

Acquisition and Archiving of WSR-88D Level 1 Data from Testbed and Operational Radars

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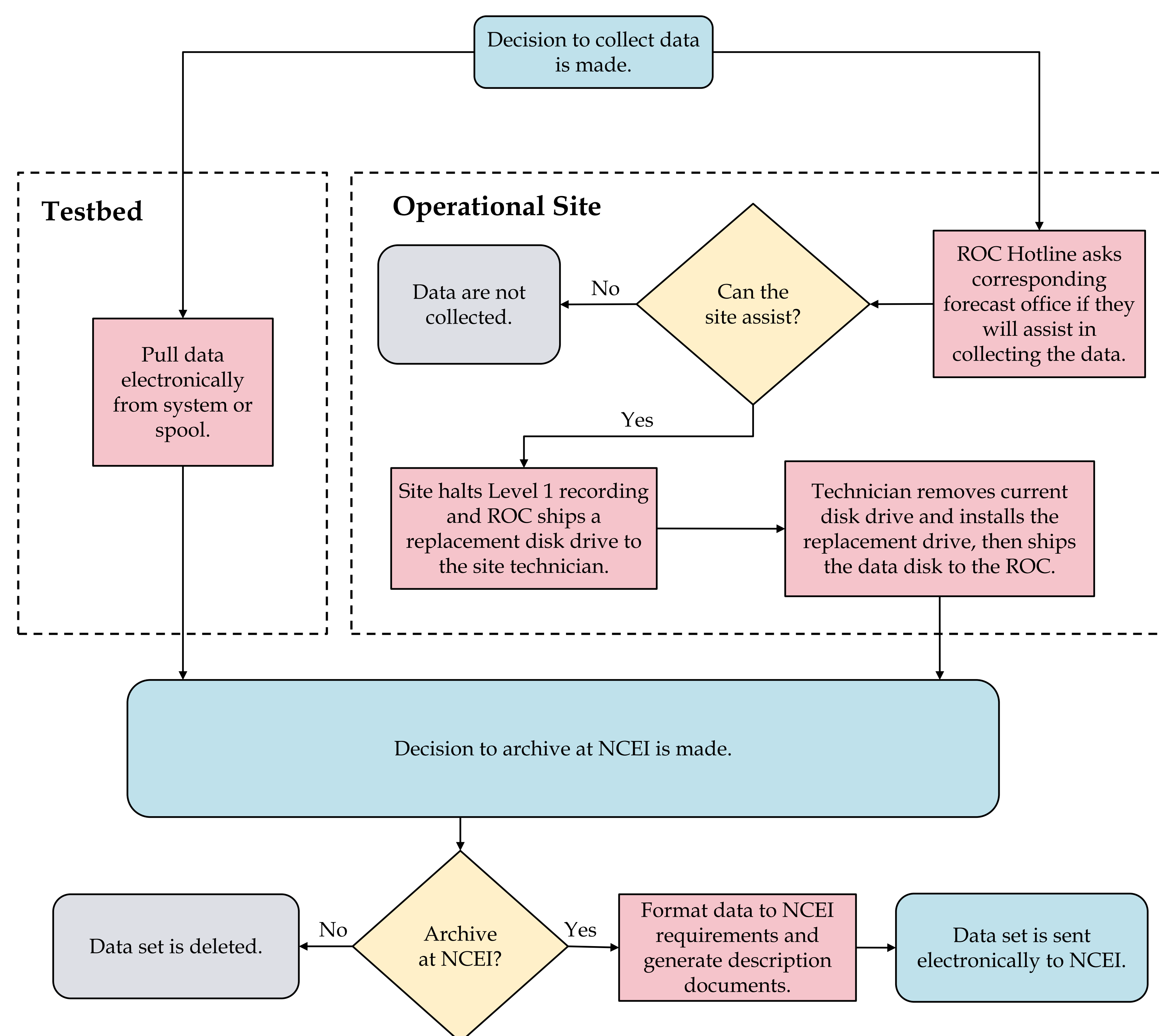
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Level 1 data sets are valuable assets for signal processing algorithm development and evaluation. The improvement in electronic storage capacity now allows us to collect these data from both testbed and operational sites, providing a wider variety of data sets than could be recorded at the Radar Operations Center testbeds in Norman, OK. The Level 1 data sets are available to the public from NCEI via electronic download.

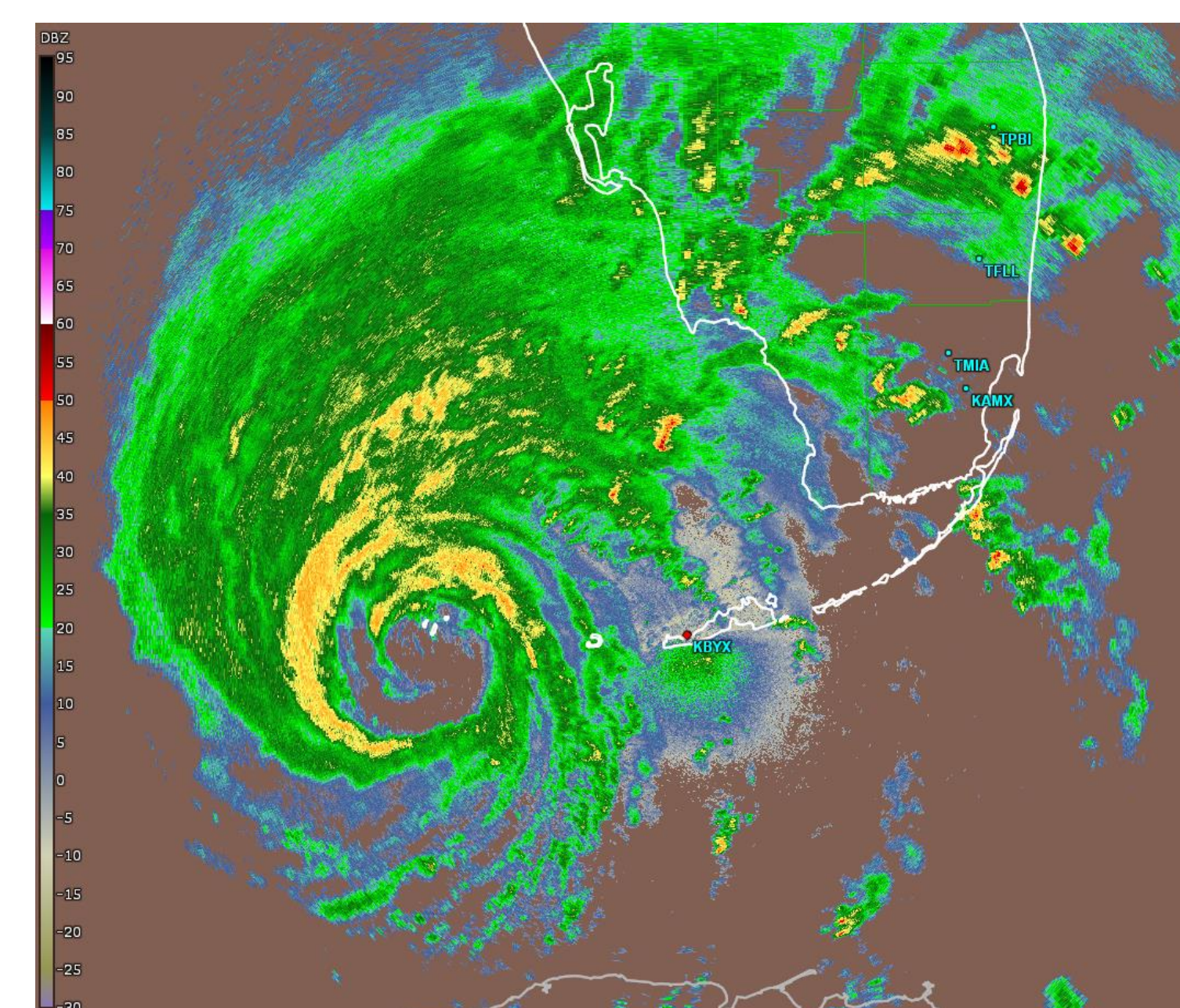
Data Retrieval Process



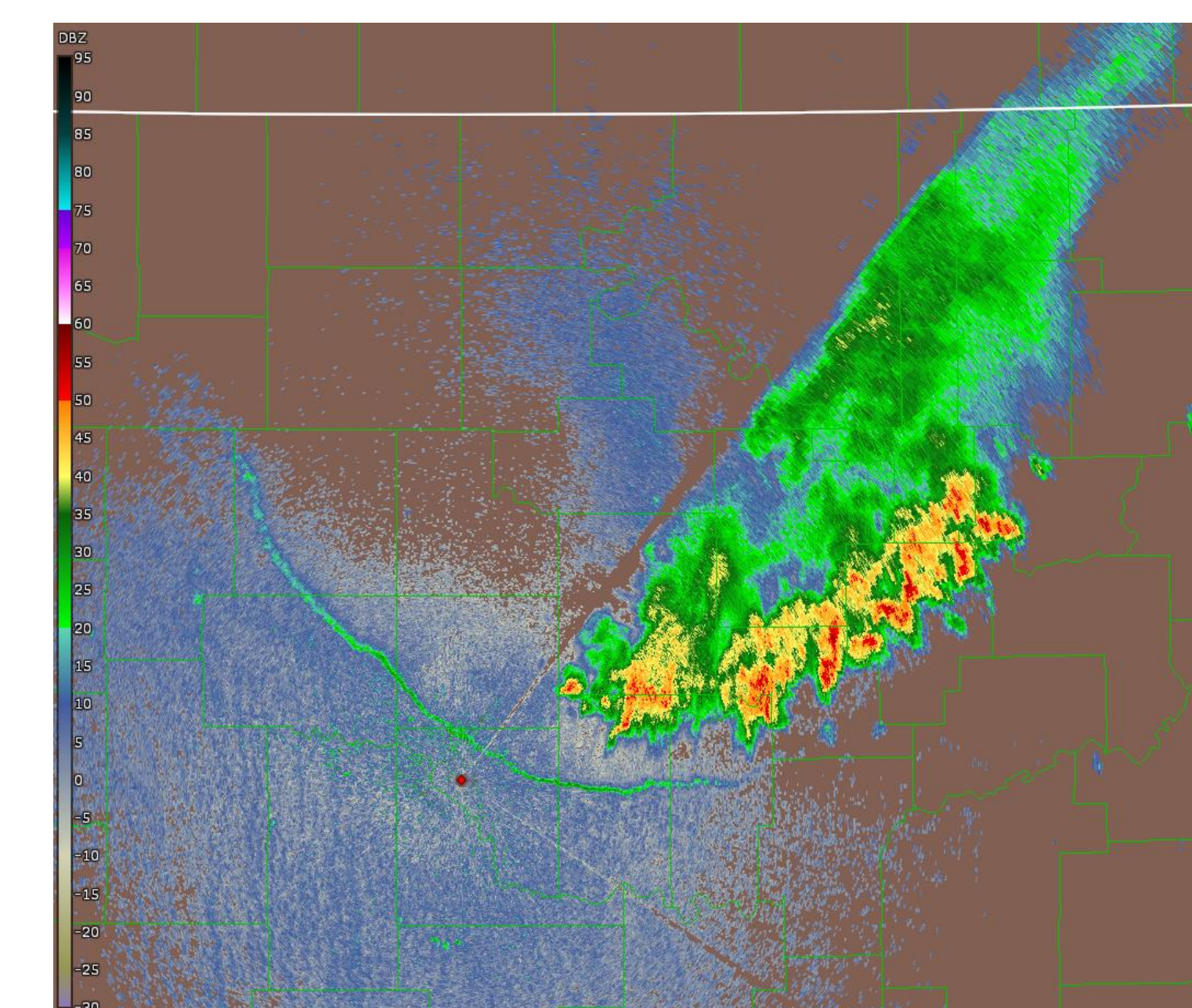
NCEI
NOAA Next Generation Radar (NEXRAD)
Level 1 Event Data



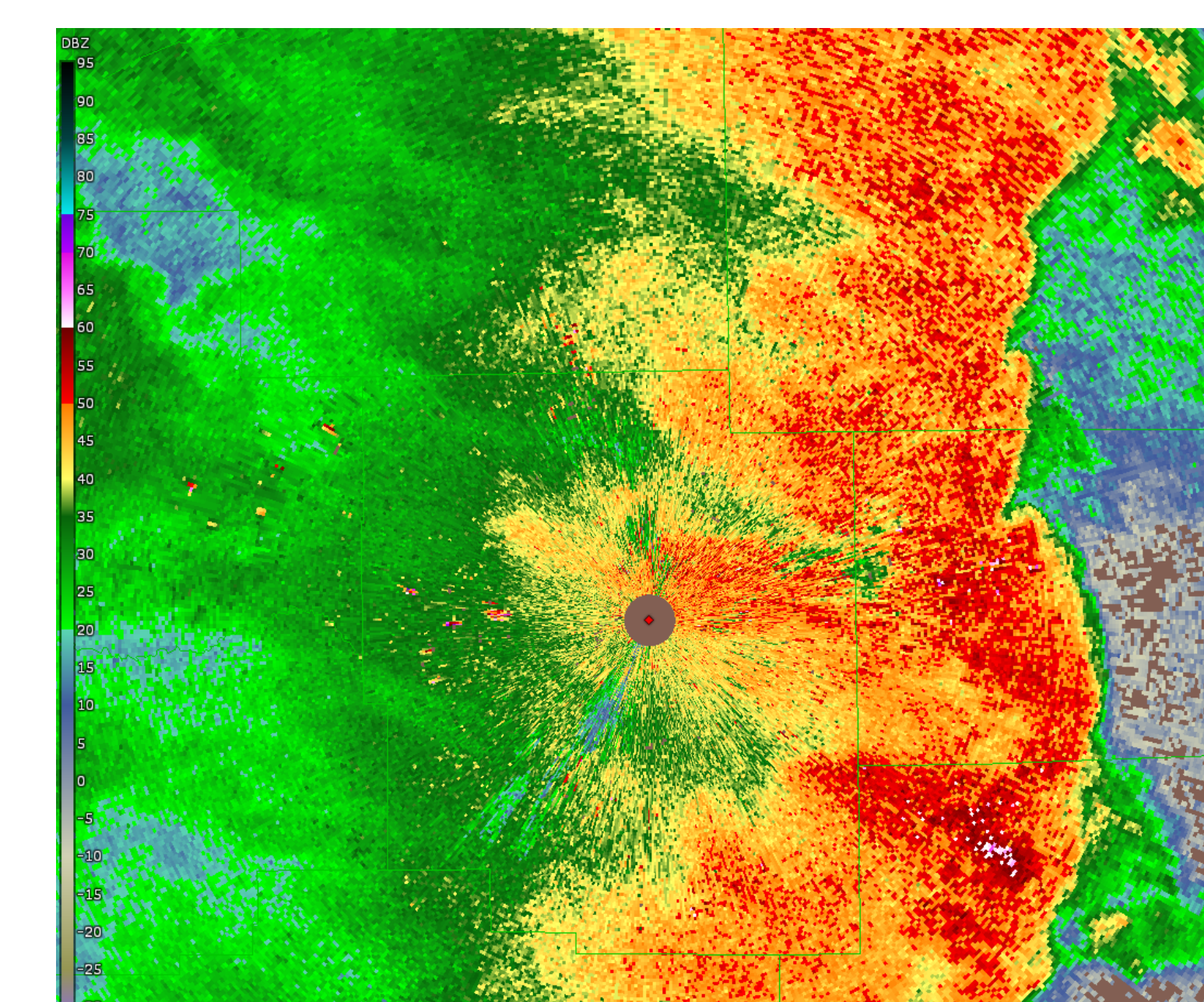
Examples of Available Data Sets



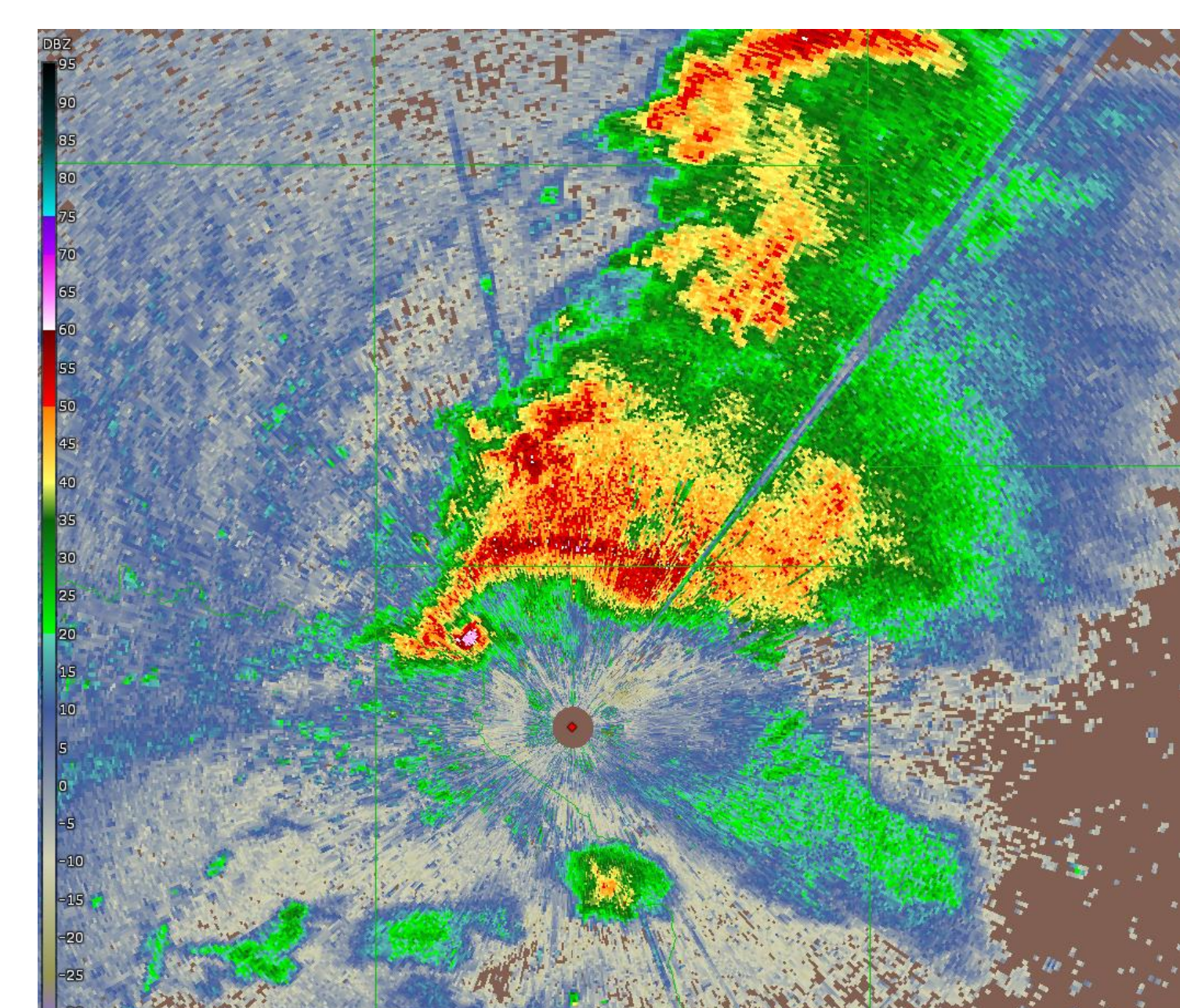
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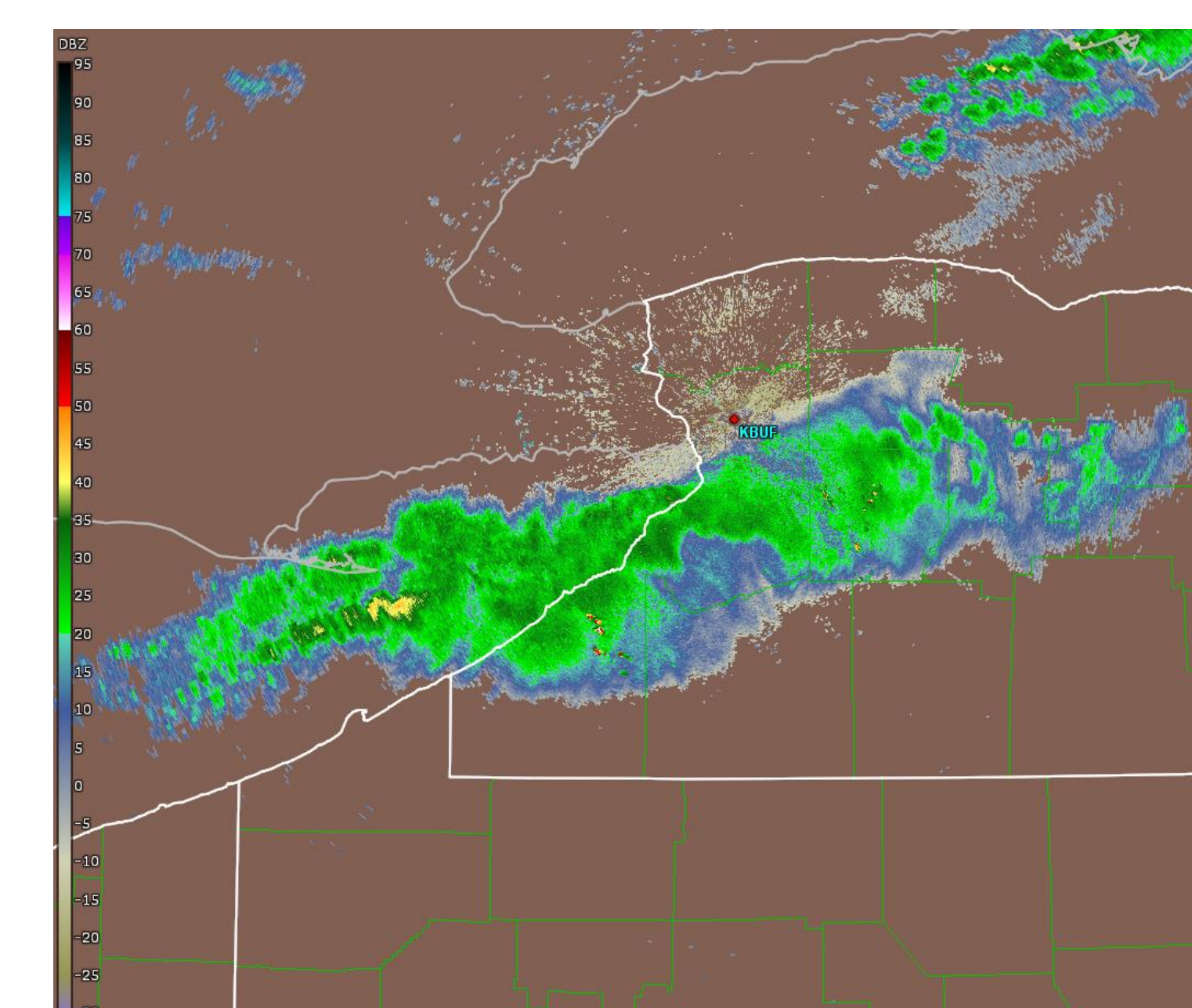
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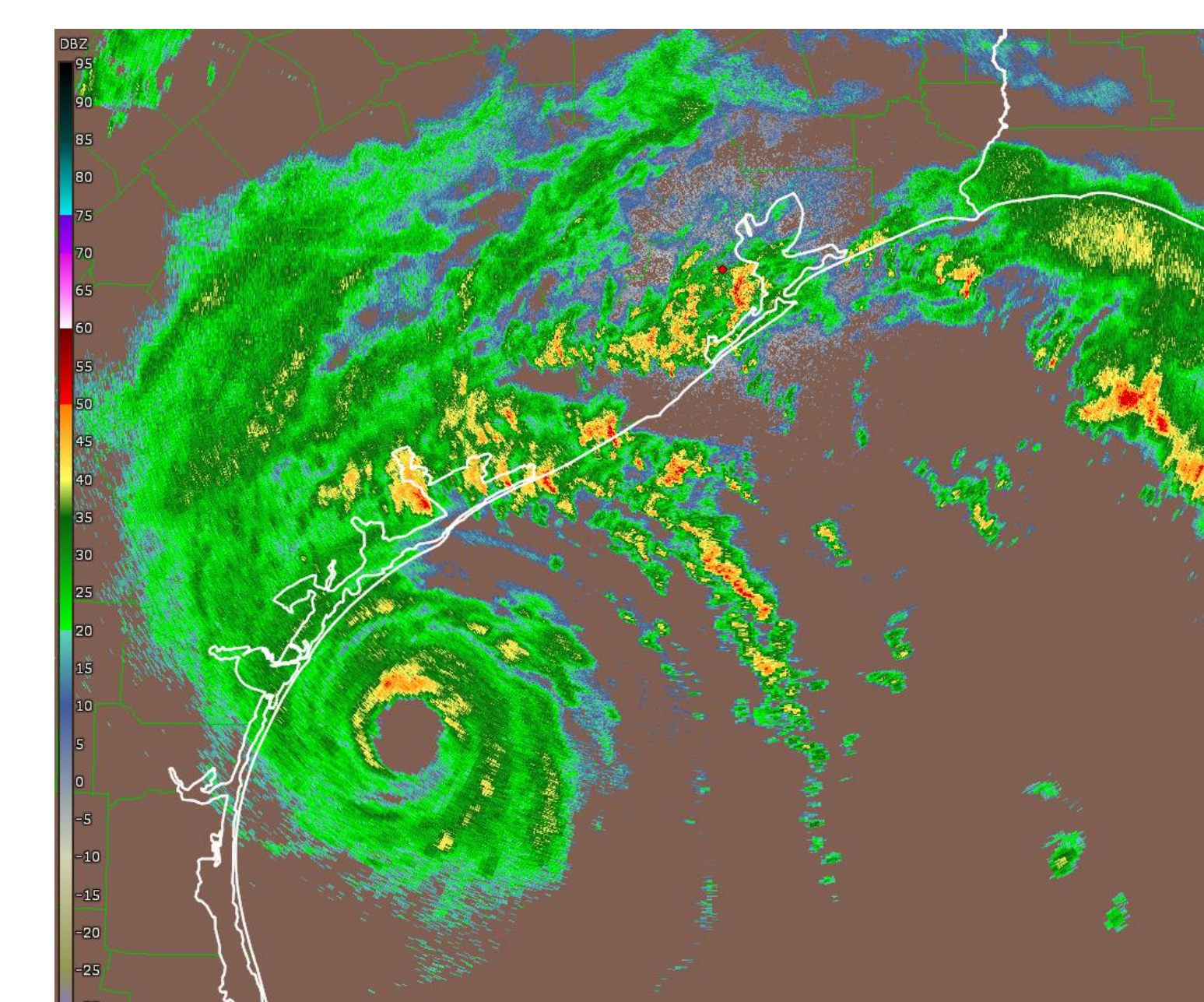
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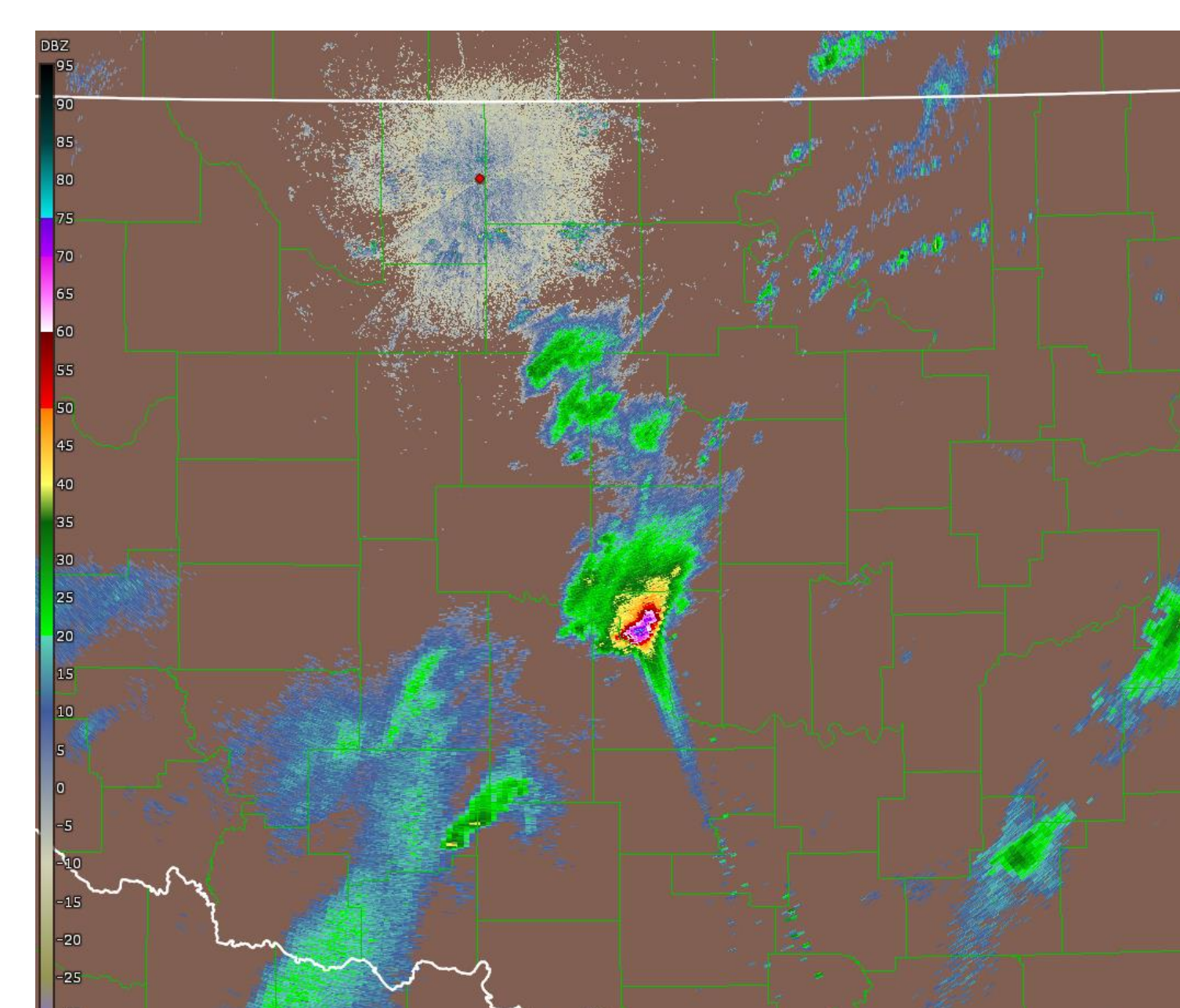
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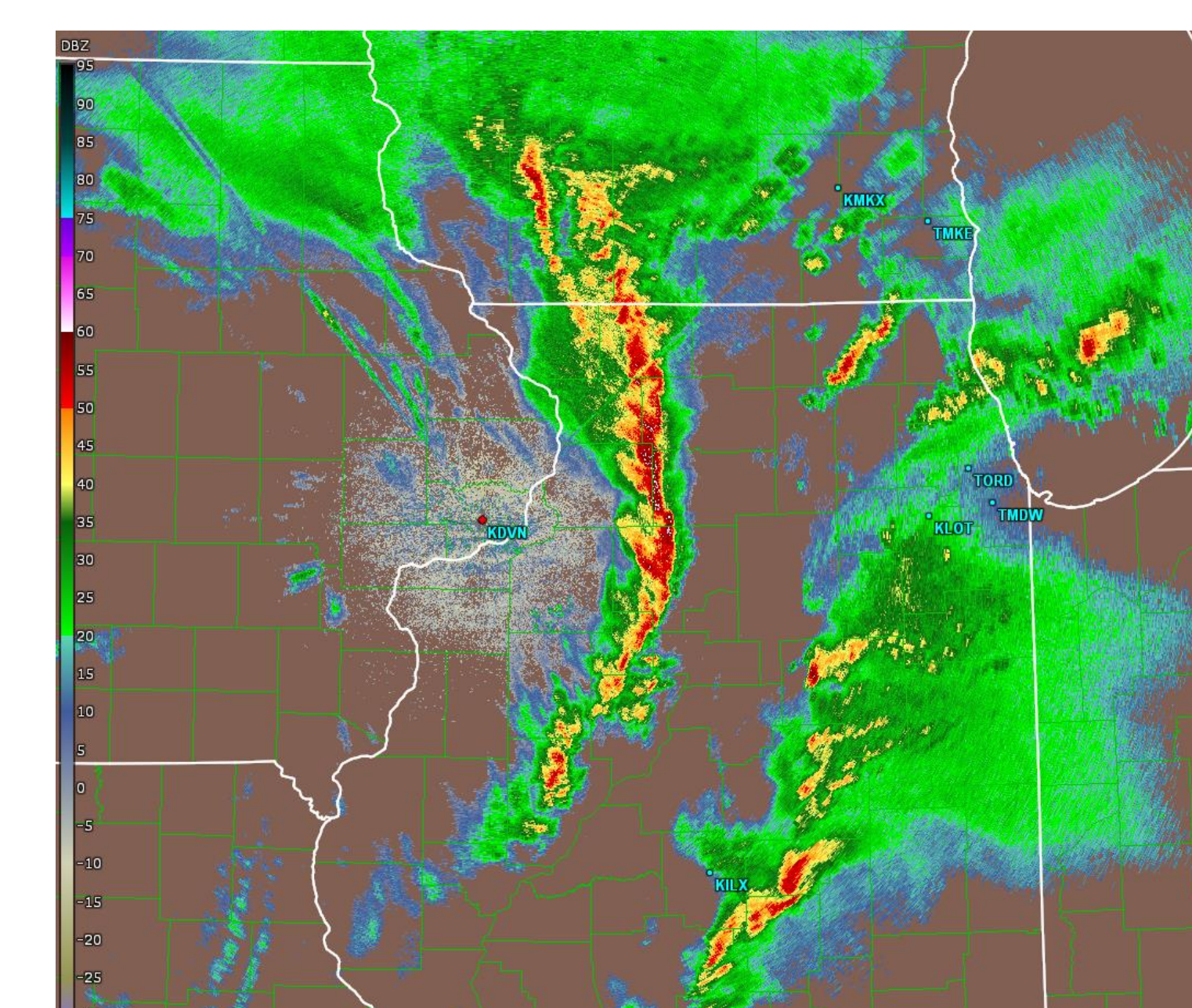
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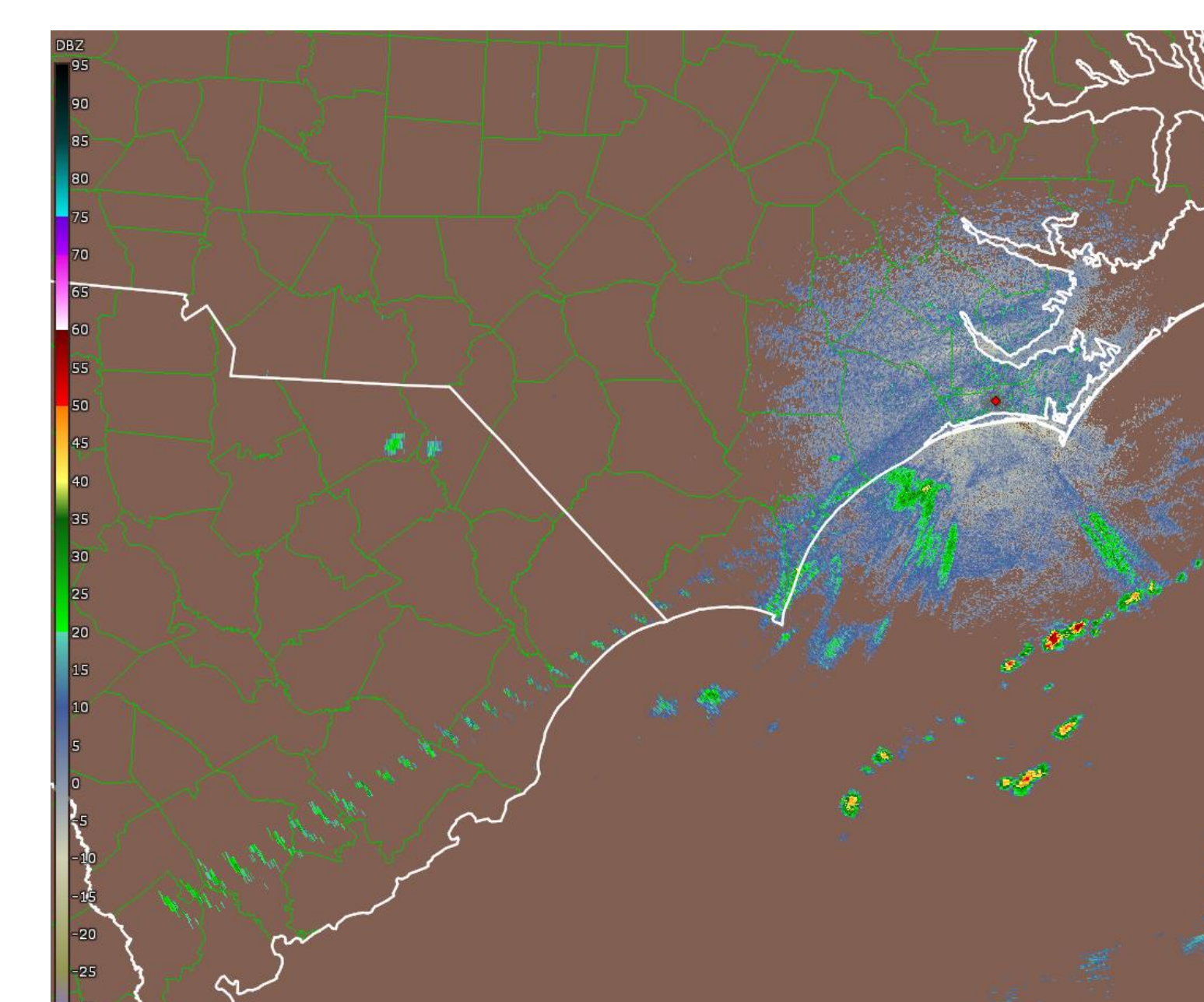
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Hail Spike
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Thunderstorms
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Interference and Sea Clutter
KMHX 20110625 1742 UTC