



Monitoring of Air Pollution From Space by GOSAT, GOSAT-2 and Himawari-8

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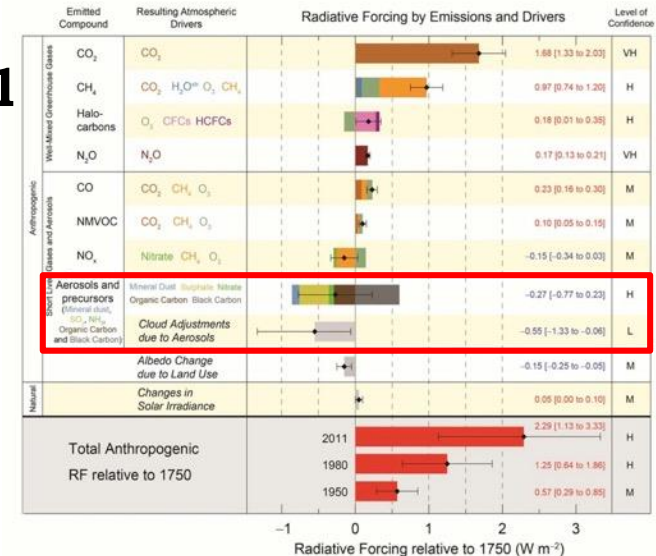
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Introduction

Significance in aerosol monitoring from space

Uncertainty factors in modeling for global warming prediction (IPCC AR5, 2013)

- Uncertainty in direct radiative forcing : $\pm 0.5 \text{ W/m}^2$ (IPCC AR5, 2013)
- Black Carbon (BC) has the third largest radiative forcing after CO_2 and CH_4
- Indirect effect is difficult to estimate yet



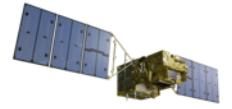
IPCC AR5 SPM (2013)

Air pollution is a cause of Health Hazards

- Fine particulate matter "PM2.5" continues to spread worldwide, and about 7 million people die every year from lung cancer and respiratory diseases. (WHO, 2018)
- Transboundary air pollution, related to health hazards
- To prevent health hazards and global warming, various international efforts are being made.
 - The Paris Agreement, Climate Clean Air Coalition (CCAC), Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

GOSAT-2/TANCO-CAI-2

GOSAT-2 (Greenhouse Gases Observing Satellite 2)

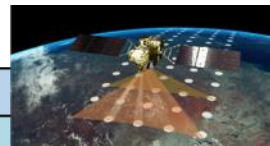


- Successor to GOSAT (2009~)
- Launched on October 29, 2018.
- Polar-orbiting, 6 day cycle
- Local EQ crossing time: 13:00+0:15
- Two sensors:
 - FTS-2 : For Green house gases
 - **CAI-2 : For Cloud and Aerosol (Imager)**

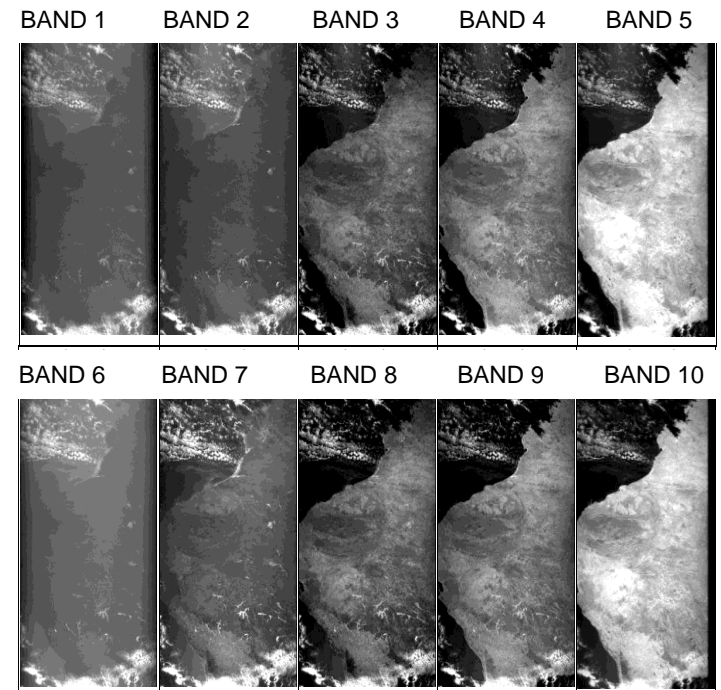
GOSAT-2/CAI-2 specification

- Two UV bands : 340nm and 380nm with IFOV 460m
- Forward and Backward viewing to avoid Sun glint region

Cloud and Aerosol Imager - 2 (TANSO-CAI-2)										
Items	Specifications									
Band	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Center wavelength [nm]	339	441	672	865	1630	377	546	672	865	1630
Line of sight [deg]	+20					-20				
IFOV [km]	0.46				1	0.46				1
Swath [km]	920									



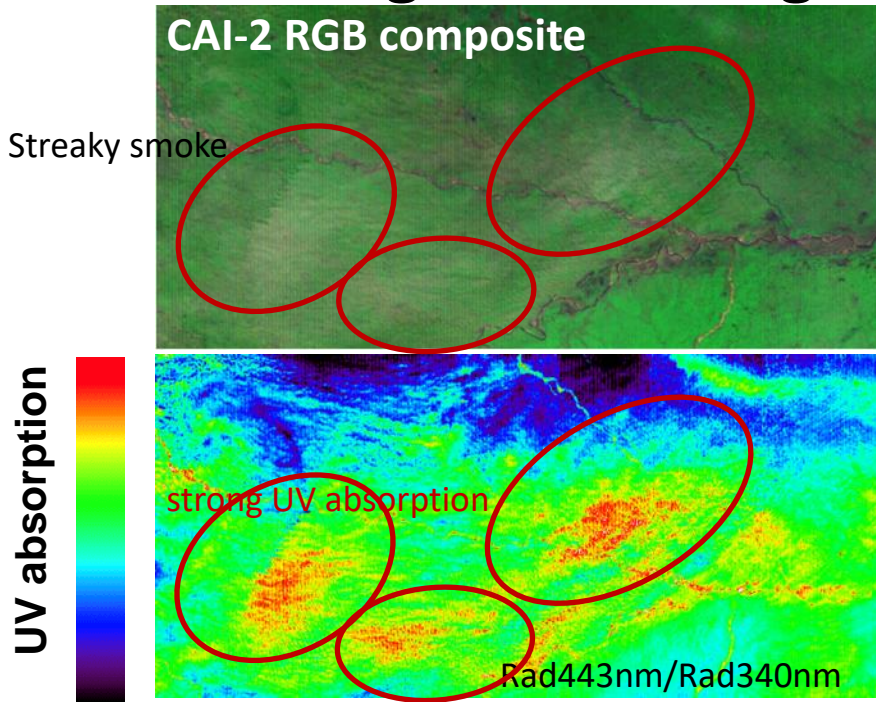
Observed image of CAI-2 each band on Nov. 26, 2018



Red: New channels and changed parts from CAI

Absorptive aerosol signals in two UV bands of CAI-2

Stubble burning in Indo-Gangetic Plain



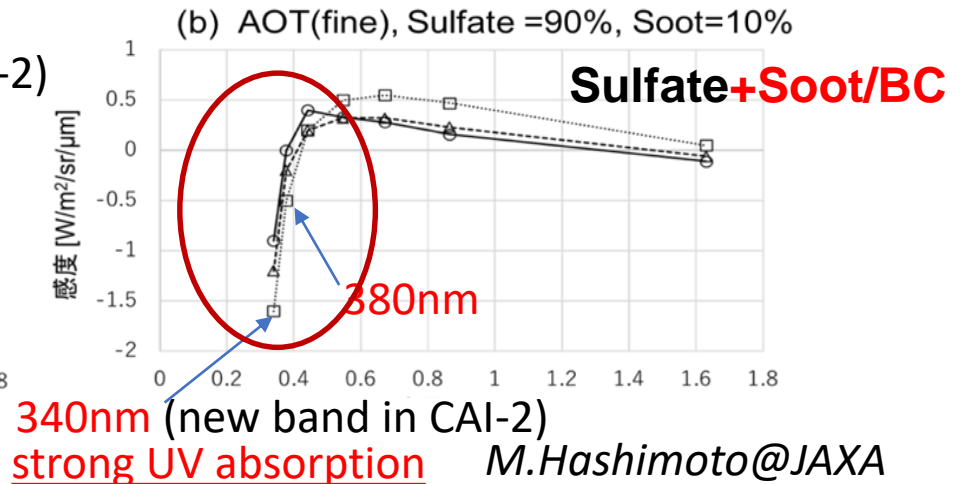
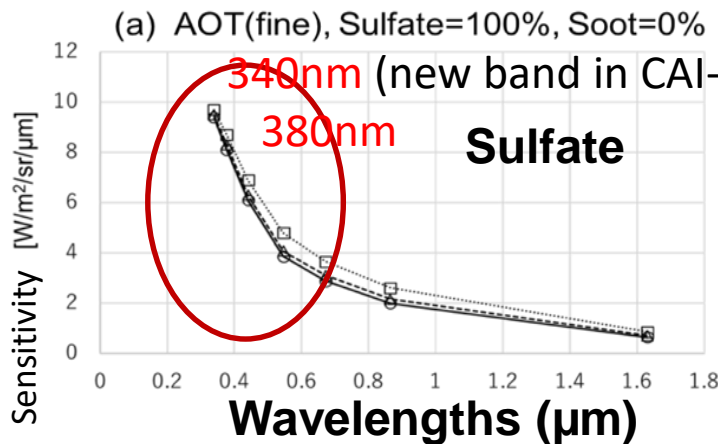
340, 380nm
w IFOV 460m



GOSAT-2/CAI-2

RT model: Rstar (T. Nakajima)

Model (dL / dAOT)



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What is GOSAT-2/TANCO-CAI-2 target?

□ **Cloud detection for Green house gas retrieval using FTS-2**

□ **Monitoring Air pollution**

Target:

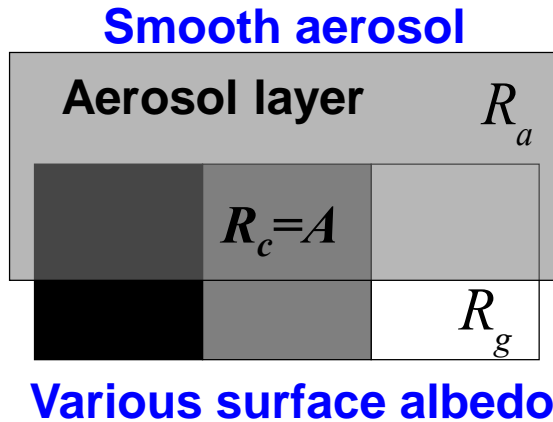
- Aerosol optical thickness(AOT)
- Ångström exponent(AE)
- BC volume ratio
- Estimation of PM_{2.5}.

→ Need to know aerosols in urban area, which is a source region of air pollution such as PM_{2.5}

Development of aerosol retrieval algorithm

Multi-Wavelength and Multi-Pixel Method (MWPM)

- Problems: pixel-by-pixel retrieval methods in urban areas: AOT retrieval is difficult in bright surface fields, SSA is also difficult in dark surfaces.
- **MWPM: Advantage in the simultaneous estimation of AOT and SSA over land (Hashimoto & Nakajima, JGR'17)**

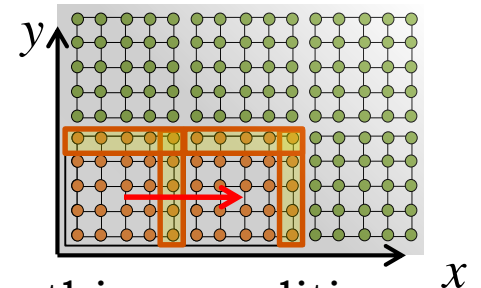


$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1 &= R_{a,1} + R_{g,1} \approx A_{g,1} + \tau \cdot [c_1 \cdot \omega P(\Theta) - c_2 \cdot A_{g,1}] \\
 R_2 &= R_{a,2} + R_{g,2} \approx A_{g,2} + \tau \cdot [c_1 \cdot \omega P(\Theta) - c_2 \cdot A_{g,2}] \\
 &\vdots \\
 &= 0 \text{ (Independent of AOT*)}
 \end{aligned}$$

simultaneous equations
difference in the
surface reflectance

$$R = f(u) + e$$

R : Reflectance, t_l : AOT, W_l : SSA,
 $P_l(\Theta)$: Phase function, $\lambda = \{\lambda_i, i=1, N_{band}\}$
 $u = \{t_{550, fine}, t_{550, coarse}, W, \{A_g\}_l\}_x$



□ Optimal Estimation theory: MAP(Rodgers, 2000) & Smoothing condition

Cost function $\phi = \phi_{MAP} + \phi_{PT} = \underbrace{\left(R - f(u) \right)^T S_e^{-1} \left(R - f(u) \right) + \left(u - u_a \right)^T S_a^{-1} \left(u - u_a \right)}_{\text{MAP method (Rodgers, 2000)}} + \underbrace{\sum_k \gamma_k \left(u_{bk} + D_k u \right)^2}_{\text{Smoothing condition}}$

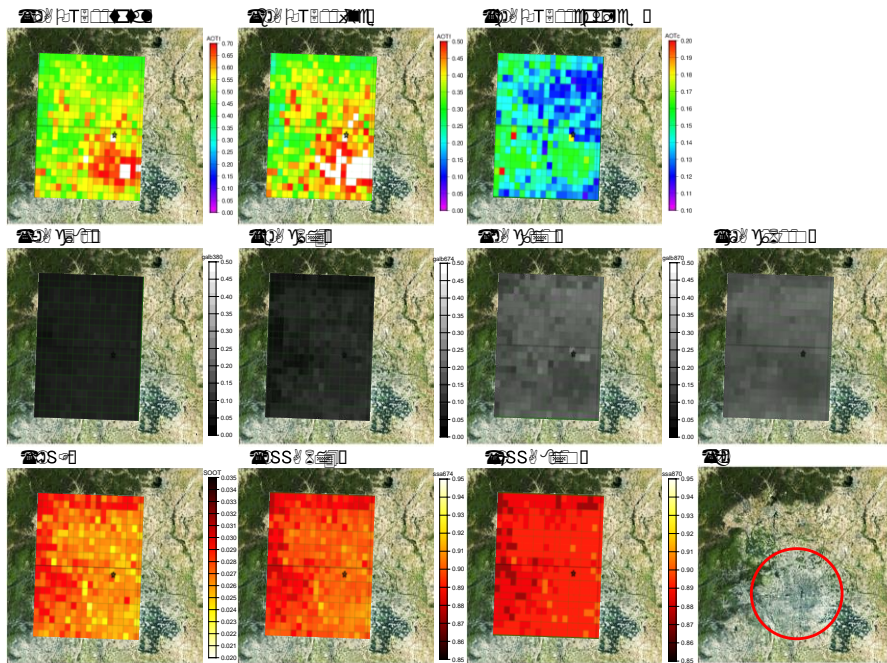
$u_{k+1} = u_k + \left[\left(\mathbf{K}_k^T S_e^{-1} \mathbf{K}_k + S_a^{-1} \right) + \sum_k g_k \mathbf{H}_k \right]^{-1} \cdot \left[\mathbf{K}_k^T S_e^{-1} \left(R - f(u) \right) - S_a^{-1} \left(u - u_a \right) - \sum_k g_k \left(\mathbf{H}_k u + D_k^T u_b \right) \right]$

©: smoothing parameter

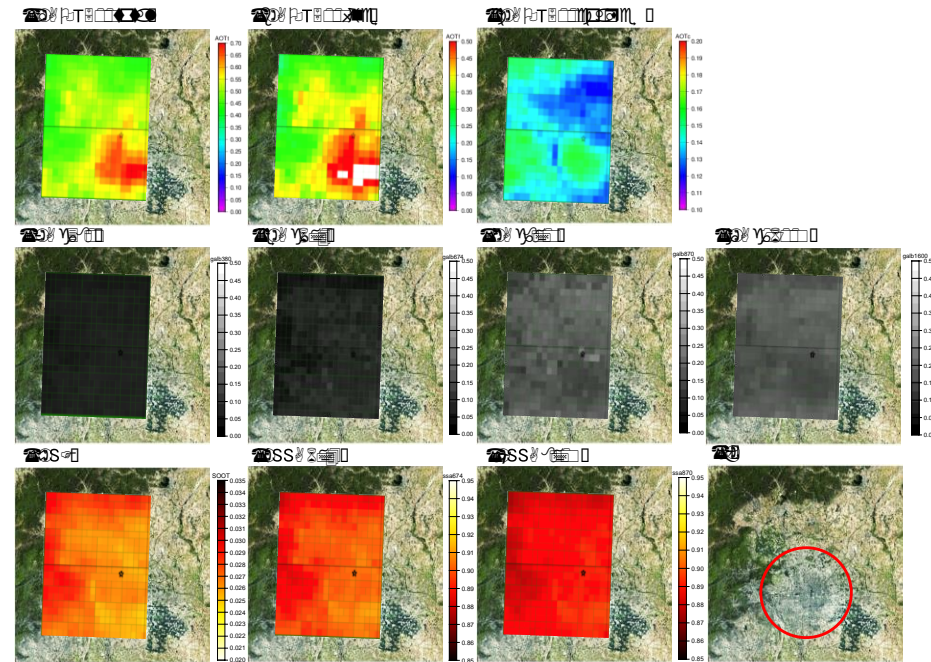
Comparison between PBP and MWPM

In Beijing

Pixel-By-Pixel (PBP)



Multi-pixel (MWPM)



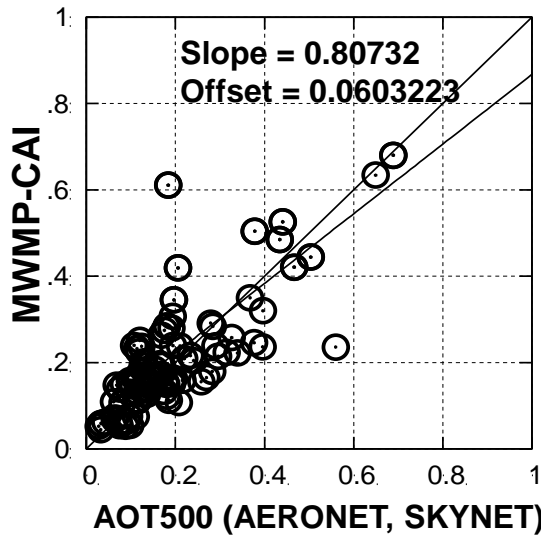
pixel-by-pixel, $\gamma=0$ (Left) and MWPM analysis, $\gamma=1$ (Right) . October 5, 2009 around Beijing
The noise between pixels is reduced.

- AOT, PBP: 0.751(0.065), MWPM: 0.634 (0.027), AERONET : 0.649
() : RMSE calculated by the nearest nine pixels.
- Multi-pixel method is good for aerosol retrieval over Urban region

Aerosol retrieval over land using GOSAT/CAI

GOSAT/CAI: 380, 674, 869, 1600nm

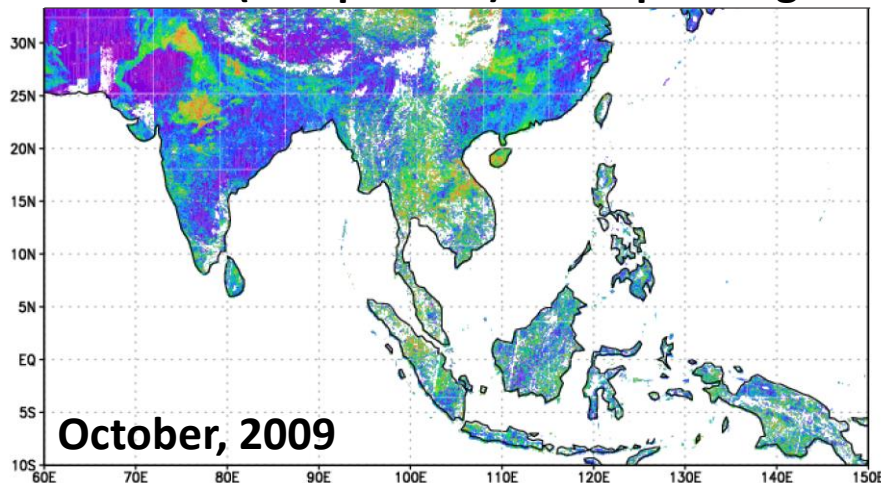
July to December in 2009 Over urban region



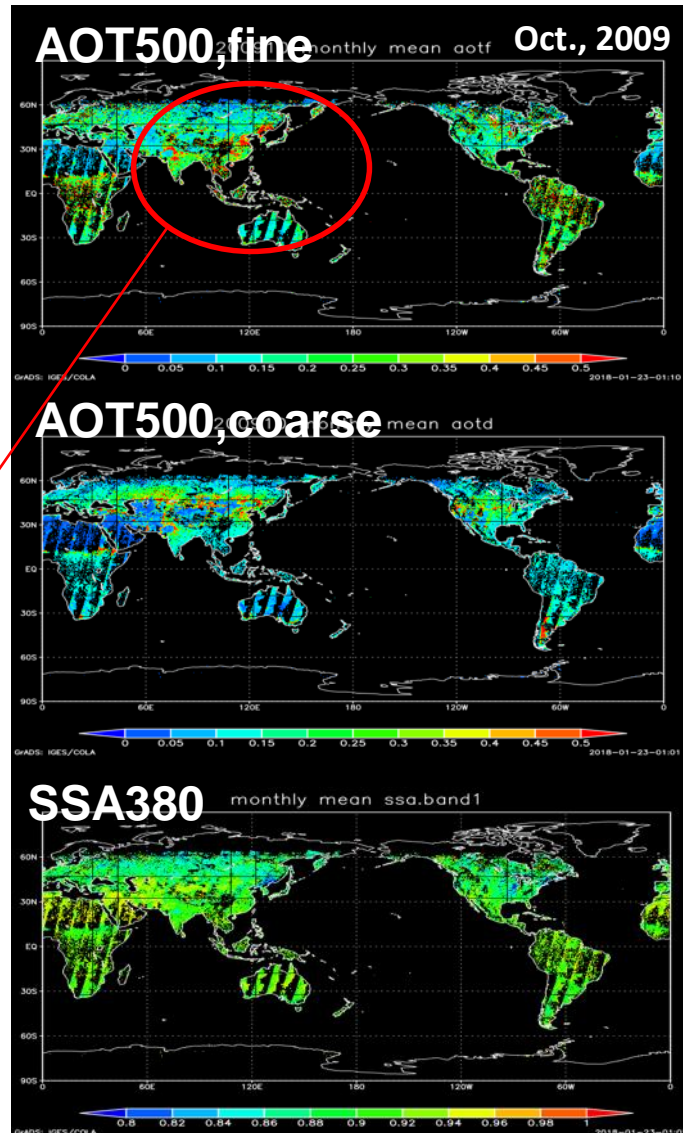
← Total AOT
Fine + Coarse

RMSE=0.077
cf. CAI-2 criteria
(RMS_AOT@550nm < 0.1)

Monthly mean AOT (fine particle) corresponding to PM2.5



Monthly mean aerosol properties

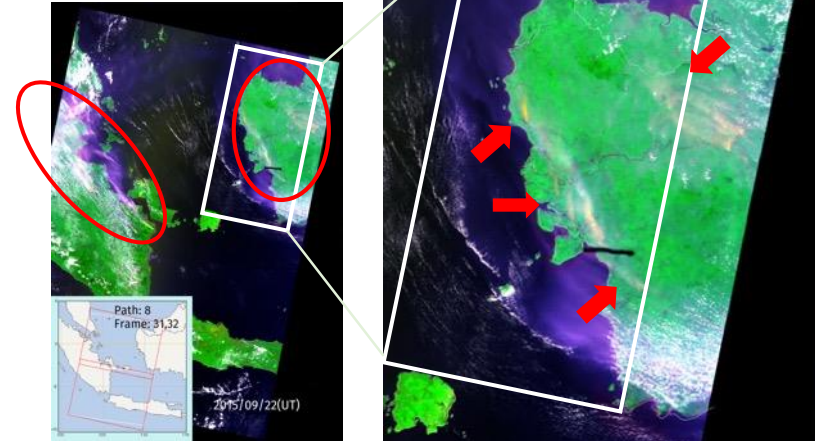


Forest Fire Smoke Case of GOSAT/CAI

GOSAT/CAI: 380, 674, 869, 1600nm

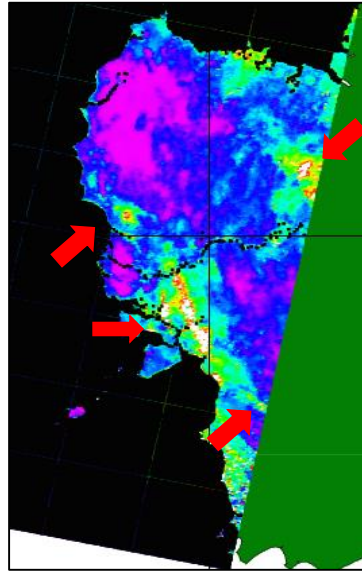
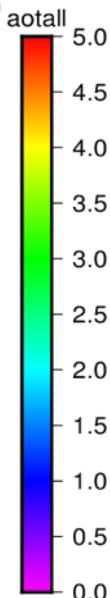
- September 22, 2015
- Smoke from forest fires (Smoke is distinguished from clouds by 380nm)
- 1.5km × 1.5km

RGB composite image.

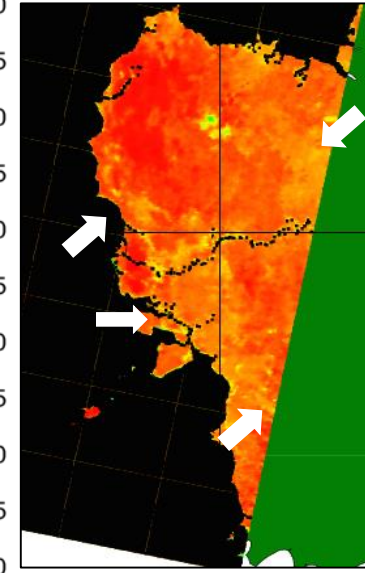
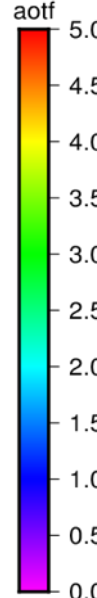


(Original data provided by JAXA/NIES/MOE) September 22nd, 2015

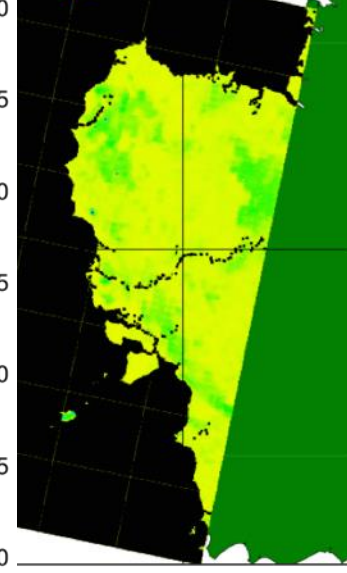
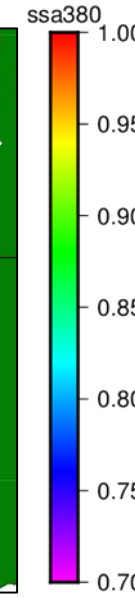
Aerosol optical thickness (AOT)(Aerosol amount)



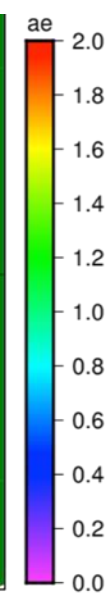
AOT (fine and absorbing)



SSA @380nm



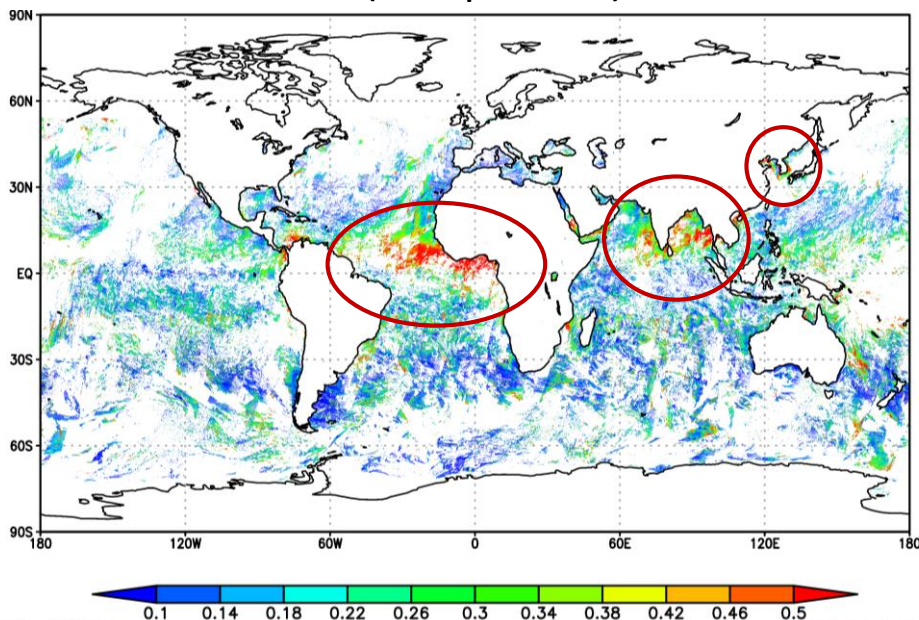
AE Dry aerosol



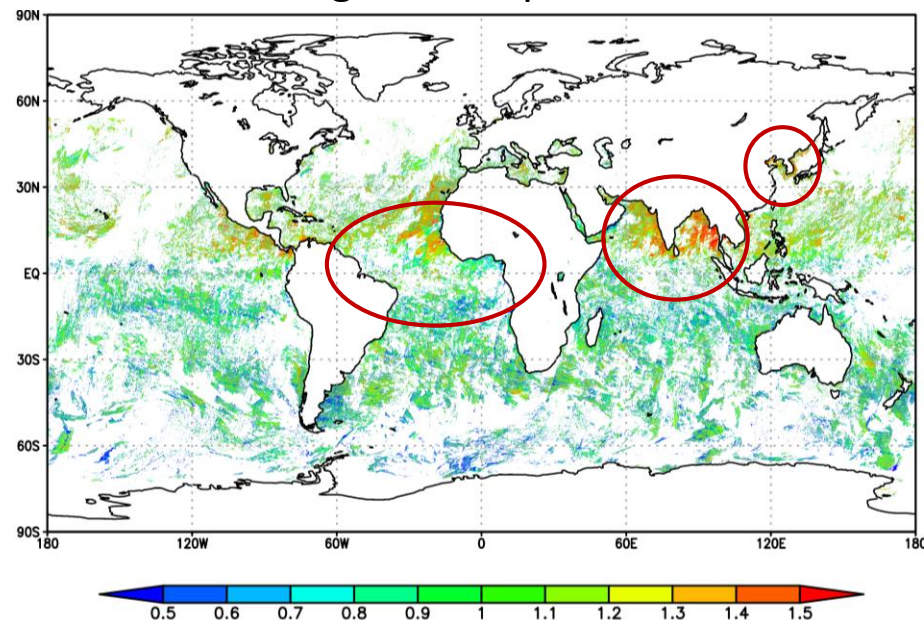
Preliminary results of aerosol properties by CAI-2

CAI-2 FWD or BWD data. February 10 – 15, 2019. Global Aerosol over ocean

AOT (fine particle)

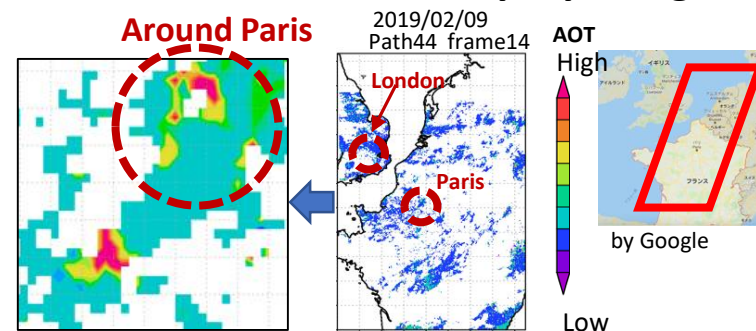


Ångström exponent



- High fine aerosols around *the Gulf of Guinea, Bay of Bengal and Arabian Sea and East China.*
- The fine aerosol over ocean is a kind of continent-derived aerosol.
- As you can see the Ångström exponent result, fine aerosols, which is corresponding to PM2.5 dominate in the Arabian Sea and Bay of Bengal.

Aerosol over Land. Now preparing

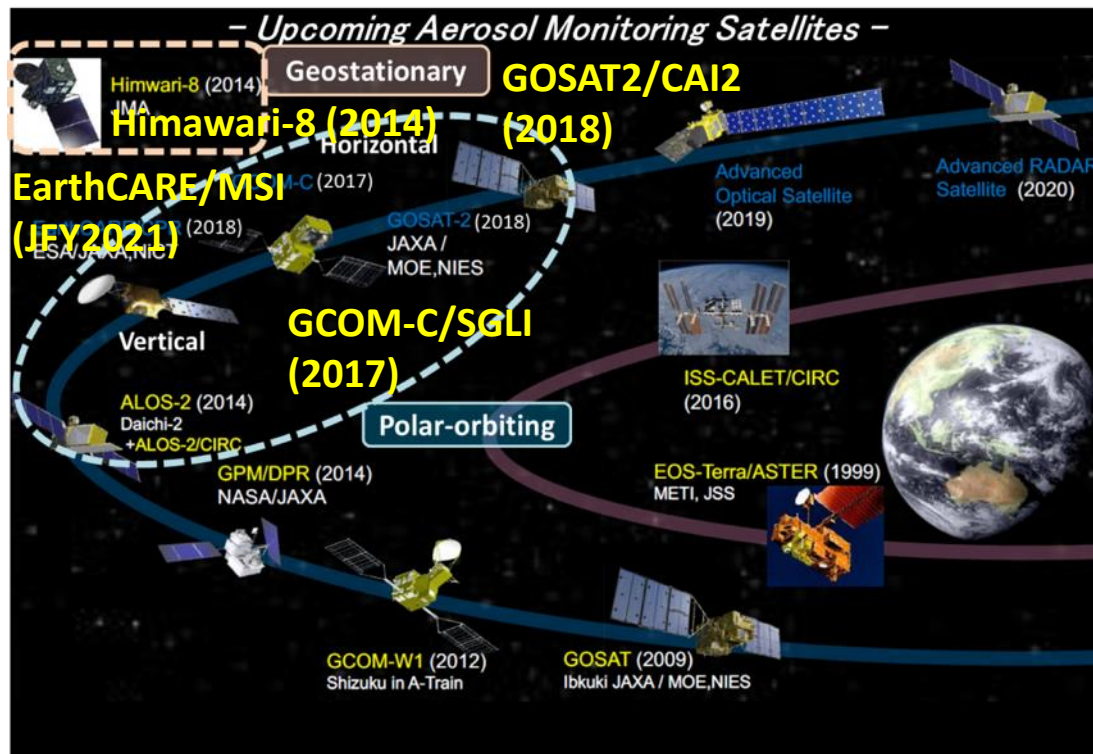


Aerosol monitoring in JAXA

ONE of our goal.

- Produce synergistic global aerosol data set
 - using **JAXA Polar-orbiting** and **geostationary** satellites
 - Provided in near real time
- Collaborate with Modeling group, NIES, MRI, Kyushu Univ. etc.

Current and Upcoming Aerosol Monitoring Satellite



Target sensors

Geostationary:

Himawari-8/AHI, GOES-R, Meteosat

Polar-orbiting:

Aqua, Terra/MODIS, GCOM-C/SGLI, **GOSAT2/CAI2**, EarthCARE/MSI

Aerosol monitoring using LEO and GEO: Himawari-8

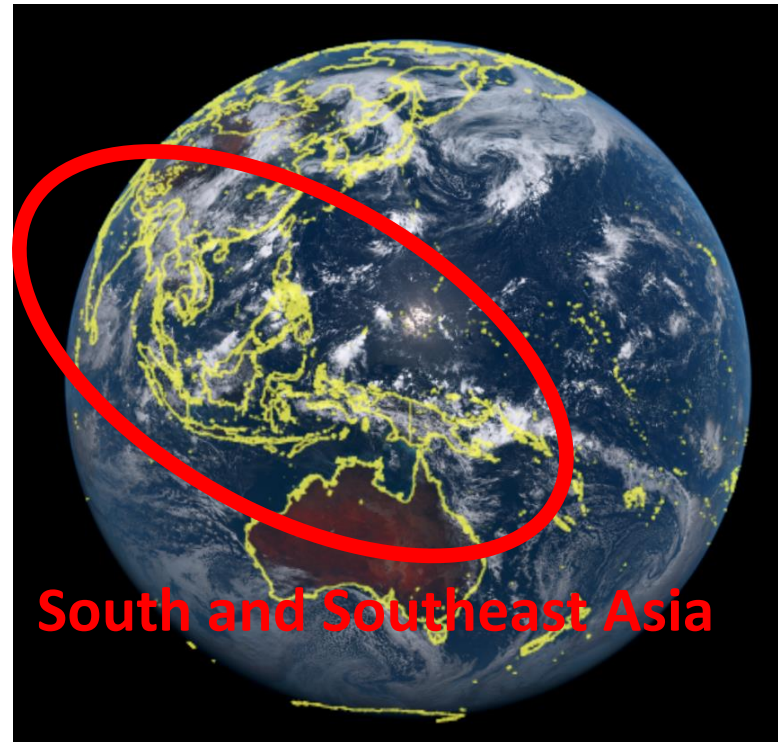
Himawari-8/AHI characteristics

CH	λ (nm)	IFOV (m)
1	471	1000
2	510	
3	639	500
4	857	1000
5	1610	2000
6	2257	
7	3885	
8	6243	
9	6941	
10	7347	
11	8592	
12	9637	
13	10407	
14	11240	
15	12381	
16	13311	

High temporal resolutions

Aerosol retrieval

Himawari-8 Full disk observation
16 bands in Visible-Infrared
10 minutes interval



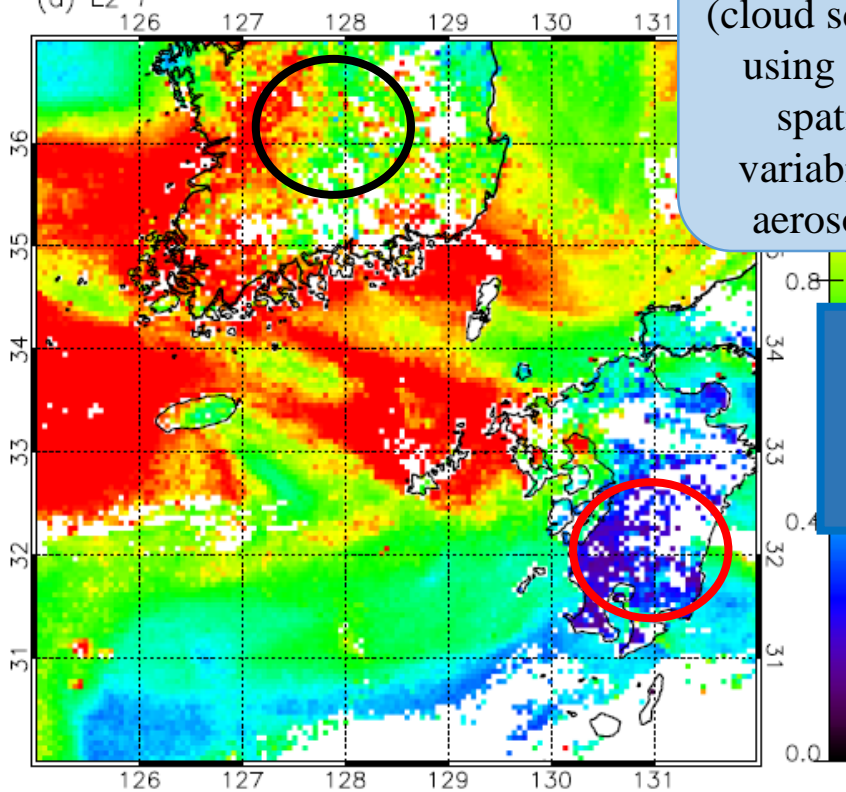
South and Southeast Asia

Himawari Real-time@NICT
<https://himawari8.nict.go.jp>

Retrieval Results (Himawar-8/AHI)

16 JST 27 Apr. 2018 : continental air pollutant transported to Kyusyu

(d) L2 AOT (every 10 min)

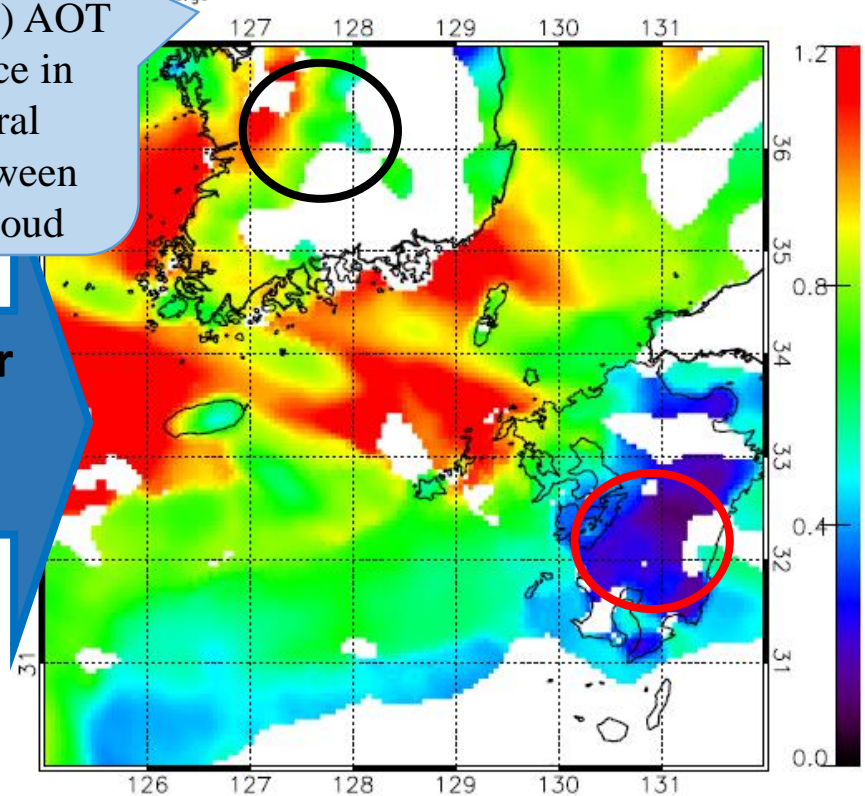


Yoshida et al., 2018

Quality controlled
(cloud screening) AOT
using difference in
spatiotemporal
variability between
aerosol and cloud

1 hour
(6 L2
AOT)

L3 merged AOT (every hour)



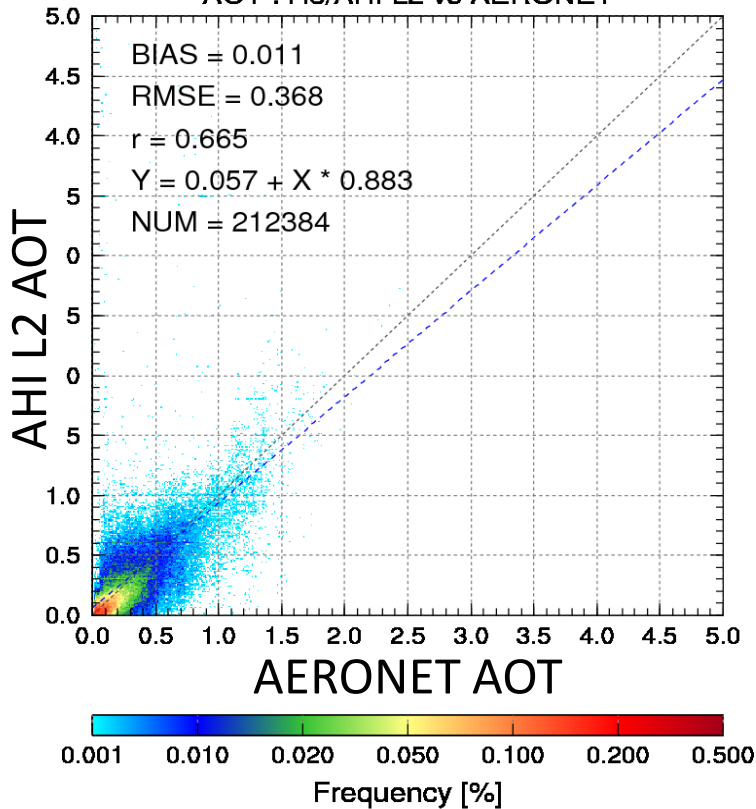
Kikuchi et al., 2018

- The high and nearly continuous AOT over land and ocean are estimated
- High AOT caused by local noise or insufficient cloud screening was eliminated and interpolated smoothly in L3

Validation (AHI vs AERONET)

Frequency distributions
: 1 year, all AERONET site

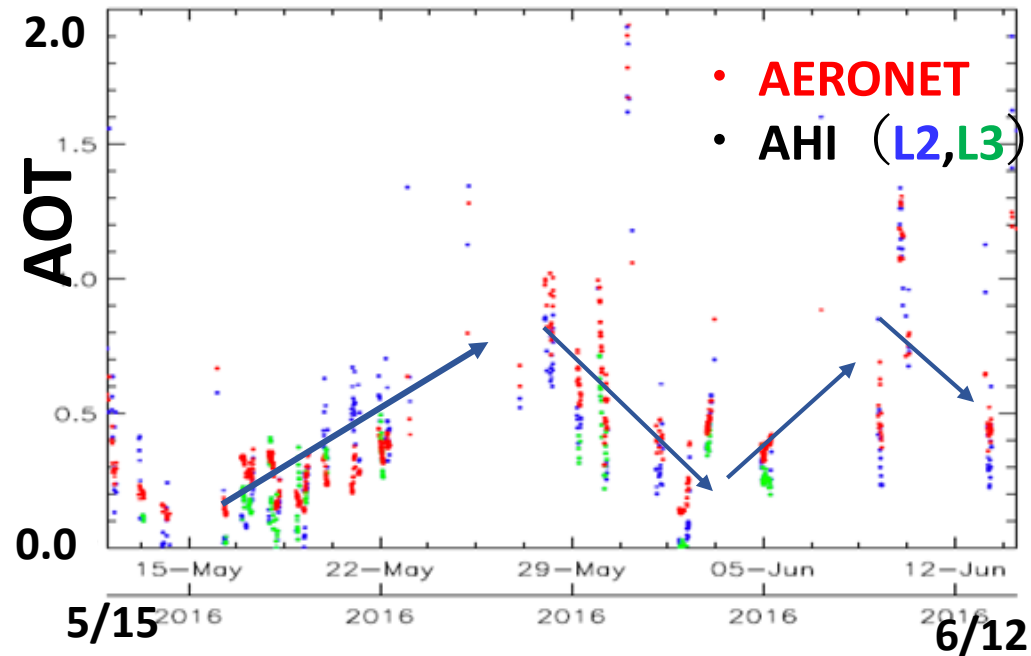
L2 Ver.020 2017/5 – 2018/4
AOT : H8/AHI L2 vs AERONET



- AHI AOT is generally consistent with AERONET

Time variation

Baeksa in Korea



L2: snapshot retrievals every 10 min
L3: cloud screening data using 1hour data

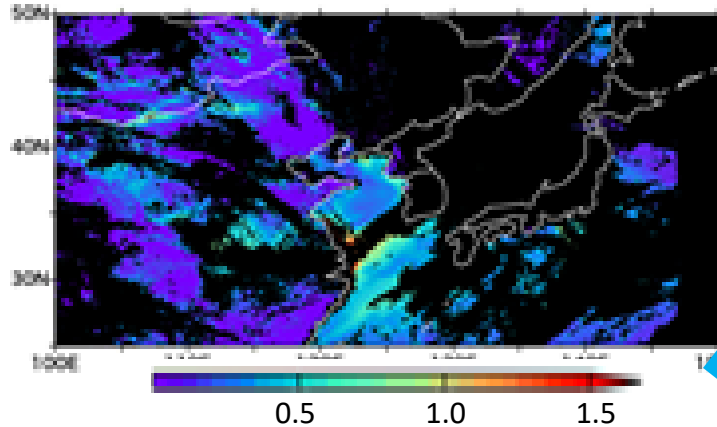
- AHI AOT successfully represent the time variation of AERONET

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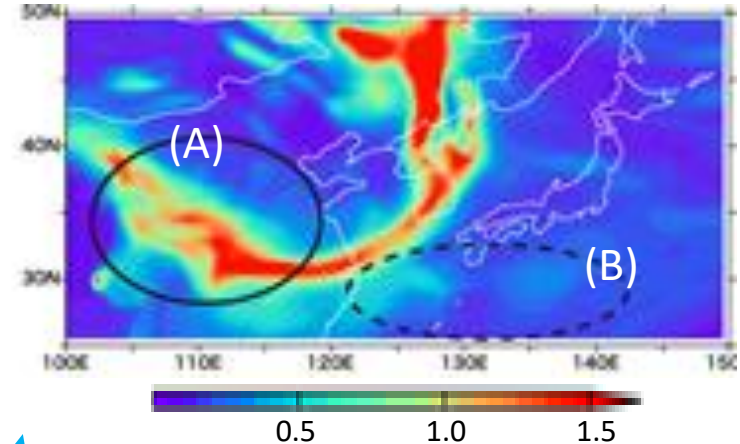
MRI Aerosol Assimilation

A case of yellow sand day (April 16, 2015)

Retrieved AOT from Himawari-8



Model Simulated AOT
Data assimilation: OFF

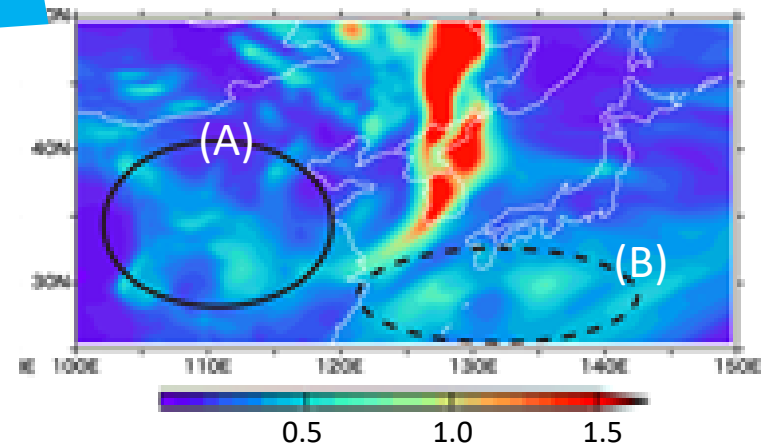


Data assimilation

By assimilating Himawari-8 AOT, overestimated and underestimated AOT over inland China (A) and south part of Japan (B) are improved, respectively.

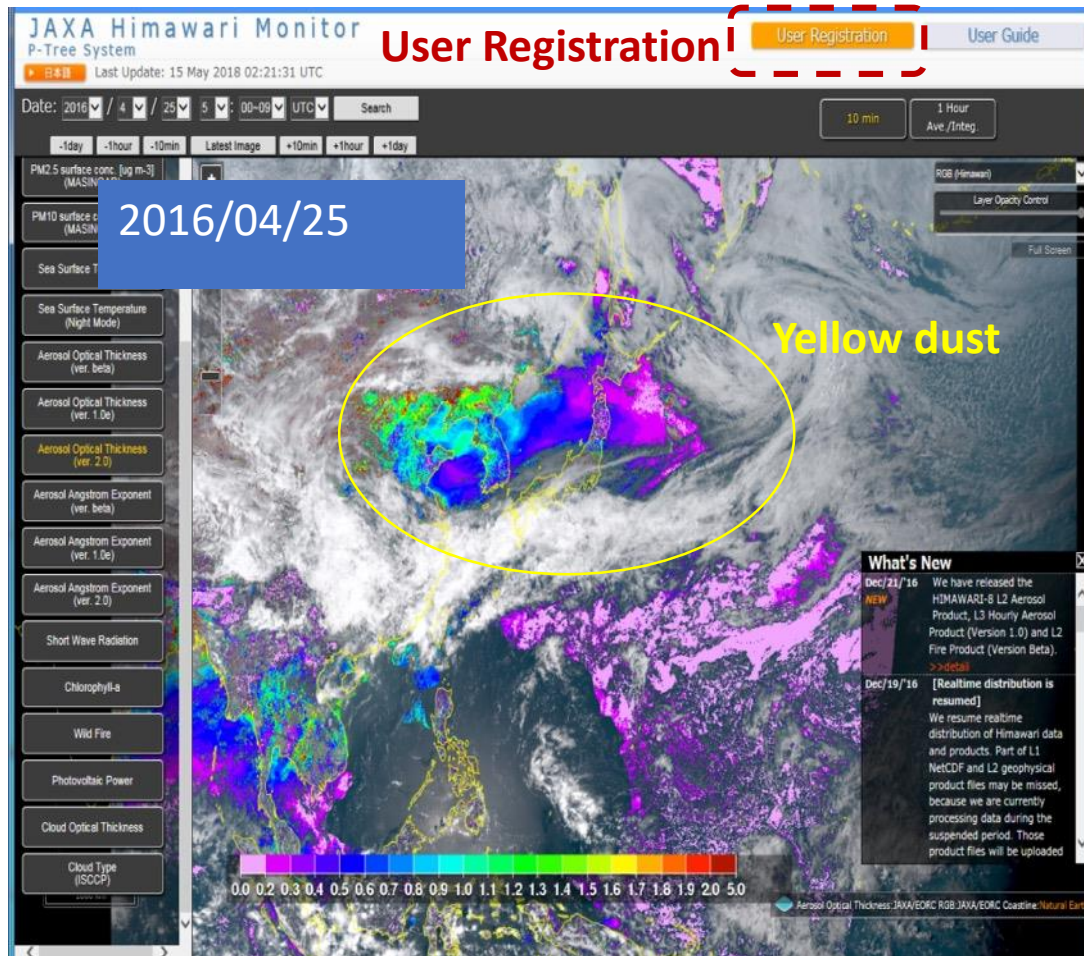
→ Improve a prediction accuracy of aerosols, such as yellow sand and PM2.5.

Data assimilation: ON



JAXA Himawari Monitor

<http://www.eorc.jaxa.jp/ptree/index.html>



Himawari-8/AHI

- Aerosol optical thickness
 - Aerosol Ångström exponent
 - Day time SST
 - Night time SST
- etc.

<https://gportal.jaxa.jp/>

Other Japanese satellite data

Aerosol :

- GCOM-C

Summery and Future work

- ❑ GOSAT-2 was launched on October 29, 2018

- ❑ GOSAT-2/CAI-2 is a sensor for Cloud and Aerosol
 - One of CAI-2 goal is Monitoring air pollution, that is, retrieve aerosol properties and estimate PM2.5 concentration and BC volume ratio.
 - Now Preparing to provide aerosol optical properties

- ❑ Provide Himawari-8 Aerosol data to assimilate and predict air pollution.
 - Provide aerosol data from GCOM-C, GOSAT-2, and EarthCare as a futurwork.

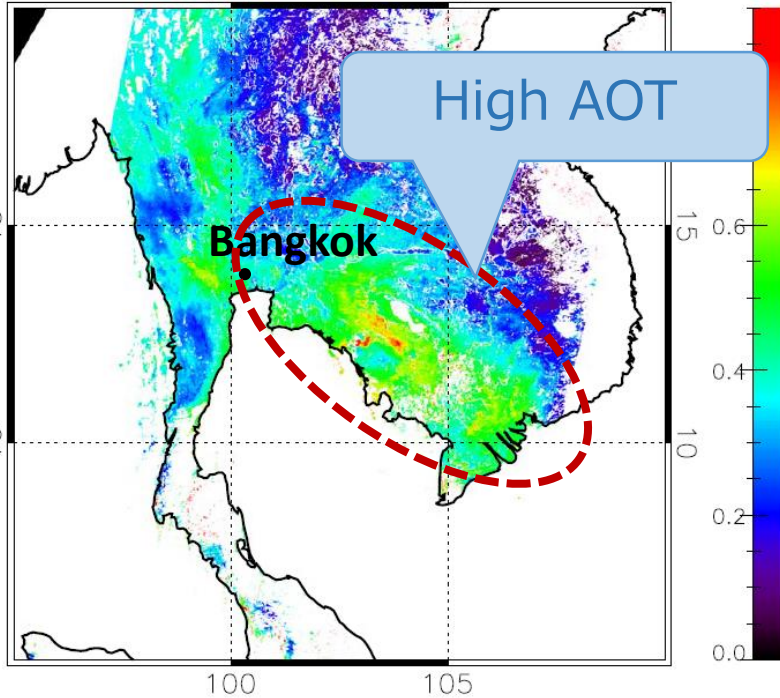
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Retrieval Results (GCOM-C/SGLI)

29 Jan. 2019 Thailand (school closed due to air pollution at Bangkok)

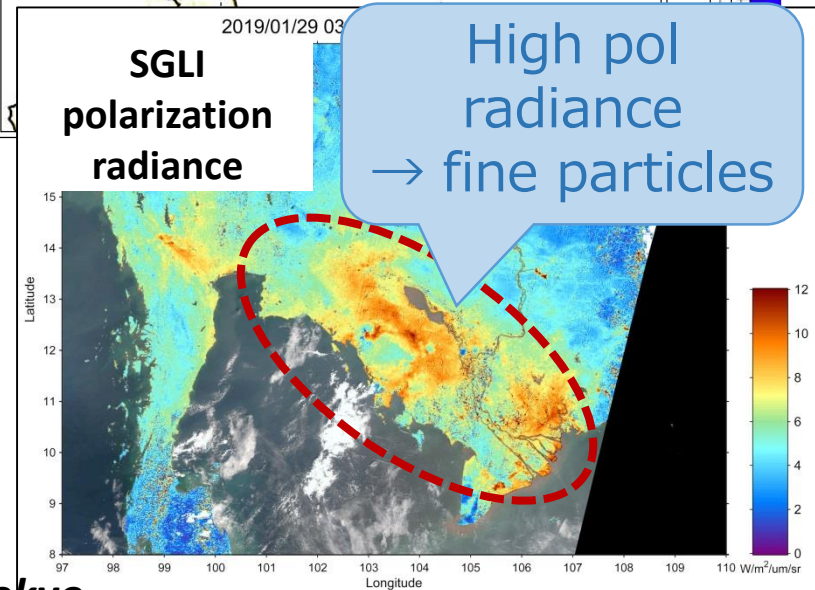
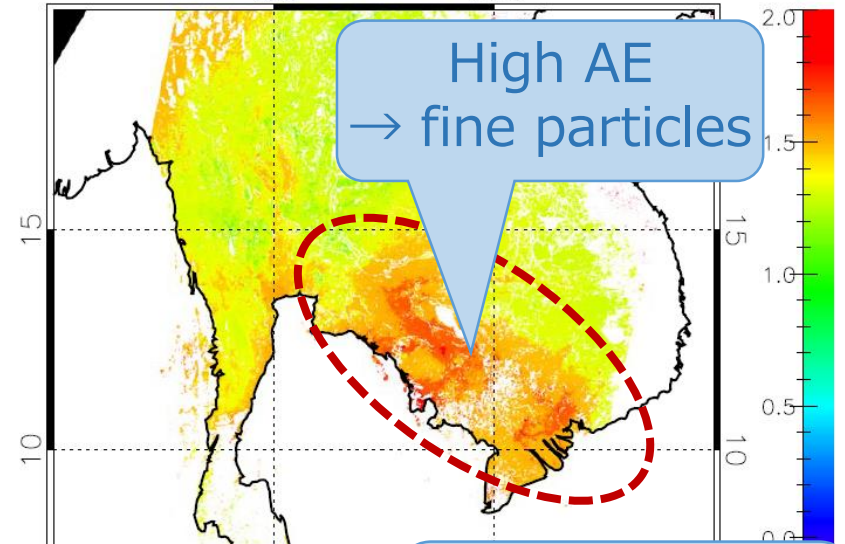
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AOT_land

AOT@500nm



GC1SG1_20190129D01D
AE_land

AE@500-380nm



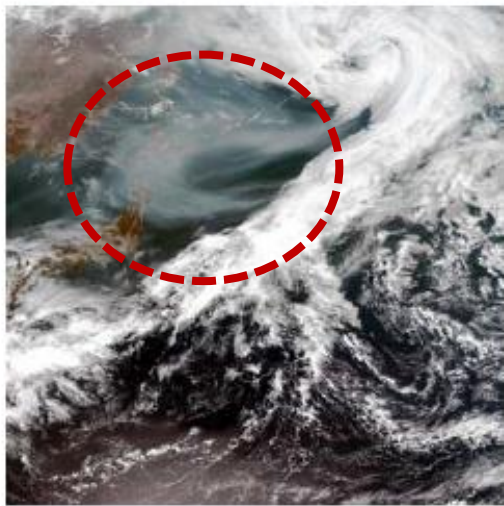
- The high AOT and AE (i.e. fine particles) are estimated corresponding to local air pollution report
- Estimated AOT and AE are consistent with SGLI polarization observation

Retrieval Results (H8/AHI)

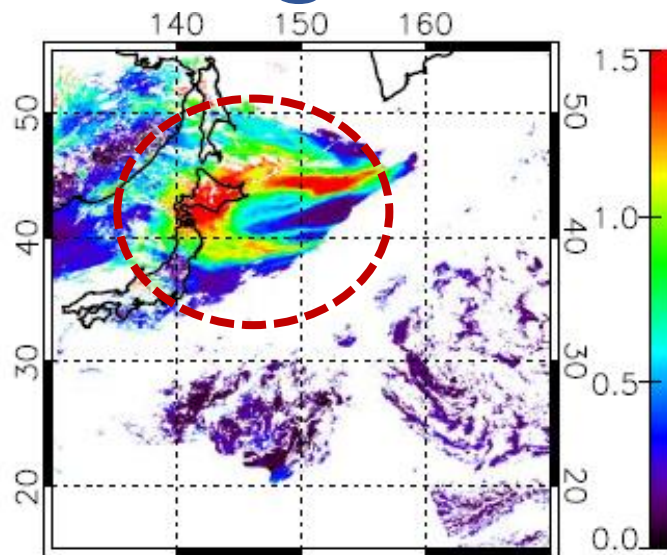
02UTC, 19 May 2016

Aerosol originated from wildfires at a proximity to Lake Baikal in Russia

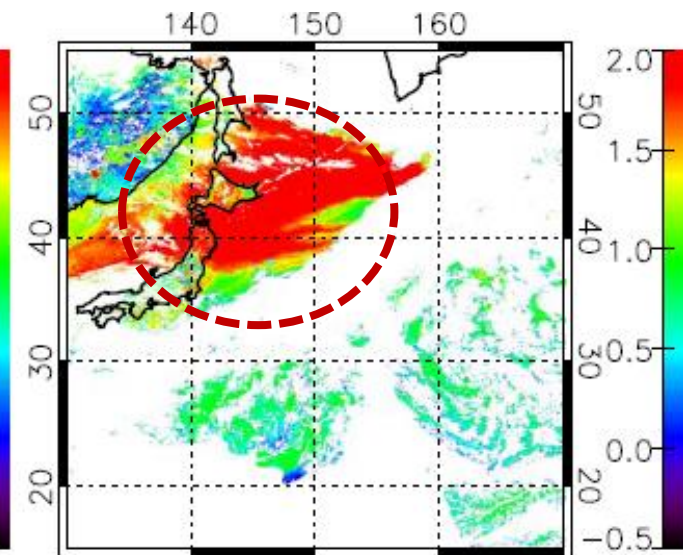
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AOT@500nm



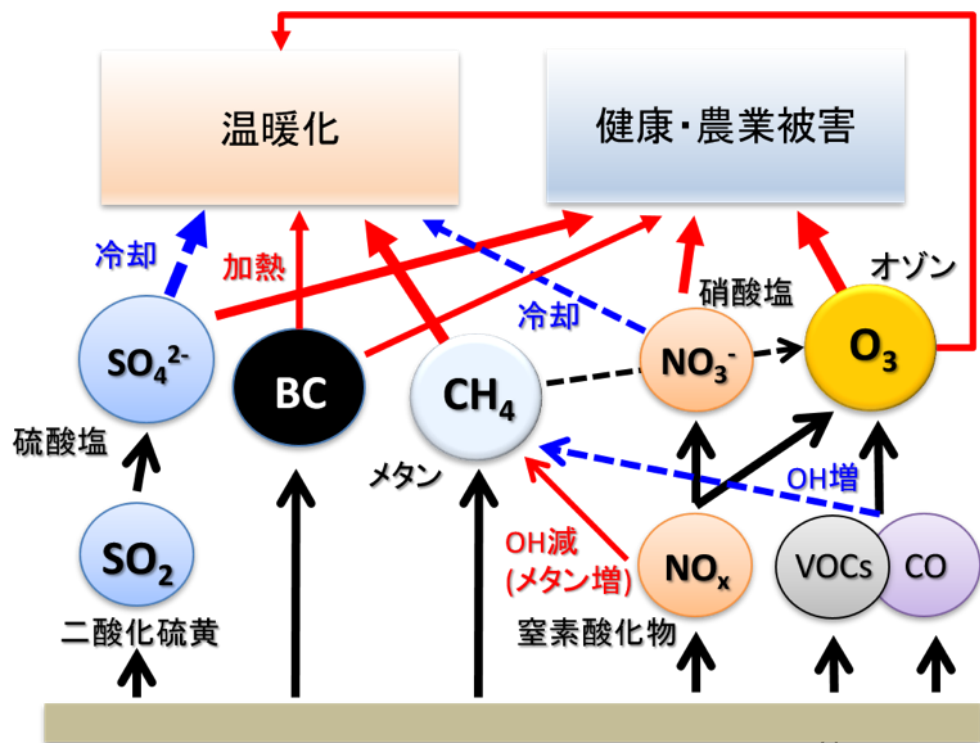
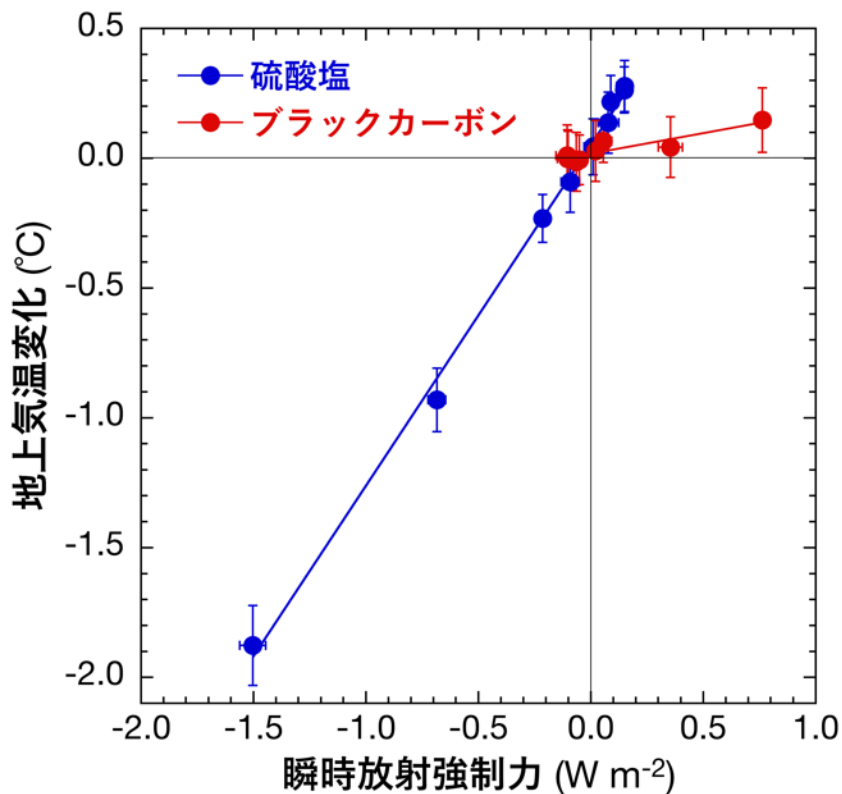
AE@400-600nm



- The high AOT and AE (fine particles) are estimated over land and ocean, corresponding to aerosol transport from the continent
- nearly continuous AOT over land and ocean

S12研究の結果、二つの不都合な事実が明白になってきた

- BCと窒素酸化物の排出削減による地球温暖化緩和は限定的
- ただしモデル依存性がある
- 相対的にメタン削減の重要になってきた
- これらの相互作用を考慮して、メタン、炭素系物質（COやVOC）、BC, NO_xの削減を組み合わせた削減シナリオが必要



GOSAT-2/CAI-2

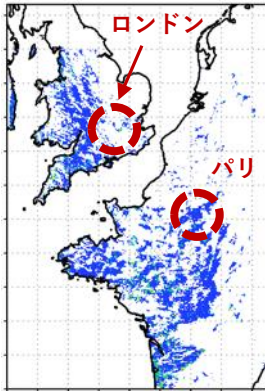
■ GOSAT-2/CAI-2 Aerosol

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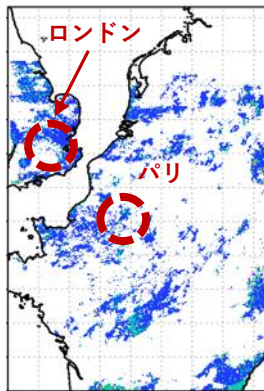


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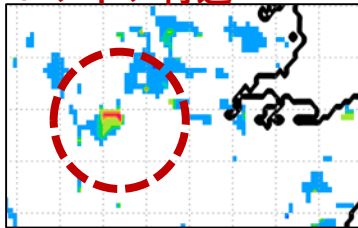


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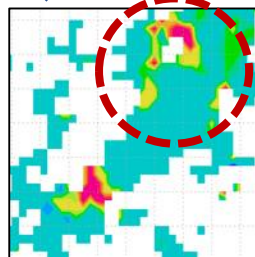


AOT
高
低

ロンドン付近



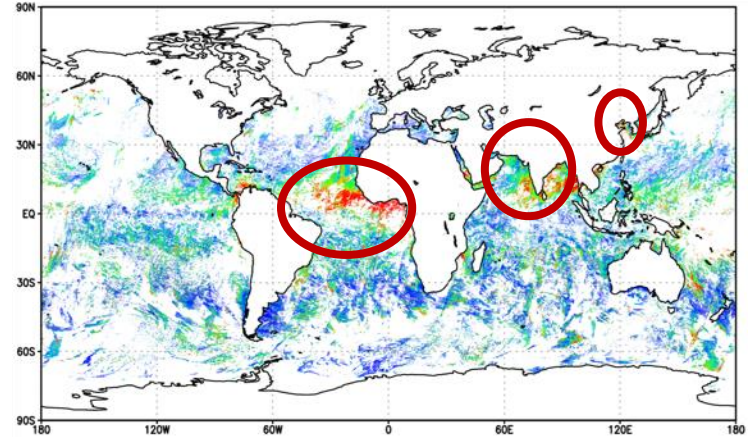
パリ付近



→
都市域付
近で高い
AOT

海上

2019年2月10日~15日(6日間)プロット:海上エアロゾル(微小粒子)



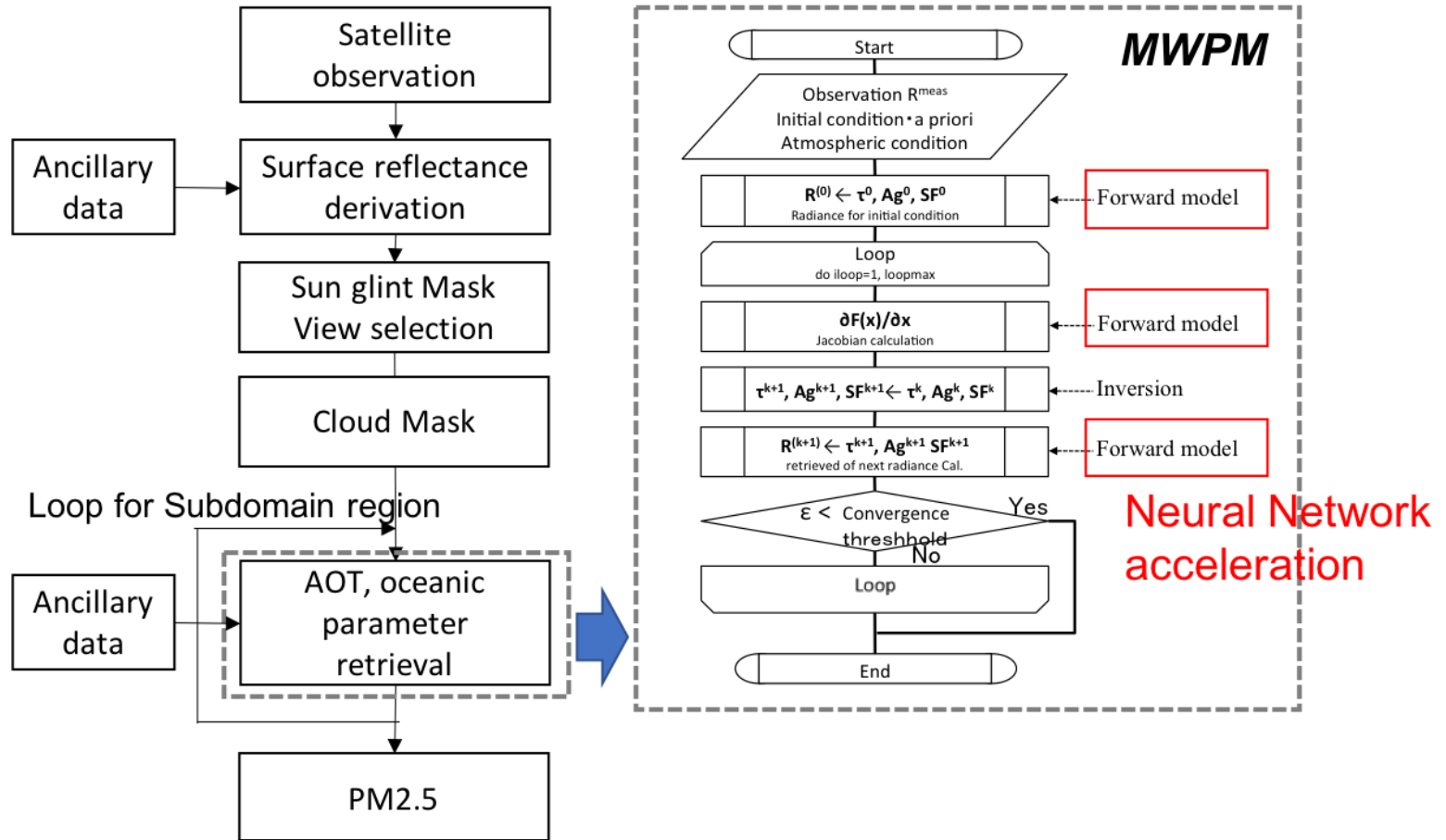
低 エアロゾル光学的厚さ(AOT) 高

陸上領域、全球海上のエアロゾルの濃淡。
アフリカ大陸ギニア湾、インド周辺、黄海辺り→大陸由来

(陸上: By 橋本 真喜子)

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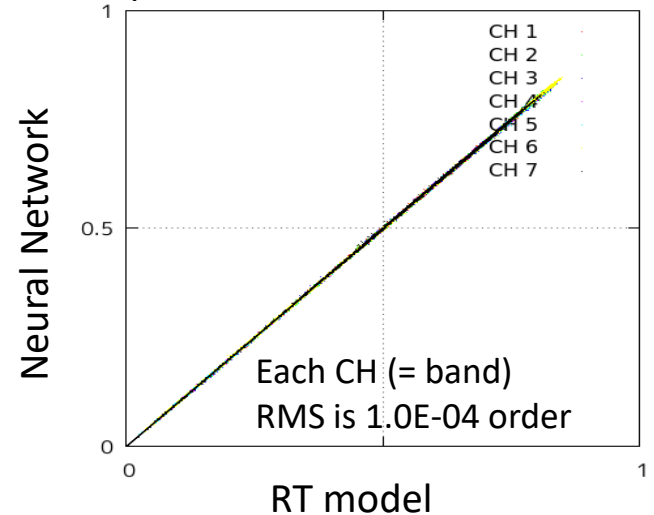
Flow chart of aerosol retrieval using CAI / CAI-2



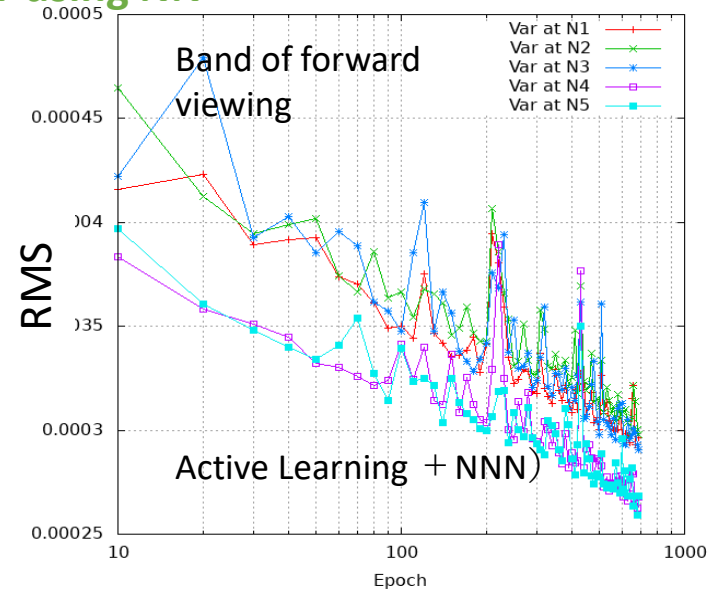
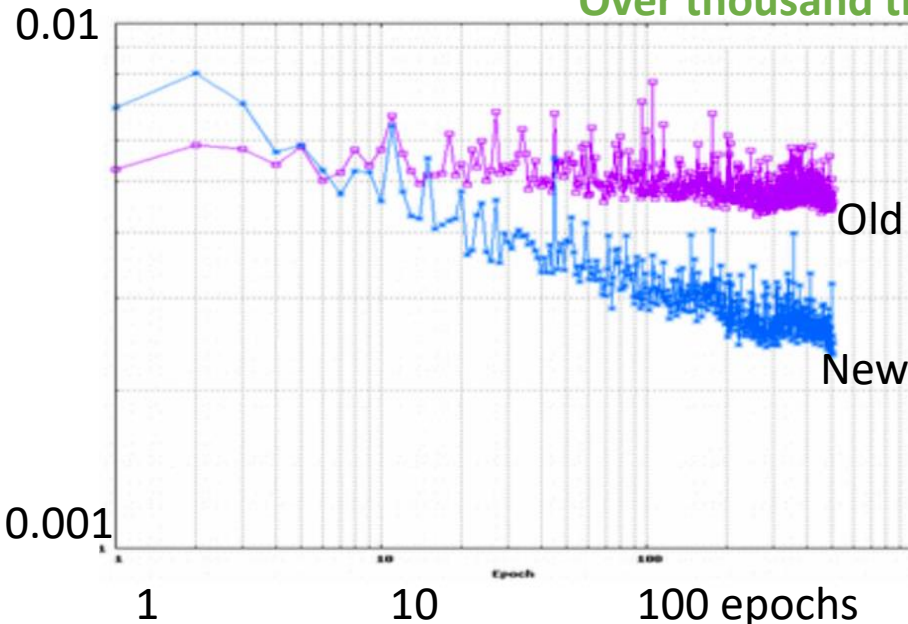
Algorithm acceleration: Neural Network

- Old version : Distortion BP method (Takenaka+, JGR'11)
- New version (NNN; Takenaka+, 2019. EXAM, Active Learning)
- JAXA JSS2 (SORA-MA) Training data generation from model → calculation time @JSS2 : 1~3 sec/time (land), 16~18sec/time(ocean) (7 bands of CAI2 simultaneous)
- Training data number RT model (Rstar 7) : 577M
- Acceleration from NN : 6.0E-04 sec/time (7 bands of CAI2 simultaneous)

Comparison between Rstar7 and NN

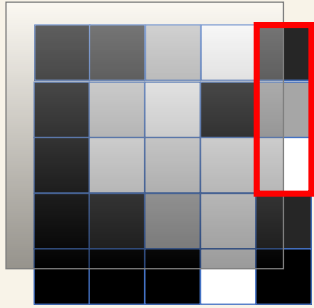


Over thousand times faster using NN



GOSAT-2 L2 エアロゾルアルゴリズム(MWPM)

❖ MWP法 (Multi-wavelength and -pixel method)



$$\rightarrow R = f(u) + e$$

$$R = R_a + R_g \approx A_g + \tau \cdot [c_1 \cdot \omega P(\Theta) - c_2 \cdot A_g]$$

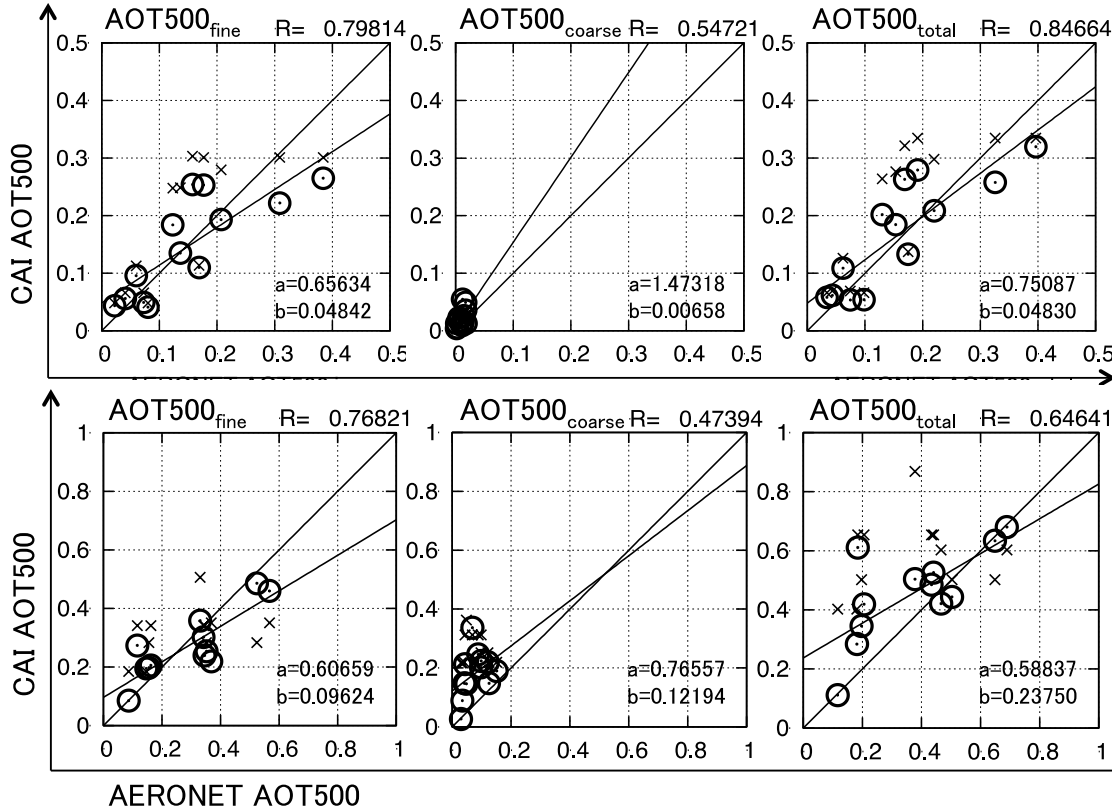
=0 (Independent of AOT*)

(R : Reflectance, t_p : AOT_p, SSA_p : SSA, Θ : Phase function)

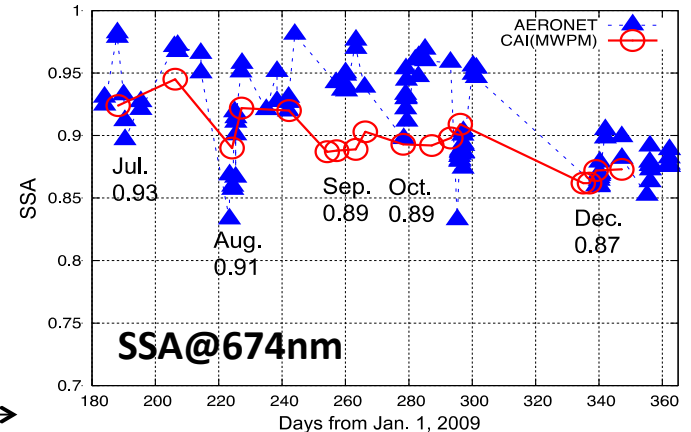
$$R = [R_{band1}, R_{band2}, \dots, R_{bandN}]^T, \quad u = [t_{550, fine}, t_{550, coarse}, W, \{A_g\}_x]^T, \quad \lambda = \{\lambda_i, i=1, N_{band}\}$$

R : Measurement
 $f(u)$: Radiation model
 u : Aerosol parameters
 e : Errors

❖ Retrieval from GOSAT/CAI 4 bands July to December, 2009. VS AERONET



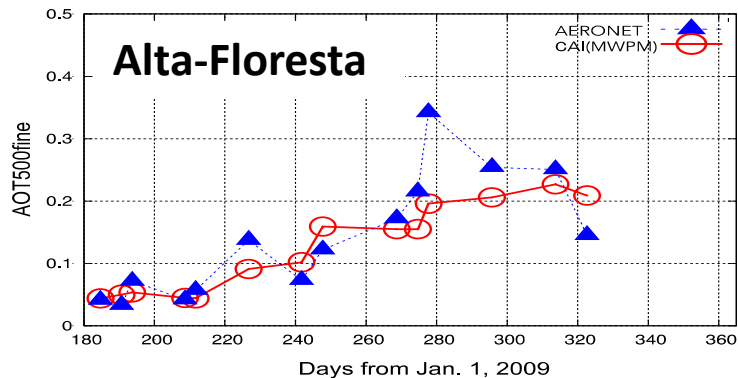
←チェサピーク湾周辺
 ↓北京周辺
 Retrieval result of
 AOT(fine), AOT(coarse) and
 AOT(total)@550nm, SSA@674nm



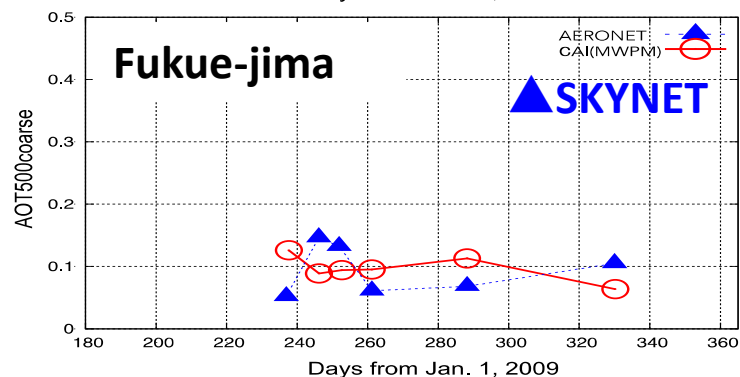
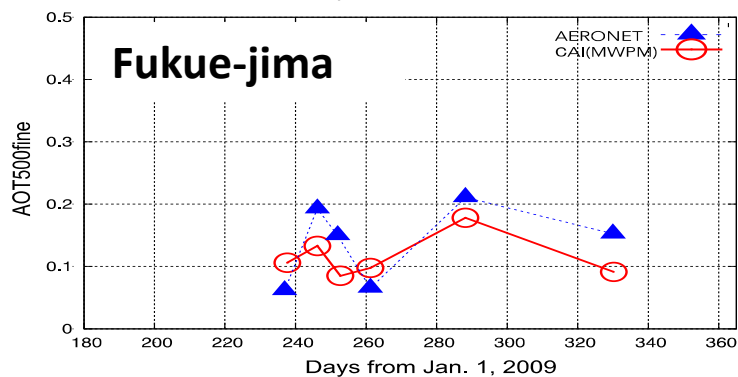
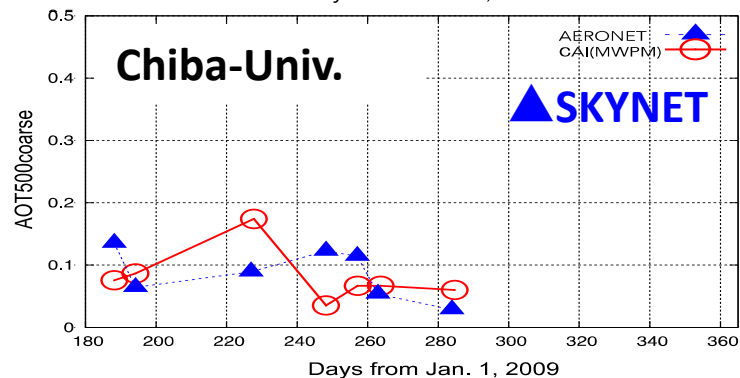
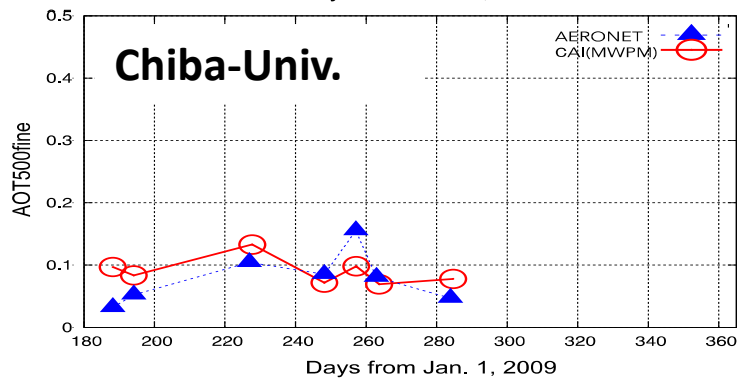
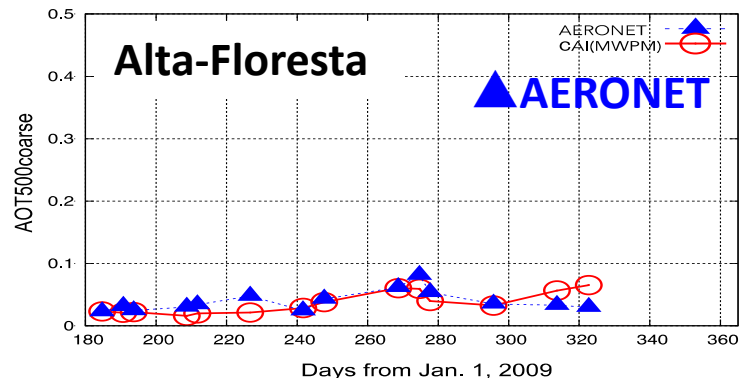
GOSAT-2 L2 エアロゾルアルゴリズム(MWPM)時系列

2009年7月~12月: GOSAT/CAIエアロゾルAOT VS AERONET/SKYNET AOT

AOT500_{fine}



AOT500_{coarse}

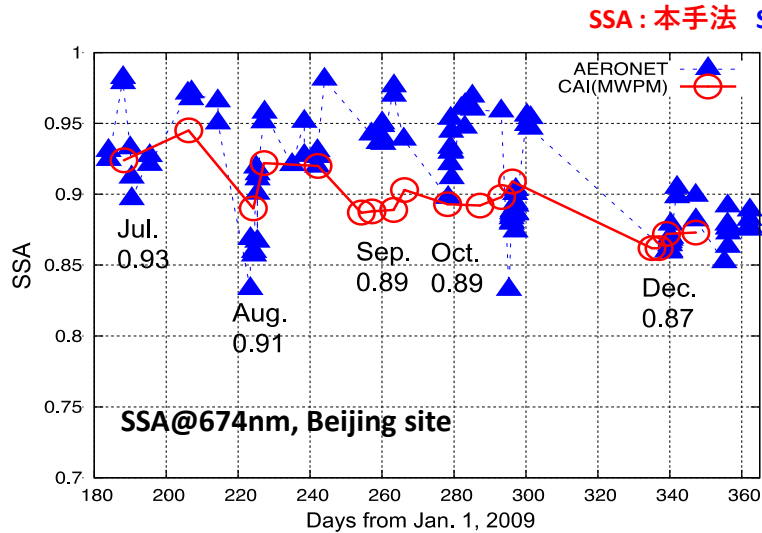


Aerosol retrieval using CAI measurements over land

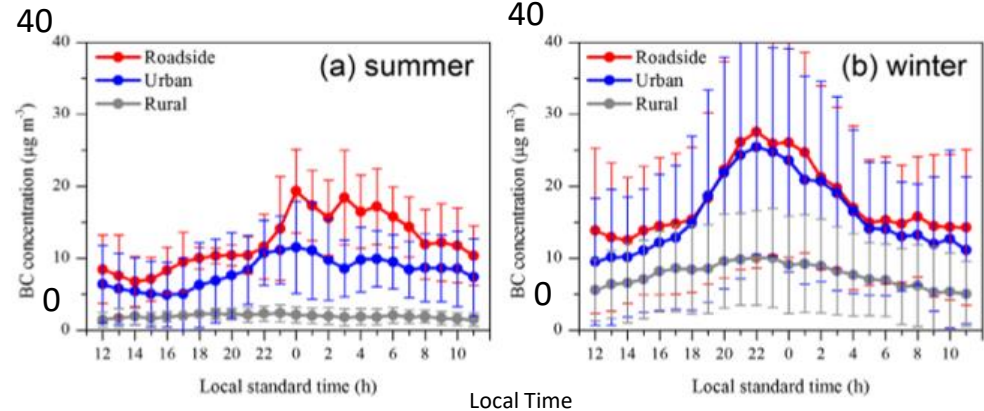
SSA/BCの比較：北京上空での解析結果（2009年7月～12月）

※SFでは比較できないので、SSAで比較

求めたAOT(fine)とSFを用いてBCを算出。BCの密度は仮定。



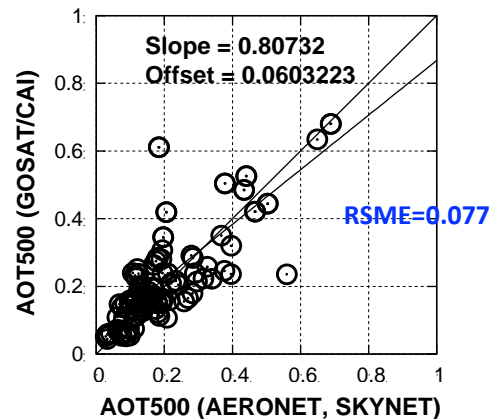
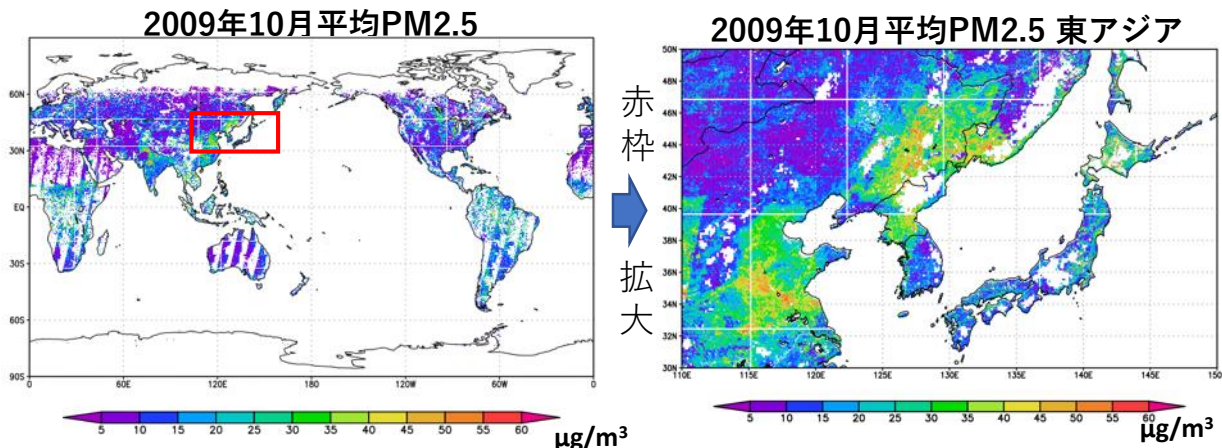
北京一日のBC濃度の変化 [$\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$] (Song et al., 2013)



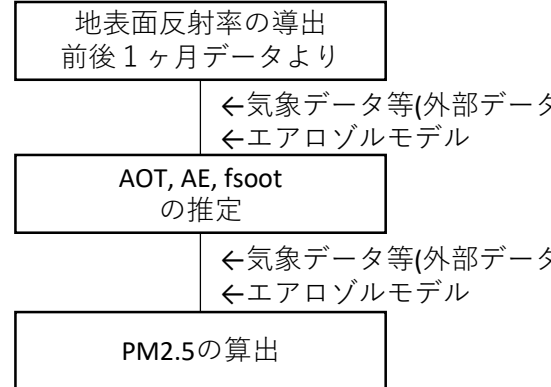
- 2009年の現場観測：BCが冬期に増加（都市部：夏期 $8.1\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$ ，冬期 $16.1\mu\text{g m}^{-3}$ ）(Song et al., 2013)
- 冬期においてSSAが小さくなる現象はBC排出の増加と相対湿度の減少によると考えられる
- 地上観測と同様の傾向←SSA(SF)が導出可能

アルゴリズム確認の例(AOT, PM2.5)

- GOSAT-2/TANSO-CAI-2用のアルゴリズムを使用
- GOSAT/TANSO-CAI の4バンド (380, 674, 870, 1600nm) に適用
- 都市域のAOTをAERONET・SKYNETと比較(右図)。 $\Delta AOT \sim 0.077$
→ GOSAT-2/CAI-2エアロゾル、フルサクセスクリテリアを満たす
- 10月のAOT(fine)よりPM2.5を算出 (鉛直分布の仮定の影響大)
※ 中国米大使館2009年10月平均 $\sim 100\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$



PM2.5処理フロー



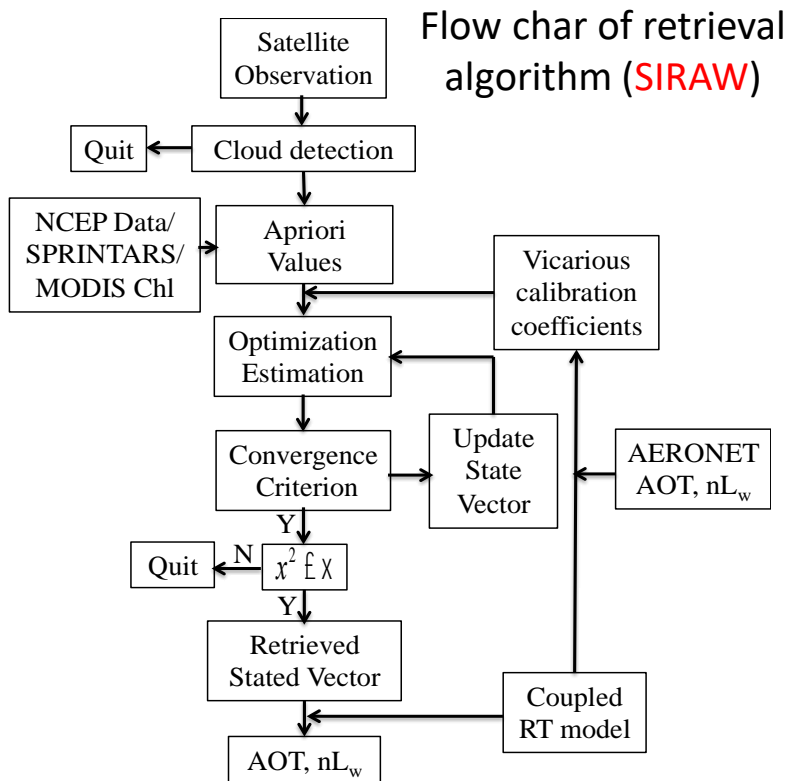
$$v(r) = \frac{dV}{d \ln r} = g(AOT) \cdot \sum_{i=1}^N c_i \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\ln r - \ln r_{m,i}}{\ln S_i} \right)^2 \right\}, \quad \rho_{sulfate} = 1.5\text{g}/\text{m}^3 (\text{仮定})$$

$$\text{PM2.5} [\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3] = m_{f.boundary}^{(\ast 1)} \cdot \rho_{Sulfate} \cdot \int_{r_{fine.min}}^{r_{fine.max}} \frac{1}{r} \frac{dV}{d \ln r} d \ln r \quad (\ast 1) \text{ Sulfateのみで計算}$$

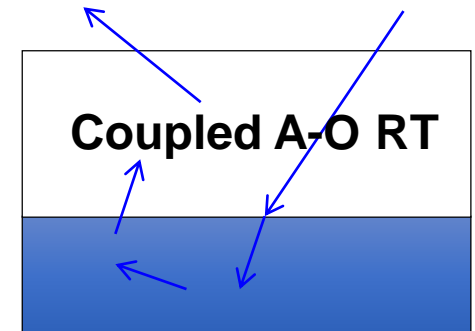
Simultaneous Retrieval of Aerosol and Oceanic parameters

- Shi & Nakajima (ACP'18)
- Shi et al. (ACP'19): w MWPM

- Forward radiation simulation (I,Q,U) conducted by a coupled A-O RT model (Pstar: Ota et al., JQSRT, 2010)
- Improved Pstar with CASE2 water module



Turbid A& Murky O



- Retrieved parameters are derived by the optimization estimation approach.

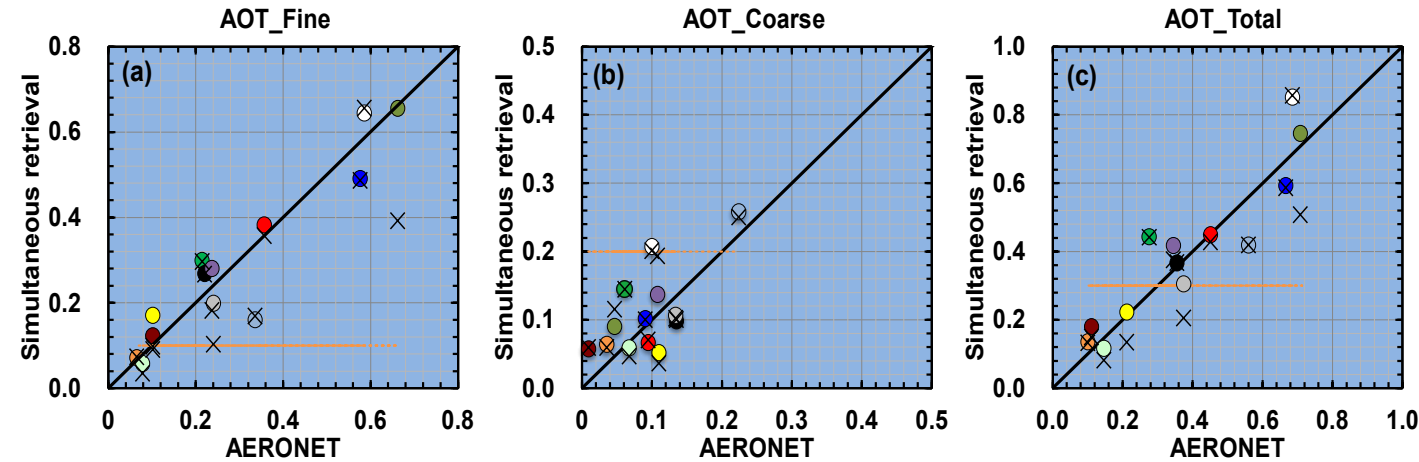
$$\mathbf{x}_{i+1} = \mathbf{x}_i + \left[\left(\mathbf{K}_i^T \mathbf{S}_e^{-1} \mathbf{K}_i + (1+g) \mathbf{S}_a^{-1} \right) \right]^{-1} \cdot \left[\mathbf{K}_i^T \mathbf{S}_e^{-1} (\mathbf{y} - \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{x})) - \mathbf{S}_a^{-1} (\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_a) \right]$$

x: Retrieved parameters (8)

atmosphere: AOT_fine, AOT_seasalt, AOT_dust, soot fraction

ocean: wind speed, Chl, sediment, CDOM

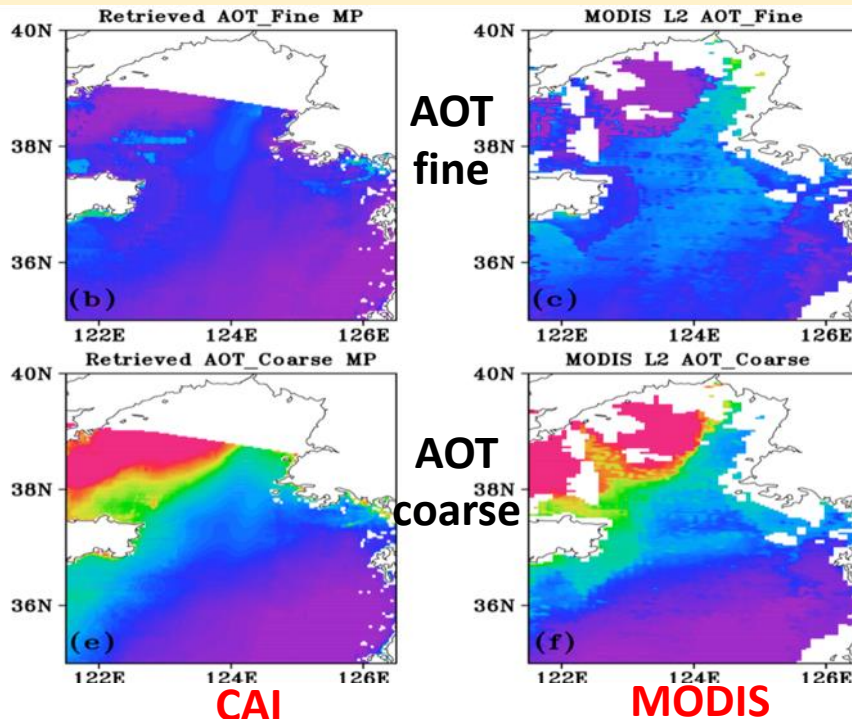
Aerosol retrieval using CAI measurements over ocean



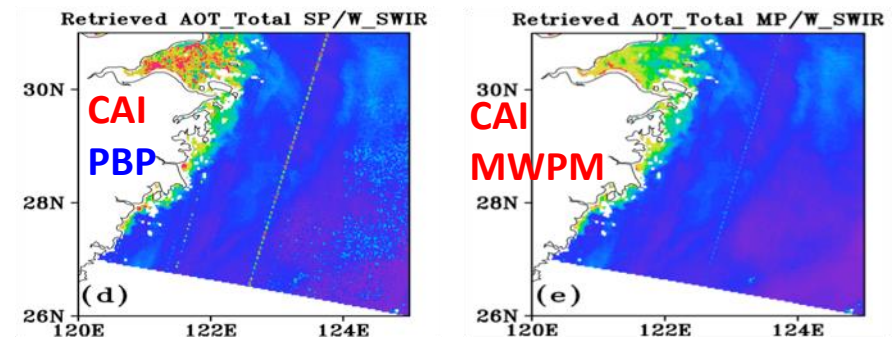
Retrieval based on the GOSAT/TANSO-CAI

- Multi-pixel method
- × Single-pixel method
- A priori values

Asian Dust Monitoring (2012/04/27)



Aerosol retrieval over turbid waters



High turbid over the East China Sea

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + \left[\left(\mathbf{K}_i^T \mathbf{S}_e^{-1} \mathbf{K}_i + (1+g) \mathbf{S}_a^{-1} \right) \right]^{-1} \cdot \left[\mathbf{K}_i^T \mathbf{S}_e^{-1} (y - F(x)) - \mathbf{S}_a^{-1} (x_i - x_a) \right]$$

- x : Retrieved parameters (8)
- atmosphere: AOT_fine, AOT_seasalt, AOT_dust, soot fraction
- ocean: wind speed, Chl, sediment, CDOM