

WINTER Field Catalog

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The NCAR/EOL Field Catalog



The field catalog is a web-based collaborative service whose mission is to provide facilities for:

- Project Documentation
- Collect supporting prods for context
- Post mission, campaign review
- Mission Planning
- Real-time communications
- Situational Awareness
- Real-time decision-making
- In-field data sharing

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Mission Scientist Report, RICO, King Air Flight January 21st, 2005 UW King Air Flight Scientist: Stevens



Figure 1: Images showing cloud field during flight.

General cloud characteristics: The cloud field was rather suppressed with patches of humulus and patches of clear, with tops rarely developing above 4000°. During the day a magnificent tail developed west of Barbuda. This tail had a tremendous radar projection, but faded by the time we worked it, only to redevelop somewhat after we left. Drop concentrations were generally light, near 50 or 75 cm⁻.

General Comments: The King Air was the only aircraft in the area as the BAE flew well to the north on this day in search of deeper clouds. The initial plan was to fly along and cross wind segments near the ship for estimating momentum fluxes by fields of shallow cumulus, following a line suggested by Peggy LeMone. Winds proved rather light, as did the shear and cloud field. Indeed echoes were so little in evidence we often turned off the radar, and did not fly legs over the top of the cloud field for the the multiple was desired. Later in the flight we flew a tail pattern which sampled a

ail west of Barbuda, and the period before its subsequent redevelopment.

f Flight Pattern: The momentum patterns were to consist of stacks of four to five legs, cross the shear. We attempted to coordinate these with the ships heading, and after some tment settled on a direction. The patterns generally included two levels in the subcloud r more in the subcloud layer, and one above the cloud. The latter were cut short for lack of

ecnoes. Ine cloud legs were not flow straight and level, but rather adjusted slightly, trying to maintain an average heading that followed the subcloud legs, to increase the time in cloud for cloud statistics. The tail pattern consisted of: (1) two subcloud legs starting well north and ending well south of Barbuda, and flown approximately 10km downwind of Barbuda, upwind of the region of significant tail development; (2) along tail cloud and subcloud legs for measuring clouds and precipitation; (3) a repeat of one of the subcloud legs.

Flight Notes:



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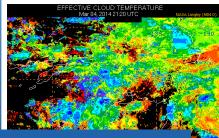
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Current Reports

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Catalog Maps (GIS Tool)

Announcements/Schedule

Communications Coordinator: Tom Ratvasky Phone: 0469 329 163

Updated at 01:30 UTC 02-Mar-2014

Announcement:

- · No flights 02-March or 04-March the fuel control valve is expected to be in Darwin on Monday, However, a PC board for the fuel control is also required. This board has been ordered, but the delivery date is unknown at the moment. Current best guess is the test flight on 05-March.
- The forecast for the top end has dry air persisting through Wednesday. A tropical cyclone is anticipated to develop in the Coral Sea and move west toward Cairns. Planning is being initiated to deploy the Falcon 20 towards the east coast later this week after functional flight checks are completed.
- · Decision on extension will be made on 05-March after gathering terms and conditions of extending lease at Pearl hangar and understanding the status of the aircraft

Plan for 02-Mar-2014

· no more meetings - enjoy the good weather!

Plan for 03-Mar-2014

- 09:00 Wx brief
- 09:30 FOG meeting
- 14:00 McBride presentation, "Australian Monsoon and the MJO (Madden-Julian Oscillation)". NTRO 2nd Floor conference room

Plan for 04-Mar-2014

- 09:00 Wx brief
- 09:30 FOG meeting
- · Replace fuel valve after receipt

Times posted are local Darwin time, unless otherwise noted.



Partner Webpages

Catalog Resources

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FRAPPE Field Catalog

Front Range Air Pollution and Photochemistry Experiment

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Supporting Products: Example - Satellite



OWLeS Field Catalog Ontario Winter Lake-effect Systems

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01	2013-12-07 16:00	2013-12-07 23:00	LLAP band	Ops: Satellite Ops: Radar Ops: Surface Ops: Upper-Air Research: Radar Research: Surface Research: Upper- Air	UWKA Flight Track Plot	Summary Reports	A band-like structure, exhibiting small cellular features, formed early in the day near Oswego and persisted through the afternoon and early evening. The band was oriented approximately 280-290 degrees to the shoreline. Surface assets and soundings targeted this band. More substantial snow occurred with an E-W oriented band near Pulaksi, NY. The WY King Air flew parallel to the long axis of the lake. Upwind soundings were obtained in Ontario, Canada.
02a	2013-12-10 16:39	2013-12-10 20:18	Downwind band	Ops: Satellite Ops: Radar Ops: Surface Ops: Upper-Air Research: Radar Research: Surface Research: Upper- Air	UWKA Flight Track Plot	King Air Mission Summary Report Millersville Tethersonde Summary Report	Weak mesoscale band oriented E-W off Lake Erie. Two surprising observations were that the Erie band extending east completely across the OWLeS operations area throughout the day (it died at sunset as expected from climatology) and that the cloud tops south of the band were just as high and turreted as those in the band. Indeed, the high reflectivity band seemed to follow a sharp change in depth of the moist convection rather than being associated with an isolated band of deeper convection.
02b	2013-12-10 23:00	2013-12-12 02:00	LLAP band	Ops: Satellite Ops: Radar Ops: Surface Ops: Upper-Air Research: Radar Research: Surface Research: Upper- Air	UWKA Flight Track Plot	Summary Reports	An intense LLAP band was sampled on the east shores of Lake Ontario by ground assets. OWLeS operated through the night with all ground facilities commencing operations at 1800 EST and ending operations at 1900 EST on 11 December.
03	2013-12-12 21:00	2013-12-13 07:00	LLAP band	Ops: Satellite Ops: Radar Ops: Surface Ops: Upper-Air Research: Radar Research: Surface Research: Upper- Air	UWKA Flight Track Plot	Summary Reports	An intense LLAP band was sampled on the east shores of Lake Ontario by ground assets. OWLeS operated through the night with all ground facilities commencing operations at 1600 EST and ending operations at 0200 EST on 13 December, although some teams continued data collection until 0900 EST.
04	2013-12-15 20:40	2013-12-16 07:00	LLAP band	Ops: Satellite Ops: Radar Ops: Surface Ops: Upper-Air Research: Radar Research: Surface Research: Upper- Air	UWKA Filght Track Plot	Summary Reports	A surprise LLAP band was sampled on the east shores of Lake Ontario. The expectation from model guidance was that it would make landfail between Fairhaven and Oswego but instead the band moved Northward. In summary, this is a good case study for LLAP and orographic interests, but the coordination between aircraft and DOW measurements was rather poor, MIPS was nor under the band, and we did not have an east shore radiosonde north of the band.

Mission Summary Table

For Post Mission/Post Campaign Review:



For Real-time Communications: IRC Chat

GregStoss-mobile: !replay 1440 minutes
GregStoss-mobile: Test
KAK-CSWR: actually, no. but so is life.
Redfield_Utah_sonde: Karen- a second tab should have popped up on the top of the chat window
Oswego_sonde: Cap at 514 hPa!
You joined the room.

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100	vvolkamer_CR>: !replay10	Becky_Bldr
	eschanot_GV>: interesting. Wind speed increase and shifting to the North	Bill_adsGV
22	SimBresch-mroc>: schanot_GV, at least the forecast was right about the winds Presumably the airmass chemical comopositions should be different (northerlies 'cleaner' than easterlies).	bruce-gv bruning_CR campos cr
	<pre><schanot_gv>: JimBresch-mroc, nothing obvious in CO so far</schanot_gv></pre>	DaveR-RAF
2074	eschanot GV>; wind shift occurred pretty much at the equator	dd montzka-blo
39	svolkamer_CR> schanot_GV: we climbed out of the terrestrial plume with our ascend to FL400	ffl-Bldr
39	svolkamer_CR> There was a drop in CO of about 40ppb	groundbot
39	<jimbresch-mroc>: When you descend you will enter easterlies again.</jimbresch-mroc>	gstoss-Boulder
6	<schanot_gv>: roger</schanot_gv>	Hills_G-V
8	<schanot_gv>: light chop</schanot_gv>	hsrl hsrl
	SimBresch-mroc>: As the stratiform clouds to your south dissipate, low-topped convection is developing. WP3 is mostly clear, but south of there is developing convection.	Jose_OpsCente
54	schanot_GV>: JimBresch-mroc, roger. all still looks like small low stuff in target area. Three MBL legs all below cloud base	SamHall Denve
55	UmBresch-mroc>: OK, the area north and east of the ship is mostly clear.	TomBaltzer-RA
6	<schanot_gv>: roger, any ship reports on the sfc winds? SERVING</schanot_gv>	volkamer_CR
57	<jimbresch-mroc>: The Ka'l is reporting 150 @ 7 kts</jimbresch-mroc>	
	<schanot_gv>: roger</schanot_gv>	
	<jimbresch-mroc>: A pleasant 82 F with SST of 81 F.</jimbresch-mroc>	
08	schanot_GV, unfortunatley, it looks like all the stratiform cloud will be gone by the time you get to WP4. I'd like to know more about it such as altitude, depth - on satellite it looks like a liquid cloud.	
22	cschanot_GV>: started descent to FL280 as part of Module 1	
- 4	eschanot_GV>: will be descending thru some straus	
	<pre>schanot_GV>: stratus</pre> OBSERVING	
22	slimBresch-mroc>: A jump in CO with the wind shift in the descent	
1128-	cschanot_GV>: tops of stratus 2.0 km	
- 2	<schanot_gv>: right here</schanot_gv>	
1.1	schanot_GV>: you're right we may be past it prior to the next descent below 280	
222	SimBresch-mroc>: Actually, the current stratus is a different type of cloud than the one I was talking about.	
	sJimBresch-mroc>: The latest MC vis shows the light gray stratus right around WP4.	
- 24	sschanot_GV>: good call on wind shift. CO in a cal at start of descent. not real data yet <sschanot gv="">: my bad, wasn't watching for that. I will cancel all CO cals during the MBL less</sschanot>	

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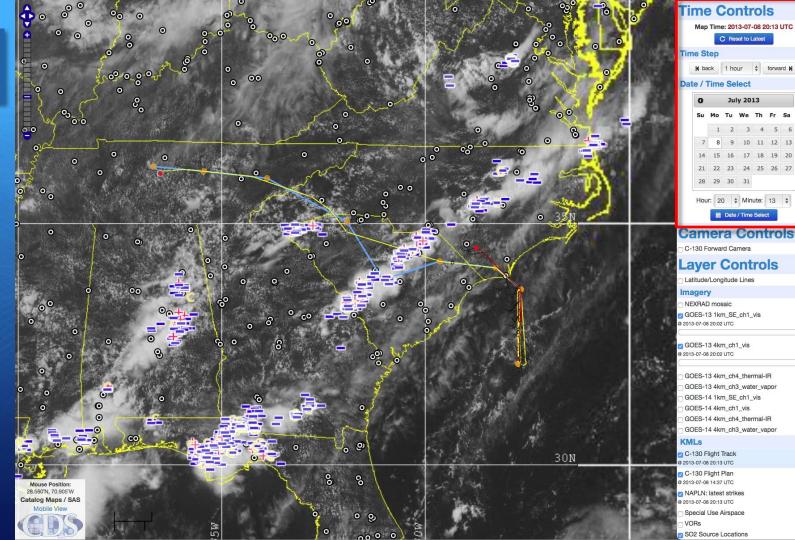
Catalog Maps Tool:

Situational Awareness

Mission Planning

Flight Tracking

Mission Review



Next Steps:

• With input from project participants, develop a prioritized list of operational and model products needed in the field.

1. What is needed for real-time decision making/situational awareness?

2. What are the important products/data that need to be captured to document the conditions in which you sampled?



• Develop a list of research products that are expected to be uploaded from the field.

1. What products/preliminary datasets can you send to the catalog?

2. What are the formats of these data?

 Do you have any special requirements for real-time data support during the campaign?

Next Steps:

• The Field Catalog will be on-line by mid-January to give you time to become familiar with it before the campaign.

• I'll do a tutorial on how to use the Field Catalog before the campaign starts via a web conference.

• I'll be on-site in Virginia for the first two+ weeks of the campaign.

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