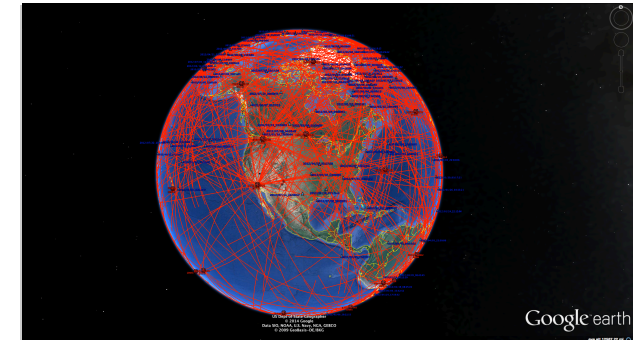
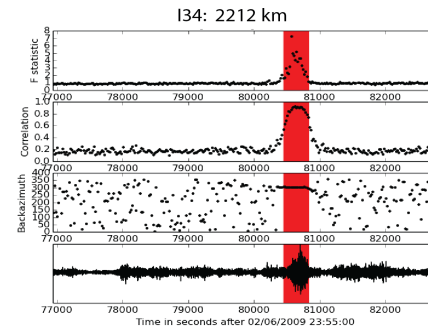
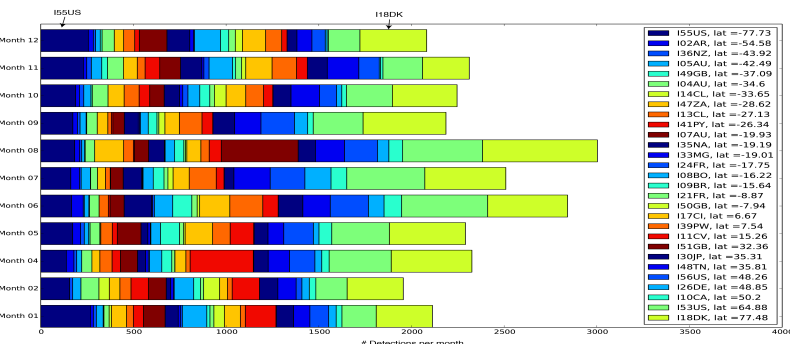


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Preliminary Results from InfraPy: a Python-based Infrasound Detection, Association, and Location Suite for IMS Infrasound Array Processing

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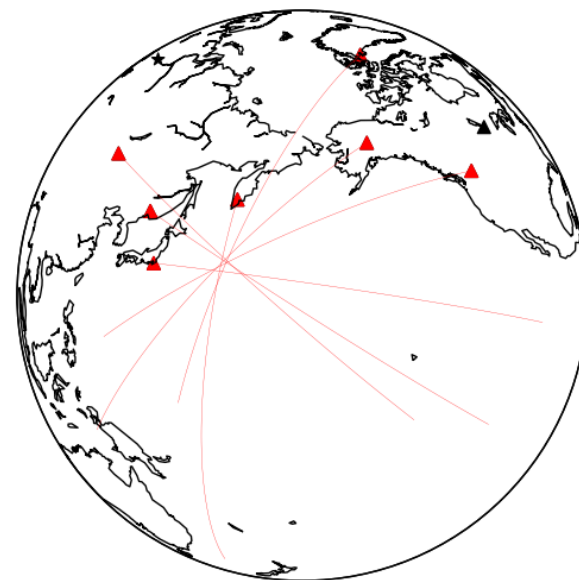
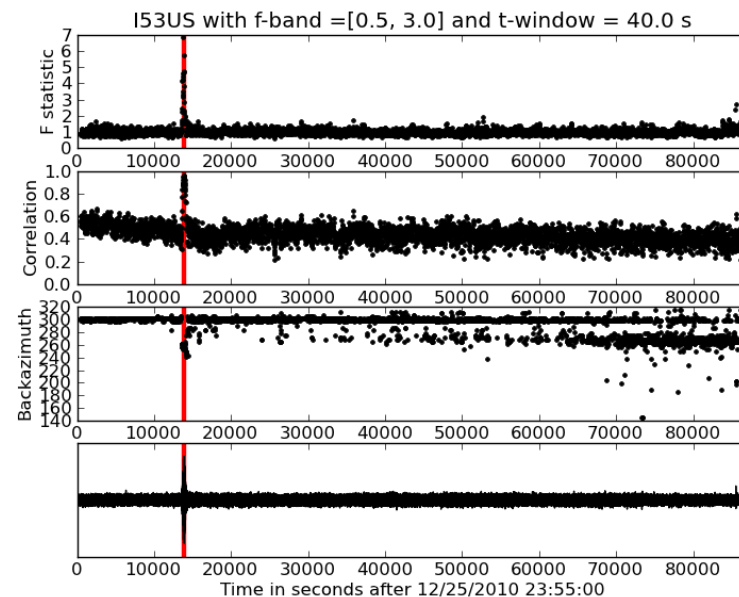


GLINDA

- Global Inftrasound Network Detection and Association
 - Formerly known as SUSSAN
- Sponsored by U.S. Dept. of State Contribution in Kind through DOE
- Joint project between Sandia National Labs and Los Alamos National Lab
- Utilizes the python-based InfraPy infrasound software package developed by Stephen Arrowsmith and others at LANL

GLINDA

- InfraPy
 - Introduced at ITW 2013
 - Will be discussed in detail during Stephen's talk
- Fully automated IMS database processing mode
- Currently processing all IMS infrasound data from 2014 and earlier



- Goals
 - A complete and independent comparison of the REB using InfraPy
 - Compare InfraPy association tables with REB events
 - Similar events (confidence)
 - Missed events (why?)
 - Extra events (why?)
 - Implement real-time IMS array processing

Results

- Results are preliminary at this point
 - We were fully operational at the end of August
 - Processing is currently underway
 - Processing on multiple standard computers and a supercomputer
 - To process all IMS arrays for 24 hours:
 - On standard computer: 5 hours using 4 threads
 - On high-end mac server: 1.3 hours using 36 threads
 - Half of 2013
 - Half of 2012
 - All of 2010
 - Other select events

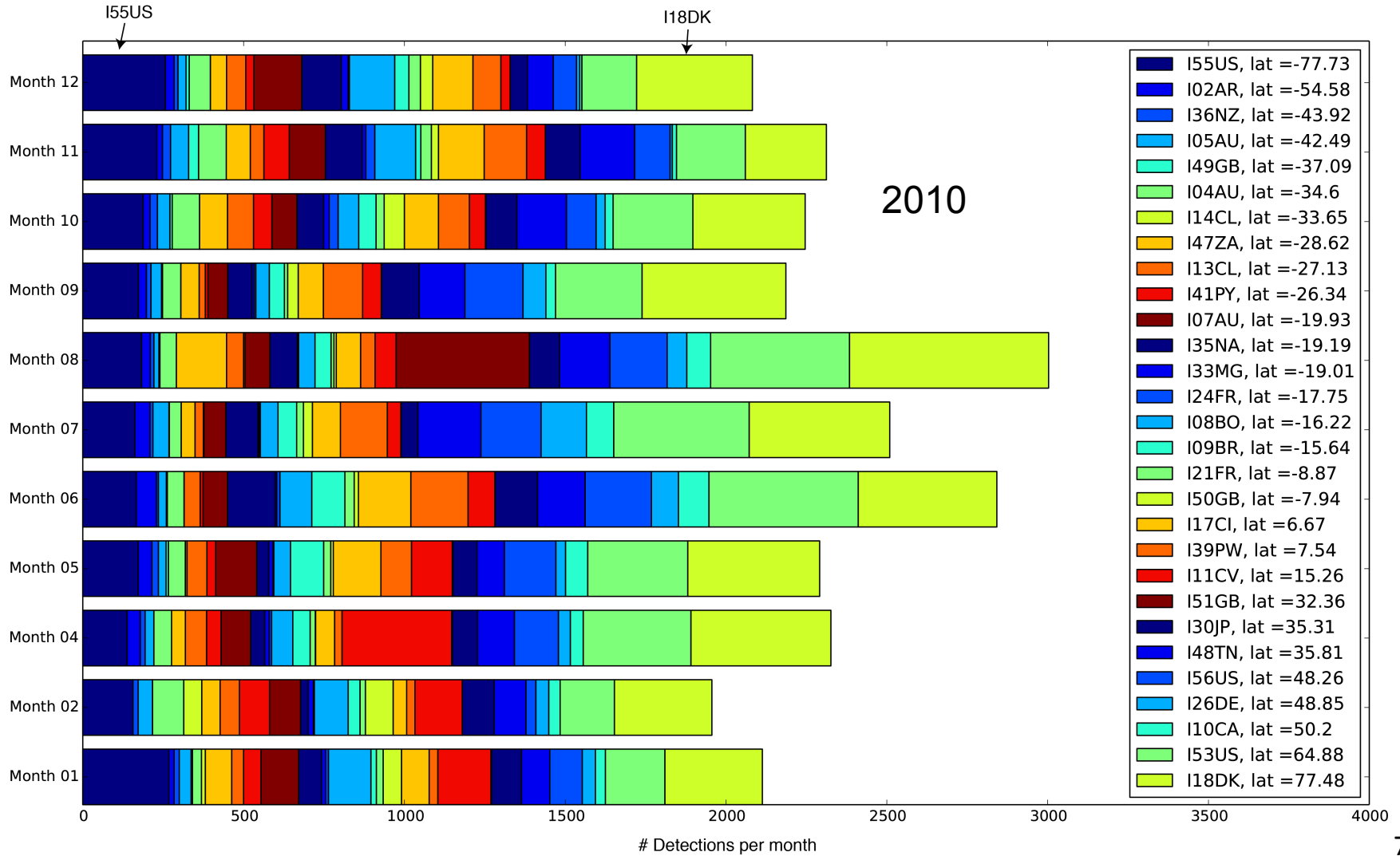
Results

- Processing

Frequency	Time Window (s)	Adaptive Time Window (s)	Overlap
0.01 – 0.5 Hz	60	900	50%
0.5 – 3 Hz	40	1800	50%

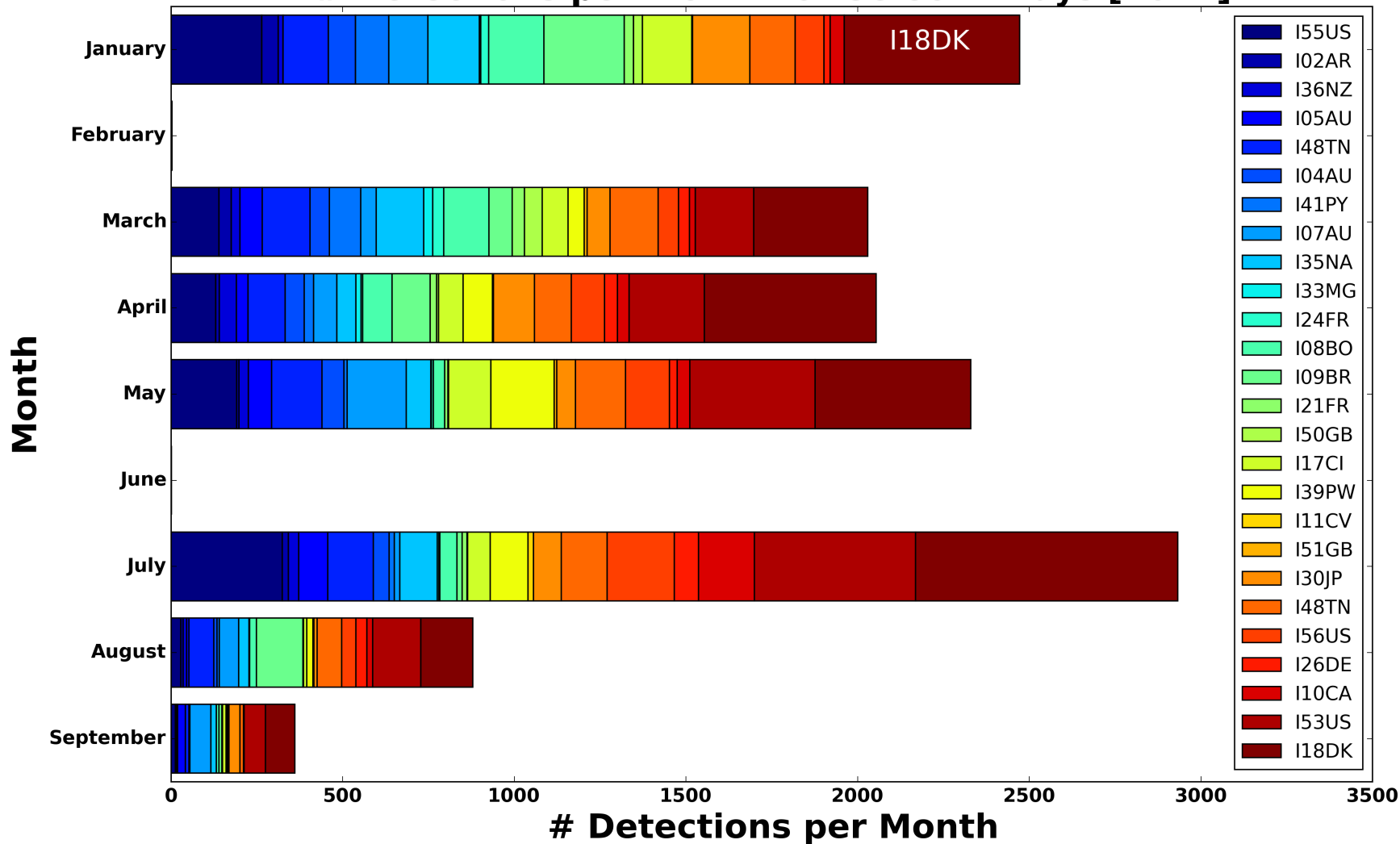
Detections

- Number of detections vary by array



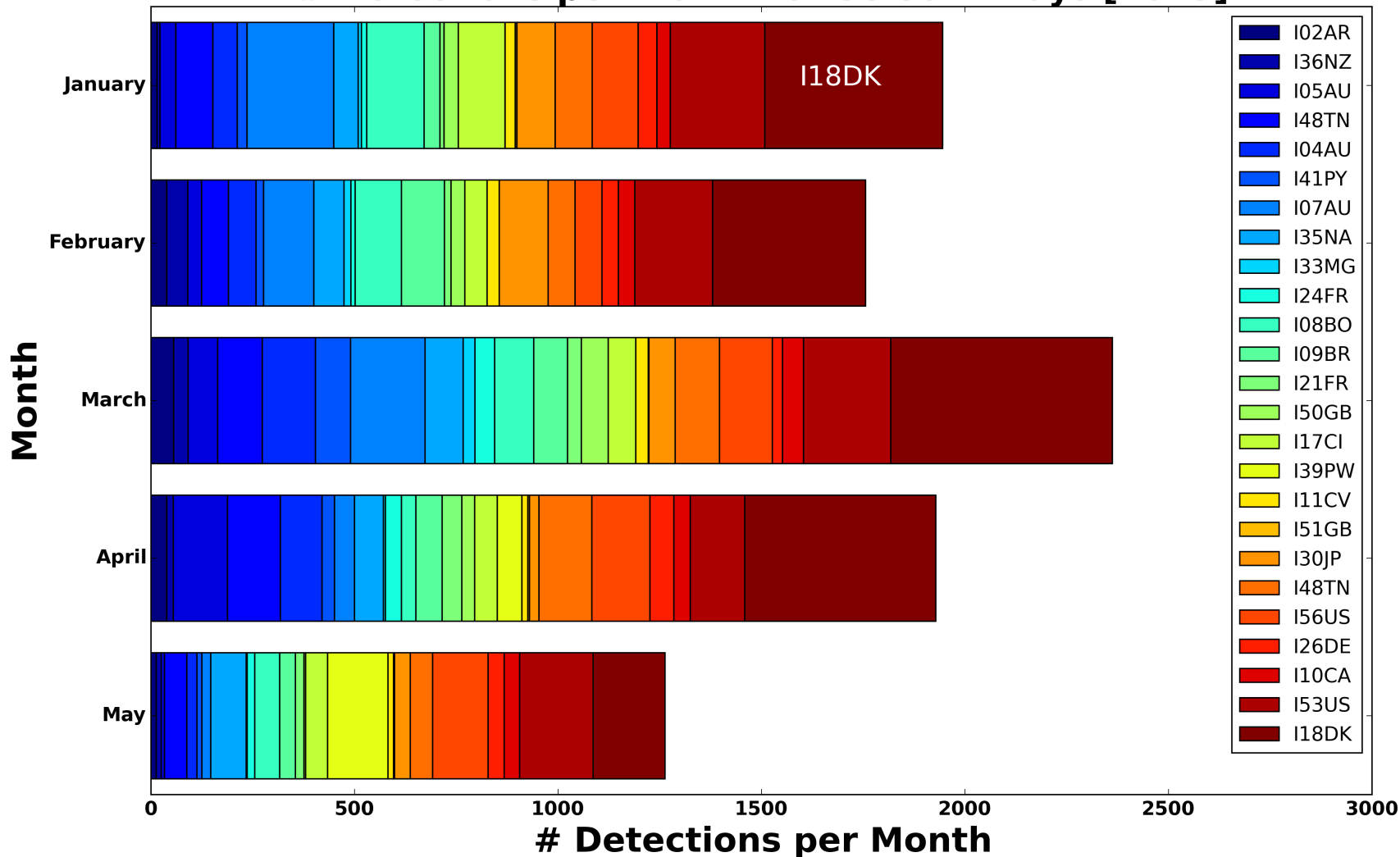
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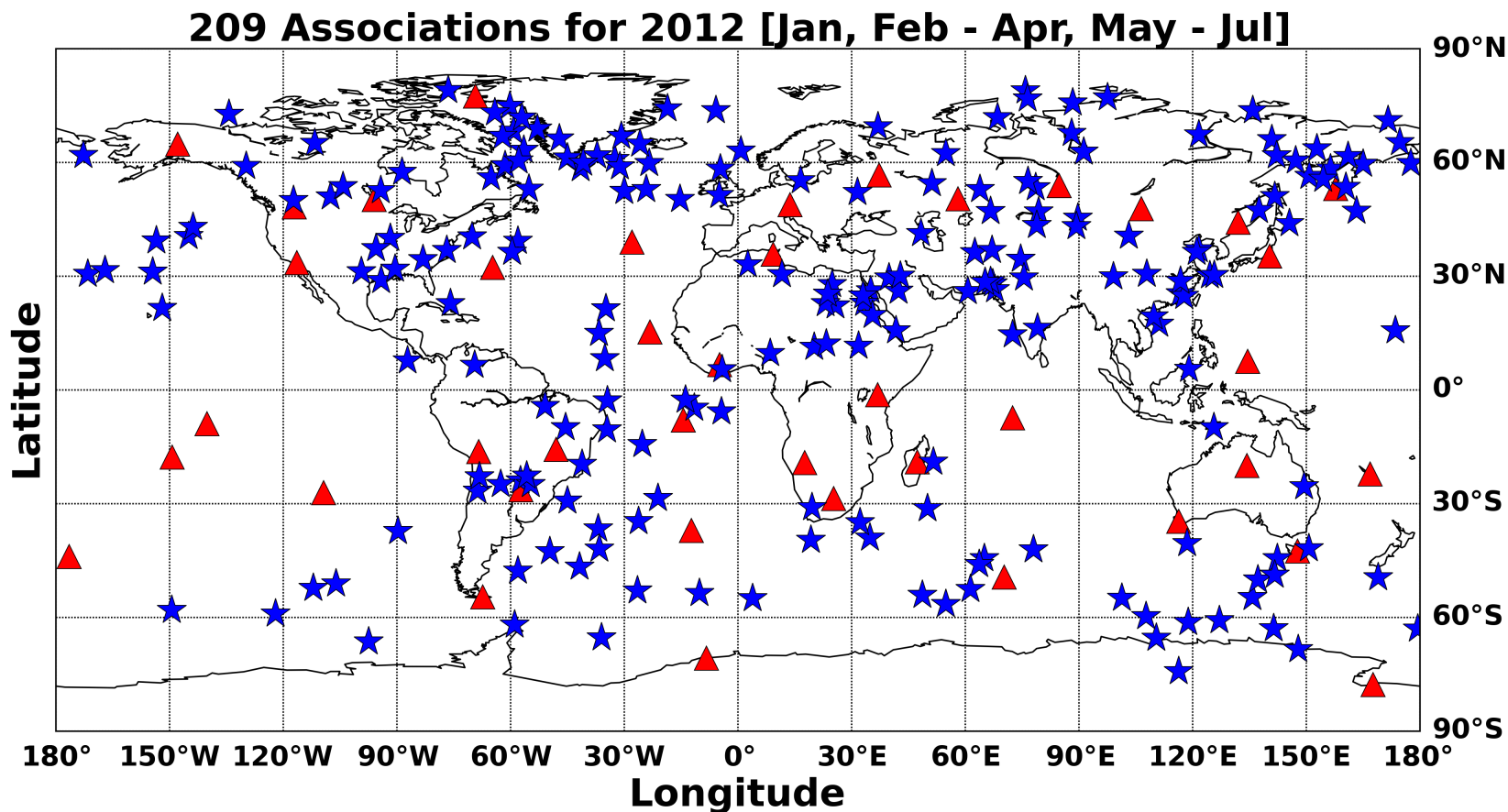
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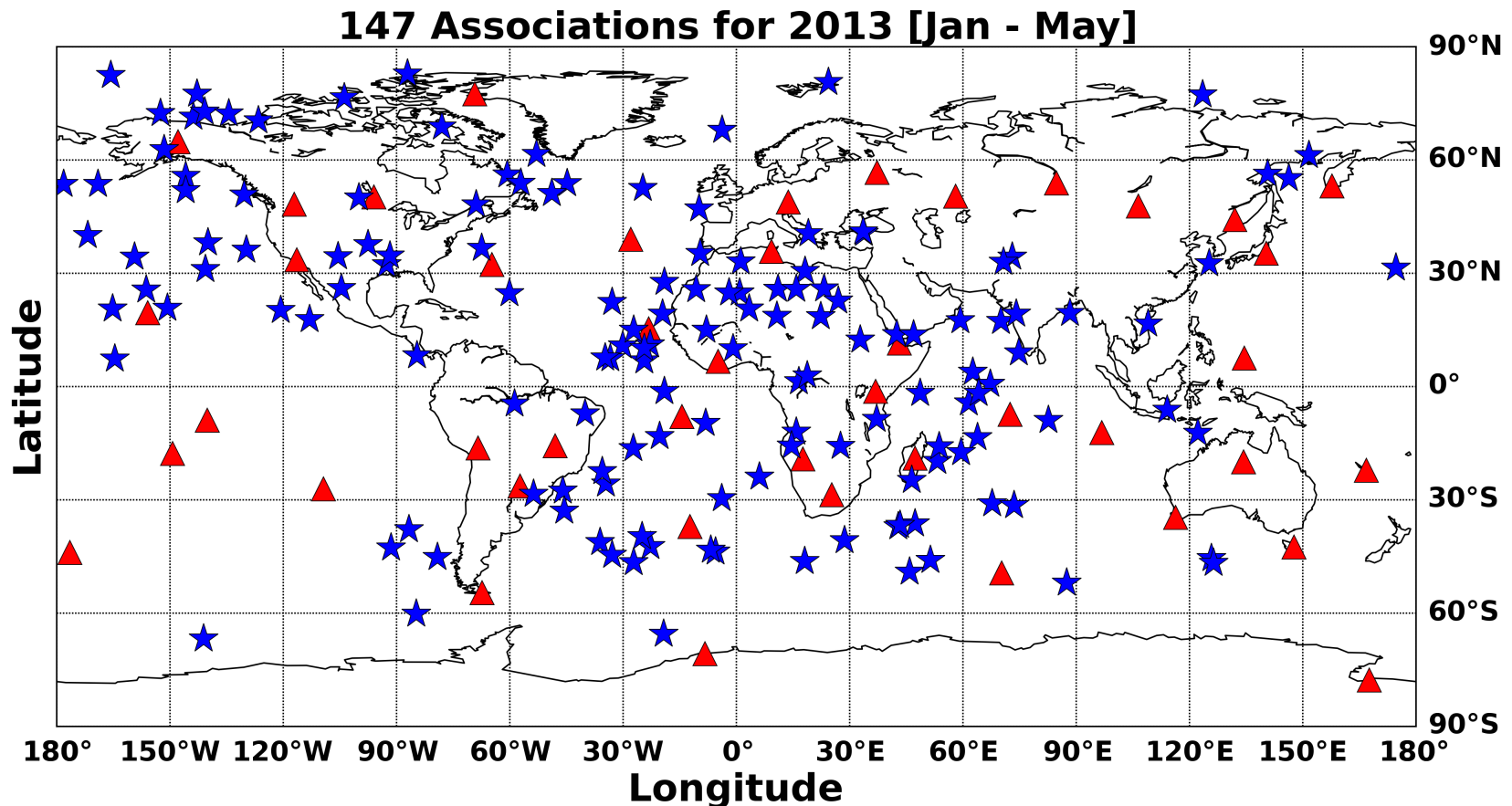
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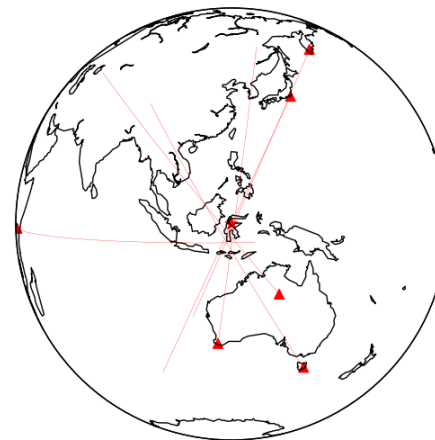
REB Comparisons

- Large infrasound events from the REB
- > 5 arrivals
- Automated processing
- Same two frequency bands
- All but 3 events were associated using InfraPy
- Lower number of associated detections with InfraPy

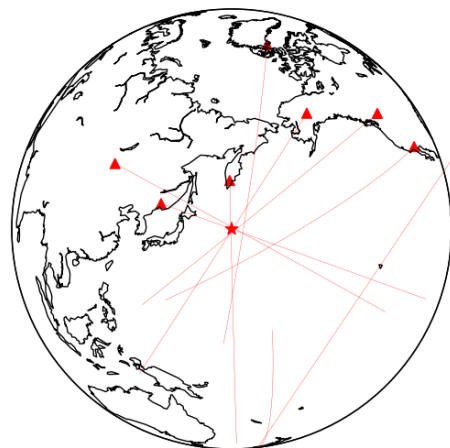
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2	10/08/2009	-4.2261	121.1155	Large bolide near Sulawesi	14	6
3	12/26/2010	40.0244	156.9966	Large bolide over North Pacific	11	8
4	04/18/2011	0.831	-126.5921	Large bolide over Central Pacific?	8	6
5	05/21/2011	64.688	-17.368	Eruption of Grimsvotn, Iceland	6	Not associated
6	05/05/2012	76.7401	-10.5816	Bolide east of Greenland?	8	4
7	10/22/2012	51.7055	117.1126	Russian mining explosion?	6	Not associated
8	02/15/2013	54.0563	61.8062	Large bolide over Chelyabinsk, Russia	17	5
9	10/18/2013	56.1074	160.9198	Eruption of Klyuchevsky, Kamchatka	6	7
10*	12/13/2014	-8.5353	109.7683	Eruption of Kelud, Indonesia	13	13

REB Comparisons

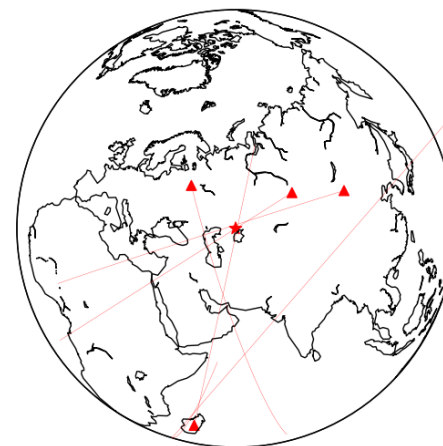
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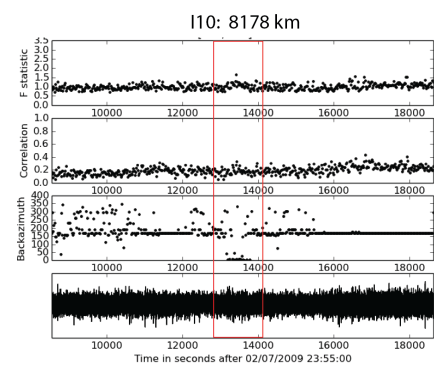
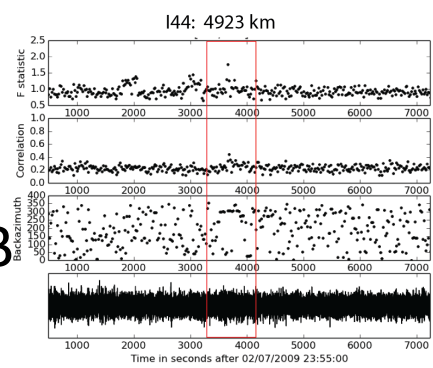
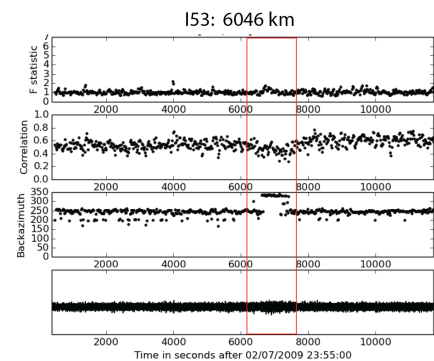
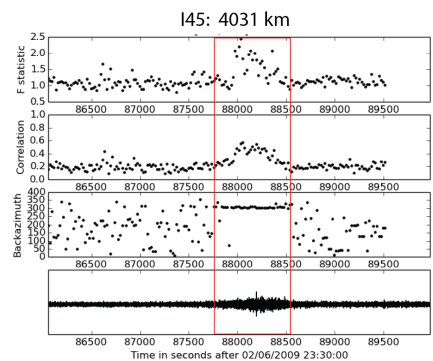
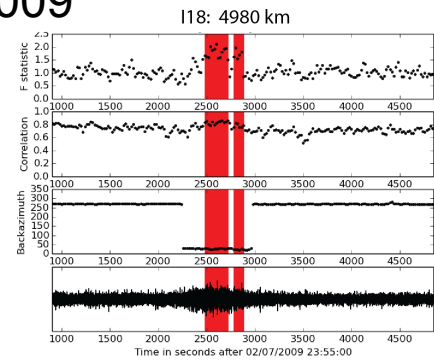
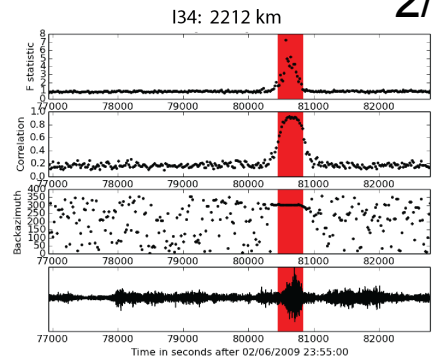
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REB Comparisons

2/7/2009

- InfraPy detection processing results for a REB event missed by InfraPy
- Detailed analysis revealed that only two arrays (top) met the threshold requirements
- The event can be seen at the other four arrays
- Back azimuths from all arrays are consistent with reported REB event



Future Work

- Continue to process IMS infrasound data with InfraPy
- Begin comparing associated events with REB results
- Tune the detector and associator as needed for
 - Maximum associations with minimal false alarms

Questions?