Flight Scientist Report Saturday 05/21/2022 ACTIVATE RF160

Flight Type: Statistical Survey Flight Flight Route: TXKF ENAPI 335902N0721801W 351600N0723956W 364330N0730542W 365623N0730931W ATLIC KLFI Special Notes: Flight from Bermuda to LaRC

King Air

Pilot report (Slover):

ACTIVATE science collection enroute home from Bermuda via TXKF ENAPI 335902N0721801W 351600N0723956W 364330N0730542W 365623N0730931W ATLIC KLFI at FL280. The Lat/Lon coordinates represent a CALIPSO line with an overpass at 1916Z. Both aircraft were halfway up the line at overpass time. Some cirrus at altitude, but stayed at same altitude as it was short lived. Turned off RSP a few times for protection.

Flight scientist report (Seaman):

RF160

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Takeoff: 1651 utc

Landing: 2030 utc

Flight path: TXKF ENAPI 33.98N/72.30W 36.04N/73.16W ATLIC KLFI

Ops Notes:

Nominal. CALIPSO underflight.

Instrument notes:

All operated nominally.

Science notes:

Heavily layered structure throughout flight. 3 sondes on CALIPSO under flight

Sonde drops:

leg

1) at altitude after leaving TXKF

- 2) halfway to CALIPSO LEG
- 3) start CALIPSO leg / turn point
- 4) Timed with CALIPSO overfly (roughly mid point of leg)
- 5) End of CALIPSO leg / turn point

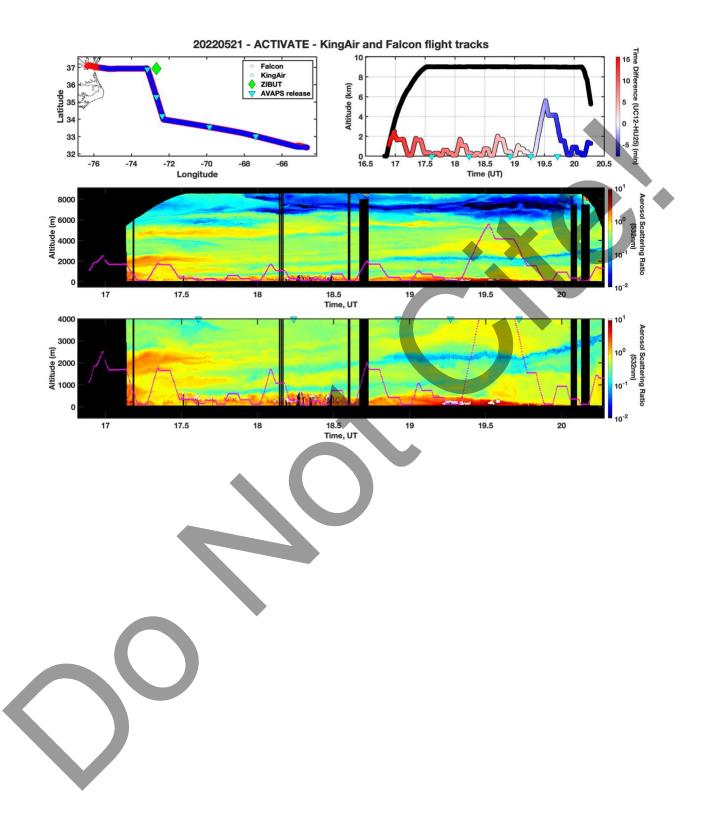
<u>Falcon</u>

Pilot report (Thorson): Science

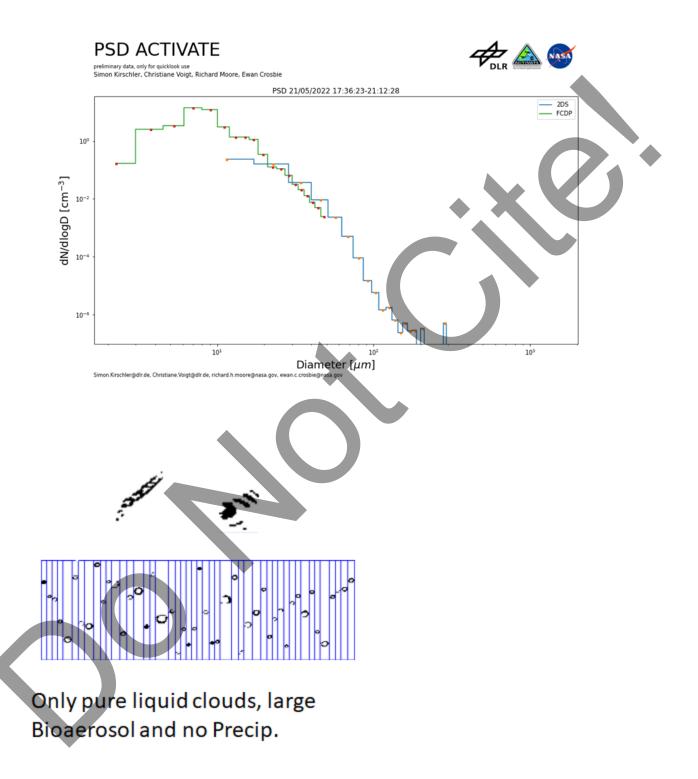
Flight scientist report ():

Winstead:

No ground cart in Bermuda, so all equipment had to be shut off for refueling. After fueling, one Falcon engine was started and AMS was powered up for 1 hour before takeoff. Other equipment was powered up 0.5 hour before takeoff to try and minimize heat buildup in cabin. Just prior to taxi, lost communication with DAQ computer and had to do hard shutdown of computer and restart it. Did a spiral for CALIPSO overpass.







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NASA-LaRC Clouds Group GOES-16 Quicklook Images for Flight 160, 18:41 UTC May 21, 2022 Visible Image

Cloud Droplet Number Concentration (cm-3)

