AMIE NextGen - extending capabilities for the assimilative mapping of ionospheric electrodynamics (AMIE) procedure

- Optimization with respect to both magnetic potential and electrostatic potential
- Realistic prior model error covariance derived large data bases
- Improved assimilative conductivity mapping (See Mcgranaghan's poster DATA-04 on Tuesday)
- EarthCube: Distributable AMIE Py software
- New multi-resolution needlet basis functions and non-Gaussian inferential framework



High-latitude Geospace Data Fusion and Assimilation at 4pm on Thursday

References: Richmond and Kamide, JGR,1988; Matsuo et al., JGR, 2005; Cousins et al., JGR, 2013a,2013b; Knipp et al., SW, 2014; Matsuo et al., JGR, 2015; Cousins et al., JGR, 2015a, 2015b; Mcgranaghan et al., JGR, 2015, 2016; Fan et al., JASA, 2016. **Supports:** NSF-Aeronomy AGS1025089, NSF-Polar PLR1443703, NSF-ICER1541010.

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[Cousins et al., 2013, 2015; Matsuo et al., 2015; Mcgranaghan et al., 2016]

States

$$\vec{E}, \Phi, \underline{\underline{\Sigma}}, \vec{J}_{\parallel}, \vec{J}_{\perp}, \Delta \vec{B}$$

Observations

SuperDARN plasma drifts Iridium/AMPERE magnetic fields Ground-based magnetic fields DMSP auroral particle precipitations



Solve for polar-cap SH coefficients with Bayesian estimator for Gaussian processes

Bayesian analysis

$$[\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{y}] \propto [\mathbf{y}|\mathbf{x}][\mathbf{x}]$$

$$\mathbf{x}_a = \mathbf{x}_b + \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x}_b)$$

 $\mathbf{C}_a = (\mathbf{I} - \mathbf{K}\mathbf{H})\mathbf{C}_b$

Strong N-S asymmetry and large polar cap energy deposition



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Non-Gaussian small-scale random electric fields result in considerably more Joule heating than Gaussian fields

