Aircraft Flight Parameters

Position and time

- GPS WAAS and/or differential
- Inertial navigation system (some aircraft)

Attitude, pressure altitude, rate of climb, heading, true air speed,

• ground speed and track

Distance above surface (radar or laser altimeter)

Flight Level Atmospheric Parameters

Temperature Pressure Humidity Wind speed and direction (horizontal, vertical) Wind Atmospheric turbulence Liquid water

Remote Sensing

Solar radiation Sea surface temperature Visible imaging, digital video, frame grabbing

Deployable Sensors

Dropwindsonde AXBT, AXCTD, AXCP, AXKT, sonobuoys Surface drifters and floats

Instrumentation Integration Facility

Downward looking port Data and power bus, including time and/or position stamp