

Mini-EUSO – meteors: Cross-check with ground-based observations

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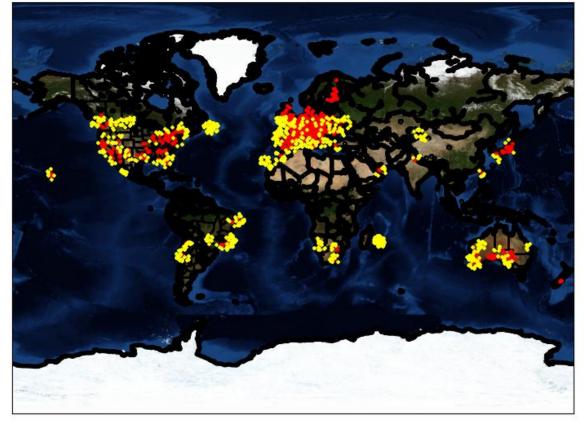
Introduction



IDEA: check for possible double detections of meteors observed by Mini-EUSO and ground-based observations

We are using the actual latitude and longitude of the meteor trajectory from the pixel position computed by the meteor analysis pipeline from Mr. Matteo Battisti

Ground station in red, Meteor in yellow

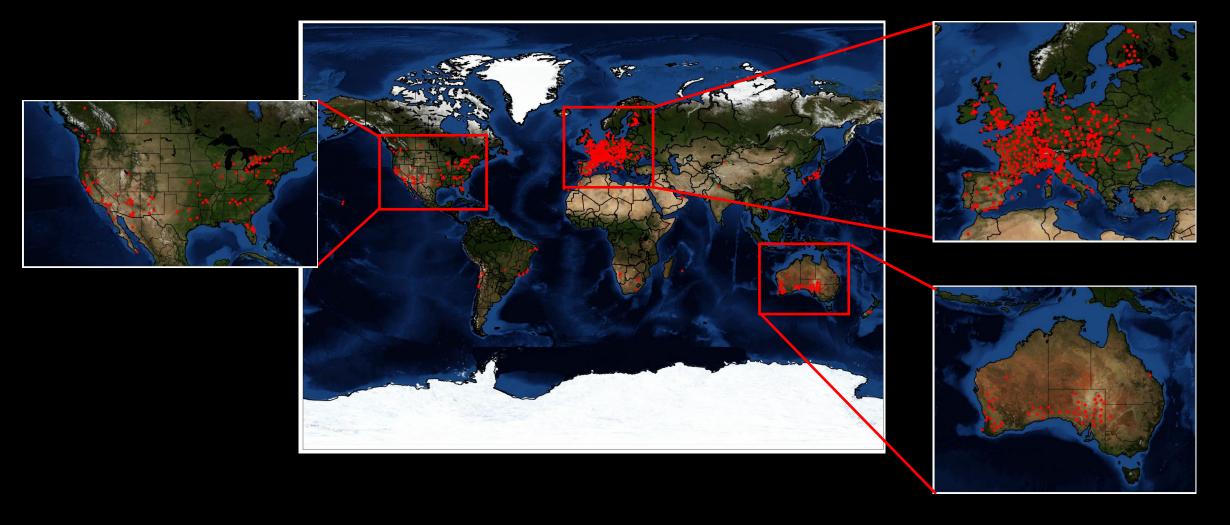


770 meteor events

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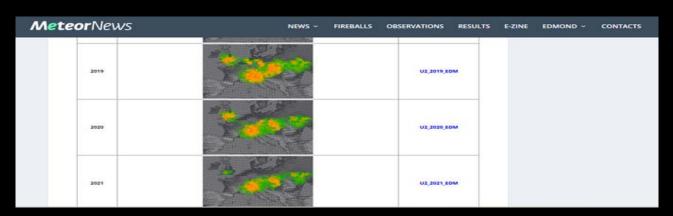
Comparing with several ground-based observations





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Mini-EUSO	EDMOND
rootfile 2019_12_3103_56_47 with M = 0.69	with M = -0.89298

Mini-EUSO	Meteors UA Ukrainian Meteor data
rootfile 2020_09_1421_25_53	with M = 0.6 from Camera Khmelnitsk_M4
with M = 2.8, 5.58, 2.46	with M = 0.9 from Camera Vishnevoe_WE
rootfile 2020_09_1423_03_17	with M = 1 from Camera Vishnevoe_WE
with M = 2.67, 5.25, 3.84, 4.5	with M = -0.2 from Camera Vishnevoe_WE

Mini-EUSO	SonotaCo Newtork Japan data
rootfile 2021_01_1519_03_20	with M = 0.4
with M = 3.79, 3.82, 4.61	





In 3 years (2019, 2020, 2021), EDMOND detected 68,000 meteor events



Using rough assumption, EDMOND detected 62 event/ day, 8 event/ minute, 0.13 event/ minute



Using total time when Mini-EUSO near EDMOND stations (7072 seconds), maximum number of meteor detect by Mini-EUSO is 15.32 event/minute



Considering the total observation area of EDMOND stations, the number of meteor detected by Mini-EUSO is 0.65 event



SonotaCo DATA

$$TOTAL\ SonotaCo\ DATA = SonotaCo\ 2019 + SonotaCo\ 2020 + SonotaCo\ 2021$$

 $TOTAL\ SonotaCo\ DATA = 28,587 + 33,446 + 41,177$
 $TOTAL\ SonotaCo\ DATA = 103,210\ events$

$$SonotaCo\ RATE = \frac{TOTAL\ SonotaCo\ DATA}{NUMBER\ OF\ MINUTES\ IN\ 3\ YEARS}$$

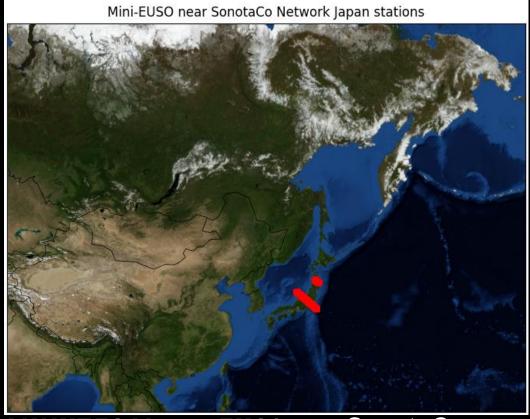
$$SonotaCo\ RATE = \frac{103,210\ event}{1095\ day} \approx \frac{94.26\ event}{day} \approx \frac{94.26\ event}{8h/day} \approx \frac{11.78\ event}{hour} \approx \frac{0.20\ event}{minute}$$

$$SonotaCo\ RATE = \frac{103,210\ event}{1095\ day} \approx \frac{94.26\ event}{day} \approx \frac{94.26\ event}{3.6h/day} \approx \frac{26.18\ event}{hour} \approx \frac{0.44\ event}{minute}$$





Using total time when Mini-EUSO near SonotaCo Japan stations (89 seconds), maximum number of meteor detect by Mini-EUSO is 0.3 event/minute



 $Maximum\ Number = SonotaCo\ RATE\ \times TOTAL\ \overline{MINUTES\ Mini-EUSO\ near SonotaCo\ stations}$

Maximum Number =
$$0.20 \frac{ev}{minute} \times \frac{89 \text{ s}}{\frac{60 \text{ s}}{minute}} \approx 0.3 \text{ event}$$

Maximum Number = $0.44 \frac{ev}{minute} \times \frac{89 \text{ s}}{\frac{60 \text{ s}}{minute}} \approx 0.65 \text{ event}$





Considering the total observation area of SonotaCo stations, the number of meteor detected by Mini-EUSO is 0.06 event

$$Number\ by\ Mini-EUSO = Maximum\ Number\ \times \frac{Area\ Mini-EUSO}{Area\ SonotaCo}$$

Number by Mini – EUSO = 0.3 event
$$\times \frac{2304 \text{ pixel} \times 6 \text{ km} \times 6 \text{ km}}{435,563 \text{ km}^2}$$

Number by Mini - EUSO ≈ 0.06 event (0.124 event)





FRIPON DATA – multiple events (Europe Stations)

$$TOTAL\ FRIPON\ DATA = FRIPON\ 2019 + FRIPON\ 2020 + FRIPON\ 2021$$

 $TOTAL\ FRIPON\ DATA = 1,123 + 1,042 + 1,088$
 $TOTAL\ FRIPON\ DATA = 3,253\ events$

FRIPON
$$RATE = \frac{TOTAL\ FRIPON\ DATA}{NUMBER\ OF\ MINUTES\ IN\ 3\ YEARS}$$

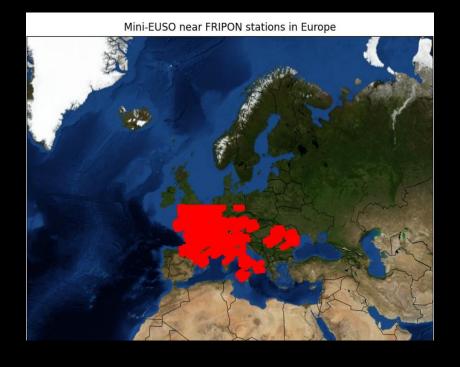
$$FRIPON\ RATE = \frac{3,253\ event}{1095\ day} \approx \frac{2.97\ event}{day} \approx \frac{2.97\ event}{8h/day} \approx \frac{0.37\ event}{hour} \approx \frac{0.006\ event}{minute}$$

$$FRIPON\ RATE = \frac{3,253\ event}{1095\ day} \approx \frac{2.97\ event}{day} \approx \frac{2.97\ event}{3.6h/day} \approx \frac{0.37\ event}{hour} \approx \frac{0.006\ event}{minute}$$





FRIPON DATA – multiple event



 $Maximum\ Number = FRIPON\ RATE\ \times TOTAL\ MINUTES\ Mini\ - EUSO\ near\ FRIPON\ EU\ stations$

Maximum Number =
$$0.006 \frac{ev}{minute} \times \frac{6,693 \, s}{\frac{60 \, s}{minute}} \approx 0.67 \, event$$

Maximum Number = $0.014 \frac{ev}{minute} \times \frac{\frac{6,693 \, s}{6,693 \, s}}{\frac{60 \, s}{minute}} \approx 1.56 \, event$





FRIPON DATA – multiple event

$$Number\ by\ Mini-EUSO=Maximum\ Number\times \frac{Area\ Mini-EUSO}{Area\ FRIPON\ in\ Europe}$$

Number by Mini – EUSO = 0.67 event
$$\times \frac{2304 \text{ pixel} \times 6 \text{ km} \times 6 \text{ km}}{2,377,492 \text{ km}^2}$$

Number by Mini – EUSO ≈ 0.02 event (0.054 event)





 $TOTAL\ UKRAINE\ DATA = UKRAINE\ 2019 + UKRAINE\ 2020 + UKRAINE\ 2021$ $TOTAL\ UKRAINE\ DATA = 34,737 + 29,317 + 21,173$ $TOTAL\ UKRAINE\ DATA = 85,227\ events$

$$UKRAINE\ RATE = \frac{TOTAL\ UKRAINE\ DATA}{NUMBER\ OF\ MINUTES\ IN\ 3\ YEARS}$$

$$UKRAINE\;RATE = \frac{85,227\;event}{1095\;day} \approx \frac{77.833\;event}{day} \approx \frac{77.833\;event}{8h/\;day} \approx \frac{9.73\;event}{hour} \approx \frac{0.16\;event}{minute}$$









 $Maximum\ Number = UKRAINE\ RATE\ imes TOTAL\ MINUTES\ Mini - EUSO\ near\ UKRAINE\ stations$

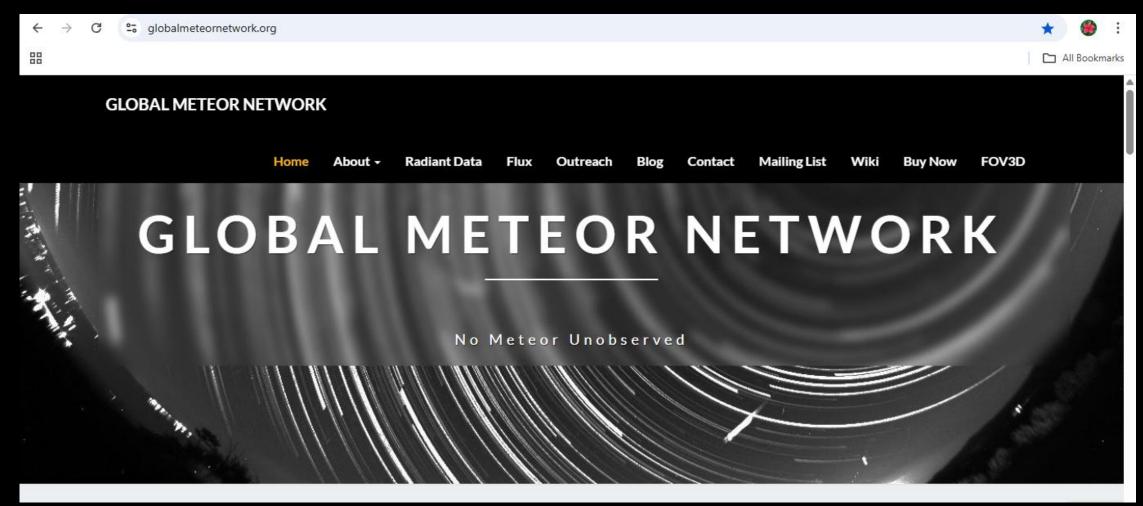
Maximum Number =
$$0.16 \frac{ev}{minute} \times \frac{1,004 \text{ s}}{\frac{60 \text{ s}}{minute}} \approx 2.68 \text{ event}$$

 $Number\ by\ Mini - EUSO \approx 0.24\ event$



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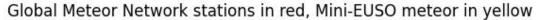


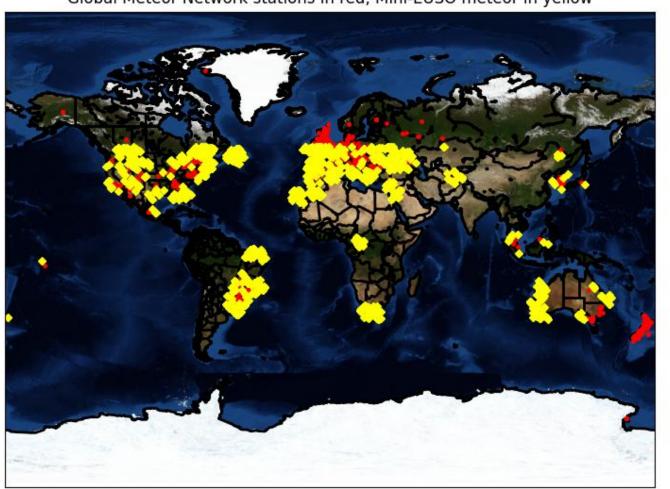




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Using ISS lat and ISS lon, we got 913 meteor events near GMN stations



Thank you