N42RF ERROR SUMMARY 20230920H1

Flight ID: 20230920H1

Sensor or System	Number or Name
Static Pressure Probe	PSM.2
Dynamic Pressure Probe	PQM.2
Total Temperature Probe	TTM.1
Dewpoint Temp. Probe	TDM.2
Vertical Accelerometer	AccZfilterI-GPS.1
Altimeter	AltGPS.3
INE Selection	1
Differential Attack Pressure Probe	PDALPHA.1
Differential Sideslip Pressure Probe	PDBETA.1
Dynamic Attack Pressure Probe	PQALPHA.1
Dynamic Sideslip Pressure Probe	PQBETA.1

Flight Directory

acdata/2023/MET/20230920H1

Local	Met Data	Takeoff	TXKF	(1430Z)	Landing	TXKF	(2242Z)
	Dynamic Correction	ns			Ye	S	
	AttackAngleInterd	cept			2.	305	
	AttackAngleSlope				6.	07576	
	SlipAngleIntercep	ot			0.	235	
	SlipAngleSlope				7.	01112	
	AttackAngleInterd	cept2			2.	06219	
	AttackAngleSlope2	2			5.99068		
	SlipAngleIntercep	ot2			0.	125	
	SlipAngleSlope2				6.	9873	

Notes:

There were no edits made in the measured parameters used to calculate meteorological and navigational parameters.

Takeoff/Landing data: Data during landing and takeoff are potentially suspect. It is recommended that ground data not be used for scientific analysis.

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TTM.3 is not operational

TRadU.1 is not operational

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TDM.2 is the better (consistently) behaving sensor and TDMref is set to TDM.2; TDM.1 can be used in storm; TDM.3 has erroneous data throughout the flight and should not be used

PDALPHAref, PDBETAref, PQALPHAref, PQBETAref, and DPJ_WSZ are not provided since _AC file is not produced; all other 'C' file parameters checked are from the _A file

AltGPS.1 deviates as much as 250 m higher than AltGPS.2, AltGPS.3, and AltGPS.4 while in-storm, with also a very large spike at 2026 UTC; same with AltI-GPS.1; ALTref is set to AltGPS.3

LatGPS.1, LonGPS.1, LatI-GPS.1, and LonI-GPS.1 are not consistent with .2, .3, and .4 in storm and should not be used; LONref and LATref set to LatGPS.1 and LonGPS.1, so should not be used

PQM.1 (Wingtip) erroneously drops in pressure at $\sim\!2120$ UTC and recovers $\sim\!2234$ UTC (period on the transit back to TXKF, not in storm), PQMref set to PQM.2, which is good

TAS.d drops out between 22:31:18 and 22:34:02 UTC on descent to TXKF, other times unaffected, so checked green; TA.d, TD.c, HUM, UWZ.d, WS.d, and WD.d similarly affected, but checked green

Expendable Type	<pre># deployed</pre>	# good	<pre># transmitted</pre>
Dropsondes	3	3	3
Test sondes	0	0	0
AXBTs	0	0	0
AXCPs	0	0	0
AXCTDs	0	0	0
UAS	0	0	0

Flight Director: Zawislak / Parrish

Phone #: 305-707-4359

ACAT-4 Version = 7.4

U.S. Department of Commerce / NOAA / OMAO / Aircraft Operations Center - N42RF Manifest FLIGHT INFORMATION **CREW MANIFEST** MISSION INFORMATION FY23-20230920H1 FLT #: AC: Abitbol Scientists: FLT ID: Pressure **Dropsondes TXKF** ETD: 1030L / 1330Z Paul Chang (NESDIS) Doremus Good Bad Sent From: CP(s): 1017.3 A/C Takeoff 1830L / 2130Z Zorana Jelenak (NESDIS) **TXKF** To: ETA: Gaston 3 3 0 Utama / Schaefer Joe Sapp (NESDIS) **Block Time** Flight Time NAV: 1017.7 **ASOS Takeoff** Gee BTs 14:24 14:31 Out: T/0: FE(s): Wysinger Good Bad Sent A/C Land Zawislak 22:49 22:42 FD(s): Land: ln: 0 0 0 Parrish 1017.7 **ASOS** Land McAlister Visitors: SSA: 8.4 8.2 Total: Total: Waggoner Storm Number ID: AVAPS: AL152023 HX - NESDIS Sponsoring Org: (ie: AL072012) PND TCPOD/WSPOD Mission Program: SEB: NOAA2 WD15A NIGEL (ie: NOAA2 2418A SANDY) HX Research Mission Purpose: **OBSERVATIONS** MX: YN AS REQUIRED BY ORM **REMARKS** Fix Number Obs Number Fix Time SLP **VOLCANIC ASH** Χ 1 SCIENCE MISSION WITHIN BDRY LAYER LACK OF PRECIPITATION 2 RELATIVE HUMIDITY ≥ 80% Χ LARGE AIR-SEA TEMP GRADIENT Χ 3 HIGH SURFACE WINDS Χ LONG FETCH / DURATION OF SFC WND Χ 4 SEA SALT ACCRETION FORECAST SEA SALT ACCRETION OBSERVED 8 x CAT 1 Pennies: *Highlighted items must be completed before departure.

Remarks:

P-3 QC Checklist

Overall Assessment Minor instrument issue(s) - minimal mission impact.

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Flight Director(s):	Zawislak / Parrish
Mission:	Non-tasked Science Collection/Research
UWZ.d mean:	0.19

Pressure Comparison				
T/O Land				
Aircraft	1017.3	No good measurement		
Tower	1017.7	1017.7		

		Raw 1Hz Me	ean File Parameters	C File Parameters
Accelerometer	AccAXI.1	AccAYI.1	AccAZI.1 AccZfilter-GPS.1	✓ AccZref
	AccAXI.2	AccAYI.2	AccAZI.2 AccZfilter-GPS.2	
	AccAXI-GPS.1	AccAYI-GPS.1	AccAZI-GPS.1	
	AccAXI-GPS.2	AccAYI-GPS.2	AccAZI-GPS.2	
✓ Altitude	X AltGPS.1	X Alti-GPS.1	AltPaADDU.1 AltRA.1	ALTref AltRA1.c
	AltGPS.2	Alti-GPS.2	AltBCADDU.1 AltRA.2	✓ ALTPA.d ✓ AltRA2.c
	AltGPS.3			ALTGA.d
	AltGPS.4			
Ground Speed	GsXI-GPS.1	GsYI-GPS.1	GsZI-GPS.1	GSXref
	GsXI-GPS.2	GsYI-GPS.2	GsZI-GPS.2	GSYref
			_	GSZref
✓ Lat / Lon	X LatGPS.1	X Lati-GPS.1	X LonGPS.1 X LonI-GPS.1	X LATref
	LatGPS.2	Latl-GPS.2	LonGPS.2 LonI-GPS.2	X LONref
	LatGPS.3		LonGPS.3	
	LatGPS.4		LonGPS.4	
✓ Pressure	PDALPHA.1	PQALPHA.1	X PQM.1 PSM.1	X PDLAPHAref PQMref
	PDALPHA.2	PQBETA.1	PQM.2 PSM.2	X PDBETAref PQ.c
	PDBETA.1		₽QM.3 PTM.1	X PQALPHAref PSMref
	PDBETA.2		PQM.4	X PQBETAref PS.c
✓ Air Speed	CasADDU.1	▼ TasADDU.1	✓ lasADDU.1	✓ IAS.d ✓ TAS.d
Pitch / Roll	Pitchl.1	✓ PitchRatel.1	RollI.1 RollRatel.1	PITCHref
	Pitchl.2	PitchRatel.2	RollI.2 RollRatel.2	ROLLref
	X Pitchl.3	X PitchRatel.3	X RollI.3 X RollRatel.3	
✓ Temp / Dewpt	TTM.1	X TDM.1	TRadD.1	▼ TD.c ▼ TTMref
	TTM.2	TDM.2	TRadS.1	▼ TDMref ▼ TA.d
	X TTM.3	X TDM.3	X TRadU.1	
Misc. (Must check)				✓ UWZ.d ✓ WS.d
				X DPJ_WSZ WD.d
				HUM

	FLID_Mission_Documents.pdf:					
/	Error Summary					
~	Crew Manifest					
~	QC Checklist					
~	Dropwindsonde Log(s) - AVAPS and FD if completed					
/	Flight Track					
~	Miscellaneous FD Notes					

QC Key	
Not checked	
Valid	\checkmark
Errors (note)	Χ

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7	MINI

AVAPS Drop Log

Project: NIGEL	Mission: 2	Flight	ID: 10730920H1
Take Off: 1431	Landing:	Flt Dir: <u>T7</u>	Launcher S/N:

Dron	pp Sonde Serial Rcvr Press Launch Operator Charge Comments Goo						104		
Drop #	Sonde Serial #	Rcvr #	Offset	Launch Time	Operato	\$\$ To	Comments		Good ?
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