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OCTAVE VLF/LF 帯標準電波で観測された高エネルギー電子降下の兆候

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Signatures of energetic electron precipitation observed with OCTAVE VLF/LF transmitter signals

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Ultra low frequency (ULF, <5 Hz) -modulated energetic electron precipitation (EEP, 100 keV to 1 MeV) occurs during substorms in the Athabasca sub-auroral zone (Miyashita et al., 2018), and that ULF-modulated EEP also occurred by low-ering of mirror point during geomagnetically quiet time (Brito et al., 2012; Tanaka et al., 2022). However, the underlying mechanism remains unclear. In this study, we investigate oscillations in amplitude and phase of very low frequency (VLF, 3 – 30 kHz) and low frequency (LF, 30 – 300 kHz) transmitter signals due to EEPs. The aim is to elucidate their generation mechanisms by comparing with ground-based magnetic field data and ionospheric plasma dynamics observed by the Super Dual Auroral Radar Network (SuperDARN) HF radar. We investigated an EEP event that occurred during the recovery phase of a geomagnetic storm on May 29, 2017. VLF/LF amplitude oscillations with periods of 3 – 4 minutes were observed on multiple propagation paths over North America. In particular, anti-phase variations were found between the NDK (the frequency of transmitter: 25.2 kHz) – Athabasca (ATH) and WWVB (60.0 kHz) – ATH paths. Furthermore, SuperDARN observations showed significant Doppler velocity perturbations to the east of ATH, accompanied by moving echoes detected across multiple beams. Further details will be discussed in the session.