MAX Logbook

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Crew Members	Zeb Leffler, Melissa Gonzalez
Arrival Time/Date (UTC)	1340 UTC 2/16/2023
Latitude	32.89008°
Longitude	-88.34295°
Heading	312° *Road oriented at 297 deg; MAX parallel to the road* *Took heading from front of the cab*
Cab Blanking	N/A
Elevation (m)	68m
Fully Operational Time/Date (UTC) *List any non-operational equipment below*	1440 2/16/2023 *surface station may not have logged data (unsure)* SASSI
Departure Time/Date (UTC)	0145 UTC 2/17/2023

Scan Strategies, Observations, Equipment Issues, Notes, etc.

Time (UTC)	Observations/Notes
1340	Arrived on site; parked in a gravel area. 2 wheels on road 2 wheels on soft gravel
1440	MAX Fully Operational, Started Shallow/Deep Scans sent from Karen Kosiba and Knupp
	Scan speed set to 32 deg/sec; actual speed ~29 deg/sec (too fast for MAX) Shallow Scan (4A): 0.8, 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 4.4, 6 (~1:30) Deep Scan (4A): 0.8, 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 5, 10 (~1:30)

	Shallow Scan (4B): Deep Scan (4B):
1450	Testing full PERiLS scan strategy: Shallow, Deep, Shallow, Deep
1500	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.7 C, Td: 17.8 C, RH: 83%, WSPD: 5.9 m/s, WDIR: 175 deg
1537	Changed scanning speed to 27 deg/sec, however max speed is 25 deg/sec Shallow scan took a total of 1:38 minutes
1551	Testing new scanning strategy Set scanning speed: 29 deg/sec Actual max scanning speed: 27 deg/sec Shallow: 0.8, 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 4.4, 6.0 Deep: 0.8 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 5, 10.0
	Shallow Time: 1:46 min (1st time around), 1:34 min (2nd time around), 1:33 min (3rd time around) Deep Time: 1:46 min (1st time around), 1:36 min (2nd time around), 1:37 min (3rd time around)
1600	10m-Surface Observations T: 21.6 C, Td: 18.5 C, RH: 83 %, WSPD: 6.3 m/s, WDIR: 192 deg
	Cloud cover: Partly cloudy, BKN
1604	Testing new scan rate speed Set scanning speed: 30 deg/sec Actual max scanning speed: ~28.63 deg/sec (gets close to 29 deg/sec, which is a fast scan rate for MAX) Shallow: 0.8, 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 4.4, 6.0 Deep: 0.8 1.5, 2.3, 3.3, 5, 10.0
	Shallow Time: 1:41 min (1st time around), 1:32 min (2nd time around), 1:31 min (3rd time around) Deep Time: 1:31 min (1st time around), 1:34 min (2nd time around), 1:33 min (3rd time around)
1704	10m-Surface Observations T: 22.1 C, Td: 18.4 C, RH: 80 %, WSPD: 4.2 m/s, WDIR: 189 deg

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	Cloud cover: OVC, light rain
1729	Modified scan strategy Shallow: 1, 2, 3, 4.5, 6 Deep: 1, 2, 3, 6, 9
	Set scan speed: 26 deg/sec Actual scan speed: upper limits of 24 deg/sec
	Shallow Time: 1:27 (1st time around) Deep Time: 1:27 (1st time around)
1739	Modified scan strategy Shallow: 1, 2, 3, 4.5, 6 Deep: 1, 2, 3, 6, 9
	Set scan speed: 25 deg/sec Actual scan speed: upper limits of 23 deg/sec Max scan speed: 24.11 deg/sec
	Shallow Time: 1:28 min/1:30 min Deep Time: 1:29 min/1:30 min
	Stayed with this scanning strategy
1800	10m-Surface Observations T: 22.8 C, Td: 18.5 C, RH: 77 %, WSPD: 8.8 m/s, WDIR: 160 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC
1856	Surface data was not logging; attempting to fix Time in loggernet program is not in 24 hr format, rather in 12 hr time format
1900	10m-Surface Observations T: 22.5 C, Td: 18.6 C, RH: 79 %, WSPD: 6.6 m/s, WDIR: 170 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC
1910	Surface data may or may not be available. Unsuredat file exists in the windows computer but unsure if it is logging data properly as it cannot be viewed in the BRAHAM computer.
1914	Light rain beginning

2000	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.5 C, Td: 19.2 C, RH: 93 %, WSPD: 5.0 m/s, WDIR: 165 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC, raining (stratiform precip)
2100	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.4 C, Td: 19.4 C, RH: 94 %, WSPD: 6.0 m/s, WDIR: 160 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC, raining (stratiform precip)
2224	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.7 C, Td: 19.6 C, RH: 93 %, WSPD: 7.0 m/s, WDIR: 192 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC, brief rain shower
2234	Quick wind shift 192 deg to 180
2300	10m-Surface Observations T: 21 C, Td: 19.5 C, RH: 91 %, WSPD: 4.5 m/s, WDIR: 185 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC
2340	Began birdbath for Zdr calibration *Zdr calibration has been lost; values are all negative*
0000	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.7 C, Td: 19.6 C, RH: 94 %, WSPD: 5.0 m/s, WDIR: 185 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC, light rain
0003	Resumed deep/shallow scan strategy again
0100	10m-Surface Observations T: 20.5 C, Td: 19.8C, RH: 95 %, WSPD: 2.8 m/s, WDIR: 245 deg
	Cloud cover: OVC, rain
0121	MAX Ended operations
0145	MAX Departed Site