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Solar Data Analysis Center and the CCMC

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Solar Data Analysis Center (SDAC)



SDAC and the Heliophysics Digital Resource Library

- Heliophysics Digital Resource Library (HDRL) components
 - *SDAC*
 - *Space Physics Data Facility (SPDF)*
 - *Heliophysics Data and Modeling Consortium (HDMC)*
 - *Collaboration with CCMC*
- HDRL exists to co-align efforts across NASA's heliophysics data systems to enable the scientific goals of the Heliophysics Systems Observatory under the following themes.
 - *Preserving, providing and curating data*
 - *Enhancing the discoverability of related research artifacts*
 - *Enabling further exploration of the data through the provision of computational capabilities;*
 - *The design and implementation of a collaborative open science infrastructure that supports the sharing and publication of research artifacts.*
- FAIR principles, open science requirements and HDRL vision guide future development.

SDAC Responsibilities

- The purpose of the Solar Data Analysis Center is to support the scientific analysis of solar physics data.
- Major responsibilities include
 - SOHO / LASCO Operations
 - Hosting of SOHO, STEREO, Solar Orbiter science data
 - Provision of data via the Virtual Solar Observatory (VSO)
 - “Active archive” storage of solar physics data
 - Helioviewer development
 - Support of the SolarSoft data analysis environment

SDAC – New Responsibilities via HDRL

- Offline back-up of all data held at SDAC
 - *Spectra Logic T950V tape library in procurement at GSFC*
 - *Copies will be kept at GSFC and Iron Mountain*
- Collaboration with the National Center for Climate Simulation (NCCS) at GSFC to provide substantial on-premises computational capability next to multi-PB archive of heliophysics data
 - *20PB storage in procurement, delivery in the next few months*
 - *Additional servers and faster disk for VSO support / data export*
- Collaboration with HelioCloud (AWS/SMCE/NCCS) effort to provide expertise on solar physics data, SunPy and Solarsoft/IDL data analysis environments.

Interaction with CCMC

- Existing data provision services from the SDAC will continue
 - *All data held at the SDAC is available without restriction*
 - *VSO will continue to add new datasets, capabilities*
- PUNCH and CODEX
 - *PUNCH data will be available at the SDAC*
 - *CODEX science operations and data will be hosted at the SDAC*
- Helioviewer
 - *Identified DONKI notifications (text) as a new data source for Helioviewer.*
 - *Longer term: experiments with WebGL show promise for 3-D capability but would require model output exported to a WebGL compatible format.*



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