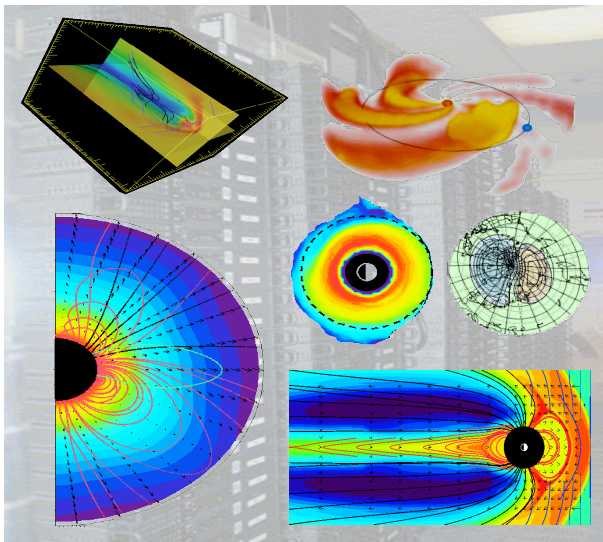


Joule Heating/Poynting Flux/ Model/Data Comparison. Very Preliminary Results



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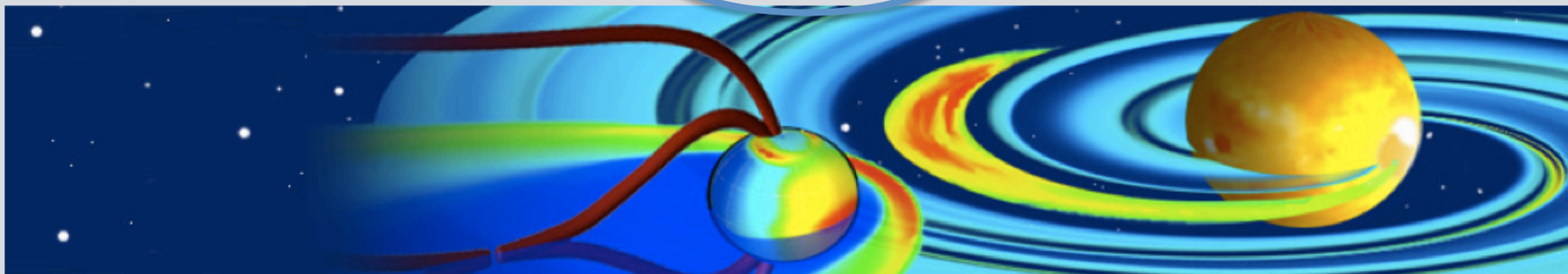
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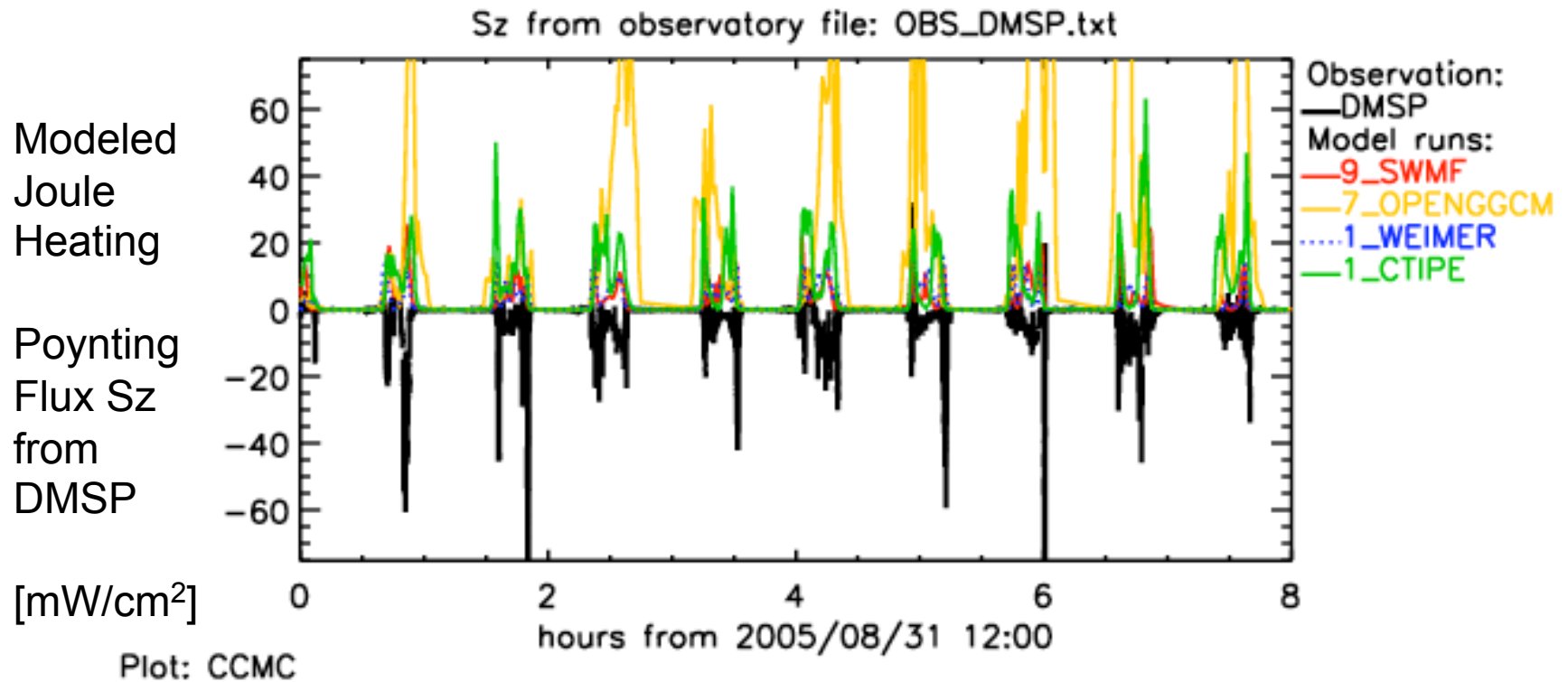
Time Series Plotting Tool

GEM-CEDAR Metrics (magnetosphere) results

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E.2001.243: 2001/08/31 (doy 243) 00:00 UT - 09/01 00:00 UT	GOES10 GOES08	PBQ FRN IQA OTT FRD YKC ABK WNG FUR MEA NEW	KYOTO USGS	southern hemisphere northern hemisphere	DMSP
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E.2005.135: 2005/05/15 (doy 135) 00:00 UT - 05/16 00:00 UT	GOES11 GOES12	NEW IQA FRN OTT YKC FRD HRN ABK WNG FUR MEA PBQ	KYOTO USGS	southern hemisphere northern hemisphere	DMSP

Time Series Plotting Tool

Several orbits of DMSP during 2005.243 (Event 4 of GEM 2008)



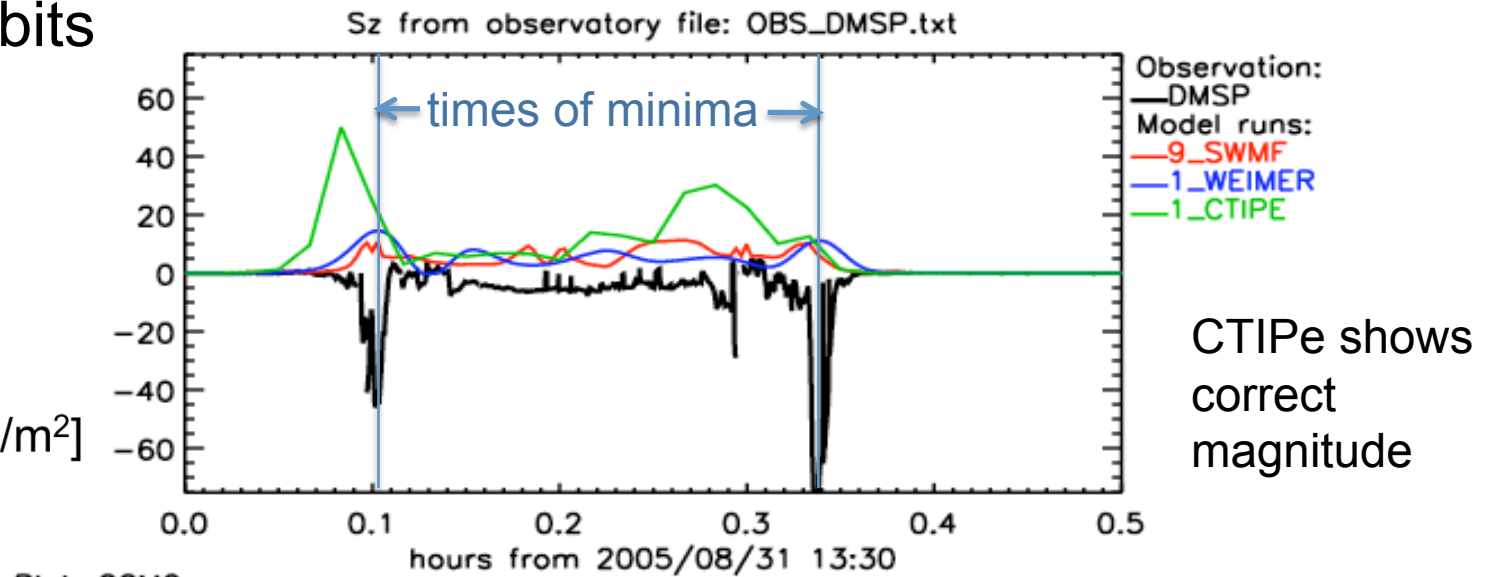
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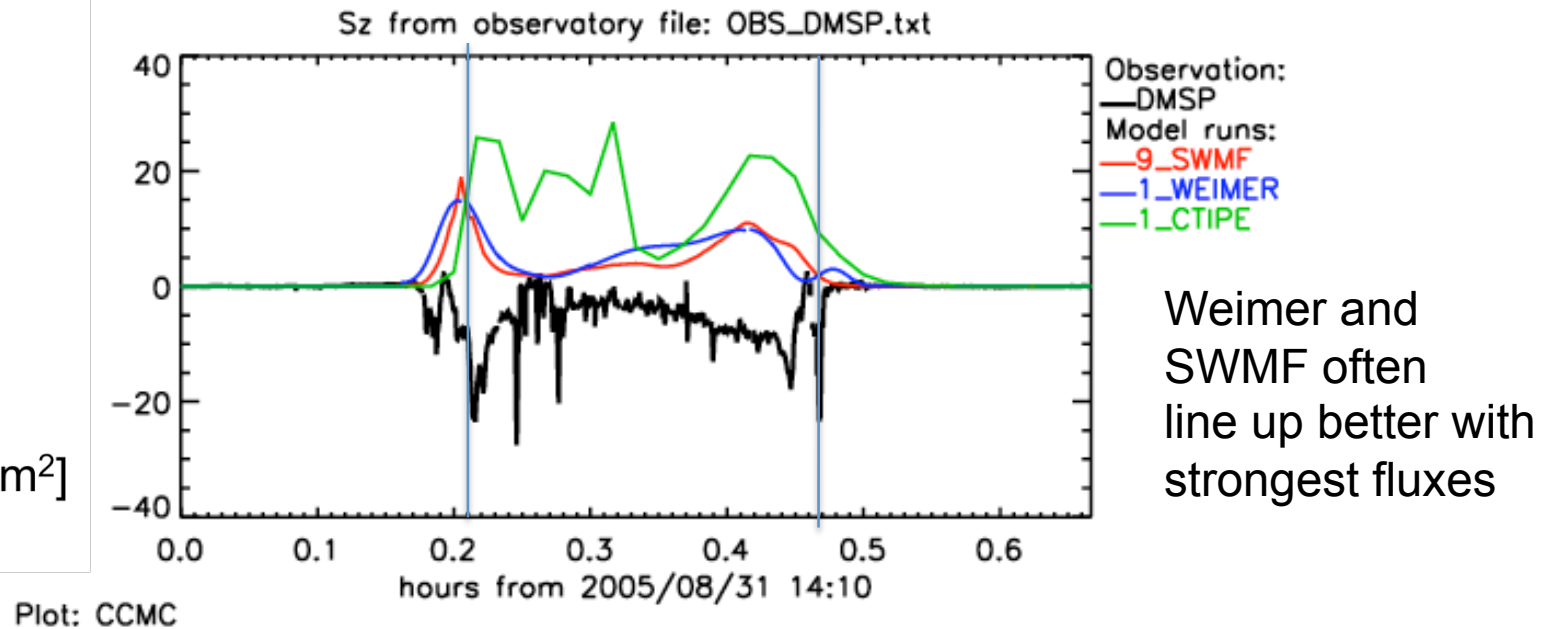
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More
half-orbits

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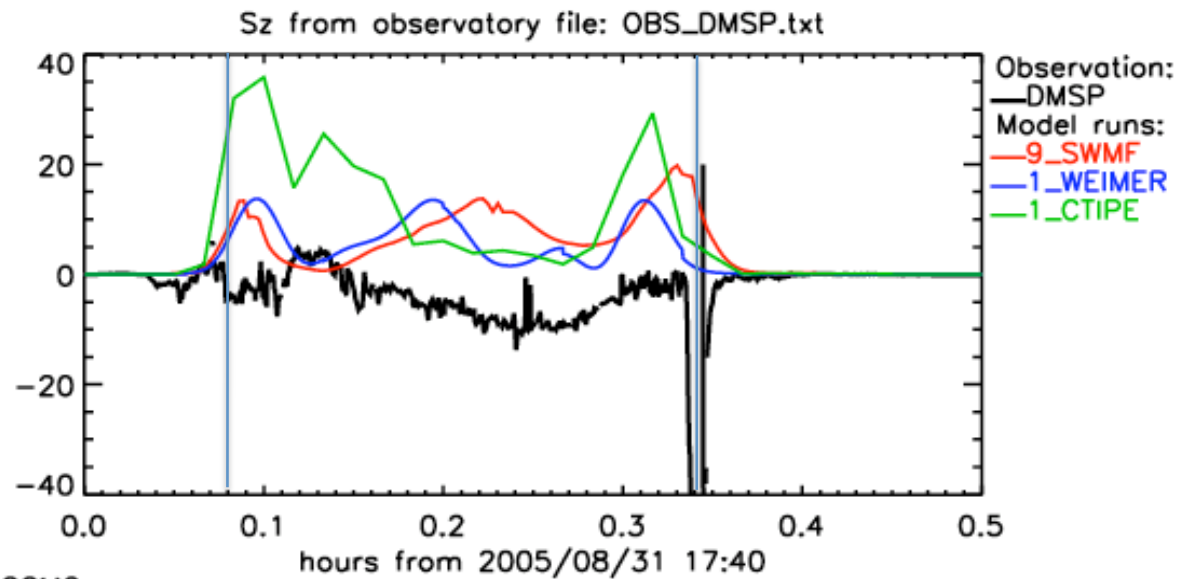
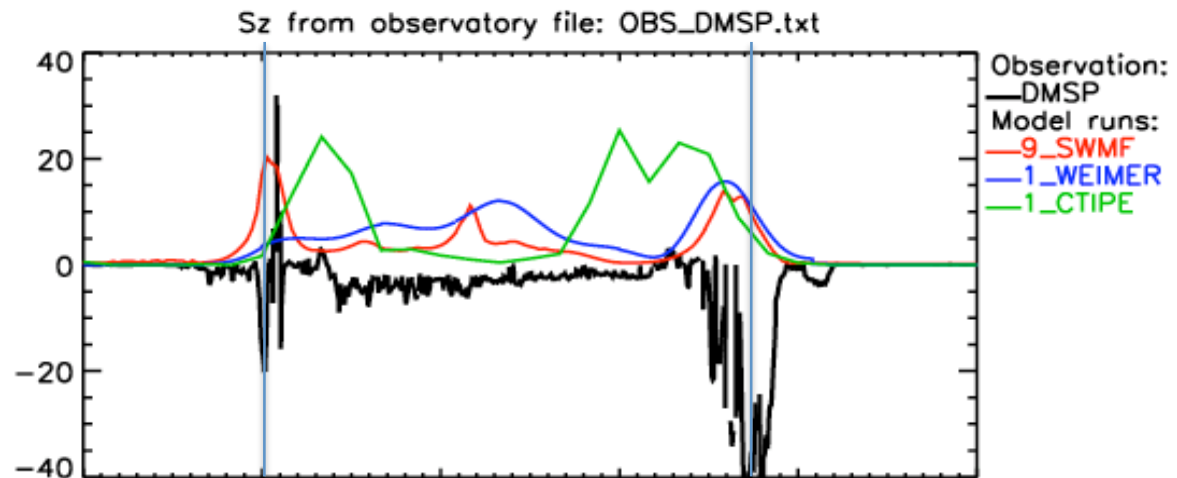
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Plot: CCMC

Analysis of a single half-orbit

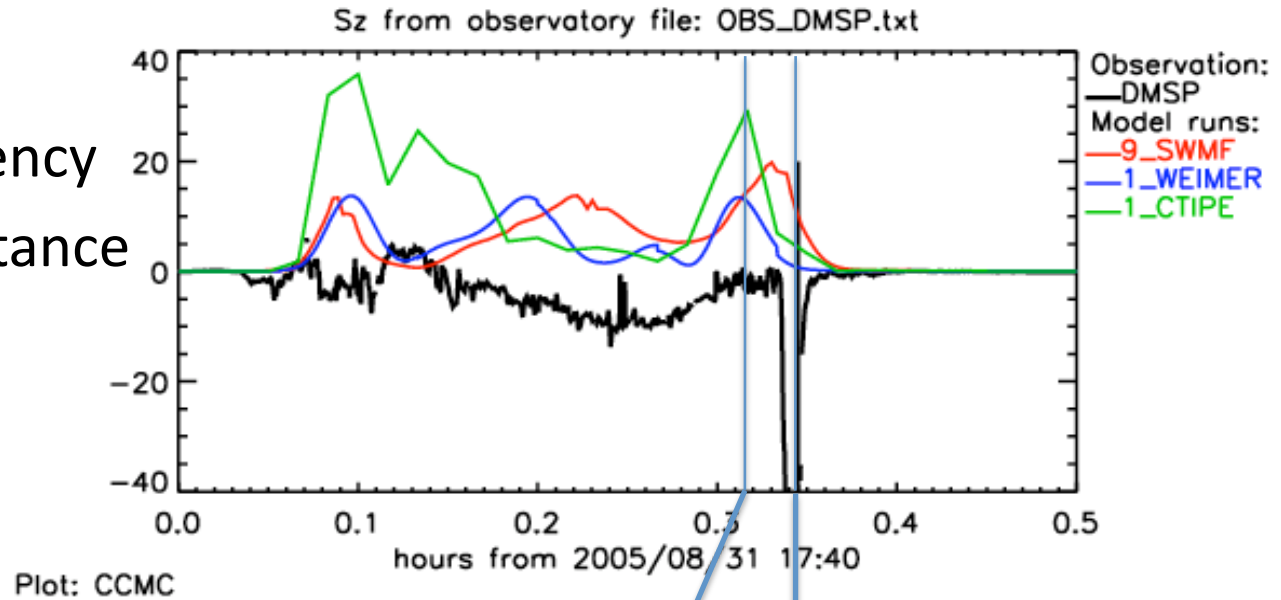
Skill scores:

Prediction Efficiency

Log-Spectral Distance

Prediction Yield

Correlation



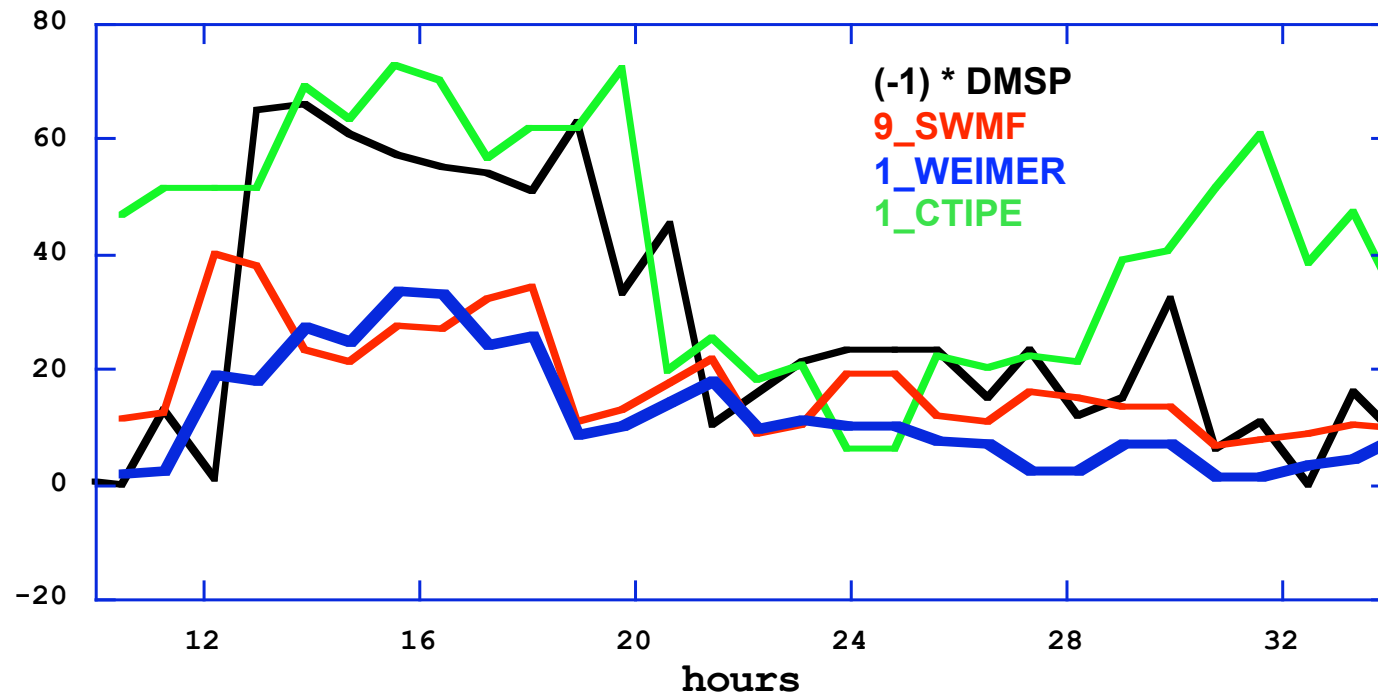
Variable: Sz Observation file: OBS_DMSP.txt

Model_Setting	PredEff	N_region	N_finite	LogSpecDist	nWin	PredYield	Correlation
9_SWMF	-4.323	181	175	0.398	9	0.360	-0.560
1_WEIMER	-2.618	181	175	0.309	9	0.251	-0.170
1_CTIPe	-8.159	181	175	0.780	9	0.654	0.043

To be added:

Timing Error (here for **CTIPe**)

Half-Orbit Averaged



CTIPE shows best average values

Weimer and SWMF very similar to each other

Conclusions

- First model results look promising
- Need to compute new skill scores:
 - Timing errors within each half-orbit
 - ...
- Need more model submissions.
- Compute Joule Heating from existing GEM-CEDAR runs.