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High-speed jets at Earth's magnetosheath & more

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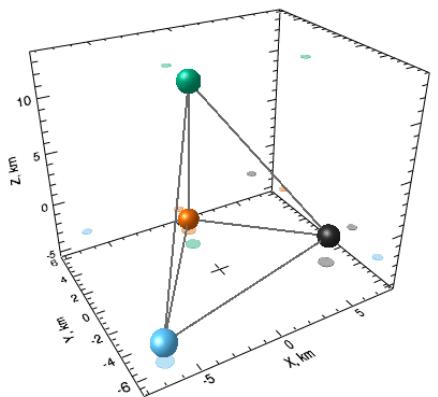
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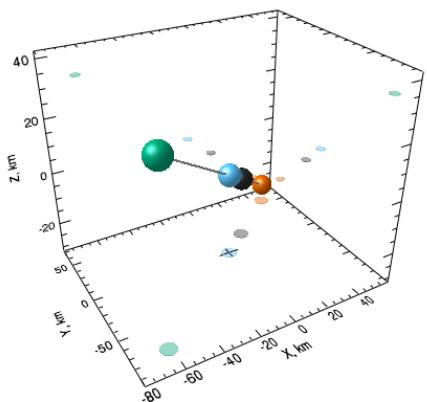
MMS mission & instrumentation

Formation

Tetrahedron

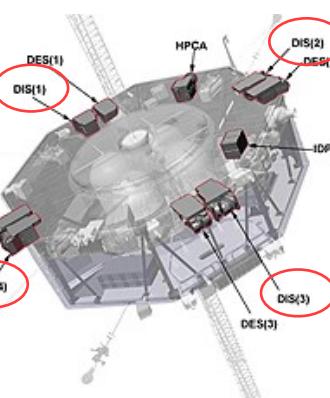


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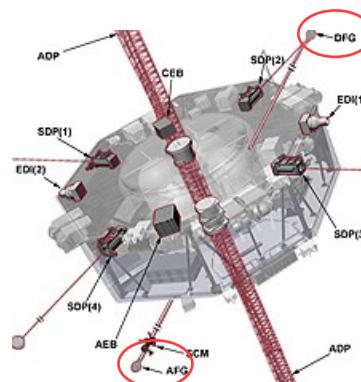


Instrumentation

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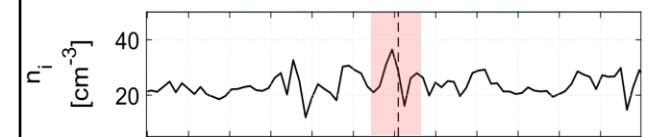
FGM



Mode

fast/srvy

FPI (ions): 4.5s
FGM: 0.0625s



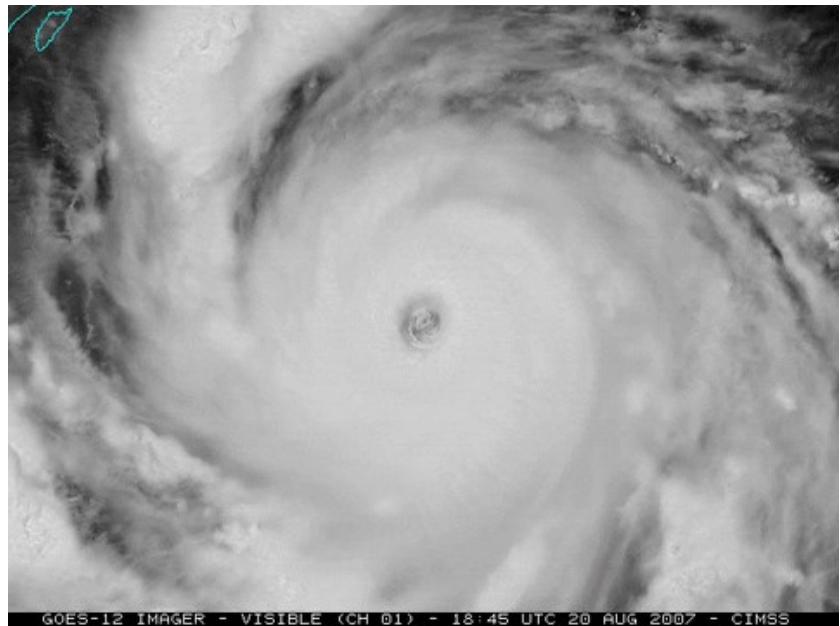
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Transient events – weather

Hurricanes



Snowstorms

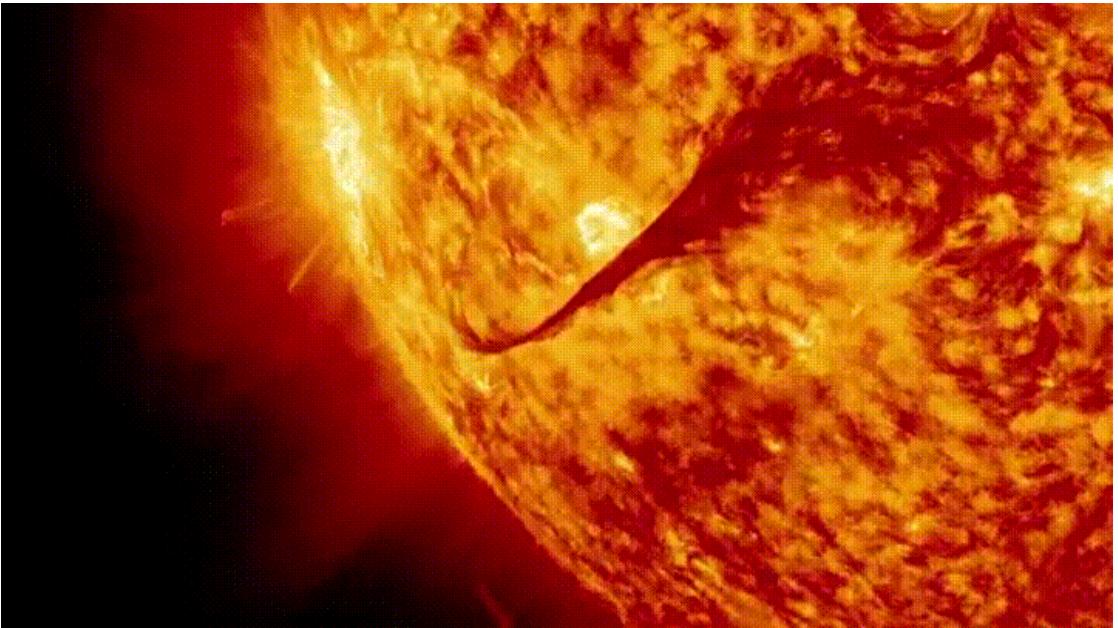


Rain



Transient events – weather

CMEs/Solar Flares



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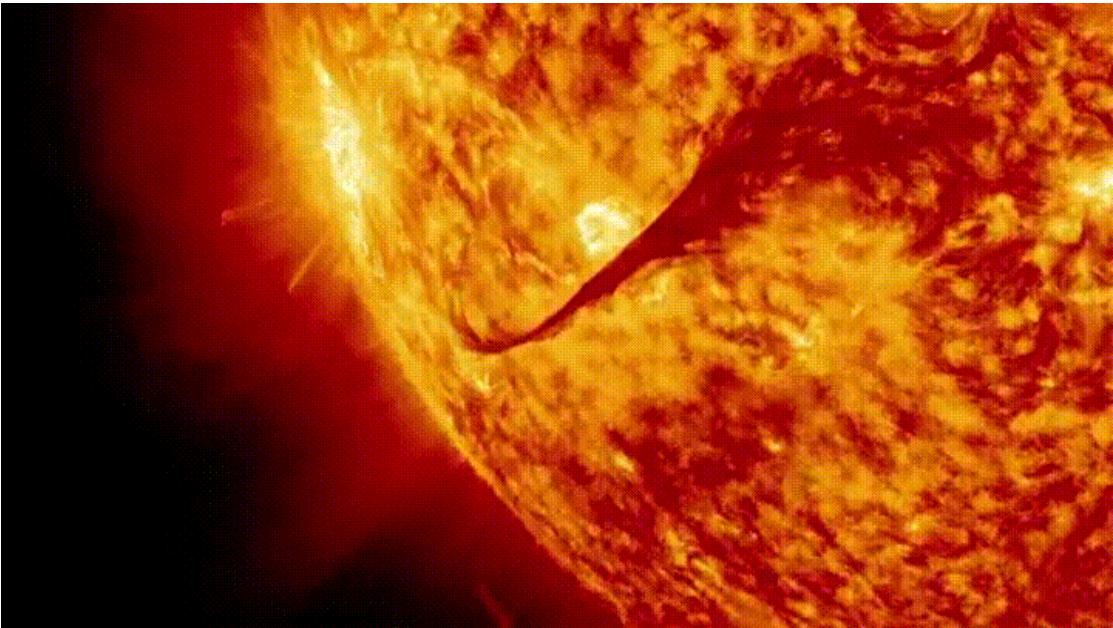


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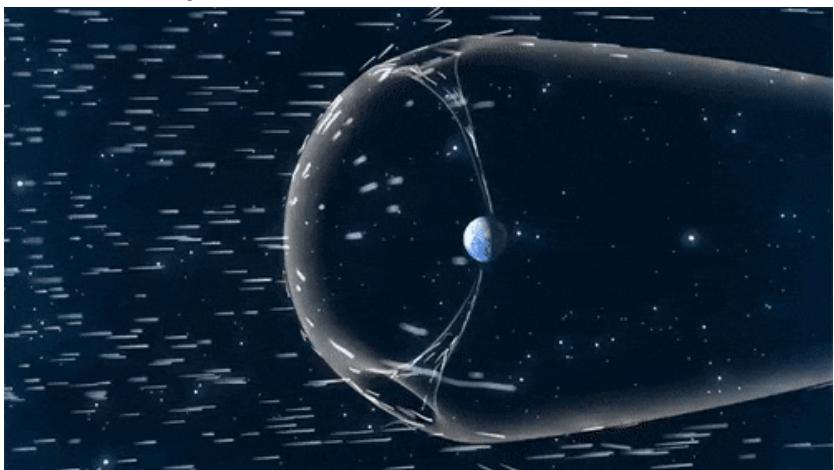


Transient events – weather

CMEs/Solar Flares



Solar cycle, streams, discontinuities

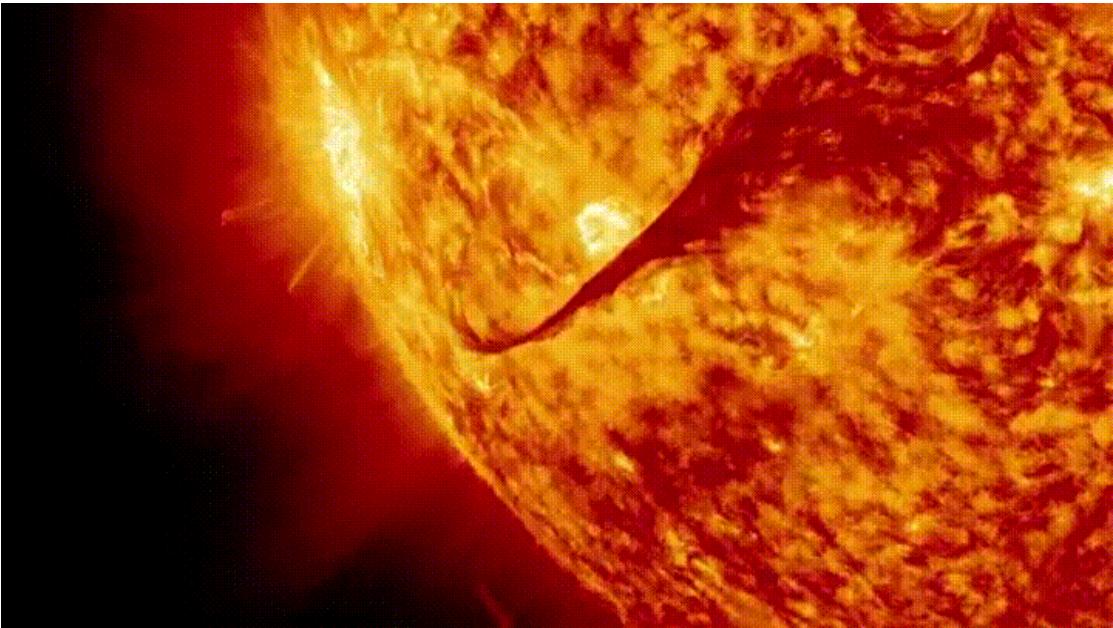


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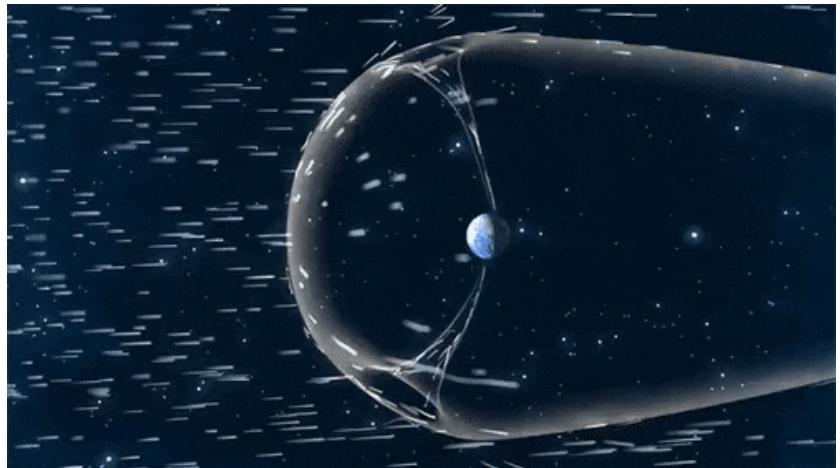


Transient events – space weather

CMEs/Solar Flares

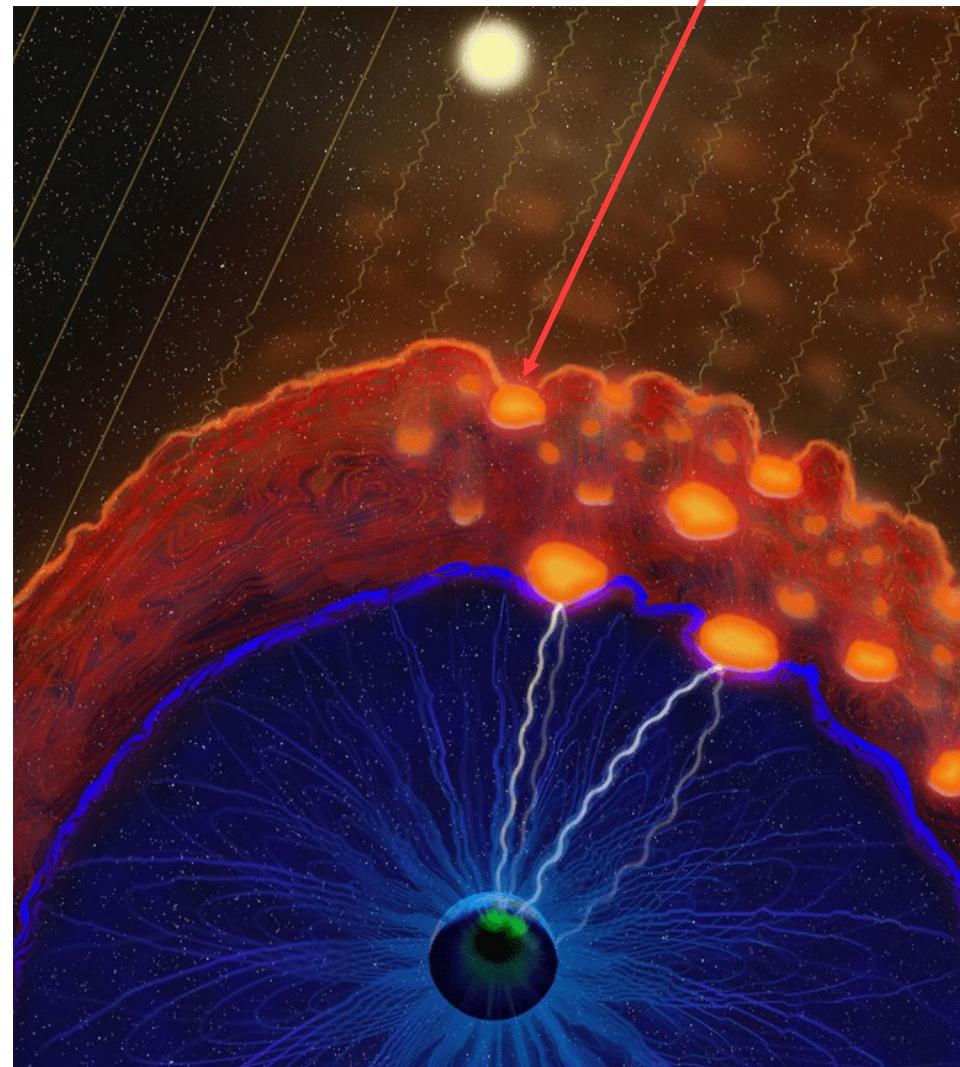


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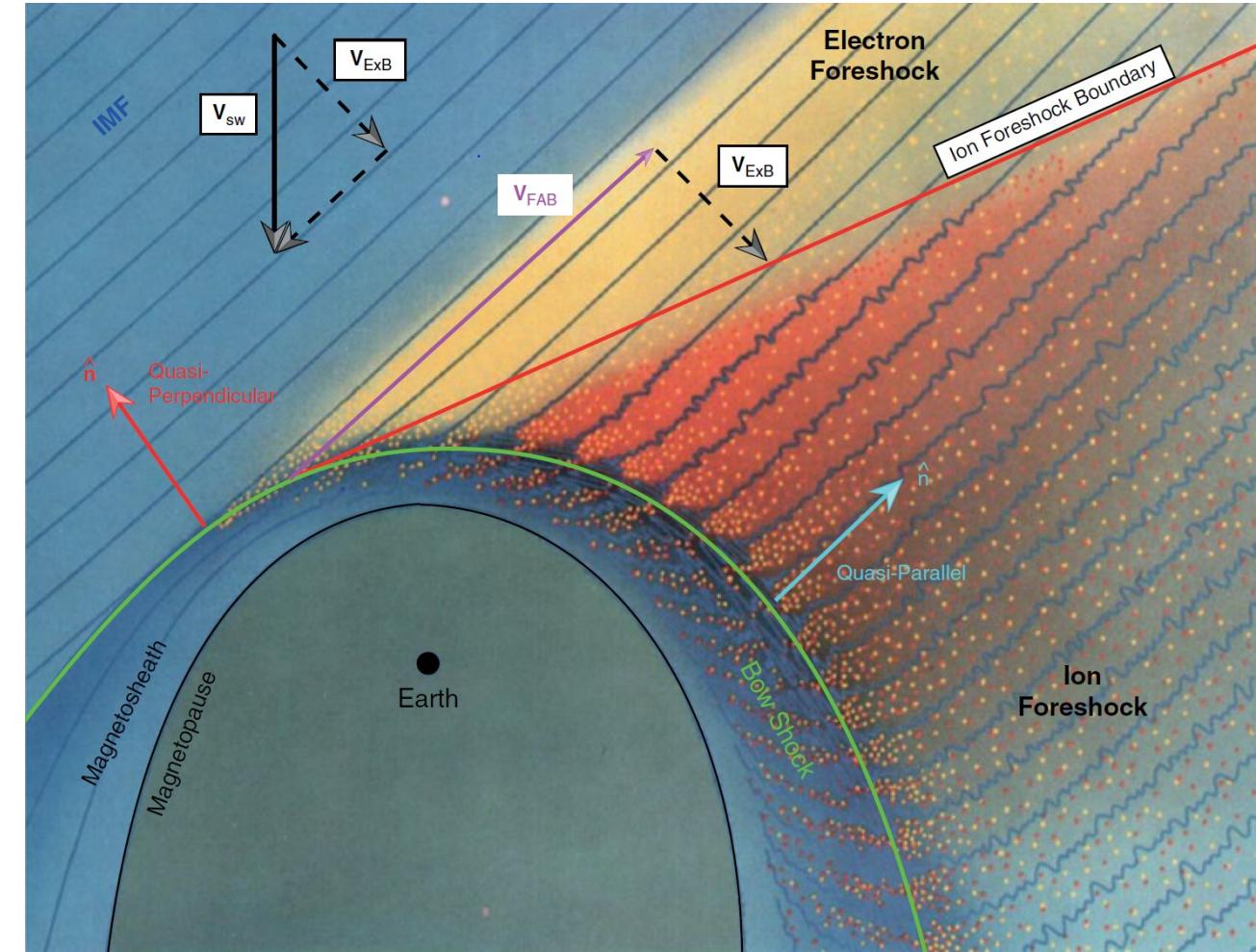
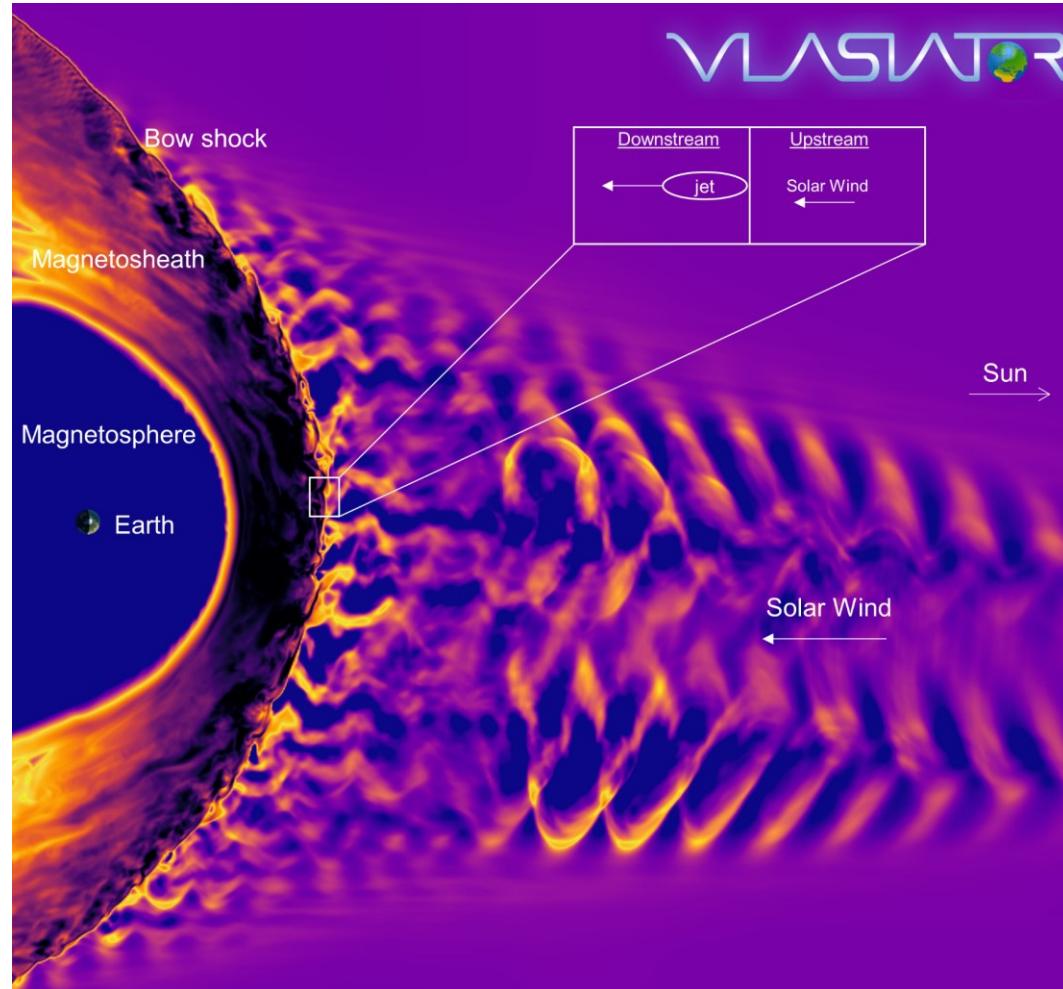
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Foreshock structures & plasma jets

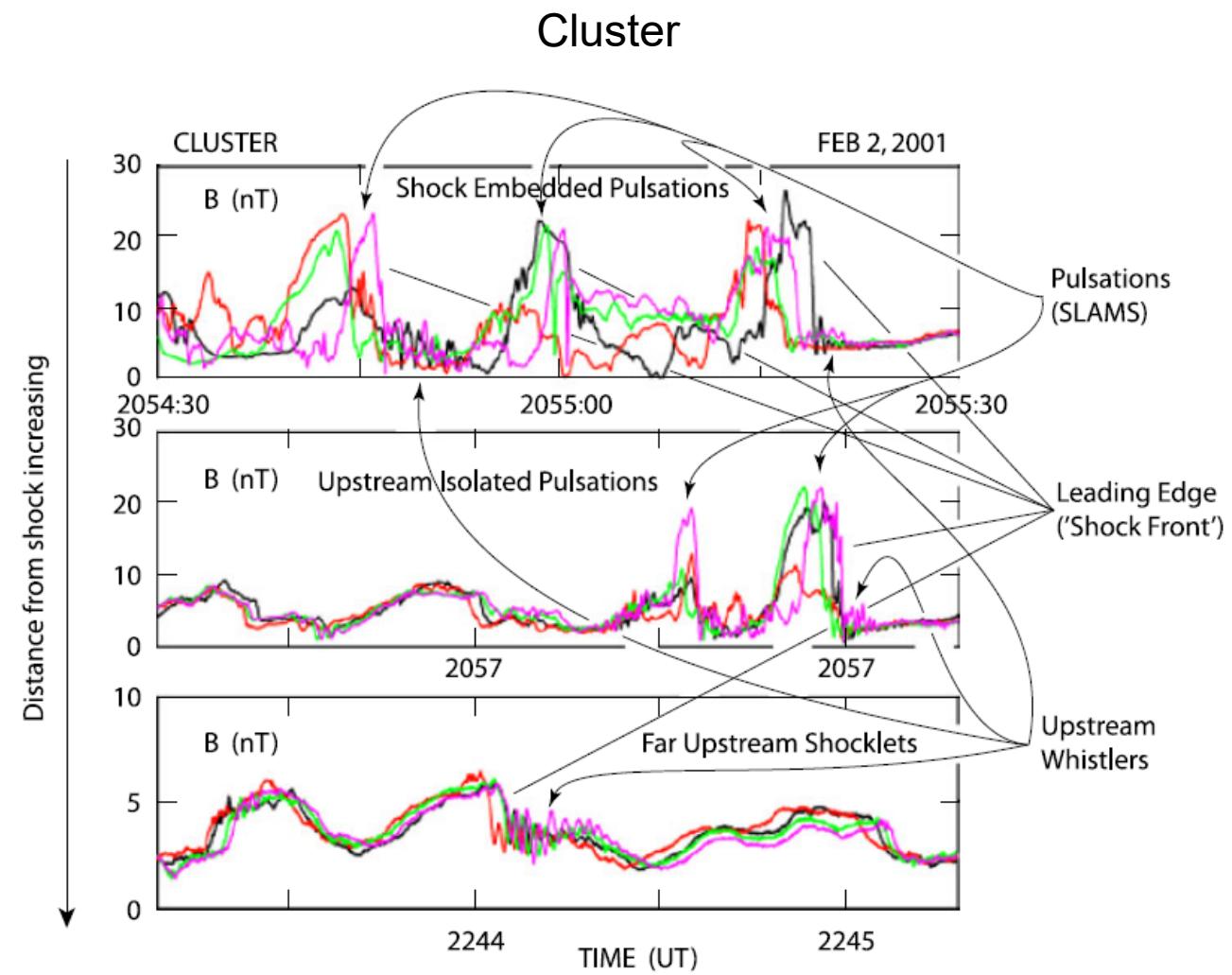
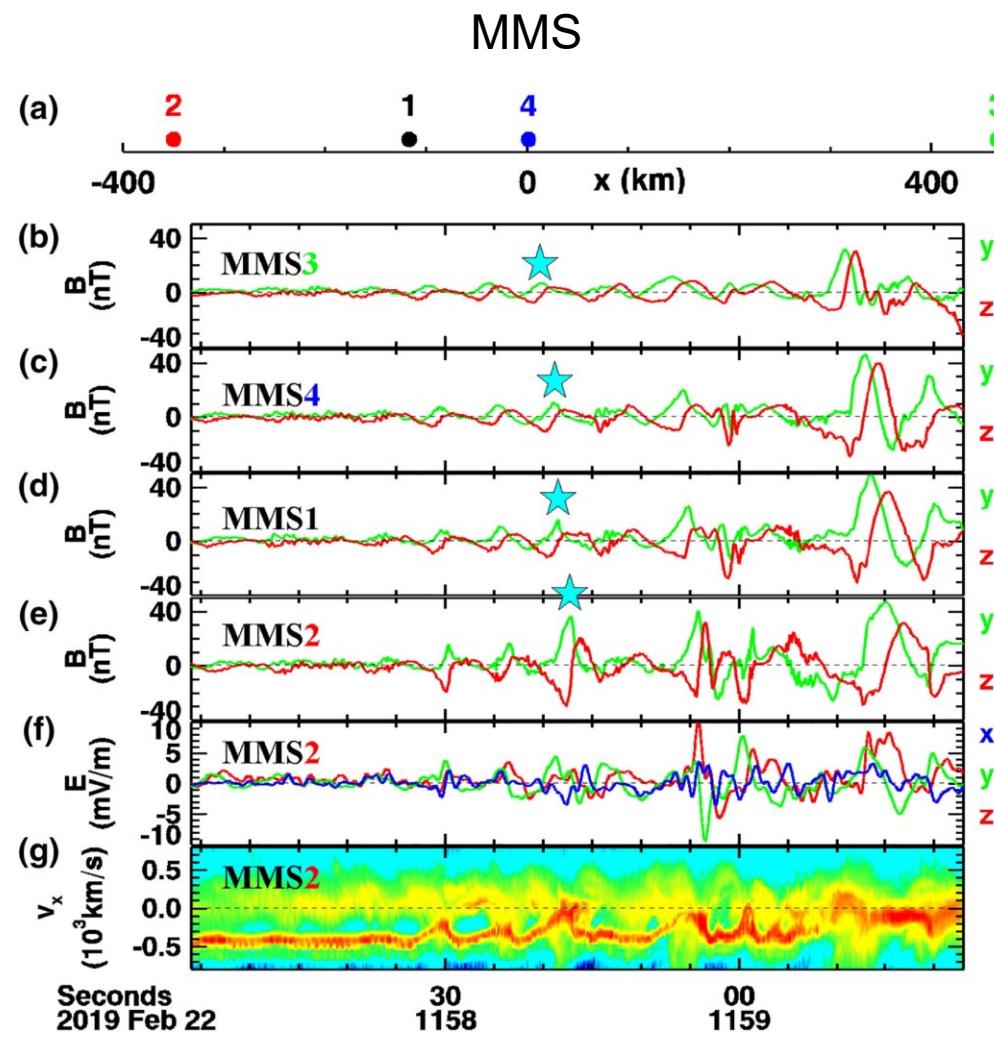


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Earth's magnetosphere & shock environment



Foreshock & evolution of ULF wavefield



Why do we care? “big picture”

Dayside Transient Phenomena and Their Impact on the Magnetosphere and Ionosphere

Hui Zhang✉, Qiugang Zong✉, Hyunju Connor, Peter Delamere, Gábor Facskó, Desheng Han, Hiroshi Hasegawa, Esa Kallio, Árpád Kis, Guan Le, Bertrand Lembège, Yu Lin, Terry Liu, Kjellmar Oksavik, Nojan Omidi, Antonius Otto, Jie Ren, Quanqi Shi, David Sibeck & Shutao Yao

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Transmission of foreshock waves through Earth's bow shock

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Downstream high-speed plasma jet generation as a direct consequence of shock reformation

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Foreshock and magnetosheath transient phenomena and their effects on planetary magnetospheres.

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Investigating the Role of Magnetosheath High-Speed Jets in Triggering Dayside Ground Magnetic Ultra-Low Frequency Waves

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Impact of Upstream Mesoscale Transients on the Near-Earth Environment

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Foreshocks Across The Heliosphere: System Specific Or Universal Physical Processes?

ISSI Team led by H. Hietala (UK) & F. Plaschke (AT)

Jets – references update (>2019)

Jets Downstream of Collisionless Shocks

Plaschke et al. (2018)

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s1214-018-0516-3>



Associated phenomena & effects

- **Excitation of surface eigenmodes** at magnetopause: [Archer et al. \(2019, 2021\)](#)
- **Mirror mode waves** and jets: [Bianco-Cano et al. \(2020\)](#)
- **Bursty magnetic reconnection** at the Earth's magnetopause: [Ng et al. \(2021\)](#)
- **Ground-based magnetometer response**: [Norenius et al. \(2021\)](#)
- Generation of **Pi2 pulsations**: [Katsavrias et al. \(2021\)](#)
- B in jets, **Bz variations near magnetopause**: [Vuorinen et al. \(2021\)](#)
- High-Speed Jets **Triggering Dayside Ground ULF**: [Wang et al \(2022\)](#)

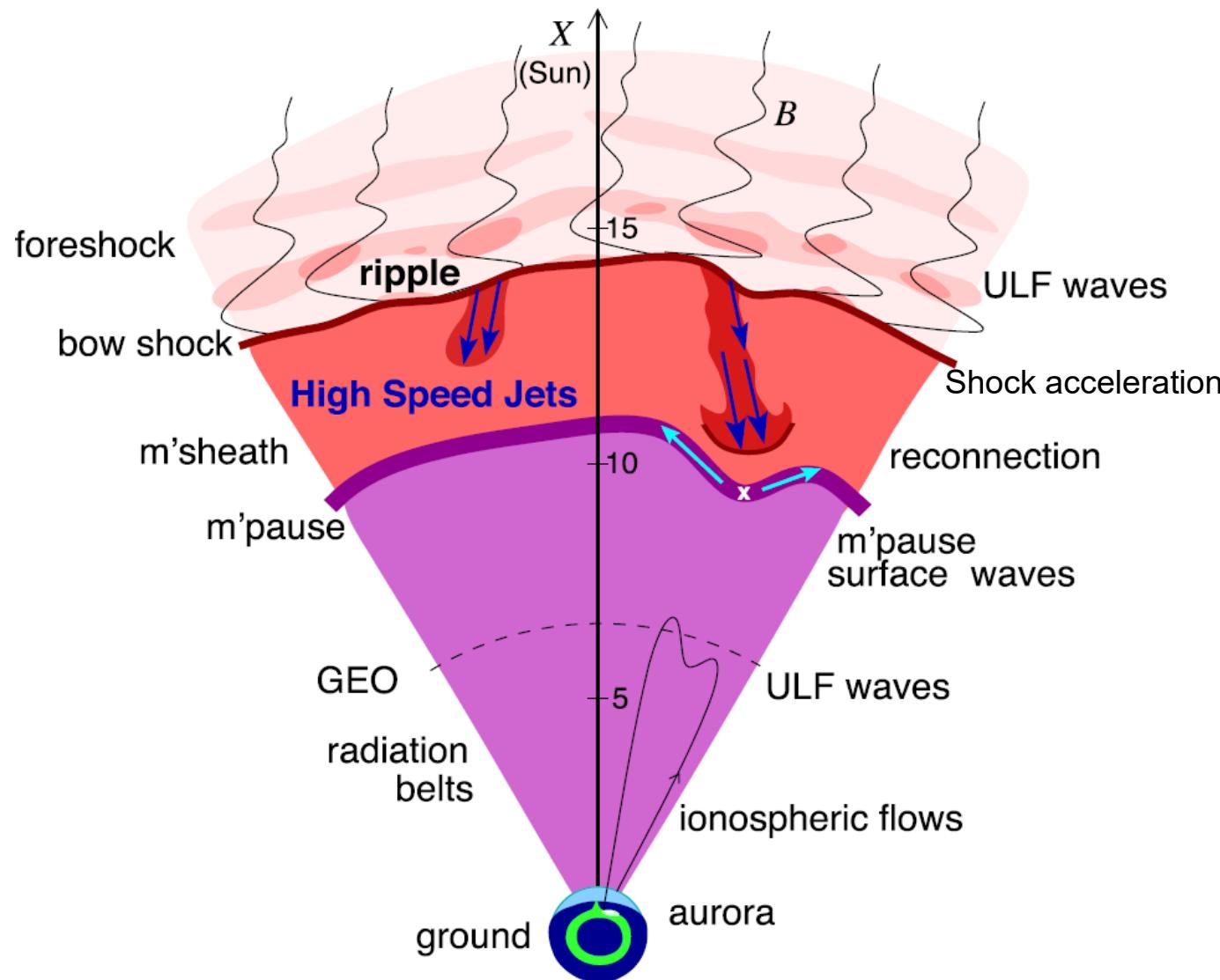
Modeling & formation

- **Velocity & magnetic field alignment** in jets: [Plaschke et al. \(2020\)](#)
- **Classification** of jets using MMS & Neural Networks: [Raptis et al. \(2020a,2020b\)](#)
- Comparison **MMS vs simulations**: [Palmroth et al. \(2021\)](#)
- **Solar wind effect** on jet formation: [LaMoury et al. \(2021\)](#)
- Magnetosheath Jets and **Plasmoids** - Hybrid Simulations: [Preisser et al. \(2020\)](#)
- **Formation** of jets in **Quasi-perpendicular magnetosheath**: [Primoz et al. \(2021\)](#)
- **Occurrence** in relation to **CMEs and SIRs**: [Koller et al. \(2022\)](#)
- **Shock reformation** and the **formation of high-speed jets**: [Raptis et al. \(2022a\)](#)
- **Electron acceleration** and **bow waves** in jets: [Vuorinen et al. \(2022\)](#)
- **Kinetic structure** of jets and **partial plasma moments**: [Raptis et al. \(2022b\)](#)

And more : [Liu et al. \(2020a,2020b\)](#), [Omelchenko et al \(2021\)](#), [Sibeck et al. \(2021\)](#), [Suni et al. \(2021\)](#), [Tinoco-Arenas et al. \(2022\)](#) ... etc.

Magnetosheath high-speed jets

Magnetosheath jets effects



Definition

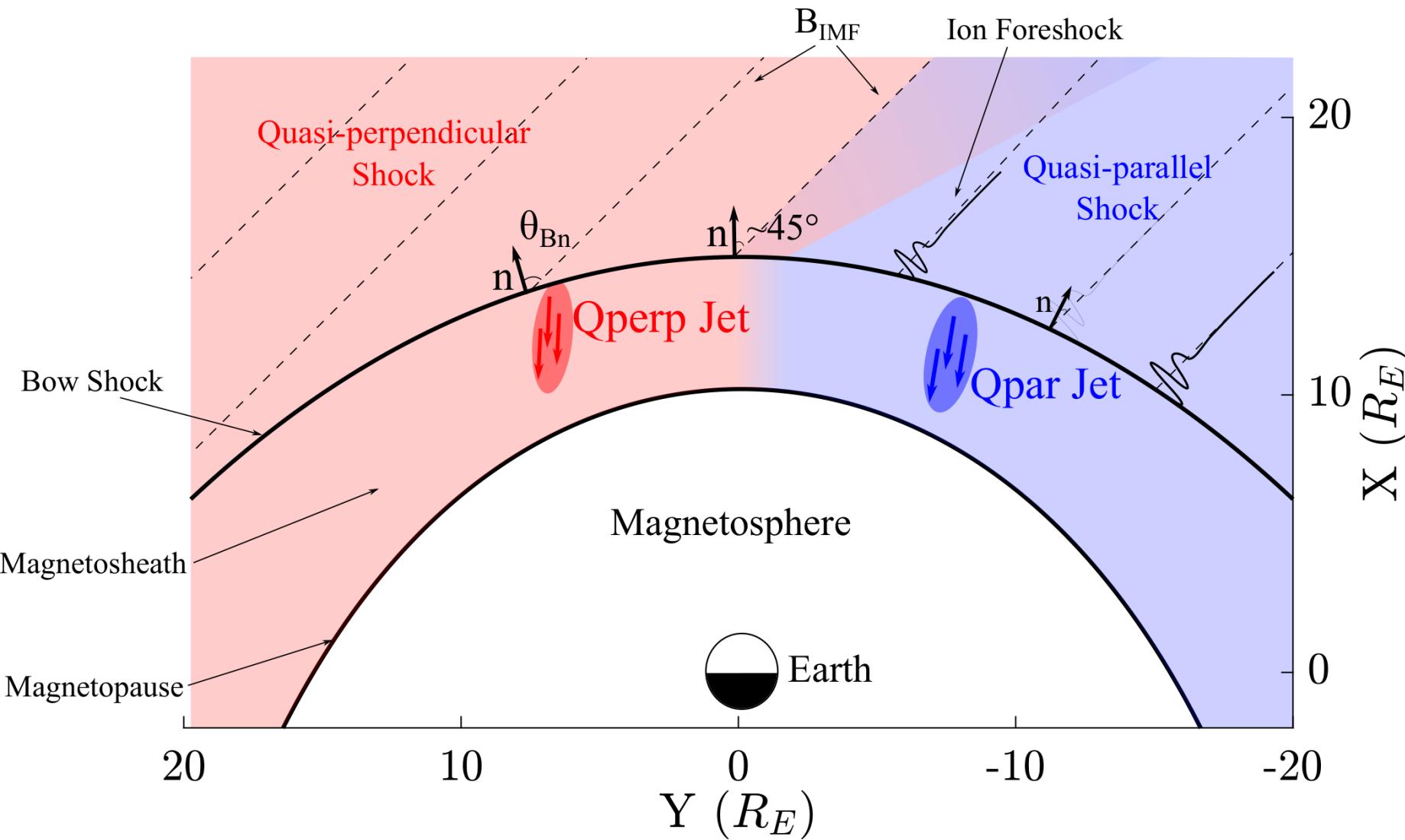
Magnetosheath jets are **transient localized enhancements** of **dynamic pressure** (density and/or velocity increase)

e.g., 200% dynamic pressure enhancement compared to background magnetosheath

Related phenomena

*Radiation belts
Throat aurora
Magnetopause reconnection
Magnetopause penetration
Shock acceleration
Magnetopause surface eigenmodes
ULF waves
Substorms
Ground magnetometer detection*

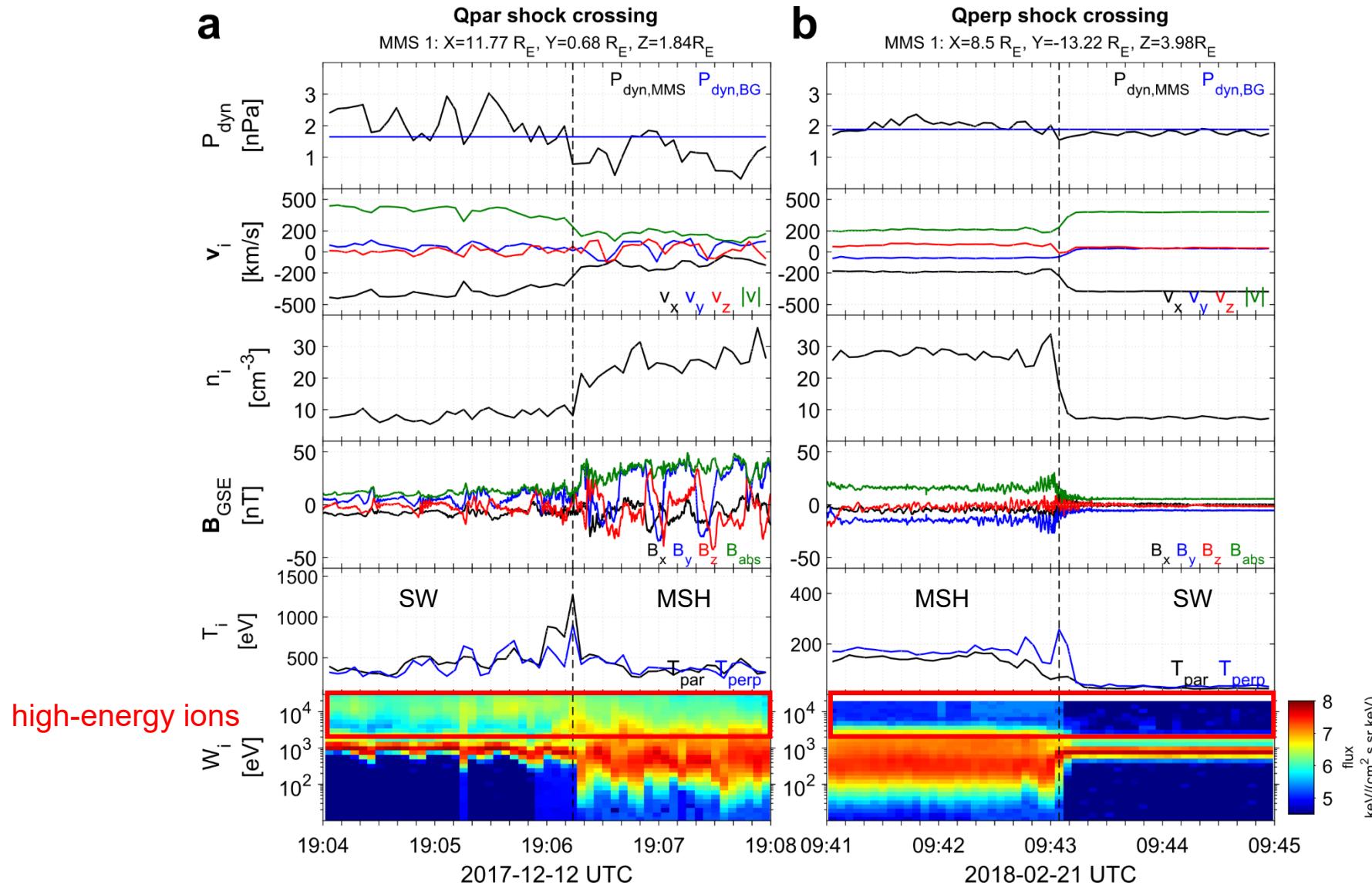
Shock, magnetosheath & jet classification



" θ_{Bn} is the angle between the IMF and the shock's normal vector"

$$Q_{\text{par}} = \theta_{Bn} \lesssim 45^\circ$$
$$Q_{\text{perp}} = \theta_{Bn} \gtrsim 45^\circ$$

Shock transitions with MMS



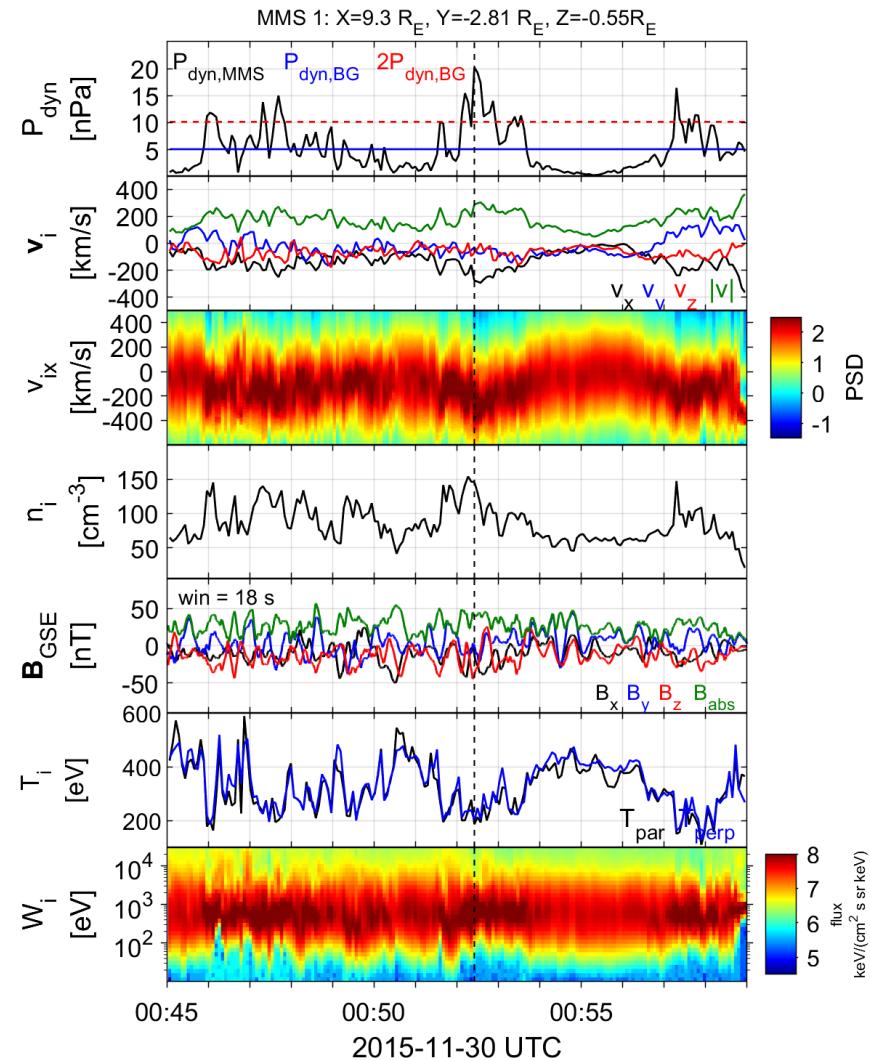
Recent Results of Jets

Summarized properties – Quasi parallel

- Most common
- High dynamic pressure
- Primarily Earthward
- Associated with low temperature (ΔT)
- Associated with high $|B|$ & ΔB
- $\Delta\beta < 0$

Qpar Jet

Jets found in Q_{\parallel} MSH



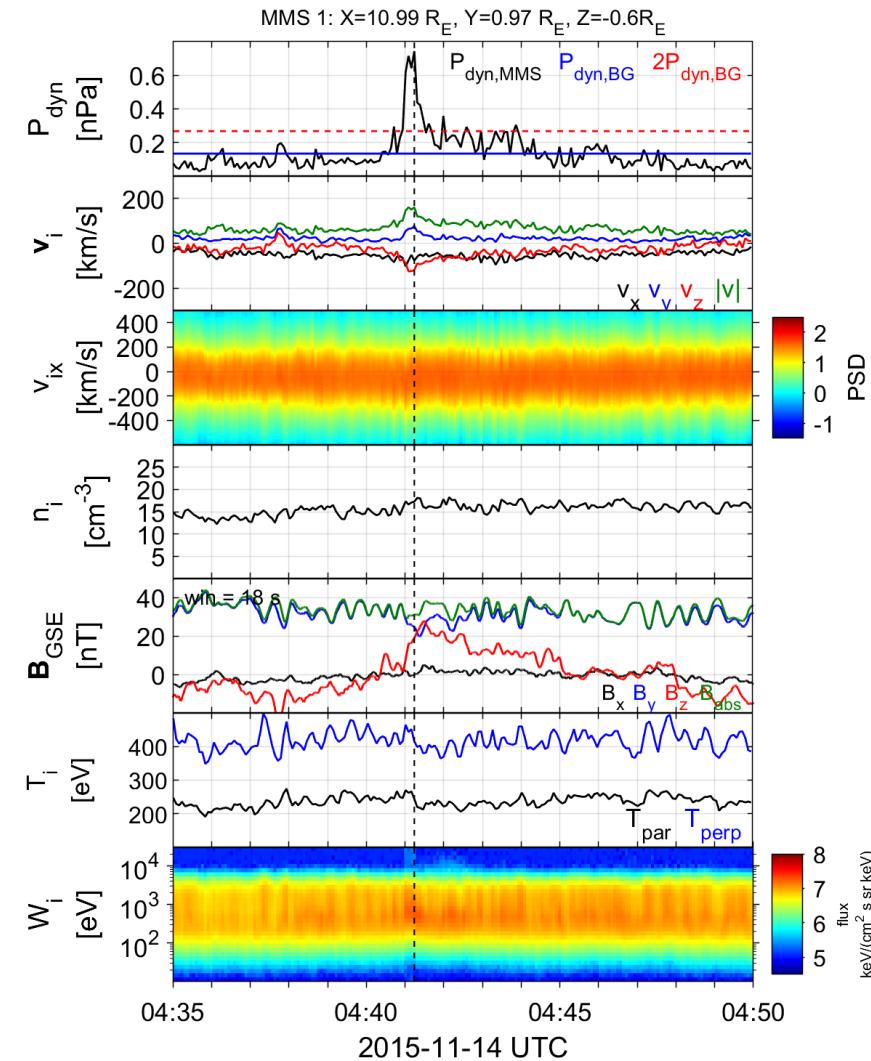
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Final cases	191	2.1
Encapsulated	80	0.9
Final cases	60	0.7
Other	5335	58.0
Unclassified/Uncertain	3789	41.2
Border	1500	16.3
Data Gap	46	0.5

Summarized properties – Quasi perpendicular

- Less common
- Less Energetic
- Mainly velocity driven
- Very small duration (~ 4 sec)
- Could be connected to MSH reconnection, mirror mode waves or FTEs

Qperp Jet

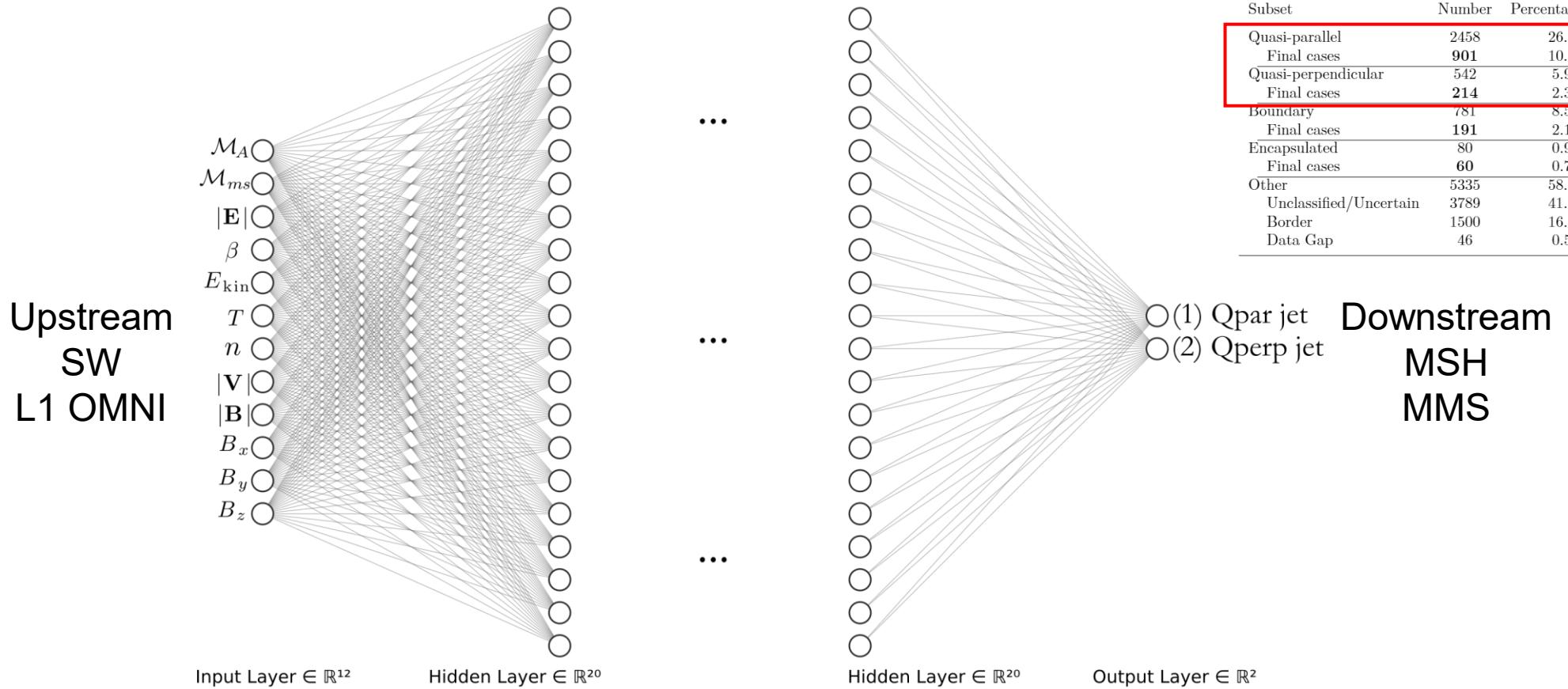
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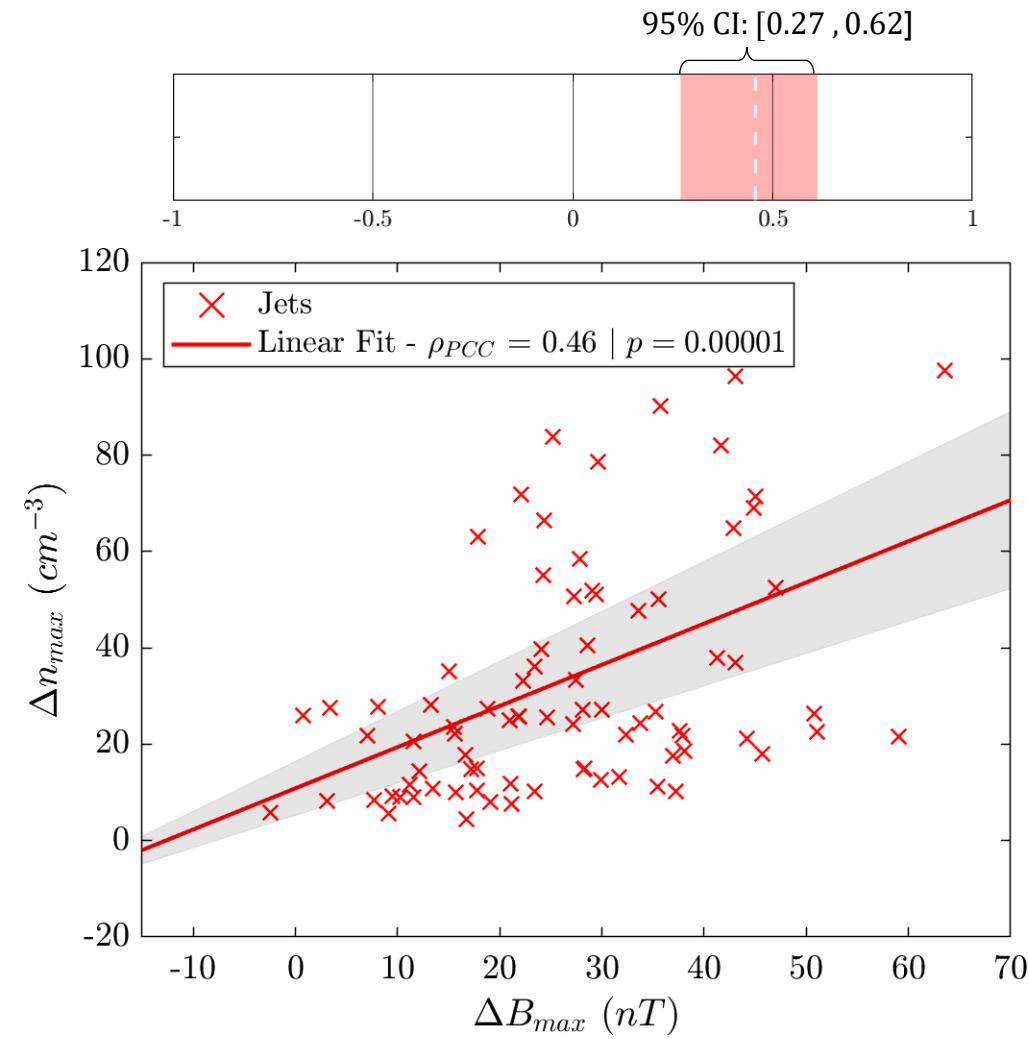
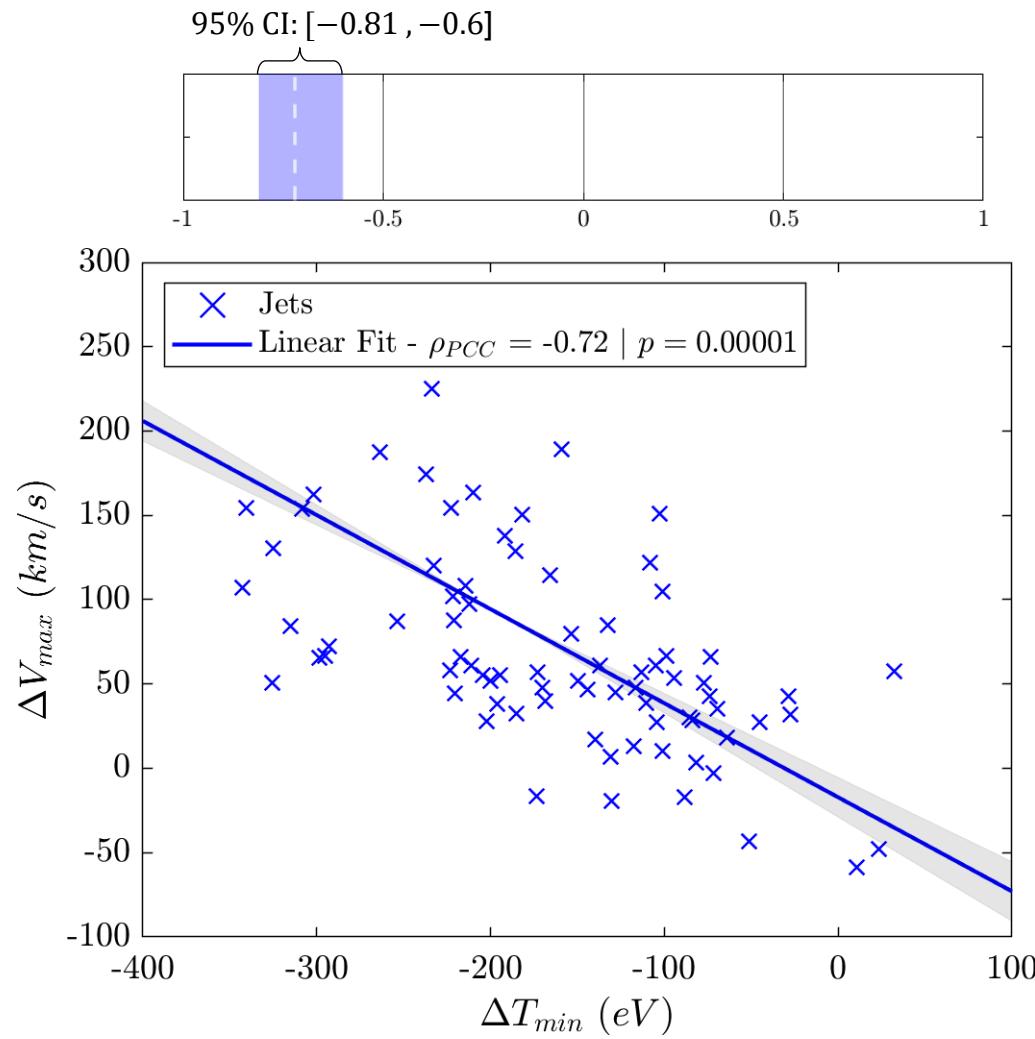
Classifying jets with Neural Networks

(a)



Example: statistics of subset close to bow shock

$n = 90$



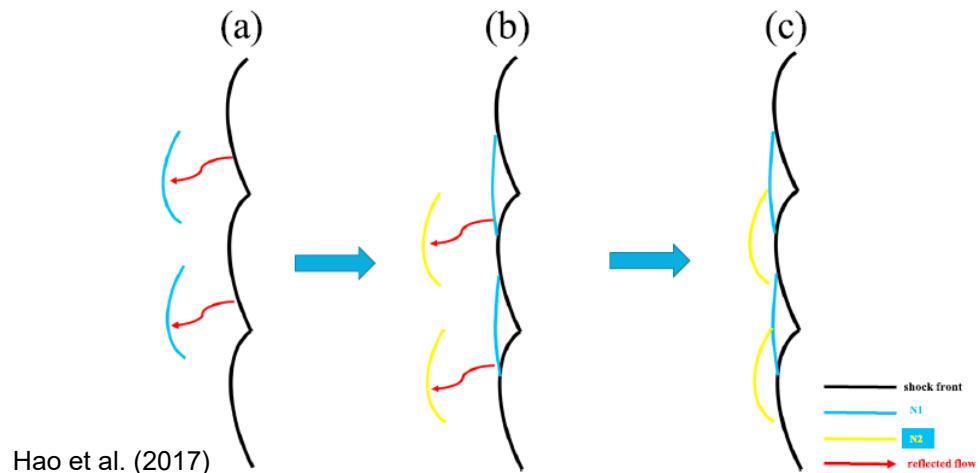
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Burst data of MMS

Shock global reformation

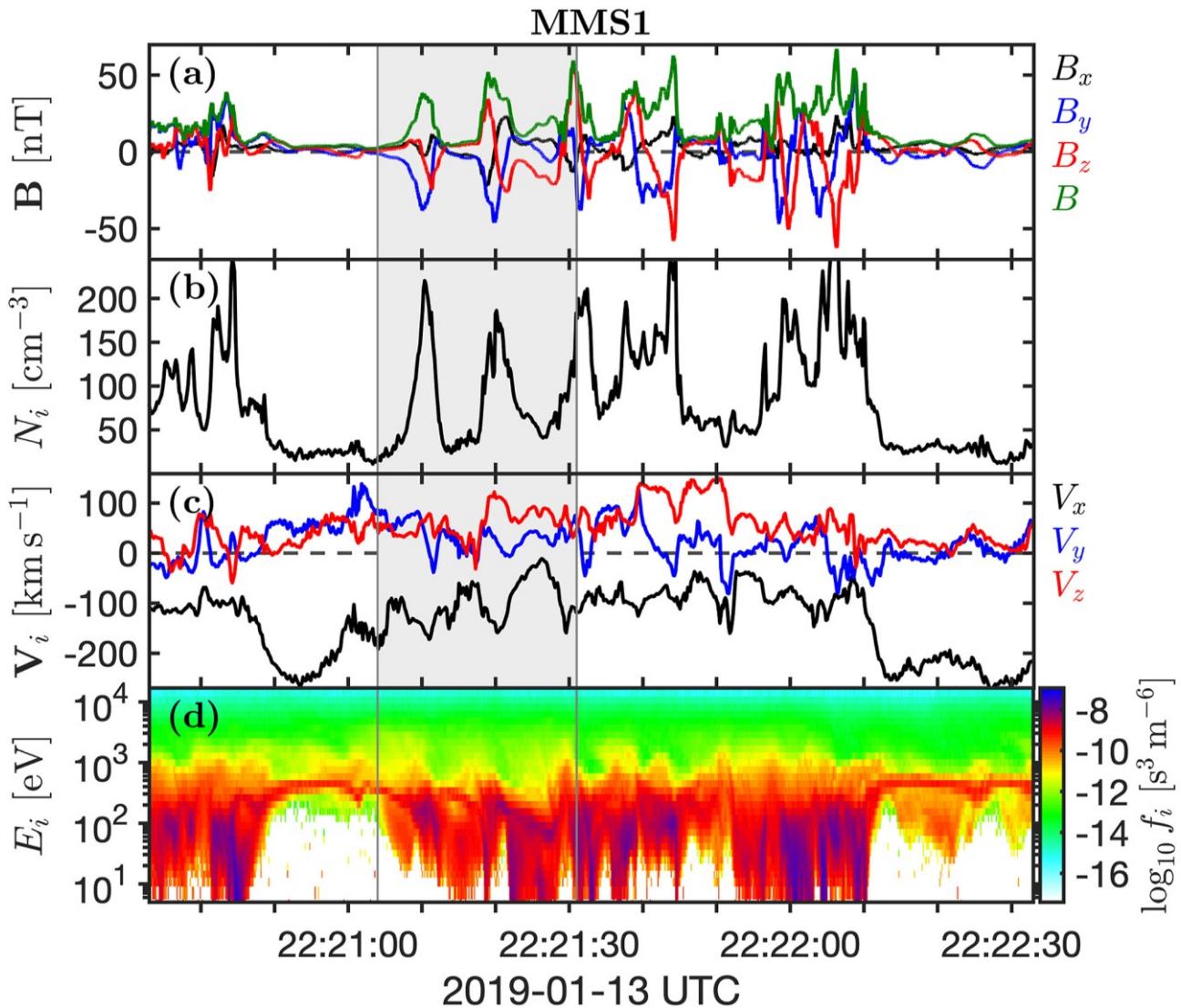
Shock Reformation

Burgess (1989): “the shock exhibits a cyclic behavior cyclic shock reformation;”

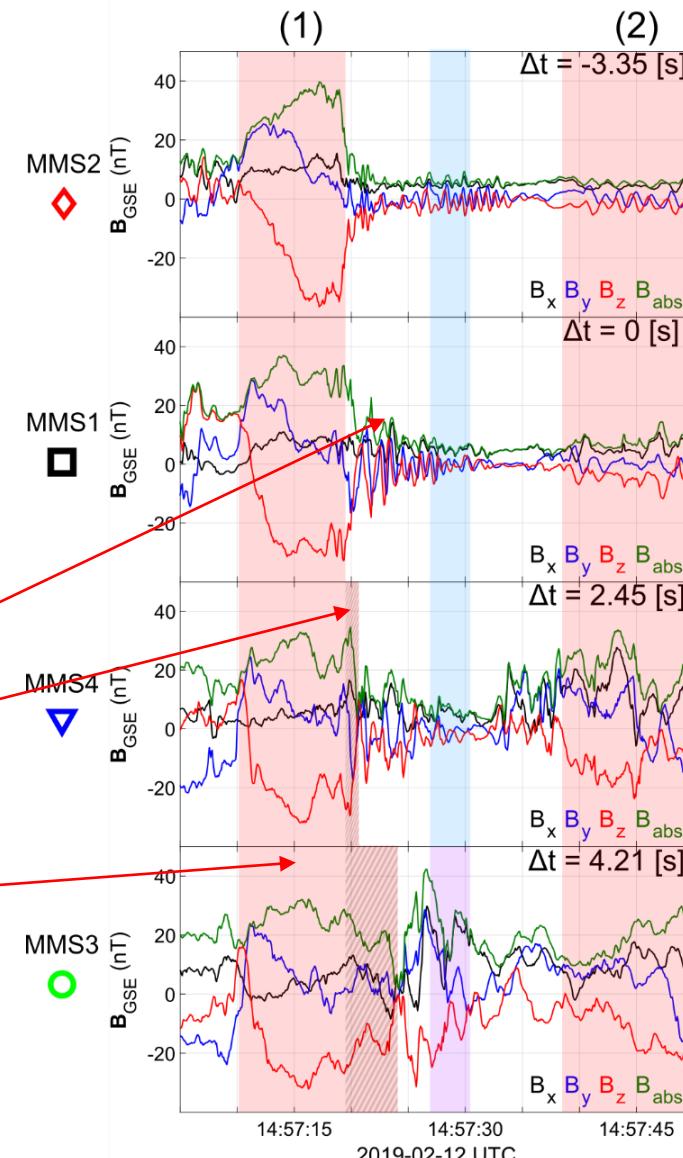
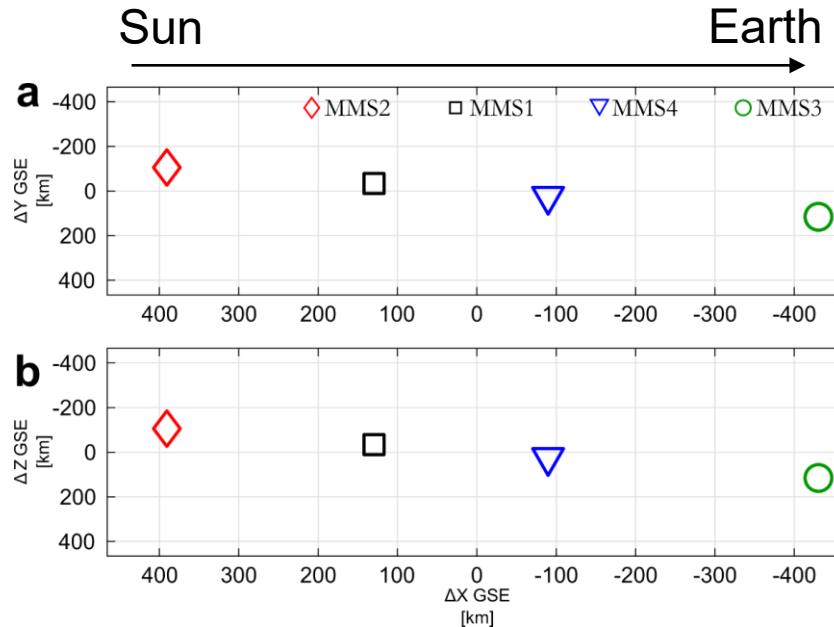


Hao et al. (2017)

Figure 11. The sketch for evolution of shock front. (a) A rippled shock front, (b) a plane shock front, and (c) a rippled shock front. Solid lines and red arrows denote shock front and reflected beams, and N1 and N2 indicate new shock fronts.



SLAMS – wave activity and reformation



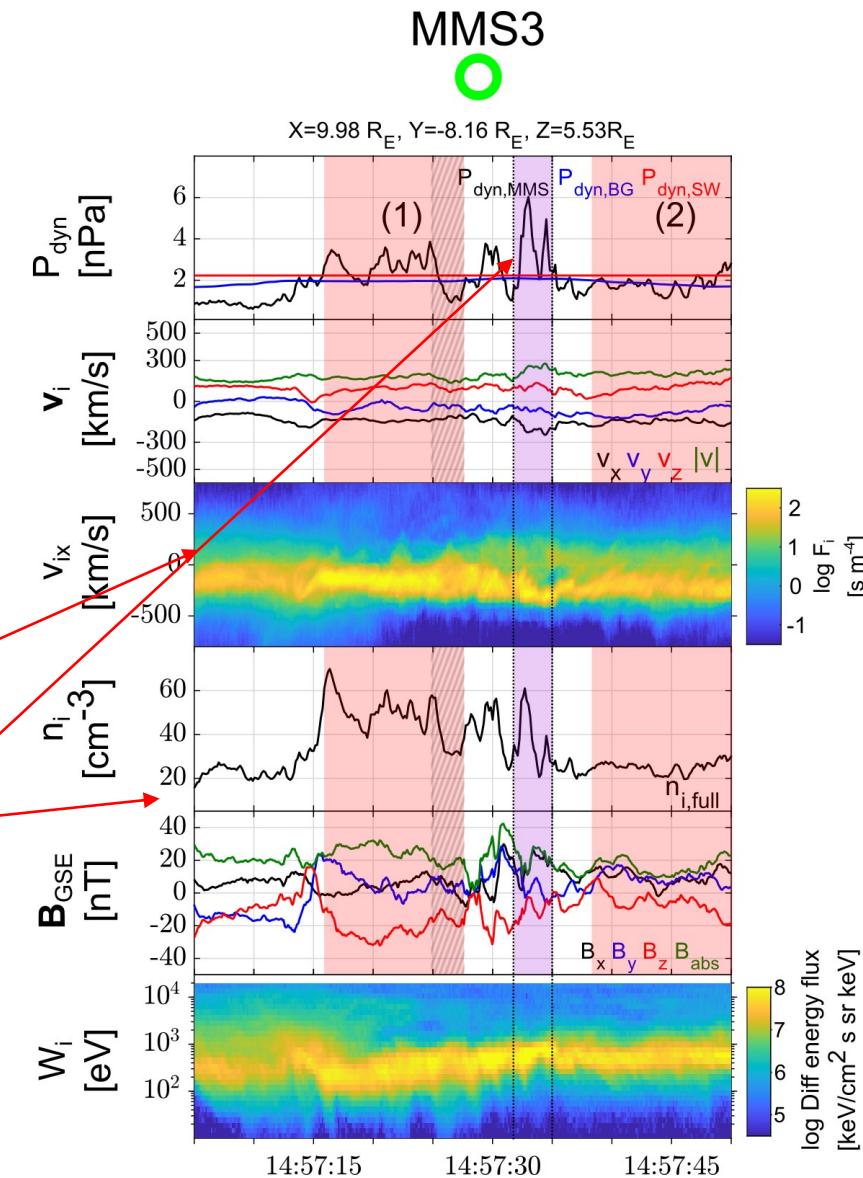
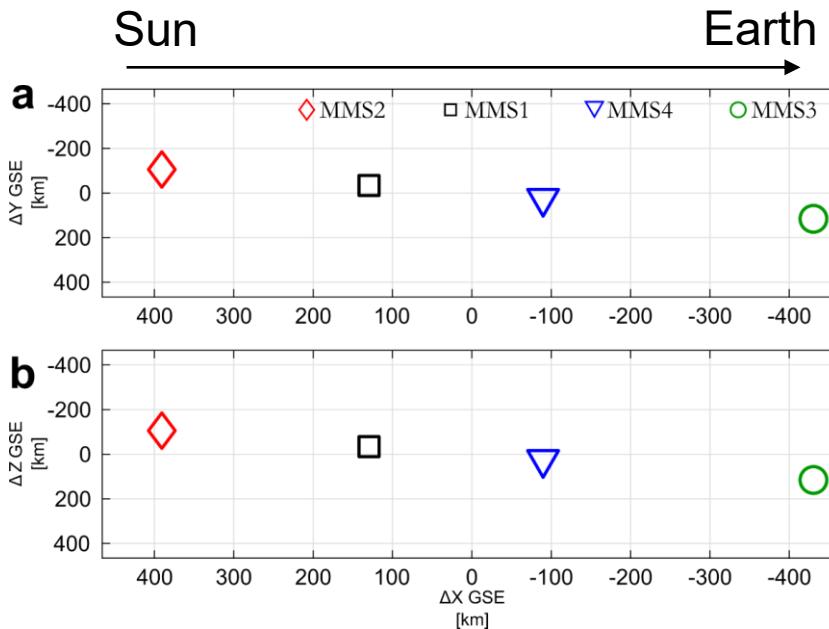
Evolution of SLAMS

- Interaction with upstream whistler
- New peak / evolution*
- Formation of downstream density enhancement**

* See similar examples by Turner et al. (2021), Chen et al. (2021) | (Self-) reformation

** See similar example by Liu et al. (2021) | (Global) reformation

Jet “slipping through” the reformation cycle



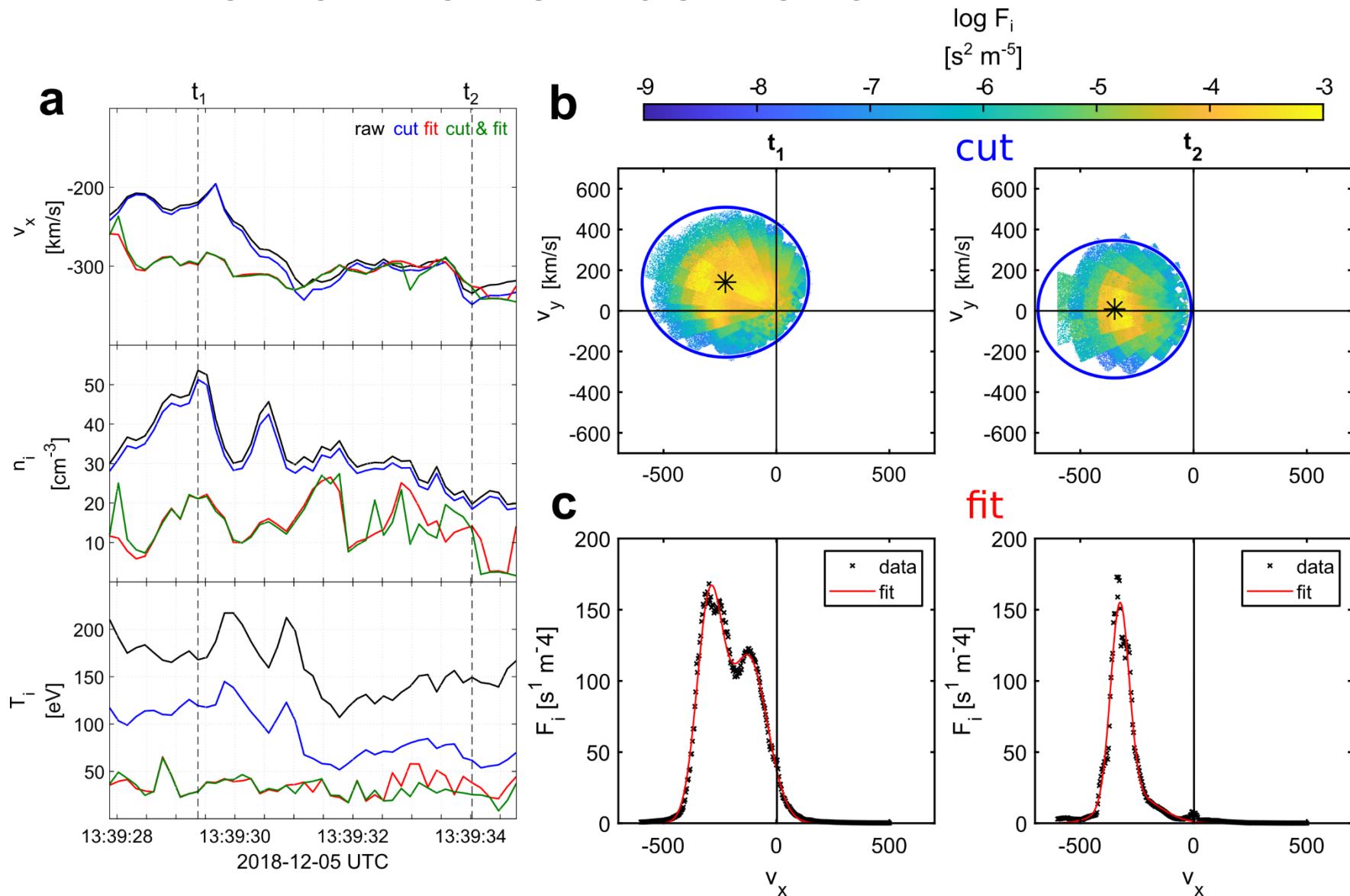
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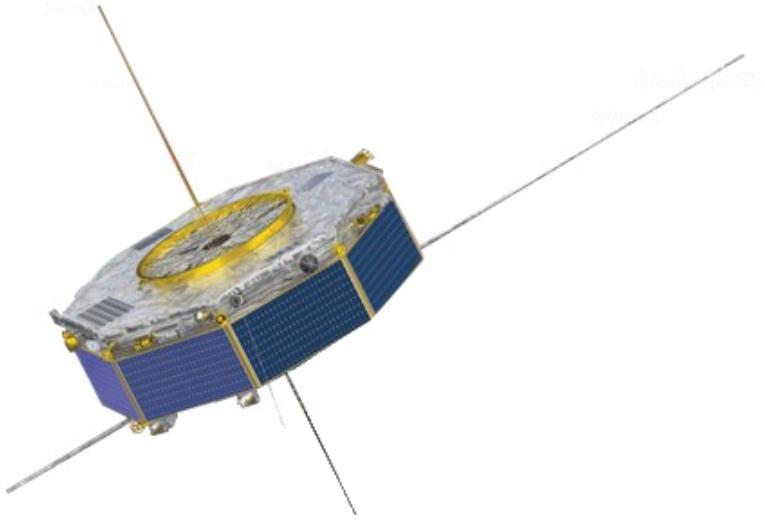
- Thermalized distribution
- Compression
- Dynamic pressure increase (i.e., increase in velocity and density)

Partial moment derivation

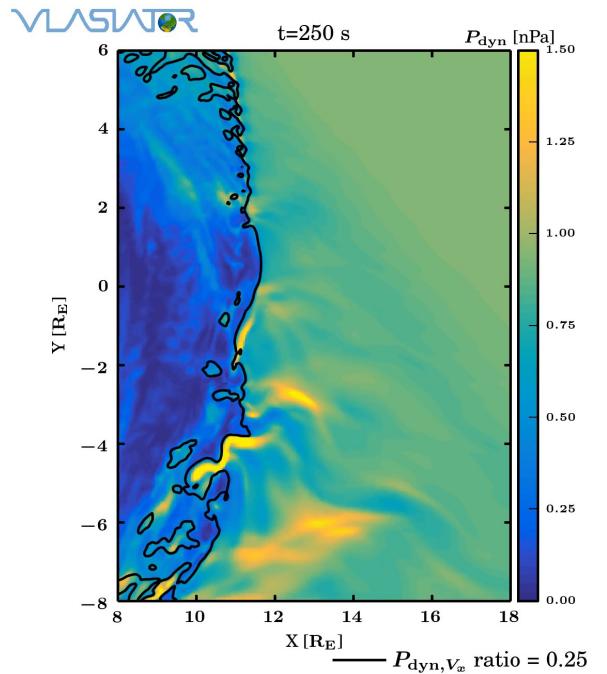
Methods:

- **Cut** : 1 v_{th} sphere in 3D VDF around bulk velocity
- **Fit** : Fit 2 Maxwellians in 1D reduced VDFs



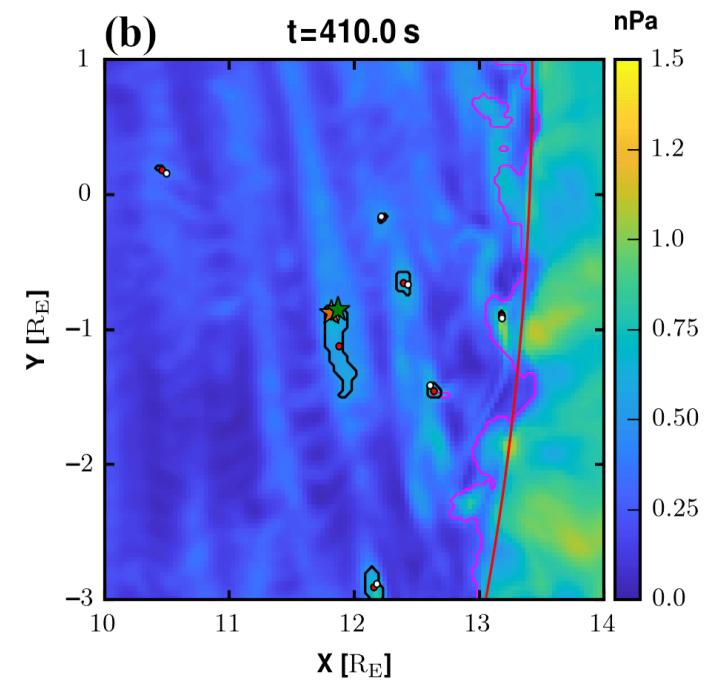
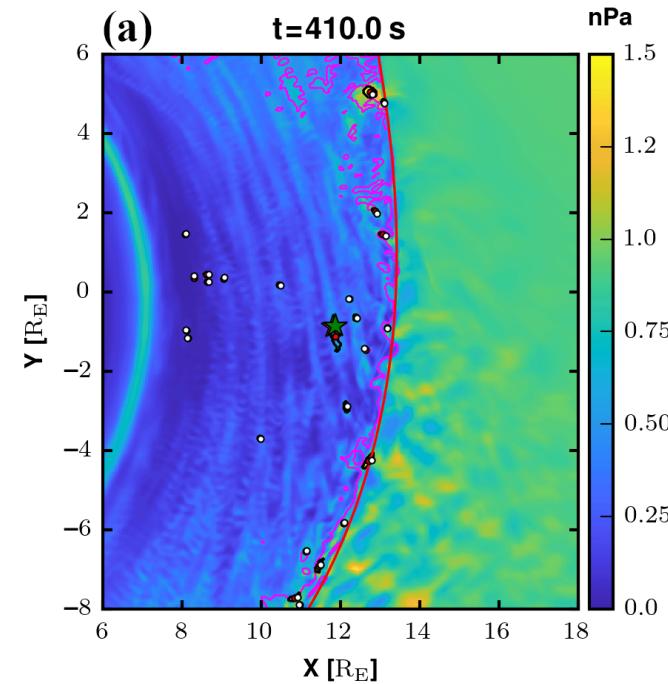
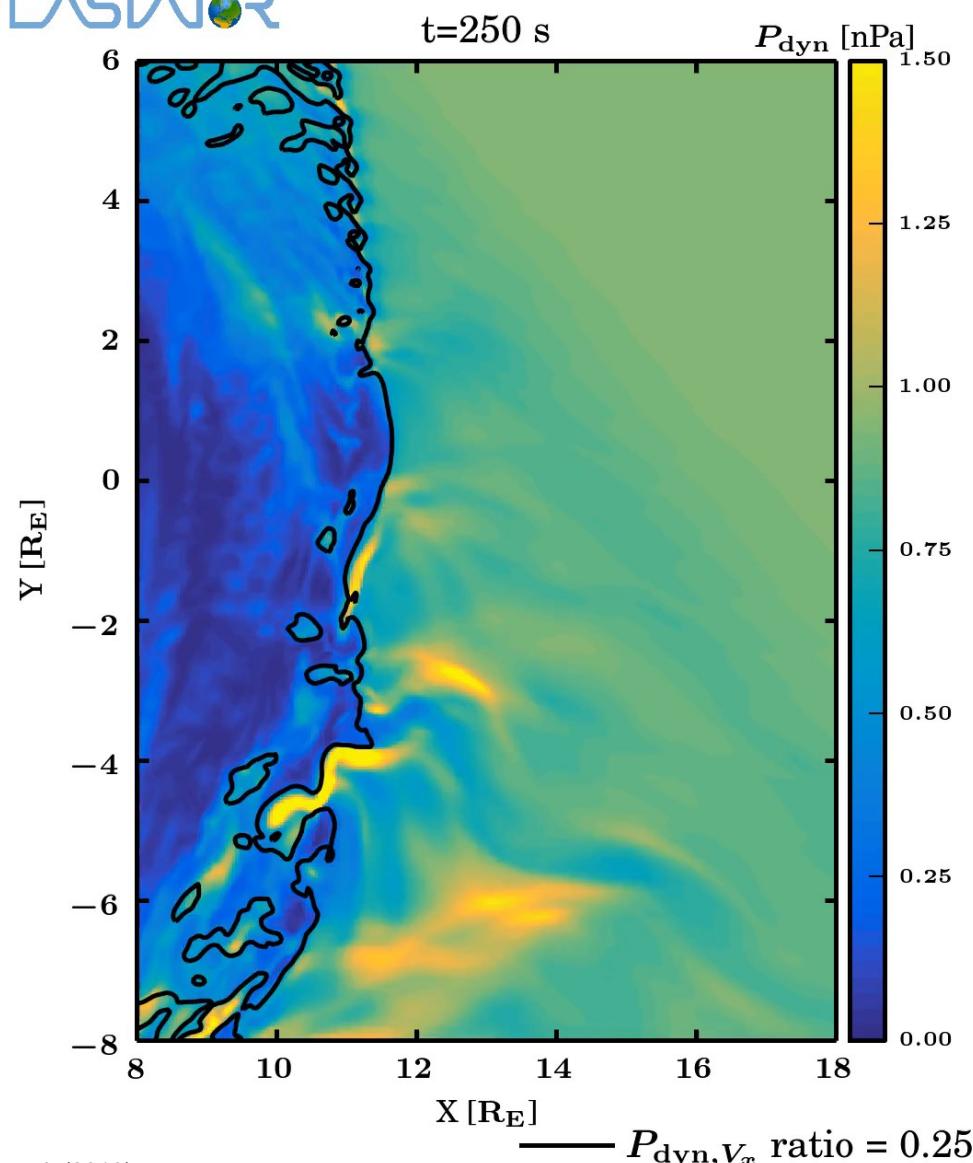


Comparison MMS VS Vlasiator



Jets in simulations

VLASIATOR



Case Comparison

Dynamic Pressure

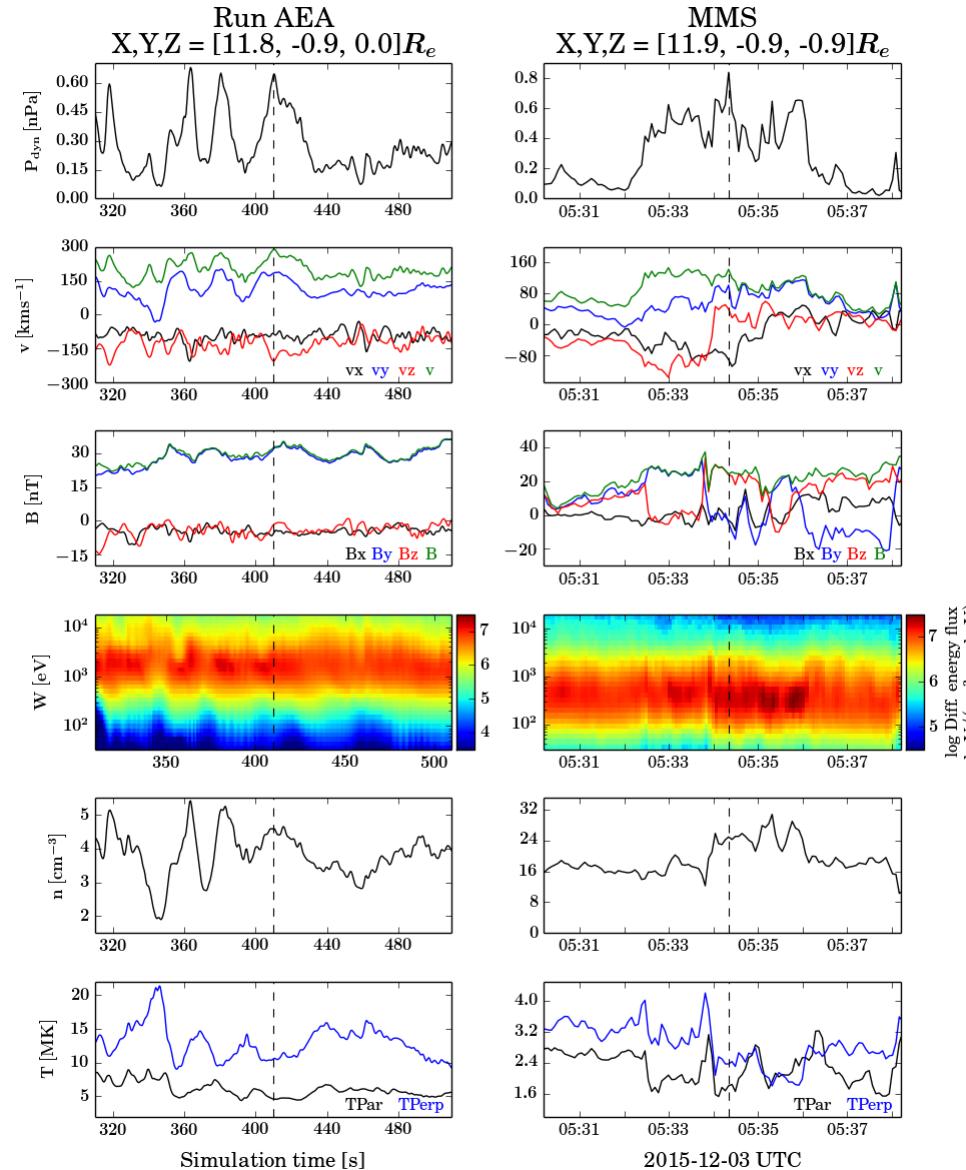
Velocity

Magnetic Field

Ion Energy Spectrum

Density

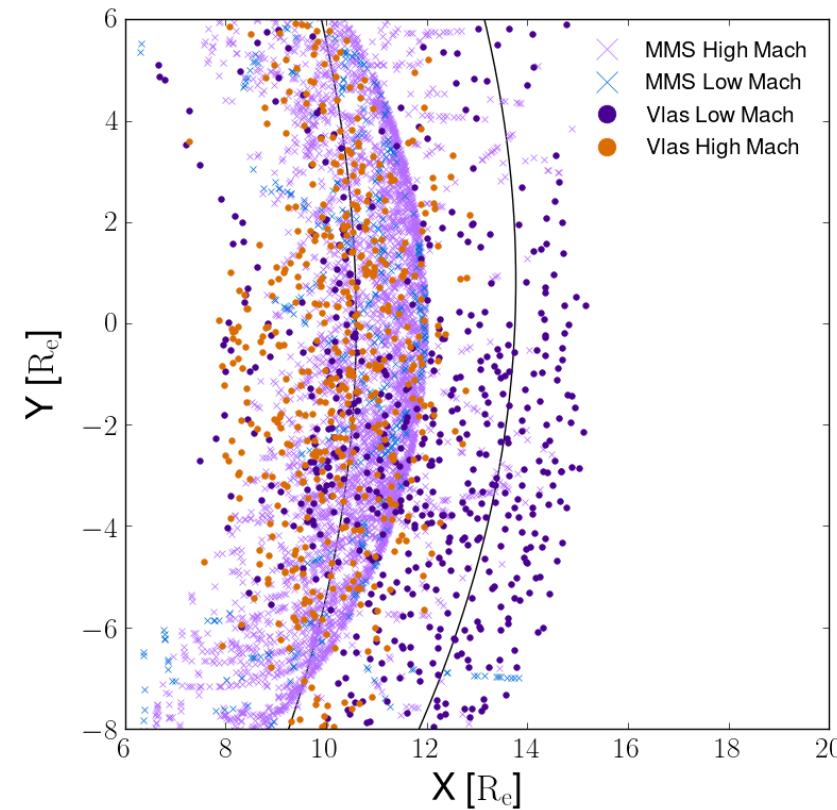
Temperature



Run Details

	Jet search start [s]	Jet search stop [s]	Number of jets
Run HM30	290	419.5	144
Run HM05	290	589.5	293
Run LM30	290	669.5	368
Run LM05	290	439.5	119

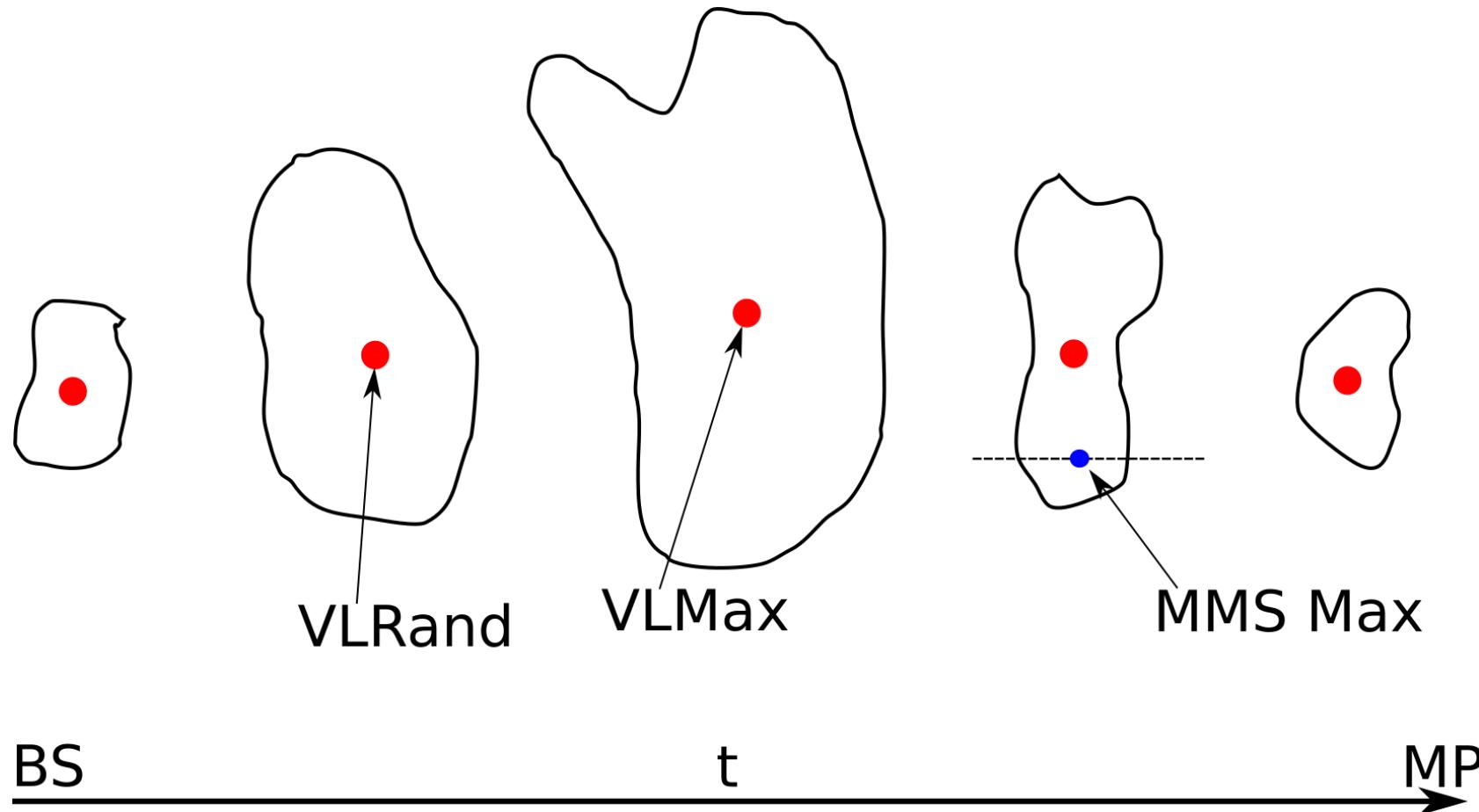
	IMF [nT]	$ \text{IMF} $	$n \text{ [cm}^{-3}\text{]}$	$v \text{ [km s}^{-1}\text{]}$	Cone [$^{\circ}$]	M_A
HM30	(−4.3, 2.5, 0.0)	5	1	(−750, 0, 0)	30	6.9
HM05	(−5.0, 0.4, 0.0)	5	3.3	(−600, 0, 0)	5	10
LM30	(−8.7, 5.0, 0.0)	10	1	(−750, 0, 0)	30	3.4
LM05	(−10.0, 0.9, 0.0)	10	3.3	(−600, 0, 0)	5	5



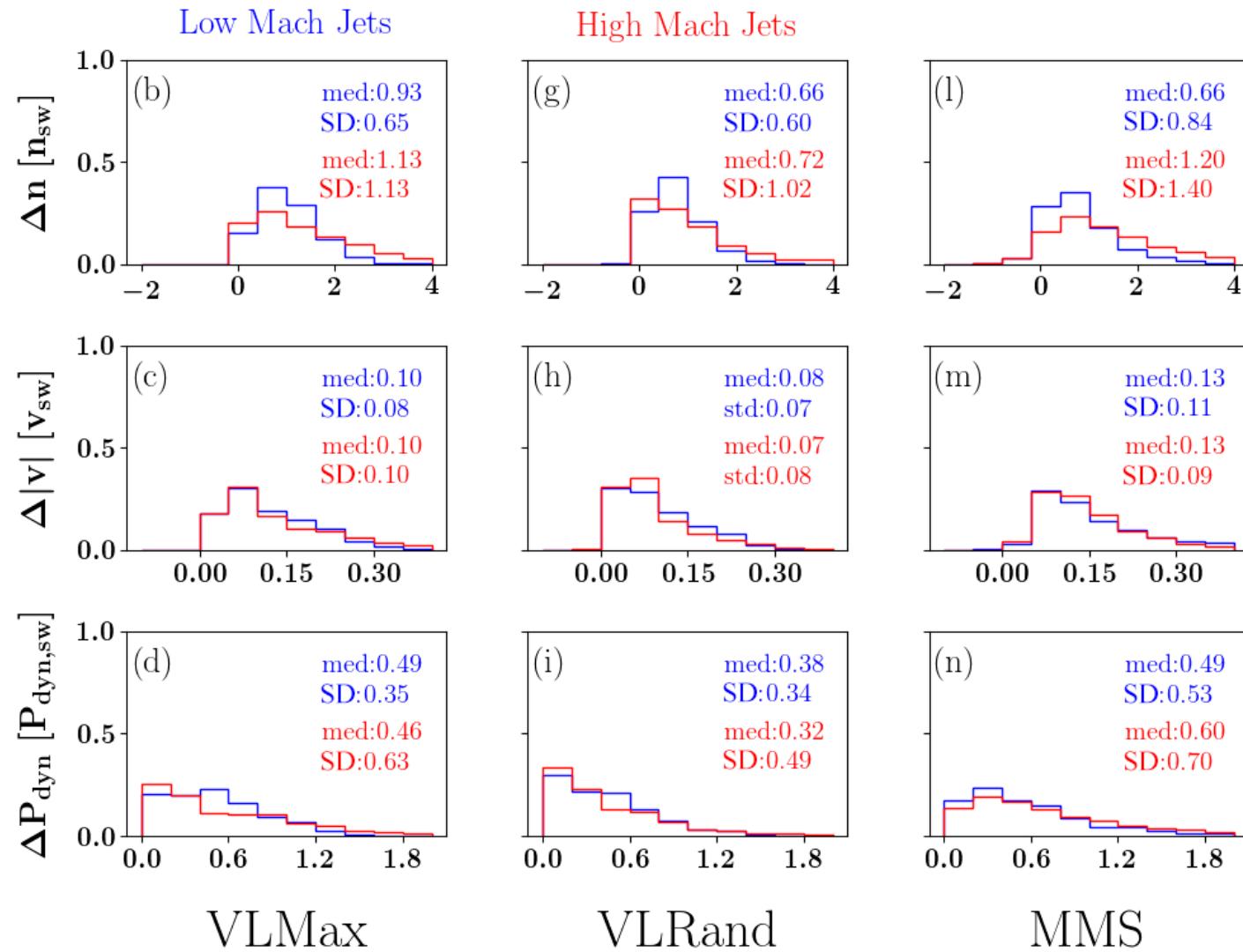
Limitations & some details

- BS position = Core population heated 3 times compared to SW
- 2D runs
- Electrons are massless charge-neutralizing fluid
- Temperature varies a lot during jets
- Jet is regarded the same if 50% of cells are the same during previous time step.
- Grid size: 30 km/s and 227 km

Main differences between MMS & Vlasiator

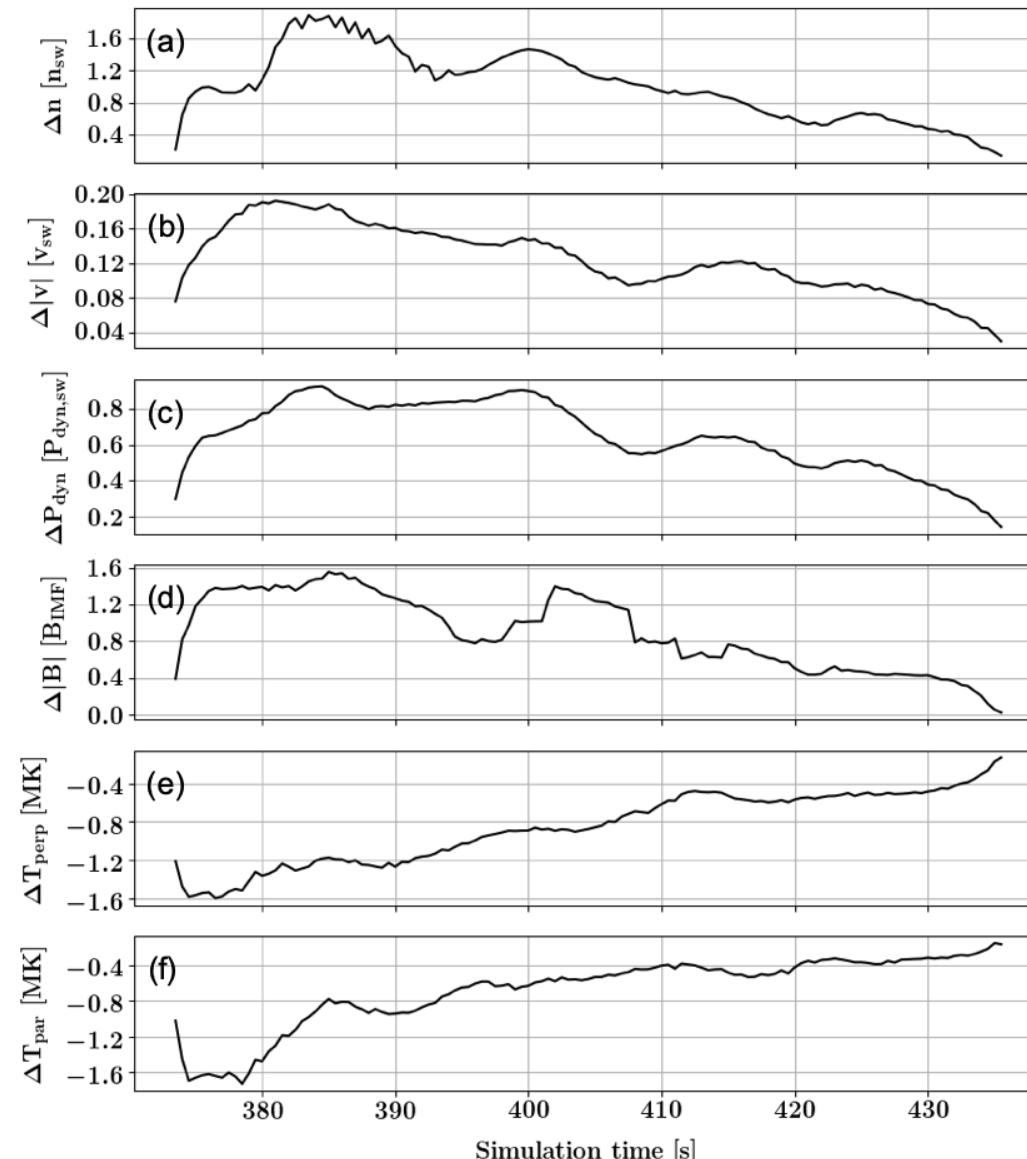


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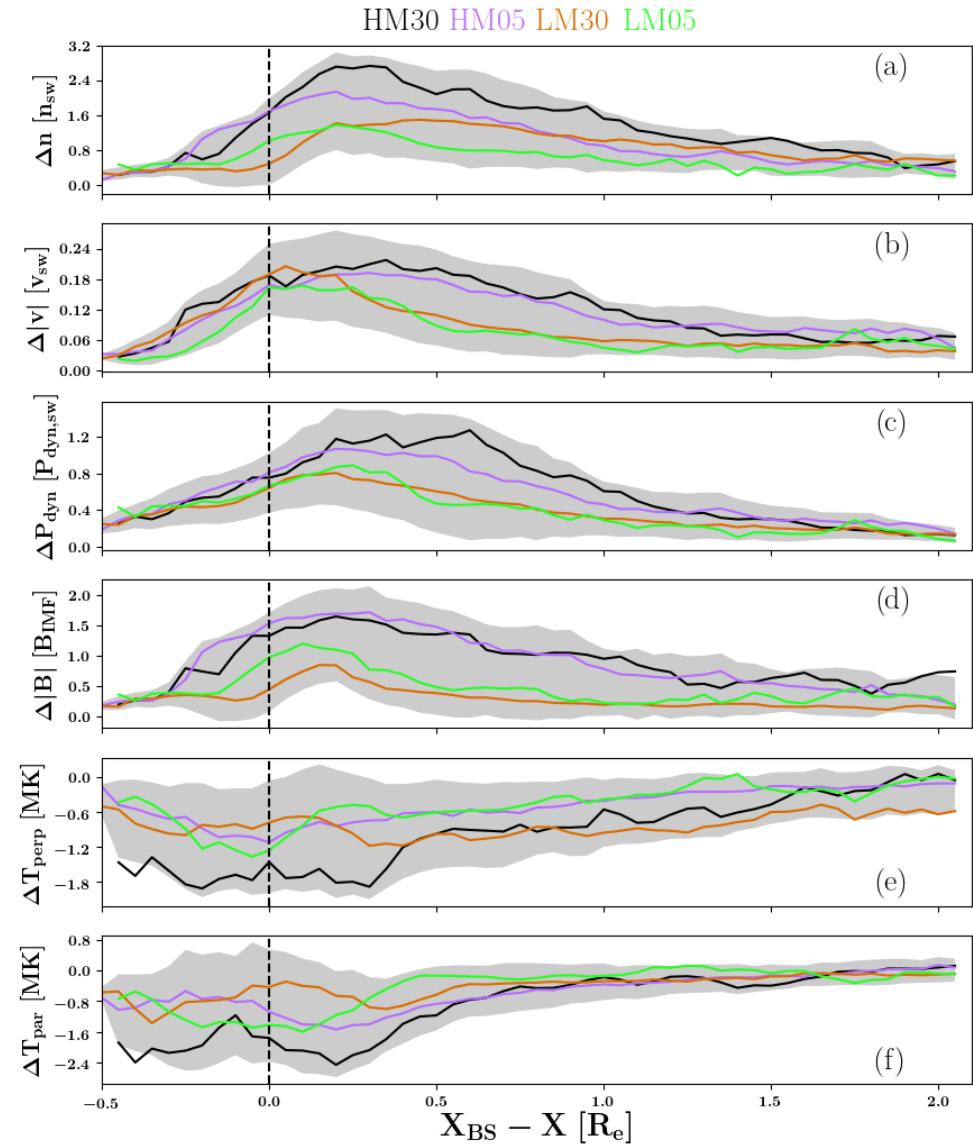
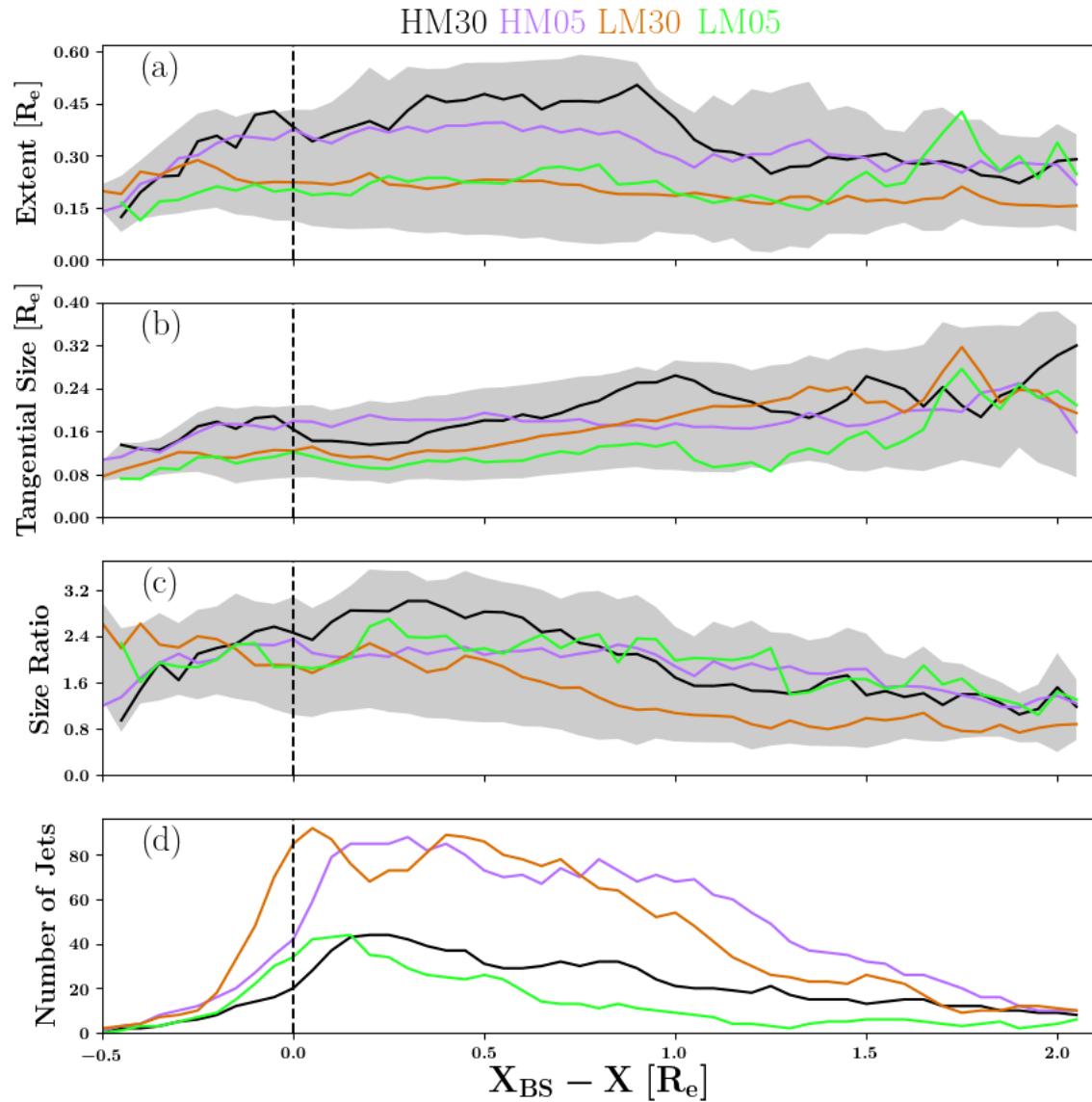


An evolution of a jet using Vlasiator

Runid:HM05, Jetid: 00212



Superposed Epoch Analysis Vlasiator

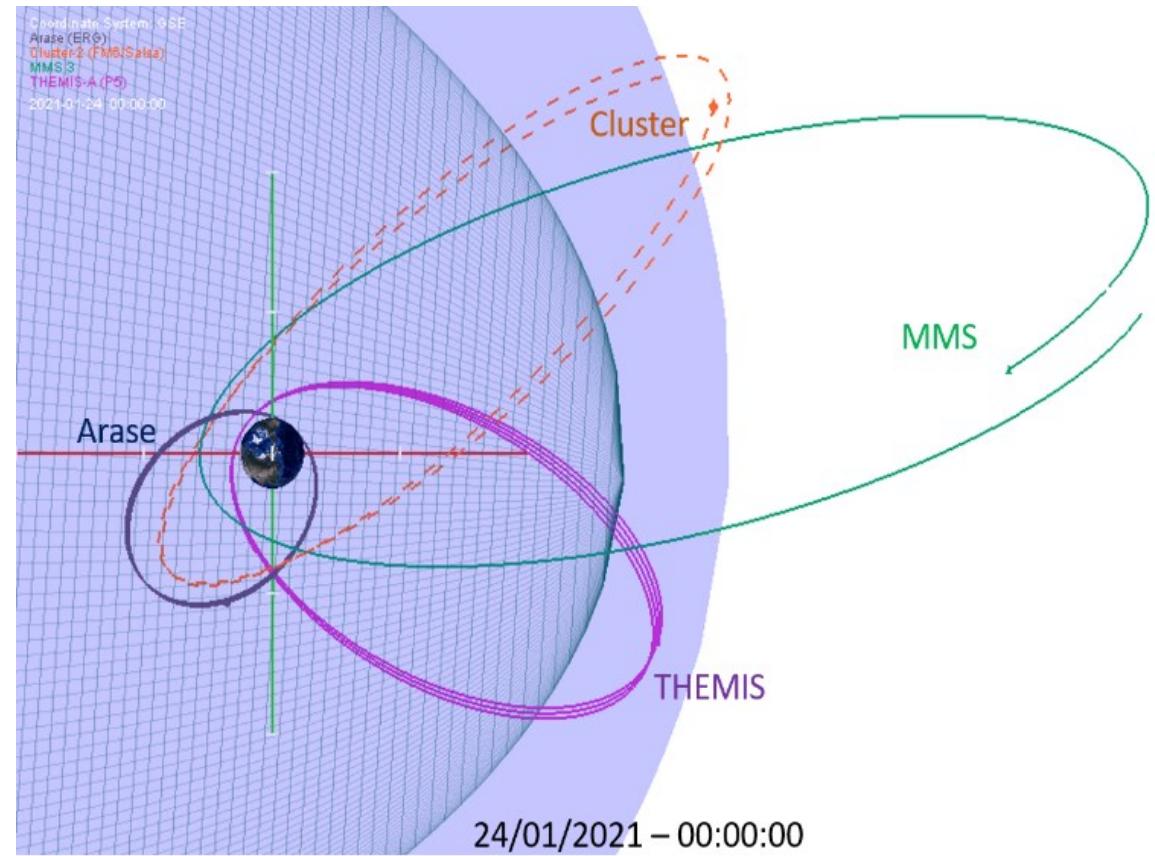
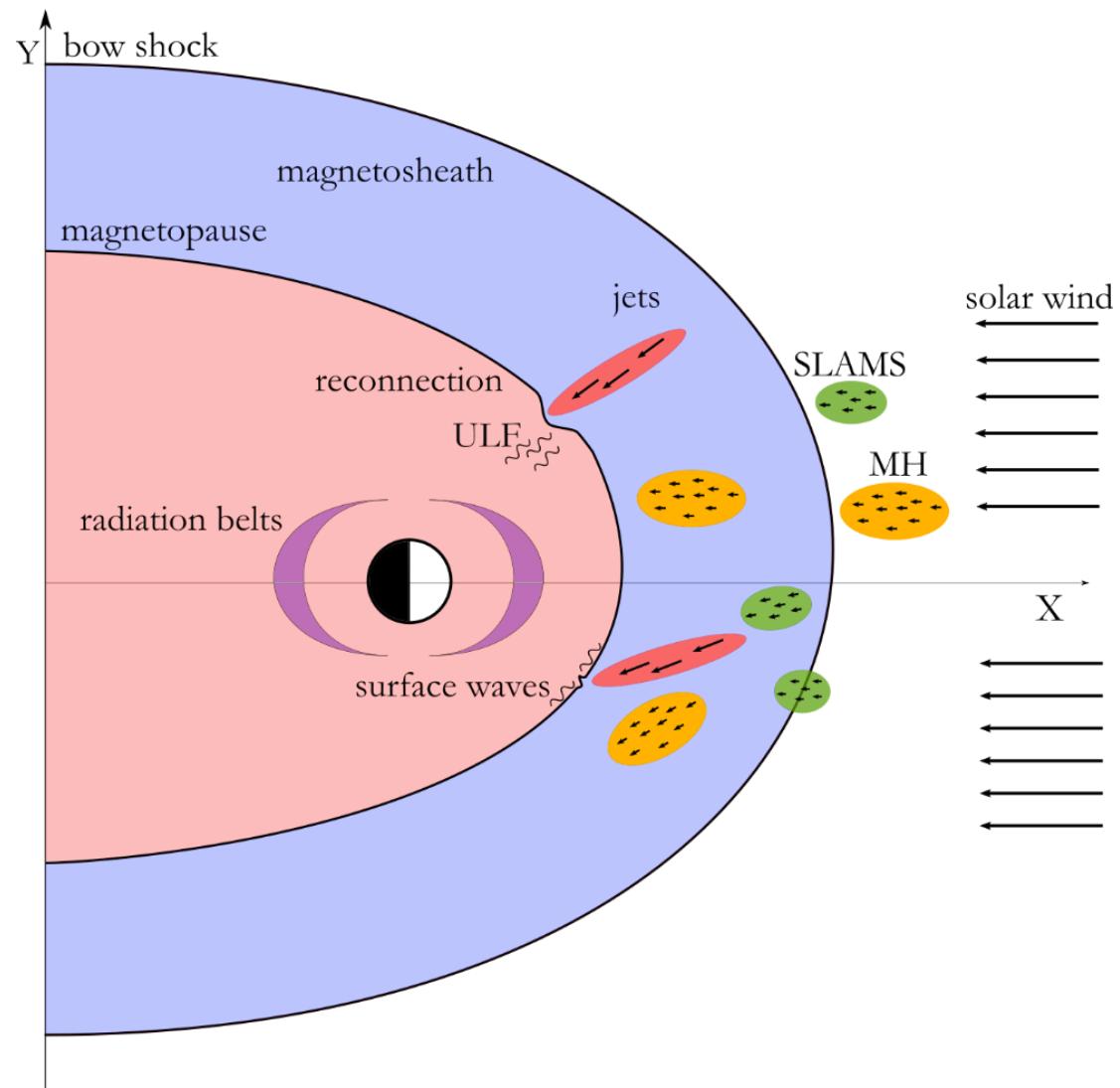


MMS – Finalized Jet Database

Table 9.1: Classified dataset of magnetosheath jets observed by MMS1 during the period 05/2015 – 06/2020 (N=9196). Final cases correspond to the manually verified jets, used in the papers of this thesis. The number in a parenthesis correspond to the number of jets having full burst data available.

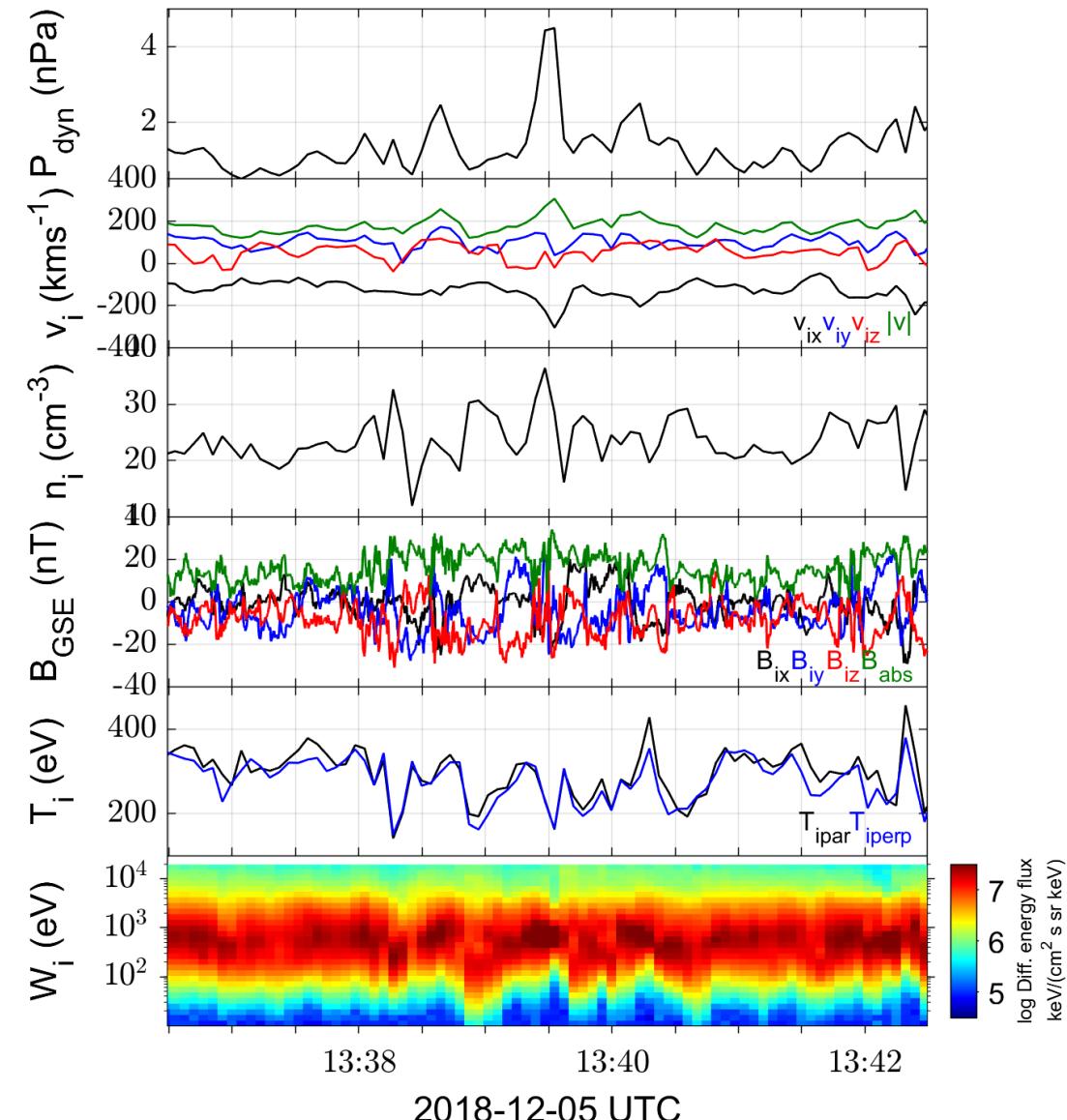
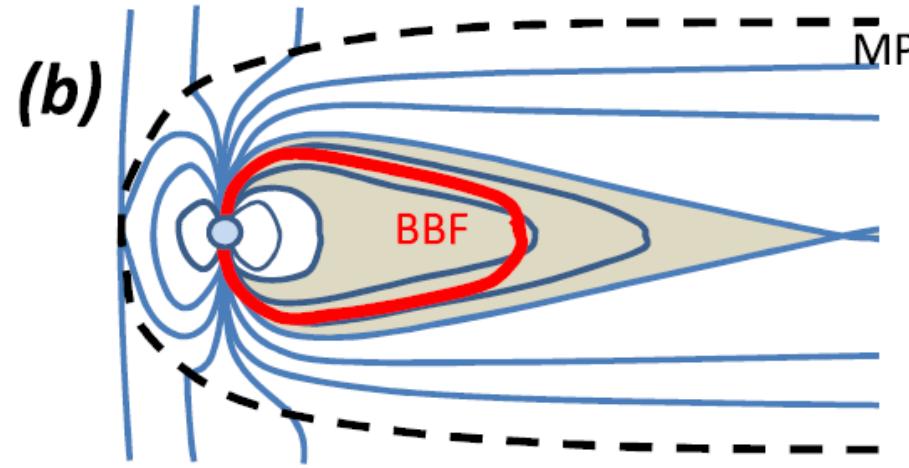
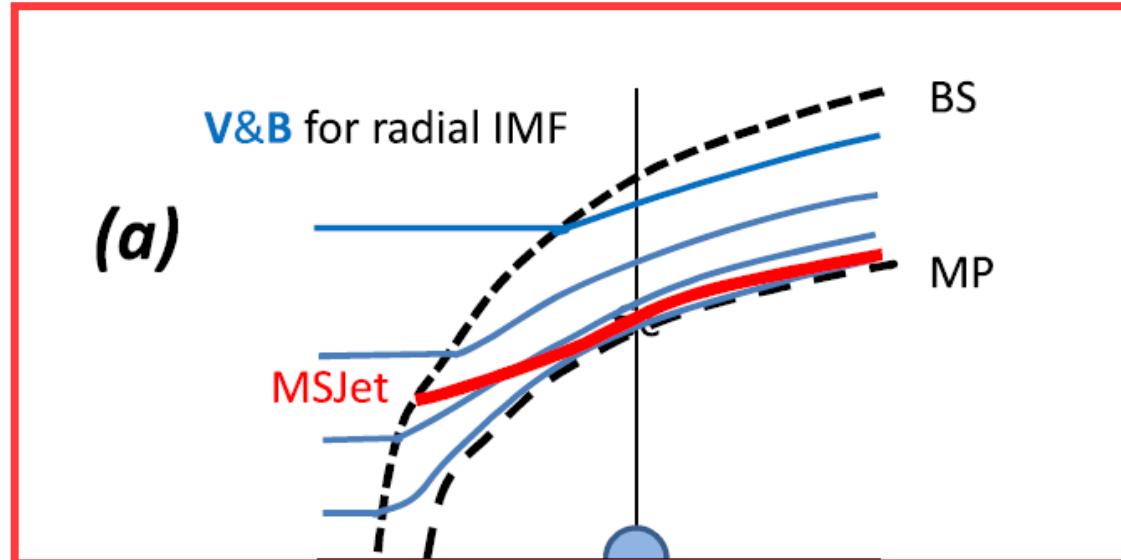
Subset	Number	Percentage (%)
Quasi-parallel	2928 (428)	31.8
Final cases	901 (84)	9.8
Quasi-perpendicular	1229 (34)	13.6
Final cases	213 (3)	2.3
Boundary	1505 (204)	16.4
Final cases	191 (35)	2.1
Encapsulated	67 (32)	0.73
Final cases	60 (31)	0.65
Other	3467 (753)	37.7
Unclassified	1921 (255)	20.9
Border	1500 (495)	16.3
Data Gap	46 (3)	0.5

A lot of data are not fully used (conjunction example)

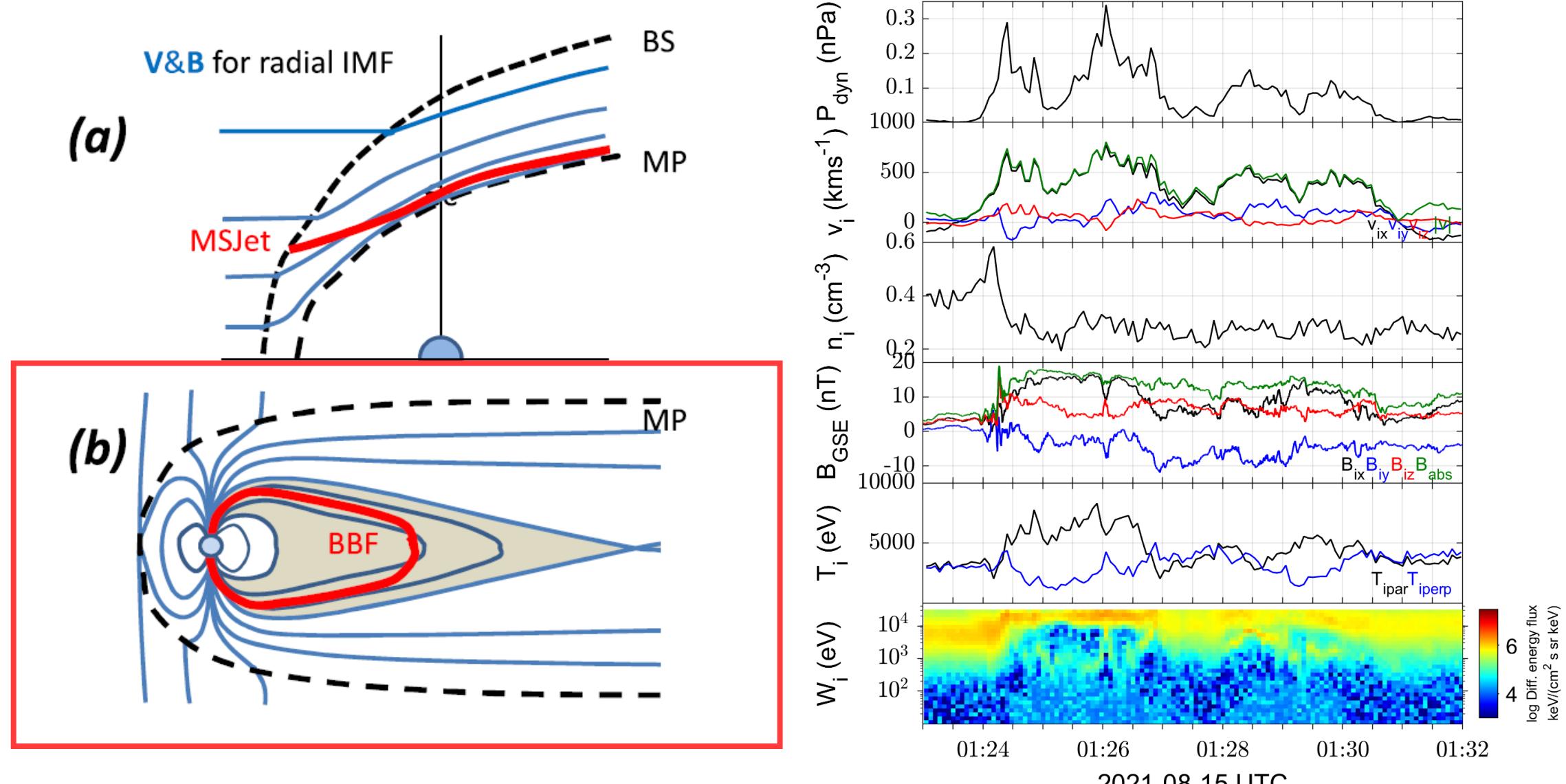


Bursty Bulk Flows (nightside plasma jets) A possible analogy

A dayside plasma jet



A nightside plasma jet



Some similarities & differences



Similarities

- Transient events
- High-speed plasma flows
- Both interact with surrounding plasma
- Flow breaking / diversion process (?)

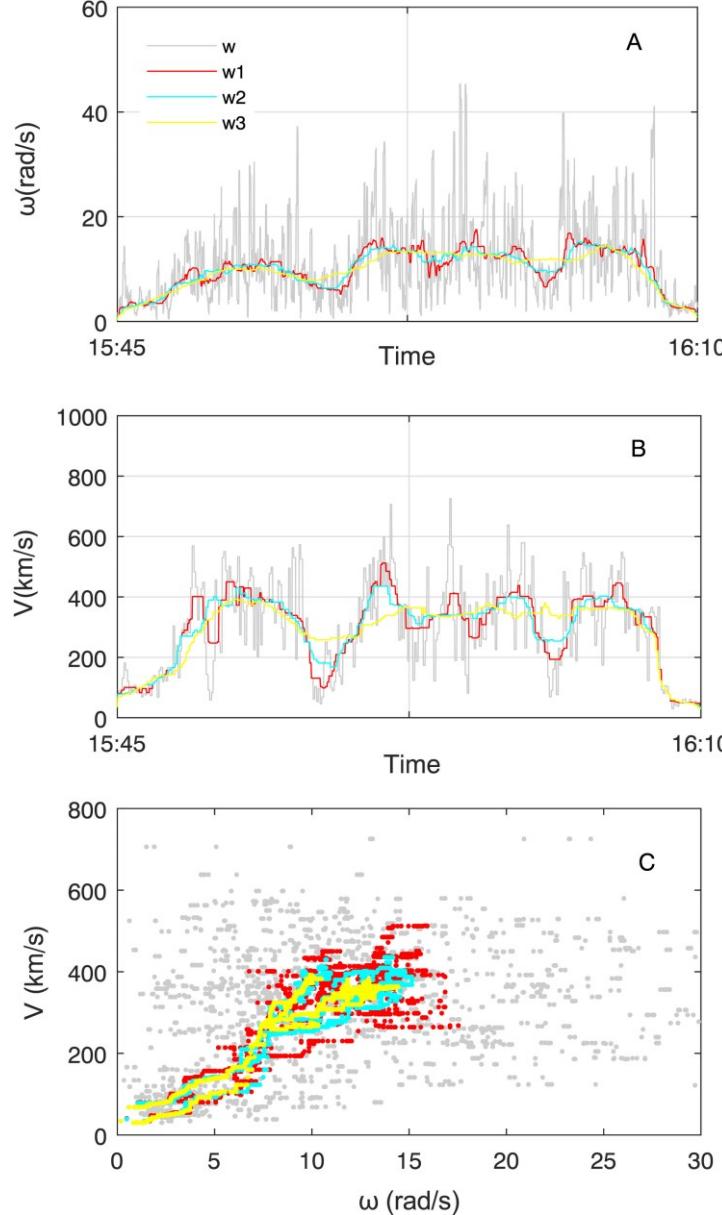


Differences

- BBFs studied for more years
- Vastly different criteria in literature
- BBFs are typically longer and faster
- Different origin (reconnection)
- Different plasma environments (n , T)
- MSH (kinetic) vs magnetotail (magnetic)
- Open vs closed field lines

TLDR : different environment, scales, observational/modeling limitations...

Some recent results – Observations (MMS)



Enhancements of vorticity is associated with the high-speed flow and high-energy ion flux (above 10 keV)

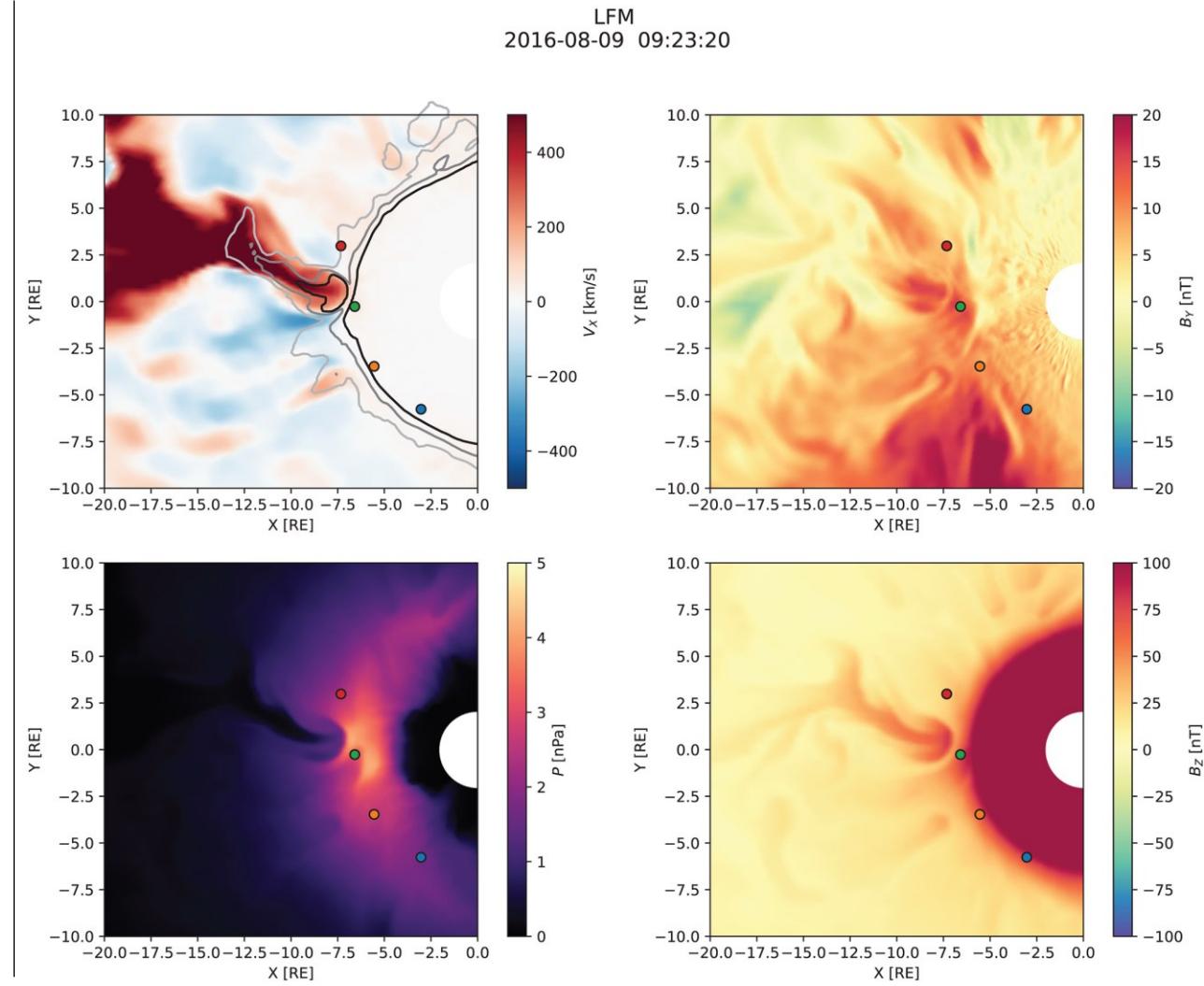
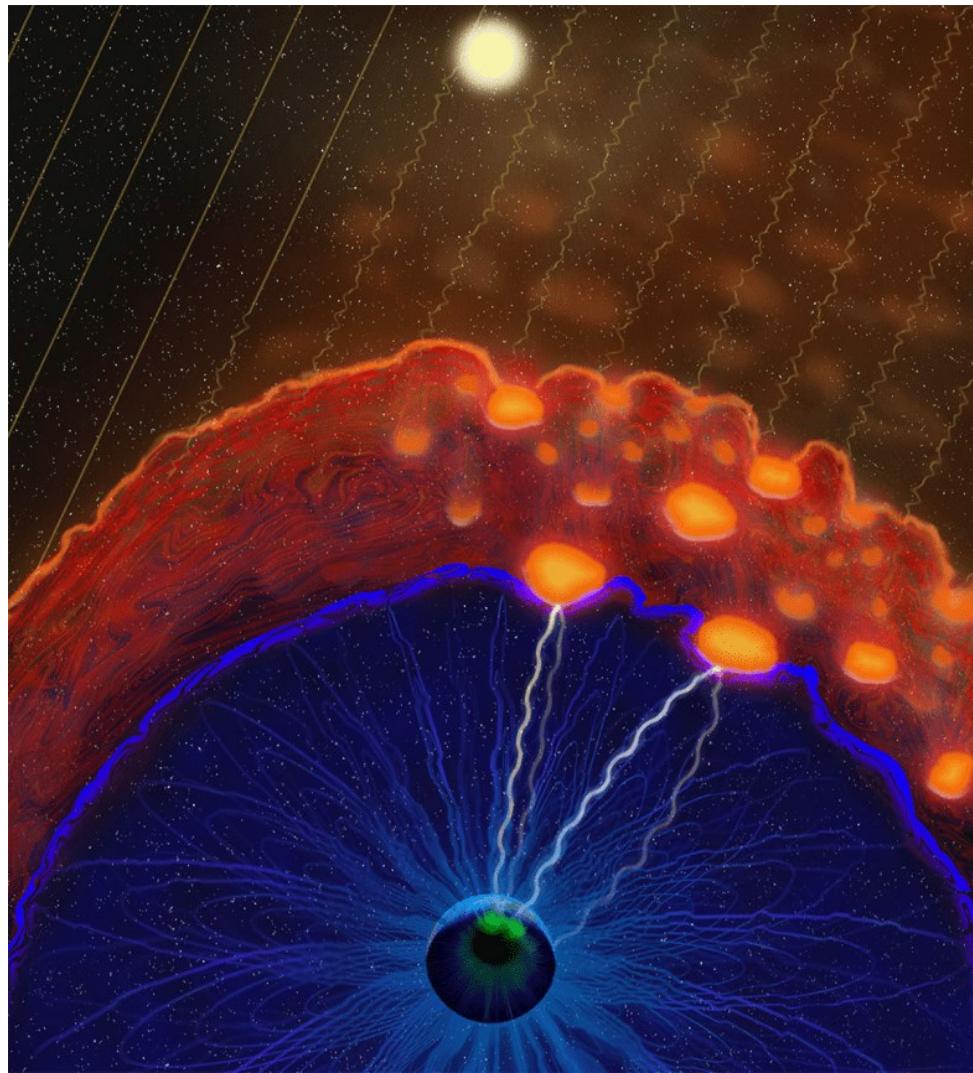
Table 1

Occurrence of Quiet, Dipolarization Front Associated and “Turbulent” Bursty Bulk Flows (BBFs)

Criteria	Earthward BBFs	Tailward BBFs	All BBFs
Quiet JFs S_{11}	1231 (58%)	150 (58%)	1381 (58%)
Solitary DFs $S_{11} \cap F_{12}$	238 (11%)	9 (3%)	247 (10%)
“Turbulent” JFs $S_{11} - F_{12}$	666 (31%)	100 (39%)	766 (32%)
Total	2135 (100%)	259 (100%)	2394 (100%)

We find that only 10% are associated solitary sharp and strong dipolarization of the magnetic field

Conclusion

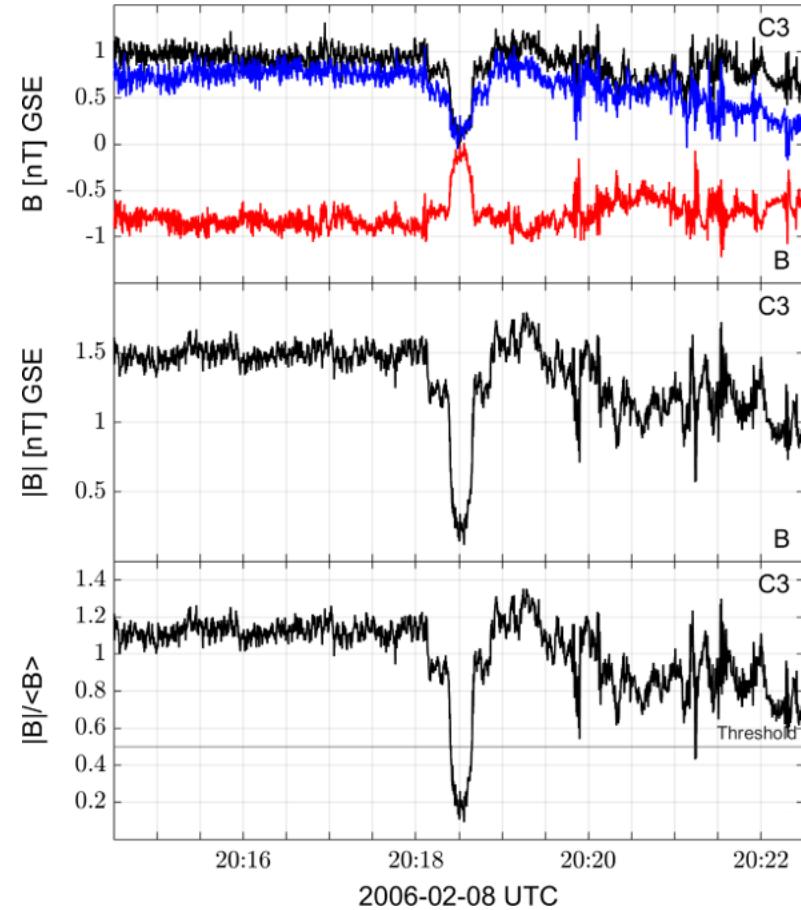


Thank you for listening 😊

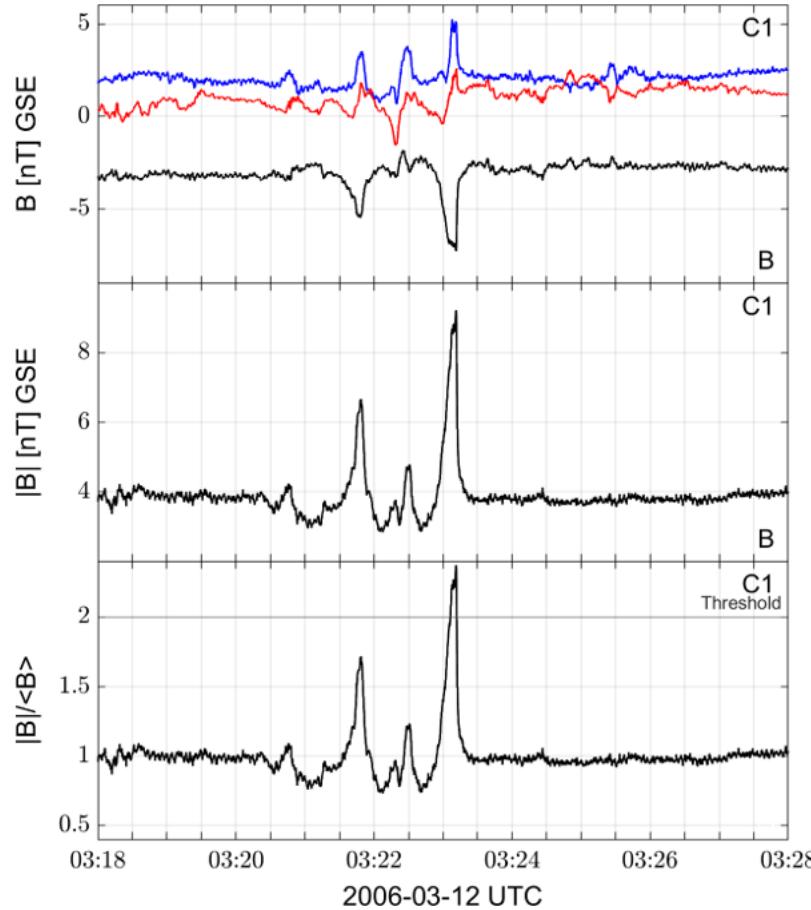
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Dayside Transient Phenomena

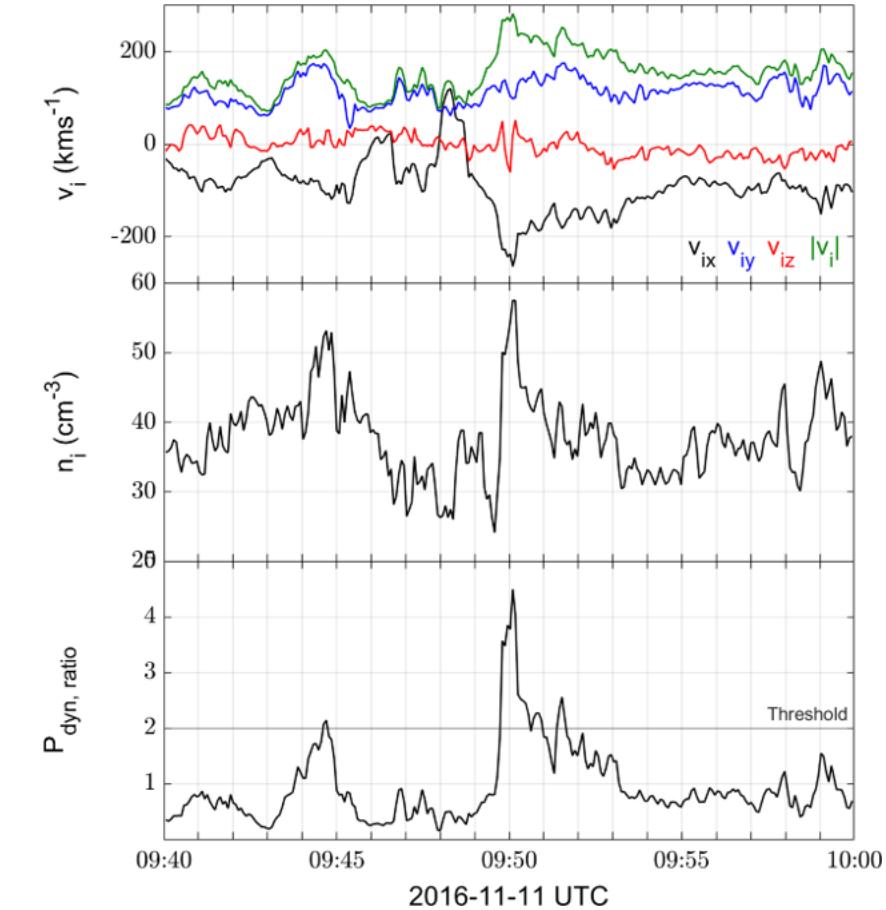
Magnetic Hole



SLAMS

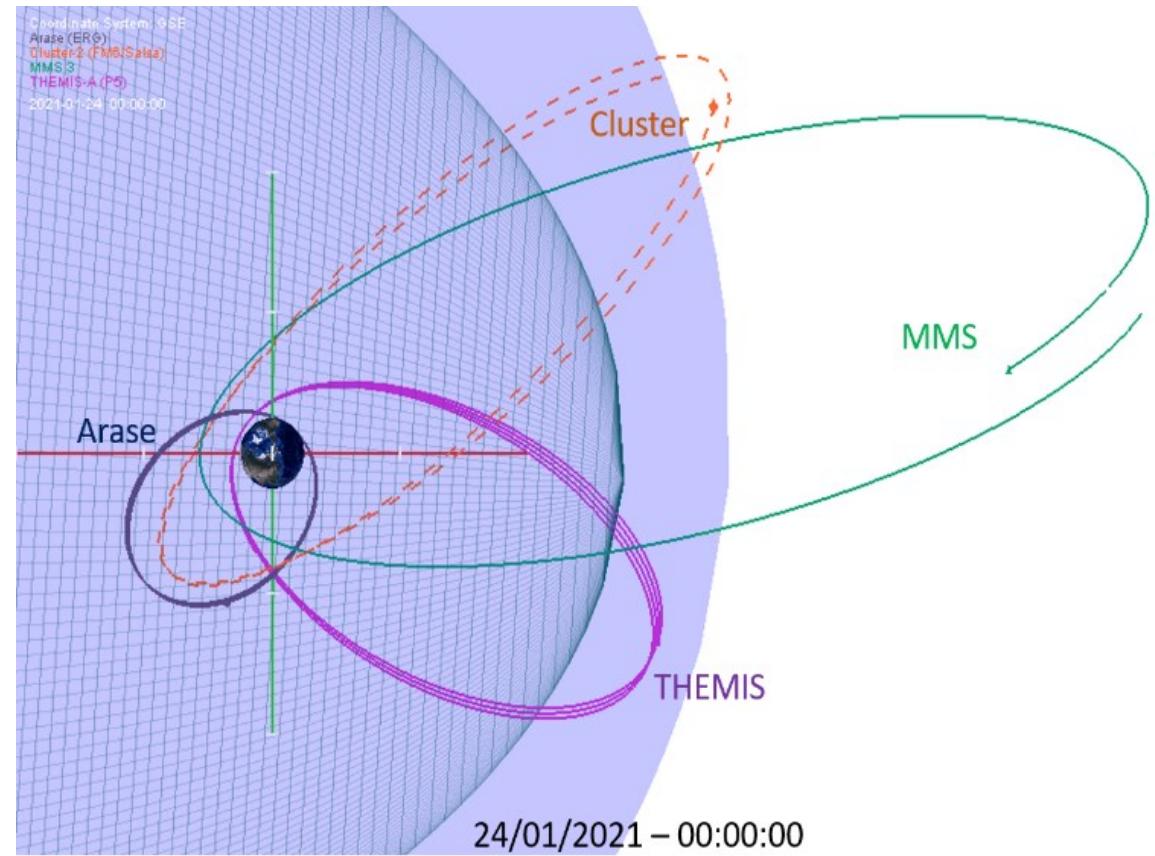
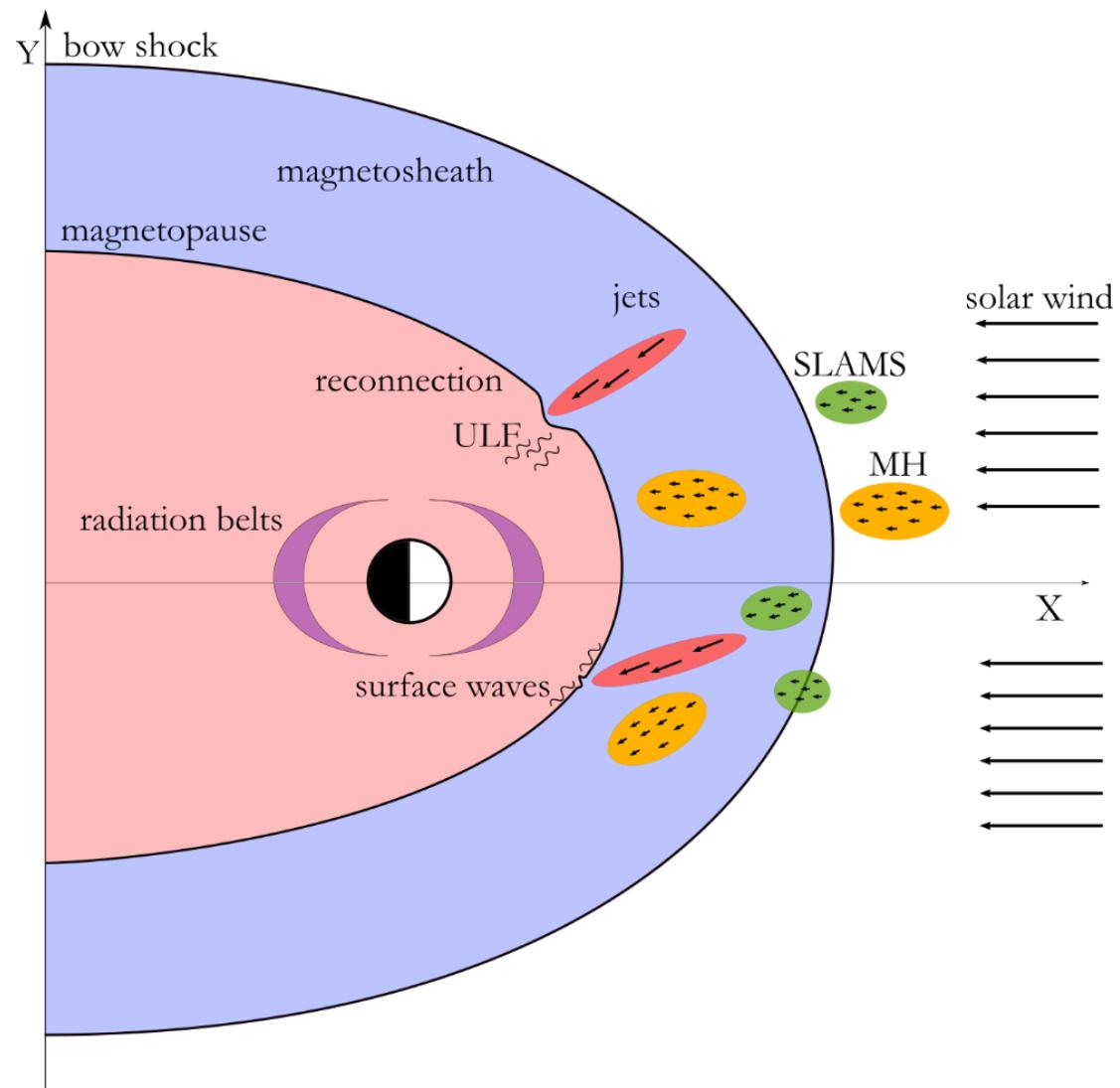


Magnetosheath Jet



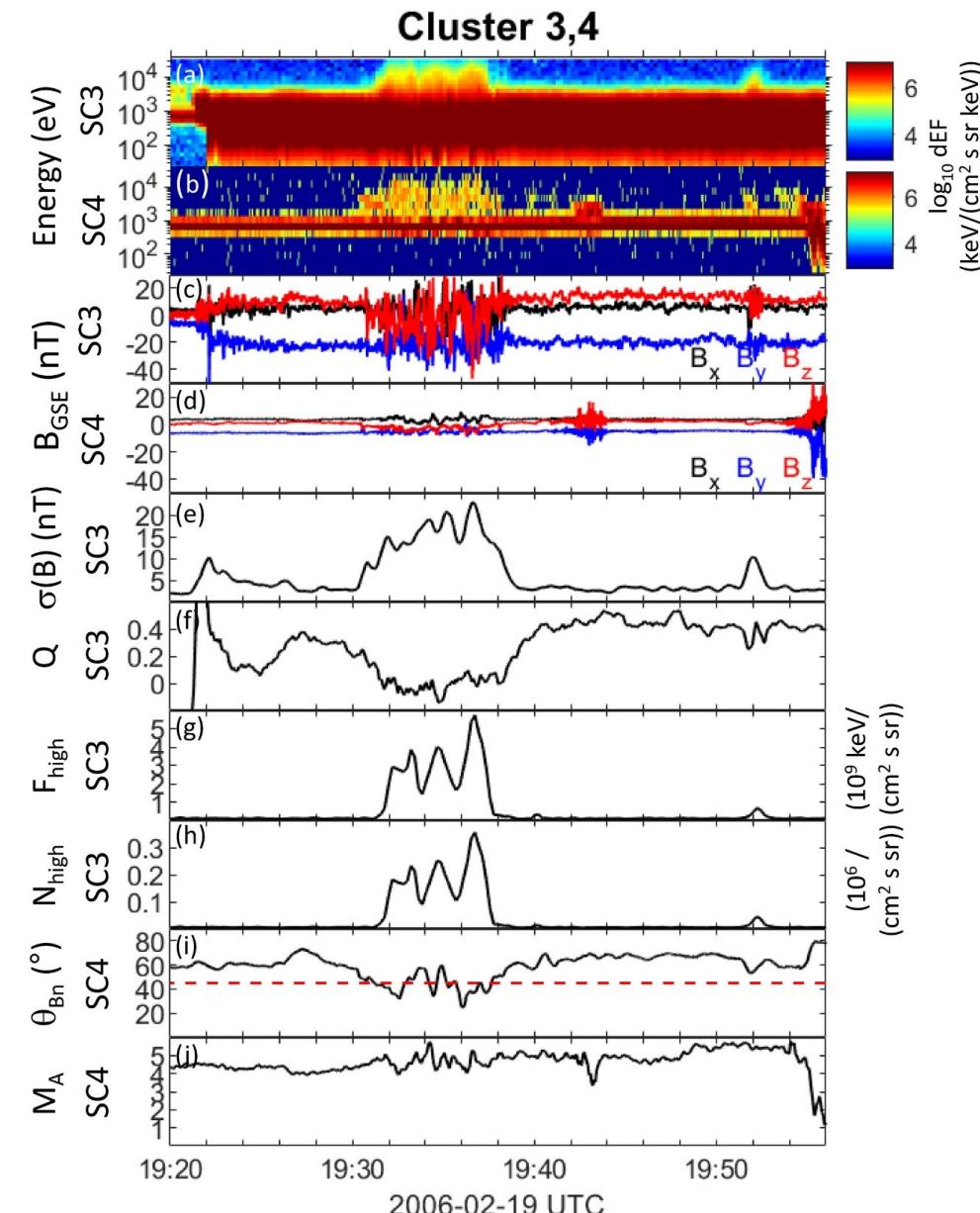
(unpublished data – Ongoing work)

A lot of data are not fully used (conjunction example)



Currently, at ESA ESTEC working on conjunction lists for bow shock & MSH

Classification Cluster

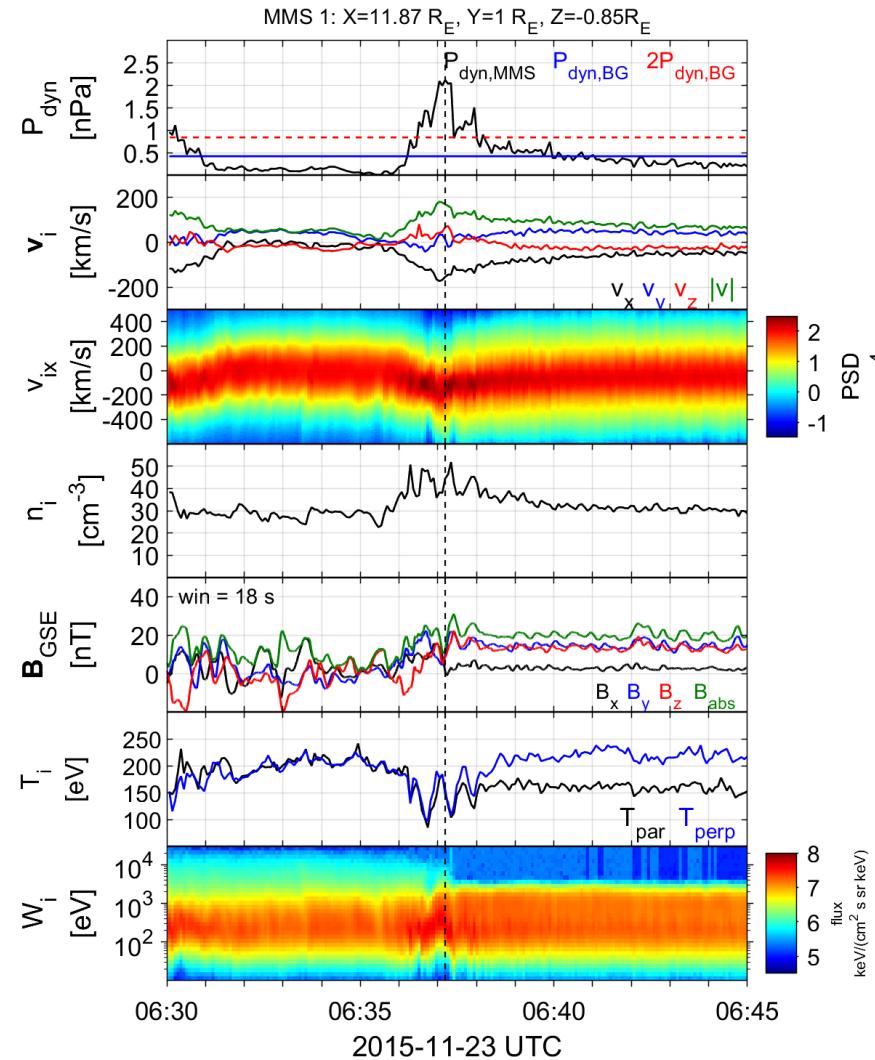


Summarized properties – Boundary

- Hard to estimate their occurrence rate
- Quite energetic and long duration
- Similar properties to Qpar jets
- Maybe associated to pressure pulses of SW [Archer et al. 2012]

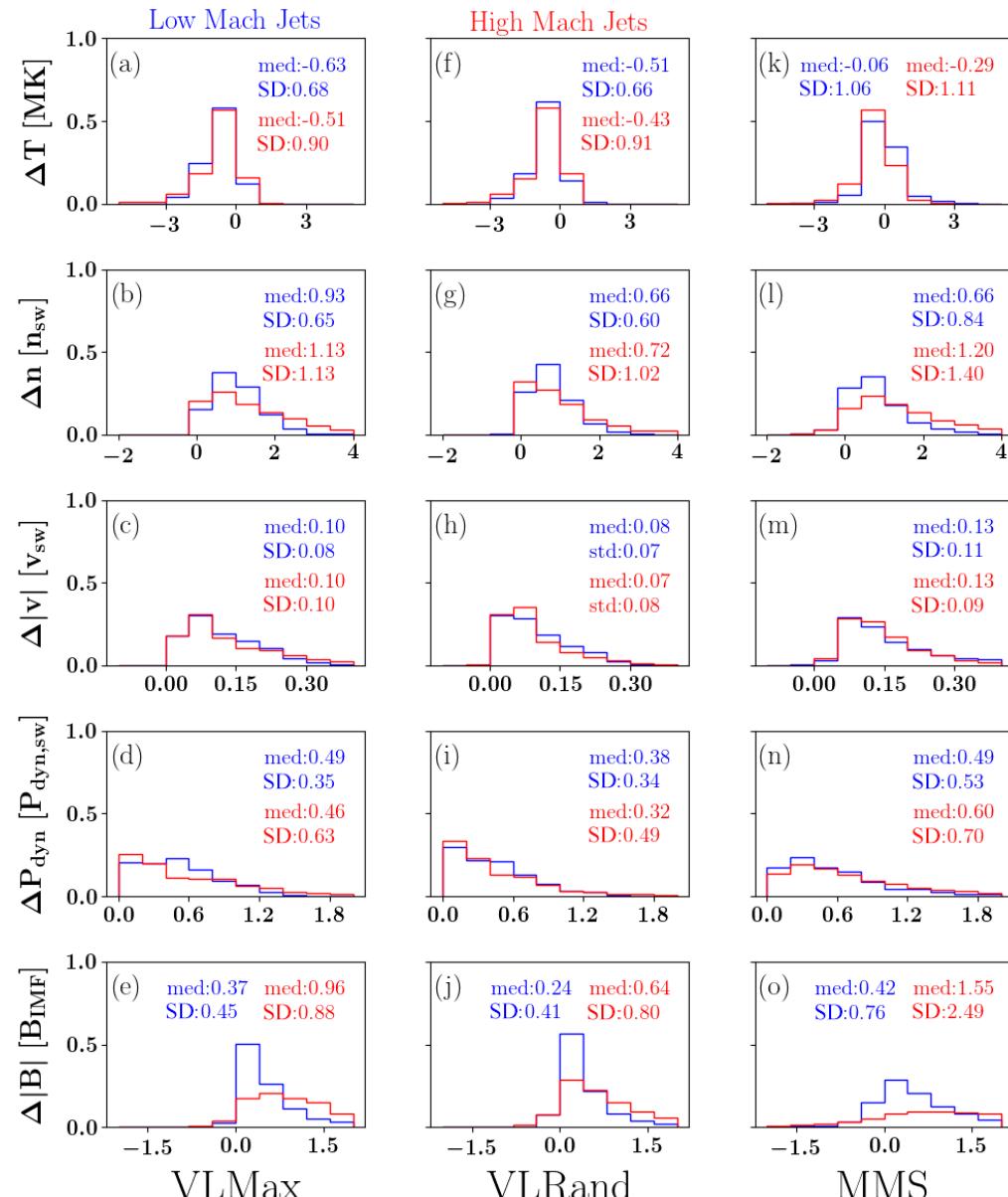
Boundary Jet

Jets found in the boundary between Q_{\parallel} and Q_{\perp} MSH

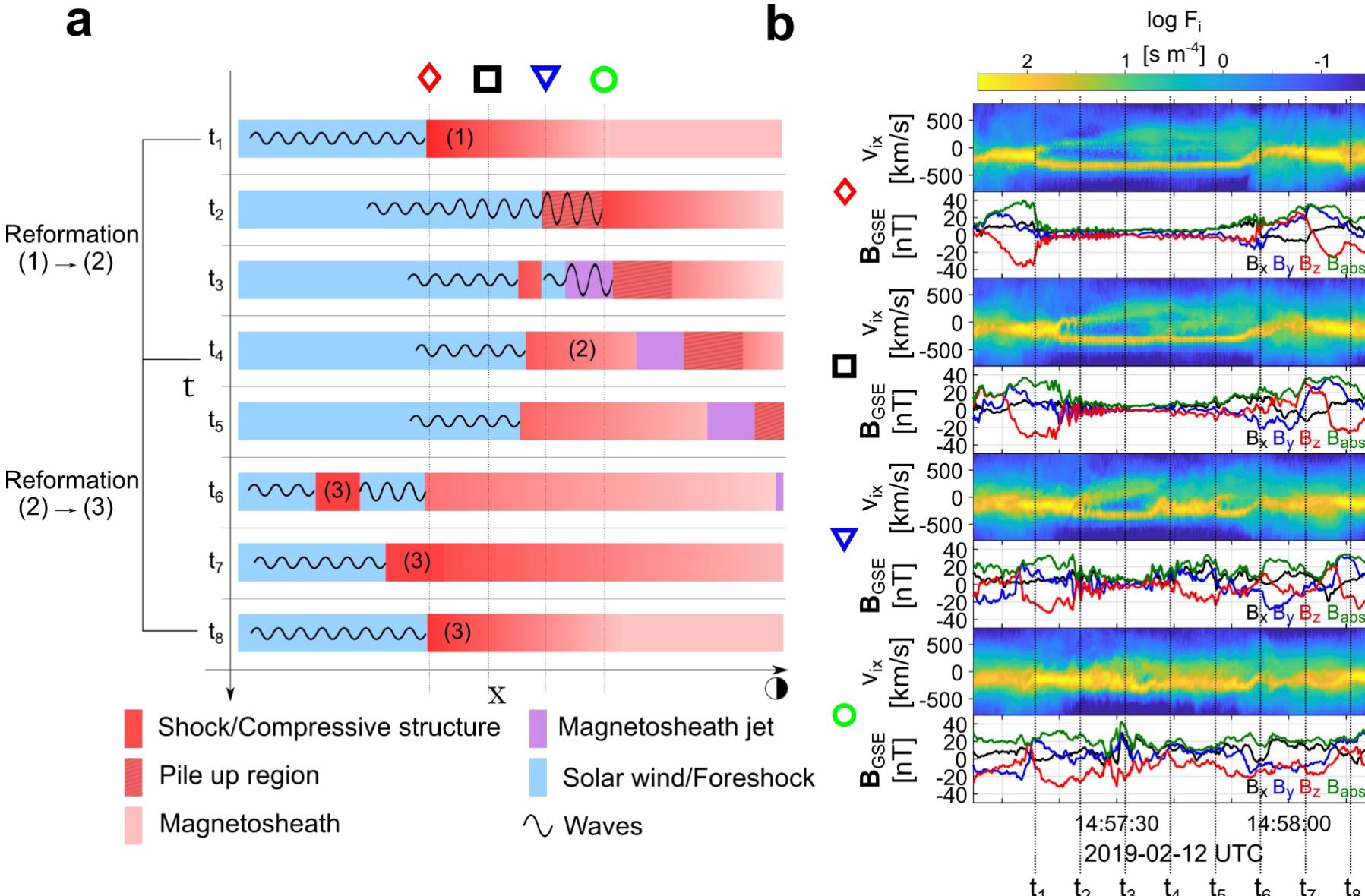


Subset	Number	Percentage (%)
Quasi-parallel	2458	26.7
Final cases	901	10.1
Quasi-perpendicular	542	5.9
Final cases	214	2.3
Boundary	781	8.5
Final cases	191	2.1
Encapsulated	80	0.9
Final cases	60	0.7
Other	5335	58.0
Unclassified/Uncertain	3789	41.2
Border	1500	16.3
Data Gap	46	0.5

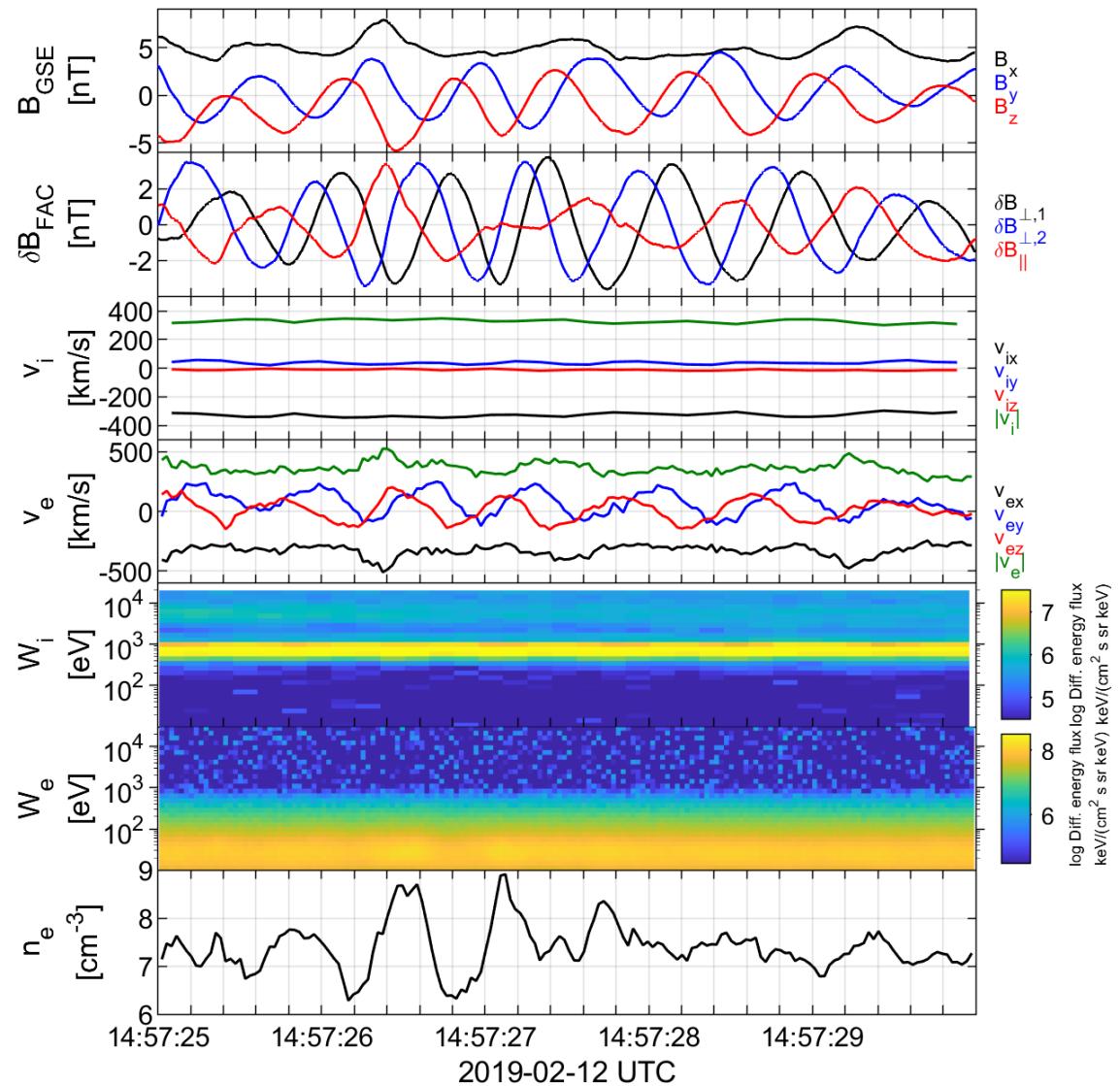
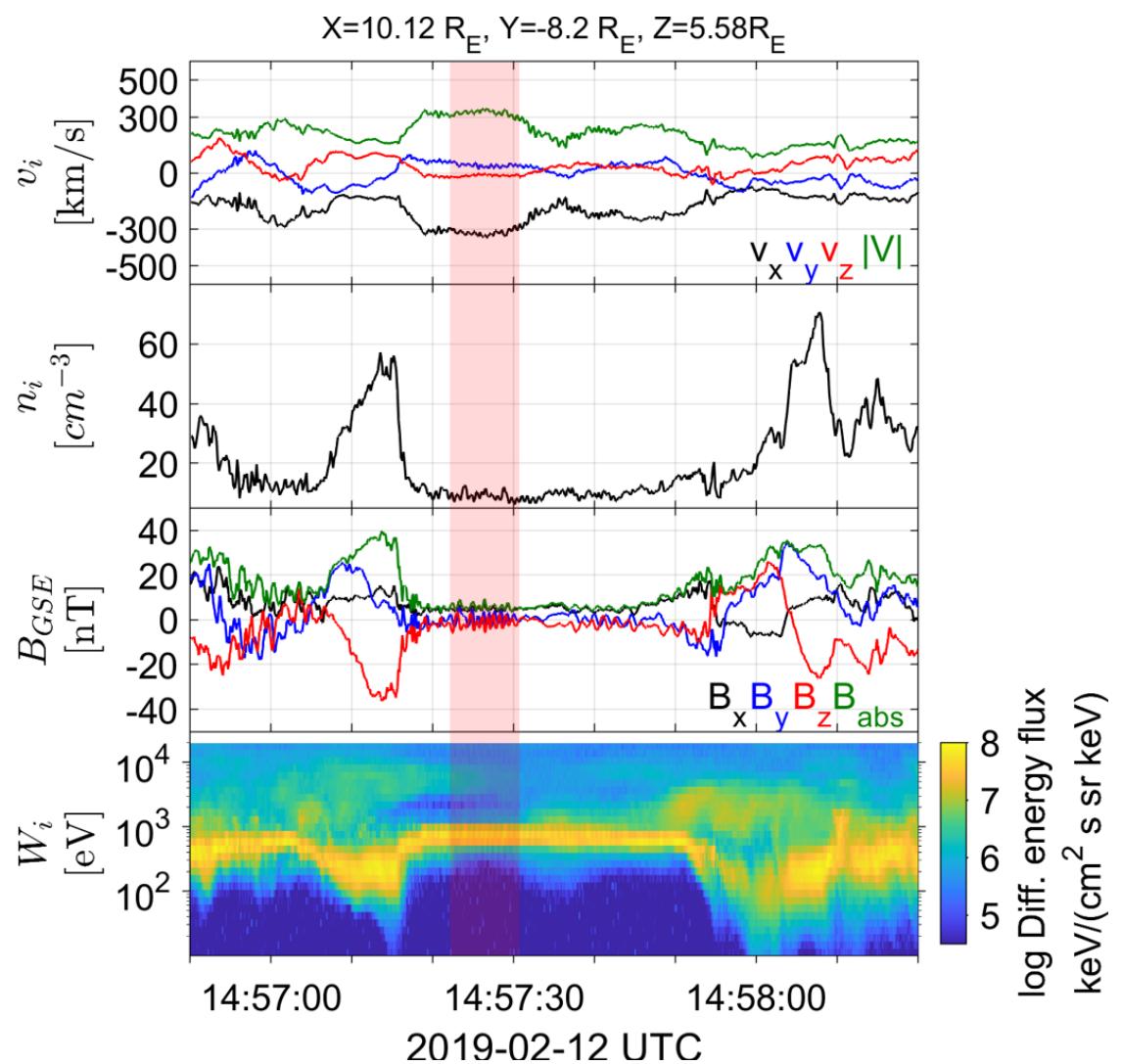
Comparison MMS & Vlasiator



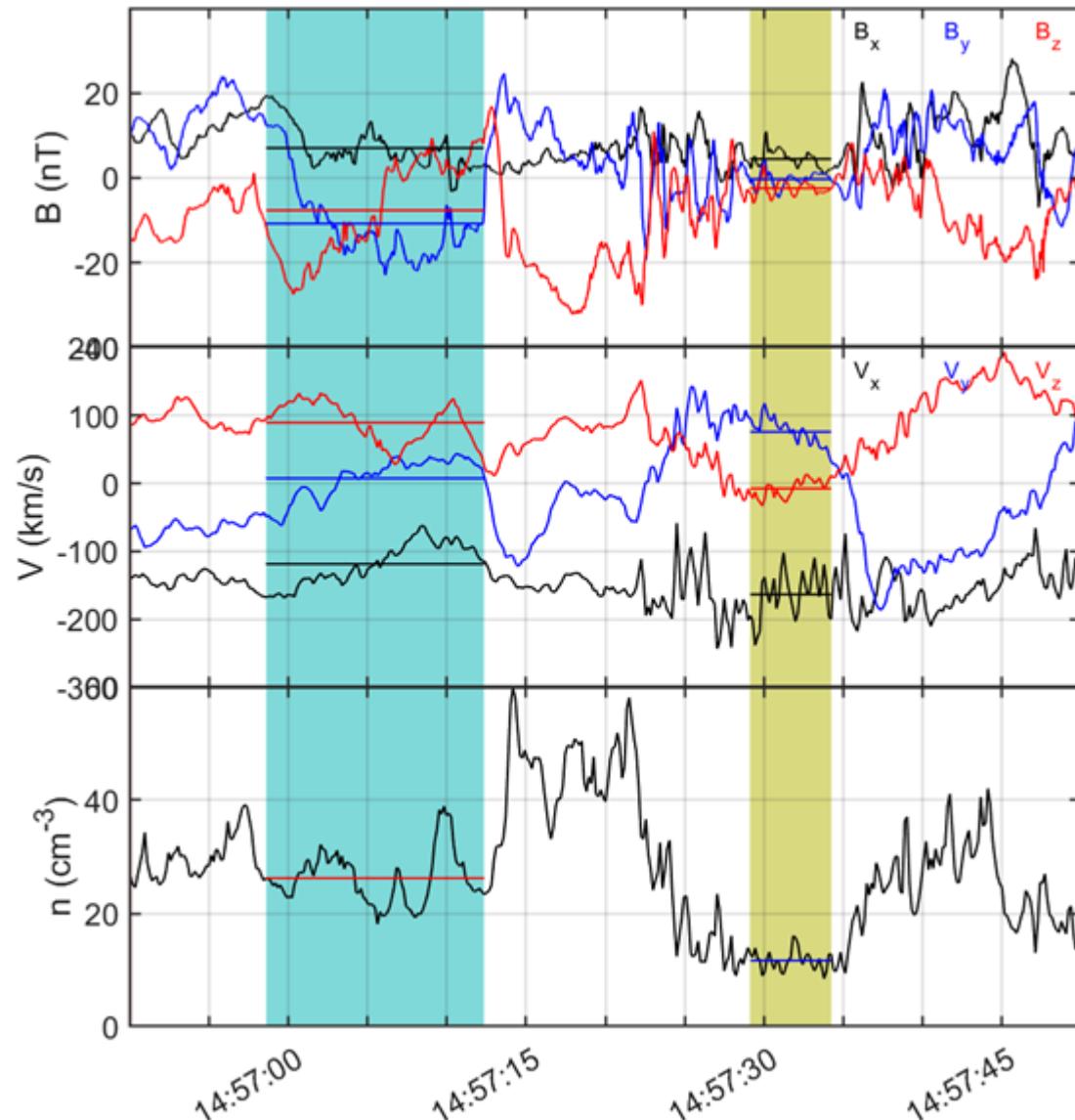
Global Shock Reformation Picture



Upstream whistlers paper V



Local & Global Shock properties



Local Measurements (e.g., MMS4)

$$\theta_{Bn} \approx 65 - 80^\circ \text{ (large variations)}$$

Global (OMNI) + BS model (e.g., Farris et al.)

$$\theta_{Bn} \approx 25^\circ$$

Consistent with FCS (i.e., SLAMS) acting locally as Qperp shocks

Turner et al. 2021 (HFA):
38.5 (global)
80.3 (local)

Scale comparison (e.g., Turner et al. 2021)

Hot Flow Anomaly (HFA) self-reformation

$$\mathbf{n} = [-0.540, 0.379, 0.737]$$

$$v_{SH} = -62.1 \frac{km}{s}$$

New Shock ramp ~5 sec

~1Li and then growing to ~2Li

$$\begin{aligned} L_e &= \sim 2 \text{ km} \\ L_i &= \sim 90 \text{ km} \\ L_d &= \sim 13 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

SLAMS self-reformation

$$\begin{aligned} \text{MC: } &[0.9026, 0.0987, -0.4191] \\ \text{MVA: } &[-0.97, 0.16, -0.19] \end{aligned}$$

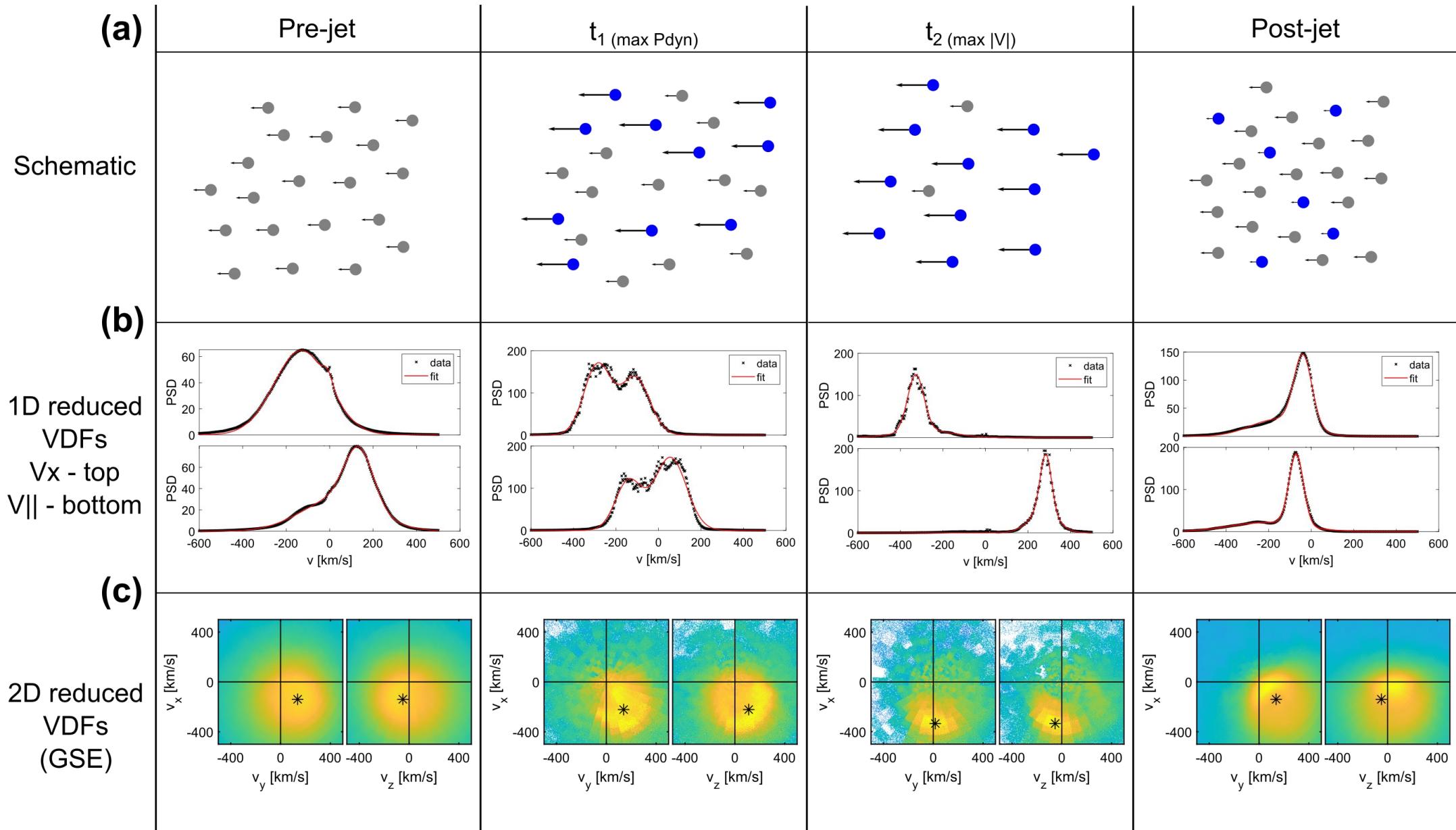
$$v_{SH} = \sim 60 \frac{km}{s}$$

New Shock ramp ~3-5 sec

New ramp ~150km ~2 L_i

$$\begin{aligned} L_e &= \sim 2 \text{ km} \\ L_i &= \sim 80 \text{ km} \\ L_d &= \sim 10 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

Jet evolution in Qpar Magnetosheath

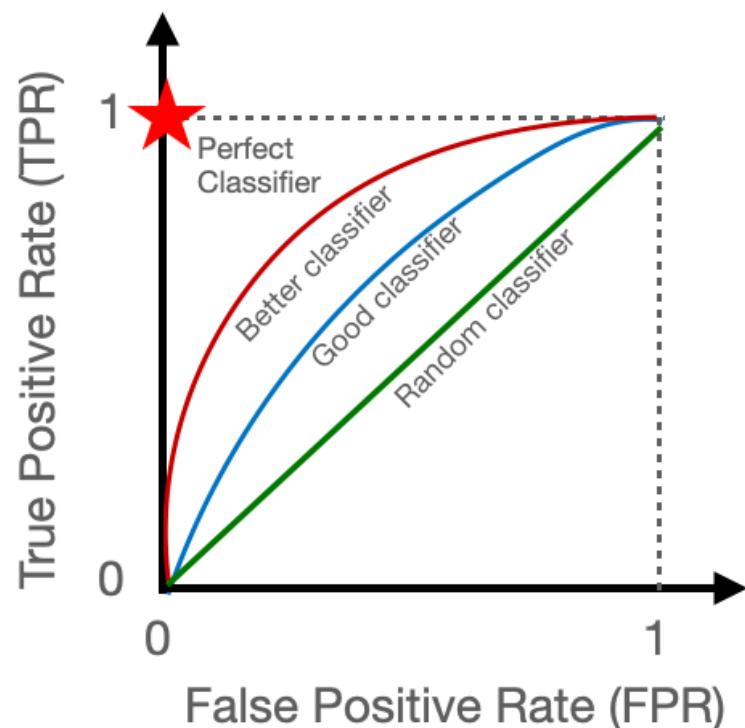


Extras

Neural Networks

Evaluation Metrics (Classification)

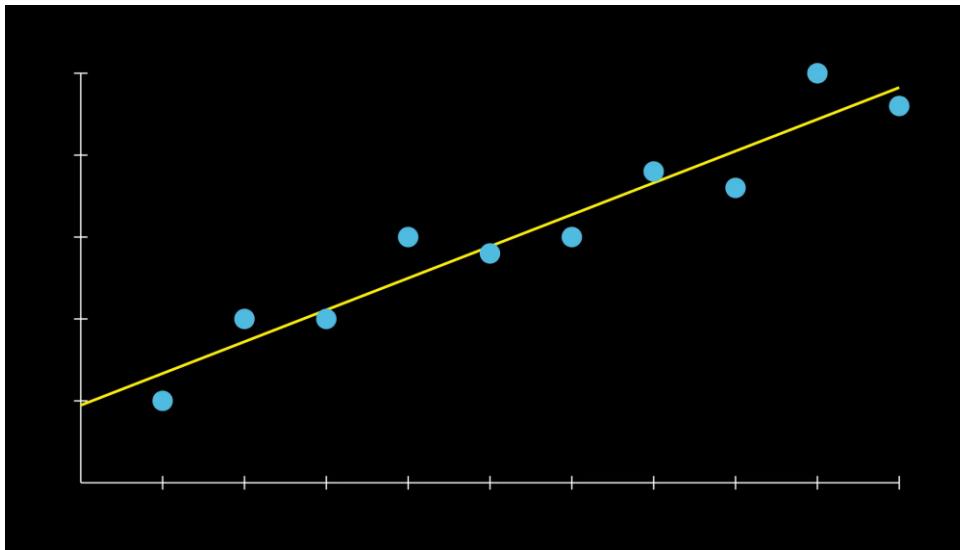
	Predicted 0	Predicted 1
Actual 0	TN	FP
Actual 1	FN	TP



Metric	Formula
True positive rate, recall	$\frac{TP}{TP+FN}$
False positive rate	$\frac{FP}{FP+TN}$
Precision	$\frac{TP}{TP+FP}$
Accuracy	$\frac{TP+TN}{TP+TN+FP+FN}$
F-measure	$\frac{2 \cdot \text{precision} \cdot \text{recall}}{\text{precision} + \text{recall}}$

Evaluation Metrics (Regression)

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum \left(\underbrace{y - \hat{y}}_{\text{The square of the difference between actual and predicted}} \right)^2$$



Mean squared error

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n e_t^2$$

Root mean squared error

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n e_t^2}$$

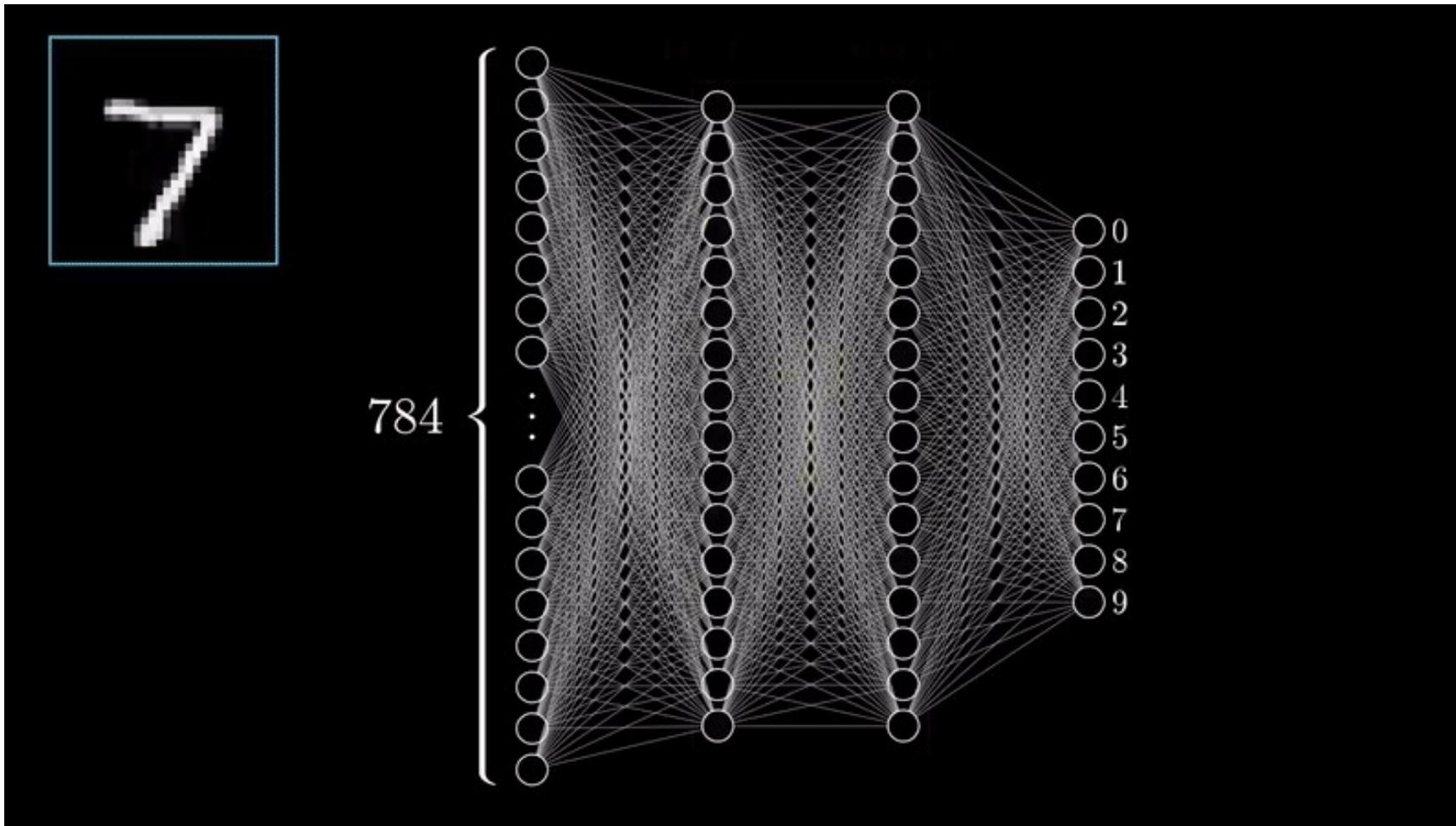
Mean absolute error

$$MAE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n |e_t|$$

Mean absolute percentage error

$$MAPE = \frac{100\%}{n} \sum_{t=1}^n \left| \frac{e_t}{y_t} \right|$$

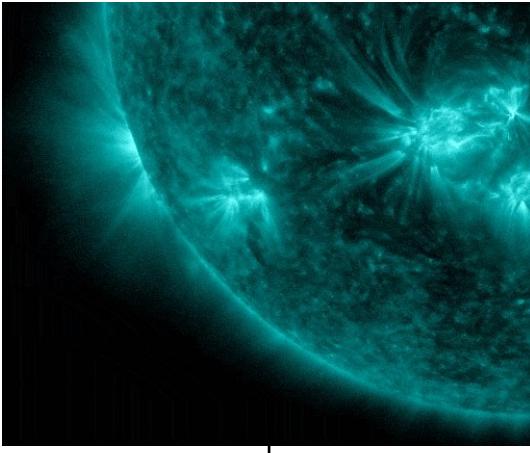
Neural Networks



*Video Courtesy: **3Blue1Brown** (Check his YouTube page. It's great!)

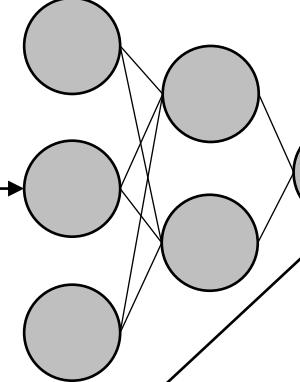
Application on forecasting SEPs

Problem description



24 features

Modeling



Validation & Results

	SEP predicted always YES	SEP predicted always NO
SEP occurred YES	191/220 [86.81 %]	19/220 [8.63 %]
SEP occurred NO	[7.77 %]	[92.23 %]

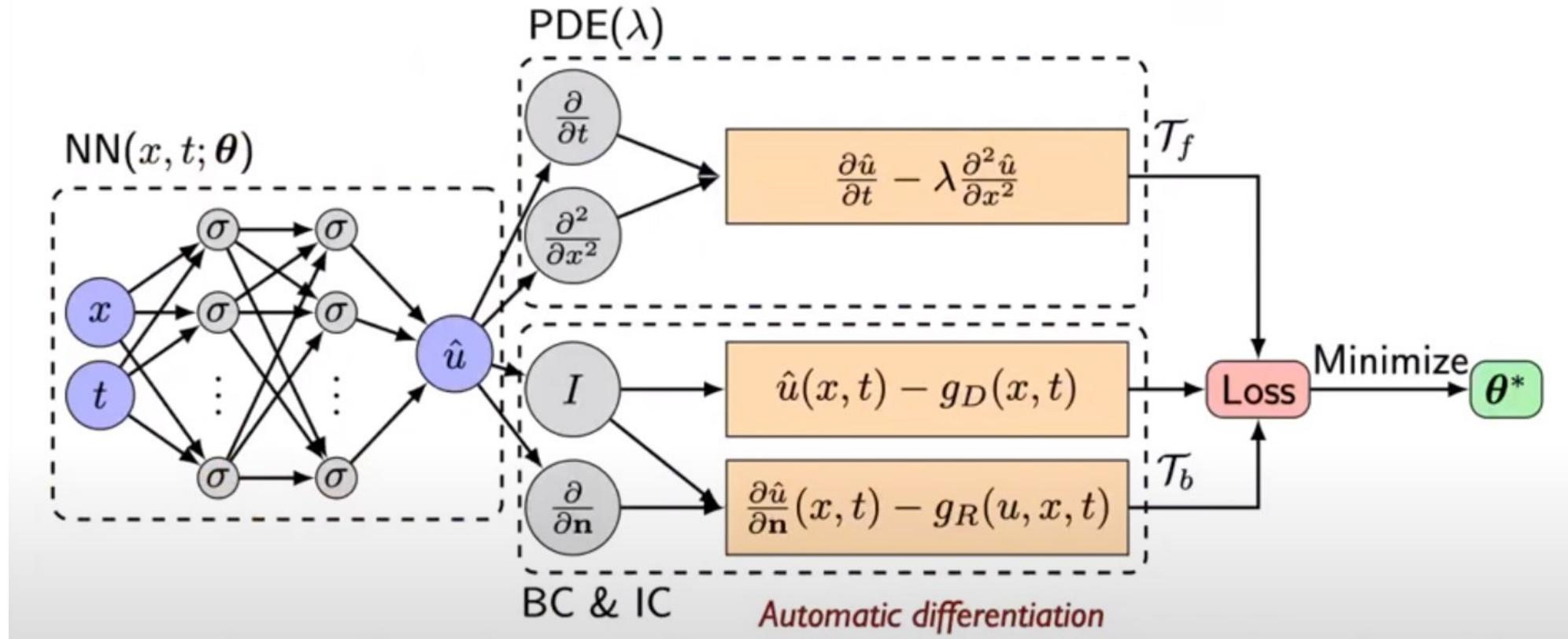
Occurrence of SEP based on X-rays of flares

Comparisons to other models recently published

Review of Solar Energetic Particle Models (Advances in Space Research)

What exactly is a PINN then ?

$$f \left(\mathbf{x}; \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial u}{\partial x_d}; \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x_1 \partial x_1}, \dots, \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x_1 \partial x_d}; \dots; \boldsymbol{\lambda} \right) = 0, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \Omega \quad \mathcal{B}(u, \mathbf{x}) = 0 \quad \text{on} \quad \partial\Omega.$$



$$\text{loss} = \text{data fit} + \text{PDE residual} + \text{ICs fit} + \text{BCs fit}$$

Idea = If output is a differentiable quantity with respect to an input = can compute PDEs = combined loss functions

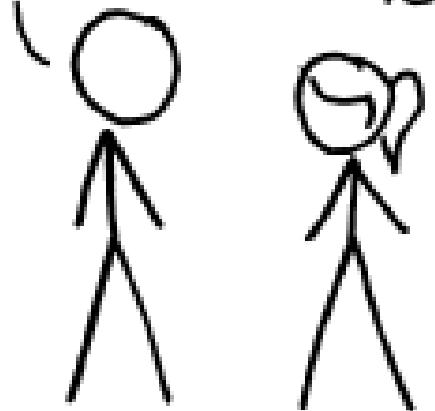
Proposing a new model

~~HOW STANDARDS PROLIFERATE:~~
(SEE: A/C CHARGERS, CHARACTER ENCODINGS, INSTANT MESSAGING, ETC)

SITUATION:
THERE ARE
~~14 COMPETING
STANDARDS.~~

14?! RIDICULOUS!
WE NEED TO DEVELOP
ONE UNIVERSAL ~~STANDARD~~
THAT COVERS EVERYONE'S
USE CASES.

YEAH!



Soon:

SITUATION:
THERE ARE
~~15 COMPETING
STANDARDS.~~

*Where, standards = models, mechanisms etc.