Flight Scientist Report Thursday 06/08/2022 ACTIVATE RF168

Flight Type: Statistical Survey Flight Flight Route: Special Notes: ASTER underflight

<u>King Air</u>

Pilot report (Wusk): First flight of a two flight day in coincidence with HU 25. Flown as planned. Crew Sandeen, Wusk, Shingler

Flight scientist report (Shingler):

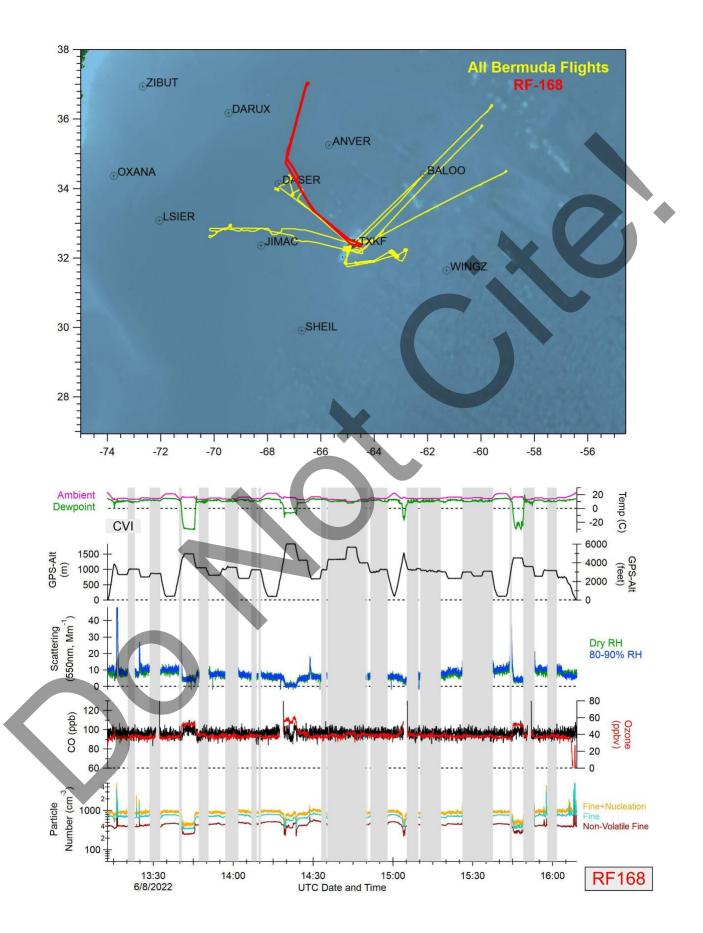
Executed a statistical survey under an ASTER overpass to the NW of Bermuda. The cloud field looked very similar to the prior day with shallow cu CTHs at 4kft and a fairly clean FT above. Today, there was substantially more cirrus above the aircraft along the ASTER track. It looked fairly thin, but was persistent. Very sparse mid level cirrus was seen below the aircraft but was not an issue.

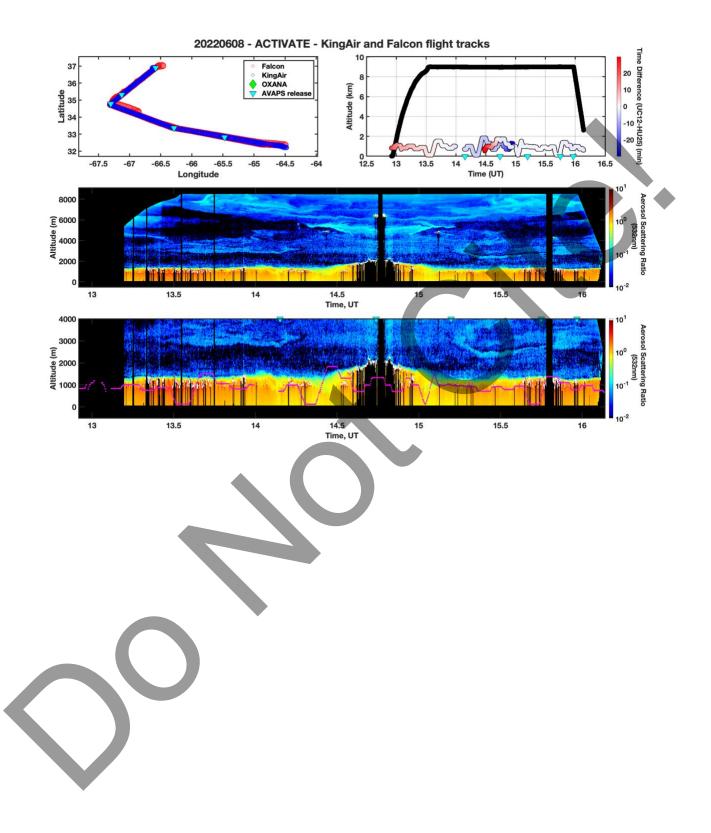
5 sondes were dropped along the track Start of ASTER track Turn point of ASTER track ASTER at overpass FLAMO COAST

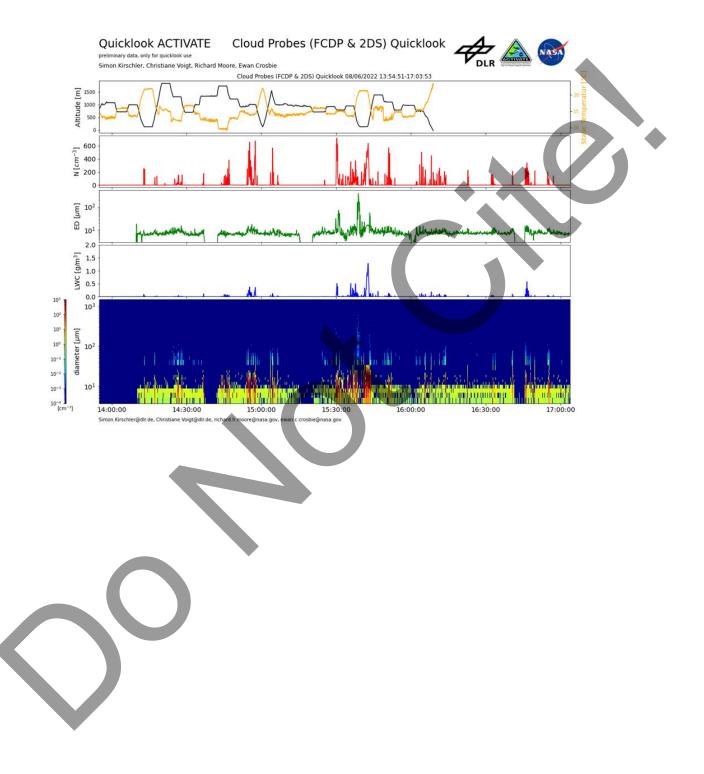
<u>Falcon</u>

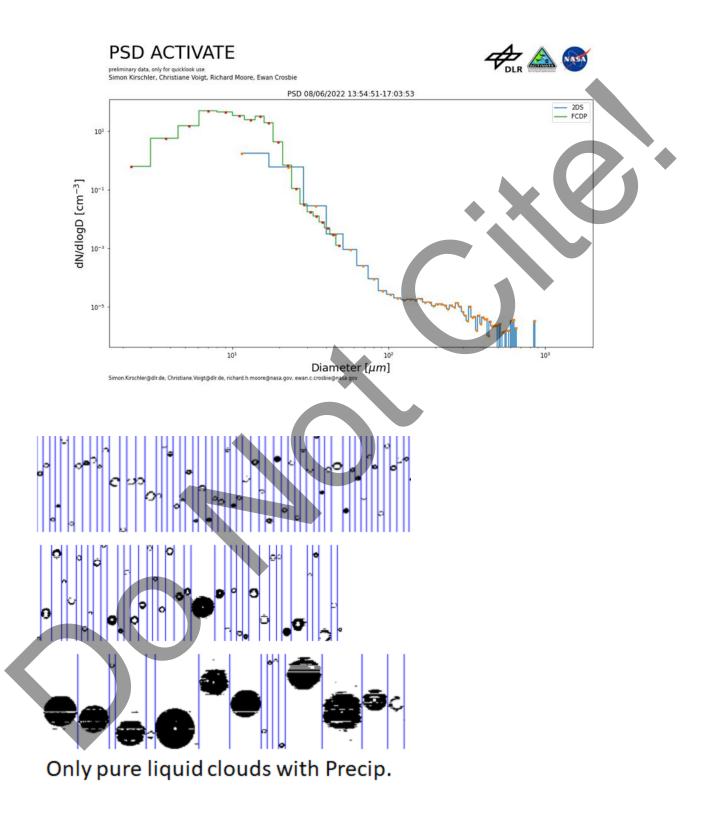
Pilot report (Baxley): ACTIVATE coordinated flight with HU-25 and UC-12; Thorson/Baxley, Crosbie/Winstead. TXKF -FLAMO - 3444.14N/06718.59W - 3799.52N/06632.22W - 3520.04N/06707.072 -3444.14N/06718.59W - FLAMO - TXKF. Mission flown as planned, weather as expected. Deviated from course at the direction of the research team. No issues or anomalies.

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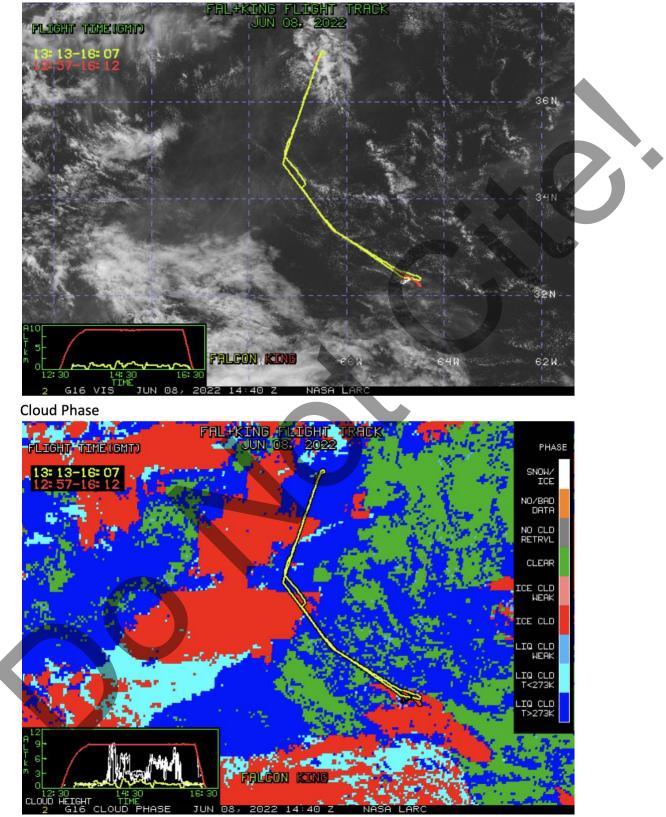


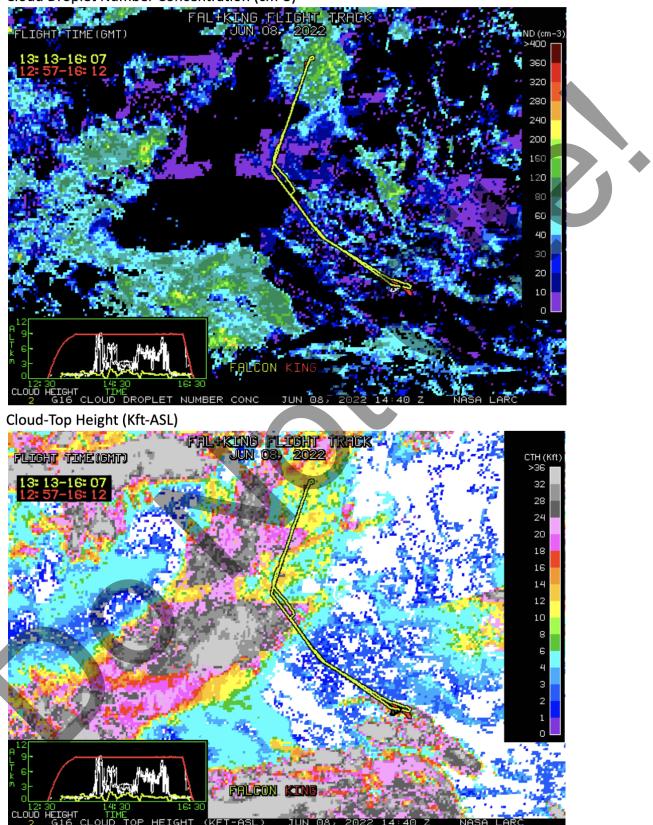




NASA-LaRC Clouds Group GOES-16 Quicklook Images for Flight 168, 14:40 UTC Jun 08, 2022

Visible Image





Cloud Droplet Number Concentration (cm-3)