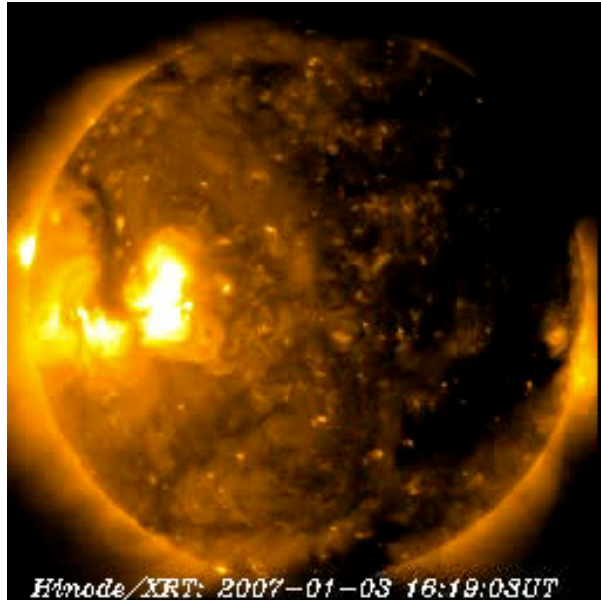


Ionosphere-Thermosphere Coupling

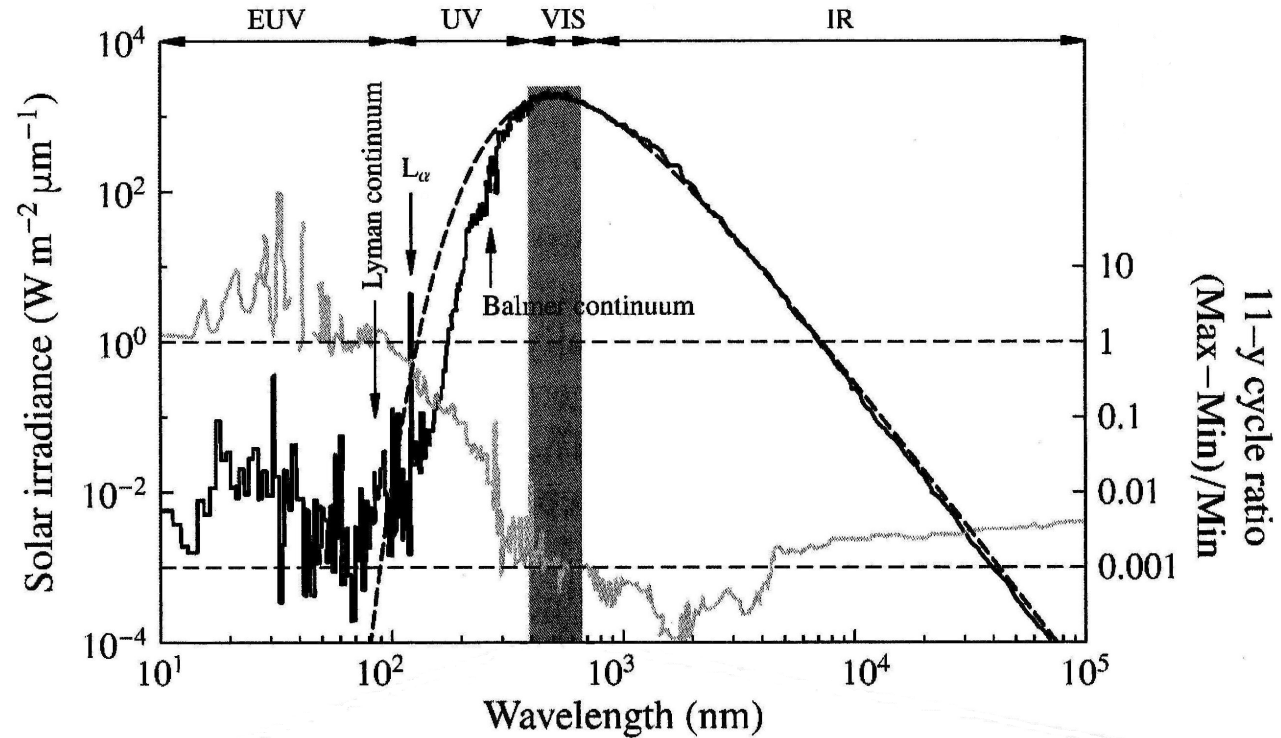
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Solar Radiation

Hinode/XRT
(0.6nm ~ 20nm)



EUV: Extreme UltraViolet



Planck's law
$$I(\lambda) = \frac{2hc^2}{\lambda^5} \frac{1}{e^{\frac{hc}{k\lambda T}} - 1}$$

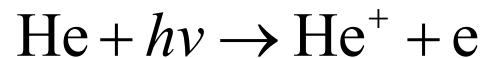
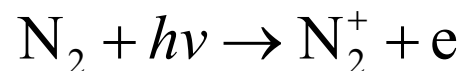
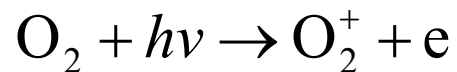
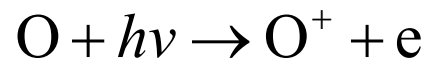
Stefan-Boltzmann law
$$F = \int_0^\infty I(\lambda) d\lambda = \sigma T^4$$

$$C_s = 1.37 \text{ kW/m}^2$$

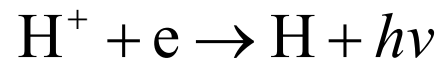
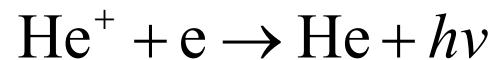
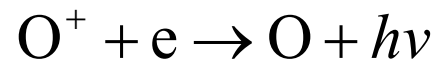
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Photochemistry in the Upper Atmosphere

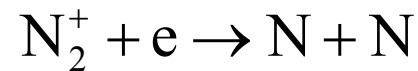
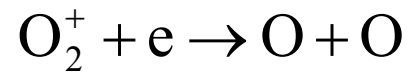
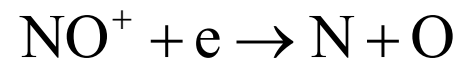
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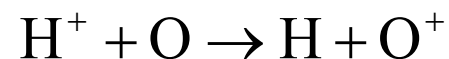
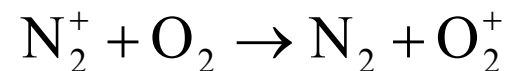
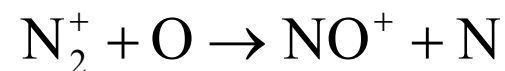
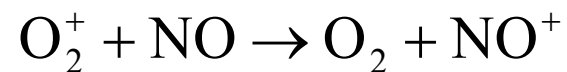
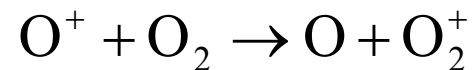
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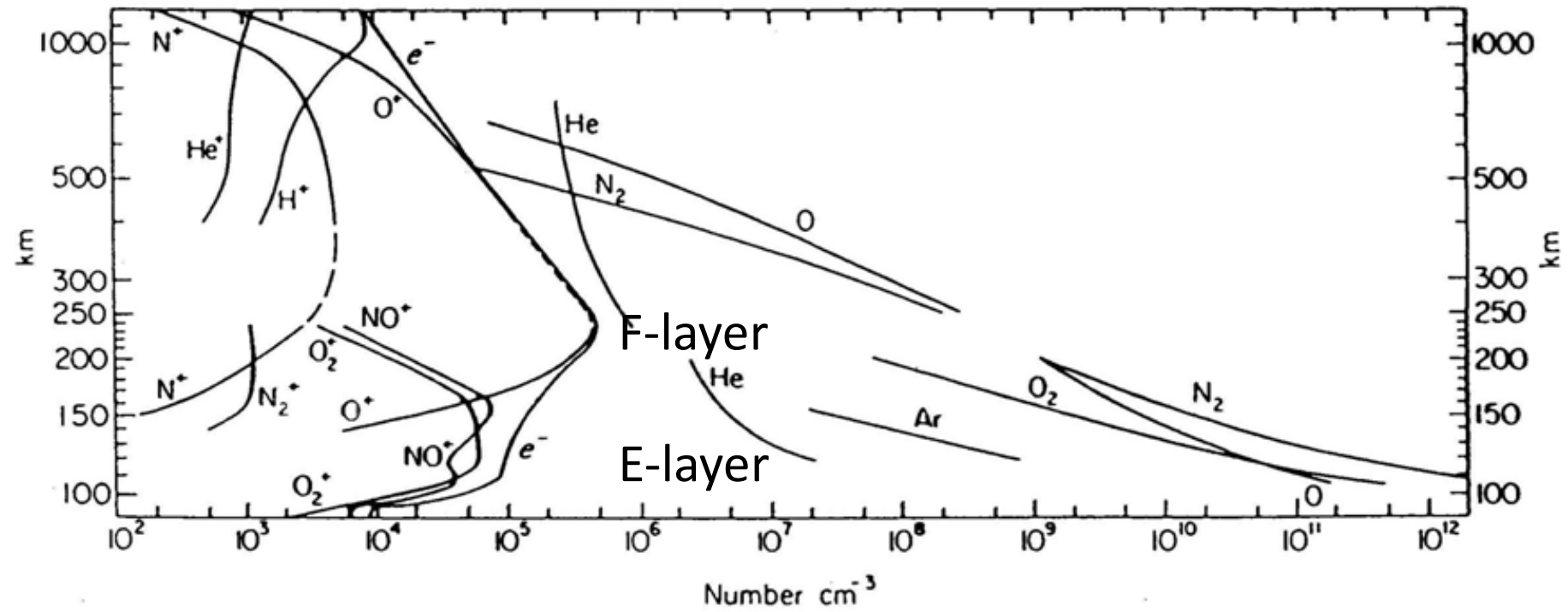


Electron-Ion Recombination



Ion-Molecule Reactions





Ionosphere

Thermosphere

*Ionization rate is $<10^{-4}$ in F-region.

*Coupling between Atmosphere and Plasma is important for the dynamics and photochemistry in the ionosphere/thermosphere.

Lorentz force

$$\mathbf{F} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

Momentum equation

$$m \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = q(\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

when $\mathbf{E} = 0$

$$m \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = q(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$m\mathbf{v} \frac{d\mathbf{v}}{dt} = q\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{B})$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{m\mathbf{v}^2}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{d^2 \mathbf{v}_{\perp}}{dt^2} = - \left(\frac{qB}{m} \right)^2 \mathbf{v}_{\perp}$$

Cycrotron frequency

$$\omega = \frac{qB}{m}, \quad r_L = \frac{v}{\omega}$$

Larmor radius

$$\frac{d\mathbf{v}_{\parallel}}{dt} = 0$$

Drift Motion of Charged Particle

$$\mathbf{v}(\mathbf{r}, t) = \mathbf{v}_c(\mathbf{r}, t) + \mathbf{v}_d(\mathbf{r})$$

$\mathbf{V}_c$ Velocity of Cyclotron Motion $\mathbf{V}_d$ Drift Motion perpendicular to the Local Magnetic Field Line

$$m \frac{d\mathbf{v}_c}{dt} = q\mathbf{E} + q(\mathbf{v}_c \times \mathbf{B}) + q(\mathbf{v}_d \times \mathbf{B})$$

In the $\mathbf{v}_d = \frac{\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2}$ Frame, $m \frac{d\mathbf{v}_c}{dt} = q(\mathbf{v}_c \times \mathbf{B})$ Cyclotron Motion

When the force to the Charged Particle is $\mathbf{f}$

$$\mathbf{v}_d = \frac{\mathbf{f} \times \mathbf{B}}{qB^2}$$

Drift Directions are different for Ions and Electrons

→ Generation of Currents → Generation of Magnetic Field

Momentum Equations

$$\rho_e \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_e}{\partial t} + \rho_e (\mathbf{v}_e \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_e = -\nabla p_e - \frac{e\rho_e}{m_e} (\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v}_e \times \mathbf{B}) - \rho_e \nu_{ei} (\mathbf{v}_e - \mathbf{v}_i)$$

$$\rho_i \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}_i}{\partial t} + \rho_i (\mathbf{v}_i \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{v}_i = -\nabla p_i + \frac{e\rho_i}{m_i} (\mathbf{E} + \mathbf{v}_i \times \mathbf{B}) - \rho_i \nu_{ie} (\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_e)$$

If

$$m_e \ll m_i, \quad |n_i - n_e| \ll n_i, n_e \quad : \text{Quasi Neutrality } (n_i \approx n_e)$$

Ambipolar Electric Field

$$\mathbf{E} = -\frac{\nabla p_e}{en_e}, \quad -\nabla \phi = -\frac{\nabla p_e}{en_e}, \quad \phi = \frac{kT_e}{e}$$

Ions and Electrons as Fluid are moving together.

$$\therefore \rho \frac{\partial \mathbf{V}}{\partial t} + \rho (\mathbf{V} \cdot \nabla) \mathbf{V} = -\nabla p + (\mathbf{J} \times \mathbf{B}), \quad p = p_i + p_e$$

Momentum Equations of Ions and Electrons along Local Magnetic Field Lines for Frequent Collisions

$$-\nabla p_{i//} + nm_i \mathbf{g}_{//} + ne \mathbf{E}_{//} - nm_i \nu_{in} (\mathbf{v}_{i//} - \mathbf{u}_{n//}) = 0$$

$$-\nabla p_{e//} + nm_e \mathbf{g}_{//} - ne \mathbf{E}_{//} - nm_e \nu_{en} (\mathbf{v}_{e//} - \mathbf{u}_{n//}) = 0$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} n_i \approx n_e \\ \mathbf{v}_{i//} \approx \mathbf{v}_{e//} \end{array} \right) \text{ Charge Neutrality}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{//} = \mathbf{u}_{n//} - D \left(\frac{\partial p}{p \partial s} - \frac{1}{H_{//}} \right)$$

Continuity Equation $\frac{\partial n}{\partial t} = q - L - \frac{\partial n \mathbf{v}_{//}}{\partial s}$

$$p = nk(T_i + T_e), \quad H_{//} = \frac{k(T_i + T_e)}{m_i g_{//}}, \quad D = \frac{k(T_i + T_e)}{m_i \nu_{in}}$$

Momentum Equations of Ions and Electrons perpendicular to Local Magnetic Field Lines for Frequent Collisions

$$-\nabla p_{i\perp} + nm_i \mathbf{g}_\perp + ne(\mathbf{E}_\perp + \mathbf{v}_{i\perp} \times \mathbf{B}) - nm_i \nu_{in} (\mathbf{v}_{i\perp} - \mathbf{u}_{n\perp}) = 0$$

$$-\nabla p_{e\perp} + nm_e \mathbf{g}_\perp - ne(\mathbf{E}_\perp + \mathbf{v}_{e\perp} \times \mathbf{B}) - nm_e \nu_{en} (\mathbf{v}_{e\perp} - \mathbf{u}_{n\perp}) = 0$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} \text{Current Conservation } \nabla \mathbf{J} = \nabla(en_i \mathbf{v}_i - en_e \mathbf{v}_e) = 0 \\ \text{Charge Neutrality } n_i \approx n_e \\ \text{then, } \mathbf{v}_i \approx \mathbf{v}_e \end{array} \right)$$

in detail

$$\mathbf{v}_i = \frac{\nu_{in} \Omega_i}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{E}}{B} - \frac{\nabla p_i}{nm_i \Omega_i} + \frac{\mathbf{g}}{\Omega_i} + \frac{\nu_{in} \mathbf{u}_n}{\Omega_i} \right) + \frac{\Omega_i^2}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{E}}{B} - \frac{\nabla p_i}{nm_i \Omega_i} + \frac{\mathbf{g}}{\Omega_i} + \frac{\nu_{in} \mathbf{u}_n}{\Omega_i} \right) \times \frac{\mathbf{B}}{B}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_e = -\frac{\nu_{en} \Omega_e}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{E}}{B} + \frac{\nabla p_e}{nm_e \Omega_e} - \frac{\mathbf{g}}{\Omega_e} - \frac{\nu_{en} \mathbf{u}_n}{\Omega_e} \right) + \frac{\Omega_e^2}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \left(\frac{\mathbf{E}}{B} + \frac{\nabla p_e}{nm_e \Omega_e} - \frac{\mathbf{g}}{\Omega_e} - \frac{\nu_{en} \mathbf{u}_n}{\Omega_e} \right) \times \frac{\mathbf{B}}{B}$$

Collision Frequency between Ion and Neutral Particle

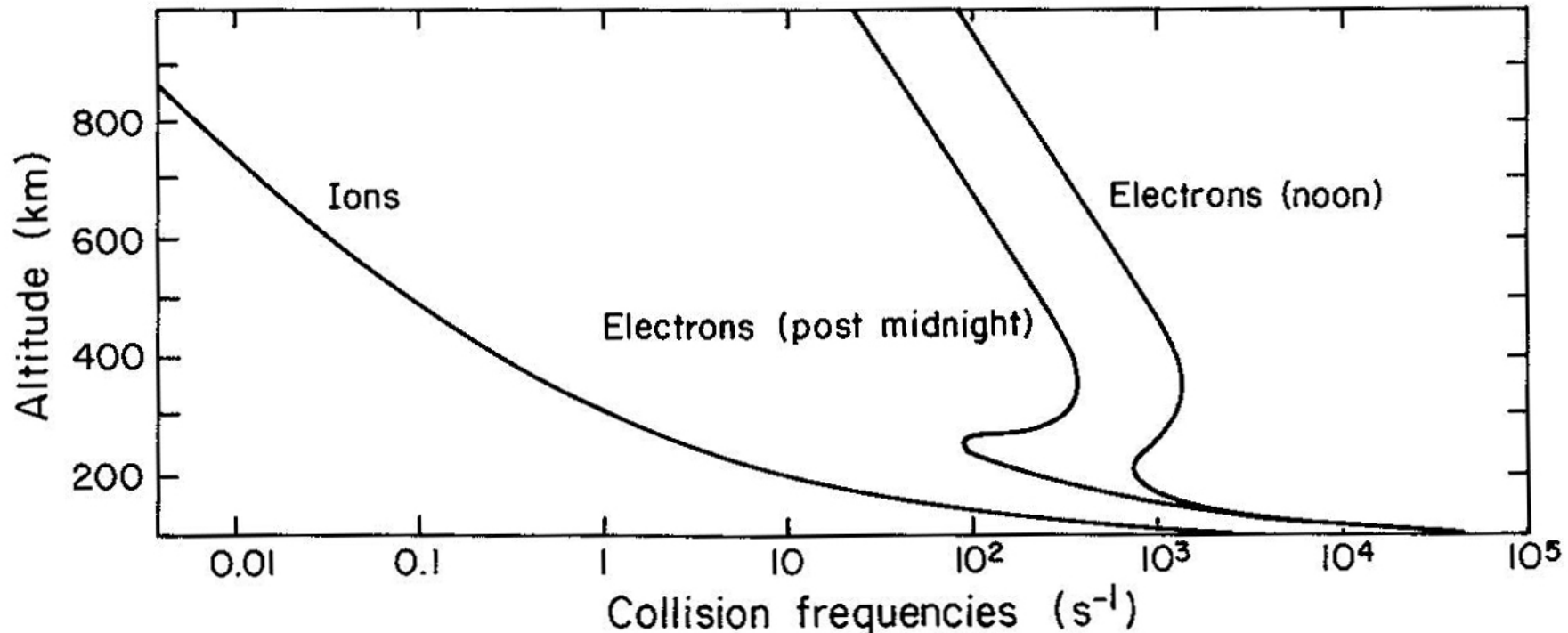
$$\nu_{in} = 2.6 \times 10^{-9} (n_n + n_i) M_n^{-0.5}$$

M_n : average atomic mass of neutral particles

Collision Frequency of Electron

$$\nu_e = \nu_{en} + \nu_{ei}$$

$$= 5.4 \times 10^{-10} n_n T_e^{0.5} + \left(34 + 4.18 \ln(T_e^3 / n_e) \right) n_e T_e^{-1.5}$$



$$\mathbf{J} = en(\mathbf{V}_i - \mathbf{V}_e)$$

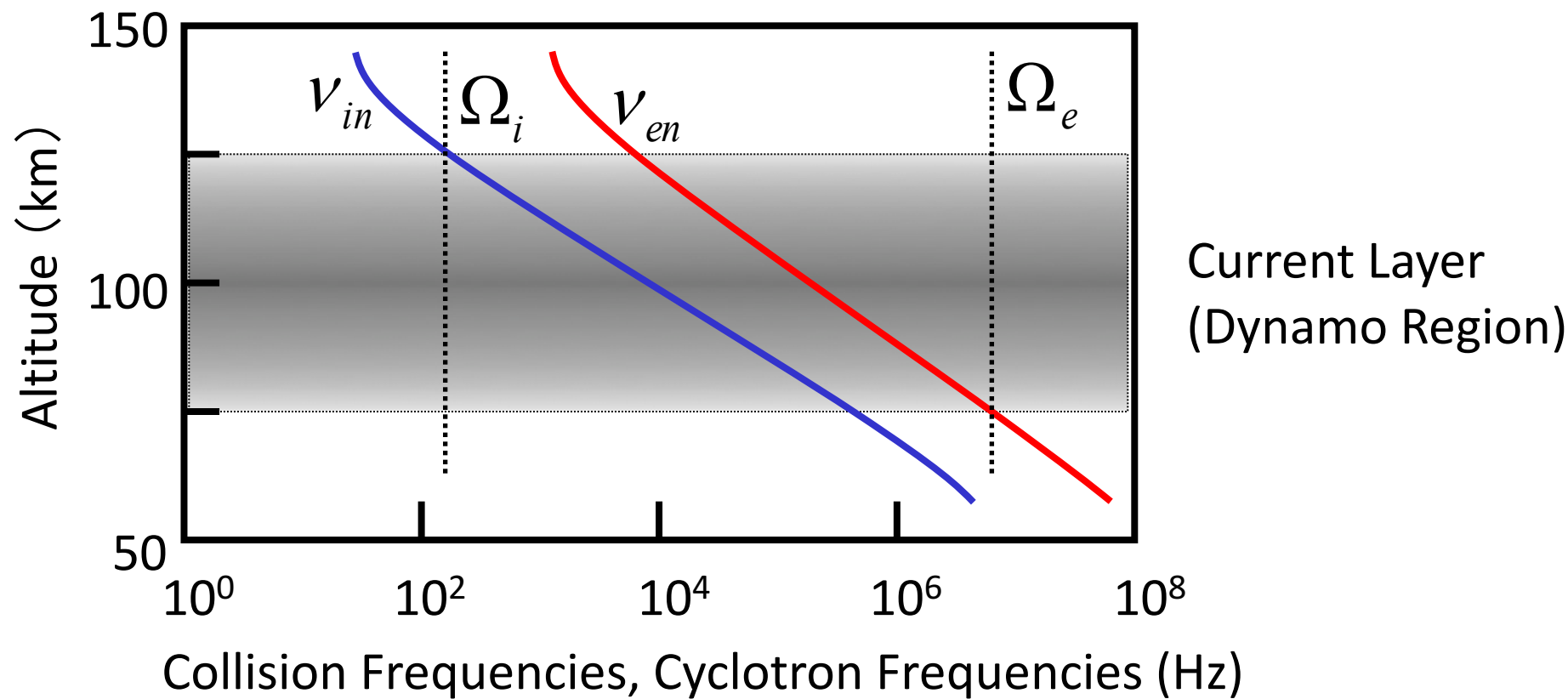
$$\Omega_i \gg \nu_{in}, \quad \Omega_e \gg \nu_{en} \quad \mathbf{J} \approx en \left(-\frac{\nabla p_i}{nm_i \Omega_i} - \frac{\nabla p_e}{nm_e \Omega_e} + \frac{\mathbf{g}}{\Omega_i} \right) \times \frac{\mathbf{B}}{B} \approx 0$$

$$\left[\frac{\nabla p}{nm\Omega} \approx \frac{nkT}{nm\Omega H} \approx V_{th} \frac{r_L}{H} \right]$$

$$\Omega_i < \nu_{in}, \quad \Omega_e \gg \nu_{en} \quad \mathbf{J} \approx en \left(\mathbf{u}_n - \frac{\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2} \right)$$

$$\Omega_i < \nu_{in}, \quad \Omega_e < \nu_{en} \quad \mathbf{J} \approx 0$$

Current Layer (Dynamo Region)



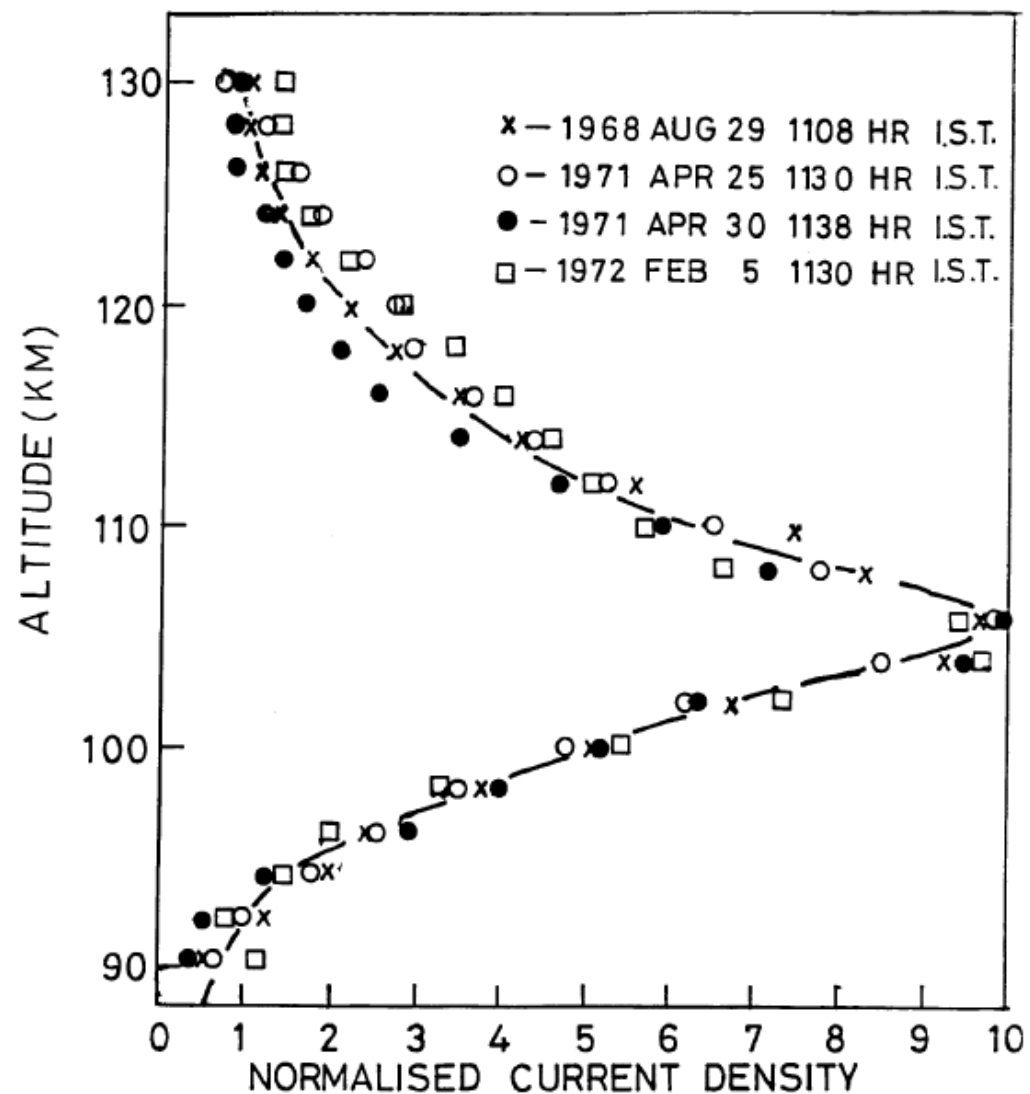


Fig. 6. The vertical distribution of the equatorial electrojet current density measured during four midday flights from Thumba, plotted after normalizing the peak current densities to 10 Amp. km^{-2} . The full line shows the average distribution (after Sampath and Sastry, 1979a).

$$\mathbf{J} = en(\mathbf{v}_i - \mathbf{v}_e)$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{i\perp} = \frac{\nu_{in}\Omega_i}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp}{B} + \frac{\Omega_i^2}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{e\perp} = -\frac{\nu_{en}\Omega_e}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp}{B} + \frac{\Omega_e^2}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2}$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{i\parallel} = \frac{e}{m_i \nu_{in}} \mathbf{E}_\parallel$$

$$\mathbf{v}_{e\parallel} = -\frac{e}{m_e \nu_{en}} \mathbf{E}_\parallel$$

$$\mathbf{J} = en \left\{ \left(\frac{\nu_{in}\Omega_i}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} + \frac{\nu_{en}\Omega_e}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \right) \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp}{B} + \left(\frac{\Omega_i^2}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} - \frac{\Omega_e^2}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \right) \frac{\mathbf{E}_\perp \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2} + \left(\frac{e}{m_i \nu_{in}} + \frac{e}{m_e \nu_{en}} \right) \mathbf{E}_\parallel \right\}$$

$$\mathbf{J} = \sigma_P \mathbf{E}_\perp + \sigma_H \mathbf{E}_\perp \times \mathbf{B} / B + \sigma_\parallel \mathbf{E}_\parallel$$

Conductivity

$$\sigma_P = \frac{en}{B} \left(\frac{\nu_{in}\Omega_i}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} + \frac{\nu_{en}\Omega_e}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \right)$$

Pedersen

$$\sigma_H = \frac{en}{B} \left(\frac{\Omega_i^2}{\nu_{in}^2 + \Omega_i^2} - \frac{\Omega_e^2}{\nu_{en}^2 + \Omega_e^2} \right)$$

Hall

$$\sigma_\parallel = \frac{en}{B} \left(\frac{\Omega_i}{\nu_{in}} + \frac{\Omega_e}{\nu_{en}} \right)$$

Longitudinal

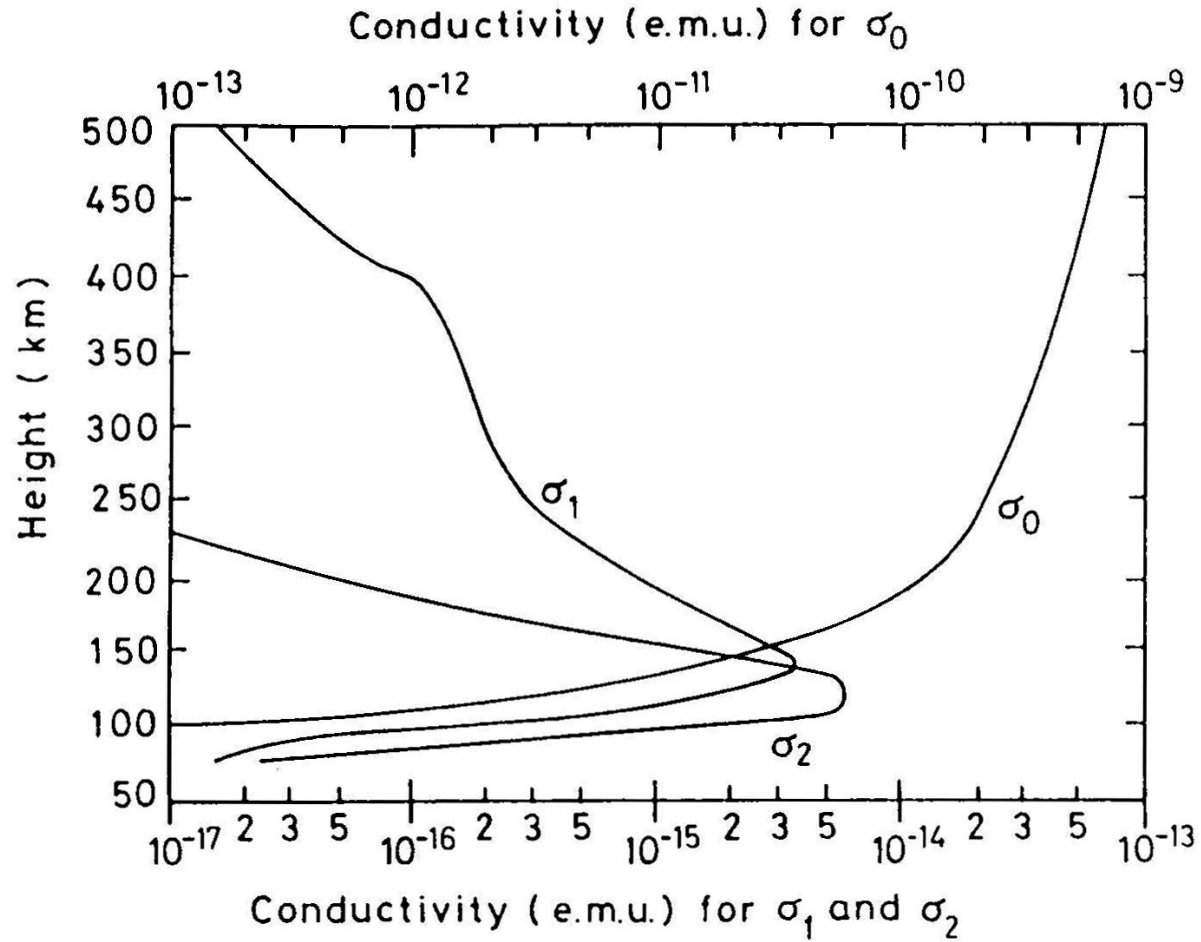


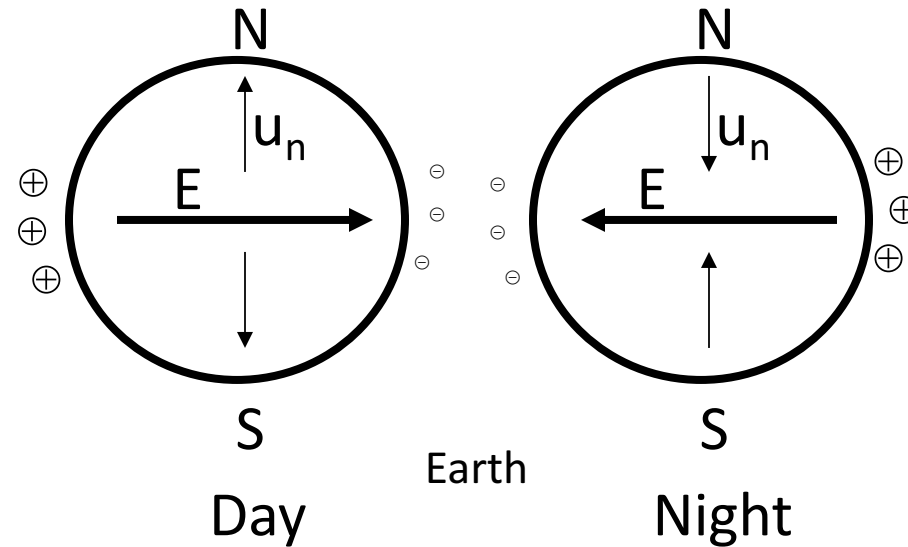
Fig. 6.23 Conductivity profiles calculated for middle latitude at noon. (S.-I. Akasofu and S. Chapman (after K. Maeda and H. Matsumoto), *Solar-Terrestrial Physics*. Oxford University Press, 1972. By permission of Oxford University Press)

E-Region Dynamo

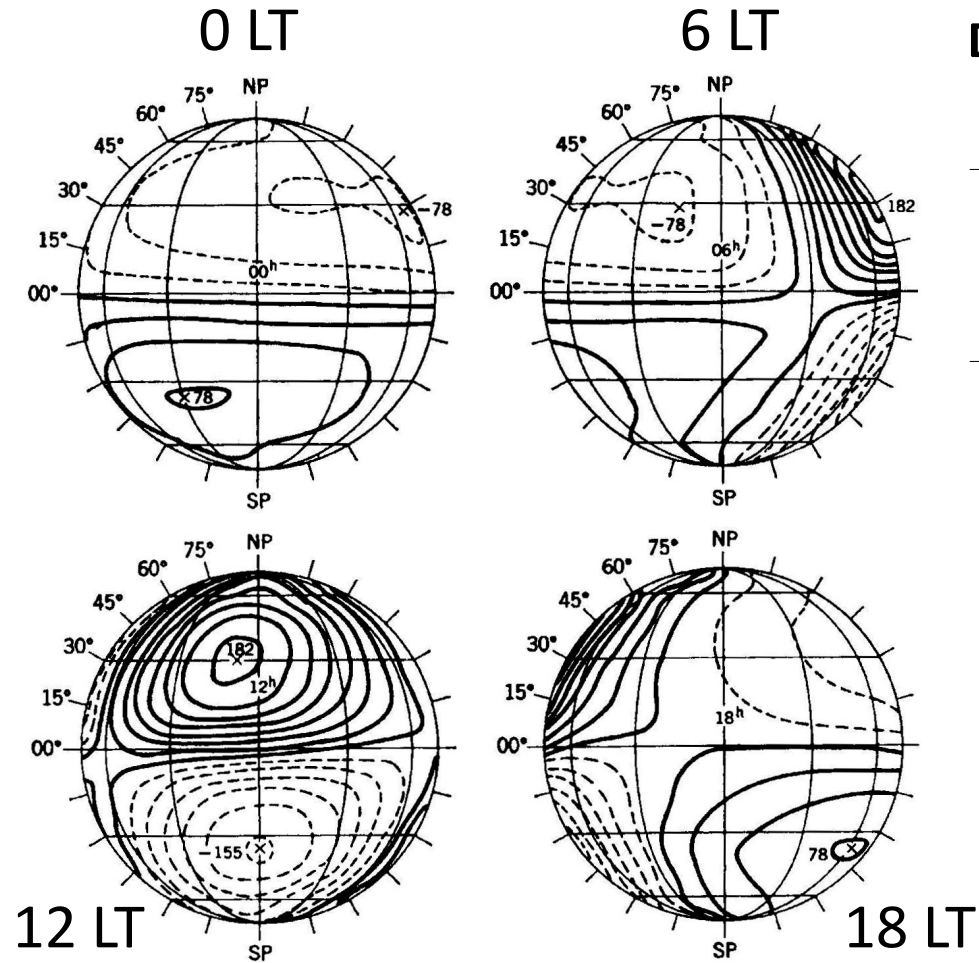
$$\mathbf{J} \approx en \left(\mathbf{u}_n - \frac{\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2} \right)$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{J} = \nabla \cdot \left(en \left(\mathbf{u}_n - \frac{\mathbf{E} \times \mathbf{B}}{B^2} \right) \right) = 0$$

$$\therefore \mathbf{E} = -\mathbf{u}_n \times \mathbf{B}$$



Sq (Solar quiet) currents



L current (Lunar current)

DP-1 current (auroral electrojets)

DP-2 current (two cell current within polar cup)

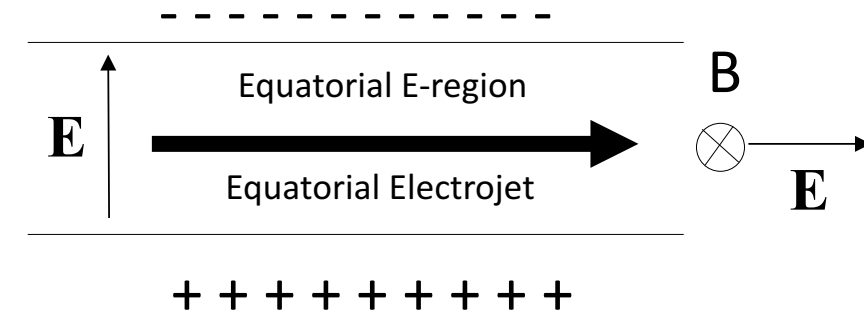


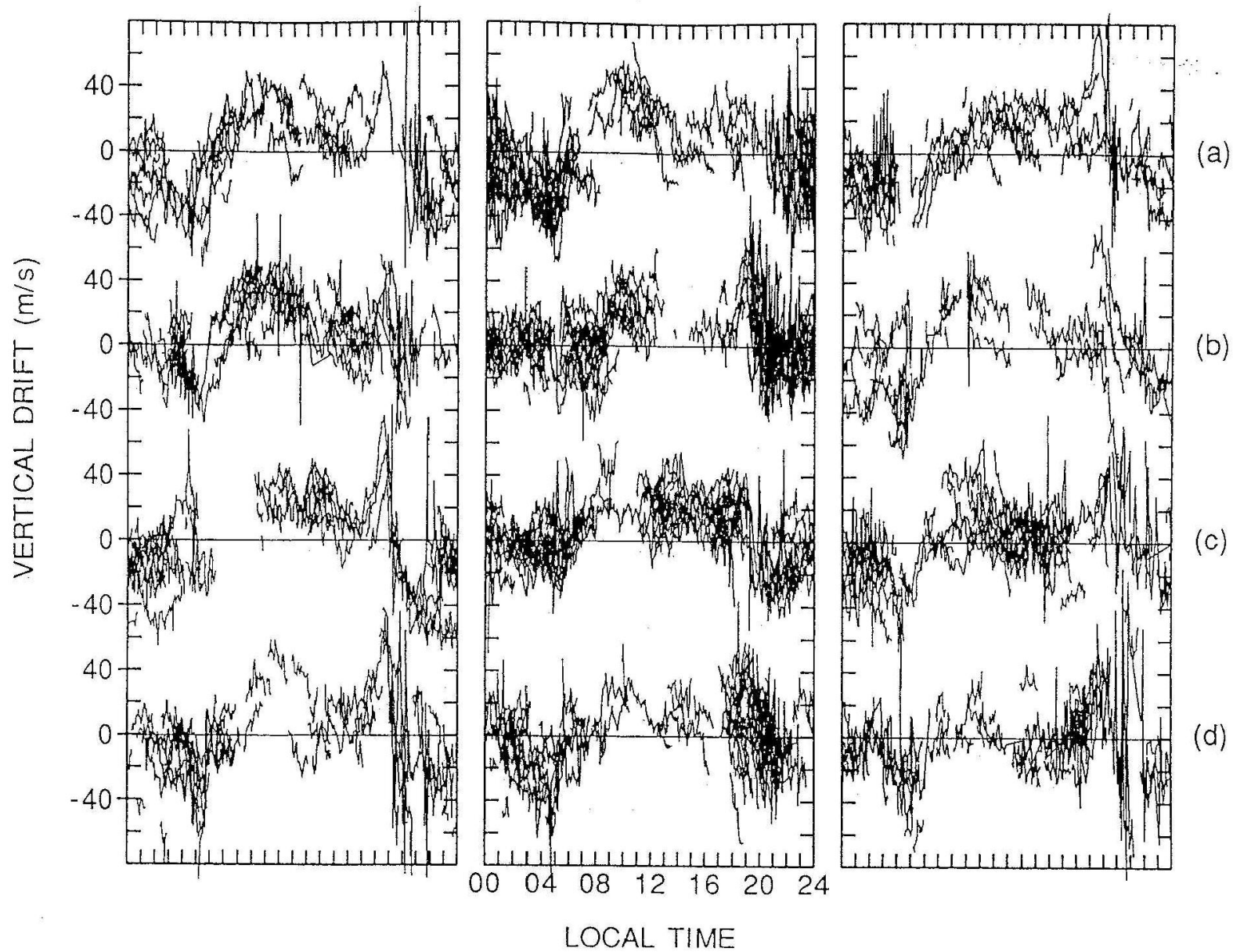
Fig. 7.21. Average mean S_q (solar quiet) current systems during IGY (International Geophysical Year) viewed from the magnetic equator at the 00, 06, 12, and 18 local time meridians. The numbers near the crosses indicate vortex current intensity in 10^3 A. The distance between the current lines corresponds to 2.5×10^3 A. (From Matsushita, 1967.)

AE-E 1978,79

MAR-APR SEP-OCT

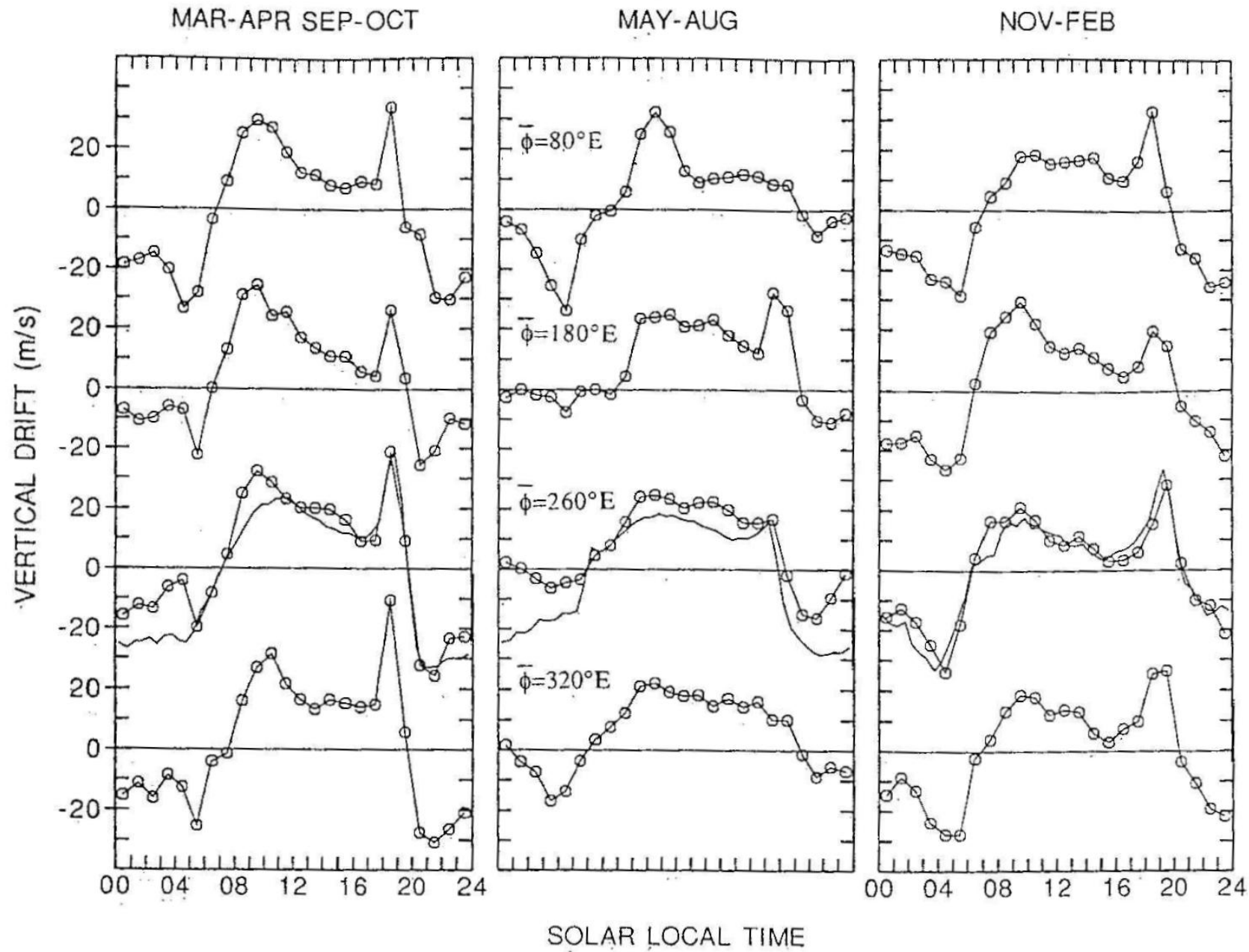
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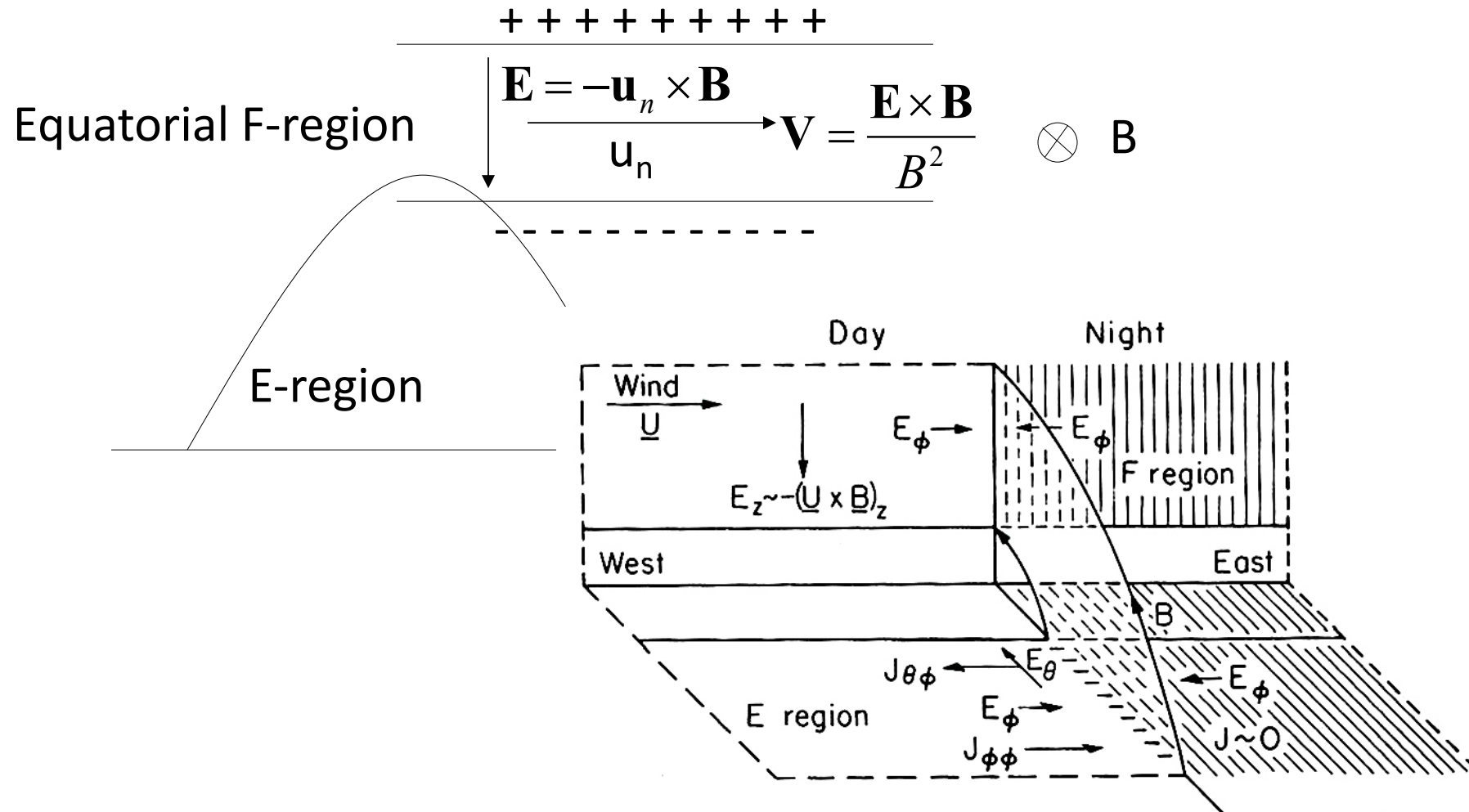


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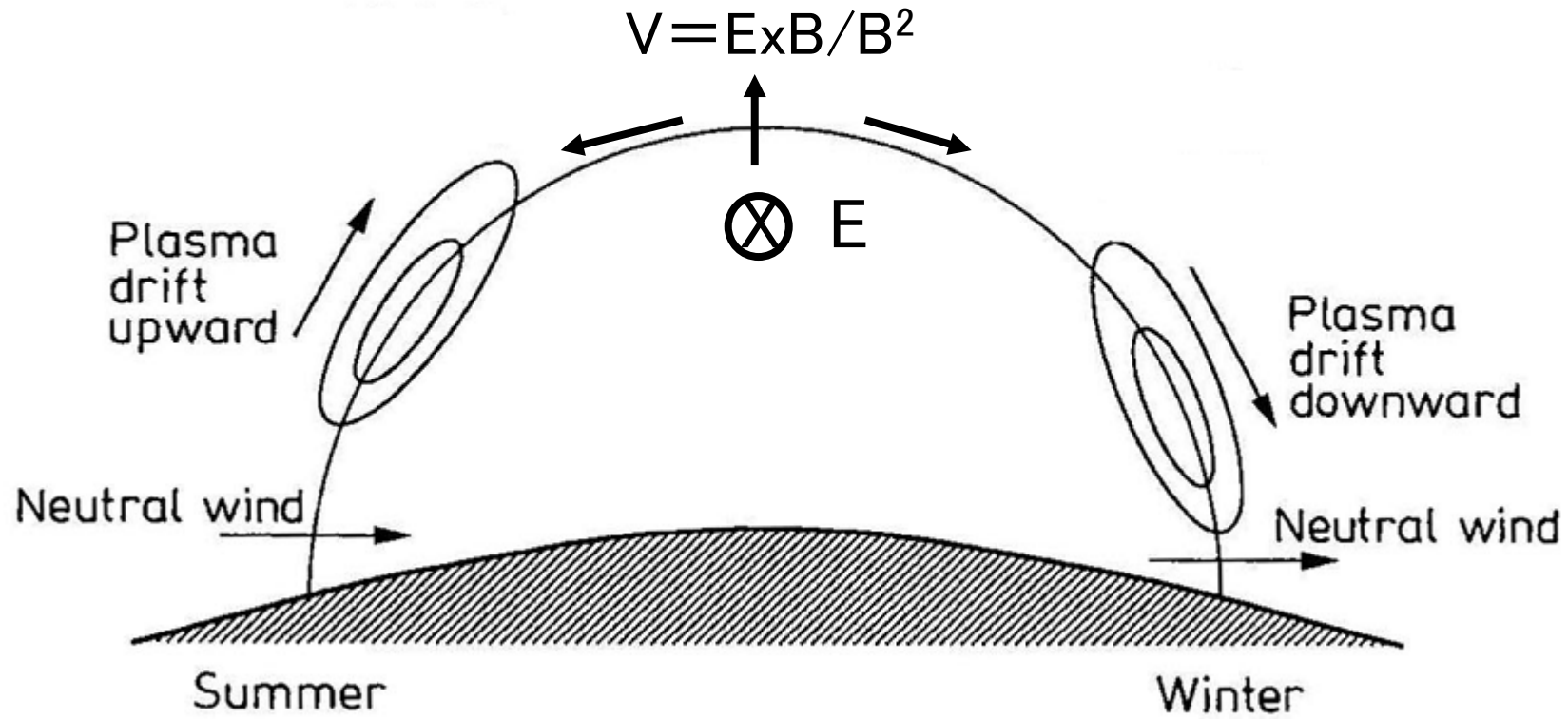
$K_p \leq 3$



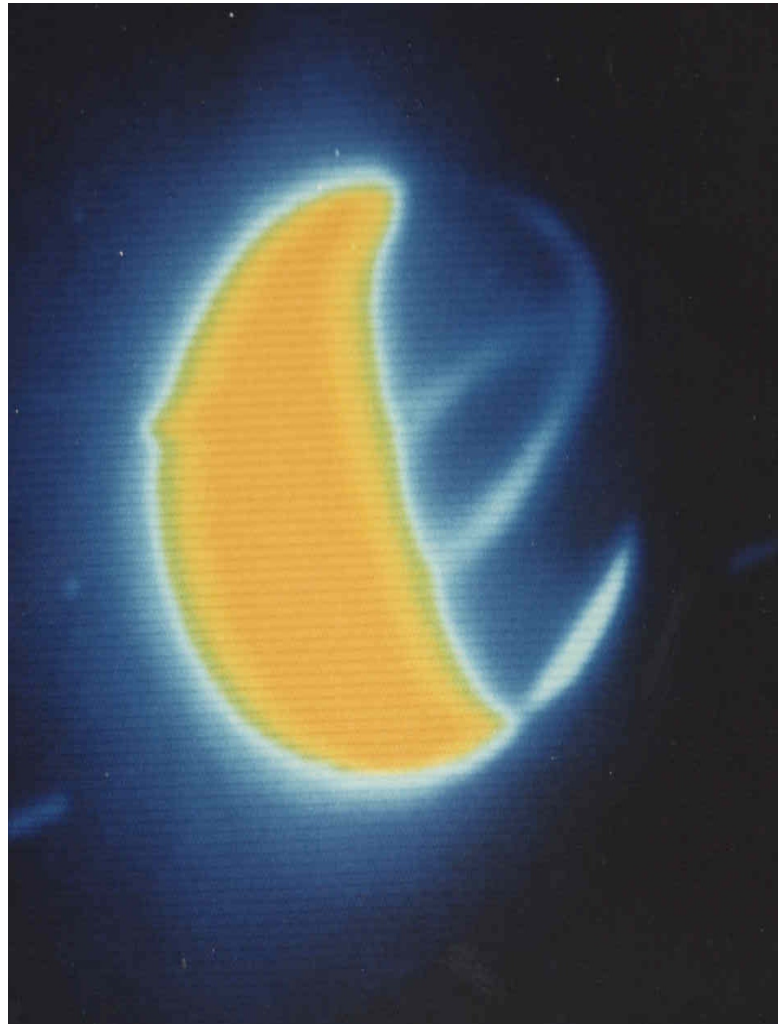
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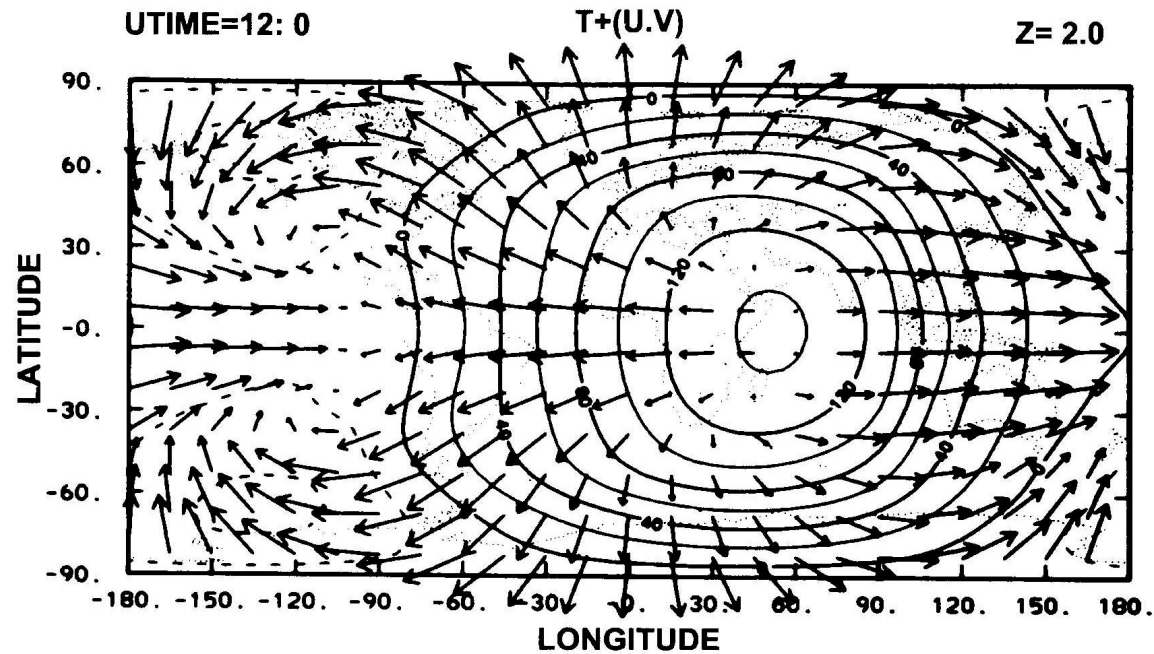


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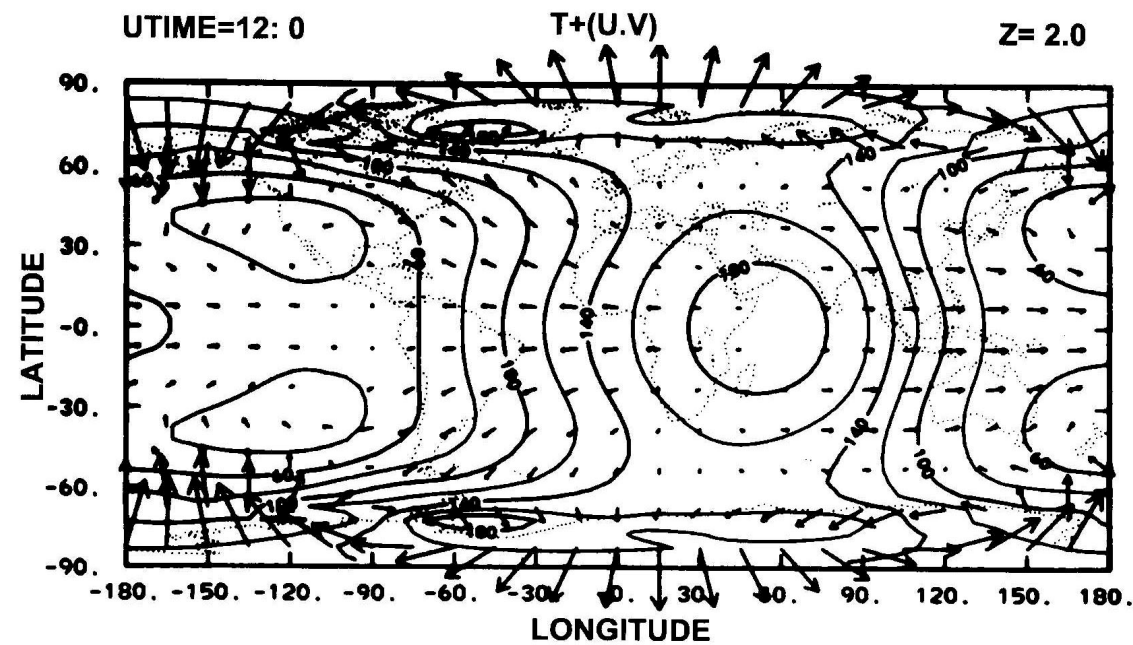


The Earth's Nighttime Equatorial
Anomaly Crests as Seen in 1356 Å
Light - Photographed from the Moon





(a)



(b)

~300km altitude

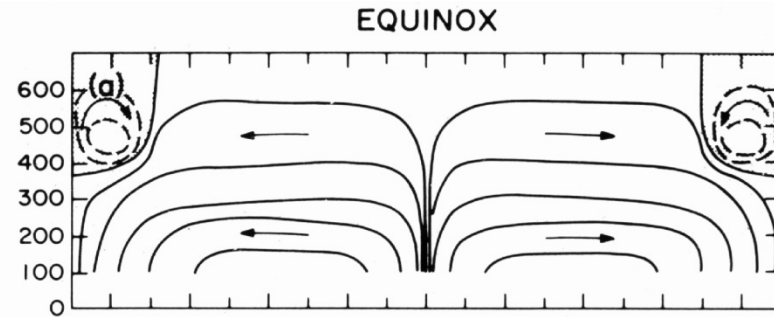
(a) 100m/s maximum

(b) 336m/s maximum

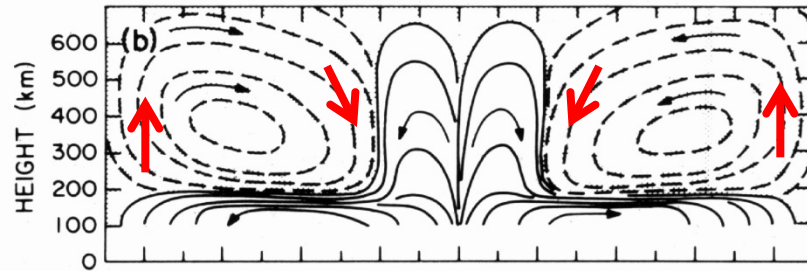
60kV cross-tail
potential

Geomagnetic Activity

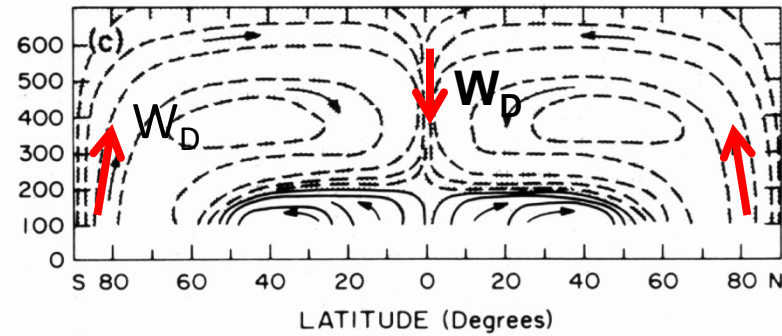
Quiet



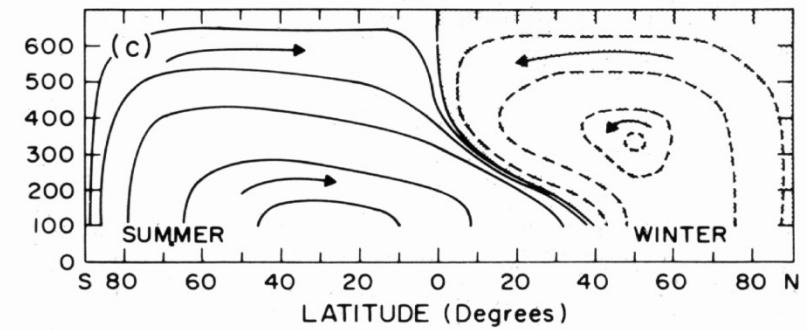
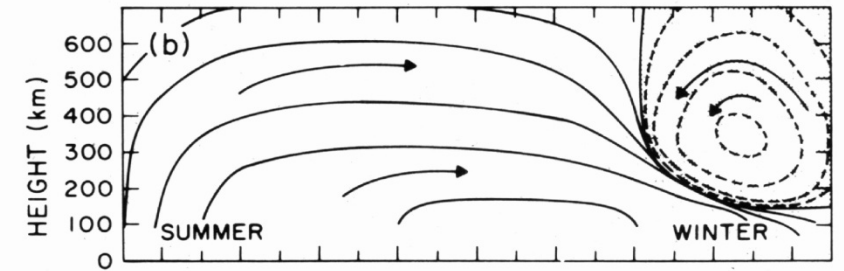
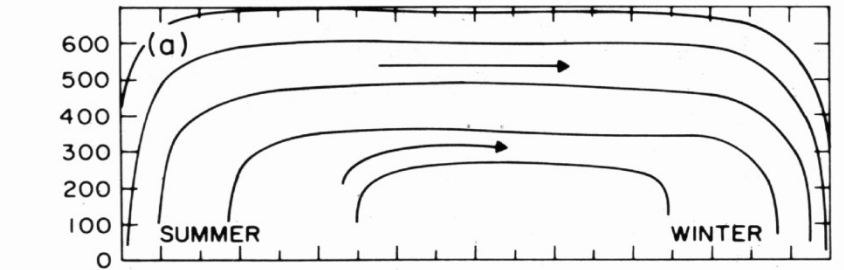
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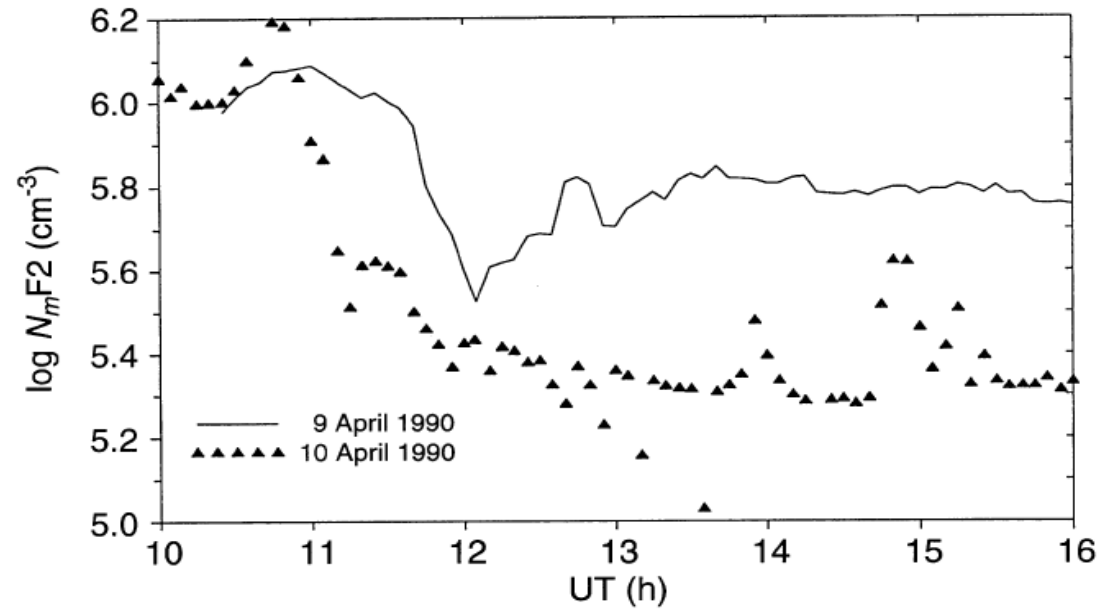
Storm



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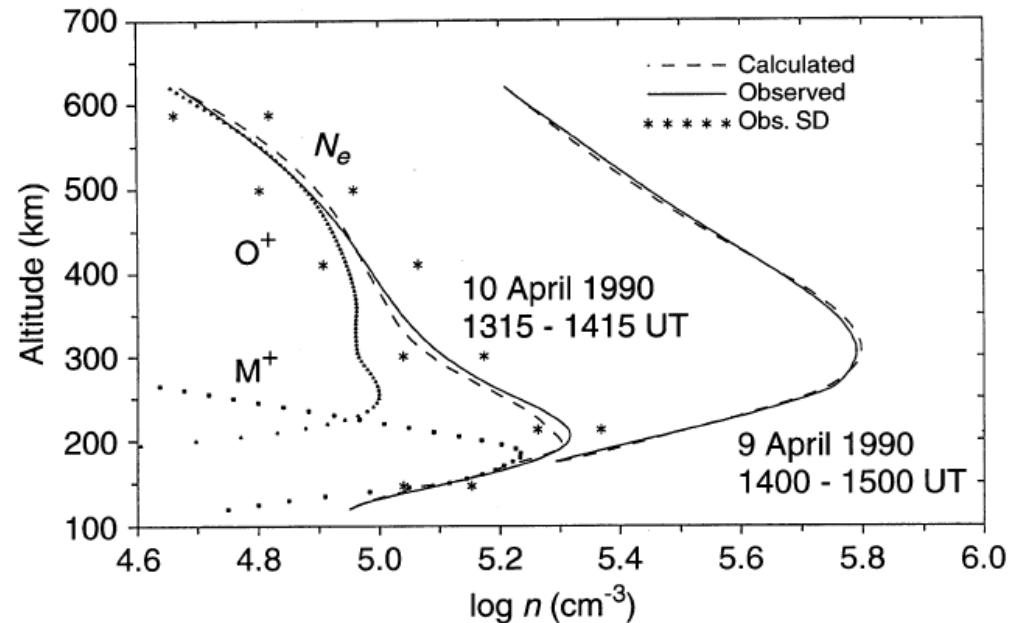


Negative Ionospheric Storm



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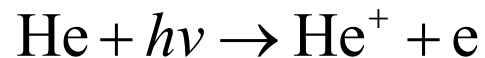
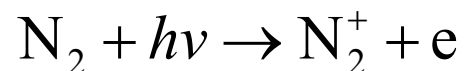
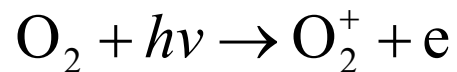
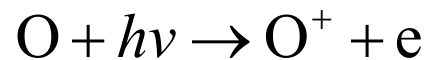
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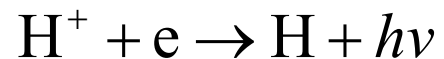
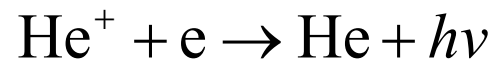
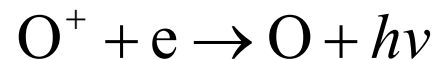
Electron density
decrease during the
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Photochemistry in the Upper Atmosphere

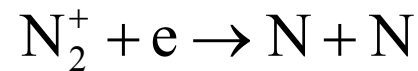
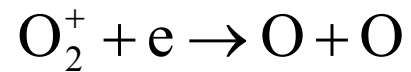
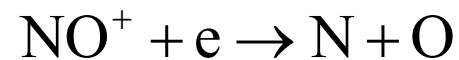
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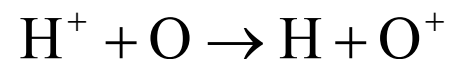
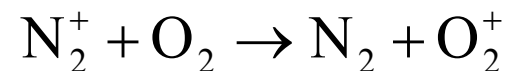
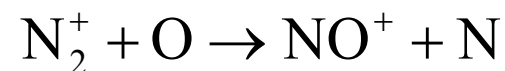
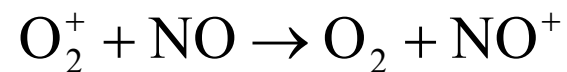
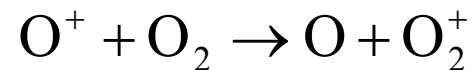
Radiative Recombination



Electron-Ion Recombination



Ion-Molecule Reactions



Positive Ionospheric Storm

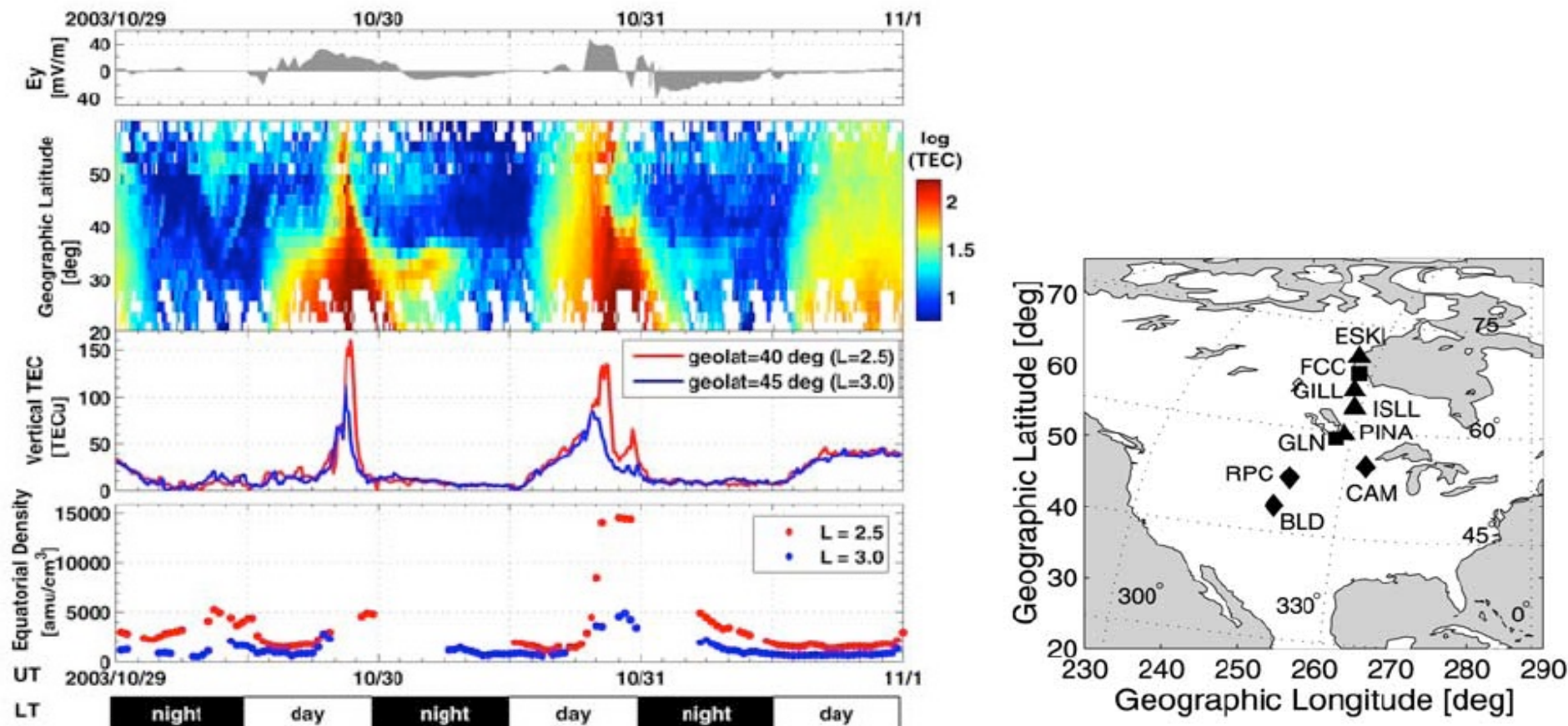
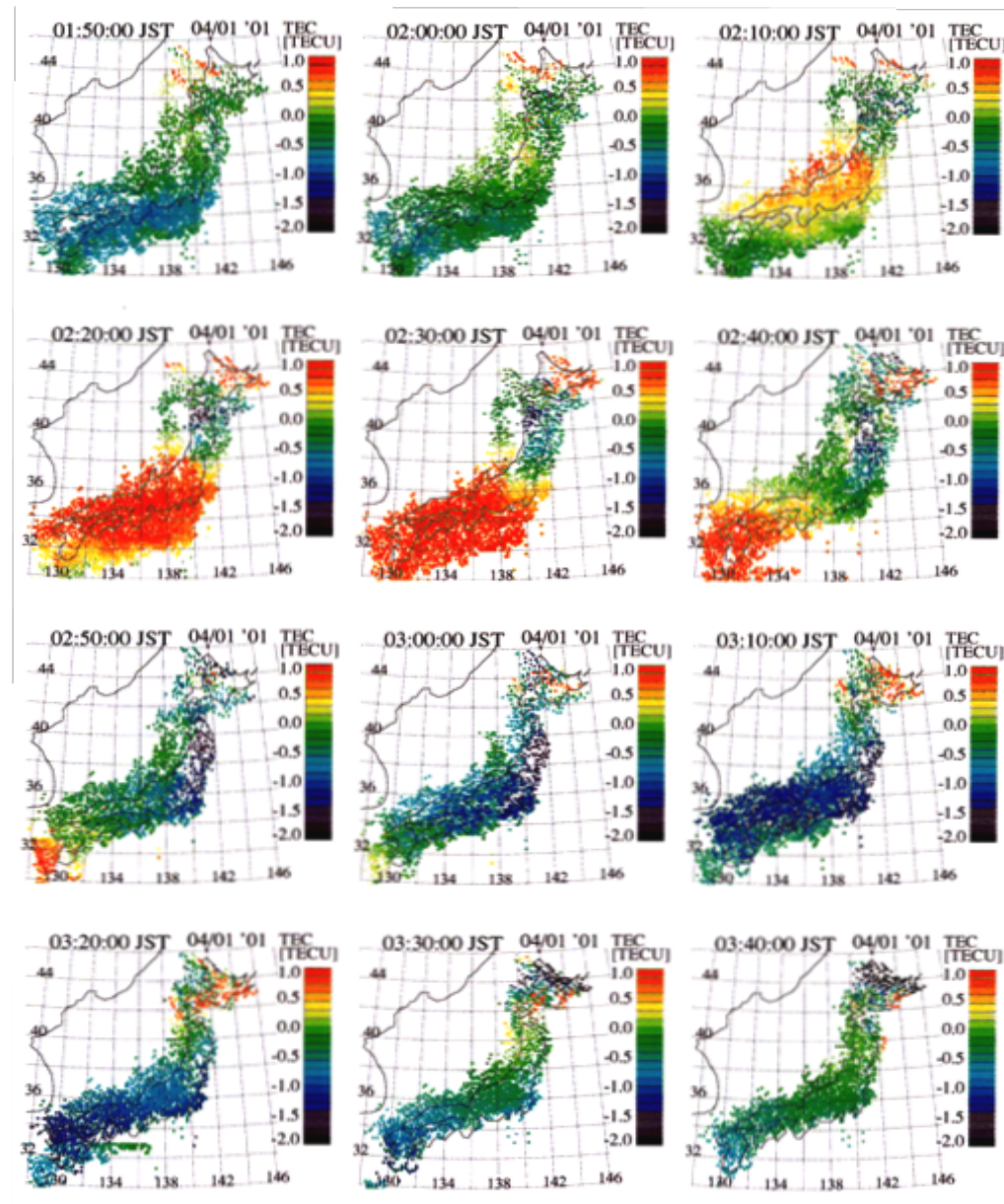


Figure 3. (From top to bottom) The IMF E_y (eastward), the vertical total electron content (TEC) along the 255° geographic longitude, the same vertical TEC values at $L = 2.5$ and 3.0 , and the equatorial plasma density at approximately 255° geographic longitude and at the same L -values inferred by field line resonance measurements.

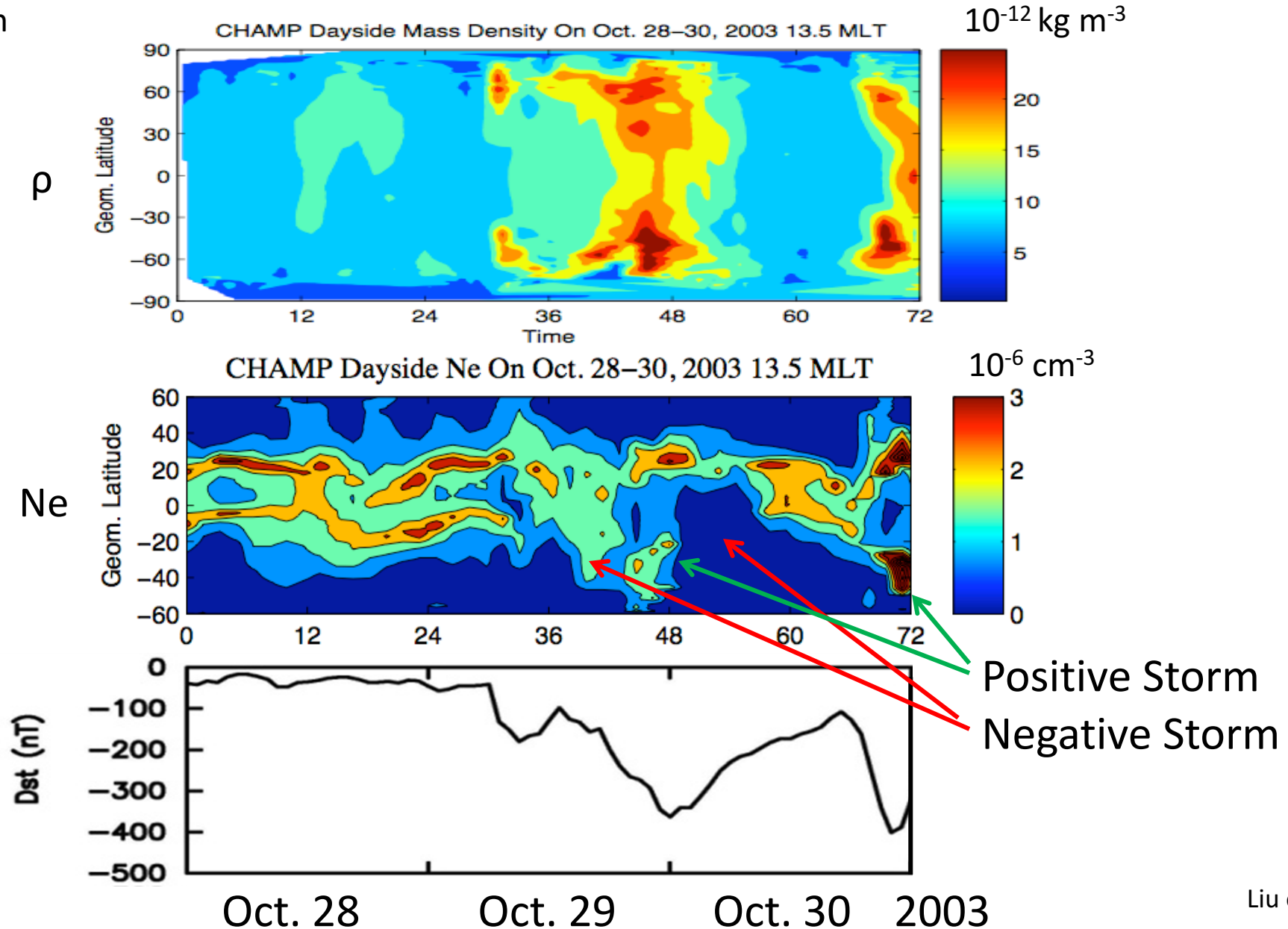
Large Scale Travelling Ionospheric Disturbances (LSTIDs)



~400m/s

Global Response to Geomagnetic Disturbances

at 400km



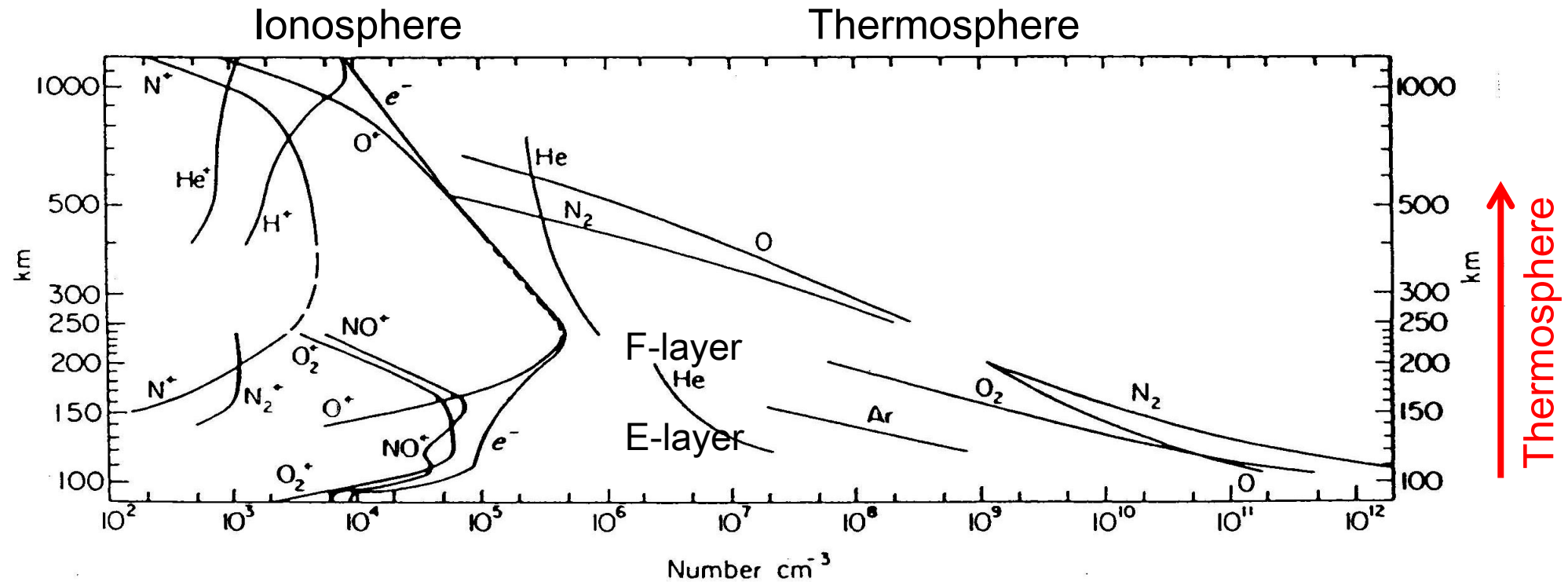


Fig. 1.2. International Quiet Solar Year (IQSY) daytime atmospheric composition, based on mass spectrometer measurements above White Sands, New Mexico (32°N, 106°W). The helium distribution is from a nighttime measurement. Distributions above 250 km are from the Elektron II satellite results of Istomin (1966) and Explorer XVII results of Reber and Nicolet (1965). [C. Y. Johnson, U.S. Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, D.C. Reprinted from Johnson (1969) by permission of the MIT Press, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Copyright 1969 by MIT.]

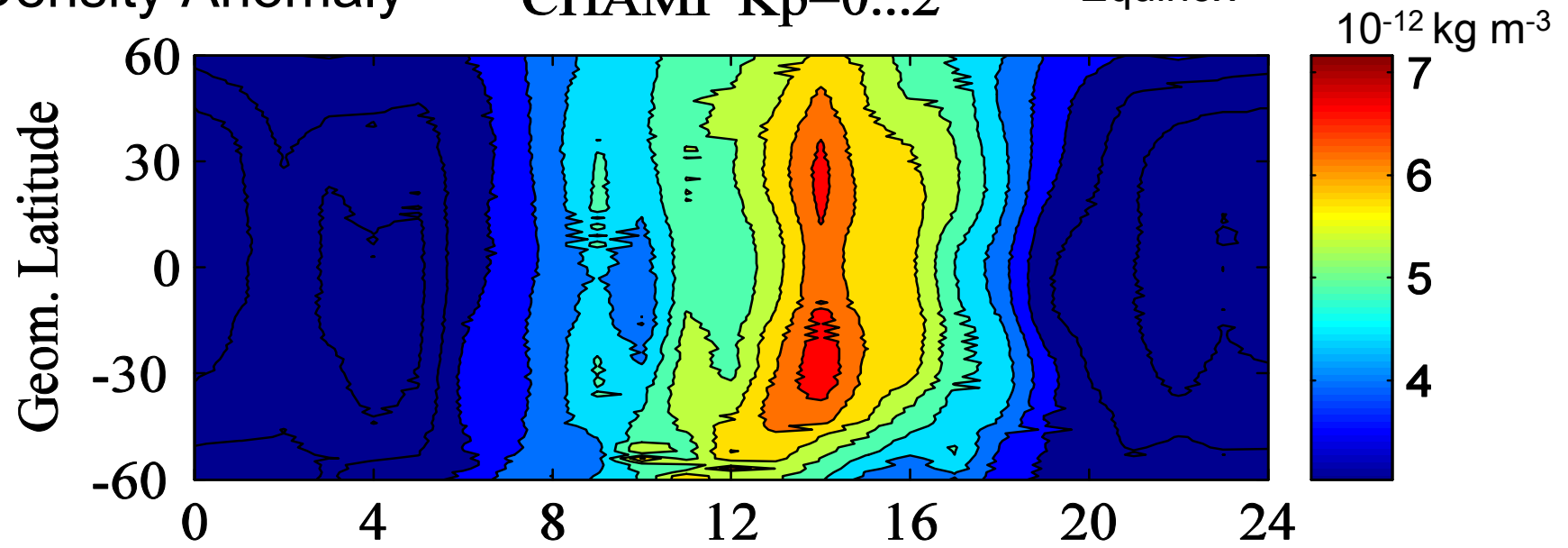
Although the ionization rate is $<10^{-4}$ in the low latitude thermosphere, the dynamics of the neutral atmosphere is strongly controlled by the plasma.

Neutral Density Anomaly

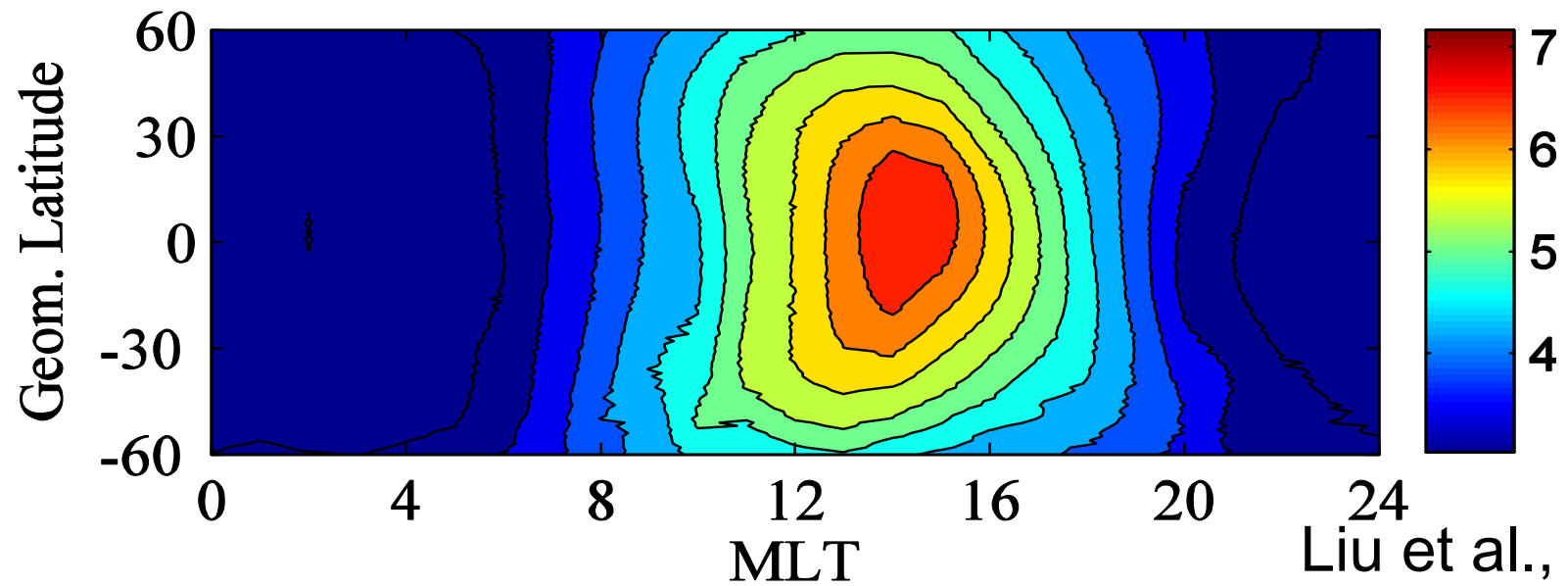
CHAMP Kp=0...2

Equinox

at 400km

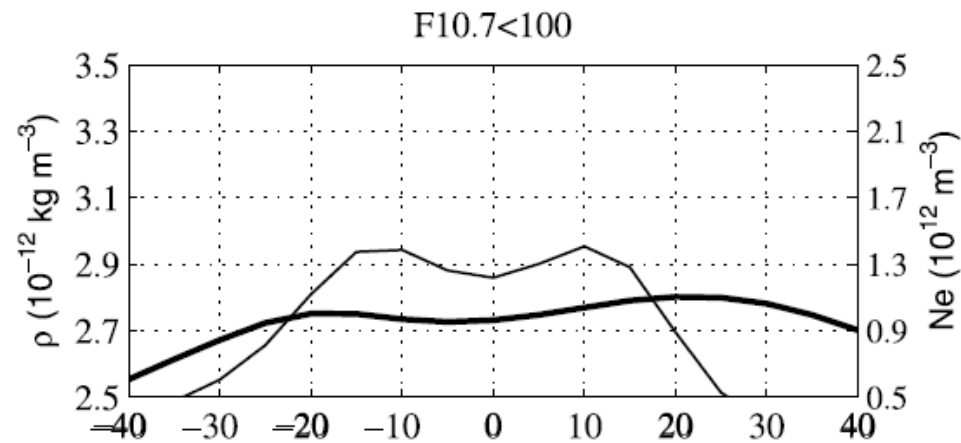


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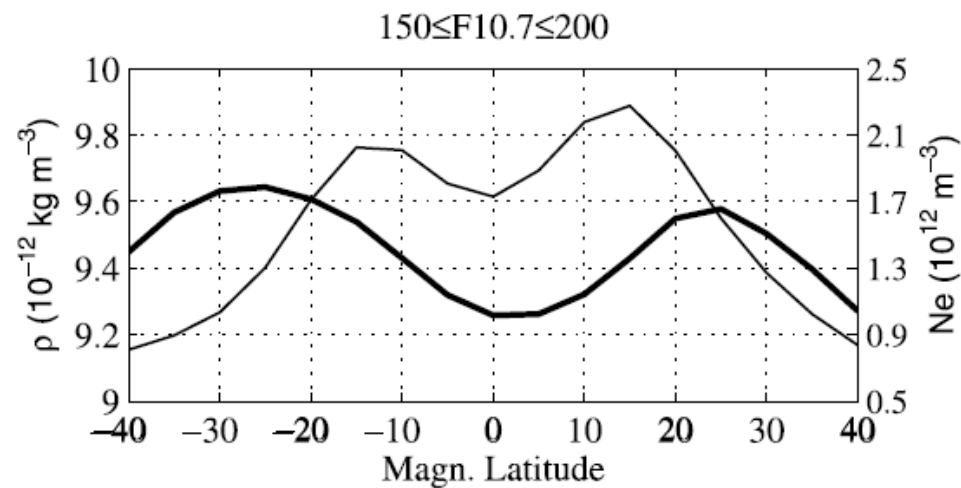
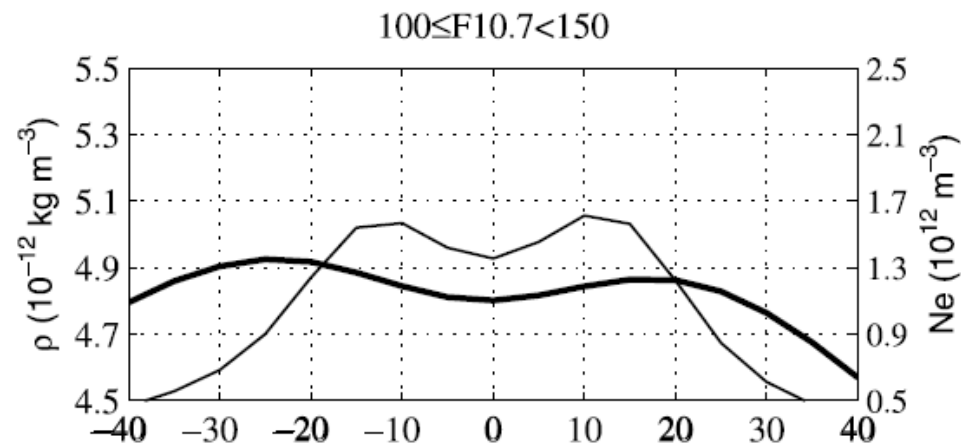
Liu et al., 2007

Neutral Mass Density



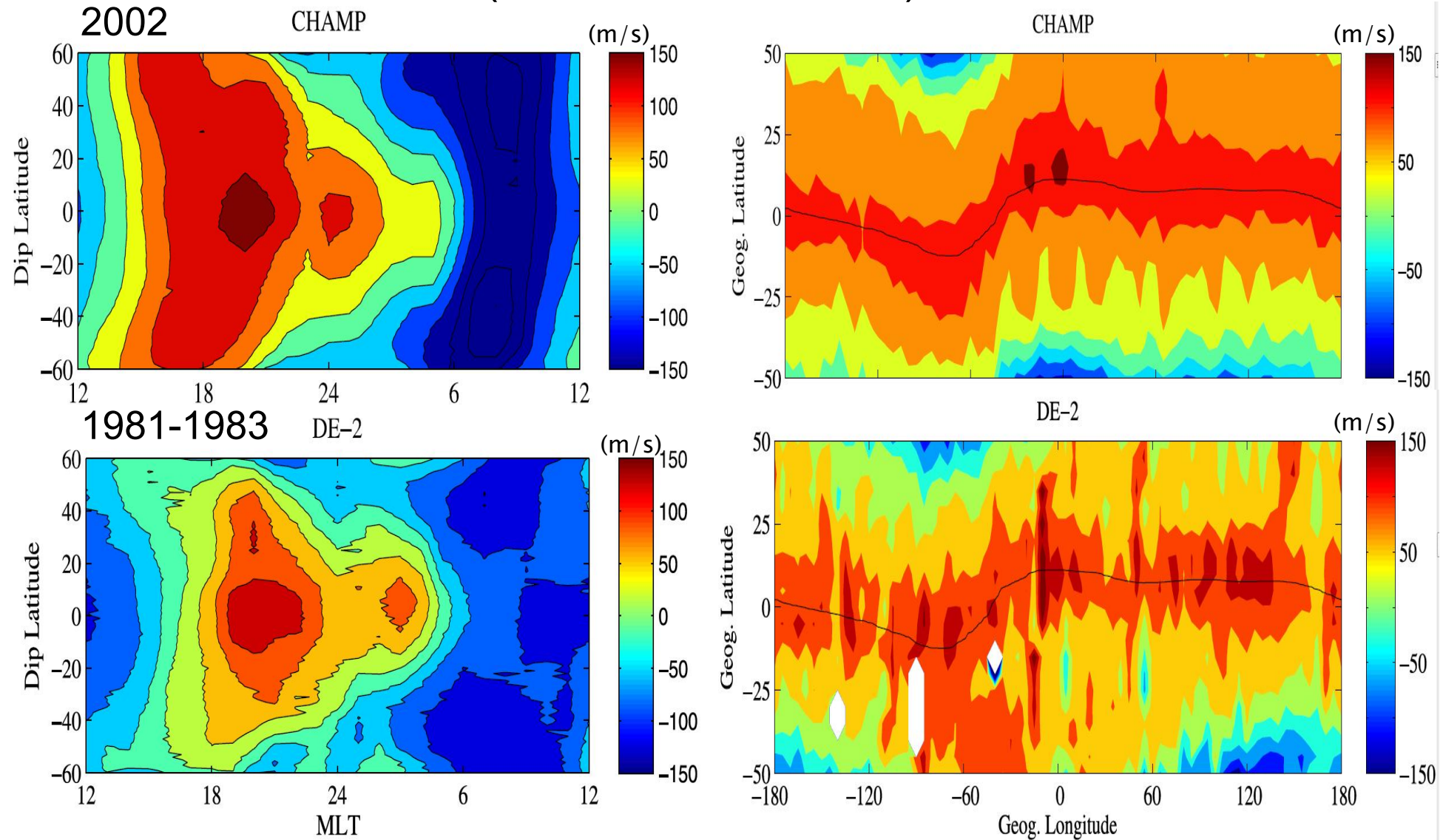
Electron Density

at 400km
11-16 LT
Equinox

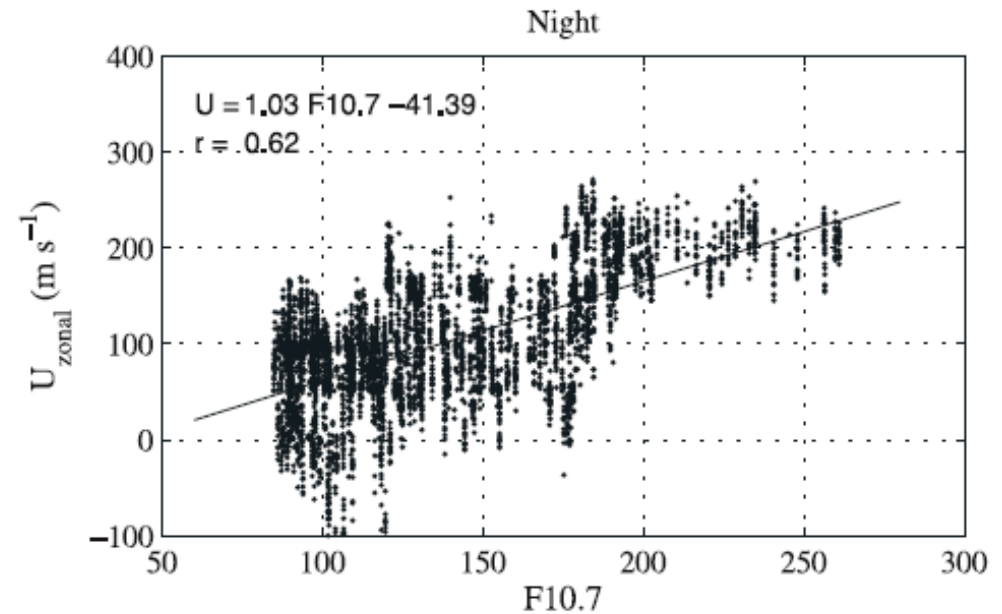
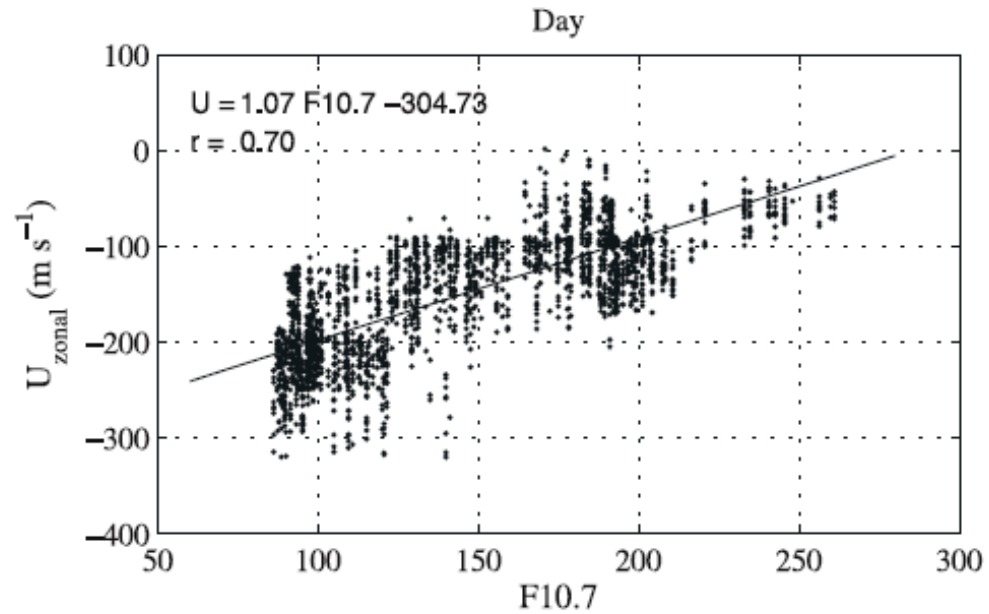


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Fast Thermospheric Wind Jet at the Earth's Dip Equator (Zonal Neutral Wind)



Atmospheric Super-rotation at 400 km altitude



	Summer	Equinox	Winter	Average	
F10.7<140	11	22	34	22	
F10.7>140	40	72	76	63	(m/s)

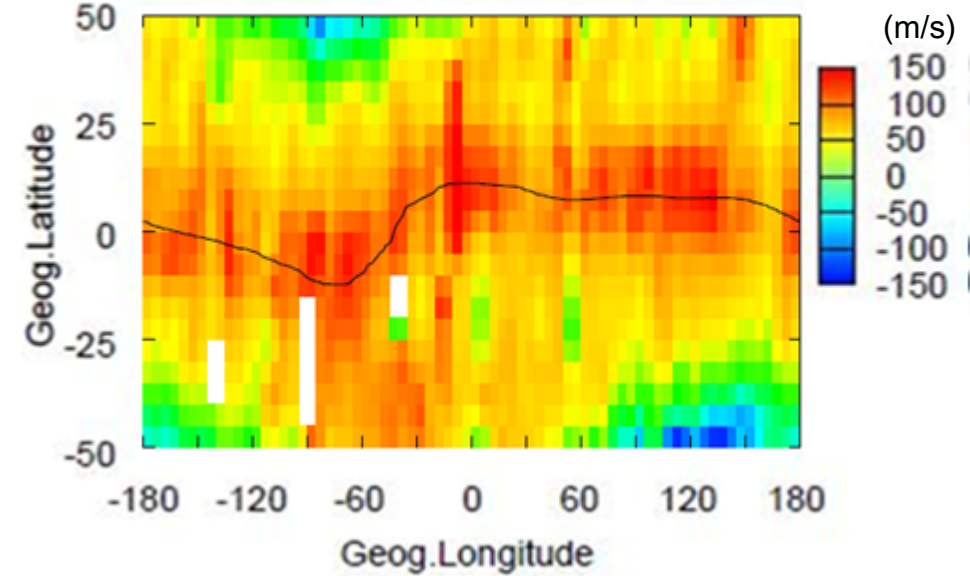
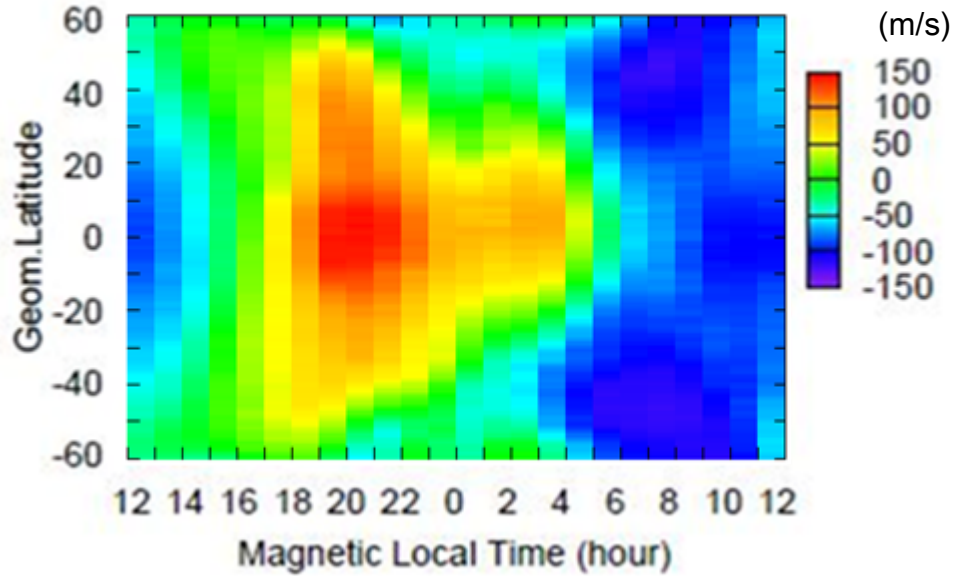
fastest in winter at high solar flux level

DE2

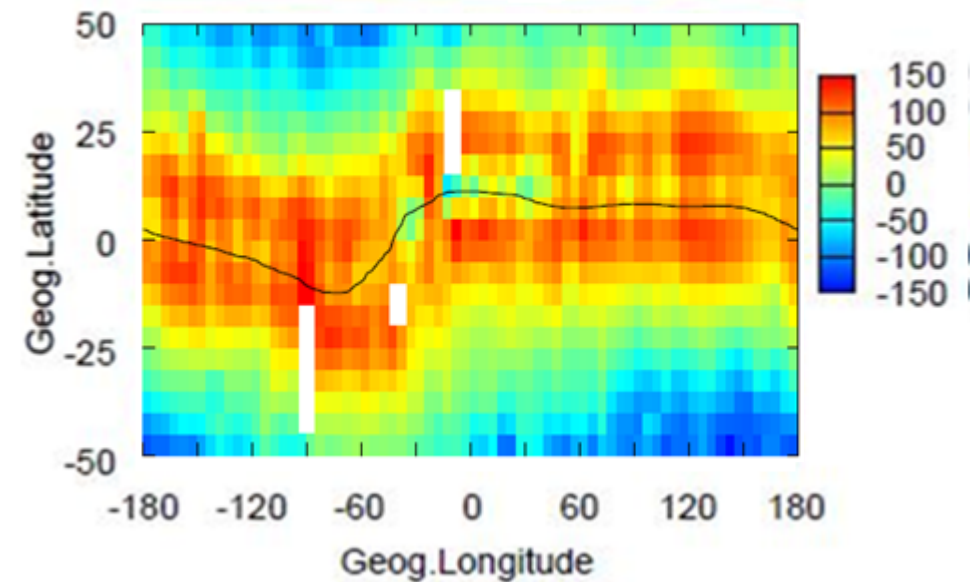
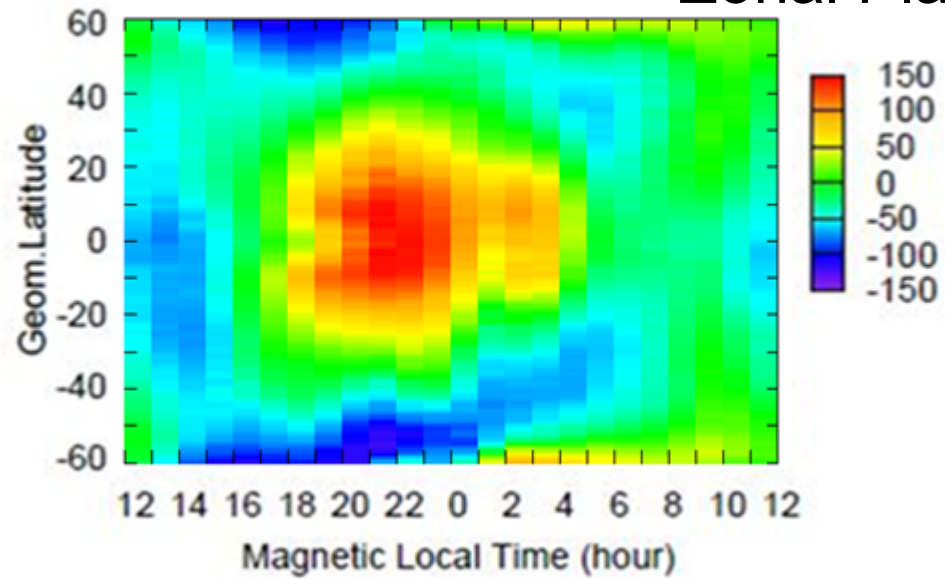
~450km altitude

Zonal Neutral Wind

18-24 MLT



Zonal Plasma Drift



Lithium/TMA Release Experiments in the Upper Atmosphere

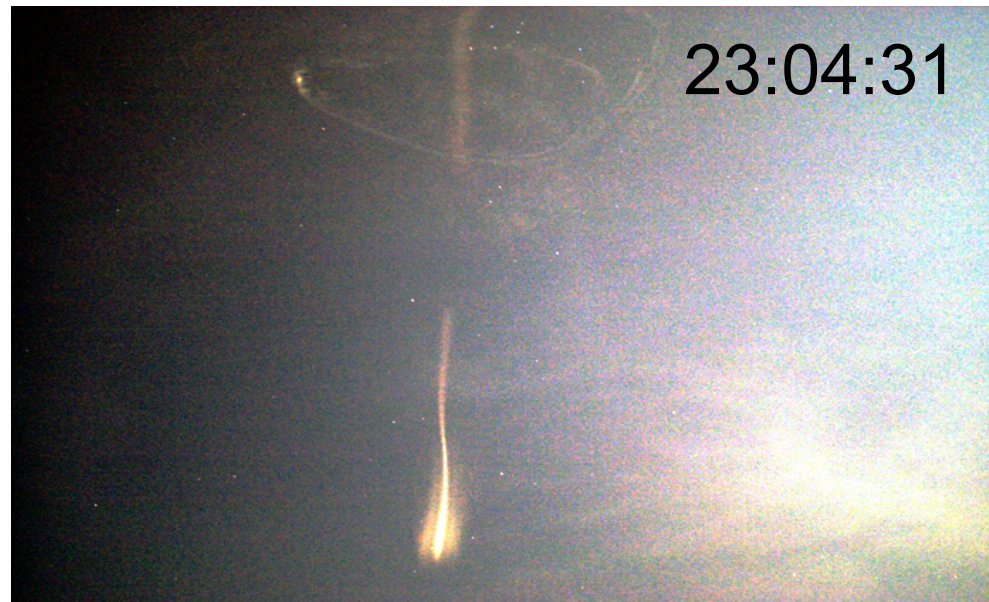
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2012/1/12	6:00LT	WINDs-2 (KSC)	Lithium
2013/5/7	19:39LT 19:40:30LT	EVEX (Kwajalein)	Lithium TMA
2013/7/4	14:30LT	Daytime Dynamo (Wallops)	Lithium
2013/7/20	23:00LT 00:00	E-F Coupling (KSC)	TMA Lithium
2014/11/24	8:00LT	C-REX (Norway)	Ba, Sr

2012/01/12 Uchinoura



E-F Region Coupling: 2013/7/20 at Uchinoura

TMA



Winds in the mesosphere and the lower thermosphere

Chemical release
(TMA:Trimethylaluminium)

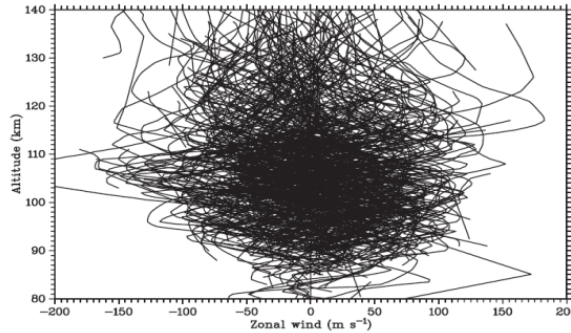


Figure 3. Superposition of the zonal wind components for all the midlatitude and low-latitude chemical release wind profile data.

HWM model

Zonal wind

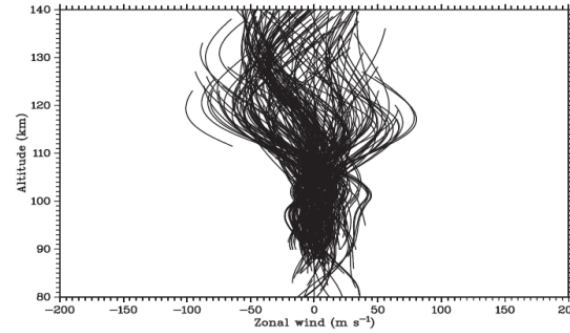
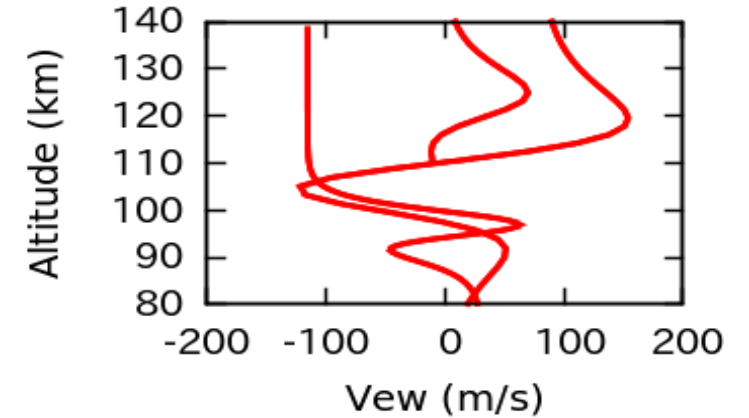


Figure 15. Zonal wind components corresponding to the chemical release wind profiles calculated with HWM.

WINDs
(Lithium/TMA)

Zonal Wind



Meridional Wind

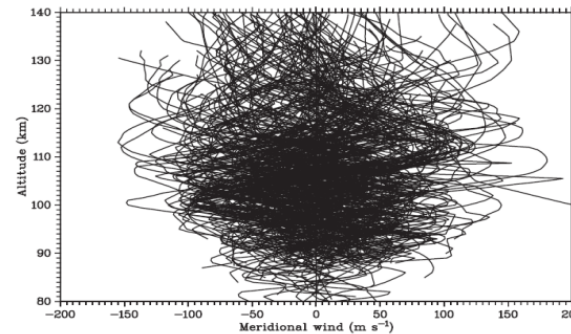
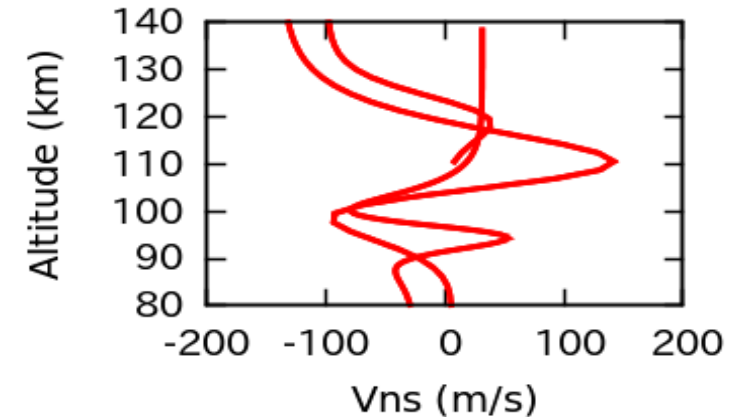


Figure 4. Superposition of the meridional wind components for all the midlatitude and low-latitude chemical release wind profile data.

Meridional wind

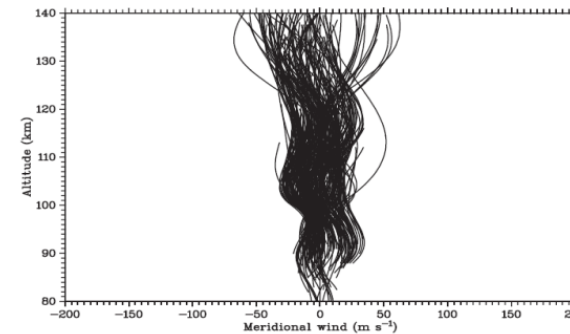
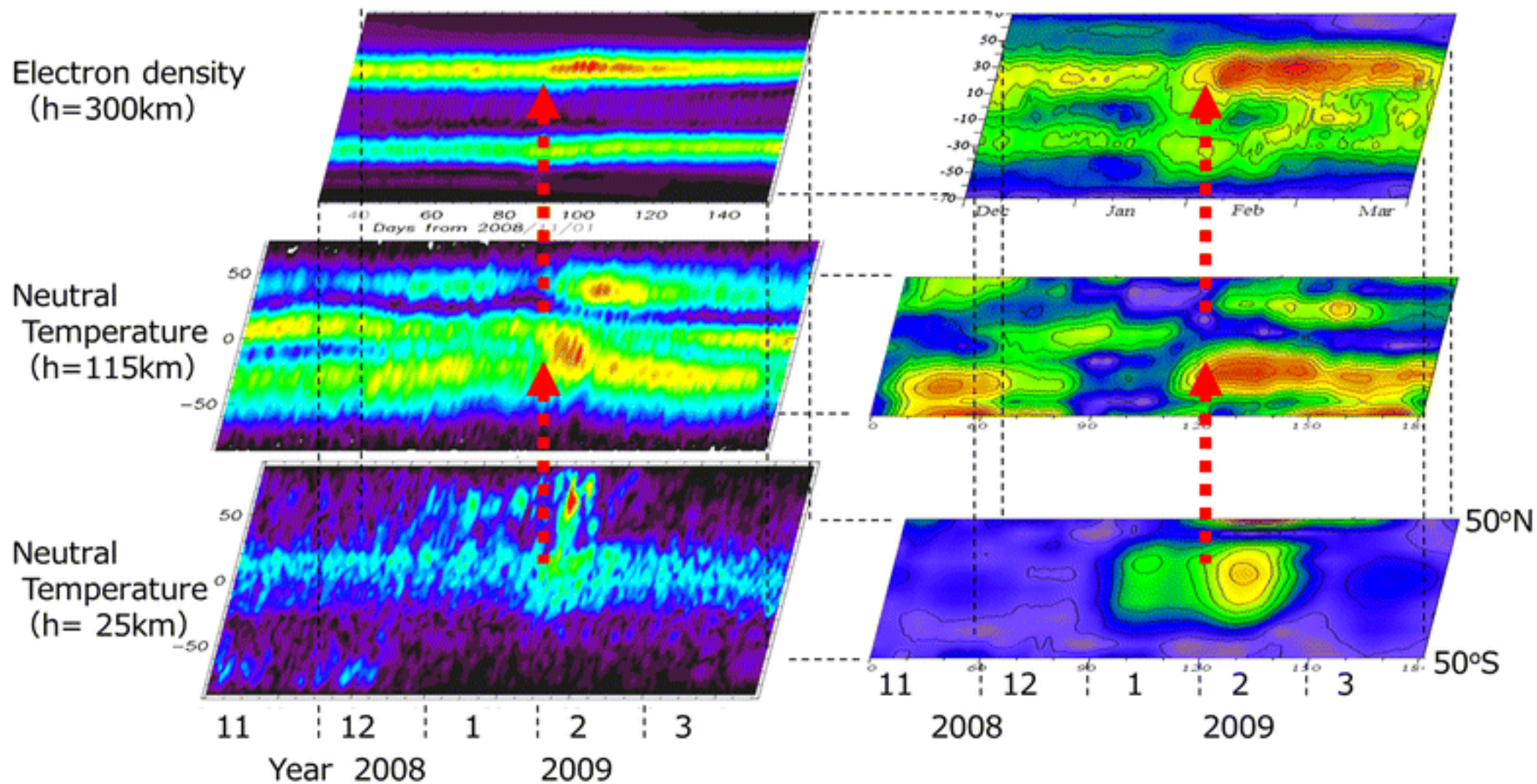


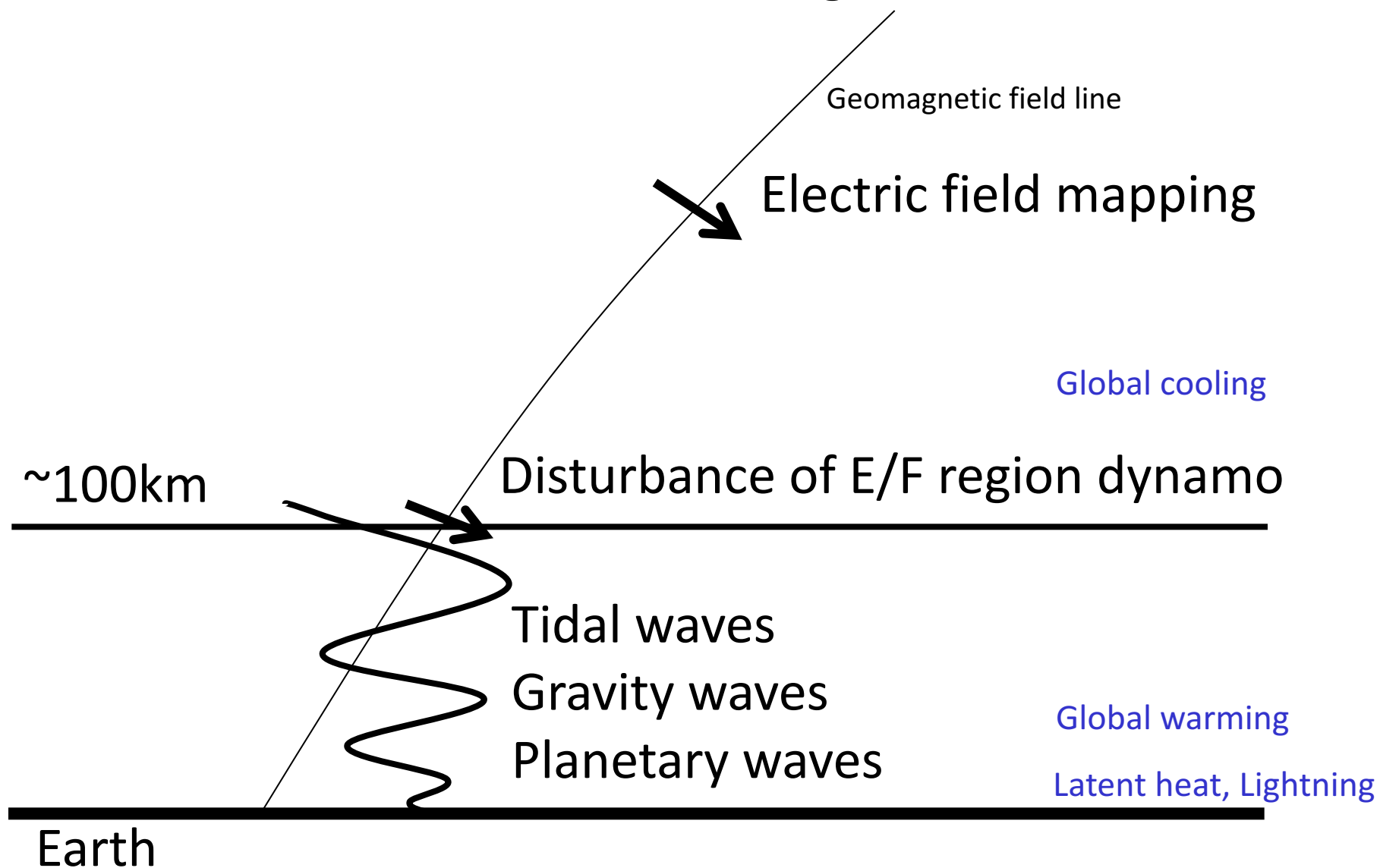
Figure 16. Meridional wind components corresponding to the chemical release wind profiles calculated with HWM.

GAIA simulation

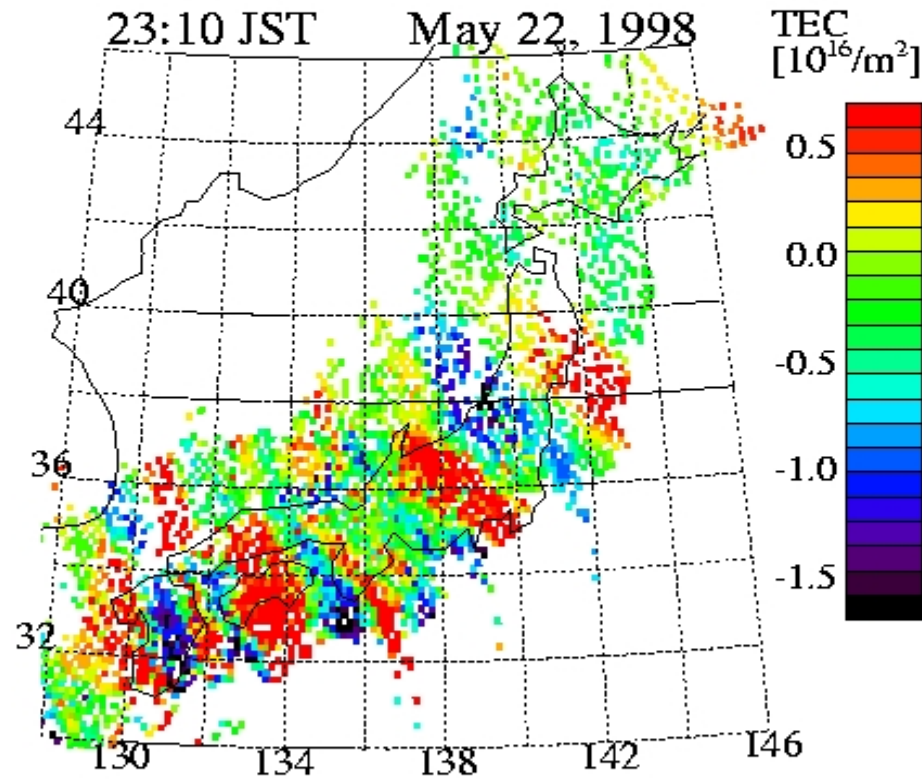
Satellite observations



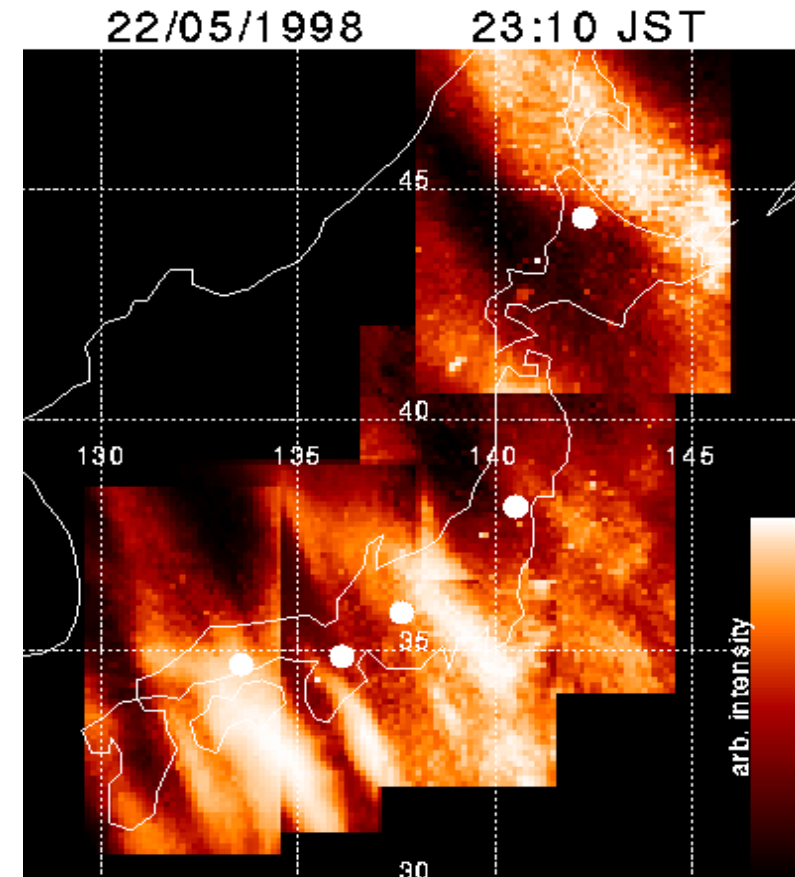
ExB drift in F region



Medium-Scale Traveling Ionospheric Disturbance (MSTID)



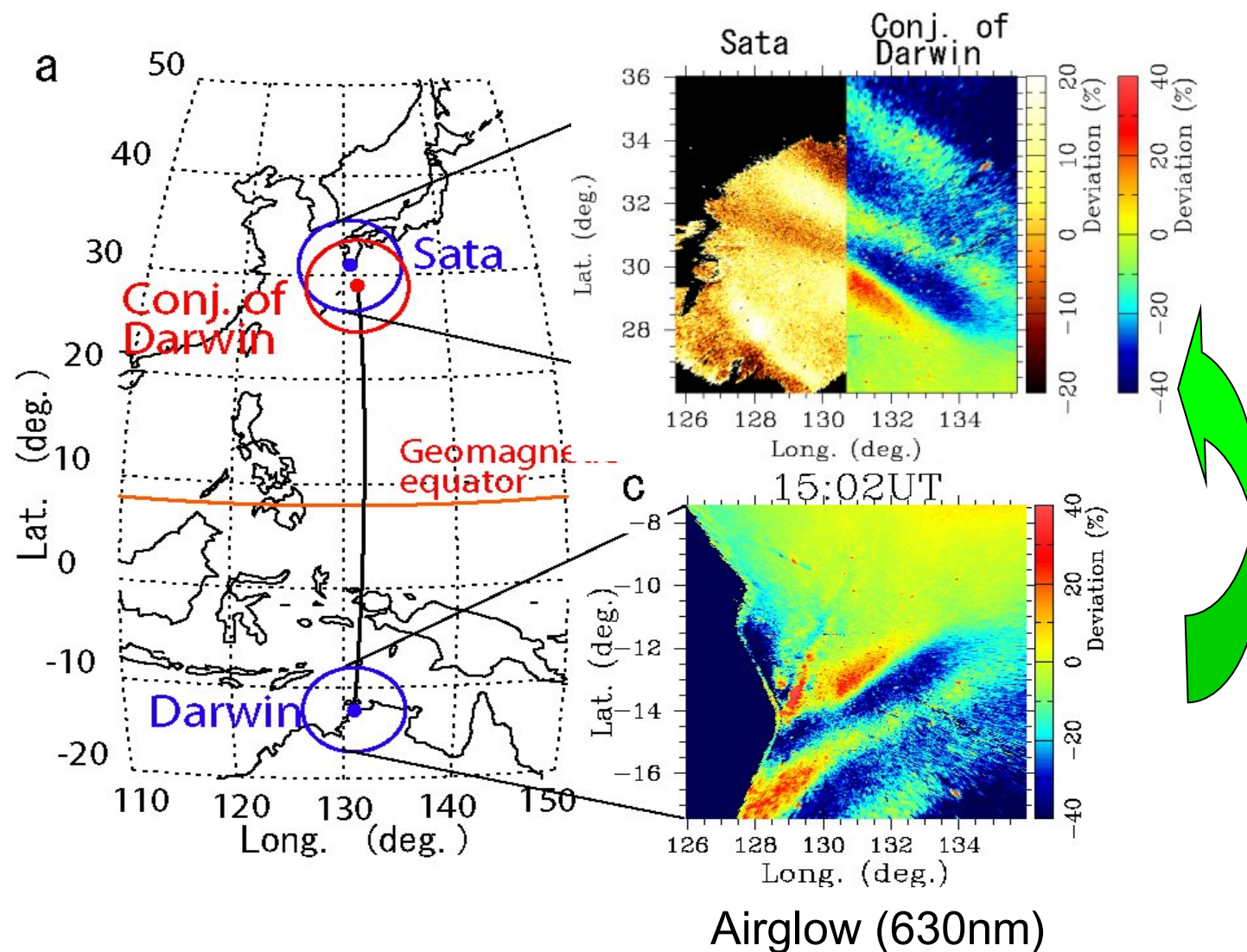
MSTID over Japan

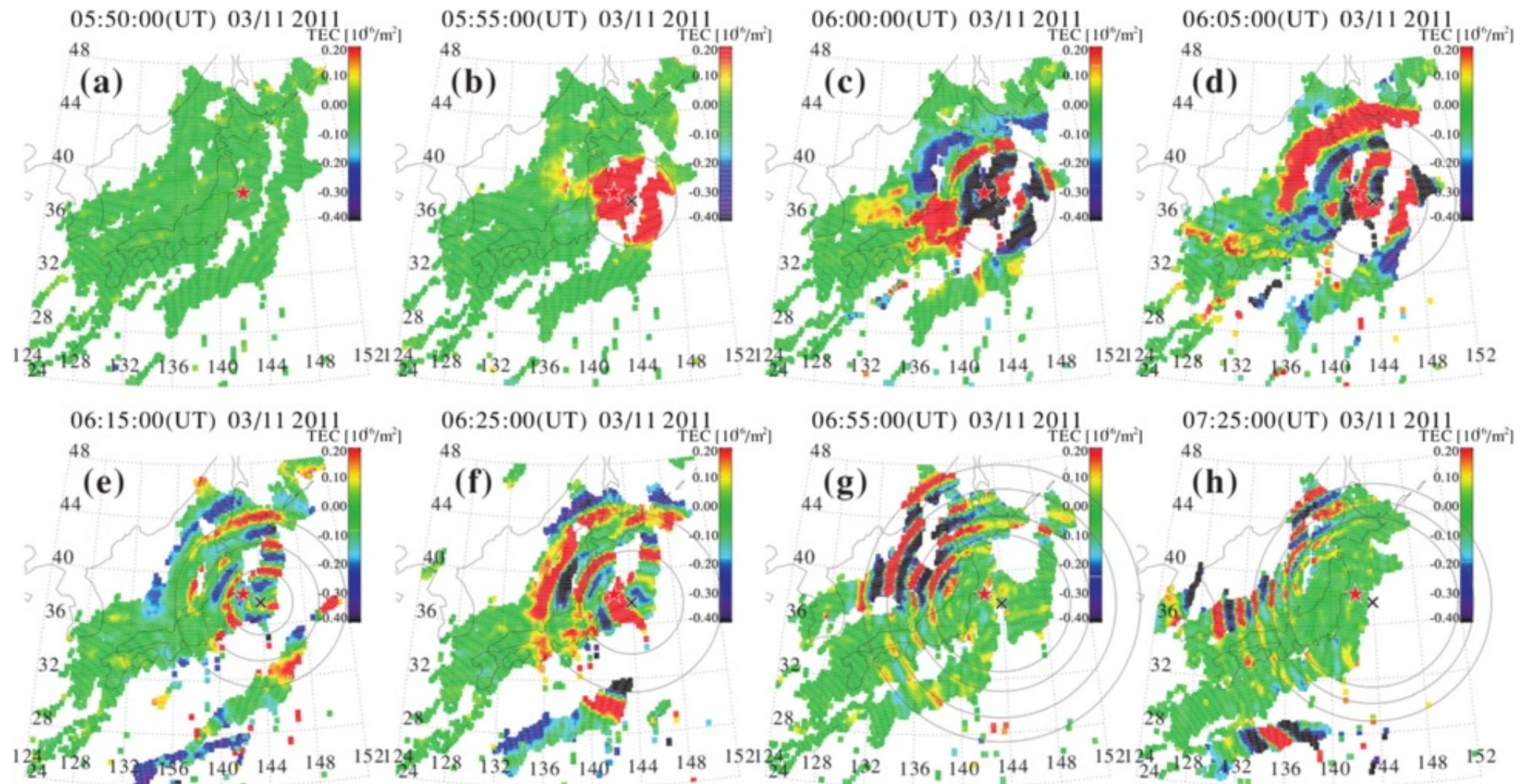


Red Airglow (630nm) over Japan

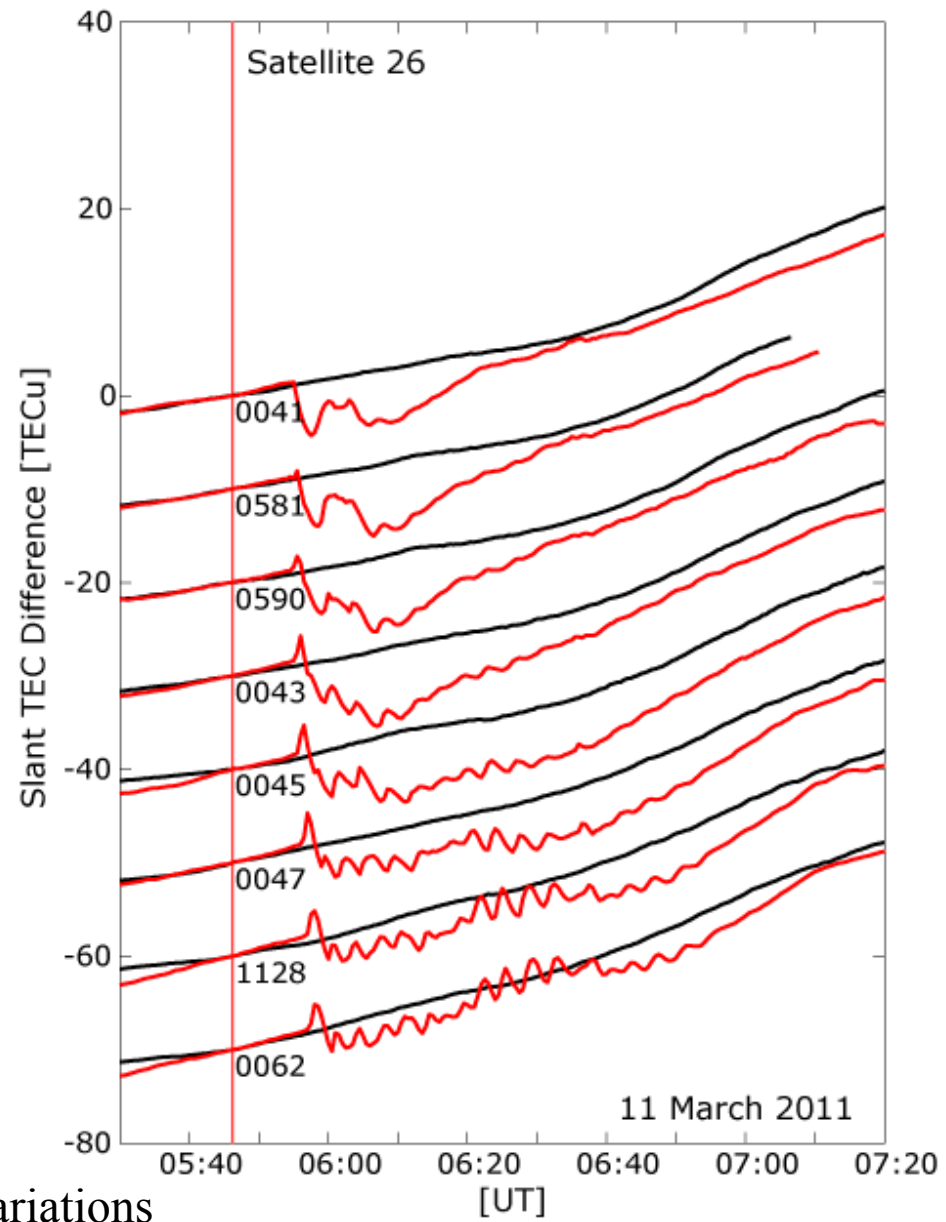
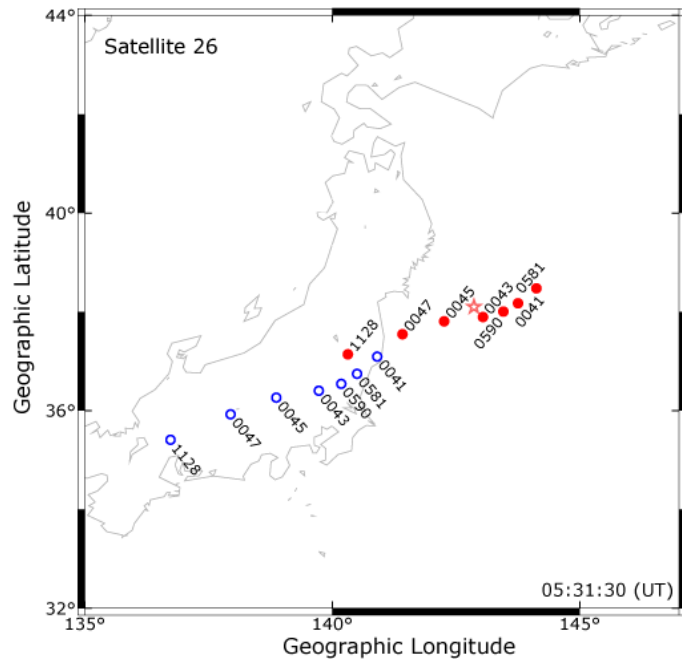
Saito et al., 2001

MSTID August 9, 2002





Time series of TEC during the Tohoku Earthquake on March 11, 2011. The star and cross marks represent the epicenter and the ionospheric epicenter, respectively. Gray circles are about the ionospheric epicenter. Tsugawa et al. (2011).



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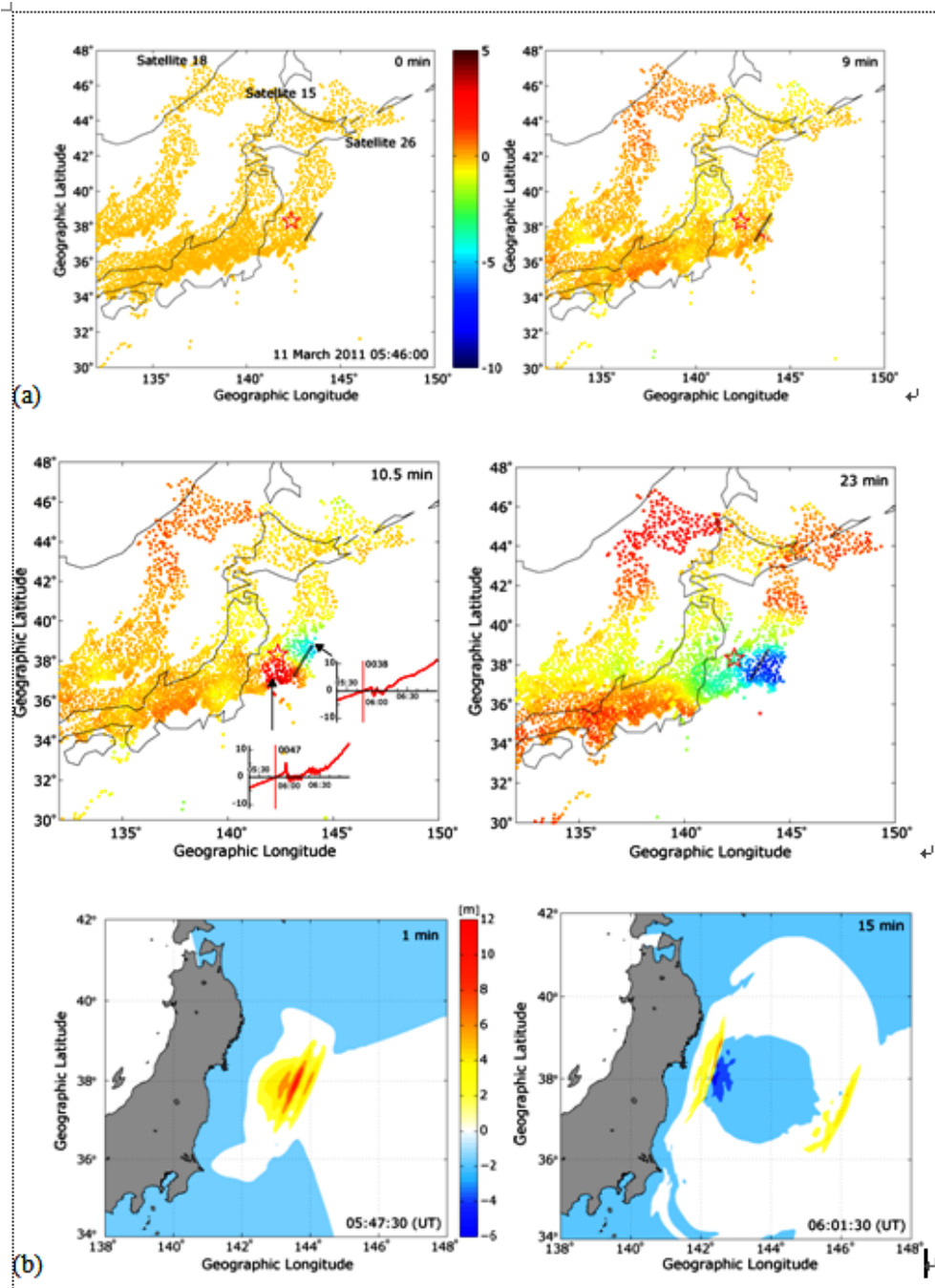
Ionospheric density
hole near epicenter

Latitudinal TEC
asymmetry

Ionospheric Hole

Tsunami simulation

Kakinami et al., 2012



2.5 Dimensional Model of Neutral Atmosphere/Ionosphere

Neutral Atmosphere

$$\frac{\partial n_n}{\partial t} + u_n \frac{\partial n_n}{\partial x} + v_n \frac{\partial n_n}{\partial y} + w_n \frac{\partial n_n}{\partial z} = -n_n \frac{\partial u_n}{\partial x} - n_n \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial y} - n_n \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial z}$$

$$\frac{\partial u_n}{\partial t} + u_n \frac{\partial u_n}{\partial x} + v_n \frac{\partial u_n}{\partial y} + w_n \frac{\partial u_n}{\partial z} = -\Omega v_n \cos \phi - \frac{1}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial x} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 u_n}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 u_n}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 u_n}{\partial z^2} - v_{ni} (u_n - u_i \cos \theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial v_n}{\partial t} + u_n \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial x} + v_n \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial y} + w_n \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial z} = \Omega u_n \cos \phi - \frac{1}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial y} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 v_n}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 v_n}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 v_n}{\partial z^2} - v_{ni} v_n$$

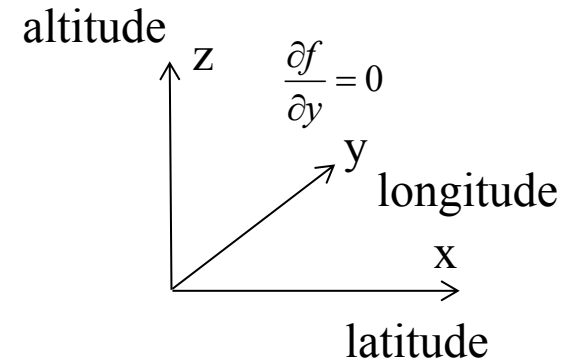
$$\frac{\partial w_n}{\partial t} + u_n \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial x} + v_n \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial y} + w_n \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial z} = -\frac{1}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial z} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 w_n}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 w_n}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\mu}{\rho_n} \frac{\partial^2 w_n}{\partial z^2} - g_0 \left(\frac{r_0}{r_0 + z} \right)^2 - v_{ni} (w_n - u_i \sin \theta)$$

$$\frac{\partial p_n}{\partial t} + u_n \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial x} + v_n \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial y} + w_n \frac{\partial p_n}{\partial z} = -\mathcal{P}_n \frac{\partial u_n}{\partial x} - \mathcal{P}_n \frac{\partial v_n}{\partial y} - \mathcal{P}_n \frac{\partial w_n}{\partial z}$$

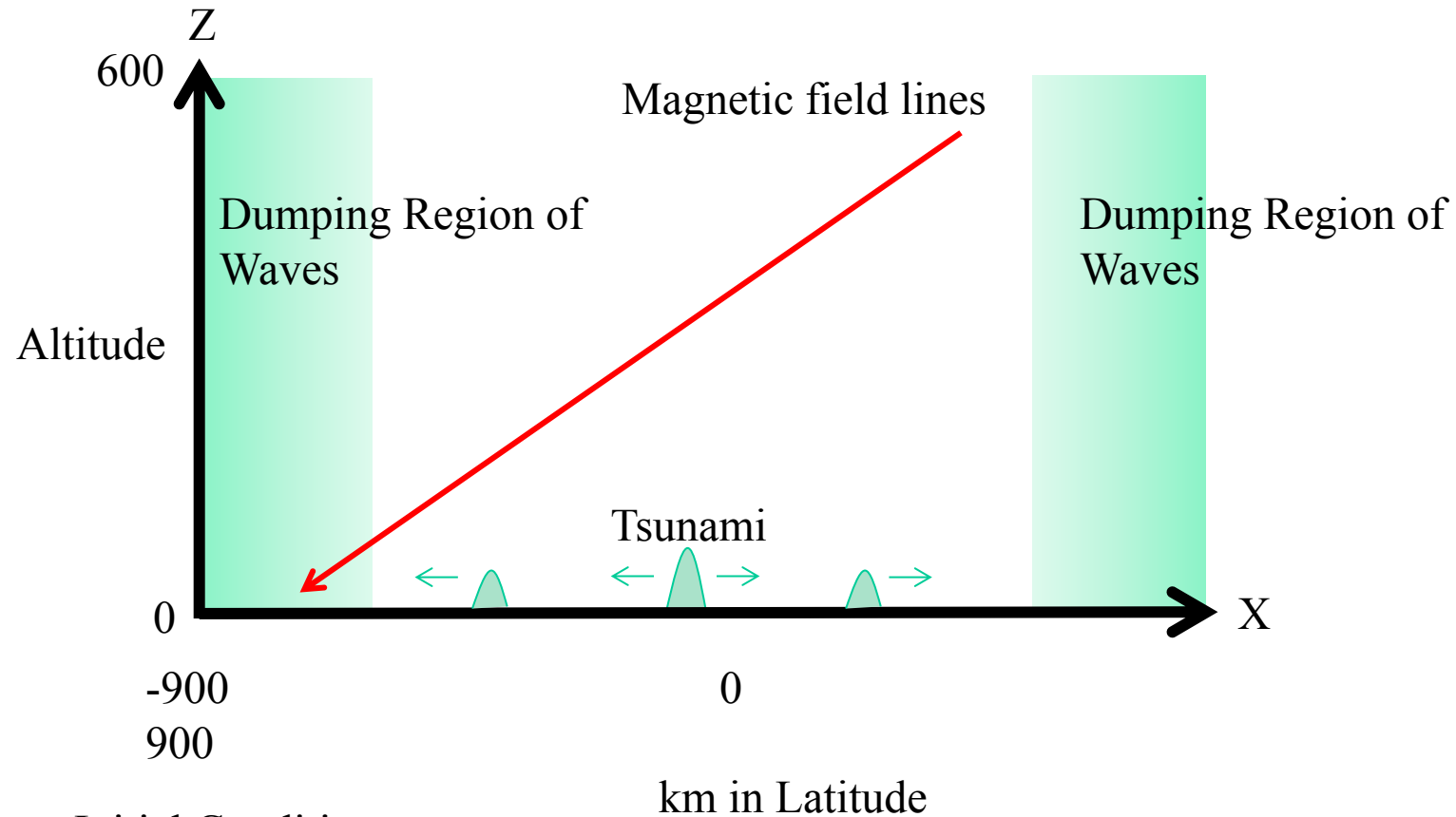
Ionosphere

$$\frac{\partial n_i}{\partial t} + u_i \frac{\partial n_i}{\partial s} = -n_i \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial s} + Q_i - L_i$$

$$\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} + u_i \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial s} = -\frac{1}{\rho_i} \frac{\partial p_i}{\partial s} - g_0 \left(\frac{r_0}{r_0 + z} \right)^2 \sin \theta - v_{in} (u_i - u_n \cos \theta - v_n \sin \theta)$$



2.5 Dimensional Model for Neutral Atmosphere - Ionosphere



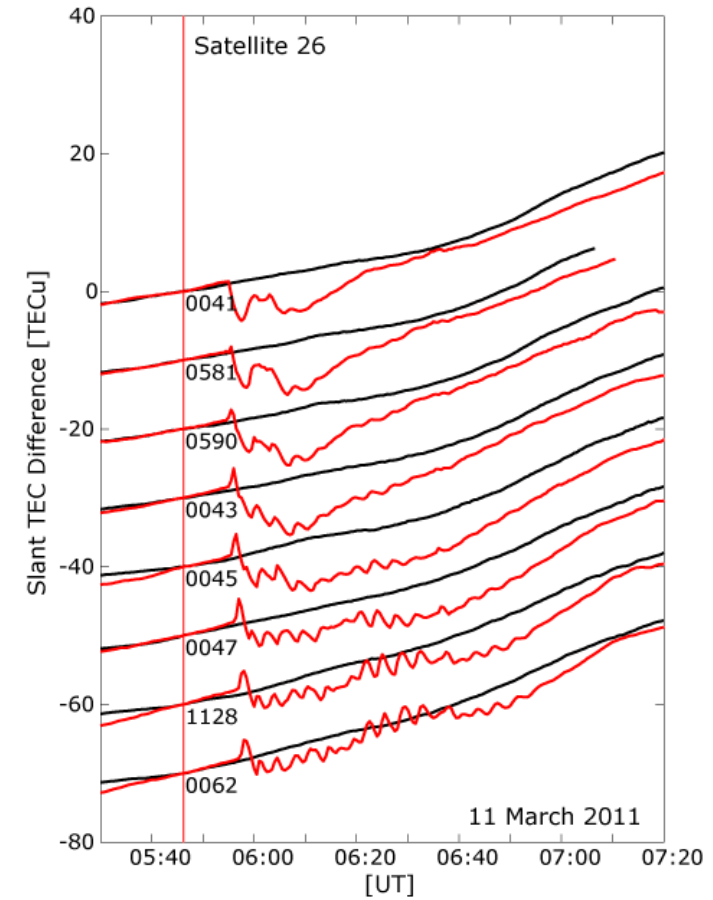
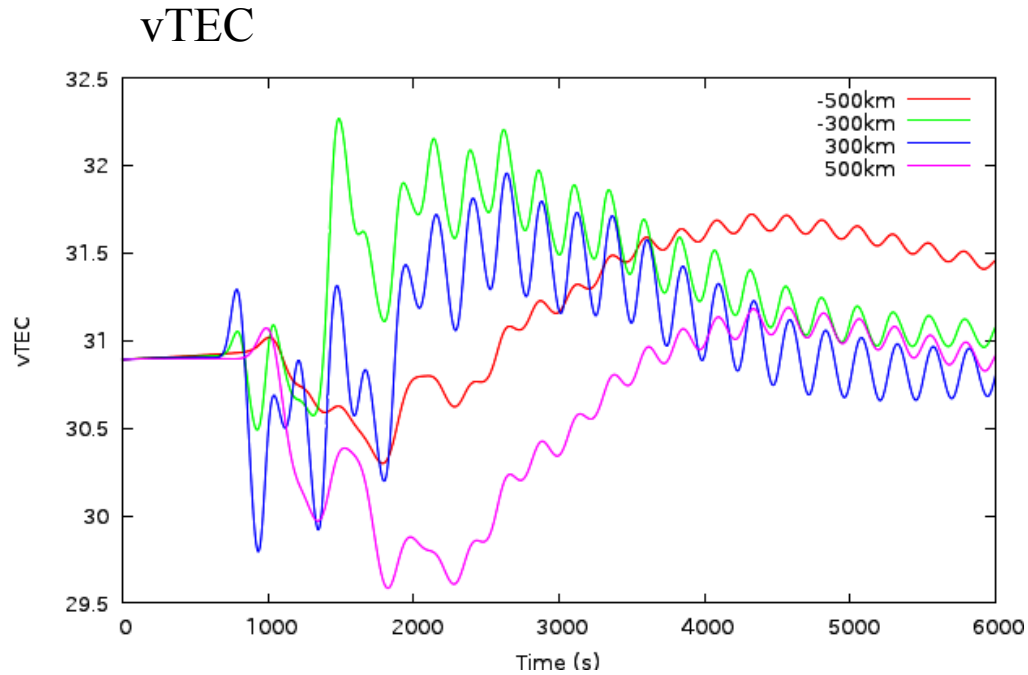
Initial Conditions

Neutral Atmosphere: MSIS model, 2011/3/11, 12LT, Tohoku of Japan

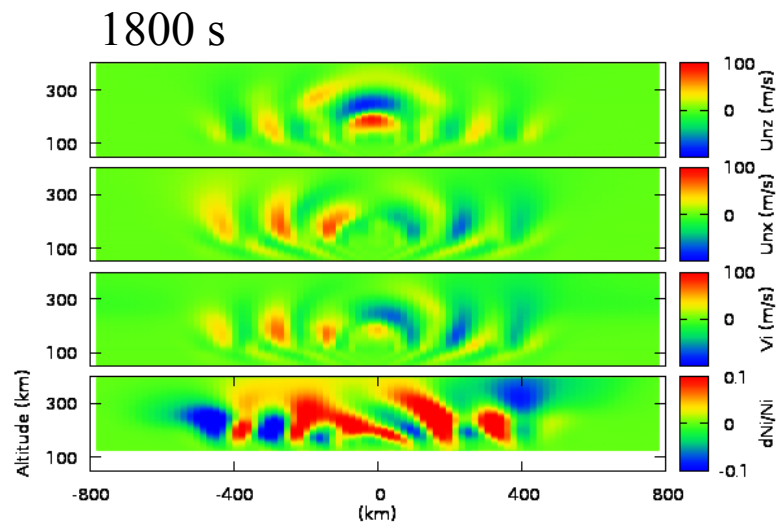
Ionosphere: F layer, $F_{10.7}=120$

Tsunami: $U_z=20\text{m/s}$, $U_x=\pm 200\text{m/s}$ at surface

$U_z = 20 \text{ m/s}$
 $U_x = \pm 200 \text{ m/s}$
Inclination = 30 degree

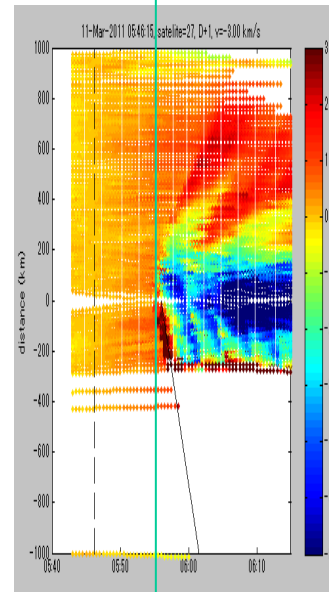
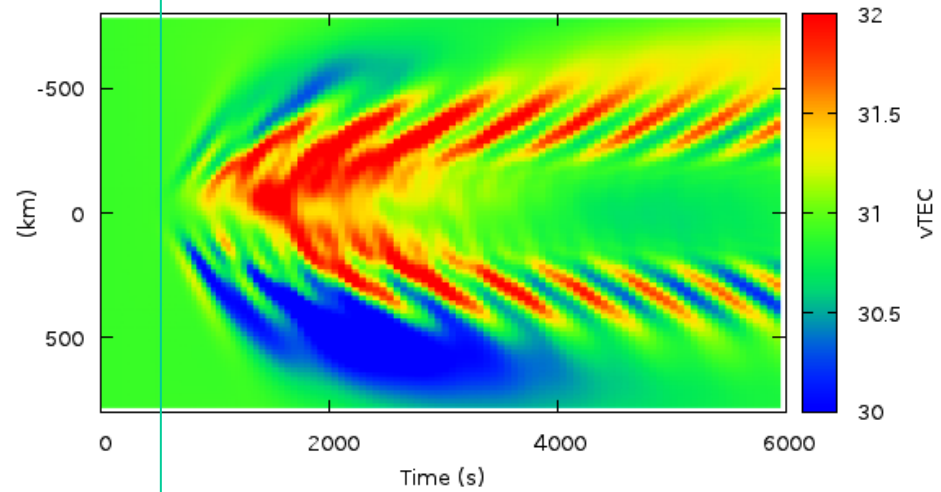


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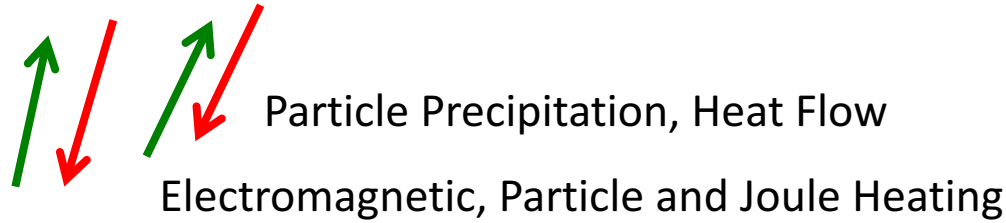
Inclination = 30degree
 $U_x = \pm 200 \text{ m/s}$
 $U_z = 1 \text{ m/s}$, $T = 600 \text{ s}$
 ($U_z = \sin(2\pi/T)$)
 Inclination = 30degree

TEC Modeling



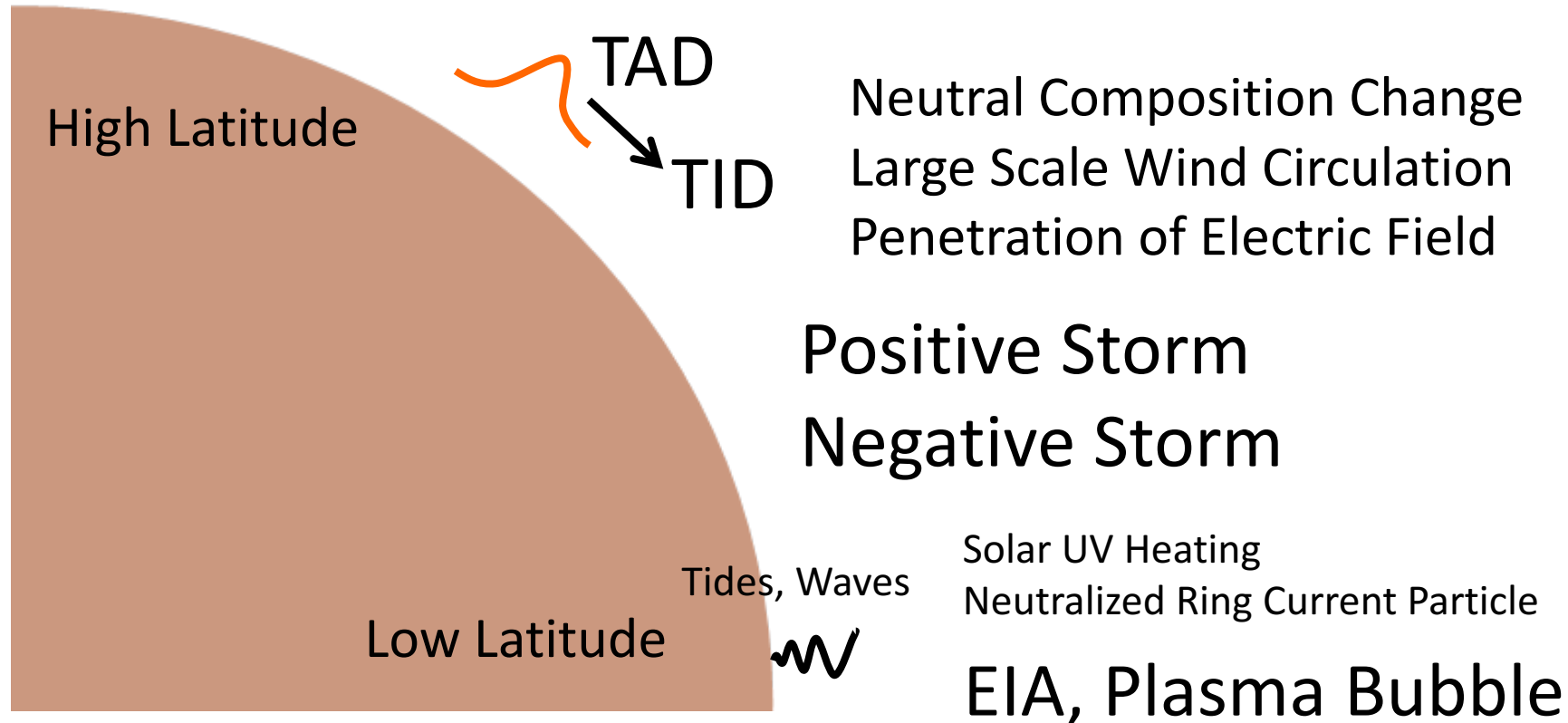
TEC by Satellite 26

Plasma Outflow



Ionosphere/Thermosphere Coupling

- Neutral Density Anomaly
- Superrotation
- Polar Circulation / Ion Drag / Joule Heating
- Global Response to Geomagnetic Disturbances
- O-N₂ Composition
- Tides, Gravity Waves, Acoustic Waves
- Earthquake, Tsunami, Weather Effects



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