Uncertainty Assessment of GNSS-Reflectometry for Typhoon Sea Surface Wind



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GNSS-R 目標

- 福衛七號:
 - 掩星(Radio Occultation, RO): 大氣溫度、濕度、壓力
 - 反射(Reflectometry, R): 海面粗糙度、海面風速、土壤濕度、海冰
- 高風速觀測優勢:
 - Up to 70 m/s,與雲導風、散度計觀測互補,對於颱風監測、預報非常有用。
- NSPO is planning to launch the FORMOSA-7R (6+1) before 2020.





GNSS-R觀測原理與理論基礎 (Z-V model)





$$\sigma_{o}(\mathbf{r}) = \frac{\pi |\Re|^{2} q^{4}}{q_{x}^{4}} f_{q}\left(\frac{-q_{\perp}}{q_{z}}\right)$$

$$f_{q}\left(\frac{-q_{\perp}}{q_{z}}\right) = 1/2 \pi \det(\mathbf{M}) exp\left[-\left(\frac{1}{2}q_{\perp}^{t}\mathbf{M}^{-1}q_{\perp}\right)\right]$$

$$q_{\perp}(q_{x}, q_{y}) = \left(\frac{R_{0x}}{R_{0}} + \frac{R_{vx}}{R_{v}}, \frac{R_{0y}}{R_{0}} + \frac{R_{vy}}{R_{v}}\right)$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix}\cos(\phi) & -\sin(\phi)\\\sin(\phi) & \cos(\phi)\end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix}\sigma_{up}^{2} & 0\\0 & \sigma_{cross}^{2}\end{bmatrix}\begin{bmatrix}\cos(\phi) & \sin(\phi)\\-\sin(\phi) & \cos(\phi)\end{bmatrix}$$

$$\sigma_{up}^{2}; \sigma_{cross}^{2}: \text{Directional Mean Square Slopes (DMSS);}$$

$$\phi: \text{ Principal Wave Slope Direction (PWSD).}$$

Delay Doppler Map Average (DDMA)

DDMA is the average scattered power computed over the DDM around the SP:

$$DDMA_{Y}(\Delta\tau,\Delta f,t_{i}) = \frac{1}{MN} \sum_{m=1}^{M} \sum_{n=1}^{N} \overline{Y}(\tau_{m},f_{n},t_{i})$$

 $\Delta \tau = \tau_M - \tau_1, \, \Delta f = f_N - f_1$: the delay and Doppler ranges to compute DDMA

Two important parameters that characterizes the DDMA:

- The location of the SP in the DDM
- The delay and Doppler ranges over which to average DDMA



Trailing Edge Slope (TES)

The IDW also has a trailing edge whose slope responds to changes in the wind speed

The TES is calculated as the slope of the waveform region extending from the waveform peak to 0.75 chips from the peak

The TES can be expressed as:

$$\beta(\Delta\tau,\Delta f,t_i) = \operatorname*{arg\,min}_{\beta,d} \left\{ \left[\sum_{k=3}^{4} J(\tau_k,\Delta f,t_i) - (\beta\tau_k + d) \right]^2 \right\}$$

where:

$$J(\tau_k, \Delta f, t_i) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^{N} \overline{Y}(\tau_k, f_n, t_i)$$



Uncertainties from Algorithm using Sea surface Simulation



Comparison between Two Observables



Robustness of Noise Contamination in DD



Noise Level	RMSE _(m/s) Using DDMA	RMSE _(m/s) Using TES
0 %	0.5391	0.3534
50%	0.9	4.8



Observable DDMA show better results compare to TES

Observable TES is more sensitive to noise than DDMA

- → Observable DDMA show more stable result compare to TES
- → Should improve the Wind retrieval results by combining the 2 observables.

Uncertainty for typhoon cases



Definition of the Surface Roughness - MSS



- •The higher wavenumber component contribute more to the MSS.
- •*The tail-slope of wavenumber spectra deviate from* Phillips's Equilibrium .

$$\phi(n) = \frac{\beta g^2}{n^5}$$
, for $n \ge n_o$; $\phi(n) = 0$, otherwise.

- g : gravitation acceleration
- n : frequency; n_o : the peak frequency
- β : Phillips Equilibrium range constant



Ultra resolution typhoon wave simulation Driven by 1 km wind fields



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3 Layers Unstructure mesh along the typhoon trajectory



00:00:00 Time Step 0 of 0.



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Temporal evolution of DSP at the upper-right quad near the max mind radius of the typhoon. Issue: Effects from Swell system.

How to Consider the Wave Contribution to DMSS ?











遙測數據不確定性評估

- •颱風風速估算不確定性來自(依據重要性):
 - 1. MSS vs. U10模型:<mark>2 %~14 % (</mark>for high wind, U10 > 30 m/s)
 - 受最大暴風半徑內颱風波浪的影響
 - Noise level in DDM, from Path-loss, Antenna Gain, Thermal noise ... : < 6 % when NSR=0.25 (DDMA better than TES, LES)
 - Algorithm (CYGNSS method, due to DDM resolution):
 <<u>1%</u>

以上初估計值僅依據數值模擬結果。