NSF AERPAW: Platform Overview, Digital Twin Based Experiment Workflow, and Research Examples

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PLATFORM OVERVIEW

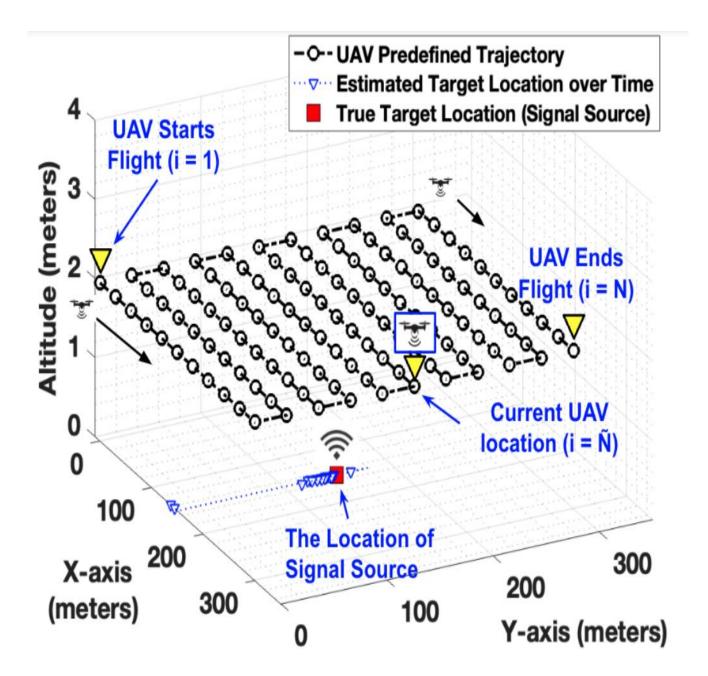
- Aerial Experimentation and Research Platform on Advanced Wireless (AERPAW), is one of the four PAWR platforms funded by NSF.
- AERPAW supports remotely-programmable experiments with software defined radios (SDRs), commercial wireless equipment, and custom-designed programmable drones designed by researchers and students at NC State
- All public and private entities (academia, industry, government) are welcome to use the facility

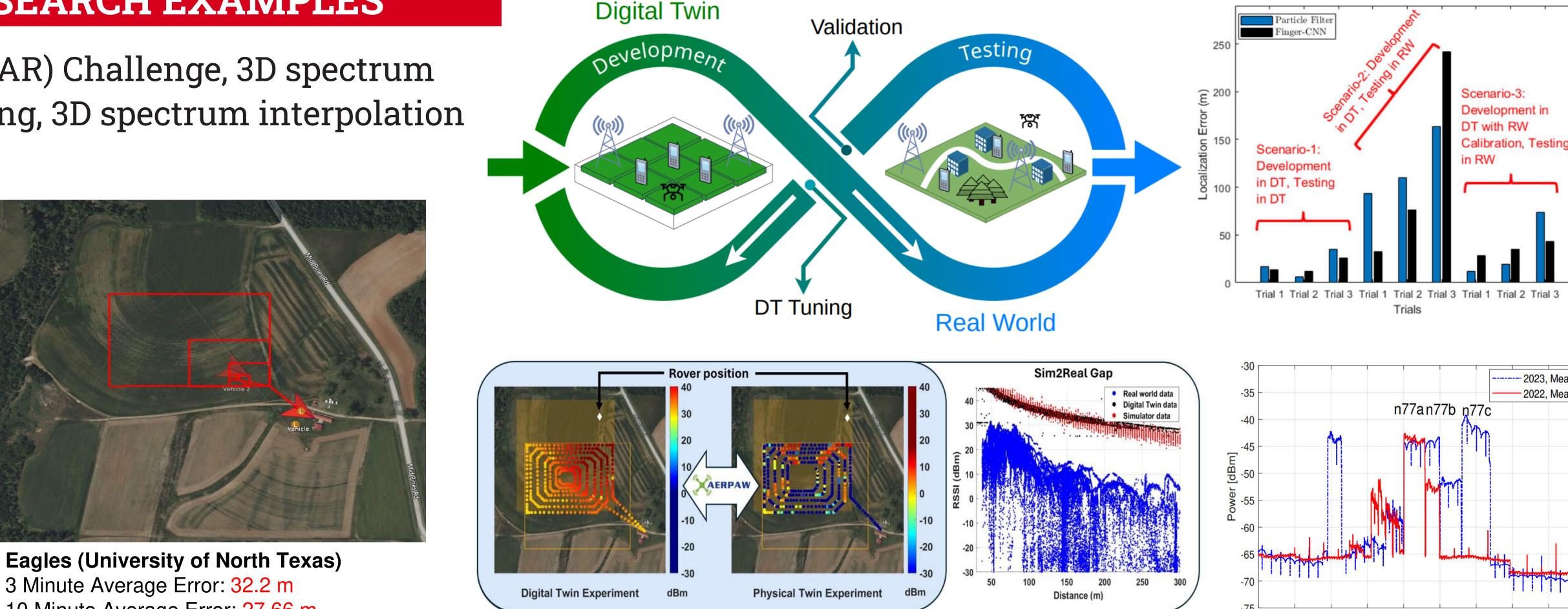
AERPAW DIGITAL TWIN

- Our drones and radios (4G/5G) are fully programable
- Canonical experiments are developed remotely in software containers in AERPAW's digital twin
- Experiment containers can be moved seamlessly between digital twin and testbed (physical twin) environments
- Bring your own device and custom experiments supported

REPRESENTATIVE RESEARCH EXAMPLES

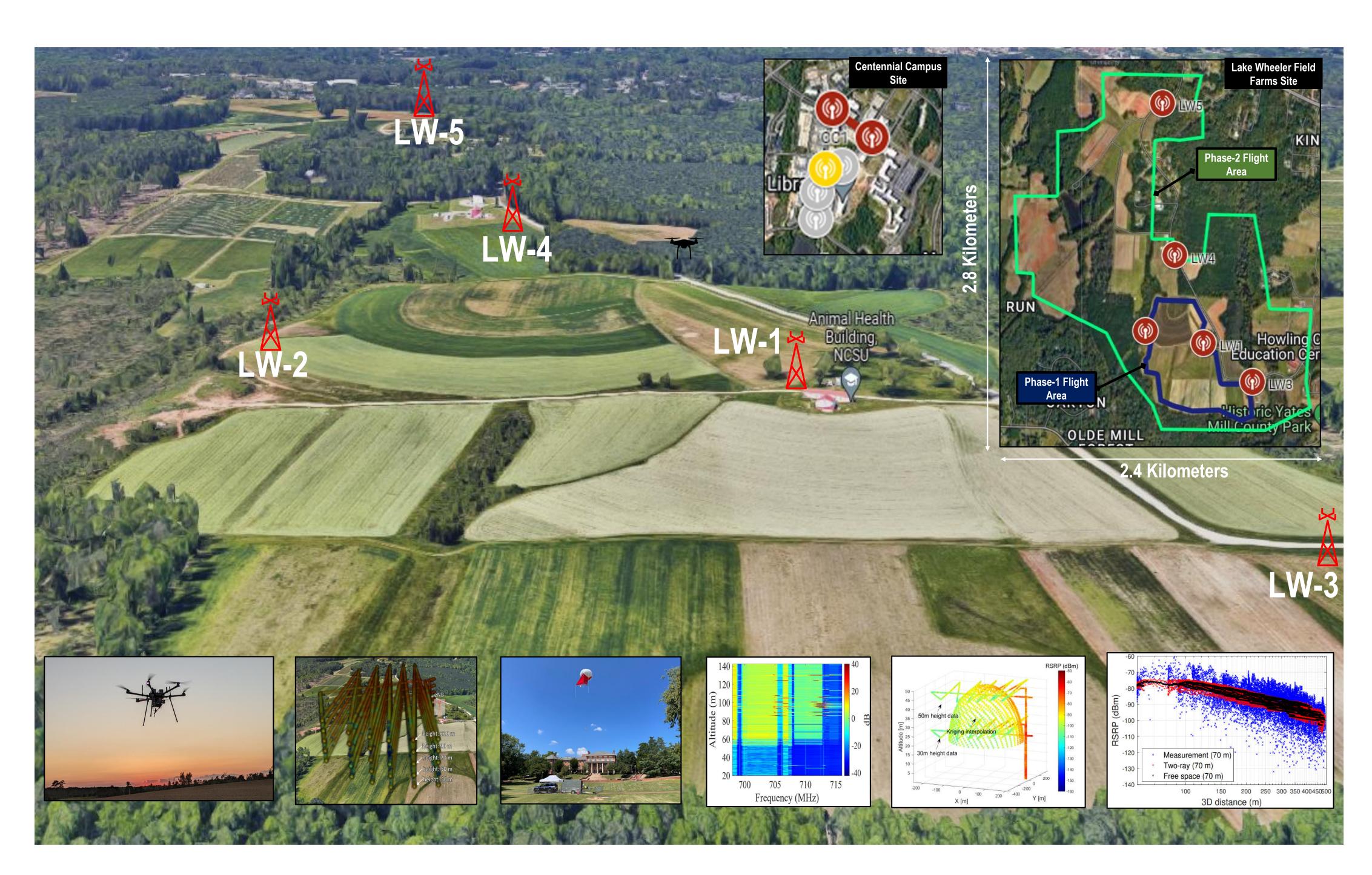
AERPAW Find a Rover (AFAR) Challenge, 3D spectrum measurements and modeling, 3D spectrum interpolation





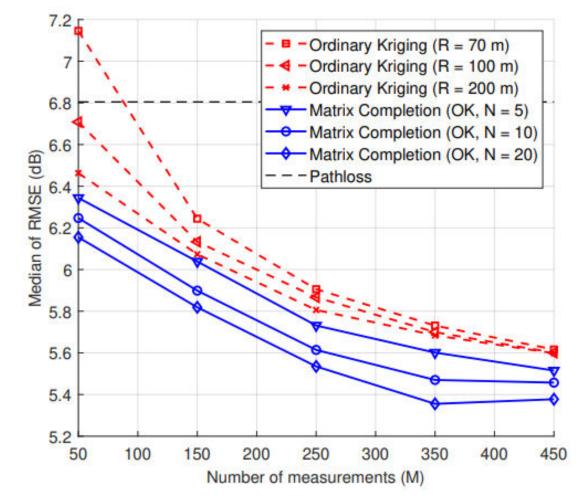
10 Minute Average Error: 27.66 m

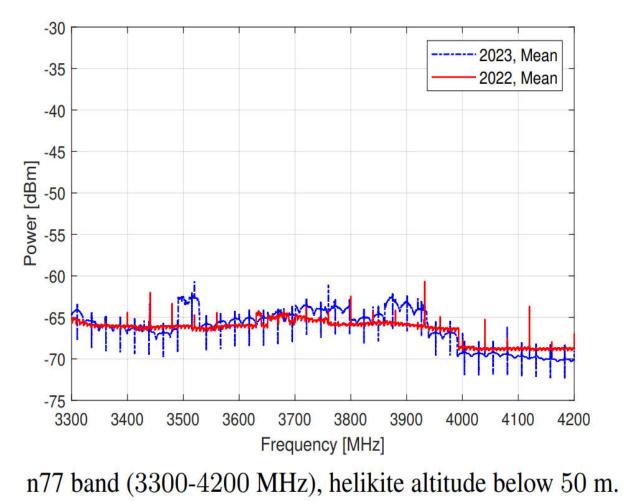
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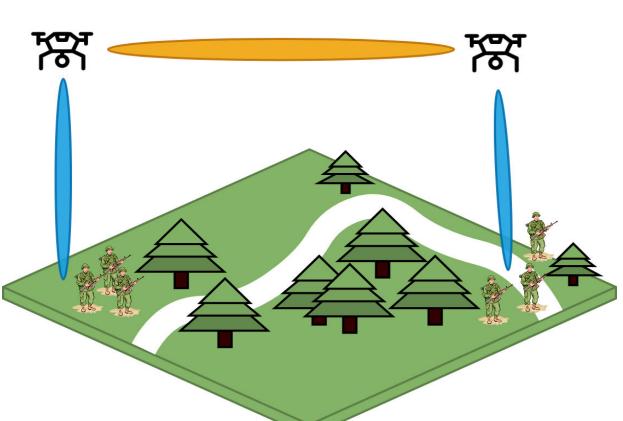
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Coverage Extension



Multi-hop UAV Networks