# ICECAPS-ACE Weekly Report

May 6- May 12, 2019 Jonathon Miller



Heather Guy working on the Sonic Anemometer at MSF.

# **General Notes:**

Email issues with "mail.summitcamp.org" mail server resulted in multiple accounts being unable to send emails for several days. A temporary workaround was implemented and the issue has since been resolved.

# **General Weather Observations:**

Time (Z)	Wind	Weather	Visibility	Sky	Temp	Notes
12:00	16	BLSN	800	OVC010	-19	
12:00	5	BR	9999	SCT100	-24	
12:00			9999	FEW		
12:00	10	BR	4800	OVC025	-22	
12:00	7		9999	SKC	-26	
12:00	4		9999	FEW	-25	
12:00	5		9999	SKC	-24	
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**Significant Weather Observations:** Normal

**ICECAPS-ACE Data Management Transfer** 

May 6	Not documented
May 7	04:47:18Z
May 8	04:46:26Z
May 9	04:44:48Z
May 10	04:43:42Z
May 11	04:46:13Z
May 12	04:43:31Z

# **MWR**:

• Operating normally.

# **SODAR:**

- **May 08:** Cleaned snow and leveled.
- Operating normally.

# **POSS:**

• Operating normally

## **MMCR:**

- **May 09**: LabView Open file / GPIB error on the radar-dm computer. The "continue button" was pressed and the MMCR resumed normal operation.
- May 11: The LapXM (mmcr-radar) had multiple errors recorded in the log.
- **May 12:** The LapXM (mmcr-radar) errors were cleared and the instrument appears to be operating normally.
- Temp (outside) value continues out of tolerance (at 30)

## **CAPABL:**

• Instrument offline.

#### MPL:

Operating normally.

#### **VCEIL:**

• Operating normally.

#### **IceCAM:**

• Operating normally

#### PAERI:

• Operating normally.

## TSI:

Offline for winter season.

#### **IcePIC:**

No images.

#### Radiosonde:

• Twice daily launches.

## **MASC:**

• Instrument offsite for repair, will not return until summer 2019.

#### OPC:

• Operating normally.

## **CLASP:**

• Instrument off site.

## CPC:

- **May 08**: Data plot stopped recording data around 20:30Z. Restarted system and data plot continued normally
- **May 09:** No power to CPC. Data collection stopped around 18:30Z. Heather Guy isolated issue to loose power cable. System was restarted at 11:00Z
- **May 11**: CPC lost powered down again at 23:00Z. Heather installed plug retention sleeves to remedy loose cable issues.
- **May 12**: Operating normally