



# Official Site Metadata Information

**Surface Observing Instrumentation (RSOIS)  
Radiosonde Replacement System (RRS)  
MicroART**

## Attachment H

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## Introduction

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Surface Observation Instrumentation**

<b>SITE SPECIFIC DATA FOR: Weather Forecast Office</b>
<b>Date(s) Recorded:</b>
<b>Survey Team:</b>

<b>Resident Site Specific Data: – RSOIS Site</b>	
<b>Position information was determined using a Trimble GPS receiver model 5700.</b>	
<b>Estimated position error less than</b>	
<b>Site Commentary</b>	
Station Name	
Station Latitude (dd:mm:ss.sssss)	
Station Longitude (ddd:mm:ss.sssss)	
Station Elevation (MSL)	
WMO No	
WMO Region	
Station ID	
Time Zone	
Surface Observation Equipment Type	
Distance from Release Point (m)	
Surface Observation Equipment Elevation (msl)	
Surface Observation Equipment Bearing (Deg)	
<b>Temperature Sensor</b>	
Elevation (AGL)	
Orientation (Bearing)	
Manufacturer	
Model	
Type	
Calibration Date	
<b>Relative Humidity Sensor</b>	
Elevation (AGL)	
Orientation (Bearing)	
Manufacturer	
Model	
Type	
Calibration Date	
<b>Wind Sensor</b>	
Elevation (AGL)	
Orientation (Bearing)	
Manufacturer	
Model	
Type	
Calibration Date	



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<b>Barometer</b>	
Elevation (MSL)	
Elevation (AGL)	
Orientation (Bearing)	
Manufacturer	
Model	
Type	
Calibration Date	

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**Figure 1. RSOIS Tower looking Northwest**

**Figure 2. Looking North from base of RSOIS Tower**

**Figure 3. Looking East from base of RSOIS Tower**

**Figure 4. Looking South from base of RSOIS Tower**

**Figure 5. Looking West from base of RSOIS Tower**

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<b>Survey Team:</b>

<b>Resident Site Specific Data: Office – RRS</b>	
<b>Position information was determined using a Trimble GPS receiver model 5700.</b>	
<b>Estimated position error less than</b>	
<b>Site Commentary</b>	
Station Name	
Station Latitude (dd:mm:ss.ssss)	
Station Longitude (ddd:mm:ss.ssss)	
Station Elevation (MSL)	
WMO No	
WMO Region	
Station ID	
Time Zone	
WBAN	
WSFO ID	
AWIPS XXX (FAA) ID	
Base Pressure (hPa)	
Release Point Latitude (dd:mm:ss.ssss)	
Release Point Longitude (ddd:mm:ss.ssss)	
Release Point Elevation (MSL)	
Release Point Pressure Correction (hPa)	
Basestation GPS Elevation (WGS84)	
Basestation GPS Elevation (MSL)	
Basestation GPS Latitude (N+/S- dddmmss.ffff)	
Basestation GPS Longitude (E+/W- dddmmss.ffff)	
TRS Elevation (m)	
TRS Latitude (N+/S- dddmmss.s)	
TRS Longitude (E+/W- dddmmss.s)	
Orientation Correction Azimuth Angle (Deg)	
Orientation Correction Elevation Angle (Deg)	
Surface Observation Equipment Type	
Distance from Release Point (m)	
Surface Observation Equipment Elevation (MSL)	
Surface Observation Equipment Bearing (Deg)	
Radiosonde Type	
Ground Receiving System	
Ground Receiving System Serial Number	
Radiosonde Tracking Method	



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Barometer Height (MSL)	
Balloon Shelter Type	
Balloon Gas	
Operating Frequencies (MHz)	
Rooftop Release	
WMO Header (FZL)	
WMO Header (MAN)	
WMO Header (SGL)	
WMO Header (ABV)	
WMO Header (ULG)	
WMO Header (DD1)	
WMO Header (DD2)	
<b>RRS Application Offline Maintenance Site Specific Data</b>	
RRS Station ID (Kxxx)	
TRS Position Latitude (ddmmss.x)	
TRS Position Longitude (dddmmss.x)	
TRS Elevation (m)	
TRS Bearing to Baseline area - AZ	
TRS Bearing to Baseline area - El	
TRS Bearing to Release area - AZ	
TRS Bearing to Release area - El	
<b>RWS Site Specific Data</b>	
RWS IP Address	
RWS Computer Name	
Default Gateway	
Subnet Mask	
Preferred DNS Server	
Alternate DNS Server	
Primary AWIPS Data Type	
Primary AWIPS Data Phone No.	
Primary AWIPS Data Server IP	
Primary AWIPS User Name	
Back Up 1 AWIPS Data Type	
Back Up 1 AWIPS Data Phone No.	
Back Up 1 AWIPS Data Server IP	
Back Up 1 AWIPS User Name	
Back Up 2 AWIPS Data Type	
Back Up 2 AWIPS Data Phone No.	
Back Up 2 AWIPS Data Server IP	
Back Up 2 AWIPS User Name	
Back Up 3 AWIPS Data Type	
Back Up 3 AWIPS Data Phone No.	
Back Up 3 AWIPS Data Server IP	
Back Up 3 AWIPS User Name	



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<b>GPS Repeater Site Specific Data</b>	
GPS Repeater Amplifier Gain Setting	
<b>TRS Adjustable Coefficients</b>	
cc@0	
cc@1	
ccv	
cci	
cm@0	
cm@1	
cmv	
aai	
aei	
cs@0	
cr@0	
cr@1	
cr@2	
cr@3	
crv	
cris	
crqs	
crqo	
cred	
crc0	
crqd	
crqc	
crqr	
crd	
cro	
crlo1	
crlo2	
crlo3	
cl@0	
cl@1	
clbv	
clbf	
clv	
cl1	
c2@0	
c2@1	
c2bv	
c2bf	
c2v	
c2l	
<b>TRS Site Specific Coefficients</b>	



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ccsf	
ccsq	
ccsa	
ccse	
cma	
cmu	
cmn	
cmoa	
cmoe	
cmia	
<b>TRS Special Coefficients for Scanner/LNA Modifications</b>	
crqw	
crql	

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**Figure 6. Looking North from designed release area**

**Figure 7. Looking East from designed release area**

**Figure 8. Looking South from release area**

**Figure 9. Looking West from release area**

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Station Longitude (ddd:mm:ss.sssss)	
Station Elevation (msl)	
WMO No	
WMO Region	
Station ID	
Time Zone	
WBAN	
Base Pressure (hPa)	
Release Point Latitude (dd:mm:ss.sssss)	
Release Point Longitude (ddd:mm:ss.sssss)	
Release Point Elevation (msl)	
Release Point Pressure Correction (hPa)	
Target Antenna Azimuth Angle (deg)	
Target Antenna Elevation Angle (deg)	
MicroART Elevation (m)	
MicroART Latitude (N+/S- ddmms.s)	
MicroART Longitude (E+/W- dddmms.s)	
Orientation Correction Azimuth Angle (Deg)	
Orientation Correction Elevation Angle (Deg)	
Surface Observation Equipment Type	
Distance from Release Point (m)	
Surface Observation Equipment Elevation (MSL)	
Surface Observation Equipment Bearing (Deg)	
Radiosonde Type	
Ground Receiving System	
Radiosonde Tracking Method	
Barometer Height (MSL)	
Balloon Shelter Type	
Balloon Gas	
Operating Frequencies (MHz)	
Rooftop Release	



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WMO Header (FZL)	
WMO Header (MAN)	
WMO Header (SGL)	
WMO Header (ABV)	
WMO Header (ULG)	
WMO Header (DD1)	
WMO Header (DD2)	
Host Computer	

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**Figure 10. Looking North from base of elevated MicroART system**

**Figure 11. Looking East from base of elevated MicroART system**

**Figure 12. Looking South from base of elevated MicroART system**

**Figure 13. Looking West from base of elevated MicroART system**

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