

Kalpana-1 AMV: February 2017

AMVs vs Radiosonde (0000 & 1200 UTC)

Northern hemisphere	No of Colloca tion	MVD	RMSVD	SD	Mean Speed Dif (ABS)	Mean Dir Dif (ABS)	Mean Bias	Mean Speed AMV	Mean Speed RS
Low level CMV	698	4.9	5.4	2.2	3.4	23.2	-0.3	7.8	8.2
Mid level CMV	696	6.0	6.6	2.4	3.8	16.9	-1.4	16.1	17.5
High level CMV	694	8.4	9.3	3.7	5.6	2.6	0.4	9.7	0.0
High level WVWV	1892	8.2	8.2	4.9	5.5	12.3	2.0	30.7	28.7

Tropics	No of Collocation	MVD	RMSVD	SD	Mean Speed Dif (ABS)	Mean Dir Dif (ABS)	Mean Bias	Mean Speed AMV	Mean Speed RS
Low level CMV	233	4.2	4.4	1.2	2.7	26.8	0.8	6.8	6.0
Mid level CMV	102	5.0	5.1	0.8	3.3	25.6	0.1	8.2	8.1
High level CMV	3673	5.9	6.8	3.3	3.9	0.6	0.1	1.4	1.3
High level WVWV	4926	6.7	7.7	3.7	4.8	19.5	2.4	13.9	11.5

Southern hemisphere	No of Collocation	MVD	RMSVD	SD	Mean Speed Dif (ABS)	Mean Dir Dif (ABS)	Mean Bias	Mean Speed AMV	Mean Speed RS
Low level CMV	30	4.9	5.0	0.8	3.1	19.7	-0.9	11.5	12.4
Mid level CMV	10	5.9	6.0	0.9	3.7	7.5	-3.7	29.1	32.8
High level CMV	48	7.0	7.2	1.3	4.8	2.6	0.4	6.4	6.8
High level WVWV	79	7.5	7.7	1.2	5.2	19.9	2.7	17.0	14.3

Global	No of Collocation	MVD	RMSVD	SD	Mean Speed Dif (ABS)	Mean Dir Dif (ABS)	Mean Bias	Mean Speed AMV	Mean Speed RS
Low level CMV	961	4.8	5.3	2.2	3.3	23.1	-0.3	7.8	8.1
Mid level CMV	808	6.0	6.5	2.3	3.8	18.4	-1.1	15.3	16.3
High level CMV	4415	6.3	7.3	3.7	4.2	9.4	0.1	4.3	4.2
High level WVWV	6897	7.0	8.2	4.3	4.9	17.3	2.3	18.1	15.9

MVD: Mean vector difference

RMSVD: Root mean square vector difference

SD: Standard Deviation

Mean Speed Dif (ABS): Absolute mean wind speed difference

Mean Dir Dif (ABS): Absolute mean wind direction difference

High level: 100-400hPa

Mid level: 401-700hPa

Low level: 701-975hPa

MVD, RMSVD, SD, Mean Speed Dif, Mean Speed AMV, Mean Speed RS are in ms^{-1} , Mean Dir Dif is in degree.

Collocation Criteria:

- All AMVs within 150km of each radiosonde location and pressure difference $\pm 20\text{hPa}$ are considered for validation.
- Collocation pairs with speed difference greater than 30ms^{-1} and direction difference greater than 60° are screened out.
- Quality indicator is not used for the current validation.