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Offshore Wind Resource Modeling



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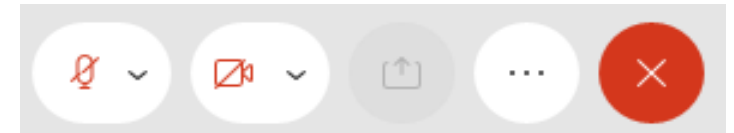
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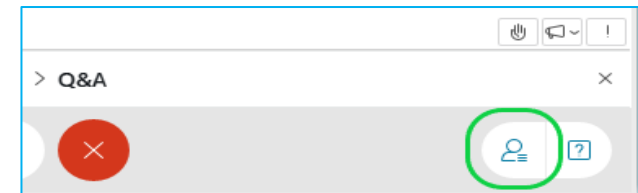
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Wind Resource and Energy Characterization in NY Bight

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Overview

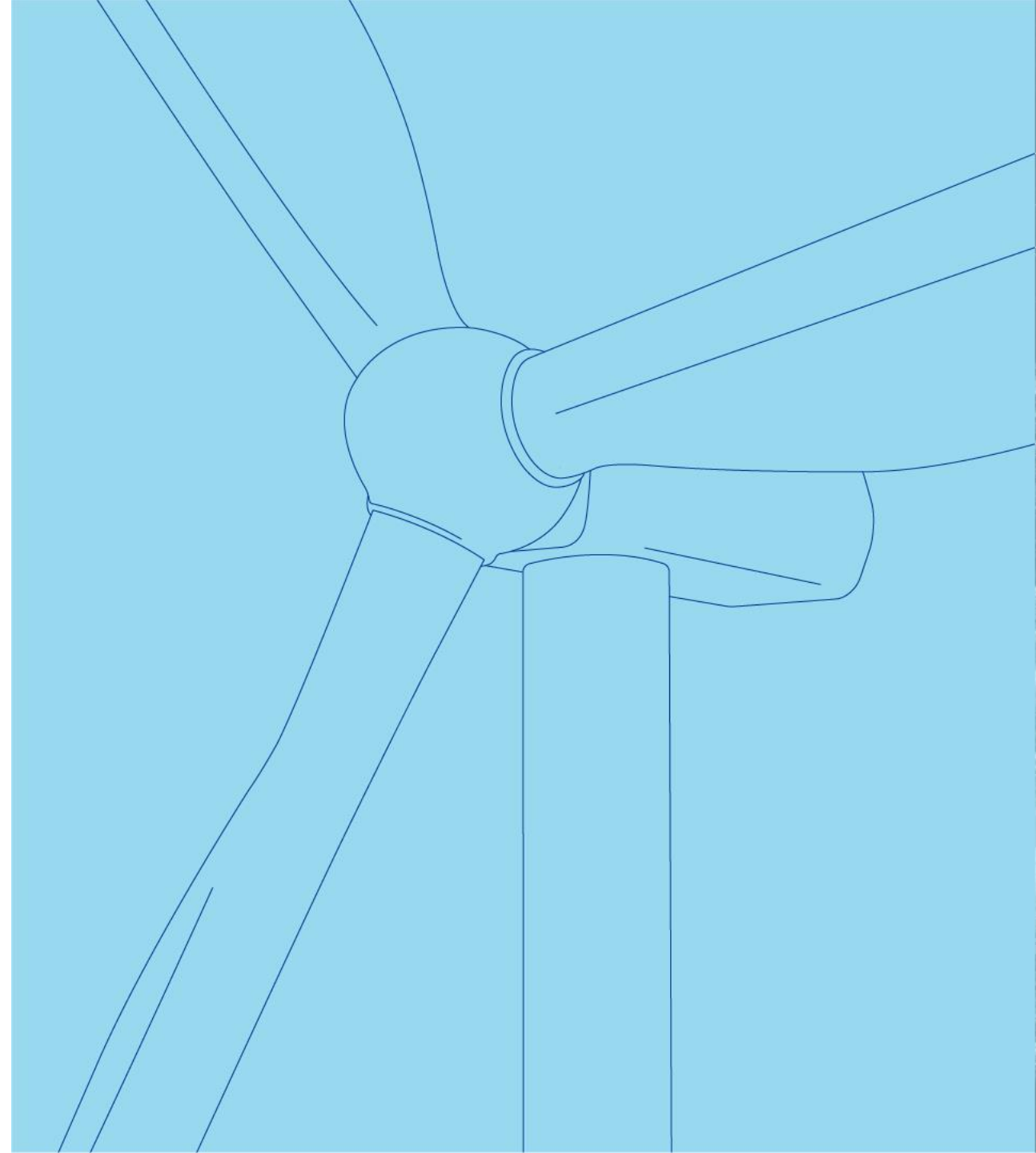


Who is DNV

DNV's role

Measuring offshore wind resource

Wind resource and energy



Who is DNV



WHEN TRUST MATTERS

Why do we exist?

We love renewable energy

Contribute to the greenest energy mix in the grid

OUR PURPOSE

**To safeguard life,
property, and the
environment**

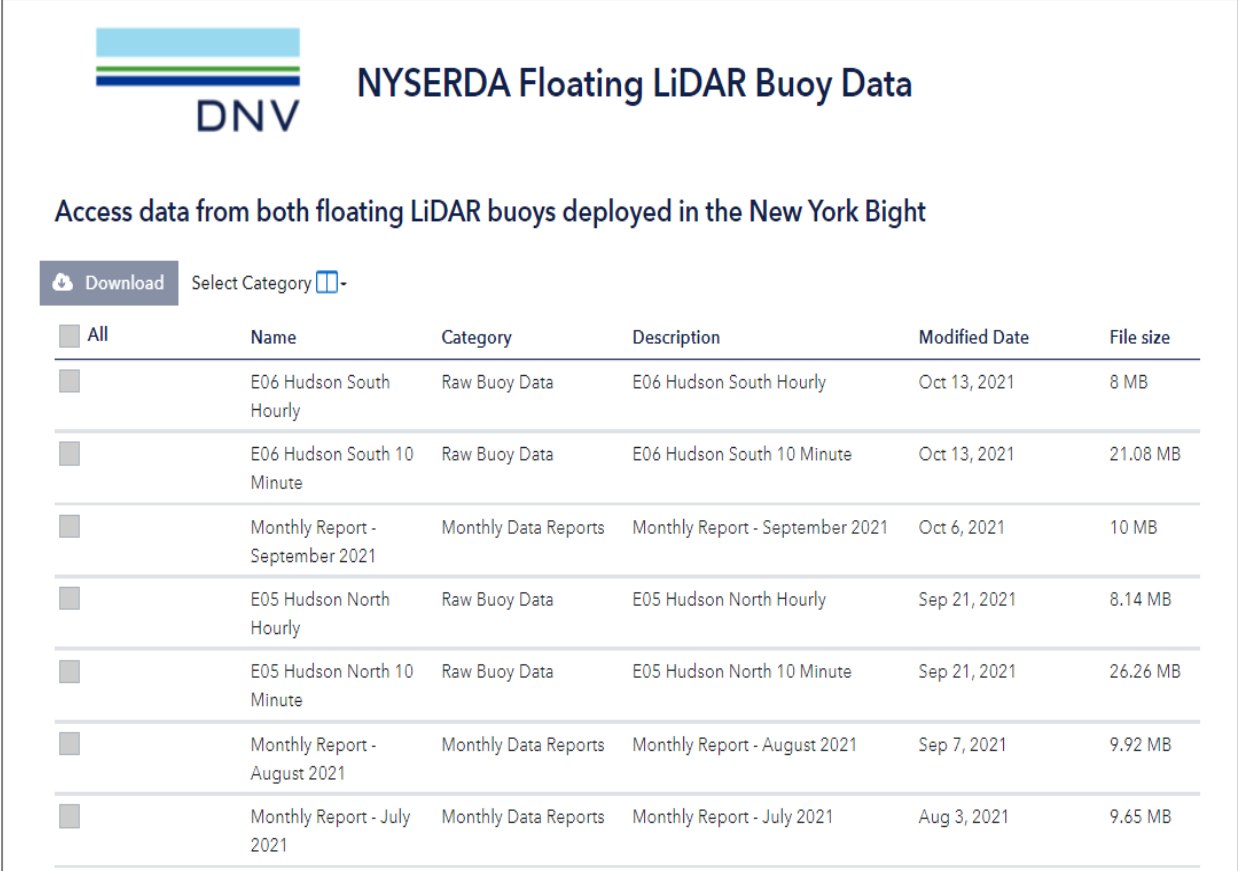
OUR VISION

**A trusted voice
to tackle global
transformations**

DNV's data manager role for NYSERDA

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- Prior to deployment
 - Assist NYSERDA in determining buoy deployment locations
 - LiDAR buoy type validation independent review
 - Onshore lidar verification (ZephIR lidar ZX300M)
 - Buoy pre-deployment verification in UK (NAREC Met Tower, Blythe)
 - Comparison of validation campaign to metocean conditions in NY Bight
 - 3rd Party Port Site Acceptance Testing in NJ
- During/after deployment
 - Manage and maintain public data website
 - Publish monthly reports on the data
 - Once-annual energy assessment reports (two total)
 - Provide general advice to NYSERDA over the course of the two year deployment



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Measuring offshore wind resource

Wind measurement technologies



Conventional met masts

On-site or off-site



Fixed LiDAR devices

Typically off-site



Floating LiDAR Systems*

On-site or off-site



Other

Scanning LiDAR / Met buoys / Existing measurements etc

Fixed platform masts becoming less common.

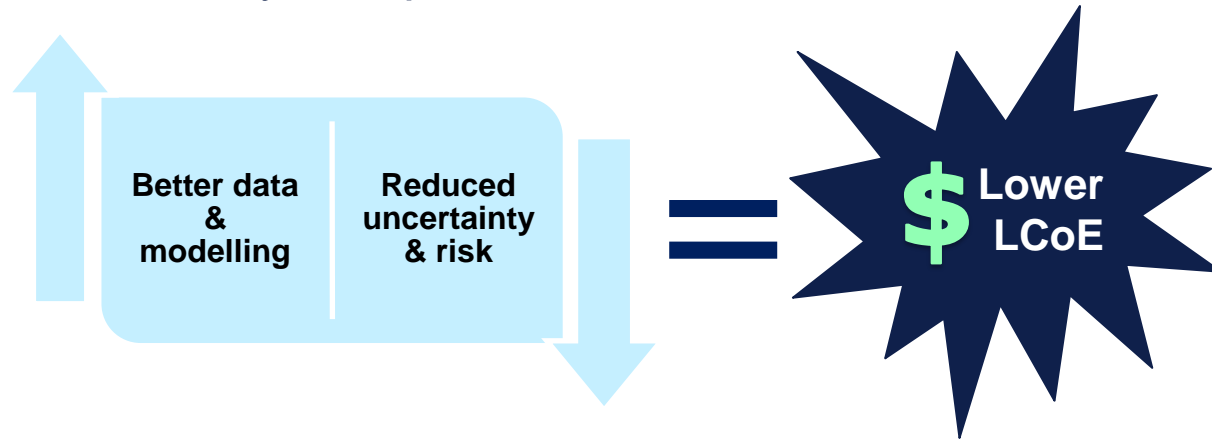
Floating LiDAR reaching higher level of industry acceptance – also significant cost savings.

** Not an exhaustive summary of currently available Floating LiDAR Systems!*

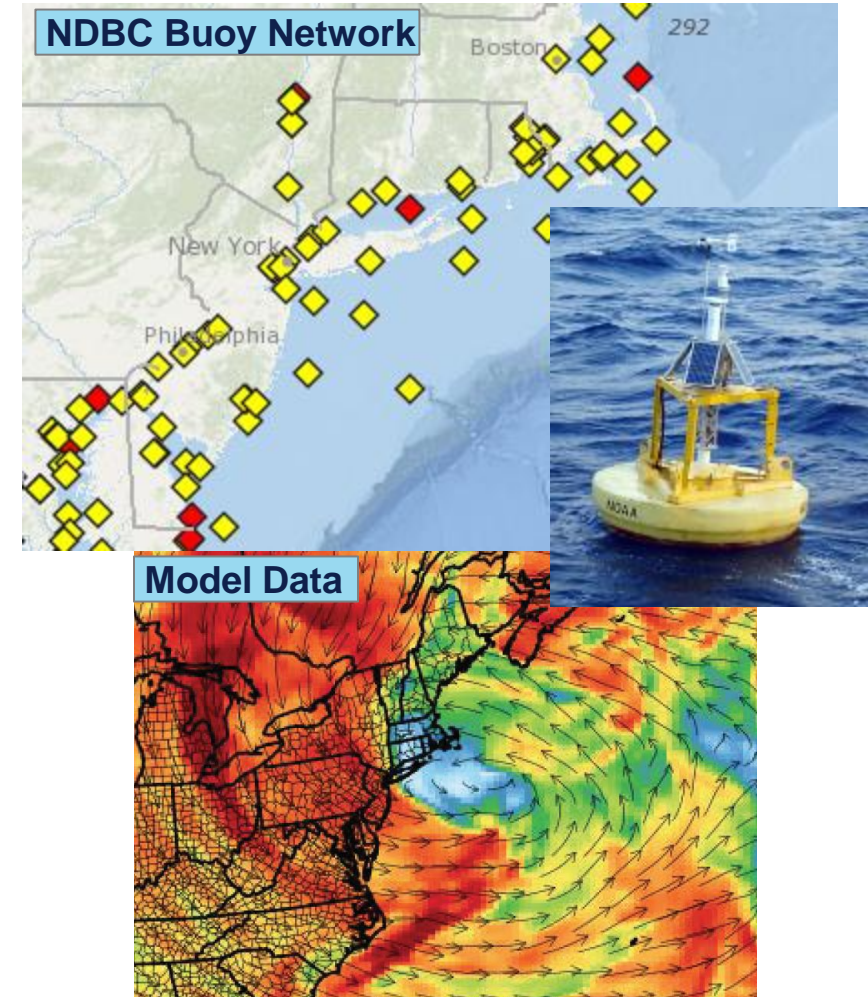
Importance of NYSERDA Floating LiDAR deployment

Existing in-situ metrological data sources by themselves are not sufficient

Wind farm energy analyses require a high-level of accuracy and precision

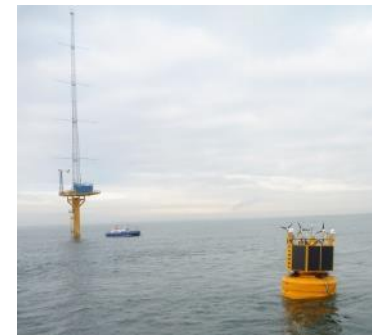
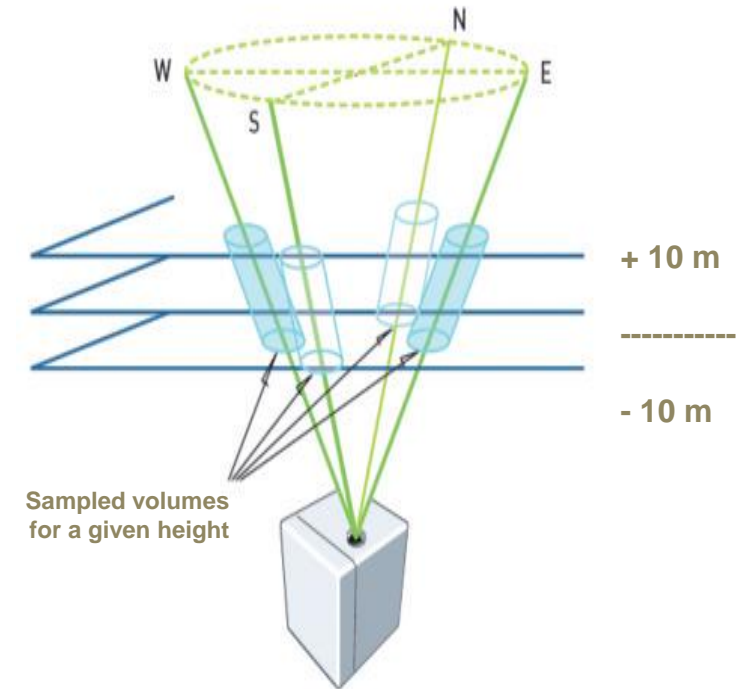


NYSERDA floating LiDAR deployment, first high-quality dataset available pre-lease sale



Remote sensing by LiDAR (Light Detection And Ranging)

- Laser pulse measures wind speed & direction
- Measurements up to 200 m height
- Deployed on fixed platform or buoy
- Becoming established standalone technology for wind resource analyses
- Additional metocean and environmental sensors attached for offshore



Floating LiDAR standards and best practices

The Carbon Trust Offshore Wind Accelerator Floating LiDAR Roadmap provides guidance for floating LiDAR users, OEMs and other stakeholders.



Baseline:

Lidar type considered as proven technology in onshore industry. Complementary use with offshore met mast.

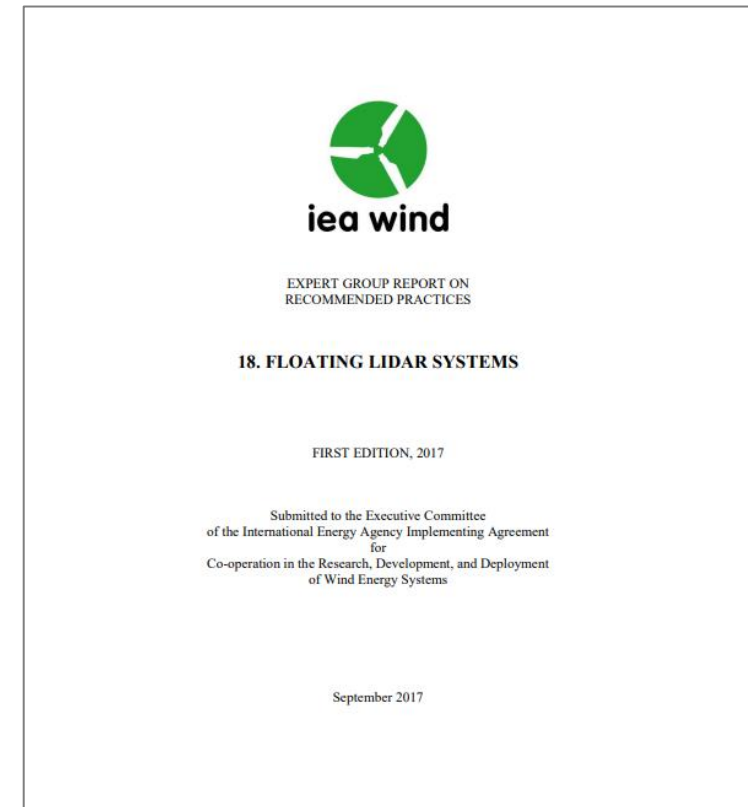
Pre-Commercial:

Pilot verification trial for FLS type completed successfully. Limited commercial use.

Commercial:

Commercial use in a range of conditions following further successful sea trial and pre-commercial deployments.

IEA Task 32 recommend practice 18: Floating LiDAR Systems “codifies existing industry and academic best practices to help ensure that the best quality FLS data are made available for use in the wind energy resource assessment process.”



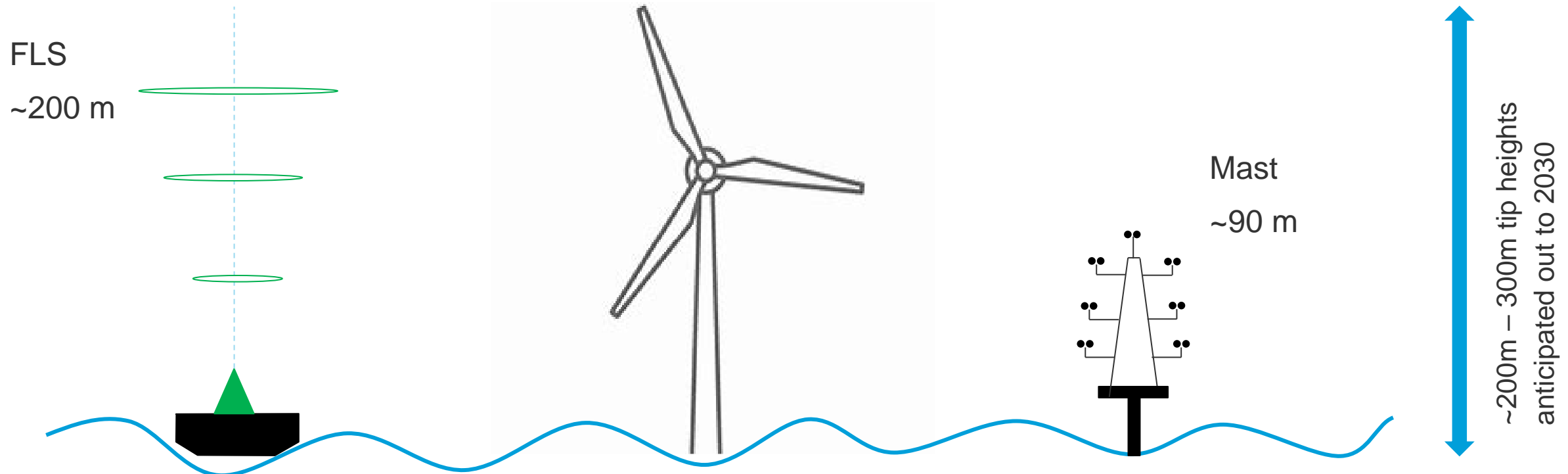
More info:

<https://www.carbontrust.com/resources/roadmap-for-commercial-acceptance-of-floating-lidar>

More info:

<https://iea-wind.org/task32/>

Mast vs Floating LiDAR: what are the key trade-offs?



Wind speed uncertainties:

- Wind measurement accuracy
- Vertical extrapolation

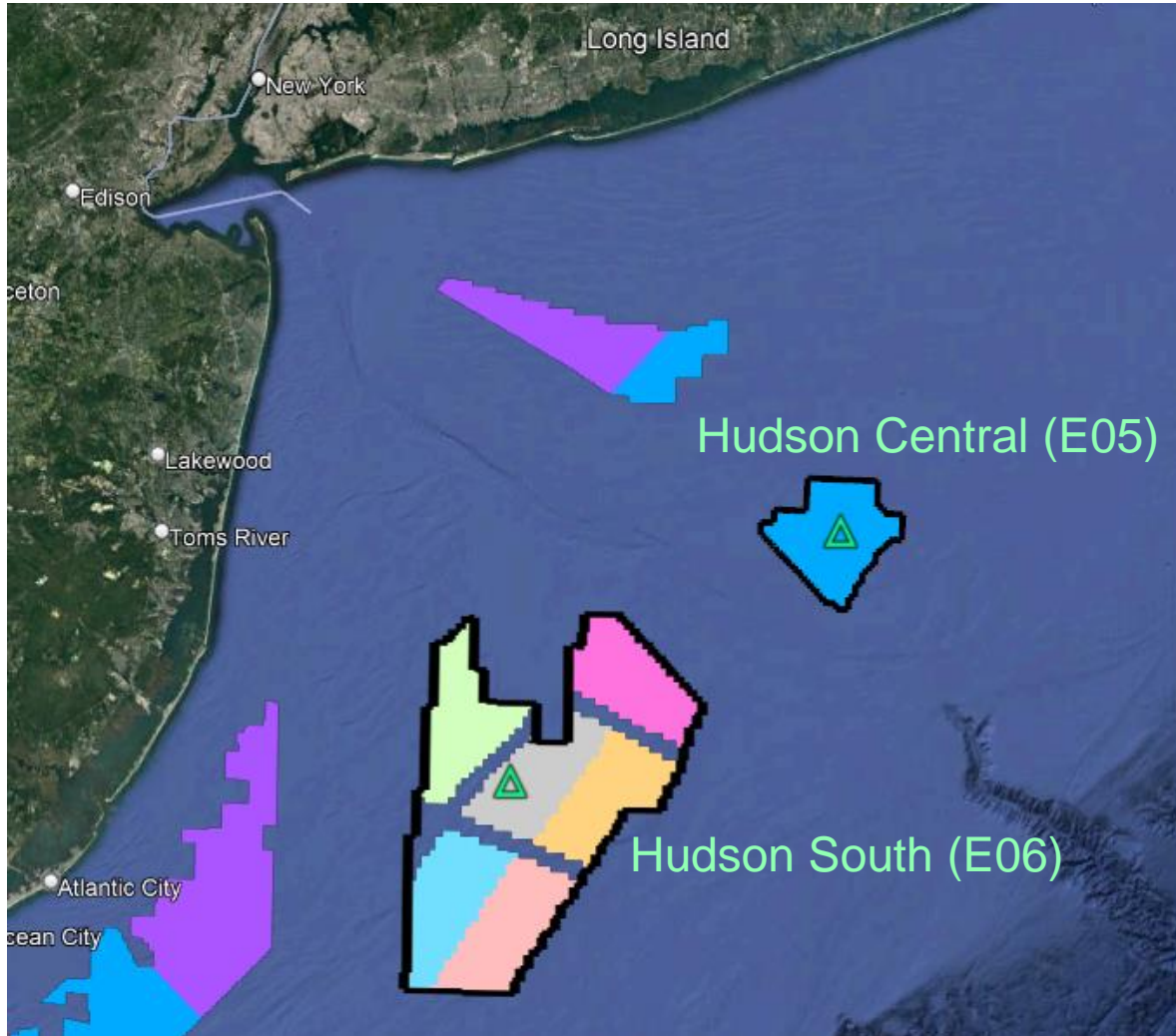


Higher CAPEX Costs

- Installation / fabrication / deployment
- Operation & maintenance
- Decommissioning

Wind resource and energy

Introduction to New York Bight

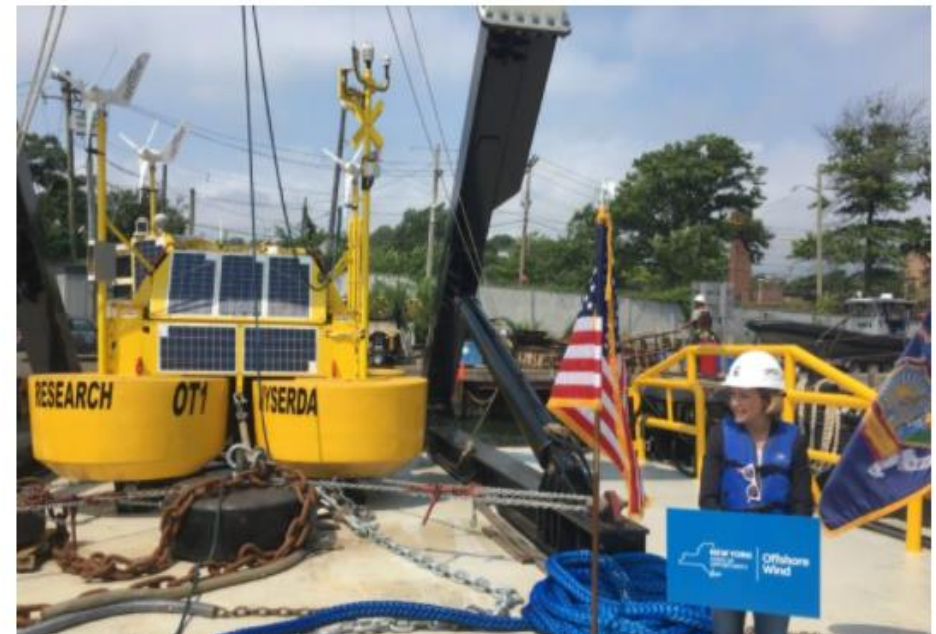


NYSERDA Deploys Floating LiDARs in New York Bight

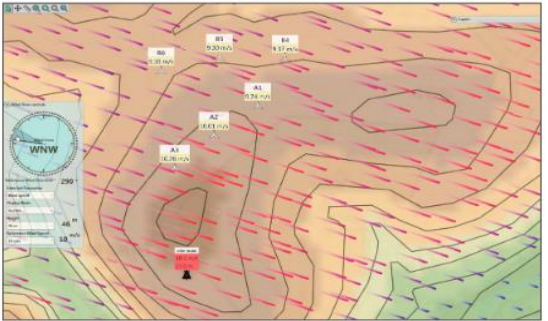
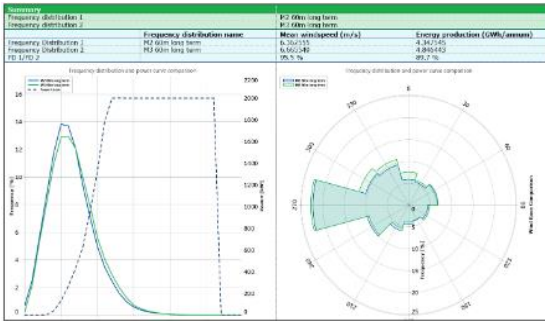
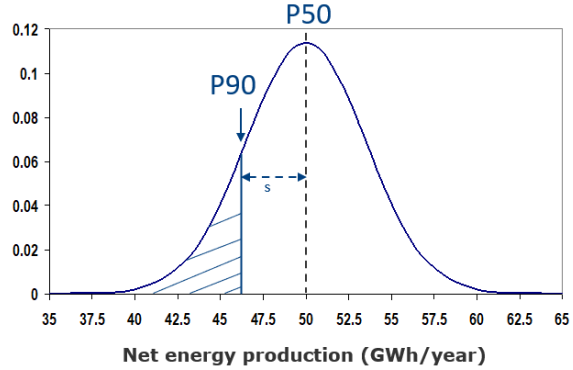
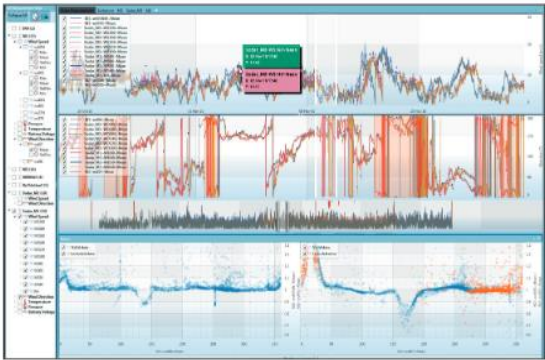
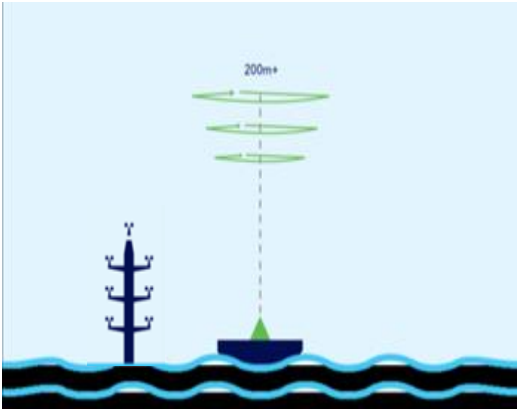
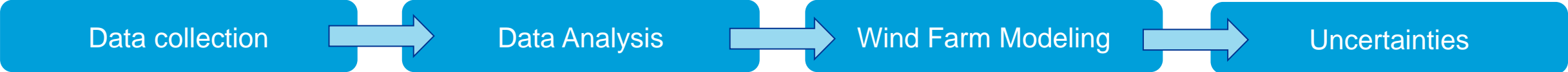
R&D

August 8, 2019, by Nadja Skopljak

The New York State Energy and Research Development Authority (NYSERDA) has deployed two floating LiDARs in the New York Bight to study the metocean conditions.



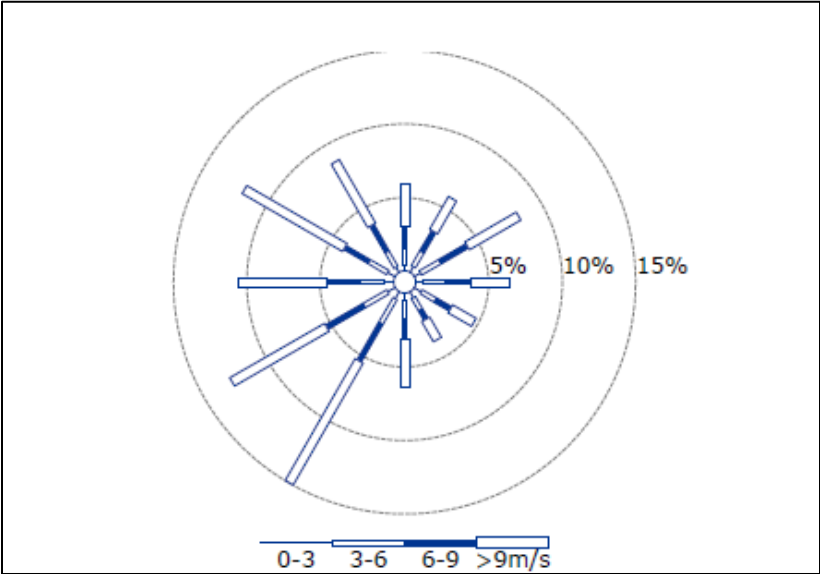
Wind resource assessment & energy prediction



Long-term wind resource summary

Based on January 2021 wind resource and energy assessment, data measurement on going

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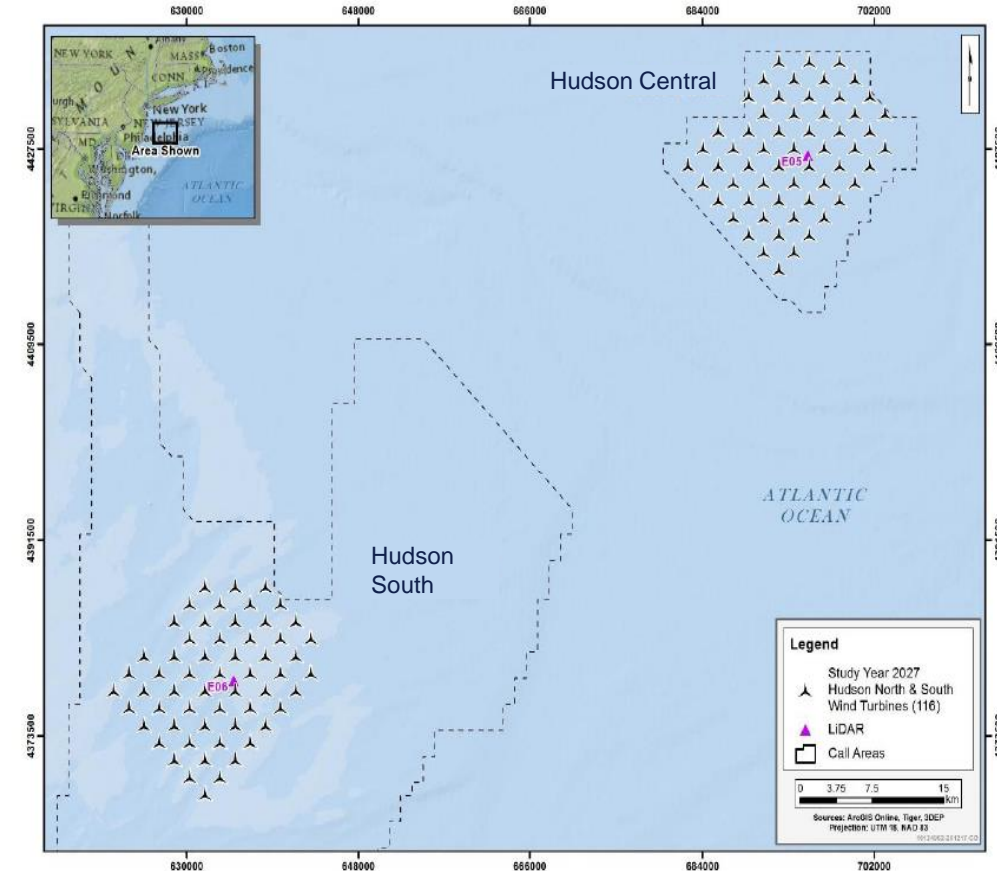


Area	Hudson Central	Hudson South
Hub-height	140	
Avg. Wind Speed [m/s]	10.1	9.9
Wind Speed Range [m/s]	10.1 – 10.2	9.7 – 10.0
Shear	0.09	0.10
TI at 15 m/s [%]	4.5	4.5

Energy scenarios considered

Study Year	2027	2030	2033
Turbine Capacity [MW]	14	18	22
Rotor Size [m]	220	250	275
Hub-height [m]	140	155	165
Number of turbines	58	45	37
Project Capacity [MW]	812	810	814
Project Life [yrs]	30	30	30

- DNV derived hypothetical power curves
- Same fixed layout between Hudson Central & South
- Energy sensitivity to wind speed decreases as turbine size increases
- LCoE decreases over time with fewer turbines



Summary of Energy Results

Lease area	Hudson Central			Hudson South		
Study Year	2027	2030	2033	2027	2030	2033
Gross Energy [GWh/year]	4125.4	4143.5	4170.7	4010.7	4016.6	4043.6
Turbine interaction effects [%]	94.5	93.9	93.2	94.3	93.7	92.9
Availability [%]	94.3			94.3		
Electrical [%]	97.0			97.0		
Turbine performance [%]	96.7	96.6	96.5	96.6	96.5	96.5
Environmental [%]	100.0			100.0		
Curtailement [%]	Not considered			Not considered		
Total Losses [%]	83.5	82.8	82.1	83.2	82.5	81.8
P50 Net Capacity Factor [%]	48.4	48.3	48.0	46.9	46.7	46.4
P50 Net Energy [GWh/year]	3442.4	3431.3	3422.9	3337.3	3315.2	3309.5
P50 Net Energy Per Turbine [GWH/year]	59.4	76.3	92.5	57.5	73.7	89.4

Wind resource and energy comparison

Summary Hudson Central vs. Hudson South	
Metocean conditions	
- Shear	Slightly lower
- Wind speed at 140m	Slightly higher
- Wave height	Similar
- Bathymetry	Deeper
Energy	
- Energy losses (wakes, availability, etc.)	Similar
- Wind speed to energy sensitivity	Slightly lower
- Net Capacity Factor (NCF)	Higher

- Hudson Central better wind and energy resource, ~3%
- Net energy per turbine increases, LCoE decreases over time by study year
- Hudson South may have lower costs and more opportunity
 - closer to land
 - shallower water depths
 - Potentially larger project area (not modeled)
- Analysis to be updated following two years of data collection Q1 2022

Thank you

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The Sea Breeze Circulation, Low-level Jet, and the Offshore Wind Resource in the New York/New Jersey Bight

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Based in part on work performed by Elizabeth McCabe (MS
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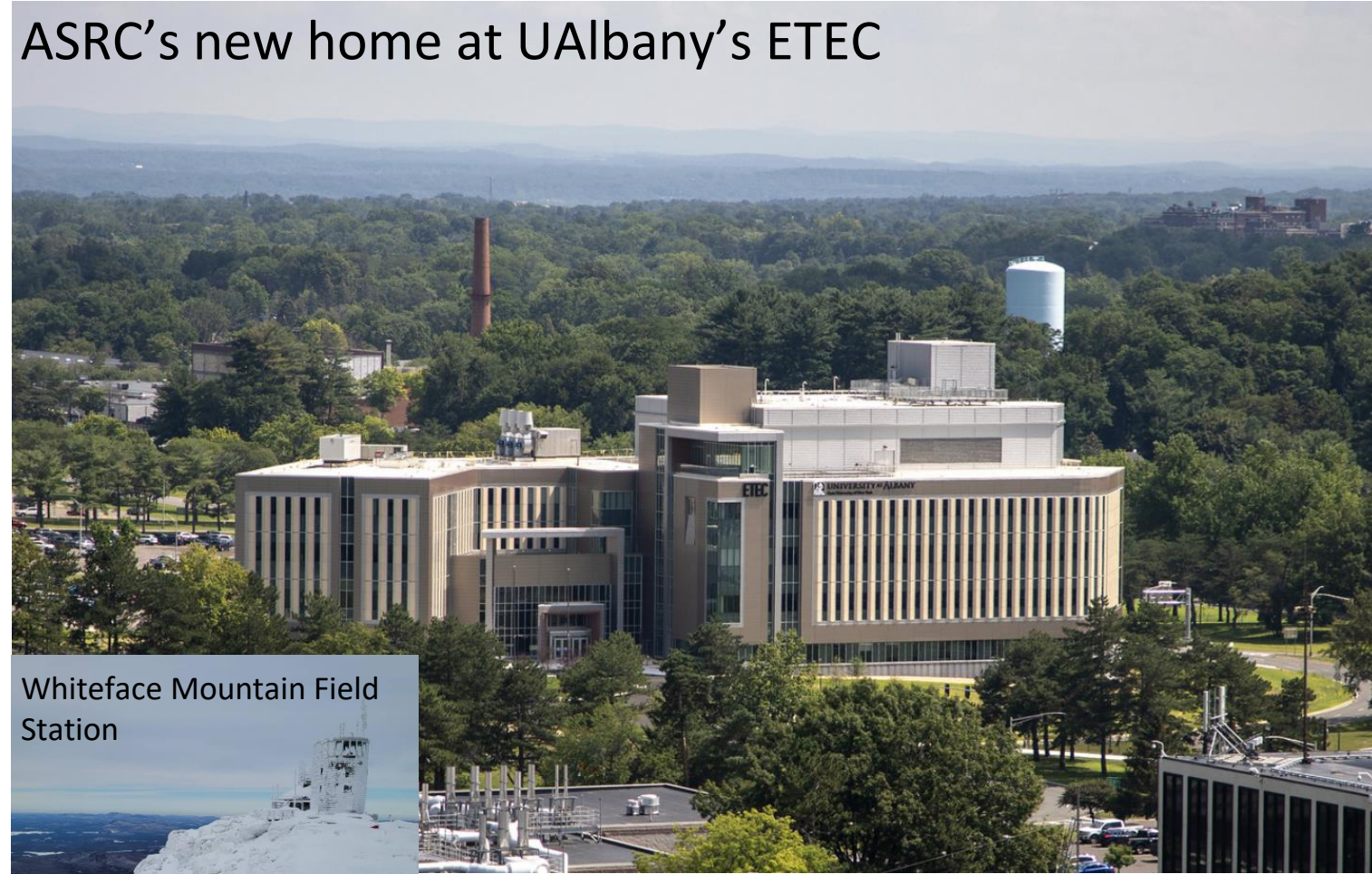
Deepwater Wind (Ørsted)
Block Island, RI
Photo: J. Freedman



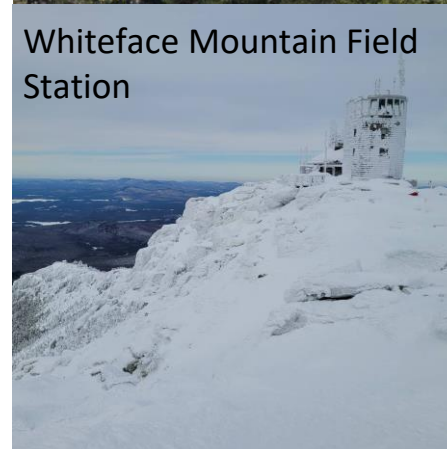
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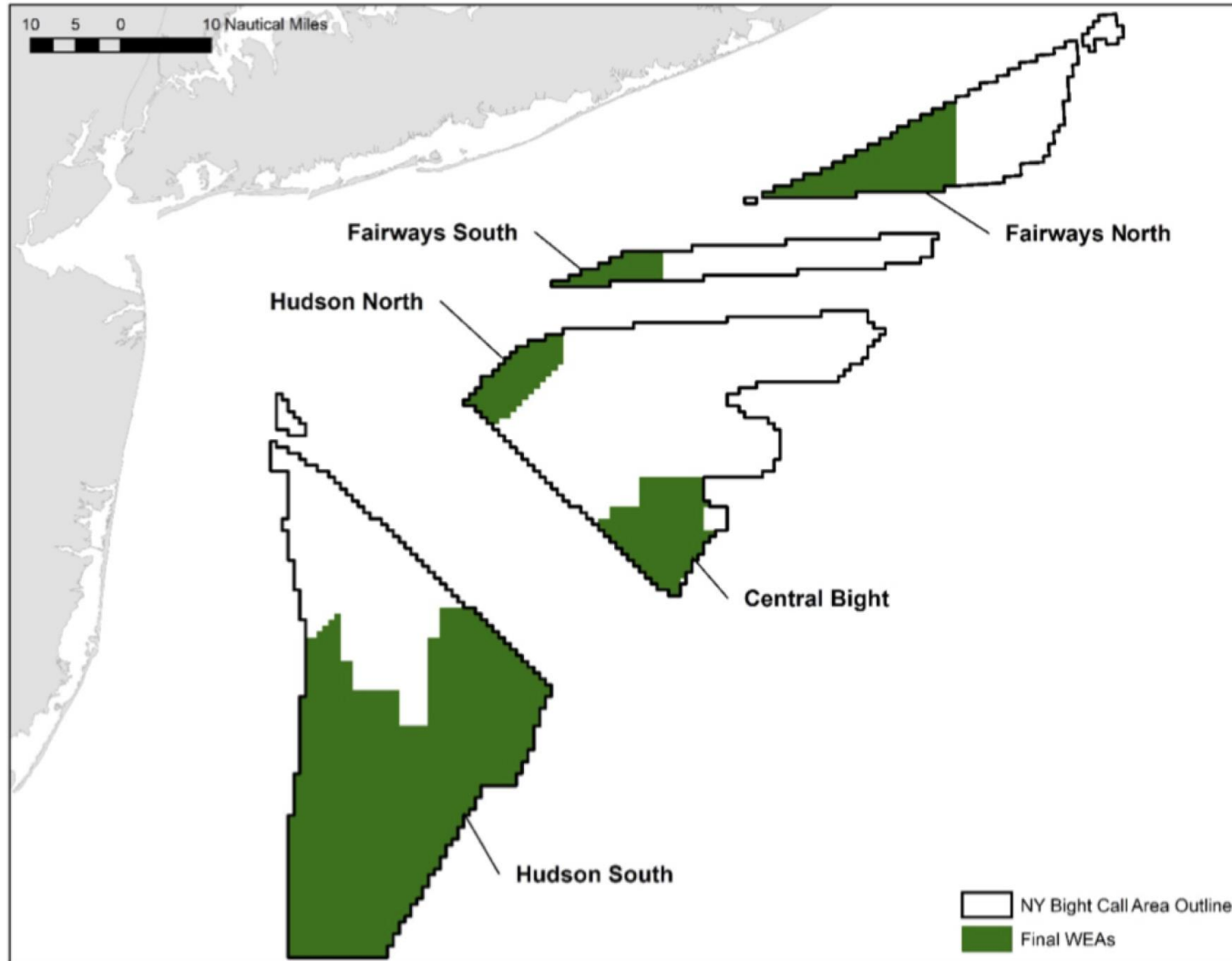
ASRC's new home at UAlbany's ETEC



Whiteface Mountain Field Station



Significance of the New York Bight



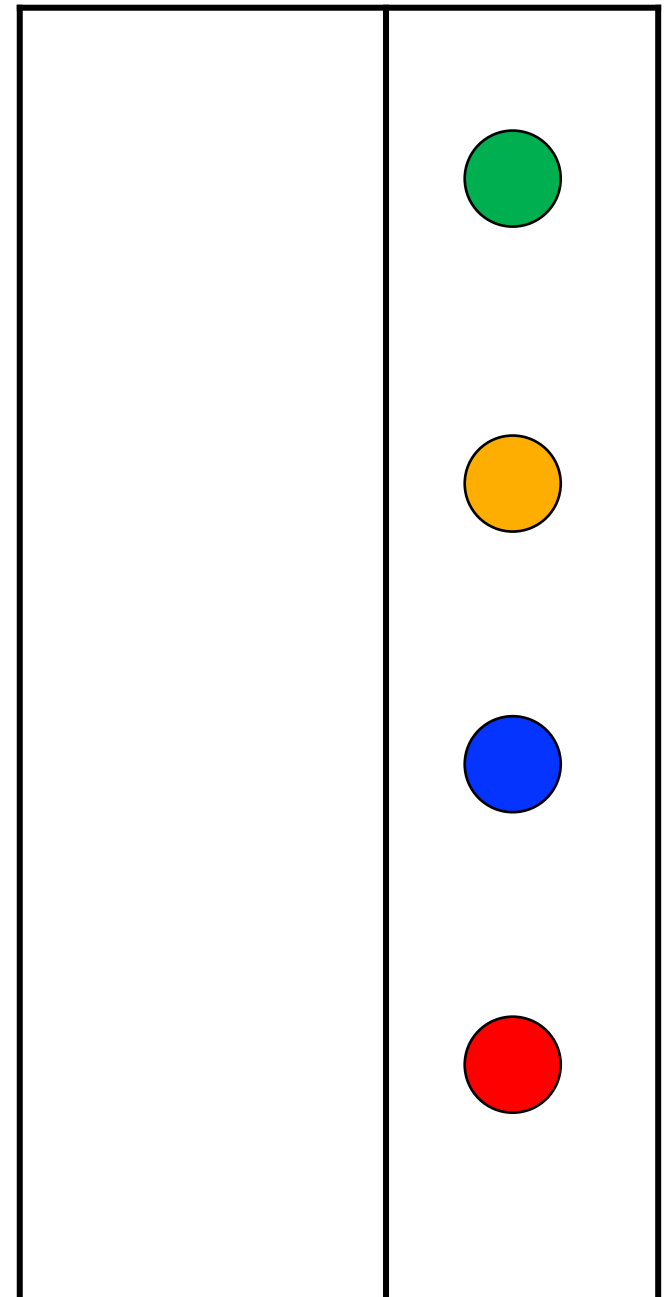
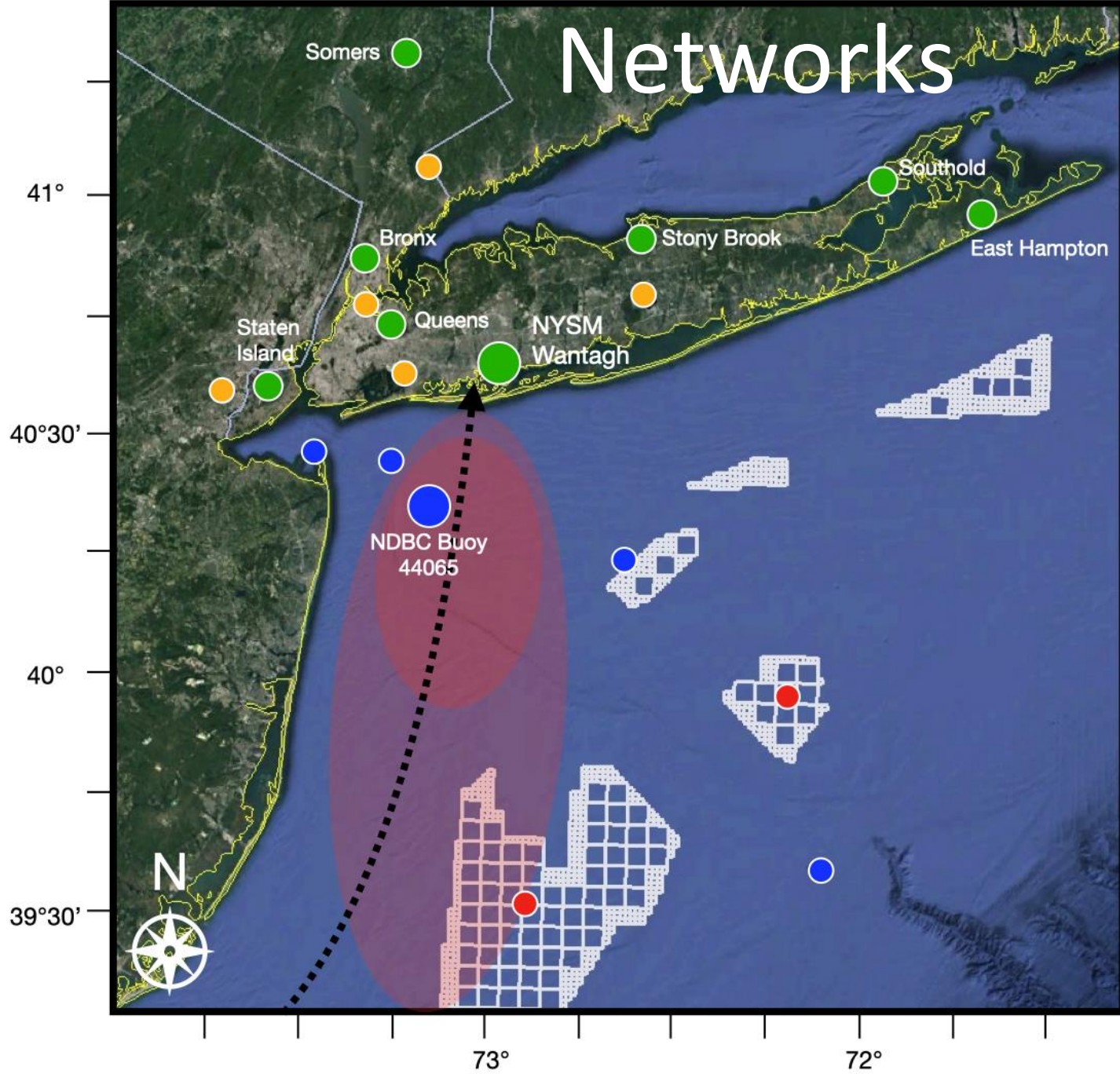
- Area of Shallow water south of Long Island and east of the New Jersey Coast
- Limits extend south to Cape May, NJ and east to Montauk, NY (Geyer 1981)
- 5 Lease Areas for Wind Energy Development **807,383 Acres/ 3,267 km² total (shaded in green)**

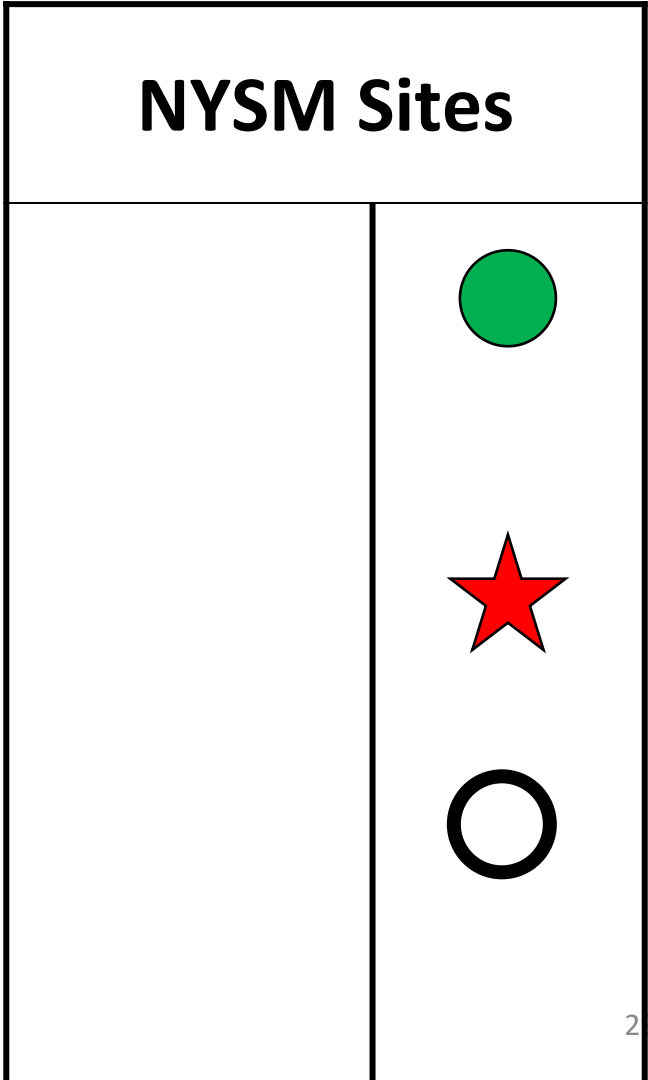
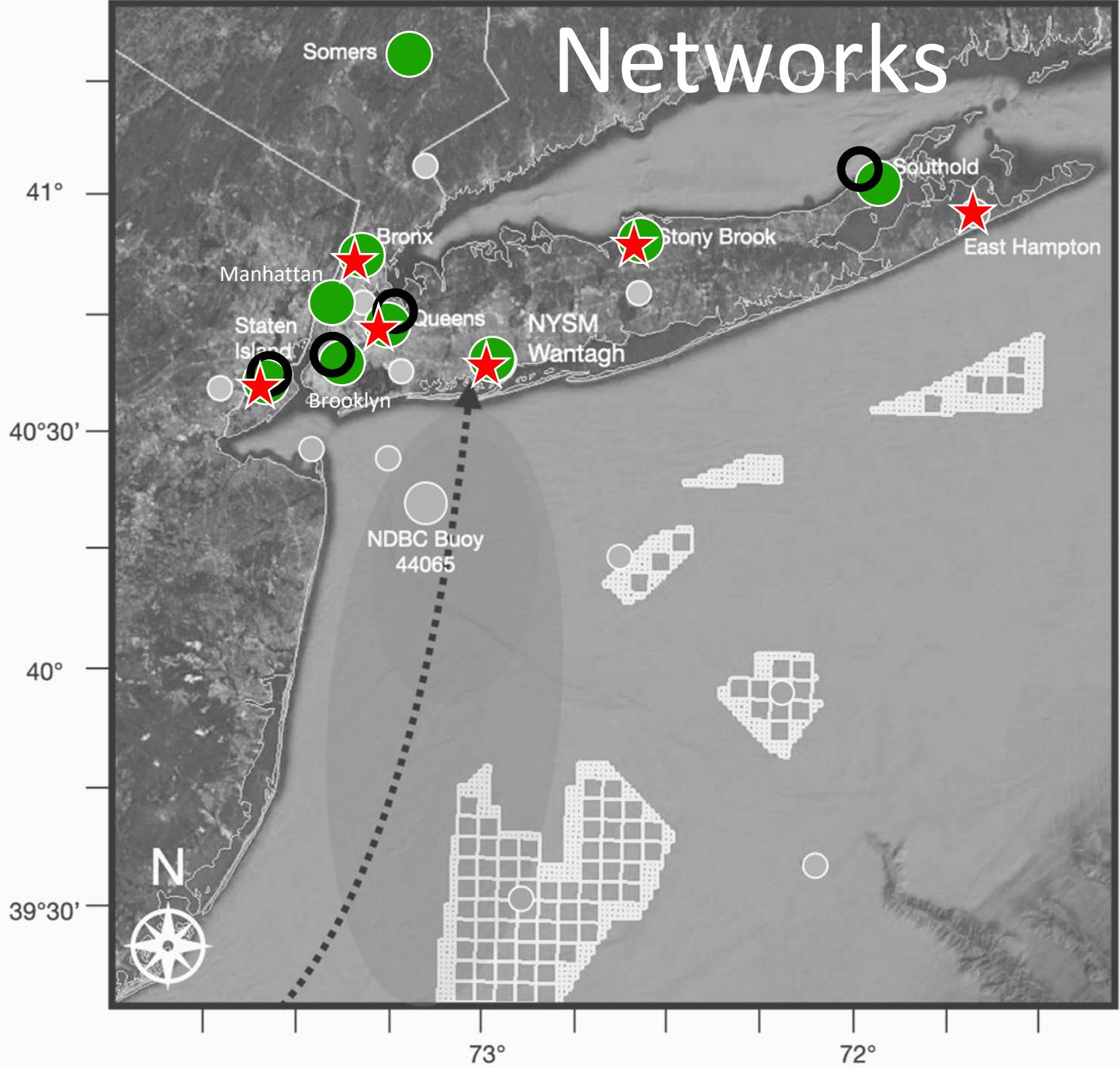
Multiple phenomena affecting the region— need for more sophisticated long-term observations to inform modeling improvements

Phenomena affecting the offshore wind met-ocean environment. Abbreviations are: AP (atmospheric profiles), OP (oceanic profiles), ODA (ocean data assimilation), Fluxes (include exchanges of momentum, heat, and moisture), Z_0 (surface roughness), ScanLiD (Scanning LiDAR), Sat SST (derived--satellite sea surface temperature). ∇p and ∇T refer to gradients of pressure and temperature; GS = Gulf Stream.

Phenomena	Spatial	Temporal	Season	Forecast uncertainty	Proposed modeling improvements	Proposed observations
Sea breeze & NY Bight LLJ	Mesoscale	Hours daily sequences	Warm	High	PBL, Ocean initialization, DA	AP, OP, ∇p , ∇T , ScanLiD, Fluxes
pre-frontal LLJs	Mesoscale	Hours daily sequences	All	High	PBL, Z_0 , wave state, DA	AP, ∇p , ∇T , SST, ScanLiD, Fluxes
Convection	Mesoscale	Hours	All	High	μ -physics, gust, lightning	Radar, AP
Waking	Mesoscale	Hours to days	All	Medium	Wind farm parameterization	AP, ScanLiD
Offshore flow	Synoptic	Hours to days	Cold	Medium	DA	AP, OP, SST
Easterly flow	Synoptic	Hours to days	All	Low/medium stability issues	PBL, DA, ODA,	AP, OP, Fluxes, ∇p , ∇T
Extra-tropical Tropical Systems	Synoptic	Hours to days	All Warm	Low	PBL; Z_0 , waves, DA	AP, Fluxes, OP, ∇p , ∇T
Sea state	Cross-scale	Hours to week+	All	Medium	A-S interaction, waves, Z_0	Wave obs, HF surface obs, Fluxes
Coastal upwelling	Cross-scale	Hours to days	Warm	High	A-S interaction	OP, AP
GS meanders	Cross-scale	Days	All	Low	A-S coupling	Sat SST
Ramp events				Ramps can occur with many mesoscale/synoptic phenomena and at defined timescales (e.g. Akish et al. 2019)		

Networks





New York State Mesonet Enhanced Site at Wantagh

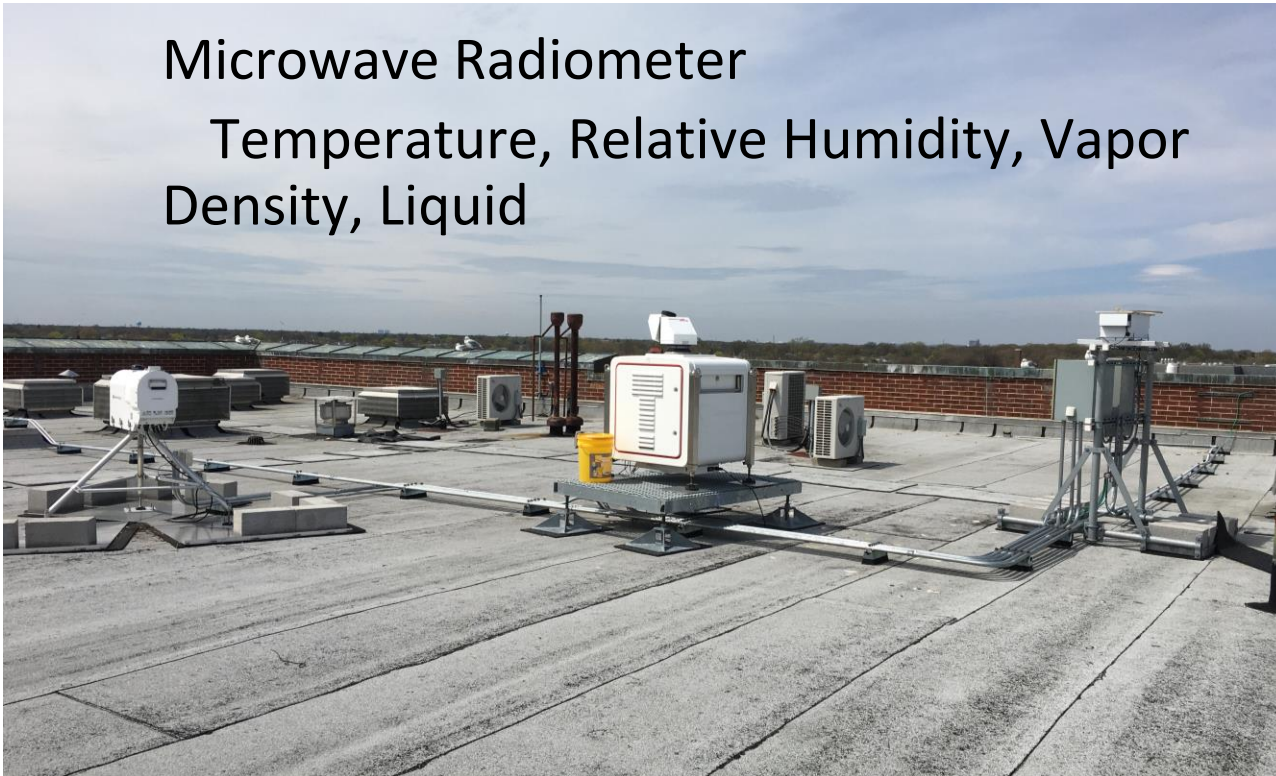
Profilers

WindCube Doppler LiDAR (~10m above surface)

Scans every 25m from 100-1,000m, then every 50m from 1000-7000m

Microwave Radiometer

Temperature, Relative Humidity, Vapor Density, Liquid



Surface Station

Air Temperature, Relative Humidity, Solar Rad., Pressure, Windspeed, Wind Direction, Soil moisture and temperature



NYSERDA-deployed Buoys—data available from <https://oswbuoysny.resourcepanorama.dnvgl.com>

Hudson North: 08/12/19 – Current
Hudson South: 09/04/19 – Current

- Current Velocity and Direction
 - *Depths 4.3m - 61m (Hudson North)*
 - *Depths 3.5m - 35m (Hudson South)*
- Wave Height, Period, and Direction (0.8m BSL)
- Water Temperature (0.8m BSL)
- Air Temperature and Pressure (2m ASL)
- Incoming Solar Radiation (2m ASL)
- LiDAR System (2m ASL)
 - Measures 20m - 200m, at 20m intervals
 - *Windspeed and Wind Direction*
 - *Windspeed minimum and maximum*
 - *Turbulence Intensity*
 - *Vertical Windspeed (w)*

Two 2 EOLOS FLS200 units



Standard Met Data

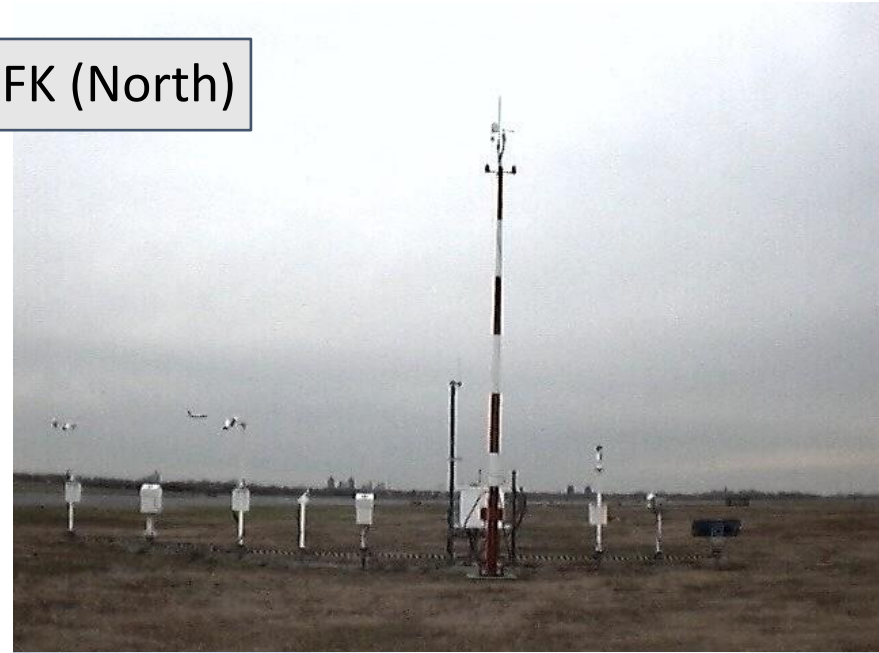
ASOS (Automated Surface Observation System)

- 1-minute temporal resolution, measures wind speed/wind gusts, wind direction, temperature, dew point, sea level pressure (SLP), cloud cover, visibility, and precipitation

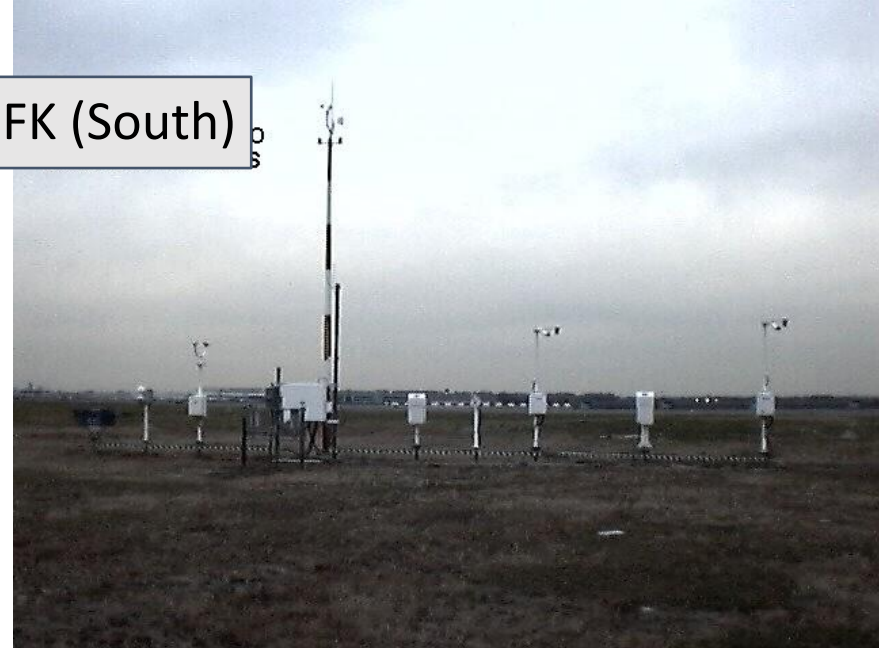
ISD Lite (Integrated Surface Station Data)—ASOS data archived at National Centers for Environmental Information

- 1-hour temporal resolution
- Measures wind speed and direction, temperature, dew point, SLP, sky condition, and precipitation

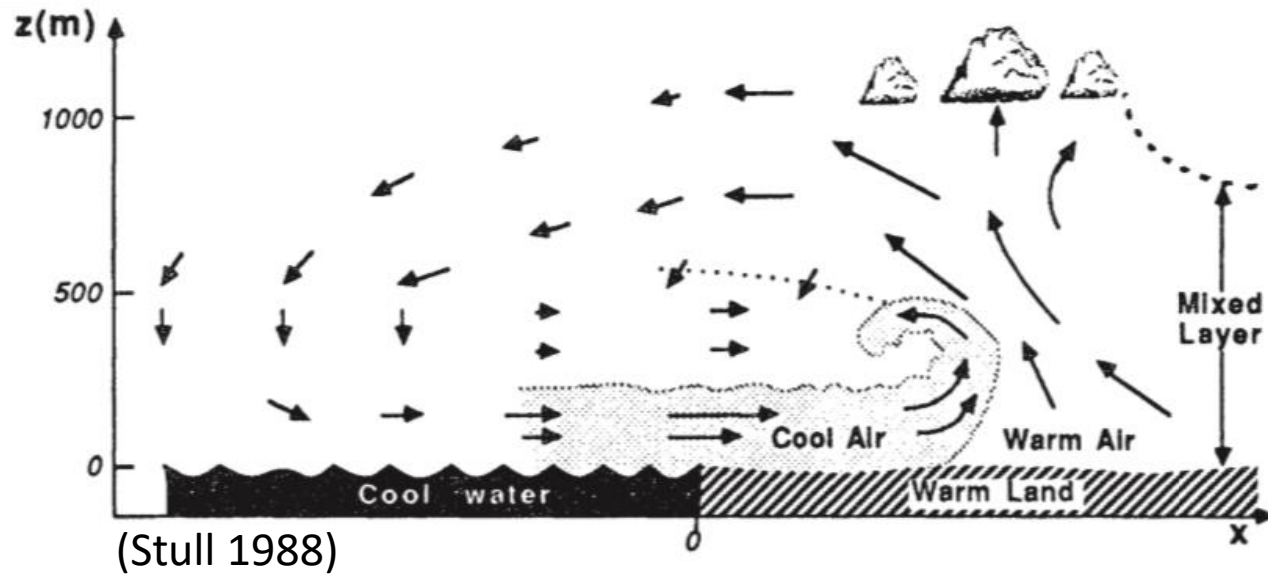
JFK (North)



JFK (South)



Sea Breeze Circulation



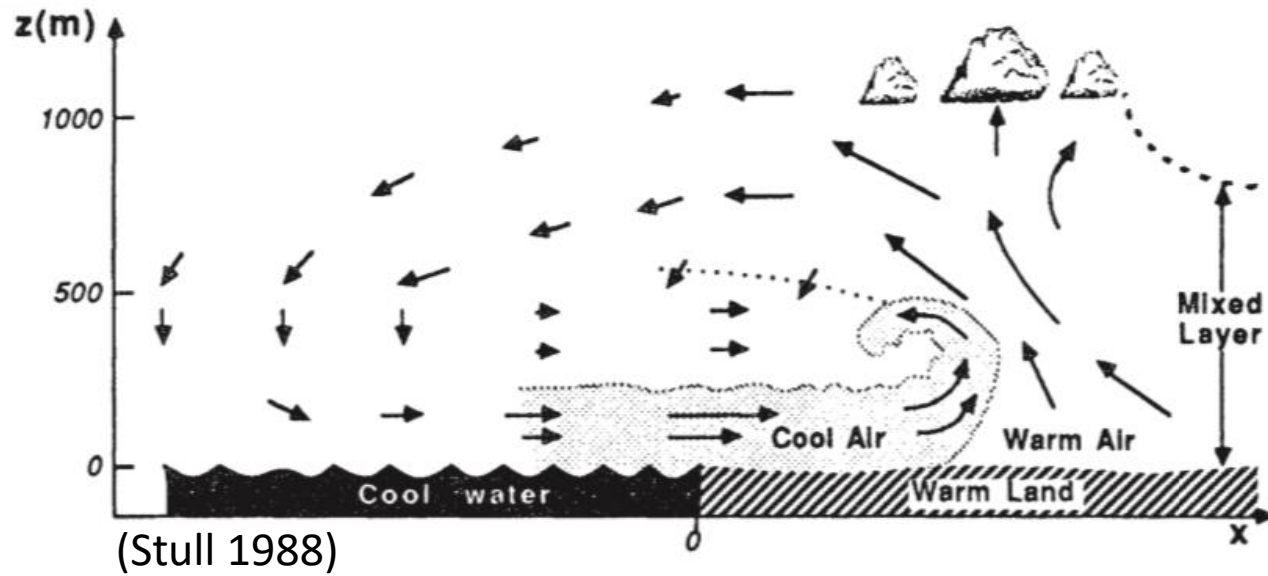
Offshore

- Colder SST
- Higher Pressure

Onshore

- Higher surface temperature
- Lower Pressure

Sea Breeze Circulation

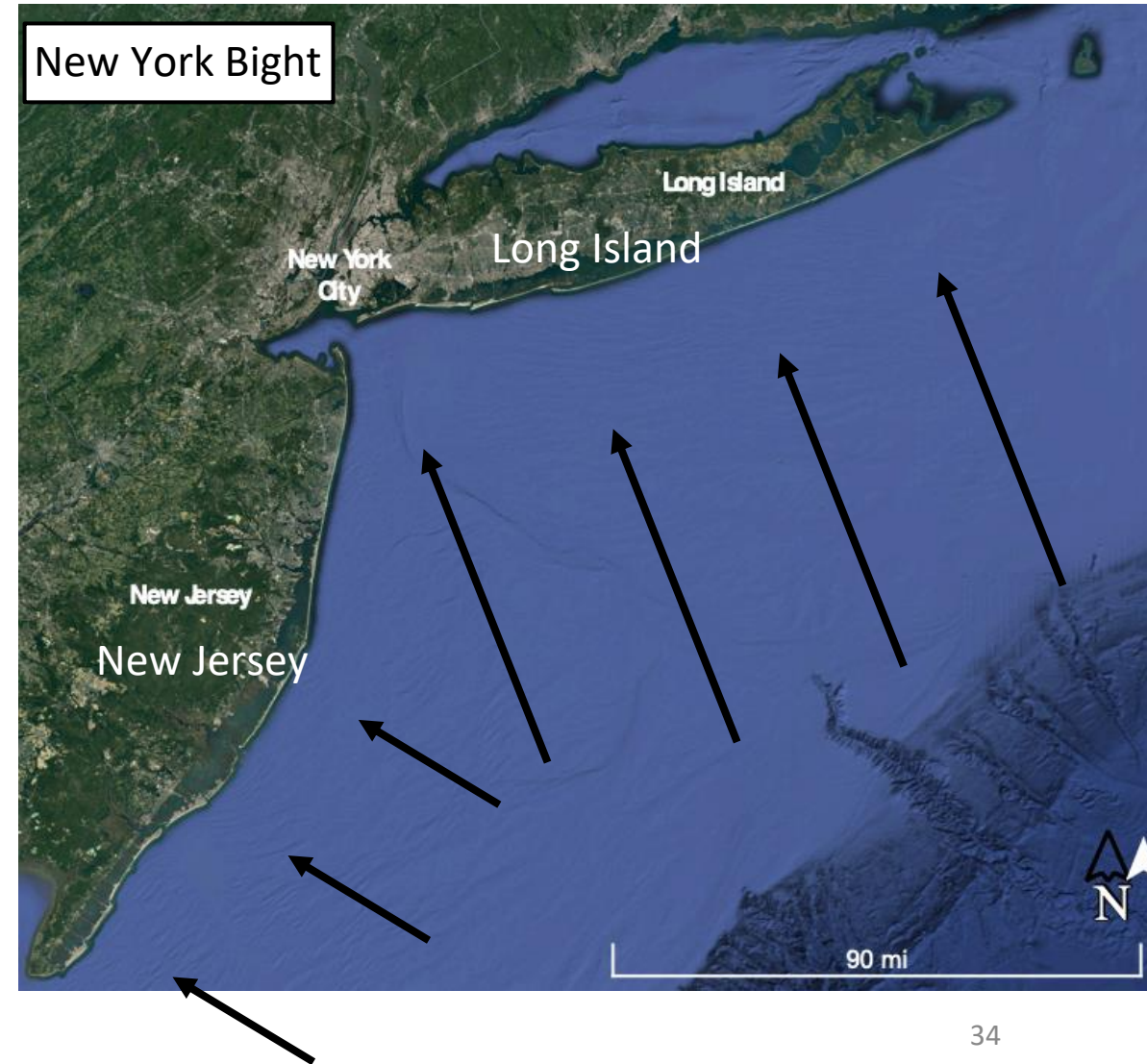


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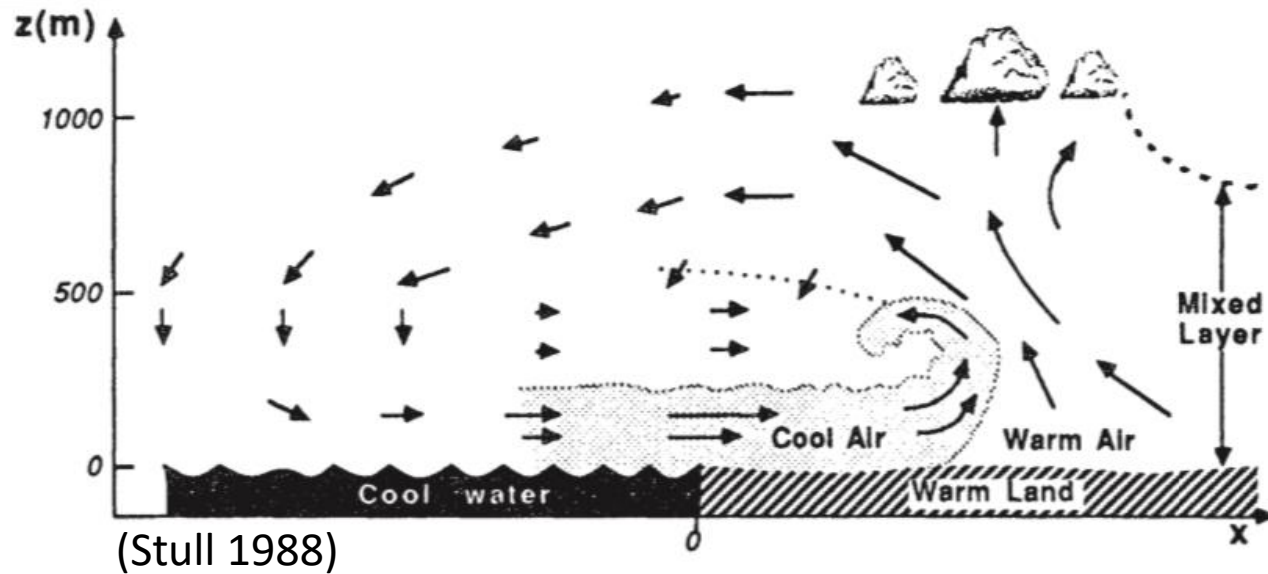
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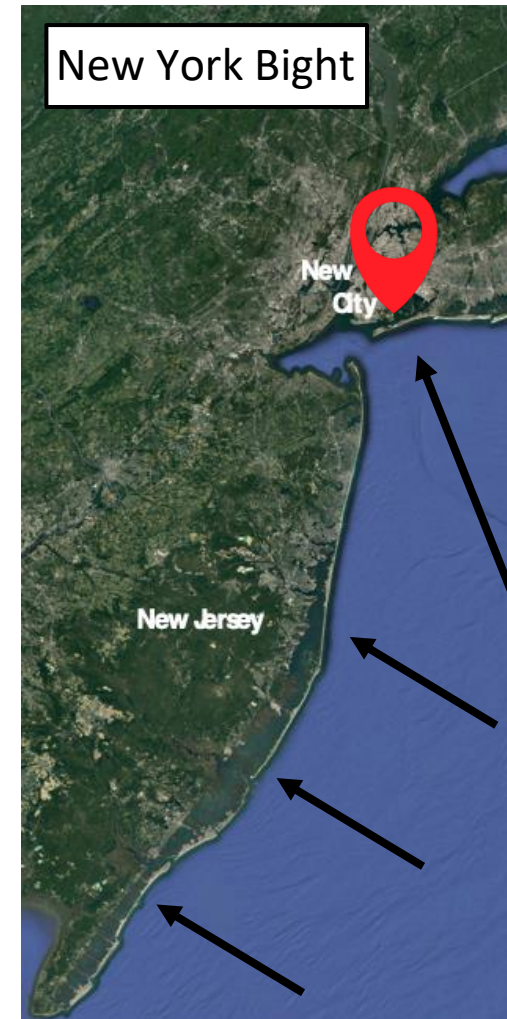
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Sea Breeze Circulation

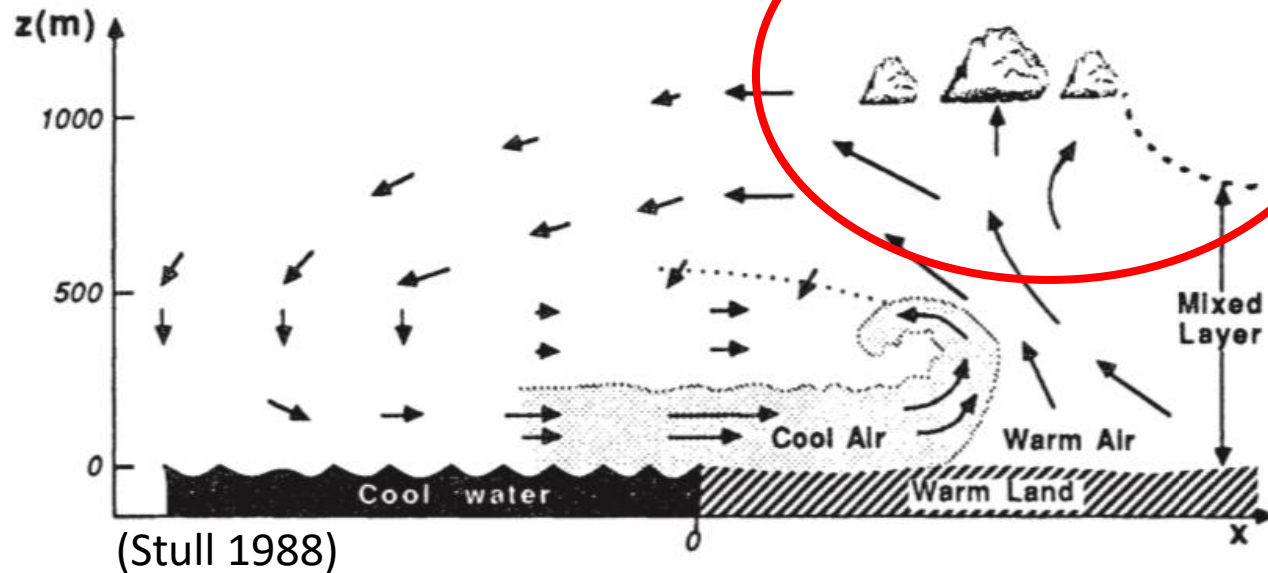


- Sea Breeze Circulation generally comes onshore at approximately 1800 UTC
- Can continue to persist until sunset (when the temperature gradient reaches zero)

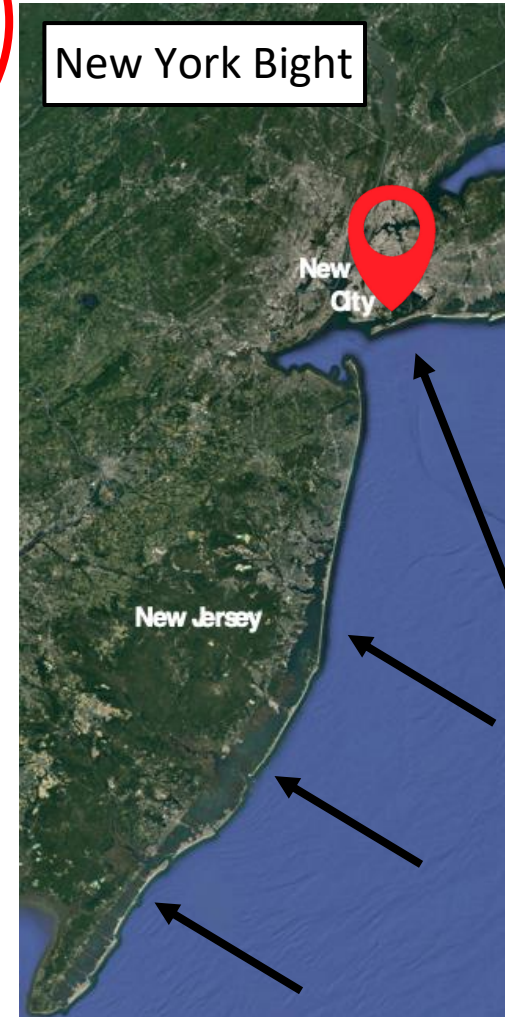


Sea Breeze Circulation

Sometimes we can identify this cloud front created by the convergence of the sea breeze circulation



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Sea Breeze Days — Classic & Hybrid

Classic

Sea Breeze Days that exhibit:

- High pressure and a minimal pressure gradient
- Typically hot (strong ΔT), sunny days
- Light prevailing winds in the morning, and a sea breeze circulation dominating in the afternoon.

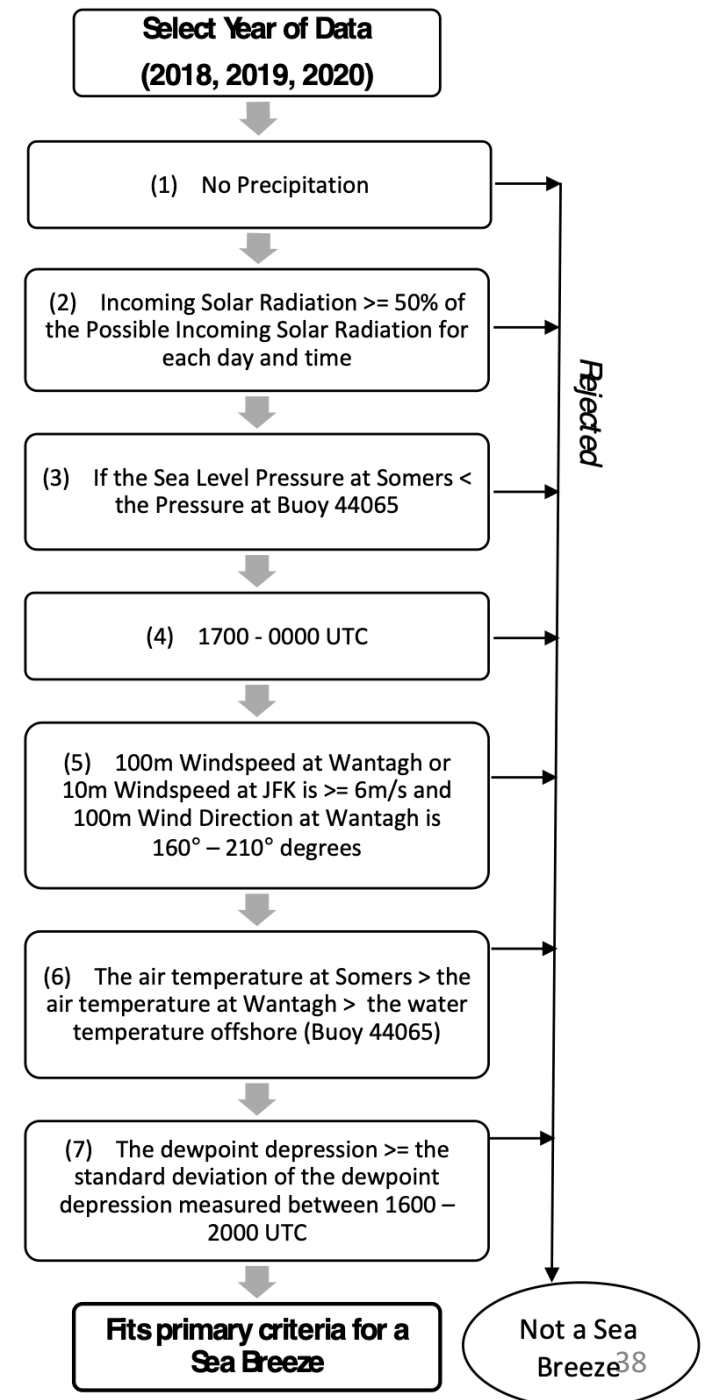
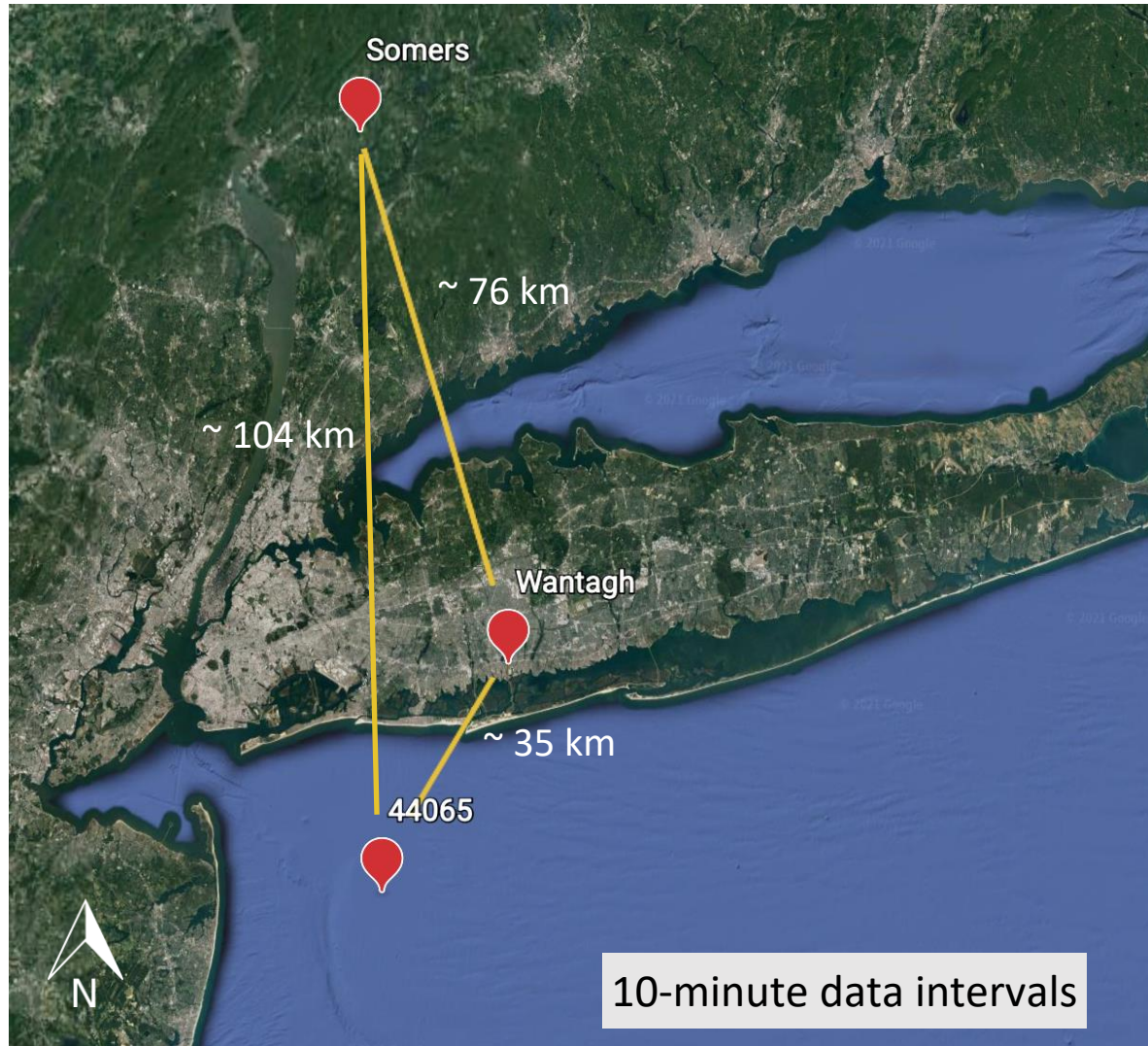
Hybrid

Sea Breeze Days that exhibit:

- Evidence of a sea breeze circulation, but in combination with other background synoptic activity.
 - *Stronger background winds*
 - *Pre-Frontal/ Pre-Trough, Thunderstorms, etc.*

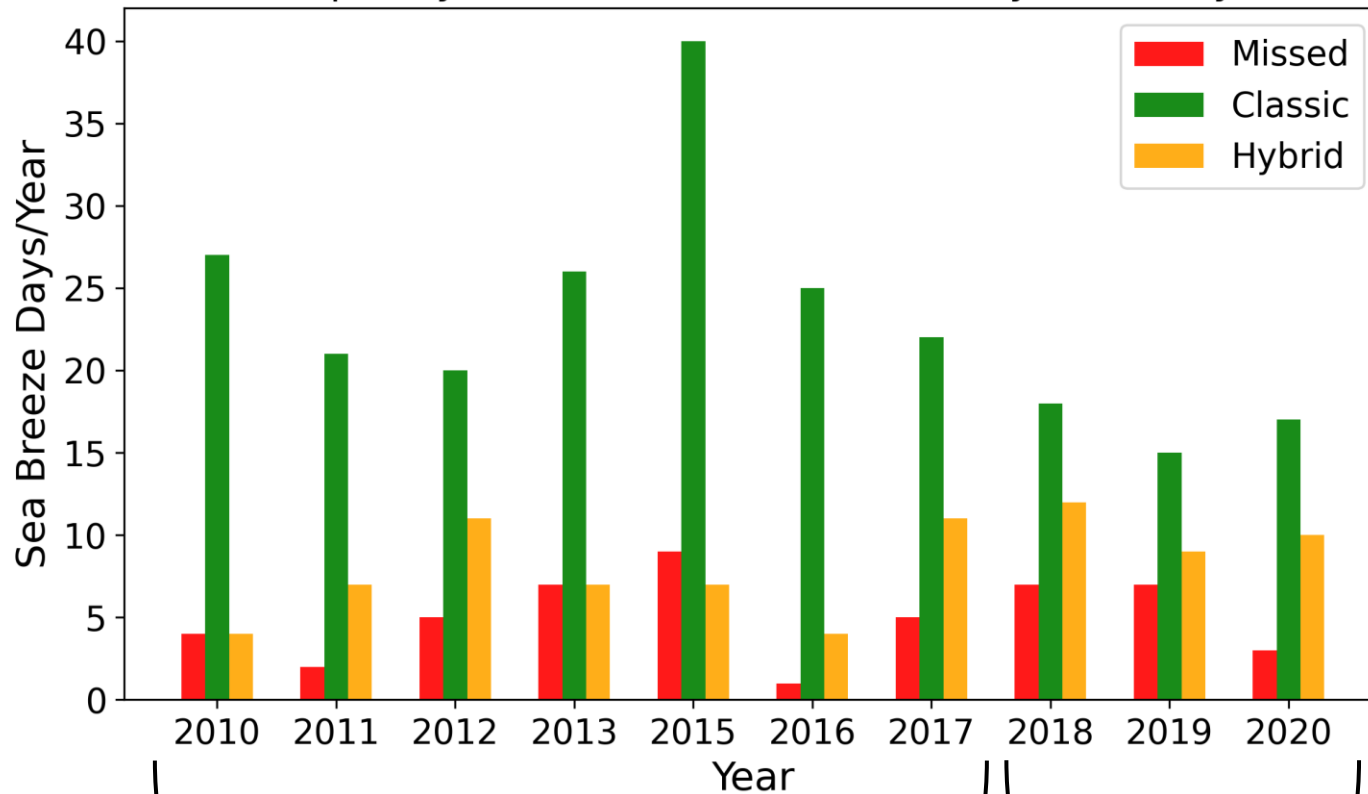
Sea Breeze Classification 2018, 2019, 2020

E. McCabe 2021



Sea Breeze Climatology

Frequency of Identified Sea Breeze Days Annually



Using **JFK** as the
Land Based Station

Using **Wantagh** as the
Land Based Station

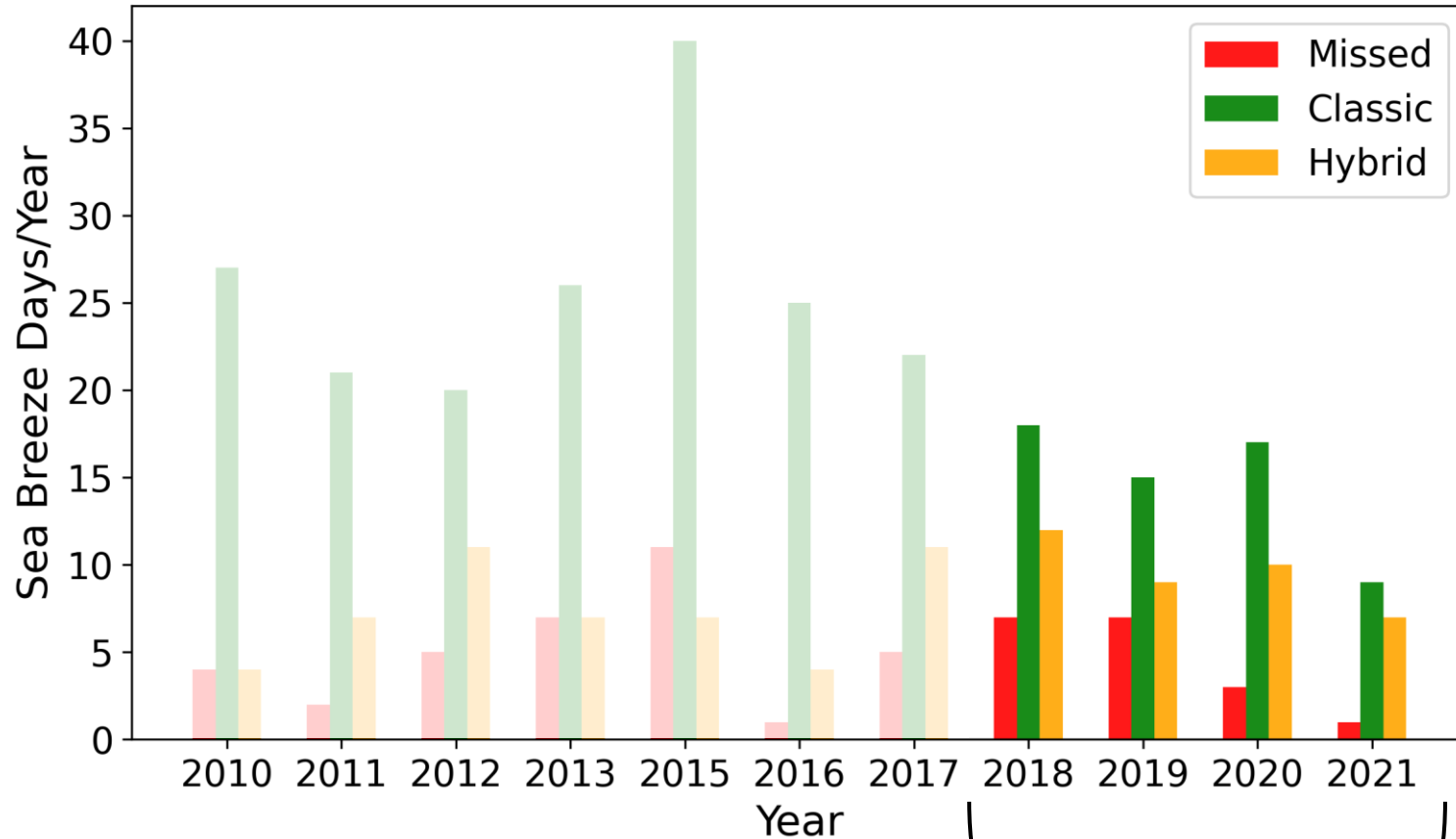
Average of **31.3** Sea Breeze
Days Annually

Total Sea Breeze Days Identified: 365 Days

- Classic = 63.3 %
- Hybrid = 22.5 %
- Missed = 14.2 %

Sea Breeze Climatology

Frequency of Identified Sea Breeze Days Annually



Classification expanded to include 2021:

* But no data available at Wantagh until

June 19, 2021

Using **Wantagh** as the Land Based Station

New York Bight Low-Level Jet

Associated with the sea breeze circulation

Wind speed maximum between 150 m and 300 m ASL, with max speed between 2100 and 2300 UTC

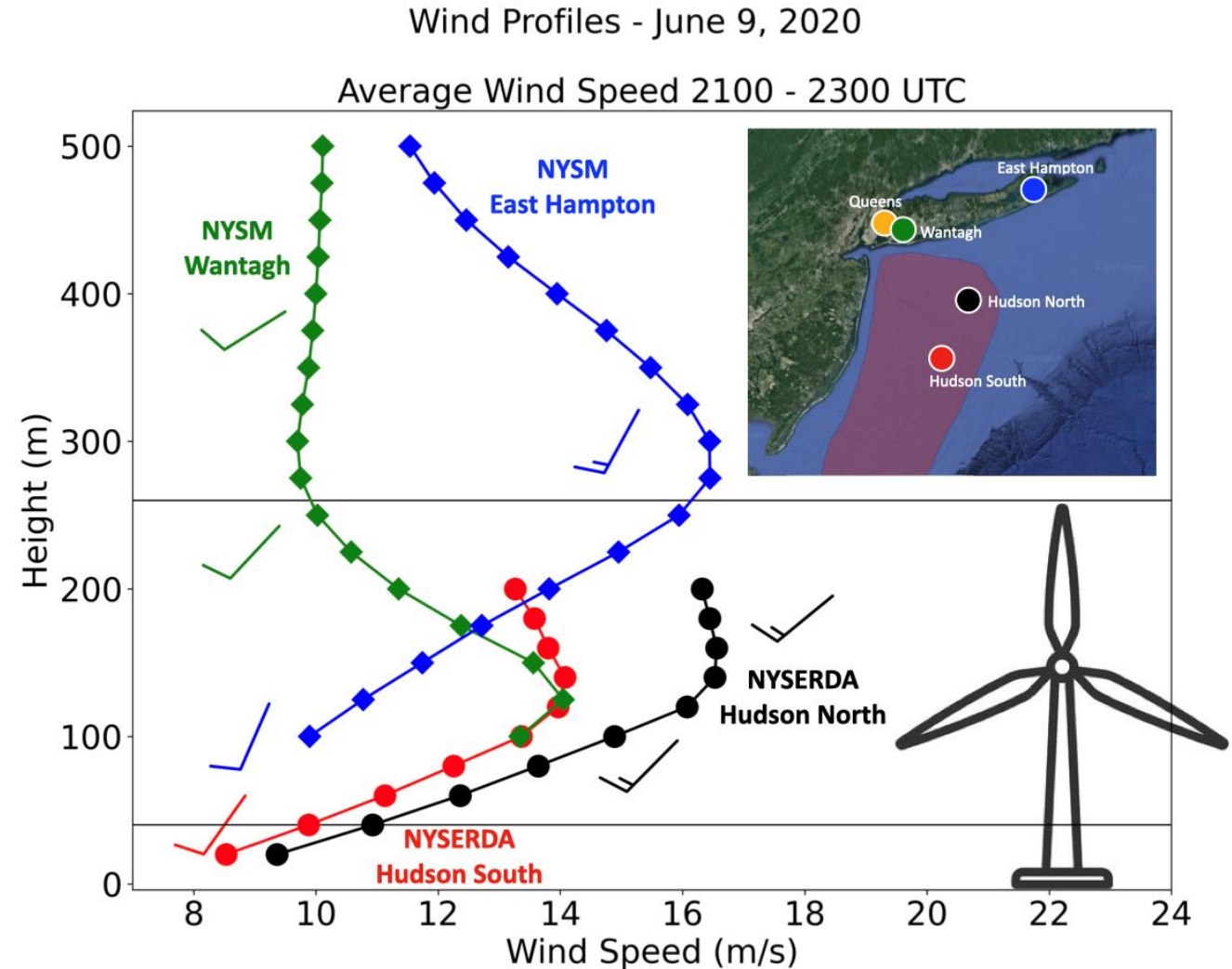
(Colle and Novak 2010)

LLJs are well documented along West Coast

300 m – 700 m ASL

~ 15 to 30 m s⁻¹

(Beardsley et al. 1987; Burk and Thompson 1996; Parish 2020)



Low Level Jet Classification – Wantagh

The wind shear using **Wind Profile Power Law Relationship**

$$\alpha = \frac{\ln(U/U_r)}{\ln(z/z_r)}$$

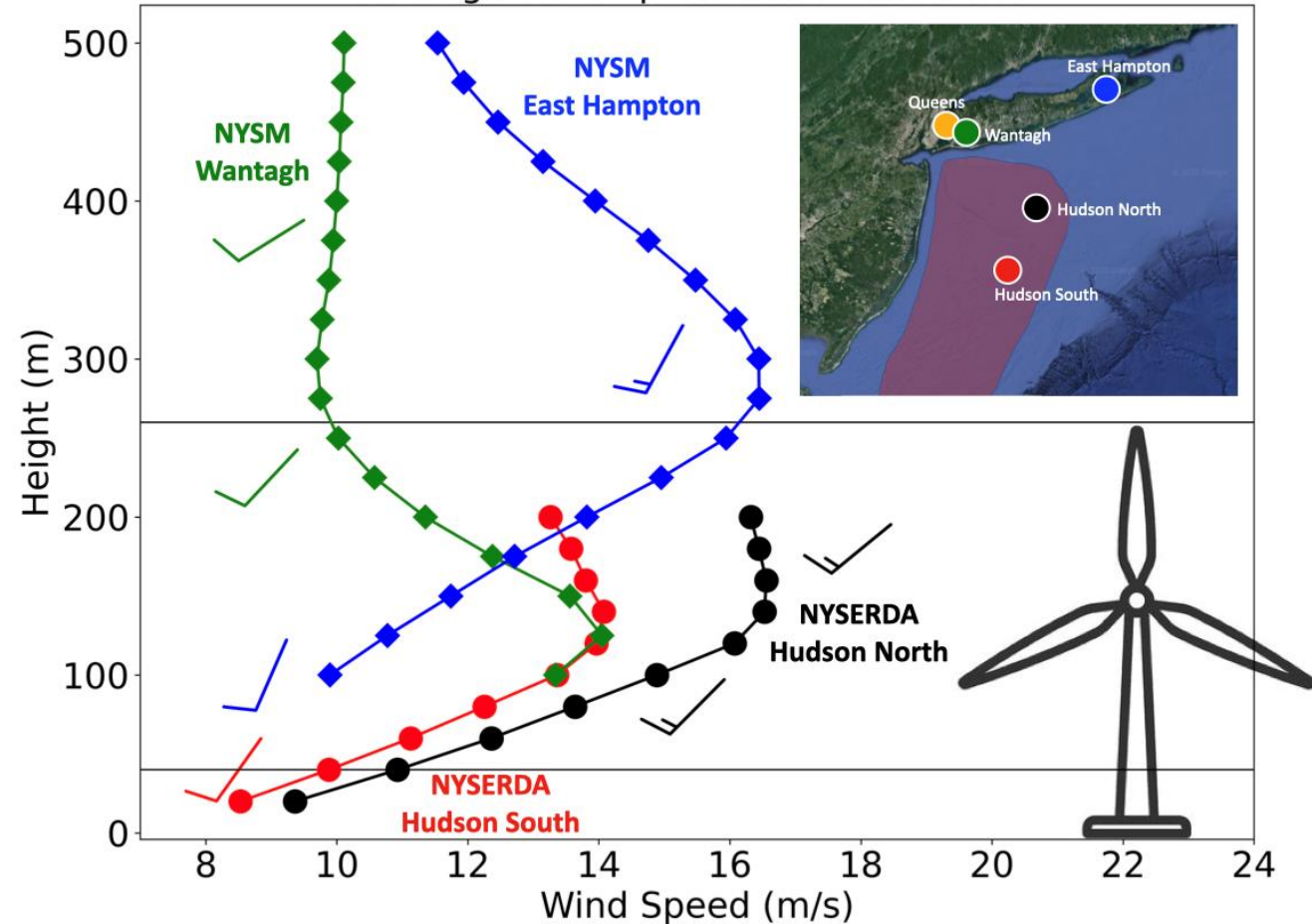
Where α is the wind shear, \bar{U} is the windspeed and z is the height; with \bar{U}_r as windspeed at reference height z_r (St. Pé et al. 2017)

Between 2100 and 2300 UTC:

- Wind shear Exponent (α):
 - 100m to 150m is ≥ 0.2 (windspeed is increasing)
 - 250m to 500m is ≤ -0.2 (windspeed is decreasing)
- Jet windspeed maximum must be at least $\geq 7 \text{ ms}^{-1}$
- Windspeed at 200m is $>$ Windspeed at 400m
- Windspeed at 150m is $>$ Windspeed at 100m

Wind Profiles - June 9, 2020

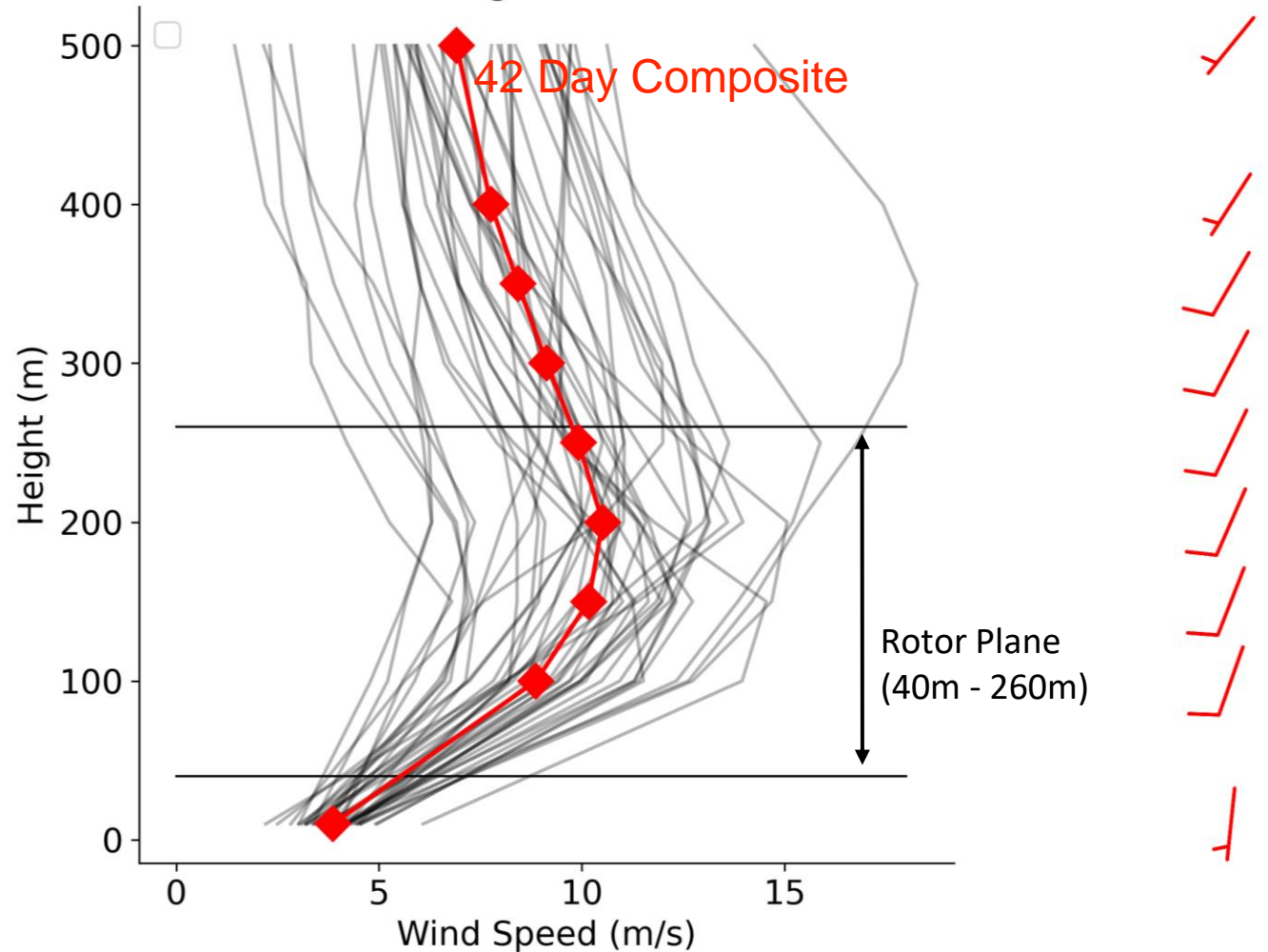
Average Wind Speed 2100 - 2300 UTC



Low Level Jet Classification – Wantagh (2018, 2019, & 2020)

LLJ Composites: 2018, 2019, 2020:

Wantagh - 2100 UTC



Total Low Level Jets Identified: 54 Events

42 Correctly Identified

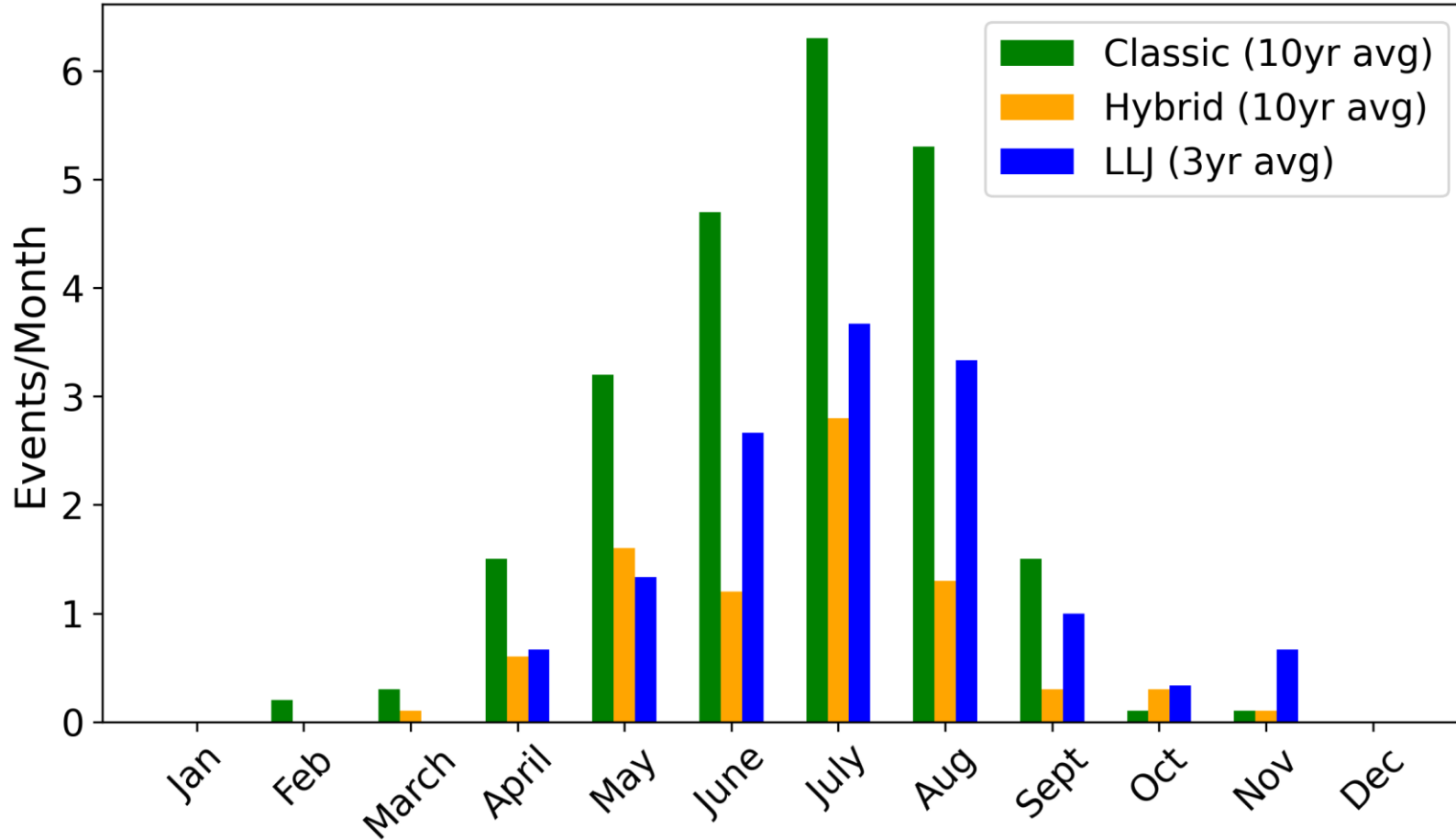
3 Missed

9 LLJs occurring on non/missed sea breeze days

Mean jet maximum of 10.5 m s^{-1} ranging from $7 - 15 \text{ m s}^{-1}$

Sea Breeze and LLJ Climatology

Frequency of Sea Breeze Days by Month



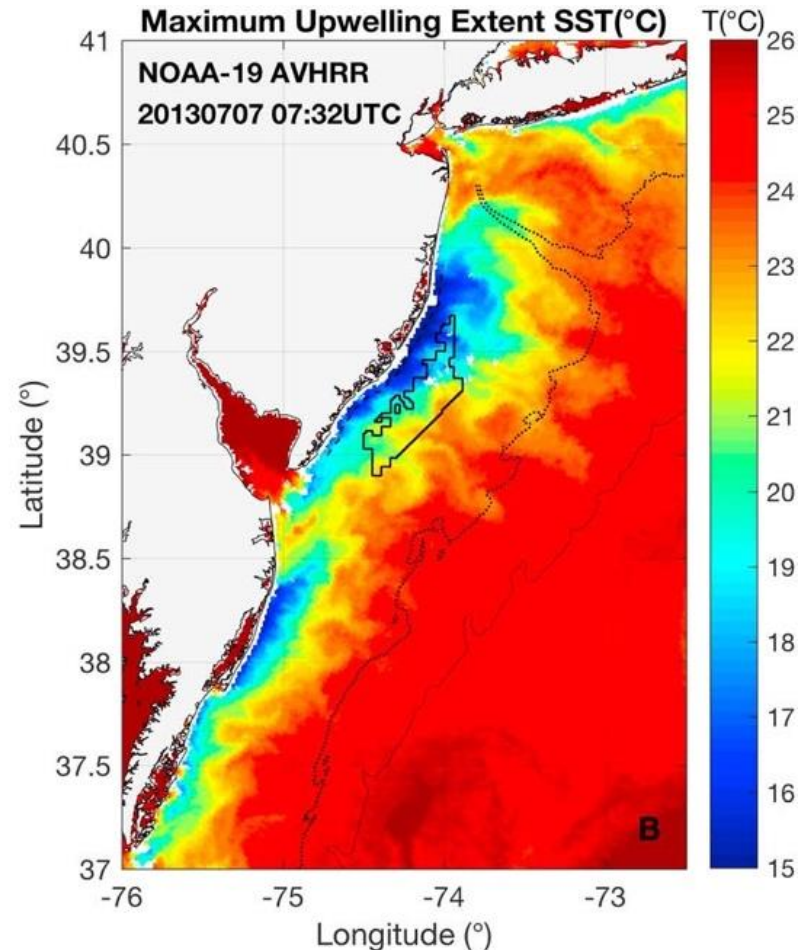
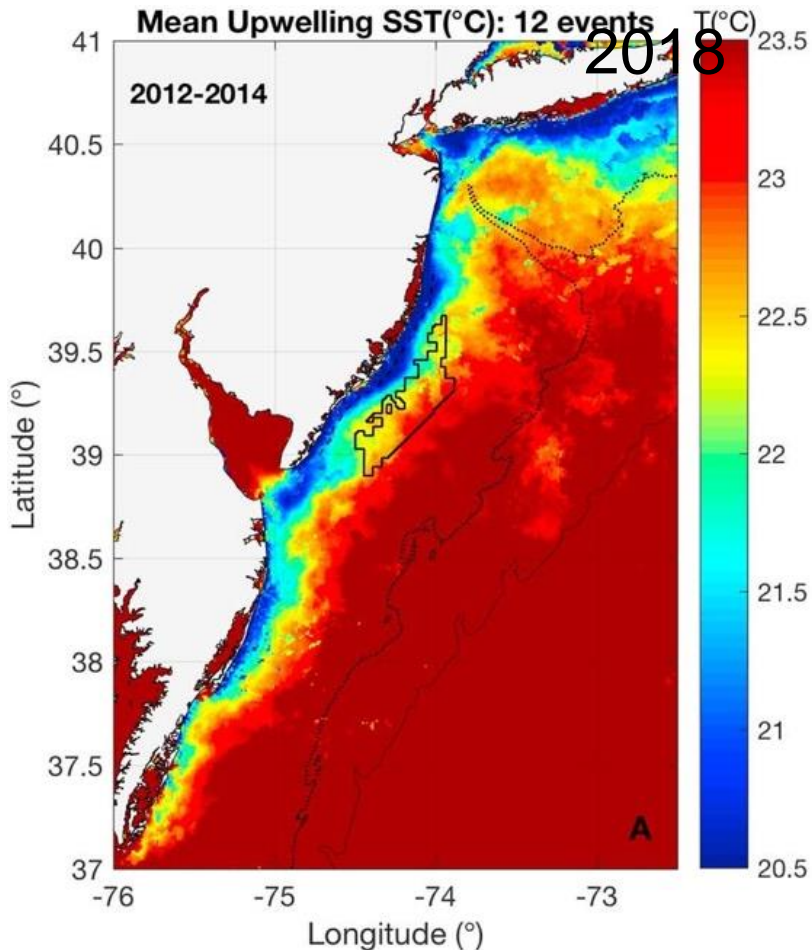
Classic Sea Breezes,
Hybrid Sea Breezes, and
LLJs maximize in
**May, June, July, and
August**

Sea breeze and LLJ peak
frequency peaks in July

**A Warm Season
Phenomena!**

Cold Water Coastal Upwelling Sea Breeze Sensitivity to Land-SST Difference

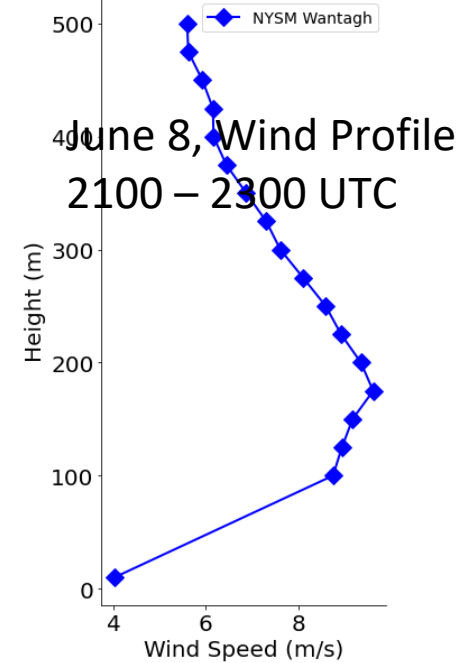
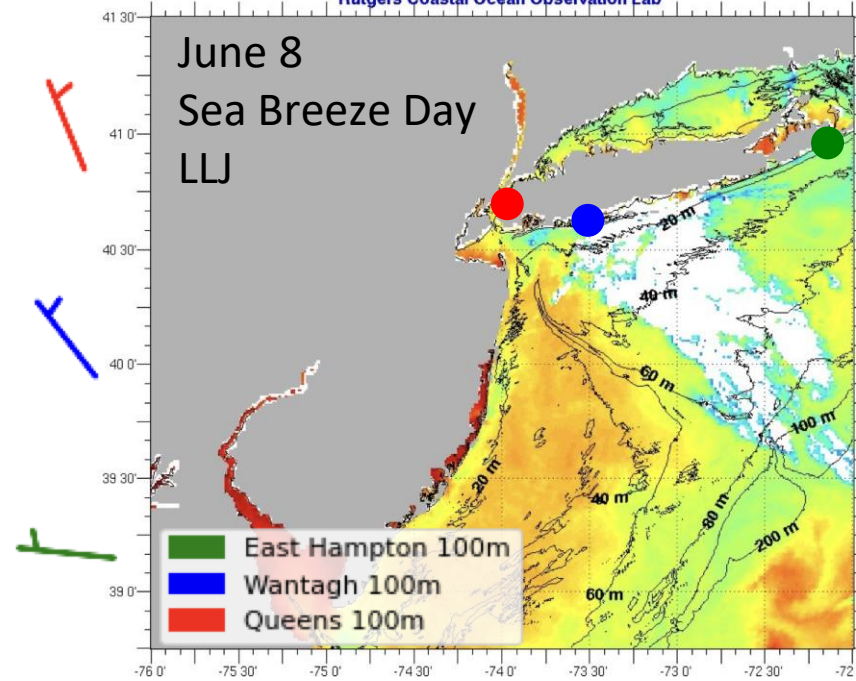
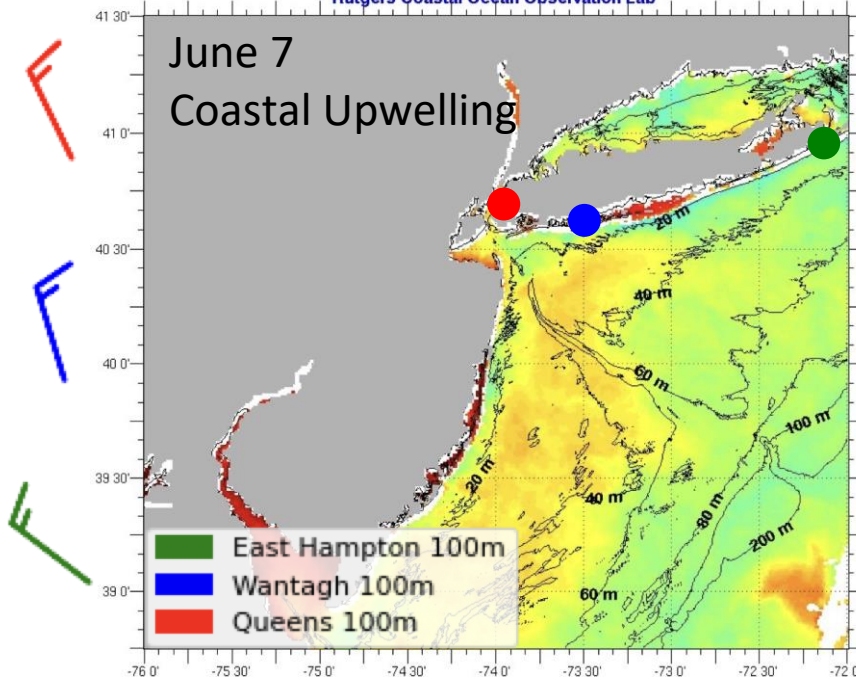
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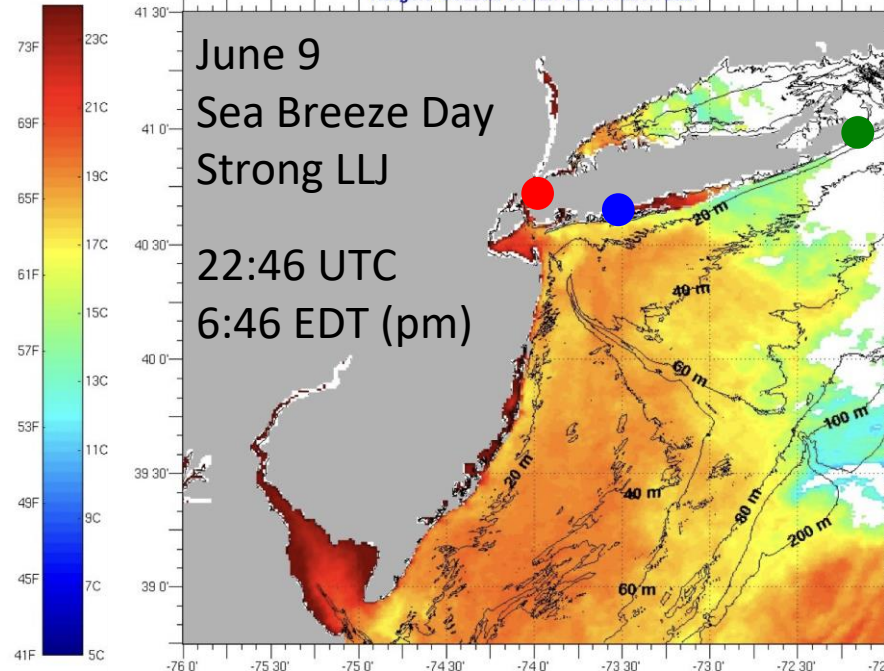
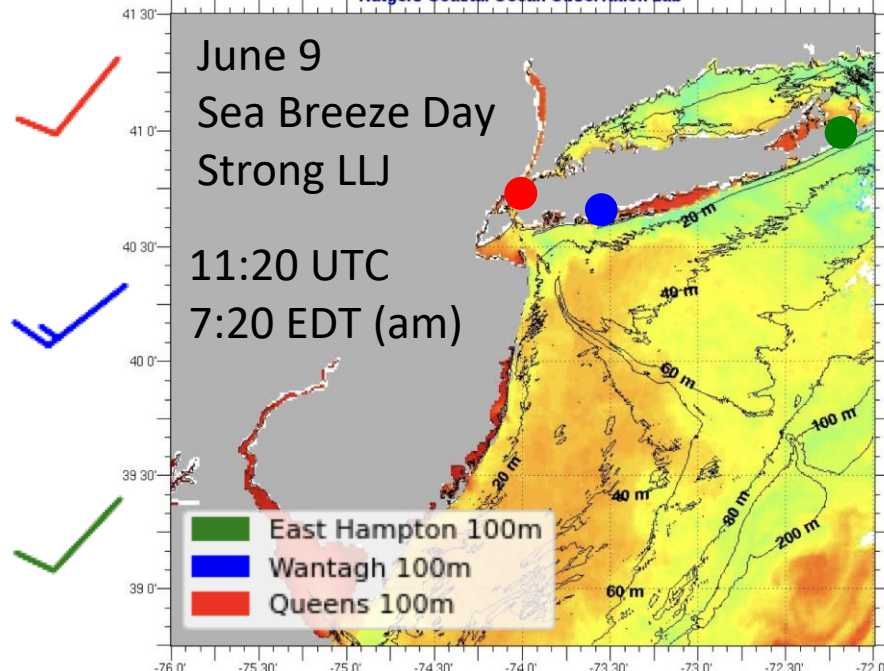
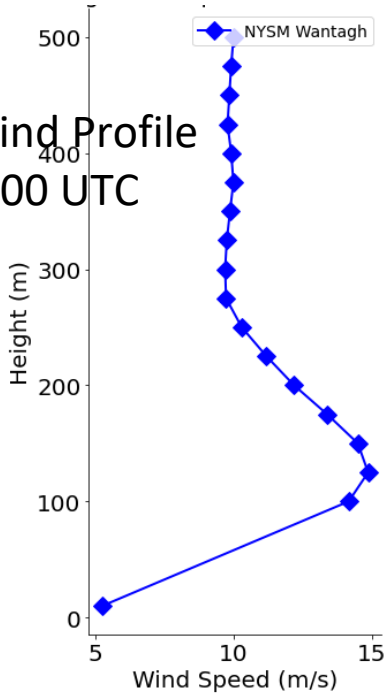
Warm season waters in NYB are 2-layer stratified

Cold water upwelling occurs along the coastlines of New Jersey and Long Island

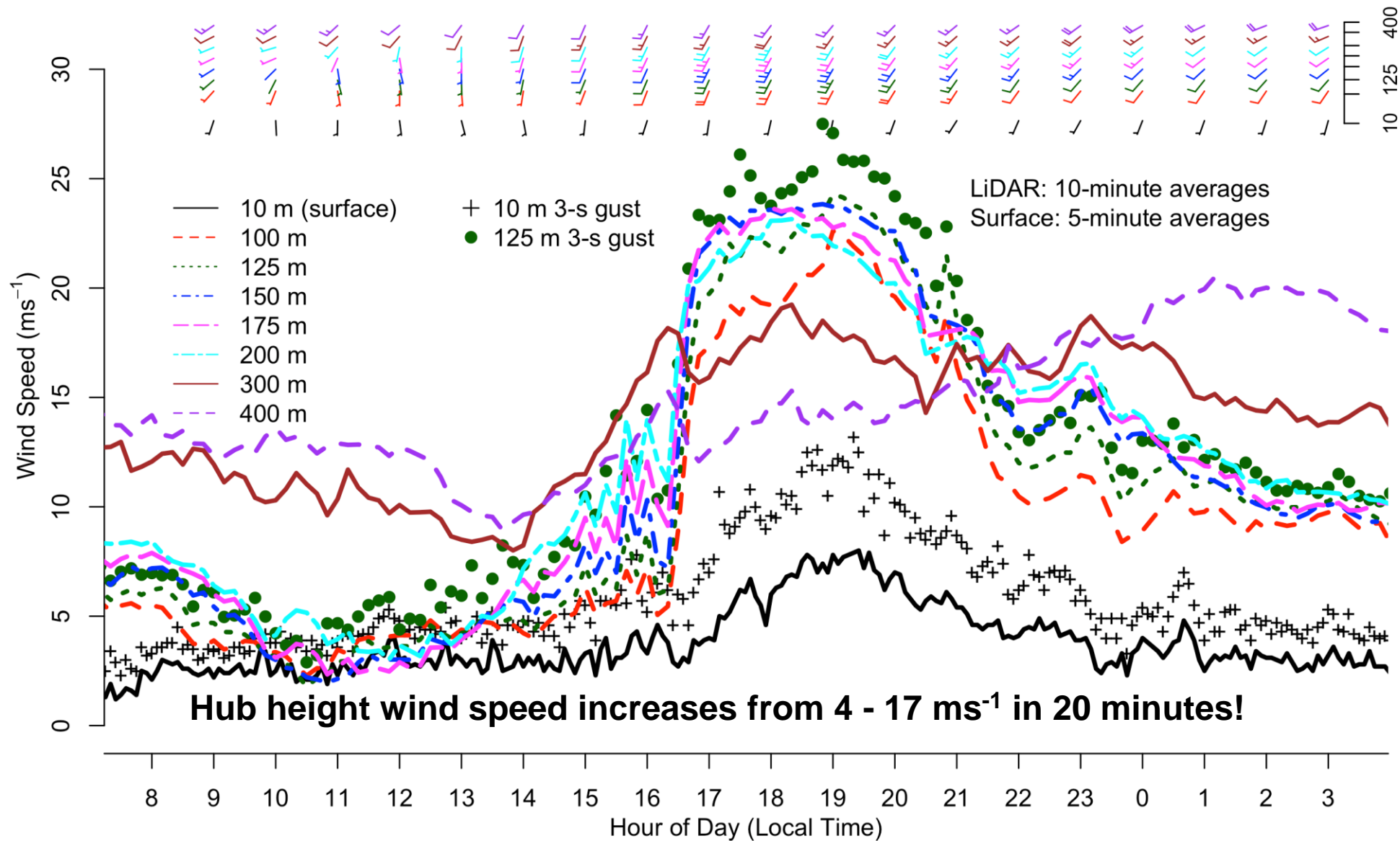
Results in a sharper & shallower sea breeze circulation

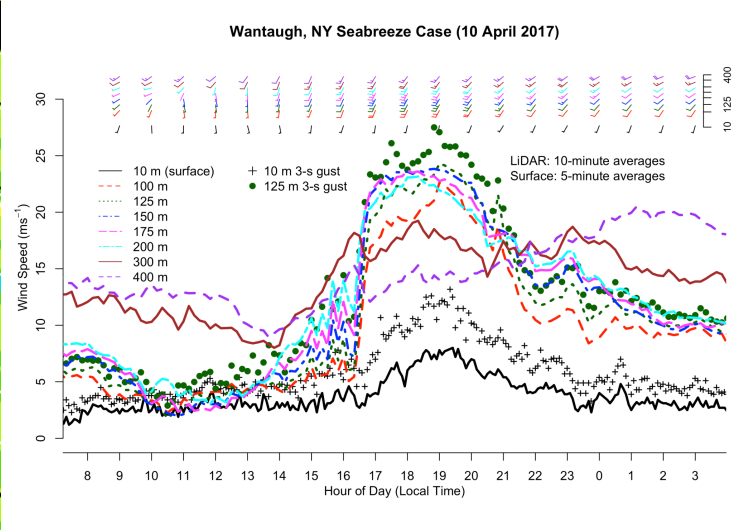
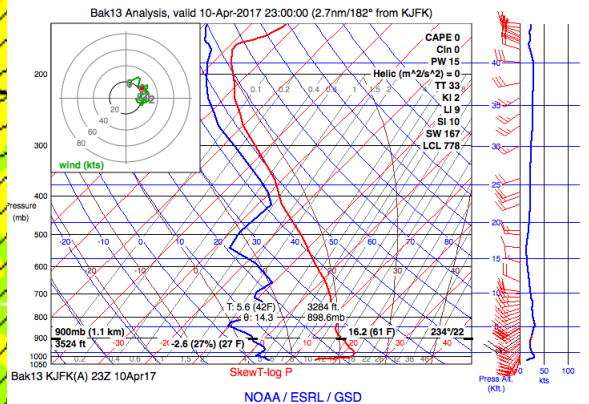
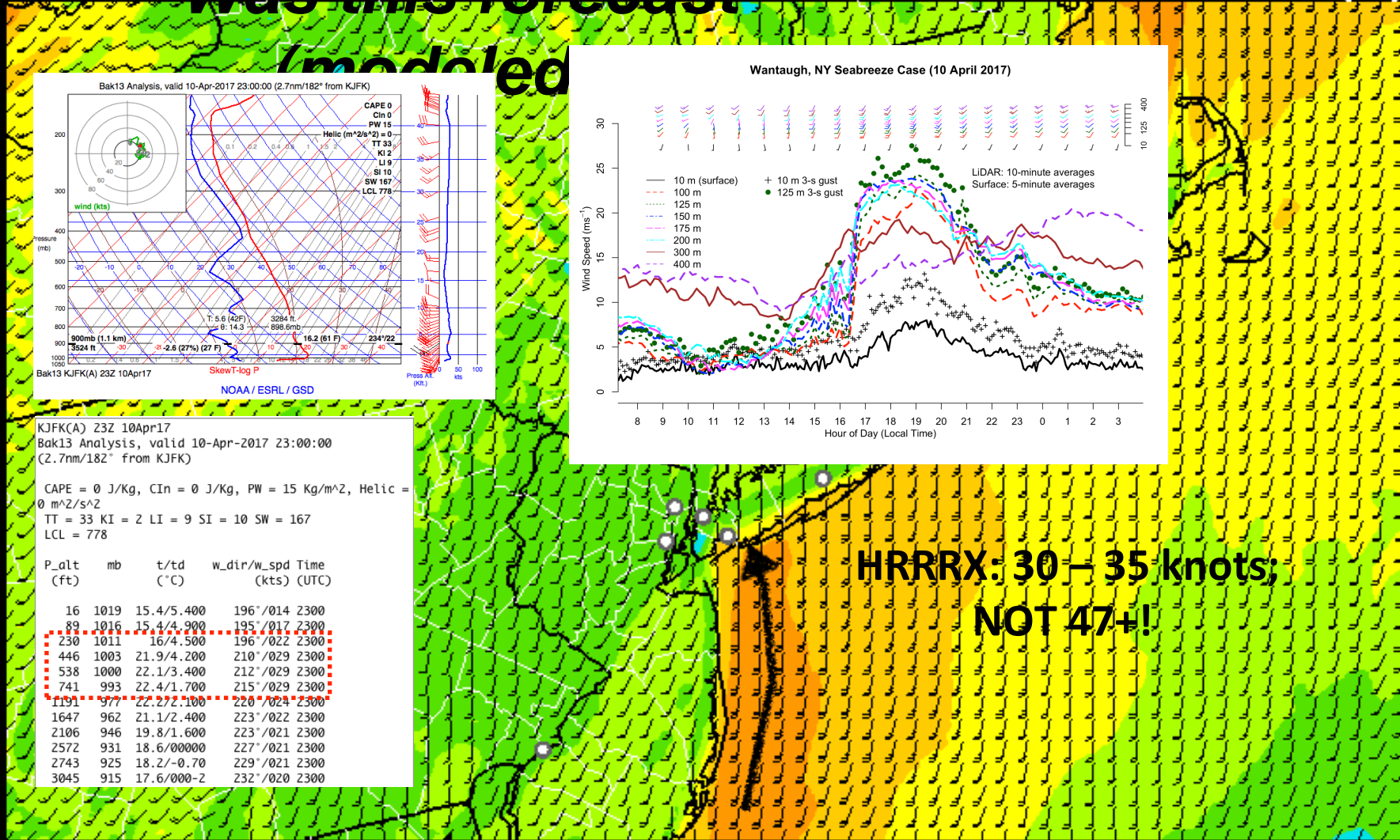


**June 9, Wind Profile
2100 – 2300 UTC**



Wantagh, NY Seabreeze (10 April 2017)





KJFK(A) 23Z 10Apr17
Bak13 Analysis, valid 10-Apr-2017 23:00:00
(2.7nm/182° from KJFK)

CAPE = 0 J/Kg, CIn = 0 J/Kg, PW = 15 Kg/m^2, Helic = 0 m^2/s^2
TT = 33 KI = 2 LI = 9 SI = 10 SW = 167
LCL = 778

P_alt (ft)	mb	t/td (°C)	w_dir/w_spd (kts)	Time (UTC)
16	1019	15.4/5.400	196°/014	2300
89	1016	15.4/4.900	195°/017	2300
230	1011	16.4/5.500	196°/022	2300
446	1003	21.9/4.200	210°/029	2300
538	1000	22.1/3.400	212°/029	2300
741	993	22.4/1.700	215°/029	2300
1191	977	22.2/2.100	220°/024	2300
1647	962	21.1/2.400	223°/022	2300
2106	946	19.8/1.600	223°/021	2300
2572	931	18.6/00000	227°/021	2300
2743	925	18.2/-0.70	229°/021	2300
3045	915	17.6/000-2	232°/020	2300

**HRRRX: 30 – 35 knots;
NOT 47+!**



Putting it all together....

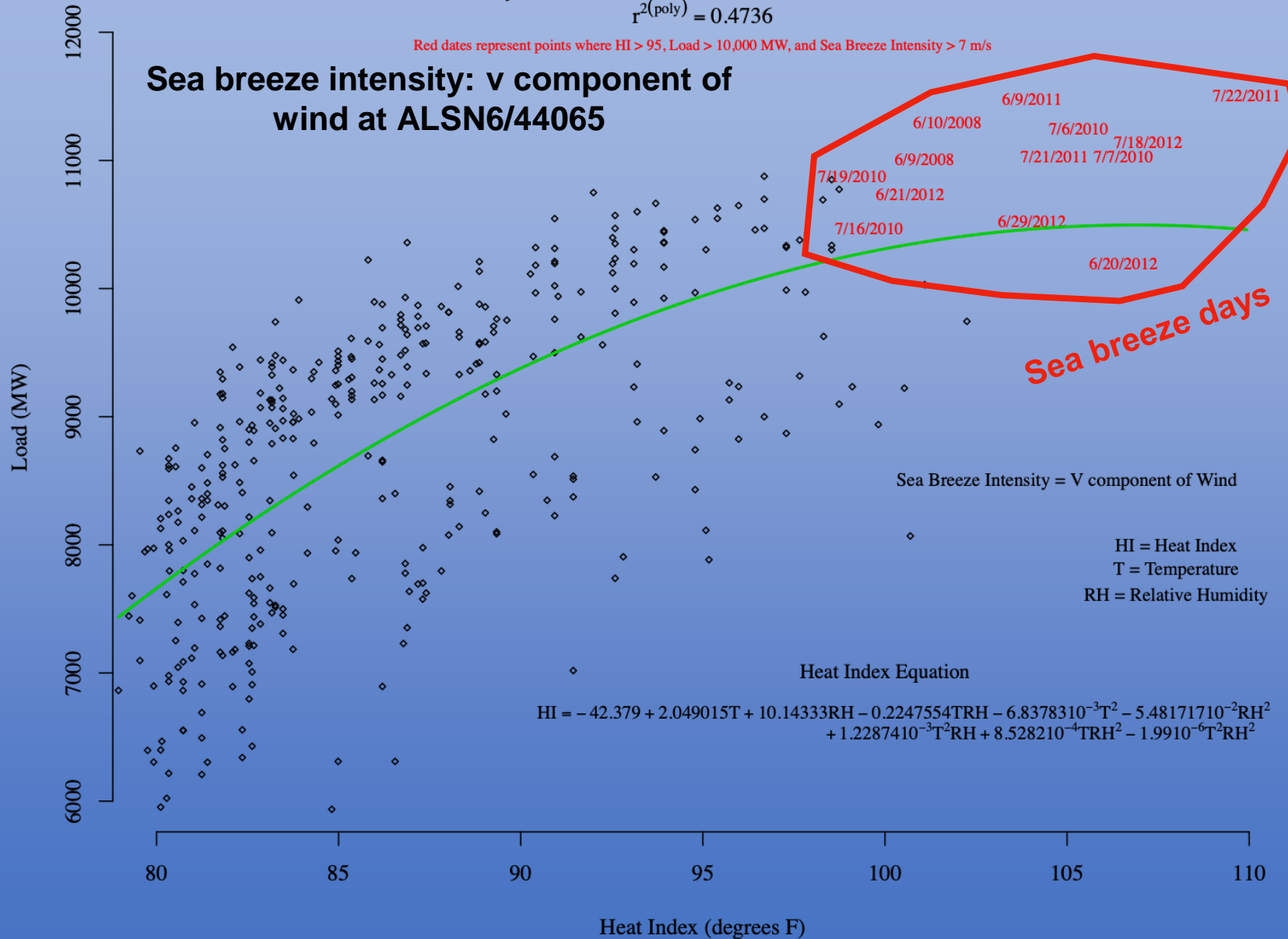
Heat Index versus Peak Load, NYC (2008 – 2012)

Polynomial Fit: Max Heat Index Versus Max Load

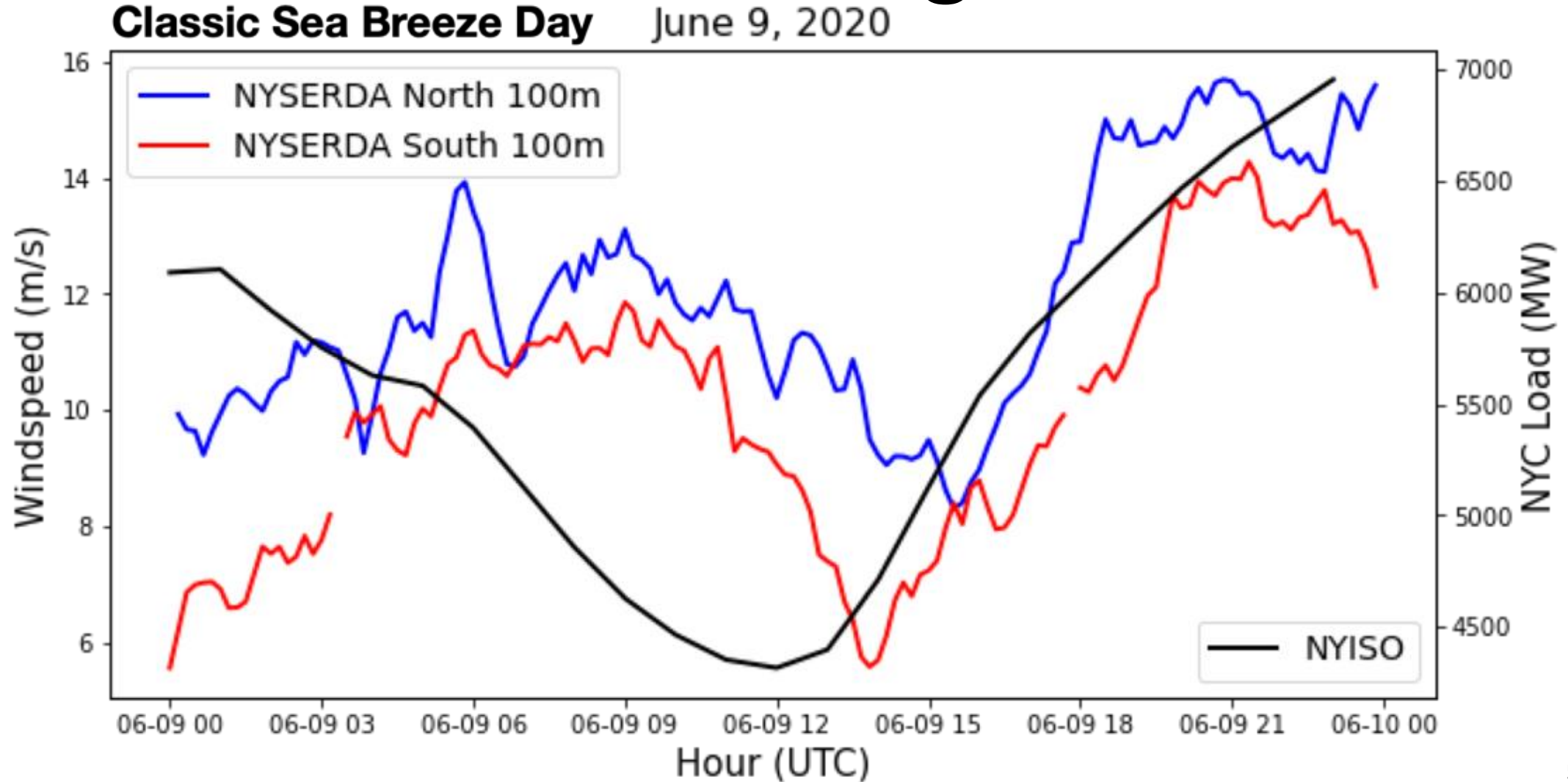
$$r^{2(\text{poly})} = 0.4736$$

Red dates represent points where HI > 95, Load > 10,000 MW, and Sea Breeze Intensity > 7 m/s

Sea breeze intensity: v component of wind at ALSN6/44065



The Sea Breeze Circulation and Load Matching



Mean Load:
6,021.50 MW

Load (MW)
< 4000
4000 - 5000
5000 - 6000
6000 - 7000
7000 - 8000
8000 - 9000
> 9000

NYISO Actual Load - NEW YORK CITY (NYC) 2016 - 2019 (MW)												
Hour (UTC)	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1	6489.43	6317.28	6059.84	5686.83	5876.18	6808.55	8035.24	7932.01	6961.46	5925.77	5928.69	6277.19
2	6316.45	6147.15	5880.60	5507.29	5720.65	6699.90	7941.98	7769.76	6737.36	5704.72	5752.99	6117.37
3	6101.54	5936.54	5616.05	5218.06	5422.71	6411.06	7661.95	7459.79	6410.83	5397.88	5532.89	5924.24
4	5795.37	5634.15	5272.24	4857.69	5047.37	6013.08	7261.75	7051.97	6012.06	5030.23	5228.49	5634.41
5	5432.68	5276.76	4932.57	4532.37	4696.45	5617.22	6849.01	6648.00	5634.62	4692.58	4886.46	5281.81
6	5111.93	4957.96	4674.76	4312.07	4453.96	5321.27	6529.30	6341.20	5357.81	4458.50	4591.21	4958.72
7	4899.43	4746.21	4511.13	4175.68	4297.44	5118.67	6299.19	6121.24	5167.62	4308.23	4395.81	4739.37
8	4762.39	4614.04	4426.01	4110.22	4218.45	5002.45	6155.30	5990.17	5059.48	4229.48	4276.80	4601.01
9	4701.61	4554.02	4420.40	4121.99	4213.96	4975.43	6107.03	5958.75	5043.05	4232.50	4228.71	4534.72
10	4724.17	4578.50	4558.88	4303.08	4362.75	5100.56	6212.45	6114.76	5209.31	4414.55	4272.97	4553.39
11	4918.58	4778.17	4906.62	4683.64	4753.16	5506.29	6559.94	6464.55	5606.11	4853.79	4503.33	4738.59
12	5325.32	5180.85	5325.08	5111.35	5230.28	6021.87	7060.35	6929.78	6022.50	5286.89	4914.48	5124.47
13	5741.18	5591.15	5667.44	5441.05	5599.43	6458.81	7510.66	7360.44	6401.40	5613.22	5305.80	5517.40
14	6030.54	5896.01	5904.54	5654.93	5856.04	6788.20	7874.25	7707.88	6699.79	5843.80	5592.81	5809.56
15	6237.60	6102.58	6036.30	5762.97	6010.58	7007.56	8148.85	7968.73	6904.65	5974.30	5776.97	6014.91
16	6346.88	6205.94	6092.19	5815.38	6113.31	7159.46	8348.59	8162.95	7061.36	6058.46	5869.01	6122.88
17	6398.98	6249.98	6104.03	5830.38	6170.96	7254.39	8478.54	8295.30	7173.12	6107.47	5915.11	6174.01
18	6407.33	6255.30	6090.87	5825.10	6204.93	7318.77	8576.45	8389.42	7253.73	6137.30	5925.70	6185.02
19	6395.50	6239.21	6059.14	5802.06	6217.02	7362.71	8644.52	8454.58	7298.96	6143.72	5920.87	6179.63
20	6376.73	6213.92	6041.40	5804.17	6250.28	7420.28	8683.52	8509.68	7351.92	6168.45	5916.20	6169.72
21	6408.39	6223.52	6051.34	5821.28	6281.50	7458.57	8705.69	8542.49	7385.01	6196.05	5952.13	6212.28
22	6521.95	6282.65	6071.14	5813.40	6252.29	7410.53	8643.65	8473.24	7331.20	6201.90	6070.17	6366.00
23	6697.84	6405.21	6059.39	5707.66	6083.25	7185.07	8405.18	8209.15	7122.18	6165.15	6192.83	6512.69
24	6632.90	6413.22	6117.77	5697.62	5966.45	6985.38	8186.83	8008.37	7047.78	6102.55	6080.09	6410.92

**NYSERDA Hudson North
Predicted 100m Capacity Factors (%)**

Hour (UTC)	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
1	79.63	74.86	65.34	53.18	46.45	37.22	39.65	41.05	46.14	67.67	75.67	90.23
2	83.64	77.37	66.41	52.34	45.83	35.39	38.67	40.32	47.46	68.53	76.96	89.86
3	82.41	77.39	67.77	52.37	44.51	37.11	37.65	39.03	47.81	68.55	76.80	87.38
4	85.00	81.20	69.68	51.13	44.15	37.22	36.18	37.64	48.33	67.56	75.00	88.25
5	85.58	81.93	71.01	50.71	43.83	37.00	34.92	35.60	48.33	66.88	76.53	89.48
6	85.84	80.47	71.25	50.84	43.33	35.97	34.27	36.10	47.89	67.31	74.06	90.10
7	85.73	79.21	71.06	49.59	41.00	34.71	31.28	35.11	47.20	66.62	74.18	89.00
8	86.21	79.19	69.55	50.28	41.33	34.06	29.47	34.65	48.15	66.90	73.79	86.15
9	85.96	76.42	68.47	51.77	40.68	33.46	28.10	33.67	49.58	66.86	73.07	85.61
10	87.17	76.85	69.86	51.17	40.83	33.00	27.41	33.81	48.44	67.94	70.63	85.68
11	85.00	78.28	71.18	52.40	40.86	32.66	27.26	32.78	48.09	67.56	70.68	81.20
12	86.22	78.78	70.46	52.13	41.76	33.47	27.01	33.28	47.57	66.30	70.20	82.38
13	85.84	78.69	69.40	51.84	41.80	32.50	26.58	33.18	49.09	67.67	69.83	82.86
14	83.42	76.85	67.63	51.07	40.11	29.90	26.19	33.59	47.25	67.09	70.86	82.82
15	81.60	74.05	65.35	49.00	37.93	28.02	24.99	30.63	44.82	65.97	70.36	80.80
16	79.32	71.88	62.44	46.16	36.18	28.16	25.05	30.99	43.71	65.11	70.13	77.28
17	75.12	70.38	59.81	45.76	35.39	28.23	25.48	30.99	42.62	62.21	70.56	78.51
18	75.01	69.20	58.05	43.44	36.21	29.64	25.28	31.32	41.94	61.41	70.11	77.53
19	73.48	68.24	56.59	44.02	38.21	30.15	27.89	33.08	40.11	61.81	69.83	79.70
20	72.13	67.79	57.42	46.29	40.51	33.08	33.00	34.28	40.89	62.50	69.97	80.07
21	72.44	67.05	58.89	46.70	43.13	35.93	36.77	35.78	42.18	62.89	71.52	79.13
22	73.31	70.14	59.71	48.50	44.61	38.11	38.92	37.35	42.87	63.18	72.58	81.55
23	74.88	72.31	62.12	50.58	46.93	38.40	38.82	39.94	43.99	64.37	73.21	83.71
24	77.60	74.91	63.99	51.54	46.44	37.12	39.47	42.12	45.72	65.23	74.12	85.49

Capacity Factor (%)
0% - 29%
30% - 49%
50% - 74%
75% - 90%
91% - 100%

**Using capacity factors
calculated for NYSERDA
Hudson North**

Number of 8MW Turbines
< 1000
1000 - 1500
1500 - 2000
2000 - 3000
3000 - 4000
> 4000

Number of 8 MW Wind Turbines Needed to Match Load NYC (2016 - 2019)												
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1	1019	1055	1159	1337	1581	2287	2533	2415	1886	1095	979	870
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3	925	959	1036	1245	1523	2159	2544	2389	1676	984	901	847
4	852	867	946	1188	1429	2019	2509	2342	1555	931	871	798
5	794	805	868	1117	1339	1898	2452	2334	1457	877	798	738
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8	691	728	795	1022	1276	1836	2611	2161	1313	790	724	668
9	684	745	807	995	1295	1859	2717	2212	1271	791	723	662
10	677	745	816	1051	1336	1932	2833	2261	1344	812	756	664
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17	1065	1110	1276	1593	2180	3212	4159	3346	2104	1227	1048	983
18	1068	1130	1312	1676	2142	3087	4241	3348	2162	1249	1057	997
19	1088	1143	1338	1648	2034	3053	3874	3195	2275	1242	1060	969
20	1105	1146	1315	1567	1929	2804	3289	3103	2247	1234	1057	963
21	1106	1160	1284	1558	1821	2595	2960	2984	2189	1232	1040	981
22	1112	1120	1271	1498	1752	2431	2776	2836	2138	1227	1045	976
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3,267 Turbines Available -

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22	1112	1120	1271	1498	1752	2431	2776	2836	2138	1227	1045	976
23	1118	1107	1219	1411	1620	2339	2706	2569	2024	1197	1057	973
24	1068	1070	1195	1382	1606	2352	2593	2377	1927	1169	1025	937

Conclusions

1. The sea breeze and associated low-level jet play an important role in the offshore wind resource (enhanced capacity factors and load matching)—but questions remain regarding extent of circulation (e.g., where the WEAs are!)
2. We have created a new methodology (McCabe 2021; McCabe and Freedman 2021) to identify sea breeze days and an associated LLJ in the New York Bight
 1. Distinguishing between *Classic* and *Hybrid* Sea Breeze events
 2. Cold water upwelling can enhance land-sea temperature gradient –strengthening the sea breeze circulation and potentially precipitating the development of a LLJ
 3. New York State Mesonet will be (very soon!) producing sea breeze/LLJ forecasts using this method
3. The methodology and better understanding of the sea breeze and LLJ will have positive benefits for:
 1. **The development and siting of offshore wind energy facilities**
 2. Aviation, marine, and **power demand forecasts**
4. **We need more offshore measurements (long-term), (to facilitate) better modeling, understanding of air-sea interaction with the marine atmospheric boundary layer!**

Thank You!
Questions and Discussion



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Deepwater Wind Block Island

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