

# Supporting Information for Microburst Scale Size Distribution Derived with AeroCube-6

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## Introduction

**Text S1: Analytic Derivation of  $\bar{F}(s)$**  Here we derive the integral form of the  $\bar{F}(s)$  under the assumptions that microbursts are circular with radius  $r$  and have a uniform spatial density of microbursts around AC6. Assuming the microburst viewing area of each AC6 unit in Fig. 5a-c and  $A(r, s)$  given in Eq. 4 in the

$$A(r, s) = 2r^2 \cos^{-1} \left( \frac{s}{2r} \right) - \frac{s}{2} \sqrt{4r^2 - s^2}. \quad (1)$$

Mention rain bucket analogy

**Text S2: Comparison of microburst to whistler mode chorus  $\bar{F}(s)$**

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