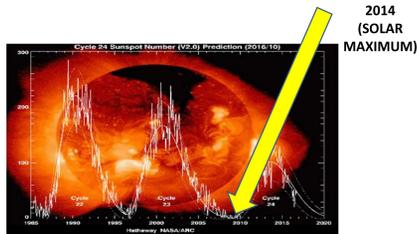


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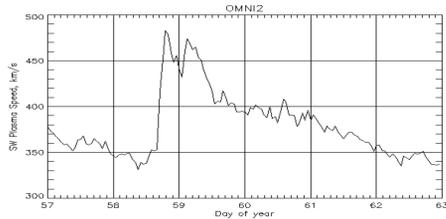
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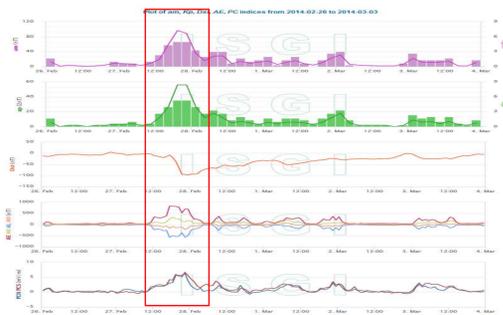
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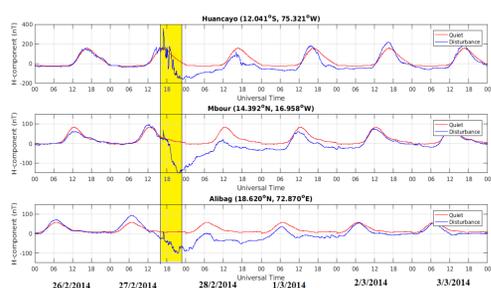
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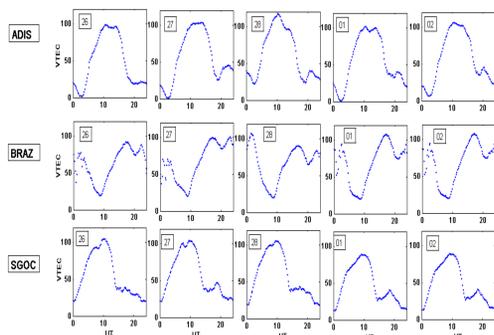
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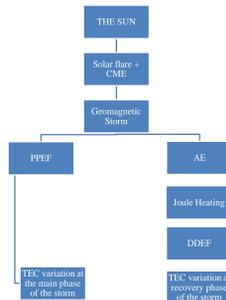
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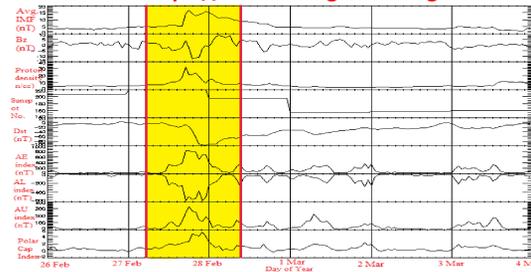


CME from sunspot ar1967 observed on 26 February 2014 and G2 class magnetic storm on 27 February 2014



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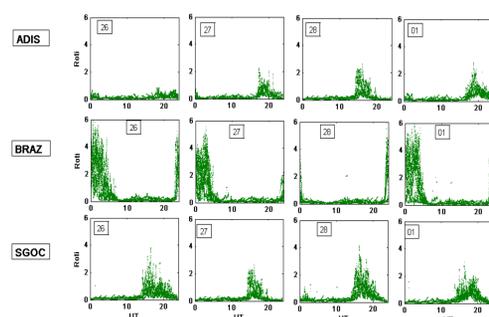


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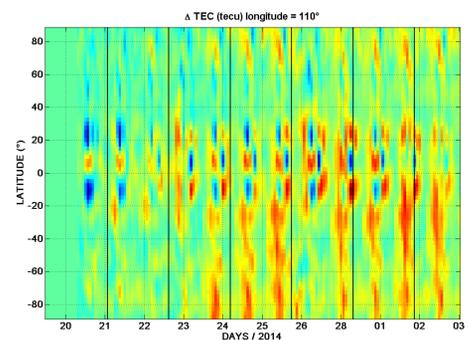


Station	Country	Lat_Geogr	Long_Geogr	Lat_Geomag	Long_Geomag
Braz	Ethiopia	-15,95	-47,88	9,40	21,13
Adis	Brazil	9,04	38,77	0,18	110,47
Sgoc	Sri Lanka	6,89	79,87	-1,57	151,57

Comparison of diurnal ROTI Index over the duration of 26 February - 2 March, 2014 from 1) Adis Ababa (Ethiopia) 2) Brasilia (Brazil) 3) Colombo (Sri Lanka)



Latitudinal variation of δ TEC (TECU) during 20 February – 3 March, 2014 along 110° longitude

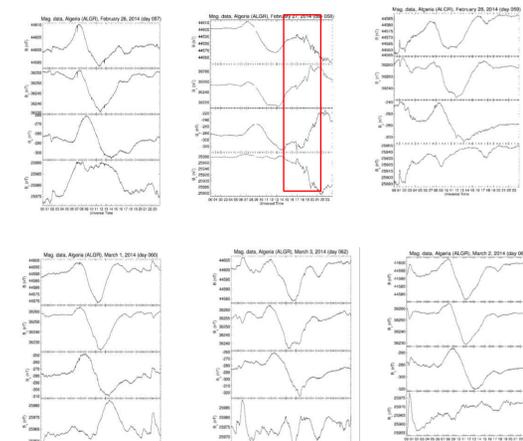


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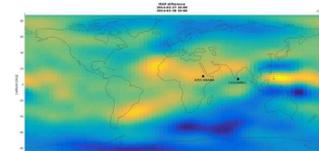
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- SOLAR INDICES	https://solarscience.msfc.nasa.gov/SunspotCycle.shtml https://omniweb.gsfc.nasa.gov
- TEC DATA	http://www.igs.org/about/data-centers ftp://cddis.gsfc.nasa.gov/gnss/data/daily/

Variation of geomagnetic field during 26 February - 2 March, 2014

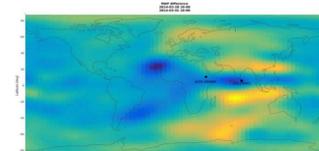
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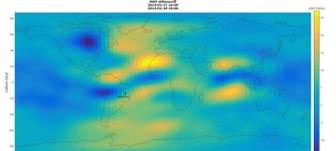
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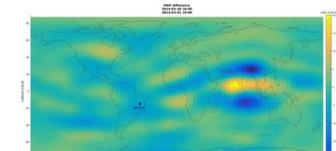
Global TEC difference on 10 UT (between 28 February, and 1 March 2014)



Global TEC difference on 16UT (between 27 and 28 February, 2014)



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Conclusion

A geomagnetic storm is observed (main phase is on 17-23 UT, 27 February, 2014). TEC Enhancement is observed at the main phase of geomagnetic storm (starting 17 UT, 27 February, 2014). Increment of diurnal peak TEC is observed on 28 February, 2014. Diurnal TEC peak decreases on 1 March 2014, at the recovery phase of geomagnetic storm.