# US Arrival Heights Noise Survey

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#### Abstract

The purpose of this document is organize and display VLF and ELF spectograms around several key noise survey events. Spectrograms for VLF come first followed by ELF as noted in the individual figure labeling. Times for all events are in UT and take place during the year 2011 and have the following format: Day - HH:MM:SS. In general most of the times are approximate within a few seconds to a few minutes.

Almost all of the data plots correspond directly to their associated event time stamps except for a few cases where the system was stopped. In these cases the stop time would be a few minutes before the actual end of generated data but there was a desire to explicitly show the end of data acquisition. It is also important to note that generally the data one minute before was favored instead of on minute after. For example, if an event takes places at 00:30:30 the figures displayed would be for 00:29:00-00:30:00 and 00:30:00-00:31:00. If the event took place closer to 59 seconds then the current and next minute figures were used; an event at 00:30:50 would have figures displaying 00:30:00-00:31:00 and 00:31:00-00:32:00.

While there is a considerable amount of data and events in this document there are times when there isn't data or the exact time is unknown; In either case an X is used. When the X precedes an event it indicates that there is no data for this even and when the X fills a slot in the time format, such as 00:03:XX, it indicates the exact time is unknown. When the exact time is unknown and there is data available the best guess for figure timing is made given the average time between events for a given test.

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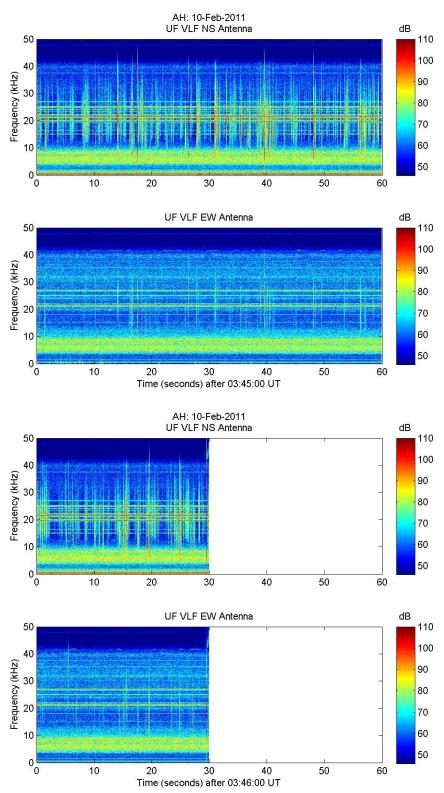
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## 0.1 Day 41 - Kludge Box Replacement

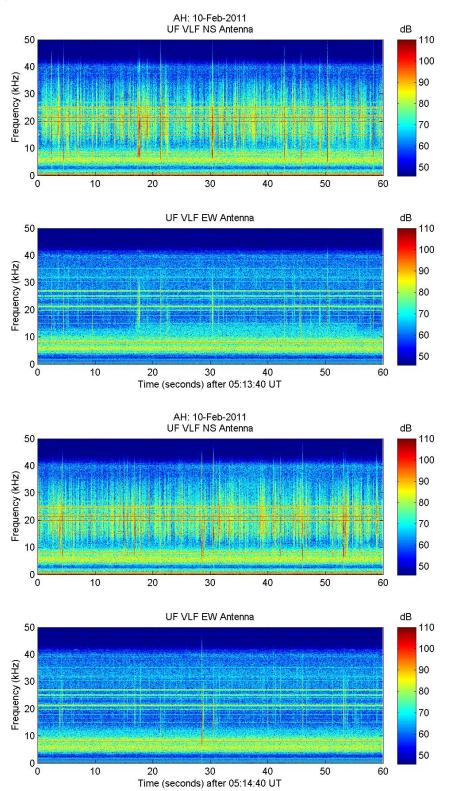
41 -  $03{:}44{:}50$  - DAQ software stopped, begin kludge box replacement

41 - 05:13:40 - Kludge box changed, ADC Channels changed; acquiring data

## $0.1.1\quad 41$ - $03{:}44{:}50$ - DAQ software stopped, begin kludge box replacement



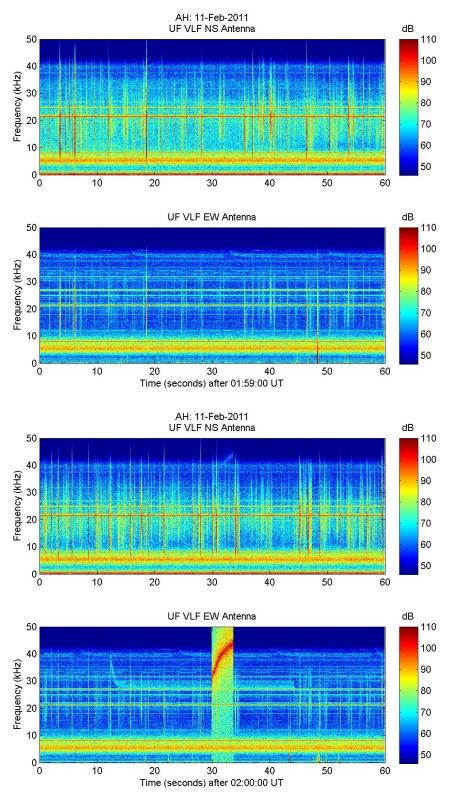
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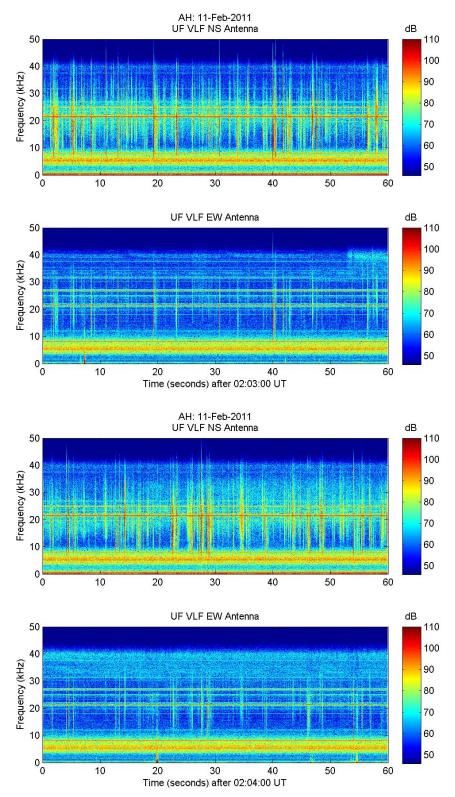
## 0.2 Day 42 - Transformer Installation

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- 42 02:03:45 Wall power off, all systems switched to battery backups
- 42  $02{:}26{:}45$  Full Power Returned
- 42 02:28 + /-1 Power lost temporarily
- 42  $02{:}34{:}58$  Full power returned
- 42 02:37:30 ELF/VLF Receiver on battery backup
- 42  $02{:}40{:}10$   $\mathrm{ELF/VLF}$  Receiver back on wall power

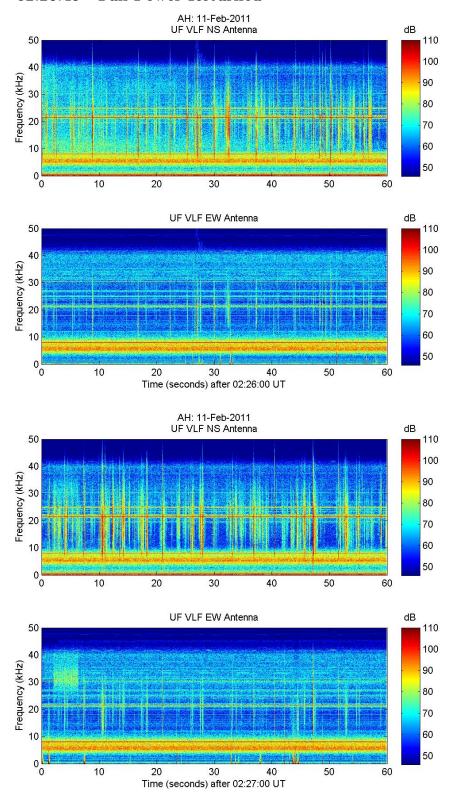
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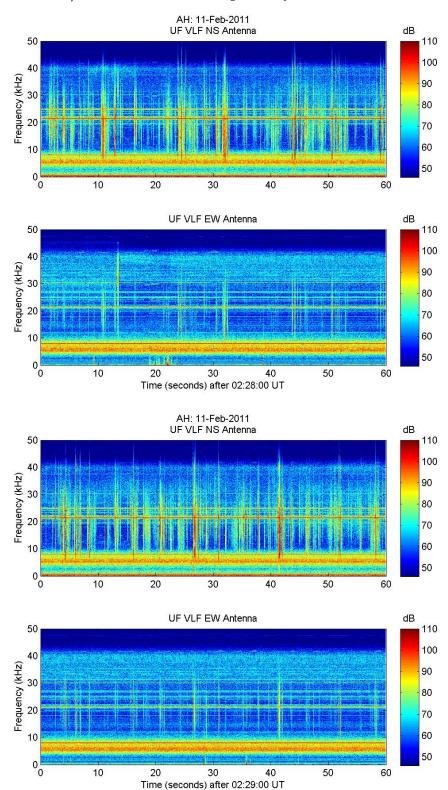
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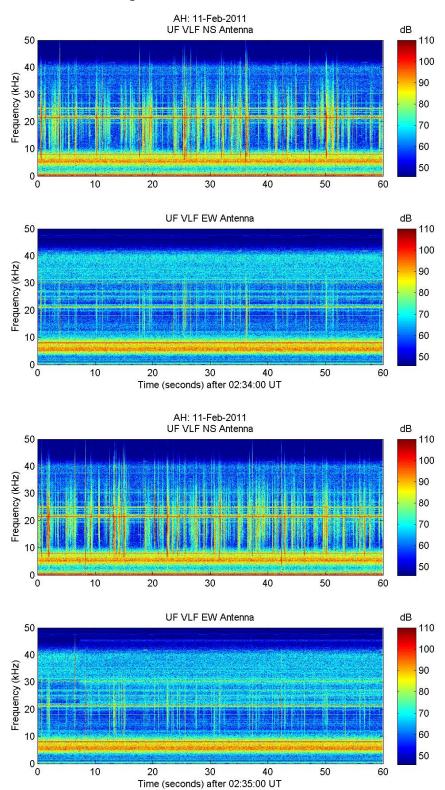
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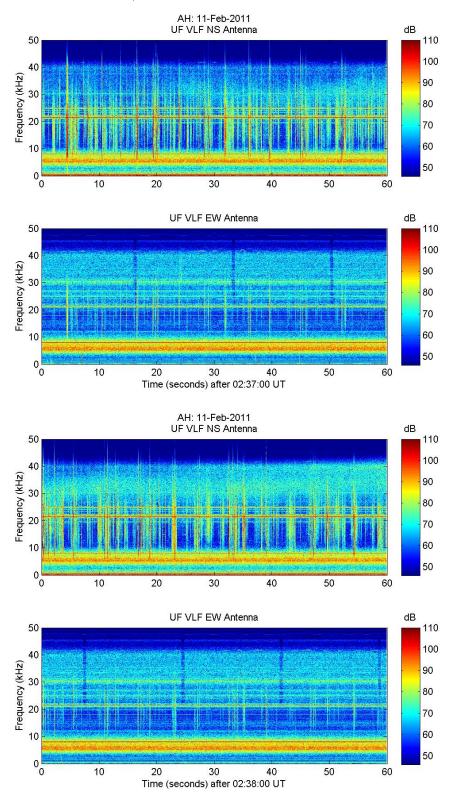
### $0.2.4 ext{ } 42 - 02:28 + /-1 - Power lost temporarily$



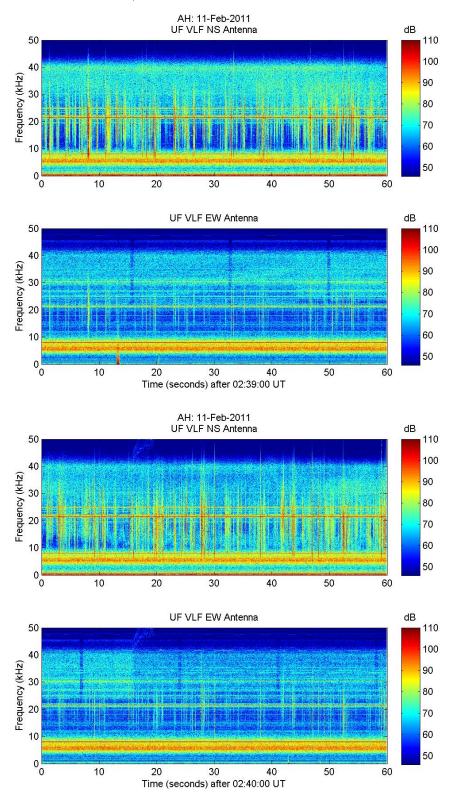
## $0.2.5\quad 42$ - $02{:}34{:}58$ - Full power returned



0.2.6 42 - 02:37:30 - ELF/VLF Receiver on battery backup



0.2.7 42 - 02:40:10 - ELF/VLF Receiver back on wall power

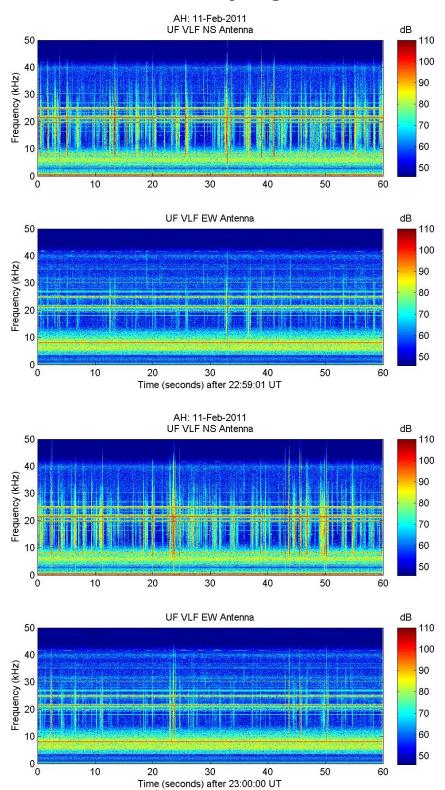


## 0.3 Day 42 - LIDAR Operation

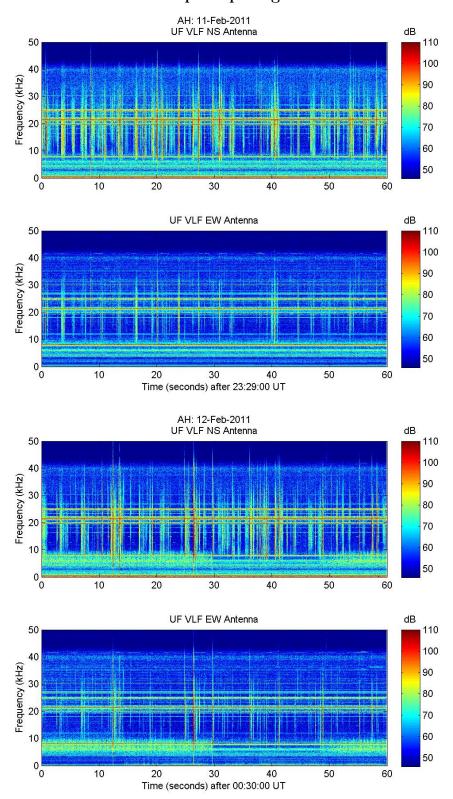
-  $23{:}00{:}00$  - LIDAR starts acquiring data

-  $23{:}59{:}00$  - LIDAR stops acquiring data

### 0.3.1 42 - 23:00:00 - LIDAR starts acquiring data



### $0.3.2\quad 42$ - $23{:}59{:}00$ - LIDAR stops acquiring data

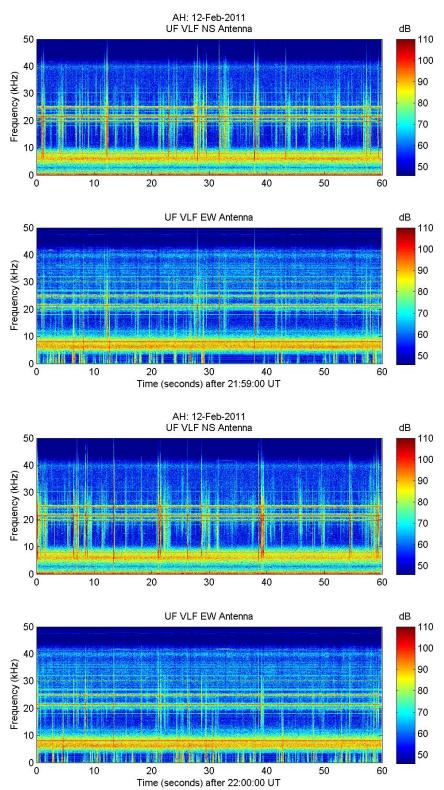


## 0.4 Day 43 to 44 - LIDAR Shutdown

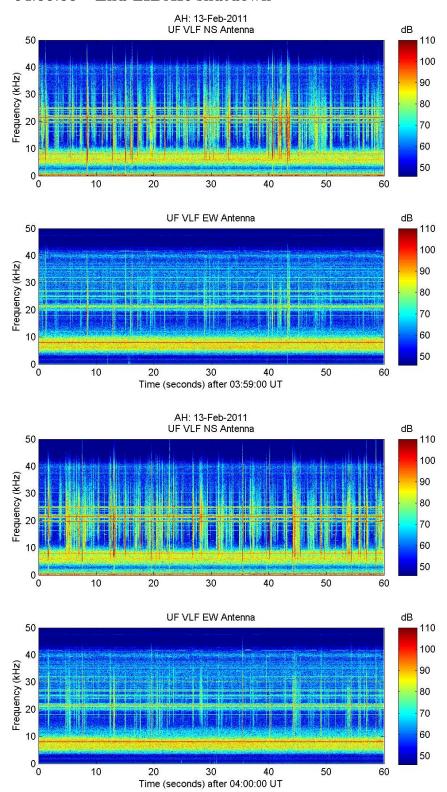
43 -  $22{:}00{:}00$  - Begin LIDAR shutdown

44 - 04:00:00 - End LIDAR shutdown

### $0.4.1\quad 43$ - $22{:}00{:}00$ - Begin LIDAR shutdown



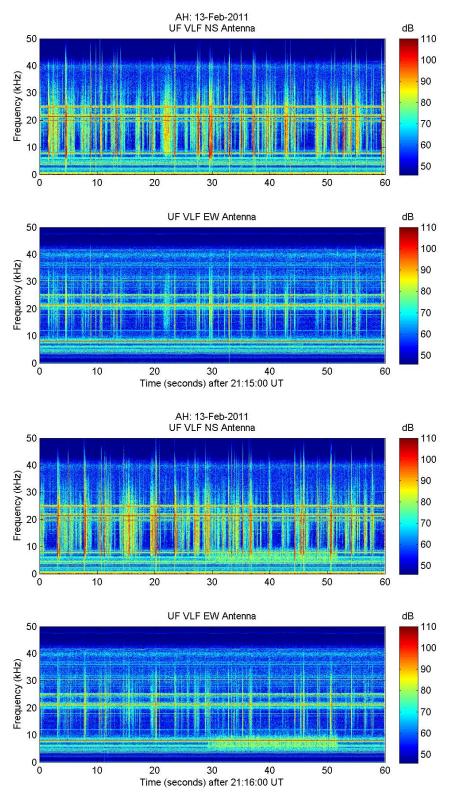
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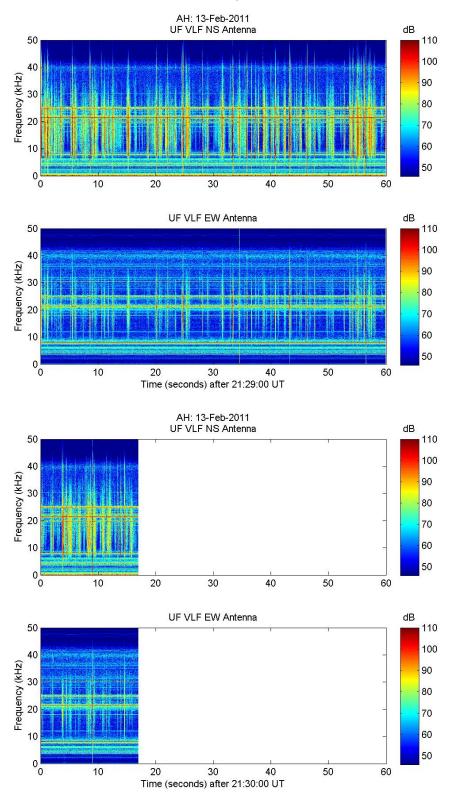
#### 0.5 Day 44 to 45 - Full Site System Shutdown

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44 - 21:16:30 - Kiwi Arrival Heights disconnected from power but still connected to
                 grid; LIDAR still powered
44 - 21:30:00 - Shutdown of VLF/ELF system, begin switch to generator
44 - 21:31:00 - Gonzalos darkroom switch to generator started
X - 44 - 21:32:10 -Darkroom switched to generator; full system runs on 1.2 kW
X - 44 - 21:37:30 - VLF/ELF connected to generator, system restarted
X - 44 - 21:41:00 - GPS locked, system restarted
44 - 21:44:00 - DAQ started acquiring data again
                Other systems taken down:
                    Gonzalos Darkroom
                    Gonzalos UPS
                    A-111
                    UV Monitor
                    Communications and Weather
44 - 21:53:30 - Internet restored
X - 44 - 22:06:15 - Panel B shutdown
X - 44 - 22:07:15 - Panel C shutdown
X - 44 - 22:09:05 - Heaters
X - 44 - 22:10:30 - Head and smoke detectors, fire panel
X - 44 - 22:15:15 - All other breakers
X - 44 - 22:25:00 - Power failure to VLF/ELF System
X - 44 - 22:30:00 - Switched VLF/ELF to wall power
X - 44 - 22:33:XX - Disconnected from wall power to single generator
X - 44 - 22:37:XX - Generator fails to start, switched back to wall power
X - 44 - 22:43:15 - VLF/ELF GPS lock, restarting
44 - 22:49:30 - Generator determined to be putting out 52 V
44 - 22:51:00 - Generator turned off
44 - 22:53:45 - Gonzalos equipment starts being connected to wall power
X - 44 - 22:XX:XX - Gonzalos equipment full connected to wall power
44 - 23:08:00 - Continued problems with system; two restarts, one forced
                 Full spectrogram created, not FTPing
44 - 23:26:00 - Two restarts still not FTPing
45 - 00:40:00 - Shutdown for outlet phase testing
45 - 01:47:29 - Wind turbines off; VLF/ELF and internet running on UPS batteries
45 - 01:58:00 - PC tower UPS connected to wall power
45 - 02:01:30 - UPS disconnected
45 - 02:02:42 - Electronics UPS connected to wall power
45 - 02{:}04{:}15 - Both UPSes connected to wall power
45 - 02:14:43 - System connected to wall power through isolation strips
                Internet UPS connected to wall power
45 - 02:36:00 - Plugged in UPS, not connected to anything
45 - 02:XX:XX - Plugged in 2nd UPS, both are charging
45 - 02:44:35 - Unplugged UPS use by PC; PC still connected to wall power
45 - 02:47:10 - Connected charging UPS to same outlet as power strips
45 - 03:23:00 - Noted that wind turbines are spinning
45 - 03:31:30 - UPSes turned off
45 - 03:36:45 - UPS on for a few minutes, now off
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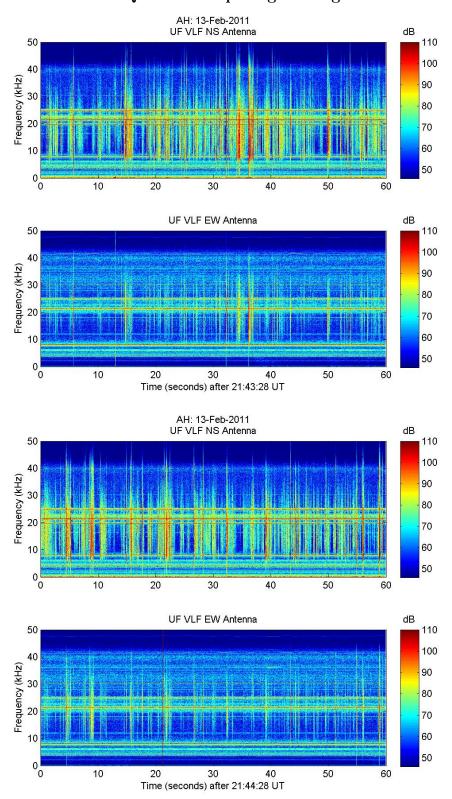
# 0.5.1 44 - 21:16:30 - Kiwi Arrival Heights disconnected from power but still connected to grid; LIDAR still powered



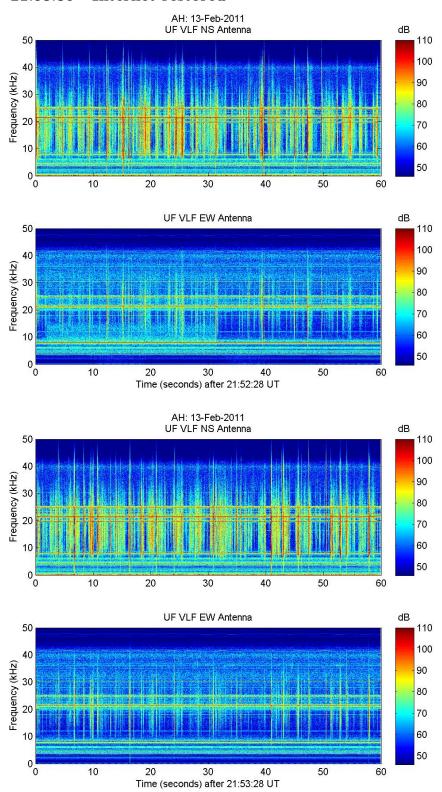
 $0.5.2\quad 44$  -  $21{:}30{:}00$  - Shutdown of VLF/ELF system, begin switch to generator



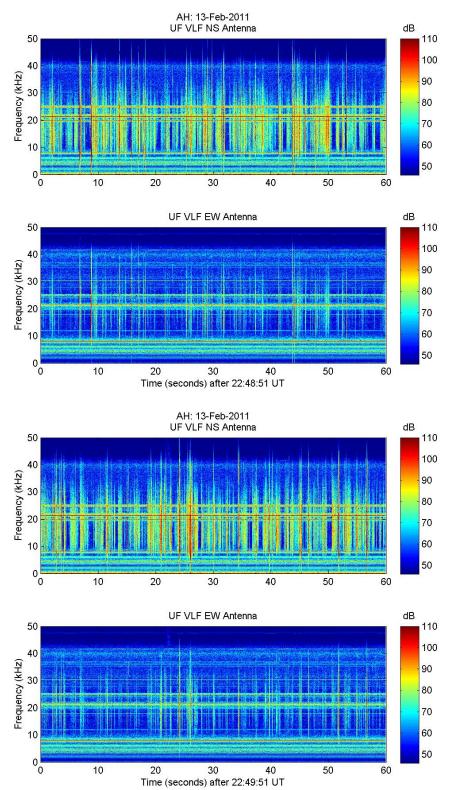
## $0.5.3\quad 44$ - $21{:}44{:}00$ - DAQ started acquiring data again



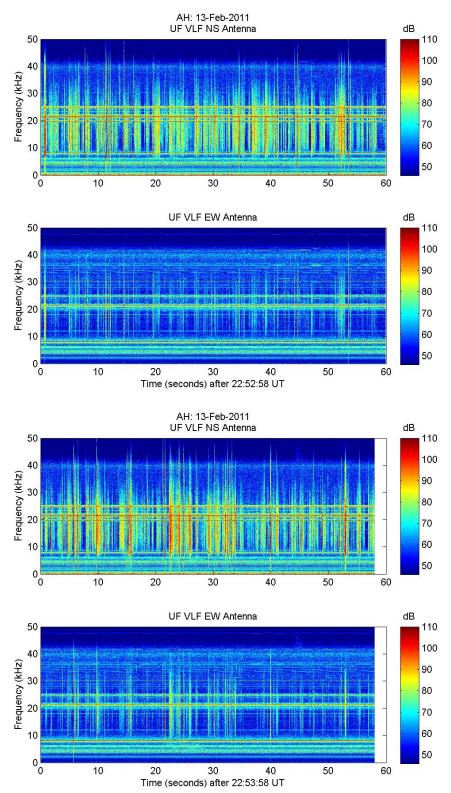
#### 0.5.4 44 - 21:53:30 - Internet restored



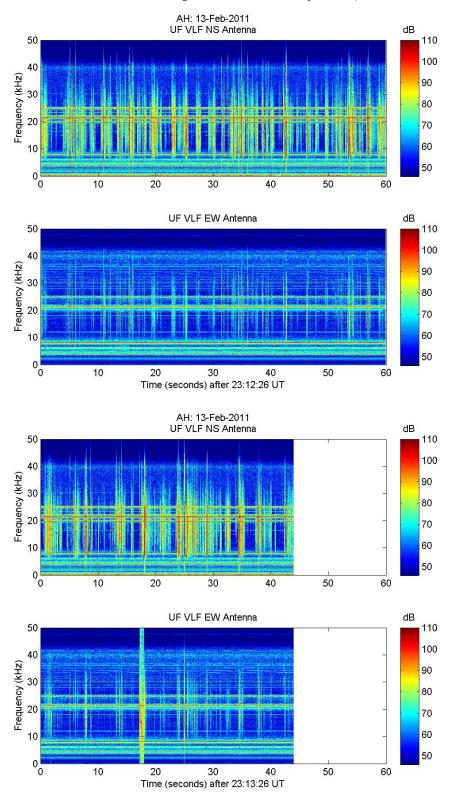
# 0.5.5 44 - 22:49:30 - Generator determined to be putting out 52 V 44 - 22:51:00 - Generator turned off



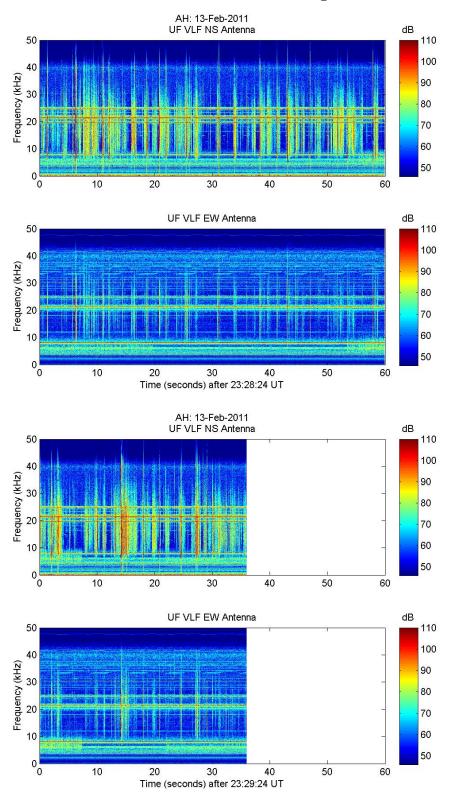
0.5.6 44 - 22:53:45 - Gonzalos equipment starts being connected to wall power



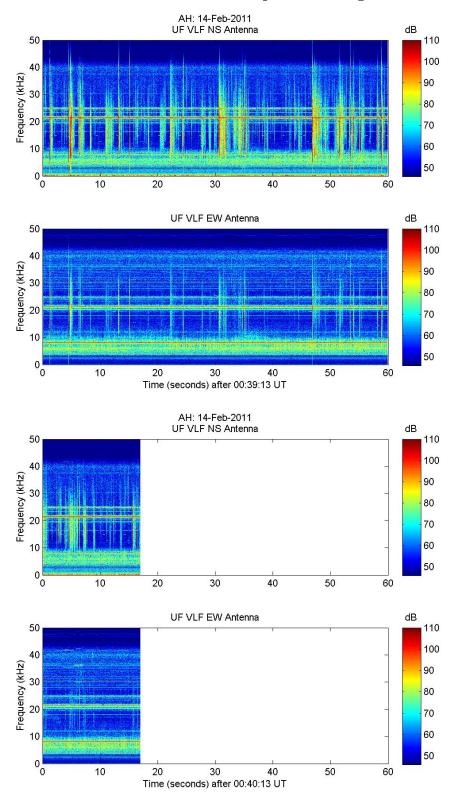
 $0.5.7\quad 44$  -  $23{:}08{:}00$  - Continued problems with system; two restarts, one forced



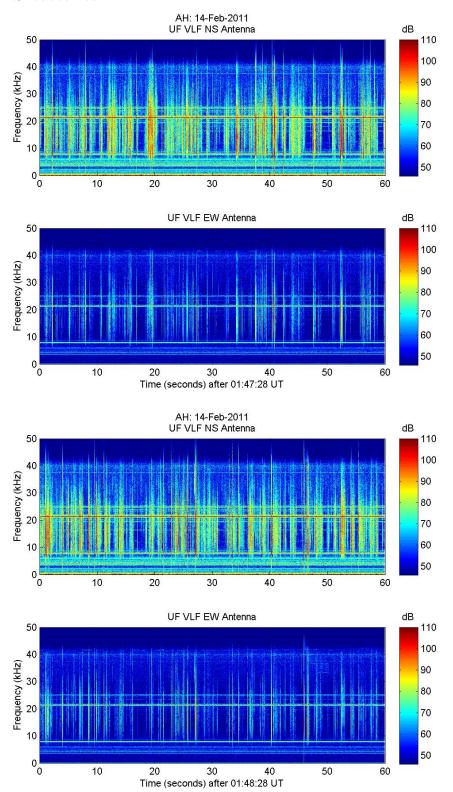
#### 0.5.8 44 - 23:26:00 - Two restarts still not FTPing



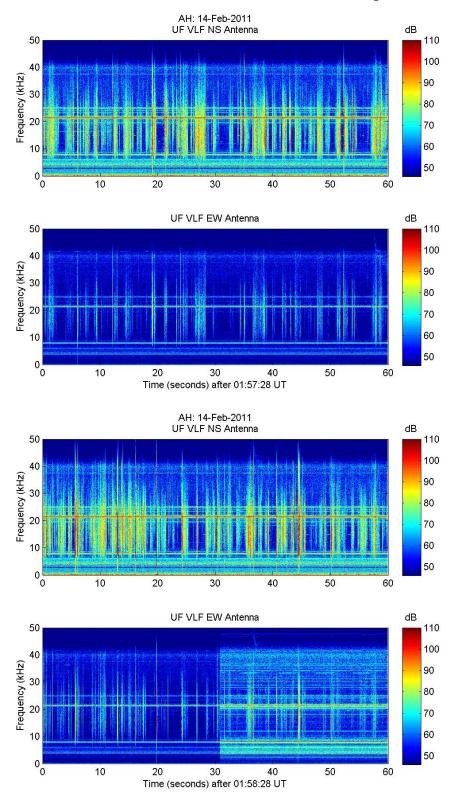
 $0.5.9\quad 45$  -  $00{:}40{:}00$  - Shutdown for outlet phase testing



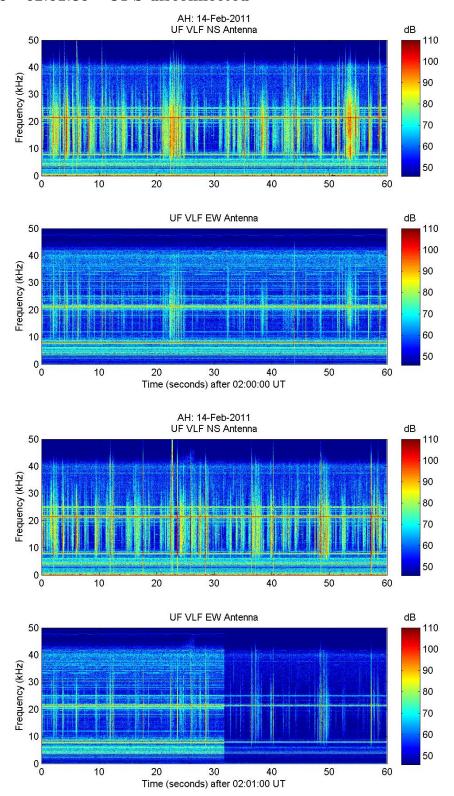
 $0.5.10\quad 45$  -  $01{:}47{:}29$  - Wind turbines off; VLF/ELF and internet running on UPS batteries



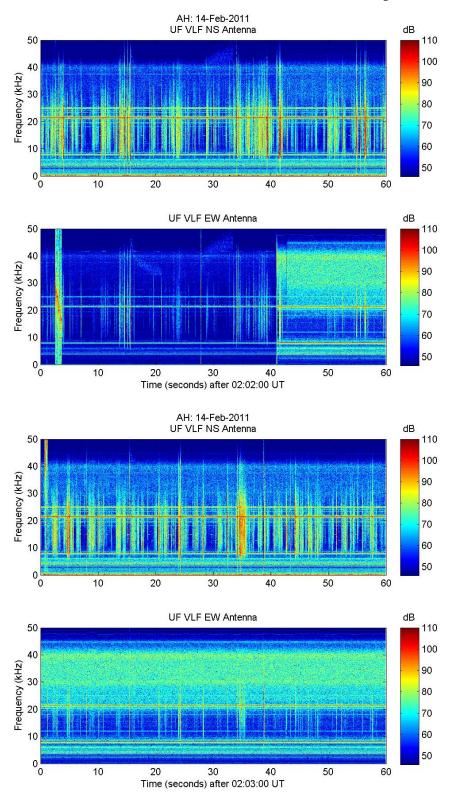
0.5.11 45 - 01:58:00 - PC tower UPS connected to wall power



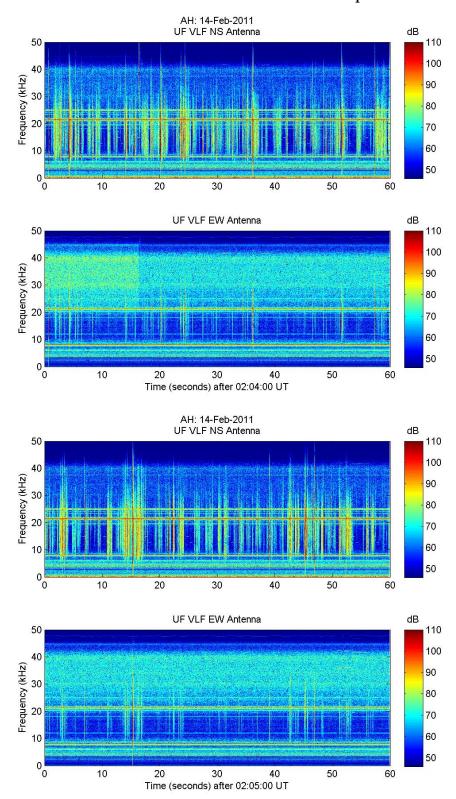
#### 0.5.12 45 - 02:01:30 - UPS disconnected



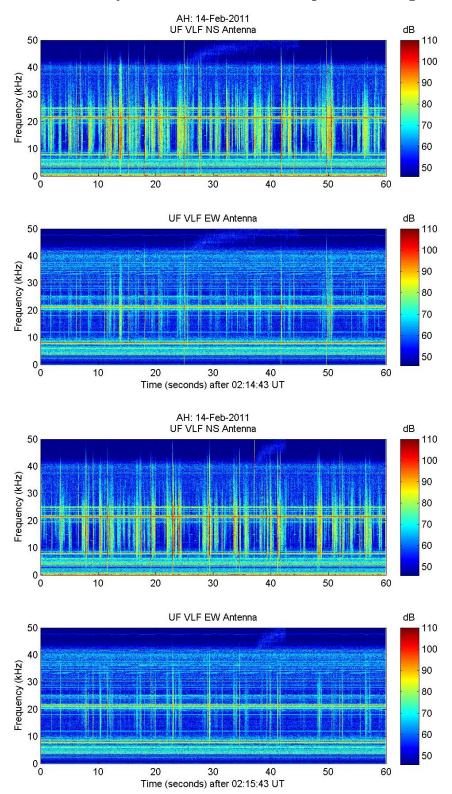
0.5.13 45 - 02:02:42 - Electronics UPS connected to wall power



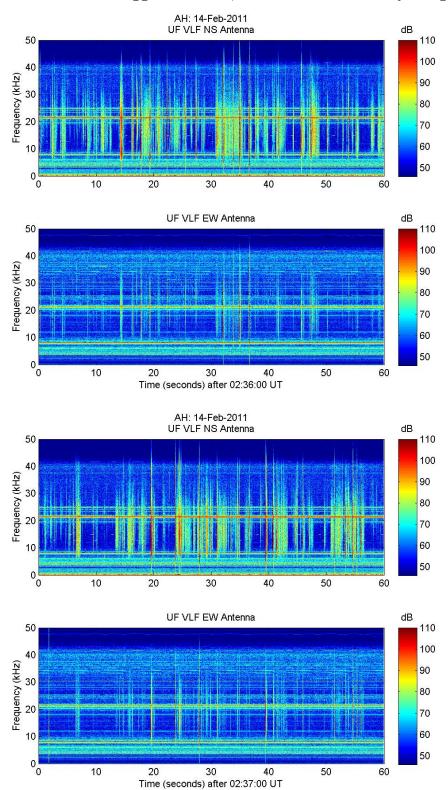
0.5.14 45 - 02:04:15 - Both UPSes connected to wall power



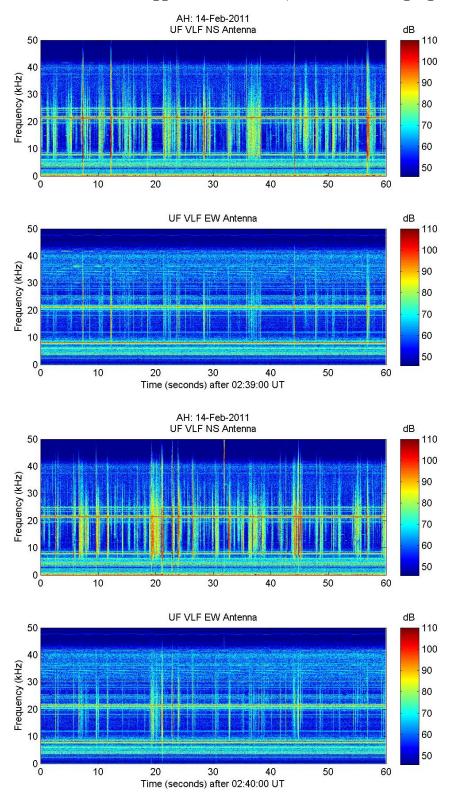
0.5.15 45 - 02:14:43 - System connected to wall power through isolation strips



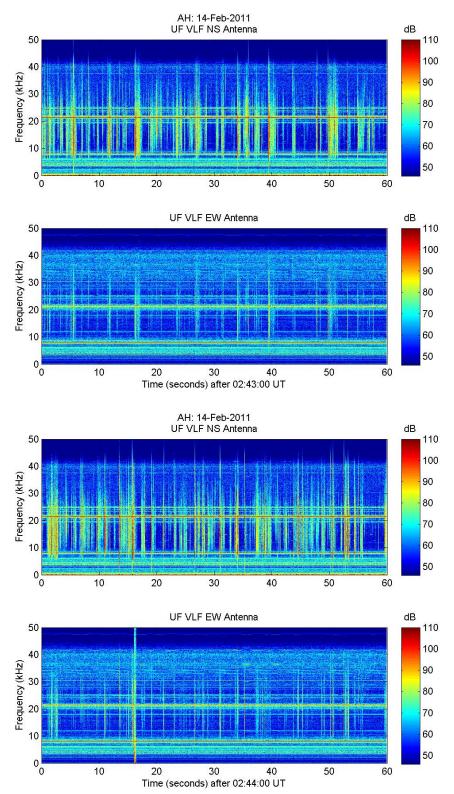
0.5.16 45 - 02:36:00 - Plugged in UPS, not connected to anything



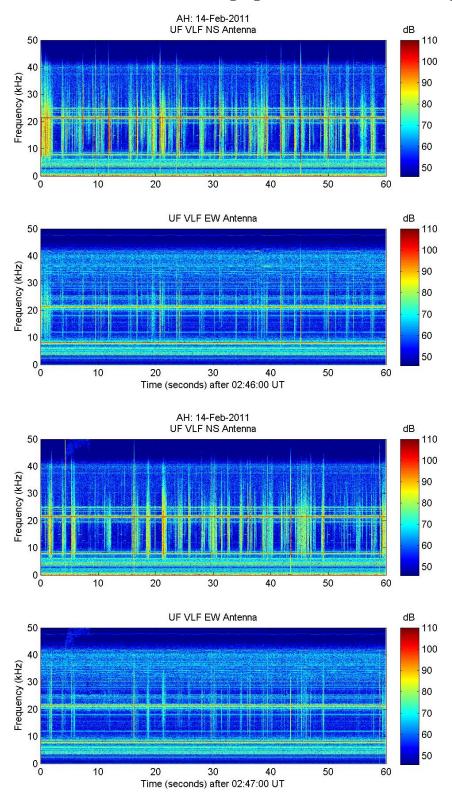
0.5.17 45 - 02:XX:XX - Plugged in 2nd UPS, both are charging



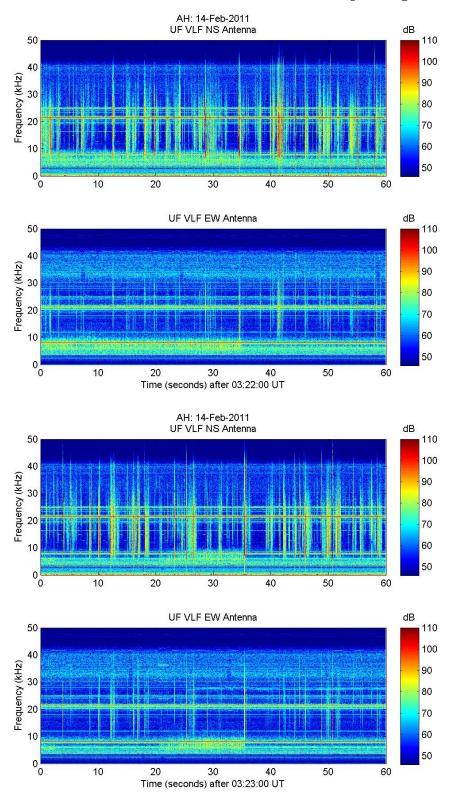
 $0.5.18\quad 45$  -  $02{:}44{:}35$  - Unplugged UPS use by PC; PC still connected to wall power



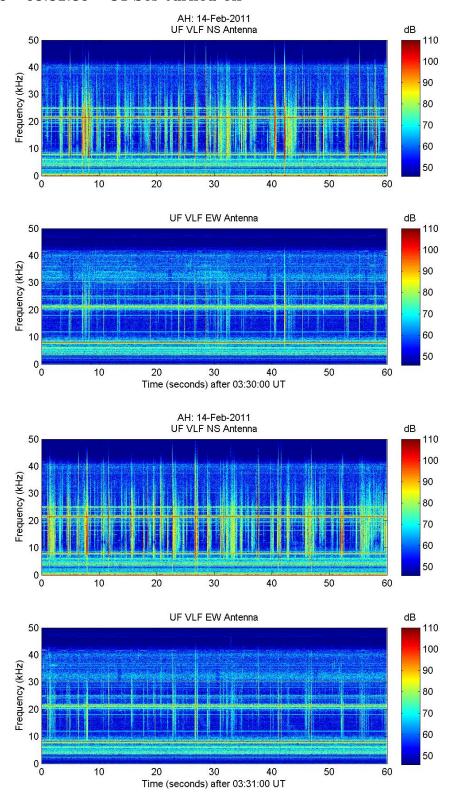
0.5.19 45 - 02:47:10 - Connected charging UPS to same outlet as power strips



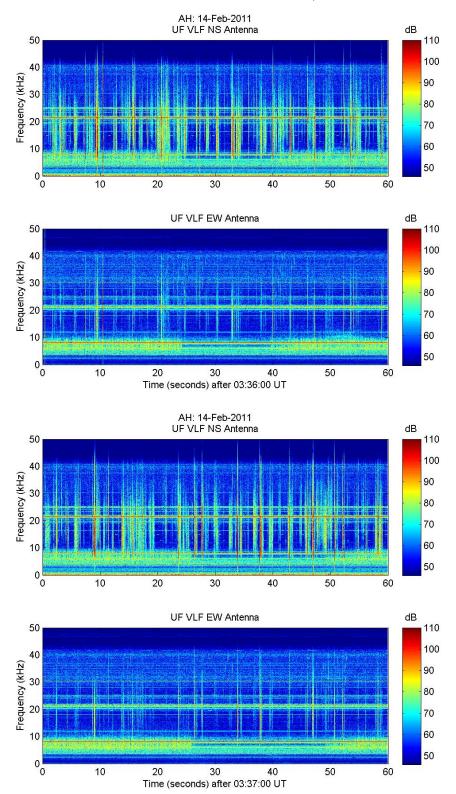
 $0.5.20\quad 45$  -  $03{:}23{:}00$  - Noted that wind turbines are spinning



#### 0.5.21 45 - 03:31:30 - UPSes turned off



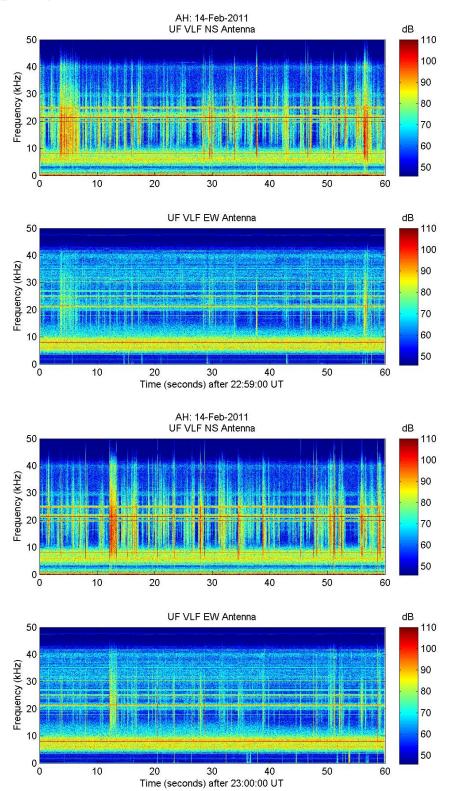
0.5.22 45 - 03:36:45 - UPS on for a few minutes, now off



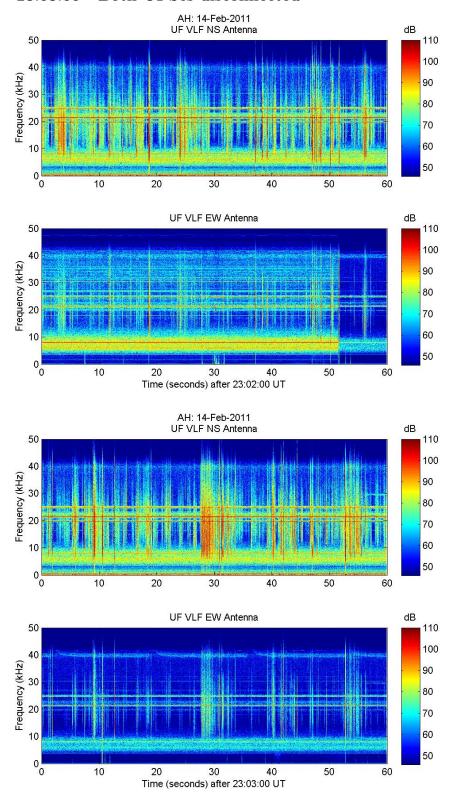
# 0.6 Day 45 - Disconnecting UPSes

- $23{:}00{:}00$  Unplugged UPS connecting Radiometer, Line receivers, and Mixer
- $23{:}03{:}00$  Both UPSes disconnected
- $23{:}04{:}40$  Radiometer, Line receivers, and Mixer UPS connected to power
- $23{:}09{:}00$  Reconnected 2nd UPS

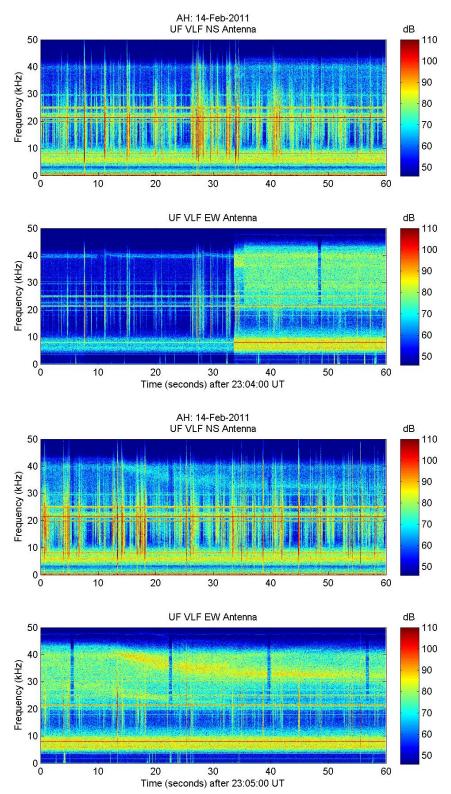
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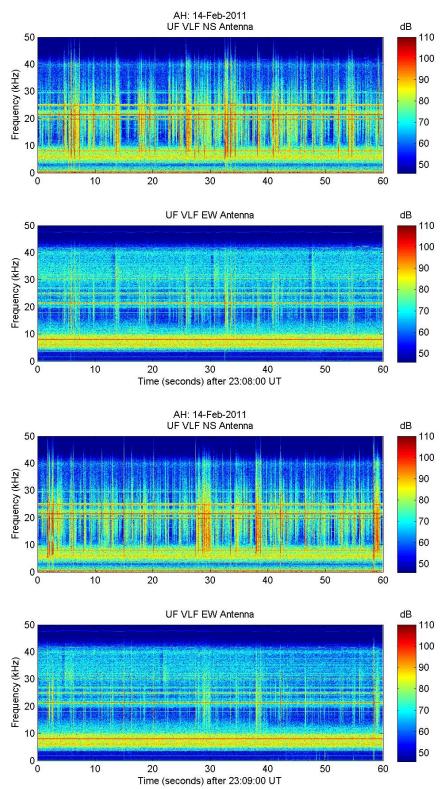
#### 0.6.2 45 - 23:03:00 - Both UPSes disconnected



 $0.6.3\quad 45$  -  $23{:}04{:}40$  - Radiometer, Line receivers, and Mixer UPS connected to power



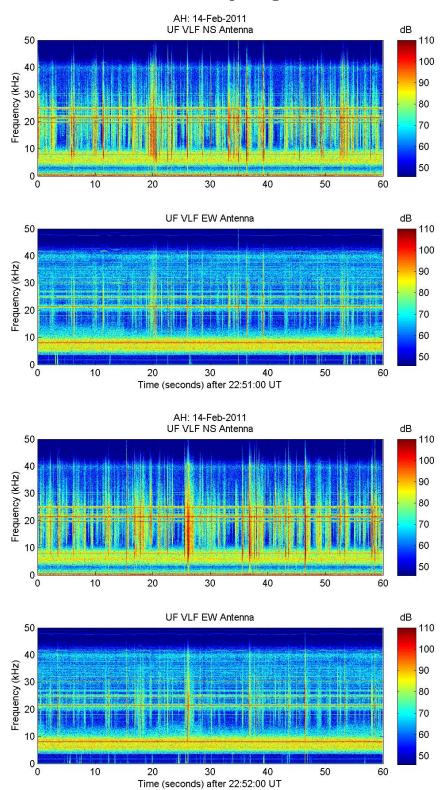
#### 0.6.4 45 - 23:09:00 - Reconnected 2nd UPS



# 0.7 Day 45 - LIDAR Operation

-  $22{:}52{:}00$  - LIDAR starts acquiring data

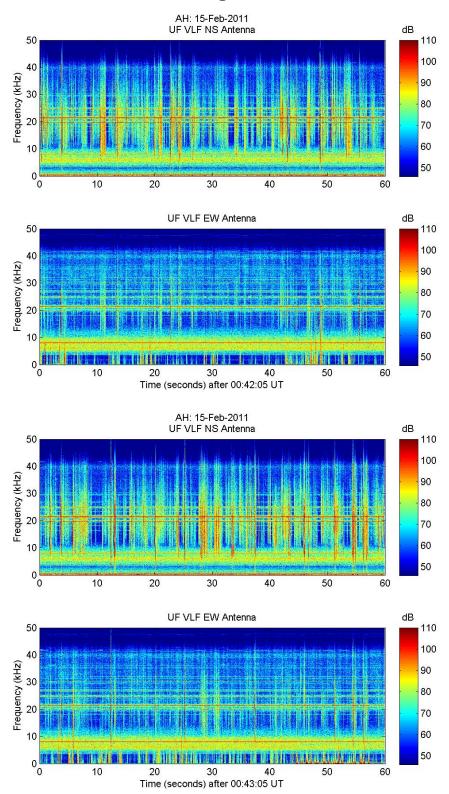
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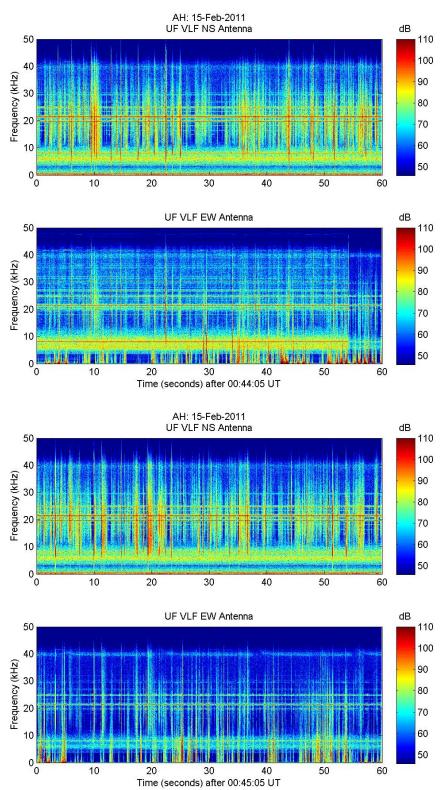
#### 0.8 Day 46 - Disconnecting UPSes

- X 46  $00{:}36{:}30$  Removed GPS from PC UPS and moved to signal electronics UPS
- X 46 00:38:30 GPS locked, system restarted
- 46 00:43:05 Disconnected signal electronics UPS from wall power
- 46 00:45:00 Both UPSes unplugged was wall power
- 46  $00{:}49{:}10$  Signal electronics UPS reconnected to wall power
- 46  $00{:}5\mathrm{X}{:}\mathrm{XX}$  Second UPS reconnected to wall power
- X 46 01:45:45 Noted wind gusting at 30 knots at Arrival Heights
- X 46 03:XX:XX Connected PC to signal UPS
- 46 03:16:25 Disconnected signal UPS, running on battery power
- 46  $03{:}20{:}00$  Second UPS disconnected
- 46  $03{:}21{:}50$  Both UPSes connected to wall power

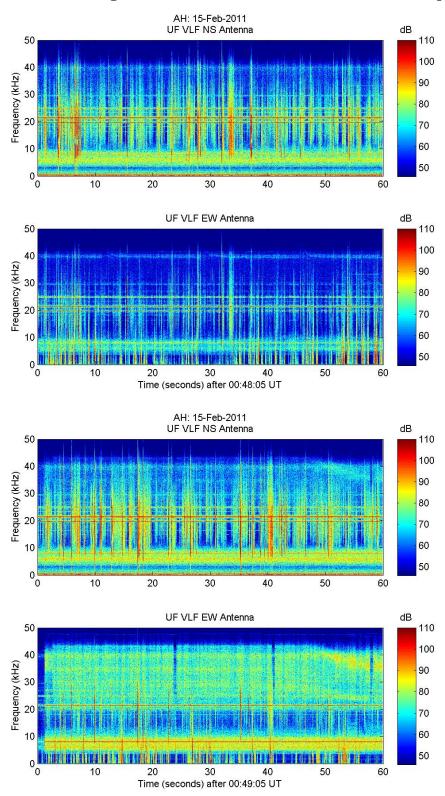
## 0.8.1 46 - 00:43:05 - Disconnected signal electronics UPS from wall power



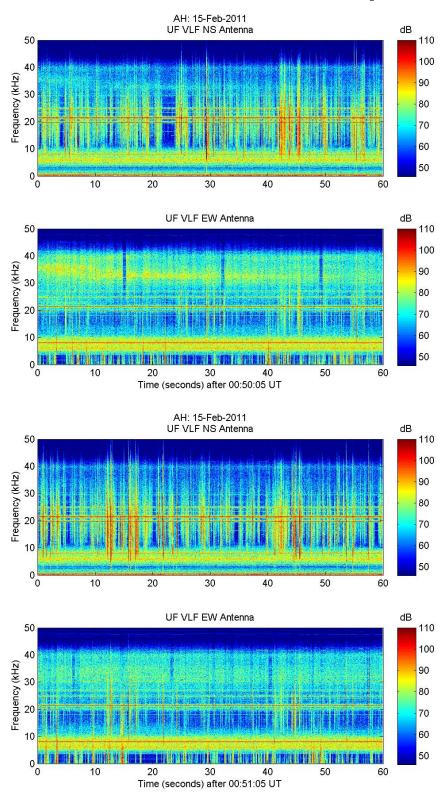
## $0.8.2\quad 46$ - $00{:}45{:}00$ - Both UPSes unplugged was wall power



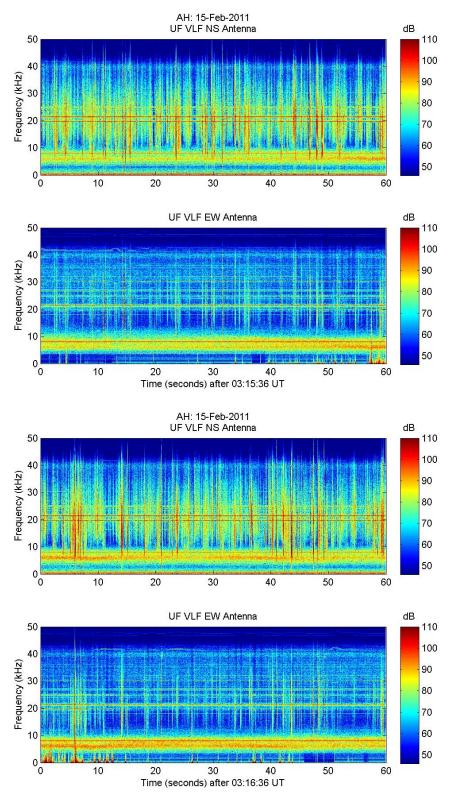
 $0.8.3\quad 46$  -  $00{:}49{:}10$  - Signal electronics UPS reconnected to wall power



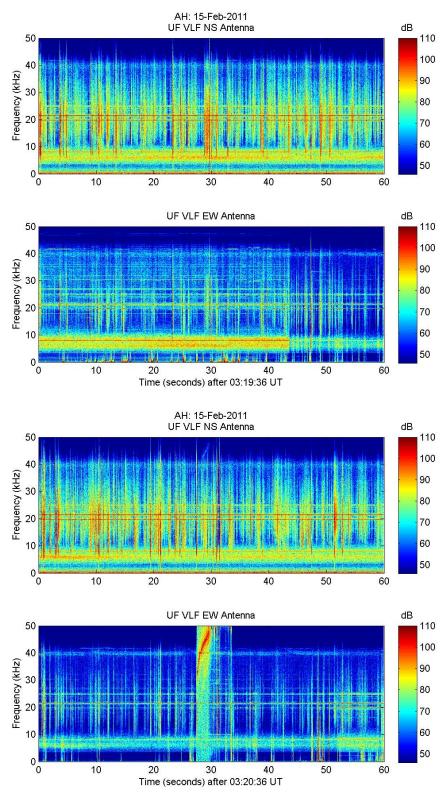
 $0.8.4\quad 46$  -  $00{:}5X{:}XX$  - Second UPS reconnected to wall power



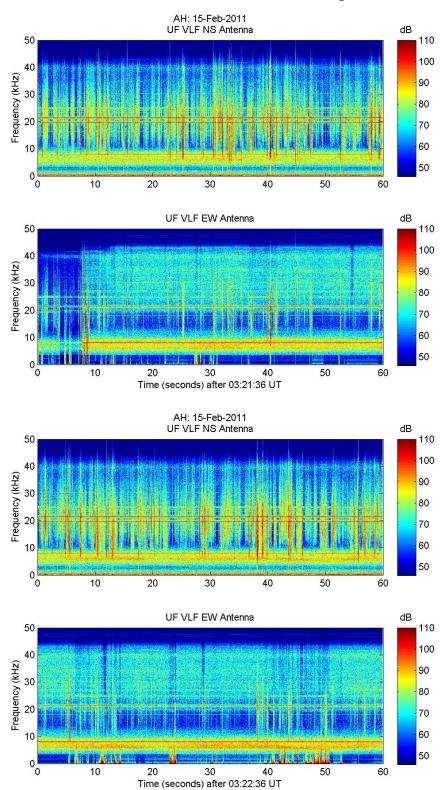
 $0.8.5\quad 46$  -  $03{:}16{:}25$  - Disconnected signal UPS, running on battery power



#### 0.8.6 46 - 03:20:00 - Second UPS disconnected



# $0.8.7\quad 46$ - $03{:}21{:}50$ - Both UPSes connected to wall power



#### 0.9 Day 49 - Single System EMI Test

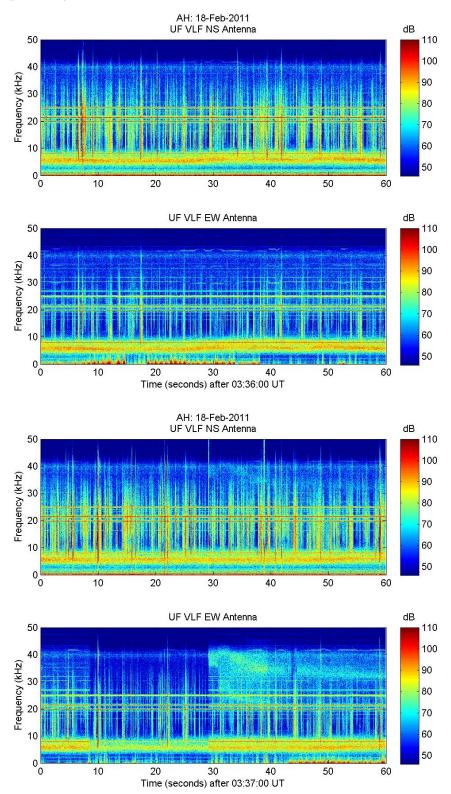
- 49 03:37:00 Connected system to single circuit; UPSes disconnected temporarily
- 49 03:38:00 System reconnected to wall power via UPS
- 49  $03{:}40{:}20$  Disconnected and reconnected electronics power cables
- 49 03:44:30 Switch to generator for Gonzalo's equipment started
- 49 03:45:50 Most of the systems switched to generator
- 49 03:47:15 Switching rest of Gonzalo's systems; UPS off
- 49 03:52:37 Bringing all of photometer systems back online
- 49 03:56:00 All systems of Gonzalo's are online
- 49 03:59:50 A-111 system begins shutdown
- 49 04:01:10 A-111 complete shutdown, communications and weather UPS is unplugged from wall power
- 49 04:06:10 Begin power up A-111

Communications and weather UPS reconnected to power

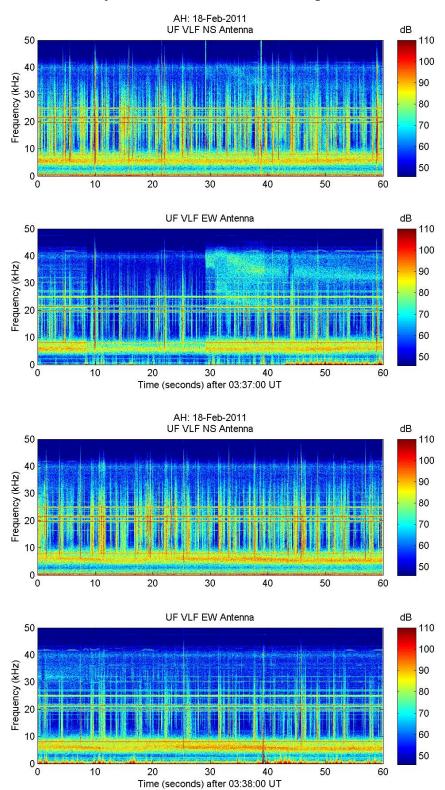
- 49 04:09:54 A-111 fully connected
- 49 04:13:XX PC system UPS appears to be fully charged
- 49  $04{:}14{:}50$  Begin UV monitor shutdown
- 49 04:16:15 UV monitor completely off
- 49  $04{:}21{:}45$  Begin UV monitor power up
- 49 04:27:00 UV monitor at full power
- 49 04:40:30 End of comparison data with Kiwi VLF receiver

Climate control system for Gonzalo's darkroom left on for the duration

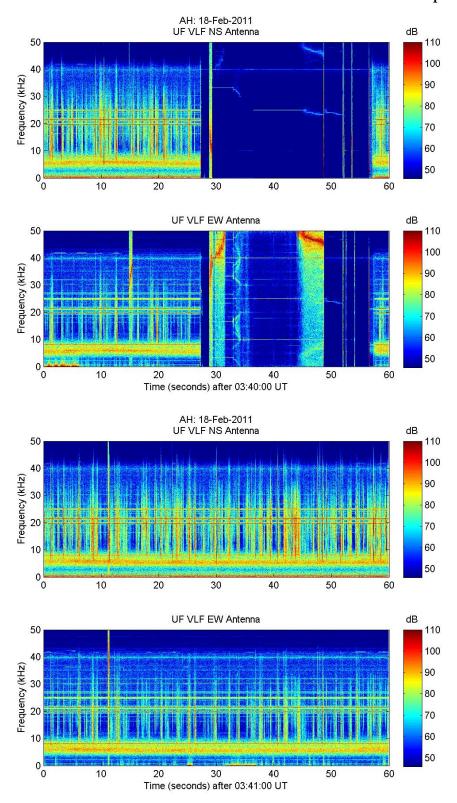
# 0.9.1 49 - 03:37:00 - Connected system to single circuit; UPSes disconnected temporarily



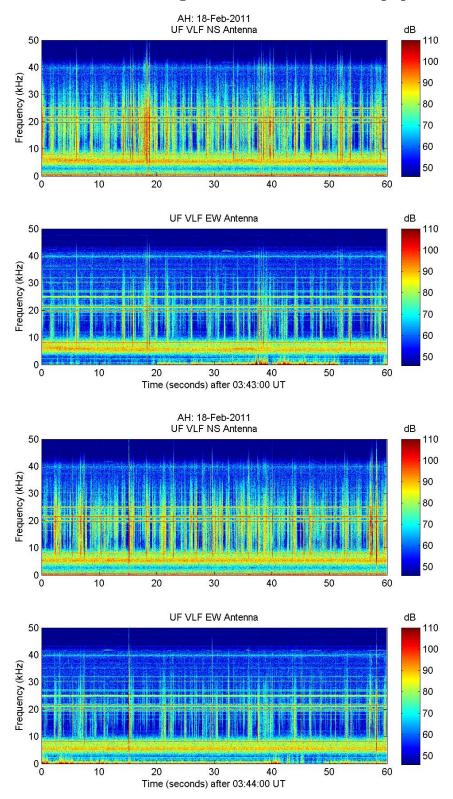
0.9.2 49 - 03:38:00 - System reconnected to wall power via UPS



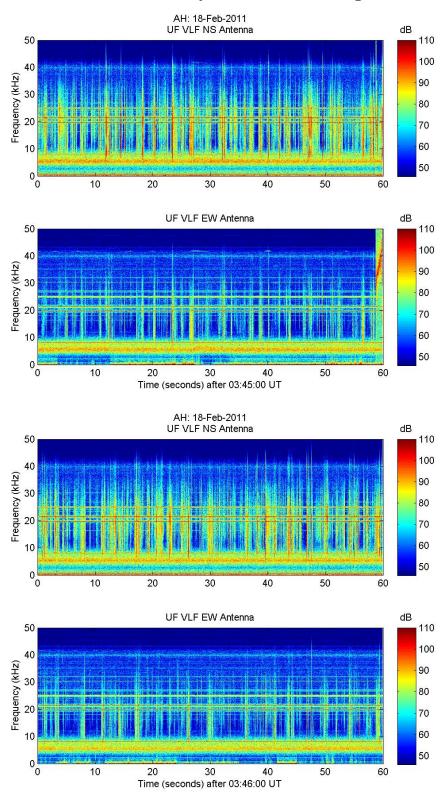
#### 0.9.3 49 - 03:40:20 - Disconnected and reconnected electronics power cables



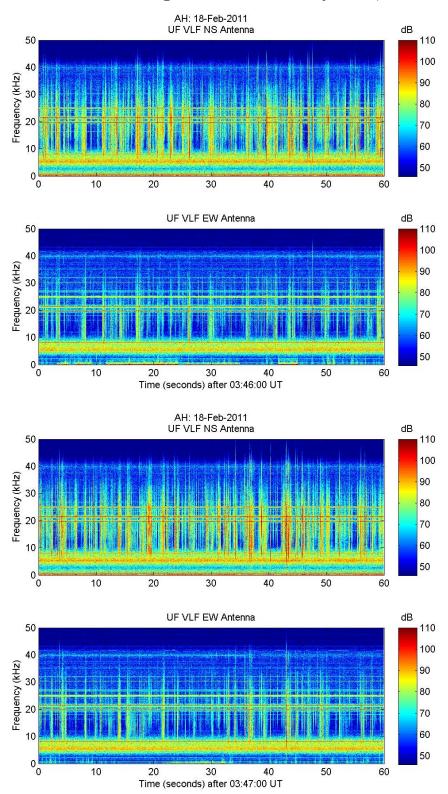
0.9.4 49 - 03:44:30 - Switch to generator for Gonzalo's equipment started



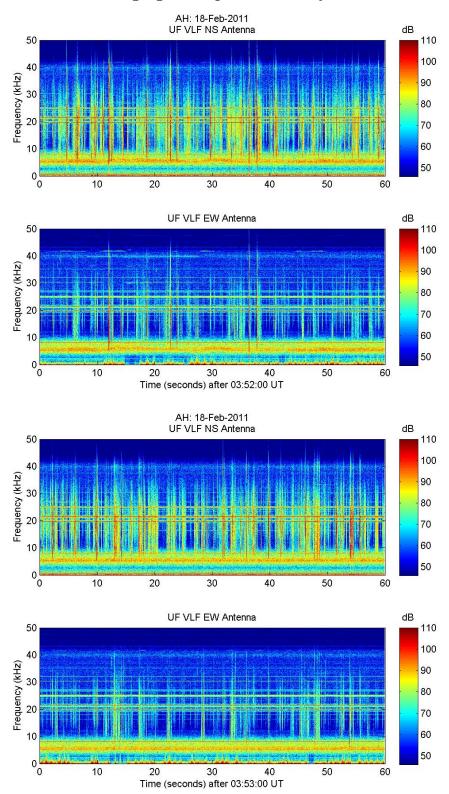
0.9.5 49 - 03:45:50 - Most of the systems switched to generator



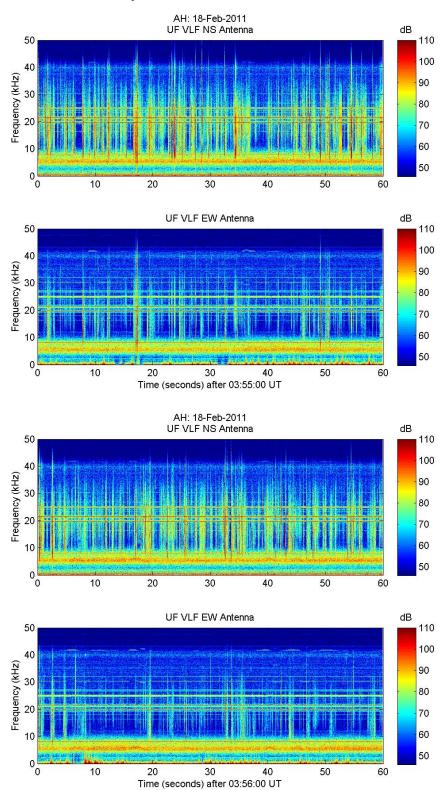
 $0.9.6\quad 49$  -  $03{:}47{:}15$  - Switching rest of Gonzalo's systems; UPS off



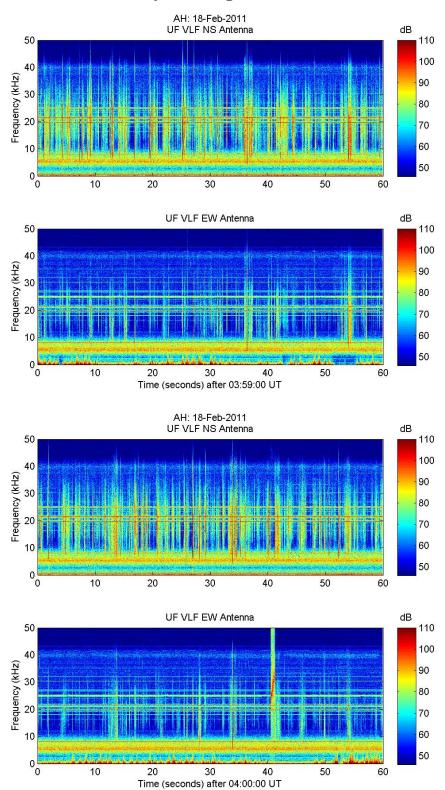
# $0.9.7\quad 49$ - $03{:}52{:}37$ - Bringing all of photometer systems back online



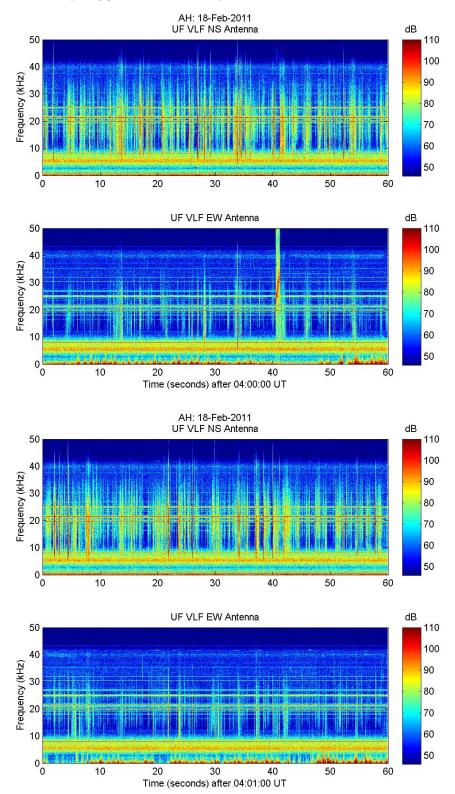
## 0.9.8 49 - 03:56:00 - All systems of Gonzalo's are online



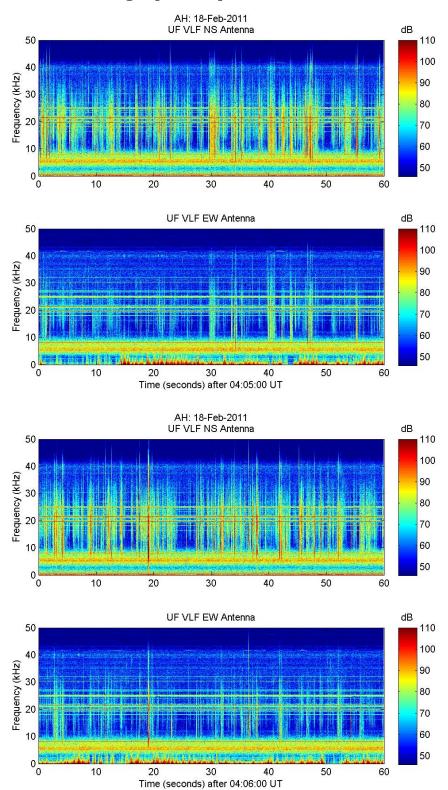
# $0.9.9\quad 49$ - $03{:}59{:}50$ - A-111 system begins shutdown



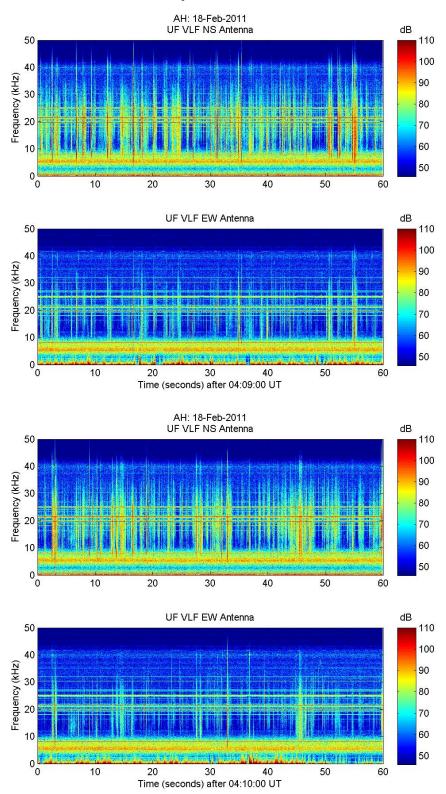
0.9.10 49 - 04:01:10 - A-111 complete shutdown, communications and weather UPS is unplugged from wall power



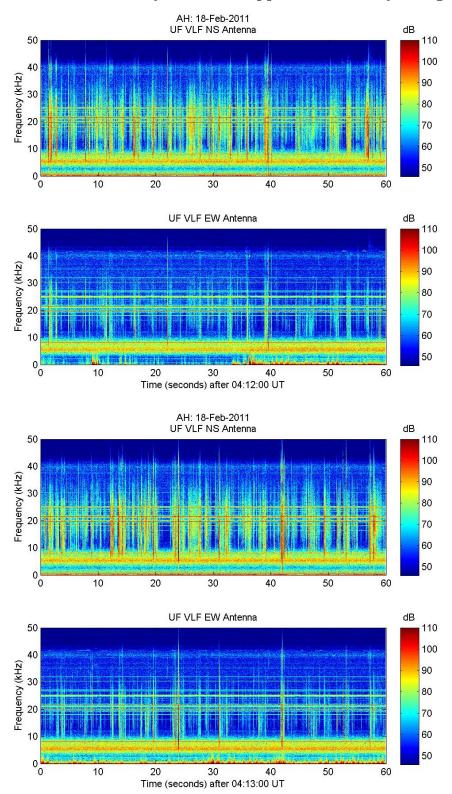
## 0.9.11 49 - 04:06:10 - Begin power up A-111



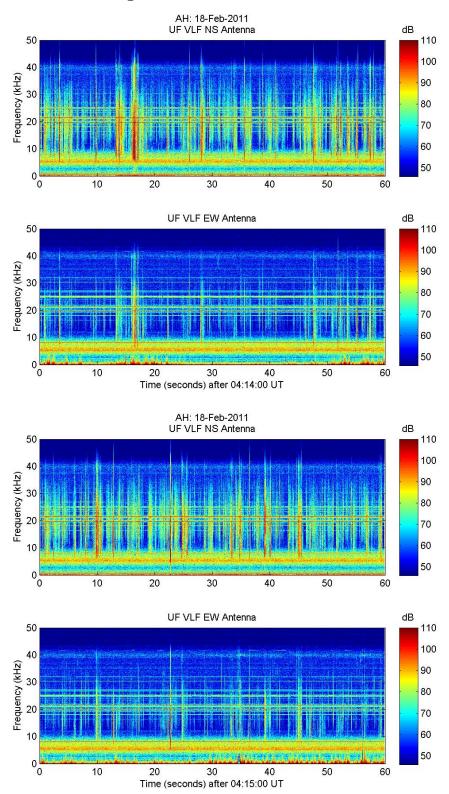
## 0.9.12 49 - 04:09:54 - A-111 fully connected



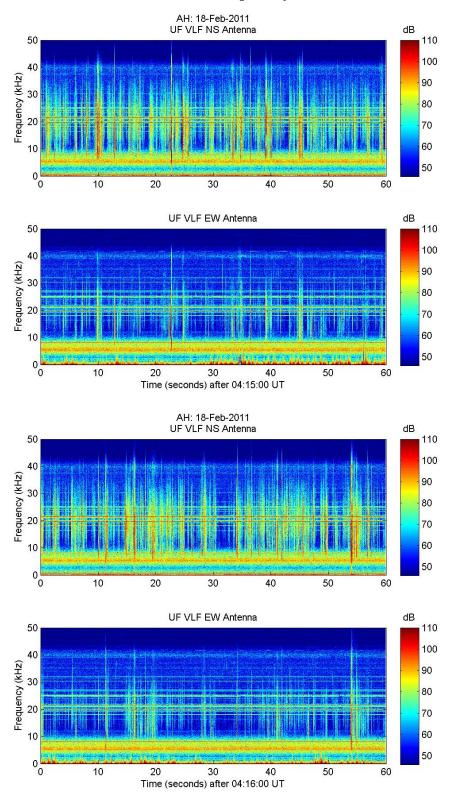
 $0.9.13\quad 49$  -  $04{:}13{:}XX$  - PC system UPS appears to be fully charged



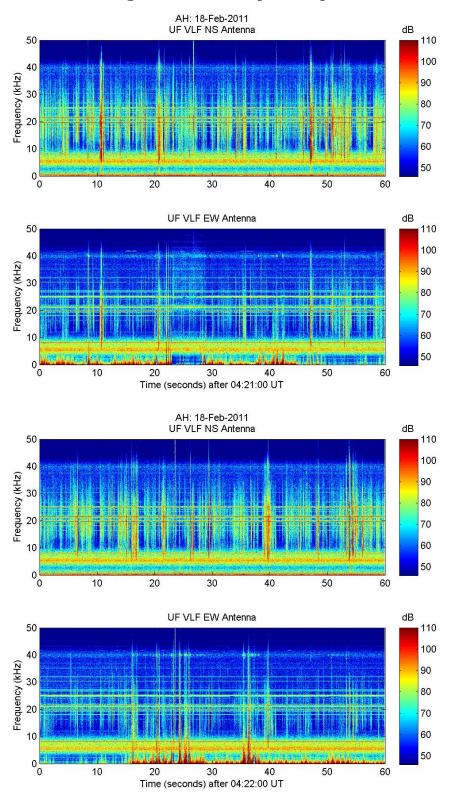
# $0.9.14\quad 49$ - $04{:}14{:}50$ - Begin UV monitor shutdown



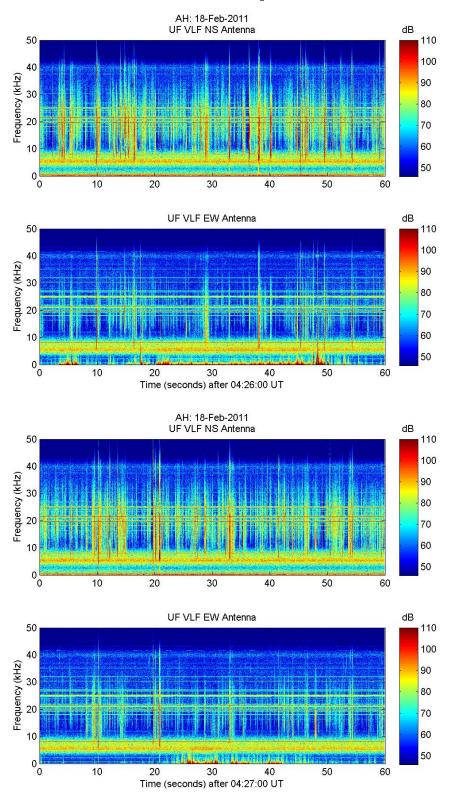
0.9.15 49 - 04:16:15 - UV monitor completely off



# $0.9.16\quad 49$ - $04{:}21{:}45$ - Begin UV monitor power up



## $0.9.17\quad 49$ - $04{:}27{:}00$ - UV monitor at full power



 $0.9.18\quad 49$  -  $04{:}40{:}30$  - End of comparison data with Kiwi VLF receiver

