



Update on GNSS Performance Monitoring

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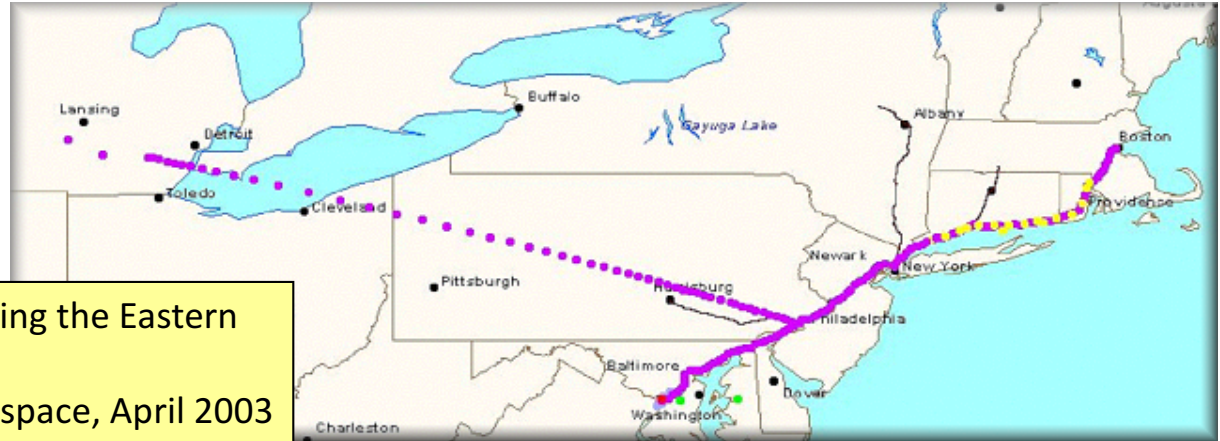


15 Years of JPL GPS Performance Monitoring for the Air Force



Initiated by Aerospace Corporation following the SVN 22 event of November 5, 2002

The active Rubidium clock on the Block IIA spacecraft experienced a frequency jump while the satellite was not monitored by the OCS for nearly 2 hours



GPS-based arrival-time system on a train traversing the Eastern seaboard saw extraordinary position errors.

Source: J. Langer, Aerospace, April 2003

The JPL GPS performance monitoring service was jointly developed by JPL and Aerospace, with input from the 2SOPS operators

- Funded in recent years by 2SOPS operational budget
- Continuously refined and augmented with additional capabilities
- Use tracking data from 80+ sites in the Global Differential GPS (GDGPS) network
- GDGPS real-time orbit and clock solutions are used as *Truth*

Monitor key performance metrics of the broadcast ephemeris and the navigation signals

- User range accuracy, due to broadcast or ranging signal
- Correctness of key broadcast parameters
- Satellite observability assessment
- 30 second latency



Snapshot of the GDGPS CNAV Monitoring Web Page



JPL's Performance Monitor of the GPS Broadcast Navigation Message:

[CNAV-L2](#)

Go To: [LNAV](#)

19 GPS in view (71 sites reporting)

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GPS Integrity Monitor: Table sorted by SVN

without auto-update ([Go to version with 30-sec auto-update](#))

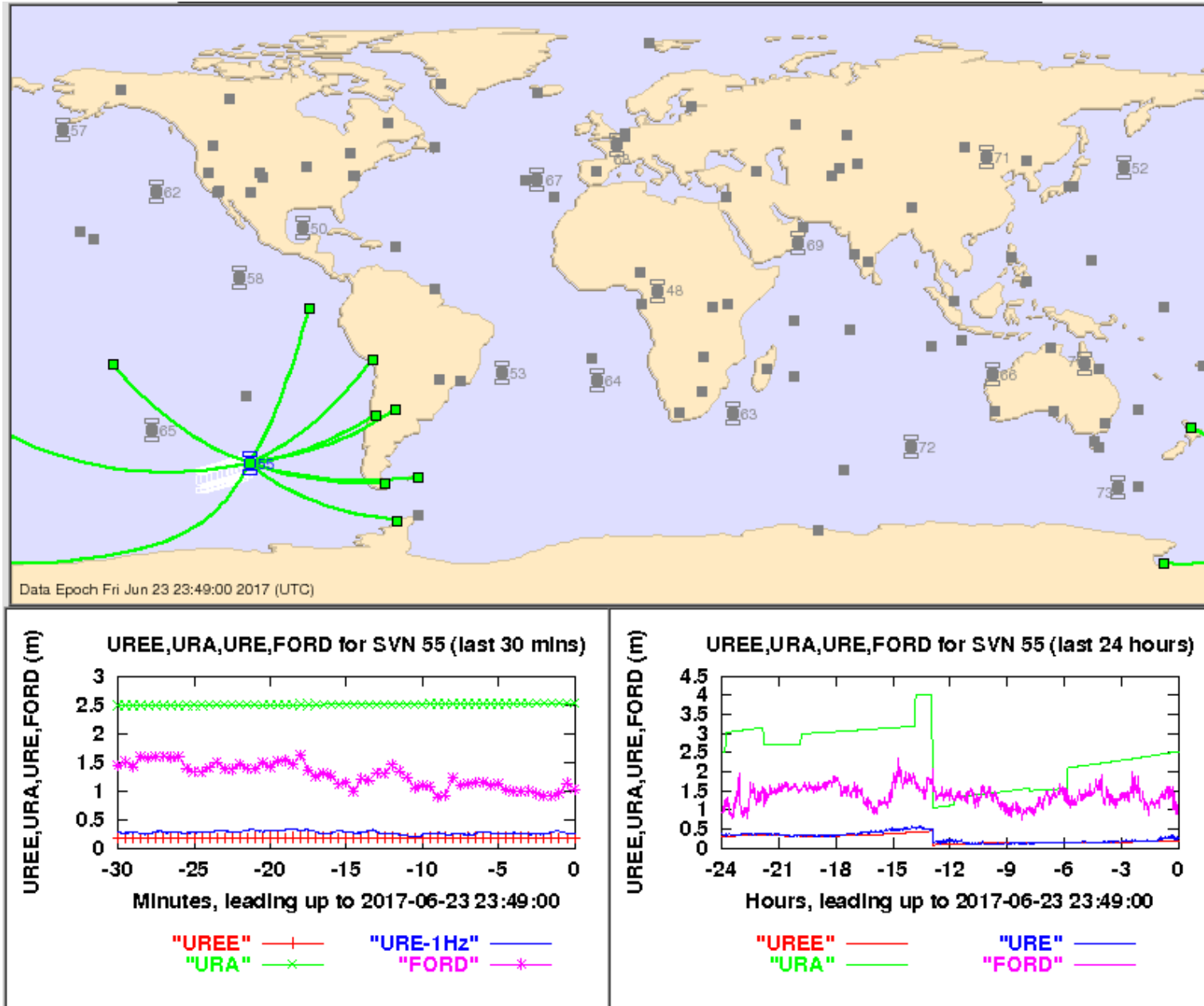
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48	7	A-4	IIR-M	0.21	1.41	3.44	0.06	0.23	-0.02	0.42	plot	0.03	0.872	17.0	41	12	29	0	13	17.0	0	0	1	48
50	5	E-3	IIR-M	0.47	1.15	2.48	0.19	0.28	-0.25	1.64	plot	0.03	0.916	12.5	26	24	0	2	14	12.5	0	0	1	50
52	31	A-2	IIR-M	0.52	3.18	2.75	0.19	0.17	-0.67	0.57	plot	0.03	0.905	14.2	56	27	29	0	19	14.2	0	0	1	52
53	17	C-4	IIR-M	1.20	1.93	2.27	0.53	0.41	-1.47	2.02	plot	0.03	0.912	11.2	22	21	0	1	17	11.2	0	0	1	53
55	15	F-2	IIR-M	0.39	0.95	2.38	0.16	0.17	-0.25	0.97	plot	0.04	0.912	11.2	41	12	29	0	8	11.2	0	0	1	55
57	29	C-1	IIR-M	0.78	1.96	2.48	0.31	0.21	-0.68	1.38	plot	0.03	0.916	12.5	20	20	0	0	16	12.5	0	0	1	57
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64	30	A-3	IIF	0.21	0.81	2.29	0.09	0.25	-0.33	1.11	plot	0.03	0.928	8.5	47	17	29	1	10	8.5	0	0	1	64
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70	32	F-1	IIF	0.26	3.58	4.23	0.06	0.20	-0.09	1.26	plot	0.03	0.944	24.0	46	17	29	0	16	24.0	0	0	1	70
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72	8	C-3	IIF	0.71	2.18	2.46	0.29	0.12	0.60	0.39	plot	0.03	0.928	8.5	44	15	29	0	10	8.5	0	0	1	72
73	10	E-2	IIF	0.18	2.71	4.23	0.04	0.13	-0.07	0.84	plot	0.03	0.944	24.0	42	13	29	0	10	24.0	0	0	1	73
SVN	PRN	Orbit	Block	URE	FORD	URA	URE/URA	UREE	CLK	RSS	RAC	SIGMA	dUTC	dtRef	Total	Good	Bad	Missing	BCE	AOD	L1	L2	L5	SVN

Recently-added capabilities:

- CNAV monitoring on L2 and L5
- UTC model (after the Jan 2016 event)
- Differential Code Biases monitoring
- GNSS time transfer parameters (in 2018)



Snapshot of the GDGPS CNAV Monitoring Web Page (contd.)



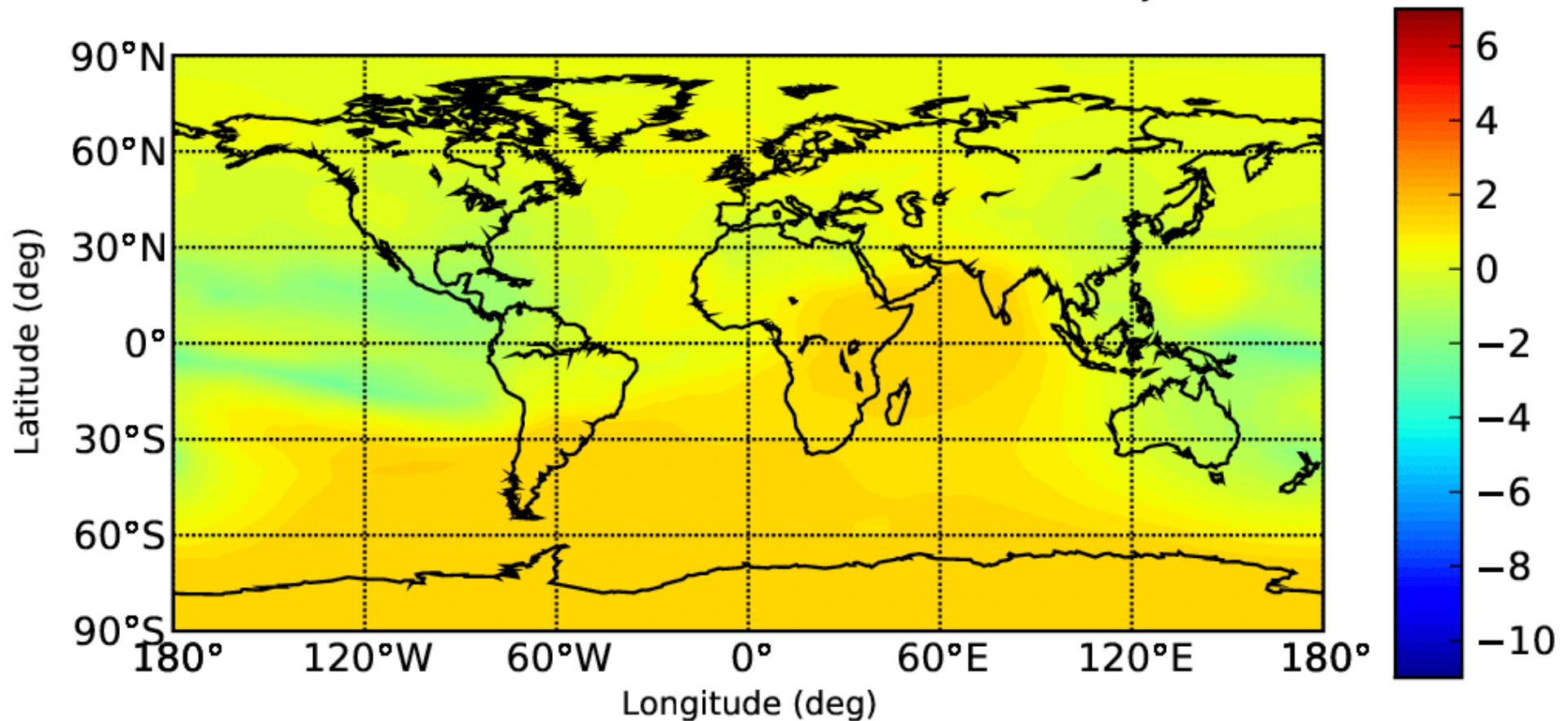


Monitoring in Support of Single-Frequency Users



Broadcast (Klobuchar) Ionosphere Monitor *Updated every 5 minutes*

Differenced Vertical Ionospheric Delay at 23-Jun-2017 23:55:00 UTC
GPS broadcast minus GDGPS in meters at L1 (Time of broadcast 23-Jun-2017 22:05:00)



Leveraging JPL's ionospheric expertise and dense global network



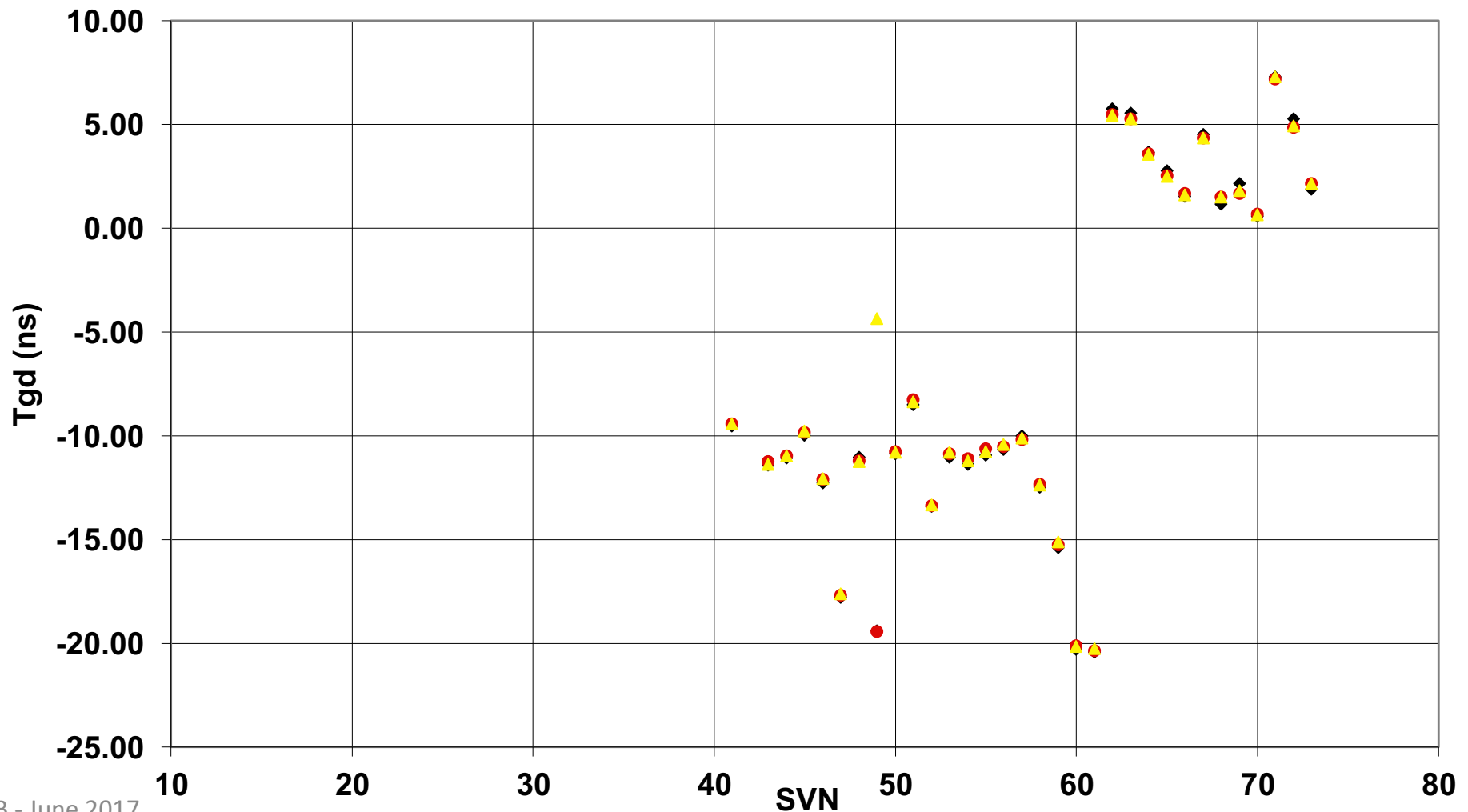
Monitoring *and* Upload of Inter-Frequency Biases



JPL's *Tgd* estimates are being broadcast by GPS; Updated quarterly and on change

Three *Tgd* Estimates

- ◆ JPL *Tgd* Estimate 2017/04 (ns)
- JPL *Tgd* Estimate 2017/01 (ns)
- ▲ Previous JPL *Tgd* Estimate 2016/10 (ns)





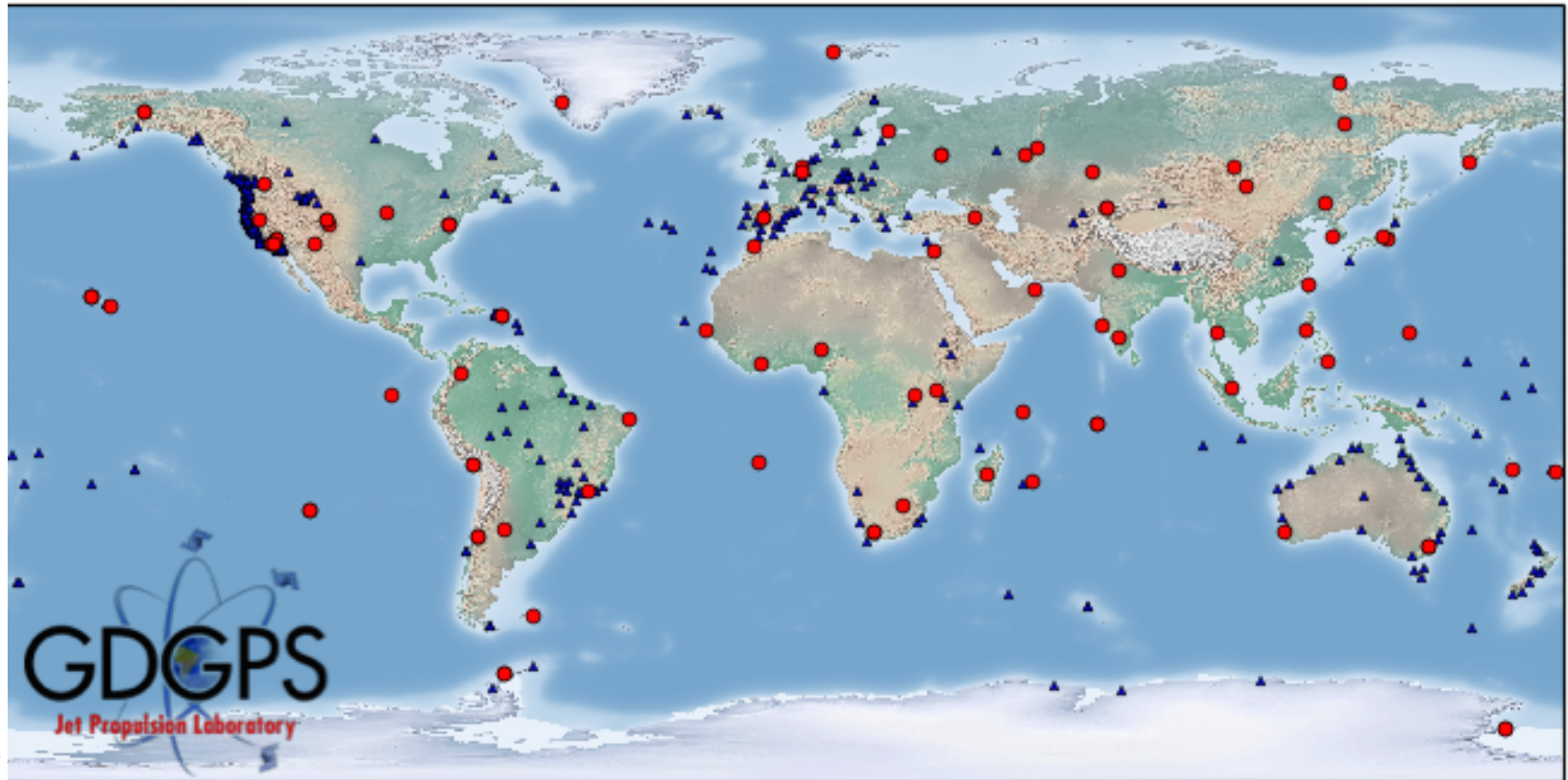
The Foundation: Extremely Redundant Global Real-Time Tracking Network



80+ global tracking sites deployed, controlled, operated, and maintained by JPL's GDGPS System

- Hardware and software fully owned and controlled by JPL
- Decades of site stability, quality, and continuity
- **25-fold** observation redundancy, on average, enable strong majority voting schemes

Hundreds of contributed sites operated by a variety of partners, U.S. and foreign agencies (e.g., NSF, BKG, GA) provide additional level of redundancy and density of coverage





CSM, Once Again



JPL already monitors and reports all the key navigation metrics of the GPS civil signals

JPL already possesses all the data needed to verify 90% of the Civil Monitoring Performance Specifications (CMPS)

JPL proposed to monitor 98% of the CMPS within a year

- Leveraging the significant NASA and USAF investment in the GDGPS System
- PNT AB recommended using the cost-effective GDGPS system for CSM (Parkinson, 2013)
- The proposal was analyzed by the FAA 2014 CSM Trade Study Team and found attractive

recommendations are:

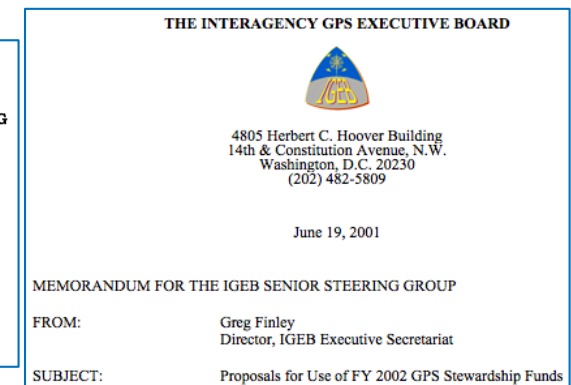
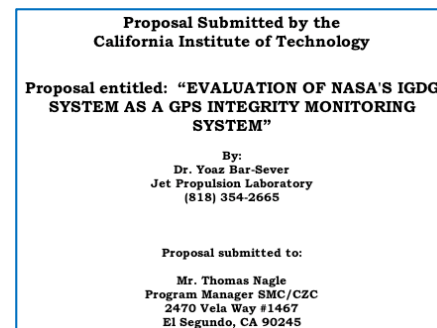
1. Submit a request for proposal to Raytheon for buying P1-P2 with an option for P3 requirements
2. Submit a request for proposal to NASA JPL for buying and maintaining the Non-OCX element with SQM monitoring
3. The civil community should engage with Air Force Space Command to establish operational procedures for GPS control of signals used by the civil community that utilize increasing amounts of Non-OCX monitoring information over time.

GPS Civil Signal Monitoring Trade Study Report
DOT-VNTSC-FAA-14-06
March 7, 2014

Refined proposal (worked with FAA) submitted to FAA in October 2015. Then silence.

We could have had CSM 15 years ago!

YEB - June 2017





Real-Time GNSS Performance Monitoring Available now



GDGPS is monitoring the civil signals from GLONASS, BeiDou, and Galileo. Soon, QZSS

- IRNSS monitoring is being assessed
- 100% redundant global coverage

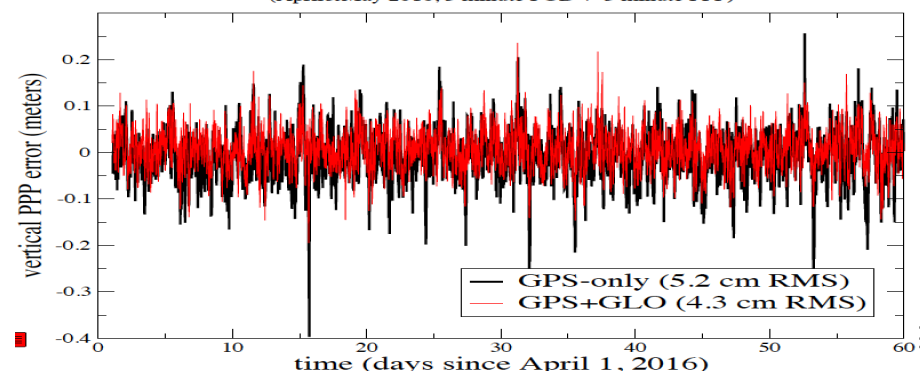
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103	3	GEO-1		1.77	3.84	4.00	0.44	1.07	-0.71	2.27	plot	0.03	29	22	3
104	4	GEO-1		2.69	2.87	4.00	0.67	0.82	-2.41	5.79	plot	0.03	29	20	3
105	5	GEO-1		1.41	2.42	4.00	0.35	0.78	1.75	4.45	plot	0.03	19	13	2
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201	6	IGSO-1		2.00	3.09	4.00	0.50	0.17	-1.95	1.18	plot	0.03	25	17	1
202	7	IGSO-1		4.16	5.98	4.00	1.04	2.52	-6.68	2.64	plot	0.03	26	19	2
203	8	IGSO-1		2.20	3.98	4.00	0.55	3.45	-5.63	3.75	plot	0.04	23	15	3
204	9	IGSO-1		2.04	1.81	4.00	0.51	0.86	1.19	1.54	plot	0.03	22	18	1
205	10	IGSO-1		3.53	3.83	4.00	0.88	3.46	0.08	3.49	plot	0.03	26	21	3
208	13	IGSO-1		14.28	12.91	4.00	3.57	3.68	10.60	3.76	plot	0.04	24	17	3
303	11	MEO-1		3.45	2.57	4.00	0.86	1.36	2.12	2.58	plot	0.04	20	12	2
304	12	MEO-1		3.49	3.08	4.00	0.87	0.99	2.60	3.71	plot	0.04	14	11	2
306	14	MEO-1		1.85	1.84	4.00	0.46	1.53	0.32	1.57	plot	0.03	28	21	3
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Full RTGX-based development server processing GLO broadcast															
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732	23	M		1.34	3.71	99.00	0.01	0.34	1.13	2.06	plot	0.03	13	10	1
733	6	M		1.21	3.01	99.00	0.01	0.75	0.47	1.69	plot	0.03	14	10	1
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747	2	M		4.31	1.85	99.00	0.04	0.80	3.52	1.44	plot	0.02	22	13	1
802	9	K1		2.48	3.65	99.00	0.03	0.76	-3.04	3.42	plot	0.03	23	19	4
851	17	M		2.49	2.45	99.00	0.03	0.76	-3.08	3.11	plot	0.02	24	22	2
853	11	M		0.51	2.32	99.00	0.01	0.56	-0.05	0.96	plot	0.03	15	14	1
854	18	M		2.90	2.88	99.00	0.03	0.52	2.38	0.72	plot	0.02	26	22	4
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(April&May 2016, 5 minute POD / 5 minute PPP)

High accuracy real time orbit and clock solutions provide some benefits relative to GPS-only in certain applications

- e.g. Earthquake monitoring:





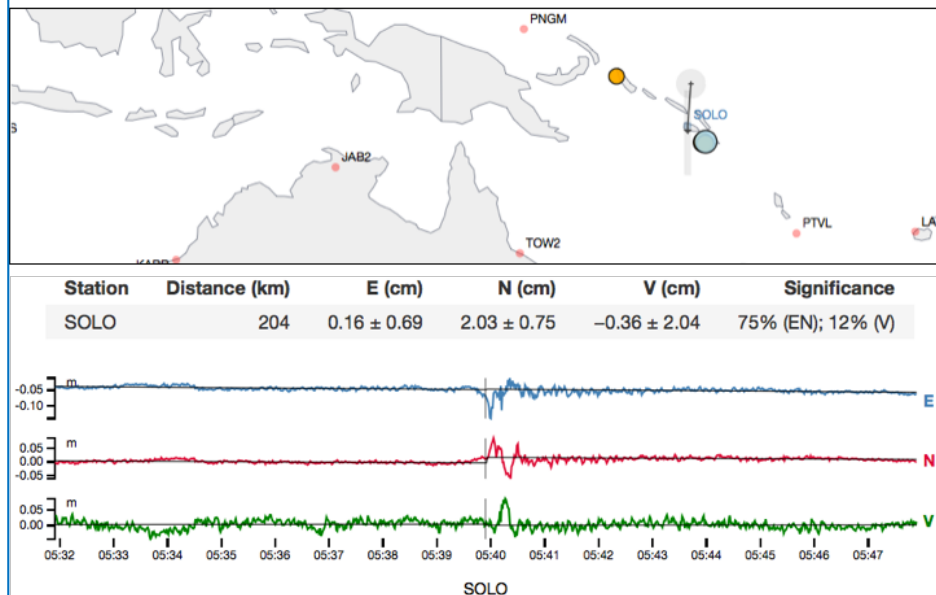
GDGPS Real-Time Natural Hazard Monitoring



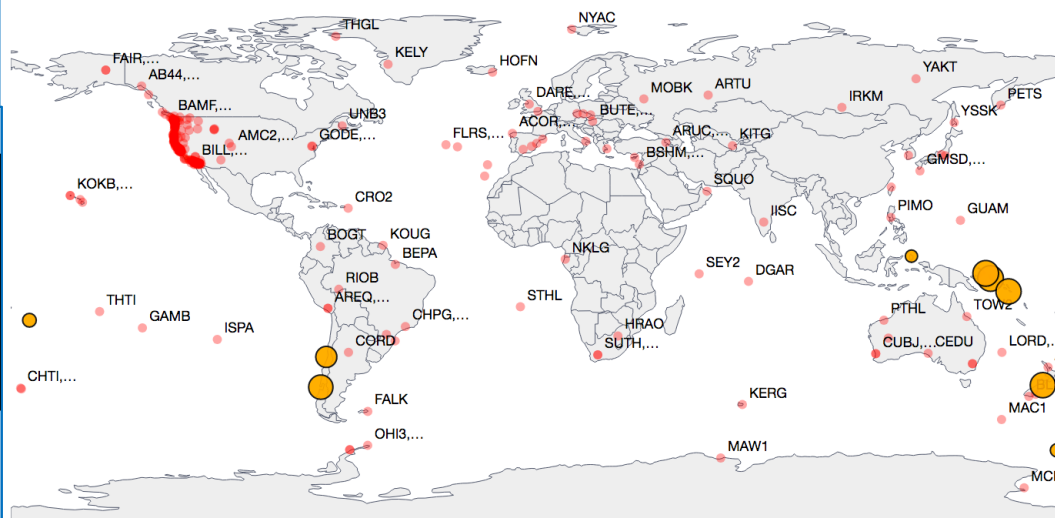
Displacement monitoring for 200+ sites at

<https://ga.gdgps.net>

Solomon Island M7.8 earthquake, Dec 8, 2016

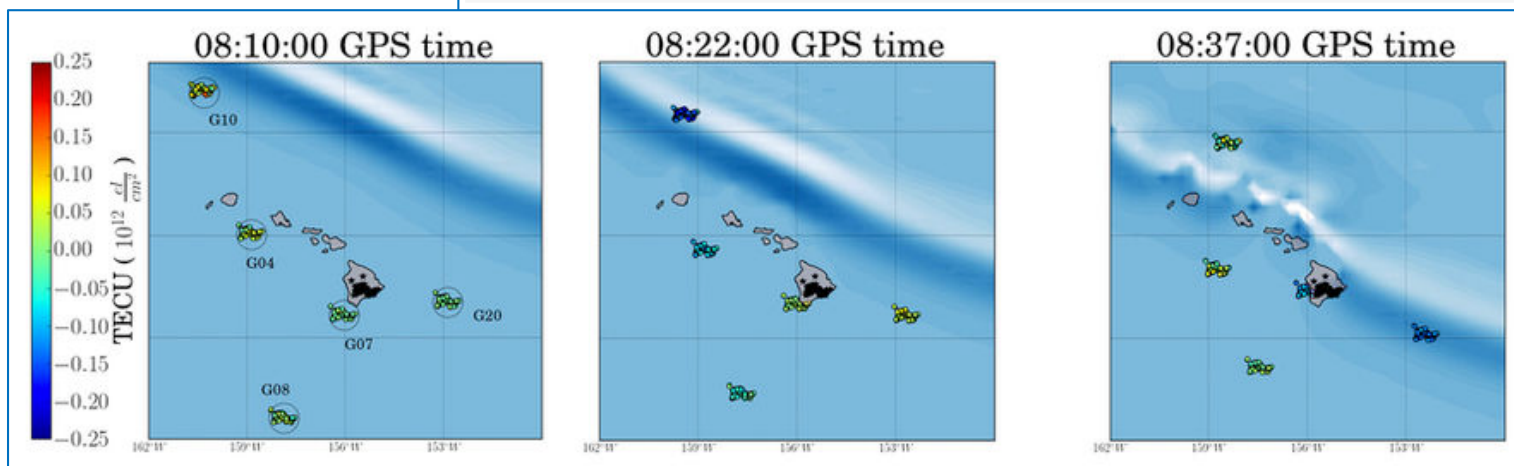


Zoom with mousewheel, pan with mouse; click on quakes (yellow dots) to visualize displacements at nearby stations.



Magnitude	Place	Time	ID
5	39km SSE of Tobelo, Indonesia	Wed, 26 Apr 2017 04:52:02 GMT	us10008kxh
5.2	282km NNW of Scott Island Bank, Antarctica	Tue, 25 Apr 2017 21:20:27 GMT	us10008kv0
5.3	112km SE of Pangai, Tonga	Tue, 25 Apr 2017 14:35:14 GMT	us10008kp9

Real-Time detection of tsunami ionospheric disturbances with GNSS ground tracking
(Savastano et al., Nature, 2017)





Conclusions



Existing and proven GDGPS tracking networks, technologies, and operational capabilities can provide effective and low cost GPS civil signal monitoring

JPL's GDGPS System already tracks and monitors GLONASS, BeiDou, and Galileo on a global scale

- Can be used to alleviate concerns in the U.S. about incorporating GNSS signals into certain regulated services, such as E-911 geolocation
- The system is already being used commercially to provide Assisted GNSS services to millions of mobile users

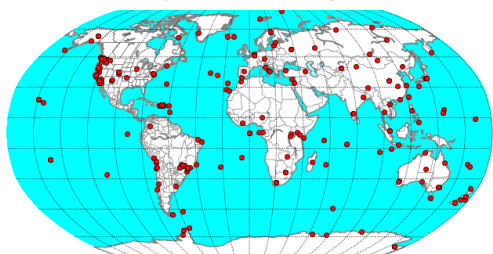


The Global Differential GPS (GDGPS) System

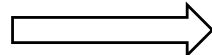
Providing mission-critical, real-time services, 24/7, since 2000

Full GNSS capabilities: GPS, GLONASS, BeiDou, Galileo

Real-Time Tracking Network
(200+ sites)



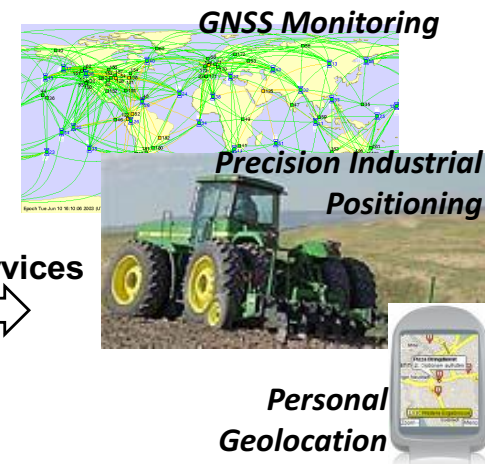
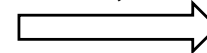
Measurements



Triple Hot Redundant Operation Centers



Products, Services



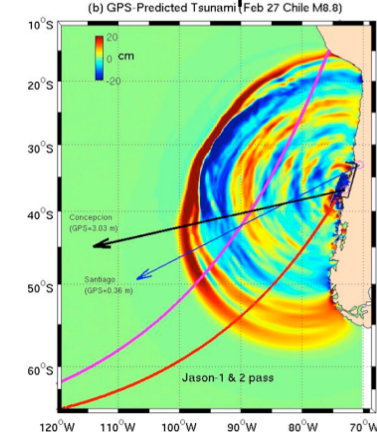
Prototype system and testbed for Next Generation GPS Control Segment (OCX)

Time-critical environmental monitoring services

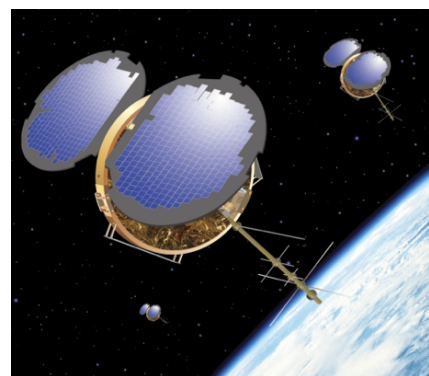
Repeat path interferometry
with UAV-SAR



Earthquake monitoring
and tsunami prediction



GNSS navigation data for
Radio Occultations



Space weather monitoring

