



Flight Director: Hathaway / Flaherty  
Phone #: 863-500-3911

ACAT-4 Version = 7.3

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FLIGHT INFORMATION				CREW MANIFEST			MISSION INFORMATION				
FLT ID:	20201006N1	FLT #:		AC:	Mansour	Scientists:	Pressure		Dropsondes		
From:	KLAL	ETD:	1730z	CP(s):	Nardi		A/C Takeoff		Good	Bad	Sent
To:	KLAL	ETA:	0130z						32	1	32
Block Time		Flight Time		Nav(s):			ASOS Takeoff		BTs		
In:	0144z	Land:	0138z	FE(s):			A/C Land		Good	Bad	Sent
Out:	1727z	T/O:	1736z	FD(s):	Mahaway Flaherty	Visitors:	ASOS Land		0	0	0
Total:	8.3	Total:	8.0	SEB:			Storm Number ID: (ie: AL072012)		AL 262020		
Sponsoring Org:	NHC			SSA:	Defeo		TCPOD/WSPOD Mission (ie: NOAA2 2418A SANDY)		NOAA9 0526A DELTA		
Program:	Hurricane 2020-PHS			AVAPS:	Paul		OBSERVATIONS				
Purpose:	Surveillance Delta						Fix Number	Obs Number	Fix Time	SLP	
AS REQUIRED BY ORM				Y	N	REMARKS					
VOLCANIC ASH											
SCIENCE MISSION WITHIN BDRY LAYER											
LACK OF PRECIPITATION											
RELATIVE HUMIDITY ≥ 80%											
LARGE AIR-SEA TEMP GRADIENT											
HIGH SURFACE WINDS											
LONG FETCH / DURATION OF SFC WND											
SEA SALT ACCRETION FORECAST											
SEA SALT ACCRETION OBSERVED											
Gmax:				Gmin:			*Highlighted items must be completed before departure.				
Remarks:											

## G-IV QC Checklist

Overall Assessment	Minor instrument issue(s) - minimal mission impact.
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Flight ID:	20201006N1
Flight Director(s):	Hathaway / Flaherty
Mission:	Non-tasked Science Collection/Research
UWZ.d mean:	0.11

Pressure Comparison		
	T/O	Land
Aircraft	1010.6	1010.7
Tower	1009.7	1011.0

	Raw 1Hz Mean File Parameters					C File Parameters	
<input type="checkbox"/> Accelerometer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AccAXI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AccAYI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AccAZI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AccZI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AccZref	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Ground Speed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GsXI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GsYI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GsZI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GsGPS.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GSXref	
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<input type="checkbox"/> Air Speed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CasADDU.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> CasADDU.2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TasADDU.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TasADDU.2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> IAS.d	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TAS.d
<input type="checkbox"/> Pitch / Roll	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PitchI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PitchRateI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RollI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RollRateI.1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PITCHref	
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	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TTM.3				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Misc. (Must check)					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UWZ.d	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WS.d
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DPJ_WSZ	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WD.d
					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HUM	

FLID_Mission_Documents.pdf:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Error Summary
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Crew Manifest
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	QC Checklist
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dropwindsonde Log(s) - AVAPS and FD if completed
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Flight Track
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Miscellaneous FD Notes

QC Key	
Not checked	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valid	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Errors (note)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

NOTES:
<p><b>AltRA.1 has multiple significant dropouts and should not be used as absolute altitude.</b></p> <p><b>Occasional spikes in multiple sensors in CDO due to turbulence.</b></p> <p><b>PQBeta.1 and PQBeta.2 are unrepresentative with unusual drop outs.</b></p> <p><b>When examined at high resolution, data from the three inertials shows "stairstepping" for all parameters for brief intervals (generally less than 15 seconds).</b></p> <p><b>TDM.1 &amp; TDM.2 were unrepresentative for the cruise portion of the mission above 41K and also for intervals at low altitudes. Consider all relative humidity values to be considered suspect.</b></p> <p><b>TTM.3 has a small amplitude (magnitude 0.2 - 0.3 deg C) unnatural oscillation with a period of roughly 30 seconds.</b></p> <p><b>TTM.1 was used for calculation of Ambient Temperature (TA) and other derived parameters.</b></p> <p><b>There were no edits made in the measured parameters used to calculate meteorological and navigational parameters.</b></p> <p><b>Takeoff/Landing data: Data during landing and takeoff are potentially suspect...</b></p> <p><b>It is recommended that ground data not be used for scientific analysis.</b></p>

# AVAPS Drop Log

Project: HX 2r20 Mission: DELTA Flight ID: 2020100  
 Take Off: 1735Z Landing: \_\_\_\_\_ Flt Dir: FLAHERTY HATHAWAY Launcher S/N: 02

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Drop #	Sonde Serial #	Rcvr #	Press Offset	Launch Time	Operator	Charge \$\$ To	Comments	Good ?
1	201620164	1	-0.9	1755	SCP	NWS		✓
2	201440507	2	-1.1	1810	SCP			✓
3	201620176	3	-1.2	1824	SCP			✓
4	201620308	4	-1.1	1839	SCP			✓
5	201651047	1	-1.1	1852	SCP			✓
6	201650497	2	-0.7	1908	SCP		fast fall	X
7	201620248	3	-0.9	1910	SCP		backup for 6	✓
8	201650604	4	-0.8	1921	SCP			✓
9	201620326	1	-1.2	1936	SCP			✓
10	201630242	2	-1.0	1950	SCP			✓
11	201440376	3	-1.0	2007	SCP			✓
12	201630246	4	-1.0	2023	SCP			✓
13	201730240	1	-0.7	2058	SCP			✓
14	201620183	2	-0.8	2053	SCP			✓
15	201430008	3	∅	2110	SCP			✓
16	201650595	4	∅	2145	SCP			✓
17	201440525	1	∅	2154	SCP			✓
18	201440490	2	∅	2206	SCP			✓
19	201420572	3	∅	2217	SCP			✓
20	201620128	4	∅	2228	SCP			✓
21	201630249	1	-0.7	2239	SCP			✓
22	201620134	2	∅	2254	SCP			✓
23	201450420	3	-1.5	2308	SCP			✓
24	201440509	4	∅	2317	SCP			✓
25	201620330	1	-0.7	2325	SCP			✓
26	201730022	2	-0.6	2334	SCP			✓
27	201430127	3	∅	2343	SCP			✓
28	201430012	4	∅	2353	SCP			✓
29	201420559	1	∅	0005	SCP			✓
30	201626338	2	-0.9	0015	SCP			✓
31	201740070	3	∅	0024	SCP			✓
32	201620207	4	∅	0040	SCP			✓
33	201430066	1	-0.7	0056	SCP			✓

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#### Drop Station Operator Notes

Charge \$\$ To Options (**DO NOT USE FUNDING CODES**):

AOC, NWS, HRD, NESDIS, IR/SST, AR, STAN (Stanford), SAT (JPSS/NESDIS/HRD)

#### AVAPS Pre-Flight Check:

- If time-permits, verify cabin pressure sensor w/ lab standard
- Start AVAPS., then start Soundings and set the Project Name and Full Flight ID (example: 20120823N2).
- Verify the Frequency band allocation as required:  
Band A: 53<sup>rd</sup> WRS - Band B: N42RF - Band C: N43RF - Band D: N49RF - Band E: Unallocated
- Select the **GPS Reference** tab from the **Soundings Displays** page and verify good GPS data
- Perform a prelaunch check on each channel, look for reasonable data and no CRC error status lights.
- Verify data is available on Remote AVAPS, then terminate the sonde.
- Verify the AVAPS Data mission folder has been created
- **Verify AVAPS PC Time is correct – if time is off by >4sec, no data will display**
- **Early launch detects are caused usually by remanufactured sondes with the chute riser line not properly coiled below the PCB ear. This may also cause fast falls. If this is suspected, repack the riser line as time permits**
- **Perform RH Regeneration on all sondes – Multiple RD41 sondes may be processed at once**

#### AVAPS Launch:

- Select a sonde frequency in the Green band and away from other sondes
- Enter sonde pressure error offset if 0.4mB or greater using cabin pressure sensor – warning, this can not be used during a climb
- **If the Cal lab pressure standard and the cabin pressure standard match, apply pressure offset +/- 0.1 mB**
- **Wait until GPS available (green) on the pre-launch screen before continuing.**
- Select "begin data collection" and verify good data with winds prior to putting sonde in launch tube
- On N42 & N43, remove about 1/2 of the ribbon. Do not shorten the ribbon on N49. Loosen ribbon and extend end of ribbon to near, but not over, the sensor end of the sonde. Place excess orange tape on end of ribbon to form a pocket.
- Place the sonde in the launch tube, sensor arm up, with the power pin socket facing right
- Verify the sonde is actively tracking GPS data prior to launch and **no early launch detect**

AOC GPS Dropwindsonde Log (updated Mar 2019)

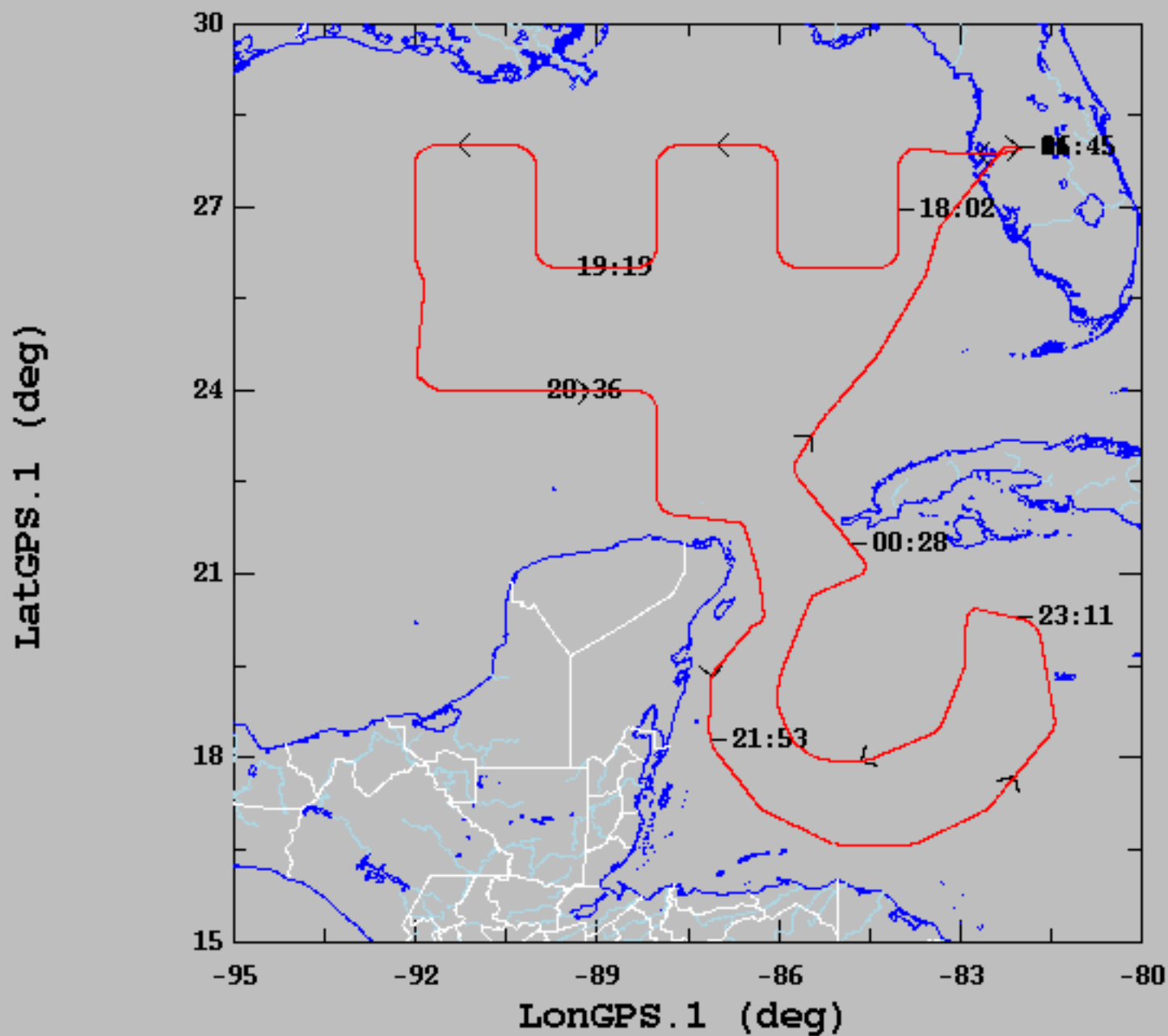
Flight ID: 20201006N1  
 Mission ID: N09A90526A DELTA

ASPEN Operator/Flight Director(s): FLAHERTY/HATHAWAY  
 Storm Name/Track: HURR DELTA SURV.

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Sonde #	Ob #	Launch Time HHMMSS (Z)	Sonde ID (m.f. last 5)	Ch # used	Lat (°N)	Lon (°E)	Prominent Wx Cond.	SFC Prs (mb)	Comments / Issues / OC / ASPEN Edits	KWBC #	Sonde Issues?
1	1			1			FW BLOW				N
2	2	40507	1810	2	26	-84.1	ST BLOW	1012.3		1842	N
3	3	1824	2076	3	26.1	-85.9	"	1010.6		1855	N
4	4	1839	2038	4	27.9	-86.1	"	1012.6		1859	N
5	5	1857	510471	27.9	-87.9	"	"	1012.9		1923	N
6	6	1907		2			"		FAST FALL BACK-UP		N
7	7	1910	20248	3	26.0	-88.4	"	1009.6		1936	N
8	8	1921	20004	4	26.1	-90.0	BK BLOW	1010.5		1955	N
9	9	1936	20326	1	28.0	-90.1	OV BLOW	1011.7		2007	N
10	10	1958	30242	2	27.9	-91.8	"	1012.6		2009	N
11	11	2007	40376	3	26.0	-92	"	1010.2		2052	N
12	12	2023	30246	4	24.1	-91.8	"	1009.3		2054	N
13	13	2038	30210	1	24.0	-90.0	BK BLOW	1008.2		2125	N
14	14	2053	20183	2	23.9	-88.1	"	1008.2		2137	N
15	15	2110	30056	3	22.8	-88.0	OV BLOW	1006.3		2141	N
16	16	2145	50595	4	19.3	-87.0	"	1004.6		2211	N
17	17	2154	40525	1	18.2	-87.0	"	1004.9		2230	N
18	18	2206	40490	2	17.1	-86.2	"	1004.2		2241	N
19	19	2217	20572	3	16.5	-85.0	"	1005.6	1005.6	2243	N
20	20	2228	20128	4	16.6	-83.7	"	1004.0		2327	N
21	21	2239	30249	1	17.1	-82.5	"	1005.0		2329	N
22	22	2254	20134	2	18.5	-81.4	"	1005.9		2331	N
23	23	2308	30420	3	20.1	-81.7	"	1005.2		2333	N
24	24	2317	40509	4	20.3	-82.8	"	1003.7		2340	N
25	25	2325	20330	1	19.9	-82.9	DRX	1002.9		2346	N
26	26	2334	30022	2	18.4	-83.3	"	1001.0		2359	N
27	27	2343	30127	3	18.0	-84.4	"	1000.6		0027	N
28	28	2353	30012	4	18.2	-85.6	"	1003.4		0039	N
29	29	0005	20559	1	19.5	-85.9	"	1002.3	SPORADIC DATA 955 mb - SEASW	0044	N
30	30	0015	20338	2	20.5	-85.4	"	1002.3		0050	N
31	31	0024	40070	3	21.0	-84.5	"	1003.7		0052	N
32	32	0040	20207	4	22.8	-85.7	"	1007.5		0103	N
33	32	0056	30066	1	24.3	-84.5	"	1010.3	LAST REPORT	0119	N
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	mean	sigma	min	max
— LatGPS.1 (deg), 1 s/sec	23.59	3.91	16.58	28.00
— LongGPS.1 (deg), 1 s/sec	-85.69	3.07	-92.00	-81.42