

東大Tomo-e Gozenと京大MUレーダーによる 微光流星の同時観測

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Tomo-e Gozen project, and MU Radar project

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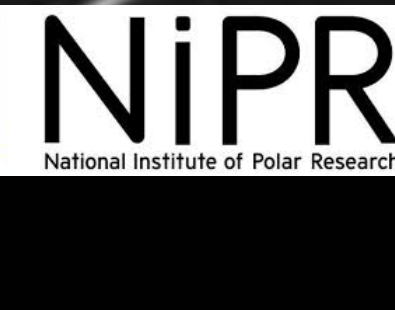
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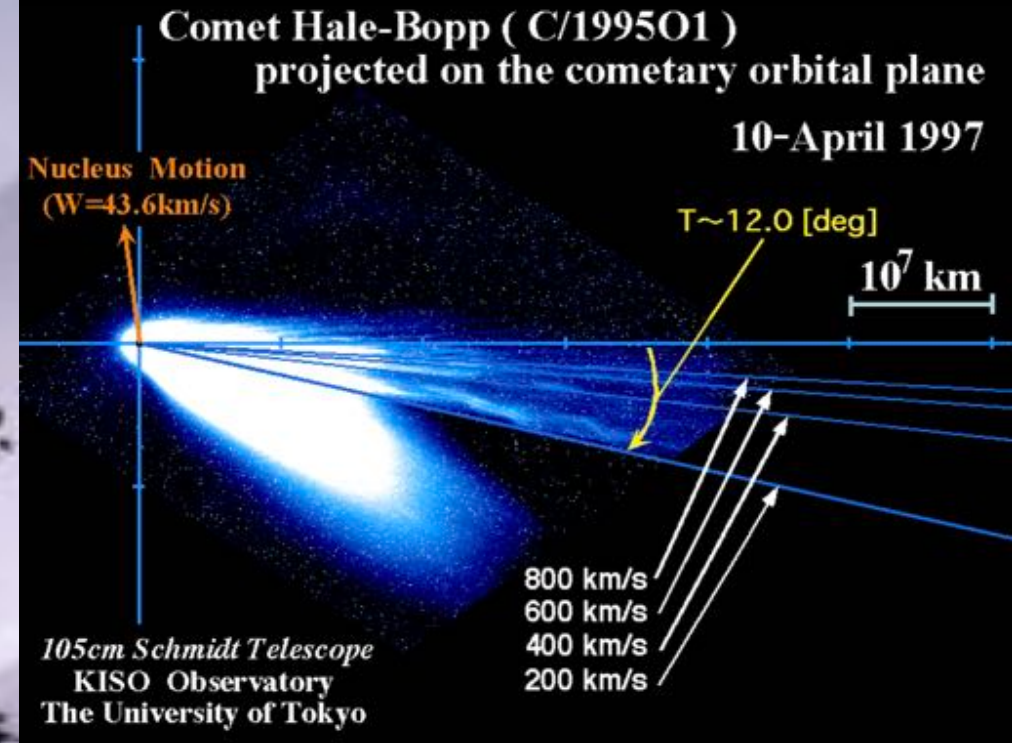


Comet Hale-Bopp
Date: 1997/03/30 19:19:08 (JST)
Exp. = 5min B-band

Kiso Observatory
The University of Tokyo



大学院修士時代
(名古屋大STE研)



マイクロデンシトメーター
を用いたデジタル化(1枚24時間)



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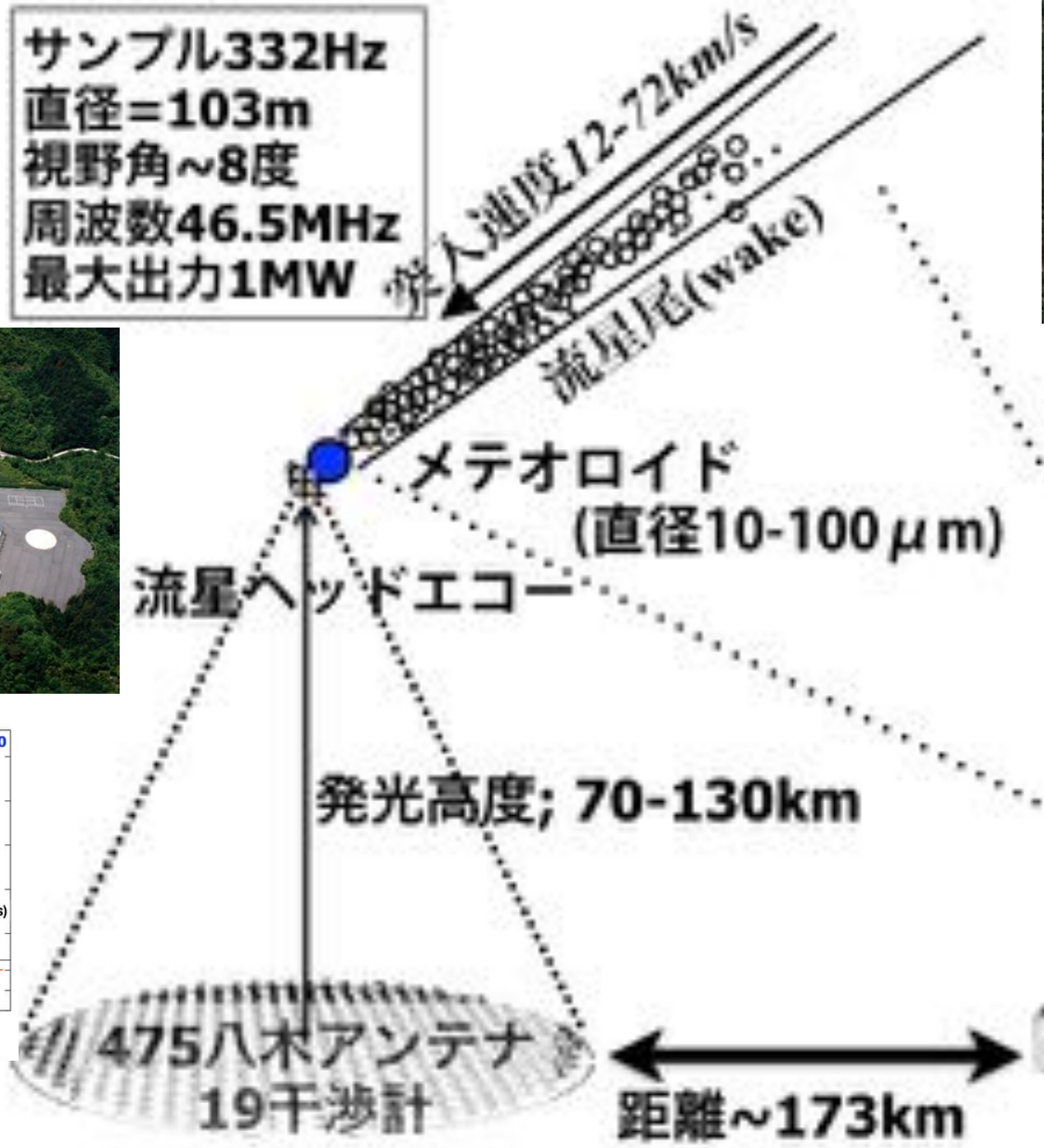
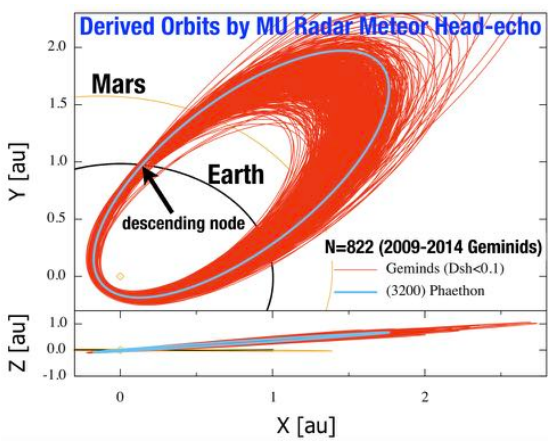
1997年春，東大木曾観測所が所有するBバンド写真乾板をHale-Bopp彗星観測で全て使い果たした。

京大MUレーダー流星ヘッドエコーとTomo-e Gozenによる

微光流星同時観測

MU Rader

サンプル332Hz
 直径=103m
 視野角~8度
 周波数46.5MHz
 最大出力1MW



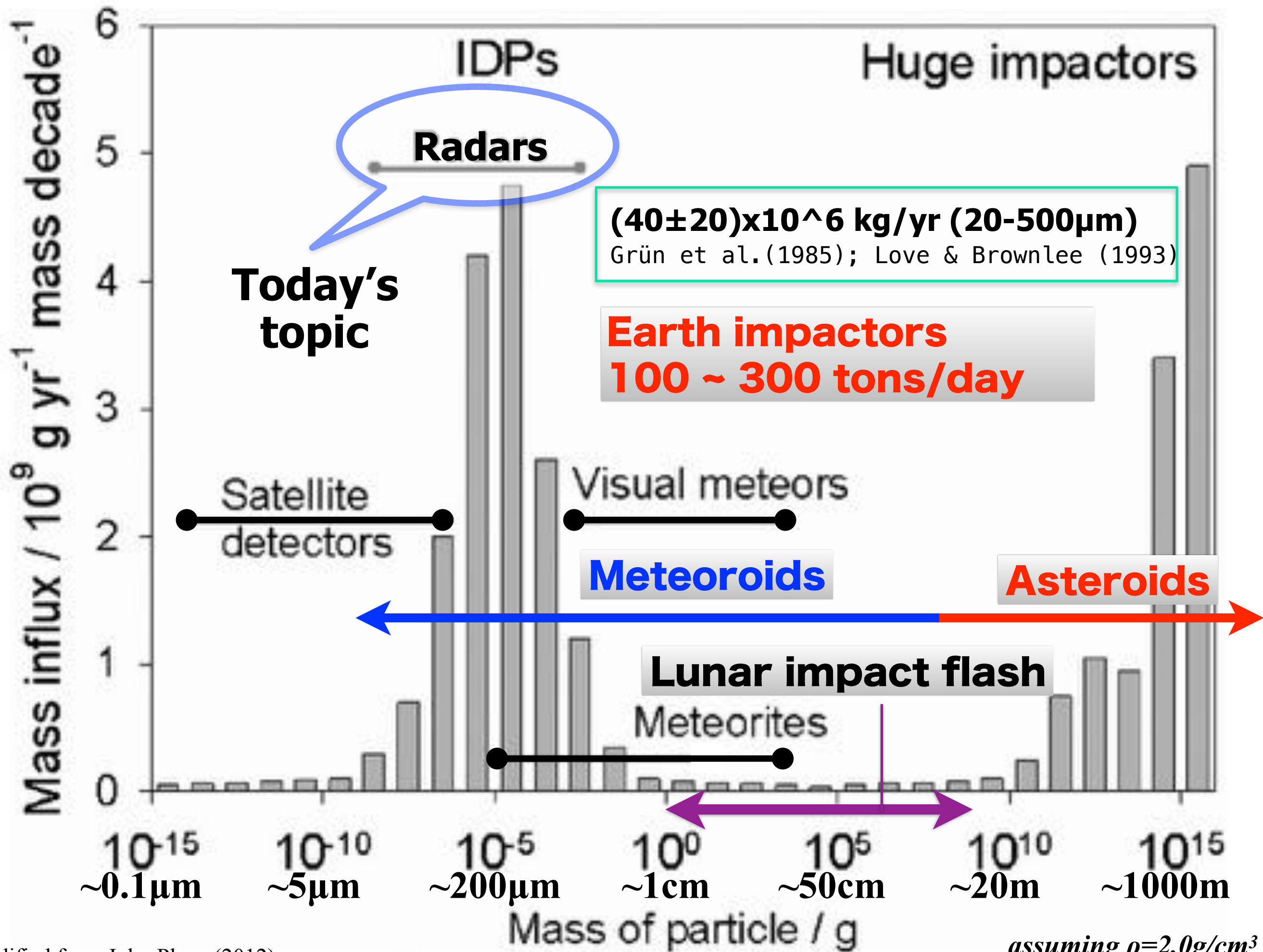
Tomo-e Gosen

露光0.5秒
 口径=1.05m
 視野角~9度
 波長400-700nm
 最微等級~19等
 最微流星~13等



京大・MUレーダ観測所

東大・木曾観測所



Meteor Head Echo and Meteor Trail Echoes

流星ヘッド・エコー & 流星トレイル・エコー

メテオロイドが超高速(11-72km/s)で地球大気圏に突入することにより生じるプラズマ中の電子のうち、メテオロイドと同じ運動をするヘッドプラズマに最大出力1MWの3msのパルスレーダーを照射してドップラ速度の時間変化を計測。また、19個の受信部干渉計を利用した位置計測から軌道導出を同時に行う。

Meteoroid

11-72km/s

Motion of meteoroid

thin plasma
Meteor trail

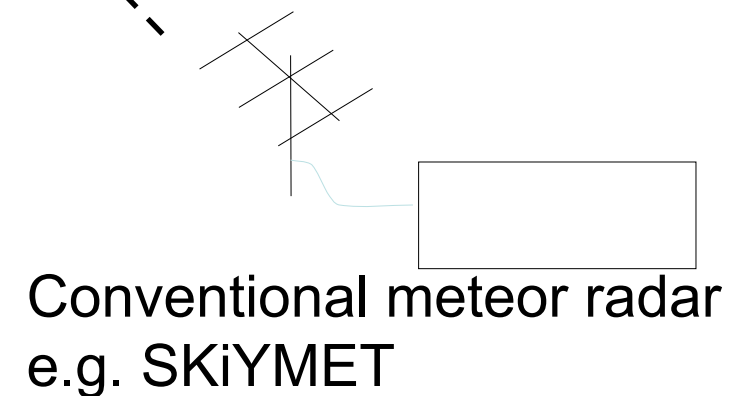
electron

Meteor trail echo
classical method

Positive ion

dense plasma
Meteor head

Meteor head echo
new method



Conventional meteor radar
e.g. SKiYMET

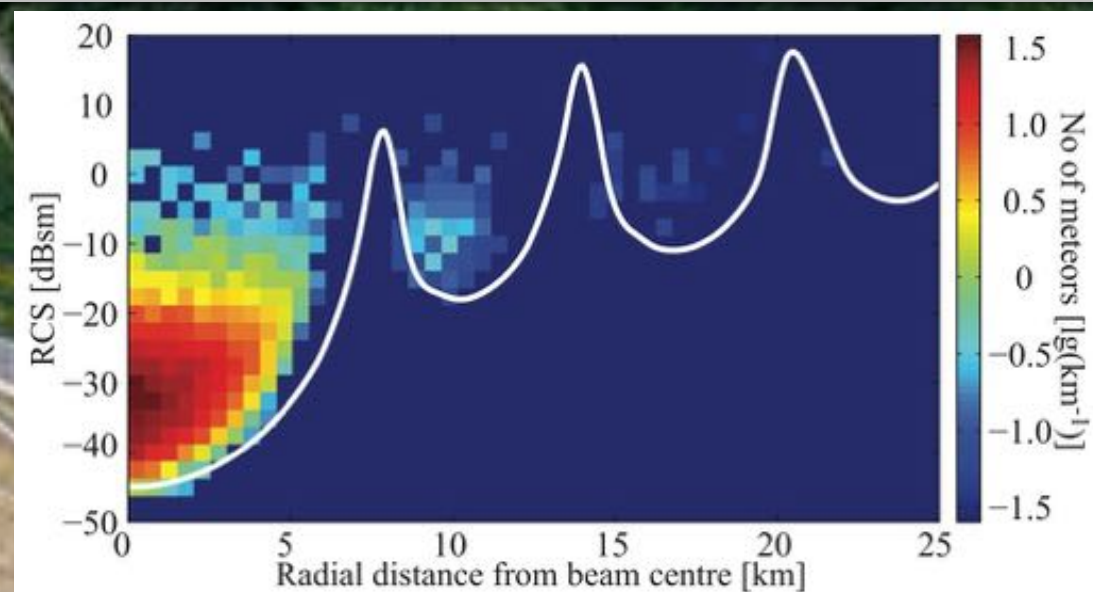
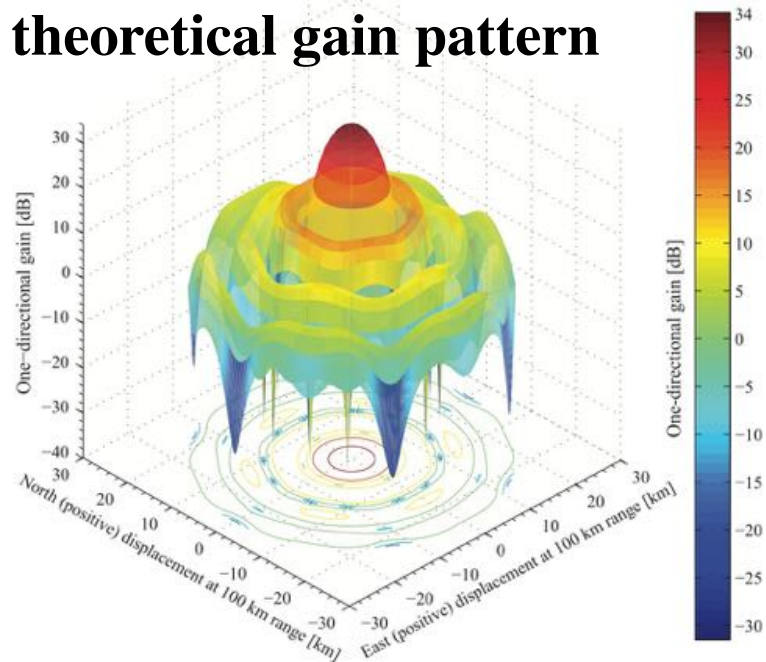
Kyoto University RISH MU Radar Middle and Upper Atmosphere Radar

Monostatic coherent pulse Doppler radar

VHF (46.5 MHz), 1MW peak power, 475 crossed Yagi antennas

Pulse length: 1-500 μ s, Antenna aperture: 8330m² (D=103m)

theoretical gain pattern



Observed number of meteors, normalized by beam area, versus RCS (Radar Cross Section) and radial distance from beam centre.

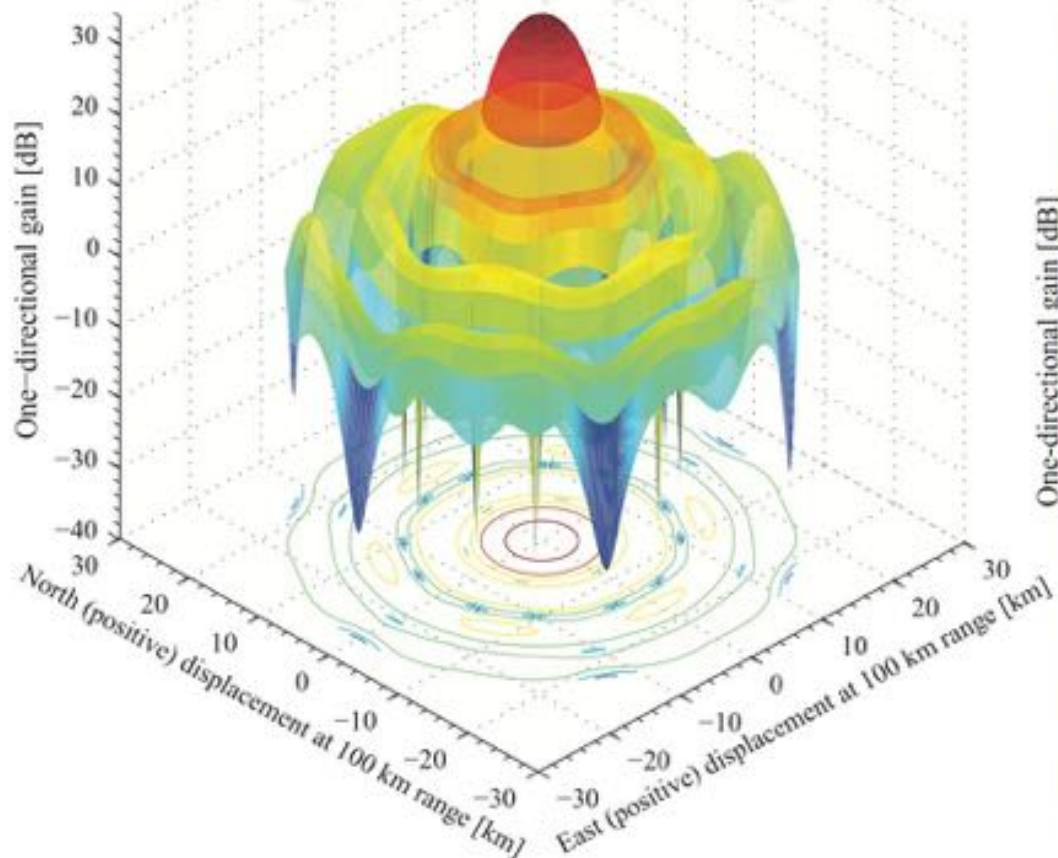
~200k meteoroids were detected during 2009-2017

average velocity error = 0.25 km/s
average perihelion distance = 0.003 AU
3,000 - 4,000 meteor head echoes / day

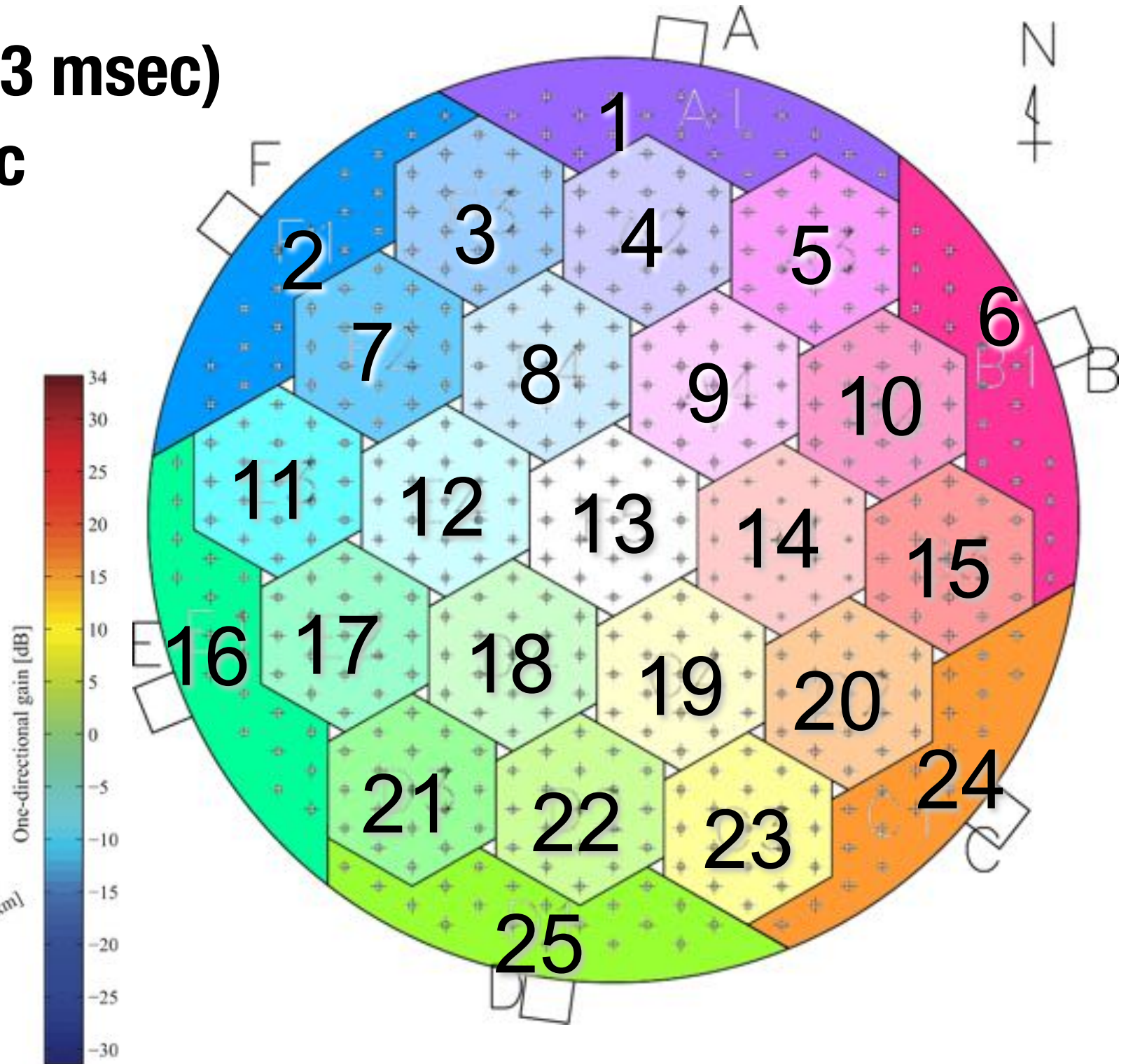
Kyoto University RISH MU Radar Middle and Upper Atmosphere Radar

- Digital 25 channels
- 332 times per second (3 msec)
- 85 ranges every 3 msec
- Data rate ~20 GB/hour

effective FOV 5~10deg



theoretical gain pattern



Doppler velocity by 19 Interferometers

Anti-Helion(180°)



Earth

**Apex
(90°)**



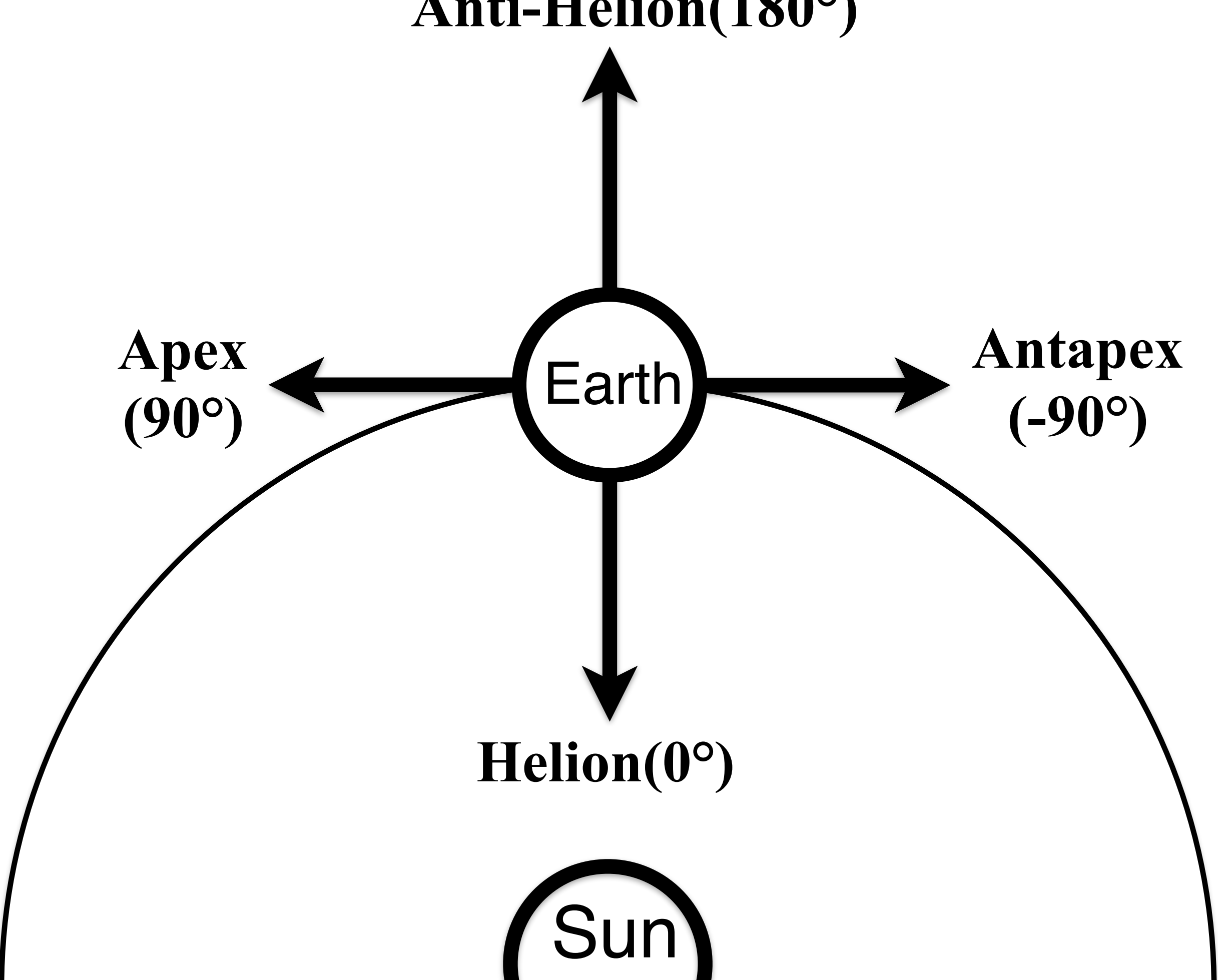
**Antapex
(-90°)**



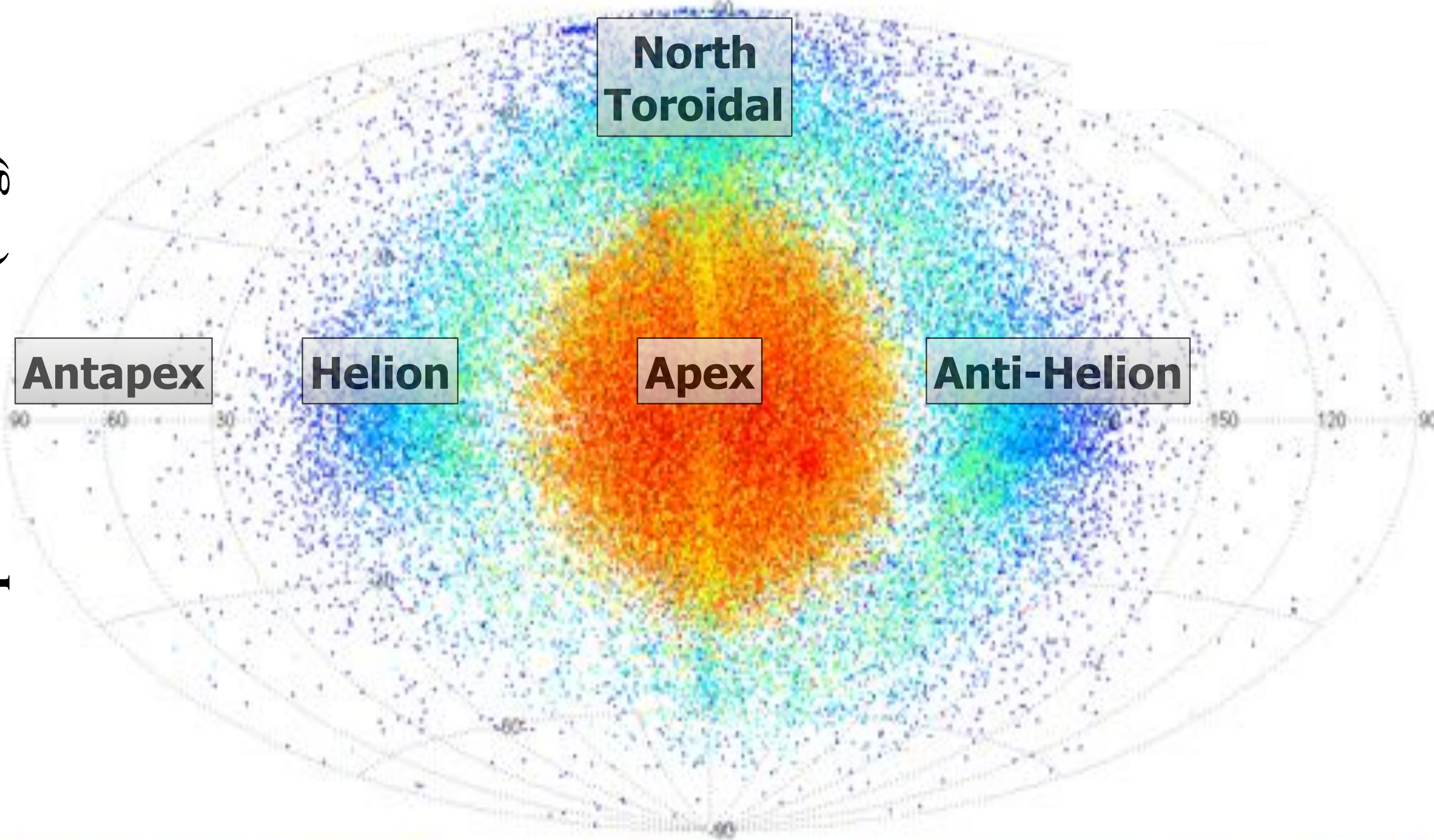
Helion(0°)



Sun



Ecliptic Latitude (deg)



**North
Toroidal**

Antapex

Helion

Apex

Anti-Helion



Geocentric velocity (km/s)

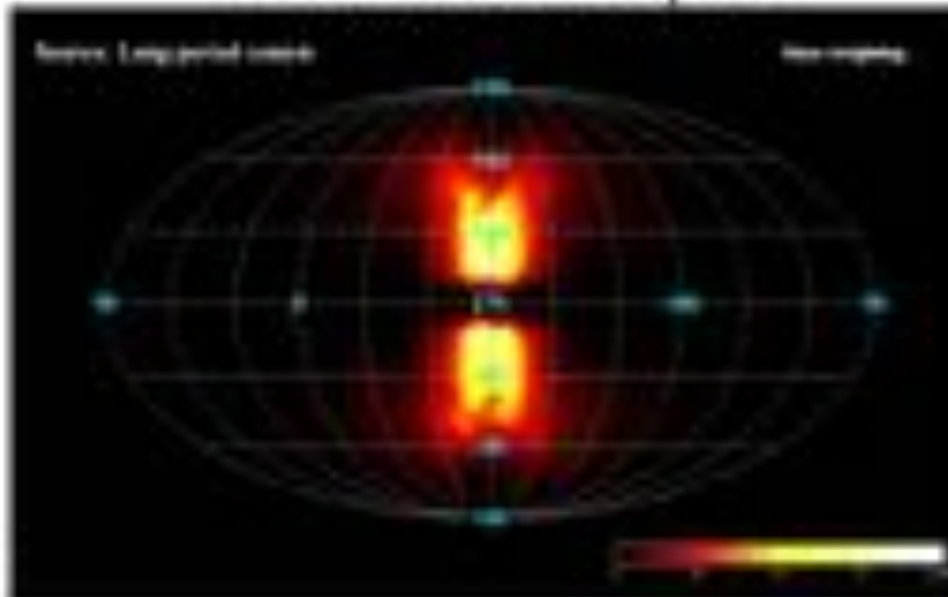
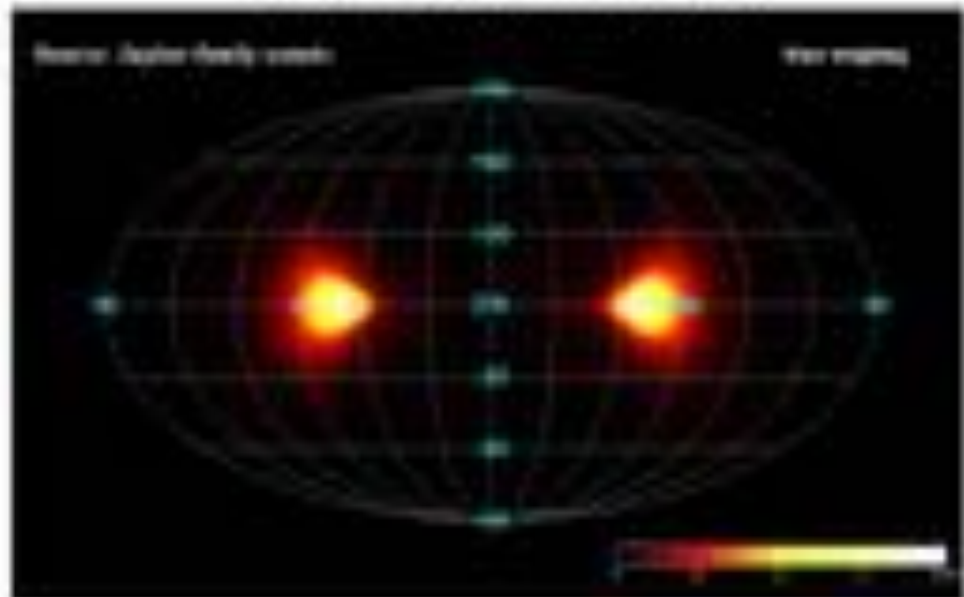
Kero+ (2010)
Abe, Kero, Nakamura+, in prep

Ecliptic Longitude from Earth apex (deg)

Helion & Anti-Helion

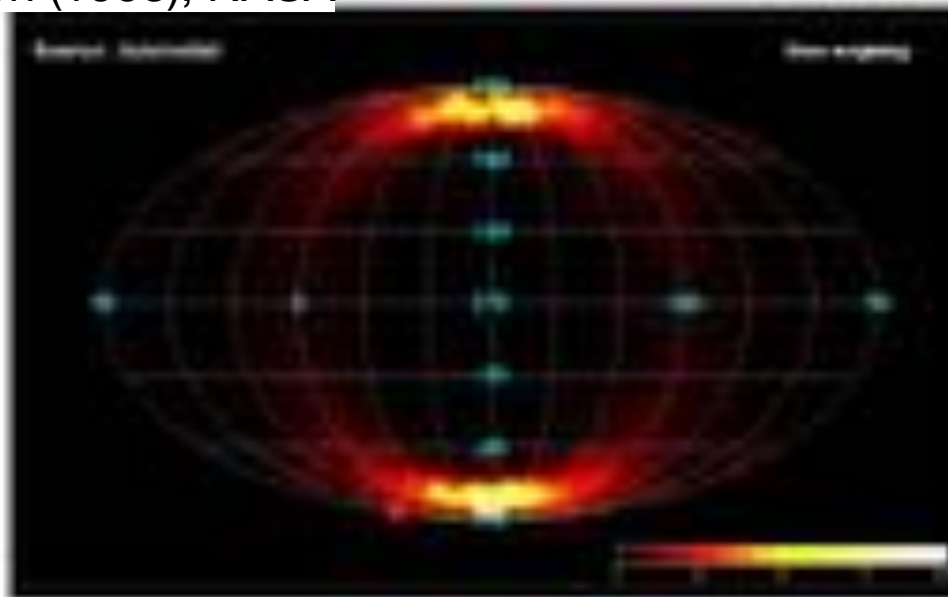
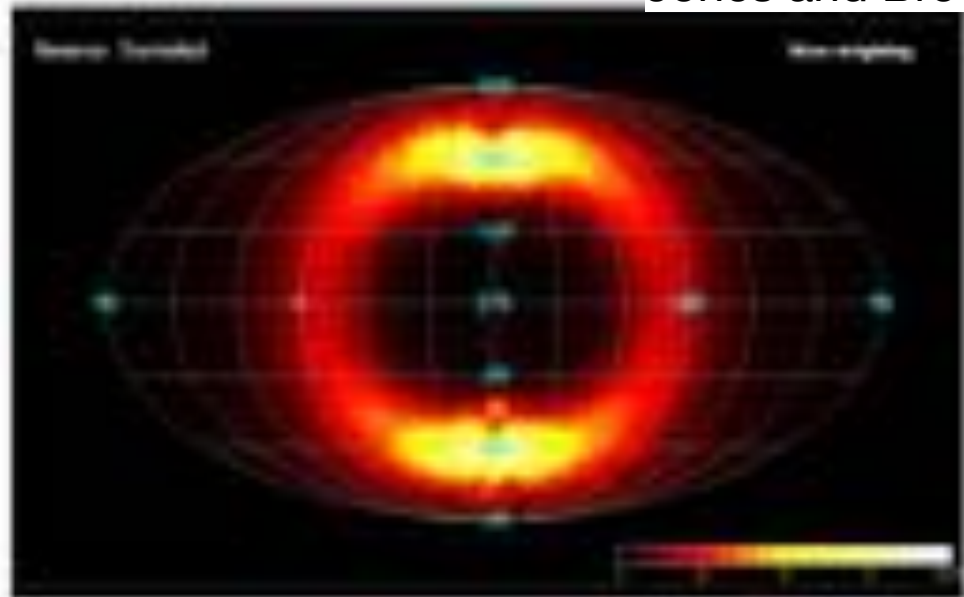
North & South Apex

4 major sources of Sporadic Meteoroids



Jones and Brown (1993), NASA

Equatorial coordinate(λ, β)



North & South Toroidal

Asteroidal

Sporadic meteoroid sources 散在流星の放射点 ; 6 radiant

Cometary sources ?

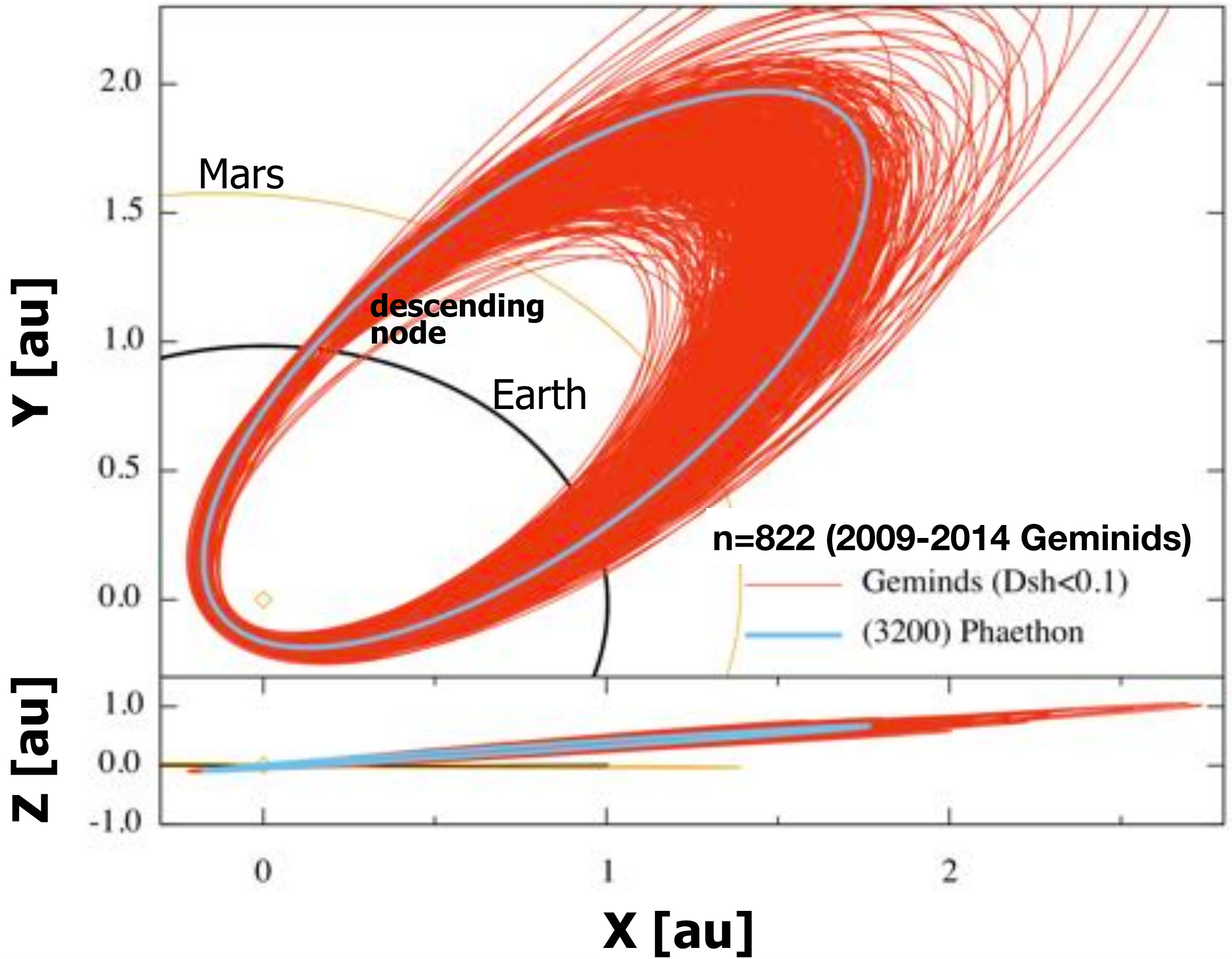
Helion($\lambda \sim 342^\circ$)/Anti-Helion($\lambda \sim 198^\circ$); 太陽方向・半太陽方向

North($\lambda \sim 271^\circ$)/South($\lambda \sim 273^\circ$) Apex; 地球向点方向で黄道を跨ぐ

North/South Toroidal; トーラス状

Asteroidal sources ?

Ecliptic pole($\beta \sim \pm 90^\circ$); 黄道の極方向 ...

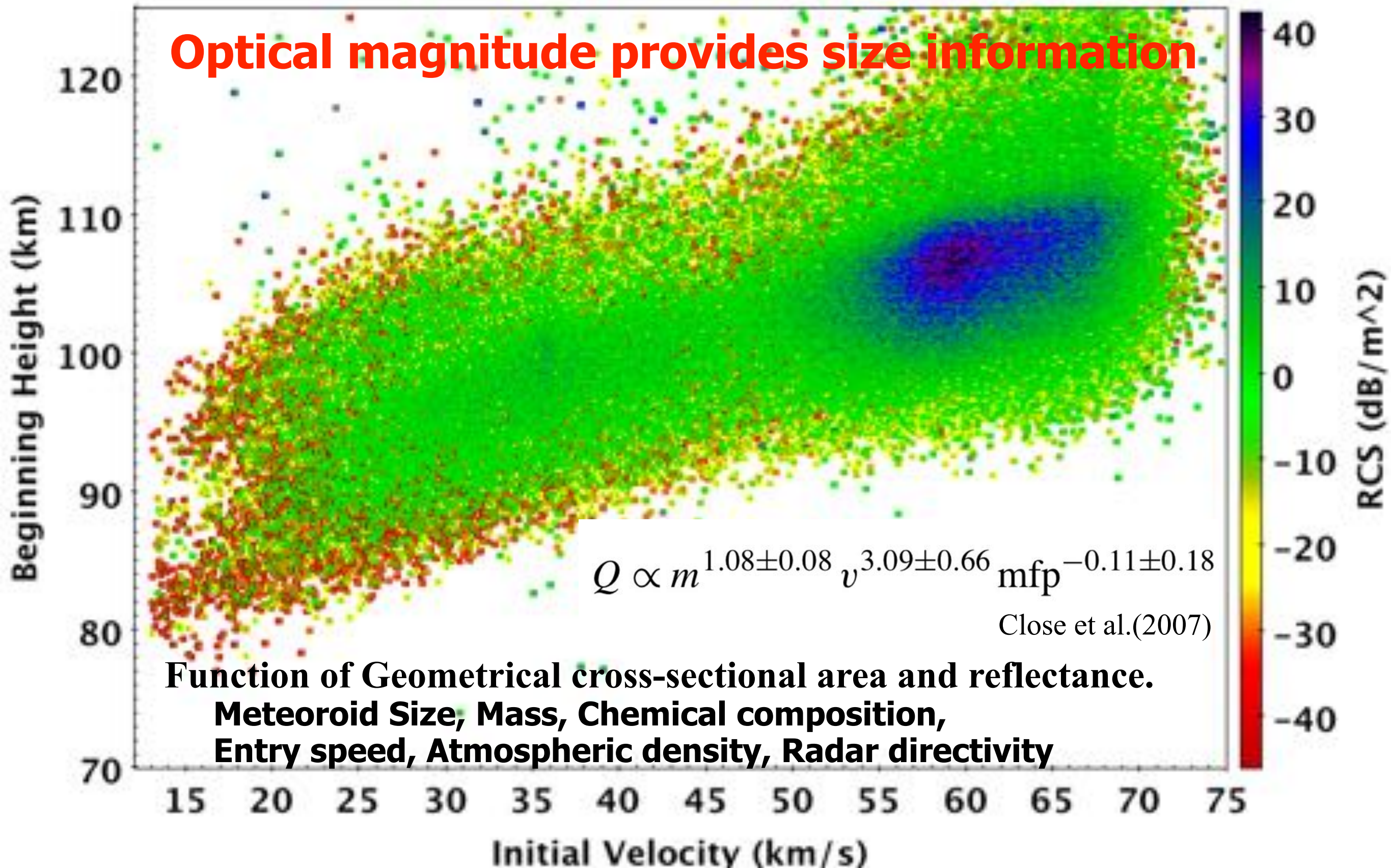


Comparison of Orbits between MU Radar and Optical Observations

Object	Date	a	e	i	ω	Ω	D_{sh}
	UT	au	—	°	°	°	—
Phaethon	-	1.27	0.89	22.2	322.1	265.2	-
1-radar	Dec/14	1.27	0.89	23.6	325.1	262.6	
1-opt	15:29	1.22	0.88	23.5	325.1	262.6	0.013
2-radar	Dec/13	1.20	0.89	24.1	325.8	261.7	
2-opt	18:49	1.39	0.91	23.2	325.8	261.7	0.030
3-radar	Dec/13	1.21	0.89	22.5	324.5	261.6	
3-opt	16:14	1.26	0.88	22.7	324.5	261.6	0.037
Geminids	2010	1.30	0.899	25.0	326.1	262.3	-

Orbital determination by Meteor Head-echo and optical TV observation is comparable.

RCS (Radar Cross Section) controversy

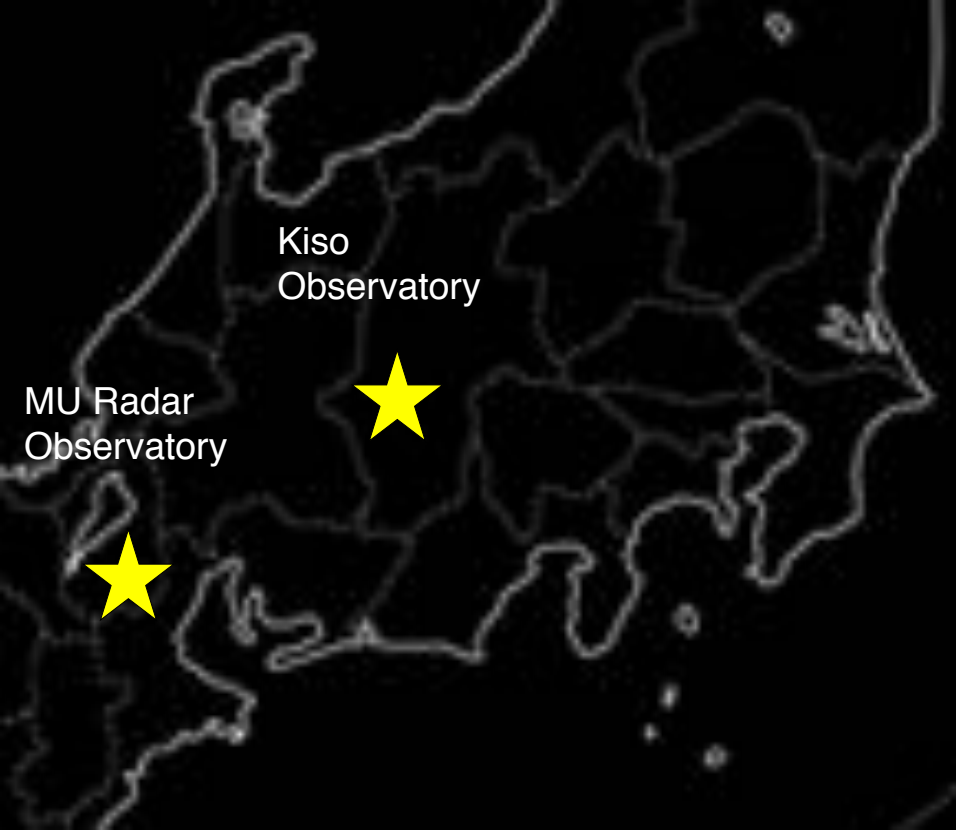


RCS強度は、 大気突入天体のサイズに単純に比例しない!

MUレーダーとTomo-e Gozenによる微光流星同時観測



**2018 March observation
was weathered out!**



Brief Summary of Observations

	Time (JST)	comment
Day 1	2018-04-18 20:00 — 2018-04-19 05:00	partly cloudy
Day 2	2018-04-19 20:00 — 2018-04-20 05:00	clear sky
Day 3	2018-04-20 20:00 — 2018-04-21 05:00	clear sky
Day 4	2018-04-21 20:00 — 2018-04-22 05:00	clear sky



Univ. Tokyo Kiso Schmidt telescope

the telescope pointed toward 100 km above MU radar.
tracking the sky, repointed every 3 minutes;
continuously monitoring at 2 Hz with 20 sensors.



Kyoto Univ. MU Radar

optimized for meteor observations;
the beam pointed toward the zenith;



Meteor head

**triangulation point
100km over MU radar**

FOV of MU radar

Q1 (1/4) unit of Tomo-e Gozen

Elevation ~ 30 deg from Kiso Observatory

SW



Direction to MU radar

W

Image by Stellarium

Example of Faint meteors by Tomo-e GOZEN

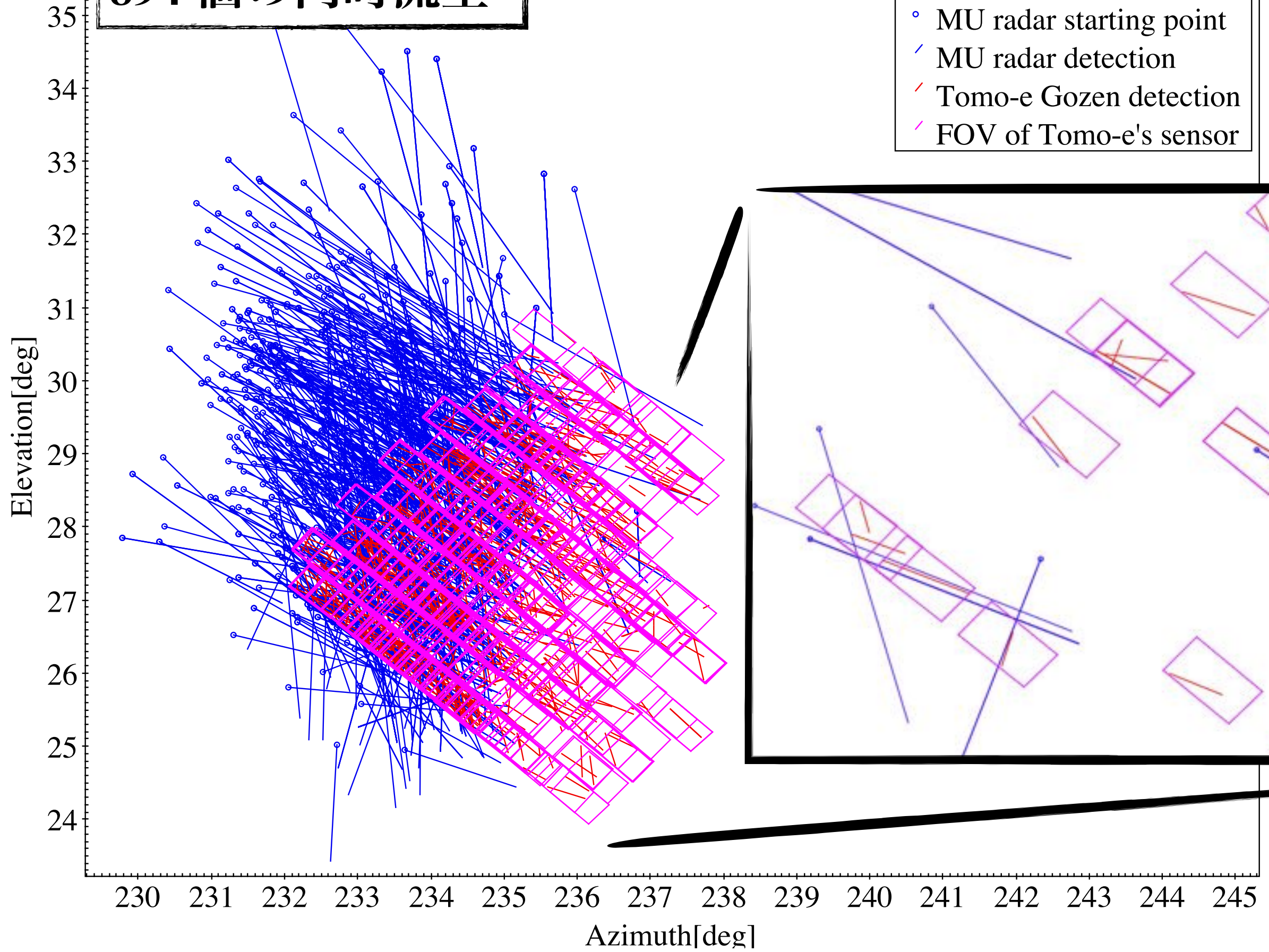


Trail of faint meteor

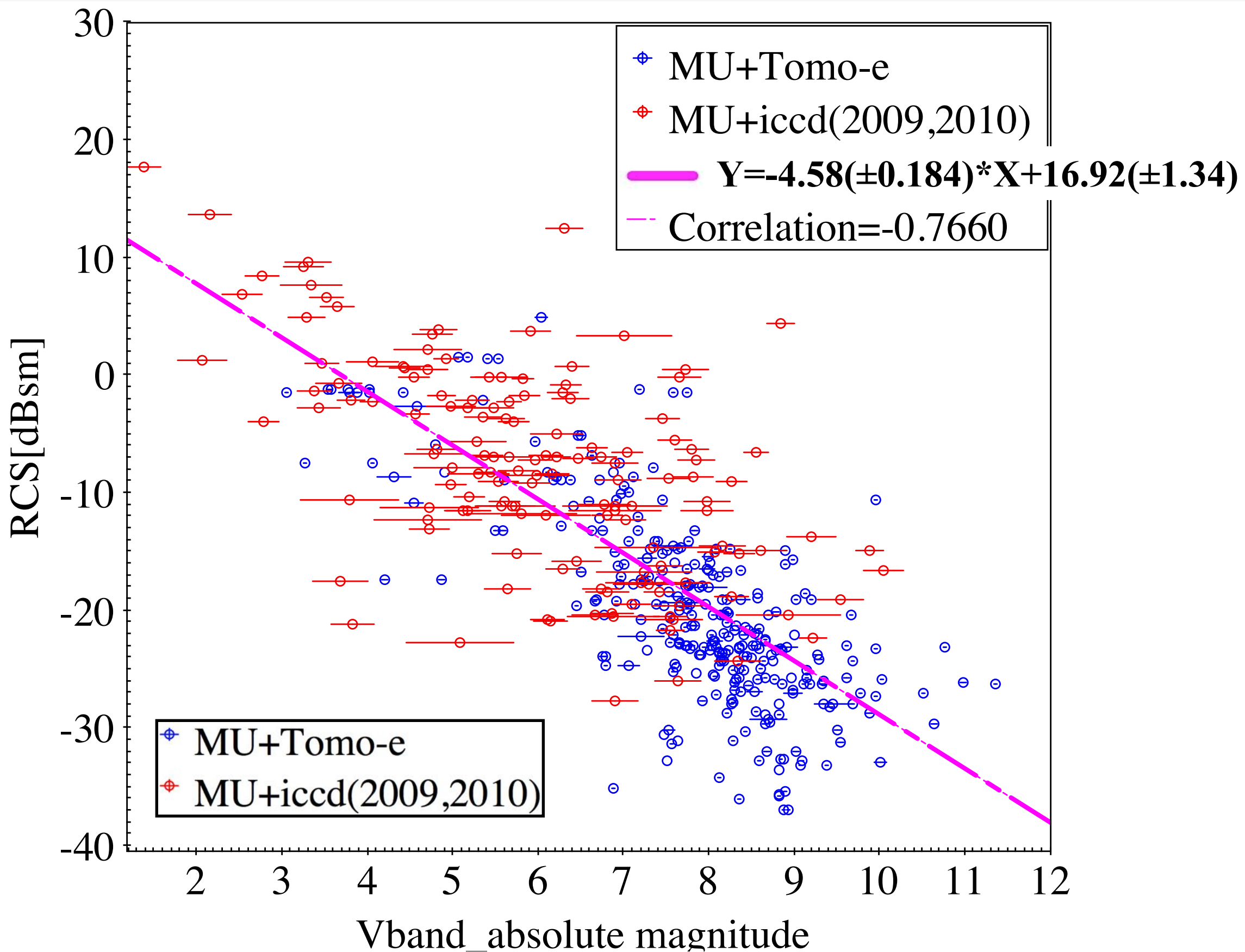
- Faint meteors up to 13 - 14 mag detected. (World record).
- About 1,000 events of sporadic meteors detected in a night (World record).

Results

894 個の同時流星

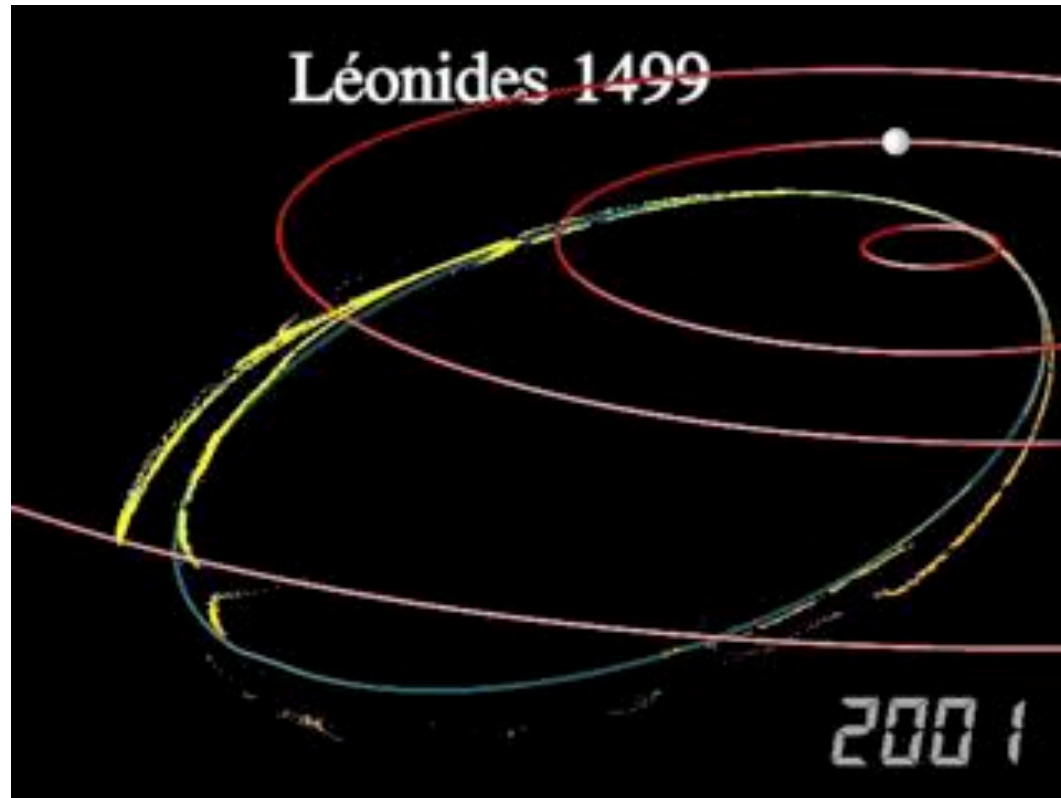


流星ヘッドエコー・RCSと等級の関係



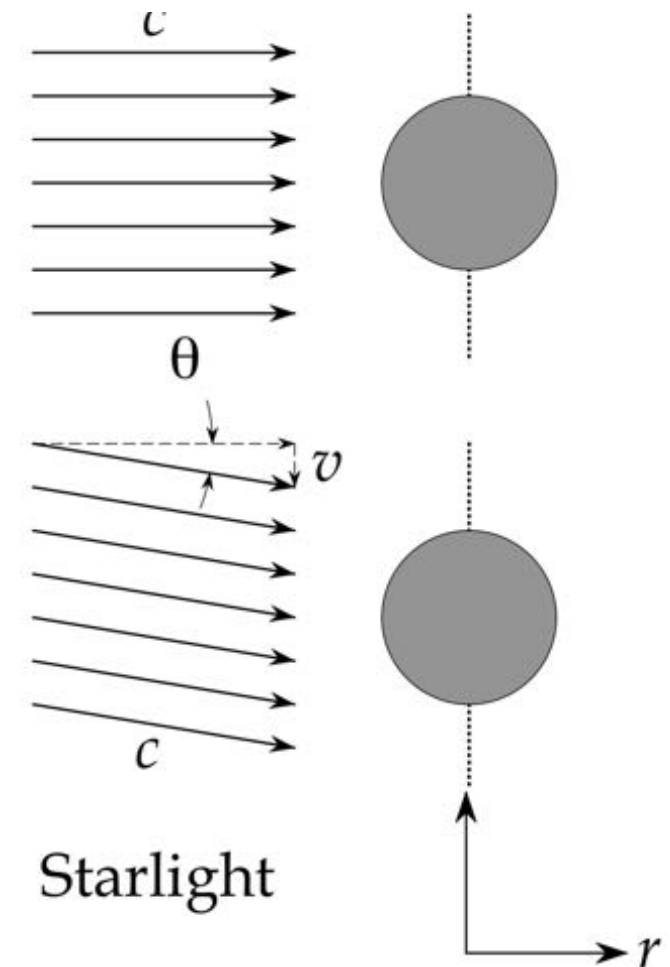
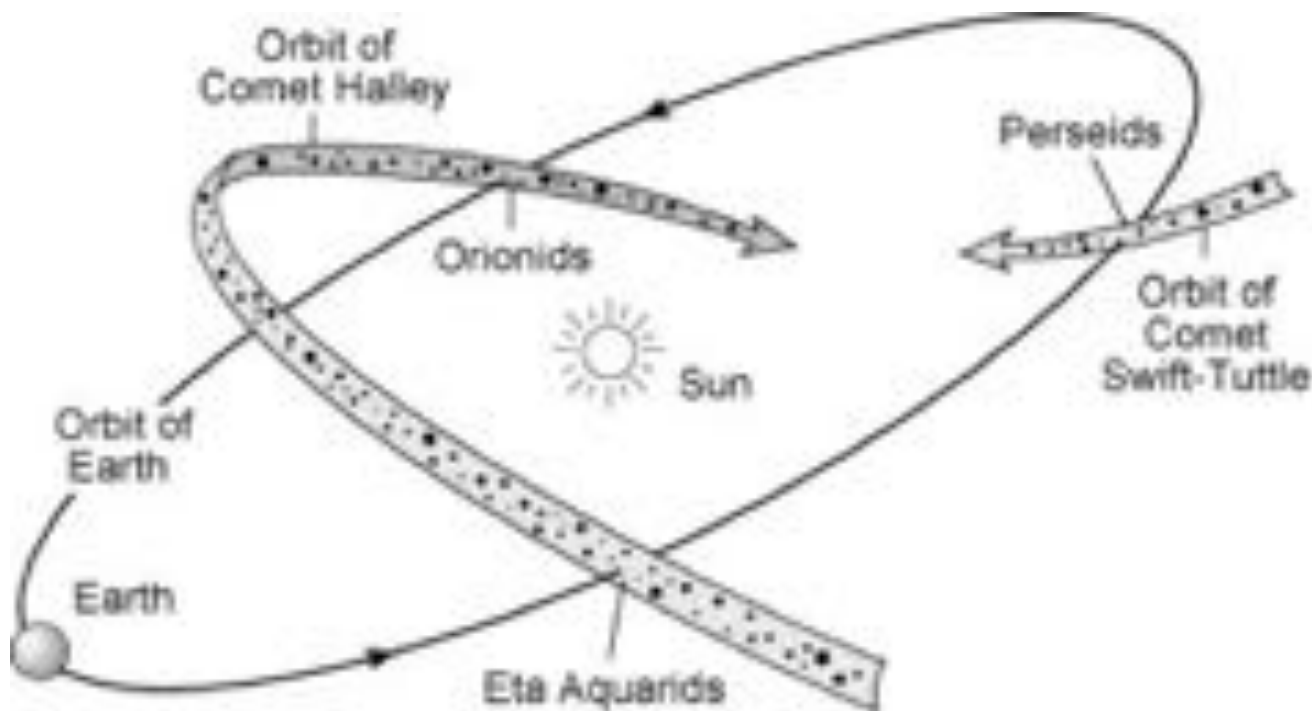
Conversion from GAIA-DR2 G-band (320-1000nm) to Johnson V band

太陽輻射圧を考慮した軌道進化計算→微光流星や太陽接近軌道で効く Considering Poynting-Robertson effect



$$F_{\text{PR}} = \frac{v}{c^2} W = \frac{r^2 L_s}{4c^2} \sqrt{\frac{GM_s}{R^5}}$$

$$\beta = \frac{F_r}{F_g} = \frac{3LQ_{\text{PR}}}{16\pi GMc\rho s}$$



Summary

invisible Earth impactors are essential

- **46.5MHz レーダーRCS(Radar Cross Section)と可視等級(~11th)のリニアな関係が得られた。**

Limiting Mag~11th = Mass~ 10^{-7} g = D~50 μ m

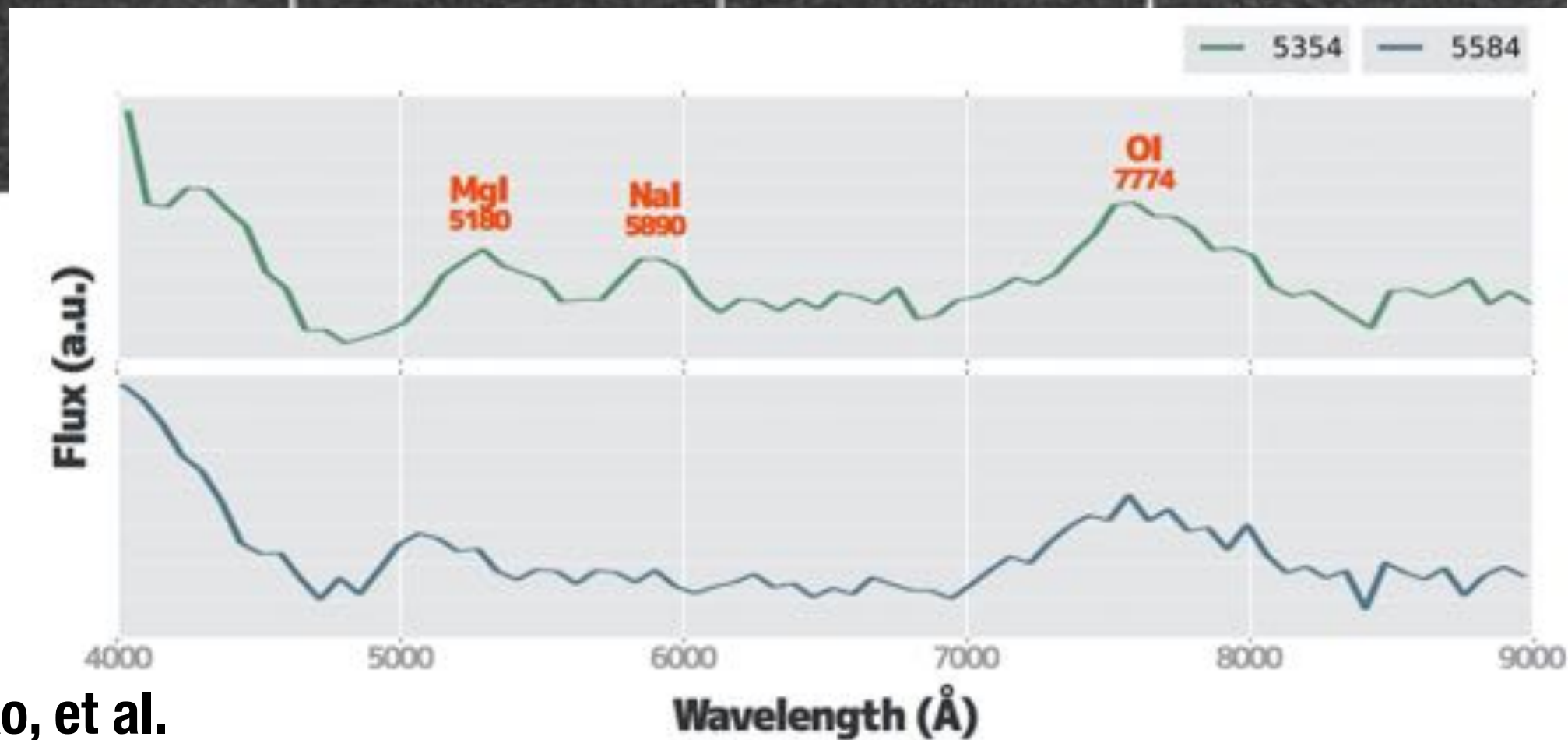
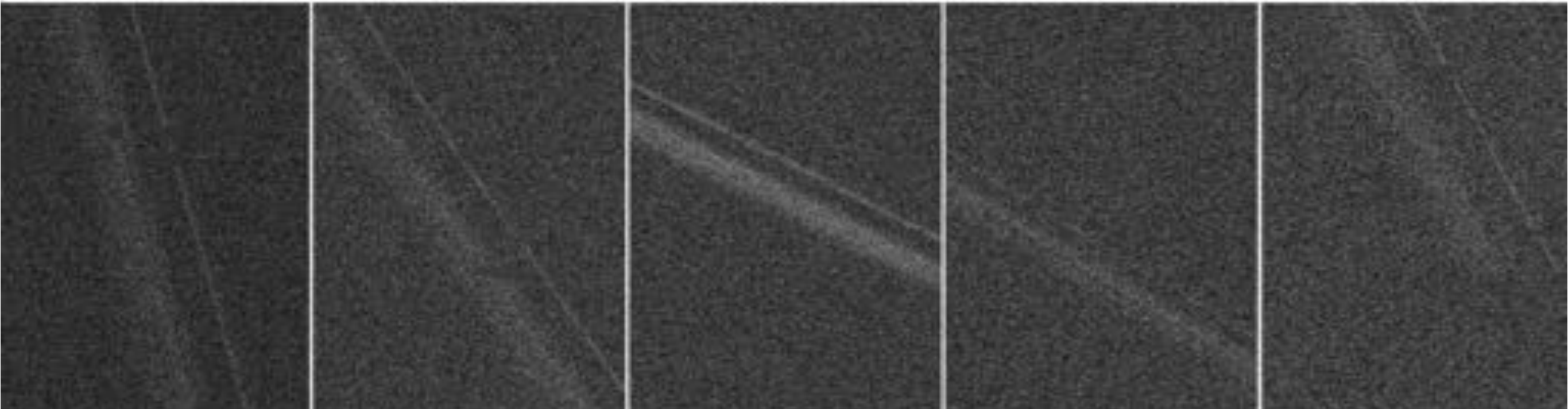
- **電波と光学の2波長による微光流星の同時観測により「軌道・等級(サイズ)・組成」のビッグデータ取得が期待され、太陽系小天体の起源・進化や超高層大気科学の解明に新たな展開をもたらす可能性がある。**
- **TCO(Mini-moon), ISO(Interstellar Object)も期待。**

今後の計画 Future plan

- **2019/10/21-23 (2 clear nights); オリオン座流星群**
- **2019/11/4-7 (2 clear nights); おうし座流星群**
- **2020; 人工流星観測, 分光観測**
- **2020; ふたご座流星群; 小惑星フライバイミッションDESTINY+**

Faint Meteors Spectroscopy by Tomo-e

~8-9th magnitude with R=10 Grating



Osawa, Sako, et al.

Geminids' Spectra in 2017-2018

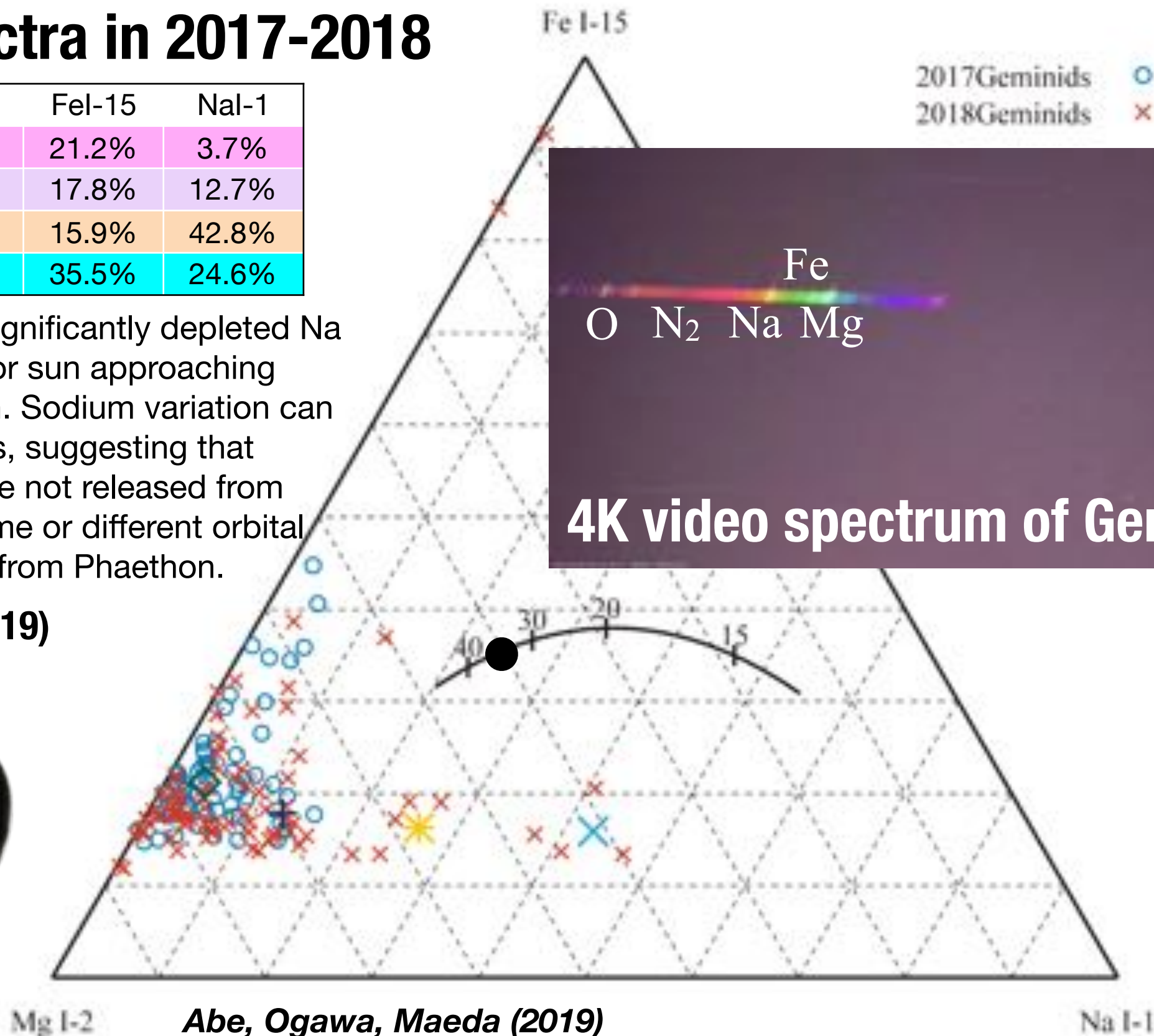
	MgI-2	Fel-15	NaI-1
Na free	75.1%	21.2%	3.7%
Na poor	69.5%	17.8%	12.7%
Na enhanced	41.3%	15.9%	42.8%
Solar abundance	39.9%	35.5%	24.6%

Loss of Na (Na free) or significantly depleted Na (Na poor) are the trend for sun approaching object such as Phaethon. Sodium variation can be seen in different years, suggesting that Geminid meteoroids were not released from Phaethon at the same time or different orbital evolution after releasing from Phaethon.

Ogawa, Abe, Maeda(2019)



SONY α7S
600/mm grating



Abe, Ogawa, Maeda (2019)

150 spectra of Geminid meteor shower in 2017 and 2018 were carried out using 4K high-sensitive camera. The solid curve shows the relative intensities of the Mg I (2), Na I (1), and Fe I (15) multiplets in meteor spectra assuming chondritic composition as a function of meteor speed. The speeds (in km/s) are marked with numbers. For speeds larger than 40 km/s, the line ratios should not change substantially. A chondritic Geminids with a initial velocity of 35 km/s is indicated as a black circle.

TCOs=Temporarily Captured Orbiters (Mini Moons)

D=1.0m ; 2

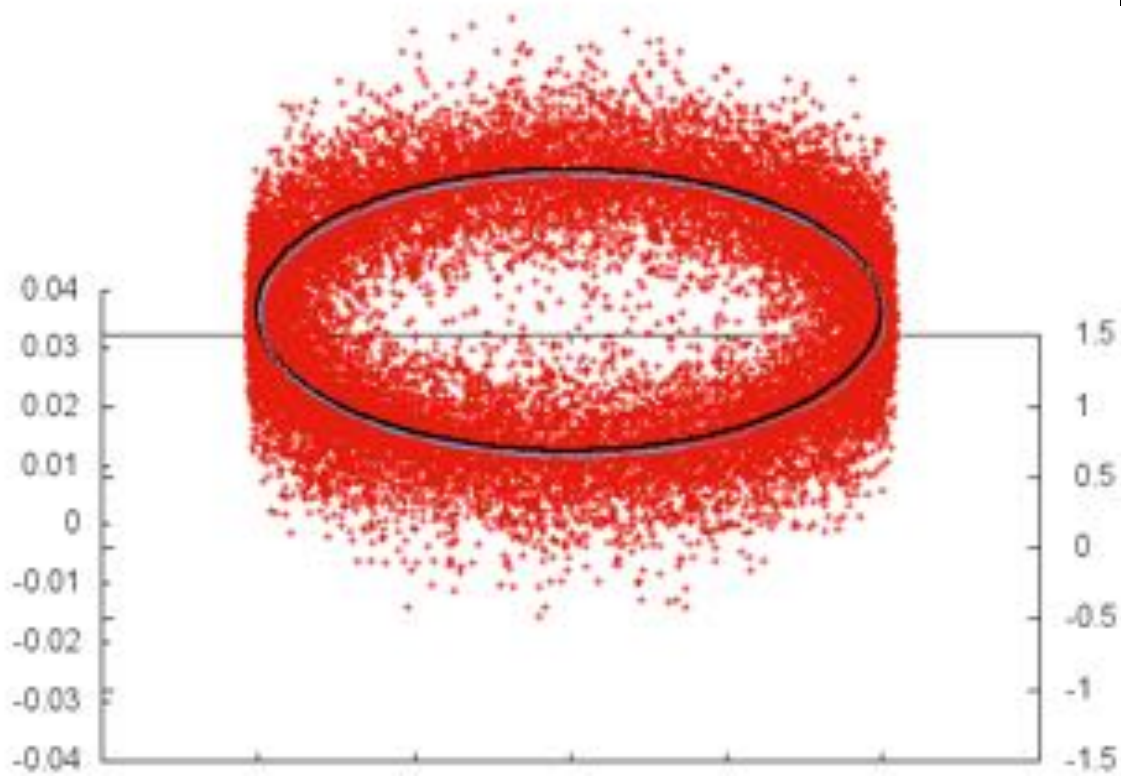
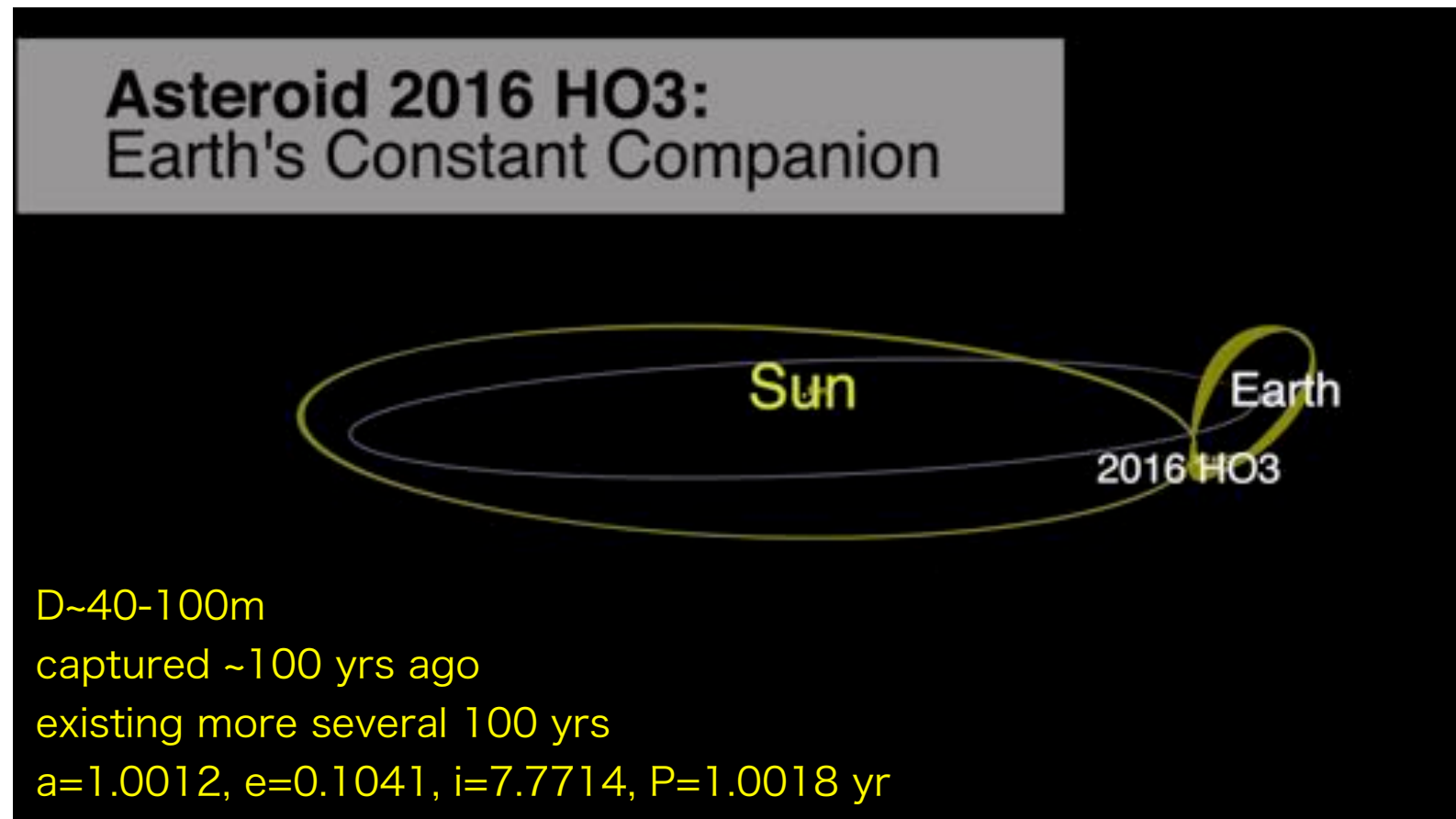
D=0.5m ; dozen

D=0.1m ; 1000

~0.1% of meteors

M. Granvik et al. (2012)

— Earth orbit
— Lunar orbit



TCO model
M. Granvik+(2017)

TCOs can be captured at Sun-Earth L1/L2

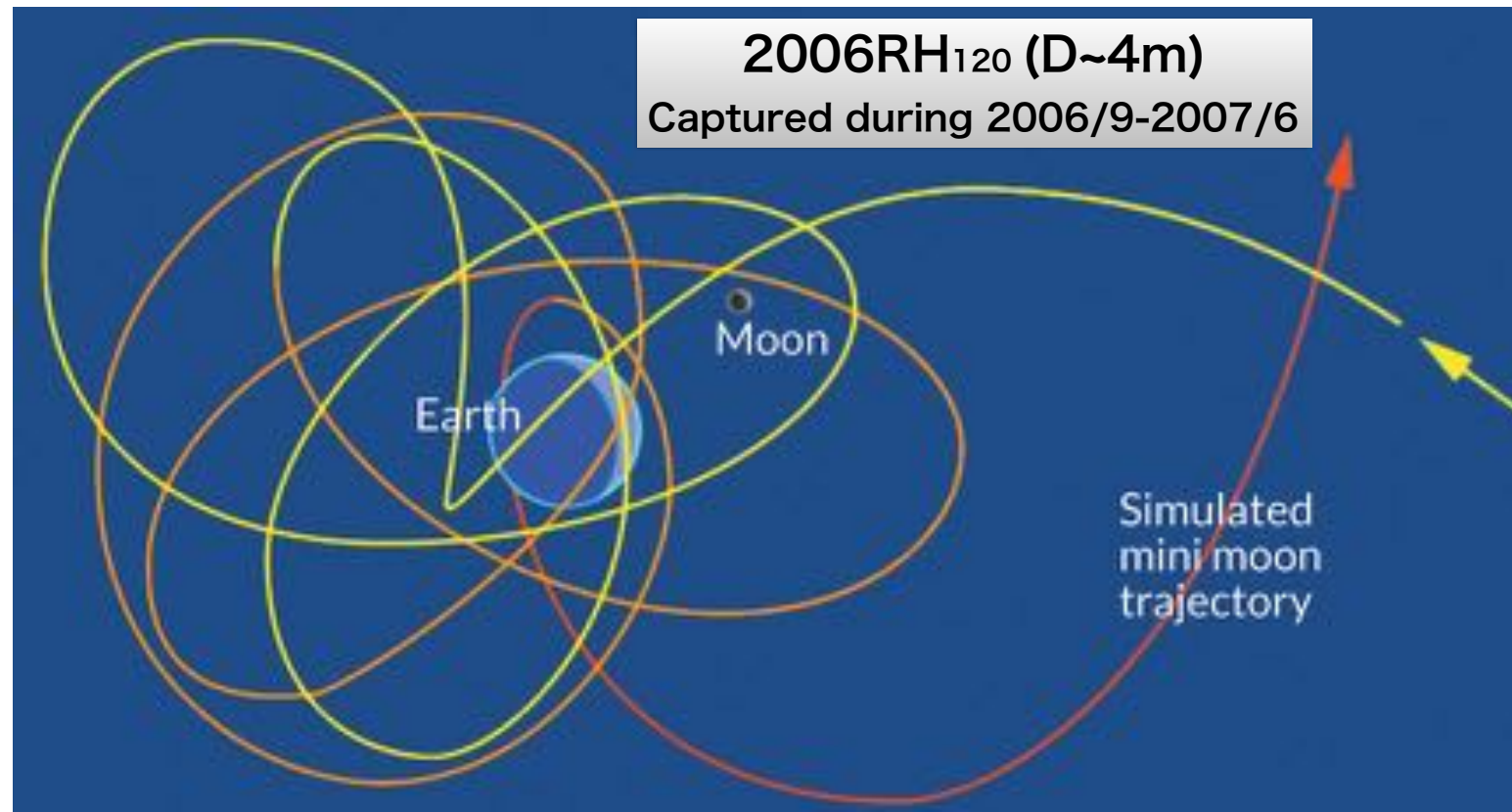


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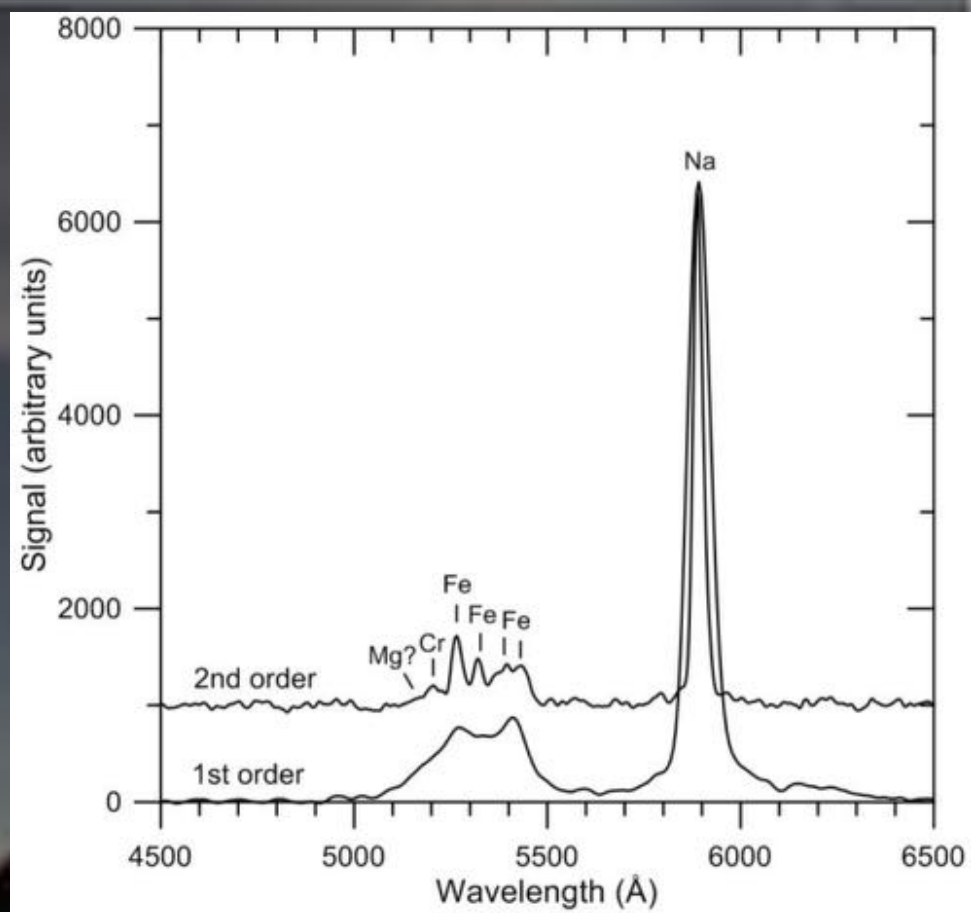
In-atmosphere Trajectory, Mass, and Fireball Type Determined for EN130114

	Beginning	Terminal	Radiant and Velocity		
Time (UT)	3:01:37.62 UT	3:01:45.70	R.A. (°)	Decl. (°)	v (km s ⁻¹)
Height (km)	74.589 ± 0.015	32.494 ± 0.009	35.98 ± 0.07	69.88 ± 0.20	<u>10.917 ± 0.035</u>
Longitude (deg E)	13.42570 ± 0.00014	13.67707 ± 0.00013			
Latitude (deg N)	49.07656 ± 0.00006	48.52321 ± 0.00005			
Mass (kg)	5	0.2			
Slope (deg)	33.302 ± 0.014	32.724 ± 0.014			
Maximum absolute magnitude		-7.6			
Total length (km)/Duration (s)		77.26/8.08			
PE/Type		-4.60/I			
EN stations	02 Kunžak (DAFO), 20 Ondřejov (DF)				

Note. PE/Type: Empirical end height criteria and resulting fragmentation class/type; see Ceplecha & McCrosky (1976). DAFO: Digital Autonomous Fireball Observatory, DF: Digital Camera—imaging parameters are the same.



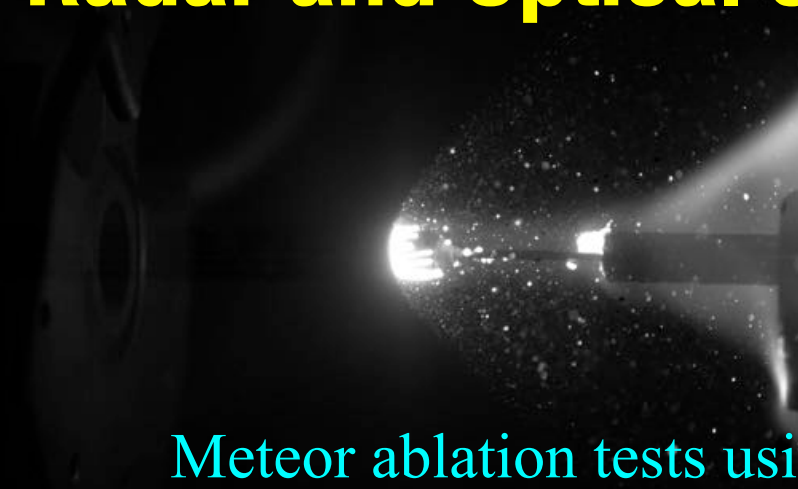
TCO (Mini-moon) fireball



Thank You



**Artificial meteors for calibrations on the sky
observed by Radar and Optical observations**



Meteor ablation tests using JAXA/Arc-heating Wind Tunnel