ICECAPS Weekly Report

June 23 – June 29, 2014 Lana Cohen



General:

• Flight scheduled for Sat was cancelled; flight arrived on Sunday.

Significant Weather Observations:

- 6/23: Partly cloudy, cirrus
- 6/24: mostly cloudy
- 6/25: mostly cloudy, snow flurries from ~19.30Z
- 6/26: mostly cloudy, snow flurries in morning
- 6/27: partly cloudy, fog and ice crystals in morning
- 6/28: clear, calm; winds increasing to 15kts later day
- 6/29: partly cloudy, calm

Dataman Account:

• Dataman transfer didn't go on 6/25 due to dataman work directory full error; Matt manually ran scripts on 6/25 and they went fine.

MWR:

- 150-90: operating normally.
- HATPRO: out for calibration and repairs.

SODAR:

• Operating normally.

POSS:

• 6/23-24: POSS data acquisition was accidentally shut down on 23rd; restarted on 24th.

MMCR:

- Duane working on radar system--daily calibrations & radar monitor program.
- Helped Duane with ongoing troubleshooting of radar systems; 6/26: replaced noise source.

CAPABL:

- No mount issues this week.
- 6/26: Opened CAPABL iris slightly to increase field of view as per PI request.

MPL:

• Operating normally.

VCEIL:

• Operating normally.

Hotplate:

• Operating normally.

IceCAM:

• Operating normally.

PAERI:

• 6/28: Multiple data dropouts.

ASIA-A:

• Operating normally.

TSI:

• 6/23: several glitchy images at 0050, 0057, 0432, 1230 each lasting 2 frames.

IcePIC:

• No flakes/crystals captured this week.

MASC:

• No images taken this week.

Radiosonde:

• Twice daily sondes.