

# More data-more radars/FOVs

### SuperDARN started in 1995...

It is an international high frequency coherent radar network both in north and southern hemispheres to cover wide areas of ionosphere in both hemispheres for space weather research  $01 / Apr / 13997_{-15}$  0° 15° 30°

-15° 0. 15° 30° 45° SYE SYS SAS KAP 0° 15° 30° 45° -30° -15° Mid-latitude High-latitude Polar cap









# 1 low lat. Chinese radar as well

#### Low latitude Hainan HF radar:

#### **Development and progress**

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#### tional demand



Li et al., Surveys in Geophysics, 2021

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# SuperDARN Workshop 2022



- Radars: ~38 radars so far.  $\rightarrow$  >40 (>45??) radars soon?!
- UK/BAS Falkland Is. radar will move to Halley or Sky Blue
- 2 New Iceland radars will be starting! (Dartmouth)
- +6 new Chinese radars in northern mainland China by CAS/NSSC as well as <u>new low lat SD (type?) radars</u> by NGG/CAS under construction and will start soon?!
- <u>Unwin</u> radar (Australian/NZ) will be decommissioned
- UK <u>Finland</u> will be upgraded to new Borealis system!
- Planned French radar  $\rightarrow$  to <u>**Cyprus</u>** hopefully soon?</u>
- (<u>African</u> SD radar (Nigeria?) no heard these days...?)
- <u>Some old radars have variety of issues to be solved</u>
- COVID issues as well these 2 years



## Older radar maintenance issues: sometimes fairly serious...

- New radars still increasing and expanding, but more number of older radars maintenance become harder...
- Tx/Rx Refurbishment (Ice W)
- Radio authority license issue
- Aged antenna (Iceland E, Syo)
- Budget
- Man power (inc. initial PIs retirement) French J-P. Villain: Ice W Australian, S.A.,...



- Halley base (ice-shelf crack-evacuation) issue... (but Folk Island revived...) etc.
- All information tried to be shared, discussed, helped among us.



## **Future conjugate observation**

- Wide area conjugate observatoin
- Syowa-Iceland pair (so far mainly)
  - Limited area fine comparison between 2 points but large daily/seasonal/secure variation.
- Syowa East +Zhongshan pair and Iceland East – Svalbard pair
  - Comprehensive G.B. facilities in Svarbard and Zhongshan
  - Syowa : comprehensive GB facilities like Many opt. inst., MST/IS/MF radar, Lidar etc. But no SD radars so far whose FOV covers over Syowa (and Iceland widely) though Tjornes on Iceland covered by Iceland East – many optical simultaneous researches.
- However,... SD is still growing...
  - Iceland will be covered by new Ireland radars possibly (hopefully) soon (2017??)
  - Many potential research targets including auroral, subauroral and inner magnetospheric studies...

(proposal by Simon Shepherd, USA)



# New Iceland W&E SD radars

### Iceland West (Stokkseyri) radar

geog +63.86N 22.02W boresite: -59.0 ° bs3.29 bm#16 →53° run by French CNRS/LPCE (PI: J.P. Villain)

 $\rightarrow$ moved to UK Leicester  $\rightarrow$  Lancaster U. (PI: J. Wild) $\rightarrow$ ceased

→<u>new Iceland West: first light in Jan 2023!</u> (@IceE site)

by US Dartmouth Col. (PI: Simon Shepherd)

geog +63.77<sub>39</sub>N 20.54<sub>61</sub>W boresite: -52.0 ° bs3.24 <u>bm#24</u>  $\rightarrow$  78 °

### Iceland East (Pykkvibaer) radar

geog +63.77N 20.54W boresite: +30.0  $^{\circ}$  bs3.24 bm#16  $\rightarrow$ 52 $^{\circ}$  run by UK Leicester (CUTLASS type) (PI: M. Lester)  $\rightarrow$ ceased

### →<u>new</u> Iceland East: first light in Jan 2023! (@IceE site)

geog +63.77₄4N 20.54₁8W boresite: +23.0° bs3.24 <u>bm#24</u> →<u>78</u>° by US Dartmouth Col. (PI: Simon Shepherd)

## **Future conjugate observation**



## **<u>Future</u>** conjugate observation



- Wider coverage over Iceland and higher latitude area w/o gaps between 2 SD radars
- FOVs over EISCAT/EISCAT-3D from Iceland to be recovered (Finland SD radar will also be revived soon hopefully)
- Syowa-Iceland conjugate study as well as SD-EISCAT-3D collaboration with simultaneous observation/campaign also with other instruments (e.g. satellite/GB optical) will be enhanced.



# **SuperDARN 2021-2023 PIEC issues**

### **PIEC meeting in 2021-2022**

#### **PI agreement** – Data Policy

- 1. Data Management & Standard
   -Level 0: IQ, L1: rawACF, L2: fitacf, grd, map..
- 2. data access, sharing and re-use
   -open data use policy, acknowledgement, NC,
  - data embargoes (ST/DT)
  - data distribution (DDWG) <u>https://github.com/SuperDARN/DDWG</u> quality check, security & preservation (multiple data hub @ different locations)
     -documentations (data & software): <u>https://radar-software-toolkit-rst.readthedocs.io/en/latest/</u>

#### 2.5 Data Access Via Published Datasets (SD OL data repository w/DOIs)

FRDR (Federal Research Data Repository) @ <u>https://www.frdr-dfdr.ca/repo/collection/superdarn</u>

DOIs: immutable – suitable for citation each year of data assigned a unique DOI

No sooner than one year after collected for data quality control & embargo to expire

New PI agreement will hopefully be signed in SD 2023 workshop in S.A.!



#### Data Distribution: Exabyte 8mm tapes, CDs, DVDs, USB-HDD & OL now



## <sup>2021/9</sup>~SuperDARN data with DOIs now

### SuperDARN (rawacf) data have been assigned doi's!

(https://www.frdr-dfdr.ca/repo/collection/superdarn?order=DESC&sort=1)

SuperDARN 2021: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0677 C # frdr-dfdr.ca/mpo/collection/superdam 1 1 ( FR 副政治会 34 SuperDARN 2020: https://doi.org/10.20383/103.057 SuperDARN 2019: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0558 Super DARN SuperDARN 2018: https://doi.org/10.20383/101.0290 SuperDARN 2017: https://doi.org/10.20383/101.0289 SuperDARN The Soper Dual Auroral Radat Network (SeperDARII) is a global reducation of scientific castare monitoring conditions in the near-Earth space environment. The SuperDARN 2016: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0446 raties, any synchronization scan together, allowing researchers to monitor space resulter conditions in the Earth's magnetizativers. The date collected by SuperDARN worklying, the analysis of this data, and the resulting information, contributes to the scientific understanding of space visiather that has the potential SuperDARN 2015: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0447 to provide langular benefits, explications, and impact access many sectors; including radio and satellite communication, pipelines and power gride. SuperD4204 Canada, which has its headquistlans at the University of Saskatchevian, in the Canadian contribution to the international SuperDARN program SuperDARN 2014: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0448 Authority) Approved Oate # Trie 8 SuperDARN 2013: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0449 2023.01.17 SuperDARM 2021 RAMACE Super Duel Auroral Restar Network SuperfillARN 2020 BANACE SuperDARN 2012: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0450 2002-08-29 Super Dual Auroral Restar Network 2022-06-06 SuperDality 2019 Randada Super Duer Autoral Retar Network SuperDARN 2011: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0451 SuperDARM 2005 RAVARCE/IDAT Super Duel Auroral Medier Network 2021-08-05 SuperDARN 2010: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0452 2075-08-05 SuperDARM 2005 RAWACPIDAT Super Duel Autoral Redar Network 2021-87-58 BUDINGUREN 2007 RAMANCE Super Duel Auroral Reder Nebvork SuperDARN 2009: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0453 SUDMOLEN 2009 RAMACE 2021.87.38 Super Duit Auroral Rader Network SuperDARN 2008: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0454 2021.07.39 SoperBARM 2008 DAT Super Dual Auroral Radar Network Support 14874 2003 DAT SuperDARN 2007: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0455 2025-87-38 Sumer Datal Austral Hartar Methodal SuperDARM 2002 DAT Super Dual Autoral Rader Network 2021-07-38 SuperDARN 2006: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0456 SuperDARM 2012 RAVANCE Super Duel Auroral Redar Network 2021-07-38 SuperDARN 2005: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0457 2021.07.38 SpeetCLEN 2008 RAVAUCE Super Dual Auroral Rader Network SuperDARM 2014 RANNAGE 2026.07.38 Suber Duel Auroral Radar Network SuperDARN 2004: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0460 2021-07-28 Super Dual Auroral Radar Network https://www.frdr-dfdr.ca/rep ection/supe SuperDARN 1997: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0467 2021-07-08 Separativity (1994 Par Super Duel Autoral Report Network 2021-07-28 SuperDARN 1998 DAT Super Duel Autoral Radar Network SuperDARN 1996: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0468 2021.87.57 SuperDalini 2013 Randarde Super Duer Astoval Remar Network SuperDARN 1995: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0469 2024.87.27 SuperDarRey 2011 Ballact Super Dust Auroral Radial Network 2025-87-35 SuperDARM 2018 RAWACE Super Dust Autoral Radar Network SuperDARN 1994: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0470 Sorted by Submit Date Descending 1-20 of 28 There is SuperDARN 1993: https://doi.org/10.20383/102.0471 Vew Collectory Statistics



SuperDARN data – widely used in science and applications

# **SD SENSU Syowa radars**

Southern Hemisphere

for JARE X. SYS restarted Apr. 2022

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#### **History:**

- 1995: SuperDARN established, Syowa South started
- 1997: Syowa East started operation
- 2001: started precise meteor wind measurement with IQ raw tin e serie
- 2005: Syowa South upgraded to Leicester Stereo radar Syowa East interferometer capability added
- 2008: digital Rx introduced to Syowa South
- 2017: antenna upgrade work started (not completed yet)
  - 2021: plan to move to monitoring observation in phase-X JARE (2022-)
- NIPR has joined SuperDARN project since its establishment in 1995 and has been running 2 SENSU SuperDARN radars, Syowa South and Syowa East radars, in Antarctic Syowa station (69.00 S, 39.58 E) in the polar auroral zone as a project in JARE (Japanese Antarctic Research Expedition).
- Both radars have substantially contributed to the international project, e.g., studies on auroral phenomena and storms/substorms, geomagnetic pulsations, precise neutral wind measurement around the mesopause region, polar mesospheric summer echoes (PMSEs), magnetosphere-ionosphere-neutral atmosphere vertical coupling, and influence of low solar activity or grand minimum on space weather. SYE stops for maintenance in 2022
- Main achievements are summarized in next slide..

# Main achievements w/ SENSU/SuperDARN

Phase IV(JARE33-37/1992-1996)-Phase V(JARE38-42/1997-2002): JARE: Japanese Antarctic NIPR joined SuperDARN when SD established in 1995 **Research Expedition** SENSU Syowa South installed in 1995, Syowa East installed in 1997. Revealed dynamics of <u>Pc3-5 MHD waves</u> with simultaneous GEOTAIL satellite observation. Discovery of ionospheric phenomena just prior to tail reconnection First Neutral wind altitude profile around mesopause region with SD underdense meteor echoes ▼Phase VI(2002-6/JARE43-47): PMSE first SuperDARN observation by Syowa SENSU radar Increasing tendency of PMSE year-to-year occurrence rate indicated cooling in mesopause region corresponding to possible global warming **VPhase VII(2007-2010/JARE48-51): collaboration with IPY2007-2008/ICESTAR/IHY** Discovery of synchronization of pulsating aurora (PsA) and electric field around PsA Discovery of dipolarization electric field during passage of break-up aurora technical establishment of high temporal resolution (1~2 sec) 2-D plasma vectors Improvement of neutral wind measurements with meteors using FDI (freq. domain interf.) & oversampling **▼Phase VIII(2011-2016/JARE52-57)**: AP39 success of <u>validation of model on dynamics of aurora/convection/waves associated SSC/SI phenomena</u>
new discovery on relationship and <u>generation mechanism of PsA related ionospheric electric field</u> • Development of new sounding modes for inner-magnetosphere studies in collaboration with ERG/VAP missions •New Ionosphere-Magnetosphere mapping – development of plasmapause detection at ionosphere •Discovery of new MHD wave phenomena associated with SC events. •Discovery on PMSE echoes, MSTIDs, and Na layer in thermosphere ▼Phase IX(2017-2023.1/JARE58-63): AP0904/AP0928 -(see next slide...) •Inner magnetosphere research with ERG(Arase)/VAP satellites with GB network •New discovery and theoretical simulation on magnetospheric response enhancement of ionospheric convection during solar wind with very small I •Enabled high energy particle precipitation with SD noise data (Bland, et al., 2019). NIPR •near range echoes studies with modern interferometer calibration Polar Science journal Special Issue on SuperDARN after SDWS2019 – finally published in 2022 thanks! SuperDARN in JARE phase IX (2017-2022)

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SuperDARN JARE Phase X plan (2022-2028) Importance of Antarctic/Syowa SuperDARN observa **SD** - Unique tool for providing global upper atmosphere data not only global plasma convection and electric potential map but also neutral wind distribution and PMSEs etc. Provide unique and important basic data to understand Space Weather & Upper Atmosphere inc. ion-neutral vertical coupling Fundamental obs. network like global magnetometers Internationally well-recognized unique & important project Many productive scientific papers and citations Contribution to Space/Astronomical/Fundamental physics etc. Syowa - Unique location under auroral region w/comprehensive obs tools Hemispheric conjugate/non CJG study in global scale Conduct many collaboration with satellite/IS/MST/optical obs. network, theory/simulation research S Number of SuperDARN papers & citations



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極地研 JARE Phase X 6yr Prioritised project on S.W. 2022.4~

#### Space environmental changes and atmospheric response explored from the polar cap by R. Kataoka

#### **Objectives**: **SD** (moni): one of important components

- $\star$ Condition for X<sup>th</sup> period (2022-2028):
- solar activity started to be weakened in long-term perspective after about a half century of high activity period since IGY
- New 11-year solar cycle 25 started from eoy2019-2020
- •Next (weak?) solar max is expected in 2025 (mid. of phase X) - Good timing for new SW/ $\bar{C}$  res. with internat'l activities
- e.g. Parker Solar Probe, Solar Orbiter, BepiColombo, FACTORS,...
- auroral oval expected to be shrunk importance of **polar cap**
- •unknown space weather/climate phenomena expected as well. ★to understand...
- how open the earth env. is? Direct SW-M-I coupled system
- how will space environmental change influence on earth env.? Quantitatively evaluate the total atm. impact from space...
- $\rightarrow$ elucidate basic energies in multi-scale complex auroras in whole PC. • how will low solar activity affect earth atmosphere env.?
- variety of unknown and/or new polar cap phenomena (e.g., <u>SAA/TPA</u>, <u>PMPCA</u>, <u>polar-glow aurora</u>(PCA), <u>giant spiral</u>(CME), <u>polar hole</u>, ref: Hosokawa et al., 2020, Rosenqvist, 2007, Simmons & Henriksen, 1995, ...)
- (e.g., convection enhancement under low IMF |B| (Iwaki et al. presented 2015) ...)
- how can we predict future space weather and climate? What will happen when SW disappears? – contribute to SW/SC research
- any possible application to interdisciplinary research, e.g. on astrophysical and planetary science? (e.g. Mars diffuse aurora)  $\bigstar$ Strategy:
- Filling blank areas in polar cap inc. OCB impossible in Arctic
- · Strong international collaborations in Antarctica
- provide ground-truth to closely working <u>global simulation</u>
   space weather <u>re-analysis data study</u> by <u>REPPU</u> group



**UroraXcosmic** project @ https://polaris.nipr.ac.jp/~aurorax/

#### Antarctic All sky imager network plan w/ SENSU FOVs +All the S.H. SD FOVs added



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#### https://superdarn.ukzn.ac.za/

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