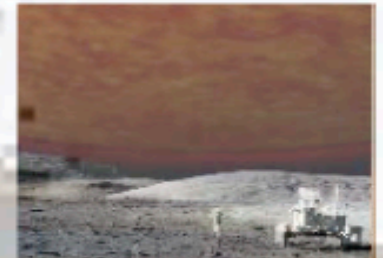


# Earth-Moon-Mars Radiation Environment Model, PREDICCS, the Genesis of SEPs (C-SWEPA)

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Spence, M. Pourars, E. Wilson, K. Korreck, X. Ao, G.  
Zank and MANY OTHERS ..

Exploration &  
Discovery



Radiation  
Exposure

## Space Radiation Environment

### Energetic Particle Sims

Energy Spectra, Angular Dists, and Composition from Cosmic Rays and EPs

### Energetic Particle Obs

STEREO, ACE, Wind, SoHO, SAMPEX, GOES, Ulysses

*Input*

## Time-Dependent Radiation Exposure

### EMMREM

(HETC-HEDS, HZETRN, BRYTRYN)

*Output:*

LET Spectra

Dose-Related Quantities

*Uncertainty*

*Reduction*

### Radiation Exposure Obs

Earth: ISS and Shuttle (STS)

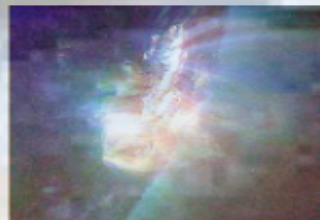
Moon: LRO/Crater

Mars: MSL/RAD, Odyssey/MARIE

Accelerator Beam Measurements

*Scientific Exploration & Discovery*

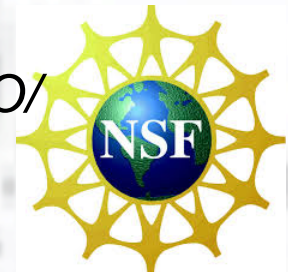
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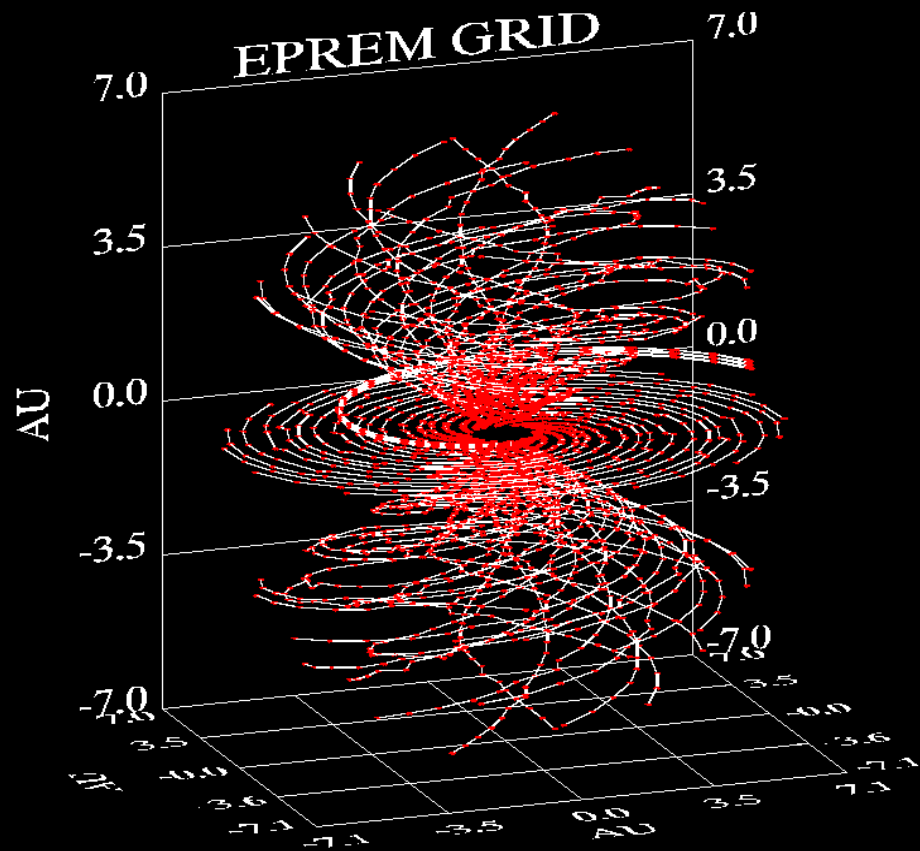




# Accomplishments

- *Radiation Biology*
  - Risk models
  - Radiation Transport
    - Interplanetary Space
    - Earth, Moon, Mars
- *EPREM*
  - Transport Particle Acceleration
  - Particle radiation throughout inner heliosphere
  - Earth, Moon, Mars
- *EPREM-MHD*
  - Transport Effects
  - Particle Acceleration
- *Validation*
  - Marie
  - CRaTER
  - MSL/Rad
- *PREDICCS*
  - Near Real-time Space Radiation Awareness
- *Extended Solar Minimum Science*
- *EMMREM Special Section (Spaceweather Journal; currently, 12 papers)*
- *Approaching 45 accepted papers using EMMREM & EPREM directly*
- *PREDICCS & EMMREM a significant component of LRO/CRaTER special issue*





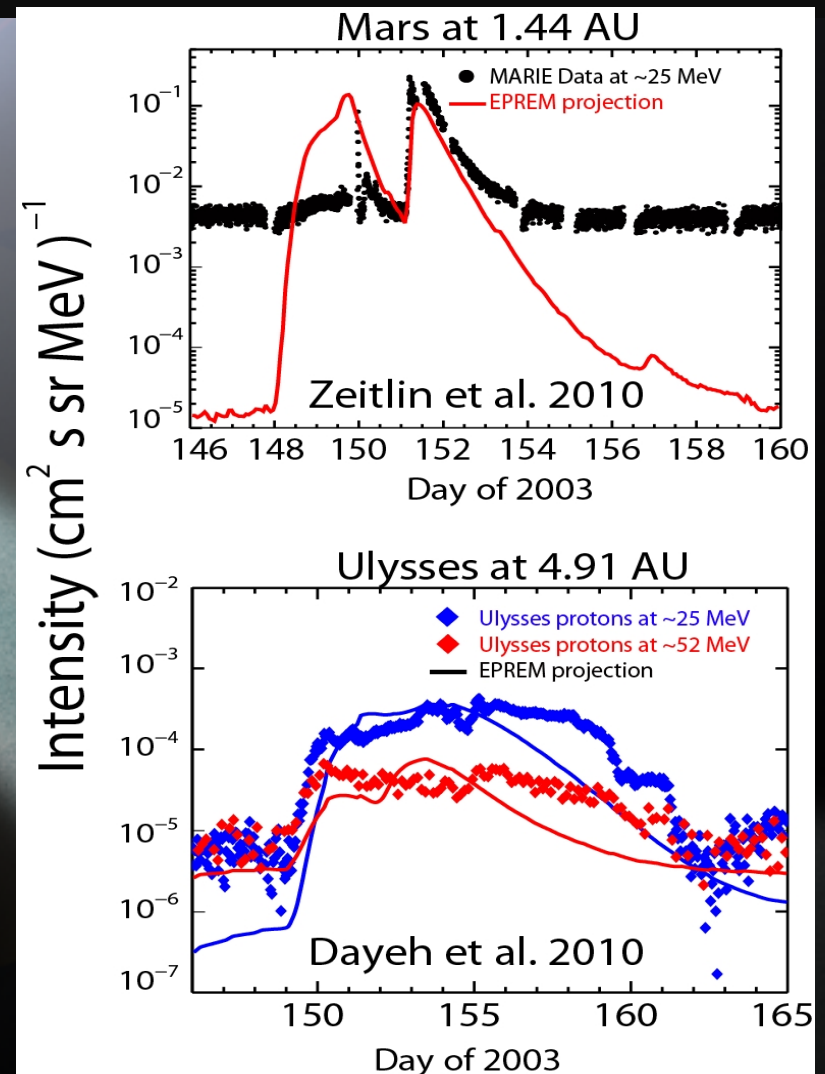
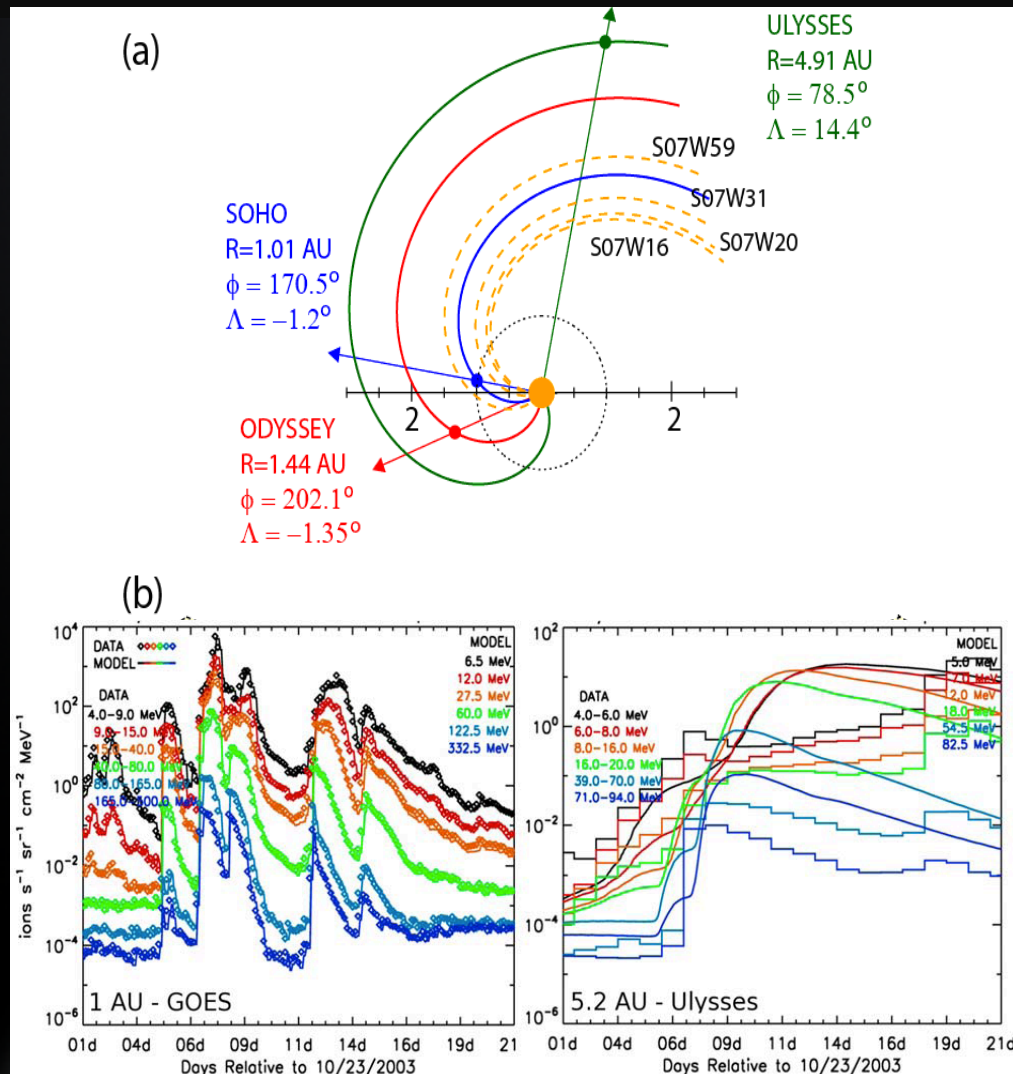
## Focused Transport in Lagrangian Frame (Kota, 2005)

$$\left(1 - \frac{(\vec{u} \cdot \vec{e}_b)v\mu}{c^2}\right) \frac{df}{dt} + v\mu \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} + \frac{(1-\mu^2)}{2} \left[ v \frac{\partial \ln B}{\partial z} - \frac{2}{v} \vec{e}_b \cdot \frac{d\vec{u}}{dt} + \mu \frac{d \ln(n^2/B^3)}{dt} \right] \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu} + \left[ -\frac{\mu \vec{e}_b \cdot d\vec{u}}{v} + \mu^2 \frac{d \ln(n/B)}{dt} + \frac{(1-\mu^2)}{2} \frac{d \ln B}{dt} \right] \frac{\partial f}{\partial \ln p} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} \left( \frac{D_{\mu\mu}}{2} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mu} \right) + S$$

- Cross-field Diffusion
- Drift



*EMMREM has proved very successful at predicting SEP spectra and radiation dose estimates at different distances in the inner heliosphere. Figures below show two recent papers by which SEP time profiles, onset, and radiation estimates were successfully predicted at Mars (Odyssey) and Ulysses located at 1.44 AU and 4.91 AU, respectively. 1 AU measurement from ACE, SoHO, and GOES.*

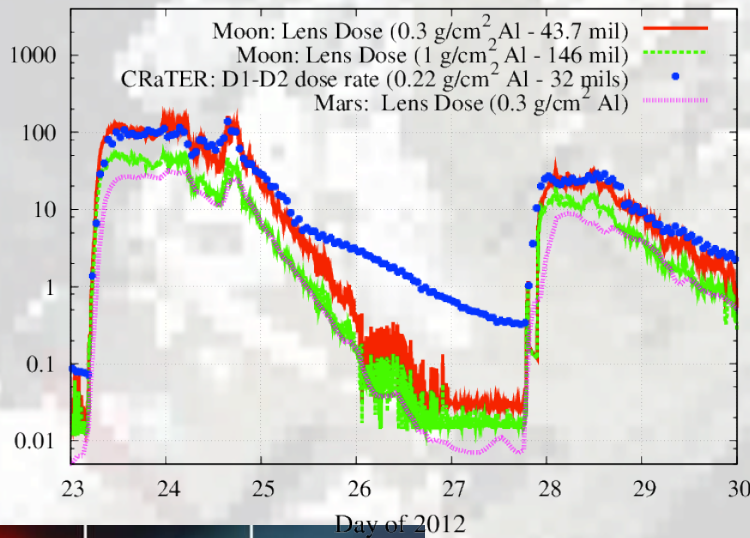




## SEP Events During 2012: Indicators of Larger SEP Events in the New Cycle (24)

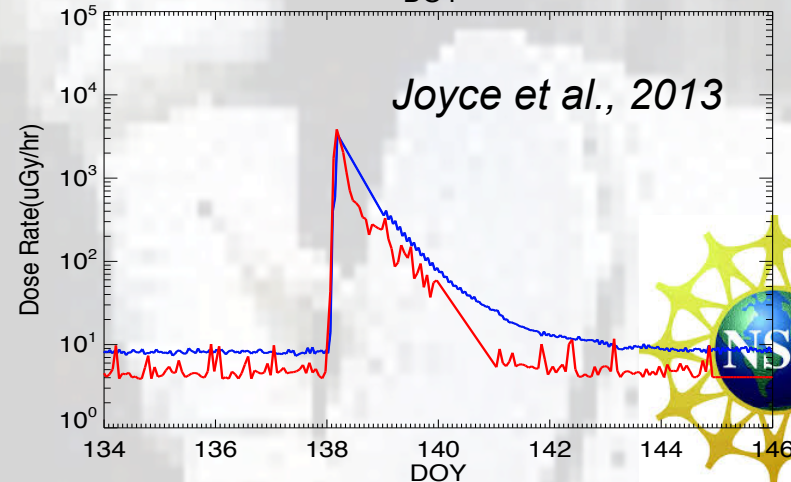
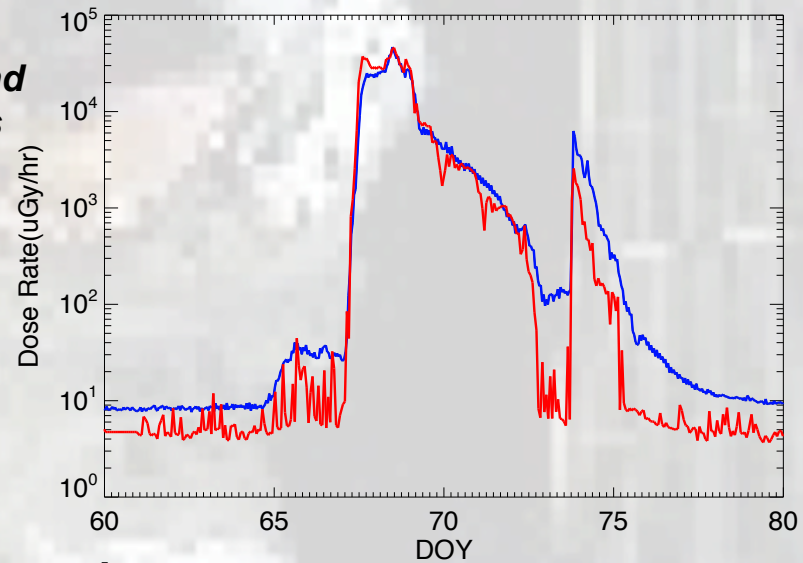
- Shown here are the major SEP events of 2012 and the comparisons between CRaTER observations (blue) and predicc predictions (red and green).
- Agreement reveals overall accuracy of models, while deviations likely reveal heavy ion contributions to dose observed by CRaTER

Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2012 Event

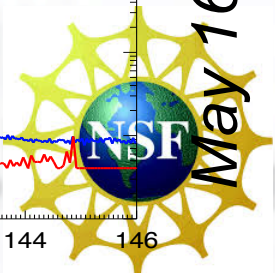


Schwadron et al., 2013

CRaTER (blue) EMMREM (red)

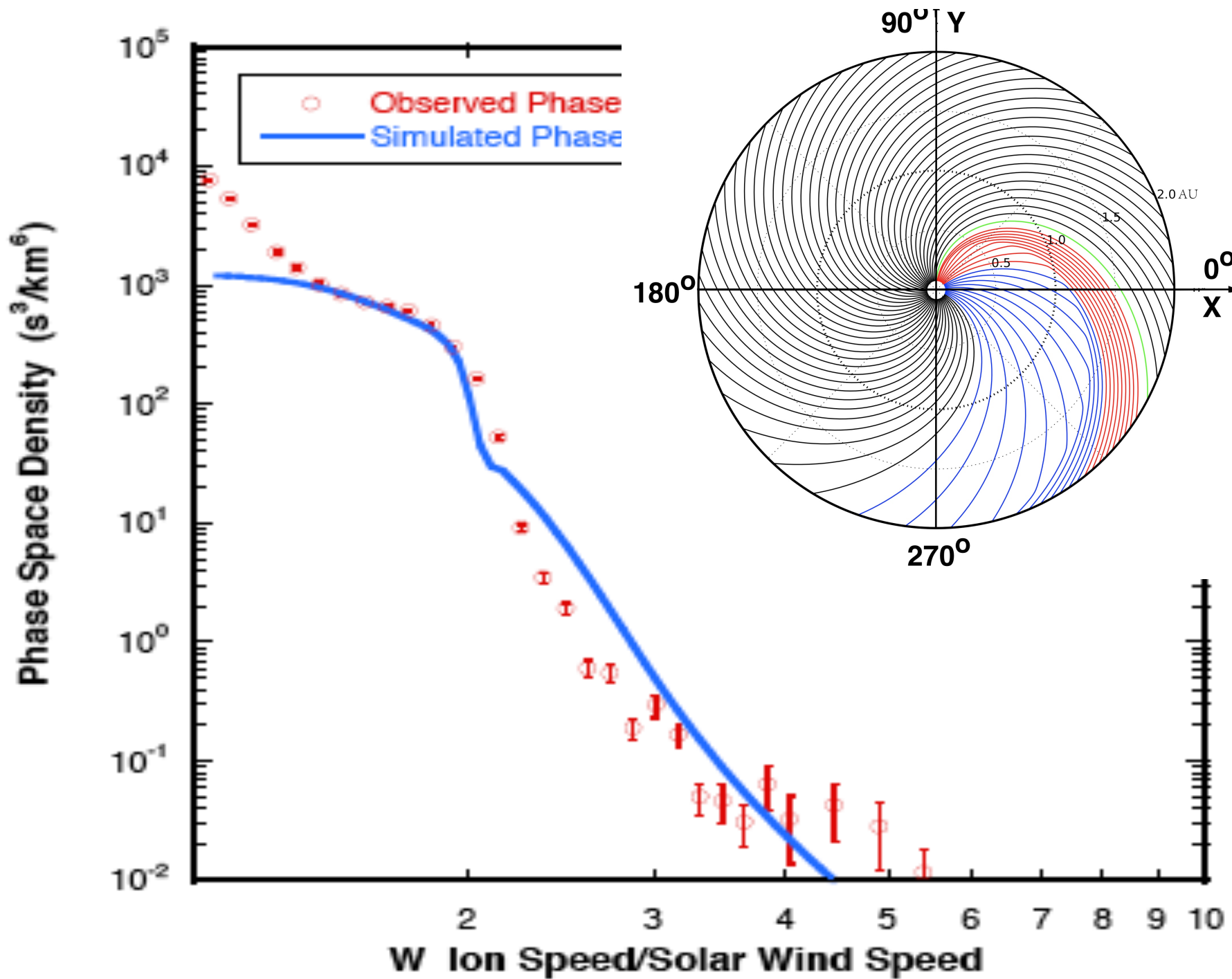


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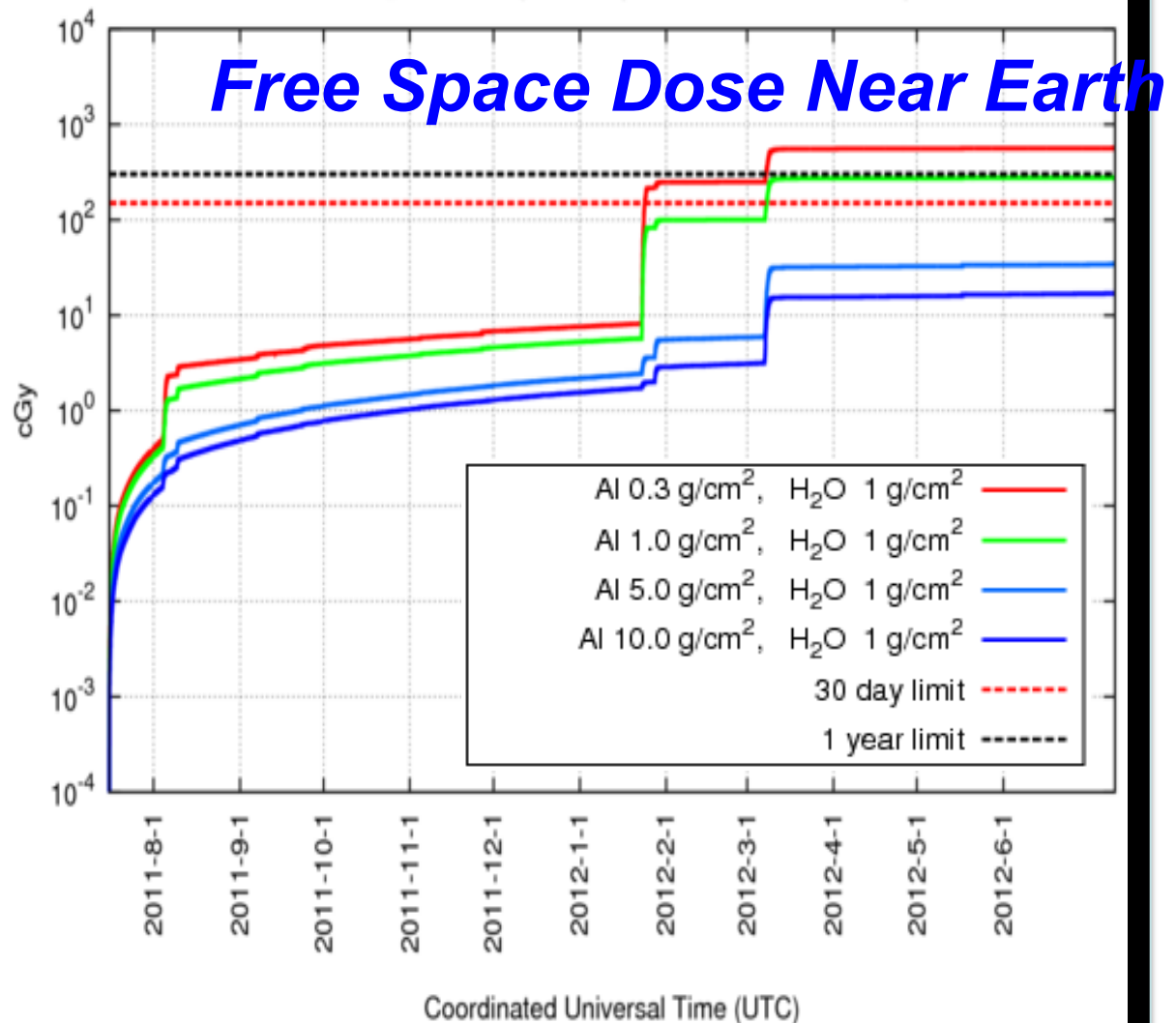
May 16, 2012 Event





# PREDICCS

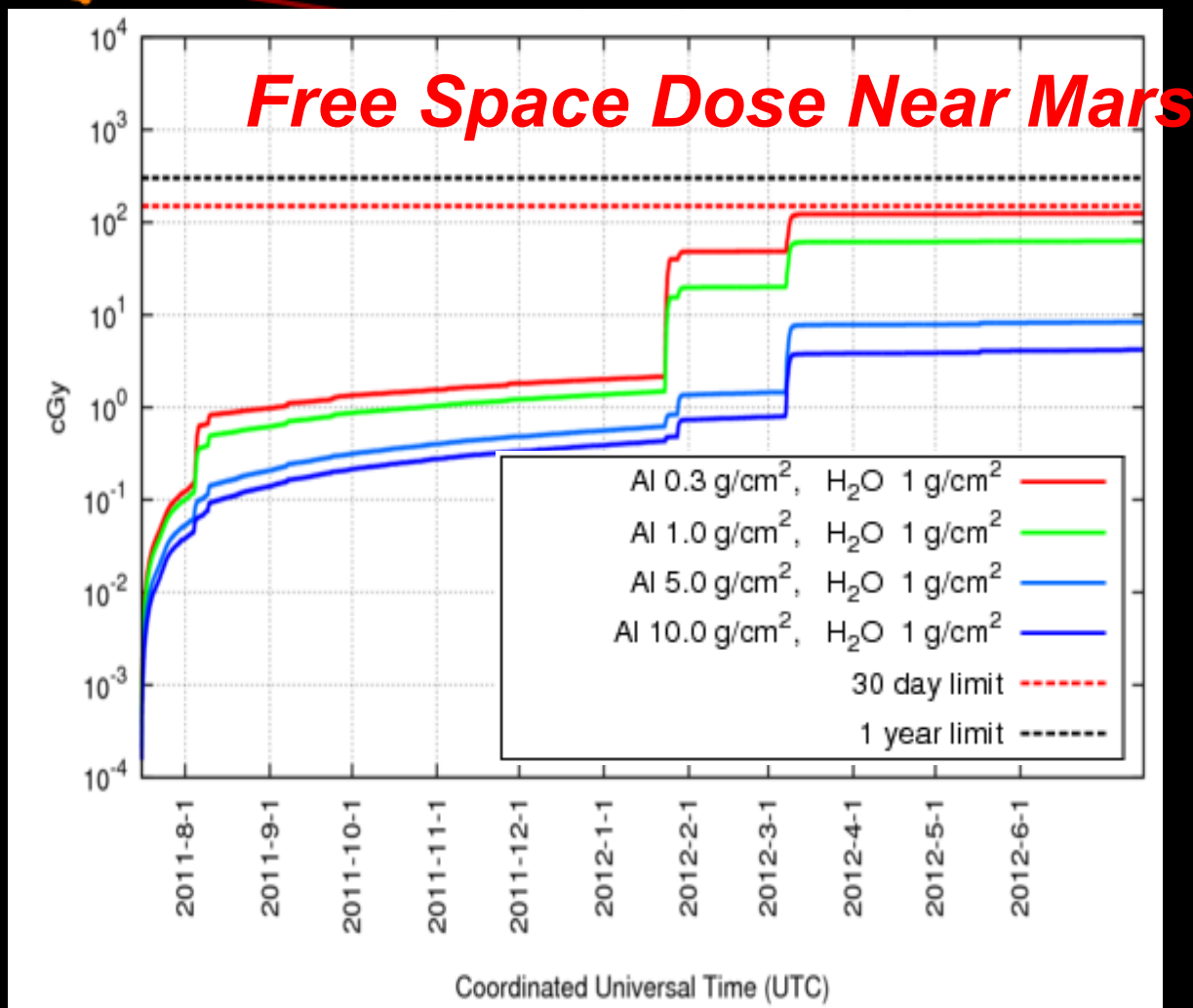
- System for Radiation Environment characterization (fluxes, doses, dose equivalents at Earth, Moon and Mars) on hourly thru yearly time frame
- Example: Snapshots of Current Yearly Doses at Earth and Mars
- Note: Exceeding 1-yr Free Space Dose Limits at Earth and Moon for  $< 1 \text{ g/cm}^2$  Al Shielding
- See more at <http://prediccs.sr.unh.edu/>





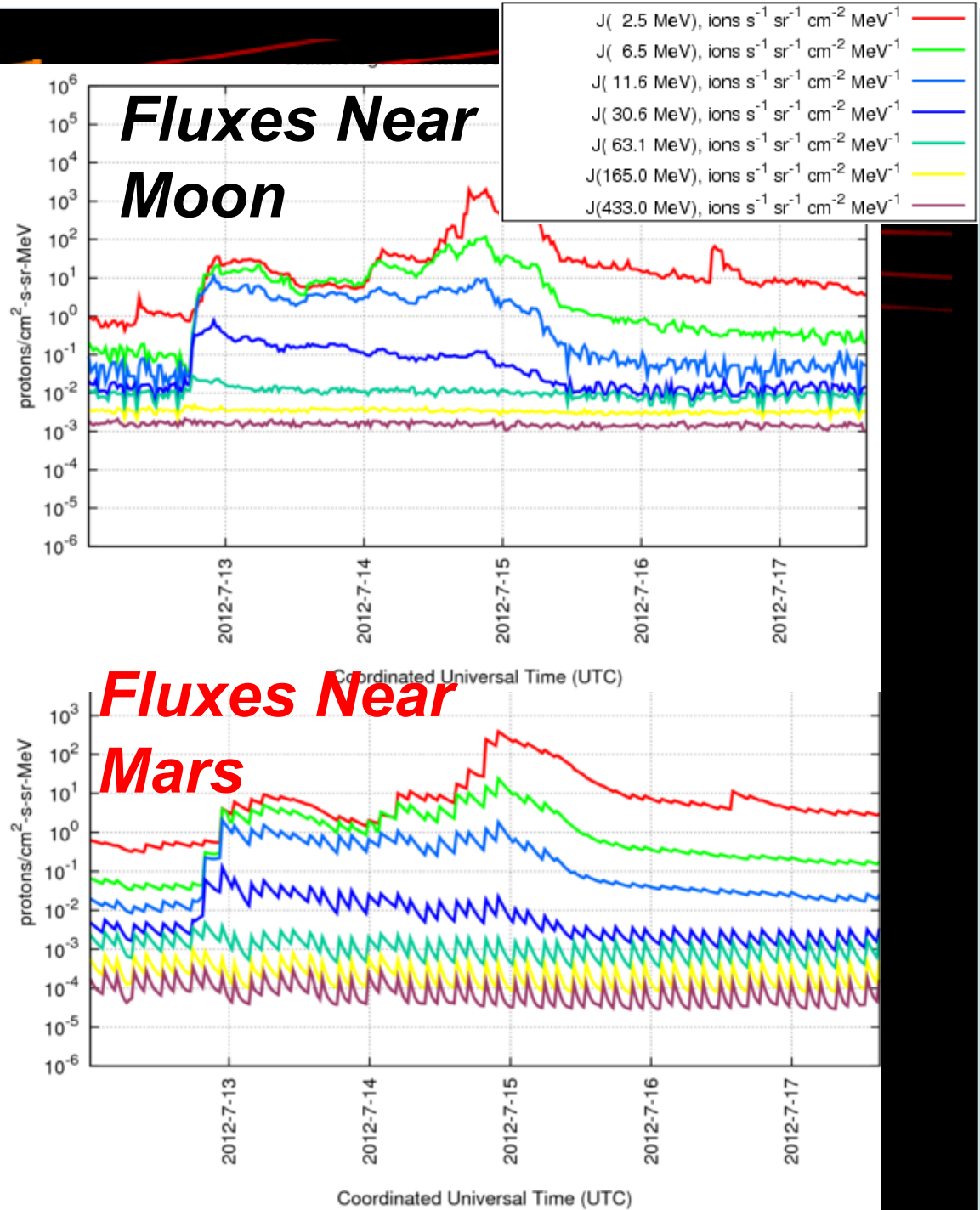


- Approaching 1-yr Free Space Dose Limits at Mars
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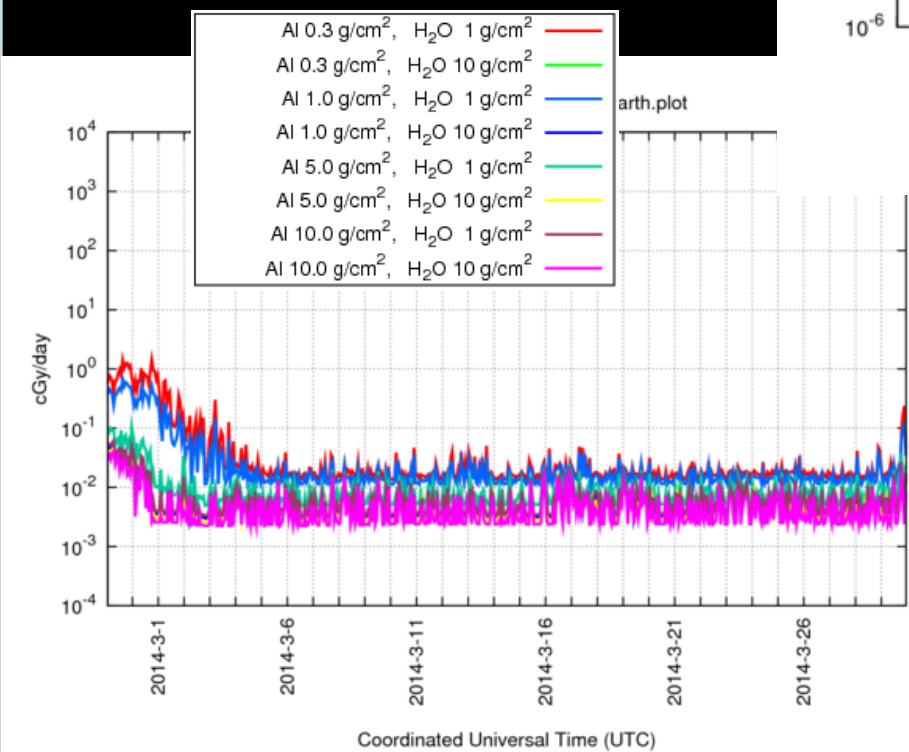
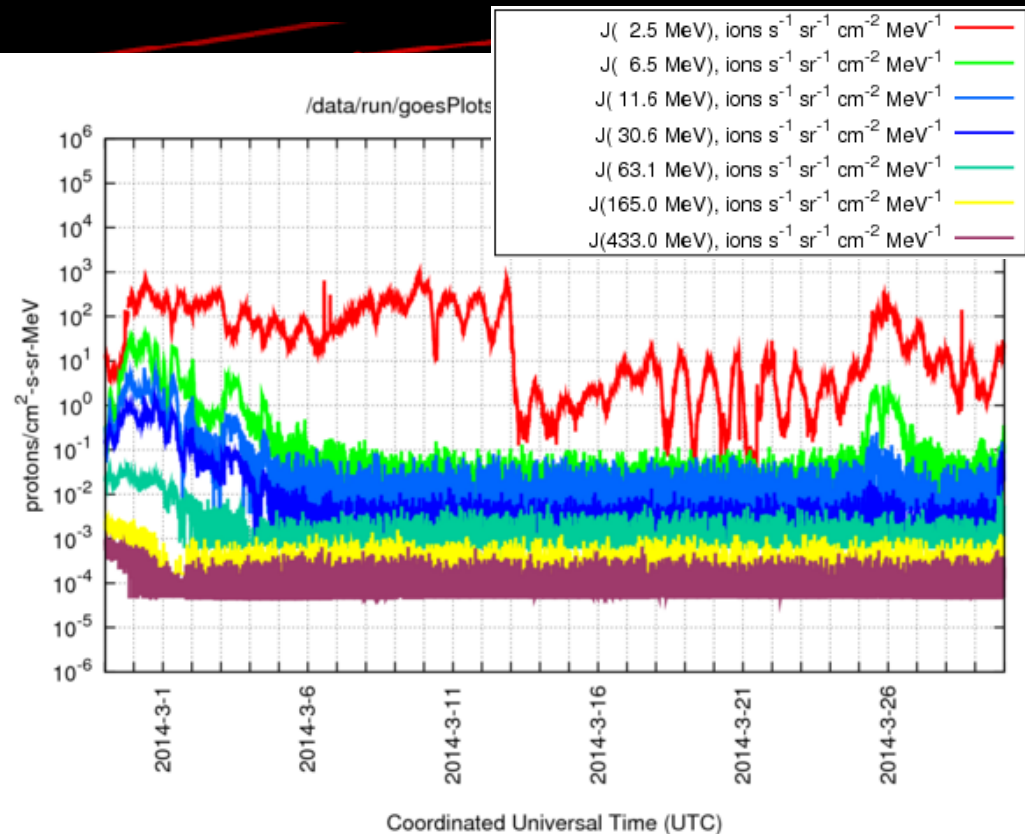
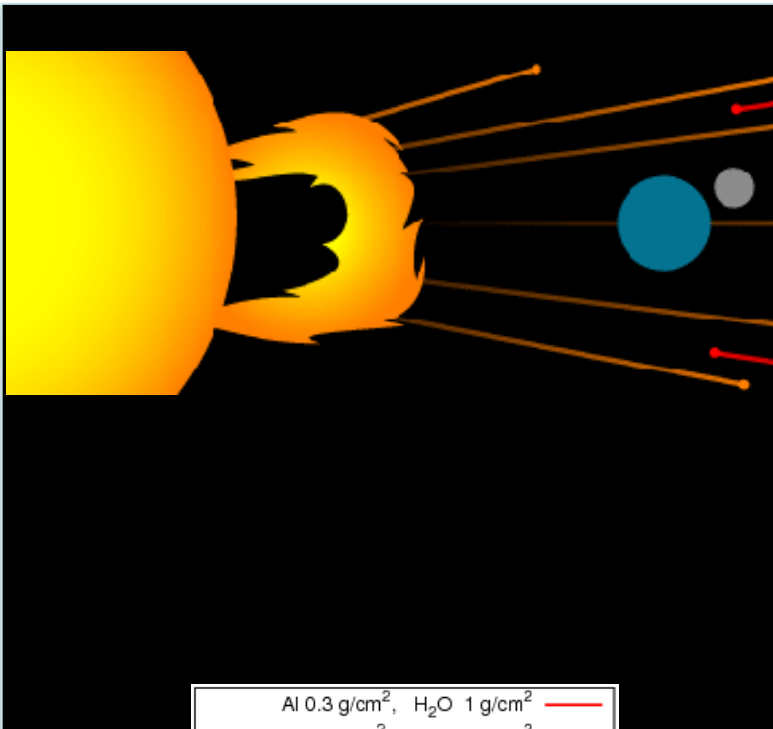




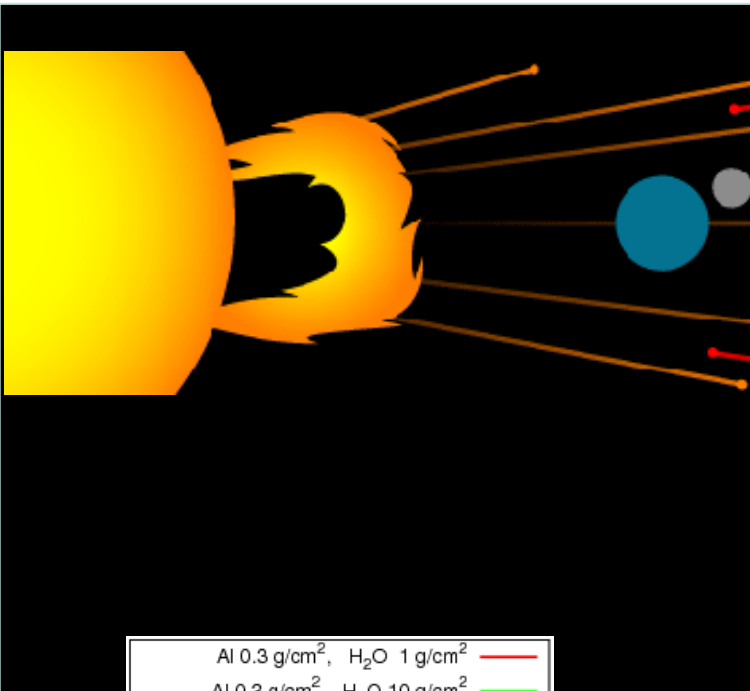
- Hourly updates (Earth, Moon, Mars) give time-critical updates on space radiation at Earth, Moon & Mars
- Shown Here recent 7/12/2012 and 7/15/2012 events at Moon and Mars



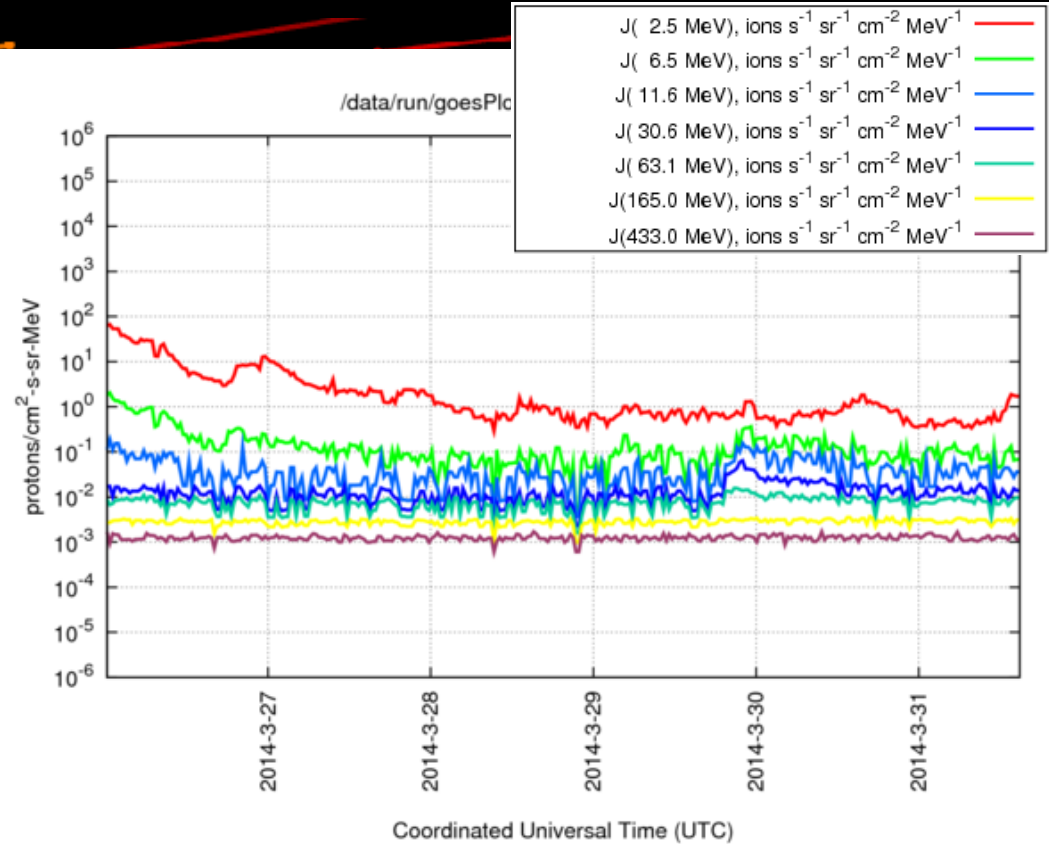
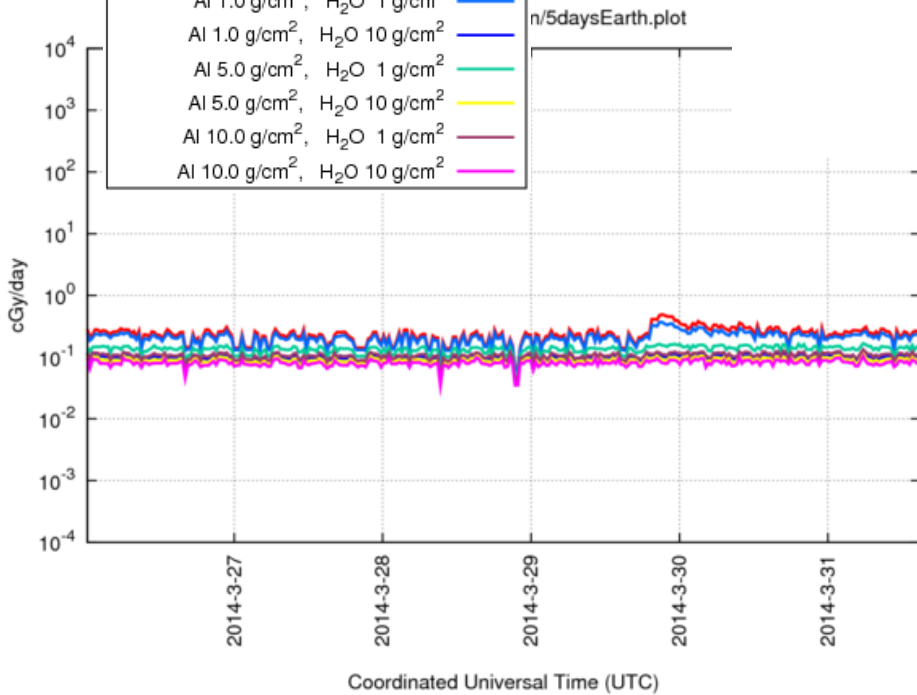




• Past 30 days



- Al 0.3 g/cm<sup>2</sup>, H<sub>2</sub>O 1 g/cm<sup>2</sup> — red
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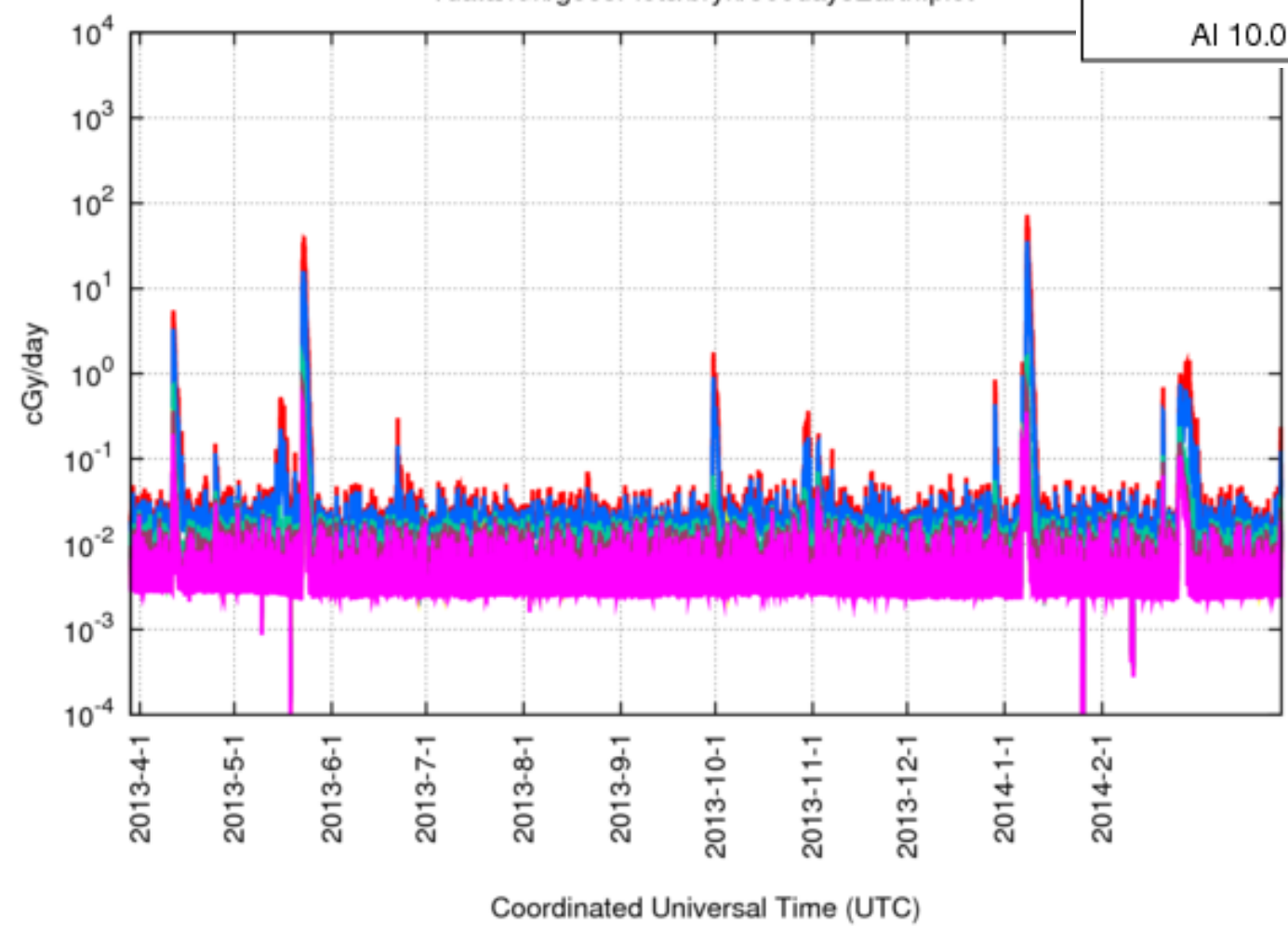
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- J( 6.5 MeV), ions s<sup>-1</sup> sr<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> MeV<sup>-1</sup> — green
- J( 11.6 MeV), ions s<sup>-1</sup> sr<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> MeV<sup>-1</sup> — blue
- J( 30.6 MeV), ions s<sup>-1</sup> sr<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> MeV<sup>-1</sup> — cyan
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- J(165.0 MeV), ions s<sup>-1</sup> sr<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> MeV<sup>-1</sup> — yellow
- J(433.0 MeV), ions s<sup>-1</sup> sr<sup>-1</sup> cm<sup>-2</sup> MeV<sup>-1</sup> — purple

• Now!

# PREDICO

- Al 0.3 g/cm<sup>2</sup>, H<sub>2</sub>O 1 g/cm<sup>2</sup> — red
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1 Year



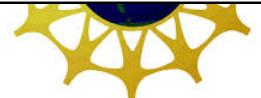
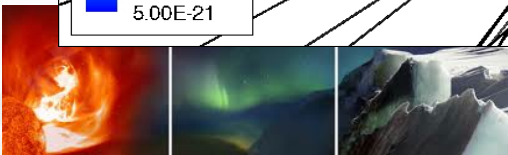
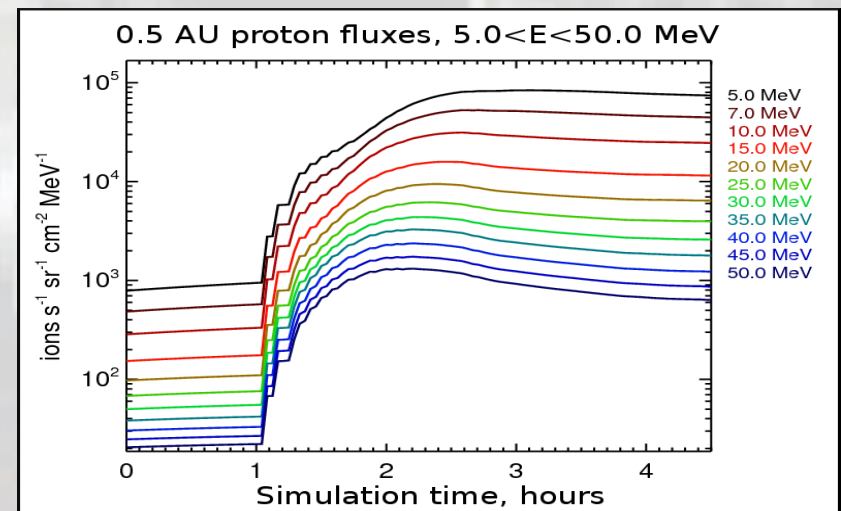
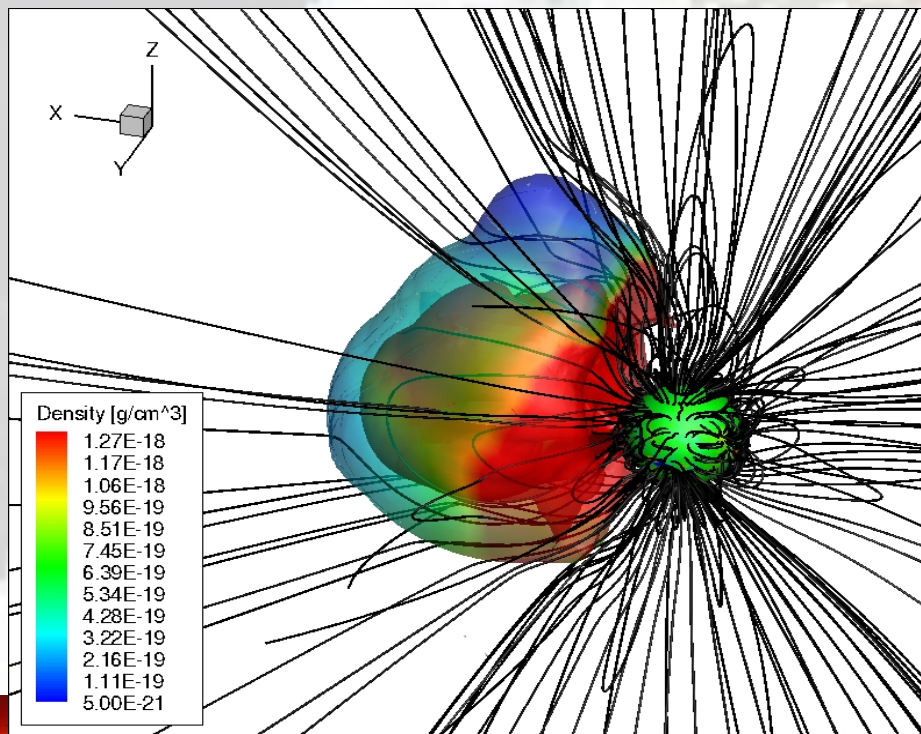


# EMMREM-MHD Coupling – Shock Acceleration from Seed Populations



Kozarev et al., ApJ 2013

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SAO/CfA*

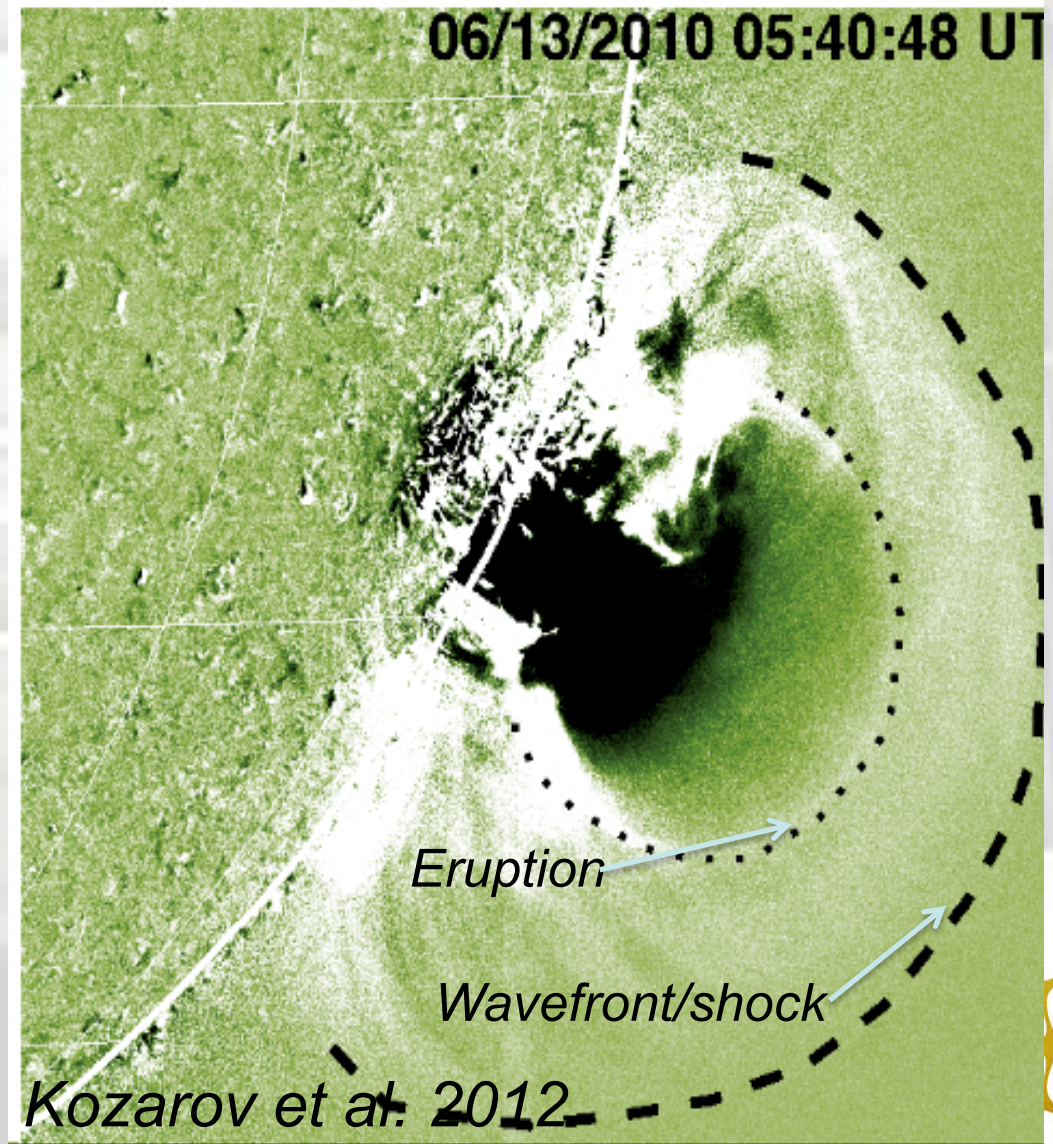




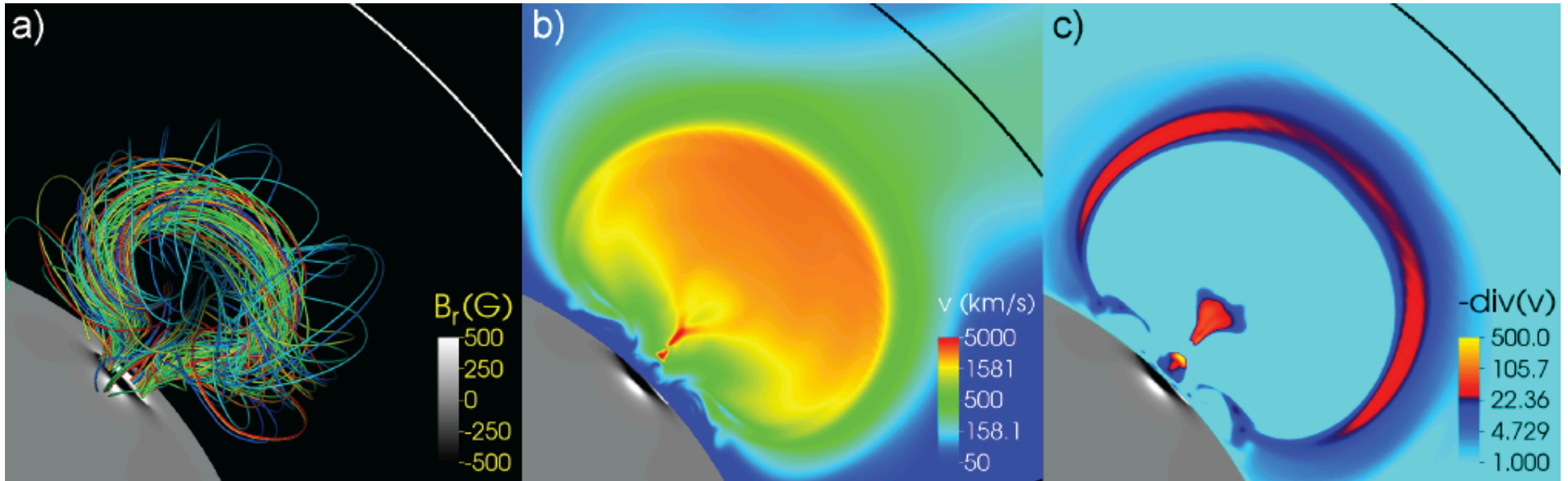
# Remote Observations Showing Events from the Low Corona

Formation of acceleration regions (from shocks and compressions) in the low corona critical missing piece in understanding sudden SEP onsets.

- AIA/211 image shows a stage of the 2010 June 13 coronal wave with
- The shock was formed at  $\sim 1.2 R_s$  and observed here at  $1.4 R_s$ .





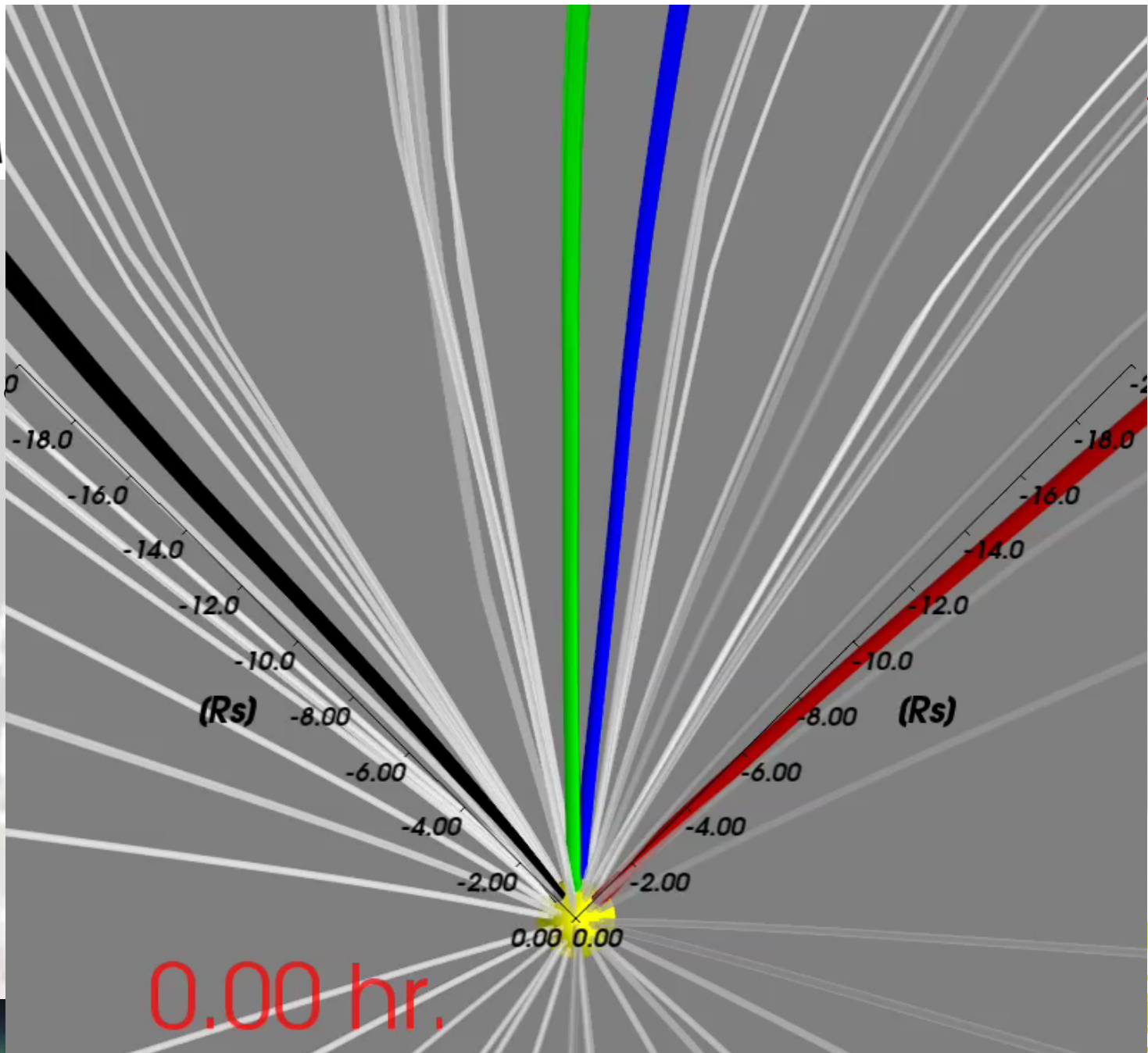


*Titov et al., 2013*

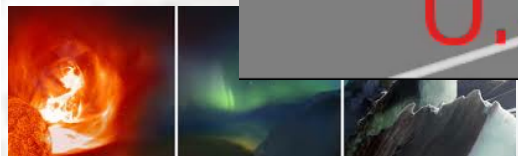
- Insert modified version of the flux rope model by Titov & Demoulin (1999) above the central polarity inversion line of AR.
  - AR + Flux Rope total unsigned flux of  $7.5 \times 10^{22}$  Mx
  - Max radial-field strength of 1070 G at the photospheric level



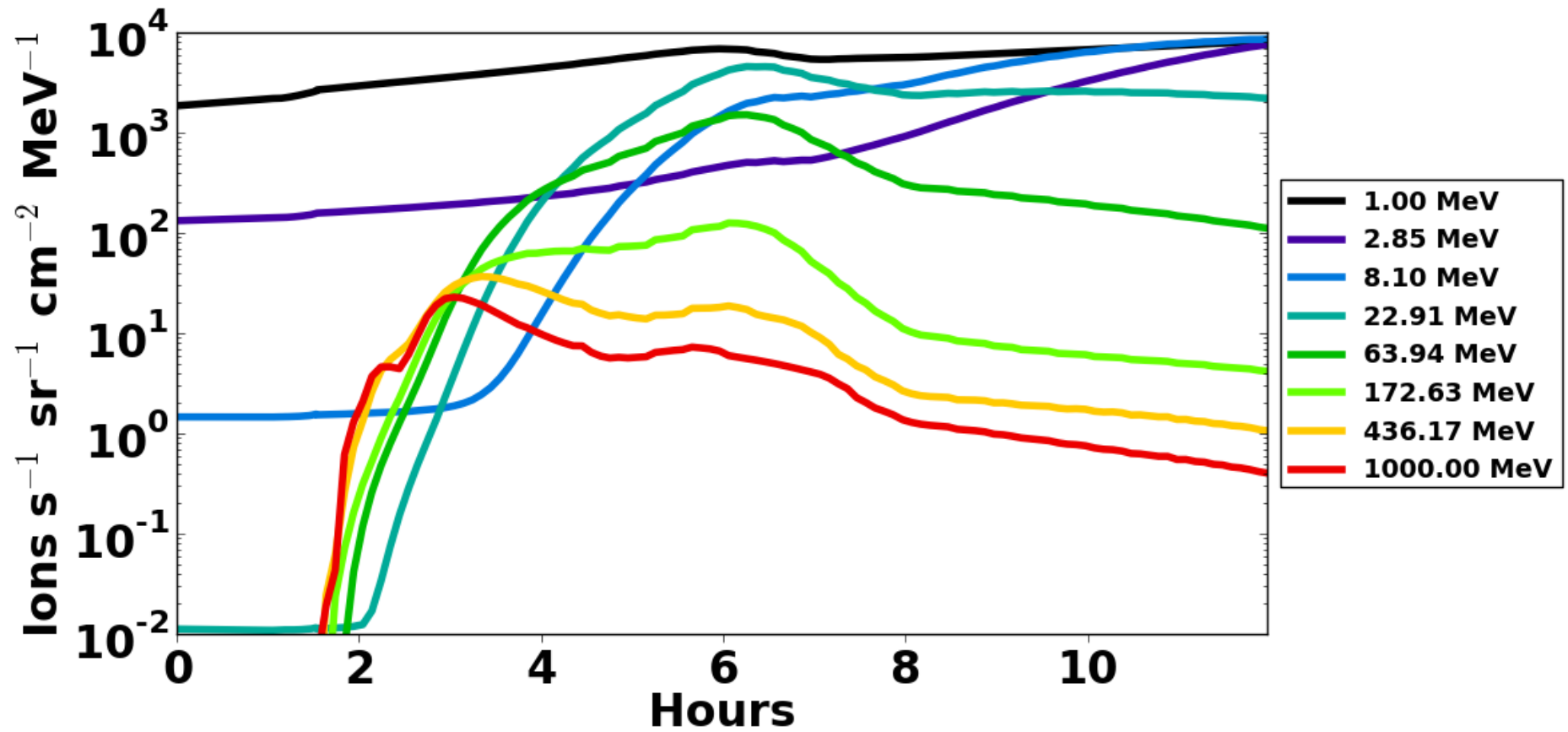


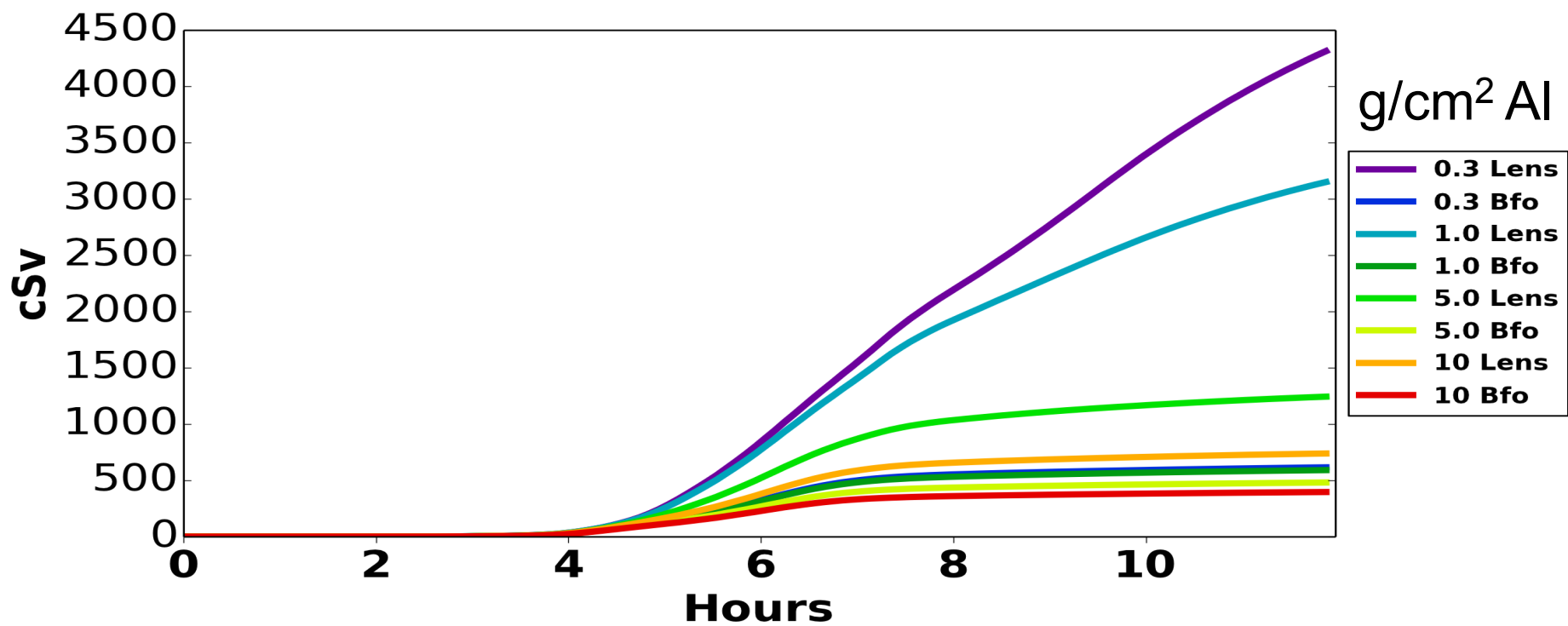
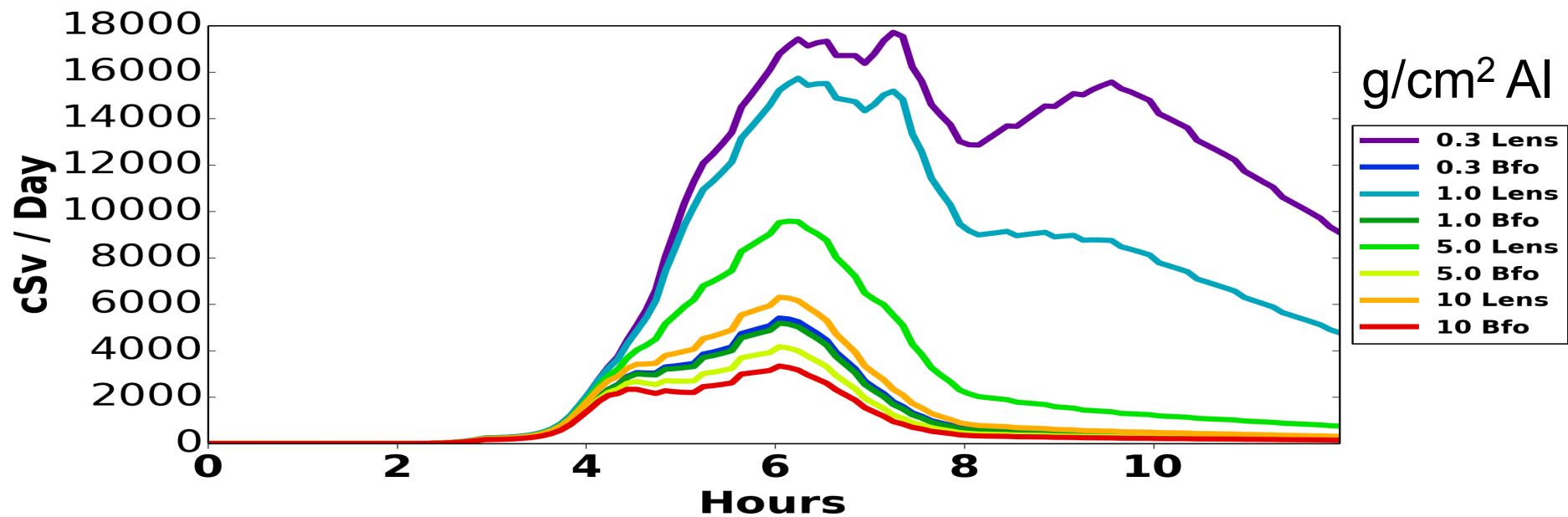


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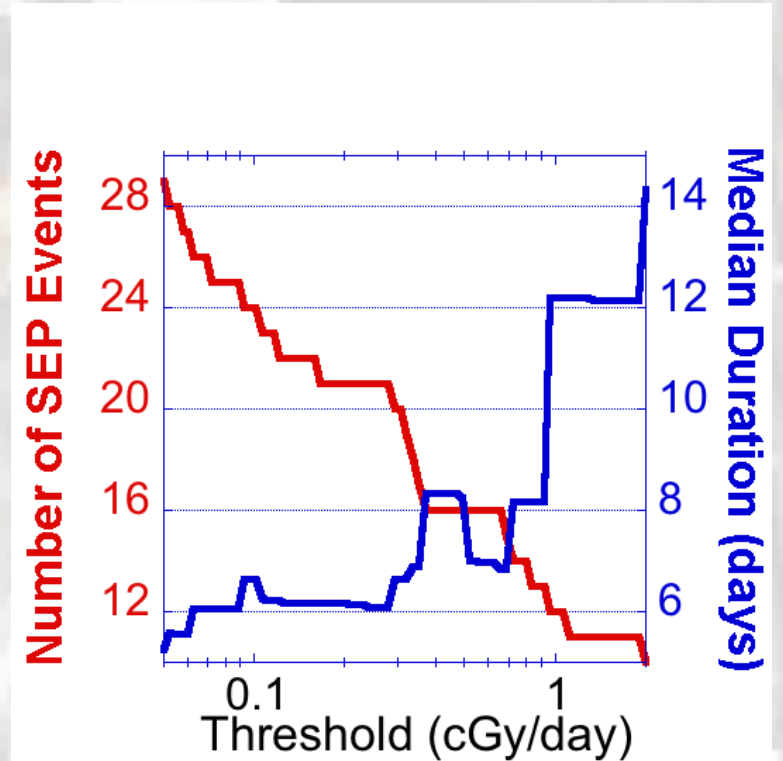
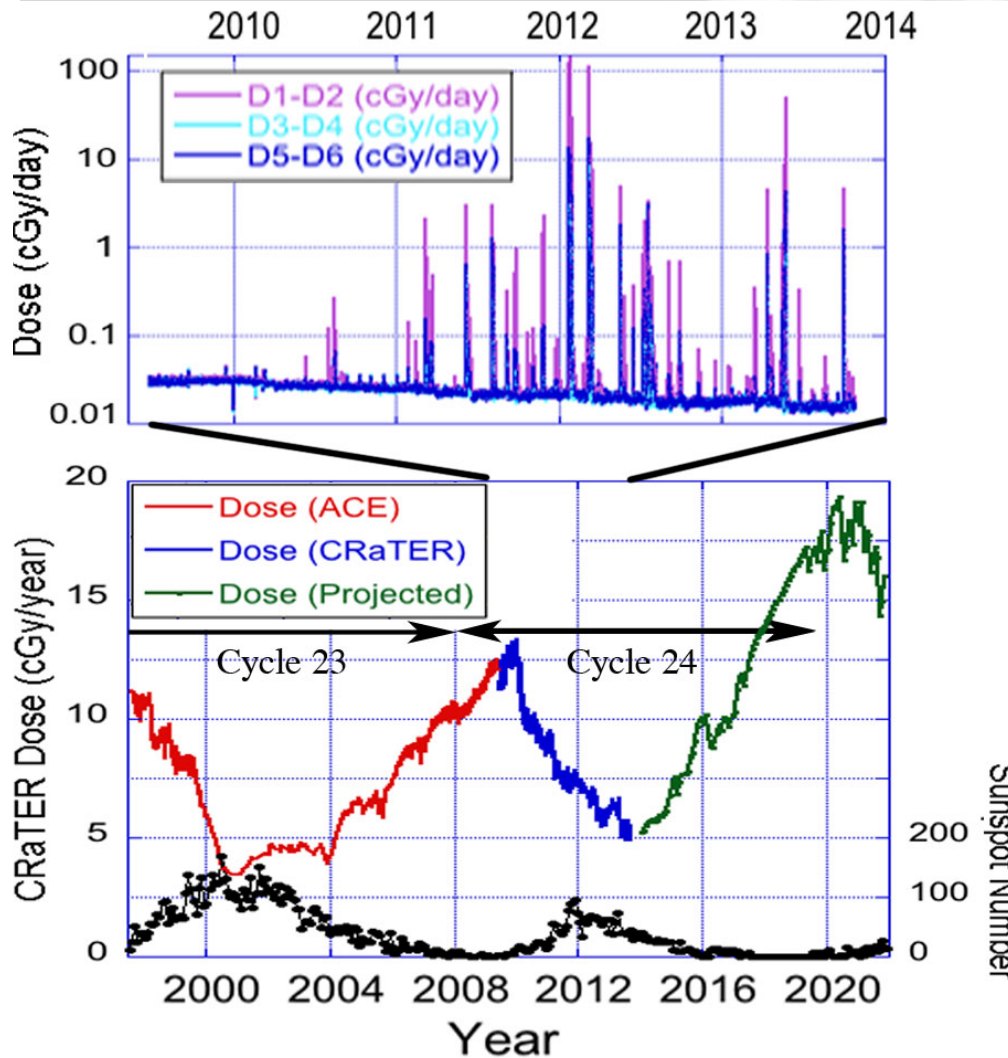
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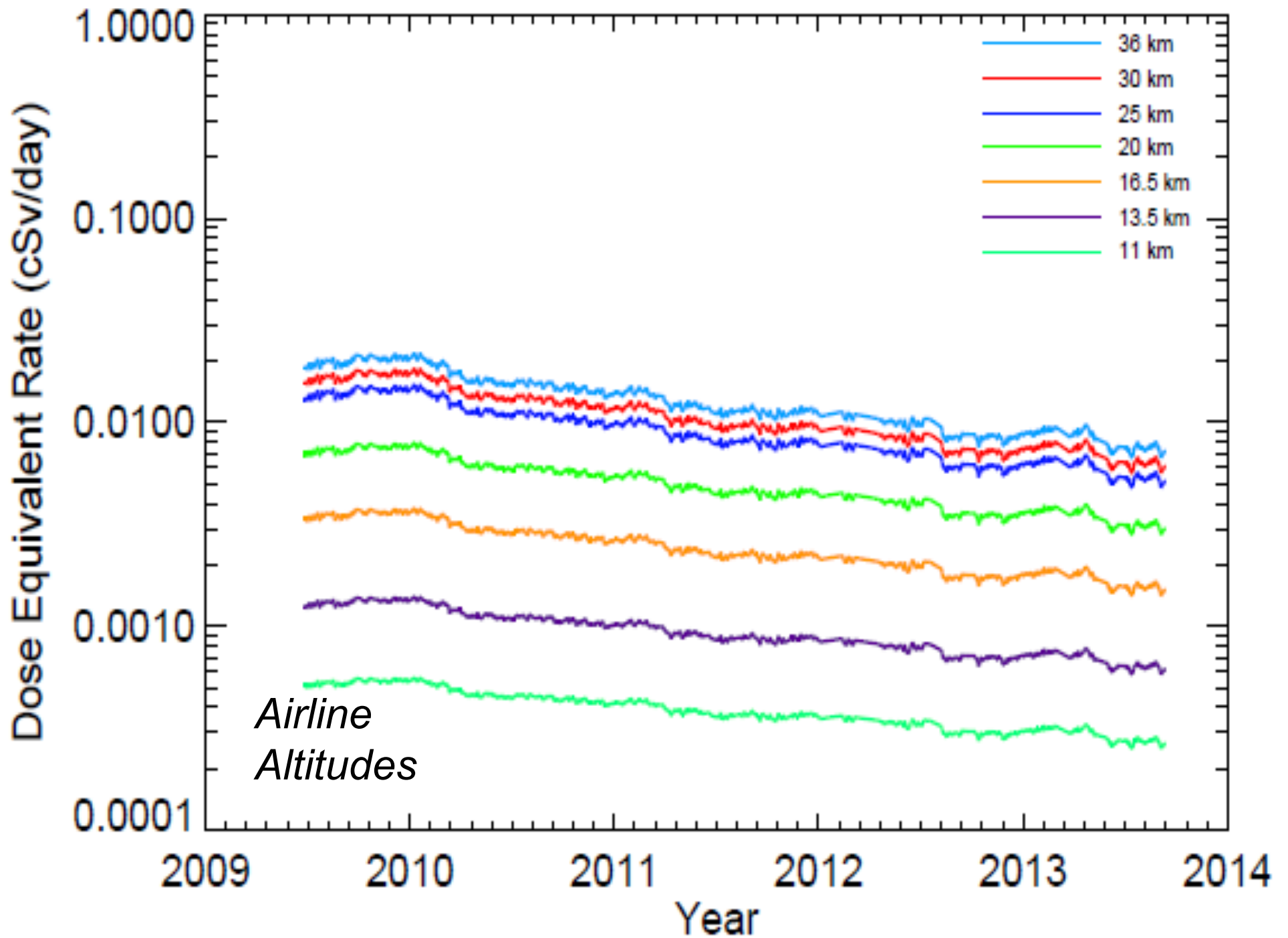






# Most Peculiar Cycle of Space Age







# Web Interface for the Energetic Particle Radiation Environment Module (EPREM)

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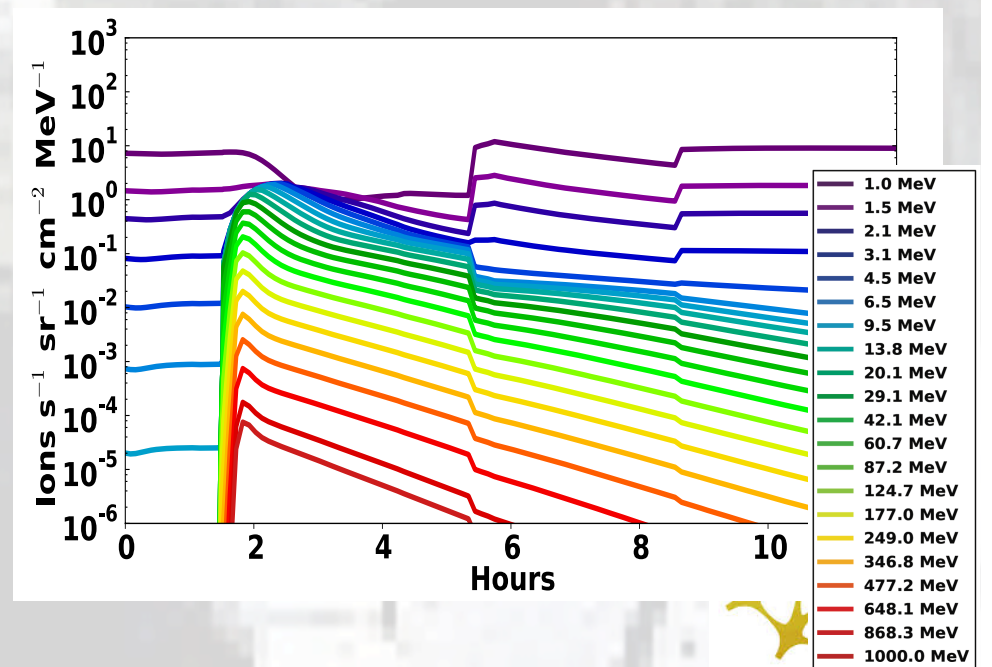
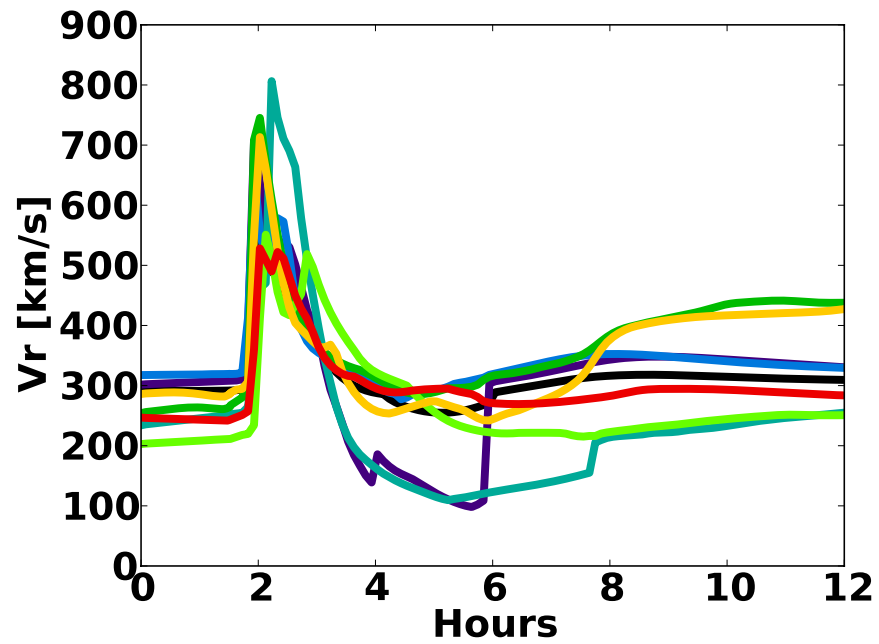
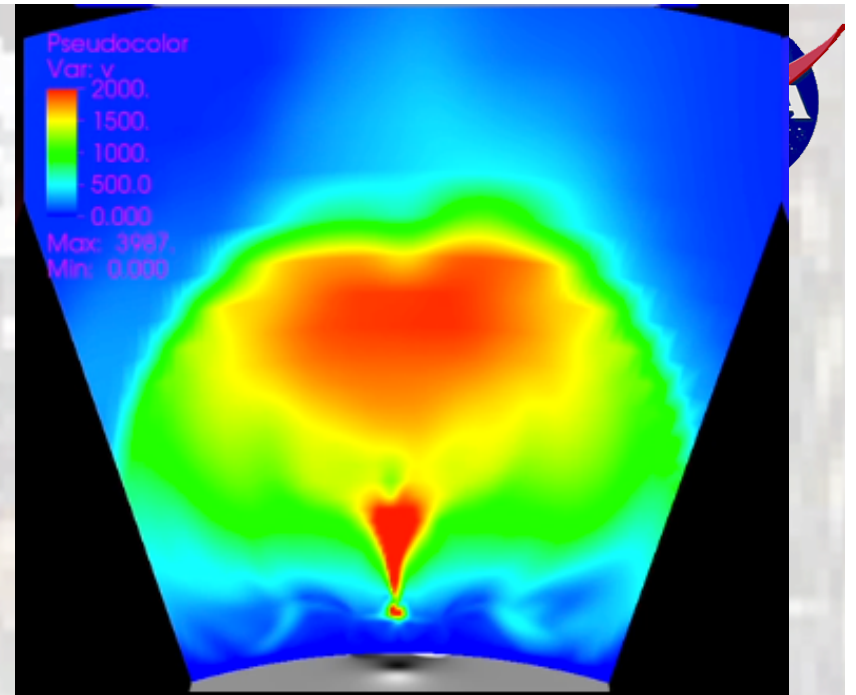
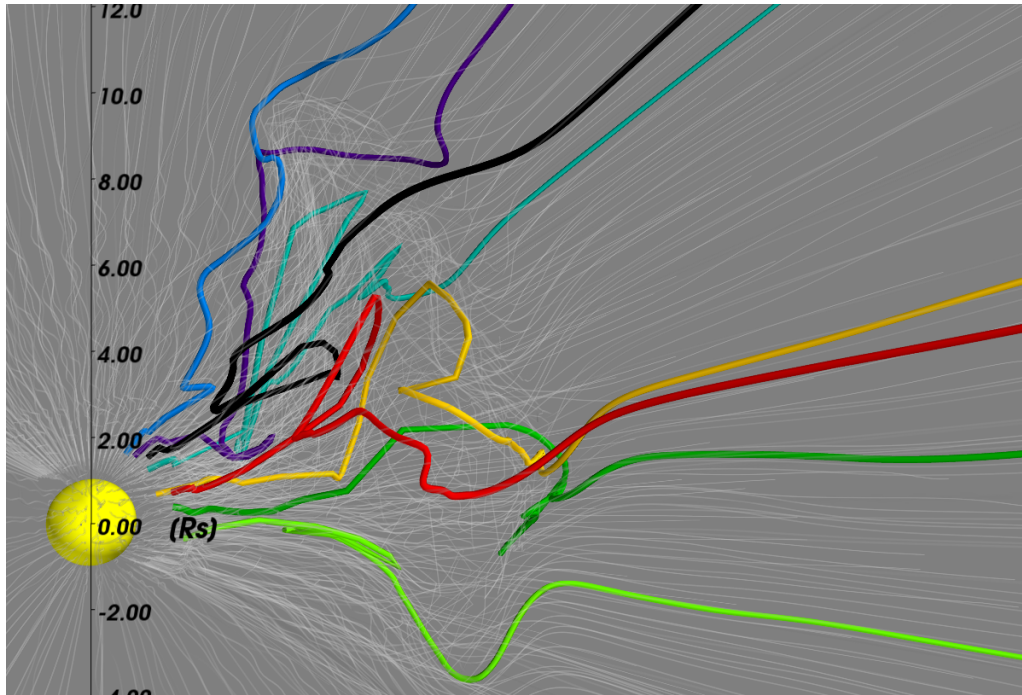
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# Core Needs



## Web Interface:

- Login / Request Access
- EULA
- Create Job
  - control simulation variables (limited set)
  - set queue parameters (nodes, procs / node, etc.)
- Check Status of Run
- Retrieve Output

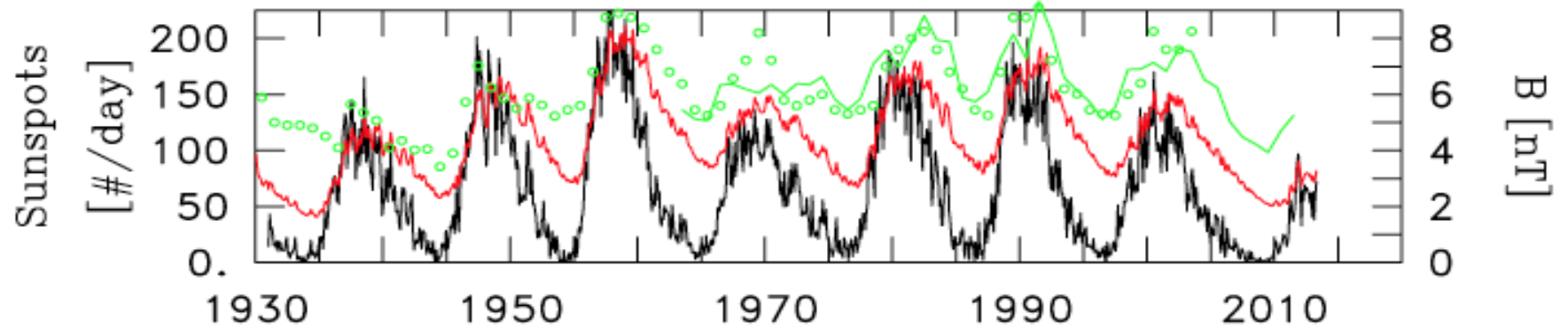
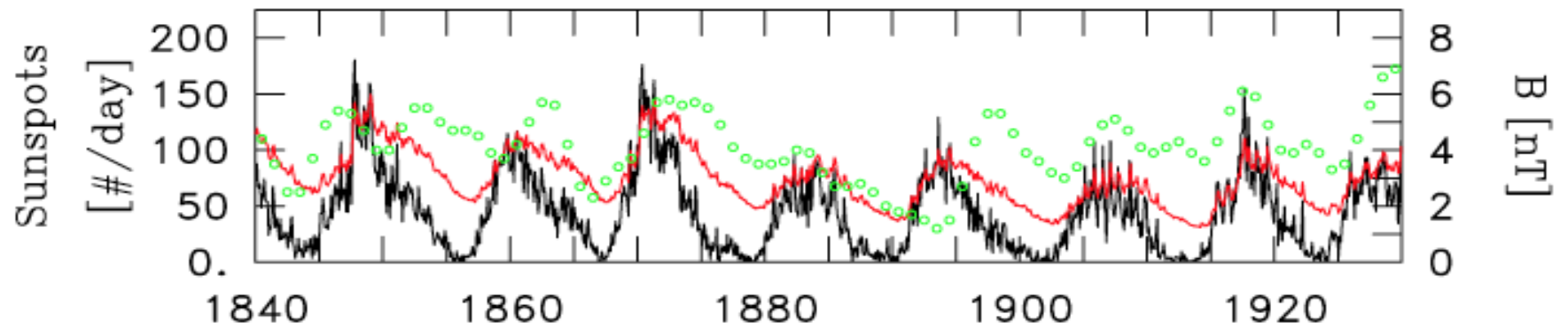
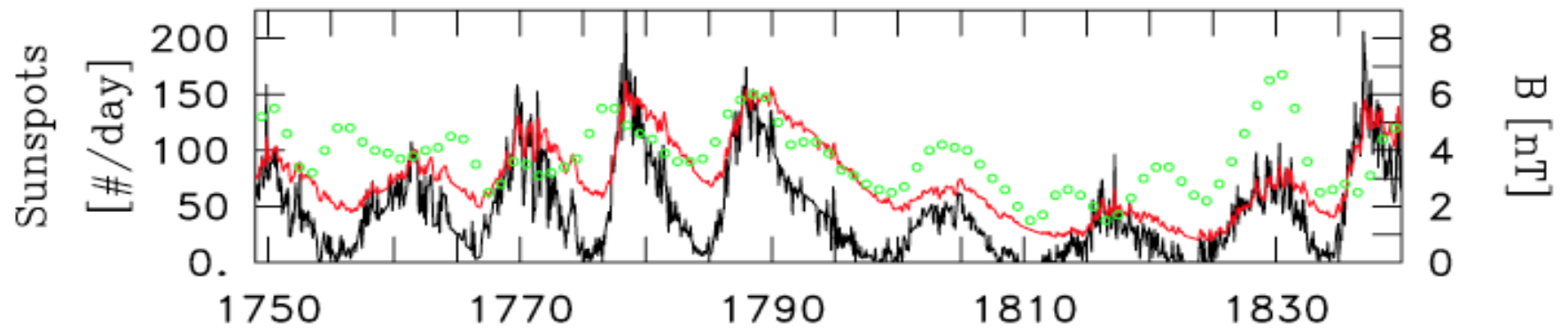


# Summary

- Earth-Moon Mars Engineering Model Successes!
- PREDICCS Situational Awareness of Space Radiation
- Discovering the Genesis of SEPs from the solar corona
- The remarkable evolution of the Sun into new states not observed in the space age





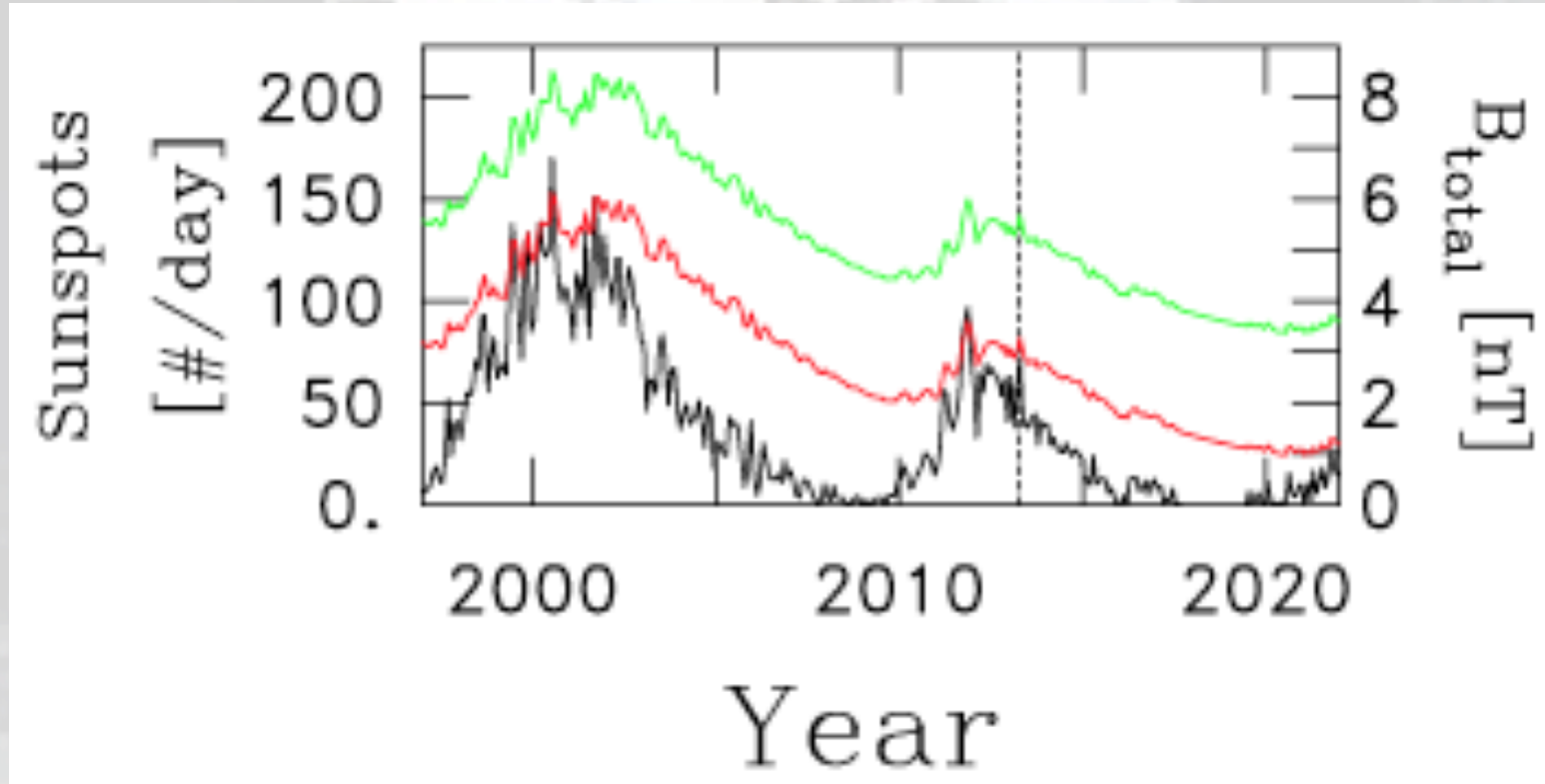


Year

*Goelzer et al., 2013*



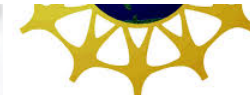
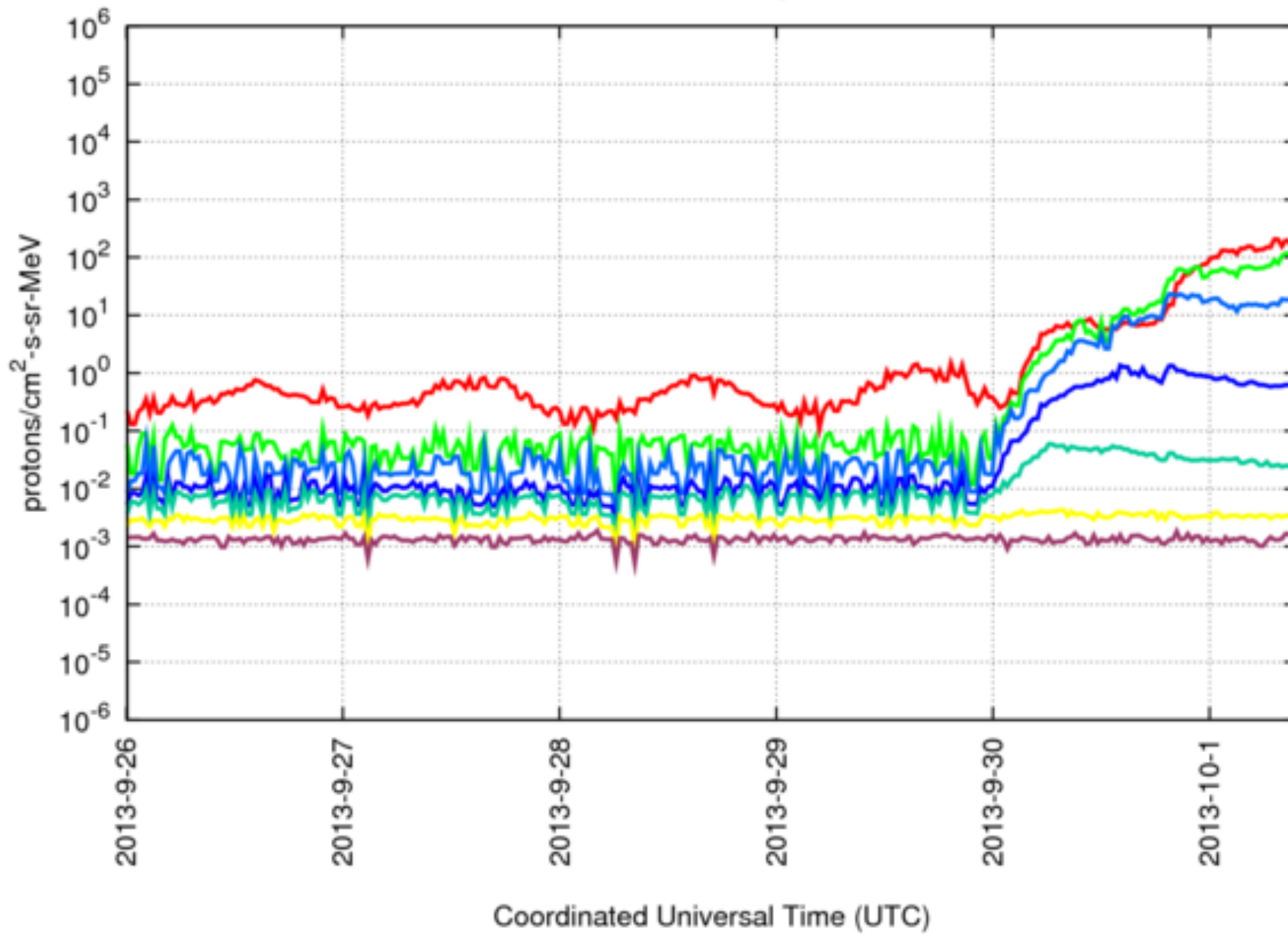
# The remarkable evolving Sun



Will the next cycle also look like the Dalton minimum (1807-1840)?



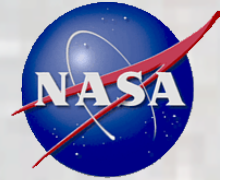
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# U. Tennessee – EMMREM Accomplishments



NNX07AC14G – L. Townsend

- Lead development of Scenario and Transport code modules
- Provided capability, in near-real-time, to calculate **radiation doses and LET spectra for tissue and electronics** behind spacecraft aluminum shields using “looping” BRYNTRN code
- Provided database of human organ radiation exposures for Al shielding thicknesses relevant to vehicle and habitat designs anywhere in **free space or in Mars atmosphere** for GCR and
- Calculations of **doses, dose equivalents and effective dose for GCR and SEP protons at aircraft altitudes in Earth’s atmosphere** are completed. Heavy ion component calculations are in progress
- Publications (author/coauthor)
  - 10 journal articles
  - 4 invited paper presentations
  - 15 contributed paper presentations
- 3 graduate students supported



SEP spectra covering the entire solar cycle





# Transition to Prediction & Operations

- New ESMD/LRO Predictive Model

## Task Description

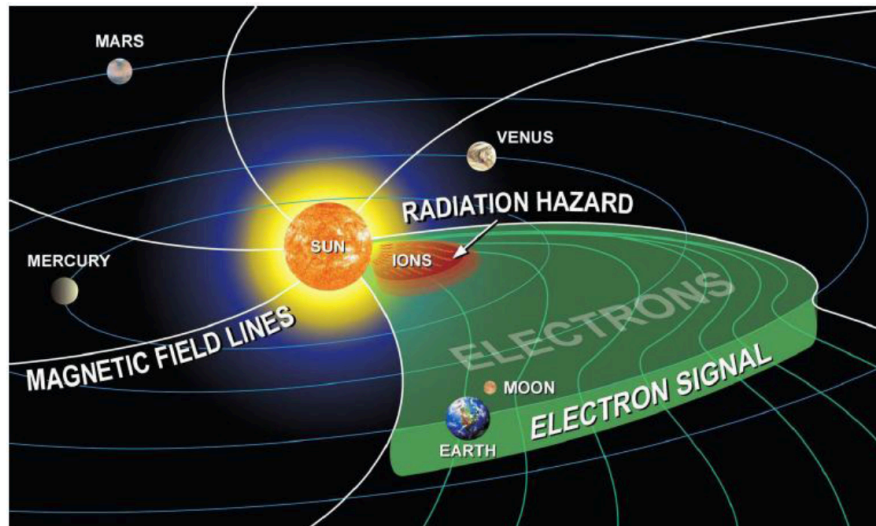
## Value to ESMD

(1) SEP Prediction Development

Uses CRaTER observations and existing models to **improve advanced warning of solar proton events**

(2) Radiation Environment Forecasting

Develops analysis and modeling tool combined with CRaTER observations to **extend prediction of the radiation environment well beyond low Earth orbit**, not only at Moon but also throughout the inner heliosphere, including at Earth, Moon, Mars, Asteroids, and Comets



Southwest Research Institute

Figure from Posner et al. (2009) demonstrating how relativistic electrons racing ahead of SEP ions provide an early warning of the radiation hazard to follow up to one hour later.



# Next Steps for EMMREM

- Transition to Operations and Predictive Models
- Development of Comprehensive Risk Models
- Coupling between MHD & EPREM
- Continued development of PATH into a predictive model



# Modeling Large SEP Events with PATH Code

- Zank et al., AGU, 2010

