GV AMTM Data

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USU Instruments – GV



Advanced Mesospheric Temperature Mapper (AMTM):

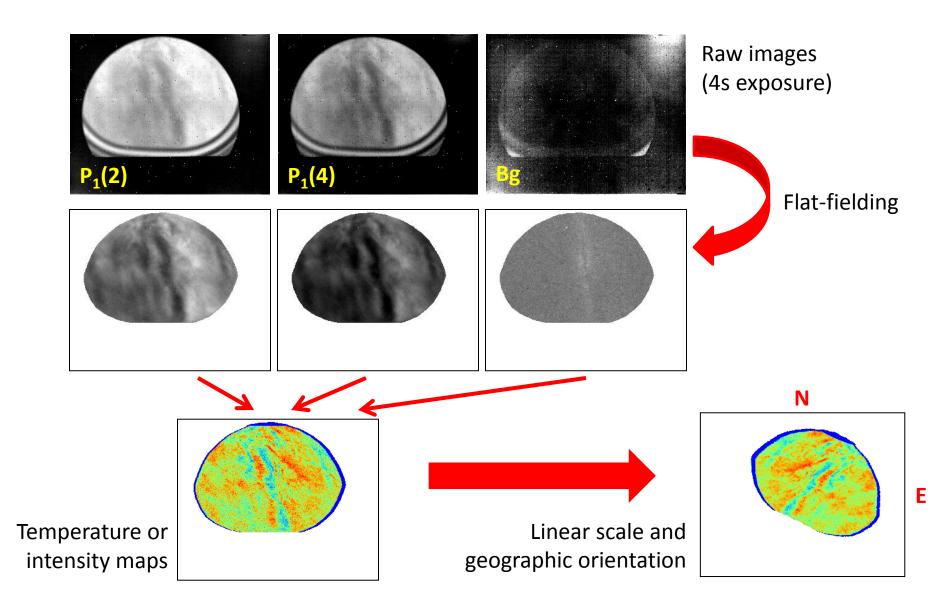
- 120x80km temperature and intensity maps of the OH layer (~87km), centered at the zenith, every ~16s

Two IR wide field-of-view side looking cameras:

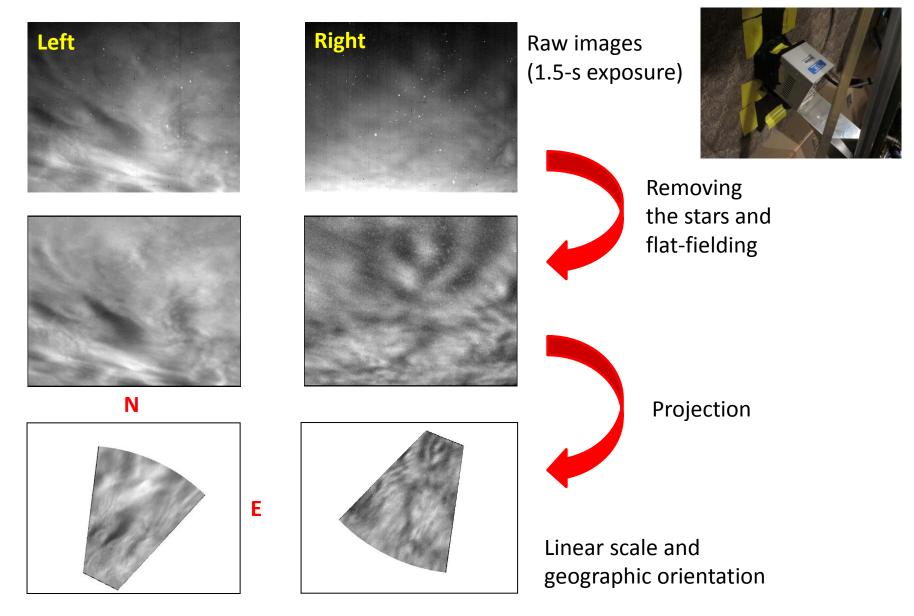
- OH brightness over a large region (up to 450km on each side of the GV), every 3-4s



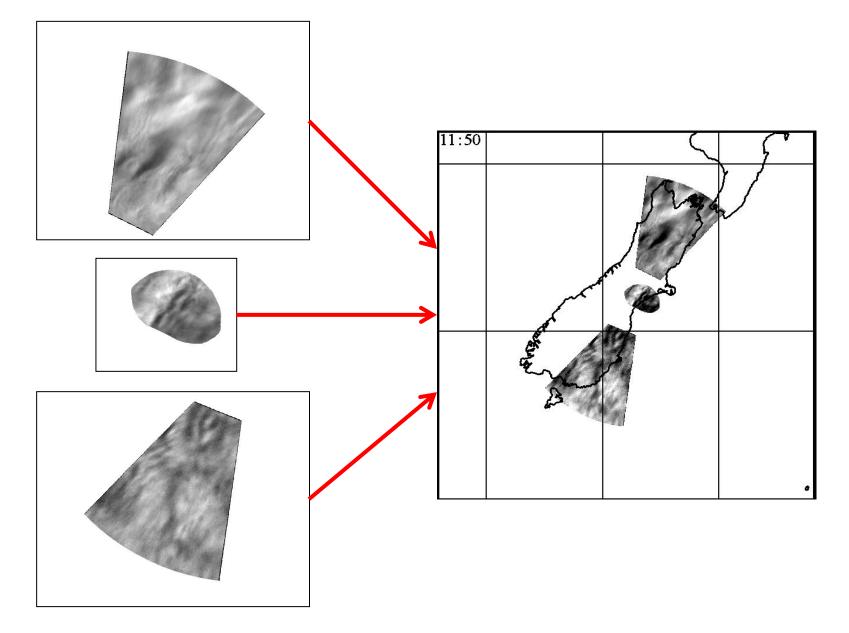
Temperature/Intensity Maps Processing



Data Processing – Wing Cameras



Projection on a Geographical Map



Keograms Representation

Collocating a slice from each image

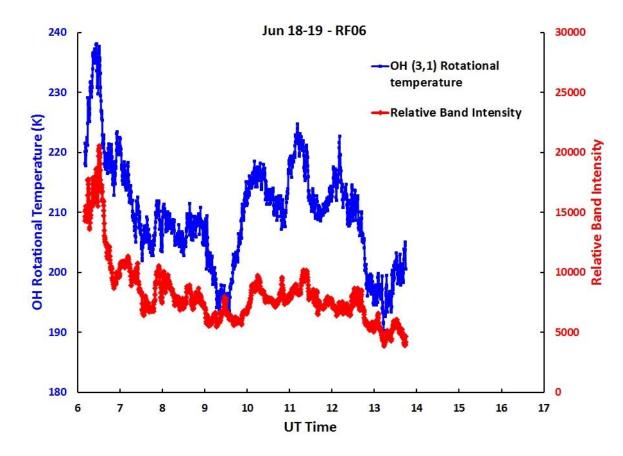


EOL Database (Aircraft Products)

- Zenith temperature and intensity profiles
- Intensity keograms (3 cameras)
- Temperature keograms (zenith camera)

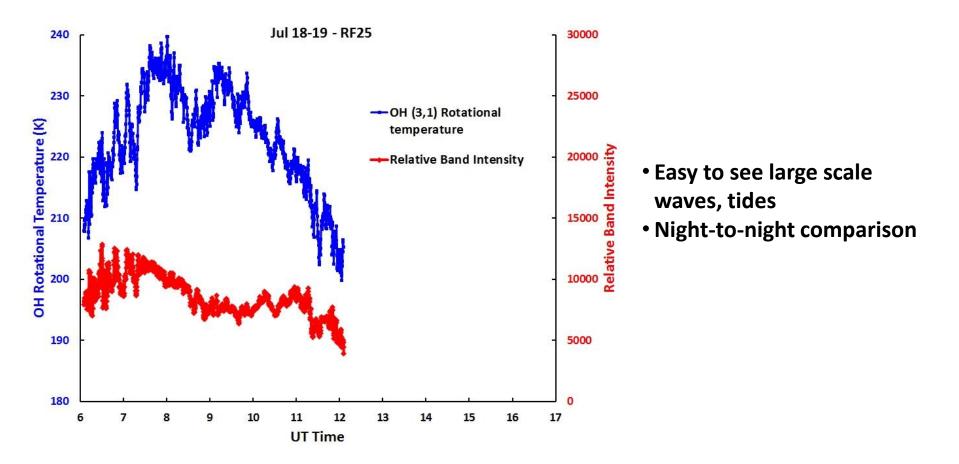
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Zenith Profiles

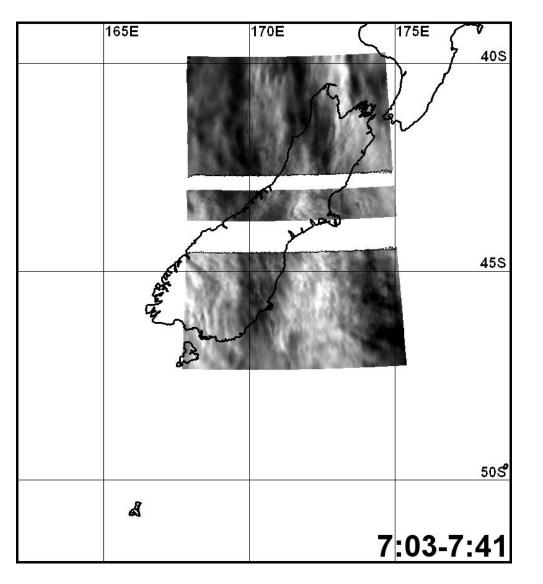


- Each point corresponds to the average value for a 20x20-pixel region
- Blue = OH (3,1) rotational temperature
- Red = OH (3,1) band intensity

Zenith Profiles



Intensity Keograms



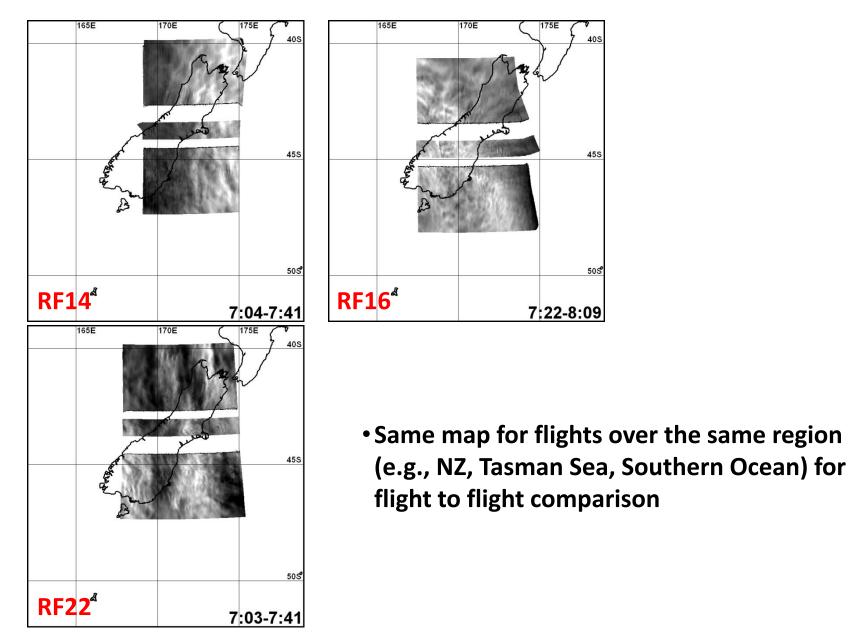
- 1 keogram per leg
- Zenith camera + 2 side cameras (except RF09)
- Extend ~450km on each side of the GV
- Time indicating the beginning and the end of the leg

Intensity Keograms

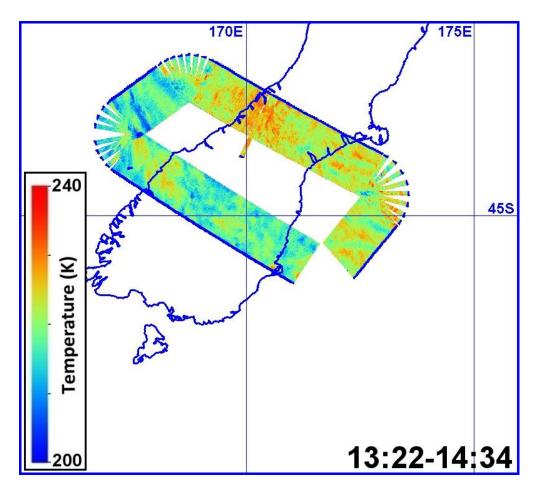
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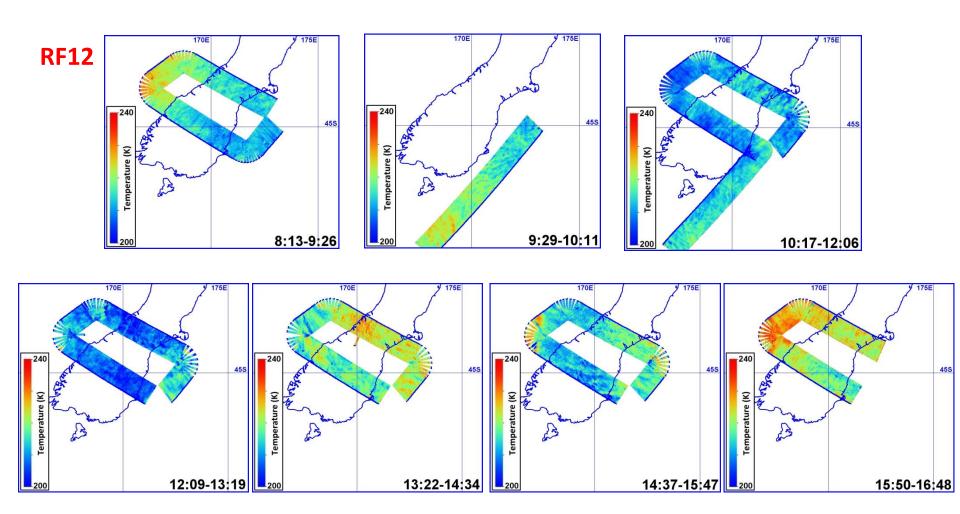


Temperature Keograms

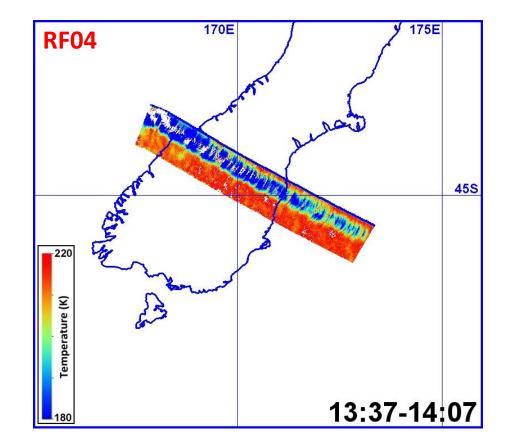


- Several legs on one image when possible
- Only zenith camera
- •~80km wide
- Time indicating the beginning and the end of the leg
- Temperature scale on each image
- Always the same scale for a given flight

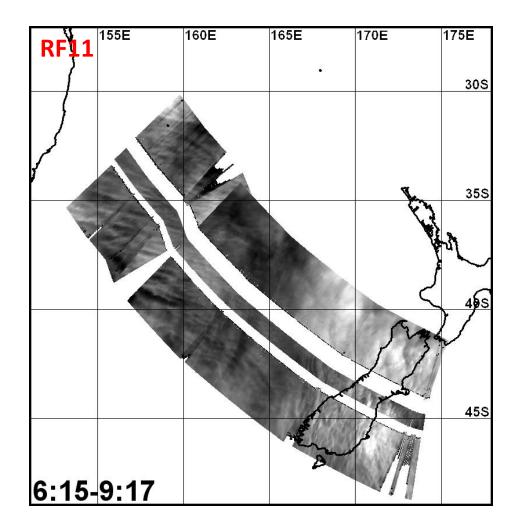
Temperature Keograms



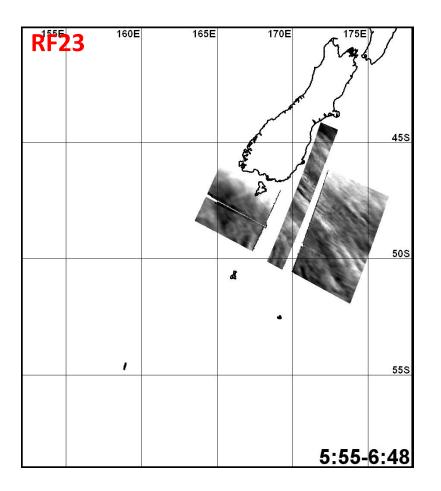
Moon in the field-of-view



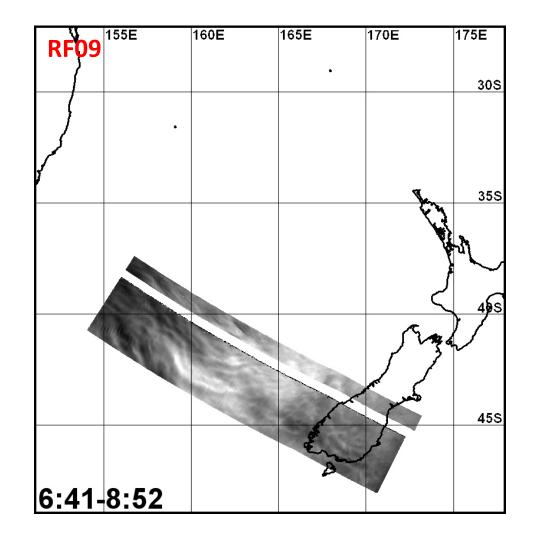
• GV changing direction



• Cameras starting acquisition at different times (usually because of twilight)



• One camera missing (Only RF09 due to computer problem)



Movies and Images

Not on the EOL database but available upon request:

- Movies (temperature or intensity) with or without map
- Single images (temperature or intensity) in TIFF format (100 to 300Mb per flight for zenith camera, up to 12Gb per flight for both side cameras)