

**HNRAO Observing Log**  
**40.673181 N – 80.437885 W**  
**EN90sq**



**Date: June 2, 2018**

**Object: Jupiter – Io-A**

**Observer: Unattended**

<b>Start - Time UT:</b>	<b>0223</b>	<b>Planetary K-index:</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Jupiter Altitude (deg):</b>	<b>31.7</b>	<b>Jupiter Azimuth (deg):</b>	<b>160.1</b>
<b>Jupiter CML:</b>	<b>202.3</b>	<b>Jupiter Io Phase:</b>	<b>215.98</b>
<b>Jupiter RA (hr/min):</b>	<b>14:53</b>	<b>Jupiter Dec (hr/min):</b>	<b>-15:17</b>
<b>Hour Angle (hr/min):</b>	<b>-01:10</b>	<b>Polarization</b>	<b>RCP</b>
<b>Sun Altitude (deg):</b>	<b>-16.2</b>	<b>Sun Azimuth (deg):</b>	<b>319.6</b>
<b>Sun RA (hr/min):</b>	<b>04:32</b>	<b>Sun Dec (hr/min):</b>	<b>21:54</b>

<b>End – Time UT:</b>	<b>0411</b>	<b>De:</b>	<b>-3.3</b>
<b>Jupiter Altitude (deg):</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>Jupiter Azimuth (deg):</b>	<b>191.1</b>
<b>Jupiter CML:</b>	<b>267.59</b>	<b>Jupiter Io Phase</b>	<b>231.36</b>
<b>Hour Angle (hr/min):</b>	<b>00:39</b>	<b>Duration (min):</b>	<b>188</b>
<b>Sun Altitude (deg):</b>	<b>-25.8</b>	<b>Sun Azimuth (deg):</b>	<b>344.3</b>
<b>Max Frequency MHz</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>Min Frequency MHz</b>	<b>16</b>

**Observatory Configuration**

<b>Spectrograph Receiver</b>	<b>Antenna</b>	<b>Polarization</b>	<b>System Loss</b>	<b>Multicoupler</b>	<b>Multicoupler port</b>	<b>Calibrated</b>
FSX-8S	TFD	RCP LCP	-8.35 dB -7.59 dB	#2 RCP #1 LCP	Port 1 +10dB Port 1 +10dB	Twice daily Twice daily
FSX-2	LWA	RCP/LCP manual select		N/A	N/A	N/A
SDRPlay RSP2	TFD	RCP	-8.35 dB	#2 RCP	Port 2 +3dB	Twice daily
SDRPlay RSP2	TFD	LCP	-7.59 dB	#1 LCP	Port 2 +3dB	Twice daily
JOVE 1	TFD	RCP	-8.35 dB	#2 RCP	Port 3 +3 dB	04/20/2018
JOVE 1	TFD	LCP	-7.59 dB	#1 LCP	Port 3 +3 dB	04/20/2018
JOVE II	Jove dipoles	Linear	-3.12 dB	#3 Linear	Port 4 +3 dB	04/10/2018
SDRPlay RSP1	Experimental*					

JOVE dipoles phased @ 32 degrees for 2017-2018 season

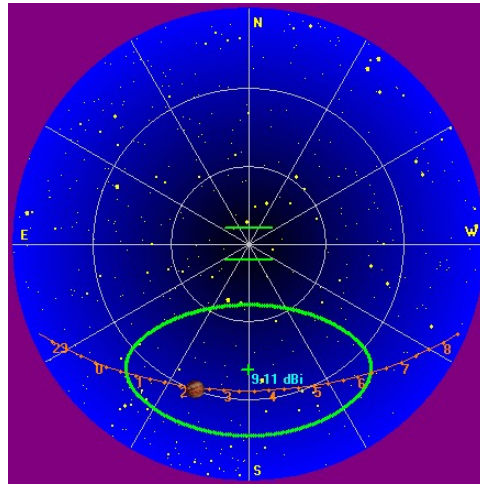
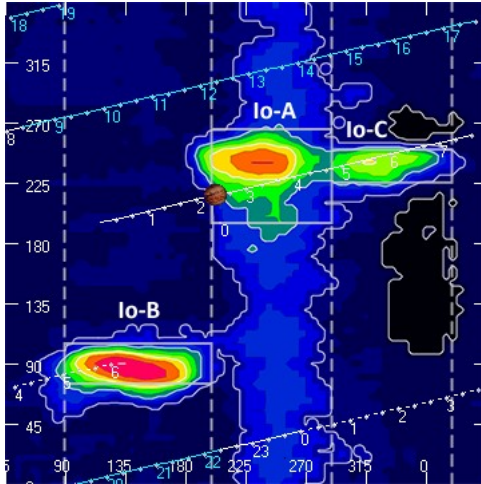
TFD array phased @ 35 degrees for 2017-2018 season

LWA antenna phased @ 35 degrees and orientation for observation: 45 degrees

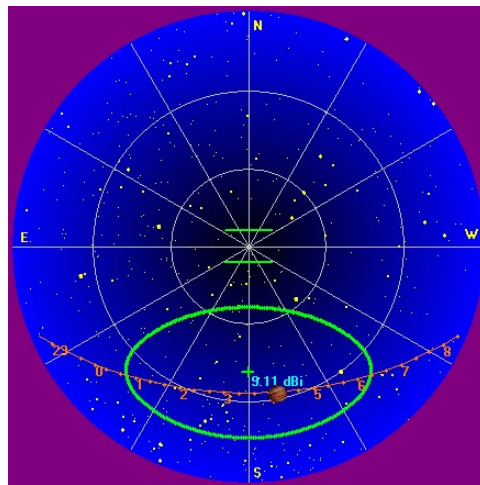
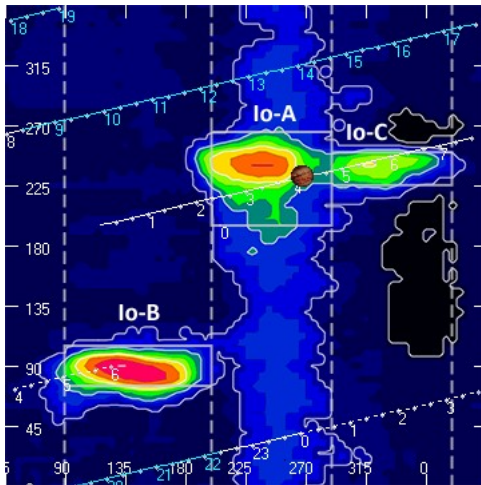
\* Used for testing and evaluating antenna systems

Software Radio Sky Spectrograph 2.8.50

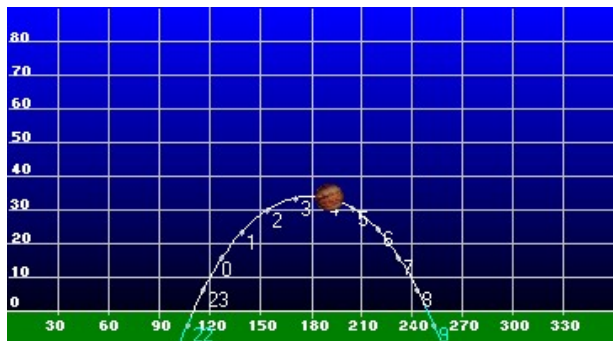
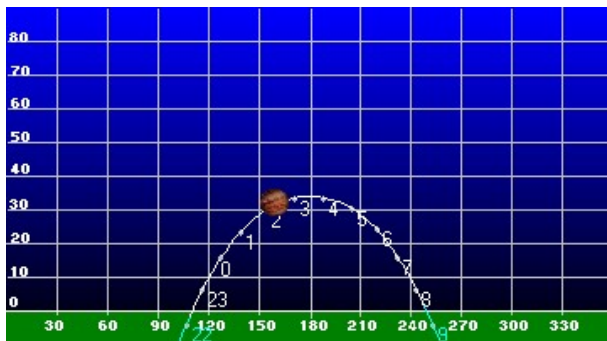
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**Beginning of Pass**



**End of Pass**



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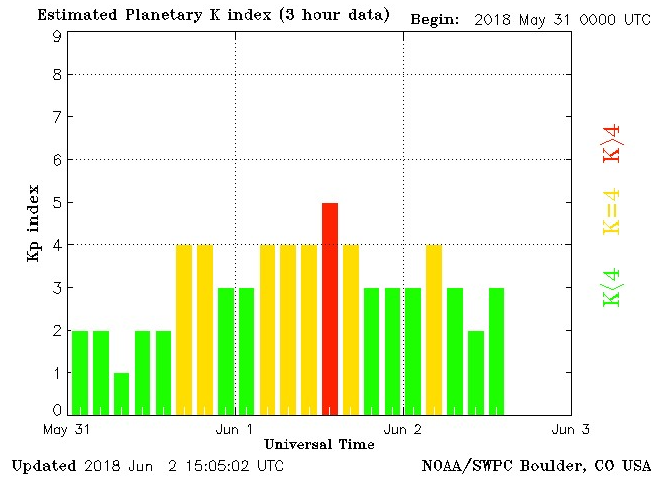


MODE	CML RANGE	Io RANGE	MAX F	POLAR	ARC	NOTES
Io-D	0-200	95-130	18	LH	Early	Also called "fourth source"
Io-B	(105 - 185)	(80-110)	39.5	RH	Early	Also called "early source"
non Io-B	80-200	0-360	38	RH	Early	Voyager info
Io-A	(200-270)	(205-260)	38	RH	Late	Also called "main source"
non-Io-A	(230-280)	0-360	38	RH	Late	
Io-C	(300-20)	(225-260)	36	RH&LH	Late	Also called "third source"
non-Io-C	300-360	0-360	32	RH&LH	Late	Voyager info

<https://www.radiosky.com/jupmodes.html>

Modulation Lanes Designations*	
L - Burst	S-Burst
L1 – No lanes	S1 – No lanes
L2 - Positive slope	S2 – Positive slope
L3 - Cross hatched	S3 – Cross hatched
L4 – Negative slope	S4 – Negative slope

\*Modulation Lanes in the Dynamic Spectra of Jovian L-bursts, J.J. Riihimaa, Astron. & Astrophys. 4, 1970



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A weak Io-A storm with RCP L-burst emissions. There were no detectable S-bursts. L4 modulation lanes throughout the storm. Many of the emissions were nebulous or “wispy”. The emissions were in groups with long periods of non-activity in between. Scintillation was obvious throughout the storm. It’s unknown if this was interplanetary or ionospheric scintillation, but seems likely that it was ionospheric, however, the K indices has been high for several days. It’s a matter that requires more research by this observer.

Only one notable period of moderately strong emissions at 0316 UT; CML 2354.34 and Io Phase 223.53.

This storm was observed with the FSX-8S spectrograph using the TFD array, the FSX-2 spectrograph using the LWA array, the SDRPlay RSP2 spectrograph using the TFD array and the Radio Jove 2 receiver using the Jove dual dipole array. All instruments recorded activity.

SkyPipe data has been uploaded to the Radio JOVE data archive.

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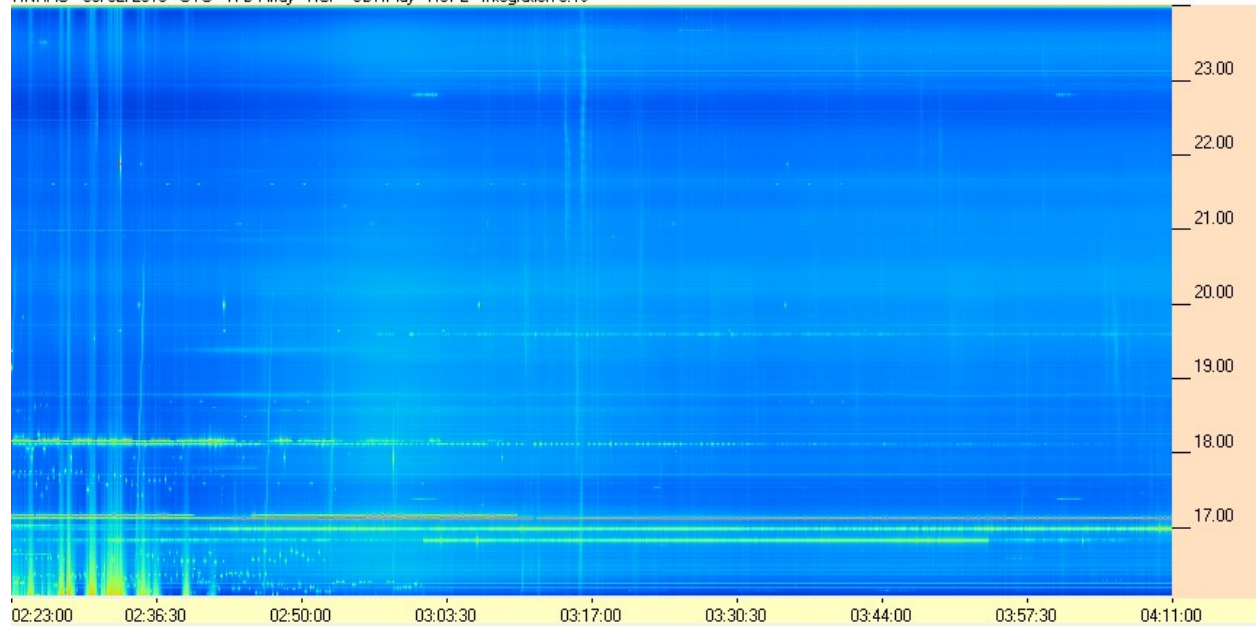


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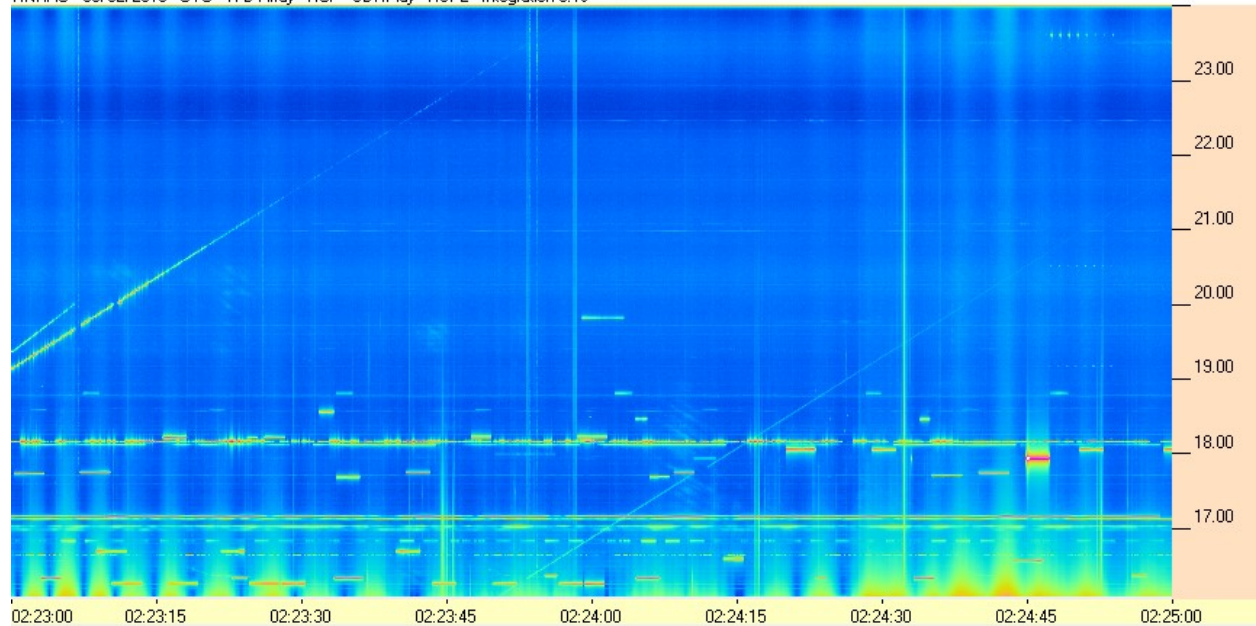


**SDRPlay RSP2 / TFD Array**

HNRAO - 06/02/2018 - UTC - TFD Array - RCP - SDRPlay - RSP2 - Integration 0.1s



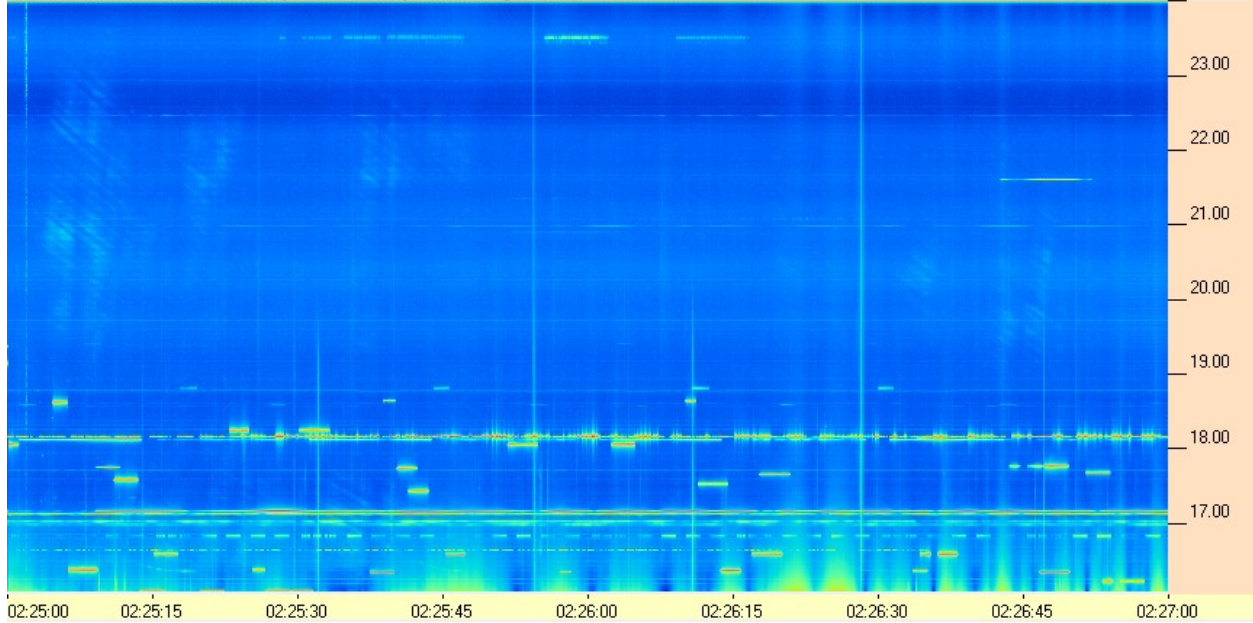
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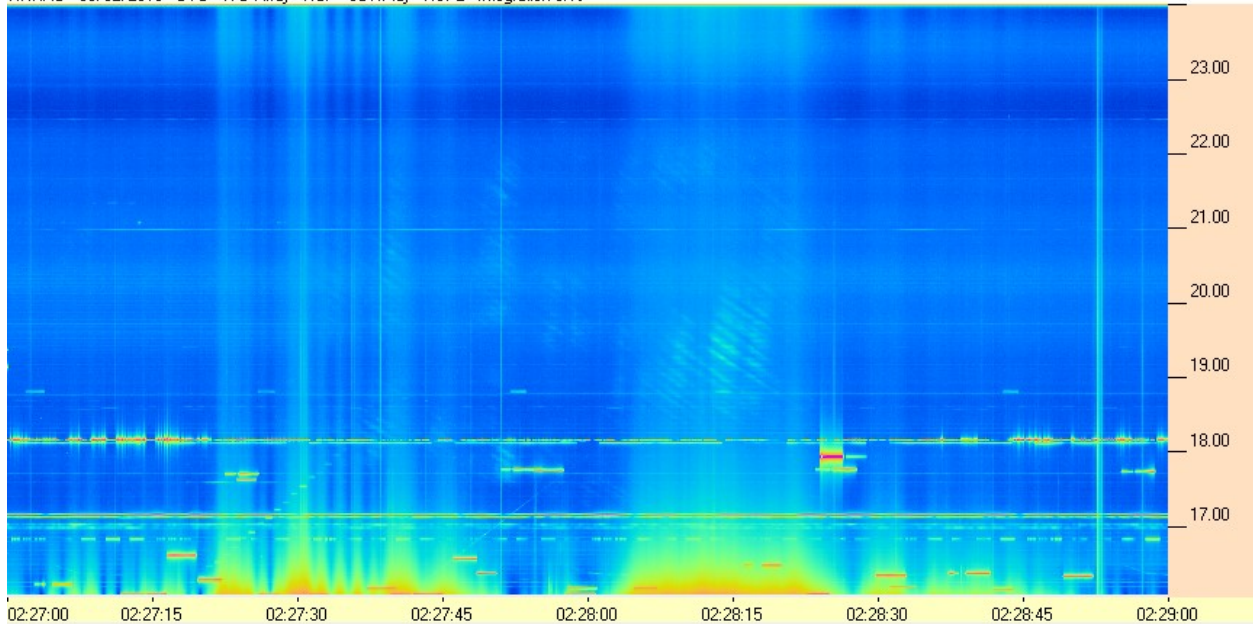
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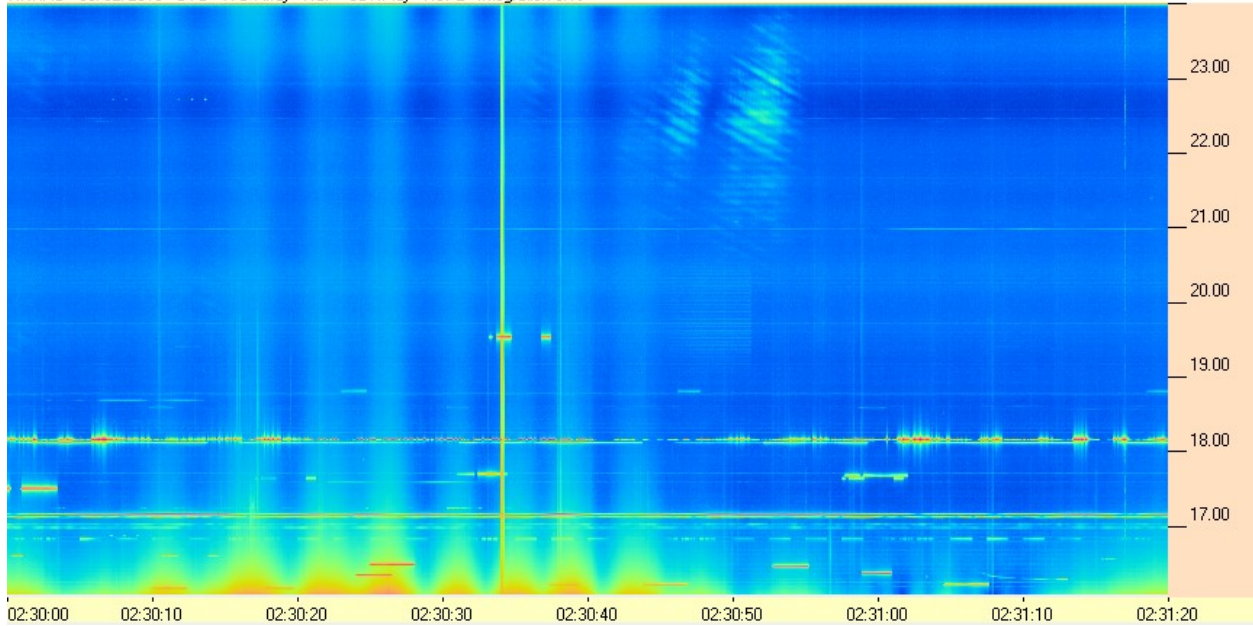




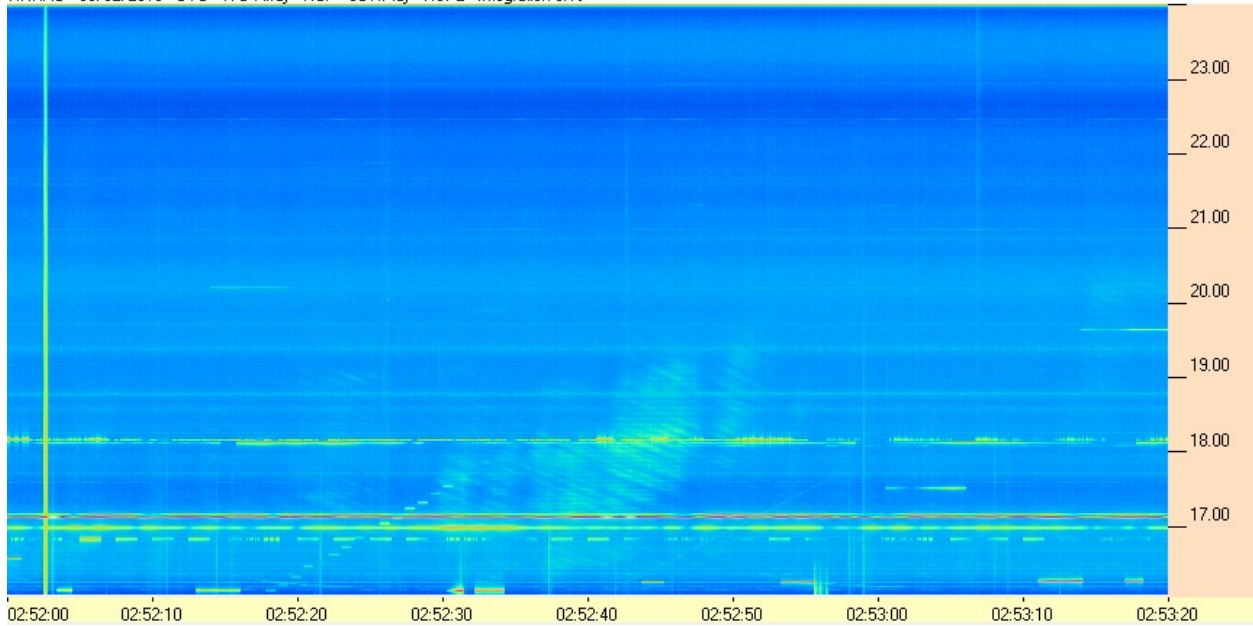
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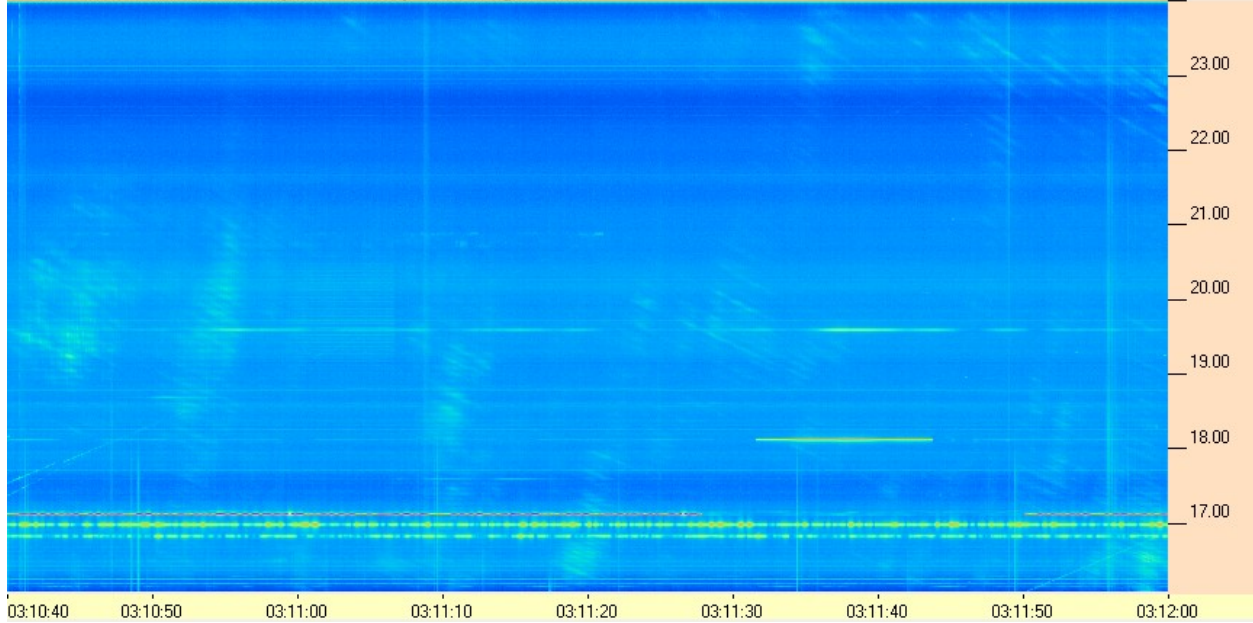
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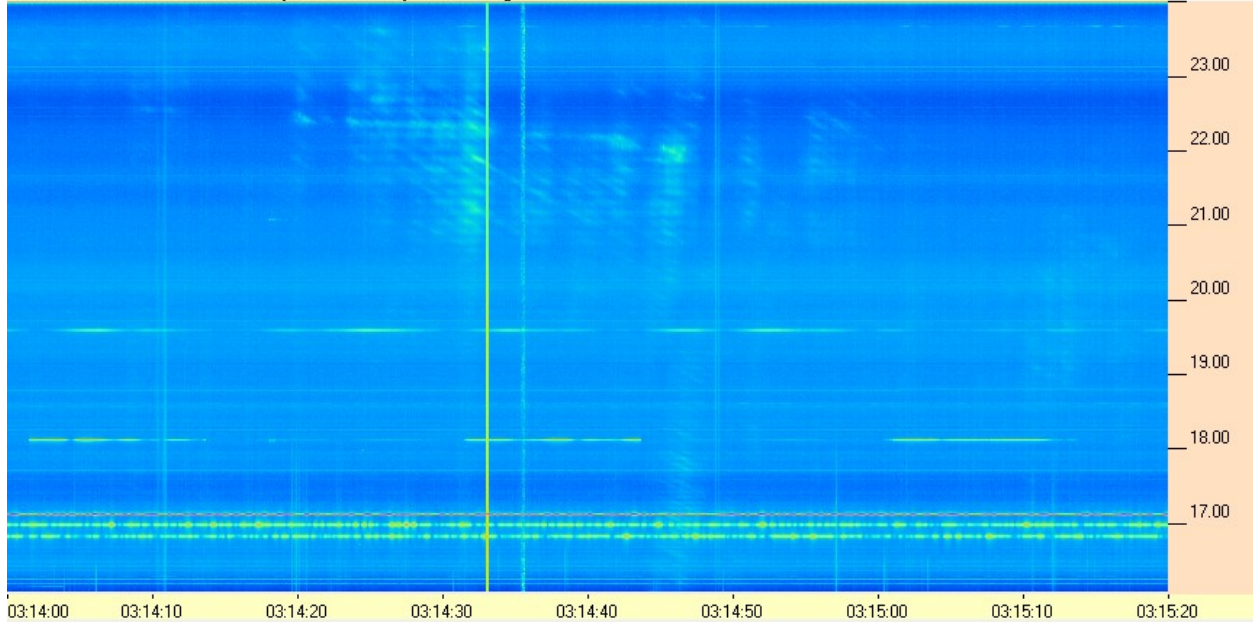
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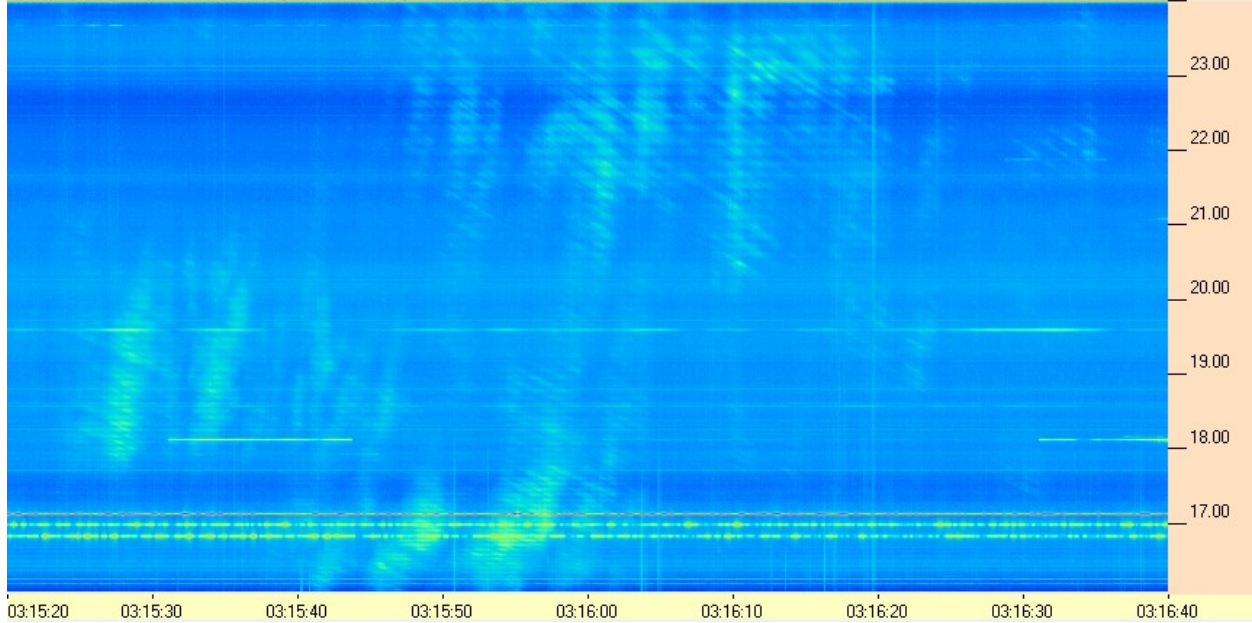




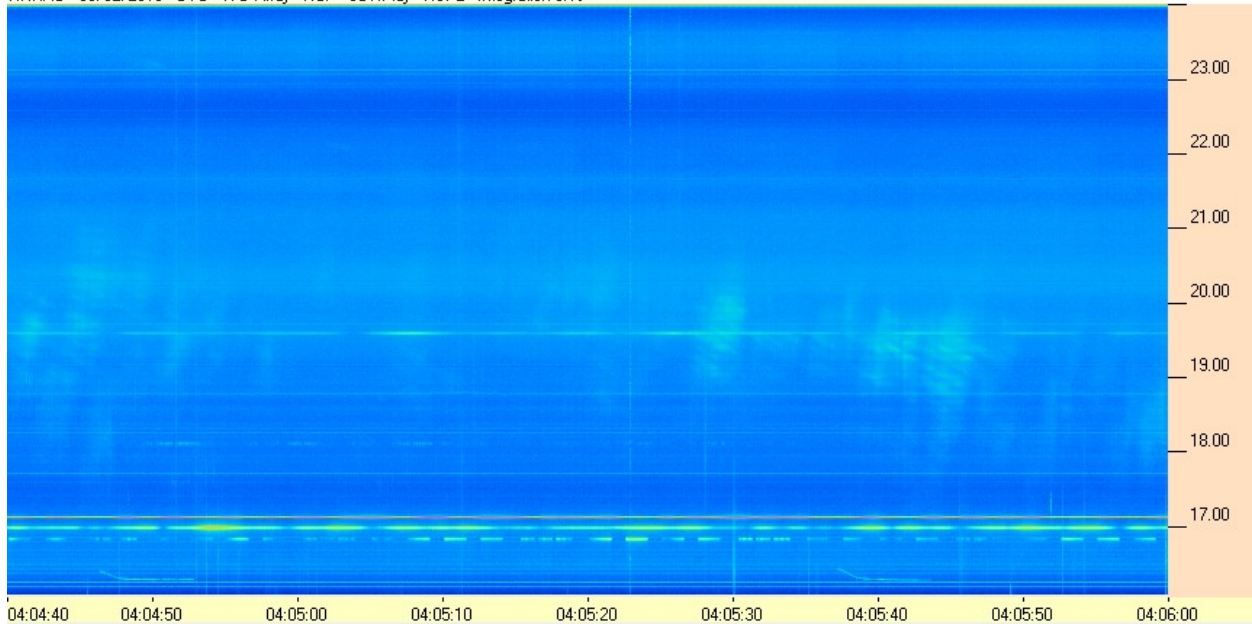
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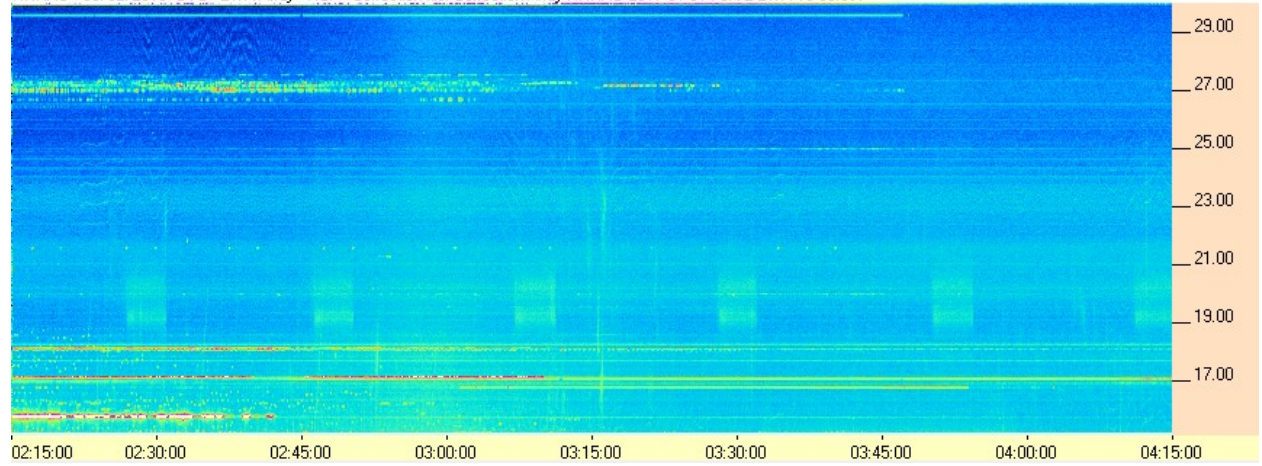


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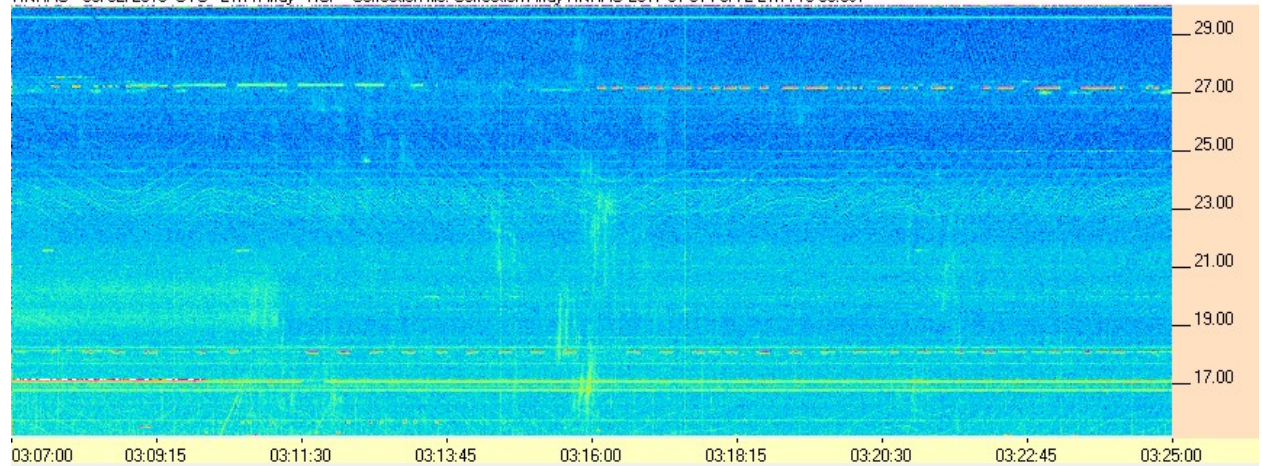


**FSX-2 / LWA Array**

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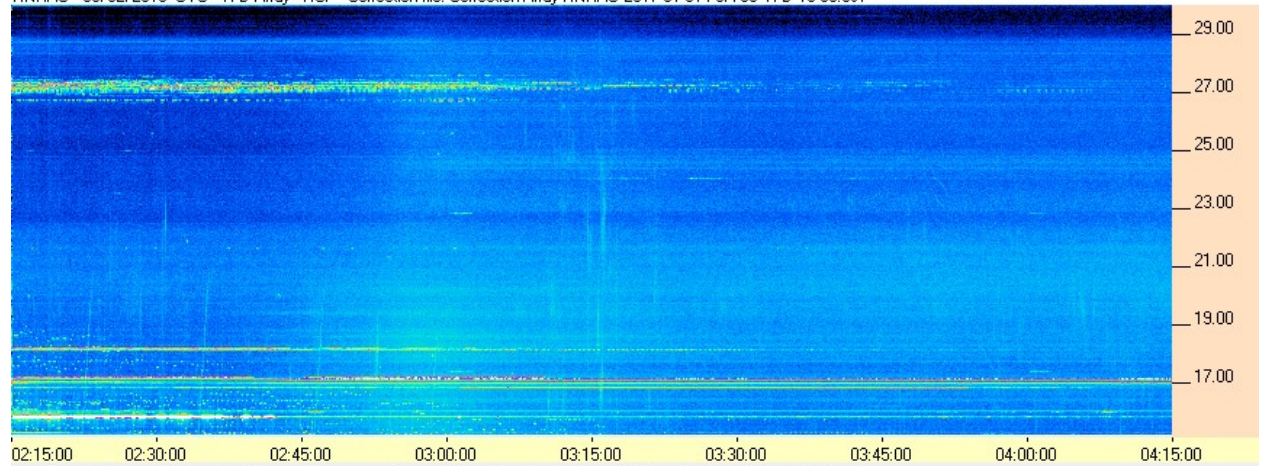


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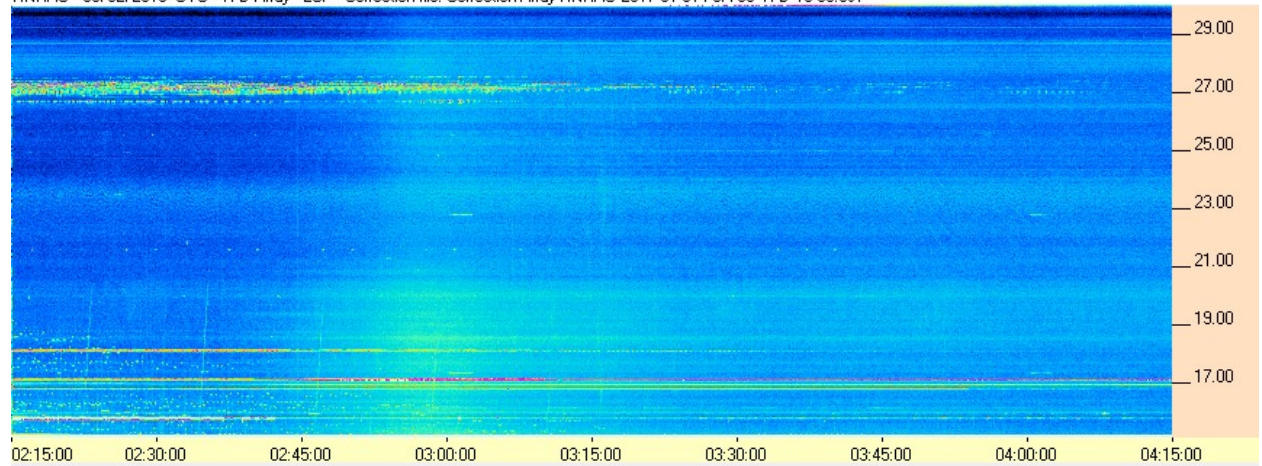


**FSX-8S / TFD Array**

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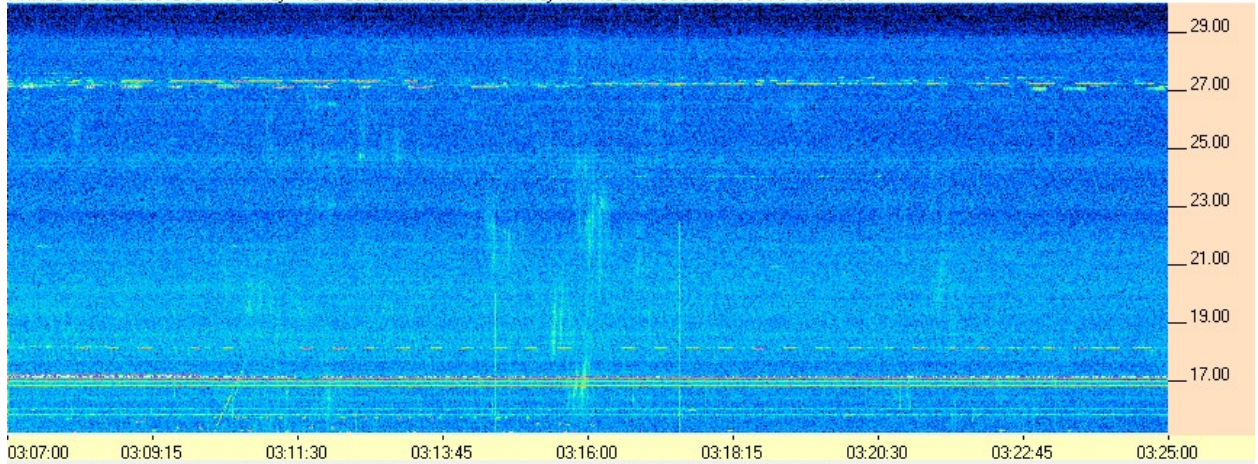




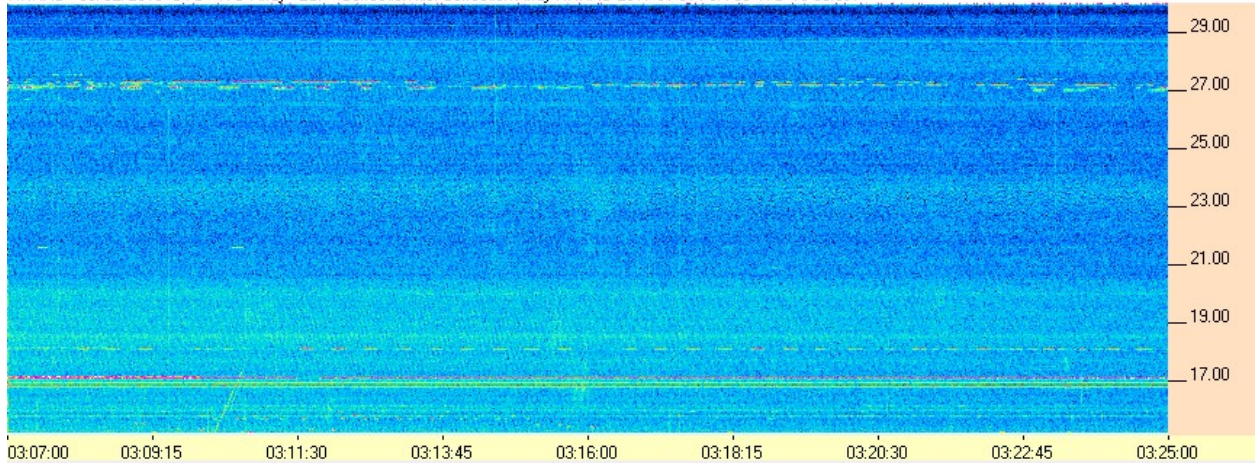
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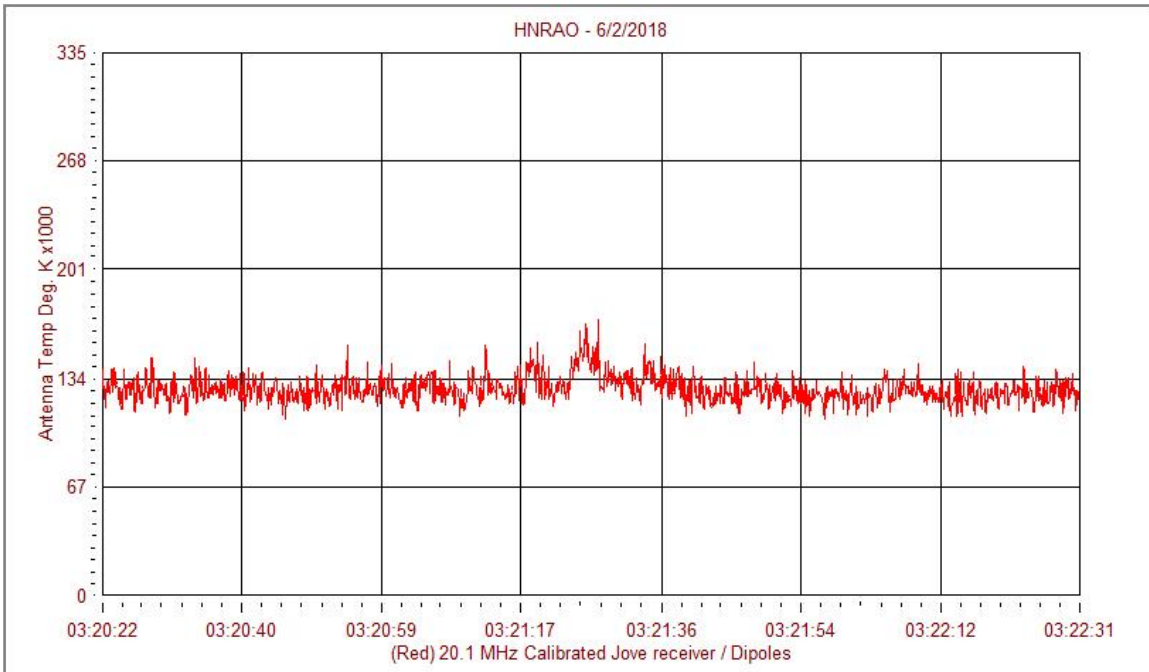
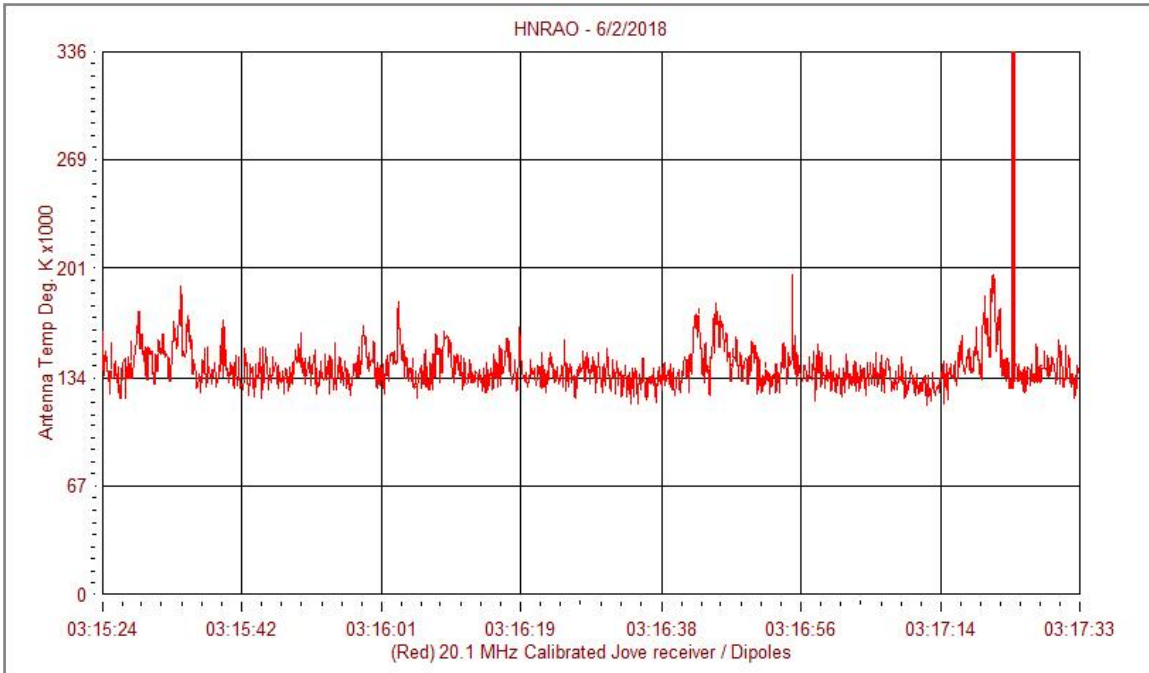
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**Radio JOVE II receiver / JOVE Dipole array**



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