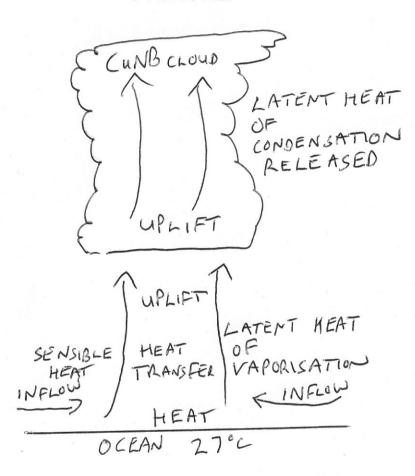
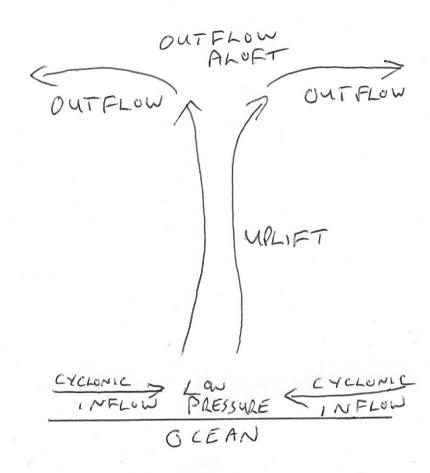
HOW HEAT FUELS THE CYCLONE



HOW AIR FLOW FUELS THE CYCLONE



WHY DO CYCLONES DIE?

When :-

- a. They move out of the Tropics
- b. They move over land

Both a. and b. reduce the heat fuelling the system.
Over land there is no input of latent heat, this will cause the low to fo fill in and the strength of inflowing air to reduce

- b. Friction on land decreases the wind speed
- b. Reduces the moisture input to the system.

IMPACT OF GLOBAL WARMING

- higher sea surface temperature
- · larger area of ocean above 27 C
- Extension of hurricane / cyclone season

More intense cyclones (more category 5's)

More frequent cyclones

Form outside the Tropics

Cyclone zone extends outside Tropics

Cyclones dissipate more slowly

lower pressure
higher wind speed
higher rainfall

d Larger storm surges