

Hurricane Paths: 1995-2005

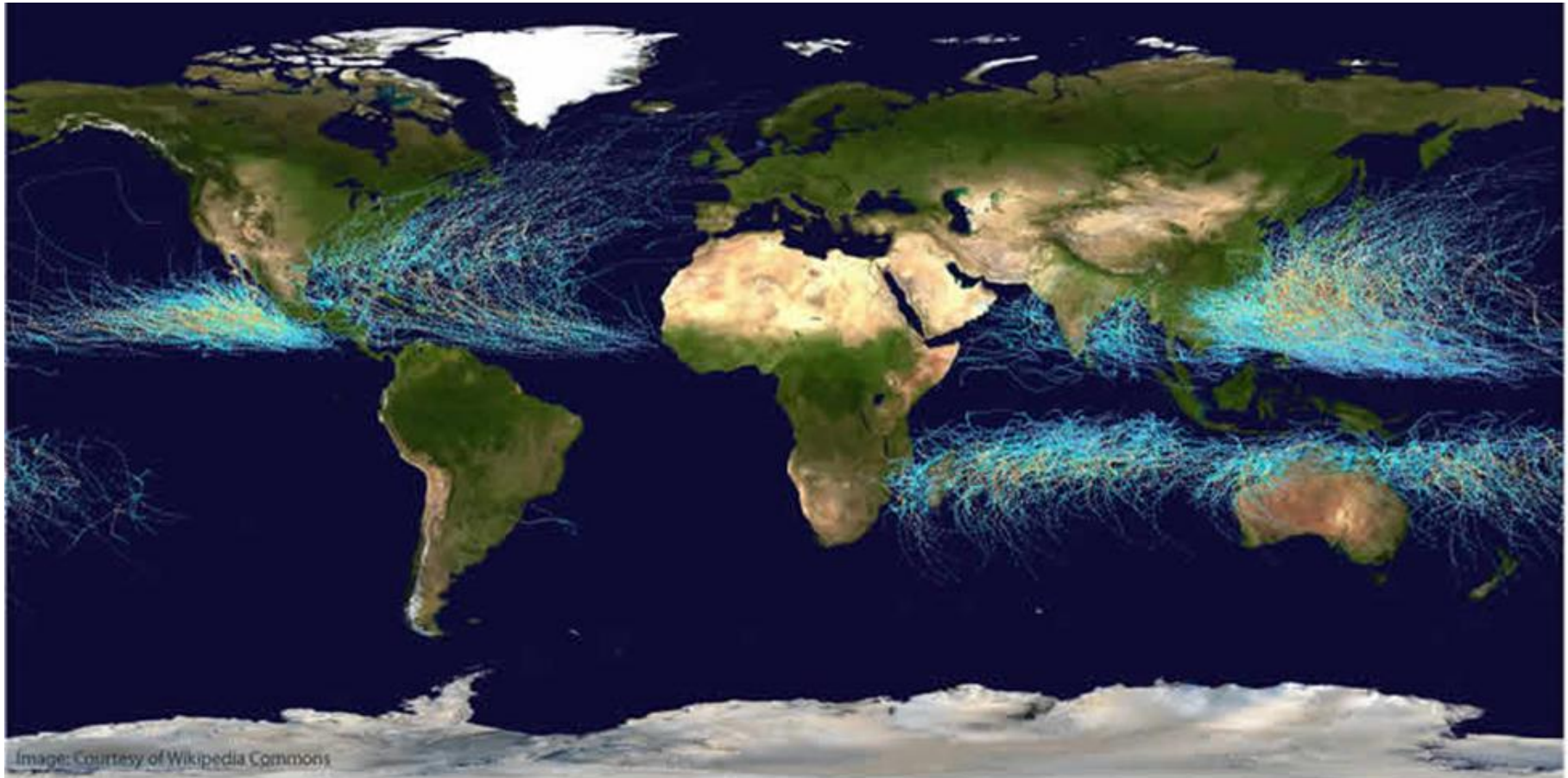


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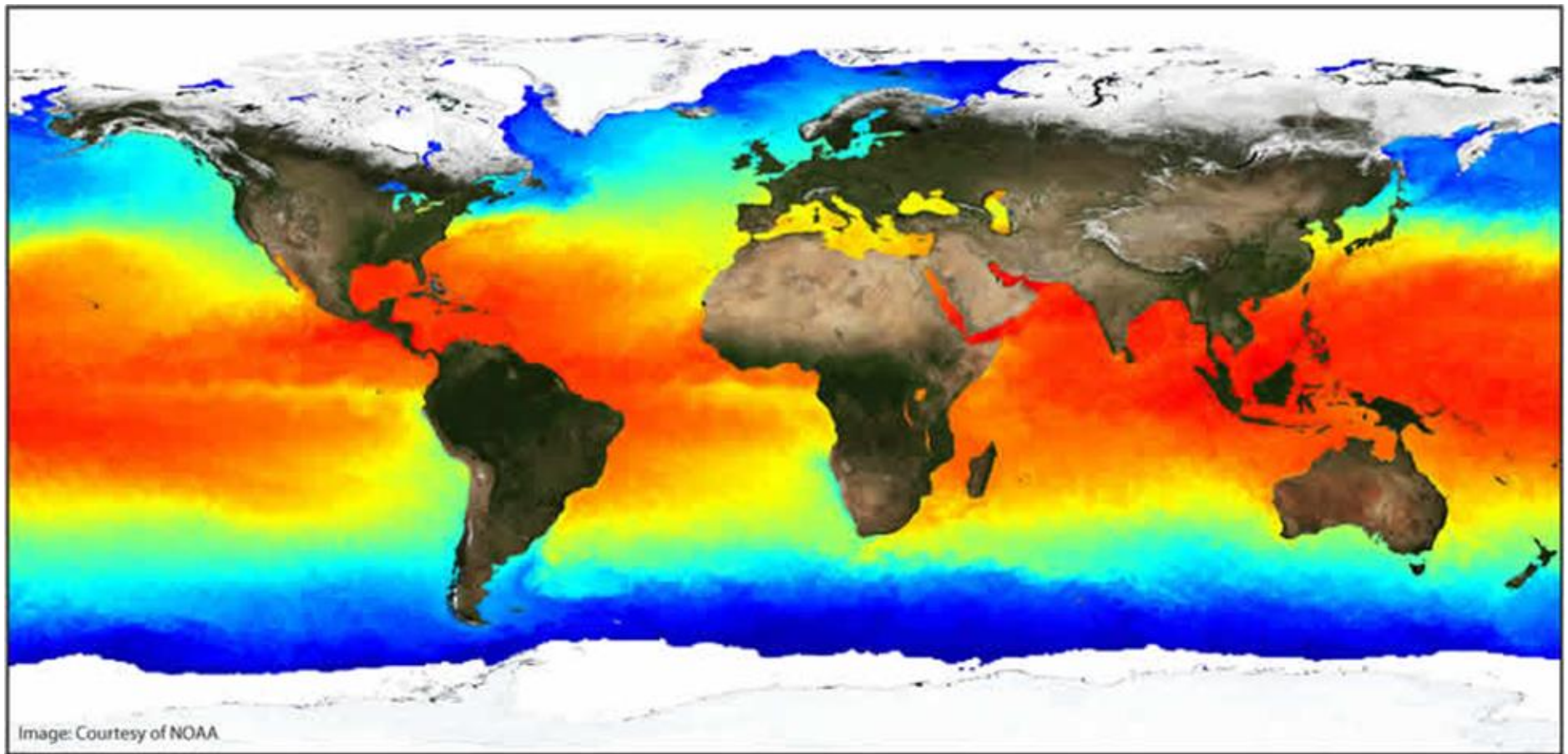
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- Tropical Storm

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Average Sea Surface Temperatures



Key:



Sea Surface Temperatures in Degrees Celsius

The map above shows the temperature of the ocean surface (called "sea surface temperature" or SST). The data to make this map was collected by instruments on the GOES and POES satellites from June 21-24, 2005. See key to colors at left.

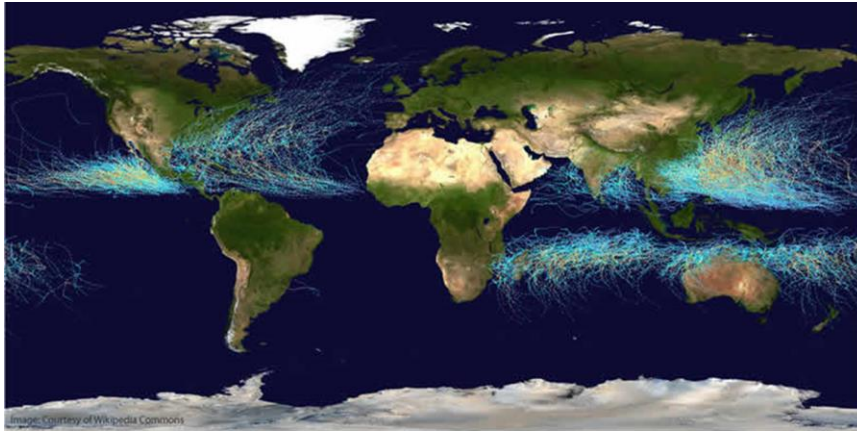


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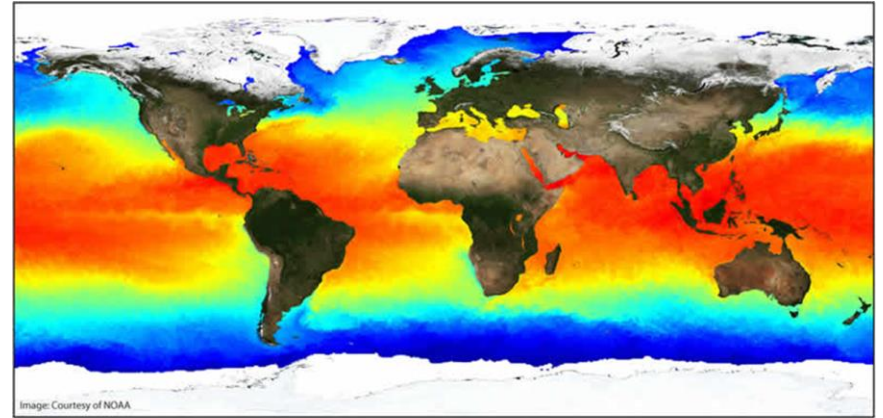
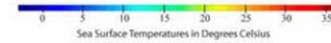


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