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Abstract. The mass of the Greenland ice sheet is declining as mass gain from snow accumulation is exceeded by mass loss from surface meltwater runoff, marine-terminating glacier calving and submarine melting, and basal melting. Here we use the input-output (IO) method to estimate mass change from 1840 through next week. Surface mass balance (SMB) ...

US Department of Commerce, NOAA, Physical Sciences Laboratory. In spring of 2010, the ongoing measurements at Summit Station (72° 36"N, 38° 25"W, 3250m), atop the Greenland Ice Sheet, were significantly enhanced with new capabilities to observe cloud, atmosphere, and precipitation properties.

The Programme for Monitoring of the Greenland Ice Sheet (PROMICE) provides surface meteorological and glaciological measurements from widespread on-ice automatic weather stations since mid-2007.

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Nukissiorfiit"s focus on green energy is seen and felt around Greenland. In Ilulissat, 95 percent of the town"s energy is green, with the hydropower plant contributing in particular to the production of green energy. Nukissiorfiit has a total of five hydropower plants around Greenland. Green energy is also produced in Uummannaq. Since the ...

The Greenland Ice Sheet now contributes over 25% of observed global sea level rise, making it the largest single cryospheric contributor() s enhanced mass loss over the 21st century (2, 3) is primarily attributed to increased surface meltwater runoff (4-6), of which ~93% derives from the relatively small ablation zone (~22% of the ice sheet area) along the ice sheet ...

Rapid melting of ice sheets and glaciers drives a unique geometry, or fingerprint, of sea-level change, including a sea-level fall in the vicinity of the ice sheet that is an order of magnitude greater than the associated global mean sea-level rise of the melt event. The detection of individual fingerprints has been challenging due to sparse sea surface height ...

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The Greenland ice sheet is an ice sheet which forms the second largest body of ice in the world. It is an average of 1.67 km (1.0 mi) thick, and over 3 km (1.9 mi) thick at its maximum. [2] It is almost 2,900 kilometres (1,800 mi) long in a north-south direction, with a maximum width of 1,100 kilometres (680 mi) at a latitude of 77°N, near its northern edge. [1]

A misleading graph purporting to show that past changes in Greenland"s temperatures dwarf modern climate change has been circling the internet since at least 2010.. Based on an early Greenland ice core record produced back in 1997, versions of the graph have, variously, mislabeled the x-axis, excluded the modern observational temperature record and ...

to multi-millennial) time scales, a regional energy-moisture balance model has been developed. This model simulates seasonal variations of temperature and precipitation over Greenland and explicitly accounts for elevation and albedo feedbacks. From these fields, the annual mean surface tem-perature and surface mass balance can be determined and

Greenland ice sheet · Surface energy balance · Surface mass balance · Cloud radiative effects · Surface melt · In situ meteorological measurements · Polar regional climate model 1 Introduction The Greenland ice sheet (GrIS), the second largest ice sheet on Earth, has experi-enced a huge loss of snow and ice masses since the early 1990s [1].

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This study has found that the annualised costs for Greenland"s energy system would decrease by around 31%

between 2019 and 2050 despite an increase in power consumption and only a small population decline. Ringkjøb et al. [49], conversely, have found a fully self-sufficient power and heat system in a community of Longyearbyen on Svalbard to be ...

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2.1. Surface Energy Model 2.1.1. Energy Balance [7] The total energy flux (Q t) from the atmosphere toward the surface of a glacier or ice sheet equals the sum of the net radiative and the turbulent fluxes, Q t ¼ LW # LW " þ SW SW þLHF þSHF þF rain; ð1Þ Figure 1. Albedo map of the western part of Greenland as

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