

Space weather activities in Finland

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PECASUS (pecasus.eu)

Partnership of Excellence for Civil Aviation Space weather User Services

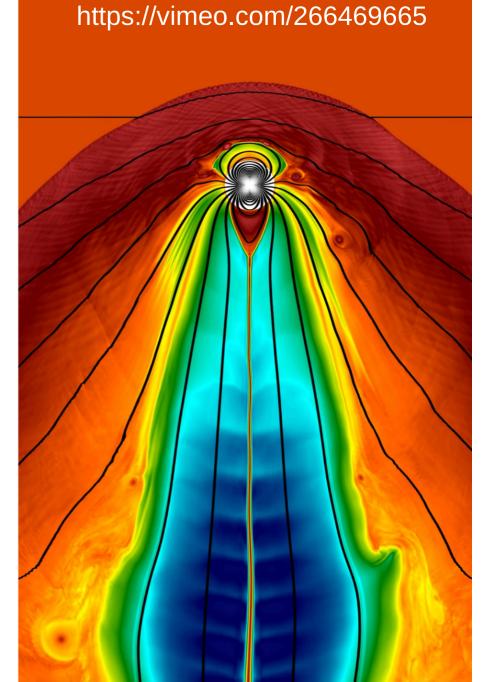
- Space weather monitoring for global civil aviation (ICAO)
- Led by Finnish Meteorological Institute (FMI)
 - DLR, FU, INGV, KNMI, SANSA, SL, SRC, STCE, UKMO
- One of 4 centers taking 2 week shifts for 24/7 operation
- Advisory types: High-Frequency COMmunication, GNSSbased navigation, increased RADIATION dose (FL250-600)
- Operations started in 2019



Vlasiator (physics.helsinki.fi/vlasiator)

- Ion-kinetic modeling of Earth's magnetosphere in 2D (+vx,vy,vz)
 - 3D & ionosphere under development
- Massively more computationally demanding than MHD
- Impossible physics for MHD
- Free software: github.com/fmihpc/vlasiator
- Project currently at UH.fi, previously at FMI

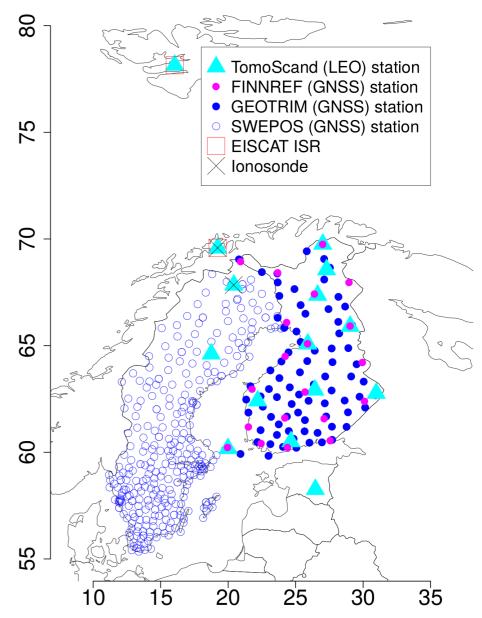




TomoScand

- 3D reconstruction of ionospheric electron density
- Multi-instrument ionospheric tomography
- Can utilize any electron densityrelated measurement
 - GNSS, ionosonde, etc
- Joint project of FMI.fi and SGO.fi





https://space.fmi.fi/MIRACLE/tomoscand/images/rec_full.png

Some new SW projects in Finland

- Ionospheric situational awareness: HISSA, ISAw
- Eur incorherent scatter radar 3D: KAIRA
- Lapland satellite 1
- IMAGE mag network expanded to Poland and Germany
- GUMICS: 22 year simulation of Earth's magnetosphere

