

PWC composition Responsible Institute Combined wave sensor – CWS-1, CWS-2 LC ISR, Ukraine Flux gate magnetometer - DFM-1 IKI RAS, Russia Flux gate magnetometer – DFM-2 LC ISR, Ukraine Langmuir probe - LP-1, LP-2 STIL, Bulgaria Spacecraft potential monitor - DP-1, DP-2 IKI BAS, Bulgaria Plasma discharge stimulator - SPP IKI RAS, Russia Correlating Electron Spectrograph (10eV - 10KeV) CORES Sussex University, UK Radio Frequency Analyzer – RFA (Scorpion) SISP, Sweden; SRC, Poland Signal Analyzer and Sampler - SAS3 SRG, BLE, Hungary Data Acquisition and Control Unit - DACU-1, DACU-1 KFKI RMKI, Hungary; Sheffield University, UK Block of Storage of Telemetry Information - BSTM KFKI RMKI, Hungary; Sheffield University, UK Grounding support equipment - GSE KFKI RMKI, Hungary; SRC, Poland ESA Space Weather Workshop 35 November 2003, ESTEC, Noordwijk

The realization of electromagnetic monitoring on board the

Russian Segment of International Space
Station needs both the working out of
•the observation methodology,
•the design of corresponding
experimental equipment.

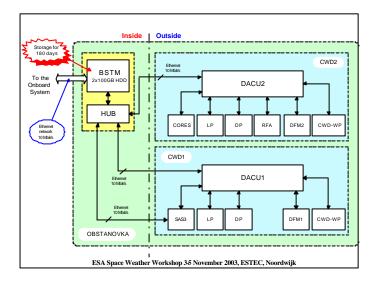
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The "OBSTANOVKA 1 stage" will be carried out to provide a databank of electromagnetic fields and of plasma-wave processes occurring

in the ISS near-surface zone (NSZ) to study the plasma component factors of near-Earth space (NES).

The results will be used in the field of applied geophysics, ecology, space weather monitoring, and also for the updating of operational requirements used in space engineering and technology.

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The PWC scientific equipment is designed to measure in NES the following physical parameters:

•current parameters of thermal plasma (in two points):

-electrons temperature,

Te - 1000 - 6000 K

-electrons and ions density, Ne, Ni - 1.109 - 1.1013 mr3

•current electromagnetic parameters (in two points):

-DC electric and magnetic fields and currents;

-AC electric and magnetic fields and currents;

-spectra of ELF-VLF-HF electromagnetic fluctuations.

•current plasma potential and ISS potential 0 - 200 V;

•electrons spectra with energy range 0,01-10 keV and oscillations HF:0-107; VLF:0-104; ELF:0-150;

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The results of the
"OBSTANOVKA 1 stage" experiment
(beginning of the realization 2005)
are common for all participants.
The continuous operation in ionosphere
within not less than 5 years
is planned.

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