Research in Space Physics
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1. General Nature of the Work

Our broad objective is the extension of knowledge of the energetic particles in outer space and of their relationships to electric, magnetic, and electromagnetic fields associated with the earth, the sun, the moon, the planets, and the interplanetary medium.

Primary emphasis is (a) on observational work using a wide diversity of instruments of our own design and construction on satellites of the earth and the moon and on planetary and interplanetary spacecraft and (b) on phenomenological analysis and interpretation.

Secondary emphasis is on closely related observational work by ground based radio-astronomical and optical techniques and on basic theoretical problems in plasma physics.

Specific fields of current investigation are the following:

(a) All aspects of the energetic particles that are trapped in the earth's magnetic field and are transiently present in the outer magnetosphere including the magnetospheric tail of the earth; and of the solar, interplanetary, and terrestrial phenomena that are associated with these radiations (e.g., solar flares, interplanetary magnetic fields and plasmas, aurorae, geomagnetic storms, corpuscular heating of the atmosphere, electromagnetic waves and electrostatic
fields in the magnetosphere, and the ionospheric effects of particle precipitation). This field of research was originated to a major extent by this laboratory.

(b) Galactic cosmic rays and energetic electrons, protons, alpha particles, and heavier nuclei emitted by the sun; and the interplanetary propagation of these particles, including the effects of shock waves.

(c) Radio-frequency emissions and soft X-radiation from both the quiescent and flaring sun and the implications thereof on the nature of the chromosphere and on the acceleration and emission of energetic particles in solar flares.

(d) Origin and propagation of very low frequency radio waves in the earth's magnetosphere and ionosphere.

(e) Shock waves in the interplanetary medium.

(f) The theory of wave phenomena in turbulent plasmas including the interplanetary medium and of the origin of super-thermal particles.

(g) Dekametric radio emissions from Jupiter and the relationships of same to its magnetosphere.

(h) The magnetosphere and magnetic field of Jupiter and the search for magnetospheres of Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, and Pluto.
2. Current Projects

(a) Injun V (Explorer 40)

Study and analysis of nearly 22 months of data from our low-altitude polar satellite Injun V (primary operating period 8 August 1968 -- 30 May 1970) continue to be a major activity of our research staff and students. Injun V has already provided (i) the most complete observational and theoretical understanding of the polar aurorae that now exists; (ii) the first comprehensive survey of d.c. electric fields in the magnetosphere; (iii) the discovery of C,N,0 nuclei trapped in the radiation belts of the earth; (iv) a massive body of observations on VLF radio waves in the magnetosphere and ionosphere; (v) new data on the spectra of low energy electrons and protons in the magnetosphere; (vi) several studies of the access of solar energetic particles into the magnetosphere; and (vii) a detailed study of the distribution and time variations of the intensity of geomagnetically trapped alpha-particles. An extensive bibliography of published papers based on Injun V already exists.

Injun V was further operated from 19 February 1971 -- 7 June 1971 in collaboration with the Max Planck Institut für Stratasphaerenphysik, Lindau/Harz, Germany. The data from this secondary period are the subject of collaborative work.

On 9 August 1972, Injun V was commanded on successfully in response to a developing interest in conducting further work on
VLF radio transmission in the earth's ionosphere. The spacecraft was found to be in a good state-of-health and the VLF experiment was operating normally. Other experiments were not exercised in this brief test. The spacecraft has been in orbit for four years.

(NASA support for Injun V work terminates on 30 September 1972; continuing data reduction, analysis, and publication are being supported by ONR.)

[Van Allen, Frank, Gurnett, Ackerson, Randall, Shaw, Rodriguez, and supporting personnel at the University of Iowa; Krimigis and Verizariu at the Applied Physics Laboratory of Johns Hopkins University; Fennell at Aerospace Corporation; Sagalyn and Wildman at Air Force Cambridge Research Center; and Pfotzer, Rosenberg, and others at Max Planck Institut]

(b) Explorers 33 and 35

The in-flight operation of Explorer 33 was terminated on 1 November 1971 after 5 years 4 months in orbit.

Explorer 35 completed its fourth year in orbit around the moon in July 1972. The University of Iowa experiment on this spacecraft continues to function flawlessly, though progressive degradation in the S/C power supply now limits the duty cycle of useful data acquisition to about 45%. NASA has made a provisional commitment to continue in-flight operations, data acquisition, and orbit determination until 31 December 1972.

The body of data from Explorers 33 and 35 continues to be a valuable one for study of (a) solar protons, electrons, alpha particles, and $Z > 2$ nuclei, (b) particle bombardment of the moon and the production of short-lived radioisotopes in the lunar
surface material, (c) solar X rays and their effects on the
earth's ionosphere, (d) the magnetospheric tail, (e) shock waves
in the interplanetary medium, (f) access of solar particles into
the magnetosphere, and (g) the solar-cycle modulation of galactic
cosmic ray intensity.

(Data reduction, analysis, and publication since
1968 supported by ONR)

[Van Allen, Shawhan, Innanen, Oliven, Sentman,
Sarris, Spangler, Randall, and Sheats at University
of Iowa; Krimigis at Applied Physics Laboratory of
Johns Hopkins University; Armstrong at University
of Kansas; Venkatesan and Venkataraman at University
of Calgary]

(c) Explorer 43 (IMP-I)(1971-019A)

This spacecraft and two separate University of Iowa experi-
ments thereon continue to operate properly after some 18 months in
an eccentric earth-orbit.

(Support jointly by GSFC/NASA and ONR)

[Gurnett, Pfeiffer, Anderson, and Shaw on VLF
Radio Experiment]

[Frank, Yeager, Ketterer, and Callahan on Low
Energy Particle Experiment]

(d) Small Scientific Satellite (S³-A)

This GSFC/NASA satellite was launched at 05 h UT on
15 November 1971 from the San Marco launching facility (Italian)
off the coast of Kenya. The initial orbit had an inclination of
3.5°, a perigee altitude of about 200 km, a radial distance to
apogee of 5.23 R_E (earth radii), and a period of 7.79 hours.
The principal objective of this mission is to study the physics of magnetic storms. One of the instruments on board was developed by the VLF radio group at the University of Iowa in collaboration with corresponding groups at the University of Minnesota and the Goddard Space Flight Center. This instrument has performed properly throughout the mission, continuing at the present date. The data flow has been rather slow but a number of important new results on the plasmasphere of the earth have been obtained already. Part of the early telemetry acquisition was performed at the North Liberty Radio Observatory of the University of Iowa.

(Support by GSFC/NASA)

[Gurnett, Anderson, and Shaw]

(e) IMP-H and IMP-J

The launch of IMP-H is imminent at the date of writing. This GSFC/NASA satellite carries a system of University of Iowa low energy proton electron differential analyzers (LEPEDEA) for studying particle phenomena in the outer magnetosphere of the earth, including the magnetotail.

(Support by GSFC/NASA)

[Frank et al.]

The University of Iowa has both electrostatic analyzers and VLF radio receivers on IMP-J. The construction work is largely finished. Launch is tentatively scheduled for mid-1973.

(Support by GSFC/NASA)

[Frank et al. on electrostatic analyzers]

[Gurnett et al. on VLF radio receivers]
(f) **German American Solar Probe (Helios)**

VLF radio equipment is being built at the University of Iowa for this interplanetary spacecraft. One mission is now scheduled for launch in 1974 and the second in 1975. The planned solar orbit will make it possible to measure interplanetary (solar-wind) and solar generated radio emissions (10 Hz to 15 kHz) from 1.0 to 0.3 A.U. from the sun. The prototype apparatus has been completed and delivered.

(Support by GSFC/NASA)

[Gurnett, Pfeiffer, Odem, and Clark]

(g) **British-American Near Earth Satellite (UK-4)**

This satellite was launched on a 4-stage Scout vehicle from Vandenburg Air Force Base in California at 20:47 UT on 11 December 1971. The initial orbit had perigee altitude of 472 km, apogee altitude of 587 km, inclination of 85°, and period of 95.5 minutes. The data flow has been very slow and work has been done mainly with quick-look data from the University of Iowa experiment up to the present date.

Low energy particle measurements similar to those on Injun V are being made in this mission, with emphasis on the angular distributions in the auroral zone.

(Support by GSFC/NASA)

[Frank, Craven, Enemark, Ketterer, and Callahan]
Pioneers F and G (Asteroid/Jupiter Missions)

The first of these two missions began on 3 March 1972 with the successful launch of Pioneer F (= Pioneer 10) from Cape Kennedy.

This ARC/NASA spacecraft is intended to fly outwards from the earth, through the asteroid belt, and past the planet Jupiter at a closest distance of approach of 2.9 planetary radii. After encounter, it will continue on a trajectory such as to eventually escape from the solar system. The encounter date with Jupiter is 4 December 1973. It may be possible to receive useful telemetry for as long as ten years.

The University of Iowa experiment is designed to make an exploratory survey of the intensities, energy spectra, and distribution of energetic electrons and protons in the radiation belts of Jupiter; to study the interplanetary propagation of solar electrons and protons to large heliocentric radial distances; and to study the heliocentric radial dependence of galactic cosmic rays to great distances from the sun. The experiment is operating properly in all respects after some 200 days into the mission. Present distance from the sun exceeds 2.5 astronomical units. A good flow of quick-look data has been maintained, though the flow of final data has been rather slow. One paper on the heliocentric radial gradient of galactic cosmic ray intensity from 1.0 to 2.0 a.u. has been submitted and accepted for publication. Others are in progress.
The launch window for the second mission (Pioneer G) is 5-18 April 1973. University of Iowa flight and back-up units have been delivered and are awaiting launch. The mission objectives are similar to those of Pioneer 10. A number of targeting options at Jupiter are being considered. One possibility is to fly by Saturn about 20 months after the Jovian encounter.

(Support by Ames Research Center/NASA)

[Van Allen, R. Randall, Baker, Owens, Flindt, and Fluckey]

(i) **Hawkeye Satellite** (Formerly called Injun F)

The construction of Hawkeye is the major hardware project at the University of Iowa at the present date and will continue to be for another 18 months, or thereabouts. The spacecraft as well as two of the three scientific instruments are being designed, built, and tested at the University of Iowa. The third instrument -- the magnetometer -- is being purchased to our specifications. This mission is for the investigation of magnetospheric phenomena in the polar magnetosphere at large radial distances and in particular in the vicinity of the "neutral point" in the polar magnetic field.

The satellite will carry three basic scientific instruments for the investigation of the particles and the electric and magnetic fields associated with the earth's polar magnetosphere in the vicinity of the hypothetical magnetic neutral point.
(a) A four-range, three-axis Schonstedt flux-gate magnetometer to measure the vector magnetic field. (Presently planned full scale ranges on each axis are as follows: +100 gammas, ±600 gammas, ±3,000 gammas, and ±10,000 gammas -- selectable by ground command.)

(b) A Low-Energy Proton and Electron Differential Electrostatic Analyzer (LEPEDEA) to measure the differential energy spectra of protons and electrons, separately and simultaneously, over the energy range 4 eV to 40,000 eV for a wide range of intensities and the integral intensities of ≥40 keV electrons and/or >600 keV protons.

(c) An ELF-VLF Electric and Magnetic Fields apparatus to study the characteristics and origin of naturally occurring radio noises and plasma instabilities in the earth's polar magnetosphere and magnetosheath. The electric antenna (100 ft. tip-to-tip) and associated receiver depend on the successful experience with similar apparatus on Injun V and will operate over the frequency range 1 Hz to 30 kHz. The magnetic antenna (a search coil magnetometer) and its associated receiver cover the frequency range 1 Hz to 3 kHz.

Following extensive design studies beginning in late 1968, the construction contract for Hawkeye was awarded by Langley Research Center/NASA on 21 March 1972. The period of performance
is 30\frac{1}{2} months from 1 February 1972. Launch is planned for the first or second quarter of 1974.

(Support by Langley Research Center/NASA)

[Van Allen, Frank, Gurnett, Rogers, Enemark, Craven, Oliven, Randall, Clark, Brechwald, Jagnow, Luthey, et al.]

(j) Theory

Theoretical studies are continuing on the propagation of solar protons, alpha particles, and electrons in interplanetary space; on the emission of X rays and radio noise by the sun; on the generation and propagation of very low frequency radio waves in the magnetosphere and on the relationship of such waves to particle acceleration, diffusion, and precipitation; on shock waves in the interplanetary medium; and on the radiation belts of Jupiter and Saturn.

(Support by ONR and NASA)

[Gurnett, Shawhan, Taylor, Luthey, and Sarris]

(k) Solar Radio Noise

Solar radio noise at 1.95 cm is being observed routinely by a radiometer-polarimeter at the North Liberty Radio Observatory. Observations are also being made with the 60 ft dish at 136 MHz on a selected basis and with a 15 km baseline interferometer.

(Support by ONR)

[Shawhan, Chen, and Sarris]
(1) **Electron Density in the Solar Corona**

The occultation of the pulsar NP 0532 by the solar corona (closest approach of line of sight to center of the sun: 5 solar radii) has been observed in mid-June of four successive years 1969, 1970, 1971, and 1972 at the Arecibo Radio Observatory at three different radio frequencies (111.5, 196.5, and 430.0 MHz). The observations of dispersion measure as a function of time as the occultation proceeds yield absolute values of coronal electron density over the range 5 to 20 solar radii in an entirely new way and with much improved accuracy over existing values.

(Support by NASA)

[Rankin and Weisberg]

(m) **Spectro-Photometry of Planets**

A program of absolute spectro-photometry of the planets Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, Neptune, and Pluto and satellites of the major planets is underway, using the U. of Iowa 24" optical telescope. The object is to increase knowledge of the nature of their surfaces and atmospheres. The current work on Jupiter is of special interest to the space physics group.

(Support by NSF)

[Neff and Fix]
(n) **Very-Long-Base-Line Radio-Interferometry**

A program of VLBI observations is being developed at NLRO in collaboration with Iowa State University/Ames, NOAA/Boulder, GSFC, and the National Radio Observatory in Greenbank, W. Va. In contrast to most other VLBI experiments, a low frequency, 26.5 MHz, has been selected in order to study the dekametric emissions from Jupiter and the structure of the interplanetary plasma and to search for dekametric emissions from Saturn. A preliminary series of observations has been completed and is being reduced with the cooperation of GSFC.

(Support by NASA)

[Shawhan, Taylor, Cronyn, et al.]

(o) **Large Area Interferometer**

During the summer of 1972 the University of Iowa collaborated with NOAA/Boulder and GSFC in constructing the largest area radio interferometer in the northern hemisphere. Both area and angular resolution exceed those of the Arecibo facility. The array is located at Clark Lake, California. The operating frequency is 34 MHz. The construction will be completed in November 1972. Preliminary observations are already being obtained. The special objectives of this array are to study the propagation of solar wind streams through interplanetary space; to observe dekametric radio emissions from Jupiter; and to search for dekametric radio emissions from Saturn.

(Support by NASA, GSFC/NASA, and NOAA)

[Shawhan, Cronyn, et al.]
3. **Senior Academic Staff in Space Physics**

[July 1972]

Van Allen, James A., Professor of Physics and Head of
Department of Physics and Astronomy

Frank, Louis A., Professor of Physics

Gurnett, Donald A., Associate Professor of Physics
[Professor of Physics effective September 1972]

Shawhan, S. D., Assistant Professor of Physics

Craven, John D., Research Associate

Oliven, Melvin N., Research Associate

Rankin, John M., Research Associate

Luthey, Joe L., Research Associate

Ackerson, Kent L., Research Associate

Randall, Bruce A., Research Associate

Also in closely related work
(astronomy and plasma physics)

Montgomery, David C., Professor of Physics

Knorr, Georg, Associate Professor of Physics

Swift, Daniel F., Visiting Associate Professor of Physics
[September 1971 -- June 1972]

Joyce, Glenn R., Assistant Professor of Physics
[Associate Professor of Physics effective September 1972]

Neff, John S., Associate Professor of Astronomy

Fix, John D., Assistant Professor of Astronomy
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4. Senior Engineering and Administrative Staff
   [July 1972]

Enemark, Donald C., Research Assistant Professor of Physics
Brechwald, Robert L., Senior Computer Programmer and Systems Analyst
Rogers, John E., Project Manager
Robertson, Thomas D., Contracts Administrator
Anderson, Roger R., Research Physicist
Gabel, Ronald H., Research Engineer
Pfeiffer, G. William, Research Engineer
Yeager, David M., Research Physicist
Randall, Roger F., Research Engineer
Henry, Kaye, Drafting Shop Supervisor
Freund, Edmund A., Supervisor, Departmental Machine Shop
Robison, Evelyn D., Publications Supervisor
Swails, James K., Data Reduction Supervisor (to 8 September 1972)
Odem, Dan, Research Engineer
Kelso, James P., Data Reduction Supervisor (after 8 September 1972)
Dunlavy, D. David, Station Manager, North Liberty Radio Observatory
5. **Junior Academic Staff in Space Physics [July 1972]**

All of those listed below are graduate students, engaged in research in space physics.

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M.S. Degree


Emmanuel T. Sarris (August 1971), "Study of Solar Flares by the Satellites Explorers 33 and 35"

Ph.D. Degree

Kent Loy Ackerson (May 1972), "Observations of Charged Particle Precipitation Over the Auroral Zone During a Magnetic Substorm"

Charles P. Catalano (August 1971), "Height Distribution of Soft X-Ray Emission in the Solar Atmosphere"

William G. Innanen (May 1972), "Anisotropies in 0.3 MeV Solar Protons"

Bruce A. Randall (May 1972), "Time Variations of Magnetospheric Intensities of Outer Zone Protons, Alpha Particles and Ions (Z > 2)"
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