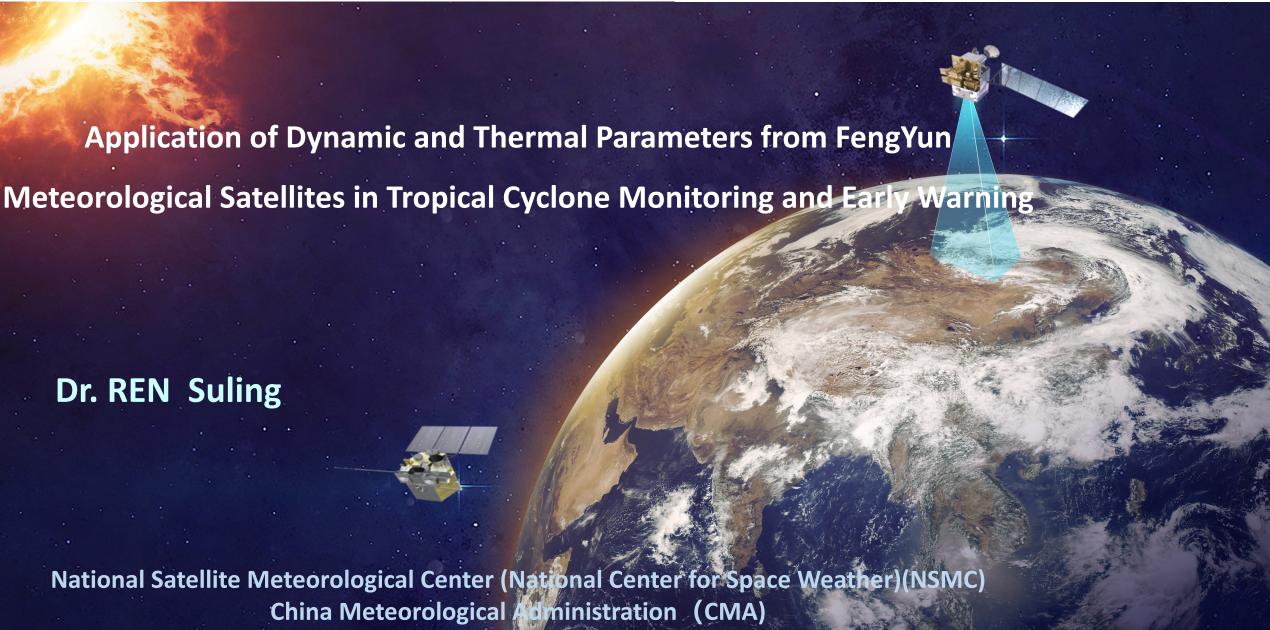








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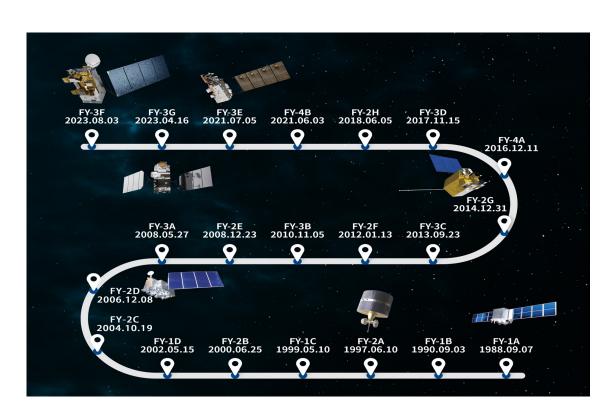


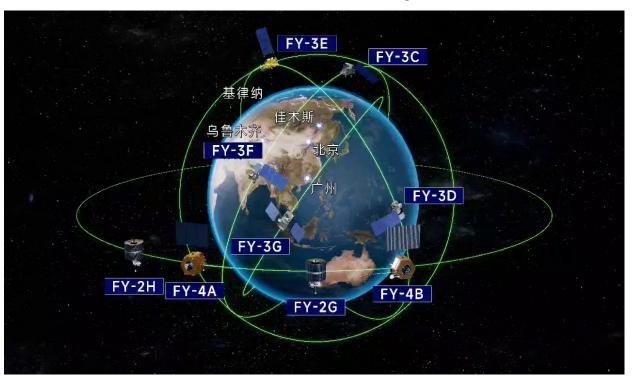
Status of FengYun Satellite

Constellation: 9 Satellites in orbit

- 4 GEO:FY-2G(99.2°E),FY-2H(79°E),FY-4A(86.5°E),FY-4B(105°E)
- 5 LEO:FY-3C,FY-3D,FY-3E,FY-3G,FY-3F

The collaborative observation of GEO and LEO meteorological satellites can provide three-dimensional and high-resolution observations







9 FengYun satellites on duty



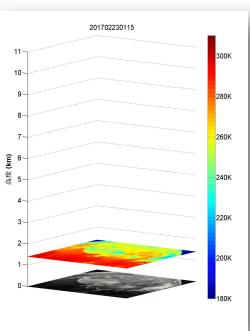


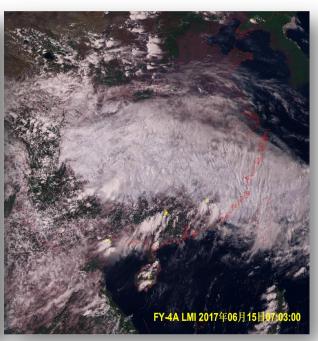
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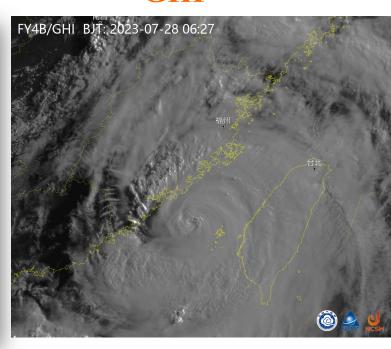
FY-4A/4B instruments on board

FY-4A/4B AGRI FY-4A/4B GIIRS FY-4A LMI FY-4B GHI









AGRI

Advanced Geo.

Geo High-speed Imager

GHI

GIIRS

Geo. Interferometric Infrared Sounder

LMI

Lightning Mapping Imager







LEO

FY-3D: afternoon satellite

FY-3E : early morning satellite

launched in 2021

FY-3F: morning satellite

launched in 2023

FY-3G: precipitation satellite

(precipitation measurement radar : PMR)

launched in 2023

Three dimensional atmospheric vertical detection capability,

FY-3D/E/F can provide 6 times global observations per day.

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11 instruments on board

✓ More than 7000 bands

Acronym	Full name
GNOS-2	GNSS Radio Occultation Sounder -2
HIRAS-2	Hyper-spectral Infrared Atmospheric Sounder -2
MERSI-II	Medium Resolution Spectral Imager -II
MWHS-2	Micro-Wave Humidity Sounder -2
MWTS-3	Micro-Wave Temperature Sounder -3
SIM-2	Solar Irradiance Monitor - 2
SSIM	Solar Spectral Irradiance Monitor
SWS/Tri- IPM	SWS / Triple-angle Ionospheric PhotoMeter
SES/SEM	SES / SEM(FY-3E)
WindRAD	Wind Radar
XEUVI	Solar X-ray and Extreme Ultraviolet Imager



FengYun satellite L2 products

Product List:

Atmosphere(33)

Cloud & Radiation(17)

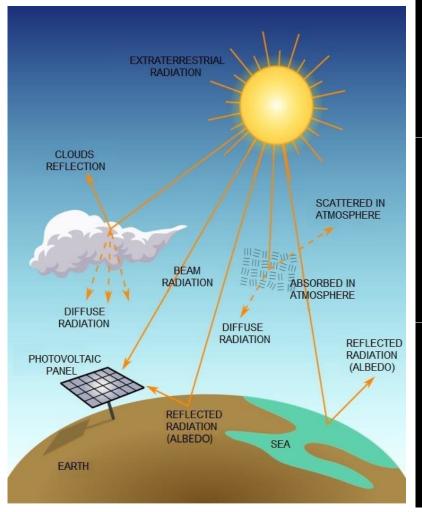
Land(12)

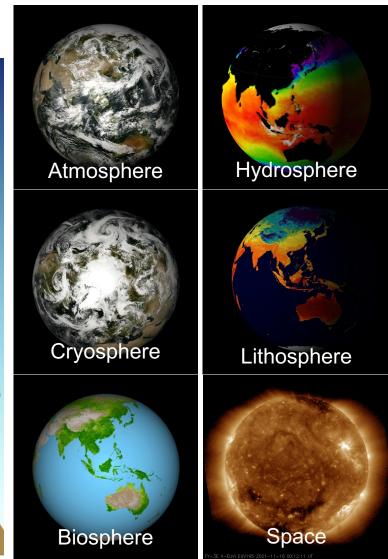
Ocean(7)

Ice&Snow(4)

Biology(4)

Space Weather(13)









GEO: List of FY-4 L2 products

	Cloud detection		ТВВ	
	Cloud type cloud phase	Atmospheric parameters (21)	AMVs	
	Cloud properties (CTH、CTT、CTP)		Precipitable Water Vapor	
	Microphysical characteristics of daytime clouds		QPE	
Cloud and	Microphysical characteristics of nighttime clouds		Cl	
radiation	Cloud cover		Tropopause Folding Turbulence	
(20)	Atmospheric top reflection shortwave radiation		Temperature profile (clear sky、cloudy sky)	
` '	Upward longwave radiation on the surface		Humidity profile (clear sky、cloudy sky)	
	Downward longwave radiation on the earth's surface		Atmosphere instability index	
	OLR		GIIRS humidity	
	Surface Shortwave Radiation		Lightning	
	Fog detection	Atmospheric	Aerosol optical properties	
	LST	environment	Dust detection	
Ocean and land	Land Surface Albedo		Ozone (Ozone profile 、ozone amount)	
surface (7)	Land surface emissivity	Assimilation support (1)	Clear Sky Radiation	
	Snow cover	RGB composite (14)	Day convection storm, True color, Dust, Natural color RGB, et al.	
	SST		Day convection storm, true color, Dast, Natural color Nab, et al.	
	Fire			



Status of FengYun Satellite

List of FY-3F Level 2 products

- The FY-3F product covers **7 categories**: **cloud** radiation, land surface, ocean, atmospheric parameters, atmospheric composition, and space weather, with a total of 72 main parameters;
- Newly added products for pollutants such as sulfur dioxide (SO2), nitrogen dioxide(NO2), ozone(O3), etc. obtained through UV hyperspectral inversion;
- Newly added products for kilometer level land surface parameters such as global ice and snow, soil moisture, soil freeze-thaw, and surface temperature based on super-resolution reconstruction technology.

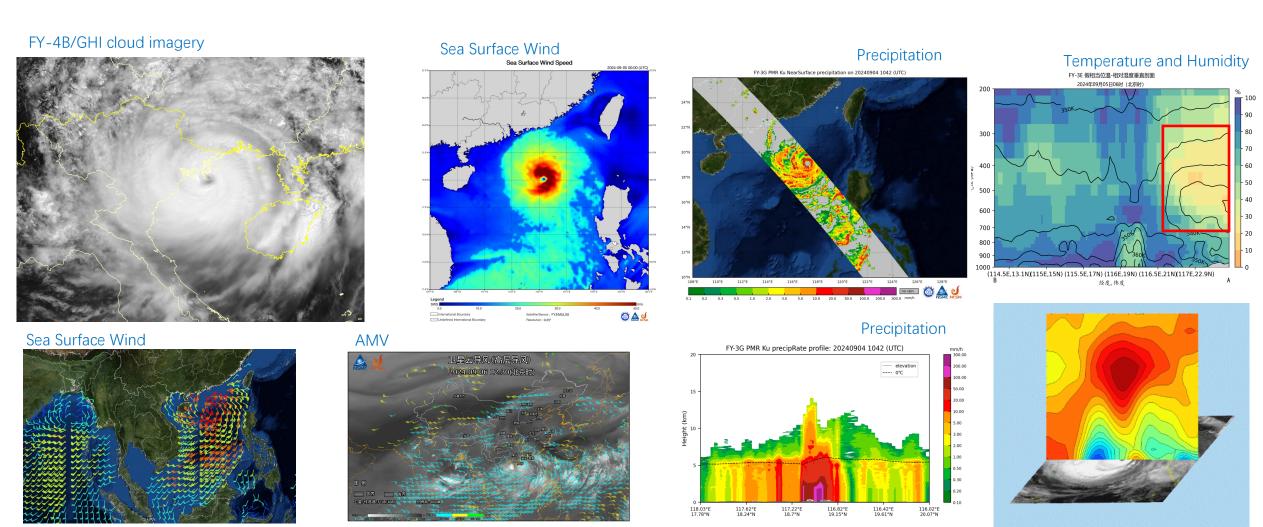
Instruments	L2 Products			
	super-resolution reconstruction product			
	surface rain rate			
	cloud water			
MWRI -	total precipitable water over sea			
IVIVVIXI	temperature profile			
	snow depth/snow water equivalent			
	surface temperature			
	soil moisture			
	soil freezing and thawing			
HIRAS/MWHS/MWTS	temperature/moisture profile			
HIRAS	ozone profile			
	SO2 amount			
	NO2 amount			
OMS-N/L	ozone amount and profile (nadir)			
	ozone profile (limb)			
	aerosol optical depth			
	aerosol index			
	GNOS bending angles			
	atmospheric refractivity			
GNOS-II	atmospheric density			
	atmospheric temperature/moisture profile			
	electron density profile			
	sea surface wind			
	soil moisture			
	cloud detection			
<u> </u>	cloud amount			
MERSI	Cloud optical thickness			
	cloud phase			
	cloud properties precipitable water			
	polar AMV			
 	aerosol optical depth			
 	dust detection			
	surface skin temperature			
 	surface reflectance			
 	BRDF/albedo			
 				
	land cover			
	Photosynthetic effective radiation NDVI			
	LAI			
	net primary productivity (NPP)			
	snow cover			
ERM-II/S1M-II	solar irradiance			







Some examples of FengYun satellite products used in typhoon monitoring.









Example

□ Experiment of a multi-platform collaborative observation of Typhoon Yagi in the South China Sea in 2024.

The collaborative observation program combines conventional observation methods such as FengYun satellites, Beidou sounding, S-band and X-band weather radar, and mobile observations such aircraft, to carry out observation, data collection, numerical modeling, forecasting, and services.

FengYun satellites

- ✓ FY-4B/GHI is activated to initiate highly frequent observation of a given area (2000km × 2000km) at an interval of up to 1 minute and 250 meters resolution.
- ✓ FY-4B/GIIRS is activated to initiate highly frequent observation of typhoon regional observation at 15 min interval, obtaining three-dimensional vertical temperature and humidity profiles in the typhoon area.
- **FY-3G/PMR** conducted mobile observations observation and successfully captured the three-dimensional structure of the precipitation of typhoon "Yagi".







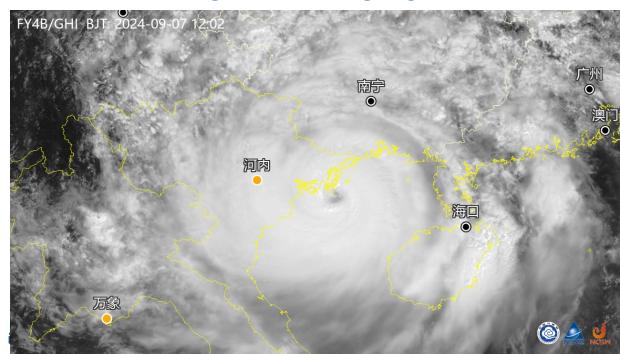
2411 Super Typhoon "Yagi"

- ✓ The strongest typhoon to land in China in autumn since 1949. The intensity is second only to 201409 super typhoon "Rammasun".
- ✓ Characteristics: Long impact time, long duration of super typhoon (64 hours), severe disaster losses which far exceeding typhoon "Rammasun".
- ✓ It has landed four times (in Philippines, Hainan Province, Guangdong Province, and Vietnam).

Typhoon "Yagi" targeted observations using FengYun meteorological satellites.

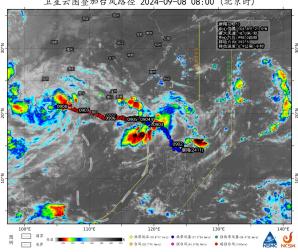
FY-4B/GHI (1 min interval)

FY-4B/GHI cloud image animation during "Yagi" landfall Vietnam.



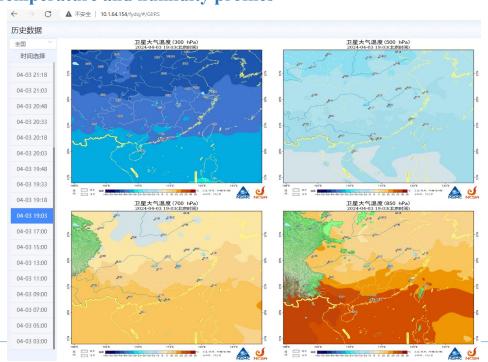
Typhoon "Yagi" track

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FY-4B/GIIRS (15 min interval)

Temperature and humidity profiles

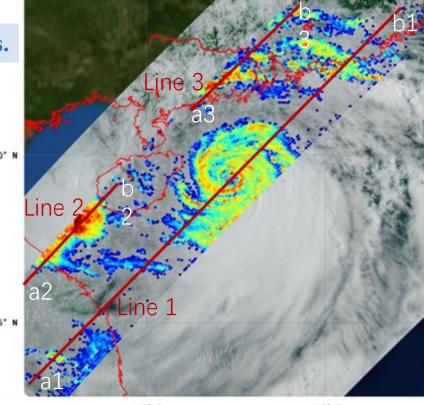


202411 Super Typhoon "Yagi"

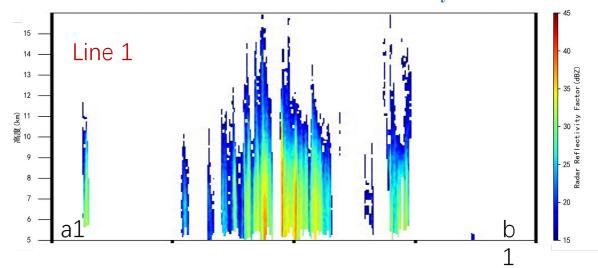
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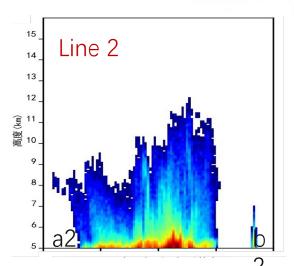
FY-3G/PMR (Precipitation Measurement Radar)

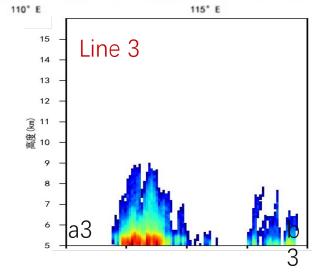
- ✓ At 1:04 (UTC) on 6 September 2024, FY-3G satellite conducted mobile observations in orbit and successfully captured the three-dimensional structure of the precipitation of typhoon "Yagi".
- ✓ FY-3G/PMR captured the typhoon rainfall belt before its landfall in Hainan Province, with a clear spiral structure. The strong radar reflectivity factor exceeds 40 dBZ (Ku band), and the precipitation development height exceeded 15 km.



Vertical cross-section of FY-3G/PMR reflectivity factor













□ Atmospheric dynamic parameters :

FY-4/AGRI AMV, FY-3E/WindRad OWV, FY-3/MWRI sea wind speed

□ Atmospheric thermal parameters :

FY-4/GIIRS and FY-3/VASS temperature and humidity profiles





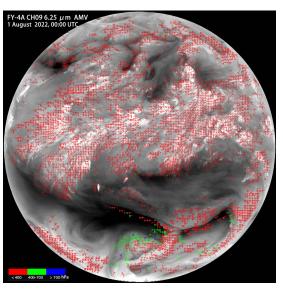
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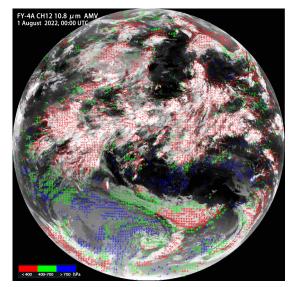
Atmospheric Motion Vectors (FY-4/AMV)

Mid-upper troposphere winds

FY-4A:3h

FY-4B:15 min

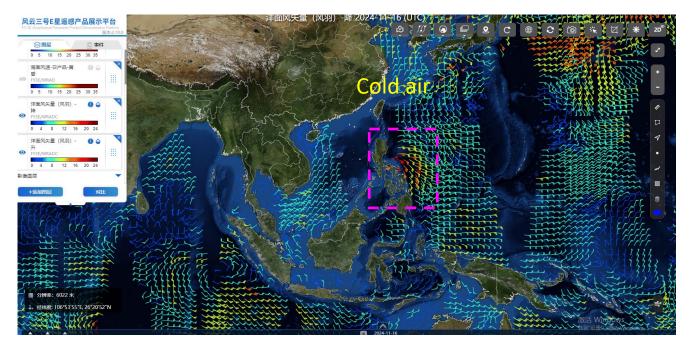




6.25µm water vapor channel and 10.8µm far-infrared channel red, green and blue vectors are for winds upper than 400 hPa, between 400 hPa and 700 hPa, and lower than 700 hPa.

Ocean Wind Vectors (FY-3E/WindRAD OWV)

Lower troposphere winds

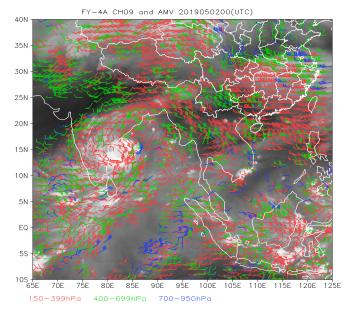


On16 Nov 2024, Super Typhoon 2424 Man-yi

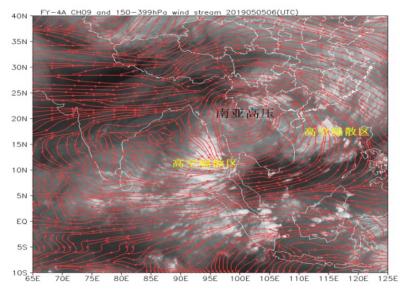




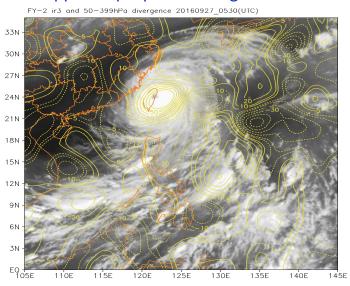
Atmospheric dynamic parameters:



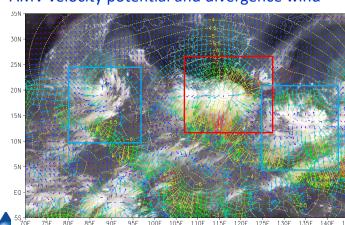
Upper troposphere wind stream



Upper troposphere divergence



AMV velocity potential and divergence wind



FY-4/AMV

Using the satellite derived wind data upper tropospheric wind stream, divergence, potential function and divergence winds products are calculated.

There is a velocity potential φ if the motion is irrotational, the velocity in different direction is the differential of the velocity potential φ. That is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{W}_{\varphi} &= \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \mathbf{Z}} \quad \mathbf{X}_{\varphi} &= \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial \mathbf{f}} \\ D &= \frac{\partial u_{\varphi}}{\partial \mathbf{X}} + \frac{\partial v_{\varphi}}{\partial \mathbf{Y}} = (\frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial \mathbf{X}^{2}} + \frac{\partial^{2} \varphi}{\partial \mathbf{Y}^{2}}) \end{aligned}$$

Divergence is the second-order differential of velocity potential φ



FY-4/AMV

potential function and divergence winds

$$D = \frac{\partial u_{\varphi}}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial v_{\varphi}}{\partial y} = \left(\frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial y^2}\right)$$

Advantage:

$$W_{\varphi} = \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial Z} \qquad X_{\varphi} = \frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial f}$$

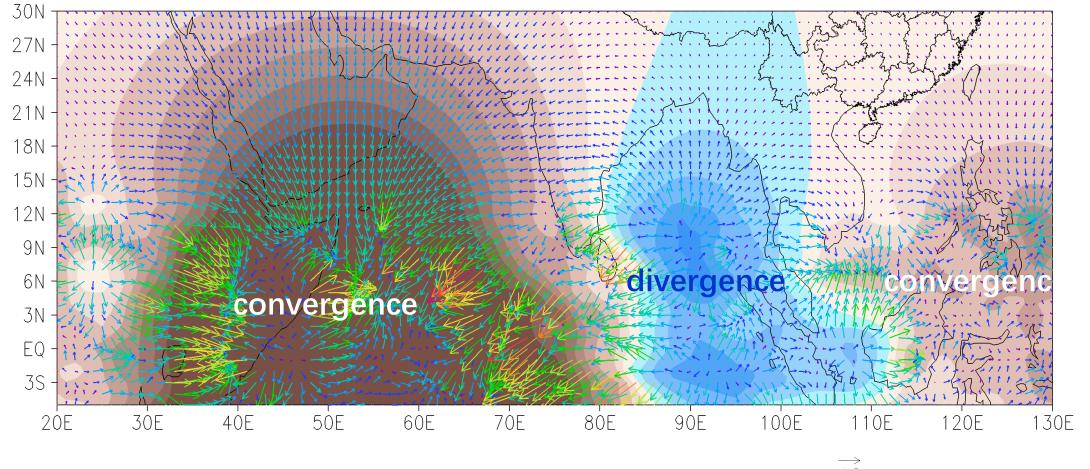
potential function: potential function is the second-order integration of the divergence, Larger scale convergence and divergence information can be obtained

divergence winds: remove the rotating component of the wind. It can more clearly show the intensity and center position of the outflow from the upper troposphere, which is suitable for tropical and subtropical areas.

AMVs

Application: Satellite derived wind products can be used to monitor the planetary scale system South Asian High, the rain belt of the Meiyu front in summer, the summer monsoon in the South China Sea, the high-level

AMV application in monitoring the upper troposphere divergence in tropical and subtropical areas



15 minute intervals

FY-4A AMV divergence wind and velocity potential





NSMC NCSW

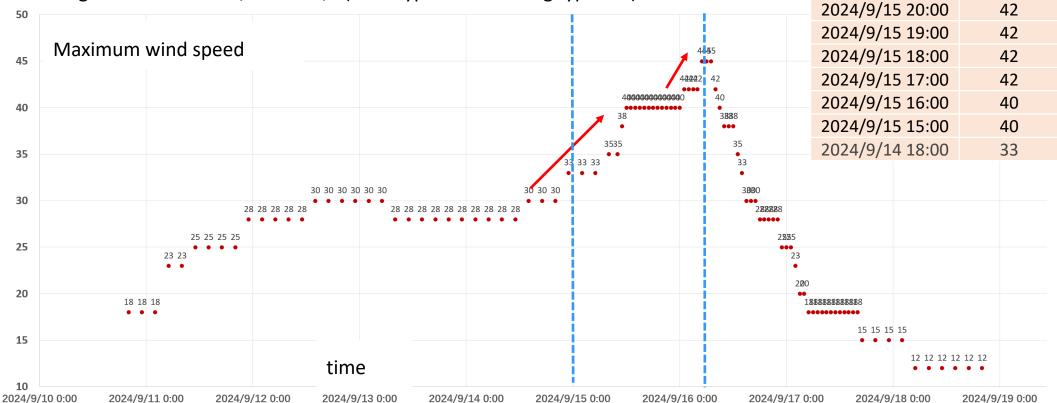
Dynamic and thermal parameters from FY satellites and their application in TC monitoring

FY-4/AMV

Example 2: AMV products application in typhoon monitoring

The rapidly increasing intensity of typhoon 2413 Bebinca From 18:00(UTC) on September 14th to 2200(UTC) on September 15th, it strengthened from 33m/s to 45m/s (form typhoon to strong typhoon)

国家卫星气象中心(国家罕间大气监测预警中心



Maximum

windspeed

38m/s

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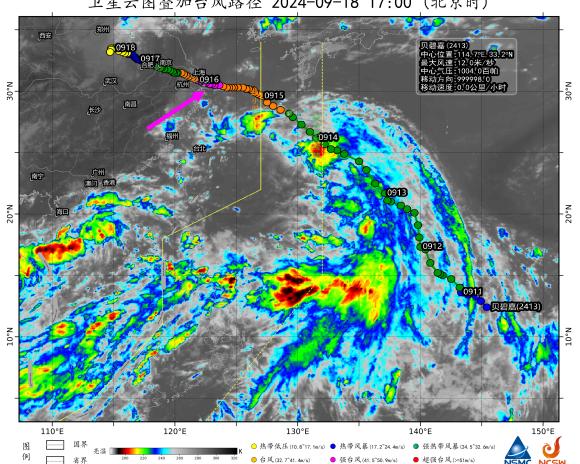
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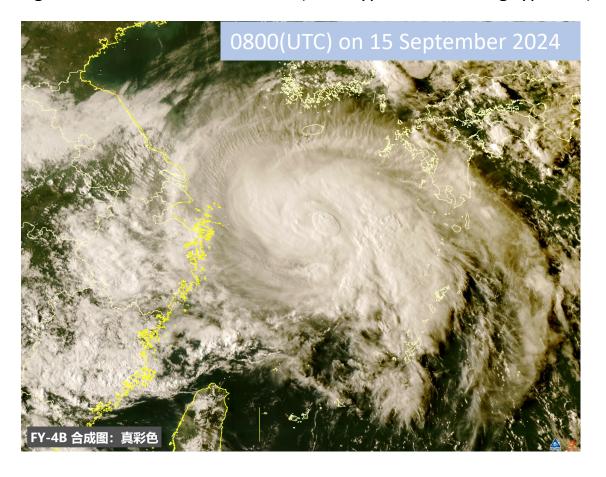
Atmospheric dynamic parameters:

FY-4/AMV

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From 18:00(UTC) on September 14th to 2200(UTC) on September 15th, it strengthened from 33m/s to 45m/s (form typhoon to strong typhoon)







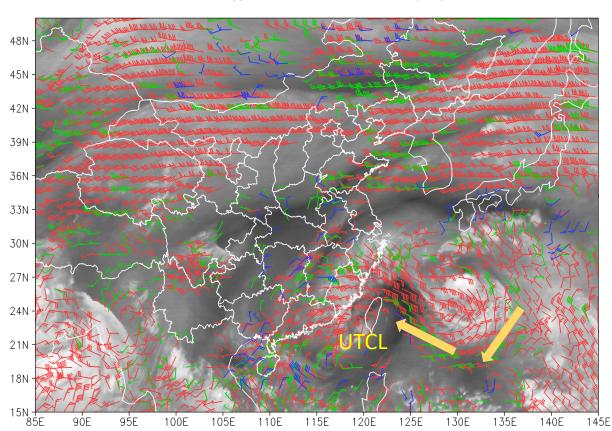


Atmospheric dynamic parameters :

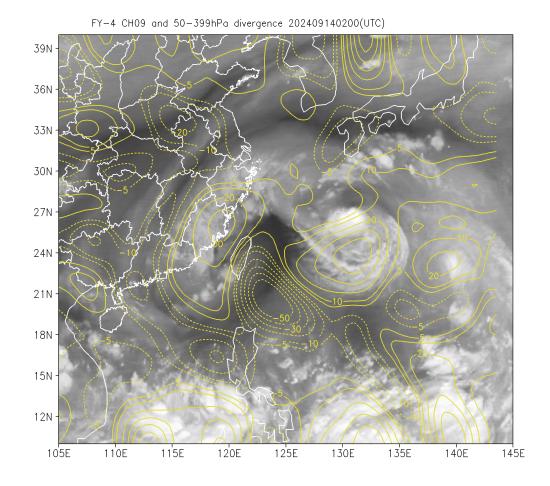
At 0200(UTC), 14 Sep 2024

Upper troposphere AMV

FY-4B CH09 upper level wind 202409140200(UTC)



Upper troposphere divergence from AMV





Upper-Tropospheric Cold Low (UTCL)



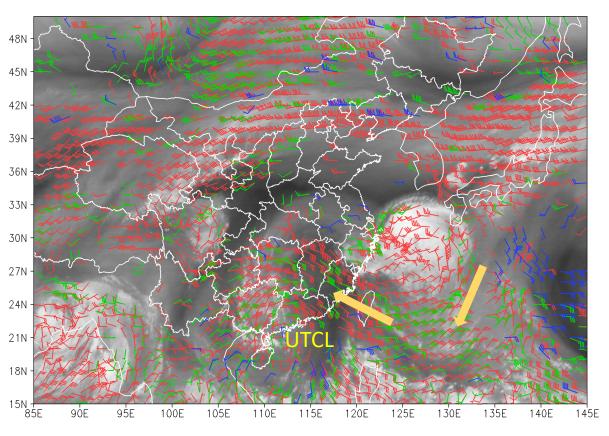
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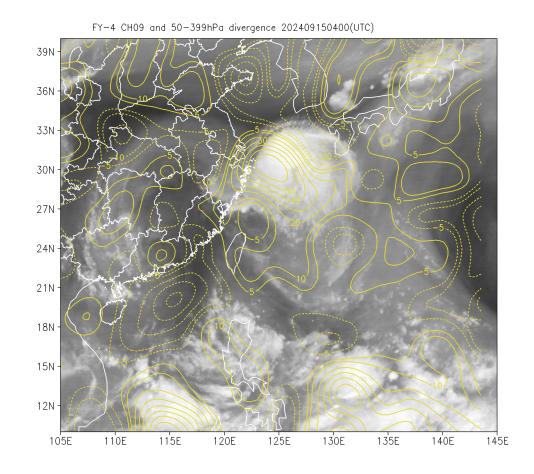
Upper troposphere AMV

100-399hPa 400-699hPa 799-950hPa

FY-4B CH09 upper level wind 202409150400(UTC)



Upper troposphere divergence from AMV





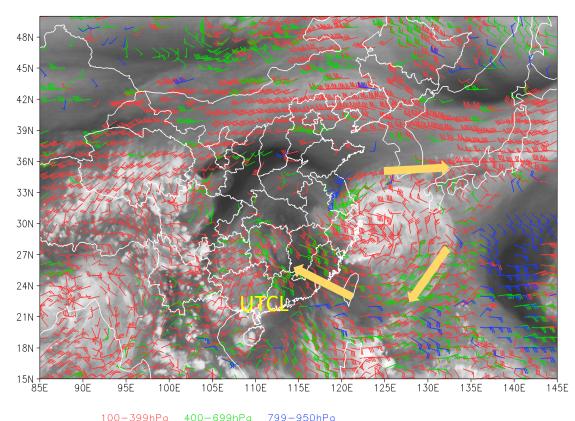


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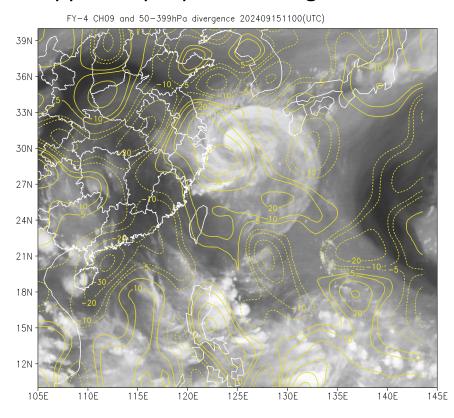
At 1100(UTC), 15 Sep 2024

Upper troposphere AMV

FY-4B CH09 upper level wind 202409151100(UTC)



Upper troposphere divergence from AMV



What is the impact of the cut off **Upper-Tropospheric Cold Low (UTCL)** in the tropical Upper Tropospheric Trough (TUTT) on typhoons? The UTCL with wide and deep cyclonic circulation may be favorable for upper outflow of TC Bebinca.







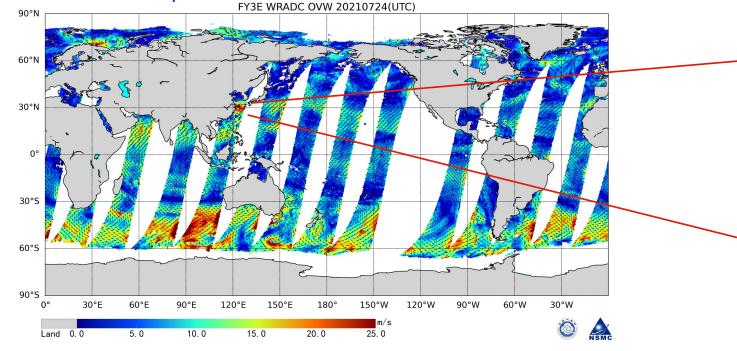
□ Atmospheric dynamic parameters :

FY-3E/WindRAD OWV

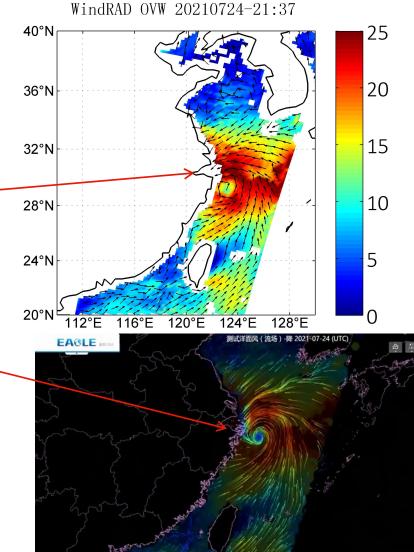
FY-3E OVW twice a day

It can be directly used in the monitoring of offshore strong winds, cold air-mass, typhoons, and the southwest airflow over the ocean caused by Asian summer

monsoon activity.



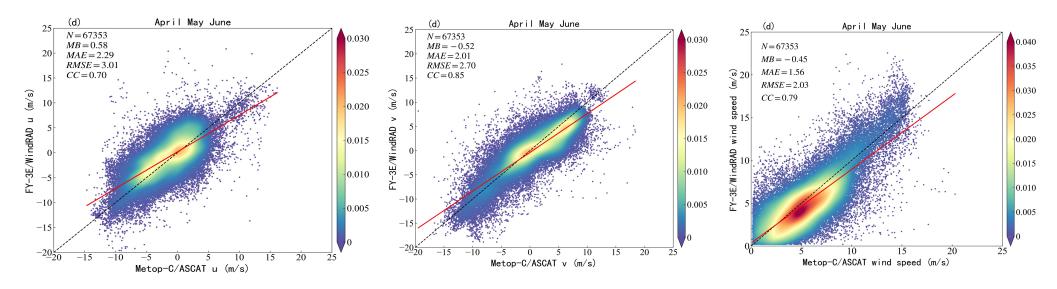
The ocean wind vectors from FY-3E includes the wind speed and wind direction. This is an example super typhoon "In-Fa" monitoring on July 24, 2021. The low-level circulation of the phoon strong, and the wind speed on the north and east sides of the center is more larger.





Atmospheric dynamic parameters :

Consistency comparison of Ocean Wind Vector consistency between FY-3E/WindRAD and MetOp-C/ASCAT over the South China Sea in summer

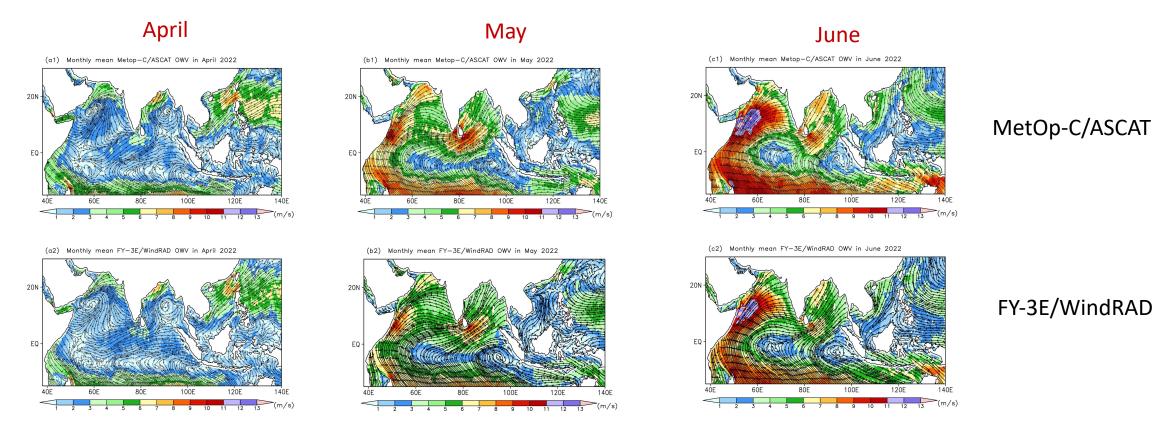


FY-3E/WindRAD and MetOp-C/ASCAT ocean surface wind scatter plots (U,V, Winds)

- \square U MB=0.58m/s, MAE=2.29m/s, RMSE=3.01m/s, CC=0.70
- \square V MB=-0.52m/s, MAE=2.01m/s, RMSE=2.70m/s, CC=0.85
- \square Winds MB=-0.45m/s, MAE=1.56m/s, RMSE=2.03m/s, CC=0.79



FY-3E/WindRAD and MetOp-C/ASCAT monthly mean Ocean Wind Vectors and wind speed in 2022



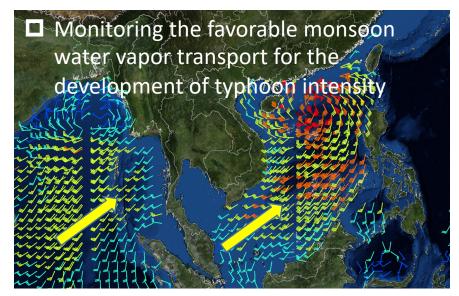
The distribution of OWV from FY-3E/WindRAD and MetOp-C/ASCAT is consistent, with similar locations and intensities

- ☐ In April, the South China Sea summer monsoon region is characterized by northeast winds.
- ☐ In May, as the Asian summer monsoon onset, the equatorial airflow over the East African Ocean became stronger.
- □ In June, the cross equatorial airflow further strengthened, and the Asian tropical summer monsoon region was controlled by westerly and southwest winds.

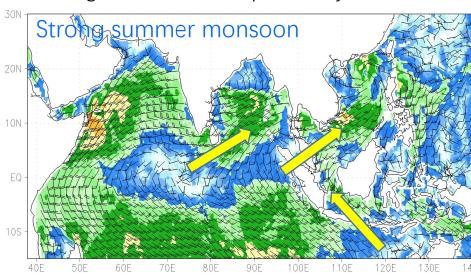




FY-3E OWV at 21:54UTC on 5 September 2024



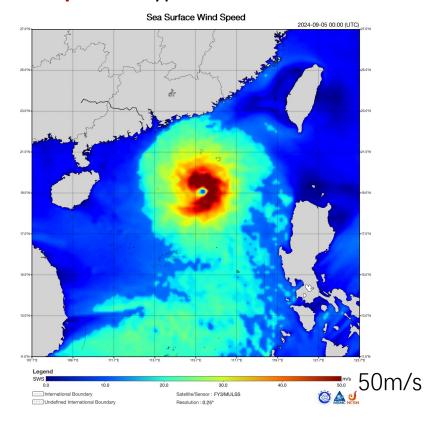
Average FY-3E OWV in past 5 days



Example 01:Super Typhoon "Yagi" (2411)

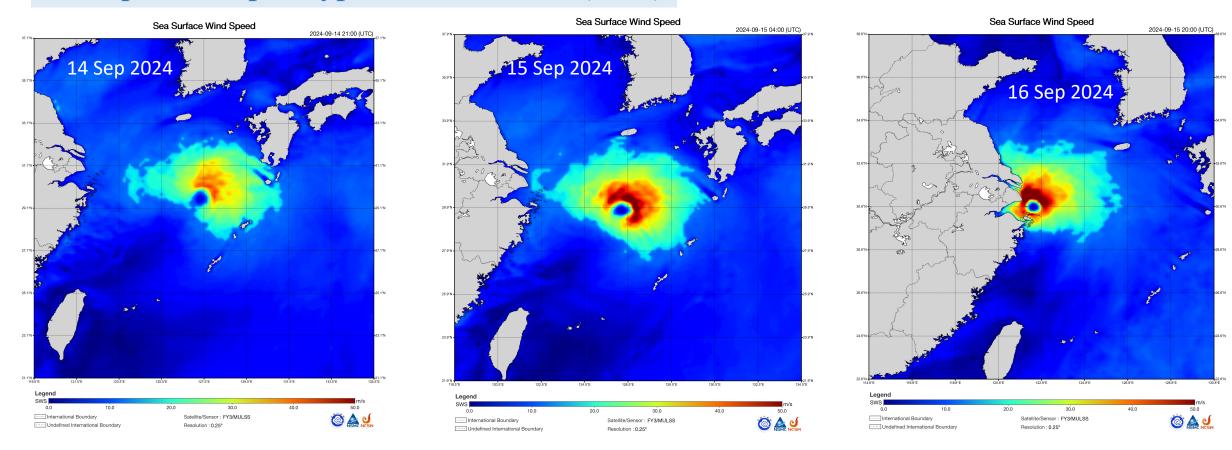
Dynamic field, ocean surface wind fields

■ Based on FY-3E/WindRad OWV and FY-3/MWRI sea wind speed, the multi source data fusion wind-speed product can be used in monitoring the maximum wind speed of typhoons.





Example 02:Super Typhoon "Bebinca" (2413)



FY-3 satellite fusion ocean surface wind speed:

☐ The wind speed is higher in the northeast and east near the center.







■ Atmospheric thermal parameters: FY-3/VASS and FY-4/GIIRS temperature and humidity profiles

LEO:FY-3D/3E/3F (microwave and infrared)

VASS product :

- ☐ Global 3-D observation of atmospheric temperature and humidity under all-weather conditions
- Twice a day for each satellite

FY-3E/VASS specific humidity

at 850hPa

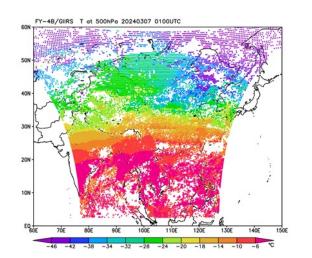
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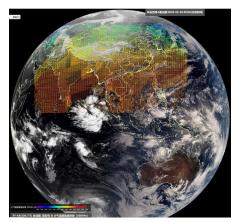
at 850hPa

at 850hPa

GEO: FY-4A/4B

- Observation of regional three dimensional atmospheric temperature and humidity under clear sky or low cloud conditions
- 2-hour observation frequency (with relatively high time resolution)





Vertical Atmospheric Sounding System instrument group (VASS)



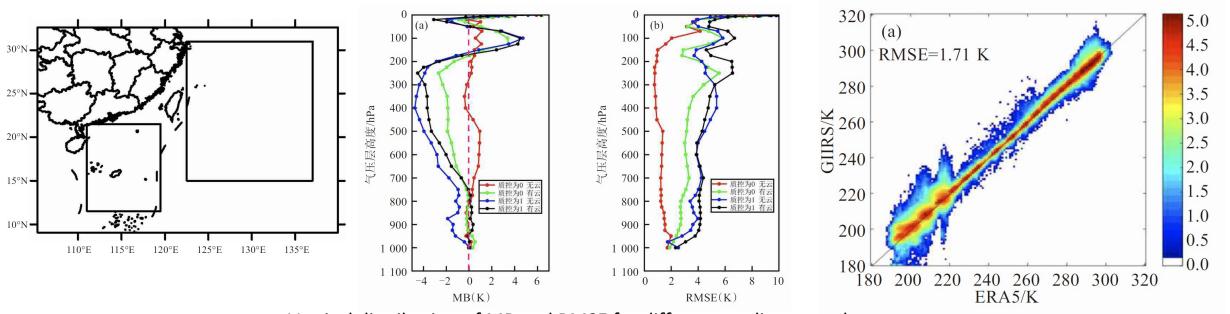


Atmospheric thermal parameters

Study on the accuracy of temperature profile retrieved from FY-4/GIIRS over the East and South China Sea during Typhoon activity season.

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Vertical distribution of MB and RMSE for different quality control number (0,1) under clear sky or cloudy sky.

Quality control number 0 under clear sky Quality control number 0 under cloudy sky

Scatter plot: Quality control number 0 Clear sky



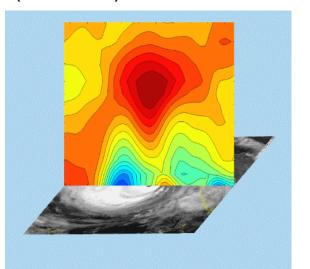




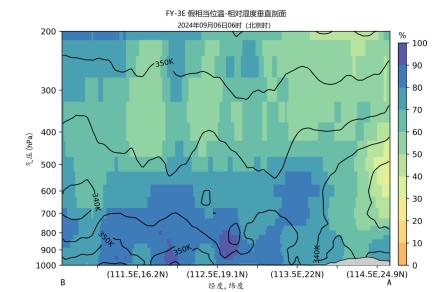
■ Atmospheric thermal parameters

- ✓ Monitoring the typhoon 3-D structures.
- ✓ Monitoring the atmospheric environment field of typhoon activity including instability energy, water vapor distribution, and atmospheric stratification.

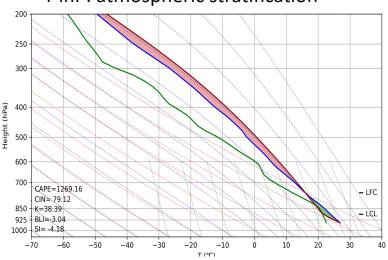
3-D structures: temperature (warm core)



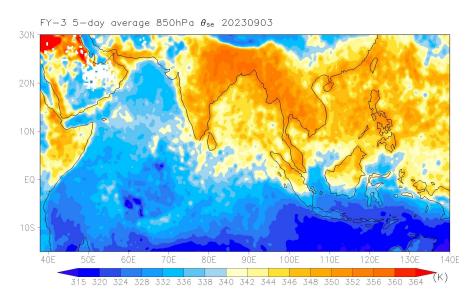
Humidity: vertical profile of relative humidity of TC



T-InP: atmospheric stratification



Energy: pseudo-equivalent potential temperature





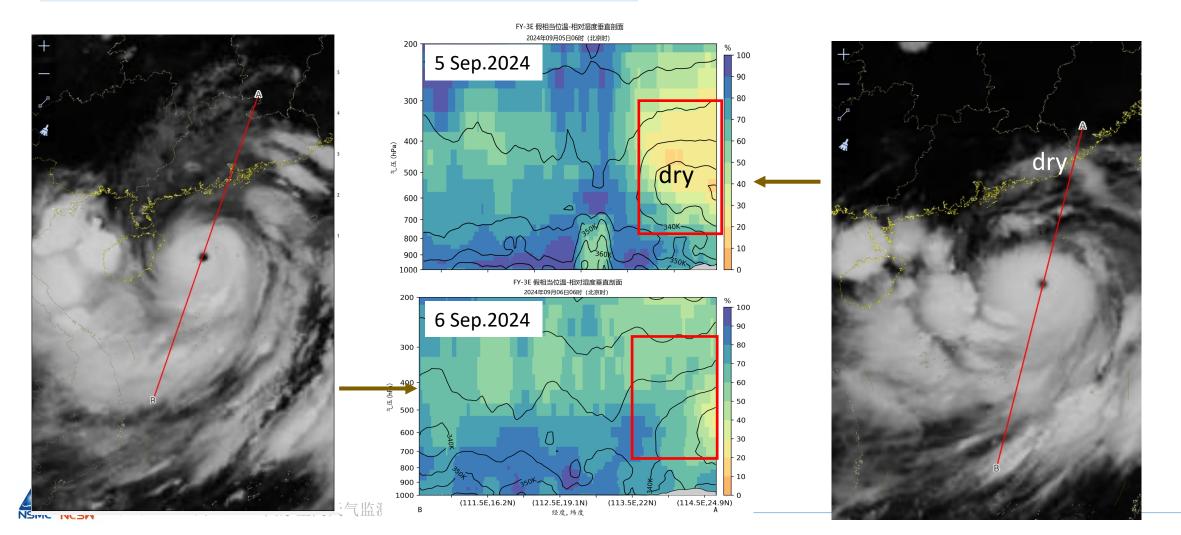




□ Atmospheric thermal parameters

Example: Super Typhoon "Yagi" (202411)

The humidity conditions above 700hPa on the north side of the typhoon have improved on 6 September compared to that on 5 September 2024.





Typhoon activity is closely related to the summer monsoon

Comprehensive summer monsoon monitoring from satellite data

South China Sea Summer Monsoon index from Fengyun satellite L2 products Region: (110-120° E;10-20° N)

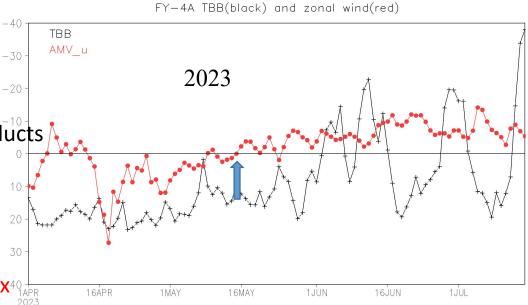
FY-4 L2: AMV and TBB

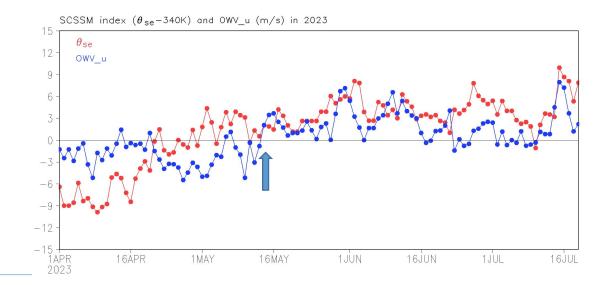
Region average mid-upper troposphere AMV: upper level dynamic index 49 LPR

Region average TBB: convection index

FY-3 L2: OWV and T & SH

Region average ocean surface zonal wind: low level dynamic index Region average pseudo-equivalent potential temperature: thermal index







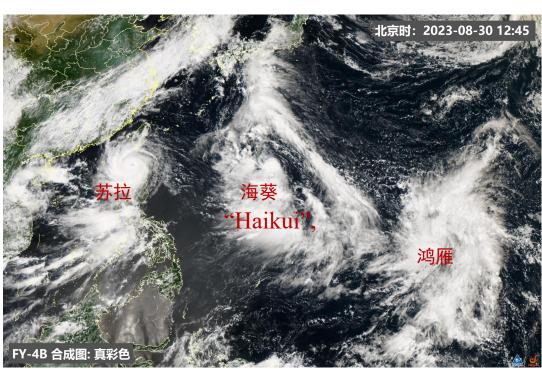




Example: Application of Summer Monsoon product in typhoon "Haikui" (2311) monitoring

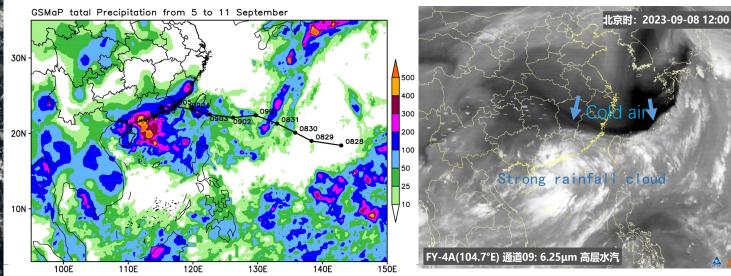
Three typhoons: "Haikui", "Saola", and "Kirogi" in late August and early September,2023

Typhoon "Haikui" has caused serious disasters in many places in southeast China, leading to record breaking extreme rainstorm in Fujian, Guangdong, Hong Kong and other places, among which the precipitation in Fuzhou broke the record set by its predecessor "Dragon King" in 2005

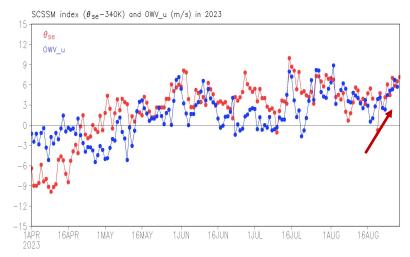




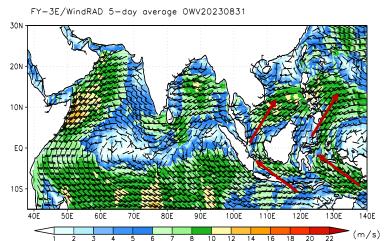
Total precipitation from 5 to 11 September 2023



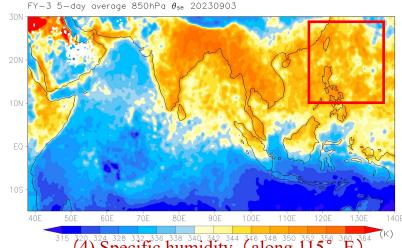
(1) The SCS summer monsoon increase during the typhoon development



(2) 5 day average OWV on 31 August 2023



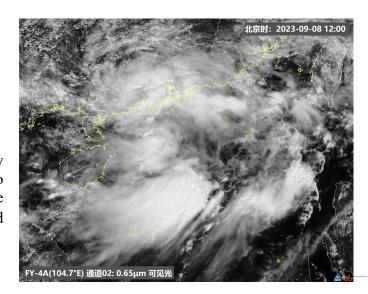
(3) 5 day average θ se at 850hPa on 3 September 2023

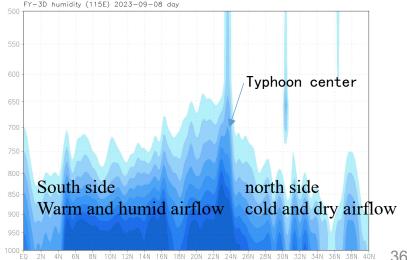


(4) Specific humidity (along 115° E) on 8 Sep 2023 from FY-3

(1) The low-level convergence formed by the southwest monsoon and the easterly wind at the edge of the subtropical high pressure is conducive to the generation of typhoons. During typhoon activity, the strong southwest monsoon airflow in the South China Sea region and near the Philippines causes high-temperature and high humidity air masses to be transported to the typhoon, which is conducive to the rapid development of typhoon "Haikui" strength on September 3.

(2) After the typhoon made landfall and weakened, the heavy precipitation caused by the low-pressure circulation was also related to the water vapor transport of the southwest summer monsoon in the South China Sea. At the same time, the southward movement of cold air in mid latitude areas also further enhanced convective precipitation.







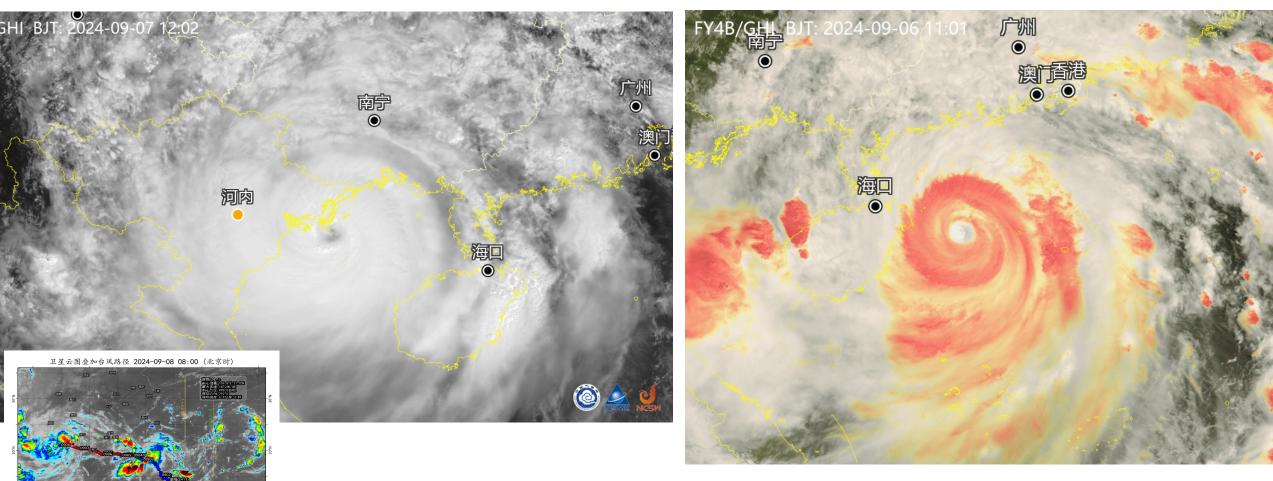
Overview of FY satellite data application in 2411 super typhoon "Yagi"





✓ 01 FY-4B/GHI cloud images to analysis cloud evolution

Index using the difference of reflectivity between 1.3um and 1.6um to reflect the intensity of the convection.



✓The 1.6um band has a lower reflectivity due to the strong absorption effect of ice crystal particles.

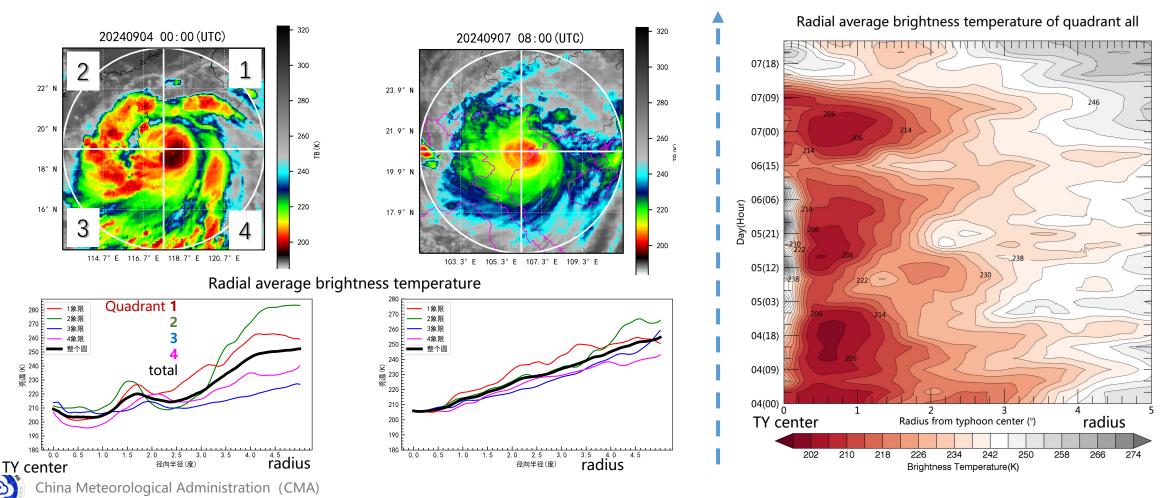
✓ The 1.3um band has a higher reflectivity due to lower water vapor absorption.

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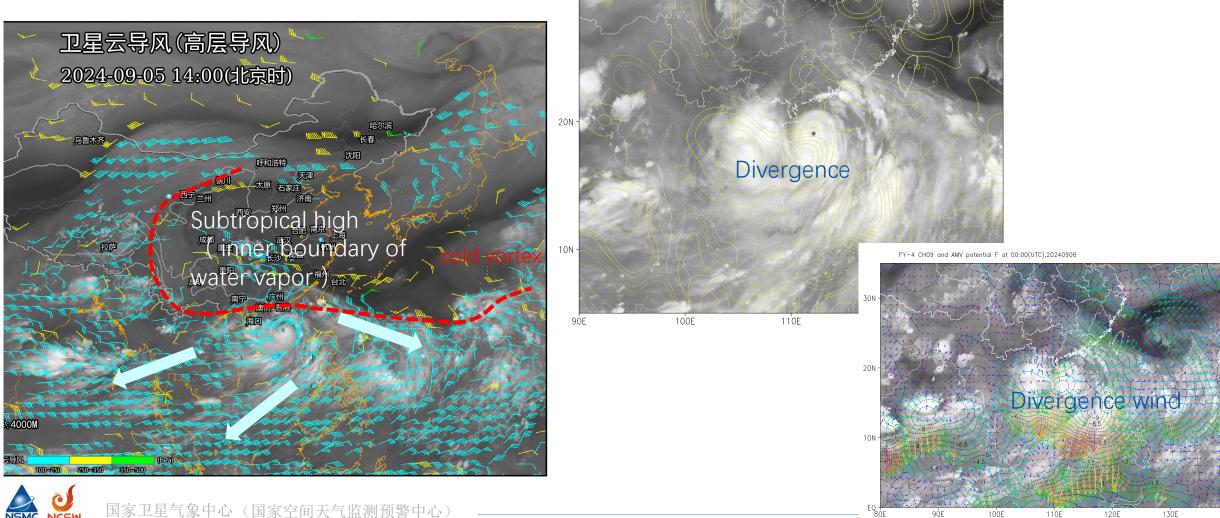
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✓ 02. Quantitative analysis of typhoon structure using infrared channel brightness temperature

Quantitative analysis of typhoon structure



✓ 03. Upper troposphere outflow and divergence: typhoon intensity and moving direction

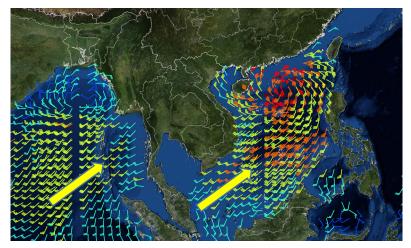


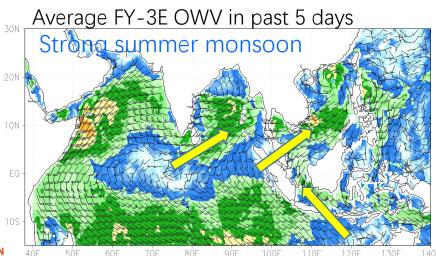


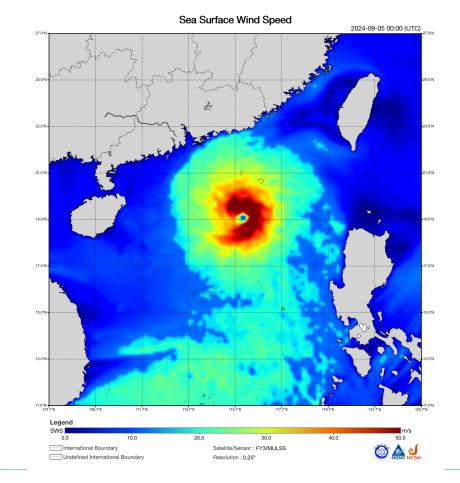


✓ 04. Low troposphere wind field: typhoon intensity and related rainstorm

FY-3E OWV on 5 September 2024



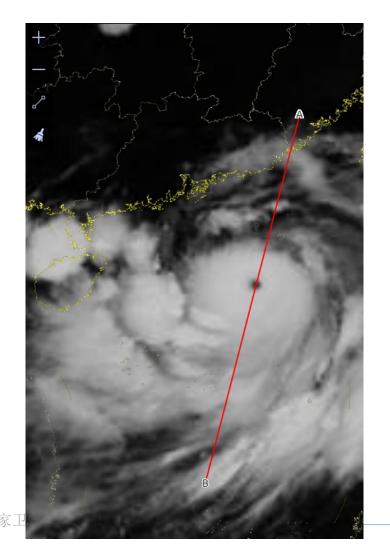


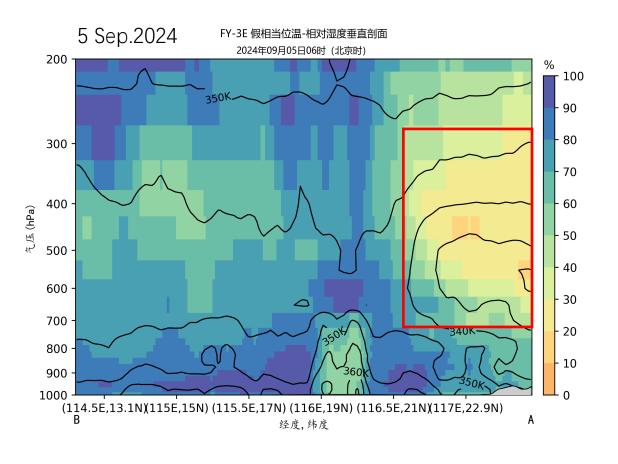






✓ 04. Thermal fields temperature and humidity: typhoon intensity, related rainstorm and structure



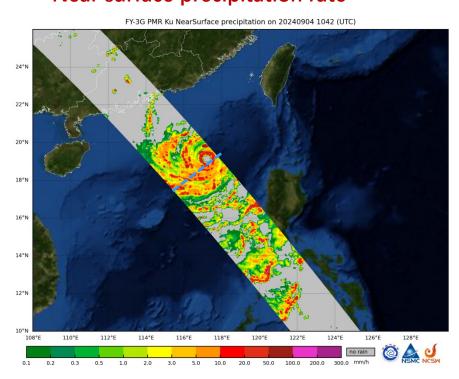


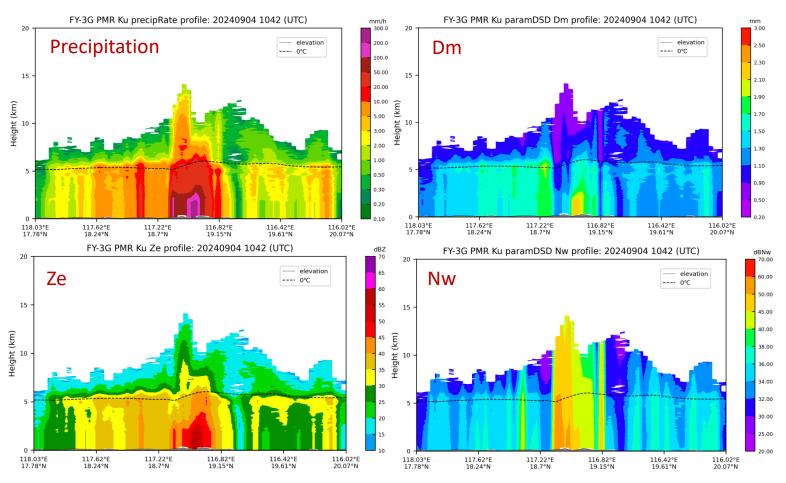




✓ 05. FY-3G/PMR precipitation: three dimensional structure of cloud and precipitation of typhoon

At 10:40UTC on 4 September 2024 Near surface precipitation rate





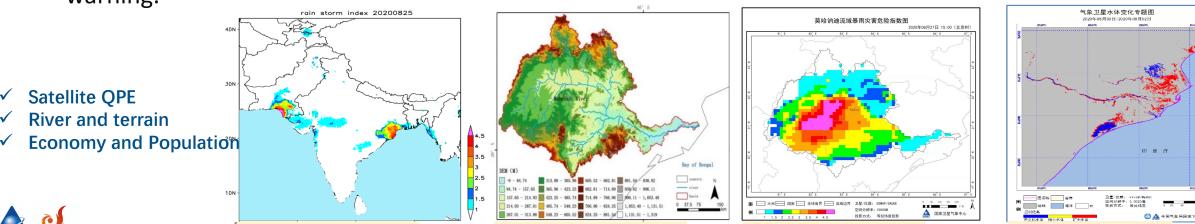
The maximum precipitation rate near the Yagi center is greater than 100mm/h, with a zero temperature layer height of around 5km. The vertical height at which the precipitation rate reaches 50mm/h is below 3km.





Summary

- FengYun satellites (LEO and GEO) can support the multi-platform collaborative observation experiments for typhoon and can provide high frequency observations of many parameters.
- The three dimensional sounding(microwave and infrared) observations of atmospheric dynamics and thermal field application capabilities in typhoon monitoring and early warning.
- The active observations from spaceborne radar (WindRAD and PMR) can be used in typhoon structure, intensity monitoring.
- FengYun satellites have great potential in **typhoon related rainstorm and flood monitoring** and early warning.



Mahanadi River Basin

Rainstorm risk index

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