



DaViT-py (Data Visualization Toolkit – Python)

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What is DaViT-py?



 An open source space science analysis toolkit developed primarily in Python 2.7.

Originally started at Virginia Tech.

Now an active, international collaboration!



What is DaViT-py?



- Initially, it was designed to access and visualize SuperDARN data.
- Now, It is more than that...

Modules

- PyDARN: SuperDARN data access and plotting
- GME: GeoMagnetic Environment, includes data from multiple sources (Kp, AE/AU/AL, A/SYMH, Dst, POES...)
- Utils: various utilities for DaViT-py
- Models: multiple space science models (IRI, IGRF, MSIS, Tsyganenko, AACGM) and ray-tracing



What is DaViT-py?



- DaViT-py has python wrappers for various fortran and c based models to assist in general space science studies.
 - IRI (International Reference Ionosphere 2011)
 - IGRF (International Geomagnetic Reference Field 2011)
 - HF Raytracing (SuperDARN ray tracing code coupled with IRI)
 - MSIS (Neutral atmosphere model)
 - HWM (Horizontal Wind Model 2014)
 - Tsyganenko (Geomagnetic Field Model)
 - AACGM (Altitude adjusted corrected geomagnetic model)



Current Collaborators



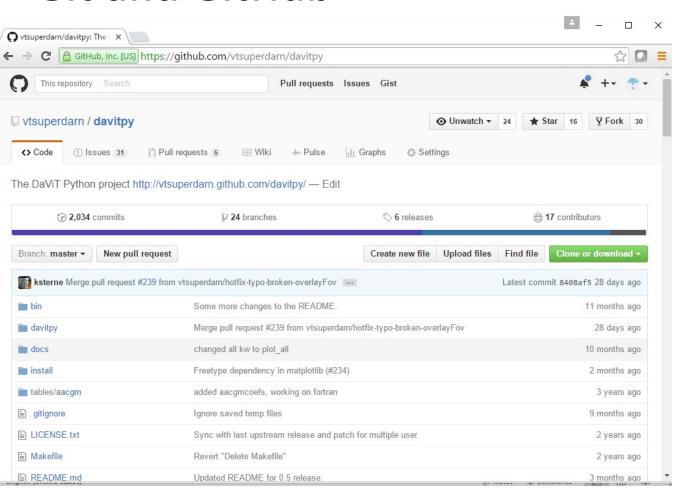
- Virginia Tech, USA
- University of Alaska Fairbanks, USA
- University of Saskatchewan, Canada
- University of Leicester, UK
- And others...



Collaboration Tools



Git and GitHub



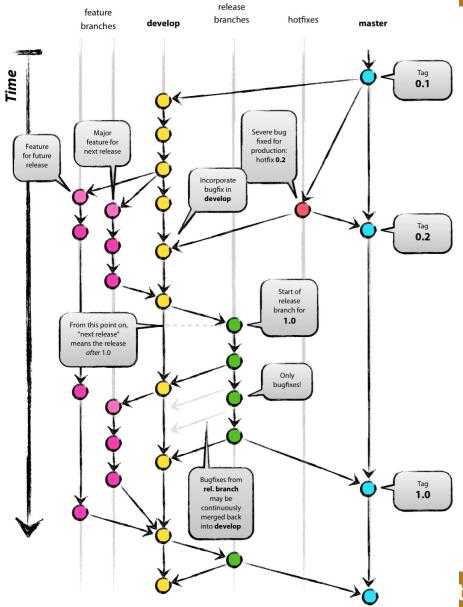
- Version Control
- Bug Tracking
- Discussion
- Collaboration
- You can go on this website right now and see everything...



Development Model







- Set of rules everyone agrees with.
- **Author:** Vincent Driessen
- **Original blog post:** http://nvie.com/posts/a-succesful-gitbranching-model

- Feature branch
- Develop branch
- Release branch
- Master branch



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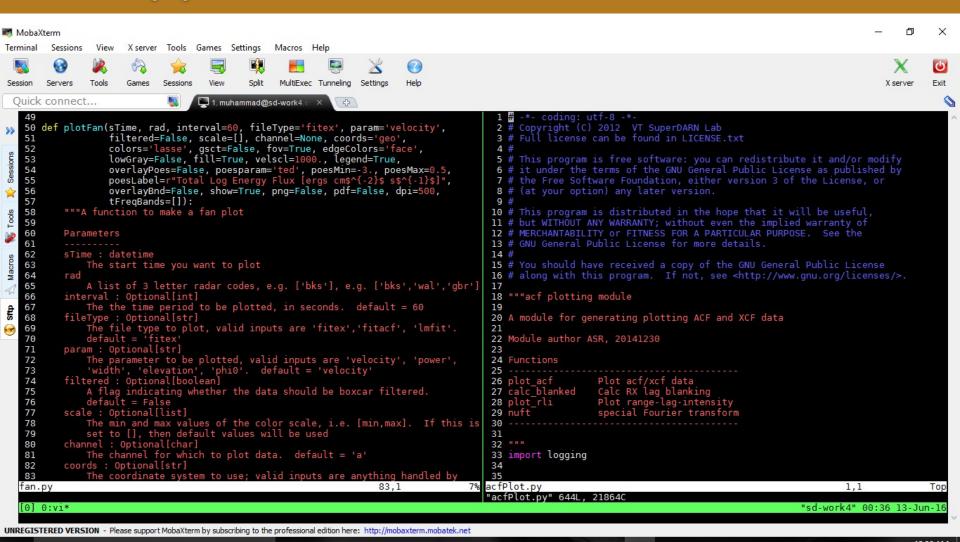


- Codes are Numpy PEP8 compliant
- Function arguments and returns are well documented
 - Doctrings right after each function definition
 - <function name>? Or help(<function name>)
- Example codes are provided for each function
 - Example codes as part of function doctrings
 - Test codes in the end of module codes
 - Some examples in the form of Jupyter Notebooks that serve as tutorials



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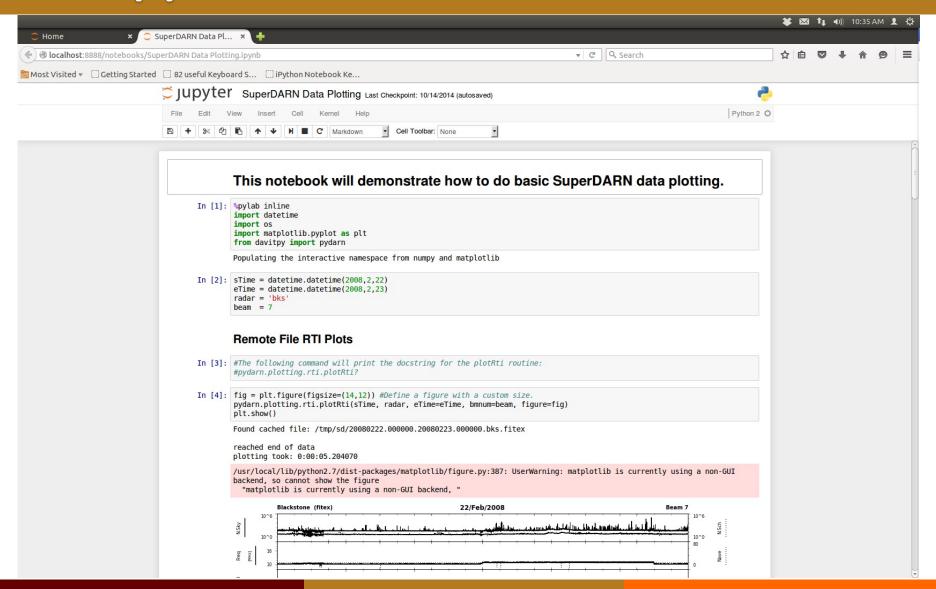


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DaViT-py Demos: RTI Plot



import datetime
import os
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from davitpy import pydarn
sTime = datetime.datetime(2008,2,22)
eTime = datetime.datetime(2008,2,23)
radar = 'bks'
beam = 7
figs = pydarn.plotting.rti.plot_rti(sTime,
radar, eTime=eTime, bmnum=beam)
fig = figs[0]

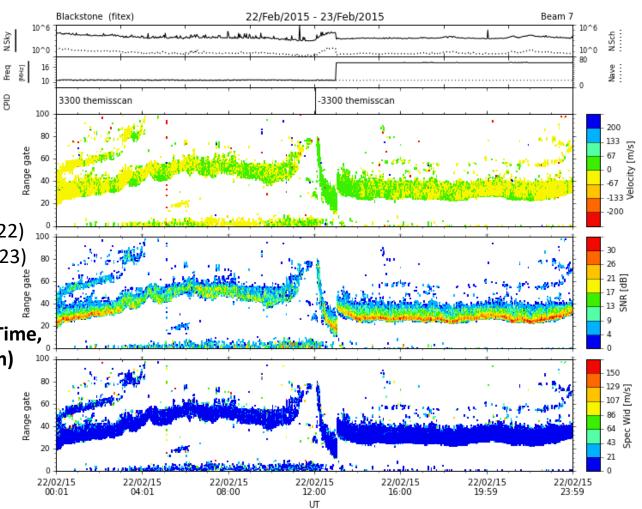
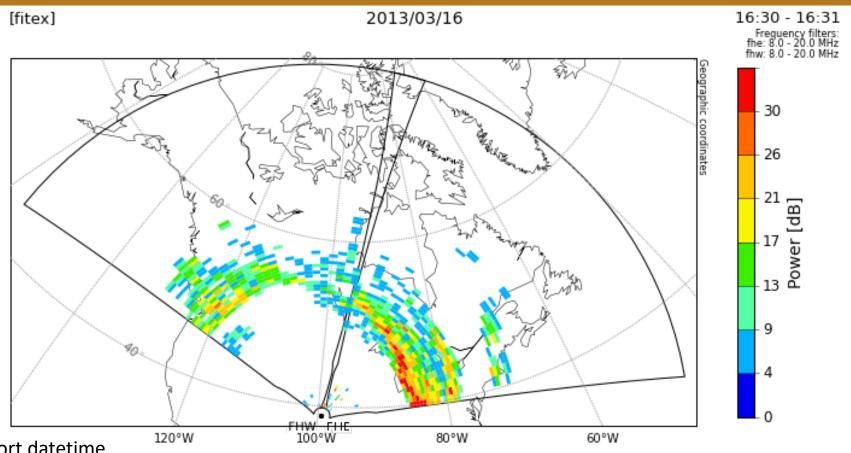


fig.show()



DaViT-py Demos: Fan Plot





import datetime

import os

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from davitpy import pydarn

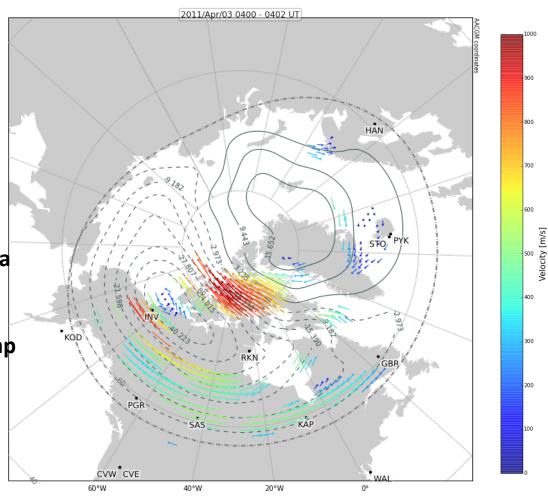
pydarn.plotting.fan.plotFan(datetime.datetime(2013,3,16,16,30),['fhe','fhw'],param='power',gsct=False)



DaViT-py Demos: Convection Map

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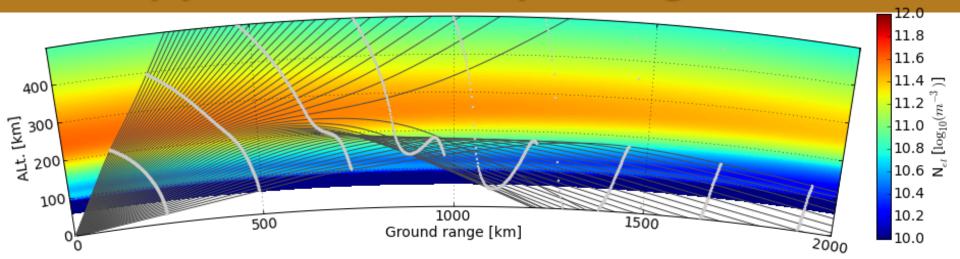
import datetime import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import davitpy.pydarn.plotting.plotMapGrd from davitpy.utils import * fig = plt.figure(figsize=(15,15)) ax = fig.add subplot(111) sdate = datetime.datetime(2011,4,3,4,0) mObj = plotUtils.mapObj(boundinglat=50.,gridLa bels=True, coords='mag') mapDatObj = davitpy.pydarn.plotting.plotMapGrd.Map Conv(sdate, mObj, ax) mapDatObj.overlayMapFitVel() mapDatObj.overlayCnvCntrs() mapDatObj.overlayHMB()





DaViT-py Demos: HF Raytracing





import datetime as dt from davitpy.models import raydarn

sTime = dt.datetime(2006, 2, 22, 22); eTime = dt.datetime(2006, 2, 23, 5)

radar = 'wal'; beam = 3; freq = 10.5

rto = raydarn.RtRun(sTime, eTime, rCode=radar, beam=beam, freq=freq, outDir='/tmp', nprocs=4

rto.readRays()

figure(figsize=(15,5))

ax, aax, cbax = rto.ionos.plot(sTime)

ax, aax, cbax = rto.rays.plot(sTime, step=10, ax=ax, aax=aax)

rto.rays.showRange()

ax.grid()



DaViT-py Installation



- Detailed installation instruction can be found from:
 - https://github.com/vtsuperdarn/DaViT-py
 - README.md file in the DaViT-py package
- OS requirement
 - Most active development, testing, and use occurs in the Linux environment.
 - Macintosh install scripts are provided
 - We do not currently offer any Windows support, although you are more than welcome to try and make it work in any environment you choose.



Summary



- DaViT-py is mainly designed to conveniently access and visualize SuperDARN data, but it also includes other relevant space physics/space weather data sets and models.
- Open source collaborative projects have been proven to be very successful
 - Linux, Mozilla, Apache, Et al.
- Please join us!!



DaViT-py Related Links



- Have a look at the projects main page (public face): http://vtsuperdarn.github.com/DaViT-py/
- You can also find tutorials and other information on our github wiki: http://github.com/vtsuperdarn/DaViT-py/wiki
- Please join our development Google group, DaViT-py-dev (https://groups.google.com/forum/#!forum/DaViT-py).
- Please report any problems/comments using the Issues tab of the DaViTpy GitHub page, or use this link: https://github.com/vtsuperdarn/DaViT-py/issues
- Virginia Tech SuperDARN Page http://vt.superdarn.org