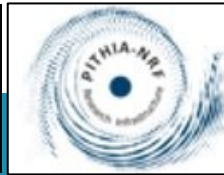


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# Use Case 1: Access to EUHFORIA data products

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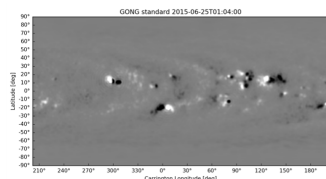
- **EUHFORIA**
- **The VSWMC**
- **EUHFORIA in the VSWMC via the e-Science centre**

# EUHFORIA

'European heliospheric forecasting information asset'

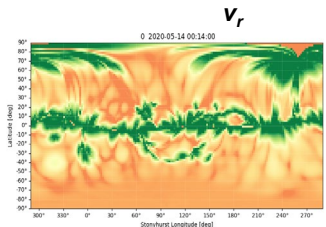
**Corona:**  
Semi-Empirical WSA model

Synoptic Magnetogram ( $1 R_{\text{sun}}$ )



PFSS

( $1 - 2.6 R_{\text{sun}}$ )



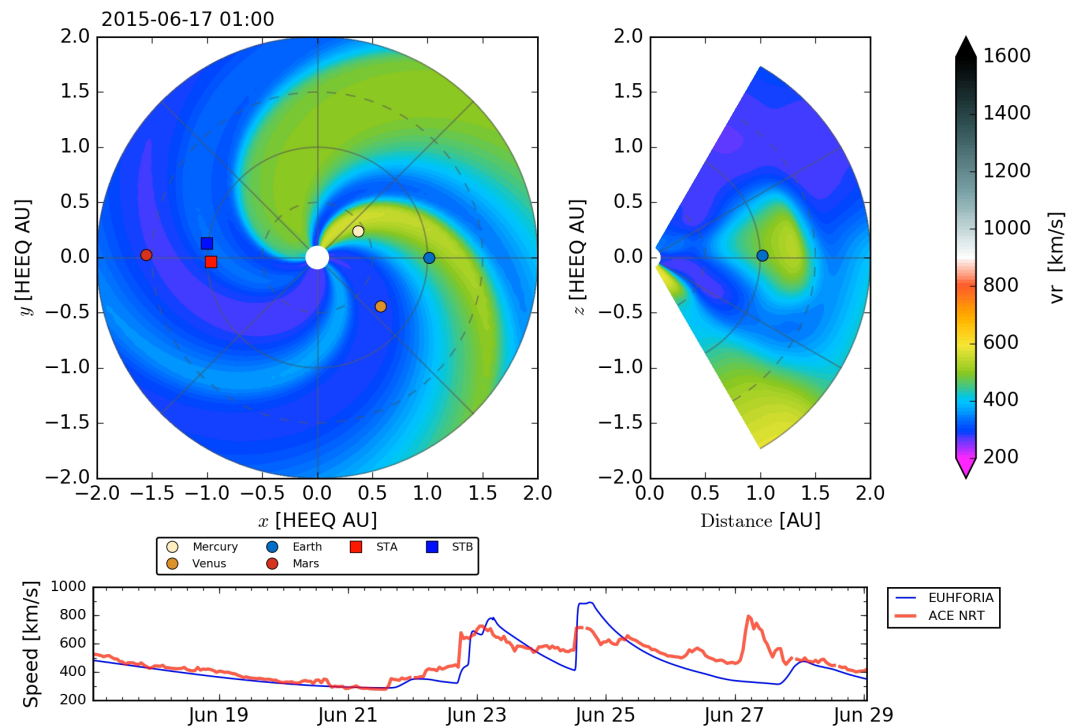
SCS model

( $2.3 R_{\text{sun}}$  -  $10 R_{\text{sun}}$ )

MHD parameters ( $0.1 \text{ AU}$ ) using empirical relations

Solar wind relaxation

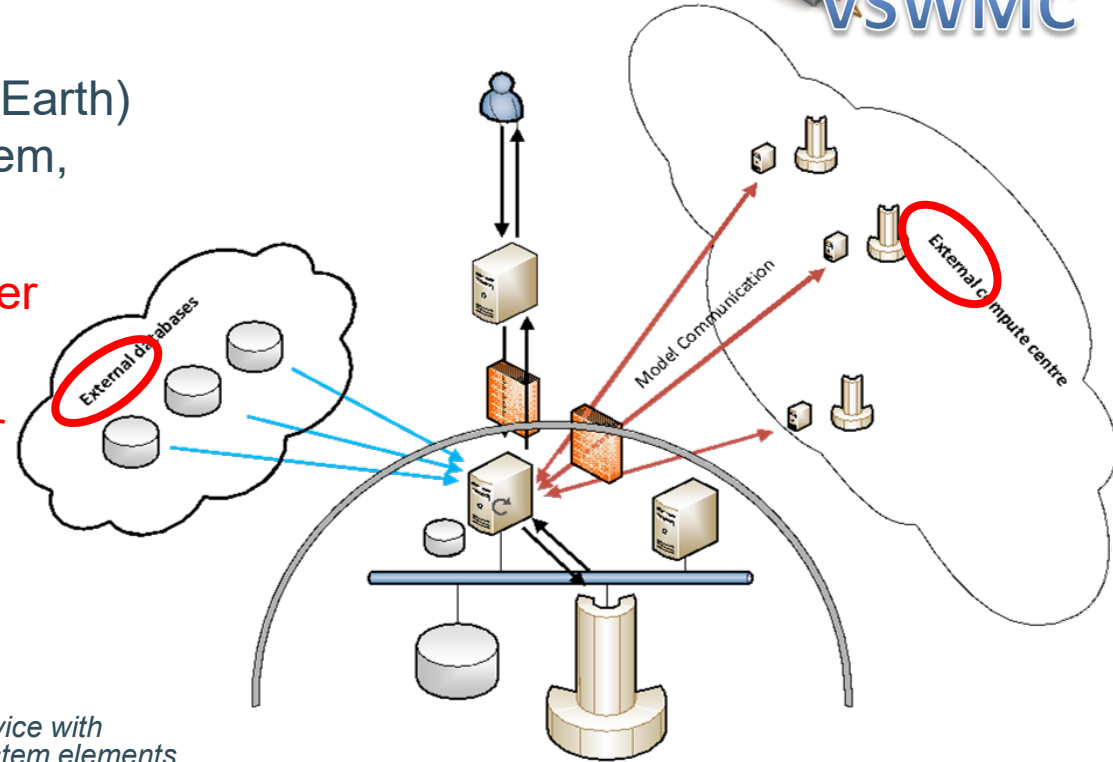
**Heliosphere:**  
3D time dependent ideal MHD model



# Virtual SWE Modelling Centre



- An **open end-to-end** (Sun to Earth) space weather modeling system,
- enabling to ***interactively* run & "couple" various space weather models** in an integrated tool,
- with the models located **either locally or geographically distributed** ( $\neq$  CCMC)



*Basic set-up of federated service with geographically distributed system elements*

# VSWMC models (operational (17) and **operational soon (5)**)



## Solar corona models:

- Multi-VP
- Wind-Predict
- EUHFORIA-corona (WSA)
- **COCONUT**
- **COCONUT-TDm/RBSL**

## Inner heliosphere wind and CME evolution models :

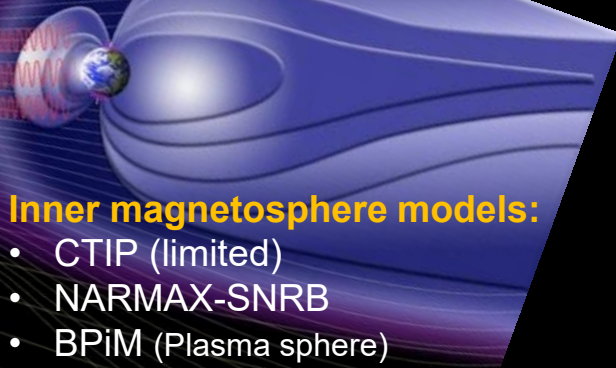
- EUHFORIA
- **ICARUS**

## SEP models :

- SPARX
- **PARADISE (/ PARASOL?)**

## Magnetosphere models:

- GUMICS-4
- GORGON-Space



## Inner magnetosphere models:

- CTIP (limited)
- NARMAX-SNRB
- BPiM (Plasma sphere)
- NARMAX-SNGI (Kp + Dst)
- Dst, Kp, magnetopause stand-off distance
- MCM-DTM
- *DICTAT & IMPTAM*
- **CTIP extended**

# EUHFORIA in the e-Science Centre



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## EUHFORIA: EUropean Heliospheric FORecasting Information Asset

EUHFORIA (EUropean Heliospheric FORecasting Information Asset) consists of two main parts: a semi-empirical coronal model, the purpose of which is to determine the plasma environment of the solar wind at the location of the inner boundary of the heliospheric module, and the heliospheric model, which provides the dynamics of the background solar wind with superposed CMEs into the inner heliosphere by numerical evolution of the MHD equations. EUHFORIA runs at the Virtual Space Weather Modeling Center (VSWMC) on the ESA Space Weather Network (ESA-SWE) website (<https://swe.ssa.esa.int>). VSWMC is an interactive modeling system developed for space weather research from the Sun to the Earth. It allows users to run different tools stand-alone or in combination with models that are locally or geographically dispersed.

### Identifier Properties

<b>Local ID</b>	DataCollection_EUHFORIA
<b>Namespace</b>	kul
<b>Version</b>	2
<b>Created</b>	Tuesday 28th Feb. 2023, 01:30:00
<b>Last Modified</b>	Monday 24th April 2023, 18:56:00

### Interact

Interaction Method	Description	Data Format	Link
Direct Link to Data Collection	The ESA-SWE website requires an account to run. Once received, go to the VSWMC webpage and select: "NEW RUN". From the list of model chains that appear, you can choose those that contain EUHFORIA, or separately the coronal and heliospheric EUHFORIA models. Also, the	<a href="#">image/png</a> (click the link to show information on this ontology term)	<a href="#">Open Latest VSWMC ESA-SWE Landing Page in new tab</a> 

# Short demo *(slide show of screen prints)*

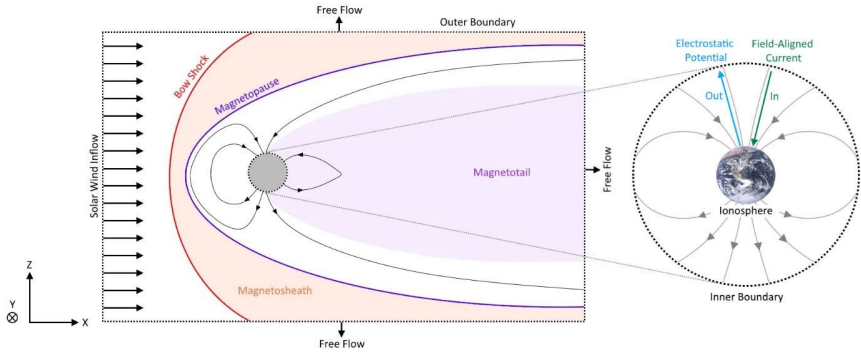
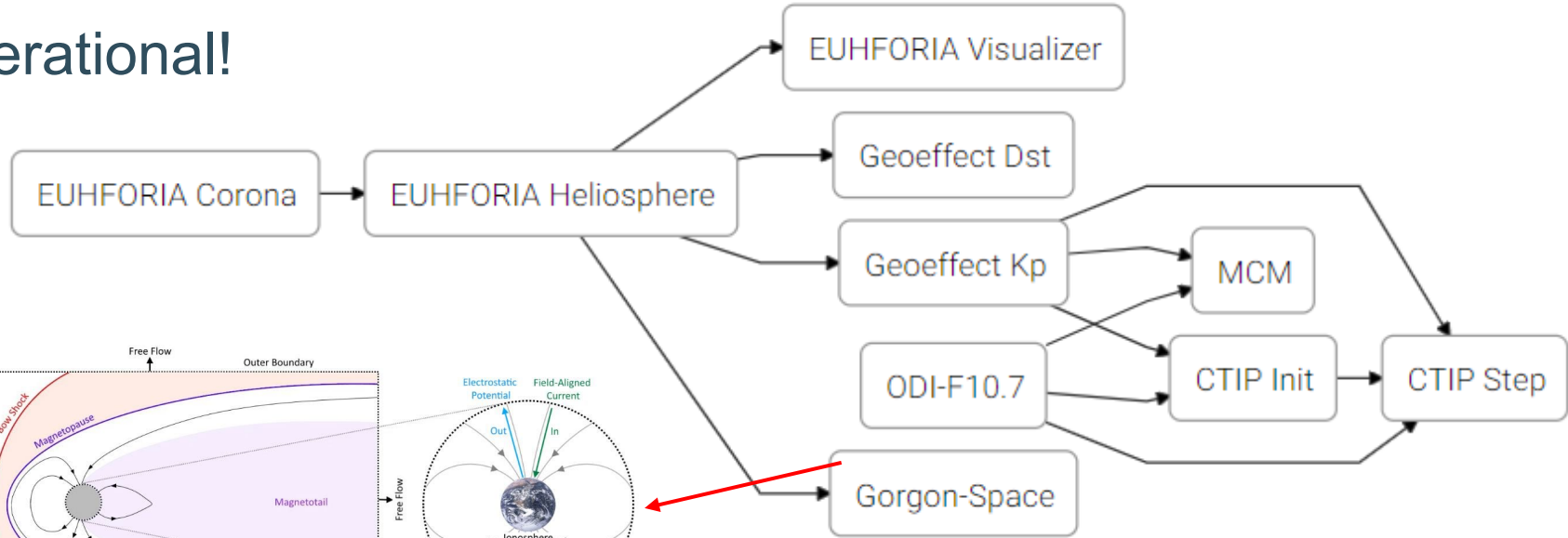
# Coupling of models via the VSWMC

- **New ‘trend’** in space weather modelling
  
- **Enables *better* predictions**
  - Example: MULTI-VP + EUHFORIA Heliosphere
    - *Better capturing of HSSs due to improved coronal model (Multi-VP vs WSA)*
  - Example: EUHFORIA + PARADISE (SEP model)
    - *Using (EUHFORIA) simulated IMF instead of Parker spiral*
  
- **Enables *earlier* predictions/warnings**
  - Example: EUHFORIA + OpenGGCM/Gorgon/GUMICS
    - replacing L1 data by synthetic/simulated data three days ahead
    - *Enables forecasts 2-3 days ahead instead of nowcasts!*



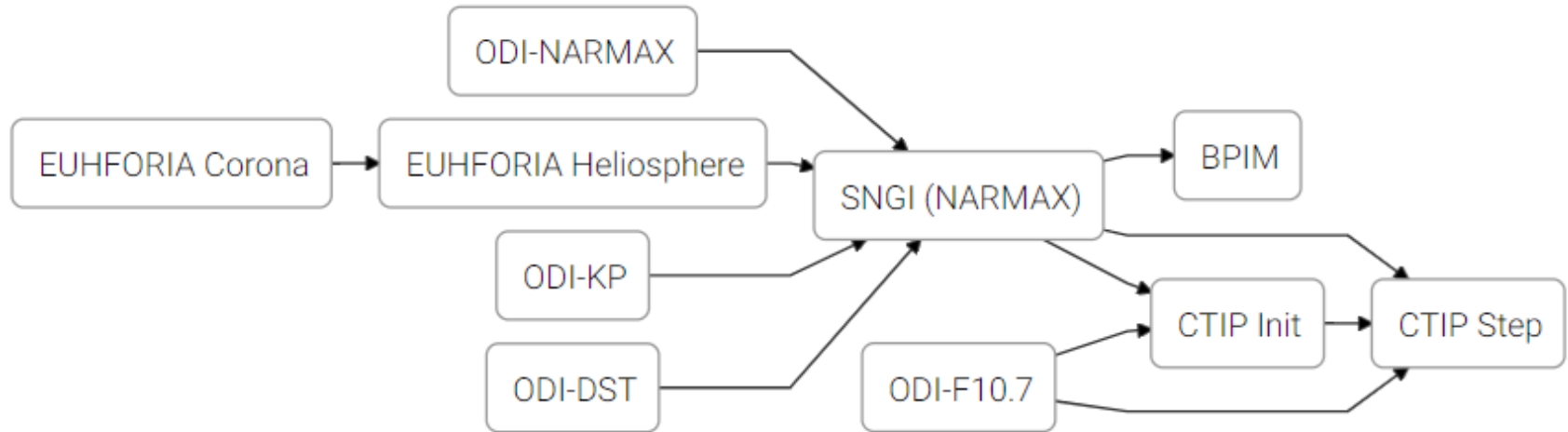
# New Sun-to-Earth model chains – daily runs

Operational!

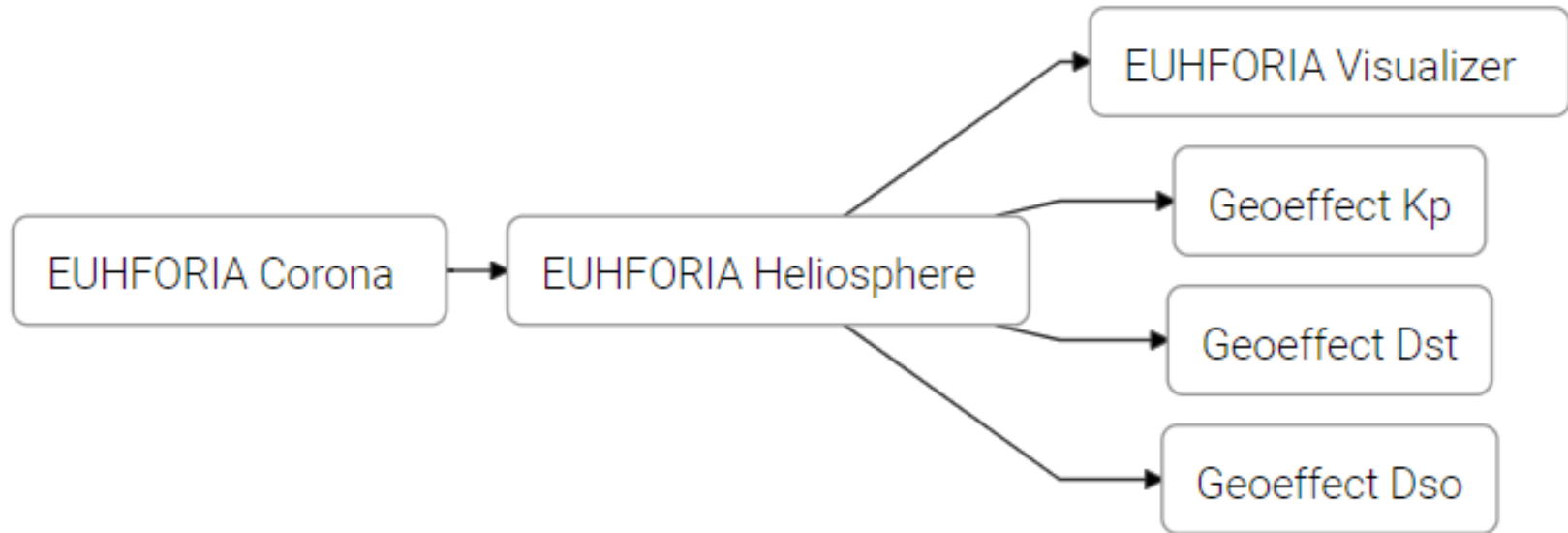


# New Sun-to-Earth model chains

Another 10 model chain example:



# Most used model chain (via CLI)





# VSWMC Command-Line Interface (1)



<https://pypi.org/project/vswmc-cli/>

- Install with pip: `> pip install --upgrade vswmc-cli`

This will install a `vswmc` command on your system. The `vswmc` command has a few global options:

`-u USER`

SSA Username

`-p PASSWORD`

SSA Password



# VSWMC Command-Line Interface (2)



- List available simulations:

```
> vswmc -u username -p password simulations list
```

e.g. *(from D. Barnes)*

```
VSWMC CLI version 2.0.6
Session invalid, re-initializing
ID                NAME                MODELS
euhforia          EUHFORIA            euhforia_corona, euhforia_helio, euhforia_visualizer
euhforia-geoeffects EUHFORIA + Indices euhforia_corona, euhforia_helio, euhforia_visualizer, geoeffect-kp, geoeffect-dst, geoeffect-dso
euhforia-basrbm   EUHFORIA + Indices + BAS-RBM euhforia_corona, euhforia_helio, euhforia_visualizer, geoeffect-kp, geoeffect-dst, geoeffect-dso, bas-rbm
euhforia-gumics   EUHFORIA + Indices + GUMICS4 euhforia_corona, euhforia_helio, euhforia_visualizer, geoeffect-kp, geoeffect-dst, geoeffect-dso, gumics4
corona            EUHFORIA Corona     euhforia_corona
odi-ctip          ODI KP + F10.7 + CTIP odi-ctip, ctip-init, ctip-step
odi-gumics4       ODI OMNI Dataset + GUMICS4 odi-gumics4, gumics4
odi-basrbm        OMNI + Indices + BAS-RBM odi-kp, odi-dso, geoeffect-dso, bas-rbm
wind-predict      Wind-Predict         wind-predict
```



# VSWMC Command-Line Interface (3)



- Start a run:

```
> vswmc run [--param-file PARAM_FILE] [--param PARAM=VALUE ...] --  
SIMULATION
```

This command returns the ID of the new run via stdout. You can use this ID to fetch the log or fetch result files.

## OPTIONS

```
--param-file PARAM_FILE
```

Read parameters from a file.

```
--param PARAM=VALUE ...
```

Set parameters.

# VSWMC Command-Line Interface (4)



- Input parameters:

```
> vswmc -u username -p password simulations describe euhforia
```

```
VSWMC CLI version 2.0.4
- key: magnetogram
  required: yes
- key: grid
  required: yes
  choices: low, medium, high
- key: cmes
  required: no
```

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✓ EUHFORIA #600	Parametrize EUHFORIA
⌚ Duration: 2h 15m	
📅 Finished: 28 minutes ago	
✓ EUHFORIA Corona #41	Magnetogram Source
⌚ Duration: 5m 57s	🔍 Search Product Catalog
📅 Finished: 19 months ago	📄 Upload Product
	Computational Grid
	<input type="radio"/> Low Resolution (num_radial=256, angular_resolution=4.0)
	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Medium Resolution (num_radial=512, angular_resolution=2.0)
	<input type="radio"/> High Resolution (num_radial=1024, angular_resolution=2.0)
	CME
	🔍 Search Product Catalog
	📄 Upload Product
	📌 Add CME



# VSWMC Command-Line Interface (5)

Filter on simulation

List all runs (default shows only ongoing)

- List runs:

```
> vswmc ps [--simulation SIMULATION] [-a, --all]
```

*e.g. (from D. Barnes, with ps -a)*

ID	NAME	STATUS	SUBMITTED	STARTED	FINISHED
5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc	EUHFORIA #600	RUNNING	2020-10-12T07:00:52.937Z	2020-10-12T07:00:53.078904Z	
5f82ada3b16a671f66c84122	EUHFORIA #599	TERMINATED	2020-10-11T07:00:51.715Z	2020-10-11T07:00:51.918660Z	2020-10-12T01:44:20.131620Z
5f815c24b16a671f66c83f48	EUHFORIA #598	TERMINATED	2020-10-10T07:00:52.179Z	2020-10-10T07:00:52.357895Z	2020-10-10T12:25:31.541945Z
5f800a8eb16a671f66c83d62	EUHFORIA #597	TERMINATED	2020-10-09T07:00:30.245Z	2020-10-09T07:00:30.360185Z	2020-10-09T15:12:57.647570Z
5f7eb90bb16a671f66c83b88	EUHFORIA #596	TERMINATED	2020-10-08T07:00:27.273Z	2020-10-08T07:00:27.424617Z	2020-10-08T12:07:26.010335Z
5f7dd7c8b16a671f66c839ae	EUHFORIA #595	TERMINATED	2020-10-07T14:59:20.145Z	2020-10-07T14:59:20.279469Z	2020-10-07T21:49:33.961378Z
5f757e8cb16a67e30d5894d0	EUHFORIA #594	TERMINATED	2020-10-01T07:00:28.078Z	2020-10-01T07:00:28.193018Z	2020-10-01T12:11:39.079317Z
5f72dbb8b16a67e30d5893a7	EUHFORIA #593	TERMINATED	2020-09-29T07:01:12.424Z	2020-09-29T07:01:12.605874Z	2020-09-29T08:47:53.989099Z
5f718a36b16a67e30d589282	EUHFORIA #592	TERMINATED	2020-09-28T07:01:10.301Z	2020-09-28T07:01:10.536291Z	2020-09-28T08:48:16.188688Z
5f70388cb16a67e30d58915d	EUHFORIA #591	TERMINATED	2020-09-27T07:00:28.442Z	2020-09-27T07:00:28.662774Z	2020-09-27T08:46:08.123191Z
5f6ee72eb16a67e30d589038	EUHFORIA #590	TERMINATED	2020-09-26T07:01:02.051Z	2020-09-26T07:01:02.184995Z	2020-09-26T08:35:08.945211Z





# Fetching results



- Checking the status of a run:

```
> vswmc -u USERNAME -p PASSWORD ps -a | grep "5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc"
```

```
5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc EUHFORIA #600 TERMINATED
```

- Printing the logs of a run:

```
> vswmc -u USERNAME -p PASSWORD logs 5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc
```

- List all results files from a run:

```
> vswmc -u USERNAME -p PASSWORD ls -l 5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc
```

- Copy results files of a run:

```
> vswmc -u USERNAME -p PASSWORD cp 5f83ff24b16a671f66c842fc:euhforia_Earth.dsv $resdir
```



# Using the VSWMC API with scripts

cfr. David Barnes



```
#!/bin/bash

IDLDIR="/users/davidbarnes/Documents/Programs/IDL/"
SCRDIR="/users/davidbarnes/Documents/Programs/scripts/"
DATADIR="/users/davidbarnes/Documents/Data/EUHFORIA/testdir/"

#get the start time
YYYY=$(date +%Y); MM=$(date +%m); DD=$(date +%d); hh=$(date +%H)
YY=$(echo $YYYY | tr "20" "\n") && YY=$(echo $YY | tr " " "\n")

#get the ENLIL cone file and convert to EUHFORIA format
DATADIR=${DATADIR}$YYYY"/"$MM"/"$DD"/MHD_COMPARE/"
conein='cone2bc.in' && coneout='euhforia_cone_'$YYYY$MM$DD't'$hh'.txt'
idl << EOD
.r $IDLDIR/euhforia/convert_cone
convert_cone "$DATADIR" "$conein" "$coneout"
EOD

#get magnetogram file
file='mrbqs'$YY$MM$DD't'$hh'*.fits.gz'
magfile=$(ls $DATADIR"gong2.nso.edu/"$file)

#submit job to VSWMC and record ID
export id=$(vswmc -u $user -p $pass run --param magnetogram=$magfile \
grid=medium cmes=$DATADIR$coneout -- euhforia)
```

```
#!/bin/bash

info=$(vswmc -u $user -p $pass ps -a | grep "sid")
fields=$(echo $info | tr " " "\n") && i=0
for x in $fields
do
    lines[$i]=$x
    i=$(expr $i + 1)
done
status=${lines[3]}
echo $status

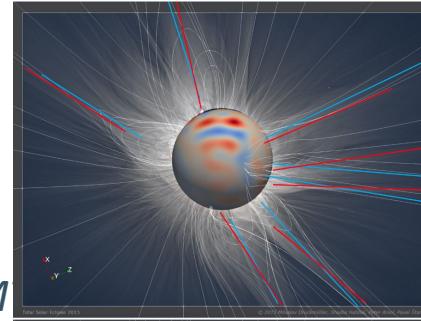
if [ "$status" == "RUNNING" ]
then
    echo $id
fi

if [ "$status" == "TERMINATED" ]
then
    vswmc -u $user -p $pass cp $id:euhforia_Earth.dsv $RESDIR
fi
```

# New ESA HMT/EUHFORIA 2.0 models



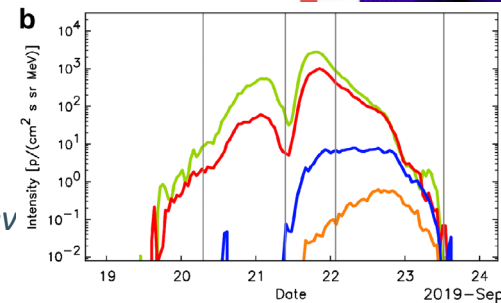
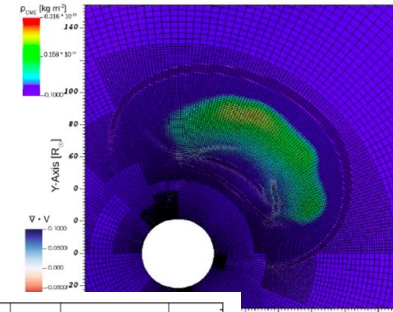
(these models are being added now)



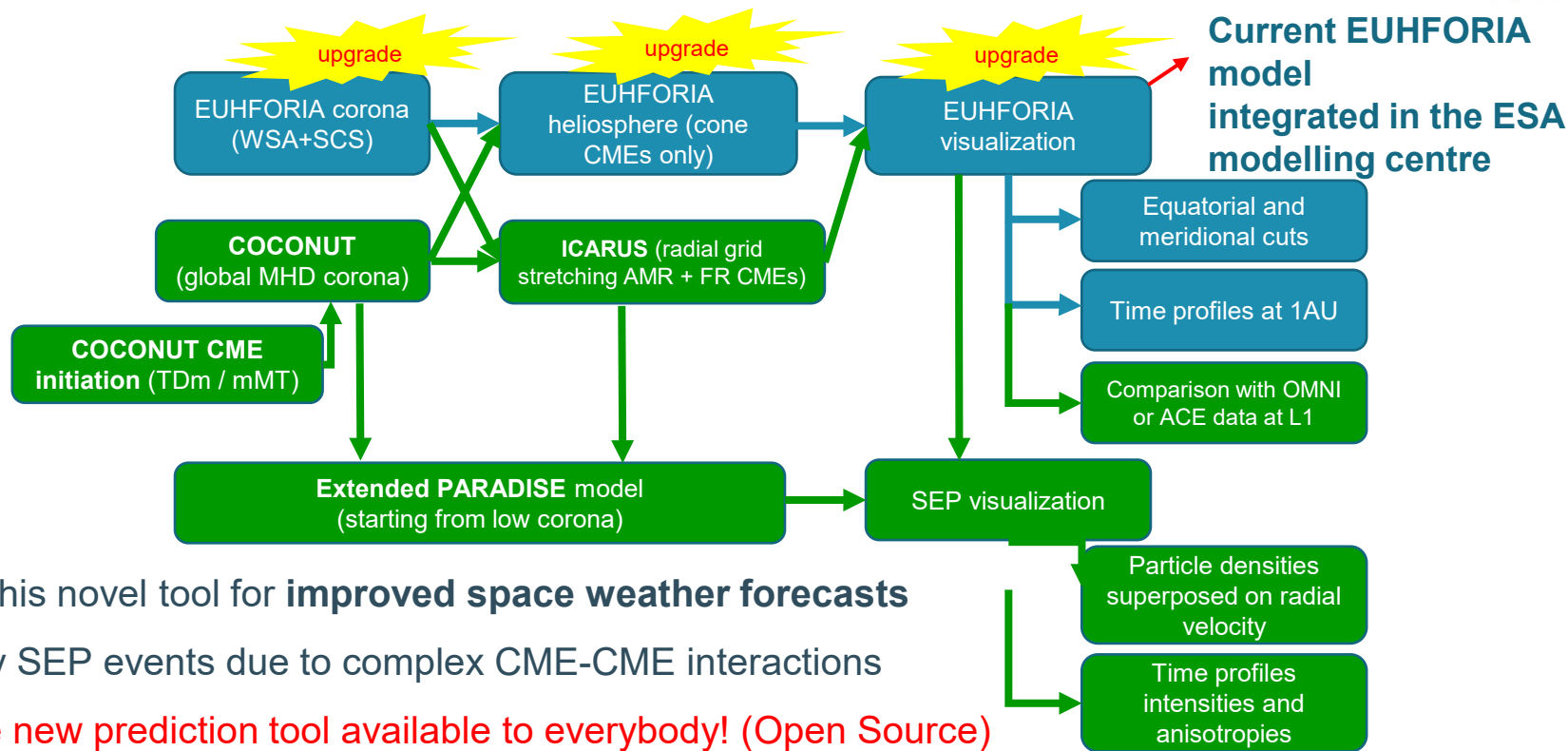
1. **COCONUT** (global MHD EUHFORIA-corona)  
+ FR CME models (*TDM, mM*)

2. **ICARUS** (more efficient EUHFORIA-heliosphere)  
+ advanced FR CME models  
(*FRI3D, Gibson & Low, torus CMEs*)

3. **PARADISE** (SEP acceleration and transport,  
using EUHFORIA as background wind and CME ev



# Next upgrade (ESA HMT project)



- Use this novel tool for **improved space weather forecasts**
- Study SEP events due to complex CME-CME interactions
- **Make new prediction tool available to everybody! (Open Source)**



# Summary



- EUHFORIA models the environment from Sun to Earth and beyond
- VSWMC integrates different models
- Since 6 October 2022 the VSWMC was extended:
  - *15+ operational models*
  - *many extra model chains operational*
- *The VSWMC GUI functionality is accessible via a CLI*
- *Simulations can be requested via scripting*
- *More models and model couplings will be added soon*

# THANK YOU!



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