

Studies of Polar Caps by HEND



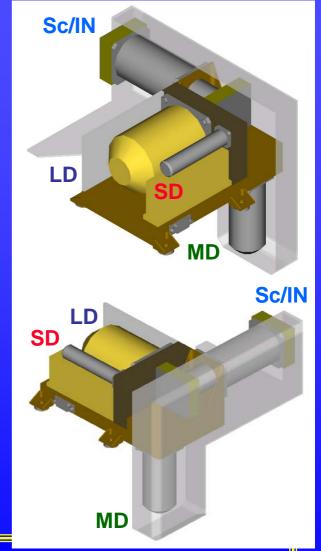
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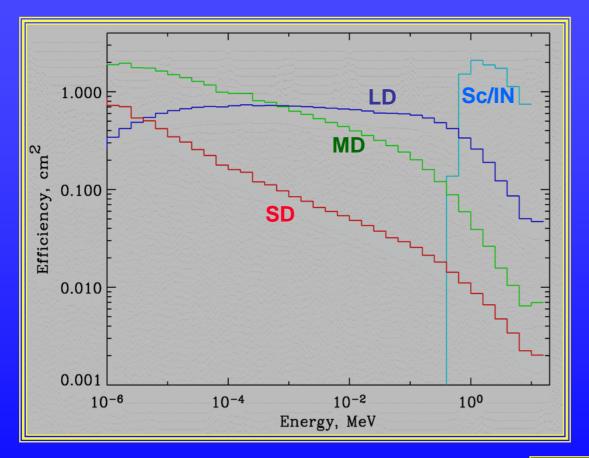
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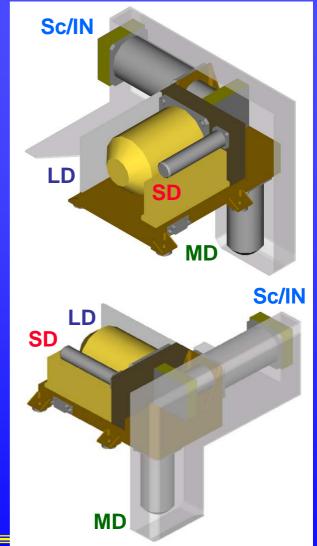
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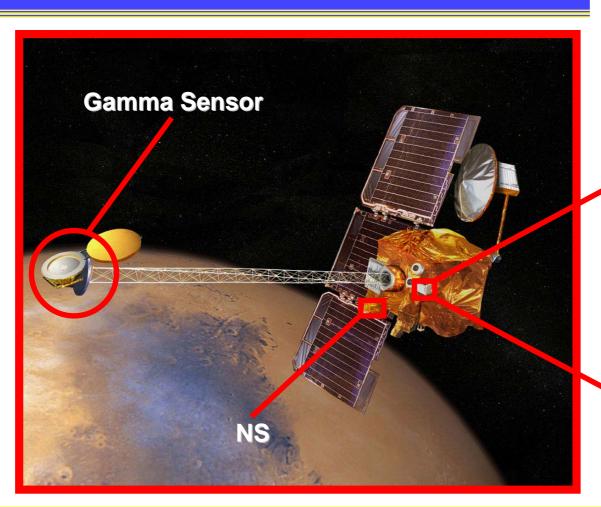


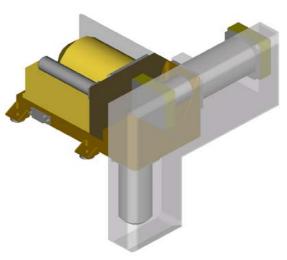
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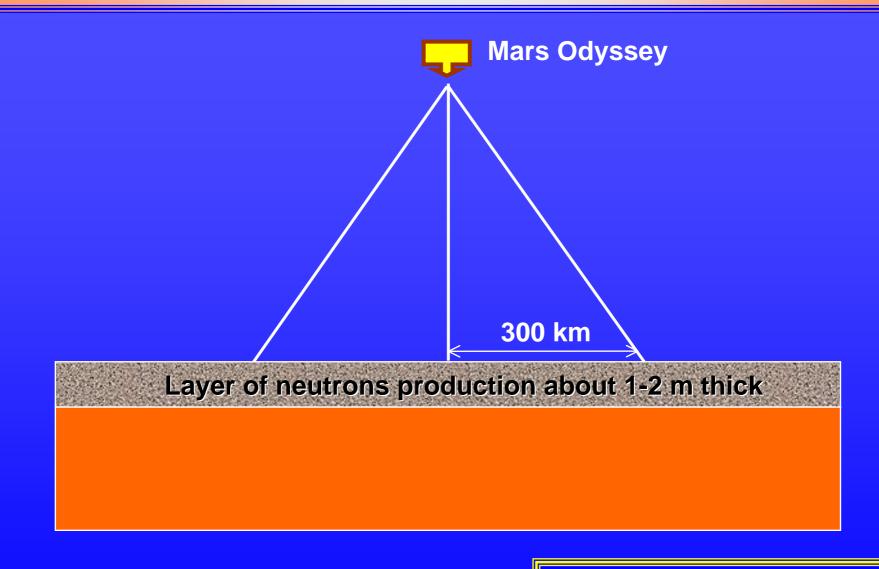
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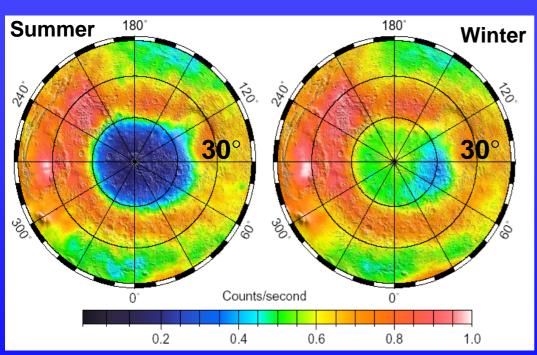
Might HEND see the Residual Polar Caps at North and at South during summer time?

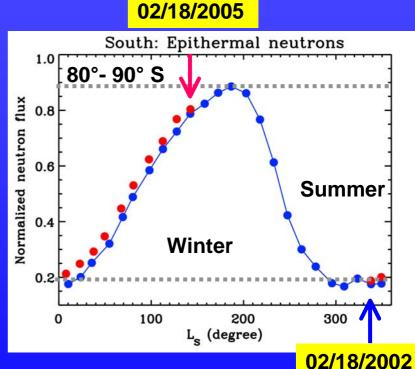


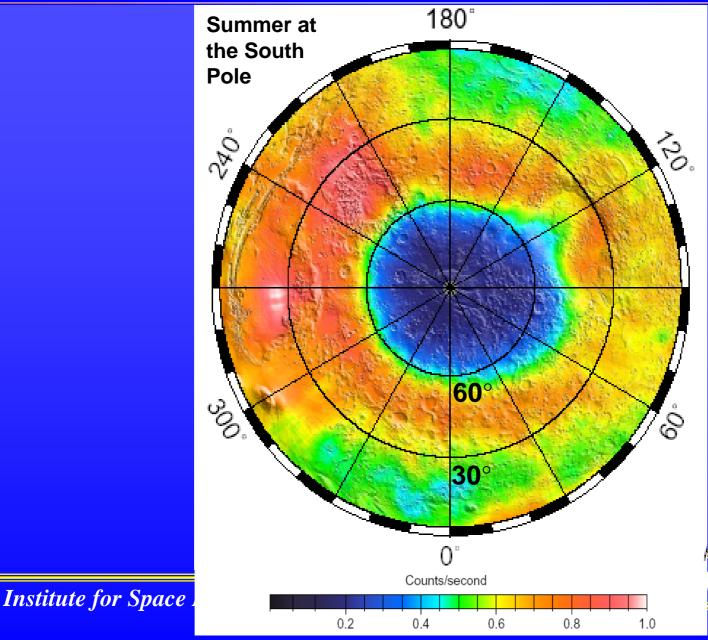
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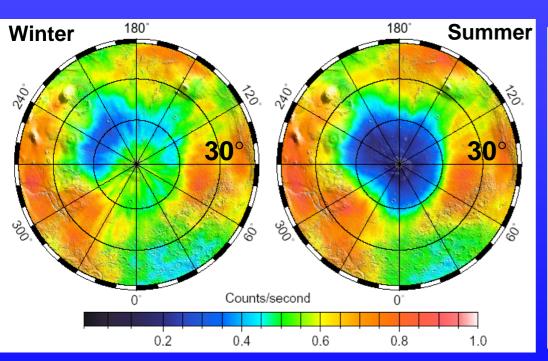


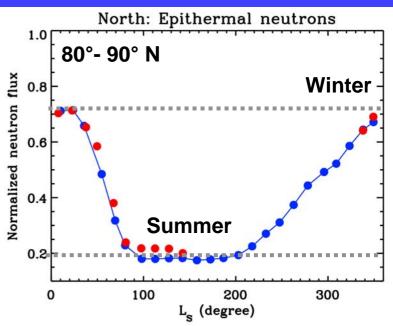


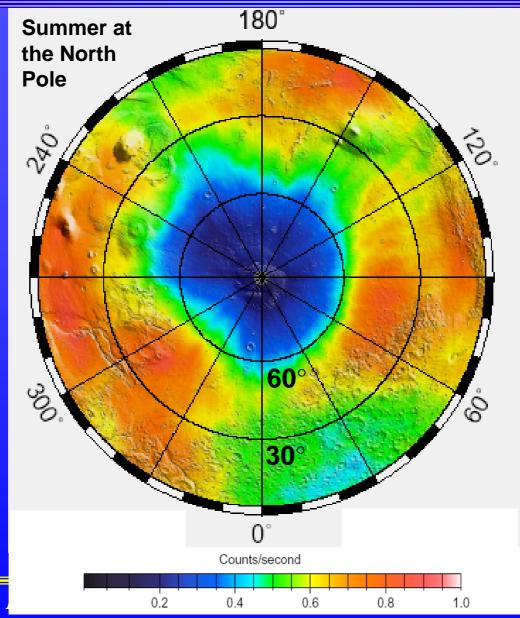


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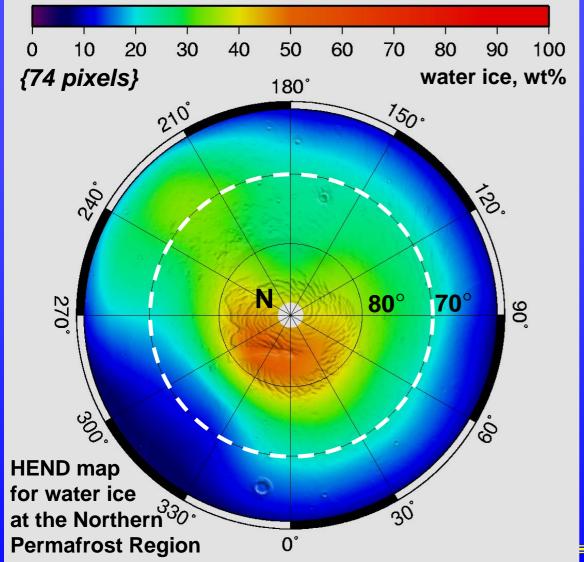
- 1st year
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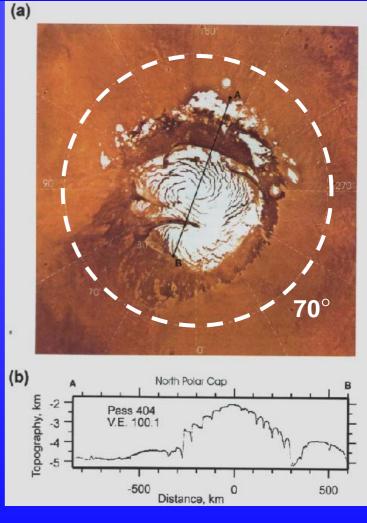


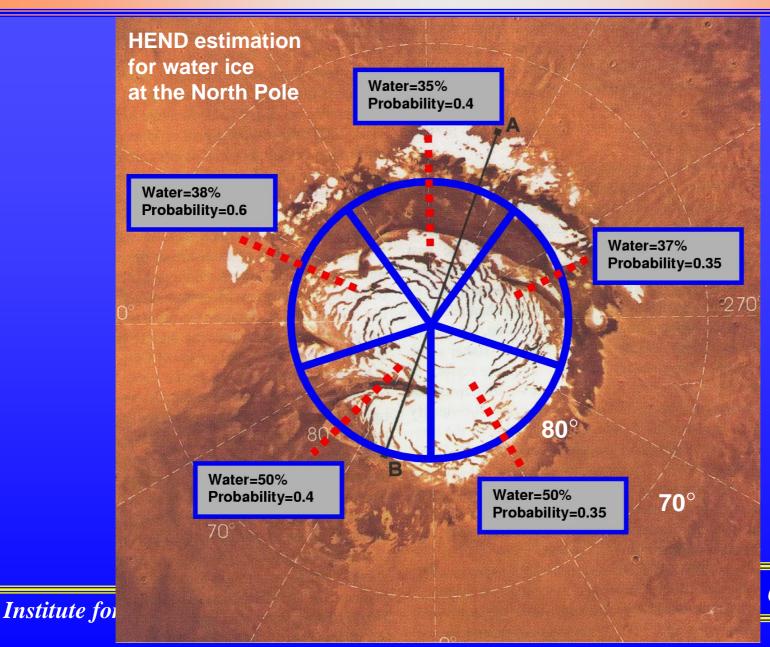




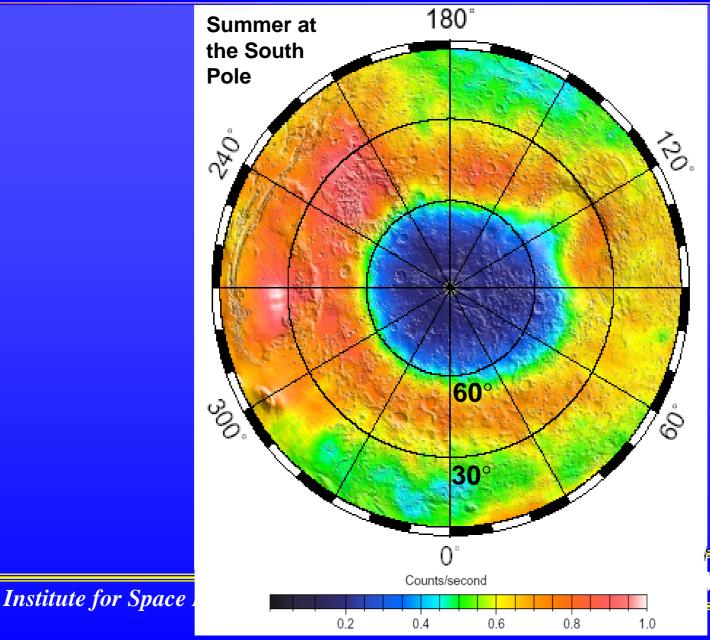
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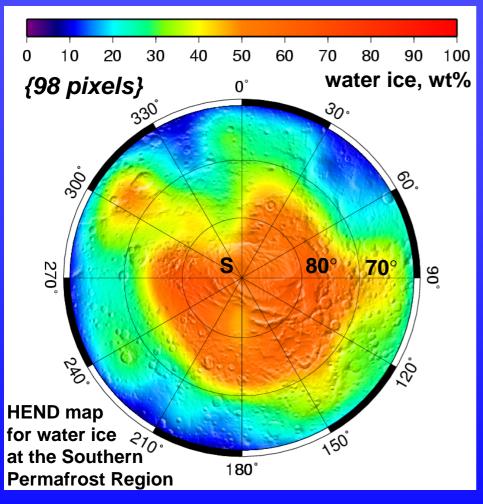


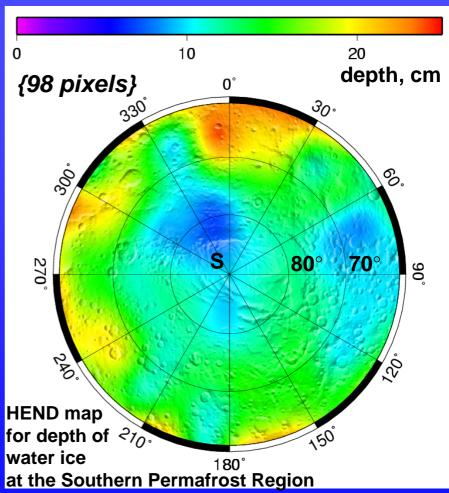


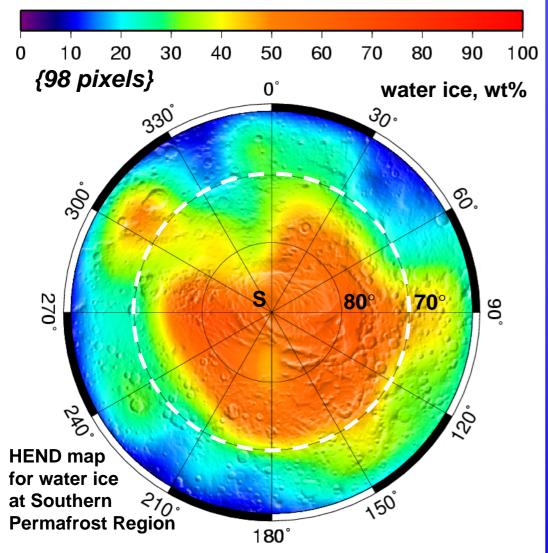
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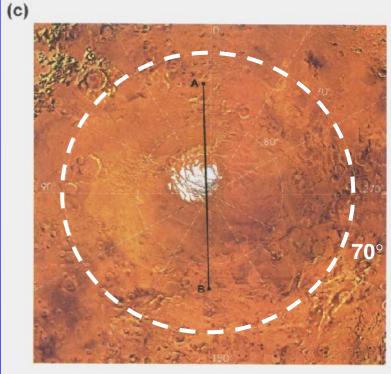


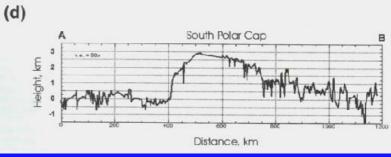
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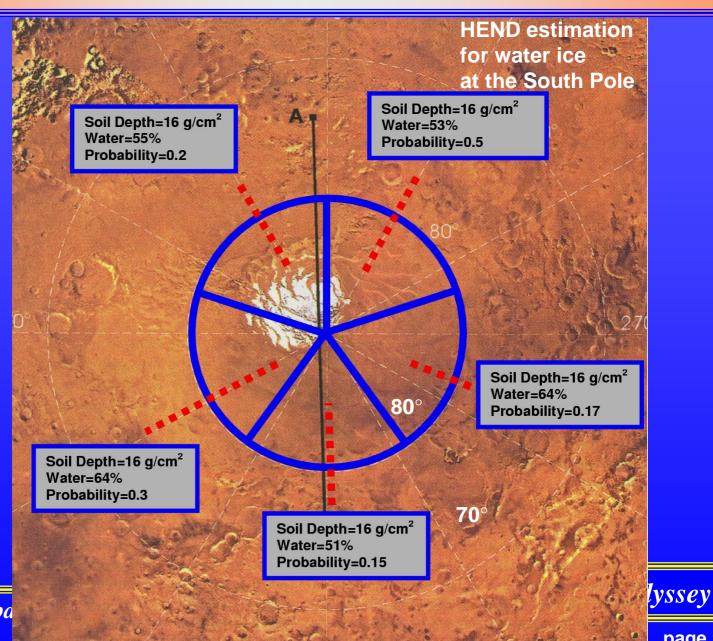






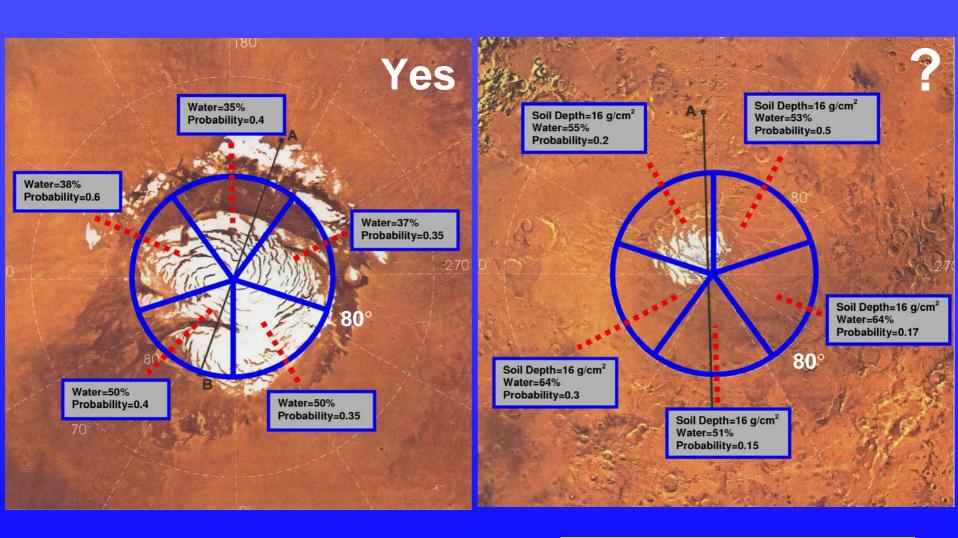




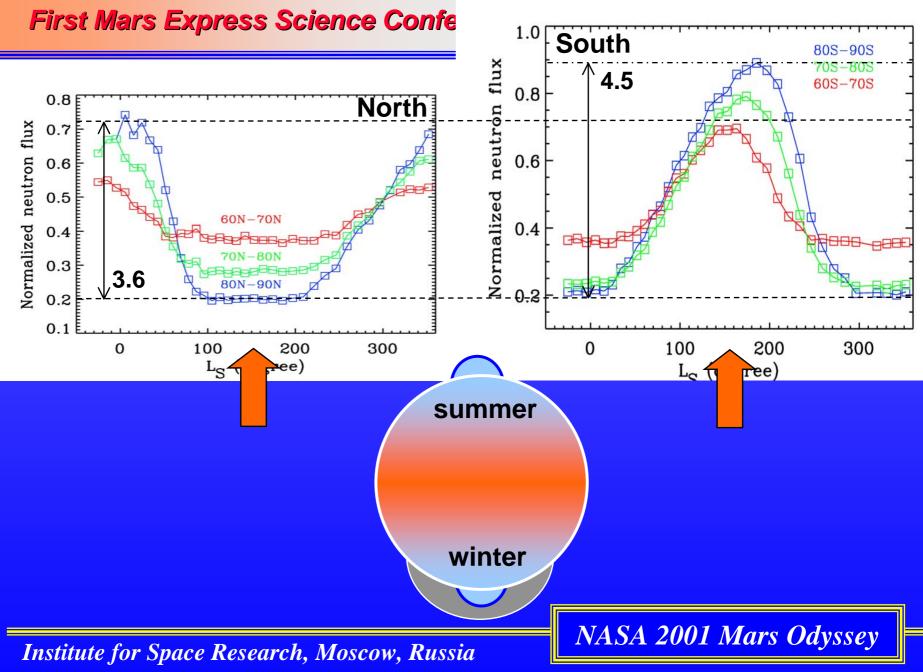


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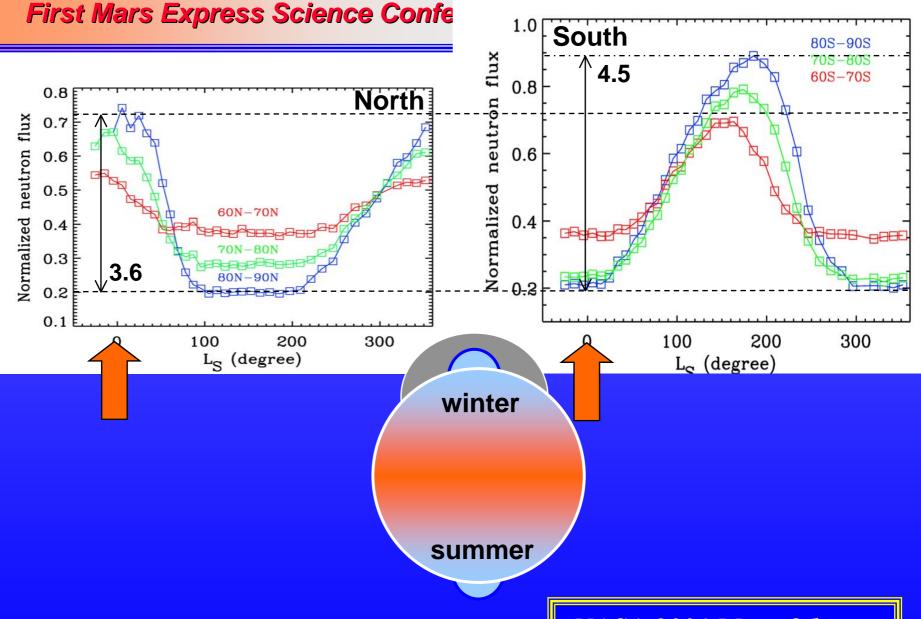
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Where is the Southern Residual Polar Cap with CO₂?

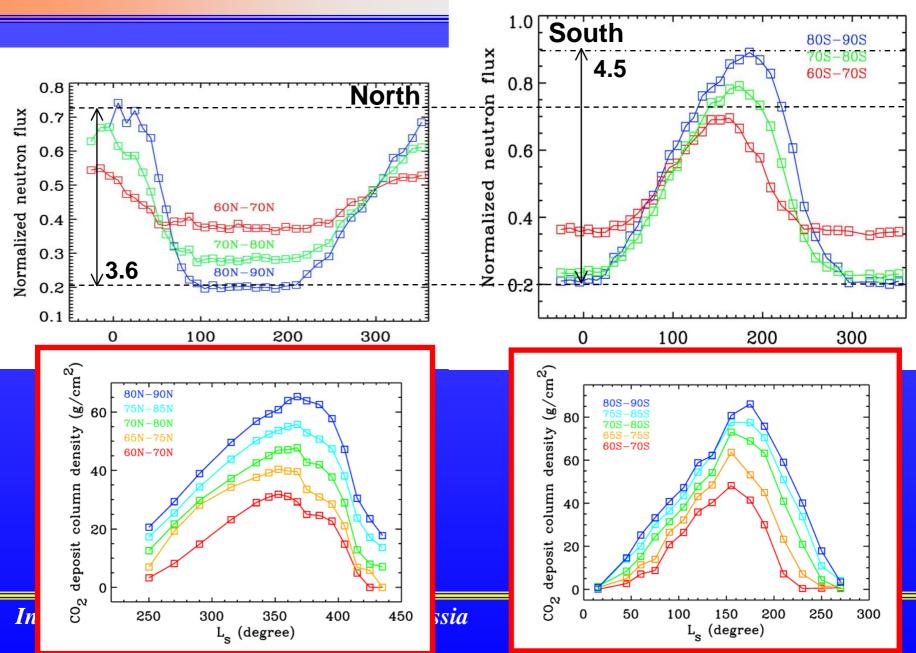


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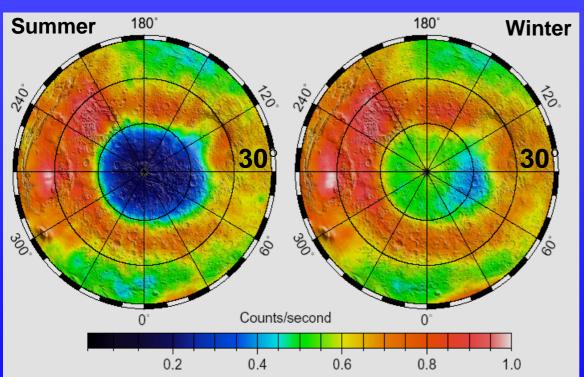


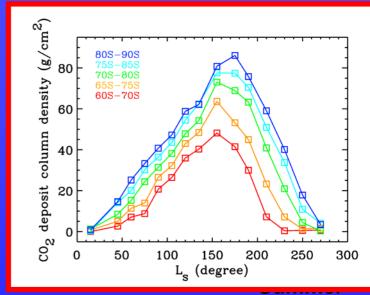
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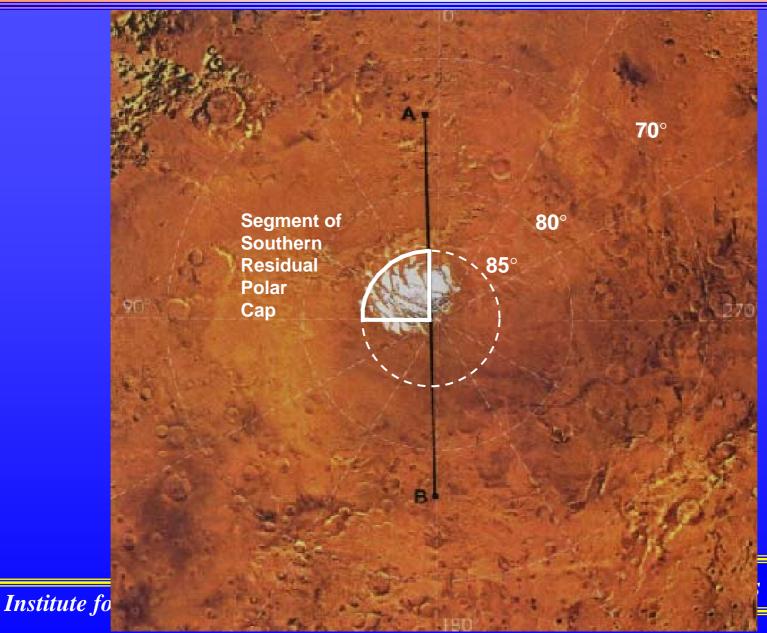


Seasonal cycle at the South Pole





Which mixture of water ice and CO₂ does HEND data supports for Southern Residual Polar Cap?



Odyssey

Model for Segment of South Residual Polar Cap

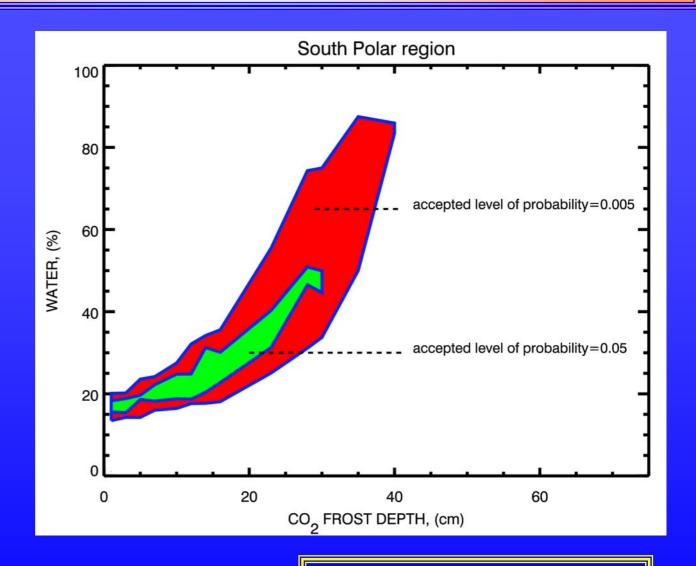


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Top Subsurface: CO₂ with h

Bottom Subsurface:

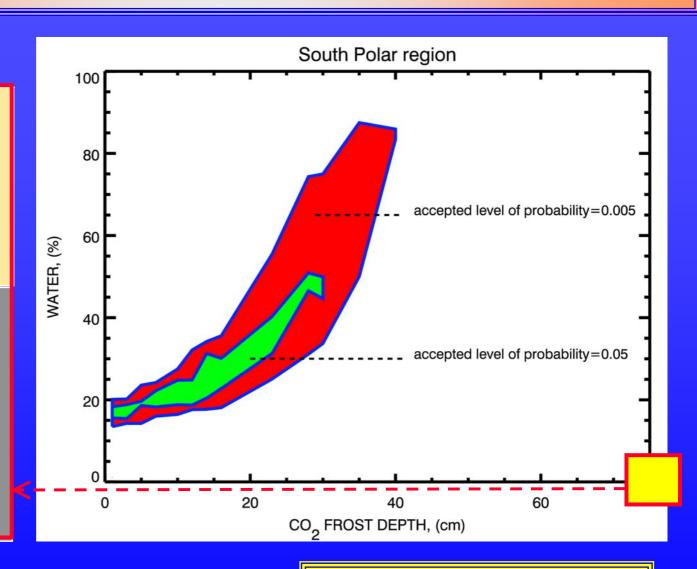
$$(\zeta)$$
(H₂O ice) + (1 - ζ) CO₂



Atmosphere

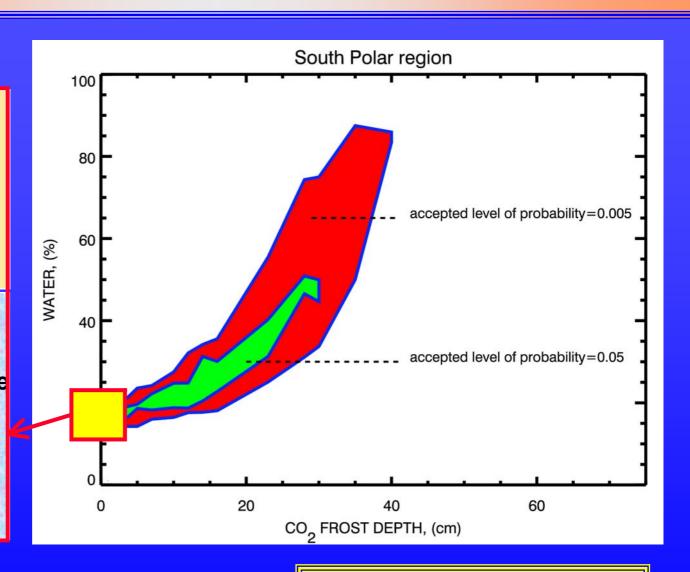
Top Subsurface:

 CO_2 with $h = \infty$ cm





CO₂ with 18% H₂O ice

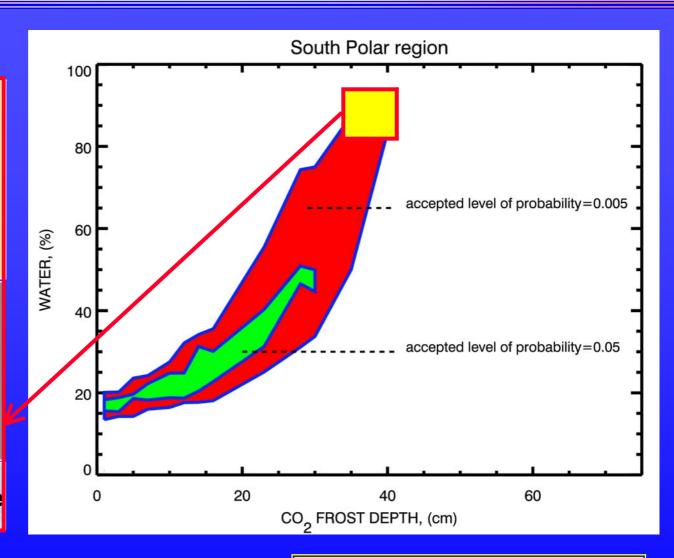


Atmosphere

Top Subsurface:

 CO_2 with h = 37 cm

CO₂ with 87% H₂O ice



Conclusions:

- 1) HEND/Odyssey well sees water ice for Northern Residual Polar Cap
- 2) HEND/Odyssey does not see carbon dioxide for Southern Residual Polar Cap
- 3) HEND/Odyssey sees quite similar seasonal changes around both North and South Poles
- 4) HEND/Odyssey data supports water ice (>20 wt%) under the top layer of "dry ice" of CO₂ (< 40 cm) for region of the Southern Residual Polar Cap

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