



NOAA P-3 N42RF

Atmospheric Rivers

Mission 1



Flight ID: 050324H

Sensor or system

Number or Name

INE

1

Accelerometer

1

Temperature Probe

1

Dew Point Probe

1 (General Eastern)

Altitude (for vertical wind)

Radar Altimeter 159

Static Pressure

Rosemount Fuselage

Dynamic Pressure

Rosemount Fuselage 1281

Time Source

Micro 99

Constants File

CO2052.CON

Notes:

There were three time/data gaps during this flight. These occurred between 212909Z-212920Z, 213301Z-213320Z, and from 041351Z-041400Z.

The dynamic slip pressure (PDSF) from the lower fuselage indicated values that were inverted from that of the dynamic slip pressure from the radome (PDSR) from 204601Z-211600Z. This discrepancy occurred while the aircraft was climbing. The pitch angle was around 8 degrees and the roll was around 6 degrees during this time period. No corrections were made to the data.

Spikes in radar altimeter 159 and 232 from 211346Z-211703Z are the result of flying over the island of Kauai..

Spikes in dewpoint sensor number one were corrected from 012724Z-013000Z and from 013135Z-013530Z in order to keep relative humidity values below 100%.

Dewpoint sensor number two exhibited rhythmic oscillations throughout the flight.

The King Liquid Water sensor was inoperative throughout the flight.

The aircraft INE positions were re-navigated with respect to GPS.

SPECIAL NOTE!!! Locations 80, 81 and 82 of record five on the standard tape contain vertical ground, vertical air and vertical speeds, respectively, computed using Dave Jorgensen's vertical wind algorithm.
It is recommended that these values be used for vertical wind analysis.

	Takeoff	Landing
Aircraft Static Pressure	1018.4 mb	1015.4 mb
Corrected Tower Pressure	1018.3 mb	1014.9 mb

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Flt ID: 050324H	From: PHNL	To: PHNL
Flt. No: 05-016	Blk In: 0443 Z	Time On: 0433 Z
ETD: 2100 Z	Blk Out: 2038 Z	Time Off: 2049 Z
ETE: 9+00	Blk Time: 8+05 (8.1) Hrs	Flt Time: 7+44 (7.7) Hrs
Sponsoring Org: NOAA/ETZ	Program: Atmospheric Rivers	Purpose: Isog

AOC Flight Crew

Aircraft Commander: Strong ✓	Data System: Delgado ✓
Co-Pilot: Choy ✓	AVAPS: Mcmillan ✓
Navigator: Gallagher ✓, Siegel ✓	System Eng:
Flight Eng: Floyd ✓	A A:
Flight Director: Mayeaux ✓	A A:
Avionics: Rogers ✓	Crew Chief:

Participating Scientists / Visitors

Name (Last, First)	Activity on Aircraft	Affiliation
Jorgenson	PI	NSSL
Shepherd, T ✓	obs	AOC
Kingsmill, D ✓	Sci	Noaa/ETZ NSSL

Remarks (Storm Name, Mission ID, Recco Times, Fix Times) Recco Times Fix # Fix Time

Storm Name: _____

Mission ID: _____

Penetration number and time

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Flight ID: 050324H		Time Off: 2019 2049Z		Time On: 0433 Z	
A/C - Takeoff		Wx Station - Takeoff		A/C - Land	
Wx Station - Land					
Pressure	1018.4 mb	3007 (1018.3) mb	1015.4 mb	2997 (1014.9) mb	
ATIS	Time	Observation			
Takeoff	1853 Z	29004KT 10Sm SKC 26/19 3007			
Land	0353 Z	22007KT 9Sm FEW075 126/20 2997			
	Number	Data Disposition / Date / Quality			
Flight Level Tapes	2				
Radar Tapes	1				
Cloud Physics Tapes / CDs					
Video Tapes					
Dropsondes	44	Good: 42 Bad: 2			
AXBT					
AXCP					
AXCTD					

Remarks:

Radar is broken from takeoff (LF + Tail)

Time glitch 2133

Inertial 2 out to lunch



Rock 813 760 477
Navy 813 833 2872

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EMERGENCY MESSAGE

ANY OF THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY FREQUENCIES

243.0	121.9	2182 KHZ	8364 KHZ	500 KHZ
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THIS IS NOAA _____, NOAA _____, NOAA _____

- POSITION	N/S
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-HEADING _____ IRUE/MAG _____

ALL INFORMATION CONTAINED
HEREIN IS UNCLASSIFIED

FLIGHT LEVEL OR ALTITUDE 17

NATURE OF EMERGENCY WEAKENED AIRCRAFT WITH 16 SOULS ON BOARD

- NATIONAL OF EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROVIDED

- WE HAVE _____ ENDURANCE REMAINING

The top diagram shows a circle divided into 12 equal segments, each labeled with a category number (1 to 12) and a value of 83.3, indicating a uniform distribution of 1000 observations across 12 categories.

The bottom diagram shows a circle divided into 12 equal segments, each labeled with a category number (1 to 12) and a value representing the number of observations in that category. The values are: 1: 83.3, 2: 100, 3: 125, 4: 150, 5: 175, 6: 200, 7: 225, 8: 250, 9: 275, 10: 300, 11: 325, 12: 350. The total number of observations is 1000.

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RANGE CONTROL GRAPH

1950 2250 2150 2050

CEX - TRUE BEARING METHOD			
COMPASS TYPE	INS1	INS2	WET
MCH (READING)			
- MTH(SEXTANT)			
CE			

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COMPASS TYPE	INS1	INS2	WET
MCH (READING)			
- MTH(SEXTANT)			
CE			
- VAR			
DEV			

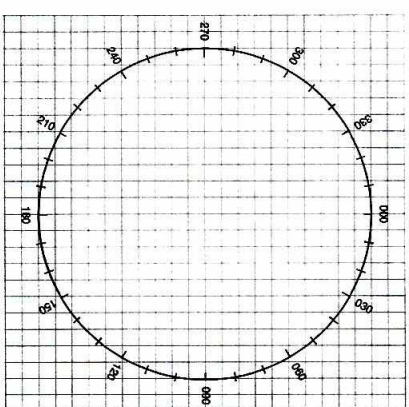
DEC	
HC / D	
CORR	
HC	
Z	
ZN	

CEX - ERB METHOD			
COMPASS TYPE	INS1	INS2	WET
MERB (DIAL 000)			
+ ZN			
= MTH			
MCH (READING)			
GE			
- VAR			

A circular scale for measuring angles, ranging from 0.00 to 0.30 in increments of 0.02. The scale is marked with tick marks and labels. The labels are: 0.00, 0.02, 0.04, 0.06, 0.08, 0.10, 0.12, 0.14, 0.16, 0.18, 0.20, 0.22, 0.24, 0.26, 0.28, 0.30. The scale is oriented such that 0.00 is at the bottom, 0.10 is on the left, and 0.20 is on the right.

TRUE AIRSPEED CROSS-CHECK							
TIME	IAS	PRESS ALT	"F" FACTOR	EAS	OAT	TAS	ITAS
0212	211	FLYING			-5	304	288

T-FACTOR					
PRESS	ALT	200	250	300	350
10,000		1.0	1.0	.99	.99
20,000		.99	.98	.97	.97
30,000		.97	.96	.95	.94
40,000		.96	.94	.92	.90


$$ETP = .5(TOTAL\ DISTANCE \times OUTBOUND\ WIND\ FACTOR)$$

TRUE AIRSPEED CROSS-CHECK

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N42RF AVAPS DROP LOG

Project : GNet/AtRiv '05Mission :

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ATM 1

Take Off : _____

Landing : _____

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Drop #	Sonde Serial #	Rcvr #	Press Offset	Launch Time	Winds Time	Operator	Comments	Good ?
1	042 415 110	1		21:21	70	MER		/
2	042 715 131	2		21:28	105			/
3	042 715 129	3		21:35	44			/
4	042 715 130	4		21:42	47			/
5	043 845 074	1		21:49	40			/
6	042 715 031	2		21:56	47			/
7	043 845 050	3	+5	22:03	34			/
8	043 845 041	4		22:10	49			/
9	043 835 027	1		22:17			NO LD	/
10	042 715 155	2		22:18	20			/
11	043 845 045	3		22:24	36			/
12	042 715 136	4		22:31	18			/
13	042 415 112	1		22:38	20		Possible	/
14	042 415 185	2		22:45	20			/
15	043 835 022	3		22:52	20			/
16	042 715 135	4		22:59	26			/
17	042 415 231	1		23:06	29			/
18	042 415 220	2		23:13	27			/
19	042 415 253	3		23:20	32			/
20	042 415 151	4		23:27	28			/
21	042 415 240	1		23:34	23			/
22	042 415 228	2		28:31	40			/
23	042 815 147	3		0:40	50			/
24	042 815 155	4	+5	0:52	22			/
25	042 715 280	1		0:58	20			/
26	042 715 271	2	+5	1:03	31			/
27	042 815 152	3		1:08	22			/
28	042 415 133	4		1:13	18			/
29	042 412 195	1		1:19	36			/
30	042 815 148	2		1:25	24			/
31	042 815 150	3		1:31	30			/

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Landing :

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