

NOAA G-IV N49RF ERROR SUMMARY
WINTER STORMS 2011
5 Mar 2011 TRACK 34 (37WSC)
NCEP (PWT) PHNL →PHNL

Flight ID: 20110305N1

<u>Sensor or system</u>	<u>Number or Name</u>
Accelerometer	AccZI.1
Altitude	AltGPS.3
Attack Angle	AA.2
Dew Point Probe	TD.2
Dynamic Pressure	PQF.2
Geopotential Altitude	AltGPS.3
Inertial Selected	INE1
Static Pressure	PSF.2
Slip Angle	SA.2
Temperature Probe	TTM.1
True Airspeed	TASF.3
Constants File	49cal102
Flight Directory	acdata/2011/MET/20110305N1
Local Met Data	Takeoff (1944z)
Aircraft Static Pressure	1017.3 mb
Tower Pressure (corrected)	1018.1 mb
	Landing (0150z)
	1016.8 mb
	1016.6 mb

Notes:

There was a glitch in the AAMPS data system that caused a data gap for all analog and inertial data beginning 9 seconds after 00z that lasted 45 seconds.

Other than the interval described above: The only other data gaps were two intervals in AltRa.1 from the APN-232 radar altimeter:

20:01:23-20:02:04z (multiple gaps during this interval during climbout)

01:27:14- 01:27:36z (multiple gaps during this interval during descent to landing)

In creation of higher MET parameters, PDAlphaF.2 was selected (under Attack Pressure Probe Selection choices) to utilize AA.2.

GDIFF check: Mean of 1426 meters of drift for INE #1 (with respect to the Novatel) 1644 meters for INE#2. In creation of higher MET parameters, INE #1 selected.

TTM.3 displayed an oscillation of around 0.6C to 0.7C (with a period of approx 6 minutes) during cruise above 41K. TTM.1 is the default.

The Left Dew Point sensor (TD.1) again read far too high through the entire flight. TD.2 did a reasonably good job but is also too high during the cruise portion of flight at or above 41,000 feet (where sondes suggest an RH near 5% and the dew points generated by TD.2 yield an RH around 20%). TdM.2 did spike well above TA.1 during descent to landing.

Vertical Winds showed a small low bias during the cruise portion of flight (with a mean UWZ.1 of -0.09 during a 4 hour interval between 20:43z and 00:50z).

All other flight level instruments worked optimally during the flight.

- 13 drop points assigned by NCEP
- 14 AVAPS II dropsondes deployed, 1 Fast Fall (2317z Drop Pt #8) Backup was good
- 13 drops good and transmitted for ingestion into 06/0000z model runs

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FLT ID: 20110305N1	From: PHNL	To: PHWL
FLT #: 11-041	Blk In: 0154 z	Lnd Time(on): 0150 z
ETD: 2000 z	Blk Out: 1932 z	T/O Time (off): 1944 z
ETE: 6.5	Total Blk: 6.4	Total Flt: 6.1
Sponsoring Org: NCEP	Program: WSR	Purpose: SURV

AOC Flight Crew

Aircraft Commander: Twining	Data System: Rogers
Co-Pilot: Toth	Avaps: Paul
Navigator: /	System Engineer: Smith
Flight Eng: /	AA:
Flt Director: Ash, Flanerty	AA:
Avionics:	Crew Chief:

Participating Scientists, Visitors, & Add'l Aircrew on back. 8 # of people listed on back: 7

	A/C - Takeoff	Wx Station - Takeoff	A/C - Land	Wx Station - Land
Pressure	1017.9		1016.4	

STA

1018.1

016.6

ATIS - Takeoff 051853Z 0601KT 10SM -RA SCT045TC4 BKN065 BKN095 2219
 ATIS - Land 060053Z 12005KT 10SM SCT024 BKN055 BKN090 24/20 A300Z

A300Z

Data Source	Number	Data Disposition / Date / Quality / File Name(s)		
Flight Level Tapes				
Radar Tapes				
Dropsondes	14	Good: 13	Bad: 1	Sent: 13
AXBT				

List other data sources on back in Remarks section.

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

Storm Name: _____

Mission ID: NOAA 9 37WSC Track 34

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PMSV 344.6

AOC GPS Dropwindsonde Log

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Ch. #	Drop #	Sonde ID	Drop Time (UTC)	Lat (°N)	Lon (°W)	Wx Cond.	SFC Prs (mb)	Ob #	L5R5	Last Winds R5 (ht, ws, wd)	Last Winds L5 (ht, ws, wd)	Sent Time/KWBC (UTC)
1	0	093159125	205123	28.5	154.5	cu SC	1023.1	1	15	0011 sent	0011	214254
2	2	053316163	211010	30.8	153.5	cu	1024.9	2	15	0011 sent	0011	214619 1224834
3	3	093039044	212916	33.3	153.0	cu SC	1025.4	3	15	corr sent	0011	215629 1230135
4	4	093039038	214916	35.8	152.8	sc cu	1023.5	4	15	25010	0011	221653
5	5	092329119	221022	38.2	153.7	SC	1020.7	5	15		OK	230417
6	6	091959017	223331	40.1	156.0	SC	1015.6	6	15	19014	0011 add surf wd	230946
7	7	093129050	225648	41.0	159.0	ci	1012.4	7	15	08506	0011 for surf wd	232958
8	8	091959036	231712			ci				FAST FAIL		
9	9	093319174	231815	39.4	161.6	ci	1013.6	8	15	25512	0011	234603
10	10	093129107	233557	37.2	162.7	ci	1016.9	9	15		000308 103654	
11	11	093319156	235425	34.7	162.7	cu	1020.0	10	15		002837	
12	12	093159084	001306	32.2	162.5	cu	1023.4	11	15		0034125	
13	13	093129125	003214	29.7	161.7	few cu	1023.8	12	15		011948	
14	14	093129116	005207	27.2	160.8	few cu	1022.1	13	15		012300	

1.8
646.5
58

Track 34, 13 drops,

t/o wx: wd:

04012KT P6SM few035 Sct050

ws:

2000 couds:

turb:

High impact central us storm + severe wx
high threat
med

Outbound: wd:

ws: SW 50-120 KTS

clouds:

turb:

Inbound: wd:

ws:

clouds:

turb:

landing wx: wd:

0230 ws: 04012KT P6SM few035 Sct050

clouds:

turb:

local conditions:

Sea Salt:

Volcanic Ash: none

Turbulence: west leg going through jet exit region
isol cb to 420 over islands

03/05/2011, 19:07:45-25:56:14



