

SUMup Annual Accumulation Dataset readme

1.0 Introduction

This yearly accumulation dataset, going back to 1800 where applicable, was compiled by the Surface mass balance and snow on sea ice working group (SUMup). This dataset is a community effort to distribute easy to use in-situ data to improve surface mass balance modeling and remote sensing efforts. This dataset is a compilation of work from many individual researchers. When using this dataset please cite **both** the individual researchers who provided the data as listed in the Citation Column as well as the dataset. For questions about the dataset or to contribute your data to the dataset please contact the dataset compiler Lora Koenig lora.koenig@colorado.edu or Lynn Montgomery lynn.montgomery@colorado.edu.

2.0 Contributing to the dataset

If you would like to contribute to the dataset please contact the authors as instructed above with the following data.

For no data enter -9999 otherwise fill in the columns as follows:

Date Taken- Enter the year the data was taken in format YYYYMMDD. If only the year is known enter YYYY0000.

Lat-Latitude of measurements in decimal degrees (N is positive S is negative).

Long- Longitude of measurement in decimal degrees (E is positive W is negative).

Start Year- Enter the start year if the average accumulation measurement is not annual.

End Year- Enter the end year if the average accumulation measurement is not annual

Year- Year of accumulation measurement for annual measurements.

Accum- Accumulation in m of water equivalent.

Error- Uncertainty on accumulation measurement.

Elevation- The surface elevation of the measurement location in m.

Radar Horizontal Resolution- The horizontal resolution in m of radar data along track.

Method- see method key below for numeric value of method used. If a method was used not listed in the key please add the method to the key with the next highest number.

Name- Concise name of ice core or measurement.

Citation- Enter the citation for the data.

3.0 Format

The dataset is in an excel spread sheets. With the following columns, described in more detail in section 2.0. Date Taken, Lat, Long, Start Year, End Year, Year, Accumulation in m of water equivalent, Error on accumulation measurement, Elevation of surface in m, Radar Horizontal Resolution in m, method, name, citation. Measurements are accurate to four significant figures after the decimal place. Please use this as a standard when doing analysis of the data.

No data value is -9999. These data were not provided by the original dataset and we advise you to visit the original citation or contact the original owner for more information.

Name Key

1. SEAT10-1
2. SEAT10-3
3. SEAT10-4
4. SEAT10-5
5. SEAT10-6
6. US ITASE South Pole-1995 Core
7. USITASE Siple Dome 1994 Core
8. USITASE Upstream-C 1995-1996 Core
9. USITASE Central West Antarctic CWA-A
10. USITASE Central West Antarctic CWA-D
11. USITASE Ross Ice Drainage System RIDS-A
12. USITASE Ross Ice Drainage System RIDS-B
13. USITASE Ross Ice Drainage System RIDS-C
14. USITASE ITASE 99-1 (Midpoint)
15. USITASE ITASE 00-1 'A'(wais)
16. USITASE ITASE 00-2 'C'
17. USITASE ITASE 00-3 'D'
18. USITASE ITASE 00-4 'E'
19. USITASE ITASE 00-5 'F'
20. USITASE ITASE 01-1
21. USITASE ITASE 01-2
22. USITASE ITASE 01-3
23. USITASE ITASE 01-4
24. USITASE ITASE 01-5
25. USITASE ITASE 01-6
26. USITASE ITASE 02-1
27. USITASE ITASE 02-4
28. USITASE ITASE 02-6-SPRESO
29. USITASE ITASE 02-7-100K
30. South Pole
31. ACT10-A
32. ACT10-B
33. ACT10-C
34. PIG2010
35. DIV2010
36. THW2010
37. PARCA-1997-cores (CORE 7147)
38. PARCA-1997-cores (CORE 7247)
39. PARCA-1997-cores (CORE 7551)
40. PARCA -1997-cores (CORE 7653-Core1)
41. PARCA-1997-cores (CORE 7653-Core2)
42. PARCA-1997-cores (N. Dye 3 (Saddle)-A)
43. PARCA-1997-cores (N. Dye 3 (Saddle)-B)
44. PARCA-1997-cores (S. TUNU Core A)
45. PARCA-1997-cores (S. TUNU Core B)
46. PARCA-1997-cores (S. TUNU Core C)
47. PARCA-1997-cores (S. Dome Core A)
48. PARCA-1997-cores (S. Dome Core B)
49. PARCA-1997-cores (NASA East Core A)
50. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6345)
51. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6642 (B))
52. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6745)
53. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6839)
54. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6841)
55. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6938)
56. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6939)
57. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6941)
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59. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 6945)
60. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 7145)
61. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 7245)
62. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 7249)
63. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 7345)
64. PARCA-1998-cores (CORE 7347)
65. WDC05A
66. WDC05Q
67. ACT2010 Radar profile
68. ITASE00-4 to ITASE00-5 Traverse
69. GISP2
70. Bamboo Forest
71. DML83S05_18
72. DML81S05_16
73. DML79S05_14
74. DML78S05_13
75. DML87S05_22

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| 76. DML88S05_23 | 105. FRI27C95_12 |
| 77. DML77S05_12 | 106. FRI23C95_16 |
| 78. DML86S05_21 | 107. FRI28C95_11 |
| 79. DML90S05_25 | 108. FRI33C95_06 |
| 80. DML89S05_24 | 109. FRI10C90_136 |
| 81. DML82S05_17 | 110. FRI32C95_07 |
| 82. DML80S05_15 | 111. FRI14C90_336 |
| 83. DML84S05_19 | 112. FRI16C90_230 |
| 84. DML76S05_11 | 113. FRI19C90_05 |
| 85. DML85S05_20 | 114. DML641C02_01 |
| 86. NM02C89_01 | 115. FRI18C90_330 |
| 87. FRI18S90_330 | 116. FRI20C90_06 |
| 88. FRI13C90_335 | 117. FRI12C90_236 |
| 89. FRI15S90_131 | 118. FRI38C95_04 |
| 90. FRI17S90_231 | 119. DML651C02_03 |
| 91. BER02S90_02 | 120. FRI35C95_01 |
| 92. FRI13S90_335 | 121. NM02C02_02 |
| 93. NM03C98_01 | 122. BER02C90_02 |
| 94. BER01S90_01 | 123. BER01C90_01 |
| 95. FRI09C90_90 | 124. DML68C04_03 |
| 96. FRI12S90_236 | 125. DML73C05_03 |
| 97. FRI17C90_231 | 126. DML67C04_02 |
| 98. FRI21C90_HWF | 127. DML74C05_04 |
| 99. FRI11S90_235 | 128. DML71C05_01 |
| 100. FRI11C90_235 | 129. DML72C05_02 |
| 101. FRI15C90_131 | |
| 102. FRI16S90_230 | |
| 103. FRI29C95_10 | |
| 104. FRI25C95_14 | |

4.0 Method Key

1. Ice core or snow pits
2. Radar isochrones
3. Stake Measurements

5.0 Citations

When using this dataset please cite **both** the individual researchers who provided the data as listed in the Citation column as well as the dataset.

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6.0 Combining datasets

Different datasets compiled were recorded to a different number of significant figures or precision yet all numbers in this dataset were standardized to a certain length. Measurements are accurate to four significant figures after the decimal place. Please use this as a standard when doing analysis of the data.

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