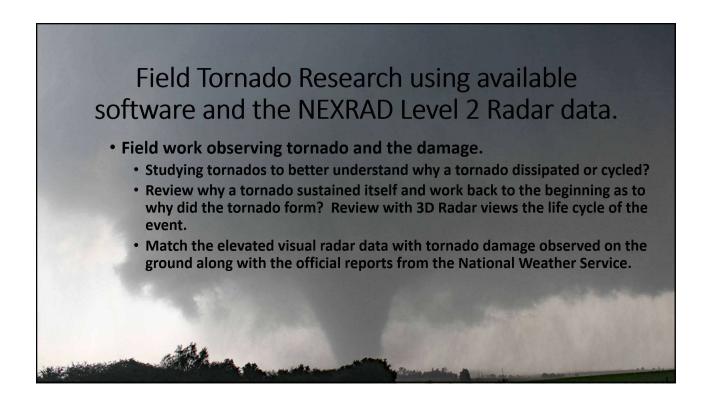
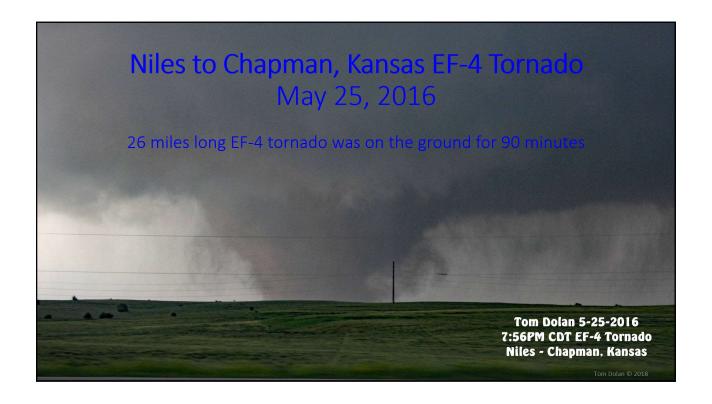
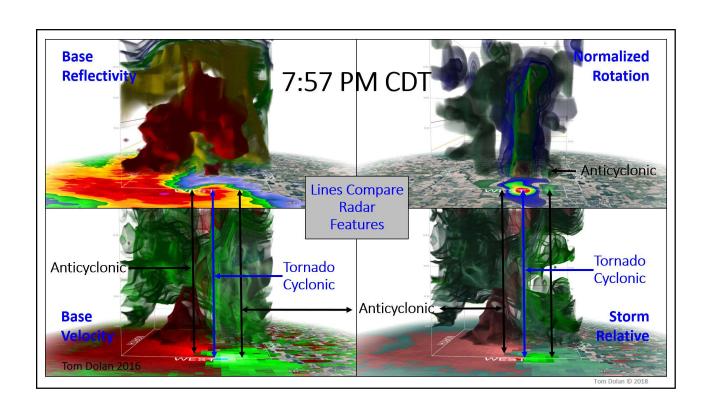
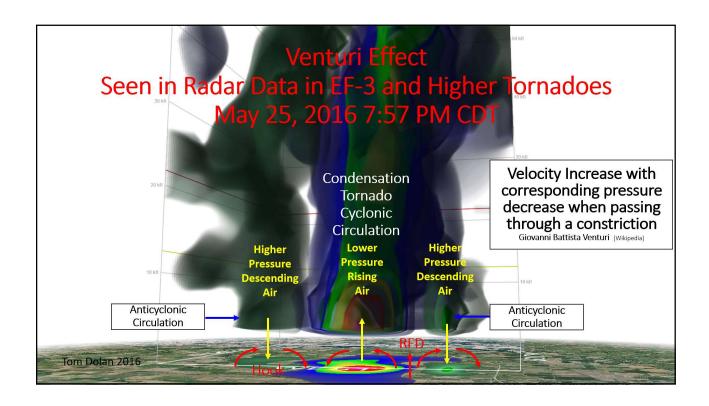
Tornado Visualization and Doppler Radar Analysis Project 2009 - 2018

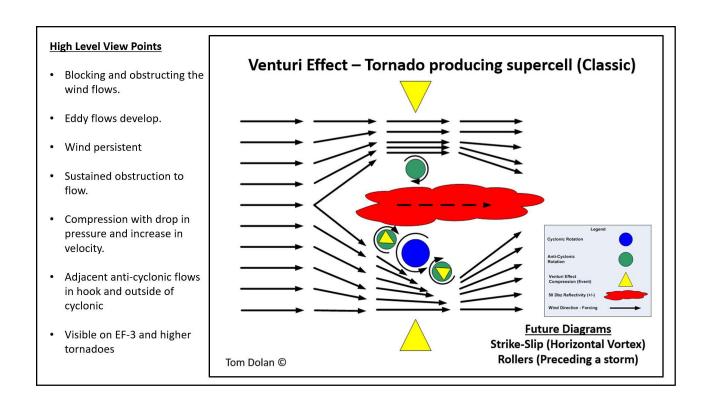
AMS - 29th Conference on Severe Local Storms
Tom Dolan - Independent Geographer

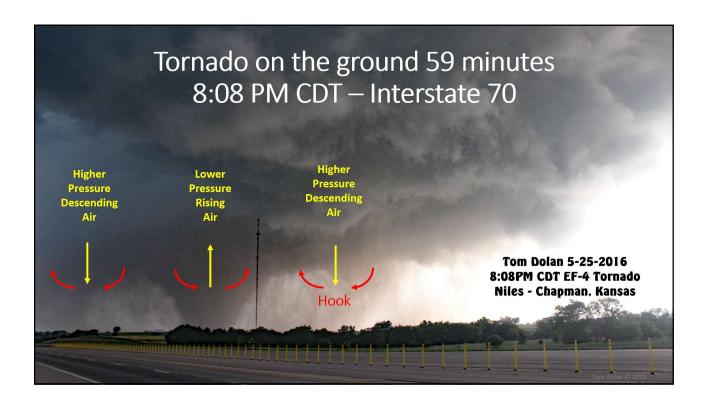


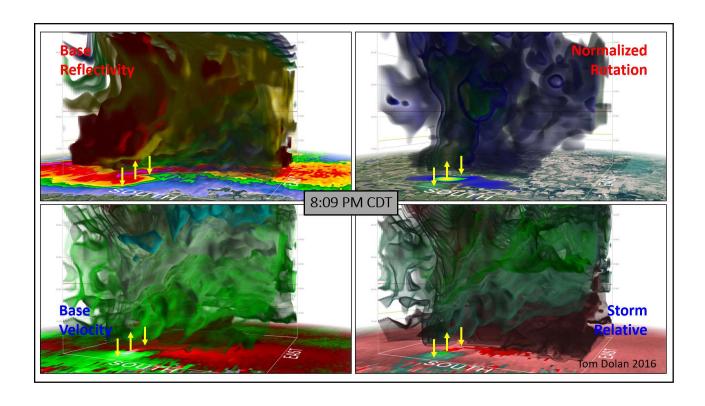


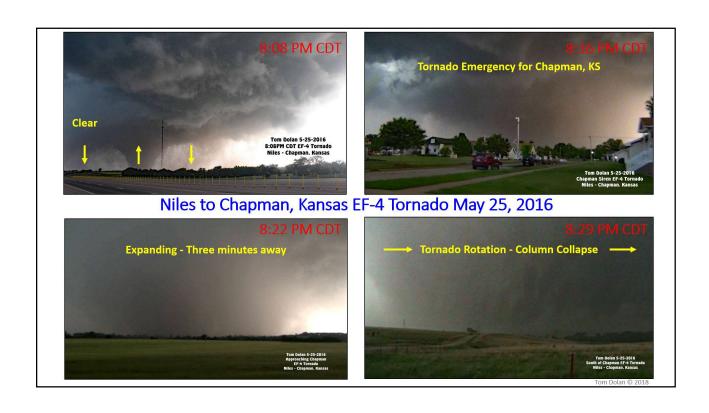


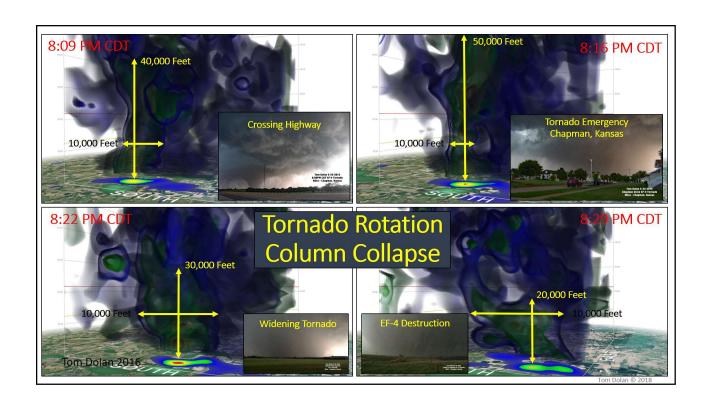






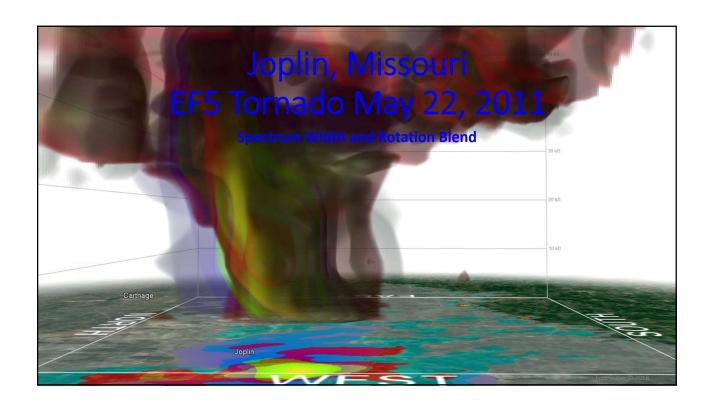


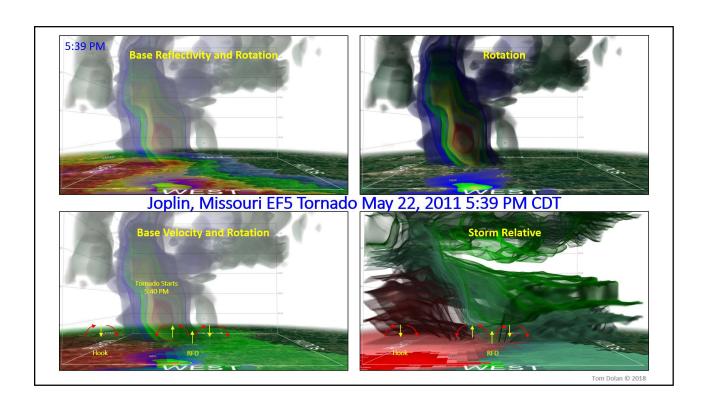


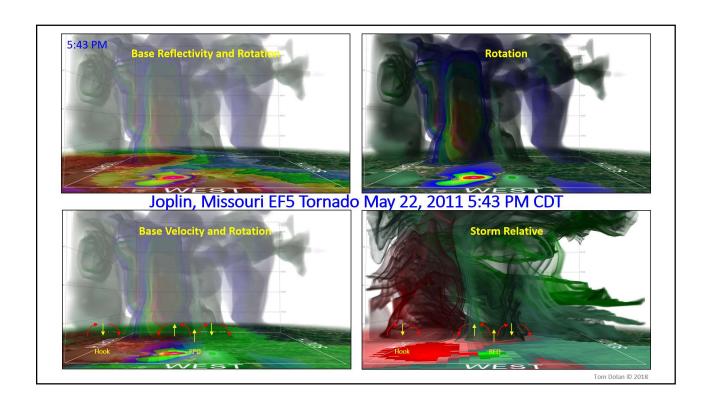


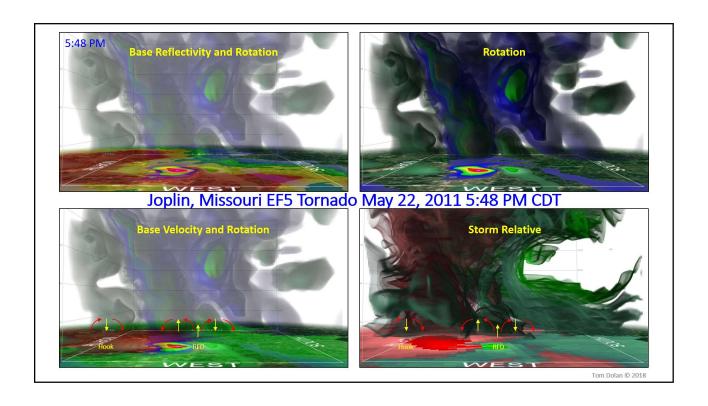


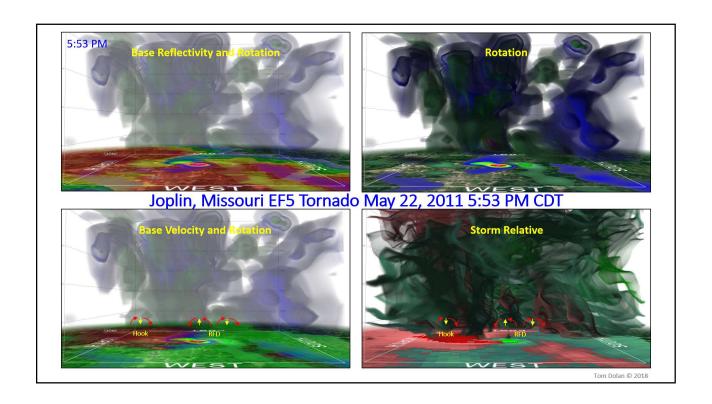


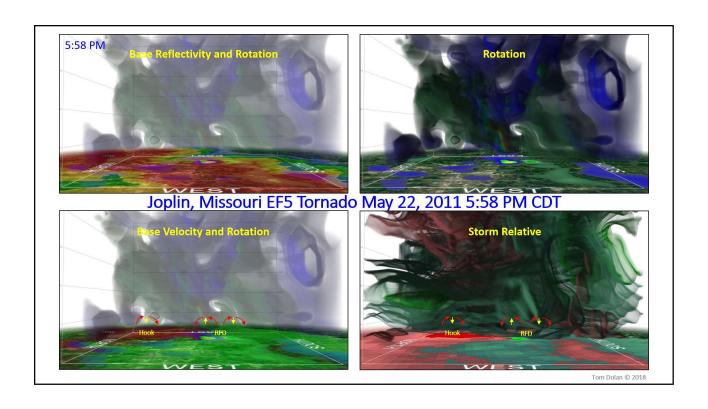


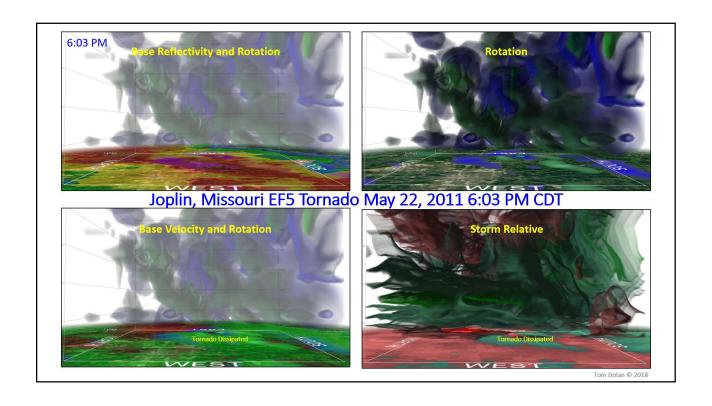


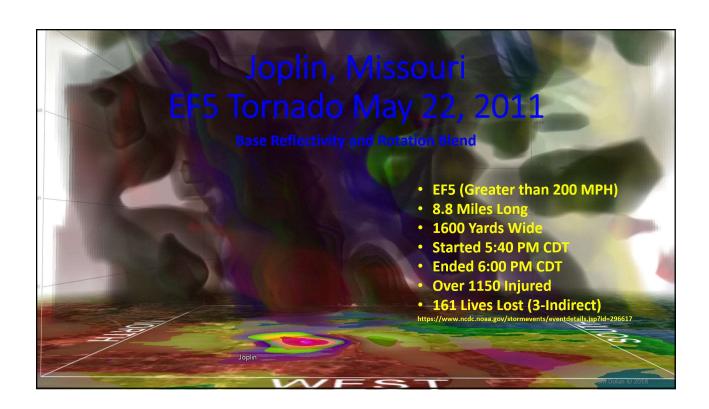




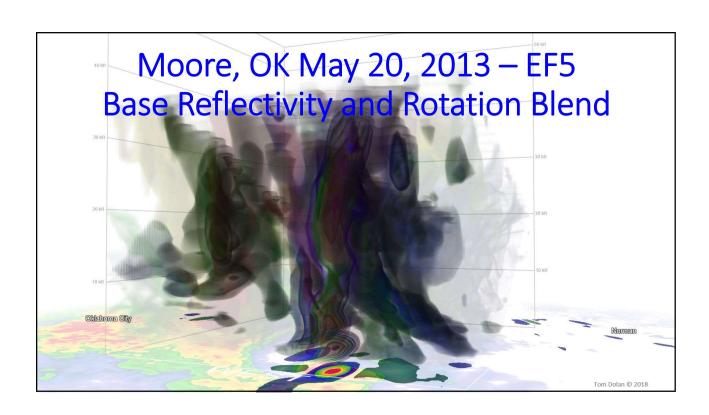


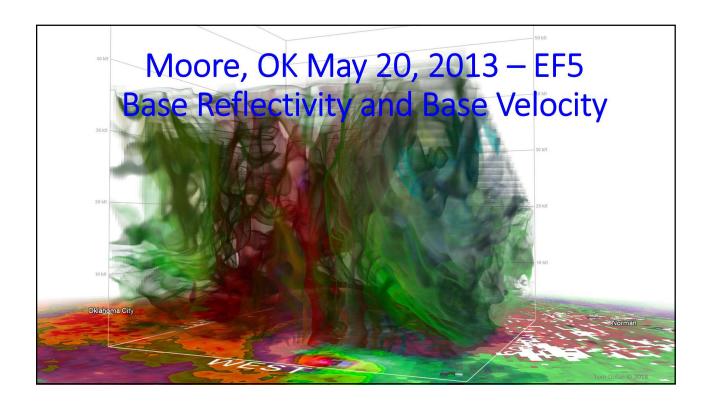




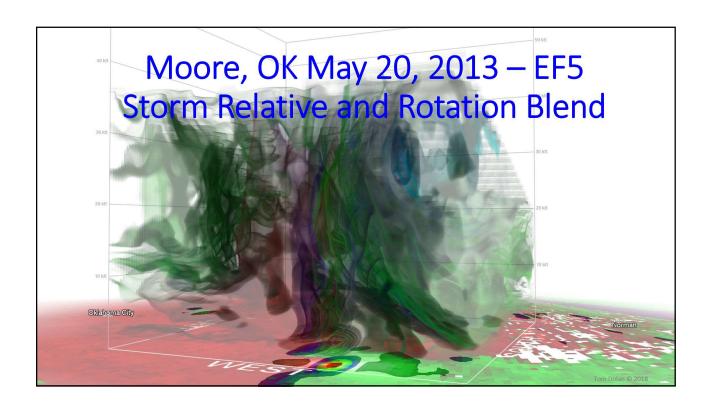


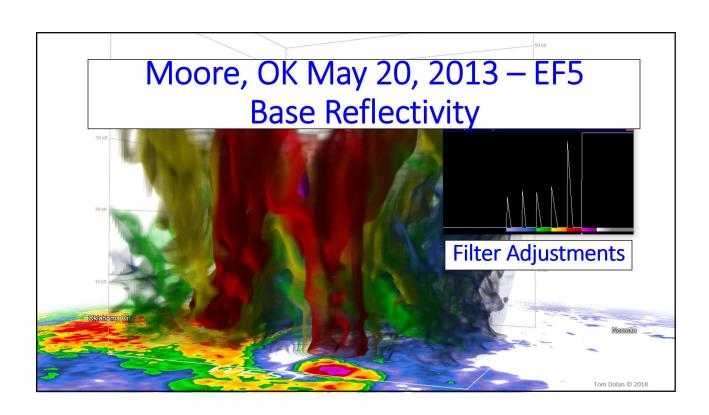


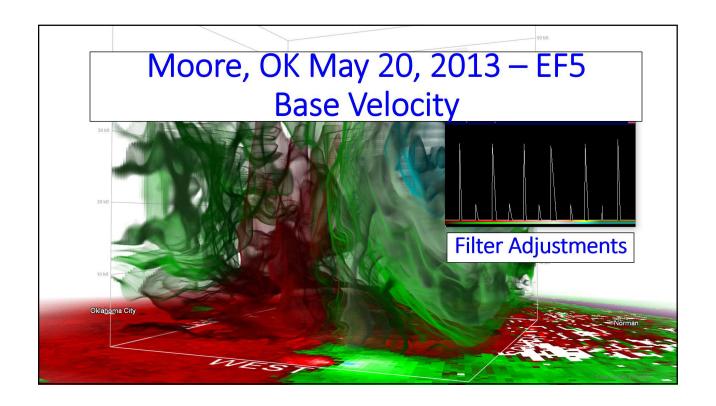


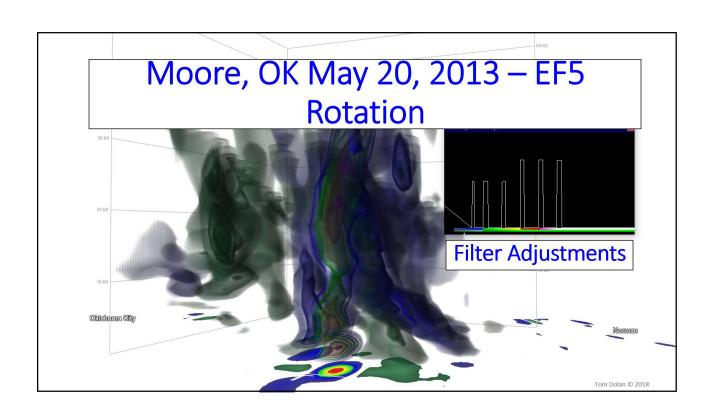


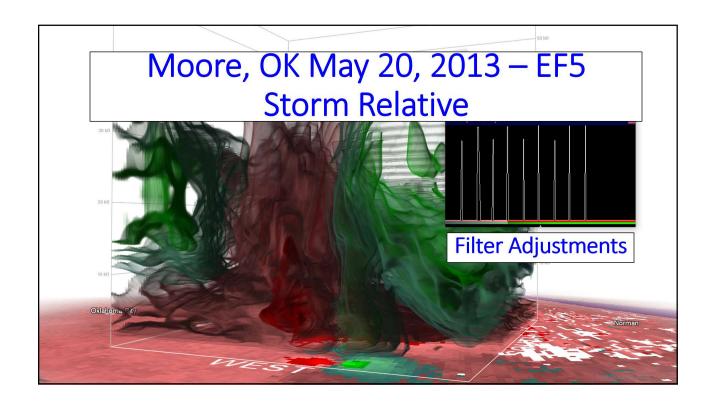


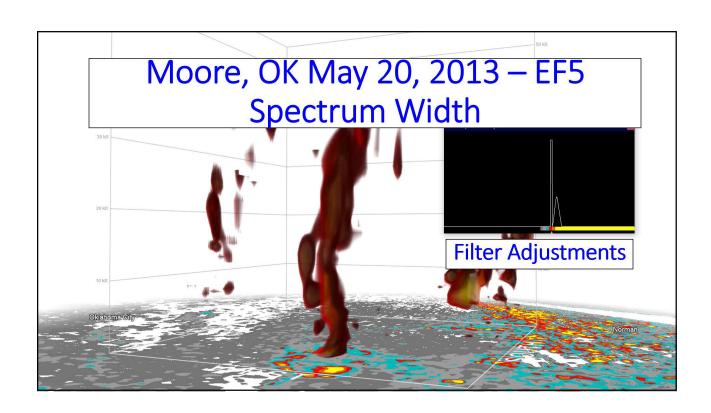






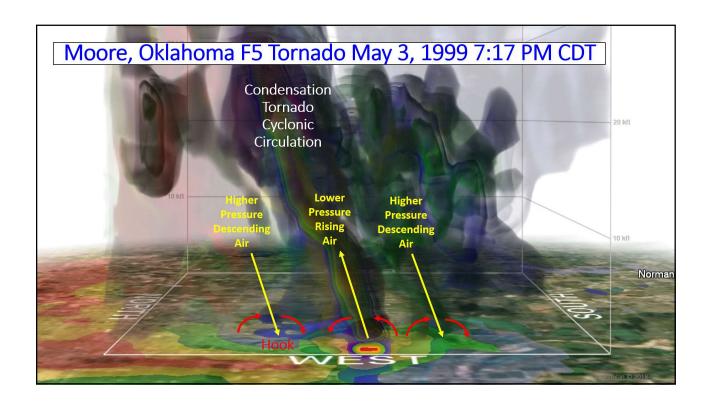


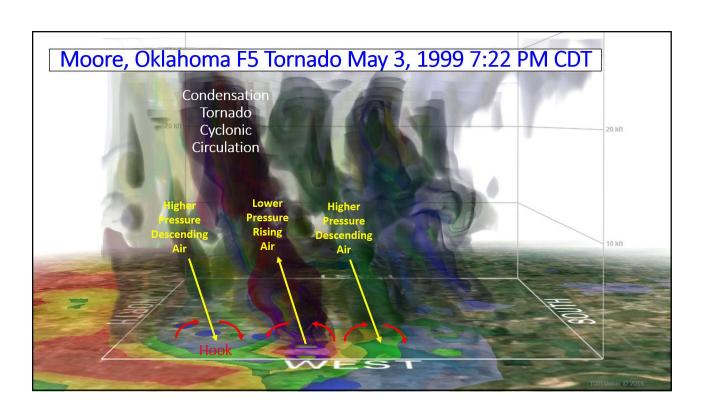


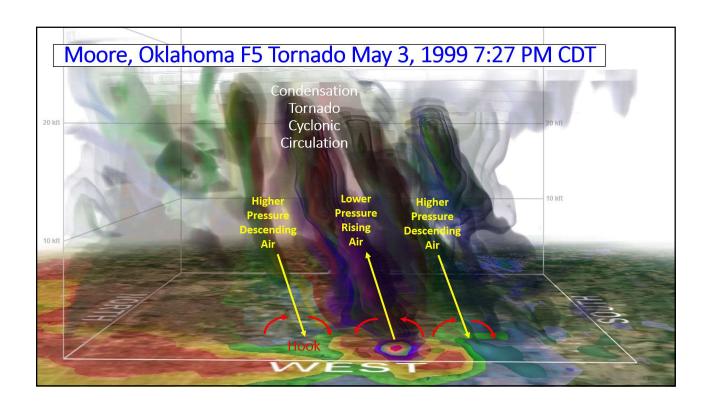






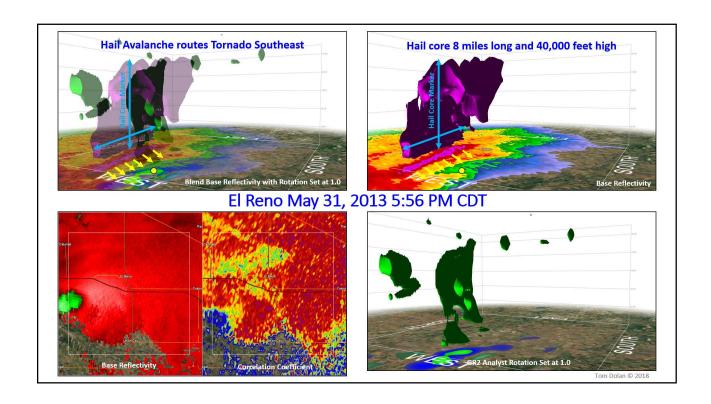


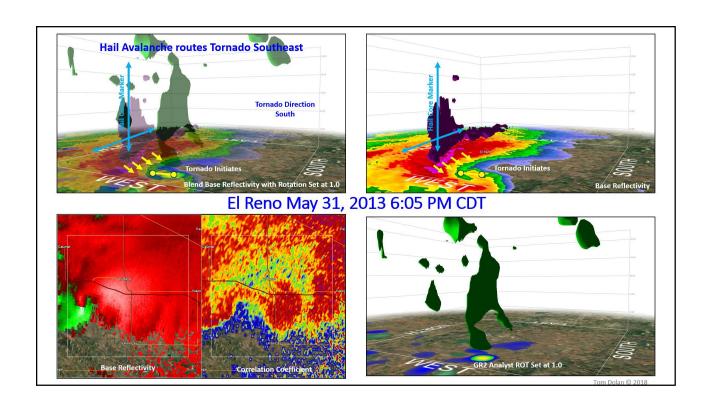


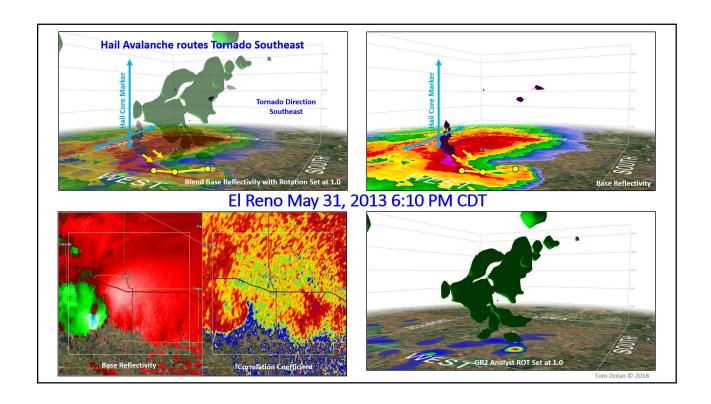


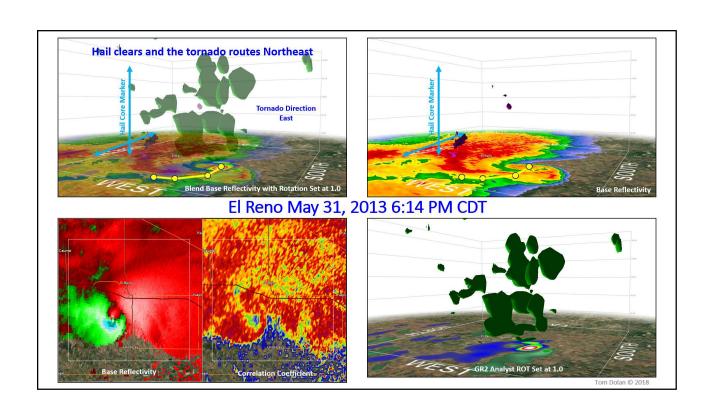
El Reno May 31, 2013 – EF3 2.6 Milewide

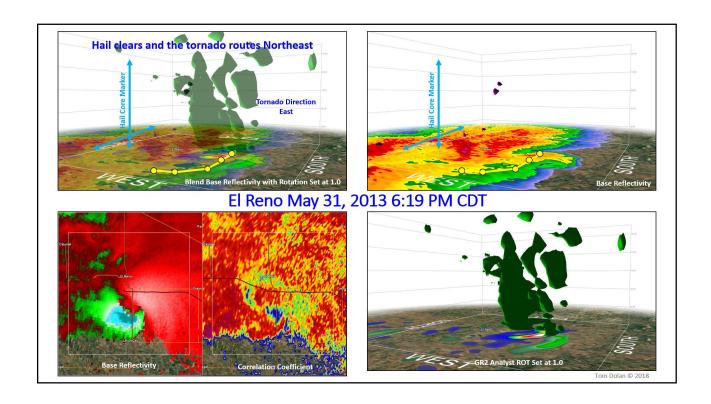
- Hail Avalanche routes Tornado Southeast
- Hail clears and the tornado outes Northeast
- 2.6 mile wide and 3.3 mile long vortex hole in correlation coefficient
- Radar Data missing due to the shear size of the vortex hole
- Von Kármán vortex pattern on storm following and downrange
- 2D versus 3D radar There is a lot going on that you can't see in 2D

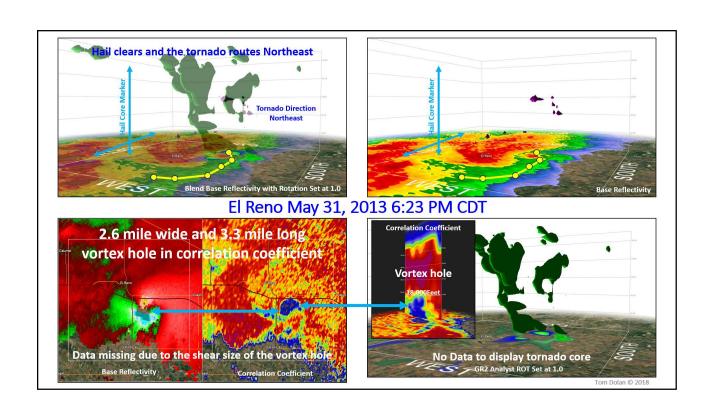


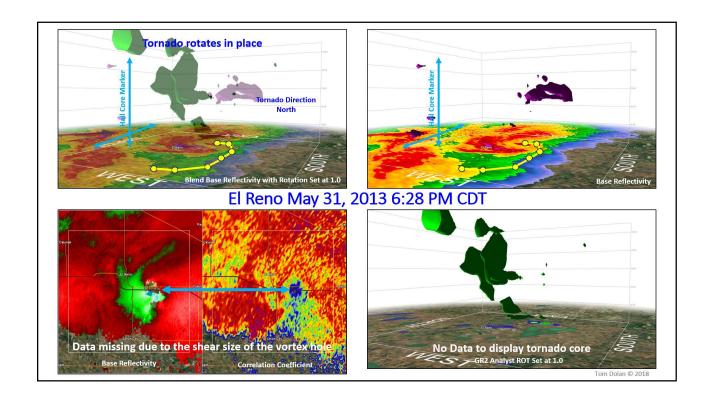


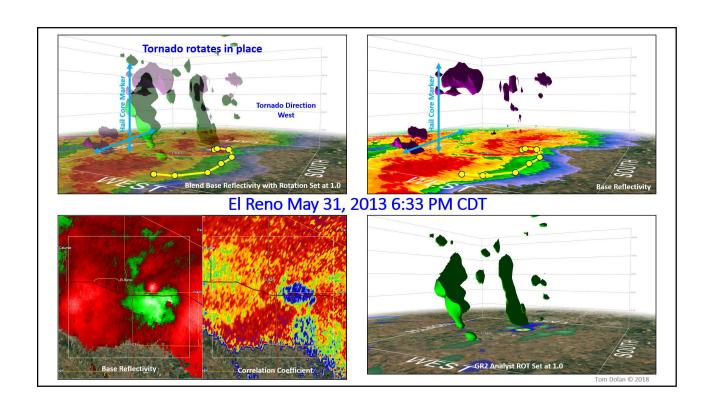


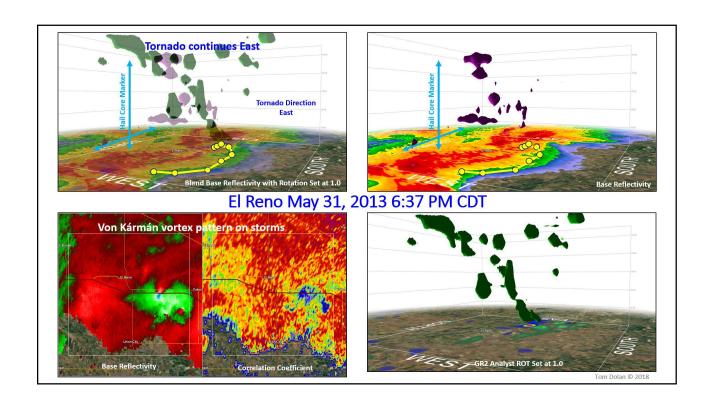


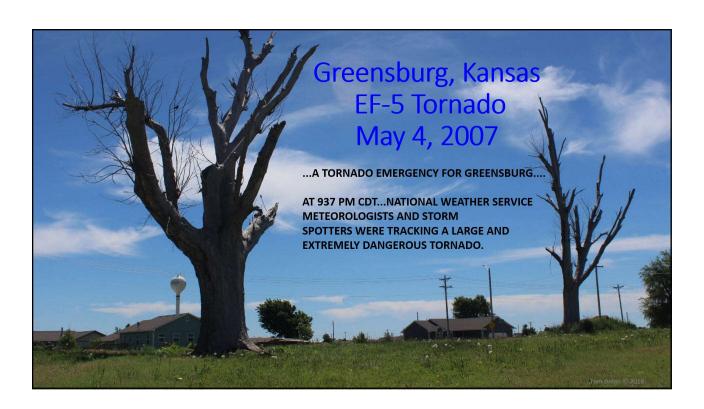


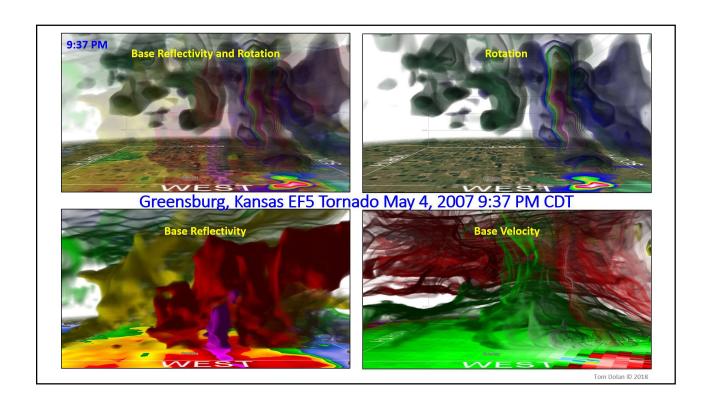


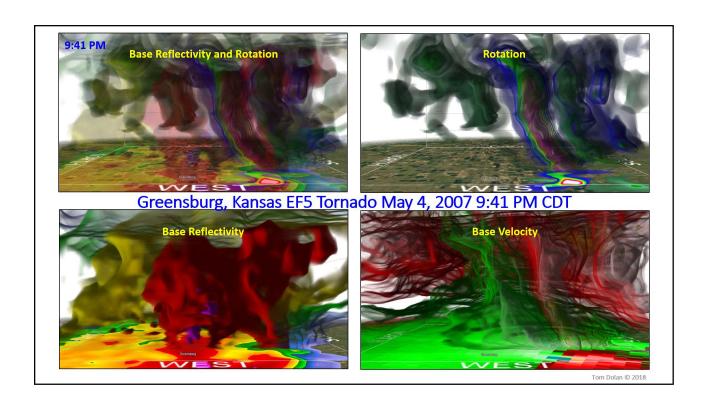


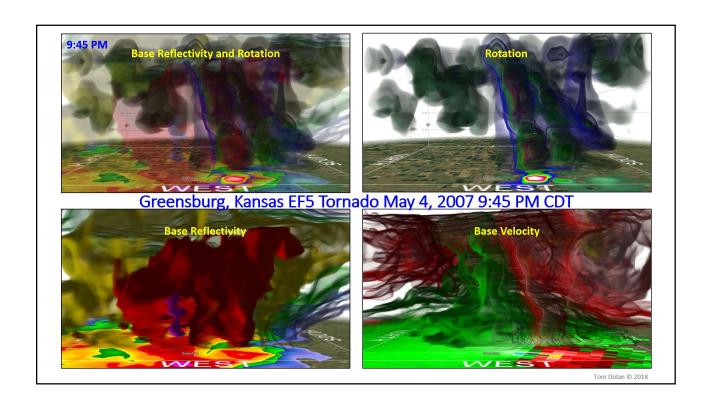


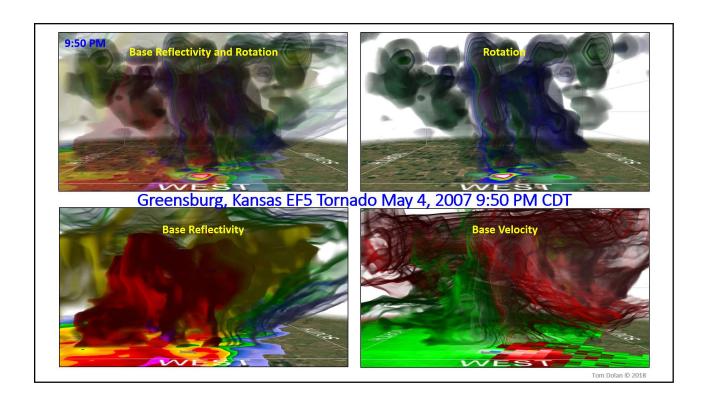


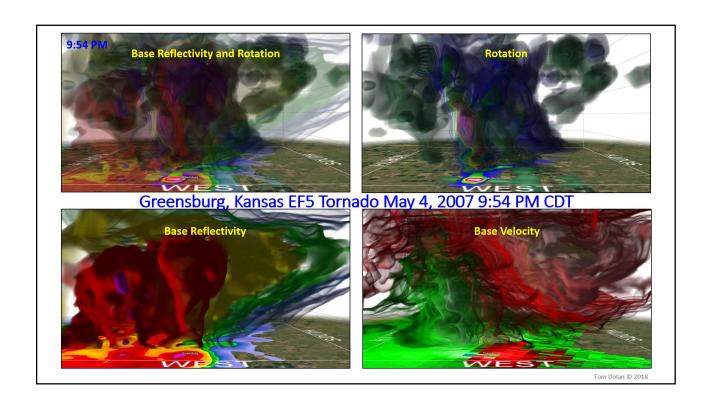


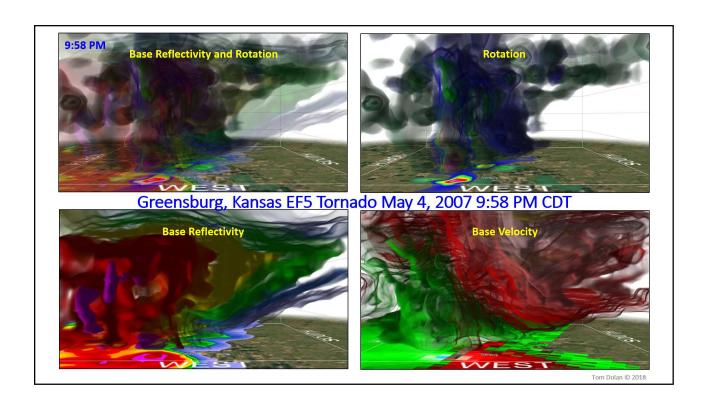


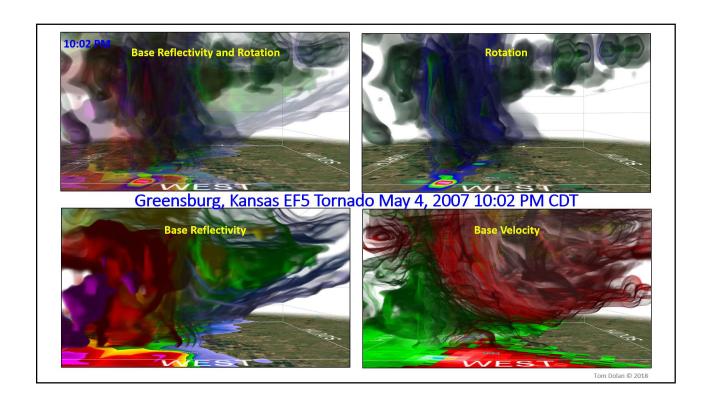


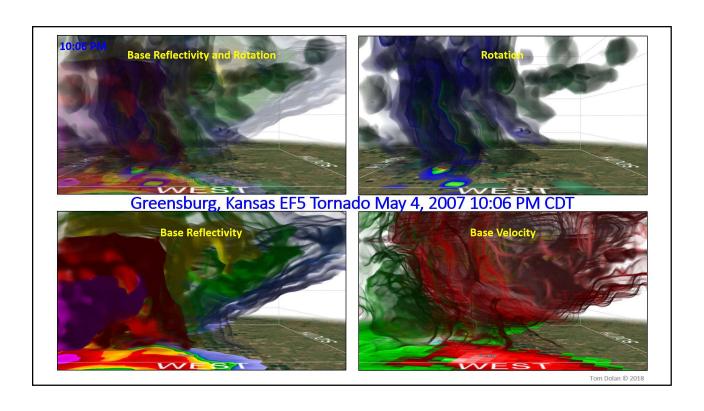


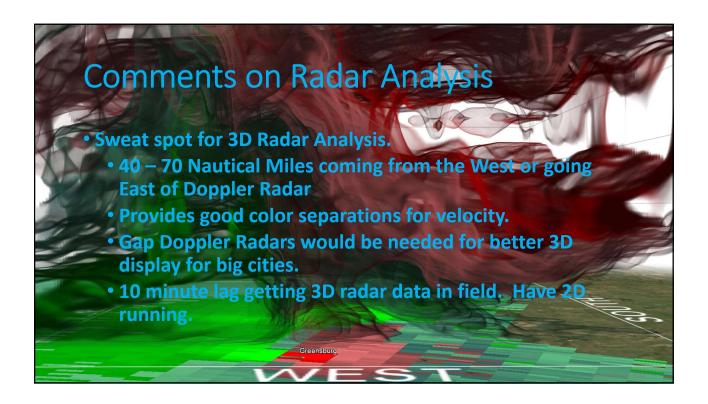


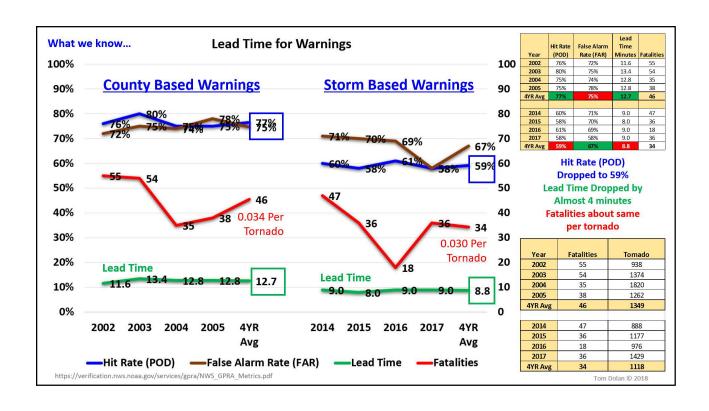












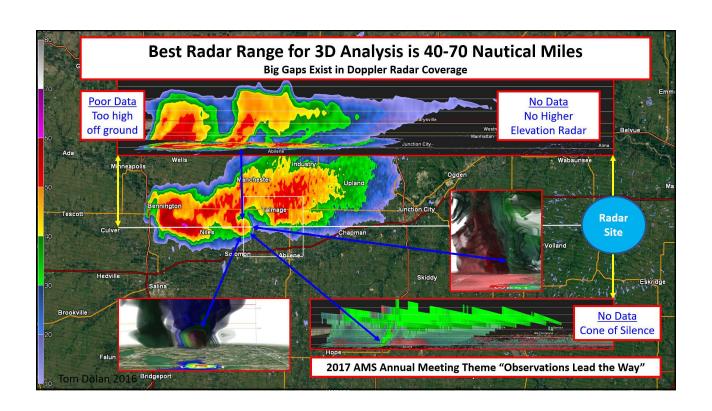
What if ...

Big Win!

"Near Miss" Tornado Warnings 75% with "Hits" at 25% "Near Miss" = Radar Indicated Rotation that did not make ground contact!

- Consider Enhanced wording and/or discussion with Emergency Managers
 - "There is a 25 percent chance a Tornado Warned storm will produce a tornado"
 - "There is a 100 percent chance with an observed Tornado in the Tornado Warned storm"
- <u>Severe Thunderstorm Warning</u> Add that it may include <u>a possible EF-0 Tornado</u>

 <u>Added Reporting Metrics</u>
- Separate out "EF-0" from "EF-1 to EF-5" in scoring results plus the combined scores
- <u>EF-1 to EF-5 New Target Goal</u>: 15 Minute Average with 75% with more than a 10 Minutes Lead Time. Measure Bell Curve Average and Target Goal Overall
- <u>Important</u> The Joplin study confirms that <u>it takes more than one warning source</u> before action is taken. Early warning with good lead time can save lives.



Tornado Visualization and Doppler Radar Analysis Project 2009 – 2018 - Project Support Team

Don Dolan - 6 Seasons, Kathy Dolan - 2 Seasons, Randy Ryan - 2 Seasons, Matt Dolan - 1 Season Bill Kirkpatrick and Jamie Allen - Storm Each





