

Multiple Solar Jets from NOAA AR 12644

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Abstract. We present here the observations of solar jets observed on April 04, 2017 from NOAA active region (AR) 12644 using high temporal and spatial resolution AIA instrument. We have observed around twelve recurring jets during the whole day. Magnetic flux emergence and cancellation have been observed at the jet location. The multi-band observations evidenced that these jets were triggered due to the magnetic reconnection at low coronal null-point.

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1. Introduction

Solar jets are small scale eruptions in the solar atmosphere observed at different wavelengths from ground as well as from space (Shibata *et al.*, 1992, Schmieder *et al.*, 2013, Joshi *et al.*, 2017). These can be originated from quite as well as in active regions. Several attempts have been made to understand the dynamics, kinematics and their magnetic topology. It is believed now that the magnetic reconnection between the closed and open magnetic field lines can be responsible for the origin of these phenomenon (Raoufi *et al.*, 2017). Magnetic flux emergence and cancellation have been observed at the jet locations (for example see. Chandra *et al.*, 2017). Magnetic topology of jet locations suggested that the null points, Quasi Separatrix Layers (QSL), bald patches etc. can be found at jet origin site (Mandrini *et al.*, 1996). Numerical models have been proposed to shed light in this phenomenon (Pariat *et al.*, 2009, Moreno-Insertis *et al.*, 2008). However it is debatable that what are the physical conditions on the solar surface, responsible for their initiation. In this study, we present the multiwavelength study of recurrent jets observed in NOAA active region (AR) 12644 on April 04, 2017. Section 2 presents observations and dynamics of the jets. We summarize our results in section 3.

2. Observations and Results

For the present investigation, we have taken the data observed by *Atmospheric Imaging Assembly* (AIA, Lemen *et al.*, 2012) onboard *Solar Dynamics Observatory* (SDO, Pesnell, Thompson, & Chamberlin, 2012). The magnetic field of the AR is explored by Heliospheric Magnetic Imager (HMI, Schou *et al.*, 2012) instrument.

NOAA AR 12644 (N13W91) was one of the highly jet productive region on April 04, 2017. It produced around twelve jets during the day in the north-west direction. Figure 1 (left) shows the location of AR in AIA 193 Å. The right panel of the Figure 1 is an example of the evolution of one of the jets at 131 Å and 304 Å respectively. During the jets we have observed both cool and the hot structure. The jet structures have reverse “Y” (or Eiffel tower) type structure. Such Eiffel tower type morphology were also reported in the earlier studies for example: Torok *et al.*, 2009. The Eiffel tower type structures evidenced the presence of magnetic null-point. The possible location of the null-point is shown by the arrow in the first image of right panel in figure 1. We have measured the height of observed null-point and it is ~ 7 Mm. We found the average speed, height, and lifetime of the jets as 100 km s^{-1} , 60 Mm, and 10 min respectively. For the magnetic causes of

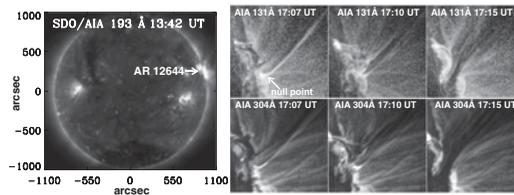


Figure 1. Left panel: Location of NOAA AR 12644. Right panel: An example of evolution of one jet in AIA 131Å (first row) and 304Å (second row) respectively. Location of the null-point is marked by the arrow.

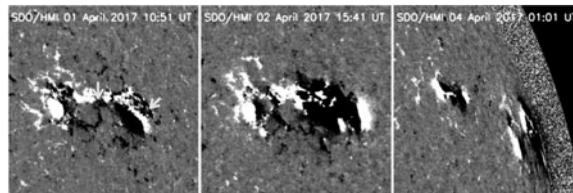


Figure 2. Evolution of magnetic field of NOAA AR 12644 from April 01, 2017 onwards. Eastern and Western arrows show the magnetic flux cancellation and emergence respectively in the active region.

current jets, we have look at the magnetic field of the AR. The AR was at the west limb on April 04, 2017, therefore it is difficult to see its magnetic configuration due to large projection effect. However, we track the evolution of the AR magnetic field from April 01, 2017 onwards. Figure 2 shows the evolution of magnetic field of AR. We found the emergence of positive and negative flux at the jet location. Later on this, newly emerged positive flux cancelled the existing negative flux, which confirms the reported findings that both the flux emergence and cancellation are responsible for the triggering of jets.

3. Summary

We have reported here the preliminary results of twelve solar jets from NOAA AR 12644 on April 04, 2017. All the jets were clearly visible in all EUV channels which shows their multi-thermal nature. The morphology of them indicate the presence of null-point type structure. Magnetic field evolution of the AR shows the magnetic flux emergence and cancellation. We believe that the presence of null-point and the magnetic emergence as well as cancellation at the jet's locations could be responsible for the production of these jets. In future, we plan to analyse them in more detail.

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