

Najenergetickejšie objekty vo vesmíre

Čo môžu urobit' informatici pre ich odhalenie?

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Kozmické žiarenie – začiatok príbehu

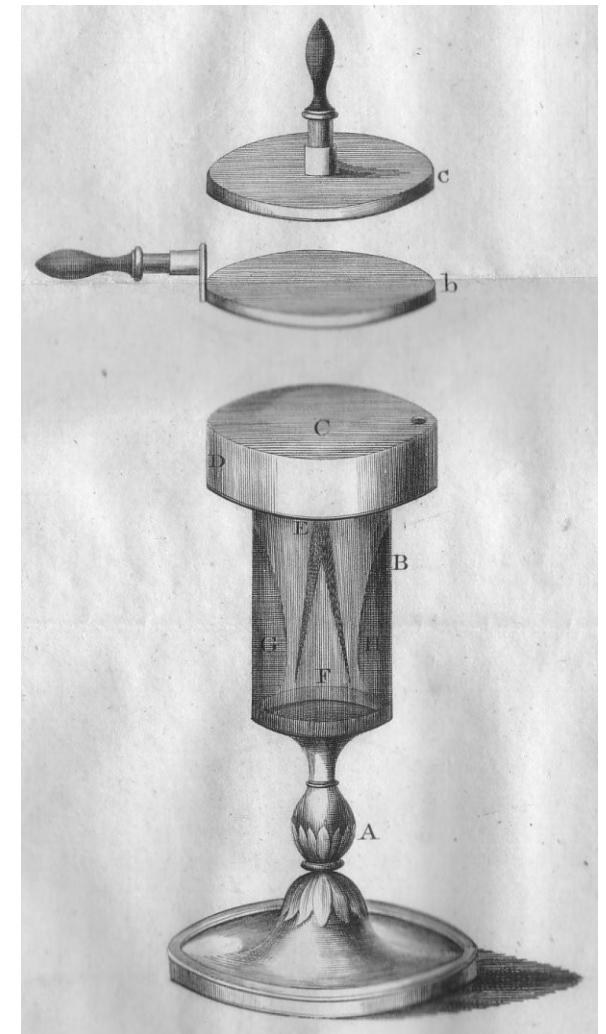
1785 Charles Coulomb - nabité teleso (vo vzduchu) sa po čase stane elektricky neutrálnym

1787 Abraham Bennet – elektroskop (dve tenké pásky zlata na bavlnených vláknach) sa postupne bez akéhokoľvek vonkajšieho zásahu vybíja

1900 Charles Thomson Rees Wilson – ionizácia vzduchu vonkajším žiarením spôsobuje vybíjanie elektroskopu

Záver: žiarenie spôsobujúce vybíjanie elektroskopu pochádza zo zeme – problém vyriešený.

Naozaj?



Kozmické žiarenie – objav

1912 Victor Hess

Dokonalejší elektroskop s ktorým meral ionizáciu na rôznych výškach.

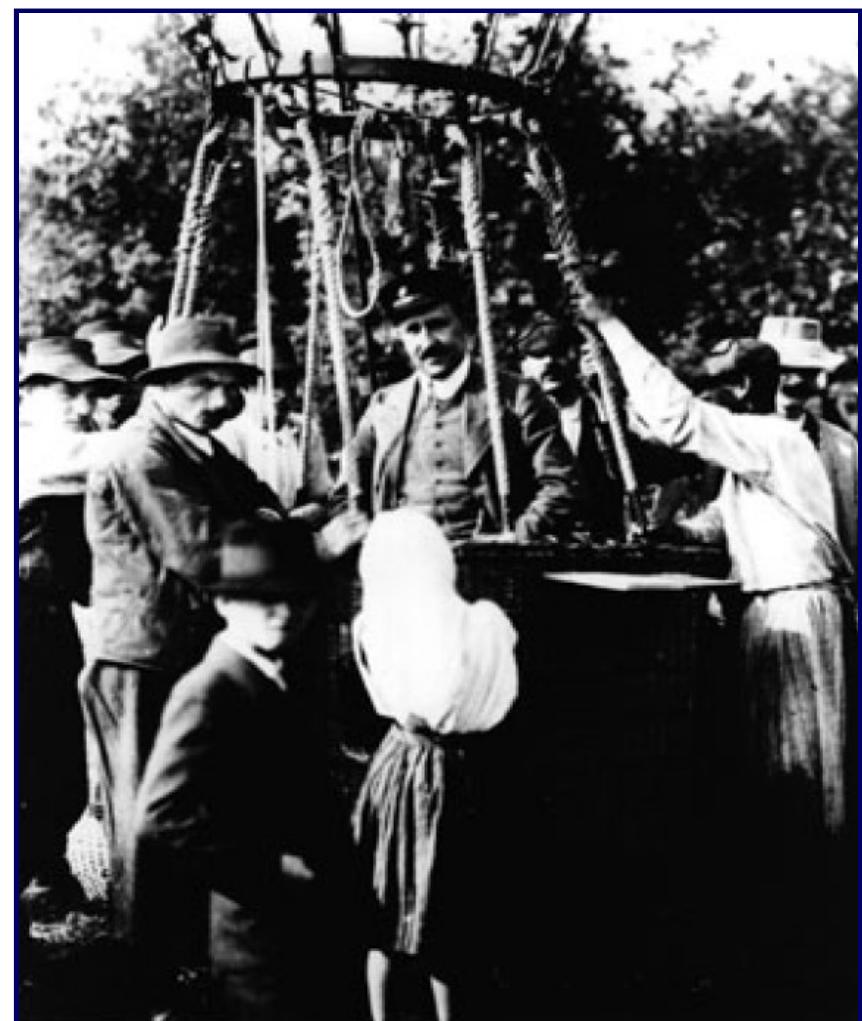
10 letov, z nich 5 v noci

Rovnaké výsledky – ionizácia vo výškach od 2000 m.n.m rastie

17. apríla 1912 počas zatmenia Slnka – rovnaký záver. Slnko tiež nie je zdrojom ionizujúceho žiarenia.

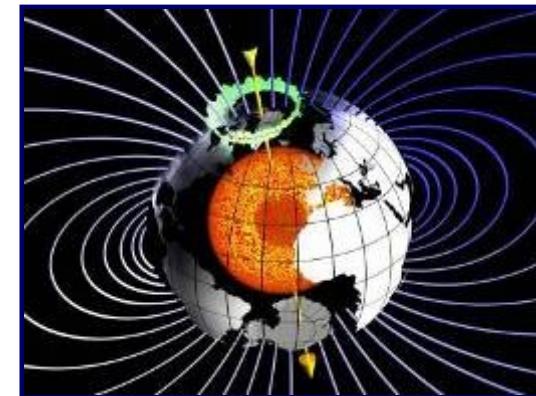
Žiarenie prichádza z vesmíru – termín Kozmické žiarenie zaviedol Robert Millikan

Nobelova cena v roku 1936.



Kozmické žiarenie

1933 Sir Arthur Compton - intenzita radiácie závisí na geomagnetickej šírke



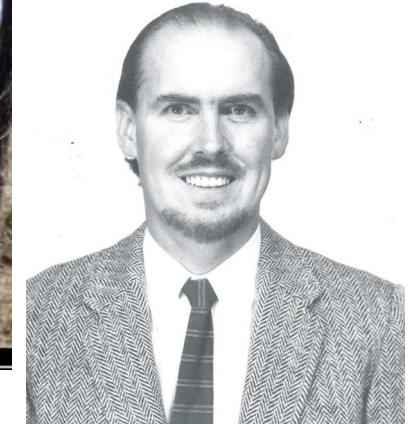
1937 Street a Stevenson - objav miónu v kozmickom žiareni, 207 krát ľažší než elektrón

1938 Pierre Auger a Roland Maze - žiarenie v detektoroch vzdialených od seba 20m (neskôr 200m) prichádza v rovnaký moment

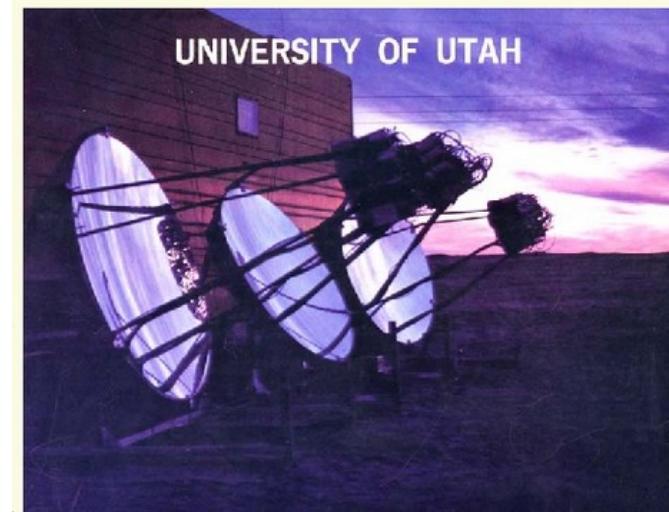


Objav UHECR

- John D. Linsley
- Pole 19 scintilačných detektorov, Volcano Ranch, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- Začiatok pozorovaní v lete 1959
- 22. februára 1962, Linsley pozoroval atmosférickú spŕšku vytvorenú primárной časticou s energiou viac než 16 Joulov



1976: Prototype at Volcano Ranch



- ✓ Prototype studies by **University of Utah** scientists at **Volcano Ranch**, NM.
- ✓ **First successful detection** of air showers using a **fluorescence** detector.

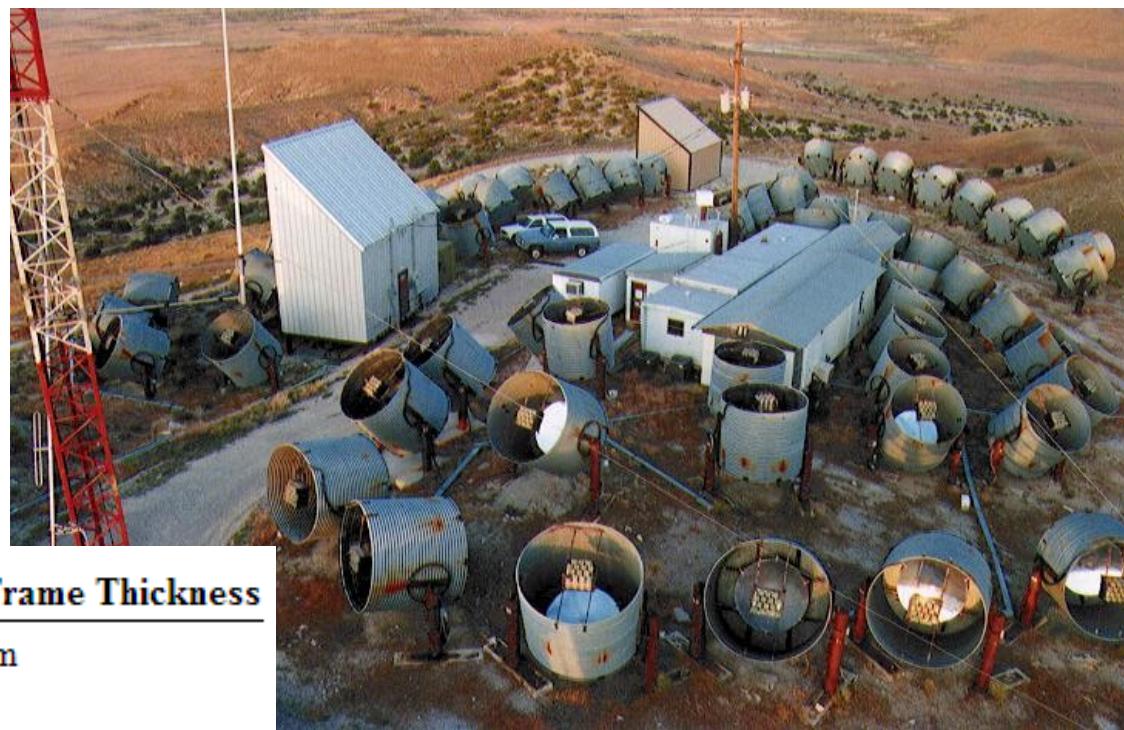
Oh-My-God particle

- Oh-My-God particle - 15 október 1991 – HiRes Fly's eye II, Dugway Proving Ground, Utah. Energia 3×10^{20} eV (51 J)
 - častica s kinetickou energiou rovnou basebalovej (142 gr) loptičke letiacej rýchlosťou 100 km/h či protón letiaci rýchlosťou $0.9999999999999999999999951c$ = pri ročnej ceste zaostane za fotónom len 46 nanometrov alebo 0.15 femtosekundy.

- z pohľadu častice - čas

Object	Distance[3] (light years)	Perceived Travel Time
Alpha Centauri	4.36	0.43 milliseconds
Galactic nucleus	32,000	3.2 seconds
Andromeda galaxy	2,180,000	3.5 minutes
Virgo cluster	42,000,000	1.15 hours
Quasar 3C273	2,500,000,000	3 days
Edge of universe	17,000,000,000	19 days

- z pohľadu častice – dĺžka „objektov“



Object	Rest Frame Thickness	Particle Frame Thickness
Earth's diameter	12,756 km	0.0399 mm
Solar system	80 AU	37 metres
Sun/Alpha Centauri	4.3 light years	127 km (79 miles)
Milky Way galaxy	30 kiloparsecs	2,895,000 km, about ten times the distance from the Earth to the Moon

<http://www.fourmilab.ch/documents/OhMyGodParticle>

Pohybová energia, čo to je?

Bentley Continental GT



2320 kg, max. rýchlosť 318 km/h

110000 x



0,4 kg, 100 km/h

1064 x

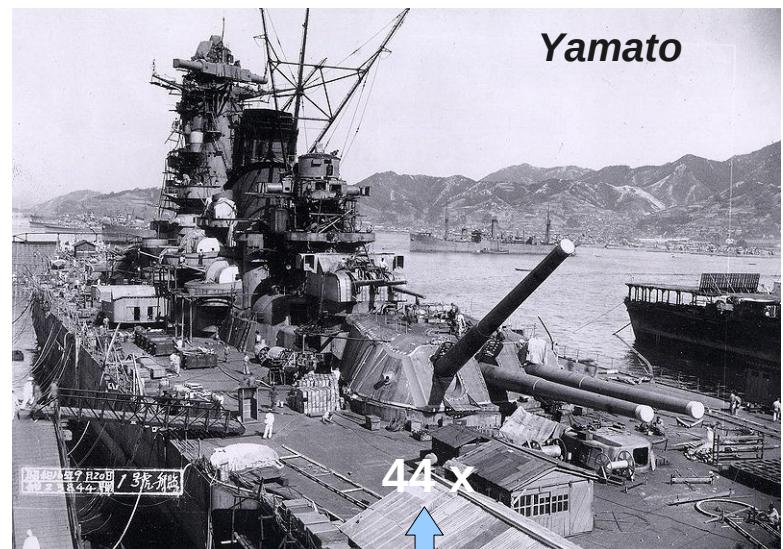
Batillus supertanker



555 000 ton, dĺžka 414 metrov, bežná cestovná rýchlosť 30 km/h



Yamato



44 x

Airbus A380



575 ton, 945 km/h

Majme miniatúrnu guličku zo železa s váhou 1 gram

Nech sa pohybuje rovnakou rýchlosťou ako častice s ultravysokými energiami.

Je jej pohybová energia väčšia alebo menšia ako pohybová energia Airbusu A380?

Odpoved' : omnoho omnoho väčšia

- Cheopsova pyramída je približne 10 krát t'ažšia ako supertanker Bautillus
- Ak by sa pohybovala **10 tisíc krát** rýchlejšie ako sa pohybuje Airbus A380 (za 15 sekúnd okolo Zeme)
- Potom bude mať pohybovú energiu rovnú jednogramovej železnej guľôčke pohybujúcej sa rýchlosťou častíc s ultravysokou energiou !!!

*Kozmické žiarenie ultravysokých
energií ma najviac energie vo
vesmíre na jednotku hmotnosti*

Zaujímavost' – UHECR a stabilita vesmíru

en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Large_Hadron_Collider#Safety_of_particle_collisions 

Safety of particle collisions [edit source | edit beta]

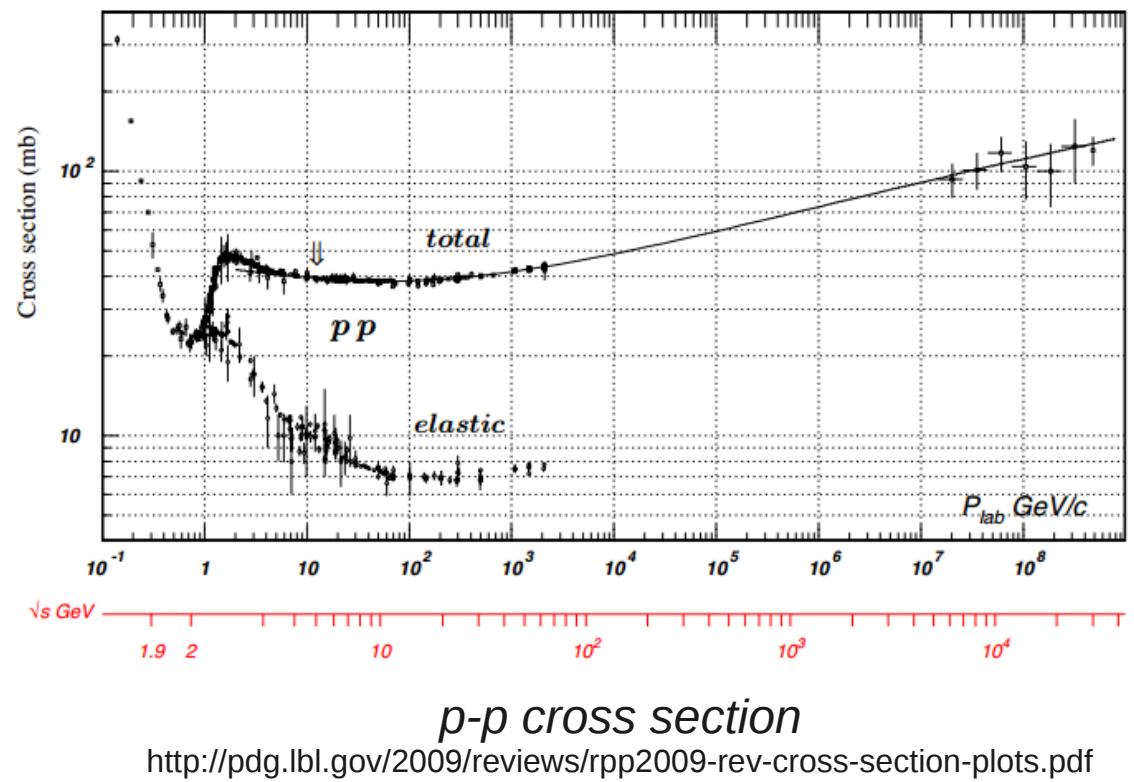
Main article: Safety of high energy particle collision experiments

The experiments at the Large Hadron Collider sparked fears among the public that the particle collisions might produce doomsday phenomena, involving the production of stable microscopic black holes or the creation of hypothetical particles called strangelets.^[99] Two CERN-commissioned safety reviews examined these concerns and concluded that the experiments at the LHC present no danger and that there is no reason for concern,^{[100][101][102]} a conclusion expressly endorsed by the American Physical Society.^[103]

The reports also noted that the physical conditions and collision events which exist in the LHC and similar experiments occur naturally and routinely in the universe without hazardous consequences,^[101] including ultra-high-energy cosmic rays observed to impact Earth with energies far higher than those in any man-made collider.

Zaujímavosť – UHECR a stabilita vesmíru

- Pri intenzite 1 častica / ($\text{m}^2 \text{ s}$) sa mi na ploche $2 \times 10^{28} \text{ m}^2$ zrazia 2 protóny s energiami 10^{20} eV každú sekundu
- Nad 10^{20} eV máme
 5×10^{-3} protónov / ($\text{km}^2 \text{ sr rok}$)
 1.8×10^{-16} protónov / ($\text{m}^2 \text{ sr s}$)
resp. na $10^{16} \text{ m}^2 \text{ sr}$ za sekundu padnú 2 častice s energiou 10^{20} eV
- rádovo na $10^{16} \times 10^{28} \text{ m}^2$ prebehne jedna zrážka za jednu sekundu
 - 10^{44} m^2 je štvorec s hranou 10^{22} m čo je približne 10^6 sv. roku
- v celom vesmíre každú sekundu nastanú minimálne milióny takýchto zrážok



Pre 10^{20} eV menej ako 1 barn = 10^{-28} m^2

Poznámka : steradiány sme pre jednoduchosť zanedbali

Kozmické žiarenie ultravysokých energií

**Kozmického žiarenia s ultravysokou energiou
je extrémne málo.**

**Na ploche celého Slovenska približne jedna častica
s ultravysokou energiou za deň !**

Detektor s plochou ako územie Slovenska ?

Integrálne spektrum KŽ

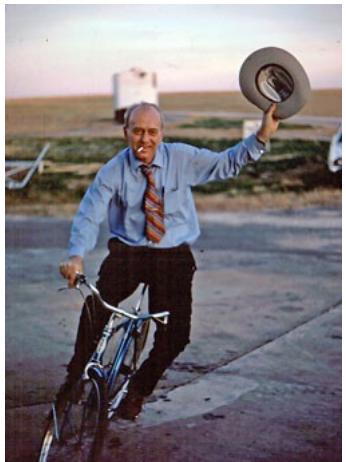
1e10 eV	9.7e1	častic / (m ² sr s)
1e11 eV	1.9	častic / (m ² sr s)
1e12 eV	3.1e-2	častic / (m ² sr s)
1e13 eV	5.2e-4	častic / (m ² sr s)
1e14 eV	8.6e-6	častic / (m ² sr s)
1e15 eV	4.5	častic / (m ² sr rok)
1e16 eV	7.5e-2	častic / (m ² sr rok)
1e17 eV	1.2e-3	častic / (m ² sr rok)
1e18 eV	2.1e-5	častic / (m ² sr rok)
1e19 eV	3.4e-7	častic / (m ² sr rok)
1e20 eV	5.6e-3	častic / (km ² sr rok)

- nad kolenom približné hodnoty

Koleno – nad kolenom
sa sklon spektra zvačší

Členok – sklon spektra
sa opäť zmenší

Záhada GZK efekt



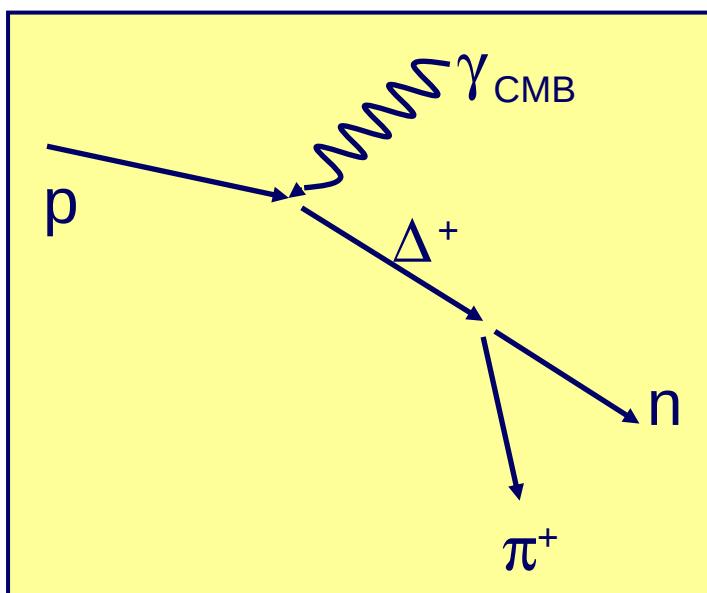
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Greisen



George
Zatsepin



Greisen (1966) a,
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& Kužmin (1966)

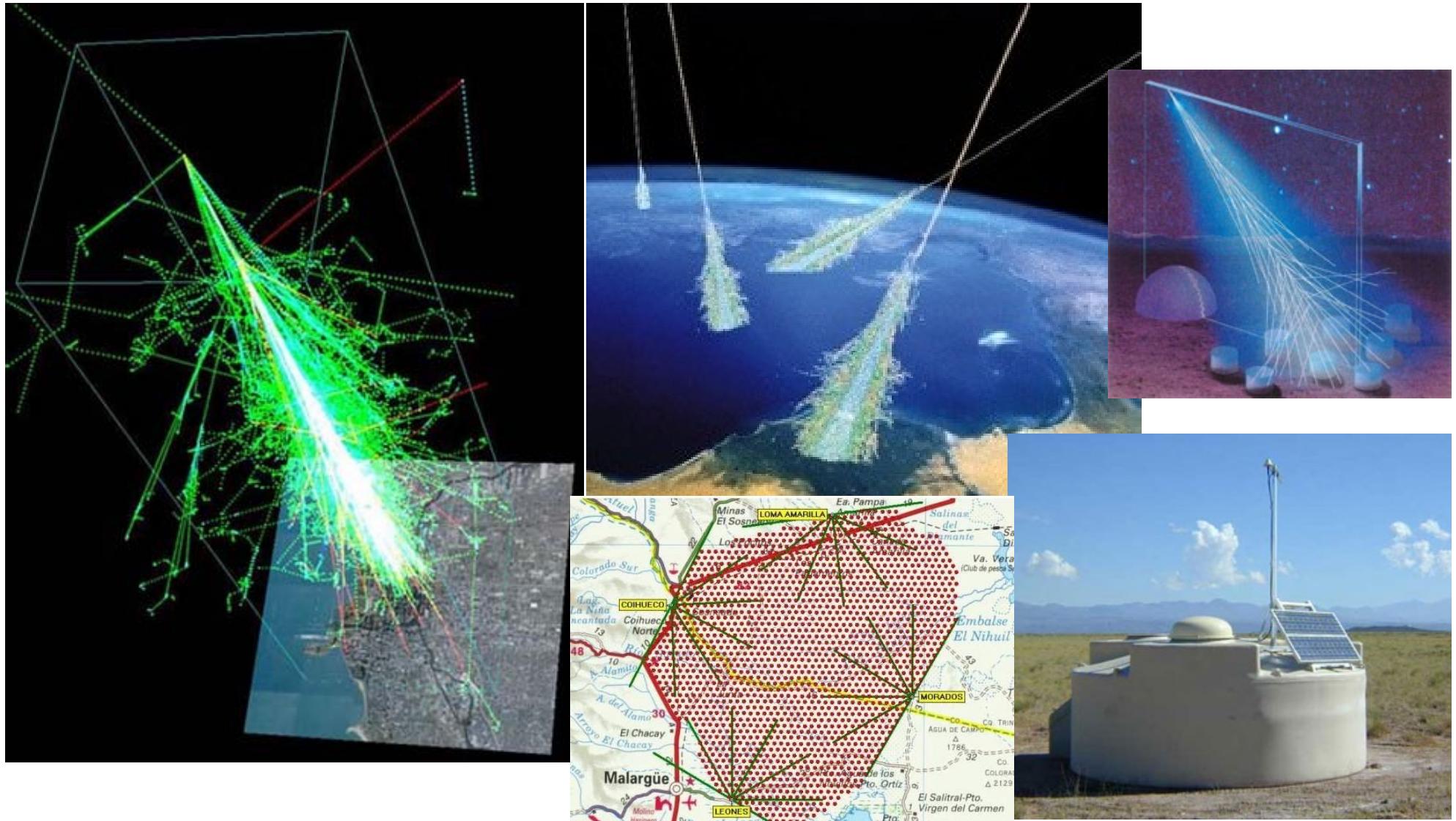


$$E_{\text{th}} = \frac{2m_N m_p + m_p^2}{4e} \rightarrow 5 \cdot 10^{19} \text{ eV}$$

Rozpty kozmického žiarenia ultravysokých
energií na mikrovlnom pozadí vesmíru

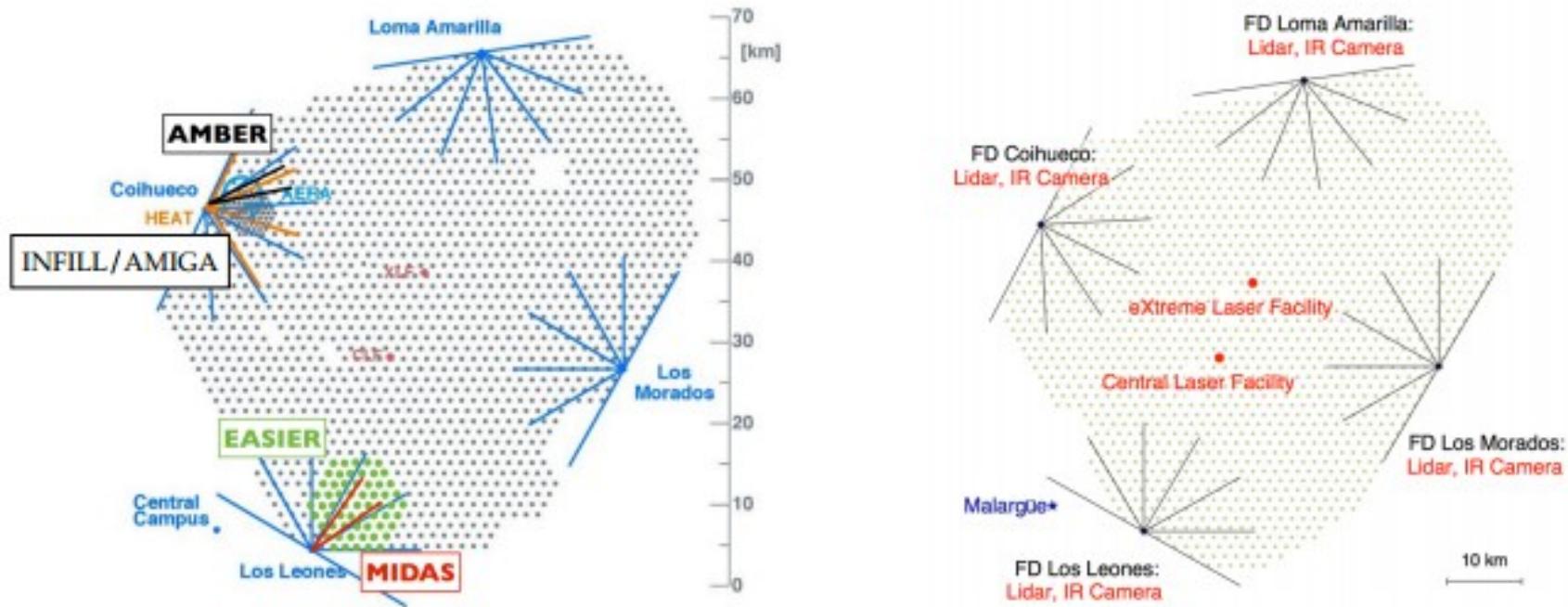
Kozmické žiarenie – registrácia UHECR

Pierre Auger Observatory



Pierre Auger Observatory

The world's largest cosmic ray observatory
In operation since 2004

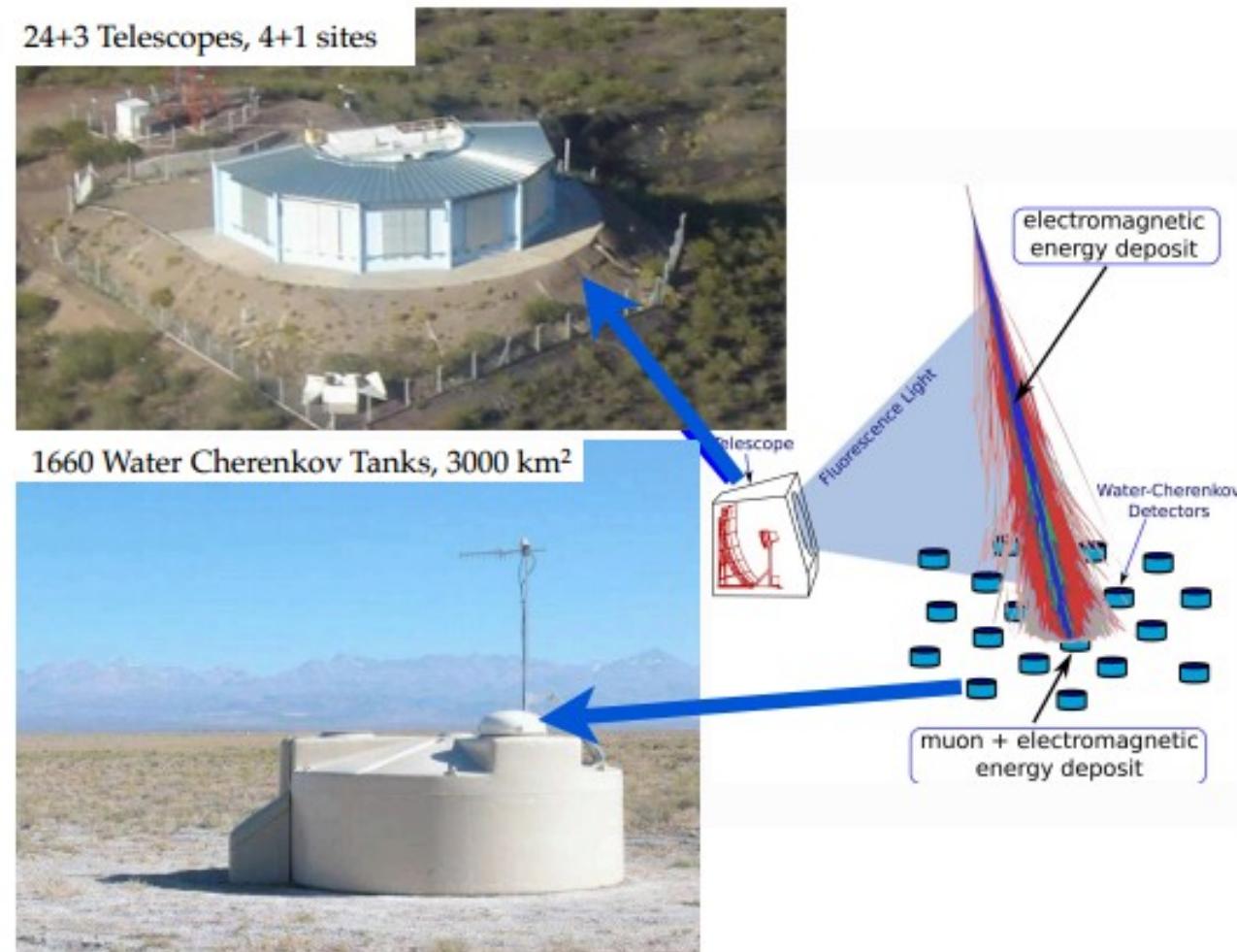


- Antoine LETESSIER-SELVON, Recent Highlights from the Pierre Auger Observatory, ICRC 2013

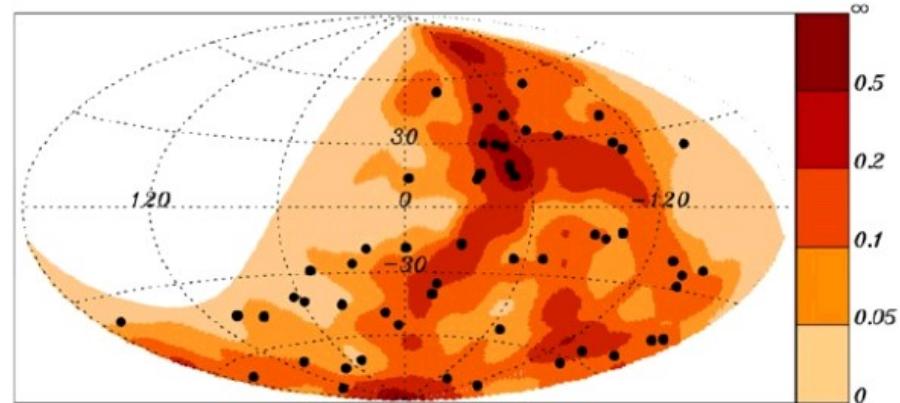
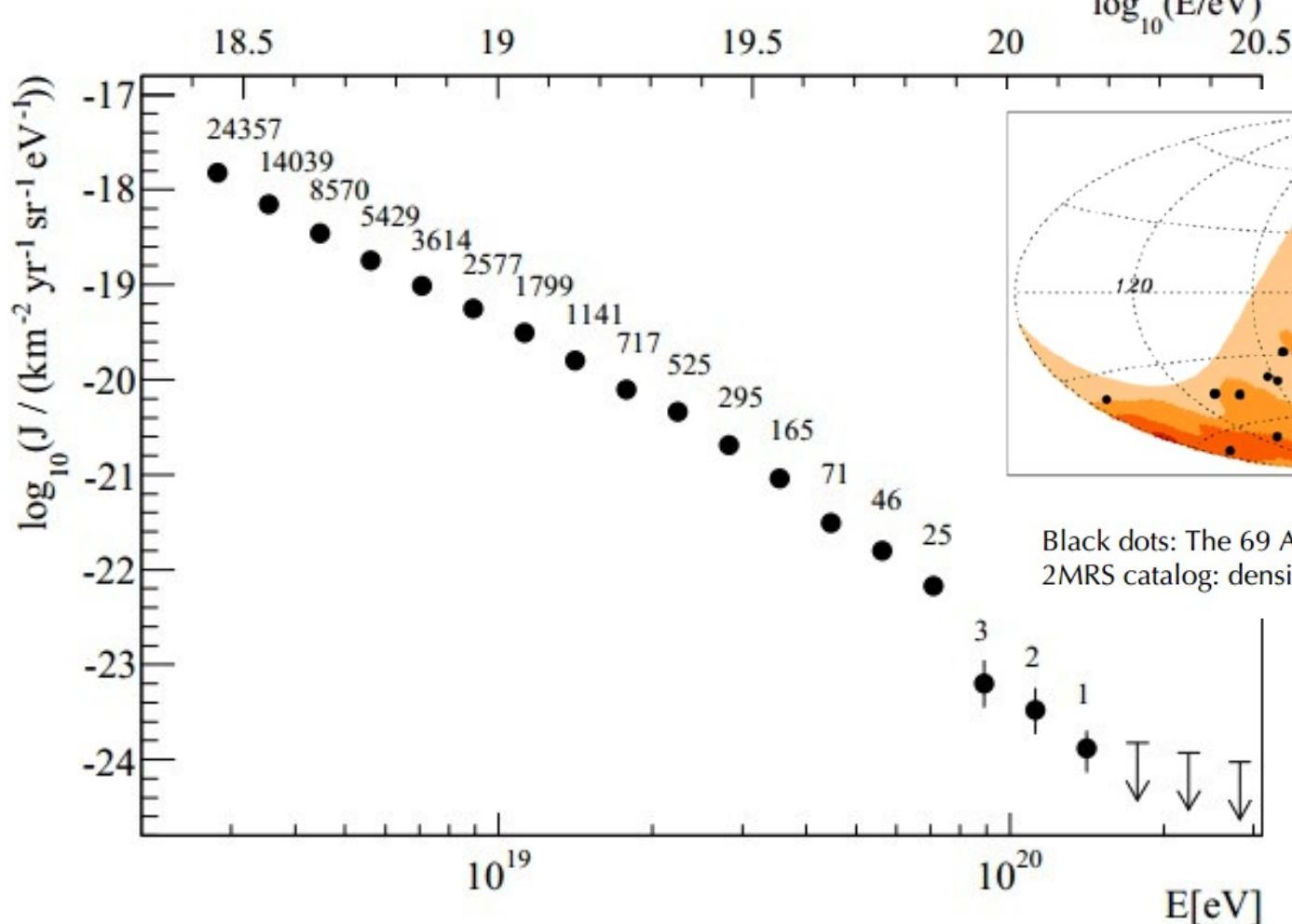
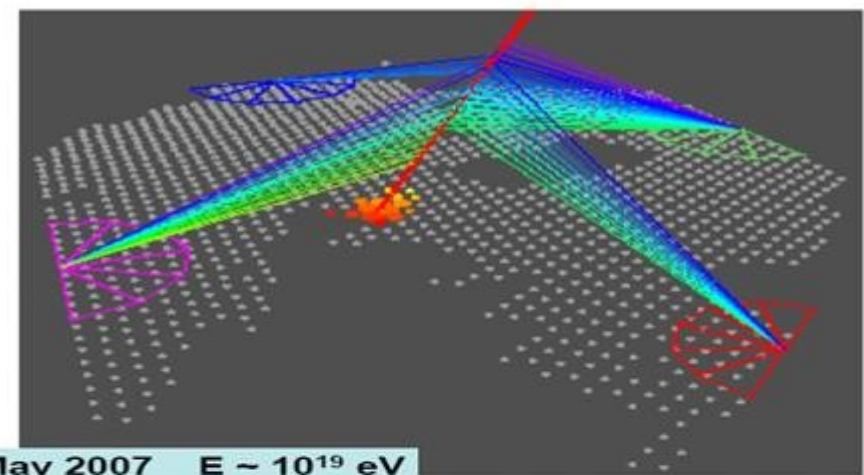
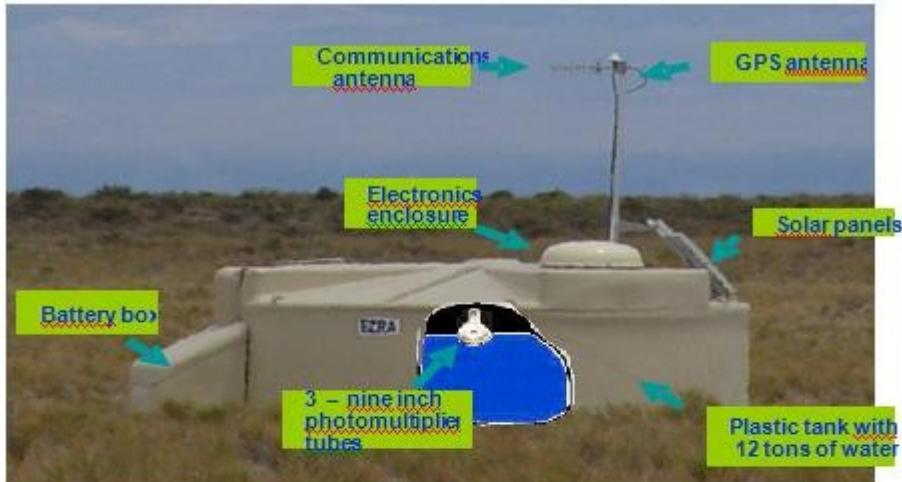
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The hybrid concept allows for a data-driven calibration of the ~100% duty cycle surface array using the calorimetric information from the fluorescence telescopes



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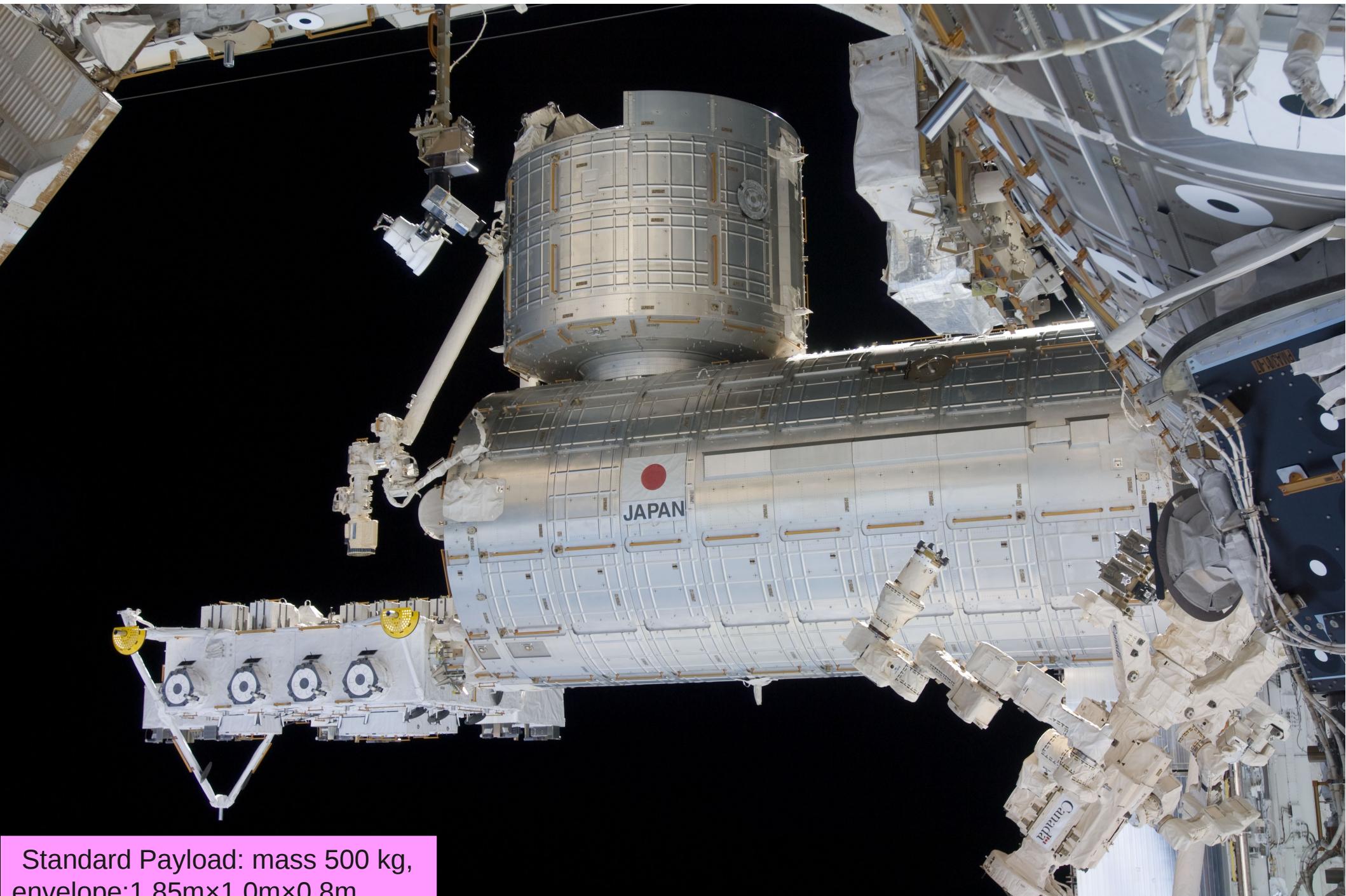
Black dots: The 69 Auger events with $E > 55\text{EeV}$
2MRS catalog: density map with a 5° smoothing.

- Málo ?
- Riešenie ?

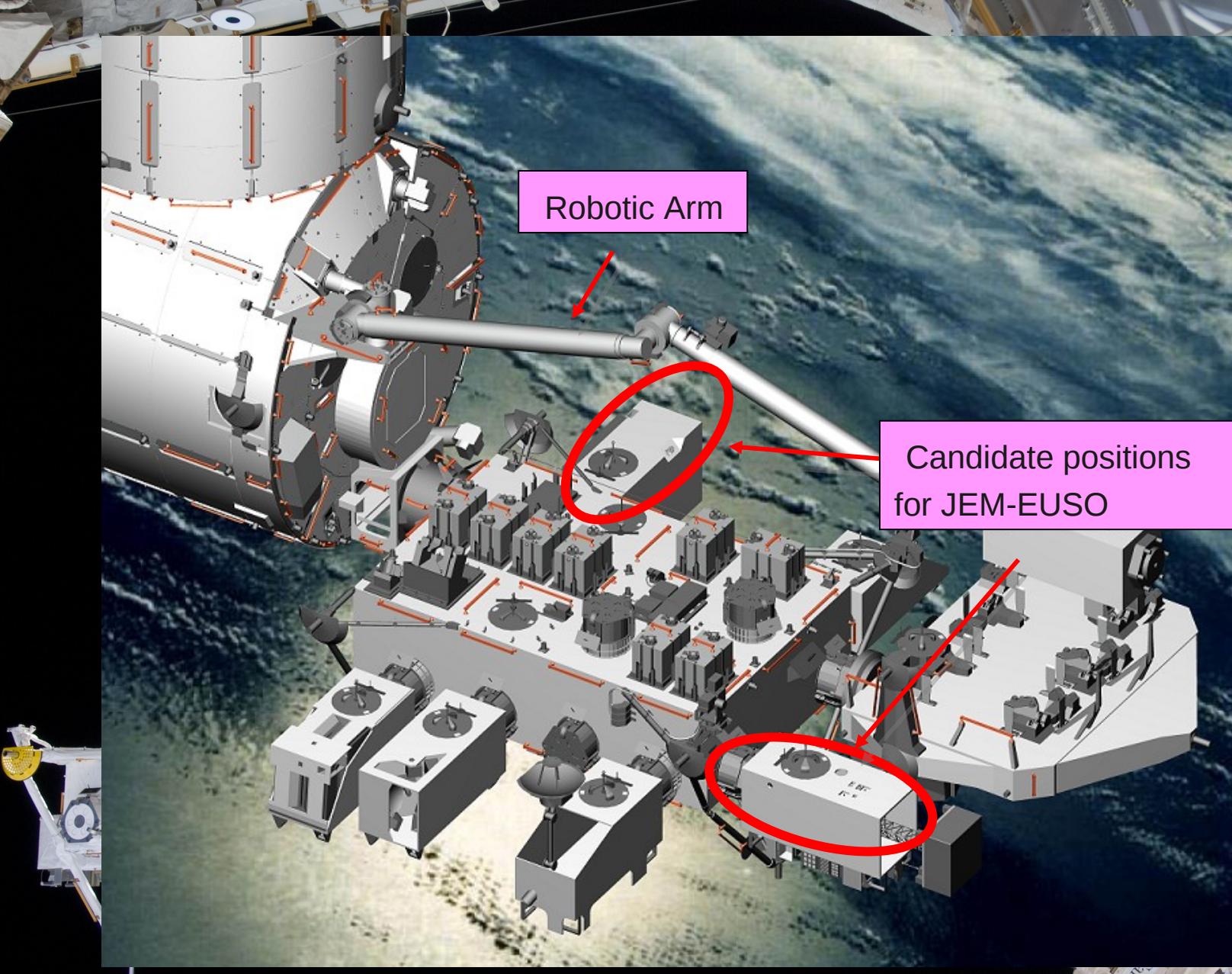


Medzinárodná vesmírna stanica ISS



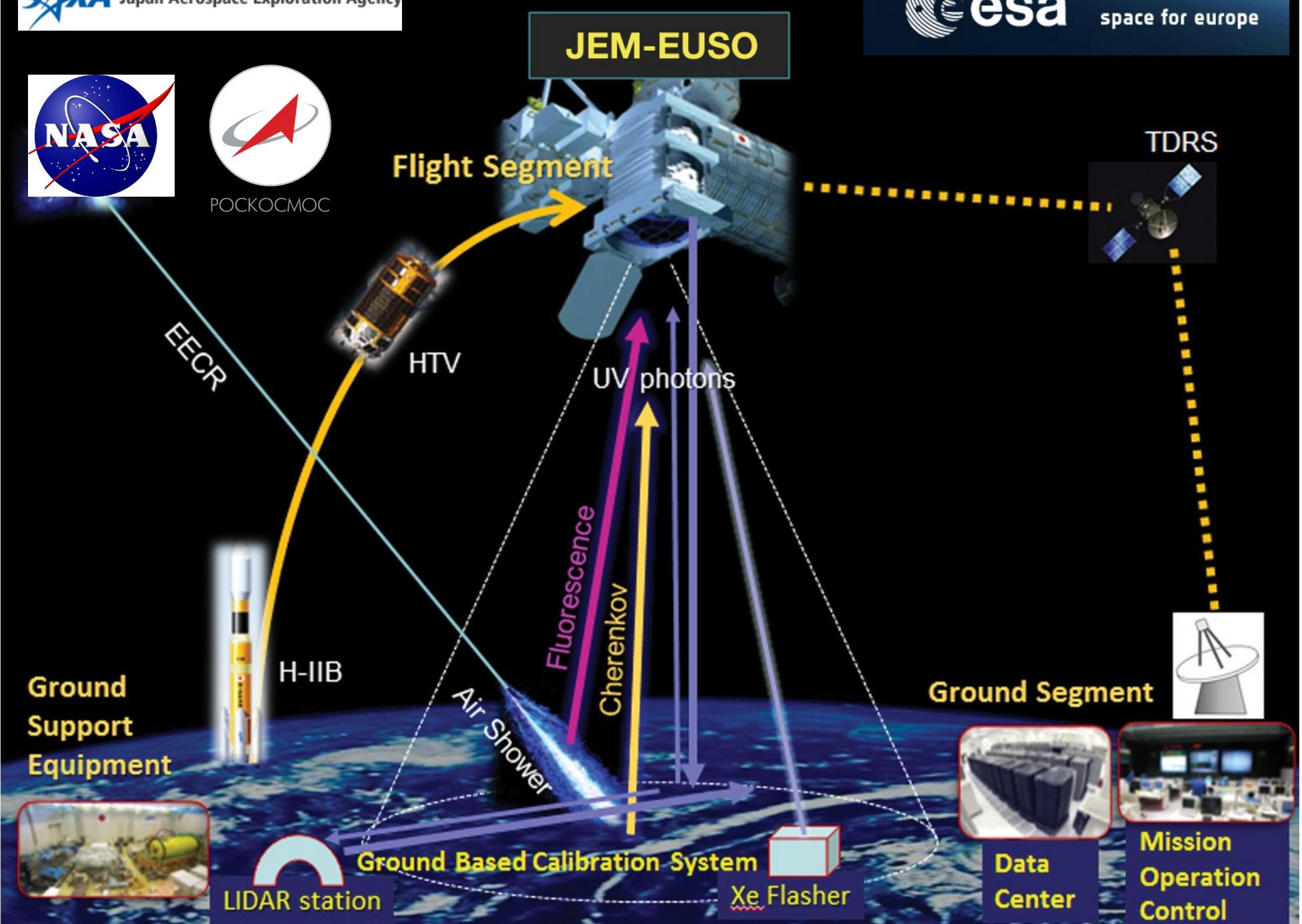


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envelope: 1.85m × 1.0m × 0.8m



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Základné parametre JEM-EUSO misie

Parameter	Value
Launch date	JFY 2016
Mission Lifetime	3+2 years
Rocket	H2B
Transport Vehicle	HTV
Accommodation on JEM	EF#2
Mass	1938 kg
Power	926 W (op.) 352 W (non op.)
Data rate	285 kbps (+ on board storage)
Orbit	400 km
Inclination of the Orbit	51.6°
Operation Temperature	-10° to 50°

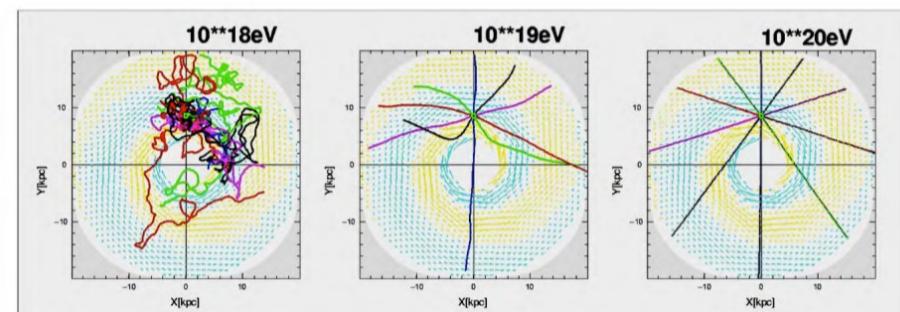
Čo JEM-EUSO hľadá

- *Zdroje kozmického žiarenia ultravysokých energií*
- *Neutrína ultravysokých energií*
- *Gamma žiarenie ultravysokých energií*
- *Galaktické a mimogalaktické magnetické polia*

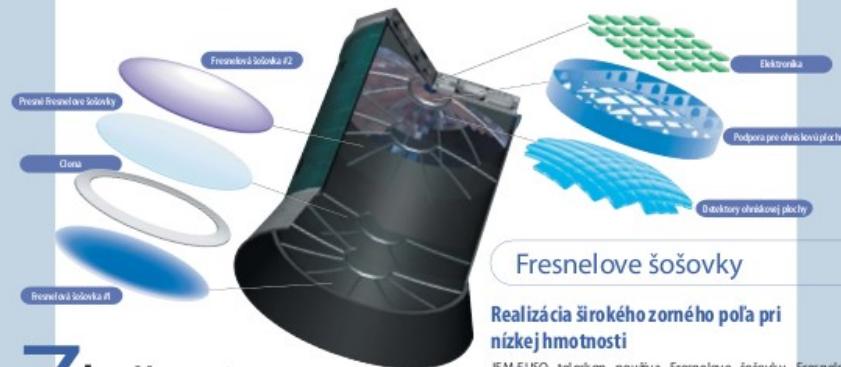


Fyzika a Astrofyzika pre
Energie $> 5 \times 10^{19}$ eV

Galactic-MF structure & UHECR propagation



Najnovšie Technológie v službách JEM-EUSO



Fresnelove šošovky

Realizácia širokého zorného poľa pri nízkej hmotnosti

JEM-EUSO teleskop používa Fresnelove šošovky. Fresnelova šošovka je poloplochá šošovka, ktorá má kruhové drážky, ktoré eliminujú veľkú hmotnosť štandardných konvektívnych a konkávnych šošoviek. Tenkost a ľahkosť Fresnelovej šošovky je nevyhnutne podmienkou jej využitia vo vesmíre, pričom ponúka rovnaké optické funkcie ako hrubé a fázik šošovky. JEM-EUSO používa dve zakrivené obojsmerné Fresnelove šošovky z UV príepustného plasty a jednu mikromriežkovú Fresnelovu šošovku. Tento dizajn umožňuje najvyššiu účinnosť širokého zorného poľa. Veľkosť trojnej šošovky je 2,5 m v priemere, zložený zo stredovej 1,5 m časti a kruhového povrchu prstencových šošoviek.

Zloženie

Dektory ohniskovej plochy

6,000 fotonásobičov

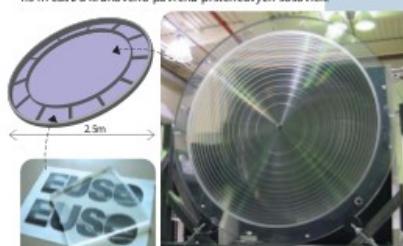
Ohnisková plocha je zakrivená s priemerom 2,26 m. 6000 1-palcových štvorcových multiánodových rúrieck fotonásobičov (PMTs) detektuje svetlo z rôznych miest v zemskej atmosféri. Predchádzajúce fotonásobiče (PMTs) mali obmedzenú fotosenzitívnu plochu približne 45%. JEM-EUSO a Hamamatsu Photonics spoločne vyrivnili fotonásobiče (PMTs), ktoré majú účinnú plochu 85%.



→ Fotonásobiče
85% povrchu PMT
fotonásobičov tvorí aktívnu plochu, mačiaca 6×6 pixelov s celkovou plochou 26,2 mm \times 26,2 mm.



→ Ohnisková plocha
Počasťava zo 164 modulov a celkového počtu 5,904 PMT fotonásobičov.
→ Svetlocitlivý modul
Počasťava ohniskovú plochu s priemerom 2,26 m s 5,904 PMT fotonásobičmi, z ktorich má každý $6 \times 6 = 36$ svetlocitlivých jednotiek.



→ Konfigurácia stredovej šošovky a prstencových šošoviek umožňuje využívať šošovku už a kde možno byť vystavovaná na jednom stoži.



→ Transportný dopravník kozmickej stanice (HTV) prifietá k ISS: ISS.

Vypustenie

Transportný dopravník agentúry JAXA pre kozmickej stanici (HTV) nesie JEM-EUSO

HTV bude vypustený H-IIIB rakietou (JAXA), ktorá prenesie JEM-EUSO k ISS. Robotické rameno na ISS umiestnia JEM-EUSO na JEM modul "Kiba".

Porovnanie JEM-EUSO s najväčšími pozemnými observatóriami

	AGASA	Hirez	Auger	Telescope Array	JEM-EUSO
Organizácia	Tókijská Univerzita	Univerzita v Utahu	Medzinárodné konzorcium	Tókijská Univerzita a Univerzita v Utahu	Medzinárodné konzorcium
Miesto	Yamanashi, Japonsko	Utah, USA	Argentina	Utah, USA	Medzinárodná vesmírna stanica
Typ detektorov	Pozemná sieť	Fluorescentný pozemný teleskop	Pozemná sieť + fluorescentný pozemný teleskop	Pozemná sieť + fluorescentný pozemný teleskop	Fluorescentný vesmírny teleskop
Doba prevádzky	1990 – 2004	1997 – 2006	2005 –	2007 –	Vypustenie očakávané v 2013
Efektívna apertúra (km ² s)	150	500	~7,000	760	125,000
Výskyt EHÉ udalostí (počet/rok)	1, experimenty ukončené	Menej ako 1, experimenty ukončené	50 (očakávané), 3 (pozorované)	10 (očakávané)	350 – 1,700 (očakávané)

JEM-EUSO misia

Výška	okolo 400km	Počet pixelov ohniskového povrchu	o kolo 0,2 miliónov
Pozorovacia dĺžka a šírka	N51° – 551° \times všetky dĺžky	Rozlíšenie na zemi	o kolo 0,8 km
Zorné pole	60°	Strieda	12 – 25%
Apertúra (pozemná plocha)	0,2 miliónov km ²	Trvanie misie	3 (+2) rokov
Priemer teleskopu	2,5 m	Celková hmotnosť	~1,9 ton
Optický Systém	Dve zakrivené obojsmerné Fresnelove šošovky a vysoko-presné Fresnelove šošovky	Prikon	< 1 kW

Medzinárodní Partneri

	Japonsko	RIKEN Konan Univ. Fukui Tech. Univ. Aoyama Gakuin Univ. Saitama Univ. NiRS Univ.Tokyo Tohoku Univ. ICRR Univ.Tokyo KEK Chiba Univ. NAQ ISAS/JAXA Kanazawa Univ. Nagoya Univ. STE Lab., Nagoya Univ. Yukawa Inst., Kyoto Univ. Kyoto Univ. Kobe Univ. Kinki Univ. Hiroshima Univ. Hokkaido Univ. Tokyo Inst. Tech.
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	Nemecko	MPI Munich Univ.Tuebingen MPI Bonn Univ. Erlangen LMU&MPQ
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	Švajčiarsko	Neuchatel CSEM IACETH
	Španielsko	Univ. Alcalá
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Alternatíva k HII-B / HTV :: SpaceX / Falcon 9 / Dragon

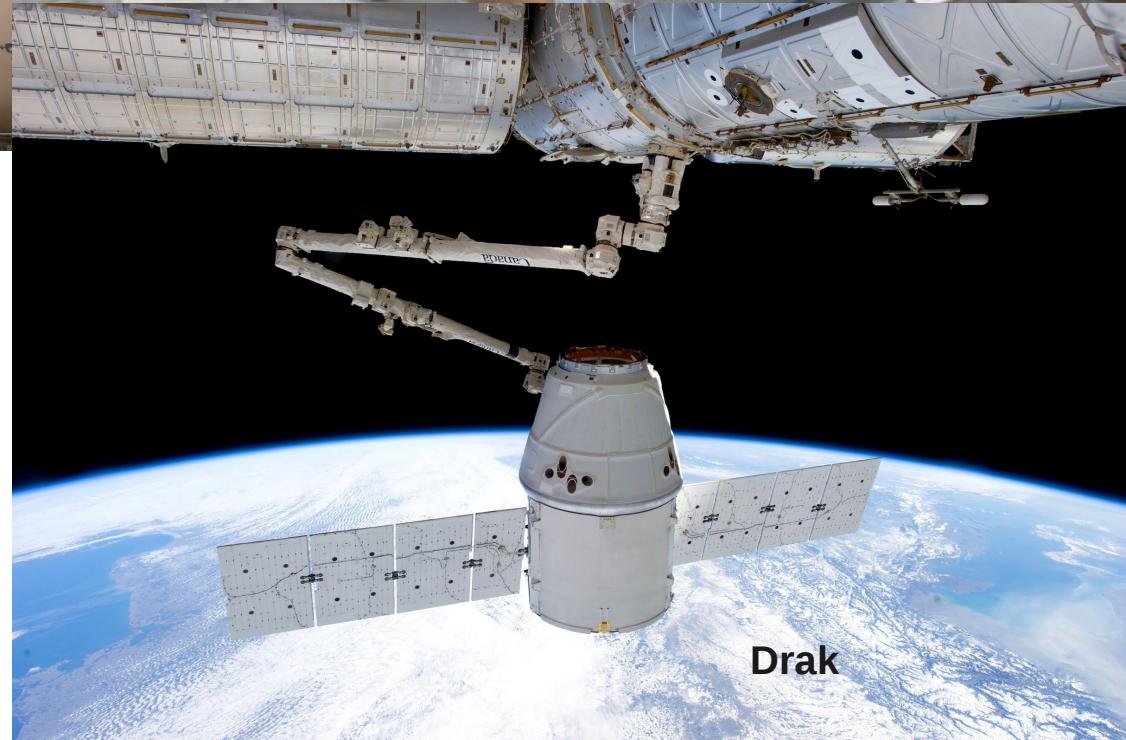
Sokol 9



Elon Musk

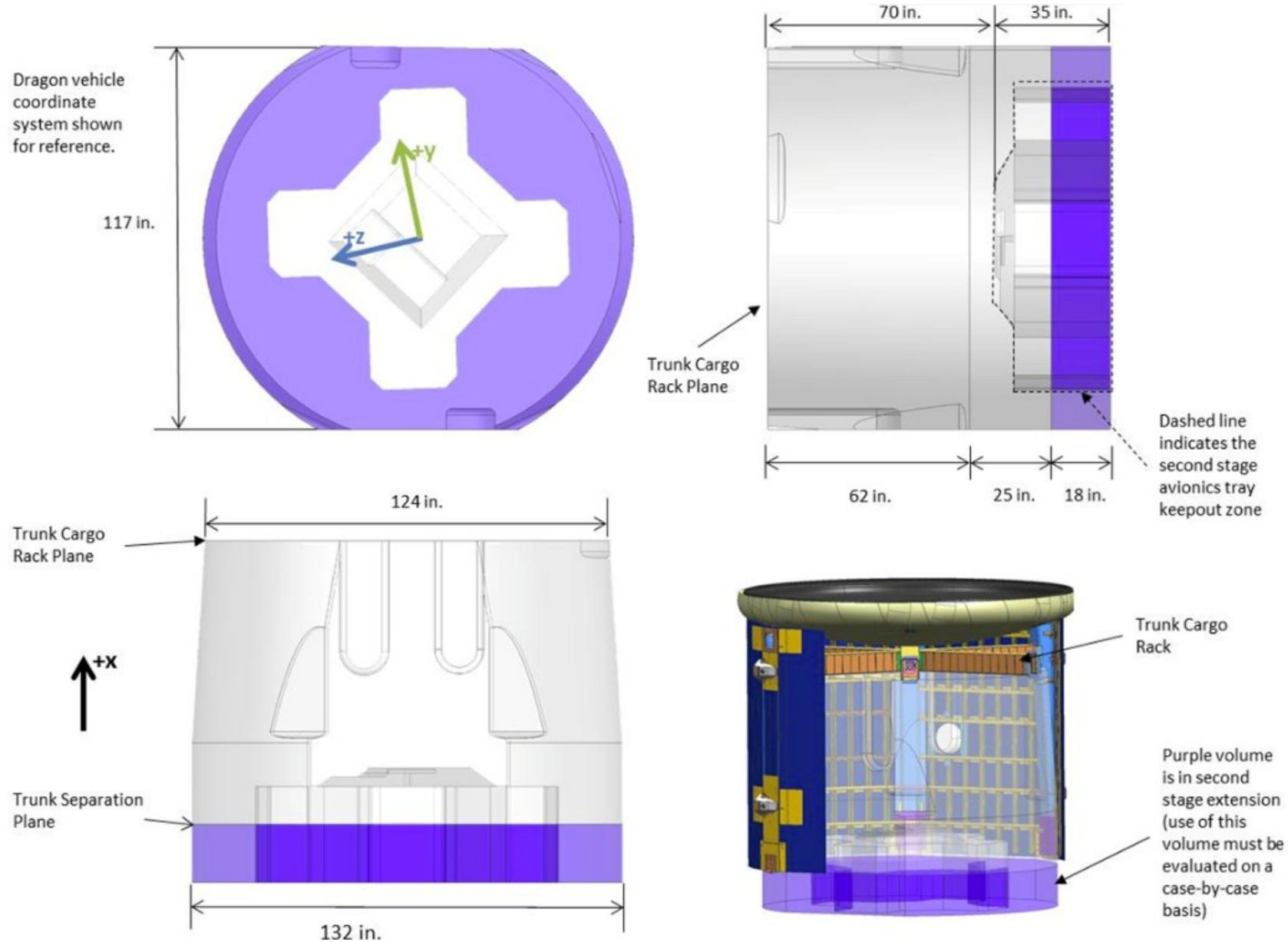


Lúčný koník

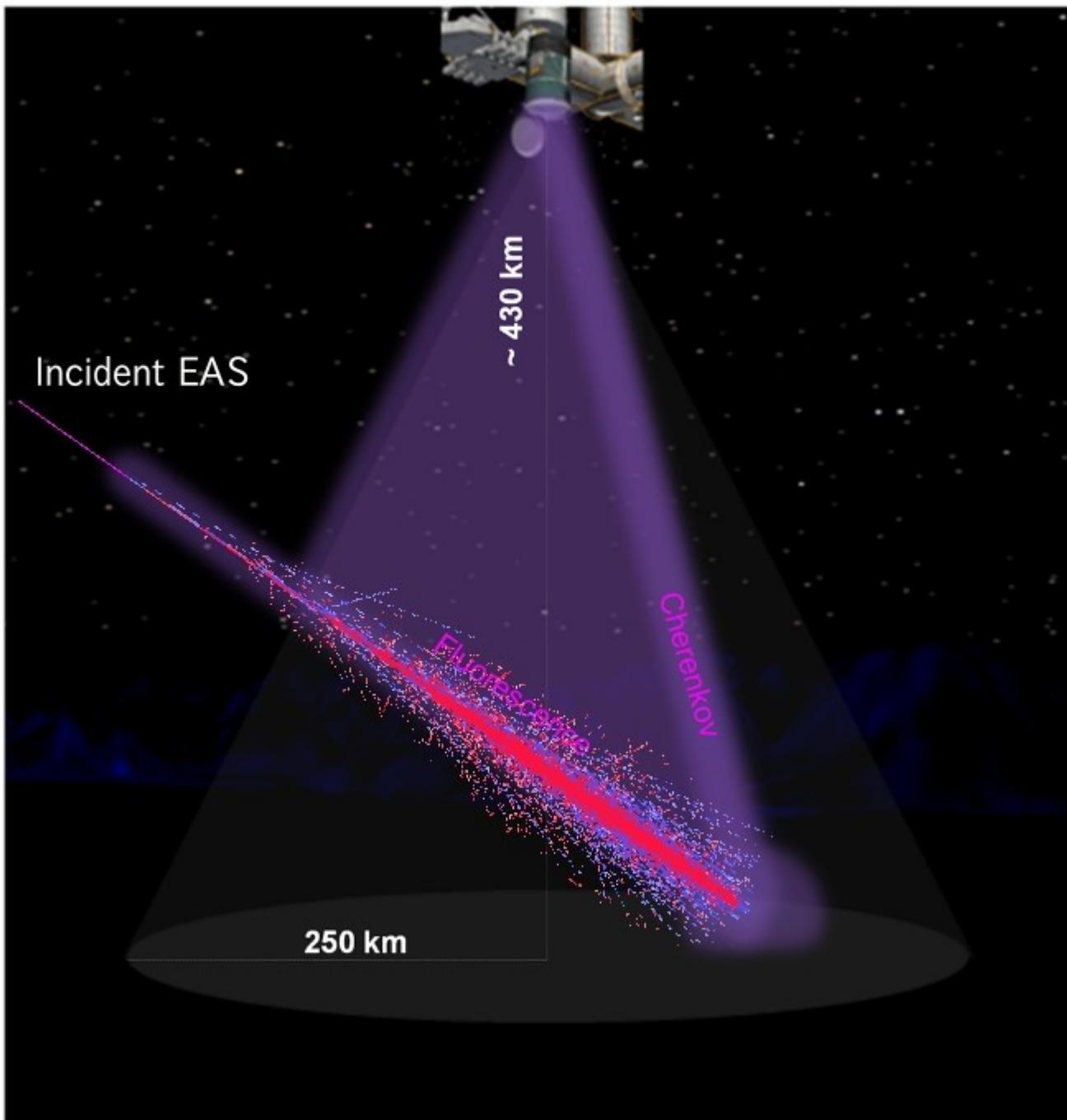


Drak

Kufor Draka

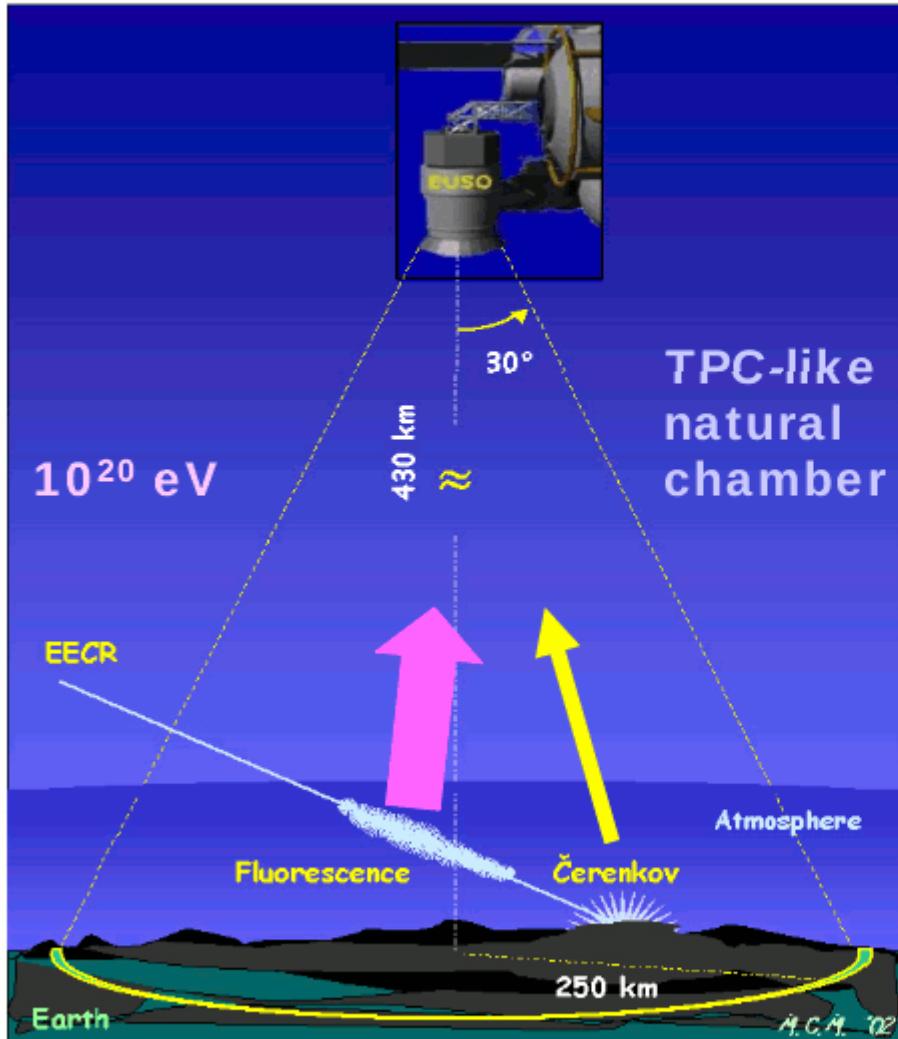


JEM-EUSO Observational Approach



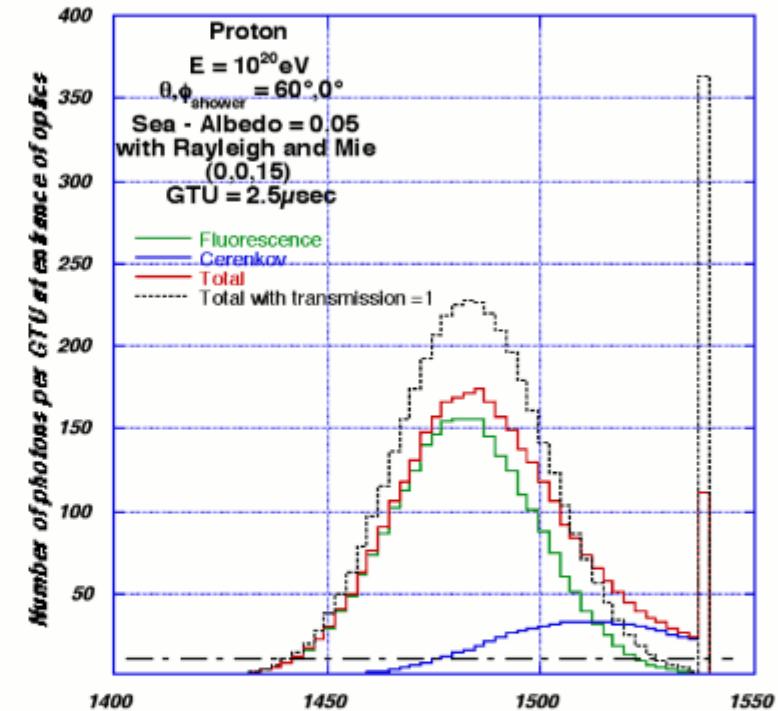
Principle of EUSO

- first *remote-sensing* from space, opening a new window for the highest energy regime

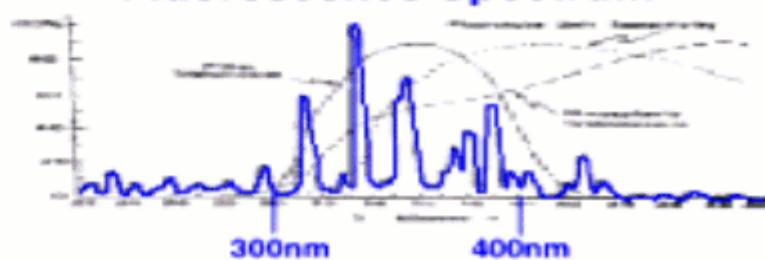


Cf: Ground-based arrays < 0.01 EUSO

(1) Scintillator array, (2) Fluorescence telescope array

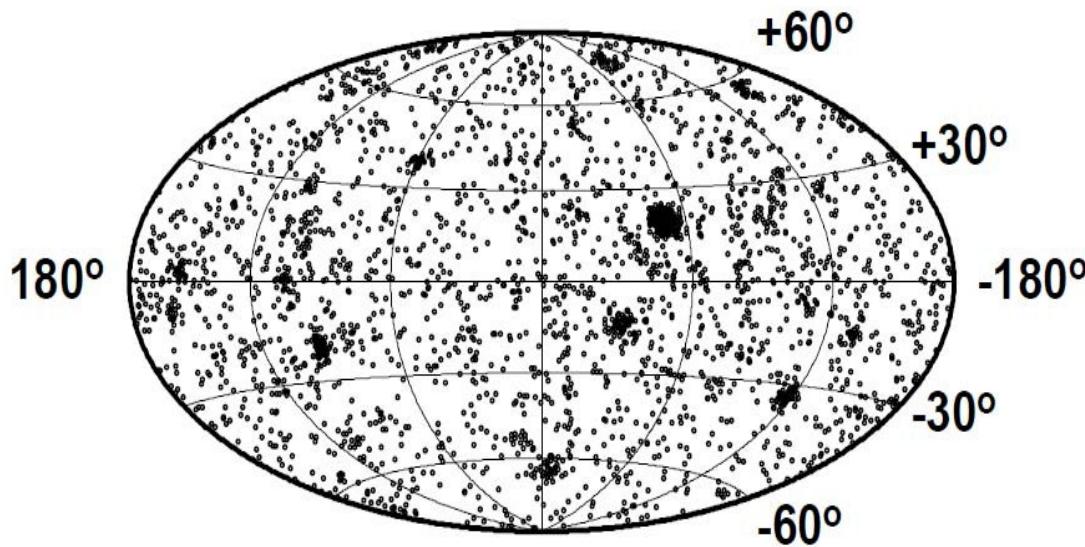


Fluorescence Spectrum

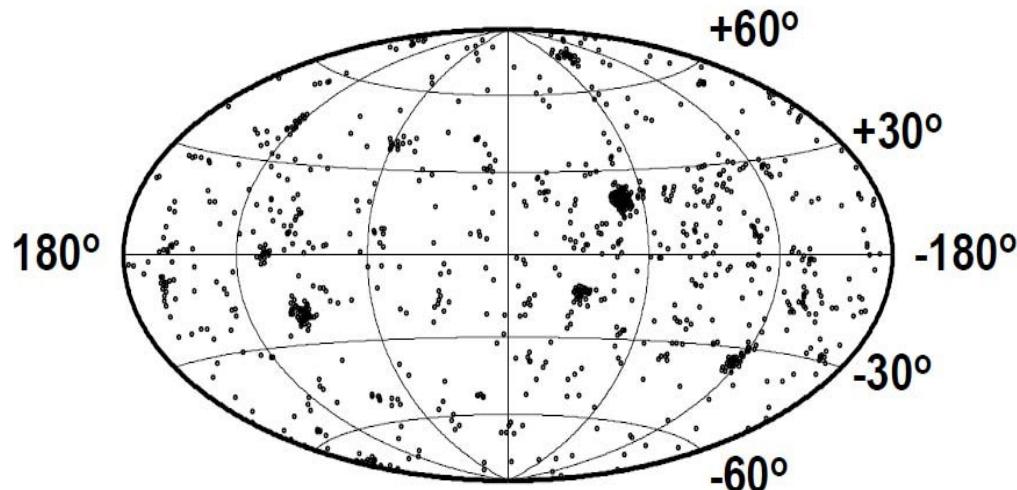


From College de France: better data now

Simulácia predokladajúca že zdrojmi sú Aktívne Jadrá Galaxií



**3000 eventov
 $E > 5 \cdot 10^{19} \text{ eV}$**



**1000 eventov
 $E > 7 \cdot 10^{19} \text{ eV}$**

JEM-EUSO

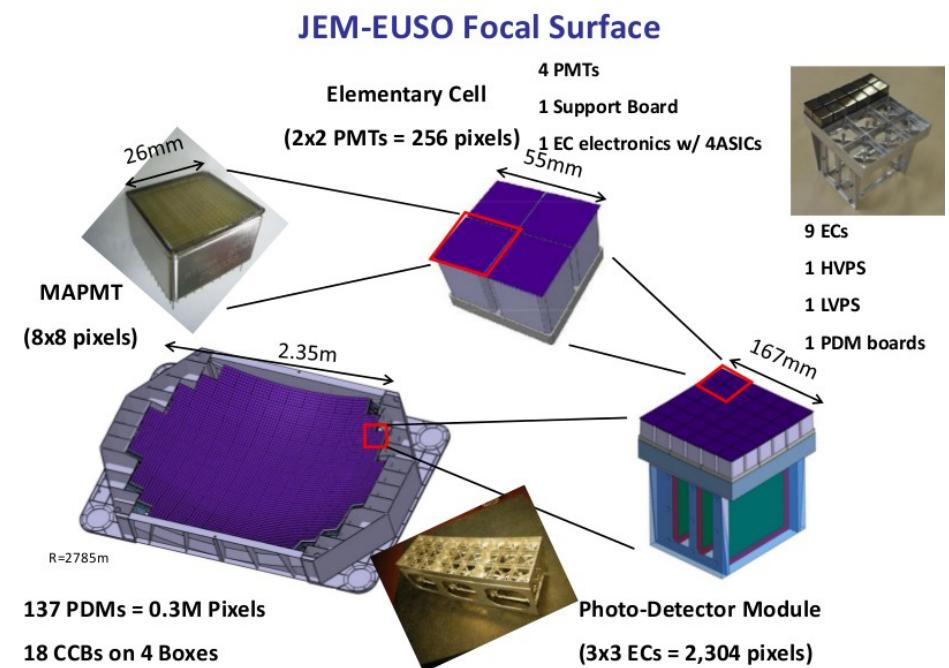
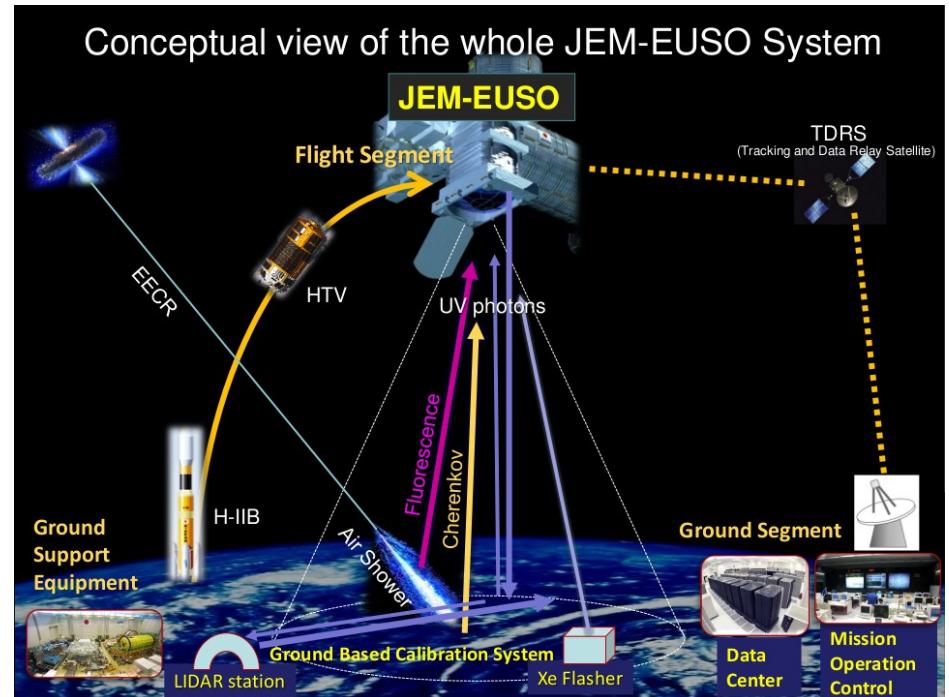
- JEM-EUSO balón - stratosférický balón – 1 PDM, 2014



- JEM-EUSO TA, jar/2015



- JEM EUSO ISS - let po 2020

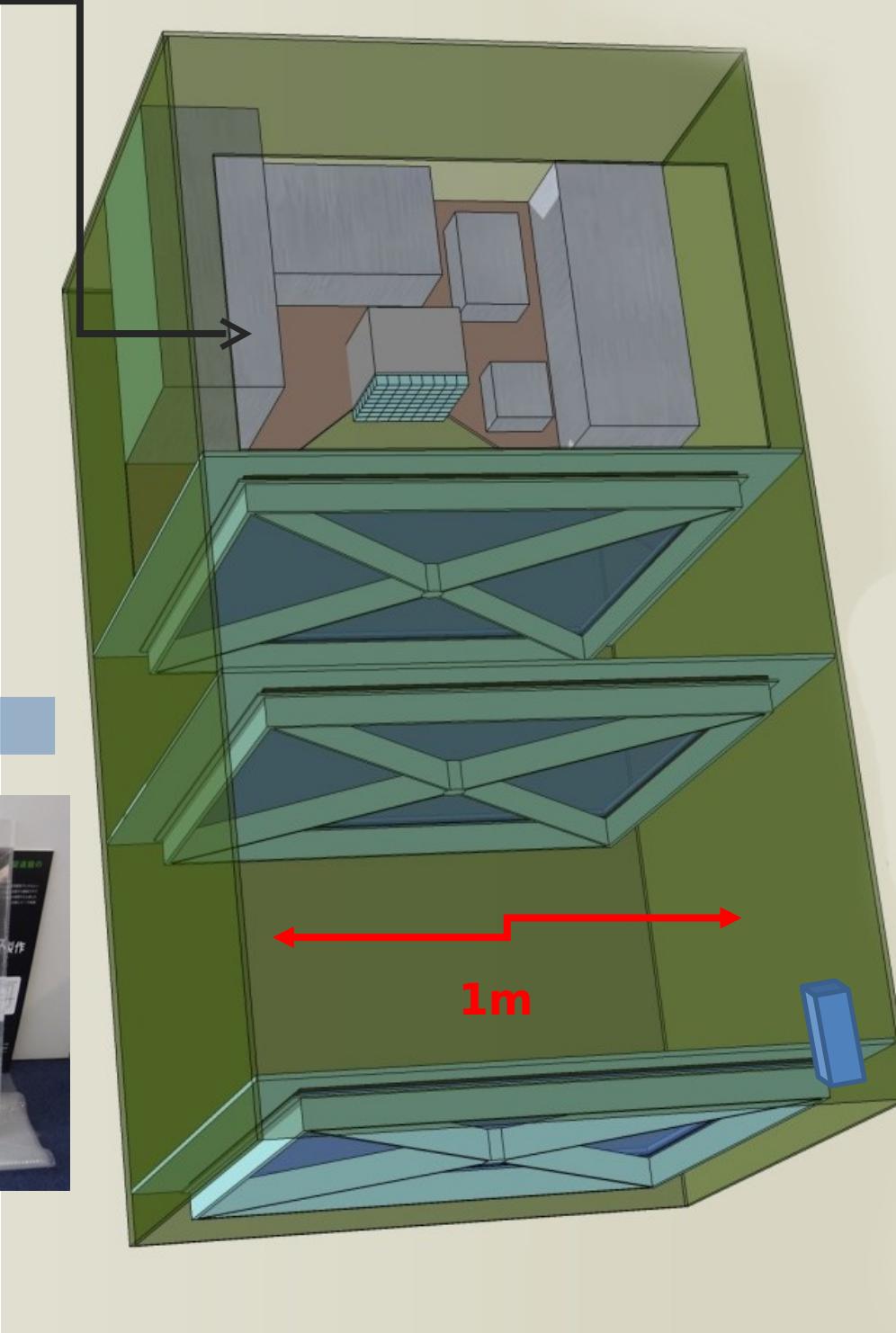


Elektronika detektora

EUSO balón

august
2014

Šošovky

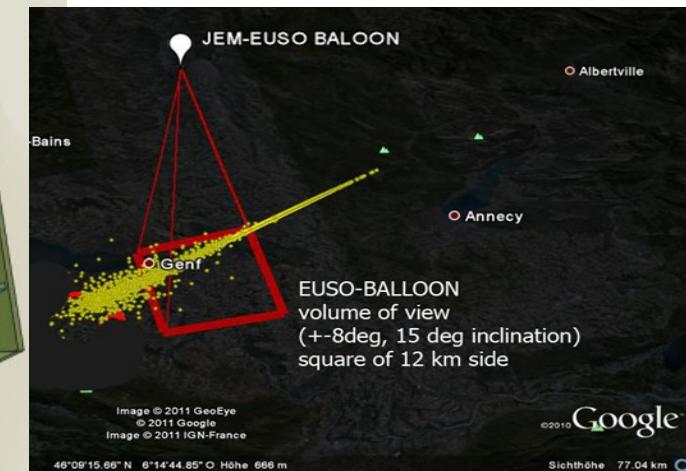


Prvý JEM-EUSO prekurzor experiment

- šošovky 1 m^2
- 1 PMD
- ~300 kg
- vodotesná gondola
- letová hladina ~38 km

Výber z hlavných cieľov prekurzor experimentu

- overenie hw v podmienkach blízkych vesmírnym podmienkam
- meranie UV pozadia za rôznych pomienok
- verifikácia trigerovacej schémy experimentu



Simulácie

moving into the CU hall at Timmins 12.8.2014!

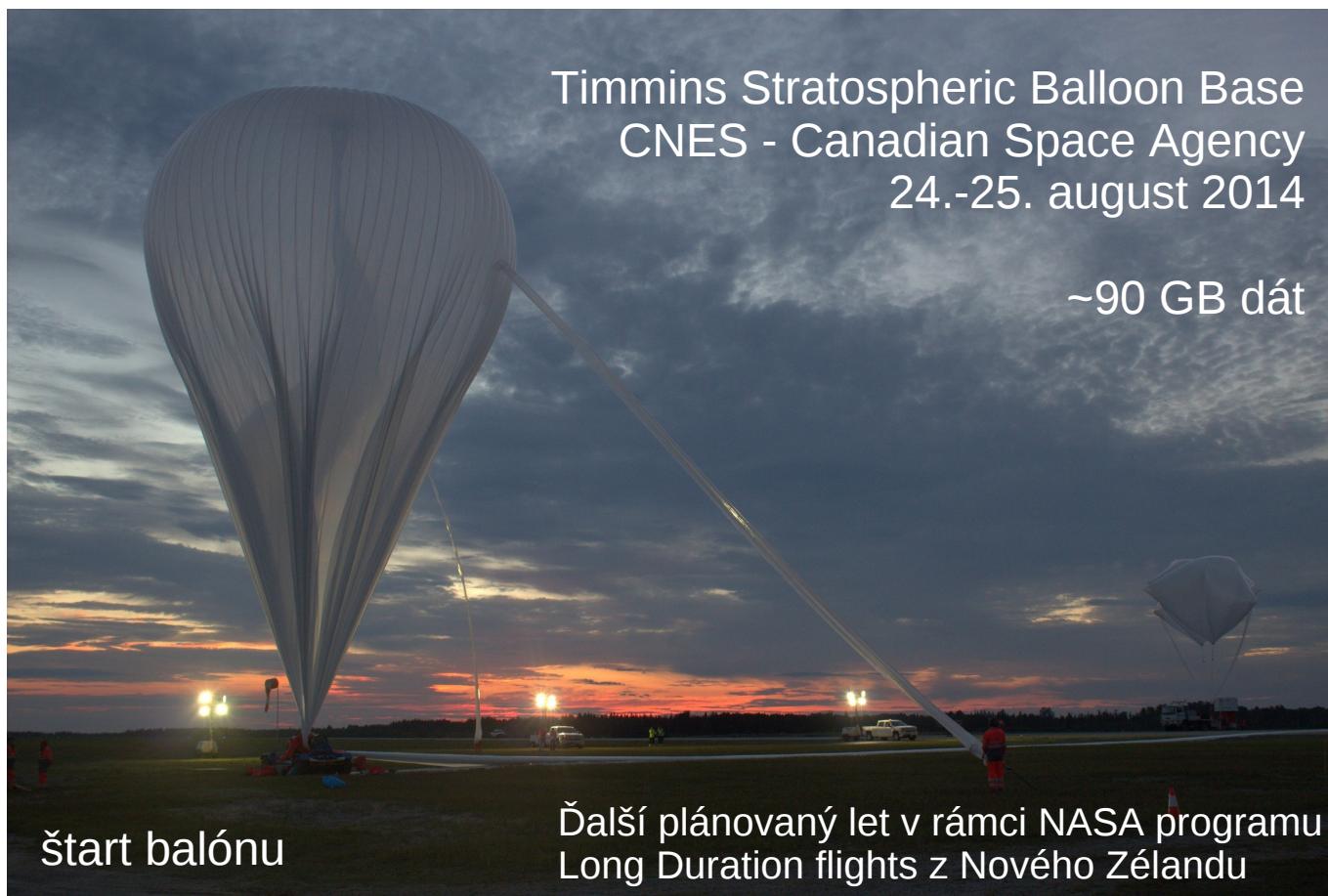


flight configuration : 18.8.2014



Timmins Stratospheric Balloon Base
CNES - Canadian Space Agency
24.-25. august 2014

~90 GB dát



štart balónu

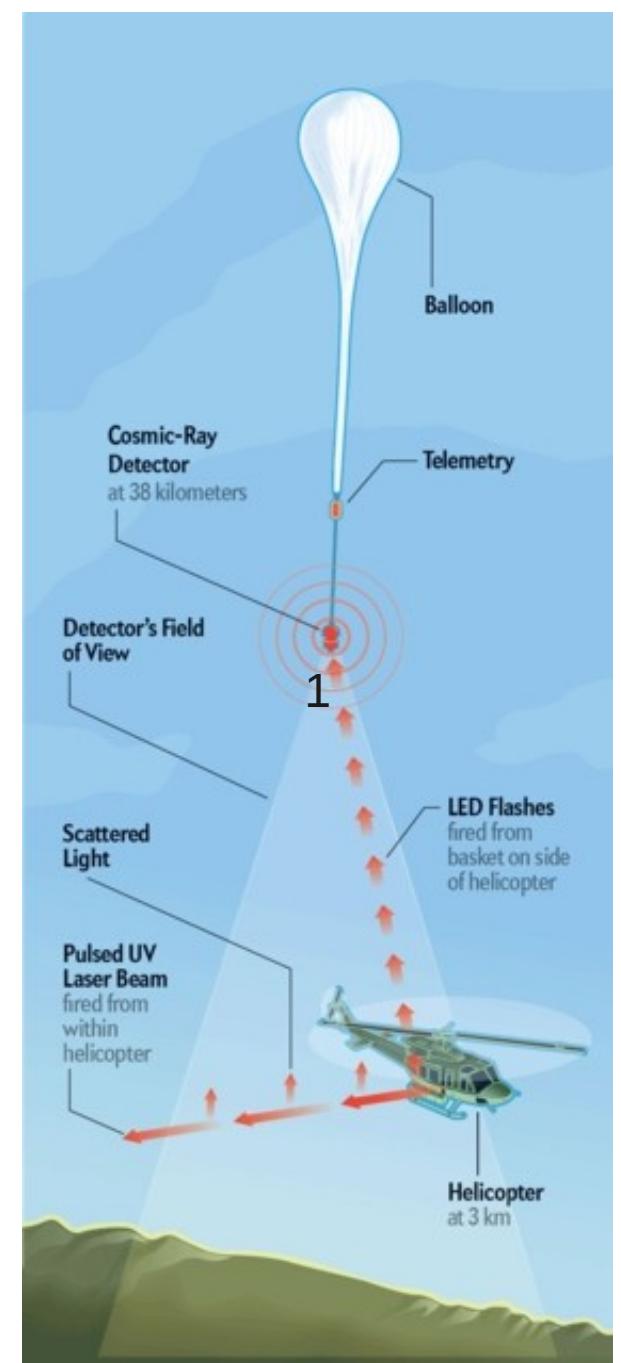
Ďalší plánovaný let v rámci NASA programu
Long Duration flights z Nového Zélandu



gondola v hangári



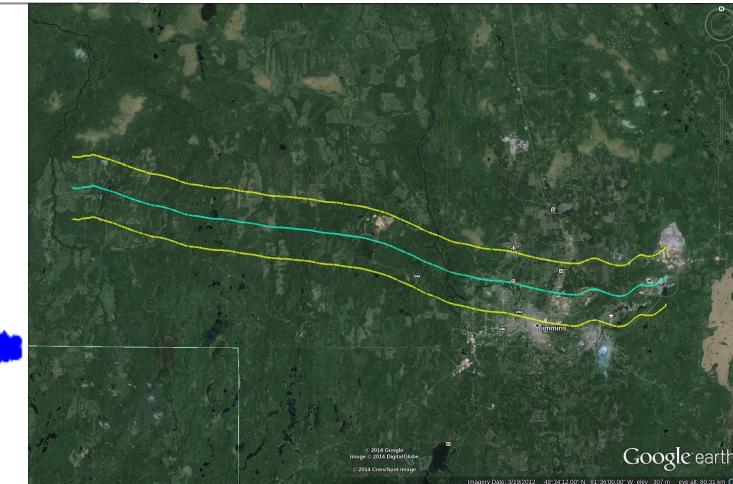
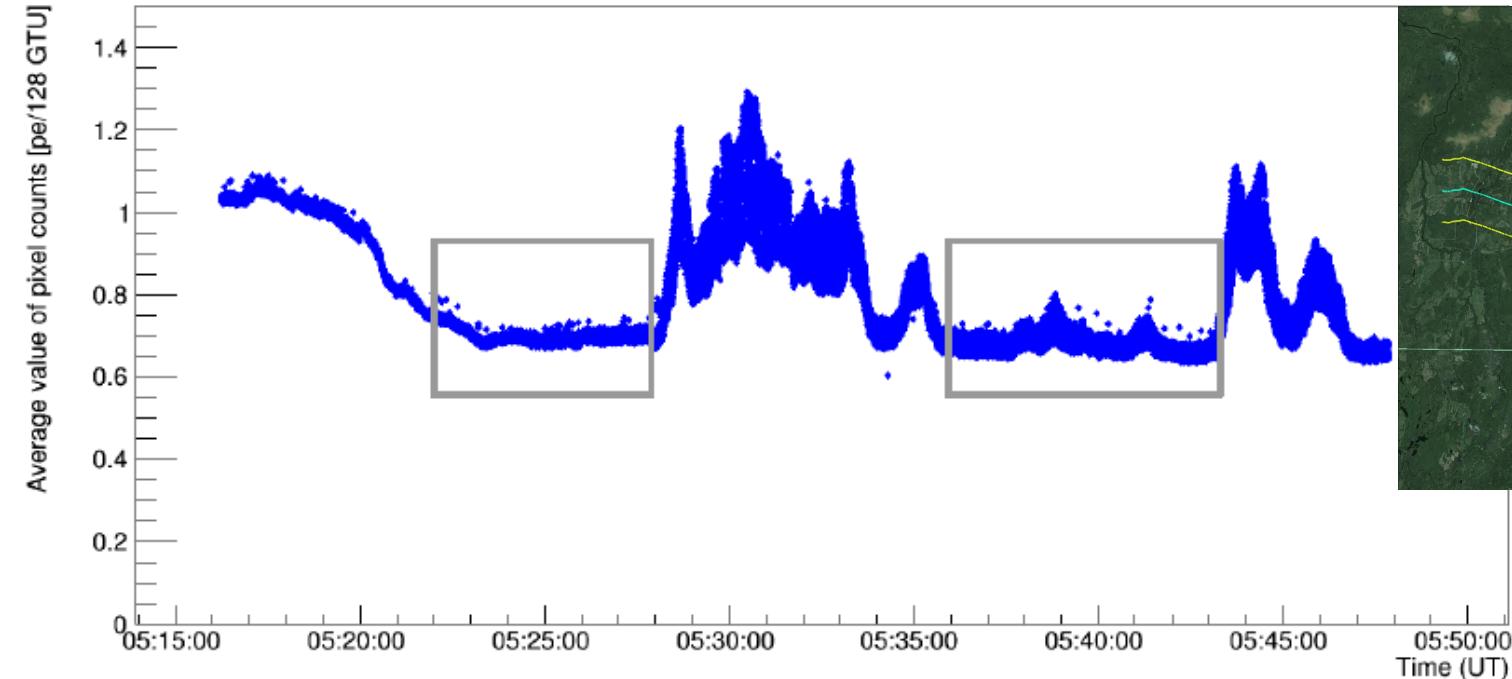
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Článok v Scientific American:
Cosmic-Ray Telescope Flies High

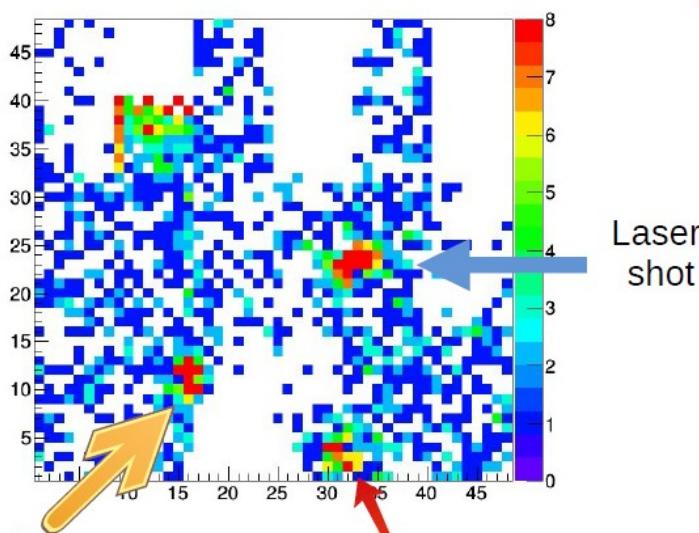
EUSO-Balloon measurements

Spracovanie údajov z JEM-EUSO balónu



Prvé publikované
výsledky ~jar/leto 2015

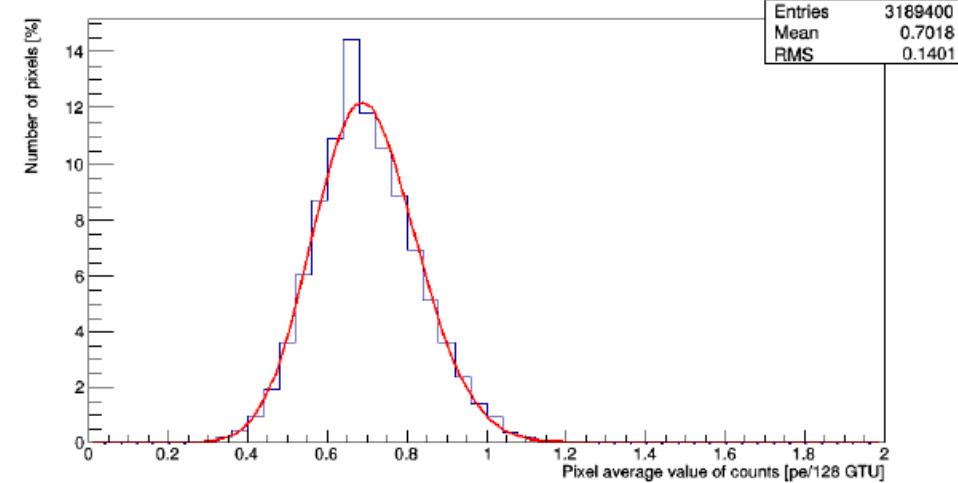
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Helicopter

Mine

Histogram of active good pixels: 05:21:56 - 05:27:53 (UT)

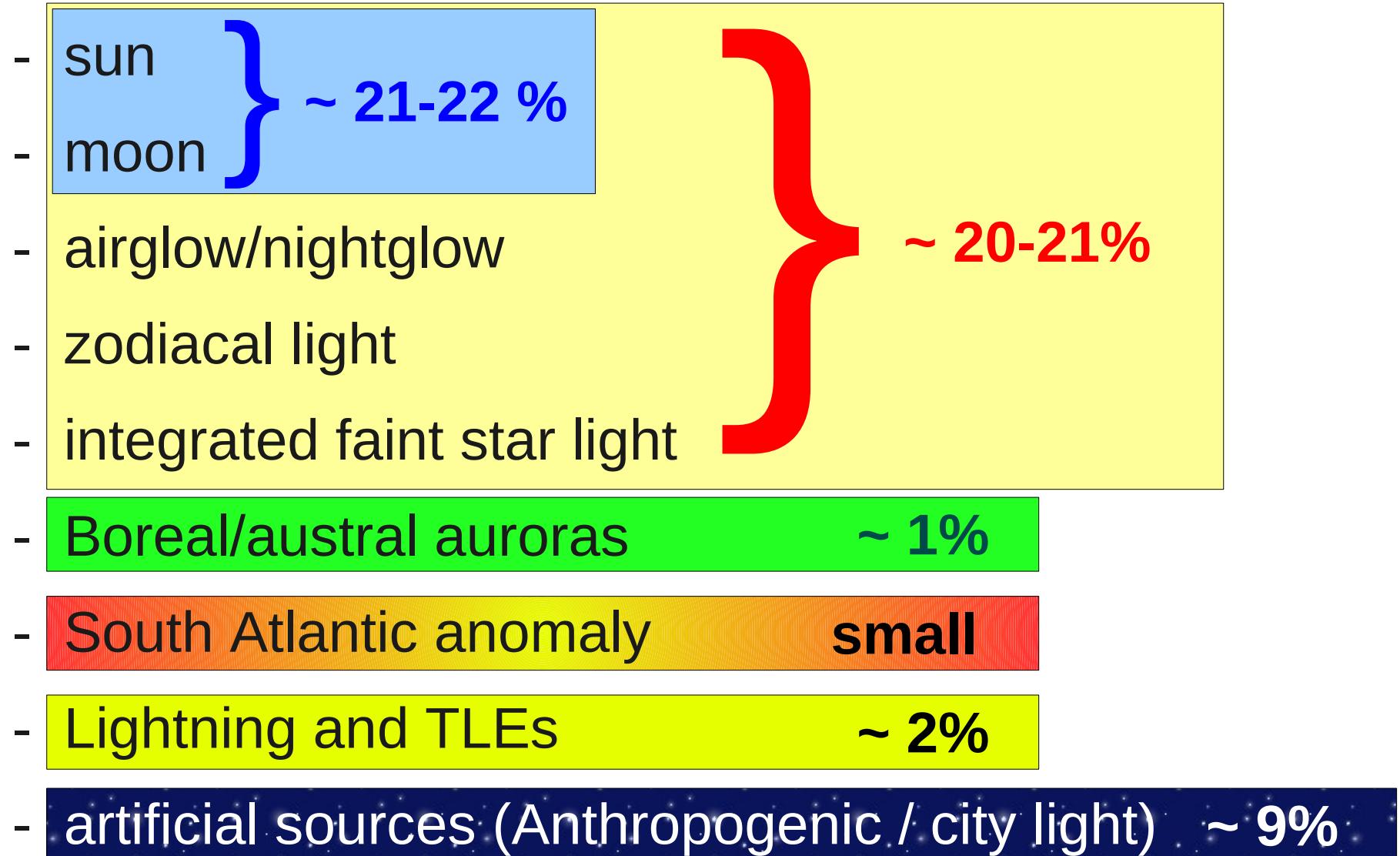


Fitted by Poisson distribution
with $\lambda = 0.699$

Duty cycle estimation

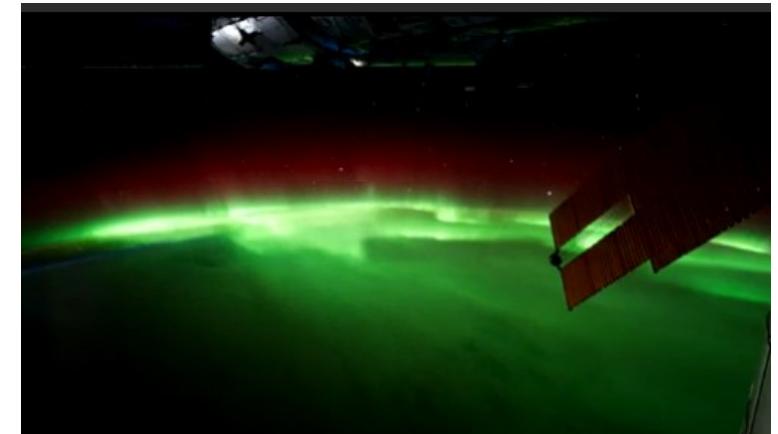
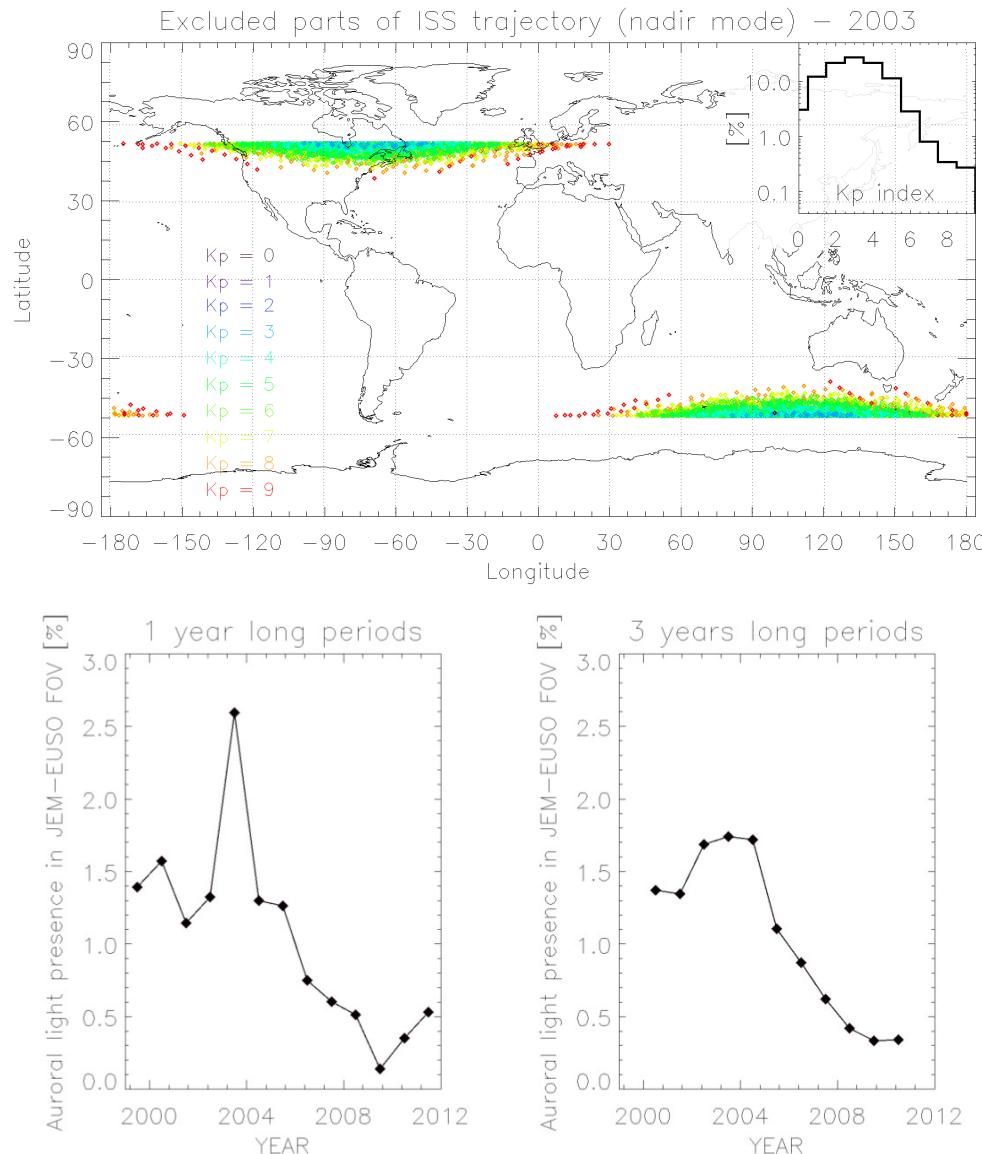
UV light sources

If background 1500 ph/(m² ns sr) is allowed [in % of total time on orbit]

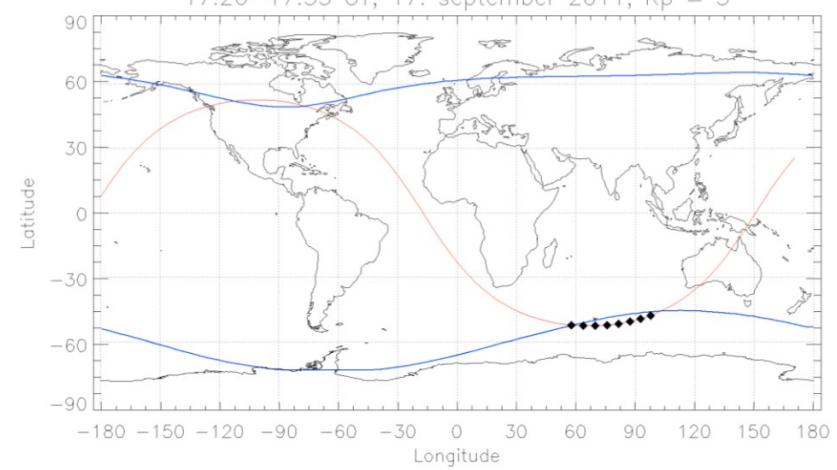


Duty cycle estimation

Auroras effect on JEM-EUSO operational efficiency



17:26–17:33 UT, 17. september 2011, Kp = 5

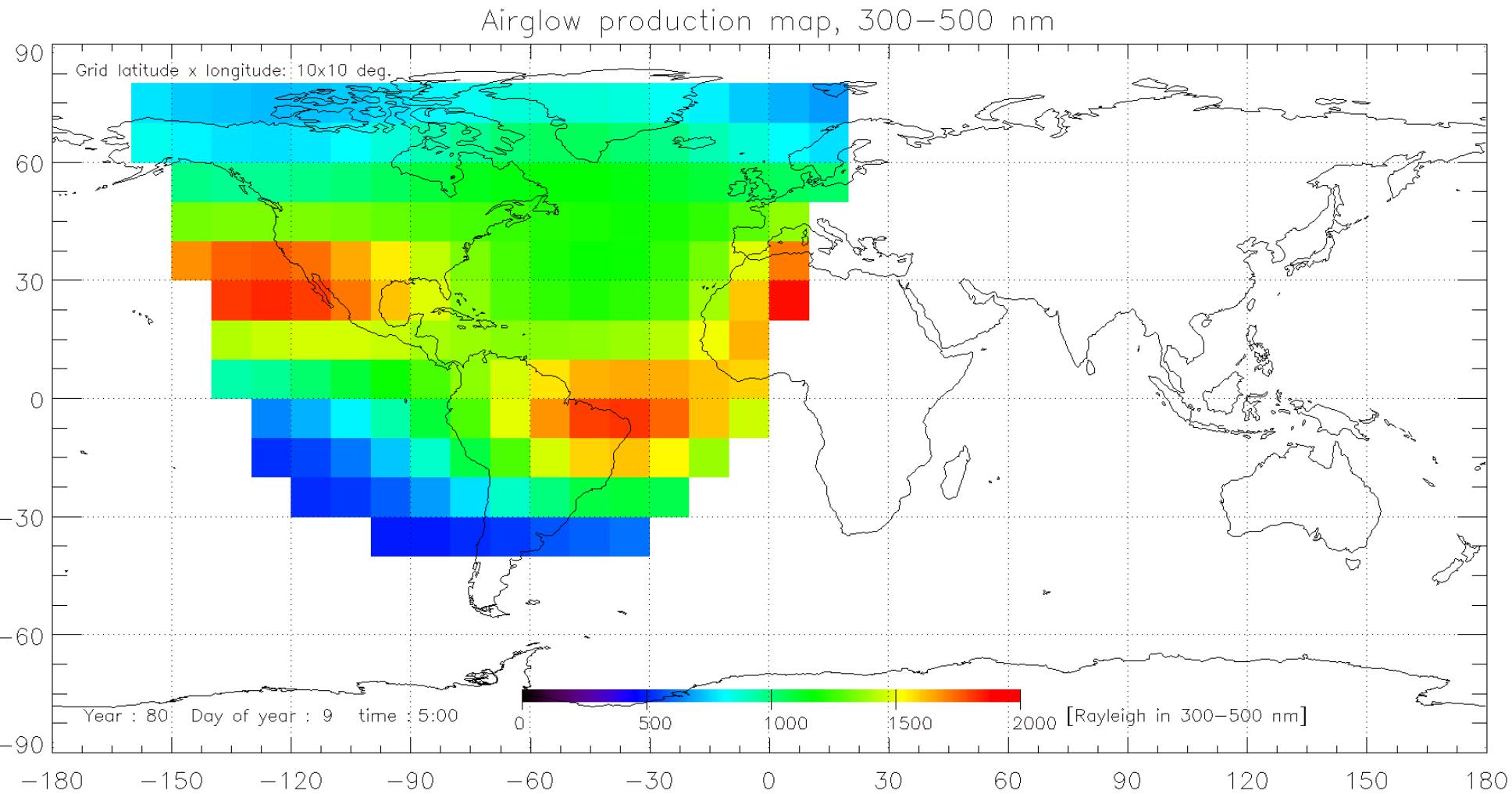


V rokoch 2017–2019 pravdepodobne ďalšie hlboké solárne minimum- **efekt aurororálneho svetla na meranie EAS ~ 1%** .

Figure 3: Left panel: Fraction of time f_{AL} in which auroral light restrain EAS measurements for one year long periods from 2000 to 2011. Right panel: Same as in the left panel, but integrating for 3-year periods.

Vývoj modelu UV pozadia

- skladá sa z modelov zdrojov svetla na nočnej strane Zeme a modelu radiačného transferu



Príklady výsledkov

Night time measurement of the UV background by EUSO-Balloon

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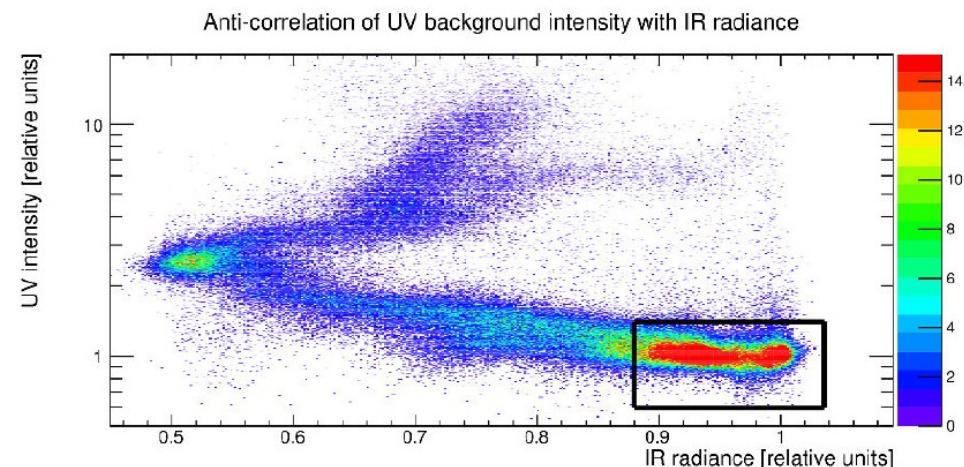
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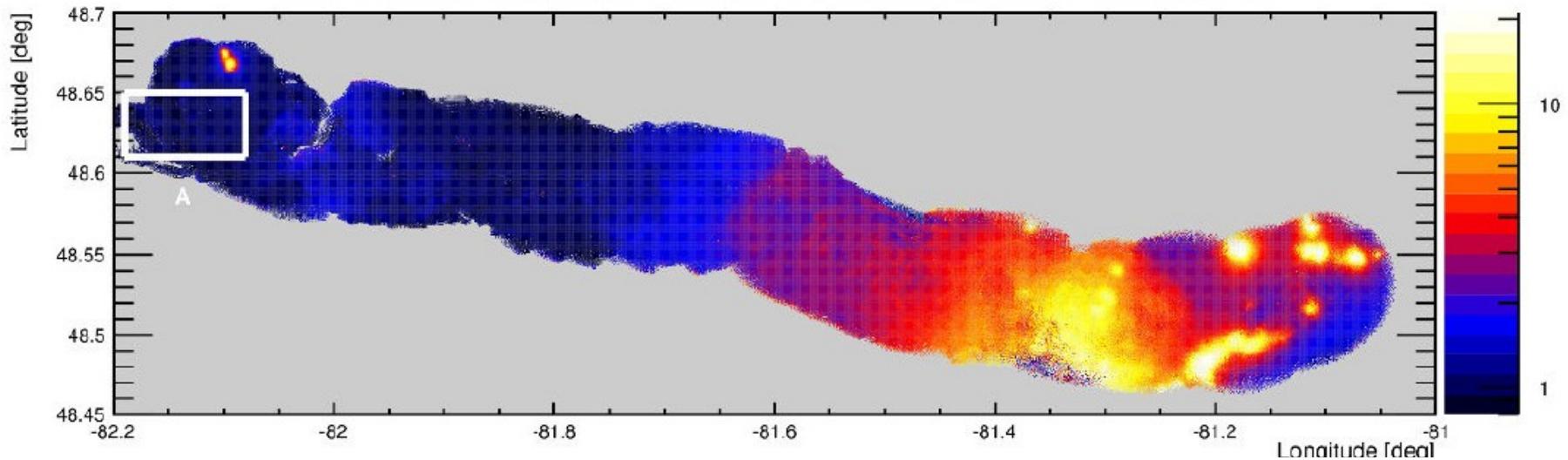
Precise characterization of the Earth night side UV background is essential for observation of the ultra-high-energy cosmic ray induced extensive air showers (EAS) from the space. We have analyzed data from the flight of EUSO-Balloon pathfinder mission that took place near Timmins (Canada) in the moonless night from 24th to 25th August 2014. The EUSO-balloon telescope imaged the UV background in the wavelength range 290–430 nm from the altitude ~38 km with a 1 m² refractor telescope with 11.5° field-of-view pointed in nadir direction. The UV data were complemented by the data of the Infrared (IR) camera onboard EUSO-balloon, which operated in the wavelength ranges 10.37–11.22 μm and 11.57–12.42 μm. We have combined the UV and IR images to study the upward UV radiance from the Earth surface and Earth atmosphere. This allowed us to estimate UV background in clear atmosphere conditions without man-made lights and also to investigate influence of clouds on the UV background values. The obtained UV intensity for clear atmosphere conditions is in a good agreement with previous BaBy and NIGHTGLOW balloon measurements. Comparison of the UV and IR images reveals a strong dependence of the upward UV radiance on the atmospheric conditions, so we discuss the possibility to use the UV albedo effect for characterization of the clouds. For estimating the observation efficiency of EAS from space by EUSO like detectors, it is important to determine the time variation of average UV background intensity, cloud distribution and local man-made light. Using available data, we also discuss these key factors that determine the observable time and area for EAS observation.

Main results

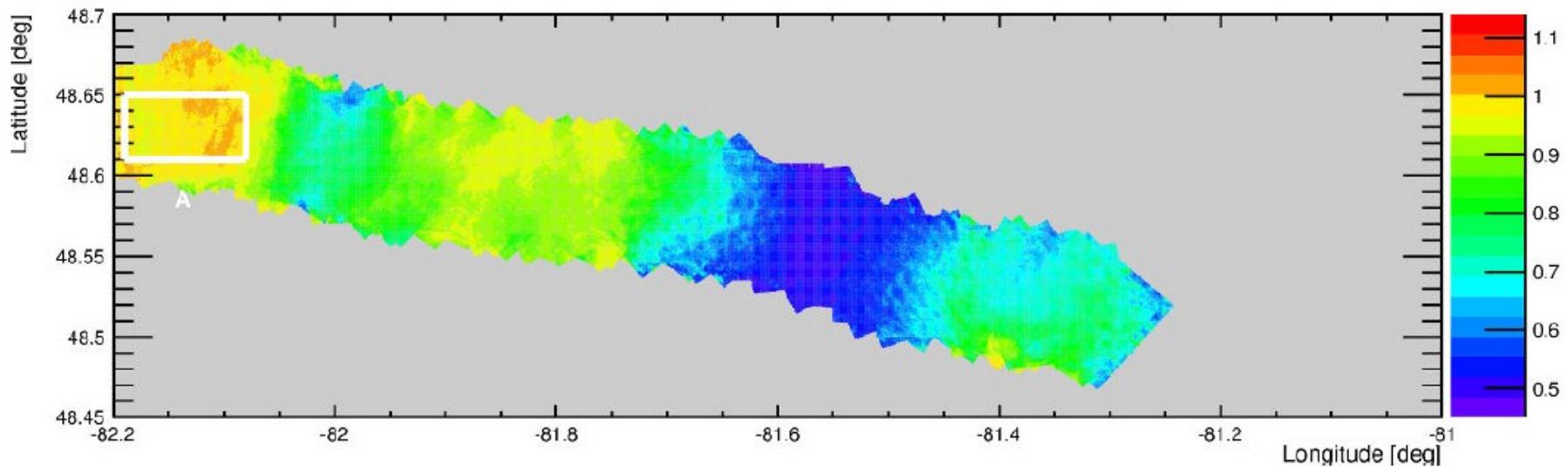
- EUSO-Balloon is the first mission that imaged the UV background in different atmospheric conditions, well monitored by dedicated Infrared Camera
- An anti-correlation between UV and IR up-going radiation was found and an evident dependence of the UV background on atmospheric conditions was revealed
- The tool for masking the regions affected by clouds and manmade light in the FoV is prepared to fulfill the requirements for a high quality detection of UHECR



EUSO-Balloon: Intensity map of UV background [relative units], 03:08:52 - 05:48:00 (UTC)



EUSO-Balloon: Map of IR radiance [relative units], 03:43:32 - 05:47:58 (UTC), FoV of PDM



- The displayed values are relative to the mean value of I / BG over reference area "A" (white box)
- Pixels with the lowest IBG and the highest IR radiance correspond to clear atmosphere
- The clouds have higher albedo than ground and increased IBG values
- The pixels affected by man-made lights (the city Timmins with bright lights in the north)

Príklady výsledkov

Pattern recognition study for different levels of UV background in JEM-EUSO experiment

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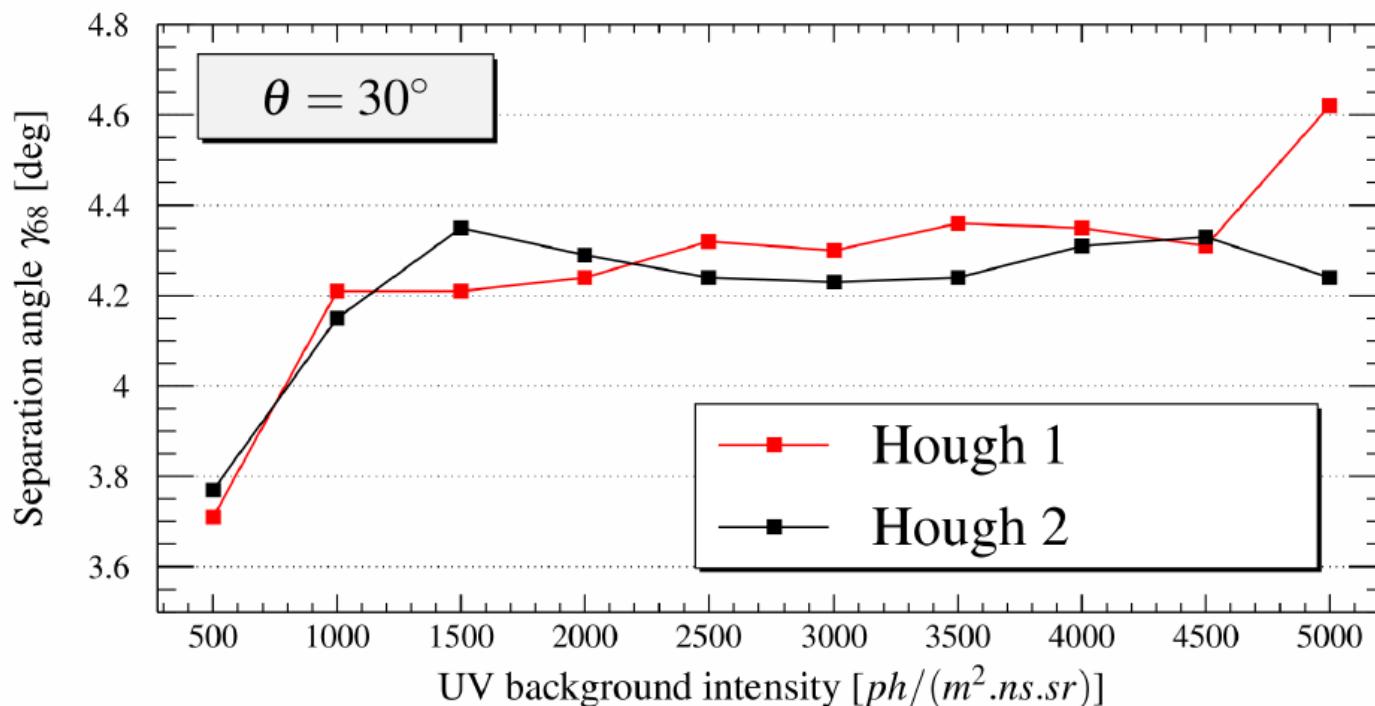
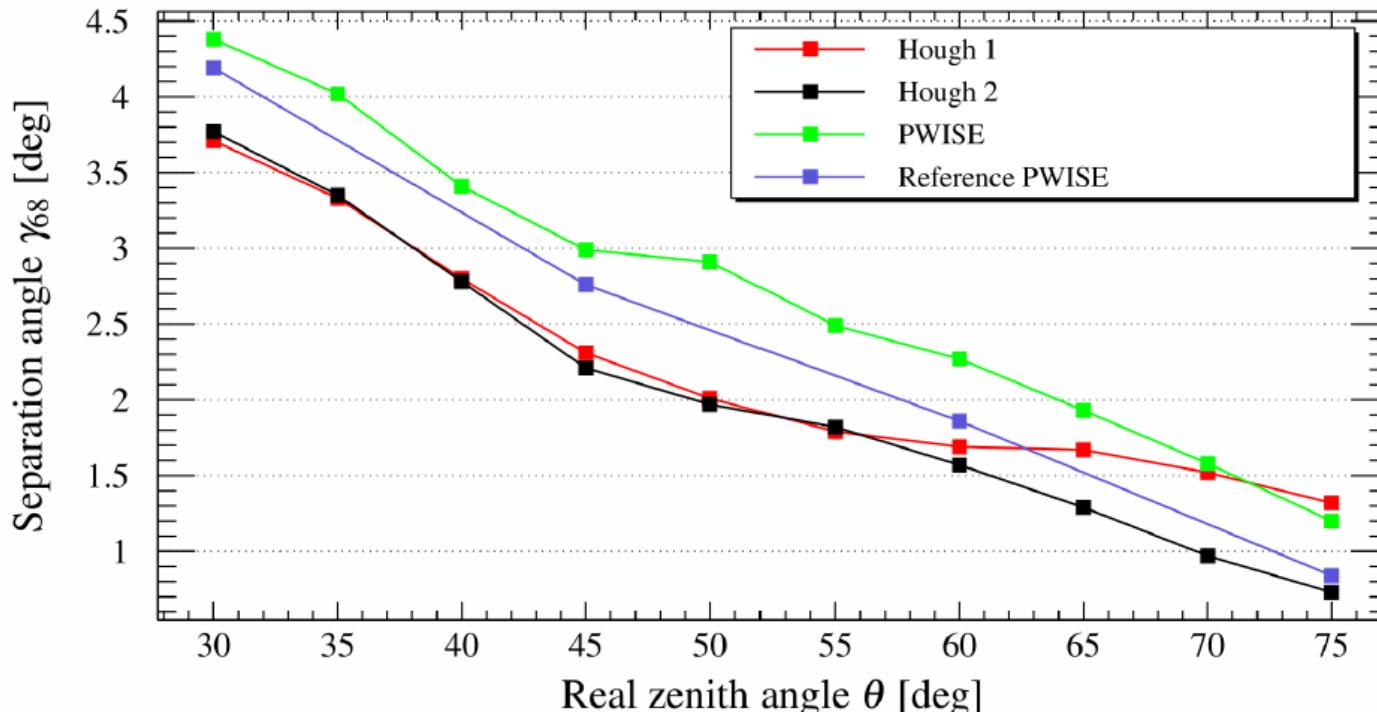
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JEM-EUSO experiment will observe UV light created by extensive air showers initiated by ultra high energy cosmic rays (UHECR). Reconstruction of UHECR particle direction from detected signal depends also on the level of signal background, which can vary in time and with location.

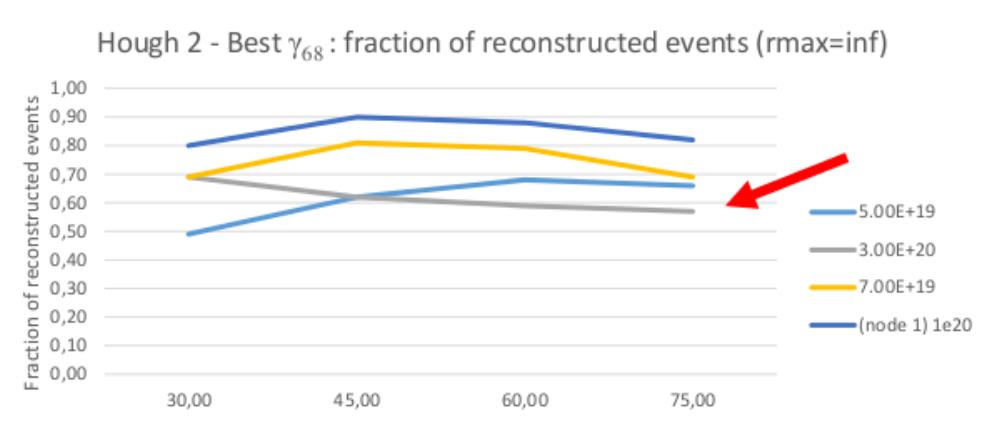
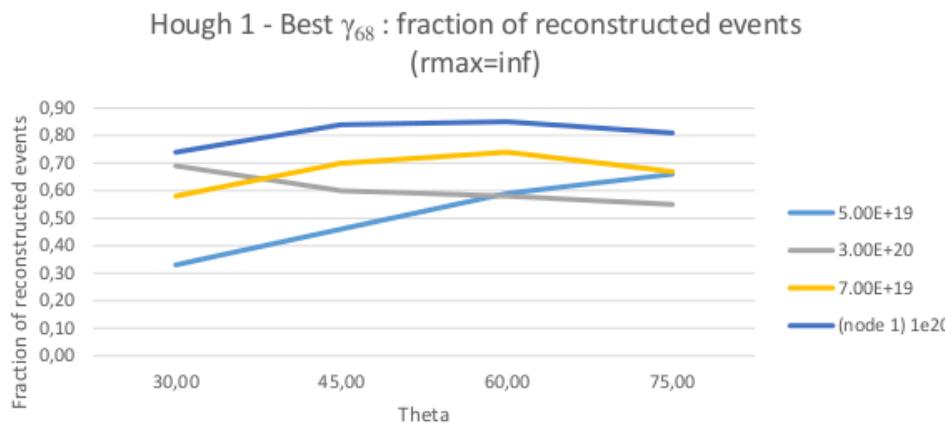
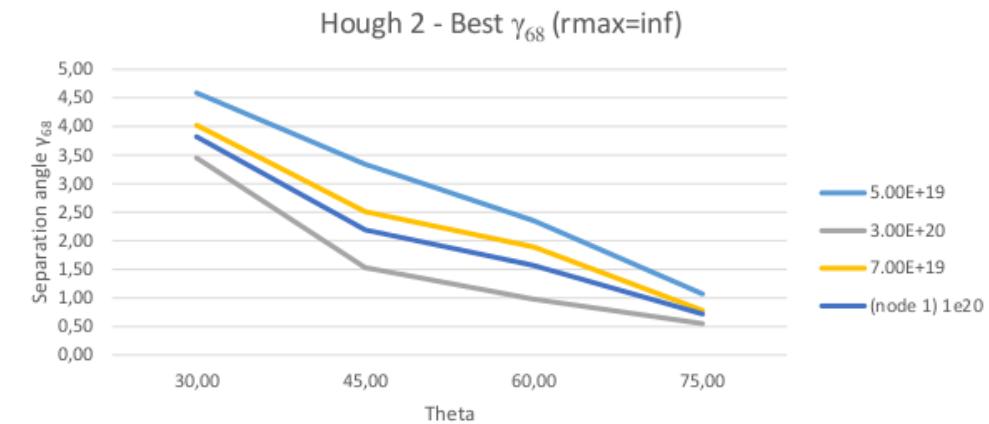
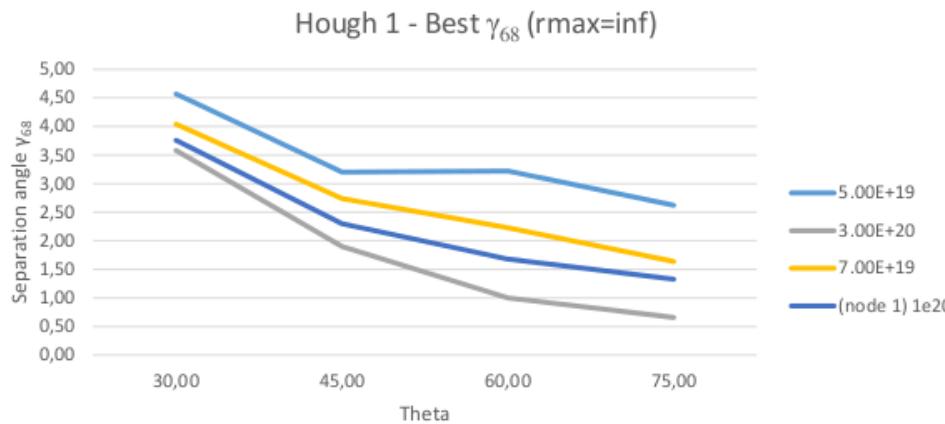
We developed an alternative pattern recognition (PR) method based on Hough transformation besides to existing PR methods in JEM-EUSO software framework. The results of them, namely of PWise method and Hough method were compared for the nominal UV background 500 ph/(m² ns sr). Hough method was used to evaluate UHECR direction reconstruction ability for higher level of the UV backgrounds on the Earth's night side. The study what impact on fake trigger events rate come from varying background levels was performed, too.



Príklady výsledkov

Precision of angular reconstruction (1)

energy of primary particle ... eV ; background **500** ph/(m² ns sr)



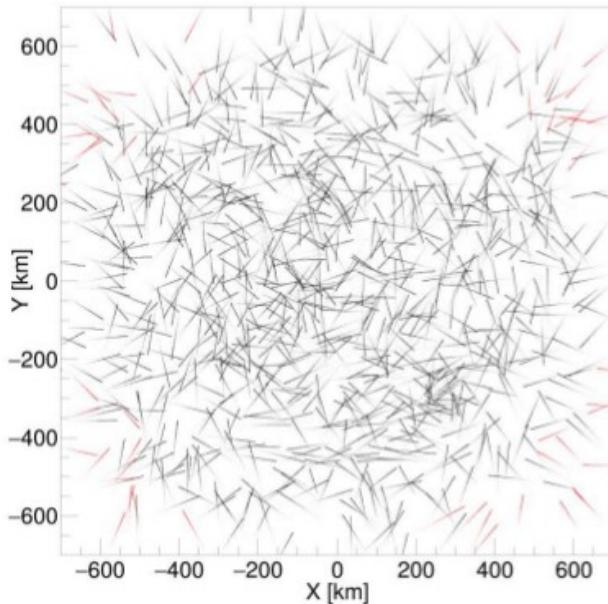
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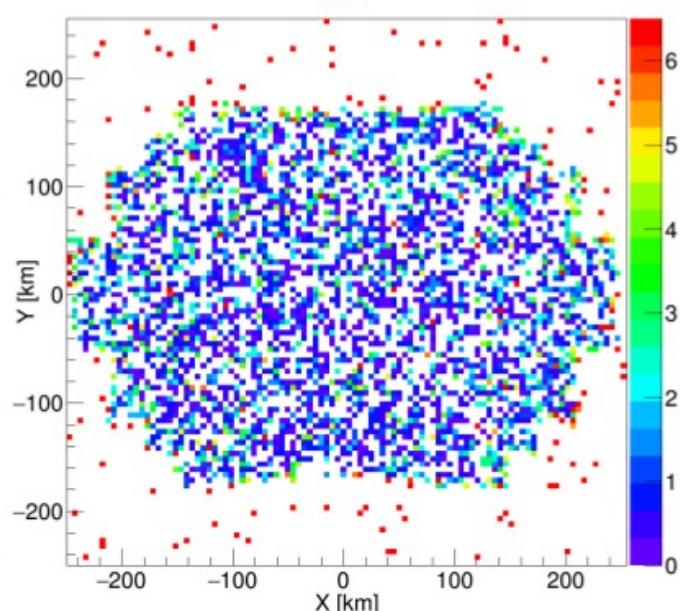
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γ vs. position of shower maximum

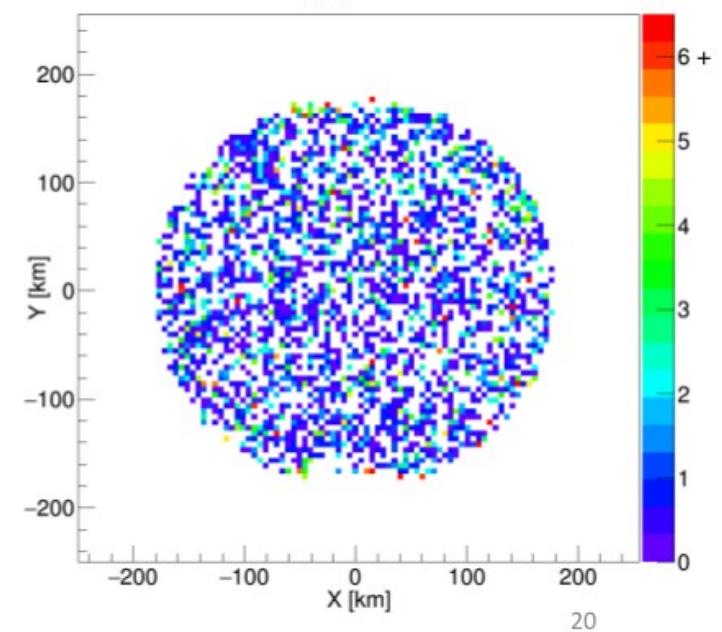
Simulated showers



$r_{\max} = \inf$



$r_{\max} = 180$ km



■ Captured by the detector ■ No FEE data

Evaluation of scientific performance of JEM-EUSO mission with Space-X Dragon option

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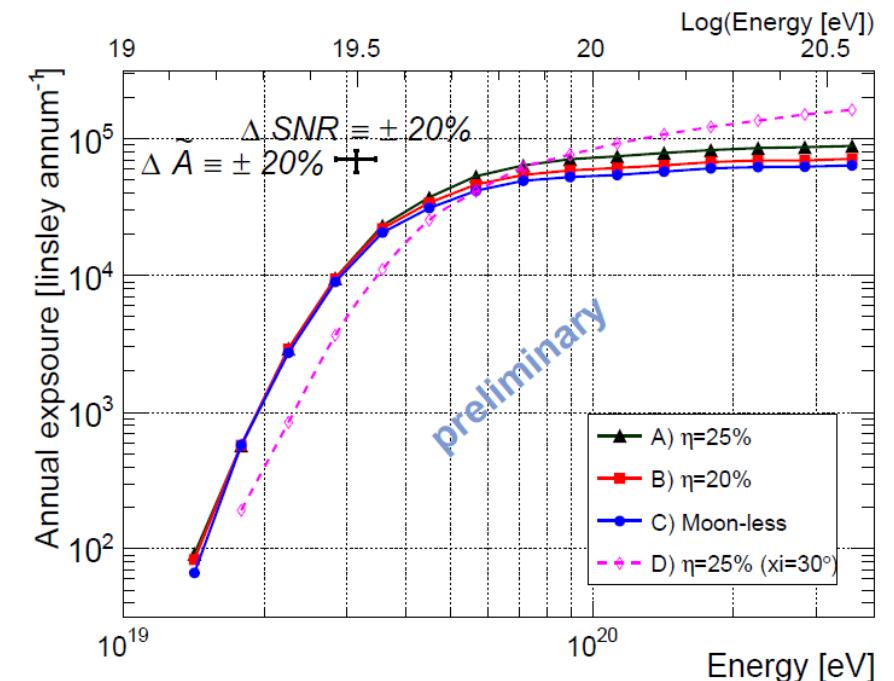
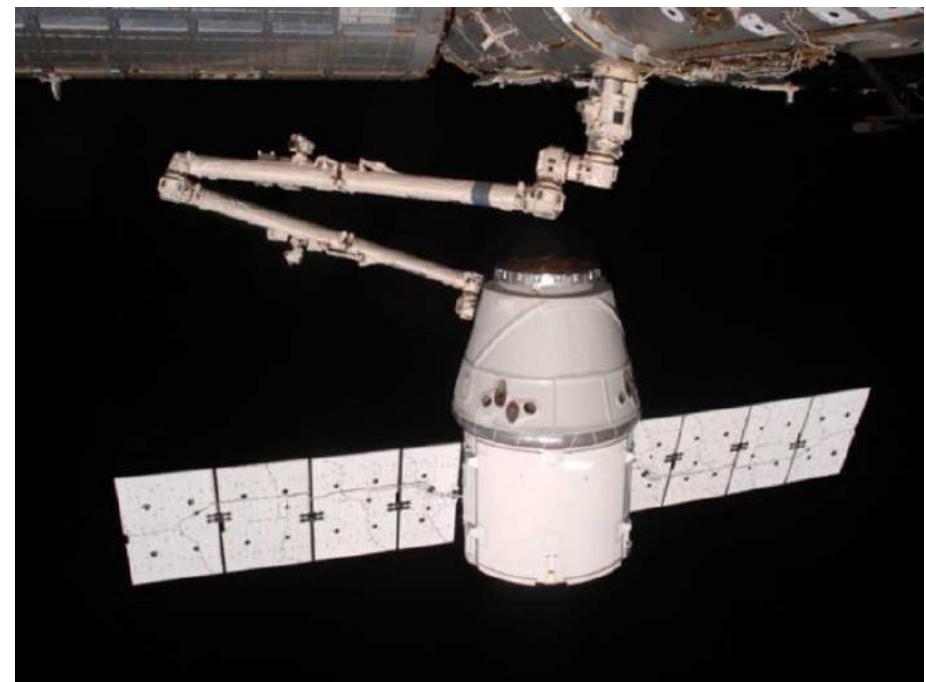
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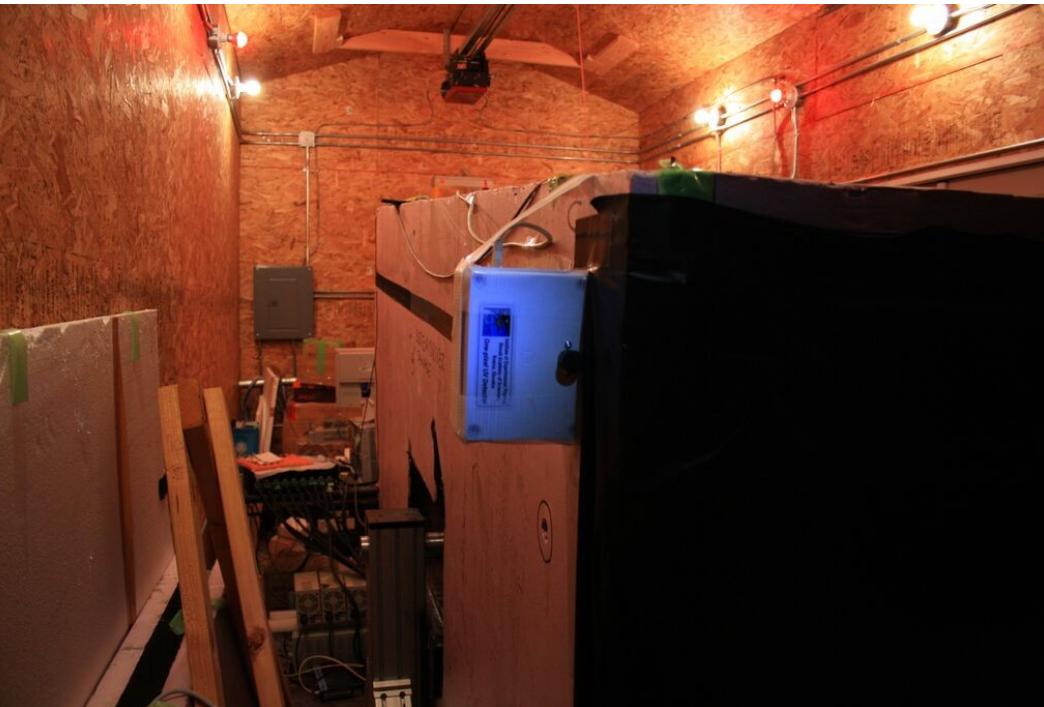
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The Extreme Universe Space Observatory on-board the Japanese Experiment Module (JEM-EUSO) is a mission devoted to the observation of ultra-high energy cosmic rays (UHECRs) around and above the so-called Greisen-Zatsepin-Kuzmin energy at $\sim 5 \times 10^{19}$ eV. The origin of these enigmatically energetic cosmic rays remain an open question since their discovery more than 50 years ago. Very high statistics observations of UHECRs are essential to provide key information to answer this question. Very large exposure are indeed necessary to overcome their extremely low fluxes of an order of a few events per square kilometer per century. JEM-EUSO is designed to measure the extensive air showers induced by UHECRs using an super-wide field-of-view ultra-violet fluorescence telescope pointed downwards nighttime atmosphere. Orbiting onboard the International Space Station (ISS), JEM-EUSO rather uniformly covers the entire celestial sphere, allowing a thorough analysis of UHECR arrival direction distributions. In the present work, we introduce the current design of the JEM-EUSO telescope using the Space-X Falcon 9 as launcher and the Dragon as transport vehicle to the ISS. We then discuss the expected performances, and in particular the science of the search for the UHECR origin. Assuming the detector configuration based on the full-scale JEM-EUSO, the expected exposure and quality of arrival direction distribution analysis during the assumed mission lifetime are evaluated by simulation studies. We also preliminarily investigate an advanced scenario based on the use of silicon photomultipliers as focal surface detectors. Eventually we report the expected efficiency of UHECRs observation for these options including the expected sky map UHECRs.



EUSO-TA

- Začiatok meraní: jar 2015
- Black Rock Mesa, Utah, pri Telescope Array experimente
- Vývoj a overenie funkčnosti hardvéru a softvéru, kalibrácia, pozorovanie pozadia pod vysokým zenitovým uhlom



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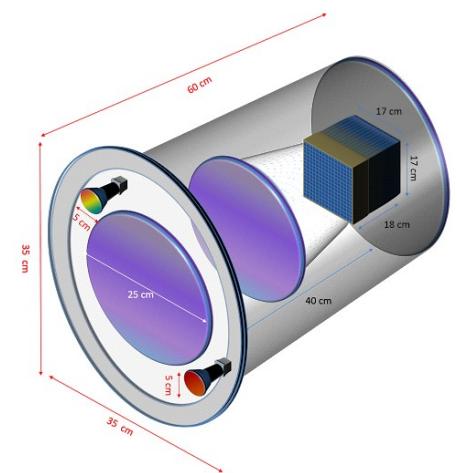
EUSO Super Pressure Balloon EUSO-SPB

- Štart: apríl 2017
- Dĺžka letu: ~50 dní
- Letová výška: 36,6 km
- Hmotnosť vedeckého nákladu: ~600 kg
- Predpokladaný počet pozorovaných EAS: 100



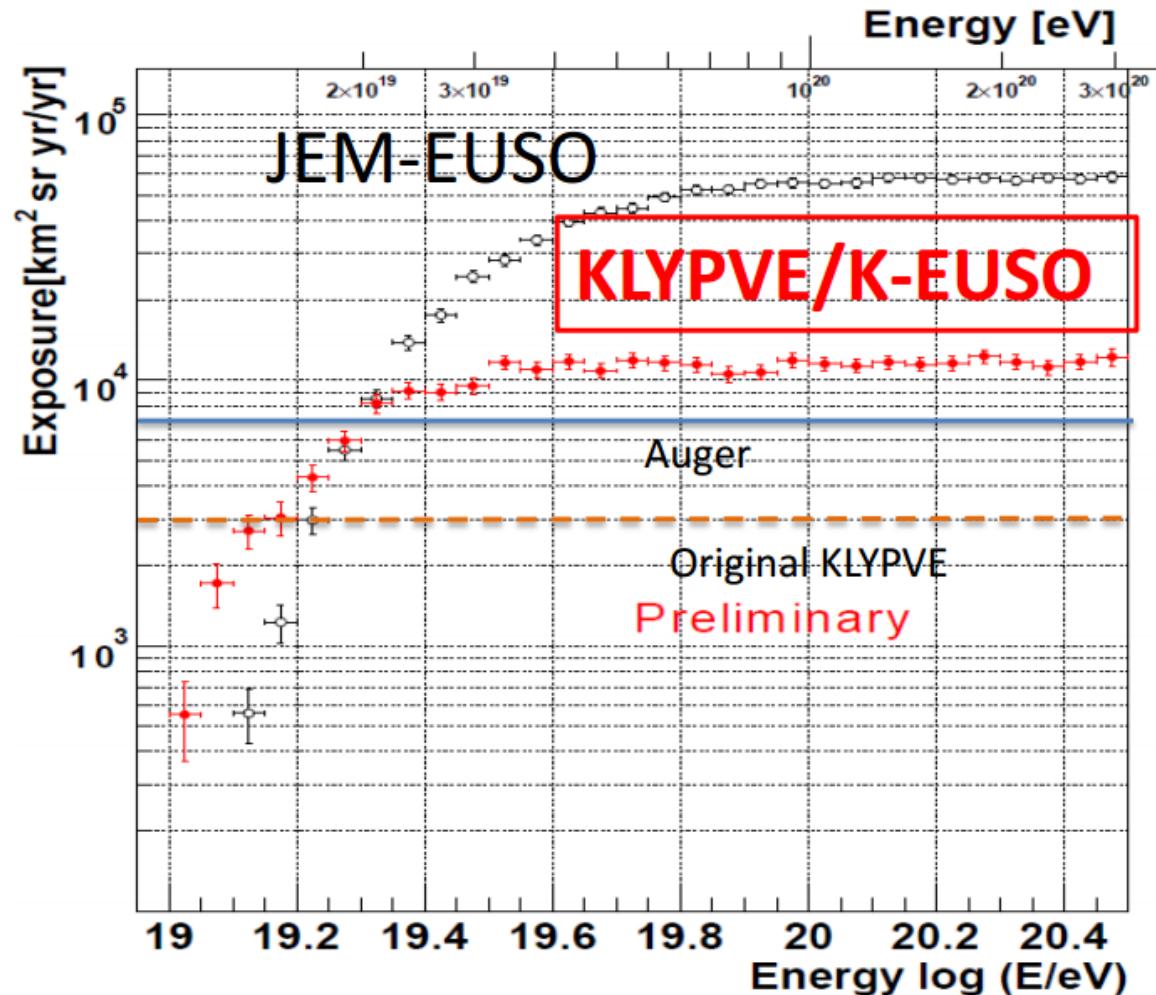
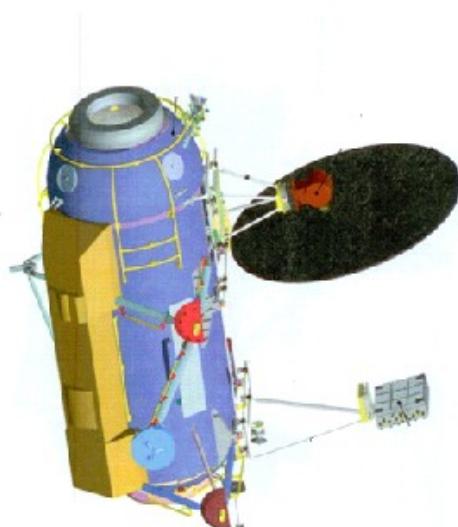
Mini-EUSO

- Štart: koniec roka 2017
- Umiestnenie v UV priepustnom okne ISS
- Hmotnosť vedeckého nákladu: ~30 kg
- Pozorovanie
 - UV pozadia
 - TLE
 - bioluminiscencie



K-EUSO

- KLYPVE projekt
- Štart: 2020
- Meranie z ISS
2020-2024 (2026)
- Koncept založený na zrkadle (10 m^2)
- Ročná triggerovacia expozícia
 $\sim 1.2 \times 10^4 \text{ km}^2 \text{ sr yr/yr}$ (~ 1.7x viac než Auger:
 $A(\text{zenith} < 60^\circ) = 7,000 \text{ km}^2 \text{ sr yr/yr}$)

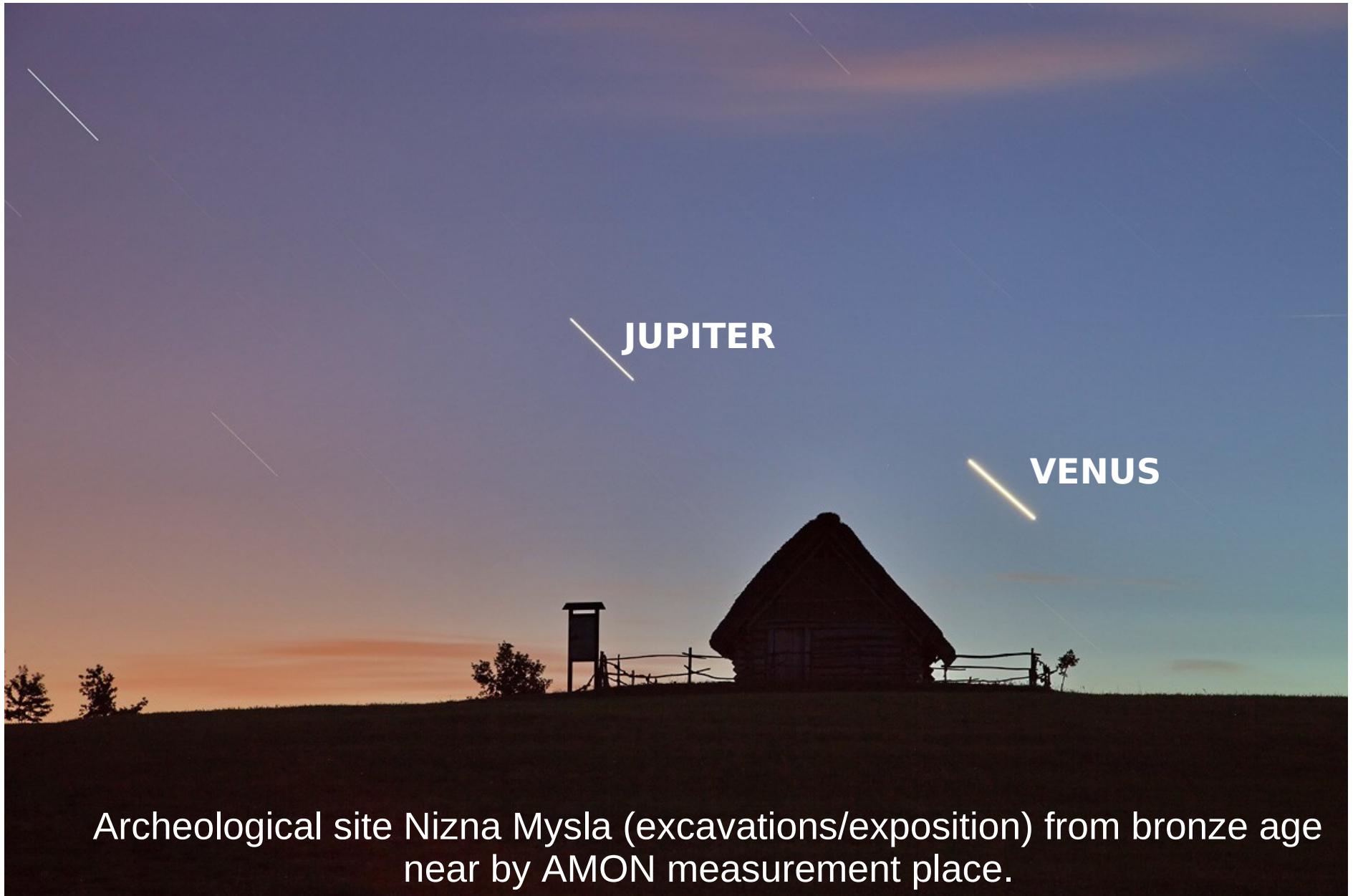


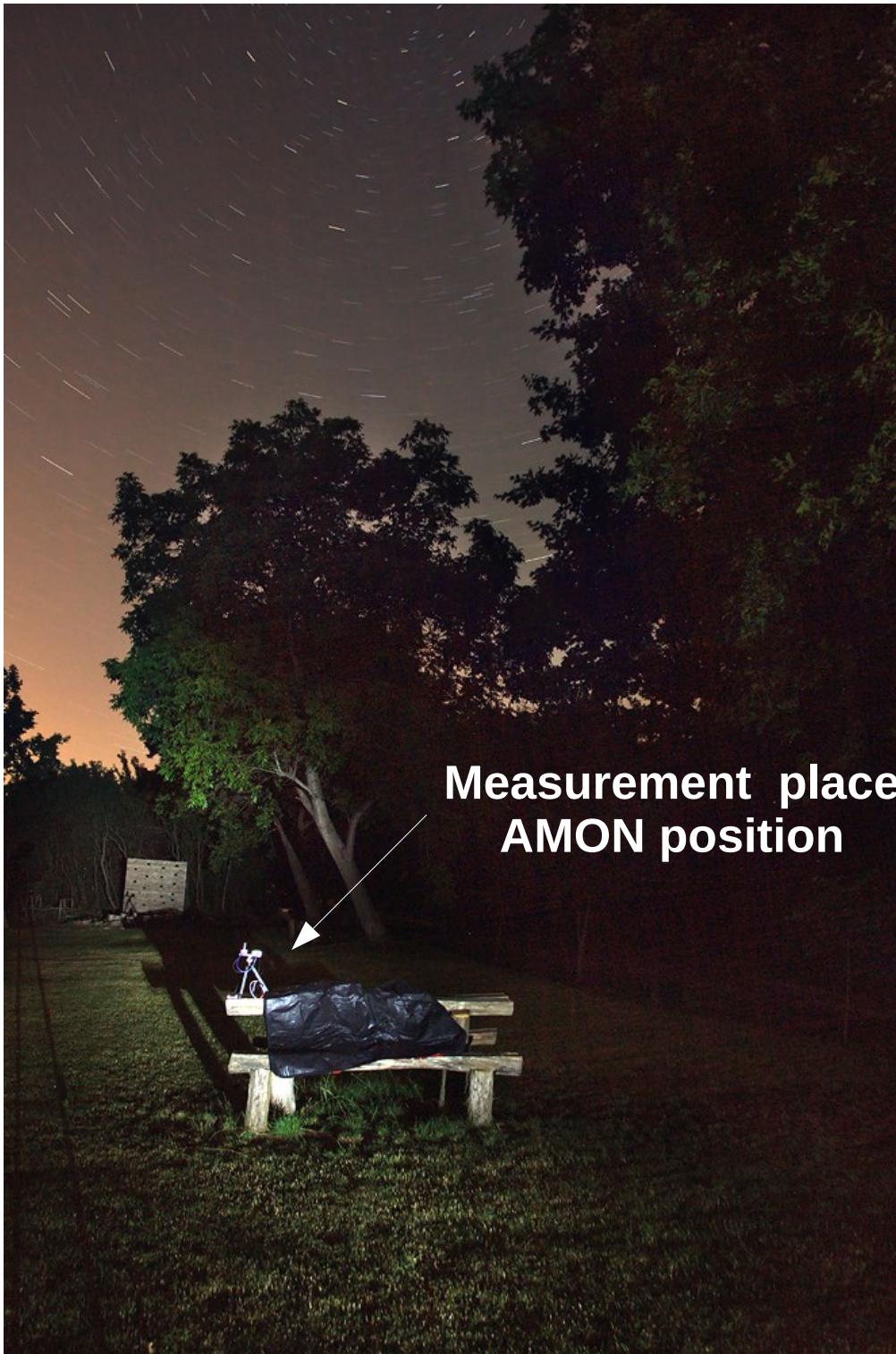
N.Sakaki, F. Fenu et al.
(ICRC2015 #647)

AMON, Airglow MONitor

- One pixel UV background detector
- DAQ 50 bits/second, 1 second integration
- Small & cheap, appropriate to measure BG
 - Optical sensor: actually Hamamatsu microPMT
could be another one, for example M1
 - BG3 filter, easy to change another filters
 - Collimator: FoV, in order of 1 degree
 - No optics
 - Power consumption: < 0.5W (< 0.05W stand by)
 - Dimensions: 110x75x60mm
 - Weight: 0.58 kg

First test measurements 17.-18. june 2015





Measurement place
AMON position



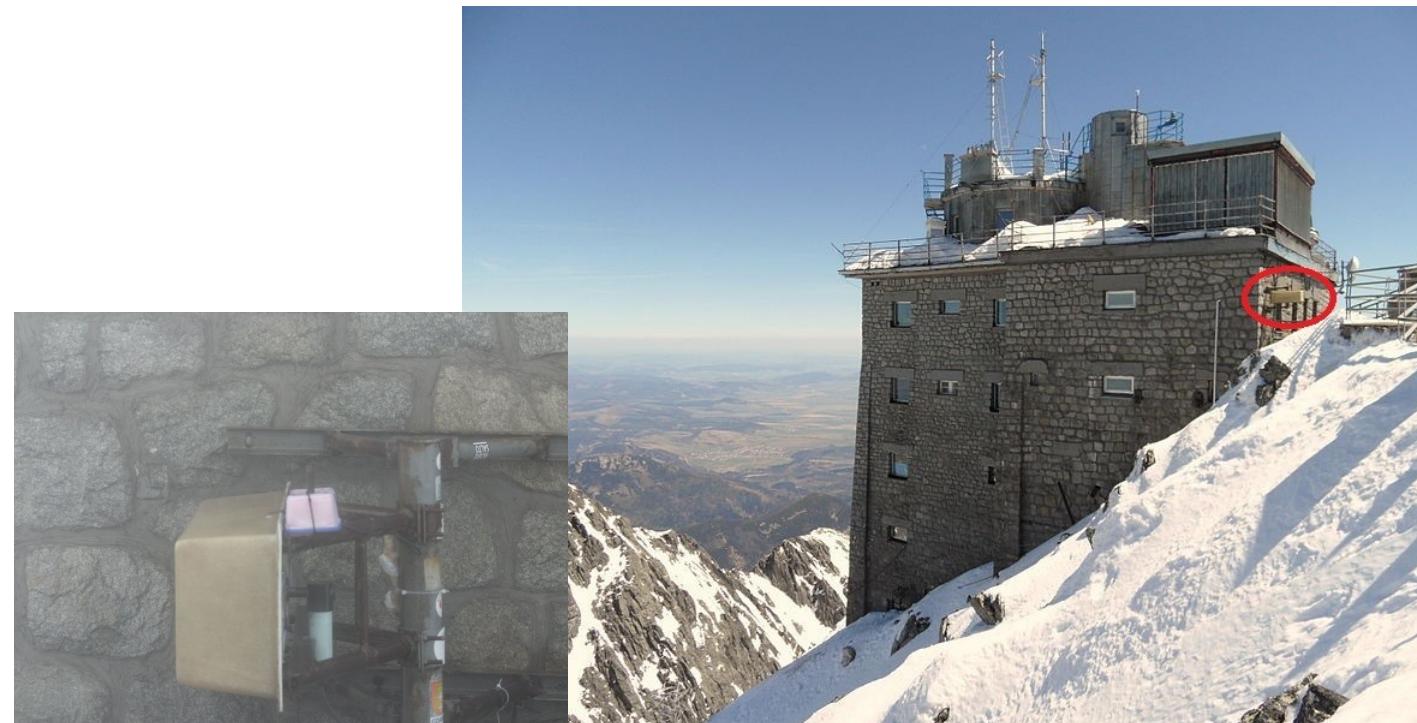
AMON – summer-autumn campaigns



Measuement setup, Byšta

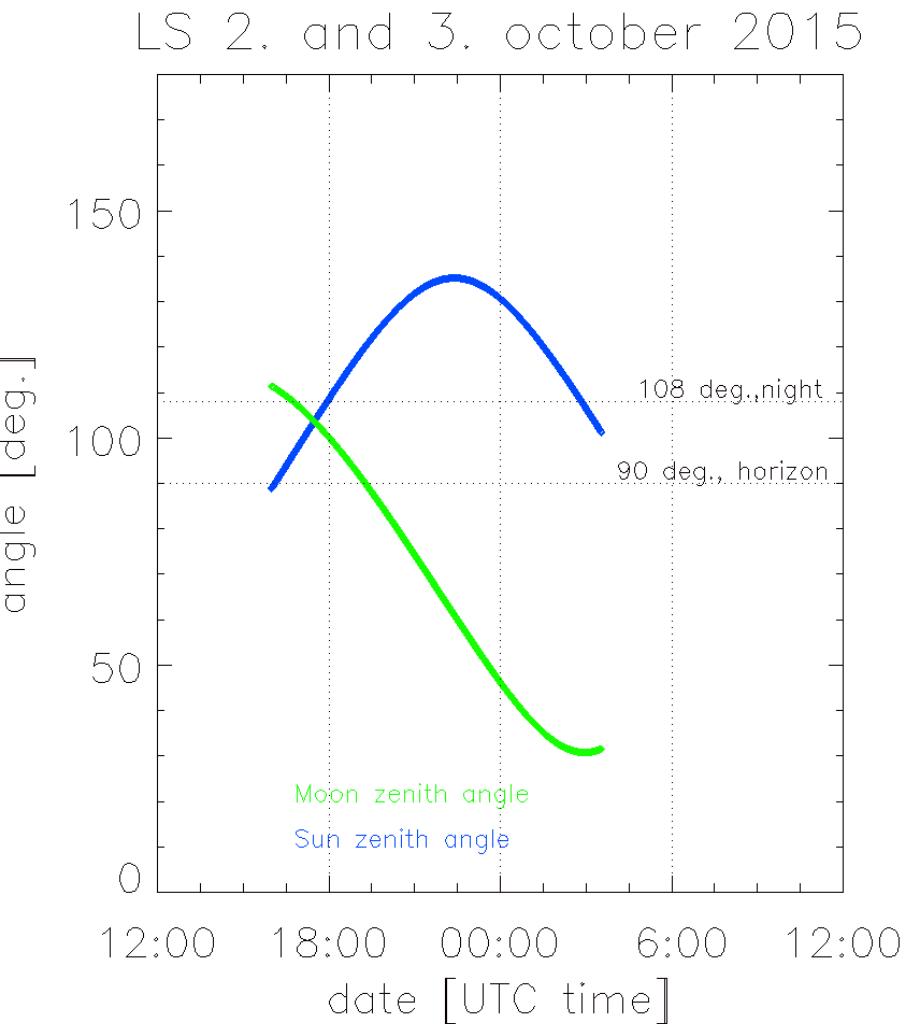
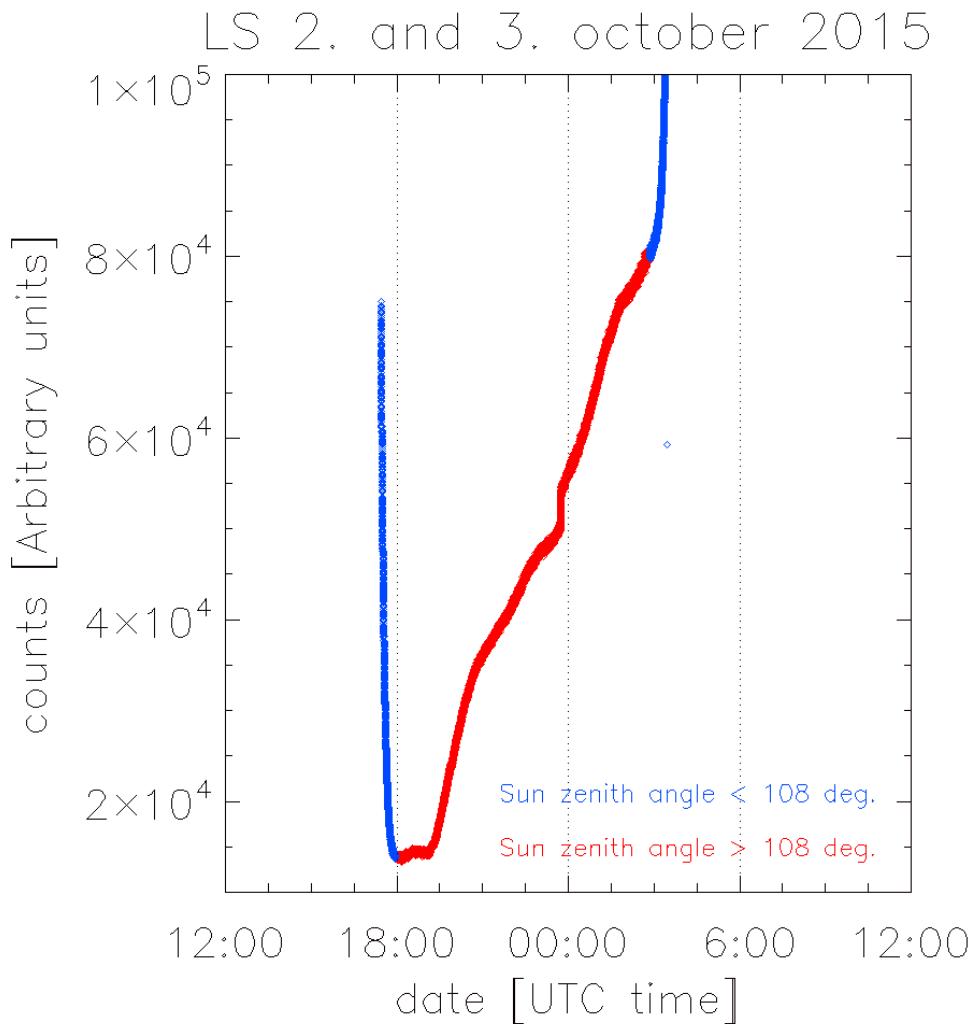


- July 2015 : Slanská Huta
- August 2015 : Byšta
- October 2015 : Lomnický štít – first one month test continuous measurement
- Start of continuous measurements at Lomnický štit since december 2015



Test measurements on Lomnický štít, octóber 2015

Lomnický štít november 2015 campaign example



AMON (version 1.) for Utah

november 2015

Measurements in paralelne with TA-EUSO

- intercalibration of AMON
- measurements on new (second) geographical position

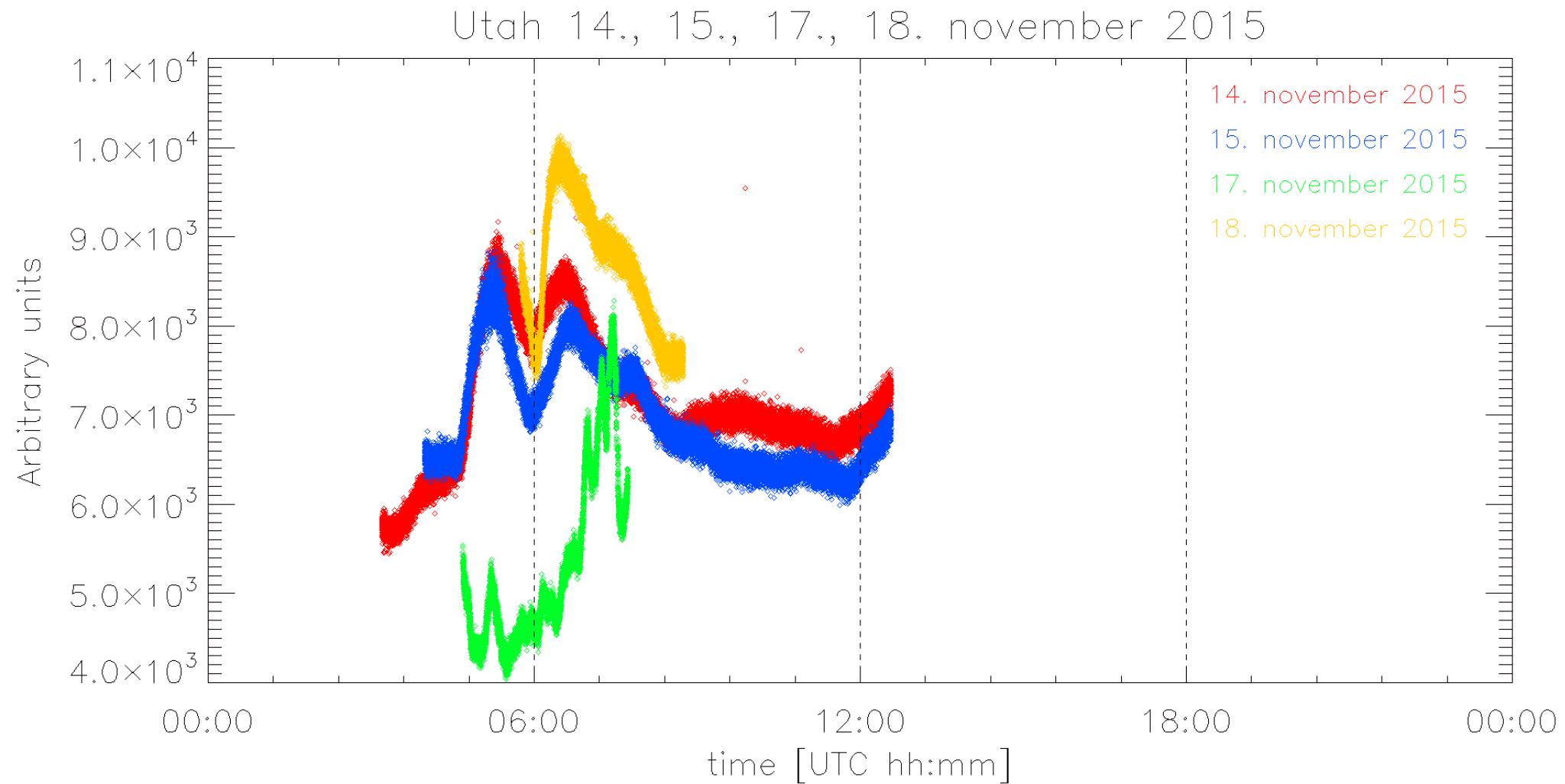


AMON in Utah

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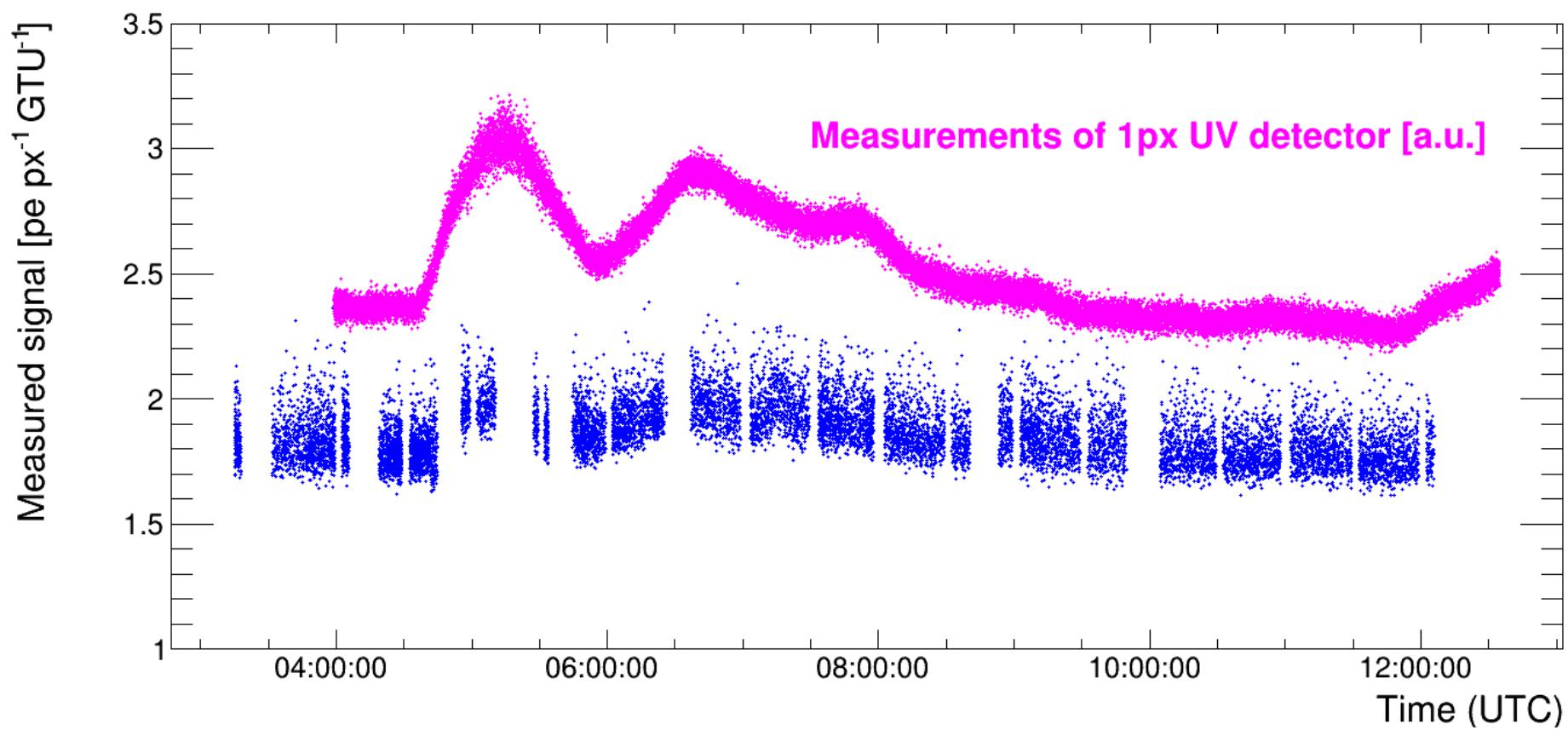


Utah : AMON measurements

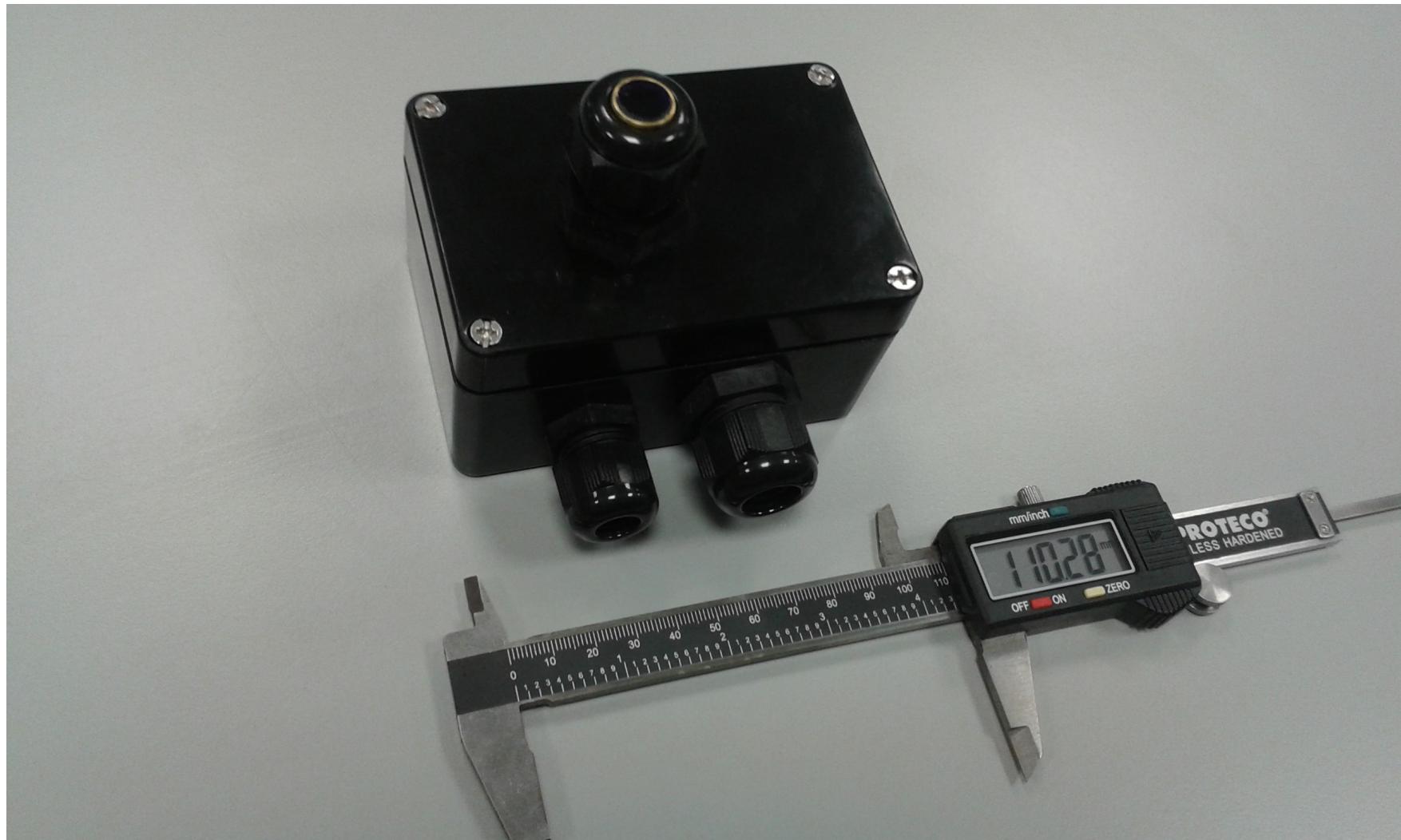


Utah : TA-EUSO vs. AMON

EUSO-TA: Averaged signal of all active PDM pixels (2015/11/15)



AMON : Aktuálna fotografia



ESA PECS: SK1_05



Feasibility study to observe ionospheric disturbances by one pixel UV detector

Institute of Experimental Physics, Slovak Academy of Sciences

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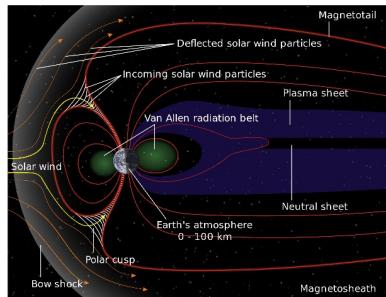
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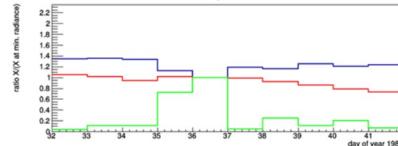
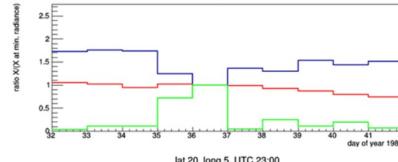
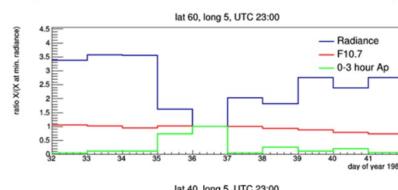
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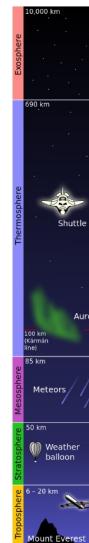
Airglow layer. Credit: NASA



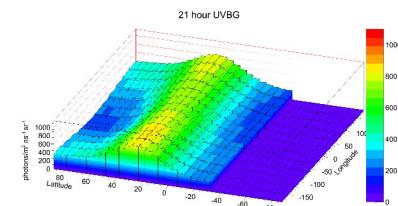
Interaction between Sun and Earth's atmosphere is responsible for airglow radiation of upper atmosphere.



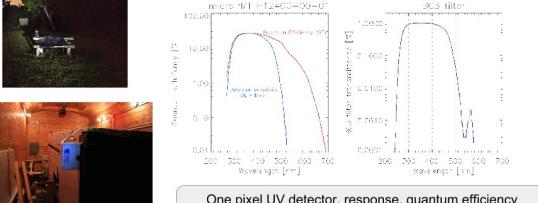
Upper atmosphere light production (blue line), Ap 3 hours index (green line) and F10.7 index (red line) evolution in 10 days time window starting 4 days before storm maximum (i.e. in undisturbed period). Storm with maximum at 4.-5. february 1983.



Nightglow radiation in range from 200 to 500 nm is produced by photodissociation of O_2 and consequent combination of atomic oxygen followed by photon emission.



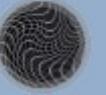
Airglow production distribution over the Earth, example. Same local time, 21:00, december 1994.



One pixel UV detector, response, quantum efficiency and transmittance of optical filter.

Measurements of the variability of airglow light produced in lower ionosphere can provide additional information on ionospheric disturbances to existing and proposed experiments based on different physical principles. To our knowledge there is no complex study of this topic in UV spectral range. Furthermore such study could be important for detection of extensive air showers induced by ultra high energy cosmic rays with fluorescence telescopes from the Earth orbit.

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Gravitational Waves			
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Infrared			Cosmic Dawn Mapper
			
			
			
Optical			
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X-rays			
Gamma rays			

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Science, Catching cosmic rays where they live, 7. august 2015, vol. 349, 6248

„Another ISS detector, the Extreme Universe Space Observatory at the Japanese Experiment Module (JEM-EUSO) - now being considered for launch in 2021 - would look down on Earth with a wide-angle camera, watching for ultraviolet light produced by the showers of particles that ultrahigh-energy cosmic rays spawn when they hit the atmosphere.“

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