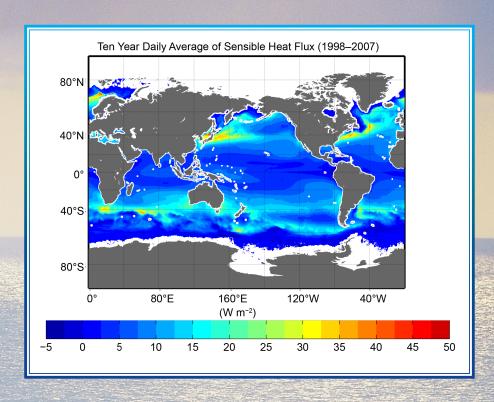


# OCEAN HEAT FLUXES



#### **CLIMATE DATA RECORD SPECIFICATIONS**

- · Sensible and latent heat fluxes
- Global ice-free ocean surface coverage
- 0.25 x 0.25 degree
- Three-hourly product
- 1988-present
- Updated monthly

# VARIABLES TO THIS CLIMATE DATA RECORD

- Surface upward sensible heat flux
- Surface upward latent heat flux

## **SOME USES OF THIS**

#### **CLIMATE DATA RECORD**

- Surface energy budget analysis
- Evaluating trends and variability of surface heat fluxes
- Atmospheric and oceanic modeling and verification
- Global analysis of heat cycle

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https://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/cdr/atmospheric/ocean-heat-fluxes

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#### **INFORMATION:**

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**NOAA's Climate Data Record (CDR)** 

