

HNRAO Observing Log
40.673181 N – 80.437885 W
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Date: 11 March 2018

Object: Jupiter – Non-Io-A

Observer: Unattended

Start - Time UT:	0958	Planetary K-index:	2
Jupiter Altitude (deg):	31.6	Jupiter Azimuth (deg):	188.1
Jupiter CML:	213.05	Jupiter Io Phase:	302.72
Jupiter RA (hr/min):	15:24	Jupiter Dec (hr/min):	-17:21
Hour Angle (hr/min):	00:29	Polarization	RCP
Sun Altitude (deg):	-19.2	Sun Azimuth (deg):	078.9
Sun RA (hr/min):	23:19	Sun Dec (hr/min):	-04:24

End – Time UT:	1013		
Jupiter Altitude (deg):	31.1	Jupiter Azimuth (deg):	192.2
Jupiter CML:	222.12	Jupiter Io Phase	304.86
Hour Angle (hr/min):	00:44		
Sun Altitude (deg):	-16.4	Sun Azimuth (deg):	081.5

Observatory Configuration

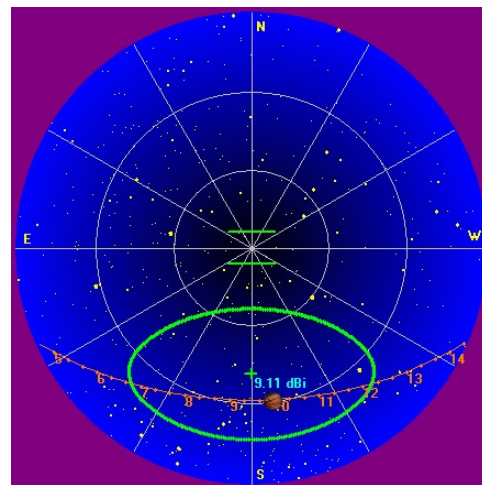
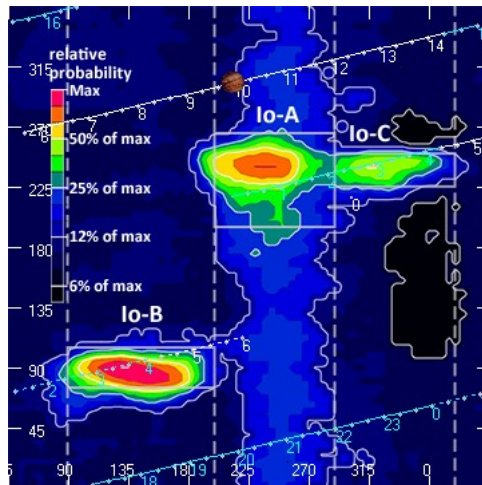
Spectrograph Receiver	Antenna	Polarization	System Loss	Multicoupler	Multicoupler port	Calibrated
FSX-8S	TFD	RCP LCP	7.70 dB 7.70 dB	#2 RCP #1 LCP	Port 2 +3dB Port 2 +3dB	Twice daily Twice daily
FSX-2	LWA	RCP/LCP manual select		N/A	N/A	N/A
SDRPlay RSP2	TFD	RCP	-7.70 dB	#2 RCP	Port 3 +3dB	Twice daily
SDRPlay RSP2	TFD	LCP	-7.70 dB	#1 LCP	Port 3 +3dB	Twice daily
SDRPlay RSP1	Jove dipoles	Linear	-3.19 dB	N/A	N/A	N/A
JOVE II	Jove dipoles	Linear	-3.19 dB	N/A	N/A	02/20/2018
JOVE 1	TFD	RCP	-7.70 dB	N/A	N/A	03/08/2018
JOVE 1	TFD	LCP	-7.70 dB	N/A	N/A	03/08/2018

JOVE dipoles phased @ 32 degrees for 2017-2018 season

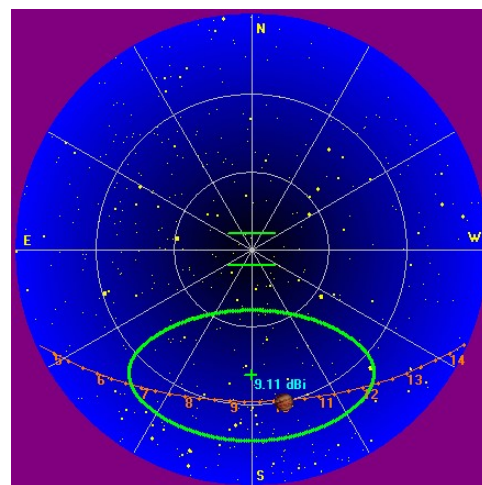
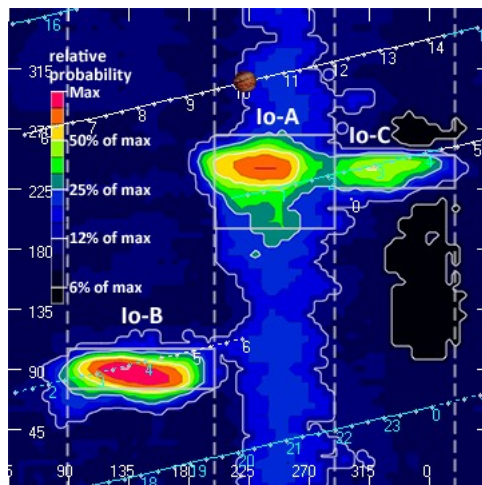
TFD array phased @ 35 degrees for 2017-2018 season

LWA antenna orientation for observation: 67.5 degrees

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Beginning of Pass



End of Pass

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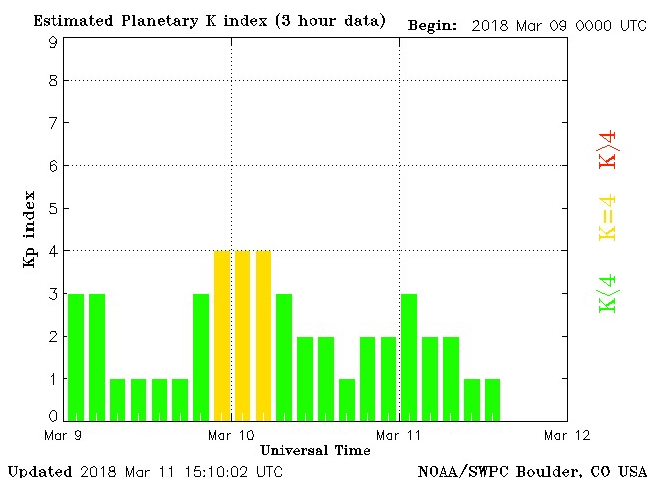


MODE	CML RANGE	Io RANGE	MAX F	POLAR	ARC	NOTES
Io-D	0-200	95-130	18	LH	Early	Also called "fourth source"
Io-B	(105 - 185)	(80-110)	39.5	RH	Early	Also called "early source"
non Io-B	80-200	0-360	38	RH	Early	Voyager info
Io-A	(200-270)	(205-260)	38	RH	Late	Also called "main source"
non-Io-A	(230-280)	0-360	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 very brief Non-Io-A storm lasting 15 minutes. RCP L-burst emissions between 15 MHz and 19 MHz. There were a few modulation lanes visible and measurable.

Emissions never reached above 19 MHz so there is no Radio Jove/Jove dual dipoles/SkyPipe record.

Emissions were seen by FSX-8S/TFD, FSX-2/LWA and SDRPlay RSP2/TFD. Of the two FSX spectrographs, the FSX-2 spectrograph saw the emissions marginally stronger than the FSX-8S. The SDRPlay RSP2/TFD resolved the emissions the best.

After the strong Non-Io-A from last year, this year, so far, have been the opposite.

Jupiter is nearing its maximum altitude for this season @ 32 degree above the southern horizon.

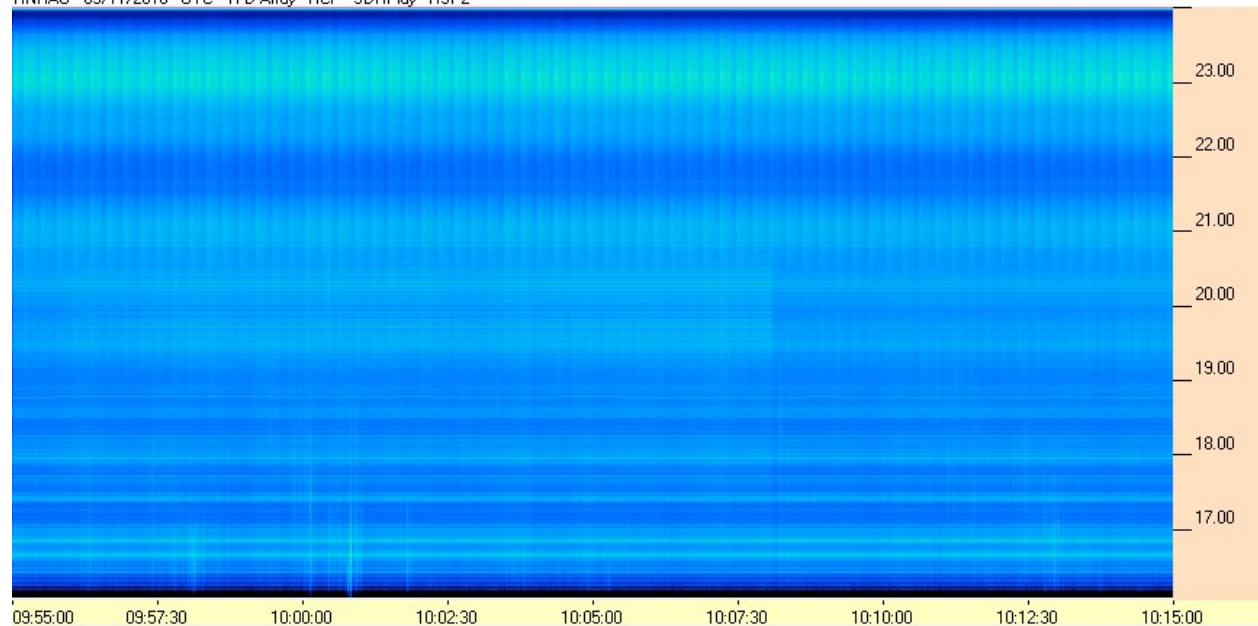
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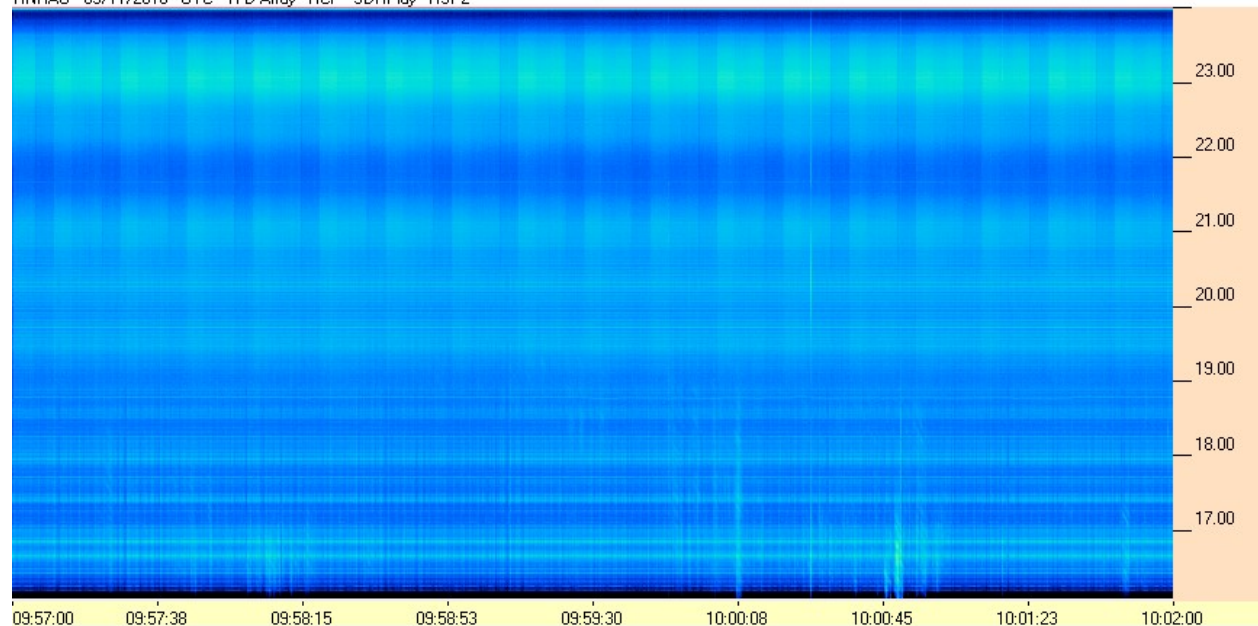


SDRPlay RSP2/TFD

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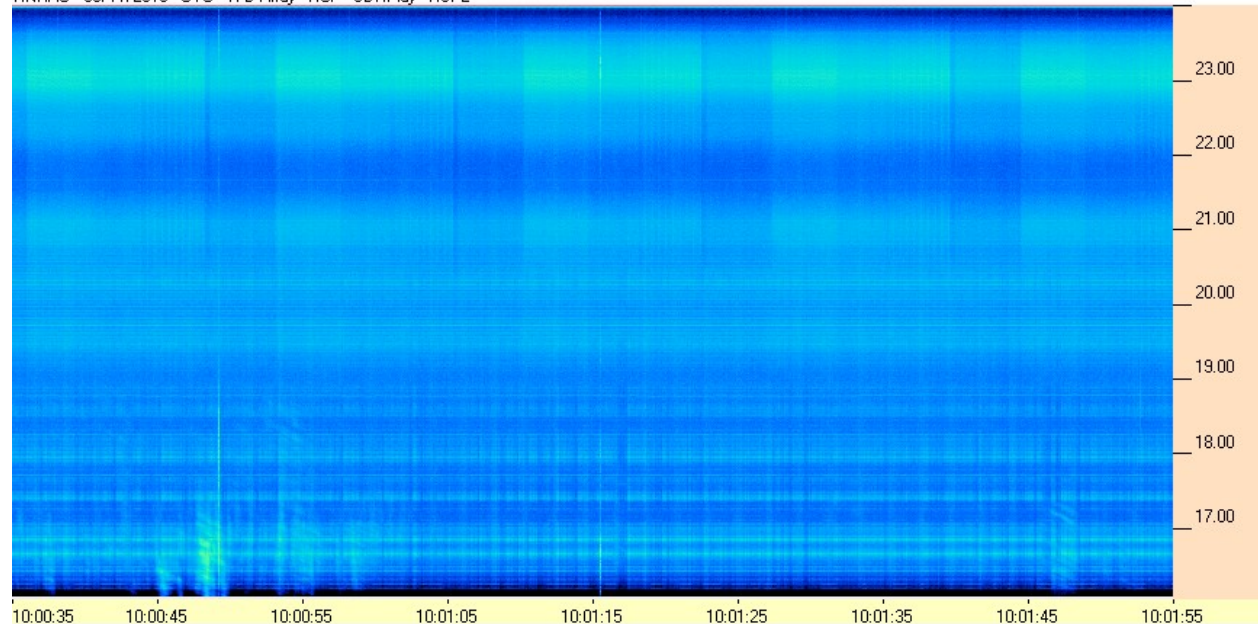
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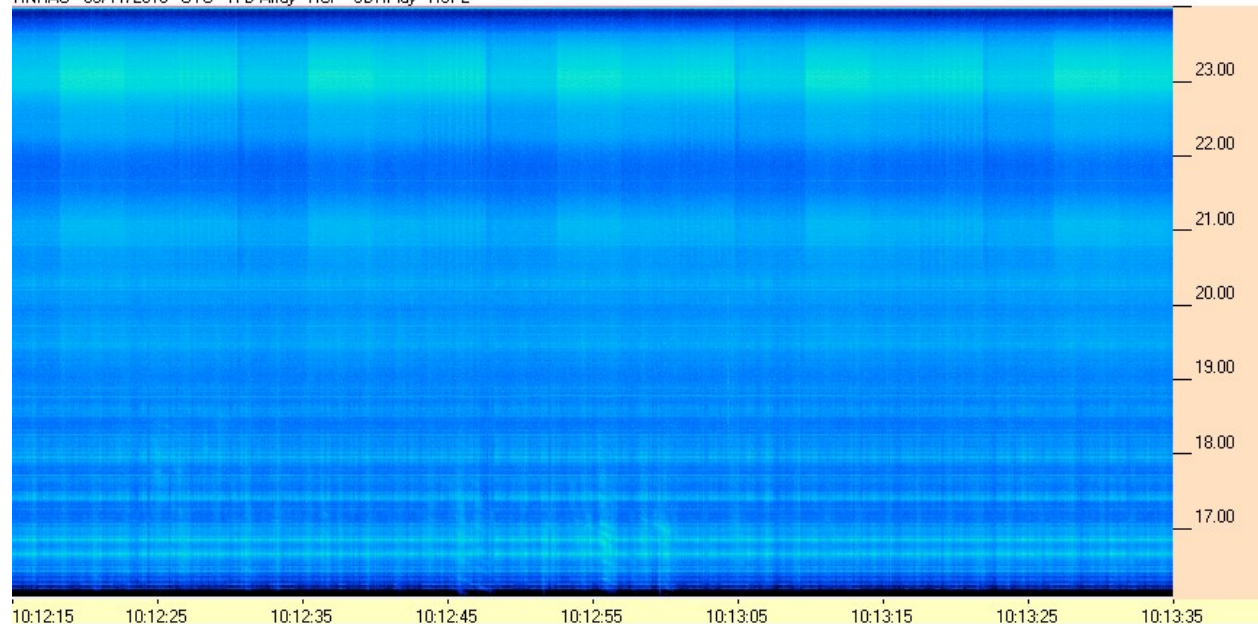
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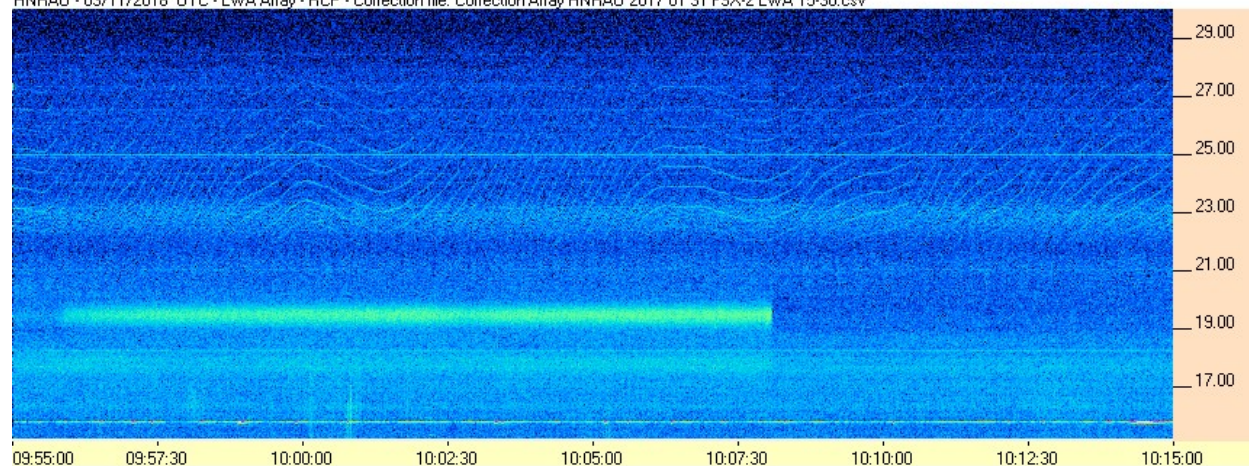


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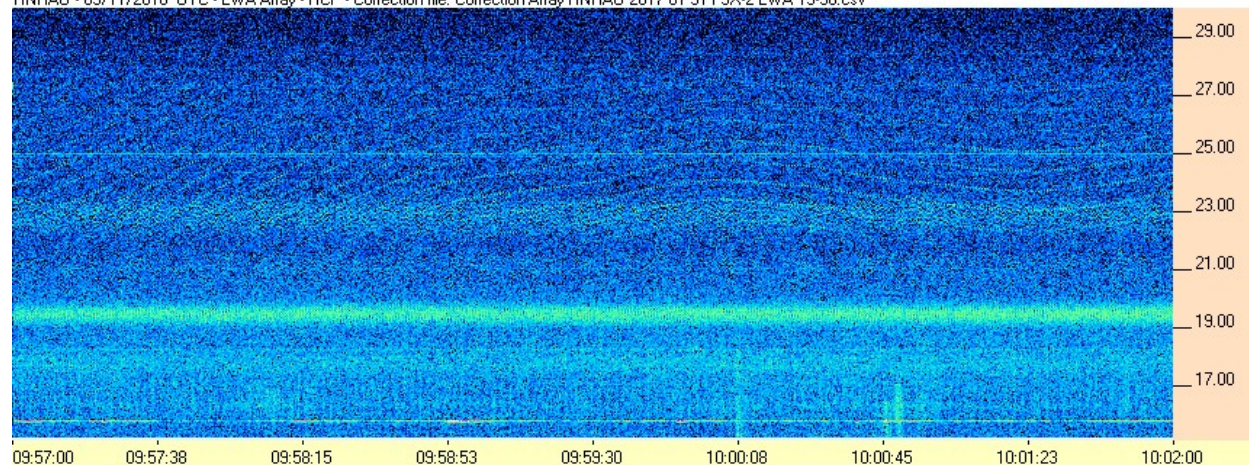


FSX-2/LWA

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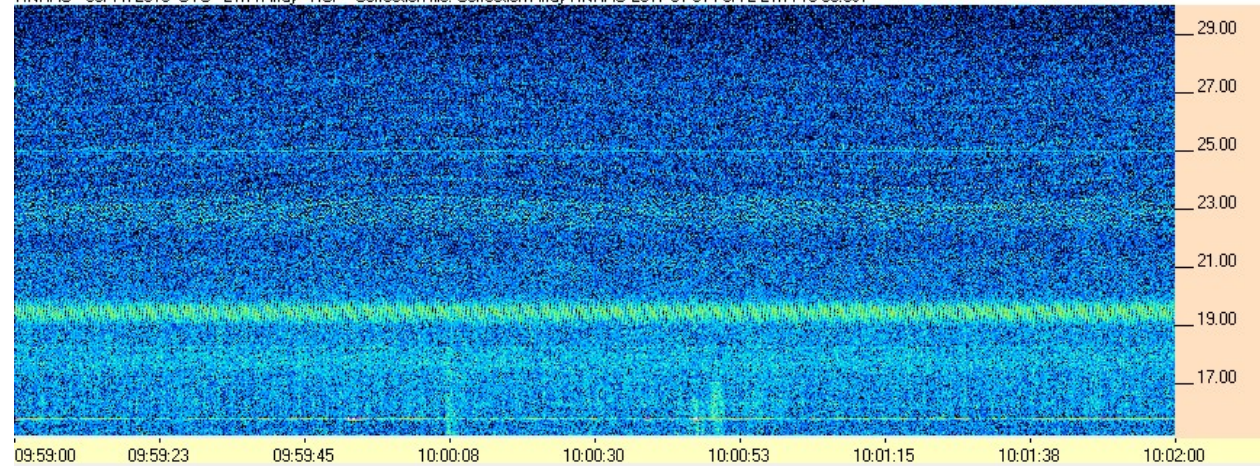
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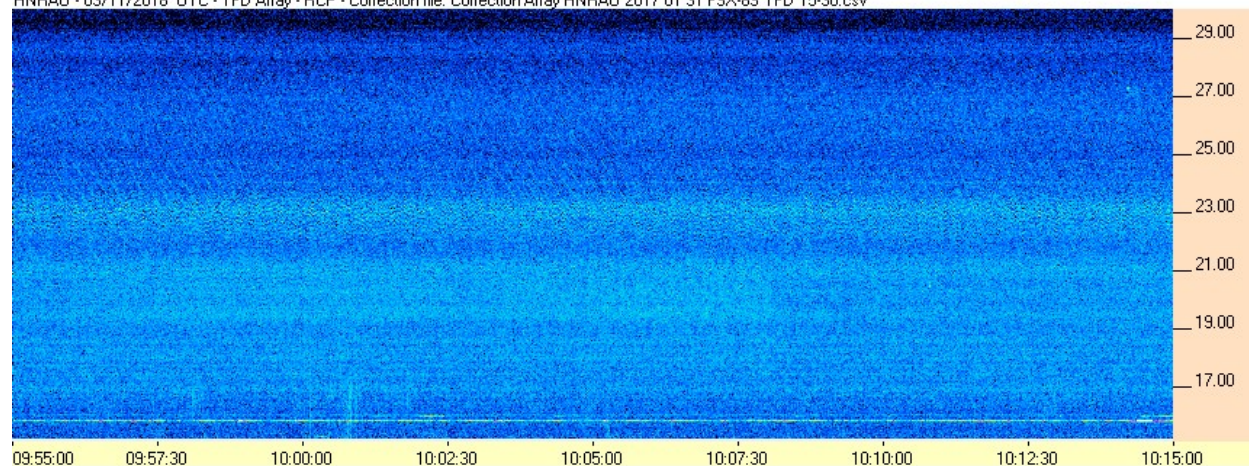


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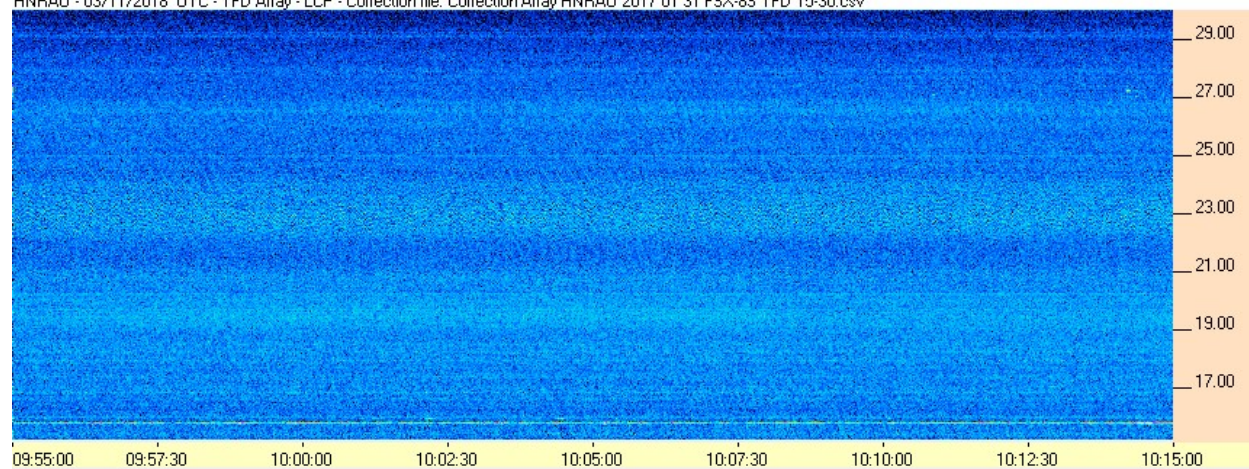


FSX-8S/TFD

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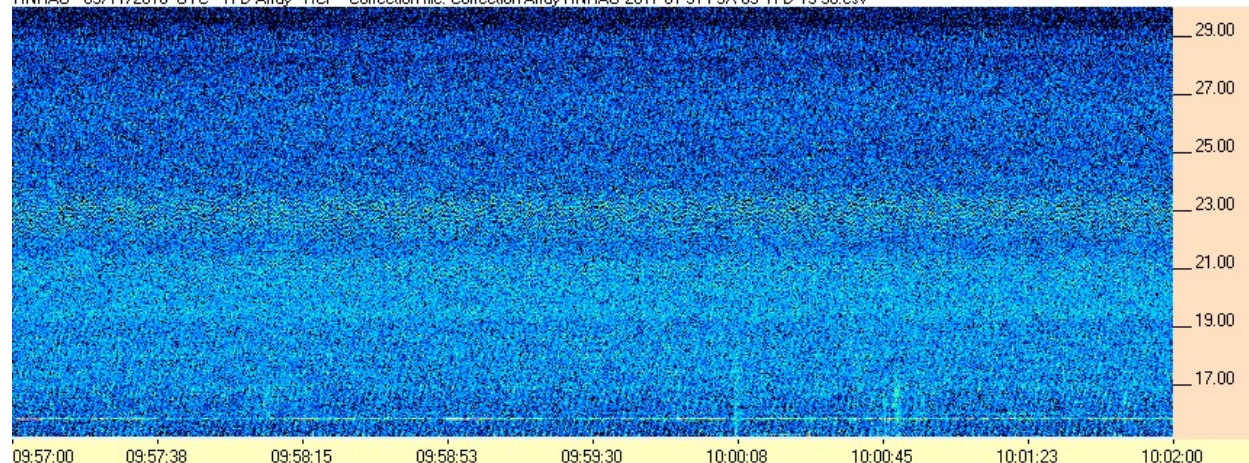
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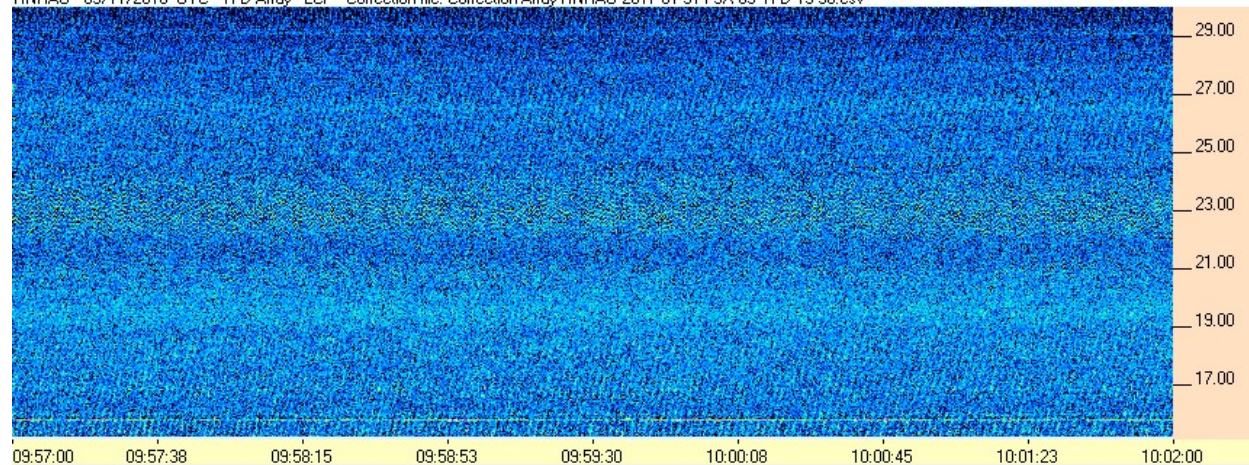
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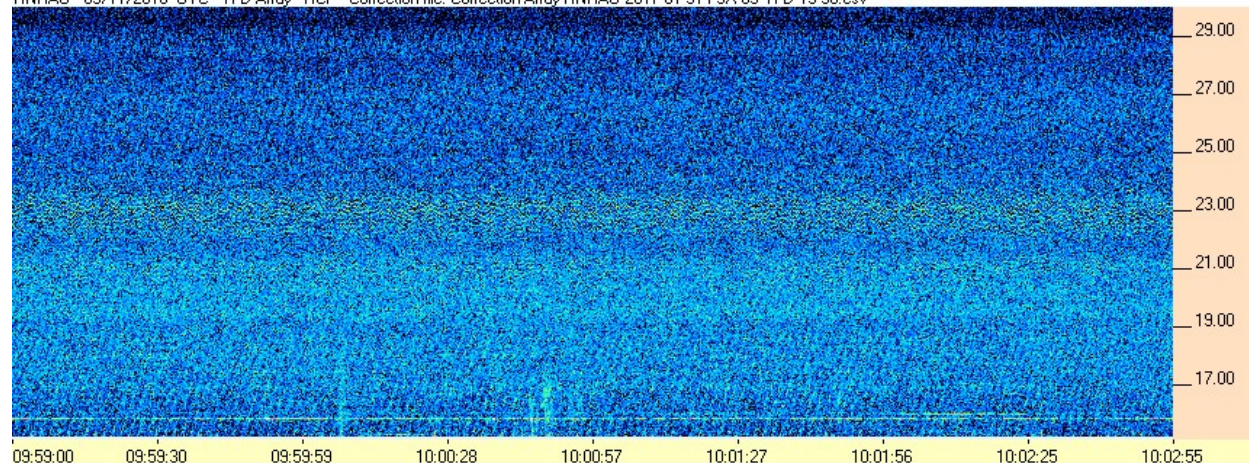
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