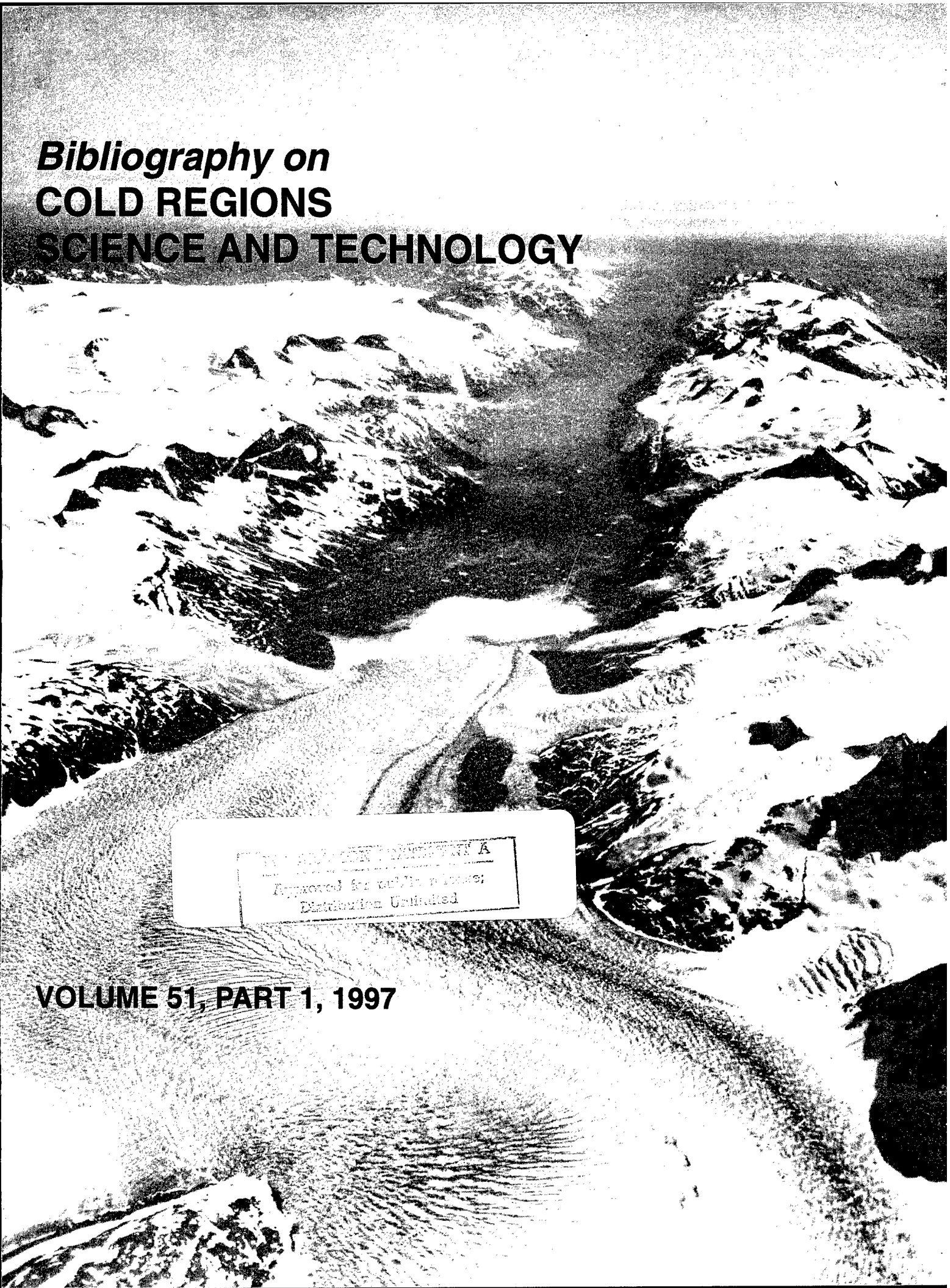
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One of the goals of the Pilot Project "Application of ERS-1 products to Geophysical Research in Antarctica" (PP2-E1) was to assess the characteristic wind-induced circulation patterns in the Bransfield Strait region during austral summer. From a data set corresponding to the period Dec. 1992 to Apr. 1993, 21 synoptic wind fields covering the study area were extracted. A simple method was established to interpolate the wind velocity and direction at error-flagged nodes and to reassess the wind direction where necessary. The directional distribution of the computed WSC (Weddell-Scotia Confluence) wind fields compares reasonably well with the few available local meteo statistics. On the other hand, the WSC winds exhibit a spatial variability which could not be resolved by local observations. Representative WSC wind fields have been selected and used to force a quasi-3D primitive equation finite element circulation model developed at LIM/UPC. (Auth. mod.)

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Ice information in support of navigation covers essentially any knowledge about ice conditions which might be useful to the master of the ship to decide which route to take and how to navigate around large ice floes. Satellite based sensors, primarily those operating in the microwave region, can provide this information day and night and under most weather conditions. To date, passive microwave brightness temperature data originating from sensors such as the Special Sensor Microwave/Imager are reasonably well understood, and can with suitable algorithms be presented as useable ice information products, such as ice concentration and extent. The scatterometer backscatter coefficient σ^0 has the potential of being a useful parameter to describe the surface conditions of an ice cover, in particular to provide a roughness index. Combined with passive microwave data, these complementary data sets can contribute better information on ice type and surface conditions which in return permits a better basis for route selection. This paper focuses on the use of scatterometer and passive microwave data and surface measurements made with the German RV *Polarstern* during its winter cruise in the Weddell Sea, June-July 1992. (Auth.)

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The opening and closing of leads or polynyas in sea ice-covered regions governs the heat exchange between the ocean and the atmosphere. One of the most important questions in modeling dynamical and thermodynamical processes of sea ice is the temporal and spatial variability of open water/thin ice areas. To investigate this question, ice velocity fields are calculated from ERS-1 SAR images with 100m resolution along a transect at 67° southern latitude. The displacement vectors of significant ice structures are automatically generated by cross-correlations between pairs of SAR scenes from descending and ascending orbits. As an example, the divergence of an ice velocity field from July 14, 1992 is presented. Additionally, an ice classification approach based on radiometric and geometric properties and an estimation of sensible heat fluxes using additional meteorological data (synoptical analysis, ECMWF model) is shown. In free ice drift situations, the lead formation can be directly linked to the synoptic situation. (Auth.)

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Quartz grains of the sand fractions from tills of Oligocene to Quaternary age in Antarctica were analyzed by scanning electron microscope to test the hypothesis that relative ice thickness and distance of transport influence the type and range of microtextures observed on individual grains. In this study, replicated subsamples were analyzed from tills emplaced by thick glaciers with both short and long transport distances. Till samples with grains transported over long distances under thick ice were compared with quartz grains from relatively thinner outlet glaciers with shorter transport distances. A range of microtextures was used to determine the environmental history of these grains. (Auth. mod.)

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Diurnal and seasonal patterns of ecosystem CO_2 efflux from upland tundra in the foothills of the Brooks Range, Alaska, U.S.A.

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Elemental mobility through small tundra watersheds.

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Ecosystems, Tundra soils, Watersheds, Tundra vegetation, Soil chemistry, Leaching, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, Simulation, Statistical analysis

This paper summarizes a 4-yr irrigation-fertilization experiment designed to evaluate elemental mobility through small tundra watersheds and examines the "leaky ecosystem-nutrient" hypothesis. Soil solutions were saturated with respect to gibbsite, suggesting that a gibbsite-like mineral may control Al solubility in these arctic soils. Comparisons of elemental concentrations among tundra ecosystems indicate that weathering rates are highly individualistic, depending critically on soil parent material. Furthermore, tundra ecosystems are leaky with respect to nutrients, which may have ramifications well beyond the disturbance both with respect to time and space, and warrants attention in assessing the future response of tundra ecosystems.

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Road dust alters extracellular enzyme activities in tussock tundra soils, Alaska, U.S.A.

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Chemical species spatial distribution and relationship to elevation and snow accumulation rate over the Greenland ice sheet.

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Water soluble dicarboxylic acids and related compounds in antarctic aerosols.

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In this paper, the authors studied antarctic aerosol samples at Showa Station for low molecular weight dicarboxylic acids, ketocarboxylic acids, and α-dicarbonyls using gas chromatography and mass spectrometry. The aerosols were also analyzed for total carbon and nitrogen content. Molecular distributions of these water soluble organic compounds and a large increase of their concentrations during summertime are related. Also discussed is the source of the dicarboxylic acids in the antarctic aerosols, in comparison with their molecular distributions in the Arctic and in the Northern Hemisphere. (Auth. mod.)

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Filtering of air through snow as a mechanism for aerosol deposition to the antarctic ice sheet.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Aerosols, Sedimentation, Snow air interface, Turbulent diffusion, Filters, Snow composition, Blowing snow, Snow permeability, Sampling, Particle size distribution, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

In this paper the authors describe snow in the general framework of the theory of filters. Aerosol particle size distribution at the South Pole were measured for air drawn through snow filters of various lengths and flow rates. The authors compare the results to those of previous experiments and to a theoretical model for wind pumping. Three filter-theory models for aerosol deposition are tested using the data, and a temporal deposition coefficient is determined. The filter-theory models, as applied to the typical densities, pore-space sizes, and grain sizes of snow, are examined in detail. (Auth. mod.)

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Chlorine deactivation in the lower stratospheric polar regions during late winter: results from UARS.

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In this paper the authors use data from the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS) to examine chlorine reservoir recovery in the lower stratospheric polar regions of both hemispheres. Microwave Limb Sounder (MLS) measurements of ClO within the polar vortices are correlated with simultaneous Cryogenic Limb Array Etalon Spectrometer (CLAES) observations of $ClONO_2$ and Halogen Occultation Experiment (HALOE) observations of HCl obtained shortly after the MLS and CLAES data. The authors analyze time series of vortex-averaged mixing ratios on two potential temperature surfaces (585 K and 465 K) in the lower stratosphere. Late-winter balance between the decay of reactive chlorine and the growth of chlorine reservoir species based on these data sets are presented, and the observational results with those from a chemical transport model are compared. (Auth. mod.)

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The authors have used a new isentropic-coordinate three-dimensional chemical transport model to investigate the decay of ClO and evolution of other species in the antarctic polar vortex during Sep. 1992. The model is initialized using the available data from the Microwave Limb Sounder and Cryogenic Limb Array Etalon Spectrometer on the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS). During the model initialization the chemical inconsistencies in the UARS data became evident. Sampling the observed species in the same way as the UARS instruments is important in removing any spurious trends due, for example, to changing solar zenith angle. While the model can reproduce the magnitude of the MLS ClO observations at 585 K, this is not possible at 465 K. The observations require that effectively all of the inorganic chlorine is in the form of ClO and $ClONO_2$ in the inner vortex at this altitude. The results indicate the potential importance of the speculative reaction between OH and ClO producing HCl for the recovery of HCl in the antarctic spring. The most significant discrepancy for O_3 is in the inner vortex at 465 K where the model underestimates the observed O_3 loss rate, especially when the effects of vertical motion are included. (Auth. mod.)

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51-123

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Employment of ERS-1 SAR interferometry in Antarctica. [Application de l'interférométrie du SAR d'ERS-1 dans l'Antarctique]
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Remote sensing, Imaging, Radar, Ice surveys, Ice surface, Mapping, Image processing, LANDSAT, Antarctica—Hemmen Ice Rise, Antarctica—Berkner Island
Synthetic aperture radar (SAR) interferometry is described as a promising technique for polar research. It is used for setting up three-dimensional topographic maps; to detect and observe small changes in topographic models caused by ice movement; to measure surface velocities and the motion of sea water; to determine the grounding lines of the ice cover, and to follow the evolution of surface geophysical parameters. Some possibilities of the technique are discussed, and examples are presented of interferograms worked out from ERS-1 SAR data obtained over Antarctica.

51-143
Enhanced-resolution ERS-1 scatterometer imaging of antarctic ice. [Imagerie des glaces de l'Antarctique au moyen du diffusiomètre d'ERS-1 à résolution améliorée]
Drinkwater, M.R., Long, D.G., Early, D.S., *Observation de la Terre. Bulletin trimestriel,* Mar. 1994, No.43, p.4-6, In French.
Ice surveys, Remote sensing, Radar, Spaceborne photography, Imaging, Mapping, Glaciology
The ERS-1 AMI scatterometer was designed to determine wind speed and direction over the ocean. A new method of image reconstruction allows one to produce enhanced-resolution images (about 14 km), day or night, of areas where there are no SAR data for lack of receiving stations or during periods when the antarctic stations are closed. These images can be used to map the sea-ice dynamics of austral oceans and of the snow and ice areas of the antarctic ice cover.

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Many research programs in Antarctica make systematic use of remote-sensing observations, in particular to monitor those processes relevant to global climatic-change studies. Due to the severe environmental and operating conditions in such an extended region, field surveys are extremely costly and difficult to carry out. It is suggested that remote-sensing techniques may provide the answer. Outstanding data at different spatial resolutions and wavelengths have so far been obtained over this area, and it is concluded that many more will be collected by future missions, especially in the microwave region of the spectrum. (Auth.)

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Electrothermodynamic model with distributed properties for effective permittivities of sea ice.
Nghiem, S.V., Kwok, R., Kong, J.A., Shin, R.T., Arcone, S.A., Gow, A.J., MP 3890, *Radio science,* Mar.-Apr. 1996, 31(2), p.297-311, 26 refs.
Sea ice, Ice physics, Thermodynamic properties, Electromagnetic properties, Wave propagation, Scattering, Ice microstructure, Ice models, Ice dielectrics, Solutions, Anisotropy, Mathematical models
This paper presents a model to calculate the temperature dependence of effective permittivities for sea ice, a heterogeneous medium containing multiphase scatterers. With the strong permittivity fluctuation approach, the model accounts for the electrodynamic scattering effect together with the quasi-static characteristics of multiple species and subspecies of inhomogeneities with distributed orientations, sizes, and shapes. Because of a preferential direction in the orientation distribution, the medium is effectively anisotropic. The size distribution is described with a probability density function in terms of normalized volumetric sizes. Scatterer shapes are nonuniform and have a general ellipsoidal form characterized by arbitrary axial ratios of correlation lengths which are related to physical geometries of the scatterers. In this formulation, sea ice consisting of solid ice, liquid brine, and gaseous inclusions is modeled to derive effective permittivities with thermodynamic phase redistribution and structural metamorphism. Theoretical results are in good agreement with experimental data at the C band frequency of 4.8 GHz for saline ice undergoing warming and cooling cycles. A competitive effect between the increase of liquid brine and the shape rounding of ellipsoidal scatterers at increasing temperatures explains the trend observed in measured data. Sensitivities of effective permittivities to structural and physical parameters characterizing sea ice are also studied.

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Stratospheric ozone depletion.

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Polar atmospheres, Climatic changes, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Degradation, Radiometry, Environmental impact

An important contribution to understanding the antarctic ozone hole has come from the total ozone observations made by the Total Ozone Mapping Spectrometer (TOMS) on board the polar orbiting Nimbus-7, launched in Nov. 1978. At this writing, TOMS has made over 4100 daily maps of the global total ozone distribution and the instrument is still in operation eleven years beyond its planned life-time. Not only has this instrument been valuable in understanding the antarctic ozone hole, but it has been used to map out nonpolar changes in the ozone layer as well. Large changes in the total column of ozone imply ozone loss in the lower stratosphere (10-30 km). At the time the ozone hole was discovered, stratospheric scientists were expecting anthropogenic ozone loss to take place first in the upper stratosphere (30-50 km) so the signal in total column ozone would be weak. Thus the spring depletion in antarctic ozone was a major surprise. This paper examines seasonal antarctic ozone depletion. (Auth. mod.)

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Climatic changes, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Optical properties, Photometry, Light scattering, Attenuation, Seasonal variations

Continuous monitoring of stratospheric aerosols globally requires remote measurements from satellites. NASA launched a series of such satellite instruments beginning in Oct. 1978. The first was the Stratospheric Aerosol Measurement II (SAM II) instrument aboard Nimbus-7. The second long-term instrument was the Stratospheric Aerosol and Gas Experiment I (SAGE I) launched aboard the Applications Explorer Mission 2 spacecraft (AEM 2) in Feb. 1979, followed by SAGE II launched aboard the Earth Radiation Budget Satellite (ERBS) in Oct. 1984. This paper will focus on the measurements from SAM II and SAGE I and II, with some supporting lidar data. Both polar atmospheres are included in the analysis. (Auth. mod.)

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Snow cover.

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Global sea ice coverage.

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Oceanography, Climatic changes, Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Sensor mapping, Seasonal variations

SAR data have much finer resolution than passive microwave data, so that they are less appropriate for routine global coverage but can be used for identifying individual ice floes and carrying out the types of detailed studies also possible with visible and near infra-red imagery, although with the major advantage of not being hindered by cloud or darkness. SAR instruments have flown on NASA's Seasat in 1978, on the European Remote Sensing Satellite (ERS-1), launched in 1991, and on the Japanese Earth Resources Satellite (JERS-1), launched in 1992. A SAR instrument is also planned for the Canadian Radarsat scheduled for launch in 1995. The Seasat SAR data have been used in several sea ice studies. This paper presents passive microwave data and the results obtained from them. Sea ice distribution in both polar regions is analyzed. (Auth. mod.)

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Ice sheets.

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Ice sheets, Sensor mapping, Glacier surveys, Glacier thickness, Glacier mass balance, Height finding, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Radio echo soundings, Glacier oscillation, Resolution, Climatic changes

A variety of remote-sensing techniques can be applied to ice-sheet investigations in both polar regions, using energy with wavelengths ranging from microns to meters. Here, attention is focussed on those techniques that can be applied from satellites, but mention is also made of airborne techniques that complement satellite sensors. These sensors will be reviewed under the broad classifications of imaging sensors and instruments for measuring ranges. (Auth. mod.)

51-161

Glaciers.

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Glacier surveys, Global change, Glacier mass balance, Glacier flow, Spaceborne photography, Resolution, Sensor mapping, Glacier oscillation, Classifications

51-162

Stability of the thermohaline circulation in analytical and numerical models. [Stabilität der thermohalinen Zirkulation in analytischen und numerischen Modellen]

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Ocean currents, Water chemistry, Salinity, Heat balance, Sea ice, Climatic changes, Models, North Atlantic Ocean

51-163

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Frozen ground mechanics, Ice mechanics, Ice deformation, Viscoelasticity, Crack propagation, Plastic deformation, Mathematical models, Rheology, Structural analysis

51-164

Tundra disturbance studies, III: Short-term effects of aeolian sand and dust, Yamal region, northwest Siberia.

Forbes, B.C., *Environmental conservation,* 1995, 22(4), p.335-344, 57 refs.

Ecosystems, Permafrost transformation, Tundra soils, Degradation, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Nutrient cycle, Eolian soils, Dust, Sedimentation, Environmental impact, Russia—Siberia

51-165

Use of the flow length concept to assess the efficiency of air entrainment with regards to frost durability: Part I—description of the test method.

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Concrete durability, Frost resistance, Mechanical tests, Concrete admixtures, Freeze thaw cycles, Air entrainment, Flow measurement, Bubbles, Porosity, Microstructure, Mathematical models

51-166

Use of the flow length concept to assess the efficiency of air entrainment with regards to frost durability: Part II—experimental results.

Pleau, R., Pigeon, M., Laurencot, J.L., Gagné, R., *Cement, concrete, and aggregrates,* June 1996, 18(1), p.30-41, 12 refs.

Concrete durability, Frost resistance, Mechanical tests, Freeze thaw tests, Concrete admixtures, Microstructure, Air entrainment, Porosity, Bubbles, Mass transfer, Flow measurement

51-167

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Wright, J.S., *Quaternary science reviews,* Sep.-Oct. 1995, 14(7-8), p.669-680, 29 refs.

Glacial geology, Glacial erosion, Abrasion, Subglacial observations, Loess, Quaternary deposits, Lithology, Sediment transport, Simulation, Mechanical tests, Grain size, Scanning electron microscopy

51-168

Variations in loess and palaeosol properties as indicators of palaeoclimatic gradients across the loess plateau of North China.

Derbyshire, E., Kemp, R., Meng, X.M., *Quaternary science reviews,* Sep.-Oct. 1995, 14(7-8), p.681-697, Refs. p.694-697.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Quaternary deposits, Loess, Sedimentation, Eolian soils, Soil analysis, Particle size distribution, Stratigraphy, Magnetic properties, Thin sections, Scanning electron microscopy, China

51-169

Loess stratigraphy of central Asia: palaeoclimatic and palaeoenvironmental aspects.

Dodonov, A.E., Baiguzina, L.L., *Quaternary science reviews,* Sep.-Oct. 1995, 14(7-8), p.707-720, 47 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Pleistocene, Climatic changes, Atmospheric circulation, Quaternary deposits, Loess, Eolian soils, Paleoecology, Palynology, Sediment transport, Stratigraphy, Isotope analysis, Correlation, Russia—Siberia

51-170

Pleistocene paleosols in the loess and loess-like sediments of the central part of the Russia plain.

IAkimenko, E.IA., *Quaternary science reviews,* Sep.-Oct. 1995, 14(7-8), p.747-753, 10 refs.

Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Loess, Eolian soils, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Geochemistry, Soil formation, Diagenesis, Microstructure, Sampling, Russia

51-171

Deflation and redeposition of sand dunes in Finnish Lapland.

Seppälä, M., *Quaternary science reviews,* Sep.-Oct. 1995, 14(7-8), p.799-809, 32 refs.

Paleoecology, Subarctic landscapes, Quaternary deposits, Forest lines, Paleoecology, Loess, Sands, Eolian soils, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, Landscape development, Finland—Lapland

51-172

Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow.

Wolff, E.W., ed, Bales, R.C., ed, North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I: Global environmental change, Vol.43, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, 675p., Refs. passim. Proceedings of the NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Processes of Chemical Exchange Between the Atmosphere and Polar Snow, Il Ciocco, Italy, Mar. 19-23, 1995. For selected papers see 51-173 through 51-206 or F-55820 through F-55822, F-55827, F-55829, F-55831, F-55832, F-55834, I-55823 through I-55826, I-55828, I-55830 and I-55833.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Firn stratification, Ice composition, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology

The NATO Advanced Research Workshop (ARW) was held at Il Ciocco, Tuscany, Mar. 19-23, 1995. The main goal of the workshop was to assess, improve, and summarize understanding of the processes that control the transfer of species between the atmosphere and the record that is finally seen in ice cores. The organization of this book follows the organization of the meeting. The first 3 papers discuss ice core records, what they have shown, and some of the problems that have been recognized. The next 5 papers describe what is known about the atmospheric transport and chemical composition of the arctic and antarctic atmosphere. Understanding of atmospheric transport is required in order to relate the source regions to the ice sheet, and therefore to elucidate the spatial representativeness of ice core data. These themes were extended by the next 2 papers, one describing the chemical reactions occurring in the polar troposphere, the other setting polar data in the context of global models of the atmosphere. The next section of the book covers mainly the recent field data. The theme of looking at individual processes con-

tinues in the remaining chapters of this volume. Beyond the invited papers, a day was devoted to workshop sessions, where the problems of different types of species were extensively discussed and summarized. The three working group reports are included, and can be considered a summary of the state-of-the-art for this topic in 1995; they include recommendations for what future work is required. A brief conclusion for the ice core community follows these reports.

51-173

Record of aerosol deposited species in ice cores, and problems of interpretation.

Wolff, E.W., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.1-17, Refs. p.14-17.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Aerosols, Air pollution, Snow composition, Ice composition, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology

This chapter aims to show the potential of ice cores to deliver information on paleoatmospheric chemistry. It gives a flavor of the data that exist, and explains some of the difficulties involved in interpreting the ice core profiles in terms of atmospheric changes. The chapter concentrates on the chemical species that are delivered to the snow as aerosol (that is, as solid or liquid particles).

51-174

Acidic gases (HCl, HF, HNO_3, HCOOH, and CH_3COOH): a review of ice core data and some preliminary discussions on their air-snow relationships.

Legrand, M., Léopold, A., Dominé, F., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.19-43, Refs. p.40-43.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Snow impurities, Ice composition, Ice cores, Gas inclusions, Paleoclimatology

This paper focusses on the records of mineral (HCl, HF, and HNO_3) and carboxylic (formic: HCOOH and acetic: CH_3COOH) acids from Greenland and antarctic firn and ice cores and their atmospheric significance. The authors review available ice records and examine to what extent reliable information can be extracted in terms of chemical composition of past atmospheres. The firn records span the time period from the pre-industrial era to the present and are useful in investigations of the impact of human activities on the natural budget of these acidic species. The changes in acidic species levels seen in deep ice cores are discussed, spanning the last climatic cycle. To what extent some of these changes can be attributed to changes in atmospheric concentrations, due to modification of source strength or/and transport following past climate fluctuations, is considered.

51-175

Record of gases and reactive species in ice cores, and problems of interpretation.

Neftel, A., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.45-69, Refs. p.67-69.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Ice sheets, Ice composition, Ice cores, Gas inclusions, Paleoclimatology, Greenland, Antarctica

Since the start of ice core drilling some 30 years ago, many different parameters have been measured and reported in the literature. Of great significance is the link to the corresponding atmospheric concentrations, which are related to the basic parameters of the Earth system. Ice, conserved well below the freezing point, contains 2 clearly distinguishable ways of carrying information of the past: composition of the gas enclosed in the bubbles, and trace species in the ice matrix. This paper focusses on the discussion of three "Earth system parameters": CO_2, H_2O_2 and HCHO. (Auth. mod.)

51-176

Atmospheric transport pathways for the Arctic.

Iversen, T., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.71-92, Refs. p.88-92.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology

51-177

Occurrence and trends of pollution in the arctic troposphere.

Barrie, L.A., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.93-129, Refs. p.123-129.

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Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution

51-178

One year's continuous aerosol sampling at Summit in central Greenland.

Wåhlin, P., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.131-143, 16 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Scavenging, Snow composition, Greenland

51-179

Central Antarctica: atmospheric chemical composition and atmospheric transport.

Bodhaine, B.A., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.145-172, Refs. p.167-172.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Scavenging, Snow composition, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

A vast literature analysis is presented of studies on atmospheric transport and chemical composition of the antarctic atmosphere. A map of Antarctica is included showing major geographic features and some of the scientific stations. Some of the research stations, including Amundsen-Scott, providing meteorological data over many years, are described.

51-180

Coastal Antarctica: atmospheric chemical composition and atmospheric transport.

Wagenbach, D., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.173-199, Refs. p.195-199.

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Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Scavenging, Snow composition, Antarctica

Snow fields of the coastal antarctic region are situated intermediately between the vast environmental regimes of the high antarctic plateau and that of the southern ocean. Since they are directly exposed to moist maritime air masses, a relatively high snow accumulation rate, associated with the deposition of mainly marine derived aerosol species, makes this region unique to recover high resolution ice core records that reveal the environmental and climatic history of the southern ocean. Several extensive ice core studies which have been, or are currently, performed in coastal antarctic regions are discussed.

51-181

Chemical reactions in the polar troposphere relevant to C, S, and N compounds.

Bottenheim, J.W., Barrie, L.A., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.201-224, Refs. p.222-224.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Ozone, Solar radiation, Photochemical reactions, Scavenging, Snow composition

51-182

Modeling framework for atmospheric trace gas measurements at the air-snow interface.

Thompson, A.M., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.225-248, Refs. p.246-248.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition

51-183

Overview of field data on the deposition of aerosol-associated species to the surface of polar glaciers, particularly recent work in Greenland.

Dibb, J.E., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.249-274, Refs. p.271-274.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Greenland

51-184

Deposition of particles and gases to ice sheets.

Davidson, C.I., Bergin, M.H., Kuhns, H.D., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.275-306, Refs. p.302-306.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Ice sheets, Ice composition, Ice cores, Mathematical models, Greenland, Antarctica

The deposition of particles and gases to ice sheets can occur by dry deposition, by wet deposition during formation and subsequent precipitation of snow, and by fog deposition. Each of these three mechanisms is discussed. The paper is essentially an update on descriptions of mechanisms presented in earlier reviews, with special attention given to recent advances in the understanding of deposition. The paper focuses on irreversibly depositing chemical species, beginning by presenting descriptions of the deposition mechanisms, with separate sections for dry, wet, and fog deposition. Experimental data illustrating these mechanisms for irreversible deposition are discussed. Finally, the authors summarize these findings and briefly discuss their implications for ice core research.

51-185

Overview of recent field experiments for the study of the air-snow transfer of H_2O and HCHO.

Fuhrer, K., Hutterli, M., McConnell, J.R., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.307-318, 27 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Greenland, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

The analysis of hydrogen peroxide and formaldehyde in ice cores offers the potential to reconstruct the oxidation capacity of the atmosphere in the past, since these species are closely linked to the odd H and the odd O budget of the atmosphere. The species are so-called reversibly deposited on the snow surface since they show a strong exchange with the gas phase after deposition and their ice concentra-

tions are dominated to a large extent by postdepositional changes in the firn. Therefore, the transfer from the atmosphere into the snow is an important step in the overall transfer function of these species. To get a better understanding of this step, several field experiments were carried out during the 1993 and 1994 summer seasons at Summit in Central Greenland, in the 1993-94 austral summer in Antarctica along the Swedish traverse (SWEDARP), and the Amundsen-Scott Station in Nov. and Dec. 1994. The authors give an overview of the data and point out possible contradictions and knowledge gaps. (Auth.)

51-186

Conceptual framework for interpretation of exchange processes.

Bales, R.C., Choi, J.Y., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.319-338, Refs. p.335-338.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Firn stratification, Ice sheets, Ice composition, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology, Mathematical models, Greenland, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

This paper addresses two central questions. First, what do we know about the processes governing the atmosphere-snow transfer for species that are "reversibly deposited" to snow? Reversibly deposited refers to species that have a significant presence in both the gas and condensed phases, and can undergo reversible exchange between snow or firn and the overlying atmosphere. Second, what more should we learn about the atmosphere-snow exchange process and subsequent changes in the snow/firn/ice in order to extract relevant climatic information about these species from ice-core records? This paper focuses on hydrogen peroxide (H_2O_2) as a model for the behavior of reversibly deposited species, though the conceptual model should also describe the behavior of formaldehyde (HCHO), nitric acid (HNO_3) and light organic acids (e.g. formic (HCOOH) and acetic (CH_3COOH)).

51-187

Processes at ice surfaces: physical uptake and reaction.

Ravishankara, A.R., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.339-352, 31 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ozone, Ice sheets, Ice surface, Ice air interface, Ice composition

51-188

Possible chemical transformations in snow and ice induced by solar (UV photons) and cosmic irradiation (muons).

Hoffmann, M.R., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.353-377, Refs. p.374-377.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Ice air interface, Snow composition, Ice composition, Solar radiation, Ultraviolet radiation

51-189

Metamorphism of polar firn: significance of microstructure in energy, mass and chemical species transfer.

Davis, R.E., Arons, E.M., Albert, M.R., MP 3891, Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.379-401, Refs. p.398-401.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Snow heat flux, Metamorphism (snow), Depth hoar, Firn stratification, Ice composition, Ice microstructure

Energy, mass transfer and grain recrystallization processes show the most dynamic variation in the upper few meters of polar firn. The understanding of processes in dry snow and polar firn shows that feedback mechanisms exist between microstructure changes and energy and mass transfer coefficients. Differences between the predominant processes in the short polar summer and the winter cause sharp textural discontinuities in the stratigraphic columns at many polar locations. This distinctive layering forms the basis of studies on accumulation rates, layer ages and other investigations pertinent to firn and ice core analysis. Processes forming the stratification of firn are not completely understood, nor are the associated loading patterns of chemical species. Past research on energy and mass transfer in near-surface polar firn is briefly surveyed. Current research focuses on processes controlled by the geometry of the ice and pore phases in the snow and firn. An overview is given of some of this work.

51-190

Effects of snow ventilation on chemical concentrations.

Waddington, E.D., Cunningham, J., Harder, S.L., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.403-451, Refs. p.446-450.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Snow permeability, Air flow, Firn stratification, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology, Mathematical models, Greenland, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

In this paper, the authors outline the current theoretical basis for calculating air flow in polar firn. They first review the role of snow ventilation in the capture of aerosols from Gjessing (1977) to the present. They then estimate the transport resistance for windpumping to assess whether windpumping is a rate-limiting factor in aerosol deposition, concluding that a realistic windpumping model of aerosol deposition is necessary to reconstruct paleoclimate conditions from ice core aerosol records. They show that ice core records for reversibly deposited species that have undergone post-depositional changes without achieving equilibrium with the atmosphere prior to deep burial will be difficult to interpret; ventilation is instrumental in helping reversibly deposited species reach equilibrium. Finally, they speculate on the relative importance of ventilation for the concentrations of irreversibly and reversibly deposited species in Greenland and Antarctica now and at the Last Glacial Maximum (LGM), and identify areas of windpumping theory that require further research.

51-191

Wind-blown snow: sublimation, transport and changes to polar snow.

Pomeroy, J.W., Jones, H.G., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.453-489, Refs. p.485-489.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Snow evaporation, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Blowing snow, Snowdrifts

Blowing snow is ubiquitous in polar regions and undergoes relatively rapid sublimation whilst in transit. The erosion, transport and deposition of blowing snow dramatically transforms the physical and chemical characteristics of polar snow. Processes active during snow transport are sublimation, thermophoresis, diffusiophoresis, electrophoresis and ventilation; these processes occur at much higher rates than for *in-situ* surface snow. Conditions suitable for photochemistry exist in blowing snow particles, though no strong empirical evidence exists for such reactions in snow. Annual accumulations of snow and ions on polar ice-sheets are a residual of the blowing snow phenomenon and therefore a result of the interaction of wind speed, temperature and snowfall regimes with surface topography and the meteorological history of the snowpack. Chemical transformations in blowing snow involve ion conservation, scavenging, volatilization, resuspension and consumption. Experimental evidence from Canada, Scotland and the Antarctic shows that for moderate blowing snow regimes the first three processes dominate whilst for severe regimes resuspension dominates. (Auth. mod.)

51-192

Turbulent exchange of momentum and scalars in the surface layer over antarctic snow and ice.

Bintanja, R., Van den Broeke, M.R., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.491-515, 31 refs.

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Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow evaporation, Snow surface, Blowing snow, Snowdrifts, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Turbulent exchange, Moisture transfer, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Vertical profiles of wind speed, temperature and humidity were used to estimate the roughness lengths for momentum (z_0), heat (z_H) and moisture (z_Q) over antarctic surfaces. The data were obtained on a blue ice field in Queen Maud Land. The roughness lengths are generally used to compute the fluxes of momentum, heat and moisture from standard meteorological observations using the flux-profile relationships. The value of z_0 is easily evaluated from the wind speed profile. The scalar roughness lengths are evaluated using a new method which circumvents the difficult measurement of the surface temperature. It is found that the vertical exchange processes are strongly influenced by the saltating snow particles close to the surface during snow-drift events. The scalar roughness lengths seem to be approximately equal to z_0 for a large range of roughness Reynolds numbers, despite the frequent occurrence of drifting snow. It is suggested that snow-drift processes are important for the turbulent transport of scalar quantities such as heat and water vapor, and presumably also for the transport of other atmospheric constituents. (Auth.)

51-193

Thermodynamics of the solute layer on the surface of ice.

Brimblecombe, P., Conklin, M.H., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.517-526, 15 refs.

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Atmospheric composition, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Ice composition, Ice surface, Water films, Vapor transfer

51-194

Gas diffusion in firn.

Schwander, J., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.527-540, 26 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Ice air interface, Ice composition, Ice density, Firn stratification, Ice cores, Vapor diffusion, Bubbles, Paleoclimatology

Different components and properties of the ice deposits on the earth store information on the climate and environment. One can mainly distinguish among three storage types: properties and isotopic composition of the ice itself; solid (and liquid) trace substances in the ice; and gaseous and volatile components. This article reviews some aspects of the transfer of gaseous components from the atmosphere to the ice, including porosity data published for Siple Station. The porosity of the firn decreases gradually from the surface to the depth of firn-ice transition where the pores are pinched off to form isolated air bubbles. Near the snow surface the porosity (defined as the void volume fraction) is about 0.6 to 0.7, corresponding to a density of about 350 kg/m^3. Under cold polar conditions there are only a few bubbles closed off at porosities above 0.15 (density 780 kg/m^3), which is reached about 10 m above the final close-off depth.

51-195

Location, movement and reactions of impurities in solid ice.

Wolff, E.W., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.541-560, Refs. p.558-560.

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Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Ice air interface, Ice composition, Impurities, Firn stratification, Ice cores, Vapor diffusion, Paleoclimatology, Greenland, Antarctica—Dolleman Island

The aim of drilling ice cores is to obtain paleoatmospheric information of wide significance. However, the concentrations of chemicals found in the ice are determined both by the atmospheric concentrations and by depositional and post-depositional processes. There is the possibility that chemical changes can occur, at least to more complex species, over the long timescales that are relevant for ice. Diffusion is bound to take place to some extent, affecting the apparent rate of temporal change inferred from ice core profiles. Discussion of all these factors requires an understanding of the way in which impurities are held in the ice. This paper discusses all these items, concentrating on processes in solid ice, and in firn below the top meter or two. Data from Dolleman I. are included.

51-196

Firn properties affecting gas exchange at Summit, Greenland: ventilation possibilities.

Albert, M.R., Arons, E.M., Davis, R.E., MP 3892, Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.561-565, 13 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow composition, Firn stratification, Snow permeability, Air flow, Vapor diffusion, Greenland

The processes by which chemical species in the atmosphere become incorporated in firn depend both upon the nature of the forcing from the atmosphere and upon the properties of the firn itself. These processes include both diffusion and advection (the transport of heat, vapor, and chemical species by air flow within the snow and firn). In this paper the authors present recent field measurements of firn properties relevant to the transport processes, and use simplified model calculations to investigate the possibility of advection at Summit. Advective processes include the result of wind-driven air flow through the snow and firn, also called ventilation or wind-pumping. If present in the firn, the air flow would advect heat, mass, and chemical species through the firn at rates far greater than diffusive processes permit. In a theoretical analysis, Colbeck concluded that surface topography would be the main driver of ventilation, and suggested that the majority of the flow may be within the surface features themselves. In another theoretical analysis, Clarke and Waddington showed that pressure disturbances due to wind turbulence over flat terrain attenuate with depth, depending on both the temporal and spatial frequency content of the pressure signal. Albert and McGilvary showed that the temperature profile resulting from ventilation is controlled by a balance between heat carried by the dry air flow and heat conduction due to boundary temperatures.

51-197

Interactions of gas phase HCl and HNO_3 with ice.

Dominé, F., Thibert, E., Chaix, L., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.567-571, 8 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Ice composition, Gas inclusions, Greenland

51-198

Climate and atmospheric tracers modelling with GCM, polar applications.

Genthon, C., Armengaud, A., Krinner, G., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.573-579, 6 refs.

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Ice sheets, Ice air interface, Ice composition, Global change, Computerized simulation

The global distribution of atmospheric constituents (whether major or minor species, gas or aerosol, or even energy and momentum) is determined by the distribution of the sources, sinks, and conversion within the atmosphere, and by transport and mixing by the atmospheric circulation. General circulation models (GCMs) simulate on a global scale the transport and mixing of air, heat, moisture and momentum. The development and results of two purely physical (no chemistry involved) tracers/climate models based on existing GCMs are briefly described here, with emphasis on the polar ice sheets, some aspects of the ice-atmosphere transfer function, and model shortcomings. A third model is currently being setup on the basis of a new GCM, the characteristics of which are also presented. Data from antarctic stations are included.

51-199

Atmospheric residence times influence on tracer concentrations in remote polar areas.

Hansson, M., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.581-585, 8 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice composition, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Greenland

51-200

Behaviour of organic chemicals in snow.

Mackay, D., Jia, C., Hoff, J., Gregor, D., Wania, F., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.587-593, 19 refs.

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Atmospheric composition, Scavenging, Snow air interface, Snow composition

51-201

Mass size distributions for atmospheric particulate elements at the Zeppelin background station in Ny Ålesund, Spitsbergen.

Maenhaut, W., Havránek, V., Ducastel, G., Hanssen, J.E., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.595-599, 15 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Particle size distribution, Norway—Spitsbergen

51-202

Air/snow transfer studies at the high-alpine site Jungfraujoch, Switzerland.

Schwikowski, M., Baltensperger, U., Gäggeler, H., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.601-605, 5 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Snow air interface, Snow crystal nuclei, Snowfall, Scavenging, Snow composition, Switzerland

51-203

On the spatial variability of impurity content and stable isotopic composition in recent Summit snow.

Steffensen, J.P., Clausen, H.B., Christensen, J.M., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.607-615, 8 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Snow impurities, Isotope analysis, Greenland

51-204

Fluorocarbon tracers of the age of air in alpine firn.

Sturges, W.T., Penkett, S.A., Barnola, J.M., Chappellaz, J.A., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.617-622, 13 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Firn stratification, Ice dating, Switzerland

51-205

Peroxide record from the DSS ice core, Law Dome, Antarctica: preliminary results.

Van Ommen, T.D., Morgan, V., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.623-627, 11 refs.

DLC QC879.6.C45 1996

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Ice sheets, Firn stratification, Ice cores, Ice dating, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—Law Dome

The Law Dome site, and in particular the Dome Summit South (DSS) ice core, offer distinct features which may well shed light on the difficult issue of the atmosphere/ice relationship. The DSS site is located 4.6 km SSW of the summit of Law Dome in Wilkes Land. The core was drilled over successive summers from 1988-89 to 1992-93 when drilling reached silty ice near the base of the ice sheet, 1200 m below surface (mbs) and provides a record which extends back in time beyond the last glacial maximum (LGM). The preservation of seasonal cycles in $\delta^{18}O$ and H_2O_2 in the DSS core permits accurate dating by layer counting through most of the Holocene period.

51-206

Where are we going? The ice core-paleoclimate inverse problem.

Waddington, E.D., Chemical exchange between the atmosphere and polar snow. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.43. Edited by E.W. Wolff and R.C. Bales, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.629-640, 13 refs.

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Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Ice air interface, Snow composition, Ice composition, Ice cores, Drill core analysis, Paleoclimatology, Mathematical models

51-207

Atmospheric ozone—an update.

Bojkov, R.D., *World Meteorological Organization. Bulletin,* Oct. 1990, 39(4), p.246-253.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric density, Climatology, Climatic changes, Stratosphere, Ozone, Aerosols, Air pollution, Long range forecasting, Remote sensing

This article addresses questions about global ozone changes, the antarctic ozone 'hole', the role of chlorofluorocarbons and future prospects for the stratospheric ozone layer. It is based on the two most recent international assessments published as WMO Ozone Reports Nos.18 and 20 (1990). (Auth. mod.)

51-208

New road built in Iceland using gabion technique: initial reviews look good.

Avolis, K., *Naval civil engineer,* 1988, 27(4), p.26.

Cold weather construction, Roads, Roadbeds, Soil stabilization, Earth fills, Latticed structures, Synthetic materials, Foundations, Iceland

51-209

Geodesic dome in Antarctica threatened by snow movement.

Thomas, J., *Naval civil engineer,* 1988, 28(1), p.13-14.

Buildings, Latticed structures, Stability, Deformation, Settlement (structural), Glacier flow, Ice creep, Ice solid interface, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Instability of a geodesic structure due to ice creep at McMurdo Station and related engineering operations are briefly described.

51-210

Studies of the marginal ice zone along the East Greenland coast.

Bourke, R.H., Paquette, R.G., *Naval research reviews,* 1987, 39(1), p.19-27, 11 refs.

Oceanography, Ice shelves, Sea ice distribution, Ice edge, Ocean currents, Ice water interface, Water transport, Water temperature, Hydrography, Greenland

51-211

NPS meteorology studies on the marginal ice zone.

Davidson, K.L., Guest, P.S., *Naval research reviews,* 1987, 39(1), p.28-35, 21 refs.

Oceanography, Marine atmospheres, Marine meteorology, Synoptic meteorology, Turbulent boundary layer, Sounding, Microclimatology, Air ice water interaction, Surface roughness, Ice edge, Wind factors, Greenland

51-212

Arctic lows.

Twitchell, P.F., *Naval research reviews,* 1987, 39(4), p.15-22, 17 refs.

Marine meteorology, Storms, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Turbulent boundary layer, Fronts (meteorology), Atmospheric disturbances, Air ice water interaction, Wind velocity, Simulation, Weather forecasting

51-213

Late Palaeozoic glaciation.

Dickins, J.M., *BMR journal of Australian geology & geophysics,* June 1984, 9(2), p.163-169, 77 refs.

Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Moraines, Glacial deposits, Sedimentation, Geochronology, Sampling, Ice age theory

51-214

Arctic science submarine project—the past, the present and the future.

Newton, G.B., DeLaca, T.E., Marine Technology Society Conference. Washington, D.C., Sep. 7-9, 1994. Proceedings. Challenges and opportunities in the marine environment, Marine Technology Society, 1994, p.134-140, 13 refs.

DLC GC2.M78

Oceanographic surveys, Ice surveys, Climatology, Research projects, Submarines, Nuclear power, Military research, Exploration, Arctic Ocean

51-215

Using forward-looking airborne radar in the International Ice Patrol mission.

Trivers, G.A., Murphy, D.L., Marine Technology Society Conference. Washington, D.C., Sep. 7-9, 1994. Proceedings. Challenges and opportunities in the marine environment, Marine Technology Society, 1994, p.479-483, 6 refs.

DLC GC2.M78

Sea ice distribution, Oceanography, Ice surveys, Icebergs, Ice detection, Radar tracking, Side looking radar, Ice reporting, Airborne radar, Performance, Arctic Ocean

51-216

Oceanographic research ships of the twenty-first century.

Rolland, D., Demas, T., Marine Technology Society Conference. Washington, D.C., Sep. 7-9, 1994. Proceedings. Challenges and opportunities in the marine environment, Marine Technology Society, 1994, p.556-562, 7 refs.

DLC GC2.M78

Oceanography, Exploration, Icebreakers, Design criteria, Research projects

The United States Navy is currently involved in several construction programs to provide new research ships for use by the Government and by universities. In the course of designing, constructing, and operating these ships, insight has been gained in the needs, methods, and problems of modern oceanographers. Lessons learned from these programs are applied every day and will be indispensable in developing research ships of the future. This paper explores the successes and failures of these new oceanographic ship designs with an eye toward designing oceanographic ships for polar operations in the twenty-first century. (Auth. mod.)

51-217

Investigation of the interaction between variations in atmospheric thermal tides and anomalous ozone concentration.

Gavrilov, A.A., Kaidalov, O.V., *Advances in space research,* June 1996, 17(11), p.(11)157-(11)160, 8 refs.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Ultraviolet radiation, Atmospheric composition, Diurnal variations, Mathematical models

This paper discusses the variations of atmospheric semidiurnal tidal parameters caused by global ozone anomalies of the antarctic ozone hole type, and establishes some regularities of their evolution. Analysis of preliminary data showed that the anomalous decrease of ozone in Oct. at high latitudes of the Southern Hemisphere results in a simultaneous abrupt drop of the semidiurnal tidal amplitude values at high latitudes of the lower thermosphere in the Northern Hemisphere. Inasmuch as such an abrupt decrease of amplitude values in the lower thermosphere in Oct. has been observed from experimental data since 1952, it is hypothesized that the antarctic ozone hole appeared at least not later than this time period. (Auth. mod.)

51-218

Mechanism of middle-scale ice movements due to convective flows. [Mekhanizm mezomasshtabnykh dvizhenii͡ i͡ da vsledstvie konvektivnykh͡ techenii]

Gol'dshteĭn, R.V., Osipenko, N.M., *Rossiiskaia Akademiia Nauk. Doklady Akademii Nauk,* Oct. 1995, 344(4), p.481-484, In Russian. 14 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice, Ice mechanics, Convection, Thermal properties, Flow rate, Ice models, Ice cover thickness

51-219

Our changing atmosphere.

Crutzen, P.J., ed, Gerard, J.C., ed, Zander, R., ed, Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, 534p., Refs. passim. For selected papers see 51-220 through 51-227 or I-55846 through I-55852 and J-55853.

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Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Infrared spectroscopy, Meteorological instruments, Aerosols, Paleoclimatology

The 28th Liège Astrophysical Colloquium was devoted to chemical composition and radiative changes which have affected the Earth's atmosphere on a time scale of decades and centuries. The choice of this topic reflected not only the interest for a field of growing scientific, economic and sociological importance but also the wish to focus attention on the various observational and modeling programs presently carried out at the Institut d'Astrophysique de Liège in connection with these questions. Two current key issues have focused the world's attention on this field: the ozone depletion observed in the antarctic region, and the global warming associated with the enhanced greenhouse heating of the surface. Consequently, a substantial fraction of the presentations were devoted to these themes.

51-220

Recent results from analysis of high resolution infrared balloon-borne ground-based and laboratory spectra.

Goldman, A., et al, Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.99-105, 7 refs.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Ozone, Infrared spectroscopy, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

A high resolution Michelson type interferometer system has been used to obtain infrared solar absorption spectra of the stratosphere during several recent balloon flights, as well as ground-based and laboratory spectra of molecules of stratospheric interest. The stratospheric spectra show numerous new spectral features of several important atmospheric trace gases such as O_3 (and isotopes), NO_2, HNO_3, $ClONO_2$, HNO_4, COF_2 and others in the 5-12 μm spectral region. Analysis of the new features shows that much of the available spectroscopic line parameters are inadequate, and new theoretical and laboratory studies are in progress, leading to more complete identification and quantification of stratospheric gases. Ground-based spectra in the 3-12 μm region, mostly at 0.02/cm resolution, have been obtained from several geographical locations such as Amundsen-Scott Station, New Zealand, Mauna Loa (Hawaii) and Colorado. These spectra and previous balloon-borne spectra at 0.02/cm resolution have provided quantification of several trace gases since 1980. (Auth.)

51-221

Stratospheric ozone and nitrogen dioxide monitoring at southern and northern polar latitudes.

Pommereau, J.P., Goutail, F., LeTexier, H., Jorgensen, T.S., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.141-147, 2 refs.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Meteorological instruments, Antarctica—Dumont d'Urville Station

Ground-based spectrometers for long-term stratospheric monitoring have been installed permanently at the polar circle in both the Arctic and the Antarctic. Ozone and nitrogen dioxide columns are measured twice a day, morning and evening, at 90° solar zenith angle, regardless of the cloud cover. A comparison to simultaneous ozone observations from orbit by the TOMS experiment (Total Ozone Mapping Spectrometer) on board the satellite Nimbus 7 shows very good agreement between the two measurements at a time scale of a few days, but a shift of up to 30% in winter, the ground-based columns being larger than the satellite ones. Nitrogen dioxide columns display a significant seasonal variation, minimum in winter and maximum in summer; the diurnal variations are highest in spring and fall. The evening ozone column is found to be systematically reduced compared to that of the morning, by up to 5 to 7%. This is believed to be direct evidence of the occurrence of ozone destruction. (Auth. mod.)

51-222

Global ozone evolution.

Stolarski, R.S., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.163-170, 13 refs.

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Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Global change

Global ozone evolution naturally divides itself into 3 problems; the Antarctic, the Arctic, and the rest of the globe. The antarctic springtime decrease since the mid 1970s is as much as 50% in the column amount and 90% in the local concentration, between 14 and 22 km altitude. The accepted primary cause is the increasing amount of chlorine in the stratosphere resulting from fluorocarbon release combined with the perturbing influence of polar stratospheric clouds in the Antarctic. A year-to-year variation occurs in the springtime decrease which appears to be associated with the quasi-biennial oscillation. Ozone in the Arctic behaves quite differently because of the greater activity of planetary wave disturbances and subsequent early breakdown of the polar vortex. Trend studies of total ozone at high northern latitudes have shown larger than expected negative changes and measurements have recently demonstrated perturbed chlorine chemistry in the north polar vortex. It is a reasonable speculation, but not proven, that the larger than expected north polar ozone decline is related to the existence of polar stratospheric clouds and perturbed chlorine chemistry. (Auth. mod.)

51-223

Possible influence of long-term SST-anomalies on the eddy ozone transport.

Jadin, E.A., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.195-203, 15 refs.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Ozone, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Ocean currents, Atmospheric composition, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Halley Station, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station, Antarctica—Showa Station

An analysis of the experimental data of ozone variability over Halley, Showa and Amundsen-Scott stations in Aug.-Nov. 1987 showed that the ozone decrease over the South Pole began in the end of Aug. during the antarctic polar night. It is suggested that the ozone increase in 1988 could be connected with quasi-biennial oscillations (QBO). The simple mechanism of the ozone and temperature QBO in high latitudes is discussed: this mechanism is based on the idea of the planetary wave reflection from zero wind line near the equator. Using the planetary wave model, the influence of sea-surface temperature (SST) variations on the eddy ozone coefficients is calculated. Results point qualitatively to the possible connection between supposed long-term changes in geographical positions of the world ocean's warm streams and observed interannual ozone anomalies in the atmosphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-224

Global change in aerosols and PSCs.

McCormick, M.P., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.219-235, 16 refs.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Aerosols, Spaceborne photography, Meteorological instruments, Stratosphere, Solar radiation, Clouds (meteorology), Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Global change, Data processing

A long-term record of global stratospheric aerosols and PSCs is evolving from the SAM II and SAGE series of satellite instruments. In addition, lidar data and balloon-borne *in situ* data taken at various locations complement these aerosol data sets. Aerosols produced by volcanic eruptions have dominated the stratospheric aerosol loading over the last decade, with the Apr. 1982 eruption of El Chichon in Mexico causing the largest perturbation in the Northern Hemisphere during this century. The stratospheric aerosol loading has been decreasing since, with the Nov. 1985 eruption of Ruiz interrupting this decay. Aerosol loading in 1989 has not yet returned to the 1979 levels. Polar stratospheric clouds occur in wintertime at temperatures <200K in both polar regions. These clouds are a necessary ingredient in the production of the antarctic ozone hole due to heterogeneous chemistry and appear to be in phase with the westerly phase of the QBO. (Auth.)

51-225

Astronomical forcing of the last glacial-interglacial cycle.

Berger, A., Fichefet, T., Gallée, H., Tricot, C., Marsiat, I., Van Ypersele, J.P., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.353-382, Refs. p.375-382.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Paleoclimatology, Models, Climatic changes, Air ice water interaction, Ice volume, Oceanography

A zonal-sectorially averaged seasonal model has been developed for simulating the transient response of the climate system to astronomical forcing. The atmosphere is represented by a zonally averaged quasigeostrophic model which includes accurate treatment of radiative transfer. The atmospheric model interacts with the other components of the climate system (ocean, sea ice and land surface covered or not by snow and ice) through vertical fluxes of momentum, heat and water vapor. The model explicitly incorporates surface energy balances and has snow and sea-ice mass budgets. The vertical profile of the upper-ocean temperature is computed by an interactive mixed-layer model which takes into account the meridional convergence of heat. (Auth. mod.)

51-226

Interactions between greenhouse gases and climate over the last climatic cycle, as deduced from the Vostok ice core record.

Raynaud, D., Jouzel, J., Barnola, J.M., Chappellaz, J., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.385-401, Refs. p.397-400.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Ice cores, Climatic changes, Atmospheric composition, Climatic factors, Air temperature, Paleoclimatology, Air pollution, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The 2 km-long ice core recovered at Vostok Station provides a unique record of different changes in atmospheric composition over the last climatic cycle (approximately the past 150,000 years). In particular the record includes changes in radiatively active gases (CO_2, CH_4). An effort is being made to evaluate the climatic contribution of the observed changes in these greenhouse gases. The role of climatically-induced changes in the biospheric and oceanic reservoirs as forcing these changes is discussed. (Auth.)

51-227

Carbonyl sulfide concentrations in the surface waters and above the Indian Ocean.

Mihalopoulos, N., Nguyen, B.C., Belviso, S., Liège International Astrophysical Colloquium, 28th, June 26-30, 1989. Proceedings. Our changing atmosphere, edited by P.J. Crutzen, J.C. Gerard, and R. Zander, Liège, Université de Liège, Institut d'Astrophysique, 1989, p.477-486, 13 refs.

DLC QC851.L44 1989

Oceanography, Sea water, Chemical analysis, Water pollution, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, —Indian Ocean

During two oceanographic cruises in Apr.-May 1986 and July 1987, the authors measured COS concentrations in surface seawater and in the marine atmospheric boundary layer in the Indian Ocean (East African coastal areas, Amsterdam I., the Somali upwelling area and open ocean). The results show that surface waters of the Indian Ocean are supersaturated with respect to the atmosphere. Taking into account the seasonal and geographical variations of the supersaturation factor, a global oceanic flux of 0.32 Tg COS is estimated. (Auth.)

51-228

Avalanche course manual.

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Snow cover stability, Avalanche forecasting, Avalanche formation, Avalanche tracks, Safety, Rescue operations, Manuals, Canada

51-229

Ice and flood.

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DLC TC530.D397 1995

River ice, Ice forecasting, Freezeup, Ice breakup, Ice jams, Ice cover effect, Ice water interface, River flow, Ice control, Flood control

51-230

Pollution of the arctic atmosphere.

Sturges, W.T., ed, Environmental management series, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, 334p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see 51-231 through 51-240.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Haze, Human factors, Environmental impact

51-231

Understanding the Arctic: research policies and responsibilities.

Roederer, J.G., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.1-11, 15 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Air pollution, Water pollution, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Research projects, International cooperation, Regional planning

51-232

Climatology and meteorology of arctic air pollution.

Raatz, W.E., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.13-42, 93 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Haze

51-233

Arctic air pollution as reflected in snowpits and ice cores.

Davidson, C.I., Jaffrezo, J.L., Mayewski, P.A., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.43-95, 110 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Scavenging, Snow composition, Snow impurities, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice composition, Greenland

51-234

Chemical tracers of the origins of arctic air pollution.

Pacyna, J.M., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.97-122, 62 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Haze, Aerosols, Human factors, Environmental impact

51-235

Physical properties and physical chemistry of arctic aerosols.

Shaw, G.E., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.123-154, 45 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric density, Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric composition, Air masses, Air pollution, Aerosols, Haze

51-236

Sulphur and nitrogen pollution in the arctic atmosphere.

Barrie, L.A., Bottenheim, J.W., Pollution of the arctic atmosphere. Edited by W.T. Sturges, London, Elsevier Science Publishers Ltd., 1991, p.155-183, 49 refs.

DLC TD883.7.A68P65 1991

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Photochemical reactions, Human factors, Environmental impact

51-237

Arctic ozone chemistry.

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Oceanography, Bottom sediment, Geochemistry, Ion diffusion, Organic nuclei, Ice shelves, Ice cover effect, Sedimentation, Sampling, Drill core analysis, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf

Sediments were studied in the southern Weddell Sea that had been both covered by the ice shelf prior to 1986 (ICS) and outside the ice shelf. The composition of particulate matter in these sediments shows that the sedimentation under the ice shelf is quantitatively similar to that outside the ice shelf, except that the former has a negligible content of easily degradable organic matter, indicating a very low biochemical activity. The ^{210}Pb profile from the ICS station gave a sedimentation rate of 0.02 cm/y. This accumulation rate, combined with a particulate carbon content of approximately 1%, yields an annual net accumulation of 1.7 g C/m^2. The profiles of nutrients in the interstitial water (under the ice shelf) indicate a very small flux to the overlaying water. Outside the ice shelf the flux is significantly higher, though still small. (Auth. mod.)

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Airports, Ice runways, Construction equipment, Antarctica—Casey Station

During the first half of 1989 the Antarctic Division initiated an airfield project that culminated in the construction of an ice-snow runway with ancillary facilities. The objective was to prove the feasibility of operating heavy wheeled transport aircraft (C-130) to and from an area near Casey Station. Due to a combination of factors, to be highlighted in this report, the runway was not completed and scheduled trial flights did not take place. The aim of this report is to give a broad outline of the project, highlight difficulties encountered and to comment on the feasibility of the concept. This report is not intended to provide specific snow/ice engineering and scientific data relating to runway pavement construction. Such information is provided in other reports.

51-247

Explanatory text of geological map of the northern Yamato Mountains, Antarctica. (2) Mt.Torimai.

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Geology, Mineralogy, Geochemistry, Lithology, Maps, Antarctica—Queen Fabiola Mountains

The text accompanies a map scaled at 1:25,000 of the Yamato Group (Queen Fabiola Mountains), featuring Mt. Torimai. The map is approximately 30" x 42" in size and is color-coded to show areas of moraine and various mineral deposits, rock forms, and geochemical features. The text provides a brief review of prior JARE explorations, describes the general geology of the region, and identifies various structural and the lithological components which predominate.

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51-252

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Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Rain, River flow, Stream flow, Runoff forecasting, Flood forecasting, Switzerland

51-253

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Geophysical surveys, Seismic surveys, Slope stability, Moraines, Glacial lakes, Lake bursts, Mudflows, Flood forecasting, Switzerland

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On the mesoscale interaction of lead ice and floes.

Hopkins, M.A., MP 3896, *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,315-18,326, 16 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Pack ice, Ice openings, Drift, Ice mechanics, Ice deformation, Plastic deformation, Pressure ridges, Stress concentration, Computerized simulation, Ice models, Mathematical models

This paper constructs a mesoscale (10-100 km) granular model of the central arctic ice pack. The mesoscale model is based on a dynamic particle simulation in which individual multiyear ice floes and surrounding parcels of first-year ice are explicitly modeled as discrete, convex polygons in a two-dimensional domain. The paper focuses on the results of numerical experiments performed with the mesoscale model. In the experiments the model ice pack is biaxially deformed at constant strain rates. The principal strain rates are varied to create deformation states ranging from pure shear to uniform compression. The results define the shape and magnitude of the

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Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice physics, Physical properties, Statistical analysis, Air ice water interaction, Climatic changes, Fractals, Ice deformation
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Atmosphere/sea ice interaction in global climate models: a review.
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Climatology, Global change, Sea ice distribution, Air ice water interaction, Heat transfer, Ice cover effect, Snow cover effect, Albedo, Climatic factors, Mathematical models, Ice models
This paper models the climatic system, and contains well formalized models of the oceans and sea ice. A further development of the models of the system atmosphere-ocean-ice can be related to the improvement of the parameterization of snow and sea ice cover. A way has been found to create so-called interactive models in the framework of which the models of the evolution of sea and continental ice are realized in great detail, for example, of three-dimensional models of sea ice and snow cover. (Auth. mod.)

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Physical controls on the development and characteristics of antarctic sea ice biological communities—a review and synthesis.
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Marine biology, Ecosystems, Pack ice, Frazil ice, Ice microstructure, Biomass, Algae, Seasonal variations, Snow cover effect
Ice structures found in antarctic sea ice and related morphological processes are summarized, including: frazil ice growth; the flooded snow layer; pressure ridge induced flooding; thermally driven brine drainage; and platelet-ice formation. The associated colonization, physiological adaptation and growth of sea ice biota within these structures, to the levels presently identifiable, also are reviewed. A strong interaction exists between the physical processes that form, evolve and deteriorate sea ice and the biological communities located within it. Variability of ice structure and associated biological communities over small spatial scales necessitated analysis of the biological component in combination with physical and chemical properties of the sea ice. The ice microstructure provides indications of the growth and evolution of the ice properties and initially defines how ice biota colonize the ice. The light, temperature, space and nutrient fields within which ice biota subsequently adapt and grow are the other key determinants of the biology. (Auth. mod.)

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Global atmosphere is changing rapidly; its composition is perturbed already by a human activity. Consequences of this are numerous and cannot be predicted with certainty. Polar atmospheres have some peculiarities associated with low (practically zero) direct anthropogenic influence and specific atmospheric conditions. In some cases ("ozone hole", "arctic haze") anthropogenic impacts on polar environment are comparable with (or greater than) those observed in more populated areas. Beyond the scope of this review are numerous effects of atmospheric changes. These are, e.g., perturbations in different biological links, biomes, climatic impacts etc. (Auth. mod.)

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Recent analysis of data obtained in Jan.-Feb. 1988 in the eastern part of the Weddell Gyre by the mesoscale survey of three USSR research vessels showed a complicated hydrographic structure that results from the intensive interaction between the waters of the Weddell Gyre and Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC). Three types of mesoscale features were found: warm-core eddies of circumpolar origin; warm-core eddies formed at the Weddell Front; and cold-core features from the Cold Regime of the Weddell Gyre. The inflow of the CDW into the gyre is facilitated by the sharp southward excursion of the ACC core at about 26°E due to the topographical constraint of the mid-ocean ridge. Intense warm-core eddies forming at the Antarctic Polar Front (APF) and drifting southward are visible in GEOSAT altimeter data as relatively high sea-level variability. This investigation was followed by using GEOSAT altimetry data and historical hydrographic data to estimate some characteristics of warm ACC rings in the sector 20-40°E. (Auth. mod.)

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Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Pack ice, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Gravity waves, Mathematical models
Presented here are areas which have benefitted from sustained attack on marginal ice zones (MIZs), made possible by the prophetism and generosity of various funding agencies: MIZ mesoscale oceanography, including meanders, eddies, ice edge jets and upwelling; large-scale hydrographic structure; wave-ice interaction, including both theoretical and experimental studies into how the waves affect the ice and how the ice affects the waves; meteorological research into modification of the atmospheric boundary layer by changes in surface topography and surface temperature; and sea ice physical properties and morphology, including growth mechanisms and distribution and internal ice stress in relation to modeling.

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Ice water interface, Water temperature, Freezing points, Density (mass/volume), Ice formation, Phase transformations, Convection, Heat transfer, Thermal diffusion, Mathematical models, Thermodynamic properties

51-278
Breakthrough loads of floating ice sheets.
Sodhi, D.S., MP 3898, *Journal of cold regions engineering.* Mar. 1995, 9(1), p.4-22, 28 refs.
Floating ice, Lake ice, River ice, Ice solid interface, Bearing strength, Dynamic loads, Shear strength, Cracking (fracturing), Ice deformation, Ice mechanics, Flexural strength, Penetration tests, Mathematical models
In this paper, a theoretical formulation is presented to derive an expression for floating ice sheet breakthrough load using plastic limit analysis. The velocity field in the vicinity of a distributed load is assumed, and the stresses induced in the columnar ice are assumed to be the biaxial strength, which depends on the strain rate derived from assumed velocity field. The breakthrough load is obtained by equating the rate of work done by the load to the rate of energy dissipation during compression of ice caused by radial and circumferential wedging of ice during deformation. The agreement between the the-

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51-279

Measurements of 220 GHz atmospheric opacity on Mt. Fuji with a radiometer/radome system.

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Radomes, Radiometry, Cold weather performance, Snow accumulation, Atmospheric density, Optical properties, Turbidity, Diurnal variations, Ice prevention, Snow melting, Covering, Synthetic materials, Electric heating, Design, Japan—Fuji, Mount

51-280

Seasonal changes of chlorophyll *a* and oceanographic conditions under fast ice off Zhongshan Station, East Antarctica in 1992.

He, J.F., Chen, B., Huang, F.P., *Antarctic research (Chinese edition),* June 1996, 8(2), p.23-34, In Chinese with English summary. Refs. p.33-34.

Oceanographic surveys, Chlorophylls, Ice cover effect, Marine biology, Plankton, Biomass, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station

Chlorophyll *a* concentrations under sea ice near Zhongshan Station, monitored from Apr. 12 to Dec. 30, 1992, were lower than 0.5 mg/m^3 during wintertime, and lowest (0.1 mg/m^3) from July to Sep. The concentrations began to rise during spring, and reached the maximum value of 21.40 mg/m^3 in mid-Dec. in surface water following the ice algal bloom, and then decreased quickly again. The ratios of nanoplankton (<20 μm) biomass to the total phytoplankton biomass were commonly higher than 50% in winter, but decreased following the increasing biomass in spring; the ratio in surface water was only 3.2% during the phytoplankton bloom. The nutrients were sufficient to support the growth of phytoplankton, but the concentrations decreased during spring. Comparison of phytoplankton of biomass in the water column and sea ice shows it to be less significant under the ice. Because the primary production is mostly distributed at the bottom of the ice and in the surface water, the role of ice-water interface in the ecosystem is considered to be very important. (Auth. mod.)

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Stations, Construction, Research projects, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, Antarctica—Anvers Island, Antarctica—Palmer Station

This report opens with a background of Palmer Station and its relationship to USARP operations in the Antarctic Peninsula. Detailed reviews of the required upgrades to the science support facilities and collateral improvements to the Station physical plant are then provided. The proposed LRDP for Palmer is then outlined including project scheduling and projected costs. The next sections outline construction equipment requirements and future staffing of the Station. The report closes with a summary including budgetary requirements. (Auth.)

51-282

Long-term records of growth and distribution of conifers: integration of paleoecology and physiological ecology.

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Glacial geology, Geochronology, Glacier ice, Frozen lakes, Climate, Antarctica—McMurdo Sound, Antarctica—Taylor Valley, Antarctica—Taylor Glacier, Antarctica—Koettlitz Glacier, Antarctica—Ferrar Glacier

At least four major Quaternary glaciations, each successively less extensive than the former, are recorded in the McMurdo Sound region. Deposits of the earliest recognized glacial advance occur high on ridges and flat areas. The deposits are 2,000 feet above the valley floor, are badly weathered, and have little or no morainal form. Ice of this glaciation filled all the valleys and must have filled McMurdo Sound to an elevation of 2,000 feet. Deposits of the next two succeeding glaciations are distributed around the sound as well-preserved, but considerably subdued, moraines of both outlet and alpine glaciers. During the earlier of these two glaciations, alpine glaciers reached the expanded Koettlitz and Ferrar outlet glaciers. Outlet glaciers filled the southern part of McMurdo Sound to an elevation of about 1,000 feet. During the latter of these two advances many alpine glaciers did not reach the outlet glaciers. (Auth.)

51-287

Theory of premelting dynamics for all power law forces.

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51-288

Microphysical processes associated with intense frontal rainbands and the effect of evaporation and melting on frontal dynamics.

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Comments on "The temperature of evaporating sea spray droplets".

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Marine atmospheres, Cloud physics, Cloud droplets, Turbulent boundary layer, Sea spray, Evaporation, Water temperature, Temperature variations, Forecasting, Statistical analysis, Computerized simulation, Analysis (mathematics)

The time evolution of a single sea spray droplet can be conveniently understood in terms of the time for the droplet temperature to change from the sea surface temperature to its evaporation temperature T_{ev}. Andreas (1995, henceforth A95) derives and presents a set of reasonable approximations to T_{ev}, which are useful for part of the relevant parameter space. Here are presented two alternative approximations, derived in a mathematically somewhat more formal manner, which are more accurate than those of A95, are valid over a much wider range of the parameter space, and are computationally of similar efficiency.

51-290

Influence of crystal shapes on radiative fluxes in visible wavelength: ice crystals randomly oriented in space.

Chervet, P., Isaka, H., Nakajima, T., *Annales geophysicae,* Aug. 1996, 14(8), p.837-844, 35 refs.

Climatology, Cloud physics, Optical properties, Radiation balance, Attenuation, Ice crystal optics, Ice crystal structure, Orientation, Light scattering, Water content, Simulation

51-291

Remnant of water-rock interaction on the lunar surface.

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Satellites (natural), Water supply, Extraterrestrial ice, Regolith, Sediments, Geochemistry, Isotope analysis, Sampling

Lunar meteorites recovered in Antarctica are recognized to have been derived from the lunar highlands and these meteorites show several characteristic features in their chemical (major element compositions and trace element abundance, rare earth elements) and isotopic systems (^{87}Rb-^{87}Sr systematics). These features imply the existence of H_2O (maybe as ice) on the surface of the ancient (before 4.0 bya) moon. This study examines such meteorite samples. (Auth. mod.)

51-292

Russian radioactive waste dump in the Arctic.

Marine pollution bulletin, Apr. 1996, 32(4), p.325-326.

Oceanography, Estuaries, Water pollution, Radioactive wastes, Waste disposal, Environmental impact, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-293

Late Tertiary to late Quaternary record in the Mackenzie Mountains, Northwest Territories, Canada: stratigraphy, paleosols, paleomagnetism, and chlorine-36.

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Plant physiology, Plant tissues, Frost resistance, Cold tolerance, Peat, Mosses, Growth, Temperature effects, Cold weather tests

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51-299
Effect of initial dry and wet conditions of concrete on freezing and thawing resistance and mathematical analysis of deterioration.
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Organic compounds in antarctic sea-water and pack-ice.
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Sea water, Water chemistry, Water pollution, Ice water interface, Ice formation, Pack ice, Ice cores, Ice composition, Impurities, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay, Antarctica—Wood Bay, Antarctica—Ross Sea
Pack-ice and sea-water samples collected at different depths from Terra Nova Bay and Ross Sea during the 1990-91 Italian Antarctic Expedition were analyzed using HRGC and GC-MS. Several classes of biogenic and anthropogenic organic compounds were identified and measured in both matrices. The results showed the changes in the organic composition at varying depths of pack-ice and sea-water and the enrichment of organic compounds in the pack. (Auth.)

51-301
Spring thaw at the Minnesota Road Research Project testing facility.
Kestler, M.A., Berg, R.L., Schrader, C., Johnson, G., MP 3900, Hanover, NH, U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory, 1995, 15p., 12 refs. To be presented at the 4th International Symposium on Unbound Aggregates in Roads (UNBAR4), Nottingham, England, July 17-19, 1995.
Pavements, Subgrade soils, Soil trafficability, Frost penetration, Thaw depth, Thaw weakening, Bearing strength, Impact tests, Road maintenance, United States—Minnesota
The Minnesota Road Research Project (Mn/ROAD), approximately 64 km (40 mi) northwest of Minneapolis, MN, comprises forty 150-m (500-ft) long pavement test cells. The cells were designed for several different service lives, and are composed of a variety of thicknesses and materials. An intensive monitoring program was undertaken in Mar. and Apr. 1994 to assess variations in pavement strength through spring thaw. Observations were conducted on 14 test cells by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) and Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT). For six weeks, soil moisture, frost depths and thaw depths were measured and Heavy Weight Deflectometer (HWD) tests were conducted. A multivariate analysis was conducted on these data for a test cell comprising 146 mm (5.75 in.) of asphalt concrete and 838 mm (33 in.) of aggregate base course. From the analysis, correlations between various parameters were determined and simple indices for estimating layer moduli from HWD data were developed.

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Geologic structures, Geologic processes, Seismic surveys, Russia—Ural Mountains, Russia—Magnetogorsk, Russia—Kartaly

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Geologic structures, Geologic processes, Earth crust, Seismic surveys, Russia—Ural Mountains, Russia—Magnetogorsk, Russia—Kartaly

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Geologic structures, Geologic processes, Seismic surveys, Earth crust, Seismic reflection, Russia—Ural Mountains, Russia—Magnetogorsk, Russia—Kartaly

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51-315
Mini-surge on the Ryder Glacier, Greenland, observed by satellite radar interferometry.
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1996 antarctic ozone hole.
Hofmann, D.J., *Nature,* Sep. 12, 1996, 383(6596), p.129, 8 refs.
Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
This brief report provides an update on the status of stratospheric ozone loss over Antarctica. Measurements of Dobson Units over the South Pole region are cited and compared with those of prior years. The earlier effects of the QBO-related temperature changes and the Pinatubo aerosol appear to have ceased. The rate of ozone destruction over the South Pole is trending to be high in 1996.

51-317

Recent changes in tropical freezing heights and the role of sea surface temperature.

Diaz, H.F., Graham, N.E., *Nature,* Sep. 12, 1996, 383(6596), p.152-155, 25 refs.

Air temperature, Humidity, Mountain glaciers, Glacier melting, Water temperature, Sea water, Surface temperature

51-318

Atmospheric gas concentrations over the past century measured in air from firn at the South Pole.

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Atmospheric composition, Gases, Carbon dioxide, Oxygen, Ice cores, Firn, Snow composition, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

The extraction and analysis of air from the snowpack (firn) at the South Pole provides atmospheric concentration histories of biogenic greenhouse gases since the beginning of the present century which confirm and expand on those derived from studies of air trapped in ice cores. Furthermore, calculations based on the inferred atmospheric concentrations of oxygen and carbon dioxide indicate that—in contrast to the past few years—the terrestrial biosphere was neither a source nor sink of CO_2 between ca. 1977 and 1985. (Auth.)

51-319

Ross Island area wind field.

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Weather forecasting, Wind (meteorology), Meteorological instruments, Weather stations, Synoptic meteorology, Antarctica—Ross Island, Antarctica—McMurdo Station, Antarctica—Minna Bluff

Presented here is information on the wind field in the Ross I. area and suggestions for deployment of additional automatic weather stations during the 1990-1991 field season. The purpose is to improve the forecasting and understanding of the weather conditions for aircraft operating from the area of the Ross Ice Shelf near McMurdo. Two or more years of experience with the present and additional AWS units will be needed before any significant improvement should be expected in forecasting weather conditions. In view of the future requirements for aircraft operations the AWS units should be in place as soon as possible. Then a significant effort should be directed towards the improvement of short-term weather forecasts. This will require synoptic workshops each year on the results of the previous season's weather forecasts for aircraft operations.

51-320

Compression of ice to 210 gigapascals: infrared evidence for a symmetric hydrogen-bonded phase.

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High pressure ice, Deuterium oxide ice, Hydrogen bonds, Infrared spectroscopy

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51-322

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51-323

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51-324

Prognostic cloud water parameterization for global climate models.

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Climatology, Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Atmospheric density, Optical properties, Radiation balance, Light scattering, Water content, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice crystal optics, Long range forecasting, Mathematical models

51-325

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Air ice water interaction, Heat balance, Surface energy, Ice cover thickness, Ice volume, Ice cover effect, Snowmelt, Albedo, Seasonal variations, Mathematical models, Thermodynamics, Simulation, Long range forecasting

51-326

Snow cover and snow mass intercomparisons of general circulation models and remotely sensed datasets.

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51-327

Recent decrease of sea level pressure in the central Arctic.

Walsh, J.E., Chapman, W.L., Shy, T.L., *Journal of climate,* Feb. 1996, 9(2), p.480-486, 25 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Sea ice distribution, Drift, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric pressure, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis

51-328

Risk of sea level rise.

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Climatology, Global warming, Surface temperature, Glacier melting, Snowmelt, Ice melting, Sea level, Simulation, Models, Statistical analysis

This paper estimates the probability distribution of future sea level rise implied by the subjective assessments of 20 climate and glacial process modelers regarding particular processes on which they have developed some expertise. Effects on the polar ice sheets are included. The results from combining all the models and reviewer assumptions are summarized and a procedure for projecting sea level at particular locations is presented. (Auth. mod.)

51-329

Critical cooling and warming rates to avoid ice crystallization in small pieces of mammalian organs permeated with cryoprotective agents.

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Weather observations, Clouds (meteorology), Optical phenomena, Ice crystals, Ice formation

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Wetlands, Peat, Ecosystems, Water table, Subarctic landscapes, Geochemical cycles, Soil air interface, Natural gas, Vapor diffusion, Sampling, Temperature effects, Greenhouse effect, Statistical analysis

51-334

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51-335

Nordic Seas-Arctic Ocean carbon budget from volume flows and inorganic carbon data.

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Oceanography, Geochemical cycles, Air water interactions, Carbon dioxide, Ocean currents, Advection, Mass transfer, Turbulent diffusion, Water chemistry, Statistical analysis, Arctic Ocean

51-336

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Climatology, Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Remote sensing, Lidar, Radiometry, Radar echoes, Ice detection, Ice crystal optics, Backscattering, Spectra, Profiles, Correlation

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51-343
Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years.
Jones, P.D., ed, Bradley, R.S., ed, Jouzel, J., ed, North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I: Global environmental change, Vol.41, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, 649p., Refs. passim. Proceedings of a NATO Advanced Research Workshop held at Il Ciocco, Lucca, Italy, Oct. 3-7, 1994. For selected papers see 51-344 through 51-363 or F-55916 through F-55918, I-55915, I-55919 and I-55920.
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Paleoclimatology, Global change, Atmospheric circulation, Paleobotany, Plant ecology, Phenology, Ice cores, Ice composition, Ice dating
Based on high-resolution proxy records available for the past 2000 years, which is the period of most relevance to the next century and the study of the magnitude of natural climatic variability, this volume, a collection of papers presented at the Workshop, consists of 7 sections. Five sections consider, respectively, Dendroclimatology, Ice cores, Corals, Historical evidence, and Varved sediments. The final 2 sections consider the histories of various forcing factors, and attempts to bring records together from a variety of sources and provide explanations. The book ends with some conclusions and recommendations by the editors.

51-344
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Plant ecology, Paleobotany, Phenology, Growth, Age determination, Paleoclimatology, Global warming, Statistical analysis

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Climate reconstruction from water isotopes: what do we learn from isotopic models?
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Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Snow air interface, Snow composition, Ice composition, Ice cores, Isotope analysis, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Computerized simulation
The documented distributions of HDO and $H_2{}^{18}O$ in modern precipitation show clear relationships between these concentrations and certain climatic variables. Of particular interest is the linear relationship, in middle and high latitudes, between mean annual isotope concentration and mean annual temperature at the precipitation site. Paleoclimatogists have used this relationship to infer paleotemperatures from isotope paleodata, which can be extracted, for example, for polar ice and high altitude tropical glaciers. Antarctic and Greenland data are shown in graphs. (Auth.)

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Climate changes in the Atlantic sector of Antarctica over the past 500 years from ice-core and other evidence.
Peel, D.A., Mulvaney, R., Pasteur, E.C., Chenery, C., Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.41. Edited by P.D. Jones, R.S. Bradley, and J. Jouzel, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.243-262, Refs. p.260-262.
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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Glacier oscillation, Ice cores, Ice composition, Isotope analysis, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
Evidence from ice cores, borehole temperatures, early expeditions and glacier margins is used to identify the major climate trends of the past 500 years in the Antarctic Peninsula region. Apparent conflicts among the different data sources are exposed and causes discussed. Ice-core records from areas influenced by the Weddell Sea appear to be strongly sensitive to ice-edge effects, which can be detected in the profiles of deuterium excess and methane sulphonic acid. The various data now appear to be consistent with a scenario where conditions during the mid-19th century to 1940s period was fairly cool until the onset of the recent extensive warming in the post-1940s period. The coldest period of the past 300 years appears to have occurred around 1760-1780, associated with strong disturbances in the atmospheric circulation in the Weddell Sea region. This may be contemporaneous with a rather stronger cold anomaly previously observed at Law Dome and suggested for ice cores recovered elsewhere in East Antarctica. (Auth.)

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Holocene climate changes recorded in an East Antarctica ice core.
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Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice composition, Ice dating, Firn stratification, Isotope analysis, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—East Antarctica
Records from the Antarctic Peninsula indicate a strong 20th century warming in which the high plateau of East Antarctica has not participated. Similarly, a recent Neoglacial cooling was prominent in East Antarctica, but absent in the Peninsula region. A new history of oxygen isotopic ratios ($\delta^{18}O$) and atmospheric dust concentrations from central East Antarctica suggest that the high inland plateau has been

dominated by a cooling trend for the last 4000 years. Superimposed upon this isotopically-inferred cooling were a number of warmer events, the largest and most persistent of which occurred ≈3600 yr. BP and lasted several centuries. The most prominent event was a prolonged cold phase around 2200 yr BP which is correlative with a mid-Neoglacial advance on South Georgia. Most intriguing are several shorter-term (multi-centennial scale) $\delta^{18}O$ oscillations which are similar in magnitude to the glacial-interglacial transition in antarctic ice cores. Although it is impossible to discount the effect of wind scouring and re-deposition in this low snow accumulation region, this 4000-year history raises important questions about the climate history on the high inland plateau during the last half of the Holocene. (Auth. mod.)

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Climatic changes for the last 2000 years inferred from ice-core evidence in tropical ice cores.

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Mountain glaciers, Ice cores, Ice composition, Firn stratification, Ice dating, Isotope analysis, Global change, Paleoclimatology, China—Qinghai-Xizang Plateau, Peru

51-356

Inter-comparison of ice core $\delta(^{18}O)$ and precipitation records from sites in Canada and Greenland over the last 3500 years and over the last few centuries using EOF techniques.

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Reconstructions of past climate from historical sources in the Czech Lands.

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Climatic changes, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Air temperature, Precipitation (meteorology), Meteorological data, History, Statistical analysis, Czech Republic

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Varved sediment records of recent seasonal to millennial-scale environmental variability.

Overpeck, J.T., Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.41. Edited by P.D. Jones, R.S. Bradley, and J. Jouzel, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.479-498, Refs. p.493-498.
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Lacustrine deposits, Marine deposits, Bottom sediment, Paleobotany, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Palynology, Paleoclimatology, Global warming, United States, Canada

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Volcanic record in ice cores for the past 2000 years.

Robock, A., Free, M.P., Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.41. Edited by P.D. Jones, R.S. Bradley, and J. Jouzel, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.533-546, 23 refs.
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Ice cores, Ice composition, Ice dating, Volcanic ash, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Statistical analysis

Although it has been possible to construct a new index of global volcanism using ice core acidity and sulphate records for the period from 1850 to the present, for the 2000 year period there are fewer ice cores available, and dating problems become more serious, especially for antarctic cores. The authors have compared all the ice cores available for the past 2000 years with the Dust Veil Index (DVI) and the Volcanic Explosivity Index (VEI) for this period. An Ice core-Volcanic Index constructed for the period 453 A.D. to the present shows little agreement with the DVI or VEI. Except for a very few eruptions, the ice core record currently available is insufficient to delineate the climatic forcing by explosive volcanic eruptions before ca. 1200 for the Northern Hemisphere and before ca. 1850 for the Southern Hemisphere. Additional ice cores, however, combined with geological and biological information, should allow this to be done in the future. (Auth.)

51-360

Changes in trace gas concentrations during the last 2,000 years and more generally the Holocene.

Raynaud, D., Barnola, J.M., Chappellaz, J., Martinerie, P., Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.41. Edited by P.D. Jones, R.S. Bradley, and J. Jouzel, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.547-561, 25 refs.
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Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Ice air interface, Ice cores, Ice composition, Gas inclusions, Global warming, Paleoclimatology

One possible forcing factor of the climate variability observed over the last 2,000 years is changing radiatively active trace gas concentrations in the atmosphere. Direct measurements of atmospheric trace gas concentrations over the last few decades indicate increasing global trends for CO_2, CH_4, N_2O and various halocarbons (CFCs), due to anthropogenic activities. Knowledge of the evolution of atmospheric trace gases for older periods arises mainly from the analysis of the air trapped in polar ice. The documentation of the 2,000 yr record is uneven. A large effort concerns the CO_2 and CH_4 records over the last millennium, which indicate fluctuations of about 10 ppmv for CO_2 and 70 ppbv for CH_4. The CO_2 and CH_4 records extended to the Holocene period show significant variations (up to about 40 ppmv for CO_2 and 150 ppbv for CH_4). Estimates of the climatic impact of such CO_2 and CH_4 fluctuations are given. Data concerning other less documented greenhouse trace gases, like N_2O or tropospheric ozone (over about the last 100 years), are also reviewed. (Auth. mod.)

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Temperature changes on long time and large spatial scales: inferences from instrumental and proxy records.

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Are there optimum sites for global paleotemperature reconstruction.

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Atmospheric circulation, Air water interactions, Ice cores, Forest lines, Meteorological data, Paleoclimatology, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis

51-363

What can the instrumental record tell us about longer timescale paleoclimatic reconstructions?

Jones, P.D., Briffa, K.R., Climatic variations and forcing mechanisms of the last 2000 years. North Atlantic Treaty Organization. Advanced Science Institutes. NATO ASI Series I, Vol.41. Edited by P.D. Jones, R.S. Bradley, and J. Jouzel, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1996, p.625-644, 20 refs.
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Atmospheric circulation, Meteorological data, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology, Global change, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis

Paleoclimatic data provide the only real estimates of past climatic variability on a decadal-to-century timescale for the last few millenia. Here the authors consider, through analyses of the instrumental data, how many evenly-spaced reconstructions would be required to estimate continental and hemispheric-scale average temperatures. The number required depends on the timescale of interest, with fewer required the longer the timescale. The ability of paleoclimatic reconstructions to record faithfully the course of climate variability similarly on all timescales is briefly considered. Data from both polar regions are cited. (Auth.)

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Cold regions environmental modeling for Distributed Interactive Simulation.

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Military operation, Cold weather operation, Military research, Snow cover effect, Infrared reconnaissance, Radar tracking, Terrain identification, Environment simulation, Computerized simulation, Data processing

A demonstration has been developed to show high fidelity Environmental Effects (EE) and their dynamics related to seeker performance and surveillance. Spatially distributed model results from a 72 hour period over snow cover and thaw conditions were animated. This model component was driven by meteorological measurements, which were used to calculate surface energy and mass budgets, material maps and Digital Terrain Elevation Data (DTED). Infrared (IR) and Millimeter Wave (MMW) signatures were predicted from output of the energy and mass transfer model, and were used to generate scenes from a similar perspective. These scenes were also animated. The IR and MMW scene animations demonstrate large temporal and spatial variations over relatively short time intervals and spatial scales on the order of meters. While the IR component of EE simulations is currently physically based, the MMW component relies on an expert system consisting of a hybrid physical-empirical model. Physically-based MMW modules are currently under development. Because of constraints on computing outlay required for these predictions in real time, the authors propose conceptual methods to pass Protocol Data Units (PDUs) describing EE to Distributed Interactive Simulations (DIS). This concept is based on the client-server model, where PDUs are drawn by an expert system from precalculated data, based on attributes passed in from other DIS servers.

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Winter in Distributed Interactive Simulation.

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Military operation, Cold weather operation, Military research, Environment simulation, Computerized simulation

This paper reports on a study that was conducted to define winter requirements for Distributed Interactive Simulation (DIS). The objective was accomplished by enumerating a set of environmental features and embedded processes that uniquely define winter conditions; identifying factors that affect the performance of simulated battlefield functions; and by describing how winter conditions influence those factors. The study used TRADOC Pamphlet 11-9, *Blueprint of the Battlefield,* as its starting point to identify battlefield functions that are performed in the tactical level of war, are likely to be simulated in DIS, and are directly subject to winter conditions. It then associated these functions with battlefield tasks which are critical to their performance, and identified factors that affect those tasks. It then described how the environmental features and embedded process which are unique to the winter environment influence these factors. The results are intended to provide guidance to workshop attendees who are considering architectural enhancements to the DIS standard, and to developers, who are implementing dynamic environmental effects in DIS applications.

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Are paleoclimate estimates biased by foliar physiognomic responses to increased atmospheric CO_2?

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Ice runways, Thermal insulation, Cellular plastics, Protective coatings

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Whiteout, Snow optics, Visibility, Physiological effects, Safety

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Neogene East Antarctic ice sheet: a dynamic or stable feature?

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Ice sheets, Ice melting, Ice volume, Glacier oscillation, Glacial deposits, Marine geology, Glacial geology, Paleoclimatology, Global warming, Antarctica—East Antarctica

This paper is a review of the history and behavior of the East Antarctic ice sheet during the late Neogene. The antarctic ice sheet is a critical factor in the global climate and oceanographic system. Knowledge of its historical development is critical to understanding global palaeoceanographic and palaeoclimatic systems and their development. The 'Webb-Harwood hypothesis' proposes that the ice sheet, while being present in Antarctica for more than 40 Ma was until recently (ca. 2.5 Ma) a dynamic feature, waxing and waning under a more temperate climatic and glaciologic regime. The 'stabilistic hypothesis' proposes that the current ice sheet has existed in its present cold and polar form for at least the last 14 Ma. Several issues are highlighted here as important for direction of future research and discussion concerning Late Cenozoic antarctic glacio-climatic history. (Auth. mod.)

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***Aurora Australis* construction gets under way.**

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Ships, Research projects, Sea ice, Meetings

The report gives some of the details that led to the construction of this Australian antarctic research vessel. It includes a joining of ideas from all branches of the Antarctic Division, proposals from over 100 world-wide agencies, contract negotiations in 1987, the completion of design details by a Finnish ship builder, and the selection of an Australian shipyard to construct the vessel with the technical assistance from the design company. Science and resupply are the basic uses for the vessel and equipment and instruments to meet these needs are provided; a high ice classification is an obvious necessity; details of specific scientific instrumentation are provided. Brief news reports are included: an outline of the Australian antarctic science program; voyage 1 in *Icebird* in which the dominant theme was the use of aircraft in Antarctica; the Force-12 storm that destroyed four helicopters aboard *Icebird*; brief accounts of the Proceedings of the XXth SCAR in Hobart and the 8th Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting in Paris.

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Additional comments on the warming trend at Little America, Antarctica.

Wexler, H., *Weather,* Feb. 1961, 16(2), p.56-58, 3 refs.

Air temperature, Climatic changes, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Little America Station

It is the purpose of this note to include the additional year of 1958 in the trend study, to correct some of the previous data and to derive a trend based on smaller, but more comparable periods in each of the years. With regard to the latter point, difficulties arose when observations were taken aboard ships moored off-shore (Feb. and Mar. 1911, Jan. and Feb. 1929) and during Feb. 1934, when the first nine days were missing. These incomplete years can be studied by using nearly comparable 10-month periods omitting Feb. and Mar. of each year, to compute a second trend and by using strictly comparable 9-month periods, Apr. to Dec., to compute a third trend.

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Sea water, Salinity, Tides, Ocean currents, Water temperature, Hydrography, Barents Sea

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Antarctic map from the Geosat Radar Altimeter Geodetic Mission.

Mantripp, D.R., Ridley, J.K., Rapley, C.G., *Earth observation quarterly,* May-June 1992, Nos.37-38, p.6-10, 20 refs.

Glaciology, Mapping, Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Topographic surveys, Radar, Antarctica—Adélie Coast, Antarctica—Wilkins Ice Shelf

A unique view of Antarctica derived from the US Navy's Geosat Radar Altimeter Geodetic Mission is presented. Height measurements gathered during 1985-86 have been used to produce a shadow image for the area of the continent north of 72°S (Geosat's latitude limit). The Geodetic Mission provided a very dense ground-track spacing corresponding to ca. 2 km at the antarctic coastline. In spite of problems with surface tracking, especially on the steeper and more rugged parts of the ice sheet close to the coast, the altimeter obtained some 2,100,000 antarctic height estimates. When compiled as a shadow map, the data reveal considerable topographic detail both on the ice sheet plateaus and on the floating ice shelves. The features visible are of considerable interest for the study of antarctic glaciology, and confirm the value of satellite radar altimeters to antarctic research. The results emphasize the need for altimeter missions with dense ground-track spacings and high-latitude coverage in the future. (Auth.)

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Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice surveys, Remote sensing, Freezeup, Surface structure, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Seasonal freeze thaw, Regelation, Data processing, Temperature effects, Arctic Ocean

51-403

Scattering from a volume of *N*-spheres with application to backscattering from snow.

Tzeng, Y.C., Tjuatja, S., Fung, A.K., *Remote sensing reviews,* 1994, Vol.9, p.65-75, 16 refs.

Remote sensing, Snow surveys, Snow cover structure, Snow optics, Microwaves, Backscattering, Polarization (waves), Analysis (mathematics)

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Influence of freezing and thawing on the carbon isotope composition in soil CO_2.

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Soil freezing, Frozen ground chemistry, Frozen ground physics, Permeability, Vapor diffusion, Geochemical cycles, Carbon dioxide, Freeze thaw cycles, Carbon isotopes, Isotope analysis, Snow cover effect

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Establishing the chronology of snow and pollen deposition events on Agassiz Ice Cap (Ellesmere Island, Northwest Territories) from autostation records.

Alt, B.T., Bourgeois, J.C., *Canada. Geological Survey. Current research, pt.B,* 1995, p.71-79, With French summary. 14 refs.

Climatology, Tundra climate, Precipitation (meteorology), Atmospheric circulation, Ice sheets, Snow accumulation, Snow air interface, Palynology, Aerosols, Sedimentation, Snow composition, Stratification, Boreholes, Correlation, Age determination, Canada—Northwest Territories—Agassiz Ice Cap

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Sea ice.

Ackley, S.F., MP 3904, Encyclopedia of Applied Physics. Vol.17, New York, VCH Publishers, Inc., [1996], p.81-103, 15 refs.

Sea ice, Ice structure, Ice formation, Physical properties, Ice water interface, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Ice heat flux, Marine biology, Climatic factors

The properties of sea ice are sensitive to the growth conditions and, after formation of the initial ice cover, its thermal and dynamic history. These conditions are both spatially and temporally variable, leading to significant differences in sea-ice behavior from location to location and season to season. The theme of this entry is to develop the relationship between these processes and the resulting ice properties and ice distribution, and then review how the sea ice interacts with the geophysical and biological environments. (Auth. mod.)

51-407

Validation of Weertman's theory of basal moraine formation by bottom freezing beneath polar ice sheets.

Gow, A.J., MP 3905, Johannes Weertman Symposium. Edited by R.J. Arsenault et al, 1995, p.331-335, 14 refs.

Glacial geology, Ice sheets, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Bottom ice, Meltwater, Regelation, Moraines, Ice solid interface, Drill core analysis, Isotope analysis, Theories

Weertman postulated on theoretical grounds that wet-bottomed ice sheets could, by refreezing of basal meltwater generated by geothermal and frictional heating, incorporate debris from the underlying bed. This "freeze-in" of basal moraine was offered as an alternative mechanism to that of "shearing-in" to explain the origin of so-called shear moraines at the margin of the Greenland Ice Sheet. A viable test of Weertman's "freeze-in" hypothesis came several years later with the successful drilling to bedrock of the Antarctic Ice Sheet at Byrd Station. The nature and disposition of this basal moraine, together with stable isotope and entrapped gas analyses of the enclosing ice, are consistent only with a "freeze-in" mechanism as first postulated by Weertman. Formation of debris-laden ice in cores from the bottom of the Greenland Ice Sheet at Camp Century has also been attributed to freeze-in of bed sediment, further reinforcing the notion that it is likely the predominant mechanism of basal moraine formation in ice sheets at their pressure melting points. (Auth. mod.)

51-408

Temporal and spatial fluctuations in ground cover surface temperature at a northern New England site.

Peck, L., MP 3906, *Atmospheric research,* 1996, Vol.41, p.131-160, 22 refs.

Climatology, Surface temperature, Soil air interface, Temperature measurement, Radiometry, Heat flux, Albedo, Radiance, Upwelling, Snow cover effect, Vegetation factors, Seasonal variations, Diurnal variations

Ground cover surface temperature at a field site in South Royalton, VT, is calculated from 30-minute averages of upwelling longwave (3-50 μm) radiation measured with a pyrgeometer, resulting in 48 estimations of surface temperature each day. The ground covers are a seasonal sequence of (1) dormant grass prior to snowfall, (2) snow cover, (3) an irregular distribution of thatch, exposed soil and new-growth grass following final snowmelt and (4) lush, continuous grass cover. Diurnal variation in ground cover surface temperature and also seasonal differences in temperature spread and rate of tempera-

ture change are evident. An indication of relative spatial uniformity of surface temperature for these ground covers is obtained by monitoring the surface with a second instrument, a passive infrared sensor system that responds to differential changes in thermal radiance from the ground cover. The snow cover is a thermally uniform background (on the scale of field of view of the passive infrared sensor system), and the grass-thatch-soil is thermally the most diverse, while the lush grass is thermally heterogeneous when sunlit grass blades blow in the wind. The use of such a passive system provides information on the variability of ground cover surface temperature, and by implication, on changes in radiant-energy loading and heat exchange processes, on a spatial scale larger than that of a standard ground-based pyrgeometer. (Auth. mod.)

51-409

Antarctic Zone Flux Experiment.

McPhee, M.G., Ackley, S.F., MP 3907, *American Meteorological Society. Bulletin,* June 1996, 77(6), p.1221-1232, 39 refs.

Climatology, Oceanographic surveys, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Heat transfer, Turbulent exchange, Turbulent boundary layer, Ice heat flux, Ice cover effect, Sounding, Drift stations, Wind factors, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Understanding what environmental conditions could again trigger widespread oceanic overturn may be an important key in determining the role of high latitudes in deep-ocean ventilation and global atmospheric warming. During the Antarctic Zone Flux Experiment in July and Aug. 1994, response of the Weddell Sea upper ocean and its ice cover to a series of storms was measured at two drifting stations supported by the National Science Foundation research icebreaker *Nathaniel B. Palmer.* This article describes the experiment, in which fluxes of heat, mass and momentum were measured in the upper ocean, sea ice and lower-atmospheric boundary layer. Initial results illustrate the importance of oceanic heat flux at the ice undersurface for determining the character of the sea ice cover. They also show how the heat flux depends both on high levels of turbulent mixing during intermittent storm events and on large variability in the stratified upper ocean below the mixed layer. (Auth. mod.)

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Fracture of river ice covers by river waves.

Daly, S.F., MP 3908, *Journal of cold regions engineering,* Mar. 1995, 9(1), p.41-62, 26 refs.

River ice, Ice mechanics, Ice breakup, Flexural strength, Ice cover strength, Cracking (fracturing), Crack propagation, Wave propagation, Water waves, Ice water interface, Unsteady flow, Dynamic loads, Mathematical models, Wave propagation

The stresses induced in ice covers by river waves are investigated as a possible mechanism for causing transverse cracks during breakup. The maximum stress levels that river waves can cause in ice cover are determined over the entire spectrum of waves that may be present at breakup. The ice cover is analyzed as a continuous elastic plate. The calculations indicate that the celerities of propagating waves are always less than the celerity of free waves of the same wavelength and as a result, only the first maximum is possible. The global minimum wave amplitude required to cause cracks is therefore found at a wavelength of $2\pi l$. At this wavelength, a simple expression describing the minimum wave amplitude causing cracks can be derived.

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Location of blue ice runway sites—report on air photo search.

Swithinbank, C., MP 3909, U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. CRREL project No.88-4a, Aug. 1988, n.p., 3 refs.

Cold weather construction, Runways, Geological surveys, Orientation, Site surveys, Photointerpretation, Oblique photography, Logistics, Glacier surfaces, Topographic features, Antarctica—Blackburn, Mount, Antarctica—Goodale, Mount

The author examined some 7,000 aerial photographs obtained for mapping purposes by the U.S. Navy for the U.S. Geological Survey in Antarctica between latitudes 84°S and 88°S, longitudes 160°E and 120°W. While thousands of km^2 of essentially snow-free bare ice are identifiable, most are unsuitable for large wheeled aircraft because of slope, grade change, length, crevasses, or obstructed approaches. However, all these factors were predictable and expected. The same problems were encountered in both areas where earlier (successful) searches were made for bare ice runways. Ice sheets and outlet glaciers are driven by gravity flow: slopes are normal and over many areas exceed reasonable criteria for transport aircraft. The only possible landing place where the surface is completely level is a frozen lake with dimensions of 1x4 km at 85° 25'S, 147° 40'W. This should be investigated. (Auth. mod.)

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Quantitative description of sea ice inclusions.

Perovich, D.K., Gow, A.J., MP 3910, *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,327-18,343, 54 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice physics, Physical properties, Ice microstructure, Porosity, Gas inclusions, Bubbles, Brines, Temperature effects, Statistical analysis, Thin sections, Ice optics

Photomicrographs of sea ice thin sections were analyzed using a personal computer-based image-processing system to determine the number of inclusions, the inclusion size distributions, and statistics for brine pockets in younger ice and first-year ice and for air bubbles in a multiyear hummock. Inclusions ranging in size from thousandths of mm^2 to a few mm^2 were measured. In all cases a two-parameter lognormal distribution fits the cumulative inclusion size distributions well (correlation coefficient greater than 0.99). Increase in brine pocket size is particularly pronounced for brine volumes greater than 10% as individual brine pockets coalesce. Air bubbles are much larger than brine pockets, with mean major axis lengths of the order of millimeters for air bubbles and tenths of a millimeter for brine pockets. Observations of inclusion shape factors indicate that, in general, brine pockets are more elongated than air bubbles.

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A study of the physico-chemical characteristics of the different layers of ice to a depth of 8.32 m in the Hurd glacier was conducted on Livingston I. in the South Shetland archipelago. No dependence on depth was observed for the pH, dry residue, or the concentrations of Ca^{2+}, Mg^{2+}, and K^{+} ions. The only dependence observed was a systematic increase in density from 0.5 to 0.85 g/cm^3 due to the greater compaction of the deeper layers. The mean annual mass balance was determined by two methods: localization of the ashes emitted by a volcano on Deception I. and by means of a ^{210}Pb dating method. The result in both cases was a value of 0.24 kg/m^2/yr, which allowed dating of different layers of ice sampled. The mean annual ^{210}Pb fallout was determined to be 1.9 Bq/m^2/yr. While no systematic variations in total β activity were observed with depth, they were observed for total α and residual β activities in the said ice layers. (Auth. mod.)

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Scientists conducting radio-echo surveys of ice depths over central East Antarctica in the 1970s discovered evidence of a huge subglacial, freshwater lake. Early estimates set the lake's dimensions at about 10,000 km^2. An international team of scientists led by A.P. Kapitsa (Moscow State University) recently revised those figures upward by almost 50%—to 14,000 km—and suggested new details about the bodies of water lying beneath Antarctica's frozen epidermis. Named for its proximity to Vostok Station, a Russian research base in East Antarctica about 1,200 km from the South Pole, Lake Vostok is comparable in size to Lake Ontario and in depth, perhaps even to Lake Baikal in Siberia. Researchers now theorize that the lake is part of a vast hydrological system of about 70 subglacial lakes in central Antarctica. Kapitsa and colleagues used radar altimetry and radio-echo studies, combined with old seismic data, to show that the water of Lake Vostok is virtually free of salts and reaches depths of at least 510 m, making it one of the world's 10 deepest lakes. Depending on the lake's deep circulation, the water may date back some 50,000 years. (Auth.)

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Initiation of a continental ice sheet in a global climate model (GENESIS).
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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Ice sheets, Hydrologic cycle, Glaciation, Snow depth, Snow cover distribution, Snow cover effect, Insolation, Simulation, Models
The initiation and maintenance of a continental ice sheet, including arctic and antarctic regions, are investigated using the GENESIS global climate model. A necessary condition for ice sheet initiation is to have snow cover survive through the summer. Model simulations examine the sensitivity of the maintenance of summer snow cover to the prescriptions of topography and solar luminosity. The time period chosen for this study is the Late Carboniferous (306 Ma) when an extensive continental ice sheet, as large if not larger than the Pleistocene glaciations, existed on a supercontinent in the Southern Hemisphere. This ice sheet, persisting for over 60 m.y., was one of the most prolonged periods of continuous glaciation in Earth history. Model simulations indicate that given the geography, solar luminosity (3% less than present), and atmospheric CO_2 (same as present) estimated for this time period, summer snow cover remains as far equatorward as 35°S latitude. Global mean temperature is -2.4°C, 17.2°C cooler than for present. Probable regions for the initiation of the Carboniferous ice sheet are apparent in analysis of the spin-up of the model to equilibrium. Summer snow cover first persists along the polar coastline of the supercontinent during year 4 of the simulation. Summer snow cover shows the greatest sensitivity to solar luminosity. Reducing land elevations to sea level causes persistent summer snow cover to retreat only 8° poleward. Conversely, initializing the model with an elevated land ice sheet has no effect on summer snow cover extent. (Auth. mod.)

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Sensitivity of a general circulation model to changes in northern hemisphere ice sheets.
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Simulations of antarctic climate using a limited area model.
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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Sea ice distribution, Snow accumulation, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Ice cover effect, Ice openings, Mathematical models, Simulation
A limited area model is nested within the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts (ECMWF) analyses and climate simulations are performed for July at a resolution of 125 km for a domain located over the continent of Antarctica. The model displays negative biases of mean sea level pressure off the coast of East Antarctica, and positive biases in other oceanic regions close to the coast of the continent. The model simulation of snow accumulation is good; the observed positive gradient of accumulation between the center of Antarctica and the coast is reproduced well, although precipitation is generally too high over regions of significant orography. Comparison between simulations performed with and without oceanic leads shows that leads increase sensible and latent heat fluxes over regions of sea ice, and increase accumulation over the continent of Antarctica. The effects of the introduction of leads into the limited area model are consistent with the results of similar general circulation model sensitivity tests previously performed. (Auth. mod.)

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Synoptic meteorology, Precipitation (meteorology), Periodic variations, Atmospheric circulation, Moisture transfer, Sea level, Simulation, Climatic factors
The accurate estimation of antarctic precipitation variability is an essential component in understanding global sea level fluctuations; direct measurement techniques, however, are replete with practical difficulties. In this study, net precipitation (precipitation minus sublimation) for the antarctic continent is computed for 1980-1994 using operational numerical analyses obtained from the ECMWF (European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts). The resulting estimations reveal a strong interannual variability for the antarctic continent, implying a ±1.2-1.5 mm/yr maximum range in the antarctic eustatic change contribution. In particular, variability for the South Pacific sector is shown to be correlated with the El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO) phenomenon for 1980-1990. The relation becomes anticorrelated after 1990, associated with a strong East Antarctic ridging pattern that coincides with the start of the prolonged series of warm events of the early 1990s. This result is relevant to other studies relating ENSO variability to high southern latitudes, and a more elaborate picture of this teleconnection pattern is presented. (Auth. mod.)

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Blowing snow, Mass balance, Snowdrifts, Sublimation, Snow air interface, Heat flux, Surface energy, Radiant cooling, Radiation balance, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Halley Station
The authors present measurements of the components of the energy and mass balance of the snow surface at Halley Station. During the winter months, when insolation is small or zero, the surface energy balance is dominated by radiative cooling. This is mostly balanced by a downward transport of atmospheric sensible heat, with an upward conductive flux of heat through the snowpack making a secondary contribution. The average flux of atmospheric latent heat is downward but of negligible importance in the surface energy balance. During the winter, a significant imbalance is seen in the measured energy budget, with insufficient sensible and conductive heat fluxes to balance the radiative cooling. The wintertime surface mass balance is dominated by precipitation. Sublimation of blowing snow makes a small negative contribution to the budget and is observed to be highly dependent on wind speed. It is suggested that this may be an important mechanism for removing surface mass in some parts of Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

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51-478

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51-479

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Models for the genetic and environmental interpretation of stratified slope deposits: a review.

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51-483

Stratification of stratified talus deposits in Gaspésie, (Québec, Canada): the role of niveo-aeolian sedimentation and supranival transport. [Le litage de éboulis stratifés cryonivaux en Gaspésie (Québec, Canada): rôle de la sédimentation nivéo-éolienne et des transits supranivaux]

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Slope processes, Periglacial processes, Talus, Soil formation, Mass flow, Geomorphology, Eolian soils, Sediment transport, Mudflows, Sliding, Snowmelt, Stratification, Canada—Quebec—Gaspésie

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51-485

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51-487

Interferometric synthetic aperture radar (IFSAR) for fast, accurate digital elevation mapping.

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Topographic surveys, Topographic maps, Floodplains, Flood forecasting, Shore erosion, Aerial surveys, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Radio echo soundings, Height finding, Image processing, Statistical analysis

Interferometric Synthetic Aperture Radar (IFSAR) systems can rapidly generate digital elevation data with a higher resolution and accuracy than presently existing digital data sets. Although improvements in vertical resolution are still required, this technology may be extremely beneficial for coastal studies, including monitoring coastal and barrier island erosion, and for flood and storm surge prediction. The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Remote Sensing/GIS Center participated in a test of the accuracy of the IFSAR system developed by the Environmental Research Institute of Michigan (ERIM) and the Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL). In this study, elevations for points derived by interferometry were compared with field-surveyed elevations. A root mean square error of 1.89 m and a maximum error of 2.92 m were found for the 11 points in this study, conducted in the flood plain of the Iowa River. These results are comparable with previous studies of IFSAR technology.

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Cold weather construction, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost control, Houses, Weatherproofing, Thermal insulation, Heating, Vapor barriers, Water supply, Sewage disposal, Sanitary engineering

51-494

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Fridtjof Nansen Institute (Fridtjof Nansens Institutt), Lysaker, Norway, May 1996, 6p., In English with part of the text in parallel Norwegian.

Organizations, Research projects, Regional planning, International cooperation, Cost analysis

51-495

Laser-based aircraft ice detector enters service.

DeMeis, R., *Laser focus world,* Mar. 1996, 32(3), p.37.

Aircraft icing, Ice detection, Lasers

51-496

Thoughts on a structure for assembling balloon experiments at Williams Field, Antarctica.

Tobiasson, W., MP 3913, Hanover, NH, U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory, Apr. 1989, 19p.

Balloons, Meteorological instruments, Telemetering equipment, Towers, Wooden structures, Cold weather construction, Snow loads, Wind pressure, Cost analysis, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

In 1989, a 20-ft high wooden panel structure with a 16-ft by 20-ft floor supported by steel beams, was proposed to fit out a 12-ft high gondola for balloon experiments at Williams Field, McMurdo Station. The gondola would be suspended from a laminated veneer wooden roof beam. The structure would be capable of withstanding high winds and heavy snowdrifts. Ski assemblies could be attached at the four corners so that the entire structure could be towed by a tracked vehicle to a new location. The total cost estimate in 1989 was $21,500.

51-497

Preliminary report on the condition of the South Pole Station.

Tobiasson, W., MP 3914, Hanover, NH, U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory, [1989], 10p., Prepared for Division of Polar Programs, National Science Foundation.

Stations, Buildings, Snowdrifts, Snow loads, Settlement (structural), Cold weather construction, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

In 1989, the Amundsen-Scott Station at the South Pole was scheduled to be replaced by a new station by the end of 1996. The main facilities of the existing station are housed in a 164-ft-diameter, 53-ft-high aluminum geodesic dome and a 726-ft-long, 46-ft-diameter metal arch. It is recommended that the new station consist of a cluster of extensible or movable steel-frame, sandwich-panel buildings, 2 stories high with a floor plan of 38 ft by 64 ft, elevated on columns about 8 ft above the surface, and less susceptible to snow loads and differential settlement from snow loads than the existing dome and arch. The dome could be used as a warehouse and portions of the arch could be used for fuel storage for the new station.

51-498

Rowe Glacier annual research report 1994.

Scott, R.B., Denver, CO, U.S. National Park Service, Rocky Mountain Regional Office, Mar. 1995, 4p. + photos, WDCA 95000188.

Mountain glaciers, Cirque glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, United States—Colorado—Rocky Mountain National Park

51-499

Mapping montane snow cover at subpixel resolution from the Landsat Thematic Mapper.

Rosenthal, C.W., MP 3915, Santa Barbara, University of California, 1993, 70p., WDCA 95000169, M.A. thesis. 70 refs. Partially funded by the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory under Contract No.DACA89-92-K-0008.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow hydrology, Snow water equivalent, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Terrain identification, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Statistical analysis, United States—California—Sierra Nevada

A fully automated method uses Landsat Thematic Mapper data to map snow cover in the Sierra Nevada and make quantitative estimates of the fractional snow covered area within each pixel. A 1986 reference scene was modeled as a linear mixture of image endmember spectra to produce the response variables for tree-based regression and classification models. Decision trees identify cloud cover, snow extent, and fractional snow covered area. The algorithm is tested on a new Thematic Mapper scene against high resolution, large format, color aerial photography. The accuracy of the automated classification of Thematic Mapper data equals that obtainable from the photographs, but is faster, cheaper, and covers a vastly larger area. Mapping of snow supports the linear spectral mixing assumption. The mapping method is insensitive to the choice of lithologic or vegetation endmembers and to the water equivalent of the snow pack.

51-500

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Snow accumulation, Snow composition, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Water chemistry, United States—Colorado

51-501

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Precipitation (meteorology), Thunderstorms, Weather forecasting, Statistical analysis, Switzerland

51-502

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51-503

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Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier thickness, Photogrammetric surveys, Paleoclimatology, Pakistan—Nanga Parbat Mountain

51-504

Population biology of steppe plants.

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DLC QK911.H3 Pt.3

Steppes, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Vegetation patterns, Grasses, Phenology, Kazakhstan

51-505

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DLC QK911.H3 Pt.3

Tundra vegetation, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Vegetation patterns, Acclimatization

51-506

Effects of enhanced UV-B radiation and elevated concentrations of CO_2 on a subarctic heathland.

Gwynn-Jones, D., et al, Carbon dioxide, populations, and communities. Edited by C. Körner and F.A. Bazzaz, San Diego, CA, Academic Press, 1996, p.197-207, 41 refs.

DLC QK753.C3C38 1996

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Forest tundra, Tundra vegetation, Peat, Nutrient cycle, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Solar radiation, Ultraviolet radiation, Physiological effects, Sweden

51-507

Satellite monitoring of lake ice breakup on the Laurentian shield as a robust climate indicator.

Wynne, R.H., Madison, University of Wisconsin, 1995, 211p., University Microfilms order No.DA9608372, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.162-172.

Frozen lakes, Lake ice, Ice melting, Ice breakup, Ice surveys, Ice detection, Ice forecasting, Spaceborne photography, Global warming, Computer programs, Statistical analysis

51-508

Non-linear finite element modelling of dynamic loads on offshore structures.

Morsy, U.A.E., Calgary, Alberta, University of Calgary, 1995, 262p., Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.243-252.

Offshore structures, Artificial islands, Caissons, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Mathematical models

51-509

Direct effects of elevated CO_2 on arctic plant and ecosystem function.

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DLC QK753.C3C37 1996

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Tundra vegetation, Tundra soils, Tundra climate, Nutrient cycle, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Soil air interface, Global warming

51-510

Response of alpine vegetation to elevated CO_2.

Körner, C., Diemer, M., Schäppi, B., Zimmermann, L., Carbon dioxide and terrestrial ecosystems. Edited by G.W. Koch and H.A. Mooney, San Diego, CA, Academic Press, 1996, p.177-196, 31 refs.

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Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Alpine tundra, Tundra vegetation, Nutrient cycle, Mountain soils, Soil air interface, Atmospheric composition

51-511

Development and results of a Northern Sea Route transit model.

Mulherin, N.D., Eppler, D.T., Proshutinskiĭ, T.O., Proshutinskiĭ, A.IU., Farmer, L.D., Smith, O.P., CR 96-05, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* May 1996, 105p., ADA-311 979, 43 refs.

Mathematical models, Ice navigation, Marine transportation, Cost analysis, Sea ice, Economic analysis, Computer applications, Simulation, Icebreakers, Ships, Tanker ships, Northern Sea Route

For a Corps of Engineers reconnaissance study, the authors developed a numerical model to estimate the time needed for various ship types to transit the Russian Northern Sea Route. They simulated liquid bulk, dry bulk, and container ship transits during the months of Apr., June, Aug. and Oct. In the model, probability distributions for various ice, ocean and atmospheric inputs are exercised by a Monte Carlo algorithm to generate combinations of conditions that affect ship speed. The speed, dependent on the established environment during each time and distance segment, is read from empirically derived lookup tables. Daily ship rates and Russian passage fees were applied to calculate the relative total costs for moving the various cargoes over the route. The model's development, limiting assumptions, simulation logic, data inputs, and resulting output are discussed.

51-512

Geological and geophysical investigations of the hydrogeology of Fort Wainwright, Alaska; Part I: Canol Road area.

Lawson, D.E., Strasser, J.C., Strasser, J.D., Arcone, S.A., Delaney, A.J., Williams, C., CR 96-04, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* May 1996, 24p., ADA-313 645, 11 refs.

Alluvium, Hydrogeology, Ground water, Permafrost distribution, Boreholes, Radar, Bedrock, Suprapermafrost ground water, Subpermafrost ground water, Wells, Seepage, United States—Alaska—Fort Wainwright, United States—Alaska—Chena River

The hydrogeology of Fort Wainwright, AK, is extremely complex because of the relatively impermeable discontinuity of permafrost, which controls the distribution and dimensions of the aquifer. Aquifers occur above, below and adjacent to permanently frozen materials, as well as within thaw zones surrounded by permafrost. This complexity makes it difficult to predict the direction and rate of ground water flow, as well as its seasonal and annual variability. Considerable problems exist in locating suspected contaminant plumes, identifying source areas, defining transport paths and evaluating contaminant fate. This report summarizes the results of ongoing investigations of the permafrost and ground water conditions within the northwestern part of the Fort Wainwright cantonment area, north of the Chena River. Data from ground-penetrating radar, drilling, ground water flow sensors, aerial photographs and ground observations were used to delineate aquifer distribution and develop a conceptual physical model of hydrogeological conditions. Ground water seepage velocity and direction, which were measured during early to mid-winter 1994-95, reflect the role of local water sources and permafrost distribution in determining ground water flow patterns. Other factors, including the vertical and lateral extent of permafrost, a bedrock aquifer, and the alluvial origins of unfrozen sediments and landforms, are apparently more important than the subregional aquifer in determining ground water conditions during winter. Contaminant migration will be strongly affected by these factors as well.

51-513

Sea ice: Part I. Bulk salinity versus ice floe thickness.

Kovacs, A., CR 96-07, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* June 1996, 16p., ADA-312 027, Refs. p.13-16.

Sea ice, Ice composition, Salinity, Ice floes, Ice cover thickness, Analysis (mathematics), Ice cores, Brines, Antarctica, Beaufort Sea

Mathematical expressions have been established for estimating the bulk salinity of Arctic and antarctic sea ice vs. ice floe thickness. The ice salinity vs. thickness relationships are based on data for over 400 sea ice cores compiled from numerous sources. The results show that the bulk salinity of first-year sea ice decreases in an exponential trend with ice sheet thickness. A similar trend reoccurs as the winter ice passes through the melt season. The expression for the bulk salinity S_B in per mill for first-year sea ice from 10 to 200 cm thick is $S_B = 4.606 + 91.603/T_F$, where T_F is the ice floe thickness in centimeters.

51-514

Optical properties of sea ice.

Perovich, D.K., M 96-01, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Monograph,* May 1996, 25p., ADA-310 586, Refs. p.21-23.

Sea ice, Ice optics, Albedo, Scattering, Air ice water interaction, Brines, Absorption, Ice models, Light transmission, Snow cover effect, Solar radiation, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Sea ice is a translucent material with an intricate structure and complex optical properties. Understanding the reflection, absorption, and transmission of shortwave radiation by sea ice is important to a diverse array of scientific problems, including those in ice thermodynamics and polar climatology. Radiative transfer in sea ice is a combination of absorption and scattering. Differences in the magnitude of sea ice optical properties are due primarily to differences in scattering. Spectral variations are mainly a result of absorption. Changes in such optical properties as the albedo, reflectance, transmittance, and extinction coefficient are directly related to changes in the state and structure of the ice. Physical changes that enhance scattering, such as the formation of air bubbles due to brine drainage, result in larger albedos and extinction coefficients. The albedo is quite sensitive to the surface state. If the ice has a snow cover, albedos are large. In contrast, the presence of liquid water on a bare ice surface causes a decrease of albedo, which is more pronounced at longer wavelengths. Sea-ice optical properties depend on the volume of brine and air and on how the brine and air are distributed.

51-515
Ice thickness observations: North American arctic and subarctic, 1974-75, 1975-76 and 1976-77.
Bilello, M.A., Lunardini, V.J., SR 43/9, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* May 1996, 221p., ADA-310 887, 7 refs. For earlier data (from 1958 through 1974) see 24-3436, 26-2299, 27-674, 30-126 and 46-4002.
Sea ice, Lake ice, River ice, Ice cover thickness, Ice conditions, Ice breakup, Ice formation, Freezeup, Ice reporting, Snow depth, Subarctic landscapes, Canada, United States—Alaska
This is the ninth in a series of reports on lake and river ice and landfast sea ice. It presents ice thickness measurements taken throughout the North American arctic and subarctic during the 1974-75, 1975-76 and 1976-77 winter seasons. Information on surface ice conditions, dates of first ice, freeze-over, breakup and observed maximum ice thicknesses are also included.

51-516
Model reconstruction of the composition and temperature of the global troposphere and stratosphere in the last glacial and interglacial periods.
Karol', I.L., Kiselev, A.A., Frol'kis, V.A., *Russian Academy of Sciences. Transactions. Earth science sections,* 1994 (Pub. 1995), 339(8), p.21-26, Translated from Rossiĭskaia Akademia Nauk. Doklady. 12 refs.
Paleoclimatology, Glacial meteorology, Atmospheric composition, Air temperature, Ozone, Ice cores
A quantitative reconstruction is presented of the composition of minor gases (most importantly ozone) in the troposphere and stratosphere in certain periods of the history of the atmosphere, using the one-dimensional radiative and photochemical model (RPM), with refinements in the radiative part of the model. The use of a one-dimensional, horizontally averaged RMP is justified not only by the approximate lateral uniformity of present [CO_2], [CH_4], and [N_2O] distribution in the lower troposphere, but also by the fact that the measured concentrations of these gases in the old ice of cores from the widely separated Antarctic and Greenland ice caps are roughly equal. In the photochemical part of this model, the water vapor concentration [H_2O] in the troposphere is determined by the specified relative humidity and is calculated for the stratosphere. The model envisages 141 reactions of 42 compounds, of which 20 are in photochemical equilibrium, and corrections are introduced to produce averaging of their daily concentration variations. (Auth. mod.)

51-517
Report of the British Antarctic Survey 1994-95.
British Antarctic Survey, Cambridge, Natural Environment Research Council, [1995], 158p., Pubs. p.134-147.
Research projects, Glaciology
General remarks are made concerning staff news and activities in various divisions at BAS stations; personnel awards are announced; distinguished visitors, and British and international meetings attended, are listed. Logistic and operational activities are reviewed, including ship and air operations. A science strategy plan is presented; 5 principal and 2 minor science themes provide a framework for research programs which are reviewed in detail and consist of the following: Pattern and change in the physical environment of Antarctica; Geological evolution of West Antarctica; Dynamics of antarctic terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems; Structure and dynamics of the southern ocean ecosystem; Physics of solar-terrestrial phenomena from Antarctica; Humans in isolated polar communities; and Antarctic geographic information and mapping. Included are 5 appendices providing BAS' financial background, and lists of 1994 publications and staff in various locations, divisions and ships.

51-518
Impact of Late Ordovician glaciation-deglaciation on marine life.
Berry, W.B.N., Quinby-Hunt, M.S., Wilde, P., Studies in Geophysics: Effects of past global change on life. (Board on Earth Sciences and Resources, Commission on Geosciences, Environment, and Resources, National Research Council), Washington, D.C., National Academy Press, 1995, p.34-46, Refs. p.44-46.
DLC QE720.E32 1995
Paleoclimatology, Paleoecology, Glaciation, Ocean environments, Marine biology, Animals, Biomass, Sea ice distribution, Sea level
Sea level fell at least 50 m during Late Ordovician continental glaciation which centered on the South Pole. Oxygen isotope analyses indicate that ocean surface waters cooled during glaciation. As sea level fell and surface waters cooled, mass mortalities occurred among most marine benthic faunas, primarily brachiopods and trilobites. Carbon isotope analyses reveal a significant biomass loss at the time of the mass mortalities. The brachiopod-dominated *Hirnantia* fauna spread widely during glacial maximum. That fauna essentially became extinct during deglaciation. Cold, oxygen-rich deep ocean waters generated at the South Pole during glaciation drove a strong deep ocean circulation and ventilated the deep oceans. Potentially, waters bearing metal ions and other substances toxic to organisms were advected upward into ocean mixed layer during glacial maximum. Graptolite mass mortality apparently was a consequence. Mass mortalities took place among pre-*Hirnantia* brachiopod and trilobite faunas at the same time as the graptolite mass mortality. Reradiation among graptolites and benthic marine faunas followed after sea-level rise, and deep ocean circulation slowed as deglaciation proceeded. (Auth. mod.)

51-519
Relations between winter atmospheric circulation and annual streamflow in the western United States.
McCabe, G.J., Jr., *Climate research,* June 22, 1995, 5(2), p.139-148, 43 refs.
Climatology, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Stream flow, Flow measurement, Hydrologic cycle, Moisture transfer, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Seasonal variations, United States

51-520
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Kudriashov, V.M., *Acoustical physics,* 1996, 42(3), p.386-389, Translated from Akusticheskiĭ zhurnal. 6 refs.
Oceanography, Ice acoustics, Underwater acoustics, Sea ice, Ice water interface, Ice bottom surface, Surface roughness, Sound transmission, Scattering, Wave propagation, Attenuation, Mathematical models, Statistical analysis

51-521
Heterogeneous kinetics of HONO on H_2SO_4 solutions on ice: activation of HCl.
Fenter, F.F., Rossi, M.J., *Journal of physical chemistry,* 1996, Vol.100, p.13765-13775, 30 refs.
Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Weather modification, Condensation trails, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice water interface, Spectroscopy, Simulation, Chemical properties

51-522
Changes in morphology at the margin of the Greenland ice sheet (Leverett Glacier), in the period 1943-1992: a quantitative analysis.
Van Tatenhove, F.G.M., *Earth surface processes and landforms,* 1996, Vol.21, p.797-816, 23 refs.
Glaciology, Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Glacial geology, Geomorphology, Ice edge, Glacier surveys, Photogrammetric surveys, Moraines, Topographic features, Height finding, Statistical analysis, Periodic variations, Correlation, Greenland—Leverett Glacier

51-523
Ice rhythms: core reveals a plethora of climate cycles.
Kerr, R.A., *Science,* Oct. 25, 1996, 274(5287), p.499-500.
Climatic changes, Periodic variations, Ice cores, Greenland

51-524
Concentration dependence of crystalline poly(ethylene terephthalate) prepared by freeze-extracting solutions.
Ji, G.D., Ni, H.M., Wang, C., Xue, G., Liao, Y.T., *Macromolecules,* Mar. 25, 1996, 29(7), p.2691-2693, 14 refs.
Frozen liquids, Recrystallization, Heating, Molecular structure

51-525
Textures and fabrics in the GRIP ice core, in relation to climate history and ice deformation.
Thorsteinsson, T., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.205, 146p., With German summary. Refs. p.137-146.
Climatic changes, Ice deformation, Ice crystals, Ice cores, Greenland

51-526
Ocean as a part of the coupled climate system: an attempt to reconstruct the glacial circulation with different models of the atmosphere. [Der Ozean als Teil des gekoppelten Klimasystems: Versuch der Rekonstruktion der glazialen Zirkulation mit verschieden komplexen Atmosphärenkomponenten]
Fieg, K., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.206, 128p., In German with English summary. 103 refs.
Ocean currents, Sea ice, Water chemistry, Climatic changes, Models
The goal of this thesis is to investigate the sensitivity of the Atlantic circulation to the surface forcing fields, e.g., wind stress, sea surface salinity (SSS) and sea surface temperatures (SST). Both the recent and the glacial Atlantic circulation are simulated and compared with ideas developed from drilling cores (glacial) and observations (modern). A model was developed for these elements and combined with models of other parameters. A set of experiments was devised to account for energy balance, sea ice distribution and drift, and varying degrees of sea surface salinity in antarctic waters. As various components of the models were shifted about through the experiments, in which some were omitted and others added, it became clear that a given set of paramaters could be successful for recent or glacial data, but not for both. (Auth. mod.)

51-527
Parameterization of the stable atmospheric boundary layer over an antarctic ice shelf. [Zur Parametrisierung der stabilen atmosphärischen Grenzschicht über einem antarktischen Schelfeis]
Handorf, D., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.204, 133p., In German with English summary. 99 refs.
Atmospheric boundary layer, Air temperature, Wind (meteorology), Models, Ice shelves, Antarctica—Georg von Neumayer Station
The stable atmospheric boundary layer has been investigated on the basis of two extended boundary-layer experiments performed at the German antarctic research station Neumayer. Almost all parameterizations of the turbulent exchange in atmospheric models (from boundary-layer models up to global circulation models) are based on hydrodynamic theories and empirical laws (universal functions), which are valid above horizontal homogeneous surfaces. The conditions at the Neumayer Station allow the test of such theories as well as their further development. In this thesis empirical and theoretical investigations of parameterizations of the surface fluxes, the turbulent fluxes in the whole boundary layer and of the height of the stable boundary layer are performed. (Auth. mod.)

51-528
Dynamics, roughness, and age of Arctic sea ice: numerical investigations with a large-scale model. [Dynamik, Rauhigkeit und Alter des Meereises in der Arktis - Numerische Untersuchungen mit einem großskaligen Modell]
Harder, M., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.203, 126p., In German with English summary. Refs. p.121-126.
Sea ice, Mathematical models, Dynamic properties, Ice structure, Age determination, Arctic Ocean

51-529
Atmospheric thermal radiation over the South Pole.
Van Allen-Heuberger, R., *Zürcher Geographische Schriften,* 1995, No.61, 109p., With German summary. Refs. p.86-88.
Atmospheric composition, Air temperature, Infrared radiation, Stratosphere, Ice crystals, Blowing snow, Clouds (meteorology), Meteorological instruments, Polar stratospheric clouds, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
Year-round measurements of mid-infrared atmospheric emission were conducted at the Amundsen-Scott Station during 1990, 1992 and 1993. The spectra were analyzed for information about stratospheric chemistry, precipitable water content and thermal emission of clouds, blowing snow and ice crystals. The data presented in this thesis are from 1992. The low water vapor content of the atmosphere at the South Pole allows the observation of stratospheric gases and the change in their concentration during the long absence of sunlight of the austral winter. The precipitable water vapor for clear-sky cases was calculated and a good correlation with the surface temperature was found. The values range from 0.2-0.8 mm and agree with the yearly average of the radiosonde data. A large seasonal change of the total column of nitric acid (HNO_3) vapor was observed. During the austral summer, the HNO_3 column abundance was about $2x10^{16}$ molecules/cm^2. There was a small increase in the fall. A rapid decrease of 50% was observed in late June. By early July, the stratospheric temperature was cold enough to form type II PSCs, and the HNO_3 column decreased to $7x10^{15}$ molecules/cm^2. Measured nitric acid values in the spring remained extremely low even after the

stratosphere warmed well above PSC temperatures. This may indicate permanent removal of HNO_3 by gravitational settling, or long-term sequestering in large particles. (Auth. mod.)

51-530
Global progress on problems of ozone depletion.
Hurtak, J.J., Intersociety Energy Conversion Engineering Conference, 28th, Atlanta, GA, Aug. 8-13, 1993. IECEC 1993. Proceedings. Vol.2, Washington, D.C., American Chemical Society, 1993, p.2.19-2.25, Refs. p.2.24-2.25.
DLC TK2896.I55a 1993
Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Ultraviolet radiation, Aerosols, Impurities, Clouds (meteorology), Stratosphere, Environmental protection, Polar stratospheric clouds
Global studies have been continually underway using airborne and satellite imaging of the ozone depletion. These measurements along with the Dobson network and balloon sonde experiments continue to monitor the extent of ozone depletion over the Antarctic and the Arctic and other chemical changes in the stratosphere. CFCs are not the only contributing factor to ozone depletion, but play a major role along with volcano aerosol emissions and other meteorological factors. Colder climates in Antarctica lead to the formation of PSCs that do not appear in the Northern Hemisphere. PSCs are a central platform for the formation of atomic chlorine and chemistry which leads to ozone destruction.

51-531
History of weather and climate in the Czech lands. 1: Period 1000-1500.
Brázdil, R., Kotyza, O., *Zürcher geographische Schriften,* 1995, No.62, 260p., Refs. p.181-223.
Climatology, Records (extremes), Weather, Climatic changes, Air temperature, Precipitation (meteorology), Hail, Snowfall, Czech Republic

51-532
Frequency distribution of sea ice, ridges, and water openings in the Greenland and Barents Seas. A preliminary report on the 'Birds Eye' observations.
Vinje, T.E., *Norsk Polarinstitutt. Rapportserie,* 1984, No.15, 27p., 13 refs.
Sea ice distribution, Pressure ridges, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice cover, Barents Sea, Greenland Sea

51-533
Atmospheric boundary layer over polar marine surfaces.
Andreas, E.L., M 96-02, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Monograph,* June 1996, 38p., ADA-313 642, Refs. p.34-38.
Air ice water interaction, Atmospheric boundary layer, Mathematical models, Turbulence, Snow cover effect, Sea ice, Polar atmospheres, Surface roughness, Heat transfer coefficient, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
The Atmospheric Boundary Layer (ABL) over polar marine surfaces is, in ways, simpler and, in other ways, more complex than ABLs in other environments. It is simpler because topographic effects are rarely a concern, the surface is fairly homogeneous, and roughness lengths over sea ice and the ocean are much smaller than they are over land. It is complex because the stratification is usually stable, and stable ABLs have not yielded to quantification as readily as convective ABLs have. This report reviews some of these characteristics of ABLs over polar marine surfaces, including the Weddell Sea. The ABL, by definition, is the turbulent layer between the Earth's surface and the (generally) nonturbulent free atmosphere. Hence, the emphasis is on turbulence processes—in particular, the turbulent transfer of momentum and sensible and latent heat over sea ice. As such, this report reviews both the theoretical and observational bases for the understanding of the mean structure of the ABL. Understanding this structure then allows predicting the turbulent surface fluxes of momentum and sensible and latent heat. (Auth.)

51-534
On-site analysis for high concentrations of explosives in soil: extraction kinetics and dilution procedures.
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Explosives, Soil pollution, Soil analysis, Military operation
Soils containing high concentrations (>10%) of secondary explosives might detonate from shock or flame, resulting in human injuries or equipment damage during remediation activities. In lieu of expensive and time-consuming protocols involving impact tests, friction tests, and shock gap tests, compositional analysis has been recommended as an expedient method to assess the risk of detonation from heavily contaminated soils. A number of methods now available allow determination of TNT and RDX on site. All of these methods specify solvent extraction with either acetone or methanol to transfer the analyte from the soil matrix to a solvent as the first step in the determination. The rate of extraction of TNT and RDX, when present at percent levels in soil, has not been determined. Protocols currently in use specify very short extraction times (one to three minutes) and results could be biased low if extraction kinetics are slow. The objective of this work was to document the rate of extraction of secondary explosives by acetone and methanol and make recommendations for possible modification of current protocols if warranted. Because solvent extracts from highly contaminated soils will have very high concentrations of secondary explosives, compared with the range of concentrations that can be determined using the various on-site methods, large dilutions will be required. Recommendations are made for a field-expedient method making appropriate dilutions.

51-535
Evaluating the SESOIL model for benzene leaching assessment in Alaska.
Brar, G.S., SR 96-11, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* May 1996, 11p., ADA-311 199, 34 refs.
Models, Simulation, Soil mechanics, Accuracy, Adsorption, Permeability, Porosity, Soil pollution, Ground water, Soil water, Degradation, United States—Alaska
SESOIL is a seasonal soil compartment model. A one-dimensional vertical transport model is designed to predict seasonal solute distribution in the soil profile and watershed. CRREL received a request from the U.S. Army Engineer District, Alaska, Environmental Technical Engineering Office, to provide technical assistance in evaluating the SESOIL model for helping to assess benzene leaching in the Alaskan environment. The major tasks outlined in the request were as follows: work an example problem for a diesel-contaminated site, do analytical checks and do manual SESOIL analytical calculations for one cycle. The SESOIL model requires 57 input variables supplied by the user. An additional 8 parameters are required for the execution file. This study did sensitivity analyses on soil bulk density, intrinsic permeability, disconnectedness index, porosity, organic carbon, adsorption coefficient on organic carbon, and biodegradation rates of solid and liquid phases. The model is very sensitive to all the parameters studied. Despite its several difficulties, the model is popular among regulators and users because of its simplicity compared to research models. It can be used as a screening-level tool in assessing chemical movement in the soil column with considerable site-specific calibrations.

51-536
PCC airfield pavement response during thaw-weakening periods: a field study.
Janoo, V.C., Berg, R.L., SR 96-12, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* May 1996, 38p., ADA-310 423, 13 refs.
Airports, Pavements, Concrete pavements, Cold weather performance, Thaw weakening, Thermocouples, Surface temperature, Subgrades, Loads (forces), United States—Alaska
This investigation is part of CRREL's on-going characterization of pavement performance in seasonal frost areas. As part of the research, CRREL conducted several field studies for the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) on the response of airport pavements during thaw-weakening periods at three civil airports in Wisconsin where the design freezing index in the area was around 900 to 1100°C-days and frost penetration ranged between 1250 and 2000 mm. This study focused on the performance of Portland Cement Concrete (PCC) pavements during the spring thaw-weakening period. The sites were instrumented with subsurface thermocouples and Falling Weight Deflectometer (FWD) tests were conducted during the spring thaw period at the center of the slab and across the joints. An analysis of the FWD data and backcalculation of the layer moduli using ILLIBACK and WESDEF was conducted. Unique relationships between the FWD deflections and the subgrade modulus and coefficient of subgrade reaction were obtained. Additional relationships were developed using the FWD deflections, PCC thickness and the horizontal tensile stress at the bottom of the PCC layer. A relationship between load transfer across joints and FWD deflections was also developed. On the basis of the relationships obtained in this study, a methodology for evaluating PCC pavements during spring thaw was developed. However, this methodology needs to be verified for other subgrade types and areas with other design freezing indices.

51-537
Soil physical environment and root growth in northern climates.
Brar, G.S., Reynolds, C.M., SR 96-13, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* May 1996, 23p., ADA-311 060, Refs. p.17-23.
Roots, Plant physiology, Plants (botany), Models, Mathematical models, Arctic landscapes, Soil temperature, Soil water
Understanding the growth and function of plant roots in cold climates is critical, but examination of root systems to elucidate their link to production is expensive and labor-intensive. Limited information is available on the root growth and functions of plants grown in northern climates. The objective is to present an overview of the influence of physical edaphic factors on plant root systems with special emphasis on models that are available for simulating root growth. This report summarizes the impact of the soil physical environment (soil water, soil temperature, soil air, physical impedance, and spatial variability) on root uptake and growth. Roots grow because new cells are formed in the meristematic tissue near the root tip, and these newly formed cells increase in volume, pushing the root tip forward if growth conditions are satisfactory. Rapid elongation of primary roots, combined with well-developed secondary roots, allows the plants to exploit moisture and nutrients from a greater soil volume. Root and shoots are strongly interdependent. The roots receive photosynthates and growth hormones from shoots and in return furnish water and nutrients to the shoots. Several root growth models have been developed during the past decade; however, none addresses the problems associated with cold regions. The models reported in the literature can be classified as 1) simple models, 2) carbon partition models, 3) growing degree day-based models, 4) soil parameter-based models, and 5) arctic plant growth models.

51-538
Glaciers and environment in the Qinghai-Xizang (Tibet) Plateau (I)—the Gongga Mountain.
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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier alimentation, Glacier ablation, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, China—Gongga, Mount

51-539
Existing conditions of the southeastern Tibet glacier.
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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier alimentation, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Climatic factors, Atmospheric circulation, China—Gongga, Mount

51-540
Climatic features in the Gongga Mountain.
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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier alimentation, Snow line, Climatic factors, Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), China—Gongga, Mount

51-541
Characteristics of stream runoff in the Gongga Mountain.
Cheng, G.W., Cao, Z.T., Glaciers and environment in the Qinghai-Xizang (Tibet) Plateau (I)—the Gongga Mountain. Edited by Z.C. Xie and V.M. Kotliakov, Beijing, Science Press, 1994, p.39-46.
Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Meltwater, Runoff, Stream flow, Glacial rivers, River flow, Glacial meteorology, Precipitation (meteorology), China—Gongga, Mount

51-542
Snow-firn transition and ice formation of the Hailuogou Glacier.
Shi, A.P., Huang, M.H., Glaciers and environment in the Qinghai-Xizang (Tibet) Plateau (I)—the Gongga Mountain. Edited by Z.C. Xie and V.M. Kotliakov, Beijing, Science Press, 1994, p.47-56, 6 refs.
Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier formation, Glacier alimentation, Snowdrifts, Avalanche deposits, Precipitation (meteorology), Snow ice interface, Firn stratification, China—Gongga, Mount

51-543
Temperature regime of Hailuogou Glacier in the Gongga Mountain.
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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier heat balance, Glacier ice, Ice temperature, Thermal regime, China—Gongga, Mount

51-544

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial hydrology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier alimentation, Glacier ablation, Snow ice interface, Firn stratification, China—Gongga, Mount

51-545

Autumn radiation balance in the ablation area of Hailuogou Glacier in the Gongga Mountain.

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51-546

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier heat balance, Glacier ablation, Ice air interface, Mathematical models, China—Gongga, Mount

51-547

Movement features of Hailuogou Glacier in the Gongga Mountain.

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Statistical analysis, China—Gongga, Mount

51-548

Model of the dynamics of the Hailuogou Glacier (southeastern Xizang).

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Radio echo soundings, Mathematical models, China—Gongga, Mount

51-549

Differences of climatic conditions between the glacial and ice-free areas in Hailuogou in the Gongga Mountain at the end of autumn.

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier ablation, Glacier oscillation, Air temperature, Humidity, China—Gongga, Mount

51-550

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial hydrology, Glacial meteorology, Glacier ablation, Subglacial drainage, Glacial rivers, Meltwater, Runoff, China—Gongga, Mount

51-551

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51-552

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier oscillation, Moraines, Climatic changes, Paleoclimatology, China—Gongga, Mount

51-553

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacial geology, Geological surveys, Glacial deposits, Moraines, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Paleobotany, Geochronology, Paleoclimatology, China—Gongga, Mount

51-554

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Moraines, Quaternary deposits, Snow line, Geochronology, Paleoclimatology, China—Gongga, Mount

51-555

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Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Topographic surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, Snow line, Calving, Glacial lakes, Ice-bound lakes, Lake bursts, Spaceborne photography, Greenland

51-557

Acoustic emission during fatigue experiments on first year sea ice.

Langhorne, P.J., Haskell, T.G., *Cold regions science and technology,* July 1996, 24(3), p.237-250, 45 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice mechanics, Fatigue (materials), Ice solid interface, Dynamic loads, Ice deformation, Ice acoustics, Wave propagation, Cracking (fracturing), Acoustic measurement, Mechanical tests, Spectra, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Acoustic emission events were measured during the cyclic loading of cantilever beams of sea ice sampled from Scott Base, McMurdo Sound. The events were detected with resonant transducers which are predominantly sensitive to the vertically polarized component of the Rayleigh surface wave. This confinement to the surface, along with the linear geometry of the beam, make it possible to estimate a one dimensional source location with only two transducers. The authors define an event magnitude and find this increases as the load increases, with the largest energy release occurring during the fracture of the beam. The measurement of magnitude requires an estimate of the high frequency attenuation of the Rayleigh waves in sea ice. The sources of the events are precursors to the eventual fracture of the sea ice, having highest density at the location of the final failure of the beam. The emissions may originate either from dislocation breakaway or the microcracking associated with this dislocation motion. (Auth. mod.)

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Sea ice distribution, Icebergs, Drift, Velocity measurement, Ice navigation, Ice detection, Ice forecasting, Safety, Impact strength, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

51-559

2-D frost action modeling using the segregation potential of soils.

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51-560

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51-561

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51-562

Application of damage mechanics to ice failure in compression.

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51-563

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51-564

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Oceanography, Subpolar regions, Underwater acoustics, Sound transmission, Low frequencies, Ice cover effect, Subglacial observations, Acoustic measurement, Wave propagation, Phase transformations, Water temperature, Temperature effects, Statistical analysis

51-565

Geochemistry of lavas from Mohns Ridge, Norwegian-Greenland Sea: implications for melting conditions and magma sources near Jan Mayen.

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Marine geology, Ocean bottom, Tectonics, Subpolar regions, Volcanoes, Magma, Melting points, Lithology, Sampling, Geomorphology, Geochemistry, Greenland Sea, Norwegian Sea

51-566

Prince of Wales Formation—post-flood basalt alkali volcanism in the Tertiary of East Greenland.

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Pleistocene, Subarctic landscapes, Nunataks, Volcanoes, Magma, Earth crust, Lithology, Geologic structures, Stratigraphy, Sampling, Geochemistry, Greenland—Prince of Wales Mountains

51-567

Influence of minimal freeze-thaw cycle temperature on the scaling resistance of concrete in the presence of deicer salts. [Influence de la température minimale du cycle de gel-dégel sur la détérioration du béton par écaillage en présence de sels fondants]

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Concrete admixtures, Physical properties, Freeze thaw cycles, Freeze thaw tests, Freezing points, Temperature effects, Ice removal, Salting, Mechanical tests, Concrete durability, Degradation

51-568

Observational constraints on the formation of type Ia polar stratospheric clouds.

Tabazadeh, A., Toon, O.B., Gary, B.L., Bacmeister, J.T., Shoerberl, M.R., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 1, 1996, 23(16), p.2109-2112, 15 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Turbulent boundary layer, Aerial surveys, Synoptic meteorology, Air temperature, Temperature variations, Freezing points, Forecasting, Statistical analysis

51-569

Large ^{13}CO deficit in the lower antarctic stratosphere due to "ozone hole" chemistry: part I, observations.

Brenninkmeijer, C.A.M., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 1, 1996, 23(16), p.2125-2128, 20 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Climatic changes, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Degradation, Condensation, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Carbon isotopes, Radioactive isotopes, Sampling, Isotope analysis, Correlation

Isotope and concentration measurements are reported for CO and CH_4 in air collected in the upper troposphere and lower stratosphere between New Zealand and Antarctica in Oct. 1993. The $^{13}C/^{12}C$ ratio of CO for the stratospheric samples are much lower than all previously reported atmospheric values. The measurements manifest a very steep decrease in $\delta^{13}C$ with declining CO. This large isotope shift is caused by the local production of several ppbv of extremely depleted CO. Not only is CH_4 itself a ^{13}C depleted precursor of CO, but the recently discovered large fractionation in $Cl + CH_4$ and the availability of free Cl during ozone hole conditions causes the effect. (Auth. mod.)

51-570

Large ^{13}CO deficit in the lower antarctic stratosphere due to "ozone hole" chemistry: part II, modeling.

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Polar atmospheres, Simulation, Cloud physics, Stratosphere, Climatic changes, Aerosols, Heterogeneous nucleation, Degradation, Sampling, Carbon isotopes, Isotope analysis, Correlation, Photochemical reactions, Seasonal variations

Recently, isotopically extremely light CO was found in whole air samples from the antarctic lower stratosphere (Part I). To investigate the cause of these unprecedented observations, a photochemical model is used to simulate the typical history of air masses at polar latitudes in the lowermost stratosphere over austral winter and spring. The model results show that the observations may be explained by the very efficient isotope fractionation in the reaction R1:$CH_4 + Cl \rightarrow HCl + CH_3$. Extremely high levels of Cl atom concentrations prevail in the polar lower stratosphere in austral spring for a period of about 10 days after most ozone is lost. Therefore, R1 becomes very efficient, leading to a very high rate of buildup of HCl and an unusually high isotopic CO fractionation. (Auth. mod.)

51-571

Potential of cirrus clouds for heterogeneous chlorine activation.

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Evaporation studies of model polar stratospheric cloud films.

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51-573

Air-ice-ocean momentum exchange. Part I: energy transfer between waves and ice floes.

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51-574

Linear equivalent barotropic model of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current with realistic coastlines and bottom topography.

Krupitsky, A., Kamenkovich, V.M., Naik, N., Cane, M.A., *Journal of physical oceanography,* Sep. 1996, 26(9), p.1803-1824, 45 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Bottom topography, Topographic effects, Fluid dynamics, Wind factors, Mathematical models

A linear equivalent barotropic (EB) model is applied to study the effects of the bottom topography H and baroclinicity on the total transport and the position of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC). It is shown that the asymptotic behavior of the solution of the barotropic model (a particular case of the EB model) in the limit of very small bottom friction depends on subtle details of topography and basin geometry. The authors conclude that the barotropic model is not robust with respect to possible variations of model topography. The authors found that the EB model reproduces the position and the transport of the ACC reasonably well. The solution is robust with respect to uncertainties in H. The EB model is much improved by a parameterization of the bottom friction via near-bottom velocity, which tends to shut off the flow in the shallow regions. (Auth. mod.)

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51-577

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51-578

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51-579

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51-581

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51-582

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51-583

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51-586

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51-590

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51-591

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Marine biology, Plankton, Sampling, Classifications, Structural analysis, Microstructure, Scanning electron microscopy, Canada—Northwest Territories—Foxe Basin

51-592

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Water structure, Supercooling, Liquid cooling, Molecular energy levels, Molecular structure, Proton transport, Neutron scattering, Simulation, Correlation, Spectra

51-593

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51-594

Investigation of the 1991-1993 mass balance and summer ablation, with past climatological and ablation relationships studies on the Arikaree Glacier, Front Range, Colorado.

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Mountain glaciers, Cirque glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacial meteorology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier alimentation, Glacier ablation, Glacier oscillation, Global change, Statistical analysis, United States—Colorado—Front Range

51-595

Investigation into the nature of the physical mechanisms responsible for the major synoptic systems in the eastern Canadian Arctic in the winter and summer of 1973.

LeDrew, E.F., Boulder, University of Colorado, 1976, 172p. + appends., WDCA 95000269, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.164-172.

Polar atmospheres, Marine meteorology, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Atmospheric disturbances, Weather forecasting, Computer programs, Mathematical models, Statistical analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories—Baffin Island, Baffin Bay, Davis Strait

51-596

Climate succession and glacial history of the Southern Hemisphere over the past five million years.

Quilty, P.G., ed, *Australian National Antarctic Research Expeditions. ANARE research notes,* Oct. 1995, No.94, 39p., Refs. passim.

Glacial geology, Glaciation, Paleoclimatology, Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Sea ice, Limnology, Geochronology, Fossils

This is a collection of abstracts of papers presented at a symposium convened by the Tasmanian Division of the Australian and New Zealand Association for the Advancement of Science. The symposium was based on greatly enhanced knowledge of the Cenozoic glacial record in Tasmania, and development in Tasmania of a research focus into the evolution of the Late Neogene record in Antarctica through geological and glaciological research.

51-597

NSIDC notes, issue No.18, summer 1996.

National Snow and Ice Data Center, Boulder, CO, 1996, 6p.

LANDSAT, Data transmission, Mapping, Velocity measurement, Ice sheets, Sea ice distribution, Weather stations, Antarctica—West Antarctica

The notes pertinent to Antarctica in this issue deal with a Landsat project to map ice velocities of West Antarctica; and a focused program of sea ice motion studies using instrumented buoys deployed on ice floes in the southern ocean, as near to the antarctic coastline as possible.

51-598

Role of the Antarctic in global change: an international plan for a regional research programme.

SCAR Steering Committee, Cambridge, U.K., Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research (SCAR), 1993, 54p., Prepared by the SCAR Steering Committee for the IGBP in Aug. 1992. 9 refs.

Global change, Paleoclimatology, Research projects, Ice cores, Ozone, Ice cover thickness, Air ice water interaction, Glacier oscillation, Paleoecology, Sea ice

This document follows one published by the ICSU Press and SCAR in 1989 entitled "The Role of Antarctica in Global Change". In that earlier document the reasons for conducting global change research in Antarctica were outlined in general terms. The present document provides a blueprint for action and is based on the deliberations at a SCAR-sponsored workshop which took place at the Alfred Wegener Institute in Bremerhaven, Germany, Sep. 18-21, 1991. The concept of "core" projects and regional networks was adopted in the design of the global change research program for Antarctica, outlined in this report. Six core projects were identified, which are discussed in detail: the antarctic sea-ice zone: interactions and feedbacks within the global geosphere-biosphere system; global palaeoenvironmental records from the antarctic ice sheet and marine and land sediments; the mass balance of the antarctic ice sheet and sea level; antarctic stratospheric ozone, tropospheric chemistry, and the effects of UV on the biosphere; the role of the antarctic in biogeochemical cycles and exchanges: atmosphere and ocean; and environmental monitoring and detection of global change in Antarctica.

51-599

Sea ice thickness observations from East Antarctica.

Worby, T., *Bureau of Meteorology Research Center. BMRC research report,* 1994, No.42, p.55-58, 4 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Pack ice, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Charts, Antarctica—East Antarctica

Between Oct. 1986 and May 1993 ship-based sea ice observations were kept on 17 voyages in the area of East Antarctica. To examine regional and seasonal differences in ice conditions the authors have divided the data into 3 sectors: I (60-90°E), II (90-120°E) and III (120-150°E), and further subdivided these sectors into 5 zones between the ice edge and the antarctic continent. These zones are 0-50 km, 50-150 km, 150-350 km, 350-550 km and >550 km from the ice edge. They have also simplified the ship-based observations into 4 thickness categories based on important phases in the ice growth cycle. The extremes of ice thickness found within the antarctic pack are important for different reasons. Thin ice (<0.3 m) is crucial to the exchange of heat between the ocean and atmosphere and thick ice (>1 m) contains the bulk of the ice mass within the pack. The area-averaged ice thickness has been calculated for the undeformed and ridged component of the pack which typically comprises 70-80% of the total area in each sector.

51-600

Guide to environmental services.

Warrenfeltz, L., Washington, D.C., National Ice Center, 1995, var. p.

Mapping, Sea ice, Ice sheets, Ice navigation, Snow, Meteorological factors, Spaceborne photography, Meteorological data, Data processing, Manuals

This handbook provides a brief overview of the environmental conditions typical of the Arctic and Antarctica, and an in-depth summary of the products and services available from the National Ice Center (NIC). Information regarding the availability of meteorological and oceanographic (METOC) products for the polar regions from Commander, Naval Meteorology and Oceanography Command (CNMOC) regional forecast centers is also included. The topics covered by this publication include: a brief description of the polar marine environment; a discussion of sea ice and its stages of development; an overview of the data sources incorporated into NIC products; and an overview of environmental products and services available from NIC, complimentary products from CNMOC regional forecast centers, products and services, request procedures, and dissemination means.

51-601

Wavelet analysis and visualization of the formation and evolution of low total ozone events over northern Sweden.

Weinberg, B.L., Drayson, S.R., Freese, K., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2223-2226, 13 refs.

Climatology, Subpolar regions, Atmospheric composition, Degradation, Ozone, Spectroscopy, Mapping, Periodic variations, Spectra, Sweden

51-602

Ice core data of atmospheric carbon monoxide over Antarctica and Greenland during the last 200 years.

Haan, D., Martinerie, P., Raynaud, D., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2235-2238, 27 refs.

Climatology, Climatic changes, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Sampling, Aerosols, Periodic variations, Greenland, Antarctica—East Antarctica

The first polar ice core measurements of carbon monoxide compatible with atmospheric data were obtained using an improved experimental protocol. A new CO extraction method has been developed with special care to eliminate any CO contamination. The procedure has been applied to ice core samples originating from Antarctica and Greenland in order to reconstruct past CO variations over the last 200 years. Consistent results in terms of atmospheric concentrations are obtained. The authors found that CO concentration started to increase over Greenland around 1850; by contrast, CO levels at high southern latitudes remained fairly constant between 1860 and 1916. Based on available data on past CO sources, a scenario is proposed for the CO increase observed in Greenland. In addition, these Greenland CO results suggest that simulations of preindustrial CO distribution could have underestimated CO concentrations mainly in the Northern Hemisphere leading to an overestimate of the change since preindustrial times, and to an underestimate of the past interhemispheric gradient of carbon monoxide. (Auth. mod.)

51-603

Distinctive ozone structure in the high-latitude stratosphere: measurements by the Millimeter-wave Atmospheric Sounder.

Olivero, J.J., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2309-2311, 13 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Turbulent diffusion, Ozone, Sounding, Profiles, Radiometry, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

MAS (Millimeter-wave Atmospheric Sounder) observations from the shuttle ATLAS spacelab pallet have revealed some little known structure in stratospheric ozone mixing ratio profiles at sub-polar latitudes of both hemispheres. Qualitatively similar features are observed by UARS instruments. Another possibly related feature has been observed by ground-based remote sensing from the South Pole over an extended season. In all these cases, it seems likely that active photochemistry and highly structured horizontal and vertical transport play important roles. Some evidence of a similar feature is also present in a current 2-D photochemical model. (Auth. mod.)

51-604

Space-borne H_2O observations in the arctic stratosphere and mesosphere in the spring of 1992.

Aellig, C.P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2325-2328, 12 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Water vapor, Subsidence, Sounding, Radiometry, Turbulent diffusion

51-605

ATMOS/ATLAS-3 observations of long-lived tracers and descent in the antarctic vortex in November 1994.

Abrams, M.C., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2341-2344, 12 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Subsidence, Atmospheric composition, Radiometry, Turbulent diffusion, Sounding

Observations of the long-lived tracers N_2O, CH_4 and HF obtained by the Atmospheric Trace Molecule Spectroscopy (ATMOS) instrument in early Nov. 1994 are used to estimate average descent rates during winter in the antarctic polar vortex of 0.5 to 1.5 km/month in the lower stratosphere, and 2.5 to 3.5 km/month in the middle and upper stratosphere. Descent rates inferred from ATMOS tracer observations agree well with theoretical estimates obtained using radiative heating calculations. Strong horizontal gradients of tracer mixing ratios, the presence of mesospheric air in the vortex in early spring, and the variation with altitude of inferred descent rates indicate that the antarctic vortex is highly isolated from mid-latitudes throughout the winter from approximately 20 km to the stratopause. The 1994 antarctic vortex remained well isolated between 20 and 30 km through at least mid-Nov. (Auth. mod.)

51-606

Trace gas transport in the arctic vortex inferred from ATMOS ATLAS-2 observations during April 1993.

Abrams, M.C., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2345-2348, 14 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Turbulent diffusion, Aerosols, Profiles, Subsidence, Spectroscopy

51-607

ATMOS/ATLAS-3 measurements of stratospheric chlorine and reactive nitrogen partitioning inside and outside the November 1994 antarctic vortex.

Rinsland, C.P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2365-2368, 16 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Subsidence, Sounding, Photometry, Turbulent diffusion, Models, Photochemical reactions

Partitioning between HCl and $ClONO_2$ and among the main components of the reactive nitrogen family has been studied inside and outside the antarctic stratospheric vortex based on ATMOS profiles measured at sunrise during the Nov. 3-12, 1994 ATLAS-3 Shuttle mission. Model calculations reproduce the higher levels of HCl and NO_x ($NO + NO_2$) inside the lower stratospheric vortex both driven by photochemical processes initiated by low O_3. The high HCl at low O_3 results from chemical production of HCl via the reaction of enhanced Cl with CH_4, limited production of $ClONO_2$, and the descent of inorganic chlorine from higher altitudes. (Auth. mod.)

51-608

ATMOS stratospheric deuterated water and implications for troposphere-stratosphere transport.

Moyer, E.J., Irion, F.W., Yung, Y.L., Gunson, M.R., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2385-2388, 24 refs.

Climatology, Cloud physics, Stratosphere, Spectroscopy, Water vapor, Atmospheric composition, Isotope analysis, Ice crystals, Ice sublimation, Climatic factors

51-609

ATMOS measurements of H_2O+2CH_4 and total reactive nitrogen in the November 1994 antarctic stratosphere: dehydration and denitrification in the vortex.

Rinsland, C.P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2397-2400, 24 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Polar stratospheric clouds, Degradation, Desiccation, Condensation, Photometry, Turbulent diffusion

Simultaneous stratospheric volume mixing ratios measured inside and outside the antarctic vortex by the Atmospheric Trace Molecule Spectroscopy (ATMOS) instrument in Nov. 1994 reveal previously unobserved features in the distributions of total reactive nitrogen and total hydrogen. Maximum removal of NO_y due to sedimentation of polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs) inside the vortex occurred at a potential temperature of 500-525 K, where values were 5 times smaller than measurements outside. Maximum loss of H_2O+2CH_4 due to PSCs occurred in the vortex at 425-450 K. The antarctic and Apr. 1993 arctic measurements by ATMOS show no significant differences in volume mixing ratios outside the vortices in the two hemispheres. (Auth. mod.)

51-610

Stratospheric meteorological conditions for the 3-12 Nov 1994 ATMOS/ATLAS-3 measurements.

Manney, G.L., Swinbank, R., O'Neill, A., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2409-2412, 11 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Climatology, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Stratosphere, Polar stratospheric clouds, Spectroscopy

During the ATLAS-3 mission (Nov. 3-12, 1994) United Kingdom Meteorological Office fields show that the Southern Hemisphere (SH) vortex was still strong below about 700 K, with coherent vortex fragments apparent up to about 1300 K. The SH vortex was shifted off the pole toward 270°E throughout ATLAS-3, although its shape varied from day to day. SH temperatures were increasing during ATLAS-3; temperatures below 188 K were last seen 35-45 days before the mission, but were below 195 K as late as Nov. 2, 1994. The Northern Hemisphere (NH) polar vortex had developed at levels above about 550 K. Simulated high-resolution potential vorticity fields clearly show low latitude air being drawn up around the polar vortices in both hemispheres. These fields indicate that meteorological analyses underestimate the amount of atmospheric variability, including the strength of local PV gradients, and small-scale structure. (Auth. mod.)

51-611

Coarse bed load transport in a glacial valley, Sermilik, South East Greenland.

Busskamp, R., Hasholt, B., *Zeitschrift für Geomorphologie,* Sep. 1996, 40(3), p.349-358, With German and French summaries. 19 refs.

Glacial geology, Subarctic landscapes, Glacial hydrology, Glacier beds, Glacial rivers, Sampling, Sediment transport, Glacial erosion, Grain size, Geomorphology, Landscape development, Greenland—Mitdluagkat Glacier

51-612

Old cryogenic structures of Northern Patagonia: the Cryomere Penfordd.

Trombotto, D., *Zeitschrift für Geomorphologie,* Sep. 1996, 40(3), p.385-399, With German and French summaries. 30 refs.

Geocryology, Earth crust, Quaternary deposits, Cryogenic structures, Sedimentation, Classifications, Periglacial processes, Ice wedges, Cryoturbation, Freeze thaw cycles, Argentina—Patagonia

51-613

Effects of de-icing salt on ground water characteristics.

O'Brien, J.E., Majewski, J.C., *Environmental letters,* 1975, 8(4), p.303-313, 4 refs.

Water supply, Wells, Water pollution, Road icing, Salting, Runoff, Ground water, Chemical properties, Ion density (concentration), Environmental impact, Statistical analysis

51-614

***In-situ* x-ray topographic observations of notches in ice.**

Hu, X., Baker, I., Dudley, M., *Scripta materialia,* Feb. 1, 1996, 34(3), p.491-497, 21 refs.

Ice physics, Ice mechanics, Stress concentration, Ice deformation, Plastic deformation, Ice crystal structure, Ice microstructure, Orientation, Defects, X ray analysis, Topographic features

51-615

Mid-latitude noctilucent cloud observations by lidar.

von Cossart, G., Hoffmann, P., von Zahn, U., Keckhut, P., Hauchecorne, A., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.2919-2922, 13 refs.

Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Optical phenomena, Profiles, Lidar, Backscattering, Detection, Sounding, Ice crystal optics, Particle size distribution

51-616

On the use of carbon tetrachloride as a transient tracer of Weddell Sea deep and bottom waters.

Meredith, M.P., Van Scoy, K.A., Watson, A.J., Locarnini, R.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.2943-2946, 22 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Ventilation, Geochemistry, Aerosols, Turbulent diffusion, Sampling, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Antarctic bottom waters have long been known to be a mixture of Circumpolar Deep Water and Shelf Water. Recent observations show that in the antarctic bottom waters of the Scotia Sea and northern Weddell Sea, the ratios of carbon tetrachloride (CCl_4) to chlorofluorocarbons (CFC-11, 12) are inconsistent with the ratios observed in the surface layer of the Weddell Sea. This is the result of a deficit of CCl_4 in the bottom waters, and renders the compound unsuitable for use as a transient tracer from which apparent ages can be derived directly. The summer near-surface temperature minimum of Antarctic Surface Water exhibits a similar inconsistency, demonstrating that CCl_4 can be removed from cold waters with high oxygen levels, probably through a biological process. It is inferred that Shelf Water features a similar CCl_4 deficit which is transferred to the new antarctic bottom waters upon formation, accounting for the observed deep CCl_4 deficit. (Auth. mod.)

51-617

Ocean circulation variations associated with the Antarctic Circumpolar Wave.

Jacobs, G.A., Mitchell, J.L., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.2947-2950, 12 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Polar atmospheres, Heat transfer, Advection, Atmospheric circulation, Wind factors, Atmospheric boundary layer, Models, Statistical analysis

Altimeter data analysis indicates persistent sea surface height (SSH) anomalies propagating eastward about the antarctic continent. The spatial and temporal characteristics match variations in the atmosphere and sea surface temperature (SST) that are associated with the Antarctic Circumpolar Wave (ACW). During the observation time period, the SSH appears quasiperiodic with a dominant 4 year period and 180° longitude wavelength. Thus, the SSH signature of the ACW appears as two anomalies on opposite sides of the antarctic continent propagating eastward at 10 cm/s. The SSH response to observed wind forcing agrees in terms of amplitude and phase with simple quasigeostrophic dynamics. (Auth. mod.)

51-618

North Pole ice thickness and association with ice motion history 1977-1992.

Shy, T.L., Walsh, J.E., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.2975-2978, 12 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice cover effect, Drift, Ice air interface, Wind factors, Drift stations, Underwater acoustics, Seasonal variations, Arctic Ocean, North Pole

51-619

Dormant state of rifting below the Byrd Subglacial Basin, West Antarctica, implied by magnetotelluric (MT) profiling.

Wannamaker, P.E., Stodt, J.A., Olsen, S.L., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.2983-2986, 13 refs.

Geological surveys, Tectonics, Rock properties, Geomagnetism, Magnetic surveys, Magnetic anomalies, Sounding, Models, Subglacial observations, Ice cover effect, Antarctica—Byrd Subglacial Basin

During the 1994-95 austral summer field season, the authors collected 12, high-quality MT soundings over the Byrd Subglacial Basin of central West Antarctica. Ten equispaced sites in a 54 km profile cross regional aeromagnetic trends and complement seismic reflection and refraction results collected by others. Objectives were to prove such measurements were feasible over the 2 km thick interior ice sheet, and to show from deep electrical resistivity whether the Byrd Basin comprises an active rift environment. The difficult acquisition of electric field data on ice was overcome using a custom electrometer system, with preamplifiers located at the electrode sites to buffer the high contact impedances of the ice as close to the source as possible. Two-dimensional modeling of the profile shows that resistivity of the deep crust and upper mantle is about 2000-3000 ohm-m to 100 km depth or more. This is much higher than observed in active extensional regimes, suggesting that the current state of rifting, at least in this part of central West Antarctica, is dormant. (Auth. mod.)

51-620

Late Quaternary variations in relative sea level due to glacial cycle polar wander.

Bills, B.G., James, T.S., *Geophysical research letters,* Oct. 15, 1996, 23(21), p.3023-3026, 27 refs.

Oceanography, Pleistocene, Earth crust, Glacial geology, Sea level, Glacier oscillation, Ice sheets, Ice melting, Ice loads, Ice cover effect, Isostasy, Viscoelasticity, Analysis (mathematics)

51-621

Analysis of mesoscale linear features observed in the arctic atmospheric boundary layer.

Mourad, P.D., Walter, B.A., *Monthly weather review,* Sep. 1996, 124(9), p.1924-1940, 33 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Infrared reconnaissance, Atmospheric boundary layer, Turbulent diffusion, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Ice air interface, Ice openings, Condensation nuclei, Convection, Ice cover effect, Statistical analysis, Arctic Ocean

51-622

Wintertime surface winds over the Greenland ice sheet.

Bromwich, D.H., Du, Y., Hines, K.M., *Monthly weather review,* Sep. 1996, 124(9), p.1941-1947, 22 refs.

Climatology, Wind (meteorology), Ice sheets, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Radiant cooling, Simulation, Mathematical models, Topographic effects, Greenland

51-623

Evolution of the tropospheric split jet over the South Pacific Ocean during the 1986-89 ENSO cycle.

Chen, B., Smith, S.R., Bromwich, D.H., *Monthly weather review,* Aug. 1996, 124(8), p.1711-1731, 55 refs.

Climatology, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Synoptic meteorology, Polar atmospheres, Seasonal variations, Topographic effects

A case study investigation into the meridional and horizontal circulation over the South Pacific Ocean, including Antarctica, is presented for the 1986-89 El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO) cycle. Analysis of the momentum budget reveals how the split jet in the upper troposphere over South Pacific Ocean evolved during the 1986-89 ENSO cycle. The variations in the split jet may reflect the poleward propagation of the ENSO signal via the South Pacific convergence zone. The implications for the high southern latitudes are discussed as interannual variations are found in the low-level easterlies near Antarctica and the Amundsen Sea low. (Auth. mod.)

51-624

Validation of NOAA-9 SBUV/2 total ozone measurements during the 1994 antarctic ozone hole.

Lienesch, J.H., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Sep. 15, 1996, 23(19), p.2593-2596, 13 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric density, Stratosphere, Degradation, Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Backscattering, Remote sensing, Spacecraft, Seasonal variations

The Solar Backscatter Ultraviolet (SBUV/2) instrument on the NOAA-9 spacecraft made total ozone measurements over Antarctica during the 1994 Austral Spring depletion. To validate the NOAA-9 ozone measurements, daily zonal ozone averages from NOAA-9 and NOAA-11 measurements in the Northern Hemisphere have been compared. Comparisons have also been made with ground-based measurements from five Dobson stations dispersed on the antarctic continent. The results show that the NOAA-9 data agree to within 1-2% with the Dobson stations. This agreement makes possible not only a continuation of the antarctic measurements without a large instrument-related bias, but also establishes the NOAA-9 data as a suitable transition data set during the replacement of NOAA-11 by NOAA-14. (Auth. mod.)

51-625

Autocatalytic release of bromine from arctic snow pack during polar sunrise.

Tang, T., McConnell, J.C., *Geophysical research letters,* Sep. 15, 1996, 23(19), p.2633-2636, 18 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Degradation, Ozone, Aerosols, Scavenging, Organic nuclei, Snow impurities, Snow cover effect, Snow air interface, Vapor diffusion, Photochemical reactions, Models

51-626

Ice core record of fatty acids over the past 450 years in Greenland.

Kawamura, K., Suzuki, I., Fujii, Y., Watanabe, O., *Geophysical research letters,* Sep. 15, 1996, 23(19), p.2665-2668, 35 refs.

Climatology, Climatic changes, Atmospheric circulation, Sedimentation, Ice sheets, Ice air interface, Ice cores, Sampling, Aerosols, Organic nuclei, Statistical analysis, Greenland

51-627

Correction to "Composition and freezing of aqueous H_2SO_4/HNO_3 solutions under polar stratospheric conditions" by K.D. Beyer, S.W. Seago, H.Y. Chang and M.J. Molina.

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Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice vapor interface, Aerosols, Vapor pressure, Cloud physics

In the paper "Composition and Freezing of aqueous H_2SO_4/HNO_3 solutions under polar stratospheric conditions" by K.D. Beyer et al. *(Geophysical Research Letters,* 21(10), 871-874, 1994) the text should be amended to the section "Parameterization of the vapor pressure data," as indicated. (Auth. mod.)

51-628

ARC: a source of multisensor satellite data for polar science.

Van Woert, M.L., Whritner, R.H., Waliser, D.E., Bromwich, D.H., Comiso, J.C., *EOS,* Feb. 11, 1992, 73(6), p.65 and 75-76, 14 refs.

Global change, Remote sensing, Meteorological data, Mapping, Imaging, Sea ice distribution, Spaceborne photography, Antarctica—Weddell Sea, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf

Under the auspices of the National Science Foundation, the Antarctic Research Center (ARC) was established at Scripps Institution of Oceanography to provide real-time, polar-orbiting satellite data in support of antarctic field studies and to maintain a multisensor satellite data archive for retrospective data analysis. This article describes the ARC and its data collection program and data archive and gives one example of how the complementary nature of a multisensor satellite data set can be used to enhance the understanding of physical processes in Antarctica.

51-629

Arctic regions surface air temperature anomalies. *Climate monitor,* Dec. 1989-Dec. 1990, 19(1-5), p.58-65.

Polar atmospheres, Climatology, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Meteorological data, Seasonal variations, Temperature variations

51-630

Listing of temperatures at Arctic and Antarctic stations. *Climate monitor,* Dec. 1989-Dec. 1990, 19(1-5), p.74-83.

Polar atmospheres, Climatology, Air temperature, Seasonal variations, Meteorological data

Tables showing arctic and antarctic stations and their coordinates, and temperatures recorded at the stations from Dec. 1989 through Nov. 1990, as well as mean temperature values for the same period, are presented.

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Survey methods for Quaternary glacial geology. [Disiji bingchuan dizhi diaocha fangfa]

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51-632

Glaciers and climate in the Mount Tuomuer region of the Tian Shan. [Tianshan Tuomuer feng diqu de bingchuan yu qixiang], Urumqi, China, Xinjiang renmin chubanshe (Xinjiang People's Publishing House), 1985, 224p., In Chinese with English table of contents. Refs. passim. Edited by the Scientific Mountaineering Expedition of the Chinese Academy of Sciences (Zhongguo kexue yuan Dengshan kexue kaochadui).

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51-633

Glaciers of Xizang (Tibet). [Xizang bingchuan], Zhongguo kexueyuan Qingzang gaoyuan zonghe kexue kaochadui. Qingzang gaoyuan kexue kaocha congshu (Chinese Academy of Sciences. Qinghai-Xizang Plateau Comprehensive Scientific Survey Team. Series of the Scientific Expedition to the Qinghai-Xizang Plateau), Beijing, Kexue chubanshe (Science Press), 1986, 328p. + plates, In Chinese with English table of contents. Refs. passim.

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Glacial hydrology, Glacial geology, Alpine glaciation, Snow line, Paleoclimatology, China—Xizang

51-634

Characteristics of different strata of the central Antarctic glacier in connection with microbiological studies. [Kharakteristika razlichnykh sloev lednika tsentral'noĭ Antarktidy v sviazi s mikrobiologicheskimi issledovaniami]

Abyzov, S.S., Lipenkov, V.IA., Bobin, N.E., Kudriashov, B.B., Pashkevich, V.M., *Antarktika,* 1993, No.32, p.188-194, In Russian with English summary. 31 refs.

Ice cores, Ice density, Microbiology, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The results of microbiological studies of ice cores removed from the deep strata of the central antarctic glacier are presented. These show that the number of viable micro-organisms in a state of anabiosis is extremely low in strata more than 150 thousand years old. Special glaciological studies on the cores show an extreme solidity of the glacial monolith in the deep strata preventing the penetration of alien microparticles or drilling fluid. (Auth.)

51-635

Meridional volume and heat transport by large-scale geostrophic currents in the Pacific sector of the Antarctic.

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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Velocity measurement, Hydrography, Heat flux, Air water interactions, Icebergs, Drift, Oceanographic surveys, — South Pacific Ocean

Hydrophysical and current data measurements by an acoustic doppler current meter were obtained in 1992, along 67°S in the Pacific Sector of the Antarctic, and were analyzed for the purpose of estimating the meridional volume and heat transports connected with large-scale geostrophic currents. Large-scale components of all initial hydrophysical fields were obtained by optimal smoothing of these fields along the section. The obtained pattern of geostrophic currents, involves boundary currents at the antarctic continental slope, the volume transports of which were also estimated. The heat transport connected with the barotropic component of this pattern is not representative climatically, because of the instability of this component. The baroclinic mode of the distribution of geostrophic currents includes a vertical component of water circulation, averaged over the section, with currents toward the antarctic continent in the upper part of the ocean and in the opposite direction in the lower part. This mode of currents provides integral heat transport toward the antarctic continent that can be treated as a possible mechanism for the compensation of the annual heat flux from the ocean to the atmosphere in this region. (Auth. mod.)

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Physical properties of late quaternary sediments of the Kara Shelf and conditions of their formation.

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Oceanography, Marine biology, Biomass, Plankton, Sampling, Samplers, Performance, Statistical analysis, Bering Sea

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Deep electrical conductivity in the Siberian Platform.

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Geoelectromagnetic monitoring of water discharge in the Bering Strait (appraising of potentialities).

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51-641

Quaternary pollen records from the Archipiélago de Chiloé in the context of glaciation and climate.

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Cold-fog test.

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51-643

Freshening of the underice layer due to melting.

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51-646

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51-649

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51-652

Variability of internal stresses in typical local ice cover inhomogeneities.

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Sea ice, Ice cover thickness, Ice mechanics, Ice deformation, Stress concentration, Shear stress, Thermal stresses, Thermal regime, Temperature gradients

Field measurements performed under various conditions in both the Arctic and Antarctic were used to determine the structure of internal normal stresses in typical local ice cover inhomogeneities: crack boundaries, topographic inhomogeneities, violations of isostatic balance, and temperature differences. (Auth. mod.)

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51-655

UV absorption spectra of H_2O/HNO_3 films.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Aerosols, Water films, Ice vapor interface, Ultraviolet radiation, Radiation absorption, Photochemical reactions, Spectra, Simulation

The ultraviolet (UV) absorption spectra were measured for amorphous and crystalline H_2O/HNO_3 films representative of polar stratospheric clouds. Film compositions were determined using laser induced thermal desorption. Pure HNO_3 films showed a broad absorption peak with a maximum absorbance at $\lambda \approx 195$ nm. The absorbances of amorphous H_2O/HNO_3 films were also broad and peaked at λ=196-198 nm. The absorption cross sections increased slightly for more dilute films, although the band shape was nearly

independent of the H_2O content. The major absorbing species in crystalline hydrates is also NO_3^- and these films all had very similar UV absorption spectra. (Auth. mod.)

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51-664

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51-665

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51-669

Comparison of 6.7-μm radiances computed from aircraft soundings and observed from GOES.

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Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Humidity, Cloud physics, Radiation balance, Radiance, Radiation absorption, Sounding, Radiometry, Brightness, Light scattering, Air temperature, Freezing points, Correlation

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Three-dimensional observations of ice crystal characteristics in polar ice sheets.

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Glaciology, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Sampling, Ice microstructure, Thin sections, Ice crystal size, Ice crystal structure, Stereomapping, Profiles, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Mizuho Station

In ice core studies, mean crystal size is generally measured on a section image of an ice specimen. However, an ice crystal with a complex shape may appear as several cells on a section image; consequently, the mean crystal size may be underestimated by overcounting the crystals on the image. The authors examined this phenomenon, called the duplication effect, through three-dimensional observation of crystal shapes. The frequency in which duplicate cells appear on a section image is linear with respect to the frequency of which randomly drawn lines on the image pass a cell more than once. On the basis of this empirical relationship, the error on the mean crystal size caused by the duplication effect can be revised from the section image itself. They also examined crystal sizes in some antarctic ice specimens. The extent of change of crystal size steadily increased with depth up to 100 m and then fluctuated between 6 and 10% in the deeper parts. (Auth. mod.)

51-671

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51-672
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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Turbulent boundary layer, Hydrography, Salinity, Stratification, Profiles, Density (mass/volume), Meltwater, Seasonal variations, Mathematical models, Wind factors, Antarctica—Lützow-Holm Bay
During the period of 1990-1992, year-round oceanographic observations were conducted in the vicinity of Lützow-Holm Bay, East Antarctica. It was found that the thickness of the Winter Water (WW) layer, characterized by a cold fresh oxygen-rich water, exhibits its maximum in the austral fall (typically 500 m) and its minimum in the austral summer (typically 350-400 m). The associated density variation of the water column explains only about one third of the seasonal variations in sea level at the coast, which suggests a large seasonal variation in barotropic coastal flow. Prominent freshening occurs in the WW layer during fall. This appears to be caused by the accumulation of WW, whose upper portion is freshened in the preceding summer. These seasonal variations appear to occur every year. The authors propose that the seasonal variation in the WW layer is caused by the seasonal variation in the wind over the coastal ocean. (Auth. mod.)

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Sea ice distribution, Oceanography, Drift, Ocean currents, Velocity measurement, Turbulent boundary layer, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Wind factors, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
The data from sea ice buoys are uniformly analyzed by objective methods. Geostrophic winds are derived after matching of the buoy pressure data with the surface pressure fields of the European Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasts. The ratio between ice drift and geostrophic wind speeds is reduced when winds and currents oppose each other, when the atmospheric surface layer is stably stratified, and when the ice is under pressure near coasts. Far from coasts, speed ratios, which presumably reflect internal stress variations in the ice cover, are independent of drift divergence on the spatial scale of 100 km. To study basin-scale ice dynamics, all ice drift data are related to the geostrophic winds based on the complex linear model for daily averaged data. In the southwestern Weddell Sea the mean ice drift speed is reduced to less than 0.5% of the geostrophic wind speed and increases rather continuously to 1.5% in the northern, central, and eastern Weddell Sea. The linear model accounts for less than 50% of the total variance of drift speeds in the southwestern Weddell Sea and up to 80% in the northern and eastern Weddell Sea. (Auth. mod.)

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51-695

Multibasin reduced model of the global thermohaline circulation: paleoceanographic analyses of the origins of ice-age climate variability.

Sakai, K., Peltier, W.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 15, 1996, 101(C10), p.22,535-22,562, 44 refs.

Oceanography, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Hydrologic cycle, Ocean currents, Salinity, Heat flux, Glacier melting, Meltwater, Air ice water interaction, Mathematical models

A new, multibasin reduced model of the global thermohaline circulation has been developed that builds upon the single-basin Atlantic model recently described in Sakai and Peltier [1995]. The model comprises individual, two-dimensional, Atlantic, Indian, and Pacific components which are linked via a circumpolar basin representative of the southern ocean. It also includes a complete seasonal cycle for sea surface temperature, a sea ice component, and an acceptably accurate representation of the influence of both wind stress and bottom topography. The circulation in the individual basins is described using a stretched coordinate system in order to allow the use of reduced vertical resolution where high resolution is unnecessary. The authors also describe a sequence of paleoceanographic experiments that have been designed to explore the sensitivity of the deep circulation to the impact of the specific surface freshwater anomalies that are known to have developed during the last deglaciation event of the current ice age. The simulation of the response of the thermohaline circulation to such anomalies provides strong additional support for the notion that modulation of the strength of the overturning flow in the Atlantic basin played a very important role in the Younger-Dryas climate reversal. (Auth. mod.)

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Ice shelves, Grounded ice, Ice solid interface, Ice bottom surface, Ice melting, Glacier mass balance, Melting points, Seismic surveys, Seismic reflection, Profiles, Antarctica—Rutford Ice Stream

Analysis of seismic data provides a new technique to measure basal melting of an ice shelf close to the grounding line. Internal reflections have been observed within the ice on a seismic reflection profile at the grounding line of Ronne Ice Shelf. The changes in ice thickness above and below these reflections have been used in a steady state model to calculate the basal mass flux of the ice shelf soon after the ice begins to float. Strain rates within the ice, calculated during the modeling, agree with values from nearby survey data. The calculated melt rates range between 0 and 7 m/yr with an estimated standard error of ±2.4 m/yr, in reasonable agreement with earlier estimates based on surface glaciological observations. (Auth. mod.)

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51-714

Climate-controlled glacial erosion in the unconsolidated sediments of northwestern Europe, based on a genetic model for tunnel valley formation.

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51-715

Dynamics of microplankton communities at the ice-edge zone of the Lazarev Sea during a summer drogue study.

Froneman, P.W., Perissinotto, R., McQuaid, C.D., *Journal of plankton research,* Aug. 1996, 18(8), p.1455-1470, Refs. p.1467-1470.

Marine biology, Ecosystems, Plankton, Sea ice, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Biomass, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, Chlorophylls, Sampling

Microzooplankton grazing and community structure were investigated in the austral summer of 1995 at the ice-edge zone of the Lazarev Sea. Grazing was estimated at the surface chlorophyll maximum (5-10 m) by employing the sequential dilution technique. Chlorophyll *a* concentrations were dominated by chain-forming microphytoplankton of the genera *Chaetoceros* and *Nitzschia.* Microzooplankton were numerically dominated by aloricate ciliates and dinoflagellates. Instantaneous growth rates of nanophytoplankton varied between 0.019 and 0.080/day. Instantaneous grazing rates of microzooplankton on nanophytoplankton varied from 0.012 to 0.052/day. This corresponds to a nanophytoplankton daily loss of between 1.3 and 7.0% of the initial standing stock, and between 45 and 97% of the daily potential production. Growth rates of microphytoplankton were lower, varying between 0.011 and 0.070/day. At only 3 of the 10 stations did grazing by microzooplankton result in a decrease in microphytoplankton concentration. Data show that microzooplankton grazing at the ice edge were not sufficient to prevent chlorophyll *a* accumulation in regions dominated by microphytoplankton. Here, the major biological routes for the uptake of carbon therefore appear to be grazing by metazoans or the sedimentation of phytoplankton cells. (Auth. mod.)

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51-717

Global sea ice concentration data set for use with the ECMWF Re-analysis system.

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Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Sensor mapping, Radiometry, Data processing, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis

The global sea ice concentration data set used in the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts Re-Analysis system is described. This data set consists of weekly global sea ice concentration data from Nov. 1978 to Dec. 1991. The original data used in the calculations were created from satellite multichannel microwave radiometer data. Because many erroneous data were included in the original sea ice concentration data, a quality control process was carried out to remove them. To fix the sea ice limit to be used as a sea ice mask in the numerical prediction model, the sea ice data were compared with manual analyses over the Baltic Sea and the Sea of Okhotsk, and a sea ice concentration of 55% was found for the best criterion. The satellite sea ice data showed some interesting features: the seasonal change characteristic of sea ice coverage is different between the Arctic and the Antarctic. The annual mean sea ice extent was almost constant for the Antarctic but it showed a slight decrease for the Arctic. In spite of small interannual variations of total sea ice extent, large variations were observed in local sea ice coverage. (Auth. mod.)

51-718

Development of the antarctic ozone hole.

Schoeberl, M.R., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Sep. 20, 1996, 101(D15), p.20,909-20,924, 55 refs.

Climatology, Air pollution, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Ozone, Atmospheric density, Degradation, Aerosols, Condensation, Seasonal variations, Simulation, Mathematical models

A Lagrangian chemical model is used to simulate the formation of the antarctic "ozone hole": the decrease in high-latitude Southern Hemisphere ozone between mid-Aug. and mid-Sep. of each year. The model benchmark simulation of HNO_3, $ClONO_2$, ClO, and ozone for Sep. 17, 1992, is in good agreement with UARS observations. Simulations of the ozone column over the years 1979-1994 show quantitative agreement with the secular decline in antarctic ozone and change in the area of the ozone hole as observed by the total ozone mapping spectrometer. The model calculates that the antarctic ozone loss and ozone hole area both increased linearly with time after the early 1970s until the early 1990s. After the early 1990s the growth of the area of the ozone hole slows as a result of the slowing of the growth rate of total inorganic chlorine. A hypothetical doubling of the 1992 atmospheric chlorine amount would expand the ozone hole to the very edge of the polar vortex. (Auth. mod.)

51-719

Correlated millimeter wave measurements of ClO, N_2O, and HNO_3 from McMurdo, Antarctica, during polar spring 1994.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Turbulent diffusion, Ozone, Atmospheric density, Sounding, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Ground-based observations of stratospheric ClO, N_2O, and HNO_3 were made at McMurdo Station during the austral spring of 1994, using two separate microwave receivers. In early Sep., McMurdo was located well inside the polar vortex, and high mixing ratios of chlorine monoxide were measured in the lower stratosphere. Because of vortex movement, later measurements were taken in edge regions, where ClO was found to be quite variable. This vortex movement also provided an opportunity to study relative changes between all three species. Almost no HNO_3 was seen below 20 km during the measurement period, indicating that stratospheric air had been efficiently denitrified by polar stratospheric cloud formation. A significant increase of the nitric acid column was observed only around Sep. 20, when McMurdo was closer to the outer edge of the vortex. Subsidence continued in the stratosphere over McMurdo Station until at least early Oct., when measurements were stopped. (Auth. mod.)

51-720

Sources and sinks of carbonyl compounds in the Arctic Ocean boundary layer: polar ice floe experiment.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Hydrocarbons, Turbulent diffusion, Atmospheric boundary layer, Aerosols, Ozone, Sampling, Degradation, Ice air interface, Pack ice, Statistical analysis, Arctic Ocean

51-721

Global satellite observations of negative brightness temperature differences between 11 and 6.7 μm.

Ackerman, S.A., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* Oct. 1, 1996, 53(19), p.2803-2812, 24 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Radiation balance, Brightness, Temperature variations, Radiometry, Spectra, Cloud cover, Detection, Statistical analysis

Global analyses of satellite spectral observations indicate the existence of negative brightness temperature differences when cold scenes are viewed. In July, more than 60% of the observations over the antarctic plateau had BT_{11}-$BT_{6.7}$ < -5 K. In Jan., over Greenland, the frequency of occurrence is approximately 20%. Three factors are investigated that may contribute to these observed negative brightness temperature differences: 1) calibration errors, 2) nonuniform scenes within the field of view, and 3) physical properties of the observed phenomena. A doubling and adding radiative transfer model is used to investigate the physical explanations of the negative differences. The model simulations are capable of producing large negative differences over high-altitude polar regions. Distinguishing clear and cloudy regions from satellite infrared radiances is a challenging problem in polar winter conditions. Brightness temperature differences provide a technique to separate cold, optically thick clouds from clear-sky conditions when strong radiation inversions exist at the surface. Further evidence that the large negative values of BT_{11}-$BT_{6.7}$ are associated with surface inversions is presented by comparing the satellite observations with surface temperature measurements from an antarctic automated weather station. (Auth. mod.)

51-722

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51-723

Frost formation under different gaseous atmospheres.

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51-724

Microcomputer-based Alpine Snow-cover Analysis System (ASCAS).

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51-725

Estimating iceberg populations on the Grand Banks.

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51-727

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51-728

Freezing as a method of sample preservation for the analysis of dissolved inorganic nutrients in seawater.

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Marine biology, Nutrient cycle, Suspended sediments, Solubility, Sampling, Preserving, Cold storage, Sea water freezing, Frozen liquids, Laboratory techniques, Geochemical cycles

51-729

Biogeochemistry of Lena River: organic carbon and nutrients distribution.

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Estuaries, Subpolar regions, Oceanography, Water chemistry, Runoff, Surface drainage, Turbulent diffusion, Mass transfer, Geochemical cycles, Organic nuclei, Suspended sediments, Sampling, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-730

Distribution and sinking rates of phytoplankton, detritus, and particulate biogenic silica in the Laptev Sea and Lena River (arctic Siberia).

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Oceanography, Estuaries, Subpolar regions, Marine biology, Ecosystems, Plankton, Biomass, Suspended sediments, Geochemical cycles, Sampling, Hydrography, Nutrient cycle, Seasonal variations, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-731

Microbial activities in the Lena River delta and Laptev Sea.

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Oceanography, Estuaries, Runoff, Subpolar regions, Deltas, Microbiology, Bacteria, Marine biology, Biomass, Sampling, Organic nuclei, Geochemical cycles, Degradation, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-732

Outflow of trace metals into the Laptev Sea by the Lena River.

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Oceanography, Estuaries, Subpolar regions, Runoff, Water chemistry, Metals, Microanalysis, Suspended sediments, Solubility, Sediment transport, Sampling, Geochemical cycles, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-733

Partitioning of trace metals between the dissolved and particulate phases and particulate surface reactivity in the Lena River estuary and the Laptev Sea (Russia).

Garnier, J.M., Martin, J.M., Mouchel, J.M., Sioud, K., *Marine chemistry,* Aug. 1996, 53(3-4), p.269-283, 40 refs.

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51-734

Distribution of trace and major elements in sediment and pore waters of the Lena Delta and Laptev Sea.

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Oceanography, Subpolar regions, Estuaries, Deltas, Bottom sediment, Leaching, Geochemical cycles, Suspended sediments, Sampling, Metals, Profiles, Statistical analysis, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-735

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Oceanography, Subpolar regions, Estuaries, Runoff, Organic soils, Bottom sediment, Drill core analysis, Quaternary deposits, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, Sampling, Organic nuclei, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

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51-737

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51-738

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51-739

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Soil freezing, Water retention, Soil water migration, Frozen ground mechanics, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Ice water interface, Interstitial ice, Soil tests, Probes, Unfrozen water content

51-740

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51-741

Vegetation history of Pleasant Island, southeastern Alaska, since 13,000 yr B.P.

Hansen, B.C.S., Engstrom, D.R., *Quaternary research,* Sep. 1996, 46(2), p.161-175, 61 refs.

Paleoecology, Paleoclimatology, Quaternary deposits, Lacustrine deposits, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Subarctic landscapes, Palynology, Paludification, Revegetation, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, United States—Alaska—Pleasant Island

51-742

Singularity-free interpretation of the thermodynamics of supercooled water.

Sastry, S., Debenedetti, P.G., Sciortino, F., Stanley, H.E., *Physical review E,* June 1996, 53(6), p.6144-6154, 33 refs.

Water structure, Supercooling, Liquid cooling, Thermal expansion, Temperature effects, Thermodynamic properties, Hydrogen bonds, Mathematical models, Latticed structures

51-743

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Oerter, H., ed, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, 128p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see F-56064 through F-56076, F-56078, F-56079, F-56081 through F-56087, G-56080, J-56077 or 51-744 through 51-767.

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Research projects, Low temperature research, Sea ice, Ice shelves, Ice sheets, Radio echo soundings, Ice cores, Geodetic surveys, Ice water interface, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

This report contains 24 written summaries of 30 talks presented at the 10th International Workshop of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP). The meeting was held at Leipzig, Germany, on June 11-14, 1995. The papers collected in this volume present an overview of FRISP and of the cooperation of participating groups. ERS-1 data, used for the determination of special surface features and ice velocities, are included in the report. The ice-shelf ocean interaction is one of the major topics, including field investigations and modelling, with seismic measurements and airborne radio echo sounding data discussed and illustrated.

51-744

Ice-ocean interactions in front of Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf.

Bombosch, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.11-13, 5 refs.

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Ice water interface, Ice formation, Ice models, Ice crystal structure, Ice shelves, Oceanography, Thermodynamics, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Interactions between ice and ocean have a major impact on the south polar ocean system. Over the large shelf areas of the antarctic continent, freezing of ocean water leads to salt rejection into the water. Higher saline shelf water is formed which later may contribute to the Antarctic Bottom Water formation and subsequently to the thermohaline circulations of the global ocean system. The area beneath and in front of Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf seems to play an important role within the global ocean system. A numerical model is presented which focuses especially on underwater ice platelet-ocean interactions in front of Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf. The one dimensional model is based on the conservation of mass and momentum. It is suggested that the oceanographic conditions within the water do not change and that the ice crystal-ocean system keeps in a dynamic equilibrium.

51-745

Airborne radio echo investigations of a marine ice body.

Corr, H., Popple, M., Robinson, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.14-17, 10 refs.

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Ice formation, Sea ice, Radio echo soundings, Ice cores, Ice salinity, Ice water interface, Oceanography, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

During the antarctic 1994-95 field season 8 dedicated airborne radio echo flights were flown from remote field camps over the western side of the Ronne Ice Shelf and its tributary ice streams. This paper deals with processed data from just one of these flights, labelled as Flight 13 in a figure. The existence of a large body of marine ice between the Evans and Rutford ice streams has been confirmed by direct measurements. The necessary oceanographic conditions for the deposition of this marine ice are discussed. The accretion mechanism for the low salinity marine ice found in the B13 ice core is thought to be by the accumulation of ice platelets. However, examination of the PRC at the meteoric-marine ice interface shows a high conductivity linear feature. A high conductivity at the interface suggest a salinity of the marine ice that is more appropriate for sea ice. A possible accretion mechanism would then be the congelation of sea ice at the ice-water interface.

51-746

Borehole logging of physical ice properties on Berkner Island, Antarctica: preliminary results.

Gerland, S., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.18-22, 4 refs.

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Electrical resistivity, Ice physics, Boreholes, Recording, Temperature measurement, Antarctica—Berkner Island

Knowledge about physical properties of ice is crucial for the understanding of environmental and precipitation conditions in the past. Physical property logs enable stratigraphy studies as well as dating. Usually, logs from ice caps were obtained from core measurements after drillings. This study shows borehole logging with a newly designed borehole probe as a complement to core measurements. One of the major advantages of such borehole measurements is the possibility of filling gaps in data profiles from core measurements due to broken or non-recovered core material; furthermore, borehole logs contain a different, non-interrupted independent depth scale without gaps. Distorting effects from coring on core material are not present. Borehole measurements are relatively fast and enable physical property determination *in-situ.* Borehole measurements were performed at the south dome (Thyssenhöle) of Berkner I. during the antarctic field season 1994-95.

51-747

Interaction between ice-shelf cavities and the open ocean.

Grosfeld, K., Determann, J., Gerdes, R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.23-30, 16 refs.

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Ice shelves, Thickness, Simulation, Oceanography, Ice water interface, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

A 3D-Ocean Global Circulation Model was applied to an idealized ice shelf-ocean domain, where the ice-shelf cavity is coupled to the adjacent open ocean at a topographic barrier, the ice-shelf edge. Different experiments with changing ice-thickness distributions and sea-bottom topographies were performed to investigate the water-mass interaction process between the ice-shelf cavity and the open ocean. The simulations show, that the interaction of ice-shelf cavities and the adjacent open ocean depends very much on the bathymetry and distribution of the ice-shelf thickness. These results are consistent with observations that the main interaction between the Filchner-Ronne Ice shelf system and the adjacent open ocean is limited to the deep depressions in the west and east.

51-748

Airborne radio echo sounding during the Filchner V field season.

Hempel, L., Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.31-38, 3 refs.

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Radio echo soundings, Ice shelves, Mapping, Mass balance, Mass flow, Thickness, Firn stratification, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

To calculate the mass balance of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf, besides parameters, like flow velocity and deformation rates, very accurate data about the thicknesses of the ice streams flowing from the inner part of Antarctica into the ice shelf are also required. These data can be acquired with the new radio echo sounder onboard the aircraft "Polar 2". With this equipment it is possible to map ice thickness and internal layering down to 3.5 km depth at a horizontal trace distance of about 3 m and a vertical resolution of 10 to 20 m. During the Filchner V campaign the areas of investigations were located at the grounding line between Foundation Ice Stream and Institute Ice Stream and along the flow lines of the central Ronne Ice Shelf and perpendicular to these. In total 43.5 h of flying time yielded about 10,000 km of data profiles.

51-749

Approximation of ice sheet from ERS-1 radar altimeter in the Filchner Ronne Ice Shelf.

Ihde, J., Schirmer, U., Stefani, F., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.39-42, 11 refs.

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Ice sheets, Ice surface, Height finding, Ice models, Airborne radar, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

With the help of satellite radar altimetry it is possible to cover the geometry of the surface of the Earth with high accuracy. For the radar altimeter of ERS-1, accuracies of a few centimeters were shown for the ocean areas and 1-2 decimeters for the flat ice sheets of Antarctica with the resolution of 5-10 km. These are the prerequisites for investigations of interaction of long-term changes of sea-level and ice heights. The long term goals of the investigations with satellite radar altimeter data are ice mass balance investigations of the antarctic continent. The results of this project show a high potential of ERS-1 radar altimeter precision over flat ice sheets.

51-750

Spot depth seismics over the southern and western Ronne Ice Shelf.

Johnson, M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.43-45, 3 refs.

DLC G890.F55.R47

Seismic surveys, Ice shelves, Bottom topography, Ice water interface, Ocean bottom, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

During the 1994-95 field season 152 seismic measurements of the ice- and water-column thickness were made at 15 km intervals along a 2300 km traverse. This zig-zag traverse covered the southern and western Ronne Ice Shelf and the Evans Ice Stream. The objective was to record primary reflections from the ice- and sea-bed from which the two-way-travel (TWT) times to these interfaces may be picked clearly. Long record lengths, up to two and a half seconds, were used to record both the primary reflections and any of the weaker multiples that might be detected and used to aid the interpretation of the records. The topography map shows the preliminary seabed depths contoured at 100 m intervals over the area covered by the traverse. Although the results conform to the general trends estimated by Vaughan et al 1995 for the "Map of Subglacial and Seabed Topography", there are significant variations from this conception, which are described.

51-751

Analysis of glaciological features on Filchner-Ronne-Schelfeis based on Landsat and ERS-1 SAR image data.

Jonas, M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.46-49, 3 refs.

DLC G890.F55.R47

LANDSAT, Ice shelves, Ice surface, Mass balance, Flow measurement, Topographic surveys, Image processing, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The classification of surface features from remote sensing image data is part of the ESAMCA project (Exploitation of satellite altimetry for the monitoring of climate-related change of antarctic ice shelves), where the surface topography of Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf is further investigated from ERS-1 radar altimetry and image data. Geo-referenced Landsat MSS (Multispectral Scanner) and ERS-1 SAR (Synthetic Aperture Radar) images are processed and interpreted with a digital image processing system. Some special influences of Berkner I. on the flow conditions and mass balance of the ice shelf are expressed by topographic structures. The influences discernible in the remote sensing data, which are different on Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf, are discussed.

51-752

Ablation rates under the Ekström Ice Shelf deduced from different methods.

Lambrecht, A., Nixdorf, U., Zürn, W., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.50-56, 3 refs.

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Ice shelves, Ice melting, Ablation, Ice sheets, Air ice water interaction, Air temperature, Glacier mass balance, Oceanography, Antarctica—Ekström Ice Shelf

The behavior of ice shelves plays an important role for the mass balance of the antarctic ice sheet as the outflow of the inland ice is hindered by the ice shelves. The interaction with the ocean influences the mass balance directly by accumulation or ablation processes and gives rise to water masses that fill the deep ocean. These cold water masses are of great importance in regard to the role of the oceans as heat storage in the global change context. The ablation rates for the Ekström Ice Shelf deduced from different methods are in very good agreement. By extrapolation of the temperature profile to the pressure melting point, an ablation rate of 65 cm/a was deduced for the time between May 1993 and June 1994. The comparison of the measured temperature profile of July 13, 1994 with theoretical calculated temperature profiles yields an ablation rate of 90 cm/a.

51-753

Glaciological investigations on the Foundation Ice Stream.

Mayer, C., Lambrecht, A., Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.57-63, 3 refs.

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Ice shelves, Seismic surveys, Mass balance, Flow rate, Air ice water interaction, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The oversnow traverse to the grounding line area of the Foundation Ice Stream in the 1994-95 field season continues earlier work on the central part of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf. This area, together with the entrance area of the Möller Ice Stream, regulates the entire ice flow between Berkner I. and Henry Ice Rise and on to the ice front near the German Filchner Station. For a better understanding of the mass transport on this part of the ice shelf, detailed measurements have been taken along a flow line of the Foundation Ice Stream. Using geophysical and glaciological methods, the mass balance within the transition zone has been determined; a geodetic group carried out the velocity and deformation measurements. Together with accumulation and temperature data from firn cores drilled along the flow line it is planned to reconstruct the deposition and transportation history of the ice mass throughout the ice shelf.

51-754

Electrical logging and initial dating of ice cores from Berkner 94/95.

Miners, W.D., Mulvaney, R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.64-66, 2 refs.

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Ice cores, Ice dating, Electrical resistivity, Boreholes, Stratigraphy, Dielectric properties, Antarctica—Berkner Island

Using a recently built electrical bench the ice cores retrieved from the boreholes on the North Dome (R1) and the South Dome (B25) of Berkner I. were logged in the field. For each core, records were made of stratigraphy, ECM (Electrical Conductance Measurement, measures acid content) and DEP (Dielectric profiling, which responds to acid, ammonium and chloride). Results are tabulated and discussed.

51-755

2000 year record of biogenic sulfur, sea salt and nitrate from the central Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf.

Minikin, A., Graf, W., Wagenbach, D., Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.67-73, 8 refs.

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Ice cores, Ice composition, Paleoecology, Chemical analysis, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

During the 1991-92 field season a 320 m deep ice core, B15, was recovered from the central Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf at the location D236 about 180 km from the shelf ice front. The drill site was chosen on a flow line originating most probably from the Möller Ice Stream and passing north of B15 through the former drill site B13. The drilling reached the marine shelf ice layer at a depth of 153 m. This study deals with chemical analyses on the upper, the meteoric part of the B15 core. The main objective is to try to reconstruct the paleo-environmental conditions in the Weddell Sea region over the last one or two thousand years.

51-756

Berkner Island Ice Core Project: report and some initial results.

Mulvaney, R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.74-79, 5 refs.

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Ice cores, Ice composition, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Low temperature research, Antarctica—Berkner Island

The objective of the Berkner Island Ice Core Project is to reconstruct a high resolution record of climate and environmental change on timescales extending from centuries to several thousand years. Berkner I. lies adjacent to the Weddell Sea: ice core records from this island will help elucidate the role of the Weddell Sea in long-term climate change over West Antarctica. Such records will provide a basis for understanding the mechanisms driving both climate and coupled biogeochemical cycles, and will allow recent climate trends to be viewed in the perspective of longer term trends and variability of the climate system. The site also serves as a valuable link between existing ice core records from the Antarctic Peninsula and those from continental ice sheet locations, particularly the future planned ice core program in Queen Maud Land (EPICA).

51-757

Analysis of a 22-month thermistor cable record from the ocean beneath Site 2, Ronne Ice Shelf.

Nicholls, K.W., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.80-86, 3 refs.

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Thermistors, Water temperature, Seasonal variations, Oceanography, Ice shelves, Flow rate, Ice water interface, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

During the austral summer of 1991-92 a hot-water drill was used to create an access hole at Site 2, Ronne Ice Shelf. The ice was found to be 541 m thick, overlying a water column about 380 m deep. Using oceanographic probes lowered into the water via the access hole a sequence of CTD profiles were made, and several water samples were retrieved. At the end of the measurement period thermistor cables were lowered into the borehole and allowed to freeze in place. One of the cables extended to within 40 m of the sea floor, with thermistors spaced at approximately 35 m intervals through the water column. It is the analysis of a 22-month record from this cable that is the subject of this report. By comparing the thermistor cable results with the temperature profiles from the CTD measurements it seems that the worst affected thermistor was the deepest, suffering a shift equivalent to 0.10°C. In this report the authors are concerned more with the temperature variability than the absolute values.

51-758

Deployment of oceanographic-glaciological strings under the Filchner-Ronne-Schelfeis in 1995.

Nixdorf, U., Rohardt, G., Lambrecht, A., Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.87-90, 5 refs.

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Ice shelves, Subglacial drainage, Ablation, Heat transfer, Moorings, Ice water interface, Ice models, Oceanography, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The lower side of ice shelves is very important for mass balance studies of the antarctic ice sheet; subglacial accumulation as well as ablation result in considerable mass transformations. The melting of ice shelves plays a major role in the process of the formation of Antarctic Bottom Water (AABW) that fills the deep ocean. These processes are studied by various models. In order to verify these models by field data, accumulation and ablation as well as mass, salt and heat transport under the ice shelves were measured by deployment of two moorings under the Ronne Ice Shelf at locations with subglacial accumulation and subglacial ablation.

51-759

German Filchner V Campaign in 1995: an overview and preliminary results from Berkner Island.

Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.91-96, 6 refs.

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Low temperature research, Ice shelves, Ice water interface, Geodetic surveys, Snow density, Snow temperature, Ice cores, Electrical resistivity, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—Berkner Island

The three main topics of the 1995 German expedition to the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf were: interaction between ice shelf and ocean, studied by means of hot-water-drilling and oceanographic strings under the ice shelf; mass input across the grounding zone of Foundation Ice Stream and Möller Ice Stream, investigated by means of geodetic surveying, geophysical and glaciological investigations as well as air-borne radio-echo soundings for ice thickness determination; and climate history of the millennium, archived in an ice core of Berkner I. Results of this investigation are presented.

51-760

Geodetic work at the ERS/VLBI Station O'Higgins.

Reinhold, A., Beyer, L., Ihde, J., Wojdziak, R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.97-100, 5 refs.

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Research projects, Geodetic surveys, Electronic equipment, Remote sensing, Tectonics, Data processing, Antarctica—Bernardo O'Higgins Station, Antarctica—Bransfield Strait

The radiotelescope at O'Higgins was planned and realized as a receiving ground station for ERS-1 SAR data and as a geodetic VLBI station. An antenna was installed under the project management of IFAG under the extreme climatic conditions of Antarctica near the Chilean Bernardo O'Higgins Station in 1990-91. The antenna has been operational since Oct. 1991 for SAR-data acquisition and since Jan. 1992 for geodetic VLBI. The inauguration of the station was on Jan. 29, 1993. Step by step, the infrastructure and the station equipment have been extended and additional geodetic instruments have been installed. International VLBI experiments and GPS measurements are discussed.

51-761

Geodetic fieldwork along Foundation Ice Stream.

Riedel, B., Karsten, A., Ritter, B., Niemeier, W., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.101-106, 3 refs.

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Ice shelves, Geodetic surveys, Strain tests, Velocity measurement, Height finding, Topography, Traverses, Antarctica—Foundation Ice Stream

The registration of geometry of the grounding line and its changes with satellite and terrestrial observations was the main emphasis of the geodetic fieldwork in 1995. The examinations for the geometry contained the position (Λ, Φ, h), the height above sea level (H) and the surface topography. Changes of geometry were defined as the determination of flow velocity, strain and tidal deflection (Δh). The grounding line area (grounding zone) was reached by a SkiDoo-traverse from the Filchner station along former deformation figures following a flow line of Foundation Ice Stream to an area of 5*80 km^2 at 83° 10'S.

51-762

Experimental fracture and mechanics of antarctic ice.

Rist, M.A., Sammonds, P.R., Murrell, S.A.F., Meredith, P.G., Oerter, H., Doake, C.S.M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.107-110, 3 refs.

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Experimentation, Fracturing, Strain tests, Ice cores, Ice mechanics, Rheology, Crevasses, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The deep-hole coring expeditions of the Alfred-Wegener Institute to the Ronne Ice Shelf in 1990 and 1992 have made available sufficient quantities of large-diameter ice core to facilitate the examination of the scale-independent fracture toughness, as well as the short-term rheology, of antarctic ice. The aim is to determine ice material properties that can be directly applied to help explain the mechanics of specific ice shelf processes such as crevasse formation and tidal flexure. Experimental methodology and preliminary fracture results are discussed.

51-763

Review of the Münster airborne radio-echo sounding-data set: marine ice beneath Filchner-Schelfeis; bottom reflectivity and internal structures of Berkner Island.

Sandhäger, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.111-114, 8 refs.

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Ice shelves, Subglacial observations, Radio echo soundings, Airborne radar, Bottom topography, Electromagnetic properties, Ice cover thickness, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

In the course of a long-term project covering three field seasons, the University of Münster had carried out extensive airborne radio-echo soundings (RES) over the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf. The data set was reviewed, leading to three essential conclusions which are considered to be of significance for future ice dynamic and oceanographic studies as well as for investigations of the climatic history of the southern Weddell Sea.

51-764

Basal melting at grounding line of Rutford Ice Stream from seismic surveys.

Smith, A.M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.115-118, 8 refs.

DLC G890.F55.R47

Ice shelves, Ice melting, Seismic surveys, Ice water interface, Subglacial drainage, Antarctica—Rutford Ice Stream, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Melting of ice from the base of ice shelves is important for two reasons: firstly, for its contribution to the mass balance of the antarctic ice sheet; and secondly for its effect in modifying the water masses of the antarctic continental shelf and the world's deep oceans. Rutford Ice Stream flows into the SW corner of the Ronne Ice Shelf. A 4 km, single-fold seismic reflection profile was acquired in Feb. 1993, which crosses the grounding line. The ice bottom reflection and its ghost are clear. A number of reflections can be seen within the ice, between 100 and 250 m above the ice base. What causes them is not clear, but possibilities are suggested which include entrained moraine or a change in the ice fabric. Whatever the cause, if the reflectors are assumed to be isochrons within the ice, and if their geometry is known, then the pattern of convergence between these reflections and the ice base will show the combined effect of basal melting and internal deformation within the ice column. A comparison is made with data from the grounded ice further upstream, where orthogonal, intersecting seismic profiles have been acquired.

51-765

Geoid determination in the Filchner Ronne Ice Shelf.

Stefani, F., Ihde, J., Schirmer, U., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.9 (1995), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1995, p.119-122, 7 refs.

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Ice shelves, Height finding, Geodetic surveys, Ice models, Gravity anomalies, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The knowledge of the geoid as a reference frame for the polar ice heights and the mean sea level is of considerable importance for understanding the interaction between climate related changes of both quantities. A new geoid in the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf area is determined by spectral combination of the long wavelength components from the OSU91A model with the short wavelength components from a density layer model with regional isostatic compensation. The a priori unknown degree of regionality is inferred from the comparison of calculated and measured gravity anomalies.

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Topography and ice thickness of Berkner I. have been investigated during the summers 1985-86 and 1989-90 on approximately 5,000 km of aerogeophysical flight tracks. The maximum ice thickness is just above 1,000 m, the mean ice thickness is about 780 m. In connection with the core drillings on the domes the stratigraphy in the ice is considered to be of special interest. By means of the short pulse electromagnetic reflection method (EMR), layers in the ice and the bedrock can be mapped continuously. A total depth of about 1,000 m is well in the range of the EMR-system. Operating at a center frequency of 30 MHz such a radar system achieves a relative precision in depth of about 1 m and a resolution of neighboring layers of about 2.5 m after processing.

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Low temperature research, Ice surveys, Topographic surveys, Weather observations, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

This extended abstract gives an overview of the plans for the Nordic countries contribution to EPICA site survey in Queen Maud Land as they were presented at the 10th FRISP-meeting in Leipzig. The presented plans are a status per medio June 1995 and include activities for the three coming austral summer seasons, 1995-96, 1996-97 and 1997-98.

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Three kinds of profile assemblage features on Fildes Peninsula, King George I., show that periglacial landforms have an internal relationship in genesis. For example, where there is a rich weathering debris, the dominant landforms are talus, black slopes, mass movement features, and mega-grained sorted forms. Where the debris material is silty, fine-grained periglacial forms (for example, gelifluction steps and striated soils) dominate. Where the debris source is limited, talus only appears at the southeast side of periglacial tors and hilltops; the major periglacial forms are striated soils and muddy sorted circles. In general, periglacial landforms show a difference between stoss and leeward slopes. (Auth. mod.)

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Chemical analyses for soluble impurities of snow-ice cores from the small dome (250 m a.s.l.) and the main dome (702 m a.s.l.) of King George Island Ice Cap show that the major ions in the ice cap are Na^+, Ca^{2+}, K^+, Mg^{2+}, NH_4^+, H^+, SO_4^{2-}, NO_3^-, Cl^- and Br^-, among them, the concentration of Na^+ plus Cl^- is 5-7 times more than the total concentration of the rest ions, and Cl^-/Na^+ is similar to the ratio of sea water. It means that the soluble impurities are mainly derived from sea salt. The concentration of Na^+ or Cl^- is measured in μg/g at both the small dome and the surface layer of the main dome. The average concentration of Br^- is 10-12 ng/g, which is less then reported in other areas of the Antarctic. (Auth. mod.)

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Vertical temperature gradients in the Collins Ice Cap are about 0.67°C/100 m; the temperature jump is only 0.25°C. Precipitation on the ice cap is plentiful. In summer, most of the precipitation on the small dome is liquid, but on the main dome is solid. In winter, solid precipitation is predominant on the whole ice cap. Net accumulation of the Collins Ice Cap increases rapidly with an increase of elevation and the mean annual accumulation rate at the top of the main dome is 2,480 kg/m^2/a. The small dome and main dome have different mass balance features. The small dome receives most of its mass nourishment in the cold season, while the main dome is nourished all year round. Surficial melting is the main form of ablation on the small dome, but on the main dome iceberg calving is more important. (Auth. mod.)

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Frozen ground strength, Soil tests, Strain tests, Stress concentration, Shear strain

51-910

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Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Strain tests, Cracking (fracturing)

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Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Strain tests, Dynamic loads, Mathematical models

51-912

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Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Strain tests

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Frozen ground strength, Soil structure, Microstructure, Soil creep, Computerized simulation

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Frozen ground strength, Soil tests, Impact tests, Stress concentration, Cracking (fracturing)

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Frozen ground strength, Rotary drilling, Shaft sinking

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Clay soils, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Frozen ground temperature, Soil tests, Strain tests

51-917

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Clay soils, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Frozen ground thermodynamics

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Frozen ground strength, Soil tests, Strain tests, Strain measuring instruments, Tensile properties

51-919

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Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Strain tests

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Mountain glaciers, Ice cores, Ice composition, Ice optics, Ice dating, Dust, Lasers, China—Qinghai-Xizang Plateau

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Loess, Frozen ground strength, Soil freezing, Soil pressure, Ice adhesion, Pile load tests

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Soil freezing, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Thermal conductivity, Temperature measurement, Soil water migration, Moisture meters, Probes, Statistical analysis

51-923

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Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Strain tests

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Marine biology, Microbiology, Bacteria, Sampling, Preserving, Cold storage, Viability, Luminescence, Freeze drying

51-925

Latitudinal and meridional regularities in distribution of phytomass reserves, organic matter in soil, and primary production of terrestrial ecosystems in the north of Russia from the Kola Peninsula to the Chukot Peninsula.

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Ecosystems, Biomass, Subpolar regions, Organic soils, Soil composition, Tundra soils, Distribution, Statistical analysis, Russia—Chukotskiy Peninsula, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-926

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51-927

Modeling the mean circulation of the Labrador Sea and the adjacent shelves.

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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Water transport, Atmospheric boundary layer, Ice floes, Drift, Telemetering equipment, Velocity measurement, Buoyancy, Wind factors, Mathematical models, Seasonal variations, Labrador Sea

51-928

Initialization, asymmetry, and spindown of arctic eddies.

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51-929

Topographic preconditions of open-ocean deep convection.

Alverson, K., Owens, W.B., *Journal of physical oceanography,* Oct. 1996, 26(10), p.2196-2213, 25 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Convection, Stratification, Profiles, Bottom topography, Topographic effects, Mathematical models

Evidence for oceanic convection over Maud Rise in the Weddell Sea suggests that bottom topography may select the location and scale of deep convecting oceanic chimneys forced by seasonal large-scale atmospheric cooling. In this paper, the role of bottom topography in open-ocean deep convection is studied using an idealized three-dimensional primitive equation model. A barotropic mean flow impinges on a Gaussian-shaped seamount in a stratified domain generating a Taylor cap (a region of topographically trapped fluid). Convection within this region is significantly enhanced relative to ambient levels away from the seamount and to similar numerical simulations performed without bottom topography. An analytic formula for one-dimensional nonpenetrative convection into an exponential stratification profile is derived and compares well with results from the numerical model. Parameter dependencies for these topographic preconditioning mechanisms are discussed. These numerical results suggest that bottom topography can play an important role in selecting the location and horizontal scale of deep convection in the ocean. (Auth. mod.)

51-930

On the obscurantist physics of "form drag" in theorizing about the Circumpolar Current.

Warren, B.A., LaCasce, J.H., Robbins, P.E., *Journal of physical oceanography,* Oct. 1996, 26(10), p.2297-2301, 30 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Air water interactions, Wind factors, Fluid dynamics, Water transport, Stress concentration, Mathematical models

The authors point out that, since the "form-drag" force balance commonly advanced for the Antarctic Circumpolar Current is really just a statement that northward Ekman transport in the circumpolar Drake Passage zone is compensated by deep southward geostrophic flow, the balance is actually irrelevant to the magnitude of the current itself. It is thus misleading to ascribe a role to form drag in its physics. Sverdrup dynamics seems to offer a more promising analysis of the real Circumpolar Current—as proposed long ago. (Auth.)

51-931

Hydrological modelling of snowmelt in the Italian Alps using visible and infrared remote sensing.

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Acceleration mechanism of chemical reaction by freezing: the reaction of nitrous acid with dissolved oxygen.

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51-934

Isomeric differences in the nucleation of crystalline hydrocarbons from their melts.

Huang, J.F., Lu, W.Q., Bartell, L.S., *Journal of physical chemistry,* Aug 22, 1996, 100(34), p.14,276-14,280, 26 refs.

Hydrocarbons, Cryogenics, Frozen liquids, Drops (liquids), Homogeneous nucleation, X ray diffraction, Molecular structure, Thermodynamic properties, Spectra, Nucleation rate

51-935

Symbiotic N_2-fixation in alpine tundra: ecosystem input and variation in fixation rates among communities.

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51-936

Deglacial land emergence and lateral upper-mantle heterogeneity in the Svalbard Archipelago. II. Extended results for high-resolution load models.

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Marine geology, Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Tectonics, Ice sheets, Ice cover thickness, Ice loads, Ice melting, Ice cover effect, Isostasy, Viscoelasticity, Models, Norway—Svalbard

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Convection in the Greenland Sea, 1982-1993.
Rhein, M., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,183-18,192, 32 refs.
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51-938
On the representation of sea ice in global ocean general circulation models.
Stössel, A., Oberhuber, J.M., Maier-Reimer, E., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,193-18,212, 70 refs.
Oceanography, Climatology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice heat flux, Ice growth, Ice cover effect, Mathematical models, Ice models, Thermodynamics
The performance of the sea ice component of two ocean general circulation models (OGCMs) is investigated under quasi-identical forcing and boundary conditions and compared with the performance of a stand-alone sea ice model. The latter reproduced realistic sea ice characteristics under the same external conditions. All three sea ice models employ a viscous-plastic constitutive law to describe the variation in internal ice stress in the momentum balance. The treatment of the sea ice component in global OGCMs is discussed in a more general context, focusing on the southern ocean, where sea ice plays a critical role in bottom water formation. These studies show that sea ice in present-day global OGCMs can be formulated with the same quality as stand-alone sea ice models designed for specific regional studies, without the sacrifice of notable extra computation time. (Auth. mod.)

51-939
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51-940
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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Sounding, Telemetering equipment, Drift, Hydrography, Velocity measurement, Statistical analysis, Greenland Sea, Norwegian Sea

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Nested primitive equation model of the Iceland-Faeroe front.
Fox, A.D., Maskell, S.J., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,259-18,278, 25 refs.
Oceanography, Subpolar regions, Ocean currents, Mathematical models, Bottom topography, Hydrography, Buoyancy, Boundary layer, Heat flux, Statistical analysis, Forecasting, Norwegian Sea

51-942
Weddell Sea ice drift: kinematics and wind forcing.
Vihma, T., Launiainen, J., Uotila, J., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,279-18,296, 42 refs.
Oceanography, Ocean currents, Sea ice distribution, Drift, Sounding, Ice air interface, Turbulent boundary layer, Velocity measurement, Wind direction, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Spectra, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
Ice drift in the Weddell Sea was studied on the basis of positional and meteorological data from Argos buoys drifting in 1990-1992 and surface pressure analyses from the European Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasts (ECMWF). The drift kinematics showed differences between the eastern and western parts of the Weddell Sea. Close to the Antarctic Peninsula, the ice drifted as an almost nonrotating uniform field at a low speed, having reduced small-scale motions with little meandering, compared to regions further to the east. Inertial motion was detected from the ice drift in areas east of 35°W and in the region of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current. The data suggest a dependency upon atmospheric stability such that stable stratification reduces the wind forcing on the drift. Ice transport through a transect crossing the Weddell Sea from the Antarctic Peninsula tip to Kapp Norwegia was estimated on the basis of the geostrophic winds, the drift's observed response to the wind, and literature-based information on ice concentration and thickness. The estimated annual mean net export in 1992-94 varied from 8,000 to 22,000 m^3/s. Most of the net export took place in winter and spring. (Auth. mod.)

51-943
Cosmonaut polynya in the southern ocean: structure and variability.
Comiso, J.C., Gordon, A.L., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,297-18,313, 40 refs.
Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice water interface, Ocean currents, Upwelling, Polynyas, Pack ice, Ice melting, Hydrography, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis
Along the far eastern margin of the Weddell Gyre is a persistent feature in the middle of the ice pack called the Cosmonaut polynya. A study of polynya occurrences from 1973 to 1993 reveals that since 1986 the polynya has become more active with an average size of about 7.2×10^4 km^2 and an average location at 52°E and 65°S. Satellite observations indicate that the polynya has recurred several times during winter in recent years with intervals ranging from a few days to a few weeks. The daily time series indicates two primary modes of formation: one that is initiated in the early winter during a storm at a site usually preceded by an embayment of the ice edge and another that occurs during midwinter often preceded by a coastal polynya event adjacent to Cape Ann. The Cosmonaut polynya region is characterized in this study by compression of the westward flowing coastal current and the eastward flowing southern edge of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current. Vertical stretching of the water column, enhancing upwelling, accelerates the injection of relatively warm salty deep water into the surface layer, inhibiting sea ice growth and causing the polynya formation. This theory appears to explain the general behavior of the polynya in terms of frequency, duration, size, and location. (Auth. mod.)

51-944
Carbon budget of sea-ice algae in spring: evidence of a significant transfer to zooplankton grazers.
Michel, C., Legendre, L., Ingram, R.G., Gosselin, M., Levasseur, M., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,345-18,360, Refs. p.18,357-18,360.
Marine biology, Plankton, Algae, Biomass, Suspended sediments, Degradation, Ice bottom surface, Ice water interface, Ecosystems, Nutrient cycle, Sampling, Canada—Northwest Territories—Resolute Passage

51-945
Temporal and spatial patterns in the Ross Sea: phytoplankton biomass, elemental composition, productivity and growth rates.
Smith, W.O., Jr., Nelson, D.M., DiTullio, G.R., Leventer, A.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,455-18,465, Refs. p.18,463-18,465.
Marine biology, Biomass, Plankton, Ecosystems, Distribution, Sampling, Geochemistry, Suspended sediments, Nutrient cycle, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Ross Sea
The temporal and spatial patterns of phytoplankton biomass, productivity, and particulate matter composition in the Ross Sea were assessed during cruises in Jan. 1990 and Feb. 1992. Biomass and primary productivity in the southern Ross Sea were greatest during mid-Jan. A distinct south-north transition also was observed both in productivity and phytoplankton biomass, with the lowest values occurring in the northern Ross Sea. East-west gradients in phytoplankton biomass and composition occurred within the southern Ross Sea. The areal productivity of the Ross Sea is among the highest found in the entire Antarctic. Marked seasonality in the region provides an environment in which net growth rates, although slow, are maximized through low loss rates and which allows biomass to accumulate in the surface layer. Furthermore, the temporal variations are quantitatively similar to the observed spatial variations. Therefore the dominant determinant of phytoplankton biomass and productivity at any one point on the Ross Sea continental shelf is the stage of the seasonal growth cycle. (Auth. mod.)

51-946
Spatial patterns in phytoplankton biomass and pigment distributions in the Ross Sea.
DiTullio, G.R., Smith, W.O., Jr., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,467-18,477, 57 refs.
Marine biology, Plankton, Biomass, Distribution, Ecosystems, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, Suspended sediments, Degradation, Chlorophylls, Sampling, Antarctica—Ross Sea
The distribution of phytoplankton biomass and pigments was determined in the Ross Sea during late austral summer 1992. Large gradients in biomass were noted both in the east-west and north-south direction, with maximum particulate matter concentrations occurring in the southwest portion of the Ross Sea. Two xanthophyll pigments dominated the profiles. Diatom-dominated regions had greater fluxes of phaeophorbides, suggesting that metazoans were the most important grazers at these locations. In contrast, the phaeophytin/total phaeopigment ratio was highest in waters dominated by *Phaeocystis antarctica.* The distribution of phytoplankton biomass and pigments revealed a spatially variable distribution of taxa, one which clearly has important consequences to food-web dynamics, biogeochemical cycles, and vertical flux patterns in the Ross Sea. (Auth. mod.)

51-947
Lateral transport of settling particles in the Ross Sea and implications for the fate of biogenic material.
Jaeger, J.M., Nittrouer, C.A., DeMaster, D.J., Kelchner, C., Dunbar, R.B., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,479-18,488, 24 refs.
Oceanography, Ocean currents, Sedimentation, Organic nuclei, Suspended sediments, Sediment transport, Geochemical cycles, Sampling, Moorings, Antarctica—Ross Sea
The Ross Sea with its high rates of primary productivity and biogenic accumulation, provides an important location to test the validity of a one-dimensional particle-settling model. As part of an interdisciplinary field project performed from 1990 to 1992 to examine cycling and accumulation of biogenic matter in the Ross Sea, water-column particulate and current data were collected at three sites. At each site, a current meter and sediment trap were placed 240 m below the water surface, and at 40 m above the seabed. The moorings were deployed for 1- to 2-years duration. The current-meter records showed that the speed of flow in the southwestern Ross Sea is relatively slow and current direction is highly variable. Currents in the south-central Ross Sea have moderate speeds and less directional variability. The northwestern Ross Sea has the strongest flows and least variability in direction. Two models were developed to determine the net displacement of particles settling through the water column. One model evaluated vertical particle advection and the second estimated lateral particle advection. The pattern in displacement trends correlates well with observed sediment types and accumulation rates at each site. A one-dimensional model for the settling of biogenic material is most applicable at the southwestern site and least applicable at the northwestern site. (Auth. mod.)

51-948
Factors influencing the distribution of diatoms and other algae in the Ross Sea.
Leventer, A.R., Dunbar, R.B., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,489-18,500, 63 refs.
Oceanography, Marine biology, Algae, Biomass, Distribution, Ice melting, Sedimentation, Turbulent diffusion, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Sampling, Geochemical cycles, Antarctica—Ross Sea
Quantitative microscopic analyses of sediment trap samples collected in the Ross Sea between Jan. 1990 and Feb. 1992 reveal striking temporal and spatial differences in algal bloom composition and size. Trap samples from the southwestern Ross Sea were dominated by the diatom *Fragilariopsis curta* (maximum of 92%), a species associated with both sea ice and the retreating ice edge in the Ross Sea. This species was probably seeded by melting congelation ice. Highest flux of diatom valves to both upper and lower traps in the 1991-92 season occurred as a distinct event in mid-Feb. 1991, after which flux decreased by 1 to 3 orders of magnitude. Distinct differences in bloom size and composition between sites may be a function of upper water column structure, differences in the amount of sea ice melting, and the type of sea ice present at the time of ice breakout (congelation versus pack ice). Significantly, spatial differences in diatom assemblages noted above appear to be reflected in seafloor surface sediments, suggesting that downcore diatom data provide an interpretable record of paleoproductivity in the Ross Sea. (Auth. mod.)

51-949
Preservation efficiencies and accumulation rates for biogenic silica and organic C, N, and P in high-latitude sediments: the Ross Sea.
DeMaster, D.J., Ragueneau, O., Nittrouer, C.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,501-18,518, Refs. p.18,516-18,518.
Oceanography, Sedimentation, Bottom sediment, Turbulent diffusion, Drill core analysis, Geochemical cycles, Organic nuclei, Sampling, Geochronology, Correlation, Carbon isotopes, Antarctica—Ross Sea
Rates of biogenic sediment accumulation (biogenic silica and organic C, N, and P) and pore water flux have been established for a variety of depositional environments in the Ross Sea. On the basis of ^{14}C measurements in kasten cores, sediment accumulation rates ranged from 250 cm/kyr in the coastal basin of Granite Harbor to 1-2 cm/kyr in the shelf and slope environments of the northern and eastern Ross Sea. The preferential preservation of biogenic silica rela-

tive to organic carbon was apparent in Ross Sea sediments because the biogenic silica/organic carbon ratio in the material buried in the seabed generally was 2 times greater than the ratio in sediment particles arriving at the sediment-water interface. The total amount of biogenic silica accumulating on the Ross Sea shelf is approximately an order of magnitude less than the Ledford- Hoffman et al. [1986] estimate that was based on ^{210}Pb chronologies. Biogenic silica accumulation rates in the southern, central, and western Ross Sea increased during the mid and late Holocene, reaching their maximum values during the past 500 to 1000 years. (Auth. mod.)

51-950

Cycling of organic carbon and biogenic silica in the southern ocean: estimates of water column and sedimentary fluxes on the Ross Sea continental shelf.

Nelson, D.M., DeMaster, D.J., Dunbar, R.B., Smith, W.O., Jr., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,519-18,532, Refs. p.18,530-18,532.

Oceanography, Biomass, Suspended sediments, Geochemical cycles, Sedimentation, Bottom sediment, Organic nuclei, Turbulent diffusion, Seasonal variations, Sampling, Antarctica—Ross Sea

The authors examined the cycling of organic carbon and biogenic silica in the water column and upper sediments of the Ross Sea, seeking to understand the processes leading to the formation of opal-rich, organic-poor sediments over much of the southern ocean. Between Jan., 1990 and Dec., 1994 threc cruises were conducted to measure rates of primary production, nitrate-based "new" production, biogenic silica production and biogenic silica dissolution in the upper 50 m over most of the Ross Sea shelf in spring, mid summer and late summer. They deployed sediment traps from Jan., 1990 to early Mar., 1992 to measure the mid-water (250 m) and near-bottom gravitational fluxes of particulate organic carbon, nitrogen and biogenic silica year-round at three sites, and obtained sediment cores at 15 sites to assess the accumulation rates of organic carbon and biogenic silica in all known sediment regimes on the shelf. These data permit estimates of the annual production, near-surface recycling, vertical sinking flux, delivery to the seabed, benthic regeneration and long-term burial of both organic and siliceous material integrated over 75-80% of the Ross Sea shelf. The resulting annual budgets for carbon and silica indicate highly selective preservation of biogenic silica over organic carbon between 50 and 250 m in the water column, as well as in the upper seabed. Both silica preservation and the decoupling between the cycles of silica and carbon must be even more effective in the waters overlying abyssal southern ocean sediments than they are over the Ross Sea shelf. (Auth. mod.)

51-951

Classification of radar satellite data for sea ice identification by means of line scanner measurements. [Klassifikation von Radarsatellitendaten zur Meereiserkennung mit Hilfe von Line-Scanner-Messungen]

Bochert, A., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.209, 202p., In German with English summary. Includes a sea ice glossary in German, p.199-202. 102 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Remote sensing, Measuring instruments, Synthetic aperture radar, Sensor mapping, Infrared mapping, North Atlantic Ocean

51-952

Influence of the atmosphere on the remote sensing of sea ice using passive microwave radiometers. [Atmosphäreneinfluß bei der Fernerkundung von Meereis mit passiven Mikrowellenradiometern]

Oelke, C., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.208, 117p., In German with English summary. 76 refs.

Cloud cover, Water vapor, Sea ice distribution, Models, Measuring instruments, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Significant errors in estimating short-time variations and climatological concentration trends occur due to clouds and water vapor. For the assessment of these weather effects on sea ice concentration, the atmospheric parameters integrated water vapor content (W) and cloud liquid water path (LWP) are derived from radiosonde ascents measured over Weddell Sea ice in 1992. Using a microwave radiative transfer model and typical surface emissivities, brightness temperatures are calculated from the radiosonde ascents. The first-year, multiyear and total sea-ice concentrations are calculated using the NASA team sea-ice algorithm for the SSM/I radiometer. The results of the model study indicate that the presence of cloud liquid water increases estimates of total sea-ice concentration by the same magnitude as the presence of water vapor, i.e. up to +10%, depending on surface type (open ocean, first-year ice, multiyear ice). Estimates of the multiyear ice concentration are reduced by up to 80% by cloud liquid water whereas the water-vapor effect is smaller (up to -6%). The combined effect of LWP and W is less than the algebraic sum of the two. The importance of using realistic measurements of atmospheric conditions in the polar sea-ice area is investigated in detail for different vertical water-vapor profiles and various cloud bases and cloud heights. (Auth. mod.)

51-953

Freeze frame.

Hallett, J., *Sciences,* Nov./Dec. 1996, 36(6), p.22-26.

Ice physics, Ice crystal structure, Dendritic ice, Clouds (meteorology)

51-954

Mantle viscosity and ice-age ice sheet topography.

Peltier, W.R., *Science,* Sep. 6, 1996, 273(5280), p.1359-1364, 51 refs.

Ice sheets, Topographic features, Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Isostasy, Models, United States

51-955

Global operational monitoring of atmospheric ozone from space.

Kot, A.I., Liudchik, A.M., Krasovskiĭ, A.N., Cherniavskiĭ, A.F., *Soviet journal of remote sensing,* 1992, 10(1), p.109-120, Translated from Issledovanie Zemli iz Kosmosa. 12 refs.

DLC G70.4.I882 1992

Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Seasonal variations, Polar stratospheric clouds, Models, Remote sensing, Antarctica—South Pole

The paper describes the use of satellite observations of the distribution pattern of atmospheric radiant intensities in the UV area for operational monitoring of the state of the ozone layer. The effectiveness of the method is illustrated by model calculations. Detailed information about the state of the ozone layer over Antarctica has been obtained using devices on board Nimbus 7. It is suggested that one significant addition to existing methods would be the possibility of constant global monitoring of the whole south polar zone from a satellite in a very high polar orbit, to measure the distribution of the intensity of the UV brightness of the atmosphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-956

East Antarctic Ice Sheet development, global carbon cycling and deep water evolution in the southwest Pacific during the middle Miocene climatic transition from 16 to 12 Ma.

Flower, B.P., Santa Barbara, University of California, 1993, 248p., University Microfilms order No.94-19071, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.189-193.

Ice sheets, Ice formation, Ice volume, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Oceanography, Polar atmospheres, Paleoecology, Antarctica—East Antarctica

The Middle Miocene represents a major change in state in Cenozoic antarctic climatic evolution, following the climax of Neogene warmth in the Late-Early Miocene at 16 Ma. The early stage of this climatic transition from 16 to 14.8 Ma was marked by major variations in global climates, East Antarctic Ice Sheet volume, sea level, and deep ocean circulation. Antarctic climate change was also associated with important changes in global carbon cycling and in the terrestrial biosphere. Increased aridification of mid-latitude continental regions enhanced the development of grasslands and stimulated the evolution of grazing mammals in the Early Middle Miocene. Deep ocean circulation changes probably played a major role in the evolution and variation in polar climates. Invigoration of Southern Component Water production was closely linked to antarctic cooling and major growth of the East Antarctic Ice Sheet after 14.8 Ma, representing a crucial step in the establishment of late Neogene global climate systems. (Auth. mod.)

51-957

Development and operation of a photovoltaic power system for use at remote Antarctic sites.

Piszczor, M.F., Kohout, L.L., Manzo, M., Colozza, A.J., 1994 IEEE First World Conference on Photovoltaic Energy Conversion. Conference Record of the 24th IEEE Photovoltaic Specialists Conference-1994. Vol.1, New York, IEEE, 1994, p.1145-1148, 1 ref.

DLC TK2960.P48a 1994

Electric power, Electric equipment, Low temperature research, Batteries, Solar radiation, Antarctica—Hoare, Lake

A photovoltaic power system, designed and built at the NASA Lewis Research Center, has successfully operated for 2 summer seasons at a remote site in Antarctica, providing utility-type power for a six-person field team. The system was installed at the Lake Hoare site for approximately 5 weeks during late 1992, put into storage for the antarctic winter, and then used again during the 1993 season. The photovoltaic power system consists of 3 silicon photovoltaic subarrays delivering a total of 1.5 kWe peak power, 3 lead-acid gel battery modules supplying 2.4 kWh, and an electrical distribution system which delivers 120 Vac and 12 Vdc to the user. The system worked extremely well in providing quiet, reliable power. The experience gained from early system demonstrations such as this should be beneficial in accelerating the transition toward future PV systems in Antarctica and other similar areas. (Auth.)

51-958

Prospects of constructing small hydrostations in the arctic zone of Yakutia.

Konstantinov, A.F., Novovitsyn, D.D., Fel'dman, B.N., *Hydrotechnical construction,* Aug. 1996, 30(2), p.109-112, Translated from Gidrotekhnicheskoe stroitel'stvo. 3 refs.

Cold weather construction, Electric power, Electric equipment, Hydrology, River basins, Cost analysis, Russia—Yakutia

51-959

Plankton and primary production in the Lena River estuary and in the south-eastern Laptev Sea.

Sorokin, IU.I., Sorokin, P.IU., *Estuarine, coastal and shelf science,* Oct. 1996, 43(4), p.399-418, 36 refs.

Oceanography, Marine biology, Estuaries, Biomass, Plankton, Ecosystems, Sedimentation, Sampling, Classifications, Nutrient cycle, Organic nuclei, Turbulent diffusion, Diurnal variations, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Lena River

51-960

Kazantsevo paleobasin in northern Siberia: ecological assemblages of foraminifers and paleoenvironment.

Gus'kov, S.A., Levchuk, L.K., *Russian geology and geophysics,* 1995, 36(3), p.21-25, Translated from Geologiia i geofizika. 22 refs.

Paleoecology, Water temperature, Marine geology, Quaternary deposits, Subpolar regions, Marine deposits, Sampling, Classifications, Biogeography, Russia—Siberia

51-961

On origin of anorthosites in Pansky Tundra layered intrusion: field evidence (Kola Peninsula).

Latypov, R.M., *Russian geology and geophysics,* 1995, 36(3), p.49-56, Translated from Geologiia i geofizika. 21 refs.

Tectonics, Magma, Subpolar regions, Geologic processes, Stratification, Rock mechanics, Quaternary deposits, Stratigraphy, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-962

Fast dynamics of glass-forming glycerol studied by dielectric spectroscopy.

Lunkenheimer, P., Pimenov, A., Dressel, M., Goncharov, IU.G., Böhmer, R., Loidl, A., *Physical review letters,* July 8, 1996, 77(2), p.318-321, 23 refs.

Polymers, Hydrocarbons, Dielectric properties, Supercooling, Liquid cooling, Phase transformations, Temperature effects, Spectroscopy, Light scattering, Spectra, Vibration

51-963

Inferring multiscale structure in atmospheric turbulence using satellite-based synthetic aperture radar imagery.

Mourad, P.D., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 15, 1996, 101(C8), p.18,433-18,449, 30 refs.

Marine atmospheres, Turbulent boundary layer, Polar atmospheres, Air water interactions, Turbulent flow, Surface properties, Ice edge, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Statistical analysis, Barents Sea

51-964

Inelastic neutron scattering studies of hydrogen bonding in ices.

Li, J.C., *Journal of chemical physics,* Oct. 22, 1996, 105(16), p.6733-6755, 76 refs.

Ice physics, Ice spectroscopy, Neutron scattering, Ice crystal optics, Ice structure, High pressure ice, Amorphous ice, Defects, Hydrogen bonds, Proton transport, Spectra, Statistical analysis

51-965

Modeling ice-cover melting using a variable heat transfer coefficient.

Sarraf, S., Zhang, X.T., *Journal of engineering mechanics,* Oct. 1996, 122(10), p.930-938, 21 refs.

Lake ice, River ice, Ice melting, Ice water interface, Ice cover thickness, Ice cover effect, Ice bottom surface, Ice edge, Heat transfer coefficient, Mathematical models

51-966
Bituminous material in arctic peat: implications for analyses of petroleum contamination.
White, D.M., Irvine, R.L., *Journal of hazardous materials,* Aug. 1996, 49(2-3), p.181-196, 14 refs.
Soil pollution, Oil spills, Crude oil, Tundra soils, Peat, Soil tests, Organic nuclei, Bitumens, Detection, Infrared spectroscopy, Environmental tests, Accuracy

51-967
Calculation of penetration of an impact tool into frozen ground.
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Frozen ground mechanics, Frozen ground strength, Ice solid interface, Impact tests, Impact strength, Penetration tests, Plastic deformation, Analysis (mathematics)

51-968
Sensitivity of ERS-1 SAR to variations in soil water in fire-disturbed boreal forest ecosystems.
French, N.H.F., Kasischke, E.S., Bourgeau-Chavez, L.L., Harrell, P.A., *International journal of remote sensing,* Oct. 1996, 17(15), p.3037-3053, 27 refs.
Forest ecosystems, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Brightness, Backscattering, Soil surveys, Soil water, Water content, Forest fires, Damage, Permafrost hydrology, Permafrost transformation, Evapotranspiration

51-969
Particle mixing processes of Chernobyl fallout in deep Norwegian Sea sediments: evidence for seasonal effects.
Balzer, W., *Geochimica et cosmochimica acta,* Sep. 1996, 60(18), p.3425-3433, 48 refs.
Oceanography, Subpolar regions, Water pollution, Fallout, Radioactive isotopes, Bottom sediment, Sedimentation, Turbulent diffusion, Microbiology, Sampling, Seasonal variations, Environmental tests, Drill core analysis, Statistical analysis, Norwegian Sea

51-970
Mesoscale atmospheric circulations over the southwestern Ross Sea sector, Antarctica.
Gallée, H., *Journal of applied meteorology,* July 1996, 35(7), p.1129-1141, 31 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Sea ice distribution, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Moisture transfer, Ice heat flux, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Ross Sea
In this study the mesoscale atmospheric circulation over the southwestern Ross Sea sector during winter is examined. The hydrostatic atmospheric model MAR is used. The impact of a partial sea-ice cover on the atmospheric circulation is assessed by prescribing lead fractions in the range of the observed values. Simulations show that the propagation of katabatic airstreams over Terra Nova Bay is facilitated by the presence of leads because the identity of cold, dense, katabatic air is better marked in warmer environmental maritime conditions. Taking into account that such a lead fraction is situated in the upper range of the observed values in the central Ross Sea during winter, these results suggest that winter Ross Sea mesocyclones could not always result from a pure mesoscale forcing. It is also found that the position of the simulated mesocyclone over Terra Nova Bay is not sensitive to the lead fraction. Furthermore, this meteorological situation favors the advection of relatively mild and moist maritime air over a long distance in the ice-sheet interior. This process, which is referred to as a moist-air intrusion, could affect the antarctic ice-sheet mass balance. (Auth. mod.)

51-971
Sudden cessation of katabatic winds in Adélie Land, Antarctica.
Gallée, H., Pettré, P., Schayes, G., *Journal of applied meteorology,* July 1996, 35(7), p.1142-1152, 36 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Turbulent boundary layer, Turbulent flow, Atmospheric pressure, Wind direction, Buoyancy, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Topographic effects, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Adélie Coast
The evolution of summer katabatic wind events over the steep slopes of Adélie Coast is examined, with emphasis on the sudden cessation of these events. Different idealized large-scale forcings are considered, including a situation that comes very close to one observed during Nov.-Dec. 1985. The hydrostatic atmospheric model MAR is used to assess the sensitivity of the simulated cessation process to a prescribed large-scale forcing. (Auth. mod.)

51-972
Correction to "Initial results from the ICEMELT experiment: body-wave delay times and shear-wave splitting across Iceland" by Ingi Th. Bjarnason, Cecily J. Wolfe, Sean C. Solomon, and Gunnar Gudmundson. *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 15, 1996, 23(8), p.903, For pertinent paper see 51-709.
Tectonics, Geological surveys, Earthquakes, Anisotropy, Subpolar regions, Seismic surveys, Wave propagation, Velocity measurement, Iceland

51-973
Numerical modeling of subglacial sediment deformation: implications for the behavior of the Lake Michigan Lobe, Laurentide Ice Sheet.
Jenson, J.W., MacAyeal, D.R., Clark, P.U., Ho, C.L., Vela, J.C., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 10, 1996, 101(B4), p.8717-8728, 63 refs.
Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Quaternary deposits, Glacier oscillation, Ice sheets, Ice solid interface, Subglacial observations, Sediments, Substrates, Glacier beds, Deformation, Viscosity, Isostasy, Profiles, Mathematical models, United States—Michigan, Lake

51-974
Frost resistance of roller-compacted high-volume fly ash concrete—discussion.
Mather, B., Pigeon, M., *Journal of materials in civil engineering,* Nov. 1996, 8(4), p.216, 6 refs. For pertinent paper see 50-1466. Includes reply.
Concrete durability, Concrete admixtures, Mechanical properties, Frost resistance, Compaction, Porosity, Air entrainment

51-975
Toward an understanding of the surface chemical properties of ice: differences between the amorphous and crystalline surfaces.
Schaff, J.E., Roberts, J.T., *Journal of physical chemistry,* Aug. 15, 1996, 100(33), p.14,151-14,160, 37 refs.
Ice physics, Ice surface, Surface properties, Chemical properties, Ice vapor interface, Amorphous ice, Ice spectroscopy, Hydrogen bonds, Adsorption, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Simulation

51-976
[Preface: The UARS experiment on data collection].
Gille, J.C., ed, Massie, S.T., ed, Mankin, W.G., ed, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9539-9540, For individual papers see 51-977 through 51-1003 or I-56154 through I-56156, K-56150 through K-56153 and K-56157 through K-56170.
Data processing, Radiometry, Wind (meteorology), Spacecraft, Measuring instruments, Ozone
The launch of the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS) on Sep. 12, 1991, initiated the collection of the most complete and detailed set of observations ever attempted of the atmosphere between 15 and 100 km altitude. This volume collects 46 papers that present the evaluation of the quality of those data. Most of these papers contain data between 80°N and 80°S latitudes. Nine instruments were selected to make the measurements: three to measure energy inputs into the atmosphere, four for composition and temperature, and two for winds. A Central Data Handling Facility (CDHF) processes all data. Each instrument has a plan for the full evaluation and validation of its data.

51-977
Accuracy and precision of cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer (CLAES) temperature retrievals.
Gille, J.C., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9583-9601, 36 refs.
Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Accuracy
The measurement technique is reviewed concentrating on aspects that affect the temperature determination. Comparison of many pairs of retrievals at the same location (near 32°N or 32°S) measured on sequential orbits (time separation of 96 min) shows a precision ranging from approximately 0.8 K at 68 mbar to about 3.5 K at 0.2 mbar, which agrees with simulations incorporating random noise and short-period spacecraft motions. Comparisons of globally analyzed CLAES data with National Meteorological Center (NMC) and U.K. Meteorological Office (UKMO) analyses show general agreement, with CLAES tending to be cooler by about 2 K, except in the tropics and high-latitude winter conditions. This is supported by comparisons with individual radiosondes and several lidars that indicate that the agreement is within 2 K throughout the profile (except for a narrow layer around 3 mbar). An error analysis also indicates that systematic errors should be roughly 2 K, independent of altitude. The systematic differences at low latitudes appear to be due to tropical waves, which have vertical wavelengths too short to be seen by the TIROS Operational Vertical Sounder (TOVS) instruments. There are no correlative rocketsondes or lidars to help resolve the reasons for the high-latitude differences. The area of surveillance extends to 75°- 80° N and S. (Auth. mod.)

51-978
Comparison of correlative data with HNO_3 version 7 from the CLAES instrument deployed on the NASA Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite.
Kumer, J.B., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9621-9656, 62 refs.
Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Accuracy

51-979
Comparison of CLAES preliminary N_2O_5 data with correlative data and a model.
Kumer, J.B., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9657-9677, 39 refs.
Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Atmospheric composition
The CLAES aboard the UARS has made near-global measurements of N_2O_5. Data for 388 days have been processed to version 7 (V7) for the period from Jan. 9, 1992 to Apr. 25, 1993. Results from UARS instruments, including CLAES and the ISAMS provide the first near-global N_2O_5 measurements. Retrieval below 3.16 mbar is adversely affected by aerosols and above 1.47 mbar by lack of signal and possible instrument effects, so data usage is recommended for just the three "UARS pressure surfaces" 3.16, 2.15 and 1.47 mbar. A comparison of the diurnal data variation with the model suggests there are offsets in the data that are to first order diurnally independent. At higher altitudes and latitudes the comparison improves and tends toward consistency with systematic error estimates that are based on instrument and retrieval process characterization and range from 14% at 3.16 mbar to 21% at 1.47 mbar. A similar estimate of random CLAES error ranges from 7% at 3.16 mbar 26% at 1.47 mbar. By comparison, the average values of the error estimates generated by the production processing algorithm at 3.16 and 1.47 mbar are 8 and 36%, respectively, and the average values derived from the observed data variability are 19 and 24%. Confidence is enhanced by the good global scale agreement and correlation of CLAES and ISAMS during an N_2O_5 enhancement event in early mid-Jan. 1992 polar winter. (Auth. mod.)

51-980
Validation of CH_4 and N_2O measurements by the cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer instrument on the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite.
Roche, A.E., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9679-9710, 44 refs.
Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Atmospheric composition
CH_4 and N_2O are useful as dynamical tracers of stratospheric air transport because of their long photochemical lifetimes over a wide range of altitudes. The CLAES instrument on the UARS provided simultaneous global measurements of the altitude profiles of CH_4 and N_2O mixing ratios in the stratosphere between Oct. 1, 1991 and May 5, 1993. Data between Jan. 9, 1992 and May 5, 1993 (388 days), have been processed using version 7 data processing software, and this paper is concerned with the assessment of the quality of this data set. Each latitude was sampled 30 times per day between latitudes 34°S and 80°N, or 34°N and 80°S depending on the yaw direction of the UARS, and nearly all local times were sampled in about 36 days. This data set extends the altitude, latitude, and seasonal coverage of previous experiments, particularly in relation to measurements at high winter latitudes. Overall, the results of this validation exercise indicate that the version 7 CH_4 and N_2O data sets can be used with good confidence for quantitative and qualitative studies of stratospheric and lower-mesospheric atmospheric structure and dynamics. (Auth. mod.)

51-981
Global CF_2Cl_2 measurements by UARS cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer: validation by correlative data and a model.
Nightingale, R.W., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9711-9736, 61 refs.
Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Models
The cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer (CLAES) onboard the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS) has obtained the first global measurements of CF_2Cl_2 over six seasons, for which 388 days have been processed in data version 7 for the period from Jan. 9, 1992, to May 5, 1993. The CLAES measurements provide a near-global view of this stratospheric species, greatly extending the altitude, latitude, and seasonal coverage of previous measurements. This work evaluates CLAES version 7 data set quality. Overall, the results of this validation exercise indicate that the CLAES version 7 CF_2Cl_2 data set, within the limitations discussed in the paper, can be used for quantitative and qualitative studies of stratospheric structure

and dynamics. Several figures and plates depict the CF_2Cl_2 mixing ratios as they pertain to the north and south polar regions. (Auth. mod.)

51-982

Comparison of cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer (CLAES) ozone observations with correlative measurements.

Bailey, P.L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9737-9756, 41 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Ozone, Atmospheric composition

Ozone measurements made by the CLAES onboard UARS are compared to nearly coincident correlative measurements taken in 1992 and 1993 and to mean ozone distributions observed by other satellite instruments during past missions. This paper describes the CLAES measurement characteristics, uncertainties, predicted, and observed precisions and compares the observations with independent measurements both qualitatively and statistically. Satellite- and ground-based remote sensing as well as balloon-borne *in situ* measurements are represented in the correlative data set. The CLAES data are shown to be within ±20% of ll correlative measurements between 0.5 and 30 mbar. Differences at lower altitudes may be related to effects of the Pinatubo aerosol on certain of the correlative measurements and the CLAES retrieval. Comparisons with historical data from the LIMS, SAGE II, and SBUV instruments indicate good agreement with the spatial and seasonal ozone distributions seen by CLAES. The spacecraft is yawed 180° approximately every 36 days. CLAES thus obtains alternating coverage, either approximately 32°N to 80°S or 32°S to 80°N depending on the UARS flight direction. (Auth. mod.)

51-983

Validation studies using multiwavelength Cryogenic Limb Array Etalon Spectrometer (CLAES) observations of stratospheric aerosol.

Massie, S.T., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9757-9773, 30 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition

Validation studies of multiwavelength CLAES observations of stratospheric aerosol are discussed. An error analysis of the CLAES aerosol extinction data is presented. Aerosol extinction precision values are estimated at latitudes and times at which consecutive UARS orbits overlap. Comparisons of CLAES aerosol data with theoretical Mie calculations, based upon *in situ* particle size measurements at Laramie, WY, are presented. CLAES aerosol data are also compared to scaled aerosol extinction measured by the Stratospheric Aerosol and Gas Experiment (SAGE II) and Atmospheric Trace Molecule Spectroscopy (ATMOS) experiments. Observed and calculated extinction spectra, from CLAES, Improved Stratospheric and Mesospheric Sounder (ISAMS), and Halogen Occultation Experiment (HALOE) data, are compared. CLAES extinction data have precisions between 10 and 25%, instrumental biases near 30%, and accuracies between 33 and 43%. Latitudes for these data extended from 32°S to 80°N and from 32°N to 80°S. (Auth. mod.)

51-984

Validation of temperature measurements from the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder.

Dudhia, A., Livesey, N., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9795-9809, 25 refs.

Measuring instruments, Stratosphere, Air temperature

Atmospheric temperature measurements from the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder (ISAMS) are evaluated. Flown on the UARS, ISAMS obtained 180 days of science data between Sep. 26, 1991 and July 29, 1992. Typically, over 2600 temperature profiles/day were retrieved, spaced every 200 km along the limb-viewing track and nominally extending from 100 to 0.01 mbar (15-80 km). The latitude coverage ranged from 80°S to 80°N, depending on the particular ISAMS/UARS viewing geometry on any day. UARS is in a near-Sun-synchronous orbit, so that while the 15 orbits/d are spaced approximately every 24° longitude around the equator, the sampled local solar time actually changes by 20 min/d. The ISAMS temperature retrieval process is outlined and the various products are described. A detailed error budget for the retrieval is presented and comparisons are made with temperature measurements from other sources. Finally, a table is provided summarizing the best estimates of ISAMS temperature bias and precision. The results suggest a general cold bias of around 1 K in the stratospheric temperatures, with a superimposed 2-3 K warm bias associated with the densest part of the Pinatubo aerosol cloud. The precision of individual profiles is ±2 K throughout the stratosphere but falls off in the mesosphere to about ±10 K at 80 km. The error bars produced by the retrieval appear to be reasonable (although slightly pessimistic) estimates of the precision. (Auth.)

51-985

Ozone in the middle atmosphere as measured by the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder.

Connor, B.J., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9831-9841, 20 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Ozone

The improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder (ISAMS) made ozone measurements in the stratosphere and mesosphere, with dense coverage over a broad range of latitudes extending from 80°N to 80°S, on about 180 days between Sep. 1991 and July 1992. Used in this paper is version 10 of the ISAMS data which is recommended for use in the pressure range 10-0.1 mbar at night and 10-1 mbar during daytime. Measurements and the retrieval algorithm are described, an error analysis is presented, and comparisons of the results to both climatological and coincident data are provided. It is demonstrated that biases with respect to other well-validated sets are less than 10%, which is well within the internal assessment of systematic errors.

51-986

Measurements of methane and nitrous oxide distributions by the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder: retrieval and validation.

Remedios, J.J., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9843-9871, 45 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition

This paper describes the measurement technique, the current retrieval scheme (version 10), and the data set produced. The version 10 data set comprises typically 2600 profiles/d on 180 days between Sep. 26, 1991, and July 29, 1992. Retrieved profiles extend in altitude from 7 mbar to 0.08 mbar for methane and from 7 mbar to 0.8 mbar for nitrous oxide. The precision of the data is better than 20% over much of the range and estimated systematic uncertainties are less than 30%. Comparisons with coincident measurements show that the systematic uncertainties are a reasonable estimate for the methane data but reveal a much larger positive bias for the nitrous oxide data relative to other measurements. Accounting for aerosol contamination effects and a priori biases, ISAMS methane data are recommended for use in scientific studies at altitudes between 7 mbar (5 mbar in the tropics) and 0.1 mbar. ISAMS nitrous oxide data are recommended for use between 7 mbar and 1.0 mbar where relative rather than absolute values are required. Graph presentations extend the latitudinal data coverage from 80°S to 80°N. (Auth. mod.)

51-987

Validation of nitrogen dioxide measurements from the Improved Stratospheric and Mesospheric Sounder.

Reburn, W.J., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9873-9895, 33 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition

51-988

Dinitrogen pentoxide measurements from the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder: validation of preliminary results.

Smith, S.E., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9897-9906, 33 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition

51-989

Measurements of water vapor distributions by the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder: retrieval and validation.

Goss-Custard, M., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9907-9928, 53 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Water vapor

51-990

Validation of measurements of carbon monoxide from the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder.

López-Valverde, M.A., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9929-9955, 31 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere

51-991

Validation of UARS microwave limb sounder temperature and pressure measurements.

Fishbein, E.F., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.9983-10,016, 43 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Atmospheric pressure

Temperatures and tangent-point pressure are retrieved from a 15-channel 63-GHz radiometer measuring O_2 microwave emissions from the stratosphere and mesosphere. The Version 3 data (first public release) contains scientifically useful temperatures from 22 to 0.46 hPa. Accuracy estimates are based on instrument performance, spectroscopic uncertainty and retrieval numerics. Temperature accuracy is limited mainly by uncertainty in instrument characterization, and tangent-point pressure accuracy is limited mainly by the accuracy of spectroscopic parameters. Precisions are around 1 K and 100 m. Comparisons are presented among temperatures from MLS and several stations in the US and France. Problems with Version 3 MLS temperatures and tangent-point pressures are identified, but the high precision of MLS radiances will allow improvements with better algorithms planned for the future. Several of the plates present data measured at arctic and antarctic latitudes. (Auth. mod.)

51-992

Validation of UARS microwave limb sounder ozone measurements.

Froidevaux, L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,017-10,060, 39 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Ozone

The MLS ozone retrievals are obtained from the calibrated microwave radiances (emission spectra) in two separate bands, at frequencies near 205 and 183 GHz. Analyses focus on the MLS Version 3 data. Described are results of simulations performed to assess the quality of the retrieval algorithms, in terms of both mixing ratio and radiance closure. From actual MLS observations, the 205-GHz ozone retrievals give better closure (smaller radiance residuals) than that from the 183-GHz measurements and should be considered more accurate from the calibration aspects. However, the 183-GHz data are less noise limited in the mesosphere and can provide the most useful scientific results in that region. The retrieved 205-GHz ozone profiles in the middle-to lower stratosphere are compared to ozonesonde measurements at a wide range of latitudes and seasons; various plates include data for arctic and antarctic latitudes. Ground-based lidar data from Table Mountain, CA, provide a good reference for comparisons at higher altitudes. Based on these analyses and other factors, MLS results appear to be generally of high quality, with some biases worth mentioning. Results for the lowermost stratosphere are still in need of improvement. A set of estimated precision and accuracy values is derived for the MLS ozone data sets. (Auth. mod.)

51-993

Validation of UARS Microwave Limb Sounder ClO measurements.

Waters, J.W., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,091-10,127, 101 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Credibility of the measurements is established by (1) the consistency of the measured ClO spectral emission line with the retrieved ClO profiles and (2) comparisons of ClO from MLS with that from correlative measurements by balloon-based, ground-based, and aircraft-based instruments. Values of "noise" (random), "scaling" (multiplicative), and "bias" (additive) uncertainties are determined for the Version 3 data, the first version publicly released, and known artifacts in these data are identified. Comparisons with correlative measurements indicate agreement to within the combined uncertainties expected for MLS and the other measurements being compared. It is concluded that MLS Version 3 ClO data, with proper consideration of the uncertainties and "quality" parameters produced with these data, can be used for scientific analyses at retrieval surfaces between 46 and 1 hPa (approximately 20-50 km in height). Future work is planned to correct known problems in the data and improve their quality. Various plates and figures contain data for arctic and antarctic latitudes and diagrams of ClO profiles over McMurdo Station and Thule, Greenland are included. (Auth. mod.)

51-994

Validation of UARS microwave limb sounder 183 Ghz H_2O measurements.

Lahoz, W.A., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,129-10,149, 30 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Moisture, Humidity

Measurements of thermal emission are used to infer the concentration of water vapor over a pressure range of 46-0.2 hPa (≈20 to ≈60 km). It is estimated that version 3 MLS H_2O retrievals are accurate to within 20-25% in the lower stratosphere and to within 8-13% in the upper stratosphere and lower mesosphere. The precision of a single profile is estimated to be ≈0.15 ppmv in the mid-stratosphere and 0.2 ppmv in the lower and upper stratosphere. In the lower mesosphere the estimate of a single profile precision is 0.25-0.45 ppmv. During polar winter conditions, H_2O retrievals at 46 hPa can have a substantial contribution from climatology. The vertical resolution of MLS H_2O retrievals is ≈5 km. Specified figures show data at 60°-80°N and S. (Auth. mod.)

51-995

Validation of hydrogen fluoride measurements made by the Halogen Occultation Experiment from the UARS platform.

Russell, J.M., III, et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,163-10,174, 31 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition

This paper describes the characteristics of and data from the Halogen Occultation Experiment (HALOE) HF channel, including steps taken to validate the results. The on-orbit precision of the HF measurements is shown to be better than 0.04 ppbv to 0.06 ppbv throughout the stratosphere. The estimated accuracy is 14% to 27%

depending on altitude. The internal consistency of the HF measurements is excellent as judged by sunrise/sunset differences and comparison with HALOE CH_4 distributions. The mean difference between HALOE HF and correlative balloon underflight measurements is <7% from mbar to 50 mbar. Analysis of HALOE HF pressure versus longitude cross sections shows that obtaining close space and time coincidence can be very important in comparing tracer distributions. Typical characteristics of a pressure versus latitude cross section and polar orthographic projection are also discussed. Comparisons with latitudinal distributions of tracer measurements from previous experiments show similar features like the tropical double minimum due to the semiannual oscillation. All comparisons and analyses conducted provide good confidence in the validity of the HALOE HF results. Tables, plates, and figures show data for arctic and antarctic latitudes. (Auth. mod.)

51-996

Validation of Halogen Occultation Experiment CH_4 measurements from the UARS.

Park, J.H., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,183-10,203, 22 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition

CH_4 mixing ratio is obtained using the gas filter correlation technique operating in the 3.3 μm region. Since measurements are made during solar occultation in the 57° inclination orbit, data are collected 15 times daily for both sunrises and sunsets. This provides coverage of one hemisphere in a month period. One complete hemispheric sweep from equator to ≈80° latitude is made during the spring and summer seasons of two hemispheres, and partial sweep from equator to around 50° latitude is made during the fall and winter seasons of two hemispheres. HALOE CH_4 measurements are validated using direct comparisons with correlative data and internal consistency checks using other HALOE-measured tracers, HF, and aerosols. It is estimated from the 0.3- to 50-mbar region that the total error, including systematic and random components, is less than 15% and that the precision is better than 7%. Simultaneous measurements of CH_4 and other HALOE species and aerosol extinction coefficients provide important information on atmospheric dynamic and chemical processes, since CH_4 can be used as a tracer and an indicator of atmospheric transport processes. Several new pieces of information on previously unreported HALOE-observed features are also presented. Figures and plates show the range of latitude for data extending into the polar regions of both hemispheres. (Auth. mod.)

51-997

Validation of measurements of water vapor from the Halogen Occultation Experiment (HALOE).

Harries, J.E., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,205-10,216, 24 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric pressure

Measurements are made of the transmittance of the atmosphere in a number of spectral channels as the Sun rises or sets behind the limb of the atmosphere. One of the channels, at 6.60 μm, is a broadband filter channel tuned to detect absorption in the ν_2 band of water vapor. This paper describes efforts to validate the absolute and relative uncertainties (accuracy and precision) of the measurements from this channel. The HALOE data have been compared with independent measurements, using a variety of observational techniques, from balloons, from the ground, and from other space missions, and with the results of a two-dimensional model. The results show that HALOE is providing global measurements throughout the stratosphere and mesosphere with an accuracy within ±10% over most of this height range, and to within ±30% at the boundaries, and to a precision in the lower stratosphere of a few percent. The observed systematic behavior and internal consistency of the HALOE data, coupled with these estimates of their accuracy, indicate that the data may be used for quantitative tests of the understanding of the physical and chemical processes which control the concentration of H_2O in the middle atmosphere. Textual references, figures, and plates show measured data in both northern and southern polar regions. (Auth. mod.)

51-998

Halogen Occultation Experiment ozone channel validation.

Brühl, C., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,217-10,240, 32 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Ozone

The HALOE instrument on UARS observes vertical profiles of ozone and other gases of interest for atmospheric chemistry using the solar occultation technique. A broadband radiometer in the 9.6 μm band is used for ozone measurements. Version 17 ozone retrieved by HALOE is intercompared successfully with about 400 profiles of other sounders, including ozonesondes, lidars, balloons, rocketsondes, and other satellites. Usually, the HALOE data are within the error range of the correlative measurements between about 100 and 0.03 mbar atmospheric pressure. Between about 30 and 1 mbar, HALOE agrees typically within 5%, with a tendency to be low. In the first year of data, larger errors sometimes occur in the lower stratosphere due to the necessary correction for Pinatubo aerosol effects, but these differences do not exceed 20%. The data show internal consistency for sunrise and sunset events at the same locations. Some examples of observed ozone distributions, including both polar regions, are given. (Auth. mod.)

51-999

Validation of nitric oxide and nitrogen dioxide measurements made by the Halogen Occultation Experiment for UARS platform.

Gordley, L.L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,241-10,266, 38 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition

51-1000

Comparison of U.K. Meteorological Office and U.S. National Meteorological Center stratospheric analyses during northern and southern winter.

Manney, G.L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,311-10,334, 27 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure

Both UKMO and NMC analyses capture the large-scale evolution of the stratospheric circulation during Northern Hemisphere (NH) and Southern Hemisphere (SH) winters. Stronger vertical and horizontal temperature gradients develop in the UKMO than in the NMC data during stratospheric warmings; comparison with satellite measurements with better vertical resolution suggests that the stronger vertical temperature gradients are more realistic. The NH polar vortex is slightly stronger in the UKMO analyses than in the NMC in the middle and upper stratosphere, and midstratospheric temperatures are slightly lower. The SH polar vortex as represented in the UKMO analyses is stronger and colder in the midstratosphere than its representation in the NMC analyses. The UKMO analyses on occasion exhibit some difficulties in representing cross-polar flow or changes in curvature of the wind field at very high latitudes. In addition to the above study of two wintertime periods, a more detailed comparison of lower-stratospheric temperatures is done for all arctic and antarctic winter periods since the launch of the UARS. (Auth. mod.)

51-1001

Overview of UARS ozone validation based primarily on intercomparisons among UARS and Stratospheric Aerosol and Gas Experiment II measurements.

Cunnold, D.M., Froidevaux, L., Russell, J.M., Connor, B.J., Roche, A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,335-10,350, 16 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Ozone

Comparisons of data were made from the measurements by UARS instruments, i.e., MLS, CLAES, ISAMS, and HALOE, against those measured by SAGE II. No consistent patterns were noted in which the UARS data were similar to those of SAGE II or differed to the same degree in similar locations during the same seasons. Rather, seasonal and latitudinal differences in varying amounts seemed to be the norms. Data from both polar regions are reported. (Auth. mod.)

51-1002

Combined mesosphere/thermosphere winds using WINDII and HRDI data from the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite.

McLandress, C., Shepherd, G.G., Solheim, B.H., Burrage, M.D., Hays, P.B., Skinner, W.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,441-10,453, 20 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Wind velocity, Wind direction

The data analyzed cover from Feb. 1992 to Feb. 1994 and consist of both day and nighttime WINDII winds obtained from the $O(^1S)$ green line emission and mesosphere/lower thermosphere daytime HRDI winds from the O_3 atmospheric band. The combination of the WINDII and HRDI data sets is first justified by comparing all the data in the lower-thermosphere overlap region for days and orbits when both instruments were observing the same volume of atmosphere. This comparison shows good agreement between the two instruments. An analysis of the combined WINDII and HRDI winds during equinox and solstice periods is then performed. The amplification with height of the diurnal tide at equinox and its subsequent decay in the lower thermosphere are clearly demonstrated by the observations. The corresponding background (i.e., diurnal mean) zonal wind component exhibits a broad region of easterlies at lower latitudes in the upper mesosphere and lower thermosphere and westerlies at mid-latitudes. Above 120 km the mean winds revert to easterlies in the zonal component and a two-celled equator to pole meridional circulation. (Auth. mod.)

51-1003

Climatological mean wind observations from the UARS high-resolution Doppler imager and wind imaging interferometer: comparison with current reference tools.

Fleming, E.L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 30, 1996, 101(D6), p.10,455-10,473, 58 refs.

Measuring instruments, Spacecraft, Stratosphere, Wind velocity, Wind direction, Climatology

The authors have used 2-3 years of UARS HRDI and WINDII observations to construct a monthly and diurnal mean zonally averaged climatology of zonal and meridional wind for the 50- to 120-km region, and to compare with the current CIRA-86 and HWM-93 reference models. Comparisons are limited to regions where the tidal oscillations can be adequately removed from the UARS observations using simple binning and averaging methods. At 50-80 km the reference models, which are based on gradient winds derived from temperatures, compare well with the HRDI data in reproducing the overall seasonal variations, including the magnitudes and positions of the winter westerly and summer easterly jets at mid-latitudes. At 95 km, HRDI and WINDII show year-round easterlies at low latitudes and indicate a strong westerly jet during summer and weaker, more variable flow during winter at mid-latitudes. The CIRA-86 gradient winds at 95 km show some qualitative agreement with the UARS data at mid-latitudes, especially in simulating the summertime jet. However, the comparison is poor at low latitudes. Although the main focus of these comparisons is on the mid-latitudes, several of the figures contain data for both polar regions. (Auth. mod.)

51-1004

Effect of sea ice on the stability and variability of the thermohaline circulation in a planetary geostrophic model.

Zhang, S., Lin, C.A., Greatbatch, R.J., *McGill University. Centre for Climate and Global Change Research. C^2GCR report,* Sep. 1993, No.93-15, 36p. + figs., WDCA 95000127, 28 refs.

Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Ice heat flux, Ice water interface, Ice models, Ocean currents, Water temperature, Salinity, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

51-1005

Coupled ice-ocean model supporting winter navigation in the Baltic Sea. Part 1: ice dynamics and water levels.

Omstedt, A., Nyberg, L., Leppäranta, M., *Swedish Meteorological and Hydrological Institute. Reports oceanography,* Jan. 1994, SMHI RO, No.17, 17p., WDCA 95000105, 11 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice forecasting, Ice navigation, Ice routing, Drift, Ice models, Sea level, Computerized simulation, Baltic Sea

51-1006

Coupled ice-ocean model supporting winter navigation in the Baltic Sea. Part 2: thermodynamics and meteorological coupling.

Omstedt, A., Nyberg, L., *Swedish Meteorological and Hydrological Institute. Reports oceanography,* Jan. 1995, SMHI RO, No.21, 30p. + appends., WDCA 95000106, 24 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice forecasting, Air ice water interaction, Ice water interface, Ice heat flux, Drift, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Baltic Sea

51-1007

Simulation of the arctic sea ice cover.

Legutke, S., *Alfred-Wegener-Institut für Polar- und Meeresforschung. AWI Berichte aus dem Fachbereich Physik. Report,* Sep. 1992, No.30, 144p., WDCA 95000008, 27 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice edge, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Drift, Ice forecasting, Ice models, Computerized simulation

51-1008

Renovation techniques of ski areas. [Les techniques de réhabilitation des domaines skiables]

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Revegetation, Protective vegetation, Soil erosion, Soil conservation, Land reclamation

51-1009

Tomorrow like yesterday?...Pattern recognition for avalanche forecast. [Demain comme hier?..."Pattern recognition" pour la prévision des avalanches]

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Avalanche modeling, Avalanche forecasting, Image processing, Computer programs

51-1010

Avalanche: the cost of the prevention. [Avalanches: le coût de la prévention]

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Avalanche engineering, Safety, Cost analysis, France

51-1011

Assistance to the avalanche forecast in the Pyrenees. [Aide à la prévision du risque d'avalanche sur les Pyrénées]

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Avalanche forecasting, Avalanche modeling, Snow cover stability, Meteorological factors, Computerized simulation, Pyrenees

51-1012

Correlation of snow trafficability with the physical properties and conditions of deposited snow. Final report. Part II.

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Snow strength, Snow hardness, Snow density, Snow stratigraphy, Trafficability, Penetration tests, Environmental tests

51-1013

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Snow strength, Snow hardness, Snow density, Snow compression, Trafficability

51-1014

Correlation of snow trafficability with the physical properties and conditions of deposited snow. Final report. Part IV.

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Snow strength, Snow hardness, Snow density, Snow compression, Trafficability, Hardness tests, Mathematical models

51-1015

Correlation of snow trafficability with the physical properties and conditions of deposited snow. Final report. Part V.

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Snow strength, Snow hardness, Snow density, Snow compression, Rubber snow friction, Trafficability, Bearing strength, Shear strength, Computerized simulation, Computer programs, Mathematical models

51-1016

Sea-ice conditions during ARK IX/1a,b with RV *Polarstern*: shipboard observations and satellite imagery.

Viehoff, T., Eicken, H., Ramseier, R.O., Wadhams, P., *Alfred-Wegener-Institut für Polar- und Meeresforschung. AWI Berichte aus dem Fachbereich Physik. Report,* July 1993, No.43, n.p., WDCA 95000009.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Oceanographic surveys, Spaceborne photography, Greenland Sea, Fram Strait

51-1017

Snow, sea-ice and radar observations during ANT X/4: summary data report.

Drinkwater, M.R., Haas, C., *Alfred-Wegener-Institut für Polar- und Meeresforschung. AWI Berichte aus dem Fachbereich Physik. Report,* July 1994, No.53, 51p., WDCA 95000010, 6 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice structure, Snow ice interface, Core samplers, Radio echo soundings, Oceanographic surveys, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

This report summarizes the main observations of the sea-ice and microwave radar shipborne programs during the Winter Weddell Gyre Study 1992 (WWGS '92). It provides a listing of these measurements at each site throughout the course of WWGS '92. Together with a report of general ice conditions, which comprises visual observations from the ships bridge and imagery of satellite-based SSM/I, AVHRR and SAR sensors, it is compiled to provide a database for scientists wanting to work in this region. The main goals of the sea-ice program during WWGS '92 were to investigate the energy- and mass-balance of antarctic sea ice in winter, to improve knowledge on sea-ice growth mechanisms and ice dynamics, and to provide surface validation data for the different shipborne and spaceborne microwave remote sensing measurements which were carried out simultaneously during the shipborne experiment. The sea-ice related program consisted of the following main components with the first three items summarized in this report: ice coring and subsequent laboratory analysis; snow and ice thickness measurements; shipborne microwave radar scatterometer measurements; ERS-1 and SSM/I surface validation measurements; shipborne passive microwave radiometer measurements; shipborne optical and thermal infrared measurements and standardized ice observations from the ship's bridge. (Auth. mod.)

51-1018

Evidence of recent warming and El Niño-related variations in ice breakup of Wisconsin Lakes.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Global warming, Limnology, Lake ice, Ice breakup, Statistical analysis, Air temperature, Correlation, Long range forecasting, Seasonal variations, United States—Wisconsin

51-1019

Measuring the sensitivity of southern Wisconsin lake ice to climate variations and the lake depth using a numerical model.

Vavrus, S.J., Wynne, R.H., Foley, J.A., *Limnology and oceanography,* July 1996, 41(5), Symposium on Regional Assessment of Freshwater Ecosystems and Climate Change in North America, Leesburg, VA, Oct. 24-26, 1994. Selected papers, p.822-831, 53 refs.

Climatology, Climatic changes, Limnology, Lake ice, Surface temperature, Albedo, Freezeup, Ice breakup, Water level, Snow ice interface, Snow cover effect, Ice water interface, Mathematical models, Thermodynamic properties, Seasonal variations, United States—Wisconsin

51-1020

Determinants of temporal coherence in the satellite-derived 1987-1994 ice breakup dates of lakes on the Laurentian Shield.

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Limnology, Lake ice, Ice breakup, Seasonal variations, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Canada—Ontario, United States—Wisconsin, United States—North Dakota

51-1021

Climate forcing and thermal feedback of residual lake-ice covers in the high Arctic.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Limnology, Lake ice, Water temperature, Temperature variations, Ice cover thickness, Ice melting, Degree days, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Heat balance, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis

51-1022

Hydrologic regime of perched lakes in the Mackenzie Delta: potential responses to climate change.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Deltas, Limnology, Hydrologic cycle, Ice growth, Ice cover thickness, Water level, Mathematical models, Simulation, Canada—Northwest Territories—Mackenzie Delta

51-1023

Stream hydrological and ecological responses to climate change assessed with an artificial neural network.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Limnology, Hydrologic cycle, Hydrography, Ecosystems, Precipitation (meteorology), Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Mathematical models, Simulation, Flood forecasting

51-1024

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Paleoclimatology, Paleoecology, Climatic changes, Limnology, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Water level, Sedimentation, Models, Geochemical cycles, Correlation

51-1025

Century-scale paleoclimatic reconstruction from Moon Lake, a closed-basin lake in the northern Great Plains.

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Limnology, Paleoecology, Moraines, Lacustrine deposits, Drill core analysis, Stratigraphy, Salinity, Hydrogeochemistry, Hydrologic cycle, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, United States—South Dakota—Moon Lake

51-1026

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Synoptic meteorology, Alpine landscapes, Watersheds, Hydrogeochemistry, Precipitation (meteorology), Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Sampling, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Statistical analysis, United States—Colorado—Niwot Ridge

51-1027

Hydrochemical modeling of Emerald Lake watershed, Sierra Nevada, California: sensitivity of stream chemistry to changes in fluxes and model parameters.

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Watersheds, Climatology, Global warming, Limnology, Hydrogeochemistry, Stream flow, Aerosols, Ion diffusion, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff, Seasonal variations, Models, Correlation, United States—California—Emerald Lake

51-1028

Effects of glacial meltwater inflows and moat freezing on mixing in an ice-covered antarctic lake as interpreted from stable isotope and tritium distributions.

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Limnology, Icebound lakes, Lake ice, Ice cores, Glacier melting, Meltwater, Turbulent diffusion, Advection, Radioactive isotopes, Fallout, Solubility, Geochemical cycles, Isotope analysis, Antarctica—Fryxell, Lake

Perennially ice-covered lakes in the McMurdo Dry Valleys have risen several meters over the past two decades due to climatic warming and increased glacial meltwater inflow. To elucidate the hydrologic responses to changing climate and the effects on lake mixing processes, the authors measured the stable isotope ($\delta^{18}O$ and δD) and tritium concentrations of water and ice samples collected in the Lake Fryxell watershed from 1987 through 1990. Stable isotope enrichment resulted from evaporation in stream and moat samples and from sublimation in surface lake-ice samples. Tritium was present in deep water, suggesting that a component of bottom water was recently at the surface. During summer, melted lake ice and stream water forms the moat. Water excluded from ice formation during fall moat freezing may sink as density currents to the bottom of the lake. Seasonal lake circulation, in response to climate-driven surface inflow, is therefore responsible for the distribution of both water isotopes and dissolved solutes in Lake Fryxell. (Auth. mod.)

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This booklet covers the results of 5 Ocean Drilling Program high-latitude cruises, 2 in the Northern Hemisphere (Legs 104 and 105) and 3 in the Southern Hemisphere (Legs, 113, 119, and 120). An introductory series of topics is covered in the first section of this booklet, providing background information on ocean drilling, marine geology, and glaciology. Another section is arranged by cruise (Leg 104-Norwegian Sea, Leg 105-Labrador Sea and Baffin Bay, Leg 113-Weddell Sea, Leg 119-Prydz Bay, and Leg 120-Kerguelen Plateau) and is devoted to the description and interpretation of specific site data. The evidence provided from the marine sedimentary record indicates that cryospheric development in the Southern Hemisphere (Antarctica) preceded that in the Northern Hemisphere by at least 30 m.y. The temporal disparity in the onset of ice cover between the hemispheres is due, in large part, to the geographic and oceanographic isolation of the antarctic continent.

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Interaction of HCl with ice, imitating the surface of particles of polar stratospheric clouds, was investigated under laboratory conditions. A surface-diffusion model describing the surface processes and HCl dissolving in the bulk of the ice was constructed. On the basis of analysis of the experimental results obtained under static conditions, the constants of the reaction were obtained: coefficient of adhesion, frequency of desorption, and coefficient of HCl diffusion in the ice. The dynamics of interaction of HCl molecules in the flow reactor was described in terms of a model for adsorption-wave propagation. The behavior of the desorption spectrum and the independence of the amount of the desorbed HCl on the thickness of the ice were elucidated. Possible causes of discrepancy between the experimental findings of different research groups were considered.

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Wavelets are a new class of basis functions that are finding wide use for analyzing and interpreting turbulence data. Here the authors describe a new use for wavelets: identifying trends in turbulence time series. The inverted Haar wavelet and the elephant wavelet are used, respectively, to estimate the first-order and second-order coefficients in the trend polynomial. The analysis shows that wavelet trend detection is roughly half as accurate as least-squares trend detection when accuracy is evaluated in terms of the mean-square error in estimates of the first-order and second-order trend coefficients. Wavelet

trend detection is first demonstrated with artificial data and then with various data collected in the atmospheric surface layer. Guidelines are provided on when linear and quadratic trends are "significant" enough to require removal from turbulence series. (Auth. mod.)

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Remediation of sediments at Eagle River Flats, AK, a salt marsh contaminated with solid particles of white phosphorus (P_4), may require severe alterations of the wetland by dredging, draining, or covering. However, some sediments may undergo decontamination naturally in areas that are seasonally subaerially exposed. The persistence of millimeter-size P_4 particles was studied in laboratory and field experiments. White phosphorus particles were found to be persistent in saturated sediments. In unsaturated sediments, loss was rapid (within 24 h) at 20°C, and was retarded by low temperatures. (Auth. mod.)

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51-1085

Limits on the CO_2 content of the Martian polar deposits.

Mellon, M.T., *Icarus,* Nov. 1996, 124(1), p.268-279, 63 refs.

Mars (planet), Extraterrestrial ice, Climatic changes, Carbon dioxide, Ice sheets, Ice accretion, Ice physics, Ice composition, Ice thermal properties, Stability, Clathrates, Phase transformations, Thermal conductivity, Ice cover effect

51-1086

Latitude variations of the polar caps on Ganymede.

Hillier, J., Helfenstein, P., Veverka, J., *Icarus,* Nov. 1996, 124(1), p.308-317, 17 refs.

Satellites (natural), Extraterrestrial ice, Polar regions, Frost, Layers, Thickness, Optical properties, Albedo, Photometry, Models

51-1087

Urban snow deposits—pathways of pollutants.

Viklander, M., *Science of the total environment,* Oct. 28, 1996, Vol.189-190, International Symposium on Highway and Urban Pollution, 5th, Copenhagen, Denmark, May 22-24, 1995. Proceedings, p.379-384, 7 refs.

Streets, Snow accumulation, Snow removal, Snow disposal, Snow impurities, Water pollution, Sedimentation, Metals, Meltwater, Sampling, Environmental tests

51-1088

Source location and tracking capability of a small seismic array.

Morna, M.L., Albert, D.G., CR 96-08, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* June 1996, 34p., ADA-314 507, 19 refs.

Military operation, Vehicles, Orientation, Remote sensing, Boreholes, Detonation waves, Sound waves, Detection, Wave propagation, Seismic reflection, Seismic velocity, Spectra, Statistical analysis

Recordings of seismic wavefields from various sources were obtained using a small array of vertical-component geophones under winter conditions at Grayling, MI. These data were processed using a frequency-wavenumber domain Capon minimum variance beamformer to estimate the bearing angle and propagation velocity of the waves emitted from the source. The wave sources were sledgehammer blows on the ground surface, .45 caliber blank pistol shots, and an M60 tank moving along a road near the array. Reliable wavenumber spectra were obtained for all sources. Processing results for the hammer blows show that the dominant seismic arrival is a Rayleigh wave traveling at roughly 220 m/s. For the pistol shots, two arrivals corresponding to the airwave (338 m/s) and the air-coupled Rayleigh waves (220 m/s) were observed. For the moving vehicle, the dominant signals observed were Rayleigh waves (220 m/s). Accurate locations were obtained for this moving source, although the processing parameters had to be carefully selected, and the choice of frequency parameters affected the accuracy of the wavenumber results. The sensitivity of the wavenumber estimates to the frequency processing parameters seems to be related to the bias in the phase spectra of the signals and will potentially occur in any bearing estimation method that uses temporal frequency phase spectra.

51-1089

Southern hemisphere climate system recovery from 'instantaneous' sea-ice removal.

Wu, X., Simmonds, I., Budd, W.F., *Royal Meteorological Society. Quarterly journal A,* Oct. 1996, 122(535), p.1501-1520, 48 refs.

Climatology, Climatic changes, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Ice removal, Ice formation, Heat flux, Turbulent flow, Atmospheric circulation, Simulation, Ice models, Mathematical models, Long range forecasting

A coupled atmosphere-sea-ice model has been used to investigate the temporal response to instantaneous antarctic sea-ice removal under the present external climate conditions. Here the authors examine the timescale and nature of the ice and atmospheric relaxation back to 'control' conditions. Several experiments were carried out, either supposing that all the sea ice was removed at certain times of year, or that it was removed only over certain large areas. For the 'whole sea-ice removal' experiment the maximum impact was found to occur when the removal was made at the time of sea-ice maximum (Sep.) and least reaction near the minimum. In both cases the return to normal occurred by the middle of the following winter. The atmospheric responses comprised reduced difference between precipitation and evaporation over the ocean and increased over the antarctic continent. The air temperature changes spread through the troposphere and tended to reduce the circumpolar westerlies north of and over the sea-ice zone. The reaction to the regional sea-ice removals was more local and depended on where the region was located relative to the mean circulation pattern around and over Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

51-1090

Talus and pediment flatirons—indicators of climatic change on scarp slopes on the Colorado Plateau, USA.

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Geomorphology, Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Paleoecology, Vegetation patterns, Terraces, Talus, Periglacial processes, Slope processes, Landscape development, United States—Colorado

51-1091

Soil weathering on glacial and glaciofluvial deposits in the Langtang Valley (central Nepal) and its relation to the glacial history.

Bäumler, R., et al, *Zeitschrift für Geomorphologie,* Apr. 1996, Vol.103(suppl.), p.373-387, With German and French summaries. 23 refs.

Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Moraines, Solifluction, Eolian soils, Weathering, Soil profiles, Soil formation, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, Soil classification, Nepal

51-1092

Upper Cretaceous dinoflagellate cyst stratigraphy, onshore West Greenland.

Nøhr-Hansen, H., *Denmark. Grønlands geologiske undersøgelse. Bulletin,* 1996, No.170, 104p. + enclos., Refs. p.36-39.

Geological surveys, Subpolar regions, Palynology, Paleobotany, Marine deposits, Classifications, Quaternary deposits, Pleistocene, Sediments, Stratigraphy, Drill core analysis, Geochronology, Microscope slides, Greenland

51-1093

Palimpsest glacial dispersal trains and their significance for drift prospecting.

Parent, M., Paradis, S.J., Doiron, A., *Journal of geochemical exploration,* Oct. 1996, 56(2), p.123-140, Refs. p.138-140.

Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Glacial deposits, Glacier flow, Sediment transport, Subglacial observations, Dispersions, Glacial erosion, Geochemistry, Lithology, Sampling

51-1094

Mathematical modeling of the heat-exchange process in a quarry bench in permanently frozen rock.

Polubelova, T.N., Sleptsov, V.I., Izakson, V.IU., *Journal of mining science,* Sep. 1996, 32(3), p.197-204, Translated from Fiziko-tekhnicheskie problemy razrabotki poleznykh iskopaemykh. 8 refs.

Quarries, Mining, Rock excavation, Thermal insulation, Covering, Frozen rock strength, Frozen rock temperature, Thaw weakening, Permafrost, Heat transfer, Heat sinks, Slope orientation, Insolation, Mathematical models

51-1095

Cryogeotechnology of metals (premises and theory).

Ptitsin, A.B., Tolkunov, B.L., Naumov, A.A., *Journal of mining science,* Sep. 1996, 32(3), p.224-239, Translated from Fiziko-tekhnicheskie problemy razrabotki poleznykh iskopaemykh. 30 refs.

Mining, Solutions, Freezing points, Geocryology, Permafrost bases, Frozen ground chemistry, Metals, Leaching, Capillarity, Temperature effects, Low temperature tests

51-1096

Approach to annual water balance for small mountainous catchments with wide spatial distributions of rainfall and snow water equivalent.

Tani, M., *Journal of hydrology,* Sep. 1996, 183(3-4), p.205-225, 34 refs.

Watersheds, Snow hydrology, Hydrologic cycle, Water balance, Runoff, Seasonal variations, Precipitation (meteorology), Evapotranspiration, Snow water equivalent, Correlation, Statistical analysis

51-1097

Comparison of slam-freezing and high-pressure freezing effects on the DNA cholesteric liquid crystalline structure.

Leforestier, A., Richter, K., Livolant, F., Dubochet, J., *Journal of microscopy,* Oct. 1996, 184(pt.1), p.4-13, 31 refs.

Cryobiology, Microscope slides, Laboratory techniques, Solutions, Freezing, Molecular structure, Ice microstructure, Electron microscopy, Vitreous ice, Cryogenics, Preserving

51-1098

Convection in a melt pond.

Bogorodskiĭ, P.V., Symposium on Boundary Layers and Turbulence, 11th, Charlotte, NC, Mar. 27-31, 1995, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.72-75, 10 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice melting, Ponds, Ice water interface, Convection, Thermal conductivity, Salinity, Air ice water interaction, Mathematical models, Thermodynamic properties

51-1099

New formulation for the Bowen ratio over saturated surfaces.

Cash, B.A., Andreas, E.L., MP 3916, Symposium on Boundary Layers and Turbulence, 11th, Charlotte, NC, Mar. 27-31, 1995, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.110-113, 20 refs. For another version see 50-6570.

Turbulent boundary layer, Marine meteorology, Heat flux, Vapor pressure, Water vapor, Saturation, Ice air interface, Surface temperature, Indexes (ratios), Thermodynamic properties

In this paper the authors formulate new expressions for the Bowen ratio (Bo) in terms of Bo_* for the cases in which sensible heat (H_s) and latent heat (H_L) are both positive or both negative and show that Bo_* is an important parameter when H_s is negative and H_L is positive. These formulations are based on 17 tabulations of H_s, H_L, and surface temperature (T_s) taken from data sets that came from over-water experiments in the open ocean, the marginal seas, and the Great Lakes and from over-snow experiments on sea ice and frozen ground. T_s ranged from -41° to 28°C. The analysis yields one functional form for Bo versus Bo_* that spans this entire temperature range for each of the three cases given, unifying the prediction of Bo over any saturated surface, provided the signs of H_s and H_L are known a priori.

51-1100

Atmospheric convection from arctic leads.

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Oceanography, Atmospheric boundary layer, Marine meteorology, Ice openings, Sea ice distribution, Heat flux, Turbulent flow, Thermal diffusion, Air ice water interaction, Convection, Mathematical models, Buoyancy

51-1101

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Dixon, J., *Canada. Geological Survey. Paper,* 1992, 92-9, 79p. + maps, With French summary. Refs. p.72-79.

Pleistocene, Subarctic landscapes, Geological surveys, Geologic structures, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Tectonics, Lithology, Correlation, Canada—Yukon Territory, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-1102

Grid based distributed hydrologic model: testing against data from Reynolds Creek experimental watershed.

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Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Stream flow, Water balance, Watersheds, Computerized simulation, United States—Idaho

51-1103

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Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Stream flow, Water balance, Watersheds, Isotopic labeling, Computerized simulation, United States—Idaho

51-1104

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Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice water interface, River flow, Water transport, Russia—Siberia

51-1105

Interactive digital forecast preparation using slider bars.

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Aircraft icing, Ice forecasting, Weather forecasting, Data processing, Data transmission, Computer applications

51-1106

New radiosonde temperature sensor with fast response time and small radiation error.

Turtiainen, H., Tammela, S., Stuns, I., International Conference on Interactive Information and Processing Systems for Meteorology, Oceanography, and Hydrology, 11th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.98-102, WDCA 95000142.

Air temperature, Temperature measurement, Weather forecasting, Meteorological instruments, Airborne equipment, Sounding

51-1107

Sensor heating to enhance reliability of radiosonde humidity measurement.

Paukkunen, A., International Conference on Interactive Information and Processing Systems for Meteorology, Oceanography, and Hydrology, 11th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.103-107, WDCA 95000142, 4 refs.

Humidity, Hygrometers, Weather forecasting, Meteorological instruments, Airborne equipment, Sounding, Low temperature tests

51-1108

Antarctic data archive and access system.

Bywaters, K.W., Lazzara, M., Santek, D., Young, J.T., International Conference on Interactive Information and Processing Systems for Meteorology, Oceanography, and Hydrology, 11th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.373-375, WDCA 95000142, 2 refs.

Data processing, Data transmission, Computer applications, Spaceborne photography

With ever increasing volumes of satellite data available to scientists, it is becoming increasingly difficult for them to gain control of the dataset. Surprisingly, antarctic research exemplifies this problem well. Even though Antarctica has a low density of surface based observations, it is by definition, an area of high temporal and spatial coverage by polar orbiting satellites. The AMRC (Antarctic Meteorological Research Center) at SSEC (Space Science and Engineering Center) has developed a tool that logically stores the data and provides the scientist with the capability to search the database for a specified subset meeting predefined criteria. It is built on top of the Empress RDBMS (Relational DataBase Management System). Satellite data from NOAA-10, -11 and -12 are stored in the database and a convenient graphical interface provides easy point-and-click access to the system. (Auth. mod.)

51-1109

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Earthquakes, Glacier melting, Flooding, Volcanoes, Iceland

51-1110

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Ice cores, Ice dating, Geochemistry, Atmospheric composition, Carbon isotopes, Ice cores, North Atlantic Ocean

51-1111

Human influence on the atmospheric vertical temperature structure: detection and observation.

Tett, S.F.B., Mitchell, J.F.B., Parker, D.E., Allen, M.R., *Science,* Nov. 15, 1996, 274(5290), p.1170-1173, 24 refs.

Air temperature, Atmospheric composition, Climatic changes, Ozone, Aerosols, Models, Measuring instruments, Radiosondes

Recent work suggests a discernible human influence on climate. This finding is supported, with less restrictive assumptions than those used in earlier studies, by a 1961 through 1995 data set of radiosonde observations and by ensembles of coupled atmosphere-ocean simulations forced with changes in greenhouse gases, tropospheric sulfate aerosols, and stratospheric ozone. On balance, agreement between the simulations and observations is best for a combination of greenhouse gas, aerosol, and ozone forcing. The uncertainties remaining are due to imperfect knowledge of radiative forcing, natural climate variability, and errors in observations and model response. The range of instrumental measurements extends globally from 90°N to 90°S. (Auth. mod.)

51-1112

Volcanoes under ice: recipe for a flood.

Monastersky, R., *Science news,* Nov. 23, 1996, 150(21), p.327, For a related article see 51-1109.

Volcanoes, Water flow, Ice cover, Subglacial drainage, Floods, Iceland

51-1113

Mother lode of natural gas.

Monastersky, R., *Science news,* Nov. 9, 1996, 150(19), p.298-299.

Permafrost, Hydrocarbons, Natural gas, Hydrates, Methane, Russia—Siberia, Canada—Northwest Territories, United States—Alaska

51-1114

Fennoscandian earthquakes: whole crustal rupturing related to postglacial rebound.

Arvidsson, R., *Science,* Nov. 1, 1996, 274(5288), p.744-746, 30 refs.

Earthquakes, Glacial geology, Ice melting, Norway, Sweden, Finland

51-1115

Climatic and hydrologic oscillations in the Owens Lake basin and adjacent Sierra Nevada, California.

Benson, L.V., Burdett, J.W., Kashgarian, M., Lund, S.P., Phillips, F.M., Rye, R.O., *Science,* Nov. 1, 1996, 274(5288), p.746-749, 29 refs.

Glaciation, Hydrology, Paleoclimatology, Icebergs, Oscillations, Periodic variations, United States—California—Owens Lake (Dry), United States—California—Sierra Nevada, North Atlantic Ocean

51-1116

Chronology for fluctuations in Late Pleistocene Sierra Nevada glaciers and lakes.

Phillips, F.M., Zreda, M.G., Benson, L.V., Plummer, M.A., Elmore, D., Sharma, P., *Science,* Nov. 1, 1996, 274(5288), p.749-751, 29 refs.

Geochronology, Oscillations, Mountain glaciers, Hydrology, Icebergs, United States—California—Sierra Nevada, United States—California—Owens Lake (Dry)

51-1117

Vascular plants as sensitive indicators of lead and PCB transport from local sources in the Canadian Arctic.

Dushenko, W.T., Grundy, S.L., Reimer, K.J., *Science of the total environment,* Sep. 20, 1996, 188(1), p.29-38, 32 refs.

Air pollution, Tundra vegetation, Subpolar regions, Atmospheric composition, Hydrocarbons, Aerosols, Plant physiology, Plant tissues, Soil composition, Sampling, Environmental impact, Environmental tests, Statistical analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-1118

Intercomparison of total ozone data from a Dobson spectrophotometer, TOMS, visible wavelength spectrometer, and ozonesondes.

Nichol, S.E., Keys, J.G., Wood, S.W., Johnston, P.V., Bodeker, G.E., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1087-1090, 15 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Ozone, Radio echo soundings, Photometry, Spectroscopy, Correlation, Seasonal variations

Comparisons of total column ozone measurements from three ground-based instruments (Dobson spectrophotometer, ozonesonde, and visible wavelength grating spectrometer) and the TOMS instrument are presented for the period 1991 to 1994 at Arrival Heights, McMurdo. The primary purpose of these comparisons is to investigate the accuracy of the visible spectrometer, while a second aim is to compare version 6 and version 7 TOMS satellite retrievals with the ground-based measurements. While the Dobson, TOMS and ozonesonde measurements show good agreement, there is a seasonal dependence between data from the visible wavelength spectrometer and each of the other three instruments. However, the visible spectrometer produces valuable data for the late autumn and early spring, when data are not available from the Dobson and TOMS. (Auth. mod.)

51-1119

Balloonborne backscatter observations of type 1 PSC formation: inference about physical state from trajectory analysis.

Larsen, N., Knudsen, B.M., Rosen, J.M., Kjome, N.T., Kyrö, E., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1091-1094, 19 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Aerosols, Heterogeneous nucleation, Freezing points, Ice vapor interface, Solid phases, Statistical analysis

51-1120

Recent climate anomalies and their impact on snow chemistry at South Pole, 1987-1994.

Dibb, J.E., Whitlow, S.I., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1115-1118, 14 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Degradation, Aerosols, Ozone, Volcanic ash, Firn, Snow impurities, Sampling, Correlation, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Three 2 m deep snowpits sampled at South Pole in 1994 provide detailed (2 cm resolution) profiles of the concentrations of soluble ionic species for the period 1987-1994. The most prominent feature is a large concentration spike of $SO_4^=$ in snow deposited in 1992 reflecting fallout from the eruptions of Pinatubo and Hudson in 1991. The overlapping effects of the volcanic eruptions and El Nino circulation preclude partitioning the enhanced deposition of $SO_4^=$ into volcanic and biogenic fractions. Nitrate concentration profiles show no relation to the severity of O_3 depletion in the antarctic stratosphere during the period of record. Rather, the profiles show a progressive decline of the annual peak concentrations over the top 0.5-1.0 m of each pit. This behavior is attributed to post-deposition loss of NO_3^-, presumably by re-emission of HNO_3 into the atmosphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-1121

New inferences of mantle viscosity from joint inversion of long-wavelength mantle convection and post-glacial rebound data.

Forte, A.M., Mitrovica, J.X., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1147-1150, 18 refs.

Tectonics, Pleistocene, Earth crust, Viscoelasticity, Profiles, Glacial geology, Ice loads, Isostasy, Statistical analysis, Rheology, Gravity anomalies

51-1122

Isotopic signature of debris-rich ice formed by regelation into a subglacial sediment bed.

Iverson, N.R., Souchez, R., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1151-1154, 20 refs.

Glacial geology, Glacier beds, Bottom ice, Sediment transport, Ice solid interface, Regelation, Interstitial ice, Ice composition, Oxygen isotopes, Isotope analysis, Simulation

51-1123

Dispersion of regional body waves at 100-150 km depth beneath Alaska: in situ constraints on metamorphism of subducted crust.

Abers, G.A., Sarker, G., *Geophysical research letters,* May 15, 1996, 23(10), p.1171-1174, 23 refs.

Marine geology, Earth crust, Tectonics, Seismic refraction, Wave propagation, Seismic velocity, Geologic structures, Structural analysis, Geophysical surveys, United States—Alaska

51-1124

Radar cross-section measurements of snow and ice for design of SEV pilotage system.

U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory, MP 3921, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory,* June 1971, 84p., ARPA No.1615, 5 refs.

Air cushion vehicles, Ice navigation, Ice detection, Sea clutter, Falling snow, Ice dielectrics, Snow cover effect, Profiles, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Sensors, Design criteria, Performance, Polarization (waves), Antennas

In the Advanced Research Projects Agency (ARPA) program to develop a surface effect vehicle (SEV) for use in the Arctic, serious consideration is being given to the pilotage of the vehicle, particularly to the problem of the avoidance of pressure ridges on the sea ice. In bad weather conditions, a radar system is needed for reliable detection, because radar can penetrate snow and fog. For the design of this radar, the following environmental parameters are required to optimize the system: the terrain clutter from snow and ice surfaces at low grazing angles at various frequencies and the radar cross section of ice and snow objects. A test program was designed to measure these parameters. The radar frequencies 10, 35, and 95 GHz were chosen because of their availability. The tests were performed on a frozen snow-covered lake at Lyme, NH, 10 miles north of USA CRREL. The tests were conducted from Jan. 10, 1971 to Mar. 15, 1971. The site was snow covered during the entire testing period.

51-1125

Determination of the acoustic properties of frozen soils.

Nakano, Y., Smith, M., Martin, R., Stevens, H., Knuth, K., MP 3917, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory,* May 1971, 72p., ARPA No.1525, Refs. passim.

Frozen ground physics, Acoustic measurement, Wave propagation, Sound transmission, Velocity measurement, Ultrasonic tests, Viscoelasticity, Resonance, Oscillations, Statistical analysis, Simulation

The acoustic properties of frozen earth materials were investigated. The study consists of four different efforts described in four sections. In the first part the velocities of dilatational waves were measured with the pulse first-arrival technique. In the second part a linear viscoelastic constitutive equation was obtained by the use of the resonance column technique. In the third part the method of free oscillation of spherical specimens was developed. In the last part the acoustic properties were determined by the use of a critical angle tank.

51-1126

Report to the International Niagara Board of Control on the 1994-1995 operation of the Lake Erie-Niagara River ice boom.

International Niagara Working Committee, Sep. 1995, 35p. + figs.

River ice, River flow, Channels (waterways), Ice control, Ice booms, Water temperature, Air temperature, Ice forecasting, Ice navigation, Performance, United States—New York—Buffalo, Canada—Saint Lawrence River

51-1127

Deposition of organic carbon in Arctic Ocean sediments: terrigenous supply vs marine productivity.

Schubert, C.J., Stein, R., *Organic geochemistry,* Apr. 1996, 24(4), International Meeting on Organic Geochemistry, 17th, Donostia-San Sebastian, Spain, Sep.4-8, 1995. Proceedings. Part 1—Palaeoclimate and palaeoceanography, p.421-436, Refs. p.434-436.

Oceanographic surveys, Geochemical cycles, Organic nuclei, Sampling, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Ice rafting, Bottom sediment, Biomass, Sedimentation, Drill core analysis, Arctic Ocean

51-1128

Compositional variations in sedimentary lacustrine organic matter and their implications for high alpine Holocene environmental changes: Lake St. Moritz, Switzerland.

Ariztegui, D., Farrimond, P., McKenzie, J.A., *Organic geochemistry,* Apr. 1996, 24(4), International Meeting on Organic Geochemistry, 17th, Donostia-San Sebastian, Spain, Sep.4-8, 1995. Proceedings. Part 1—Palaeoclimate and palaeoceanography, p.453-461, 27 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Alpine landscapes, Lacustrine deposits, Geochemical cycles, Sedimentation, Biomass, Stratigraphy, Organic nuclei, Drill core analysis, Isotope analysis, Lithology, Switzerland—Alps

51-1129

Distribution of recent benthic foraminifera in a subarctic fjord-delta: Tana, Norway.

Corner, G.D., Stinsund, P.I., Aspeli, R., *Marine geology,* Sep. 1996, 134(1-2), p.113-125, 33 refs.

Marine geology, Marine biology, Biomass, Ecosystems, Bottom sediment, Sedimentation, Estuaries, Deltas, Subpolar regions, Sampling, Classifications, Distribution, Norway

51-1130

930-year ring-width chronology from moisture-sensitive white spruce (*Picea glauca* Moench) in northwestern Canada.

Szeicz, J.M., MacDonald, G.M., *Holocene,* Sep. 1996, 6(3), p.345-351, 27 refs.

Climatology, Subarctic landscapes, Climatic changes, Trees (plants), Plant tissues, Age determination, Growth, Stresses, Moisture transfer, Hydrology, Sampling, Geochronology, Statistical analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-1131

Late-Holocene glacier variations in the Cordillera Darwin, Tierra del Fuego, Chile.

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Climatology, Paleoecology, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Glacial deposits, Stratigraphy, Radioactive age determination, Correlation, Chile—Tierra del Fuego

51-1132

On solar forcing of Holocene climate: evidence from Scandinavia.

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Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Insolation, Paleoecology, Glacial deposits, Glacier oscillation, Quaternary deposits, Carbon isotopes, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, Correlation, Periodic variations, Sweden

51-1133

Lake sediment studies of Holocene glacial activity in the Kårsa valley, northern Sweden: contrasts in interpretation.

Snowball, I., Sandgren, P., *Holocene,* Sep. 1996, 6(3), p.367-372, 29 refs.

Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Lacustrine deposits, Climatic changes, Paleoecology, Stratigraphy, Drill core analysis, Particle size distribution, Sampling, Geochemical cycles, Radioactive age determination, Correlation, Sweden—Kårsa

51-1134

Deicers complying with strict limits. *Public works,* Nov. 1996, 127(12), p.62.

Road icing, Corrosion, Salting, Chemical properties, Ice removal, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Specifications

51-1135

Organic geochemistry and geohistory of the Triassic succession of Bjørnøya, Barents Sea.

Isaksen, G.H., *Organic geochemistry,* Mar. 1996, 24(3), p.333-349, 58 refs.

Marine geology, Pleistocene, Geochemical cycles, Marine deposits, Sedimentation, Sampling, Exploration, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Thin sections, Hydrocarbons, Bitumens, Geochronology, Barents Sea, Norway—Svalbard

51-1136

Structural relaxations in amorphous water studied by hole-burning spectroscopy.

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Ice physics, Amorphous ice, Molecular structure, Water structure, Infrared spectroscopy, Ice spectroscopy, Hydrogen bonds, Radiation absorption, Low temperature tests, Condensation, Cryogenics, Spectra

51-1137

Abscisic acid analog inhibits abscisic acid-induced freezing tolerance and protein accumulation, but not abscisic acid-induced sucrose uptake in a bromegrass (*Bromus inermis* Leyss) cell culture.

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51-1160

Preprints.

Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, 279p. + joint papers, WDCA 95000250, Refs. passim. For individual papers see 51-1161 through 51-1237 or F-56217 through F-56219, F-56227, F-56239, I-56213 through I-56216, I-56220 through I-56226, I-56228, I-56230 through I-56238, I-56240 through I-56246 and J-56229.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Sea ice distribution, Cloud cover, Wind (meteorology), Air temperature, Surface temperature, Ocean currents, Radiation balance, Global warming

This preprint volume contains the papers accepted for presentation at the 4th Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography held in Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. The conference brought together scientists from a variety of specializations in the atmospheric and oceanic sciences, with a common interest in the phenomena and processes that occur in high latitudes. The papers deal with all topics of interest in polar meteorology and oceanography, with special emphases on polar clouds and on climate change in the polar regions. These emphases were motivated by recent climate model results that highlight the polar regions as particularly sensitive to climate change, while at the same time the polar climate is particularly difficult to model and to remotely sense from satellites.

51-1161

Preliminary design for arctic atmospheric radiative transfer experiments.

Zak, B.D., et al, Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.1-3, 3 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Cloud cover, Radiation balance, Radiometry, Global warming

51-1162
Sedimentation and subsequent deposition of the Mt. Pinatubo aerosol over Antarctica based on SAGE II and ground truth measurements.
Anderson, J., Saxena, V.K., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.4-7, 19 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Aerosols, Volcanic ash, Scavenging, Ice cores, Antarctica
This study focuses on changes in the microphysical and columnar properties and the stratospheric settling of the Pinatubo aerosol in a unit column between 15-25 km in the antarctic region. The temporal periods of this study are during the austral springs and summers between 1991-94 derived from the Stratospheric Aerosol and Gas Experiment (SAGE) II remotely sensed measurements. Ground truth measurements in the form of chemical analysis of a 1.8 m deep snow/ice core, collected from the Marr Ice Piedmont on Palmer Peninsula, are presently underway.

51-1163
Twenty-year aerosol record at South Pole.
Hogan, A.W., Bodhaine, B.A., MP 3918, Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.8-12, 11 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
A Nolan-Pollak photoelectric nucleus counter was installed in the auroral observatory at South Pole on Jan. 26, 1974. It was moved to an interim observatory near the domed Amundsen-Scott Station in Jan. 1975, and to the clean air facility predominantly upwind of station activities in Jan. 1977. This instrument is used as an on-site standard to calibrate automatic or recording aerosol detectors, and is also used to measure the ambient aerosol concentration twice daily. This paper presents a comparison of the 20-year aerosol record with those published at five and ten years of observation. It also presents a statistical analysis of the record.

51-1164
Climatology of surface, tropospheric and stratospheric temperatures in the arctic from a new TOVS dataset.
Khalsa, S.J.S., Key, J.R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.13-18, 9 refs.
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51-1165
Antarctic inversion.
Connolley, W.M., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.19-21, 4 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Temperature inversions, Statistical analysis, Antarctica
The strongest and most persistent temperature inversion in the world occurs over the interior of Antarctica in winter. At Vostok Station the average surface inversion for the six months May to Oct. is 25°C. An accurate picture of the inversion is hard to obtain because there are few radiosonde stations in Antarctica. By using the full output from the UK Meteorological Office Global Climate Model, the author can obtain a complete map of the (model) inversion, surface and upper-air temperatures and can therefore test empirical relations between these variables. A restricted set of output, surface temperature only, is then used to generate maps of the inversion using the P&Z and regression methods, which he compares to the model inversion. He shows that both methods describe the modelled inversion strength quite well, with a standard deviation of error over the continent of about 2.5°C.

51-1166
Radiosonde temperature profiles at South Pole: correction for thermal lag.
Mahesh, A., Warren, S.G., Walden, V.P., Hughes, K., Koney, R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.22-23, 3 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Air temperature, Temperature inversions, Sounding, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
Very steep shallow temperature inversions occur during most of the year on the Antarctic Plateau. The radiosonde carried by a balloon rising at 4-5 m/s does not measure the inversion-layer temperatures accurately because the response time of its thermistor is several seconds. To quantify this error, the authors flew a radiosonde on a tethered kite at the Amundsen-Scott Station on 9 occasions in Aug. and Sep. of 1992, immediately prior to the routine launch of the same sonde on a balloon. A figure shows that the temperature difference between the kite and the balloon data is several degrees in the steep inversion layer, but then diminishes as the temperature changes more slowly, allowing the thermistor to respond adequately. Owing to the finite response time of the thermistor, the temperature reported by the radiosonde at a given altitude is a linear combination of the true atmospheric temperature at that and all previous heights.

51-1167
TOVS-derived estimates of horizontal energy fluxes into and within the arctic basin.
Francis, J.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.24-27, 7 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Advection, Heat flux, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-1168
Dynamical method for retrieving precipitation over Greenland from wind, temperature, and moisture fields, and initial results.
Chen, Q.S., Bromwich, D.H., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.28-31, 4 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), Ice sheets, Glacial meteorology, Weather forecasting, Mathematical models, Statistical analysis, Greenland

51-1169
Accuracies of satellite-derived cloud and surface parameters in the polar regions and their effect on radiative flux estimates.
Key, J.R., Stone, R.S., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.32-37, 14 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Albedo, Radiation balance, Ice heat flux, Snow heat flux, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-1170
Relationships between the arctic surface radiation budget and atmospheric circulation.
Key, J.R., Serreze, M.C., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.38-42, 15 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Radiation balance, Cloud cover, Weather stations, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-1171
TOVS-derived estimates of downwelling longwave radiation fluxes over the Arctic Basin.
Francis, J.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.43-46, 24 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Cloud cover, Radiation balance, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-1172
Simulated sea ice data.
Appel', I.L., Samuels, C.B., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.47-52.
Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Drift, Ice forecasting, Ice models, Computerized simulation

51-1173
National Ice Center: Navy, NOAA, USCG cooperation in global sea ice.
Warrenfeltz, L.L., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.53-56, 2 refs.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice forecasting, Ice reporting, Ice routing, Organizations, International cooperation, Data processing
In 1994, the U.S. Coast Guard formally joined with Navy and NOAA to form the National Ice Center (NIC). The NIC's areas of responsibility encompass the sea ice-affected portions of the Arctic, Antarctic, Atlantic, Pacific, Baltic, the Great Lakes, Chesapeake Bay, and Delaware Bay. Their products cover spatial scales from global analyses and forecasts for the East Arctic, West Arctic, and Antarctic to specialized tactical support tailored for individual customers operating in or near the ice. Seven-day, thirty-day, and seasonal forecasts of ice edge positions are produced for planning purposes.

51-1174
Description and validation of long-range sea ice forecasting methods at the National Ice Center.
Benner, D.A., Nauman, S., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.57-62, 8 refs.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice forecasting, Ice reporting, Ice routing, Organizations, Data processing, Antarctica—Ross Sea, Antarctica—McMurdo Sound
The National Ice Center (NIC) provides global sea ice, iceberg and Great Lakes ice information to U.S. military, government and commercial customers. Manpower and fiscal resources for the NIC are provided through a cooperative agreement between the Department of the Navy, NOAA and the U.S. Coast Guard. The NIC provides analog and digital ice guidance products in support of operations and climate research in the polar regions. Presented in this paper are descriptions of NIC seasonal sea ice forecasting products, procedures used in their production and the validation of past long-range ice forecasting skill.

51-1175
Surface temperature and lead heat fluxes from aircraft surveys during Leadex.
Lindsay, R.W., Jessup, A.T., Francis, J.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.63-68, 14 refs.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Pack ice, Ice openings, Ice heat flux, Ice formation, Ice water interface, Air ice water interaction, Surface temperature, Aerial surveys, Radiometry, Mathematical models, Beaufort Sea

51-1176
Observations and 1-D simulations of ice pack surface energy budgets during LeadEx92.
Persson, P.O.G., Ruffieux, D., Burk, S.D., Fairall, C.W., Wolfe, D.E., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.69-74, 12 refs.
Pack ice, Ice heat flux, Ice temperature, Surface temperature, Ice air interface, Polar atmospheres, Diurnal variations, Statistical analysis, Beaufort Sea

51-1177
Surface energy balance of arctic sea ice in winter.
Steffen, K., DeMaria, T., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.75-78, 6 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Radiation balance, Ice cover effect, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Canada—Northwest Territories—Barrow Strait

51-1178
Surface energy and water balance over an antarctic ice shelf in winter.
King, J.C., Anderson, P.S., Smith, M.C., Mobbs, S.D., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.79-81, 9 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Radiation balance, Ice shelves, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Glacial meteorology, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Antarctica—Halley Station
The energy balance at the surface of the antarctic continent controls the strength of the surface temperature inversion, which, in turn, controls the low-level katabatic circulation over the ice sheets. Because of the difficulties of carrying out micrometeorological studies in Antarctica, few measurements have been made of the climatology of surface energy balance components. In this paper, the authors report measurements of the mean wintertime energy balance over an ice shelf. They also estimate the contributions of evaporation from the surface and from blowing snow to the surface mass balance at this site. The measurements were made at Halley Station between Mar. and Sep. 1991.

51-1179

Atmospheric conditions during snowmelt at Dye 2, Greenland.

Anderson, M.R., Rowe, C.M., George, K.L., Mote, T.L., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.82-85, 3 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Ice sheets, Glacial meteorology, Snow ice interface, Snow air interface, Snow melting, Snow heat flux, Surface temperature, Greenland

51-1180

In situ measurements of the surface temperature in the western Weddell Sea.

Claffey, K.J., Andreas, E.L., Makshtas, A.P., Ivanov, B.V., MP 3919, Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.86-90, 8 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Radiation balance, Surface temperature, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Drift stations, Temperature measurement, Radiometry, Radiation measuring instruments, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

On Ice Station Weddell (ISW) in 1992, the authors had the opportunity to compare typical Russian and American instruments used to measure the components of the radiation balance *in situ* over sea ice. Here, they focus especially on the emitted longwave flux, since this yields the surface temperature. The surface temperature, in turn, is one of the most important parameters of sea ice because it is remotely monitorable and because it is intimately related to the surface heat budget. The longwave flux and both the turbulent sensible and latent heat fluxes depend strongly on surface temperature. From the time series of ISW radiation components and surface temperatures, the authors use a new variation of the Bowen ratio method to estimate the time series of sensible and latent heat fluxes on ISW.

51-1181

Measuring snow accumulation on the Greenland Crest.

Stearns, C.R., Weidner, G.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.91-93, 2 refs.

Ice sheets, Snow ice interface, Snow accumulation, Snow depth, Snow stratigraphy, Weather stations, Greenland

51-1182

United States Interagency Arctic Buoy Program.

Kniskern, F.E., Appell, G.F., Long, E.C., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.94-99, 4 refs.

Drift stations, Weather stations, Drift, Ice air interface, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Meteorological data, Data processing, Research projects

51-1183

U.S. automatic weather station program in Antarctica and Greenland.

Stearns, C.R., Weidner, G.A., Holmes, R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.100-102, 1 ref.

Polar atmospheres, Weather stations, Weather observations, Meteorological data, Data transmission, Research projects, Antarctica, Greenland

The National Science Foundation Office of Polar Programs automatic weather station project places automatic weather station (AWS) units in remote areas of Antarctica and Greenland in support of meteorological research and operations. Tables showing polar AWS locations for 1994, and AWS sites planned for installation in 1994-95 are presented. The Development of low power computer components in the 1970s and the ARGOS DCS on the NOAA series of polar orbiting satellites made possible the development of low-power AWS units capable of operating in the extreme polar climates.

51-1184

Polar data sets from the Defense Meteorological Satellite Program (DMSP) digital data archive.

Scharfen, G.R., Knowles, K.W., Bauer, R.J., Swick, R.S., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.103-107, 16 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Snow cover distribution, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Oceanographic surveys, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Meteorological data, Data processing, Data transmission

The U.S. Air Force operates the Defense Meteorological Satellite Program (DMSP), a system of near-polar-orbiting satellites designed for use in operational weather forecasting and other applications. DMSP satellites carry a suite of sensors that provides images of the earth and vertical profiles of the atmosphere. These include the Operational Linescan System (OLS) visible and infrared imager, the Special Sensor Microwave Imager (SSM/I), SSM/T temperature profiler, and SSM/T-2 water vapor profiler, which are described. The National Snow and Ice Data Center (NSIDC) will provide user services for DMSP data to the cryospheric/polar research community. This paper describes the data sets available through NSIDC and applications of these data for cryospheric/polar research. The status of the archive and user services is described. Examples of data are illustrated.

51-1185

Antarctic Meteorological Research Center at the University of Wisconsin and McMurdo, Antarctica.

Stearns, C.R., Young, J.T., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.108.

Polar atmospheres, Synoptic meteorology, Meteorological data, Data processing, Data transmission, Organizations, Research projects, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

The functions of the Antarctic Meteorological Research Center (AMRC) are: to collect, process, archive, and display all possible satellite and ground based meteorological data at McMurdo Station for research applications; to collect all useful and available synoptic meteorology products from sources other than Antarctica, such as the synoptic outputs of the Australian Bureau of Meteorology and the University of Wisconsin; and to distribute the antarctic meteorological data to all interested parties over Internet in McIDAS format (at the present time).

51-1186

Evaluation of a method for estimating the surface temperature inversion strength on the south polar plateau using slope flow theory.

Cassano, J.J., Stearns, C.R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.109-111, 5 refs.

Surface temperature, Temperature inversions, Wind (meteorology), Wind pressure, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Persistent katabatic winds over the gentle ice slopes in the interior of Antarctica have previously been modeled using slope flow theory, given a terrain slope, fall line direction, and an estimate of the temperature inversion strength. The goal of this project was to evaluate a method which would allow an estimate of the surface inversion strength using automatic weather station (AWS) data and a slope flow theory. These katabatic winds are driven by a sloped inversion pressure gradient force. The sloped inversion pressure gradient force arises from horizontal differences in the air temperature due to the presence of a temperature inversion over sloping terrain, shown in a figure.

51-1187

Two years of IR images south of 40 deg S every three hours.

Stearns, C.R., Young, J.T., Sinkula, B., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.112.

Spaceborne photography, Infrared photography, Weather observations, Meteorological data, Image processing, Data transmission

Composite satellite images in the 11.5 to 12.5 mm band are formed at three hourly intervals ±50 minutes using the geostationary satellites GOES-7, 112°W; GMS, 140°E; Meteosat-3, 0°; Meteosat 4, 60°W and polar orbiting satellites NOAA 11 and 12. The final image is one megabyte in size and the resolution is 10 km. The images are stored on optical disks. The geostationary satellites are entered into the composite image first and the polar orbiting satellites overwrite the geostationary satellites. The image extends from the South Pole to approximately 34°S.

51-1188

Temporal variability of precipitation over the western Antarctic Peninsula.

Turner, J., Colwell, S.R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.113-116, 5 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), Snowfall, Synoptic meteorology, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, Antarctica—Faraday Station

The authors examine the variation of precipitation over the western side of the Antarctic Peninsula through an investigation of the long series of surface synoptic reports made at Faraday Station. The variability of precipitation throughout the year is considered along with changes observed since the 1950s. The variability observed is related to changes noted in other surface meteorological observations from Faraday, the sea ice extent and the broader scale atmospheric circulation changes determined from the series of surface analyses prepared by the Australian Bureau of Meteorology.

51-1189

Changes in the low-level tropospheric temperature inversion over the Arctic Ocean, 1950-1990.

Kahl, J.D.W., Martinez, D.A., Zaĭtseva, N.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.117-121, 21 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Temperature inversions, Climatic changes, Statistical analysis

51-1190

Abrupt changes in the seasonal cycle of North American snow cover.

Leathers, D.J., Robinson, D.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.122-126, 12 refs.

Snow cover distribution, Snowfall, Snow accumulation, Snow heat flux, Snow air interface, Atmospheric circulation, Radiation balance, Climatic changes, Statistical analysis

51-1191

Regional signals in northern hemisphere snow cover during autumn and spring.

Frei, A., Robinson, D.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.127-131, 15 refs.

Snow cover distribution, Snowfall, Snow cover effect, Snow heat flux, Snow air interface, Atmospheric circulation, Climatic changes, Statistical analysis

51-1192

Spring season climate variability in the central Canadian Arctic Islands.

Agnew, T.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.132-137, 18 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Precipitation (meteorology), Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories—Resolute Bay

51-1193

Intercomparison of global climate model simulations of arctic temperature.

Tao, X., Chapman, W.L., Walsh, J.E., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.138-143, 11 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis

51-1194
Development of a regional climate model of the western Arctic.
Lynch, A.H., Chapman, W.L., Walsh, J.E., Weller, G., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.144-149, 17 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Global warming, Computerized simulation

51-1195
On the sea ice-albedo climate feedback mechanism.
Schramm, J.L., Curry, J.A., Ebert, E.E., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.150-155, 12 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Ice heat flux, Albedo, Global warming, Computerized simulation

51-1196
Correlation of ice thickness variability to atmospheric circulation over the North Pole, 1958-1992.
Walsh, J.E., Weaver, R.L.S., Colony, R., McLaren, A.S., Bourke, R.H., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.156-161, 8 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Ice cover thickness, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Ice bottom surface, Subglacial observations, Statistical analysis

51-1197
Impact of the semi-annual cycle on South Pacific sea ice extent in two contrasting years.
Harangozo, S.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.162-167, 9 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Bellingshausen Sea, Antarctica—Ross Sea
In this paper a simple hypothesis is tested that interannual alterations in ice extent arise principally through atmospheric circulation variations that control the amount of ice drift/advection and *in-situ* freezing and, in turn, that the circulation alterations are ultimately tied to amplitudinal adjustments of the semi-annual cycle. This focuses on the Bellingshausen Sea between 95 and 75°W and the eastern part of the Ross Sea between 160 and 140°W where the opposing winter ice extent anomalies in the years 1983 and 1986 were prominent.

51-1198
Cloud amount and radiation: effects of climatology and method on arctic sea-ice simulations.
Maslanik, J.A., Key, J.R., Schweiger, A.S., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.168-173, 16 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Radiation balance, Sea ice distribution, Ice heat flux, Ice growth, Ice models, Computerized simulation

51-1199
Modeling of the coupled katabatic/ocean and ice systems of the Antarctic.
Goodrick, S., England, D., McNider, R.T., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.174-179, 26 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Wind (meteorology), Ocean currents, Upwelling, Air ice water interaction, Mathematical models
It is the purpose of this paper to begin a model study of the interaction of antarctic katabatic flow with the coastal ocean. A coupled ocean atmosphere model is developed and simple experiments are carried out to elucidate the impact of the katabatic flows on transport and upwelling dynamics of the coastal ocean and examine the fidelity of the numerical model.

51-1200
Use of synthetic aperture radar data for verification of a coupled atmosphere-sea ice regional model.
Lynch, A.H., Glueck, M.F., Chapman, W.L., Bailey, D.A., Walsh, J.E., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.180-185, 23 refs.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Polynyas, Drift, Ocean currents, Air ice water interaction, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Bering Sea

51-1201
On getting climate and weather data over the pack ice and MIZ.
Brown, R.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.186-188, 8 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Ocean currents, Air ice water interaction, Pack ice, Ice edge, Ice heat flux, Computerized simulation

51-1202
Sea-ice interaction and the stability of the thermohaline circulation.
Yang, J.Y., Neelin, J.D., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.189-192, 15 refs.
Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Ice models, Atmospheric circulation, Ocean currents, Water temperature, Salinity, Global change, Mathematical models

51-1203
Variations of river influences in the Arctic Basin.
Allard, R., Preller, R.H., Piacsek, S.A., Cheng, A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.193-199, 9 refs.
River flow, Runoff, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice cover effect, Ice water interface, Ice models, Ocean currents, Water transport, Computerized simulation

51-1204
Ice and fresh water balance of the Arctic Ocean for 1979-1985.
Martin, S., Thomas, D.R., Steele, M., Rothrock, D.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.201-203, 3 refs.
River flow, Runoff, Ice water interface, Ice volume, Ice (water storage), Ice cover effect, Salinity, Ocean currents, Water transport, Water balance

51-1205
Deep convection in the Arctic: the evaluation of results from an OGCM with a new convection parameterization.
Paluszkiewicz, T., Hibler, L.F., Romea, R.D., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.204-209, 20 refs.
Ocean currents, Water transport, Water temperature, Salinity, Convection, Computerized simulation

51-1206
Modelling of turbulent atmospheric convection over leads.
Alam, A., Curry, J.A., Walter, B.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.210-213, 10 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Ice openings, Ice heat flux, Ice air interface, Turbulent exchange, Convection, Mathematical models

51-1207
Turbulent oceanic heat flux during winter in the central Weddell Sea.
McPhee, M.G., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.214-217, 7 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Ocean currents, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Polynyas, Turbulent exchange, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
During July and Aug. of 1994, the Antarctic Zone Flux Experiment (ANZFLUX) was executed from the National Science Foundation research icebreaker *Nathaniel B. Palmer,* in the Weddell Sea. The main thrust of the experiment was measuring fluxes of momentum, heat, salt and other properties in the upper ocean in at least two locations in the cyclonic gyre that dominates the circulation of the central Weddell. Understanding what maintains the present wintertime flux regime in the Weddell may be an important link in tracing how the abyssal ocean interacts with the rest of the climate system.

51-1208
Onset time and strength of oceanic deep convection diagnosed from an ocean large-eddy simulation model.
Denbo, D.W., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.218-223, 8 refs.
Atmospheric circulation, Air water interactions, Ocean currents, Water transport, Water temperature, Salinity, Turbulent exchange, Convection, Mathematical models

51-1209
Feature model for arctic upper ocean thermal structure.
Chu, P.C., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.224-227, 2 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air water interactions, Ocean currents, Water transport, Water temperature, Salinity, Turbulent exchange, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

51-1210
Simulated antarctic mesoscale processes and climate.
Hines, K.M., Bromwich, D.H., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.228-233, 15 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Air temperature, Temperature inversions, Surface temperature, Wind (meteorology), Computerized simulation, Antarctica
In this paper, the authors examine the meteorology of high southern latitudes simulated by a high-resolution mesoscale model, a version of the Penn State/National Center for Atmospheric Research Mesoscale Model, version 4 (PSU/NCAR MM4). The mesoscale model can be run independently with initial and boundary conditions obtained from analyses by the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts (ECMWF) or be nested within the NCAR Community Climate Model version 2 (CCM2). The focus of this paper is a preliminary assessment of a nested simulation of climate during the austral winter.

51-1211
Synoptic considerations of storms in the southern Beaufort Sea—expectations for BASE.
Hudak, D.R., Stewart, R.E., Moore, G.W.K., Hudson, E.T., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.234-237, 3 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Marine meteorology, Air water interactions, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric disturbances, Storms, Synoptic meteorology, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis, Weather forecasting, Beaufort Sea

51-1212

Investigation of an intense mesoscale cyclone over southern Marie Byrd Land, West Antarctica.

Bromwich, D.H., Carrasco, J.F., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.238-243, 17 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Atmospheric disturbances, Storms, Cloud cover, Wind (meteorology), Antarctica—Marie Byrd Land

Observational studies of mesoscale cyclones over the high southern latitudes have demonstrated the large activity of these perturbations over the antarctic coastal areas as well as the surrounding sea-ice zone. A recent study of mesoscale cyclones, based on the examination of one year of satellite imagery, showed that a significant number of mesoscale vortices observed over the Ross Ice Shelf came from Marie Byrd Land, West Antarctica, suggesting that this region is another cyclo-genetic area. On Nov. 11-12, 1992, the Polar Meteorology Group from the Byrd Polar Research Center encountered a strong mesoscale cyclone over southern Marie Byrd Land. Here, the authors present an analysis of this event.

51-1213

Characterization of polar cyclonic activity and relationship to observed snowfall events at McMurdo Station, Antarctica.

Rockey, C.C., Braaten, D.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.244-245, 3 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric disturbances, Snowfall, Snowstorms, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Throughout the year, coastal margins of Antarctica are frequently influenced by episodic snowfall events which produce trace amounts of snow, but only occasionally by snowfall events which produce measurable amounts. Previous investigations have not considered precipitation in characterization of antarctic cyclones, and the primary objective in this study is to link point precipitation measurements to cyclone characteristics and source region. Infrared satellite images, from Jan. 25 through July 31, 1994, have been used to identify, classify and track meso- and synoptic scale lows around Antarctica, and snowfall observations from McMurdo Station for this same period have been obtained and are discussed.

51-1214

Split jet evolution over the South Pacific Ocean during the 1986-1989 ENSO cycle.

Smith, S.R., Bromwich, D.H., Chen, B., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.246-251, 24 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Ocean currents, Air water interactions, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Atmospheric disturbances, South Pacific Ocean

The El Niño/Southern Oscillation (ENSO) has long been recognized as the major climate variation of the tropical South Pacific Ocean. The primary obstacle to linking Antarctica to ENSO is finding a dynamic north/south connection. Using hemispheric analyses, the authors established that dramatic changes in the split jet stream occur in the South Pacific sector (180° to 120°W). They present hypotheses consistent with the data results and the current knowledge of Southern Hemisphere dynamics to investigate the meridional circulation from the tropics to the South Pole during the 1986-89 ENSO cycle.

51-1215

Low-level atmospheric jets over the western Weddell Sea.

Andreas, E.L., Claffey, K.J., Makshtas, A.P., MP 3920, Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.252-257, 15 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine meteorology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Wind (meteorology), Wind velocity, Drift stations, Weather stations, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

A common theme in the literature is that the polar regions are ideal "laboratories" for studying atmospheric processes. The authors reiterate that theme and demonstrate it with a study of the stable atmospheric boundary layer (ABL) on Ice Station Weddell (ISW). Understanding of the stable boundary layer lags behind that of the convective boundary layer because, in more temperate latitudes, stable boundary layers are strictly nighttime phenomena and, thus, are rarely in steady state. On ISW, however, over 96% of the radiosoundings showed that the lower atmosphere was stably stratified. The authors, thus, had the opportunity to observe repeatedly, and in detail, the structure of the stable boundary layer. They found that the main feature of the stable boundary layer over the western Weddell Sea was a low-level jet. Almost 80% of the soundings revealed this jet, which frequently engulfed and battered their tethered radiosounding balloon. The authors document the characteristics of the jet and offer a mathematical explanation for its dynamics.

51-1216

Double jets in a two-level PE model.

Chen, B., Panetta, R.L., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.258-261, 15 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Fronts (meteorology), Wind (meteorology), Wind velocity, Computerized simulation

The observational analyses have revealed that there are two jets in the Southern Hemisphere winter, a subtropical jet and a polar front jet. The meridional cross-section with height indicates that the subtropical jet has baroclinic structure whereas the polar jet shows roughly equivalent barotropic structure. Using a two-level, primitive equation, spectral model, the purpose in the present work is to find forcing which produces a polar front jet well-separated from the subtropical jet, to analyze the mechanism of formation and maintenance of two kinds of jets, and to study the interactions between the subtropical jet and polar front jet.

51-1217

Modeling katabatic winds over West Antarctica.

Du, Y., Bromwich, D.H., Parish, T.R., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.262-267, 9 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Wind (meteorology), Wind direction, Wind velocity, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Siple Coast

Katabatic winds, which are driven by strong radiative cooling of the sloping ice surface, are a common climatic feature of the lower atmosphere over the continent of Antarctica, especially along the periphery. This strong wind has great impact on the behavior of the atmospheric boundary layer and the overlying troposphere. A better understanding of the antarctic katabatic winds is important to the study of atmospheric processes in high southern latitudes. This paper summarizes results from investigations of the surface wind regime over West Antarctica with a three dimensional mesoscale numerical model and makes comparisons with available observational data.

51-1218

Influence of geostrophic forcing on the katabatic wind regime at the Greenland ice sheet margin.

Elkhalfi, A., Rosset, R., Mascart, P., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.268-271, 9 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Ice sheets, Ice air interface, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric boundary layer, Wind (meteorology), Wind velocity, Wind direction, Greenland

51-1219

Observational study of the springtime Siple Coast confluence zone.

Bromwich, D.H., Liu, Z., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.272-277, 12 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric boundary layer, Wind (meteorology), Wind velocity, Wind direction, Air temperature, Weather observations, Antarctica—Siple Coast

The summer streamline simulation by Parish and Bromwich (1986) shows that there should be a confluence zone (where drainage flows converge) in the Siple Coast area. Analysis from the 1984-85 and 1985-86 austral summer observations taken at three temporary camps confirms the existence of the Siple Coast confluence zone. To improve the understanding of the katabatic wind regime, the 1992 field program was undertaken. Based upon the model results and previous surface observations, two sites (Upstream B and South Camp) for the campaign were chosen in the confluence zone near Siple Coast. An extensive observational network was established in order to study the confluence zone structure in both lateral and vertical directions. Results are discussed and illustrated.

51-1220

Heights of temperature inversions in the arctic troposphere.

Warren, S.G., Mahesh, A., Walden, V.P., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.278-279, 2 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Air temperature, Temperature inversions, Climatic changes, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis

51-1221

Interaction between polar climate and global warming.

Manabe, S., Stouffer, R.J., Spelman, M.J., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/1-J9/9, 25 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Global warming, Computerized simulation

This paper describes the response of a coupled ocean-atmosphere-land surface model, developed at the Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory, to increasing atmospheric CO_2. It includes a summary of the results in three published papers (Stouffer et al., 1989; Manabe et al., 1991, 1992). In addition, results from recent investigations (Manabe and Stouffer, 1993, 1994) are discussed, exploring the multiple-century response of the coupled model to a doubling and quadrupling of atmospheric CO_2.

51-1222

Global simulations with 1° sea-ice and ocean model components: present and future prospects.

Washington, W.M., Meehl, G.A., Bettge, T.W., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/10-J9/13, 10 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice models, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

At the National Center for Atmospheric Research, the authors have been conducting global climate coupled-model (atmosphere-ocean-sea ice) experiments with and without flux adjustment at the ocean surface. This climate system uses a relatively high resolution (1°, 20-level) version of the Semtner-Chervin (1988, 1992) ocean model compared to that used in most other greenhouse experiments. Details of sea ice and its interactions with the other aspects of the coupled model, are presented. The antarctic sea-ice distribution shows a large seasonal area change. Also, there are areas of greater ice thickness and concentration in the Weddell Sea and close to Antarctica.

51-1223

Intercomparison of simulated polar climates by global climate models.

Bromwich, D.H., Chen, B., Pan, X.G., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/14-J9/19, 20 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Precipitation (meteorology), Evaporation, Global change, Computerized simulation

Intercomparisons are performed of simulated arctic and antarctic climate for 1979-1988 by 17 currently available international climate models. The accuracy of modeled sea-level pressure depends on horizontal resolution. It seems that a critical resolution exists at about 4°x4°, i.e., simulated results are significantly improved when the model resolution is better than the critical resolution. There is a maximum discrepancy in simulated precipitation over the Arctic and Antarctica. It is suggested that the cause of the excess simulated precipitation in high latitudes must be factors other than moisture availability, most likely the simulated general circulations of the respective models. Most of the models are able to capture the evaporation/sublimation rate quite well over the polar regions. Thus the large errors in the net precipitation over high latitudes are thought to be caused by the anomalously large simulated precipitation rates.

51-1224

Recent variations of arctic climate: the observational evidence.

Walsh, J.E., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/20-J9/25, 24 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Precipitation (meteorology), Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Snow cover distribution, Global warming

51-1225
Interdecadal variability in the Arctic and northern North Atlantic: observations and models.
Mysak, L.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/26-J9/27, 7 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Climatic changes, Computerized simulation

51-1226
Chemical evolution of the polar stratosphere: a status report.
Brune, W.H., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J9/28-J9/29, 6 refs. Joint paper with 6th Symposium on Global Change Studies.
Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Atmospheric composition, Ozone
The chemical processes involved in the rapid ozone loss in polar regions are described. The following issues are examined: the cause of year-to-year variability in ozone loss observed at the poles, the details of the microphysics and chemistry of sulphate aerosols and polar stratospheric clouds, the relative importance of export of polar vortex air, and the interactions among the chemical families and the possibility that additional chemistry is occurring unobserved.

51-1227
Another look at the seasonal variation of polar cloudiness with satellite and surface observations.
Rossow, W.B., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J10/1-J10/4, 16 refs. Joint paper with Conference on Cloud Physics.
Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Cloud cover, Seasonal variations, Radiation balance
The polar regions exhibit completely different energy balances, where solar heating is less important than atmospheric heat transport and clouds reverse their lower latitude roles to heat the surface and cool the atmosphere. However, the annual mean energy balance and the roles played by the atmosphere, ocean, and clouds are composed of complicated seasonal variations. Extreme conditions have inhibited collection of adequate observations to diagnose these variations. This paper is a progress report on continuing refinements of the analyses of available measurements of clouds.

51-1228
Anthropogenic sulfuric acid: a possible explanation for the observed high arctic cooling.
Girard, É., Blanchet, J.P., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J10/5-J10/8, 18 refs. Joint paper with Conference on Cloud Physics.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Cloud physics, Condensation nuclei, Ice crystal nuclei, Nucleation rate, Humidity, Climatic changes, Computerized simulation

51-1229
Influence of clouds upon formation of winter radiation balance over ice covered surface of the Arctic Ocean.
Appel', I.L., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J10/9-J10/10, Joint paper with Conference on Cloud Physics.
Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Radiation balance, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Ice heat flux

51-1230
Seasonal cycle of cloud cover at the poles, from surface observations screened by a moonlight criterion.
Warren, S.G., Hahn, C.J., London, J., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J10/11, 4 refs. Joint paper with Conference on Cloud Physics.
Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Seasonal variations, Visibility, Weather observations, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
At Amundsen-Scott Station, the average reported cloud cover is about 58% in summer and 37% in winter. Nighttime (winter) cloud observations on the Antarctic Plateau present special difficulties: the typically thin clouds may cause no more dimming of the stars than does heavy diamond-dust; moonlit clouds may be confused with aurora, which is usually colorless and occurs on most days; and obscuration of the sky due to blowing snow can occur nearly one-third of the time in winter and is probably correlated with cloud cover.

51-1231

Cloud properties over winter North Atlantic and Arctic Oceans as inferred from satellite data.

Liu, G.S., Curry, J.A., Conference on Polar Meteorology and Oceanography, 4th, Dallas, TX, Jan. 15-20, 1995. Preprints, Boston, American Meteorological Society, 1995, p.J10/12-J10/15, 5 refs. Joint paper with Conference on Cloud Physics.

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51-1290

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Alpine landscapes, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Sensor mapping, Snow line, Snow accumulation, Snowmelt, Seasonal variations, Runoff forecasting, Switzerland—Alps

51-1291

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Geophysical surveys, Remote sensing, Snow cover distribution, Sea ice distribution, Sensor mapping, Radiometry, Radiance, Classifications, Detection, Image processing, Statistical analysis

51-1292

MODIS snow and ice algorithm development.

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Geophysical surveys, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Sea ice distribution, Remote sensing, Radiometry, Sensor mapping, Reflectivity, Image processing, Data processing, Computer programs

51-1293

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Geophysical surveys, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Sensor mapping, Charts

51-1294

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Snow surveys, Snow hydrology, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Light transmission, Snowmelt, Meltwater, Snow optics, Radiation absorption, Optical properties, Spectra

51-1295

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Climatology, Air ice water interaction, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Optical properties, Albedo, Detection, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Radiation balance, Models

51-1296

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Remote sensing, Radiometry, Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Albedo, Ice conditions, Classifications, Models, Image processing

51-1297

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Sea ice, Ice temperature, Surface temperature, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Resolution, Image processing, Infrared reconnaissance

51-1298

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Geophysical surveys, Spaceborne photography, LANDSAT, Radiometry, Ice surveys, Lake ice, Ice detection, Albedo, Classifications, Sensor mapping, Resolution

51-1299

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Snow surveys, Sensor mapping, Snow cover distribution, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Snowmelt, Models, Norway

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Watersheds, Geophysical surveys, Snow surveys, Snow hydrology, Snow cover distribution, Sensor mapping, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Snow water equivalent, Seasonal variations

51-1301

MODIS activities at the National Snow and Ice Data Center DAAC.

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Organizations, Research projects, Snow surveys, Sea ice distribution, Snow cover distribution, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Computer programs

51-1302

Hydrographic and climatic changes influencing the proglacial Druzhby drainage system, Vestfold Hills, Antarctica.

Bronge, C., *Antarctic science,* Dec. 1996, 8(4), p.379-388, Refs. p.387-388.

Glacial geology, Limnology, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Ablation, Glacier flow, Snowdrifts, Surface drainage, Meltwater, Water balance, Antarctica—Krok Lake, Antarctica—Vestfold Hills

Freshwater drainage systems, fed by melting of nearby inland ice and perennial snowdrifts, exist in the southeastern part of arid, ice-free, coastal Vestfold Hills. Most important is the complex Druzhby system. A water-balance was calculated for 1990-91. The system went through 4 seasonal phases of which only one displayed a fully developed external drainage. The relative duration of those phases can vary considerably from one year to another. The system depends critically on the water supply from ice-dammed Chelnok Lake. Exposed to excessive evaporation, the large Krok Lake could become internally drained and reach a new equilibrium in ca. 830 years. A Krok Lake sediment core can be interpreted as suggesting this occurred during the Holocene. The idea, inferred from striae, of a late Holocene Chelnok Glaciation reaching the northern shores of Krok Lake is questioned. Instead, it is suggested that the Chelnok striae originate from local basal melting of the ice sheet draining

southward into a deglaciated Sørsdal trough. At present, runoff is determined by opposing short and long-term climatic influences. (Auth. mod.)

51-1303

Mid to late Holocene readvance of the Law Dome ice margin, Budd Coast, East Antarctica.

Goodwin, I.D., *Antarctic science,* Dec. 1996, 8(4), p.395-406, Refs. p.405-406.

Glaciology, Glacier oscillation, Geochronology, Glacier mass balance, Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Marine deposits, Geomorphology, Paleoecology, Antarctica—Law Dome

Glacial geological studies on the Windmill Is. and along the Budd Coast at the margin of the Law Dome indicate that the glacial extent of Law Dome has fluctuated during the Holocene. The morphology and structural geology of the present ice margin and Løken Moraines indicate that Law Dome has readvanced over part of the Windmill Is. since the culmination of the post-glacial retreat. Sedimentological and geochemical analyses show that Løken Moraines comprise reworked proglacial and coastal marine sediments and ice, which supports the morphological and structural evidence for a readvance. A chronology for the readvance is produced from relative lichenometry of Løken Moraines and coastal nunataks in conjunction with ^{14}C radiocarbon dates from the proglacial and coastal zones. The combined glaciological and geological evidence suggests that the readvance occurred after c. 4000 yr BP in response to a positive mass balance on Law Dome during the Holocene. (Auth.)

51-1304

Utilization of arctic river analogue studies in the interpretation of periglacial river sediments from southern Britain.

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DLC QE39.5.P27 B33

Pleistocene, River flow, Hydrology, Classifications, Sedimentation, Sediment transport, Geomorphology, Channels (waterways), Periglacial processes, Seasonal variations, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Lithology, United Kingdom—England

51-1305

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Geological surveys, Tectonics, Pleistocene, Geologic structures, Stratigraphy, Boreholes, Drill core analysis, Well logging, Lithology, Classifications, Canada—Northwest Territories—Tuktoyaktuk Peninsula

51-1306

Cold acclimation and photoinhibition of photosynthesis in Scots pine.

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Grasses, Plants (botany), Acclimatization, Frost resistance, Photosynthesis, Light effects, Temperature effects, Cold weather tests, Luminescence, Photochemical reactions

51-1307

Geothermal systems in Iceland: structure and conceptual models. I. High-temperature areas.

Arnórsson, S., *Geothermics,* Oct.-Dec. 1995, 24(5-6), p.561-602, Refs. p.595-602.

Subpolar regions, Tectonics, Hydrothermal processes, Geothermy, Well logging, Temperature measurement, Hydrogeochemistry, Permeability, Magma, Convection, Heat sinks, Ground water, Iceland

51-1308

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Subpolar regions, Tectonics, Geothermy, Hydrothermal processes, Ground water, Temperature measurement, Reservoirs, Temperature gradients, Permeability, Convection, Ice cores, Isotope analysis, Hydrogeochemistry, Iceland

51-1309

Role of stem recharge in reducing the winter desiccation of *Picea engelmannii* (Pinaceae) needles at alpine timberline.

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Plant ecology, Forest ecosystems, Plant tissues, Desiccation, Forest lines, Moisture transfer, Water content, Hydraulics, Wind erosion, Cold weather tests, Sampling

51-1310

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Frozen liquids, Rheology, Colloids, Low temperature tests, Freezing, Structural analysis, Stability, Viscoelasticity, Scanning electron microscopy, Microstructure, Temperature effects

51-1311

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Plant tissues, Porosity, Cryobiology, Freeze thaw cycles, Damage, Freezing rate, Temperature control, Penetration tests, Structural analysis, Microanalysis

51-1312

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global change, Temperature variations, Atmospheric composition, Water vapor, Greenhouse effect, Moisture transfer, Cooling

51-1313

Sultry last interglacial gets sudden chill.

Maslin, M., *Eos,* Sep. 10, 1996, 77(37), p.353-354, 11 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global change, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Lacustrine deposits, Palynology, Sampling, Air temperature, Temperature variations, Correlation, Geochronology, Greenland

51-1314

Diagenesis and evolution of microporosity of Middle-Upper Devonian Kee Scarp reefs, Norman Wells, Northwest Territories, Canada: petrographic and chemical evidence.

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Marine geology, Reservoirs, Geological surveys, Diagenesis, Sedimentation, Stratification, Lithology, Rock properties, Classifications, Porosity, Isotope analysis, Sampling, Canada—Northwest Territories—Norman Wells

51-1315

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Glaciology, Oceanography, Sea level, Glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Ice water interface, Theories, Geochronology, Accuracy

51-1316

Tectonics and climate.

Hay, W.W., *Geologische Rundschau,* Sep. 1996, 85(3), p.409-437, Refs. p.433-437.

Paleoclimatology, Atmospheric circulation, Tectonics, Geomorphology, Marine geology, Ocean currents, Climatic factors, Radiation balance, Glacier mass balance, Isostasy, —Drake Passage

Global tectonics and climate are both directly and indirectly related. The direct connection is between uplift, atmospheric circulation, and the hydrologic cycle. The indirect links are via subduction, volcanism, the introduction of gasses into the atmosphere, and through erosion and consumption of atmospheric gases by chemical weathering. An example of the tectonic influences on ocean circulation is given by reference to subantarctic Drake Passage. (Auth. mod.)

51-1317

Progressive intensification of northern hemisphere glaciation as seen from the North Pacific.

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Oceanography, Paleoclimatology, Surface temperature, Marine deposits, Ice rafting, Paleoecology, Isotope analysis, Hydrologic cycle, Drill core analysis, Glaciation, Glacier formation, Geochronology, Pacific Ocean

51-1318

Reconstruction of atmospheric CO_2 from ice-core data and the deep-sea record of Ontong Java plateau: the Milankovitch chron.

Berger, W.H., Bickert, T., Yasuda, M.K., Wefer, G., *Geologische Rundschau,* Sep. 1996, 85(3), p.466-495, Refs. p.491-495.

Paleoclimatology, Marine deposits, Carbon dioxide, Geochronology, Sea level, Climatic changes, Isotope analysis, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Isotope analysis, Correlation, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The authors provide a reconstruction of atmospheric CO_2 from deep-sea sediments, for the past 625,000 years (Milankovitch chron). The database consists of a Milankovitch template of sea-level variation in combination with a unique data set for the deep-sea record for Ontong Java plateau in the western equatorial Pacific. Vostok Station ice-core data of Barnola et al. (1987) is re-dated. To make the reconstructions multiple regression between deep-sea data, on one hand, and ice-core CO_2 data in Antarctica, on the other are employed. The patterns of correlation suggest that the main factors controlling atmospheric CO_2 can be described as a combination of sea-level state and sea-level change. (Auth. mod.)

51-1319

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global change, Temperature variations, Atmospheric circulation, Glaciation, Albedo, Radiation balance, Ice cover effect, Simulation, Models

51-1320

Late Quaternary sedimentation on the mid-Atlantic Reykjanes Ridge: clay mineral assemblages and depositional environment.

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Marine geology, Pleistocene, Ocean currents, Marine deposits, Clay minerals, Sedimentation, Quaternary deposits, Drill core analysis, X ray analysis, Grain size, Ice rafting, Atlantic Ocean

51-1321

Late Quaternary sediment dating and quantification of lateral sediment redistribution applying $^{230}Th_{ex}$: a study from the eastern Atlantic sector of the southern ocean.

Frank, M., Gersonde, R., van der Loeff, M.R., Kuhn, G., Mangini, A., *Geologische Rundschau,* Sep. 1996, 85(3), p.554-566, 39 refs.

Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Oceanography, Quaternary deposits, Marine deposits, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, Correlation

High-resolution records of the natural radionuclide ^{230}Th were measured in sediments from the eastern Atlantic sector of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current to obtain a detailed reconstruction of the sedimentation history of this key area for global climate change during the late Quaternary. (Auth. mod.)

51-1322

Proceedings.

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Sea ice, River ice, Ice control, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice jams, Ice conditions, Ice forecasting, Offshore structures, Hydraulic structures

51-1323

Cyclic loading response of aligned first-year sea ice.

Cole, D.M., Johnson, R.A., Durell, G.D., MP 3922, IAHR International Symposium on Ice, 13th, Beijing, China, Aug. 27-31, 1996. Proceedings. Vol.1, Beijing, Chinese Hydraulic Engineering Society, 1996, p.1-7, 16 refs.

Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice microstructure, Ice crystal structure, Dislocations (materials)

This paper presents methodology to determine the average shear stress resolved on the basal planes for ice polycrystals and demonstrates the validity of the analysis for core specimens of aligned first-year sea ice. Careful examination of the constitutive behavior of the ice using laboratory cyclic loading experiments revealed that the elastic and anelastic (time-dependent recoverable) strains varied systematically with the calculated orientation factor. Analysis employing a mechanistic model of the cyclic loading response shows very good agreement between theory and observation. The findings quantify an important link between the microstructure of first-year sea ice and its mechanical properties, and indicate that the anelastic behavior of sea ice can be largely explained by basal plane slip alone.

51-1324

Ice failure and ice loads on a conical structure—Kemi-I cone full scale ice force measurement data analysis.

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Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Ice pileup, Ice breaking, Offshore structures, Finland

51-1325

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Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Offshore structures, Environmental tests, Research projects

51-1326

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River ice, Ice conditions, Ice jams, Ice forecasting, Ice control, Flood control, Regional planning, Research projects, China

51-1327

Nonlinear fracture theories for freshwater and sea ice.

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Ice cover strength, Ice creep, Ice deformation, Ice elasticity, Ice cracks, Crack propagation, Dislocations (materials), Stress concentration

51-1328

Primary study of determining the non-linear fracture toughness J-integral of fresh water ice by using photo-mechanics.

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Ice cover strength, Ice elasticity, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Ice optics, Dislocations (materials), Environmental tests

51-1329

Computational fracture mechanics analysis of flake formation in brittle ice.

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice solid interface, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Crack propagation

51-1330

Impact experiments on iceberg ice.

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Icebergs, Ice strength, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Impact tests, Penetration tests

51-1331

Characteristics of unconfined compressive strength of sea ice in the Sea of Okhotsk.

Masaki, T., Okubo, Y., Honda, H., Otsuka, N., Saeki, H., IAHR International Symposium on Ice, 13th, Beijing, China, Aug. 27-31, 1996. Proceedings. Vol.1, Beijing, Chinese Hydraulic Engineering Society, 1996, p.72-79, 13 refs.

Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice density, Ice salinity, Ice cover thickness, Okhotsk Sea

51-1332

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Ice cover strength, Ice pressure, Ice loads, Ice deformation, Ice density, Ice salinity, Porosity

51-1333

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice structure, Ice thermal properties, Ice elasticity, Ice creep, Ice deformation, Mathematical models

51-1334

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Compressive properties, Ultimate strength, Statistical analysis

51-1335

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice elasticity, Ice relaxation, Ice creep, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Stress concentration

51-1336

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Ice cover strength, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Strain tests

51-1337

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Crack propagation, Stress concentration, Dislocations (materials), Mathematical models

51-1338

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Stress strain diagrams, Strain tests, Boundary value problems, Mathematical models

51-1339

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Ice cracks, Ice acoustics, Crack propagation, Stress strain diagrams

51-1340

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Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Offshore structures, Artificial islands, Data processing, Beaufort Sea

51-1341

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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Ice pileup, Offshore structures, Steel structures, Caissons, Design criteria, Russia—Kara Sea

51-1342

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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Bridges, Design criteria, China

51-1343

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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Statistical analysis

51-1344

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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice pileup, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Offshore structures, Environmental tests

51-1345
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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Offshore structures, Environmental tests

51-1346
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Electric power, Water intakes, Ice loads, Ice control, Mathematical models, China—Liaodong Gulf

51-1347
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Ports, Ice cover effect, Ice navigation, China—Liaodong Gulf

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Of the two ice sheets in the world, Greenland and Antarctica, only the Greenland ice sheet displays significant surface melting, since the climate in Antarctica is generally too cold for large scale melting. However, different types of melt phenomena have been observed in blue ice fields in Antarctica. The Geological Survey of Greenland was invited to participate in the Norwegian Antarctic Research Expedition 1993-94 in order to study physical melt processes in Queen Maud Land in an environment which is similar to near equilibrium areas in the high arctic regions of the Greenland ice sheet. Perhaps the first recorded subsurface melt phenomenon within clear blue ice was discovered during the 1993-94 expedition; numerical modelling shows this to be a consequence of solar radiation penetration and absorption, i.e. the 'solid-state greenhouse effect'. This discovery may contribute to the understanding of runoff from high polar regions of both the antarctic and Greenland ice sheets. (Auth. mod.)

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51-1579

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51-1588

Potential cutaneous effects of stratospheric ozone depletion.

Epstein, J.H., *Environmental reviews,* 1996, 4(1), p.1-7, With French summary. Refs. p.5-7.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Ultraviolet radiation, Physiological effects, Health

Recent evidence indicates that there has been a reduction in the stratospheric ozone over the Northern Hemisphere, as well as the antarctic and arctic latitudes. This has resulted in an increased penetration of ultraviolet B (UVB), as measured in Canada since 1989, which could eventually result in an increase in human skin cancer incidence. This would be especially true for the nonmelanoma skin cancers (NMSCs), basal cell carcinomas and squamous cell carcinomas. In addition, the third most common skin cancer, the malignant melanoma, would also increase in incidence. The relationship between UVB radiation and melanoma formation is much less clear than it is for NMSCs. Clinically, people with a loss or lack of melanin protection, such as those with occulocutaneous albinism and vitiligo or, much commonly, people with light skin, eyes, and hair would be at greater risk. (Auth. mod.)

51-1589

Atmospheric ionization by solar particles detected by nitrate measurements in antarctic snow. FY91 AASERT.

Vitt, F.M., Jackman, C.H., *U.S. Air Force Office of Scientific Research. Technical report,* Nov. 1995, AFOSR-TR-96-0223, 37p., ADA-308 179, Refs. p.18-22.

Snow composition, Ionization, Atmospheric composition, Solar activity

The odd nitrogen source strengths associated with solar proton events (SPEs), galactic cosmic rays (GCRs), and the oxidation of nitrous oxide in the Earth's middle atmosphere from 1974 through 1993 have been compared globally, at middle and lower latitudes (<50°), and polar regions (>50°) with a two-dimensional (2-D) photochemical transport model. As discovered previously, the oxidation of nitrous oxide dominates the global odd nitrogen source while GCRs and SPEs are significant at polar latitudes. The horizontal transport of odd nitrogen, produced by the oxidation of nitrous oxide at latitudes <50°, was found to be the dominant source of odd nitrogen in the polar regions with GCRs contributing substantially during the entire solar cycle. The source of odd nitrogen from SPEs was more sporadic; however, contributions during several years (mostly near solar maximum) were significant in the polar middle atmosphere. (Auth.)

51-1590

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Ocean bottom, Bottom sediment, Marine deposits, Alluvium, Glacial deposits, Ice rafting, Sediment transport, Subsea permafrost, Frozen ground chemistry, Diagenesis, Lithology

51-1591

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Permafrost weathering, Frost weathering, Moraines, Cryogenic soils, Soil formation, Soil structure, Soil dating, Grain size, Particle size distribution, Statistical analysis, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-1592

Contributions of ERS-1 to sea ice observation on an ocean-wide scale. [Apports d'ERS-1 à l'observation des glaces de mer à l'échelle océanique]

Cavanié, A., Ezraty, R., Gohin, F., *Monaco. Institute océanographique. Mémoires,* 1994, No.18, Les nouvelles frontières de la télédétection océanique (New frontiers in ocean remote sensing), p.99-106, In French with English summary. 5 refs.

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Ice surveys, Ice reporting, Ice detection, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice structure, Radiometry, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography

The scatterometer, the microwave radiometer and the synthetic aperture radar, in wave mode, of the European satellite ERS-1 were primarily designed to measure met-oceanographic parameters at the sea surface. Over both polar caps these instruments provide new and complementary data to describe sea-ice. The scatterometer provides information on the nature, coverage and extent of sea ice at the polar cap scale. The microwave radiometer allows a limited but precise location of the ice edge and a description of the marginal zone, while the imagettes of the SAR permit sea-ice texture analysis over a limited area. The synergetic use of the data of these sensors during the ERS-1 and ERS-2 missions should provide new and valuable information on the sea-ice regime of both polar caps. (Auth.)

51-1593

More comprehensive view of the dynamics of arctic sea ice as revealed through 85.5 GHz SSM/I imagery.

Agnew, T.A., Le, H., *National Snow and Ice Data Center, University of Colorado, Boulder. NSDIC notes,* Fall 1996, No.19, p.3-4, 4 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Drift, Spaceborne photography

51-1594

Utilization of large aircraft in the Antarctic.

Higashi, A., *Polar news,* Aug. 1996, No.63, p.48-54, In Japanese. 4 refs.

Logistics, Airplanes, Ice runways, Snow compaction, Snow roads, Trafficability, Antarctica

A general review is presented of the main types of large aircraft and the runways to accommodate them in the Antarctic. The main types of aircraft described, with their maximum takeoff weight (MTW) and cruising speed, are the Pilatus Porter PC-6 (2.8 tons, 115 knots), Twin Otter DHC-6 (5.7 tons, 135 knots), Lockheed C-130 Hercules (79.4 tons, 300 knots), Jumbojet C-141 Starlifter (144 tons, 430 knots), and Ilyushin IL-76T (190 tons, 400 knots). Skis have been used regularly with the PC-6 and DHC-6 and on a trial basis with the C-130, but would be impractical with the C-141 or IL-76T. The construction of groomed skiways, that is, compacted snow runways for ski-equipped aircraft and the feasibility of natural bare ice runways for heavier and faster, wheeled aircraft, are also discussed.

51-1595

Stable isotopic composition of antarctic air moisture and precipitation.

Schwarz, G., Ohm, K., Yamanouchi, T., Furukawa, T., Kowski, P., Gernandt, H., *Antarctic record,* July 1996, 40(2), p.169-178, With Japanese summary. 15 refs.

Isotope analysis, Moisture, Precipitation (meteorology), Atmospheric circulation, Snow composition, Sea ice, Ice edge, Antarctica—Showa Station

First results of stable isotope analyses which were obtained by sampling of air moisture and precipitation at Showa Station and Dome Fuji are presented. The isotopic compositions, expressed in delta values of deuterium and ^{18}O relative to the standard mean ocean water (SMOW), are scattered over a wide range of magnitudes. A weak, but significant, quantitative relationship between $\delta^{18}O$ of precipitation at Showa and the distance to open sea was found. Extreme high isotopic delta values appear at both stations when air is transported from lower latitudes to the antarctic continent. These preliminary results were obtained from observations in Jan. 1995. They will be continued at these stations until about Jan. 1997. (Auth. mod.)

51-1596

Measurements and experiments on geomorphic processes in antarctic ice-free mountains: a review.

Matsuoka, N., *Antarctic record,* July 1996, 40(2), p.179-201, In Japanese with English summary. Refs. p.198-201.

Geomorphology, Glacial geology, Moraines, Weathering, Wind erosion, Frost heave, Slope processes, Patterned ground, Data processing, Antarctica—Sør Rondane Mountains

The dynamic approaches to geomorphic processes in antarctic ice-free areas, most of which lie in the cold desert zone, are reviewed. A variety of methodologies have been used to measure rock weathering, wind erosion, frost heave, slope processes and patterned ground formation. Whereas a number of attempts have been made to quantify rates of erosion or mass movements, difficulties in long-term, continuous monitoring have hindered understanding of the physical processes that control the rates. Recent progress in automated data logging techniques enables the authors to acquire data on the timing and cause of geomorphic changes. These data, combined with cosmogenic exposure ages, are applied to the reconstruction of Late Cenozoic landscape evolution. It is suggested that experimental techniques should be standardized to promote intersite comparisons of morphogenetic environments. (Auth. mod.)

51-1597

Meteorological observations at Syowa Station in 1993 by the 34th Japanese Antarctic Research Expedition.

Takao, T., Koike, J., Kamata, Y., Sugita, O., Sakurai, K., *Antarctic record,* July 1996, 40(2), p.202-246, In Japanese with English summary. 6 refs.

Weather observations, Air temperature, Stratosphere, Ozone, Meteorological instruments, Snowstorms, Seasonal variations, Ultraviolet radiation, Antarctica—Showa Station

Results of meteorological observations, carried out by JARE-34 from Feb. 1, 1993 to Jan. 31, 1994 at Showa Station, are as follows: annual mean surface air pressure and temperature were somewhat lower than normal; blizzards occurred 34 times, and there was a record strong blizzard in Dec.; in the stratosphere, air temperature was very low in winter and spring; the deepest ozone hole to date was observed. Total ozone recorded 140 m atm-cm on Oct. 11, the lowest ever at Showa Station; and with the Brewer spectrophotometer, solar spectral UV irradiance was observed throughout the year. Data are presented in numerous tables and charts. (Auth. mod.)

51-1598

Report on workshop "Study of the Antarctic ice sheet and glacier using ERS-1/JERS-1 SAR data".

Hirasawa, N., Takahashi, A., Watanabe, O., Sato, N., *Antarctic record,* July 1996, 40(2), p.255-258, In Japanese with English summary. 3 refs.

Spaceborne photography, Imaging, Ice sheets, Ice conditions, Image processing, Data processing

The main purpose of the workshop was to discuss recent results of antarctic research using SAR data. The workshop was held on Feb. 6, 1996 at the National Institute of Polar Research; the number of participants was about 30. The contents of the workshop consisted of demonstration of various SAR images, comparison with pictures from an airplane and visible images, comparison with observational data on ice conditions, and discussion of problems in interferometry. (Auth. mod.)

51-1599

Viscoplastic modeling of texture development in polycrystalline ice with a self-consistent approach: comparison with bound estimates.

Castelnau, O., Duval, P., Lebensohn, R.A., Canova, G.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 10, 1996, 101(B6), p.13,851-13,868, 72 refs.

Ice crystal growth, Ice deformation, Ice cores, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Vostok Station, Antarctica—Byrd Station, Antarctica—Charlie, Dome

An anisotropic viscoplastic self-consistent (VPSC) approach is used for predicting texture development and mechanical behavior of polycrystalline ice. Results are compared with lower and upper bound estimations. It is assumed that ice crystals deform by basal, prismatic, and pyramidal slip. The resistance of each slip system is determined from experimental data on monocrystals and isotropic polycrystals. The VPSC model can predict the behavior of isotropic polycrystalline ice on both the macroscopic and microscopic scale. This is not the case for the lower and upper bounds. Fabrics simulated in uniaxial extension and compression are qualitatively similar for all models. However, large differences in the rate of fabric development are found. This is explained by the different interaction stiffness between grain and matrix. Fabric concentration obtained with the VPSC model for uniaxial deformation is in close agreement with those observed in polar ices. In simple shear, the single maximum fabric found *in situ* cannot be reproduced without an extensive (and probably unrealistic) activity of nonbasal systems. The preferential growth of grains well oriented for basal glide associated with rotation recrystallization could be at the origin of the discrepancy between model results and natural simple shear fabrics. Distorted grain shape slightly slows fabric development. Cores from several antarctic locations are used to explain this technique. (Auth. mod.)

51-1600

ISLSCP Initiative I global datasets: surface boundary conditions and atmospheric forcings for land-atmosphere studies.

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Climatology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Soil air interface, Computer programs, Meteorological data, Classifications, Seasonal variations, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Models

51-1601

Antarctic First Regional Observing Study of the Troposphere (FROST) Project.

Turner, J., et al, *American Meteorological Society. Bulletin,* Sep. 1996, 77(9), p.2007-2032, 54 refs.

Synoptic meteorology, Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Remote sensing, Spacecraft, Weather forecasting, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Data processing

An account is given of the Antarctic First Regional Observing Study of the Troposphere (FROST) project, which has been organized by the Physics and Chemistry of the Atmosphere Group of the Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research. The goals of FROST are to study the meteorology of the Antarctic, to determine the strengths and weaknesses of operational analyses and forecasts over the continent and in the surrounding ocean areas, and to assess the value of new forms of satellite data that are becoming available. FROST is based around three one-month special observing periods for which comprehensive datasets have been established of model fields and *in situ* satellite observations. (Auth. mod.)

51-1602

"Overall" cloud and snow cover effects on internal climate variables: the use of clear sky climatology.

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Climatology, Models, Snow cover effect, Snow air interface, Atmospheric boundary layer, Cloud cover, Transparence, Climatic factors, Heat flux, Classifications, Statistical analysis

51-1603

Colour alteration, thermal maturity, and burial diagenesis in fossil foraminifers.

McNeil, D.H., Issler, D.R., Snowdon, L.R., *Canada. Geological Survey. Bulletin,* 1996, No.499, 34p., With French summary. 36 refs.

Paleoecology, Fossils, Geological surveys, Hydrocarbons, Quaternary deposits, Reservoirs, Exploration, Mineralogy, Diagenesis, Geochemistry, Correlation, Sampling, Canada—Northwest Territories—Mackenzie Delta

51-1604

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51-1628

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DLC QC993.7.C48 1990 Orien China

Atmospheric circulation, Humidity, Precipitation (meteorology), Climatic changes, Statistical analysis, China

51-1629

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DLC QC993.7.C48 1990 Orien China

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51-1630

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51-1631

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DLC QC993.7.C48 1990 Orien China

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51-1632

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51-1634

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51-1637

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51-1638

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51-1639

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51-1641

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Surface waters, Ground water, Water reserves, Natural resources, Regional planning, China—Xinjiang

51-1642

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51-1643

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51-1644

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51-1645

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51-1646

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51-1647

Climatic characteristics of Tarim Basin.

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51-1648

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51-1649
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51-1650
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51-1651
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51-1652
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51-1653
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51-1654
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51-1656
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51-1657
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51-1658
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Air temperature, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Models, Sea level, Ice sheets, Statistical analysis
This paper reviews observationally based estimates of past global-mean temperature change and sea-level rise from 1880-1990, and compares them with model-based estimates. The climate model used is a simple upwelling-diffusion, energy-balance model, which is coupled to a set of simple ice-melt models to give total sea-level change. For Antarctica, the unweighted global mean temperature change is used. The authors conclude that the temperature has risen by 0.5±0.15°C and sea level has risen by about 10-20 cm.

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Use of explosives by the US Antarctic Program.
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Low temperature research, Explosion effects, Ice blasting, Seismic surveys, Cold weather construction, Snow, Maintenance, Safety, Environmental impact
This report was prepared to assist principal investigators and others in complying with NEPA and the protocol on environmental protection to the Antarctic Treaty. Research activities and associated support operations in Antarctica sometimes require use of explosives. This report evaluates potential environmental impacts associated with such activities and possible methods for mitigating those impacts. The greatest single use of explosives, and the only type of blasting that will occur on the Polar Plateau (an exception is the rare use of explosives to cave in dangerous ice for safety reasons), is for seismic surveys. The charges for these are small-scale, are placed in or on the snow or ice, are distributed linearly over long distances, and present no potential impacts to soil or geological substrata. Impacts from those would be less than minor or transitory. Wherever possible, blasting holes in sea ice will be replaced by drilling by auger or melting. Other uses of explosives, such as in geologic research and construction, are discussed. (Auth.)

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On the genesis of mirabilite in the McMurdo Sound region, Antarctica.
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51-1677
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Makarov, M.I., *Moscow University. Soil science bulletin,* 1995, 50(1), p.34-42, 20 refs. For Russian original see 49-5804.
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51-1678
Mechanisms of the antarctic ozone hole: the Stratéole Experiment. [Les mécanismes du trou d'ozone antarctique: l'expérience stratéole]
Vial, F., *Association de Géographes Français. Bulletin,* Sep. 1996, 73(4), p.304-312, In French with English summary. 4 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Degradation, Photochemical reactions, Aerosols
The authors present a report on atmospheric ozone and on mechanisms responsible for the ozone depletion on Antarctica during the end of winter and the beginning of polar spring. Photochemical processes are now well known but there are a lot of uncertainties concerning the transportation of minor constituents playing a role in the chemistry of the atmosphere. The Stratéole experiment will study stratospheric winds, radiation, aerosols and minor constituents and rare gases and their action in the polar lower stratosphere. (Auth. mod.)

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Polychlorobiphenyls in Antarctica.
Fuoco, R., Colombini, M.P., Ceccarini, A., Abete, C., *Microchemical journal,* Nov. 1996, 54(4), p.384-390, 10 refs.
Oceanography, Water pollution, Hydrocarbons, Environmental impact, Sampling, Marine deposits, Lacustrine deposits, Soil pollution, Pack ice, Ice melting, Turbulent diffusion, Environmental protection, Microelement content, Microanalysis, Antarctica—Ross Sea, Antarctica—Victoria Land
The presence and the distribution of polychlorobiphenyls (PCBs) in antarctic environmental components and the effect of the seasonal formation/melting process of pack ice on the pollution level of seawater were investigated. Seawater, marine, and lake sediment and soil samples were collected in a large area of the Ross Sea and Victoria Land during the 1988-1992 Italian expeditions. The results obtained highlighted a low and quite homogeneous PCB contamination of the studied area. Surface seawater samples from Gerlache Inlet and Wood Bay showed a typical PCB concentration of 130 pg/l, and an increase after pack ice melting of about 30-40%. (Auth. mod.)

51-1680
Attempt to interpret the spread of element concentration in antarctic surface snow: the same element in a given test field, several elements in different sampling fields.
Lanza, F., Bocci, F., Papoff, P., *Microchemical journal,* Nov. 1996, 54(4), p.429-443, 19 refs.
Snow impurities, Snow cover, Sampling, Pollution, Distribution, Chemical analysis, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Accuracy, Environmental tests
Sampling surface snow on a large test field always leads to a spread of analyte concentration data which depends on the nonuniformity of the air-snow interface in the field and on the extent of reproducibility of all the procedures used from sampling to analysis. Consequently a sample relevant to a restricted surface might be poorly representative of the surrounding area. Contamination of the sample during the gathering and storing steps is assumed to be the main source of non-random results (outliers). Using various statistical tools the authors were able to evaluate which part of the spread was due to the snow surface nonuniformity in the case of many samples collected in the same test field in Antarctica. In the case of samples gathered in different geographical areas, the possibility of finding correlations among points is greatly enhanced when three or more analytes are considered for each sample. When the same correlation is found for some analytes and a variable tentatively tested, information can be gained about the source of chemical content of snow samples. (Auth. mod.)

51-1681
Dynamics of the Arctic Ocean.
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Oceanographic surveys, Climatology, Global warming, Sea ice distribution, Ice melting, Ice cover effect, Ocean currents, Research projects, International cooperation, Environmental protection, Arctic Ocean

51-1682
Arctic and antarctic sea ice and its interactions with ocean and the atmosphere.
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Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Albedo, Radiation balance, Ice formation, Ice surveys
The effects of sea ice on ocean and atmospheric circulation and on the global heat budget and through this on world climate are not well understood. The lack of quantitative knowledge of the exchange processes between ocean, ice and atmosphere and on the seasonal variations in the total ice extent, thickness and structure of ice as well as in the amount of open water (polynyas and small leads) between the ice floes are key issues. Key scientific objectives relating to these issues are the following: field investigation of atmosphere-ice-ocean exchange processes from small to regional scales; and variation of the regional and global ice extent, its thickness distribution and open water within the ice pack as an indicator of climate change. (Auth. mod.)

51-1683
Dynamics of large inland ice masses in Antarctica and Greenland.
Drewry, D.J., Oceans and the Poles—European co-operation in ocean and polar research. 2nd edition, Strasbourg, European Science Foundation, Sep. 1993, p.48-53.
Climatology, Ice sheets, Land ice, Ice shelves, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Sea level, Glacier oscillation
Global eustatic sea levels are controlled directly by the quantity of ice locked in the polar ice sheets: such ice masses have been the predominant influence on sea level over the last twenty million years and have involved height changes of between 50 and 150 m per glacial cycle. The critical links between ice masses and climate have become a major concern. Ice sheets do not simply respond to climate change but are active components; there are strong couplings between ice sheets, the atmosphere, oceans and the lithosphere. Ice sheets tend to interact with climate on long time scales. They contribute to thermal forcing of the atmosphere as a result of high surface albedo, act as a major source/sink of latent heat and have a stabilizing influence on the lower atmosphere. For the world's oceans the antarctic ice sheet, in particular, contributes dense, cold water from melting beneath floating ice shelves. (Auth. mod.)

51-1684

Paleoclimate in polar regions: ice cores, lakes and polar seas sediments.

Lorius, C., Le Pichon, X., Oceans and the Poles—European co-operation in ocean and polar research. 2nd edition, Strasbourg, European Science Foundation, Sep. 1993, p.56-59, 5 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Sea ice distribution, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Ice cores, Marine deposits, Lacustrine deposits, Research projects, Correlation

The importance of paleostudies has in particular been recognized by the establishment of several programs within the International Geosphere Biosphere Project (IGBP). These include PAGES (Past Global Changes), the first core project established within IGBP, and the long record sampling at JGOFS (Joint Global Ocean Flux Study) stations which require long undisturbed cores. High resolution sediment cores in the polar oceans will provide the key to understanding the continental and ice core records and vice-versa. These programs are focused on several time scales: earth history over the past 2,000 years to provide a base time against which human impacts can be measured; glacial-interglacial cycles in the late Quaternary, in particular over the last 150,000 years, to study natural long-term as well as abrupt climatic changes; and a longer time scale (100,000 to 10,000,000 years) taking into account forcing by tectonic changes which provoked the transition to Glacial Climate. (Auth. mod.)

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Ecosystems, Geophysical surveys, River basins, River flow, Flow measurement, Hydraulics, Hydrogeochemistry, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Canada

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Seasonal climatic rhythms on the West Siberia Plain.

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51-1688

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51-1689

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51-1690

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51-1691

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51-1692

Paleoclimate of northern Japan during the Last-glacial revealed by a pollen analytical study on the terrace deposits of southern Hokkaido.

Sakaguchi, Y., Katoh, S., *Tokyo. University. Department of Geography. Bulletin,* Dec. 1990, No.22, p.1-16, 15 refs.

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Marine geology, Terraces, Peat, Soil dating, Soil profiles, Palynology, Paleobotany, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Paleoclimatology, Japan—Hokkaido

51-1693

Environmental changes during the late Holocene and the climatic implications of snow accumulation hollows in and around Mt. Tango, the Echigo Range, central Japan.

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51-1694

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DLC G1.T64a

Peat, Soil dating, Soil profiles, Palynology, Paleobotany, Snowfall, Paleoclimatology, Japan

51-1699

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DLC G1.T64a

Peat, Soil surveys, Soil mapping, Soil formation, Soil profiles, Soil dating, Soil classification, Paludification, Swamps, Floodplains, Japan

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Topographic surveys, Geological surveys, Alpine glaciation, Tectonics, Volcanoes, Geomorphology, Andes

51-1702

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Peat, Swamps, Paludification, Snow cover effect, Nivation, Patterned ground, Geomorphology

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DLC G1.T64a

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DLC G1.T64a

Topographic surveys, Geological surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacial geology, Snow line, Tectonics, Geomorphology, Geochronology, Andes

51-1705

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DLC G1.T64a

Peat, Swamps, Floodplains, Alluvium, Soil dating, Soil profiles, Palynology, Paleobotany, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Japan

51-1706

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DLC G1.T64a

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51-1707

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Sakaguchi, Y., Okumura, K., *Tokyo. University. Department of Geography. Bulletin,* Oct. 1986, No.18, p.29-48, 51 refs.

DLC G1.T64a

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51-1708

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51-1709

Role of local anticyclones and cyclones on the meso-climate of Japan during the winter monsoon.

Nishina, J., *Tokyo. University. Department of Geography. Bulletin,* Dec. 1987, No.19, p.37-69, 24 refs.

DLC G1.T64a

Snowstorms, Snowfall, Marine meteorology, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric disturbances, Cloud cover, Clouds (meteorology), Precipitation (meteorology), Diurnal variations, Japan

51-1710

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DLC G1.T64a

Alpine glaciation, Glacier formation, Glacier melting, Glacier oscillation, Ice age theory, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Geochronology

51-1711

Some pollen records from Hokkaido and Sakhalin.

Sakaguchi, Y., *Tokyo. University. Department of Geography. Bulletin,* Dec. 1989, No.21, p.1-17, 25 refs.

DLC G1.T64a

Soil dating, Soil profiles, Drill core analysis, Palynology, Paleobotany, Vegetation patterns, Plant ecology, Paleoclimatology, Geochronology, Japan—Hokkaido, Russia—Sakhalin Island

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The Navy/NOAA Joint Ice Center (JIC) was organized in 1976 to bring together Navy and NOAA resources for the analysis and forecasting of sea ice conditions on a global basis. The JIC is tasked with providing sea ice support to government, private and foreign users. Routine products include weekly sea ice analyses for the Arctic and Antarctic, thrice weekly analyses for the Alaskan and Great Lakes regions, 7 day and 30 day forecasts for the Arctic and seasonal outlooks for the Alaskan North Slope, Baffin Bay and western Ross Sea regions. Algorithm results are discussed with particular attention to future SAR applications to global sea ice analysis in the RADARSAT timeframe. (Auth. mod.)

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The 308-foot, 6,800-ton, ABS A2, research vessel-icebreaker, *Nathaniel B. Palmer,* was commissioned on Mar. 13, 1992. The ship immediately proceeded to the antarctic ocean and has been working in ice covered waters since that time. This paper provides a brief review of the *Nathaniel B. Palmer,* its technical specifications, the suite of scientific outfitting aboard the vessel and an assessment of the performance of the vessel during the first months of operation. (Auth.)

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This paper describes the new U.S. antarctic research vessel *Nathaniel B. Palmer* that was designed and built to provide the nation with a year-round capability in the south polar region. The vessel's annual operating profile, performance requirements, the acquisition process, and the scientific suite are described. The procedure for scientists and engineers to perform research aboard the vessel are provided in the concluding remarks. (Auth.)

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51-1776

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51-1777

Environment 2: a new town for science.

U.S. National Science Foundation/American Institute of Architecture. Student Monograph Competition, Washington, D.C., May 1993, 83p., Refs. passim. For selected papers see 51-1778 through 51-1781 or G-56395 through G-56397 and H-56398.

Cold weather construction, Design, Logistics, Urban planning, Human factors engineering, Environmental protection, Stations, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

In conjunction with a comprehensive, graphically illustrated design competition, the American Institute of Architecture Students (AIAS) and the National Science Foundation (NSF) invited all students enrolled in U.S. colleges and universities to submit a specialized research paper to be published in this monograph collection, *Environment 2: A new town for science,* on the design of antarctic habitats. Papers were judged in the categories of community planning, habitat construction, infrastructure and power systems, environmental factors, and human behavioral factors. This collection includes 5 winning papers which are preceded by an adaptation from remarks made to an Environment 2 planning meeting by Dr. Peter E. Wilkniss, NSF Director, Division of Polar Programs.

51-1778

Design paradigms and the functional adaptation model: a theoretical basis to examine heterogeneous environmental design approaches for McMurdo Station, Antarctica—A new town for science.

Burley, J.B., U.S. National Science Foundation/ American Institute of Architecture Students. Student monograph competition. Environment 2: a new town for science, Washington, D.C., May 1993, p.5-19, 30 refs.

Cold weather construction, Design, Logistics, Urban planning, Human factors engineering, Environmental protection, Stations, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

This paper examines discrete design paradigms applicable to the creation of "a new town for science," at McMurdo Station and suggests that the design of a new town for science may combine a set of design paradigms imbedded within each other to create a city that has meaning at a variety of distinct intellectual levels. (Auth. mod.)

51-1779

Bioclimate energy dynamics at McMurdo Station, Antarctica.

Burley, J.B., U.S. National Science Foundation/ American Institute of Architecture Students. Student monograph competition. Environment 2: a new town for science, Washington, D.C., May 1993, p.31-39 + appends., 2 refs.

Cold weather construction, Design, Heat loss, Solar radiation, Human factors engineering, Landscape development, Buildings, Thermal insulation, Wind factors, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

This paper examines the potential for glazing to be employed as a passive solar radiant energy inlet. The study determined that during the summer months, the energy levels passing through a 10 x 10 foot window, with three panes, each $\frac{1}{4}$ in. thick facing north for a building maintained at 60°F results in a substantial gain for the structure and a substantial loss during the winter, requiring blockage and further insulation during the winter months. In addition, the study determined that reduction of wind flux around the structures can further reduce energy loss. (Auth.)

51-1780

Environmental spatial modeling for McMurdo Station, Antarctica: a geographic information systems analysis and application.

Burley, J.B., U.S. National Science Foundation/ American Institute of Architecture Students. Student monograph competition. Environment 2: a new town for science, Washington, D.C., May 1993, p.57-76, 34 refs.

Cold weather construction, Geography, Mathematical models, Site surveys, Urban planning, Landscape development, Design, Environmental protection, Computer applications, Stations, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

This paper presents an overview of geographic information systems technology applicable for site development of McMurdo Station. With the development of micro-computer technology, enabling rapid calculation of spatial algorithms, geographical information systems (GIS) are presently in an enhanced position to conduct investigations which explore the spatial conditions for the development of new towns. This process has been labeled "mapematics." The results can be presented in a two-dimensional format, printed output, and in film format for public consumption. The results of this study indicate that there are two major bands of land at the station that are most suitable for development; a substantial portion is less suitable due to steep slopes, proximity to shorelines, permanent snow/ice fields, historic sites, aspect, and distance from loading docks. (Auth. mod.)

51-1781

Stress as an obstacle to normal function.

Courington, R., U.S. National Science Foundation/ American Institute of Architecture Students. Student monograph competition. Environment 2: a new town for science, Washington, D.C., May 1993, p.77-83, 9 refs.

Cold weather construction, Design, Logistics, Urban planning, Human factors engineering, Acclimatization, Physiological effects, Low temperature research, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

This paper addresses fundamental problems related to the ability of man to function normally in the intensely alien environment of Antarctica. An alien environment pushes the adaptive capacity to, and even past, its limits. Adaptation is a function of a partnership between two physical systems, the neurological system and the endocrine system. This combined system, the neuroendocrine system, enables us to adapt to small changes in the environment, and has a close relationship with the immune system. The most important factors influencing the neuroendocrine system are discussed; light, smell, sound, visual vistas, group size, community organization, privacy, recreation, wind, plants, and pets. (Auth. mod.)

51-1782

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Solar activity, Protons, Geomagnetism, Ozone, Atmospheric composition, —Indian Ocean

During significant solar proton events (SPE), which occurred in Oct. of 1989 and were accompanied by pronounced magnetic storms, instruments on rockets launched from a Soviet research vessel in the southern portion of the Indian Ocean, in the auroral zone, recorded a marked reduction of ozone and a great increase of nitric oxide in the middle atmosphere. The ozone depletion and the NO density increase were observed at an altitude of about 45-55 km. It is concluded that results suggest a strong influence of nitric cycle reactions on the ozone depletion in the middle atmosphere during SPE.

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51-1784

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51-1800

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51-1802

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51-1804

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51-1806

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51-1807

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51-1808

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51-1810

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51-1811

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51-1812

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51-1813

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51-1814

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51-1815

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51-1816

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51-1817

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51-1820

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Palaeoclimates of Pangea (mid-Carboniferous to mid-Jurassic) range from glacial to hot and arid. During the Late Carboniferous extensive Gondwanan glaciation began, firstly with ice caps in South America and Australia in tectonically active regions where land was uplifted to high altitudes. The focus of glaciation moved from western Gondwana across South Africa, India, Antarctica and Australia as the South Pole shifted eastwards, until the last remnants of glaciation disappeared in the Late Permian. The hypothesis that Pangean climates were dominated by monsoonal-type circulation, related to Pangean continental configuration, which reached maximum strength during the Triassic is presented. The Early Triassic suggests the climate was very arid for a while but gradually became wetter in the Late Triassic and Early Jurassic. (Auth. mod.)

51-1821

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The behavior of large ice sheets in response to climate change is a key element in the global environmental system. Knowledge of the history of ice-sheet fluctuations is central to understanding past environmental change and predicting the possible consequences of future environmental change. For example, the antarctic ice sheet currently has enough water in cold storage that if it were to melt in response to predicted greenhouse warming it could raise world sea level by as much as 66 m. The stability of the antarctic ice sheet is thus a major research question in glaciology. A major potential source of information about its stability is the history of its fluctuations in response to major environmental changes in the past. Over the last few years, the debate on this issue has focused closely on evidence from the Dry Valleys area of East Antarctica. Two contradictory hypotheses are at issue. One hypothesis proposes that the East Antarctic ice sheet has for much of its history been a highly dynamic feature, waxing and waning significantly in response to changing environmental conditions. The other hypothesis proposes that the ice sheet has existed as a stable feature in more or less its present state for at least the last 14 Ma. Evidence supports a model of partial deglaciation in Pliocene/early Pleistocene time, possibly with open seaways in the East Antarctic, followed by regrowth of East Antarctic ice sheet and substantial uplift of the Transantarctic Mountains. This paper discusses these hypotheses and other current glaciological research. (Auth. mod.)

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River flow, Hydraulics, Channels (waterways), Sediment transport, Gravel, Particle size distribution, Velocity measurement, Floodplains, Telemetering equipment, Geomorphology

Movement of bed material in the Toklat River, AK, was monitored during 1988 and 1989 by measuring transport rates with a Helley-Smith bedload sampler and by tracking and locating coarse sediment using radio transmitters implanted in natural sediment particles. Median bedload size was about 8 mm and transport rates ranged from less than 10 to nearly 3000 megagrams per day. Transport rate related to about the 1.6 power of water discharge in excess of discharge required to initiate tractive sediment motion. As transport rate increased, mean and maximum sizes of bedload tended to increase. Radio-tagged particles, mostly about 90 mm in diameter, moved distances between about 500 and 2,000 m during the 6-8

week periods of high flow. Limited data suggest that for moving rocks, large particles are likely to move as far as small particles (and at about the same speed).

51-1824

Surface and bulk diffusion of $H_2{}^{18}O$ on single-crystal $H_2{}^{18}O$ ice multilayers.

Brown, D.E., George, S.M., *Journal of physical chemistry,* 1996, 100(38), p.15460-15469, 65 refs.

Ice physics, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ice vapor interface, Aerosols, Hydrates, Self diffusion, Vapor diffusion, Simulation, Lasers, Ice spectroscopy, Molecular energy levels

Heterogeneous reactions on polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs), in the arctic and antarctic atmosphere, composed of ice (type II PSC) and HNO_3 hydrates (type I PSC) have recently been shown to play a key role in polar ozone loss. The kinetics of these processes may be affected by H_2O mobility on the ice surface and in the underlying ice bulk. In a simulation of these processes, the experiments in this paper investigated the surface and bulk diffusion of $H_2{}^{18}O$ on crystalline $H_2{}^{16}O$ ice multilayers grown epitaxially on Ru(001). These experiments were conducted at temperatures from 155 to 165 K which are significantly lower than earlier measurements and are close to temperatures in the stratosphere. Extrapolation of these bulk diffusion data to stratospheric temperatures provided predictions for the H_2O residence time on the ice surface before diffusion into the underlying ice bulk. (Auth. mod.)

51-1825

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Periglacial processes, Rock glaciers, Frozen ground mechanics, Permafrost transformation, Permafrost thermal properties, Ground ice, Ice formation, Origin, Active layer, Thaw weakening, Electrical resistivity, Boreholes

51-1826

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Solutions, Hydrodynamics, Ice physics, Cryobiology, Ice crystal growth, Impurities, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice water interface, Freezing front, Polymers, Stability, Dielectric properties, Molecular energy levels

51-1827

Geometry of the glacier bed of the Unteraarglacier, Bernese Alps, Switzerland.

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Glacier surveys, Glacial geology, Glacier beds, Radio echo soundings, Mapping, Topographic features, Profiles, Glacier thickness, Ice solid interface, Sedimentation, Glacial erosion, Photogrammetric surveys, Switzerland—Unteraarglacier

51-1828

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Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Ice mechanics, Surface structure, Ice plasticity, Ice floes, Drift, Air ice water interaction, Pressure ridges, Cracking (fracturing), Ice models, Arctic Ocean

51-1829

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Snow surveys, Snow hydrology, Snow cover distribution, Snow water content, Snow density, Runoff forecasting, Stream flow, Water supply, Meteorological factors, Temperature effects, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Statistical analysis

51-1830

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51-1831

Putting power on ice.

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Electric power, Ice makers, Refrigeration, Air temperature, Temperature control, Cooling systems, Ice air interface, Ice (water storage), Heat recovery, Design

51-1832

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Water supply, Snow surveys, Snowmelt, Snow water equivalent, Stream flow, Runoff forecasting, Aerial surveys, Snow courses, Simulation, Mathematical models, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Accuracy

51-1833

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51-1834

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Glacier oscillation, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Climatic changes, Glacier melting, Global warming, Ice surface, Sedimentation, Snow line, New Zealand

51-1835

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51-1836

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Snow hydrology, Snow physics, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Wet snow, Snowmelt, Seepage, Soil water migration, Permeability, Ice formation, Snow cover effect, Mathematical models, Heat flux

51-1837

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Runways, Sliding, Traction, Rubber snow friction, Snow cover effect, Countermeasures

51-1838

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Tectonics, Arctic landscapes, Earthquakes, Isostasy, Seismology, Wave propagation, Stress concentration, Classifications, Canada

51-1839

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Tectonics, Geological surveys, Earth crust, Subpolar regions, Seismic refraction, Imaging, Profiles, Mapping, Sedimentation, Stratification, Thickness, Greenland—Jameson Land

51-1840

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Satellites (natural), Extraterrestrial ice, Regolith, Remote sensing, Ice detection, Albedo, Spectra, Photometry, Spectroscopy, Infrared reconnaissance, Geochemistry

51-1841

Identification of contaminated pixels in AVHRR composite images for studies of land biosphere.

Cihlar, J., *Remote sensing of environment,* June 1996, 56(3), p.149-163, 34 refs.

Remote sensing, Geophysical surveys, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Resolution, Cloud cover, Ice cover effect, Snow cover effect, Albedo

51-1842

Papers.

International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995, Hutter, K., ed, *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, 410p., Refs. passim. Organized by the European Science Foundation (ESF) European Ice Sheet Modelling Initiative (EISMINT). For individual papers see 51-1843 through 51-1983 or E-56447, F-56422 through F-56434, F-56438, F-56440 through F-56446, F-56448 through F-56455, I-56435 through I-56437 and J-56439.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Glacial meteorology, Ice deformation, Computerized simulation

The 1995 International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling was organized by the European Science Foundation (ESF) program European Ice Sheet Modelling Initiative (EISMINT) and held in Chamonix, France on Sep. 18-22, 1995. There were 102 participants; 57 papers, 6 keynote talks and 24 poster papers were presented. About 60% of the presentations were submitted for publication in this volume; 34 of these are pertinent to Antarctica.

51-1843

EISMINT benchmarks for testing ice-sheet models.

Huybrechts, P., Payne, A.J., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.1-12, 24 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier thickness, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

A series of benchmark experiments designed for testing and comparing numerical ice-sheet models are presented. Following the outcome of two EISMINT workshops organized to intercompare large-scale ice-sheet models currently in operation, model benchmark experiments are described for ice sheets under fixed and moving margin conditions. These address both steady-state and time-dependent behavior under schematic boundary conditions and with prescribed physics. A comparison was made of each model's prediction of basic geophysical variables such as ice thickness, velocity and temperature. Consensus achieved in the model intercomparison provides reference solutions against which the accuracy and consistency of ice-sheet modelling codes can be assessed. (Auth.)

51-1844

Thermomechanical model of ice-shelf flow.

Rommelaere, V., Ritz, C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.13-20, 23 refs.

Ice shelves, Glacier tongues, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

An ice-shelf model which features efficient numerical techniques is developed to determine the back-force exerted by sides and pinning points, such as islands of an embayed ice shelf. The model is applied

to three ideal geometries and shows that the restraint exerted by a small island, even far downstream from the grounding line, can represent about one-half of the total restraint due to the embayment. Results are further interpreted to suggest several criteria useful for testing any ice-shelf model. (Auth.)

51-1845

Computer scheme for rapid calculations of balance-flux distributions.

Budd, W.F., Warner, R.C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.21-27, 21 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier thickness, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Wilkes Land

A simple computer scheme developed by Budd and Smith (1985) and modified by D. Jenssen has been further developed to provide a rapid computation of steady-state balance fluxes over arbitrary ice masses, given the surface elevations and net accumulation distribution. The scheme provides a powerful diagnostic tool to examine the flux and state of balance over whole ice masses or limited regions to interpret field observations for dynamics or the state of balance. Applications are demonstrated for the whole of Antarctica and for regional areas. Comparisons are made between fluxes computed from observed ice thickness and velocities and those computed from balance. The observed ice thicknesses can also be used to compute surface velocities from assumed column-to-surface velocity ratios. The combined fluxes from observations and balance can be used to compute rates of change of elevation with time. (Auth. mod.)

51-1846

Simplified multi-scale model for predicting climatic variations of the ice-sheet surface elevation in central Antarctica.

Salamatin, A.N., Ritz, C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.28-35, 26 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier thickness, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Glacial meteorology, Ice age theory, Paleoclimatology, Global change, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The equation describing the surface evolution of a large ice sheet is examined on the basis of a scale analysis applied to antarctic conditions. Changes in the surface elevation are mainly driven by mass-balance fluctuations which approximately follow global atmospheric temperature variations. The dynamic interaction of the time-lagging interior with the quasi-stationary margin is described. As a result, a simplified model is deduced to simulate the surface-elevation variations in the central parts of the antarctic ice sheet caused by mass-balance perturbations corresponding to the main Milankovich cycles with the periods of 19-100 ky. The sensitivity of the model to phyisical factors (represented by dimensionless tuning parameters) is discussed. Climatically controlled variations of the ice-sheet thickness in the vicinity of Vostok Station during the past 200 ky are estimated. (Auth. mod.)

51-1847

Mass-balance modelling of the Greenland ice sheet: a comparison of an energy-balance and a degree-day model.

Van de Wal, R.S.W., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.36-45, 28 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Glacier ablation, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Degree days, Global warming, Sea level, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1848

Ice-shelf model test based on the Ross Ice Shelf, Antarctica.

MacAyeal, D.R., Rommelaere, V., Huybrechts, P., Hulbe, C.L., Determann, J., Ritz, C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.46-51, 15 refs.

Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier oscillation, Glacier tongues, Ice water interface, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf

A standard numerical experiment featuring the Ross Ice Shelf is presented as a test package for the development and intercomparison of ice-shelf models. The emphasis of this package is solution of stress-equilibrium equations for an ice-shelf velocity consistent with present observations. As a demonstration, the authors compare 5 independently developed ice-shelf models based on finite-difference and finite-element methods. Results suggest that there is little difference between finite-element and finite-difference methods in capturing the basic, large-scale flow features of the ice shelf. Additionally they show that the fit between model and observed velocity depends strongly on the ice-shelf temperature field, for which there is presently little observational control. The main differences between model results are due to the equations being solved, the boundary conditions at the ice front and the discretization method (finite element vs finite difference). (Auth.)

51-1849

Modelled ice-sheet margins of three Greenland ice-sheet models compared with a geological record from ice-marginal deposits in central West Greenland.

Van Tatenhove, F.G.M., Fabre, A., Greve, R., Huybrechts, P., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.52-58, 26 refs.

Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Moraines, Paleoclimatology, Global change, Sea level, Geochronology, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1850

Modelling of a marine glacier and ice-sheet-ice-shelf transition zone based on asymptotic analysis.

Chugunov, V.A., Vil'chinskiĭ, A.V., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.59-67, 13 refs.

Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Glacier beds, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier thickness, Ice water interface, Mathematical models

All parts of a two-dimensional, isothermal, stationary marine glacier (grounded ice sheet, ice shelf and transition zone) with constant viscosity are analyzed by perturbation methods. In so doing, all zones of different flow patterns can be considered separately. Correlations between spatial scales for all parts can be expressed in terms of the typical ice-surface slope distant from the ocean, which reflects exterior conditions of the glacier's existence. In considering the ice-sheet-ice-shelf transition zone, a small parameter characterizing the difference between ice and water densities is used. Such an analysis allows us to find boundary conditions at the grounding line for the grounded ice mass. Glacier-surface profiles are determined by numerical methods. The grounding-line position found by using the boundary conditions derived in this paper differs from that obtained by using Thomas and Bentley's (1978) boundary conditions by about 10% of the grounded ice-stream length. (Auth.)

51-1851

Ice-sheet surging and ice-stream formation.

Fowler, A.C., Johnson, C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.68-73, 13 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier surges, Glacier oscillation, Glacier friction, Subglacial drainage, Basal sliding, Paleoclimatology, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Siple Coast

A simplified model of ice-sheet behavior is described. It combines the assumptions of rapid ice flow, high viscous activation energy and realistic sediment-based sliding dynamics to form a non-linear diffusion-type equation which can display relaxation oscillations analogous to those of surging glaciers, and which may be relevant to large-scale surges of the Hudson Strait and Cabot Strait ice streams of the Laurentide ice sheet. When the physics of this model is applied to a laterally extensive unidirectional ice flow, such as that in the Siple Coast of Antarctica, an appropriate mechanism may exist for the spontaneous generation of ice streams. (Auth.)

51-1852

Time-step limits for stable solutions of the ice-sheet equation.

Hindmarsh, R.C.A., Payne, A.J., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.74-85, 15 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier thickness, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

Various spatial discretizations for the ice sheet are compared for accuracy against analytical solutions in one and two dimensions. The computational efficiency of various iterated and non-iterated marching schemes is compared. The stability properties of different marching schemes, with and without iterations on the non-linear equations, are compared. Newton-Raphson techniques permit the largest time steps. A new technique, which is based on the fact that the dynamics of unstable iterated maps contain information about where the unstable root lies, is shown to improve substantially the performance of Picard iteration at a negligible computational cost. (Auth.)

51-1853

Adaptive-grid finite-volume model of glacier-terminus fluctuations.

Lam, J.K.W., Dowdeswell, J.A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.86-93, 28 refs.

Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier tongues, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

51-1854

Stochastic perturbation of divide position.

Hindmarsh, R.C.A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.94-104, 23 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier surfaces, Glacier oscillation, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, Antarctica—East Antarctica, Greenland

Perturbation of divide position is considered by a linearization about the Vialov-Nye solution and also about related solutions with O(1) relief. Relaxation times of one-sixteenth the fundamental thickness/accumulation-rate time-scale are found for the Vialov-Nye configuration, while substantial basal topography can halve the rate of relaxation. Steady divide position is most sensitive to anti-symmetric accumulation-rate distributions near the divide, but transient divide motion is most strongly excited by anti-symmetric accumulation rate variations halfway between the margin and the divide. Relaxation times for the Antarctic Peninsula divide position are estimated to be around 200 years, while the larger Greenland ice sheet has a divide-position relaxation time of around 600 years. Modelling accumulation rate as a white-noise process permits analysis of divide perturbation as a (stochastic) Ornstein-Uhlenbeck process, where the standard deviation of the response is proportional to the standard deviation of the forcing. If observed accumulation-rate variability in the Antarctic Peninsula were anti-symmetric about the divide, it would be sufficient to force the divide position to fluctuate with standard deviation 10-20 times the depth of the ice sheet. (Auth. mod.)

51-1855

Stability of ice rises and uncoupled marine ice sheets.

Hindmarsh, R.C.A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.105-115, 22 refs.

Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Ice water interface, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

An analysis of the linear stability of marine ice sheets uncoupled from associated ice shelves is presented. The principal feature is a zero eigenvalue associated with infinitesimal shifts along the line of neutral equilbrium in phase space, termed the "equilibrium manifold". A finite-difference scheme is constructed which respects this stability property. The zero eigenvalue appears to allow modelling errors to accumulate rather than dissipate as occurs in land-based ice sheets. The practical significance of this is that even rather fine spatial grids may allow substantial numerical error to accumulate. (Auth.)

51-1856

Steady-state thermomechanical modelling of ice flow near the centre of large ice sheets with the finite-element technique.

Hvidberg, C.S., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.116-123, 30 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Glacier surfaces, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

A finite-element model is developed in order to calculate the coupled ice and heat flow and the surface topography in cold, steady-state ice sheets. The model decouples the heat-flow equation and the surface mass-balance condition from the rest of the equations and solves the problem by an iterative method. The model is used to examine the thermomechanics of ice divides. Initial studies of a symmetric, plane ice divide and an axisymmetric ice divide have led to the following conclusions, which are consistent with previous results. The ice-divide zone is a narrow region, only a few ice thicknesses wide, where the surface slope drops to zero and the flow solution changes. The longitudinal strain rate is high, especially in the upper layers, and the vertical velocity is smaller than away from the divide. This causes the basal temperatures to increase and the isochrones to rise. Divergent-flow conditions widen the ice-divide zone, whereas they do not influence the solution at the ice divide. (Auth.)

51-1857

On the gravity-driven shear flow of an ice-till mixture.

Wu, T., Jöhnk, K., Svendsen, B., Hutter, K., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.124-128, 8 refs.

Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Glacial till, Sediment transport, Shear flow, Mathematical models

51-1858

Model experiments on the evolution and stability of ice streams.

Van der Veen, C.J., Whillans, I.M., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.129-137, 26 refs.

Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Byrd Glacier

A simple model is developed based on the notion that on active ice streams the resistance to flow is partitioned between basal drag and lateral drag. The relative roles of these sources of resistance is determined by a friction parameter that effectively describes the strength of the bed under the ice stream. Reduction in the basal strength is caused by meltwater production, taken proportional to the product of basal drag and ice speed. The width of the ice stream is governed by the balance between entrainment or erosion of ice from the slow-moving inter-stream ridges and advection from the ridges into the ice stream. Entrainment of ridge ice is parameterized as a function of the shear stress at the lateral margins, in one case proportional to the lateral shear stress and in the second case scaled to ice-stream width. In the first formulation, the model rapidly becomes unstable but, using the second formulation, a steady state is reached with lateral drag providing all or most of the resistance to flow. The results point to the great importance of achieving an understanding of entrainment. With the second model and a wide range of parameter values, there is no cyclic behavior, with rapid flow being followed by a quiescent phase. (Auth.)

51-1859

Modeling heat, mass, and species transport in polar firn.

Albert, M.R., MP 3924, *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.138-143, 22 refs.

Snow air interface, Snow permeability, Snow heat flux, Snow composition, Snow ice interface, Firn stratification, Glacier ice, Ice composition, Ice cores, Mathematical models, Greenland

A finite-element model for simulating multi-dimensional air flow with heat, mass and chemical species transport through firn is discussed. The model is applied to an investigation of near-surface layering effects on ventilation rates. Field measurements of permeability at Summit, Greenland, are presented that show that permeability varies by at least a factor of 10 over the top 3 m, with the surface windpack having much lower permeability, in general, than the underlying firn. The effect of a lower-permeability surface layer is to decrease the air flow in the underlying firn, yet there is still sufficient air flow in the top meters of the firn so that ventilation must be considered for species transport. Channeling, or increased air flow in a layer overlain by a less-permeable layer, can occur even if the microstructure of each layer is isotropic. Conventional estimates of chemical transport due to diffusion alone are likely to underestimate transport, while estimates of ventilation that consider the firn as a homogeneous half-space may overestimate ventilation effects at the near-surface. Effects of firn layering are important for ventilation and must be considered for accurate assessment of firn-air transport mechanisms.

51-1860

Increased ablation of Wisconsin ice in eastern Greenland: observations and modelling.

Bøggild, C.E., Oerter, H., Tukiainen, T., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.144-148, 13 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier surfaces, Glacier heat balance, Glacier ablation, Ice cores, Ice composition, Dust, Albedo, Paleoclimatology, Greenland

51-1861

Models of ice-atmosphere interactions for the Greenland ice sheet.

Braithwaite, R.J., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.149-153, 51 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Glacial meteorology, Glacier ablation, Glacier melting, Glacier alimentation, Ice air interface, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1862

Climate sensitivity of the ice cap of King George Island, South Shetland Islands, Antarctica.

Knap, W.H., Oerlemans, J., Cadée, M., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.154-159, 16 refs.

Glacial meteorology, Glacier flow, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacier ablation, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—King George Island

A two-dimensional vertically integrated ice-flow model has been used to simulate the current state of the ice cap of King George I. as well as the sensitivity of this state to climate change. The model was forced by an energy-balance model that generates the specific mass balance from climatological input data of two research stations. It was possible to simulate a steady-state ice cap whose volume and areal extent approximate the (estimated) current situation. Several experiments have indicated that this state is highly sensitive to climate change. The model predicts that cooling by 1 K will increase the ice volume by 10% and warming by 1 K will decrease it by 36%. A 10% change in precipitation will alter the ice volume by less than 8%. Application of the IPCC-90 Business-as-Usual scenario leads to a 55% reduction in the ice volume by the year 2100, compared to the present-day situation. The response of the ice cap to warming is therefore totally different from the response of the main antarctic ice sheet which is believed to gain mass by increasing temperatures. (Auth. mod.)

51-1863

Characteristics of the lower ablation zone of the West Greenland ice sheet for energy-balance modelling.

Van den Broeke, M., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.160-166, 24 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacial meteorology, Glacier heat balance, Glacier melting, Glacier ablation, Glacier surveys, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1864

Ice-sheets' surface mass-balance evaluation in the UGAMP GCM: the climate of Antarctica.

Marsiat, I., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.167-173, 35 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacial meteorology, Glacier surfaces, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Glacier oscillation, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Global change, Computerized simulation, Antarctica

General Circulation Models (GCMs) will be more and more used for coupled climatic simulations involving ice sheets. It is therefore of prime importance to evaluate the performance of these models in simulating the mass balance and climate over ice sheets. The antarctic climate simulated with the U.K. Universities Global Atmospheric Modelling Programme General Circulation Model is in good agreement with the available observations. In particular, the accumulation pattern appears fairly reasonable. Some imperfections are related to the surface temperature and energy budget but without severe consequences for the atmosphere behavior. Refining the snow-related parameterizations could improve the results of the model in high latitudes. (Auth.)

51-1865

Seasonal energy-balance climate model for coupling to ice-sheet models.

Paul, A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.174-180, 24 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier heat balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Ice age theory, Global change, Atmospheric circulation, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

An energy-balance climate model designed for coupling to ice-sheet models is presented. Its independent variables are longitude, latitude and time of the year. The model is based on the vertically integrated equations of conservation of energy and humidity. It can predict the vertically averaged temperature. Since it includes a hydrological cycle, it can also diagnose the net fresh-water flux and hence the annual snow budget at the atmosphere-ice-sheet interface. To this end, the model does not require observed precipitation rates. The computational cost is reduced by using an analytically computed Fourier-Legendre representation of daily insolation. For a highly idealized test-case configuration, two simple sensitivity experiments are carried out. (Auth.)

51-1866

On elevation models as input for mass-balance calculations of the Greenland ice sheet.

Van de Wal, R.S.W., Ekholm, S., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.181-186, 17 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier thickness, Glacier surfaces, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1867

Present and future mass balance of the ice sheets simulated with GCM.

Ohmura, A., Wild, M., Bengtsson, L., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.187-193, 30 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Global warming, Sea level, Computerized simulation, Greenland, Antarctica

A high-resolution GCM ECHAM3T106 was used to simulate the climates of the present and of the future under doubled CO_2. The ECHAM3T106 was integrated for an equivalent time of 5 years with the observed SST of the 1980s, and with the SST for the 2 x CO_2 climate generated from the ECHAM1T21 coupled transient experiment. The main motivation for using the GCM to simulate the mass balance is the level of skill in simulating precipitation and accumulation recently achieved in the high-resolution GCM experiment. The ablation is computed, based on the GCM internal surface fluxes and the temperature/ablation relationship formulated on the Greenland field data. The two ice sheets show very different reactions towards doubling the CO_2. As the decrease in accumulation and the increase in ablation in Greenland cause an annual mean specific mass balance of -225 mm (eq. -390 km^3), the increase in accumulation and virtually non-melt conditions in Antarctica result in a mean annual specific mass balance of +23 mm (eq. +325 km^3). The sum of the mass balance on both ice sheets is equivalent to the annual sea-level rise of 0.2 mm. (Auth. mod.)

51-1868

Modelling fabric development along the GRIP ice core, central Greenland.

Castelnau, O., Thorsteinsson, T., Kipfstuhl, J., Duval, P., Canova, G.R., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.194-201, 49 refs.

Ice sheets, Ice cores, Firn stratification, Glacier ice, Ice structure, Ice crystal structure, Ice deformation, Ice plasticity, Ice dating, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1869

Anisotropic flow law for ice-sheet ice and its implications.

Azuma, N., Goto-Azuma, K., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.202-208, 13 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier ice, Ice structure, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Ice cores, Ice dating, Mathematical models

A new flow law for anisotropic polycrystalline ice is presented. The strain-rate tensor is related by a geometrical factor tensor (G) to the stress tensor. The G factor tensor can be obtained from the *c*-axis fabric data and stress condition. This new flow law describes well the direction-dependent mechanical properties of anisotropic ice which cannot be demonstrated by Glen's flow law. For example, the new flow law can explain the fact that a strong single-maximum fabric ice, such as Dye 3 Wisconsin ice, can deform several times faster than isotropic ice under horizontal shear but can hardly deform under vertical or horizontal normal stress. The authors also show that at a deeper part of an ice sheet, where a single-maximum fabric develops, a positive vertical strain rate can be produced with only a horizontal shear stress. (Auth.)

51-1870

Mapping of glacial motion and surface topography of Hielo Patagónico Norte, Chile, using satellite SAR L-band interferometry data.

Rignot, E., Forster, R., Isacks, B., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.209-216, 21 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier surfaces, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Topographic surveys, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Chile—Patagonia

51-1871

Ocean tides under the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf, Antarctica.

Smithson, M.J., Robinson, A.V., Flather, R.A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.217-225, 21 refs.

Ice shelves, Ice water interface, Tides, Ocean currents, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

A depth-averaged finite-difference numerical model has been used to make a preliminary study of the tides under the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf. Open boundary conditions were specified using the global ocean model of Schwiderski. Tidal constituents for the two principal semi-diurnal constituents M_2 and S_2, and the two principal diurnal constituents O_1 and K_1 were extracted from computed sea-surface elevations by harmonic analysis. Measured values near to the grounding line could only be reproduced satisfactorily by increasing the bottom friction coefficient under the ice to 50 times the open-ocean value. This destroys any agreement near the ice front or at pelagic sites. It is thought that a friction coefficient which varies with distance under the ice would be able to reproduce better all the available measurements. More tidal measurements are required to validate any model of the region with model experiments being used to help pinpoint possible sites for instrument deployment. (Auth.)

51-1872

Basal temperature conditions of the Greenland ice sheet during the glacial cycles.

Huybrechts, P., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.226-236, 26 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier beds, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Ice temperature, Paleoclimatology, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Greenland

51-1873

Numerical modelling of a fast-flowing outlet glacier: experiments with different basal conditions.

Pattyn, F., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.237-246, 29 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Basal sliding, Glacier mass balance, Glacier heat balance, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Shirase Glacier

Recent observations in Shirase Drainage Basin, show that the ice sheet is thinning at the considerable rate of 0.5-1.0 m/a. Surface velocities in the stream area reach more than 2000 m/a, making Shirase Glacier one of the fastest-flowing glaciers in East Antarctica. A numerical investigation of the present stress field in Shirase Glacier shows the existence of a large transition zone 200 km in length where both shearing and stretching are of equal importance, followed by a stream zone of approximately 50 km, where stretching is the major deformation process. To improve insight into the present transient behavior of the ice-sheet system, a two-dimensional time-dependent flowline model has been developed, taking into account the ice-stream mechanics. Experiments were carried out with different basal motion conditions in order to understand their influence on the dynamic behavior of the ice sheet and the stream area in particular. Results revealed that when basal motion becomes the dominant deformation process, (partial) disintegration of the ice sheet is counteracted by colder basal-ice temperatures due to higher advection rates. This gives rise to a cyclic behavior in ice-sheet response and large changes in local imbalance values. (Auth. mod.)

51-1874

Deformation rates in combined compression and shear for ice which is initially isotropic and after the development of strong anisotropy.

Li, J., Jacka, T.H., Budd, W.F., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.247-252, 22 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Ice pressure, Ice structure, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Strain tests, Mathematical models

Laboratory-prepared fine-grained, initially isotropic polycrystalline ice samples were deformed under conditions of simple shear with simultaneous uniaxial compression at a constant temperature of -2.0°C. The aim was to investigate the effects of stress configuration on the flow rate of initially isotropic ice and on ice with subsequent stress and strain-induced anisotropy. Experiments were carried out for various combinations of shear and compression with shear stress ranging from 0 to 0.49 MPa and compressive stress ranging from 0 to 0.98 MPa, but such that for every experiment the octahedral shear stress was 0.4 MPa. The strain curves resulting from the experiments clearly exhibit minimum strain rates while the ice is still isotropic, and steady-state tertiary strain rates along with the development of steady-state anisotropic fabric patterns. The present tests indicate that the enhancement factor for steady-state tertiary octahedral shear-strain rate depends on the shear or compression fraction and varies from about 10 for simple shear (with zero compression) to about 3 for uniaxial compression (with zero shear). (Auth. mod.)

51-1875

Model for the tangent viscous behaviour of anisotropic polar ice.

Meyssonnier, J., Philip, A., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.253-261, 34 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice plasticity, Ice creep, Ice structure, Ice crystal structure, Dislocations (materials), Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

During the deformation of polar ice, a fabric develops which results in a macroscopically anisotropic behavior. Since the plastic anisotropy of the ice single crystal is very high, the effect of a strong (single maximum) fabric on the macroscopic flow law cannot be neglected when simulating the flow of an ice sheet. The authors propose to model polar ice as a transversely isotropic medium; while simplifying the problem, this captures the essential features of the *in-situ* observed fabrics. The macroscopic mechanical behavior of the ice polycrystal is obtained by using an orientation distribution function (ODF) for the *c*-axes of the grains, which characterizes the fabric, and a self-consistent scheme, considering each single crystal as transversely isotropic. The evolution of the ODF is described by a conservation equation. (Auth. mod.)

51-1876

Continuum approach for modelling induced anisotropy in glaciers and ice sheets.

Svendsen, B., Hutter, K., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.262-269, 16 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Ice structure, Dislocations (materials), Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

This paper presents a formulation of a continuum model for so-called (stress or deformation) induced anisotropy in natural ice which, unlike computer-based Taylor-type models, can be incorporated in numerical simulations of large ice masses to account for the effects of this process on the flow of these bodies in a physical fashion. To do this, the authors treat natural ice as a rigid-elastic, non-linear inelastic material which can develop transverse isotropic behavior where the degree of such anisotropy at each point is controlled by the distribution of crystal glide-plane orientations there. This distribution is described by a so-called orientation-distribution function, for which an evolution relation can be derived. The central constitutive assumption of this formulation relates this distribution to the "structure" tensor representing the transverse isotropy of the material. On the basis of this relation, the model predicts in particular isotropic (e.g. classical Glen's flow-law type) behavior at a given point when the distribution of crystal glide-plane orientations is uniform there. (Auth.)

51-1877

Relative strengths of debris-laden basal ice and clean glacier ice: some evidence from Taylor Glacier, Antarctica.

Lawson, W., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.270-276, 12 refs.

Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Glacial till, Glacier ice, Ice sampling, Ice temperature, Ice pressure, Ice strength, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Antarctica—Taylor Glacier

An understanding of the mechanical behavior of the basal zone of an ice mass is fundamental to understanding the overall dynamics of that ice mass. Despite the fact that debris-laden ice is found in the basal zones of many glaciers and ice sheets, its mechanical behavior is only poorly understood. This paper attempts to expand the knowledge of the mechanical behavior of debris-laden ice by examining the uniaxial compressive strength of debris-laden basal ice sampled from the snout of the Taylor Glacier. At the relatively warm temperatures at which uniaxial compressive strength tests were conducted in the field, debris-laden ice was generally weaker than clean glacier ice. At these temperatures, between 0° and -5°C, pressure melting was the dominant deformation mechanism in the debris-laden ice and cracking the dominant deformation mechanism in clean ice. At -25°C, however, debris-laden ice reached higher strengths than the clean glacier ice and cracking was the dominant deformation mechanism in both ice types. Results suggest that the dynamic effects and significance of the presence of a debris-laden ice layer in the basal zone of an ice mass are likely to be highly variable in space and time. (Auth. mod.)

51-1878

Ice-sheet flow features and rheological parameters derived from precise altimetric topography.

Rémy, F., Ritz, C., Brisset, L., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.277-283, 31 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier heat balance, Glacier thickness, Glacier beds, Glacier surfaces, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Topographic surveys, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Antarctica

For the first time high-quality coverage of the ERS-1 radar altimeter provides a very accurate surface topographic map covering 80% of the antarctic ice sheet that can contribute significantly to glaciological studies such as ice-sheet flow modelling. The topography allows estimation of the ice-flow direction, the balance velocity and the basal shear stress. A relationship between shear stress, basal temperature and a parameter related to strain rate helps in mapping the behavior anomalies of these parameters. Longitudinal stress, sliding, bedrock topography and variation in the pre-exponential factor of the flow law are found to play a major role in the ice-flow pattern. This relation can also be used to estimate rheological parameters; the Glen exponent n is found to be 1 for T<-10°C and 3-4 for higher temperatures, where Q is found to be 70 kJ/mol. (Auth.)

51-1879

Experimental fracture and mechanical properties of antarctic ice: preliminary results.

Rist, M.A., Sammonds, P.R., Murrell, S.A.F., Meredith, P.G., Oerter, H., Doake, C.S.M., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.284-292, 22 refs.

Ice shelves, Glacier friction, Glacier ice, Ice strength, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Crevasses, Crack propagation, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

An experimental study of the fracture mechanics and rheology of ice from the Ronne Ice Shelf is currently being undertaken. The apparent critical stress-intensity factor (or apparent fracture toughness, K_Q) for crack propagation has been measured using a three-point bend method for inducing crack growth perpendicular to the axis of cylindrical ice-core specimens. Tensile crack nucleation under applied uniaxial compressive stress has also been evaluated. Both methods have allowed a profile of ice elastic and fracture properties with depth through the ice shelf to be constructed. The resistance to fracture, as measured by changes in apparent fracture toughness and crack-nucleation stress, increases with depth right through the firn and meteoric ice layers. A simple fracture mechanics model applied to the Ronne Ice Shelf indicates that crevasses form from small surface cracks, less than 40 cm deep, which quickly grow to depths of 40-60 m and then remain stable. (Auth. mod.)

51-1880
Development of microstructure in the high-temperature deformation of ice.
Wilson, C.J.L., Zhang, Y.H., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.293-302, 19 refs.
Ice structure, Ice microstructure, Ice crystal structure, Ice elasticity, Ice plasticity, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Recrystallization, Dislocations (materials), Computerized simulation

51-1881
Glaciation, erosion and the evolution of the Transantarctic Mountains, Antarctica.
Kerr, A., Gilchrist, A.R., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.303-308, 20 refs.
Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacial erosion, Isostasy, Tectonics, Earth crust, Geochronology, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Transantarctic Mountains
Modelling studies of the tectonic evolution of the Transantarctic Mountains have drawn differing conclusions as to the primary mechanism involved. None has considered the role of the East Antarctic ice sheet in detail. The authors use a denudation-flexural model to examine the isostatic response of the continental margin to glacial erosion to determine whether glacial processes have played a role in forcing mountain uplift. The conclusion is that, although there are insufficient data formally to delimit the role of glacial erosion, available geophysical and geomorphological data are not inconsistent with the results of the differential denudation model, providing certain conditions are met. These results indicate that the current topography of the Transantarctic Mountains can be simulated, in part, from the isostatic response of the lithosphere to glacial erosion. (Auth. mod.)

51-1882
Comparison of different ways of dealing with isostasy: examples from modelling the antarctic ice sheet during the last glacial cycle.
Le Meur, E., Huybrechts, P., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.309-317, 33 refs.
Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacier beds, Bedrock, Isostasy, Tectonics, Earth crust, Geochronology, Computerized simulation, Antarctica
The bedrock isostatic response exerts a strong control on ice-sheet dynamics and is therefore always taken into account in ice-sheet models. This paper reviews the various methods normally used in the ice-sheet modelling community to deal with the bedrock response and compares these with a more sophisticated full-Earth model. Each of these bedrock treatments, five in total, is coupled with a three-dimensional thermomechanical ice-sheet model under the same forcing conditions to simulate the antarctic ice sheet during the last glacial cycle. The outputs of the simulations are compared on the basis of the time-dependent behavior for the total ice volume and the mean bedrock elevation during the cycle and of the present rate of uplift over Antarctica. This comparison confirms the necessity of accounting for the elastic bending of the lithosphere in order to yield realistic bedrock patterns. It furthermore demonstrates the deficiencies inherent to the diffusion equation in modelling the complex deformation within the mantle. This overview attempts to point out the main advantages and drawbacks of each of these methods and to determine which one is most appropriate depending on the specific modelling requirements. (Auth. mod.)

51-1883
Isostatic postglacial rebound over Fennoscandia with a self-gravitating spherical visco-elastic Earth model.
Le Meur, E., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.318-327, 30 refs.
Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Isostasy, Tectonics, Earth crust, Geochronology, Computerized simulation, Norway, Sweden, Finland

51-1884
Dynamic/thermodynamic simulations of Laurentide ice-sheet instability.
Greve, R., MacAyeal, D.R., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.328-335, 24 refs.
Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Ice rafting, Marine deposits, Paleoclimatology, Ice age theory, Geochronology, Computerized simulation

51-1885
Sensitivity tests of coupled ice-sheet/ice-stream dynamics in the EISMINT experimental ice block.
Marshall, S.J., Clarke, G.K.C., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.336-347, 16 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Ice age theory, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models
A continuum mixture model of coupled ice-sheet/ice-stream dynamics has been developed within a conventional three-dimensional finite-difference model framework. The ice mass is areally divided into sheet-ice and stream-ice components. Dynamic evolution of each component is solved with coupling terms to describe mass exchange between flows. In this way, ice-stream fluxes can be incorporated in a rigorous dynamical model with only a doubling of computational cost. This paper presents simple model tests using the EISMINT experimental ice block, a 1500 x 1500 km ice sheet which rests on a flat bed. Ice-stream behavior is investigated for a range of coupling rules and activation scenarios. In simple tests presented here, the authors find that the viscous response time and source ice feeding the ice stream may be a factor limiting ice-stream vigor and longevity. (Auth.)

51-1886
Heinrich-scale surge oscillations as an internal property of ice sheets.
Saltzman, B., Verbitskiĭ, M.IA., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.348-351, 11 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier heat balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacier surges, Basal sliding, Ice rafting, Marine deposits, Ice age theory, Mathematical models
A dynamical model governing the variations of ice-sheet volume, basal-water amount and ice-surge flux has been formulated in its simplest form, based on fundamental thermomechanical properties of ice sheets governing the basal-melting process. This model includes the effects of the geothermal flux, internal thermal advection and basal friction, the latter two factors being particularly important in regulating the bottom temperature and bringing it to the melting point, i.e. to a state vulnerable to catastrophic ice surges. It is shown that, for certain values of the unknown rate constants, such a model can exhibit oscillations on roughly the same scale as observed Heinrich events, even when external climatic changes are neglected, which would support the view that such events are an internal property of ice sheets. (Auth.)

51-1887
Isostatic uplift in the late Weichselian Barents Sea: implications for ice-sheet growth.
Siegert, M.J., Fjeldskaar, W., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.352-358, 28 refs.
Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Grounded ice, Ice age theory, Marine geology, Isostasy, Sea level, Geochronology, Computerized simulation, Barents Sea

51-1888
250,000 years in the history of Greenland's ice sheet.
Weis, M., Hutter, K., Calov, R., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.359-364, 16 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Ice age theory, Paleoclimatology, Computerized simulation, Greenland

51-1889
Geometric boundary conditions for modelling the velocity field of the antarctic ice sheet.
Bamber, J.L., Huybrechts, P., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.364-373, 23 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier surfaces, Glacier thickness, Glacier oscillation, Glacier surveys, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Computerized simulation, Antarctica
This paper presents improved geometric boundary conditions (surface elevation and ice thickness) required as inputs to calculations of the surface-velocity field for the antarctic ice sheet. A comparison of the two-dimensional horizontal velocity field obtained on the basis of conservation of mass (balance velocity) with the diagnostic velocity field calculated with an ice-sheet model (dynamic velocity) may yield information on shortcomings in the way the ice-sheet model describes the ice flow. Here, the surface-elevation grid is described in detail, as it has been generated specifically for such a study and represents a new standard in accuracy and resolution for calculating surface slopes. The digital-elevation model was generated on a 10 km grid size from over 20,000,000 height estimates obtained from eight 35 d repeat cycles of ERS-1 radar-altimeter data. For surface slopes less than 0.4°, the accuracy is better than 1.5 m. In areas of high surface slope (coastal and mountainous regions), the altimeter measurements have been supplemented with data taken from the Antarctic Digital Database. South of 81.5°, data from the SPRI folio map have been used. The ice-thickness grid was produced from a combination of a redigitization of the SPRI folio and the original radio-echo-sounding flight lines. (Auth. mod.)

51-1890
Antarctic topography and kilometre-scale roughness derived from ERS-1 altimetry.
Brisset, L., Rémy, F., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.374-381, 19 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Glacier surfaces, Glacier thickness, Topographic surveys, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Antarctica
The ERS-1 satellite has delivered altimetric data since 1992, enabling the authors to map most of the antarctic ice-sheet topography south to 82°S with better precision than all previous techniques. An algorithm has been developed such that the accuracy of the height data reaches the sub-meter level. As a first step, an inverse method has been designed to map the large-scale global topography, which is of interest to the study of the ice-sheet flow dynamics. As a second step, an adapted inverse algorithm displays precisely the short-scale undulations which are controlled by the bedrock below the ice. Finally, variations in the back-scattered altimetric signal allows to map directly the kilometer-scale roughness that is related to the basal-flow conditions. Together, these maps constitute an important database for modelling the ice sheet. (Auth.)

51-1891
Polythermal modelling of steady states of the antarctic ice sheet in comparison with the real world.
Hansen, I., Greve, R., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.382-387, 10 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier heat balance, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Computerized simulation, Antarctica
An approach to simulate the present antarctic ice sheet with respect to its thermomechanical behavior and the resulting features is made with the three-dimensional polythermal ice-sheet model designed by Greve and Hutter. It treats zones of cold and temperate ice as different materials with their own properties and dynamics. This is important because an underlying layer of temperate ice can influence the ice sheet as a whole, e.g. the cold ice may slide upon the less viscous binary ice-water mixture. Measurements indicate that the geothermal heat flux below the antarctic ice sheet appears to be remarkably higher than the standard value of 42 mW/m^2 that is usually applied for Precambrian shields in ice-sheet modelling. Since the extent of temperate ice at the base is highly dependent on this heat input from the lithosphere, an adequate choice is crucial for realistic simulations. The authors present a series of steady-state results with varied geothermal heat flux and demonstrate that the real ice-sheet topography can be reproduced fairly well with a value in the range 50-60 mW/m^2. (Auth. mod.)

51-1892
Movement and structural features observed in ice masses, Framnes Mountains, Mac. Robertson Land, East Antarctica.
Marmo, B.A., Dawson, J., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.388-395, 6 refs.
Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier surfaces, Crevasses, Antarctica—Framnes Mountains
Ice-movement surveys in the Framnes Mountains from austral summers 1993-94 and 1994-95 are presented with complementary surface elevations and structural interpretations. Surface velocities of 21 m/a have been recorded in Ice Stream B and 31 m/a in Ice Stream C. The flow rate varied between 11.6 and 21.0 m/a over a lateral range of 2.1 km west of Rumdoodle Peak and between 17.1 and 31.5 m/a over 2 km west of Mount Parsons. Two ice streams of relative high flow between the central Masson and David Ranges and several zones of incremental increase in flow rate have been identified within Ice Stream B, using shear-sense criteria based as ice-fracture geometry and subsequent deformation of crevasse traces. These zones of localized strain correlate with ice-flow survey measurements. (Auth.)

51-1893

Models for strain localization in Law Dome, Antarctica.

Rowden-Rich, R.J.M., Wilson, C.J.L., *Annals of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.23, International Symposium on Ice Sheet Modelling, Chamonix, France, Sep. 18-22, 1995. Papers. Edited by K. Hutter, p.396-401, 21 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Bottom topography, Stress concentration, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Law Dome

A finite-element model was implemented that relates the computed flow to some field and fabric observations recorded on the Law Dome ice cap, East Antarctica. The results of the model suggest that the general ice flow is markedly affected by the bedrock topography. The zones of measured anomalous flow correlate with significant changes in the modelled stress within the ice mass. Stress increases of up to 50% above the reduced model shear stress were obtained in the models where the ice moved over a bedrock rise. Stress relaxation also occurs in the ice mass as the ice moves downward to a lee depression. There is a marked oscillation in the direction of principal stress and this is responsible for the progressive development of a set of high stress zones that are superimposed on the down-slope ice movement. (Auth.)

51-1894

Photoplastic effect on ice.

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DLC TA418.6.M49 1995

Photochemical reactions, Ice plasticity, Ice composition, Plastic deformation, Glacier flow

51-1895

Interruptability robustness and dynamic contingency management model.

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Stations, Cold weather construction, Models, Safety, Hydraulic structures, Antarctica

Assembly interruptability is a problem of increasing concern for construction projects which take place in hazardous environments. Interruptability is the susceptibility and resiliency of a project to an unplanned interruption of the assembly process. When the assembly process takes place in a hazardous environment, such as space, undersea, or Antarctica, interruptions may jeopardize the survival of the structure being assembled, or the safety of the members of the construction crew. This paper presents a methodology to solve the interruptability problem and provides a dynamic contingency manager for assembly projects in a hazardous environment. The model was applied to the present problem of interruptability during the assembly of the United States Space Station Freedom. However, the general nature of the model allows it to be applied to other space construction projects such as the lunar base and orbital assembly of the manned Mars spacecraft, as well as earth-based construction projects such as undersea laboratories, antarctic bases, skyscrapers, etc. The Interruptability Robustness Model sets forth a solution to the interruptability problem and at the same time can provide a dynamic, contingency management system. (Auth. mod.)

51-1896

Water resources data for Alaska, water year 1995.

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Water reserves, Surface waters, River flow, Stream flow, Ground water, Water chemistry, Water level, Water table, Suspended sediments, United States—Alaska

51-1897

In-situ electronic sensors to determine analytes in cold-regions soils.

Brundage, G., MP 3925, Reno, NV, Phionics, Inc., 1995, 16p., ADA-302 860, 4 refs. Funded by U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory under Contract No.DACA39-95-C-0029.

Tundra soils, Soil pollution, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Soil microbiology, Land reclamation, Electrical logging

51-1898

***Ice and construction* edited by L. Makkonen.**

Jones, K.F., Richter-Menge, J.A., Sodhi, D.S., Andreas, E.L., MP 3926, *Royal Meteorological society. Quarterly journal A,* Apr. 1996, 122(531), p.792-793, 6 refs. For book being reviewed see 50-399.

Ice (construction material), Ice strength

51-1899

Investigation for icing on overhead transmission line conductor. [Sodensen no chakuhyo ni kansuru kenkyu]

Takagi, S., *Denryoku chuo kenkyujo Gijutsu kenkyujo shoho (Central Research Institute of Electric Power Industry. Technical Laboratory. Journal),* [1963], 13(5,6), p.41-114, In Japanese with English summary and captions. 35 refs.

Power line icing, Ice accretion, Ice loads, Ice forecasting, Glaze, Snowstorms, Meteorological factors, Mathematical models

51-1900

Review of the friction of snow.

Colbeck, S.C., MP 3927, Physics of sliding friction, Dordrecht, Netherlands, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1996, p.275-291, 42 refs. Presented at a NATO Advanced Research Workshop and Adriatico Research Conference, Miramare, Trieste, Italy, June 20-23, 1995.

DLC QC197.A27 1995

Wood snow friction, Plastics snow friction, Snow surface, Water films, Skis, Sliding

Snow friction results from a mixture of processes, depending on the amount of meltwater present. With little meltwater, the surfaces are partially separated; with too much water, the contact area increases and there may be capillary attachments. Heat is generated by friction and solar radiation absorption at the interface and is conducted away by both slider and ice particles. The remaining heat is available to generate meltwater which acts as a lubricant. The important processes operate at the ski base temperature that is highly dependent on such things as snow-surface temperature, load and speed. Electrical charges are generated but are drained away quickly on most surfaces. The roughness elements, film thicknesses and contact areas must be characterized better before the basic processes can be understood further.

51-1901

Sliding of glaciers.

Nye, J.F., Physics of sliding friction, Dordrecht, Netherlands, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1996, p.293-298, 6 refs. Presented at a NATO Advanced Research Workshop and Adriatico Research Conference, Miramare, Trieste, Italy, June 20-23, 1995.

DLC QC197.A27 1995

Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacier beds, Basal sliding, Regelation, Ice creep

51-1902

Proceedings.

International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], 781p., DE94-765351, Refs. passim. Organized by the Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme (IGBP). For selected papers see 51-1903 through 51-1917.

Global change, Global warming, Paleoclimatology, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns

51-1903

Measurements of atmospheric CO_2 and CH_4 at Japanese antarctic station, Syowa.

Aoki, S., Kawaguchi, S., Nakagawa, T., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.44-67, DE94-765351, 29 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Air pollution, Geochemical cycles, Global change, Antarctica—Showa Station

Continuous measurements of the major greenhouse gases, CO_2 and CH_4, have been made at Showa Station since 1984 and 1988, respectively. The average annual increase of CO_2 concentration over the last 5 years was 1.6 ppmv/yr. The secular CO_2 trend showed a slow increase in 1984, 1986 and 1988 and rapid increase in 1985 and 1987, which may be related to the 1988/1987 ENSO event. The average seasonal CO_2 cycle showed minimum and maximum concentrations in mid-April and early October, respectively, and its peak-to-peak amplitude was about 1.1 ppmv. There was no indication of a long-term increase or decrease in the amplitude during the seasonal cycle. The average seasonal CH_4 variation showed minimum and maximum concentrations in early Mar. and late Sep., respectively, and a peak-to-peak amplitude of 30 ppbv. The average increase rate of the CH_4 concentration was 10.2 ppbv/yr for the period 1988-1990. (Auth. mod.)

51-1904

Vertical transport of organic matter in the various oceanic areas.

Handa, N., Hayakawa, K., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.298-304, DE94-765351, 10 refs.

Oceanographic surveys, Sea water, Water chemistry, Suspended sediments, Marine biology, Plankton, Nutrient cycle, Biomass, Antarctica—Breid Bay, Japan—Hokkaido

Vertical flux of organic matter was determined in Breid Bay, Antarctica, and Hidaka Trough off Hokkaido, Japan. Fatty acid, $^{13}C/^{12}C$, and $^{14}C/^{13}C$ of the organic matter of the sinking particles were determined and it was found that the ratio of unsaturated to saturated fatty acid, and $\delta^{13}C$ were valuable tools to diagnose phytoplankton growth in the surface and subsurface waters. In addition to this, $\Delta^{14}C$ gave an indication of lateral transport of organic matter in the continental shelf and its slope areas. (Auth. mod.)

51-1905

Ecophysiological responses of the northern tree species in Japan to elevated CO_2 concentrations and temperature.

Koike, T., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.425-430, DE94-765351, 26 refs.

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Trees (plants), Vegetation patterns, Acclimatization, Phenology, Atmospheric composition, Carbon dioxide, Global warming, Japan

51-1906

Potential effects of global change on the functioning and carbon balance of arctic ecosystems.

Oechel, W.C., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, p.431-469, DE94-765351, 74 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Soil air interface, Tundra climate, Tundra soils, Tundra vegetation, Forest ecosystems, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Vegetation patterns, Biomass, Nutrient cycle, Global warming

51-1907

Effects of global climatic warming on vegetation differentiation with special reference to subarctic vegetation of central Yukon Territory, Canada.

Kojima, S., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.512-518, DE94-765351, 16 refs.

Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Desiccation, Forest tundra, Tundra vegetation, Forest ecosystems, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Canada—Yukon Territory

51-1908

Black snow in Kashmir due to Gulf War.

Kawosa, M.A., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.586-594, DE94-765351.

Snowfall, Snow composition, Snow impurities, Atmospheric circulation, Air pollution, Scavenging, Kashmir

51-1909

Last glacial paleoenvironments in the eastern Asia.

Ono, Y., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.595-598, DE94-765351, 2 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Permafrost distribution, Snow line

51-1910

Palaeomonsoon in northern China during the last 20000 years.

An, Z.S., Zhou, W.J., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.624-635, DE94-765351, 10 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), Paleoclimatology, Loess, Eolian soils, Desert soils, Steppes, Meadow soils, Soil dating, Soil formation, Global warming, China

51-1911

History of straits around the Japanese islands in the late Quaternary.

Ohshima, K., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.654-664, DE94-765351.

Marine geology, Sea level, Paleoclimatology, Paleoecology, Geochronology, Japan

51-1912

Late Quaternary paleoenvironments of the Japan Sea: a tephrochronological and sedimentological study.

Ikehara, K., Kikkawa, K., Katayama, H., Seto, K., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.676-692, DE94-765351, 39 refs.

Geological surveys, Marine geology, Marine deposits, Bottom sediment, Quaternary deposits, Paleoecology, Paleoclimatology, Global change, Sea level, Volcanic ash, Drill core analysis, Stratigraphy, Soil dating, Geochronology, Japan, Sea

51-1913

Evolution of the southwest monsoon in China after the last glaciation.

Pu, Q.Y., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.706-711, DE94-765351, 7 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), Paleoclimatology, Geochronology, Glaciation, Glacial meteorology, Global change, China

51-1914

Possible cause of the climatic cooling between the Cretaceous and Cenozoic periods.

Tachibana, Y., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.712-719, DE94-765351, 9 refs.

Paleobotany, Vegetation patterns, Vegetation factors, Paleoclimatology, Radiation balance, Global change, Ice age theory

51-1915

Climate change reconstructed from historical data in Japan.

Tagami, Y., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.720-729, DE94-765351, 16 refs.

Climatic changes, Paleoclimatology, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis, Japan

51-1916

Paleoenvironmental research in China corresponding with the study of global change.

Zheng, K.Y., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.754-759, DE94-765351.

Research projects, Paleoclimatology, Global change, China

51-1917

Climatic changes in the north China plain since 20 KA B.P.

Tong, G.B., Japan National Committee for the International Geosphere-Biosphere Programme. International Symposium on Global Change (IGBP), Tokyo, Mar. 27-29, 1992. Proceedings, Tokyo, Waseda University, [1994], p.776-781, DE94-765351, 7 refs.

Paleobotany, Paleoclimatology, Palynology, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Steppes, Soil dating, Geochronology, Climatic changes, China

51-1918

Collaborative research on the Northeast Water Polynya: NEWP92 hydrographic data report. USCGC *Polar Sea* cruise, July 15-August 15, 1992.

Wallace, D.W.R., et al, Upton, NY, Brookhaven National Laboratory, June 1995, n.p., DE95-014644, 16 refs.

Polynyas, Sea ice distribution, Oceanographic surveys, Sea water, Water temperature, Water pressure, Water chemistry, Salinity, Sounding, Data processing, Statistical analysis, Greenland Sea

51-1919

Wind tunnel and outdoor physical modelling of the entrainment of snow by the wind. [Modélisation physique en soufflerie et à l'extérieur du transport de neige par le vent]

Naaim-Bouvet, F., Naaim, M., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.7, p.68-75, In French. 21 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow air interface, Blowing snow, Snowdrifts, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Wind tunnels, Mathematical models

51-1920

Study of the factors influencing the entrainment of snow by the wind based upon concentration profiles. [Étude des facteurs influençant le transport de neige par le vent à partir des profils de concentration]

Martinez, H., Naaim, M., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.7, p.76-82, In French. 11 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow air interface, Blowing snow, Snowdrifts, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Particle size distribution, Mathematical models

51-1921

Responses of an alpine fissured aquifer to melting snow at Morzine-Avoriaz, Haute-Savoie. [Réponses d'un aquifère fissuré de haute montagne à la fusion nivale Morzine-Avoriaz, Haute-Savoie]

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River basins, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Snow heat flux, Runoff forecasting, Statistical analysis, France—Alps

51-1922

Modelling of winter climatology in the French Alps and application to the impact of climate change. [Modélisation de la climatologie nivale des Alpes françaises et application aux études d'impact des changements du climat]

Martin, E., Brun, E., Durand, Y., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.7, p.88-93, In French. 7 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Snow cover effect, Snow heat flux, Snow air interface, Atmospheric circulation, Global warming, Computerized simulation, France—Alps

51-1923

Modelling of the Greenland ice cap: sensitivity test and development experiment using a new 3D model. [Modélisation de la calotte du Groenland: tests de sensibilité et expérience d'évolution avec un nouveau modèle 3D]

Fabre, A., Letreguilly, A., Ritz, C., Mangeney, A., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.7, p.94-99, In French. 9 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Glacier thickness, Glacier mass balance, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Glacial meteorology, Global warming, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models, Greenland

51-1924

Statistical methods for determining the maximum stopping distance of avalanches. [Méthodes statistiques pour la détermination de la distance d'arrêt maximale des avalanches]

Adjel, G., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.7, p.100-104, In French. 6 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Avalanche modeling, Avalanche mechanics, Avalanche tracks, Avalanche deposits, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

51-1925

ANENA, an organization for snow and avalanche safety. [L'ANENA, un organisme au service de la sécurité "neige et avalanches"]

De Crécy, L., Sivardière, F., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.39-43, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Avalanche forecasting, Organizations, Research projects, Safety, France

51-1926

Forecasting avalanche risk in France—review and prospects. [La prévision du risque d'avalanches en France—Bilan et perspectives]

Pahaut, E., Giraud, G., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.44-49, In French. 15 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Avalanche forecasting, Snow cover stability, Safety, Data processing, France

51-1927

Investigation of the spatial distribution of the effects of snow carried by the wind—initial results of systematic measurements in situ. [Étude de la répartition spatiale des effets du transport de neige par le vent; premiers travaux réalisés à partir de mesures systématiques sur le terrain]

Mases, M., Buisson, L., Good, W., Vilaplana, J.M., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.50-55, In French with English summary. 6 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow accumulation, Snow cover distribution, Snowdrifts, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Switzerland

51-1928

Numerical modeling of aerosol avalanches. [Modélisation numérique des avalanches aérosols]

Naaim, M., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.56-62, In French. 8 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Avalanche modeling, Avalanche mechanics, Turbulent flow, Mathematical models

51-1929

Modeling snow cover on different scales. Application to avalanches, hydrology and climate. [Modélisation du manteau neigeux à différentes échelles. Application au domaine des avalanches, de l'hydrologie et du climat]

Brun, E., Martin, E., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.63-68, In French. 15 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow hydrology, Snow air interface, Snow accumulation, Snow cover stability, Avalanche forecasting, Computerized simulation, France

51-1930

Use of imaging techniques for velocity mapping on the surface of a dense avalanche. [Utilisation des techniques d'imagerie pour la cartographie des vitesses à la surface d'une avalanche dense]

Granada, F., Marco, O., Villemain, P., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.69-75, In French. 13 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Avalanche modeling, Avalanche mechanics, Image processing

51-1931

Monitoring water resources from melted snow. [Contrôle des ressources hydrauliques par fusion nivale]

Martinez, R., Arenillas, M., Pedrero, A., Cantarino, I., Ferrer, C., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.76-82, In French. 6 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Water reserves, Spain

51-1932

Volumetric changes in the Sarennes Glacier (Isère)—Period 1906-1991. [Variations volumétriques du glacier de Sarennes (Isère)—Période 1906-1991]

Valla, F., Berger, F., Piedallu, C., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.83-91, In French. 10 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Ice volume, France

51-1933

Remote measurement of snow depth and the prediction of input to EDF reservoirs. [La télénivométrie et la prévision des apports de remplissage des réservoirs EDF]

Tourasse, P., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.92-97, In French. 5 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Water reserves, Reservoirs, Spaceborne photography, France

51-1934

Polar ice: rapid change in the climate. [Glaces polaires: variations rapides du climat]

Jouzel, J., Lorius, C., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.98-103, In French. 29 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice sheets, Glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Ice cores, Ice dating, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Greenland, Antarctica—Vostok Station

Ice core records of the last 140,000 years from Summit in Greenland and Vostok in Antarctica are compared. Climatic changes appear more often and more rapidly in the Greenland than the Vostok record, but warming or cooling periods lasting more than 2000 years in the Greenland record usually appear later and less pronounced in the Vostok record. It is suggested that we are now in an interglacial period in the arctic likely to be followed by an interglacial period in the antarctic.

51-1935

Sensitivity of glacier mass balance to climate change. [Sensibilité des bilans de masse glaciaires aux fluctuations climatiques]

Vallon, M., Vincent, C., Reynaud, L., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.104-108, In French. 17 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacial meteorology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Global warming

51-1936

Main results of 100 years of research at the Vergtferner, Oetztal, Austria. [Les résultats principaux de 100 ans de recherche au Vernagtferner, Oetztal (Autriche)]

Braun, L.N., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.109-110, With French title. 8 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Meltwater, Austria

51-1937

Polar ices chemistry: a past atmosphere reflection.

Legrand, M., Delmas, R., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.116-122, With French summary. 41 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice cores, Glacial meteorology, Glacier ice, Ice composition, Ice dating, Impurities, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Global change, Paleoclimatology, Greenland, Antarctica

A general review is presented of studies on impurities in ice cores from Greenland and Antarctica. Sulfate levels have increased over the last 200 years in both Greenland and Antarctica, at a faster rate in Greenland apparently due to increased burning of fossil fuels at high and mid northern latitudes, but with occasional peaks in Antarctica corresponding to volcanic eruptions elsewhere in the world. Despite the apparent increase of sulfates in recent decades, the Vostok ice core indicates that over the last 220,000 years, MSA (methanesulfonate) concentrations have been higher in colder periods. Sea salt and dust concentrations in both the Greenland and antarctic ice cores are higher in glacial than in warmer periods, likely due to strong winds.

51-1938

Polar ice: a note on the changes affecting greenhouse gases. [Les glaces polaires: une mémoire de l'évolution des gaz à effet de serre]

Raynaud, D., Barnola, J.M., Chappellaz, J., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.123-125, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice cores, Ice composition, Atmospheric composition, Paleoclimatology, Global warming

A brief summary is given of the concentrations of carbon dioxide and methane in the atmosphere as recorded in ice cores from Greenland and Antarctica for the last two centuries and in particular, from the Vostok ice core for the last 150,000 years. Until about 1850 as recorded in the Vostok ice core, the CO_2 concentration has fluctuated between about 200 and 300 ppm, and the CH_4 concentration has fluctuated between about 300 and 700 ppb. Since 1850 worldwide, the CO_2 concentration has increased to its present value of 350 ppm, and the CH_4 concentration has increased to 1700 ppb.

51-1939

Snow and glaciers in the Italian Alps: a century of research. [Neige et glaciers dans les Alpes italiennes: un siècle de recherche]

Mercalli, L., Mortara, G., Rossi, G.C., Smiraglia, C., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.126-133, In French. 150 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snowfall, Snow cover distribution, Avalanches, Avalanche forecasting, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Glacial hydrology, Research projects, Bibliographies, Italy—Alps

51-1940

Mechanical behavior of glacier ice. [Comportement mécanique des glaces de glaciers]

Castelnau, O., Duval, P., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.134-138, In French. 25 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier friction, Ice structure, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Recrystallization, Computerized simulation

Models of the flow velocity and deformation of ice sheets, particularly in Antarctica and Greenland, are discussed. The models discussed include the VPSC (viscoplastic self-coherent) model, the Taylor homogeneous deformation model, and the homogeneous confined static model. The Vostok ice core indicates a vertical strain rate on the order of 2.5×10^{-13}/s. Data from both Greenland and Antarctica indicate that the recrystallization rate of grain size enlargement is 10^{-17} m^2/s at -50°C and 10^{-15} m^2/s at -10°C. In the models discussed, deformation is simulated at a strain rate of 10^{-7}/s and a temperature of -10°C.

51-1941

Glacier mass balance studies in the Swiss Alps.

Aellen, M., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.139-143, With French summary. 43 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Statistical analysis, Switzerland

51-1942

Internal structure of the active rock glacier of Las Argualas (Aragon Pyrenees, Spain). [Structure interne du glacier rocheux actif de Las Argualas (Pyrénées aragonaises, Espagne)]

Fabre, D., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.144-147, In French. 7 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Rock glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier beds, Ground ice, Fossil ice, Radio echo soundings, Electromagnetic prospecting, Spain—Pyrenees

51-1943

Glaciology and civil engineering. [Glaciologie et génie civil]

Plé, O., Meyssonnier, J., Weiss, J., Fiorio, B., *La houille blanche,* 1995, No.5/6, p.148-153, In French. 16 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice friction, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Bridges, Offshore structures, Design criteria

51-1944

Wind-swept snow concentration profiles: theory, digital resolution and in-situ experimental validation. [Profils de concentration de la neige soufflée: théorie, résolution numérique et validation expérimentale in situ]

Naaim-Bouvet, F., Naaim, M., Martinez, H., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.53-57, In French. 10 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Blowing snow, Snowdrifts, Snow erosion, Wind erosion, Particle size distribution, Statistical analysis

51-1945

Modeling of snow's reflectance from visible to near infrared. Comparison with laboratory measurements and in-situ measurements. [Modélisation de la réflectance de la neige du visible au proche infrarouge. Comparaison avec des mesures en laboratoire et des mesures in situ]

Leroux, C., Lenoble, J., Sergent, C., Deuzé, J.L., Goloub, P., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.58-61, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow optics, Snow cover structure, Snow impurities, Albedo, Computerized simulation

51-1946

Modeling of the polar snow cover. [Modélisation du manteau neigeux polaire]

Dang, H., Genthon, C., Martin, E., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.62-65, In French. 11 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow cover structure, Snow stratigraphy, Metamorphism (snow), Meteorological data, Meteorological factors, Computerized simulation, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

A general discussion is presented of using the CROCUS snow model, originally developed at the Centre d'Études de la Neige (Snow Studies Center) in Saint-Martin-d'Hères, France, for avalanche forecasting, to simulate the evolution and atmospheric interaction of the snow cover at the South Pole. The model was tested with meteorological data from automatic weather stations in Antarctica archived at the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts in Reading, England. The meteorological parameters of the model include air temperature, relative humidity, wind velocity, direct and diffuse incident solar radiation, incident infrared radiation, cloudiness, and quantity and type of precipitation. The model appears promising for applications in Antarctica.

51-1947

Hydrometeorological survey of the Sarennes basin. Presentation of project and initial results. [Étude hydrométéorologique du Bassin de Sarennes. Présentation du projet et premiers résultats]

Martin, E., et al, *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.66-70, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Glacial hydrology, Meltwater, Runoff forecasting, Computerized simulation, France—Alps

51-1948

Operational forecast of supply from Durance to Serre-Ponçon by means of MORDOR model. Balance for the year 1994-1995. [Prévision opérationnelle des apports de la Durance à Serre-Ponçon à l'aide du modèle MORDOR. Bilan de l'année 1994-1995]

Garçon, R., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.71-76, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, River basins, Stream flow, Water balance, Runoff forecasting, Computerized simulation, France

51-1949

Summary of glaciological and snow data in Spain, 1994-95 season. [Résumé des données glaciologiques et nivologiques en Espagne, saison 1994-95]

Martínez, R., Cantarino, I., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.77-79, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Glacier surveys, Glacial hydrology, Glacier mass balance, Water reserves, Spain

51-1950

Water balance in the basin of the Caresèr (central Alps) during the three years 1992-95. [Bilans hydrologiques du bassin versant du glacier de Caresèr (Alpes Centrales) au cours des trois années 1992-95]

Rossi, G.C., Zanon, G., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.79-84, In French. 10 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Glacial hydrology, Meltwater, Runoff, Water balance, Italy—Alps

51-1951

Glacier/rock glacier relationship in Valtellina (Italy): results of the 1992-1994 surveys. [Les relations glacier-glacier rocheux en Valtelline (Italie): résultats des campagnes de mesures 1992-1994]

Smiraglia, C., Assier, A., Fabre, D., Evin, M., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.84-85, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Glacier surveys, Rock glaciers, Ground ice, Italy—Alps

51-1952

Ciardoney Glacier (Gran Paradiso), mass balance 1994/1995: correlation test with the air temperature. [Glacier Ciardoney (Grand Paradis), bilan de masse 1994/1995: essai d'une corrélation avec la température de l'air]

Mercalli, L., Paludi, S., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.85-87, In French. 2 refs. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Glacial meteorology, Air temperature, Statistical analysis, Italy—Alps

51-1953

Mass balance of the Sarennes Glacier, 47th season, 1994-1995. [Bilan de masse du glacier de Sarennes 47ème saison 1994-1995]

Valla, F., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.87-92, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Glacial meteorology, Glacier alimentation, Glacier ablation, Precipitation (meteorology), Air temperature, France—Alps

51-1954
Variations of Swiss glaciers in 1994/95: preliminary report. [Les variations des glaciers suisses en 1994/95: rapport préliminaire]
Aellen, M., *La houille blanche,* 1996, No.5, p.92-95, In French. Presented at Colloque Glaciologie et nivologie: état des recherches et connaissances à la fin du XXè siècle (Symposium on Glaciology and Snow Science: State of the Art at the End of the 20th Century), Grenoble, France, Feb. 15-16, 1995.
Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Statistical analysis, Switzerland

51-1955
Ice atlas—Hudson Bay and approaches. [Atlas des glaces baie d'Hudson et ses abords]
Markham, W.E., Ottawa, Environment Canada, Atmospheric Environment Service, Ice Centre, 1988, 123p., Parallel English and French texts. 21 refs.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Icebergs, Canada—Hudson Bay

51-1956
On impact of antarctic stratospheric ozone depletion on tropospheric trace gases.
IUrganov, L.N., Radionov, V.F., Karol, I.L., Ozolin, IU.E., *Journal of ecological chemistry,* 1993, No.1, p.85-92, 21 refs.
Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Mathematical models, Stratosphere, Photochemical reactions, Antarctica—Mirnyy Station, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
Results of total column ozone and carbon monoxide optical measurements at Mirnyy Station in 1976-1991, as well as surface atmospheric concentrations observed over the Weddell Sea have been compared to values calculated with the 1-D model. During the spring months the amount of CO decreases as a result of reaction with hydroxyl, the concentration of which increases with UV solar radiation. The observed and calculated data show that CO concentration is profoundly affected by the total content of ozone (the main UV absorber) during the illuminated period of the year. As a result of this dependence, the stratospheric ozone depletion observed in the Antarctic could cause a negative trend of CO and a positive trend of OH. This dependence has to be taken into account in considering the trends of other atmospheric gases, especially in the Southern Hemisphere. An attempt to compose a model for diurnal variations of ozone concentration, observed in the surface layer over the Weddell Sea, failed. It is suggested that some unknown trace substances of marine origin take part in photochemical ozone production and destruction in the antarctic spring troposphere. (Auth.)

51-1957
Enhanced-resolution ERS-1 scatterometer imaging of southern-ocean sea ice.
Drinkwater, M.R., Long, D.G., Early, D.S., *ESA journal,* 1993, 17(4), p.307-322, 9 refs.
DLC TL787.E88c
Imaging, Image processing, Sea ice distribution, Spaceborne photography, Remote sensing, Resolution, Scattering, Antarctica
A new method of image reconstruction is described which allows enhanced-resolution images to be produced from gridded C-band scatterometer data from the Active Microwave Instrument (AMI) carried by ESA's ERS-1 satellite. Resulting images are weekly averages which improve the nominal resolution of 50 km to an enhanced resolution of approximately 14 km. Time-integrated images are maps of the mean radar-backscatter coefficient normalized to 40° incidence. Such medium-scale images are derived for application to mapping the dynamics of the southern ocean sea-ice cover. These all-weather day and night images may be derived in regions of the globe from AMI scatterometer-mode data where higher resolution (25 m) AMI SAR image data are unavailable due to the lack of a local SAR receiving station, or during periods when the receiving station is closed. Results demonstrate that this enhanced-resolution imaging technique applied to the scatterometer mode of the AMI complements and considerably enhances the lower frequency temporal and spatial coverage of high-resolution SAR images in the Antarctic. (Auth.)

51-1958
Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica.
India. Department of Ocean Development, New Delhi, India, 1987, 208p., Technical publication No.4, Refs. passim. For individual papers see A-56485, B-56481 through B-56483, E-56474, E-56478, F-56476, F-56477, F-56479, G-56486 through G-56488, I-56480, J-56484, L-56473, L-56475 or 51-1959 through 51-1967.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Low temperature research, Research projects, Expeditions
This technical report gives the details of the work carried out, by members of the Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica during 1984-1985, in the following disciplines: geology, geophysics, meteorology, biology and oceanography. Sixteen papers are included, the last 4 dealing with history of Maitri Station, fire resistant paint, polymer chemistry and renewable energy systems, respectively.

51-1959
Bedrock elevation studies in Queen Maud Land, Antarctica.
Bhattacharya, B.B., Majumdar, T.J., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.35-41, 12 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Ice shelves, Magnetic anomalies, Bedrock, Topographic surveys, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land
A magnetic anomaly map prepared from the MAGSAT data over the Ross Ice Shelf has been correlated with the available bedrock elevation data to develop a model which has been subsequently used to generate the bedrock elevation data in Queen Maud Land region of Antarctica. The results are in agreement with some control data available from the Queen Maud Land region. (Auth.)

51-1960
Magnetic survey over the ice-shelf around the Indian permanent station in Antarctica.
Verma, S.K., Mital, G.S., Rambabu, H.V., Venkatarayudu, M., Srinathareddy, K.N., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.55-67, 10 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Ice shelves, Magnetic surveys, Geomagnetism, Bottom topography, Profiles, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
The results presented here relate to the magnetic investigations carried out around the Dakshin Gangotri Station on the ice shelf during the Fourth Indian Antarctic Expedition. Magnetic measurements were made along a 33 km long N-S traverse starting right from the northern edge of the shelf to the region where deep water channels occur. The observed profile was interpreted using a number of geophysical methods. Utilizing the magnetic data obtained in earlier surveys it has been possible to delineate sub-shelf trends in the graben or rift-zone like structure of the basement. This structural pattern is supported by the marine seismic and magnetic work carried out in Lazarev Sea during the first Indian expedition and by the geological studies hypothesizing the existence of extensive grabens. (Auth.)

51-1961
Results of electromagnetic and electrical measurements in Antarctica.
Bhattacharya, B.B., Keramat, M., Raju, R.S., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.69-81, 10 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Geophysical surveys, Ice shelves, Ice cover thickness, Electromagnetic properties, Geoelectricity, Moraines, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Schirmacher Ponds
Transient electromagnetic (TEM) soundings were carried out in Queen Maud Land region of Antarctica. Self-potential (SP) and vertical electrical sounding (VES) measurements were also made in the Schirmacher Ponds. The thickness of the ice shelf in Queen Maud Land is about 200 m. The thickness of the ice cap over the rocky terrain south of the Schirmacher Ponds increases rapidly and at the place of TEM sounding it is of the order of 400 m. Self-potential profiles do not show any characteristic anomaly. VES data reveal that the depth to fresh rock in the Ponds is less than 10 m. TEM method is recommended for determining the thickness of ice cover in Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

51-1962
Seismic investigations on the ice-shelf near Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica.
Verma, S.K., Mital, G.S., Dixit, M.M., Reddy, K.N.S., Venkatarayudu, M., Pantulu, K.P., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.83-91, 8 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Ice shelves, Magnetic surveys, Seismic surveys, Glacier thickness, Geomorphology, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
The results of the seismic investigations around the Dakshin Gangotri Station have established the efficacy of the seismic reflection methods in delineating sub-shelf structures. The results of the seismic interpretation, in conjunction with those obtained from magnetic studies, have led to the proposition of a structural model describing the thicknesses of ice shelf and underlying water and glacial sediment layers above the basement. This model explains a number of geomorphological features in the region. The experience gained in these first-ever seismic studies under the Indian Scientific Research Program in Antarctica also provides valuable information on the type of explosives and the recording media that are suitable in antarctic environs. (Auth.)

51-1963
Radioactivity measurements on some rock and water samples from Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica.
Verma, S.K., Mital, G.S., Rao, G.V., Rangarajan, R., Reddy, K.N.S., Venkatarayudu, M., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.93-98, 1 ref.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Radioactivity, Limnology, Rocks, Ice shelves, Water pollution, Tests, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
Field measurements and laboratory analyses were carried out on some rock and water samples from the Dakshin Gangotri Station region. It was found that no significant deposits of radioactive minerals exist in the vicinity of Priyadarshini Lake. The water samples collected from the water channels in the ice shelf and from Priyadarshini Lake were found to be free of any hazardous radioactive contaminations. (Auth.)

51-1964
Some geological and glaciological observations during reconnaissance of the terrain south of Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica.
Sangewar, C.V., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.99-104.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Terrain identification, Snow vehicles, Moraines, Geomorphology, Cold weather performance, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains, Antarctica—Schirmacher Ponds
During the course of reconnaissance of the terrain conditions south of Dakshin Gangotri Station, and possible vehicular route across Wohlthat Mountains further south, some observations of geological and glaciological interest were made enroute in addition to the performance appraisal of the snowmobiles. The efficiency of the vehicles under various terrain and ice conditions was studied. Exercises in establishing communication links between different locations during reconnaissance were also carried out. The surface features and secular changes in different types of the antarctic ice were recorded and glacio-geomorphological studies were carried out in the Schirmacher Ponds. Geological studies revealed the existence of olivine basalt, hornfels, pyroxenite and skarn rocks in the Skaly IGA nunatak area. (Auth.)

51-1965
Development of fire resistant paint for Antarctica.
Dabholkar, D.A., Aggarwal, U.K., Sood, R.C., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.187-196, 15 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Fires, Wooden structures, Protective coatings, Cold weather construction
Antarctica, with large desolate areas of snow and ice cover, few landmarks and hostile weather, represents extreme conditions of low temperature and high wind velocity. A fireproof paint, which has fire-retardant properties and can simultaneously withstand the antarctic conditions, was developed, evaluated and successfully applied to the wooden structures used at the Indian antarctic stations. (Auth.)

51-1966
Preliminary testing report of some commercial polymers and their utilisation in the antarctic climatic conditions.
Dabholkar, D.A., Saroop, U.K., Sood, R.C., Aggarwal, A.K., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.197-203, 7 refs.
DLC G850.I53I53 1984
Polymers, Electrical properties, Thermal properties, Mechanical properties, Cold weather tests
The effects of extreme low temperature and high wind velocity conditions existing in Antarctica have been investigated on various polymeric materials. The selection of polymeric materials ranged from simple polyolefinic polymers, like Low Density Polyethylene (LDPE) and Polypropylene (PP), to engineering and speciality polymers like Acrylonitrile Butadiene Styrene Coplymer (ABS), Polycarbonate and Poly-tetrafluoroethylene (PTFE). The polymeric samples were exposed to the antarctic climate for one month. The samples were then evaluated for thermal, mechanical and electrical properties. No significant changes were observed. Conclusions

about the effect of antarctic climate on the polymers can, however, be drawn only after detailed evaluation of samples exposed for one year. (Auth. mod.)

51-1967

Technical notes on renewable energy systems to be used at the Indian station.

Puri, A., Scientific report of Fourth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.4, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1987, p.205-208.

DLC G850.I53I53 1984

Wind power generation, Solar radiation, Heat sources, Test equipment, Low temperature research, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Maitri Station

Renewable energy systems utilizing the wind and solar energy have shown promising results in Antarctica. This paper describes the various renewable energy systems that are proposed to supplement the existing conventional sources of energy. (Auth.)

51-1968

Condensation coefficient of ice under laser sublimation near the melting point. [O vozmozhnosti eksperimental'nogo opredeleniia koeffitsienta kondensatsii l'da pri lazernoĭ sublimatsii vblizi tochki plavleniia]

Butkovskiĭ, A.V., *Teplofizika vysokikh temperatur,* Oct. 1994, 32(5), p.793-797, In Russian. 11 refs.

DLC QC276.T4

Ice sublimation, Lasers, Condensation, Ice composition, Ice crystals, Cloud physics, Ozone, Antarctica

Knowledge of the accurate condensation coefficients of water and ice is essential for modeling cloud formation processes. In addition, recent studies indicate that heterogeneous chemical reactions taking place on ice crystals play an important role in the formation of the ozone hole over the Antarctic. Here, a method is proposed which makes it possible to measure the condensation coefficient of ice near 0°C with an error of not more than 30% using relatively simple equipment.

51-1969

Hearing before the Subcommittee on Science, Technology and Space of the Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, U.S. Senate, One Hundred First Congress, First Session, on arctic and antarctic ozone depletion, February 23, 1989.

U.S. Congress. Senate. Committee on Commerce, Science and Transportation, Washington, D.C., U.S. Government Printing Office, 1989, 160p.

DLC KF26.C697 1989

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Legislation, Environmental protection

The hearing convened on Feb. 23, 1989, to discuss current understanding of the physical and chemical processes that control atmospheric ozone, globally and in the polar regions. Witnesses included representatives of the Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute, E.I. DuPont, Inc., NOAA, NASA, and Allied-Signal, Inc., who presented prepared statements and responded to questions from members of the Subcommittee. Additional articles, letters and statements presented at the hearing are also provided.

51-1970

Viewing a cold air outbreak using satellite-based synthetic aperture radar and advanced very high resolution radiometer imagery.

Mourad, P.D., Walter, B.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* July 15, 1996, 101(C7), p.16,391-16,400, 25 refs.

Radiometry, Synthetic aperture radar, Pack ice, Clouds (meteorology), Backscattering, Air masses, Bering Sea

51-1971

Seasonal evolution of sea ice cover and shelf water off Labrador simulated in a coupled ice-ocean model.

Ikeda, M., Yao, T., Yao, Q., *Journal of geophysical research,* July 15, 1996, 101(C7), p.16,465-16,489, 15 refs.

Sea ice, Seasonal variations, Water temperature, Ice cover thickness, Models, Canada—Labrador, North Atlantic Ocean

51-1972

Freezing avoidance and the presence of ice in shallow water antarctic fishes.

Tien, R., University of Illinois, 1995, 147p., University Microfilms order No. DA95-43746, Ph.D. thesis. 67 refs.

Sea ice, Ice formation, Ice crystals, Seasonal variations, Water temperature, Antarctica—McMurdo Sound

Fishes inhabiting ice-laden waters of McMurdo Sound have ice present on all external tissues. This includes the integument, gills, and intestinal tract. With one exception, all internal tissues and fluids including the heart, liver, red muscle, white muscle, blood, bile, urine and ocular fluids are ice-free. Ice is consistently identified in the spleens from three shallow water species. This in vivo presence of ice is presupposed by the in vitro mechanism of antifreeze activity. The presence of internal ice explains why all notothenioids in McMurdo Sound produce high systematic concentrations of antifreezes. Furthermore, its localization to the spleen suggests that one function of this organ is to remove ice crystals from the systematic circulation. Details are provided correlating the presence of ice in these fish with ice formation depths, ice growth, and origin of the very cold water in the Sound. (Auth. mod.)

51-1973

Strategy and a tool, Ferret, for closely integrated visualization and analysis.

Hankin, S., Harrison, D.E., Osborne, J., Davison, J., O'Brien, K., *Journal of visualization and computer animation,* July-Sep. 1996, 7(3), p.149-157, 9 refs.

Data processing, Computer applications, Computer programs, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, —South Georgia, —Falkland Islands, —Tierra del Fuego

Ferret is a workstation-based visualization and analysis environment designed to meet the needs of physical scientists studying global ocean/climate interactions. Ferret provides a highly-automated, flexible, end-to-end environment in which can be probed large and complex gridded data sets, such as model outputs and observational data products, with little or no assistance from computer professionals. The design of Ferret has emphasized close integration of graphics, analysis, and data management. Ferret provides well-proven scientific graphics styles, such as contours, scatter plots, and vector diagrams, and the ability to define new variables as mathematical expressions involving database variables. Analysis is augmented by regridding capabilities and Boolean operators to perform calculations over arbitrary regions. Ferret's data management is based on a simple, adaptable data model integrated with standardized, self-describing, direct-access files. Pictorial examples of antarctic applications include southern elephant seal tracking displays in the waters around the Antarctic Peninsula, South Georgia, the Falkland Islands, Tierra del Fuego, and from 80°W to 20°E between 70° and 50°S. (Auth. mod.)

51-1974

Providing global access to marine data via the World Wide Web.

Dodge, C., Majewski, F., Marx, B., Pfeiffenberger, H., Reinke, M., *Journal of visualization and computer animation,* July-Sep. 1996, 7(3), p.159-168, 7 refs.

Data processing, Geography, Hydrography, Ocean currents, —South Atlantic Ocean, —South Pacific Ocean, —South Indian Ocean

This paper presents development work undertaken at the Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research to enable the distribution of scientific information over the WWW. One of the first projects was to provide an electronic version of the printed 'Hydrographic Atlas of the Southern Ocean'. The 'Southern Ocean' database is presented, the data from which was used for generation of the atlas graphics. This is followed by a discussion of some of the issues related to the creation on the electronic form of the atlas. One major database directly accessible on-line is the 'Ocean-Circulation Database', which comprises measured data from research vessel expeditions from 1985 on. The database itself is introduced, after which a description of the two methods of database query via a Web browser is given. If known, the name of a cruise can be input, or alternatively, one can click in the geographical area of interest on a 'clickable image' map of the world. Each click zooms the user in to the area of interest until the separate measurement points can be resolved. The user can then directly interrogate the database by clicking on the points. (Auth.)

51-1975

High fidelity digital terrain modelling for the reconstruction of the antarctic sea floor.

Falcidieno, B., Orgolesu, S., Pizzi, C., Sanguineti, A., Spagnuolo, M., *Journal of visualization and computer animation,* July-Sep. 1996, 7(3), p.177-187, 13 refs.

Data processing, Bottom topography, Hydrography, Sounding, Oceanography, Models, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay

Shape-based modelling is a general approach to surface representation, which has a great importance in the specific context of the antarctic sea floor reconstruction, where measurements can involve critical operations. Here, a method is proposed where shape-based surface reconstruction is achieved performing a geometric reasoning on the raw data to delineate a shape structure on which the final surface model can be built. Data of the antarctic sea floor are collected by surveys carried out along parallel courses during which the depth of the sea is measured at almost regular intervals. The seabed is then represented by a set of profiles, corresponding to almost vertical cross sections. The surface reconstruction is performed in three steps. First, a shape-based simplification is carried out on the profiles, using a combination of the wavelet theory and the classical Douglas and Peucker algorithm. The second step consists of finding similarities in the morphology of adjacent profiles, which may suggest the presence of surface features, such as ridges and ravines. Finally, the deduced surface features are used to build a kind of skeleton on which the most appropriate triangulation can be constructed. (Auth.)

51-1976

Spectroscopic measurements of the atmospheric gases contents. Latitudinal distributions, seasonal variations and long-period trends.

Galtsev, A.P., Grechko, E.I., Dzhola, A.V., Elanskiĭ, N.F., Malkov, I.P., Pugachev, N.S., *SPIE—The International Society for Optical Engineering. Proceedings.,* 1993, Vol.2107, Optical monitoring of the environment. Edited by N.N. Belov and E.I. Akopov, p.104-110, 9 refs.

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Gases, Carbon dioxide, Seasonal variations, Atmospheric composition

The results of spectroscopic measurements of the total vertical column abundance of minor atmospheric components (CO, CH_4, C_2H_6, NO_2, O_3) are presented. Measurements were carried out in Russia, in the arctic and antarctic regions and over the Atlantic Ocean. (Auth.)

51-1977

Spectrometric measurements of total NO_2 in different regions of the globe.

Elokhov, A.S., Gruzdev, A.N., *SPIE—The International Society for Optical Engineering. Proceedings,* 1993, Vol.2107, Optical monitoring of the environment. Edited by N.N. Belov and E.I. Akopov, p.111-121, 28 refs.

DLC TD193.O68 1993

Gases, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica—Molodezhnaya Station, Antarctica—Mirnyy Station, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The paper reviews the results of measurements of the total NO_2 contents in different regions of the globe: in the antarctic region, in the Atlantic Ocean, at the Zvenigorod Scientific Station of the Institute of Atmospheric Physics. Total NO_2 obtained at Molodezhnaya in spring 1987 was very low until late Nov. with stratospheric warming when the filling of the ozone "hole" began. Measurements at Mirnyy in 1988 show the summer maximum and the usual later decrease in total NO_2. Total NO_2 measured in the Weddell Sea during Sep.-Oct. 1989 exhibits large variations connected with the evolution of the stratospheric circumpolar vortex. Measurements over the Atlantic Ocean in May 1988 show the increase with latitude in total NO_2 and total ozone, most pronounced in the region of the northern subtropical jet stream. A thin latitudinal structure in total ozone and NO_2 has been found connected with stratosphere-troposphere exchange processes, and is confirmed by measurements during Aug.-Sep. and Nov.-Dec. 1989. In addition, the inter-hemispheric difference in total NO_2 is noted in 1989 measurements, associated with the NO_2 annual cycle. Also a sharp decrease in total NO_2 is noted at mid- and high latitudes of the Southern Hemisphere in spring 1989. Near Moscow, systematic total NO_2 measurements have been made since 1990. A decrease of up to 40% in total NO_2 occurred during the spring-summer period of 1992 compared with the same period of 1991, perhaps due to the eruption of the Pinatubo volcano in June 1991. (Auth. mod.)

51-1978

Recrystallization in a freezing tolerant antarctic nematode, *Panagroliamus davidi*, and an alpine weta, *Hemideina maori* (Orthoptera; Stenopelmatidae).

Ramløv, J., Wharton, D.A., Wilson, P.W., *Cryobiology,* Dec. 1996, 33(6), p.607-613, 16 refs.

Cryobiology, Ecology, Ice crystal growth, Recrystallization, Freezing points, Chemical properties, Ice prevention, Frost resistance, Cold weather survival

The ability of haemolymph from the freezing tolerant weta, *Hemideina maori,* and supernatant from homogenates of the freezing tolerant antarctic nematode *Panagrolaimus davidi* to inhibit the recrystallization of ice was examined using the "splat freezing" technique and annealing on a cryomicroscope stage. There was no recrystallization inhibition in weta haemolymph or in insect ringer controls. Recrystallization inhibition was present in the nematode supernatant but this was destroyed by heating and was absent in controls. *P. davidi* survives intracellular freezing and recrystallization inhibition may be important for the survival of this stress. (Auth. mod.)

51-1979

Simulation model for the annual frost hardiness and freeze damage of Scots pine.

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Trees (plants), Plant physiology, Acclimatization, Climatic changes, Frost resistance, Plant tissues, Damage, Growth, Seasonal variations, Simulation, Mathematical models, Temperature effects

51-1980

Seasonal variation in respiratory and photosynthetic parameters in three mosses from the maritime Antarctic.

Davey, M.C., Rothery, P., *Annals of botany,* Dec. 1996, 78(6), p.719-728, 42 refs.

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Mosses, Photosynthesis, Vapor diffusion, Biomass, Temperature effects, Insolation, Seasonal variations, Sampling

Carbon fixation under controlled conditions was measured in three mosses from the maritime Antarctic using an infra-red gas analysis system. Gas exchange parameters were determined during each season in 1993 and 1994 using the Arrhenius equation and a hyperbolic tangent function applied to respiration and photosynthesis, respectively. There was some seasonal variation in the initial slope of the photosynthesis-irradiance curve in all species, although the environmental data suggested that this was of little ecological importance. In all species seasonal changes in the maximum rates of photosynthesis were observed. These changes are considered to be the most important in affecting the overall annual productivity of the mosses. There were no seasonal variations in the optimum temperatures for either gross or net photosynthesis, or for the irradiance at the onset of light saturation. The results have important implications for the use of models to estimate the productivity of the antarctic flora based upon present or predicted climate data. (Auth. mod.)

51-1981

Anthropogenic and natural disturbances to marine benthic communities in Antarctica.

Lenihan, H.S., Oliver, J.S., *Ecological applications,* May 1995, 5(2), p.311-326, 72 refs.

Marine biology, Ocean bottom, Ecosystems, Bottom sediment, Hydrocarbons, Waste disposal, Water pollution, Environmental impact, Sampling, Biomass

This study describes changes in marine bottom communities along a well-defined gradient of contamination in Antarctica. Community changes were characterized and results used to explore the recovery of disturbed communities. The authors tested the hypotheses that relative rates of recovery of disturbed communities are: (1) dependent on the initial structure of the community and (2) much slower in eutrophic habitats compared with oligotrophic habitats. Based on the results of these tests, predictions of the impacts of future anthropogenic disturbances in different oceanographic conditions of McMurdo Sound were derived. Also tested was the hypothesis that community responses to anthropogenic chemical contamination are similar to those around natural physical disturbances (those caused by icebergs and anchor ice). (Auth. mod.)

51-1982

Performance evaluation of overland flow wastewater treatment system under winter and summer conditions.

Surampalli, R.Y., Chou, S.C., Banerji, S.K., *Journal of cold regions engineering,* Dec. 1996, 10(4), p.163-177, 16 refs.

Waste treatment, Water treatment, Municipal engineering, Ground water, Seepage, Suspended sediments, Water transport, Seasonal variations, Hydraulics, Temperature effects, Hydrogeochemistry, Correlation

51-1983

Predicting breakup ice jams using logistic regression.

White, K.D., MP 3928, *Journal of cold regions engineering,* Dec. 1996, 10(4), p.178-189, 18 refs.

River ice, Ice jams, Ice breakup, Forecasting, Classifications, Statistical analysis, Models, Accuracy

Breakup ice jams form suddenly and with little warning. The lack of forewarning hinders emergency response and ice jam mitigation efforts. Present knowledge of breakup jam processes does not allow for the development of a deterministic ice jam prediction model. Probabilistically based prediction models include linear regression, discriminant function analysis, and empirical cluster-type analyses. In this paper, the use of logistic regression to predict breakup ice jam occurrence is presented, with an example application for the Platte River at North Bend, NE.

51-1984

Ice jam mitigation using setback dykes: Coldwater River at Merritt, B.C.

Beltaos, S., Doyle, P.F., *Journal of cold regions engineering,* Dec. 1996, 10(4), p.190-206, 19 refs.

River ice, Ice jams, Floodplains, Countermeasures, Water level, Flood forecasting, Banks (waterways), Levees, Bank protection (waterways), Mathematical models, Canada—Ontario—Coldwater River

51-1985

Sea ice and iceberg observations in the western Barents Sea in 1987.

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Oceanographic surveys, Sea ice distribution, Icebergs, Ice volume, Drift, Ice edge, Velocity measurement, Statistical analysis, Barents Sea

51-1986

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Sea ice, Frazil ice, Ice growth, Ice water interface, Ice optics, Light transmission, Radiation absorption, Attenuation, Polarization (waves), Static stability, Radiation measuring instruments

51-1987

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51-1988

Change in arctic CO_2 flux over two decades: effects of climate change at Barrow, Alaska.

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51-1989

Simple monthly runoff model for snow dominated catchments in Western Himalayas.

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River basins, Snow hydrology, Runoff forecasting, Snowmelt, Snow line, Altitude, Snow cover distribution, Degree days, Meteorological factors, Mathematical models, Correlation, India—Himalaya Mountains

51-1990

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51-1991

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51-1992

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51-1994

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51-1995

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51-1997

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51-1998

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51-1999

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51-2000

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51-2001

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51-2003

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Weather forecasting, Surface temperature, Road icing, Ice forecasting, Frost forecasting, Temperature variations, Accuracy, Statistical analysis

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International cooperation, Regional planning, Environmental protection

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Organizations, Education, Meetings, Research projects, International cooperation, Regional planning

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Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Cloud cover, Hydrologic cycle, Global warming, Spaceborne photography, Research projects

51-2014

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River ice, Ice jams, Ice breaking, Ice control, Flood control

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51-2016

Motion characteristics of coarse sediment in a gravel bed river.

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River flow, Bottom sediment, Suspended sediments, Alluvium, Sediment transport, Flood forecasting, Telemetering equipment, Data transmission

Radio transmitters were implanted in natural river gravel to locate and track the movement of coarse sediment (39 mm or larger) through a natural river reach. An automatic data acquisition system was developed to continuously monitor the radio-implanted sediment particles to determine the travel time of the rocks through a 362-m study reach. A total of 24 radio-tagged rocks was monitored either continuously or by periodic location surveys. The travel time of the rocks through the study reach is better related to specific gravity than weight of the particles. In addition the automatic data acquisition system continuously monitors the periods of motion and rest of natural river gravel implanted with radio transmitters equipped with motion sensors. The capabilities of the system are demonstrated by describing the motion and rest periods of a single rock for a two-month period including a number of flood events.

51-2017

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Offshore drilling, Pipelines, Oil spills, Oil recovery, Water pollution, Soil pollution, Environmental impact, Regional planning, Canada, Beaufort Sea

51-2019

GOME data processing at DFD. [GOME-Datenferarbeitung beim DFD]

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Ozone, Data processing, Solar radiation, Models, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

GOME is a scanning spectrometer used to measure the backscattered radiation of the Earth as well as the solar radiant flux density with a high spectral resolution for a satellite-borne system. The use of GOME, the instrument, to study the stratospheric ozone layer is addressed, with emphasis on the data processing. Data measurements of stratospheric ozone from antarctic regions are included and discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2020

Correlations between ozone loss and volcanic aerosol at altitudes below 14 km over McMurdo Station.

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Ozone, Aerosols, Volcanic ash, Stratosphere, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Ozone and aerosol profiles over McMurdo Station have been measured Aug.-Oct. for the years 1986-1995. This spans the development and decay of the recent perturbation to stratospheric aerosol caused by Pinatubo. Volcanic aerosol surface areas, in the 11-14 km region, peaked near 100 $\mu m^2/cm^3$ in 1991, decaying to 20-30 $\mu m^2/cm^3$ in 1992, 15-25 $\mu m^2/cm^3$ in 1993, and to background levels of 4-8 $\mu m^2/cm^3$ in 1994. Based on these measurements the volcanic aerosol signal persisted over Antarctica for three austral springs, implying an exponential decay rate of about 14 months. The aerosol below 14 km was correlated with previously unobserved ozone loss at these altitudes. Ozone loss rates of 5-15 ppb/dy (0.3-0.5 DU/dy) were observed in the 10-12 and 12-14 km layers. Beginning in 1994,

when the aerosol approached its pre-Pinatubo level, ozone loss diminished in the 12-14 km layer, and was not observed in the 10-12 km layer. (Auth.)

51-2021

Now you see it, now you don't: the ozone hole.

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Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Solar radiation, Clouds (meteorology)

Insights are provided to the good and bad qualities of ozone and to the ozone hole over Antarctica. Chemicals and chemical processes which deplete the stratospheric ozone layer are discussed along with man-made influences on the depletion cycle. Research programs dealing with this problem since the IGY and since 1985 are identified. The dimension and scope of the ozone hole, its research and education aspects, and economic and political considerations are briefly stated as policy issues. A possible model for political response is suggested in some of the actions already taken to alleviate the problem.

51-2022

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51-2023

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51-2039

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51-2041

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51-2044

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51-2046

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Aircraft icing, Ice forecasting, Supercooled clouds, Cloud droplets, Particle size distribution, Unfrozen water content, Moisture detection, Lasers

51-2047

Method for producing performance evaluation soil/sediment samples for white phosphorous analysis.

Walsh, M.E., SR 96-18, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 12p., ADA-318 509, 13 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil tests, Soil analysis, Explosives, Chemical analysis

The analysis of performance evaluation samples is a routine part of most quality assurance programs. However, performance evaluation samples are not commercially available for many contaminants. This report describes the development of performance evaluation samples for white phosphorus (P_4) analysis. To represent the wide range of concentrations that have been measured in field-contaminated sediment/soil samples, two types of performance evaluation samples were prepared. High concentration samples contained particulate white phosphorus in wet soil, and concentrations were stable for over 100 days. Low concentration soil samples containing white phosphorus dissolved in water or organic solvent were unstable. When silt-size glass beads were substituted for the soil, and a solution of white phosphorus in mineral oil added, concentrations were stable for over two months.

51-2048

Development of an analytical method for white phosphorus (P_4) in water and sediment using solid-phase microextraction.

Walsh, M.E., Taylor, S., Thorne, P.G., SR 96-16, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Aug. 1996, 12p., ADA-317 623, 32 refs.

Water pollution, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Water chemistry, Explosives, Chemical analysis

Headspace solid-phase microextraction (SPME) methods were developed for white phosphorus in water and sediment/soil to minimize waste generated by methods based on solvent extraction. Headspace SPME provided a rapid, non-exhaustive extraction, based on equilibrium, of white phosphorus. Comparison of results obtained by headspace SPME and solvent extraction shows that headspace SPME may be used quantitatively for some water matrices and qualitatively for more complex matrices such as sediment/soil. Because detection limits appear to be similar to those obtained by solvent extraction, headspace SPME can be used to rapidly screen samples for contamination, eliminating the need to solvent-extract most samples.

51-2049

Assessment of sampling error associated with collection and analysis of soil samples at explosives-contaminated sites.

Jenkins, T.F., Grant, C.L., Brar, G.S., Thorne, P.G., Ranney, T.A., Schumacher, P.W., SR 96-15, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 38p., ADA-318 015, 26 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Soil tests, Explosives, Waste disposal, Statistical analysis

This study is an assessment of short-range heterogeneity in contaminant concentrations within surface soils at explosives-contaminated sites. Intensive sampling was conducted over short distances. Discrete and composite samples were analyzed by both on-site colorimetric methods and standard laboratory protocols. To improve the quality of site characterization data, emphasis should be placed on reducing sampling error by the use of composite sampling strategies. Characterization of explosives-contaminated sites using composite sampling, in-field sample homogenization, and on-site analysis is an efficient method of producing data that are accurate and precise, and also representative of the area.

51-2050

Establishing a relationship between passive soil vapor and grab sample techniques for determining volatile organic compounds.

Hewitt, A.D., SR 96-14, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 9p., ADA-318 014, 17 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil tests, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

A passive soil vapor and an in-vial sample handling and analysis method were compared for estimating volatile organic compound (VOC) contamination in the near-surface vadose zone. These two methods of VOC site characterization, although very different operationally, established very similar trends for trichloroethylene (TCE) contamination. The correlation (r^2=0.944) of the results from these two methods shows a much better agreement than what has been reported between comparisons of in-vial methods (or solvent immersion) and conventional soil sample collection and handling methods often used for site characterization activities. The strong correlation between these two methods and from grab samples taken 15 cm apart indicates that this analyte is homogeneously distributed as compared to metals and semivolatile organic compounds. For contaminants such as TCE, soil vapor measurement technologies offer a promising means of estimating subsurface concentrations in locations where grab samples cannot be easily obtained.

51-2051

Ice action on riprap: small-scale tests.

Sodhi, D.S., Borland, S.L., Stanley, J.M., CR 96-12, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* Sep. 1996, 64p., ADA-318 069, 20 refs.

Bank protection (waterways), Rock fills, Ice push, Ice pileup, Ice override, Ice erosion, Ice pressure, Ice loads, Ice control, Environmental tests

The authors conducted 35 small-scale experiments to assess the damage on riprap-covered banks by ice shoving. A review of literature on this subject revealed very little experience or guidance available for the design of riprap in the cold regions, where presence of moving ice can cause substantial damage to a riprapped bank. During the experimental program, the authors changed the slope of the model riprap bank, the size and the mix of rocks, and the thickness of model ice sheets. Results of these tests are presented in terms of measured horizontal and vertical forces, outcome of interaction as pileup or ride-up events, and damage to the model riprap bank. From the observations made during the tests, the damage to the riprap appears to take place during pileup events, because the incoming ice sheet is forced to go between the riprap and the piled-up ice, bringing with it rocks from the bottom to the surface of an ice pile. To sustain no damage to the riprapped protective layer, maximum rock size (D_{100}) should be twice the ice thickness for shallow slopes (1V:3H) and about three times the ice thickness for steeper slopes (1V:1.5H).

51-2052

Sea ice. Part II. Estimating the full-scale tensile, flexural, and compressive strength of first-year ice.

Kovacs, A., CR 96-11, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* Sep. 1996, 17p., ADA-317 247, 29 refs. For Part 1 see 51-513.

Ice cover strength, Ice salinity, Ice density, Ice electrical properties, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Ice breaking, Offshore structures, Mathematical models, Beaufort Sea

Sea-ice salinity, density, and temperature data were used to develop new methods for determining the bulk brine volume and porosity of sea-ice floes. Methods for estimating full-thickness ice sheet strength, based on large-scale field tests, are presented. The relationships among bulk sea-ice properties, strain rate, and strength are illustrated. A new constitutive equation was developed for predicting the full-thickness horizontal compressive strength of first-year sea ice as a function of the applied strain rate and bulk porosity. An estimate of the horizontal force that may develop between first-year sea ice and a 90-m wide structure is given. Estimating sea-ice strength based on remote ice conductivity measurements is also discussed conceptually.

51-2053

Structural mechanics solutions for butt joint seals in cold climates.

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Joints (junctions), Sealing, Rubber, Polymers, Waterproofing, Weatherproofing, Structural analysis, Thermal analysis, Thermal stresses, Cold weather tests

An effective, formed-in-placed joint seal will respond with elastic or viscoelastic behavior over a reasonable design life to any large movement of the joint without adhesive or cohesive failure. For a given joint movement, seals with lower stiffness are most able to deform without cohesive or adhesive failure of the seal or of the structure to which it is bonded. It is in recognition of this desirable response feature that lower-modulus, rubber-based elastomeric materials have been formulated and promoted as joint sealants. For a seal formed from an elastomeric sealant, it should generally be expected that the modulus of elasticity will depend upon temperature and loading rate, such that the modulus increases (sometimes dramatically) with a reduction in temperature and an increase in loading rate, and it should be expected that the seal stiffness will depend upon the material modulus and the shape of the seal. Measurements from testing techniques that are routinely used to evaluate the temperature and rate-dependent mechanical properties of rubber-like materials, together with simple structural mechanics solutions for the load vs. deflection behavior of rubber in the configuration of rectangular-shaped joint seals, allow these dependencies to be modeled, and form the basis of a practical analysis technique that could be used by civil and mechanical engineers for sealant selection and seal design.

51-2054

Physical system dynamics and white phosphorus fate and transport, 1994, Eagle River Flats, Fort Richardson, Alaska.

Lawson, D.E., Hunter, L.E., Bigl, S.R., Nadeau, B.M., Weyrick, P.B., Bodette, J.H., CR 96-09, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* Aug. 1996, 63p., ADA-317 624, 53 refs.

Soil pollution, Water pollution, Estuaries, Water erosion, Sediment transport, Explosives, Environmental impact, Military facilities, Land reclamation, United States—Alaska—Fort Richardson

Eagle Rive Flats (ERF) is a subarctic estuarine salt marsh where human and natural forces are causing significant changes in the environment. Multiple internal and external forces govern the physical and chemical processes by actively altering surface conditions, sometimes in unpredictable ways. ERF is also used as an artillery range by the U.S. Army, where past use has resulted in white phosphorus (WP) contamination of the sediments within ponds and mudflats. Bottom-feeding waterfowl ingest this WP, which causes rapid death. This report documents analyses of the physical environment, describing the nature of the physical systems and factors controlling them. It includes data on sedimentation, erosion and hydrology. These investigations provide knowledge necessary to designing and evaluating remedial technologies. They also help determine the system's capacity to naturally attenuate the WP contamination.

51-2055

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Cosmic dust, Impurities, Ice sampling, Wells, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

51-2056

Methods of preparing soil samples for headspace analysis of volatile organic compounds: emphasis on salting out.

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Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

Three equilibrium and two solvent extraction methods of preparing and analyzing volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in soil by headspace gas chromatography (HS/GC) were compared. The samples studied were triplicates of four different soil types spiked with an aqueous solution containing BTEX and four chlorinated compounds. Solvent extraction was found to be superior for recovering spiked VOCs, followed by: direct heating; an aqueous solution preserved with $NaHSO_4$; and lastly, an aqueous solution saturated with NaCl and acidified with phosphoric acid. The findings indicated that correction factors may be necessary for equilibrium HS/GC determinations of VOCs in soils.

51-2057

Guidance for characterizing explosives contaminated soils: sampling and selecting on-site analytical methods.

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Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Explosives, Waste disposal

A large number of defense-related sites are contaminated with elevated levels of secondary explosives. Levels of contamination range from barely detectable to levels above 10% that need special handling due to the detonation potential. Characterization of explosives-contaminated sites is particularly difficult due to the very heterogeneous distribution of contamination in the environment and within samples. To improve site characterization, several options exist including collecting more samples, providing on-site analytical data to help direct the investigation, compositing samples, improving homogenization of samples, and extracting larger samples. On-site analytical methods are essential to more economical and improved characterization. On-site methods might suffer in terms of precision and accuracy, but this is more than offset by the increased number of samples that can be run.

51-2058

Sample representativeness: a necessary element in explosives site characterization.

Jenkins, T.F., Grant, C.L., Brar, G.S., Thorne, P.G., Schumacher, P.W., Ranney, T.A., MP 3939, Waste Testing and Quality Assurance Symposium, 12th, Washington, D.C., July 23-26, 1996. Proceedings, Washington, D.C., American Chemical Society, 1996, p.30-35, 4 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Explosives, Waste disposal

Explosives-contaminated sites are generally characterized by collecting discrete grab samples of surface soil and shipping them to off-site laboratories for analysis. Decisions as to whether or not site remediation is needed are made based on the results of these analyses, assuming they represent site conditions over fairly large grids. This study was conducted to assess the degree of short-range heterogeneity in analyte concentrations present at explosives-contaminated sites. This information is essential if sampling methods are to be established that provide representative samples on which informed decisions can be based.

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51-2060

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Avalanches, Accidents, United States

51-2061

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51-2062

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Avalanche forecasting, Snow cover stability, Snow hardness, Penetration tests, Penetrometers

51-2063

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River ice, Ice cover strength, Ice breakup, Ice jams, Ice loads, Ice friction, Ice control, Ice models, River flow, Hydraulic structures, Environment simulation, Environmental tests

51-2064

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Geological surveys, Exploration, Mining, Minerals, Geochemistry, Natural resources, United States—Alaska—Baranof Island, United States—Alaska—Chichagof Island

51-2065

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Pavements, Bitumens, Road maintenance, Cold weather performance, Cost analysis

51-2066

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Pavements, Cracking (fracturing), Sealing, Waterproofing, Road maintenance, Cost analysis, Canada—Ontario

51-2067

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Highway planning, Road maintenance, Pavements, Cost analysis, Computerized simulation, Peru

51-2068

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Road icing, Road maintenance, Chemical ice prevention, Sanding, Cost analysis, United States—Washington

51-2069

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Road icing, Road maintenance, Salting, Tires, Skid resistance, Safety, Human factors, Cost analysis, Finland

51-2070

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Road icing, Salting, Sanding, Road maintenance, Safety, Accidents, Cost analysis, Finland

51-2071

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Road icing, Road maintenance, Salting, Tires, Human factors, Safety, Accidents, Finland

51-2072

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Road icing, Skid resistance, Weather forecasting, Human factors, Safety, Road maintenance, Japan

51-2073

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Road icing, Road maintenance, Chemical ice prevention, Salting, Water pollution, Soil pollution

51-2074

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Snow removal equipment, Road maintenance, Motor vehicles, Illuminating, Visibility, Human factors engineering

51-2075

Snow road enhancement.

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Snow roads, Snow (construction material), Snow compaction, Snow strength, Trafficability, Geotextiles, Cellular materials

Snow roads are used extensively in areas where seasonal access to remote areas would otherwise be difficult or impossible for wheeled vehicles. Forestry operations in Scandinavia and Canada, petroleum operations in Alaska and Canada, and almost all activities in Antarctica make extensive use of this technology. Many techniques of preparing snow roads and runways have been used and studied, but the most intractable problems remain unsolved: how to extend the service life of the road as the warm season approaches and how to bridge damaged or transitional sections. Other, less important problems include sinkage of parked vehicles, damage to heavily trafficked areas, damage caused by fluid spills and infiltration by saltwater, and use limited to vehicles with low tire pressures. Research addressing these problems was conducted, and the preliminary results are encouraging. A short test section of road was constructed with geocells. This material is designed for use with sand or gravel but, instead, the cells were filled with packed snow. The resulting surface was very hard, stable, and resistant to damage by repeated passes by wheeled traffic. Paving blocks were also prepared by converting snow directly to ice by using very high compaction pressures in a hydraulic press. The material was very strong and was resistant to the infiltration of fluids of all kinds. The application of these two techniques would greatly reduce most problems encountered in the use of snow roads and runways.

51-2076

Geotextiles to mitigate frost effects in soils: a critical review.

Henry, K.S., MP 3942, *Transportation research record,* 1996, No.1534, Geosynthetics: cold regions, flexible pavements, and other issues, p.5-11, 23 refs.

Subgrade soils, Soil freezing, Soil stabilization, Frost heave, Frost resistance, Frost protection, Thaw weakening, Geotextiles, Vapor barriers, Freeze thaw tests

The use of geotextiles to mitigate frost effects in soils has been studied, but few techniques have been developed. Guidelines developed for the placement of granular capillary barriers are presented to serve as preliminary guidelines for geotextile capillary barriers. Laboratory research shows that pore size distribution, wettability, and, for some geotextiles, thickness influence capillary barrier performance in a given soil. Geotextiles that easily wet do not reduce frost heave and may even exacerbate it. On the basis of the literature reviewed, guidance for selection of geotextile capillary barriers in field trials is given. If geotextiles function as capillary barriers during freezing and reinforce or separate and filter the subgrade at the base course interface during thaw, then the potential exists for their use in a combination of functions to reduce frost-related damage in geotechnical structures. It was found that properly designed geotextiles have the potential to reduce frost heave by functioning as capillary barriers, they can be filters for capillary barriers, and they can provide reinforcement or separation or filtration (or all of these) of the subgrade soil to reduce thaw-related damage.

51-2077

Efficiency of geosynthetic lateral drainage in northern climates.

Lafleur, J., Savard, Y., *Transportation research record,* 1996, No.1534, Geosynthetics: cold regions, flexible pavements, and other issues, p.12-18, 5 refs.

Subgrade soils, Soil stabilization, Soil freezing, Frost heave, Frost protection, Geotextiles, Vapor barriers, Subsurface drainage, Road maintenance

51-2078

Temperatures and related behavior in segmental retaining wall system.

Buttry, K.E., McCullough, E.S., Wetzel, R.A., *Transportation research record,* 1996, No.1534, Geosynthetics: cold regions, flexible pavements, and other issues, p.19-23, 6 refs.

Walls, Earth fills, Geotextiles, Soil stabilization, Soil pressure, Thermal stresses, Thermal insulation

51-2079

Temperatures of insulated landfill liner.

Benson, C.H., Olson, M.A., Bergstrom, W.R., *Transportation research record,* 1996, No.1534, Geosynthetics: cold regions, flexible pavements, and other issues, p.24-31, 14 refs.

Waste disposal, Earth fills, Geotextiles, Linings, Thermal insulation, Frost protection, Soil stabilization

51-2080

Frost-thaw effects on ballasted track.

Raymond, G.P., *Transportation research record,* 1996, No.1534, Geosynthetics: cold regions, flexible pavements, and other issues, p.32-39, 11 refs.

Subgrade soils, Soil stabilization, Railroad tracks, Settlement (structural), Frozen ground settling, Thaw weakening, Frost protection, Geotextiles, Thermal insulation, Canada—Alberta

51-2081

Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica.

India. Department of Ocean Development, New Delhi, India, 1994, 311p., Technical publication No.6, Refs. passim. For individual papers see B-56538 through B-56540, B-56548, B-56551, D-56533, E-56542 through E-56546, E-56548, F-56549, F-56550, G-56554 through G-56558, H-56552, H-56553, I-56536, I-56537, J-56541, K-56534, K-56535, L-56547 or 51-2082 through 51-2092.

Low temperature research, Research projects, Expeditions

This technical report gives details of the work carried out by members of the Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, from Nov. 1989 to Mar. 1991, in the following disciplines: atmospheric and terrestrial physics, meteorology, biology, geology, glaciology and human physiology. Twenty-six papers are included; the first, and the last five, deal with the expedition's logistics.

51-2082

Establishment of a new meteorological observatory at Maitri and study of meteorological parameters, ozone depletion in antarctic spring and solar radiation during Ninth Antarctic Expedition.

Singh, S., Kulandaivelu, E., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.35-56.

Snowstorms, Ozone, Solar radiation, Meteorological data, Meteorological instruments, Weather observations, Weather stations, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Maitri Station

India Meteorological Department established its full-fledged meteorological observatory at Maitri Station in Jan. 1990 and discontinued meteorological observations at Dakshin Gangotri Station. Details of the installation of meteorological instruments and of the tabulated data collected during 1989, and from Jan. 1990 to Jan.1991, are discussed.

51-2083

Comparative study of the variability in the observed ozone and that obtained from a statistical model of catalytic destruction over Antarctica.

Pasricha, P.K., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.57-64, 16 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Maitri Station

Day-to-day fluctuations in total ozone during the ozone hole period (using the TOMS data) over the Maitri Station are presented. A statistical correlation analysis is performed to reveal a characteristic correlation period (T_0) in the fluctuations. The extent of the effective data sample (T) to be analyzed is given. A value of σ_T during the ozone hole period of Sep. 1987 is found to be about 6 D.U., which is 3 D.U. above the noise rms associated with the TOMS data. The signal rms variability of 3 D.U. estimated in the ozone hole period is compared with the statistical fluctuations inherent in the process of destruction of ozone through chlorine and bromine catalysis in the lower stratosphere. The resultant rms variability in the mean ozone level requires the values of T_0 and T, and is also shown to be about 3 D.U. The fluctuations in total ozone in other non-ozone hole months are analyzed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2084

Geotechnical appreciation of soil and rocks of Schirmacher Hills, East Antarctica.

Pathak, R.C., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.195-207, Refs. p.206-207.

Engineering geology, Cold weather construction, Cryogenic soils, Frozen ground, Terrain identification, Antarctica—Schirmacher Hills, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The Indian permanent station, Maitri, was constructed during the Seventh (1987-88) and Eighth (1988-89) Indian Antarctica Expeditions. A concerted effort towards geotechnical appreciation of the area was made during the 9th expedition, by evaluating the physical and strength properties of soil and rocks around the station. These geotechnical parameters are important in so far as the foundation, water management and waste disposal systems are concerned. (Auth.)

51-2085

Terminal moraines in Grautfatet, Humboldt Mountain, East Antarctica - Indicators of rate of glacier recession.

Pant, N.C., Ravindra, R., D'Souza, M.J., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.219-225, 10 refs.

Glacial geology, Geomorphology, Moraines, Glacier flow, Glacial deposits, Glacier melting, Flow rate, Antarctica—Schüssel Moraine

The Schüssel Cirque is a vast, morainal flat within the Humboldt Mountains. The Somovken glacier branching into the Cirque and Humboldt glaciers has controlled the deposition of terminal moraines in this flat. The disposition of the two sets of terminal moraines, along with the relief pattern of the surrounding ridges have been used to decipher an ice level lowering of 350 to 400 m and a retreat of Somovken glacier by 7.5 km since the last peak ice condition. This recession, in conjunction with the inferred age of last peak ice condition, indicates an average retreat rate of 75/m/100 y for Somovken glacier. (Auth.)

51-2086

Observation on the snow accumulation/ablation over shelf and continental ice in parts of central Dronning Maud Land, East Antarctica.

Ravindra, R., Dey, A., Beg, M.J., Kaul, M.K., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.227-238, 4 refs.

Ice shelves, Ice sheets, Snow accumulation, Ablation, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Snow accumulation and ablation patterns over shelf and continental ice in central parts of Queen Maud Land were studied during the summers of 1989-1991 and the winter of 1990. While there was negligible addition on the shelf ice near Dakshin Gangotri Station between Dec. 1989 and Mar. 1990, the period between Mar. and end of Oct. 1990 recorded a rise in accumulation of the order of 15.9 gm/cm^2. Ablation of 10.3 gm/cm^2 was recorded in the summer of 1990-1991. A year-long profile of the snow surface between Maitri and Dakshin Gangotri stations has revealed a marked accumulation beyond the grounding line when compared to the area close to the Schirmacher Ponds. The stake data collected over the continental ice between Maitri Station and northern Humboldt Mountains has shown heavy accumulation (average 32.5 gm/cm^2) during winter of 1990 and ablation of 7.4 gm/cm^2 in the 1st month of the following summer. (Auth. mod.)

51-2087

Monitoring of icebergs in antarctic waters and a note on the secular movement of Dakshin Gangotri glacier.

Ravindra, R., Shrivastava, V.K., Sharma, B.L., Dey, A., Bedi, A.K., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.239-249, 3 refs.

Icebergs, Sea ice distribution, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

Iceberg monitoring in antarctic waters, during the Ninth Indian Antarctic Expedition, has revealed concentration of icebergs in two well defined zones. Distribution patterns and analyses of size-shape parameters have shown that the majority of large sized (>500 m), tabular icebergs are concentrated in the area close to the antarctic coastline, as compared to the pinnacled and/or disintegrating icebergs (of <500 m class) which show relative abundance between 51° and 60°S. A marked similarity in the distribution patterns of the icebergs during successive voyages has been noticed. Monitoring of the snout of Dakshin Gangotri glacier during austral summer of 1991 and its comparison with the results of earlier studies, reveals minor oscillation of the frontal part of the snout and the proglacial lake at its foot. (Auth.)

51-2088

Life support systems at Indian antarctic station: Maitri.

Gangadhara, R.S., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.275-282.

Stations, Logistics, Electric heating, Water supply, Fuels, Waste disposal, Equipment, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The life support systems at Maitri Station, comprising central heating, electricity generation and supply, water supply and waste disposal systems are run and maintained throughout the year. The various equipment used and procedural details are discussed. (Auth.)

51-2089

On the construction of shelter accommodation within C & N Hangar, Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica.

Raka, A.S., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.283-286.

Cold weather construction, Shelters, Snow compaction, Design, Cargo, Storage, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

Operations at Dakshin Gangotri Station, the first Indian antarctic station, were discontinued in 1989 and the station was converted into a supply base during Feb. 1990. Since regular wintering convoys would visit the station for ferrying the fuel and other cargo, it was envisaged to construct a 'Transit Accommodation' for eight personnel members within the existing C&N Hangar at the station. This hangar constructed during the Fourth Indian Expedition in 1984 to serve as a vehicle shelter, is completely buried in the snow at present. It is a well designed unit equipped with all communication facilities. (Auth. mod.)

51-2090

Communication during Ninth Expedition.

Vishwanathan, S., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.287-290.

Radio communication, Equipment, Stations, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The major task of the communications team of the 9th Indian antarctic expedition was to dismantle and shift communication equipment from the Dakshin Gangotri Station to Maitri Station. This was accomplished during Feb. 1990. Much of the material was transported by surface convoys, leaving behind some equipment in a hangar at Dakshin Gangotri, including the frames of 5KW Txs; the units themselves were transported to Maitri Station. Various types of communication linking Maitri Station with the outside world are described.

51-2091

Surface transport over snow and ice terrain in Antarctica.

Singh, B., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.291-298.

Fuel transport, Cargo, Snow vehicles, Cold weather performance, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Maitri Station, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains

Haulage of fuel and cargo from the shelf and Dakshin Gangotri Station to India's permanent antarctic station, Maitri, involves surface transport over 130 km of snow and ice. During the austral winter of 1990, the 7th Indian wintering team operated 7 convoys to Dakshin Gangotri Station and 2 to the Wohlthat Mountains. Convoy details and description of the vehicles used, and their performance, are given.

51-2092

Some constructional, environmental control and plant growth aspects of green house at Indian antarctic station "Maitri".

Pathak, R.C., Gangadhara, R.S., Scientific report of Ninth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.6, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1994, p.299-311, 5 refs.

Plants (botany), Climate control, Introduced plants, Cold weather construction, Modular construction, Antarctica—Maitri Station

During the 9th Indian expedition, a greenhouse was added to the main building of Maitri Station for the purpose of growing ornamental plants and some green vegetables on an experimental basis. The size of the greenhouse is 10.6 x 2.66 m; its location is such as to get a maximum sunlight-through-glass-house effect. Principle of modular construction has been adopted for selection of the size and structural components. An environmental control system, to simulate conditions suitable for plant growth in the severe climatic conditions of Antarctica, has been incorporated in the greenhouse. Temperature, humidity, oxidation, carbon dioxide, illumination, air change and pH value have been kept in mind while designing the systems. Construction details and plant growth data are given.

51-2093

Report 1994/1995.

Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research, Bremerhaven, Germany, Alfred Wegener Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, 275p., Publications generated by the science programs during the reporting period are listed on p.236-265.

Research projects, Atmospheric composition, Sea ice, Marine biology

The aim of scientific work carried out by the Alfred Wegener Institute is to identify and describe the main physical, chemical and biological processes in the polar regions, and to assess their importance for the global environment. This leads to close interaction and cross-fertilization between field investigations and numerical modelling. The conclusions arrived at through field work form the basis for numerical modelling of scenarios. With the help of the latter, it is possible to describe natural and anthropogenic environmental changes, and to assess potential long-term impacts. The research topics currently addressed at the Institute are grouped into the following three major areas: the coupled ocean-atmosphere-cryosphere system, marine ecosystems and the sediments of the polar seas and their continental boundaries. These three general research fields are investigated by the various scientific sections, each of which is dedicated to a specific discipline.

51-2094

Polar and glacial world.

Sugden, D., Totowa, NJ, Barnes and Noble Books, 1987, p.214-231, In "Horizons in physical geography", edited by M.J. Clark, K.J. Gregory, and A.M. Gurnell. 7 refs.

DLC GB54.5.H67 1987

Polar regions, Ice sheets, Oscillations, Geochronology

This review has focused on polar ice-sheets, whose inception and subsequent oscillations are the key to the creation and stability of today's polar environment. Oscillations of the ice-sheets which have characterized the Pleistocene Ice Age are the result of the amplification of orbitally induced cycles of solar radiation receipt. The response, which is complex, involves distinct ice-sheet components whose size and location determines their response to different limiting variables. Most progress in understanding ice-sheets has occurred in the last thirty years, based on the large-scale approach, the bold use of hypotheses, explicit use of assumptions and an interdisciplinary outlook. Both the intellectual and practical importance of the subject, and the freshness of its approach, fully justify its recognition as one of the highlights of physical geography over the past two decades.

51-2095

Geophysiology of natural marine sulfate aerosols.

Anderson, T.L., Charlson, R.J., *Atmospheric environment,* 1991, 25A(11), p.2445-2447, 34 refs.

DLC TD881.A818

Plankton, Water chemistry, Suspended sediments, Ice cores, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The hypothesis suggesting dimethyl sulfide (DMS) from oceanic phytoplankton as the dominant natural worldwide source of cloud condensation nuclei (CCN) is being tested in several ways. Studies ranging from the perturbation of cloud albedo by ship plumes to the sulfur content of antarctic ice cores have revealed much about the workings of the natural marine sulfur cycle and the mass flux of DMS-derived sulfur compounds. However, quantifying the relationship between DMS mass flux, or sulfate mass concentration, and CCN number remains as a major challenge. (Auth.)

51-2096

Genetic variation in populations of the arctic perennial *Pedicularis dasyantha* (Scrophulariaceae), on Svalbard, Norway.

Odasz, A.M., Savolainen, O., *American journal of botany,* Nov. 1996, 83(11), p.1379-1385, 53 refs.

Plants (botany), Plant ecology, Arctic landscapes, Vegetation patterns, Plant physiology, Plant tissues, Chemical analysis, Sampling, Statistical analysis, Norway—Svalbard

51-2097

Holocene tree-limit and climate history from the Scandes Mountains, Sweden.

Kullman, L., *Ecology,* Dec. 1995, 76(8), p.2490-2502, Refs. p.2500-2502.

Forest ecosystems, Plant ecology, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Insolation, Paleoecology, Subpolar regions, Forest lines, Vegetation patterns, Biomass, Sediments, Radioactive age determination, Statistical analysis, Sweden—Scandes Mountains

51-2098

Long-term stability of the boreal forest limit in subarctic Québec.

Lavoie, C., Payette, S., *Ecology,* June 1996, 77(4), p.1226-1233, 66 refs.

Paleoecology, Paleoclimatology, Subarctic landscapes, Peat, Soil analysis, Climatic changes, Forest ecosystems, Forest lines, Tundra terrain, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Forest lines, Stability, Radioactive age determination, Periodic variations, Correlation, Canada—Quebec

51-2099

Luxury uptake and storage of nitrogen in the rhizomatous alpine herb, *Bistorta bistortoides*.

Lipson, D.A., Bowman, W.D., Monson, R.K., *Ecology,* June 1996, 77(4), p.1277-1285, 32 refs.

Tundra vegetation, Plant ecology, Alpine tundra, Nutrient cycle, Meadow soils, Biomass, Plant tissues, Structural analysis, Sampling, Chemical analysis, Statistical analysis

51-2100

Secret of ice's slippery character.

Kestenbaum, D., *New scientist,* Dec. 21-28, 1996, 152(2061-2), p.16.

Ice physics, Sliding, Viscosity, Ice water interface, Surface properties, Water films, Scanning electron microscopy, Hydrogen bonds, Molecular energy levels, Vibration

51-2101

Icy stare. *New scientist,* Dec. 21-28, 1996, 152(2061-2), p.23, UK patent application 2 299 358.

Road icing, Sensors, Surface temperature, Ice detection, Temperature measurement, Light transmission, Warning systems

51-2102

From processing cosmic ices to optical communications.

Brown, W.L., *Nuclear instruments and methods in physics research B,* Aug. 1996, 116(1-4), International Conference on Radiation Effects in Insulators, 8th, Catania, Italy, Sep. 11-15, 1995, p.1-12, 17 refs.

Ice physics, Extraterrestrial ice, Ice dielectrics, Insulation, Ionization, Gamma irradiation, Radiation absorption, Molecular energy levels, Semiconductors (materials), Optical filters, Radio communication, Correlation

51-2103

Structural characteristic of irradiated and unirradiated ices.

Leto, G., Palumbo, M.E., Strazzulla, G., *Nuclear instruments and methods in physics research B,* Aug. 1996, 116(1-4), International Conference on Radiation Effects in Insulators, 8th, Catania, Italy, Sep. 11-15, 1995, p.49-52, 25 refs.

Ice physics, Extraterrestrial ice, Ice spectroscopy, Infrared spectroscopy, Spectra, Ice structure, Profiles, Radiation absorption, Phase transformations, Simulation

51-2104

Implantation of reactive and unreactive ions in silicates and ices.

Strazzulla, G., Brucato, J.R., Palumbo, M.E., Satorre, M.A., *Nuclear instruments and methods in physics research B,* Aug. 1996, 116(1-4), International Conference on Radiation Effects in Insulators, 8th, Catania, Italy, Sep. 11-15, 1995, p.289-293, 15 refs.

Extraterrestrial ice, Ice physics, Gamma irradiation, Radiation absorption, Ionization, Infrared spectroscopy, Ice spectroscopy, Spectra, Adsorption, Phase transformations, Solar radiation, Simulation

51-2105

Deice salt scaling resistance of steel-fiber-reinforced concrete.

Cantin, R., Pigeon, M., *Cement and concrete research,* Nov. 1996, 26(11), p.1639-1648, 9 refs.

Reinforced concretes, Composite materials, Concrete slabs, Concrete durability, Frost resistance, Chemical ice prevention, Degradation, Freeze thaw tests, Freezing points, Temperature effects, Air entrainment, Winter concreting

51-2106

CO_2 cycling in the coastal ocean. II. Seasonal organic loading of the Arctic Ocean from source waters in the Bering Sea.

Walsh, J.J., et al, *Continental shelf research,* Jan. 1997, 17(1), p.1-36, Refs. p.32-36.

Oceanography, Water transport, Sediment transport, Subpolar regions, Water chemistry, Carbon dioxide, Dispersions, Geochemical cycles, Ice cover effect, Sea ice distribution, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Models, Arctic Ocean, Bering Sea

51-2107

On the role of mechanical interactions in the steady-state gravity flow of a two-constituent mixture down an inclined plane.

Svendsen, B., Wu, T., Jöhnk, K., Hutter, K., *Royal Society of London. Proceedings. Series A,* May 8, 1996, 452(1948), p.1189-1205, 20 refs.

Glaciology, Glacier flow, Viscous flow, Velocity measurement, Glacial geology, Ice solid interface, Sedimentation, Gravity, Rheology, Saturation, Mathematical models, Thermodynamics

51-2108

Thermal conductivity of porous ice in hailstone shells.

Zheng, G.G., List, R., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.195-200, 29 refs.

Ice physics, Cloud physics, Hailstone structure, Hailstone growth, Thermal conductivity, Thermal diffusion, Ice heat flux, Porosity, Surface temperature, Temperature distribution, Ice air interface, Simulation

51-2109

Temperate ice permeability, stability of water veins and percolation of internal meltwater.

Lliboutry, L., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.201-211, 27 refs.

Glacial hydrology, Ice physics, Ice thermal properties, Glacier ice, Ice structure, Ice deterioration, Permeability, Meltwater, Capillarity, Seepage, Ice water interface, Mathematical models

51-2110
Diagnosing the imbalance of Glaciar Santa Rosa, Cordillera Raura, Peru.
Ames, A., Hastenrath, S., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.212-218, 14 refs.
Glacier mass balance, Glacial hydrology, Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Topographic surveys, Profiles, Glacier flow, Velocity measurement, Ice volume, Glacier melting, Periodic variations, Climatic factors, Peru—Santa Rosa Glacier

51-2111
Seismic-reflection evidence for a deep subglacial trough beneath Jakobshavns Isbræ, West Greenland.
Clarke, T.S., Echelmeyer, K., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.219-232, 39 refs.
Glacial geology, Glacier flow, Subglacial observations, Seismic reflection, Glacial erosion, Radio echo soundings, Bedrock, Crevasses, Basal sliding, Ice solid interface, Ice cover thickness, Shear stress, Topographic features, Greenland—Jakobshavns Isbræ

51-2112
Water storage and subglacial drainage conditions inferred from borehole measurements on Gornergletscher, Valais, Switzerland.
Iken, A., Fabri, K., Funk, M., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.233-248, 17 refs.
Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Meltwater, Subglacial drainage, Channels (waterways), Boreholes, Flow measurement, Water storage, Turbulent flow, Laminar flow, Damping, Oscillations, Analysis (mathematics), Switzerland—Gornergletscher

51-2113
Sea-ice motion in the Weddell Sea from drifting-buoy and AVHRR data.
Crane, D., Wadhams, P., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.249-254, 15 refs.
Sea ice distribution, Pack ice, Ice mechanics, Drift, Ice openings, Drift stations, Air ice water interaction, Ice mechanics, Wind factors, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
A study of sea ice in the northern Weddell Sea was done, relating the ice motion, determined using an array of satellite-tracked drifters, deployed into ice floes, to parameters describing the nature of the ice cover, obtained from an analysis of Advanced Very High Resolution Radiometer imagery. It was found that the ice motion was predominantly wind-driven, responding to the passage of low-pressure systems across the area. The nature of the ice motion was found to depend upon the lead parameters, with low values of pure convergence and divergence and larger values of vorticity and deformation of the ice field. The vorticity was found to be well correlated with the atmospheric pressure, with a time lag of less than 3 h, implying an almost instantaneous response of the ice cover to meteorological forcing. (Auth. mod.)

51-2114
Impurity influence on normal grain growth in the GISP2 ice core, Greenland.
Alley, R.B., Woods, G.A., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.255-260, 33 refs.
Ice sheets, Ice cores, Drill core analysis, Ice growth, Impurities, Fallout, Aerosols, Ice microstructure, Grain size, Stratification, Sampling, Thin sections, Statistical analysis, Greenland

51-2115
Structural evolution of Variegated Glacier, Alaska, U.S.A., since 1948.
Lawson, W., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.261-270, 25 refs.
Glacier oscillation, Glacier surges, Ice mechanics, Periodic variations, Glacier surveys, Photointerpretation, Crevasse detection, Shear properties, Mass transfer, Coalescence, Structural analysis, United States—Alaska—Variegated Glacier

51-2116
Melting, runoff and the formation of frozen lakes in a mixed snow and blue-ice field in Dronning Maud Land, Antarctica.
Winther, J.G., Elvehøy, H., Bøggild, C.E., Sand, K., Liston, G., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.271-278, 18 refs.
Icebound lakes, Lake ice, Ice formation, Ice melting, Runoff, Subglacial drainage, Colored ice, Ice air interface, Radiant cooling, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land
Large-scale melting phenomena such as meltwater drainage channels and meltwater accumulation basins or frozen lakes were surveyed on the land ice mass in Jutulgryta, Queen Maud Land, during the Norwegian Antarctic Research Expedition in 1989-90. The largest frozen lake that was observed was close to 1 km in width. These melting features were also detected in a Landsat Thematic Mapper image recorded on Feb. 12, 1990. Then, during 1993-94, a 5-year glaciological program was started in this area. In spite of negative air temperatures and the presence of a frozen ice surface, sub-surface melting and runoff were found within the uppermost meter in blue-ice fields. The subsurface melting is a consequence of solar radiative penetration and absorption within the ice, i.e. the "solid-state-greenhouse effect". Temperatures in blue ice were about 6°C higher than for snow. Studies of how melting features change with time can be valuable indicators of climate change. This ongoing program identifies the importance of analyzing how these melting features originate, of mapping their present areal distribution, of determining how sensitive they are to climate change and of studying changes in the past and possible changes in the future. (Auth. mod.)

51-2117
Interferometric radar observations of Glaciar San Rafael, Chile.
Rignot, E., Forster, R., Isacks, B., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.279-291, 37 refs.
Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Radar photography, Sensor mapping, Glacier flow, Velocity measurement, Topographic features, Image processing, Resolution, Polarization (waves), Chile—San Rafael Glacier

51-2118
Determination of timing and location of water movement and ice-layer formation by temperature measurements in sub-freezing snow.
Pfeffer, W.T., Humphrey, N.F., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.292-304, 39 refs.
Snow hydrology, Glacial hydrology, Metamorphism (snow), Wettability, Snow temperature, Heat loss, Snowmelt, Meltwater, Seepage, Water transport, Regelation, Stratification, Temperature measurement, Ice water interface, Stratigraphy

51-2119
Modelling albedo and specific balance of the Greenland ice sheet: calculations for the Søndre Strømfjord transect.
Zuo, Z., Oerlemans, J., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.305-317, 30 refs.
Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Profiles, Albedo, Glacial meteorology, Glacier ablation, Heat balance, Insolation, Radiation absorption, Mathematical models, Temperature effects, Snow ice interface, Greenland—Søndre Strømfjord

51-2120
Avalanche forecasting—an expert system approach.
Schweizer, J., Föhn, P.M.B., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.318-332, 37 refs.
Avalanche forecasting, Computerized simulation, Computer programs, Computer applications, Models, Statistical analysis, Data processing, Accuracy, Performance, Meteorological factors, Snow cover stability

51-2121
Visible and near-infrared reflectivity during the ablation period on Peyto Glacier, Alberta, Canada.
Cutler, P.M., Munro, D.S., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, 42(141), p.333-340, 40 refs.
Glacier mass balance, Glacier ablation, Ice composition, Impurities, Solar radiation, Reflectivity, Albedo, Ice optics, Snow optics, Spectra, Topographic effects, Canada—Alberta—Peyto Glacier

51-2122
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51-2187

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51-2188

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51-2189

Deflection analysis of radially cracked floating ice sheets.

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Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Crack propagation, Mathematical models

A deflection analysis of radially cracked floating ice sheets by the finite element method is presented. The results of this analysis are used to obtain the elastic energy release rate (or the crack extension force) for radial cracks that form when the maximum stress in an intact ice sheet exceeds the flexural strength of the ice. The elastic energy release rate goes to zero when the radial cracks are about two times the characteristic length of a floating ice sheet. The lengths of the radial cracks obtained from this analysis are in agreement with those observed during full-scale and small-scale experiments.

51-2190

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51-2191

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Route surveys, Expeditions, History, Northern Sea Route

51-2192

Snowmelt, energy balance, and prediction: Mormon Mountain, Arizona.

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Snow surveys, Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Mathematical models, Computerized simulation, United States—Arizona—Mogollon Rim

51-2193

Removal of obscurant cloud particles by falling snow.

Cragin, J.H., Hewitt, A.D., MP 3946, Smoke/Obscurants Symposium, 11th, Laurel, MD, Apr. 21-23, 1987. Proceedings. Vol.3. Unclassified section, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD, Office of the Project Manager Smoke/Obscurants, 1987, p.619-635, 8 refs.

Falling snow, Snowflakes, Snow optics, Scavenging, Visibility, Smoke generators, Military operation

Experiments conducted within a smoke chamber show that the average scavenging efficiency of several different types of snowflakes and ice crystals for infrared screener EA5763 is approximately 30%. This high efficiency produces rapid obscurant cloud clearing for high mass precipitation rates. Model calculations predict cloud half-lives of 2-20 minutes for snow precipitation rates of 2.5 to 0.5 cm/hr. Scavenging efficiencies are higher for three-dimensional crystals such as spatial dendrites than for planar crystals such as stellars and hexagonal plates. The primary scavenging mechanism for this screener is inertial impaction and it is expected that other obscurants of similar particle size distributions would be scavenged by the same mechanism with comparable efficiency.

51-2194

Smoke-snow synergism.

Farmer, W.M., Gerard, S., Cragin, J.H., MP 3947, Smoke/Obscurants Symposium, 11th, Laurel, MD, Apr. 21-23, 1987. Proceedings. Vol.3. Unclassified section, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD, Office of the Project Manager Smoke/Obscurants, 1987, p.637-649, 4 refs.

Falling snow, Snowflakes, Snow optics, Scavenging, Visibility, Smoke generators, Military operation

Synergistic effects between smoke and snow can drastically alter how smokes/obscurants performed under winter conditions compared to predictions based on obscurant characteristics under temperate weather conditions. Effects such as snowflake scavenging of smoke/obscurant particles, contrast effects on imaging systems, and disorientation of personnel operating white smoke in a snow background can synergistically work in a snow/cold environment to improve or degrade smoke/obscurant performance. A summary of existing data relative to smoke/snow synergistic effects, an analysis of the parameters that should be measured to evaluate smoke particle scavenging by snow, and the potential operation effects of scavenging are presented. Results of the analysis reveal potentially significant increases in transmittance levels as a result of snow scavenging of smoke particles. Tests being conducted by the Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory to acquire data for evaluating the scavenging capability of snow indicate that because of scavenging effects, significantly higher smoke/obscurant concentrations may be required in snow or cold weather over those normally used for effective warm weather obscuration.

51-2195

Role of ALBE in smoke and obscurants.

Aitken, G.W., Hogan, A.W., Seagraves, M.A., MP 3948, Smoke/Obscurants Symposium, 11th, Laurel, MD, Apr. 21-23, 1987. Proceedings. Vol.3. Unclassified section, Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD, Office of the Project Manager Smoke/Obscurants, 1987, p.737-743.

Environment simulation, Computerized simulation, Topographic surveys, Terrain identification, Weather forecasting, Military operation, Research projects

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers initiated the AirLand Battlefield Environment (ALBE) program to focus and coordinate Army technology base efforts in the areas of atmospheric, terrestrial and topographic sciences to ensure that the resulting research products are effectively exploited in the research, development and acquisition process and in combat operations. These tech base efforts include many related to smoke and obscurants.

51-2196

Travel to US field stations in Antarctica in preparation for environmental impact studies.

Webb, J.W., Easterly, C.E., *Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Foreign trip report,* Mar. 24, 1993, ORNL/FTR-4552, 14p., DE93 011815.

Logistics, Stations, Maintenance, Waste disposal, Environmental impact, Antarctica—McMurdo Station, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

The trip covered the period from Jan. 4 through Feb. 22, 1993. The travelers visited Antarctica at the request of the National Science Foundation (NSF) for the purpose of gaining firsthand knowledge of the major environmental issues related to the US antarctic research activities and support operations. The NSF's activities were evaluated under the requirements of the Madrid Protocol that Antarctica be protected for its own intrinsic value and its unique usefulness for future scientific research. The visit was planned to augment and extend investigations undertaken in Oct. and Nov. 1992. Several activities in the vicinity of McMurdo Station and Amundsen-Scott Station were surveyed for possible future environmental impact analyses. (Auth. mod.)

51-2197

Prototype system to support helicopter tracking operations.

Croteau, K., Harris, C., *GIS world,* Aug. 1996, 9(8), p.42-45, 2 refs.

Helicopters, Aircraft landing areas, Logistics, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Tracking a helicopter fleet, passengers, and cargo in a potentially hazardous antarctic environment can be a challenge. Researchers at the International Centre for Antarctic Information and Research, Christchurch, New Zealand, developed the Helicopter Operations Tracking System (HOTS), a prototype information system to manage, query and display data related to helicopter operations at Antarctica's largest center of helicopter operations: the U.S. Antarctic Program at McMurdo Station. HOTS links GIS (Geographic Information Systems) to a relational database to analyze operational data and produce informative graphs, tables and maps in and for the McMurdo/Scott Base, Dry Valleys, Mount Erebus, and near Victoria Land region.

51-2198

Risk-equivalent seasonal discharge programs for ice-covered rivers. Discussion.

Ferrick, M.G., Calkins, D.J., MP 3949, *Journal of water resources planning and management,* Nov.-Dec. 1996, 122(6), p.442-444, 3 refs. For pertinent paper see 49-5730.

River flow, Flow control, Water chemistry, Oxygen, Aeration, River ice, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Models, Accuracy

Models of dissolved oxygen (DO) in rivers covered by ice are not yet well established in the literature. The authors modeled the DO response of a 92 km reach of the St. John River using Streeter-Phelps (1958). Based on the results of this model, they concluded that the summer season for this river always had more critical DO conditions than the ice-covered season. However, the authors used minimal data to calibrate their model, simulated a very short river reach in which a DO minimum may not occur, and did not present any data for verification of model results and support of conclusions derived from it. Four primary issues are addressed in this discussion: (1) the assumptions and limitations of the Streeter-Phelps model; (2) existing ice-covered river data for model evaluation; (3) the appropriate hydraulic representation for ice-covered rivers; and (4) available data for the study reach of the St. John River.

51-2199

Seasonal cycle of phytoplankton, macronutrients, and the microbial community in a nearshore antarctic marine ecosystem.

Clarke, A., Leakey, R.J.G., *Limnology and oceanography,* Sep. 1996, 41(6), p.1281-1294, Refs. p.1292-1294.

Marine biology, Fast ice, Plankton, Ecosystems, Biomass, Nutrient cycle, Chlorophylls, Water chemistry, Sampling, Hydrography, Water temperature, Seasonal variations, Subglacial observations, Antarctica—Signy Island

Seawater chlorophyll *a* concentration and temperature have been measured weekly from Dec. 1988 to Aug. 1994 at a nearshore shallow-water station at Signy I. in the maritime Antarctic. Macronutrients were measured monthly, and the microbial community was enumerated during a 15-month period. The duration of winter sea-ice, summer seawater temperature, and peak chlorophyll biomass all exhibited strong interannual variability. Seasonal macronutrient patterns suggested a preferential utilization of ammonium at the start of spring followed by a major utilization of nitrate by the summer diatom bloom. The microbial community was complex and showed a clear seasonality in all components, although the timing of the summer bloom differed between taxa. This study emphasizes the complex nature of the nearshore marine ecosystem and highlights the need for year-round oceanographic studies in the highly seasonal polar marine environment. (Auth. mod.)

51-2200

Determining the impact-failure parameters of frozen soil.

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51-2201

Mesoscale and microscale structures of snow clouds over the Sea of Japan. Part 3: two types of circulations in snow bands associated with a wind-speed-increase zone preceding cold-air outbreaks.

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Synoptic meteorology, Marine meteorology, Cloud physics, Mass transfer, Snowfall, Atmospheric boundary layer, Radio echo soundings, Stratification, Air flow, Wind velocity, Shear flow, Japan, Sea

51-2202

Influence of topography on snowpatch distribution in southern Iceland: a new hypothesis for glacier formation?

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Glacier formation, Glacier oscillation, Snow accumulation, Nivation, Nival relief, Snow cover distribution, Cirques, Topographic effects, Spaceborne photography, Sensor mapping, Infrared photography, Iceland

51-2203

Moraine development at the high-arctic valley glacier Pedersenbreen, Svalbard.

Bennett, M.R., Huddart, D., Hambrey, M.J., Ghienne, J.F., *Geografiska annaler,* 1996, 78A(4), p.209-222, Refs. p.221-222.

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51-2204

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51-2205

Example of supercooled drizzle drops formed through a collision-coalescence process.

Cober, S.G., Strapp, J.W., Isaac, G.A., *Journal of applied meteorology,* Dec. 1996, 35(12), p.2251-2260, 33 refs.

Cloud physics, Ice formation, Aerial surveys, Probes, Particles, Sampling, Supercooled clouds, Cloud droplets, Microstructure, Coalescence, Condensation, Drops (liquids), Aircraft icing, Ice water interface

51-2206

New formulation for the critical temperature for contrail formation.

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Cloud physics, Atmospheric composition, Condensation trails, Jet engines, Ice formation, Air temperature, Turbulent diffusion, Atmospheric pressure, Temperature effects, Mathematical models, Forecasting

51-2207

Principal components analysis of arctic ice conditions between 1978 and 1987 as observed from the SMMR data record.

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Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Seasonal variations, Ice surveys, Remote sensing, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Image processing, Data processing, Resolution, Arctic Ocean

51-2208
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Frozen liquids, Hydrocarbons, Natural gas, Optical properties, Radiation absorption, Spectra, Brightness, Infrared spectroscopy, Extraterrestrial ice, Simulation, Standards

51-2210
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51-2211
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51-2212
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51-2213
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51-2214
Evaluation of protective coatings for the *in situ* preservation of historic timber buildings in a harsh antarctic environment.
Hughes, J., Materials issues in art and archeology III. Vol.267. Symposium held Apr. 27-May 1, 1992, San Fransico, CA, USA. Edited by P.B. Vandiver, J.R. Druzik, G.S. Wheeler, and I.C. Freestone, Pittsburgh, PA, Materials Research Society, 1992, p.981-988, 10 refs.
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Buildings, Wooden structures, Low temperature tests, Damage, Wind factors, Antarctica—Commonwealth Bay, Antarctica—Denison, Cape
The Australasian Antarctic Expedition base at Commonwealth Bay, also known as 'Mawson's Huts' include some of the earliest buildings in Antarctica. The prefabricated timber buildings of Oregon beams and Baltic Pine *(Pinus sylvestris)* claddings were erected in Jan. 1912 and were occupied for two years: they are thus approximately contemporary with the better known Scott and Shackleton huts near McMurdo Base in the Ross Sea. While the huts are of recent date, the rapid rate of deterioration due to the extreme climate means there is some urgency to developing a method of preserving the building. The timbers have been seriously corroded by snow particles carried in the katabatic winds which can exceed 300 km/hour, sometimes for days. The isolation of the site, accessible by sea for only three months of the year adds to the logistical difficulties. There has been considerable public debate in Australia about which method of preservation is appropriate. (Auth. mod.)

51-2215
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51-2217
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Houses, Walls, Moisture detection, Weatherproofing, Vapor barriers, Thermal insulation, Canada

51-2219
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Houses, Windows, Indoor climates, Climate control, Weatherproofing, Humidity, Moisture transfer, Protective coatings

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Houses, Walls, Vapor barriers, Building codes, Standards, Canada

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Houses, Indoor climates, Climate control, Ventilation, Heat recovery, Standards

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Houses, Indoor climates, Climate control, Humidity, Moisture transfer, Ventilation, Thermal insulation, Vapor barriers, Weatherproofing, Canada

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Houses, Walls, Indoor climates, Climate control, Ventilation, Thermal insulation, Vapor barriers

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Residential buildings, Houses, Indoor climates, Climate control, Ventilation, Air leakage, Poland

51-2230

Photochemistry of chlorine dioxide in polycrystalline ice (T=140—185 K): production of chloryl chloride, Cl—(OClO).

Pursell, C.J., Conyers, J., Denison, C., *Journal of physical chemistry,* Sep. 19, 1996, 100(38), p.15450-15453, 17 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Cloud physics, Ice vapor interface, Ice formation, Ice spectroscopy, Photochemical reactions, Heterogeneous nucleation, Simulation, Temperature effects, Phase transformations

In a simulation pertinent to antarctic ozone depletion the photochemistry of chlorine dioxide, OClO, in polycrystalline ice has been investigated at T=140-185 K using FTIR and UV-vis spectroscopy. Photolysis with ultraviolet light at 360 nm produced chloryl chloride, Cl-(OClO). The proposed mechanism for the formation of Cl-(OClO) involves photolysis of OClO to Cl+O_2 followed by migration of the Cl to a nonphotolyzed OClO. While clustering of the OClO may play a role in the formation of the product, experimental evidence indicates that the OClO prefers to exist as a monomer solvated by the water. These results have potential implications for stratospheric ozone loss: under the very dilute conditions that would exist on polar stratospheric ice particles, the photochemical conversion of OClO to Cl+O_2 would represent a new source of Cl atoms for ozone depletion. (Auth. mod.)

51-2231

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51-2232

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51-2233

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51-2234

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Atmospheric disturbances, Lightning, Forest fires, Alpine landscapes, Forest ecosystems, Damage, Moisture, Atmospheric pressure, Climatic factors, Synoptic meteorology, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Weather observations

51-2235

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Oceanographic surveys, Paleoecology, Ocean currents, Marine geology, Ice shelves, Glacial deposits, Sediments, Sediment transport, Ecosystems, Sampling, Geochemical cycles, Lithology, Norway—Svalbard

51-2236

Productivity cycles of 200-300 years in the Antarctic Peninsula region: understanding linkages among the sun, atmosphere, oceans, sea ice, and biota.

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The authors present a multiproxy record from a sediment core retrieved from a deep basin on the western side of the Antarctic Peninsula that reveals a dramatic perspective on paleoclimatic changes over the past 3700 yr. Analyses completed include measurement of magnetic susceptibility and granulometry, bed thickness, particle size, percent organic carbon, bulk density, and microscopic evaluation of diatom and benthic foraminiferal assemblages and abundances. Downcore variability of these parameters demonstrates the significance of both short-term cycles, which recur approximately every 200 yr, and longer term events (approx. 2500 yr cycles) that are most likely related to global climatic fluctuations. Overall elevated productivity is noted below 600 cm, or prior to ca. 2500 yr B.P. This increased productivity may represent the tail end of a Holocene climatic optimum, which is widely recognized in other parts of the world, but as yet is poorly documented in Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

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51-2243

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51-2245

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Snowmelt, Reservoirs, Dams, Suspended sediments, Alluvium, Bottom sediment, Sediment transport, River flow, Flow control, Flood control, Irrigation, Switzerland

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51-2257

Excitation of the 5-day wave by Antarctica.

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Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Climatology, Stratosphere, Weather forecasting, Wave propagation, Periodic variations, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

The 5-day wave has been detected in composite maps of geopotential height fields of European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts dataset for 7 years (1984-91, except 1985) and shows a characteristic northwest-southeast meridional phase tilt in the Southern Hemisphere. A numerical integration of Laplace's tidal equations with periodic forcing of zonal wavenumber 1 only produced the meridional phase tilt where the forcing is located in high latitudes. Such a forcing is created through coupling of the time-fluctuating westerlies with the topography of Antarctica. Numerical simulations that incorporated this mechanism reproduced the observed meriodional phase tilt of the 5-day wave, which suggests that Antarctica is responsible for the observed phase tilt through the process of resonance. A linear theory on the meridional phase tilt is given with a nondivergent barotropic model that includes both forcing and dissipation. (Auth.)

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51-2259

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DLC TD890.A365

Clouds (meteorology), Cloud height indicators, Lidar, Design, Performance, Transmissivity, Snowfall, Snow optics, Light scattering, Backscattering

51-2260

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51-2261

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DLC TD890.A365

Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Lidar, Sounding, Aerosols, Ice detection, Scattering, Attenuation, Polarization (waves)

51-2262

Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica.

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DLC G850.I53 I53

Low temperature research, Research projects, Expeditions

This technical report gives details of the work carried out by members of the Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, from Nov. 1985 to Mar. 1986, in the following disciplines: geology, glaciology, marine biology, meteorology, geophysics, radiophysics, geomagnetism, use of non-conventional sources of energy, remote sensing and logistics. Thirty-eight papers are included.

51-2263
Magnetic and seismic investigations on the ice-shelf around the Indian permanent station in Antarctica.
Jain, S.C., Dhar, R., Reddy, K.N.S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.151-155, 4 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Ice shelves, Magnetic surveys, Seismic surveys, Geophysical surveys, Explosives, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
Results of magnetic and seismic investigations around the Dakshin Gangotri Station have established the usefulness of geophysical tools in delineating sub-shelf structures. Of the explosives tried so far for selecting a suitable energy source for seismic studies, Low Temperature Plastic Explosives (LTPE) developed by ERDL, Pashan, were found to be the best under sub-zero climatic conditions of Antarctica. (Auth.)

51-2264
Oxygen isotope studies in Antarctica.
Nijampurkar, V.N., Bhattacharya, S.K., Mukerji, S., Singh, R.K., Srivastava, D., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.171-179, 8 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Snow composition, Ice composition, Glacier ice, Lake ice, Sea ice, Oxygen isotopes, Antarctica—Schirmacher Ponds, Antarctica—Maitri Station
$\delta^{18}O$ measurements of fresh snow, surface ice, shallow ice cores, old ice from the Maitree glacier and fresh water lakes from Schirmacher Ponds and Wohlthat Mountains have been carried out. The mean $\delta^{18}O$ values in fresh snow and surface are around -19 per mill; the old glacier ice and mean values of 18 lake ice samples were -42 and -26 per mill, respectively. The mean annual surface air temperature precipitation of fresh snow and surface ice samples is calculated to be -7°C. The mean values of -19 per mill in fresh snow/ice, -26 per mill in Schirmacher Hills and -42 per mill in old ice of Maitree glacier suggest that the Schirmacher Lakes receive 70% contribution from fresh snow/ice meltwater and about 30% from Maitree glacier old ice meltwater. No systematic cyclic variations have been observed in the 3 shallow ice cores collected from the shelf ice and iceberg. (Auth.)

51-2265
Polar fallout of radioisotopes ^{32}Si, ^{7}Be, ^{210}Pb, ^{137}Cs and ^{239}Pu at Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica.
Nijampurkar, V.N., Rao, D.K., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.181-188, 16 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Radioactive isotopes, Snow composition, Ice composition, Fallout, Radioactive age determination, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
Radioisotope concentrations were measured in snow samples of the shelf ice near Dakshin Gangotri Station. The annual fallout of cosmic ray produced ^{32}Si—the first measurement of its kind in Antarctica—is estimated to be 3 x 10^{-5} dpm/cm^2/yr, which corresponds to the global production rate of ^{32}Si to be 0.8 x 10^{-4} atoms/cm^2/sec, using half-life of ^{32}Si to be 140 years. This estimate is lower than that calculated by Lal and Peters (1967) which suggests that the life of ^{32}Si is closer to 270 yrs as observed by geophysical methods. The fallout of the other natural radioisotope ^{7}Be and ^{210}Pb are consistent with the earlier work. As expected, the fallout of artificial radioisotopes ^{137}Cs and ^{239}Pu are an order of magnitude lower than the peak production during the nuclear explosions tests conducted during the last 3 decades. (Auth.)

51-2266
Snow accumulation and ablation pattern on ice shelf near Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica, and development of fast ice off Dakshin Gangotri.
Singh, R.K., Mukerji, S., Srivastava, D., Kaul, M.K., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.189-204, 2 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Snow accumulation, Ablation, Ice shelves, Fast ice, Ice formation, Ice density, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
Variations in the accumulation and ablation patterns of snow of the shelf ice around Dakshin Gangotri Station defined by the wind direction and wind force were studied in the summers of 1985-86 and 1986-87 and in the intervening winter period. The net accumulation of snow/firn recorded was of the order of 18.51 gm/cm^2 of water equivalent in a calendar year. The average density of snow/firn was 0.37 gm/cm^3. Maximum development of fast ice was observed in the month of Jan. 1987 and its average density was recorded as 0.50 gm/cm^3. The maximum ram hardness was of the order of 37 kg. (Auth. mod.)

51-2267
Observations on the changes in the snout of Dakshin Gangotri Glacier, Antarctica.
Kaul, M.K., Singh, R.K., Srivastava, D., Mukerji, S., Jayaram, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.205-209, 1 ref.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Glacier oscillation, Glacier melting, Glacial lakes, Meltwater, Antarctica—Schirmacher Hills
A small polar ice tongue, named Dakshin Gangotri Glacier during the Second Indian Expedition to Antarctica (1982-83), was studied to determine any secular movement the glacier has undergone since 1983. Repeat mapping of the snout was carried out by EDM (electronic distance measuring unit) in 1986 and 1987. Results obtained are compared to those obtained during earlier studies. (Auth.)

51-2268
Some observations on the glacial geomorphological features of Wohlthat Mountains, central Queen Maud Land, Antarctica.
Srivastava, D., Kaul, M.K., Singh, R.K., Mukerji, S., Jayaram, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.211-218, 3 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Glacial geology, Geomorphology, Limnology, Moraines, Glaciation, Topographic features, Ice sheets, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains
The part of central Queen Maud Land, at the Dakshin Gangotri Station's shelf and about 200 km inland, encompasses four distinct geomorphological units: the shelf area, the piedmont zone, the mountain barrier and the polar ice plateau. Glacial geomorphological features of the mountain barrier, formed by the Wohlthat Mountains, were studied during the Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica and are described in this paper. The prominent features include the differential relief, various types of moraines, wind scoops and desert weathering (honeycomb features). Level of glaciation has been inferred and several features associated with deglaciation are described. (Auth.)

51-2269
Glaciochemical studies in Antarctica.
Nijampurkar, V.N., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.219-224, 10 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Snow composition, Ice composition, Lake water, Water chemistry, Meltwater, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains
Concentrations of some major ions (Na, K, Cl) and heavy metals (Fe, Co, Ni, Ca, Mg, Zn, Cu, Pb and Cd) of 10 snow, ice and lake water samples collected near Dakshin Gangotri Station were determined. The concentrations of major ions are normalized to Na. These ratios, similar to those of seawater, indicate that the snow/ice/lake water samples are influenced by marine salts. High Cl/Na ratios were found in Maitree glacier ice and Wohlthat lake water. The concentrations of heavy metals Zn, Cu, Pb, Cd, Co, Ni were below the detection limit indicating no significant anthropogenic contribution in the region investigated. (Auth. mod.)

51-2270
Radioactivity studies in Antarctica.
Nijampurkar, V.N., Rao, D.K., Kaul, M.K., Mukerji, S., Singh, R.K., Srivastava, D., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.225-233, 6 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Ice cores, Radioactivity, Snow composition, Snow accumulation, Ice composition, Lake water, Water chemistry, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
The variation of ^{7}Be, ^{210}Pb, ^{137}Cs and total beta activity has been studied in antarctic shallow ice core samples (up to 9 m depth), fresh snow, surface ice samples and fresh lakewater samples collected near the Dakshin Gangotri Station. Based on the ^{210}Pb, ^{137}Cs and total beta activity measurements in shallow ice core samples, past accumulation rate of snow has been estimated to be 13.5 g/cm^2/yr (0.3 m/yr). (Auth.)

51-2271
Glacier inventory of Wohlthat Mountain chain, Queen Maud Land, Antarctica.
Srivastava, D., Kaul, M.K., Singh, R.K., Mukerji, S., Jayaram, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.235-245, 3 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Glaciers, Distribution, Classifications, Altitude, Mapping, Glacier surveys, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains
The paper summarizes the results of glacier surveys carried out in the Wohlthat Mountains lying between 9°-14°E and 71°10'-72°S. The inventory is based on a 1:250,000 scale topographic map, Landsat imagery, reconnaissance vertical aerial photography during 1985-86 expedition, and limited ground checks. A total of 122 glaciers have been identified, numbered and classified. (Auth.)

51-2272
Ice flow conditions in the ice sheet draining part of the central Queen Maud Land, East Antarctica.
Kaul, M.K., Singh, R.K., Srivastava, D., Mukerji, S., Jayaram, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.247-256, 4 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Ice sheets, Flow rate, Glacier surfaces, Glacier flow, Ice shelves, Calving, Bedrock, Rheology, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land
The present-day ice flow conditions of central Queen Maud Land have been studied to determine the dynamics of this segment of antarctic ice sheet. The flow direction of the inland polar ice, as observed in the field, and the location of the grounding line is demarcated, based on surface studies. Coordination of 4 stakes fixed on the margin of the inland ice on experimental basis, has revealed movement of the ice varying from a minimum of 0.031 m to a maximum of 1.91 m per day, based on 1-year observations. The outline of a part of shelf ice surveyed (Jan.-Feb. 1986) and compared with the satellite imagery of 1975, shows very little change. (Auth. mod.)

51-2273
Meteorological studies at Antarctica during the period March, 1986 to February, 1987.
Rao, T.V.P.B., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.259-281, 2 refs.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Weather observations, Meteorological data, Weather stations, Meteorological instruments, Snowstorms, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
A permanently manned meteorological observatory was established at Dakshin Gangotri Station during the 3rd Indian expedition to Antarctica, for continuous recording of meteorological parameters. Monthly averages and extreme values of pressure, temperature, wind speed and monthly blizzard frequency are given for the period Mar. 1, 1986 to Feb. 15, 1987. Analysis shows that Jan. 1987 was the warmest, and July 1986, the coldest month with average temperatures of -1.9°C and -30.3°C, respectively. During the previous two winters, Aug. was the coldest month, with average monthly temperatures of -32.6°C (1984) and -33°C (1985). The monthly average temperatures in Jan. 1985 and 1986 were -2.2°C and -3.0°C, respectively. (Auth. mod.)

51-2274
Blizzard storms: coastal regions of Indian antarctic station, Dakshin Gangotri (1985-1986 summer).
Sharma, A.C., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.283-287.
DLC G850.I53 I53
Weather observations, Weather forecasting, Meteorological data, Snowstorms, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station
The 5th Indian expedition experienced one of the worst summer seasons in Antarctica. Out of a total stay of 69 days at Dakshin Gangotri Station the occurrence of either blizzards or strong winds was recorded on 45 days. Weather forecasts based on the available instruments made it possible to accomplish the various assigned tasks. In this paper, a systematic synoptic study of weather conditions, highlighting the blizzard storms at Dakshin Gangotri Station in the summer of 1985-86, is discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2275

Automatic weather station at Dakshin Gangotri, Antarctica.

Apte, N.Y., Rao, T.V.P.B., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.289-297, 2 refs.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Weather stations, Meteorological instruments, Weather observations, Low temperature research, Cold weather construction, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

The India Meteorological Department has set up an automatic weather station known as Data Collection Platform (DCP) at Dakshin Gangotri Station during the 5th Indian expedition. The weather parameters at each GMT hour are sensed by the system and transmitted to the Meteorological Data Utilisation Centre at New Delhi on real time basis, through Indian National Satellite (INSAT-1B). In this paper, a detailed description of the data collection platform system, the sensors used in the system and the difficulties experienced during installation of this system are highlighted. The data received from DCP is compared with manual observations recorded at the station. The results are found to be encouraging. The difficulties arising in maintaining the system in extreme weather are also discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2276

Typical meteorological and oceanological situations encountered during the Fifth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica (1985-86).

Singh, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.303-308, 4 refs.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Weather observations, Meteorological data, Storms, Sea ice distribution, Polynyas, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

During the 5th Indian expedition, round the clock meteorological data were collected on board the MV *Thuleland*, to and from Antarctica, and during the stay in a polynya near Dakshin Gangotri Station. The paper highlights some of the prominent meteorological conditions encountered, including two severe storms during the ship's return journey. Extreme values of meteorological parameters recorded in the polynya are also given. (Auth. mod.)

51-2277

Seasonal variation in particulate organic matter and its constituent fractions under the ice covered sea near the shelf, Antarctica.

Dhargalkar, V.K., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.331-339, Refs. p.337-339.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Marine biology, Particles, Plankton, Ice cover effect, Antarctica—Princess Astrid Coast

Particulate organic matter (POM) collected at a single station in the shelf waters of Princess Astrid Coast from May to Dec. 1986 was analyzed for chl *a*, POC and other constituent fractions at 3 discrete depths. Chl *a* concentration at all the 3 depths varied from 0.026 to 0.253 µg/l showing minimum values during Aug.-Sep. POC values varied from 280 to 1058 µg/l while its constituent fractions such as particulate carbohydrates (PCHO), particulate proteins (PP) and particulate lipids (PL) varied from 14 to 193, 6 to 200 and 8 to 174 µg/l, respectively. Significant correlation existed between POC and chl *a*, PP and PL at 10 m depth. This was in contrast to PCHO and chl *a*. The components studied showed seasonal variation suggesting that the sea ice microalgae and planktonic organisms contribute substantially to particulate organic carbon. (Auth.)

51-2278

Remote sensed data analysis for geology and glacial geology of Wohlthat Muhlig-Hofmann mountain chain in Queen Maud Land, East Antarctica.

Nath, A.N., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.385-418, 6 refs.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Remote sensing, Ice surveys, Sea ice, Ice sheets, Subglacial drainage, Glacial geology, Topographic surveys, Mapping, Imaging, Antarctica—Wohlthat Mountains, Antarctica—Mühlig-Hofmann Mountains

During the Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, aerial surveys were conducted over the Schirmacher Hills and Gruber and Petermann massives in eastern part of the Wohlthat Mountains. Spectral signatures of sea-ice, fast-ice, shelf-ice, continental-ice and lithological units were collected. Maps on a 1:250,000 scale for the region covering the area from 3°E to 21°E were prepared. The main drainage glaciers, the local glaciers and their associated morainic deposits were identified. Sastrugi fields, nunataks, solid crystalline blue ice fields, their distribution, melt water channels, and grounded ice have been demarcated. Thermal mapping of Schirmacher Hills was also conducted. Digital analysis to classify the rock types, to enhance the structural features, to differentiate the occurrence of various types of ice sheets and locate the solid crystalline ice fields which are typically associated with nunataks and mountains, has been carried out. (Auth. mod.)

51-2279

Clothing for Antarctica.

Chatterjee, G.N., Agarwal, R.P., Tandon, V.K., Banerjee, B.K., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.421-432, Refs. p.431-432.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Low temperature research, Clothing, Thermal insulation, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

The experience of the members of the Fifth Indian Expedition with clothing for antarctica, developed and supplied by the Indian Defence Research and Development organization, is described. The optimum requirements of clothing in Antarctica (at locations of Indian activities) are discussed. The clothing supplied has been found to meet their thermal protection needs during the antarctic winter adequately. (Auth. mod.)

51-2280

Fracture and fatigue studies on mild and structural steels for use in Antarctica.

Vijayakar, S., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.433-441, 1 ref.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Steels, Steel structures, Low temperature research, Fatigue (materials), Fracturing, Hardness tests, Cold weather tests, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Schirmacher Hills

This study was intended to determine the usability of ordinary mild and structural steels in antarctic climatic conditions. An attempt was made to improve the fatigue and fracture toughness characteristics of such metals for the above use. The effect of hydrogen removal on the Kpop-in value and the resulting fatigue crack growth rate and fatigue life of the metal specimen were determined. An improvement in pop-in characteristics has been found. (Auth.)

51-2281

Experiments on harnessing non-conventional energy sources in Antarctica.

Ramakrishnan, K.C., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.445-453, 1 refs.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Low temperature research, Cold weather construction, Cold weather tests, Solar radiation, Meteorological factors, Wind power generation, Albedo, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Schirmacher Hills

During the Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, an experimental model of the Solar Photovoltaic (SPV) system designed and developed by the Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited was tested at Dakshin Gangotri Station and the Schirmacher Hills. This paper discusses the experimental results. Performance of the system was found to be better in Antarctica compared to that in India. Possible reasons for this, and the effect of albedo on the SPV system performance, is also discussed. Due to lack of data on the solar radiation components and other few meteorological parameters for the period of testing, the experimental results are mostly confined to qualitative analysis. A feasibility study for the wind energy conversion system was also carried out. (Auth. mod.)

51-2282

Mineralising snow-melt water.

Banerjee, B.K., Scientific report of Fifth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.5, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1988, p.457-464, 10 refs.

DLC G850.I53 I53

Water supply, Meltwater, Minerals, Admixtures, Water chemistry, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

In Antarctica, due to poor thirst drive and lack of taste in the local freshwater, the water needs of the human body tend to get neglected. Synthetic mineral tablets were developed by the Defence Laboratory, Jodhpur to restore the taste to snowmelt water. The treated water was subjected to a practical user trial in Antarctica during the 5th expedition with favorable results. Most of the expedition members liked the taste of the mineralized water and found it satisfying. (Auth.)

51-2283

Sedimentological study of the sea bottom sediments in and around the Ross Sea continental shelf, Antarctica.

Nishimura, A., Yuasa, M., Nakasone, T., Nakahara, M., Ioka, N., NIPR Symposium on Antarctic Geosciences, Proceedings. No.9, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.117-126, 18 refs.

Marine geology, Bottom sediment, Glacial geology, Stratigraphy, Antarctica—Ross Sea

Sediment cores collected in and around the Ross Sea are described and discussed based on visual observations, sedimentary structures, magnetic susceptibility, sand contents, and water content. On the Ross Sea continental shelf, the core sequences contain two lithologic units, soft diatomaceous mud in the upper and compound glaciomarine sediments in the lower. The lower lithologic unit suggests that ice-sheet-influenced sedimentation existed in glacial times in the Ross Sea. The core sequences on the continental slope and deep-sea basins off the Ross Sea comprise foraminiferal ooze, siliceous mud, and terrigenous mud, sometimes with laminated parts. The laminated parts of the core sequences suggest that strengthened bottom water influenced sedimentation, probably in glacial times. The sedimentary environment in the Late Quaternary is reconstructed based on the core data. (Auth.)

51-2284

Areal and vertical variation of heavy mineral composition of the surface sediments, Ross Sea, Antarctica.

Tokuhashi, S., Agyingi, C.M., Nishimura, A., NIPR Symposium on Antarctic Geosciences, Proceedings. No.9, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.127-140, 18 refs.

Marine geology, Bottom sediment, Minerals, Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Glacier flow, Antarctica—Ross Sea

Results are presented of heavy-mineral analysis of ice-rafted sand fractions of muddy sediments from several gravity cores collected in the Ross Sea. The samples were collected from two levels of the cores, late Holocene S-group samples, in the upper part, and last glacial to Early Holocene D-group samples, in the lower part of the cores. Both the S-group and D-group show the same kind of heavy minerals and the same distribution pattern of the frequency of those minerals. These patterns suggest the existence of at least two petrographic provinces, the western and the central-eastern areas. It is suggested that the olivine and clinopyroxene with titanaugite, dominantly distributed in the western area, were probably supplied from the Late Quaternary McMurdo alkaline basaltic volcanics fringing the eastern margin of Victoria Land. The strong similarity of the distribution pattern of heavy mineral composition between the S-group and D-group samples suggests the long-term stability of flow patterns of icebergs in the Ross Sea. (Auth. mod.)

51-2285

Albedo and depth of melt ponds on sea-ice.

Morassutti, M.P., LeDrew, E.F., *International journal of climatology*, July 1996, 16(7), p.817-838, 41 refs.

Sea ice, Surface structure, Optical properties, Albedo, Reflectivity, Ponds, Water level, Ice melting, Ice water interface, Topographic effects, Insolation, Spaceborne photography, Spectroscopy, Statistical analysis, Correlation

51-2286

Non-structural carbohydrates in *Deschampsia antarctica* Desv. from South Shetland Islands, Maritime Antarctic.

Zuñiga, G.E., Alberdi, M., Corcuera, L.J., *Environmental and experimental botany*, Dec. 1996, 36(4), p.393-399, 31 refs.

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Plant tissues, Cold tolerance, Frost resistance, Cold weather survival, Grasses, Chemical analysis, Antarctica—South Shetland Islands

Deschampsia antarctica Desv. (Angiosperm: family Graminaceae) plants were collected from Robert I., South Shetland Is., during Feb. 1992 and Jan. 1993 and were extracted with 80% ethanol. Total soluble sugars were analyzed in leaves and roots by colorimetric and HPLC techniques. Compared with other gramineae, the levels of sucrose and fructans were higher. These substances reached their maximum levels by the end of summer. The levels of sucrose and fructans found in Feb. 1992 were twice the level found in Jan. 1993. The unusually high accumulation of sucrose and fructans may be one of the protective mechanisms against low temperature that has allowed *D. antarctica* to grow in the maritime Antarctic. (Auth. mod.)

51-2287

Local phase transitions and filtration as determinants of the rheology of flowing frozen ground.

Vlasov, A.N., Merzliakov, V.P., Savatorova, V.L., Talonov, A.V., Ukhov, S.B., *Physics—Doklady,* Aug. 1996, 41(8), p.374-376, Translated from Doklady Akademii Nauk. 10 refs.

Frozen ground expansion, Rheology, Soil structure, Microstructure, Deformation, Hydrology, Phase transformations, Moisture transfer, Ice melting, Meltwater, Mathematical models, Seepage

51-2288

Spatial trends and historical deposition of polychlorinated biphenyls in Canadian midlatitude and arctic lake sediments.

Muir, D.C.G., et al, *Environmental science & technology,* Dec. 1996, 30(12), p.3609-3617, 49 refs.

Water pollution, Lacustrine deposits, Sedimentation, Hydrocarbons, Statistical analysis, Isotope analysis, Drill core analysis, Profiles, Origin, Seasonal variations, Environmental tests, Canada—Northwest Territories—Hazen Lake, Canada—Northwest Territories—Sophia Lake

51-2289

Freeze-drying stops sludge problems cold.

Weir, R.K., *Opflow,* Aug. 1996, 22(8), p.1,3-4.

Sludges, Freeze drying, Water treatment, Waste disposal, Pumps, Performance, Cost analysis

51-2290

Growth variation of Scots pine across a pollution gradient on the Kola Peninsula, Russia.

Nöjd, P., Reams, G.A., *Environmental pollution,* Nov. 1996, 93(3), p.313-325, 48 refs.

Subpolar regions, Air pollution, Mining, Aerosols, Trees (plants), Forest ecosystems, Plant ecology, Growth, Damage, Classifications, Environmental impact, Environmental tests, Statistical analysis, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-2291

Growth and vitality of epiphytic lichens. 1. Response to microclimate along a forest edge-interior gradient.

Renhorn, K.E., Esseen, P.A., Palmqvist, K., Sundberg, B., *Oecologia,* Jan. 1, 1997, 109(1), p.1-9, 40 refs.

Subarctic landscapes, Lichens, Plant ecology, Forest lines, Microclimatology, Climatic changes, Growth, Photosynthesis, Plant tissues, Water balance, Biomass, Simulation, Statistical analysis

51-2292

Freezing-induced xylem cavitation and the northern limit of *Larrea tridentata*.

Pockman, W.T., Sperry, J.S., *Oecologia,* Jan. 1, 1997, 109(1), p.19-27, 51 refs.

Plant ecology, Trees (plants), Plant physiology, Cold tolerance, Frost resistance, Plant tissues, Damage, Cavitation, Cold weather tests, Temperature effects, Vegetation patterns, Distribution

51-2293

Dual-frequency Topex altimeter observations of Greenland.

Remy, F., Legresy, B., Bleuzen, S., Vincent, P., Minster, J.F., *Journal of electromagnetic waves and applications,* Nov. 1996, 10(11), p.1507-1525, 26 refs.

Ice sheets, Topographic surveys, Airborne radar, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Wave propagation, Height finding, Accuracy, Snow cover effect, Surface roughness, Simulation, Analysis (mathematics)

51-2294

Interstellar dust evolution: a reservoir of prebiotic molecules.

Greenberg, J.M., Mendoza-Gómez, C.X., NATO Advanced Study Institute, Erice, Sicily, Italy, Oct. 20-30, 1991. Proceedings. Chemistry of life's origins. Edited by J.M. Greenberg et al and NATO Advance Science Institutes, Series C. Mathematical and Physical Sciences. Vol.416, Dordrecht, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1993, p.1-32, Refs. p.27-32.
DLC QB450.C546

Ecology, Cosmic dust, Extraterrestrial ice, Optical properties, Hydrocarbons, Radiation absorption, Photochemical reactions, Chemical analysis, Life (durability), Geochemistry, Theories

51-2295

Laboratory simulations of grain icy mantles processing by cosmic rays.

Pirronello, V., NATO Advanced Study Institute, Erice, Sicily, Italy, Oct. 20-30, 1991. Proceedings. Chemistry of life's origins. Edited by J.M. Greenberg et al and NATO Advance Science Institutes, Series C. Mathematical and Physical Sciences. Vol.416, Dordrecht, Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1993, p.33-53, Refs. p.51-53.
DLC QB450.C546

Cosmic dust, Extraterrestrial ice, Gamma irradiation, Radiation absorption, Geochemistry, Photochemical reactions, Ice optics, Molecular structure, Phase transformations, Ionization, Simulation, Theories

51-2296

Characterization of snow grain size in the near-infrared and microwave wavelengths.

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DLC G70.39.T67

Snow optics, Ice crystal optics, Snow cover structure, Remote sensing, Grain size, Infrared radiation, Microwaves, Reflectivity, Particle size distribution, Backscattering, Correlation

51-2297

Microwave/optical studies of saline ice, snow, melt ponds and refrozen melt pond ice.

Bredow, J., Gibbs, D., Betty, C., Fung, A.K., Gogineni, S., Topical Symposium on Combined Optical-Microwave Earth and Atmosphere Sensing, Albuquerque, NM, Mar. 22-25, 1993. Proceedings, Piscataway, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1993, p.70-73.
DLC G70.39.T67

Snow optics, Ice optics, Salt ice, Remote sensing, Microwaves, Backscattering, Refractivity, Ponds, Regelation, Bubbles, Gas inclusions, Simulation

51-2298

On links between microwave and shortwave signatures of multiyear sea ice during the onset of melt.

Winebrenner, D., et al, Topical Symposium on Combined Optical-Microwave Earth and Atmosphere Sensing, Albuquerque, NM, Mar. 22-25, 1993. Proceedings, Piscataway, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1993, p.74-77, 15 refs.
DLC G70.39.T67

Sea ice, Ice melting, Ice temperature, Surface temperature, Radiometry, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Albedo, Ice optics, Snow cover effect, Correlation

51-2299

Analysis of combined optical and microwave data for the characterization of sea ice.

Tanis, F.J., Onstott, R.G., Topical Symposium on Combined Optical-Microwave Earth and Atmosphere Sensing, Albuquerque, NM, Mar. 22-25, 1993. Proceedings, Piscataway, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1993, p.78-81, 5 refs.
DLC G70.39.T67

Sea ice, Optical properties, Ice optics, Albedo, Microwaves, Lasers, Scattering, Snow cover effect, Simulation, Ice forecasting

51-2300

Investigation of the arctic aerosol pollution.

Vinogradova, A.A., Malkov, I.P., Polissar, A.V., *SPIE—The International Society for Optical Engineering. Proceedings,* 1993, Vol.2107, Optical monitoring of the environment. Edited by N.N. Belov et al, p.203-211, 16 refs.
DLC TD193.O68

Polar atmospheres, Air pollution, Atmospheric boundary layer, Air masses, Aerosols, Sampling, Atmospheric composition, Origin, Air flow, Statistical analysis, Correlation

51-2301

Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica.

India. Department of Ocean Development, New Delhi, India, 1995, 297p., Technical publication No.8, Refs. passim. For individual papers see B-56647, B-56649 through B-56652, C-56643, C-56644, D-56633, E-56640 through E-56642, G-56648, G-56656, G-56657, H-56653 through H-56655, I-56634 through I-56638, I-56646, L-56639, L-56645 or 51-2302 through 51-2307.

Low temperature research, Research projects, Expeditions, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station, Antarctica—Maitri Station

This technical report gives details of the work carried out by members of the Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, from Nov. 1990 to Feb. 1992. The scientific papers incorporated in this issue cover atmospheric science, bio-science, earth science, human physiology, oceanography, and polar horticulture. Twenty-five papers are included; the first is a review of the expedition, and the last two deal with the expedition's logistics.

51-2302

UV-B radiation intensity measurements at Antarctica.

Hanjura, A.K., Singh, R., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.17-34, 15 refs.

Ultraviolet radiation, Ozone, Aerosols, Meteorological instruments, Meteorological factors, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The UV-B radiation intensity measurements, at various wavelengths, were carried out at different time slots from Jan. 1987 to Feb. 1992. The analysis of these observations shows that, in addition to atmospheric ozone, the other factors like cloud scattering and aerosol scattering also play an important role in affecting the solar UV-B intensities. It is found that due to these additional factors, the anti-correlation factor between atmospheric ozone content and UV-B intensity is different for different atmospheric conditions over the Maitri Station. (Auth.)

51-2303

Report on meteorological programme during summer period of Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica.

Sharma, R.K., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.55-70.

Weather observations, Climatic factors, Ozone, Meteorological data, Snowstorms, Ice shelves, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The antarctic weather influences the global climate to a great extent. In order to study meteorological features over Antarctica and correlate these with Indian weather, the meteorological observational program of the India Meteorological Department has been a regular component of each Indian expedition to Antarctica. The major objectives of the summer meteorological program of the 10th expedition are listed, and results are discussed and presented in tables. (Auth. mod.)

51-2304

Meteorological studies carried out at Maitri during winter period of Tenth Indian Scientific Expedition to Antarctica.

Gulhane, P.M., Katariya, S.S., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.71-91.

Weather observations, Ozone, Air temperature, Solar radiation, Snowstorms, Meteorological data, Antarctica—Maitri Station

Extensive meteorological observations, comprising surface and upper air parameters and total and vertical ozone profiles, taken on board ship and at Maitri Station during 1991, are discussed. Data show that Aug. was the coldest month, with a lowest monthly mean air temperature of -17.0°C. A total of 15 blizzards occurred during

27 days; warmer air temperatures were recorded during the blizzards. The effects of antarctic climate on global climate are considered. (Auth. mod.)

51-2305

Report on the participation by the Bhabha Atomic Research Centre in the Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica.

Ramachandran, T.V., Balani, M.C., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.159-180, 13 refs.

Atmospheric composition, Radioactivity, Impurities, Meteorological data, Ice, Snow, Environmental tests, Ecology, Antarctica—Maitri Station

The antarctic continent can be expected to provide reference levels for all environmental and pollution studies due to its remoteness and restricted human activities. The Bhabha Atomic Research Centre (BARC) has participated in the 10th expedition primarily to collect background baseline data on natural radioactivity, heavy metal concentration in soil and water, and biological specimens. While radioactivity data and some limited heavy metal concentration data have already been collected in air, water and soil samples during the 8th and 9th expeditions, this is the first time BARC made attempts to collect biological samples as well. Fairly complete data were obtained from samples and are presented in this report. The analytical procedures followed at BARC, mainly approved standardization techniques, are described. (Auth. mod.)

51-2306

Fire protection - Indian stations at Antarctica: Maitri and Dakshin Gangotri hangar accommodations.

Chatterjee, P., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.283-291.

Fires, Protection, Equipment, Stations, Logistics, Antarctica—Maitri Station, Antarctica—Dakshin Gangotri Station

Fire is the greatest safety hazard in Antarctica because of the dry climate. The fire protection system at Maitri and Dakshin Gangotri stations has been evaluated and the weak points identified. Recommendations are made for safety of men and material; fire drills are proposed. (Auth.)

51-2307

Report on R&DE(E) tasks during Tenth Antarctic Expedition.

Bhatia, S., Scientific report, Tenth Indian Expedition to Antarctica, Technical publication No.8, New Delhi, India, Department of Ocean Development, 1995, p.293-297.

Cold weather construction, Buildings, Low temperature research, Cold storage, Maintenance, Equipment, Antarctica—Maitri Station

As a part of an expansion program at Maitri Station, plans for certain additional facilities carried out during the 10th Indian expedition are described, and related tasks allotted to the members of the expedition are outlined.

51-2308

World ozone dilemma: research and results with remote sensing.

Hurtak, J.J., *International journal of energy, environment, economics,* 1991, 1(3), p.209-218, 53 refs.

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Ozone, Measuring instruments, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Remote sensing, Aircraft, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula

In order to study the chemically perturbed region of the Antarctic and the Arctic, NASA initiated airborne and satellite imaging of the ozone depletion through the specialized ER-2 plane (at ≈18 km) and the modified DC-8-72 aircraft (at ≈12.5 km) with remote sensing systems onboard. Instruments onboard the aircraft surveyed the atmosphere from various altitudes and instruments on the Nimbus-7 satellite analyzed reflected sunlight. Measurements were designed to gauge not only the extent of ozone depletion over the Antarctic/Arctic, but other chemical changes in the stratosphere. Activities carried out within programs of remote sensing and *in situ* measurements by aircraft are compared to TOMS onboard the Nimbus-7, as well as Dobson network ground stations. Through these methods, scientists have been extremely successful in mapping the huge hole in the ozone layer that appeared over Antarctica, which is particularly extensive for about two months of each year and to confirm ozone loss in the arctic area. (Auth.)

51-2309

Late Holocene 'mineral palsas' from associated vegetation patterns: a case study from Lac Hendry, northern Québec, Canada and significance for European Pleistocene thermokarst.

Worsley, P., Gurney, S.D., Collins, P.E.F., *Quaternary science reviews,* Mar. 1995, 14(2), p.179-192, Refs. p.191-192.

Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Landforms, Geomorphology, Thermokarst development, Frost mounds, Permafrost transformation, Discontinuous permafrost, Frost heave, Taliks, Paleoecology, Sampling, Thermokarst development, Canada—Quebec—Lac Hendry

51-2310

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Kiirikki, M., *European journal of phycology,* Aug. 1996, 31(3), p.225-232, 46 refs.

Marine biology, Subpolar regions, Ecosystems, Algae, Distribution, Littoral zone, Transparence, Ice floes, Drift, Ice erosion, Water waves, Damage, Sampling, Baltic Sea

51-2311

Phytosociology and gradient analysis of a subalpine treed fen in Rocky Mountain National Park, Colorado.

Johnson, J.B., *Canadian journal of botany,* Aug. 1996, 74(8), p.1203-1213, With French summary. Refs. p.1212-1213.

Wetlands, Plant ecology, Ecosystems, Peat, Alpine landscapes, Vegetation patterns, Distribution, Classifications, Ground water, Water balance, Topographic effects, Microrelief, United States—Colorado—Rocky Mountain National Park

51-2312

Sludge chemical composition changes under unidirectional freezing.

Hung, W.T., Chang, I.L., Lee, D.J., Hong, S.G., *Water science & technology,* Aug. 1996, 34(3-4), Biennial Conference of the International Association on Water Quality, 18th, Singapore, June 23-28, 1996. Selected Proceedings, Pt.2, p.525-531, 11 refs.

Water treatment, Sludges, Polymers, Freeze thaw cycles, Chemical composition, Freezing rate, Freezing front, Ice water interface, Sediments, Mass transfer, Migration, Simulation, Infrared spectroscopy

51-2313

Natural radionuclide fluxes and their contribution to defining licensing criteria for deep geological repositories for radioactive wastes.

Miller, B., Smith, G., Savage, D., Towler, P., Wingefors, S., *Radiochimica acta,* 1996, Vol.74, Conference on Chemistry and Migration Behaviour of Actinides and Fission Products in the Geosphere, 5th, 1995, Saint Malo, France. Proceedings. MIGRATION 95, p.289-295, 12 refs.

Radioactive wastes, Waste disposal, Hydrogeology, Reservoirs, Seepage, Weathering, Glacier oscillation, Glacial erosion, Radioactivity, Mass transfer, Air pollution, Environmental protection, Forecasting, Simulation

51-2314

Explaining a sharp transition from sedgeland to alpine vegetation on Mount Sprent, southwest Tasmania.

Kirkpatrick, J.B., Nunez, M., Bridle, K., Chladil, M.A., *Journal of vegetation science,* Oct. 1996, 7(5), p.763-768, 11 refs.

Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Distribution, Alpine landscapes, Biogeography, Meteorological factors, Climatic factors, Surface temperature, Temperature inversions, Weather observations, Temperature effects, Australia—Sprent, Mount

51-2315

Cyclic sedimentation of carbonate and siliciclastic deposits on a Late Precambrian ramp: the Elisabeth Bjerg Formation (Eleonore Bay Supergroup), East Greenland.

Tirsgaard, H., *Journal of sedimentary research,* July 1996, 66(4), p.699-712, 59 refs.

Marine geology, Earth crust, Sedimentation, Marine deposits, Sea level, Pleistocene, Stratigraphy, Lithology, Geochronology, Periodic variations, Greenland—Elisabeth Bjerg Formation

51-2316

Spatial uniformity of sediment accumulation in varved lake sediments in northern Sweden.

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Limnology, Paleoclimatology, Lacustrine deposits, Sedimentation, Drill core analysis, Periodic variations, Diagenesis, Image processing, Statistical analysis, Sweden

51-2317

Sedimentological and stratigraphic investigations of a sequence of 106 varves from glacial Lake Assiniboine, Saskatchewan.

Wolfe, B., Teller, J.T., *Journal of paleolimnology,* 1993, 9(3), p.257-273, 29 refs.

Limnology, Glacial lakes, Glacial geology, Lake bursts, Meltwater, Runoff, Seasonal variations, Pleistocene, Lacustrine deposits, Sampling, Stratigraphy, Sedimentation, Grain size, Geochronology, Canada—Saskatchewan

51-2318

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Pleistocene, Paleoecology, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Sampling, Microbiology, Ice composition, Ice dating, Biomass, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The search for microorganisms in anabiosis at a constant temperature below zero is of great interest. Nevertheless, the ice core in central Antarctica has been neglected by microbiologists. Here are presented the results of a complex glaciological and microbiological investigation of the ice core in the region of Vostok Station. (Auth. mod.)

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Ice cover strength, Ice solid interface, Ice water interface, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice loads, Dynamic loads, Ice roads, Ice runways, Mathematical models
The effects of moving loads from vehicles and aircraft on floating sheets of sea or freshwater ice, are discussed. Most of the discussion is theoretical and mathematical, but field experiments and practical applications in both the Arctic and Antarctic are also included, with those in the Antarctic particularly concerned with aircraft landing and traveling on sea ice.

51-2325
Last glaciation of Vestfold Hills: extension of the East Antarctic ice sheet or lateral expansion of Sørsdal Glacier?
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Glaciation, Glacier flow, Flow rate, Ice sheets, Glacial geology, Ice models, Moraines, Antarctica—Vestfold Hills, Antarctica—Sørsdal Glacier
Opinions are divided as to whether the area of Vestfold Hills was formerly covered by the East Antarctic ice sheet or Sørsdal Glacier. Striae orientations have been used to erect the model of extension of the ice sheet followed by a minor lateral expansion of Sørsdal Glacier, while basal till fabrics; distribution of weathered rock; and the nature, orientation, and distribution of moraines have been used to conclude that lateral expansion of Sørsdal Glacier alone can explain the evidence of the last glaciation of Vestfold Hills. A review of all available data supports the model of regional glaciation by an extended East Antarctic ice sheet. Lateral expansion of Sørsdal Glacier has probably only played a minor role in the glaciation of Vestfold Hills since the regional glaciation. (Auth.)

51-2326
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Weather observations, Meteorological data, Sea ice distribution, Expeditions, History
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Storm-associated microwave radiometric signatures in the frequency range of 90-220 GHz.
Wang, J.R., Zhan, J., Racette, P., *Journal of atmospheric and oceanic technology,* Feb. 1997, 14(1), p.13-31, 39 refs.
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51-2338
Radiosonde temperature measurements in strong inversions: correction for thermal lag based on an experiment at the South Pole.
Mahesh, A., Walden, V.P., Warren, S.G., *Journal of atmospheric and oceanic technology,* Feb. 1997, 14(1), p.45-53, 24 refs.
Climatology, Air temperature, Atmospheric boundary layer, Polar atmospheres, Temperature inversions, Temperature measurement, Thermistors, Radio echo soundings, Accuracy, Correlation, Radiation balance, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
Very steep shallow temperature inversions occur during most of the year in the near-surface layer on the Antarctic Plateau. A radiosonde carried by a balloon rising at a few meters per second does not measure such inversions accurately because the response time of the thermistor is several seconds. To quantify this error, the authors flew a radiosonde on a tethered kite on several occasions in winter at Amundsen-Scott Station immediately prior to the routine launch of the same sonde on a weather balloon. In all cases, the equilibrated temperatures measured by the tethered sonde at a given pressure level were higher than those from the balloon-borne sonde throughout most of the inversion layer. Assuming that the tethered sonde data represent the true atmospheric temperature profile, a procedure can be developed to correct the temperature data from routine radiosonde soundings for the finite response time of the thermistor. The authors devise an accurate deconvolution method to retrieve the true atmospheric temperature profile from the radiosonde data when the thermistor response time is known. A correction for thermal lag is recommended for all situations where radiosondes are used to measure steep temperature gradients in the boundary layer: in polar regions throughout the year, at mid-latitude continental stations in winter, and at the tops of subtropical marine stratocumulus clouds. (Auth. mod.)

51-2339
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51-2340
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Muir, H., *New scientist,* June 22, 1996, 150(2035), p.16.
Glacial hydrology, Lake ice, Meltwater, Subglacial drainage, Geomorphology, Subsurface structures, Antarctica—Vostok Station
Hidden deep beneath the antarctic ice is a lake the size of Northern Ireland. The lake, which is cut off from the world above by a 4 km layer of ice, is likely to harbor unique life forms that have adapted to subzero temperatures and crushing pressures. Called Lake Vostok, the lake lies beneath Russia's Vostok ice-drilling station, and is one of 77 lakes known to lie under the antarctic ice sheet. It came to light during radio-echo experiments in the 1970s. But until now, no one knew the lake's size. Ellis-Evans hopes that it will eventually be possible to retrieve healthy microorganisms from the lake bed without contaminating their ancient environment. (Auth. mod.)

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51-2344

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Oceanography, Water pollution, Radioactive wastes, Waste disposal, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Legislation, International cooperation, Arctic Ocean

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Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Glacial deposits, Sedimentation, Palynology, Radioactive age determination, Lithology, Stratigraphy, United States—Wisconsin

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Implications of stratigraphic and paleoclimatic records of the last interglaciation from the Nordic Seas.

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51-2353

Thermal, pressure and wind fields at ground level in the area of the Italian base at Terra Nova Bay, Victoria Land, Antarctica, as observed by a network of automatic weather stations.

Cogliani, E., Abbate, G., Racalbuto, S., *Annales geophysicae,* Oct. 1996, 14(10), p.1088-1094, 17 refs.

Weather stations, Weather observations, Wind velocity, Meteorological data, Ice sheets, Glaciers, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay

Ground temperature, pressure and wind speed monthly averages, calculated from data collected by 9 automatic weather stations in the Terra Nova Bay area during 1987-1991, are presented. From Feb. to Mar., a rapid drop in temperature is observed at all stations. A strong thermal gradient develops during Feb.-Apr. and Oct.-Dec. between the coastal region and inner highlands. The baric configuration follows the elevation of the area. Annual average pressure and temperature as functions of station altitude show linear trends. Severe katabatic wind episodes are recorded at all stations, with wind speed exceeding 25 m/s and direction following the orographic features of the inner areas. Co-occurrences of these episodes were observed for stations located along stream lines of cold air drainage. The autocorrelation function of maximum wind speed time series shows wind persistence of 2-3 days and wind periodicity of about one week. (Auth. mod.)

51-2354

Halocarbons in antarctic surface waters and snow.

Zoccolillo, L., Amendola, L., Tarallo, G.A., *International journal of environmental analytical chemistry,* 1996, Vol.63, p.91-98, 10 refs.

Snow impurities, Snow composition, Water chemistry, Limnology, Ice composition, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay

Surface and pit snow samples, collected from Terra Nova Bay area during the Italian expeditions of 1991-92 and 1992-93, were analyzed for halocarbons: tetrachloromethane, trichloroethylene and tetrachloroethylene. The results obtained (including those related to lake and ice water samples previously reported) were evaluated with respect to the worldwide distribution of these compounds and their diffusion on a global scale. Important innovations, concerning sensitivity and reproducibility of the analytical method, are also reported. (Auth.)

51-2355

Occurrence of oxygenated volatile organic compounds (VOC) in Antarctica.

Ciccioli, P., Cecinato, A., Brancaleoni, E., Frattoni, M., *International journal of environmental analytical chemistry,* 1996, Vol.62, p.245-253, 15 refs.

Atmospheric composition, Impurities, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay

Polar and non-polar VOC present in six different sites located near Terra Nova Bay were determined by HRCG-MS; 76 different components were positively identified. Among them, particularly important are oxygenated components (free acids, aldehydes, ketones, alcohols, esters, ethers and furanes) as they account for the largest portion of the organic fraction. Biogenic emission seem to be the major source for many of them. This would explain their ubiquitous occurrence in the troposphere. (Auth.)

51-2356

Rapid sea-level rise soon from west antarctic ice sheet collapse?

Bentley, C.R., *Science,* Feb. 21, 1997, 275(5303), p.1077-1078, 22 refs.

Ice sheets, Mass balance, Ice shelves, Climatic changes, Antarctica—West Antarctica, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf

The author suggests and analyzes several conditions which could cause an imminent collapse of the ice sheet atop West Antarctica. In the end he shows that many of the necessary conditions are already in operation but that the system is not significantly out of mass balance. He concludes that the chances of a natural collapse of the west antarctic ice sheet, based on the concept of a randomly timed collapse on the average of once every 100,000 years, are on the order of 0.1%.

51-2357

Review of polar climate evolution during the Neogene, based on the marine sediment record.

Kennett, J.P., Paleoclimate and evolution, with emphasis on human origins, edited by E.S. Vrba, G.H. Denton, T.C. Partridge, and L.H. Burckle, New Haven, CT, Yale University Press, 1995, p.49-64, Refs. p.60-64.

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Ice sheets, Ice formation, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—East Antarctica

The climate of Antarctica and the southern ocean since the Middle Eocene (ca. 50 myr) has experienced generally progressive and sequential decreases in temperature and increases in ice accumulation. Reversals of this cooling trend were unusual. The most distinct warming occurred during the Late Paleogene through the Early Neogene. No major climatic reversals in antarctic cooling occurred after the early Middle Miocene (ca. 15 myr). The development of the polar cryosphere caused fundamental changes in global oceanic and atmospheric circulation, leading in stepwise fashion to widespread aridity in middle- to low-latitude regions. Details of these developments are recounted as they progressed from Early Miocene through the Late Pliocene epochs in the antarctic polar regions. The lack of symmetry in the development of global climatic change in the Arctic regions until the Late Pliocene, is noted. (Auth. mod.)

51-2358

Problem of Pliocene paleoclimate and ice-sheet evolution in Antarctica.

Denton, G.H., Paleoclimate and evolution, with emphasis on human origins, edited by E.S. Vrba, G.H. Denton, T.C. Partridge, and L.H. Burckle, New Haven, CT, Yale University Press, 1995, p.213-229, 84 refs.

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Paleoclimatology, Ice sheets, Climatic changes, Variations

There are two contrasting views concerning the Pliocene stability of the east antarctic ice sheet and coeval Pliocene paleoclimate. Because both hypotheses stand at the present time, the antarctic paleoclimatic record and ice-sheet history cannot yet contribute to the interlocked questions of paleoclimate and evolution. Antarctic ice sheet history is intertwined with the overall problems of rifting and landscape evolution in the Ross Embayment. Consequently, the Pliocene history of the antarctic ice sheet cannot be understood in isolation from the problems of the development of the west antarctic rift system and the shoulder of this rift system formed by the Transantarctic Mountains. The timing and rates of uplift and basin development are not well known, but they are important in interpreting glacial deposits in terms of ice sheet history. Different structural blocks could have had varying glacial and tectonic histories. Finally, it is not yet possible to relate terrestrial glacial sequences in the Transantarctic Mountains with offshore sedimentary sequences in the rift basins. A number of fundamental questions, must, therefore, be answered before the Pliocene glacial history of the Antarctic can be understood.

51-2359

Critical review of the micropaleontological evidence used to infer a major drawdown of the east antarctic ice sheet during the Early Pliocene.

Burckle, L.H., Paleoclimate and evolution, with emphasis on human origins, edited by E.S. Vrba, G.H. Denton, T.C. Partridge, and L.H. Burckle, New Haven, CT, Yale University Press, 1995, p.230-241, 54 refs.

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Geochemistry, Microbiology, Ice sheets, Ablation, Sea level

The author disputes the conclusions of an earlier researcher who claims that in Sirius Group samples, "the microfossil assemblages are dominated by Pliocene [diatom] species." The history of the antarctic cryosphere can be more fully and believably developed by study of deep-sea sediments recovered from the southern ocean and deep cores recovered from the antarctic continent. It is apparent that although there may have been drawdown of the east antarctic ice sheet during the early Pliocene, it was not of the magnitude envisioned by the deglacial hypothesis. In addition, it is very likely that the west antarctic ice sheet and alpine and tidewater glaciers from both hemispheres contributed to the accompanying sea-level rise. This has implications for Early Pliocene climate and paleogeography; a more limited sea-level rise during this time would be less restrictive of faunal and floral migrations across terrestrial choke points, such as the Suez region. Similarly, oceanic choke points such as the seas around the Indonesian archipelago would have been less affected by a more modest sea-level rise, and the Early Pliocene warming is seen as presenting less of a physical impediment to continental faunal and floral migration. (Auth. mod.)

51-2360

Potential vorticity and vertical velocity at the Iceland-Færœs Front.

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Oceanographic surveys, Subpolar regions, Ocean currents, Water transport, Boundary layer, Velocity measurement, Hydrography, Upwelling, Stratigraphy, Atlantic Ocean

51-2361

Topographic-Rossby mode resonance over the Iceland-Faeroe Ridge.

Miller, A.J., Lermusiaux, P.F.J., Poulain, P.M., *Journal of physical oceanography,* Dec. 1996, 26(12), p.2735-2747, 25 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Boundary layer, Velocity measurement, Fluid dynamics, Air water interactions, Wind factors, Periodic variations, Spectra, Resonance, Topographic effects, Correlation, Atlantic Ocean

51-2362

Study of air and road-surface temperature variations during clear wind nights.

Gustavsson, T., *International journal of climatology,* Aug. 1995, 15(8), p.919-932, 37 refs.

Air temperature, Surface temperature, Temperature measurement, Temperature variations, Frost forecasting, Topographic effects, Wind factors, Cooling rate, Radiant cooling, Forest strips, Windbreaks

51-2363

Dielectric properties and annealing effects of as-grown KOH-highly doped ice single crystals.

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Ice physics, Doped ice, Ice crystal growth, Ice crystal structure, Ice dielectrics, Dielectric properties, Dispersions, Spectra, Phase transformations, Defects, Simulation, Electrical measurement, Temperature effects, Ice crystal growth, Ice crystal structure

51-2364

Anisotropic growth kinetics of ice crystals from water studied by molecular dynamics simulation.

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51-2365

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51-2366

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Municipal engineering, Sewage disposal, Water treatment, Design, Evapotranspiration, Snow hydrology, Meltwater, Surface drainage, Runoff, Seepage, Cold weather performance

51-2367

Predicting freeze-thaw durability of concrete—a new approach.

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Concrete admixtures, Concrete durability, Concrete strength, Freeze thaw cycles, Frost resistance, Standards, Air entrainment, Mechanical properties, Forecasting, Classifications, Cold weather performance

51-2368

Galileo's first look at Ganymede and Europa.

Anderson, C.M., *Planetary report,* Nov.-Dec. 1996, 16(6), p.12-15.

Extraterrestrial ice, Satellites (natural), Ground ice, Regolith, Surface structure, Spacecraft, Spaceborne photography, Exploration, Europa, Ganymede

51-2369

Underwater ultraviolet radiation: development of spectral models for northern high latitude lakes.

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Effect of galactic cosmic rays on the formation of the spring maximum in the total ozone content in the polar and subpolar regions.

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Ozone, Radiation, Geomagnetism, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica

The difficulties in explaining the spring ozone maximum may be successfully overcome if, in addition to the photochemistry, the effect of galactic cosmic ray particles (primarily protons) on the ozonosphere is included, and the structural characteristics of the Earth's magnetic field are taken into account. The authors propose the following mechanism: there is no ozone-forming insolation during the long polar night; the ozone in the lower polar stratosphere has a lifetime of between 100 and 500 days, depending on altitude. With such a long lifetime the ozone content of the polar stratosphere should remain constant from fall to spring. In actual fact, the total ozone content is observed to increase from fall to spring. This means that there must be a non-photochemical source of ozone in the polar stratosphere. It is suggested that radiolysis of molecular oxygen by galactic cosmic-ray protons is the only source generating ozone during the polar night. The mechanism is not inconsistent with the local ozone minimum observed over the central Antarctic in spring, 1983. (Auth. mod.)

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Ice stress measurements from land-fast ice along Canada's Labrador coast.

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Processing snow for high strength roads and runways.

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Using a variety of conventional snow processing equipment in deep snow fields in West Yellowstone, MT, the authors studied snow processing techniques having the potential for producing high-strength snow roads and runways. The test location and timing were selected to simulate conditions in polar regions. Four separate test sites, each with a different treatment, were established using the snow processing equipment. Observations were made for 12 weeks after construction to monitor the snow's hardness (strength) and its temperature distribution. Plane sections were taken at each site on a weekly basis to allow comparison of bond density and strength. Image analysis was used to find which critical microstructural properties correlate best with compressive strength changes. Test results indicate that a powered tiller with a relatively dense tooth population provided the highest strength snow. This snow was strong enough to easily support contact loads greater than 700 kPa, which could allow the use of conventional aircraft and wheeled vehicles in areas of deep snow.

51-2376

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A coupled heat flow and moisture flow model (FROSTB) was used to simulate large-scale freeze-thaw experiments to assess its ability to predict soil moisture conditions. The experimental data consist of temperature and soil moisture profiles measured during freeze-thaw cycles in a 1 m layer of frost-susceptible silty sand over roughly 2 m of gravelly sand. Two experimental conditions were modeled: (1) where the soil was fairly wet and the water table was shallow (1 m below surface), and (2) where the soil moisture was lower than specific retention and the water table was deep. Overall, the model predicts the frost penetration and heave quite well; however, it tends to overpredict ice formation. The authors propose improvements through using a "pseudo" three-phase flow potential and calculating

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51-2400

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51-2405

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51-2406

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51-2407

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51-2413

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51-2415

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51-2417
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51-2421
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Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Beaufort Sea

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Texture representation of SAR sea ice imagery using multi-displacement co-occurrence matrices.
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Phase correction for coherent noise reduction in short-range radar measurements.
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Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Backscattering, Image processing

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In-situ measurement of the complex dielectric constant of sea ice from 1 to 10 GHz.
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Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Drift, Spaceborne photography, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Image processing

51-2428
Quantification of sea ice melt features from low level aerial photographs.
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Sea ice, Ice surveys, Ice conditions, Ice surface, Ice melting, Snow ice interface, Albedo, Aerial surveys

51-2429
Mapping snow properties for spatially distributed snow hydrological modeling in mountainous areas using passive microwave remote sensing data.
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Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow hydrology, Snow water equivalent, Snow heat flux, Snow temperature, Runoff forecasting, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Computerized simulation

51-2430
Snow classification from SSM/I data over varied terrain using an artificial neural network classifier.
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Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow temperature, Snow water content, Vegetation patterns, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Computer applications

51-2431
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Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow line, Ice detection, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, China—Tian Shan

51-2432
Recent progress in development of the Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer snow cover algorithm and product.
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Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Computerized simulation

51-2433

Variations in radar backscatter across the great ice sheets.

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DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Snow ice interface, Firn stratification, Glacial hydrology, Synthetic aperture radar, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography

Radar backscatter over the great ice sheets is modulated by the near surface properties of polar firn. These properties (grain size, density, stratigraphy, wetness) change in time and from region to region. Information was compiled on the spatial variation in backscatter across selected parts of Antarctica and Greenland from ERS-1 SAR data. The SAR-derived σ° compared favorably with both *in situ* and the ERS-1 scatterometer data obtained from literature. These results will be used to refine processing schemes for the Radarsat Antarctic Mapping Project. A plot of the azimuthal anisotropy of SAR-derived σ° was created to determine the magnitude of azimuthal anisotropy on a pixel by pixel basis. Azimuthal variability for a region of the Antarctic Peninsula was found to vary from 0 to 14dB. (Auth.)

51-2434

Geophysical Data Management System.

Baggeroer, P.A., Jezek, K.C., Hart, D.G., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.145-147, 1 ref.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Glacier surveys, Ice surveys, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Data processing, Data transmission, Research projects

The Geophysical Data Management System (GDMS) at the Byrd Polar Research Center of Ohio State University, is described. The GDMS provides an archive of data sets of satellite SAR images of Greenland and Antarctica. Data from the Radarsat Antarctic Mapping Project is to be included. Researchers may access the GDMS on the World Wide Web (WWW) at http://polestar.mps.ohio-state.edu/gdms/GDMS.html

51-2435

Ice sheet margin detection using ERS-1 synthetic aperture radar.

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DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Ice detection, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Greenland

51-2436

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DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Tundra climate, Tundra soils, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Plant physiology, Soil microbiology, Biomass, Nutrient cycle, Atmospheric composition, Spaceborne photography

51-2437

Analysis of the Canadian boreal forest using enhanced resolution ERS-1 scatterometer imagery.

Wilson, C.J., III, Long, D.G., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.218-220, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Taiga, Forest canopy, Forest tundra, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Snow cover effect, Terrain identification, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Canada

51-2438

Modeling of forested areas for real and synthetic aperture imaging radar simulation.

Stuopis, P.A., Henson, J.M., Davis, R.E., Hall, K., MP 3955, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.254-256, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Forest canopy, Forest land, Vegetation patterns, Terrain identification, Side looking radar, Synthetic aperture radar, Radar photography, Photographic reconnaissance, Environment simulation, Image processing

The following paper provides a discussion of several procedures for generating elevation and terrain category database information for the modeling of deciduous, coniferous, and mixed forested areas. Specifically, techniques for the geometric modeling of individual pine and oak trees, based on measured or estimated location, height, and canopy diameter are presented. Techniques for randomly populating forested areas at user specified densities with individual trees are discussed. Considerable simulated imagery has been developed for both solid canopy forest and individual tree forest models. In the case of forests modeled as collections of individual trees, imagery has been developed for forests with varying tree densities. Simulated image presentations (grey level and pseudo-color) include sidelooking SAR range and ground range imagery and forward scan B-Scope and P-Scope range and ground range imagery. All modeling and simulation was accomplished using the Synthetic Aperture Reconnaissance, Tactical, and Camouflage (SARTAC) imaging radar simulation and analysis tool developed at the University of Nevada with the support of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (USACE/CRREL) and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Waterway Experiment Station (USACE/WES).

51-2439

Analysis of dual-wavelength dual-polarization returns from frozen hydrometeors.

Meneghini, R., Iguchi, T., Liao, L., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.554-556, 2 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Cloud physics, Precipitation (meteorology), Falling snow, Snow pellets, Particle size distribution, Airborne radar, Radio echo soundings, Radar echoes

51-2440

Polarimetric method for ice water content determination.

Ryzhkov, A.V., Zrnic, D.S., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.557-559, 8 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Cloud physics, Precipitation (meteorology), Snowstorms, Ice crystal size, Ice detection, Water content, Radar echoes, Radio echo soundings

51-2441

Simulation of dual-polarization bistatic scattering from rain and hail.

Aydin, K., Park, S.H., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.560-562, 9 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Hailstones, Raindrops, Ice detection, Ice crystal size, Particle size distribution, Radio echo soundings

51-2442

Computational study of millimeter wave scattering from bullet rosette type ice crystals.

Aydin, K., Walsh, T.M., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.563-565, 14 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Cloud physics, Ice crystal structure, Ice detection, Radio echo soundings, Radar echoes

51-2443

Multiparameter radar snowfall estimation using neural network techniques.

Xiao, R.R., Chandrasekar, V., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.566-568, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Snowstorms, Snowfall, Snow depth, Weather forecasting, Radar echoes, Radio echo soundings, Computerized simulation

51-2444

Land applications of ERS-1 Wind Scatterometer in boreal forest zone.

Pulliainen, J., Walker, N., Manninen, T., Hallikainen, M., Grandell, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.583-585, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Forest canopy, Forest soils, Vegetation patterns, Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Soil water, Moisture detection, Terrain identification, Backscattering, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography

51-2445

Future opportunities and issues in radar remote sensing of Earth's high latitudes.

Carsey, F., Wales, C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.634-635.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Glacier surveys, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Research projects, Data processing, Data transmission

The Alaska SAR Facility (ASF) is now downlinking data for science and operational users from four satellites: the European ERS-1 and -2, the Japanese JERS-1, and the Canadian RADARSAT. Among higher-level products envisioned are a complete RADARSAT SAR map of Antarctica and ERS Tandem Mission fringe maps of Antarctica and parts of Alaska. (Auth. mod.)

51-2446

Expected errors in satellite-derived estimates of the high latitude surface radiation budget.

Key, J.R., Stone, R.S., Schweiger, A.J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.636-638, 7 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Cloud cover, Snow heat flux, Radiation balance, Albedo, Surface temperature, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-2447

Multitemporal analysis of fast sea ice albedo using AVHRR data.

De Abreu, R.A., LeDrew, E.F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.639-641, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Fast ice, Ice surveys, Ice heat flux, Ice melting, Snow ice interface, Albedo, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Canada—Northwest Territories—Resolute Passage

51-2448

Assessing variability and trends in arctic sea ice distribution using satellite data.

Bel'chanskiĭ, G.I., Mordvintsev, I.N., Douglas, D.C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.642-644, 3 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Spaceborne photography, Statistical analysis, Barents Sea, Russia—Kara Sea

51-2449

Image time series analysis of arctic sea ice.

Piwowar, J.M., Wessel, G.R.I., LeDrew, E.F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.645-647, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Statistical analysis

51-2450

Analysis of Odden event intra- and inter-annual variability.

Fischer, K.W., Russel, C.A., Shuchman, R.A., Josberger, E.G., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.648-650, 3 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Pack ice, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice growth, Ice melting, Air ice water interaction, Drift, Spaceborne photography, Statistical analysis, Greenland Sea

51-2451

Remote sensing data availability from the Earth Observation System (EOS) via the Distributed Active Archive Center (DAAC) at NSIDC.

Weaver, R.L., Troisi, V.J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.651-655, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Snow surveys, Glacier surveys, Research projects, Spaceborne photography, Data processing, Data transmission

51-2452

Rayleigh lidar observations during arctic summer conditions.

Thayer, J.P., Nielsen, N.B., Kerr, R.B., Noto, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.686-690, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric physics, Lidar, Light scattering, Greenland

51-2453

Electromagnetic scattering based on pair distribution functions retrieved from planar snow sections.

Zurk, L.M., Tsang, L., Shi, J.C., Davis, R.E., MP 3956, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.754-756, 6 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Snow crystal structure, Snow cover structure, Snow density, Snow electrical properties, Ice crystal replicas, Ice crystal size, Particle size distribution, Wave propagation, Scattering, Stereophotography, Statistical analysis

Electromagnetic wave propagation and scattering in dense media depends on the 3-D pair distribution function of particle positions. Recent efforts in the snow community have concentrated on analyzing planar snow sections to obtain 2-D stereological data. In this paper the authors calculate the volume 3-D pair distribution function from the 2-D stereological data. A log-normal distribution of particle sizes is assumed for the ice grains in snow with the distribution parameters derived from stereological measurements. The 3-D pair function can be expressed as a weighted sum of size specific pair functions which are necessary for scattering calculations. The authors choose a small number of representative particle sizes and use a least squares non-linear fit to decompose the 3-D pair function into pair functions for those particles.

51-2454

Modeling of electromagnetic wave scattering from time-varying snowcover.

Ding, K.H., Yang, Y.E., Shih, S.E., Kong, J.A., Davis, R.E., MP 3957, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.1, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.757-759, 7 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Snow cover structure, Metamorphism (snow), Snow density, Snow heat flux, Snow electrical properties, Backscattering, Radar echoes, Computerized simulation

In this paper, a study of the effects of time-varying snowcovers on the radar backscatter signatures is presented. To this objective, a snow physics model, known as SNTHERM, is applied to enable the simulation of the dynamical behavior of snowpacks. The SNTHERM model can provide thermal and physical properties such as the temperature profile, liquid water content, and the layering structure which affect the electromagnetic properties of snowpacks. To calculate the backscattering coefficients from snowcovers, the authors employ the dense medium radiative transfer (DMRT) theory with a clustered snow grain microstructure. This coupled model is then used to predict the influence of environmental variation on the millimeter wave radar response, and compare simulation results with snow backscatter measurements. Good agreement is obtained between model and measured data in both timing and magnitude.

51-2455

Global sea ice monitoring from microwave satellites.

Johannessen, O.M., Miles, M.W., Bjørgo, E., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.932-934, 12 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Statistical analysis

The global sea ice covers can be regularly and frequently monitored using satellite passive microwave sensors. Recent studies using passive microwave have detected significant decreases in arctic ice extent and ice area, with no significant changes in the Antarctic. (Auth. mod.)

51-2456

Sea ice identification using dual-polarized Ku-band scatterometer data.

Yueh, S.H., Kwok, R., Lou, S.H., Tsai, W.Y., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.935-937, 6 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Terrain identification, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography

This paper describes a classification algorithm using dual-polarized scatterometer measurements to identify the edge of the sea ice cover in the Arctic and Antarctic. The distinct polarization scattering signatures of sea ice and open water are discussed and illustrated with the dual-polarized radar measurements from the Seasat-A scatterometer (SASS). The analysis of SASS data suggests that the ratio of vertical and horizontal polarization backscatter, denoted as the copol ratio, is a useful discriminator of sea ice and open ocean. A simple classification algorithm using the thresholds of the copol ratio and backscatter levels is proposed. The feasibility of this algorithm is demonstrated using the SASS data from the single-sided, dual-polarization mode. The results indicate that the dual-polarized measurements from the NASA scatterometer (NSCAT) can be used to produce routine maps of sea ice extents. (Auth. mod.)

51-2457

Temporal mixture analysis of SMMR sea ice concentrations.

Piwowar, J.M., Peddle, D.R., LeDrew, E.F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.938-940, 3 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-2458

Polarimetric backscattering at 23 cm wavelength from antarctic lead ice and estimation of ice thickness.

Winebrenner, D.P., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.941-943, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice openings, Ice water interface, Ice cover thickness, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Antarctica—Weddell Sea, Beaufort Sea

New data from the Shuttle Imaging Radar-C (SIR-C) mission in Oct. 1994 showing leads in the northern Weddell Sea are presented and compared with images from the Beaufort Sea. As in the Beaufort Sea, essentially no surface observations are available, but conventional SAR imagery suggests the presence of lead ice of at least two distinct ages in close proximity in the Weddell scene. Ice regions in the two categories show spatially coherent, but quite different, polarimetric signatures at L-band, including copolar phases larger than neighboring thicker ice in one case and smaller in the other. It is suggested that though still uncertain for now, the possibility of estimating lead ice thickness directly from snapshot and time-sequential L-band polarimetric synthetic aperture radar imagery is promising for the future. (Auth. mod.)

51-2459

Characterization of ice in the Chukchi Sea at the start of the growing season using satellite SAR.

Onstott, R.G., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.944-946, 3 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Sea water freezing, Freezeup, Ice formation, Ice growth, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Chukchi Sea, Beaufort Sea

51-2460

Bistatic microwave investigations of sea ice-like media.

May, G.C., Bredow, J.W., Jin, J.Y., Nadimi, S.A., Fung, A.K., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.947-949, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Artificial ice, Sea ice, Salt ice, Ice electrical properties, Ice dielectrics, Radar echoes, Environment simulation, Environmental tests, Image processing

51-2461

Validation of a sea ice model using forward simulation of ERS-1 SAR data: a case study in the Beaufort Sea.

Heinrichs, J., Maslanik, J., Steffen, K., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.950-952, 10 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice models, Ice forecasting, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Environment simulation, Computerized simulation, Beaufort Sea

51-2462

Influence of cloud cover on the microwave scattering coefficient (σ°) of first-year and multiyear sea ice.

Barber, D.G., Thomas, A., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.953-955, 2 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice electrical properties, Snow ice interface, Cloud cover, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography

51-2463

Comparison of aircraft and DMSP SSM/I passive microwave measurements over the Bering Sea in April 1995.

Cavalieri, D.J., Hall, D.K., Wang, J.R., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.956-958, 6 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Snow ice interface, Polynyas, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Aerial surveys, Airborne radar, Spaceborne photography, Bering Sea

51-2464

Multi-channel algorithm approach to determining melt for arctic sea ice using passive microwave data.

Anderson, M.R., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.959-962, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice, Ice melting, Snow ice interface, Snowmelt, Snow temperature, Ice temperature, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-2465

Application of interferometry to studies of glacier dynamics.

Mohr, J.J., Madsen, S.N., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.972-974, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Aerial surveys, Spaceborne photography, Greenland

51-2466

Effect of compression on physical parameters derived from polar ice radiances.

St. Germain, K.M., Sayood, K., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1026-1028, 7 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Radiometry, Radar echoes, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-2467

Comparison of spatial statistics of SAR-derived and in-situ soil moisture estimation.

Hirsave, P.P., et al, MP 3958, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1073-1075, 8 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Soil surveys, Soil water, Moisture detection, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Statistical analysis

The technology of using spaceborne SAR systems for soil moisture estimation has been refined over the last few years. In order to reduce the confounding effects of surface roughness on soil moisture inversion, multifrequency SAR systems have shown promise. The Shuttle Imaging Radar (SIR-C) has an onboard SAR system operating at L, C, and X bands for high resolution imaging of the earth's surface. Over the early part of Oct. 1994, the SIR-C SAR collected radar reflectance data from two sites near Concord, NH. SIR-C data were collected on four consecutive days and concurrent ground truth measurements were also made of the actual soil moisture distribution at the test sites. The objective of the study was to evaluate the radar system's ability not only to estimate soil moisture, but also to characterize its spatial variability. The SIR-C derived and the *in situ* soil moisture estimates compared well not only for the mean soil moisture of each pixel, but also for the spatial statistical parameters, such as correlation lengths and the gradients of soil moisture.

51-2468

Prototype sea ice mapping system using a geographical information system and expert knowledge.

Williams, R.N., Hartnett, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1111-1113, 6 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice reporting, Ice navigation, Ice routing, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Data transmission, Image processing, Computer programs, Antarctica—Casey Station, Antarctica—Mawson Station, Antarctica—Davis Station

An operational sea ice mapping system is being developed which will assist meteorologists at the Casey antarctic base to create sea ice maps, from NOAA AVHRR imagery received at the base itself. The system will take AVHRR imagery initially processed via the McIdas meteorological system, and initiate an interactive procedure which assists the expert interpreter to produce a sea ice map from the imagery. A prototype system, called ICEMAPPER, has been developed. It is based on an existing geographical information system and uses production rules, incorporating expert knowledge derived both from the scientific literature and from local sea ice interpreters, to provide an initial classification. If the expert is satisfied with the map produced it can be printed out. If not, thresholds used in the production rules can be altered interactively and the map recreated. (Auth.)

51-2469

Alaska SAR Facility education outreach.

Sandberg, D., Carsey, F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1181-1183.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Education, Organizations, Research projects, Glaciology, Data processing, Data transmission

51-2470

Observations of sea ice physical properties during the sea ice electromagnetics initiative.

Gow, A.J., Perovich, D.K., MP 3959, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1184-1186, 2 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice, Salt ice, Artificial ice, Ice microstructure, Ice electrical properties, Ice salinity, Ice temperature, Ice density, Environmental tests, Radiometry, Statistical analysis

An Office of Naval Research sponsored sea ice electromagnetics research initiative has been directed towards relating the observed variability in sea ice electromagnetic signatures to changes in sea ice physical properties, and then using this information to develop forward and inverse models. In this paper the authors present an overview of laboratory and field observations made of sea ice physical properties during the past three years. This description included a statistical characterization of the ice microstructure. The authors present these observations in the context of tracing the development of sea ice. The laboratory studies included *in situ* measurements of the physical and electromagnetic properties of young ice sheets grown under both quiescent and active conditions.

51-2471

Physical and electrical characteristics of snow on sea ice; implications for forward scattering model development.

Barber, D.G., Drobot, S.D., Iacozza, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1187-1189, 3 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Sea ice, Snow ice interface, Snow electrical properties, Snow stratigraphy, Snow cover structure, Snow density, Ice salinity, Ice dielectrics, Statistical analysis

51-2472

Sea ice polarimetric backscatter signatures at C band.

Nghiem, S.V., et al, MP 3960, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1190-1192, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice, Ice detection, Ice electrical properties, Ice temperature, Ice structure, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering

This paper presents C-band polarimetric backscatter signatures of sea ice measured during CRRELEX (Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory Experiment) from 1993 to 1995. Observed radar backscatter of sea ice is related to sea ice physical characteristics. Complex scattering models for sea ice are developed and used to interpret measured radar data with sea ice physical parameters. These results for sea ice at C-band are important for applications to remote sensing data acquired with many airborne and spaceborne C-band synthetic aperture radars.

51-2473

Polarimetric properties of simulated sea ice with special focus on property retrieval and important scattering processes.

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DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Sea ice, Salt ice, Artificial ice, Ice electrical properties, Radar echoes, Polarization (waves), Backscattering, Environmental tests

51-2474
Ultra-wideband radar measurements over bare and snow-covered saline ice.
Gogineni, S.P., Kanagaratnam, P., Jezek, K.C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1196-1198, 2 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice, Salt ice, Artificial ice, Snow ice interface, Ice electrical properties, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Environmental tests

51-2475
Microwave and thermal infrared emission from young sea ice and pancake ice.
Grenfell, T.C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1199-1201, 6 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice, Salt ice, Young ice, Artificial ice, Ice electrical properties, Ice detection, Radiometry, Radar echoes, Environmental tests

51-2476
Modeling of ice thickness effect and its application to data interpretation.
Fung, A.K., Onstott, R.G., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1202-1204, 3 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice, Salt ice, Artificial ice, Ice cover thickness, Ice electrical properties, Ice dielectrics, Ice air interface, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Environmental tests

51-2477
Inversion of wideband microwave reflectivity to estimate the thickness of arctic lead-like sea ice.
Winebrenner, D.P., Sylvester, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1205-1207, 4 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice openings, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Ice electrical properties, Radio echo soundings, Reflectivity, Computerized simulation

51-2478
Thickness retrieval using time series electromagnetic measurements of laboratory grown saline ice.
Shih, S.E., Ding, K.H., Nghiem, S.V., Hsu, C.C., Kong, J.A., Jordan, A.K., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1208-1210, 5 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice, Salt ice, Artificial ice, Ice electrical properties, Ice cover thickness, Ice detection, Radio echo soundings, Radar echoes, Computerized simulation, Environmental tests

51-2479
Cloud masking with satellite infrared images over polar oceans.
Schlueter, N., Markus, T., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1247-1249, 3 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Cloud cover, Terrain identification, Infrared photography, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-2480
Alaska SAR Facility overview in the Radarsat era.
Cuddy, D., Leung, K., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.2, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1358-1360, 4 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Data transmission, Data processing, Research projects, Antarctica—McMurdo Station
The Alaska SAR Facility at the University of Alaska, Fairbanks, which archives synthetic aperture radar data from the European ERS-1, ERS-2, and Japanese JERS-1 satellites, has installed a receiving station at McMurdo, Antarctica, to include data from the Canadian RADARSAT, launched in Nov. 1995. The facility at McMurdo is expected to be operational in mid-1996 and will provide daily satellite data including flight information.

51-2481
SIMMS'93 SAR polarimetry experiment: combined surface and airborne radar measurements for winter sea ice.
Livingstone, C.E., Barber, D.G., Spiring, F., Liu, W., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1515-1519, 7 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice electrical properties, Ice structure, Snow ice interface, Ice salinity, Synthetic aperture radar, Airborne radar, Backscattering, Polarization (waves), Canada—Northwest Territories—Resolute Passage, Canada—Northwest Territories—Barrow Strait

51-2482
Ice roughness classification and ERS SAR imagery of arctic sea ice: evaluation of feature-extraction algorithms by genetic programming.
Daida, J.M., Onstott, R.G., Bersano-Begey, T.F., Ross, S.J., Vesecky, J.F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1520-1522, 4 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice, Ice cover thickness, Ice surface, Ice deformation, Pressure ridges, Ice detection, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Beaufort Sea

51-2483
Microwave technique for mapping ice temperature in the arctic seasonal ice zone.
St. Germain, K.M., Cavalieri, D.J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1523-1525, 7 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Ice temperature, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-2484
Neural network sea ice edge classifier for the NASA scatterometer.
Alhumaidi, S.M., Jones, W.L., Park, J.D., Ferguson, S., Thursby, M.H., Yueh, S.H., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1526-1528, 6 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Wind (meteorology), Marine meteorology, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Image processing
The NASA Scatterometer (NSCAT) to be launched in Aug. 1996 is designed to measure wind vectors over ice-free oceans. To prevent contamination of the wind measurements by the presence of sea ice, an algorithm based on only NSCAT data is described. Results are presented for a neural network trained using dual linear polarized Ku-band backscatter measured by the SeaSat-A Satellite Scatterometer (SASS). These results demonstrate the utility of neural network classifiers to provide this ice flag. The algorithm compared well with SASS data from the Antarctic. (Auth mod.)

51-2485
Comparison of open water and thin ice areas derived from satellite passive microwave data with aircraft measurements and satellite infrared data in the Bering Sea.
Markus, T., Cavalieri, D.J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1529-1531, 6 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice cover thickness, Ice heat flux, Ice water interface, Polynyas, Radiometry, Airborne radar, Spaceborne photography, Bering Sea

51-2486
Separating ice-water composites and computing floe size distributions.
Soh, L.K., Haverkamp, D., Tsatsoulis, C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1532-1534, 6 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice edge, Ice floes, Ice water interface, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-2487
Antarctic Miniature Lidar.
Rall, J.A.R., Abshire, J.B., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1538-1540, 8 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Aerosols, Polar stratospheric clouds, Lidar, Meteorological instruments, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
A second Antarctic Miniature Lidar instrument (Ant Lidar II) has been assembled, tested, and deployed to the NOAA Clean Air Facility (CAF) at the Amundsen-Scott Station. This instrument deployed in Feb. 1996 replaces the first Antarctic Lidar (Ant Lidar I) which operated at the Amundsen-Scott Station from Feb. to July 1995. The new lidar, as in the first instrument, uses redundant commercially available, single element diode lasers, a 20 cm Schmidt-Cassegrain telescope, and a silicon avalanche photodiode (APD) operated in the photon counting mode. The lidar is used to measure clouds, particularly polar stratospheric clouds and aerosol distribution at night. (Auth. mod.)

51-2488
Determining the number of classes for segmentation in SAR sea ice imagery.
Soh, L.K., Tsatsoulis, C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1565-1567, 12 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice structure, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-2489
Performance evaluation of a spinning flat reflector for millimeter-wave radiometry.
Jacobson, M.D., Nunnelee, W.M., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1678-1680, 7 refs.
DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996
Aircraft icing, Ice detection, Ice forecasting, Ice storms, Supercooled clouds, Weather forecasting, Radiometry

51-2490

RADARSAT Antarctica Mapping System: system overview.

Norikane, L., Wilson, B., Jezek, K.C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1772-1774, 1 ref.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Mapping, Research projects, Data processing, Data transmission, Synthetic aperture radar, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

In Oct. 1996, RADARSAT will map the entire antarctic continent from space, presenting scientists with an unprecedented snapshot of the entire continent in the microwave spectrum. NASA has charged the Byrd Polar Research Center with the goal of producing a full continental map using this data, subject to a number of constraints to maximize the utility of the data to the scientific community. To meet these requirements, a number of SAR data processing techniques shall be applied including orthorectification processing, block adjustments for ephemeris refinements, simulation techniques and radiometric balancing for automated image seam removal. These techniques shall be implemented in the RADARSAT Antarctica Mapping System being developed by Vexcel Corporation for the Byrd Polar Research Center. (Auth. mod.)

51-2491

RADARSAT: the Antarctic Mapping Project.

Jezek, K.C., et al, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1775-1776, 2 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Mapping, Research projects, Data processing, Data transmission, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

On Nov. 4, 1995, the Canadian RADARSAT was carried aloft by a NASA rocket launched from Vandenberg Air Force Base. RADARSAT is equipped with a C-band Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) capable of acquiring high resolution (25 m) images of Earth's surface day or night and under all weather conditions. Along with the attributes familiar to researchers working with SAR data from the European Space Agency's Earth Remote Sensing Satellite and the Japanese Earth Resources Satellite, RADARSAT will have enhanced flexibility to collect data using a variety of swath widths, incidence angles and resolutions. Most importantly, for scientists interested in Antarctica, the agreement for a U.S. launch of RADARSAT includes a provision for rotating in orbit the normally right-looking SAR to a left-looking mode. This 'Antarctic Mode' will provide for the first time a nearly instantaneous, high resolution view of the entirety of Antarctica on each of two proposed mappings separated by 2 years. This is an unprecedented opportunity to finish mapping one of the few remaining uncharted regions of the Earth. (Auth. mod.)

51-2492

McMurdo Ground Station (MGS): ready for SAR acquisition.

Wales, C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1777-1779.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Mapping, Research projects, Data processing, Data transmission, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

The McMurdo Ground Station (MGS), a satellite receiving facility on Ross I., was installed in Dec. 1994 by the Ground Networks Division of NASA in concert with the Office of Polar Programs of NSF. Its original purpose was to acquire synthetic aperture radar (SAR) data from the Canadian RADARSAT spacecraft, which was launched in Nov. 1995. To test the system, SAR data from the European ERS-1 spacecraft was successfully acquired by MGS in Jan. 1995 and processed at the Alaska SAR Facility (ASF). The role of the MGS has expanded to include other SAR missions, and its first major role is to support the ERS-1 and ERS-2 tandem mission. The tandem mission should collect three complete coverages of the McMurdo mask during the first half of 1996. In late spring MGS will start receiving and recording SAR data from RADARSAT. Data recorded in summer are expected to be shipped every two weeks; all winter data will be shipped on the first flight out in the spring. (Auth. mod.)

51-2493

Calibration of data from the Antarctic Mapping Mission.

Williams, J., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1780-1782, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Mapping, Research projects, Data processing, Data transmission, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

In Oct. of 1996 the RADARSAT SAR will acquire high resolution C-band radar data over the entirety of Antarctica. The mission will last for a period of about 18 days, during which 12 hours of data or approximately 3300 SAR images will be acquired. A substantial effort will be undertaken at the Alaska SAR Facility to ensure that all downlinked data is successfully acquired. To support calibration of the dataset, two transponders have been built and deployed in Antarctica. These transponders, together with other calibration targets in Alaska, Canada and Brazil will be used to calibrate the data. (Auth.)

51-2494

Robust threshold retracking algorithm for extracting ice-sheet surface elevations from satellite radar altimeters.

Davis, C.H., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1783-1787, 6 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Glacier surfaces, Glacier thickness, Topographic surveys, Height finding, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

A threshold retracking algorithm for processing ice-sheet altimeter data from Greenland and Antarctica is presented. The threshold algorithm and three other ice-sheet retracking algorithms were compared. The algorithm comparisons were made using Seasat and Geosat datasets comprised of over 30,000 crossover points. Results show that the threshold retracking algorithm produces ice-sheet surface elevations that are more repeatable than the elevations derived from all the other retracking algorithms. For analysis of long-term change in ice-sheet surface elevations, it is critical that a retracking algorithm produce repeatable elevations. The more consistent an algorithm is in selecting the retracking point the less likely that biases will be introduced by the retracking scheme in the elevation change measurement. For this reason, the robust threshold retracking algorithm has been adopted by NASA/GSFC as an alternative to their existing algorithm for production of ice-sheet altimeter datasets under the NASA Pathfinder program. The threshold algorithm will be used to re-process existing ice-sheet altimeter datasets and to process the datasets from future altimeter missions. (Auth. mod.)

51-2495

Individual weather correction for antarctic sea-ice concentrations from SSM/I.

Thomas, C.H., Heygster, G.C., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1788-1790, 13 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice detection, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Ice temperature, Radiometry, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

Antarctic sea-ice concentration as determined from the brightness temperatures of passive microwave sensors is affected frequently by high values of atmospheric water vapor, cloud liquid water, rain and sea surface roughening by surface winds. A correction scheme for SSM/I taking these influences into account is presented. Over open water, water vapor, liquid water and wind determined from the SSM/I signal serve to reduce the brightness temperatures to clear sky conditions using a radiative transfer model. When applied to a sample scene, the procedure results in reduced mean value for sea-ice extent, sea-ice area and open water, but increased ice concentration. (Auth.)

51-2496

Effect of the grounded tabular icebergs in front of Berkner Island on the Weddell Sea ice drift as seen from satellite passive microwave sensors.

Markus, T., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1791-1793, 4 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice shelves, Icebergs, Ice islands, Grounded ice, Ice friction, Drift, Polynyas, Radio echo soundings, Spaceborne photography, Antarctica—Berkner Island, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The huge grounded tabular icebergs in the southern Weddell Sea might have a significant influence on the sea ice drift, because they form a barrier to the clockwise circulation. The influence of these icebergs on the sea ice distribution is studied with ice concentration analyses from satellite passive microwave sensors over an eleven year period. Besides total ice concentration the fractions of the two different types distinguished in the NASA Team algorithm are studied. One is attributed to first-year ice and the other to deformed ice or ice with heavy snow cover. Results show that the ice coverage east of the icebergs has changed from 40% to between 80 and 90% in summer. This happens because the southward drifting sea ice is trapped between the continent on the right and the icebergs on the left. Therefore less ice formation in this area results in less heat exchange and brine release, which might effect the oceanic processes in front and under the ice shelfs. (Auth.)

51-2497

Retrieval of man-made structures in Siberia with INSAR techniques using ERS-SAR data.

Streck, C., Hellwich, O., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.3, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1836-1838, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost beneath roads, Pipelines, Tundra terrain, Taiga, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Russia—Nadym River

51-2498

Nadir and bidirectional surface measurements of arctic tundra: site differentiation and vegetation phenology early in the growing season.

Vierling, L.A., Derring, D.W., Eck, T.F., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.4, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1897-1900, 13 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Tundra climate, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Plant ecology, Phenology, Radiometry, Radar echoes, United States—Alaska—North Slope

51-2499

Radar sounding of glaciers in Greenland.

Allen, C., Wohletz, B., Gogineni, S.P., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.4, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1932-1934, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Glacier surveys, Glacier thickness, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Glacier beds, Glacier tongues, Radio echo soundings, Airborne radar, Synthetic aperture radar, Greenland

51-2500

Snow and ice observations during the European Multi-sensor Airborne Campaign in 1995.

Noll, J., Wooding, M., Attema, E., International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.4, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1995-1997, 2 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow water equivalent, Radiometry, Synthetic aperture radar, Airborne radar, Spaceborne photography, Norway, Sweden, Finland

51-2501

Overview of EMAC-95 snow and ice airborne campaign in Finland.

Hallikainen, M., et al, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.4, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.1998-2001, 5 refs.

DLC QE33.2.R4I57 1996

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Polynyas, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow water equivalent, Airborne radar, Synthetic aperture radar, Finland

51-2502

Estimation of snow water equivalence using SIR-C/X-SAR.

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Thawing of soils in Siberia observed by the ERS-1 scatterometer between 1992 and 1995.

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Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Soil surveys, Soil temperature, Soil water, Moisture detection, Terrain identification, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Russia—Siberia

51-2514

Passive microwave freeze/thaw classification for wet tundra regions.

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Freeze/thaw classification for prairie soils using SSM/I radiobrightnesses.

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Meadow soils, Soil surveys, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Soil temperature, Soil water, Moisture detection, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, United States—South Dakota

51-2516

Multisensor estimation of vegetation characteristics.

Zhang, J., et al, MP 3961, International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium, Lincoln, NE, May 27-31, 1996. IGARSS'96. Remote sensing for a sustainable future. Vol.4, New York, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, 1996, p.2375-2376, 5 refs.

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Forest ecosystems, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Forest canopy, Biomass, Terrain identification, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, United States—New Hampshire

The case for a multisensor approach to estimate and monitor vegetation characteristics has been well-established. SAR sensors have shown promise in not only classifying vegetation types but also in estimating parameters such as biomass, canopy height, and diameter at breast height (dbh). The accuracy with which vegetation types can be classified and the above parameters estimated can be significantly improved by using data from other optical sensor systems such as color-infrared (IR) imagery and satellite photography. The authors have obtained contemporaneous and coregistered SIR-C SAR and airborne color-IR images as well as satellite photographs of a forested area in New Hampshire. Bayesian classification technique is being investigated in order to classify vegetation into broad classes. Inversion algorithms are also being developed for estimating specific

vegetation parameters once broad classes have been delineated. The added benefit of integrating optical sensor data with the SAR imagery is being studied in terms of classification and estimation accuracy.

51-2517

Antarctic phytoplankton primary production under enhanced flux of ultraviolet radiation: a bio-optical approach.

Boucher, N.P., Santa Barbara, University of California, 1994, 192p., University Microfilms order No. 95-22775, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. passim.

Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Plankton, Biomass, Photosynthesis, Marine biology

The link between ozone depletion and increased UV-B irradiance has raised concern and prompted research into the potential impacts of increased UV-B on the ecological balance of Antarctica. One area of prime concern is the possible impact of increased UV-B on the vitality of phytoplankton in the southern ocean. Whereas the spectral increase in radiation associated with the reduction in stratospheric ozone is well known, the effects of the spectral shifts in UV radiation on primary production remain less understood. This dissertation seeks to improve predictive models of phytoplankton productivity in UV-enriched environments. The author combined highly resolved temporal and spatial estimates primary production and UV radiation collected during the spring 1991 west of the Antarctic Peninsula. He shows that ambient UV radiation caused a water column integrated loss of primary production approaching 25%. In comparison to full UVR effects, the short term impact of the 1991 ozone diminution was small but significant: it decreased water column integrated primary production over the region by 2.1%. Long-term ecological consequences of such a diminution remains to be determined. (Auth. mod.)

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High frequency/automatic link establishment (HF/ALE) radio propagation test to Antarctica.

Gilles, P.E., Katan, J.R., Pease, B.L., *U.S. Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division. Technical report,* Feb. 1, 1994, NUWC-NPT-TR-10427, 194p., ADA-277 730, 6 refs.

Radio communication, Equipment, Radio waves, Low temperature tests, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Recent federal/military standards in the area of automatic link establishment (ALE) for HF radios have been developed that coordinate frequency selection between communicating terminals, allowing them to adapt to skywave conditions. This study focused on evaluating the utility of these state-of-the-art radios in the polar environment. A quick-look evaluation of this technology was demonstrated over a radio circuit between Christchurch, New Zealand, and McMurdo Station. This transauroral link, operated by the U.S. Navy for the National Science Foundation, is the primary link for all operational, logistical, and emergency communications for U.S. operations between the Antarctic and the outside world. Daily plots of the measured signal-to-noise ratio, probability of bit error, and channel quality are presented, and analyzed. (Auth. mod.)

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Holocene ice retreat from the Lazarev Sea shelf, East Antarctica.

Gingele, F.X., Kuhn, G., Maus, B., Melles, M., Schöne, T., *Continental shelf research,* Feb. 1997, 17(2), p.137-163, Refs. p.161-163.

Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Grounded ice, Ice shelves, Marine deposits, Lithology, Classifications, Sedimentation, Grain size, Clay minerals, Radioactive age determination, Antarctica—East Antarctica

Distinct facies types, classified in radiocarbon-dated sediments from the shelf of the Lazarev Sea, East Antarctica, reveal a detailed history of processes that have controlled sedimentation during the deglaciation over the last 10,000 yr. The ice retreat on this part of the antarctic shelf started 9500 yr BP, marked by the deposition of laminated sediments, deposited from a floating ice shelf. These laminites, which occur on top of diamictons laid down from a grounded ice sheet, are the basal sediments of the postglacial sequence. The intensity of the Antarctic Coastal Current (ACC), directed by shelf morphology, controlled sedimentation of the postglacial facies. Current velocities apparently decreased between 8000 and 2000 yr BP due to a deflection of the ACC by advancing ice tongues to the east of the investigation area during the 'Hypsithermal'. This led to a deposition of fine-grained sediments, and clay mineralogy suggests a continental source, possibly near the grounding line of the Nivl Ice Shelf, rather than a winnowing of sediments near the shelf break or advection from deeper water. (Auth. mod.)

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Sea-ice processes in the Laptev Sea and their importance for sediment export.

Eicken, H., Reimnitz, E., Aleksandrov, V.IU., Martin, T., Kassens, H., Viehoff, T., *Continental shelf research,* Feb. 1997, 17(2), p.205-233, Refs. p.231-233.

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51-2521

Abundance of gelatinous carnivores in the nekton community of the Antarctic Polar Frontal Zone in summer 1994.

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Marine biology, Oceanography, Ecosystems, Biomass, Sampling, Plankton, Antarctica—Scotia Sea

The species composition, abundance, vertical distribution, biovolume and carbon content of gelatinous nekton in the Antarctic Polar Frontal Zone are described from a series of 200 m depth layers between 0 and 1000 m. In total, 13 species of medusa, 6 species of siphonophore, 3 species of ctenophore and 1 species of salp and nemertean were identified. On average gelatinous organisms contributed 69.3% to the biovolume and 30.3% to the carbon content of the samples. Some specific associations and restricted vertical distributions were related to trophic interactions among ostracods, amphipods and cnidarians. Observations made near South Georgia showed that medusae and ctenophores were preyed upon by albatrosses and notothenioid fish respectively. The results support the premise that gelatinous organisms are a major and, at times, are the main component of the oceanic macroplankton/nekton community in the southern ocean. (Auth. mod.)

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DLC QE993.R4 1994
Atmospheric composition, Vegetation, Fossils, Ice cores, Antarctica—Vostok Station, Antarctica—Siple Station
It has been shown that a strong negative correlation exists between stomatal density and atmospheric CO_2 concentration in the leaves of deciduous temperate forest trees. This correlation was initially established on a time scale of some 200 years, using dated leaf specimens from herbaria, and confirmed by experimental observations under controlled CO_2 levels. In the present investigation the authors have attempted to combine the use of fossil leaves with the long-term ice core record of CO_2 changes to extend the time scale of stomatal density response to CO_2 change. Stomatal counts were made from fossil leaves of the dwarf willow *Salix herbacea* spanning the last glacial cycle, and the authors are able to demonstrate a reduction in density in response to increased CO_2. This relationship is used to reconstruct the pattern of CO_2 change since the last glacial maximum. The results are compared with the Byrd ice core record from Antarctica. The pattern of CO_2 change in both records is remarkably similar, although there is some mis-match on the dating of certain features of these patterns. It is suggested that this method of CO_2 reconstruction may be developed further to extend the use of sto-

matal density studies to elucidate atmospheric CO_2 trends during earlier critical phases of the Earth's history, long pre-dating the ice core record. (Auth.)

51-2553

Distinguishing internal developmental characteristics from external palaeoenvironmental effects in fossil wood.

Chapman, J.L., *Review of palaeobotany and palynology,* Mar. 1994, 81(1), p.19-32, 33 refs.

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Trees (plants), Fossils, Paleobotany, Paleoecology, Antarctica—Alexander Island

Fossil wood has the potential to record several aspects of the palaeoenvironment in which it grew. Ring width (especially cell number), latewood format, falserings and traumatic tissue are all important morphological characters. Other characters, such as ray dimensions, bark thickness and tracheid or vessel size, are also probably useful but as yet not fully understood. Unfortunately, all these characters vary within a tree depending on position of the wood: twig, branch, trunk, stump or root. It is thus important that the growing position of fossil fragments is identified so that comparisons of wood characters between sites can be made. Fossil examples of characters from woods from the Cretaceous of Antarctica and Alaska provide examples of palaeoenvironmental interpretation. (Auth.)

51-2554

Increased attention to ocean and coastal protection legislation in the 101st Congress.

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Legislation, Environmental protection

For all the grumbling about the ineffectiveness of Congress, the 101st Congress produced a surprising number of critical pieces of coastal- and ocean-related legislation, and began the process of developing other programs. This paper will summarize selected key ocean and coastal environmental bills enacted during the past Congress and analyze what we can expect from the 102nd Congress in the marine environmental area. (Auth.)

51-2555

Strategies for the international stewardship of coastal and marine resources of Antarctica.

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Legislation, Environmental protection, Ecosystems, International cooperation

The formulation and realization of several international agreements has successfully governed Antarctica and its surrounding seas for three decades. Today, given the increased real and perceived importance of Antarctica and its resources, it is clear that the next step must be taken, namely, that global scientific inquiry, political initiatives, and the management of antarctic coastal and marine resources must be combined to create and implement a system of wise stewardship. This will be achieved through the use of current international treaties, new agreements, and greater scientific efforts. This paper presents an overview of the many issues associated with the management of antarctic coastal and marine resources; examines the concept of the international stewardship of this global commons; and offers recommendations for future actions.

51-2556

Comments on "On the obscurantist physics of 'form drag' in theorizing about the Circumpolar Current".

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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Atmospheric pressure, Wind factors, Stress concentration, Boundary layer, Friction

In a recent note, Warren et al. presented the opinion that considerations of form drag in the dynamics of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC) are obscurantist in nature and a distraction from the more promising "Sverdrup" approach to ACC dynamics. The present author argues that, on the contrary, the concept of form drag is one of several important considerations in understanding ACC dynamics and is the one that most clearly distinguishes the ACC from midocean gyres. (Auth. mod.)

51-2557

Pyramidal ice crystal scattering phase functions and concentric halos.

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Climatology, Radiation balance, Cloud physics, Light scattering, Ice crystal optics, Ice crystal structure, Orientation, Wave propagation, Light effects, Models, Statistical analysis

51-2558

Heat-transfer and defrosting characteristics of a horizontal array of cooled tubes immersed in a very shallow fluidized bed.

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Pipes (tubes), Heat transfer coefficient, Heat pumps, Defrosting, Ice solid interface, Ice cover effect, Frost protection, Simulation, Wind tunnels, Fluid dynamics, Coatings, Particles, Ice erosion

51-2559

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Oceanographic surveys, Marine biology, Biomass, Hydrography, Water chemistry, Nutrient cycle, Plankton, Ecosystems, Chlorophylls, Seasonal variations, Sampling, Statistical analysis, Sea ice, Sea water, — South Georgia

51-2560

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Ice physics, Ice crystal growth, Anisotropy, Solutions, Ice crystal structure, Ice microstructure, Orientation, Dendritic ice, Supercooling, Ice water interface, Temperature effects

51-2561

Growth and reproductive phenology of nine intertidal algae on the Murman coast of the Barents Sea.

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Marine biology, Subpolar regions, Ecosystems, Shores, Littoral zone, Algae, Growth, Phenology, Vegetation patterns, Sampling, Biomass, Statistical analysis, Seasonal variations, Barents Sea

51-2562

Man-made snow.

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Artificial snow, Snow manufacturing, Ice nuclei, Snow composition, Snow density, Bacteria, Admixtures

51-2563

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Pleistocene, Paleoecology, Limnology, Paleoclimatology, Vegetation patterns, Palynology, Lacustrine deposits, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Radioactive age determination, Geochronology, Landscape development, Canada—Alberta

51-2564

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Greenberg, J.M., *South African journal of science,* Sep. 1996, 92(9), p.416-419.

Ice physics, Cosmic dust, Extraterrestrial ice, Porous materials, Ice sublimation, Models, Geochemistry

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51-2566

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Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Meltwater, Sediment transport, Hydrogeochemistry, Watersheds, Runoff, Stream flow, Flooding, Seasonal variations, Hydrography, Isotope analysis

51-2567

Chamber for laboratory studies of atmospheric aerosols and clouds.

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Climatology, Air pollution, Polar stratospheric clouds, Aerosols, Cloud physics, Sampling, Cloud chambers, Design, Simulation, Infrared spectroscopy

A stainless-steel chamber has been constructed and interfaced to a Fourier transform infrared spectrometer for the purpose of studying laboratory simulated atmospheric aerosols and clouds applicable to the atmospheres of both polar regions. The chamber is cylindrical in design and is comprised of a double-walled inner assembly that resides within an outer vacuum jacket. The chamber described here has been used to examine heterogeneous chemistry of solid powder samples. (Auth. mod.)

51-2568

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Glacial geology, Glaciation, Glacial erosion, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Periglacial processes, Marine geology, Geological surveys, Stratigraphy, Geochronology, Paleoclimatology

51-2569

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DLC QE697.P38 1995

Glaciation, Glacial geology, Glacial erosion, Glacial deposits, Marine geology, Geological surveys, Stratigraphy, Geochronology, Paleoclimatology

51-2570

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Saline soils, Sands, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil creep, Soil tests, Russia—Yamal Peninsula

51-2571

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Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Frozen ground temperature, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil compaction, Soil pressure, Soil water, Freezing points

51-2572

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Offshore structures, Bridges, Piers, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation

51-2573

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Natural gas, Gas production, Gas wells, Offshore drilling, Gas pipelines, Pipe laying, Cold weather operation, Barents Sea

51-2574

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Gas pipelines, Underground pipelines, Pipe laying, Ocean bottom, Trenching, Earth fills, Soil stabilization, Subsea permafrost, Permafrost preservation, Ice scoring, Shore erosion, Sediment transport, Russia—Kara Sea, Russia—Baydaratskaya Bay

51-2575

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Hot oil lines, Underground pipelines, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost heat transfer, Permafrost preservation, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Soil stabilization, Mathematical models

51-2576

Mechanism analysis and dynamic simulation of iced cable galloping.

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Power line icing, Ice loads, Cables (ropes), Wind pressure, Damping, Mathematical models

51-2577

Compressive strength of natural sea ice in horizontal loading.

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Sea ice, Ice structure, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Strain tests

51-2578

Model of viscoplastic deformation of frozen and unfrozen soils and ice.

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Rheology, Plastic deformation, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Soil strength, Soil creep, Ice strength, Ice pressure, Ice plasticity, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Mathematical models

A mathematical model for visco-plastic deformations, a new criterion for the long-term strength of frozen and unfrozen soils, and a criterion for the long-term (creep) strength of ice were developed on the basis of a combination of compression and torsion constant-deformation-rate tests, and relaxation tests. The analysis of test data on the kinetics of the generation and development of microdefects in the structure of ice during creep made it possible to formulate a generalized criterion for the creep strength of ice. Physical interpretation and a quantitative evaluation procedure are presented of the anomalous behavior of ice under high confining pressure, when its strength reaches a maximum, then gradually decreases with continued pressure increase. These studies allowed the temperature effect on the viscoplastic flow and the long-term strength of frozen soils and ice under high pressures to be taken into account as well.

51-2579

Mechanical properties of dry saline ice rubble.

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Salt ice, Ice cover strength, Ice pileup, Pressure ridges, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Strain tests, Environmental tests

51-2580

Numerical technique in calculation of dynamic interaction forces between ice floe and arctic offshore structures.

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice breaking

51-2581

Indentation contact and penetration of ice by a semicircular indentor.

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Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice cutting, Ice breaking, Penetration tests, Computerized simulation

51-2582

Impact of ice loads on pile structures.

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Offshore structures, Hydraulic structures, Pile structures, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice control, Ocean waves, Impact tests, Japan—Hokkaido, Okhotsk Sea

51-2583

Answers to some questions on the new method for sheet ice force estimation.

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Bridges, Piers, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Stress concentration, Impact tests, Penetration tests, Computerized simulation

51-2584

Sea ice compression and dynamic response in local observation in the Arctic Ocean.

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Drift stations, Drift, Ice floes, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice friction, Ice pressure, Ice deformation

51-2585

Program of experimental study of the three-dimensional ice strength distribution for ice force analysis.

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation

51-2586

Determination of the ice strength for calculation of the ice load.

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice friction, Ice pressure, Ice deformation

51-2587

Method of slowing of ice cover growth.

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Ice growth, Ice heat flux, Ice control, Ice prevention, Artificial melting, Thermal insulation

51-2588

Nonlinear loading phase in ice indentation.

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Offshore structures, Artificial islands, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Penetration tests, Mathematical models

51-2589

Experimental investigations of relaxation properties of sea ice internal stresses.

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Drift stations, Ice floes, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice relaxation, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Ice breakup, Stress concentration, Chukchi Sea, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Studies on relaxation of internal stressses in sea ice and breakup of ice floes were conducted from the North Pole-30 drift station in the Chukchi Sea in spring 1990, and from the Weddell-1 drift station in the Weddell Sea in spring 1992. It was found that the relaxation time was 21 hours both in the Arctic when an ice crack was 150 m long and the ice was 3 m thick, and in the Antarctic when an ice crack was 75 m long and the ice was 1.5 m thick, that is, the relaxation time was the same for both when the crack was 50 times longer than the ice thickness. Observations in the Weddell Sea indicate that the relaxation time can be approximated by dividing the crack length by the ice thickness, taking the square root of that ratio, and multiplying by three.

51-2590

Numerical modeling of the creep behaviour of ice-debris mixtures under variable thermal regimes.

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Rock glaciers, Glacier flow, Talus, Ground ice, Fossil ice, Slope processes, Frozen ground temperature, Soil creep, Ice creep

51-2591

Ice loads on the Northumberland Strait bridge piers—an approach.

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Bridges, Piers, Ice conditions, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Pressure ridges, Ice pileup, Ice control, Canada—Northumberland Strait

51-2592

Northumberland Strait crossing project acceptance criteria for ice loads and load factors.

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Bridges, Piers, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Foundations, Soil strength, Design criteria, Canada—Northumberland Strait

51-2593

Ice features and ice mechanical properties in Northumberland Strait.

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Bridges, Piers, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice pileup, Pressure ridges, Drift, Canada—Northumberland Strait

51-2594

Structure of hummocks offshore of northern Sakhalin.

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Fast ice, Pressure ridges, Hummocks, Ice pileup, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Offshore structures, Russia—Sakhalin Island

51-2595

Monitoring ice movement in Antarctica.

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Glacier surveys, Ice shelves, Glacier surfaces, Glacier thickness, Glacier flow, Crevasses, Topographic surveys, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Antarctica—Hemmen Ice Rise

Monitoring the changes of the ice cover and the movement of the ice in the remote antarctic region continuously is quite difficult. ERS SAR Interferometry provides a tool to perform this task. For the region around Hemmen Ice Rise (HIR)it is demonstrated, that topography, tidal variations and horizontal movements of shelf ices can be estimated. A number of SAR images obtained by ERS-1 satellite in three day time intervals are used in the experiment. The evaluated topography is in good agreement with the topographic map. The differential interferometry has been used to estimate the tidal changes between the data acquistions. A horizontal movement map of the ice surface around the HIR on the Antarctic was obtained by using the displacements in azimuth and slant range involved in the interferogram together with the given tidal heights. The combination of two interferograms from ascending and descending orbits with different look angles allows for accurate determination of the motion of the shelf ice around HIR. Also the width change of the crevasses on the shelf ice for a three day interval can be determined. (Auth. mod.)

51-2596

Freeze-up and ice movement effects: Kara Sea—fall 1994.

Fett, R.W., Englebretson, R.E., Kozo, T.L., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.406-410, 12 refs.

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Radioactive wastes, Water pollution, Freezeup, Ice growth, Drift, Ice surveys, Ice detection, Ice composition, Impurities, Radar tracking, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Russia—Kara Sea

51-2597

Evidence for autumn sea ice transport through the Vil'kitskogo Strait at the eastern exit of the Kara Sea.

Kozo, T.L., et al, International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.411-416, 16 refs.

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Radioactive wastes, Water pollution, Air ice water interaction, Drift, Impurities, Ice forecasting, Wind factors, Russia—Kara Sea, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Vil'kitskiy Strait

51-2598

Icewatch—ice SAR monitoring of the Northern Sea Route.

Johannessen, O.M., Sandven, S., Melent'ev, V.V., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.417-421, 6 refs.

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Ice surveys, Ice reporting, Ice detection, Ice forecasting, Ice routing, Ice navigation, Synthetic aperture radar, Radar tracking, Spaceborne photography, Northern Sea Route

51-2599

Global sea ice monitoring from microwave satellites.

Johannessen, O.M., Miles, M.W., Bjørgo, E., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.422-426, 14 refs.

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Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice detection, Global warming, Radio echo soundings, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

The most direct sources of consistent, repetitive information on the polar sea ice covers are satellite passive microwave sensors. Previous studies using microwave data have detected decreases in arctic ice extent and ice area, but no significant changes in the Antarctic. The authors analyzed microwave data 1978-1995, to identify changes in ice extent, ice area, and overall ice concentration. They found continued decreases in the arctic ice extent and ice area, as well as a decrease in the overall ice concentration. Also included is a seasonal analysis of the arctic ice cover, which reveals the greatest decreases to be in summer. The relatively large summer decreases imply a reduction in the multi-year ice area, suggesting reduced ice thickness. These findings have considerable implications for global warming and are important for polar operations. (Auth. mod.)

51-2600

Sea-ice runway near McMurdo Station, Antarctica: a problem of logistics.

Barthelemy, J.L., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.427-432, 5 refs.

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Ice runways, Ice roads, Ice cover strength, Ice deterioration, Trafficability, Logistics, Road maintenance, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

The annual sea-ice runway at McMurdo Station allows heavy-haul wheeled aircraft to operate at the start of a short but vital re-supply season. A top priority of the United Stated Antarctic Program is to optimize research productivity by ushering scientists and equipment to the continent at the earliest possible date, thus a key operational objective is to extend usage of the seasonal runway for as long a period as is safe and reasonable. In the best of years, air operations are not relocated to a subordinate ski facility until after the ice runway is abandoned because of progressive bottom melting and surface deterioration. During other years, however, the wheeled facility closes prematurely due to a failure at one of two vulnerable transition areas. The VXE-6 transition links the ice road that originates at the runway with the land-based road system around McMurdo Station proper. All priority cargo carried from the runway must cross this transition. The Williams Field transition occurs at the edge of the Ross Ice Shelf where annual sea ice abuts the glacial outcroppings. When the seasonal runway is closed, buildings are towed across the transition to a new location at the ski way. Failure of either of these two vital links is tantamount to failure of the runway itself. (Auth. mod.)

51-2601

Abrasion rate of various materials due to the movement of ice sheets.

Hanada, M., Ujihira, M., Hara, F., Saeki, H., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.433-437, 5 refs.

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Offshore structures, Bridges, Piers, Concrete structures, Masonry, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Abrasion

51-2602

Underwater arctic transport system.

Pavlenko, V., Tsagareli, D.V., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.438-440, 7 refs.

DLC TC1665.I5793a 6th V.2 1996

Marine transportation, Petroleum transportation, Economic development, Subglacial navigation, Submarines, Tanker ships, Northern Sea Route

51-2603

Hydrodynamic and ice model of the south-western part of the Kara Sea.

Arkhipov, B.V., Sol'bakov, V.V., Tsvetsinskiĭ, A.S., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.441-446, 13 refs.

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Gas pipelines, Underground pipelines, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice heat flux, Ice forecasting, Water temperature, Salinity, Computerized simulation, Russia—Kara Sea, Russia—Baydaratskaya Bay

51-2604

Technical aspects of marine seismic survey in ice covered regions.

Buravtsev, V.IU., Jokat, W., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.447-449, 6 refs.

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Seismic surveys, Oceanographic surveys, Bottom topography, Bottom sediment, Ocean bottom, Earth crust, Ice cover effect, Subglacial observations, Ice acoustics, Underwater acoustics

51-2605

Sea-ice observations at the north-eastern Sakhalin shelf and a thermodynamic modelling of first-year sea ice.

Aota, M., Shirasawa, K., Truskov, P.A., Polomoshnov, A.M., Michukov, V., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.450-454, 3 refs.

DLC TC1665.I5793a 6th V.2 1996

Ice surveys, Fast ice, Sea water freezing, Air ice water interaction, Snow ice interface, Ice conditions, Ice cover thickness, Ice heat flux, Ice forecasting, Mathematical models, Russia—Sakhalin Island

51-2606

Experimental research on ice load.

Cai, Z.R., Pen, Y.H., Men, X.Y., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.455-458, 5 refs.

DLC TC1665.I5793a 6th V.2 1996

Bridges, Piers, River ice, Ice breakup, Ice jams, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Damping, China—Songhua River

51-2607

Design of hull structures for ice-navigating ships.

Shemendiuk, G.P., Babtsev, V.A., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 6th, Los Angeles, CA, May 26-31, 1996 Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, M. Sayed, R.E. Hobbs, and D.R. Yoerger, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1996, p.459-463, 5 refs.

DLC TC1665.I5793a 6th V.2 1996

Icebreakers, Ships, Ice navigation, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Metal ice friction, Design criteria

51-2608

Composition and origin of volcanic ash zones in Late Quaternary sediments from the Reykjanes Ridge: evidence for ash fallout and ice-rafting.

Lackschewitz, K.S., Wallrabe-Adams, H.J., *Marine geology,* Jan. 1997, 136(3-4), p.209-224, Refs. p.223-224.

Oceanography, Pleistocene, Marine geology, Quaternary deposits, Marine deposits, Ice rafting, Glacial erosion, Sediment transport, Volcanic ash, Sampling, Geochemistry, Atlantic Ocean

51-2609

Mineralogy and lithostratigraphy of Harris Lake, southwestern Saskatchewan, Canada.

Last, W.M., Sauchyn, D.J., *Journal of paleolimnology,* 1993, 9(1), p.23-39, 41 refs.

Limnology, Salinity, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Watersheds, Hydrogeochemistry, Sedimentation, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Mineralogy, Sampling, Geochronology, Canada—Saskatchewan—Harris Lake

51-2610

Latest Cretaceous flora of northeastern Russia and the "Terminal Cretaceous Event" in the Arctic.

Herman, A.B., Spicer, R.A., *Paleontological journal,* Sep. 1995, 29(2A), p.22-35, Translated from Paleontologicheskiĭ zhurnal. With Russian summary. 26 refs.

Pleistocene, Subpolar regions, Paleobotany, Paleoecology, Vegetation patterns, Quaternary deposits, Sampling, Classifications, Plant tissues, Global change, Russia—Kamchatka Peninsula

51-2611

Glacial burst overwhelms Skeidará.

Carlowicz, M., *Eos,* Nov. 19, 1996, 77(47), p.470.

River flow, Glacial hydrology, Lake bursts, Floodplains, Flooding, Geothermal thawing, Meltwater, Subglacial drainage, Geomorphology, Iceland—Skeidará

51-2612

Algal and bacterial processes in platelet ice during late austral summer.

Grossmann, S., Lochte, K., Scharek, R., *Polar biology,* Oct. 1996, 16(8), p.623-633, Refs. p.632-633.

Sea ice, Algae, Biomass, Bacteria, Marine biology, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The biota inhabiting layers of platelet ice were investigated in the Weddell Sea during late austral summer. Due to meltwater release, the salinity of the interstitial water between platelets was reduced. Algae and bacteria accumulated within this ice environment attaining concentrations of up to 500 μg in total pigments (chlorophyll *a* plus phaeopigments) and 2 mg in bacterial biomass per liter. Pennate diatoms of the genus *Fragilariopsis* were most common in the platelet layer, while ice-free water was dominated by autotrophic nanoflagellates. Protozoa contributed only 5% or less to the total protistan (microalgae plus protozoa) cell concentration in the ice, compared to about 10% in open water, thus suggesting a low grazing pressure within the platelet habitat. The bulk of bacterial biomass occurred within the dense assemblages of pennate diatoms that grew attached to the ice platelets. Algal and bacterial concentrations in the interstitial water between platelets were much lower. Measurements of bacterial growth showed that substantial heterotrophic potential can be established within assemblages inhabiting late summer platelet ice. (Auth. mod.)

51-2613

In-flight calibration of NOAA AVHRR visible and near-IR bands over Greenland and Antarctica.

Loeb, N.G., *International journal of remote sensing,* Feb. 1997, 18(3), p.477-490, 10 refs.

Reflectivity, Albedo, Ice sheets, Radiation measuring instruments, Spaceborne photography

A new method for in-flight calibration of NOAA AVHRR visible and near-IR bands is presented. The approach involves using calibrated NOAA-9 near-nadir reflectances over spatially and temporally uniform ice-surfaces from Greenland and Antarctica to produce reflectance calibration curves for AVHRR instruments in all orbits. The reflectance calibration curves consist of second order polynomial regressions of reflectance on solar zenith angle, derived from observations that are spatially uniform in all AVHRR channels over subregions of area 68 km by 68 km. By comparing reflectances from uncalibrated AVHRR instruments with these calibration curves, new channel 1 and 2 calibration coefficients are obtained with an accuracy of ≈5%. The main advantages of this calibration method are: calibration targets are large; it can be applied over multiple years; and it is applicable for a wide range of solar zenith angles, and can therefore be used year-round. (Auth. mod.)

51-2614

Discrimination of sea ice in the Labrador marginal ice zone from synthetic aperture radar image texture.

Collins, M.J., Livingstone, C.E., Raney, R.K., *International journal of remote sensing,* Feb. 1997, 18(3), p.535-571, 36 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice detection, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Labrador Sea

51-2615

Conference proceedings of the Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Vol.51.

Colacino, M., ed, Giovanelli, G., ed, Stefanutti, L., ed, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, 6th Workshop, Florence Nov. 6-8, 1995, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, 383p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see E-56815, F-56812 through F-56814, I-56795 through I-56811, I-56816 through I-56826, K-56827, K-56828 or 51-2616 through 51-2629.

Meteorological data, Meteorological instruments, Low temperature research, Research projects, Ozone, Weather observations, Stratosphere, Glaciology, Ice air interface

This is a collection of papers presented at the 6th Workshop of Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, held Nov. 6-8, 1995, in Florence, Italy. It consists of 34 reports divided into 5 sections: 8 papers dealing with physics of the planetary boundary layer; 6 on meteorology and climatology; 7 on radiation, aerosols and clouds; 6 on physics and chemistry of the stratosphere; and 7 on instruments and measurement methodologies.

51-2616

Study of the annual atmospheric cycle in the sector 90°E-180°E, East Antarctica.

Pettré, P., Murphy, B., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.3-10, 9 refs.

Weather observations, Low temperature research, Atmospheric circulation, Climatic changes, Sea ice distribution, Ice air interface, Wind factors, Antarctica—East Antarctica

The authors report on their study of the modulation of the annual atmospheric cycle in the Southern Hemisphere which is based upon a governing idea: the main observed modification concerns the Semi-Annual Oscillation of pressure which dominates the general circulation of the atmosphere in the high southern latitudes. The project's three main fields of investigation are discussed: the meridional temperature gradient through the mean troposphere between 60°S and 50°S; the effects of sea ice; and the large scale katabatic feedback.

51-2617

Boundary layer field experiment in the area of Terranova Bay, during the summer 1994-95.

Viola, A., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.11-23, 14 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Wind factors, Meteorological instruments, Ice sheets, Glaciers, Ice air interface, Antarctica—Reeves Névé, Antarctica—Nansen Ice Sheet

To study the characteristics of the air flow in a confluence region, 2 measurement stations have been set up in the area of Terra Nova Bay during the summer 1994-95: one on the Reeves Névé (at 1200 m ASL) and another on the Nansen Ice Sheet. Both stations were equipped with a triaxial Doppler sodar and with several fast response sensors to evaluate the characteristics of the turbulent fluxes over a complex orographic area. In this work, the description of the experiment is given, and a first attempt to correlate different sensor measurements at the Nansen Ice Sheet station is presented. Good agreement is found between the wind measurements obtained by sodar and sonic anemometers. The differences recorded in the sonic anemometer and sodar momentum flux estimates need further investigation. (Auth.)

51-2618

Some characteristics of turbulence from summertime measurements over an antarctic ice sheet.

Giostra, U., Cava, D., Cardillo, F., Tagliazucca, M., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.25-38, 16 refs.

Atmospheric disturbances, Atmospheric circulation, Wind factors, Meteorological instruments, Snow air interface, Heat flux, Antarctica—Victoria Land

Turbulence measurements were made by fast response instrumentation over the ice sheet of a coastal region in Victoria Land during the summer of 1993-94. Turbulent fluxes of momentum, heat and water vapor were determined by the eddy correlation method. Daily cycle of some relevant turbulence quantities were investigated to determine the mean seasonal characteristics of the atmospheric boundary layer. It is prevalently stably stratified, the averaged heat flux is always negative and latent heat flux is positive but exchange processes are of limited extent being mostly inhibited by the low level of turbulence. Relevant deviations from this behavior were observed during katabatic wind episodes and free convection events. In the first case it is observed that the boundary layer stratification tends to become more neutral, temperature, downward heat and upward water vapor fluxes increase notably, and energy is stored inside the snow. Unstable thermal stratification occurs only in 15% of cases; it is concentrated in the central hours of the day and often a rapid transition to free convection is observed. Sporadic cases were also observed in late evening and early morning hours. (Auth.)

51-2619

Surface energy and radiation balances in Antarctica.

Georgiadis, T., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.39-44, 4 refs.

Radiation balance, Wind factors, Climatic factors, Heat transfer, Glaciers, Clouds (meteorology), Meteorological instruments, Antarctica—Reeves Glacier

An experiment on surface energy and radiation balances was conducted during the 10th Italian expedition at the Reeves Glacier to correlate the surface balances with the formation and development of katabatic winds and to define the microclimatology of the site. An 'eddy-correlation' station equipped also with radiometers, thermocouples and a soil heat flux sensor recorded the radiative and energy components. The first analysis of the data showed a low amount of sensible and latent heat partition of the net radiation (few tens of W/m^2). The main process which gains the major amount of the available surface energy is the heat transfer through the subsurface medium (up to 80% of the net radiation value). The role of the cloud cover in triggering the surface balances is discussed, comparing situations of clear and cloudy skies. (Auth.)

51-2620

Can the marine organic matter evidenced in antarctic snow be responsible of biogeochemical fractionation in marine aerosol?

Cini, R., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.211-227, 30 refs.

Air water interactions, Aerosols, Atmospheric circulation, Snow composition, Impurities, Chemical analysis, Oceanography, Models, Antarctica—McCarthy Ridge, Antarctica—Styx Glacier

Previous findings of marine organic surfactant matter in antarctic snow, lead the authors to consider a biogeochemical fractionation of marine aerosol. They propose a new simplified model based on the distribution of marine surfactant adsorption layer on the surface of spray drops (SDALM) which are originated during th breaking wave events. Field conditions and laboratory experiments seem to explain, according to SDALM, the anomalous enrichment of K and Ca in marine aerosol found in antarctic snow at altitudes higher than 700 m above sea level. The application of SDALM could suggest a new general approach to the variations in the composition of the marine aerosol fine fraction. (Auth.)

51-2621

Fractionating phenomena, altitude induced, on snow composition in northern Victoria Land (Antarctica).

Piccardi, G., Becagli, S., Traversi, R., Udisti, R., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.229-245, 17 refs.

Snow composition, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Air water interactions, Chemical analysis, Sea water, Antarctica—Victoria Land

Chemical analysis of snow and firn samples, collected from snow pits and coring at different altitudes, has revealed fractionating phenomena of the atmospheric aerosol and has identified principal and secondary sources of some environmental components. Using sodium as sea spray source indicator and methanesulphonic acid as biogenic marine tracer, it has been possible to evaluate the altitude contribution and the size of aerosol particles on the snow composition and on the progressive importance of fractionating phenomena. As the elevation of the station increases (and the particle size decreases) evidence of secondary sources of K, Ca and non-sea-salt sulphates has been noted. The dating of the snow layers sampled has shown the seasonal character of the principal and secondary sources of some of the components studied. (Auth.)

51-2622

Observation of liquid particles at -65° in a polar cirrus.

Del Guasta, M., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.247-252, 10 refs.

Clouds (meteorology), Polar atmospheres, Ice crystal nuclei, Atmospheric composition, Lidar

Theoretical and laboratory studies confirm that pure water cannot exist as a liquid below about -40°. Liquid droplets have seldom been observed in cirrus clouds at about -50°C. The LIDAR technique can help find unusual supercooled clouds when the depolarization technique is implemented: the presence of non-depolarizing layers in a cloud is indicative of a very special scattering media; scattering particles must have a symmetry axis oriented along the laser beam. This is possible either with spherical droplets or ice plates horizontally oriented. In this work, a -65°C non-depolarizing cloud observed in a polar region is studied, indicating that supercooled droplets are responsible for the absence of depolarization in most of the cloud. This is the coldest supercooled cirrus ever observed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2623

Studies of reactive and reservoir chlorine and nitrogen in the antarctic stratosphere, using ground-based observations.

Keys, J.G., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.269-278, 15 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Experimentation, Antarctica—Arrival Heights

A review is given of antarctic ground-based measurements of stratospheric trace gases that are relevant to ozone depletion studies. Techniques and important results from these experiments are discussed. Emphasis is given to those experiments that have been conducted by NIWA, alone or in cooperation with the international partners. The principal stratospheric components that are discussed here are nitrogen and chlorine compounds, which have a special relevance in ozone depletion chemistry in Antarctica. Studies of extended time series of the column amounts of these molecules give insight into the heterogeneous chemical processes that dominate the antarctic springtime destruction of ozone. (Auth.)

51-2624

Airborne Polar Experiment (APE): state of the art.

Stefanutti, L., MacKenzie, R., Balestri, S., Adriani, A., Borrmann, S., Khattatov, V., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.279-284, 2 refs.

Research projects, Polar stratospheric clouds, Aerosols, Ozone, Meteorological instruments

An airborne campaign to investigate the role of Polar Stratospheric Clouds (PSCs) and background aerosols in the ozone depletion processes is reported. By means of the stratospheric aircraft M-55 Geophysika (Myasishchev Design Bureau), equipped with *in-situ* and remote sensing instrumentation, a more detailed study of the microphysics and chemistry of PSCs will be possible. The main stages of the project are described. (Auth. mod.)

51-2625

In situ observations of aerosol and Polar Stratospheric Clouds by balloon-borne and airborne laser backscatter sondes.

Adriani, A., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.285-292, 7 refs.

Polar stratospheric clouds, Meteorological instruments, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Two balloon-borne devices for optical probing of the atmosphere are described: one is able to measure optical properties of stratospheric aerosols, the other is capable of assessing their dimensional distribution. Compared results are reported. A third airborne device, still under development, is also presented. (Auth.)

51-2626

Lidar observation of PSCs in the Arctic and Antarctic.

Stefanutti, L., et al, Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.293-309, 12 refs.

Polar stratospheric clouds, Aerosols, Lidar, Meteorological data, Models, Antarctica—Dumont d'Urville Station

Polar Stratospheric Clouds and aerosols were monitored in Antarctica and in the Arctic from 1989 to 1995 and include the pre-Pinatubo, the Pinatubo and after-Pinatubo period. Non-depolarizing PSCs and warm depolarizing aerosols are discussed. Non-depolarizing PSCs have been observed over Dumont d'Urville Station during the POLE experiment (1989-1995) and over Sodankyla during SESAME. (Auth. mod.)

51-2627

Brewer measurements in Ushuaia austral springs 1994-1995.

Rafanelli, C., Valenti, C., Di Menno, M., Luttazzi, C., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.319-325, 6 refs.

Ozone, Meteorological instruments, Meteorological data, Ultraviolet radiation

Preliminary results, obtained during two ozone-measurement campaigns in austral springs of 1994 and 1995, are presented. Methods and instruments used are described. Data analysis shows that during the austral spring the ozone hole has a duration of about 15 days; the UV radiation measurements show an increase of erythemal irradiance during the hole's duration. (Auth. mod.)

51-2628

Ocular hazard from side-scattered radiation by cirrus and polar stratospheric clouds.

Guzzi, D., Stefanutti, L., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.335-341, 5 refs.

Ozone, Polar stratospheric clouds, Lidar, Atmospheric composition, Meteorological instruments, Radiation, Physiological effects

A link at high latitudes between ozone losses and the conversion of inorganic chlorine toward reactive forms, by means of polar stratospheric clouds (PSC), is discussed. An airborne campaign for the study of the PSCs is proposed: a high-flying research aircraft, the Geophysica (M-55), would provide the platform for making the measurements at heights between 7 and 22 km; a Lidar would be used to study particle size distribution and shape. Since the Lidar would be placed in front of the pilot at a distance of about 200 cm from the cockpit, the possibility of damage to the pilot's eyes from the side-scattered laser radiation is considered.

51-2629

Atmospheric CO_2 concentration measured continuously from the Mediterranean to the Bellingshausen Sea: technology and methodology.

Ori, C., Giovanelli, G., Lenaz, R., Colombo, T., Italian Research on Antarctic Atmosphere, Conference proceedings. Vol.51, Bologna, Italian Physical Society, 1996, p.361-367, 7 refs.

Low temperature research, Meteorological instruments, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica—Bellingshausen Sea

This paper describes the methodology used during the EOLO 94 cruise for continuous CO_2 measurement in a hemispheric course. The SIEMENS ULTRAMAT 5E analyzer was mounted in a thermostatic box fitted on shock-absorbing supports; a two-stage freezing unit, that could go below -55°C and sustain measuring operations for at least 5 to 24 hours depending on humidity percentage, was assembled. Twenty minutes were sufficient for the replacement of the trap when the air flow was obstructed by the ice from frozen humidity. The very low temperature was reached by using a two-stage refrigerator system: the first, a traditional compressor unit (to -30°C); the second, a big Peltier cell able to lower the temperature to -55°C. The actual working temperature of the two systems was monitored by a real time data logger. (Auth.)

51-2630

Summary of inorganic water quality sampling in the Fairbanks Railroad Industrial Area, Fairbanks, Alaska: 1994-1995.

Vohden, J., *Alaska. Department of Natural Resources. Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys. Public-data file,* Dec. 1995, No.95-21, 8p., 3 refs.

Wells, Ground water, Water pollution, Water chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Urban planning, United States—Alaska—Fairbanks

51-2631

Low-temperature thermal history of three wells in southern Alaska offshore basins: lower Cook Inlet, Shelikof Strait and Stevenson Trough.

Murphy, J.M., Clough, J.G., *Alaska. Department of Natural Resources. Division of Geological and Geophysical Surveys. Public-data file,* Dec. 1995, No.95-23, 77p., 36 refs.

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51-2632

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51-2633

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51-2634

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Avalanches, Accidents, Rescue equipment, Radio beacons

51-2635

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Avalanche forecasting, Snow cover stability, Weather forecasting, Warning systems, Data transmission, Safety, France

51-2636

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Avalanches, Accidents, France

51-2637

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Sludges, Water treatment, Waste treatment, Sewage disposal, Artificial freezing, Artificial thawing, Freeze drying, Sweden

51-2638

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Sludges, Water treatment, Waste treatment, Sewage disposal, Artificial freezing, Artificial thawing, Freeze drying, Sweden

51-2639

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Sea ice, Core samplers, Ice microstructure, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Ice breaking, Strain tests

51-2640

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Sea ice, Core samplers, Ice structure, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice cracks, Ice breaking, Strain tests

51-2641

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Artificial islands, Caissons, Ice pileup, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Stress concentration, Stress strain diagrams, Mathematical models, Beaufort Sea

51-2642

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Artificial islands, Ice pileup, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Beaufort Sea

51-2643

Mechanical properties of first-year sea ice at Tarsiut Island—Discussion and closure.

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Artificial islands, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Stress concentration, Strain tests, Beaufort Sea

51-2644

Activity and experience report on the avalanche warning service in Bavaria, winter 1994/95.

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Avalanche forecasting, Avalanches, Accidents, Safety, Snow depth, Snowfall, Air temperature, Germany

51-2645

Determination of the flow behaviour of bitumens and polymer-modified bitumens at low temperatures. [Ansprache des Fließverhaltens von Bitumen und polymermodifizierten Bitumen bei tiefen Temperaturen]

Schellenberg, K., Eulitz, H.J., *Forschung Straßenbau und Straßenverkehrstechnik,* 1995, No.695, 95p., In German with extended English and shorter French summary. 20 refs.

Bitumens, Polymers, Viscosity, Viscous flow, Viscoelasticity, Low temperature tests, Strain tests

51-2646

Effects of ice boom geometry on ice capture efficiency.

Gooch, G., SR 96-17, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 9p., ADA-318 968, 10 refs.

Ice booms, Ice jams, Design, Design criteria, Ice cover, River ice, Ice formation

An ice boom's geometry is critical to the collection and retention of ice in small, fast-moving streams and rivers. Ice booms are designed to quickly form a solid ice cover much earlier than the ice cover would form naturally. Once formed, the ice cover insulates the river, eliminating the production of frazil ice locally. Frazil leads to thick ice deposits, which reduce the river's available flow area and contribute to midwinter and spring flooding. Model experiments, conducted at the Ice Engineering Facility at the Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory, have varied the ice boom geometry to speed up the process of ice cover formation. Model simulations have used floating plastic beads to simulate real ice particles to determine what ice boom design works best. Under controlled laboratory conditions, boom geometry clearly affects the boom's ability to capture more beads. Comparison of field and laboratory tests indicates similar results.

51-2647

Testing of materials from the Minnesota Cold Regions Pavement Research Test Facility.

Bigl, S.R., Berg, R.L., SR 96-20, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 37p., ADA-319 640, 17 refs.

Pavements, Design, Design criteria, Cold weather tests, Compaction, Grain size, Hydraulics, Unfrozen water content, Frost resistance, Subgrades, Frost penetration

The U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) conducted various laboratory tests on pavement materials from the Mn/ROAD facility. The tests helped to characterize the behavior of materials under season frost conditions, and to provide input necessary for modeling the materials with the Mechanistic Pavement Design and Evaluation Procedure under development at CRREL. This report describes test results that define the physical characteristics, such as grain size, specific gravity, Atterberg limits, organic content, and compaction, as well as hydraulic properties, such as moisture retention and hydraulic conductivity, frost susceptibility, and unfrozen moisture content of two subgrade samples and two base materials from Mn/ROAD.

51-2648

Modeling of Mn/ROAD test sections with the CRREL mechanistic pavement design procedure.

Bigl, S.R., Berg, R.L., SR 96-21, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 42p., ADA-319 596, 25 refs.

Pavements, Design, Design criteria, Cold weather performance, Bitumens, Frost resistance, Subgrades, Frost penetration, Thaw depth, Frost heave, Water table, Damage

The U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory is developing a mechanistic pavement design procedure for use in seasonal frost areas. The procedure was used to predict pavement performance of some test sections at the Mn/ROAD facility. Simulations were conducted in three phases, investigating the effects on predictions of water table position, subgrade characteristics, asphalt model, and freeze season characteristics. The procedure predicted significantly different performance by the different test sections and highly variable results depending on the performance model applied. The simulated performance of the test sections also was greatly affected by the subgrade conditions, e.g., density, soil moisture, and water table depth. In general, predictions for the full-depth asphalt sections indicate that they will not fail due to cracking, but two of the three criteria for subgrade rutting indicate failure before the five- or 10-year design life of the sections. Conventional sections are predicted not to fail due to subgrade rutting; however, sections including the more frost-susceptible bases in their design are predicted to fail due to asphalt cracking relatively early in their design life, and sections with non-frost-susceptible bases are predicted to fail towards the end of the design life.

51-2649

Dredging in an active artillery impact area; Eagle River Flats, Alaska.

Walsh, M.R., Chamberlain, E.J., Henry, K.S., Garfield, D.E., Sorenson, E., SR 96-22, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 45p., ADA-318 812, 17 refs.

Sediments, Dredging, Explosives, Military facilities, Environmental impact, Water pollution, Soil pollution, Land reclamation, United States—Alaska—Eagle River Flats, United States—Alaska—Fort Richardson

Remediation of sediments in permanently ponded areas at Eagle River Flats, a salt marsh contaminated with white phosphorus (WP), may require dredging. Because the Flats were used as a firing range impact area for over 40 years by the U.S. military, there is much unexploded ordnance, which will require that any dredging equipment be remotely controlled. To treat the sediment pumped from dredged areas, a spoils retention basin was designed, constructed, and tested. This basin contains several innovations, including a natural remediation of the WP. The dredging system was deployed in Oct. of 1994, with sampling indicating that WP-contaminated areas were removed from the dredging area. An early snowfall curtailed operations shortly after initiation.

51-2650

Plant growth regulators' effect on growth of mixed cool-season grass stands at Fort Drum.

Palazzo, A.J., Zang, P., Duell, R.W., Cary, T.J., Hardy, S.E., SR 96-24, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 9p., ADA-319 796, 10 refs.

Grasses, Plant physiology, Growth, Countermeasures, Cold weather performance

Mowing is one of the more expensive operations in managing roadside and other low-maintenance turfgrass areas. The objective of this study was to evaluate the performance of two plant growth regulators (PGRs)—mefluidide (Embark) and imidazolinone (Event)—in reducing the development of seedheads and inhibiting the vertical growth (plant height) of mixed turf swards at multiple sites over a two-year period. Mefluidide applied at the manufacturer's recommended rate (2.3 L/ha or 2 pints/acre) provided the best general control of plant height and seedhead development compared to mefluidide at lower rates or imidazolinone at both recommended and lower rates or a combination of mefluidide and imidazolinone at lower rates. Within the control areas (no PGR), plant height did not correlate with plant weight. Therefore, the timing of treatments is critical since increases in plant height and weight occur at different times during the spring. At the early May application time, mefluidide applied at the recommended rate inhibited both plant height and weight. The effects of this treatment on plant growth were similar in most of the eight sites tested. However, PGR performance was affected by the presence of earlier maturing grasses in the sward, microclimatic factors, and broadleaf weeds. There was no difference in the effectiveness of the treatments when the materials were applied again during the following season. Despite some variation in its effect, the mefluidide treatment at the recommended rate was consistent enough among all test locations, turf species, and microclimates to recommend using this technique in the demonstration stage of the trial.

51-2651

State of the art of modeling millimeter-wave remote sensing of the environment.

O'Neill, K., SR 96-25, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, 27p., ADA-319 226, Refs. p.22-26.

Remote sensing, Scattering, Computer programs, Computerized simulation, Models

A survey was undertaken of models for millimeter-wave (MMW) scattering and emission from environmental features, particularly in the vicinities of 35 and 94 GHz. The ultimate objective was to identify models suitable for current or near-future application in scene generation. The ideal model would be based on first principles, would be readily available in facilitated software, and would have reasonable requirements in terms of computational resources and input parameters. At MMW frequencies, these requirements push the frontiers of current science and technology. In most applications, one must accept as a first approximation the approaches currently under development in research settings. This report reviews the basic methods and approaches underlying all available models in terms of volume scattering, treatment of surfaces and transitions, and the development of statistical quantities from rational physics. Very rough surfaces, locally steep surface slopes, and low-angle incidence can rarely be treated entirely successfully, but recent developments offer the prospect of significant progress. Volume and combined surface-volume scattering and emission models are reviewed for application to land, water, vegetation, snow, and ice environments. Most are essentially works in progress, with theory and validation currently building from earlier work at C and X bands. Very sound capabilities are available for treatment of common atmospheric features, with recent progress in modeling more complex meteorological events. Limiting consideration to truly available codes, a list is provided for each of the above areas of models and their sources. Because it is the most comprehensive and is currently facilitated in terms of software, the MIT EMSARS model is the foremost candidate to serve as a platform for future addition and development.

51-2652

Further studies on the softening of rigid PVC by aqueous solutions of organic solvents.

Parker, L.V., Ranney, T.A., SR 96-26, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, 22p., ADA-319 436, 15 refs.

Well casings, Polymers, Solutions

In this study, small pieces of PVC well casing were exposed to relatively low activities (or relative solubilities) of TCE and methylene chloride for 12 months. PVC pieces were also exposed to aqueous solutions containing several organic chemicals that were either solvents or swelling agents of PVC. In addition, small pieces of PVC were exposed to aqueous solutions containing organic chemicals that were either PVC solvents or swelling agents and were totally miscible in water. These studies revealed that there is an interactive effect among these chemicals when dissolved in water. However, softening does not appear to occur in any solutions where the sum of the relative solubilities is less than 0.1.

51-2653

Comprehensive report: investigation of airfield construction in arctic and subarctic regions. Appendix 6. Design and construction studies, Fairbanks Research Area.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. St. Paul District, MN, Jan. 1948, 89p. + photos + plates.

Runways, Airports, Site surveys, Permafrost surveys, Permafrost beneath roads, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost preservation, Thermal insulation, Cold weather construction, United States—Alaska—Fairbanks

51-2654

Aircraft ground de/anti-icing fluid holdover time field testing program for the 1992-1993 winter.

D'Avirro, J., Chan, G., Cleary, C., Foo, H., *Transport Canada. Transportation Development Centre, Montreal. Publication,* Oct. 1993, TP 11836E, 122p. + appends., With French summary.

Aircraft icing, Chemical ice prevention, Ice detection, Cold weather tests, Environmental tests, Safety

51-2655

Arctic tanker risk analysis project. Phase I.

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Tanker ships, Icebreakers, Accidents, Oil spills, Water pollution, Ice navigation, Ice routing, Route surveys, Human factors, Environmental protection, Safety

51-2656

Generation of an aircraft ice sensor data base and evaluation of de/anti-icing fluids. Appendixes B and C.

Nolan, C., ed, Inkpen, S., ed, *Transport Canada. Transportation Development Centre, Montreal. Publication,* Sep. 1993, TP 11810E, Var. p., With French summary. Appendix B consists of a report and attachments by J.L. Laforte and P. Louchez and Appendix C consists of a report by M.M. Oleskiw, both on the Clean Wing Detection System (CWDS) to detect ice and deicing fluids on aircraft.

Aircraft icing, Ice detection, Chemical ice prevention, Temperature measurement, Moisture detection, Warning systems

51-2657

Arctic tanker risk analysis. Phase II.

Loughnane, D.V.F., et al, *Transport Canada. Transportation Development Centre, Montreal. Publication,* Oct. 1994, TP 12325E, 2 vols., With French summary. Vol.1: main report, 143p. Vol.2: appends., 242p. Approx. 180 refs.

Tanker ships, Accidents, Oil spills, Ice navigation, Route surveys, Human factors, Labor factors, Safety, Cost analysis

51-2658

Second generation ice navigation system implementation, Phase III.

Gautier, C., Marton, C.G., *Transport Canada. Transportation Development Centre, Montreal. Publication,* Sep. 1993, TP 11794E, 45p., With French summary.

Ships, Ice navigation, Ice routing, Ice reporting, Radar tracking, Synthetic aperture radar, Image processing, Data transmission, Computerized simulation

51-2659

Commander's guide to cold weather operations. *U.S. Marine Corps. Fleet Marine Force Reference Publication,* 1988, FMFRP 7-24, Var. p.

Cold weather operation, Cold weather survival, Military operation, Manuals

51-2660

Small-unit leader's guide to cold weather operations. *U.S. Marine Corps. Fleet Marine Force Reference Publication,* 1988, FMFRP 7-23, Var. p.

Cold weather operation, Cold weather survival, Military operation, Manuals

51-2661

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Cold weather operation, Cold weather survival, Military operation, Manuals

51-2662

Fluid, aircraft deicing/anti-icing, non-Newtonian, (pseudoplastic), SAE types II, III, and IV. *Society of Automotive Engineers. Aerospace material specification,* Oct 1996, SAE AMS 1428A, 72p., Refs. passim. Supersedes AMS 1428 of Jan. 1993.

Aircraft icing, Chemical ice prevention, Ice removal, Cold weather tests, Viscosity, Standards

51-2663

Deicing/anti-icing fluid, aircraft, SAE Type I. *Society of Automotive Engineers. Aerospace material specification,* Oct 1996, SAE AMS 1424A, 72p., Refs. passim. Supersedes AMS 1424 of Jan. 1993.

Aircraft icing, Chemical ice prevention, Ice removal, Cold weather tests, Standards

51-2664

SHEBA: a research program on the Surface Heat Budget of the Arctic Ocean science plan.

Moritz, R.E., ed, Perovich, D.K., ed, MP 3966, *University of Washington, Seattle. Applied Physics Laboratory. Polar Science Center. Arctic System Science Ocean-Atmosphere-Ice Interactions ARCSS/OAII report,* July 1996, No.5, 60p., Refs. p.49-54.

Research projects, Drift stations, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Ocean currents, Air ice water interaction, Ice heat flux, Heat balance, Global warming, Computerized simulation

51-2665

Developing new low-temperature admixtures for concrete: a field evaluation.

Korhonen, C.J., Charest, B.A., Romisch, K., MP 3967, Corps of Engineers Structural Engineering Conference, Aug. 28-30, 1995, San Antonio, TX. Vol.1, Washington, D.C., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Directorate of Engineering and Construction, 1996, p.535-545, 7 refs.

Concrete freezing, Winter concreting, Concrete admixtures, Concrete placing, Concrete curing, Concrete strength, Frost protection, Antifreezes

Two new admixtures, capable of preventing water from freezing and increasing the hydration rate of cement at below-freezing temperatures, were field-tested at Sault Ste. Marie, MI. Concrete made with the admixtures was placed on a frozen subgrade during a cold winter day and was allowed to cure thermally unprotected in the cold. Comparison to control concrete placed inside a heated shelter showed that the unprotected admixtured concrete was equal to control concrete in strength and appearance. Work is continuing on the development of these admixtures for commercialization.

51-2666

Improvements to snow load design criteria.

Tobiasson, W., MP 3968, Corps of Engineers Structural Engineering Conference, Aug. 28-30, 1995, San Antonio, TX. Vol.2, Washington, D.C., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Directorate of Engineering and Construction, 1996, p.1181-1189, 6 refs.

Snow loads, Snow depth, Snow accumulation, Snowfall, Military facilities, Statistical analysis, Design criteria, Building codes, Standards, Manuals

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE) Manual 7, "Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures," is the resource document for Army Technical Manual (TM) 5-809-1, "Structural Design Criteria, Loads" (U.S. Department of the Army, 1992). ASCE Manual 7 is updated every 5 years and is to be reissued in 1995, after which, TM 5-809-1 will be withdrawn. The new Manual 7 will include updated site-specific snow load information gathered by the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) from military installations. All design values will be determined statistically based on measurements rather than as at present, some determined by local practice with no indication which is which. Where local practice values differ, they will be indicated in parentheses.

51-2667

Shallow insulated foundations for pre-engineered metal buildings.

Danyluk, L.S., Khosrownia, G., MP 3969, Corps of Engineers Structural Engineering Conference, Aug. 28-30, 1995, San Antonio, TX. Vol.2, Washington, D.C., U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Directorate of Engineering and Construction, 1996, p.1213-1223, 9 refs.

Buildings, Foundations, Footings, Frost penetration, Frost protection, Thermal insulation, Cold weather construction, Military facilities, Building codes

For building construction projects in the cold regions of the world, depth of frost penetration has been a major factor in the expense and design difficulty of foundations. Often, deep foundations are used in areas of deep seasonal frost, but in some instances a deep foundation creates problems with the design of a building. Such is the case in metal buildings, whose selection as a building system is primarily due to function, speedy construction, and economy. These same characteristics are what make a shallow foundation design an attractive alternative over a conventional deep foundation. For three decades, the Scandinavian countries have researched, developed, and implemented shallow insulated foundations (SIF). However, their use in the United States is still new and somewhat limited. Most U.S. building codes require footings to be placed below the expected depth of frost. In recognition of the potential of shallow insulated foundations, research is being performed by various universities, private industries, and government agencies, including the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research Engineering Laboratory, in an effort to better understand the SIF system and to recommend changes in U.S. building codes to allow for its use and implementation. A large laundry/changing facility to be built for toxic chemical disposal personnel at the Umatilla Army Depot in Hermiston, OR, is described.

51-2668

Proceedings of the NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, No.10.

Watanabe, O., ed, NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, 18th, Tokyo, July 18-19, 1995, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, 174p., Refs. passim. For selected papers see C-56846, F-56834 through F-56837, F-56839, F-56840, F-56845, F-56847, I-56838, I-56841 through I-56844 or 51-2669 through 51-2679.

Glaciology, Meteorological data, Sea ice, Snow, Air ice water interaction, Engineering, Antarctica—Showa Station, Antarctica—Mizuho Station

This is a collection of papers presented at the 18th Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology held in Tokyo on July 18-19, 1995. It consists of 14 full-length papers and 21 abstracts; the former were refereed and are arranged in the order of scientific areas of glaciology, meteorology and physical oceanography.

51-2669

Structure and dielectric properties of surface snow along the traverse route from coast to Dome Fuji Station, Queen Maud Land, Antarctica.

Shiraiwa, T., Shoji, H., Saito, T., Yokoyama, K., Watanabe, O., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.1-12, 20 refs.

Snow electrical properties, Snow cover structure, Snow stratigraphy, Dielectric properties, Grain size, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Stratigraphic observations were carried out on the surface snow from the coast to the ice divide at Dome Fugi in the summer of 1994-95, to provide microwave remote sensing with ground truth data. Stratification, grain size and dielectric properties were measured in 1 m-deep snow pits. The dry snow zone of the studied area is divided into three parts: a region of compacted snow and solid-type depth hoar (1000 to 2000/2300 m a.s.l.), where spatial and vertical distribution of various snow properties are uniform; a region of wind-packed snow and skeleton-type depth hoar (2000/2300 to 3500 m), which is characterized by spatial alteration of the glazed surface and the stratified depth hoar layer; and a region of interbedded skeleton- and solid-types depth hoar (higher than 3500 m) where the seasonal stratification of snow is characterized by thin-hard summer and thick-soft winter layers. (Auth. mod.)

51-2670

Snow surface features along the traverse route from the coast to Dome Fuji Station, Queen Maud Land, Antarctica.

Furukawa, T., Kamiyama, K., Maeno, H., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.13-24, 15 refs.

Sastrugi, Snow surface, Snow accumulation, Bedrock, Topographic surveys, Glaze, Wind factors, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Frequencies of snow surface features such as sastrugi, dunes and thermal cracks were measured along the traverse route from the coastal region to Dome Fuji. The route is divided into 3 regions: the coastal region, characterized by high frequency of small sastrugi and low frequency of dunes; the katabatic wind region, characterized by the co-existence of small and large sastrugi, dunes and glazed surface; and the inland region, characterized by low frequencies of small sastrugi and dunes. These regional characteristics of snow surface features reflect the deposition-erosion process affected by surface topography of the ice sheet. A glazed surface zone, where snow accumulation is small, develops on steep slopes above the large convex bedrock topography. This indicates that bedrock topography is one of the factors controlling snow accumulation patterns in the katabatic wind region on the antarctic ice sheet. (Auth.)

51-2671

Measurements of the complex permittivity of acid-doped ice from 1 kHz to 30 MHz: new data set for developing ice radar and dielectric analysis of ice cores.

Matsuoka, K., Fujita, S., Matsuoka, T., Ishida, T., Hondoh, T., Mae, S., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.25-35, 16 refs.

Dielectric properties, Ice composition, Experimentation, Radio echo soundings, Ice cores

The authors measured the complex permittivity of pure and acid (HCl, HNO_3 and H_2SO_4)-doped ice from 1 kHz to 30 MHz and from -9°C to -33°C. The complex permittivity of acid-doped ice is assumed to depend linearly on the concentration. The frequency and temperature dependence of the relationship between the complex permittivity and the acid concentration are investigated. The tendency of dielectric dispersion of acid-doped ice is discussed. A simple calculation shows that the reflection coeficient due to acidity change in the HF band in ice sheets increases with decreasing frequency. The effect of permittivity changes and loss tangent changes due to acidity changes to reflection coefficient are quantitatively shown, respectively. As a result, a data set which is essential to develop HF ice radar, and to compare radar echoes and ice core signals is established. (Auth.)

51-2672

Volcanic records and dating of the upper half of the H15 ice core from Mizuho Plateau, East Antarctica.

Kohno, M., Fukuoka, T., Fujii, Y., Kusakabe, M., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.36-54, Refs. p.52-54.

Ice dating, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Ice models, Electrical resistivity, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Two closely-spaced peaks of electrical conductivity were found at depths between 45 and 50 m of the 120-m long ice core drilled at site H15 in Antarctica by JARE-32 in 1991. Chemical analysis of the core revealed that the ice layers were characterized by high acidity and high sulfate concentration suggesting volcanic signals. In order to identify these characteristics, the core was dated using two methods: counting the number of high electrical conductivity peaks resulting from seasonal variations of SO_4^{2-} and NO_3^-, and an empirical model of firn densification. The dating results suggest that the high conductivity is related to deposition of acidic aerosols from the volcanic eruptions of Tambora in 1815 and of an unknown volcano in 1809. (Auth.)

51-2673

Variations of the CO_2, CH_4 and N_2O concentrations and $\delta^{13}C$ of CO_2 in the glacial period deduced from an antarctic ice core, south Yamato.

Machida, T., Nakazawa, T., Narita, H., Fujii, Y., Aoki, S., Watanabe, O., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.55-65, Refs. p.64-65.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Atmospheric composition, Ice cores, Ice composition, Antarctica—Queen Fabiola Mountains

To reconstruct variations of atmospheric greenhouse gases in the glacial period, air in an ice core recovered from a bare ice field in the Queen Fabiola Mountains was extracted and the CO_2, CH_4 and N_2O concentrations, and $\delta^{13}C$ of CO_2, were analyzed. The CO_2, CH_4 and N_2O concentrations were lower than the pre-industrial Holocene values, suggesting that this ice core was formed in the glacial period. The variations of the CO_2, CH_4 and N_2O concentrations during the glacial period showed a good correlation with that of $\delta^{18}O$ of ice from the core. The CO_2 concentrations varied almost opposite in phase with $\delta^{13}C$, which implies that CO_2 with isotopically light carbon was added to or subtracted from the atmosphere in the glacial period. (Auth.)

51-2674

Formation mechanism of plate-like ice crystals growing in air at low temperature and low supersaturation.

Gonda, T., Matsuura, Y., Wada, M., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.66-72, 12 refs.

Ice crystal growth, Experimentation, Measuring instruments, Air temperature

The supersaturation dependences on the slope of growth hillocks formed on the face P_B and the face P_B of ice crystals grown in air at -28.5°C and low supersaturation were measured to study the formation mechanism of plate-like ice crystals growing under this condition. It was found that both faces of plate-like ice crystals grown at -28.5°C and low supersaturation grew by the Burton-Cabrera-Frank (BCF) mechanism, and when the relationship $P_P > P_B$ held, plate-like ice crystals grew. (Auth.)

51-2675

Diffusion coefficient and solubility measurements of noble gases in ice crystals.

Satoh, K., Uchida, T., Hondoh, T., Mae, S., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.73-81, 8 refs.

Ice cores, Experimentation, Ice crystals, Ice composition, Gases, Instruments, Antarctica—Mendenhall Peak

Diffusion coefficients and solubility of helium, neon and argon gases in ice crystals were determined by measuring the pressure rise in a vessel caused by gas emission from an ice sample supersaturated with the gas. Diffusion coefficients of helium, neon and argon gases in the temperature range between 258.2 K and 268.2 K were on the order of 10^{-9} m^2/s, 10^{-10} m^2/s and 10^{-11} m^2/s, respectively. Solubilities of helium and neon gases in the molar fraction deduced from the total amount of emitted gases were on the order of 10^{-6} and 10^{-7}, respectively. As the diffusion coefficients of noble gases were found to depend on their molecular radii, the diffusion coefficients of air molecules, such as nitrogen and oxygen, in ice were estimated. (Auth.)

51-2676

Methanesulfonate and non-sea-salt sulfate in drifting-snow from east Queen Maud Land, East Antarctica.

Osada, K., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.111-118, 32 refs.

Snow composition, Seasonal variations, Aerosols, Air pollution, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land, Antarctica—Mizuho Station

Drifting-snow samples were collected at Mizuho Station from Feb. to Sep. 1986, and along traverse routes in eastern Queen Maud Land from Oct. 1986 to Jan. 1987. Variability in the methansulfonate (MSA) and non-sea-salt (nss) SO_4^{2-} concentration levels suggests a seasonal relationship: high in summer and low in winter. The ratios of $nssSO_4^{2-}$/MSA concentrations show a weak inverse seasonal relationship. The concentration levels of $nssSO_4^{2-}$ correlate well with MSA concentration levels in the Mizuho Station samples, suggesting that the dominant source of the $nssSO_4^{2-}$ and MSA deposited in this region is marine biogenic dimethylsulfide. The $nssSO_4^{2-}$/MSA ratios from the traverse samples are significantly higher and deviate widely from the Mizuho Station regression line, implying a non-biogenic natural source for the $nssSO_4^{2-}$ at higher-elevation inland locations. (Auth.)

51-2677

Interannual variability of sea ice conditions in Syowa Station sector deduced from DMSP SSM/I data.

Enomoto, H., Warashina, H., Saito, T., Shiraiwa, T., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.119-126, 15 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Meteorological data, Periodic variations, Meteorological factors, Maps, Antarctica—Showa Station

This paper focueses on the interannual variability of sea-ice conditions in spring and summer in the vicinity of Showa Station. Sea ice extent and concentration are discussed using DMSP SSM/I satellite passive microwave data. Persistent high ice concentration was observed in Dec. in 1989 and 1993; the sea ice was formed earlier (Apr.-May) and expanded rapidly in this initial stage. The sea ice concentrations were higher throughout the winter season during these years. Cold and calm weather conditions in autumn seem to be important in determining the following winter ice conditions. (Auth.)

51-2678

Classification of polar satellite data using image features and decision tree classifier.

Muramoto, K., Yamanouchi, T., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.127-137, 12 refs.

Imaging, Image processing, Sea ice distribution, Spaceborne photography, Mapping, Clouds (meteorology), Mathematical models, Albedo, Data processing

In the polar region, it is difficult to discriminate between clouds and ground surface from satellite visible or infrared data, because of the high albedo and low surface temperature of snow and ice cover. In this paper, a method to classify clouds, sea ice and ground is proposed. This study is based upon analysis of the NOAA/AVHRR infrared images in Antarctica. The algorithm consists of two major approaches: estimating image features and a classification algorithm. A decision tree classifier is designed to classify the region into one of 3 classes using 6 image features. Though sea ice and ground can be largely separated using only one feature, more than 3 features are necessary to separate clouds. (Auth.)

51-2679

Decrease of solute in the aqueous solution in the freezing process.

Sato, K., Daimon, T., Takenaka, N., Bandow, H., Maeda, Y., NIPR Symposium on Polar Meteorology and Glaciology, Proceedings. No.10, Tokyo, National Institute of Polar Research, 1996, p.138-148, 13 refs.

Freezing points, Ice crystal growth, Ice composition, Ice formation, Experimentation

Dilute volatile acidic aqueous solution was frozen by various freezing methods, and concentrations of solutes and pH of the sample were measured after the sample was completely thawed. Concentration of the volatile acid anion in the sample decreased, and pH of the sample increased after freezing. The decrease of solutes in the sample was almost equal to that detected in the gas phase. When dilute salt solution was frozen, solutes were excluded from ice and concentrated into the unfrozen solution. Concentrated anion combines with concentrated proton to form volatile acid such as acetic, formic or nitrous acid without reaction with any other chemicals. These volatile acids are saturated, and evaporation to the gas phase occurs. It is considered that the decrease in concentration of various solutes is mainly due to the freeze-concentration effect. (Auth.)

51-2680

Effects of polar air on meteorological profiles of mid latitudes. [Influencia do ar polar no perfil meteorológico das regiões de latitude média]

Bui Van, N.A., De Assis Quintão, D., Leite, J.M., *Boletim de geografia teorética,* 1993, 23(45-46), p.131-136, In Portuguese with English summary.

Ozone, Meteorological data, Air temperature, Atmospheric circulation

Data analysis of soundings performed by different meteorological stations in South America and collected by the Meteorological Research Institute (IPMet) of the State University of São Paulo (UNESP-Bauru), allow to determine the vertical meteorological profiles at different latitude. These profiles reveal the existence of a double tropopause which propagates from the Antarctic to the mid-latitude regions, permitting the intrusion of polar air, rich in ozone into these regions. This propagation suggests a transport mechanism of ozone in the high atmosphere. (Auth.)

51-2681

Preliminary study on the ultraviolet radiation in Zhongshan Station, Antarctica.

Bian, L.G., Lu, L.H., Jia, P.Q., *Chinese science bulletin,* Nov. 1996, 41(21), p.1811-1814, 3 refs.

Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Meteorological data, Meteorological instruments, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station

The decreasing amount of ozone in the Antarctic causes an increase in ultraviolet radiation reaching the surface; this change has a significant effect on the polar biosphere and on the global ecosystem. Since 1993, radiation and ozone measurements were carried out at Zhongshan Station as part of the program of the Chinese Antarctic Research Expedition. In this note, the character of the ultraviolet and global radiation from Feb. 1993 to Dec. 1994 are analyzed; the relation between the decrease of antarctic ozone in spring and the ultraviolet and global radiation is discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2682

Field experiments on physical weathering and wind erosion in an Antarctic cold desert.

Matsuoka, N., Moriwaki, K., Hirakawa, K., *Earth surface processes and landforms,* Aug. 1996, 21(8), p.687-699, Refs. p.698-699.

Wind erosion, Weathering, Deserts, Low temperature research, Frost action, Frozen ground chemistry, Antarctica—Sør Rondane Mountains

Field experiments were carried out over a 5 year period on contemporary weathering and erosional environments in the Sør Rondane Mountains, including observations of scaling from rockwalls, disintegration of tuff blocks, and abrasion of artificial walls by wind. Monitoring was also made of rock surface temperature and wind speed. Rock scaling due to frost action was generally very slow because of low moisture content in the rock-walls. Exposure to the cold, dry climate led to the rapid disintegration of porous tuff blocks including soluble salts like halite and thenardite. This indictes that rates of weathering are increased greatly with the accumulation of salts in the bedrock. Increasing gypsum contents may also intensify rock breakdown. The snow-laden katabatic wind resulted in rapid wearing of the windward face of an asbestos board with the peak erosion at 30-40 cm above the ground. These experiments suggest that frost weathering and wind erosion are only locally effective where plenty of moisture or an abrasive material is available, whilst salt weathering and removal of the waste by wind play a major role in constructing erosional landforms over the mountains. (Auth. mod.)

51-2683

Outburst floods from glacier-dammed lakes: the effect of mode of lake drainage on flood magnitude.

Walder, J.S., Costa, J.E., *Earth surface processes and landforms,* Aug. 1996, 21(8), p.701-723, Refs. p.721-723.

Glacial hydrology, Subglacial drainage, Glacial lakes, Icebound lakes, Ice dams, Lake bursts, Flood forecasting, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

51-2684

Chemistry of streams of Signy Island, maritime Antarctic: sources of major ions.

Caulkett, A.P., Ellis-Evans, J.C., *Antarctic science,* Mar. 1997, 9(1), p.3-11, 32 refs.

Limnology, Geochemistry, Snow composition, Meltwater, Streams, Antarctica—Signy Island

A general study of the streams of Signy I. was undertaken to identify the effects of catchment, distance from source, and time on concentrations of dissolved ions. In the majority of cases catchment did not affect the chemistry of streams, although marine-derived ions were affected by distance from the sea. Na^+, K^+, Mg^{2+}, Ca^{2+}, Cl^- and NH_4^+ were derived from the thawing of the winter snowpack. NO_3^- was derived from areas of permanent ice. SiO_4^{4-}, Ca^{2+}, Mg^{2+} and CO_3^{2-} were derived from crustal weathering. Although PO_4^{3-} was also derived from crustal weathering, it was released as a pulse related to the thawing of the soil. (Auth.)

51-2685

Methanesulphonate and non-sea salt sulphate in aerosol, snow and ice on the East Antarctic plateau.

De Mora, S.J., Wylie, D.J., Dick, A.L., *Antarctic science,* Mar. 1997, 9(1), p.46-55, Refs. p.54-55.

Snow composition, Ice composition, Aerosols, Impurities, Atmospheric circulation, Antarctica—East Antarctica

This investigation reports the first simultaneous measurement of methanesulphonate (MSA) and non-sea salt sulphate (NSSS) in aerosols, surface snow, and ice core samples for a continental site in Antarctica (78°S, 139°E, elevation 2849 m). Aerosol MSA concentrations ranged from 0.09-0.43 nmol/m^3 STP (median 0.14 nmol/m^3) and were generally lower than those observed at coastal antarctic sites. NSSS concentrations varied from 0.66-1.32 nmol/m^3 STP (median 0.88 nmol/m^3), comparable to those reported for other continental antarctic locations. Whereas the MSA:NSSS molar ratio in aerosol samples was in the range 12.7-32.5% (median 17.0%), the ratio down a snow pit and ice profile varied from 1.14-55.6% (median 3.50%), reflecting the variability to be expected over a period of a decade. The chemical composition and low MSA content suggests an origin of aerosols consistent with long range transport from mid-latitudes. (Auth.)

51-2686

Ice front fluctuation, iceberg calving flux and mass balance of Victoria Land glaciers.

Frezzotti, M., *Antarctic science,* Mar. 1997, 9(1), p.61-73, Refs. p.72-73.

Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Calving, Ice water interface, Imaging, LANDSAT, Antarctica—Victoria Land

The coast of Victoria Land extends from Williamson Head to McMurdo Sound. A comparison of various documents and images spanning several decades has allowed the determination of the ice front fluctuation and the iceberg calving flux during this century. From 1956-65 to 1972-73, the floating glaciers underwent a reduction of 978 km^2, with an iceberg calving flux of about 134 km^2/yr. From 1972-73 to 1989-91, the floating glaciers underwent an advance of 272 km^2, with an iceberg calving flux of about 53 km^2/yr. Glacier tongues with bottom accretion calve less often than those with bottom melting. Most floating glaciers have shown cyclic behavior without a strong trend. Exceptions are the Hells Gate ice shelf, the McMurdo Ice Shelf, and the floating glaciers of Cape Adare which have undergone a significant retreat since the beginning of the 20th century. The different behavior of these floating glaciers is attributed to increased energy available for meltwater production of marine ice, which progressively warmed the thin ice shelves and then increased iceberg calving, or to increased melting at the ice-ocean interface related to a major intrusion of Circumpolar Deep Water from the nearby continental slope. (Auth. mod.)

51-2687

Theoretical evaluation of mineral stability in Don Juan Pond, Wright Valley, Victoria Land.

Marion, G.M., MP 3970, *Antarctic science,* Mar. 1997, 9(1), p.92-99, 29 refs.

Salt lakes, Thermodynamic properties, Minerals, Stability, Geochemistry, Ice formation, Ice models, Antarctica—Don Juan Pond

Don Juan Pond is the most saline of the antarctic lakes, being a near-saturated $CaCl_2$ solution. As a consequence of this high salinity, Don Juan Pond generally remains unfrozen in winter, even at temperatures below -50°C. Don Juan Pond is the site where antarcticite ($CaCl_2 \cdot 6H_2O$) was first identified forming naturally. The objective of this paper is to demonstrate the utility of a chemical thermodynamic model (FREZCHEM) by developing theoretical stability diagrams for ice, halite (NaCl), hydrohalite ($NaCl \cdot 2H_2O$), and antarcticite in Don Juan Pond, using experimental data collected on 34 days between 1961 and 1983. The model is compatible with the experimental data, and predicts the formation of ice during rare high water periods, halite, and antarcticite. These solid phases have all been reported from Don Juan Pond. The model also predicts the formation of hydrohalite at subzero temperatures; hydrohalite has never been observed at Don Juan Pond, but this may simply reflect that most sampling was done during the summer when halite is thermodynamically more stable than hydrohalite. The FREZCHEM model may prove useful in elucidating the physicochemical behavior, the origin of salinity, and the evolution of antarctic lakes. (Auth. mod.)

51-2688

Assessment of UK Meteorological Office numerical weather prediction analyses and forecasts for the Antarctic.

Leonard, S., Turner, J., Milton, S., *Antarctic science,* Mar. 1997, 9(1), p.100-109, 24 refs.

Meteorological data, Weather forecasting, Mathematical models, Atmospheric circulation, Wind factors, Air temperature, Clouds (meteorology), Snow accumulation

The performance of the UK Meteorological Office operational numerical weather prediction system in the Antarctic is examined. The analysis/forecast model currently has a reasonable representation of the atmospheric circulation, although there are some problems. During the first three days of the forecasts the katabatic winds in the coastal region become too strong compared to those in the initial fields; however, the pattern of katabatic winds across the continent is broadly correct. The forecast tropospheric temperatures are generally too cold, although positive errors are found inland of the coast in the region of descent associated with the katabatic wind circulation. The mean forecast low pressure centers within the circumpolar trough are in approximately the correct locations. During Jan. there is good agreement between the model total cloud amount over the Antarctic and the estimates of total cloud cover from *in situ* observations. However, in July the model has too much cloud. There is no significant change in the amount of cloud during the first three days of the forecasts. The model has a good representation of the broadscale field of snow accumulation across the Antarctic. A comparison of various 6 hour forecast model fields against observations confirms the errors noted in the three-day forecasts when compared against analyses. (Auth. mod.)

51-2689

Exobiological aspects of mass transfer in microzones of permafrost deposits.

Ostroumov, V.E., Siegert, C., *Advances in space research,* Dec. 1996, 18(12), p.(12)79-(12)86, Life Sciences: Space and Mars Recent Results. Proceedings of the F3.1, F3.4, F2.4, and F3.8 Symposia of COSPAR Scientific Commission F which were held during the Thirtieth COSPAR Scientific Assembly, Hamburg, Germany, 11-12 July 1994. Edited by A. Brack, G. Horneck, E.I. Friedmann, M.A. Meyer, G. Reitz, and A. Banin. 24 refs.

Permafrost, Cryobiology, Microbiology, Mass transfer

51-2690

Molecular and biophysical aspects of adaptation of life to temperatures below the freezing point.

Finegold, L., *Advances in space research,* Dec. 1996, 18(12), p.(12)87-(12)95, Life Sciences: Space and Mars Recent Results. Proceedings of the F3.1, F3.4, F2.4, and F3.8 Symposia of COSPAR Scientific Commission F which were held during the Thirtieth COSPAR Scientific Assembly, Hamburg, Germany, 11-12 July 1994. Edited by A. Brack, G. Horneck, E.I. Friedmann, M.A. Meyer, G. Reitz, and A. Banin. 54 refs.

Cryobiology, Microbiology, Permafrost, Lichens, Antarctica—McMurdo Dry Valleys

This review examines adaptation of life to temperatures below -2°C, from a biophysical point of view and relative to the properties of water. Different metabolic processes have different lowest temperatures. The lowest established temperature for photosynthesis and growth seems to be about -17°C. The review discusses membrane lipids from antarctic microbial systems, and the limits to longevity of life in the cold, with coverage of permafrost microbial systems. It is directed towards readers of many backgrounds and supplements an earlier survey. (Auth. mod.)

51-2691

Role of cell differentiation in high tolerance by prokaryotes of long-term preservation in permafrost.

Soĭna, V.S., Vorob'eva, E.A., *Advances in space research,* Dec. 1996, 18(12), p.(12)97-(12)101, Life Sciences: Space and Mars Recent Results. Proceedings of the F3.1, F3.4, F2.4, and F3.8 Symposia of COSPAR Scientific Commission F which were held during the Thirtieth COSPAR Scientific Assembly, Hamburg, Germany, 11-12 July 1994. Edited by A. Brack, G. Horneck, E.I. Friedmann, M.A. Meyer, G. Reitz, and A. Banin. 4 refs.

Microbiology, Permafrost, Bacteria, Russia—Kolyma River

51-2692

Microorganisms and enzyme activity in permafrost after removal of long-term cold stress.

Vorob'eva, E.A., Soĭna, V.S., Mulukin, A.L., *Advances in space research,* Dec. 1996, 18(12), p.(12)103-(12)108, Life Sciences: Space and Mars Recent Results. Proceedings of the F3.1, F3.4, F2.4, and F3.8 Symposia of COSPAR Scientific Commission F which were held during the Thirtieth COSPAR Scientific Assembly, Hamburg, Germany, 11-12 July 1994. Edited by A. Brack, G. Horneck, E.I. Friedmann, M.A. Meyer, G. Reitz, and A. Banin. 7 refs.

Permafrost, Cryobiology, Microbiology, Bacteria, Russia—Kolyma-Indigirka Lowland

51-2693

Cold resistance and metabolic activity of lichens below 0°C.

Kappen, L., Schroeter, B., Scheidegger, C., Sommerkorn, M., Hestmark, G., *Advances in space research,* Dec. 1996, 18(12), p.(12)119-(12)128, Life Sciences: Space and Mars Recent Results. Proceedings of the F3.1, F3.4, F2.4, and F3.8 Symposia of COSPAR Scientific Commission F which were held during the Thirtieth COSPAR Scientific Assembly, Hamburg, Germany, 11-12 July 1994. Edited by A. Brack, G. Horneck, E.I. Friedmann, M.A. Meyer, G. Reitz, and A. Banin. 32 refs.

Microbiology, Cryobiology, Photosynthesis, Antarctica—Wilkes Land, Antarctica—Windmill Islands

Laboratory measurements show that lichens are extremely tolerant of freezing stress and of low-temperature exposure. Metabolic activity recovered quickly after severe and extended cold treatment. Experimental results demonstrate also that CO_2 exchange is already active at around -20°C. The psychrophilic character of polar lichen species is demonstrated by optimum temperatures for net photosynthesis between 0 and 15°C. *In situ* measurements show that lichens begin photosynthesizing below 0°C if the dry thalli receive fresh snow. The lowest temperature measured in active lichens was -17°C at a continental antarctic site. The fine structure and the hydration state of photobiont and mycobiont cells were studied by low-temperature scanning electron microscopy (LTSEM) of frozen hydrated specimens. Water potentials of the frozen system are in the range of or even higher than those allowing dry lichens to start photosynthesis by water vapor uptake at +10°C. The great success of lichens in polar and high alpine regions gives evidence of their physiological adaptation to low temperatures. In general lichens are able to persist through glacial periods, but extended snow cover and glaciation are limiting factors. (Auth.)

51-2694

H_2SO_4 component of stratospheric aerosols derived from satellite infrared extinction measurements: application to stratospheric transport studies.

Lambert, A., Grainger, R.G., Rogers, H.L., Norton, W.A., Rodgers, C.D., Taylor, F.W., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2219-2222, 26 refs.

Stratosphere, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Measurement

51-2695

Implications of the large carbon kinetic isotope effect in the reaction CH_4 + Cl for the $^{13}C/^{12}C$ ratio of stratospheric CH_4.

Bergamaschi, P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2227-2230, 30 refs.

Stratosphere, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Measurement

In order to assess the effect of the exceptionally large KIE_{Cl} on $\delta^{13}C$ of stratospheric CH_4 the authors applied a two-dimensional, time dependent chemical transport model. The model results demonstrate the strong influence of the CH_4+Cl reaction on $\delta^{13}CH_4$ in particular in the middle and upper stratosphere, where this reaction contributes several tens of percent to the total CH_4 sink. The Cl sink helps to explain the relatively large overall isotope fractionation of 1.010-1.012 observed in the lower stratosphere, even though the model results predict a smaller effect than observed. Measurements extending from about 65°-85°S to 85°N are depicted in accompanying figures and discussed in the text. (Auth. mod.)

51-2696

Changes in orientation of near-surface stress field as constraints to mantle viscosity and horizontal stress differences in Eastern Canada.

Wu, P., *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2263-2266, 21 refs.

Stresses, Viscosity, Tectonics, Models, Geophysical surveys, Canada

51-2697

Latitudinal distribution of upper level ClO as derived from space borne microwave spectroscopy.

Aellig, C.P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Aug. 15, 1996, 23(17), p.2321-2324, 16 refs.

Stratosphere, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Measuring instruments

Latitudinal distributions of upper stratospheric ClO measured by MAS during the three ATLAS missions are presented for Northern Hemisphere (NH) spring equinox in 1992, Southern Hemisphere (SH) early fall in 1993, and NH fall in 1994. The MAS ClO results are shown along with correlative MLS observations. The results of both instruments consistently show the same latitudinal features. The ClO maximum in the NH spring occurs at mid-latitudes, whereas the latitudinal ClO maximum in both the NH and SH fall occurs at high latitudes. The volume mixing ratio maxima were significantly higher in the fall (0.7-0.8 ppbv) than in spring (0.5-0.6 ppbv). Qualitatively, these results are consistent with calculations of several 2-D models. (Auth.)

51-2698

Interpretation of ice sheet stratigraphy: a radio-echo sounding study of the Dyer Plateau, Antarctica.

Weertman, B.R., Seattle, University of Washington, 1993, 197p., University Microfilms order No. 94-17099, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.131-137.

Ice sheets, Ice cores, Stratification, Ice accretion, Glacier flow, Climatic factors, Antarctica—Dyer Plateau

The author has used a newly devised RES system to measure the geometry of internal stratigraphy and ice thickness on the Dyer Plateau ice sheet. RES-determined stratigraphy was dated by comparison to ice core stratigraphy. A prominent shallow RES horizon probably associated with the eruption of Tambora (1815) was used for estimating the spatial accumulation rate pattern. The estimated pattern is consistent with the pattern measured from burial markers indicating that the new method is accurate and that the recent accumulation rate pattern is not different from the 175 year average. An analysis of ice core stratigraphy indicates that over the past 500 years the accumulation rate has varied and over the past 50 years has had an increasing trend. However, dated RES stratigraphy (top half of ice column) appears to be consistent with steady-state flow suggesting that climate variations over the past 500 years have not been sufficient to alter ice flow. (Auth. mod.)

51-2699

ECC ozonosonde observations at South Pole, Antarctica, during 1989.

Komhyr, W.D., Crozer, E.A., Lathrop, J.A., Winey, M.A., *U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Climate Monitoring and Diagnostic Laboratory. Data report,* June 1990, NOAA-DR-ERL-CMDL-5, 247p., PB90-258914, Refs. p.5-7.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Wind (meteorology), Meteorological instruments, Design, Performance, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Atmospheric ozone vertical distributions, air temperatures, and wind speed and wind direction data are presented for 60 balloon electrochemical concentration cell (ECC) ozonosonde soundings made at the Amundsen-Scott Station in 1989. (Auth)

51-2700

Dynamical model for wind-driven ice motion: Application to ice drift on the Labrador Shelf.

Tang, C.L., Gui, Q., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 15, 1996, 101(C12), p.28,343-28,364, 42 refs.

Models, Sea ice, Ocean currents, Wind (meteorology), Labrador Sea

51-2701

Residence times in the upper Arctic Ocean.

Becker, P., Björk, G., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 15, 1996, 101(C12), p.28,377-28,396, 46 refs.

Ocean environments, Mathematical models, Water temperature, Salinity, Sea ice, Arctic Ocean

51-2702

Surface and radiative characteristics of the summer Arctic sea ice cover from multisensor satellite observations.

Comiso, J.C., Kwok, R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 15, 1996, 101(C12), p.28,397-28,416, 34 refs.

Thermodynamic properties, Sea ice, Water temperature, Brightness, Measuring instruments, Arctic Ocean

51-2703

Seasonal characteristics of the perennial ice cover of the Beaufort Sea.

Kwok, R., Comiso, J.C., Cunningham, G.F., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 15, 1996, 101(C12), p.28,417-28,439, 27 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Seasonal variations, Remote sensing, Measuring instruments, Arctic Ocean, Beaufort Sea

51-2704

Thickness distribution of sea ice and snow cover during late winter in the Bellingshausen and Amundsen Seas, Antarctica.

Worby, A.P., Jeffries, M.O., Weeks, W.F., Morris, K., Jaña, R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 15, 1996, 101(C12), p.28,441-28,455, 35 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice deformation, Snow cover distribution, Antarctica—Bellingshausen Sea, Antarctica—Amundsen Sea

The data are a combination of *in situ* and ship-based measurements and show that the process of floe thickening is highly dependent on ice deformation; in particular, rafting and ridging play important roles at different stages of floe development. Rafting is the major mechanism in the early stages of development, and core structure data show the mean thickness of individual layers of crystals to be only 0.12 m. Most ice <0.3 m is not ridged but is usually rafted before attaining this thickness, well before thermodynamic growth has ceased. In thicker floes, ridging is more common, with most floes >0.6 m having some surface deformation. Blocks within ridge sails are typically in the range 0.3-0.6 m thick, and ship-based observations estimate approximately 25% of the pack exhibits surface ridging. When corrected for biases in the observational methods, the data show that the dominant ice and snow thickness categories are >0.7 m and 0.2-0.5 m, respectively, and account for 40% and 36% of the surface area of the pack ice. Approximately 8% of the pack is open water. An estimate of the effects of ridging on the distribution of ice mass within the pack suggests that between 50 and 75% of the total mass is contained within the 25% of the pack that exhibits surface ridging. (Auth. mod.)

51-2705

Ozone monitoring with TIROS-N operational vertical sounders.

Neuendorffer, A.C., *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 20, 1996, 101(D13), p.18,807-18,828, 41 refs.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Models, Measuring instruments, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition

The potential for using the TIROS-N operational vertical sounder (TOVS) on NOAA polar-orbiting weather satellites to monitor stratospheric ozone is examined. TOVS 9.7-μm high resolution infrared sounder (HIRS) ozone channel is particularly well suited for monitoring the lower stratospheric ozone layer. A 3 Dobson unit drop in lower stratospheric ozone produces a measurable (i.e., ≈0.2°C) increase in HIRS 9.7-μm brightness temperatures even in the vicinity of Antarctica. A two-layer physical retrieval algorithm is presented that uses the TOVS HIRS 9.7-μm signal to determine lower stratospheric ozone and to estimate total ozone. Trend analysis of TOVS ozone confirms the fact that there have been significant losses of lower stratospheric ozone in the spring equinox extratropics of both hemispheres. Much of this loss persists into the summer solstice time period. Data is shown for both northern and southern polar regions. (Auth. mod.)

51-2706
Chlorine deactivation in the lower stratospheric polar regions during late winter: results from UARS.
Santee, M.L., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Aug. 20, 1996, 101(D13), p.18,835-18,859, 95 refs.
Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Clouds (meteorology), Measuring instruments
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Winter morning air temperature.
Hogan, A.W., Ferrick, M.G., MP 3984, *Journal of applied meteorology,* Jan. 1997, 36(1), p.52-69, 43 refs.
Snow cover effect, Snow air interface, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Temperature inversions, Temperature gradients, Diurnal variations, Weather forecasting, Statistical analysis, United States—Connecticut River
Results of temperature measurements, which may be applied to inference of winter temperatures in data-sparse areas, are presented. The morning air temperatures during three winters were measured at 80 places in a 10 km x 30 km area along the Connecticut River. NOAA climatologies show this region to have complex spatial variation in mean minimum temperature. Frequency analysis techniques were applied to evaluate the differences in daily local temperature. Temperature lapse or temperature inversion in the study area was inferred from the difference of surface temperature measurements 100 and 300 m above river level. The frequency of inferred temperature lapse and the inferred lapse rate diminished as snow cover increased. The frequency of inferred temperature inversion and inversion strength increased as snow cover increased. When more than 20 cm of snow covered the ground, an additional surface inversion was frequent in the layer less than 100 m above river level, and two-thirds of river level temperatures less than -20°C occurred concurrent with these conditions. The daily temperature differences at the individual points, with respect to a defined point, were lognormally distributed. The magnitude and geometric standard deviation of temperature differences throughout the study area were larger on mornings when inversion was inferred. With respect to topography, temperature differences and the geometric standard deviation of temperature differences were smaller along flats or among basins than along or atop slopes on mornings when inversion was inferred. It is proposed that some meteorologically prudent inferences of surface temperature and near-surface temperature lapse or temperature inversion can be made for similar data-sparse areas.

51-2722
Laboratory and analytical methods for explosives residues in soil.
Walsh, M.E., Jenkins, T.F., Thorne, P.G., MP 3985, *Journal of energetic materials,* 1995, Vol.13, p.357-383, 90 refs.
Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Chemical analysis, Explosives, Military facilities, Waste disposal, Land reclamation
Standard analytical methods have been developed to characterize explosives residues in soil at U.S. Department of Defense installations. The laboratory analysis is conducted using RP-HPLC, and the most commonly found analytes are TNT and RDX. Other analytes commonly detected are the environmental transformation products of TNT including TNB, dinitroaniline, and the isomers of amino-DNT, and the manufacturing by-products DNB and the isomers of amino-DNT. Field methods designed to detect TNT and RDX have enhanced site characterization by providing rapid on-site results for a greater number of samples than would be economically feasible by depending solely on off-site laboratory analyses for all samples. Attempts may be made to use both laboratory and field methods to analyze treatment matrices such as incinerator ash and compost, but further analytical method development is needed to enhance extraction and minimize interferences.

51-2723
Review on ageing of fiber reinforced polymer composites.
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Composite materials, Polymers, Construction materials, Structural analysis, Weathering, Fatigue (materials)
Advanced composite materials are expected to perform satisfactorily over a period of at least fifty years. To gain some level of confidence of using these materials in large quantities, accelerated ageing procedures are needed to predict the long term material performance limits. The long term material performance in terms of mechanical properties depend on environmental conditions, chemical exposures, and load applications. It has been found that materials can be treated in an accelerated manner in hot-wet conditions and under certain pressures to predict mechanical property for very long times ahead. The salient issues governing the strength, stiffness, and durability of continuous fiber reinforced polymer composites under mechanical and environmental loads are briefly reviewed. For example, degradation rates of strength and stiffness under typical environmental conditions and service conditions are given for hybrid structural members, i.e., conventional materials reinforced with composite shells. In addition, attention is drawn to the effects of pH levels, applied stress, chemical reactions and hygrothermal fluctuations in understanding ageing of polymer composites. The ageing of fiber reinforced polymer composites is briefly discussed and an accelerated ageing procedure for predicting the long-term behavior is described.

51-2724
Snow cover effects on impulsive noise propagation in a forest.
Albert, D.G., MP 3987, International Congress on Noise Control Engineering, 25th, Liverpool, England, 1996. Inter-noise 96, Poughkeepsie, NY, Noise Control Foundation, 1996, p.663-668, 20 refs.
Snow acoustics, Snow depth, Snow air interface, Snow cover effect, Forest land, Noise (sound), Sound transmission, Sound waves, Wave propagation

The amplitude and waveform shape of atmospheric acoustic pulses propagating horizontally over a seasonal snow cover are profoundly changed by the air forced into the snow pores as the pulses move over the surface. This interaction greatly reduces the pulse amplitude and elongates the waveform compared to propagation above other ground surfaces. A comparison of experimentally observed blank pistol shot waveforms with waveforms theoretically calculated using a rigid porous media model for the snow and ground can be used to determine the snow cover properties. By varying the source and receiver positions during the experimental measurements, the spatial variations in snow properties near the edge of a forest were sampled at the site of the 1995 Norwegian winter blast tests. An inversion procedure that automatically matches the observed waveforms revealed a very shallow area of snow, just inside the forest, caused by the warming effect of the trees which absorb and reradiate solar energy. These acoustic measurements were in agreement with direct depth measurements and snow pit observations. The waveform inversion procedure is able to accurately determine the snow cover conditions even in the highly variable region at the edge of the forest.

51-2725

On wavelet analysis of nonstationary turbulence.

Treviño, G., Andreas, E.L., MP 3988, *Boundary-layer meteorology,* 1996, Vol.81, p.271-288, 24 refs.

Atmospheric boundary layer, Turbulent boundary layer, Turbulence, Wave propagation, Data processing, Image processing, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models

Wavelets are new tools for turbulence analysis that are yielding important insights into boundary-layer processes. Wavelet analysis, however, has some as yet undiscussed limitations: failure to recognize these can lead to misinterpretation of wavelet analysis results. Here the authors discuss some limitations of wavelet analysis when applied to nonstationary turbulence. The main point is that the analysis wavelet must be carefully matched to the phenomenon of interest, because wavelet coefficients obscure significant information in the signal being analyzed. For example, a wavelet that is a second-difference operator can provide no information on the linear trend in a turbulence signal. Wavelet analysis also yields no meaningful information about nonlinear behavior in a signal—contrary to claims in the literature—because, at any instant, a wavelet is a single-scale operator, while nonlinearity involves instantaneous interactions among many scales.

51-2726

Assessing the significance of subgrade variability on test section performance.

Kestler, M.A., MP 3989, Uncertainty in the geologic environment: from theory to practice. Geotechnical special publication, No.58. Uncertainty '96, July 31-Aug. 3, 1996. Proceedings. Vol.1, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers, 1996, p.685-694, 15 refs.

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Subgrade soils, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Thaw weakening, Soil strength, Soil trafficability, Subgrade maintenance, Road maintenance, Soil stabilization, Soil tests, Environmental tests, Statistical analysis

Variations in subgrade moisture and strength are suspected to be reflected in variations in test section performance. Using relatively simple statistics and geostatistics, this paper mathematically shows that this was indeed the case at one particular field demonstration site. Additionally, a range of influence was quantified for the site. During the 1995 spring thaw season, a variety of expedient surfaces were constructed to demonstrate rapid stabilization techniques for thawing soils as part of a cooperative field project at Fort McCoy, WI. Mechanical stabilizing techniques evaluated include chunkwood, tire chips, gravel, wooden mats, tire mats, geosynthetics, and slash (brush, tree branches and limbs). Materials were used both separately and in combination with each other. Surfacing materials were then subjected to two sets of 50 vehicle passes (wheeled and tracked), and test sections were rated for performance both during and after trafficking. Prior to test section construction, a sampling and testing program was established, and tests were conducted to define preconstruction variability as functions of subgrade strength, moisture, density, and thaw depth. This paper focuses on site variability aspects of the overall field demonstration project, and applies statistical and geostatistical techniques to evaluate the significance of preconstruction site variability on variations in test section performance.

51-2727

Rapid stabilization of thawing soils: a demonstration project.

Kestler, M.A., Shoop, S.A., Henry, K.S., Stark, J.A., MP 3990, *U.S. Forest Service. North Central Forest Experiment Station, St. Paul, MN. General technical report,* 1996, NC-186, Planning and implementing forest operations to achieve sustainable forests, p.166-178, 9 refs. Presented at the joint meeting of the Council on Forest Engineering and International Union of Forest Research Organizations, Marquette, MI, July 29-Aug. 1, 1996.

Ground thawing, Thaw weakening, Soil trafficability, Soil stabilization, Geotextiles, Military engineering, Road maintenance, Environmental tests

The U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) conducted a field demonstration project in which a variety of expedient surfaces were constructed and trafficked to test stabilization techniques for thawing soils. The project was conducted at Fort McCoy, WI, during the 1995 spring thaw. Cooperating partners included the Wisconsin National Guard, the U.S. Army Engineer School, the USDA Forest Service (USFS), Terramat, and Uni-Mat International, Inc. As part of the overall project, the stabilizing techniques were evaluated for expediency, ease of construction, performance during trafficking, and vehicle mobility enhancement. The test and evaluation program generated recommendations for construction of expedient roads under thawing conditions to be incorporated into military engineering decision aids and simulations. The information is also applicable for non-military purposes such as timber- and pipeline-access in the logging, oil and gas industries. This paper provides a general description of the techniques tested and installation methods used as well as some difficulties associated with each. It also briefly describes the tests performed and types of data gathered.

51-2728

Extension and compression of elastomeric butt joint seals.

Ketcham, S.A., Niemiec, J.M., McKenna, G.B., MP 3991, *Journal of engineering mechanics,* July 1996, 122(7), p.669-677, 21 refs.

Rubber, Joints (junctions), Sealing, Elastic properties, Tensile properties, Compressive properties, Strain tests, Low temperature tests, Stress strain diagrams, Structural analysis, Mathematical models

The conventional practice for the design of elastomeric butt joint seals in pavement and building expansion joints is based primarily on standard tests of model seals. The practice does not incorporate structural analysis and does not utilize mechanical properties of the sealant. This study concerns the applicability of a particular load versus deflection equation for the extension and compression design of these seals, i.e., an elementary large compression equation for bonded rubber blocks. The study demonstrates, using experiments to measure strain energy density functions for two sealants, by application of these functions in finite-element analyses and by comparison of the finite-element and elementary analysis results, the capabilities and limitations of the load versus deflection equation. In the process, the study introduces an efficient experimental technique for evaluating coefficients of the Rivlin strain energy density polynomial for general application to the analysis of elastomeric structures, and demonstrates the utility of the finite-element-based approach for extension and compression analysis of butt joint seals.

51-2729

Distributed millimeter-wave radar modeling for the winter battlefield.

Davis, R.E., Henson, J.M., Koenig, G.G., MP 3992, Army Science Conference, 20th, Norfolk, VA, June 24-27, 1996. Science and technology for Force XXI. Proceedings. Vol.2, Washington, D.C., U.S. Department of the Army, Assistant Secretary for Research, Development and Acquisition, 1996, p.857-861, 10 refs.

Snow cover effect, Radar tracking, Radar photography, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Terrain identification, Military operation, Environment simulation, Computerized simulation, Image processing

Winter battlefield conditions present a range of backgrounds to a radar seeker/sensor varying from hostile to friendly, depending on the spectral range of the sensor and the state (e.g., thawed/frozen) of the snow or soil. Millimeter-wave radar sensing of the winter battlefield presents a special challenge because snow exhibits a huge range in backscatter intensity and polarization. Wet snow provides a relatively dark background at non-nadir views, while refrozen snow presents one of the brightest natural land covers. An image processing, GIS-like approach aggregates information layers into patches for model calculations. These consist of similar land cover and terrain attributes. Physics-based models of snow and soil processes couple to models of radar cross section. Time series of solutions map back into data layers and couple to a radar scene generator. Scenes can represent virtually any forward scan or sidelooking radar system of interest, viewing the test area from a fixed point over time. Validation of the modeling system followed an incremental plan. Predicted snow and soil properties, radar cross sections, and generated scenes compare favorably against measurements from extensive field tests. Examples from a 3-day simulation period show much of the dynamic range and spatial heterogeneity observed on winter battlefields.

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Radioactive wastes, Fallout, Water pollution, Sea ice, Ice cover effect, Ice composition, Impurities, Drift

51-2736

Performance of ground-coupled heat pumps at Patuxent River NAS—lessons learned and procurement guidance.

Phetteplace, G., Monaghan, S.K., Garg, S., MP 3999, *U.S. Naval Facilities Engineering Service Center, Port Hueneme, CA. Site specific report,* Oct. 1996, SSR-2268-E&U, 63p., 12 refs.

Military facilities, Buildings, Heat pumps, Heat pipes, Heat transfer, Heat recovery, Geothermy, Radiant heating, Cooling systems, United States—Maryland—Patuxent River Naval Air Station

The primary objective of this project was to determine the performance of the ground-coupled heat pump HVAC systems installed as part of the building renovation to Building 2189 at Patuxent Naval Air Station. Of particular interest was the net heat extracted from the ground, the electrical energy input to the heat pumps, and the net thermal effect delivered to the building space in both the heating and cooling mode. Also of concern was the operating performance of the heat pumps and the ground coupling loops. The finding of this study will be used in determining the suitability of such systems for use on other Navy facilities.

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51-2744

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Concrete freezing, Concrete strength, Frost resistance, Freeze thaw tests, Standards

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New oceanographic data from beneath Ronne Ice Shelf, Antarctica.

Nicholls, K.W., Makinson, K., Johnson, M.R., *Geophysical research letters,* Jan. 15, 1997, 24(2), p.167-170, 20 refs.

Oceanographic surveys, Ocean currents, Temperature measurement, Ice water interface, Ice shelves, Ice melting, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Oceanographic data have been obtained via an access hole made through Ronne Ice Shelf. The site, which is the third in a series of similar studies, lies 17 km west of Korff Ice Rise where 825 m of ice overlies a 485-m deep water column. Measurements included conductivity and temperature profiles, and an instrument mooring was deployed for long-term measurements of currents, temperature and conductivity. At the sea floor there was a 150-m layer of well-mixed water with a potential temperature and salinity of -1.97°C and 34.72. The water cooled and freshened towards the ice-shelf base, ultimately reaching -2.41°C and 34.51. The hydrographic and water current data imply a flow into the deepest part of the sub-ice shelf cavity of about 200,000 m^3/s of the deeper, relatively warm water, which would be able to power an average basal melt rate of 0.2 m/a for the western portion of Ronne Ice Shelf. (Auth.)

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Undersaturation of CH_3Br in the Southern Ocean.

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Atmospheric composition, Sea water, Chemical composition, Air water interactions, —South Pacific Ocean

Dry mole fractions of methyl bromide (CH_3Br) in marine boundary layer air and in air equilibrated with surface water were measured in the southern ocean. Saturation anomalies were consistently negative at -36±7%. The observed undersaturations do not support recently published predictions of highly supersaturated antarctic waters, but instead suggest a net uptake of atmospheric CH_3Br by cold, productive oceans. The observations do not appear to be supported by known chemical degradation rates and present strong evidence for an unidentified, oceanic sink mechanism such as biological breakdown. The authors' estimate for the global, net, oceanic sink for atmospheric methyl bromide remains negative at -21 (-11 to -32) Gg/y. (Auth.)

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic factors, Models, Air temperature, Atmospheric circulation, Periodic variations, Heat transfer, Polar regions

The authors conduct an empirical study of polar sensitivity to climate forcing by comparing a high-quality, 17-year satellite-derived dataset of daily temperatures for 2.5° latitudinal bands to a known external forcing mechanism, the lunar phase cycle. The earth's polar regions display a temperature range of greater than 0.55°C over the course of a synodic (29.53 day) month. This lunar-influenced range in temperature is 25 times larger than a similarly computed range in aggregated global temperatures over a synodic month. Temperature variations between the polar and non-polar regions also produce a pronounced temporal shift in sensible heat transfer. Strong poleward transfer of heat dominates near the full moon but the transfer substantially weakens near the new moon. It is unlikely that this sensitivity can be explained by the type of polar forcing previously identified in GCM simulations and paleoclimatic reconstructions, because of the short duration of the lunar cycle. However, it does demonstrate a new and potentially important external influence on the polar regions' climates. (Auth. mod.)

51-2757

Phase transformations in sulfuric acid aerosols: implications for stratospheric ozone depletion.

Imre, D.G., Xu, J., Tridico, A.C., *Geophysical research letters,* Jan. 1, 1997, 24(1), p.69-72, 37 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Freezing points, Air temperature

Activation reactions of benign chlorine species (HCl, $ClONO_2$) on aerosols in the winter polar stratosphere set the stage for the springtime catalytic destruction of ozone leading to the antarctic ozone hole. Field observations have demonstrated the existence of both solid and liquid particles consisting of H_2SO_4, HNO_3, and H_2O. The exact freezing conditions and final composition of the solid aerosols remain the subject of investigations. The authors present laboratory observations of isolated individual sulfuric acid/water particles under stratospheric temperatures and water vapor pressures. The experiments demonstrate that this binary system would not freeze unless temperatures were below the water-ice frost point. Upon freezing, the authors observe $H_2SO_4 \cdot 8H_2O$, not the generally invoked $H_2SO_4 \cdot 4H_2O$. It is suggested that the water-rich octahydrate phase is likely to be one of the high relative humidity forms which is efficient in chlorine activation. (Auth.)

51-2758

Unusual characteristics of lower thermosphere prevailing winds at South Pole.

Portniagin, IU.I., Forbes, J.M., Makarov, N.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Jan. 1, 1997, 24(1), p.81-84, 7 refs.

Wind (meteorology), Atmospheric circulation, Velocity measurement, Wind direction, Geomagnetism, Antarctica—South Pole

Meteor radar measurements of meridional winds near 95 km altitude, along four orthogonal azimuth directions approximately 2° from the geographic South Pole, were made between Jan. 19, 1995,

and Jan. 26, 1996. The authors report analyses of the prevailing (daily mean) wind component covering the period from Jan. 19 through June 20, 1995. The observed phenomena include: a regular month-to-month migration in the phase of the s=1 quasi-stationary component of the wind field; during Apr., a 10-day period of strong net wind divergence from the pole; and evidence for upwelling associated with very high magnetic activity. It is speculated that the wind divergence event may be associated with the mesospheric penetration of momentum fluxes known to accompany intense wave 1 activity in the Southern Hemisphere during Apr. (Auth.)

51-2759

Impact of permafrost thawing on the carbon dynamics of tundra.

Waelbroeck, C., Monfray, P., Oechel, W.C., Hastings, S., Vourlitis, G., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.229-232, 22 refs.

Permafrost surveys, Tundra soils, Carbon dioxide, Tundra climate, Climatic changes, Ground thawing, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil air interface, Global warming

51-2760

Hyperproductivity of the Ross Sea (Antarctica) polynya during austral spring.

Smith, W.O., Jr., Gordon, L.I., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.233-236, 17 refs.

Marine biology, Plankton, Biomass, Oceanographic surveys, Antarctica—Ross Sea

The authors conducted a cruise to the Ross Sea polynya in Nov.-Dec., 1994 to measure the contribution of phytoplankton during the austral spring to the annual productivity of the region and found markedly enhanced levels of phytoplankton biomass. Chlorophyll concentrations were greater than 3 µg/l in mid-Nov. Particulate matter concentrations increased through time, and by early Dec. chlorophyll and particular carbon concentrations exceeded 10 µg/l and 53 µmol/l, respectively. Primary productivity also increased through time. Productivity based on nitrate disappearance averaged 1.52 g C/m^2/d, suggesting that the bloom's new production was also substantial. The Ross Sea polynya is the most southerly location in the Antarctic where phytoplankton growth is initiated this early and which supports such high standing stocks by early Dec. Inclusion of this production in a carbon budget for the region suggests that this area supports an annual production of 200 g C/m^2, the largest of any region in the southern ocean, and confirms its hyperproductive nature. (Auth. mod.)

51-2761

Potential impact of soot particles from aircraft exhaust on cirrus clouds.

Jensen, E.J., Toon, O.B., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.249-252, 18 refs.

Airplanes, Condensation trails, Air pollution, Aerosols, Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Ice nuclei, Heterogeneous nucleation

51-2762

Multidecadal climate variability in the Greenland Sea and surrounding regions: a coupled model simulation.

Delworth, T.L., Manabe, S., Stouffer, R.J., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.257-260, 17 refs.

Air ice water interaction, Air water interactions, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Ocean currents, Water transport, Sea water, Water temperature, Surface temperature, Salinity, Climatic changes, Computerized simulation, Greenland Sea

51-2763

Stagnation of ice stream C, West Antarctica by water piracy.

Anandakrishnan, S., Alley, R.B., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.265-268, 23 refs.

Stream flow, Ice sheets, Drainage, Flow rate, Glacier flow, Antarctica—West Antarctica

The dynamic behavior of the West Antarctic ice sheet is of interest because of the possibility that it may change and cause rapid sea-level rise. Attention is focused on the fast-moving and rapidly responding ice streams that drain the ice sheet. One of these, ice stream C, largely stopped about a century ago, and some models for this shutdown postulate negative feedbacks that would tend to stabilize the ice-sheet. Here, new data are presented indicating that the slowdown of the ice stream is restricted to its lower part, and occurred because of loss of lubrication on localized "sticky spots" at the bed of the ice stream. The increased friction probably arises from a topographic accident of the glacier bed that has directed lubricating water to the neighboring ice stream B, together with slow drawdown of the ice sheet, rather than from any general stabilizing feedbacks. (Auth.)

51-2764

Cool tropical temperatures shift the global $\delta^{18}O$-T relationship: an explanation for the ice core δ^{18}-borehole thermometry conflict?

Boyle, E.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.273-276, 19 refs.

Ice cores, Isotope analysis, Drill core analysis, Atmospheric composition, Ice composition, Air temperature, Paleoclimatology, Global change, Greenland

51-2765

Ozone measurements over McMurdo Station, Antarctica during spring 1994 and 1995.

Nardi, B., Deshler, T., Hervig, M.E., Oolman, L.D., *Geophysical research letters,* Feb. 1, 1997, 24(3), p.285-288, 14 refs.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Air temperature, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Ozone and temperature profiles were measured with balloon-borne instruments over McMurdo Station from late Aug. to late Oct. in 1994 and in 1995. Minimum column ozone values of 138 DU and 139 Du were measured, reduced from initial measurements in late Aug. of 272 DU and 256 DU, respectively. These minima are higher than the record low measurement from McMurdo taken in Oct. 1993 (130 DU), but lower than all other years since 1986 when ozone measurements were initiated at McMurdo. In 1994 and 1995, as in previous years, the onset of ozone recovery began mid-to-late Oct. above 20 km. Below 14 km ozone concentrations have returned to pre-Pinatubo levels. Between 16-22 km they are near, and in 1995 often lower than, the record low levels set in 1993. In late Aug. of 1995, the total and 12-20 km column ozone were also often observed to be near or lower than that for the same period of all previous years since 1986. By early Oct. 1995, almost complete ozone depletion was experienced uniformly over the altitude region 14.5-19.5 km. (Auth.)

51-2766

Assessment of the accuracy of 14.5 years of Nimbus 7 TOMS Version 7 ozone data by comparison with the Dobson network.

McPeters, R.D., Labow, G.J., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3695-3698, 11 refs.

Ozone, Mathematical models, Data processing, Meteorological instruments, Spacecraft, Solar radiation, Antarctica

A Version 7 algorithm and calibration have been applied to the 14.5 year Nimbus 7 TOMS ozone record (1978-1993). The ozone retrieval algorithm has been significantly improved for cloudy conditions and for high solar zenith angles, and the radiative transfer used in the algorithm is more accurate. New calibration techniques have been used that produce a very stable data set even after 1990 when TOMS degradation became significant. TOMS ozone now agrees with average ozone from an ensemble of 30 Northern Hemisphere ground stations (Dobsons and Brewers) to within 1% throughout most of the 14.5 year record. The time-dependent drift relative to Dobson is 0.29% per decade through the end of the data record. There is almost no solar zenith angle dependence in the comparison for angles below about 80°, but data should be used with caution for larger solar zenith angles. There is also a residual total ozone dependence in the TOMS-Dobson difference, of about 1% per 100 DU. (Auth.)

51-2767

Long-term ozone trends derived from the 16-year combined Nimbus 7/Meteor 3 TOMS Version 7 record.

McPeters, R.D., Hollandsworth, S.M., Flynn, L.E., Herman, J.R., Seftor, C.J., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3699-3702, 15 refs.

Meteorological instruments, Spacecraft, Ozone, Mathematical models, Data processing, Seasonal variations, Solar radiation, Antarctica

Ozone measurements from the Nimbus 7 TOMS instrument, which operated from Nov. 1978 through early May 1993, have been extended through Dec. 1994 using data from the TOMS instrument on-board the Russian Meteor 3 satellite. Both TOMS data records have recently been recalibrated, and then reprocessed using the Version 7 retrieval algorithm. Long-term trend estimates obtained from a multiple regression analysis show ozone losses in the extended data record similar to those reported in previous studies using Version 6 TOMS and SBUV data, and ground-based Dobson data. Ozone continues to decline through the end of 1994, with the most significant ozone losses occurring in the high southern latitudes during Oct. (-20% per decade) and in the northern mid- to high-latitudes during Mar./Apr. (-6 to -8% per decade). There is no significant ozone trend in the tropics. Annual-average trends derived from the Nimbus 7 Version 7 data are 0-2.5% per decade less negative than those derived over the same time period using Version 6 data. (Auth.)

51-2768

Cold stratospheric winters 1994/1995 and 1995/1996.

Naujokat, B., Pawson, S., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3703-3706, 9 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Atmospheric pressure, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Air temperature, Ozone

51-2769

Densities and refractive indices of $H_2SO_4/HNO_3/H_2O$ solutions to stratospheric temperatures.

Luo, B.P., Krieger, U.K., Peter, T., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3707-3710, 22 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Aerosols, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Refractivity

51-2770

Enhanced atmospheric transport of soil derived organic matter in spring over the high Arctic.

Kawamura, K., Yanase, A., Eguchi, T., Mikami, T., Barrie, L.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3735-3738, 15 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Soil air interface, Air pollution, Dust, Aerosols

51-2771

Accuracy of arctic stratospheric temperature analyses and the implications for the prediction of polar stratospheric clouds.

Knudsen, B.M., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3747-3750, 10 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Ozone, Weather forecasting, Statistical analysis

51-2772

Sensitivity of post-glacial sea level to viscosity structure and ice-load history for realistically parameterized viscosity profiles.

Fang, M., Hager, B.H., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3787-3790, 25 refs.

Glaciation, Isostasy, Sea level, Earth crust, Tectonics, Global change, Geochronology, Computerized simulation

51-2773

Field investigation of winter thermo- and hydrodynamics in a small Karelian lake.

Bengtsson, L., et al, *Limnology and oceanography,* Nov. 1996, 41(7), p.1502-1513, 23 refs.

Lakes, Hydrodynamics, Thermodynamics, Solar radiation, Russia—Vendyurskoe, Lake

51-2774

Extreme supersaturation of nitrous oxide in a poorly ventilated antarctic lake.

Priscu, J.C., Downes, M.T., McKay, C.P., *Limnology and oceanography,* Nov. 1996, 41(7), p.1544-1551, 46 refs.

Lakes, Ice cover effect, Hydrology, Antarctica—Taylor Valley, Antarctica—Bonney, Lake

Lake Bonney, a permanently ice-covered antarctic lake, has a mid-depth maximum N_2 concentration of 41.6 µM N in its east lobe, representing the highest level yet reported for a natural aquatic system. Atmospheric N_2O over the lake was 45% above the global average, indicating that this lake is an atmospheric source of N_2O. Apparent N_2O production (ANP) was correlated with apparent oxygen utilization (AOU), and denitrification was not detectable, implying that nitrification is the primary source for this gas. The slope of a regression of ANP on AOU revealed that potential N_2O production per unit of potential O_2 consumed in the east lobe of Lake Bonney is at least two orders of magnitude greater than reported for the ocean. The maximum yield ratio for N_2O [$ANP/(NO_2^- + NO_3^-)$] in Lake Bonney is 26%, i.e. 1 atom of N appears in N_2O for every 3.9 atoms appearing in oxidized N, which exceeds previous reports for pelagic systems, being similar to values from reduced sediments. Areal N_2O flux from the lake to the atmosphere is >200 times the areal flux reported for oceanic systems; most of this gas apparently enters the atmosphere through a small moat that occupies ca. 3% of the surface of the lake and exists for ca. 10 weeks in summer. (Auth.)

51-2775

Brewer-Dobson circulation in the light of high altitude *in situ* aircraft observations.

Tuck, A.F., et al, *Royal Meteorological Society. Quarterly journal,* Jan. 1997 Part A, 123(537), p.1-69, Refs. p.63-69.

Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Stratosphere, Humidity

Fast response *in situ* measurements of a suite of chemical species made from the NASA ER2 high altitude aircraft, between 60°N and 70°S at potential temperatures up to 530 K from Mar. to Nov. 1994 at longitudes 115°W to 150°E, are considered for the view they offer of the Brewer-Dobson circulation in the lower stratosphere and upper troposphere. In the Southern Hemisphere, where most of the flights occurred, comparisons are made with measurements taken in Aug./Sep. 1987 at longitudes 120°W to 60°W to examine temporal and longitudinal differences. Interpretations made suggest conceptual modifications to the simple construct of advection in a two-dimensional long-term mean. (Auth.)

51-2776

Comment on "Electrical resistivity sounding of the East Antarctic ice sheet" by Sion Shabtaie and Charles R. Bentley and Reply.

Wolff, E.W., Shabtaie, S., Bentley, C.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 10, 1996, 101(B12), p.27,735-27,740, 8 refs.

Ice cores, Ice crystals, Ice electrical properties, Impurities, Antarctica—Charlie, Dome

The disputing author disagrees with conclusions drawn in the original paper (see F-52509 / 49-3914) that ice resistivities are controlled by ice crystal size variations rather than by ice impurities content. He then cites reasons for the disagreement, concluding that once corrections are made for temperature and density, impurity content controls the conductivity of polar ice at both low and high frequencies. Authors of the original paper refute the analysis of the disputing author, citing the incapability of electrical conductivity to produce reliable data since it measures electrical current rather than conductivity, and that this condition has been known for more than 80 years.

51-2777

Isothermal flow of an anisotropic ice sheet in the vicinity of an ice divide.

Mangeney, A., Califano, F., Castelnau, O., *Journal of geophysical research,* Dec. 10, 1996, 101(B12), p.28,189-28,204, 57 refs.

Anisotropy, Ice creep, Ice thermal properties, Glacier flow, Analysis (mathematics), Ice mechanics

51-2778

Evidence of currently-used pesticides in air, ice, fog, seawater and surface microlayer in the Bering and Chukchi Seas.

Cherniak, S.M., Rice, C.P., McConnell, L.L., *Marine pollution bulletin,* May 1996, 32(5), p.410-419, 37 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Ocean environments, Air pollution, Water pollution, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Ice composition, Impurities, Sea water, Fog

51-2779

Mechanical properties and freezing and thawing resistance of non-air-entrained, air-entrained, and air-entrained superplasticized concrete using ASTM Test C 666, Procedures A and B.

Malhotra, V.M., *Cement, concrete, and aggregates,* Summer 1982, 4(1), p.3-23, 11 refs.

Concrete freezing, Concrete strength, Concrete durability, Concrete admixtures, Air entrainment, Water cement ratio, Frost resistance, Freeze thaw tests

51-2780

Freezing of water and benzene in porous Vycor glass.

Hodgson, C., McIntosh, R., *Canadian journal of chemistry,* 1960, Vol.38, p.958-971, 18 refs.

Ice formation, Porous materials, Hygroscopic water, Adsorption, Capillarity, Liquid phases, Frozen liquids, Liquid solid interfaces, Interfacial tension, Phase transformations

51-2781

Integrating neural networks and rule based systems to build an avalanche forecasting system.

Schweizer, M., Föhn, P.M.B., Schweizer, J., IASTED International Conference on Artificial Intelligence, Expert Systems and Neural Networks, Zurich, Switzerland, July 4-6, 1994. Proceedings, Calgary, Alberta, International Association of Science and Technology for Development (IASTED), 1994, p.1-4, 6 refs.

Avalanche forecasting, Snow cover stability, Computerized simulation, Data processing

51-2782

Controls on calving rate and basal sliding: observations from Columbia Glacier, Alaska, prior to and during its rapid retreat, 1976-1993.

Van der Veen, C.J., *Ohio State University. Byrd Polar Research Center. BPRC report,* 1995, No.11, 72p., 46 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Glacier ablation, Glacier tongues, Basal sliding, Calving, United States—Alaska—Columbia Glacier

51-2783

Late winter snow and ice characteristics of first-year floes in the Bellingshausen and Amundsen Seas, Antarctica: results of investigations during R.V. *Nathaniel B. Palmer* Cruise NBP 93-5 in August and September 1993.

Jeffries, M.O., et al, *Alaska. University. Geophysical Institute. Report,* [1997], UAG-R-325, 51p. + append., 60 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice floes, Snow ice interface, Ice growth, Ice structure, Ice density, Ice salinity, Ice temperature, Snow samplers, Core samplers, Antarctica—Bellingshausen Sea, Antarctica—Amundsen Sea

In Aug. and Sep. 1993, the R.V. *Nathaniel B. Palmer* operated for 37 days in the pack ice of the Bellingshausen and Amundsen seas supporting a sea ice research program, which included snow cover characterization, snow and ice thickness measurements and ice core analysis. The objective of the study was to improve the knowledge of the conditions and processes that contribute to first-year sea ice development and ice thickness variability in this region, and their impact on active microwave backscatter from the ice. The majority of snow depth values (76%) ranged from 0.05-0.35 m. The mean snow depth value was 0.23 m. The majority of ice thickness values (62%) ranged from 0.3-0.8 m. The mean ice thickness was 0.90 m. The snow ice layers had a mean thickness of 0.2 m and indicated that, by the end of winter, the thermodynamic development of the ice cover was dominated by seawater flooding of the snow/ice interface and snow ice formation. Snow ice layers were composed of 7-13% snow, which contributed to 2-4% of the total ice mass. (Auth. mod.)

51-2784

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Exploration, Geological surveys, Mining, Minerals, Natural resources, Bibliographies, United States—Alaska

51-2785

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Oceanographic surveys, Hydrography, Ocean currents, Water transport, Sea water, Water temperature, Salinity, Greenland Sea

51-2786

Ice jam dynamics.

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River ice, Ice jams, Freezeup, Ice breakup, Ice friction, Ice pressure, Ice pileup, Ice cover thickness, Ice forecasting, Ice water interface, River flow, Flood forecasting, Mathematical models, Computer programs

51-2787

Thermal maturation, potential source rocks and hydrocarbon generation in Mesozoic rocks, Lougheed Island area, central Canadian Arctic archipelago.

Gentzis, T., Goodarzi, F., Embry, A.F., *Marine and petroleum geology,* Dec. 1996, 13(8), p.879-905, 34 refs.

Marine geology, Pleistocene, Hydrocarbons, Classifications, Arctic landscapes, Geochemistry, Geothermal prospecting, Rock properties, Stratigraphy, Subsidence, Sampling, Canada—Northwest Territories—Lougheed Island

51-2788

Gas hydrate and free gas indications within the Cenozoic succession of the Bjørnøya Basin, western Barents Sea.

Laberg, J.S., Andreassen, K., *Marine and petroleum geology,* Dec. 1996, 13(8), p.921-940, 51 refs.

Hydrates, Natural gas, Exploration, Seismic surveys, Offshore drilling, Well logging, Marine geology, Bottom sediment, Stratigraphy, Barents Sea

51-2789

Question of Antarctica: State of the environment in Antarctica. Report of the Secretary-General.

United Nations. General Assembly, *United Nations document,* Sep. 20, 1996, A/51/390, 35p., 9 refs.

International cooperation, Meetings, Marine biology, Environmental protection, Sea ice, Air pollution

The present report has been prepared in response to General Assembly resolution 49/80 of Dec. 15, 1994 on the question of Antarctica and, in particular, to paragraph 2 of that resolution, in which the Assembly calls for a report on the information supplied by the Antarctic Treaty Consultative Parties on their activities in Antarctica to be submitted to the General Assembly at its fifty-first session. The report also updates previous reports to the General Assembly on the state of the environment in Antarctica, providing a synopsis of some recent findings. The emphasis of the report is on environmental issues.

51-2790

Antarctic Science and Policy: Interdisciplinary Research Education (ASPIRE).

Berkman, P.A., *Ohio State University. Byrd Polar Research Center. Report,* 1997, BPRC No.13, 70p., Refs. p.57-70.

Research projects, Education, Environmental protection, Antarctica

The purpose of the report is to illustrate an interdisciplinary approach for teaching Earth System Science Education (ESSE) through group decision-making activities. This educational approach has been applied successfully in an interdisciplinary capstone course on Antarctic Marine Ecology and Policy that has been taught at universities in the United States since 1982. In this course, each student becomes an "ambassador" to an Antarctic Treaty nation with the task of recommending a practical and clearly defined solution that would mitigate a specific human impact in the antarctic marine ecosystem. These solutions are discussed and refined in working groups throughout the course to create the formal recommendations that are debated at the end of the term in a Mock Antarctic Treaty Consultative Meeting. The effectiveness of this interdisciplinary activity in teaching ESSE courses is assessed with regard to several student case studies.

51-2791

Managing the antarctic environment: from observations to policy. A workshop report.

Jezek, K.C., ed, Tipton-Everett, L., ed, *Ohio State University. Byrd Polar Research Center. Report,* 1995, BPRC No.12, 42p., Refs. p.34-35.

Research projects, Remote sensing, International cooperation, Environmental protection, Environmental impact, Human factors, Air pollution, Ocean environments, Instruments, Antarctica

The workshop was convened at the Byrd Polar Research Center on July 10-12, 1995. The primary objectives of the workshop were to review the status of environmental policies currently applied to Antarctica, to identify key physical, chemical and biological variables that can serve as indicators of human impacts and to identify requirements that spaceborne sensors must meet to be usefully applied as antarctic environmental monitoring tools. An additional objective was to explore how remote sensing data must be manipulated in order to be useful to policy makers. Over 50 participants with expertise in antarctic policy, science, and commercial enterprises attended the meeting. This report summarizes the findings of eight panels which addressed policy issues, the marine and terrestrial environments, science support, tourism, human impact, and remote sensing. Major conclusions reached by the panels are discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2792
Cape Roberts Project: Antarctic stratigraphic drilling. Proceedings of a meeting to consider the project science plan and potential contributions by the U.S. science community, 6-7 March, 1994.
Webb, P.N., ed, Wilson, G.S., ed, *Ohio State University. Byrd Polar Research Center. Report,* 1995, BPRC No.10, 117p., Refs. p.81-93.
Research projects, Marine geology, Glacial geology, Geological surveys, Geophysical surveys, Drilling, Antarctica—Roberts, Cape, Antarctica—Ross Sea
This report provides a record of the proceedings of the United States Cape Roberts Project (CRPUS) workshop held at the Ohio State University in Mar. 1994. Some 43 scientists from U.S. institutions contributed to statements of interest presented by the 31 scientists who attended the workshop. The primary interest areas were geophysics, tectonic history, structural and igneous geology; stratigraphy, sedimentology, mineralogy, geochemistry, down-hole geophysics, and magnetostratigraphy; and marine-terrestrial paleontology and biostratigraphy, paleoclimate, and paleoceanography. Presented here are the highlights of the principal points of discussion, special issues, statements, and recommendations.

51-2793
Vertical distribution and seasonal variation in ice algae biomass in coastal sea ice off Zhongshan Station, East Antarctica.
He, J.F., Chen, B., *Antarctic research,* Dec. 1996, 7(2), p.150-163, Refs. p.161-163. For Chinese original see 50-3642 or 24B-54582.
Sea ice, Ice cover thickness, Algae, Biomass, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station
Algal communities in coastal sea ice off Zhongshan Station were monitored from Apr. to Dec. 1992. The maximum thickness of ice cover was 1.74 m (Nov.-Dec.). Brown layers occurred in 2-5 cm of the ice bottom in late Apr. and Nov., with chlorophyll *a* peak values of 360.7 and 2810 mg/m^3, respectively. The integrated chlorophyll *a* values ranged from 1.17 to 59.7 mg/m^2, with the peak occurring in Nov. when ice algae bloomed, and the values never exceeded 6 mg/m^2 before mid-Oct. The highest value occurred in Apr. Most of the biomass was concentrated in the bottom ice. The dominant diatoms were composed of *Nitzschia lecointei. N. barkleyi.* and *N. cylindrus* in the fall, and *Amphiprora kjellmanii. Berkeleya rutilans.* and *N. lecointei* in the spring. (Auth. mod.)

51-2794
Annual cycle of the surface energy balance of antarctic blue ice.
Bintanja, R., Jonsson, S., Knap, W.H., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 27, 1997, 102(D2), p.1867-1881, 42 refs.
Weather stations, Models, Radiation, Wind velocity, Air temperature, Ice sheets, Ice temperature, Glacier heat balance, Ice heat flux, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land
A 15-month meteorological data set was obtained from an automatic weather station over a blue ice area in Queen Maud Land. The meteorological measurements are used as input for a surface energy balance model in order to compute the hourly varying surface fluxes and the (sub)surface temperatures to a depth of 10 m. The model reproduces reasonably well the directly measured temperatures in the upper meter of ice. Model results show that the net shortwave radiation is the largest positive term in the annual mean energy budget (42.2 W/m^2). Other positive fluxes are the downward sensible heat flux (12.1 W/m^2) and the upward subsurface energy flux (0.2 W/m^2). Energy is lost by net longwave radiation (-49/1 W/m^2) and the upward directed latent heat flux (-5.0 W/m^2). An analysis is made of the annual cycle of the surface heat fluxes on the basis of daily, monthly, and seasonally mean values. In addition, there are calculations of the surface energy budget for two distinctly different weather regimes, which are typical for this region. Finally, it is demonstrated that the annual cycle of the turbulent fluxes can be explained in terms of the limiting values of the Bowen ratio. (Auth. mod.)

51-2795
Crustal structure of northern Baffin Bay: Seismic refraction results and tectonic implications.
Reid, I., Jackson, H.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 10, 1997, 102(B1), p.523-542, 24 refs.
Geologic structures, Tectonics, Seismic refraction, Earth crust, Canada—Baffin Bay

51-2796
Basal conditions on Rutford Ice Stream, West Antarctica, from seismic observations.
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Ice sheets, Seismic refraction, Ice creep, Glacier flow, Glacier beds, Basal sliding, Antarctica—Ellsworth Mountains, Antarctica—Fletcher Ice Rise
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***Ellesmeris sphenopteroides*, gen. et sp. nov., a new zygopterid fern from the Upper Devonian (Frasnian) of Ellesmere, N.W.T., Arctic Canada.**

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51-2828

Medium range oscillation characteristics of ozone at Zhongshan and Syowa stations during the antarctic ozone-hole period.

Lu, L.H., Zhou, X.J., Bian, L.G., Zhang, Z.Q., Zheng, X.D., *Antarctic Research (Chinese edition),* Sep. 1996, 8(3), p.20-28, In Chinese with English summary. 8 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Air temperature, Atmospheric pressure, Oscillations, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station, Antarctica—Showa Station

Data on atmospheric ozone, surface temperature and pressure, collected at Zhongshan and Showa stations in July-Dec. 1993 and 1994, are presented. Quasi-one and -two week oscillations were observed; the latter was stronger than the former, for each atmospheric element, in 1993, but in 1994 only the quasi-one week oscillation occurred. In the Zhongshan-Showa region, the oscillations propagate from west to east at a speed, for the quasi-one week type, of about 17 longitudinal degree/day. In the Prydz Bay region, at middle-low stratosphere, the phase difference between the 2 types of oscillations for ozone, isobaric height and temperature is very small. (Auth. mod.)

51-2829

Characteristics of ultraviolet radiation in 1993-1994 at the Larsemann Hills, Antarctica.

Bian, L.G., Lu, L.H., Jia, P.Q., *Antarctic Research (Chinese edition),* Sep. 1996, 8(3), p.29-35, In Chinese with English summary. 8 refs.

Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Diurnal variations, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Larsemann Hills

Characteristics of ultraviolet radiation (UV) and global radiation (Q), from Feb. 1993 to Dec. 1994, at the Larsemann Hills, are analyzed. Result show that most of UV and Q received at the horizontal surface occurred mainly in the warm season (Oct.-Feb.); the values were 87 and 86% of the annual total amounts, respectively. The strongest radiation flux appeared in polar days, when UV values were of the annual amount. The same ratios for the Naqu of the Qinghai, Qingzang Plateau and the Bergen of the arctic circle edge in midsummer were 52 and 47%. The ratio between UV and Q in springtime at the Larsemann Hills was greater than that in other seasons; this phenomenon did not occur at the arctic circle edge. The decrease of ozone in springtime at the Larsemann Hills not only enhances the UVB, but also has an effect on the UV and Q; their relations were basically met by the relationship of logarithmic line. (Auth. mod.)

51-2830

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51-2832

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Paleoclimatology, Surface temperature, Oceanography, Palynology, Paleoecology, Lacustrine deposits, Marine deposits, Radioactive age determination, Precipitation (meteorology), Drill core analysis, Periodic variations, China

51-2834

Record of the Blake Event during the last interglacial paleosol in the western Loess Plateau of China.

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Magnetic anomalies, Geomagnetism, Pleistocene, Loess, Stratigraphy, Luminescence, Soil dating, Geochronology, Remanent magnetism, China—Loess Plateau

51-2835

Application of Bingham statistics to a paleopole data set: towards a better definition of APWP trends?

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Continental drift, Geomagnetism, Pleistocene, Electric fields, Mapping, Orientation, Statistical analysis, Accuracy

51-2836

Comparison of recent ocean tide models using ground-based tidal gravity measurements.

Melchior, P., Francis, O., *Marine geodesy,* Oct.-Dec. 1996, 19(4), p.291-330, 34 refs.

Oceanography, Sea level, Tides, Gravity, Models, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station, United States—Alaska—Alert, Antarctica—Showa Station, —Kerguelen Islands

The authors compare the periodic gravitational attraction and elastic loading effects calculated with different models to the corresponding effects measured at 289 ground-based tidal gravity stations distributed on all continents and several islands. This may be considered as a test of validity for the ocean tide models. It is shown that these ground-based data clearly detect serious imperfections such as the absence of the Arctic Ocean and of the Weddell and Ross Seas. Such comparisons have their limitations: noise level in tidal gravity observations, distance of the observing stations from the ocean basins, mass conservation, and resolution of the ocean tide models. No model is systematically best for all regions. New observations of gravity tides should be made in the proximity (50 km) of seas with strong tides but of simple coastal geometry (Gulf of Biscaye, Brazil). Severe contradictions remain in some specific areas such as Indonesia, New Zealand, and Patagonia, where the diurnal wave O_1 is of special interest. (Auth. mod.)

51-2837

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51-2840

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51-2841

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Offshore drilling, Petroleum industry, Economic development, Hydrocarbons, International cooperation, Natural resources, Exploration, Barents Sea

51-2842

Influence of glacitectonic fractures on wall failure in open excavations: Heath Steele Mines, New Brunswick, Canada.

Park, A.F., Broster, B.E., *Canadian geotechnical journal,* Oct. 1996, 33(5), p.720-731, With French summary. 17 refs.

Mining, Excavation, Trenching, Glacial geology, Tectonics, Bedrock, Walls, Joints (junctions), Cracking (fracturing), Rock mechanics, Rock properties, Permeability, Forecasting, Canada—New Brunswick

51-2843

On the relationship between Eurasian snow cover and the Asian summer monsoon.

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Climatology, Precipitation (meteorology), Rain, Snow cover distribution, Weather observations, Atmospheric circulation, Snow cover effect, Snow air interface, Correlation, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Temperature effects

51-2844

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51-2845

Comparative leaf morphology spectra of plant communities in New Zealand, the Andes and the European Alps.

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Plant ecology, Alpine landscapes, Plant tissues, Structural analysis, Spectra, Biogeography, Vegetation patterns, Environmental impact, Classifications, Climatic factors, Statistical analysis, New Zealand, Colombia, Chile, Austria

51-2846

Hybrid histogram/neural network classifier for creating global cloud masks.

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Cloud cover, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Classifications, Remote sensing, Detection, Statistical analysis, Image processing, Spectra, Sea ice, Slush, Ice cover effect, Snow cover effect, Accuracy

51-2847

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Remote sensing, Spaceborne photography, Sensor mapping, Image processing, Oceanography, Surface properties, Cloud cover, Floating ice, Drift, Ice detection, Classifications, Statistical analysis

51-2848

Estimating surface radiation fluxes in the Arctic from TOVS brightness temperatures.

Schweiger, A.J., Key, J.R., *International journal of remote sensing,* Mar. 10, 1997, 18(4), p.955-970, 28 refs.

Climatology, Radiation balance, Polar atmospheres, Brightness, Radiance, Sounding, Sensor mapping, Classifications, Radiometry, Statistical analysis, Air ice water interaction, Drift stations, Correlation, Arctic Ocean

51-2849

Characteristics of atmospheric boundary layer structure and transfer of the turbulent fluxes over the Zhongshan Station area, Antarctica.

Qu, S.H., Gao, D.Y., *Antarctic Research (Chinese edition),* Dec. 1996, 8(4), p.1-10, In Chinese with English summary. 14 refs.

Meteorological data, Turbulent flow, Turbulent boundary layer, Ice air interface, Snow air interface, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station

Characteristics of the atmospheric boundary layer structure, and the transfer of turbulent fluxes over the Zhongshan Station area, are discussed. Data on temperature, humidity, wind and pressure were collected by using the TMT (tethersonde meteorological tower) sounding system in the summer of 1994-1995. The fluxes of momentum and sensible heat were evaluated, by semiempirical flux-profile relation of Monin-Obukhov similarity theory, from the observed data. Results show that the characteristics of atmospheric boundary layer structure and the transfer of turbulent fluxes have obvious differences at different stations. (Auth. mod.)

51-2850

Ice-geomorphologic information extract from satellite image on antarctic area around Larsemann Hills.

Sun, J.B., Liu, J.L., Guo, X.G., *Antarctic Research (Chinese edition),* Dec. 1996, 8(4), p.20-30, In Chinese with English summary. 7 refs.

LANDSAT, Image processing, Mapping, Spaceborne photography, Ice surface, Meteorological factors, Antarctica—Larsemann Hills

This paper discusses extracts of elevation and ice-geomorphologic information from the spectral and spatial features in the Landsat-TM image of Antarctica, with ARIES digital image processing system, raster-vector data transformation and creation of topologic relation between objects. Edited by RAMS processing system, the ice-geomorphologic map is plotted. At last, forming, distribution, change of ice-geomorphology and influence of the change on the environment are analyzed. (Auth.)

51-2851

Survey of ice avalanche in the area of Zhongshan Station, Antarctica.

Yang, Y.H., Wang, W.D., *Antarctic Research (Chinese edition),* Dec. 1996, 8(4), p.72-75, In Chinese with English summary.

Calving, Seismic surveys, Meteorological factors, Wind factors, Ice surveys, Antarctica—Zhongshan Station

Using digital-trigger seismography, measurements were carried out at Zhongshan Station to determine the relationship between glacier calving regularity and weather factors, such as temperature and wind speed. It is suggested that the data obtained could also be used in iceberg and ice sheet research. Results show that the calving frequency change curve has a parabolic shape from Jan. to Sep. From Oct. to Dec., the frequency increases rapidly; as the temperature rises, the calving frequency also increases. It is also found that frequency and wind speed are inversely related.

51-2852

Unearthing Earth's ancient atmosphere beneath two miles of Greenland ice.

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Glaciology, Ice sheets, Sampling, Ice cores, Drill core analysis, Isotope analysis, Correlation, Air temperature, Temperature variations, Greenland

51-2853

Preserving a priceless library of ice.

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Glaciology, Ice cores, Preserving, Ice sampling, Classifications, Storage, Data processing

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51-2855

Holocene environmental change in a marine-estuarine-lacustrine sediment sequence, King George Island, South Shetland Islands.

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51-2856

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51-2857

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Limnology, Salt lakes, Ecosystems, Algae, Water chemistry, Salinity, Suspended sediments, Sampling, Statistical analysis, Classifications, Antarctica—Vestfold Hills

51-2858

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Marine biology, Biomass, Plankton, Ecology, Distribution, Sampling, Mapping, Biogeography, Statistical analysis, Seasonal variations, Atlantic Ocean

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Marine biology, Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice edge, Ice melting, Ice cover effect, Plankton, Biomass, Chlorophylls, Geochemical cycles, Ice water interface, Models, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

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Limnology, Streams, Plankton, Biomass, Ecosystems, Sampling, Classifications, Statistical analysis, —South Georgia

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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Heat flux, Heat loss, Turbulent diffusion, Thermal diffusion, Temperature gradients, Water temperature, Profiles, Temperature measurement, —Scotia Sea, —Drake Passage

51-2862

Onset of biological winter in the eastern Weddell gyre (Antarctica) planktonic community.

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Marine biology, Biomass, Sampling, Plankton, Seasonal variations, Classifications, Ecosystems, Chlorophylls, Nutrient cycle, Hydrography, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Data on hydrography, phyto- and zooplankton, obtained on a transect along the 0° meridian during the Winter Weddell Gyre Study, June 1992, revealed peculiarities of the early winter situation in the eastern Weddell Gyre. The vertical distribution and developmental stage composition of *Rhincalanus gigas, Calanoides acutus, Calanus propinquus* and krill, *Euphausia superba* larvae, were a good index for a general assessment of the seasonal condition of the plankton communities. There were five zones differing in seasonal situation: (1) the Polar Front and the southern ACC (not studied in detail), (2) the Weddell Front, (3) the Weddell Gyre interior, (4) the Maud Rise area, and (5) the Coastal Current zone. In the eastern part of the Weddell Front (compared to the western part) seasonal development of both phytoplankton and herbivorous zooplankton is delayed in spring but prolonged in late autumn. Furthermore, it appears that the Weddell Sea ecosystem exhibits a much higher degree of spatial and temporal variability than thought before. This may have an impact on seasonal patterns of organic carbon transport from the pelagic realm to deeper water layers and to the sediment. (Auth. mod.)

51-2863

Distribution patterns of the mesozooplankton, principally siphonophores and medusae, in the vicinity of the Antarctic Slope Front (eastern Weddell Sea).

Pagès, F., Schnack-Schiel, S.B., *Journal of marine systems,* Dec. 1996, 9(3-4), p.231-248, 19 refs.

Marine biology, Biomass, Ecosystems, Distribution, Plankton, Sampling, Hydrography, Temperature effects, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The composition, abundance and vertical distribution of mesozooplankton, particularly siphonophores and medusae (27 species), collected along two transects in the eastern Weddell Sea have been analyzed. Both transects were characterized by a steep thermocline that on approaching the coastline defined the Antarctic Slope Front. The front acted as a strong boundary in the shelf-slope and caused a pronounced cross frontal gradient in the populations of cnidarians. Few species and low abundances were found in the upper cold waters and most of the populations concentrated in and below the thermocline. The analysis of the gastrozooids of the physonect siphonophore *Pyrostephos vanhoeffeni* showed a wide variety of prey but the relatively high contribution of krill larvae reveals a substantial trophic impact when both organisms co-occur. (Auth.)

51-2864

Late Quaternary temporal and event classifications, Great Lakes region, North America.

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Pleistocene, Mountain glaciers, Quaternary deposits, Glacier oscillation, Moraines, Magma, Ice edge, Stratigraphy, Paleoecology, Geomorphology, Radioactive age determination, Ecuador—Andes

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Atmospheric circulation, Ice air interface, Glacier oscillation, Air temperature, Climatic factors, Atmospheric pressure, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Statistical analysis, Sweden, Russia, Norway

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Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Pleistocene, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Geomorphology, Radioactive age determination, Insolation, Paleoclimatology, Canada—Alberta

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Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Lacustrine deposits, Geomagnetism, Orientation, Geochronology, Stratigraphy, Statistical analysis, United States—Nevada—Truckee River

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Geomorphology, Pleistocene, Landforms, Landscape development, Quaternary deposits, Eolian soils, Soil profiles, Stratigraphy, Isotope analysis, Radioactive age determination, Wind erosion, United States—Texas, United States—New Mexico

51-2870

Holocene paleohydrology of the tropical Andes from lake records.

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Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Hydrologic cycle, Water level, Cirque glaciers, Glacier melting, Sedimentation, Insolation, Radioactive age determination, Bolivia—Andes

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High-resolution 11,400-yr diatom record from Lake Victoria, East Africa.

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Paleoecology, Plankton, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Periodic variations, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Sampling, Classifications, Statistical analysis, Radioactive age determination

51-2872

Holocene climate effects on the development of a peatland on the Tuktoyaktuk Peninsula, Northwest Territories.

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Continuous permafrost, Arctic landscapes, Peat, Wetlands, Permafrost hydrology, Landscape development, Ice composition, Stratigraphy, Paleoecology, Radioactive age determination, Drill core analysis, Canada—Northwest Territories—Tuktoyaktuk Peninsula

51-2873

Radial profile of mantle viscosity: results from the joint inversion of convection and postglacial rebound observables.

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Geophysical surveys, Isostasy, Pleistocene, Sea level, Ice sheets, Ice loads, Tectonics, Profiles, Gravity anomalies, Viscoelasticity, Periodic variations, Fluid dynamics, Convection

51-2874

Comparison of geoid undulations for west central Greenland.

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Subpolar regions, Geophysical surveys, Gravity anomalies, Aerial surveys, Height finding, Lidar, Lasers, Ice sheets, Ice surface, Correlation, Topographic surveys, Models, Greenland

51-2875

***In situ* biological weighting function for UV inhibition of phytoplankton carbon fixation in the Southern Ocean.**

Boucher, N.P., Prézelin, B.B., *Marine ecology progress series,* Dec. 5, 1996, 144(1-3), p.223-236, Refs. p.234-236.

Ozone, Ultraviolet radiation, Biomass, Algae, Photosynthesis, Antarctica—Palmer Station

A daily integrated *in situ* biological weighting function (BWF) for inhibition of primary production by ultraviolet radiation (UVR, 280-400 nm) was determined for a natural community of antarctic diatoms maintained under daylight conditions. In the early austral spring of 1993 near Palmer Station surface samples were maintained in 6 spectrally distinct outdoor incubators over the course of a single day and the spectral sensitivity of photosynthetic carbon fixation rates and phytoplankton pigmentation was quantified. The changes in spectral sensitivity to ozone-dependent UV-B (280-320 nm radiation) and ozone-independent UV-A (320-400 nm radiation) was resolved on time scale of 2 h intervals over the course of a single day and the spectral sensitivity of photosynthetic carbon fixation rates and phytoplankton pigmentation was quantified. The changes in spectral sensitivity to ozone-dependent UV-B (280-320 nm radiation) and ozone-independent UV-A (320-400 nm radiation) was resolved on time scale of 2 h intervals over the course of the 10 h incubation. The UV-B portion of the solar spectrum photoinhibited daily rates of primary production by 15%, while UV-A was responsible for a 19% reduction in daily averaged rates of carbon fixation. (Auth. mod.)

51-2876

Influence of ocean heat transport on the climate of the Last Glacial Maximum.

Webb, R.S., Rind, D.H., Lehman, S.J., Healy, R.J., Sigman, D., *Nature,* Feb. 20, 1997, 385(6618), p.695-699, 45 refs.

Climatic changes, Heat transfer, Air temperature, Ocean environments, Models

A series of climate simulations using an atmospheric general circulation model shows that maintaining ocean heat transport at close to present-day values, but with otherwise glacial boundary conditions, leads to an enhanced cooling, particularly in the tropics. This is in agreement with recent geochemical evidence from fossil corals, ground waters, and ice. Near-modern ocean heat transport may have been sustained in all ocean basins during the Last Glacial Maximum in order to balance the formation and export of Glacial North Atlantic Intermediate Water. Graphs which show the pole to pole ocean heat transport are included and discussed in the text. (Auth. mod.)

51-2877

Interhemispheric synchrony of the last deglaciation inferred from alkenone palaeothermometry.

Bard, E., Rostek, F., Sonzogni, C., *Nature,* Feb. 20, 1997, 385(6618), p.707-710, 39 refs.

Water temperature, Climatic changes, Ice cores, Air temperature, Glaciers, Antarctica—Byrd Station, Antarctica—Vostok Station

In this paper the alkenone method of sea surface temperature reconstruction is applied to several high-resolution sediment cores recovered from the tropical Indian Ocean between 20°N and 20°S. The inferred initial sea surface temperature warming ca. 15,000 years ago at 20°S is in phase with Northern Hemisphere sea (this study) and air temperature changes, but lags antarctic warming by several millennia. This finding, along with the results of recent modelling studies, provides strong support for the idea that changes in the ocean's global thermohaline circulation were not the only cause of interhemispheric climate teleconnection during the last deglaciation. (Auth. mod.)

51-2878

Internal waves and tides in the western Weddell Sea: observations from Ice Station Weddell.

Levine, M.D., Padman, L., Muench, R.D., Morison, J.H., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 15, 1997, 102(C1), p.1073-1089, 59 refs.

Ocean currents, Water temperature, Tides, Measuring instruments, Ocean waves, Pack ice, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The upper ocean current and temperature fields in the western Weddell Sea were measured from the drifting pack ice at Ice Station Weddell 1 (ISW) and nearby sites. These data document the structure and variability of the internal gravity wave field and tidal currents in this remote region. At ISW, coherence between vertically separated sensors was used to estimate vertical wave number bandwidth. Energy and bandwidth estimates are compared with previous studies in both ice-covered and temperate oceans. Using the measurements of the internal wave field and existing parameterizations of mixing, the authors estimate the vertical heat flux from the Warm Deep Water toward the surface. Tidal currents contributed significantly to the total measured horizontal velocity variance. The tides were primarily barotropic and increased toward the west in both the semidiurnal and diurnal frequency bands. It is suggested that the stronger tidal currents to the west over the shallower water of the upper continental slope, are indirectly responsible for the higher internal wave energy at site C relative to ISW. (Auth. mod.)

51-2879

Winter snow cover on sea ice in the Weddell Sea.

Massom, R.A., Drinkwater, M.R., Haas, C., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 15, 1997, 102(C1), p.1101-1117, 71 refs.

Snow cover, Snow depth, Snow density, Snow temperature, Sea ice, Snow ice interface, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Measurements of snow thickness, temperature, salinity, density, and stratigraphy acquired during the 1992 Winter Weddell Gyre Study are presented. Results indicate that the winter snow cover on sea ice in the Weddell Sea is extremely variable. Extreme fluctuations in antarctic synoptic conditions occur during the austral winter. They result in unique modifications and additions to the snow layer during the aging process and act to stabilize an otherwise easily wind-redistributed shallow snow cover and develop well-packed drift features. The latter occur even over relatively undeformed areas of sea ice and have a significant localized effect on the snow thickness distribution. Significant variability in snow grain size and density is observed as a result of cyclical switches between high- and low-temperature gradient metamorphism. Multiple icy layers indicate multiple thaw-freeze events. One such event occurred during a 3-day station, during which the air temperature rose by 22°C in 12 hours. Also examined are mechanisms for flooding of the snow-ice interface, including snow loading. Even where the latter is not a factor, the layer of snow immediately above the snow-ice interface is commonly damp and saline (>10 per mill). Limitations in the data set are discussed, and comparisons are drawn with other experiments. (Auth. mod.)

51-2880

Surface roughness of Baltic sea ice.

Manninen, A.T., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 15, 1997, 102(C1), p.1119-1139, 23 refs.

Sea ice, Measuring instruments, Surface roughness, Snow depth, Pressure ridges, Ice surface, Bothnia, Bay, Finland, Gulf

51-2881

Determination of the depth dependent scattering coefficient in sea ice.

Haines, E.M., Buckley, R.G., Trodahl, H.J., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 15, 1997, 102(C1), p.1141-1151, 23 refs.

Sea ice, Light scattering, Ice optics, Antarctica—McMurdo Sound

Measurements of the spatial spreading of light in typical first-year sea ice in McMurdo Sound have been characterized in terms of depth dependent scattering using Monte Carlo simulations. The results are shown to place constraints on models of the optical transmission of sea ice and on the relationship of the optical scattering parameters to the physical structure of the ice. Comparisons for different sites and seasons within a given year and between years are presented. The backscattering spatial profiles are shown to fix the scattering parameters of the strongly scattering top layer and the horizontal component of the anisotropic scattering parameter in the bulk layer. The transmission spatial profiles determine the anisotropy of the bulk layer and the absorption by algae near the base of the ice. It is demonstrated that the top layer is very sensitive to warming of the ice and that the scattering properties of this layer largely determine the albedo of sea ice while the transmission is affected by the nature of the top layer, the scattering in the bulk layer, and the absorption in the algal layer. A quantitative relationship between the scattering length and the air volume fraction is demonstrated. (Auth.)

51-2882

Volcanic glass found in Late Quaternary Chinese loess: a pointer for future studies?

Eden, D.N., Frogatt, P.C., Zheng, H.H., Machida, H., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.107-111, 15 refs.

Quaternary deposits, Loess, Pleistocene, Volcanic ash, Geochronology, Stratigraphy, Chemical analysis, Grain size, China—Shandong Peninsula

51-2883

Comprehensive pollen- and tephra-based chronostratigraphic model for the Late Glacial and Holocene period in the French Massif Central.

Juvigné, E., et al, *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.113-120, 38 refs.

Pleistocene, Mountain soils, Volcanic ash, Quaternary deposits, Palynology, Stratigraphy, Geochronology, Sampling, Radioactive age determination, Carbon isotopes, Models, Accuracy, France—Massif Central

51-2884

Tephrochronology and paleoclimatology of the Last Interglacial-Glacial cycle recorded in Alaskan loess deposits.

Begét, J.E., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.121-126, 39 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Climatic changes, Loess, Volcanic ash, Permafrost indicators, Glacial deposits, Eolian soils, Radioactive age determination, Correlation, United States—Alaska—Tanana River, United States—Alaska—Yukon River

51-2885

Late Quaternary tephra-derived paleosols in central Italy's carbonate Apennine Range: stratigraphical and paleoclimatological implications.

Frezzotti, M., Narcisi, B., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.147-153, 37 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Quaternary deposits, Volcanic ash, Stratigraphy, Mountain soils, Soil dating, Geochronology, Soil formation, Geochemistry, Italy—Apennines

51-2886

Loess, soil stratigraphy and Aokautere Ash on Late Pleistocene surfaces in South Westland, New Zealand: interpretation and correlation with the glacial stratigraphy.

Almond, P.C., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.163-176, 33 refs.

Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Glacial deposits, Loess, Volcanic ash, Stratigraphy, Quaternary deposits, Sedimentation, Particle size distribution, Geochronology, Correlation, New Zealand—Westland

51-2887

Thermoluminescence ages of post-glacial loess, Rakaia River, South Island, New Zealand.

Berger, G.W., Tonkin, P.J., Pillans, B.J., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.177-181, 19 refs.

Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Loess, Gravel, Sedimentation, Geochronology, Luminescence, Soil dating, Stratigraphy, New Zealand—South Island

51-2888

Recent work on Quaternary paleosols in Britain.

Catt, J.A., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.183-190, 63 refs.

Pleistocene, Loess, Soil surveys, Quaternary deposits, Subsurface investigations, Periglacial processes, Soil classification, Soil dating, Correlation, United Kingdom

51-2889

Developments in the analysis of volcanic glass shards by laser ablation ICP-MS: quantitative and single internal standard-multi-element methods.

Pearce, N.J.G., Westgate, J.A., Perkins, W.T., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.213-227, 23 refs.

Volcanic ash, Chemical analysis, Lasers, Laboratory techniques, Ablation, Microelement content, Spectroscopy, Standards, Quaternary deposits, Isotope analysis, Statistical analysis, United States—Alaska—Wrangell, Mount

51-2890

Inter-laboratory comparison of the electron probe microanalysis of glass geochemistry.

Hunt, J.B., Hill, P.G., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.229-241, 26 refs.

Quaternary deposits, Pleistocene, Stratigraphy, Volcanic ash, Sampling, Spectroscopy, Laboratory techniques, Geochemistry, Standards, Accuracy, Correlation, Statistical analysis

51-2891

Conceptual model for the enhancement of magnetic susceptibility in soils.

Singer, M.J., Verosub, K.L., Fine, P., TenPas, J., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.243-248, 26 refs.

Pleistocene, Loess, Geomagnetism, Sampling, Soil analysis, Magnetic properties, Profiles, Lithology, Diagenesis, Laboratory techniques, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Models

51-2892

Micromorphological study of pedogenic processes in an evolutionary soil sequence, formed on Late Quaternary rhyolitic tephra deposits, North Island, New Zealand.

Bakker, L., Lowe, D.J., Jongmans, A.G., *Quaternary international,* July-Sep.-Nov. 1996, Vol.34-36, International Inter-INQUA Field Conference and Workshop on Tephrochronology, Loess, and Paleopedology, Hamilton, New Zealand, Feb. 7-12, 1994. Proceedings, p.249-261, 53 refs.

Quaternary deposits, Pleistocene, Volcanic ash, Soil formation, Soil analysis, Radioactive age determination, Correlation, Microanalysis, Microstructure, Mineralogy, Statistical analysis, New Zealand—North Island

51-2893

Characteristics of the NOAA/NESDIS cloud retrieval algorithm using HIRS-MSU radiance measurements.

Yang, S.K., Zhou, S.S., McMillin, L.M., Campana, K.A., *Journal of applied meteorology,* Nov. 1996, 35(11), p.1980-1990, 12 refs.

Clouds (meteorology), Radiation measuring instruments, Infrared radiation

This cloud retrieval algorithm described in McMillin et al., uses multiple channel pairs with a two-pass procedure for enhancing accuracies. The current paper complements McMillin et al. in several ways. First, it describes the characteristics of the channel pairs used in the algorithm while documenting the logic of the channel selection. It shows that the cloud-top heights and cloud fractions are dependent on the sensing channel pairs. The higher the altitude of the weighting function, the smaller the cloud fractions. Second, it adds an atmospheric attenuation correction and displays its effect on cloud-top heights. Without the attenuation correction, the cloud-top distributions are separated into two bands, possibly as a result of the distance between the heights of the weighting functions of the sensing channel pair. The attenuation correction effectively eliminates the gap, both by lowering the upper band and by elevating the lower band. The cloud fractions from this experimental operation are compared with Air Force Real-Time Nephanalysis for 3 months, and they reveal its strength in detecting low-level stratus. The range of data retrieval extends from approximately 80°S through 80°N. (Auth. mod.)

51-2894

Concreting and bricklaying in cold weather.

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Winter concreting, Frost protection, Bricks, Mortars, Cold weather construction

51-2895

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Winter concreting, Cold weather construction, Labor factors, United Kingdom—Scotland

51-2896

Comparisons of cross sections for melting hydrometeors as derived from dielectric mixing formulas and a numerical method.

Meneghini, R., Liao, L., *Journal of applied meteorology,* Oct. 1996, 35(10), p.1658-1670, 33 refs.

Ice dielectrics, Ice melting, Water content, Snow melting

51-2897

Radioactivity measurements applied to glaciers and lake sediments.

Pinglot, J.F., Pourchet, M., *Science of the total environment,* Dec. 1, 1995, Vols. 173/174, Special issue: Environmental Radiochemical Analysis. A collection of Papers Presented at the Seventh Symposium on Environmental Radiochemical Analysis. Edited by G.W.A. Newton, p.211-223, 45 refs.

Radioactivity, Glaciers, Lakes, Sediments, Lacustrine deposits, Fallout, Radioactive age determination, Glacier ice, Ice dating, Soil dating, Antarctica—Vostok Station, Antarctica—James Ross Island, Antarctica—Charlie, Dome, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

The behavior of glaciers, polar ice-caps and lakes can be studied by means of natural and artificial radioactivity measurements conducted on snow (Alps, Arctic and Antarctic) and sediments samples. The nuclear decay of elements (^{210}Pb and ^{238}U filiation products) and nuclear events (atmospheric thermonuclear tests: 1954 and 1962-63; Chernobyl accident: 1986) allow an absolute dating of corresponding layers. These determinations need radiochemical separations (electro-plating, ion exchange filters), followed by ultra low level alpha and gamma spectrometries, or beta counting (^{137}Cs, ^{90}Sr). The high purity—N type—germanium detector (Compton-suppressed) allows the ^{210}Pb analysis at 46.52 keV, enabling a direct comparison with ^{210}Po alpha spectrometry. Typical applications concern primarily dating, and the determination of mean annual accumulation rates of glaciers, sedimentation rate and mixing time in lakes, with their associated spatio-temporal variations. These measurements give access to the global fallouts of radionuclides and to meteorological parameters: air to snow (or sediment) transfer, deposition processes and atmospheric circulation. (Auth.)

51-2898

Vegetation-induced warming of high-latitude regions during the Late Cretaceous period.

Otto-Bliesner, B.L., Upchurch, G.R., *Nature,* Feb. 27, 1997, 385(6619), p.804-807, 35 refs.

Global warming, Vegetation factors, Polar regions, Models, Climatic changes

A global climate model for the latest Cretaceous (66 mya) is used to examine the role played by high- and mid-latitude forests in surface temperature regulation. In simulations, this forest vegetation warms the global climate by 2.2°C. The low-albedo deciduous forests cause high-latitude land areas to warm, which then transfer more heat to adjacent oceans, thus delaying sea-ice formation and increasing winter temperatures over coastal land. Overall, the inclusion of some of the physical and physiological climate feedback effects of high-latitude forest vegetation in these simulations reduces the existing discrepancies between observed and modelled climates of the latest Cretaceous, suggesting that these forests may have made an important contribution to climate regulation during periods of global warmth.

51-2899

Interannual variation of global atmospheric angular momentum.

Chen, T.C., Tribbia, J.J., Yen, M.C., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* Oct. 1, 1996, 53(19), p.2852-2857, 11 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Oscillations

The relative atmospheric angular momentum (RAM) integrated over the globe is an explicit variable representing the state of the atmospheric general circulation. After removing the annual, semiannual, and higher-frequency components, the filtered global RAM time series is highly correlated with both the Southern Oscillation index and the tropical Pacific sea surface temperature averaged over Area Nino-3. The interannual variation of global RAM is coherent with the poleward propagation of RAM anomalies. The global RAM anomalies reach their minimum values when westerly anomalies emerge in the Tropics and higher latitudes during a cold El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO) event. On the other hand, global RAM anomalies attain their maximum values when westerly anomalies arrive at the subtropics of both hemispheres during a warm ENSO event. IT is demonstrated that the poleward propagation of RAM anomalies results from the flip-flop oscillation of the anomalous circulation between cold and warm ENSO events. Included are graphs of atmospheric angular momentum from 1979 through 1992 extending globally from 90°S to 90°N. (Auth. mod.)

51-2900

On the origin of midlatitude ozone changes: Data analysis and simulations for 1979-1993.

Callis, L.B., Natarajan, M., Lambeth, J.D., Boughner, R.E., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1215-1228, Refs. p.1227-1228.

Ozone, Simulation, Meteorological factors, Solar activity, Aerosols, Variations

Satellite data show large declines in global (4.5%) and mid-latitude (10%) ozone in the mid-1980s and during 1992 and 1993. Analyses of ozone, temperature, and aerosol records and two-dimensional chemical transport simulations have been carried out to develop an understanding of the causes of these changes. Simulations include contemporary homogeneous and heterogeneous chemistry. Also included are the effects of trace gas increases, dilution and denitrification associated with the antarctic ozone destruction, solar cycle effects including relativistic electron precipitation (REP), variable diabatic transport fields and temperature, and variable sulfate aerosol surface area density and acidity. Simulated global and mid-latitude ozone agree very well with observations for the entire period. (Auth. mod.)

51-2901

On the magnitude of transport out of the Antarctic polar vortex.

Wauben, W.M.F., Bintanja, R., Van Velthoven, P.F.J., Kelder, H., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1229-1238, Refs. p.1237-1238.

Atmospheric circulation, Stratosphere, Ozone, Mapping, Simulation, Antarctica

The degree of isolation of the antarctic stratospheric vortex in late winter and spring is investigated quantitatively by using a three-dimensional global tracer transport model, in which the transport is computed from European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Fore-

casts analyzed data. The evolution of the spatial distribution of passive tracers provides information about variations in the vortex structure, as well as about the magnitude of the transport out of the antarctic vortex. The vortex structure revealed by tracers released inside the vortex at 72.5 hPa corresponds well with the satellite-derived distribution of total ozone. The model computations indicate that in late winter and spring of the years 1990-1993, there is a quasi-horizontal cross-vortex transport of about 0.24% per day of the total tracer amount, while per day, 0.83% of the vortex mass descends into the troposphere. This indicates that roughly 65% of the vortex air is flushed out during Aug.-Sep.-Oct. (Auth. mod.)

51-2902

Annual variation of total ozone at Syowa Station, Antarctica.

Chubachi, S., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1349-1354, 21 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Seasonal variations, Temperature variations, Air temperature, Antarctica—Showa Station

Analysis of total ozone data from Showa Station for the years 1982 to 1994 reveals several new features in the behavior of ozone depletion. There is no significant year-to-year trend or seasonal variation of total ozone during the polar night (June and July), and the mean value for these months provides a baseline for determining the springtime ozone decrease. Also, the constancy of the polar night data shows that the ozone depletion in spring does not affect the following wintertime total ozone. September total zone relative to the mean total ozone during June and July varies lineraly with that for Aug., showing that the ozone destruction process is active in Aug. and Sep.; this relationship does not appear to continue through Oct. when corruption or displacement of the polar vortex occurs. The magnitude of springtime ozone depletion has increased from the 1980s to the 1990s. Moreover, analysis of temperature at the 100-hPa level shows that final warming at Showa has been delayed 1.2 days per year. This suggests that the polar vortex is stabilized by the development of the antarctic ozone hole. (Auth.)

51-2903

Millimeter wave spectroscopic measurements over the South Pole. 3. The behavior of stratospheric nitric acid through polar fall, winter, and spring.

De Zafra, R.L., Chan, V., Crewell, S., Trimble, C., Reeves, J.M., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1399-1410, Refs. p.1409-1410.

Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Polar stratospheric clouds, Atmospheric circulation, Temperature variations, Antarctica—South Pole

The authors present data from a 9-month series of ground-based measurements of stratospheric nitric acid, made over the South Pole from mid-Apr. 1993 to mid-Jan. 1994. Observations were typically made at 3- to 6-day intervals. These measurements provide the first quasi-continuous series of vertical mixing ratio profiles for this species in the heart of the south polar vortex. Conversion of NO_x to nitric acid by heterogeneous reactions, and its incorporation into polar stratospheric cloud (PSC) particles, along with subsequent gravitational settling, is considered to be the main denitrifying mechanism in the antarctic stratosphere, setting up conditions for ozone destruction at the end of winter. A small increase in HNO_3 was seen between Apr. and the end of May, after which a rapid loss took place below 25 km. By the end of observations in Jan. 1994, mixing ratios and column densities above ca. 15 km had not yet reached more than about half the values seen the previous Apr., indicating that a rather large increase in stratospheric HNO_3 occurs in the early austral fall over the south polar region. (Auth. mod.)

51-2904

Limits on heterogeneous processing in the Antarctic spring vortex from a comparison of measured and modeled chlorine.

Shindell, D.T., De Zafra, R.L., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1441-1449, Refs. p.1448-1449.

Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Simulation, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ozone, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

Forty-day photochemical model runs are compared with ground-based stratospheric ClO observations taken during the austral spring of 1993. The purpose is to explore the range of required heterogeneous processing within which one can reproduce the duration and degree of chlorine activation within the antarctic spring vortex. The record ozone losses observed during Sep. of 1993 may be attributed to catalytic loss due to chlorine maintained in active forms by heterogeneous processing despite the sparse particle loading of the antarctic lower stratosphere at that time. The ozone loss rates predicted by the model during the formation of the springtime antarctic ozone hole indeed agree quite well with observations. The one-dimensional model is also able to reproduce both the observed timing and rate for subsequent deactivation of chlorine. Renitrification from PSC evaporation is not required for this deactivation, as HCl reformation is very rapid at low ozone values. (Auth. mod.)

51-2905

Three-dimensional ozone transport during the ozone hole breakup in December 1987.

Atkinson, R.J., Plumb, R.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1451-1466, 16 refs.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric composition, Antarctica

The results of a detailed study of the Dec. 1987 ozone hole breakup is reported. A quasi-conservative coordinate transformation technique is used on ozone data from the second stratospheric aerosol and gas experiment (SAGE II) to obtain a three-dimensional description of the hemispheric ozone distribution immediately prior to the event. A contour advection technique is used to describe the stratospheric material evolution during the period, and this provides a detailed depiction of the quasi-horizontal ozone transports which occurred at the time. The calculated dynamically induced total ozone changes during the period are then separated into contributions arising from "vertical" and "horizontal" advection. The potential vorticity tendency form of the quasi-geostrophic omega equation is solved to provide insight into the horizontal scales and vertical domain of the dynamical "forcing" primarily responsible for the vertical advection component. Finally, by imposing a "no ozone hole" ozone distribution during the period, and comparing the resulting ozone distribution with that obtained with the unmodified reconstruction, the authors then isolate a significant component of the observed mid-latitude total ozone changes which was attributable solely to the presence of antarctic ozone depletion. (Auth. mod.)

51-2906

Global evolution of the Mt. Pinatubo volcanic aerosols observed by the infrared limb-sounding instruments CLAES and ISAMS on the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite.

Lambert, A., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1495-1512, Refs. p.1509-1512.

Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Meteorological instruments, Infrared reconnaissance, Stratosphere, Spaceborne photography

The cryogenic limb array etalon spectrometer (CLAES) and the improved stratospheric and mesospheric sounder (ISAMS) instruments on board the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS) have been used to produce global information on the Mt. Pinatubo volcanic aerosol for the period from Oct. 1991 to Apr. 1993. The satellite infrared extinction measurements near 12 μm are converted into the aerosol-related parameters necessary for modelling the effects of the volcanic aerosol on the aeronomy of the stratosphere and are presented as zonal mean distributions for 80°S to 80°N averaged over 35-day periods. The aerosol composition is derived from the CLAES and ISAMS temperature measurements and the water vapor abundances are obtained from the microwave limb sounder (MLS). The aerosol volume density is obtained from the extinction measurements from which the surface area density and the effective particle radius are estimated. Rate constants are derived for the heterogeneous reactions of N_2O_5 and $ClONO_2$ on the sulphate aerosols. The application of the aerosol parameters to the investigation of tracer transport, heterogeneous chemistry, and radiative transfer is discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-2907

Effect of stratospheric ozone variations on UV radiation and on tropospheric ozone at high latitudes.

Taalas, P., Damski, J., Kyrö, E., Ginzburg, M., Talamoni, G., *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1533-1539, 21 refs.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Ultraviolet radiation, Variations, Antarctica—Marambio Station

A negative trend of stratospheric ozone has been observed, especially at high latitudes, during the last 15 years; a negative trend in total ozone was detected during 1987-1994; -10% at Marambio Station (64°S) and -12% at Sodankylä (67°N). The strongest negative trend was detected during spring. Because stratospheric ozone is controlling the flux of solar UV-B radiation reaching the troposphere, loss of stratospheric ozone may have a strong impact on the destruction and production reactions of tropospheric ozone. The authors have studied the ozone sounding records of 1988-1994 at Marambio Station and at Sodankylä, Finland, to find observational evidence of tropospheric ozone changes due to stratospheric ozone variations. It was found that springtime stratospheric ozone loss has a pronounced impact on the upper tropospheric ozone in both hemispheres. Average ozone deviation of -12.8%, from the 1988 to 1994 means in the 6- to 8-km layer, has been observed in Antarctica during the months with stratospheric ozone loss, and -10.0% in the Arctic, respectively. Daily total ozone records and radiative transfer calculations were used to study the UV-B doses reaching the troposphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-2908

Trends in stratospheric and free tropospheric ozone.

Harris, N.R.P., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Jan. 20, 1997, 102(D1), p.1571-1590, Refs. p.1588-1590.

Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Periodic variations, Aerosols, Ultraviolet radiation, Antarctica

Trends in total ozone have been calculated for the ground-based network and the combined data set from the solar backscatter ultraviolet (SBUV) instruments on Nimbus 7 and NOAA 11. Recent ozone measurements are described for both Antarctica and the rest of the globe. The sulphae aerosol resulting from the eruption of Mount Pinatubo in 1991 and dynamic phenomena seem to have affected ozone levels, particularly at northern mid-latitudes and in the antarctic vortex. However, the record low values observed were partly caused by the long-term trends and the effect on the calculated trends was less than 1.5%/decade. (Auth. mod.)

51-2909

Recent changes in surface elevation of the Antarctic Peninsula ice sheet.

Morris, E.M., Mulvaney, R., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.7-15, With German summary. 8 refs.

Glacier mass balance, Geodesy, Height finding, Nunataks, Spacecraft, Ice sheets, Glacier thickness, Glacier melting, Global warming, Sea level, Long range forecasting, Temperature effects, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula

Eight over-snow level lines were set up over the period 1972-1986 in Palmer Land and on Alexander I. The height of the snow surface with respect to fixed points on local nunataks was measured using traditional surveying techniques. Further data were collected during the 1992-93 austral summer when satellite surveying techniques were used to remeasure the level lines. Accumulation changes at three of the sites have been determined from ice cores. At two cold sites with mean annual temperatures of -15.2°C and -19.5°C the ice sheet is thickening in response to the increased accumulation associated with warmer temperatures. At two warmer valley glacier sites with mean annual temperatures greater than -11°C and where ablation occurs in the summer, the ice volume is shrinking in response to warmer climate. (Auth. mod.)

51-2910

Possible influence of mesocyclonic activity on snow precipitation in the antarctic coastal zone.

Gallée, H., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.17-24, With German summary. 13 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Cloud physics, Snow accumulation, Wind factors, Atmospheric disturbances, Glacier mass balance, Air ice water interaction, Marine meteorology, Marine atmospheres, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Ross Sea

The mesocyclonic activity in the southwestern Ross Sea is examined, with emphasis on its forcing by katabatic winds. The three-dimensional version of primitive equation model is used, in which a representation of cloud microphysical processes has been introduced. Idealized boundary conditions are prescirbed. In particular, the ocean is assumed to be completely ice-free. This case corresponds to a fall situation which coincides with the climatological maximum of estimated precipitation at McMurdo Station on Ross I. Due to the propagation of katabatic winds over the ocean, boundary-layer fronts form. Clouds and snow precipitation are generated in the fronts, in particular over McMurdo Sound. (Auth. mod.)

51-2911

Assessment of the mass budgets of Antarctica and Greenland using accumulation derived from remotely sensed data in areas of dry snow.

Giovinetto, M.B., Zwally, H.J., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.25-37, With German summary. 38 refs.

Glacier mass balance, Snow accumulation, Snow physics, Desiccation, Physical properties, Forecasting, Ice volume, Snow line, Remote sensing, Brightness, Snow surveys, Antarctica—East Antarctica, Greenland, Antarctica—West Antarctica

Net accumulation at the surface or surface balance values derived elsewhere for areas of dry snow in Antarctica and Greenland are used to produce revised estimates of accumulation in the areas delimited

by the equilibrium line. The values were derived for grid-point locations 100 km apart using remotely sensed brightness temperature and surface temperature. The grid-point approach is used to revise accumulation estimates based on either contouring or parameterization of field data for each ice sheet. Integrated for the area delimited by the equilibrium line, and relative to various estimates in recent literature, the revised estimates of accumulation suggest e.g. an increase of 7% for Antarctica including the ice shelves, and decreases of 3% for the grounded ice in Antarctica and of at least 12% for Greenland. These overall revised estimates are used to assess the changes they would introduce in either recent mass budget estimates for Antarctica including the ice shelves, or in mass budget estimates that could be produced from recent estimates of mass input and output for the grounded ice in Antarctica and for Greenland. Suggestions are made on probable improvements for estimates of accumulation and the possible use of new technology to determine the mass budget of the ice sheets. (Auth. mod.)

51-2912

Annual changes in sea ice extent and of accumulation on ice sheets: implications for sea level variability.

Giovinetto, M.B., Zwally, H.J., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.39-49, With German summary. 33 refs.

Oceanography, Sea level, Ice sheets, Sea ice distribution, Grounded ice, Ice volume, Glacier mass balance, Long range forecasting, Statistical analysis, Periodic variations, Greenland, Antarctica—West Antarctica, Antarctica—East Antarctica

Multivariate analyses of mean annual net accumulation at the surface on the conterminous grounded ice sheets of East Antarctica, West Antarctica and Greenland are performed using grid-point values 100 km apart. The independent variables are latitude, surface elevation, mean annual surface temperature as an index of tropospheric temperature, and mean annual distance to open ocean as a source of moisture. The results suggest that changes in sea ice extent of the magnitude observed in recent decades could indirectly contribute up to ±0.2 mm/y to the observed annual changes of sea level. (Auth. mod.)

51-2913

Mass balance of the Greenland ice sheet: a century of progress but there is still much to do.

Braithwaite, R.J., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.51-56, With German summary. 45 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacier surveys, Accuracy, Long range forecasting, Atmospheric boundary layer, Glacier melting, Climatic changes, Ice air interface, Greenland

51-2914

Mass balance measurements in the Søndre Strømfjord area in the periods 1990-1994.

Van de Wal, R.S.W., et al, *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.57-63, With German summary. 11 refs.

Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Seasonal variations, Glacier surveys, Glacier ablation, Albedo, Remote sensing, Height finding, Radiation absorption, Greenland—Søndre Strømfjord

51-2915

Determination of the dynamical behaviour of the Greenland ice sheet.

Salbach, H., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.65-71, With German summary. 2 refs.

Glacier surveys, Geophysical surveys, Geodetic surveys, Glacier mass balance, Ice sheets, Profiles, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Glacier thickness, Geophysical surveys, Seasonal variations, Greenland

51-2916

Mean net accumulation of ten glacier basins in Svalbard estimated from detection of radioactive layers in shallow ice cores.

Pourchet, M., Lefauconnier, B., Pinglot, J.F., Hagen, J.O., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.73-84, With German summary. 22 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Ice sheets, Radioactivity, Layers, Ice cores, Stratification, Spectroscopy, Radioactive isotopes, Seasonal variations, Norway—Svalbard

51-2917

Determination of changes in volume of Gåsbreen using different geodetic methods.

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Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Ice volume, Geodetic surveys, Height finding, Photogrammetric surveys, Photointerpretation, Accuracy, Correlation, Periodic variations, Statistical analysis, Norway—Spitsbergen

51-2918

Mass balance of a small valley glacier in the Canadian High Arctic, Ellesmere Island, Northwest Territories.

Wolfe, P.M., English, M.C., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.93-103, With German summary. 8 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Seasonal variations, Glacier melting, Height finding, Stratigraphy, Snow stakes, Canada—Northwest Territories—Ellesmere Island

51-2919

Mass balance studies in northern Sweden.

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Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Photogrammetric surveys, Periodic variations, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Surface temperature, Snow accumulation, Correlation, Statistical analysis, Sweden—Storglaciären

51-2920

Plateau and valley glaciers in north Norway: responses to climate change over the last 100 years.

Whalley, W.B., Gordon, J.E., Gellatly, A.F., Hansom, J.G., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.115-124, With German summary. 36 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Climatic factors, Glacier mass balance, Models, Moraines, Norway

51-2921

Fluctuations of glaciers in Lyngsdalen, Troms, Norway, during the 20th century.

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Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Profiles, Height finding, Moraines, Ice edge, Climatic changes, Glacial meteorology, Statistical analysis, Norway—Lyngsdalen

51-2922

Research on glacier mass balance in the Italian Alps.

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Glacier mass balance, Seasonal variations, Glacier tongues, Altitude, Glacier oscillation, Italy—Alps

51-2923

Elevation and volume changes in the Caresèr Glacier (Ortles-Cevedale Group, central Alps), 1967-1990.

Giada, M., Zanon, G., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.143-147, With German summary. 6 refs.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Photogrammetric surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Ice volume, Periodic variations, Correlation, Altitude, Snow water equivalent, Italy—Alps

51-2924

Glacier mass balance: some results from central Italian Alps.

Barsanti, M., Pelfini, M., Smiraglia, C., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.149-157, With German summary. 13 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Alpine glaciation, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Statistical analysis, Snow water equivalent, Glacier ablation, Climatic factors, Correlation, Trees (plants), Age determination, Italy—Alps

51-2925

Glacier mass balance studies in the Swiss Alps.

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Snow stakes, Geodetic surveys, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Switzerland—Alps

51-2926

Long-term changes of glaciers in the Sonnblick region in the Austrian Alps.

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Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Alpine glaciation, Glacier mass balance, Correlation, Glacier ablation, Austria—Alps

51-2927

Mass balance of very small glaciers.

Kuhn, M., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.171-179, With German summary. 28 refs.

Glacier mass balance, Ice volume, Mountain glaciers, Spectra, Cirque glaciers, Terminology, Classifications, Snow line, Glacier alimentation

51-2928

Behaviour of the Bavarian glaciers: results from surveying and mass balance modelling.

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Glacier mass balance, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Ice volume, Geodetic surveys, Glacier ablation, Models, Correlation, Germany—Bavaria

51-2929

Mass balance of Glacier de Sarennes.

Valla, F., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1995, Vol.31, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.1. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.189-197, With German summary. 10 refs.

Glacier mass balance, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Alpine glaciation, Snow water equivalent, Seasonal variations, Glacier ablation, Glacial meteorology, Correlation, Statistical analysis, France—Alps

51-2930

Little Ice Age glacier fluctuations in the Pyrénées.

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Glacier surveys, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Mountain glaciers, Periodic variations, Statistical analysis, France—Pyrenees

51-2931

Climate and glacier response in the Pyrénées, 1878-1994.

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Glacier ablation, Precipitation (meteorology), Snow accumulation, Statistical analysis, France—Pyrenees

51-2932

Experience from observations of glacier fluctuations in the Territory of the former USSR.

Kotliakov, V.M., Osipova, G.B., Popovnin, V.V., Tsvetkov, D.G., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1996, Vol.32, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.2. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.5-14, With German summary. 6 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Glacier surges, Periodic variations, Research projects, Correlation, Statistical analysis, Russia

51-2933

Modern evolution of the Djankuat Glacier in the Caucasus.

Popovnin, V.V., *Zeitschrift für Gletscherkunde und Glazialgeologie,* 1996, Vol.32, International Commission on Snow and Ice. Symposium on Measurement and Reconstruction of Glacier Mass Balance, Pt.2. Edited by M. Kuhn, p.15-23, With German summary. 8 refs.

Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Altitude, Glacier oscillation, Seasonal variations, Snow accumulation, Statistical analysis, Forecasting, Russia—Caucasus Mountains

51-2934

Reconstruction and forecast of mass balance and shape of Djankuat Glacier (Caucasus Mountains).

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Glacier oscillation, Runoff forecasting, Glacial meteorology, Climatic changes, Global warming, Ice melting, Kazakhstan—Tien Shan, Kazakhstan—Tuyuksu Glacier

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Photogrammetric surveys, Altitude, Climatic changes, Mathematical models, Ice heat flux, Temperature effects, Peru—Cordillera Blanca

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier surveys, Glacier ablation, Climatic factors, Ice edge, Altitude, Periodic variations, Uganda—Ruwenzori Range

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Glacier mass balance, Periodic variations, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Snow accumulation, Radiation balance, Turbulent exchange, Albedo, Models, Radiance, Statistical analysis, Austria—Hintereisferner

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Snow line, Altitude, Profiles, Seasonal variations, Forecasting, Statistical analysis, Correlation

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51-2964

Seasonal variations in heavy metals concentrations in present day Greenland snow.

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51-2965

Resilient modulus testing of materials from Mn/ROAD, Phase 1.

Berg, R.L., Bigl, S.R., Stark, J.A., Durell, G.D., SR 96-19, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Sep. 1996, 93p., ADA-321 627, 9 refs.

Subgrades, Pavement bases, Cold weather tests, Freeze thaw tests

The U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) conducted resilient modulus tests on materials from the Mn/ROAD test site for the Minnesota Department of Transportation. Materials tested included samples of the lean clay subgrade at the site and the two extreme grades of base designed specifically for Mn/ROAD. Some specimens were tested in both frozen and subsequently "thawed" conditions; others were tested at room temperature without ever having been frozen. Researchers peformed linear regression analysis on the data to develop equations that predict frozen modulus based on unfrozen water content and unfrozen modulus based on stress, degree of saturation and density. The authors also reanalyzed data from two previously tested materials. CRREL can use the study's equations in the Mechanistic Pavement Design and Evaluation Procedure under development at CRREL to predict estimated damage in some Mn/ROAD test sections.

51-2966

Freezing temperature protection admixture for Portland cement concrete.

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Concrete admixtures, Cold weather construction, Winter concreting, Countermeasures, Concrete strength, Concrete hardening, Thermal insulation

A number of experimental admixtures were compared to Pozzutec 20 admixture for their ability to protect fresh concrete from freezing and for increasing the rate of cement hydration at below-freezing temperatures. The commercial accelerator and low-temperature admixture Pozzutec 20 served as the reference admixture for this project as it has been a successful product of Master Builders for winter concreting during the past several years. Over thirty-five experimental admixture candidates were tested. Of these, one experimental admixture, code-named EY-11, a nonchloride admixture, outperformed all the others and was selected as the admixture to be considered for future commercialization. It was demonstrated by laboratory evaluation that the Pozzutec 20 admixture did not contribute to corrosion of embedded steel reinforcement. The EY-11 admixture, although still under examination, also did not contribute to corrosion in a newer and different laboratory test. Based on a knowledge of its constituents, EY-11 is not expected to contribute to corrosion under laboratory conditions or in the field. The low and medium dosages (60 and 100 mL/kg), of EY-11 produced freeze-thaw-durable concrete, but the highest dosage examined, 160 mL/kg, did not. The middle dosage (100 mL/kg) protected concrete down to the low-temperature goal of this project, -5°C. The prototype admixture, EY-11, affords superior low-temperature protection compared to existing accelerating admixtures, as well as good durability. Unfortunately, it did not provide the desirable rapid setting and strength gain of concrete at above-freezing temperatures that field engineers and concrete technicians would like.

51-2967

Material testing and initial pavement design modeling: Minnesota Road Research Project.

Bigl, S.R., Berg, R.L., CR 96-14, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Report,* Sep. 1996, 45p., ADA-321 629, 26 refs.

Pavements, Pavement bases, Design, Subgrades, Frost heave, Frost penetration, Cold weather performance, Thaw depth, Computer programs, Models

Between Jan. 1990 and Dec. 1994, a study verified and applied a Corps of Engineers-developed mechanistic design and evaluation method for pavements in seasonal frost areas as part of a Construction Productivity Advancement Research (CPAR) project between the Minnesota Department of Transportation (Mn/DOT) and the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL). The study involved four primary components. Mn/DOT constructed a full scale pavement test facility adjacent to Interstate 94, referred to as the Minnesota Road Research Project (Mn/ROAD). CRREL performed extensive laboratory tests on the base and subgrade materials from Mn/ROAD to characterize them and their behavior under seasonal frost conditions. Laboratory tests provided the input parameters necessary for the study's third component, modeling with the CRREL Mechanistic Pavement Design and Evaluation Procedure. The modeling effort was conducted in three phases, which investigated the effects of freeze season characteristics, water table position, asphalt model and subgrade characteristics on the predicted performance of selected Mn/ROAD test sections. Delays in construction on the Mn/ROAD facility prevented the completion of the study's fourth component—using performance data from Mn/ROAD to validate the mechanistic pavement design and evaluation procedure. The report details results from the other three components.

51-2968

Device for mechanical freeze-thaw conditioning of alum sludge.

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Water treatment, Waste disposal, Sludges, Design criteria, Freeze thaw tests, Freezing rate, Grain size, Cost analysis

This report contains the results of a study to develop a mechanical device for dewatering alum sludge by freeze-thaw. This proposed device is a combination of two conventional unit operations: a vacuum filter and a blast freezer. Bench-scale studies were conducted to evaluate this concept and develop preliminary design criteria. The results of filter leaf tests indicate that a suitable sludge layer could be collected on a cloth medium at a vacuum level of only 100 mm of Hg and a 5.0-minute filtration time. The volume of sludge was reduced by 67%. The freezing tests indicated that low freezing rate and a high initial solids content had a tendency to produce large alum sludge particles. However, fast freezing rates could be achieved without reducing the effective grain size below that of a fine sand. Curing time had no effect on grain size. The electrical cost of freezing sludge with this device was estimated to be $0.004/m^3, which is not expensive in relation to the total cost of water treatment which is approximately $0.25 to $0.50/m^3.

51-2969

Stability dependent parameterisations of vertical mixing in ocean general circulation models.

Reason, C.J.C., *Meteorology and atmospheric physics,* 1996, 61(1-2), p.1-18, 40 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Climate, Models, Ocean currents

Parameterizations of mixing are investigated in simulations of ocean climate using a global ocean general circulation model (OGCM). Focus is placed on the sensitivity of the large scale circulation, water mass formation, and transport of heat as measures of the model's ability to represent current climate. The model resolution is typical of OGCMs being coupled to atmospheric. Under the assumption of constant vertical eddy coefficients, (the control case), the model climatology displays acceptable values of North Atlantic Deep Water formation, Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC) transport, and Indonesian through-flow but an excessively deep and diffuse pycnocline structure with weak stratification in the deep ocean. (Auth. mod.)

51-2970

Estimates of threshold wind speeds for snow transport using meteorological data.

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Snow cover, Wind velocity, Blowing snow, Weather observations

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Snow accumulation, Snow melting, Air temperature, Humidity, Seasonal variations, Snow heat flux, Snow air interface, United States—Colorado—Front Range

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Numerical comparison of two ice crystal formation mechanisms on snowfall enhancement from ground-based aerosol generators.

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Ice crystals, Snowfall, Aerosols, Smoke generators, United States—California—Sierra Nevada

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Cold weather construction, Foundations, Subgrade soils, Soil freezing, Soil stabilization, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground settling, Frost heave, Frost protection, Frost resistance, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost preservation, Winter concreting, Concrete strength

51-2974

Prognosis methods of interaction of engineering constructions with permafrost.

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Wells, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost heat transfer, Permafrost preservation, Frost heave, Frost protection, Heat pipes, Thermal insulation, Mathematical models

51-2975

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Soil freezing, Artificial freezing, Soil stabilization, Frozen ground temperature, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Buildings, Foundations, Mathematical models

51-2976

New methods of strengthening roadbed bases on very icy permafrost soils.

Kondrat'ev, V.G., International Symposium on Cold Regions Engineering, Harbin, China, Sep. 11-14, 1996. Proceedings, Harbin, China, University of Harbin Industry Technology Press, 1996, p.7-10,316, With Chinese title. 12 refs.

Roadbeds, Embankments, Permafrost beneath roads, Permafrost preservation, Subgrade soils, Soil stabilization, Subgrade maintenance, Road maintenance

51-2977

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Residential buildings, Walls, Thermal insulation, Weatherproofing, Cold weather construction, China—Inner Mongolia

51-2978

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Earth dams, Hydraulic structures, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost beneath rivers, Permafrost thermal properties, Frozen ground temperature, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Thaw weakening, Russia—Lena River, Russia—Amguema River, Russia—Vilyuy River

51-2979

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Buildings, Houses, Floors, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost preservation, Ventilation, Cold weather construction, Design criteria, China—Inner Mongolia

51-2980

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Spillways, Hydraulic structures, Concrete strength, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost beneath rivers, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frost heave, Frozen ground settling, Frozen ground temperature, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Russia—Yakutia

51-2981

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Buildings, Foundations, Frost heave, Frost protection, Thermal insulation, Cold weather construction

51-2982

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Channels (waterways), Hydraulic structures, Frost action, Frost heave, Frozen ground settling, Environmental tests

51-2983

Prevention and treatment on building frost damage.

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Buildings, Foundations, Frost heave, Frost action, Frost protection, Cold weather construction

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Icebergs, Iceberg towing, Legislation, Economic development, Natural resources

This paper considers the following: the Antarctic Treaty System and icebergs; various kinds of ice formation; iceberg exploitation and the law of the sea; and potential consequences of the transport of icebergs. (Auth. mod.)

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Physical configuration of Antarctica: a summary.

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Geomorphology, Continental drift, Ice volume, Maps

The present physical configuration of Antarctica is the result of its geological history. This article gives a brief account of that history. The continent, which in separating itself from other parts of the old Pangea (South America, Africa, Malagasy, India, Sri Lanka, Australia, New Zealand) constitutes one of the poles of the terrestrial axis, is considered to be a laboratory which can still reveal many secrets. Various geological and glaciological maps accompany the text.

51-3138

Colonisation vs. disturbance: the effect of sustained ice-scouring on intertidal communities.

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Biomass, Sea ice, Ice scoring, Mechanical properties, Marine biology, —South Georgia

Shoreline plant and animal communities close to a retreating tidewater glacier on South Georgia displayed a series of physical and biological gradients from the open sea to the glacier terminus. These included increasing scoring intensity caused by floating and/or grounded ice fragments as well as decreasing diversity and abundance of both macroflora and macrofauna. The correlation between gradients suggests that shoreline scoring intensity can be directly quantified from plant diversity and abundance, and that the colonization of coastlines exposed to sustained ice-scoring is not stochastic like that following single massive ice-scoring events, but directional like recovery from small scale disturbance events is much more rapid than that associated with continual scoring. Indeed recovery from continual scoring is so protracted that affected shores are held for a prolonged period at a particular phase of the normal spring annual spring colonization process by local ice-scoring intensity. (Auth.)

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Firn, Sublimation, Snow permeability, Air flow, Mass transfer, Greenland—Summit

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Ice sheets, Snowmelt, Microwaves, Remote sensing, Climatic changes, Greenland

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Glacier mass balance, Glacier surveys, Climatic changes, Russia—Kamchatka Peninsula, Russia—Franz Josef Land, Russia—Novaya Zemlya, CIS—Central Asia, Caucasus

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Mapping, Topographic maps, Airborne equipment, Ice sheets, Height finding, Lasers, Data processing, Greenland

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Mechanism for the generation of flow stripes on ice streams.
Gudmundsson, G.H., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.30-33, ADA-321 342, 7 refs.
Glacier flow, Models, Rheology, Glacier thickness

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Volcanoes, Ice cover, Ice shelves, Meltwater, Subglacial observations, Magma, Ice melting, Ice surface, Iceland

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Short wavelength variations in the horizontal velocity field of a valley glacier.
Harper, J.T., Humphrey, N.F., Pfeffer, W.T., Welch, B.C., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.41-48, ADA-321 342, 17 refs.
Glacier flow, Crevasses, Glacier surfaces, Velocity measurement, United States—Alaska—Worthington Glacier

51-3147
On the mass balance of West Antarctica's Pine Island Glacier.
Jacobs, S.S., Jenkins, A., Hellmer, H.H., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.52-56, ADA-321 342, 21 refs.
Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Ice water interface, Ice melting, Antarctica—Pine Island Glacier
Preceptions of the total mass of the antarctic ice sheet have changed much faster over recent decades than any conceivable climate-related changes, as Mark Meier has illustrated. A search for evidence that might fit the Meier steady-growth principle led the authors to review the mass balance problem for Pine Island Glacier, (PIG), a key element of the West Antarctic Ice Sheet. The PIG example illustrates that basal melting may be underestimated. Moreover, the history of estimates of the net mass balance at the base of antarctic ice shelves shows a trend analogous to that of the total mass of the ice sheet. It appears that the ocean currently melts away a mass equivalent to approximately one-third of the recently increased annual accumulation on the antarctic ice sheet. (Auth. mod.)

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Krimmel, R.M., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.62-68, ADA-321 342, 4 refs.
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Tephrastratigraphy of ablation areas of Vatnajökull Ice Cap, Iceland.
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51-3152
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Lescinsky, D.T., Fink, J.H., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.81-88, ADA-321 342, 38 refs.
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51-3153
Counting glaciers: use of scaling methods to estimate the number and size distribution of the glaciers of the world.
Meier, M.F., Bahr, D.B., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.89-94, ADA-321 342, 13 refs.
Glacier surveys, Glacier ice, Glacier thickness, Mountain glaciers, Ice sheets

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Greenland climate network: GC-Net.
Steffen, K., Box, J., Abdalati, W., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.98-103, ADA-321 342, 6 refs.
Ice sheets, Mass balance, Snow accumulation, Snow depth, Climatic changes, Global change, Climatology, Weather stations, Greenland

51-3155
Maximum resolution glacier-bed surface obtained by radio-echo sounding.
Welch, B.C., Pfeffer, W.T., Harper, J.T., Humphrey, N.F., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.105-110, ADA-321 342, 9 refs.
Glacier beds, Topographic maps, Radio echo soundings, Glacier thickness, Data processing, Glacier surfaces, Remote sensing, United States—Alaska—Worthington Glacier

51-3156
Retracking algorithm for satellite radar altimetry over an ice sheet and its applications.
Yi, D., Bentley, C.R., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Oct. 1996, SR 96-27, p.112-120, ADA-321 342, 19 refs.
Ice sheets, Height finding, Wind factors, Mathematical models, Scattering, Radar, Spacecraft, Antarctica—East Antarctica
Both surface scattering and volume scattering contribute energy to satellite-radar-altimeter return waveforms over a continental ice sheet. Here, the authors present a retracking algorithm that includes surface scattering and volume scattering, and, for the first time, also includes the surface topography, the satellite pointing angle and the curvature of the earth in both the surface-scattering and volume-scattering models. The algorithm can yield surface elevation values for individual waveforms. At the same time, quantitative estimates of the surface roughness and signal penetration and their regional and seasonal variations can be obtained. The authors have applied the algorithm to Geosat data over a section (69°S-72.1°S and 80°E-140°E) of East Antarctica. Generally, the spatial variation of the parameters is not a function of elevation, but is related to the drainage systems. Seasonal variations show clearly from 80°E to 95°E but are not very clear from 96°E to 140°E. The results are compared with those of previous retracking systems. (Auth.)

51-3157
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Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil microbiology, Waste disposal, Ground water, Water pollution, Water treatment, Military facilities, Land reclamation

51-3158
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Oil spills, Soil pollution, Water pollution, Permafrost hydrology, Frozen ground chemistry, Frozen ground strength, Freeze thaw cycles, Soil water migration

51-3159
Potential removal of petroleum products from the soil in northern territories by the bio-electrokinetic method.
Elektorowicz, M., Boeva, V., Mbono, P., Techniques and Technologies for Hydrocarbon Remediation in Cold and Arctic Climates [Workshop], Kingston, Ontario, June 6-7, 1995. Conference proceedings, Kingston, Ontario, Royal Military College of Canada, [1995], p.12-22.
Oil spills, Oil recovery, Soil pollution, Waste treatment, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil microbiology, Nutrient cycle, Land reclamation, Cold weather operation

51-3160
Bioremediation of petroleum contaminated soils in a colder region of Canada.
Baweja, A.S., McNicoll, D.M., Techniques and Technologies for Hydrocarbon Remediation in Cold and Arctic Climates [Workshop], Kingston, Ontario, June 6-7, 1995. Conference proceedings, Kingston, Ontario, Royal Military College of Canada, [1995], p.24-35, 5 refs.
Military facilities, Oil spills, Oil recovery, Waste treatment, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Land reclamation, Canada—Ontario—Petawawa Canadian Forces Base

51-3161
Rhizosphere enhanced bioremediation for cold regions: contaminant effects on root distribution.
Reynolds, C.M., Beyrouty, C.A., Wolf, D.C., Walworth, J.L., MP 4004, Techniques and Technologies for Hydrocarbon Remediation in Cold and Arctic Climates [Workshop], Kingston, Ontario, June 6-7, 1995. Conference proceedings, Kingston, Ontario, Royal Military College of Canada, [1995], p.36-49, 12 refs.
Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Revegetation, Protective vegetation, Roots, Plant physiology, Plant ecology, Waste treatment, Land reclamation
Increased microbial activity in rhizosphere soil compared to non-rhizosphere soil suggests opportunities for enhancing bioremediation by using plants. Plant-based systems would involve minimal initial cost and low maintenance. Because mass-transfer rates in soil may limit bioremediation, the success of rhizosphere-based soil treatment depends on the spatial relationship between contaminated soil and roots. Increasing the spatial density and distribution of roots would increase the amount of soil beneficially influenced by rhizosphere effects, yet the influence of contaminated soil zones on root distribution is relatively unknown. The authors are investigating the impact of soil contamination on plant growth, root growth, root distribution, and rhizosphere-associated microbial activity in contaminated soils. It is suggested that, due to increased percentages of contaminant degraders in the rhizosphere, there is potential for rhizosphere stimulation of bioremediation. Moreover, roots can penetrate into soil zones contaminated with organic compounds, but the degree of root growth is related to contaminant, plant species, and interactions with soil factors such as soil moisture, which may likewise be influenced by contaminant zones. These processes may impact both the effective use and monitoring of rhizosphere-enhanced phytoremediation.

51-3162
Remediation methods for hydrocarbon contamination in the Arctic.
Reimer, K.J., Rogers, J.M., Techniques and Technologies for Hydrocarbon Remediation in Cold and Arctic Climates [Workshop], Kingston, Ontario, June 6-7, 1995. Conference proceedings, Kingston, Ontario, Royal Military College of Canada, [1995], p.50-57, 9 refs.
Military facilities, Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Waste disposal, Land reclamation, Cold weather operation, Canada

51-3163
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Neutron moisture probe measurements of fluid displacement during in-situ air sparging.
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Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Ground water, Water pollution, Waste disposal, Water treatment, Aeration, Land reclamation, Neutron probes, United States—Alaska—Hinchinbrook Island
Strawberry Point, located on Hinchinbrook I., AK is the site of a Federal Aviation Administration air navigation facility that is contaminated with gasoline- and diesel-range hydrocarbons in soil and groundwater. Air sparging and bioventing systems were installed to promote bioremediation in the zone of seasonal groundwater fluctuation where the contaminant is concentrated. The air sparging system is being evaluated to determine groundwater region of influence and optimum frequency of operation. The system will also be evaluated for oxygen transfer efficiency and microbial uptake. The sparge wells were installed in a homogeneous formation consisting of fine-grain beach and eolian sands. Neutron probe borehole measurements of percent fluid displacement during sparging at two wells revealed dynamic air distributions defined by an initial and relatively rapid expansion phase followed by a consolidation phase. Air distribution was stable within 12 hours after startup, reaching a peak air saturation of greater than 50%. The radius of peak expansion varied with time and depth. The percent air saturation stabilized within 1 hour following cutoff of the air flow, leaving pockets of entrapped air near the water table. When air injection was resumed, air saturation levels were found to be repeatable. The findings for this site indicated that frequent pulsing is needed to optimize oxygen distribution.

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Military facilities, Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Waste disposal, Land reclamation

51-3174
Method for protecting and cleaning soils from petroleum products.
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51-3175
Compositions of wax esters, triacylglycerols and phospholipids in arctic and antarctic copepods: evidence of energetic adaptations.
Albers, C.S., Kattner, G., Hagen, W., *Marine chemistry,* Dec. 1996, 55(3-4), p.347-358, 40 refs.
Marine biology, Biomass, Plankton, Cold weather survival, Nutrient cycle, Chemical composition, Sampling, Seasonal variations
The fatty acid and fatty alcohol compositions of wax esters, triacylglycerols and phospholipids were determined in the antarctic copepods. The wax esters of the herbivorous species were clearly characterized by the long-chain monounsaturated fatty acids and alcohols, whereas the omnivorous and carnivorous species usually had high relative amounts of fatty acids and of short-chain saturated alcohols. The wax ester-storing herbivorous species have developed similar lipid biochemical adaptations in both polar oceans. In contrast, predominantly triacylglycerol-storing species occur only in antarctic waters. In both, arctic and antarctic species, the fatty acid compositions of the phospholipids showed a pronounced uniformity. The extremely high degree of unsaturation is extraordinary as compared to other marine taxa. (Auth. mod.)

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51-3177

Evolution in polarimetric signatures of thin saline ice under constant growth.

Nghiem, S.V., et al, MP 4007, *Radio science,* Jan.-Feb. 1997, 32(1), p.127-151, 44 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice models, Remote sensing, Ice surveys, Ice growth, Brines, Ice cover thickness, Salt ice, Radar echoes, Ice dielectrics, Electromagnetic properties, Backscattering, Polarization (waves), Simulation, Correlation

An experiment is carried out to measure polarimetric backscatter signatures at C band together with physical characteristics of thin saline ice grown at a constant rate under quiescent conditions. The objectives are to investigate the electromagnetic scattering mechanism in saline ice, to relate the polarimetric backscatter to ice physical characteristics, and to assess the inversion of ice thickness from backscatter data. Controlled laboratory conditions are utilized to avoid complicated variations in interrelated characteristics of saline ice and the environment. The ice sheet was grown in a refrigerated facility at the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Growth conditions, thickness and growth rate, temperatures and salinities, and internal and interfacial structures of the ice sheet were monitored. Measurements indicate that the laboratory saline ice has characteristics similar to thin sea ice in the Arctic. Backscattering coefficients of the saline ice sheet are shown to be similar to airborne radar measurements of thin sea ice growing in a newly opened lead in the Beaufort Sea. For the inversion the large increase in backscatter indicates that the ice thickness is retrievable for thin ice grown under the conditions in this experiment. More complicated conditions should be considered in future experiments to study their effects on the retrieval of sea ice parameters. (Auth. mod.)

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Pleistocene, Oceanography, Sediment transport, Ice rafting, Periodic variations, Bottom sediment, Drill core analysis, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Geochemistry, Grain size, Glacier oscillation, Arctic Ocean

51-3180

Sodar performance and preliminary results after one year of measurements at Adélie Land Coast, East Antarctica.

Argentini, S., Mastrantonio, G., Viola, A., Pettre, P., Dargaud, G., *Boundary-layer meteorology,* Oct. 1996, 81(1), p.75-103, 25 refs.

Wind (meteorology), Velocity measurement, Sodar, Turbulent boundary layer, Seasonal variations, Sounding, Profiles, Statistical analysis, Topographic effects, Antarctica—Adélie Coast

Dumont d'Urville, on the antarctic coast, is an area well known for the presence of strong katabatic winds blowing from the antarctic plateau toward the sea almost all year. Since Jan. 1993, a three-axis Doppler sodar has been operating in this area to investigate the variability of the boundary layer structure and dynamics. In this paper, the capabilities, behavior and advantages of using this ground-based remote-sensing system in Antarctica are evaluated after one year of measurements. This instrument may play an important role in boundary layer studies in remote regions where other profiling techniques (e.g., kitoons, slow ascent balloons) are difficult and expensive. The statistical analysis of the wind speed shows that the wind blows from the 30° angular sectors centered at 90°, 150°, 180°, and 0°. The winds from 90° and 150° constitute the main local circulation and have, most of the time, the characteristics of a katabatic flow, whereas the winds blowing from 180°, arising from the surface temperature difference between the sea and the land, are land breezes. Strong winds coming from the ocean (0°), attributable to the inland penetration of depressions, have been observed in May, Oct., and Nov. (Auth. mod.)

51-3181

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51-3182

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51-3183

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51-3184

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Climatology, Global warming, Alpine landscapes, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Altitude, Snowmelt, Runoff, Albedo, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Hydrologic cycle, Surface energy, Topographic effects, Simulation

51-3185

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Minetti, J.L., Vargas, W.M., *Journal of climate,* Feb. 1997, 10(2), p.297-305, 24 ref.

Climatology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Synoptic meteorology, Air temperature, Seasonal variations, Snow accumulation, Snow cover effect, Models, Statistical analysis

51-3186

Validation of the snow submodel of the biosphere-atmosphere transfer scheme with Russian snow cover and meteorological observational data.

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Climatology, Surface temperature, Snow cover distribution, Snow cover effect, Snow depth, Ablation, Seasonal variations, Snow water equivalent, Snow air interface, Wind factors, Radiation absorption, Mathematical models, Simulation, Forecasting

51-3187

Influence of variable-thickness ice on the loads exerted on sloping structures.

Timco, G.W., Cornett, A.M., *National Research Council Canada. Canadian Hydraulics Centre. Technical report,* Sep. 1996, HYD-TR-020, 68p. + appends., 17 refs. With comments by K.R. Croasdale in Appendix C.

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Arctic sea ice ecosystem.

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51-3189

Schematic maps of the ice fields of Patagonia and Tierra del Fuego at 1:500 000. [Mapas esquematicos de los campos de hielo de Patagonia y Tierra del Fuego al 1/500 000]

Lliboutry, L., 1981, 4 sheets, In Spanish.

Aerial surveys, Maps, Charts, Glacier surveys, Ice sheets, —Tierra del Fuego, —Patagonia

This representation comprises four charts covering portions of Tierra del Fuego and southern Patagonia. Three charts extend northward from about 51.5°S to approx. 46.5°S, between approx. 72.7°W and 74.3°W. A fourth chart is laid out in an E-W orientation extending in Tierra del Fuego northward in southern Patagonia below the eastern end of the Strait of Magellan, roughly from Beagle Channel westward to Ballenero Channel (55.0°S/67.5°W to 54.5°S/70.5°W). Depicted within the area of these charts are the many glaciers and divers water bodies which make up the ice fields. The charts are based on aerial surveys of the region made in Jan.-Feb. 1947 by personnel of the USAF. The charts themselves were constructed in 1981.

51-3190

Primary production in antarctic sea ice.

Arrigo, K.R., Worthen, D.L., Lizotte, M.P., Dixon, P., Dieckmann, G., *Science,* Apr. 18, 1997, 276(5311), p.394-397, 16 refs.

Biomass, Algae, Sea ice, Snow depth, Mathematical models, Variations, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

A numerical model shows that in antarctic sea ice, increased flooding in regions with thick snow cover enhances primary production in the infiltration (surface) layer. Productivity in the freeboard (sea level) layer is also determined by sea ice porosity, which varies with temperature. Spatial and temporal variation in snow thickness and the proportion of first-year ice thus determine regional differences in sea ice primary production. Model results show that of the 40 teragrams of carbon produced annually in the antarctic ice pack, 75% was associated with first-year ice and nearly 50% was produced in the Weddell Sea. (Auth.)

51-3191

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51-3192

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Arctic landscapes, Active layer, Tundra soils, Tundra vegetation, Permafrost transformation, Organic soils, Geochemical cycles, Cryoturbation, Vegetation patterns, Soil profiles, Soil analysis, Global warming, United States—Alaska

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Forest ecosystems, Plant physiology, Vapor pressure, Evapotranspiration, Alpine landscapes, Forest lines, Growth, Mountain soils, Forest canopy, Photosynthesis, Statistical analysis

51-3194

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51-3196
Can ice sheets trigger abrupt climatic change.
Hughes, T., *Arctic and alpine research,* Nov. 1996, 28(4), p.448-465, 90 refs.
Glaciology, Pleistocene, Glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Ice sheets, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Glacial meteorology, Wind factors, Ice age theory

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Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Ice sheets, Glacial erosion, Glacier flow, Orientation, Bedrock, Striations, Geomorphology, Quaternary deposits, Ice override, Ice solid interface, Canada—Northwest Territories—Queen Elizabeth Islands

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Pleistocene, Glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Glacial geology, Quaternary deposits, Radioactive age determination, Outwash, Stratigraphy, Moraines, Surface properties, Classifications, Correlation, Climatic factors, United States—Alaska—Brooks Lake

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51-3205
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51-3206
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Power line icing, Ice accretion, Ice physics, Ice solid interface, Ice structure, Electric fields, Electric corona, Ice electrical properties, Polarization (charge separation), Simulation, Deuterium oxide ice, Neutron diffraction

51-3207
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Origin of the first global meltwater pulse following the last glacial maximum.
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51-3209
Iceberg drift and decay model to compute the ice-rafted debris and iceberg meltwater flux: application to the interglacial North Atlantic.
Matsumoto, K., *Paleoceanography,* Oct. 1996, 11(5), p.729-742, 34 refs.
Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Ocean currents, Icebergs, Drift, Ice rafting, Sediment transport, Meltwater, Water transport, Air ice water interaction, Seasonal variations, Ice models, Atlantic Ocean

51-3210
Snow cover characterization using multiband FMCW radars.
Koh, G., Yankielun, N.E., Baptista, A.I., MP 4009, *Hydrological processes,* 1996, Vol.10, p.1609-1617, 7 refs.
Snow surveys, Snow cover structure, Remote sensing, Airborne radar, Radio echo soundings, Depth hoar, Ice detection, Grain size, Snow crystal structure, Profiles, Freeze thaw cycles, Metamorphism (snow)

A promising radar technique for snow cover studies is the frequency modulated continuous wave (FMCW) radar. The use of a multiband radar approach for snow cover studies was investigated in order to fully exploit the capabilities of FMCW radars. FMCW radars were used to obtain radar profiles over a wide range of snow cover conditions. These frequency-dependent radar signatures were used to identify important snow cover features such as ice and depth hoar layers. Snow grain size information was also obtained from the frequency-dependent scattering losses that were observed in the snow cover. Several case studies of FMCW radar profiles are presented in order to demonstrate the advantages of a multiband radar approach for monitoring the spatial and temporal variability of snow cover properties and/or processes over an extended area. (Auth. mod.)

51-3211
Determination of surface turbulent fluxes over leads in arctic sea ice.
Alam, A., Curry, J.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Feb. 15, 1997, 102(C2), p.3331-3343, 42 refs.
Oceanography, Ice openings, Turbulent boundary layer, Air water interactions, Turbulent diffusion, Heat flux, Ice cover effect, Sea states, Surface roughness, Mathematical models, Wind factors, Arctic Ocean

51-3212
Physical, structural, and isotopic characteristics and growth processes of fast sea ice in Lützow-Holm Bay, Antarctica.
Kawamura, T., Ohshima, K.I., Takizawa, T., Ushio, S., *Journal of geophysical research,* Feb. 15, 1997, 102(C2), p.3345-3355, 41 refs.
Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice cover thickness, Fast ice, Ice growth, Ice structure, Ice composition, Isotope analysis, Snow cover effect, Snow ice interface, Snowmelt, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Lützow-Holm Bay
A sea-ice/ocean study was conducted off Queen Maud Land and Enderby Land from 1990 to 1991 by the Japanese Antarctic Research Expedition. Observations of multiyear land fast sea ice were made in Lützow-Holm Bay over a period of 2 years to determine the snow and ice characteristics and ice growth processes. The snow depth in the bay reached large values of 1.0 to 1.5 m during the winter season at offshore locations. From the analysis of ice thickness measurements, it is confirmed that the fast ice with deep snow cover grew little in winter but substantially thickened during the summer months. It is concluded that the summer growth was caused by upward growth at the top of the ice to which snow ice and superimposed ice formation contribute. These processes were the primary contributors to sea-ice growth and characteristics only where the snow accumulation was large. In areas of low snow accumulation, there was no surface growth. Superimposed ice formation on sea ice in Antarctica has not been reported previously. (Auth. mod.)

51-3213
Laboratory study of the effect of frost flowers on C band radar backscatter from sea ice.
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Sea ice, Young ice, Surface structure, Ice crystal growth, Dendritic ice, Ice needles, Slush, Synthetic aperture radar, Radar photography, Backscattering, Ice optics, Ice cover effect, Brightness, Simulation
C band images of arctic sea ice taken by synthetic aperture radar show transitory regions of enhanced radar backscatter from young sea ice. Published field observations associate this increase with frost flower growth and the capture of blowing snow by the flowers. Laboratory experiments were conducted on the response of C band radar backscatter to frost flowers growing on the surface of newly formed saline ice. The experiment took place in a 5 m by 7 m by 1.2 m deep saline water pool located in a two-story indoor refrigerated facility at the Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Sodium chloride ice was grown in this pool at an air temperature of -28°C. The frost flowers first appeared on the ice surface as dendrites and then changed to needles as the ice sheet grew thicker and the surface temperatures became colder. Far-field radar measurements of the backscatter from the ice were made at incident angles from 20° to 40° and at approximately 6-hour intervals throughout the 3-day period of the experiment. A backscatter minimum occurred early in the flower growth at the time coincident with an abrupt doubling in the ice surface salinity. Crystal flowers have little impact on the backscatter, while the underlying slush patches yield a backscatter increase of 3-5 dB over that of bare ice. The laboratory results that this relative backscatter increase of approximately 5 dB can be used as an index to mark the full areal coverage of frost flowers.

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Concentrations of dissolved and atmospheric nitrous oxide, N_2O, were measured in the austral spring of 1992 in the Drake Passage and Bellingshausen Sea, as part of the United Kingdom Joint Global Ocean Flux Study expedition to the southern ocean. In the Drake Passage, surface N_2O saturations were generally very close to atmospheric equilibrium, although several anomalous points were associated with the presence of frontal and eddy-like features within the Antarctic Polar Frontal Zone and at the Continental Water Boundary. Other observations reflect upwelling of Circumpolar Deep Water at approximately 70°S, resulting in the accumulation of N_2O under the winter sea ice and its subsequent release to the atmosphere following the ice retreat. North of the upwelling region, Antarctic Surface Water formed from the mixing of surface waters and ice melt was moderately depleted in N_2O with respect to the atmosphere, a minimum 90% of saturation. (Auth. mod.)

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Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Marine atmospheres, Sampling, Aerosols, Ozone, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Wind factors, Turbulent diffusion, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Georg von Neumayer Station
Origin and transport of ^{222}Rn, surface ozone, and sea salt measured at the German antarctic research station Georg von Neumayer (GvN) were investigated together with local meteorological observations and calculated 2-dimensional trajectories. Nearly 92% of all trajectories calculated at the 850 hPa level and 97% on the 925 hPa surface indicate easterly flows due to orographic effects of the antarctic continent. In addition, time series of trace elements measured at GvN were analyzed together with local meteorological data and the trajectories to find the source regions of the trace elements. Primary results are that periods with high radon-222 concentrations are mostly connected to cyclones approaching from the South American continent. Most of the maxima of surface ozone and sea salt are also well correlated with cyclonic activities near the antarctic continent. (Auth. mod.)

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Satellite data have revealed that temperatures in the polar regions of both northern and southern hemispheres fluctuate markedly with the waxing and waning of the Moon. According to members of the Department of Geography and Office of Climatology at Arizona State University in Tempe, average temperatures in the Arctic and Antarctic are more than 0.55°C higher around the full Moon than at the new Moon. The cause appears to be a strong transfer of heat in the atmosphere towards the poles, possibly caused by the greater tidal pull of a full Moon changing wind patterns. (Auth. mod.)

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Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Geophysical surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Classifications, Image processing, Computer applications, Computer programs, Data processing, Antarctica—Vincennes Bay

This paper describes an investigation into the use of Kohonen's Self-Organising Feature Map (SOM) for the classification of remotely sensed imagery of Antarctica. The SOM is an unsupervised neural network which is trained using unlabelled input data. The network consists of a grid of nodes and, after training, each node corresponds to a prototype vector in the input data space. In order to use the trained SOM as an image classifier it is necessary to calibrate the grid of prototype vectors whereby the prototype vectors are clustered and these clusters mapped to physical class labels. The K-means iterative clustering technique is demonstrated as a means of performing this clustering. (Auth. mod.)

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Plant ecology, Biogeography, Climatic changes, Climatic factors, Air temperature, Soil temperature, Vegetation patterns, Ecosystems, Lichens, Seasonal variations, Microclimatology, Antarctica—Wilkes Land

The present paper summarizes five years of experiments and field observations which examine the status of the Windmill Is. flora and the likely contributions of climatic and endogenous changes to altering the plant communities. Seral stages of mixed bryophyte and lichen communities are identified and correlated with environmental factors. Since environmental conditions in Antarctica vary enormously over the year, microclimate data measured over a 4-year period are related to the distribution and dynamics of significant plant species—the time available for growth of major moss and lichen species are estimated and the recovery potential of lichenized mosses are examined. Recent climatic trends in the Windmill Is. are determined from analyses of available meteorological records. The possible timescales of plant successions are also examined in the light of glaciological and geomorphological evidence of long-term environmental change in this region. (Auth. mod.)

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Subarctic landscapes, Forest ecosystems, Revegetation, Forest fires, Organic soils, Damage, Soil tests, Sampling, Soil temperature, Sweden

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Sulphate and methanesulphonate (MSA), the two major sulphur species trapped in polar ice, have been extensively studied in antarctic and Greenland ice cores spanning the last centuries as well as the entire last climatic cycle. Data from the cores are used to investigate the past contribution of volcanic and biogenic emissions to the natural sulphur budget in high latitude regions of both hemispheres. Sulphate concentrations in polar ice very often increased during one or two years after large volcanic eruptions. Sulphate records show that fossil fuel combustion has enhanced sulphate concentrations in Greenland snow by a factor of four since the beginning of this century, and that no similar trend has occurred in Antarctica. At present, sulphate in antarctic snow is mainly marine and biogenic in origin and the rate of dimenthyl sulphide (DMS) emissions may have been enhanced during past developments of El Niño Southern Oscillations (ENSO). Long-term variations in Greenland cores are opposite in sign to those revealed by antarctic ice cores. Such a difference suggests that climate changes led to a quite different sulphur cycle response in the two hemispheres. (Auth. mod.)

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A high-resolution General Circulation Model (GCM) is found to simulate precipitation and surface energy balance of high latitudes with high accuracy. This opens new possibilities to investigate the future mass balance of polar glaciers and its effect on sea level. The surface mass balance of the Greenland and the antarctic ice sheets is simulated using the ECHAM3 GCM. With this model, two 5-year integrations for the present and doubled carbon dioxide conditions based on the boundary conditions provided by the ECHAM1/T21 transient experiment have been conducted. A comparison of the two experiments over Greenland and Antarctica shows to what extent the effect of climate change on the mass balance on the two largest glaciers of the world can differ. On Antarctica a large increase in accumulation without melt is projected. Translating the mass balances into terms of sea-level equivalent, the mass balance accumulation on Antarctica tends to lower it by 0.9 mm/yr. The change in the combined mass balance of the two continents is almost zero. (Auth. mod.)

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Two 10-yr integrations of the U.K. Universities Global Atmospheric Modelling Programme General Circulation Model are presented. Each has a full seasonal cycle, T42 resolution, interactive land and sea ice for both polar regions, and prescribed sea surface temperatures. They differ in that one integration represents present day climate and the other has a perturbed orbit and reduced atmospheric concentrations of CO_2 appropriate to the climate of 6000 years ago. The 6k integration produces enhanced continental warmth during summer and cold during winter. Changes in atmospheric temperature gradients brought about by the surface response lead to altered jet stream structures and transient eddy activity, which in turn affect precipitation patterns. (Auth. mod.)

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Eight pedons representing three climatic zones and parent materials ranging from Holocene to Pliocene were characterized from the Dry Valleys region of Antarctica. All of the soils contain abundant water-soluble salts, including NaCl in coastal regions, $NaNO_3$ along the polar plateau, and Na_2SO_4 in intermediate areas. The salts originate primarily from atmospheric deposition and accumulate linearly with

time. Although the soils bear many features of Aridisols, they fail to meet the requirements of an aridic soil moisture regime because of the very cold temperatures. They could be classified as Cryids if the Aridisols suborder were expanded to include soils with temperatures that never exceed 5 to 8°C. In the proposed Gelisols order for permafrost-affected soils, the soils are classified as Natric, Glacic, and Typic Anhyturbels (evidence of cryoturbation) and Salic and Petrosalic Anhyhaplels (no cryoturbation). (Auth. mod.)

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Pleistocene, Glaciation, Ice edge, Altitude, Geomorphology, Glacial erosion, Periglacial processes, Bedrock, Frost weathering, Nunataks, Radioactive isotopes, Isotope analysis, Radioactive age determination, United Kingdom—Scotland

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Oceanography, Sea ice, Ice temperature, Mass balance, Temperature measurement, Seasonal variations, Thermistors, Ice deterioration, Snow thermal properties, Thermal conductivity, Snow cover effect

A vertical array of thermistors coupled with an autonomous datalogging system was used to obtain a 15-month record of ice temperature profiles in a multiyear floe in the Beaufort Sea. This record was used to monitor atmosphere, ice and ocean temperatures, determine changes in the ice mass balance, and infer estimates of the ocean heat flux and the snow thermal conductivity. Ablation during the summer melt season consisted of approximately 0.3 m of snow melt, 0.67 m of ice surface ablation and 0.25 m of bottom ablation. There was 0.45 m of bottom accretion during the growth season. The annually averaged ocean heat flux was 4 W/m^2, with a summertime value of 9 W/m^2. Comparing these results to earlier studies conducted in the same region showed considerable interannual variability in summer melting. The thermal conductivity of snowcover was approximately 0.3 W/m/K during winter. (Auth.)

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51-3448

Stratospheric ozone studies at the UKMO: recent history and five year research strategy.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Ozone, Aerosols, Atmospheric density, Air pollution, Research projects, Environmental impact

The recent achievements of the U.K. Meteorological Office stratospheric ozone research program will first be briefly described. The development of trajectory methods, to establish rigorous comparisons between chemical observations and model results, have led to the investigation of coupling processes such as the influence of planetary waves on the antarctic ozone hole and the possibility through CO_2 increase of an arctic ozone hole. Such process studies have been continued with a recent investigation of the effect of the quasi-biennial oscillation and chlorine loading on the interannual variability of the antarctic ozone hole. Over the next 5 years such stratospheric research will concentrate on theory and modelling, and will continue to be coordinated between chemistry and dynamics. The emphasis will be on quantitative modelling and diagnostic studies. (Auth. mod.)

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STRATÉOLE: a project to study antarctic polar vortex dynamics and its impact on ozone chemistry.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric circulation, Turbulent diffusion, Aerosols, Ozone, Degradation, Research projects, Sounding, Radiometry, Environmental protection

The STRATÉOLE experiment is designed to study the wintertime antarctic lower stratosphere polar vortex and its springtime breakdown. To this end, it is planned to fly a large number of long-lived (3 months), small isopycnic drifting balloons instrumented with temperature and pressure sensors, GPS and transmitters. The main goal of STRATÉOLE experiment is to provide an unprecedented documentation of the wind field in the vicinity of the vortex edge in order to study vortex porosity and erosion, filamentation and mixing properties of the air masses. (Auth. mod.)

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Rock glaciers, Lichens, Geochronology, Iceland

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Rock glaciers, Classifications, Geomorphology, Terminology

51-3456
Glacial valley cross-profile development: the influence of in situ rock stress and rock mass strength, with examples from the Southern Alps, New Zealand.
Augustinus, P.C., *Geomorphology,* Nov. 1995, 14(2), p.87-97, 52 refs.
Glacial geology, Rock mechanics, Slope stability, Geologic structures, Geomorphology, New Zealand—Southern Alps

51-3457
Hypsometric forcing of stagnant ice margins: Pleistocene valley glaciers, San Juan Mountains, Colorado.
Small, E.E., *Geomorphology,* Nov. 1995, 14(2), p.109-121, 49 refs.
Ice edge, Ice models, Alpine glaciation, Mountain glaciers, Glacial geology, Pleistocene, United States—Colorado—San Juan Mountains

51-3458
Modelling of icecap glaciation of the northern Rocky Mountains of Montana.
Locke, W.W., *Geomorphology,* Nov. 1995, 14(2), p.123-130, 22 refs.
Alpine glaciation, Models, Ice sheets, Glacial geology, Glacier oscillation, Paleoclimatology, United States—Montana—Rocky Mountains

51-3459
Diversion of the upper Bear River: glacial diffluence and Quaternary erosion, Sierra Nevada, California.
James, L.A., *Geomorphology,* Nov. 1995, 14(2), p.131-148, 37 refs.
Mountains, Quaternary deposits, Glacial erosion, Glacier flow, United States—California—Sierra Nevada

51-3460
Channel change in relation to meltwater flooding, Bas Glacier d'Arolla, Switzerland.
Warburton, J., *Geomorphology,* Dec. 1994, 11(2), p.141-149, 13 refs.
Channels (waterways), Glacial rivers, Meltwater, Flooding, Switzerland

51-3461
Paraglacial redistribution of glacial sediments in Vestfold Hills, East Antarctica.
Fitzsimons, S.J., *Geomorphology,* Mar. 1996, 15(2), p.93-108, 25 refs.
Glacial geology, Geomorphology, Sediments, Glacial deposits, Periglacial processes, Sediment transport, Antarctica—Vestfold Hills
Observations of late Quaternary glaciation and deglaciation of the area and contemporary depositional processes are reported, and a conceptual model of geomorphological change since deglaciation is presented. The model attempts to reconcile the types and rates of contemporary depositional processes with the distribution of deposits and landforms, and to explain why unconsolidated deposits cover less than 20% of the Hills despite the effects of recent glaciation. The lack of unconsolidated deposits in the landscape can be attributed to the combined effects of low debris volumes in the ice and the redistribution of debris during and after deglaciation. Redistribution of debris can be explained by paraglacial processes which are non-glacial sedimentary processes that are directly conditioned by glaciation. Paraglacial sedimentation is a response to rapid adjustment of the debris system after the dominance of glacial conditions, and is characterized by disequilibrium between sediment supply and transportation of sediment by nonglacial processes. Evidence from the Vestfold Hills suggests paraglacial sedimentary processes are dominated by mass movement of glacial debris from slopes and the formation of stable valley fills, and that the main sediment transfers occur within a few thousand years of deglaciation. (Auth. mod.)

51-3462
Blockfields, old or new? Evidence and implications from some plateaus in northern Norway.
Rea, B.R., Whalley, W.B., Rainey, M.M., Gordon, J.E., *Geomorphology,* Mar. 1996, 15(2), p.109-121, 42 refs.
Geologic structures, Glacial till, Weathering, Geochemistry, Clay minerals, Norway

51-3463
Glacial and periglacial deposits of the Tumbledown Cliffs area, James Ross Island, West Antarctica.
Lundqvist, J., Lilliesköld, M., Östmark, K., *Geomorphology,* Feb. 1995, 11(3), p.205-214, 23 refs.
Glacial geology, Periglacial processes, Glacial deposits, Cirque glaciers, Frost action, Antarctica—James Ross Island, Antarctica—Tumbledown Cliffs
Investigations of the glacial geology of an ice-free area between local glaciers on western James Ross I. have shown that recent glaciation consists of small cirque glaciers and outlet glaciers from the central icefields. Erratics are evidence of an earlier, more widespread glaciation. Two till types are found in the area, a thin, erratic-bearing older diamicton interpreted as a lodgement till or a glaciotectonite and a younger, local till of supraglacial origin forming the recent terminal moraines. The present grounding line lies close to the sea level, resulting in subglacial deposition. A former more extended glacier was grounded further out in the Prince Gustav Channel. Frost action is intense in the cold, continental climate and large volumes of talus are produced. Rock glaciers are common, probably of both talus and glacier derived origin. The glacial and periglacial features, including a kame terrace and a raised beach, imply that the area has been ice-free throughout the Holocene and possibly longer. (Auth.)

51-3464
Rock weathering processes and landform development in the Sør Rondane Mountains, Antarctica.
Matsuoka, N., *Geomorphology,* July 1995, 12(4), p.323-339, 60 refs.
Rocks, Weathering, Landforms, Freeze thaw cycles, Frost weathering, Antarctica—Sør Rondane Mountains
Field observations of weathering processes and the related landforms, combined with laboratory analyses of weathering products, permit a synthetic evaluation of Late Cenozoic weathering environments in the Sør Rondane Mountains, an arid upland characterized by low temperatures and strong winds. Rates and character of weathering depend mainly on moisture availability and the bedrock geology. Under the humid weathering regime that occurs only locally around the margin of the present ice sheet, frequent diurnal freeze-thaw cycles in summer cause relatively rapid rock fragmentation. Most of the mountains are situated in the arid weathering regime, under which rock breakdown is very slow unless the rock contains much salt. Salt weathering becomes more intensive and extensive with exposure age, as a result of salt accumulation in rock, eventually producing soils of fine-silt size. Lack of clay mineralization even in weathered rocks having been exposed above the ice sheet prior to 4 Ma indicates that hydrolysis or carbonation of rock minerals has been insignificant during the past 4 Ma. The final products of weathering are due mainly to salt action and reflect the parent lithology. Resistant fine-grained granite forms strongly oxidized tors carved with tafoni, or fields of mushroom-like boulders overlying the fractured bedrock. Less resistant rocks, such as biotite gneiss and amphibolite, produce stone pavements underlain by saline, silty soils up to 30-40 cm thick, the thickness corresponding to the maximum thaw depth. (Auth. mod.)

51-3465
Numerical modelling of the transition zone between an ice sheet and an ice shelf. [Numerische Modellierung der Übergangszone zwischen Eisschild und Schelfeis]
Mayer, C., *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.214, 150p., In German with English summary. Refs. p.131-138.
Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Mathematical models, Glacier flow, Antarctica—West Antarctica
The report examines the problem of the stability of the ice sheet covering West Antarctica, the ice shelf, and the glacial transition zone between them. Previous studies of the unstable nature of the region are discussed. Two- and three-D models are presented, precise definitions of finite differences are given, and experiments with the ICE-MINT model are reviewed. Ice sheet and ice shelf schematic studies are investigated. The key problem and probably the most complex is modelling the transition zone between sheet and shelf.

51-3466
Reconstruction of preglacial topography using a postglacial flooding surface: Upper Paleozoic deposits, central Transantarctic Mountains, Antarctica.
Isbell, J.L., Gelhar, G.A., Seegers, G.M., *Journal of sedimentary research,* Mar. 1997, 67(2), p.264-273, Refs. p.272-273.
Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Tectonics, Topography, Stratigraphy, Antarctica—Transantarctic Mountains
Upper Paleozoic glacial deposits in the central Transantarctic Mountains are the basal deposits within a Late Paleozoic to Early Mesozoic basin that formed along the margin of the East Antarctic Craton. This basin was a foreland basin throughout much of its history, and was part of a larger-scale basin that stretched across the paleo-Pacific margin of Gondwanaland. A flooding surface that separates Upper Paleozoic glacial deposits from overlying postglacial black shales in the central Transantarctic Mountains is used as a datum for reconstructing the preglacial topography. The postglacial flooding surface resulted from flooding of the depositional basin following collapse of the Gondwanide ice sheet. Results using this approach aided in reevaluating the factors that controlled the formation of the depositional basin in Antarctica and in determining the tectonic setting of the paleo-Pacific margin of Antarctica during deposition of the Upper Paleozoic glacial rocks. The use of a flooding surface as a datum is a technique that may be useful for reconstructing paleotopography in other settings. (Auth. mod.)

51-3467
Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996).
Oerter, H., ed, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, 124p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see F-57142 through F-57162 or 51-3468 through 51-3488.
Research projects, Low temperature research, Sea ice, Ice shelves, Ice sheets, Radio echo soundings, Ice cores, Ice water interface, Snow, Airborne radar, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf
This report contains 26 written summaries of 32 talks presented at the 11th International Workshop of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP). The meeting was held in Stockholm, Sweden, on June 13-14, 1996. The papers collected in this volume present an overview of FRISP and of the cooperation of participating groups. The ice-shelf ocean interaction is one of the major topics, a matter of both, field investigations and modelling. Calculating the mass balance along ice streams flowing into the Ronne Ice Shelf is undertaken by various means. The work on the Berkner I. ice cores continues as well as the evaluation of shallow ice cores with respect to accumulation studies.

51-3468
Basal melt rates along the Rutford Ice Stream.
Corr, H., et al, Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.11-15, 2 refs.
Stream flow, Glacier thickness, Ice water interface, Ice melting, Meltwater, Velocity measurement, Glacier flow, Glacier melting, Antarctica—Rutford Ice Stream
When the Rutford Ice Stream crosses the grounding line and begins to float, it comes into contact with a water mass that is 1°C above the local pressure freezing point. The resultant melting produces a buoyant water mass that rises along the base of the ice shelf towards the ice front, helping to drive the sub-ice shelf circulation. This paper attempts to identify variations in the basal melt rate along Rutford Ice Stream over a 70 km section immediately downstream of the grounding line.

51-3469
Strain-rate trajectories and isotropic points on Filchner Ronne Ice Shelf, Antarctica.
Doake, C.S.M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.16-22, 11 refs.
Ice shelves, Ice models, Strains, Flow rate, Stream flow, Calving, Glacier flow, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf
A finite element model of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf has been used to generate the strain-rate field, using present day ice thicknesses and velocities around the grounding line. Isotropic points in the trajectories of the principal strain-rate reveal generic features of the flow pattern. Where ice streams enter the ice shelf they invariably slow down and form "stars". The grounded ice areas, such as Berkner I., Korff and Henry ice rises act as "lemons" or "monstars". A "lemon/monstar" isotropic point exists about 60 km from the ice front of Ronne Ice Shelf and there is also one at the ice front of Filch-

ner Ice Shelf. Compressive arches of strain-rates stretch across the ice fronts of both the Ronne and Filchner. Seaward of these arches both principal strain-rates are extensive. The "top" of the compressive arches seem to be associated with the minimum restriction in the ice shelf bay. Comparison with the deduced strain-rate field for the configuration of Filchner Ice Shelf before the large iceberg calving event in 1986 suggests that when the Ronne ice front calves, the new ice front will reach back to the approximate position of the "lemon/monstar" isotropic point. (Auth.)

51-3470

Continuous density measurements on the ice core B25 from Berkner Island, Antarctica.

Gerland, S., et al, Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.23-24, 7 refs.

Ice cores, Ice density, Measurement, Antarctica—Berkner Island

During a British-German expedition, 3 ice cores with lengths of more than 100 m were drilled at the north and south domes of Berkner I. After an 181 m long ice core was drilled on Thyssenhöhe (south dome), density against depth was measured by means of a nondestructive technique using gamma-ray beam attenuation. The absolute accuracy of a single measurement is 2%. These high resolution density measurements will be used to determine accumulation rates and they will provide a key parameter for the planned investigation of mechanical properties of firn and ice. It was possible to measure density quasi-continuously over almost the whole core due to the good core quality. The general trend of increasing density with depth is very well displayed in a figure.

51-3471

Accumulation rates along the Foundation Ice Stream, Filchner-Ronne-Schelfeis.

Graf, W., Oerter, H., Mayer, C., Lambrecht, A., Minikin, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.25-31, 10 refs.

Firn, Ice cores, Age determination, Streams, Ice composition, Ice accretion, Ice dating, Antarctica—Foundation Ice Stream

The authors focus on the ^{3}H dating of three firn cores, GLB-07, GLB-01 and GLB-04 and compare the ^{3}H and ECM dating at site 930. Accumulation rates along ice flow lines on the Ronne Ice Shelf, ^{18}O content of the near surface firn layers along an ice flow line on Foundation Ice Stream, and relationship between the isotopic content of the near surface layers and the 10 m firn temperature are discussed.

51-3472

Thermohaline circulation beneath and in front of Filchner Schelfeis.

Grosfeld, K., Gerdes, R., Determann, J., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.32-37, 16 refs.

Ice shelves, Meltwater, Ice water interface, Freezing rate, Melting points, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf

From oceanographic transects along the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf edge, two major source regions for the outflow of Ice Shelf Water are known, the Ronne Depression in the west and the Filchner Depression in the east. In this paper, the authors focus on the Filchner Depression, which is believed to be more efficient with respect to Weddell Sea Bottom Water formation, since water masses colder than -2.2°C leave the ice shelf cavity. A 3-dimensional ocean general circulation model for the simulation of the thermohaline circulation beneath an ice shelf, and its interaction with the open ocean, is available.

51-3473

WAIS underbelly melting at Pine Island Glacier?

Jacobs, S., Hellmer, H., Jenkins, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.38-40, 11 refs.

Glacier melting, Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Ice water interface, Ocean currents, Antarctica—Pine Island Glacier

This article deals with processes that shape the West Antarctic Ice Sheet (WAIS) periphery. It concerns the Pine Island Glacier (PIG), which drains a catchment basin of ca. 200,000 km^2 into the SE Amundsen Sea. Circumpolar Deep Water (CDW) penetrates the deeper regions of the continental shelf along much of the Amundsen and Bellingshausen coastline, bringing water nearly 4°C above the in-situ freezing point to the 1080-m deep cavity opening. The PIG grounding line is >1200 m below sea level with a steeply-sloping base, facilitating upwelling of this CDW, which melts a mean 10-12 m/yr off the base. These values result from independent glaciological mass balance calculations, a simple salt-box model, and a 2-D numerical model of the sub-ice thermohaline circulation. With outflows well above the freezing temperature, the ocean circulation removes about half the ice that crosses the grounding line.

51-3474

Glaciological fieldwork on Rutford Ice Stream, Carlson Inlet and Evans Ice Stream.

Jenkins, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.41-42.

Ice melting, Drainage, Stream flow, Velocity measurement, Glacier flow, Antarctica—Rutford Ice Stream, Antarctica—Evans Ice Stream, Antarctica—Carlson Inlet

Fieldwork undertaken during Jan. and Feb. 1996 formed the concluding phase of two earlier field programs, which were started in 1993-94. Both programs were designed to gather information on the motion of the ice streams draining from Palmer Land and Ellsworth Land into the western part of Ronne Ice Shelf. The earlier program focused on Rutford Ice Stream and included the deployment of radar reflectors and a detailed studied of the shear margin, while the latter involved the establishment of radar reflectors on Carlson Inlet and Evans Ice Stream. All sites are shown in a figure.

51-3475

Oceanographical observations in Ronne entrance.

Johnson, M., Jenkins, A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.43-46, 3 refs.

Oceanographic surveys, Ocean currents, Ice shelves, Meltwater, Ice water interface, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The 1996 Ronne Entrance cruise south of George VI Ice Shelf (GVIIS), on the naval ice patrol ship HMS *Endurance*, measured 50 conductivity-temperature-depth (CTD) water column profiles and collected a total of more than 400 water samples for instrument calibration and tracer studies. The aim was to complete an oceanographic survey of the water masses interacting with GVIIS, to study their circulation, and investigate the evolution of meltwater derived from the ice shelf. This new data will form an addition to earlier work in Ronne Entrance and GVIIS and will be used to investigate the mechanisms that control the oceanic environment.

51-3476

ERS-1 SAR mosaic of Filchner-Ronne-Schelfeis.

Jonas, M., Vaughan, D.G., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.47-49, 3 refs.

Ice shelves, Imaging, Ice surface, Spaceborne photography, Radar, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The interpretation of optical and radar imagery on Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf was carried out for validation and verification of the high accurate DEM (Digital Elevation Model) derived from the ERS radar altimetry during the ESAMCA-project (Exploitation of satellite altimetry for the monitoring of climate-related change of antarctic ice shelves). An image mosaic produced from ERS-1 SAR scenes acquired, processed and interpreted by BAS and IFAG is introduced.

51-3477

Glaciological investigations in the grounding line area of the Foundation Ice Stream.

Lambrecht, A., Mayer, C., Nixdorf, U., Oerter, H., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.50-54.

Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Ice surface, Glacier thickness, Bottom topography, Seismic surveys, Antarctica—Foundation Ice Stream, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The mass-balance of the Antarctic Ice Sheet, especially the outflow across the grounding line areas, is discussed. The Foundation Ice Stream (FIS) contributes a major share of the total mass flux into the eastern part of the Ronne Ice Shelf. There was still a lack of data in the grounding line area of the FIS. To fill this data gap and complete previous studies in the northern part of the eastern Ronne Ice Shelf, a glaciological and geodetic program was initiated during the *Filchner V* campaign in austral 1994-95.

51-3478

Hot water drilling on Ronne Ice Shelf 1995/96.

Makinson, K., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.55-57, 3 refs.

Ice shelves, Drilling, Thermal drills, Oceanographic surveys, Thermistors, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

During the 1995-96 field season the BAS hot water drill was used to create an access hole at Site 3, 17 km west of Korff Ice Rise. The ice was found to be 825 m thick, overlying a water column 485 m deep. CTD profiles and water samples were obtained via the access hole using slimline oceanographic probes. Finally, a permanent oceanographic mooring and thermistor cable were deployed for long term measurements.

51-3479

Modelling tidal currents beneath Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf.

Makinson, K., Nicholls, K.W., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.58-67, 6 refs.

Ice shelves, Ice water interface, Oceanographic surveys, Tidal currents, Meltwater, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf covers an area of almost 450,000 km^2. Isolated from atmospheric forcing, it is likely that tidal currents provide the dominant source of energy for mixing water masses in the sub-ice shelf environment. The tidal model used in this work covers the area 71° to 84°S and 15° to 90°W and has a grid size of $1/4$° longitude by 1/15° latitude, corresponding to approximately 7-3.5 km by 7 km. Based on depth-averaged equations, the model is driven by sea surface elevation data along the boundary at 71°S and 15°W, given by a regional model that was itself driven by the Schwiderski (1980) model. The model has been used to investigate the effect of tidal activity on the interaction between the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf and the underlying ocean, in particular the contribution of tides to vertical mixing in the sub-ice shelf environment.

51-3480

Using DEP and ECM to produce a chronology at Berkner.

Miners, W.D., Peel, D.A., Mulvaney, R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.68-71, 7 refs.

Ice cores, Ice dating, Electrical resistivity, Dielectric properties, Antarctica—Berkner Island

During the 1994 field season several ice cores were collected from Berkner I. Using the electrical conductivity measurement (ECM) and the dielectric profile (DEP), the ice cores from Reinwarthhöhe (R1) and Thyssenhöhe (B25) have been dated. The electrical logging started at depths of 1.65 m for Reinwarthhöhe and 1.97 m for Thyssenhöhe. To link the age at the top of the drilled ice cores to the snow surface, a combination of the snow pit stratigraphy and near surface density measurements were used. (Auth. mod.)

51-3481

Berkner Island Project: isotopic and chemical trends in the ice core data.

Mulvaney, R., et al, Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.72-77, 5 refs.

Ice cores, Ice dating, Ice composition, Antarctica—Berkner Island

In Jan. and Feb. 1995, two medium depth ice cores were retrieved from Berkner I. with the objective of reconstructing a high resolution record of climate and environmental change of the past millennium. The deepest of the cores (B25) that reached a depth of 182 m, was collected with an AWI electromechanical drill at a site 5 km to the south of the southern dome, Thyssenhöhe. The second core, R1, which reached 152 m, was collected using a BAS drill at the north dome, Reinwarthhöhe. An accumulation rate of about 0.2 m water at Reinwarthhöhe implies an age at the bottom of the R1 core of around 600 years, while the B25 core from Thyssenhöhe with an accumulation rate of about 0.14 m water has an age of approximately 1200 years.

51-3482

Datasets on bed topography and ice sheet altitude for numerical modelling of the Maudheimvidda Ice Sheet, East Antarctica.

Näslund, J.O., Holmlund, P., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.78-85, 14 refs.

Ice models, Mathematical models, Ice sheets, Ice surface, Mapping, Bottom topography, Paleoclimatology, Glacier surfaces, Glacier beds, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

The purpose of modelling the ice sheet in western Queen Maud Land is twofold. The first aim is to study changes in ice sheet configuration when simulating the cooler climate of the Quaternary glacials and climates warmer than the present. This part includes a special study of the stability of the present Veststraumen ice stream. The second purpose is to investigate the age relationship between the ice sheet and the previously mapped subglacial landforms. The results will be used to test whether it is likely or not that the subglacial cir-

ques and glacial valleys have been covered by wet-based erosive ice during the Quaternary. In addition, the model results will be used for discussing the origin and age of subacrial striae on nunataks, found up to 700 m above the present ice sheet surface.

51-3483

Oceanographic measurements made at Site 3: preliminary results.

Nicholls, K.W., Makinson, K., Johnson, M.R., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.86-93, 5 refs.

Bottom topography, Ice shelves, Ice water interface, Oceanographic surveys, Ice models, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Any changes in climate will first affect the Ronne-Filchner Ice Shelf system via the ocean. In order to predict the likely impact of past and future changes in climate on the ice shelf, numerical models must simulate the present-day sub-ice shelf oceanographic conditions accurately. Some conclusions can be drawn about the basal mass balance of the ice shelf by observing the way in which melting and freezing affect the flow of the ice. This also allows some qualitative conclusions about the water flow immediately beneath the ice shelf. However, direct oceanographic measurements are required to determine the conditions throughout the water column and to deduce water flows quantitatively. During Jan. 1996 the BAS hot-water drill was used to create an access hole through 825 m of ice at Site 3, some 17 km west of Korff Ice Rise. It was also hoped that the data would provide a test for some of the results of a three-dimensional ocean model.

51-3484

GPS observations at the grounding zone of the Foundation Ice Stream.

Riedel, B., Resnik, B., Ritter, B., Niemeier, W., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.96-101, 3 refs.

Ice shelves, Seismic surveys, Stream flow, Glacier flow, Ice surface, Radio echo soundings, Antarctica—Foundation Ice Stream

The main emphasis of the geodetic fieldwork in 1995 was the registration of geometry and its changes of the grounding line of the Foundation Ice Stream with satellite and terrestrial observations. A detailed report about the fieldwork along Foundation Ice Stream was given in FRISP report no.9. The observed grounding line net followed a flow line of Foundation Ice Stream and had an extension of 5*80 km^2 at 83° 10'S. The processing of airborne radio echo sounding data and seismic data of the AWI reveals that the grounding line is located 40 km further south than the last group of stations 950.

51-3485

Fracture mechanics of ice shelves.

Rist, M.A., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.102-105, 7 refs.

Ice shelves, Stresses, Crevasses, Ice mechanics, Ice surface, Ice cracks, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Tensile brittle fracture in any polycrystalline material occurs because of the presence of sharp flaws or cracks. Such imperfections act to concentrate the applied stress field so that a single small crack can propagate to form a macroscopic fracture. Ice shelf crevasses are large-scale tensile fractures that must have formed from much smaller flaws. If a flaw is introduced into a large enough stress field it will propagate rapidly under elastic conditions. As the initial flaw penetrates into an ice shelf it experiences a changing stress field that normally causes it to stabilize again at some point. By quantifying this process for a typical ice shelf a useful insight can be gained into the mechanics of crevasse formation and the implications for overall ice shelf stability.

51-3486

Results of short pulse radio echo sounding on Thyssenhöhe, Berkner Island, Antarctica.

Steinhage, D., Blindow, N., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p 106-109, 5 refs.

Bottom topography, Radio echo soundings, Mapping, Glacier thickness, Antarctica—Berkner Island

In this report the authors discuss the ongoing analysis of the short pulse radio echo sounding carried out in Feb. 1995 on Berkner I., focusing at the area of the Thyssenhöhe. On this southern dome, internal layers and bedrock were mapped along ten south-north oriented profiles, which are each 20 km long and have a spacing of 1 km. The rectangular area of this survey is marked in a figure.

51-3487

Measurements of velocity of Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf.

Vaughan, D.G., Jonas, M., Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf Programme (FRISP), Report No.10 (1996), compiled by H. Oerter, Bremerhaven, Alfred-Wegener-Institute for Polar and Marine Research, 1996, p.111-116, 19 refs.

Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Velocity measurement, Data processing, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The measurement of velocity on Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf (FRIS) is of prime importance in determining the state of balance of the ice shelf and for testing ice shelf models. Despite the obvious promise of the method, interferometric SAR has yet to yield fields of ice shelf velocity on a routine basis and for the present one is limited to using velocities calculated from more conventional methods. Here, the authors present a digest of published velocity data (92 points), together with new measurements made by measuring the displacement of features between satellite images (221 points). The datasets are in general agreement and together will give adequate coverage for many applications. (Auth.)

51-3488

Digitally generated and compressed chirp for use in an airborne radar system in Antarctica.

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Ice shelves, Radio echo soundings, Radar, Data processing, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

The operation of the British Antarctic Survey (BAS) radar and a sample of the BAS 95-96 antarctic field season data are discussed. In particular, the advantage of using pulse compression with chirp is highlighted. A disadvantage of pulse compression techniques is the presence of long duration sidelobes before and after the main response. Sidelobes from strong reflectors may mask the main responses of weak returns. To minimize this it is necessary to use short duration pulses. For a given RF bandwidth, short duration pulses are also less susceptible to amplitude and phase errors in the system which cause unwanted spurious responses.

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Water films, Liquid solid interfaces, Interfacial tension, Capillarity, Adhesion, Protective coatings, Lubricants, Surface roughness

Capillary bonding of wet solids through a water film is common and important for a variety of problems. An existing experimental technique for the measurement of capillary bonding forces was improved and used to show how fractional wetted area and capillary bonding force vary with water 'tension' for glass, polyethylene, and aluminum on porous ceramic. The effects of contact angle and roughness were explored. The results show that increasing the contact angle clearly reduces the capillary bonding, but the effects of surface roughness were much more complicated. Roughness can increase or decrease capillary bonding, depending on the exact conditions.

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Soil air interface, Heat flux, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric density, Atmospheric attenuation, Humidity, Wind velocity, Scintillation, Meteorological instruments

The flux of sensible heat between the surface and the atmosphere was determined from a variety of different instruments and methods. These instruments were a Bowen-ratio station, a three-axis sonic anemometer-thermometer, a single-axis sonic anemometer with a thermocouple, and scintillometers. The methods employed were, respectively, energy balance, eddy correlation, and indirect dissipation. Comparison of the resulting sensible heat fluxes shows that they are in good agreement. Momentum flux is expressed in terms of the friction velocity and was obtained from several of the instruments by different methods. Friction velocity was obtained using eddy correlation of the three-axis sonic anemometer-thermometer data. The surface roughness was obtained from this data by application of Monin-Obukhov similarity theory. Using this roughness length, friction velocity was obtained from wind speed and heat flux measured at the Bowen station by application of Monin-Obukhov similarity. Friction velocity was also obtained from the scintillometer data using the indirect dissipation method, which is an application of Monin-Obukhov similarity. Scatter in the derived roughness length depends on stability. The data suggest that the accepted Monin-Obukhov similarity relationships are inaccurate for the experiment site; this might be caused by the inhomogeneity of the surface.

51-3501

Sampling error associated with collection and analysis of soil samples at TNT-contaminated sites.

Jenkins, T.F., Grant, C.L., Brar, G.S., Thorne, P.G., Schumacher, P.W., Ranney, T.A., MP 4017, *Field analytical chemistry and technology,* 1997, 1(3), p.151-163, 25 refs.

Explosives, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Chemical analysis, Statistical analysis

This study assessed short-range spatial heterogeneity of TNT concentrations in surface soils at explosives-contaminated sites. Discrete and composite samples were analyzed by both on-site colorimetric techniques and standard laboratory protocols. Three locations were sampled at each of three installations, and the results were used to estimate the relative contributions of analytical error and sampling error. Overall, this study indicates that characterization of explosives-contaminated sites with the use of a combination of composite sampling, infield sample homogenization, and on-site colorimetric analysis is an efficient method of obtaining accurate and precise mean concentration estimates that are representative of the area.

51-3502

Field method for quantifying ammonium picrate and picric acid in soil.

Thorne, P.G., Jenkins, T.F., MP 4018, *Field analytical chemistry and technology,* 1997, 1(3), p.165-170, 32 refs.

Explosives, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Chemical analysis

A simple field method for the determination of ammonium picrate and picric acid in soil was developed. Picric acid is a strong acid with a pKa=0.80, and is colorless when dissolved in an organic solvent, whereas its anion (picrate) is bright yellow. Picric acid and picrate ions were extracted from undried soil by shaking with acetone; any picric acid extracted was rapidly converted to picrate in the wet acetone. Picrate was extracted from the acetone soil extracts by passing the solutions through a solid-phase anion exchanger to remove interferences. Acidified acetone was used to convert the picrate to picric acid and elute it from the ion exchanger. The absorbance of the solution at 400 nm was measured; then the picric acid was converted to the colored picrate ion by diluting the eluent with water. Absorbance at 400 nm was measured again and the concentration of picrate was obtained from the difference in the absorbance measurements, corrected for dilution. The method detection limit is 1.3 µg/g of soil. Field-contaminated soils were assayed, and the results compared favorably to those from HPLC analyses in the range of 10-4400 µg/g. The method is simple to use, can be implemented under field conditions, and complements on-site methods for TNT, RDX, and 2,4-DNT.

51-3503

Comparison of fiberglass and other polymeric well casings, Part I: susceptibility to degradation by chemicals.

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Soil pollution, Ground water, Water pollution, Water chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Chemical analysis, Well casings, Polymers

Previous research has shown that the most commonly used well casing materials—stainless steel, polyvinyl chloride (PVC), and polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE)—are not suited for all monitoring environments and applications. This study is part of a series of experiments that were conducted to determine the suitability of four other polymeric well casing materials—acrylonitrile butadiene styrene (ABS), fluorinated ethylene propylene (FEP), fiberglass-reinforced epoxy (FRE), and fiberglass-reinforced plastic (FRP)—for use in ground water monitoring wells. In these studies, these four materials were compared with two other commonly used polymeric well casings, PVC and PTFE. Part I of these studies examines the resistance of these materials to degradation by chemicals. The two fluorinated polymers (FEP and PTFE) were not degraded by any of the test chemicals. Among the nonfluorinated products tested, FRE was the most inert. ABS was the most readily degraded material tested. By the end of the study, only the acid and alkaline solutions had little effect on ABS. FRP was more severely degraded by the organic chemicals than FRE but was less affected than PVC. FRP and FRE lost weight when exposed to the highly acidic conditions.

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51-3508

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51-3509

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Global warming, Air ice water interaction, Ice water interface, Polynyas, Ice cover effect, Heat transfer, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Wind factors, Seasonal variations, Models

Taking a distinct interdisciplinary focus, a critical view is presented of the current state of research concerning antarctic sea-ice/atmosphere/ocean interaction and its effect on climate on the interannual timescale, with particular regard to anthropogenic global warming. Sea-ice formation, morphology, thickness, extent, seasonality and distribution are introduced as vital factors in climatic feedbacks. Sea-ice/atmosphere interaction is next discussed, emphasizing its meteorological and topographical influences and the effects of and on polar cyclonic activity. This leads on to the central theme of sea ice in global climate change, which contains critiques of sea-ice climatic feedbacks, current findings on the representation of these feedbacks in global climatic models, and to what extent they are corroborated by observational evidence. Sea-ice/ocean interaction is particularly important. Models developed in the Arctic, where the observational network allows more reasonable validation, can be applied to the Antarctic in suitably modified form so as to account for unique features of the antarctic cryosphere. Benefits in climatic modelling will be gained by treating antarctic sea ice as a fully coupled component of global climate. (Auth. mod.)

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51-3530

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Marine biology, Plankton, Biomass, Sea ice, Ice melting, Ice edge, Ocean currents, Wave propagation, Thermodynamics, Ice water interface, Mathematical models, Turbulent diffusion

This paper presents a mathematical model to describe the interaction of ice-ocean-plankton in the southern ocean, based on a similar model used for blooms in the estuaries. The model obtained is hyperbolic and wave phenomena may be studied. Travelling wave solutions are related to the formations of blooms. (Auth.)

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Hydraulic conductivity tests were conducted in the laboratory and field on geosynthetic clay liners (GCLs) and a sand-bentonite mixture to determine if their hydraulic conductivity is affected by freezing and thawing. In the laboratory, specimens of three GCLs were frozen and thawed 20 times, and no increase in hydraulic conductivity was measured. The hydraulic conductivity of the compacted sand-bentonite also did not increase after freezing and thawing. In the field, two types of GCLs and a sand-bentonite test pad (constructed with the same mixture used in the laboratory) were exposed to one or two winters of freeze-thaw cycling. No large increase in hydraulic conductivity was measured for the field test conducted with the sand-bentonite mixture. An increase in hydraulic conductivity was observed in only one of the field tests with GCLs. Examination of thawed GCLs and specimens of the sand-bentonite mixture showed no evidence of cracking that is commonly found in thawed compacted clays.

51-3532

Isotope data from Ice Station Weddell: implications for deep water formation in the Weddell Sea.

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This contribution presents a tracer data set (helium and oxygen isotopes) collected during the drift of Ice Station Weddell and discusses it in terms of its relevance for deep and bottom water formation in the southern and western Weddell Sea. The authors use ^{3}He and δ^{18}O data for determination of the transfer of Weddell Deep Water or Warm Deep Water into the winter mixed layer. The ^{4}He concentration and the $H_2{}^{18}O/H_2{}^{16}O$ ratio provide information on the relative contributions of the individual shelf water masses to Weddell Sea Deep Water and Weddell Sea Bottom Water. (Auth. mod.)

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Seasonal and interannual variations of the oceanic heat flux under a landfast antarctic sea ice cover.

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A multilayer thermodynamic model is used to simulate sea ice growth for 12 years between 1958 and 1986 in the vicinity of the Australian station Mawson on the coast of East Antarctica. The atmospheric forcing data for the model are derived from radiosonde profiles and from surface measurements. Global radiation data are available for 4 years, and these measurements are used for comparison with the results of a Zillman-type model for global radiation. Combining the thermodynamic model with sea ice thickness measurements for 12 years, the energy balance equation for the oceanic heat flux is solved. The oceanic heat flux is not constant but changes with time within the year and from year to year. In general, the oceanic heat flux increases from the start of the fast ice formation season in early Apr. until it breaks out in Dec. or Jan. To compare the calculated oceanic heat fluxes for different years, the total ice season is divided into three characteristic time regimes of the sea ice growth and the averaged oceanic heat fluxes calculated for each regime. For the first regime (through Aug.) the mean flux is 2.7 W/m^2, for the middle regime (Sep.) it is 8.4 W/m^2, and for the final regime (Oct-Jan.) it is 17 W/m^2. Comparison of passive microwave data of sea ice extent and concentration with the model results reveals a correlation between the magnitude of the oceanic heat flux and local features such as polynyas. (Auth. mod.)

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Cheng, D.J., Crewell, S., Klein, U., De Zafra, R.L., Chamberlin, R.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 20, 1997, 102(D5), p.6109-6116, 15 refs.
Climatology, Stratosphere, Degradation, Spectroscopy, Profiles, Aerosols, Ozone, Subsidence, Photochemical reactions, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station
Presented are new O_3 and N_2O observations at the South Pole in 1995 and correlations between O_3 and N_2O for two 11-month observations during Feb. 1993 and Jan. 1994 and Jan-Dec. 1995. Strong similarities exist between the two quasi-annual cycles for both O_3 and N_2O. During springtime warmings the O_3/N_2O ratio shows a tight coupling between O_3 and N_2O around 20 km, as transport creates the low-altitude O_3 peak. A rapid and systematic decrease of the O_3/N_2O ratio during summer in the 25 to 30 km region supports the increasingly dominant role of photochemistry in producing the vertical profile for O_3 above ca. 25 km. The present analysis should help to clarify the influence of the relatively unique O_3 vertical distribution of polar ozone when interpreting O_3-N_2O correlations. (Auth. mod.)

51-3539
Comparison between vertical ozone soundings and reconstructed potential vorticity maps by contour advection with surgery.
Mariotti, A., Moustaoui, M., Legras, B., Teitelbaum, H., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 20, 1997, 102(D5), p.6131-6142, 27 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Advection, Stratosphere, Ozone, Aerosols, Seasonal variations, Sounding, Profiles, Temperature effects, Correlation

51-3540
Long-lived tracer transport in the antarctic stratosphere.
Strahan, S.E., Nielsen, J.E., Cerniglia, M.C., *Journal of geophysical research,* Nov. 27, 1996, 101(D21), p.26,615-26,629, 18 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Air flow, Turbulent diffusion, Seasonal variations, Spectroscopy, Simulation
Recent observations made by the Cryogenic Limb Array Etalon Spectrometer (CLAES) on the Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite (UARS) indicate that during the austral fall, CH_4 zonal mean isopleths in the antarctic vortex appear to descend more rapidly than those of N_2O. How is this possible in an isolated region such as the vortex when photochemical sinks are insignificant? To understand these observations, the authors have run a simulation of the 1992 austral fall using the Goddard Global Spectral Mechanistic Model (GSMM) and the three-dimensional Chemistry and Transport Model (CTM). Model tracer fields show good agreement with the observations over a 4-month period beginning in mid-Feb. This analysis demonstrates the relationship between wave activity, eddy transport, and tracer mixing ratios inside the vortex throughout the fall. In addition, CLAES observations deep in the vortex (70-80°S) show gradually increasing CH_4 mixing ratios from Mar. to Sep., implying the importance of eddy-driven mixing within the vortex in winter. (Auth. mod.)

51-3541
Dimethyl sulfide, methane sulfonic acid and physicochemical aerosol properties in Atlantic air from the United Kingdom to Halley Bay.
Davison, B., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 20, 1996, 101(D17), p.22,855-22,867, 58 refs.
Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Ion density (concentration), Aerosols, Air water interactions, Vapor transfer, Cloud physics, Condensation nuclei, Coagulation, Antarctica—Weddell Sea, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula
The concentrations of dimethyl sulfide in air were obtained during a cruise between the United Kingdom and the Antarctic in the period Oct. 1992 to Jan. 1993 using a method of sampling and analysis optimized to avoid interferences from oxidants. In the polar waters and regions south of the Falkland Is., concentrations from 3 to 714 ng (S)/m^3 were observed. Accumulation mode particle concentrations averaged 25/cm^3 in the clean marine and polar air masses south of 58°S while background condensation nuclei (CN) concentrations were of the order of 400-600/cm^3. It is not clear whether boundary layer nucleation of new CN or entrainment from the free troposphere provided the source of CN. Periods of elevated CN concentrations were regularly observed in the boundary layer over the Weddell Sea and were attributed to "bursts" of new particle formation. However, shortly after these nucleation events the CN concentration rapidly decayed to the background level through coagulation losses, suggesting little impact on the background CN or cloud condensation nuclei (CCN) concentration. (Auth. mod.)

51-3542
Polar ozone depletion: a three-dimensional chemical modeling study of its long-term global impact.
Eckman, R.S., Grose, W.L., Turner, R.E., Blackshear, W.T., *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 20, 1996, 101(D17), p.22,977-22,989, 41 refs.
Climatology, Climatic changes, Aerosols, Ozone, Turbulent diffusion, Polar stratospheric clouds, Degradation, Migration, Global change, Environmental impact, Simulation
The export of ozone-poor air from the antarctic polar region following the breakup of the Southern Hemisphere polar vortex is examined with a three-dimensional chemistry transport model. Two 5-year simulations were performed utilizing the NASA Langley Research Center three-dimensional chemistry transport model. One simulation included only gas phase and sulfate aerosol chemistry, while the second simulation also included reactions occurring on polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs). The model-calculated seasonal variation of Southern Hemisphere O_3, HNO_3, and active chlorine as a result of PSC chemistry is in reasonable accord with satellite observations. The model reveals that ozone is transported equatorward following the breakup of the polar vortex to approximately 20°S latitude by the first southern summer following the activation of PSC chemistry. These model results, in general agreement with earlier model studies using parameterized chemistry, show that a potential exists for a long-term accumulation of ozone loss in the southern polar region and a gradual increase in the global impact of polar ozone depletion. Comparison with satellite and ground-based observations of ozone trends at mid-latitudes suggests that ozone dilution may be a contributing factor. Experiments were performed to examine the sensitivity of the rate of local ozone recovery following the breakup of the vortex to the depth and spatial extent of the denitrification of polar air. (Auth. mod.)

51-3543
Role of aerosol variations in anthropogenic ozone depletion in the polar regions.
Portmann, R.W., Solomon, S., Garcia, R.R., Thomason, L.W., Poole, L.R., McCormick, M.P., *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 20, 1996, 101(D17), p.22,991-23,006, 61 refs.
Climatology, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Degradation, Ozone, Aerosols, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice formation, Volcanic ash, Simulation
A climatology of aerosol surface area inferred from satellite measurements is used as input in a two-dimensional model to study the long-term evolution of polar ozone depletion, especially the antarctic ozone hole. It is found that volcanic aerosol inputs very likely modulate the severity of the ozone hole. In particular, the rapid deepening of the ozone hole in the early 1980s, as seen, for example, in the Halley Bay total ozone measurements, was probably caused by accelerated heterogeneous chemistry associated with an increase in aerosol surface area due to volcanic injection combined with the anthropogenic perturbation of stratospheric chlorine. This is further substantiated by the large antarctic ozone decline observed and modeled after the eruption of Mount Pinatubo. A number of factors that influence the ozone hole are also investigated, including the effect of liquid versus frozen aerosol, the effects of denitrification and dehydration, the role of HO_x in HCl and $ClONO_2$ recovery, and the effect of chlorine partitioning at the start of winter. These findings suggest that future arctic ozone depletion could be severe in unusually cold winters or years with large volcanic aerosol surface area. (Auth. mod.)

51-3544
Comment on "Solute effects on the evaporation of ice particles" by Jen-Ping Chen and Paul J. Crutzen.
Baker, M., Nelson, J., Chen, J.P., Crutzen, P.J., *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 20, 1996, 101(D17), p.23,035-23,038, Includes reply. 16 refs. For pertinent paper see 49-692.
Cloud physics, Ice physics, Ice surface, Ice sublimation, Solubility, Ice vapor interface, Impurities, Thermodynamic properties, Vapor pressure

51-3545
Modeling and observational study of the detailed microphysical structure of tropical cirrus anvils.
Chen, J.P., McFarquhar, G.M., Heymsfield, A.J., Ramanathan, V., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6637-6653, 47 refs.
Climatology, Cloud physics, Convection, Profiles, Particle size distribution, Microstructure, Ice crystals, Ice formation, Condensation nuclei, Sedimentation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Simulation, Temperature effects

51-3546
Height- and time-dependent model of polar mesosphere summer echoes.
Klostermeyer, J., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6715-6727, 46 refs.
Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric electricity, Radar echoes, Wave propagation, Ice physics, Ice crystals, Ice electrical properties, Scavenging, Heterogeneous nucleation, Turbulent diffusion, Scattering, Theories, Mathematical models

51-3547
Modeling air movement and bubble trapping in firn.
Trudinger, C.M., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6747-6763, 38 refs.
Snow physics, Climatology, Snow composition, Ice cores, Firn, Bubbles, Chemical analysis, Air flow, Vapor diffusion, Atmospheric composition, Ice dating, Correlation, Snow air interface
A finite difference model for gas diffusion and bubble trapping in firn is described. The model uses prescribed profiles of density, open and closed porosity, and diffusivity to determine the diffusion and trapping processes. The model is calibrated and tested by using measured air composition in the firn at the DE08-2 site on Law Dome. In particular, the authors focus on carbon dioxide (CO_2), methane (CH_4), and sulfur hexafluoride (SF_6), which have well-determined atmospheric records. These trace gases are used to tune the diffusivity-porosity relationship, which is the most uncertain of the model inputs. The model quantifies the smoothing effect of the firn diffusion and bubble trapping on atmospheric signals. The fully corrected $\delta^{13}CO_2$ record from the DE08-2 firn is compared with the history of Cape Grim direct atmospheric measurements with excellent agreement. (Auth. mod.)

51-3548
Lagrangian study of the antarctic polar vortex.
Paparella, F., Babiano, A., Basdevant, C., Provenzale, A., Tanga, P., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6765-6773, 20 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Radio echo soundings, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Turbulent boundary layer, Turbulent exchange, Advection, Permeability, Wind direction
The authors study the dynamics of passively advected tracers in the antarctic polar vortex, using the wind fields provided by the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts' (ECMWF) analysis from Aug. to Oct. 1993. Advection on both isopycnal and isentropic surfaces is considered. A new definition of the vortex edge, identified as the maximum of kinetic energy, is compared with the definition based on the maximum gradient of Ertel potential vorticity. Using the kinetic energy criterion, they study the permeability of the polar vortex in the framework of the launch strategy of the Stratospheric Eole (Strateole) polar ozone experiment. A quantitative estimate of the probability that a passive tracer may cross the vortex edge, confirming the strong impermeability of the polar vortex to inward and outward particle motions is included. (Auth. mod.)

51-3549
Evaluation of the GFDL GCM climate variability 2. Stochastic modeling and latitude-temporal fields.
Polyak, I., North, G., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6799-6812, 10 refs.
Climatology, Air temperature, Surface temperature, Polar atmospheres, Temperature variations, Statistical analysis, Simulation, Spectra, Correlation

51-3550
Wonderland climate model.
Hansen, J., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6823-6830, 13 refs.
Climatology, Simulation, Surface temperature, Sea ice distribution, Ice heat flux, Models, Theories, Meteorological factors
The authors obtain a highly efficient global climate model by defining a sector version (including both polar regions) of the coarse resolution Goddard Institute for Space Studies model II. The geography

of Wonderland is chosen such that the amount of land as a function of latitude is the same as on Earth. They show that the zonal mean climate of the Wonderland model is very similar to that of the parent model II. (Auth. mod.)

51-3551
Infrared radiative transfer in the 9.6-μm band: application to TIROS operational vertical sounder ozone retrieval.
Engelen, R.J., Stephens, G.L., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6929-6939, 28 refs.
Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Polar atmospheres, Ozone, Detection, Radiation balance, Sounding, Spectroscopy, Models
This paper introduces a radiative transfer model for the 9.6-μm ozone band that specifically matches the TIROS operational vertical sounder (TOVS) channel 9. The model is based on a spectral Malkmus band model for transmission. While this new model is exploited in the development of the retrieval described in this paper, the result has wider applicability to ozone climate problems, in both the Arctic and Antarctic, requiring calculation of the radiative forcing associated with changing ozone. Because the TOVS ozone channel is mainly sensitive to lower stratospheric ozone, ozone columns of the upper layer (above 30 hPa and with mean pressure of 10 hPa) are prescribed as a function of latitude. Ozone columns of the lower layer (mean pressure of 105 hPa) are then retrieved. Global distribution of the retrieval error and also of the contribution of a priori knowledge to the retrieval is presented to provide a validity of the ozone retrievals. Total ozone mapping spectrometer (TOMS) statistics are used as a priori information in the retrieval, and the 40-layer model is used to estimate the forward model error of the two-layer model. (Auth. mod.)

51-3552
Radiative characteristics of the arctic atmosphere during spring as inferred from ground-based measurements.
Pinto, J.O., Curry, J.A., Fairall, C.W., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6941-6952, 39 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Radiation balance, Radiation measurement, Optical properties, Ice crystal optics, Atmospheric boundary layer, Surface energy, Sounding, Transmissivity, Seasonal variations

51-3553
Effects of clouds, ice sheet, and sea ice on the Earth radiation budget in the Antarctic.
Yamanouchi, T., Charlock, T.P., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 27, 1997, 102(D6), p.6953-6970, 52 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Radiation balance, Cloud cover, Sea ice, Ice sheets, Ice cover effect, Albedo, Radiation absorption, Climatic factors, Radiometry
The effects of clouds, the continental ice sheet, and sea ice on the radiation budget in the Antarctic are examined by using Earth Radiation Budget Experiment, International Satellite Cloud Climatology Project, and special sensor microwave/imager data in 1987-88. The continental ice sheet affects not only the albedo but also the surface temperature because of elevation and hence the outgoing longwave radiation (OLR). The high elevation of the antarctic continent makes the radiation budget in both polar regions asymmetric. Cloud forcing increases the albedo by 0.3 and reduces the OLR by 30-40 W/M^2. However, these numbers do not fully differentiate the independent effects of sea ice and cloudiness. A more detailed analysis shows that the independent effect of sea ice is as large as clouds, with clouds masking the radiative effect of sea ice by more than one half. (Auth. mod.)

51-3554
Distribution of Fe in the Antarctic Circumpolar Current.
Löscher, B.M., De Baar, H.J.W., De Jong, J.T.M., Veth, C., Dehairs, F., *Deep-sea research II,* Jan.-Feb. 1997, 44(1-2), p.143-187, Refs. p.182-187.
Oceanographic surveys, Ocean currents, Hydrography, Marine biology, Ice composition, Sea ice, Snow composition, Chemical analysis, Ice water interface
The large-scale distributions of dissolved and total Fe in surface and deep waters of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current exhibit strong relationships with hydrography and biological processes. The mean dissolved Fe concentrations are low in surface waters of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current (0.31-0.49 nM, with a minimum of 0.17 nM) and higher (averaging 1.1-1.9 nM) in the Polar Frontal region. Enhanced dissolved surface water concentrations in the Polar Frontal region are attributed to input from the continental shelf and coincide with phytoplankton spring blooms of large diatoms. The effects of sea-ice melting and iceberg melting on the Fe concentrations in the Antarctic Bottom Water are higher than those of other water masses in the Antarctic Circumpolar Current, consistent with the nepheloid layer as well as diagenetic input from shelf sediments. (Auth. mod.)

51-3555
Carbon fluxes to Antarctic top predators.
Van Franeker, J.A., Bathmann, U.V., Mathot, S., *Deep-sea research II,* Jan.-Feb. 1997, 44(1-2), p.435-455, Refs. p.453-455.
Marine biology, Ecology, Algae, Biomass, Plankton, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Antarctica—Weddell Sea
The role of birds, seals and whales in the overall biological carbon fluxes of the southern ocean has been estimated based on census counts of top predator individuals in the region. Using standard routines for conversion to food consumption and respiration rates the authors demonstrate that at most 0.3-0.6% of primary production in the southern ocean is exhaled, even if primary production by ice-algae is ignored. Food requirements of top predators indicate that photosynthetic production in the ice biota likely is substantial, deserving future attention and research. The results of these field observations deviate strongly from much higher top-predator respiration of 2-22.5% of primary production, as recently suggested from theoretical models. The findings illustrate that the antarctic food web is more complex than hitherto acknowledged. (Auth.)

51-3556
Internal character and formation of the Battery Point Drumlin, Lunenburg County, Nova Scotia.
Jones, N.K., *Canadian geographer,* 1996, 40(3), p.273-280, 22 refs.
Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Glacial erosion, Glacial deposits, Landforms, Structural analysis, Lithology, Geomorphology, Canada—Nova Scotia

51-3557
Can high arctic soil microarthropods survive elevated summer temperatures?
Hodkinson, I.D., Coulson, S.J., Webb, N.R., Block, W., *Functional ecology,* June 1996, 10(3), p.314-321, 25 refs.
Soil microbiology, Tundra soils, Tundra climate, Soil temperature, Moisture transfer, Global warming, Ecosystems, Environmental tests, Survival, Microclimatology, Temperature effects

51-3558
Catastrophic floods during deglaciation in a small, mountain catchment, British Columbia.
Goff, J.R., Hicock, S.R., *Geographical review of Japan B,* 68(2), Dec. 31, 1996, p.95-106, 26 refs.
Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Ice deterioration, Glacial deposits, Glacial lakes, Lake bursts, Ice dams, Geochronology, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Canada—British Columbia

51-3559
Pleistocene ice at the bottom of the Vavilov ice cap, Severnaya Zemlya, Russian Arctic.
Stiévenard, M., et al, *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.403-406, 20 refs.
Glaciology, Pleistocene, Ice sheets, Bottom ice, Boreholes, Ice dating, Ice cores, Quaternary deposits, Sedimentation, Isotope analysis, Profiles, Russia—Severnaya Zemlya

51-3560
Prediction of possible changes in glacio-hydrological characteristics under global warming: southeastern Alaska, U.S.A.
Davidovich, N.V., Ananicheva, M.D., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.407-412, 9 refs.
Climatology, Glaciology, Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Glacier melting, Glacier mass balance, Global warming, Snow air interface, Snow line, Long range forecasting, United States—Alaska

51-3561
Force-balance study of ice flow and basal conditions of Jutulstraumen, Antarctica.
Høydal, O.A., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.413-425, 18 refs.
Glaciology, Glacier flow, Glacier mass balance, Glacial geology, Bedrock, Profiles, Ice solid interface, Basal sliding, Ice mechanics, Shear stress, Ice temperature, Topographic effects, Antarctica—Jutulstraumen Glacier
Stresses and velocities at depth are calculated across Jutulstraumen, an ice stream in Queen Maud Land, draining about 1% of the antarctic ice sheet. The force-balance study is based on data from kinematic GPS measurements on three strain nets, each consisting of 3 x 3 stakes. The maximum measured velocity is 443 m/a and the velocity variation over short distances is large compared with studied ice streams in West Antarctica. The surface topography together with the measured velocities across the profile indicate that the bottom topography has a great influence on the flow direction, even where the ice thickness is more than 2000 m. The heat produced by sliding and internal deformation is sufficient to keep the base at the pressure-melting point. The annual basal melting is estimated to be about 60 mm. The mass flow calculated by the force-balance method is between 87 and 96% of pure plug flow. (Auth. mod.)

51-3562
Localized surface-ice weakness on a glacial ice runway.
Lang, R.M., Blaisdell, G.L., MP 4023, *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.426-439, 16 refs.
Glaciology, Ice (construction material), Ice runways, Mechanical tests, Ice strength, Ice deterioration, Ponds, Meltwater, Thin sections, Ice solid interface, Stress strain diagrams, Brittleness, Compressive properties
Following construction of a glacial ice runway on the Ross Ice Shelf, and prior to flight operations, the runway was proof-rolled. The proof exercise was designed to simulate typical heavy aircraft. Initial testing produced numerous brittle surface failures in the runway ice. Thin sections of ice cores taken from the failed areas showed large crystals of clear, blue ice with long, vertical bubbles, indicative of ice formed directly from meltwater. Uniaxial unconfined compression tests on core samples were used to compare runway ice strength with published data for polycrystalline laboratory ice. Since the frequent failure of surface ice had not been expected, it was critical to understand the formation and mechanical properties of the weak ice to prevent its occurrence in the future and to strengthen the existing problem areas. Likely scenarios for development of weak ice on the airstrip and the physical properties of this type of ice are discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-3563
Evidence from $^{40}Ar/^{39}Ar$ ages for a Churchill province source of ice-rafted amphiboles in Heinrich layer 2.
Gwiazda, R.H., Hemming, S.R., Broecker, W.S., Onsttot, T., Mueller, C., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.440-446, 34 refs.
Glaciology, Ice sheets, Icebergs, Marine geology, Ice rafting, Calving, Quaternary deposits, Glacial deposits, Bottom sediment, Drill core analysis, Isotope analysis, Radioactive age determination

51-3564
On Mertz and Ninnis Glaciers, East Antarctica.
Wendler, G., Ahlnas, K., Lingle, C.S., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.447-453, 15 refs.
Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier tongues, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Floating ice, Glacier oscillation, Periodic variations, Antarctica—Ninnis Glacier Tongue, Antarctica—Mertz Glacier
Two large glacier tongues, which extend substantially across the coastline of King George V Land in East Antarctica, have been studied by remote sensing (synthetic aperture radar, JERS-1). The tongue of Mertz Glacier is in a state of advance, while the Ninnis Glacier tongue is retreating. The distinctive surface structure and the form of the glacier tongues indicates that they are floating. While the tongue of Ninnis Glacier has lost about two-thirds of its area since 1913, the Mertz Glacier tongue has advanced substantially and has about doubled its areal extent over the same time period. The annual movement of the tongue of Mertz Glacier was determined as about 1.2 km. This is close to the value of the advance of the tip of the tongue since 1963, which was determined as 0.9 km/year. (Auth. mod.)

51-3565
Superimposed ice in glacier mass balance on the Tibetan Plateau.
Fujita, K., Seko, K., Ageta, Y., Pu, J.C., Yao, T.D., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.454-460, 16 refs.
Glaciology, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Glacial hydrology, Glacier melting, Seepage, Snow ice interface, Regelation, Ice cores, Hydrologic cycle, Seasonal variations, China—Tibet

51-3566
Surface velocity and mass balance of Ice Streams D and E, West Antarctica.
Bindschadler, R., Vornberger, P., Blankenship, D., Scambos, T., Jacobel, R., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.461-475, 24 refs.
Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, LANDSAT, Spaceborne photography, Velocity measurement, Strains, Image processing, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf
Over 75,000 surface-velocity measurements are extracted from sequential satellite imagery of Ice Streams D and E to reveal a complex pattern of flow not apparent from previous measurements. Horizontal and vertical strain rates, calculated from surface velocity, indicate that the bed experiences larger basal shear where the surface

of these ice streams is rougher. Ten airborne-radar profiles and one surface-based radar profile of ice thickness make possible the calculation of mass balance for longitudinal sections of each ice stream. Systematic errors continue to limit the ability of the flux-differencing technique used here to resolve local variations in mass balance. Nevertheless, significant local variations in mass balance are revealed, while, overall, Ice Streams D and E are in approximate equilibrium. An earlier estimate of the net mass balance for Ice Stream D is improved. (Auth. mod.)

51-3567

Tidal motion, ice velocity and melt rate of Petermann Gletscher, Greenland, measured from radar interferometry.

Rignot, E., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.476-485, 33 refs.

Glaciology, Glacier flow, Velocity measurement, Grounded ice, Floating ice, Ice melting, Glacier tongues, Ice shelves, Tidal currents, Ice water interface, Oscillations, Radar echoes, Spaceborne photography, Greenland—Petermann Gletscher

51-3568

Late Pleistocene interactions of East and West Antarctic ice-flow regimes: evidence from the McMurdo Ice Shelf.

Kellogg, T.B., Hughes, T., Kellogg, D.E., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.486-500, 58 refs.

Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Ice sheets, Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Glacier ablation, Grounded ice, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Models, Antarctica—West Antarctica, Antarctica—McMurdo Ice Shelf, Antarctica—East Antarctica

The authors present new interpretations of deglaciation in McMurdo Sound and the western Ross Sea, with observationally based reconstructions of interactions between East and West Antarctic ice at the last glacial maximum (LGM), 16,000, 12,000, 8,000 and 4,000 BP. At the LGM, East Antarctic ice from Mulock Glacier split; one branch turned westward south of Ross I. but the other branch rounded Ross I. before flowing southwest into McMurdo Sound. After the LGM, grounding-line retreat was most rapid in areas with greatest water depth, especially along the Victoria Land coast. By 12,000 BP, the ice-flow regime in McMurdo Sound changed to through-flowing Mulock Glacier ice. The modern flow regime was established ca. 4,000 BP. Ice derived from high elevations on the Polar Plateau but now stranded on the McMurdo Ice Shelf, and the pattern of the Transantarctic Mountains erratics support reconstructions of Mulock Glacier ice rounding Minna Bluff but with all ice from Skelton Glacier ablating south of the bluff. Ice-sheet modeling holds promise for determining whether deglaciation proceeded by grounding-line retreat of an ice sheet that was largely stagnant, or of a dynamic ice sheet with flowline profiles kept low by active ice streams that extended northward from present-day outlet glaciers after the Ross Ice Shelf grounded. (Auth. mod.)

51-3569

Spatial variations in heat at the base of the antarctic ice sheet from analysis of the thermal regime above subglacial lakes.

Siegert, M.J., Dowdeswell, J.A., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.501-509, 18 refs.

Glaciology, Ice sheets, Ice temperature, Basal sliding, Glacier beds, Ice solid interface, Heat transfer, Thermal regime, Subglacial observations, Lakes, Meltwater, Models

The authors have used a one-dimensional vertical heat-transfer equation to determine theoretical temperature values for the ice-sheet base above 77 subglacial lakes identified from airborne radio-echo-sounding data covering 50% of Antarctica. Variations in temperature to below the pressure-melting temperature over lakes are due to either estimated geothermal heat flux or a neglect of heat derived from (a) internal ice deformation and (b) basal sliding, in the thermal model. Results indicate that, when the geothermal heat flux is set at 54 mW/m^2, the ice-sheet base above 70% of the known antarctic subglacial lakes is calculated to be at the pressure-melting value. For the ice sheet above subglacial lakes located hundreds of kilometers from the ice divide, using the same thermal model, loss of heat due to vertical advection is calculated to be relatively high. As distance from the ice divide increases, so does the amount of heat due to internal ice deformation and basal sliding. (Auth. mod.)

51-3570

Geometry, motion and mass balance of Dyer Plateau, Antarctica.

Raymond, C., Weertman, B., Thompson, L., Mosley-Thompson, E., Peel, D., Mulvaney, R., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.510-518, 11 refs.

Glaciology, Ice sheets, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Glacier thickness, Glacier mass balance, Geodetic surveys, Radio echo soundings, Ice cores, Ice density, Firn stratification, Profiles, Antarctica—Dyer Plateau

Geodetic surveying and ground-based radar profiling were used to determine geometry and surface motion of the ice sheet on the Dyer Plateau, in the vicinity of an ice-core site on a local dome. Vertical strain measurements in the core hole constrain the depth profile of vertical velocity. These geophysical measurements are used to analyze the profiles of density and annual layer thickness measured on the ice core to estimate the current mass balance of the ice column and the past history of accumulation rate. Consideration of horizontal and vertical mass-flow divergence shows that the profiles of density and vertical velocity are not fully consistent with steady state. Mean density of the firn layer appears to be increasing, which leads to the deduction of a small rate of mass increase. Over the last 200 a there has been a gradual increase in accumulation rate. (Auth. mod.)

51-3571

On the effect of phase transformations on saline ice compliance.

McKittrick, L.R., Brown, R.L., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.519-532, 32 refs.

Ice mechanics, Salt ice, Brines, Phase transformations, Ice water interface, Ice crystal growth, Mechanical properties, Nucleation, Defects, Stress concentration, Anisotropy, Mathematical models, Ice models

51-3572

Estimation of relative water content in a subpolar glacier using surface-penetration radar.

Hamran, S.E., Aarholt, E., Hagen, K.O., Mo, P., *Journal of glaciology,* 1996, Vol.42, p.533-537, 11 refs.

Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Glacial hydrology, Water content, Radio echo soundings, Backscattering, Mapping

51-3573

Airborne surface profiling of glaciers: a case-study in Alaska.

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Aerial surveys, Height finding, Lasers, Profiles, Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, Topographic surveys, Correlation, Seasonal variations, Accuracy, United States—Alaska

51-3574

Mass balance of White Glacier, Axel Heiberg Island, N.W.T., Canada, 1960-91.

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51-3575

Estimation of ice-sheet motion using satellite radar interferometry: method and error analysis with application to Humboldt Glacier, Greenland.

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Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Glacier flow, Velocity measurement, Bedrock, Topographic features, Altitude, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Photogrammetric surveys, Statistical analysis, Accuracy, Greenland—Humboldt Glacier

51-3576

New high-precision borehole-temperature logging system used at GISP2, Greenland, and Taylor Dome, Antarctica.

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Glaciology, Borehole instruments, Ice sheets, Paleoclimatology, Surface temperature, Ice temperature, Temperature measurement, Portable equipment, Sensors, Electrical logging, Cold weather performance, Accuracy, Wind factors, Greenland, Antarctica—Taylor Dome

The authors describe a high-precision borehole-temperature (BT) logging system developed at the United States Geological Survey (USGS) for use in remote polar regions. Calibration, operational and data-processing procedures, are discussed, and an analysis of the measurement errors presented. The system is modular to facilitate calibration procedures and field repairs. To illustrate this capability, the authors sample data from the 3 km deep borehole at GISP2, Greenland, and from a 130 m deep air filled hole at Taylor Dome. The precision of the incremental Taylor Dome measurements varies from 0.11 to 0.32 mK, depending on the wind strength during the experiments. With this precision, temperature fluctuations and multi-hour trends in the BT measurements correlated well with atmospheric-pressure changes. (Auth. mod.)

51-3577

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Laboratory techniques, Ice physics, Ice crystal growth, Ice crystal optics, Ice crystal structure, Orientation, Frost, Buoyancy, Supercooling, Ice water interface

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Climatic changes, Geocryology, Permafrost transformation, Geomorphology, Active layer, Frozen ground temperature, Global warming, Environmental impact, Russia—Siberia

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Permafrost bases, Mass flow, Mudflows, Solifluction, Classifications, Permafrost transformation, Frozen ground mechanics, Soil erosion

51-3581

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Ecosystems, Hydrogeology, Subarctic landscapes, Springs (water), Hot springs, Tundra soils, Nivation, Distribution, Natural resources, Environmental protection, Russia—Chukchi Peninsula

51-3582

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Cold weather survival, Bibliographies, Health, Geography

An exploratory paper surveys important issues to be addressed in the study of medical geography of the arctic and antarctic regions. It also provides an extensive review of the Russian-language literature on the subject and sheds light on major directions for future research. (Auth. mod.)

51-3583

Acidification of surface waters in the northern Kola Peninsula.

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Subpolar regions, River basins, Surface waters, Air pollution, Water pollution, Aerosols, Fallout, Environmental impact, Origin, Hydrogeochemistry, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-3584
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Wetlands, Subarctic landscapes, Landscape development, Taiga, Geocryology, Classifications, Peat, Stratigraphy, Organic soils, Russia—Yenisey River

51-3585
Spectral analysis of climate data.
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Paleoclimatology, Geophysical surveys, Climatic changes, Air temperature, Global change, Temperature variations, Meteorological data, Climatic factors, Spectra, Ice cores, Heavy water, Statistical analysis, Periodic variations
The complexity of climate variability on all time scales requires the use of several refined tools to unravel its primary dynamics from observations. The authors review the properties of several modern time series analysis methods. Those methods belong to four main classes: Fourier techniques (Blackman-Tukey and Multi-Taper), Maximum Entropy technique, Singular-spectrum techniques and wavelet analysis. Their respective advantages and limitations are illustrated by numerical experiments on synthetic time series. As climate data can be irregularly spaced in time, three interpolating methods on those time series are also compared. These tests are aimed at showing the pitfalls of the blind use of mathematical or statistical techniques on climate data. The authors apply those methods to 'real' climatic data from temperature variations over the last century, and the Vostok ice core deuterium record over the last glacial cycle. Then it is shown how interpretations on the dynamics of climate can be derived on those time scales. (Auth. mod.)

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Atmospheric circulation, Lacustrine deposits, Oxygen isotopes, Isotope analysis, Drill core analysis, Lake water, Water level, Moisture transfer, Wind factors

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Snow removal equipment, Cold weather performance, Road maintenance, Winter maintenance

51-3593
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Road maintenance, Winter maintenance, Research projects, Construction materials, Concrete pavements, Concrete durability, Frost resistance, Frost action, Damage, Freeze thaw tests, Mechanical tests, Standards, Cold weather performance

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51-3598
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Marine biology, Oceanographic surveys, Biomass, Distribution, Ecosystems, Bottom sediment, Sampling, Photographic reconnaissance, Classifications, Statistical analysis, Nutrient cycle, Russia—Laptev Sea

51-3600
Biosynthesis of macromolecular and lipid classes by phytoplankton in the Northeast Water Polynya.
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Marine biology, Plankton, Biomass, Polynyas, Ecosystems, Classifications, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, Ice cover effect, Sampling, Statistical analysis, Greenland—Northeast Water Polynya

51-3601
Photophysiology and photoacclimation in surface sea ice algae from McMurdo Sound, Antarctica.
Robinson, D.H., Kolber, Z., Sullivan, C.W., *Marine ecology progress series,* Feb. 27, 1997, 147(1-3), p.243-256, 59 refs.
Marine biology, Microbiology, Ecosystems, Biomass, Algae, Photosynthesis, Ice shelves, Ponds, Solar radiation, Light effects, Damage, Acclimatization, Antarctica—McMurdo Sound
This study investigates the photophysiology of surface pond communities associated with the fast ice in McMurdo Sound. Photosynthesis-irradiance characteristics, pigmentation, absorption characteristics and the efficiency of energy conversion at photosystem II (PSII) were examined for natural algal populations freshly collected from the field and those subjected to laboratory incubations under controlled light conditions. Results indicate that surface ice algae employ mechanisms to dissipate excess excitation energy and that they have a high level of tolerance to photoinhibitory damage. These characteristics, however, offer only a limited acclimation to the high irradiance of the surface ice habitat. (Auth. mod.)

51-3602
Paleomagnetic investigations of carboniferous sediments from the Intra-Sudetic Basin, southern Poland. Part I: Stephanian-Autunian deposits.
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Pleistocene, Tectonics, Quaternary deposits, Magnetic surveys, Sedimentation, Rock magnetism, Geomagnetism, Remanent magnetism, Orientation, Sampling, Poland—Intra-Sudetic Basin

51-3603
Multiradar observations of medium-scale acoustic gravity waves using the Super Dual Auroral Radar Network.
Bristow, W.A., Greenwald, R.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Nov. 1, 1996, 101(A11), p.24,499-24,511, 24 refs.
Sound waves, Gravity waves, Radar echoes, Remote sensing, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric physics, Canada—Labrador—Goose Bay, Canada—Saskatchewan—Saskatoon, Canada—Ontario—Kapuskasing, Iceland—Stokkseyri

51-3604
Strategy for polar science 1995-2000.
Great Britain. Natural Environment Research Council, Swindon, UK, Natural Environment Research Council, 1995, 61p., Append. 1 contains contact addresses for NERC affiliates and other institutions/ organisations. Append. 2 is a list of acronyms and abbreviations.
Research projects, Polar regions
The publication contains a statement of the British view of a polar research strategy, its relevance, programs, perceived science needs into the 21st century, and specific areas of needed research. The global nature of projected programs includes substantial commitment in both arctic and antarctic regions.

51-3605

Increased plant growth in the northern high latitudes from 1981-1991.

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Plants (botany), Vegetation patterns, Growth, Air temperature, Remote sensing, Measuring instruments

51-3606

North and northeast Greenland ice discharge from satellite radar interferometry.

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Glaciers, Icebergs, Sea ice, Remote sensing, Radar echoes, Glacier flow, Calving, Greenland, Arctic Ocean

51-3607

Ballistic perforation of graphite/epoxy composite.

Dutta, P.K., Farrell, D., Taylor, S., Tadayon, A., Hui, D., SR 96-29, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Dec. 1996, 8p., ADA-321 109, 13 refs.

Impact tests, Composite materials, Fracturing, Brittleness

This report documents the experimental details of impact studies performed on graphite/epoxy laminated plates by spherical projectiles. The mechanism of failure and energy absorption were studied by macro- and microscopic examination of the surfaces of the laminates. Fragments were examined under scanning electron microscope to determine presence of any characteristic fracture surface pattern. The influence of laminate orientations was studied using unidirectional and quasi-isotropic laminates. The scanning electron microscopic examination of the fragments from the impact shows that the fracture surfaces of the matrix have some characteristic hackle marks. A discussion is provided to explain the characteristics and texture of these hackle marks and relate them to the impact velocity, material brittleness, and energy absorption of the impact.

51-3608

Investigation of the kinetics and products resulting from the reaction of peroxone with aminodinitrotoluenes.

Spanggord, R.J., Yao, D., Mill, T., SR 97-05, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Feb. 1997, 13p., ADA-323 601, 7 refs.

Ozone, Waste treatment, Ground water

The reaction between peroxone and two isomers of aminodinitrotoluene (ADNT) was studied with respect to kinetics of reaction and the products formed. The ADNTs react rapidly with ozone and hydroxyl radical, the principal components of peroxone. At fairly high ADNT concentrations (ppm), hydroxyl radical competes with ozone in pure water systems. Reactions of both the 2- and 4-ADNT isomers result in the formation of pyruvic acid, nitrate ion, and nitrite ion. A reaction mechanism consistent with these products is proposed.

51-3609

Dispersion by chemical reaction of Rocky Mountain Arsenal Basin F waste soils.

Payne, J.R., Marion, G.M., SR 97-03, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Feb. 1997, 16p., ADA-323 602, 9 refs.

Soil pollution, Sludges, Leaching, Land reclamation, Waste treatment, Soil chemistry

Many military installations have soil contamination problems that range from heavy metals to petroleum products. Rocky Mountain Arsenal (RMA) Basin F contains high concentrations of salts, heavy metals, ammonia, urea, and organics. The Dispersion by Chemical Reaction (DCR) process leads to a reduction in the mobility of the organic and inorganic constituents by first removing volatile constituents via steam stripping and volatilization, then trapping the nonvolatile contaminants in a nonmobile phase (microencapsulation), and finally compacting the treated material into large soil bodies (macroencapsulation). This report summarizes the results of the DCR testing of soil-amended Basin F sludge from RMA. The primary focus of this study is on pesticide leachability. The DCR process used to treat the Basin F waste soil produced a dry, homogeneous, soil-like material with desirable physical properties that on compaction achieved the following remediation goals: reduction of all leachable volatiles to nondetectable levels, confinement of all metals to below Resource Recovery and Conservation Act Toxic Characteristics Leaching Procedure (RCRA TCLP) levels, and a decrease in pesticide leachability to levels approaching RCRA standards.

51-3610

Stripping volatile organic compounds and petroleum hydrocarbons from water by tray aeration.

LaBranche, D.F., Collins, M.R., SR 97-06, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Mar. 1997, 15p., ADA-323 603, 23 refs.

Ground water, Water pollution, Crude oil, Hydrocarbons, Waste disposal, Land reclamation

Volatile organic compounds (VOCs) and petroleum products are ubiquitous groundwater contaminants. Petroleum products, e.g., diesel fuel, contain a wide array of volatile, semivolatile, and long-chain hydrocarbon compounds. This research sought to determine whether air stripping can provide a site-specific treatment solution for petroleum-contaminated groundwaters and to document the abilities and limitations of tray-type (ShallowTray) air stripping technology. Full factorial experimental trials were conducted to determine the influence of inlet water flow rate and temperature on trichloroethylene (TCE), perchloroethylene (PCE) and total petroleum hydrocarbon (TPH) removal. As expected, TPH removal controlled air stripper performance, and liquid temperature affected removal more than flow rate. The mass transfer rate of TCE and PCE from water to air was controlled by the compound's volatility, while the TPH mass transfer rate was controlled by the compound's concentration gradient. Results indicate that economical air stripping of VOC and TPH compounds can be achieved using low liquid flow rates (20-75L/min) and medium liquid temperatures (16-28°C) in tray-type air strippers.

51-3611

Frost shielding protection of a water line, Berlin, New Hampshire.

Coutermarsh, B.A., SR 97-01, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Jan. 1997, 15p., ADA-322 268, 7 refs.

Frost penetration, Pipeline freezing, Pipeline insulation, Underground pipelines, Frost protection, Design, Mathematical models

The standard practice of burying water and sewer lines beneath the frost line in cold regions can be expensive when ledge or other difficult material is within the burial depth. If the pipeline can be buried at a shallower depth and still be protected from freezing, a significant savings in excavation costs can be realized. A finite element (FE) program was developed to predict frost penetration depth around buried utility pipelines. The program was used to design and assess the feasibility of various insulation configurations around a water line buried within the frost-susceptible depth in Berlin, NH. Extensive temperature monitoring was performed to evaluate both the insulation design and the prediction accuracy of the FE program. The first-year results are very promising, showing good accuracy between the FE results and actual temperatures.

51-3612

Sampling trace-level organics with polymeric tubings: dynamic studies.

Parker, L.V., ed, Ranney, T.A., ed, SR 97-02, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Jan. 1997, 22p., ADA-322 645, 30 refs. See also 50-5672.

Pipes (tubes), Leaching, Ground water, Plastics

This study is the second phase of a two-year effort to determine the effects that sampling tubings have on organic analyte concentrations. In the first year, 20 different tubings were compared, under static conditions, with respect to sorption of organic contaminants and leaching of organic constituents. In this study, the authors examined what occurs under dynamic conditions when TCE-contaminated water is pumped through several different types of polymeric tubings. Sorption of organic solutes, leaching of organic constituents, and desorption of sorbed organic contaminants were all examined. Five tubings were selected for this study: a rigid fluoropolymer, a flexible fluoropolymer, low-density polyethylene (LDPE), and two plasticized polypropylene tubings. These materials were selected because the static studies had shown that these tubings leached little or no organic constituents (as determined by HPLC analyses with an ultraviolet [UV] detector) and ranged from being the least sorptive tubings tested to among the most highly sorptive. The effects of tubing length and flow rate were examined. Results from these studies indicate that if water is pumped through tubing at a slow flow rate (100 mL/min), fluoropolymers should be used to prevent extensive losses of TCE and more sorptive analytes, especially if the tubing is 50 ft or longer. If a faster flow rate (1 L/min) is used, it appears that LDPE tubing can be used to sample TCE and other less sorptive analytes, although time for equilibration (2-4 hr) should be allowed to reduce losses in the deepest wells.

51-3613

1994 Arctic Ocean section: the first major scientific crossing of the Arctic Ocean.

Tucker, W., ed, Cate, D., ed, SR 96-23, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special Report,* Sep. 1996, 117p., ADA-322 259.

Global change, Water pollution, Environmental impact, Icebreakers, Air ice water interaction, Oceanography, Sea ice, Marine biology, Bacteria, Plankton, Algae, Radioactivity, Remote sensing, Ice navigation, Expeditions, Ocean currents, Geochemistry, Arctic Ocean

In the summer of 1994 seventy scientists aboard two icebreakers—the USCGC *Polar Sea* and the CCGS *Louis S. St-Laurent*—participated in the U.S.-Canada Arctic Ocean Section, the first major scientific crossing of the Arctic Ocean. The purpose of the expedition was to increase understanding of the Arctic Ocean in the context of global change and to gather baseline data on contaminants. Data were collected at 39 locations, beginning just north of Nome, AK, crossing the North Pole, and finishing east of Greenland. Fifty individual research projects resulted in measurements of the seafloor, the ocean, the ice and the atmosphere, producing a comprehensive view of the Arctic Ocean never before available.

51-3614

Changes in freezing bound water in water-gellan systems with structure formation.

Hatakeyama, T., Quinn, F.X., Hatakeyama, H., *Carbohydrate polymers,* 1996, Vol.30, p.155-160, 15 refs.

Hygroscopic water, Colloids, Molecular structure, Frozen liquids, Phase transformations, Liquid phases, Solid phases

51-3615

CPT study of the effect of unfrozen water content on strength of silty permafrost at Kangiqsualujjuaq, Nunavik (Quebec).

Fortier, R., Ladanyi, B., Allard, M., Canadian Geotechnical Conference, 46th annual, Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Sep. 27-29, 1993. Proceedings, Rexdale, Ontario, Canadian Geotechnical Society, [1993], p.307-318, 23 refs.

Estuaries, Frost mounds, Subsea permafrost, Permafrost thermal properties, Permafrost structure, Unfrozen water content, Ground ice, Saline soils, Frozen ground strength, Soil creep, Soil tests, Penetration tests, Canada—Quebec—Kangiqsualujjuaq

51-3616

Antenna and tower icing.

Jones, E.R., Davies, D.K., Farahani, M.R.J., *Communications,* June 1990, 27(6), p.61,63,65,66,68,70, 3 refs.

Antennas, Towers, Power line supports, Power line icing, Ice accretion, Glaze, Ice loads, Wind pressure, Design criteria

51-3617

Research note on sea ice in the vicinity of Showa Station, Antarctica. [Nankyoku Showa kichi shuhen no kaihyo kenkyu noto]

Yoshida, Y., *Rissho daigaku Bungakubu kenkyu kiyo (Rissho [Nichiren Buddhist] University, Tokyo. Faculty of Letters. Research bulletin),* Mar. 1997, No.13, p.35-47, In Japanese. 24 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Fast ice, Ice navigation, Polynyas, Ice cracks, Ice breakup, Antarctica—Showa Station, Antarctica—Lützow-Holm Bay

A general review is presented of observations from 1957-1991 on the extent and variations in sea ice, both floating ice and fast ice, between summer and winter in Lützow-Holm Bay. Incidents are cited when even in the summer, navigation was difficult in the fast ice because polynyas and leads open and close without warning. In the winter, polynyas have formed in first year ice, and polynyas and leads were also observed in fast ice in the winters of 1968, 1980, and 1983, apparently associated with blizzards. In all seasons, the fast ice is subject to the action of wind, tides and particularly, glacier tongues, which form cracks in the ice and may impede vehicle traffic.

51-3618

Headquarters oil spill response manual.

U.S. National Science Foundation. Office of Polar Programs, Arlington, VA, 1996, Var. p., Prepared by Jamestown Marine Services, Inc., Jamestown, RI, for NSF/OPP in Sep. 1995, revised by NSF in Oct. 1996.

Oil spills, Accidents, Soil pollution, Water pollution, Waste disposal, Oil recovery, Environmental protection, Regional planning, Land reclamation, Manuals

Recognizing that fuel spills represent the single greatest threat to the antarctic environment, the National Science Foundation, Office of Polar Programs (NSF,OPP) initiated the Oil Spill Prevention and Response Plan Project in Sep. 1990. The project is in direct support of the OPP's *Environmental Protection Agenda* Oil Spill Prevention Action Item and the NSF Office of General Counsel's *Strategy for Compliance with Environmental Law in Antarctica.* The project has developed several oil spill response contingency plans in accordance with guidance prepared under the direction of the Standing Committee on Antarctic Logistics and Operations (SCALOP) by the SCALOP subgroup on Oil Spill Prevention and Response and approved by the Council of Managers, National Antarctic Programs (COMNAP). The spill response contingency plans are complemented by a comprehensive *USAP Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures Plan (SPCC).* This manual provides guidance to the Headquarters Emergency Management and Response Team (HEMART) to support facility and area response actions. Oil spills, no matter how small, must be reported and cleaned up. (Auth. mod.)

51-3619

Vertical ice loads on offshore structures due to changes in water levels.

Kioka, S., Ito, S., Saeki, H., Terashima, T., Marine technology and transportation. Edited by T. Graczyk, et al, Southampton, England, Computational Mechanics Publications, 1995, p.199-208, 5 refs. Presented at the 1st International Conference on Marine Technology (ODRA 95), Szczecin, Poland, Sep. 1995.

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Offshore structures, Piers, Ice solid interface, Ice adhesion, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice cover strength, Ice breaking, Water level, Mathematical models

51-3620

Ice loads acting on structures to which ice sheets are adfrozen during flooding and measures to decrease ice loads.

Terashima, T., Nakazawa, N., Kioka, S., Hirano, A., Saeki, H., Marine technology and transportation. Edited by T. Graczyk, et al, Southampton, England, Computational Mechanics Publications, 1995, p.209-218, 12 refs. Presented at the 1st International Conference on Marine Technology (ODRA 95), Szczecin, Poland, Sep. 1995.

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice adhesion, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice water interface, Ice control, Flooding, Water level, Mathematical models

51-3621

Floating ice thickness for aircraft operations.

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On the extraordinary katabatic winds of Adélie Land.

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In Dec. 1992, the authors placed four automatic weather stations along the coast of Adélie Land, two in the maximum wind jet (Port Martin and Cape Denison) and one on each side of this jet (D 10 close to Dumont d'Urville and Penguin Point, respectively). Wind velocities are discussed as a function of other meteorological parameters. Further, the interrelationships between the stations are described. Some of the findings are (1) the very high wind speeds reported earlier this century are in agreement with the measurements; the wind directional constancy is high; (2) historic measurements reported Cape Denison to be the windiest station, not only for Antarctica, but also close to sea level for planet Earth; (3) very strong wind speeds have a more down-slope direction than weaker ones; (4) the general atmospheric pressure gradient enhanced or inhibited the gravity flow; this is especially pronounced in summer; and (5) in summer, above normal pressure is correlated with above normal temperatures; in fall the opposite holds true. (Auth. mod.)

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Defect structure and molecular dynamics of doped ice and natural snow.
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Parallel data characterization methods for environmental factors.
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Geophysical surveys, Remote sensing, Imaging, Detection, Spectra, Resolution, Classifications, Data processing, Computer applications, Statistical analysis, Environmental tests, Accuracy
Parallel Data Characterization (PDC) algorithms produce high level descriptions of multispectral and/or hyperspectral data sets acquired from active and passive remote sensing systems. The descriptions include measures of central tendency (expectation), variation, elasticity, curvature, and distribution (skewness and kurtosis). PDC measures are used to build a single discriminant function *f* that is the subject of a formal supervised or unsupervised classification. PDC is shown to be distinctly superior to traditional maximum likelihood classifications since PDC methods can be equally applied when two or more band combinations measure nearly identical spectral features without loss of precision or computational efficiency. In this paper, the foundations of the PDC algorithm are derived and case studies are presented for the discrimination of vegetation and toxic/hazardous wastes using Digital Multispectral Video data and Hyperspectral Airborne Visible/Infrared Imaging Spectrometer data.

51-3644
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51-3646
Antarctic science into the 21st century.
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Research projects, Glaciology
In undertaking a program of first class science through which an active and influential role can be sustained in the antarctic region, the British Antarctic Survey mission is viewed from these points of interest: background information concerning the Antarctic Treaty System and coordination in antarctic research; global change, including atmosphere-sea ice-ocean interactions; sustainable development in environmental protection; framework science; conservation and management; enabling technologies, such as platforms for advanced scientific research; strategy for NERC antarctic science programs other than those of BAS; and international collaboration. Two appendices include a list of contact addresses and a list of acronyms and abbreviations.

51-3647
Report of the British Antarctic Survey 1995-96.
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Research projects, Glaciology
After summarizing BAS year's important events and scientific discoveries, the highlighted topics are reported in more depth. The following is covered: logistics, BAS operational activities and central facilities; science activities, dealing with antarctic ice cover, climate and geological history, the structure and dynamics of the southern ocean ecosystem, dynamics of antarctic terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems, energy flow and dissipation in geospace, antarctic geographic information and mapping, and humans in isolated polar communities. Several appendices provide BAS' financial background, and lists of 1995 publications and staff in various locations, divisions and ships.

51-3648
Canada Stream: a glacial meltwater stream in Taylor Valley, South Victoria Land, Antarctica.
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Meltwater, Flow measurement, Glacier melting, Permafrost, Patterned ground, Hydrology, Ecology, Algae, Biomass, Antarctica—Canada Stream
The streams in the McMurdo Dry Valleys contrast with streams in many temperate watersheds because of their unique hydrology, the lack of organic matter inputs from the surrounding landscape, and the perennial nature of the algal mats. The studies of Canada Stream and other streams in the McMurdo Dry Valleys conducted by scientists participating in the New Zealand Antarctic Program in the 1980s provide a solid foundation for further studies of the ecology of these streams. Using data from these studies, the authors have estimated the magnitude of organic matter production and storage in Canada Stream. The sum of the export of organic matter as FBOM and DOM carried by the stream is 263 kg/y. GPP was calculated as 2 times NPP; thus one can multiply NPP by the streambed area to obtain an annual net production of organic matter in the stream of 1701 kg/y. This value is 6.4 X the export carried by the stream, which indicates that organic matter is accumulating on an annual basis in the stream. This conclusion is consistent with the perennial nature of the algal mats.

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51-3651
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51-3657
Inherently unstable climate behaviour due to weak thermohaline ocean circulation.
Tziperman, E., *Nature,* Apr. 10, 1997, 386(6625), p.592-595, 31 refs.
Climatic changes, Ocean currents, Water temperature, Salinity, Models, Paleoclimatology, Global change
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Expeditions, Oceanographic ships, Oceanographic surveys, Arctic Ocean

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Eicken, H., et al, *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1997, No.226, Scientific cruise report of the Arctic Expedition ARK-XI/1 of RV *Polarstern* in 1995. (German-Russian Project LADI: Laptev Sea - Arctic Deep Basin interrelations). Wissenschaftlicher Fahrtbericht über die Arktis-Expedition ARK-XI/1 von 1955 mit FS *Polarstern*, p.41-72, Additional notes. p.A2-A17: Station list with explanations; p.A18-A27: Weather data; p.A28-A38: Hydrochemical data; p.A162-163: Sea ice research and ecology, contact persons; p.A171-172: Research participants, Institutions, Locations, and Disciplines. Refs. p.155-157.
Sea ice, Remote sensing, Ice melting, Pressure ridges, Ice cover thickness, Ice microstructure, Sediments, Arctic Ocean, Russia—Laptev Sea

51-3662
Sea ice biology and sedimentology.
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Marine biology, Plankton, Sea ice, Bacteria, Biomass, Arctic Ocean, Russia—Laptev Sea, Russia—Siberian Sea, Amundsen Basin

51-3664
Newsletter, No.48, Mar. 1997.
Antarctic Society of Australia, Pymble, New South Wales, 1997, 20p.
Global warming, Climatic changes, Ice melting, Ozone, Research projects, Environmental impact
This issue opens with comments on the effects of global warming in Antarctica, including concern for the retreat of ice shelves and evidence of climatic change. It continues with a note in memory of Sir Douglas Mawson and plans to restore his historic hut; short reports on walking expeditions across the ice; American and Australian aid to the Russians at Mirnyy Station; whale killing legislation; a volcanic eruption at Heard I.; and ANARE miscellaneous news, including a list of forthcoming events.

51-3665
Antarctic automatic weather station data for the calendar year 1995.
Keller, L.M., Weidner, G.A., Stearns, C.R., Whittaker, M.T., Holmes, R.E., Madison, University of Wisconsin, 1997, 33p.
Weather stations, Meteorological data, Air temperature, Atmospheric pressure, Wind velocity
A network of automatic weather station (AWS) units has been deployed to collect antarctic surface weather observations in support of specific meteorological research projects as well as operational activities at McMurdo Station. The 1995 network consisted of 48 installed AWS units providing observations on the Ross Ice Shelf, east of the Transantarctic Mountains and north of McMurdo to the Adélie Coast, along the Antarctic Peninsula and climatological locations such as the South Pole. Each unit measures air temperature, wind speed, and wind direction at a nominal height of 3 m and air pressure at the electronics enclosure. Some AWS units also measure the relative humidity at 3 m and vertical air temperature difference between 0.5 and 3 m. Measurement heights relative to the actual surface at the site are nominal due to snow accumulation around the AWS unit.

51-3666
Holocene key-marker tephra layers in Kamchatka, Russia.
Braitseva, O.A., Ponomareva, V.V., Sulerzhitskiĭ, L.D., Melekestsev, I.V., Bailey, J., *Quaternary research,* Mar. 1997, 47(2), p.125-139, 31 refs.
Quaternary deposits, Volcanic ash, Dispersions, Aerosols, Stratigraphy, Geochronology, Carbon isotopes, Radioactive age determination, Russia—Kamchatka Peninsula

51-3667
Tephrochronologic constraints on the Late Pleistocene history of the southern margin of the Cordilleran Ice Sheet, western Washington.
Begét, J.E., Keskinen, M.J., Severin, K.P., *Quaternary research,* Mar. 1997, 47(2), p.140-146, 19 refs.
Pleistocene, Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Volcanic ash, Lacustrine deposits, Geochronology, Stratigraphy, Geochemistry, Radioactive age determination, Correlation, United States—Washington

51-3668
Preservation and recognition of Middle and Early Pleistocene loess in the Driftless Area, Wisconsin.
Jacobs, P.M., Knox, J.C., Mason, J.A., *Quaternary research,* Mar. 1997, 47(2), p.147-154, 36 refs.
Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Stratigraphy, Loess, Sedimentation, Weathering, Wind erosion, Detection, Classifications, United States—Wisconsin—Driftless Area

51-3669
Tidal oscillations of the arctic upper mesosphere and lower thermosphere in winter.
Oznovich, I., McEwen, D.J., Sivjee, G.G., Walterscheid, R.L., *Journal of geophysical research,* Mar. 1, 1997, 102(A3), p.4,511-4,520, 34 refs.
Atmospheric physics, Wind (meteorology), Oscillations, Periodic variations, Solar radiation, Heating, Atmospheric electricity, Light (visible radiation), Photometry, Spectroscopy

51-3670
Low-level jet simulation over the southern ocean in Antarctica.
Buzzi, A., Cadelli, R., Malguzzi, P., *Tellus,* Mar. 1997, 49A(2), p.263-276, 28 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Wind (meteorology), Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric boundary layer, Topographic effects, Wind direction, Simulation
The authors have examined the dynamical characteristics of an intense topographic low level jet (LLJ) that develops in high-resolution numerical simulations of airflow in the antarctic region. The jet forms off Cape Adare (Victoria Land) over the southern ocean, when a large scale cyclone is present in the region of the Ross Sea and adjacent ocean. A low level easterly airflow is directed towards the portion of Transantarctic Mountains located along the west coast of the Ross Sea, inducing a barrier wind airflow which is locally parallel to the topographic barrier. By means of numerical experiments and model output diagnostics, they have investigated the time evolution of different meteorological parameters, and in particular those relevant for the vorticity budget, associated with the LLJ formation. (Auth. mod.)

51-3671
Satellite observation and climate system model simulation of the St. Lawrence Island polynya.
Lynch, A.H., Glueck, M.F., Chapman, W.L., Bailey, D.A., Walsh, J.E., *Tellus,* Mar. 1997, 49A(2), p.277-297, 53 refs.
Climatology, Sea ice distribution, Polynyas, Drift, Velocity, Friction, Ocean currents, Air ice water interaction, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Simulation, Models, Bering Sea

51-3672
Holocene lateral expansion, peat growth and carbon accumulation on Haukkasuo, a raised bog in southeastern Finland.
Mäkilä, M., *Boreas,* Mar. 1997, 26(1), p.1-14, 53 refs.
Subarctic landscapes, Wetlands, Soil formation, Paludification, Peat, Growth, Stratigraphy, Distribution, Landscape development, Sampling, Geochemical cycles, Climatic factors, Radioactive age determination, Finland

51-3673
Rapid climatic shifts of the northern Norwegian Sea during the last deglaciation and the Holocene.
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Atmospheric sea-salt aerosol concentrations are studied using both long-term observations and model simulations of Na^+ at seven stations around the globe, including Palmer Station. Good agreement is achieved between observations and model predictions in the Northern Hemisphere. A stronger seasonal variation occurs in the high-latitude North Atlantic than in regions close to the equator and in high-latitude Southern Hemisphere. Generally, concentrations are higher for both boreal and austral winters. With the model, the production flux and removal flux at the atmosphere-ocean interface was calculated and used to estimate the global sea-salt budget. The flux also shows seasonal variation similar to that of sea-salt concentration. Approximately 99% of the sea-salt aerosol mass generated by wind falls back to the sea with about 1-2% remaining in the atmosphere to be exported from the original grid square. Only a small portion of that exported (ca. 4%) is associated with submicron particles that are likely to undergo long-range transport. (Auth. mod.)

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The abundance of reactive chlorine in the lower stratosphere is observed to increase sharply with exposure to temperatures below about 195 K, a temperature which is near the nitric acid trihydrate (NAT) equilibrium condensation point. Measurements from the NASA ER-2 aircraft and a model of chemistry along back trajectories are used to examine the mechanism for this apparent temperature threshold in chlorine activation. The flight of July 28, 1994, from the Airborne Southern Hemisphere Ozone Experiment/Measurements for Assessing the Effects of Stratospheric Aircraft campaign in the Southern Hemisphere, surrounding Antarctica, is studied because it provides measurements in an ongoing activation episode. The measurements show enhanced ClO and decreased HCl at temperatures below 195 K even in the absence of significant polar stratospheric cloud particle surface area. The model of chemistry along back trajectories, constrained by the ER-2 chemical and microphysical measurements, indicates that an initial inorganic chlorine (Cl_y) partitioning of approximately half HCl and half $ClONO_2$ is consistent with the observations. At this initial Cl_y partitioning, the model using heterogeneous reactions on liquid sulfate and ternary solutions with the most recent sticking coefficient evaluations closely reproduces the latitude gradient and temperature threshold of chlorine activation observed in the data. (Auth. mod.)

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Measurements of nitric oxide (NO), nitrogen dioxide (NO_2, and total reactive nitrogen were made during austral fall, winter, and spring 1994 as part of the NASA Airborne Southern Hemisphere Ozone Experiment/Measurements for Assessing the Effects of Stratospheric Aircraft mission. Comparisons between measured NO_2 values and those calculated using a steady state (SS) approximation are presented for flights at mid- and high latitudes. The SS results agree with the measurements to within 8%, however, NO_2 values observed in the Concorde exhaust plume were significantly less than SS values. Model comparisons using a full diurnal, photochemical steady state model also show good agreement with the NO and NO_2 measurements, suggesting that the reactions affecting the partitioning of the NO_y reservoir are well understood in the lower stratosphere. (Auth. mod.)

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Stations, Electric power, Wind power generation, Wind velocity, Air temperature, Utilities, Cold weather performance

In the 1950s and 60s, the remote and inhospitable antarctic region saw the establishment of many scientific stations. These scientific stations require highly reliable continuous power to ensure both the continuity of scientific activities and a suitable level of comfort for the expeditioners. Engineers have always turned their minds to the use of renewable energy at the stations and, because of the high winds generally experienced, wind power was always felt to be the most promising solution. But the early expeditions encountered reliability problems with wind turbines and found that conventional generator sets and boilers were the only satisfactory, practical answer to the reliable provision of the energy required at the stations. Although continually improved, the present energy systems still rely on the same basic principles. In recent times, environmental and logistic concerns have provided an incentive for a move away from the reliance on imported fuels to using renewables. Preliminary studies conducted in the framework of a cooperative French-Australian Project have identified wind power as the most promising solution for immediate implementation at the two nations' stations. This paper outlines the wind characteristics at several stations, and after discussing the availability of suitable wind turbines, looks at the power generation potential of selected turbines at these stations.

51-3723

Potential for significant wind power generation at antarctic stations.

Guichard, A., Magill, P., Godon, P., Lyons, D., Brown, C., Sandy Bay, Tasmania, Latitude Technologies, 1996, 10p., With French summary. 14 refs. Paper presented at the 7th Symposium on Antarctic Logistics and Operations, Cambridge, England, Aug. 6-7, 1996.

Stations, Electric power, Wind power generation, Wind velocity, Air temperature, Utilities, Cold weather performance

The antarctic scientific stations are generally powered by conventional diesel boilers and generator sets which consume large amounts of fossil fuels. In addition to being difficult and expensive to ship, fuel can threaten the local environment. The potential for wind power generation is high, but few commercial wind turbines can resist the harsh local conditions. The 10 kW "UM70X/GEV7.10" turbine was identified as the most suitable unit currently available. Its production potential was assessed and used as a basis for analyzing several configurations of wind-diesel systems at the stations. At some stations where conditions have been found to be favorable, modest investments in wind turbines would make significant contributions to the overall station energy requirements, while larger, more ambitious systems could make the stations nearly independent of fossil fuels.

51-3724

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Concrete curing, Concrete strength, Low temperature tests

51-3725

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Aircraft icing, Ice loads, Chemical ice prevention, Ice forecasting, Weather forecasting, Safety, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis

51-3726

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice elasticity, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Ice relaxation, Mathematical models

51-3728

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Offshore structures, Artificial islands, Caissons, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Design criteria

51-3729
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Offshore landforms, Ice floes, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice pileup, Grounded ice, Drift, Canada—Northwest Territories—Kennedy Channel

51-3730
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Ships, Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice friction, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice breaking

51-3731
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Ships, Propellers, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Metal ice friction, Ice breaking, Ice navigation, Design criteria

51-3732
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51-3733
Environmental impact assessment—a natural part of maritime operations.
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Ships, Marine transportation, Offshore drilling, Dredging, Accidents, Oil spills, Water pollution, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Safety

51-3734
Some features of the formation of the ozonosphere over the Mirnyy observatory in 1989. [Nekotorye osobennosti formirovaniia ozonosfery nad observatoriei Mirnyĭ v 1989 g.]
Sakunov, G.G., Blium, E.M., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.5-10, In Russian. 3 refs.
Ozone, Stratosphere, Air temperature, Antarctica—Queen Mary Coast
Stratospheric ozone in the 20-50 km layer was measured by the Mirnyy observatory using balloon sondes and radiophysical methods. An analysis of the observational data is presented, showing the characteristics of the changes over time of some of the atmospheric components being studied. A close link was found between the variation in the amount of ozone and the air temperature at various layers, with a maximum amplitude of variation during the spring recovery of the thermobarometric field at a height of 15-30 km. The "ozone hole" can be said to have finally closed on 27th November. Data on the monthly total ozone content, the monthly characteristics of stratospheric ozone, the correlation coefficient between the amount of ozone and the temperature, and the average daily total ozone are presented in tables, and the vertical profiles of ozone and air temperature are presented in figures.

51-3735
Characteristics of the long period variation in the spectral amplitude of the 500 millibar level in the troposphere above the southern hemisphere, and the possibility of using it for monthly meteorological forecasting in Antarctica. [O kharaktere dolgoperiodnykh kolebaniĭ spektral'nykh amplitud geopotentsiala H_{500} v troposfere iuzhnogo polushariia i vozmozhnost' ikh ispol'zovaniia dlia meteorologicheskogo prognoza v Antarktike na mesiats]
Evseev, M.P., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.10-17, In Russian. 5 refs.
Meteorology, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric pressure, Weather forecasting, Long range forecasting, Atmospheric disturbances, Antarctica
The author presents data on a number of events arising from the 30-to-40-day variation in the spectral oscillation mode of the 500 millibar level, including the characteristic amplitude and dispersion from the general oscillation spectra (as a percentage variation) over the period 1981-1984. The results of a harmonic analysis of the daily most significant spectral mode of the 500 millibar level over the Southern Hemisphere for 1980-1981 are also given. A calculation of the amplitude and phase of the "significant" 30-to-45-day variation provides an indication of the predominant (cyclonic or anticyclonic) field and of the wind regime in various sectors of the Antarctic. The monthly calculation of such indicators in advance could be of great help in the planning and organization of long-term work in high latitudes.

51-3736
Transparency of the atmosphere over the Bunger Oasis. [Prozrachnost' atmosfery nad oazisom Bangera]
Sakunov, G.G., Blium, E.M., Savitskiĭ, G.B., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.17-21, In Russian. 10 refs.
Meteorology, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Transparence, Insolation, Wind direction, Air masses, Antarctica—Wilkes Land, Antarctica—Queen Mary Coast, Antarctica—Bunger Hills, Antarctica—Mirnyy Station
Measurements of the spectral aerosol optical density and the atmospheric moisture content were carried out over the Soviet station at Bunger Oasis between 9th February and 4th March 1990, in order to investigate the reason for the apparent transparency of the atmosphere in the immediate vicinity. Results indicated that the greater transparency is probably caused by a decrease in aerosols due to the difference in climatic conditions between the observatory at Mirnyy Station, which is frequently subjected to the advection of air masses from the ocean, and Bunger, where the prevailing air originates from the antarctic land mass, and which is also further from the coast. Comparative data on the integral coefficient of transparency are given for Bunger and Mirnyy stations, as are the average values for the optical aerosol thickness of the atmosphere, and the resulting decrease in solar radiation.

51-3737
Possibility of using satellite data on cloud conditions in the analysis of areas of atmospheric pressure in Antarctica. [Vozmozhnost' ispol'zovaniia sputnikovykh dannykh ob oblachnosti v analize poleĭ atmosfernogo davleniia v Antarktike]
Lutsenko, E.I., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.21-26, In Russian. 5 refs.
Meteorology, Marine meteorology, Spacecraft, Spaceborne photography, Atmospheric disturbances, Atmospheric pressure, Wind, Weather forecasting, Cloud cover, —South Pacific Ocean
Photomontages of satellite data on cloud conditions between 1970 and 1990 can be used to improve the analysis of pressure areas and winds in high southern latitudes. The various types of cyclonic cloud vortex are classified as either young, developed, occluded, or old cyclonic, and the pressure at the center of a cyclonic vortex can be predicted from its type and its dimensions. Trials have shown that winds in the ocean boundary layer can be predicted using satellite images of cloud cover, and the method is useful in calculating winds and pressure areas in the southern Pacific Ocean.

51-3738
Investigation of the energetics of active cyclones of the Southern Hemisphere using data from more frequent atmospheric soundings. [Issledovaniia energetiki aktivnykh tsiklonov iuzhnogo polushariia po materialam uchashchennogo zondirovaniia atmosfery]
Sobolev, S.N., Lutsenko, E.I., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.26-34, In Russian. 7 refs.
Meteorology, Marine meteorology, Weather forecasting, Atmospheric disturbances, Atmospheric pressure, Wind
In order to improve the accuracy of weather forecasting in Antarctica, data from a special series of atmospheric soundings taken during the southern ocean cruise of *Professor Vize* are used to investigate the development of cyclones. The authors present calculations of the kinetic, potential, and internal energy volumetric densities of the early stages of cyclones, and traces changes in the energy balance over a 48-hour period. The results are compared with similar studies in the Northern Hemisphere.

51-3739
Measurement of the spectral transparency of the night-time atmosphere. [Izmerenie spektral'noĭ prozrachnosti atmosfery v nochnoe vremia]
Sakunov, G.G., Alekseeva, G.A., Anikin, S.P., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.34-39, In Russian. 2 refs.
Atmospheric physics, Aerosols, Solar radiation, Antarctica—Queen Mary Coast
Radiation from known stars is useful in evaluating data on the optical properties of atmospheric aerosols. The author presents data from the Mirnyy observatory using the quasi-monochrome extra-atmospheric stream from several stars of different magnitudes. The spectral extinction coefficients for June 26, 1989, and the spectral motion of the extinction coefficient on June 21 when 5 values were obtained in the course of 5 hours, are also given. Values for the extinction coefficients in the spectral regions studied agree well with analogous parameters for sun photometry for the winter stratification of the atmosphere between Aug. and Oct. 1989.

51-3740
Main characteristics and typification of the processes of formation and growth of the Atlantic ice mass. [Osnovnye cherty i tipizatsiia protsessov formirovaniia i razvitiia Atlanticheskogo ledianogo massiva]
Kozlovskiĭ, A.M., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.39-44, In Russian.
Sea ice, Sea ice distribution, Polynyas, Ice breakup, Ice edge, Ice growth, Ocean currents, Ice formation, Antarctica—Weddell Sea, —South Atlantic Ocean
The author discusses various aspects of the ice regime of the Weddell Sea and South Atlantic Ocean. Multi-year ice along the east coast of the Antarctic Peninsula is classified as accumulated sea ice with a cohesion factor of 7 and above. Changes in the speed and extent of the breakup of the ice in spring and early summer are indicators of seasonal changes in the ice regime of the Weddell Sea. The thinning of the ice which occurs between September and November known as the Weddell Sea polynya is thought to be associated with warmer deep water currents which melt the ice from below. The formation of the polynya, the melting of sea ice in the marginal ice zone due to the effects of atmospheric and ocean circulation along the eastern edge of the Weddell Sea, and the hydrodynamic processes taking place in the region of the Maud rise, all require further long-term study.

51-3741
Phenomenological diagram of the quasi-biennial cycle of variation in the ice cover of the southern ocean. [Fenomenologicheskaia skhema kvazidvukhletneĭ tsiklichnosti kolebaniĭ ledovitosti iuzhnogo okeana]
Romanov, A.A., Korotkov, A.I., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.44-48, In Russian. 6 refs.
Sea ice distribution, Ice forecasting, Ice formation, Ice navigation, Ice conditions
The authors discuss the patterns of spatial and temporal variation and the interrelationships between oceanic and atmospheric processes which are fundamental to the mechanisms of evolution and decay in the sea ice zone of Antarctica. A diagram shows both direct and feedback relationships affecting ice cover in the southern ocean, including meridional atmospheric circulation, advection, thin ice zones and polynyas, and the main breakup areas. Inter-annual variation is seen as a universal mechanism affecting ice cover in both the Arctic and Antarctic, the main difference between the poles being the increased frequency with which the phenomenon occurs in the Antarctic within a varying biennial cycle. The diagram facilitates forecasting of ice conditions for navigation, the likely growth rate of stationary polynyas, and the time at which a new cycle of ice accumulation will commence.

51-3742

Formation and variability of Antarctic sea-ice as components of the polar climatic system. [Formirovanie i izmenchivost' morskikh Antarkticheskikh l'dov kak sostavnoĭ chasti poliarnoĭ klimaticheskoĭ sistemy]

Romanov, A.A., Korotkov, A.I., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.48-54, In Russian. 27 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice forecasting, Antarctica

The authors discuss recent progress in the understanding of the complex variables and feedback mechanisms affecting the sea ice regime in the southern ocean, which has resulted in a more holistic view replacing the traditional hierarchical approach to the subject. They suggest that statistical methods of ice forecasting could be used to supplement traditional methods which are heavily reliant on data which can be difficult to obtain.

51-3743

Principal results of ice observation on the WWGS-89 expedition on the NES *Akademik Fedorov*. [Osnovnye rezul'taty ledovykh nabliudeniĭ v ekspeditsii *WWGS*-89 na NES "Akademik Fedorov"]

Romanov, A.A., Korotkov, A.I., Churun, V.N., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.54-58, In Russian. 7 refs.

Sea ice, Ice salinity, Ice temperature, Ice cover thickness, Drift, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

The main results of an international expedition to investigate the winter conditions in the Weddell gyre in September and October are summarized. These include details of the thickness, temperature and salinity of the ice and snow cover. Figures show the advection of ice in the Weddell gyre and the changes in average daily values for air temperature, ice temperature, the temperature of the water immediately below the ice, and the salinity of the ice in an area selected for testing from Oct. 8-16, 1989.

51-3744

Problems of investigating sea level in Antarctica. [Problemy issledovaniia urovnia moria v Antarktike]

Kaliazin, V.E., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.58-61, In Russian. 4 refs.

Oceanography, Sea level, Antarctica

The author describes the problems associated with obtaining data on sea-level changes from the waters around Antarctica, and discusses current efforts to improve the collection of data necessary for the study of global climate change. The years for which data is available for various Soviet research stations, mainly in the 1960s, are listed.

51-3745

Experimental determination by remote radiometry of the density of snow cover on a runway for heavy aircraft with wheeled landing gear in the vicinity of the Molodezhnaya AMC (Antarctic Meteorological Centre). [Eksperimental'noe opredelenie plotnosti snezhnogo pokrytia VPP dlia tiazhelykh samoletov s kolesnym shassi AMTs Molodezhnaia distantsionnym radiometricheskim metodom]

Galkin, S.I., Tarabukin, I.A., Gun, S.E., Nazarov, V.D., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.61-68, In Russian. 5 refs.

Aircraft landing areas, Runways, Snow density, Snow temperature, Antarctica—Enderby Land, Antarctica—Molodezhnaya Station

The authors describe a method of measuring the density of snow cover on a runway, developed during the 1988-89 field season at a site in Enderby Land 12 km from the Soviet station at Molodezhnaya. Radiometric observations were carried out at temperatures from 0 to -30°C on all sections of the runway during its preparation and use. Details of radiothermal measurements, calculations and interpretation of the results are given.

51-3746

Review of experimental investigations on the construction of an artificial ice mooring in the region of Molodezhnaya AMC (Antarctic Meteorological Centre). [Obzor eksperimental'nykh issledovaniĭ po sozdaniiu iskusstvennogo ledianogo prichala v raĭone AMTs Molodezhnaia]

Potapenko, V.IU., Savatiugin, L.M., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.68-72, In Russian.

Ice wharves, Ice (construction material), Antarctica—Molodezhnaya Station

This review covers practical investigations carried out between 1984 and 1990. The main findings were as follows: fresh water produces ice of higher density and freezes faster than salt water; blocks of ready cut sea ice can be frozen into position with fresh water; ice should be frozen in layers, as at temperatures over -20°C other methods do not give sufficient density; surfaces above the waterline need thermo-friction protection, and the area around the mooring must be capable of carrying transport vehicles. By combining these methods, an ice mooring was successfully built for the *Akademik Fedorov* in 1990.

51-3747

Predicting the thermophysical condition of an ice mooring near the Molodezhnaya AMC (Antarctic Meteorological Centre). [Prognoz teplofizicheskogo sostoianiia ledianogo prichala v raĭone AMTs Molodezhnaia]

Potapenko, V.IU., Savatiugin, L.M., Chekhovskikh, A.L., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.72-79, In Russian. 2 refs.

Ice wharves, Ice (construction material), Ice refrigeration, Ice temperature, Antarctica—Molodezhnaya Station

The formula is given for calculating the temperature field of an ice mooring by means of a linear differential equalization of heat conductivity which can be used in predicting the temperature field during the critical warm months. The authors recommend the following measures to increase the life of ice moorings: Thermal insulation of the walls from the effects of sea water should be installed during first construction; the upper surfaces should be insulated at the end of winter by covering them with hydro-insulating film; and two rows of refrigerating columns should be inserted vertically along the walls of the ice mooring. Figures show the recommended position of refrigerating columns, and the temperature field of the walls of a thermally insulated ice mooring in summer.

51-3748

Theoretical possibility of remote radiometric determination of the density of snow cover. [Printsipial'nye vozmozhnosti distantsionnogo radiometricheskogo opredeleniia plotnosti snezhnykh pokrytiĭ]

Nazarov, V.D., Tarabukin, I.A., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.79-83, In Russian. 2 refs.

Snow density, Ice runways, Radiometry, Antarctica

The authors describe the method and calculations required for remote radiometric determination of the density of snow cover, in the context of assessing the condition of landing strips in Antarctica.

51-3749

Principal features of the Antarctic malacofauna (as exemplified by the probranchial gastropods and bivalve molluscs). [Osnovnye cherty Antarkticheskoĭ malakofauny (na primere perednizhabernykh briukhonogikh i dvustvorchatykh molliuskov)]

Egorova, E.N., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.83-87, In Russian.

Marine biology, Ecosystems, Biomass, Distribution, Classifications, Sampling, Antarctica

The author describes the basic characteristics of the malacological fauna of the inshore waters of Antarctica, including twelve new species, five new genera, and one new family. The generic composition of probranchial gastropods and bivalve molluscs is also described at the species level, with notes on size and vertical distribution down to 1,000 m. The role of molluscs in the food web and the use of their shells both as camouflage and substratum are also considered.

51-3750

New and little known species of Bryozoa (*Bryozoa: Cheilostomata*) from the Antarctic. [Novye i maloizvestnye vidy mshanok (*Bryozoa: Cheilostomata*) iz Antarktiki]

Gontar', V.I., *Rossiĭskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.88-92, In Russian. 4 refs.

Marine biology, Ecosystems, Classifications, Structural analysis, Antarctica

The author describes *Arachnopusia decipiens* Hayward and Thorpe, *Porella andrejasheve* Gontar n.sp., and *Microporella delta parasimilis* Morris. Diagrams and tables are used to compare the parameters of the arctic zooid *Microporella ciliata* (Pallas) with those of *Microporelladelta parasimilis* Morris from Antarctica.

51-3751

Periodic calving from the West Ice Shelf. [Ocherednoĭ otkol Zapadnogo shel'fovogo lednika]

Korotkov, A.I., Podmorin, V.G., Ponomarev, V.A., *Rossiiskaia Antarkticheskaia ekspeditsiia. Informatsionnyi biulleten'*, 1993, No.117, p.98, In Russian.

Icebergs, Calving, Ice shelves, Antarctica—West Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Wilhelm II Coast

The authors report briefly on the calving in 1991 of an iceberg over 4,000 kmT2 in area from the northwestern edge of the West Ice Shelf on Wilhelm II Coast, Antarctica.

51-3752

Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice.

International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 31-Nov. 4, 1994, Snowbird, 1994, 679p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see 51-3753 through 51-3811.

Meetings, Safety, Avalanche modeling, Explosion effects, Snow cover stability, Avalanche triggering, Avalanche forecasting, Avalanche mechanics, Snow physics, Simulation, Mechanical tests, Statistical analysis

51-3753

Effective medium approximations for snow thermal and AC electrical conductivities.

Arons, E.M., Colbeck, S.C., McGilvary, W.R., Petrenko, V.F., MP 4027, International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.1, Abstract only included.

Snow physics, Snow thermal properties, Snow electrical properties, Electrical resistivity, Thermal conductivity, Models, Microstructure

The goal of this research was to develop a physical model to explain how the thermal and AC electrical conductivities of snow are affected by fundamental geometric attributes of its microstructure. Existing models require geometric simplifications that are so dramatic that they are unable to be directly linked to observable characteristics of snow and thus can not be used as predictors or be validated experimentally. Furthermore, these geometric simplifications are too extreme to permit the modeling of changes in thermal conductivity that arise from snow metamorphism. This paper introduces an effective medium approximation from random resistance network theory and showed that it can be used to identify precisely the real geometric quantities that determine thermal and AC electrical conductivities and to model changes in conductivity that occur in nature. The authors developed an apparatus to measure the thermal and AC electrical conductivities of snow and used it to show that the effective medium approximation gives useful predictions of those conductivities. It is concluded that effective medium theory explains the relationship between snow microstructure and conductivity. It provides an essential link between observable characteristics of snow and the theoretical understanding of physical processes that occur in this material.

51-3754

Observations of sun crust formation.

Ozeki, T., Akitaya, E., Suzuki, K., International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.2-13, 6 refs.

Snow physics, Snow cover structure, Snow surface, Metamorphism (snow), Glaze, Solar radiation, Radiation absorption, Heat balance, Ice melting, Regelation, Snow air interface, Ice heat flux, Isotope analysis, Snow crust

51-3755

Monitoring a shear frame stability index and skier-triggered slab avalanches involving persistent snowpack weaknesses.

Jamieson, B., Johnston, C., International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.14-21, 8 refs.

Avalanche triggering, Avalanche forecasting, Snow cover stability, Skis, Ice solid interface, Penetration tests, Shear strength, Shear stress, Indexes (ratios), Avalanche forecasting, Safety

51-3756

Avalanche forecasting program based on a modified nearest neighbour method.

Kristensen, K., Larsson, C., International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.22-30, 7 refs.

Avalanche forecasting, Data processing, Computer programs, Meteorological factors, Weather forecasting, Statistical analysis, Correlation

51-3757

Determining the equivalent explosive effect for different explosives.

Johnson, J.B., MP 4028, International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.31-39, 7 refs.

Avalanche triggering, Explosives, Explosion effects, Mechanical properties, Detonation waves, Velocity

Explosives with different amounts of available chemical energy per unit mass (specific energy) have the same explosive effect when the total available chemical energy (detonation energy) for the explosives are equivalent. The effectiveness of a low detonation speed explosive will be similar to that of a high detonation speed explosive when their total detonation energies are the same. The perception that high detonation speed explosives are more effective than low detonation speed explosives at causing snow avalanche failure is a result of comparing explosives with equivalent mass rather that equivalent total energy and the fact that the Chapman-Jouguet pressure of an explosive is strongly dependent on detonation speed.

51-3758

Weather and snowpack conditions essential to slushflow release and downslope propagation.

Hestnes, E., Bakkehøi, S., Sandersen, F., Andresen, L., International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.40-57, 8 refs.

Avalanche mechanics, Snow slides, Snow hydrology, Snow cover stability, Meteorological factors, Slush, Wet snow, Snowmelt, Water supply, Ice water interface, Avalanche forecasting, Mathematical models

51-3759

Country-wide avalanche warning in Switzerland.

Meister, R., International Snow Science Workshop, Snowbird, UT, Oct. 1994. ISSW '94. Proceedings. Merging of theory and practice, 1994, p.58-71.

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Runways, Snow roads, Snow (construction material), Snow compaction, Snow manufacturing, Bearing strength, Snow density, Hardness, Microstructure, Mechanical tests, Compressive properties, Snow vehicles, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Field studies were required in order to identify the optimum snow processing technique that will produce a compact and bonded snow suitable for the construction of high strength snow roads and runways. Improving the strength of the snow runway at Amundsen-Scott Station would be required if the United States Antarctic Program considers wheeled aircraft as a possible delivery system. The types of conventional snow processing equipment that produces the highest snow strength were quantitatively verified using image analysis techniques and other on-site testing methods. Tests were performed in West Yellowstone, MT where the snow properties and winter ambient temperatures are as analogous as possible to those at Amundsen-Scott during the austral summer and in other arctic and antarctic regions. The processed snow was tested for hardness (strength) using a soil penetrometer, and strength values were correlated to bond density. The temperature distributions in the processed snow were monitored using a thermocouple stack and CR10 datalogger and are correlated to strength increases or decreases. Test results indicate that a powered tiller with a relatively dense tooth population provided the highest strength snow. (Auth. mod.)

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51-3776

Application of classification and regression trees: selection of avalanche activity indices at Mammoth Mountain.

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This report emphasizes the importance of the parameters describing the degree of avalanche activity. Classification and regression trees were trained on weather, snow plot and avalanche occurrence observations from the Sierra Nevada, CA, a maritime influenced region. Avalanche activity was characterized by the total number of releases, the sum of the sizes and the maximum size class. The number of cases for the data set was 482. The accuracy of overall classification depended on which activity parameter was selected, while the ranking of the critical input variables remained identical. The probability of correct classification was the highest for the maximum size class, followed by the sum of the sizes, and the total number of releases.

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Model for avalanches in three spatial dimensions: comparison of theory to experiments.

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Snow physics, Fluid flow, Avalanche mechanics, Avalanche modeling, Avalanche tracks, Mass flow, Rheology, Ice friction, Phase transformations, Theories, Mathematical models

A three-dimensional theory is derived to describe the temporal behavior of gravity currents of cohesionless granular media, in an attempt to model the motion of dense, flow-type snow avalanches, ice and rock slides. A Mohr-Coulomb yield criterion is assumed to describe the constitutive behavior of the material, and the basal bed friction is described similarly by a Coulomb type of friction. Data from laboratory simulations are compared to a series of numerical studies based on the aforementioned theory. Two different numerical models are developed, tested and compared to experimental values. The results indicate that the model can account for flow transitions by inclusion of the drag term when the initial inclination angle is large enough to affect boundary drag. Furthermore, the temporal and spatial evolution of the granulate and final runout position can be predicted to values well within the experimental error.

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Petroleum industry, Drilling, Permafrost bases, Oil wells, History, Cold weather performance, Military operation, United States—Alaska

51-3825

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Watersheds, Mountains, Snowfall, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Hydrography, Runoff, Snow water equivalent, Climatic changes, Atmospheric circulation, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Statistical analysis, Canada—British Columbia—Coastal Mountains

51-3826

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Shores, Ports, Offshore structures, Protection, Floating ice, Drift, Sands, Littoral zone, Sediment transport, Correlation

51-3827

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Jin, G.L., Lynch, J.F., Chiu, C.S., Miller, J.H., *Acoustical Society of America. Journal,* July 1996, 100(1), p.193-205, 12 refs.

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51-3828

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Ice solid interface, Offshore structures, Icebergs, Mechanical properties, Offshore structures, Impact strength, Orientation, Ice loads, Attenuation, Friction, Mathematical models, Design criteria

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Ice physics, Hoarfrost, Ice solid interface, Wind tunnels, Ice accretion, Ice loads, Antennas, Cables (ropes), Latticed structures, Experimentation, Models, Simulation

51-3830

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River ice, Ice mechanics, Ice breakup, Cracking (fracturing), Forecasting, Ice jams, Ice water interface, Runoff, Classifications, Boundary value problems

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51-3832

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Aircraft icing, Ground ice, Precipitation (meteorology), Rain, Supercooling, Ice accretion, Antifreezes, Drainage, Diffusion, Ice removal, Ice solid interface, Mathematical models

51-3833

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Sea ice, Salt ice, Ice strength, Tensile properties, Mechanical tests, Ice loads, Strains, Stress concentration, Measuring instruments, Design, Modification, Laboratory techniques, Performance

51-3834

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51-3835

Overview of the SABER experiment for the TIMED mission.

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Atmospheric composition, Meteorological instruments, Ozone, Data processing

The Sounding of the Atmosphere Using Broadband Emission Radiometry (SABER) experiment has been selected for flight on the Thermosphere-Ionosphere-Mesosphere Energetics and Dynamics (TIMED) mission expected to fly in the latter part of this decade. The primary science goal of SABER is to achieve fundamental and important advances in understanding of the energetics, chemistry, and dynamics, in the atmospheric region extending from 60 km to 180 km altitude, which has not been comprehensively observed on a global basis. These measurements will be used to infer atomic hydrogen and atomic oxygen, the latter inferred three different ways using only SABER observations. Measurements will be made both night and day over the latitude range from the southern to northern polar regions. (Auth. mod.)

51-3836

High resolution Interferometer Sounder - An accurate method for profile retrieval without the use of contemporary "first guess" data.

Smith, W.L., Huang, H.L., Ma, X.L., Woolf, H.M., Revercomb, H.E., *Technical digest series,* 1995, Vol.2, Optical Remote Sensing of the Atmosphere. Topical Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, Feb. 5-9, 1995. Postconference edition, p.38/MD1-1-MD1-3/40.

DLC QC871.O67 1995

Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Air temperature, Simulation, Clouds (meteorology), Meteorological instruments, Infrared radiation

The High resolution Interferometer Sounder (HIS), is a Michelson interferometer which observes the spectrum of infrared radiation with a spectral resolution better than 2000/l. During 1994, the HIS flew aboard the NASA ER-2 during a series of flights between Christchurch, New Zealand and the antarctic ice shelf as part of the Airborne Southern Hemisphere Ozone Experiment (ASHOE). The intent of the HIS was to retrieve atmospheric profiles of temperature, water vapor, and ozone beneath the aircraft (20 Km) flight level. Because of the extensive cloudiness over the southern oceans, a method had to be able to provide accurate retrievals above clouds, regardless of their altitude or their opacity. This paper describes the

method developed for this application and provides results from the spectral radiance data obtained during the ASHOE to demonstrate their accuracy.

51-3837

Observations of polar ice using enhanced resolution microwave scatterometer data.

Long, D.G., *Technical digest series,* 1995, Vol.2, Optical Remote Sensing of the Atmosphere. Topical Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, Feb. 5-9, 1995. Post-conference edition, p.52/TuA1-1-TuA1-4/55, 5 refs.

DLC QC871.O67 1995

Imaging, Ice sheets, Image processing, Spaceborne photography, Radar, Simulation, Remote sensing, Seasonal variations, Sea ice distribution

Increasing interest in the role of ice sheets in regulating global climate has created a need for synoptic interannual recording and monitoring of the earth's major ice sheets. Based on their ability to "see" into ice, microwave remote sensing instruments are well-suited for monitoring the polar regions. In this paper an algorithm is applied to create enhanced resolution images from Seasat and ERS-1 scatterometer data over. Time series of medium-scale radar images for Greenland and Antarctica and the surrounding seas are presented. The growth and shrinkage of the southern polar sea-ice throughout a full annual cycle is illustrated with the seasonal cycle of patterns on the Antarctic and Greenland Ice Sheets clearly evident. Using the time series and simple scattering models, the locations of key ice facies in Greenland are determined.

51-3838

Estimation of polar stratospheric cloud infrared extinction climatology using visible satellite observations.

Pitts, M.C., Thomason, L.W., *Technical digest series,* 1995, Vol.2, Optical Remote Sensing of the Atmosphere. Topical Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT, Feb. 5-9, 1995. Postconference edition, p.108/TuC9-1-TuC9-3/110, 4 refs.

DLC QC871.O67 1995

Polar stratospheric clouds, Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Infrared radiation, Aerosols, Simulation, Meteorological instruments

Polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs) provide surfaces for heterogeneous processes which can dramatically alter the normal partitioning of odd nitrogen and chlorine families in the winter polar stratospheres setting up conditions for significant ozone depletion as manifested in the springtime antarctic ozone hole. A new remote sensor, the Improved Limb Atmospheric Spectrometer (ILAS), is scheduled to be launched in 1996 on the Advanced Earth Observing Satellite (ADEOS) in a Sun-synchronous orbit. ILAS will be using solar occultation to observe the composition of the high-latitude upper troposphere and stratosphere in the infrared region and the near-visible region. Observations from the ILAS sensor may provide additional information on the climatology of PSC occurrence as well as information on PSC composition and type. In this study, the authors have estimated the optical signals of PSCs in the infrared and discuss the possibility of identifying PSC occurrences using the ILAS data, as well as the effect of PSCs on the ILAS retrieval of gaseous species.

51-3839

Stratospheric effects of Mount Pinatubo aerosol studies with a coupled two-dimensional model.

Rosenfield, J.E., Considine, D.B., Meade, P.E., Bacmeister, J.T., Jackman, C.H., Schoeberl, M.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Feb. 20, 1997, 102(D3), p.3649-3670, Refs. p.3668-3670.

Climatology, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Ozone, Degradation, Atmospheric circulation, Global change, Heterogeneous nucleation, Aerosols, Volcanic ash, Photochemical reactions, Models

A new interactive radiative-dynamical-chemical zonally averaged two-dimensional model has been developed at Goddard Space Flight Center. The model includes a linear planetary wave parameterization featuring wave-mean flow interaction and the direct calculation of eddy mixing from planetary wave dissipation. It utilizes family gas phase chemistry approximations and includes heterogeneous chemistry on the surfaces of both stratospheric sulfate aerosols and polar stratospheric clouds in both polar regions. This model has been used to study the effects of the sulfate aerosol cloud formed by the eruption of Mount Pinatubo in June 1991 on stratospheric temperatures, dynamics, and chemistry. The net predicted perturbations to the column ozone amount were low-latitude depletions of 2-3% and northern and southern high-latitude depletions of 10-12%, in good agreement with observations. The sensitivity of the predicted perturbations to changes in the specification of the planetary wave forcings was examined. The maximum globally averaged column ozone depletions ranged from 2 to 4% for the cases studied. (Auth. mod.)

51-3840

Application of impedance spectroscopy for selecting frost hardy varieties of English ryegrass.

Repo, T., Pulli, S., *Annals of botany,* Nov. 1996, 78(5), p.605-609, 17 refs.

Plant ecology, Grasses, Plant physiology, Frost resistance, Cold tolerance, Acclimatization, Cold weather tests, Plant tissues, Damage, Spectroscopy, Electrical measurement, Temperature effects

51-3841

Age model estimation in paleoclimatic research: fuzzy regression and radiocarbon uncertainties.

Boreux, J.J., Pesti, G., Duckstein, L., Nicolas, J., *Palaeogeography, palaeoclimatology, palaeoecology,* Feb. 1997, 128(1-4), p.29-37, 20 refs.

Geochronology, Paleoclimatology, Radioactive age determination, Accuracy, Sedimentation, Layers, Statistical analysis, Classifications

51-3842

New quantitative palaeoclimate data for the Late Cretaceous Arctic: evidence for a warm polar ocean.

Herman, A.B., Spicer, R.A., *Palaeogeography, palaeoclimatology, palaeoecology,* Feb. 1997, 128(1-4), p.227-251, Refs. p.249-251.

Paleoclimatology, Paleoecology, Paleobotany, Vegetation patterns, Classifications, Stratigraphy, Climatic changes, Oceans, Water temperature, Surface temperature, Statistical analysis, Arctic Ocean

51-3843

Musts of successful cold-weather concreting.

Imse, D., Krueger, J., Moss, N.R., *Concrete construction,* Jan. 1997, 42(1), p.11-17, 2 refs.

Winter concreting, Reinforced concretes, Concrete admixtures, Cold weather performance, Concrete placing, Concrete curing, Concrete strength, Temperature control, Compressive properties, Frost resistance, Protection

51-3844

Moon rivers.

Zimmerman, R., *Sciences,* Mar.-Apr. 1997, 37(2), p.11.

Satellites (natural), Spaceborne photography, Geologic structures, Extraterrestrial ice, Ground ice, Regolith, Tectonics, Subsurface structures, Oceans

51-3845

Predicted age-depth scales for Siple Dome and inland WAIS ice cores in west Antarctica.

Nereson, N.A., Waddington, E.D., Raymond, C.F., Jacobson, H.P., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3163-3166, 22 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice dating, Glacier flow, Glacier thickness, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Siple Coast, Antarctica—West Antarctica

Geophysical data are used with ice flow models and generalized accumulation histories to estimate age and annual layer thickness versus depth for two anticipated ice core sites in West Antarctica: Siple Dome and an inland site on the West Antarctic Ice Sheet. This modeling experiment predicts that 10^4 year-old ice is at ca. 50% depth and 10^5 year-old ice is at ca. 90% depth at both sites. Both of these cores could contain climate information through the last glacial cycle with annual resolution through the Holocene. The predicted similarity in resolution and record length between the two cores suggests that they could be compared to obtain both spatial and temporal information about the paleoclimate and history of the West Antarctic ice sheet. (Auth. mod.)

51-3846

Volcanic ash from Icelandic ~57,300 yr BP eruption found in GISP2 (Greenland).

Ram, M., Donarummo, J., Jr., Sheridan, M., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3167-3169, 7 refs.

Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Aerosols, Volcanic ash, Aggregates, Particle size distribution, Chemical analysis, Ice dating, Correlation, Origin, Greenland, Iceland

51-3847

Climate forcing by stratospheric ozone depletion calculated from observed temperature trends.

Zhong, W.Y., Toumi, R., Haigh, J.D., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3183-3186, 25 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Radiation balance, Atmospheric composition, Degradation, Ozone, Air temperature, Profiles, Temperature variations

The radiative forcing of the surface-troposphere system caused by stratospheric ozone depletion in the 1980s is calculated using observed values of change in ozone and temperature. The seasonal variation of the ozone and temperature trends produces strong seasonal and latitudinal variations in radiative forcing. The balance between peak positive solar forcing and maximum negative longwave forcing shifts the peak negative forcing at the South Pole from Nov. to Oct. The time difference between peak ozone loss and maximum temperature decrease results in net positive values in Southern Hemisphere mid-latitudes in Aug. and Sep. Positive values also occur at low latitudes in both hemispheres. The globally and annually averaged net radiative forcing is much less than that previously reported using fixed dynamical heating model temperature changes. Ozone radiative forcing is very sensitive to the vertical profile of temperature change. (Auth. mod.)

51-3848

Possible role of atmosphere-biosphere interactions in triggering the last glaciation.

de Noblet, N.I., Prentice, I.C., Joussaume, S., Texier, D., Botta, A., Haxeltine, A., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3191-3194, 36 refs.

Glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Paleoclimatology, Paleoecology, Global change, Vegetation patterns, Migration, Snow line, Snow depth, Simulation, Snow cover effect

51-3849

Polar vortex conditions during the 1995-96 arctic winter: meteorology and MLS ozone.

Manney, G.L., Santee, M.L., Froidevaux, L., Waters, J.W., Zurek, R.W., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3203-3206, 12 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Remote sensing, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Heterogeneous nucleation, Degradation, Ozone, Polar stratospheric clouds, Air temperature, Seasonal variations, Temperature effects

51-3850

Polar vortex conditions during the 1995-96 arctic winter: MLS ClO and HNO_3.

Santee, M.L., Manney, G.L., Read, W.G., Froidevaux, L., Waters, J.W., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 1, 1996, 23(22), p.3207-3210, 13 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Detection, Cloud physics, Aerosols, Condensation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ozone, Remote sensing, Seasonal variations

51-3851

On the possibility of complicated dynamic behavior of atmospheric photochemical systems: instability of the antarctic photochemistry during the ozone hole formation.

Feigin, A.M., Konovalov, I.B., *Journal of geophysical research,* Nov. 20, 1996, 101(D20), p.26,023-26,038, 52 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud physics, Degradation, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ozone, Heterogeneous nucleation, Photochemical reactions, Periodic variations, Oscillations, Forecasting, Mathematical models, Simulation

The authors suggest a new approach to studying atmospheric photochemical processes by analyzing an atmospheric photochemical system as a dynamic system possessing many degrees of freedom and demonstrate a good agreement between the antarctic photochemical system (APCS) behavior described by a three-order set of ordinary differential equations and ozone variations taking place during ozone hole phenomenon. The dynamic properties of this set under the parameter values corresponding to the antarctic stratosphere conditions during the last decade show that APCS may become unstable as a result of the loss of equilibrium state stability and/or as a result of the self-oscillations appearance. Some arguments are presented in favor of close connection between the APCS instability and anomalous deep depletion of antarctic ozone concentration in spring observed since the mid-1980s. (Auth. mod.)

51-3852
Temporal and spatial variations of hydrometeor orientations in thunderstorms.
Metcalf, J.I., *Journal of applied meteorology,* Apr. 1997, 36(4), p.315-321, 7 refs.
Precipitation (meteorology), Thunderstorms, Cloud physics, Cloud electrification, Electric fields, Ice dielectrics, Ice crystals, Orientation, Radar echoes, Polarization (waves)

51-3853
Identification of hydrometeors with elliptical and linear polarization K_a-band radar.
Reinking, R.F., Matrosov, S.Y., Bruintjes, R.T., Martner, B.E., *Journal of applied meteorology,* Apr. 1997, 36(4), p.322-339, 19 refs.
Precipitation (meteorology), Climatology, Cloud physics, Radar echoes, Ice crystal size, Snow crystal structure, Snow pellets, Dendritic ice, Ice crystal optics, Backscattering, Polarization (waves), Detection, Classifications

51-3854
Ozone and aerosol observed by lidar in the Canadian Arctic during the winter of 1995/96.
Donovan, D.P., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 15, 1996, 23(23), p.3317-3320, 12 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Atmospheric circulation, Aerosols, Ozone, Turbulent diffusion, Degradation, Profiles, Seasonal variations, Lidar, Canada—Northwest Territories—Eureka

51-3855
OClO, NO_2 and O_3 total column observations over Iceland during the winter 1993/94.
Gil, M., Puentedura, O., Yela, M., Parrondo, C., Jadhav, D.B., Thorkelsson, B., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 15, 1996, 23(23), p.3337-3340, 25 refs.
Climatology, Subpolar regions, Atmospheric composition, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Ozone, Spectroscopy, Photometry, Spectra, Radiation absorption, Iceland

51-3856
^{14}C "bomb spike" determines the age spread and age of CO_2 in Law Dome firn and ice.
Levchenko, V.A., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 15, 1996, 23(23), p.3345-3348, 24 refs.
Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Gases, Carbon dioxide, Fallout, Radioactive isotopes, Ice sheets, Firn, Ice cores, Ice dating, Bubbles, Radioactive age determination, Geochemical cycles, Antarctica—Law Dome
The authors report a precise, model-independent determination of the age and age spread of CO_2 in air trapped in ice. A large pulse of atmospheric radiocarbon, generated in the atmosphere by nuclear tests, peaked in the early-to-mid 1960s. The profile of the radiocarbon "bomb spike" in firn air and ice bubbles from high snow-accumulation sites drilled in 1987 and 1993 in Law Dome, East Antarctica, is measured by employing high precision AMS (Accelerator Mass Spectrometry). Large ^{14}C atmospheric growth rates and a high signal-to-noise ratio lead to a direct and precise determination of the CO_2 age and age-spread in the ice. A least-squares comparison with the atmospheric history gives a mean CO_2 age of 8.9±0.5 years at the bottom of the firn with an age spread in the ice of 12.5±1.5 years. These results confirm the possibility of examining decadal trace gas variations prior to direct instrumental measurements. (Auth. mod.)

51-3857
Global warming in a coupled climate model including oceanic eddy-induced advection.
Hirst, A.C., Gordon, H.B., O'Farrell, S.P., *Geophysical research letters,* Nov. 15, 1996, 23(23), p.3361-3364, 13 refs.
Climatology, Surface temperature, Global warming, Heat flux, Ocean currents, Advection, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Models
The Gent and McWilliams (GM) parameterization for large-scale water transport caused by mesoscale oceanic eddies is introduced into the oceanic component of a global coupled ocean-atmosphere model. Parallel simulations with and without the GM scheme are performed to examine the effect of this parameterization on model behavior under constant atmospheric CO_2 and on the model response to increasing CO_2. The transient (increasing CO_2) runs show moderate differences in the rate of oceanic heat sequestration (less in the GM case), as expected based on passive tracer uptake studies. However, the surface warming is weaker in the GM case, especially over the southern ocean, which is contrary to some recent supposition. Reasons for the reduced warming in the GM case are discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-3858
Shear-wave velocity structure of the crust and upper mantle beneath the Kola peninsula.
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Subpolar regions, Earth crust, Geological surveys, Tectonics, Magma, Geologic structures, Seismic surveys, Seismic velocity, Wave propagation, Russia—Kola Peninsula

51-3859
***T*-matrix computations of zenith-enhanced lidar from horizontally oriented ice plates.**
Mishchenko, M.I., Wielaard, D.J., Carlson, B.E., *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 1, 1997, 24(7), p.771-774, 16 refs.
Cloud physics, Optical properties, Ice crystal optics, Light scattering, Backscattering, Lidar, Ice crystal structure, Orientation, Particle size distribution, Statistical analysis, Simulation, Infrared radiation

51-3860
Dehydration and sedimentation of ice particles in the arctic stratospheric vortex.
Vömel, H., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 1, 1997, 24(7), p.795-798, 18 refs.
Climatology, Cloud physics, Degradation, Ozone, Polar stratospheric clouds, Radio echo soundings, Freezing points, Water vapor, Desiccation, Backscattering, Sedimentation, Environmental tests

51-3861
Evidence of substantial ozone depletion in winter 1995/96 over northern Norway.
Hansen, G., Svenøe, T., Chipperfield, M.P., Dahlback, A., Hoppe, U.P., *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 1, 1997, 24(7), p.799-802, 16 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Ozone, Profiles, Degradation, Atmospheric composition, Lidar, Photometry, Turbulent diffusion, Models, Seasonal variations, Norway

51-3862
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Forster, R.R., Isacks, B.L., Das, S.B., *Journal of geophysical research,* Oct. 25, 1996, 101(E10), p.23,169-23,180, 36 refs.
Remote sensing, Glacier surveys, Spaceborne photography, Glacial hydrology, Synthetic aperture radar, Glacier surfaces, Classifications, Glacier oscillation, Wet snow, Snow cover structure, Mapping, Seasonal variations, Chile—South Patagonian Ice field

51-3863
Streamflow measurement using salt dilution in tundra streams, Northwest Territories, Canada.
Spence, C., McPhie, M., *American Water Resources Association. Journal,* Apr. 1997, 33(2), p.285-291, 7 refs.
Watersheds, Tundra terrain, Stream flow, Hydrography, Salting, Solubility, Chemical composition, Velocity measurement, Correlation, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-3865
Hot mantle transition zone beneath Iceland and the adjacent Mid-Atlantic Ridge inferred from P-to-S conversion at the 410- and 660-km discontinuities.
Shen, Y., Solomon, S.C., Bjarnason, I.T., Purdy, G.M., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3527-3530, 20 refs.
Subpolar regions, Tectonics, Geological surveys, Seismic surveys, Seismic velocity, Structural analysis, Phase transformations, Geochemistry, Thermal analysis, Iceland

51-3866
Large-scale sedimentation on the glacier-influenced polar North Atlantic margins: long-range side-scan sonar evidence.
Dowdeswell, J.A., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3535-3538, 21 refs.
Oceanographic surveys, Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Sedimentation, Ice shelves, Glacier flow, Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Marine deposits, Stratigraphy, Imaging, Acoustic measurement, Models, Atlantic Ocean

51-3867
Heat flow highs on the Norwegian-Barents-Svalbard continental slope: deep crustal fractures, dewatering, or "memory in the mud"?
Vogt, P.R., Sundvor, E., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3571-3574, 18 refs.
Marine geology, Underwater geothermal measurement, Subpolar regions, Heat flux, Earth crust, Thermal analysis, Ocean bottom, Temperature gradients, Water erosion, Atlantic Ocean, Norway—Svalbard

51-3868
Prediction of iceberg trajectories for the North Atlantic and Arctic Oceans.
Bigg, G.R., Wadley, M.R., Stevens, D.P., Johnson, J.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3587-3590, 23 refs.
Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Icebergs, Drift, Distribution, Glacial hydrology, Glacier mass balance, Calving, Air ice water interaction, Advection, Mathematical models, Forecasting, Arctic Ocean, Atlantic Ocean

51-3869
Influence of Okhotsk sea-ice extent on atmospheric circulation.
Honda, M., Yamazaki, K., Tachibana, Y., Takeuchi, K., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3595-3598, 16 refs.
Oceanography, Atmospheric boundary layer, Sea ice distribution, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Wave propagation, Young ice, Advection, Heat flux, Thermodynamics, Mathematical models, Japan—Hokkaido, Okhotsk Sea

51-3870
Mechanism of incorporation of trace gases in ice grown from the gas phase.
Dominé, F., Thibert, E., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3627-3630, 23 refs.
Ice physics, Cloud physics, Ice cores, Ice composition, Snow composition, Gases, Solubility, Turbulent diffusion, Ice vapor interface, Snow air interface, Vapor transfer, Microanalysis

51-3871
Evidence for continuing current in sprite-producing cloud-to-ground lightning.
Reising, S.C., Inan, U.S., Bell, T.F., Lyons, W.A., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3639-3642, 14 refs.
Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric electricity, Cloud electrification, Light (visible radiation), Ionization, Lightning, Radio waves, Low frequencies, Antarctica—Palmer Station
Radio atmospherics, launched by sprite-producing positive cloud-to-ground lightning flashes and observed at Palmer Station, exhibit large extra low-frequency (ELF) slow tails following the initial very low-frequency (VLF) portion, indicating the presence of continuing currents in the source lightning flashes. One-to-one correlation of sferics with NLDN lightning data in both time and arrival azimuth allows unambiguous identification of lightning flashes originating in the storm of interest. Slow-tail measurements at Palmer can potentially be used to measure continuing currents in lightning flashes over nearly half of the Earth's surface. (Auth. mod.)

51-3872
Very high frequency tides observed in the airglow over Eureka (80°).
Walterscheid, R.L., Sivjee, G.G., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3651-3654, 23 refs.
Atmospheric physics, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric electricity, Electric fields, Light (visible radiation), Solar radiation, Wave propagation, Oscillations, Spectra, Canada—Northwest Territories—Eureka

51-3873

Lidar observations of a large high-altitude sporadic Na layer during active aurora.

Collins, R.L., Hallinan, T.J., Smith, R.W., Hernandez, G., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 1, 1996, 23(24), p.3655-3658, 24 refs.

Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric composition, Subpolar regions, Atmospheric electricity, Lidar, Geomagnetism, Layers, Metals, Spectroscopy, United States—Alaska—Poker Flat

51-3874

Beryllium-10 in the Taylor Dome ice core: applications to antarctic glaciology and paleoclimatology.

Steig, E.J., Seattle, University of Washington, 1996, 167p., University Microfilms no. 96-30116, Ph.D. thesis. Refs. p.150-167.

Ice cores, Ice sheets, Paleoclimatology, Ice composition, Ice models, Glacier flow, Ice dating, Atmospheric composition, Snow accumulation, Geochemistry, Antarctica—Taylor Dome

A continuous profile of beryllium-10 obtained for a 554-m ice core is used to establish an accumulation-rate history at Taylor Dome, taking into account remaining uncertainties in production rates, deposition mechanisms, and atmospheric mixing processes. A preliminary interpretation of the accumulation-rate record indicates that climate conditions at Taylor Dome are strongly influenced by conditions in the Ross Sea, particularly the configuration of the Ross Ice Shelf. These results show that the Taylor Dome core can be used to provide new constraints on regional climate over the last 130,000 years, complementing the terrestrial and marine geologic record from the Dry Valleys, Transantarctic Mountains and western Ross Sea. (Auth. mod.)

51-3875

Investigation of dynamic sea ice processes in the Weddell Sea during 1992.

Geiger, C.A., MP 4032, Hanover, Dartmouth College, 1996, 378p., University Microfilms order No. 96-39440, Ph.D. thesis. This thesis was partially funded by CRREL (No. 5-36686.140). Refs. p.369-378.

Sea ice distribution, Ice deformation, Ice models, Rheology, Ice water interface, Air water interactions, Oceanographic surveys, Meteorological data, Mathematical models, Data processing, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

Through a series of case studies, signal processing and statistical tools, analyses of dynamic sea ice processes of drift, deformation, and ice pack expansion and decay are investigated for the Weddell Sea region during 1992. Cavitating fluid (CAV) and viscous-plastic (VP) models are the most widely used ice models in sea ice, ocean and climate communities. Examination of these and observations are presented in order to identify the external (air/ocean) and internal (ice) forces that affect specific processes. Inconsistencies between processes in models and observations are isolated and examined with suggestions given for the next generation of ice models. Key findings are as follows: Observationally, from ISW 1992, ice velocity in western Weddell is found to be driven by low frequency forcing (>one day), while subdaily frequencies drive ice deformation. Mechanistic studies increase understanding in simulated ice performance under idealized conditions. In the models, annual expansion during winter months is dominated by air temperature at the ice edge and storms in the interior where sensible/latent heat fluxes are large, especially in leads. Suggestions for next generation models include a reformulation of the boundary layer and incorporation of high frequency tidal forcing. (Auth. mod.)

51-3876

Seasonal variation of bacteria in sea ice contaminated by diesel fuel and dispersed crude oil.

Delille, D., Bassères, A., Dessommes, A., *Microbial ecology,* Mar.-Apr. 1997, 33(2), p.97-105, 64 refs.

Bacteria, Biomass, Sea ice, Impurities, Hydrocarbons, Seasonal variations, Oil spills, Antarctica—Adélie Coast

The long-term effects of diesel fuel and "Arabian light" crude oil contamination on microbial communities was investigated in landfast ice located in the Adélie Coast area. After oil addition, the changes in bacterial communities were studied in situ during a 9-month period in winter 1993. Weekly sampling in sea ice allowed a regular survey of total, saprophytic, and hydrocarbon utilizing bacteria. A clear seasonality was observed. In uncontaminated samples, maximal values of bacterial biomass occurred during ice formation and just before summer thaw. Minimal bacterial abundance was observed during winter. All the results (bacterial abundance, colony-forming units, and most probable number counts of hydrocarbon-utilizing bacteria) clearly revealed a significant response of antarctic bacterial communities to hydrocarbon contamination. Three orders of magnitude increases of bacterial counts occurred in sea ice after both diesel fuel and crude oil contamination. (Auth. mod.)

51-3877

Factors affecting bacterial productivity in soils on isolated inland nunataks in continental Antarctica.

Harris, J.M., Tibbles, B.J., *Microbial ecology,* Mar.-Apr. 1997, 33(2), p.106-123, 74 refs.

Cryobiology, Cryogenic soils, Bacteria, Geochemistry, Nunataks, Microbiology, Biomass, Soil microbiology, Antarctica—Queen Maud Land

Heterotrophic bacterial production rates in soils on inland nunataks in western Queen Maud Land were investigated by field and laboratory experiments. Bacterial densities and productivities, and nutrient and physical parameters of soils from 4 different habitats were compared: soil from beneath moss beds, soil from the nests of the snow petrel *(Pagodroma nivea),* exposed unvegetated soil (polygon soil) 5 m away from nests, and exposed polygon soil on nunataks without the nests of breeding birds. Organic content, and nitrogen and carbon concentrations were significantly higher in soils from nests of the snow petrel than in all other soil types. Moisture levels in soils from nest entrances and beneath mosses were much higher than in soils from unvegetated exposed polygons. Polygon soils from nunataks without breeding birds exhibited the lowest nutrient content. Soils in nests and moss beds represent bacterial "hotspots" in an extensive matrix of exposed polygon soils, supporting denser bacterial populations and enhanced bacterial productivity. (Auth. mod.)

51-3878

Ice tank tests on rafting of a broken ice field.

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Sea ice distribution, Ice mechanics, Ice formation, Ice rafting, Ice loads, Ice pileup, Profiles, Ice solid interface, Ice friction, Mechanical tests, Pressure ridges, Velocity measurement, Simulation

51-3879

Arctic '96: Polarstern Ice Station report.

Lensu, M., et al, *Helsinki University of Technology. Ship Laboratory. Report,* 1996, M-214, 91p.

Oceanographic surveys, Drift stations, Ice floes, Ice surveys, Ice conditions, Snow depth, Snow ice interface, Ice cover thickness, Radiometry, Ice breaking, Trafficability

51-3880

Detection of water ice in Comet Hale-Bopp.

Davies, J.K., et al, *Icarus,* May 1997, 127(1), p.238-245, 26 refs.

Extraterrestrial ice, Ice detection, Ice water interface, Solutions, Ice spectroscopy, Radiation absorption, Reflectivity, Spectra, Amorphous ice

51-3881

Shoot and root sensitivity of containerized black spruce, white spruce and jack pine seedlings to late fall freezing.

Bigras, F.J., Margolis, H.A., *New Forests,* May 1997, 13(1-3), p.29-49, 36 refs.

Forestry, Plant tissues, Plant physiology, Frost resistance, Cold tolerance, Growth, Damage, Roots, Protection, Cold weather tests, Temperature effects

51-3882

Effect of sub-zero temperatures in the light and dark on cold-hardened, dehardened and newly flushed white spruce (*Picea glauca* [Moench.] Voss) seedlings.

Gillies, S.L., Binder, W.D., *New Forests,* May 1997, 13(1-3), p.91-104, Refs. p.101-104.

Forestry, Trees (plants), Plant physiology, Frost resistance, Cold tolerance, Low temperature tests, Freezing, Chlorophylls, Damage, Photosynthesis, Temperature effects, Light effects

51-3883

Sea ice identification using dual-polarized Ku-band scatterometer data.

Yueh, S.H., Kwok, R., Lou, S.H., Tsai, W.Y., *IEEE transactions on geoscience and remote sensing,* May 1997, 35(3), p.560-569, 29 refs. For another version see 51-2456 or F-56716.

Sea ice distribution, Ice detection, Ice edge, Classifications, Ice water interface, Spacecraft, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Polarization (waves), Statistical analysis

This paper describes a classification algorithm using dual-polarized scatterometer measurements to identify the edge of the sea ice cover in both arctic and antarctic regions. The distinct polarization scattering signatures of sea ice and open water are discussed and illustrated with the dual-polarized radar measurements from the Seasat-A scatterometer (SASS). The analysis of SASS data suggests that the ratio of vertical and horizontal polarization backscatter, denoted as the copol ratio, is a useful discriminator of sea ice and open ocean. A simple classification algorithm using the thresholds of the copol ratio and backscatter levels is proposed. The feasibility of this algorithm is demonstrated using the SASS data from the single-sided, dual-polarization mode. The results indicate that the dual-polarized measurements from the NASA scatterometer (NSCAT) can be used to produce routine maps of sea ice edges. (Auth. mod.)

51-3884

Use of ERS-1 SAR data in snow melt monitoring.

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Snow hydrology, Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Subarctic landscapes, Snow hydrology, Wet snow, Snowmelt, Seasonal variations, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Vegetation patterns, Sensor mapping, Snow cover effect, Snow water equivalent

51-3885

Snow and snowmelt in the high mountains of Crete—climatic, hydrologic and geomorphic effects. [Schneefall und Tauen in Kretas Hochgebirgen—klimatologische, hydrologische und geomorpologische Effekte]

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Geomorphology, Mountains, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff, Snow accumulation, Seasonal variations, Meteorological factors, Mountain soils, Snow erosion, Water erosion, Greece—Crete

51-3886

Glacier dynamics in western Norway—chronology and causes of the present ice advance at Jostedalsbreen. [Glaziale dynamik in Westnorwegen—Ablauf und Ursachen des aktuellen Gletschervorstoßes am Jostedalsbreen]

Winkler, S., Haakensen, N., Nesje, A., Rye, N., *Petermanns Geographische Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.1, p.43-63, In German with English and Russian summaries. 67 refs.

Glaciology, Shores, Glacier oscillation, Glacier tongues, Meteorological factors, Glacier mass balance, Climatic factors, Periodic variations, Correlation, Statistical analysis, Norway

51-3887

Phytoplankton of the Barents Sea—the end of a growth season.

Hegseth, E.N., *Polar biology,* Mar. 1997, 17(3), p.235-241, 38 refs.

Marine biology, Oceanographic surveys, Biomass, Ecosystems, Plankton, Growth, Distribution, Seasonal variations, Hydrography, Ice edge, Photosynthesis, Nutrient cycle, Sampling, Barents Sea

51-3888

Pelagic microbial activity in the Northeast Water polynya, summer 1992.

Ritzrau, W., *Polar biology,* Mar. 1997, 17(3), p.259-267, 42 refs.

Oceanographic surveys, Marine biology, Polynyas, Ocean bottom, Suspended sediments, Ecosystems, Bacteria, Nutrient cycle, Biomass, Water chemistry, Chlorophylls, Statistical analysis, Greenland—Northeast Water Polynya

51-3889

Glacial features and snow-line trend during the last glacial age in the Southern Apennines (Italy) and on Albanian and Greek mountains.

Boenzi, F., Palmentola, G., *Zeitschrift für Geomorphologie,* Mar. 1997, 41(1), p.21-29, With German and French summaries. 21 refs.

Pleistocene, Glacier oscillation, Geomorphology, Mountain soils, Snow line, Quaternary deposits, Glacial deposits, Moraines, Altitude, Geochronology, Italy—Apennines, Greece, Albania

51-3890

Glacial history of the northwest Picos de Europa of northern Spain.

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Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Mountain glaciers, Geomorphology, Landforms, Glacial erosion, Alpine landscapes, Moraines, Bedrock, Profiles, Quaternary deposits, Spain—Picos de Europa

51-3891

New age determinations of periglacial slope deposits in the Vorderer Bayerischere Wald. [Neue Befunde zum Alter der periglazialen Deckschichten im Vorderen Bayerischen Wald]

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Pleistocene, Geomorphology, Mountain soils, Slope processes, Sedimentation, Peat, Stratification, Periglacial processes, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, Quaternary deposits, Correlation, Germany—Bayerischer Wald

51-3892

50,000 years of recorded global volcanism.

Hammer, C.U., Clausen, H.B., Langway, C.C., Jr., *Climatic change,* Jan. 1997, 35(1), p.1-15, 23 refs.

Pleistocene, Volcanoes, Volcanic ash, Quaternary deposits, Sediment transport, Aerosols, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice dating, Isotope analysis, Geochronology

The 2191 m long ice core recovered at Byrd Station in 1968 was measured continuously by an electrical conductivity method (ECM). The ECM curve infers the acidity of seasonal ice layers and major peaks, which identify clearly intermediate and prominent past volcanic activity over the last 50,000 years. Also presented are recent data for a suite of the most striking volcanic events that occurred around 17.5 ka±0.5 BP. These events emitted enormous amounts of HCl and HF into the atmosphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-3893

Comparison of global climate change simulations for 2 X CO_2-induced warming—an intercomparison of 108 temperature change projections published between 1980 and 1995.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Air temperature, Carbon dioxide, Greenhouse effect, Global change, Global warming, Statistical analysis, Simulation, Mathematical models, Bibliographies

51-3894

Problem of paleo-analogs.

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global warming, Temperature variations, Statistical analysis, Accuracy, Long range forecasting, Greenhouse effect

51-3895

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global change, Models, Temperature variations, Accuracy, Statistical analysis, Long range forecasting, Theories

51-3896

Universal pattern of changes—on what spatial scale?—comment on H.S. Kheshgi, M.E. Schlesinger and A.G. Lapenis.

Shabalova, M.V., *Climatic change,* Jan. 1997, 35(1), p.133-135, 7 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Temperature variations, Models, Simulation, Accuracy, Statistical analysis, Long range forecasting, Global change, Theories

51-3897

Study of substorm-associated nightside spike events in auroral absorption using imaging riometers at South Pole and Kilpisjärvi.

Hargreaves, J.K., Browne, S., Ranta, H., Ranta, A., Rosenberg, T.J., Detrick, D.L., *Journal of atmospheric and solar-terrestrial physics,* May 1997, 59(8), p.853-872, 14 refs.

Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric electricity, Polar atmospheres, Geomagnetism, Sounding, Radiation absorption, Radio waves, Imaging, Antarctica—South Pole, Finland—Kilpisjärvi

The short-duration 'spike' events which are a common feature of substorm-associated auroral radio absorption in the midnight sector are observed both at Kilpisjärvi in the auroral zone and at the much higher latitude of the South Pole. It is found that the spike events are remarkably similar at the two latitudes studied. They are usually elliptical in shape with the major axis generally along rather than across the L shells; median dimensions are 167 km by 74 km at the South Pole, and 190 km by 80 km at Kilpisjärvi. It may be significant that in each case the perturbed region of the ionosphere maps to an almost circular region at the magnetospheric equatorial plane, and that the total magnetic flux included within the event is similar at each latitude. The velocities of the events are variable in the range of several 100 m/s to 2 or 3 km/s; the direction of motion tends to be poleward at the beginning of a precipitation event, and is often equatorward towards the end. (Auth. mod.)

51-3898

Co-ordinated studies using imaging riometer and incoherent scatter radar.

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Atmospheric physics, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric electricity, Electric fields, Geomagnetism, Sounding, Radiation absorption, Radio waves, Scattering, Correlation, Imaging

51-3899

Localized absorption events in the afternoon sector.

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Atmospheric physics, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric electricity, Electric fields, Geomagnetism, Wave propagation, Sounding, Radio waves, Radiation absorption, Spectra, Imaging

51-3900

Location, spatial scale and motion of radio waves absorption in the cusp-latitude ionosphere observed by imaging riometers.

Nishino, M., Yamagishi, H., Stauning, P., Rosenberg, T.J., Holtet, J.A., *Journal of atmospheric and solar-terrestrial physics,* May 1997, 59(8), p.903-924, 28 refs.

Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric electricity, Electric fields, Radio waves, Radiation absorption, Geomagnetism, Imaging, Sounding

51-3901

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Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric electricity, Subpolar regions, Electric fields, Geomagnetism, Sounding, Radio waves, Ionization, Radiation absorption, Construction, Imaging, Performance, Antennas, United States—Alaska—Poker Flat

51-3902

Plans for a new-rio-imager experiment in northern Scandinavia.

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Atmospheric physics, Atmospheric electricity, Polar atmospheres, Electric fields, Radiation measurement, Ionization, Radio waves, Radiation absorption, Design, Antennas, Imaging

51-3903

Ice-induced stresses in the shell plating of ice-going vessels.

Riska, K., Windeler, M., *Helsinki University of Technology. Ship Laboratory. Report,* 1997, M-219, 34p., 13 refs.

Ships, Ice loads, Plates, Steel structures, Shells, Structural analysis, Ice mechanics, Ice solid interface, Ice pressure, Stress concentration, Design criteria, Mathematical models, Tensile properties, Statistical analysis, Simulation

51-3904

Structurally ordered surface layers of water at the SiO_2/Ice interface and influence of adsorbed molecules of protein hydrolysate on them.

Turov, V.V., Barvinchenko, V.N., *Colloids and surfaces,* Mar. 3, 1997, 8(3), p.125-132, 23 refs.

Ice physics, Frozen liquids, Hygroscopic water, Solutions, Polymers, Nuclear magnetic resonance, Adsorption, Spectra, Ice water interface, Temperature effects, Hydrates, Layers, Molecular energy levels

51-3905

New approach to calculating Holocene winter precipitation by combining glacier equilibrium-line altitudes and pine-tree limits: a case study from Hardangerjøkulen, central southern Norway.

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Paleoclimatology, Precipitation (meteorology), Glacier oscillation, Glacier mass balance, Ablation, Forest lines, Altitude, Paleoecology, Quaternary deposits, Radioactive age determination, Isostasy, Correlation, Norway—Hardangerjøkulen

51-3906

Assessing AMS ^{14}C ages of detrital organics from Holocene and late-Pleistocene moraines, east-central Sierra Nevada, California, USA.

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Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Soil dating, Moraines, Carbon isotopes, Radioactive age determination, Lithology, Profiles, Organic soils, Correlation, United States—California—Sierra Nevada

51-3907

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Glaciology, Quaternary deposits, Dust, Ice cores, Ice composition, Geochemistry, Geochronology, Sampling, Remanent magnetism, Scanning electron microscopy, Correlation, Greenland, India—Himalaya Mountains

51-3908

Thermal structure of the winter middle atmosphere observed by lidar at Thule, Greenland, during 1993-1994.

Marenco, F., di Sarra, A., Cacciani, M., Fiocco, G., Fuà, D., *Journal of atmospheric and solar-terrestrial physics,* Jan. 1997, 59(2), p.151-158, 12 refs.

Climatology, Subpolar regions, Air temperature, Stratification, Profiles, Stratosphere, Lidar, Thermal analysis, Temperature variations, Seasonal variations, Sounding, Correlation, Polar atmospheres, Greenland

51-3909

Trends in daily wintertime temperatures in the northern stratosphere.

Pawson, S., Naujokat, B., *Geophysical research letters,* Mar. 1, 1997, 24(5), p.575-578, 9 refs.

Climatology, Air temperature, Winter, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Temperature effects, Periodic variations, Radio echo soundings, Statistical analysis

51-3910
Springtime antarctic total ozone measurements in the early 1970s from the BUV instrument on Nimbus 4.
Stolarski, R.S., Labow, G.J., McPeters, R.D., *Geophysical research letters,* Mar. 1, 1997, 24(5), p.591-594, 13 refs.
Climatology, Climatic changes, Polar atmospheres, Spacecraft, Ultraviolet radiation, Spectroscopy, Sounding, Backscattering, Ozone, Degradation, Seasonal variations
Data from the Backscatter Ultraviolet (BUV) instrument on the Nimbus 4 satellite have been used to construct maps of the measured total ozone field over the antarctic region during the austral springs of 1970 through 1973. These maps show an October mean ozone distribution similar to that measured in 1979 by the Nimbus 7 TOMS instrument. These ozone maps during the 1970s are very different from those measured during the late 1980s and early 1990s. The ozone distribution for each of the years during the early 1970s is characterized by a circumpolar, crescent-shaped maximum surrounding a shallow minimum centered near the pole. The total ozone amounts in the polar minimum region in the early 1970s average about 300 Dobson units, comparable to the amounts measured at that time over Halley Bay and Showa Station. (Auth. mod.)

51-3911
Simultaneous observations of polar stratospheric clouds and HNO_3 over Scandinavia in January, 1992.
Massie, S.T., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Mar. 1, 1997, 24(5), p.595-598, 22 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ozone, Degradation, Aerosols, Sounding, Radiometry, Heterogeneous nucleation, Turbulent diffusion

51-3912
New evidence of size and composition of polar stratospheric cloud particles.
Goodman, J., Verma, S., Pueschel, R.F., Hamill, P., Ferry, G.V., Webster, D., *Geophysical research letters,* Mar. 1, 1997, 24(5), p.615-618, 29 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Sampling, Ice crystal growth, Ice crystal structure, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ozone, Evaporation, Replicas, Degradation, Ice crystal replicas
A NASA Ames ER-2 aircraft encountered polar stratospheric cloud particles in the Antarctic in July 1994 during the ASHOE/MAESA deployment. Stratospheric particles were collected by impaction techniques on specially treated substrates. For the first time, Nitron-nitrate reaction spots were detected on the ice crystal replicas, indicating the presence of NO_3^- ions on/in ice. Because the reaction spots were detected only on very small crystals ($r<1$ μm) and never on larger crystals, suggest that the amount of NO_3^- coating sufficient to initiate reactions will accumulate during ice crystal evaporation in ice subsaturated air. This may slow down the evaporation rate and enable ice crystals to survive longer in subsaturated environment. That provides an explanation of why on both days ice crystals were replicated at temperatures above the frost point, when their appearance and size suggest substantial evaporation. (Auth. mod.)

51-3913
Second-order expansion of Gibbs-Thomson equation and melting point depression of ice crystallite.
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Ice physics, Ice melting, Melting points, Thermodynamics, Analysis (mathematics), Interfacial tension, Ice water interface, Liquid phases, Statistical analysis

51-3914
Software for estimating particles size distributions in polar stratospheric clouds from experimental data.
Mandolini, S., Adriani, A., *Rome. Consiglio Nazionale delle Ricerche. Istituto di Fisica dell'Atmosfera,* July 1996, IFA R.I. 96-7, 23p., In Italian with English summary. 3 refs.
Polar stratospheric clouds, Particle size distribution, Aerosols, Meteorological instruments, Data processing, Experimentation, Antarctica—McMurdo Station
The software for estimating the parameters of the PSC's particle size distribution, from data gathered by an Optical Particle Counter (OPC), is described. This instrument, developed at the University of Wyoming, yields the concentration of the particles (assumed to be spherical) with radius greater than a fixed value. The OPC is balloon-borne and can be transported with other scientific instruments, such as the Laser Backscatter Sonde (LABS) developed in the Frascati laboratories of IFA-CNR. The parameters of the size distribution are used to make a comparison between the backscattering coefficient calculated by Mie theory and the one calculated by experimental values of LABS or a lidar. This makes an estimation of the refraction index possible. For estimating the parameters of the PSC's particle size distribution, the software improves, with a step by step process, the agreement between experimental data and the curve calculated from theory. (Auth. mod.)

51-3915
Surface mass balance and snow surface properties from the Lambert Glacier basin traverses 1990-94.
Higham, M., Craven, M., *Australia. Cooperative Research Centre for the Antarctic and Southern Ocean Environment (Antarctic CRC). Research report,* Mar. 1997, No.9, 129p., 17 refs.
Traverses, Glacier mass balance, Snow surface, Firn, Physical properties, Snow density, Topographic surveys, Meteorological data, Antarctica—Lambert Glacier
Oversnow traverses have collected a variety of glaciological measurements around the interior drainage basin of the Lambert Glacier between 1989-90 and 1994-95. The main traverse route covers approximately 2000 km with elevations in the range 1000-3000 m. This report details the results of surface mass balance, 10-m firn temperature, stable isotope, density, microrelief, stratigraphy and climatology measurements made over the entire traverse route. The average surface mass balance over the major portion of the route above 2000 m elevation is 76 (σ=74)/kgm^2/a (approximately 190 mm of snow equivalent per year). Spatially averaged snow surface mass balance (30 km smoothed) within the basin varies from lows around 30/kgm^2/a to highs of 150/kgm^2/a, major spatial changes in the net balance pattern being controlled primarily by topography. Interannual variability for the basin is high. Data from shallow cores also provide valuable information on the physical properties of the near-surface firn, but give no reliable estimate of past accumulation due to the overall low accumulation regime and wind redistribution which disturbs annual layers. (Auth. mod.)

51-3916
Oceans and climate: circulation and interbasin exchanges in the Southern Ocean.
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DLC QC981.8.C5C6 1995
Ocean currents, Climate, Air water interactions
The Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC) is an essential component of the climate system in that it accomplishes a significant poleward flux of heat and exchanges water masses and properties between the South Atlantic, Pacific, and Indian oceans. Characterization of the dynamical balance of the ACC, as provided by measurements and models studied, are discussed.

51-3917
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Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Land ice, Sea level, Snow accumulation, Simulation
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51-3918
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Stresses, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Simulation, Ice sheets, Isostasy

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Response of permafrost ecosystems to climate change.
Koster, E.A., *Studies in environmental science,* 1995, No.65A, International Climate Change Research Conference, Maastricht, Dec. 6-9, 1994. Proceedings. Climate change research: evaluation and policy implications. Edited by S. Zwerver, R.S.A.R van Rompaey, M.T.J. Kok and M.M. Berk, p.385-388, 13 refs.
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Air temperature, Atmospheric composition, Climatic changes, Permafrost heat balance, Simulation, Permafrost transformation

51-3920
Fatigue behavior of cantilever beams of saline ice.
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Sea ice, Salt ice, Ice growth, Ice strength, Flexural strength, Dynamic loads, Mechanical tests, Ice solid interface, Fatigue (materials), Statistical analysis

51-3921
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Image processing techniques have been applied to Landsat TM images of Victoria Land to enhance both the spectral contrast and the spatial information. The test site is located west of the Terra Nova Bay area, south of the terminal part of the Priestly Glacier and includes mountainous ranges characterized by alpine morphology, a large plateau and valley glaciers. Rock units are mainly constituted by a metamorphic complex, granitoids and supraglacial moraines. A method based on principal component transform and on high-pass convolution filtering has allowed to produce an image map where the spectral and the spatial information of the different surface units were combined. The detection of outcrop boundaries has been improved as well as the visual interpretation of their morphologic features. In general rock units corresponds to those mapped by means of geological field survey. Morainic deposits are well discernible from the *in situ* material appearing different, after processing, in texture and color from the intrusives and metamorphic Complexes. (Auth.)

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This report describes the military support to the United States Antarctic Program (USAP) from Aug. 1996 to Mar. 1997 as Operation Deep Freeze 96/97. Support was provided by the Departments of Defense and Transportation under the operational control of Commander, U.S. Naval Support Force, Antarctica. The Naval Support Force Antarctica (NSFA) provided command and control facilities and medical services to McMurdo Station residents and the logistic and communications pipeline for resupply of the Terra Nova Bay Station and the Vostok Station. This report provides a summary of significant events during the operating period. The various organizations, units, and commands participating in Operation Deep Freeze 96/97 are listed, and their activities and recommendations are described.

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Following the announcement of the discovery of the antarctic ozone hole in 1985 there have arisen a multitude of questions pertaining to the nature and consequences of polar ozone depletion. This thesis addresses several of these specific questions, using both computer models of chemical kinetics and the Earth's radiation field as well as laboratory kinetic experiments. A coupled chemical kinetic-radiative numerical model was developed to assist in the analysis of *in situ* field measurements of several radical and neutral species in the polar and mid-latitude lower stratosphere. Such modeling was instrumental in establishing the link between the observed ClO and BrO concentrations in the antarctic polar vortex and the observed rate of ozone depletion. The principal medical concern of stratospheric ozone depletion is that ozone loss will lead to the enhancement of ground-level UV-B radiation. Global ozone climatology was incorporated into a radiation field model to calculate the biologically accumulated dosage (BAD) of UV-B radiation, integrated over days, months, and years. The slope of the annual BAD as a function of latitude was found to correspond to epidemiological data for non-melanoma skin cancers.

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This paper reviews changes that have occurred in the atmospheric levels of major greenhouse gases and consequent changes to heating of the lower atmosphere through the enhanced greenhouse effect. Ozone is a greenhouse gas which is produced by chemical reactions in the atmosphere. Emissions of CFCs have decreased ozone in the stratosphere, whereas emissions of nitrogen oxides and volatile organic compounds have increased ozone in the troposphere, at least in the Northern Hemisphere. Global atmospheric chemistry models indicate that changes in ozone over the last 200 years have probably contributed more to the enhanced greenhouse effect than changes in nitrous oxide or CFCs. (Auth. mod.)

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Long climate records from deep sea sediments and polar ice caps show that the last few million years have been dominated by quasi-regular glacial-interglacial cycles. The current climatic regime that established between 3000 and 2000 years ago is highly variable. High resolution records show some decades and centuries have had higher or lower than average numbers of warmer or wetter years, but there have been no sustained periods of highly deviant climate. The warming of recent decades is an unusual event as shown by the long-term perspective of these records. Palaeorecords show the antarctic region to be highly sensitive to warming and, with future warming, sea ice extent could be dramatically reduced. On a much longer timescale, the unstable West Antarctic Ice Sheet could be vulnerable to collapse because of the effects of rising sea levels. (Auth. mod.)

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The oceans store and transport vast quantities of heat, water and carbon. As a consequence, the rate and regional distribution of climate change on time scales longer than months is dominated by ocean processes. Changes in ocean circulation can have a strong impact on regional climate. Sea surface temperature variations in the Pacific and Indian oceans, for example, are correlated with Australian rainfall. Sea surface temperature is, in turn, sensitive to changes in ocean circulation. Recent improvements in the correction of tide gauge observations for land motion has resulted in a consistent record of historical sea-level rise. Forecasts of future sea-level rise due to thermal expansion of the ocean have been improved by taking into account the fact that heat enters the ocean primarily by advection rather than diffusion. Effects of changes in the formation rate and transport of Antarctic Intermediate Water are discussed. (Auth. mod.)

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This study describes a new coupled ocean-atmosphere general circulation model (OAGCM) developed for studies of climate change and results from a hindcast experiment. The model includes various physical and technical improvements relative to an earlier version of the Hadley Centre OAGCM. Including sea ice advection and enhancing reference surface salinities in antarctic latitudes in austral winter to promote bottom water formation during spinup appears to have stabilized the high-latitude drift exhibited in the earlier model's control run. These allow validation of the model against the instrumental climate record. Inclusion of aerosol forcing gives a significantly better simulation of historical temperature patterns, although comparisons against recent sea ice trends are equivocal. These studies emphasize the potential importance of including additional forcing terms apart from greenhouse gases in climate simulations, and refining estimates of their spatial distribution and magnitude. (Auth. mod.)

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The climatology of the OPA/ARPEGE-T21 coupled general circulation model (GCM) is presented. The mean state and seasonal cycle for the last 10 years of the experiment are described and compared to the corresponding uncoupled experiments and to climatology when available. The model reasonably simulates most of the basic features of the observed climate. Energy budgets and transports in the coupled system, of importance for climate studies, are assessed and prove to be within available estimates. After an adjustment phase of a few years, the model stabilizes around a mean state where the tropics are warm and resemble a permanent ENSO, the southern ocean warms and almost no sea-ice is left in Antarctica. The stability of the model is shown to be related to qualities already present in the uncoupled GCMs used, namely a balanced radiation budget at the top-of-the-atmosphere and a tight ocean thermocline. (Auth. mod.)

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Aerosols, Air pollution, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Lidar, Polar stratospheric clouds, Volcanic ash, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Stratospheric aerosol observations have been carried out with 3 lidars, in the period preceding and following the eruption of Mt. Pinatubo. The lidars were located at South Pole, Rome and Thule. The detailed analysis of the results is still under way: their general features and highlights are summarized in this paper. The aerosol backscattering data show the global evolution of the volcanic aerosol cloud in relation to the general circulation of the atmosphere and to microphysical processes. Other inferred parameters are the mass, the center of mass of the cloud, and the size distribution of the aerosol. Correlations between the aerosol and the ozone contents, found after all main eruptions since 1962, have been confirmed. Large effects on polar stratospheric cloud activity have been recorded. (Auth.)

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Air pollution, Aerosols, Ozone, Atmospheric composition, Atmospheric circulation, Polar stratospheric clouds, Climatology, Antarctica—Dumont d'Urville Station

The decay of the Mt. Pinatubo volcanic cloud was monitored by systematic ground-based aerosol lidar systems implemented at the Observatoire de Haute-Provence and at the antarctic Dumont d'Urville Station. Additional backscatter lidar measurements were also performed during the EASOE campaign in Sodankylä. The analysis of the aerosol measurements obtained at the northern and southern polar latitudes shows that mixing can take place at the edge of the polar vortex in the lower stratosphere whereas the vortex remains mainly isolated above, especially in the Southern Hemisphere. The measurements performed in the winter and spring of 1992 at Dumont d'Urville allow one to evaluate the subsidence of air inside the vortex, at a rate of 1 km/month at the 475 K potential temperature level. (Auth. mod.)

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Ozone, Air pollution, Volcanic ash, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Following the eruption of Mt. Pinatubo, substantial decreases were observed both in ozonesonde and total column ozone observations. These decreases are illustrated with data from mid-latitudes and polar regions (at the Amundsen-Scott Station), and are interpreted in terms of heterogeneous chemical processes, both involving hydrolysis of dinitrogen pentoxide and reactions involving chlorine species such as $ClONO_2$, HOCl, and HCl on sulfate aerosols. In addition, this paper shows in detail for the first time how the ozone budget varies with altitude in response to sulfate aerosol perturbations, revealing the reasons for observed increases in ozone above about 25 km following the eruption. It is suggested that the possible effect of volcanic aerosol on ozone in Antarctica will be felt mainly in the lower stratosphere because of subsidence of the aerosol layer in the vortex during winter. (Auth. mod.)

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A dynamic-thermodynamic sea ice model is developed and coupled with the Melbourne University general circulation model to simulate the seasonal cycle of the antarctic sea ice distribution. The model is efficient, rapid to compute, and useful for a range of climate studies. The thermodynamic part of the sea ice model is similar to that developed by Parkinson and Washington, the dynamics contain a simplified ice rheology that resists compression. The thermodynamics is based on energy conservation at the top surface of the ice/snow, the ice/water interface, and the open water area to determine the ice formation, accretion, and ablation. Simulated sea ice thickness and concentration are in good agreement with observations over most regions and serve to indicate the importance of advection and ocean drift in the determination of the sea ice distribution. (Auth. mod.)

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The aim of this study was to characterize the light environment within the open ocean in Bellingshausen and Admunsen Seas, to determine how the measured chlorophyll concentration influences the underwater light field, and then estimate phytoplankton biomass from the light field data. Downwelling irradiance spectra, upwelling radiance spectra, and attenuation coefficients for downwelling irradiance are shown. The variations of radiance reflectances with wavelength and depth were correlated with chlorophyll concentrations. In particular, the contribution of autofluorescence of the chlorophyll to the underwater light climate was analyzed. In addition underwater UV-A data for this area are presented. These parameters, which describe the underwater light field in quantitative terms, are necessary for optical type classification as well as for models to be developed for remote sensing. (Auth. mod.)

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completed. The tunneler is a modified Bobcat Model 231 tracked mini-excavator with the dipper stick and bucket removed and replaced with a hydraulically-powered horizontal cutter drum 6' wide by 2' in diameter. The cutter drum is positioned horizontally across the width of the tunnel at right angles to the side walls during excavation, but can be rotated to a vertical position to mill the side walls. The excavated snow is transported through a series of telescoping and flexible ducts to a snow blower on the surface.

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51-4130

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The STRATÉOLE experiment is designed to study the wintertime antarctic lower stratosphere polar vortex and its springtime breakdown. To this end, it is planned to fly a large number (around 200) of long-lived (3 months), small isopycnic drifting balloons instrumented with temperature and pressure sensors, GPS and transmitters. The main goal of STRATÉOLE experiment is to provide an unprecedented documentation of the wind field in the vicinity of the vortex edge in order to study vortex porosity and erosion, filamentation and mixing properties of the air masses. In addition, by the use of other sensors on some gondolas, like radiometers and tuneable laser diodes, STRATÉOLE will also provide *in-situ* and/or column-integrated trace species measurements (like NO_2, O_3, CH_4, H_2O, aerosols...) and information on the radiation budget of the antarctic lower stratosphere during this period. This will permit to obtain a better understanding of mechanisms responsible for ozone depletion occurring during the springtime vortex dilution. (Auth.)

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The author had participated in the 9th Indian Antarctic Expedition in 1989-90 and was involved in the construction of the experimental greenhouse at the Maitri Station as a civil engineer. He describes the experiences gained in Antarctica, as well as those gained in the western Himalayas, through studies of geocryology and geotechnical and structural aspects of various types of modular shelters, vehicle sheds, etc. He concludes that the conventional construction materials and techniques do not meet all the desired requisites in such extremely cold environments and that there is a need to devise special construction materials for those conditions. (Auth. mod.)

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Floristic inventory of vascular and cryptogam plant species at Fort Richardson, Alaska.
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Vegetation patterns, Plant ecology, Forest tundra, Mosses, Lichens, Trees (plants), Military facilities, Site surveys, United States—Alaska—Fort Richardson
The Army Land-Condition Trend Analysis (LCTA) program, an inventory of vascular and cryptogam plant species, was undertaken to support both the LCTA sampling teams and other natural resource programs at Fort Richardson, AK. This inventory provides the baseline record of the existing flora for LCTA. Specimens were collected for vascular plants and cryptogams. Collection of cryptogam plants was restricted to ground-inhabiting cryptogams (mosses, lichens, and liverworts).

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Photoperiodic induction of dormancy and freezing tolerance in *Betula pubescens*. Involvement of ABA and dehydrins.
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Effect of possible Taylor columns on the summer ice retreat in the Chukchi Sea.
Martin, S., Drucker, R., *Journal of geophysical research,* May 15, 1997, 102(C5), p.10,473-10,482, 23 refs.
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Characterization of the Antarctic Polar Frontal Zone to the north of South Georgia in summer 1994.
Trathan, P.N., Brandon, M.A., Murphy, E.J., *Journal of geophysical research,* May 15, 1997, 102(C5), p.10,483-10,497, 42 refs.
Oceanographic surveys, Hydrography, Ocean currents, Bottom topography, Topographic effects, Seasonal variations, Water transport, Velocity measurement, Icebergs, Drift, —South Georgia
The Polar Front (PF) forms the southern boundary to the Polar Frontal Zone (PFZ) along the northern edge of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current (ACC). In a number of areas the position of the PF (and thus the PFZ) is known to be influenced by topographic steering, while local bathymetry has also been implicated in the movement and retention of various associated mesoscale features. This paper examines the structure and position of the PF as it passes over the rugged bathymetry to the north of the Scotia Sea. Results are presented from an oceanographic transect crossing the PF to the northwest of South Georgia and from a pair of shorter transects south of the PF but north and east of the first. Associated with the PF was a narrow, high-speed flow embedded in broader, slower moving regions. The area where these two flows meet was found to be variable over the 30-day timescale of the cruise. This area is known to be of major biological significance, and variability in the local oceanography is possibly of crucial importance to many predator species breeding at the northern end of South Georgia. (Auth. mod.)

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Interior structure of degassed water as studied by the four-photon polarization spectroscopy method.
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Ice physics, Water structure, Molecular structure, Ice spectroscopy, Lasers, Polarization (waves), Spectra, Ice microstructure, Bubbles, Electric charge, Low frequencies, Vapor diffusion, Solubility, Ice vapor interface

51-4153
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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Subpolar regions, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Advection, Salinity, Hydrography, Water transport, Statistical analysis, Seasonal variations, Atlantic Ocean

51-4155
Estimating the full-scale flexural and compressive strength of first-year sea ice.
Kovacs, A., MP 4040, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 15, 1997, 102(C4), p.8681-8689, 28 refs.
Sea ice, Ice floes, Ice mechanics, Ice cover strength, Ice cover thickness, Compressive properties, Flexural strength, Ice solid interface, Strains, Brines, Porosity, Electrical resistivity, Electrical measurement, Sounding
Sea ice salinity, density, and temperature data were used to develop new methods for determining the bulk brine volume and porosity of sea ice floes. Methods for estimating full-thickness ice sheet strength, based on large-scale field tests, are presented. The relationships among bulk sea ice properties, strain rate, and strength are illustrated. A new constitutive equation was developed for predicting the full-thickness horizontal compressive strength of first-year sea ice as a function of the applied strain rate and bulk porosity. An example of the first-year sea ice indentation force against a 90-m wide structure is given. Estimating sea ice strength based on remote ice conductivity measurements is also discussed conceptually.

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On an efficient numerical method for modeling sea ice dynamics.
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Sea ice, Ice mechanics, Rheology, Viscoelasticity, Ice plasticity, Plastic flow, Drift, Mathematical models, Ice models, Computerized simulation

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Cloud simulations with the Max Planck Institute for Meteorology general circulation model ECHAM4 and comparison with observations.
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Clouds (meteorology), Climatology, Cloud cover, Classifications, Cloud physics, Ice crystals, Ice detection, Water content, Global change, Simulation

51-4158
Calibrating the ice core paleothermometer using seasonality.
Van Ommen, T.D., Morgan, V., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 27, 1997, 102(D8), p.9351-9357, 32 refs.
Paleoclimatology, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Boreholes, Isotope analysis, Air temperature, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Geochronology
High-resolution oxygen isotope measurements on the Dome Summit South (DSS) ice core from Law Dome provide a seasonal profile that is sufficiently stable and undistorted by biases in accumulation to permit comparison with measured temperature seasonality. This comparison yields an isotope-temperature relation with a gradient ($d\delta/dT$) of 0.44±0.02 per mill/°C and provides a new method for exploring the isotope-temperature relationship at high-accumulation sites. If applied to the observed isotope record from the DSS core, which extends through the last glacial and beyond, this calibration suggests that at its coldest the last glaciation was ca. 13°C colder than present at this site (after correcting for elevation change). This finding compares with a temperature difference of ca. 8°C computed by using the local spatially derived calibration. (Auth. mod.)

51-4159
SCAR report No.13, Nov. 1996.
Scientific Committee on Antarctic Research, Cambridge, UK, Scott Polar Research Institute, 1996, 37p.
Research projects, Climatic changes, Global change, Ice sheets, Sea level, Ice cores, Paleoclimatology
This bulletin consists of 3 reports and 6 appendices: Report of the 1995 bipolar meeting of the GLOCHANT/IGBP-PAGES Task Group 2 on paleoenvironments from ice cores; Report of the 1995 meeting of the GLOCHANT Task Group 3 on ice sheet mass balance and sea-level (ISMASS); and Report of the 4th meeting of the Group of Specialists (GLOCHANT IV). The overall themes of the meetings were as follows: the update of major antarctic and Greenland

drilling projects; the coordination of ice radar sounding surveys of the grounding zone of the Antarctic Ice Sheet and that of surface mass balance and ice velocities measurements; and the overview of the SCAR Global Change Programme and status reporting on each of the linkages with other SCAR groups and international organizations.

51-4160

Spectral UV measurements over Europe within the Second European Stratospheric Arctic and Midlatitude Experiment activities.

Bais, A.F., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 20, 1997, 102(D7), p.8731-8736, 13 refs.

Climatology, Stratosphere, Polar atmospheres, Cloud cover, Optical properties, Ozone, Solar radiation, Ultraviolet radiation, Spectra, Radiometry, Statistical analysis

51-4161

Infrared spectroscopy of sulfuric acid/water aerosols: freezing characteristics.

Clapp, M.L., Niedziela, R.F., Richwine, L.J., Dransfield, T., Miller, R.E., Worsnop, D.R., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 20, 1997, 102(D7), p.8899-8907, 33 refs.

Climatology, Cloud physics, Aerosols, Solutions, Ice vapor interface, Freezing points, Ice formation, Supercooling, Polar stratospheric clouds, Simulation, Temperature effects, Infrared spectroscopy, Chemical composition, Spectra

51-4162

Three-dimensional simulation of the antarctic ozone hole: impact of anthropogenic chlorine on the lower stratosphere and upper troposphere.

Brasseur, G.P., Tie, X.X., Rasch, P.J., Lefèvre, F., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 20, 1997, 102(D7), p.8909-8930, 48 refs.

Climatology, Cloud physics, Air pollution, Polar stratospheric clouds, Degradation, Ozone, Aerosols, Heterogeneous nucleation, Models, Seasonal variations

This paper presents a global three-dimensional transport-chemical model of the stratosphere which includes a representation of the formation of polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs) and heterogeneous reactions on the surfaces of PSCs and sulfate aerosols. The formation of the observed springtime "antarctic ozone hole" is well reproduced by the model. A maximum of 40% total ozone depletion occurs in Oct. Model calculations show that the calculated ozone depletion is not significantly modified when type I PSC particles are assumed to be liquid ternary solutions rather than solid nitric acid trihydrates. Ice particles (type II PSCs) sediment into the troposphere, producing a large decrease in the concentrations of stratospheric HNO_3 and NO_2. As a result, the conversion of ClO into $ClONO_2$ is reduced. The model results show that the ozone minimum observed in Antarctica several decades ago (preindustrial chlorine levels) is produced by (natural) dynamical processes. Under these conditions the polar ozone depletion caused by chemical processes was very small (maximum of 3%) in Oct. In Nov. the ozone concentration even increased above 22 km in response to PSC processes. (Auth. mod.)

51-4163

Ten years of ozonesonde measurements at the south pole: implications for recovery of springtime antarctic ozone.

Hofmann, D.J., Oltmans, S.J., Harris, J.M., Johnson, B.J., Lathrop, J.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 20, 1997, 102(D7), p.8931-8943, 32 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Ozone, Profiles, Radio echo soundings, Air temperature, Degradation, Volcanic ash, Seasonal variations, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

In 1986, following identification of the springtime antarctic ozone hole phenomenon, the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Climate Monitoring and Diagnostics Laboratory began a program of weekly ozone balloon soundings at the Amundsen-Scott Station at the south pole. Supplemented by additional flights during the springtime ozone-depletion period, this continuing program has provided annual estimates of the severity of the antarctic ozone-depletion phenomenon. This paper summarizes the 10-year history of these flights at the south pole and provides information on when the healing of the ozone hole will be observed. (Auth. mod.)

51-4164

Coupled aerosol-chemical modeling of UARS HNO_3 and N_2O_5 measurements in the arctic upper stratosphere.

Bekki, S., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* Apr. 20, 1997, 102(D7), p.8977-8984, 41 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Degradation, Aerosols, Advection, Atmospheric composition, Chemical properties, Ozone, Heterogeneous nucleation, Simulation

51-4165

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Plant physiology, Trees (plants), Cold tolerance, Frost resistance, Acclimatization, Nutrient cycle, Plant tissues, Sampling, Temperature effects, Simulation

51-4166

Acoustic diffraction from a semi-infinite elastic plate under arbitrary fluid loading with application to scattering from arctic ice leads.

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Ice openings, Ice edge, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Ice acoustics, Underwater acoustics, Sound transmission, Sound waves, Elastic waves, Wave propagation, Mathematical models

51-4167

Numerical, analytical and observational study of the effect of clouds on surface wind stress during the central arctic winter.

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Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Cloud cover, Cloud dissipation, Wind pressure, Wind velocity, Atmospheric boundary layer, Turbulent exchange, Air ice water interaction, Ice air interface, Ice heat flux, Drift, Mathematical models

51-4168

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St. Germain, K.M., Amherst, University of Massachusetts, 1993, 92p., ADA-289 138, Ph.D. thesis. 22 refs.

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51-4169

Ice crystal growth model for cirrus cloud formation.

Ou, S.C., Liou, K.N., Frankel, D., Cloud Impacts on DoD Operations and Systems Conference (CIDOS-95), Hanscom AFB, MA, Oct 24-26, 1995. Preprint, Hanscom AFB, MA, U.S. Air Force Phillips Laboratory, 1995, p.157-159, ADA-300 914, 5 refs.

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Validation of the Appleman contrail forecasting scheme using engine-specific aircraft data.

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Aircraft, Condensation trails, Ice forecasting, Ice detection

51-4171

Predicting the radiative properties of non-spherical particles: application to cirrus clouds.

Mitchell, D.L., Macke, A., Cloud Impacts on DoD Operations and Systems Conference (CIDOS-95), Hanscom AFB, MA, Oct 24-26, 1995. Preprint, Hanscom AFB, MA, U.S. Air Force Phillips Laboratory, 1995, p.173-175, ADA-300 914, 5 refs.

Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Ice crystal optics, Ice crystal size, Radiation absorption, Scattering

51-4172

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Cloud physics, Cloud cover, Ice crystal optics, Atmospheric attenuation, Lidar

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Cloud physics, Cloud cover, Ice crystal size, Ice crystal optics, Radiation absorption, Scattering, Atmospheric attenuation, Computerized simulation

51-4174

Anisotropy of diffuse scattering according to the ice rule. [Ice rule ni yoru sanman sanran no ihosei]

Tokunaga, M., Hydrogen physics, Tsukuba, Sep. 29-30, 1992. KEK proceedings 92-20, Tsukuba, Japan, Koenerugi butsurigaku kenkyujo (National Laboratory for High Energy Physics, KEK), Feb. 1993, p.85-90, DE94-701317, In Japanese. 9 refs.

Ice crystal structure, Molecular structure, Molecular energy levels, Hydrogen bonds, Proton transport, Ion diffusion

51-4175

Frost evolution in tailings. Final report.

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Binary ice nucleation on SiO_2 particles.

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Cloud physics, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Ice nuclei, Heterogeneous nucleation

51-4177

Polar stratospheric cloud formation: nucleation and freezing mechanisms of nitric acid and sulphuric acid aerosols.

Laaksonen, A., MacKenzie, A.R., Kulmala, M., Finnish National Aerosol Symposium, 5th, Espoo, Finland, June 1-3, 1993. Report series in aerosol science, Espoo, Finnish Association for Aerosol Research, 1993, p.138-143, DE95-737628, 15 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Ozone, Aerosols, Ice nuclei, Heterogeneous nucleation

51-4178
Spatial cross-correlation of antarctic sea ice and seabed topography.
De Veaux, R.D., Phelan, M.J., Princeton, NJ, Princeton University, 1990, 24p. + figs., N90-26451, 10 refs. Appendix B only, to U.S. National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Contractor report, NASA-CR-186815, not further identified.
Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Polynyas, Ocean bottom, Bottom topography, Topographic effects, Radio echo soundings, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Statistical analysis
Sea ice concentrations as observed about Antarctica by the Nimbus-7 Scanning Multichannel Microwave Radiometer (SMMR) satellite in 1983, show that throughout the sea ice, large-scale variations in sea ice concentration correlate systematically with variations in the topography of the seabed. A statistical image-processing filter was designed to extract local patterns of spatial cross-correlation over the entire sea ice field as it undergoes daily changes. Generally, high concentrations of sea ice occur over deep ocean, whereas areas of encavement, early dissipation and polynya formation develop over topographic features of high elevation. The results of spatial cross-correlation indicate a potential role for seabed topography in fluctuations in the sea ice about Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

51-4179
Studies of the AWI Research Department Potsdam in Antarctica, 1994-1995. [Arbeiten der AWI-Forschungsstelle Potsdam in Antarktika, 1994-1995]
Wand, U., ed, *Berichte zur Polarforschung,* 1996, No.215, 142p., One report in English, four in German. 70 refs.
Expeditions, Sediments, Research projects, Geodetic surveys, Humidity, Gravity, Antarctica—Schirmacher Hills
This report comprises two extended and three short reports. The first report (G. Schwarz) is the account of the first German to participate in a Japanese Antarctic Research Expedition. It centers on deuterium in polar air moisture. The second report (U. Wand, et al) focuses on geological sediments in the Schirmacher Hills region. The third report (W. Karth) provides an update of a geodetic net also in the Schirmacher Hills area. Report four (D. Fritzsche) deals with gravity measurements in the Coastal area of the Schirmacher Hills and along the routes of three earlier traverses. The last report (W.-D. Hermichen) gives an account of the investigations of Shackleton Range during the Euroshack Expedition, Nov. 1994-Mar. 1995.

51-4180
Mesozooplankton in the Laptev Sea and the adjacent eastern Nansen Basin - distribution and community structure in late summer. [Das Mesozooplankton im Laptevmeer und östlichen Nansen-Becken - Verteilung und Gemeinschaftsstrukturen im Spätsommer]
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51-4181
Tropical climate instability: the last glacial cycle from a Qinghai-Tibetan ice core.
Thompson, L.G., et al, *Science,* June 20, 1997, 276(5320), p.1821-1825, 63 refs.
Climatic changes, Ice cores, Geochronology, Paleoclimatology, China—Qinghai Province

51-4182
Abrupt Early to Mid-Holocene climatic transition registered at the equator and the poles.
Stager, J.C., Mayewski, P.A., *Science,* June 20, 1997, 276(5320), p.1834-1836, 45 refs.
Climatic changes, Ice cores, Atmospheric circulation, Global change, Antarctica—Taylor Dome
Paleoclimatic records from equatorial East Africa, Antarctica, and Greenland reveal that atmospheric circulation changed abruptly at the early to mid-Holocene transition to full postglacial conditions. A climatic reorganization occurred at all three sites between 8200 and 7800 years ago that lasted 200 years or less and appears to have been related to abrupt transitions in both marine and terrestrial records around the world. (Auth.)

51-4183
Annual SCAR report on national antarctic scientific activities, 1 July 1995-30 June 1996.
Belgian National Committee on Antarctic Research, Brussels, Belgium, Royal Academy of Belgium, Dec. 1996, 8p.
Research projects, Low temperature research
Outlines of projects carried out by working groups from July 1995 to June 1996, and those planned for 1997-2000, are presented. The outlines, covering multiple disciplines, include the locality and duration of the investigations, as well as the names and addresses of principal investigators. A list of contact addresses concludes the report.

51-4184
Annual SCAR report on national antarctic scientific activities, 1 July 1995-30 June 1997.
Australian National Committee on Antarctic Research, Kingston, Tasmania, Australian Antarctic Division, 1996, 33p.
Research projects, Glaciology, Low temperature research
The report begins by listing Australian antarctic stations, providing their names, location and coordinates. Automatic recording stations/observatories, with identifying names and coordinates, and automatic weather stations and drifting buoys, with site name, coordinates, and satellite number, are also listed. This is followed by outlines of projects carried out in 1995-1996, and those planned for 1996-1997, covering numerous disciplines. The outlines include the subject, location and duration of the investigations, as well as the names and addresses of principal investigators. A list of contact addresses concludes the report.

51-4185
Formation of Quaternary sediments on Kassari Island.
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Glacial geology, Geomorphology, Pleistocene, Glacial deposits, Marine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Bedrock, Lithology, Stratigraphy, Eolian soils, Estonia—Kassari Island

51-4186
Winter update: deicers and their use. *Public works,* Apr. 1997, 128(4), p.32-33.
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51-4187
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51-4188
"Tire chains on demand" please snow control crews.
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51-4189
Anti-icing, part one—relieving the pressure.
Barger, S., *Public works,* Jan. 1997, 128(1), p.37-38, 2 refs.
Winter maintenance, Road maintenance, Road icing, Chemical ice prevention, Ice solid interface, Ice control, Environmental impact, Education

51-4190
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Cryobiology, Solutions, Frost resistance, Cold weather survival, Supercooling, Polymers, Desiccation

51-4191
Infrared absorption study of the hydrogen-bond symmetrization in ice to 110 GPa.
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Ice physics, Molecular structure, Hydrogen bonds, Ice spectroscopy, High pressure tests, Infrared spectroscopy, Spectra, Hydrogen bonds, Vibration, Phase transformations, Proton transport

51-4192
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Hall, C.M., Hoppe, U.P., *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 15, 1997, 24(8), p.837-840, 8 refs.
Atmospheric physics, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Gravity waves, Spectra, Radar echoes, Sounding, Velocity measurement, Oscillations, Turbulent exchange

51-4193
Laboratory and in situ evidence for the presence of ice particles in a PMSE region.
Zadorozhnyĭ, A.M., et al, *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 15, 1997, 24(8), p.841-844, 19 refs.
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51-4194
Accuracy of temperatures from UKMO analyses of 1994/95 in the arctic winter stratosphere.
Pullen, S., Jones, R.L., *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 15, 1997, 24(8), p.845-848, 6 refs.
Climatology, Air temperature, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Polar stratospheric clouds, Temperature measurement, Temperature variations, Forecasting, Freezing points, Sounding, Correlation, Accuracy, Statistical analysis

51-4195
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Climatology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Infrared spectroscopy, Aerosols, Ozone, Stratosphere, Atmospheric circulation, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Sweden

51-4196
Wintertime in situ profile of BrO between 17 and 27 km in the arctic vortex.
McKinney, K.A., Pierson, J.M., Toohey, D.W., *Geophysical research letters,* Apr. 15, 1997, 24(8), p.853-856, 14 refs.
Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Stratosphere, Atmospheric composition, Profiles, Aerosols, Turbulent diffusion, Aerial surveys, Sampling, Photochemical reactions, Diurnal variations

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Expedition ANTARKTIS-XII of RV *Polarstern* in 1995; Report of Leg ANT-XII/3. [Die Expedition ANTARKTIS-XII mit *Polarstern* 1995; Bericht vom Fahrtabschnitt ANT-XII/3]

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The leg ANT XII/3 sailed 11,000 nm from Cape Town to Punta Arenas, via the Weddell Sea with numerous stops along the way to provide logistic support to investigations at Drescher Inlet of Weddell seals feeding behavior and of the microorganic life directly below the sea ice. The major group of glaciologists and geophysicists was engaged in extensive programs of ice dynamics, and mass balance of the Filchner and Ronne Ice Shelves, collecting seismic, gravity, and tiltmeter data in addition to radar data. Two new ice cores were drilled atop Berkner Island to depths of 100m and 180m. Cores are expected to produce climatic data covering about 1,000 yrs. The aerogeophysical program based at Filchner Station provided support for grounding line data, ice thickness measurements, and magnetic data across Ronne Ice Sheet and Berkner I. CTD profiles of the Filchner/Ronne Ice Shelves and seismic mapping in this area were not completed due to ice conditions. Four automatic weather stations were deployed at Berkner and Filchner Stations and at the Grounding Line.

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All periglacial and glacial landforms investigated in the Northern Foothills, Northern Victoria Land, have a very thin active layer overlying a thin permafrost layer, characterized by electrical resistivities ranging between 13 and 50 kΩm and by different thicknesses. Below this surficial layer, different types of ground ice were detected. These different types of ground ice permitted ice-cored

rock glaciers to be distinguished from ice-cemented rock glaciers, subsea permafrost to be identified in some raised beaches, and other interpretations to be suggested about a debris-covered glacier. These results have been obtained by vertical electrical soundings (VES) carried out in ice-free areas of the Northern Foothills, near Terra Nova Bay Station during the tenth national Italian expedition in Antarctica (1994-95). Electrical prospection can be considered a good means for understanding the origins of landforms in ice-free areas of Antarctica and for making a contribution to the palaeoenvironmental reconstruction of this continent. (Auth. mod.)

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Detection of clouds in the polar regions involves many difficulties on account of the high albedo and low temperature of the snow and ice covered ground surface. Discrimination of clouds was done using AVHRR split window channel data. Brightness temperature differences were one of the indices of thin clouds; the correlation of the brightness temperature difference and the brightness temperature itself was used. The cloud analysis was done from daily NOAA-9 data for 13 months from Jan. 1987 to Jan. 1988, received and processed at Showa Station. Spatial and temporal distribution characteristics of clouds over the East Antarctic continent are discussed. Within the interior, cloud amounts were liable to be higher over the western slope facing the Weddell Sea compared to the eastern slope. An oscillation of about 7 or 15 days in the time variation of clouds was noticeable in most regions. Comparing the brightness temperature for clear and cloudy sky, the radiative effect of clouds at the top of the atmosphere was found to be negative (cooling) in winter in the interior, and small positive (heating) in the longwave in summer months over the whole area. (Auth. mod.)

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A new theory is proposed to explain global cooling at the onset of Pleistocene glacial periods. Atmospheric CO_2 drawdown is considered to be the driving force behind global cooling, brought about by heightened productivity at the equatorial divergences and along continental margins, particularly in upwelling regions. Eutrophication appears to be triggered when global warming during late interglacial periods causes accelerated melting of the West Antarctic Ice Sheet. This would release large reserves of silicate-enriched subglacial meltwaters into the surrounding oceans where entrainment would take place into deep and intermediate currents forming in antarctic and subantarctic waters. Subsequent advection, mixing and upwelling of silicate-enriched deep and intermediate waters into the coastal zones and open-ocean divergences results in the proliferation of large, rapidly-sinking diatom species with a high affinity for dissolved silicate. These blooms enhance rates of recycling of N and P in upwelling regions and accelerate rates of organic carbon production, export and sequestration in shelf and slope sediments and in the deep sea. The resultant atm. CO_2 drawdown initiates global cooling. Consequent expansion of Northern Hemisphere glaciers lowers sea level, while increased temperature and pressure gradients between equatorial and polar regions intensify meridional winds. (Auth. mod.)

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Insolation, Quaternary deposits, Radiation balance, Ice cores, Air temperature, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Mathematical models, Antarctica—Vostok Station
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51-4405

One Hundred Years of Glaciological Research in Italy. Meeting. [Convegno]

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Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Meetings, Alpine glaciation, Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Glacier oscillation, Glacial meteorology, Climatic factors, Italy—Alps

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Glaciology, Mountain glaciers, Research projects, Alpine glaciation, History, Organizations, Italy

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Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Geophysical surveys, Glacier oscillation, Research projects, Organizations, International cooperation, History, Italy

51-4408

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Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Research projects, International cooperation, History, Italy

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Glaciology, Research projects, Organizations, Glacier surveys, International cooperation, History

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Glaciology, Glacier oscillation, Climatic changes, Greenhouse effect, Glacier mass balance, Glacier ablation, Alpine glaciation, Surface energy, Heat balance, Photogrammetry, Topographic features

51-4412

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Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Glacier surveys, Water balance, Electric power, Reservoirs, Glacier melting, Runoff, Hydrography, Italy

51-4413

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Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Glacier surveys, Glacial hydrology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier ablation, Seasonal variations, Global warming, Switzerland—Basodino Glacier

51-4414

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Glacier surveys, Ice caves, Exploration, Glacial hydrology, Subglacial drainage, Water flow, Channels (waterways), Ice water interface

51-4415

Nine years of negative balance at the Giacciaio della Sforzellina (Alps of Lombardy, Italy). [Nove anni de bilancio negativo al Giacciaio della Sforzellina (Alpi Lombarde). Rapporti con il clima e ipostei de estinzione]

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Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Cirque glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacial hydrology, Glacier mass balance, Glacier thickness, Radio echo soundings, Seasonal variations, Italy—Giacciaio della Sforzellina

51-4416

Discriminating between glacial and fluvioglacial drift in the Upper Gressoney Valley (Valle d'Aosta, Italy) by morphometric techniques. [Applicazione delle tecniche morfometriche al problema della distinzione dei depositi glaciali e fluvioglaciali nell'Alta Valle de Gressoney (Valle d'Aosta)]

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Glacial geology, Glacial deposits, Moraines, Lithology, Sedimentation, Sampling, Classifications, Statistical analysis, Italy—Valle de Gressoney

51-4417

New data about the snow alimentation of the Calderone Glacier (Gran Sasso d'Italia, Appennines). [Nuovi dati sull'alimentazione nevosa del Ghiacciaio del Calderone (Gran Sasso d'Italia, Appennino Centrale)]

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Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Snow hydrology, Snow depth, Snow water equivalent, Glacier alimentation, Glacier oscillation, Glacier melting, Seasonal variations, Italy—Apennines

51-4418

Recent evolution of glaciers in the Maritime Alps. [L'evoluzione recente dei ghiacciai delle Alpi Marittime]

Federici, P.R., Pappalardo, M., *Geografia fisica e dinamica quaternaria,* 1995, 18(2), Cento Anni de Ricerca Glaciologica in Italia, Oct. 19-20, 1995. Convegno, p.257-269, In Italian with English summary. 20 refs.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Alpine glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Glacier tongues, Glacial meteorology, Climatic factors, Temperature effects, Statistical analysis, Alps

51-4419

Twentieth century behavior of the ice fronts in Antarctica: environmental change evidence. [Fluttuazione delle fronti dei ghiacciai galleggianti durante il XX secolo in Antartide: evidenze di cambiamenti ambientali]

Frezzotti, M., *Geografia fisica e dinamica quaternaria,* 1995, 18(2), Cento Anni di Ricerca Glaciologica in Italia, Oct. 19-20, 1995. Convegno, p.271-275, In Italian with English summary. 33 refs.

Ice shelves, Glacier melting, Glacier mass balance, Calving, Icebergs, Meltwater, Climatic factors, Antarctica—Victoria Land

A comparison of various documents, dated several years apart, has allowed the surficial ice discharge, the ice front fluctuation and the iceberg calving flux of Victoria Land coast during this century to be estimated. The Hells Gate and McMurdo Sound ice shelves and the floating glaciers of Cape Adare have undergone a significant retreat since the beginning of the 20th century. The different behavior of these floating glaciers with respect to others has been presumed to be due to increased energy available for meltwater production and to increased melting at the ice-ocean interface related to Circumpolar Deep Water. A first estimate of the mass balance of glaciers that fringe the Victoria Land coast shows a significantly positive value, despite all the uncertainties of balance measurements. (Auth.)

51-4420

Mass balance studies on the del Ghiacciaio de Fontana Bianca (Weißbrunnferner) in the Ortles-Cevedale Group. [Ricerche sul bilancio di massa del Giacciaio de Fontana Bianca (Weißbrunnferner) nel Gruppo Ortles-Cevedale]

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Glacier surveys, Geophysical surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier mass balance, Seasonal variations, Glacier oscillation, Glacier ablation, Statistical analysis, Italy—Alps

51-4421

Research on the Pleistocene glaciation in the Apennines during the last fifty years. A bibliographic review (from 1941 to the present). [Mezzo secolo di richerche sul glacialismo quaternario dell'Appennino. Rassegna bibliografica (dal 1941 a oggi)]

Laureti, L., *Geografia fisica e dinamica quaternaria,* 1995, 18(2), Cento Anni de Ricerca Glaciologica in Italia, Oct. 19-20, 1995. Convegno, p.281-285, In Italian with English summary.

Alpine glaciation, Glacier oscillation, Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Bibliographies, Italy—Apennines

51-4422

Depth/density profiles and models from Northern Victoria Land shallow firn-cores (Antarctica). [Profili di densità e modelli profondità/densità su carote di nevato prelevate in alcuni ghiacciai della Terra Vittoria Settentrionale (Antartide)]

Maggi, V., *Geografia fisica e dinamica quaternaria,* 1995, 18(2), Cento Anni di Ricerca Glaciologica in Italia, Oct. 19-20, 1995. Convegno, p.287-294, In Italian with English summary. 19 refs.

Glacier ice, Ice density, Firn, Ice sintering, Ice cores, Profiles, Ice models, Sampling, Antarctica—Victoria Land

During the recent field seasons carried out by the Italian Antarctic Program (PNRA) 11 sites have been investigated to evaluate the annual accumulation rate in Northern Victoria Land. Fourteen shallow firn cores, 7.5 m to 21 m depth, have been drilled in different accumulation situations from the coast to the East Antarctic plateau margin, through the Transantarctic Mountains. Density profiles have been performed directly in the field and simple models have been calculated to evaluate the density gradients with depth. This work

applies a simple depth/density model at 4 cores from different geographical situations. For the deeper part of the profiles, sintering processes have been involved in the increase of density. In this situation, the temperature of the ice crystals is an important factor in grain-to-grain matter transfer. For the future drilling activities, a simple depth-density model has been applied to these 4 firn cores to try to define the close-off depth. (Auth. mod.)

51-4423

Failures induced by heavy rainfall in proglacial environment: the downcutting of neoglacial moraine of Mulinet Glacier (Upper Valle de Lanzo, western Alps). [Effetti degli eventi alluvionali nell'ambiente proglaciale: la sovraincisione della morena del Ghiacciaio del Mulinet (Stura de Valgrande, Alpi Graie)]

Mortara, G., Dutto, F., Godone, F., *Geografia fisica e dinamica quaternaria,* 1995, 18(2), Cento Anni de Ricerca Glaciologica in Italia, Oct. 19-20, 1995. Convegno, p.295-304, In Italian with English summary. 12 refs.

Glacial hydrology, Moraines, Alpine landscapes, Glacier melting, Water erosion, Flooding, Precipitation (meteorology), Mass flow, Sediment transport, Safety, Geomorphology, Alps

51-4424

Application of the accumulation/ablation ratio to the large alpine glacier: the Lys Glacier, M. Rosa. [Studio del rapporto accumulo/ablazione in un ghiacciaio alpino de grandi dimensioni: l'esempio del Ghiacciaio del Lys (Monte Rosa)]

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Many algorithms developed to retrieve precipitation and cloud liquid water from passive microwave measurement at mid-latitudes do not necessarily work well over the ice-free oceans that surround the antarctic continent where most precipitation falls in the form of snow. It is known that the clouds that produce most of the precipitation over the southern latitudes are thin stratiform clouds and the precipitation they give is of slight intensity. In this paper the polarization corrected temperature method for detecting precipitation is applied and compared with a new physical method that simultaneously retrieves both cloud liquid water and precipitation amount. Both methods are compared with the few *in situ* measurements available. The new iterative physical method is found to give better results and does not need any empirically derived parameters. (Auth. mod.)

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Sensitivity of simulated salinity in a three-dimensional ocean model to upper ocean transport of salt from sea-ice formation.
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UV and optical light transmission properties in deep ice at the South Pole.
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Both absorption and scattering of light at wavelengths 410 to 610 nm were measured in the South Pole ice at depths 0.8 to 1 km with the laser calibration system of the Antarctic Muon And Neutrino Detector Array (AMANDA). At the shortest wavelengths the absorption lengths exceeded 200 m—an order of magnitude longer than has been reported for laboratory ice. The absorption shows a strong wavelength dependence while the scattering length is found to be independent of the wavelength, consistent with the hypothesis of a residual density of air bubbles in the ice. The observed linear decrease of the inverse scattering length with depth is compatible with an earlier measurement by the AMANDA collaboration (at ca. 515 nm). (Auth.)

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Integrated IR band intensities of the ν_5 and ν_1 bands of ClOOCl.
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The aim of the present work is to determine the integrated band intensities and absorption coefficients of the two strongest IR absorption bands of ClOOCl in the region 550-4000/cm, i.e. the ν_5 and ν_1 bands close to 650 and 750/cm, in order to explore the potential of IR absorption as a detection method for ClOOCl in the antarctic stratosphere. (Auth. mod.)

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Geomorphological observations on the boulder-strewn tidal flat, at Petite-Rivière, Charlevoix, Québec. [Observations géomorphologiques sur la batture à méga-blocs, à Petite-Rivière, Charlevoix, Québec]
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Cryogenic air sampling system for measurements of the concentrations of stratospheric trace gases and their isotopic ratios over Antarctica.
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Atmospheric composition, Isotope analysis, Gases, Carbon dioxide, Stratosphere, Antarctica—Showa Station
In order to measure the concentrations of trace gases such as CO_2, CH_4, N_2O and halocarbons and the isotopic ratios of $\delta^{13}C$, $\delta^{18}O$ and $\Delta^{14}C$ of CO_2 in the stratosphere over Antarctica in Jan. 1998, a balloon-borne cryogenic air sampling system was developed on the basis of the sampler which has been used for the collection of stratospheric air over Japan since 1985. The sampler developed in this study is capable of collecting air samples with volumes of 20-30 l_{STP} at 12 height levels. Special attention was paid to the sampler so that the collection of a large amount of the stratospheric air can be completed in a short time, which is crucial for recovering the sampler near the station using a helicopter. In addition, the sampler was designed to land on the sea or the ice field safely. Flight trajectories of the sampler were also simulated using the wind data observed at Showa Station. The results suggested that the sampler may land within approximately 150 km from the station, if air sampling is made in the summer season. Indeed, the trajectories were validated by experiments made using a rubber balloon at Showa Station on Jan. 21 and Feb. 6, 1995. (Auth. mod.)

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This thesis addresses the glaciomarine sedimentation and early tectonic history of the southeastern Weddell Sea and proposes a model from the analysis of more than 25,000 km multichannel seismic data. The proposed seismic stratigraphic model includes the results of piston coring, drilling and bathymetric surveys. The tectonic interpretation was further supported by the compilation of published marine and satellite gravity surveys and magnetic anomaly maps. (Auth. mod.)

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In this thesis, two geophysical methods, a seismic and an electromagnetic-inductive technique are examined for their accuracy and general applicability. Both aspects are investigated by means of comparisons of drill-hole determined with geophysically derived thicknesses along extended profiles. Additionally, the thickness range, resolution and sensitivity against variable ice properties are examined by means of theoretical model calculations. The porosity of the ice and its electrical conductivity are derived by means of ice core analyses. These are the main variables influencing the propagation of elastic waves and the development of electromagnetic fields in the ice. The bulk of the data in this report is gleaned from northern hemispheric ice sources. A near-closing section, p.127-145, presents measurements from the Bellingshausen and Amundsen Seas. (Auth. mod.)

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Gravity field in the Weddell Sea, Antarctica, by radar altimetry from GEOSAT and ERS-1. [Ein Beitrag zum Schwerefeld im Bereich des Weddellmeeres, Antarktis, Nutzung von Altimitermessungen des GEOSAT und ERS-1]
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Radar altimeter measurements carried out by the satellites GEOSAT and ERS-1 were analyzed. This work focuses mainly on the computation of gravity anomalies in ice covered regions, especially in the Weddell Sea. Due to the permanent sea ice coverage in the southern oceans, only a reduced number of sub-satellite tracks could be used for these investigations. New algorithms and strategies were developed. At first the radar altimeter measurements were corrected for various effects, e.g. ionospheric and tropospheric delays or tides. Then, a collinear analysis and a crossover adjustment were combined with robust outlier detection algorithms. Finally, averaged height profiles were extracted from repeat orbits and used for the computation of gravity anomalies and the mean sea surface. By combining the measurements from ERS-1 and GEOSAT a significant improvement of the resolution of the models was achieved. The altimeter data were also used for the determination of an improved sea surface height model. (Auth. mod.)

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Laboratory studies of ternary $H_2SO_4/HNO_3/H_2O$ particles: implications for polar stratospheric cloud formation.
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Climatology, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Freezing points, Aerosols, Solubility, Particles, Heterogeneous nucleation, Supercooled clouds, Simulation, Infrared spectroscopy
It has recently been suggested that type Ib polar stratospheric clouds are composed of supercooled ternary-solutions of sulfuric acid (H_2SO_4), nitric acid (HNO_3), and water (H_2O). The authors have studied the low-temperature behavior of ternary-solution aerosols to determine if they will undergo homogeneous freezing nucleation under polar stratospheric conditions. Ternary-solution aerosols were injected into a low-temperature chamber and observed for periods of up to 3 hours. Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy was used to determine the aerosol composition and phase as a function of time. Ternary-solution aerosols with compositions similar to those expected in the polar stratosphere remained supercooled for the duration of the experiments. Homogeneous freezing of the particles was never observed, even after warming from 190 to 204 K. However, heterogeneous freezing was occasionally observed for particles adhering to the infrared optics within the chamber. (Auth. mod.)

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Energy and water transport in climates simulated by a general circulation model that includes dynamic sea ice.
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Climatology, Greenhouse effect, Carbon dioxide, Ocean currents, Heat flux, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice openings, Ice water interface, Surface energy, Models, Simulation
The authors analyze energy and water transport in present, doubled CO_2, and tripled CO_2 climates simulated by the Mark 2 CSIRO nine-level general circulation model with a mixed layer ocean to include the antarctic region. The model includes a dynamic sea ice, and a prescribed ocean heat transport, and describes a 30-year climatology of the 1 x CO_2 simulation, emphasizing the sea ice and the mean meridional energy and water transport. The ice depths, concentrations, and velocities are moderately realistic in both hemispheres. The model atmosphere transports less heat poleward in the doubled CO_2 climate, largely as a response to increased solar radiation absorbed at high latitudes. (Auth. mod.)

51-4503
Convective electrification of clouds: a numerical study.
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Atmospheric net transport of water vapor and latent heat across 60°S.
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Climatology, Marine atmospheres, Water vapor, Moisture transfer, Air ice water interaction, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Latent heat, Heat flux, Mathematical models
The mean annual moisture flux across 60°S is estimated using results of numerical analyses for the 7-year period 1985-1991. The atmospheric data indicate a net poleward transport of 17.06 kg/m/s or 10.74 Tt/yr. The mean annual moisture transport divergence for the area poleward of 60°S is estimated using a combination of surface and near-surface data (precipitation and evaporation for the southern ocean, net surface accumulation and seaward drifting snow transport for the antarctic ice sheet). The mass exchange rates at the ice sheet-atmosphere and ocean-atmosphere interfaces are integrated strictly for the area between 60°S and 70°S and are combined with the results of a preceding surface data estimate of transport divergence for the area poleward of 70°S. The estimates based on atmospheric and surface data show remarkable agreement (the difference is well within the error estimates. (Auth. mod.)

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Air temperature, Temperature variations, Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Ice cores, Ice composition, Aerosols, Isotope analysis, Oxygen isotopes, Ice dating, Spectra, Correlation

51-4506
Cirrus clouds: their role in climate and global change.
Lynch, D.K., *Acta astronautica,* June 1996, 38(11), p.859-863, 31 refs.
Climate, Ice crystals, Clouds (meteorology)
Cirrus clouds are high, cold clouds composed of asymmetric ice particles. Along with low marine stratus, they are the principal cloud type controlling the Earth's radiation budget. Thin cirrus clouds cause a net heating of the Earth because they allow visible sunlight to pass almost unhindered while at the same time absorbing and reradiating infrared radiation from the surface below. Cirrus clouds are also far more widespread than previously believed. Cirrus cloud climatologies have been examined based on ground observations, limb scanning, and down-looking satellite sensors. The global frequency of occurrence for cirrus clouds over land is between 28 and 42%. The zonal average frequency of occurrence for cirrus clouds varies from 7 to 61%. These values vary depending on geographic location and season, with some locations having persistent cirrus coverage while others have infrequent coverage. Although clearly evident trends are present in the geographical cirrus occurrence, month-to-month and year-to-year variations are so large that the statistics can only be used for the probabilistic assessments, not predictive purposes. In this paper the author surveys cirrus clouds and their radiative properties in terms of climate feedback, discusses multispectral cirrus cloud observations and reviews the latest satellite cloud climatologies. The area surveyed extended to approximately 70N and 70S with full global inclusions, longitudinally. (Auth. mod.)

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Antarctica ice sheet curvature and its relation with ice flow and boundary conditions.
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Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Glacier surfaces, Topographic surveys, Topographic features, Remote sensing, Radiometry, Height finding, Slope orientation, Rheology
The map of the antarctic ice sheet surface curvature in the across-slope direction shows a very coherent pattern, related to ice flow anomalies of each flowline with respect to adjacent ones. Near the coast, these anomalies are correlated to bedrock features which suggests that they result from outlet flow conditions that are transmitted from coast to domes. As a consequence, they should represent the drainage pattern, glacier positions and 3-dimensional flowline directions. Thus a large part of the ice sheet flow pattern seems controlled by outflow boundary conditions which can be empirically estimated. (Auth.)

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Mathematical features of Hibler's model of large-scale sea-ice dynamics.

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51-4526

Forcing of the austral autumn surface pressure change over the antarctic continent.

Parish, T.R., Wang, Y.H., Bromwich, D.H., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* June 1, 1997, 54(11), p.1410-1422, 28 refs.

Climatology, Wind velocity, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric pressure, Surface temperature, Seasonal variations, Ice sheets, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Heat transfer, Mass transfer, Simulation

Pronounced seasonal variations in the surface pressure field are present over the antarctic continent. Surface pressures over the ice sheet decrease during the austral autumn period Jan.-Apr. and increase during the austral springtime months Sep.-Dec. The largest changes are found over the highest portions of the antarctic ice sheets where seasonal surface pressure changes of up to 20 hPa are common. The outstanding feature of these surface pressure changes is that typically the isallobaric contours closely follow the antarctic orography during both transition periods, suggesting a strong seasonal diabatic adjustment within the lower troposphere. During austral autumn, the pronounced cooling of the lower atmosphere adjacent to the ice sheets leads to an enhancement of the antarctic katabatic wind regime and hence the lower branch of the mean meridional circulation over the high southern latitudes. The mass transport provided by these drainage flows is proposed as the mechanism behind the autumn pressure falls. Numerical simulations of the evolution of the antarctic katabatic wind regime indicate that the radiative cooling of the sloping ice fields and attendant mass transport result in a modification of the temperature and pressure fields in the lower troposphere similar to what is seen during the early austral autumn period. (Auth.)

51-4527

Development of antarctic katabatic winds and implications for the coastal ocean.

Davis, A.M.J., McNider, R.T., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* May 1, 1997, 54(9), p.1248-1261, 19 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Stratification, Shores, Upwelling, Wind velocity, Wind direction, Topographic effects, Polynyas, Air ice water interaction, Mathematical models

The influence of katabatic winds on the antarctic coastal waters is examined by using simple models of the ocean and atmosphere. A katabatic flow model incorporating Coriolis dynamics is solved analytically and another with nonlinear friction is solved numerically to provide wind stress to a two-layer coastal ocean model. The resulting solutions are evidently the first to incorporate Coriolis terms with a thermodynamic equation that includes compressional warming effects. The emphasis in this paper is on delineating the parameters that control the relative adjustment of the katabatic wind into alongshore and offshore components. The ocean model shows that significant downwelling occurs at the coast, while upwelling is predicted at a distance of the order of the ocean Rossby radius. An alongshore coastal jet from the east is found in the model and is evidently the manifestation of the east wind drift. The upwelling offshore may be a significant aspect of polynya formation and maintenance of the antarctic divergence zone and contributes to the biological productivity of the region. (Auth. mod.)

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51-4529

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Precipitation (meteorology), Atmospheric circulation, Humidity, Lacustrine deposits, Water level, Stratigraphy, Radioactive age determination, Chile—Atacama Altiplano

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Climatology, Global change, Atmospheric composition, Mass balance, Carbon dioxide, Geochemical cycles, Ice sheets, Ice cores, Sampling, Correlation, Statistical analysis

One classical method of determining the net exchange of carbon between the atmosphere and the terrestrial biosphere is to perform a mass balance on atmospheric CO_2 over time. In this calculation, the residual flux needed to balance the carbon budget when fossil fuel emissions, ocean uptake, and the documented increase of atmospheric CO_2 concentrations are taken into account, is interpreted as being net terrestrial carbon exchange. In this study, the uncertainties in such a calculation are investigated and related to the magnitude of the "missing carbon sink" as a function of time. The difficulties in assigning a precise uncertainty estimate for the CO_2 growth rate from the antarctic ice core record are illustrated. It is then shown that the missing sink is significantly different from zero from the 1950s, to the present day, even when all the uncertainties are taken into consideration. Finally, it is pointed out that the uncertainties in the cumulative carbon budget imbalance may be larger than previously thought. (Auth. mod.)

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A cooperative French-Australian project is evaluating the possibilities of, and developing plans for replacing diesel generators with wind power turbines at their antarctic stations. The turbines must be large enough to supply the necessary power requirements but small enough so their rotors will not be overstressed by the high winds. A promising machine is the Lagerwey LW18/80. Though smaller, the Vergnet GEV 7.10 has also shown some success. Wind turbines may not be able to supply 100% of the power needs of all stations and totally replace diesel generators, so some intermittent use of diesel generators may still be necessary. For now it is unrealistic to expect a wind turbine that could supply several hundred kW and also resist the highest wind speeds (90 m/s or 324 km/h measured at Dumont d'Urville Station), but wind-resistant, medium-sized wind turbines could meet a significant proportion of the power required by the stations.

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The Controlled Ecological Life Support System (CELSS) Antarctic Analog Project (CAAP) is a joint endeavor between the National Science Foundation, Office of Polar Programs (NSF-OPP) and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). Its fundamental objective is to develop, deploy and operate a testbed of NASA Life Support technologies at the Amundsen-Scott South Pole Station. The CAAP program will attempt to provide in situ food and waste treatment facilities to winter-over personnel. Waste water is distilled. Solid wastes in the water provide nutrients for hydroponically grown vegetables. Water transpired from the vegetables provide potable water and the vegetables themselves provide food for the personnel. The CELSS may provide an analog for future space flights. (Auth. mod.)

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Heat transfer surfaces operating in cold regions often involve condensation. The analytical and experimental progress made in understanding the process of condensation on extended surfaces (fins) is reviewed in detail. The review covers condensation of pure vapor as well as dehumidification of air. The analytical models discussed range from simple Nusselt-type analysis to the three-dimensional conjugate approach, in which the conservation equations for the condensate film are tightly coupled to conduction in the fin. A separate section discusses the topic of dehumidification of air on finned cooling coils. Other topics reviewed include condensation on horizontal integral-fin tubes, convective condensation in internally finned tubes, and condensation in micro-fin tubes. Although condensation on horizontal integral-fin tubes appears to be well understood, the understanding of convective condensation in internally finned tubes, particularly the micro-fin tubes, is very limited. Furthermore, there exists no established methodology for designing extended surfaces for condensation applications. This report contains several examples illustrating the theoretical results that provide some insight into the design process.

51-4744

Developing new low-temperature admixtures for concrete: a field evaluation.

Korhonen, C.J., Charest, B., Romisch, K., SR 97-09, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, 10p., ADA-325 475, 5 refs. For another source see 51-2665.

Concrete admixtures, Winter concreting, Cold weather construction, Freeze thaw cycles, Antifreezes, Concrete curing, Concrete strength, Concrete freezing, Concrete placing, Frost protection

Two new admixtures, capable of preventing water from freezing, as well as increasing the hydration rate of cement at below-freezing temperatures, were field tested at Sault Ste. Marie, MI. Concrete made with the admixtures was placed on a frozen subgrade during a cold winter day and was allowed to cure thermally, unprotected in the cold. Comparison to control concrete placed inside a heated shelter showed that the unprotected, admixtured concrete was equal to the control in strength and appearance. Work is continuing on the development of these admixtures for commercial use.

51-4745

Selection of confluence sites with ice problems for structural solutions.

Tuthill, A.M., Mamone, A.C., SR 97-04, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Mar. 1997, 23p., ADA-325 468, 21 refs.

River ice, Ice jams, Rivers, Channels (waterways), Locks (waterways), Lakes, Reservoirs, Flooding, Countermeasures, United States—Ohio River, United States—Illinois River, United States—Kankakee River, United States—Des Plaines River, United States—Missouri River, United States—Mississippi River, United States—Salmon River, United States—Connecticut River, United States—Aroostook River, United States—Chagrin River, United States—St. Clair River

This study examines a broad range of ice problems at river confluence sites, grouping the sites into four categories. Weighted criteria were used to select two representative sites from each category for detailed analysis. This report describes the ice problems at the eight

selected sites, focusing on the relationship between channel geometry, hydrometeorological factors, and the historical record of ice events. For each site, tentative structural solutions are proposed.

51-4746

Screening of 12 *Festuca* cultivars for rapid root development.

Palazzo, A.J., Brar, G.S., MP 4050, *Journal of turfgrass management,* 1997, 2(1), p.15-25, 27 refs.

Grasses, Plant physiology, Roots, Biomass

Establishment of cool season grass seedlings in sandy soils is difficult due to lack of sufficient water in the seed zone. The objective of this study was to quantify the root growth rate of two cultivars of each of six *Festuca* species in the greenhouse. *Festuca* cultivars differed in rooting depth, root elongation rates, root length density, root mass density, root area, shoot biomass, leaf area, leaf length, and leaf number. The deepest root system and greatest cumulative root elongation rates were observed for 'Clemfine' tall fescue *(Festuca arundinacea* Schreb.) Visible root depth within the tube wall was significantly correlated with the root length observed after soil washing. The results show that plants with aggressive root elongation rates had the deepest and best developed root and shoot systems.

51-4747

Field demonstration of on-site analytical methods for TNT and RDX in ground water.

Craig, H., et al, MP 4051, HSRC/WERC Joint Conference on the Environment, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 21-23 May 1996. Proceedings, Albuquerque, New Mexico, 1996, p.204-219, 19 refs.

Explosives, Ground water, Water pollution, Water treatment, Accuracy, Performance, Military operation

A field demonstration was conducted to assess the performance of eight commercially-available and emerging colorimetric, immunoassay, and biosensor on-site analytical methods for explosives 2,4,6-trinitrotoluene (TNT) and hexahydro-1,3,5-trinitro-1,3,5-triazine (RDX) in ground water and leachate at the Umatilla Army Depot Activity, Hermiston, OR and U.S. Naval Submarine Base, Bangor, WA, Superfund sites. Ground water samples were analyzed by each of the on-site methods and results compared to laboratory analysis using high performance liquid chromatography with EPA SW-846 Method 8330. The commercial methods evaluated include the EnSys, Inc., TNT and RDX colorimetric test kits (EPA SW-846 Methods 8515 and 8510) with a solid phase extraction step, the DTECH/EM Science TNT and RDX immunoassay test kits (EPA SW-846 Methods 4050 and 4051), and the Ohmicron TNT immunoassay test kit. The emerging methods tested include the antibody-based Naval Research Laboratory (NRL) Continuous Flow Immunosensor (CFI) for TNT and RDX, and the Fiber Optic Biosensor (FOB) for TNT. Accuracy of the on-site methods was evaluated using linear regression analysis and relative percent difference comparison criteria. Over the range of conditions tested, the colorimetric methods for TNT and RDX showed the highest accuracy of the commercially-available methods, and the NRL CFI showed the highest accuracy of the emerging methods for TNT and RDX. The colorimetric method was selected for routine ground water monitoring at the Umatilla site, and further field testing on the NRL CFI and FOB biosensors will continue at both Superfund sites. The primary use for these analytical methods would be for influent and effluent monitoring for granular activated carbon ground water and leachate treatment systems, which are projected to operate for a period of 10 to 30 years.

51-4748

Potential temperature behavior on Nansen Ice Sheet Antarctica, during year 1989.

Argentini, S., Del Buono, P., Grigioni, P., Della Vedova, A.M., *ENEA, Istituto di Fisica Atmosferica,* Dec. 1995, RT-AMB-95-20, 15p., DE97-713415, With Italian summary. 4 refs.

Ice sheets, Air temperature, Variations, Weather stations, Wind (meteorology), Wind velocity, Antarctica—Reeves Glacier, Antarctica—Priestley Glacier, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay, Antarctica—Nansen Ice Sheet

The variability of the wind profile and atmospheric height and thermal structure in Terra Nova Bay were studied. The data collected by a network of Automatic Weather Stations (AWS) and by a sodar system during the summer '88-'89 are analyzed. To study the flow of Reeves and Priestley Glaciers and episodes in which the two flows are presented separately on the Nansen Ice Sheet, the difference of weekly mean potential temperature between the AWS 8909 and AWS 7352 for the year 1989—and the differences of daily mean potential temperature for all months—have been computed. Cases of anomalous stratification, in which the air masses from the Priestley Glacier are older than those of the Reeves Glacier, were found. To explain these superimpositions, sodar wind profiles and the potential temperatures of the AWSs 8909, 7352, 8931, and 8905 have been compared, hour by hour, for the 8th and 9th of Jan. During these hours, a katabatic wind episode is recorded. (Auth.)

51-4749

Distributed modeling of snowmelt and influence of wind.

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DLC TC5.W38

Water supply, Watersheds, Snow surveys, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Heat transfer, Convection, Snow heat flux, Wind factors, Topographic effects, Models, Simulation, Runoff forecasting

51-4750

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DLC TC5.W38

Electric power, Reservoirs, Hydraulic structures, Water intakes, River ice, Frazil ice, Ice control, Electric heating, Temperature control

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DLC TC5.W38

Precipitation (meteorology), Weather modification, Cloud physics, Cloud seeding, Aerosols, Ice nuclei, Artificial nucleation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice crystal growth, Supercooling

51-4752

Ice accumulation rate and the geometry of ice jams in river bends.

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DLC TC5.H8

River ice, Ice jams, Ice formation, Sediment transport, Ice water interface, Channels (waterways), Unsteady flow, Fluid dynamics, Simulation, Ice cover thickness, Profiles

51-4753

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DLC TC5.H8

Electric power, Reservoirs, Water intakes, Frazil ice, Ice formation, Ice control, Ice melting, Water temperature, Electric heating, Temperature control, Sensors, Photographic techniques, Computer applications

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Lake ice, Ecology, Ice cover effect, Subglacial observations, Aeration, Bubbling, Ice control, Environmental protection, Design

51-4755

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Aircraft icing, Ice forecasting, Weather forecasting, Computerized simulation, Statistical analysis

51-4757

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Site surveys, Seismic surveys, Electromagnetic prospecting, Glacial deposits, Glacial till, Glacial lakes, Lacustrine deposits, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Ground water, Water pollution, Land reclamation

51-4760

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Water supply, Water reserves, Hydrogeology, Hydrogeochemistry, Water chemistry, Water pollution, Soil pollution, Airports, United States—Alaska—Fairbanks

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51-4764

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51-4765

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51-4768

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Climatology, Cloud physics, Polar atmospheres, Air pollution, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Ice vapor interface, Ice formation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Homogeneous nucleation, Thermodynamics, Models, Statistical analysis, Environmental impact

51-4769

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DLC QC921.6.C6 N83

Cloud physics, Ice formation, Polar stratospheric clouds, Ice nuclei, Freezing nuclei, Organic nuclei, Homogeneous nucleation, Nucleation rate, Ice vapor interface, Theories, Bacteria

51-4771

Formation mechanisms of polar stratospheric clouds.

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DLC QC921.6.C6 N83

Climatology, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Cloud droplets, Aerosols, Ozone, Degradation, Hydrates, Ice formation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Thermodynamics

This paper summarizes the current state of knowledge of the microphysics and heterogeneous chemistry of polar stratospheric clouds with emphasis on liquid and solid particle thermodynamics and on kinetics of non-reactive gas uptake leading to particle growth. The consequences of the present uncertainties for the chemical processing of stratospheric air are briefly discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-4772

Aerosol production caused by civil air traffic: an overview of near-field interactions.

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Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Phase transformations, Chemical properties, Condensation trails, Heterogeneous nucleation, Freezing rate, Ice formation, Environmental impact

51-4773

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Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Condensation trails, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice formation, Ice vapor interface, Fuel additives, Particle size distribution, Visibility

51-4774

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Climatology, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Supercooled clouds, Aerosols, Condensation nuclei, Air pollution, Homogeneous nucleation, Spectroscopy, Simulation

51-4776

Crystallization kinetics of nitric acid dihydrate aerosols: implications for polar stratospheric clouds.

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DLC QC921.6.C6 N83

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Ozone, Polar stratospheric clouds, Supercooled clouds, Homogeneous nucleation, Ice formation, Ice vapor interface, Simulation, Thermodynamics, Spectroscopy

Type Ia polar stratospheric clouds are thought to consist of HNO_3/H_2O mixtures, usually assumed to be crystalline nitric acid trihydrate (NAT) or nitric acid dihydrate (NAD). The authors studied the crystallization of supercooled aerosols to determine the activation parameters used in homogeneous nucleation calculations. They found that the interfacial surface energy for NAD nucleation is much lower than the corresponding surface energy for NAT, suggesting a possible role for NAD in type Ia PSC formation. (Auth. mod.)

51-4777

Freezing of binary and ternary solutions of H_2SO_4, HNO_3 and H_2O under stratospheric conditions: nucleation statistics and experiments.

Koop, T., Luo, B.P., Biermann, U.M., Peter, T., International Conference on Nucleation and Atmospheric Aerosols, 14th, Helsinki, Finland, Aug.26-30, 1996. Proceedings. Edited by M. Kulmala et al, Oxford, Elsevier Science Ltd., 1996, p.318-321, 8 refs.

DLC QC921.6.C6 N83

Atmospheric composition, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Heterogeneous nucleation, Nucleation rate, Freezing points, Aerosols, Solutions, Simulation, Statistical analysis

New calorimetric freezing experiments of binary and ternary H_2SO_4/HNO_3/H_2O solutions are presented with applications to the formation of polar stratospheric clouds (PSCs). The authors show that the nucleation of hydrates from these solutions is a stochastic process and nucleation rates can be determined using Poisson statistics. The experiments reveal that under stratospheric conditions the freezing process of aerosol droplets is limited by the nucleation rates of the hydrates, rather than their crystal growth rates. Under thermodynamic equilibrium conditions above the ice frost point the homogeneous nucleation rates of stratospheric aerosols are exceedingly low, ruling out homogeneous freezing as a pathway for PSC formation. (Auth. mod.)

51-4778

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Cloud physics, Electric fields, Ice formation, Adsorption, Ice vapor interface, Phase transformations, Monomolecular films, Ion diffusion, Heterogeneous nucleation, Nucleation rate, Mathematical models

51-4779
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Climatology, Cloud physics, Ice nuclei, Condensation nuclei, Aerosols, Air pollution, Dust, Climatic changes, Cloud chambers, Simulation, Seasonal variations, China

51-4781
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Climatology, Cloud physics, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Aerial surveys, Ice nuclei, Distribution, Profiles

51-4782
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Cloud physics, Weather modification, Cloud seeding, Ice crystal growth, Heterogeneous nucleation, Aerosols, Supercooled clouds, Silver iodide, Ice dielectrics, Electric fields, Charge transfer

51-4783
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Climatology, Aerosols, Condensation trails, Ice formation, Ice nuclei, Phase transformations, Snow pellets, Humidity, Heterogeneous nucleation, Mathematical models

51-4784
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51-4785
Ice nucleation on sulfuric acid particles.
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Ice physics, Cloud physics, Hygroscopic nuclei, Condensation nuclei, Aerosols, Freezing points, Ice crystal growth, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice vapor interface, Humidity
Based on measurements of ice-nucleus concentration at Amundsen-Scott Station, below -30°C with precisely controlled humidities, hygroscopic particles were converted to ice crystals below sub-water saturation environment. Ice-crystal nucleation on sublimation nuclei has been ruled out in Fairbanks ice fog, and in diamond-dust crystals formed over polar zones. Hygroscopic aerosol particles have been identified as sulfuric acid, which are originated from ocean sources, manmade air pollution and volcanic activities. Sulfuric acid particles will form minute water droplets which freeze into ice crystals at the freezing temperatures that vary depending upon the aqueous sulfuric acid solution concentrations. These minute sulfuric acid particles must be responsible for formation on cirrus cloud crystals and even the polar stratospheric cloud particles. (Auth. mod.)

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Cloud physics, Simulation, Cloud droplets, Ice nuclei, Ice sublimation, Evaporation, Ice vapor interface, Supercooled clouds, Electric charge

51-4787
Nucleation characteristics of polycrystalline ice crystals.
Kikuchi, K., Harada, M., Uyeda, H., International Conference on Nucleation and Atmospheric Aerosols, 14th, Helsinki, Finland, Aug.26-30, 1996. Proceedings. Edited by M. Kulmala et al, Oxford, Elsevier Science Ltd., 1996, p.361-364, 14 refs.
DLC QC921.6.C6 N83
Cloud physics, Polar atmospheres, Cloud chambers, Ice crystal structure, Classifications, Cloud seeding, Silver iodide, Heterogeneous nucleation, Microscope slides
Polycrystalline ice crystals which were microphotographed by the authors in arctic and antarctic regions were classified into 12 types. Almost all of them were crossed plates type and their production rate was approximately less than 5% of usual ice crystals. To investigate the shapes of these ice crystals and their production rate, laboratory experiments using a cloud chamber were carried out under temperature conditions between -18 and -42°C. As a result, almost all shapes that were observed in the polar regions occurred in the chamber and their rate was less than 5%, a value similar to that of an observational result. (Auth. mod.)

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Isolating and identifying atmospheric ice-nucleating aerosols: a new technique.
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Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Condensation nuclei, Aerosols, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Statistical analysis, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Georg von Neumayer Station
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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Air pollution, Atmospheric composition, Chemical composition, Aerosols, Distribution, Particle size distribution, Statistical analysis, Sampling

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Cloud physics, Sampling, Condensation nuclei, Spectra, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Palmer Station

Cloud Condensation Nuclei (CCN) activity spectra and meteorological data were measured between Feb. 12 and Feb. 26, 1994 at Palmer Station. The CCN spectra were typical of a marine location. The meteorological and CCN spectral data indicate a significant change in the total CCN concentration measured in association with the sampling near the fog-free boundary of different air-masses or air-parcels, including those from evaporating clouds. These measurements show that the temporal variation of CCN spectra may be used to obtain information concerning air-mass transport and mixing without making the measurements within cloudy air. (Auth.)

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Climatology, Cloud physics, Air pollution, Condensation trails, Heterogeneous nucleation, Ice crystal growth, Ice nuclei, Condensation nuclei, Simulation, Statistical analysis

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Cloud physics, Aerosols, Ice formation, Humidity, Heterogeneous nucleation, Homogeneous nucleation, Condensation nuclei, Mathematical models

51-4805

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51-4809

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51-4824

Emission of N_2O from agricultural soil under snow cover: a significant part of N budget.

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Glacial hydrology, Glacier tongues, Glacier melting, Meltwater, Classifications, Subglacial drainage, Runoff, Chemical composition, Electrical resistivity, Boreholes, Ice water interface, Hydrogeochemistry

51-4826

Long-term perspective on the nature of the air-water temperature relationship: a case study.

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River basins, River flow, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Meltwater, Air water interactions, Air temperature, Freezing points, Water temperature, Seasonal variations, Forecasting, Latent heat, Statistical analysis

51-4827

Kinematic wave modelling of vertical movement of snowmelt water through a snowpack.

Singh, V.P., Bengtsson, L., Westerstrom, G., *Hydrological processes,* Feb. 1997, 11(2), p.149-167, 40 refs.

Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Seepage, Saturation, Water flow, Wave propagation, Snow permeability, Ice water interface, Mathematical models, Boundary value problems, Runoff forecasting, Mathematical models

51-4828

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Forest ecosystems, Forest soils, Hydrologic cycle, Winter, Albedo, Snow melting, Drainage, Glaze, Snow accumulation, Interception, Vegetation factors, Soil water, Nutrient cycle

51-4829

Kinematic wave modelling of saturated basal flow in a snowpack.

Singh, V.P., Bengtsson, L., Westerstrom, G., *Hydrological processes,* Feb. 1997, 11(2), p.177-187, 9 refs.

Snow hydrology, Snow physics, Snowmelt, Seepage, Hydrography, Subsurface drainage, Wave propagation, Velocity measurement, Runoff forecasting, Mathematical models, Statistical analysis, Ice water interface

51-4830

Use of borehole video in investigating the hydrology of a temperate glacier.

Copland, L., Harbor, J., Gordon, S., Sharp, M., *Hydrological processes,* Feb. 1997, 11(2), p.211-224, 39 refs.

Glacial hydrology, Subglacial drainage, Subglacial observations, Boreholes, Colored ice, Water level, Turbidity, Photographic techniques, Recording, Imaging, Structural analysis

51-4831

Warm future in the past.

Howard, W.R., *Nature,* July 31, 1997, 388(6641), p.418-419, 12 refs.

Climatic changes, Paleoclimatology, Sea level

The author provides a brief examination of discussions held at the symposium "Carbonate Marine System During Oxygen Isotope Stage 11," during the American Geophysical Union Spring Meeting, Baltimore, MD, USA, 27-30 May 1997. As to the questions are we entering an extended warming period or a short period of warmth followed by a return to glacial conditions, there appeared to be nearly equal amounts of evidence supporting each possibility.

51-4832

Predicted reduction in basal melt rates of an antarctic ice shelf in a warmer climate.

Nicholls, K.W., *Nature,* July 31, 1997, 388(6641), p.460-462, 16 refs.

Ice shelves, Ice melting, Ice salinity, Subglacial caves, Brines, Antarctica—Filchner Ice Shelf, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Presented here are temperature measurements, from the Filchner/Ronne sub-ice-shelf cavity, which show a strong seasonality in the inflow of HSSW. This seasonality results from intense wintertime production of sea ice, and it is argued that the seasonal springtime warming can be used as an analogue for climate warming. For the present mode of oceanographic circulation, the implication is that warmer winters (a climate warming) leading to lower rates of sea-ice formation, would cause a reduction in the flux of HSSW beneath the ice shelf. The resultant cooling in the sub-ice cavity would lead, in turn, to a reduction in the total melting at the ice shelf's base. A moderate warming of the climate could thus lead to a basal thickening of the Filchner-Ronne Ice Shelf, perhaps increasing its longevity. (Auth. mod.)

51-4833

Effects of sea-ice extent and krill or salp dominance on the antarctic food web.

Loeb, V., et al, *Nature,* June 26, 1997, 387(6636), p.897-900, 30 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Marine biology, Biomass, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula, Antarctica—Elephant Island

Krill *(Euphausia superba)* provide a direct link between primary producers and higher trophic levels in the antarctic marine food web. The pelagic tunicate *Salpa thompsoni* can also be important during spring and summer through the formation of extensive and dense blooms. Although salps are not a major dietary item for antarctic vertebrate predators, their blooms can affect adult krill reproduction and survival of krill larvae. Here the authors provide data from 1995 and 1996 that support hypothesized relationships between krill, salps and region-wide sea-ice conditions. They have assessed salp consumption as a proportion of net primary production, and found correlations between herbivore densities and integrated chlorophyll-*a* that indicate a degree of competition between krill and salps. Analysis of the relationship between annual sea-ice cover and a longer time series of air temperature measurements shows a decreased frequency of winters with extensive sea-ice development over the last five decades. Data suggest that decreased krill availability may affect the levels of their vertebrate predators. Regional warming and reduced krill abundance therefore affect the marine food web and krill resource management. (Auth. mod.)

51-4834

Three-dimensional modeling of two glaciers and deformation analysis of ice-rich permafrost. [Dreidimensionale Modellierung zweier Gletscher und Deformationsanalyse von eisreichem Permafrost]

Wagner, S., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1996, No.146, 135p., In German with English summary. Refs. p.93-100.

Mountain glaciers, Rock glaciers, Glacier flow, Glacier beds, Basal sliding, Ground ice, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Soil creep, Computerized simulation

51-4835

Runoff formation under extreme precipitation: identification of runoff processes by artificial precipitation. [Abflussbildung bei Starkniederschlägen: Identifikation von Abflussprozessen mittels künstlicher Niederschläge]

Scherrer, S., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.147, 188p., In German with English summary. Refs. p.153-158.

Precipitation (meteorology), Seepage, Ground water, Soil water migration, Slope processes, Stream flow, Runoff forecasting, Flood forecasting, Artificial precipitation, Environment simulation

51-4836

Numerical simulation of shockwaves in free surface flows. [Numerische Simulation von Stosswellen in Freispiegelströmungen]

Näf, D.R., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.148, 175p., In German with English summary. Refs. p.131-137.

Dams, Spillways, Accidents, Floods, Flood forecasting, Flood control, Water flow, Hydrodynamics, Turbulent flow, Shock waves, Mathematical models, Computerized simulation

51-4837

Glacier fluctuations in the Alps. Meeting in honor of the retirement of Markus Aellen, February 28, 1996, in Zürich. [Gletscherschwankungen im Alpenraum. Tagung zum Altersrücktritt von Markus Aellen am 28 Februar 1996 in Zürich], *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.149, 84p., In German. Refs. passim. For selected papers see 51-4838 through 51-4844.

Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow

51-4838

"Normal" and unusual glacier variations. ["Normale" und aussergewöhnliche Gletscherveränderungen]

Röthlisberger, H., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.149, Gletscherschwankungen im Alpenraum. Tagung zum Altersrücktritt von Markus Aellen am 28 Februar 1996 in Zürich (Glacier fluctuations in the Alps. Meeting in honor of the retirement of Markus Aellen, Zürich, Feb. 28, 1996), p.11-27, In German. 17 refs.

Mountain glaciers, Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier tongues, Moraines, Switzerland

51-4839

Ice dynamics at the confluence of Aare glaciers. [Eisdynamik am Zusammenfluß der Aaregletscher]

Gudmundsson, G.H., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.149, Gletscherschwankungen im Alpenraum. Tagung zum Altersrücktritt von Markus Aellen am 28 Februar 1996 in Zürich (Glacier fluctuations in the Alps. Meeting in honor of the retirement of Markus Aellen, Zürich, Feb. 28, 1996), p.29-38, In German. 20 refs.

Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Ice deformation, Ice creep, Switzerland

51-4840

Spatial analysis and kinematics of glacier fluctuations. [Räumliche Analyse der Schwankungen von Gletschern und ihrer Kinematik]

Kääb, A., *Zürich. Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule. Versuchsanstalt für Wasserbau, Hydrologie und Glaziologie. Mitteilungen,* 1997, No.149, Gletscherschwankungen im Alpenraum. Tagung zum Altersrücktritt von Markus Aellen am 28 Februar 1996 in Zürich (Glacier fluctuations in the Alps. Meeting in honor of the retirement of Markus Aellen, Zürich, Feb. 28, 1996), p.39-50, In German with English summary. 10 refs.

Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Glacier surfaces, Glacier thickness, Photogrammetric surveys, Switzerland

51-4841

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Glacier surveys, Mountain glaciers, Glacier oscillation, Glacier flow, Basal sliding, Switzerland

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Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow hydrology, Snow water equivalent, Water reserves, Switzerland

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Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Ice shelves, Synthetic aperture radar, Spaceborne photography, Topographic surveys

This paper presents the advances in SAR interferometry using "Almaz-1" satellite data. Quality images were obtained on adjacent cycles for an antarctic coastal site with glacier tongue, grounded and sea ice fields and icebergs. The interferograms reveal glacier elevation and show the results of iceberg pressure on the ice sheets. Specific questions of interferometric processing are analyzed. The results of compensation for velocity vectors differences caused by nonsynchronous orbits are illustrated on phase pictures. (Auth. mod.)

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Climatology, Insolation, Atmospheric boundary layer, Surface energy, Radiation balance, Snow heat flux, Ice air interface, Mathematical models, Wind factors

Surface radiation measurements and other climatological data were used to validate the representation of the surface energy balance over the East Antarctic Ice Sheet. Model calculations of incident and reflected shortwave radiation are in good agreement with observations, but the downward component of longwave radiation at the surface appears to be underestimated by up to 20 W/m^2 in the model. Over much of the interior of Antarctica this error appears to be compensated for by an overestimate in turbulent transport of heat to the surface, while over the steep coastal slopes the heat flux is in good agreement with observations but the surface temperature is too low. The excessive heat flux over the interior results largely from the use of an inappropriately large bulk transfer coefficient under very stable conditions, suggesting that the surface heat flux scheme in the model is not ideally formulated for the conditions that prevail in the antarctic boundary layer. (Auth. mod.)

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Sea ice, Algae, Bacteria, Biomass, Antarctica—Prydz Bay

A total of 135 bacterial strains were isolated from congelation sea ice samples and ice algae biomass samples obtained from the coastal areas of the Vestfold Hills during the summers of 1992-95. The sea ice isolates, along with reference strains, were analyzed by numerical taxonomy and for DNA base composition in order to determine the biodiversity of sea ice bacteria. From these analyses 22 clusters of strains (phena) were obtained with most phena apparently representing novel bacterial taxa. The sea ice isolates could be categorized into three groups based on their ecophysiology: slightly halophilic, psychrophilic bacteria often possessing fastidious growth requirements; halotolerant and psychrotolerant bacteria; and nonhalophilic bacteria isolated primarily from upper sections of congelation ice and other ice samples with low levels of algal biomass. (Auth. mod.)

51-4879

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Altiplanation, Bench marks, Freeze thaw cycles, Thermal stresses, Patterned ground, Permafrost, Antarctica—Alexander Island

A series of benches on nunataks of Alexander I. are described. An increase in bench size with distance away from the retreating glacier suggests an age spectrum. The benches have thermal contraction cracks (in bedrock) on shallower, upper sections of the risers as well as salt encrusted runnels on the steeper lower section of the tread. The benches also show a distinct orientational preference (oriented to the north through to west) and, from first principles, these seem to be the aspects with optimal freeze-thaw cycles and temperatures conducive to thermal stress fatigue. The extensive dilatation associated with the retreating glaciers is thought to play a significant role in the origin and development of the benches as the combination of extensive jointing, and optimal process conditions are thought to constrain where benches begin. The jointing, aided by the thermal contraction cracking, then facilitates extension and continued weathering of the treads. (Auth. mod.)

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Early winter ice and snow thickness distribution, ice structure and development of the western Ross Sea pack ice between the ice edge and the Ross Ice Shelf.

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Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Snow depth, Ice structure, Ice formation, Pack ice, Antarctica—Ross Sea

A study of early winter first-year sea ice conditions and development in the western Ross Sea in May and June 1995, showed strong spatial variability between the Ross Ice Shelf and the ice edge 1400 km to the north, and indicates that the development of the Ross Sea pack ice is quite different from that observed in other antarctic sea ice zones. The thinnest snow and ice occurred in a 200 km wide coastal zone. The thickest snow and ice were observed in a continental shelf zone 200-600 km from the coast. A zone of moderate snow and ice thickness occurred on the deep ocean from 600 km to the ice edge at 1400 km. Thermodynamic thickening of the ice in the inner pack ice, <800 km from the coast, was dominated by congelation ice growth, which occurred in a greater amount and in thicker layers than was observed in the outer pack ice >800 km from the coast and elsewhere in the antarctic pack ice. (Auth. mod.)

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Seabed topography under the southern and western Ronne Ice Shelf, derived from seismic surveys.

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Seismic surveys, Ice shelves, Bottom topography, Ice water interface, Ocean currents, Thickness, Mapping, Antarctica—Ronne Ice Shelf

Seismic reflection measurements of ice thickness and water-column thickness have been made over the southern and western Ronne Ice Shelf, from which the seabed elevation has been determined. A 2300 km traverse, covering an area over which little bathymetric data previously existed and at a station interval of 15 km, resulted in 152 new measurements of the seabed elevation. With the addition of the new data there is now complete coverage of the seabed elevation and water-column thickness for Ronne Ice Shelf at a spatial resolution of between 10-100 km. The seabed in the area to the south of Korff and Henry ice rises and the Doake Ice Rumples is about 100 m shallower than had previously been speculated, which will affect the validity of previous assumptions of water circulation and ice-ocean interaction in this area. (Auth. mod.)

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Limnology, Littoral zone, Geochemistry, Lacustrine deposits, Biomass, Ecology, Algae, Nutrient cycle, Carbon isotopes, Isotope analysis, Statistical analysis

51-4888

Modelling climate, topography and palaeoglacier fluctuations in the Chilean Andes.

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Geomorphology, Glacial geology, Climatic factors, River basins, Glacier flow, Glacier oscillation, Ice edge, Profiles, Glacier mass balance, Topographic effects, Models, Chile—Andes

51-4889

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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Paleoecology, Glacier oscillation, Meltwater, Salinity, Ocean currents, Icebergs, Bottom sediment, Drill core analysis, Isotope analysis, Remanent magnetism, Radioactive age determination

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Glacial geology, Tectonics, Landforms, Glacier beds, Glacial erosion, Deformation, Sedimentation, Structural analysis, Classifications, Quaternary deposits, Subglacial observations

51-4891

Glaciotectonized Quaternary sediments at Dinas Dinlle, Gwynedd, North Wales, and their bearing on the style of deglaciation in the eastern Irish Sea.

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51-4892

Using wavelets to detect trends.

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Climatology, Air temperature, Wind velocity, Periodic variations, Oscillations, Spectra, Statistical analysis, Mathematical models, Detection, Correlation

Wavelets are a new class of basis functions that are finding wide use for analyzing and interpreting time series data. This paper describes a new use for wavelets—identifying trends in time series. The general signal considered has a quadratic trend. The inverted Haar wavelet and the elephant wavelet, respectively, provide estimates of the first-order and second-order coefficients in the trend polynomial. This paper demonstrates wavelet trend detection using artificial data and then various turbulence data collected in the atmospheric surface layer, and last, provides guidelines on when linear and quadratic trends are "significant" enough to require removal from a time series. Anemometer data from Weddell Station, Antarctica is used in the analysis. (Auth. mod.)

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The present invention pertains to sloped-faced ice control elements that are each spaced apart across a riverbed adjacent to a floodplain region. The elements arrest a breakup ice run. The size and spacing of the ice-resisting elements can vary with river size and average ice piece size diameter. The ice-resisting elements, for example, can comprise three or four quarried granite blocks buried in the riverbed in a relatively narrow river of 100 feet or less. This arrangement allows gaps between each ice-resisting element for easy canoe and fish passage. These gaps prevent the ice pieces of the ice jam from passing through during breakup ice runs. The ice-resisting elements may be formed from various materials such as quarried rock, poured concrete, rock-filled cribs, etc. After the ice-resisting elements have retained and stabilized the ice jam, water levels recede and warming water temperatures melt the ice in place behind the ice-resisting elements.

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The present invention pertains to a microwave continuous wave (CW) Doppler radar system for river ice motion detection and real-time kinematic data acquisition using digital signal processing equipment for processing, storing and displaying such data. With less complex electronic signal processing hardware, a Doppler radar ice motion detection and alarming system can be used in conjunction with the system. River ice kinematic measurements are fundamental to analyses of river/ice dynamics. The system herein can be rapidly deployed, requires minimal operator interaction, and can continuously acquire, process, store and display ice kinematic data regardless of visibility conditions. Use of the Doppler radar system is an effective, efficient and precise method and apparatus for obtaining river ice kinematic data.

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Soil pollution, Soil stabilization, Land reclamation, Animals, Environmental protection, Geotextiles

A geosynthetic barrier adapted to deny wildlife access to contaminated sediments (CS), includes a geocomposite formed of a top layer juxtaposed on a bottom layer which is adapted to be placed on the sediments. The top layer includes a geosynthetic drainage matrix having a plurality of openings, and the bottom layer includes a geotextile having a plurality of openings formed so as to allow gases to escape from the contaminated sediments on which said geocomposite is placed. The openings in the bottom layer of the geosynthetic barrier have a size in the range up to 200 cm and are spaced apart on centers having a range of between 6 cm to 600 cm, for example. The geosynthetic drainage matrix may be a geonet, a geogrid or a geomesh, fabricated from polyethylene, polypropylene, high density polyethylene, low density polyethylene, polystyrene, or high impact polystyrene. The top and bottom layers may be either separate layers, or may be joined together to produce a unified geocomposite web; may be held in place by a gravel layer (G) or other means; may be used in a subaqueous (W) or a non-subaqueous environment; and may provide a suitable environment through which vegetation (V) can be rooted.

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A high resolution thermometer operated by the pressure of a solid/liquid phase mixture is characterized by a vessel containing the mixture, a pressure sensor and a pressure indicator. A relatively small change in the temperature to be measured causes the proportion of solid and liquid in the vessel to change, thereby producing a dramatic change in pressure which can be measured with greater accuracy than the relatively small temperature change. Temperature is determined by converting the pressure to temperature using the appropriate thermodynamic relationship.

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The data from sea ice buoys, which were deployed during the Winter Weddell Sea Project 1986, the Winter Weddell Gyre Studies 1989 and 1992, the Ice Station Weddell in 1992, the Antarctic Zone Flux Experiment in 1994, and several ship cruises in austral summers, are uniformly reanalyzed by the same objective methods. The buoys were capable of monitoring atmosphere pressure, air and ice temperatures, as well as position. The buoys were frequently arranged within groups of three to seven to allow calculation of reliable estimates of geostrophic winds and ice motion and under favorable conditions their spatial derivatives. Geostrophic winds for buoys operational regions are derived after matching of the buoy pressure data with the surface pressure fields of the European Centre for Medium Range Weather Forecasts. Historical data from drifting ships are included in the temperature, air pressure and ice drift analyses. This report documents the mean structure as well as the variability of ice motion and spatial derivatives of ice motion, the statistics of surface pressure, geostrophic winds and air temperatures in the sea ice covered part of the Weddell Sea. (Auth. mod.)

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Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Bottom sediment, Marine deposits, Suspended sediments, Sea water, Water chemistry, Ice composition, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Hydrates, Geochemical cycles, Global warming, Beaufort Sea, United States—Alaska

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51-4953

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51-4954

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51-4971

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51-4972

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Moraines, Sediments, Tectonics, Geomorphology, Glaciers, Ice models, Antarctica—Prydz Bay, Antarctica—Vestfold Hills, Antarctica—Sørsdal Glacier

The morphology, sedimentology and structure of moraines at the margin of an outlet glacier in East Antarctica are described, and contemporary depositional processes in a marine inlet adjacent to the ice margin are examined. Results indicate that the principal moraines are thrust-block moraines produced by basal freezing and deformation of glaciomarine sediment as the outlet glacier expands into a marine inlet. Preservation of detailed glaciomarine sedimentary structures and beds of marine shells suggests that the sediment was frozen during entrainment, transportation and deposition. The presence of low-angle faults in the moraines shows that the moraines consist of an *en echelon* arrangement of thrust plates. The sedimentology, structure, thickness of the thrust plates, and inferred entrainment processes are consistent with Weertman's ice-debris accretion hypothesis for debris entrainment at the edge of cold ice sheets. A model of thrust-block moraine development produced by this study provides a framework for the interpretation of radiocarbon dates from marine macrofossils in the moraines. The model may also be useful in the interpretation of similar moraines in coastal East Antarctica oases and other polar marginal marine environments. (Auth.)

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DLC TA440.I54

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51-4976

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DLC TA440.I54

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51-4978

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51-4980

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This paper focuses on recent findings from laboratory and in-situ experiments that shed light on the relationship between the physical and mechanical properties of sea ice. The links between the elastic and anelastic (delayed elastic) components of strain and brine and gas porosities are examined and quantified. The elastic response is found to be a linear function of gas porosity, whereas the brine porosity has a complex influence on both the elastic and anelastic response. These effects are modeled and shown to produce predications that are in good agreement with experimental observations. The paper reviews the results of a recent program of large-scale in-situ experiments that show the significance of brine drainage structures in determining scale effects on the fracture behavior of first-year sea ice. The topics of laboratory and field testing methods and the use of constant microstructure experiments also receive attention.

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Electrochemical ozonesondes were used to measure the vertical profile of ozone and temperature over Zhongshan Station in the spring of 1993. The authors observed the total ozone of less than 220 Du three times. The reduction of ozone concentration began in Sep., reaching maximum from mid-Sep. to mid-Oct. The typical vertical distribution of the ozone indicates that 13-23 km above the surface is the largest range of ozone loss. This is the height range where the polar stratospheric clouds and volcanic aerosols exist. This paper presents observational results and fundamental analyses. (Auth. mod.)

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Meso-scale cyclones with small spatial and temporal scales occur poleward of the main polar front. These "polar mesocyclones" or "polar lows" may have a large impact on local weather conditions and may be of vital importance for human activities in polar regions. The main concern of the present study is to contribute to the understanding of the development and the structures of polar mesocyclones. The point of main effort lies on investigations of mesocyclones in the Weddell Sea area. Results from studies for different regions in the Antarctic and in the Arctic are compared to the results of the present study in relation to the entirety of polar mesocyclones in both hemispheres. Insights into the complex processes for the development of these mesocyclones were obtained by climatological studies during the antarctic summer and winter and by the aircraft-based experiment AMES during the austral summer 1989-90. (Auth. mod.)

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Vertical soundings of stratospheric ozone often exhibit laminated tracer structures characterized by strong vertical tracer gradients. The change in time of these gradients is used to define a tracer lamination rate. It is shown that this quantity can be calculated by the cross product of the horizontal temperature and horizontal tracer gradients. A climatology based on satellite-borne ozone data and on ozone-like pseudotracer data is presented. Three stratospheric regions with high lamination rates were found: the part of the stratospheric overworld which is influenced by the polar vortex, the part of the lowermost stratosphere which is influenced by the tropopause

and a third region in the subtropical lower stratosphere mainly characterized with strong vertical shear. During winter, high lamination rates associated with the stratospheric polar vortex are present down to ca. 100 hPa. The patterns in the southern and northern hemisphere are comparable, but details differ as anticipated from a less disturbed and more symmetric antarctic vortex. (Auth. mod.)

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Studies of the antarctic climate with a stretched-grid general circulation model.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Surface temperature, Wind direction, Snow accumulation, Topographic effects, Temperature inversions, Simulation

A stretched-grid general circulation model is used for a multiyear high-resolution simulation of the antarctic climate. The resolution in the antarctic region reaches 100 km. The simulated antarctic climate is significantly better in the stretched-grid simulation than in the regular-grid control run. The katabatic wind regime is well captured, although the winds may be too weak. The annual snow accumulation is close to the observed values. The model correctly simulates the atmospheric dynamics of the rest of the globe. (Auth. mod.)

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Combined global climate model and mesoscale model simulations of antarctic climate.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Glacial meteorology, Atmospheric pressure, Atmospheric boundary layer, Moisture transfer, Wind direction, Computerized simulation

Simulations of antarctic latitudes with a high-resolution mesoscale model examine the impact of a moist physics parameterization and the success of a one-way nesting inside a global climate model. The nested simulation is sensitive to the forcing at the horizontal boundaries. Consequently, proper location of troughs and ridges at the boundaries is required for the model to well represent all the major troughs and ridges inside the domain. The addition of moist physics to the mesoscale simulations tends to improve the quality of the simulated fields over the southern ocean. In particular, the intensity of the circumpolar trough is increased. Over Antarctica, serious deficiencies are found in the simulations with moist physics. Excessive moisture is apparently stored in the simulated clouds leading to excessive atmospheric back radiation and, consequently, excessive temperatures at the surface and higher up in the troposphere. (Auth. mod.)

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Validation of operational numerical analyses in antarctic latitudes.

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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Weather forecasting, Surface temperature, Radio echo soundings, Classifications, Weather stations, Wind direction, Seasonal variations, Correlation, Accuracy, Mathematical models

Available rawinsonde, automatic weather station (AWS), ship, and synthesized long-term observations are used to evaluate the antarctic numerical analyses of the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts (ECMWF) and the U.S. National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) from 1985 to 1994. Twice-daily variations in the ECMWF surface pressure analyses compare closely with AWS units of the U.S. Antarctic Program and ship observations. The NCEP analyses over the same period show substantial improvement, particularly during the period 1985-1990. Surface air temperatures and winds do not agree so closely, which may result from analyses error, the localized nature of the fields, or a combination. Results presented here indicate that a large amount of the available data is being incorporated and that large deficiencies identified in previous studies are being addressed, although areas of concern remain. In particular, grid values corresponding to individual stations including the now-closed Leningradskaya base and Mirnyy are found to be conspicuously deficient at the 200 hPa level for both analyses. (Auth. mod.)

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On the forcing of seasonal changes in surface pressure over Antarctica.

Parish, T.R., Bromwich, D.H., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,785-13,792, 32 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric pressure, Wind velocity, Topographic effects, Seasonal variations, Mass transfer

A 10-year record (1985-1994) of output statistics from the European Centre for Medium-Range Weather Forecasts model shows that profound seasonal changes in surface pressure take place over the antarctic continent. The large seasonal changes in solar insolation reaching the antarctic ice surface modulate the intensity of the katabatic wind regime and thus the resulting mean meridional circulation between the continent and the subpolar latitudes. It is proposed that the diabatic adjustment in the lower levels of the atmosphere over Antarctica disrupts the mean meridional circulation creating a seasonal mass imbalance and hence surface pressure changes. The seasonal mass movement over Antarctica requires large-scale mass compensation over much of the Southern Hemisphere and shows that the diabatic influences at the antarctic surface have far-field impacts. (Auth. mod.)

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Air-snow interactions and the surface energy and mass balance over the melting zone of West Greenland during the Greenland Ice Margin Experiment.

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Climatology, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Ice sheets, Glacier mass balance, Snow air interface, Snowmelt, Snow heat flux, Regelation, Surface energy, Ice cover effect, Mathematical models, Greenland

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Idealized simulations of the antarctic katabatic wind system with a three-dimensional mesoscale model.

Heinemann, G., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,825-13,834, 23 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Wind velocity, Wind direction, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Topographic effects, Diurnal variations, Simulation, Mathematical models

The katabatic wind system represents a key factor for the near-surface wind field of the antarctic region. Idealized simulations with a three-dimensional mesoscale model are performed to investigate the development of the antarctic katabatic wind system and its sensitivity to physical boundary conditions, in particular channeling effects and the thermodynamic forcing close to the coastline. The simulated cases represent wintertime cases with complete sea ice coverage and no sea ice, as well as a realistic summertime situation. The formation of shallow mesoscale circulations is simulated after 2-4 days of simulation in ice-free coastal areas. In these regions, low-level convergence, diabatic heating, and the cold air advection associated with the katabatic flow leads to low-level baroclinicity and cyclonic vorticity production. (Auth. mod.)

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Air-sea interactions over Terra Nova Bay during winter: simulation with a coupled atmosphere-polynya model.

Gallée, H., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,835-13,849, Refs. p.13,848-13,849.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Air ice water interaction, Polynyas, Frazil ice, Heat flux, Mathematical models, Simulation, Antarctica—Terra Nova Bay

A preliminary simulation of the Terra Nova Bay polynya has been performed with a coupled atmosphere-polynya model. The atmospheric model is a hydrostatic primitive equations model that has been validated previously by a simulation of the strong katabatic winds observed in that area. The polynya model includes a representation of the free drift of frazil ice and simple sea-ice dynamics and thermodynamics. Two-dimensional experiments show that an open (warm) water area influences significantly the atmospheric circulation in the antarctic coastal zone: an additional ice-breeze effect is simulated and is responsible for the strengthening of the katabatic winds near the coast. Because of the important temperature difference between the continental air and the ice-free ocean (up to 40°C), strong surface heat fluxes are simulated over the polynya. Finally, a three-dimensional experiment has been performed. The integration domain includes Terra Nova Bay. The polynyas observed are stronger than previously thought but are probably constrained by the idealized representation of frazil ice, which is assumed to be uniform in each grid box. (Auth. mod.)

51-5082

Evolution of the cloudy boundary layer during the autumnal freezing of the Beaufort Sea.

Curry, J.A., Pinto, J.O., Benner, T., Tschudi, M., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,851-13,860, 22 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Sounding, Aerial surveys, Cloud cover, Air temperature, Profiles, Radiation balance, Atmospheric boundary layer, Sea ice distribution, Sea water freezing, Air ice water interaction, Beaufort Sea

51-5083

Role of radiative transfer in the modeled mesoscale development of summertime arctic stratus.

Pinto, J.O., Curry, J.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,861-13,872, 46 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Cloud cover, Cloud physics, Radiation balance, Cooling, Profiles, Models, Simulation, Seasonal variations

51-5084

Surface wind fields of antarctic mesocyclones derived from ERS 1 scatterometer data.

Marshall, G.J., Turner, J., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,907-13,921, 49 refs.

Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Climatology, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Spaceborne photography

The effectiveness of ERS 1 scatterometer data as a tool for studying the wind fields of antarctic mesocyclones is analyzed by using 1 year's observations of these systems derived from satellite imagery encompassing the Antarctic Peninsula and Bellingshausen and Wed-

dell Seas. It is shown that the scatterometer processing scheme utilized can affect the resultant wind fields, particularly the accuracy of the external forecast winds used for "meteorological ambiguity removal." Very few of the mesocyclones (9%) were "captured" by the scatterometer data because ca. 60% of the vortices did not form over the open ocean, and because the narrow scatterometer swath results in a poor temporal resolution unfit for the small-sized, short-lived antarctic mesocyclones. The scatterometer wind field data represent an important new tool for studying antarctic mesocyclones but need to be used in conjunction with sensors having a higher frequency of coverage to allow multitemporal analyses of such systems throughout their development. (Auth. mod.)

51-5085

Mesoscale cyclone activity over Antarctica during 1991. 1. Marie Byrd Land.

Carrasco, J.F., Bromwich, D.H., Liu, Z., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,923-13,937, 33 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric circulation, Advection, Cloud cover, Spaceborne photography, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Marie Byrd Land

A 1-year statistical study of mesoscale cyclonic activity indicates that, on average, one or two mesoscale cyclones can be observed each week over the southernmost part of Marie Byrd Land, where cold katabatic winds from the high plateau of East Antarctica and relatively warm katabatic airflows from West Antarctica interact. The 1991 annual mesoscale cyclone behavior exhibits maximum activity in Mar. and minimum in Sep. Analysis of the large-scale pattern for these months suggests that the higher activity in Mar. is associated with synoptic-scale conditions that support the cold katabatic drainage from East Antarctica and favor warm air advection into West Antarctica. More than half (70%) of the mesoscale vortices observed near Siple Coast were of comma cloud type with an average diameter of about 250 km. The satellite signature characteristics show that these cyclonic perturbations were stratiform low cloud features, indicating that most developed within the lower troposphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-5086

Mesoscale cyclone activity over Antarctica during 1991. 2. Near the Antarctic Peninsula.

Carrasco, J.F., Bromwich, D.H., Liu, Z., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,939-13,954, 33 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Atmospheric circulation, Cloud cover, Spaceborne photography, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—Bellingshausen Sea, Antarctica—Weddell Sea

In a survey of mesoscale cyclogenesis near the Antarctic Peninsula carried out for 1991, a slightly higher cyclonic activity was found over the Bellingshausen Sea than over the Weddell Sea. Both sides were characterized by a pronounced formation maximum in summer and a minimum in winter. Comma clouds were the dominant vortex type. The fraction of mesoscale cyclones with middle and/or high cloud on the west side of the Antarctic Peninsula was much higher than on the east side. These numerous and deep mesoscale cyclones are a consequence of the frequent outbreaks of cold air associated with synoptic-scale cyclones that move cold air northward over the relatively warm Bellingshausen Sea. This happens less often in the Weddell Sea area, where low-level baroclinic instability and vortex stretching are the dominant formation mechanisms, and air-sea interaction is usually much less vigorous. (Auth. mod.)

51-5087

Early-autumn polar low formation over the Norwegian Sea.

Nielsen, N.W., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,955-13,973, 29 refs.

Climatology, Marine atmospheres, Polar atmospheres, Fronts (meteorology), Cloud cover, Turbulent boundary layer, Atmospheric pressure, Air water interactions, Spaceborne photography, Weather forecasting, Mathematical models, Norwegian Sea

51-5088

Synoptic and mesoscale atmospheric features over the ice-covered portion of the Fram Strait in spring.

Rasmussen, E.A., Guest, P.S., Davidson, K.L., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,975-13,986, 26 refs.

Climatology, Marine meteorology, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric disturbances, Fronts (meteorology), Advection, Gravity waves, Pack ice, Drift, Air ice water interaction, Ice cover effect, Seasonal variations, Fram Strait

51-5089

Precipitation characteristics in Greenland-Iceland-Norwegian Seas determined by using satellite microwave data.

Liu, G.S., Curry, J.A., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,987-13,997, 27 refs.

Climatology, Marine meteorology, Precipitation (meteorology), Synoptic meteorology, Snowfall, Spacecraft, Radiometry, Weather forecasting, Simulation, Greenland Sea, Iceland Sea, Norwegian Sea

51-5090

Variability of precipitation over the coastal western Antarctic Peninsula from synoptic observations.

Turner, J., Colwell, S.R., Harangozo, S., *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.13,999-14,007, 23 refs.

Precipitation (meteorology), Marine meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Synoptic meteorology, Seasonal variations, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover effect, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Antarctic Peninsula

Observations of precipitation events at Faraday and Rothera Stations are analyzed to investigate the spatial and temporal variability of precipitation along the western coastal (Pacific) side of the Antarctic Peninsula. The record of observations made at Faraday since 1956 shows a statistically significant increase in the number of winter-season precipitation events. The semiannual cycle in the latitudinal location and depth and position of the circumpolar trough is reproduced in the record of precipitation events at both Faraday and Rothera. It is argued that the systematic increase in the number of precipitation events at Faraday since the 1950s is associated with changes in the depression tracks across the Bellingshausen Sea, with an increase in the number of depressions approaching from outside the Antarctic rather than from the west. (Auth. mod.)

51-5091

Synthesis of warm air advection to the South Polar Plateau.

Hogan, A.W., MP 4060, *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.14,009-14,020, 47 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric boundary layer, Surface temperature, Snow temperature, Atmospheric circulation, Wind direction, Aerosols, Advection, Antarctica—Howe, Mount

Surface temperature and wind chronologies of varying length and 10 m snow temperatures have been used to produce a synthesis of airflow into Antarctica. This synthesis shows relatively warm air over Ellsworth Land, which appears to enter the South Polar Plateau through a slightly lower-lying trough between the summit of the Transantarctic Mountains and the Polar Plateau. Comparison of recent automatic weather station (AWS) records from Mount Howe with four AWS surrounding South Pole at 89°S show that this upslope inflow is a frequent and persistent phenomenon. (Auth.)

51-5092

Occurrence frequency of thickness of annual snow accumulation layers at South Pole.

Hogan, A.W., Gow, A.J., MP 4061, *Journal of geophysical research,* June 27, 1997, 102(D12), p.14,021-14,027, 34 refs.

Climatology, Precipitation (meteorology), Snow accumulation, Snow stratigraphy, Layers, Thickness, Aerosols, Statistical analysis, Periodic variations, Metamorphism (snow), Age determination, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

Analysis of 2,000 annual snow accumulation layers at the South Pole is applied to objective extraction of meteorological parameters from the Amundsen-Scott Station accumulation record. The authors have compared the 100-year "snow mine" accumulation record of Giovinetto and Schwerdtfeger and a 2000-layer pit and core record obtained in 1982. Frequency analysis of the number of occurrences of layers with respect to thickness or mass of the layer showed the logarithms of thickness or mass to be normally distributed. The snow accumulation and marine aerosol (sodium) accumulation in recent annual layers with the station meteorological record and the surface aerosol record may be transformable to provide an index of this meridional transport. It is proposed that the magnitude of snow accumulation, with respect to frequency of that accumulation, provides an objective criterion for comparing individual years of meteorological history and that the geometric standard deviation of accumulation provides an objective index for estimation of climatic fluctuation during the period of accumulation. (Auth. mod.)

51-5093

Synoptic flow and density observations near an Arctic shelf break.

Münchow, A., Carmack, E.C., *Journal of physical oceanography,* July 1997, 27(7), p.1402-1419, 45 refs.

Oceanography, Ocean currents, Hydrography, Water transport, Velocity measurement, Ventilation, Shear flow, Topographic effects, Profiles, Density (mass/volume), Arctic Ocean

51-5094

Optical properties of deep ice at the South Pole: absorption.

AMANDA Collaboration, *Applied optics,* June 20, 1997, 36(18), p.4168-4180, 28 refs.

Ice sheets, Optical properties, Lasers, Radiation absorption, Impurities, Dust, Refractivity, Gamma irradiation, Statistical analysis

The authors discuss recent measurements of the wavelength-dependent absorption coefficients in deep South Pole ice. The method uses transit-time distributions of pulses from a variable-frequency laser sent between emitters and receivers embedded in the ice. At depths of 800-1000 m scattering is dominated by residual air bubbles, whereas absorption occurs both in ice itself and in insoluble impurities. The absorption coefficient increases approximately exponentially with wavelength in the measured interval 410-610 nm. At ca. 415 to ca. 500 nm the experimental uncertainties are small enough to resolve an extrinsic contribution to absorption in ice: submicrometer dust particles contribute by an amount that increases with depth and corresponds well with the expected increase seen near the Last Glacial Maximum in Vostok and Dome C ice cores. The laser pulse method allows remote mapping of gross structure in dust concentration as a function of depth in glacial ice. (Auth. mod.)

51-5095

Optical properties of deep ice at the South Pole: scattering.

Price, P.B., Bergström, L., *Applied optics,* June 20, 1997, 36(18), p.4181-4194, 54 refs.

Ice sheets, Ice optics, Optical properties, Turbidity, Impurities, Defects, Dust, Lasers, Light scattering, Ice crystal structure, Analysis (mathematics)

Recently, absorption and scattering at depths of 800-1000 m in South Pole ice have been studied with transit-time distributions of pulses from a variable-frequency laser sent between emitters and receivers embedded in the ice. At 800-1000 m, scattering is independent of wavelength and the scattering centers are air bubbles of size >> wavelength. At 1500-2000 m it is predicted that all bubbles will have transformed into air-hydrate clathrate crystals and that scattering occurs primarily at dust grains, at liquid acids concentrated along three-crystal boundaries, and at salt grains. Scattering from dust grains should show peaks at depths of ca. 1050, 1750 and 2200 m in South Pole ice. If marine salt grains remain undissolved, they will scatter like insoluble dust grains. Refraction at ice-ice boundaries and at hydrate-ice boundaries is manifested by a multitude of small-angle scatters, independent of wavelength. The largest contribution to Rayleigh-like scattering is likely due to dislocations decorated discontinuously with impurities. (Auth. mod.)

51-5096

Optical properties of contrail-induced cirrus: discussion of unusual halo phenomena.

Sussmann, R., *Applied optics,* June 20, 1997, 36(18), p.4195-4201, 47 refs.

Cloud physics, Optical properties, Ice crystal optics, Ice crystal structure, Orientation, Humidity, Light scattering, Optical phenomena, Condensation trails, Photointerpretation

51-5097

Photogrammetry as a research tool for glaciology.

Fox, A.J., Nuttall, A.M., *Photogrammetric record,* Apr. 1997, 15(89), p.725-737, With French and German summaries. 15 refs.

Glaciology, Glacier surveys, Glacier surges, Stereophotography, Photogrammetry, Sensor mapping, Profiles, Topographic features, Altitude, Accuracy, Correlation

51-5098

Relation between active layer depth and a spectral vegetation index in arctic tundra landscapes of the North Slope of Alaska.

McMichael, C.E., Hope, A.S., Stow, D.A., Fleming, J.B., *International journal of remote sensing,* July 20, 1997, 18(11), p.2371-2382, 31 refs.

Subarctic landscapes, Tundra terrain, Tundra vegetation, Active layer, Thaw depth, Vegetation patterns, Permafrost surveys, Remote sensing, Radiometry, Spectra, Topographic effects, Statistical analysis, United States—Alaska—North Slope

51-5099

Cluster model explaining quantitatively the anomalous variation of density of water with temperature.

Khan, A., Khan, R., Khan, M.F., Khanam, F., *Chemical physics letters,* Mar. 7, 1997, 266(5-6), p.473-480, 34 refs.

Water structure, Molecular structure, Hydrogen bonds, Thermodynamic properties, Water temperature, Density (mass/volume), Temperature effects, Models, Thermal expansion

51-5100

Temperature and salt content regimes in three shallow ice-covered lakes. 1. Temperature, salt content, and density structure.

Malm, J., et al, *Nordic hydrology,* 1997, 28(2), p.99-128, 24 refs.

Limnology, Icebound lakes, Subglacial observations, Temperature measurement, Salinity, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Thermal regime, Profiles, Water temperature, Stratification, Convection, Seasonal variations

51-5101

Temperature and salt content regimes in three shallow ice-covered lakes. 2. Heat and mass fluxes.

Malm, J., et al, *Nordic hydrology,* 1997, 28(2), p.129-152, 35 refs.

Limnology, Icebound lakes, Subglacial observations, Heat flux, Mass transfer, Ice water interface, Salinity, Bottom sediment, Albedo

51-5102

Frost growth around a cylinder in a wet air stream.

Ismail, K.A.R., Salinas, C., Gonçalves, M.M., *International journal of refrigeration,* Mar. 1997, 20(2), p.106-119, With French summary. 24 refs.

Refrigeration, Frost, Ice formation, Surface temperature, Pipes (tubes), Ice air interface, Air flow, Laminar flow, Mathematical models, Heat transfer coefficient, Humidity

51-5103

Liquid water in the domain of cubic crystalline ice I_c.

Jenniskens, P., Banham, S.F., Blake, D.F., McCoustra, M.R.S., *Journal of chemical physics,* July 22, 1997, 107(4), p.1232-1241, 46 refs.

Ice physics, Scanning electron microscopy, Water films, Water structure, Ice water interface, Heating, Phase transformations, Viscosity, Radiation absorption, Extraterrestrial ice

51-5104

Study of frost events in areas characterised by the absence of observations.

Kassomenos, P., Flocas, H.A., Lykoudis, S., Petrakis, M., *Meteorology and atmospheric physics,* 1997, 62(3-4), p.249-256, 9 refs.

Agriculture, Frost, Radiant cooling, Atmospheric boundary layer, Air temperature, Temperature inversions, Wind factors, Profiles, Diurnal variations, Topographic effects, Synoptic meteorology, Simulation, Mathematical models

51-5105

Wave processes and ozone over the Antarctic. [Volnovye protsessy i ozon nad Antarktikoĭ]

Bugaeva, I.V., Butko, A.I., Tarasenko, D.A., *Antarktika,* 1995, No.33, p.5-14, In Russian with English summary. 11 refs.

Ozone, Atmospheric circulation, Atmospheric disturbances, Periodic variations, Stratosphere, Wind, Antarctica

Data on total ozone over the Antarctic in spring of 1991 are presented. The data are compared to specific features of the thermodynamic parameters of the atmosphere obtained using meteorological rockets and satellites. Wave processes in the spring of 1991 are analyzed. Deviations of the zonal wave-numbers n=1 and n=2 from the model values are demonstrated. The authors conclude that the position and intensity of the polar vortex play a significant role in interannual variations in the ozone layer observed over Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

51-5106

Evaluation of the role of dynamic interactions between the lower and middle atmospheres in stratospheric and mesospheric temperatures and circulation variations over Molodezhnaya Station during the 1982-1990 winter and spring seasons. [Otsenka roli dinamicheskogo vzaimodeĭstviia mezhdu nizhneĭ i sredneĭ atmosferoĭ v izmeneniiakh temperatury i tsirkuliatsii v stratosfere i mezosfere nad st. Molodezhnaia v zimnie i vesennie sezony 1982-1990 gg.]

Kidiiarova, V.G., Fomina, N.N., *Antarktika,* 1995, No.33, p.15-18, In Russian with English summary. 5 refs.

Atmospheric circulation, Temperature variations, Atmospheric disturbances, Heat transfer, Stratosphere, Wind, Antarctica—Molodezhnaya Station

On the basis of winter and spring rocket observation data over Molodezhnaya Station for 1982-1990, the connections between temperatures and zonal wind variations for different layers of the stratosphere and mesosphere are evaluated. The propagation of planetary waves and energy exchanges between the layers are also investigated. Refraction coefficient calculations are used to analyze the conditions for planetary wave propagation. The authors show that when westward circulation is highly intense, energy from planetary waves is transferred to the antarctic stratosphere and/or mesosphere causing a corresponding warming of these regions of the atmosphere. (Auth. mod.)

51-5107

Comparison of ERS-1 AMI wind scatterometer and SSM/I sea ice detection in the Baltic Sea.

Grandell, J., Johannessen, J.A., Hallikainen, M., *Photogrammetric journal of Finland,* 1996, 15(1), p.6-23, 19 refs.

Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Spaceborne photography, Ice surveys, Radiometry, Radar echoes, Backscattering, Ice detection, Classifications, Image processing, Correlation, Resolution, Baltic Sea

51-5108

Airborne gamma-ray spectrometric data enhanced by image processing methods in gold exploration in the Kuusamo area, northeastern Finland.

Arkimaa, H., *Photogrammetric journal of Finland,* 1996, 15(1), p.24-29, 12 refs.

Subarctic landscapes, Geological surveys, Bedrock, Sediments, Sensor mapping, Electromagnetic prospecting, Imaging, Gold, Gamma irradiation, Image processing, Finland

51-5109

Statistical approach to formulating deep freeze HMAs.

Honiball, W.J., Lebez, J., Simons, J.C., van Rign, K., *Adhesives age,* May 1997, 40(5), p.18-26, 11 refs.

Polymers, Adhesion, Thermal analysis, Chemical composition, Low temperature tests, Performance, Rheology, Plastic properties, Brittleness, Temperature measurement, Statistical analysis

51-5110

Stratigraphy and paleomagnetism of the lava pile south of Ísfjardardjúp, NW- Iceland.

Kristjánsson, L., Jóhannesson, H., *Jökull,* 1994, No.44, p.3-16, With Icelandic summary. 24 refs.

Arctic landscapes, Geological surveys, Pleistocene, Magma, Stratigraphy, Profiles, Geomagnetism, Orientation, Polarization (charge separation), Remanent magnetism, Sedimentation, Geochronology, Iceland—Ísafjardardjúp

51-5111

First epoch GPS survey of the Hengill triple junction, SW Iceland, and the effect of ocean loading.

Hodgkinson, K.M., Foulger, G.R., *Jökull,* 1994, No.44, p.17-27, With Icelandic summary. 27 refs.

Marine geology, Earth crust, Geodetic surveys, Spacecraft, Tectonics, Ocean bottom, Tides, Deformation, Loading, Statistical analysis, Iceland

51-5112

Experiment in glacio-isostasy near Vatnajökull, Iceland.

Einarsson, P., Sigmundsson, F., Hofton, M.A., Foulger, G.R., Jacoby, W., *Jökull,* 1994, No.44, p.29-39, With Icelandic summary. 23 refs.

Glacial geology, Subarctic landscapes, Isostasy, Earth crust, Geodetic surveys, Gravity, Viscosity, Simulation, Iceland—Vatnajökull

51-5113

Image analysis and morphometry of hydromagmatic and magmatic tephra grains, Reykjanes volcanic system, Iceland.

Eiríksson, J., Sigurgeirsson, M.Á., Hoelstad, T., *Jökull,* 1994, No.44, p.41-55, With Icelandic summary. 23 refs.

Subarctic landscapes, Geological surveys, Volcanoes, Magma, Imaging, Scanning electron microscopy, Grain size, Lithology, Statistical analysis, Classifications, Iceland

51-5114

Arctic research of the United States, Vol.11.

U.S. Interagency Arctic Research Policy Committee, Myers, C.E., ed, Haugh, J., ed, Cate, D.W., ed, MP 4062, Washington, D.C., 1997, 82p., For selected papers see 51-5115 through 51-5122.

Research projects, International cooperation, Organizations, Environmental protection, Remote sensing, Geological surveys, Economic development, Hydrocarbons, Ecosystems

This journal presents an assessment of current research projects conducted by the United States in arctic and subarctic regions.

51-5115

MMS Alaska Arctic Environmental Studies—melding science and traditional ecological knowledge for future offshore oil and gas development decisions.

Baffrey, M., et al, *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.4-9, 4 refs.

Ocean environments, Natural resources, Economic development, Exploration, Hydrocarbons, Petroleum industry, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Ecology, Meetings, United States—Alaska, Beaufort Sea

51-5116

Undiscovered oil and gas potential of the Alaska Federal offshore—1995 national resource assessment.

Sherwood, K.W., Craig, J.D., Cooke, L.W., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.10-21, 21 refs.

Ocean environments, Marine geology, Natural resources, Natural gas, Crude oil, Economic development, Oil recovery, Cost analysis, United States—Alaska, Beaufort Sea

51-5117

Oil resources and Federal lands on the North Slope of Alaska.

Houseknecht, D., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.22-24.

Geological surveys, Natural resources, Crude oil, Exploration, Economic development, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Legislation, United States—Alaska

51-5118

Past and future in an Alaskan desert—research in the Kobuk sand dunes.

Mann, D.H., Heiser, P.A., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.63-65.

Arctic landscapes, Deserts, Global change, Geomorphology, Floodplains, Ecosystems, Research projects, United States—Alaska—Kobuk River

51-5119

International cooperation in the Beringia region.

Richter, P., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.66-67.

International cooperation, Research projects, Organizations, Education

51-5120

Monitoring change in the Bering Glacier region, Alaska, using Landsat TM and ERS-1 imagery.

Payne, J.F., Coffeen, M., Macleod, R.D., Kempka, R., Reid, F.A., Molnia, B.F., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.75-79, 9 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier surges, Ice edge, Spaceborne photography, LANDSAT, Vegetation patterns, Landscape development, Classifications, United States—Alaska—Bering Glacier

51-5121
Toward a new circumpolar Arctic vegetation map.
Walker, D.A., Talbot, S.S., *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.80-81.
Arctic landscapes, Vegetation patterns, Tundra vegetation, Sensor mapping, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Research projects

51-5122
Digital shaded-relief map of Alaska.
Riehle, J., et al, *Arctic research of the United States,* Spring/summer 1997, Vol.11, p.82 + map.
Geological maps, Topographic maps, Tectonics, Geologic structures, Bedrock, United States—Alaska

51-5123
Effects of lateral viscosity variations on present-day horizontal motions and baseline deformations due to glacial isostatic adjustment.
Giunchi, C., Spada, G., Sabadini, R., *Physics and chemistry of the earth,* July 1997, 21(4), p.325-330, 27 refs.
Glacial geology, Isostasy, Rheology, Deformation, Viscosity, Earth crust, Models

51-5124
Comparison of retracking algorithms for ERS-1 altimeter data over Greenland.
Leeuwenburgh, O., Tscherning, C.C., Knudsen, P., Andersen, O.B., *Physics and chemistry of the earth,* July 1997, 21(4), p.331-336, 11 refs.
Remote sensing, Ice sheets, Spacecraft, Radar echoes, Height finding, Profiles, Scattering, Accuracy, Statistical analysis, Greenland

51-5125
Acquisition and processing of high precision Greenland marine gravity data.
Strykowski, G., Forsberg, R., Larsen, M.D., *Physics and chemistry of the earth,* July 1997, 21(4), p.353-356, 1 ref.
Oceanographic surveys, Geophysical surveys, Gravity, Subpolar regions, Shores, Statistical analysis, Computer programs, Accuracy, Greenland

51-5126
Thermodynamics and kinetics of the solid solution of HCl in ice.
Thibert, E., Domine, F., *Journal of physical chemistry B,* May 1, 1997, 101(18), p.3554-3565, 78 refs.
Ice physics, Cloud physics, Polar stratospheric clouds, Simulation, Ice vapor interface, Doped ice, Thermodynamics, Condensation, Vapor diffusion, Solubility, Snow air interface, Impurities

51-5127
Proceedings. Ground freezing 97.
International Symposium on Ground Freezing, 8th, and Frost Action in Soils (formerly Frost in Geotechnical Engineering), 3rd, Luleå, Sweden, Apr. 15-17, 1997, Knutsson, S., ed, Rotterdam, A.A. Balkema, 1997, 546p., Refs. passim. For individual papers see 51-5128 through 51-5209.
Soil freezing, Frost heave, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Artificial freezing, Soil stabilization, Soil water migration, Freezing front, Ice lenses, Permafrost, Frost protection, Frost resistance

51-5128
Related effects on frost action: freezing and solar radiation indices.
Dysli, M., Lunardini, V.J., Stenberg, L., MP 4063, International Symposium on Ground Freezing, 8th, and Frost Action in Soils, 3rd, Luleå, Sweden, Apr. 15-17, 1997. Ground freezing 97. Edited by S. Knutsson, Rotterdam, A.A. Balkema, 1997, p.3-23, 35 refs.
Soil freezing, Freezing front, Frost penetration, Frost action, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Freezing indexes, Soil air interface, Surface temperature, Solar radiation, Insolation, Mathematical models
The freezing index has its origin in the very old Stefan's solution for the equation of thermal diffusion which permits, in particular, the calculation of the depth of the freezing front. The temperature of the soil surface is the value which should be used in the calculation of the depth of the freezing front; however, air temperature is generally used because it is the measured meteorological parameter. In the calculation of the freezing front, the freezing index of the air is corrected by a factor or a summation parameter. Besides the temperature of the air, the temperature of the soil surface depends on numerous meteorological parameters such as wind, solar radiation, surface radiation, change of phase phenomena. With the exception of arctic and subarctic regions and if the average wind speed is not too high, solar radiation is probably the parameter which has the largest effect on the soil surface temperature. The cumulative curve of winter temperatures is used for the determination of the freezing index. This curve may have several peaks and, therefore, the determination of the freezing index of the air may vary from country to country and according to different standards. The report will endeavor to propose a standard procedure for the calculation of the freezing index of the air. This report is the result of a group effort with the aim of providing a practical, rather than a theoretical, treatment of the subject.

51-5129
Preliminary results of frost heave experiments using standard test sample provided by TC8.
Fukuda, M., Kim, H.S., Kim, Y.C., International Symposium on Ground Freezing, 8th, and Frost Action in Soils, 3rd, Luleå, Sweden, Apr. 15-17, 1997. Ground freezing 97. Edited by S. Knutsson, Rotterdam, A.A. Balkema, 1997, p.25-30, 4 refs.
Soil freezing, Freezing front, Frost heave, Frost penetration, Frozen ground strength, Frost resistance, Soil pressure, Soil tests

51-5130
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Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground temperature, Soil temperature, Surface temperature, Stefan problem, Mathematical models

The Neumann solution, valid for a surface temperature that instantaneously increases, has been used for many years to estimate freeze/thaw depths. If the surface temperature varies with time, the Neumann solution can be used with an equivalent surface temperature. This can give reliable results for the total depth of freeze/thaw, but is significantly in error at intermediate times. An analytic solution to the problem with the surface temperature increasing linearly with time is presented here and compared to the results predicted by the Neumann solution. If the Stefan number is small, the growth of the thawed zone is nearly linear in time, but as the Stefan increases, it becomes increasingly nonlinear. The Neumann solution greatly exaggerates the thermal changes during the early growth and underpredicts them during the latter part of the warming. These results can lead to significant errors in calculating the effects of warming on frozen ground.

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Soil freezing, Freezing front, Ice lenses, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil water migration, Soil pressure, Mathematical models

The property of a frozen fringe described by the Gilpin model is studied analytically when an ice layer is growing. The frozen fringe described by the Gilpin model is shown to be essentially one special case of the model M_1 introduced by Nakano in 1990. By comparing the behavior of the Gilpin's frozen fringe with experimental data of two kinds of porous media, the author shows that the Gilpin model is too restrictive to accurately describe their behavior.

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Weather stations, Meteorological data, Air temperature, Degree days, Freezing indexes, Frost forecasting, Permafrost indicators, Permafrost distribution, Permafrost forecasting, Finland, Norway, Sweden

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Soil freezing, Frost heave, Frost protection, Geotextiles, Soil stabilization, Soil water migration, Capillarity, Vapor barriers, Waterproofing

Capillary barriers can reduce frost heave in soils when they are placed above the water table and below the depth of freezing. Past guidance for the use of granular capillary barriers suggests that they should be thicker than the height of capillary rise of water in them. However, a review of capillary physics indicates that a porous material can be a capillary barrier when its base is placed above the water table at a distance greater than the capillary rise of water in it. The authors tested this idea experimentally and present results that support it. Geotextile capillary barriers may lose effectiveness when soil particles become emplaced in them. This could be mitigated by using either geotextiles with increased thickness or smaller pore sizes, or both, or geocomposite capillary barriers.

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Subgrade soils, Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Frost heave, Frost resistance, Road maintenance, Computerized simulation, Sweden

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Highway planning, Frost heave, Frost protection, Frost forecasting, Road maintenance, Computerized simulation, Research projects, Sweden

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Clay soils, Soil freezing, Frost action, Soil structure, Microstructure, Frozen ground strength, Shear strength

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Subgrade soils, Foundations, Permafrost beneath structures, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground compression, Frozen ground settling, Soil creep, Soil tests

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Concrete structures, Concrete piles, Concrete strength, Frost resistance, Frost protection, Soil freezing, Frost heave, Ice adhesion

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Frozen ground strength, Cracking (fracturing), Soil tests, Impact tests

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Loess, Frozen ground strength, Shear strength, Soil tests, Strain tests

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Seismic surveys, Subglacial observations, Earth crust, Gravimetric prospecting, Antarctica—West Antarctica, Antarctica—Marie Byrd Land, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf

A 1988 seismic refraction/wide-angle reflection and gravity profile was oriented transverse to the axis of the ice stream C and extended 63 km across the stream to ridge BC in West Antarctica. The refraction and wide-angle reflection data were modeled using a two-dimensional ray trace forward modeling program to match travel times of refracted and reflected arrivals. Forward modeling of the gravity data was used to further define the structural model where seismic ray coverage was inadequate. These data constrain the velocity structure of the upper and middle crust and provide evidence for a low-velocity zone beneath the ice that varies in thickness from 100 m to 2.5 km within an apparent graben beneath ridge BC. Other major features of the structural model are: weak to moderate lateral variations in crustal structure, a basement crustal velocity that varies from 5.65 to 5.90 km/s, a sub-basement crustal velocity of 6.85 km/s at a relatively shallow depth (5-7 km), and a reflective zone (12- to 14-km depth) that may indicate mafic underplating. (Auth.)

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Ice cores, Climatic changes, Paleoclimatology, Antarctica—Vostok Station

The Russian-American and French international effort for drilling in ice achieved both a technical and a scientific success by reaching a depth of 3,350 m at the Russian Vostok Station. In addition to being the deepest core, the Vostok core is now believed to cover the past four glacial-interglacial cycles (*ca.* 400,000 years), a surprisingly long climate sequence which will be a valuable tool for paleoclimatologists.

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A combined creep and strength model has been developed for the entire (primary, secondary and tertiary) creep and the long-term strength of frozen soil under multiaxial stress at both constant stresses and constant strain rates by a single (unified) constitutive equation. Secondary creep is assumed to be an inflection point of a creep curve defining time to failure. Secondary creep rate is described by a new flow law, the stress function of which includes the first invariant of the stress tensor. The model consists of four principal elements: a constitutive equation, a viscous flow equation and a yield criterion, all united by a time-to-failure function. The yield criterion is selected either in the form of a parabolic (extended) von Mises-Drucker-Prager model or a parabolic (extended) Mohr-Coulomb rupture model. The criteria take into account that, at a certain magnitude of the mean normal stress (σ_{max}), the shear strength of frozen soil reaches a maximum. The yield criteria are included in the time-to-failure function, the shape parameters of which are independent of the loading regime. The model has been verified using test data on creep and the long-term strength of frozen soil under triaxial compression at -10°C.

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Monitoring was undertaken of the marine environment after an accidental oil spill near Faraday Station in Mar. 1992. On the day after the incident concentrations in seawater reached a maximum of 540 µg/l. However, concentrations returned to local background levels within one week. The fuel had an immediate toxic effect on intertidal limpets in the local station area, and 100 animals were found dead the day after the spill. Surviving animals had elevated concentrations of both n-alkanes and polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH) for over a month after the spill. This was the result of accumulation from a residue of the diesel being flushed by rainwater into the littoral zone. Seven months after the spill concentrations of both n-alkanes and PAH in limpets living close to the station were still an order of magnitude greater than those found in animals at an uncontaminated control site. The diesel spill itself had a very minor, localized and short-term impact on the antarctic marine environment. (Auth. mod.)

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Assessment of freshwater diatoms as quantitative indicators of past climatic change in the Yukon and Northwest Territories, Canada.

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Limnology, Forest tundra, Lacustrine deposits, Water chemistry, Microbiology, Biomass, Sampling, Statistical analysis, Classifications, Paleoclimatology, Surface temperature, Models, Canada—Yukon Territory, Canada—Northwest Territories

51-5243

Paleolimnological significance of observed distribution patterns of chrysophyte cysts in arctic pond environments.

Douglas, M.S.V., Smol, J.P., *Journal of paleolimnology,* Jan. 1995, 13(1), p.79-83, 30 refs.

Limnology, Paleoecology, Ponds, Bottom sediment, Arctic landscapes, Plankton, Mosses, Classifications, Plant ecology, Sampling

51-5244

Simple closure mechanism for a compact, large-diameter, gravity corer.

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Limnology, Lacustrine deposits, Core samplers, Design, Performance

51-5245

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Eastern Snow Conference, Albert, M.R., ed, Taylor, S., ed, MP 4068, 213p., Refs. passim. For selected papers see 51-5246 through 51-5265.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snowfall, Snow depth, Snowmelt, Snow hydrology, Climatic changes, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry

51-5246

Comparative look at two algorithms for mapping snow cover from Earth Observing System instruments.

Riggs, G.A., Hall, D.K., Feind, R.E., Welch, R., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.1-11, 9 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Cloud cover, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Image processing

51-5247

Evaluating snow cover over northern hemisphere lands using satellite and *in situ* observations.

Robinson, D.A., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.13-19, 23 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Terrain identification, Climatic factors, Climatic changes, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography, Data processing

51-5248

Historical analysis of North American snow cover extent: merging satellite and station derived snow cover observations.

Hughes, M.G., Frei, A., Robinson, D.A., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.21-31, 15 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Climatic changes, Climatic factors, Weather stations, Spaceborne photography, Meteorological data, Data processing, Statistical analysis

51-5249

Regional analysis of North American snow cover extent: climatic and synoptic associations from November through March.

Frei, A., Robinson, D.A., Hughes, M.G., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.33-42, 19 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Climatic changes, Climatic factors, Meteorological data, Data processing, Statistical analysis

51-5250

Atlantic sea-surface temperatures and New England snowfall.

Hartley, S., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.43-53, 24 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snowfall, Marine atmospheres, Water temperature, Surface temperature, Air water interactions, Atmospheric circulation, Precipitation (meteorology), Long range forecasting, United States—New England

51-5251

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Brown, R.D., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.55-65, 17 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Snowfall, Atmospheric circulation, Climatic changes, Weather stations, Meteorological data, Computerized simulation, Canada

51-5252

Multicriteria analysis of satellite and airborne sensors to monitor snow cover. [Analyse multicritière de capteurs satellitaires et aéroportés pour le suivi du couvert nival]

Martin, D., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.67-81, In French with English summary. 10 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snowfall, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Data processing, Data transmission

51-5253

Fluctuations of the terminuses of White and Thompson Glaciers, Axel Heiberg Island, N.W.T., Canada.

Cogley, J.G., Ecclestone, M.A., Adams, W.P., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.83-94, 22 refs.

Glacier surveys, Glacier oscillation, Glacier tongues, Glacier mass balance, Spaceborne photography, Photogrammetric surveys, Canada—Northwest Territories—Axel Heiberg Island

51-5254

Effects of forest on the snow parameters derived from microwave measurements during the BOREAS winter field campaign.

Chang, A.T.C., Foster, J.L., Hall, D.K., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.95-103, 31 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover distribution, Snow temperature, Snow hydrology, Snow water equivalent, Forest land, Forest canopy, Runoff forecasting, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry

51-5255

Winter radiation extinction and reflection in a boreal forest pine canopy.

Pomeroy, J.W., Dion, K., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.105-118, 29 refs.

Taiga, Forest land, Forest canopy, Interception, Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow melting, Snow evaporation, Radiation balance, Albedo

51-5256

Snow wetness estimation from SSM/I data over varied terrain using an artificial neural network.

Sun, C., Neale, C.M.U., McDonnell, J.J., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.119-124, 16 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow temperature, Snow water content, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Computerized simulation

51-5257

Snow cover characterization using multiband FMCW radars.

Koh, G., Yankielun, N.E., Baptista, A.I., MP 4069, *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.125-131, 7 refs.

Snow surveys, Snow cover structure, Snow stratigraphy, Snow water equivalent, Radar echoes, Radio echo soundings

The use of radars to characterize the physical properties of a snow cover offers an attractive alternative to manual snow pit measurements. Radar techniques are noninvasive and have the potential to characterize large areas of a snow-covered terrain. A promising radar technique for snow cover studies is the frequency modulated continuous wave (FMCW) radar. The use of a multiband radar approach for snow cover studies was investigated in order to fully exploit the capabilities of FMCW radars. FMCW radars operating at and near the C-, X-, and K_a-bands were used to obtain radar profiles over a wide range of snow cover conditions. These frequency-dependent radar signatures were used to identify important snow cover features such as ice and depth hoar layers. Snow grain size information was also obtained from the frequency-dependent scattering losses that were observed in the snow cover. Several case studies of FMCW radar profiles are presented in order to demonstrate the advantages of a multiband radar approach for monitoring the spatial and temporal variability of snow cover properties and/or processes over an extended area.

51-5258

Technique for the quantitative spatial analysis of sea ice melt features using low level aerial photographs.

Derksen, C.P., Piwowar, J.M., LeDrew, E.F., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.133-139, 11 refs.

Sea ice, Ice surveys, Snow ice interface, Ice surface, Ice deterioration, Ice melting, Aerial surveys

51-5259

Role of snowmelt in the January 1996 floods in the northeastern United States.

Anderson, E., Larson, L., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.141-149, 4 refs.

Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Floods, Accidents

51-5260

Nitrate transport in snowmelt: a simple conceptual model.

Daly, D.M., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.151-162, 37 refs.

Watersheds, Snow hydrology, Snow composition, Snowmelt, Stream flow, Water chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Nutrient cycle

51-5261

Road salt accumulation in highway snowbanks and transport through the unsaturated zone of the Oak Ridges Moraine, southern Ontario.

Labadia, C.F., Buttle, J.M., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.163-176, 28 refs.

Road maintenance, Salting, Snow impurities, Snow composition, Snowmelt, Seepage, Soil pollution, Water pollution, Ground water, Hydrogeochemistry

51-5262

Preliminary trials of the use of immunoassay screening for chlordane in arctic sea ice cores.

Thorne, P.G., MP 4070, *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.177-180, 6 refs.

Air pollution, Water pollution, Suspended sediments, Bottom sediment, Sea ice, Ice cores, Ice composition, Impurities, Meltwater, Water chemistry, Chemical analysis

Twelve ice-pack surface sediments and three ice cores taken during the 1994 AOS TransArctic Cruise were assayed for chlordane using a commercial immunoassay. The total chlordane ranged from 38 to 400 ng/g in sediments and 128 to 430 ng/L in ice. No gas chromatography/electron capture detection (GC/ECD) confirmations were performed; however, spike-recovery tests indicated that it may be possible to obtain contamination estimates for chlordane from single ice cores.

51-5263

Surface friction and stopping distance on icy roads: mean values and sample variability.

Perchanok, M.S., Comfort, G., Dinovitzer, A., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.189-193, 6 refs.

Road icing, Road maintenance, Sanding, Rubber snow friction, Rubber ice friction, Skid resistance

51-5264

Structure and metamorphism of snow crystals as revealed by low temperature scanning electron microscopy.

Wergin, W.P., Rango, A., Erbe, E.F., *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.195-204, 24 refs.

Metamorphism (snow), Snow crystal structure, Ice crystal replicas, Scanning electron microscopy

51-5265

Inferring dynamic winter variables.

Hogan, A.W., MP 4071, *Eastern Snow Conference. Proceedings,* 1996, 53rd, p.205-212, 8 refs.

Snowfall, Snow depth, Snow air interface, Snow heat flux, Snow cover effect, Air temperature, Soil temperature, Statistical analysis

A majority of winter environmental data is measured or observed at meteorological or hydrological stations that coexist with other activities. It is often necessary to infer the air, snow, or ground temperature in a natural setting from the observations available at these stations. There are dynamic exchanges of heat, chemicals and water substances in natural settings that are quite complex. There is exchange near treetop level, at the air/snow interface, and at the snow/ground interface. These exchanges interact on differing times

scales, making it difficult to synthesize the overall response to a dynamic change in the troposphere above. Air, snow, and soil temperatures have been measured at the margin of a regenerating forest for several winters. This paper examines spatial, temporal, and dimensionless scaling of winter temperatures. An interesting preliminary result is the response of the environment to some statistical "outliers" in the temperature of the air above the snow. The use of the proposed scaling methods to examine the sudden loss of New England snow coincident with heavy Pennsylvania rains described by the keynote speakers has been added to the paper.

51-5266

Mercurial storms rage in the Arctic.

Pearce, F., *New scientist,* June 21, 1997, 154(2087), p.17.

Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Air pollution, Gases, Metals, Phase transformations, Environmental impact, Sampling

51-5267

Numerical simulation of the freezing process of biological tissues.

Shirakashi, R., Tanasawa, I., *Heat transfer—Japanese research,* 1995, 24(4), p.342-355, 10 refs.

Cryobiology, Preserving, Solutions, Liquid cooling, Cooling rate, Thermal diffusion, Heat transfer, Mass transfer, Thermodynamic properties, Solidification, Mathematical models, Simulation

51-5268

Long-term variations in insolation and their effects on climate, the LLN experiments.

Berger, A., Loutre, M.F., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.147-161, Refs. p.158-161.

Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Insolation, Greenhouse effect, Ice sheets, Glacier oscillation, Ice volume, Carbon dioxide, Models, Ice age theory

51-5269

Natural magnetic archives of past global change.

Evans, M.E., Heller, F., Bloemendal, J., Thouveny, N., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.183-196, Refs. p.194-196.

Paleoclimatology, Geomagnetism, Rock magnetism, Global change, Polarization (charge separation), Quaternary deposits, Marine deposits, Loess, Lacustrine deposits, Diagenesis

51-5270

Mantle viscosity, glacial isostatic adjustment and the eustatic level of the sea.

Peltier, W.R., Jiang, X.H., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.239-277, Refs. p.276-277.

Paleoclimatology, Global change, Global warming, Geologic processes, Isostasy, Ice melting, Viscosity, Sea level, Tides, Carbon isotopes, Isotope analysis, Mathematical models

51-5271

Predictions of crustal deformation caused by changing polar ice on a viscoelastic Earth.

Wahr, J., Han, D.Z., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.303-312, 17 refs.

Earth crust, Isostasy, Glacial geology, Ice loads, Ice cover effect, Deformation, Viscoelasticity, Gravity, Models

Changes in polar ice could cause vertical crustal motion along the edge of the Greenland and antarctic ice caps. Measurements of the uplift could help constrain the changing ice volumes. The problem is complicated by the Earth's visco-elastic response to past loading, including the Late Pleistocene deglaciation. A method is described for removing these visco-elastic effects, by using simultaneous measurements of vertical motion and surface gravity. A linear combination of these two measurement types can be formed which is relatively independent of visco-elastic effects, and which can be interpreted in terms of present-day fluctuations in ice. (Auth. mod.)

51-5272

Mass balance of polar ice from long wavelength features of the Earth's gravitational field.

Trupin, S.A., Panfili, R.P., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.313-326, 31 refs.

Geophysical surveys, Glacier surveys, Sea level, Geodetic surveys, Glacier thickness, Glacier mass balance, Glacier melting, Isostasy, Ice loads, Gravity, Viscosity

Satellite solutions to the low degree zonal harmonics of the Earth's gravitational potential, and rates of surface accumulation are used to partially constrain, by means of repeated forward solution, the time rates of thickness change over the Antarctic and Greenland Ice Sheets. The sign of the slope of the low degree zonal coefficients versus sea level contribution for Greenland is positive, but for Antarctica the sign of the slope is positive for even degree and negative for odd degree harmonics. By using this property of the zonal coefficients, it is possible to determine the individual sea level contributions for Greenland and Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

51-5273

Annual sea level variability induced by changes in sea ice extent and accumulation on ice sheets: an assessment based on remotely sensed data.

Zwally, H.J., Giovinetto, M.B., *Surveys in geophysics,* May 1997, 18(2-3), p.327-340, 28 refs.

Oceanography, Sea level, Glacier mass balance, Remote sensing, Sea ice distribution, Moisture transfer, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Ice cover effect, Air ice water interaction, Climatic factors

Changes of mean annual net accumulation at the surface on the grounded ice sheets of East Antarctica, West Antarctica and Greenland in response to variations in sea ice extent are estimated using grid-point values 100 km apart. The data bases are assembled principally by bilinear interpolation of remotely sensed brightness temperature, surface temperature, and surface elevation. Stepwise correlation analyses indicate that variations in sea ice extent of ±50 km would lead to changes in accumulation inversely of ±4% on East Antarctica, ±10% on West Antarctica, and ±4% on Greenland. These results substantiate the findings for the antarctic ice sheets and suggest a reduction by one half of the probable change of accumulation on Greenland. (Auth. mod.)

51-5274

Multi-thermal model of cumulus glaciation via the Hallett-Mossop process.

Blyth, A.M., Latham, J., *Royal Meteorological Society. Quarterly journal A,* July 1997, 123(541), p.1185-1198, 30 refs.

Clouds (meteorology), Cloud physics, Ice crystal growth, Snow pellets, Snow crystal growth, Icing rate, Particle size distribution, Models

51-5275

Physically based scheme for the treatment of stratiform clouds and precipitation in large-scale models. I: Description and evaluation of the microphysical processes.

Rotstayn, L.D., *Royal Meteorological Society. Quarterly journal A,* July 1997, 123(541), p.1227-1282, Refs. p.1277-1282.

Precipitation (meteorology), Clouds (meteorology), Cloud physics, Cloud dissipation, Ice crystals, Particle size distribution, Ice sublimation, Ice vapor interface, Water content, Mathematical models, Weather forecasting

51-5276

Sensitivity of ozone and temperature to vertical resolution in a GCM with coupled stratospheric chemistry.

Austin, J., Butchart, N., Swinbank, R., *Royal Meteorological Society. Quarterly journal A,* July 1997, 123(541), p.1405-1431, Refs. p.1428-1431.

Climatology, Atmospheric circulation, Stratosphere, Ozone, Distribution, Air temperature, Polar stratospheric clouds, Cloud physics, Photochemical reactions, Models, Simulation

51-5277

Algae-copepod-fish link associated with antarctic sea ice.

Hoshiai, T., Tanimura, A., Watanabe, K., Fukuchi, M., Marine biology. Its accomplishment and future prospect. Edited by J. Mauchline and T. Nemoto, Amsterdam, Elsevier, 1991, p.237-246, 18 refs.

DLC QH91.A1M352 1991

Marine biology, Algae, Sea ice, Ecology, Biomass, Antarctica—Showa Station

In the Showa Station area the proliferation of ice algae at the bottom of the sea ice occurred in autumn and spring. The calanoid copepod, *Paralabidocera antarctica* appeared as a prominent component of ice meiofauna in autumn and persisted through the winter. Growth of this species began in and followed the autumnal ice algal peak and occurred simultaneously with the spring algal peak. Analysis of gut contents showed that the copepod fed on ice algae. Stomach contents of fry of the nototheniid fish, *Pagothenia borchgrevinki* which were caught beneath the ice in winter contained nauplii of *P. antarctica* with other zooplankters. It is concluded that *P. antarctica* functions as a conveyer of ice algal primary production to such higher consumers as *P. borchgrevinki* in the antarctic coastal ecosystem. (Auth.)

51-5278

Marine ecology of polar seas: a comparison Arctic/Antarctic.

Strömberg, J.O., Marine biology. Its accomplishment and future prospect. Edited by J. Mauchline and T. Nemoto, Amsterdam, Elsevier, 1991, p.247-261, Refs. p.260-261.

DLC QH91.A1M352 1991

Marine biology, Ecology, Biomass, Plankton, Seasonal variations, Polar regions, Ocean currents, Ocean bottom, Sea ice

An Antarctic-Arctic comparison is made of the polar seas and their biology, hydrography, sea ice and its associated flora and fauna, phytoplankton, zooplankton and benthos. It is noted that recent deep faunal samples from the Antarctic seem to be very rich, although the general composition of the macrozoobenthos does not seem to be very different between the two poles. Thus, it is concluded that the structure of the benthic ecosystems, as evolved in the two hemispheres, is rather similar.

51-5279

Late-Holocene light-ring chronologies from subfossil black spruce stems in mires of subarctic Québec.

Lavoie, C., Payette, S., *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.129-137, 41 refs.

Paleoecology, Forest tundra, Trees (plants), Growth, Peat, Permafrost, Forest lines, Statistical analysis, Quaternary deposits, Radioactive age determination, Canada—Quebec

51-5280

Fine-resolution palaeoclimatic reconstruction of the last 2000 years, from Lake Keilambete, southeastern Australia.

Mooney, S., *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.139-149, Refs. p.148-149.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Palynology, Remanent magnetism, Sedimentation, Radioactive age determination, Australia—Keilambete, Lake

51-5281

Mid- and late-Holocene limnogeology of Laguna de Negro Francisco, northern Chile, and its palaeoclimatic implications.

Grosjean, M., et al, *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.151-159, 20 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Moisture transfer, Limnology, Sedimentation, Lacustrine deposits, Quaternary deposits, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, Geochemistry, Chile—Laguna del Negro Francisco

51-5282

Sedimentary records of the extent and impact of atmospheric contamination from a remote Siberian highland lake.

Flower, R.J., Politov, S.V., Rippey, B., Rose, N.L., Appleby, P.G., Stevenson, A.C., *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.161-173, Refs. p.171-173.

Limnology, Lacustrine deposits, Sampling, Air pollution, Environmental impact, Aerosols, Palynology, Metals, Statistical analysis, Correlation, Russia—Siberia

51-5283

Water content of lake sediments and its relationship to other physical parameters: an alpine case study.

Menounos, B., *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.207-212, 26 refs.

Limnology, Alpine landscapes, Lacustrine deposits, Organic soils, Geochemistry, Drill core analysis, Water content, Stratigraphy, Statistical analysis, Correlation

51-5284

International Tree-Ring Data Bank: an enhanced global database serving the global scientific community.

Grissino-Mayer, H.D., Fritts, H.C., *Holocene,* June 1997, 7(2), p.235-238, 8 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Trees (plants), Growth, Age determination, Research projects, Organizations

51-5285

Thawing of the active layer on the coastal plain of the Alaskan Arctic.

Romanovsky, V.E., Osterkamp, T.E., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.1-22, With French summary. 40 refs.

Permafrost transformation, Permafrost thermal properties, Frozen ground temperature, Active layer, Thaw depth, Thermal conductivity, Seasonal freeze thaw, Analysis (mathematics), Indexes (ratios), United States—Alaska

51-5286

Freezing of the active layer on the coastal plain of the Alaskan Arctic.

Osterkamp, T.E., Romanovsky, V.E., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.23-44, With French summary. 56 refs.

Permafrost thermal properties, Soil temperature, Active layer, Freezeup, Soil freezing, Freezing front, Unfrozen water content, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Temperature measurement, Mathematical models, Thermal diffusion, United States—Alaska

51-5287

Effects of climate on the active layer and permafrost on the North Slope of Alaska, U.S.A.

Zhang, T., Osterkamp, T.E., Stamnes, K., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.45-67, With French summary. 66 refs.

Climatology, Climatic changes, Permafrost transformation, Active layer, Thaw depth, Depth hoar, Surface temperature, Permafrost thermal properties, Thermal regime, Freezing indexes, Seasonal variations, Mathematical models, Snow cover effect, United States—Alaska—North Slope

51-5288

Rock temperatures and implications for cold region weathering. I: new data from Viking Valley, Alexander Island, Antarctica.

Hall, K., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.69-90, With French summary. 43 refs.

Geocryology, Permafrost weathering, Rock properties, Frozen rock temperature, Thermal stresses, Temperature measurement, Temperature variations, Antarctica—Viking Valley

Data provided for the best part of two antarctic winters and one summer, from a variety of positions within a dry valley, show the dangers of using air temperature as a surrogate for thermal conditions either at the rock surface or at depth in the rock. Observation and non-destructive ultrasonic testing shows that water is extremely limited during the period of freeze-thaw cycles. Thus, despite the occurrence of the thermal events no damage can result from frost action. Detailed data at two minute intervals show the importance of such high resolution observations. It is not possible to discern the weathering regime, including interpreting the freeze-thaw process. Beyond anything else, this paper indicates the complexity of rock temperature regimes and suggests that it is the synergistic relationships between different weathering processes that are important. (Auth. mod.)

51-5289

Critical degree of saturation as a threshold moisture level in frost weathering of limestones.

Prick, A., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.91-99, With French summary. 36 refs.

Periglacial processes, Rock mechanics, Geocryology, Frost weathering, Water content, Saturation, Porosity, Freeze thaw cycles, Lithology, Shear modulus, Mechanical tests

51-5290

Distribution of mountain permafrost, Fontanesses Basin, Valaisian Alps, Switzerland.

Gardaz, J.M., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.101-105, With French summary. 21 refs.

Permafrost distribution, Mountain soils, Discontinuous permafrost, Detection, Soil temperature, Active layer, Rock glaciers, Snow cover effect, Sounding, Electrical resistivity, Switzerland—Alps

51-5291

Cyclic development and thermokarstic degradation of palsas in the mid-alpine zone at Leirpullan, Dovrefjell, southern Norway.

Matthews, J.A., Dahl, S.O., Berrisford, M.S., Nesje, A., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.107-122, With French summary. 65 refs.

Permafrost transformation, Frost mounds, Periglacial processes, Degradation, Thermokarst development, Geomorphology, Landforms, Stratigraphy, Norway—Dovrefjell

51-5292

Monitoring of mountain permafrost in the Central Andes, Cordon del Plata, Mendoza, Argentina.

Trombotto, D., Buk, E., Hernández, J., *Permafrost and periglacial processes,* Jan.-Mar. 1997, 8(1), p.123-129, With French summary. 18 refs.

Periglacial processes, Discontinuous permafrost, Permafrost distribution, Soil temperature, Rock glaciers, Geomorphology, Landforms, Argentina—Andes

51-5293

***In situ* effects of elevated CO_2 on the carbon and nitrogen status of alpine plants.**

Schäppi, B., Körner, C., *Functional ecology,* June 1997, 11(3), p.290-299, 49 refs.

Plant ecology, Alpine landscapes, Grasses, Ecosystems, Vegetation patterns, Plant tissues, Plant physiology, Carbon dioxide, Nutrient cycle, Decomposition, Microclimatology

51-5294

Causes of inherently slow growth in alpine plants: an analysis based on the underlying carbon economies of alpine and lowland *Poa* species.

Atkin, O.K., Botman, B., Lambers, H., *Functional ecology,* Dec. 1996, 10(6), p.698-707, Refs. p.705-707.

Plant ecology, Alpine landscapes, Growth, Plant physiology, Photosynthesis, Biomass, Carbon dioxide, Altitude, Simulation

51-5295

Premature dehardening in *Vaccinium myrtillus* during a mild winter: a cause for winter dieback?

Ögren, E., *Functional ecology,* Dec. 1996, 10(6), p.724-732, 24 refs.

Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Acclimatization, Snow cover effect, Frost resistance, Cold tolerance, Air temperature, Damage, Seasonal variations, Temperature effects

51-5296

Influence of freeze-thaw cycles on the compressive strength of stabilized FGD sludges.

Chen, X.Y., Wolfe, W.E., Hargraves, M.D., *Fuel,* June 1997, 76(8), p.755-759, 5 refs.

Sludges, Waste disposal, Compaction, Strength, Stress strain diagrams, Compressive properties, Freeze thaw cycles, Freeze thaw tests, Water content

51-5297

Injury of biological tissue by extracellular freezing.

Ujihira, M., Yamaguchi, R., Aizawa, N., Tanishita, K., *Heat transfer—Japanese research,* 1995, 24(5), p.457-475, 19 refs.

Cryobiology, Preserving, Damage, Permeability, Ice prevention, Solutions, Chemical properties, Viability, Low temperature research, Temperature control

51-5298

Balloon-borne continuous cloud particle replicator for measuring vertical profiles of cloud microphysical properties: instrument design, performance, and collection efficiency analysis.

Miloshevich, L.M., Heymsfield, A.J., *Journal of atmospheric and oceanic technology,* Aug. 1997, 14(4), p.753-768, 21 refs.

Cloud physics, Profiles, Meteorological instruments, Radio echo soundings, Probes, Ice crystal structure, Cloud droplets, Replicas, Design, Design criteria, Performance

51-5299

Retrieval of kinematic fields using a single-beam airborne Doppler radar performing circular trajectories.

Protat, A., LeMaitre, Y., Scialom, G., *Journal of atmospheric and oceanic technology,* Aug. 1997, 14(4), p.769-791, 28 refs.

Precipitation (meteorology), Classifications, Airborne radar, Radar echoes, Sounding, Profiles, Reflectivity, Ice detection, Snow pellets, Simulation

51-5300

Possible improvement of the ice and thermal conditions in the lower pool of the Krasnoyarsk hydroelectric station.

Gotlib, IA.L., *Hydrotechnical construction,* June 1997, 30(12), p.728-731, Translated from Gidrotekhnicheskoe stroitel'stvo. 10 refs.

Electric power, Reservoirs, Thermal regime, Water temperature, Temperature control, Ice formation, Ice edge, Ice control

51-5301

Column amounts of $ClONO_2$, HCl, HNO_3, and HF from ground-based FTIR measurements made near Kiruna, Sweden, in late winter 1994.

Blumenstock, T., Fischer, H., Friedle, A., Hase, F., Thomas, P., *Journal of atmospheric chemistry,* Mar. 1997, 26(3), p.311-321, 13 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Chemical composition, Stratosphere, Degradation, Ozone, Aerosols, Infrared spectroscopy, Photochemical reactions, Seasonal variations, Sweden—Kiruna

51-5302

Potential influence of $ClO{\cdot}O_2$ on stratospheric ozone depletion chemistry.

Shindell, D.T., *Journal of atmospheric chemistry,* Mar. 1997, 26(3), p.323-335, 24 refs.

Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Ozone, Stratosphere, Aerosols, Degradation, Chemical composition, Models

The author examines the implications of proposed $ClO{\cdot}O_2$ chemistry, calculating the abundance of $ClO{\cdot}O_2$ in equilibrium with typical measured values of enhanced ClO within the antarctic polar vortex. A stable $ClO{\cdot}O_2$ compound creates a significant chlorine reservoir, while fairly rapid dimer formation greatly increases the $[Cl_2O_2]/[ClO]$ ratio. It is shown that one or both of the steps whereby ClO forms Cl_2O_2 via $ClO{\cdot}O_2$ must proceed fairly slowly. Ozone depletion rates are then calculated based on these constraints. (Auth. mod.)

51-5303

Ecological processes in a cold desert ecosystem: the abundance and species distribution of algal mats in glacial meltwater streams in Taylor Valley, Antarctica.

Alger, A.S., et al, *University of Colorado. Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research. Occasional paper,* 1997, No.51, 108p., Refs. p.34-36.

Limnology, Algae, Biomass, Classifications, Ecology, Meltwater, Glacier melting, Streams, Water chemistry, Antarctica—Taylor Valley

This report presents results on the abundance and species distribution of algal mats at 16 stream sites in Taylor Valley. Results indicate that species of filamentous cyanobacteria are the most abundant algae in the dry valley streams. Algal mats were classified on the basis of on apparent color into 4 mat types. "Black-colored algae" were found in the wetted zone adjacent to the streambed and were primarily composed of *Nostoc.* "Green-colored algae" were found attached to the surface/undersurface of rocks in the main stream channel and were mainly composed of *Prasiola.* "Orange-colored" and "red-colored algae" occurred in the streambed regions with the greatest flow and had a greater diversity of species. The abundance of algal mats is controlled by sediment transport and the characteristics of the streambed. Algal mats were more abundant in streams where the streambed is composed of a stone pavement. In streams with abundant algal mats, the nutrient concentrations are lower than in streams with sparse algal mats. (Auth. mod.)

51-5304

Siberia 1971: a report on the visit of the Honourable Jean Chrétien, Minister of Indian Affairs and Northern Development and Official Delegation to the Soviet Union, July-August 1971.

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Waste treatment, Water treatment, Waste disposal, Sludges, Earth fills, Environmental protection, Bibliographies
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51-5306
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Pleistocene, Paleoclimatology, Precipitation (meteorology), Climatic changes, Loess, Stratigraphy, Wind factors, Dust, Geochronology, Correlation, China

51-5307
High-resolution record of foraminiferal response to late Quaternary sea-ice retreat in the Norwegian-Greenland Sea.
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Pleistocene, Marine deposits, Paleoecology, Biomass, Nutrient cycle, Glacier oscillation, Sea ice distribution, Ice melting, Ice edge, Drill core analysis, Stratigraphy, Greenland Sea, Norwegian Sea

51-5308
Accumulation at the surface of polar ice sheets: observation and modelling for global climate change.
Genthon, C., Jouzel, J., Déqué, M., NATO Advance Research Workshop on Global Precipitations and Climate Change, l'Agelonde, France, Sep. 27-Oct. 1, 1993. Proceedings. Edited by M. Debois et al and NATO ASI, Series I. Global Environmental Change. Vol.26, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1994, p.53-75, Refs. p.71-75.
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Paleoclimatology, Climatic changes, Global change, Snow accumulation, Glacier mass balance, Ice sheets, Sea level, Simulation, Weather forecasting
Precipitation change over Greenland or Antarctica might have truly global environmental impact because it can affect the balance of water between the ocean and the ice sheets, and therefore the global sea level. General Circulation Models (GCMs) of the atmosphere are popular tools to study the components of a climate change. Yet they are not altogether successful in the polar regions. Models spatial resolution is one important limitation of models performances, particularly at regional scales. This paper shows how going from rather coarse to very fine resolution helps improve the simulation of net annual mean accumulation (precipitation minus evaporation/sublimation) at the surface of Greenland and Antarctica in the Météo-France Arpège GCM. (Auth. mod.)

51-5309
Split-window retrieval of particle size and optical depth in contrails located above horizontally inhomogeneous ice clouds.
Duda, D.P., Spinhirne, J.D., *Geophysical research letters,* Dec. 15, 1996, 23(25), p.3711-3714, 12 refs.
Cloud physics, Air pollution, Condensation trails, Aerosols, Radiometry, Particle size distribution, Optical properties, Ice crystal optics, Radiance

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51-5311
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Electric power, Dams, Concrete slabs, Foundations, Cold weather construction, Soil freezing, Temperature control, Frost protection, Electric heating, Mechanical tests

51-5312
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51-5313
Fire and ice of the Vatnajökull Glacier: a potent cocktail.
Kaldal, J., *Iceland review—nature and travel,* 1996, 34(4), p.8-14.
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51-5314
Role of the oceanic heat transport in climate dynamics—a sensitivity study with an atmospheric general circulation model.
Cohen-Solal, E., Le Treut, H., *Tellus,* May 1997, 49A(3), p.371-387, Refs. p.386-387.
Climatology, Oceanography, Marine atmospheres, Radiant heating, Heat flux, Turbulent diffusion, Sea ice, Air ice water interaction, Atmospheric circulation, Ice cover effect, Thermodynamics, Simulation

51-5315
Atmospheric meridional circulation impacts on contrasting winter sea ice extent in two years in the Pacific sector of the southern ocean.
Harangozo, S.A., *Tellus,* May 1997, 49A(3), p.388-400, 27 refs.
Oceanography, Sea ice distribution, Ice growth, Ice melting, Seasonal variations, Air ice water interaction, Atmospheric circulation, Advection, Air temperature, —South Pacific Ocean
An explanation is sought for the marked variation in maximum sea ice extent observed between 2 years in the 2 areas of greatest interannual variability in winter ice extent in the South Pacific sector of the southern ocean surrounding Antarctica. The role of ice recession in controlling ice extent is highlighted, and the adjustments in the near-surface atmospheric meridional circulation and air temperature that attend winter periods of ice retreat and advance are noted. Systematic meridional circulation changes also take place during the development and over the duration of ice extent anomalies. These are shown to emanate from adjustments of the semi-annual cycle in the extra-tropical South Pacific atmospheric circulation. (Auth. mod.)

51-5316
ERS/VLBI Station O'Higgins in Antarctica.
Hase, H., Nothnagel, A., *Bonn. Rheinischen Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität. Geodätisches Institut. Mitteilungen,* 1993, No.81, Working Meeting on European VLBI for Geodesy and Astrometry, 9th, Bad Neuenahr, Germany, Sep. 30-Oct. 1, 1993. Proceedings. Edited by J. Campbell and A. Nothnagel, p.87-97, 1 ref.
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Research projects, Geodetic surveys, Electronic equipment, Remote sensing, Tectonics, Data processing, Geodesy, Experimentation, Antarctica—Bernardo O'Higgins Station
The antarctic ERS/VLBI-Station O'Higgins performed the first successful geodetic VLBI experiments during the burst in Jan.-Feb. 1993. The facility is introduced and the first results are presented. (Auth.)

51-5317
Interaction of HNO_3 with water-ice surfaces at temperatures of the free troposphere.
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Climatology, Cloud physics, Aerosols, Stratosphere, Ice vapor interface, Adsorption, Scavenging, Temperature effects, Simulation

51-5318
Role of sea ice in $2XCO_2$ climate model sensitivity: part II: hemispheric dependencies.
Rind, D., Healy, R., Parkinson, C., Martinson, D., *Geophysical research letters,* June 15, 1997, 24(12), p.1491-1494, 5 refs.
Climatology, Climatic factors, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Carbon dioxide, Ice air interface, Ice cover effect, Air temperature, Simulation
The sensitivity of doubled CO_2 simulations to GCM control-run sea ice thickness and extent is examined in a series of 10 control-run simulations with different sea ice and corresponding doubled CO_2 simulations. Results show that with increased control-run sea ice coverage in the Southern Hemisphere, temperature sensitivity with climate change is enhanced, while there is little effect on temperature sensitivity of (reasonable) variations in control-run sea ice thickness. Overall, the Southern Hemisphere sea ice coverage change had a large impact on global temperature, because Northern Hemisphere sea ice was sufficiently thick to limit its response to doubled CO_2, and sea ice changes generally occurred at higher latitudes, reducing the sea ice-albedo feedback. In both these experiments the model displayed a sensitivity of ca. 0.02°C global warming per percent change in Southern Hemisphere sea ice coverage. (Auth. mod.)

51-5319
Spatial variations in the rate of sea level rise caused by the present-day melting of glaciers and ice sheets.
Conrad, C.P., Hager, B.H., *Geophysical research letters,* June 15, 1997, 24(12), p.1503-1506, 14 refs.
Oceanography, Sea level, Ice sheets, Glacier melting, Meltwater, Tides, Geodetic surveys, Accuracy
The redistribution of surface water mass associated with the melting of glacial ice in both the Arctic and Antarctic causes uplift near areas of mass depletion, depression of the seafloors, and changes in the earth's gravitational field which perturb the ocean surface. As a result, local spatial variations exist in the rate of sea level rise. Because most long duration tide gauges are in the Northern Hemisphere, if the sources of sea level rise are unbalanced between the two hemispheres, estimates of global sea level rise could be in error by 10 to 20%. Individual tide gauges could be more seriously unrepresentative if they are near regions of significant present-day mass depletion. (Auth. mod.)

51-5320
Effects of the water flow through the Canadian Archipelago in a global ice-ocean model.
Goosse, H., Fichefet, T., Campin, J.M., *Geophysical research letters,* June 15, 1997, 24(12), p.1507-1510, 14 refs.
Oceanography, Ocean currents, Water flow, Salinity, Ventilation, Mathematical models, Ice cover effect, Arctic Ocean

51-5321
Water and wastewater quality monitoring, McMurdo Station, Antarctica.
Crockett, A.B., *Environmental monitoring and assessment,* Aug. 1997, 47(1), p.39-57, 17 refs.
Cold weather operation, Waste disposal, Sewage disposal, Sea water, Water pollution, Environmental impact, Sea ice, Ice composition, Algae, Environmental impact, Environmental tests, Antarctica—McMurdo Station
Wastewater from McMurdo Station, which has a population that ranges from 250 to 1200 people, is macerated, is sometimes mixed with waste brine from the desalinization plant and is discharged to McMurdo Sound. Effluent water quality has been routinely monitored since 1989. Results of the effluent monitoring efforts show that low concentrations of a few organic contaminants have been detected, while concentrations of metals, particularly copper, are considerably higher. Ambient water quality and sea ice monitoring detected very few contaminants, all at very low levels. Diatom communities near the outfall differ in relative abundance, cell counts, and chlorophyll *a* content compared to control sites. For the purpose of evaluating the impact of McMurdo's effluent on ambient water quality, improved effluent monitoring and sediment quality monitoring are recommended instead of frequent monitoring of ambient water quality. (Auth. mod.)

51-5322
Multiple orders of relative sea-level changes in earliest Cambrian passive-margin succession, Mackenzie Mountains, northwestern Canada.
MacNaughton, R.B., Dalrymple, R.W., Narbonne, G.M., *Journal of sedimentary research,* July 1997, 67(4), p.622-637, 56 refs.
Pleistocene, Sea level, Subpolar regions, Earth crust, Quaternary deposits, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Lithology, Periodic variations, Correlation, Geochronology, Canada—Northwest Territories—Mackenzie Mountains

51-5323
Snow load on buildings.
O'Rourke, M.J., *American scientist,* Jan.-Feb. 1997, 85(1), p.64-70, 9 refs.
Buildings, Structural analysis, Roofs, Snowfall, Snow loads, Snowdrifts, Design criteria, Statistical analysis, Simulation, Mechanical tests, Snow cover effect, Wind factors

51-5324

Effect of root temperature on the induction of nitrate reductase activities and nitrogen uptake rates in arctic plant species.

Atkin, O.K., Cummins, W.R., *Plant and soil,* Feb. 1994, 159(2), 187-197, Refs. p.195-197.

Plant physiology, Roots, Nutrient cycle, Growth, Low temperature tests, Temperature effects, Chemical analysis, Simulation, Statistical analysis

51-5325

Preferred crystallographic orientation in the ice I→II transformation and the flow of ice II.

Bennett, K., Wenk, H.R., Durham, W.B., Stern, L.A., Kirby, S.H., *Philosophical magazine A,* Aug. 1997, 76(2), p.413-435, 46 refs.

Ice physics, Ice crystal structure, Deuterium oxide ice, Phase transformations, Orientation, Plastic flow, Neutron diffraction, Ice microstructure, Ice deformation, High pressure tests, Mechanical tests

51-5326

Responses of soil microbiota of a late successional alpine grassland to long term CO_2 enrichment.

Niklaus, P.A., Körner, C., *Plant and soil,* 1996, 184(2), p.219-229, Refs. p.228-229.

Plant ecology, Soil microbiology, Ecosystems, Alpine landscapes, Grasses, Biomass, Carbon dioxide, Nutrient cycle, Soil analysis, Statistical analysis

51-5327

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Plant physiology, Roots, Nutrient cycle, Soil freezing, Cold storage, Soil chemistry, Sampling, Chemical analysis, Temperature effects, Laboratory techniques, Accuracy

51-5328

Small ice caps in climate models.

North, G.R., Kin, K.Y., Lee, W.H., NATO Advanced Study Institute on the Mathematics of Models for Climatology and Environment, Puerto de la Cruz, Tenerife, Spain, Jan. 11-21, 1995. Proceedings. Edited by J.I. Díaz and NATO ASI, Series I. Global Environmental Change. Vol.48, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1997, p.289-297, 16 refs.

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Climatology, Climatic changes, Ice sheets, Radiation balance, Ice cover effect, Albedo, Insolation, Thermal diffusion, Surface temperature, Mathematical models

51-5329

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DLC QC981.M427

Glaciology, Ice sheets, Glacier flow, Ice mechanics, Viscosity, Sliding, Glacier surges, Lake bursts, Ice solid interface, Icebergs, Mathematical models

51-5330

Cover—ERS-1/2 SAR monitoring of dangerous ice phenomena along the western part of Northern Sea Route.

Johannessen, O.M., et al, *International journal of remote sensing,* Aug. 1997, 18(12), p.2477-2481, 2 refs.

Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Ice conditions, Sensor mapping, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Route surveys, Ice navigation, Ice edge, Safety, Northern Sea Route

51-5331

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Sea ice distribution, Ice surveys, Freezeup, Detection, Seasonal variations, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Backscattering, Surface roughness, Models, Photointerpretation, Correlation, Arctic Ocean

51-5332

Microwave snowpack studies made in the Austrian Alps during the SIR-C/X-SAR experiment.

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Alpine landscapes, Snow surveys, Sensor mapping, Spaceborne photography, Synthetic aperture radar, Snow cover distribution, Snow cover structure, Snow water content, Wet snow, Backscattering, Brightness, Austria—Alps

51-5333

Simulation of a multi-layer model of dense scatterers for anomalous scattering signatures from SSM/I snow data.

Jin, Y.Q., *International journal of remote sensing,* Aug. 1997, 18(12), p.2531-2538, 7 refs.

Snow surveys, Remote sensing, Spaceborne photography, Radiometry, Scattering, Brightness, Polarization (waves), Spectra, Grain size, Thermal radiation, Snow density, Mathematical models

51-5334

History of the Puula Lake complex, central Finland, and shifts in its outlet.

Tikkanen, M., *Fennia,* 1995, 173(1), p.1-32, Refs. p.30-32.

Limnology, Pleistocene, River basins, Geomorphology, Channels (waterways), Lacustrine deposits, Shoreline modification, Terraces, Stratigraphy, Palynology, Radioactive age determination, Finland

51-5335

Glacial landforms of the Peloponnisos (Greece).

Mastronuzzi, G., Sansò, P., Stamatopoulos, L., *Rivista geografica Italiana,* Mar. 1994, 101(1), p.77-86, With Italian and French summaries. 11 refs.

Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Tectonics, Landforms, Geomorphology, Moraines, Cirques, Snow line, Greece

51-5336

Vegetation/permafrost relationships in the Italian Alps. [Rapporti tra vegetazione e permafrost discontinuo in ambiente alpino: Val Vallaccia (Livigno—Sondrio)]

Cannone, N., Guglielmin, M., Smiraglia, C., *Rivista geografica Italiana,* Mar. 1995, 102(1), p.91-111, In Italian with English and French summaries. 23 refs.

Alpine landscapes, Discontinuous permafrost, Rock glaciers, Vegetation patterns, Permafrost indicators, Mapping, Sounding, Correlation, Italy—Alps

51-5337

Marmolada Glacier: geomorphological aspects of the central front. [Il ghiacciaio della Marmolada: aspetti geomorfologici della fronte centrale]

Mattana, U., *Rivista geografica Italiana,* Mar. 1995, 102(1), p.113-127, In Italian with English and French summaries. 22 refs.

Mountain glaciers, Alpine glaciation, Geomorphology, Glacier surveys, Glacier tongues, Glacial erosion, Periglacial processes, Italy—Marmolada Glacier

51-5338

Choanoflagellates (Acanthoecidae, Choanoflagellida) from the Weddell Sea, Antarctica, taxonomy and community structure with particular emphasis on the ice biota; with preliminary remarks on choanoflagellates from Arctic sea ice (Northeast Water Polynya, Greenland).

Thomsen, H.A., Garrison, D.L., Kosman, C., *Archiv für Protistenkunde,* June 1997, 148(1-2), p.77-114, 39 refs.

Sea ice, Ecology, Microbiology, Plankton, —South Atlantic Ocean

Ice biota studies in the Weddell Sea have focused on an examination of single cells and an analysis of community structure of the flagellate assemblage from sea ice and comparisons with planktonic assemblages. Based on extensive light microscopical analysis of 30 samples ranging from open water to "brown-ice" habitats, it became evident that the mature choanoflagellate community from ice is significantly different from both the water column community and those encountered in samples derived from newly formed ice. The choanoflagellates from sea ice encompasses a range of previously undescribed loricate taxa *(Acanthocorbis nana* n.sp., *A. weddellensis* n.sp., *A. prolongata* n.sp., *Apheloecion antarctica* n.sp., *A. glacialis* n.sp., *A. conicoides* n.sp., *Calliacantha frigida* n.sp., *C. ankyra* n.sp., *Diaphanoeca multiannulata* n. subsp. *glacialis. Parvicorbicula corynocostata* n.sp., and *P. pachycostata* n.sp.). These taxa have been investigated using a combination of light, and electron microscopy. (Auth. mod.)

51-5339

Volcanic gas emissions from Mount Erebus and their impact on the antarctic environment.

Zreda-Gostynska, G., Kyle, P.R., Finigan, D., Prestbo, K.M., *Journal of geophysical research,* July 10, 1997, 102(B7), p.15,039-15,055, 67 refs.

Volcanoes, Gases, Atmospheric composition, Air pollution, Aerosols, Antarctica—Erebus, Mount

Gas emission rates from the active volcano Mount Erebus increased between 1986 and 1991: SO_2 from 7.7 to 25.9 Gg/yr, HCl from 6.9 to 13.3 Gg/yr and HF from 4.0 to 6.0 Gg/yr. The emission rates of halogens from Mount Erebus are high relative to SO_2 emissions and are accompanied by relatively high emissions of trace gases and aerosols. Many elements found in the Erebus plume are common impurities in antarctic snow. Using a model which assumes a homogeneous distribution of the volcanic gas plume over Antarctica, Erebus could be a source of the impurities, by potentially contributing between 4 and 14 ng/g snow of Cl at the South Pole, and between 11 and 36 ng/g snow of Cl at Dome C. Similarly, predicted concentrations of Erebus-derived Cu, Zn, Cd, V, As, and Au in antarctic snow are close to those reported. Trace element and Pb isotope compositions of Erebus aerosols are similar to those collected in remote regions of Antarctica. The volcanic gas plume emitted from Erebus appears to make a significant contribution to the antarctic atmosphere and can be detected in the snow deposited over a wide area of the continent. (Auth. mod.)

51-5340

Tidal forcing of basal seismicity of ice stream C, West Antarctica, observed far inland.

Anadakrishnan, S., Alley, R.B., *Journal of geophysical research,* July 10, 1997, 102(B7), p.15,183-15,196, 51 refs.

Glacier flow, Tides, Ice models, Seismic surveys, Antarctica—Ross Ice Shelf

The seismicity rate beneath the downglacier 85 km of ice stream C, West Antarctica, is modulated by the tide. The tide beneath the Ross Ice Shelf modifies the force balance of the ice stream basal environment enough to change the rate of basal microearthquake generation by an order of magnitude. This tidal forcing travels up the ice stream as an attenuating wave at approximately 1.6 m/s and is detectable 85 km from the grounding line. The authors successfully model this behavior as an elastic ice stream underlain by a viscous substrate of viscosity η and thickness h_b and calculate that the substrate has an apparent stiffness η/h_b of $O(10^8)$ Pa s/m. This finding suggests that the conditions of the till layer at the bed of ice stream C are similar to those of ice stream B and that the reason for the recent stagnation of ice stream C is other than loss of till. It is further found that the ice stream at the grounding line is more strongly affected by ice shelf processes than by the basal shear stress. (Auth.)

51-5341

Some free boundary problems in theoretical glaciology.

Rodrigues, J.F., Santos, L., NATO Advanced Study Institute on the Mathematics of Models for Climatology and Environment, Puerto de la Cruz, Tenerife, Spain, Jan. 11-21, 1995. Proceedings. Edited by J.I. Díaz and NATO ASI, Series I. Global Environmental Change. Vol.48, Berlin, Springer-Verlag, 1997, p.337-364, 22 refs.

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Glaciology, Ice mechanics, Glacier flow, Velocity, Ice solid interface, Phase transformations, Stefan problem, Boundary value problems, Mathematical models, Theories

51-5342

Structure, water budget, and radiational features of a high-latitude warm front.

Hanesiak, J.M., Stewart, R.E., Szeto, K.K., Hudak, D.R., Leighton, H.G., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* June 15, 1997, 54(12), p.1553-1573, 34 refs.

Fronts (meteorology), Precipitation (meteorology), Synoptic meteorology, Subpolar regions, Snowfall, Ice crystals, Classifications, Ice sublimation, Hydrologic cycle, Wind factors, Mathematical models

51-5343

Characterization of ice crystals in clouds by simple mathematical expressions based on successive modification of simple shapes.

Wang, P.K., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* Aug. 1, 1997, 54(15), p.2035-2041, 21 refs.

Clouds (meteorology), Cloud physics, Ice physics, Ice crystal structure, Ice crystal size, Dendritic ice, Mathematical models, Simulation

51-5344

Outline of the Quaternary of the Saguenay at its entry. [Aperçu de Quaternaire à l'embouchure du Saguenay, Québec]

Dionne, J.C., Occhietti, S., *Géographie physique et Quaternaire,* 1996, 50(1), p.5-34, In French with English and German summaries. Refs. p.32-34.

Pleistocene, Estuaries, Deltas, Sea level, Sedimentation, Stratigraphy, Glacial deposits, Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Isostasy, Geochronology, Glacier oscillation, Canada—Quebec—Saguenay

51-5345

Dendroglaciological dating of a Little Ice Age glacial advance at Moving Glacier, Vancouver Island, British Columbia.

Smith, D.J., Laroque, C.P., *Géographie physique et Quaternaire,* 1996, 50(1), p.47-55, With French and German summaries. 36 refs.

Glacier oscillation, Quaternary deposits, Glacier surveys, Moraines, Glacial deposits, Age determination, Geochronology, Canada—British Columbia—Vancouver Island

51-5346

Early postglacial sedimentation of lower Seymour Valley, southwestern British Columbia.

Lian, O.B., Hickin, E.J., *Géographie physique et Quaternaire,* 1996, 50(1), p.95-102, With French summary. 16 refs.

Glacial geology, Quaternary deposits, Glacial deposits, Valleys, Glacial erosion, Sedimentation, Geomorphology, Stratigraphy, Organic soils, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, Canada—British Columbia—Seymour Valley

51-5347

Paleoclimatic implications of non-sorted polygons, Gironde Estuary, France. [Présence d'un réseau de grands polygones au sud de l'estuaire de la Gironde (France): interprétation et implications paléoclimatiques]

Texier, J.P., *Géographie physique et Quaternaire,* 1996, 50(1), p.103-108, In French with English summary. 44 refs.

Paleoclimatology, Geomorphology, Estuaries, Soil structure, Patterned ground, Polygonal topography, Periglacial processes, Permafrost distribution, Permafrost indicators, Thermal stresses, Photointerpretation, France—Gironde Estuary

51-5348

Intertidal rock platform erosion, upper St. Lawrence estuary. [Rainures de marques de choc oblongues sur la plate-forme intertidale à Cap-Sainté, haut estuaire du Saint-Laurent, Québec]

Dionne, J.C., *Géographie physique et Quaternaire,* 1996, 50(1), p.109-115, In French with English summary. 25 refs.

Littoral zone, Estuaries, Rock properties, Surface structure, Striations, Classifications, Ice erosion, Abrasion, Fast ice, Ice solid interface, Lithology, Canada—Saint Lawrence River

51-5349

Foraminiferal biofacies analysis of the Yakataga Formation, Icy Bay, Alaska: insights into Pliocene glaciomarine paleoenvironments of the Gulf of Alaska.

Zellers, S.D., *Palaios,* June 1990, 5(3), p.273-296, Refs. p.287-290.

Marine geology, Glacial geology, Pleistocene, Sedimentation, Rock properties, Stratigraphy, Plankton, Paleoecology, Classifications, Statistical analysis, United States—Alaska—Icy Bay

51-5350

Molecular volcano: abrupt CCl_4 desorption driven by the crystallization of amorphous solid water.

Smith, R.S., Huang, C., Wong, E.K.L., Day, B.D., *Physical review letters,* Aug. 4, 1997, 79(5), p.909-912, 26 refs.

Amorphous ice, Ice physics, Ice crystal growth, Water films, Ice spectroscopy, Doped ice, Ice sublimation, Ice water interface, Diffusion

51-5351

Sensitivity of a global ice-ocean model to the Bering Strait throughflow.

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Aircraft icing, Weather forecasting, Ice forecasting, Meteorological data, Statistical analysis, Indexes (ratios), Freezing indexes, Accuracy, Models

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Variation of winter road surface temperature due to topography and application of Thermal Mapping.

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Road icing, Ice forecasting, Surface temperature, Temperature variations, Topographic effects, Sensor mapping, Temperature measurement, Infrared equipment, Correlation, Data processing

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Use of kites to investigate boundary layer meteorology.

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Climatology, Air temperature, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Ice shelves, Temperature inversions, Profiles, Radio echo soundings, Airborne equipment, Performance

The application of kites as a platform for meteorological measurement within the boundary layer is examined. Kites are shown to fulfil a useful role within this research area, particularly when a highly mobile, lightweight and inexpensive instrumental platform is required. They are ideal for use at remote sites, or sites where terrain limits access for more conventional profiling equipment. Appropriate kite selection for given wind conditions and experimental requirements is suggested. Experimental results from three diverse remote sites illustrate practical applications of the profiling system, including an investigation of the structure of surface inversions over an ice shelf in Antarctica. (Auth. mod.)

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Modern atmospheric background dust load: recognition in central Asian snowpack, and compositional constraints.

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Climatology, Atmospheric composition, Dust, Aerosols, Sedimentation, Glacier ice, Snow composition, Chemical composition, Sampling, Ice cores, Origin, Kyrghyzstan

Dusts in strata of snowpack in the Alai-Pamir range, Kirghizstan, Central Asia, have chemical compositions that are in the same restricted range as those of the dusts found in snowpacks at three other locations: central south Greenland, the St. Elias (Alaska), and coastal Antarctica, where special-type local dust sources certainly cannot dominate. This similarity at the four widely separated sites appears to indicate that there is a modern atmospheric background dust that is the same on a regional, hemispheric, or global scale. The present study partially determines the chemical composition of the background dust, and confirms its existence in snowpack at four localities worldwide, including the center of the earth's largest continent where dusts of local source have considerable influence. (Auth. mod.)

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4-day wave as observed from the *Upper Atmosphere Research Satellite* Microwave Limb Sounder.

Allen, D.R., Stanford, J.L., Elson, L.S., Fishbein, E.F., Froidevaux, L., Waters, J.W., *Journal of the atmospheric sciences,* Feb. 1, 1997, 54(3), p.420-434, 40 refs.

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The "4-day wave" is an eastward moving quasi-nondispersive feature with period near 4 days occurring near the winter polar stratopause over Antarctica. This paper presents evidence of the 4-day feature in Microwave Limb Sounder (MLS) temperature, geopotential height, and ozone data from the late southern winters of 1992 and 1993. Space-time spectral analyses reveal a double-peaked tempera-

ture structure consisting of one peak near the stratopause and another in the lower mesosphere, with an out-of-phase relationship between the two peaks. This double-peaked structure is reminiscent of recent three-dimensional barotropic/baroclinic instability model predictions and is observed here for the first time. (Auth. mod.)

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Beaches, Geomorphology, Arctic landscapes, Shore erosion, Sediment transport, Water waves, Storms, Landscape development, Paleoclimatology, Geochronology, Radioactive age determination, United States—Alaska—Cape Espenberg Spit

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Greenland and antarctic mass balances for present and doubled atmospheric CO_2 from the GENESIS Version-2 global climate model.

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Climatology, Global warming, Carbon dioxide, Snow accumulation, Glacier mass balance, Glacier melting, Runoff, Regelation, Sea level, Mathematical models, Forecasting, Greenland

There are two significant problems in using general circulation models (GCMs) to predict mass balance distributions on ice sheets: the relatively coarse GCM horizontal resolution truncates the topography of the ice-sheet flanks and smaller ice sheets such as Greenland; and the snow and ice physics in most GCMs does not include ice-sheet-specific processes such as the refreezing of meltwater. This GCM is well suited for ice-sheet mass-balance studies because (a) the surface can be represented at a finer resolution than the atmospheric GCM, (b) the two correction techniques are included as part of the model, and (c) the model's mass balances for present-day Greenland and Antarctica are realistic. (Auth. mod.)

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Paleoclimatology, Oceanography, Climatic changes, Glacier oscillation, Ocean currents, Salinity, Heat flux, Ice cover effect, Ice models, Ice cores, Oxygen isotopes, Mathematical models

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Cloud radiative properties over the South Pole from AVHRR infrared data.

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Climatology, Surface temperature, Polar stratospheric clouds, Radiometry, Cloud cover, Optical properties, Radiance, Brightness, Ice crystal size, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—South Pole

Over the antarctic plateau, the radiances measured by the AVHRR middle infrared channels are shown to depend on effective cloud temperature, emissivity, ice water path, and effective radius of the particle size distribution. AVHRR imagery can be used to characterize cloud optical properties over the antarctic continent if surface weather observations and/or radiosonde data can be collocated with the satellite overpasses. From AVHRR imagery covering the South Pole during 1992, the mean cloud emissivity is estimated at 0.43 during summer and 0.37 during winter. When a radiative transfer model is used to evaluate these results in comparison with surface pyrgeometer measurements, the comparison suggests that the AVHRR retrieval method captures the overall behavior in cloud properties. During months when the polar vortex persists, AVHRR infrared radiances may be noticeably influenced by polar stratospheric clouds. (Auth. mod.)

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Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil conservation, Soil water migration, Soil microbiology, Snowmelt

51-5376

Physics, chemistry, and ecology of frozen soils in managed ecosystems: an introduction.

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Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Frozen ground strength, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil air interface, Soil conservation, Soil microbiology, Ecology, Environmental protection, Regional planning

Some of the world's most productive soils lie within cold regions. To enhance the productivity and quality of soil resources within these regions, knowledge must be advanced concerning the impact of freezing and thawing on soil properties and processes. The International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils is a step toward broadening the knowledge of frozen soil processes. This paper emphasizes the physical nature of frozen soil and the importance of freezing and thawing to the transport of water and heat at the Earth's surface. The authors also discuss the chemistry and biology of the soil system as affected by freezing and thawing. Ascertaining changes in ecosystem structure and productivity in response to perturbations in climate or management depends primarily on the use of models; these models require the acquisition of new knowledge to better define linkages among the physical, chemical, and biological components in cold regions. New knowledge concerning the dynamics of the frozen soil system will allow global societies and industries to develop sustainable and environmentally-safe management systems.

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Embankments, Active layer, Permafrost preservation, Soil freezing, Soil water migration, Ice lenses, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground strength, Thaw weakening

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Permafrost weathering, Suprapermafrost ground water, Frozen rocks, Weathering, Hydrogeochemistry, Frozen ground chemistry, Lithology, Mineralogy, Russia—Transbaikal

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Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Soil water migration, Soil temperature, Snow heat flux, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Snow cover effect, Seepage, Ground thawing, Runoff forecasting, Mathematical models

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Soil structure, Soil composition, Mineralogy, Soil water migration, Thermal conductivity, Computerized simulation

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Taiga, Forest soils, Tundra soils, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Active layer, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground temperature, Soil temperature, Heat transfer, Computerized simulation

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Floodplains, Forest strips, Plant ecology, Vegetation patterns, Revegetation, Vegetation factors, Snow cover effect, Permafrost beneath rivers, Soil temperature, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, United States—Alaska—Tanana River, United States—Alaska—Fairbanks

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Permafrost weathering, Permafrost mass transfer, Active layer, Saline soils, Frozen ground chemistry, Ground ice, Ground thawing, Periglacial processes, Slope processes, Landslides, Runoff, Russia—Yamal Peninsula

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Saline soils, Active layer, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Unfrozen water content, Electromagnetic prospecting, Russia—Taymyr Peninsula

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Saline soils, Permafrost structure, Frozen ground chemistry, Frozen ground strength, Soil creep, Electromagnetic prospecting

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Soil freezing, Freezing front, Soil water migration, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Mathematical models

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Clay soils, Soil pollution, Soil freezing, Artificial freezing, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil water migration, Electroosmosis, Land reclamation, Waste disposal, Mathematical models

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Soil freezing, Freezing front, Frost penetration, Electrical resistivity

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Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Soil structure, Freeze thaw tests, Soil strength, Soil air interface, Permeability, Soil conservation, Soil stabilization

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Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Soil tests, Freeze thaw tests, Soil aggregates, Soil strength, Soil stabilization, Soil conservation

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Loams, Soil aggregates, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Frost weathering, Soil structure, Soil erosion, Wind erosion, Soil conservation, United States—Minnesota

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Soil aggregates, Soil structure, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Freeze thaw tests, Soil chemistry, Soil strength

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Soil erosion, Soil structure, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Land reclamation, Soil conservation

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Soil strength, Soil erosion, Water erosion, Gullies, Seepage, Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Frost action, Freeze thaw tests

U.S. Army training exercises compact and often rut soils, which can increase hillslope runoff and concentrate surface flows, and enhance soil erosion. The objectives are to determine the effects of freeze-thaw (FT) on vehicular ruts, which concentrate flows and often erode to gullies. A noncohesive silt was rutted with a pickup truck, then frozen and thawed three times. Frost heave, rut geometry, soil compression, shear strength, and infiltration were measured. Results show that 1) ruts start to freeze later and thaw slower than uncompacted soil; 2) once ruts start to freeze, they freeze faster than unrutted soil; 3) the ruts heave an average of 0.2 to 3.2 mm more than unrutted soil; 4) the infiltration in ruts increases by 62%, unconfined compression strength decreases by 16% and shear strength by 14%, and rut hydraulic radius decreases an average of 9% after three FT cycles. These results suggest that the volume of water flowing in these ruts would be lower, the rut soils would be weaker (more erodible) and the rut flow velocity would be lower after the FT cycles. Future experiments will investigate rut and rill responses in different soils at variable FT rates.

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Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Frost forecasting, Ground thawing, Snow depth, Snow cover effect, Soil temperature, Topographic effects, Statistical analysis

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Mountain soils, Meadow soils, Soil colloids, Soil aggregates, Soil formation, Soil freezing, Frost weathering, Frozen ground chemistry, Lithology, Mineralogy

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Soil aggregates, Soil structure, Soil composition, Soil strength, Frost action, Frost resistance, Freeze thaw tests

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Snow hydrology, Snow depth, Snowmelt, Snow cover effect, Seepage, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil erosion, Stream flow, Runoff forecasting, Flood forecasting

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Frozen ground thermodynamics, Ground thawing, Soil strength, Thaw weakening, Soil erosion, Water erosion

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Frost action, Ground thawing, Soil strength, Soil erosion, Water erosion, Soil conservation, Vegetation factors, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Computerized simulation, United States—Washington

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Soil surveys, Soil freezing, Snow depth, Snow cover effect, Frost forecasting, Frost penetration, Statistical analysis, United States—Wisconsin

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Discontinuous permafrost, Permafrost hydrology, Snowmelt, Seepage, Soil water, Ground water, Water balance, United States—Alaska—Fort Wainwright

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Reservoirs, Permafrost beneath rivers, Permafrost surveys, Permafrost thermal properties, Active layer, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground temperature, Ground thawing, Thaw depth, Borehole instruments, Electromagnetic prospecting, Russia—Vilyuy River

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Snow hydrology, Snow heat flux, Snow melting, Snow evaporation, Snow cover distribution, Snow water equivalent, Snow air interface, Albedo, Computerized simulation

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Snow hydrology, Snow cover effect, Snowmelt, Seepage, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil water migration, Ground water, Runoff forecasting, Mathematical models

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Taiga, Forest soils, Forest fires, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil microbiology, Soil air interface, Nutrient cycle, Carbon dioxide, Atmospheric composition, Global warming

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Steppes, Meadow soils, Mountain soils, Tundra soils, Permafrost, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil air interface, Atmospheric composition, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, China—Qinghai-Xizang Plateau

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Permafrost surveys, Permafrost dating, Permafrost forecasting, Ground thawing, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil composition, Soil chemistry, Soil air interface, Atmospheric composition, Nutrient cycle, Geochemical cycles, Global warming, Russia—Yamal Peninsula

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Grasses, Agriculture, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Nutrient cycle, United States—Alaska

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Grasses, Agriculture, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Taiga, Forest soils, Soil chemistry, Nutrient cycle, Russia—Siberia

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Effect of freezing on soil moisture and nutrient distribution at Levinson-Lessing Lake, Taymyr Peninsula, Siberia.

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Soil freezing, Freezing front, Soil water migration, Active layer, Permafrost mass transfer, Permafrost hydrology, Frozen ground chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Nutrient cycle, Russia—Taymyr Peninsula

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Soil freezing, Freeze thaw cycles, Frost action, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Nutrient cycle, Soil air interface, Agriculture, Soil conservation

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Watersheds, Streams, Permafrost hydrology, Frozen ground chemistry, Hydrogeochemistry, Water chemistry, Nutrient cycle, Biomass, United States—Alaska—Fairbanks

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Soil surveys, Soil classification, Organic soils, Chernozem, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Frost action, Nutrient cycle, Soil conservation, Agriculture, Russia—Siberia

51-5430

Physical chemistry of geochemical solutions at subzero temperatures.

Marion, G.M., Grant, S.A., MP 4075, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.349-356, 25 refs.

Saline soils, Soil freezing, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil structure, Porosity, Capillarity, Permafrost thermal properties, Permafrost hydrology, Soil microbiology, Cryobiology, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

Theoretical developments, specifically the Pitzer equations and thermoporometry, coupled with improved experimental data on the thermophysical properties of supercooled solutions indicate that quantitative estimates are possible for the thermophysical properties of aqueous electrolyte solutions in frozen porous media. The Pitzer equations are statements of a solution's excess Gibbs energy. When fully parameterized, the Pitzer equations allow the calculation of activity coefficients, osmotic coefficients, enthalpies, entropies, Gibbs energies, heat capacities, and molal volumes of highly concentrated aqueous electrolyte solutions to temperatures below -50°C. While developed to calculate capillary pressures for pure pore liquids, the theoretical development that yielded thermoporometry can be extended directly to pore solutions composed of complex electrolyte solutions, by which freezing behavior of chemically realistic natural soils can be calculated. Application of the FREZCHEM model to an arctic permafrost soil demonstrated that significant amounts of water may remain liquid in saline soils as the result of salt exclusion from ice during the freezing process and the formation of brine pockets. These simulations also demonstrated that environmental conditions are marginally suitable for microbial activity in frozen soils under extreme conditions. Frozen soils have the potential to serve as a refugium for life.

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Physicochemical factors affecting soil acidity in seasonally frozen soils.

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Soil freezing, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Frost action, Soil chemistry

51-5432

Ground freezing for containment of hazardous waste: engineering aspects.

Iskandar, I.K., Sayles, F.H., MP 4076, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.361-369, 12 refs.

Soil freezing, Artificial freezing, Soil pollution, Soil stabilization, Soil conservation, Waste disposal, Environmental protection

The use of frozen soils has been proposed as an alternative method to contain hazardous waste. This technology has recently been advanced and adopted for application, and several demonstration projects are proposed. This paper describes engineering aspects of artificial soil freezing for containment of hazardous waste, geological conditions, environmental issues, advantages and limitations, performance monitoring and research needs.

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Organic soils, Soil freezing, Frost action, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil structure, Soil microbiology

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Characterization of the organic matter in subarctic and arctic tundra soils in north Siberia.

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Soil surveys, Soil classification, Permafrost structure, Permafrost hydrology, Tundra soils, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil microbiology, Russia—Siberia

51-5435

Humus formation in forest frozen soils in the Baikal region.

Klenov, B.M., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.380-383, 6 refs.

Forest soils, Organic soils, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil formation, Soil composition, Russia—Baykal, Lake

51-5436

Exchangeable cations and composition of organic matter in soils as affected by acidification and freezing.

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Organic soils, Soil freezing, Frost action, Soil chemistry, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil composition

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El'kina, G.IA., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.391-395, 4 refs.

Organic soils, Forest soils, Podsol, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil conservation, Liming, Agriculture, Russia—Komi

51-5438

Nitrogen cycle in the taiga zone of the Republic of Komi.

Beznosikov, V.A., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.396-402, 11 refs.

Organic soils, Forest soils, Podsol, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Nutrient cycle, Agriculture, Soil conservation, Russia—Komi

51-5439

Response of soil organic matter to change of air temperature in forest ecosystems.

Vedrova, E.F., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.403-407, 10 refs.

Organic soils, Forest soils, Forest ecosystems, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Decomposition, Nutrient cycle, Soil air interface, Air temperature, Russia—Krasnoyarsk

51-5440

Use of frozen-ground barriers for containment and in-situ remediation of heavy-metal contaminated soil.

Boitnott, G.E., Iskandar, I.K., Grant, S.A., MP 4077, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.409-416, 11 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil freezing, Artificial freezing, Permafrost preservation, Frozen ground chemistry, Waste disposal, Land reclamation

Barriers formed from artificially frozen ground have been proposed for isolating heavy-metal contaminated soils. In this bench-top study, the authors examined the effectiveness of a frozen-ground barrier in containing heavy-metal-laden liquid generated during soil remediation. A soil, artificially contaminated with Cd, Cu, Ni, and Zn, was placed above a frozen water-saturated uncontaminated soil layer. The temperature of the frozen layer was maintained at -3°C. The contaminated soil was flushed with a 0.1 M EDTA solution. Over 90% of the Cu and Zn and over 80% of the Cd and Ni were recovered from the unfrozen layer. Most of the remaining metals were found in a narrow zone of soil at the boundary between the frozen and unfrozen layers, while smaller amounts appear to have migrated into the barrier, apparently by diffusion in liquid-water films. The experiments demonstrated that the frozen-soil barrier prevented the migration of most of the metal-EDTA complexes, even at only -3°C. While the mechanism for the movement of small amounts of metals into this layer remains unclear, the authors suspect cooling below -3°C would improve the barrier's performance.

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Peatlands in the discontinuous permafrost zone along the Norman Wells pipeline, Canada.

Burgess, M.M., Tarnocai, C., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.417-424, 20 refs.

Underground pipelines, Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost preservation, Wetlands, Peat, Environmental impact, Frozen ground settling, Revegetation, Soil erosion, Soil conservation, Canada—Northwest Territories—Norman Wells

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Peculiarities of distribution of technogenic hydrocarbons through the vertical profile of peat and tundra gley soils of forest-tundra landscapes in western Siberia, polluted as a result of oil-gas condensate extraction.

Sadov, A.P., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.425-429, 15 refs.

Oil spills, Forest tundra, Forest soils, Tundra soils, Peat, Soil pollution, Soil chemistry, Russia—Tyumen

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Predicting diauxy during bioremediation in organic soil.

White, D.M., Luong, H., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.430-435, 10 refs.

Tundra soils, Organic soils, Oil spills, Soil pollution, Soil microbiology, Soil chemistry, Waste disposal, Land reclamation

51-5444

Investigation of an abandoned diesel storage cavity in permafrost.

Spaans, E.J.A., Baker, J.M., Iskandar, I.K., Koenen, B.A., Pidgeon, C.S., MP 4078, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.436-442, 4 refs.

Fuels, Waste disposal, Oil spills, Soil pollution, Permafrost preservation, Permafrost thermal properties, Permafrost hydrology, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Land reclamation

In 1974 an experiment was conducted to test the feasibility of storing diesel fuel in an unlined cavity created in permafrost. A test cavity was excavated, and at the conclusion of the experiment the diesel was not removed, but sawdust was added to adsorb the diesel, and the shaft leading from the cavity to the surface was backfilled with gravel. In 1994, diesel fuel was observed on the soil surface in the vicinity of the shaft. The entire gravel shaft was contaminated with diesel; the soil outside the shaft exhibited much lower levels of contamination. A video camera lowered into the cavity showed massive ice on all cavity walls. The authors tentatively conclude that during the years 1975-1994 water entered the gravel shaft, migrated downward to the cavity, and displaced the diesel fuel which moved upward through the shaft. The permafrost cavity failed to provide an environmentally sound enclosure for the diesel.

51-5445

Soil organic matter of spodic horizons in soils of coastal continental Antarctica and Germany.

Beyer, L., Knicker, H., Blume, H.P., Bölter, M., Schneider, D., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.443-448, 33 refs.

Organic soils, Podsol, Soil surveys, Soil classification, Soil profiles, Soil formation, Soil composition, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Nutrient cycle, Antarctica, Germany

The soil organic matter (SOM) of relic ornithogenic soils in coastal continental Antarctica, which showed morphological features like a Podzol, was compared to spodic horizons in Germany. The authors' goal was to unravel the little knowledge of organic matter of ornithogenic soils by means of wet-chemistry and nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy (NMR). In contrast to the German soils the SOM of the antarctic soils was characterized by a high percentage of amino derivatives from proteins, polysaccharides, urates and chitin, resulting in a mean C-to-N ratio of 10. The high content of carboxyl carbon units probably derived from amino and other organic acids. The pattern of the ^{15}N-NMR spectra of the penguin guano suggested the presence of uric acid. Concerning the podzolization process the data suggested the migration of organic acids, not-humified carbohydrates an N-containing moieties, from the topsoil into the spodic horizons of the ornithogenic soils. In the SOM of Podzols formed under temperate climate conditions N-compounds, and non-humified carbohydrates were of minor importance within the SOM translocation processes. (Auth.)

51-5446

Distribution of oil and oil products in soils of tundra landscapes within the European territory of Russia (ETR).

Solntseva, N.P., Guseva, O.A., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.449-453, 10 refs.

Forest tundra, Tundra soils, Organic soils, Podsol, Peat, Soil profiles, Oil spills, Soil pollution, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Russia—Bol'shezemel'skaya Tundra

51-5447

Some properties of seasonally frozen soils of northeastern Europe.

Rusanova, G.V., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.455-458, 11 refs.

Taiga, Forest tundra, Forest soils, Tundra soils, Podsol, Soil surveys, Soil classification, Soil formation, Soil profiles, Soil composition, Soil chemistry, Russia—Komi

51-5448

Humus composition and transformation in a pergelic terric cryohemist of coastal continental Antarctica.

Beyer, L., Blume, H.P., Sorge, C., Schulten, H.R., Erlenkeuser, H., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.459-464, 29 refs.

Organic soils, Peat, Mosses, Soil surveys, Soil classification, Soil formation, Soil profiles, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Antarctica—Casey Station

Organic matter of an antarctic peat soil was studied with special emphasis on soil formation processes. An integrated approach, including wet-chemical analyses, cross-polarization magic angle spinning carbon-13 nuclear magnetic resonance spectroscopy (CP/MAS ^{13}C-NMR), and pyrolysis-field ionization mass spectrometry (Py-FIMS), was applied to characterize the soil organic matter (SOM) composition at different depths. Dead moss was the fresh organic matter. Aliphat-C units dominate in the SOM. Alkyl compounds consist of lipids, fatty acids and sterols. The aromatic structures identified by CP/MAS ^{13}C-NMR and by Py-FIMS demonstrate that lignin input is not necessary for the formation of aromatic humic structures. Within the humification process, carbohydrates are less mineralized in Antarctica than under temperate climate conditions and these moieties also dominate in the SOM of deeper horizons. The extremely cold climate conditions of Antarctica retard the transformation of fresh organic residues. Nevertheless, alkyl carbon units are incorporated into the complex humic matter and enriched due to a selective preservation. (Auth.)

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Temperature regime of gley-podzolic soils of the European northeast (Komi Republic).

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Taiga, Forest soils, Tundra soils, Organic soils, Podsol, Soil surveys, Soil classification, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Frozen ground temperature, Agriculture, Russia—Komi

51-5450

Ecology of long-term seasonally frozen soils of the taiga in Siberia.

Gorbachev, V.N., Babintseva, R.M., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.469-472, 12 refs.

Taiga, Forest soils, Permafrost weathering, Frost weathering, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil formation, Soil classification, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Russia—Siberia

51-5451

Impacts of tracked vehicles on properties of tundra soils.

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Tundra soils, Tracked vehicles, Environmental impact, Soil erosion, Soil profiles, Soil composition, Soil chemistry, Frozen ground chemistry, Russia—Yamal Peninsula

51-5452

Nature restoration strategy in the Far North.

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Economic development, Environmental impact, Soil erosion, Permafrost preservation, Soil conservation, Revegetation, Land reclamation, Russia—Komi

51-5453

Bacterial biomass and properties of arctic desert soils (Archipelago Severnaya Zemlya, northern Siberia).

Bölter, M., Pfeiffer, E.M., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.481-487, 22 refs.

Desert soils, Tundra soils, Tundra vegetation, Vegetation patterns, Plant ecology, Permafrost hydrology, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil composition, Soil microbiology, Cryobiology, Bacteria, Russia—Severnaya Zemlya

51-5454

Effects of soil freezing and thawing on the bacterial population in the wheat rhizosphere.

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Frost action, Agriculture, Grasses, Plant ecology, Roots, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Cryobiology, Bacteria, Japan—Hokkaido

51-5455

Overwintering of insect pathogens.

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Plant ecology, Acclimatization, Cold tolerance, Cryobiology, Fungi, Microbiology, Physiological effects

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Impact of freezing and thawing of soils on microbiology and pesticide degradation potential.

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Soil freezing, Artificial freezing, Cold storage, Frost resistance, Soil stabilization, Frozen ground chemistry, Soil chemistry, Soil microbiology, Soil tests, Freeze thaw tests

51-5457

Snowmelt saturation restricts Scots pine growth on fine-grained tills in Lapland.

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Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Snow cover effect, Seepage, Glacial till, Trees (plants), Vegetation patterns, Growth, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Electromagnetic prospecting, Finland

51-5458

Seasonal changes in soil temperature and in the frost hardiness of Scots pine roots under subarctic conditions.

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Soil temperature, Frozen ground temperature, Trees (plants), Roots, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Acclimatization, Cold tolerance, Frost resistance, Finland

51-5459

Thermal properties of seasonally frozen soils, and modeling soil freezing or thawing.

Kurtener, D.A., Romanov, P.G., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.519-524, 27 refs.

Soil freezing, Permafrost thermal properties, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Artificial freezing, Frost penetration, Frost forecasting, Computerized simulation, Mathematical models

51-5460

Extreme-value statistics for maximum soil frost penetration in the northeastern U.S. using air temperature and snow cover data.

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Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Frost forecasting, Air temperature, Soil air interface, Snowfall, Snow cover distribution, Snow cover effect, Meteorological data, Records (extremes), Statistical analysis, United States

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Comparison of three models for predicting frost in soils.

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Soil freezing, Frost penetration, Frost forecasting, Computerized simulation

51-5462

Modeling soil freezing and thawing, and frozen soil runoff with the SHAW model.

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Soil freezing, Ground thawing, Frost penetration, Thaw depth, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil water migration, Unfrozen water content, Snow hydrology, Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, Flood forecasting, Computerized simulation

51-5463

Passive microwave detection and modeling of frozen soils in tundra and grassland areas.

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Tundra soils, Soil temperature, Frozen ground temperature, Permafrost distribution, Snow cover distribution, Terrain identification, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-5464

Monitoring the effects of fire on soil temperature and moisture in boreal forest ecosystems using satellite imagery.

French, N.H.F., Kasischke, E.S., Michalek, J.L., Bourgeau-Chavez, L.L., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.551-557, 11 refs.

Taiga, Forest ecosystems, Forest fires, Forest soils, Soil temperature, Soil water, Soil air interface, Geochemical cycles, Synthetic aperture radar, Radiometry, Spaceborne photography

51-5465

Freeze-thaw apparatus and testing of time domain reflectometry (TDR) and radio frequency (RF) sensors.

Kestler, M.A., Bull, D., Wright, B., Hanek, G., Truebe, M., MP 4079, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.558-564, 5 refs.

Pavements, Frost heave, Frost penetration, Frost forecasting, Soil water, Unfrozen water content, Moisture meters, Moisture detection, Electromagnetic prospecting, Road maintenance

Time domain reflectometry (TDR) is gaining rapid acceptance in the United States as a nonradioactive technique for measuring volumetric moisture content, and TDR sensors are increasingly being used to determine the effect that fluctuations in moisture content have on pavement systems. Although not as common, radio frequency (RF) sensors can also be used to monitor changes in moisture content in pavement systems. To evaluate the accuracy and repeatability of both TDR and RF moisture sensors installed in pavements experiencing seasonal freezing, the U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL) and the U.S. Department of Agriculture Forest Service (USFS) have developed a simple, inexpensive laboratory freeze-thaw moisture sensor testing device. The following paper discusses the test apparatus design and construction, test procedure, and observations resulting from a series of freeze-thaw tests using a sandy-silt.

51-5466

Examining the use of time domain reflectometry in frozen soils.

Spaans, E.J.A., Baker, J.M., *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.565-569, 6 refs.

Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil water, Unfrozen water content, Moisture detection, Moisture meters, Electromagnetic prospecting

51-5467

Physics, chemistry, and ecology of seasonally frozen soils: a wrap-up discussion.

Radke, J.K., Sharratt, B.S., Hinzman, L.D., Groenevelt, P.H., Iskandar, I.K., MP 4080, *U.S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory. Special report,* Apr. 1997, SR 97-10, International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils, Fairbanks, AK, June 10-12, 1997. Proceedings. Edited by I.K. Iskandar, et al, p.571-573.

Soil freezing, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Soil microbiology, Soil conservation, Research projects

Seasonally frozen soils occur over a large portion of the Northern Hemisphere and include some of the most productive and also the most fragile soils in the world. Research reported from 12 countries at the International Symposium on Physics, Chemistry, and Ecology of Seasonally Frozen Soils covered a wide range of topics and represented many disciplines. While the knowledge of frozen soils is vast, much remains to be learned. Future frozen soils research needs include: 1) measurement techniques, 2) changes in soil microstructure, 3) adaptation of soil organisms, 4) new simulation models and management tools, 5) interdisciplinary research, and 6) applied research for managing ecosystems. The big task for the future is to integrate knowledge gained through frozen soils research into useful tools for the development of new management systems for the global ecosystems.

51-5468

Frost penetration in soil with an inclusion of sand: dependence on soil moisture content and winter severity.

Peck, L., O'Neill, K., MP 4081, *Canadian geotechnical journal,* June 1997, 34(3), p.368-383, With French summary. 15 refs.

Frozen ground mechanics, Phase transformations, Soil freezing, Freezing front, Frost penetration, Soil temperature, Sands, Water content, Admixtures, Thermal conductivity, Heat transfer, Mathematical models, Computerized simulation

An innovative numerical method was developed for calculating multidimensional heat conduction with phase change. The method can easily be included in standard finite element and finite difference heat transfer programs. Simulations of one- and two-dimensional heat transfer in soil with an inclusion of sand were done to investigate the disruption in frost and thaw penetration due to the presence of a dry, low thermal conductivity sand. The dependence of frost depth on weather conditions was investigated by using four different (coldest, cold, warm, warmest) winter-long temperature histories for the soil surface boundary condition. With details depending on the moisture content of the soil, significant effects on the time history of frost penetration were observed when a wide sand inclusion is present. Frost penetration actually proceeds more rapidly through the sand at first because it is dry and, therefore, has a lower latent heat and heat capacity; initial frost depth is greater when a sand inclusion is present. Freezing of the soil below the sand inclusion is subsequently impeded by the slow removal of heat at the base of the sand as a consequence of its lower thermal conductivity; thus, the maximum frost depth is greater in soil without a sand inclusion.

51-5469

Comparison of uniaxial and borehole jack tests at Fort Providence ice crossing, 1995.

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Plant physiology, Plant tissues, Cold stress, Cold tolerance, Frost resistance, Acclimatization, Electrical resistivity, Thermoelectric effects

51-5471
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51-5472
Assimilation of inorganic nitrogen by antarctic and temperate marine phytoplankton species under UV stress.
Döhler, G., *Russian journal of plant physiology,* July-Aug. 1997, 44(4), p.518-525, Translated from Fiziologiia rasteniĭ. 30 refs.
Marine biology, Plankton, Ecosystems, Ultraviolet radiation, Solar radiation, Photosynthesis, Simulation, Light effects
Natural phytoplankton samples and sea-ice algae from the Weddell Sea were exposed to UV-A and UV-B under controlled laboratory conditions during two *Polarstern* cruises. Additionally, the influence of UV radiation on phytoplankton assemblages of the North Sea, German Bight, and of unialgal cultures of temperate marine diatoms were investigated. Pigment biosynthesis by natural phytoplankton and sea-ice algae was inhibited by UV-B and enhanced after UV-A radiation. Results were discussed with respect to the effect of UV radiation on the key enzymes of nitrogen metabolism as related to adaptation strategies of algae to environmental UV conditions. (Auth. mod.)

51-5473
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Pleistocene, Quaternary deposits, Glacial geology, Subarctic landscapes, Moraines, Stratigraphy, Palynology, Algae, Classifications, Vegetation patterns, Finland

51-5476
Evidence for the former existence of a thicker ice sheet on the Vestfjella nunataks in western Dronning Maud Land, Antarctica.
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Pleistocene, Glacial geology, Glacial erosion, Rock properties, Striations, Glacier flow, Nunataks, Lithology, Antarctica—Kraul Mountains
A 130 km long nunatak range in western Queen Maud Land, the Kraul Mountains, whose northern and southern ends are situated close to the present ice sheet grounding-line were studied. Striations and lodgement till on nunatak Basen indicate that the northernmost nunataks were formerly covered by a thicker antarctic ice sheet. Striations on the summit ridge of nunatak Plogen indicate that the minimum change in ice thickness has been 700 m at the present ice sheet grounding-line. The relatively uniform oldest striation direction on different nunatak summits and the altitude of Plogen, which is less than 200 m lower than the highest summits, indicates that the whole range may have been covered by an ice sheet. Age determinations and sedimentological data obtained from Weddell Sea sediments by Norwegian researchers suggest that a grounded ice sheet extended to the shelf edge at around 21 ka B.P. (Auth. mod.)

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51-5483
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Climatology, Mountains, Synoptic meteorology, Atmospheric circulation, Air temperature, Profiles, Heating, Snow line, Wind factors, Topographic effects, Simulation, Weather forecasting, United States—Washington—Cascade Mountains

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Scientists began warning more than 20 years ago that global warming might cause a precariously placed store of frozen water in Antarctica to melt, leading to a calamitous rise in sea level—perhaps 5 or 6 m worth. Yet predicting exactly how—or whether—sea level will shift in response to global warming remains a significant challenge. Scientists trained in many separate disciplines are attempting to glean answers using a variety of experimental approaches, ranging from drilling into the antarctic ice cap to bouncing radar off the ocean from space. With such efforts, investigators have learned a great deal about how sea level has varied in the past and how it is currently changing. For example, most of these scientists agree that the ocean has been creeping upward by 2 mm a year for at least the past several decades. But determining whether a warmer climate will lead to a sudden acceleration in the rate of sea level rise remains an outstanding question. (Auth. mod.)

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Oceanography, Sea level, Ocean currents, Height finding, Spacecraft, Mathematical models, Bottom topography, Statistical analysis

To study the relationship between mesoscale variability and the mean circulation of the Antarctic Circumpolar Current, the authors have assimilated Geosat altimeter measurements into a quasigeostrophic model of the southern ocean. The model is eddy resolving and includes realistic lateral boundaries and bottom topography. The method of "nudging" is applied for a continuous assimilation of the satellite data. When sea surface height is nudged into the model instead of vorticity, a fast convergence toward observations is found. However, when the technique that was proven successful in identical twin experiments is used with real data, it is observed that there is only slight improvement. The success of the assimilation is restricted mainly to driving the variability of the model closer to the observations. Additionally, in the ice-covered domain of the southern ocean, which is modeled but not constrained by Geosat observations, the authors find a major improvement. The overestimation of the westward current around Antarctica is reduced significantly. (Auth. mod.)

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Grasses, Plant ecology, Growth, Vegetation patterns, Migration, Soil tests, Antarctica—Stepping Stones, Antarctica—Bonaparte Point

The seed banks of *Colobanthus quitensis* and *Deschampsia antarctica,* the only two vascular plants native to Antarctica, were assayed by collecting soils from two sites near Palmer Station, and germinating seeds in a laboratory germination facility. Both species were found to have a substantial seed bank, comparable in size to those of arctic and alpine species. The buried seed density was not correlated with the local aboveground abundance where both species were present, although at one site where a species was absent from the vegetation it was also not found in the seed community. Antarctic seed banks have important implications for both the decline and spread of plant populations in response to a changing climate. (Auth. mod.)

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New population of *Colobanthus quitensis* near Arthur Harbor, Antarctica: correlating recruitment with warmer summer temperatures.

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Plant ecology, Distribution, Biogeography, Migration, Vegetation patterns, Climatic factors, Statistical analysis, Antarctica—Gamage Point

The authors discovered a previously unreported population of the antarctic vascular plant *Colobanthus quitensis* (Kunth) Bartl. containing 267 individuals on Gamage Point. Cushion recruitment per mature cushion in the Gamage Point population was positively correlated with mean summer (Dec.-Feb.) air temperatures, suggesting that temperature is an important factor limiting the establishment of *C. quitensis* in the maritime Antarctic. The presence of apparently suitable but uncolonized sites in the proximity of established populations of vascular plants, combined with increasing mean summer air temperatures on the Antarctic Peninsula, suggest that expansion of existing populations and the establishment of new populations on the Antarctic Peninsula is likely to continue. (Auth. mod.)

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51-5534

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Permafrost, Research projects, Meetings, International cooperation

51-5535

Estimating the total concentration of volatile organic compounds in soil samples.

Hewitt, A.D., Lukash, N.J.E., MP 4082, Annual Waste Testing and Quality Assurance Symposium, 13th, Arlington, VA, July 6-9, 1997. Proceedings, Washington, D.C., American Chemical Society, 1997, p.98-104, 10 refs.

Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

This manuscript describes an on-site method of estimating the total concentration of volatile organic compounds (VOCs) in soil, relative to a site-specific 0.2 mg/kg working standard. The purpose of this decision tool is to allow on-site sampling activities to incorporate the appropriate soil sample collection and handling protocols necessary for high- and low-level gas chromatography/mass spectrometry analysis. Combining rapid on-site analysis with sampling proce-

dures that limit substrate disaggregation and exposure improves efforts to achieve site-representative estimates for vadose zone contamination.

51-5536

Determination of nitroaromatic, nitramine, and nitrate ester explosives in water using solid phase extraction and GC-ECD.

Walsh, M.E., Ranney, T., MP 4083, Annual Waste Testing and Quality Assurance Symposium, 13th, Arlington, VA, July 6-9, 1997. Proceedings, Washington, D.C., American Chemical Society, 1997, p.113-124, 12 refs.

Military facilities, Explosives, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Wells, Water pollution, Water chemistry, Chemical analysis

SW-846 Method 8330, the current USEPA method for the analysis of 14 nitroaromatic and nitramine explosives and co-contaminants, uses a liquid chromatograph (LC) equipped with a UV detector. In many environmental laboratories, gas chromatographs (GCs) are the most commonly used instruments because the majority of SW-846 methods for organics are gas chromatographic methods. The desire to make maximum use of GC naturally leads to attempts to substitute GCs for LCs when analyzing for explosives. However, quantitative analysis of explosives by GC is complicated by the thermal lability of some of the analyses, particularly the nitramines. The authors have found, by using high linear carrier gas velocities, deactivated injection port liners, and short wide-bore capillary columns, that the Method 8330 analyses plus nitroglycerin, PETN, and dinitroaniline may be analyzed quantitatively by GC-ECD (gas chromatography-electron capture detector). The GC method provides greater sensitivity than LC, but accurate calibration is more difficult. The UV detector used for the LC analysis has much greater linear range than the ECD used for GC analysis. In addition, the GC instrumentation requires more care than the LC. Specifically, the injection port liner must be changed frequently to maintain accurate determination of the nitramines. Perhaps the most valuable asset of the GC determination, when used in conjunction with LC, is the ability to confirm analyte presence based on two different physical properties: vapor pressure with GC and polarity with LC. When detection is ambiguous using LC, confirmation by GC will be very useful. Documentation and performance data will be submitted to the Office of Solid Waste for consideration of this method as a standard for inclusion in SW-846.

51-5537

On-site analysis of explosives in soil: evaluation of thin-layer chromatography for confirmation of analyte identity.

Nam, S.I., Leggett, D.C., Jenkins, T.F., Stutz, M.H., MP 4084, Annual Waste Testing and Quality Assurance Symposium, 13th, Arlington, VA, July 6-9, 1997. Proceedings, Washington, D.C., American Chemical Society, 1997, p.132-140, 18 refs.

Military facilities, Explosives, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

Two colorimetric-based methods are commonly used for on-site analysis of explosives in soil. For the TNT method, acetone soil extracts are reacted with base to produce reddish Janowsky anions. For the RDX method, acetone extracts are acidified and reacted with zinc metal to reduce RDX to nitrous acid, which is further reacted with a Griess reagent to produce a reddish product. In both cases, concentrations are estimated using absorbance measurements at 540 or 507 nm, respectively. The limitations on positive analyte identification with these procedures are that the TNT method also reacts with other polynitroaromatics, such as TNB and DNT, and the RDX method reacts with other nitramines (HMX) and nitrate esters (NG and PETN). The ability to qualitatively differentiate among the various analyses that produce positive responses would greatly enhance the usability of these methods. This study investigated the use of thin-layer chromatography (TLC) as a simple, on-site method to confirm the identity of analyses detected using the colorimetric procedures. Separations using both laboratory-grade and locally available solvents were developed. The combination of petroleum ether:isopropanol (4:1) provided the best separation for the nitroaromatics, and petroleum ether:acetone (1:1) produced the best separation for the nitramines and nitrate esters. Various types of visualization schemes were also investigated. The most sensitive were $TiCl_3$ with dimethylaminocinnamaldehyde for the nitroaromatics, and the Griess reagent with UV exposure for the nitramines. The major limitation of TLC confirmation analysis is that it does not currently provide an analyte detection capability comparable to the colorimetric tests. Using plates with a preconcentration zone and high ratios of soil to solvent, detection levels of about 10 mg/kg seem attainable.

51-5538

Vector feature extraction using adaptive parallel processing.

LaPotin, P.J., McKim, H.L., Comati, J.C., MP 4085, International Airborne Remote Sensing Conference and Exhibition, Copenhagen, Denmark, July 7-10, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2, Ann Arbor, MI, ERIM (Environmental Research Institute of Michigan) International, Inc., 1997, p.300-304, 6 refs.

Data processing, Image processing, Computer programs

In this paper optimal routing algorithms are proposed for the design and implementation of feedforward neural networks and parallel processors. Feedforward architectures are the focus of the analysis since their organization clearly separates sequential tasks from parallel tasks, and optimal algorithms can be applied to the larger class of recurrent designs. Within the optimal routing algorithms, adaptation methods are used to govern the introduction and distribution of individual processors. The purpose of the adaptation sequence is to produce parallel architectures that are capable of recognizing portrayed test patterns in k≥2 multispectral/hyperspectral bands. Within the adaptation sequence, weight adjustment is used to reward or penalize processing units based upon sampling criteria, architecture size, and pattern classification. Generalized gradient descent algorithms are examined and operating properties are reviewed for use within multiple layer vector extraction models. The operating characteristics of these designs are demonstrated using recursive programming techniques.

51-5539

Design and implementation of the Belarus AN-26 remote sensing system.

LaPotin, P.J., McKim, H.L., Ellis, J.N., Kamely, D., MP 4086, International Airborne Remote Sensing Conference and Exhibition, Copenhagen, Denmark, July 7-10, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2, Ann Arbor, MI, ERIM (Environmental Research Institute of Michigan) International, Inc., 1997, p.694-698, 4 refs.

Military facilities, Soil pollution, Plant ecology, Plant physiology, Physiological effects, Vegetation patterns, Terrain identification, Aerial surveys, Airborne equipment, Photographic equipment, Mapping, Belarus

In this paper, the technical specifications for the Antonov AN-26 Remote Sensing Platform are provided, and detailed technical guidelines are presented for the design and implementation of the installed sensor suite within the Former Soviet Union Republic of Belarus. The airborne remote sensing platform includes three major systems: (1) Leica RC-30 Aerial Mapping Camera with digitally controlled mount, (2) Digital MultiSpectral Video (DMSV) System with digitally controlled mount, and (3) Trimble Sensor GPS and Navigational GPS. Each system is designed to evaluate specific environmental factors. The Leica RC-30 Aerial Mapping Camera acquires scaled color and color-infrared imagery to precise specifications for the monitoring and evaluation of land use conditions. The DMSV System acquires digital data for the monitoring and detection of vegetative stress. The stress conditions are correlated within specific toxicological samples from the field and are used to create scaled maps of the environmental features found within the Former Strategic Rocket Force (FSRF) installations. The Trimble Sensor GPS and Navigational GPS register the individual frames of data acquired from the Leica RC-30 and DMSV.

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Tires, Road icing, Rubber ice friction, Traction, Skid resistance, Safety, Japan

51-5542

Development and draining of thermokarst lakes on Gruben Rock Glacier (Wallis). [Entwicklung und Sanierung eines Thermokarstsees am Gruben-Blockgletscher (Wallis)]

Kääb, A., Haeberli, W., Teysseire, P., *Freiburg. Universität. Geographisches Institut. Forschungsberichte,* 1996, No.8, p.145-153, In German with French summary. 10 refs.

Rock glaciers, Glacial hydrology, Glacial lakes, Thermokarst lakes, Lake bursts, Flood control, Drainage, Switzerland

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River flow, Flow control, Channel stabilization, Water erosion, Soil erosion, Soil conservation, Soil stabilization, Bank protection (waterways), Switzerland

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Recent experience with armor stone cracking in the Buffalo District.

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Estimating the total concentration of volatile organic compounds in soil: a decision tool for sample handling.

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Oil spills, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

This report describes an on-site method of estimating the total concentration of Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs) in soil, relative to a site-specific 0.2-mg/kg standard. This decision tool allows on-site sampling activities to incorporate the appropriate soil sample collection and handling protocols required by different methods of instrumental analysis. Coupling a rapid method for estimating the total VOC concentration with sampling procedures that limit substrate disaggregation and exposure complements efforts to achieve site-representative estimates for vadose zone contamination.

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Oil spills, Waste disposal, Soil pollution, Soil tests, Soil chemistry, Soil analysis, Chemical analysis

Three equilibrium headspace and three solvent extraction methods of preparing soil samples for determining volatile organic compounds (VOCs) were compared. Soil samples were spiked with five gasoline range aromatic compounds and four chlorinated compounds using two different laboratory procedures that limit volatilization and biodegradation losses. All comparisons were made with sample triplicates of one or more soil types. Recovery efficiencies for the preparation methods depended on soil organic carbon content, octanol-water partition coefficients of specific analytes, length of solvent extraction, and the spiking procedure used. In general, methanol extraction was the most robust method for recovering spiked VOCs. Recovery efficiencies for VOCs with tetraethylene glycol dimethyl ether and poly(propylene)glycol, as well as three equilibrium headspace methods, varied with the parameters tested.

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Paleoecology, Trees (plants), Distribution, Migration, Vegetation patterns, Palynology, Quaternary deposits, Correlation, Radioactive age determination, Canada—Quebec

51-5562

Antifreeze enzymes for polar algae. [Der Einfluß kompatibler Substanzen und Kryoprotektoren auf die Enzyme Malatdehydrogenase (MDH) und Glucose-6-phosphat-Dehydrogenase (G6P-DH) aus *Acrosiphonia arcta* (Chlorophyta) der Arktis und Antarktis]

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Low temperature research, Chemical properties, Plant physiology, Algae, Antifreezes, Antarctica—King George Island

Polar macroalgae are not only exposed to permanent cold but may also be damaged from complete freezing on a cellular level. In macroalgae of the polar regions, biochemical properties of the enzyme systems and/or the presence of protective substances such as dimethylsulfoniopropionate (DMSP), proline and sucrose may be of major importance to survive extreme environmental conditions. This study investigated selected enzymes for their activities at low temperatures and their response to additions of potential antifreeze substances. It also verified DMSP, proline and sucrose not only as osmolytes but also as compounds with cryoprotective properties at various kinds of temperature stress through chilling and freezing. The mechanisms and extent of the protective effects are very specific and exhibit high enzyme specificity as well. (Auth. mod.)

51-5563

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Tropospheric ozone variations in polar regions. [Troposphärische Ozonvariationen in Polarregionen]

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Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Models, Climatic changes, Polar regions, Troposphere

A close examination was made of the chemical and dynamical processes at work during the tropospheric ozone minima in both polar regions. Analysis of the results of this phase led to the construction of a scenario of four statements on which a model calculation was established: sea-salt aerosols can be accumulated on the snow surface during polar winters in the region between the boundaries of summer and winter sea ice; the accumulated sea-salt bromide can be liberated by oxidation with hydrogen peroxide after polar sunrise; hydrogen peroxide can also accumulate on the snow surface through precipitation of snow or rain; inside the liquid layer of the snow surface, hydrogen peroxide can oxidize bromide to molecular bromine which is then liberated to the gas phase; molecular bromine is photolyzed to form bromine atoms which react with ozone and initiate a catalytic ozone destruction; and the ozone depleted air parcel is transported to the measuring site. (Auth. mod.)

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Environmentally safe water-urea-ammonium nitrate mixtures for melting snow and ice.

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Ice melting, Snow melting, Artificial melting, Chemical ice prevention

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Atmospheric circulation, Climatic changes, Ice cores, Storms, Antarctica—West Antarctica

Annually dated ice cores from Siple Dome, West Antarctica and central Greenland indicate that meridional atmospheric circulation intensity increased in the polar South Pacific and North Atlantic at the beginning (ca. 1400) of the most recent Holocene rapid climate change event, the Little Ice Age (LIA). As deduced from chemical concentrations at these core sites, the LIA was characterized by substantial meridional circulation strength variability, and this variability persists today despite strong evidence for an end to LIA cooling. Thus, increased late 20th century storm variability may be in part a result of the continuation of these climatic fluctuations. (Auth.)

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Atmospheric physics, Measuring instruments, Solar activity, Magnetic surveys, Balloons, Antarctica

The Applied Physics Laboratory is engaged in several diverse projects for the U.S. Air Force. These programs, which are distributed among various Laboratory departments, include flare genesis, an antarctic balloon mission to study the solar magnetic field. (Auth.)

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Temperature measurement, Thermocouples, Standards, Cryogenics, Low temperature research

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Physical processes and natural attenuation alternatives for remediation of white phosphorus contamination, Eagle River Flats, Fort Richardson, Alaska.

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Soil pollution, Water pollution, Estuaries, Explosives, Environmental impact, Waste disposal, Drainage, Water erosion, Sediment transport, Military facilities, Land reclamation, United States—Alaska—Fort Richardson

This report describes the results of investigations into the role of tidal flat physical systems in the natural attenuation of white phosphorus (WP) contamination in Eagle River Flats (ERF) on Fort Richardson, AK. Waterfowl feeding in ponds and marshes here ingest the WP and die. These investigations found that natural attenuation and in-situ degradation of the WP could result from certain physical phenomena operating within the ERF ecosystem. Specifically, the ongoing erosion and headward recession in the gullies will drain large areas of contaminated ponds in an estimated 1 to 10 years. Lowering of water levels should lead to in-situ WP degradation and natural attenuation as pond sediments dry. Annual sedimentation rates in some ponds and marshes are sufficient to bury WP in several years or more and thereby reduce the exposure to feeding waterfowl. Ice and water are also effective transporters of WP, moving it about ERF and into Eagle River and eventually into Knik Arm where its fate is unknown. Certain areas of ERF will require artificial drainage, but natural conditions can be restored following treatment. Recommendations are made for the use of natural attenuation and additional studies that are required to ensure the successful clean-up of ERF.

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Collecting micrometeorites from the South Pole Water Well.

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Wells, Water supply, Meltwater, Ice sampling, Impurities, Cosmic dust, Antarctica—Amundsen-Scott Station

A collector was designed and built to retrieve micrometeorites from the floor of the South Pole Water Well. The large volume of firn and ice being melted for the well and the low component of terrestrial material in antarctic ice make the South Pole Water Well an ideal place to collect micrometeorites. Because the age of the ice being melted is known, yearly or periodic collections provide large numbers of micrometeorites of known terrestrial age. The collector was designed to pose no threat to the well's water quality, to be reliable and easy to operate, and to collect particles larger than 50 μm. This report details how this collector was built and tested and documents the rationale behind some of the design choices. It also includes preliminary findings from the first deployment. (Auth.)

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River ice data instrumentation.

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River ice, Ice jams, Ice conditions, Ice detection, Ice surveys, Ice reporting, Ice forecasting, Flood forecasting, Radar tracking, Measuring instruments, Telemetering equipment, Data transmission

Ice processes are capable of causing damage to Corps of Engineers flood control, water control, and navigation projects each year. Monitoring of ice and other physical parameters is done by instrumentation in some instances but is usually done manually. Measurements that require personnel to go on an ice cover can be risky or impossible, depending on the ice cover's stability and the individual's training. This study seeks to identify and rank the field measurements needed during winter conditions and the instrumentation required to make the measurements. Existing and developing instrumentation was evaluated for in-situ and remote sensing capabilities. Methods of transmitting, storing, and retrieving various types of ice data were explored for feasibility and practicality. Recommendations are identified regarding the types of instrumentation, data transmission, and storage methods that need to be improved or developed.

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Is blasting of ice jams an effective mitigation strategy?

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River ice, Flooding, Ice jams, Ice blasting, Ice control, Explosives, Explosion effects, Safety, Performance, Standards

There are few mitigation measures that can be used for emergency response to ice jam flooding other than traditional techniques such as sandbagging and evacuation. Among these ice-jam-specific measures are ice breaking, mechanical ice removal, and blasting. Options may be further limited for grounded ice jams, jams located on wide, shallow rivers, or jams located in areas with poor access. In such cases, blasting of an ice jam may be the most effective or efficient ice jam mitigation measure. In some cases, blasting is the only mitigation measure that can be applied. Blasting operations are hazardous because of the potential for disaster associated with the use of explosives, such as untimely detonation of charges leading to serious injury or death. Liability issues now appear to be the greatest obstacle to the use of blasting in ice jam emergency mitigation. Blasting can be an effective ice jam mitigation measure when a plan that has been prepared in advance is put into action rapidly, while there is still sufficient flow to move the blasted ice.

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Low-cost ice-control structure.

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River ice, Ice jams, Ice breakup, Floodplains, Frazil ice, Ice control, Hydraulic structures, Concrete structures, Piers, Construction, Cost analysis, Models, Simulation

A new, low-cost structure appears to be well suited to control breakup ice jams on small rivers. It consists of massive sloped blocks, partially buried in riprap, placed across the river adjacent to a natural floodplain. The blocks will arrest a breakup ice run and form a stable, partially grounded ice jam. Trees or boulders on the floodplain retain ice pieces in the river channel while allowing flow to bypass the structure. Large gaps between blocks allow easy fish and canoe passage. Refrigerated hydraulic model tests indicate that the structure should perform well even during severe breakup events. A prototype built in Hardwick, VT, has performed well during the four mild breakup events experienced to date. Its cost of $3,600/m of river width represents about an order-of-magnitude reduction compared with previous ice-control structures.

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Evaluation of bioremediation in cold regions.

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Soil microbiology, Soil conservation, Bacteria, Hydrocarbons, Degradation, Soil pollution, Environmental impact, Environmental protection, Countermeasures

Biological treatment has become increasingly popular as a remediation method for soils and ground water contaminated with petroleum hydrocarbon, chlorinated solvents, and pesticides. Bioremediation has been considered for application in cold regions such as arctic and subarctic climates and Antarctica. Studies to date suggest that indigenous microbes suitable for bioremediation exist in soils in these regions. This paper reports on two case studies in which indigenous bacteria were found that were capable of mineralizing petroleum hydrocarbons in soil contaminated with jet fuel and polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs) in Antarctica and pentachlorophenol (PCP) and diesel in contaminated soil in the subarctic Alaska. However, in both instances, ex-situ bioremediation was recommended for treatment of the contaminated soil because ex-situ treatment allows greater control over soil temperature, a limiting factor in cold climates. (Auth. mod.)

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Modeling ice passage at Starved Rock Lock and Dam on Illinois Waterway.

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Locks (waterways), Dams, River ice, Channels (waterways), Navigation, Ice passing, Ice control, Hydraulic structures, Subsurface structures, Bubbling, Simulation, Models, United States—Illinois—Illinois Waterway

A physical hydraulic model study, using real ice, investigated the design and operation of submergible gates for ice passage at the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Starved Rock Lock and Dam on the Illinois Waterway. Alternative gate locations were tested for a range of gate discharges and ice conditions. The effects of hydropower diversions, navigation, and high-flow air screens on ice passage were examined. The study found that, under some ice conditions, submergible gates alone may not be adequate for ice passage. During these times, tow and barge transits through the lock and deflector bubbler operation would need to be coordinated with submergible gate operation to pass ice.

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51-5595
Dating ash-layers in glaciers of Livingston I. [Los niveles de cenizas de los glaciares de Livingston. Criterio para su datación]
Calvet, J., Pallàs, R., Sàbat, F., Vilaplana, J.M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.195-208, In Spanish with English summary. Refs. p.207-208.
Glacial geology, Geochronology, Volcanic ash, Glacier surveys, Impurities, Antarctica—Livingston Island
Glaciers along the coast of Livingston I. end in ice-cliffs several tens of meters high which show many layers of volcanic ash. According to a similar pattern at the sites studied, these ash-layers seem to have a homogeneous distribution all around the island. Assuming that the ash is of volcanic origin, the literature covering volcanic eruptions on Deception I. is reviewed, as are the studies of lacustrine sediments of Byers Peninsula, to estimate the age of the ash-layers on Livingston I. It is concluded that the lowest layers may correspond to eruptions which occurred at the beginning of the 19th century.

51-5596
Geothermal anomalies and permafrost on Deception I. [Anomalías geotérmicas y permafrost en la Isla Decepción, Antártida]
López, J., Ramos, M., Criado, C., Serrano, E., Nicolás, P., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.223-234, In Spanish with English summary. 17 refs.
Geothermy, Volcanoes, Permafrost depth, Permafrost origin, Permafrost distribution, Antarctica—Deception Island
Temperature distribution in the main area of geothermal anomalies on Deception I., and permafrost development and depth, are discussed. Data show that temperatures decrease with increasing distance from the heat centers, and that most of the anomalies are located in the inner part of the caldera ring. However, vapor emissions at temperatures over 40C were noted outside of the Stonethrow Ridge. The permafrost is widely distributed on the island, with depths between 60 and 96 cm at relatively low altitudes. It is found that the geothermal flux on the island has no significant effect on glaciers' melt.

51-5597
Evaluation of the ice cap fluctuations on Livingston I., 1956-1991, from satellite images of Moon Bay. [Evaluación de las fluctuaciones del casquete glaciar en la zona de Bahía Moon - Isla Livingston, entre 1956 y 1991, a partir del cálculo de parámetros estructurales y texturales en fotografías aéreas e imagenes de satélite]
Corbera, J., Granada, F., Ballester, N., Calvet, J., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.243-257, In Spanish with English summary. 7 refs.
Ice cover thickness, Ice structure, Glacier oscillation, Spaceborne photography, Topographic surveys, Antarctica—Moon Bay
To determine ice cover oscillations on Livingston I., an evaluation was made of textural and structural parameters in Moon Bay. Five conventional texture parameters (uniformity, inertia, entropy, inverse different moment, maximum probability) were calculated from Landsat images. Laplacian images were elaborated to study the distribution and shapes of crevasses, and aerial photographs were used for ice cliff profiles and the determination of geomorphological processes. The relationship between those parameters and the fluctuations of the ice cap is discussed. (Auth. mod.)

51-5598
Ice cap fluctuation on Greenwich I., 1956-1991. [Fluctuaciones del casquete glaciar de la Isla Greenwich (Shetlands del Sur) en el período 1956-1991]
Ballester, N., Granada, F., Corbera, J., Calvet, J., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.259-264, In Spanish with English summary. 4 refs.
Ice cover thickness, Glacier oscillation, Spaceborne photography, Surface properties, Remote sensing, Antarctica—Greenwich Island
This paper presents the results of monitoring of the ice cap fluctuations on Greenwich I. from aerial photographs taken in 1956-57, and satellite images taken in 1986 (Landsat-4.MSS), 1988 (Landsat-5.TM), 1989 (Landsat-5.TM) and 1991 (panchromatic SPOT). A very significant retreat has been observed between 1956 and 1991, close to 4% of the ice cap surface, although a few advances were noted during 1988-89. (Auth. mod.)

51-5599
Fold formation in glacier lobes on Hurd Peninsula. [Formación de pliegues en lóbulos de glaciares de casquete. Ejemplos del glaciar de la Península Hurd (Isla Livingston)]
Casas, J.M., Calvet, J., Pallàs, R., Santanach, P., Vilaplana, J.M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.265-277, In Spanish with English summary. 14 refs.
Ice deformation, Glacier beds, Glacier surfaces, Crevasses, Ice structure, Antarctica—Hurd Peninsula
The Hurd glacier covers the eastern part of Livingston I.; interlayered dark pyroclastic rocks delineate the bedding and constitute a characteristic feature. A 3-D glacier pattern was obtained from mapping of the bedding on the glacier snow-free surface, together with the glacier cliff and crevasse outcrops. The structure of two different lobes, the BAE and Johnson lobes, shows bedding, cleavage, thrusts, unconformities and detachment planes. In both lobes, folds are the most striking feature; they deform the bedding and are related to planar structures. Folds range from few centimeters to hundreds of meters in size, from open to tight or isoclinal, generally asymmetric and recumbent. Fold axis ranges from oblique to parallel to ice flow direction. Axial surfaces vary from subhorizontal, near the base of the glacier, to step-dipping or subvertical on the surface. Fold location also varies from the margin (BAE lobe) to the center (Johnson lobe) of the glacier. (Auth. mod.)

51-5600

Snow cover characteristics and evolution on Livingston I. [Características y evolución del manto nivoso en Isla Livingston]

Vilaplana, J.M., Pallàs, R., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.279-290, In Spanish with English summary. 16 refs.

Snow stratigraphy, Grain size, Snow temperature, Snow density, Wind factors, Snowdrifts, Structural analysis, Antarctica—Livingston Island

Observations and measurements obtained from 6 snow pits on Hurd Peninsula showed the following: along all the profiles, snow layers consisted of large grounded grains, with several layers of interstratified ice crusts; the mean snow density value was 0.5 gr/cm^3, and the temperature was always higher than 0.7°C. The ice crusts corresponded to periods in which temperatures were above 0°C; during the winter of 1991-1992, several periods of high temperatures occurred. Data analysis allowed to establish the snow equilibrium line at about 235 m above sea level. Wind effects on Livingston I. snow fields, observed and measured at 4 different locations, show snow drifts and erosive structures generated by ENE winds. (Auth. mod.)

51-5601

Spectrometry network for equilibrium studies of the NO_x-O_3 system. [Red de espectrómetros para el estudio del equilibrion del sistema NO_x-O_3]

Gil, M., Yela, M., Rodríguez, S., Cacho, J., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.345-353, In Spanish with English summary. 10 refs.

Research projects, Ozone, Stratosphere, Meteorological instruments, Solar radiation, Atmospheric composition, Seasonal variations, Antarctica—West Antarctica

An ongoing program between Spain and Argentina designed to study the lower stratosphere, particularly the evolution of NO_2 and O_3 in West Antarctica, is outlined. The design and installation plans of three units of diffused-solar-light spectrometers, operating in the blue-violet areas of the spectrum, are discussed and illustrated. Three sites were selected for network operations: Ushuaia and the Marambio and Belgrano stations.

51-5602

Environmental data-transmission network. [Red de transmisión de datos para aplicaciones medioambientales]

Moroño, S., González, E., Ramos, M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.429-438, In Spanish with English summary. 6 refs.

Telecommunication, Telemetering equipment, Data transmission, Ecology, Geomorphology, Polar regions

The development of a network for transmission of ecological and geomorphological data in Antarctica is reported. The aim is to monitor by remote control, and register the evolution, of environmental parameters acquired at a number of sampling points in the target area. Characteristics of the network are described and the design of its central unit is explained and illustrated. (Auth. mod.)

51-5603

Accumulators as a source of electric power supply for automatic recording systems. [Comportamiento de acumuladores como fuente de energía eléctrica para la alimentación de sistemas automáticos de registro]

Ramos, M., Relinque, J.I., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.439-454, In Spanish with English summary. 9 refs.

Electric power, Electronic equipment, Batteries, Computer applications, Recording, Weather stations, Cold weather performance, Antarctica—Juan Carlos I Station

Results are presented of experimental studies carried out at the Juan Carlos I Station of the performance, at very low discharge intensity (0.005°C), of different types of batteries operating in 0°C to -35°C temperatures designed to supply electrical power to automatic recording systems. The equipment tested is described and its installation is illustrated and discussed.

51-5604

Performance of batteries at low discharge intensity and low temperatures. [Comportamiento de baterías primarias en descargas lentas a bajas temperaturas]

Ramos, M., Mora, M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.455-467, In Spanish with English summary. 6 refs.

Low temperature research, Batteries, Cold weather performance

This paper describes an experimental study of the performance, at very low discharge intensity and low temperature conditions, of different commercial batteries (primary cells), such as zinc, alkaline and lithium, as these conditions are representative of most of the data acquisition in Antarctica.

51-5605

Secondary accumulator charge performance in low temperatures. [Comportamiento de carga a bajas temperaturas en acumuladores secundarios]

Ramos, M., Mora, M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.469-475, In Spanish with English summary. 6 refs.

Low temperature research, Batteries, Cold weather performance, Charge transfer, Charge measuring instruments, Antarctica—Juan Carlos I Station

Experimental studies were carried out at Juan Carlos I Station to obtain charge performance diagrams for different secondary cell accumulators (alkaline, lead, sealed lead) at low temperatures. Based on these diagrams, the parameters characterizing the charge processes in the equipment tested are determined. It is concluded that all technologies, except the alkaline, are close to useless in temperatures below -20°C.

51-5606

Humidity transducers used for polar clothing. [Transductor capacitivo para la medida de la humedad aplicado al estudio del comportamiento de trajes polares]

Ramos, M., Solla, A.L., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.477-484, In Spanish with English summary. 4 refs.

Clothing, Humidity, Heat transfer, Sensors, Measuring instruments, Data processing

Experimental studies of transpirational properties of polar clothing are reported. The design and calibration of an instrument for measuring the relative humidity trapped in the garments are described in detail.

51-5607

Effects of evapotranspiration on the insulation properties of polar clothing. [Influencia del vapor de transpiración en las características aislantes de un abrigo polar]

Ramos Sainz, M., Actas del V Simposio Español de Estudios Antárticos. (Spanish Symposium on Antarctic Studies, 5th. Proceedings). Edited by J. Cacho and D. Serrat, Madrid, Comisión Interministerial de Ciencia y Tecnología, [1994], p.485-500, In Spanish with English summary. 7 refs.

Clothing, Thermal conductivity, Thermal insulation, Evapotranspiration, Sensors, Ventilation, Humidity, Low temperature research

The thermodynamic parameters (temperature distribution, thermal conductivity, transpiration) have been measured in a polar garment by two different operating modes: the activated and non-activated Interlayer Ventilation System (IVS). The experiments show that the IVS improves human comfort in polar condition.

51-5608

Trees and snow: the deposition of snow on the ground—a review and quantitative synthesis.

Bunnell, F.L., McNay, R.S., Shank, C.C., Integrated Wildlife Intensive Forestry Research Program report, IWIFR-17, Victoria, British Columbia, Province Ministry of Forests and Ministry of Environment, 1985, 440p. + append., Refs. passim. Some pages are incorrectly collated in the source.

Forest ecosystems, Animals, Forest canopy, Vegetation factors, Protective vegetation, Snow hedges, Interception, Snowfall, Snow cover distribution, Snow depth, Snow density, Canada—British Columbia

51-5609

Effects of reservoir regulation on ice jam thickness.

Zufelt, J.E., MP 4090, Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.156-161, 1 ref.

Reservoirs, River flow, Flow control, River ice, Ice water interface, Ice jams, Ice cover thickness, Ice forecasting, Ice control, Mathematical models

Hydropower operations alter the natural levels of discharge in a river. In a seasonal sense, the effect of hydropower regulation is to average the flow, cutting off the very high and very low periods of discharge that may result in flooding or drought conditions. Peaking operations, however, may reverse this trend, resulting in flows that are much higher or lower than the natural flow levels for that time of the year. During winter, natural discharge levels are typically low and regulation for hydroelectric generation may result in brief periods of abnormally high and possibly low discharge under ice-covered conditions. Large variations in discharge over the hydropower cycling period may result in ice movement or grounding. Therefore, the range of discharge fluctuation is often limited during ice formation and breakup periods when the ice cover is most likely to move. This paper looks at the effects of these unsteady discharge fluctuations on the resulting ice cover thickness through the use of a numerical model. Two reservoir configurations are presented, which help examine the effects of hydropower regulation on the ice cover thickness in the reaches upstream and downstream from a hydropower facility.

51-5610

Ice effects on riprap: small-scale tests.

Sodhi, D.S., Borland, S., Stanley, J.M., Donnelly, C.J., MP 4091, Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.162-167, 2 refs.

Bank protection (waterways), Rock fills, Ice push, Ice erosion, Ice friction, Ice loads, Ice control, Environmental tests

The authors conducted model tests to simulate interaction between floating ice sheets and sloping banks protected with riprap stones. Two series of tests were conducted, representing ice action against model riprap bank protection when the ice sheet moves perpendicular and at an angle of 45° to the shoreline. The first series of tests simulates ice shoving action, while the second series of tests incorporated both shoving and shearing actions of ice in equal proportion. They conducted 35 tests during the first series and 53 tests during the second series. The results indicate that the size of maximum stone (D_{100}) should be about 2.5 times the ice thickness to avoid damage from ice action either perpendicular or at an angle of 45° to the shoreline. The data on the probability of riprap failure indicate that the likelihood of riprap damage increases with the slope of a riprap protected bank.

51-5611

Ice jam mitigation for small streams.

Lever, J.H., MP 4092, Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.168-173, 16 refs.

Streams, River ice, Ice jams, Ice booms, Ice cutting, Ice breaking, Ice control, Flood control, Cost analysis

Small streams can cause severe ice-jam flooding. Ice booms can mitigate freezeup ice jams for low cost and environmental impact provided suitable low-velocity pools are available. Low-cost breakup ice-control structures also exist, although work remains to quantify their effectiveness. Ice weakening could provide effective breakup ice-jam mitigation at very low cost and environmental impact. However, large natural variability in ice hydraulic conditions, lack of suitable theory and incomplete field data make it difficult to quantify their effectiveness.

51-5612

Simulation of dynamic river ice transport and jamming.

Lu, S.N., Shen, H.T., Crissman, R.D., Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.174-179, 10 refs.

River ice, Ice jams, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Ice cover thickness, Drift, Ice forecasting, River flow, Flood forecasting, Computerized simulation, Niagara River

51-5613

Ice retention with artificial islands on the St. Marys River.

Tuthill, A.M., Carey, K.L., MP 4093, Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.180-185, 4 refs.

River ice, Ice navigation, Ice booms, Ice control, Rock fills, Artificial islands, United States—Michigan—St. Marys River

For the past two decades, a navigation ice boom has alleviated ice problems at the head of the Little Rapids Cut, a channel constriction on the St. Marys River near Sault Ste. Marie, MI. This study assesses the feasibility of replacing portions of the ice boom with artificial islands constructed of quarried stone.

51-5614

Ice control at locks and dams.

Haynes, F.D., MP 4094, Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.186-191, 4 refs.

Locks (waterways), Dams, Sluices (hydraulic engineering), Ice accretion, Ice loads, Ice prevention, Ice control, Bubbling, Heating, Artificial melting

Locks and dams have problems with ice every winter, especially those in the north. The most severe problem is ice accumulation in the miter gate recess. The second most severe problem around locks is ice in the upper approach. Another severe icing problem is water leaking past J-seals and subsequently freezing on cold surfaces, such as trunnion arms and adjacent concrete walls. In this paper, solutions to some of the most severe problems are presented, such as bubblers or some type of heater.

51-5615

Ice problems on hydropower project Włocławek (lower Vistula).

Majewski, W., Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.192-197, 3 refs.

Reservoirs, Earth dams, River ice, Ice conditions, Ice jams, Ice control, Flood control, Poland

51-5616

Model scale measurements of ice loads on a Submerged Turret Loading (STL) tanker.

Løset, S., Kanestrøm, Ø., Congress of the International Association for Hydraulic Research (IAHR), 27th, San Francisco, CA, Aug. 10-15, 1997. Water for a changing global community. Energy and water: sustainable development, New York, American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE), 1997, p.198-203, 10 refs.

Tanker ships, Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice breaking, Ice control, Environmental tests

51-5617

Laboratory study of suspended-sediment transport in ice-cover flow.

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River ice, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, River flow, Suspended sediments, Bottom sediment, Sediment transport, Alluvium, Environmental tests

51-5618

Effect of climate change on Danube flow regime.

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Snowmelt, Runoff forecasting, River flow, Flood forecasting, Computerized simulation

51-5619

Regional model of glaciers runoff and its application for hydrological forecasts.

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Glacial hydrology, Meltwater, Runoff forecasting, Computerized simulation

51-5620

Analyses of flow and diffusion in arctic seas.

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Radioactive wastes, Waste disposal, Water pollution, Ocean currents, Water transport, Water temperature, Salinity, Computerized simulation, Barents Sea, Russia—Kara Sea

51-5621

Estimation of flow resistance in ice covered channels.

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River ice, Ice bottom surface, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, River flow, Flood forecasting, Flow control

51-5622

Turbulent structure of open and ice-covered flow in a channel.

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River ice, Ice bottom surface, Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, River flow, Turbulent flow, Mathematical models

51-5623

Particle-image velocimetry for ice-field velocities.

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River ice, Drift, Ice forecasting, River flow, Flow measurement, Velocity measurement, Environmental tests, Environment simulation, Photographic techniques, Image processing

51-5624

Ground truthing the Cd/Ca-carbon isotope relationship in foraminifera of the Greenland-Iceland-Norwegian Seas.

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Marine biology, Pleistocene, Biomass, Plankton, Sedimentation, Water chemistry, Drill core analysis, Nutrient cycle, Isotope analysis, Carbon isotopes, Correlation, Greenland Sea, Norwegian Sea, Iceland Sea

51-5625

Approximate calculation of thaw depth in permafrost beneath a building of complex configuration.

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Permafrost beneath structures, Permafrost bases, Thaw depth, Frozen ground thermodynamics, Mathematical models, Stefan problem, Thermal regime

51-5626

Climate influences on growth and reproduction of *Pinus banksiana* (Pinaceae) at the limit of the species distribution in eastern North America.

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Trees (plants), Plant ecology, Forest lines, Subarctic landscapes, Climatic factors, Cold stress, Growth, Distribution, Vegetation patterns

51-5627

Altnaharra minimum temperature of -27.2°C on 30 December 1995.

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Climatology, Weather observations, Synoptic meteorology, Air temperature, Temperature measurement, Atmospheric circulation, Records (extremes), Snow accumulation, Snow depth, United Kingdom—Altnaharra

51-5628

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Climatology, Aerial surveys, Marine atmospheres, Atmospheric boundary layer, Air ice water interaction, Ice edge, Ice cover effect, Advection, Mass transfer, Heat flux, Mathematical models, Arctic Ocean

51-5629

Peracarid crustaceans (Malacostraca) from a "time-series station" in the Westwind Trough of the NEW-Polynya (Greenland): a benthic response to productivity?

Brandt, A., *Crustaceana,* Dec. 1996, 69(8), p.985-1004, Refs. p.1002-1004.

Marine biology, Oceanographic surveys, Polynyas, Ocean bottom, Sedimentation, Sampling, Classifications, Biomass, Ecosystems, Plankton, Water chemistry, Nutrient cycle, Greenland—Northeast Water Polynya

51-5630
Warming up to hot new evidence.
Moore, C.A., *International wildlife,* Jan.-Feb. 1997, 27(1), p.20-25.
Climatology, Ecology, Global warming, Sea level, Glacier melting, Environmental impact
This paper reports what scientists have discovered about our warming planet, compared to theoretical predictions, including the likelihood of antarctic ice sheet melting. (Auth. mod.)

51-5631
Changes in the atmospheric CH_4 gradient between Greenland and Antarctica during the Holocene.
Chappellaz, J., et al, *Journal of geophysical research,* July 20, 1997, 102(D13), p.15,987-15,997, Refs. p.995-997.
Climatology, Pleistocene, Wetlands, Atmospheric composition, Natural gas, Ice sheets, Ice air interface, Turbulent diffusion, Ice cores, Chemical analysis, Models, Greenland—Summit, Antarctica—Adélie Coast, Antarctica—Byrd Station
This study employs two antarctic ice cores, D47 and Byrd, whose gas-trapping conditions are comparable to a Greenland reference from GRIP. Also presented are new CH_4 measurements from the antarctic ice cores that cover the Holocene period, and are compared to the results with a refined GRIP CH_4 profile. The high resolution of these records reveals 4 different time periods when the CH_4 interpolar difference significantly changed. A three-box model is used to interpret this analytical signal in terms of changes in the CH_4 source strengths in the tropical regions and middle to high latitudes of the Northern Hemisphere during the Holocene. (Auth. mod.)

51-5632
Measurement technique for the determination of photolyzable chlorine and bromine in the atmosphere.
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Meteorological instruments, Chemical analysis, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Aerosols, Detection, Photochemical reactions, Simulation, Experimentation

51-5633
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Climatology, Polar atmospheres, Atmospheric composition, Ozone, Atmospheric boundary layer, Aerosols, Degradation, Photochemical reactions, Detection, Sampling, Correlation, Diurnal variations

51-5634
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Cloud physics, Aerosols, Atmospheric composition, Condensation trails, Condensation, Cloud droplets, Ice formation, Heterogeneous nucleation, Mathematical models, Air pollution

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The aim of deep ice drilling on Law Dome has been to exploit the special characteristics of Law Dome summit, i.e. low temperature and high accumulation near an ice divide, to obtain a high-resolution ice core for climatic/environmental studies of the Holocene and the Last Glacial Maximum (LGM). Drilling was completed in Feb. 1993. The LGM/Holocene $\delta^{18}O$ shift of 7.0 per mill, only ca. 1 per mill larger than for Vostok, indicates that Law Dome remained an independent ice cap and was not overridden by the inland ice sheet in the Glacial. (Auth. mod.)

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Twenty-seven studies on the thermal conductivity of snow have been published since 1886. Combined, they comprise 354 values and have been used to derive over 13 regression equations predicting thermal conductivity vs. density. Due to large (and largely undocumented) differences in measurement methods and accuracy, sample temperature and snow type, it is not possible to know what part of the

variability in this data set is the result of snow microstructure. The authors present a new data set containing 488 measurements for which the temperature, type and measurement accuracy are known. A quadratic equation can be fit to the new data. Within the data set, snow types resulting from kinetic growth show density-independent behavior. Rounded-grain and wind-blown snow show strong density dependence. The new data set has a higher mean value of density but a lower mean value of thermal conductivity than the old set. This shift is attributed to differences in snow types and sample temperatures in the sets. Both data sets show that there are well-defined limits to the geometric configurations that natural seasonal snow can take.

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Measurements from the subarctic snowpack are used to explore the relationship between grain growth and vapor flow, the fundamental processes of dry-snow metamorphism. Due to extreme temperature gradients, the subarctic pack undergoes extensive depth-hoar metamorphism. By the end of the winter a five-layered structure with a pronounced weak layer near the base of the snow evolves. Grain-size increases by a factor of 2-3, while the number of grains per unit mass decreases by a factor of 10. Calculated layer-to-layer vapor fluxes are ten times higher than inter-particle fluxes, which implies that depth-hoar grain growth is limited by factors other than the vapor supply. This finding suggests that gain and loss of water molecules due to sublimation from grains takes place at a rate many times higher than the rate at which grains grow, and it explains why grains can metamorphose into different forms so readily.

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Layering affects the air flow through snow caused by surface pressure variations. The horizontal and total fluxes are high in hoar layers but the pressure perturbations and vertical components of the flow do not penetrate as deeply as in homogeneous snow. That is because the layers "pipe" the flow horizontally toward the area of low pressure. An ice layer at the surface reduces the total flow everywhere. The flow decreases as ice-layer thickness increases and, in general, flow changes with permeability. However, the magnitude of the effect is proportionately weaker when the ice layers are further from the surface. The residence time is reduced when hoar layers are present due to shorter flow paths, reduced penetration into the deeper snow and higher speeds.

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Glacial hydrology, Glacier melting, Ice shelves, Glacier mass balance, Calving, Spaceborne photography, Heat loss, Ice water interface, Water temperature, Air ice water interaction, Antarctica—Pine Island Glacier

Satellite imagery indicates that the floating terminus of Pine Island Glacier has changed little in extent over the past two decades. Data on the velocity and thickness of the glacier reveal that calving accounts for only half of the ice input near the grounding line. The apparently steady configuration implies that the remainder of the input is lost by basal melting. Ocean circulation in Pine Island Bay transport +1°C waters beneath the glacier and temperatures recorded in melt-laden outflows show that heat loss from the ocean is consistent with the requirements of the calculated melt rate. The combination of iceberg calving and basal melting lies at the lower end of estimates for the total accumulation over the catchment basin, drawing into question previous estimates of a significantly positive mass budget for this part of the ice sheet. (Auth. mod.)

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Sea ice distribution, Albedo, Oceanographic surveys, Heat flux, Turbulent exchange, Surface energy, Air ice water interaction, Cloud cover

The surface energy budget was investigated during a cruise through the pack ice in the southern ocean. The time of observation was close to mid-summer. Some of the more important findings were: the mean albedo varied from 11% for open water to 59% for 10/10 ice cover, hourly values span the range from 6% (open water) to 76% (total ice cover); the net heat flux into the ocean was on average 109 W/m^2, if this energy were used solely for melting of sea ice, 30 mm could be melted each day; and for low surface albedos, the net radiation increased with decreasing cloudiness, however, the opposite was the case for a high surface albedo. The last point shows the importance of clouds on the surface energy budget. Not only should their presence or absence be known but also the reflectivity of the underlying surface, as it might change the net radiation in opposite ways. (Auth. mod.)

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Sixty-three ice cores were collected in the Bellingshausen and Amundsen seas in Aug. and Sep. 1993 during a cruise of the R.V. *Nathaniel B. Palmer.* The structure and stable-isotopic composition of the cores were investigated in order to understand the growth conditions and to identify the key growth processes, particularly the contribution of snow to sea-ice formation. The structure and isotopic composition of a set of 12 cores that was collected for the same purpose in the Bellingshausen Sea in Mar. 1992 are reassessed. Frazil ice and congelation ice contribute 44% and 26%, respectively, to the composition of both the winter and summer ice-core sets. The accumulation of superimposed ice is evidence that melting in the snow cover on antarctic sea-ice floes can reach an advanced stage and contribute a significant amount of snow to the total ice mass. (Auth. mod.)

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Rheology of till beneath Storglaciären, Sweden.

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Snow cover structure, Snow temperature, Snow density, Surface temperature, Snow air interface, Radiation balance, Climatic changes, Temperature measurement, Mathematical models, Simulation

A physics-based snow model has been calibrated using data collected at Halley Bay during the International Geophysical Year. Variations in snow temperature and density are well-simulated using values for the model parameters within the range reported from other polar field experiments. The effect of uncertainty in the parameter values on the accuracy of the predictions is no greater than the effect of instrumental error in the input data. Thus, this model can be used with parameters determined a priori rather than by optimization. The model has been validated using an independent data set from Halley Bay and then used to estimate 10 m temperatures on the Antarctic Peninsula plateau over the last half-century. (Auth.)

51-5666

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Thermohaline circulation and interaction between ice shelf cavities and the adjacent open ocean.

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Oceanography, Ocean currents, Ice shelves, Ice melting, Hydrography, Ice water interface, Bottom topography, Topography, Ice cover effect, Hydrodynamics, Mathematical models

Applying a three-dimensional ocean general circulation model to an idealized ice shelf cavity geometry coupled with an open ocean at a topographic ice shelf barrier, the authors found an important parameter controlling the interaction between these two systems. Idealized studies for different ice shelf and sea bottom topographies and forcing mechanisms for the open ocean show that the ice shelf edge represents a natural barrier for barotropic interaction, because of the sudden decrease in water column thickness. An increased barotropic current can surmount the ice edge and ventilate the water mass beneath the ice shelf only at lateral sloping sidewalls or at deep depressions, which can be found, for example, in the southern Weddell Sea. In all other cases the circulation in the ice shelf cavity is closed and almost unaffected by the hydrography outside the barrier. (Auth. mod.)

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51-5677

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51-5678

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51-5679

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Ice sheets, Ice cores, Ice dating, Aerosols, Volcanic ash, Sedimentation, Geochronology, Origin, Antarctica—Dyer Plateau, Antarctica—Siple Station

The continuous sulfate analysis of two antarctic ice cores, one from the Antarctic Peninsula region and one from West Antarctica, provides an annually resolved proxy history of Southern Hemisphere volcanism since early in the 15th century. The dating is accurate within ±3 years due to the high rate of snow accumulation at both core sites and the small sample sizes used for analysis. The two sulfate records are consistent with each other. A systematic and objective method of separating outstanding sulfate events from the background sulfate flux is proposed and used to identify all volcanic signals. A technique for comparing the magnitude of volcanic events preserved within different ice cores is developed using normalized sulfate flux. (Auth. mod.)

51-5680

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51-5692

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51-5694

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Bridges, Piers, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Strain measuring instruments, Monitors, Canada—Northumberland Strait

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Pipelines, Pipes (tubes), Steels, Low temperature tests, Corrosion

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Ice solid interface, Ice structure, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Impact tests, Penetration tests

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Penetration tests

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Penetration tests, Photogrammetry

51-5707

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51-5709

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Ice cover thickness, Ice cover strength, Flexural strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice deformation, Ice breaking, Statistical analysis

51-5711

Temperature effect on strength of ice under triaxial compression.

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Ice strength, Ice thermal properties, Ice temperature, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice creep, Ice deformation, Icebergs, Regelation, Mathematical models

A temperature model has been developed that describes the ice strength in a multiaxial stress state over a wide spectrum of negative temperatures. The model takes into account the anomalous behavior of ice under high hydrostatic pressure, when its strength reaches a maximum, and then gradually decreases with the pressure increase. It has been shown that strength of ice under high hydrostatic pressure is described by an extended Drucker-Prager (parabolic) strength criterion with only 3 fundamental parameters, ice cohesion, internal friction angle, and ice melting pressure, which all have a definite physical meaning and are functions of temperature. The model has been verified using test data on the strength of iceberg ice and laboratory-made polycrystalline freshwater ice under triaxial compression at strain rates between 10^{-3} and 10^{-5}/s over the temperature range between -1°C and -40°C.

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51-5713

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Offshore structures, Piers, Ice floes, Ice solid interface, Ice cover strength, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ice deformation, Pressure ridges, Ice cracks, Ice models, Computerized simulation

51-5714

Assessment of the wave-iceberg load combination factor.

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Offshore structures, Icebergs, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Ocean waves, Computerized simulation

51-5715

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River ice, Ice control, Ice booms, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice forecasting, Statistical analysis, Canada—Saint Lawrence River

51-5716

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice friction, Pressure ridges, Ice breaking, Ice cracks, Environmental tests, Design criteria

51-5717

Vertical ice forces on large-diameter marine structures under water level changes.

Terashima, T., Nakazawa, N., Nishihata, A., Honda, H., Kawai, T., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.457-460, 4 refs.

Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Ice adhesion, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Water level, Mathematical models

51-5718

Method of ridge ice force analysis on offshore structures.

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Offshore structures, Ice solid interface, Pressure ridges, Ice loads, Ice pressure, Ice cover strength, Design criteria

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Offshore structures, Concrete structures, Concrete strength, Ice solid interface, Ice loads, Ice adhesion, Ice friction, Ice cover strength, Ice deformation, Strain tests, Environmental tests

51-5720

Abrasion of steel sheet piles due to ice flow movements.

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Channels (waterways), Hydraulic structures, Piles, Steel structures, Ice floes, Ice solid interface, Metal ice friction, Abrasion, Corrosion, Japan—Hokkaido, Okhotsk Sea

51-5721

Discrete element modelling of the local interaction between a stationary structure and a moving ice pack.

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51-5722

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Ice conditions, Pressure ridges, Hummocks, Grounded ice, Ice pileup, Ice cover strength, Ice pressure, Ice loads, Russia—Sakhalin Island

51-5723

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Petroleum industry, Offshore drilling, Exploration, Ice conditions, Ice models, Ice forecasting, Statistical analysis

51-5724

Methodology for developing a scientific basis for the Ice Regime System.

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Ice conditions, Ice navigation, Ice reporting, Ice forecasting, Ice routing, Northwest passage, Safety, Data processing, Data transmission, Canada

51-5725

Real-time monitoring of river ice floes.

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River ice, Ice jams, Ice conditions, Ice surveys, Ice forecasting, Ice reporting, Ice control, Ice booms, Artificial islands, Flood control, Data processing, Data transmission, Canada—Saint Lawrence River

51-5726

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Ice conditions, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice forecasting, Ice cover strength, Ice plasticity, Ice models, Computerized simulation

51-5727

Numerical modeling of ice state for ship operation.

Appel', I.L., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.514-520, 8 refs.

Ice conditions, Sea ice distribution, Ice cover thickness, Ice forecasting, Ice navigation, Ice routing, Ice models, Computerized simulation, Northern Sea Route

51-5728

On the damage of skeg and steering gear of the M/V "Stepan Krasheninnikov" in the antarctic ice.

Barabanov, N.V., Moskalenko, A., Lapin, E., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.521-522.

Ships, Ice navigation, Ice loads, Metal ice friction, Accidents, —South Atlantic Ocean

On Feb. 28, 1994, the MV *Stepan Krasheninnikov* was damaged by cracks in its rudder and skeg caused by ice while it was operating in the Lazarev Sea close to the coast of Antarctica. It managed to make it back to Durban, South Africa, under its own power, where it was repaired.

51-5729

Landing and parking curves for the C-17 Globemaster on sea ice: McMurdo Station, Antarctica.

Barthelemy, J.L., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.523-528, 5 refs.

Ice runways, Ice cover strength, Ice elasticity, Trafficability, Airplanes, Logistics, Antarctica—McMurdo Station

The United States Antarctic Program operates a seasonal sea-ice runway at McMurdo Station that supports heavy-haul wheeled aircraft during the short but vital resupply window. The Naval Facilities Engineering Service Center provides criteria to the National Science Foundation for the safe operation of these aircraft. During 1996, landing and parking curves were developed for the newest Air Force transport, the C-17 Globemaster, which had been scheduled tentatively for service in Antarctica in the month of Oct. 1996. Although this new transport weighs somewhat less than the C-5 Galaxy it is scheduled to replace, the C-17 also has just half as many wheels, and leaves correspondingly heavier footprints on the ice. In spite of somewhat greater localized stresses around the landing gear, the thickness of sea ice grown during the "typical" antarctic winter is sufficient to support the maximum aircraft weight of 2.6 MN on landing, takeoff and during turnaround parking. (Auth.)

51-5730

Development of a modern heavy-haul traverse for Antarctica.

Blaisdell, G.L., Richmond, P.W., Kaiser, F.C., Alger, R.G., MP 5002, International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.529-536, 5 refs.

Logistics, Traverses, Route surveys, Crevasse detection, Tracked vehicles, Sleds, Ice roads, Snow roads, Trafficability

An integrated, interdisciplinary study was completed to assess the feasibility of an oversnow route from McMurdo to the Amundsen-Scott Station. Currently the only means of supplying the Amundsen-Scott Station is by specialized aircraft. Air photo and satellite imagery were used extensively, along with ground-penetrating impulse radar (deployed from a helicopter) to make preliminary determinations of the suitability of glaciers in the Transantarctic Mountains for heavy tractor access from the Ross Ice Shelf to the polar plateau. These were followed by ground reconnaissance and data gathering. Modern traverse equipment was also developed and tested as part of this study. Tractor performance and terrain information were used to compare two potential traverse routes and to calculate delivered payload, fuel consumption, and travel time. (Auth.)

51-5731

Polar Ice Prediction System (PIPS 2.0)—the Navy's sea ice forecasting system.

Posey, P.G., Preller, R.H., International Offshore and Polar Engineering Conference, 7th, Honolulu, May 25-30, 1997. Proceedings. Vol.2. Edited by J.S. Chung, R.M.W. Frederking, H. Saeki, and A.T. Bekker, Golden, CO, International Society of Offshore and Polar Engineers (ISOPE), 1997, p.537-543, 13 refs.

Ice surveys, Sea ice distribution, Ice conditions, Ice edge, Drift, Ice forecasting, Ice models, Spaceborne photography, Image processing, Data processing, Computerized simulation

51-5732

Characteristics of frequency spectra of wind waves in the presence of sea ice.

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Ice water interface, Ice cover effect, Ocean waves, Sea states, Statistical analysis, Japan—Hokkaido, Okhotsk Sea

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A review is made of the different applications of fiber reinforced polymer composite (FRPC) materials and carbon fiber reinforced plastic (CFRB) cables in construction. The potential FRPC application areas are classified into three groups, namely: repair and rehabilitation of structural elements using FRPC sheets; FRPC bars as a reinforcement material for concrete structural elements; and structural elements made of FRPC. Literature relevant to FRPC material in construction is divided into the above three groups. This review focuses on experimental research only. No attempt has been made to identify different analytical studies available on FRPC. Sub-topics of the above three areas are mentioned along with partial references.

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Micromechanical study of the freeze-thaw behavior of polymer composites.

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The essential quality of a good polymer composite is that the bond between the fiber and the matrix is well established and is continuous both around the fiber and along its length. When a load is applied in the direction of the fiber, the ratio of the load share depends on the relative elastic modulus of the fiber and the matrix. However, the elastic modulus of the polymer matrix is significantly influenced by the temperature. At low temperature the modulus of elasticity increases considerably, and thus load sharing changes between the fibers and the matrix. Also, because of the mismatch of coefficient of thermal expansion (CTE) of matrix and fiber, the matrix is usually stretched in the fiber direction during curing, and develops internal tensile stress, interfacial shear stress, hoop stress, and radial stress. On further cooling during the freezing process, the magnitude of all these induced stresses would usually increase, developing potential microcracks. The change in the radial or clamping stress which controls the crack development and propagation (fracture) both across and along the fiber would also change the composite's fracture behavior in the low temperature regime. More complex stresses are developed when the composites are constructed as laminates with each lamina (layers of fibers) having fiber orientations different from the adjacent ones. Reductions of strength and modulus of composites, following freeze-thaw cycling, as evident in experimental results, support this micromechanical theory of composites degradation.

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Ripping frozen ground with an attachment for dozers.
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Tracked vehicles, Tractors, Construction equipment, Military equipment, Frozen ground strength, Excavation, Trenching, Earthwork, Fortifications
Ripping of hard and frozen ground is commonly done by using crawler tractors with rear-mounted rippers that are usually a permanent part of the machine. Ripping is an attractive alternative to other methods of breaking a hard surface layer that restricts excavation, since it utilizes existing equipment and personnel, and a tractor that can be used for the excavation project. A simple ripper attachment for use on the blade of a dozer was used to determine if this easily installed tool could provide some ripping capability when machines with rear-mounted rippers are not available. This ripper attachment was used in a range of frozen soils that could not be excavated with a dozer, and was used on tractors ranging in size from small commercial dozers to a large military dozer with a suspension system. In all cases, at the sites used, the ripper attachment provided the machines with some ripping capability. The ripper was also easy to install, with no modifications required to the tractors or the rippers.

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Evaluation of airport subsurface materials.
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Pavement structures located in regions with seasonal changes encounter regular cycles of freezing and thawing. Such environmental factors must be considered so that it can be certain that the pavement can accommodate continuous aircraft loading. Eleven subsurface materials specified by the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) were examined to determine their susceptibility to frost heave and thaw-weakening. All but two of the materials were found to be frost-susceptible under the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers criterion that no more than 3% of fines be smaller than 0.02 mm (0.78 x 10^3/in.). The frost-susceptible materials were also evaluated using Asphalt Institute criteria, which also categorized them as frost-susceptible. The 11 materials were evaluated for susceptibility to thaw-weakening using a drainage model which focuses on the permeability of the drainage layer. The final recommendations (which are based only on a literature review) are that, to reduce frost-susceptibility and thaw-weakening, the amount passing the no.200 sieve should be kept lower than 2% and drainage layers should be installed below the pavement.

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Glaciological data collected by the 36th Japanese Antarctic Research Expedition during 1995-1996.
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***Psychrobacter glacincola* sp. nov., a halotolerant, psychrophilic bacterium isolated from antarctic sea ice.**
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Two groups of halotolerant, strictly oxidative, non-motile bacterial strains with a distinct coccoidal morphology were isolated from predominantly congelation sea ice collected from the Vestfold Hills area and from anchor ice of the Amery Ice Shelf. One group of strains were found to be phenotypically similar to the species *Psychrobacter immobilis*. A second group of strains possessed an optimal temperature for growth of 13-15°C, and required seawater for optimal growth and failed to form acid from carbohydrates. These strains were also halotolerant growing in the presence of NaCl concentrations up to 1.8-2.1 M. Further characterization studies determined that the strains belonged to a single distinct taxon within the genus *Psychrobacter* which differed phenotypically and genotypically from other *Psychrobacter* species isolated from Antarctica and other environments. *Psychrobacter urativorans* ACAM 534^T was the closest phylogenetic relative to the novel sea ice taxa in terms of 16S rDNA sequence similarity of 96.7%. The sea ice strains thus represent a novel species within the genus *Psychrobacter* with the proposed name, *Psychrobacter glacincola* n. sp. (Auth. mod.)

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