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EMFISIS Data Example (5-15-2013)





Pc1 Pearls





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Ground-Space Correlation





Paulsson, et al, 2014

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Rising Tone Magnetosonic Waves

From March 3, 2014.



From S.Boardsen, GSFC and G. Hospodaarsky, UI



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Both Spacecraft

From March 3, 2014





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Hiss Growth

RBSP-A shows growth at very low frequencies



Northward Away Case

RBSP-A/EMFISIS HFR Spectra Data



2013-07-27 (208) 11:38 to 20:36 (orbit:rbspa-pp:886)



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Southward Away Case

RBSP-A/EMFISIS HFR Spectra Data



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Skimming Plasmapause Case







Poynting Flex vs Mlat



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Electrons Producing Chorus?

Electrons with energy above ~20 keV don't seem well-correlated





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Wave Normal Direction



Wave normal can be quite oblique HE UNIVERSITY OF IOWA





Wave-particle interaction

Parallel propagation, non-relativistic

Whistler mode Dispersion relation:

$$\frac{k^2 c^2}{\omega^2} = 1 + \frac{\omega_{pe}^2}{\omega(\omega_{ce}\cos\theta - \omega)}$$

Resonance Condition:

$$\omega - k_{||} v_{||} = \omega_{ce}$$

Resonant

Energy:





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Wave Direction and Resonance



Example resonance curves from Chum, et al. [2007].
Oblique wave normal lowers resonance energy.
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Electron Resonant Energy







Testing Cold Plasma Dispersion

Comparing measured wave magnetic field to calculated value.







Conclusions

- Van Allen Probes continue to return outstanding data
- EMIC "Pearls" suggest structure is from generation region, not bouncing wave packets.
- Plasmaspheric hiss can be very low frequency.
- Poynting flux direction of plasmaspheric hiss suggests that most hiss is locally generated in the plasmasphere.
- Largest amplitude hiss, however, may not be locally generated.
- Chorus generation appears to be from electrons with energies less than 100 keV at most.
- Initial results show cold plasma theory generally works well.



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That's all folks!



