# First glance at HAMP data from HALO-(AC)<sup>3</sup>

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### **Comparison of HAMP radiometer with fwd. sim. dropsondes**



- Simulations with PAMTRA
- No hydrometeors ( $\rightarrow$  cloud free)
- Filtered out sondes over sea ice with TB threshold
- Emission signal by liq. hydrometeors in K, V and 119/90 channels





- LWP ~ TB amplitude (with LWP no LWP) in many channels in the K, V and 119/90 bands
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AMSR CLW retrieval (but 5 h before HALO's arrival):