Cloud Remote Sensing Data Centre - CLU

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CLU Data Centre status

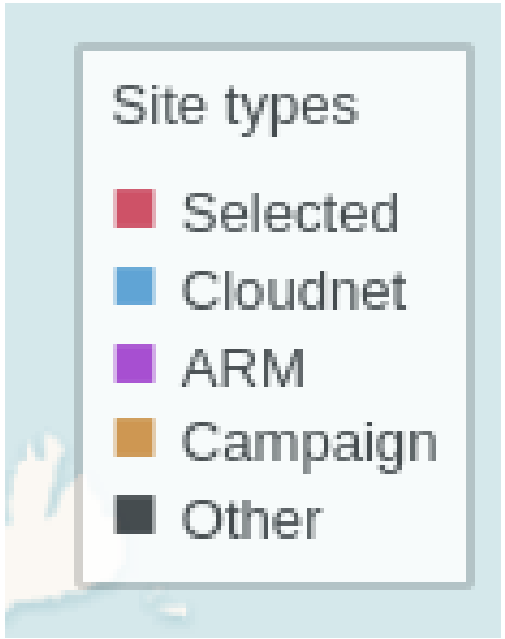
- Automated processing operation continues..

- ACTRIS – CLU (Cloudnet) has moved to centralised processing
  - Raw data (Level 0, including spectra)
    - NF -> CLU
  - All further processing performed at CLU
    - Permits full provenance chain and archive

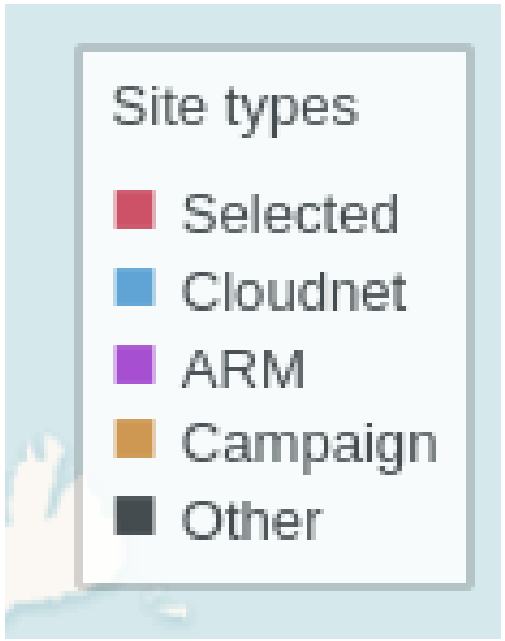
- Implemented new data transfer procedure for upload
  - Enables more efficient and rapid update and version control
    - Real-time processing

  - All sites using this route for current data

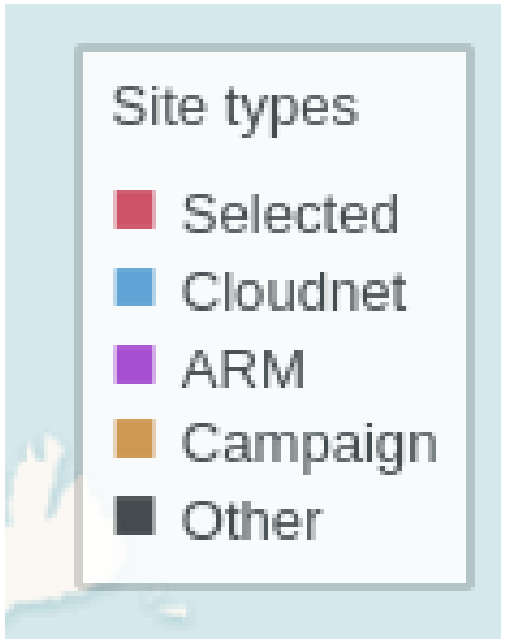
Station Overview - Global

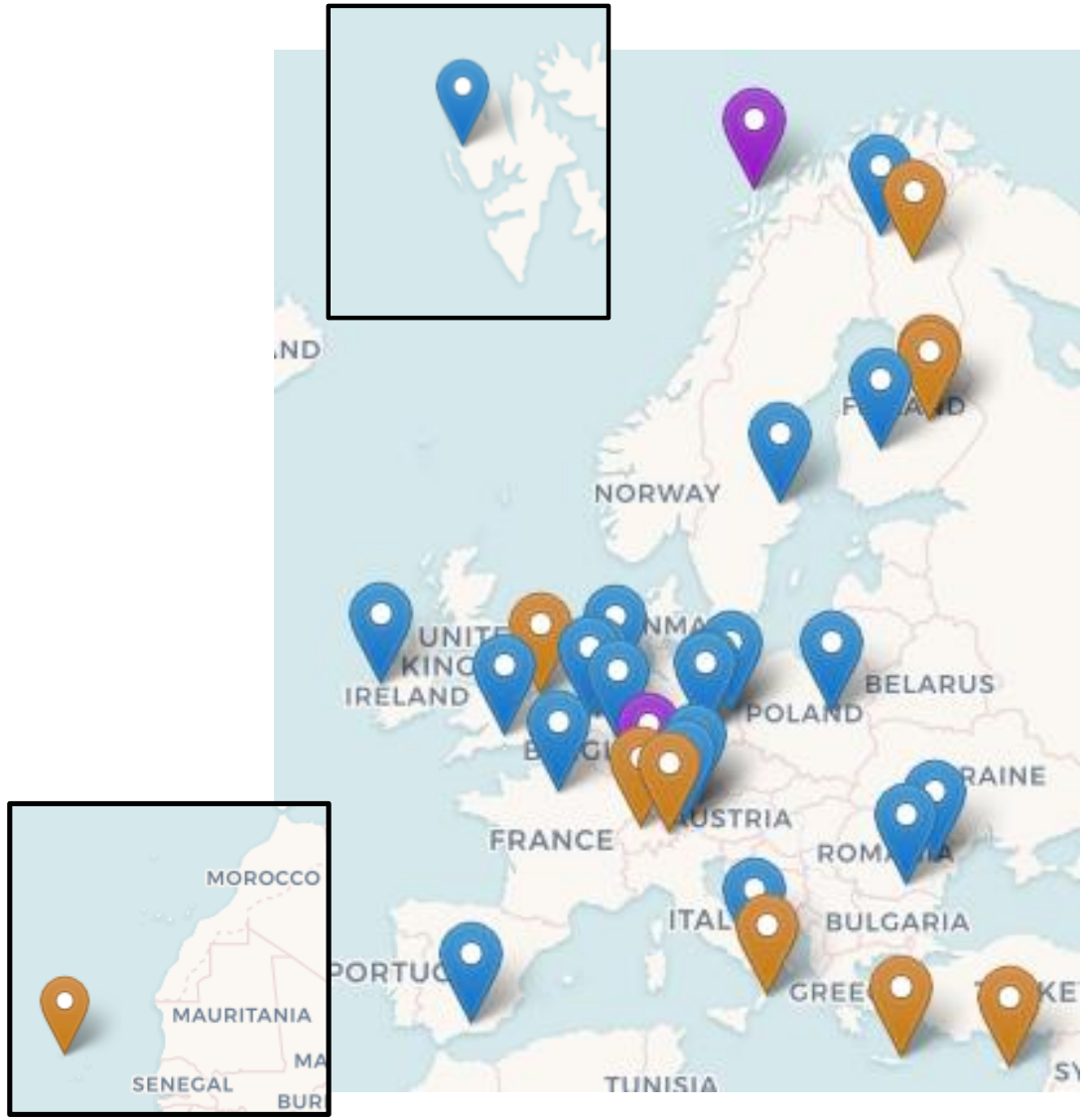


Station Overview – European long-term



Station Overview – European all





Raw file types

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`mira`	METEK MIRA-35 cloud radar	`*.mmclx` files. These can be compressed, e.g., `*.mmclx.gz`.	netCDF
`rpg-fmcw-94`, `rpg-fmcw-35`	RPG cloud radars	`*.LV1` and compressed `*.LV0` files.	binary
`ct25k`, `cl31`, `cl51`	Vaisala ceilometers	`*.DAT` files. File extension may be different depending on collection system.	text
`cl61d`	Vaisala CL61-D ceilometer	Non-concatenated `*.nc` files.	netCDF
`chm15k`, `chm15x`	Lufft ceilometers	`*.nc` files. Either non-concatenated or concatenated files but not both.	netCDF
`hatpro`	RPG HATPRO microwave radiometer	At least the `*.LWP` binary files, but other files are fine too (brightness temperatures, water vapour, housekeeping).	binary
`radiometrics`	Radiometrics MP3014 microwave radiometer	`*.csv` files.	CSV
`copernicus`	Copernicus cloud radar	`*.nc` files.	netCDF
`galileo`	Galileo cloud radar	`*.nc` files	
`basta`	BASTA cloud radar	Daily `*.nc`	
`parsivel`	OTT Parsivel2 disdrometer	`*.log` file	
`thies-lnm`	Thies LNM disdrometer	`*.txt` file	
`halo-doppler-lidar`	Halo Photonics Doppler lidar	`*.hpl`, `B`	
`pollyxt`	PollyXT Raman lidar	`*.nc` files	

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`hsrl`	ARM HSRL	`*.nc` files produced by ARM / Ed Eloranta.	netCDF
`mpl`	ARM or MPLnet Micropulse Lidar	`*.nc` files produced by ARM or similar.	netCDF
`wls100s`, `wls200s`, `wls400s`	Leosphere windcube long-range scanning Doppler lidars	`*.nc` files.	netCDF

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Updates to include VAD scan files for wind

Updates to include other files for full UKöln processing

Discussion on formats