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BSC Update: MONARCH model

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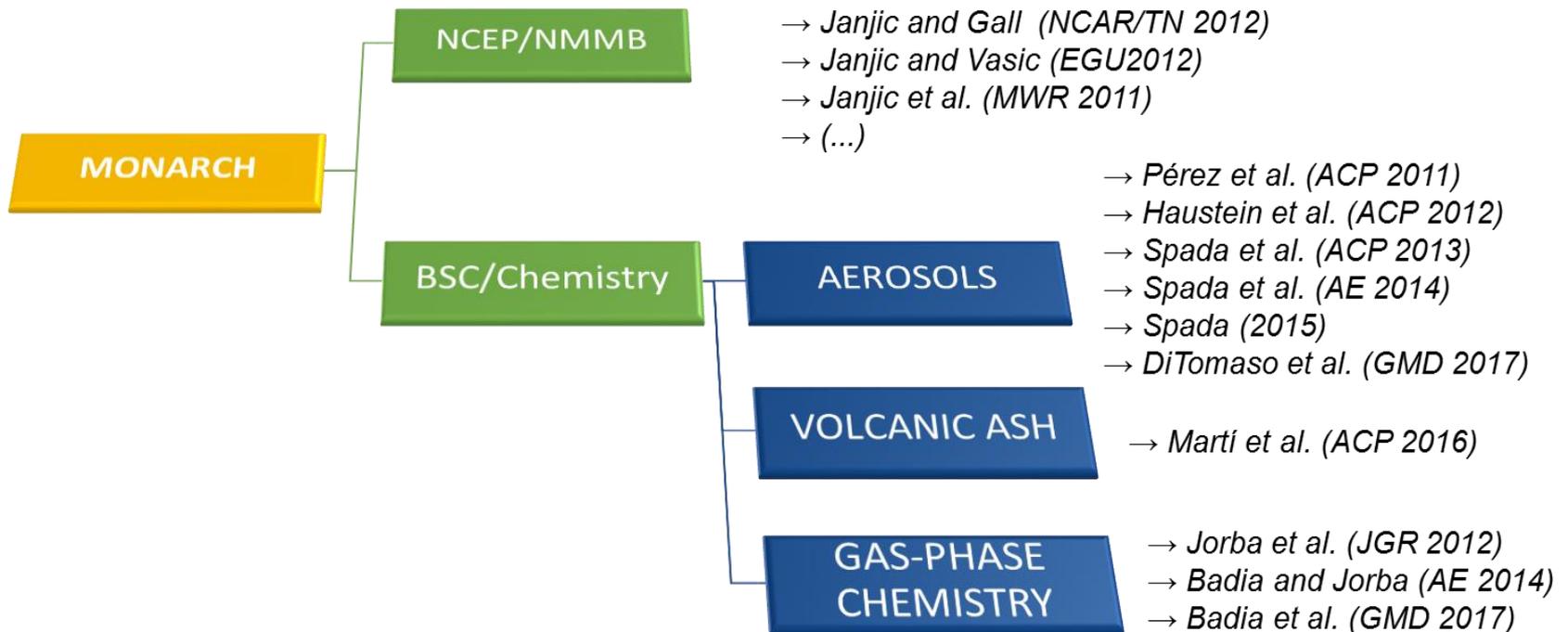
Overview of the MONARCH model and status of BSC forecast



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The MONARCH model

- **Multiscale**: global to regional (up to 1km) scales allowed
- Fully **on-line** coupling: weather-chemistry feedback processes allowed
- Enhancement with a **data assimilation** system



Aerosol Scheme

Sectional

dust (DU)
sea-salt (SS)



Bulk

Black Carbon (BC)



Organic Aerosols (OA)

Primary Organic Aerosols (POA)

Secondary organic aerosols (SOA)

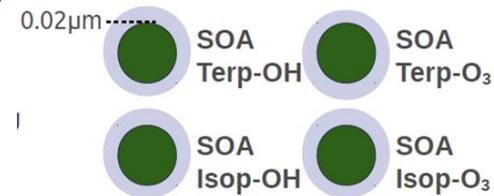
4 gaseous tracers (OH, O₃, TERP, ISOP). Online emission (MEGAN)

4 aerosol-phase hydrophilic tracers

2-product scheme of Tsigaridis and Kanakidou (2007)

Oxidation by OH and O₃ and gas-particle partitioning

Anthropogenic SOA from Toluene and Xylene under development



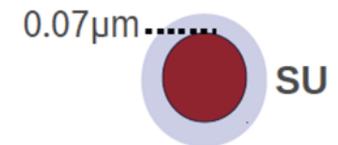
Sulfate (SU):

4 additional prognostic tracers (SO₂, DMS, H₂O₂, H₂SO₄)

3 online or climatological oxidants (OH, O₃, HO₂)

gas-phase oxidation of SO₂, DMS and H₂O₂ by OH

aqueous-phase oxidation by H₂O₂ and O₃

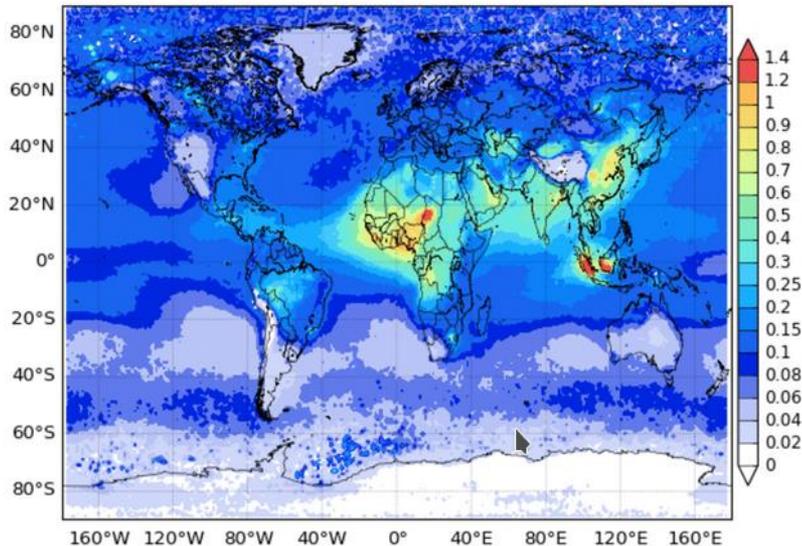


Nitrate (NO₃) and Ammonium (NH₄): as calculated by EQSAM thermodynamic equilibrium model but not evaluated yet

MONARCH forecasts

Global

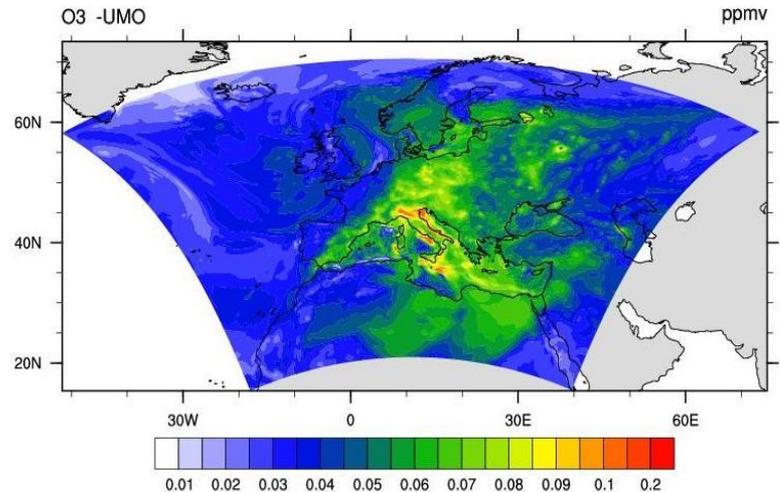
NMMB-MONARCH-b015 AOD550
2015



- ✓ MONARCH contributes to the **ICAP global forecast aerosol multi-model ensemble**
<http://icap.atmos.und.edu>

Regional

20100715 at 12UTC



- ✓ **BDFC and SDS-WAS** dust forecast
- ✓ Candidate model **CAMS_50.11**
- ✓ It will be implemented in **CALIOPE** (www.bsc.es/caliope)
AQ Forecast System for **EU** and **Spain**

And more products in: <http://www.bsc.es/ess/>

BSC ICAP Current forecasts and plans

CURRENT FORECASTING – DEVELOPED/AVAILABLE – UNDER DEVELOPMENT - PLANNED

DOMAIN	GLOBAL (ICAP)	REGIONAL North Africa, Middle East and Europe (SDS-WAS)	REGIONAL Europe/Iberian Peninsula/Urban Areas (CALIOPE)
Model	MONARCH	MONARCH	CMAQ (DREAM for dust) MONARCH
Status	QO	O	O
Meteorology	Inline: NMMB	Inline: NMMB	Offline: WRF-ARW Inline: NMMB nesting
Resolution	0.7x0.5 deg	0.1x0.1 deg 0.03x0.03 deg	0.1x0.1 / 0.04x0.04 / 0.01 x0.01
levels	48	40 60-70	30 60-70
DA	LETKF	LETKF	NA LETKF
Assimilated Obs	MODIS DT+DB (DU) MODIS DT+DB (ALL)	MODIS DT+DB (DU)	NA MODIS DT+DB (ALL)
Aerosol Species	DU, SS, BC, POA, SOA bio, SOA anthro, SOA fires, SU, NI	DU	CMAQ (AERO5) MONARCH aerosols
Gas phase chemistry	CBM-IV CB05 ONLINE and CLIMATOLOGY		CB05 CB05
Emissions	HERMESv3 (HTAP v2) MEGAN ONLINE		EMEP, MEGAN / HERMES, MEGAN/ HERMES MEGAN
Bio. Burn. Emissions	GFAS NRT		NA GFAS NRT

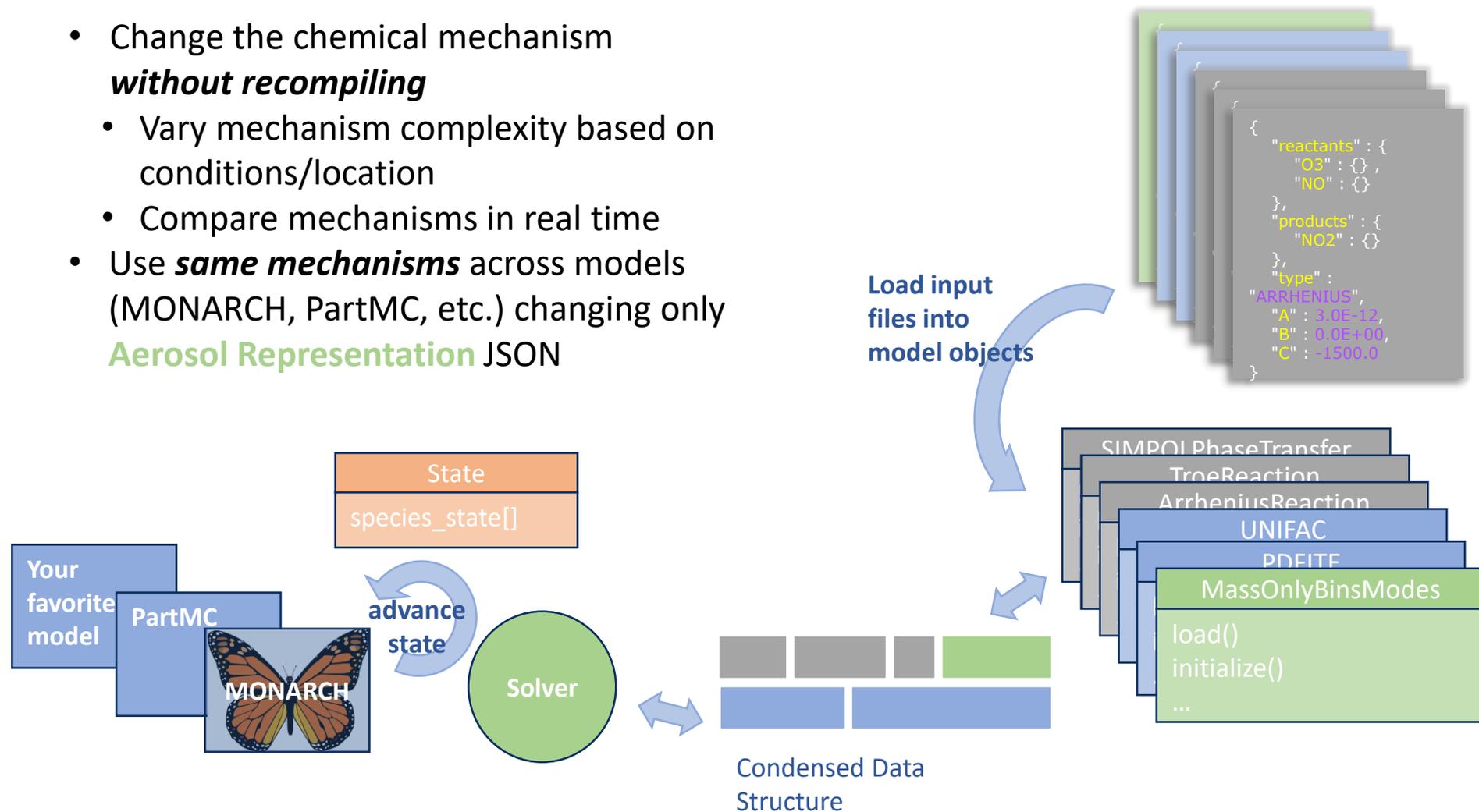
Developments



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Extending the flexibility of chemistry solvers in MONARCH: Chemi More (Matt Dawson)

- Change the chemical mechanism **without recompiling**
- Vary mechanism complexity based on conditions/location
- Compare mechanisms in real time
- Use **same mechanisms** across models (MONARCH, PartMC, etc.) changing only **Aerosol Representation JSON**



ACRONNiM



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The PartMC library is available at:
<https://github.com/compdyn/partmc>

HERMESv3: The High-Elective Resolution Modelling Emissions System

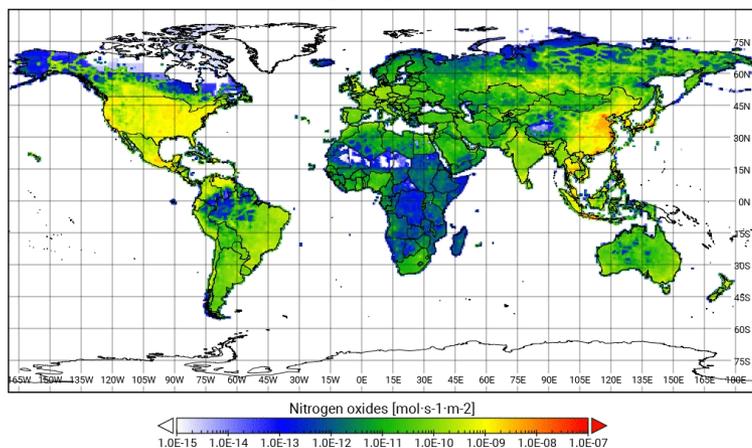
A python-based, parallel, open source and multiscale emission modelling framework that processes and estimates gas and aerosol emissions for use in atmospheric chemistry models.

global-regional module
(HERMESv3_GR)

bottom-up module
(HERMESv3_BU)

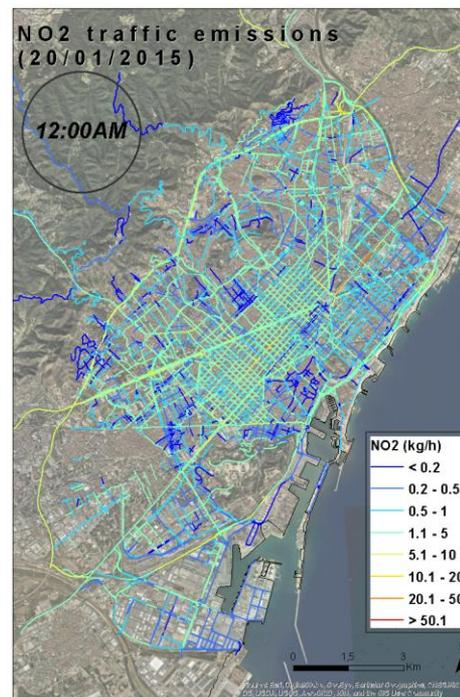


ECLIPSEv5a nitrogen oxides transport emissions - Regular (1.4x1.0deg)
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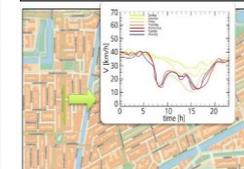
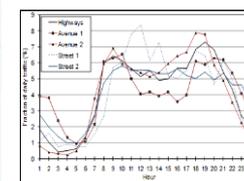


https://earth.bsc.es/gitlab/es/hermesv3_gr

Guevara et al. (2019, GMD)

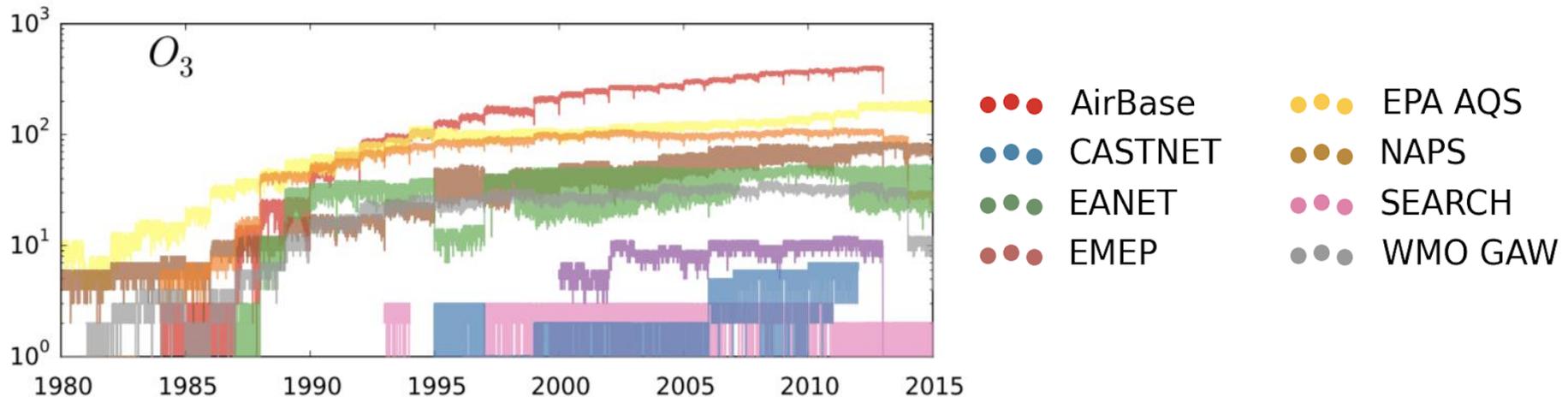


TOMTOM MAPS



GHOST: Globally Harmonised Observational Surface Treatment

- With time, more and more observations from different reporting networks are becoming available to the atmospheric chemistry community.



- GHOST provides a framework for the harmonisation of an exhaustive number of data/metadata fields that may provide some use to scientists when using the observations in analyses.

Projects



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BSC contribution to CAMS

Copernicus Atmosphere Monitoring Service (CAMS) is one of six services that form Copernicus, the European Union's Earth observation programme.

CAMS is implemented by ECMWF on behalf of the European Commission.

- CAMS_84 Phase I and II: Validation – Dust in the Mediterranean
- CAMS_81: Global and Regional emissions – Service evolution on temporal profiles
- CAMS_50 Phase II: Regional production – MONARCH Candidate model
- CAMS_43 Phase II: Global aerosol development - Shortwave radiance assimilation
- CAMS_95: Aircraft Support and Maintenance Service – Dust forecasts

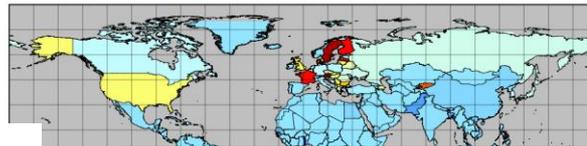
CAMS-81: new temporal profiles

Development of gridded temporal profiles that take into account differences across:

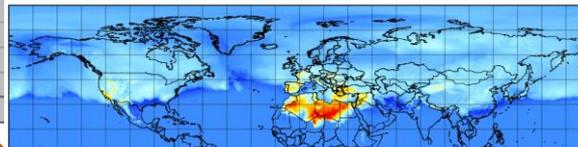
- Sources (energy and manufacturing industry, residential combustion, traffic and agriculture)
- Countries and regions (climatological and sociodemographic aspects)
- Pollutants (NO_x , CO, NMVOC, NH_3 , SO_x , PM_{10} , $\text{PM}_{2.5}$, CO_2 and CH_4)

Monthly, daily, weekly and hourly profiles

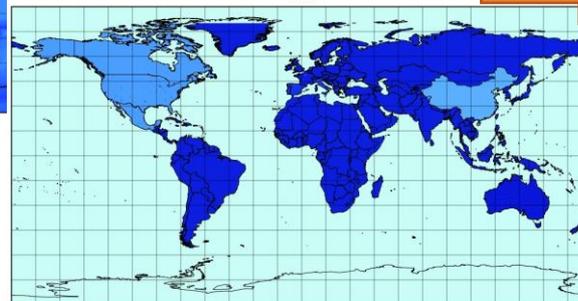
Gridded monthly weights for energy NO_x emissions



Gridded daily weights for NO_x residential

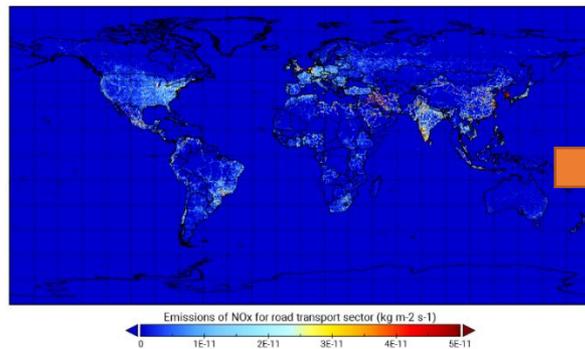


Gridded hourly weights for transport emissions
Time: 0

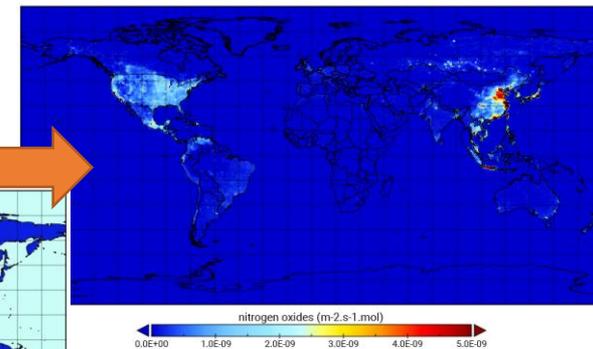


Hourly factors
0.1 0.5 0.9 1.2 1.6 2.0

Annual emissions



Hourly emissions



CAMS-43: WP3 on SW radiance data assimilation

Simple 1D-Var code

Shortwave radiative transfer models:

- CDISORT, DISORT, FLOTSAM (implementation in the 1DVar in development)

Which variables to control?

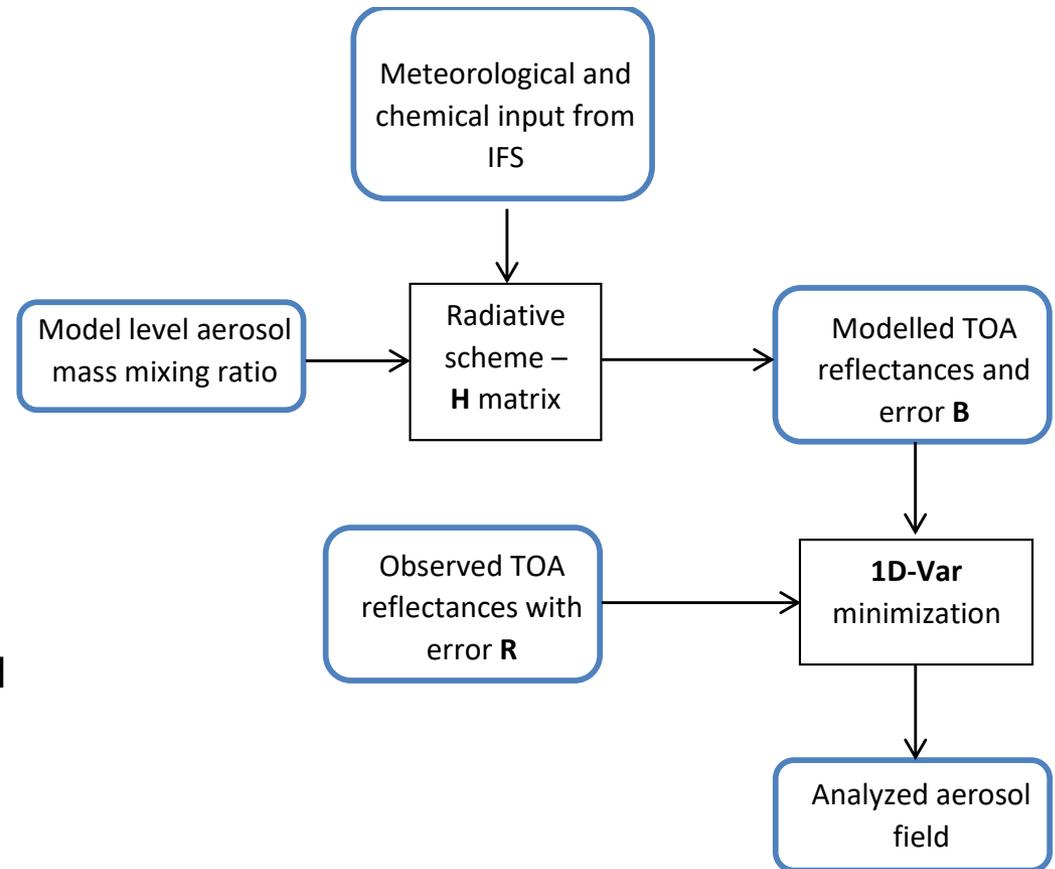
- AOD per aerosol type
- AOD vertical profiles
- Aerosol size distributions
- Surface reflectance

Observations:

- How many viewing geometries and wavelengths are needed?
- Limits on the observational errors?

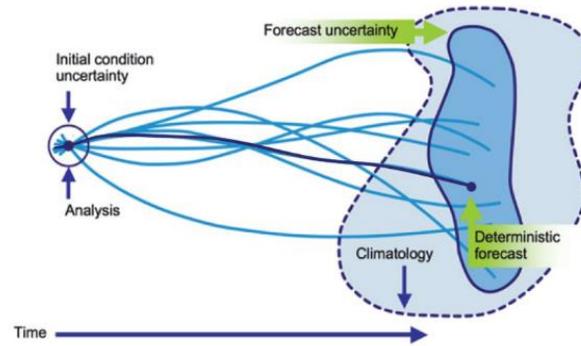
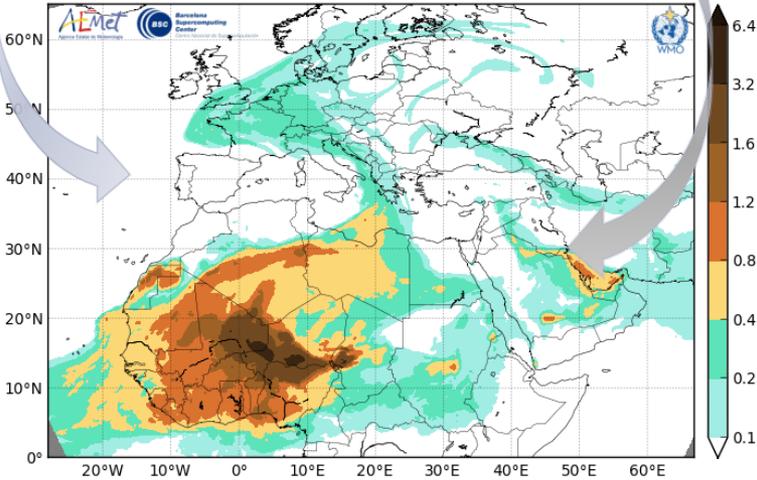
Testing:

- Test with synthetic radiance observations
- Test with real radiance observations



MONARCH ensemble forecast for dust data assimilation

Barcelona Dust Forecast Center - <http://dust.aemet.es/>
 NMMB/BSC-Dust Res:0.1°x0.1° Dust AOD
 Run: 12h 09 APR 2018 Valid: 12h 09 APR 2018 (H+00)



Role of the ensemble:

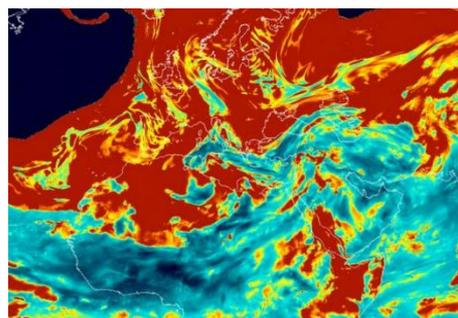
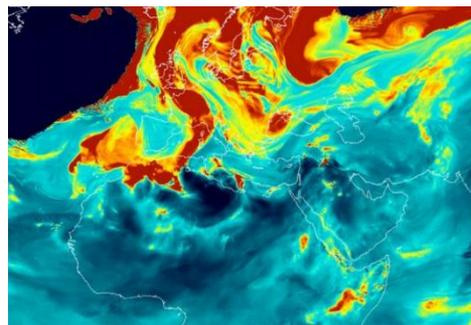
- spatial spreading of information from observations
- statistically consistent increments between neighbouring grid points
- multivariate analysis

monitoring

forecast



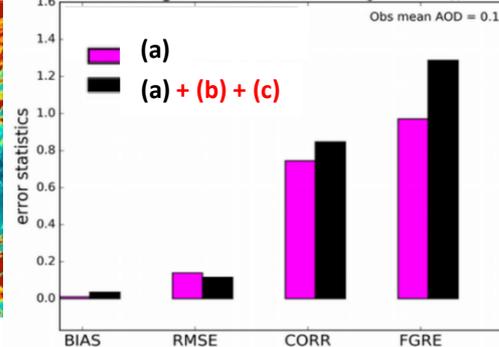
Normalized standard deviation



(a)

(a) + (b) + (c)

Validation against AERONET data (Jan 2012), BDFC



- (a) multi-parameter source perturbations
- (b) multi-physics source perturbations
- (c) multi-meteorological initial and boundary conditions

DustClim Project (2017-2020)

Produce a **high resolution dust reanalysis** for Northern Africa, Middle East and Europe covering the satellite era of quantitative aerosol information, and develop **dust-related services** tailored to specific socio-economic sectors (**transport, energy, health**)

Challenges for CES&AC

high resolution feasibility
code parallelization & efficiency

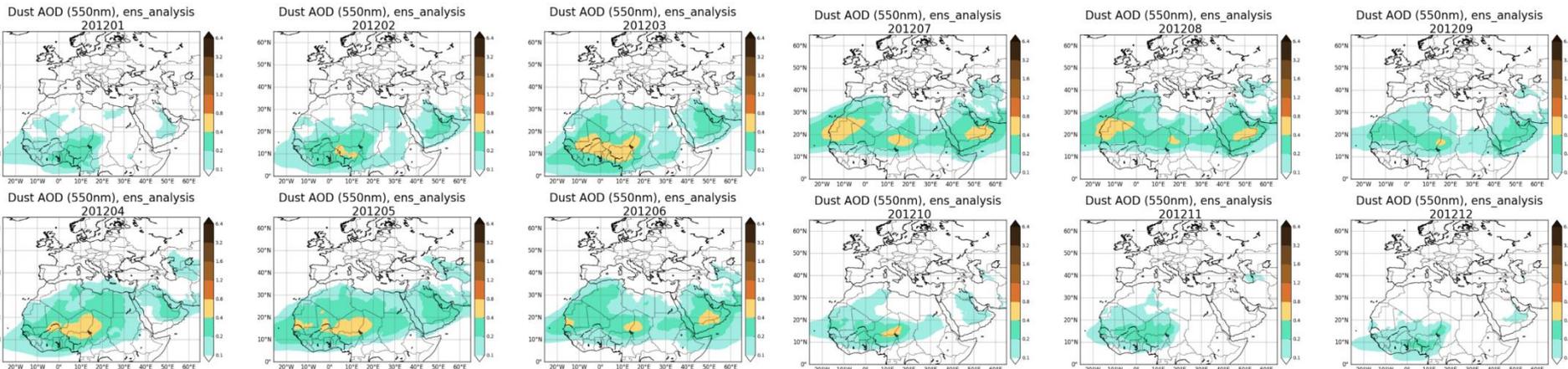
multi-year simulations
store & retrieve storage conventions & MONARCH_reduce

ensemble simulations

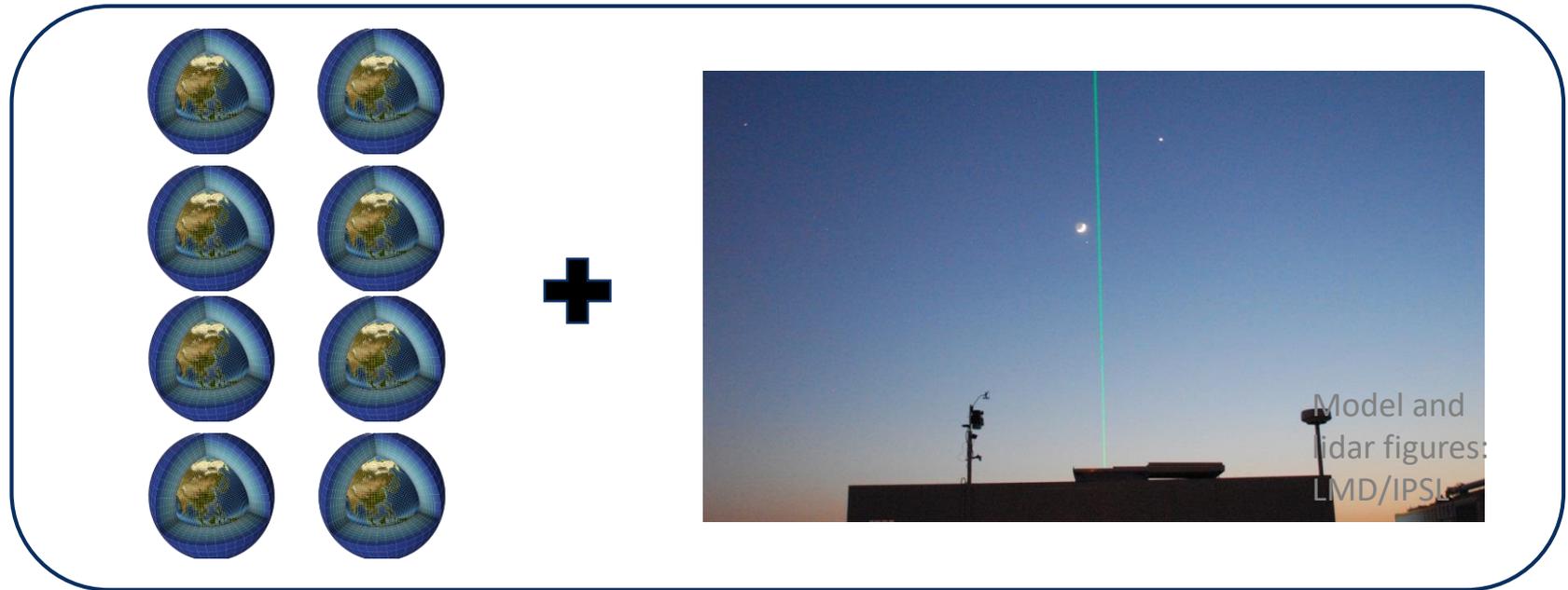
automatisation
autosubmit & automonarch



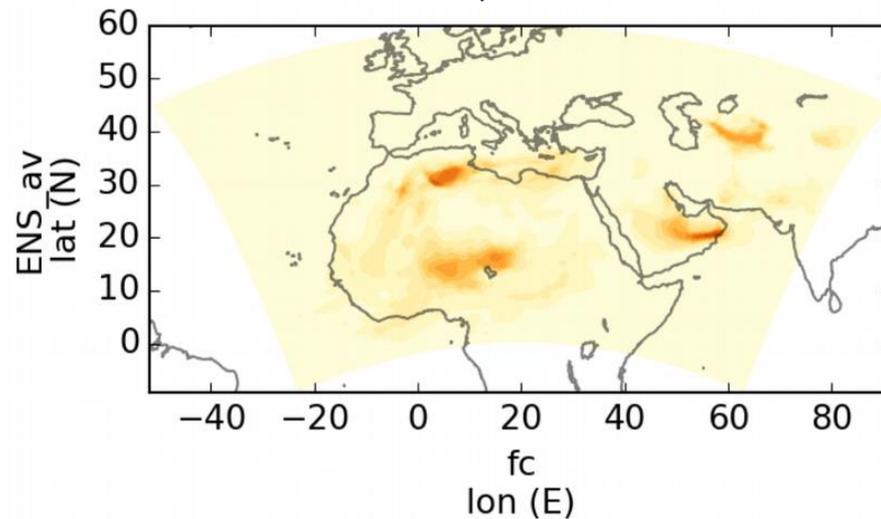
Monthly dust analyses for 2012



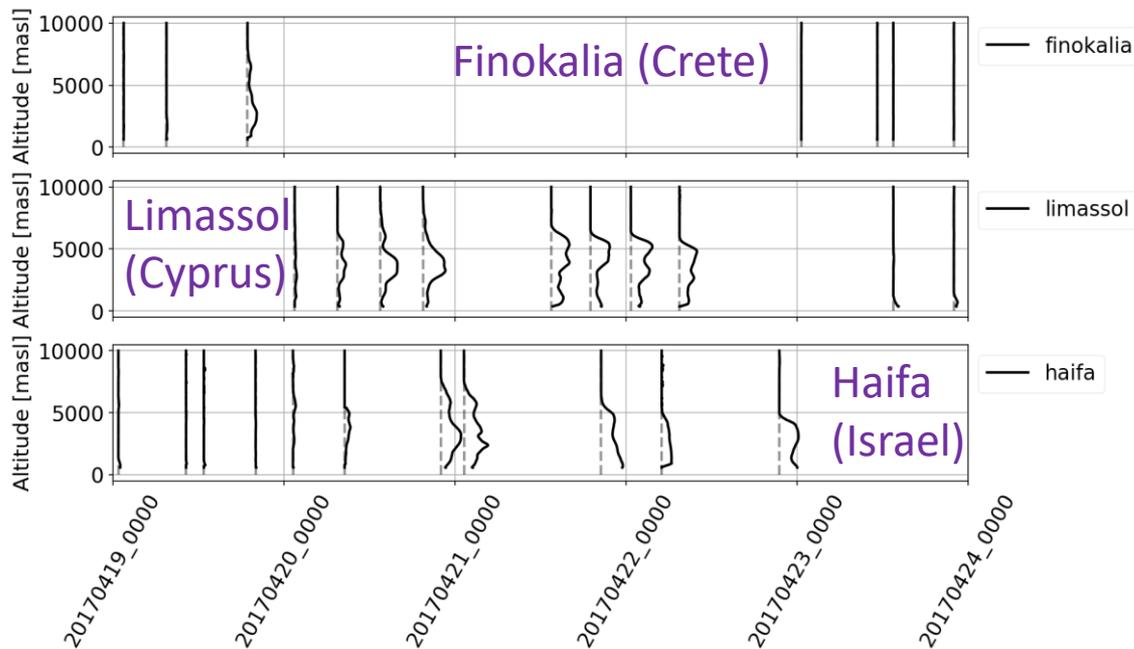
Data assimilation of vertical dust profiles (J. Escribano)



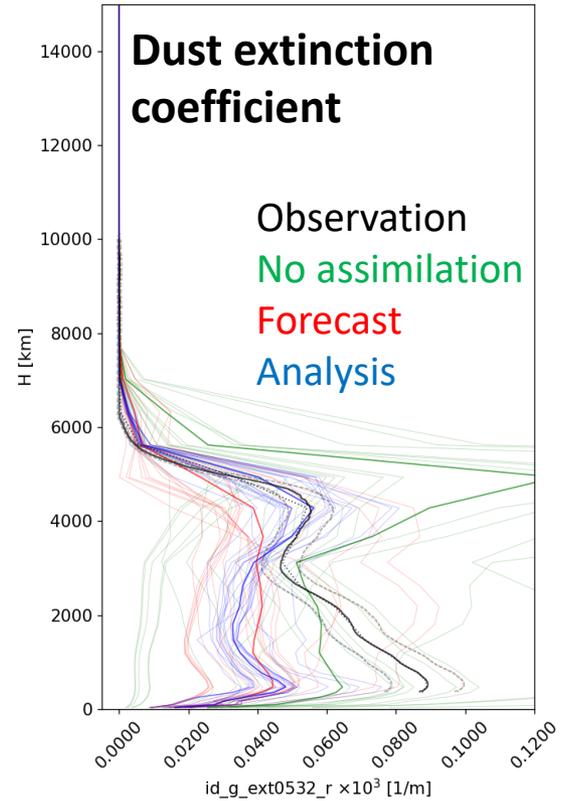
Dust optical depth



OBS: Dust extinction coefficient

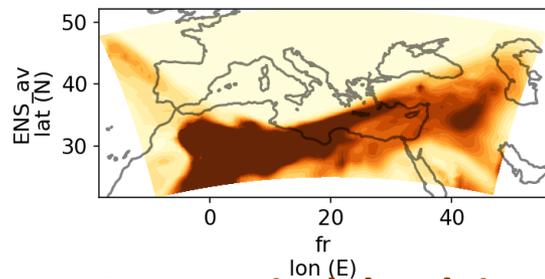


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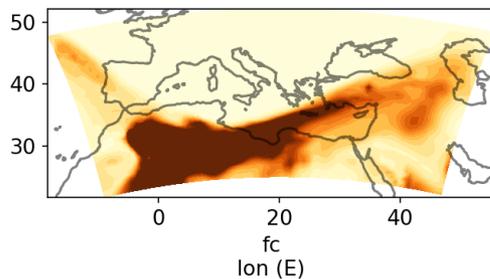


Dust optical depth

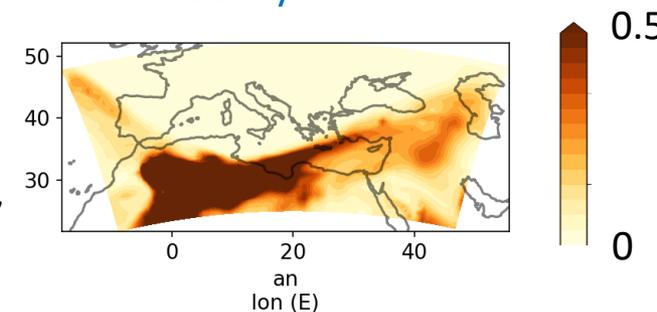
No assimilation



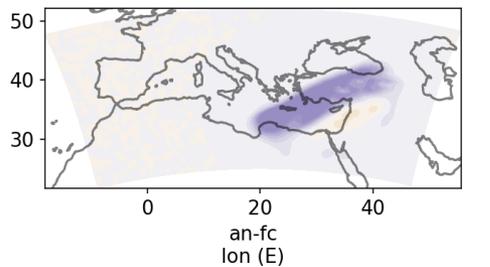
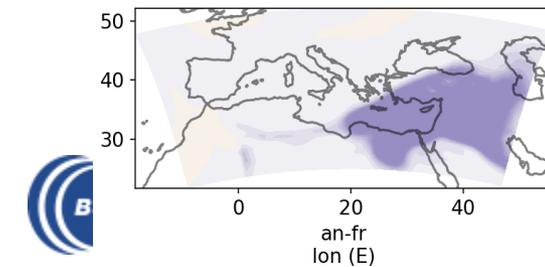
Forecast



Analysis



Dust optical depth increments



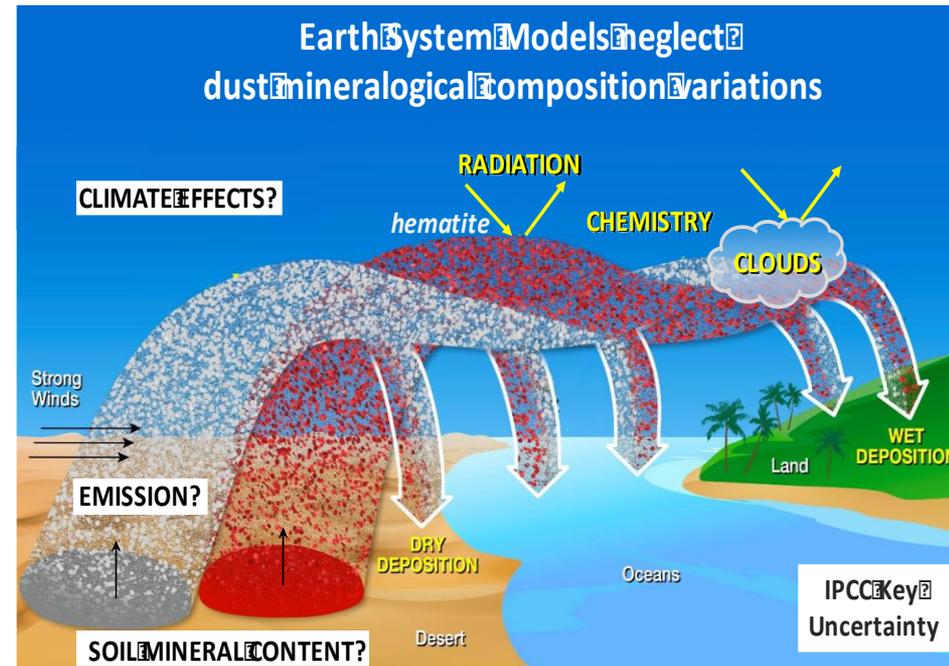
STARS

FRAGMENT: FRontiers in dust minerAloGical coMposition and its Effects upoN climaTe



CONTEXT

- Dust aerosols are a mixture of different minerals, whose relative abundances, particle size distribution (PSD), shape, surface topography and mixing state influence their effect upon climate.
- **Soil mineralogy atlases** for dust modelling are uncertain. They are derived by massively extrapolating an inhomogeneous and limited set of mineralogical analyses of soil samples that are particularly scarce in the arid and semi-arid areas that contain the dust sources
- **Future high quality space borne spectroscopic mapping of soil mineralogy** is a promising path to understand the relative abundance of the key dust source minerals with sufficient detail and coverage, but the use of this resource has been virtually unexplored in the context of dust modelling.
- The complete lack of experimental studies tackling the size-resolved mineralogy of emitted dust due to **fragmentation of soil mineral aggregates** and its relationship with the parent soil hinders our ability to extend and constrain the theories of dust emission used in models.

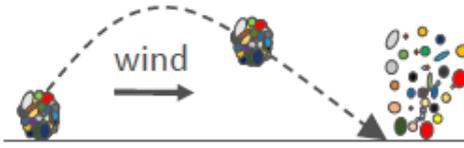


Challenges

Methods

Obj1
WP1

Emission of minerals



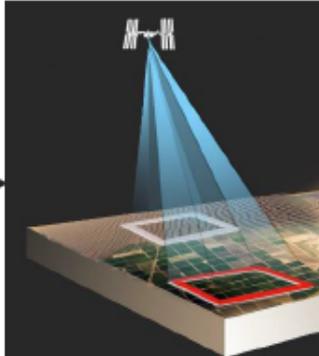
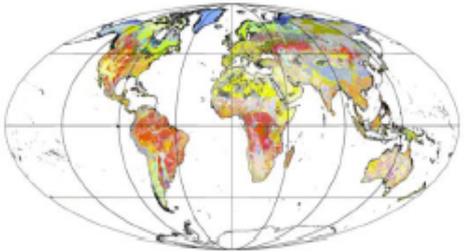
FRAGMENTation of aggregates



Theory
+
field campaigns
+
Laboratory analyses

Obj2
WP2

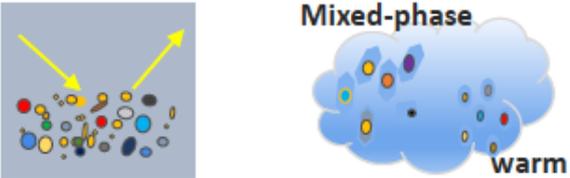
Global soil mineral content



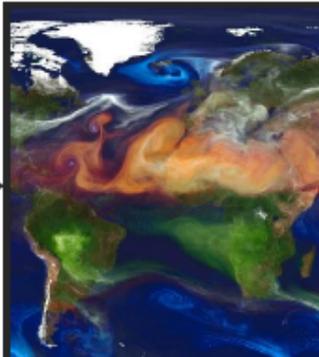
Field and Lab
+
Airborne spectroscopy
+
Space-borne spectroscopy
EMIT

Obj3
WP3

Role of mineralogy



Radiation, Chemistry and Clouds



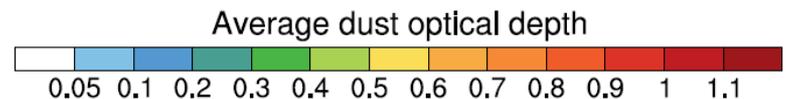
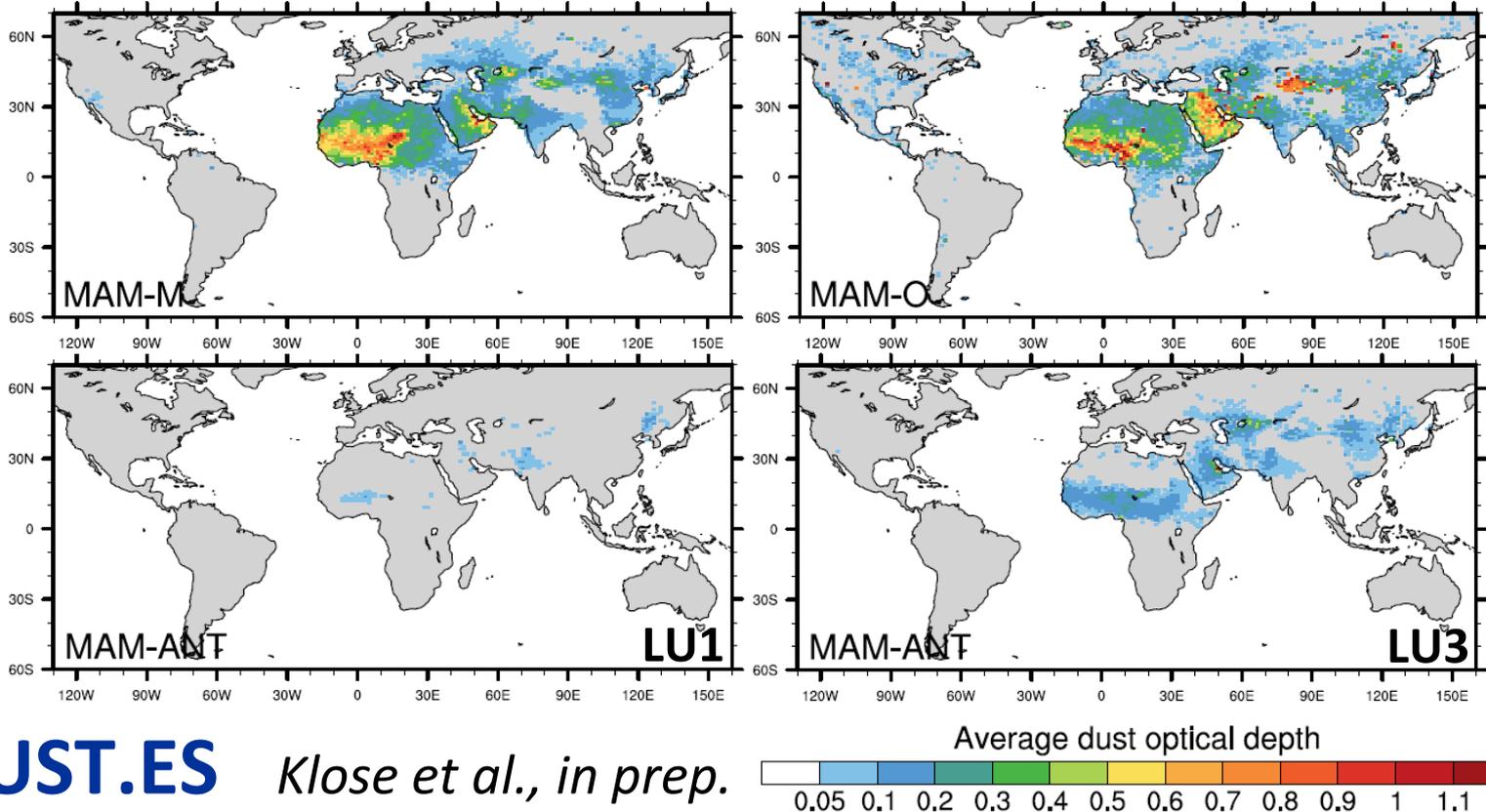
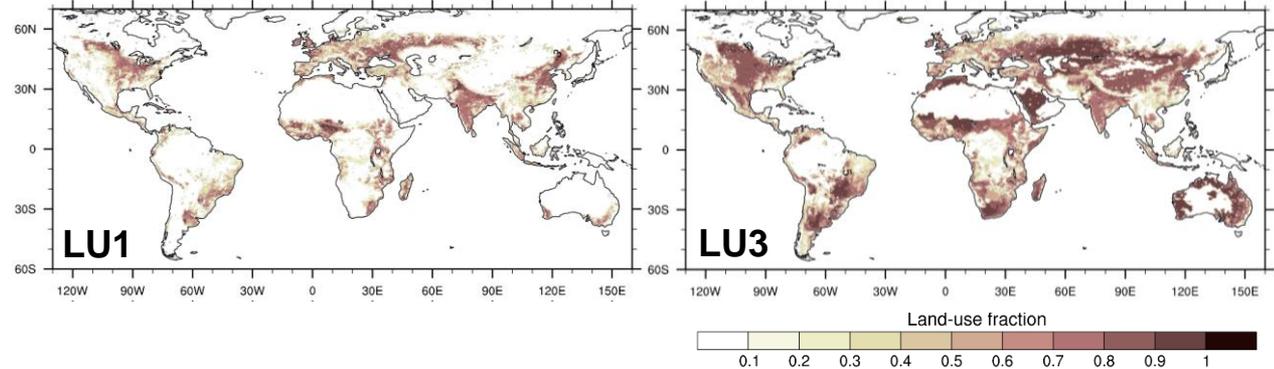
Modelling
+
State-of-the-art
+
New methodologies
EMIT

Dust emission from natural and anthropogenic sources (M. Klose)

Land-use scenarios:

(LU1) Cropland, pasture

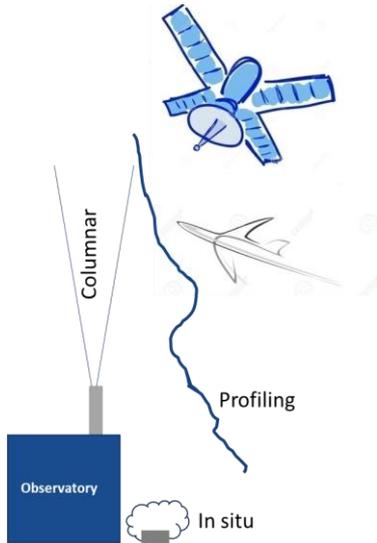
(LU3) Cropland, pasture,
converted rangeland,
rangeland



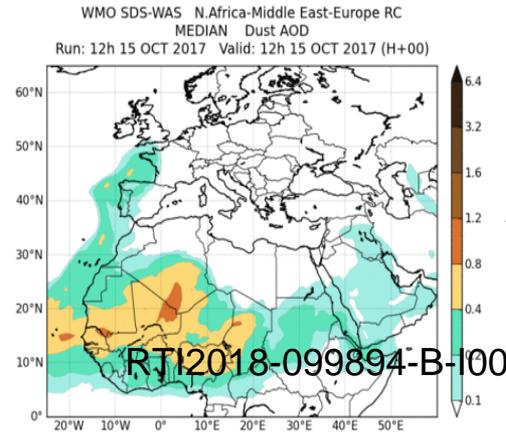
SDS-WAS Regional Center activities

Harmonised storage of observations and forecasts

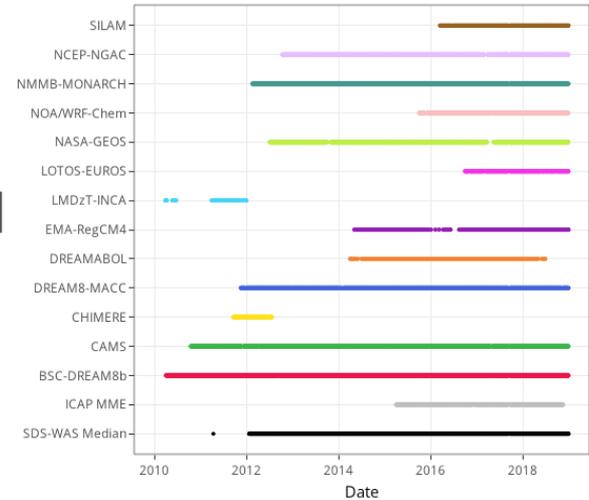
NRT Observations



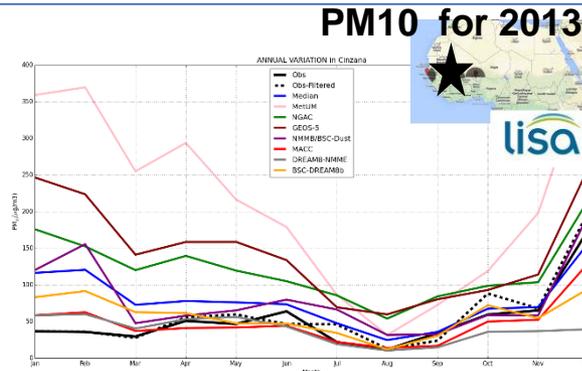
Unique dust 72h forecast ensemble based on 12 models



SDS-WAS available models

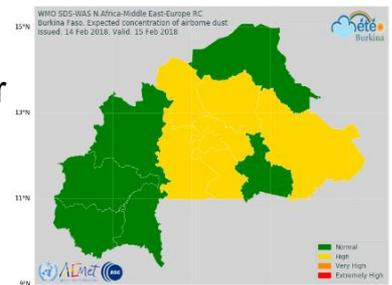


Model evaluation:
 Dust-filtered observations are used to provide the performance of the models



User-oriented products: Warning Advisory System for Burkina Faso and... in the future for NAMEE

inDust





18th AeroCom workshop

7th AeroSAT workshop

September 23 – 28, 2019
BSC, Barcelona, Spain

hosts: Carlos Perez and Alexis Chanthasak
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co-organizers (AeroCom): Michael Schulz / Stefan Kinne / Mian Chin
co-organizers (AeroSAT): Thomas Popp / Ralph Kahn



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- ERA4CS

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FRAGMENTation of aggregates

Understand emitted PSD of minerals and relationship with parent soil
Extend theoretical framework(s) and produce global model scheme

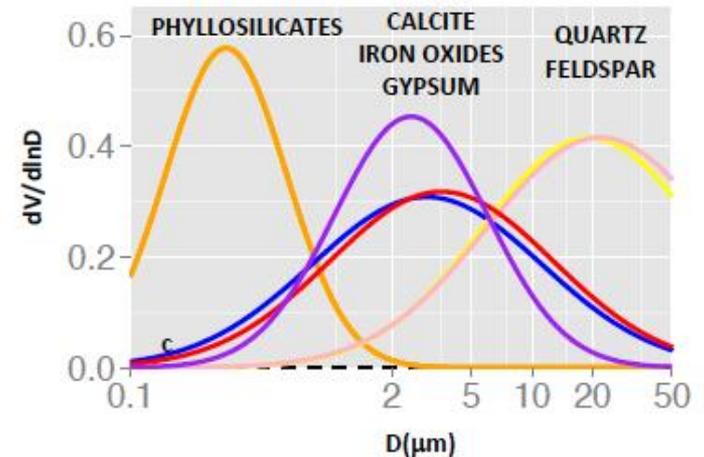


Field campaigns



Laboratory

- Spain, Morocco, US and *Iceland*
- Atmospheric Forcing
- Size-segregated and composition resolved dust fluxes
- Size-segregated and composition resolved dry and wet soil



Theory

Hypotheses testing

Global soil-surface mineralogy

Constrain global soil-surface mineralogy
Link spectroscopy of soil to dust emission



Field and lab spectroscopy

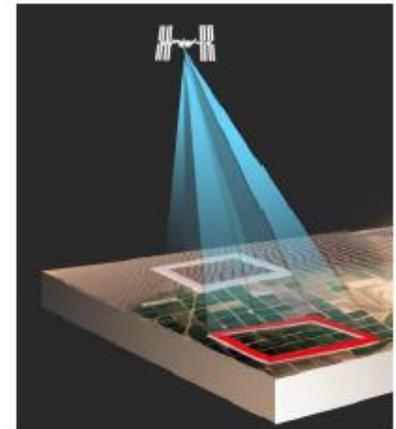
- Spain, Morocco, US....
- Point and field spectrometers
- Spectroscopy of soil and Aeolian samples
- Tetracorder Spectral Identification and Mapping
- Linking to size and composition resolved measurements relevant to theories of dust PSD

AVIRIS (US)



Airborne Spectroscopy

HYPERION/EMIT (2021)



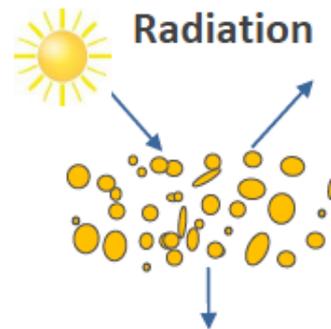
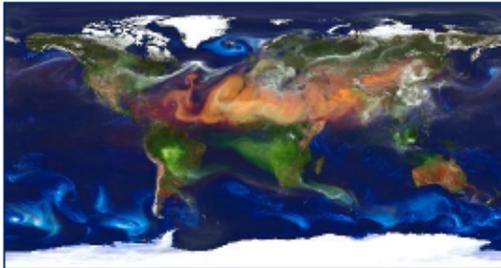
Space-borne Spectroscopy

**SUPPORT and TIMELY
IMPACT EMIT**

Modeling and effects

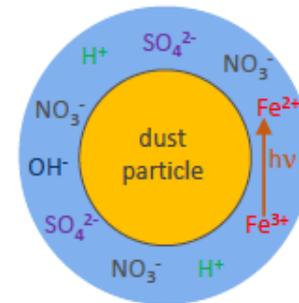
Quantify the present-day dust direct and indirect radiative forcing
Minimal representation of mineralogy in Earth System models

Modeling

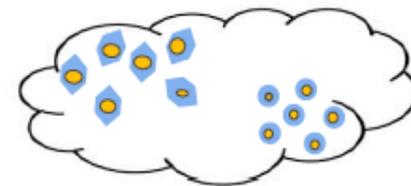


EMIT models
AEROCOM-like experiments

Heterogeneous Chemistry



Clouds



- BSC MONARCH Model
- Co-development with GISS ModelE
- Model constrained by new PSD's and mineral maps
- Data assimilation and thorough model evaluation
- Modeling optical properties (shape and mineralogy)
- Further constraints with radiance measurements
- Using state-of-the-art schemes for chemistry and clouds