### Combine Site Overview

Functions of the Central Combine Site

CODAR Ocean Sensors, Ltd.



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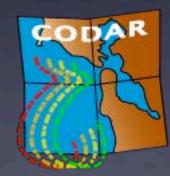
#### Combine Software

• CODAR Combine Software Suite includes:

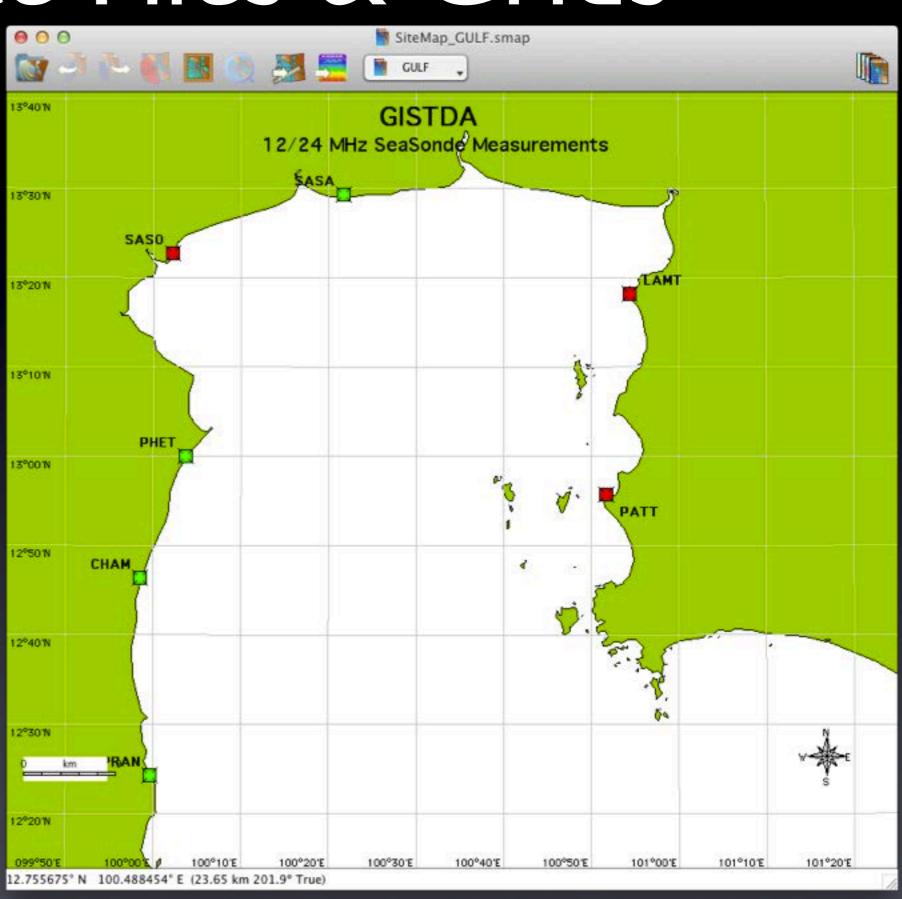


- Release 7 Combine Tools
  - Analyze Currents merges up to 6 remote site radials into one total
  - Multiple grid (total) maps, SeaSondeCombine Options
  - SeaDisplaySetup: creates maps and estimated coverages
- Total Vector Data Viewers & Tools
  - SeaDisplay: total vector viewer (and more)
  - SeaDrift: total vector tool for animations
- FileExchange packages
- Extended Combine Software
  - RunMergeTotals allows merging of multiple totals into one map.
     Super totals.
  - Also allows for 24 sites to be combined

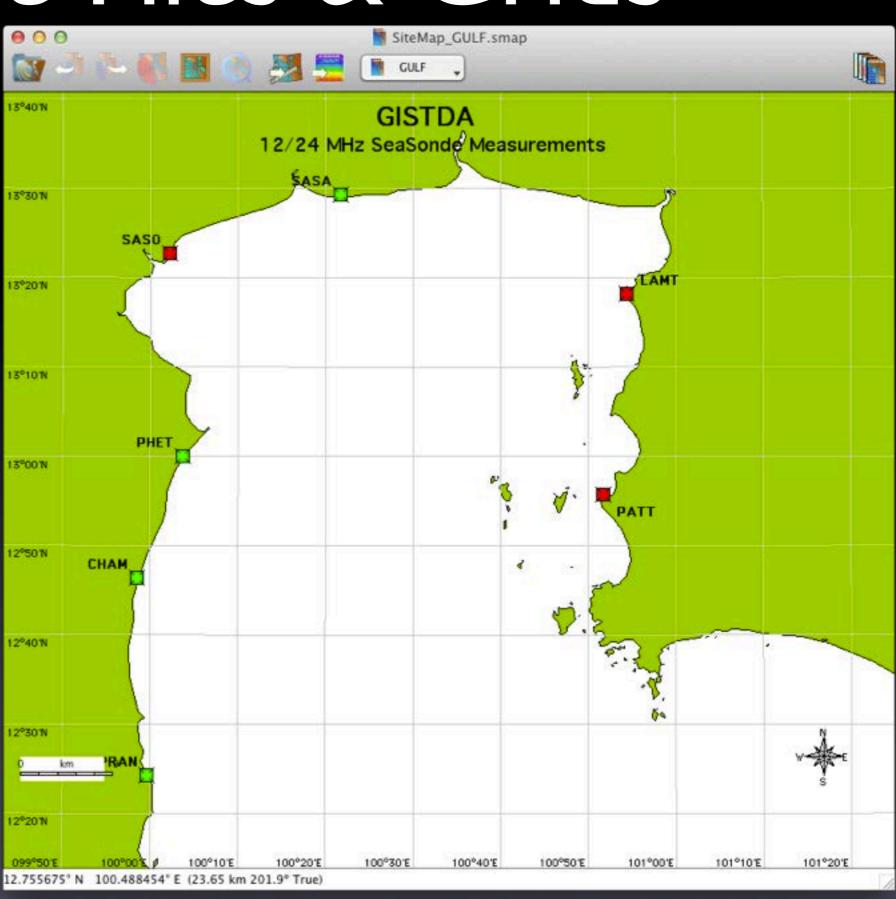




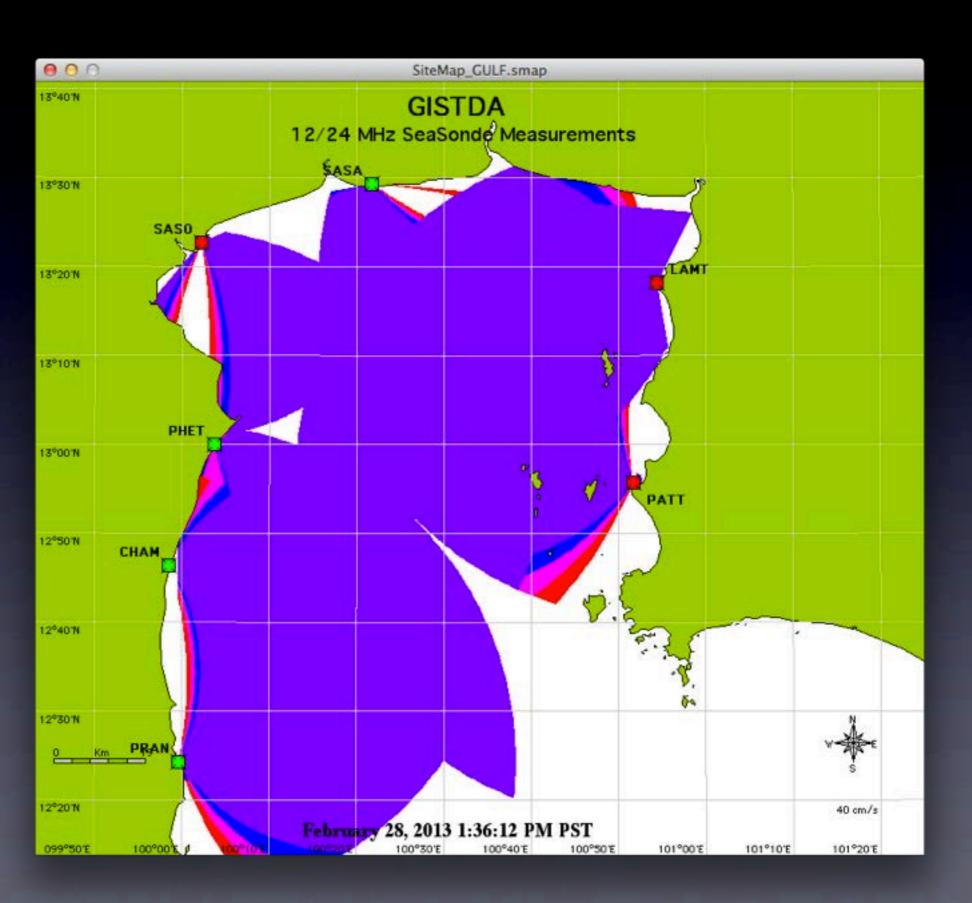
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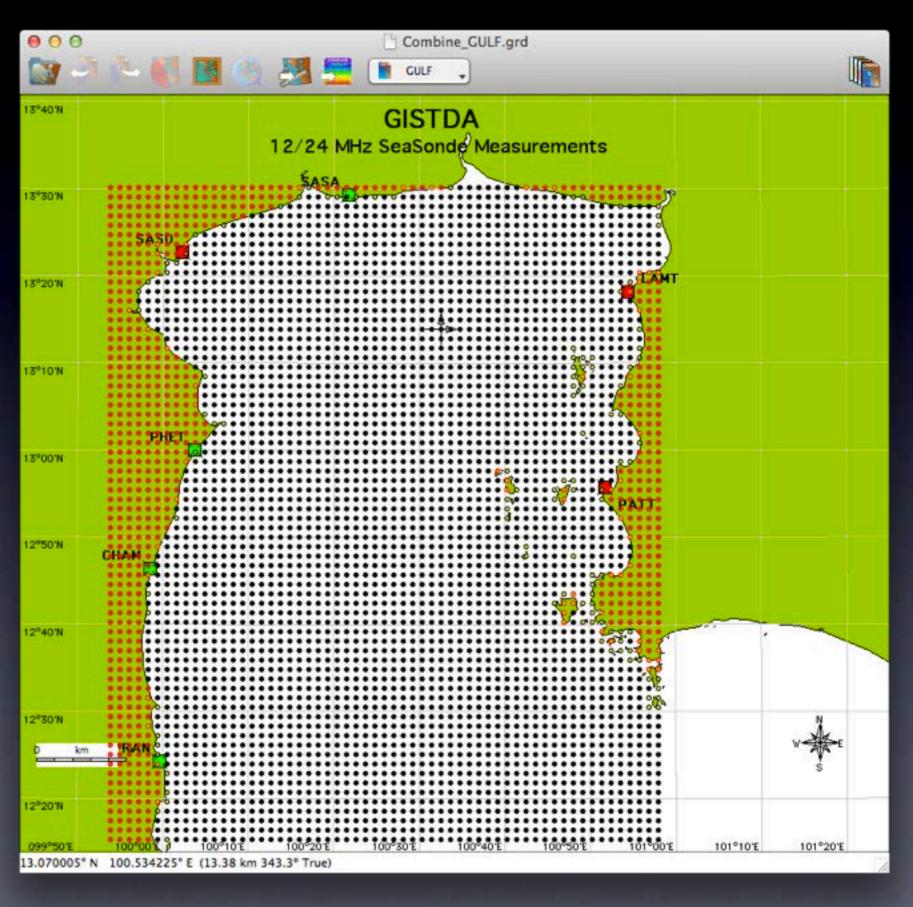


- A Site map is created for the region
- Remote sites are added to define overlapping coverage

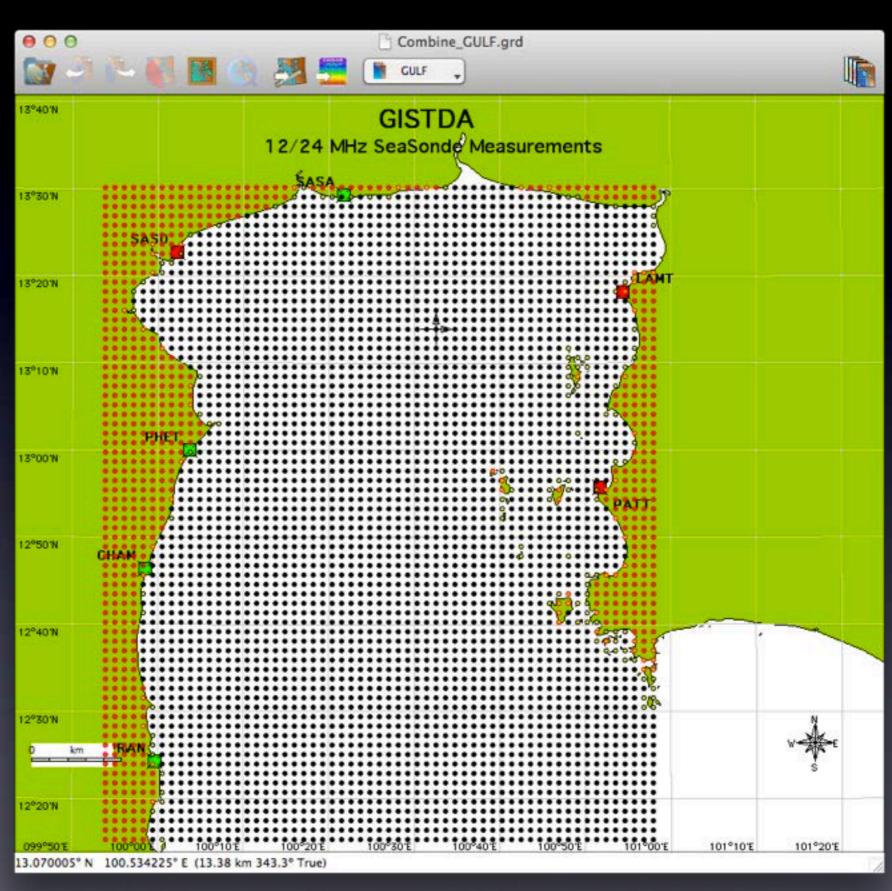


 Combined coverage is calculated taking GDOP (Geometric Dilution of Precision) into account





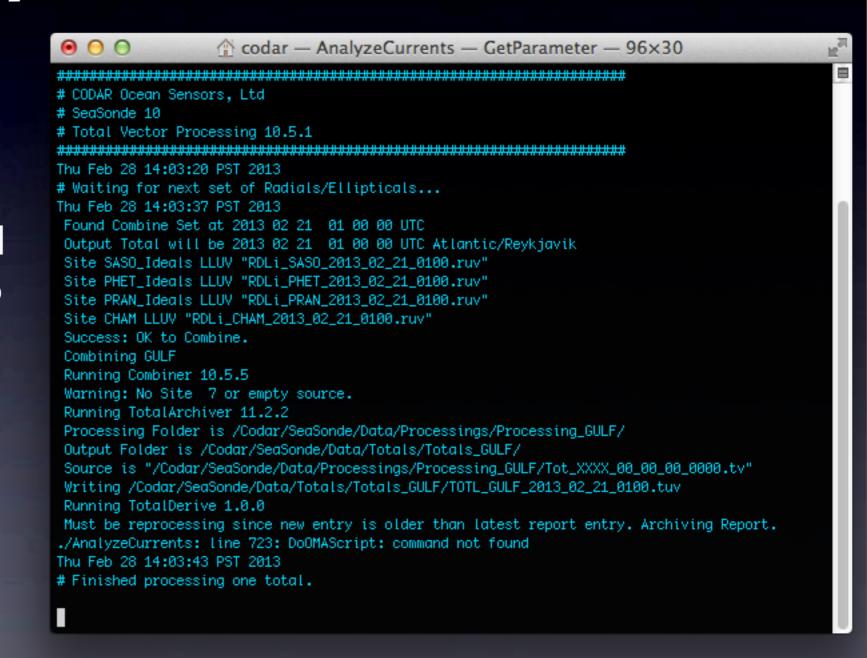
- A Cartesian grid is added over the area of coverage
- Spacing is determined by radar resolution
- Points over land are removed for quality control



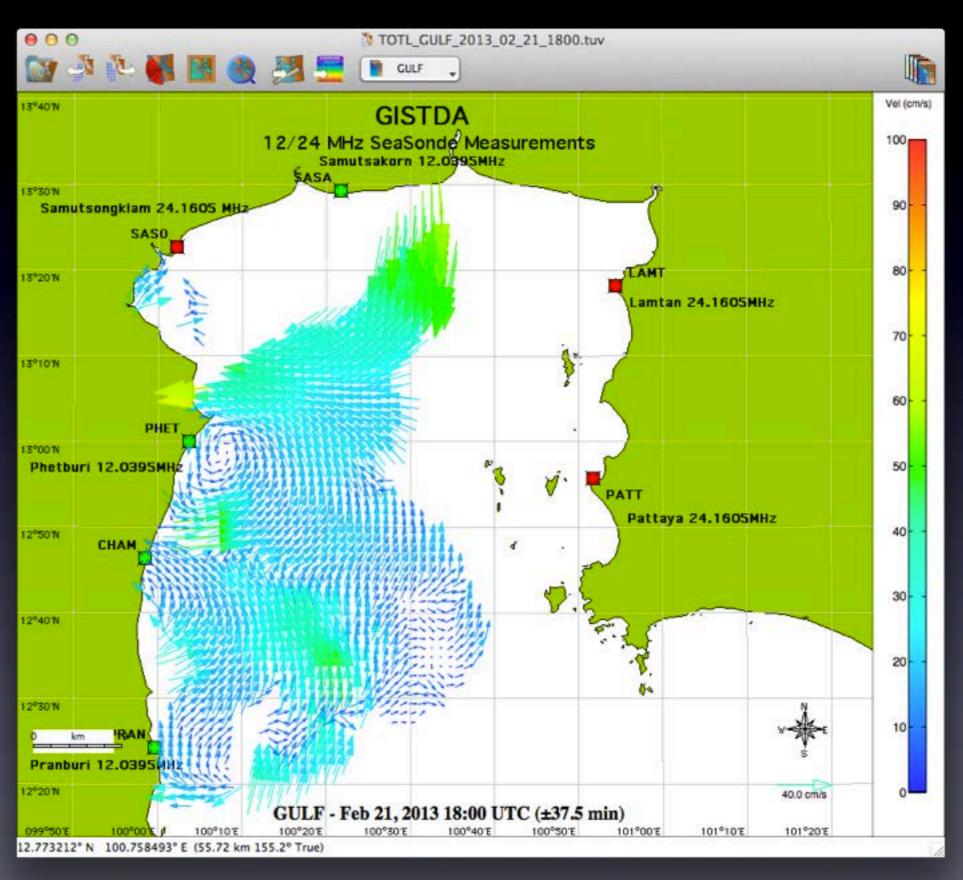
## CombineProcessing AnalyzeCurrents



- Runs in the terminal window
- Suite of programs that sort the radial data and processes them into to totals
- Algorithm uses a least squares method for combining radials into 2D total vectors



 Total vectors are created on valid grid points from overlapping radials



## Combine Software & Products







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- Combine Software also includes:
- Combine Sentinel
- Combine Archivalist
- SeaSondeCombineOptions





### Sentinel



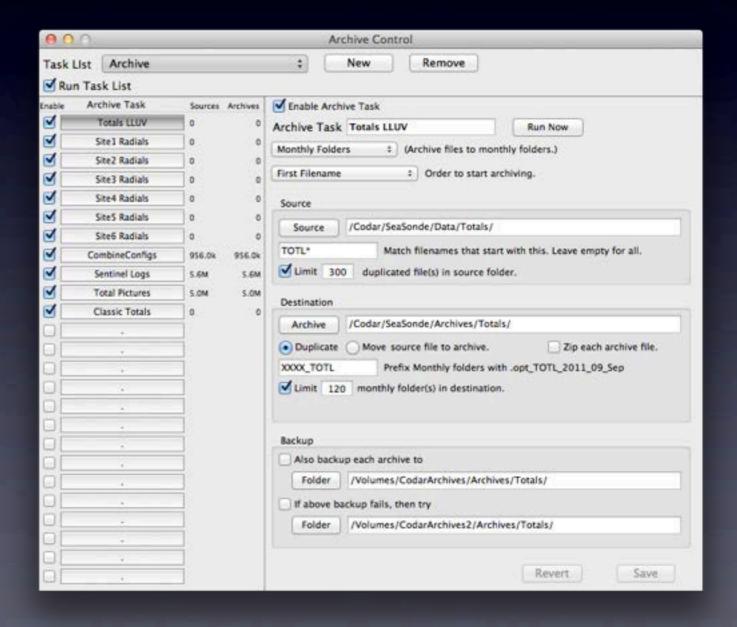
- Restarts the computer every day
- Launches operational applications

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20130228	135051	Sentinel	00027	Notice	Process found 30328 "SeaDisplay" pid(303
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00028	Notice	Process found 30385 "Preview" pid(30385)
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00029	Notice	Process found 30435 "TextEdit" pid(30435
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00030	Notice	Process found 30680 "Sentinel" pid(30680
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00031	Success	Sentinel will restart computer at 23:59
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00032	Generic	Sentinel Started
20130228	135051	Sentinel	00033	Notice	Running Startup items for Sentinel.plist
20130228	135102	Sentinel	00034	Success	Launched File Archivalist
20130228	135102	Sentinel	00035	Notice	Process found 30693 "Archivalist" pid(30
20130228	135102	Archivalist	00001	Startup	Archivalist 11.4.2 Starting
20130228	135102	Archivalist	00002	Notice	Archive Task Lists are in /Codar/SeaSond
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20130228	135106	Sentinel	00036	Success	Finder is Opening File RunCurrentAnalysi
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#### Archivalist

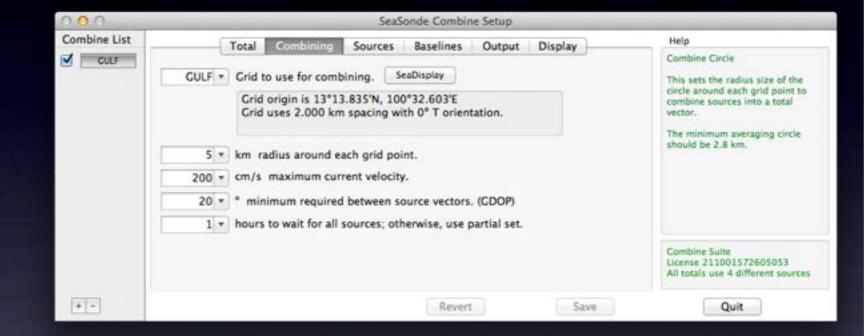


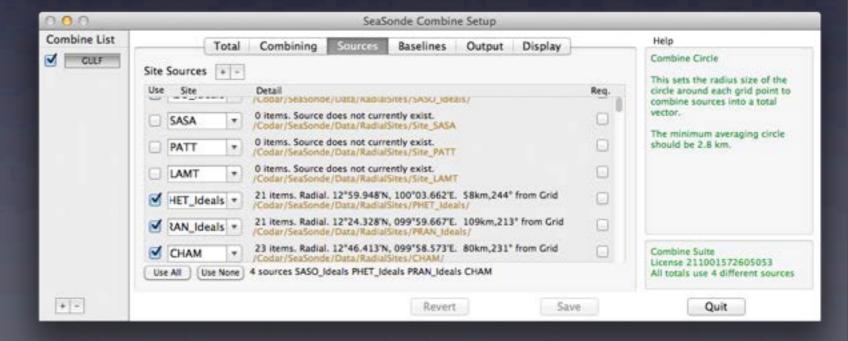
 Archives data into separate folders



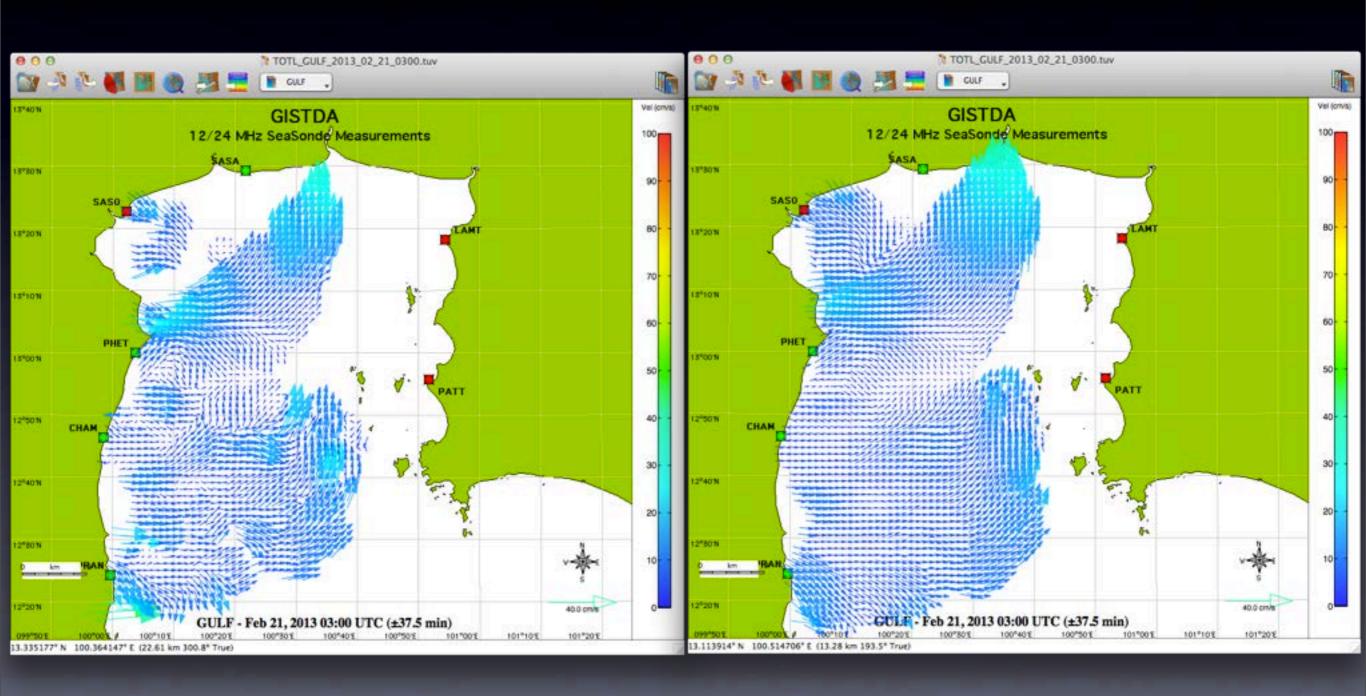
### SeaSondeCombineOptions

- Make changes to total vector processing parameters; averaging radius, max velocity, GDOP
- Choose which sites to include in processing
- Save KML files and images for web display
- Display total vectors in different formats





# Total vectors with 5 km vs. 10 km averaging radius



### Total vectors with 20 d vs 30 d GDOP limit

