

DATA MANAGEMENT OVERVIEW AND SERVICES

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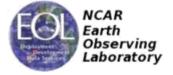
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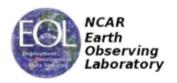
EOL Data Management Philosophy

- Early involvement in project planning
- Involvement with PIs to develop data management strategy (e.g., plan, policy, format, special collection and processing)
- Consistent implementation of data management strategy for lifetime of project and beyond (data Stewardship)
- Reliable and efficient long-term archive and distribution system
- Easy and efficient access to datasets by broader community including educators and students

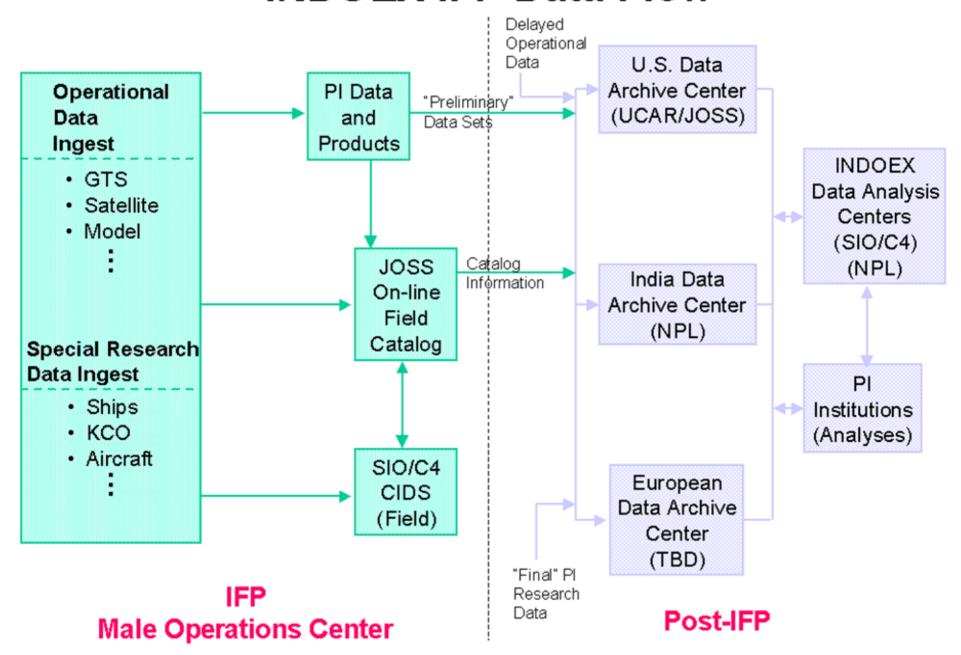


Project Data Management Considerations

- Develop Data Management Plan
- Data Types
- Data Formats and Documentation
- Data Collection
- Real-time Data Requirements
- Data Quality Control
- Data Archival
- Data Distribution
- Coordination with other Programs

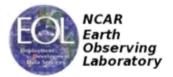


INDOEX IFP Data Flow

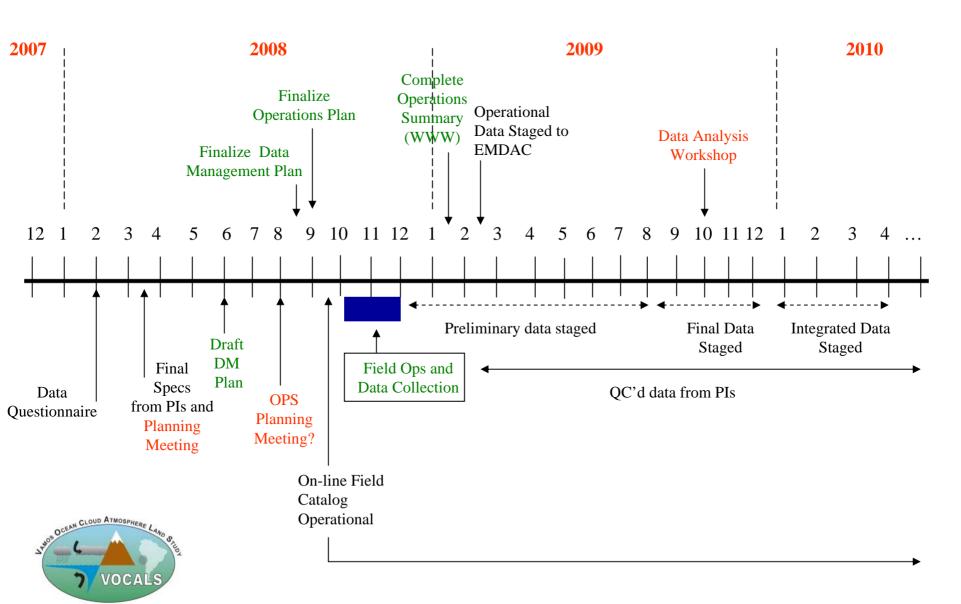


EOL DATA SERVICES

- Data Questionnaire
- Data Management Plans
- Real-time Data Ingest
- Field Operations Catalog and Mapserver
- Data Processing
- Interactive Data Archive and Distribution (EMDAC)
- Web Services
- Special Media Products and Services



VOCALS Data Management Timeline





Data Policy and exchange guidelines:

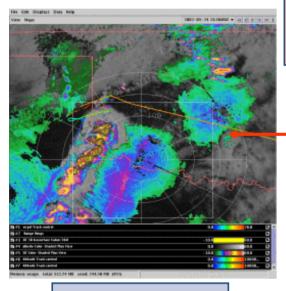
- (1) To comply with WMO Resolutions 40 (CG-XII) and 25 (CG-XIII) in particular: No financial implications.
- (2) CDA and *data users*: Commercial exploitation of CEOP data is prohibited.
- (3) Data users: No transfer to third parties.
- (4) Data release to *data users*: Turn-around period.

 Category 1 data: 6 months Category 2 data: 15 months
- (5) Acknowledgement and citation
- (6) Co-Authorship for Reference Sites' Pls recommended, collaboration base required if Pl requests co-authorship (in particular for *category 2* data)
- (7) CEOP Publication Library at CDA

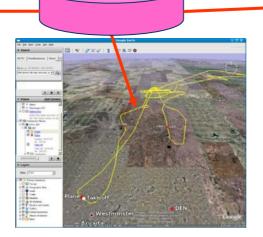


Data Distribution (IDD)/Local Data Manager (LDM), HTTP or

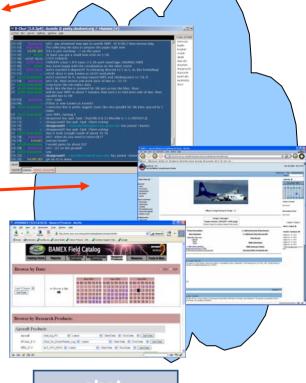
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UNIDATA's Integrated Data Viewer (IDV)



Google Earth



chat, wikis/forums, mapservers, Field Catalog

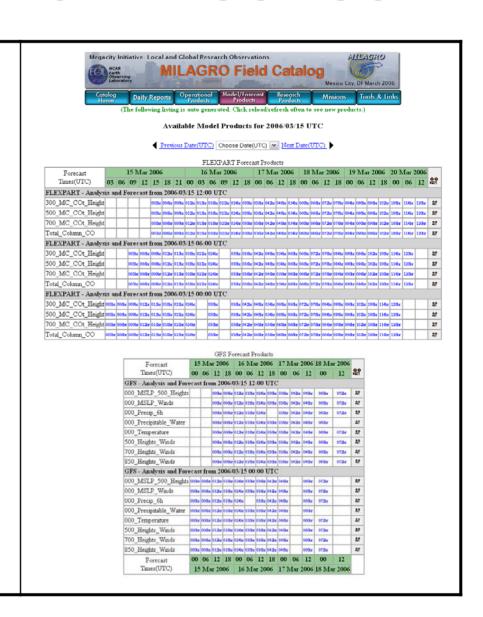


EOL FIELD CATALOG TOOL

In-field tool to ingest and display operational and preliminary research data and project documentation for making real-time decisions and evaluating project progress

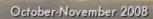
Features:

- Daily Mission Reports
- Operations Summary
- Facility Status Reports
- Data Analysis Products
- Authoring Tools
- Web-based access





VOCALS-REx Field Catalog





Daily Reports

Operational Products

Model/Forecast Products

Research Products

Missions

Tools & Links

Boulder:

Mon, Apr 13, 2:43 PM UTC:

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Facilities Status

Operations Plan of the Day

Weather Discussion



Real-Time VOCALS kml

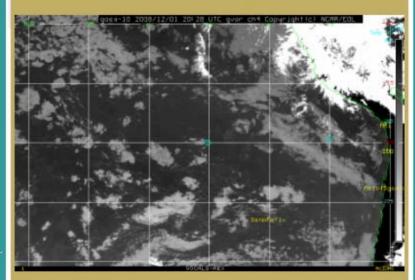
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(Download KML first. right-mouse click then open in GoogleEarth)

X-Chat instant access



Current Loop



Additional Satellite Imagery:

Latest 4 hours Visible Latest 4 hours Ch4-Ch2 Diff

General Information:

All-Hands Science Meeting

Windows to the Universe

The Alternative Guide to Arica

Information from Peru:

VOCALS-Rex Peru

National Weather Service

IMARPE web site

Data Archive access:

VOCALS Master List



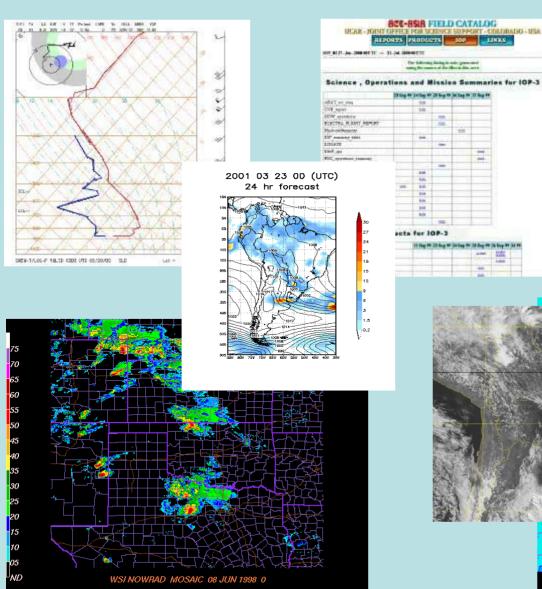


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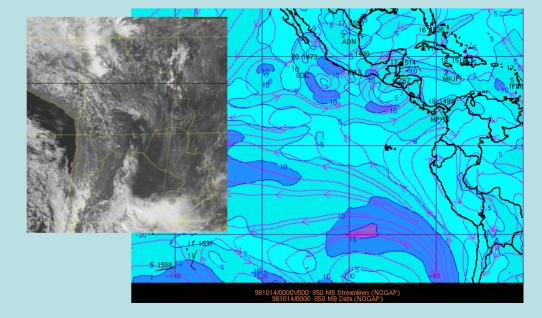
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FIELD CATALOG SAMPLE PRODUCTS









TPARC/TCS-08 Field Catalog

2008 Field Season

http://catalog.eol.ucar.edu/tparc/

- Reports/Summaries (Status, Mission, and Operations)
 1028 documents and 2486 image files (0.62 GB)
- Research Platform Products (Aircraft, Surface, Lidar, Upper Air)
 5,210 image files (0.89 GB)
- Operational Products (Satellite, Surface, Radar, Upper Air)
 114,632 image files (27 GB)
- Model Output Imagery (Analysis and Forecast Fields)
 1,014,180 image files (60 GB)
- TOTALS: 1,137,536 Files (88.51 GB)



PROJECT WEB PAGES





Project Description

Cumulus Photogrammetric, In-Situ and Doppler Observations (CuPIDO) is an observational program designed to examine the onset and development of orographic thunderstorms associated with the North American Monsoon. The CuPIDO field program used digital visible spectrum cameras, surface mesonet stations, high temporal resolution soundings and aircraft data.



Data Access

Master List of All CuPIDO Data Sets

CuPIDO Field Catalog

Data Policy

Dataset Documentation Guidelines

Data Submission Instructions

Publications

Publications

Documents

Project Summary (PDF)
Non-Technical Summary (PDF)

Scientific Overview Document

ISFF Site Survey (PDF)
ISFF Site Survey (slideshow)

Meetings

CuPIDO Preparation Meeting (12 April 2006) CuPIDO Planning Workshop (11 April 2005)

People

CuPIDO Participants

CuPIDO Research Web Pages

Arizona State (Joe Zehnder) Wyoming (Bart Geerts) NCAR/EOL ISFF Wyoming King Air

CuPIDO Media and Animations

KSAZ-TV Monsoon Story (21 July 2006; 100Mb Quicktime)

26 July 2005 Thunderstorm (340Mb Quicktime)

26 July 2005 Microburst (350Mb Quicktime)

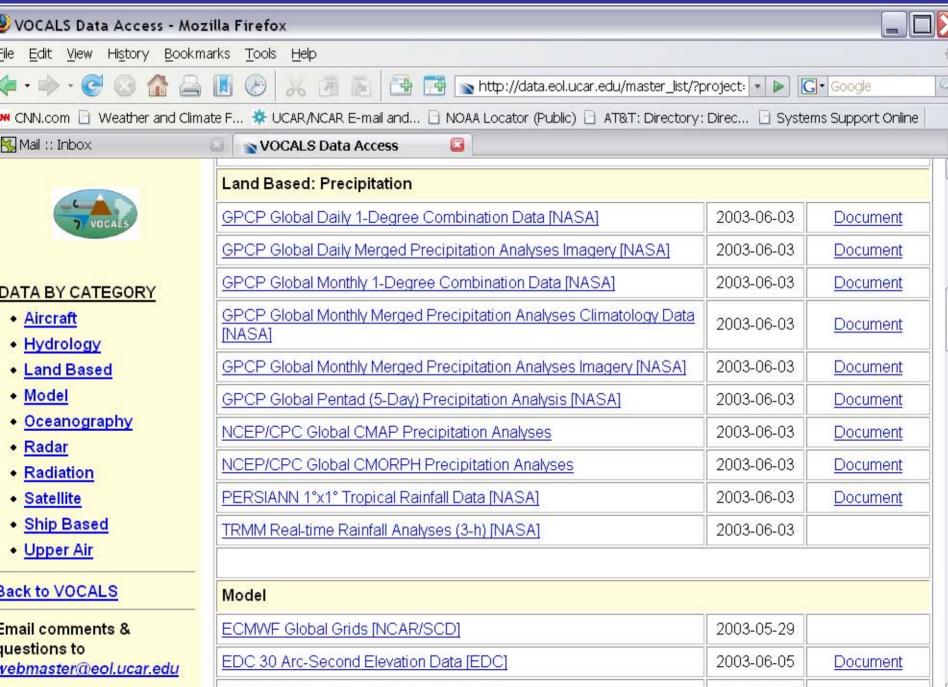
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PROJECT MASTER LISTS



PROJECT PUBLICATIONS LIBRARY



EPIC Publication References

(How to Submit Publication References to this List)

Convection Research (Cruise Leg 1): Publications, Conference Proceedings

Stratocumulus Research (Cruise Leg 2): Publications, Conference Proceedings

Other Citation Links

Convection Research - Cruise Leg 1

Publications - Convection Research A-D, E-H, I-L, M-P, Q-T, U-Z

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Data Management Working Group (DMWG) "Typical" Charge

(Reports to the Scientific Steering Committee)

- Coordinate with the Project Participants to define the data requirements
- Design a distributed data management system to provide access to all data sets
- Prepare a data management plan describing the data policy, strategy, and implementation
- Determine special product generation or data integration needs
- Oversee data collection to ensure a permanent archive upon completion of the program
- Coordinate and collaborate with other field projects/programs and data providers