

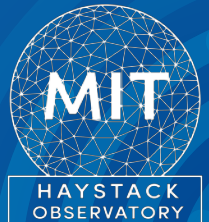
# RIS-Vis:

## A Novel Visualization Platform for Seismic, Geodetic, and Weather Data Relevant to Antarctic Cryosphere Science

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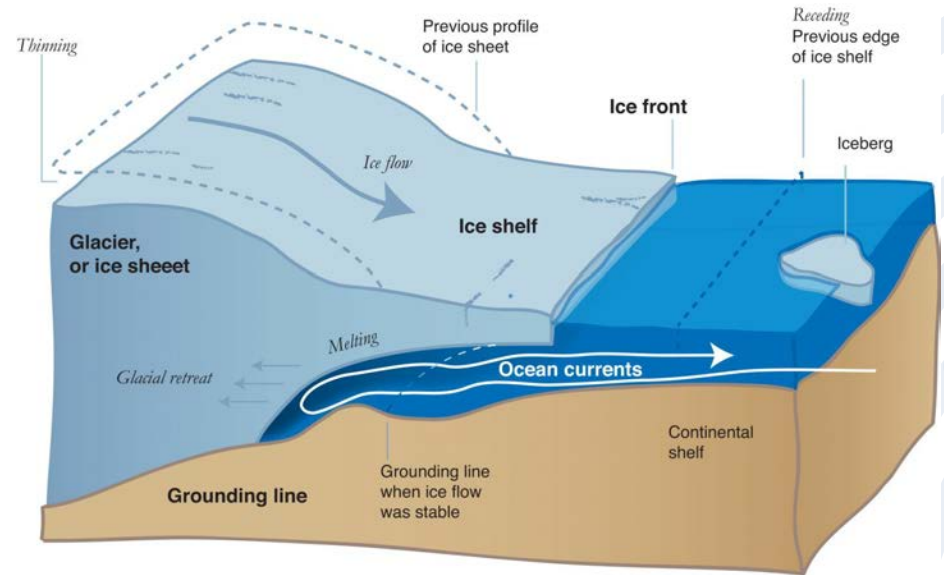


# Outline

1. Scientific Background
2. Research Objectives
3. Project Development + Demo
4. Future Steps

# Introduction

- Ice shelves **buttress** surrounding **grounded ice**
- **Ice shelf collapse** causes **sea level rise**

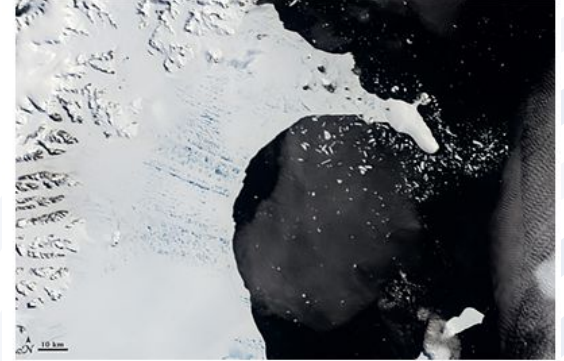


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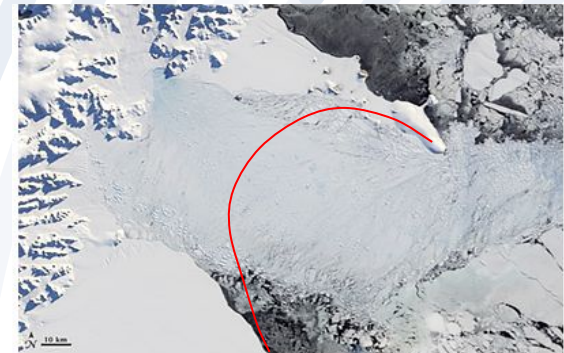
# Introduction (Continued)

- What causes **ice shelf collapse**?
  - **Climate Change**
  - **Infragravity ocean waves**
- **Ice shelf health** can be monitored using data (**seismic, geodetic, weather, etc.**)

Larsen Ice Shelf Collapse



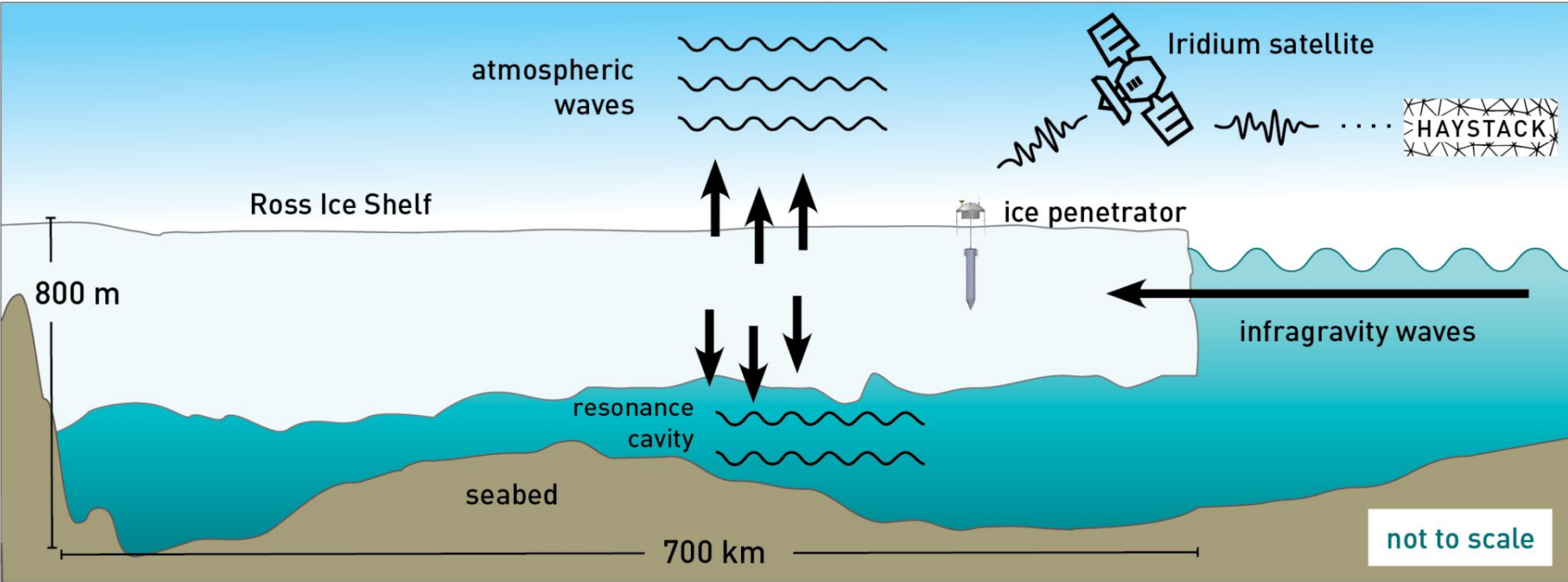
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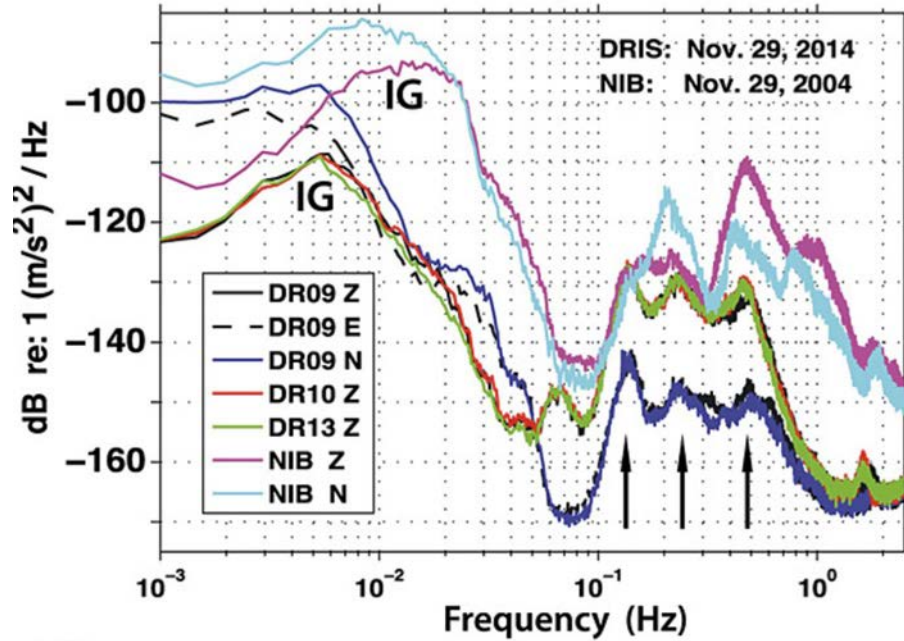
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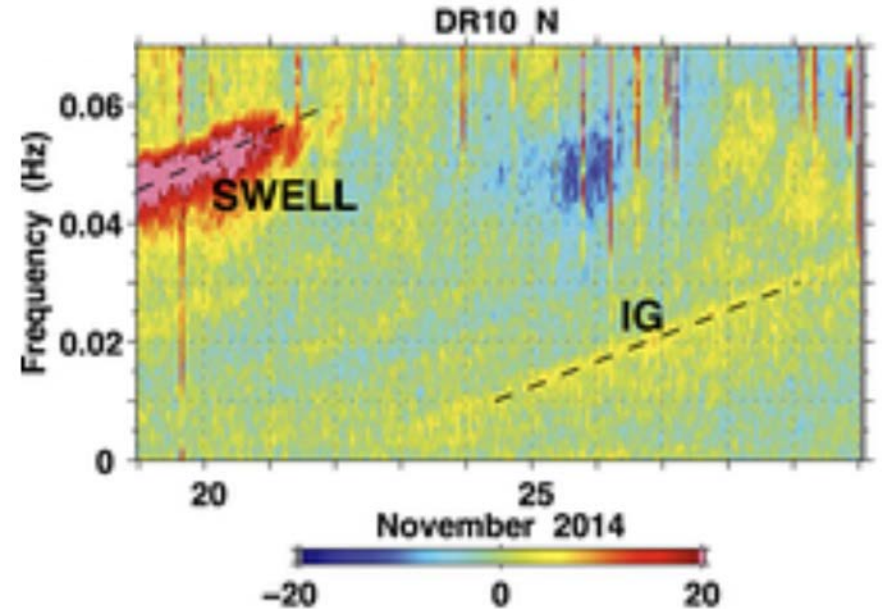
# Seismo-Geodetic Ice Penetrator (SGIP)



# Power Spectral Density



# Spectrogram



Bromirski et al., 2015

# Research Objectives

- Develop an **automated processing dashboard** to visualize **simulated SGIP Data**:
  - **Seismic Data:** Ice Shelf Vibrations
  - **Geodetic Data:** Ice Shelf Movement
  - **Weather Data:** Ice Shelf Climate
  - **System Monitoring Data:** SGIP Health

# Dashboard Proxy Data Sources

Seismic Data



Geodetic Data



Weather Data



System Monitoring Data

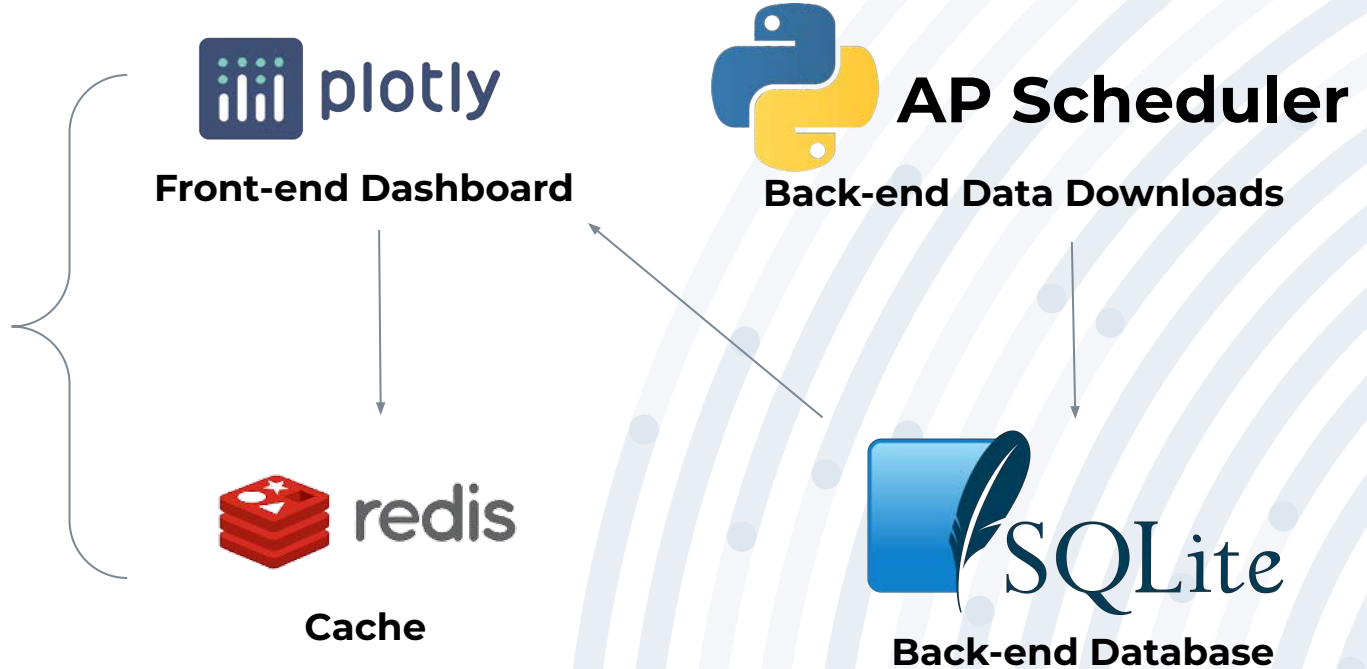
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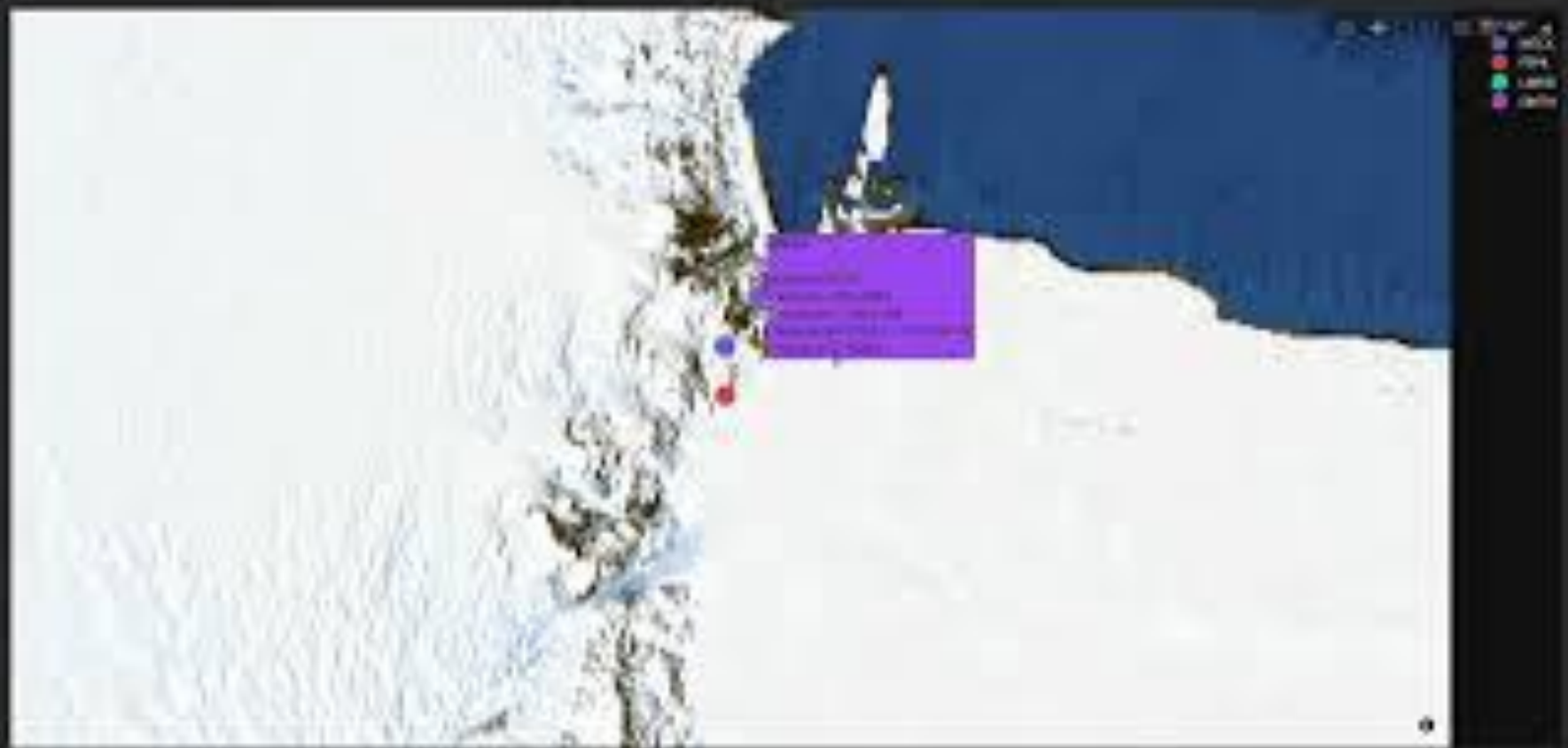
# Station Map



# Design Decisions



## Tracks of GPS Stations



# Summary of RIS-Vis

- **Dashboard** to track **Ice Shelf health**
- **Monitors:**
  - **Vibrations** of RIS
  - **Movement** of RIS
  - **Climate** of RIS
  - **SGIP** Instrument Health

# Challenges

- 1. Processing speed**
- 2. Scalability**

# Solutions

- 1. a.** Cache for home page  
**b.** Plotly Resampler  
**c.** Datashader
- 2. a. Modular components**  
**b. Backing Database**

# Roadmap

Visualize SGIP  
Data



2024

Develop more  
monitoring capabilities  
(ex. machine learning)



5 - 10 years later...

Help scientists  
predict and  
mitigate ice  
shelf collapse



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