

# KOPRI's Research Activities on Atmosphere and Sea Ice in the Arctic Ocean

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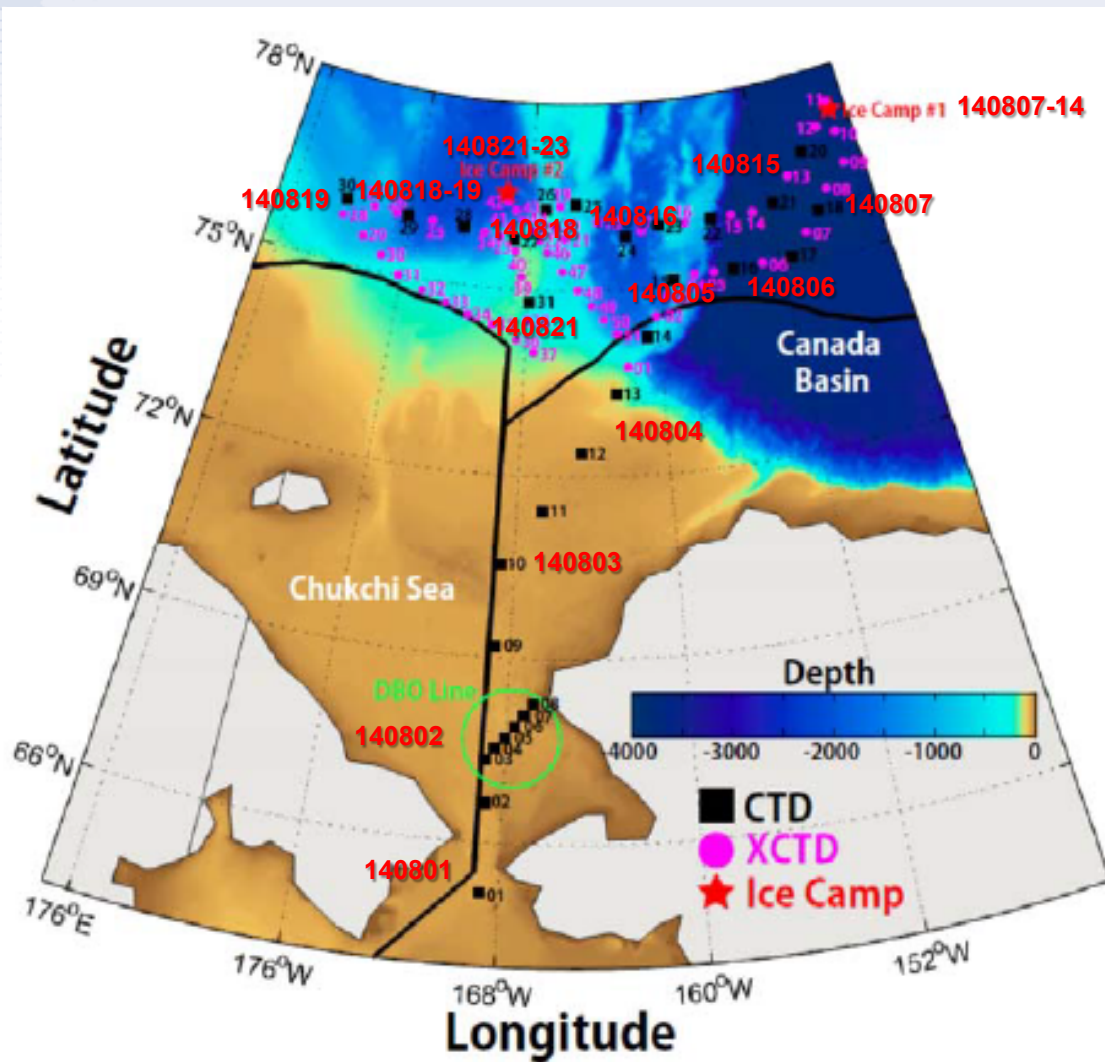
# Topics included

- 2014 ARAON Arctic Cruise
  - Atmospheric Observations
    - On-board instruments
  - Deployment of Sea Ice Buoys
    - Support the MIZ program
- Plans
  - Enhance on-board meteorological observations and cloud observing instruments (2015)
  - Autonomous platform to observe floe-scale dynamic sea ice deformation (2015)
  - Participate in the Norwegian young sea ice cruise 2015 (N-ICE2015) (Period: January to June 2015)
  - Integrated platform to study thermodynamic sea ice – atmosphere interaction (*in situ* sea ice energy balance) (2016~)
- “Climate Line” : Atmospheric Scientist’s Perspective
  - A lesson from other campaigns



# 2014 Araon Arctic Cruise (Leg 1)

- 2014.07.30 ~ 2014.08.25



# On-board Atmospheric Observing Instruments



- Basic meteorological variables
  - pressure, temperature, wind speed & direction, and humidity



**Radarmast (38m)**  
 Short-wave radiometer (PSP)  
 Long-wave radiometer (PIR)  
 Temperature & RH (HMP45D)  
 Pressure sensor (PTB100)  
 Quantum sensor (LI-200)  
 Data logger (CR3000)  
 2D sonic anemometer

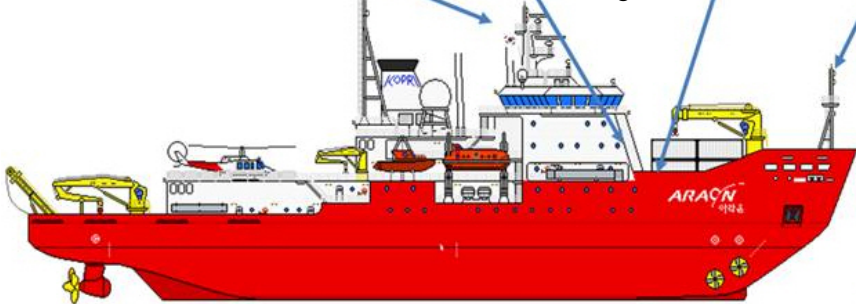
**Atmospheric Sciences Lab. (03Deck)**  
 CPC  
 Aethalometer  
 Nephelometer

**CRDS Shelter 02Deck (15m, Port)**  
 CRDS (G2301-f)  
 Data logger (CR3000)  
 Motion Sensor (MPII)

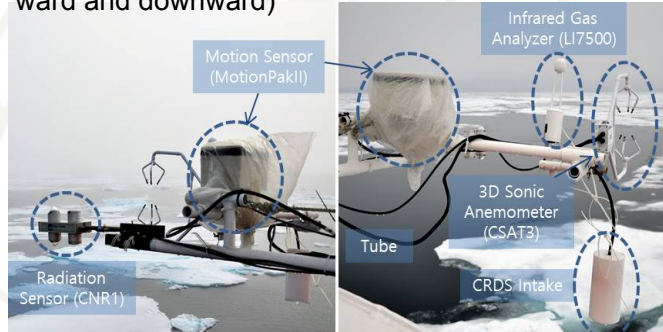
**Foremast (29.8m)**  
 Windmill Anemometer (031050-L)

- Aerosols properties
  - condensation particle count, black carbon mass concentration, scattering coefficient

- 4-component radiations
  - shortwave and longwave radiations (upward and downward)



**Bow (19m)**  
 Sonic Anemometer (CSAT3)  
 Infra-red gas analyzer (LI7500)  
 Motion Sensor (MPII)  
 Net radiometer (CNR1)  
 CRDS intake

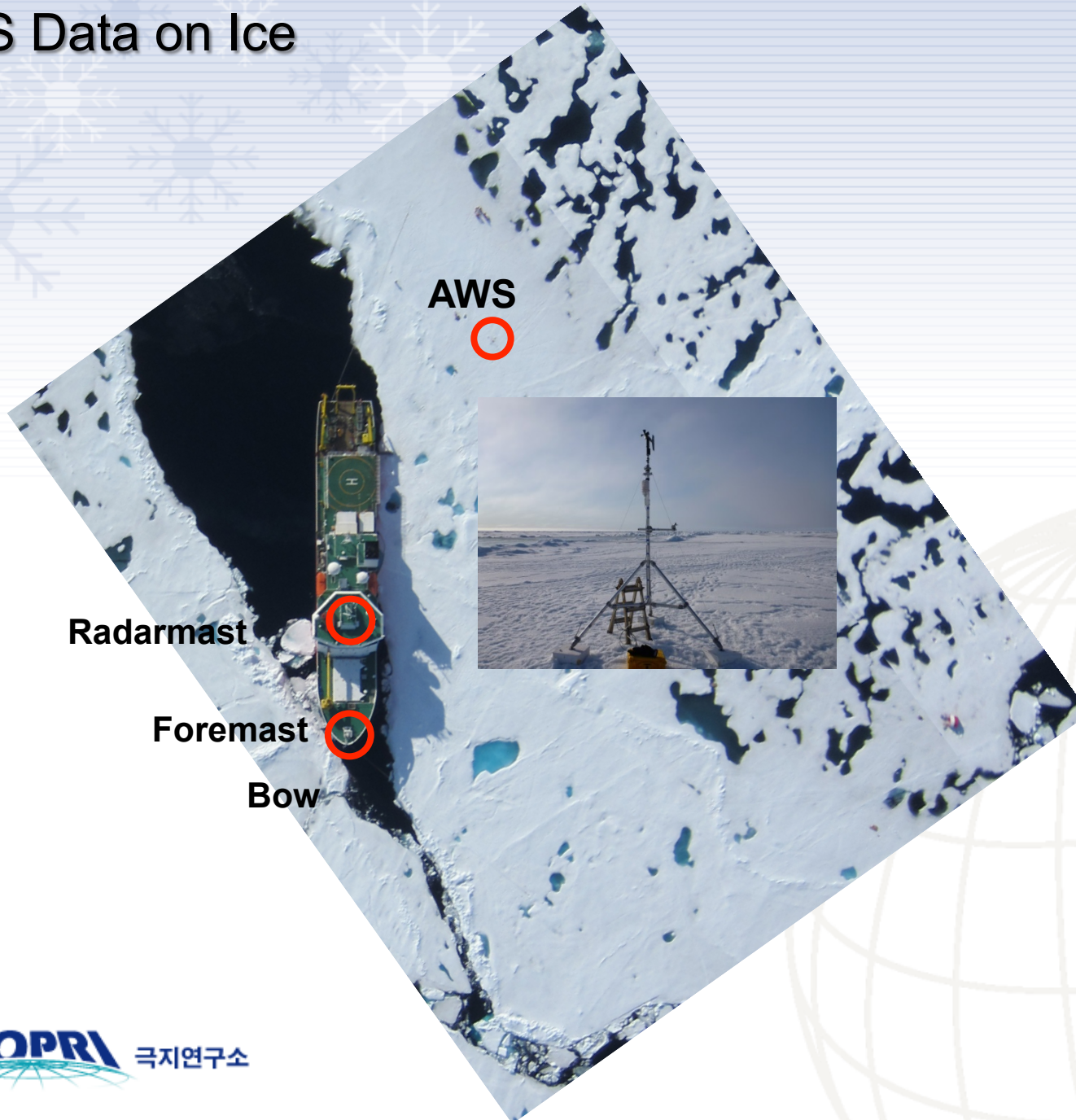


- Eddy covariance system
  - momentum, sensible heat, latent heat, and gas fluxes

\* Heights in parenthesis are the distance of instruments from design load waterline (DLWL)



# AWS Data on Ice



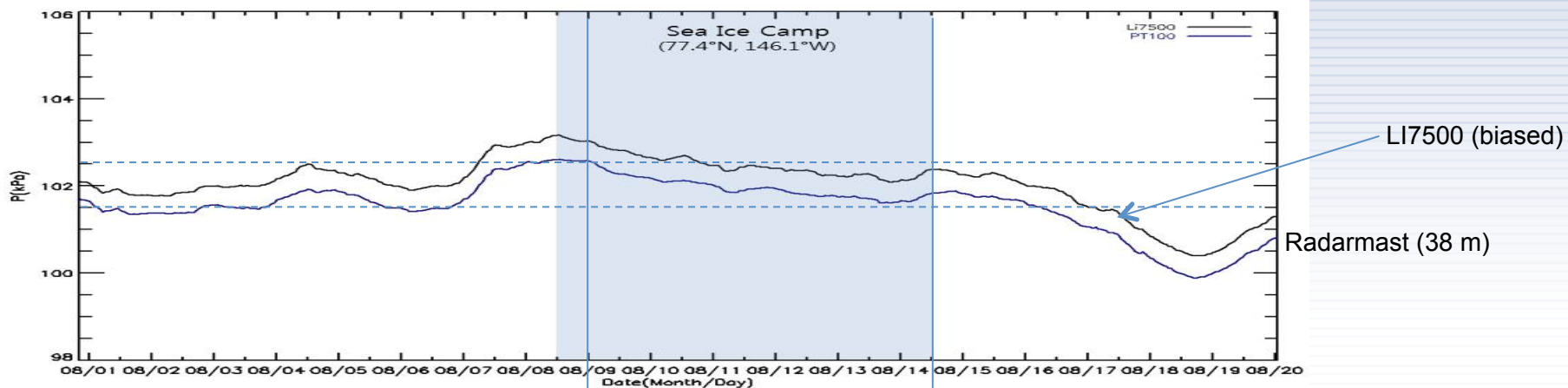
AWS

Radarmast

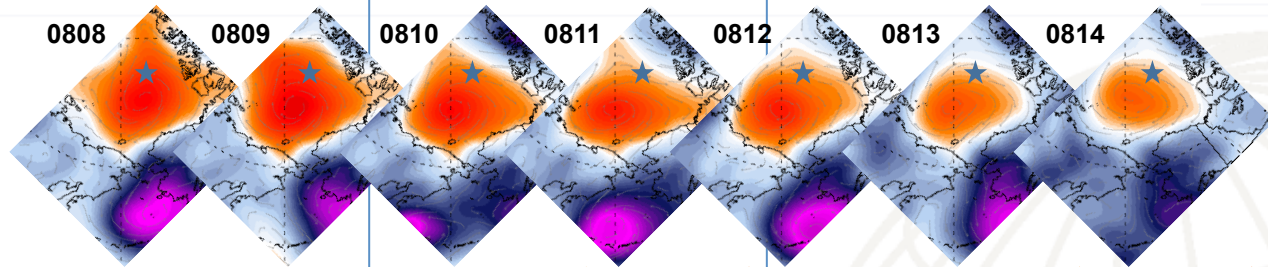
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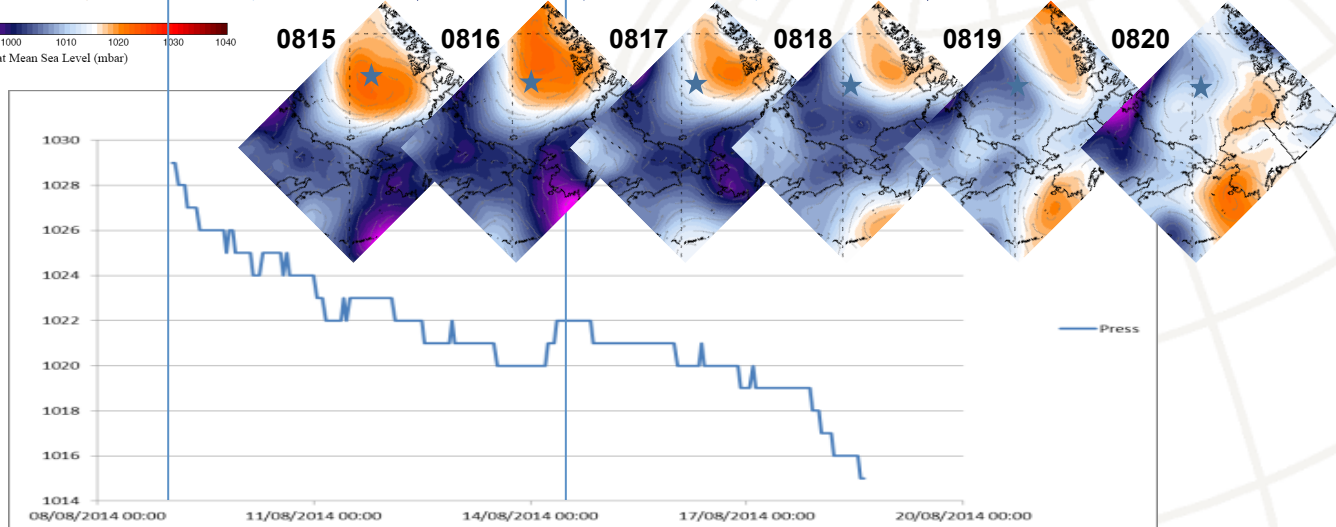
# Meteorological Data (Air Pressure)



NCEP CFSR

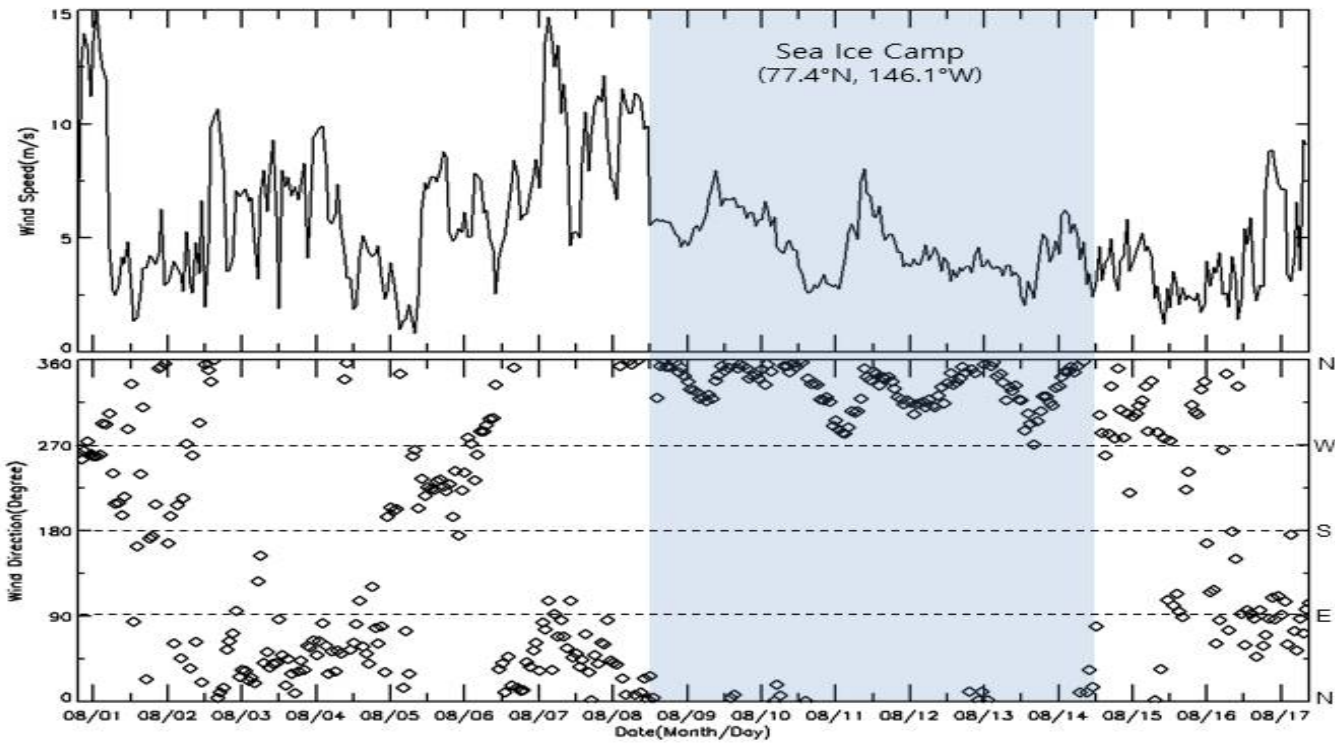


AWS (on ice)

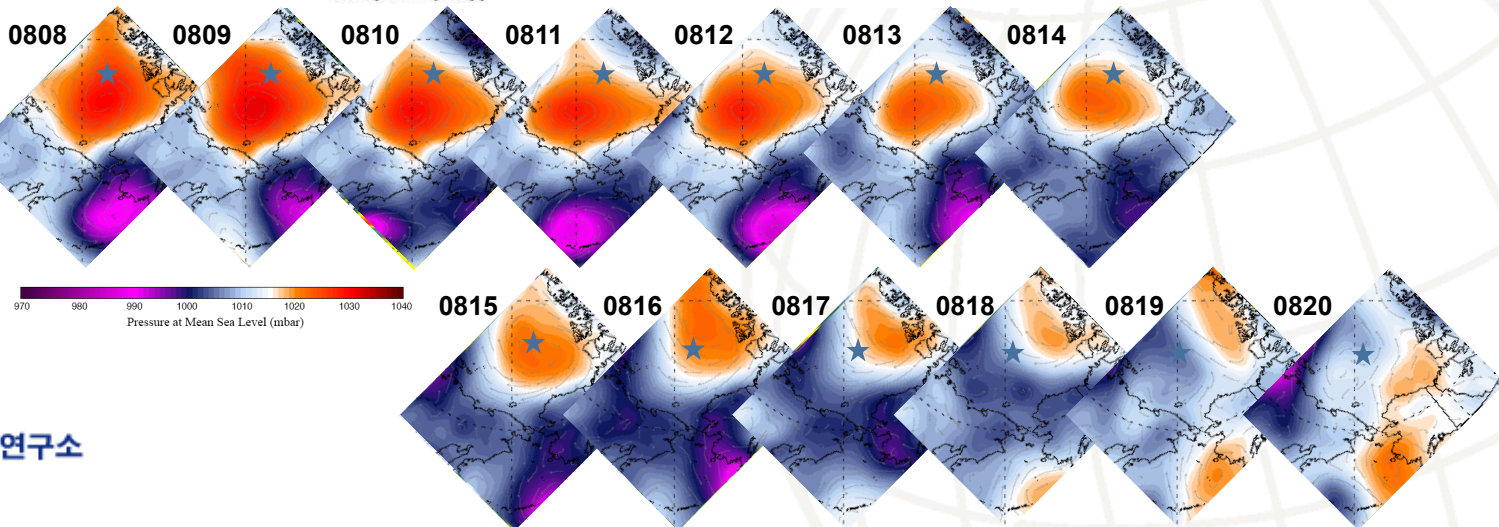




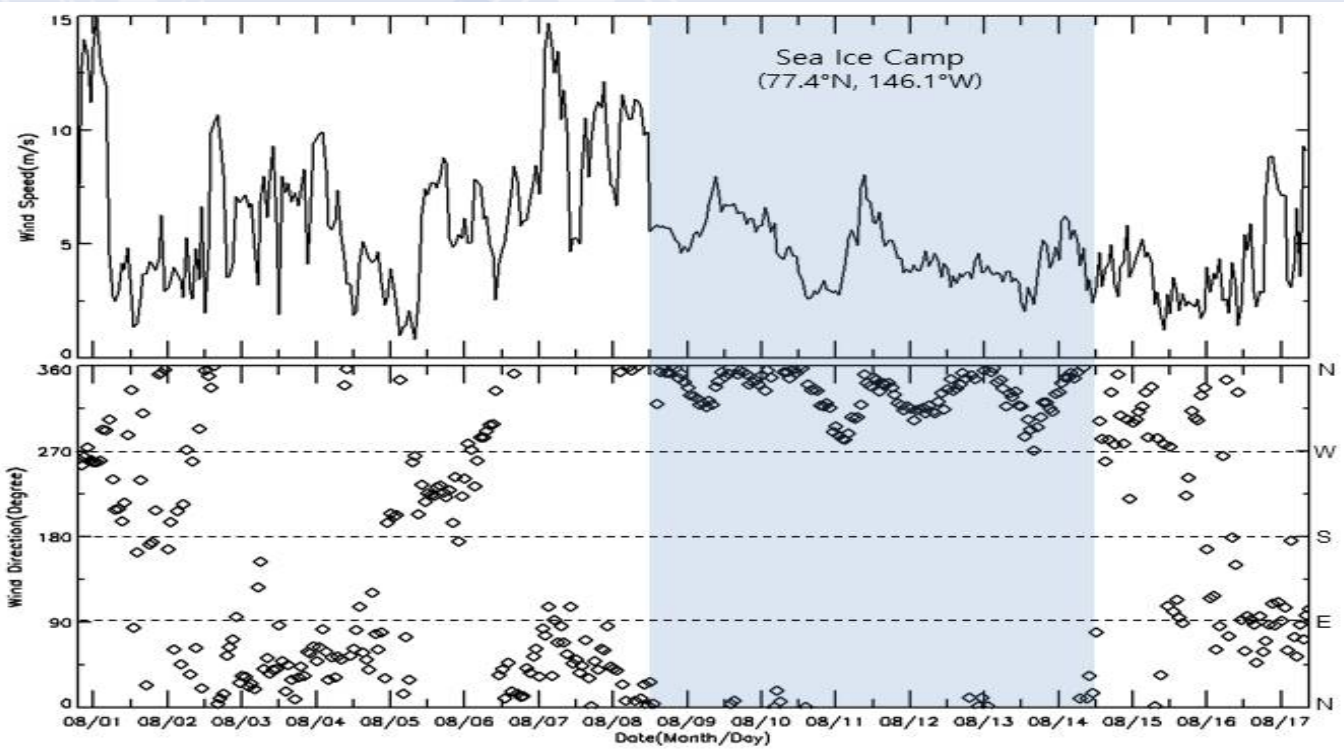
# Meteorological Data (Wind)



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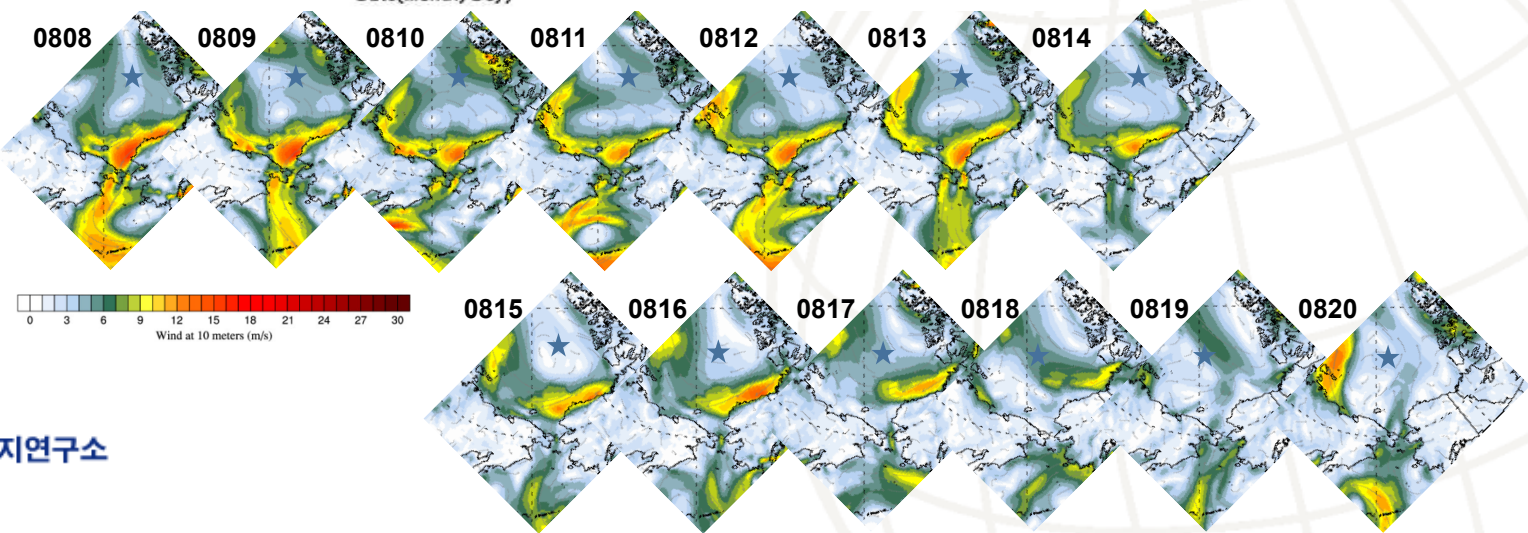


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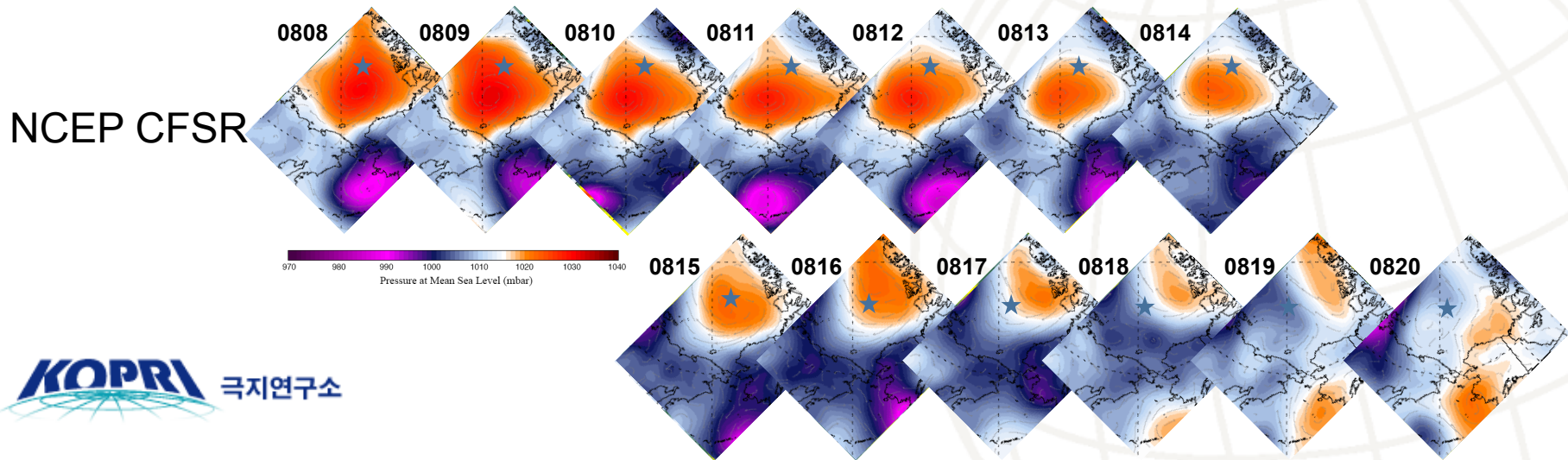
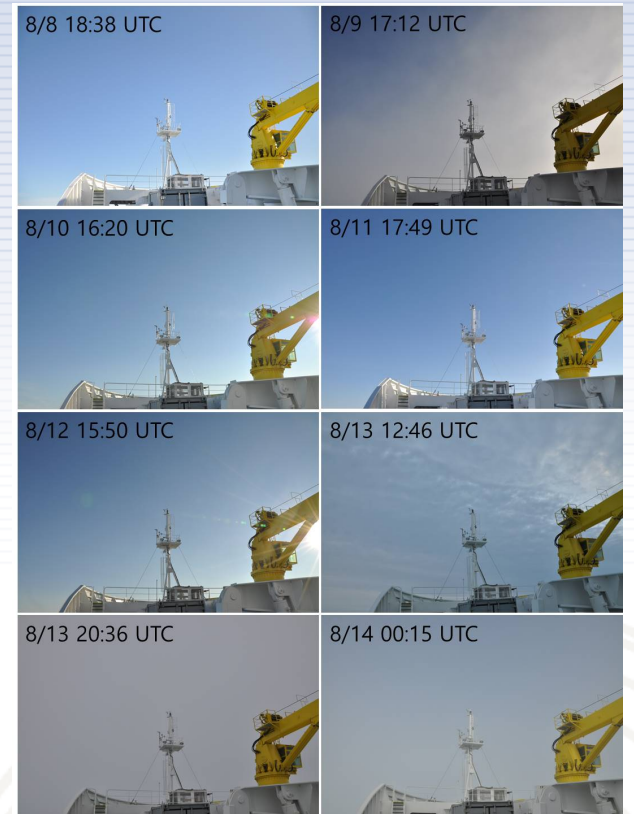
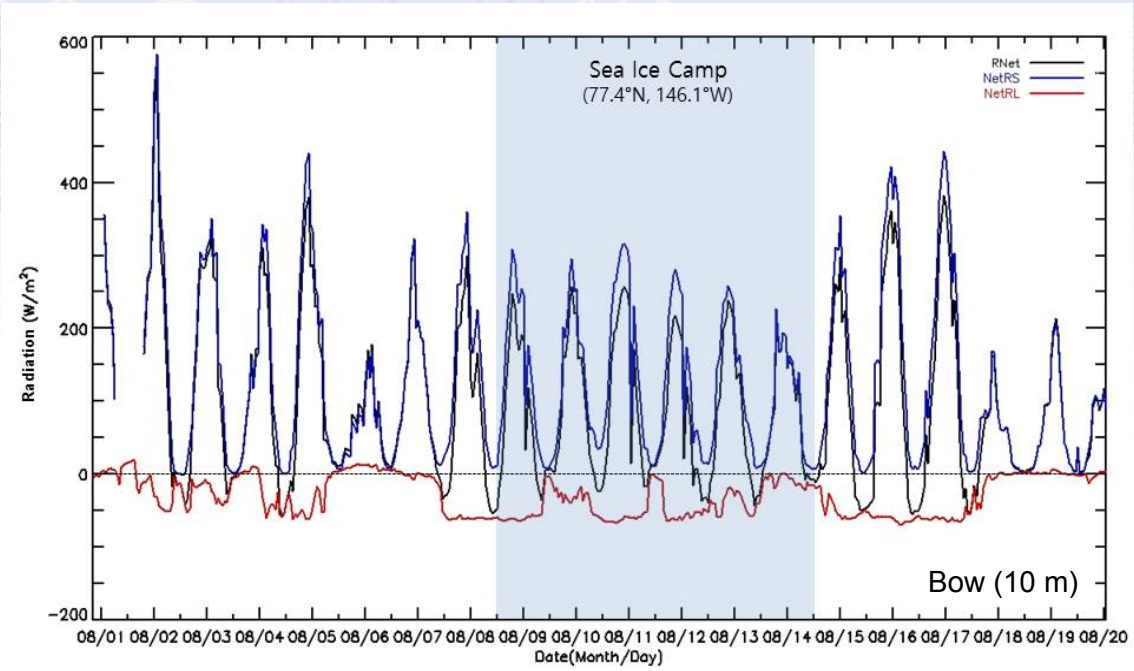
Foremast (29.8 m)

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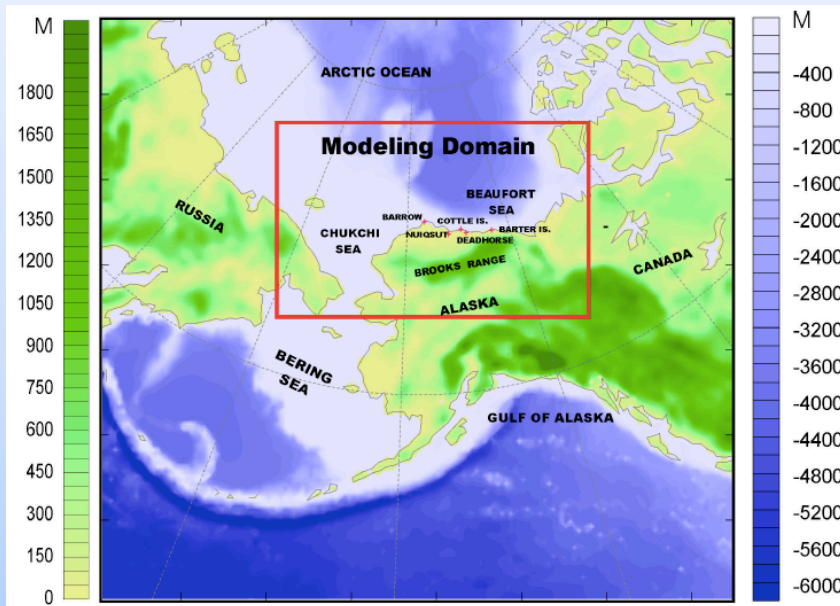
# Meteorological Data (Net Radiation)



# Plans with the Meteorological Data

- Comparison with the available atmospheric reanalysis data (e.g., ERA-Interim, NC EP CFSR, NCEP R1, NCEP R2, JRA55, NASA MERRA)
- Assimilation of cruise data to the CBHAR (Chukchi-Beaufort Seas High-resolution Atmospheric Reanalysis)
  - Contacted with X. Zhang (IARC)

## The Chukchi-Beaufort seas High-resolution Atmospheric Reanalysis (CBHAR)



**Model: WRF-ARW**

**Data product:**

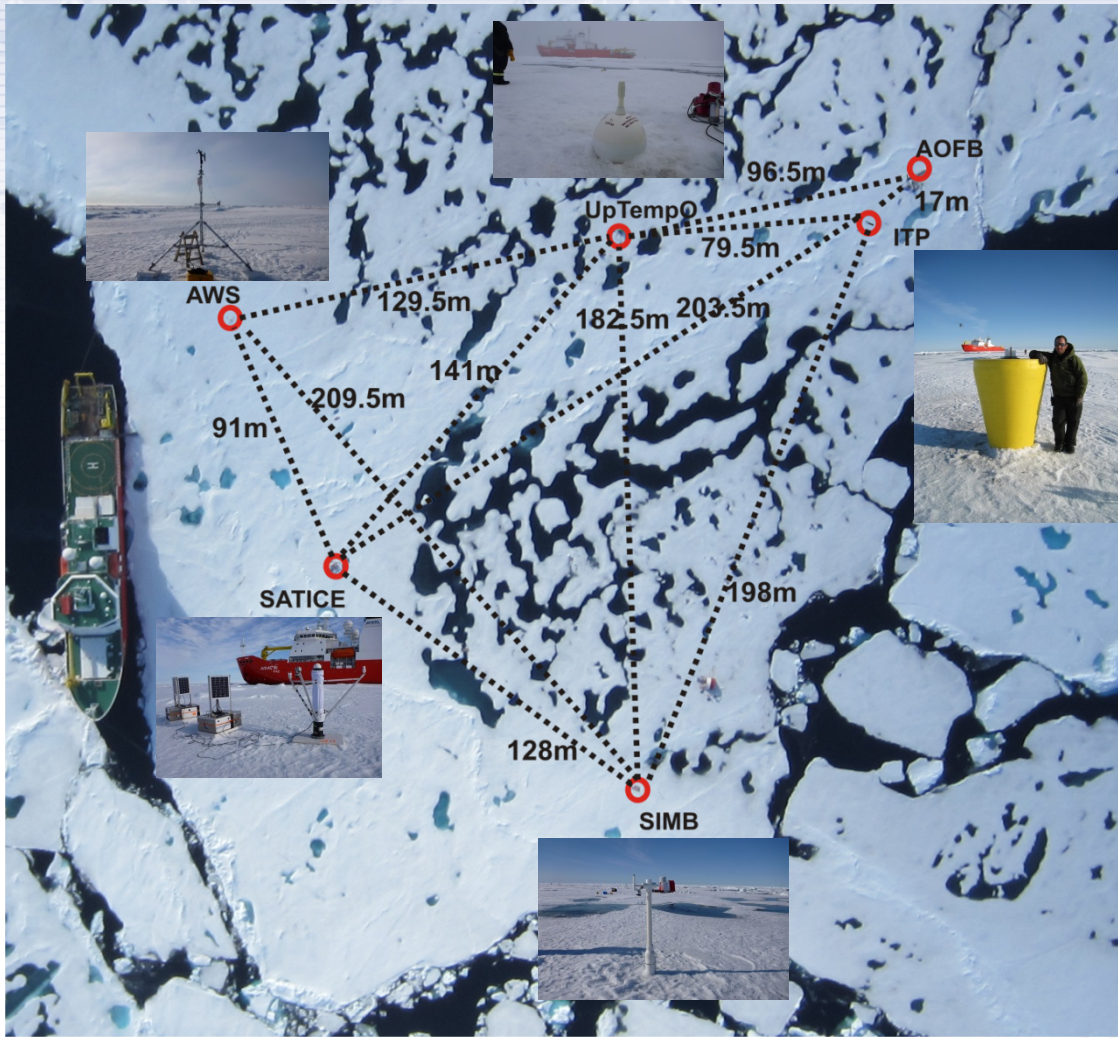
**Spatial resolution: 10 km**

**Temporal resolution: 1 hour**

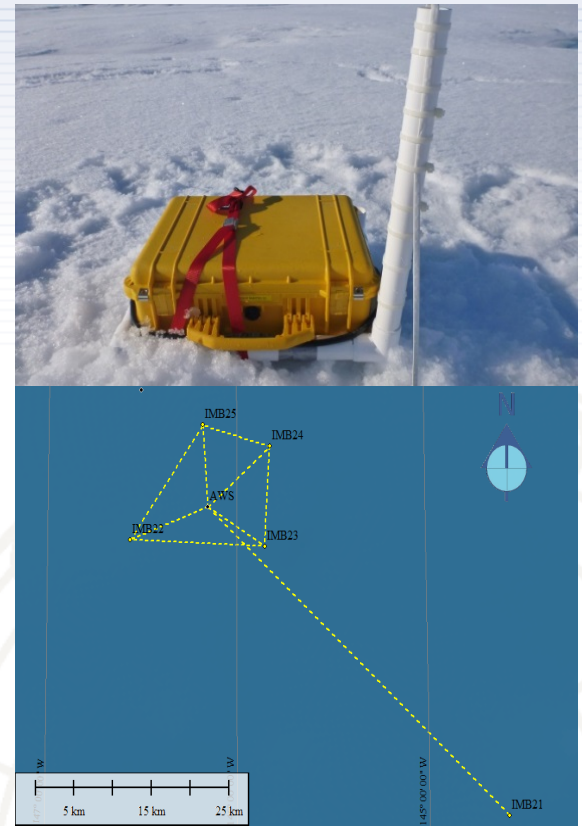
**Courtesy of X. Zhang**



# Deployment of Sea Ice Buoys



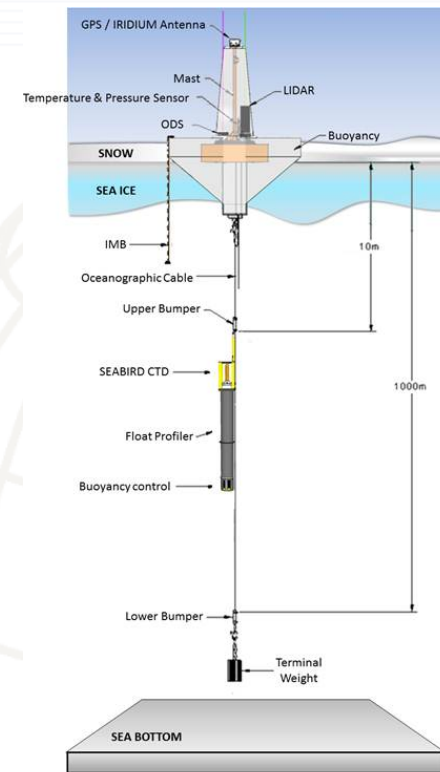
Floe-scale buoy array



Large-scale IMB array

# Plans

- Enhance on-board meteorological observations and **cloud** observing instruments (2015)
  - Install all sky camera on the top of foremast
  - Re-operate on-board lidar (dual polarization lidar)
  - Regular launch of a radiosonde balloon during the Arctic cruise
- Autonomous platform to observe floe-scale **dynamic** sea ice deformation (2015)
  - Instrument: Array of GPS buoys
  - Begin: early September (during Araon cruise)
  - Target: freezing season (October – March)
  - Large-scale feature: satellite SAR images
- Integrated platform to study **thermodynamic** sea ice – atmosphere interaction (*in situ* sea ice energy balance) (2016~)
  - Cloud Instruments + AOFB + IMB + ITP -> IAOS (Ice - Atmosphere - Arctic Ocean Observing System) like?
  - Trackable & Recoverable - Accurate positioning ... but high cost and risk.





# Special Plan in the Atlantic

- Participate in the **Norwegian young sea ice cruise 2015 (N-ICE2015)** (Period: January to June 2015)
  - Ship: RV Lance
  - Who: KOPRI's atmospheric scientist group
  - When: leg 1 (early January to mid-February, 2) and 2 (mid-February to late March, 2)
  - Topics of interest
    - Atmospheric boundary layer turbulence
    - Cloud – sea ice interaction

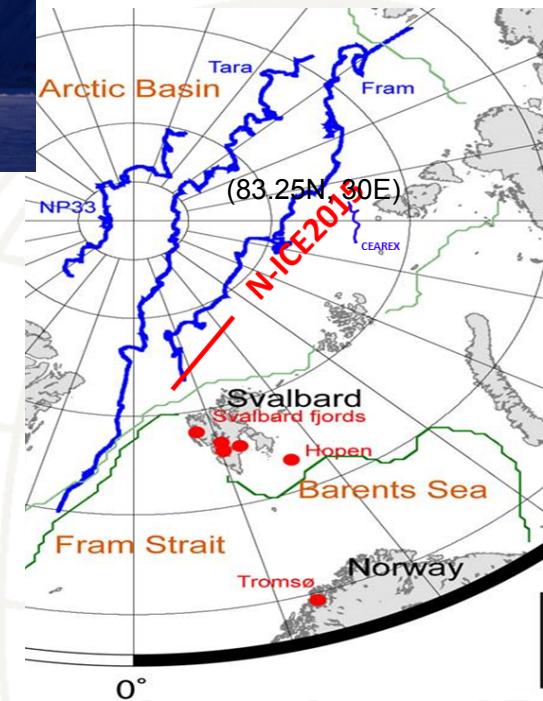


RV Lance

## WP2 – Atmospheric Forcing

Lead: Stephen Hudson and Mats Granskog (**Norwegian Polar Institute, NPI**)

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# N-ICE2015 WP2 Datasets

TABLE WP2.1 Datasets to be collected, parameters, frequency, period, and location. Bold datasets will be core data distributed in real time.

Data set	Type	Duration	Data Frequency	Location	Parameters
<b>Weather data</b>	Continuous	Whole	1-minute averages	Supersite, fixed 10 m mast	2-, 6-, and 10-m temperature, humidity, wind speed, and wind direction, surface pressure
<b>Radiosonde</b>	Routine	Whole	12 or 24 hours	From ice near ship and/or from helicopter deck	Temperature, humidity, pressure, wind speed and direction as function of height, 0-10+ km
<b>Precipitation</b>	Routine	Whole	Daily (08 UTC)	Supersite	Daily precipitation amount, isotope samples
<b>Turbulent fluxes, fixed</b>	Continuous	Whole	0.5-hr averages	Supersite, second fixed mast	Turbulent flux of sensible and latent heat, CO <sub>2</sub> and CH <sub>4</sub> between ice surface and atmosphere
<b>Turbulent fluxes, mobile</b>	Campaign	Whole	0.5-hr averages, intermittently	Mobile, moved to interesting areas	Turbulent flux of sensible and latent heat and CO <sub>2</sub> between ice surface and atmosphere
<b>CO<sub>2</sub> and CH<sub>4</sub> fluxes (chambers)</b>	Routine & Campaign	First half	Weekly to daily	A variety of undisturbed surfaces, new ice	CO <sub>2</sub> and CH <sub>4</sub> flux from ice/snow surface
<b>Tethered balloon profiles</b>	Campaign	Whole	Up to hourly	From ice near ship	Temperature, humidity as function of height 0-250 m (Cloud imaging?, photos?)
<b>Boundary layer sodar/radar</b>	Continuous	Whole	10-minute averages	Between ship and supersite	Temperature and 3-dimensional winds between 30 and 1000 m above the ice
<b>Radiation station</b>	Continuous	Whole	1-minute averages	Supersite fixed frame	Incoming and outgoing broadband shortwave and longwave radiative fluxes
<b>Under-ice solar radiation</b>	Continuous	Second half	1-minute averages	Several undisturbed places near supersite	Transmitted broadband shortwave radiation beneath the ice
<b>Spectral radiation station</b>	Continuous	Leg 2 and second half	10 minutes	Supersite fixed frame	Incoming, outgoing, and transmitted spectral shortwave radiation (400–900 nm)
<b>Spatial variability surface radiation budget (sled)</b>	Campaign	Second half	Weekly to daily	Undisturbed area, representative surfaces	Incoming and outgoing spectral solar radiation (350–2500 nm), 4-component broadband radiation, surface and sky photos, temperature, humidity
<b>Spatial variability of transmitted radiation (ROV)</b>	Campaign	Second half	Weekly to daily	Undisturbed areas, representative surfaces	Incoming and transmitted spectral solar radiation (400–900 nm), under-ice photos [ROV]
<b>Radiation drifters (&amp; IMBs)</b>	Autonomous	Second half	Hourly	Free drift, deployed 10–20 km from Lance	Incoming and transmitted broadband solar flux
<b>Upper ocean profiles of inherent optical prop.</b>	Routine	Whole	Weekly	On-ice CTD site	Total absorption coefficient, separated into dissolved and particulate components [integrating sphere]
<b>Inherent optical prop. from ice/water samples</b>	Routine	Whole	Weekly	Ice coring area & on-ice CTD site	Total particulate absorption (400-800 nm), total dissolved absorption (300-700 nm) [filtration]
<b>In-water irradiance profiles</b>	Routine	Second half	Weekly to daily	Near supersite	Spectral irradiance (305–900 nm) versus depth, derive attenuation coefficients
<b>All-sky camera</b>	Continuous	Whole	5 min	Top of ship	Photos of sky conditions showing cloud cover
<b>Cloud lidar</b>	Continuous	Whole	1 min	Top of ship's bridge	Cloud base height, thickness and particle properties
<b>Biological experiments</b>	Campaign	Second half	Intermittent	FYI area to be manipulated	Transmitted radiation, ice (with algae) IOPs, melting rates, productivity rates...



# “Climate Line” : Atmospheric Scientist’s Viewpoint

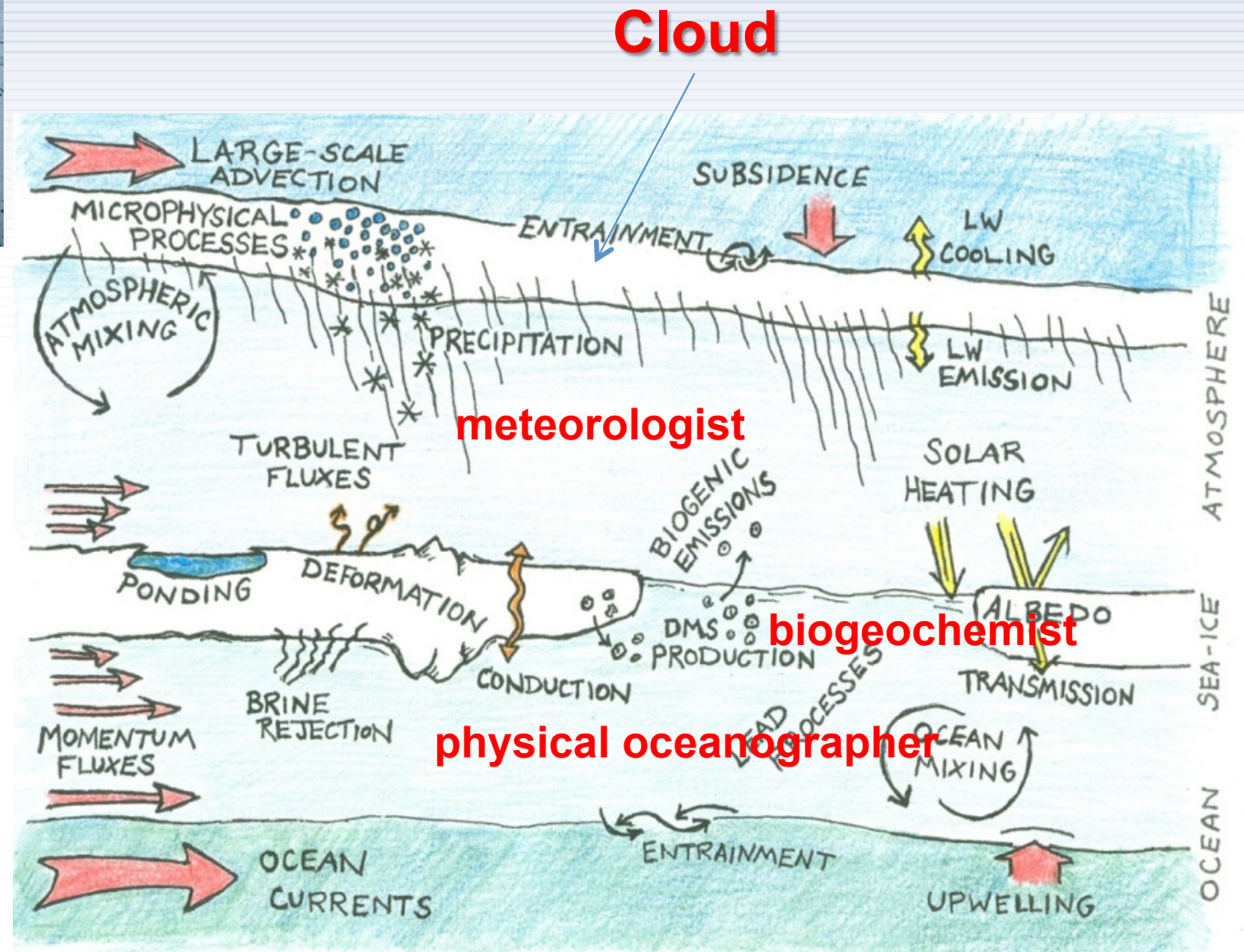
- A lesson from other campaigns
  - SHEBA (1997-1998) – Surface Heat Budget of the Arctic Ocean
    - The interaction of the atmosphere, **clouds**, sea ice and upper ocean in determining the energy balance in the Arctic.
  - ASCOS (2008) – Arctic Summer Cloud Ocean Study
    - Multidisciplinary program to study the role of **clouds** in the Arctic climate system
  - N-ICE2015 (2015) – Drift study on a first year ice floe
    - What role do **clouds** play in affecting the combined radiation budget (longwave and shortwave), and therefore the snow and ice mass balance, and how does that role change through the seasons?
  - MOSAiC (2017-2018) – Multidisciplinary drifting Observatory for the Study of Arctic Climate
    - Regional Climate Models evaluated against SHEBA radiative fluxes reveal major biases and spreads, especially under **clouds**. Such biases can have serious implications for sea-ice concentrations.

# Cartoon from MOSAiC Introduction

## MOSAIC

Multidisciplinary drifting Observatory  
for the Study of Arctic Climate

Matthew Shupe - U. of Colorado  
Ola Persson - U. of Colorado  
Michael Tjernström - Stockholm U.  
Klaus Dethloff - Alfred Wegener Inst.  
And many others

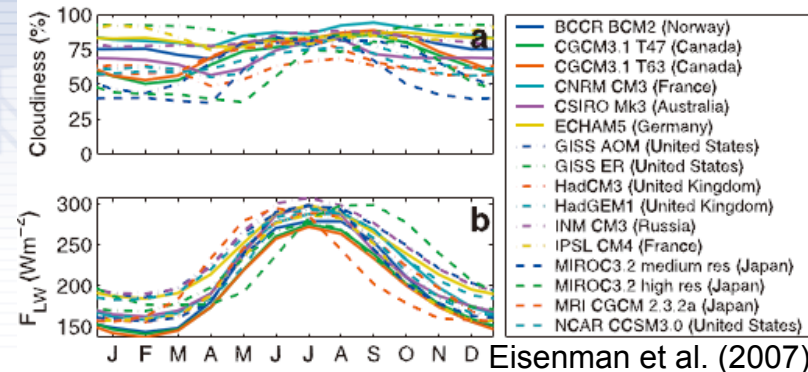




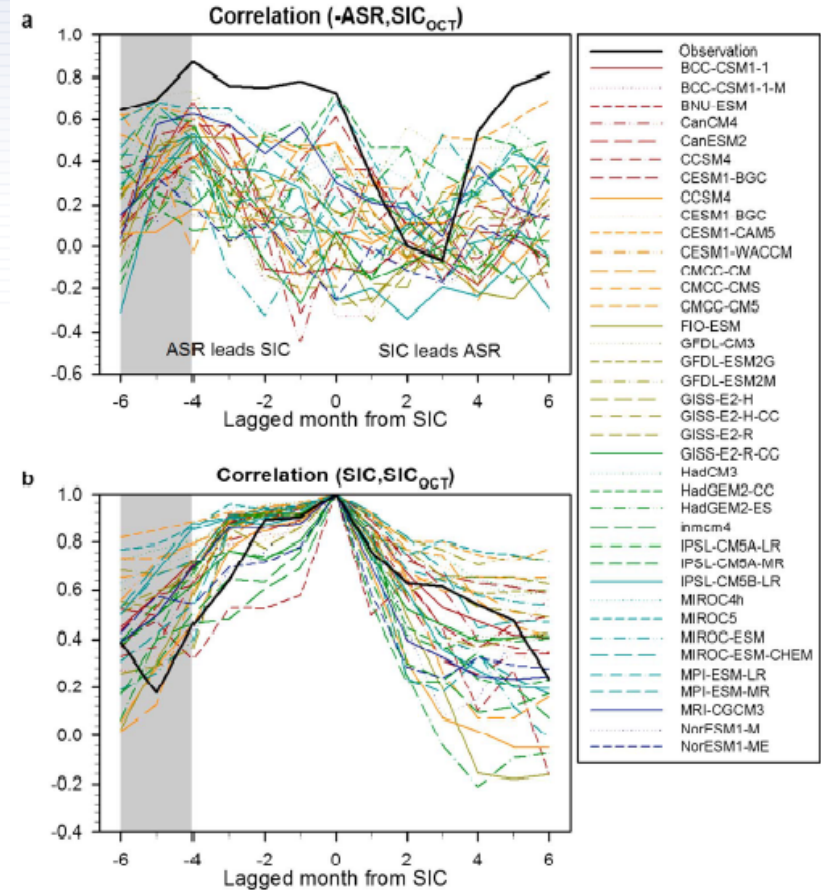
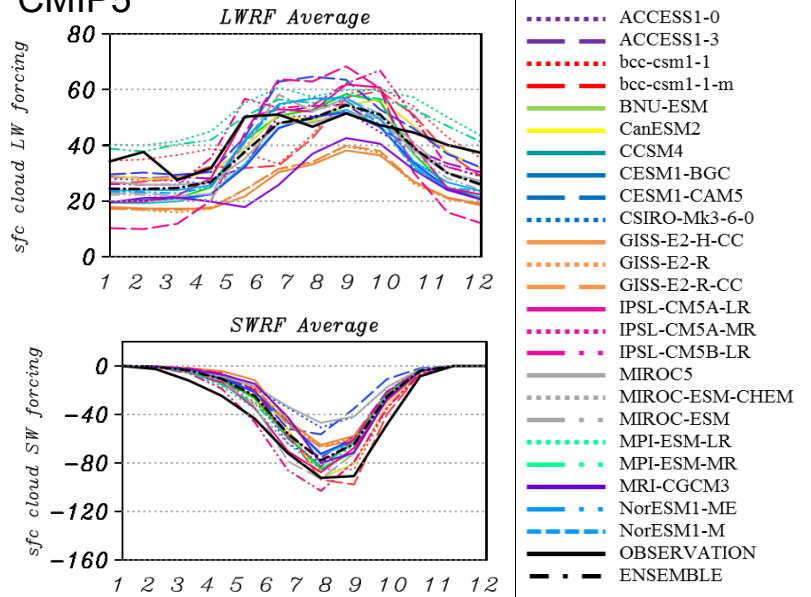
# Clouds – Largest Atmospheric Source of Model Uncertainty

- Significantly influence the Arctic surface energy budget, thereby affecting sea ice

## CMIP3



## CMIP5



Choi et al. (2014)

# Summary

- For the topic of sea ice and atmosphere,
  - KOPRI will enhance meteorological observations and **cloud** observing instruments.
  - As a legacy of the MIZ program, KOPRI will continue to observe floe-scale **dynamic** sea ice deformation with an autonomous platform next year.
  - KOPRI atmospheric scientists will participate in N-ICE2015 to study cloud, turbulence, sea ice energy balance, and atmospheric boundary layer.
  - KOPRI atmospheric science team will aim to have an integrated platform to study **thermodynamic** sea ice – atmosphere interaction (*in situ* sea ice energy balance). (2016~)