

RealPEP Phase 2: C1 Infrastructure

Current Status

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QA: Corrected Moments (Recap)

1. Signal processor overflow
2. radar status analysis
3. application of threshold filters to reflectivity
4. application of threshold filters to radial velocity
5. smooth parts of phidp filter
6. speckle filter PHIDPCorr
7. manual calculation of KDP
8. spectral width rotation correction
9. spoke detection reflectivity
10. dual prf unfolding
11. spoke detection radial velocity
12. sun spoke marking
13. corrupt image via range normalization
14. ring detection reflectivity
15. ring detection radial velocity
16. RadarQS single sweep algorithms
17. RadarQS volume algorithms
18. dual prf unfolding error correction
19. clutter detection polarimetric
20. second trip removal
21. ZDR filter
22. shielding correction
23. polarimetric attenuation correction
24. single-pol. attenuation correction
25. speckle filter reflectivity
26. speckle filter differential reflectivity
27. speckle radial velocity
28. speckle KDP
29. VERIFICATION: counter of moment data, qa bit counter, qa detection monitor

PHIDPCorr

ZhCorr, ZvCorr

SecondTripCorrZhCorr,
SecondTripCorrZvCorr

ZDRCorr

AttBiasZDRCorr, AttBiasZhCorr,
AttBiasZvCorr, SpecAttH, SpecAttV, DiffAtt

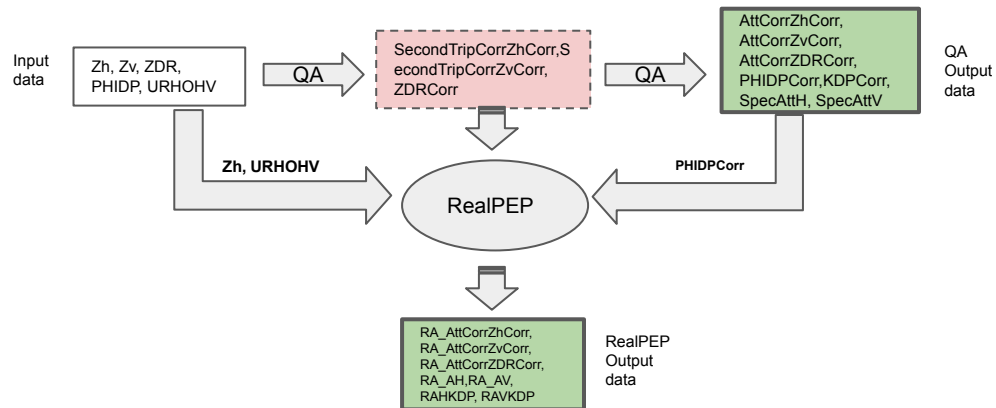
AttCorrZhCorr, AttCorrZvCorr

AttCorrZDRCorr

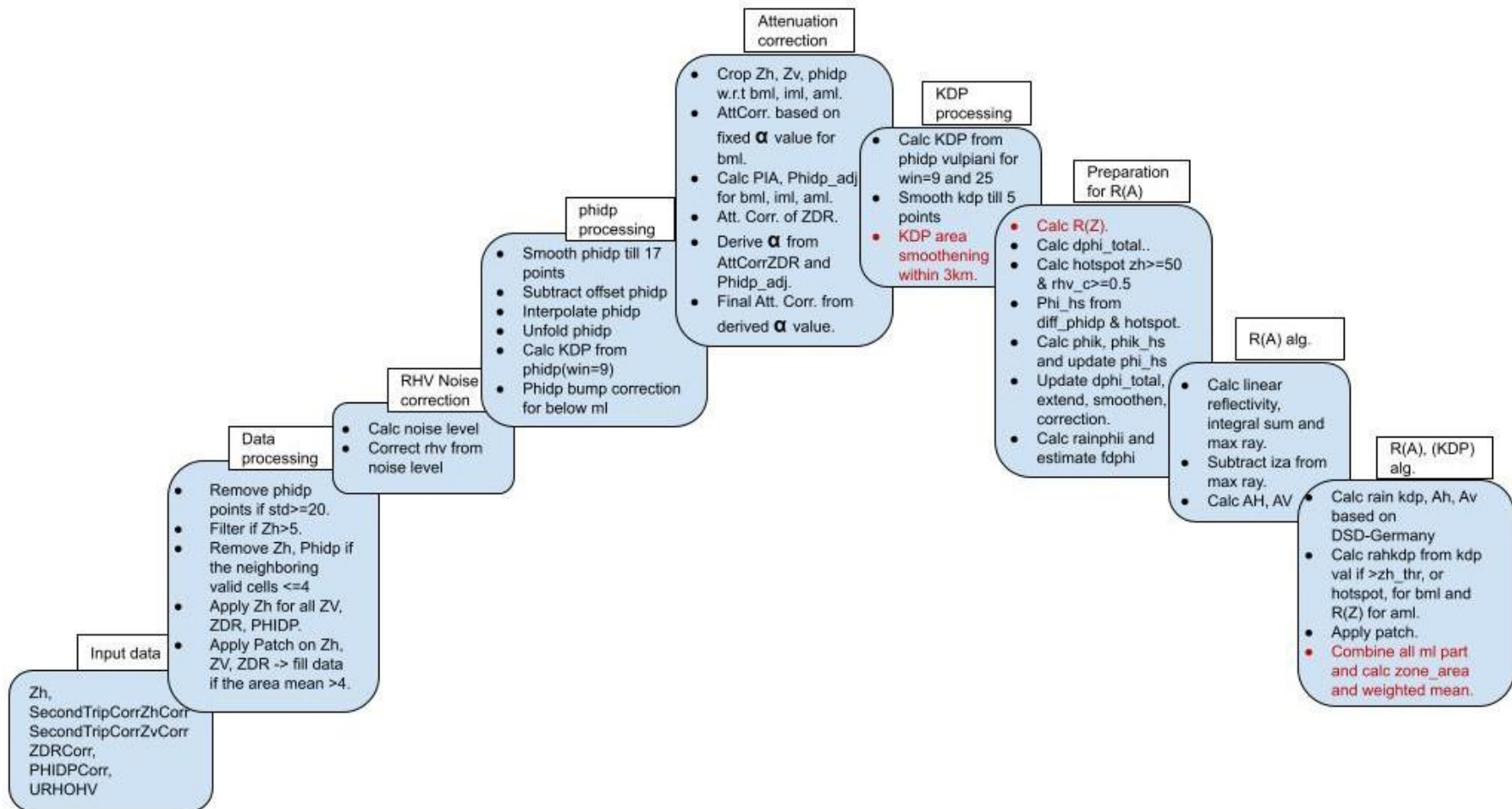
VhCorr, VvCorr

KDPCorr

Realpep: Workflow of Moment data

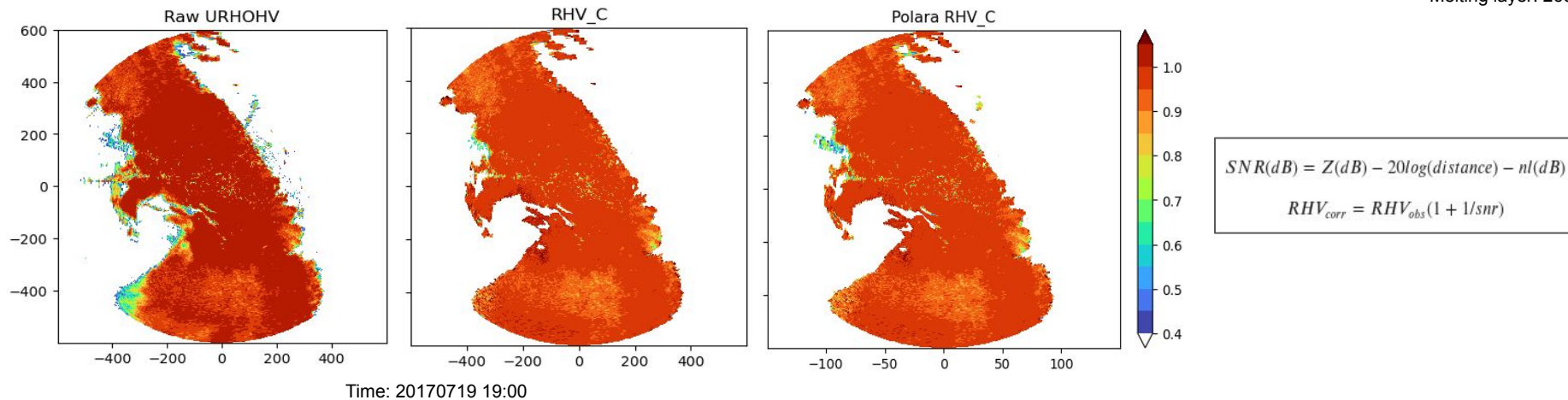


POLARA: Realpep(QPE) workflow

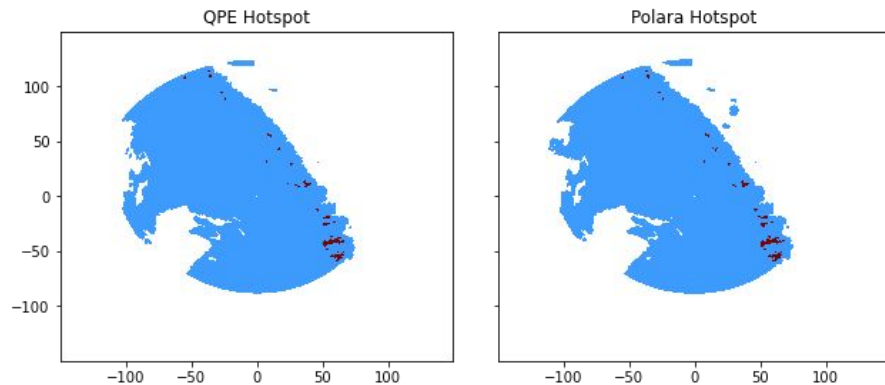


RHV Noise Correction: QPE Vs Polara

Radar: HNR
Melting layer: 2600 m

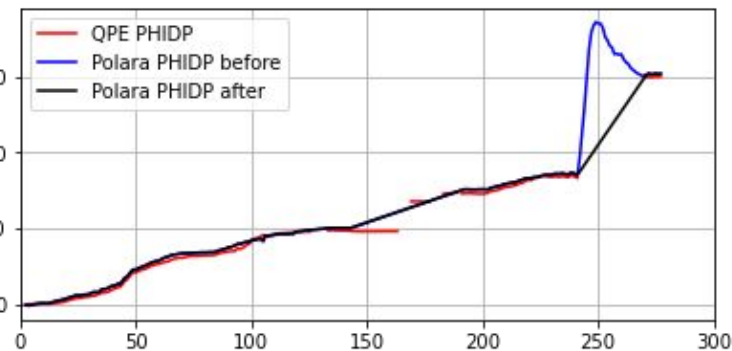


Hotspot and valid areas (Ryzhkov et al. (2007))



$Z_h \geq 50$ and $RHV_C \geq 0.5$

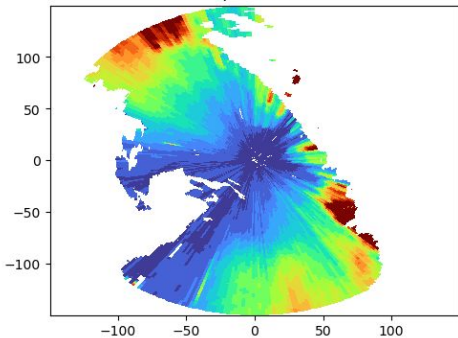
PHIDP Bump correction



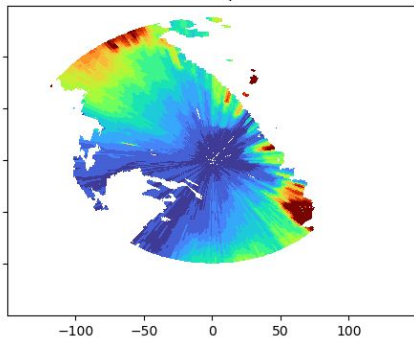
PHIDP processing for Att. Corr.

Radar: HNR
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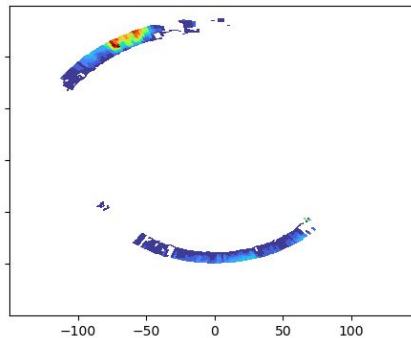
Input PHIDP



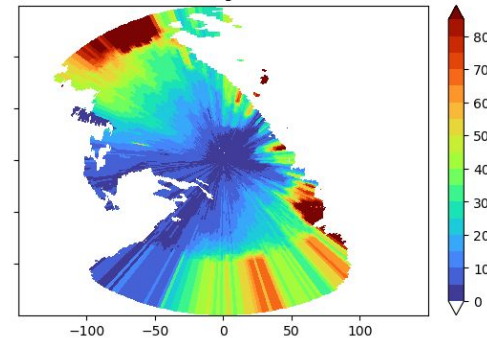
PHIDP below top of the ML



2 * DPHI within ML

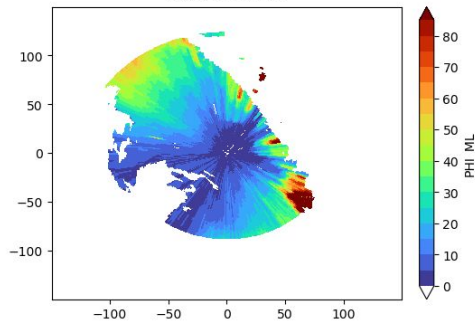


Resulting PHIDP

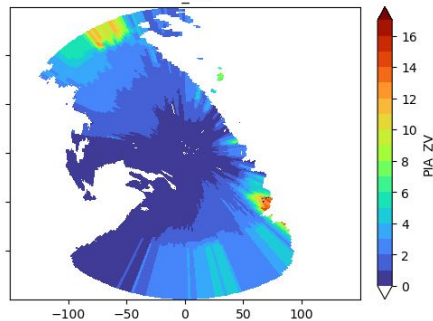


- Calculate AttCorrZDR with resulting PHIDP and beta
- Derive α
- Calculate AttCorrZh and AttCorrZV

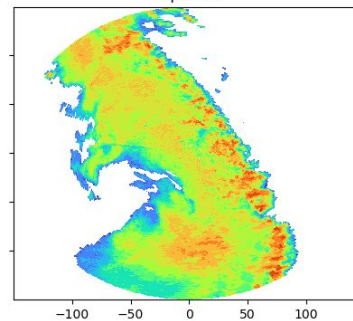
PHIDP Below ML



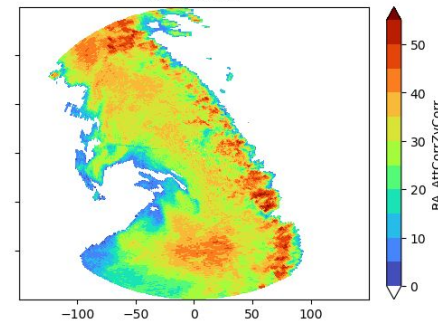
PIA_ZH



Input ZH



Att. Corr. ZH



$$PIA = \Delta\phi_{DP}\alpha$$

$$PIA += 3 * DPHI_IML * 0.0927$$

$$ZH$$

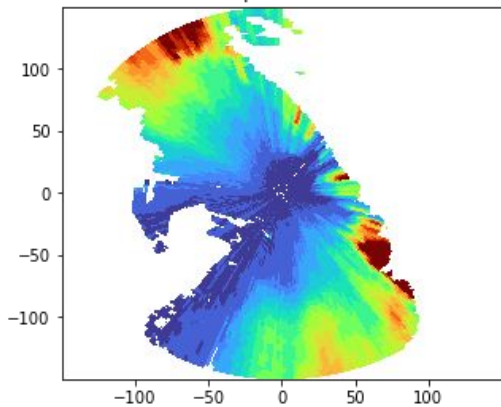
$$AttCorrZH = ZH + PIA$$

PHIDP & KDP: QPE Vs Polara

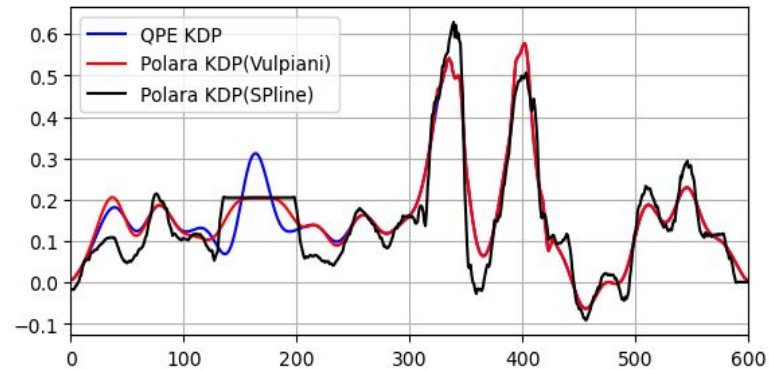
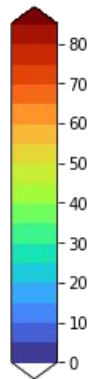
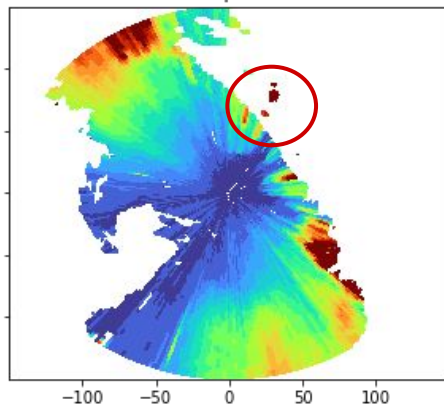
● **Echo's** are visible in Polara

Radar: HNR
Melting layer: 2600 m
Time: 20170719 19:00

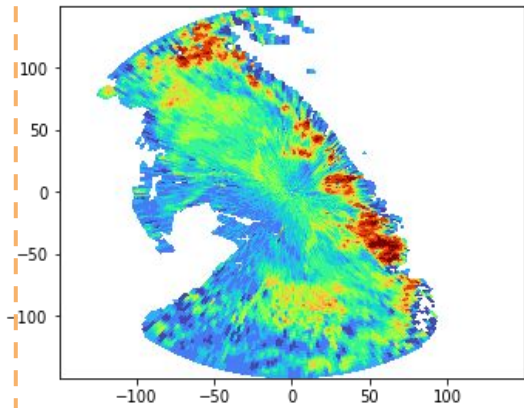
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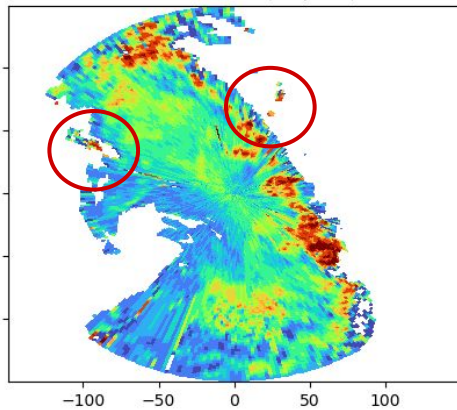
Polara Input PHIDP



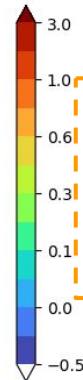
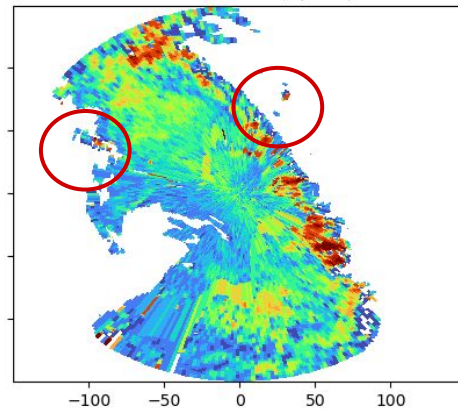
KDP from PHIDP



KDP from PHIDP(Vulpiani)



KDP from PHIDP(Spline)



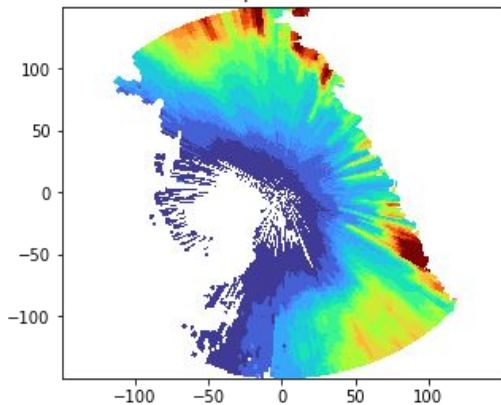
- Estimate KDP_L(win=9)
- Estimate KDP_H(win=25)
- If AttCorrZh<40: KDP_L = KDP_H
- Smoothen KDP_L

PHIDP & KDP: QPE Vs Polara

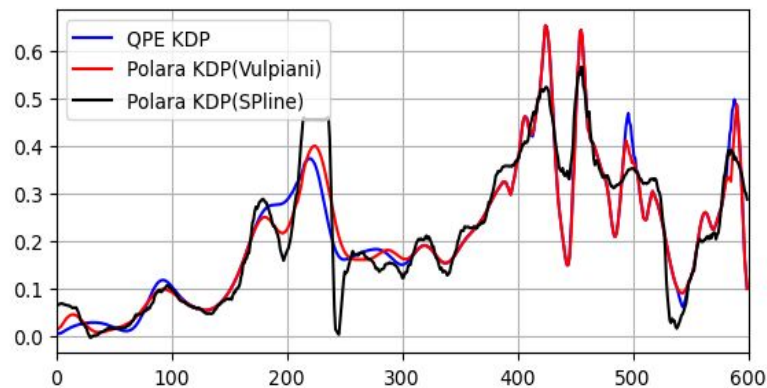
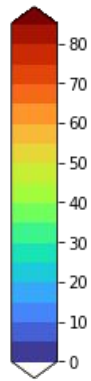
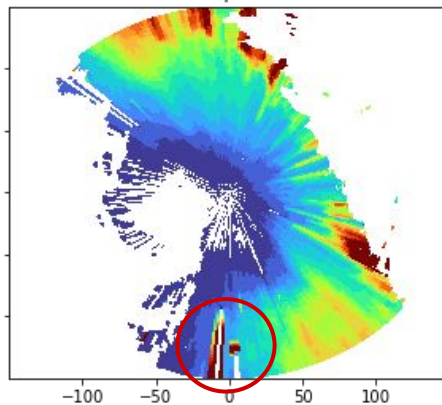
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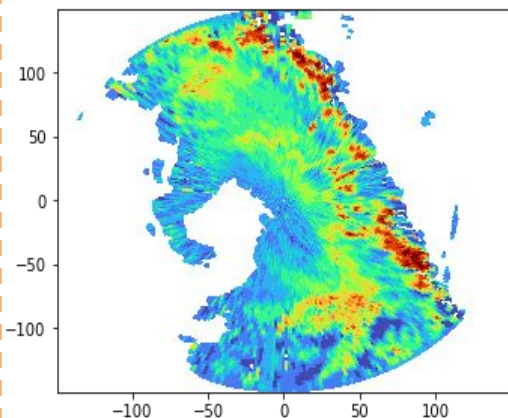
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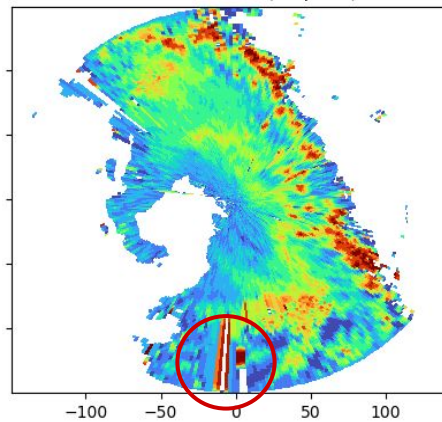
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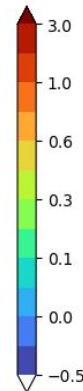
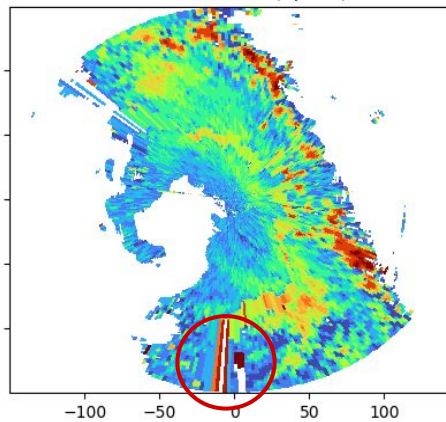
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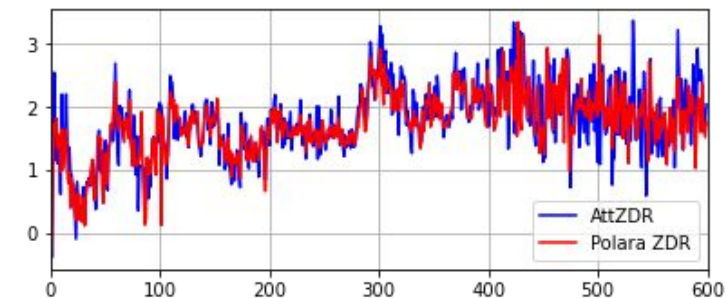
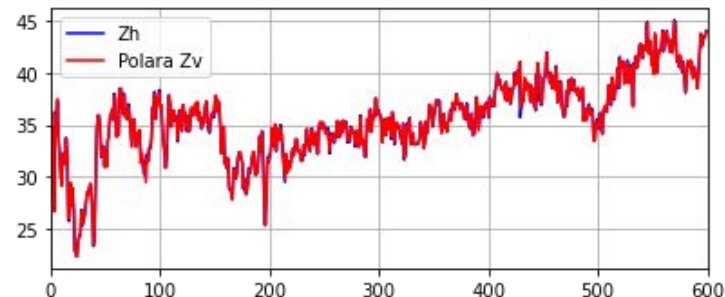
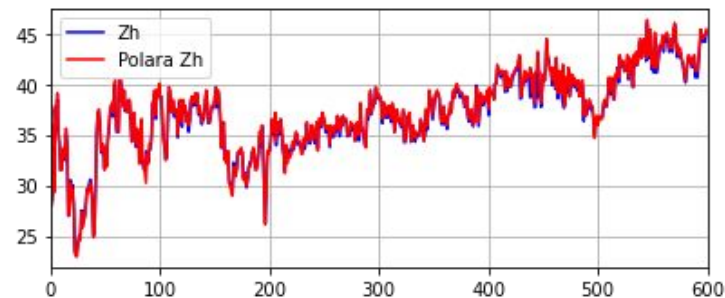
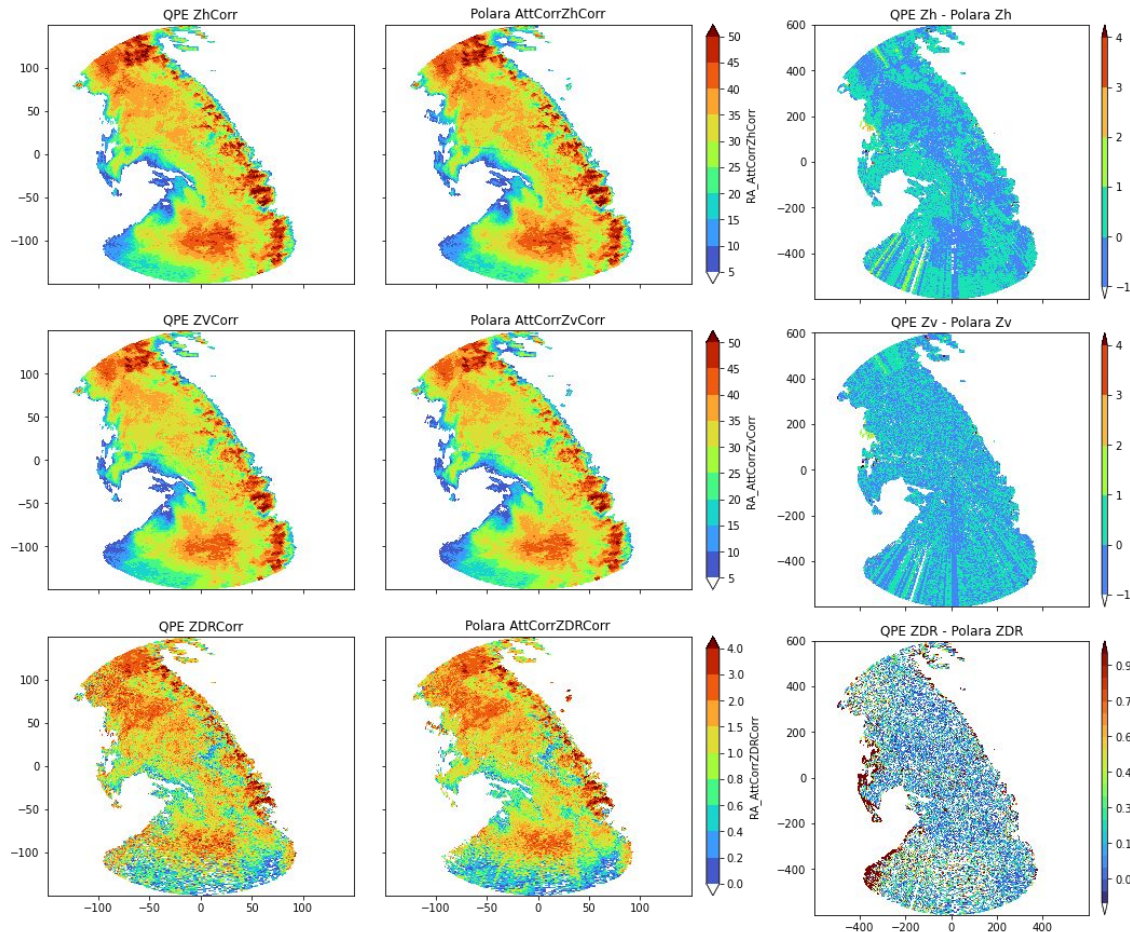
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Radar: HNR

Melting layer: 2600 m



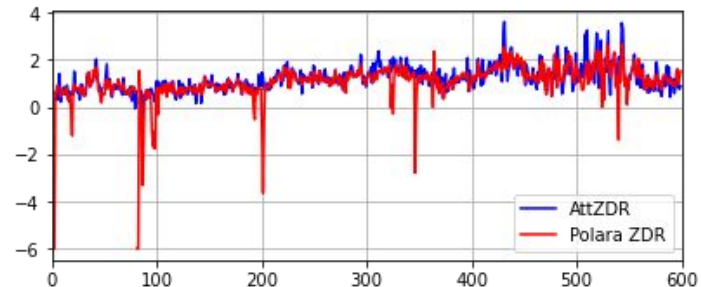
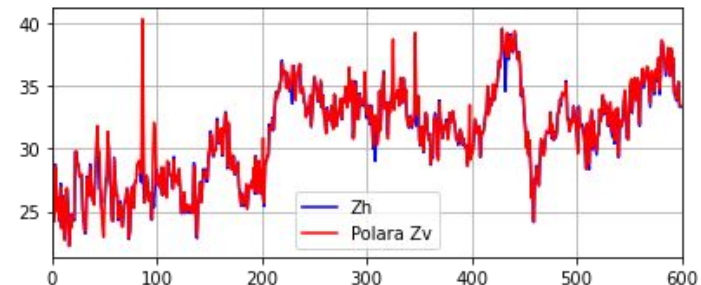
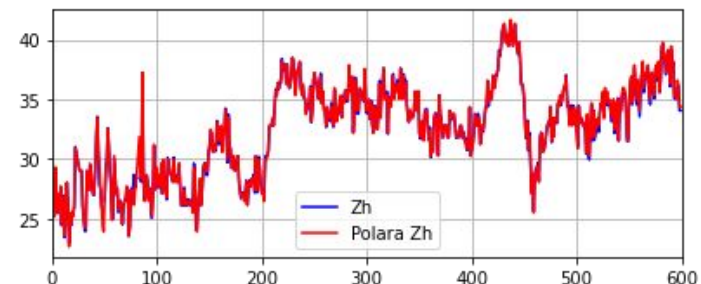
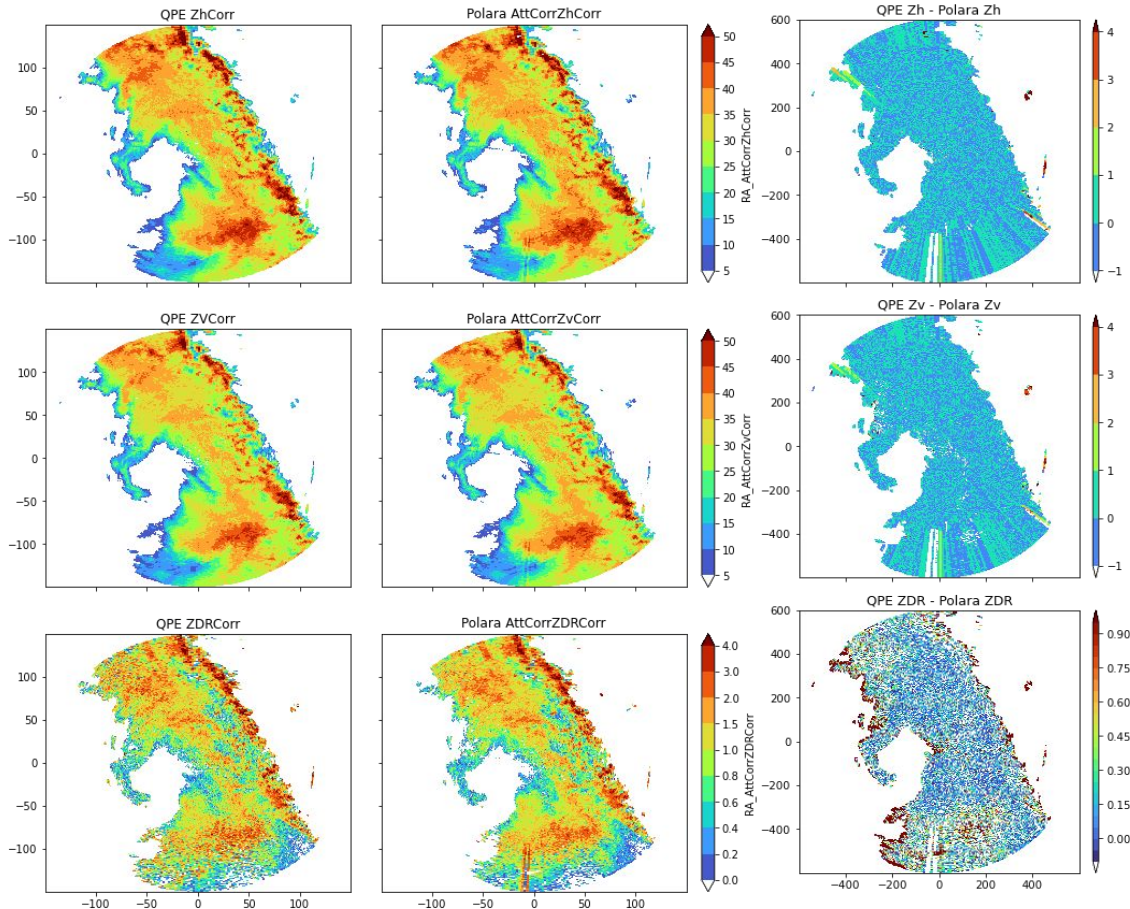
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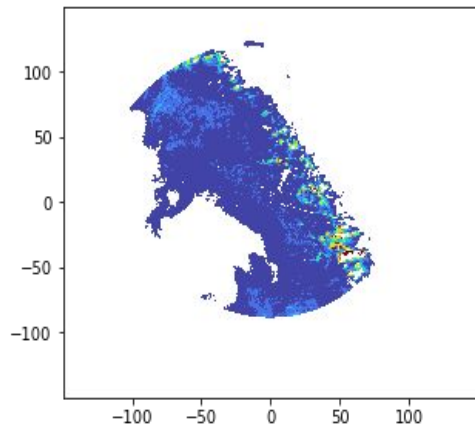
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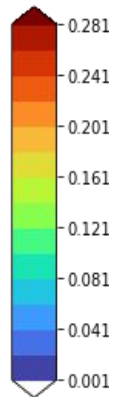
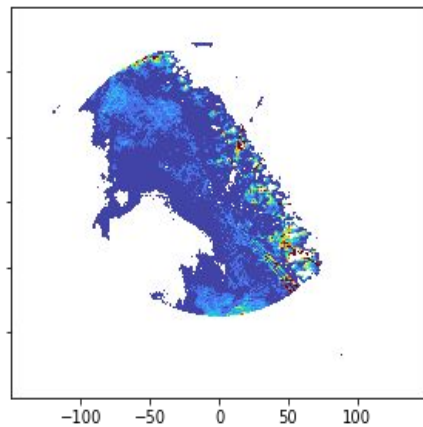
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AH: R(A)



Polara AH: R(A)

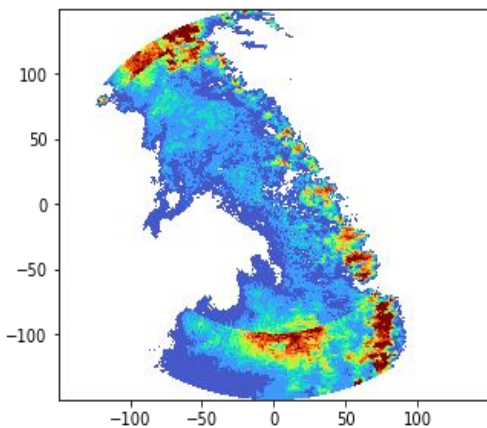


$$f \Delta \phi_{DP} = 10^{0.1 \cdot b \cdot PIA} - 1$$

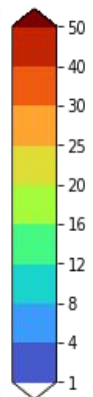
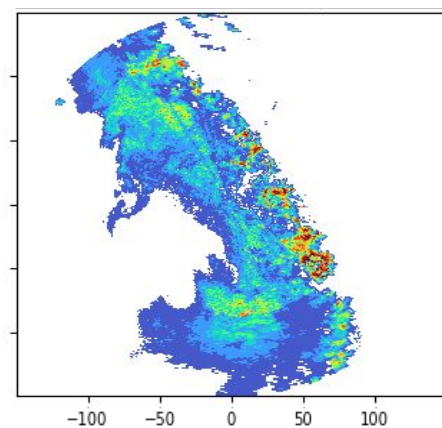
$$A_{H|V}(r) = \frac{[Z_a(r)]^b}{0.46b \int_{r_1}^{r_2} [Z_a(s)]^b ds / f(\Delta \phi_{DP}) + 0.46b \int_{r_1}^{r_2} [Z_a(s)]^b ds}$$



RAHKDP



Polara RAHKDP



$$RKDP = 20.4 * KDP^{0.75}$$

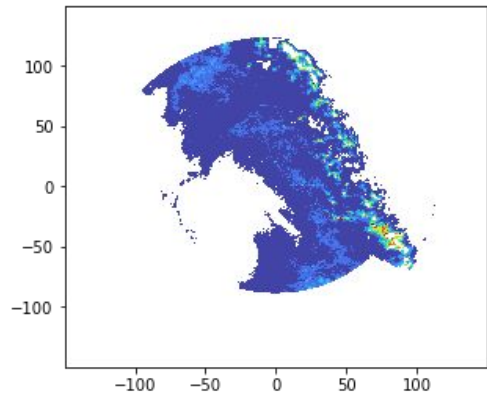
$$R_{AH,KDP} = 307 * A_H^{0.92}$$

$$R_{AV,KDP} = 452 * A_V^{0.98}$$

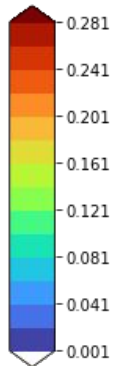
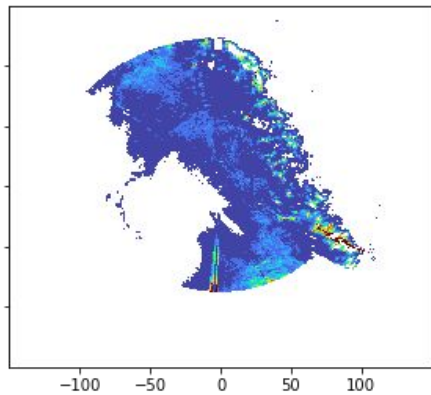
$$R(Z) = 0.052 * Z^{0.57}$$



AH: R(A)



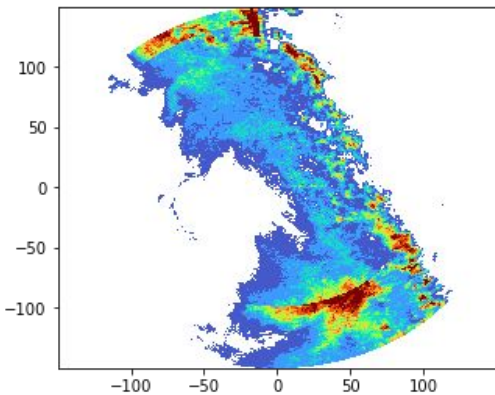
Polara AH: R(A)



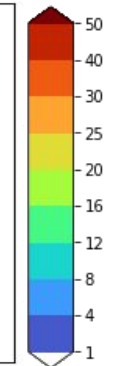
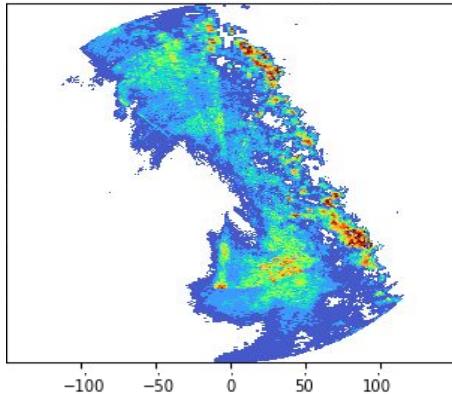
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Future Work

- Need to improve Second trip echo problem in Polara.
- Complete QPE Alg. implementation.
- QPF implementation in POLARA.
- Deploy QPN Alg. into POLARA.
- Execute full QPE, QPF, QPN with 4 months data.
- Update Nowcasting Alg. with PredRNN.

Thank you for listening ...