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Earth Observation of Clouds and Aerosols for Climate Modeling

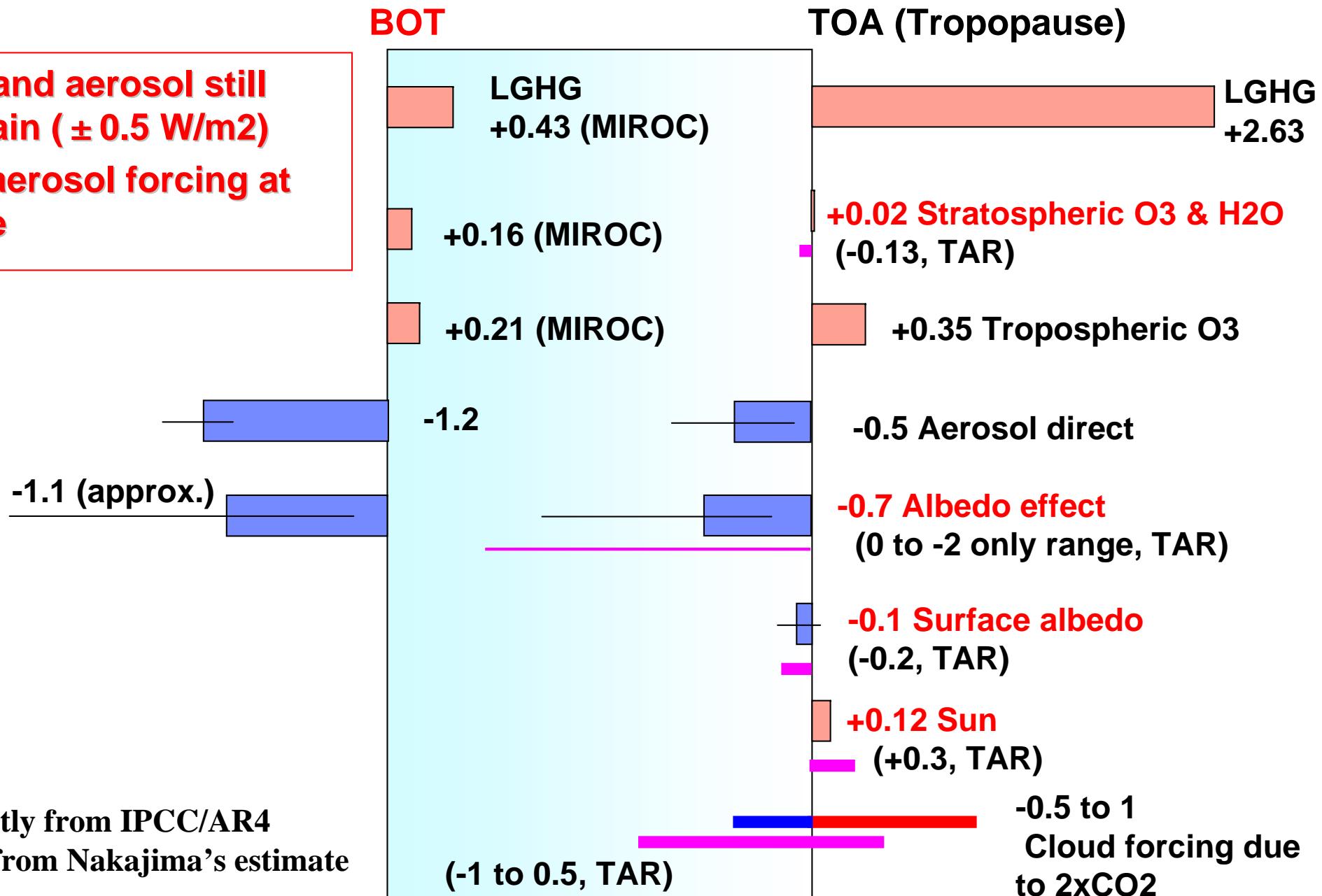
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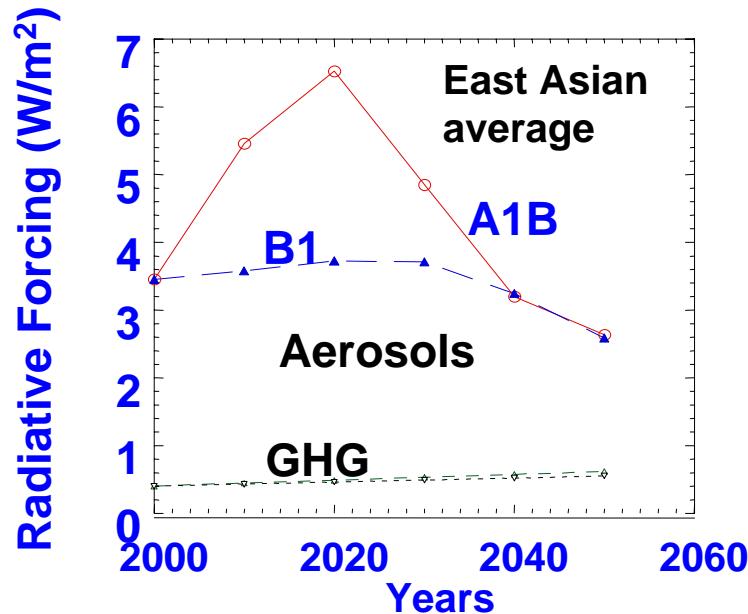
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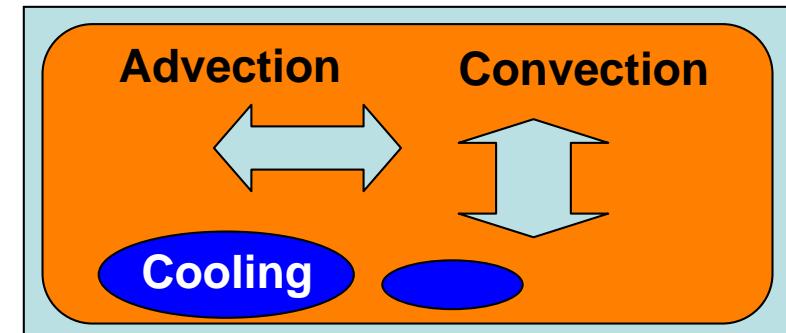
Radiative forcings since 1750

- Cloud and aerosol still uncertain ($\pm 0.5 \text{ W/m}^2$)
- Large aerosol forcing at surface

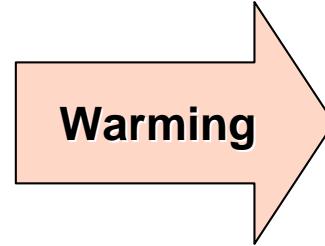
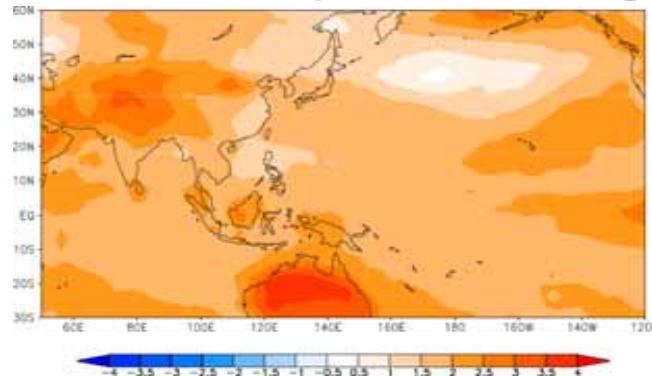




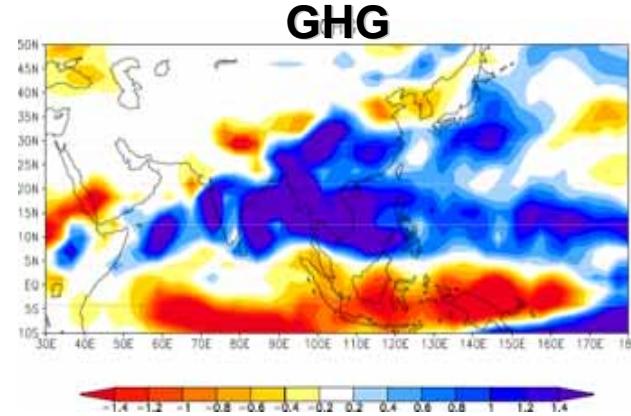
- **Aerosol change important to monitor**



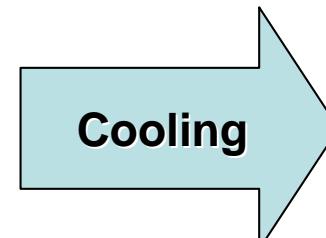
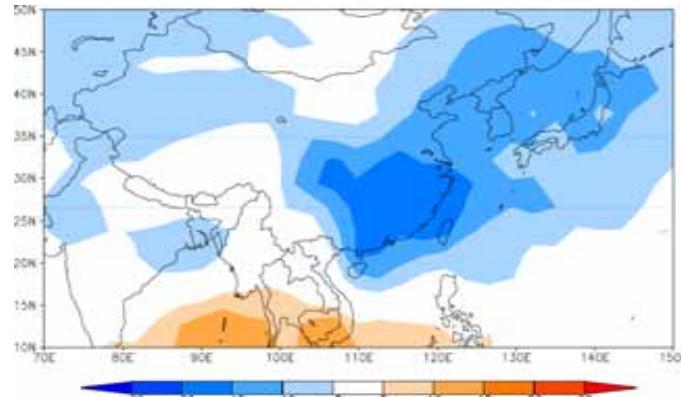
Surface air temperature change due to GHG



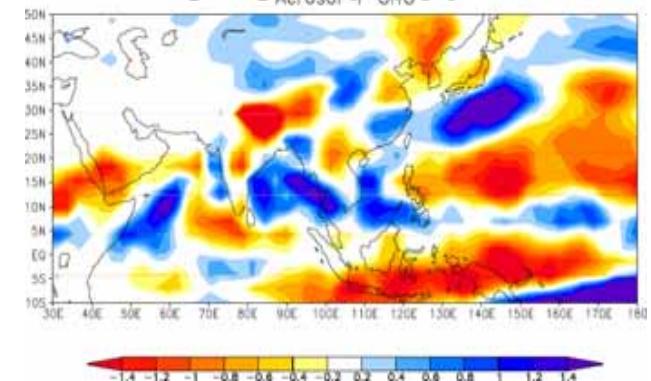
Precipitation change [mm/day](JJAS)



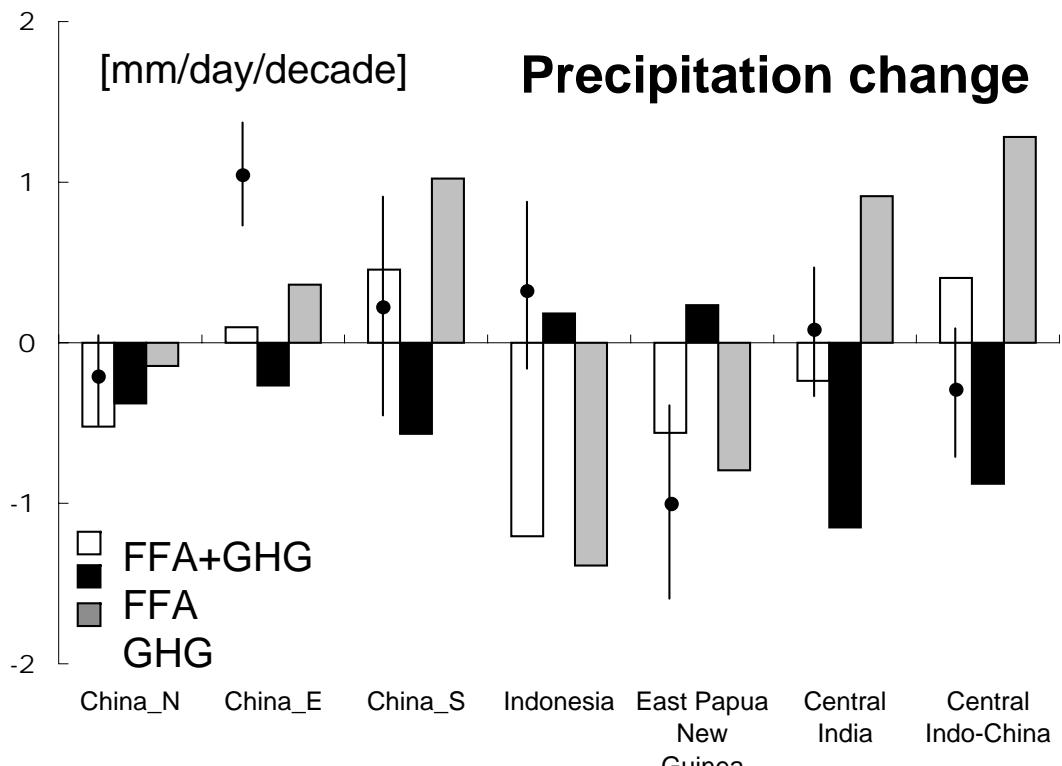
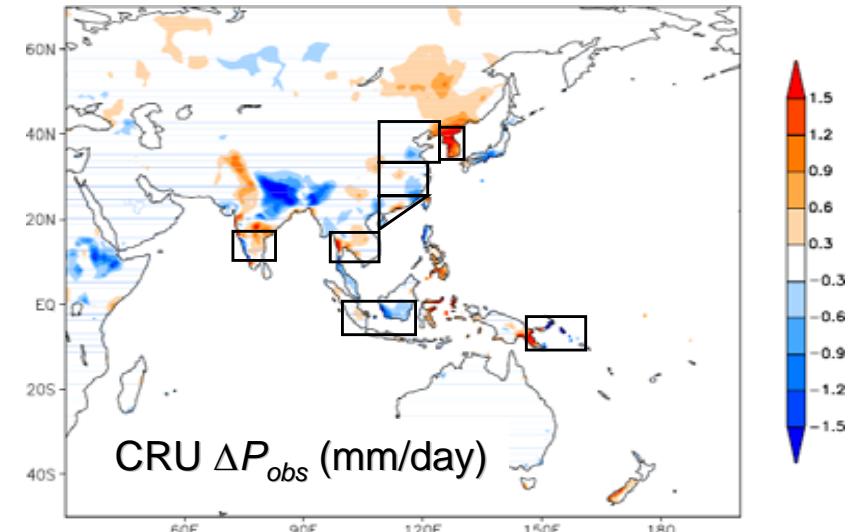
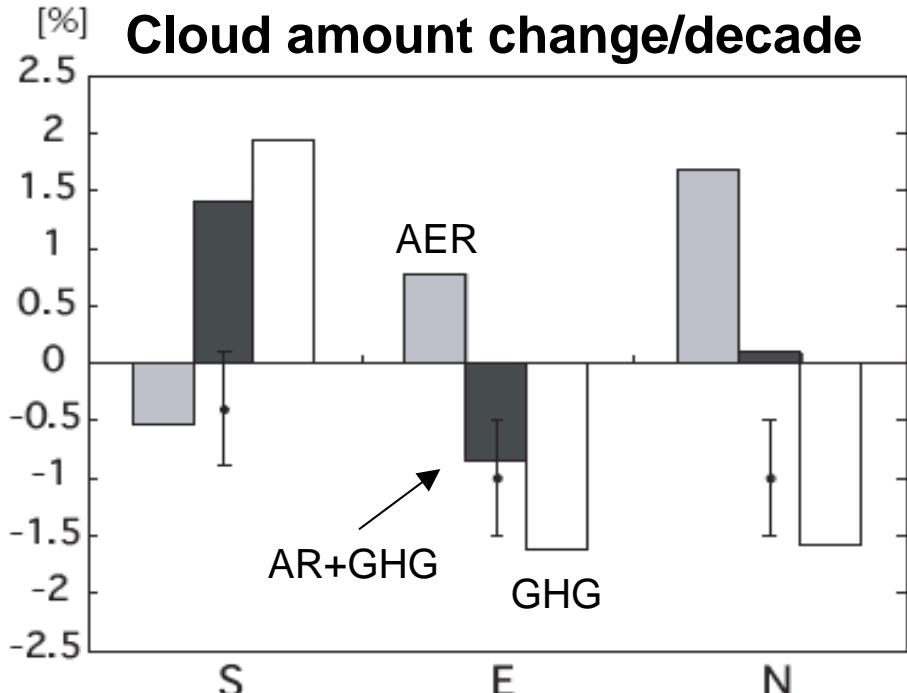
Surface forcing by man-made aerosol (W/m^2)



GHG+Aerosol

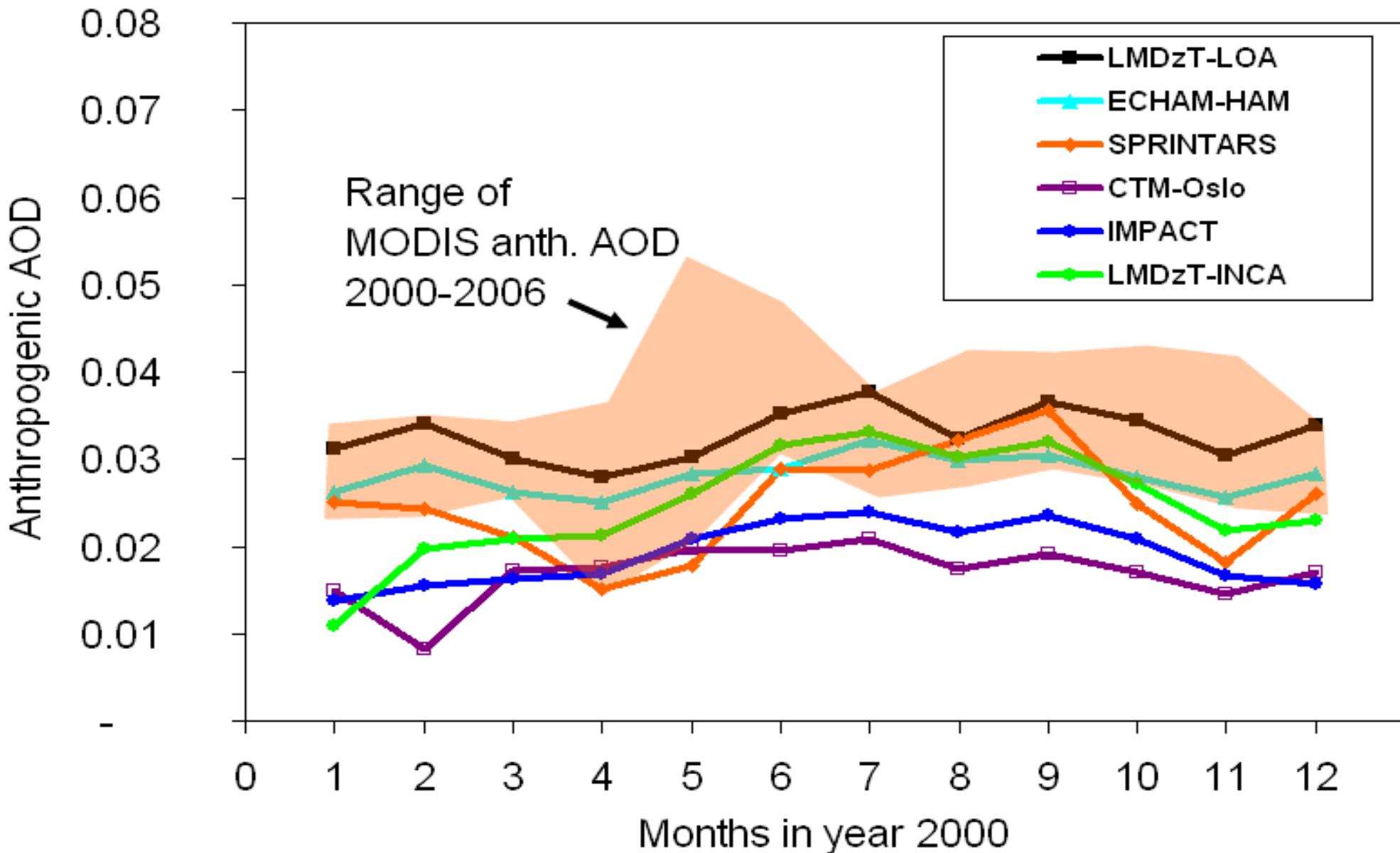


Model vs observation: Cloud and precip



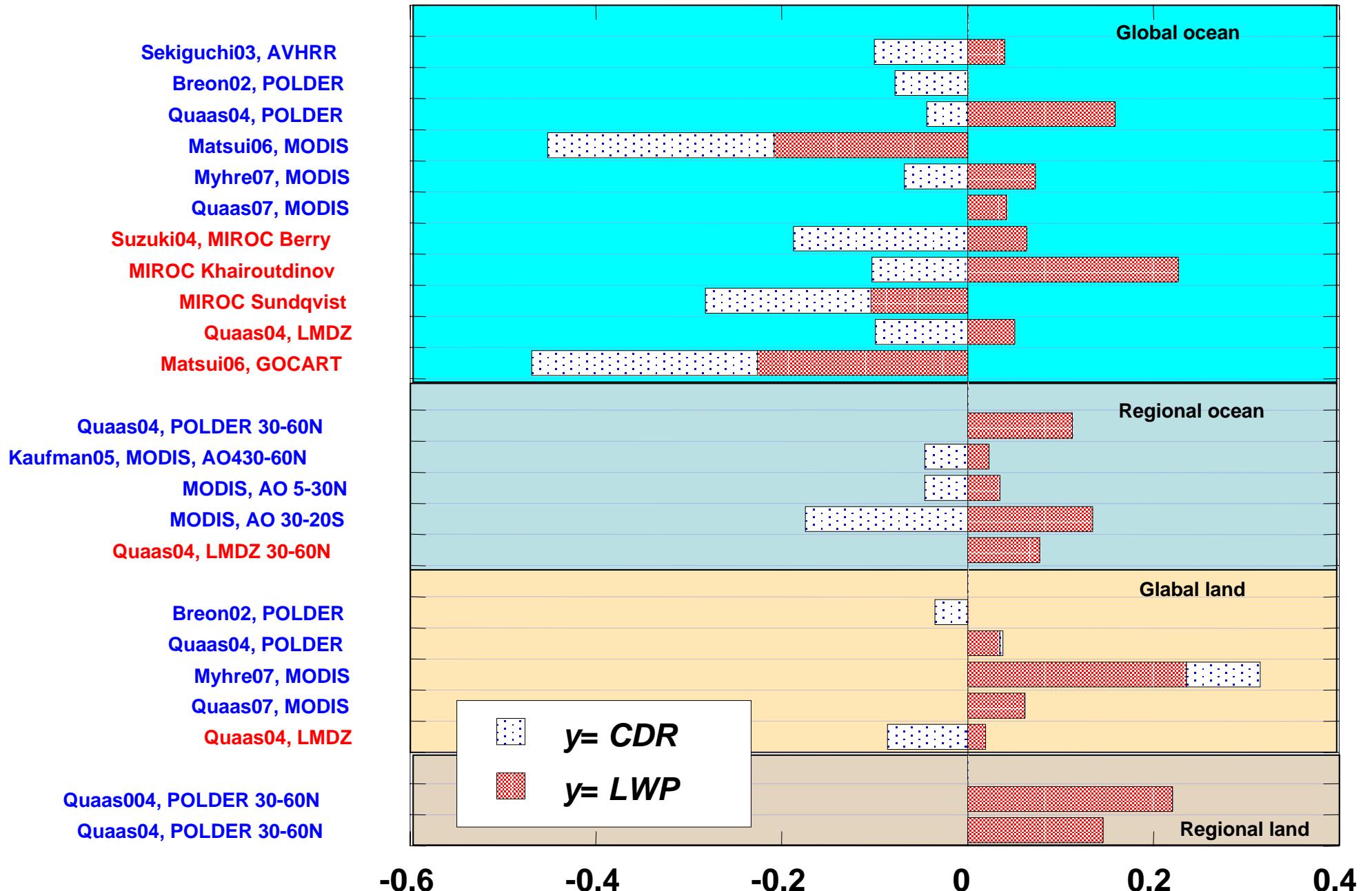
- Some similarity
- Need both GHG and aerosols
- Low and high cloud difference

Global monitoring and simulation of aerosols



• Model underestimation of AOT

Nakajima and Schulz (FIAS 2008)



Nakajima et al. (FIAS 2008)

$$b = d \log(y) / d \log(Na)$$

Observation systems for climate change study

1. GEO 10-year implementation plan; [GEO.information.kit](#)
2. 2008 (H20) Japanese plan for Earth Observation
3. NASA Earth Science Decadal Survey Implementation
4. ESA home page: <http://earth.esa.int/missions/>

GHGs and CO2	Radiation budget, Clouds, and Aerosols	Meteorology/ocean dynamics	Earth's surface
Surface networks (FLUXNET, AsianFLUX, GAW)	Surface networks (BSRN, SKYNET, AERONET, Lidar etc)	Surface networks (Meteorological networks, wind profiler, GLOSS-sea level height etc)	Monitoring of vegetation, forest and ecological systems
Moving platforms: RV, commercial ship and aircraft	Satellite-borne imager (GCOM)	Vertical ocean profiling (RV, Triton buoy, ARGO)	Satellite-borne high resolution imager (ALOS, LDCM, Sentinel-2)
Satellite-borne spectrometer (GOSAT, OCO)	Vertical sounding by active satellite sensing (CLOUDSAT, CALIPSO, EarthCARE)	Satellite-borne imager (GEOS and polar orbitors, GCOM, NPP, NPOESS)	Surface measurements by satellite-borne SAR (Sentinel-1)
	Satellite-borne radiative budget radiometer (EarthCARE, NPP, NPOESS, Glory, CLARREO)	Satellite-borne precip radar (TRMM, GPM)	Vegetation and cryosphere surface topology by lidar/radar altimeter (ICESat, ICESat-II, Cryosat-2, DESDynI)
		3D wind by satellite-borne Doppler lidar (ADM)	Soil moisture and SSS by L-band radiometer (SMOS, Aquarius, SMAP)
		Sea surface altimeter and scatterometer (OSTM, Sentinel-3)	Gravity field (GOCE) and geomagnetic field (Swarm) measurements

Some programs

- **Chemical and optical measurements**
 - ↗ Single particle measurements
 - ↗ CCN measurements
- **Skyradiometer & flux radiometer**
 - ↗ NASA/AERONET
 - ↗ WMO/GAW, WCRP/BSRN
 - ↗ MEXT/Earth Observation/SKYNET: Takamura
- **Lidar**
 - ↗ MPL, Earlinet, GALION
 - ↗ NIES (Sugimoto)
- **35&95GHz cloud radar**
 - ↗ DOE/ARM
 - ↗ NICT-Chiba U Spidar, Falcon
- **NIES/Hedo observatory**
- **Program**
 - ↗ UNEP/ABC (Atmospheric Brown Clouds) Phase-II
 - ↗ MOE Kosa Network
- **JAXA: GPM, EarthCARE, GCOM-W, C**



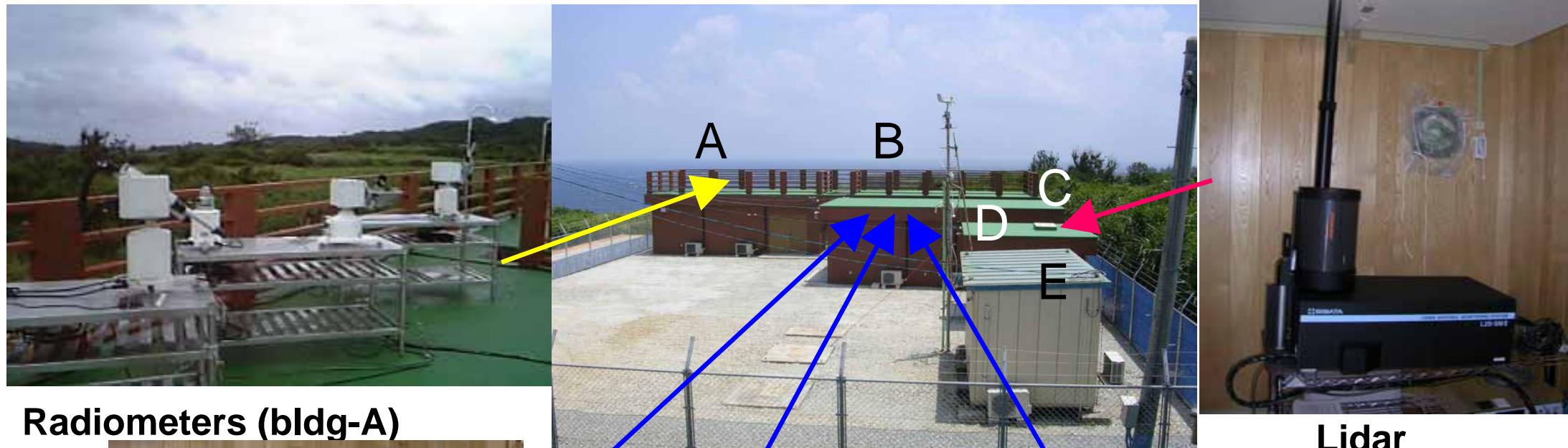


SKYNET

Sky radiometers

Self-calibration system

Akinawa/Hedo Observatory (NIES, Universities, ...)



Radiometers (bldg-A)



Aerosol Mass Spectrometer
(bldg-B)



TEOM&EC/OC meters



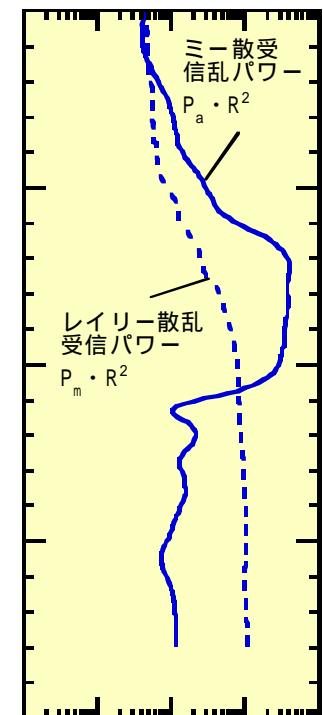
NO_3 -meter



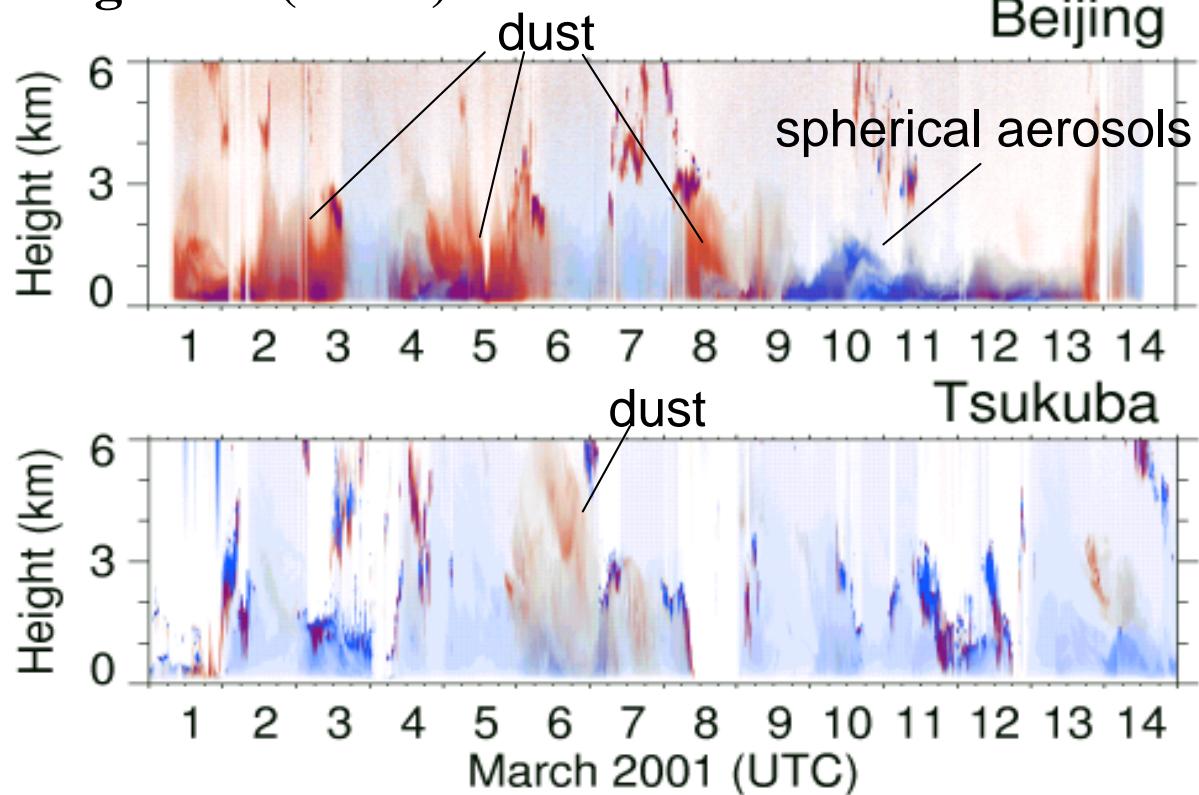
Lidar

Aerosol climatology by lidar systems

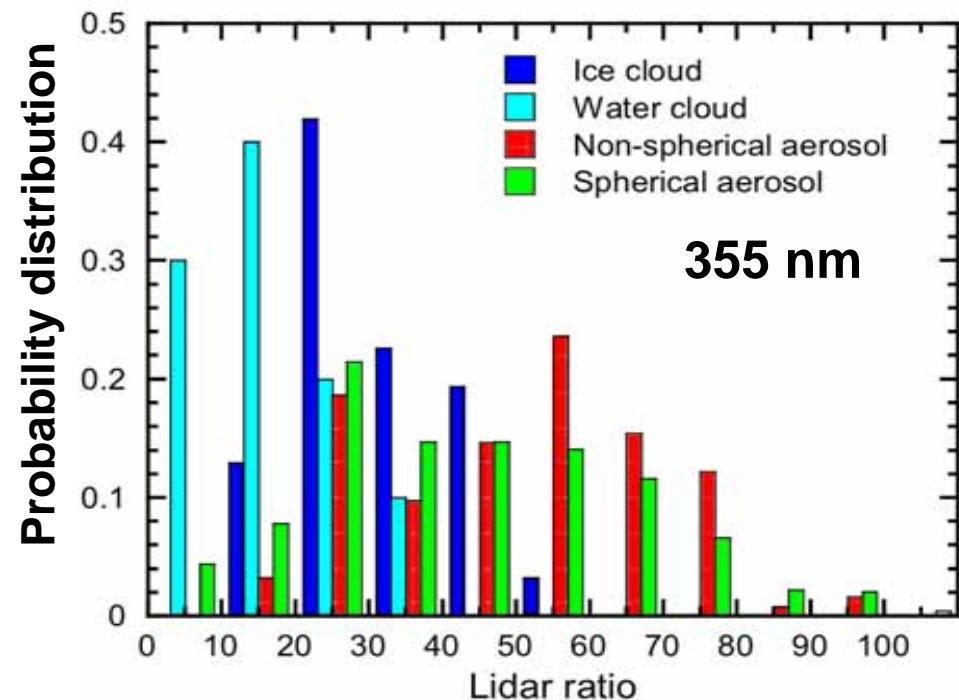
- Lidar ratio statistics by HSRL (532 nm & 355nm)
- Aerosol classification by dual frequency polarization
- Large-scale distribution of aerosol and cloud statistics by SKYNET and R/V Mirai



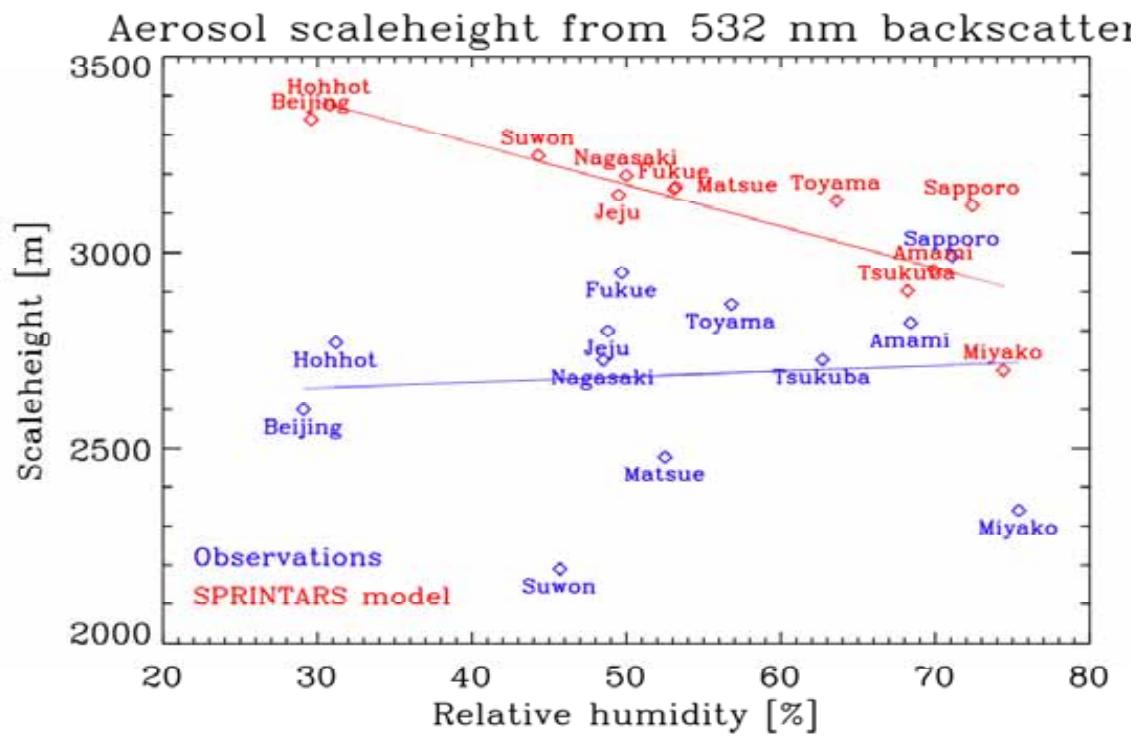
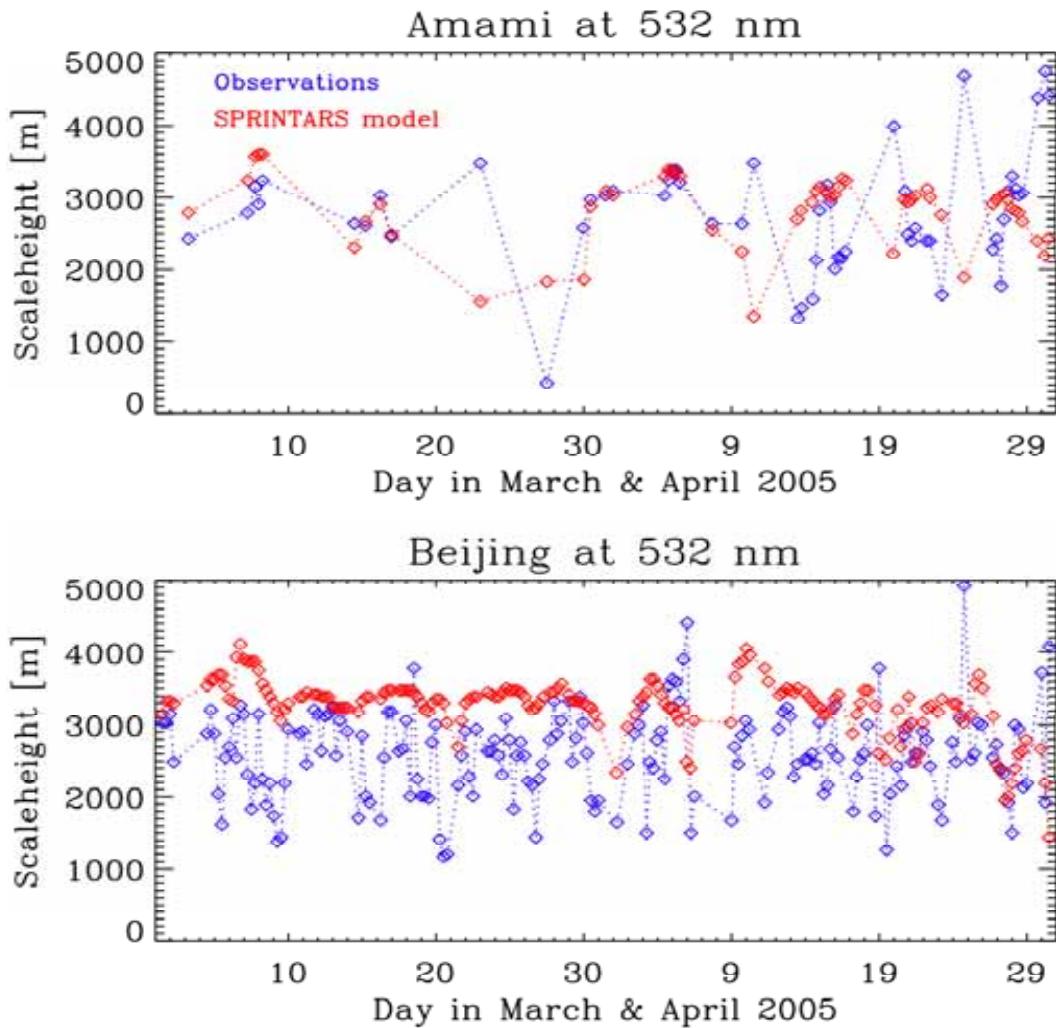
Sugimoto (NIES)



Apr 2006 - Jan 2007



Aerosol scale height for observations and simulations

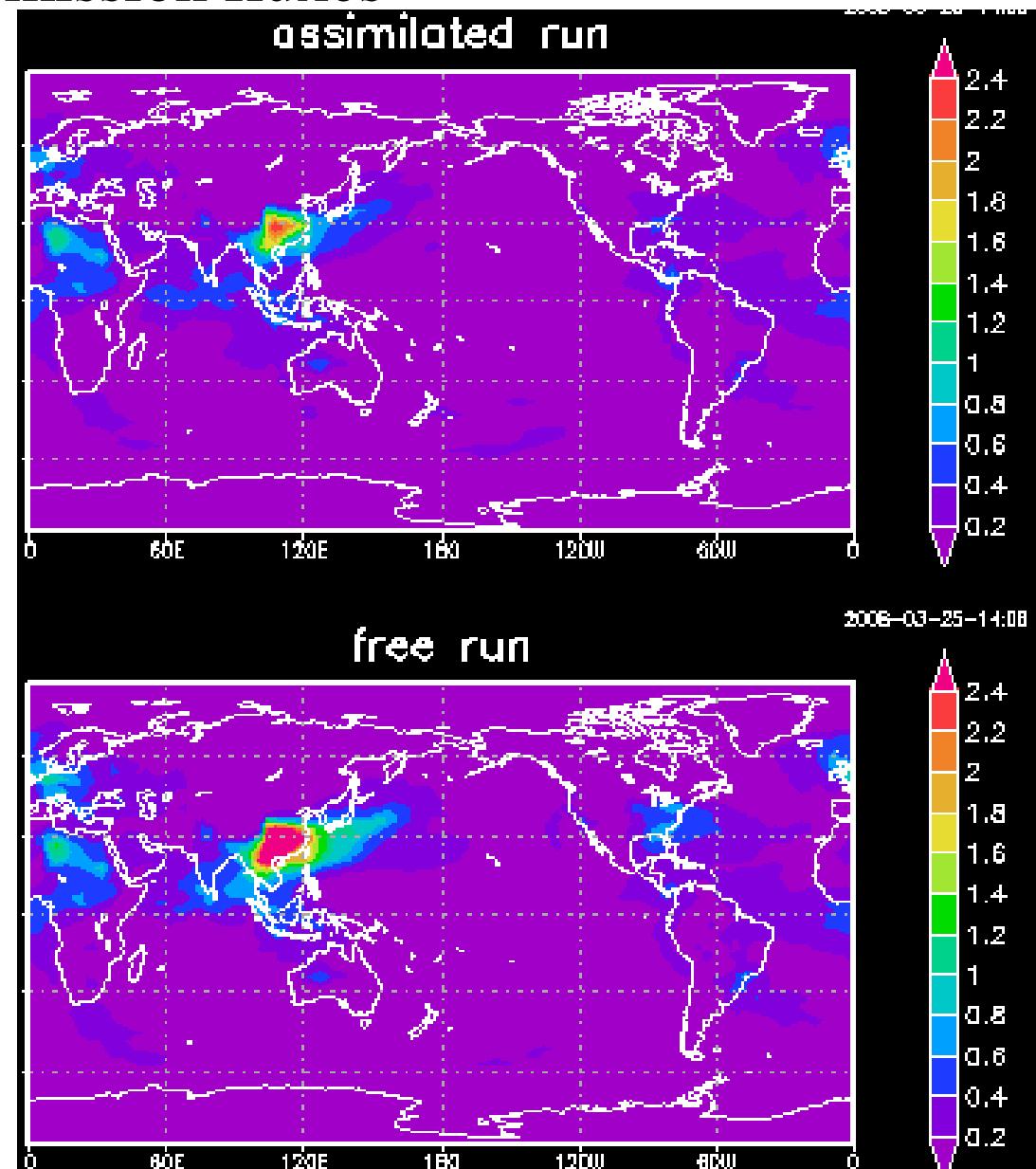
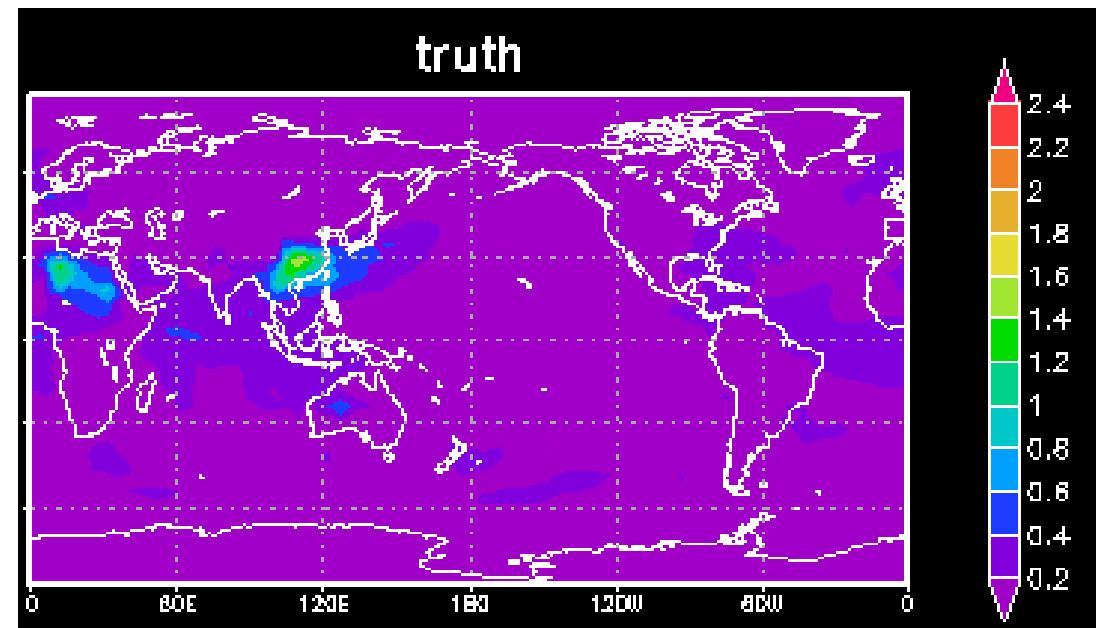


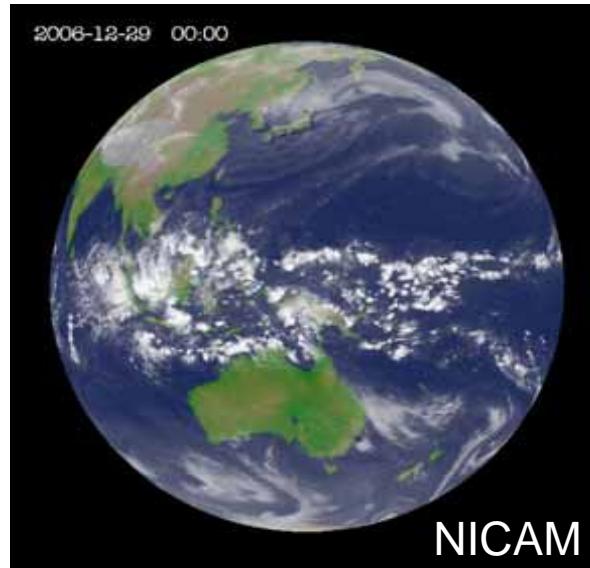
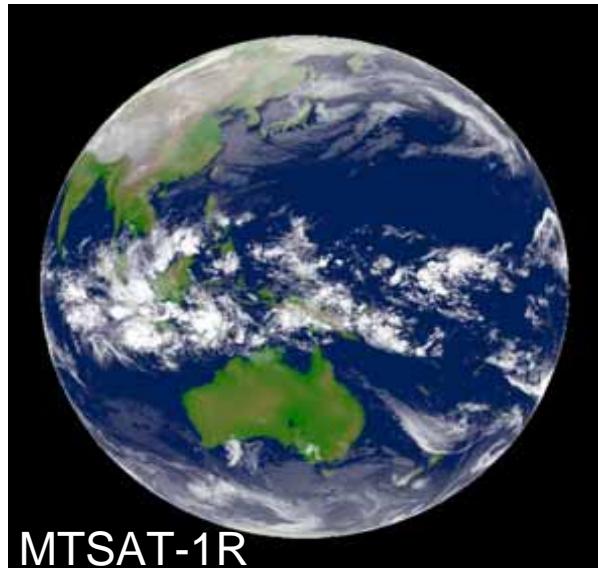
- Hygroscopic growth model improvement needed

MIROC+SPRINTARS/AOD at AERONET sites (simulation)

40-member ensemble with modified emission fluxes

2006.3.25(After 25 days)

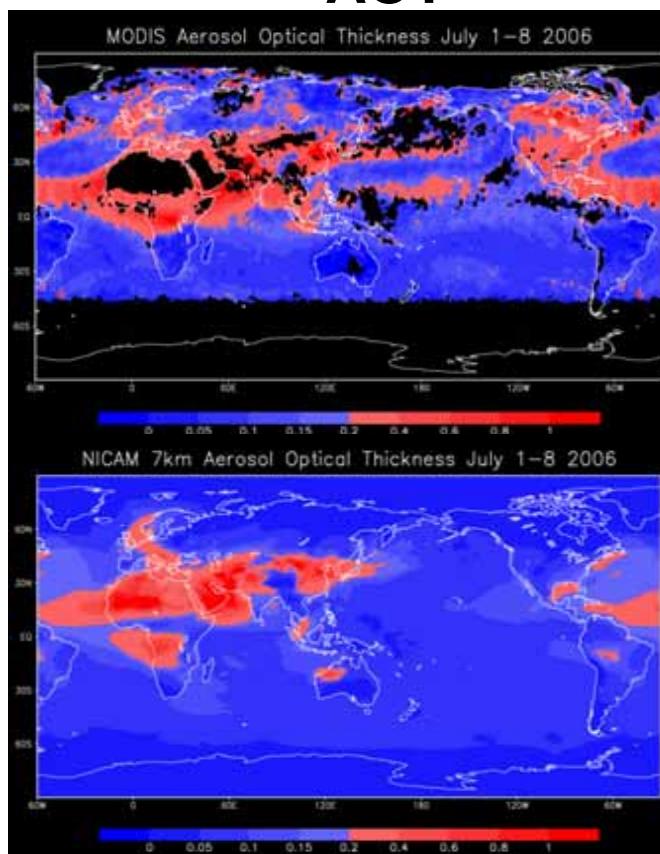




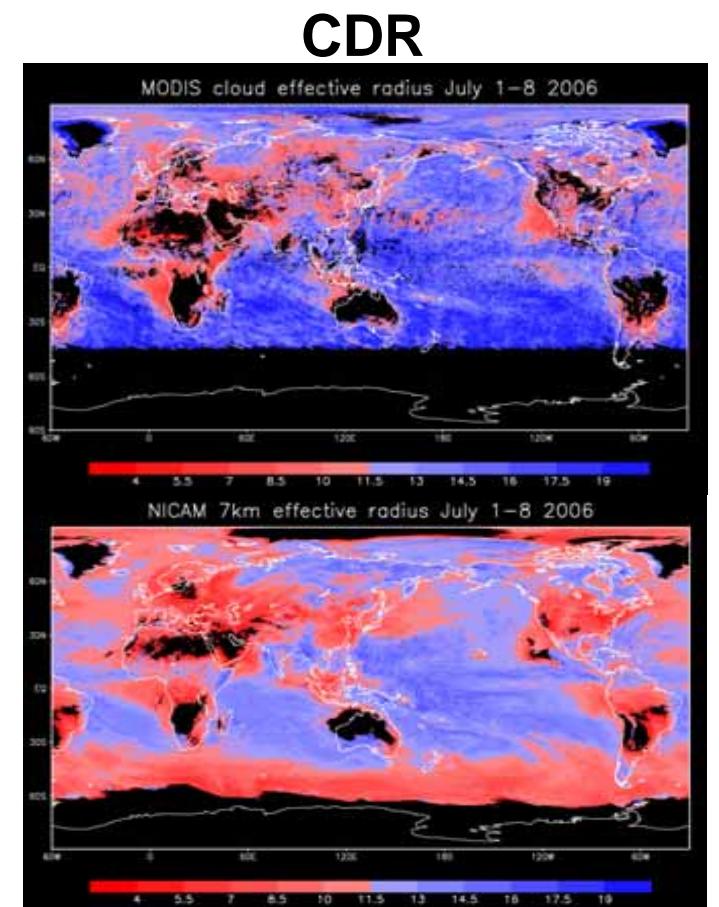
Miura et al. (Science 2007)

without cumulus
parameterization...

MODIS



NICAM

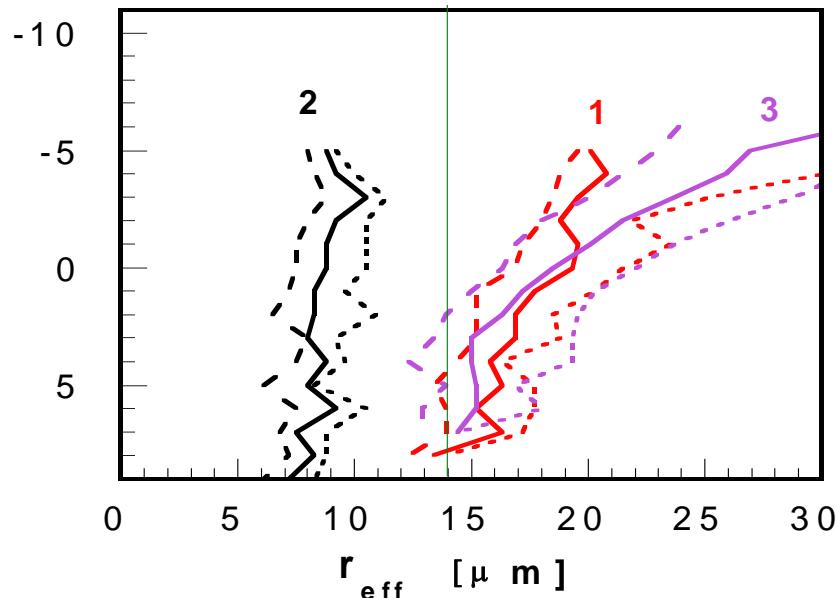


K. Suzuki (2008)

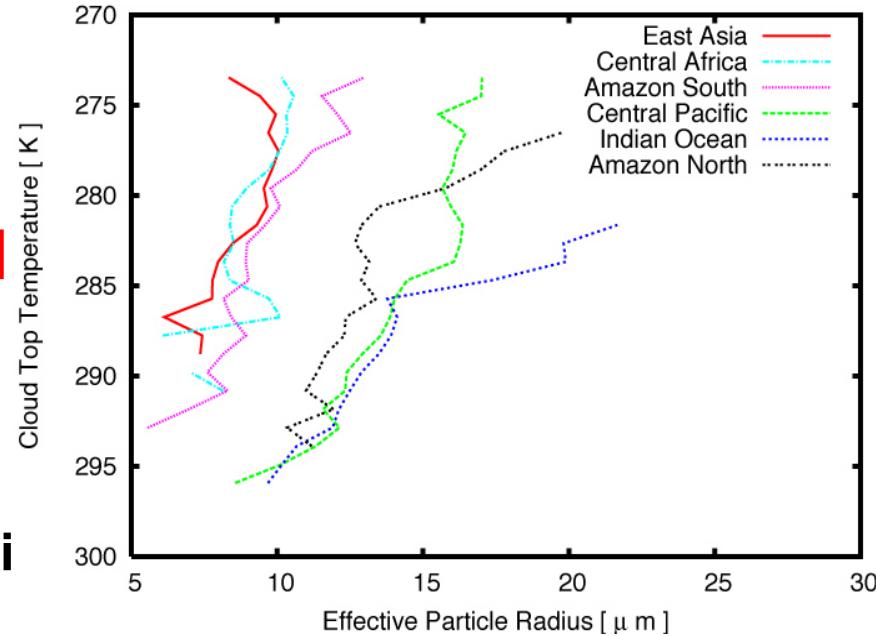
Vertical growth pattern of cloud droplets in convective system

AVHRR
T14

Rosenfeld (Science 2000)

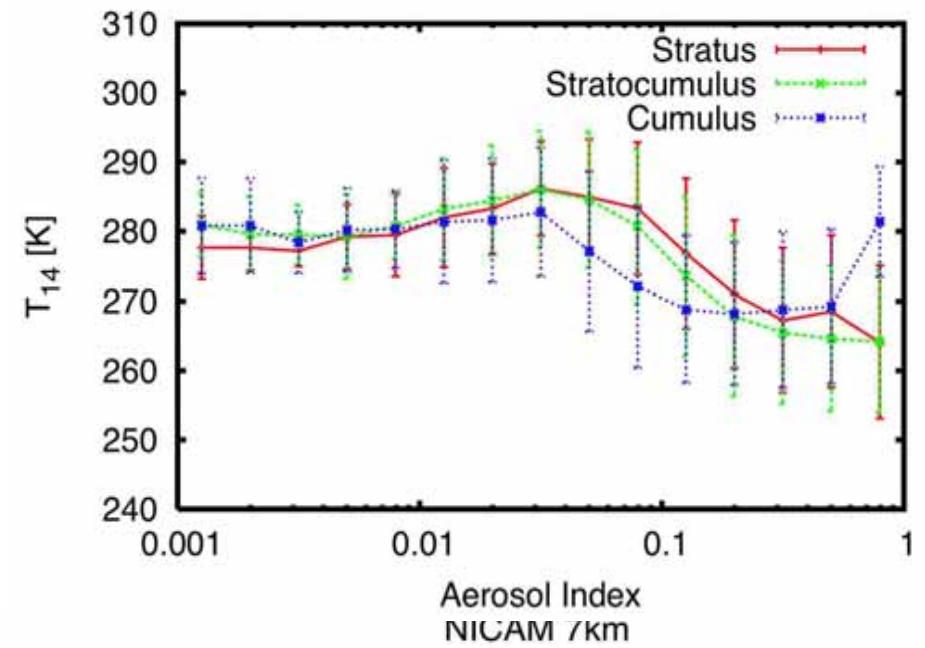


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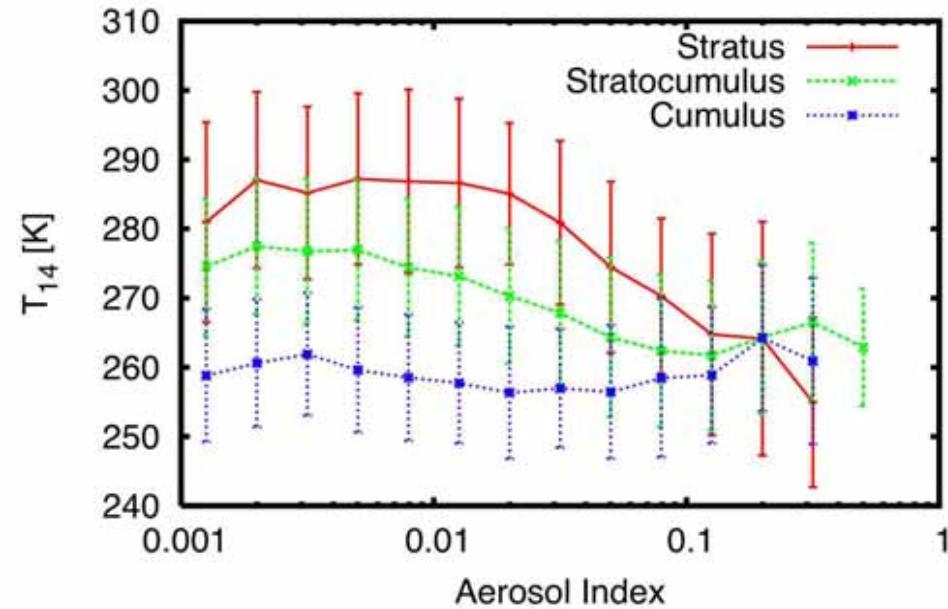


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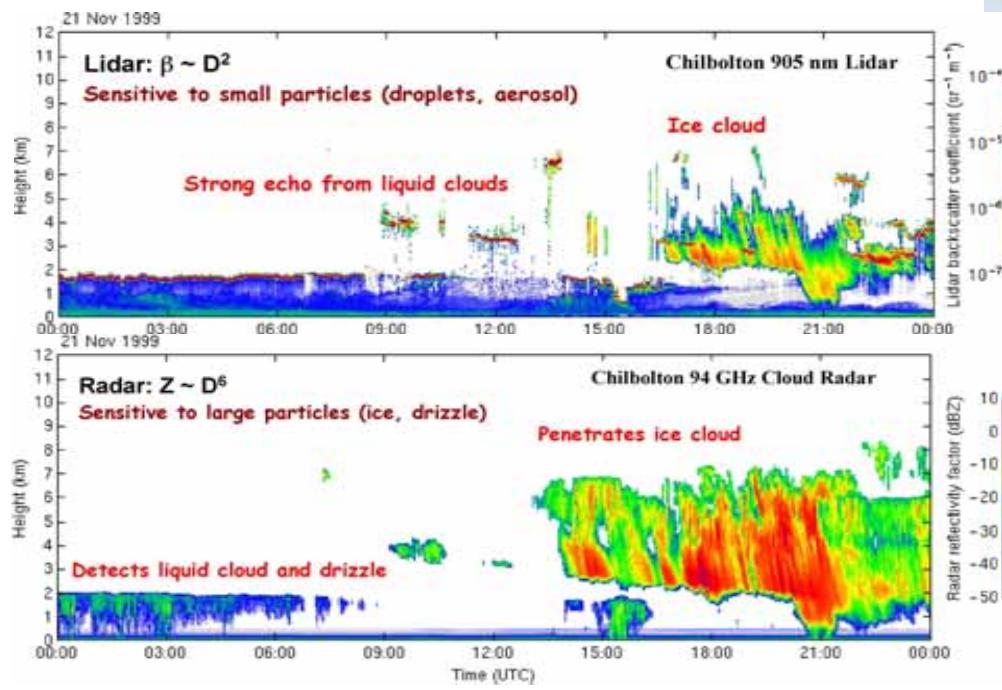
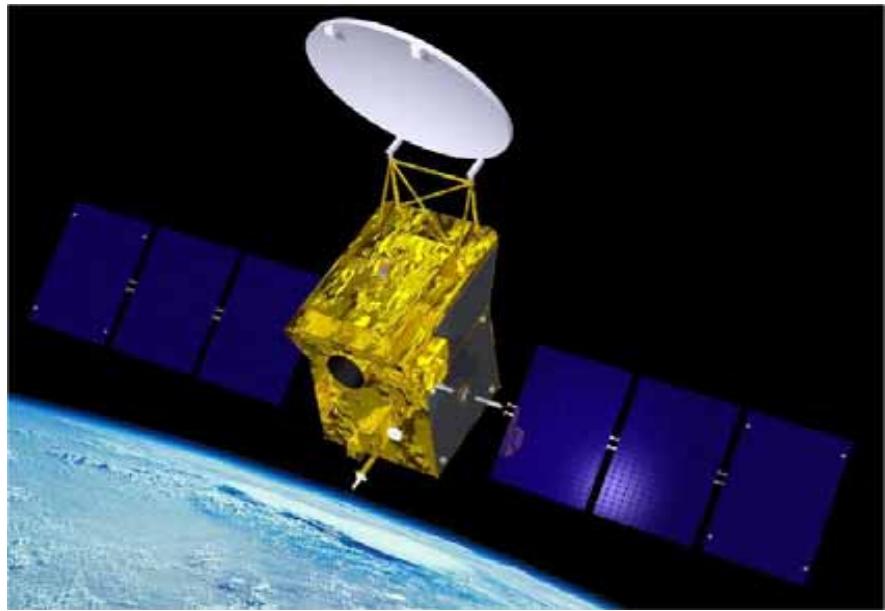


Aerosol Index
NICAM 7km



Aerosol Index

ESA-JAXA-NICT/EarthCARE
Earth Clouds, Aerosols and Radiation Explorer



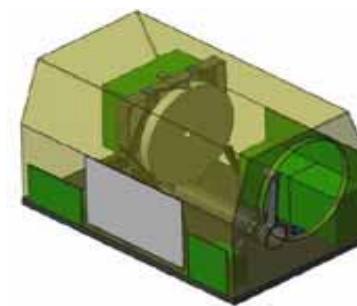
95GHz Doppler Cloud Radar



Multi-Spectral Imager



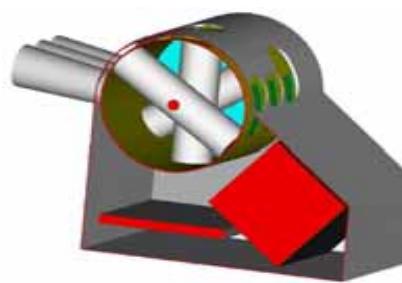
HSR lidar (ATLID)



MSI

Ch1: 0.659 μ m
Ch2: 0.865 μ m
Ch3: 1.61 μ m
Ch4: 2.2 μ m
Ch5: 8.9 μ m
Ch6: 10.9 μ m
Ch7: 11.9 μ m
Swath: 150km
IFOV: 500m

Broad band radiometer

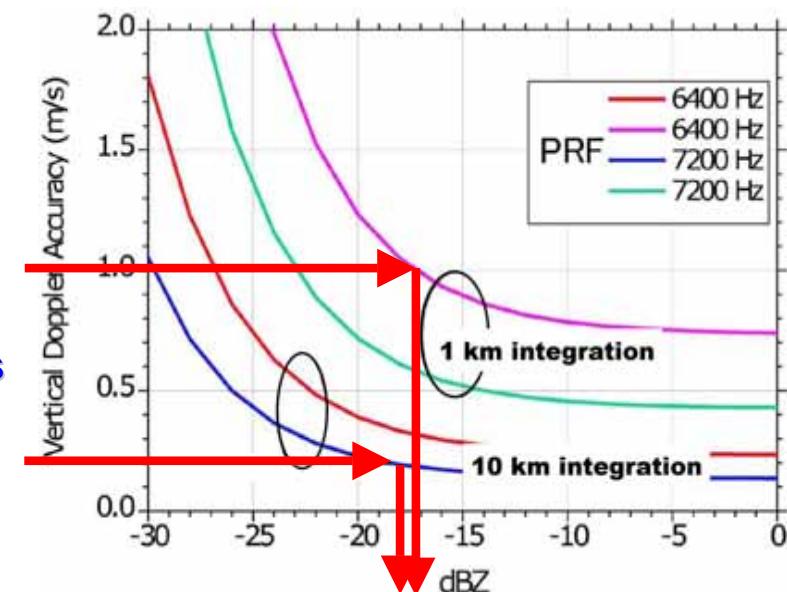


ドップラー計測

Convection: 1 m/s

Ice falling: 0.2 m/s

Drizzling: 0.2 m/s



LT: 10:30
Launch 2012

Summary

- Large model uncertainties in cloud, aerosol, and radiation budget
 - ↗ Climate sensitivity
 - ↗ Effect on precipitation
- Cloudsat&CALIPSO, eCARE...
 - ↗ Data continuation for climate study
 - ↗ Doppler velocity measurements
 - ↗ Beyond 1012: ACE?
- GOSAT-GPM-eCARE-GCOM synergy
 - ↗ GHG-aerosol-cloud-precipitation
 - ↗ Capacity building for algorithm development
- AERONET, BSRN, and SKYNET site data use
 - ↗ Japanese contribution to GEOSS
 - ↗ Aerosol assimilation (GOSAT, MOE Kosa-project)
- Cloud modeling
 - ↗ NICAM, NHM, CRESS...
 - ↗ clouds, aerosol-clouds-precipitation