# Ice Temperature Measurement using sealed temperature sensors



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### **Functional Objectives**



#### Pilot project to...

- Obtain albedo and weather data
- Obtain albedo and weather data with reflective material

## **Initial Testing**

Testing on Miquelon Lake in Alberta, Canada Satish Chetty, Leslie Field, Prof. Christian Haas and Justin Beckers





## Next Steps



### **Back to Basics**





- Rethink
- Redesign
- Redo

#### Hardware

Buoys
Tripod and hardware
Shelter Box
CPU (TS-7260, TS-BAT, relays)
Iridium
Weather Station
Albedometer
Power System (solar panels)
Temperature Acquisition Cables

# Temperature Acquisition Cables (TAC)



- No need to A/D convertor
- RS232
- 450 meters (1500 ft) long
- User defined sensor spacing
- Robust
- Polar Weather rated

# Temperature Acquisition Cables (TAC)

SWIMS 2011 Data															~							
Date				(outside	TAC 4 (outside the Ice)	TAC 5	TAC 6	TAC 7	_	TAC 9	TAC 10	TAC 11	TAC 12	TAC 13	TAC 14	TAC 15	TAC 16	TAC 17	TAC 18	TAC 19	TAC 20	T./ 21
Sun, 30 Jan 2011	17:06:58	-3.19,	-3.00,	-3.00,	-2.12,	-0.12,	0.00,	0.00,	0.06,	0.00,	-0.06,	0.06,	0.00,	0.06,	0.50,	-4.31,	-2.25,	-1.50,	0.06,	-0.06,	0.25,	-0
Sun, 30 Jan 2011	18:16:36	-4.19,	-3.94,	-4.06,	-3.00,	-0.19,	0.00,	0.00,	0.06,	0.00,	-0.06,	0.06,	0.00,	0.00,	0.50,	-5.25,	-3.62,	-2.12,	0.06,	-0.06,	0.19,	-0
Sun, 30 Jan 2011	19:16:35	-7.50,	-7.38,	-7.62,	-5.44,	-0.19,	0.00,	0.00,	0.06,	0.00,	-0.06,	0.06,	0.00	0.00,	0.50,	-9.38,	-5.38,	-3.75,	0.06,	-0.06,	0.25,	-0
Sun, 30 Jan 2011	20:16:40	-3.94,	-4.31,	-4.25,	-3.25,	-0.19,	0.00,	0.00,	0.06,	-0.06,	-0.06,	0.06,	0.00,	0.00,	0.50,	-5.75,	-4.12,	-2.38,	0.06,	-0.06,	0.19,	-0
Sun, 30	21:16:41	-4.81,	-4.75,	-4.94,	-3.88,	-0.19,	0.00,	0.00,	0.06,	0.00,	-0.06,	0.06,	0.00,	0.00,	0.50,	-6.06,	-4.69,	-2.75,	0.06,	-0.06,	0.19,	-00
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# Challenges









Changes



- Tool less
- Flexible Solar panel
- Redundant PS
- Single Buoy
- Easy Deployment
- Tilt Sensor
- Local Wifi Mesh
- Lighter



### Questions

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