

DC-8 11/11/11 - 11/12/11

Aircraft:

DC-8 - AFRC ([See full schedule](#))

Flight Number:

120122

Payload Configuration:

DC-8 OIB Deployment - Chile 2011

Nav Data Collected:

Yes

Total Flight Time:

11 hours

Comments:

Take-off was delayed to allow forecasted weather over the data site to clear. The delay paid off with mostly clear skies over Thwaites Glacier. All objectives were met. And as a bonus, a leg was flown over the now famous Pine Island Rift at 10K ft. for ATM. The view was spectacular of both the rift and glacier edge under sunny skies. Predictions for full separation of the ice mass are anywhere from weeks to months. One airfield overflight was made for ATM calibration. All instruments operated well and the aircraft is ready for the next flight.

Submitted by:

Chris Miller on 11/12/11

Flight Segments:

From:	Punta Arenas, Chile	To:	Punta Arenas, Chile
Start:	11/11/11 14:11 Z	Finish:	11/12/11 01:08 Z
Flight Time:	11 hours		
Log Number:	128005	PI:	Michael Studinger
Funding Source:	Bruce Tagg - NASA - SMD - ESD Airborne Science Program		
Purpose of Flight:	Science		

Flight Hour Summary:

	118008	128005
Flight Hours Approved in SOFRS		356
Total Used	0	308.7
Total Remaining		47.3

128005 Flight Reports

Date	Flt #	Purpose of Flight	Duration	Running Total	Hours Remaining	Miles Flown
10/04/11	120101	Check	2.7	2.7	353.3	
10/05/11	120102	Check	3.6	6.3	349.7	
10/09/11 - 10/10/11	120103	Ferry	10.4	16.7	339.3	
10/10/11	120104	Ferry	3.3	20	336	
10/12/11	120105	Science	11.9	31.9	324.1	
10/13/11	120106	Science	11.2	43.1	312.9	
10/14/11	120107	Science	11.5	54.6	301.4	
10/17/11	120108	Science	11.5	66.1	289.9	
10/18/11	120109	Science	11	77.1	278.9	
10/20/11	120110	Science	11.7	88.8	267.2	
10/21/11	120111	Science	11	99.8	256.2	
10/23/11	120112	Science	11.8	111.6	244.4	
10/24/11	120113	Science	10.7	122.3	233.7	
10/25/11	120114	Science	11.5	133.8	222.2	
10/26/11	120115	Science	11.3	145.1	210.9	
10/29/11	120116	Science	11.6	156.7	199.3	
10/30/11	120117	Science	11.7	168.4	187.6	
11/03/11	120118	Science	11.7	180.1	175.9	

11/04/11 - 11/05/11	120119	Science	11.6	191.7	164.3
11/07/11	120120	Science	12	203.7	152.3
11/09/11 - 11/10/11	120121	Science	12.5	216.2	139.8
11/11/11 - 11/12/11	120122	Science	11	227.2	128.8
11/12/11 - 11/13/11	120123	Science	11.6	238.8	117.2
11/13/11	120124	Science	11.2	250	106
11/14/11	120125	Science	9.7	259.7	96.3
11/16/11	120126	Science	11.8	271.5	84.5
11/17/11	120127	Science	11.2	282.7	73.3
11/19/11	120128	Science	11.1	293.8	62.2
11/22/11	120131	Ferry	0.4	294.2	61.8
11/22/11	120129	Ferry	3.3	297.5	58.5
11/22/11 - 11/23/11	120130	Ferry	11.1	308.6	47.4

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