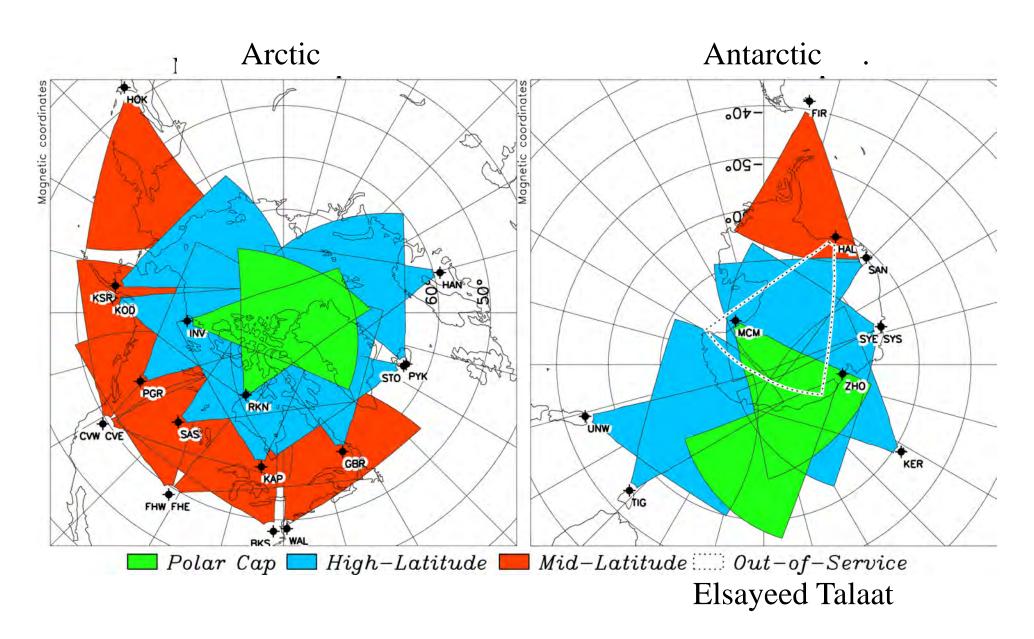
Symmetric low 'm' scatter, energize electrons Antisymmetric high 'm' energize ions



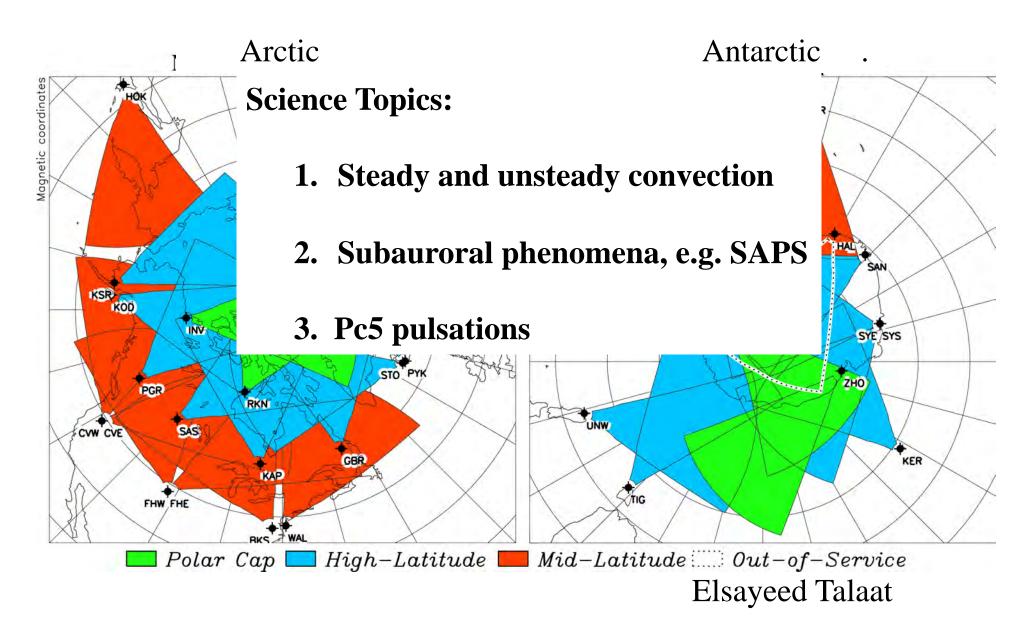
Southwood and Kivelson [1982]



SuperDARN Radar Convection Patterns Provide Global Context for RBSP Electric Field Measurements

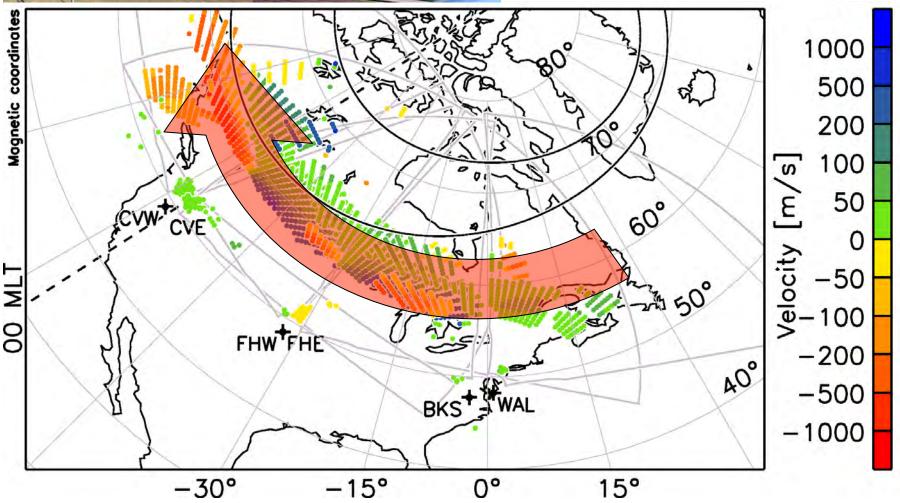


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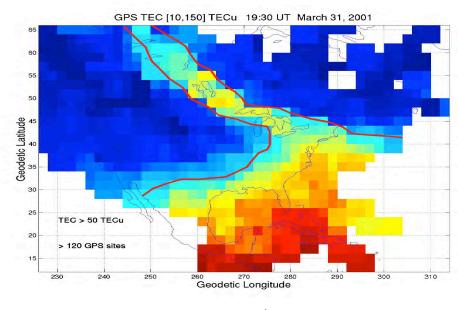
SuperDARN images SAPS flow channel → maps to strong E at inner edge of dusk ring current



Map of Line-of-Sight Velocities for 08:40 UT, March 9th, 2011

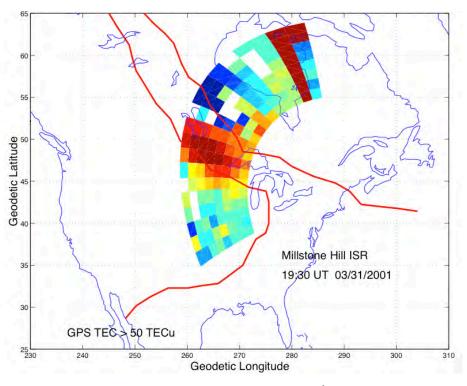
GPS and Incoherent Scatter Radars

GPS Observations of Plasma Plume



Tony Manucci

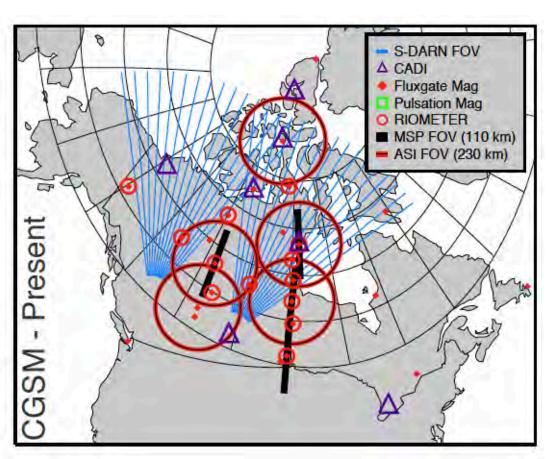
ISR Observation of Plasma Plume



John Foster

Dayside plasmaspheric plume → EMIC/hiss waves → ion loss

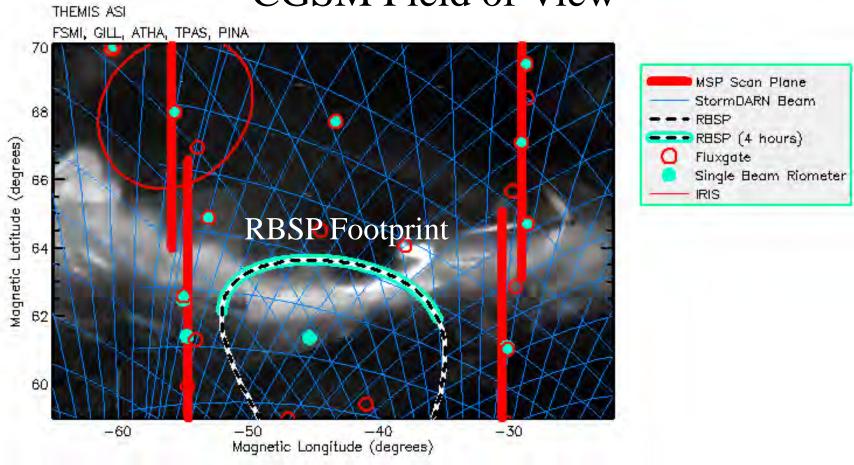
Canadian Geospace Monitoring Array



- 1. Radar→ steady/transient convection
- 2. Riometer \rightarrow 10's kev electron injections and loss L = 4.2, 5.5, 6.7...
- 3. MSP/ASI → substorm auroral activity
- 4. CADI Ionosonde

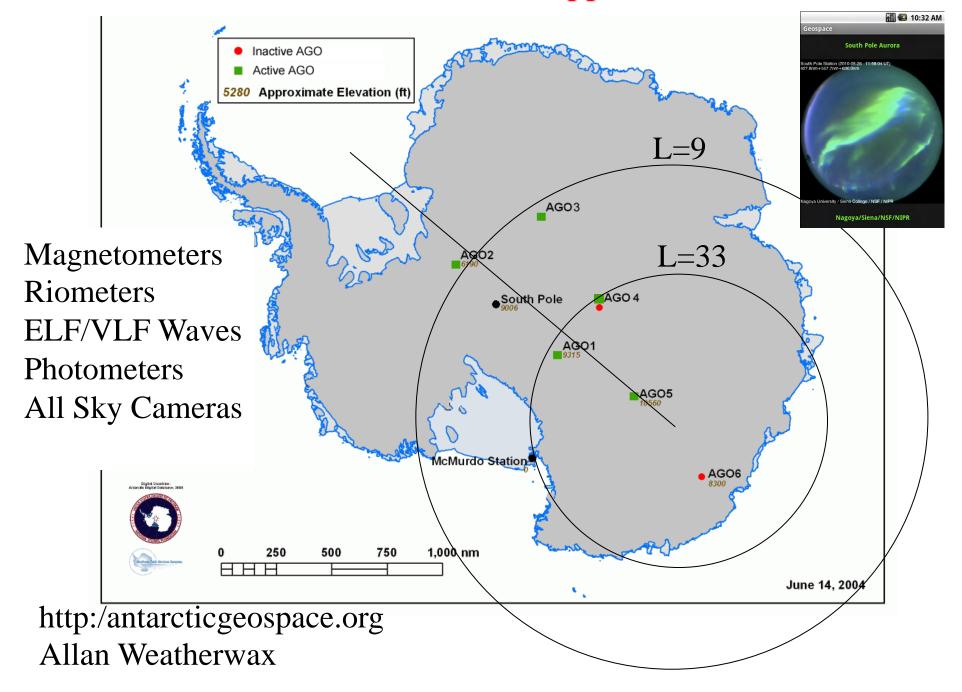
E. Donovan and I. Mann

Footprint of RBSP lies Well within CGSM Field of View



Storms, substorms, and pulsating aurora/chorus studies

Antarctic Ground-based Support for RBSP





BARREL Project Overview

Robyn Millan, Dartmouth

BARREL is a multiple-balloon experiment designed to study relativistic electron precipitation

- Two Antarctic Science Campaigns during RBSP Mission
- 20 small balloon payloads in each campaign in 2013 and 2014
- Launched successively to set up slowly drifting array
- Long duration balloon flights => 30 day campaign
- >3000 hours of data in radiation belt region (L<7)
- Launch sites planned: Halley Bay and South African Antarctic station (SANAE)

Observe brehmsstrahlung generated by electron-neutral collisions resulting from precipitating MeV electrons

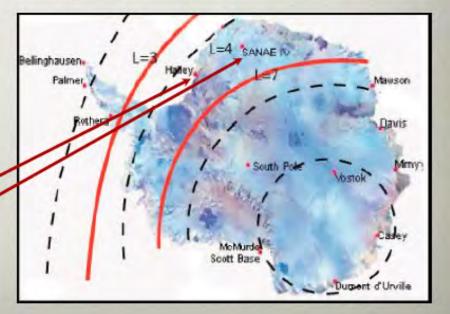




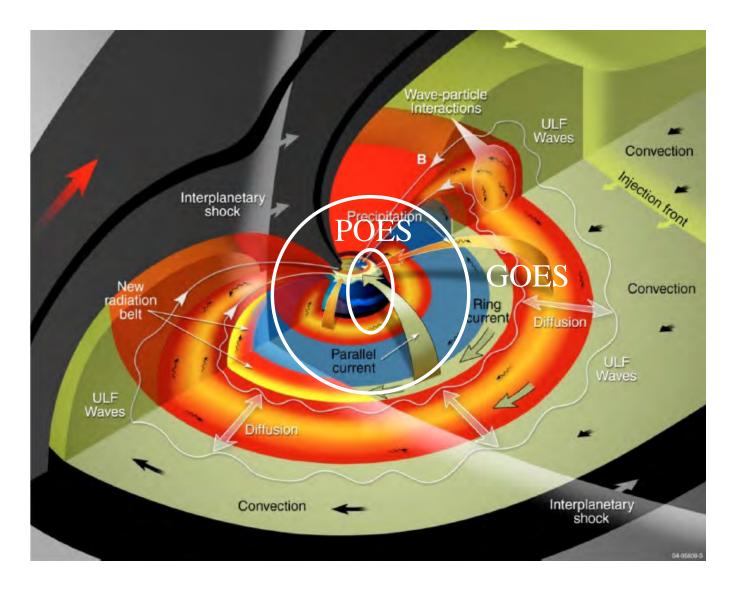
Platform - Balloon Array



- BARREL uses an array of balloons to achieve its science
- 4-5 balloons aloft simultaneously
- separation 1-2 hours of MLT
- flight durations ~7 days
- 20 balloons per campaign



- Two launch sites:
- -Halley Bay
- -SANAE



NOAA Spacecraft: POES and GOES

NOAA Resources

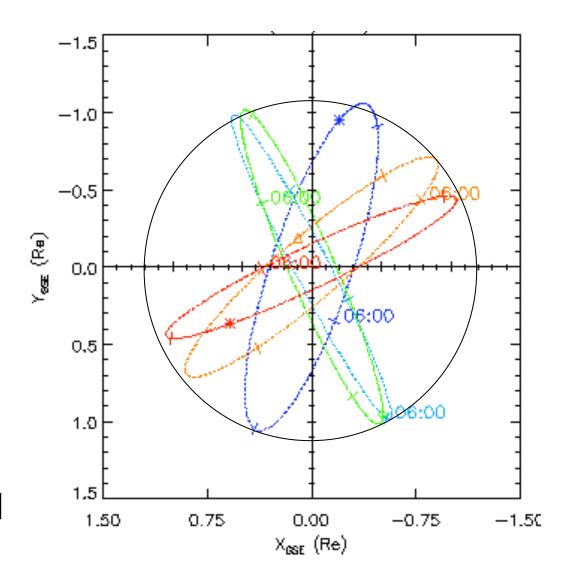
POES observations of

50 eV to 2.5 MeV electrons 50 eV to 6.9 MeV ions and 16-140 MeV protons

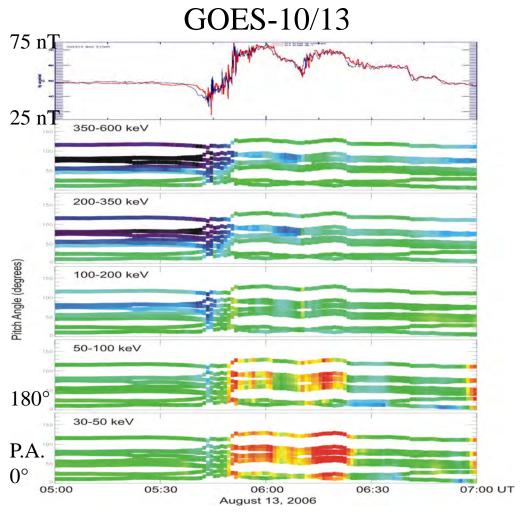
at 830-870 km with 2s cadence

provide information on:

- 1. Magnetosphere topology
- 2. Precipitation or the lack thereof [e.g. Turner et al., 2012]



NOAA Resources



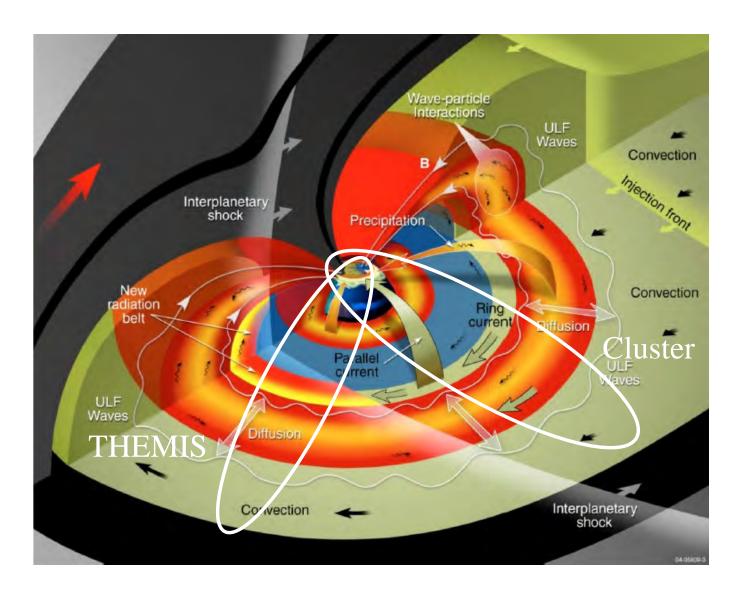
Substorm Stretching, Onset

The 2 GOES geosynchronous spacecraft provide information on:

- 1. Magnetosphere structure
- 2. Substorms
- 3. Injected ions

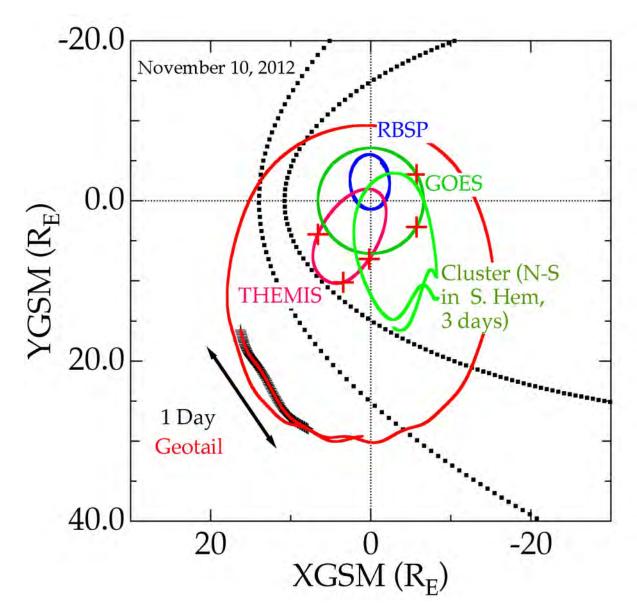
Magnetic field (0.5s cadence)

Electrons 30 keV \rightarrow > 4 Mev Protons 80 keV \rightarrow 900 MeV Alphas 4 MeV \rightarrow 3400 MeV



Cluster and THEMIS

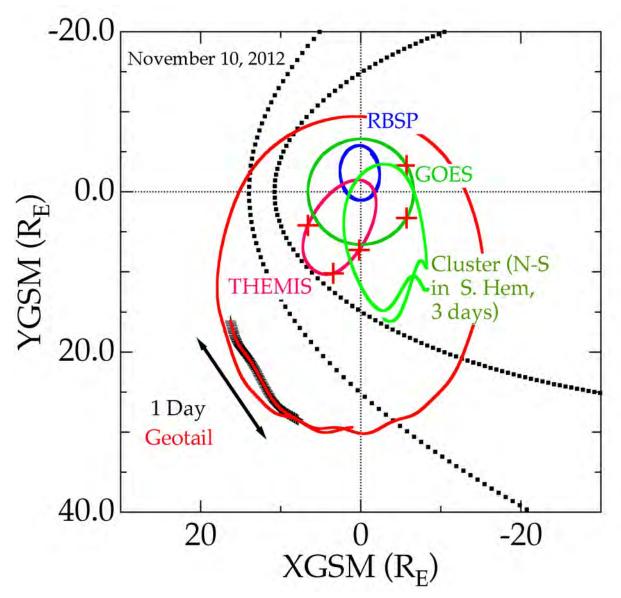
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Early Mission Locations:

- 1. RBSP near dawn
- 2. Cluster near dusk
- 3. THEMIS at post-noon magnetopause
- 4. Geotail in solar wind

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Early Mission Science:

Roles of chorus/EMIC

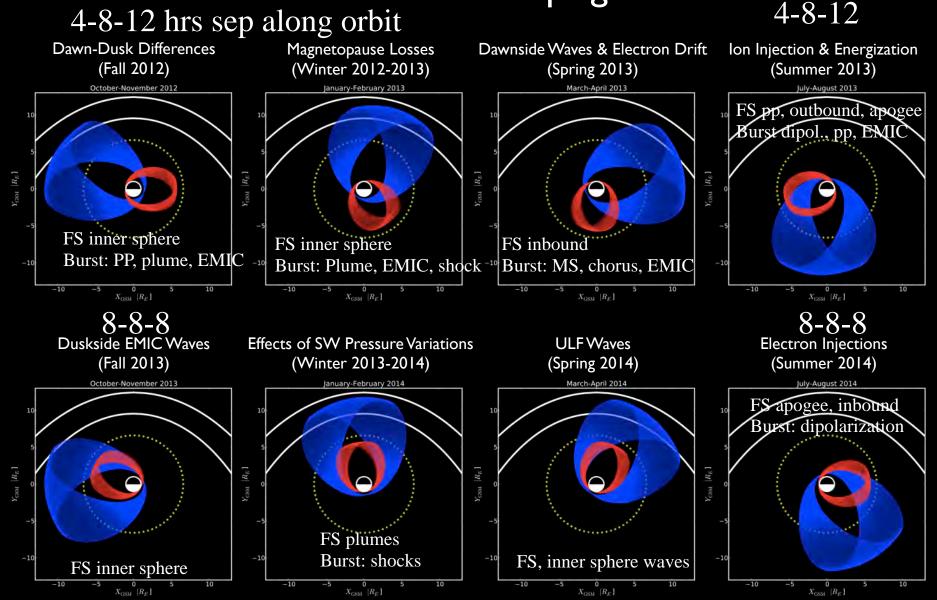
RBSP/Cluster → chorus at dawn

THEMIS → EMIC at dusk

Roles of Chorus/Hiss
RBSP → Chorus at apogee
THEMIS/Cluster → Hiss at perigee

Ring current asymmetry
RBSP → dawn ring current
THEMIS → dusk ring current

8 Science Campaigns



Many thanks to S. Ukhorskiy for graphics!

Summary

- 1. RBSP welcomes your participation in the mission. More information: http://rbsp.jhuapl.edu/
- 2. For data, ephemeris, software, tools:
 - http://athena.jhuapl.edu/home_overview
- 3. Please ask me for my white paper describing detailed science plans as a function of mission phase.
- 4. Thank you for your kind hospitality!

Geosynchronous GOES-13/15 (Separation: 4 Hrs LT)

Magnetometer

0.5s time resolution

Magnetospheric Electron Detector (MAGED):

9 look directions for (5 azimuth and 5 elevation with shared center)

5 energy channels in each look direction: 30 keV - 600 keV

Magnetospheric Proton Detector (MAGPD):

9 look directions for (5 azimuth and 5 elevation with shared center)

5 energy channels in each look direction: 80 keV - 800 keV

Energetic Proton Electron and Alpha Detector (EPEAD):

2 look directions (East and West)

3 electron energy channels: > 0.8 MeV, > 2 MeV, > 4 MeV

7 proton energy channels: 0.7 – 900 MeV

6 alpha particle energy channels: 4 – 500 MeV

High Energy Proton and Alpha Detector (HEPAD):

1 look direction

4 proton energy channels: 330 - >700 MeV

2 alpha particle channels: 2560 - >3400 MeV

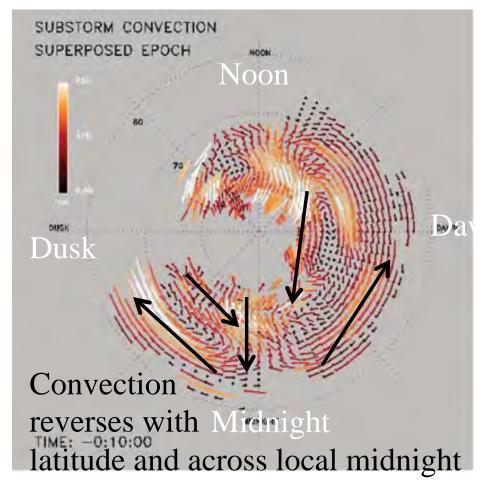
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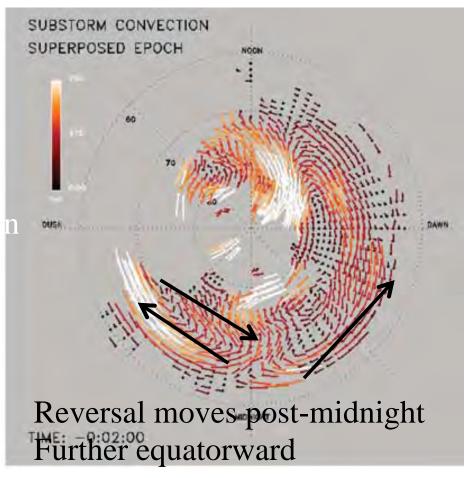
Green

Radars and Substorms

Growth Phase: Two Cell Pattern

Just Prior to Onset

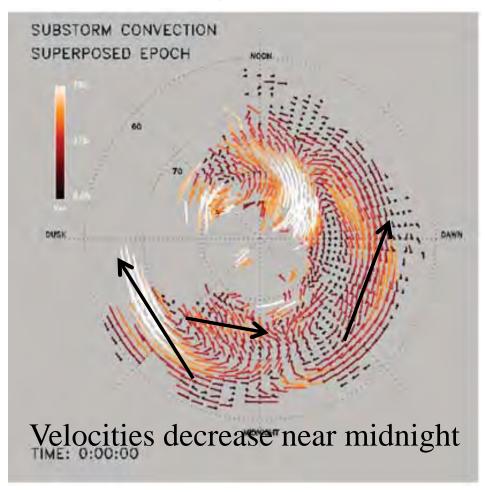


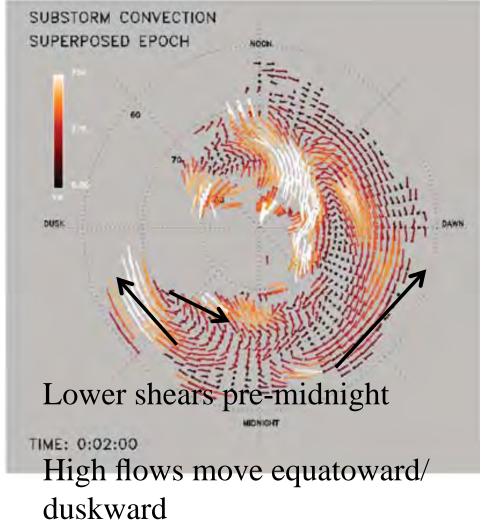


Radars and Substorms

Onset

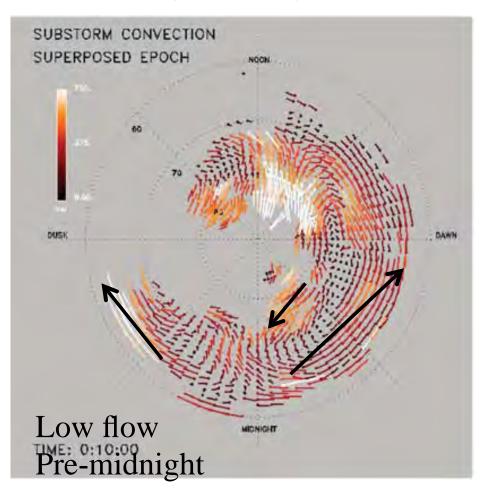
Onset + 2 min



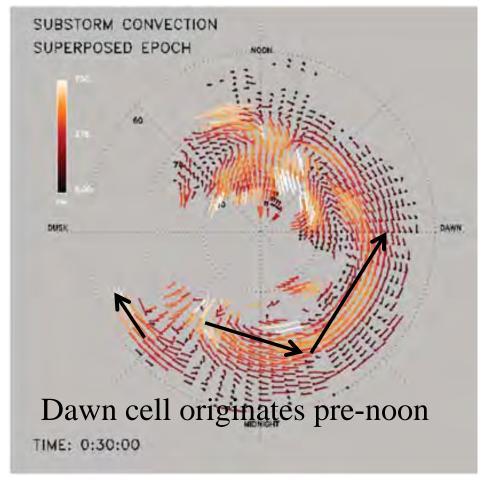


Radars and Substorms

Onset + 10 min



Onset + 30 min



Bristow et al. [2007]