

Payload 2 Daily Flight Report



Date: 2025-04-30

Flight Campaign ID: P2C1

Airport, FBO ID, City: Boulder Municipal Airport (KBDU) - Boulder, CO; -

Aircraft: N615AR

Domain: 00 (Training & Calibration)

Sites Flown: None Days left in Domain: 21

Report Author: Elissa

Lidar Operators: Elissa **Flight Hours**: 00:00

Spectrometer Operators: Mike Hours until maintenance: 119.73

Pilots: Vince, Mac

Adt'l Flight Crew: John Ground Crew: Matt

Summary

No flights were conducted today due to a planned power outage related to hangar construction. Flights were also held off in order to allow further investigation of the delayed lidar logging starts observed during yesterday's test flight.

Concerns

- Delayed lidar start when auto-triggering.
- Direction of flight displayed in MarsRover.

Comments

Flight plans and RiAcquire projects have been updated and will be reviewed (and tested if possible) tomorrow.

Cumulative Domain Coverage

Estimated Cloud Cover Key

Green: Yellow: Red: 0-10% 11-50% >50%

Solar Angle Less Than 40 degrees: (*)

D00 | B10E (Riegl Boresight Calibration - 1600m, 1000m, 500m)

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		

Flown: 0% (0/20) Green: 0% (0/20) Yellow: 0% (0/20) Red: 0% (0/20)

^{*} Flown within 35deg solar angle

D00 | H10C (NEON Headquarters Lidar Test - Riegl)

1 2 3 4

Flown: 0% (0/4) Green: 0% (0/4) Yellow: 0% (0/4) Red: 0% (0/4)

D00 | N10D (Nominal Runway at KBDU - Riegl)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28												

Flown: 0% (0/28) Green: 0% (0/28) Yellow: 0% (0/28) Red: 0% (0/28)

D00 | O10B (NIS Offset - Riegl)

1 2

Flown: 0% (0/2) Green: 0% (0/2) Yellow: 0% (0/2) Red: 0% (0/2)

D00 | R10C (Table Mountain Radiometric Calibration - Riegl)

1 2 3 4 5

Flown: 0% (0/5) Green: 0% (0/5) Yellow: 0% (0/5) Red: 0% (0/5)

D00 | R10D (Boulder Airport Radiometric Calibration)

1 2 3 4 5

Flown: 100% (5/5) Green: 100% (5/5) Yellow: 0% (0/5) Red: 0% (0/5)

D00 | W10C (Wiggle Timing Test - Riegl)

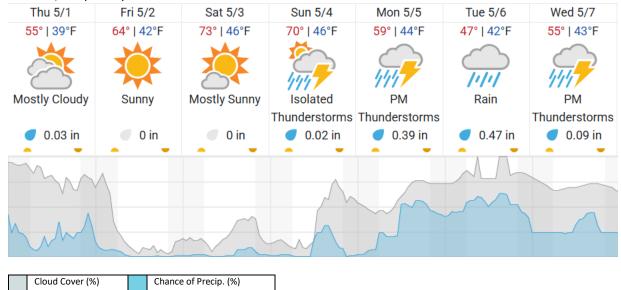
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Flown: 50% (1/2) Green: 50% (1/2) Yellow: 0% (0/2) Red: 0% (0/2)

^{*} Flown within 35deg solar angle

Weather Forecast

Boulder, CO (KBDU)



source: wunderground.com

Flight Collection Plan for 1 May 2025

Flyority 1

Collection Area: Table Mountain Radiometric Calibration Flight Plan Name: D10_R10C_Rad_Cal_TBMT_v1_Q780

45° On-station Time: 1620 UTC / 1020 L

Additional Considerations: Ground should be dry.

Flyority 2

Collection Area: Boresight Calibration - Greeley, CO

Flight Plan Name: D10_B10E_Boresight_1600m_Q780 (RiAcquire name: D10_B10E_Boresight_Apx_Q780)

30° On-station Time: 1450 UTC / 0850 L

Additional Considerations: No recent snowfall, clear roofs required.

Flyority 3

Collection Area: Nominal Runway Survey Flight Plan Name: D10 N10D Nominal Rnwy v8 Q780

On-Station Time: Daylight – No solar angle restrictions.

Additional Considerations: Runway should not be wet or snow covered.

Flyority 4

Collection Area: NEON HQ Lidar Validation
Flight Plan Name: D10_H10C_HQ_val_v1_Q780

On-Station Time: Daylight – No solar angle restrictions.

Flyority 5

Collection Area: Wiggle Timing Test

Flight Plan Name: D10_W10C_Wiggle_Test_v6_Q780

40° On-station Time: 1550 UTC / 0950 L

Additional Considerations: Runway should not be wet, or snow covered.

Flyority 6

Collection Area: NIS Offset Flight

Flight Plan Name: D10_O10B_NIS_Offset_v2_Q780

35° On-station Time: 1540 UTC / 0940 L

Crew: Matt (Lidar), Elissa (NIS), Nick (Ground)