

Development of aerosol algorithm for GCOM-C product

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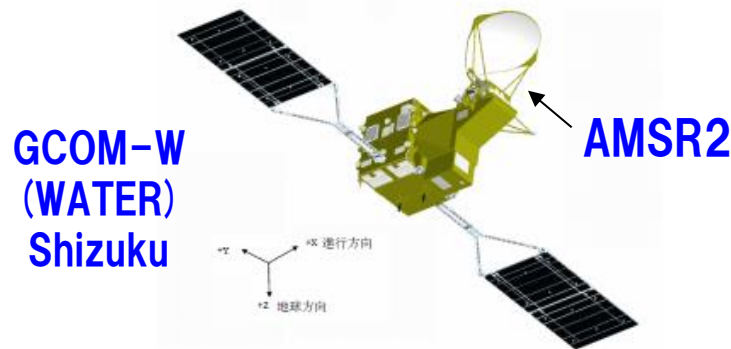
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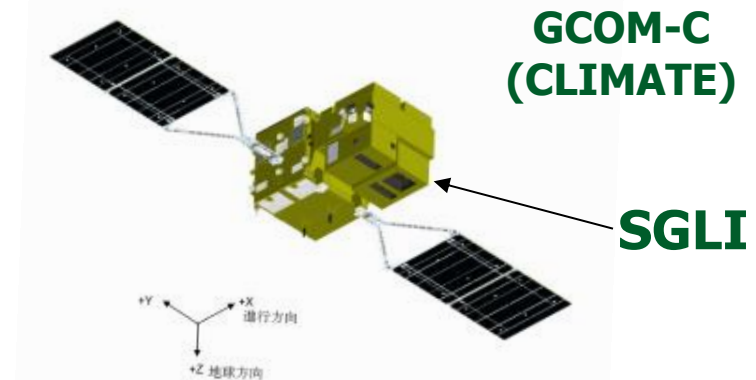
Global Change Observation Mission (GCOM)

2 satellite series for 5 years, total 13 years observation.

- ✓ **GCOM-W** AMSR2 (AMSR-E follow on microwave radiometer) for **WATER CYCLE** (Satellite name : 雫)
- ✓ **GCOM-C** SGLI (GLI follow on) for **RADIATION BUDGET** and **CARBON CYCLE**

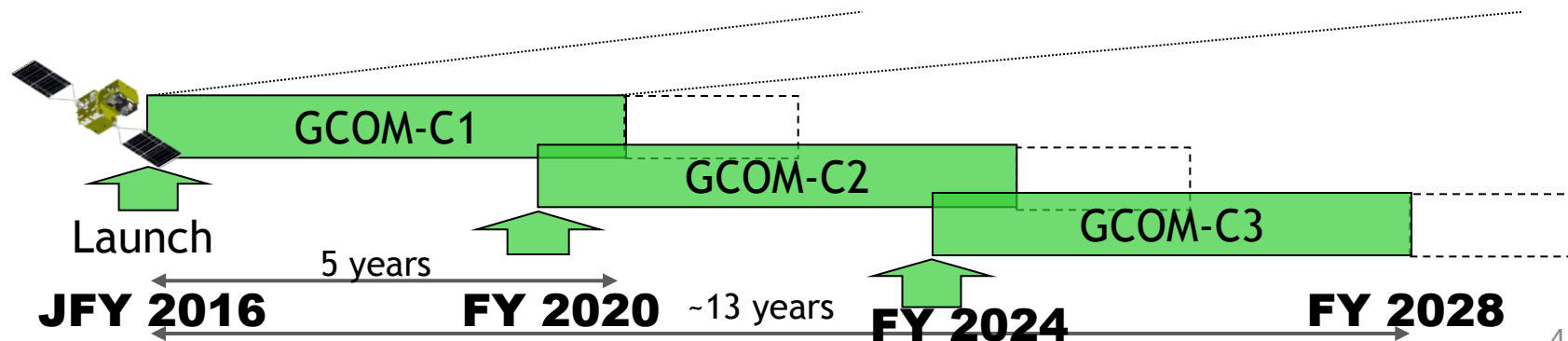
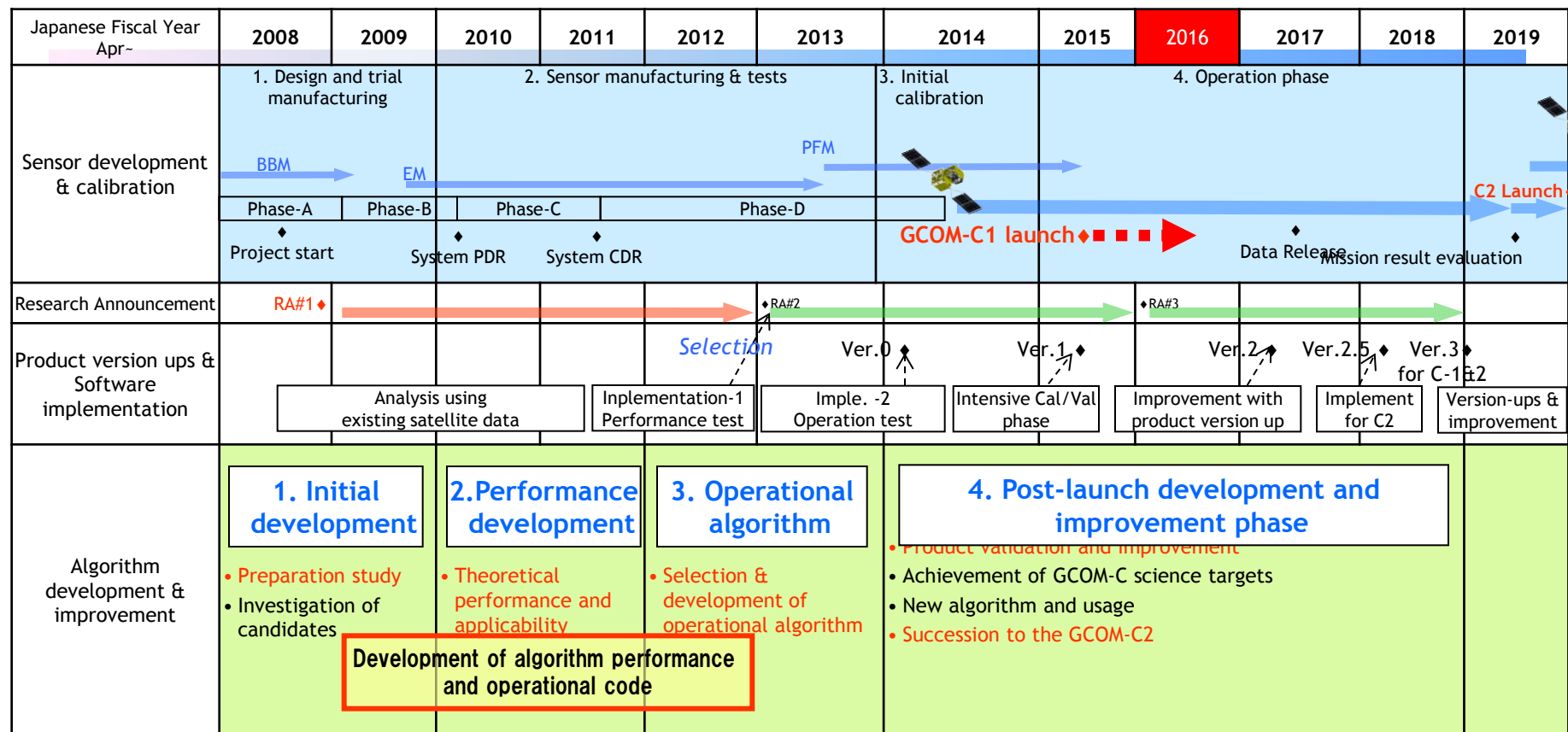


Sensor	Advanced Microwave Radiometer 2 (AMSR2)
	Passive Microwave Observation Water vapor, soil moisture etc



Sensor	Second Generation Global Imager (SGLI)
	Optical Observation 380nm – 12 micron Cloud, Aerosol, Vegetation, Chlorophyll etc

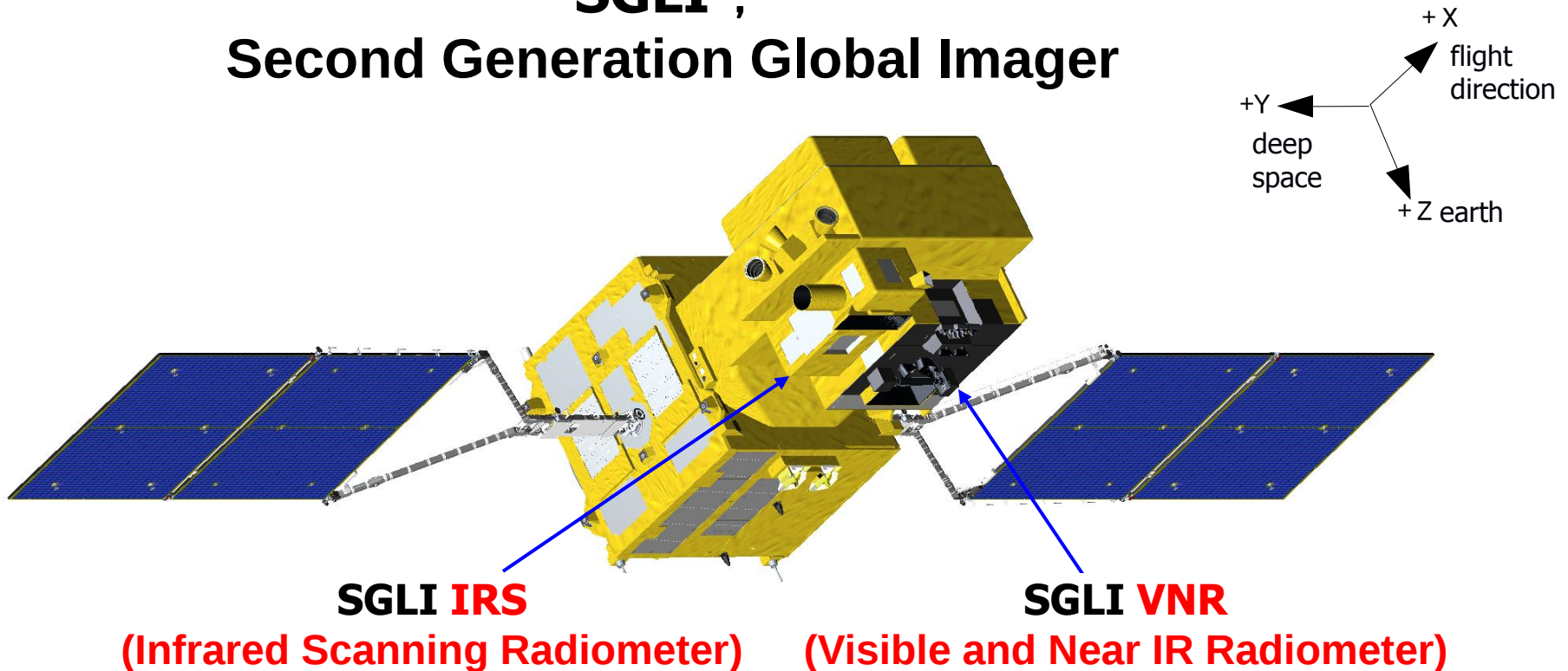
Implementation Plan : Milestone



Courtesy of Dr. Murakami (JAXA/EORC)

SGLI on GCOM-1 Climate satellite

SGLI ; **Second Generation Global Imager**

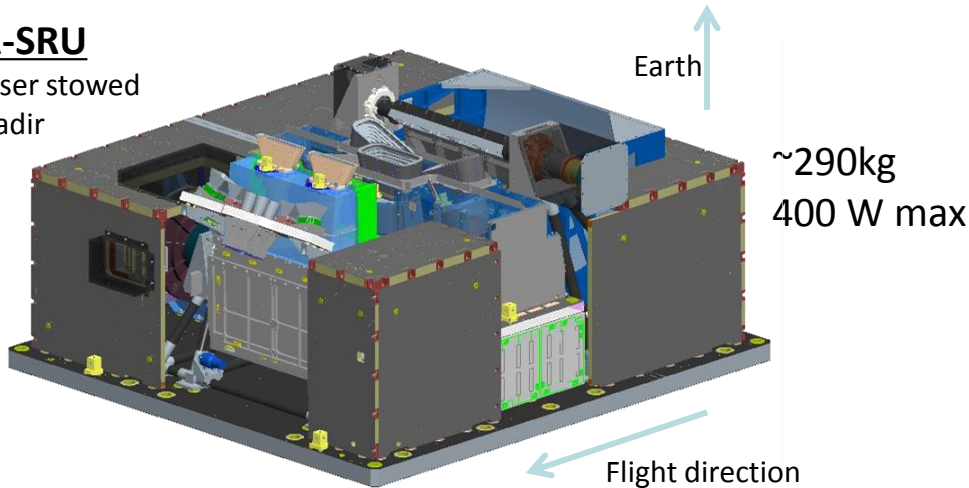


Mission Life	> 5 years
Solar Paddle	> 4000w (End of Life)
Mass	about 2,000kg

SGLI Visible and Near infrared radiometer (SGLI-VNR)

VNR-SRU

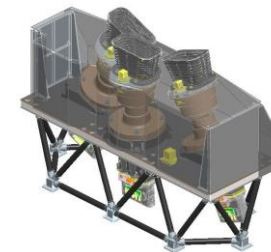
- Diffuser stowed
- PL Nadir



October 2011 Post Acoustics Alignment

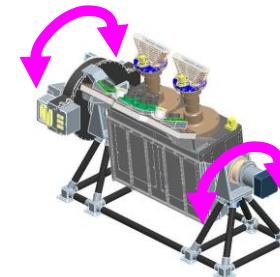
■ VNR non Polarized Obs. (NP)

- 3 telescopes with 24deg FOV realize the total 70 deg FOV Observation (1,150km)
- Wide wavelength range Observation from **380** to 868 nm.



■ VNR Polarized Obs. (PL)

- 2 telescopes with 55 deg FOV each for **673** and **868** nm Observation.
- **AT tilting** mechanism for **+ / - 45deg**
- 55 deg FOV with 45 deg tilting



**673 & 868 nm
telescopes**

**±45deg
tilting**

SGLI Required Performance

GCOM-C SGLI characteristics

Orbit	Sun-synchronous (descending local time: 10:30) Altitude 798km, Inclination 98.6deg
Mission Life	5 years (3 satellites; total 13 years)
Scan	Push-broom electric scan (VNR) Wisk-broom mechanical scan (IRS)
Scan width	1150km cross track (VNR: NP & PL) 1400km cross track (IRS: SWI & TIR)
Digitalization	12bit
Polarization	3 polarization angles for PL
Along track direction	Nadir for NP, SWI and TIR, +45 deg / -45 deg for PL
On-board calibration	VN: Solar diffuser, LED, Lunar cal maneuvers, and dark current by masked pixels and nighttime obs. SW: Solar diffuser, LED, Lamp, Lunar, and dark current by deep space window T: Black body and sensor back ground by deep space window

Multi-angle
obs. for
674nm and
869nm

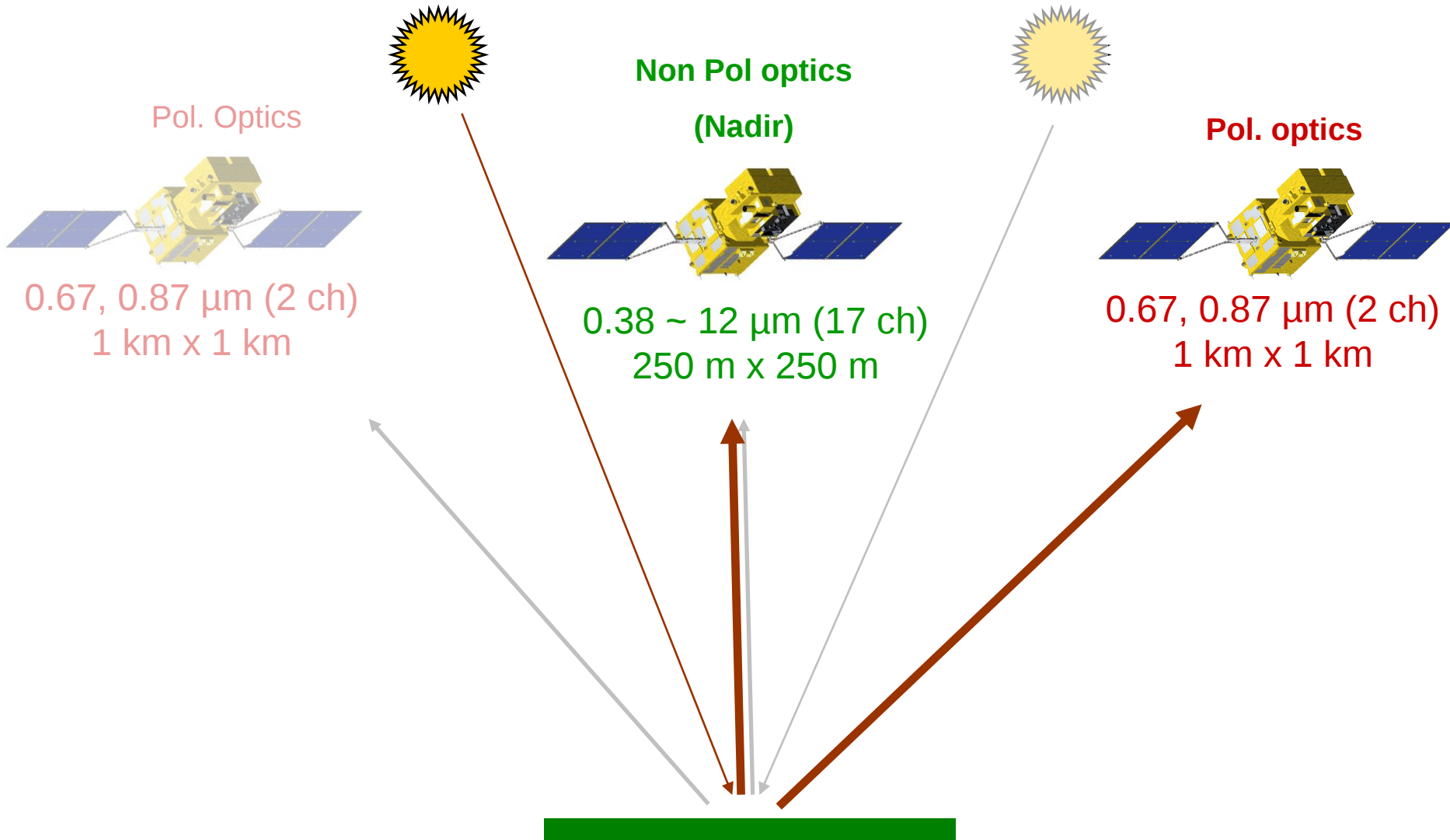
250m over the Land or coastal
area, and 1km over offshore

SGLI channels						
CH	λ	$\Delta\lambda$	L_{std}	L_{max}	SNR at Lstd	IFOV
	VN, P, SW: nm T: μm		VNR, SWI: W/m ² /sr/ μm T: Kelvin		VNR, SWI: SNR T: NE Δ T	m
VN1	380	10	60	210	250	250
VN2	412	10	75	250	400	250
VN3	443	10	64	400	300	250
VN4	490	10	53	120	400	250
VN5	530	20	41	350	250	250
VN6	565	20	33	90	400	250
VN7	673.5	20	23	62	400	250
VN8			25	210	250	250
VN9	763	12	40	350	1200	250/1000
VN10	868.5	20	8	30	400	250
VN11			30	300	200	250
PL1	673.5	20	25	250	250	1000
PL2	868.5	20	30	300	250	1000
SW1	1050	20	57	248	500	1000
SW2	1380	20	8	103	150	1000
SW3	1630	200	3	50	57	250
SW4	2210	50	1.9	20	211	1000
TIR1	10.8	0.74	300	340	0.2	250/500
TIR2	12.0	0.74	300	340	0.2	250/500

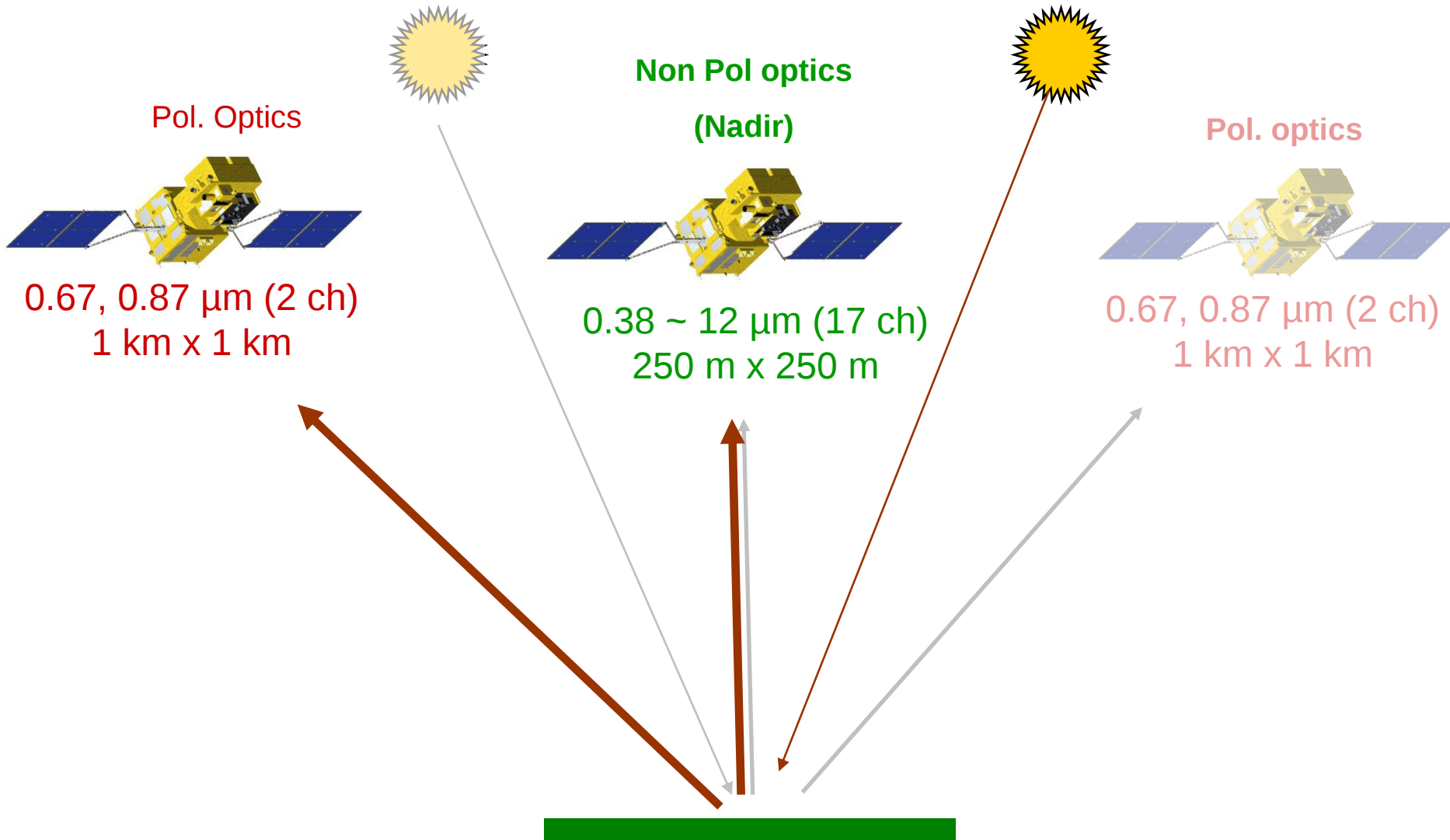
19 channels

option

Two directional observations

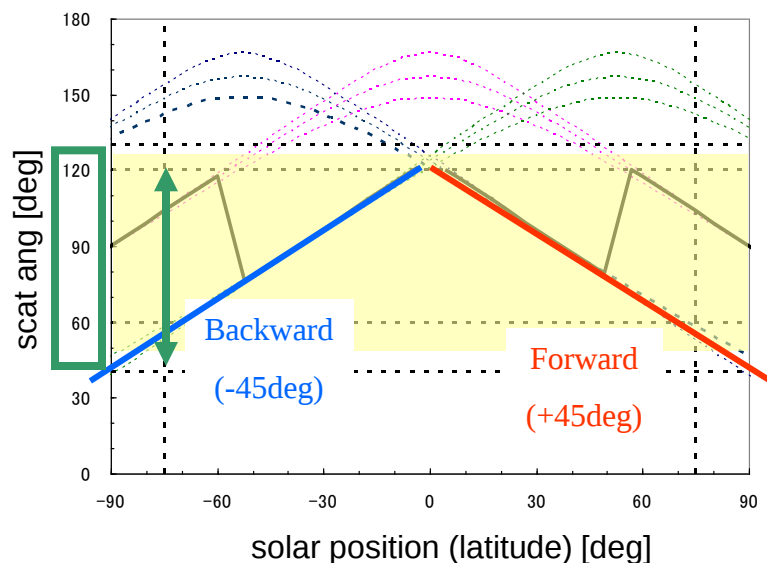


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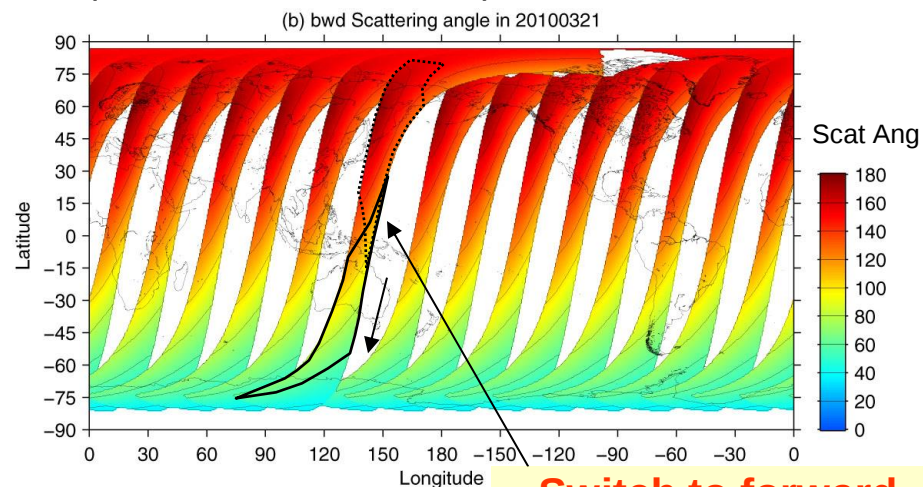


SGLI polarization measurements (tilting operation)

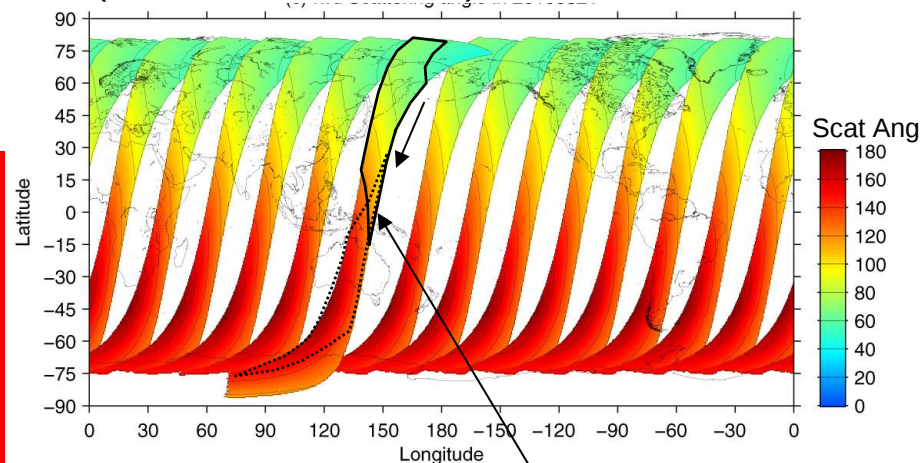
- SGLI measures the atmospheric light at the scattering angle from ~60 to ~120.



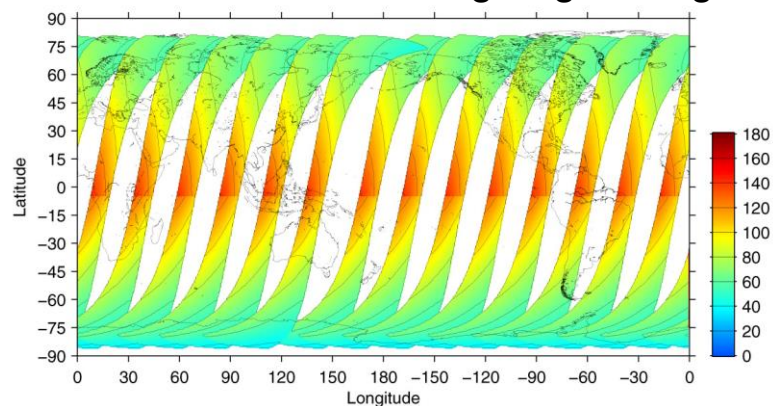
(-45 direction; backward)



(+45 direction; forward)



SGLI simulated scattering angle image

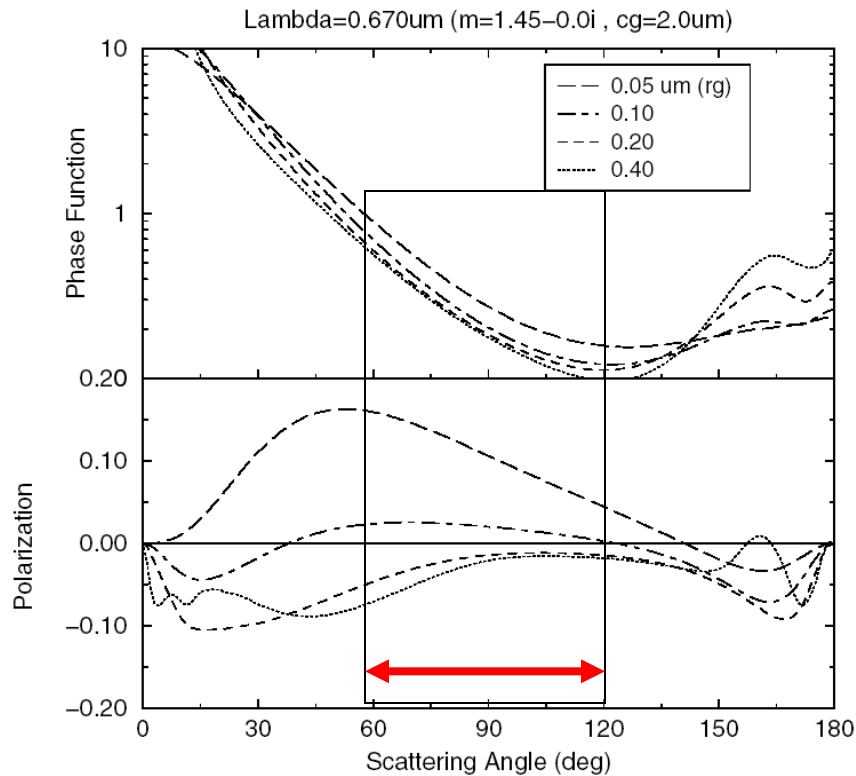


Polarized phase function : size information

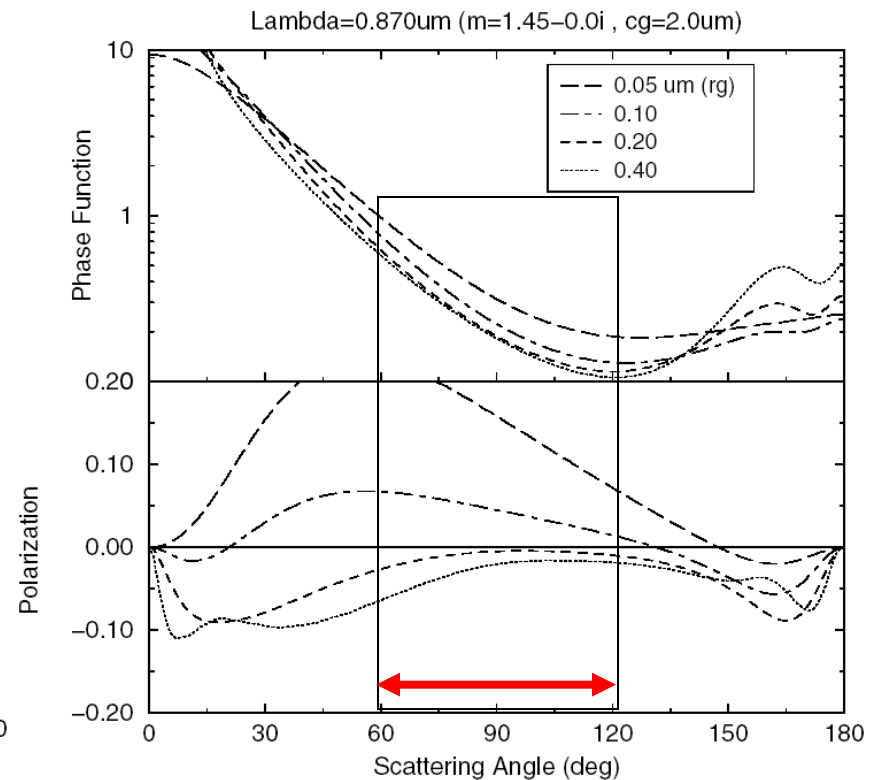
($r_g = 0.05, 0.1, 0.2, 0.4 \mu\text{m}$, $c_g = 2.0 \mu\text{m}$ fix)

$m = 1.45 - 0.0i$ fix

$0.67 \mu\text{m}$



$0.87 \mu\text{m}$



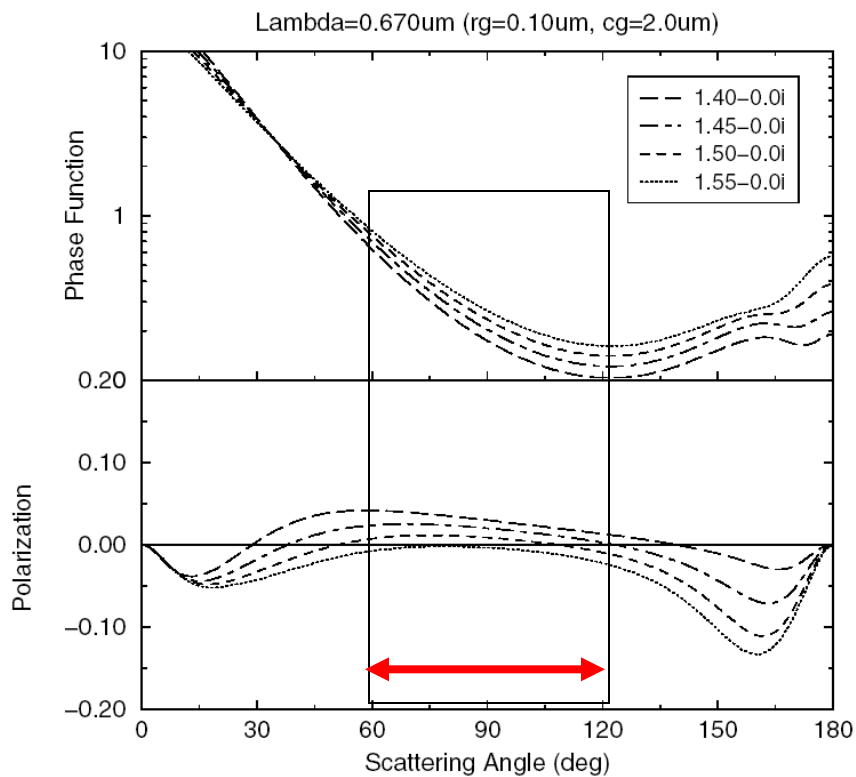
Middle scattering region

Polarized phase function : refractive index (real part)

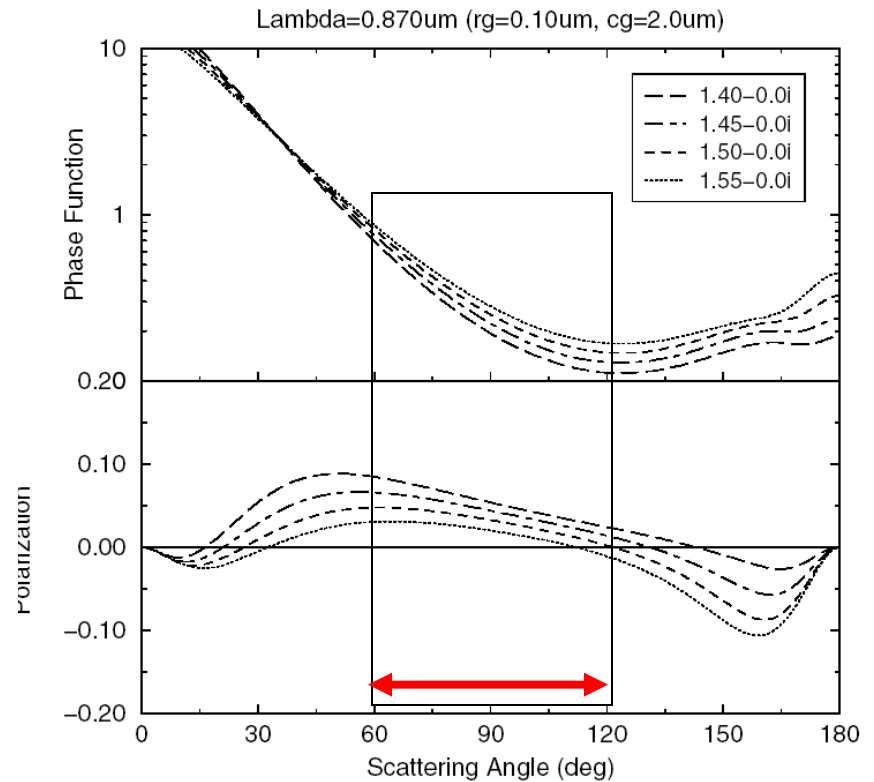
($r_g = 0.1 \mu\text{m}$, $c_g = 2.0 \mu\text{m}$ fixed)

$r_{fr} = 1.40, 1.45, 1.50, 1.55$, $r_{fi} = 0.0$ fixed

$0.67 \mu\text{m}$

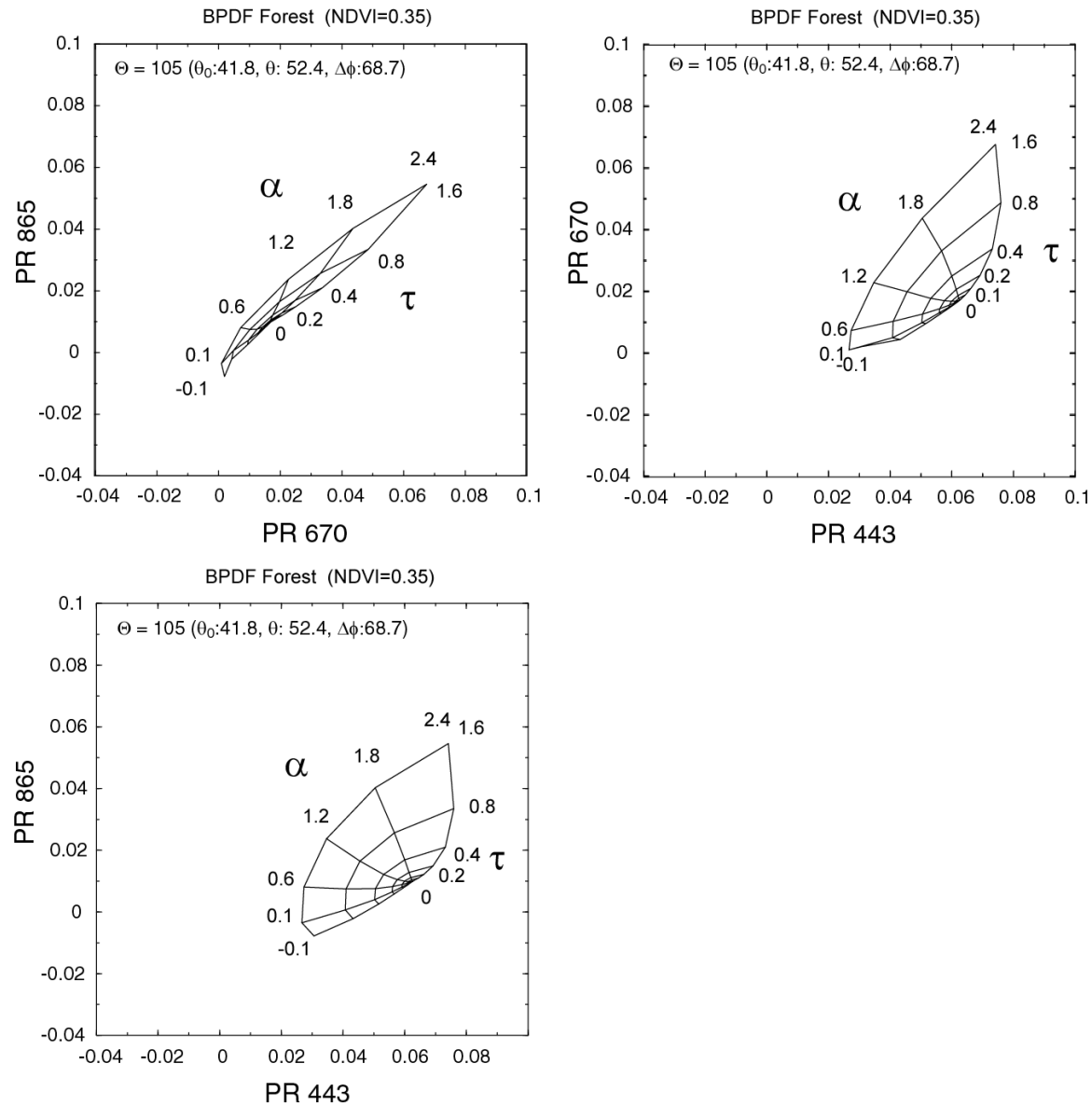


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Standard aerosol products by SGLI

AR^V : Aerosol products over ocean derived from VNIR measurements
AOT, Ang. Exp., Aerosol classification

AR^U : Aerosol products over land by Near UV measurements
AOT, Absorbing information

AR^P : Aerosol products over land by Polarization measurements
AOT, and Ang. Exp.



POLDER

2ch (red & NIR) polarization over land : AOT, and Ang. Exp.

Retrieval algorithms

POLDER

2ch (red & NIR) radiance over ocean : AOT, and frac. of bi-mode

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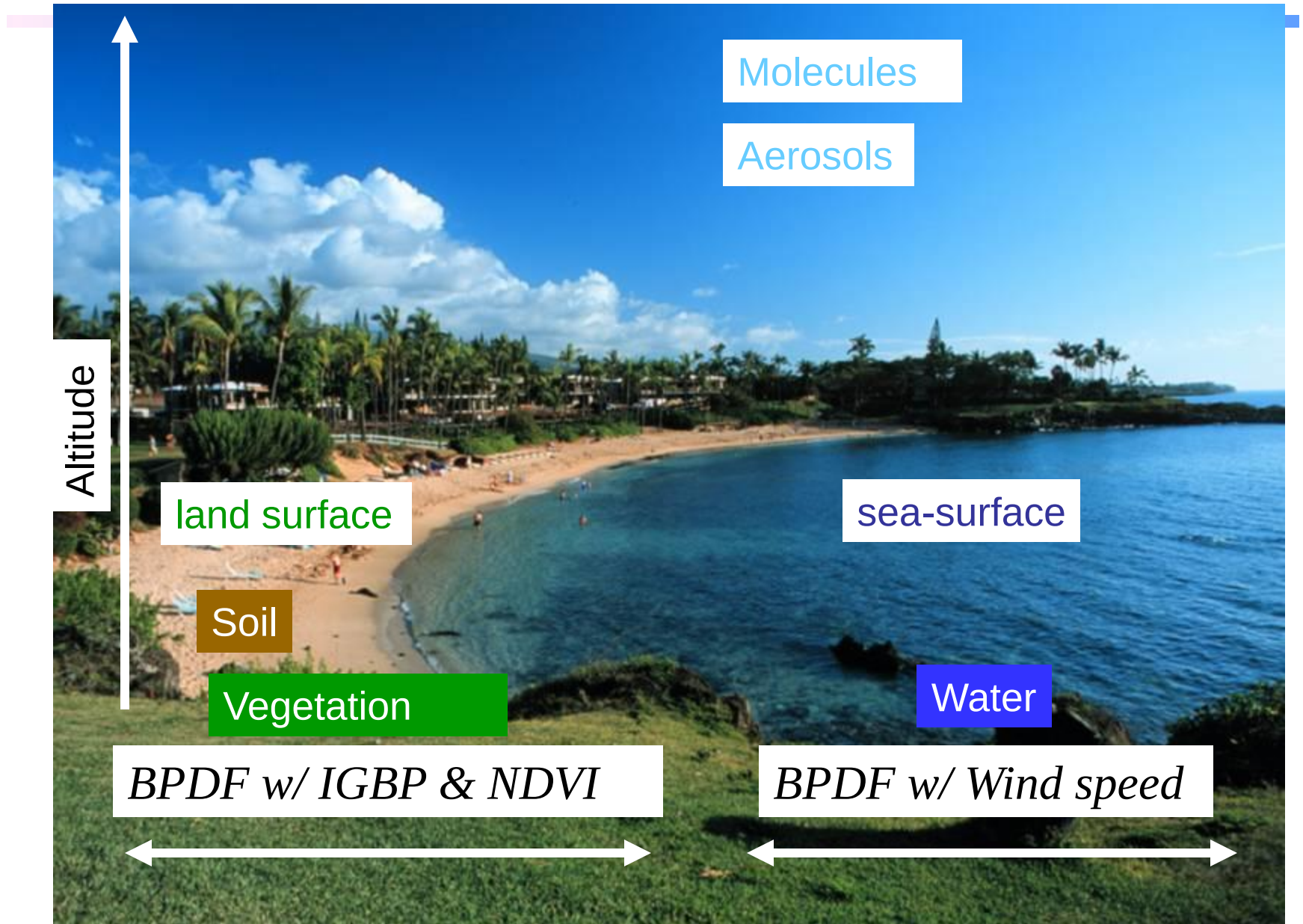
CAI + PARASOL

1ch (NUV) nadir radiance + 2ch (red & NIR) polarization
over land : AOT, frac. of bi-mode, & SSA

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Land surface and Sea-surface model



Atmosphere - ground/ocean surface model

Table 1. Atmosphere-Earth surface system.

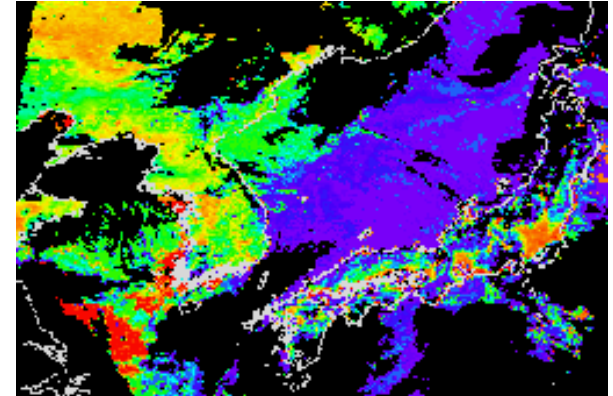
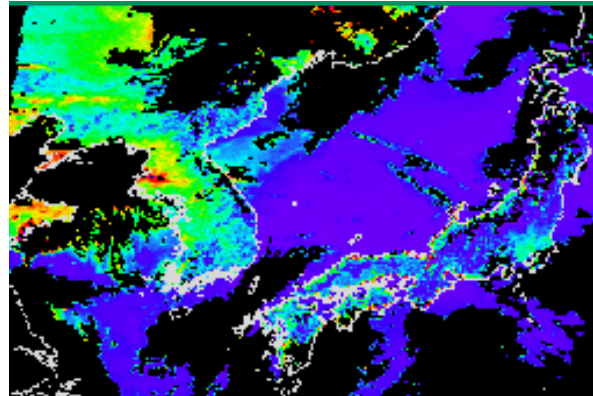
Models	Descriptions
Aerosol models	
1. concentration :	Optical thickness of aerosols (τ_a),
2. size :	Angstrom exponent (a), which is calculated from Mie-scattering theory assuming log- normal size distribution
3. chemical composition	Complex refractive index (m).
Molecular information	AFGL US standard by Kneizys et al. (1988)
Ocean surface model	Cox and Munk (1954) model with 5 m/s wind speed, for the clear day.
Ocean model	completely absorbent in the near infrared wavelength.
Land surface model	Bi-directional polarization distribution functions by Nadal and Breon (1999) is adopted for soil, vegetated, and mixed of both, which is selected by land surface condition at target area.
Land classification	IGBP land classification map (Loveland et al., 2000) and NDVI values from POLDER Vis.- NIR measurements.
Land altitude	5 cases; sea level, 1, 2, 3, 4 km height

Aerosols over Japan

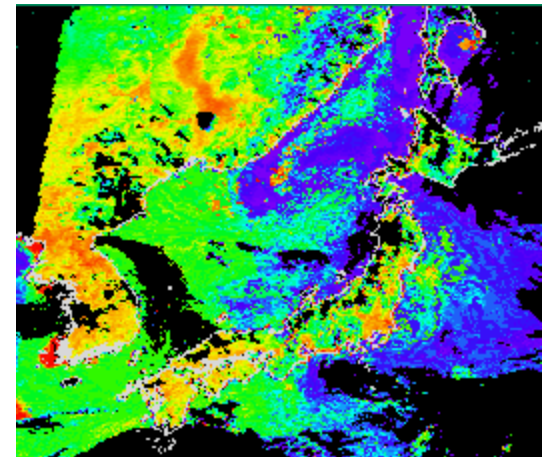
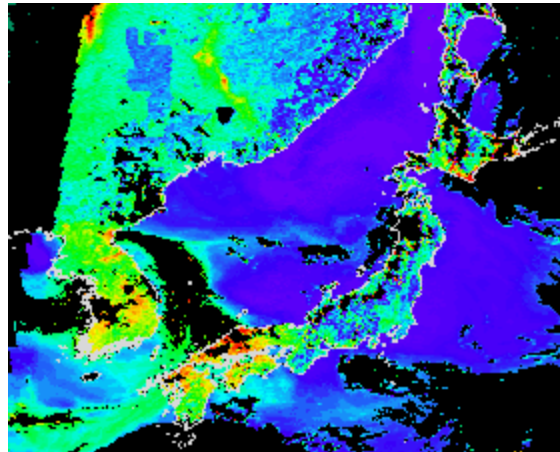
Aerosol optical thickness

Angstrom exponent

March 18, 1997

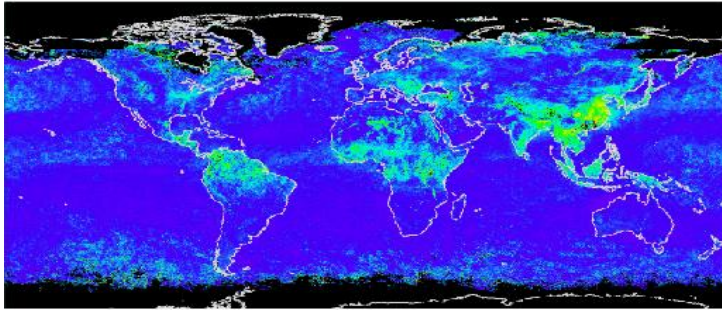


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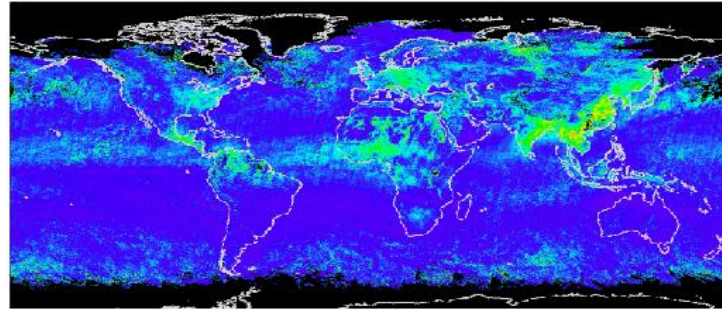


Monthly AOT maps during ADEOS / POLDER and ADEOS-2 / POLDER-2

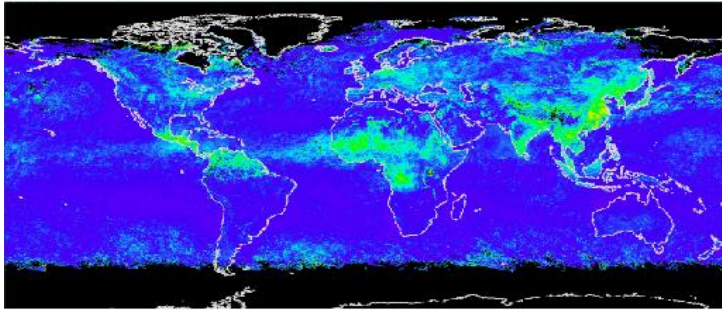
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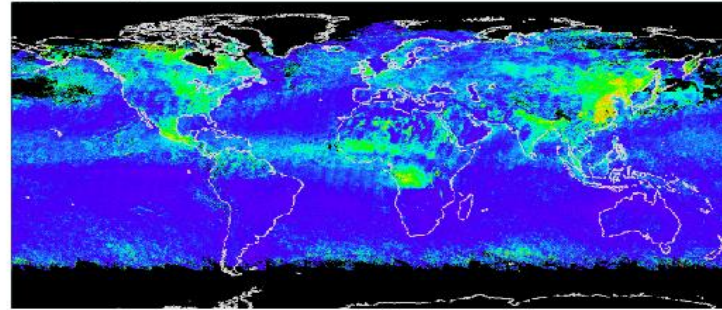
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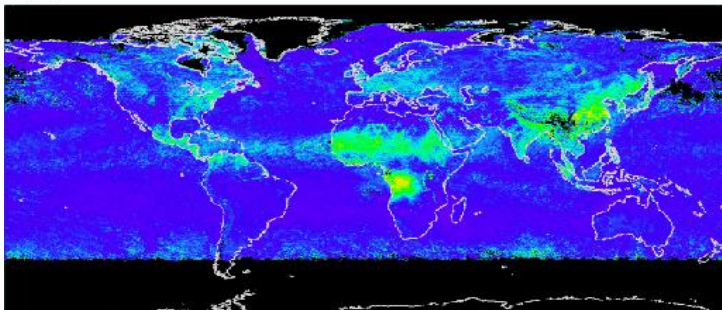
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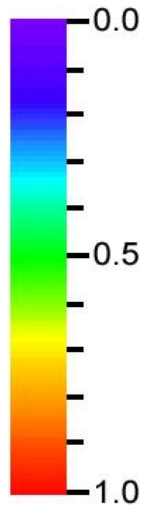
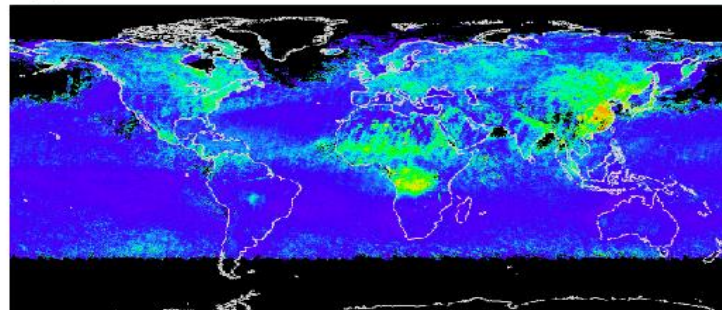
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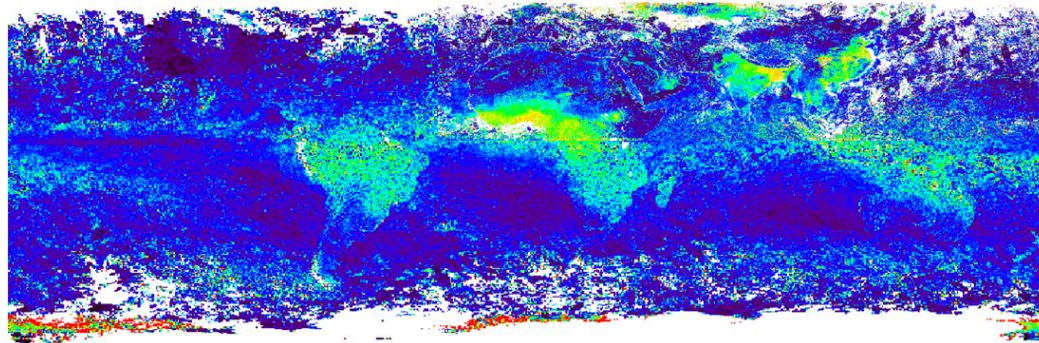
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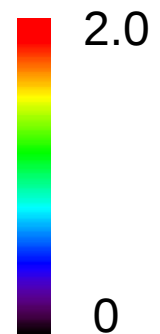
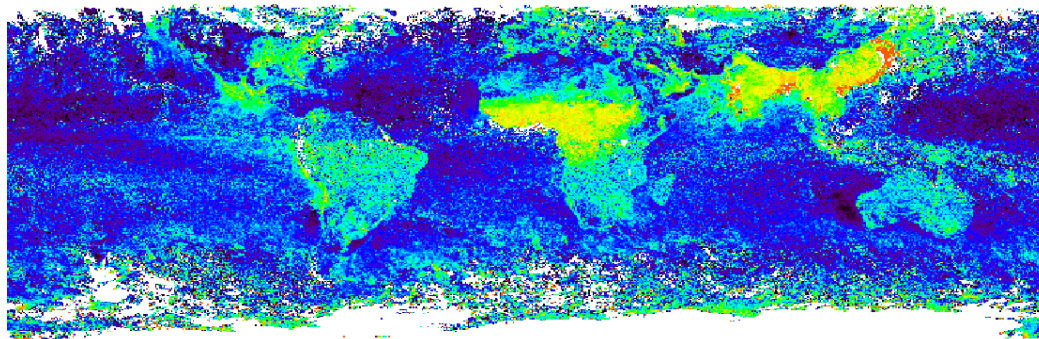
2ch polarization algorithm for SGLI

1 directional POLDER measurement
for SGLI simulation data

AOT @ 550 nm in Jan. 2009



Angstrom exponent in Jan. 2009

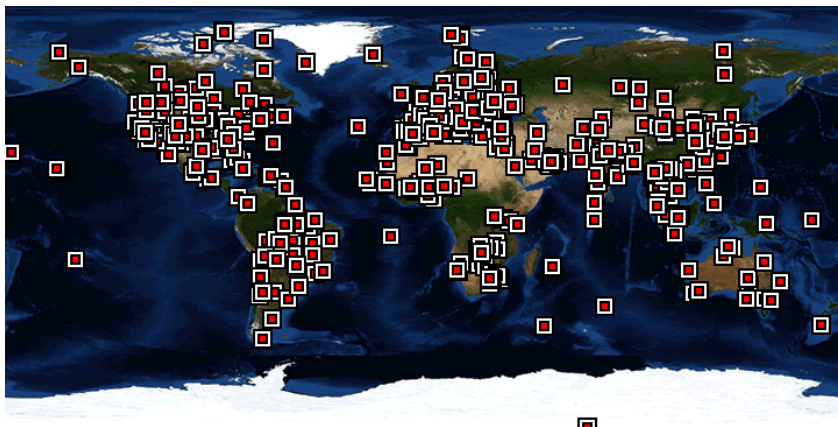


Validation Method

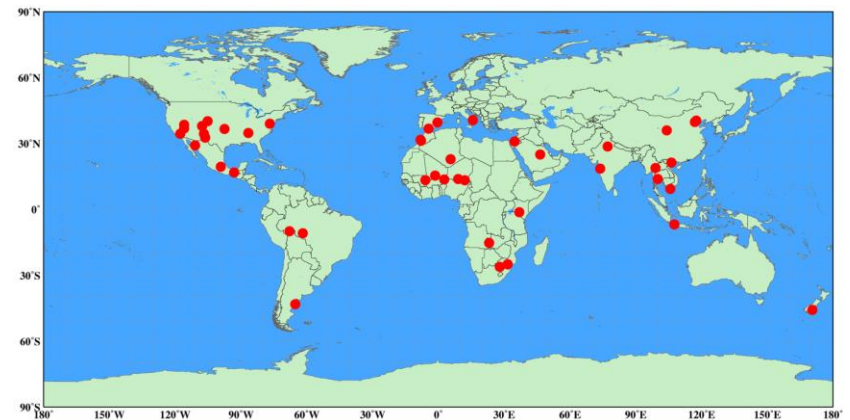
Validation Data : AERONET level2.0 (cloud-screened and quality-assured)

For validation the derived results from this algorithm according to the three rules

1. The measurements are selected within the ± 30 min over satellite.
2. The AOT of 0.443 and $0.870 \mu\text{m}$ as ground based measurements are selected for calculating Angstrom Exponent.
3. The AOT of $0.550 \mu\text{m}$ is estimated based on the Angstrom Exponent and the measurement of $0.670 \mu\text{m}$.



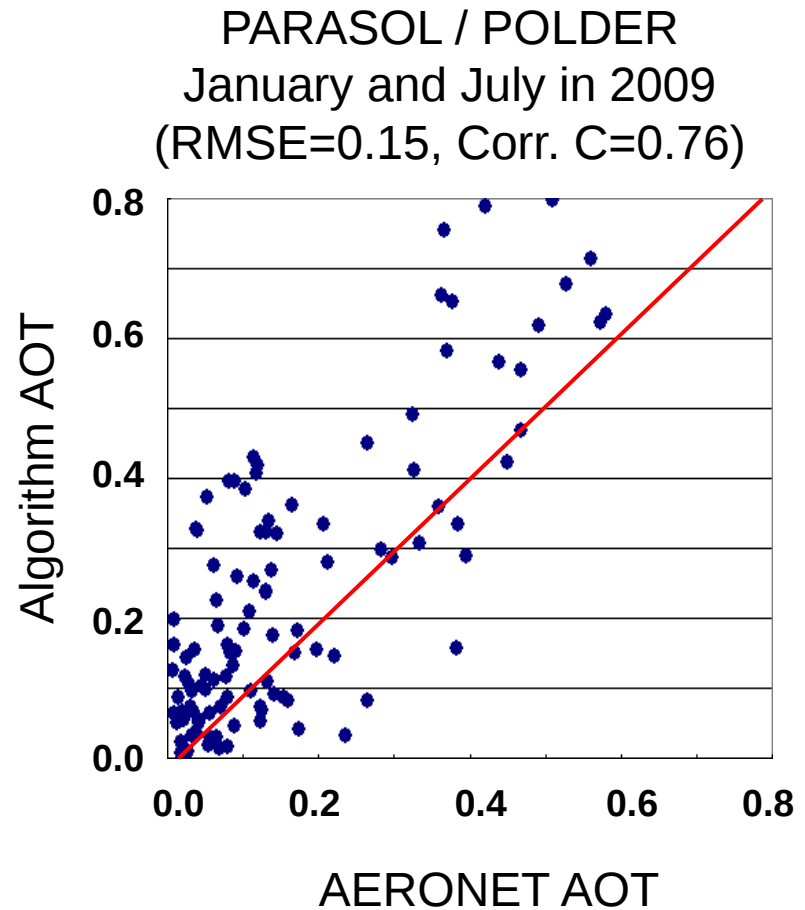
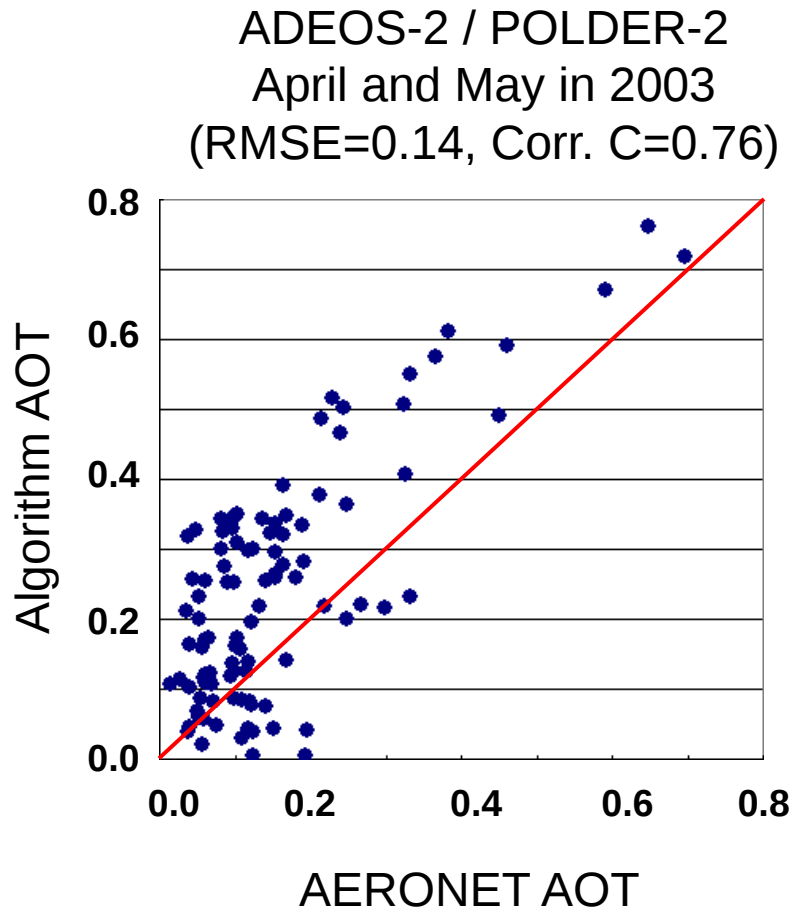
AERONET sites in 2012



Match up AERONET sites

Courtesy of Dr. Hashiguchi (JAXA/EORC)

Validation of retrieved AOT ($0.55\text{ }\mu\text{m}$)



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TANSO - CAI on GOSAT

CAI – Cloud Aerosol Imager

a complimentary sensor for Fourier Transform Spectrometer (FTS)
launched on 23rd January, 2009.

Four observing wavelengths : 380, 670, 870, 1600 nm.

Level 1 data provide us with the TOA reflectance of the Earth.

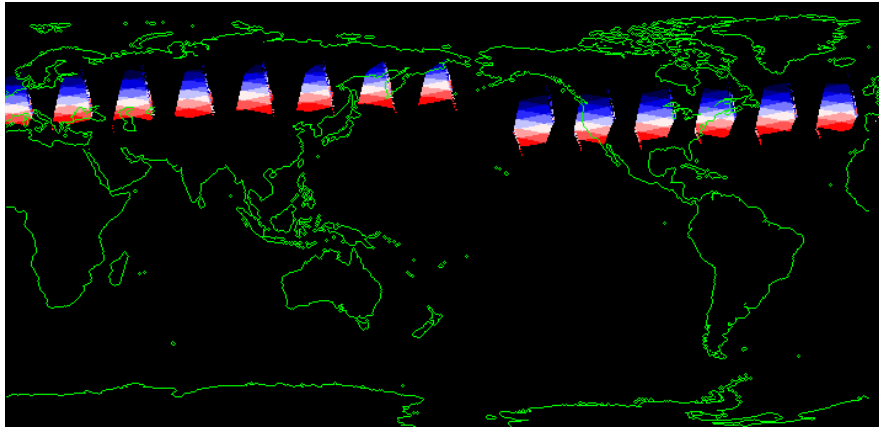
	Band 1	Band 2	Band 3	Band 4
Spectral coverage (μm)	0.370-0.390 (0.380)	0.664-0.684 (0.674)	0.860-0.880 (0.870)	1.56-1.65 (1.60)
Targeted substances	Cloud and aerosol			
Swath (km)	1000	1000	1000	750
Spatial resolution at nadir (km)	0.5	0.5	0.5	1.5



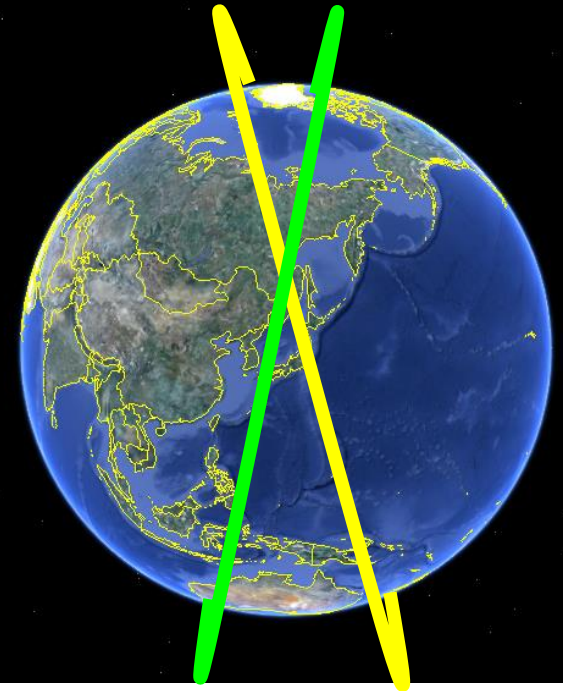
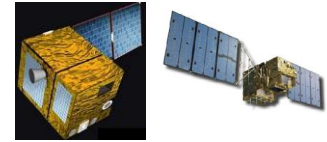
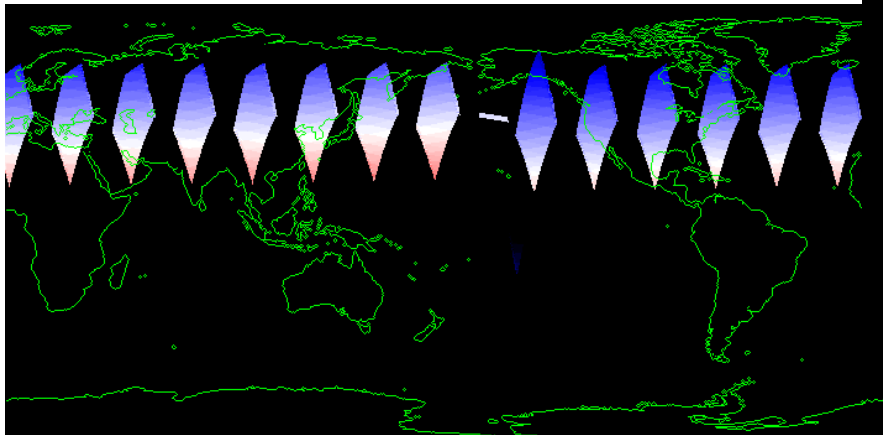
Dataset of A-Train's PARASOL and GOSAT : time difference

Apr. 25, 2009

± 5 min

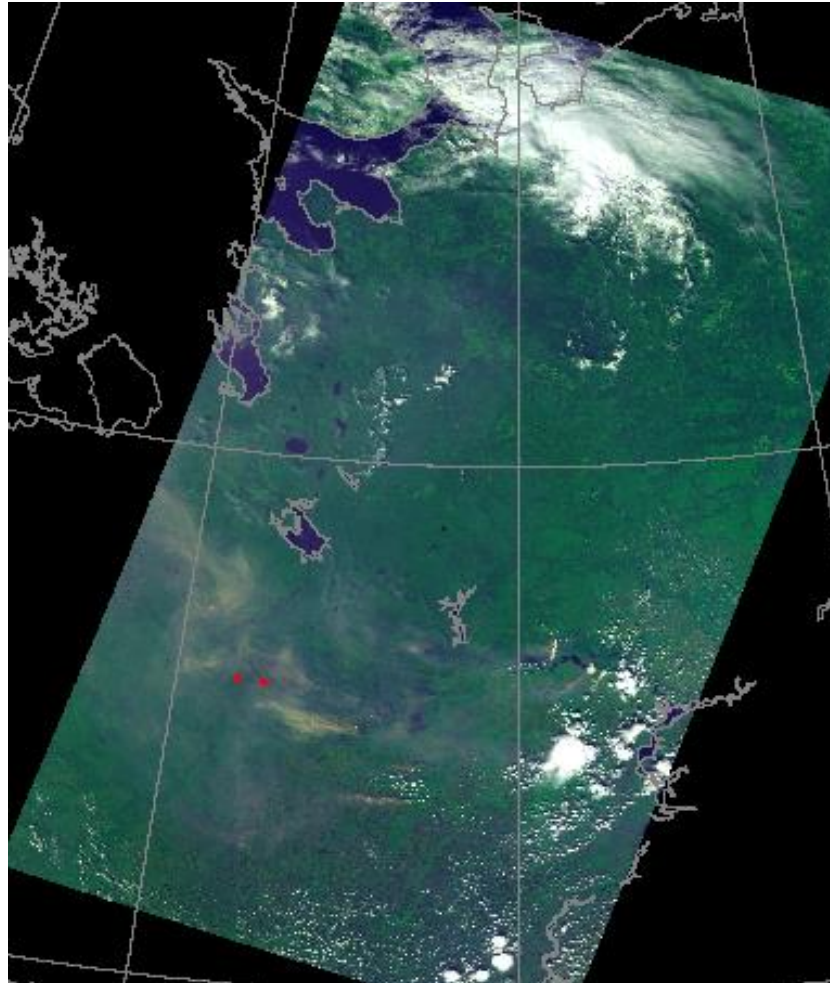


± 30 min



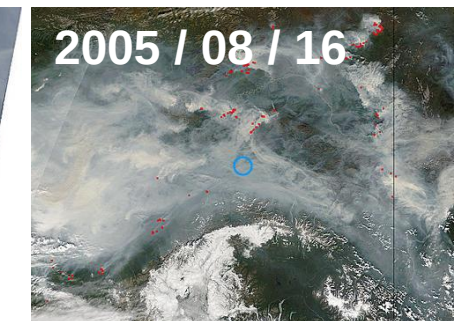
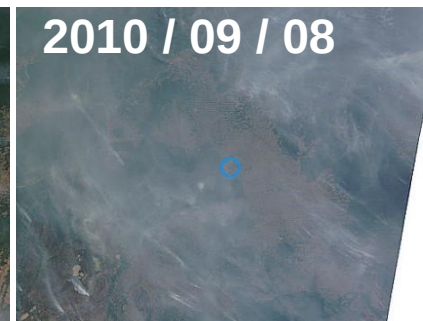
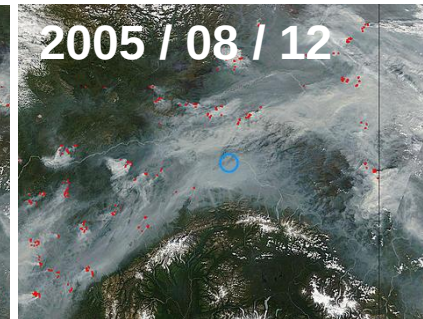
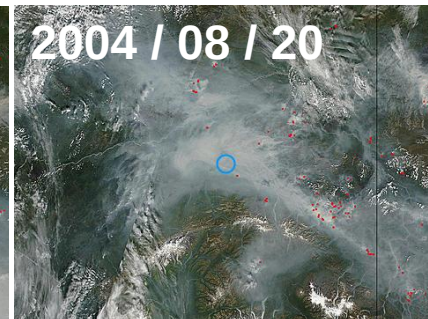
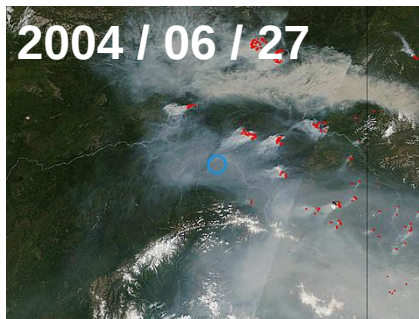
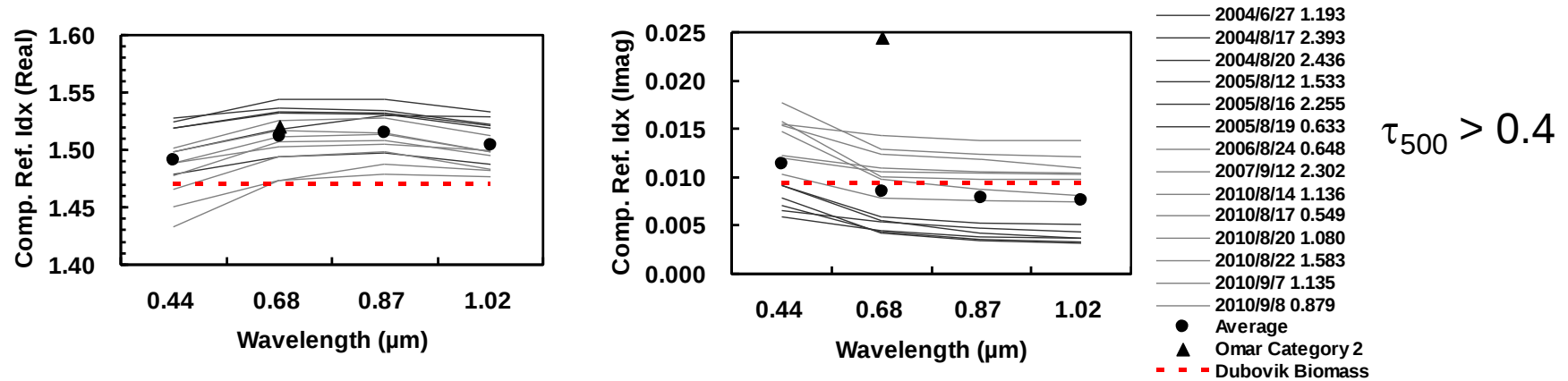
Forest fire event in Central Russia

August 8 in 2010
Composite image by GOSAT / CAI



Biomass burning aerosols from AERONET

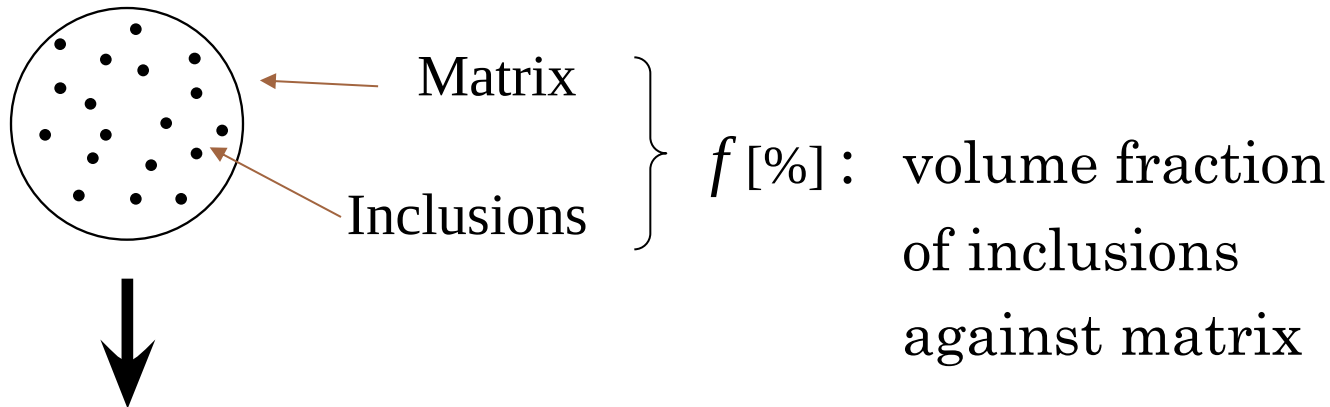
Alaska (Bonanza), Amazon (JI_Parana_SE)



0.44 μm	1.491-0.0114i
0.67 μm	1.512-0.0085i
0.87 μm	1.515-0.0079i
1.02 μm	1.505-0.0077i

Composite property of particles: internal mixing rule (biomass burning aerosols)

Maxwell-Garnett (MG) mixing rule : internal mixture of aerosols



ex) Matrix : $m=1.46 - 0.0002i$
Inclusions: $m=1.61 - 0.022i$

$$\varepsilon_{av} = \varepsilon_m \left[1 + \frac{3f(\varepsilon_{inc} - \varepsilon_m)(\varepsilon_{inc} + 2\varepsilon_m)^{-1}}{1 - f(\varepsilon_{inc} - \varepsilon_m)(\varepsilon_{inc} + 2\varepsilon_m)^{-1}} \right], \quad \text{Re}\{\varepsilon_{av}\} = n^2 - k^2, \quad \text{Im}\{\varepsilon_{av}\} = 2nk.$$

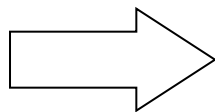
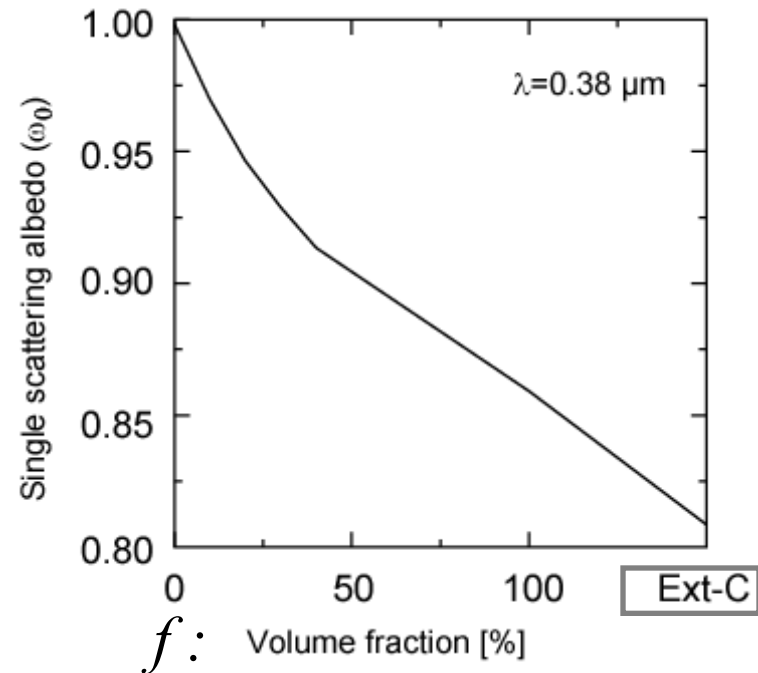
(Bohren and Wickramasinghe, *Astrophys. Space Sci*, 1977)

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Refractive index (380 nm)
from Maxwell-Garnett

Volume fraction of inclusions [%]	Real part of refractive index	Imag part of refractive index
0	1.460	0.0002
10	1.475	0.0025
20	1.490	0.0050
30	1.505	0.0069
40	1.519	0.0089
100	1.610	0.022
Extreme case	1.710	0.042

Single scattering albedo (380 nm)



" SSA is decreasing according to the volume fraction of carbonaceous inclusions."

Size distribution

Bi-modal log-normal volume distribution

$$\frac{dV}{d \ln r} = (1 - F_{coarse}) \exp \left[-\frac{(\ln r - \ln r_{fine})^2}{2\sigma_{fine}^2} \right] + F_{coarse} \exp \left[-\frac{(\ln r - \ln r_{coarse})^2}{2\sigma_{coarse}^2} \right],$$

Fine mode aerosols :

$$r_{fine} = 0.135 \mu\text{m}, \sigma_{fine} = 0.43 \mu\text{m}$$

Coarse mode

$$r_{coarse} = 2.365 \mu\text{m}, \sigma_{coarse} = 0.63 \mu\text{m}$$

(Dubovik et al., JAS, 2002)

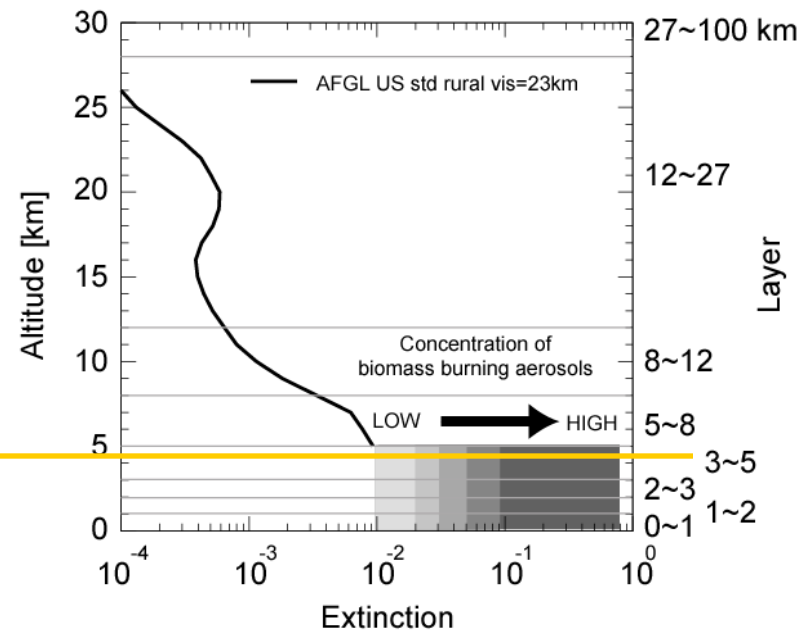
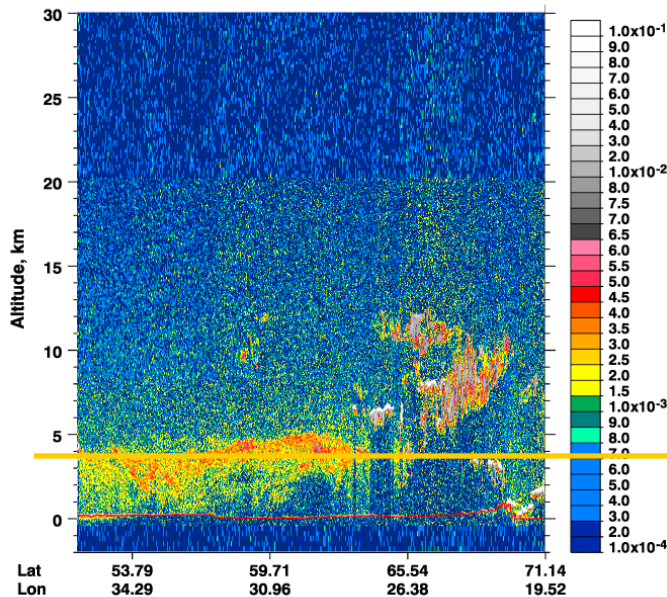
Adjustment parameter (F_{coarse})

Vertical profile of biomass burning plume

CALIPSO / CALIOP results show that the Biomass burning plume was concentrated under 3-5 km height.

Aerosol vertical structure is considered based on the US std profile with plume concentration under 5 km.

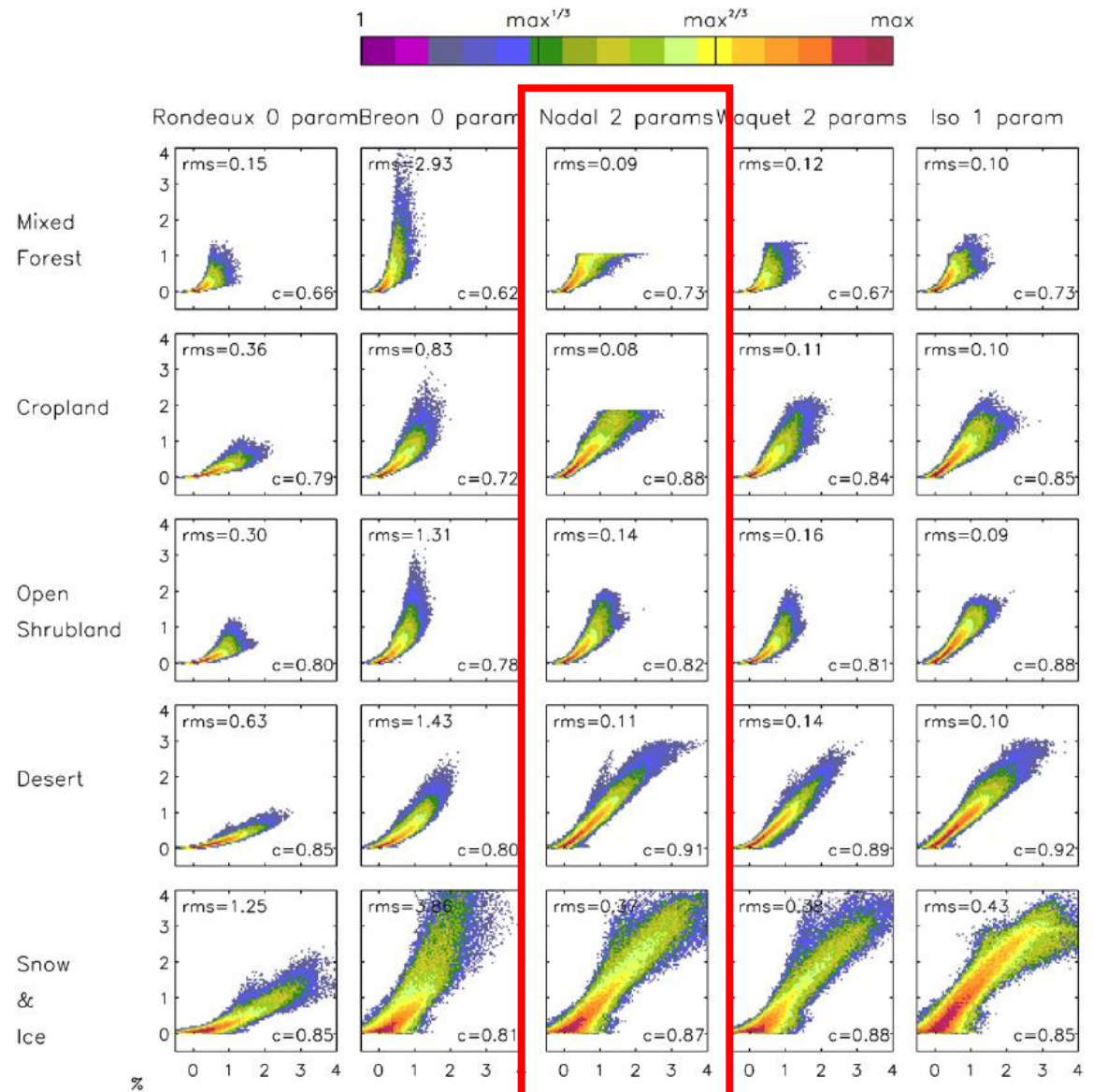
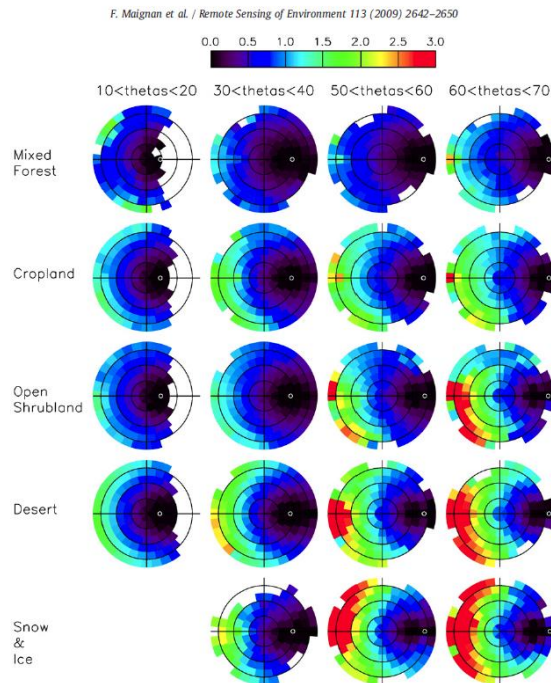
CALIOP 532nm Backscatter, on Aug. 8, 2010



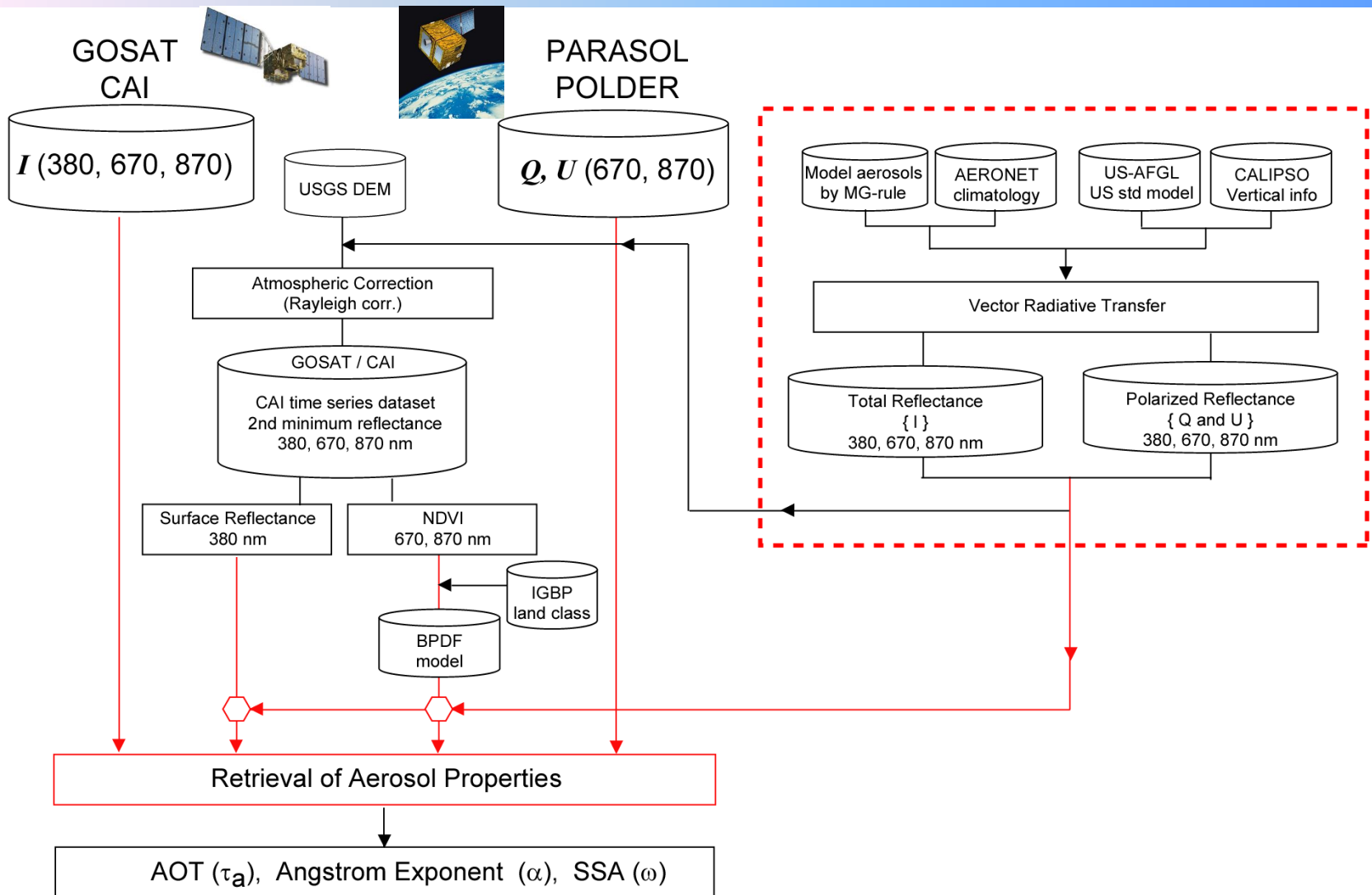
Surface polarization model ; BPDF

Nadal and Bréon, 1999

Maignan *et al.* 2009



Retrieval flow (3ch)



Aerosol properties over Central Russia on August 8 in 2010

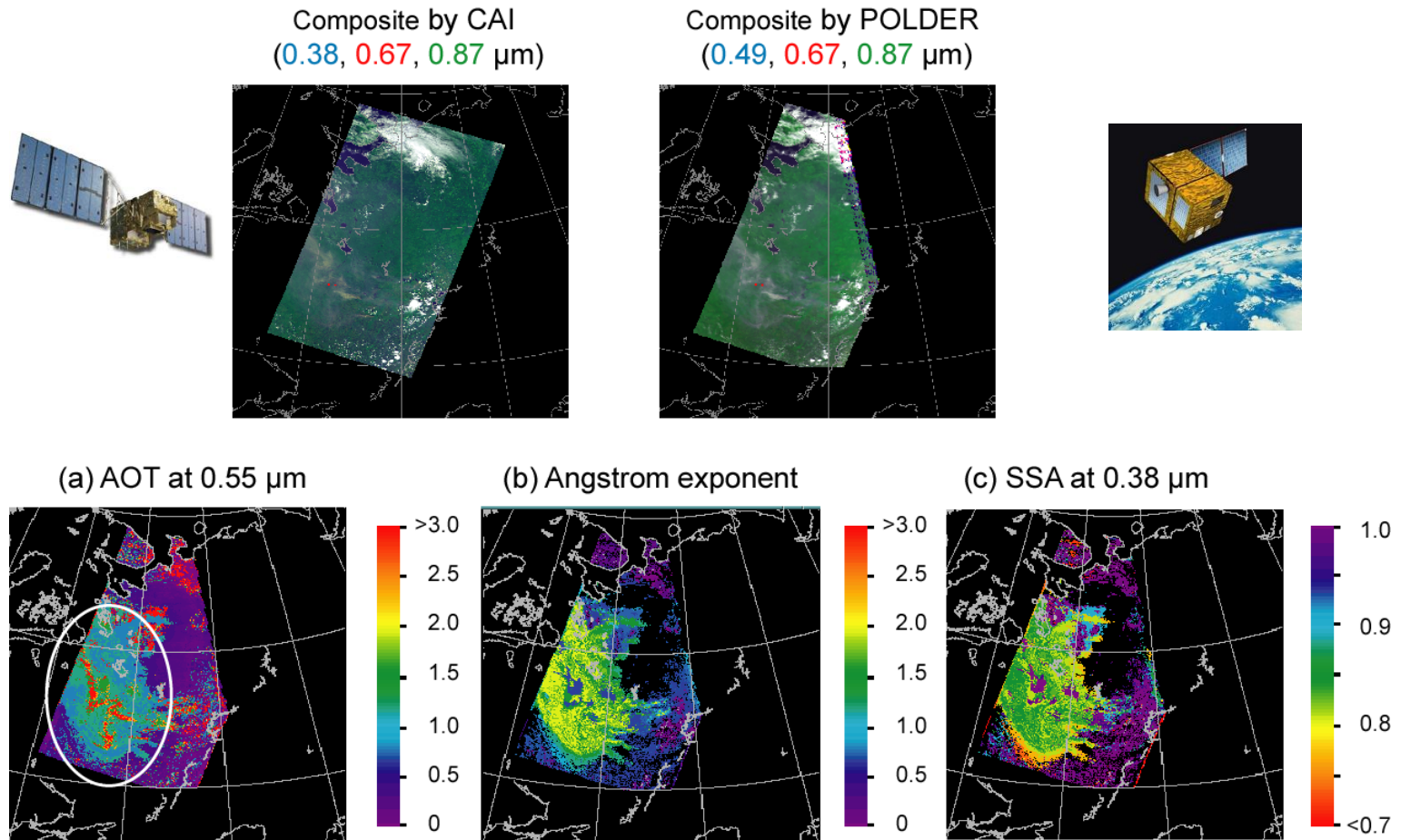


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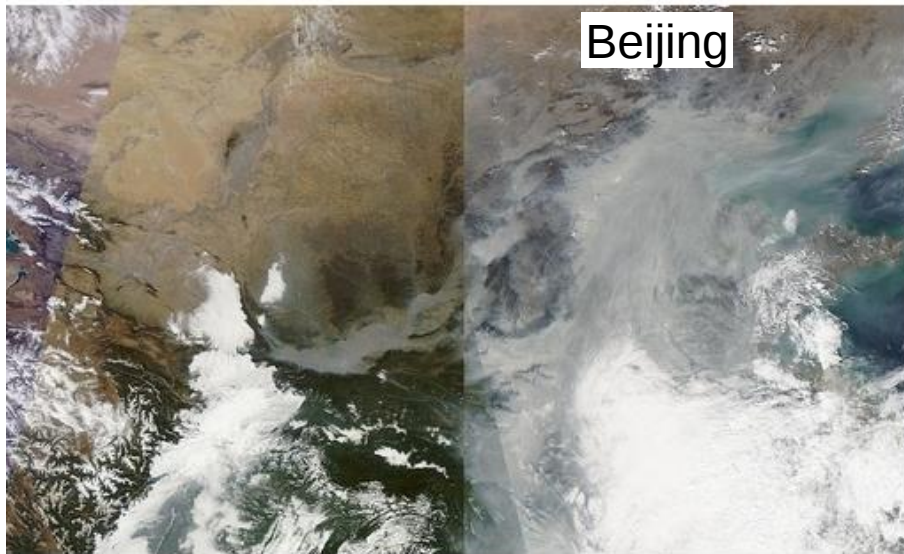
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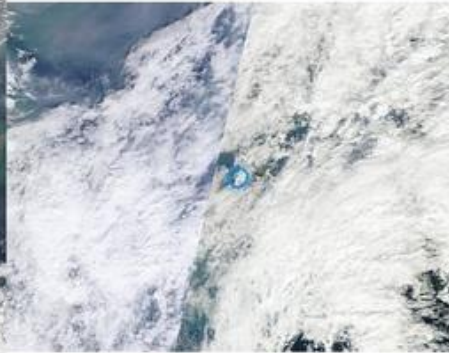
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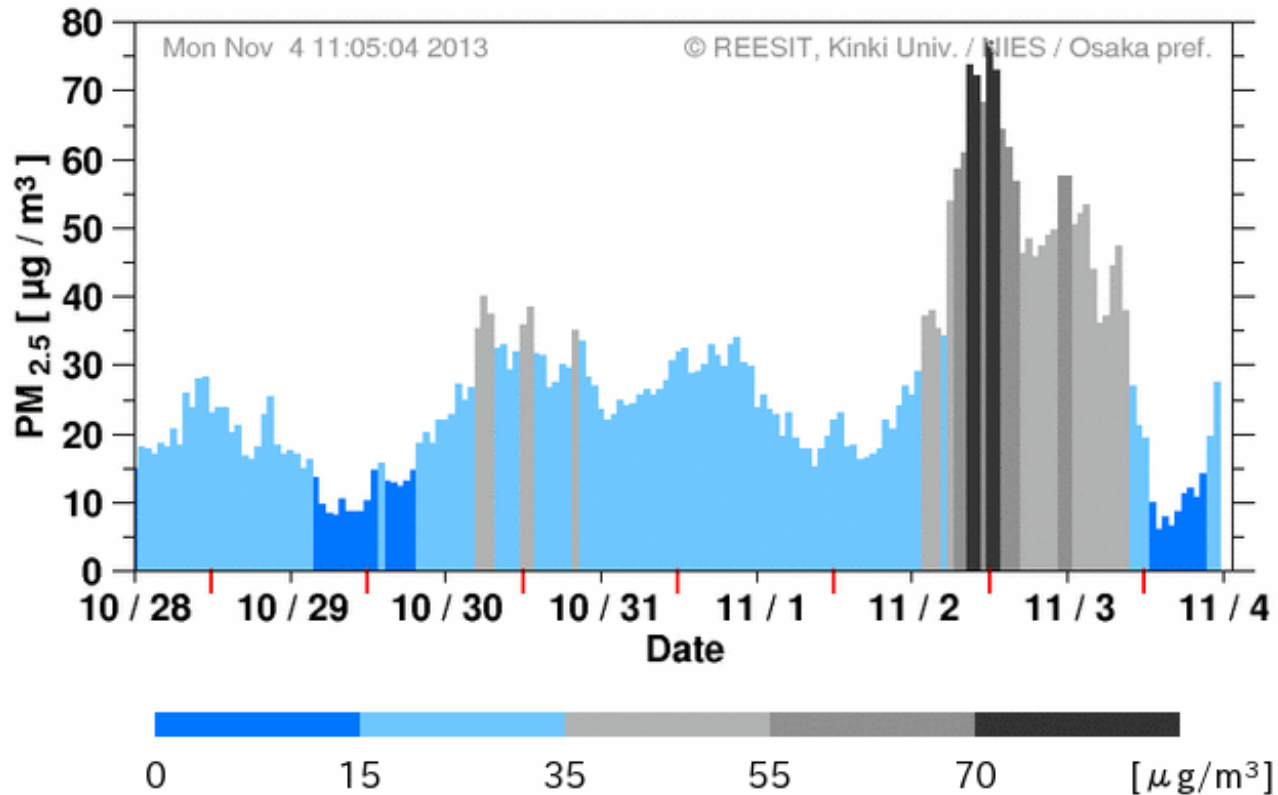
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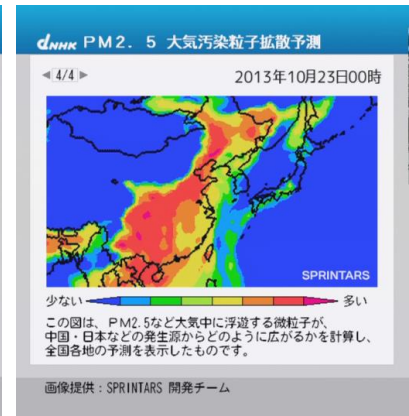
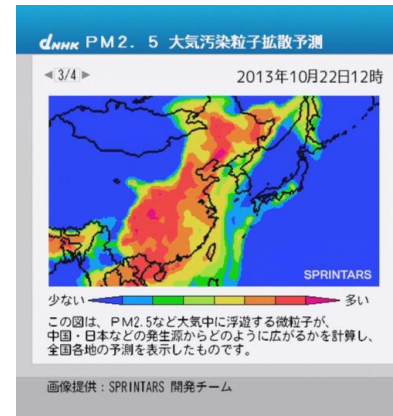
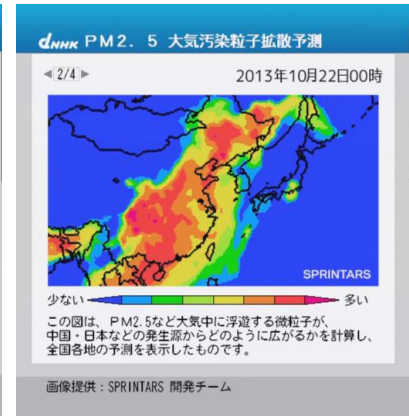
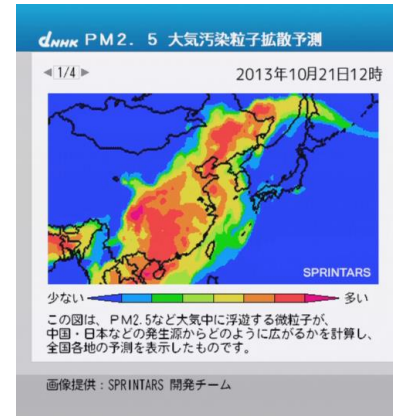


Recent PM_{2.5} measurements at Osaka



PM_{2.5} forecast by SPRINTARS

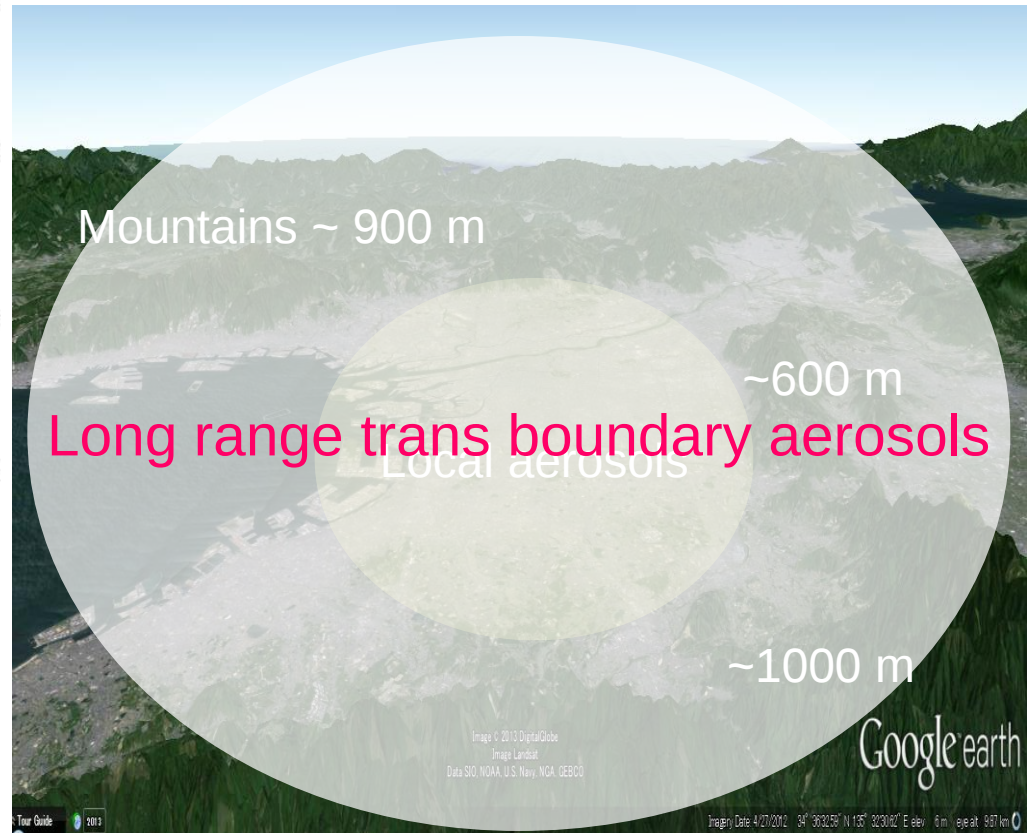
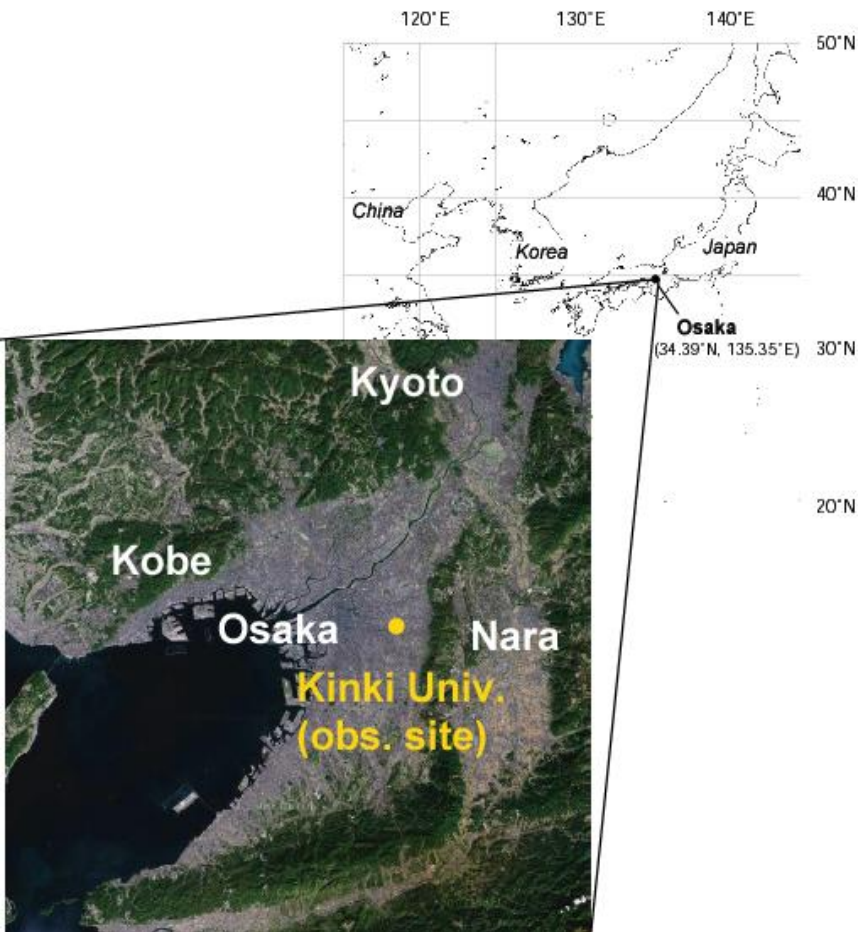
NHK TV distributes PM2.5 information.



(PM2.5 images by Prof. T. Takemura)

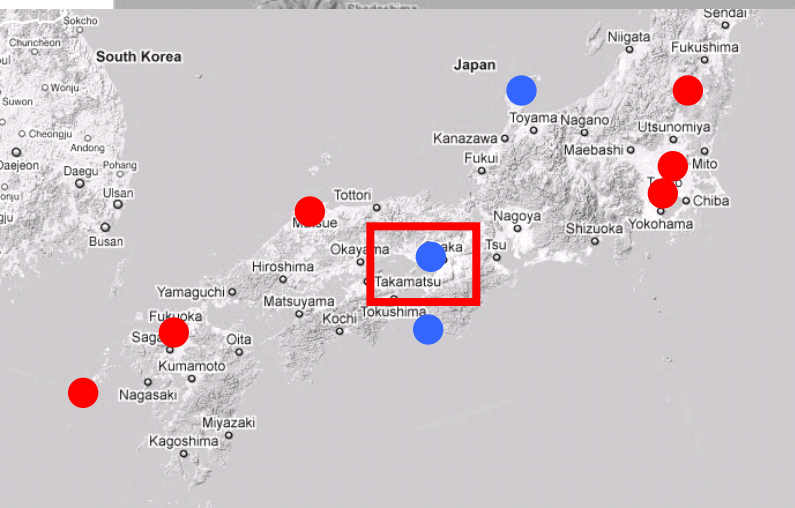
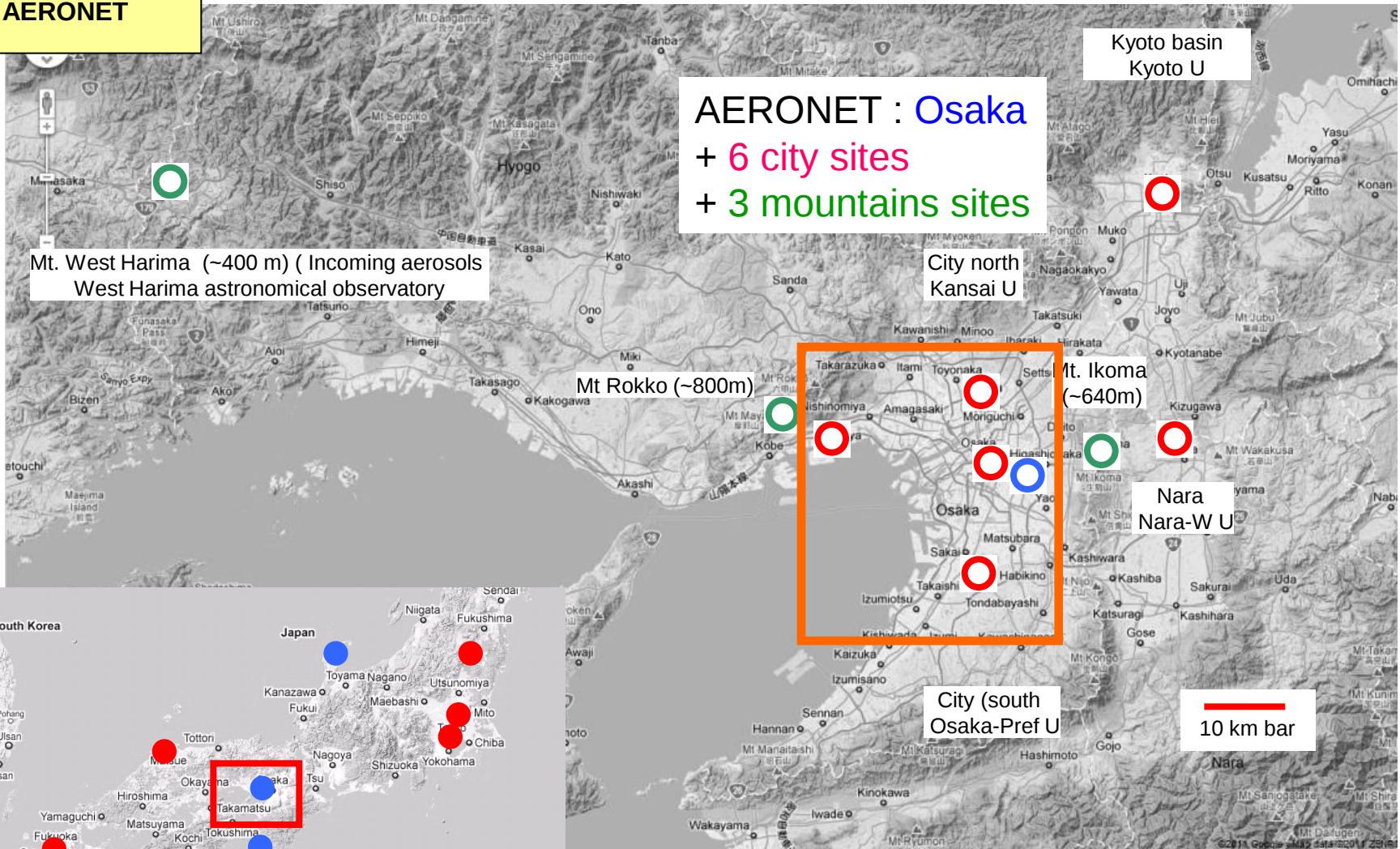
Target megacity (Osaka, Japan)

2nd large city in Japan
population : ~15 million



Sun photometer network in Spring of 2012 (DRAGON - Osaka, a part of DRAGON-Japan)

-  city sites
-  mountain sites
-  AERONET



Aerosol retrieval procedure

1. Surface information

Assumption : **Aerosol loading and types are constant** in Osaka Plains,
(AERONET-Osaka measurement is a representative of
aerosol information over the area).
Atmospheric correction with AERONET AOT(550 nm) and AE.

➡ **Surface albedo**

2. Retrieval of aerosol properties

Pre-estimated **surface albedo**

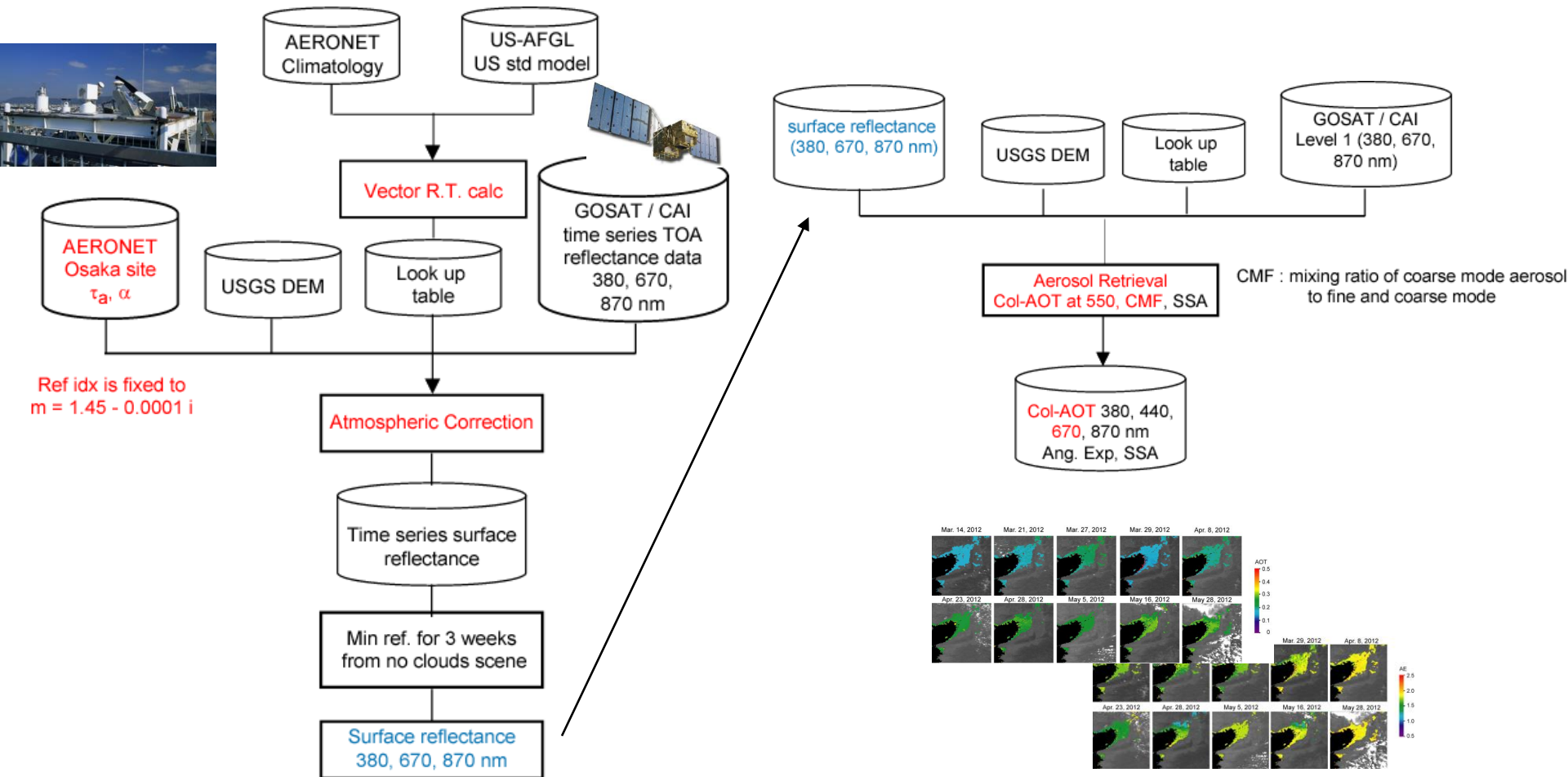
Pre-defined **aerosol model** (RT -> look-up table)

Satellite data (CAI / GOSAT :380, 670, 870 nm)



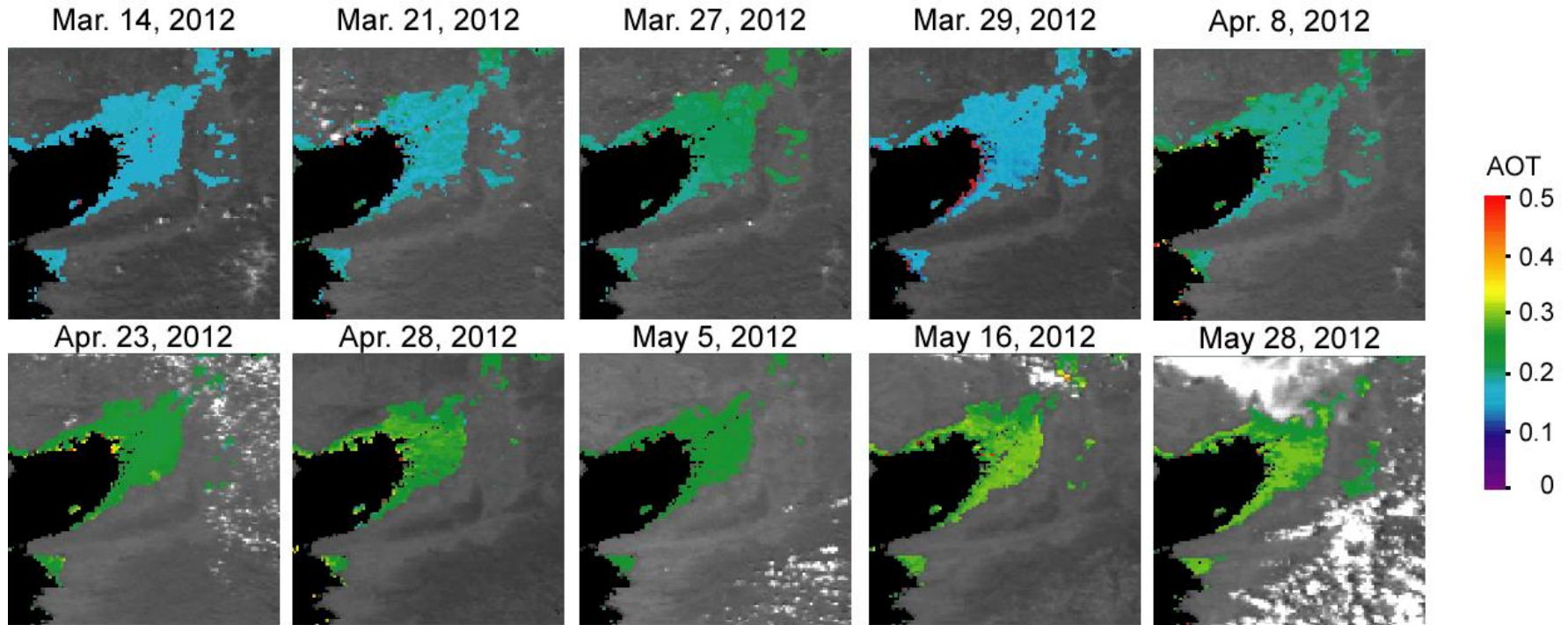
AOT, **coarse mode fraction** of bi-modal size dist, and **SSA**

Estimation of surface reflectance and aerosol retrieval



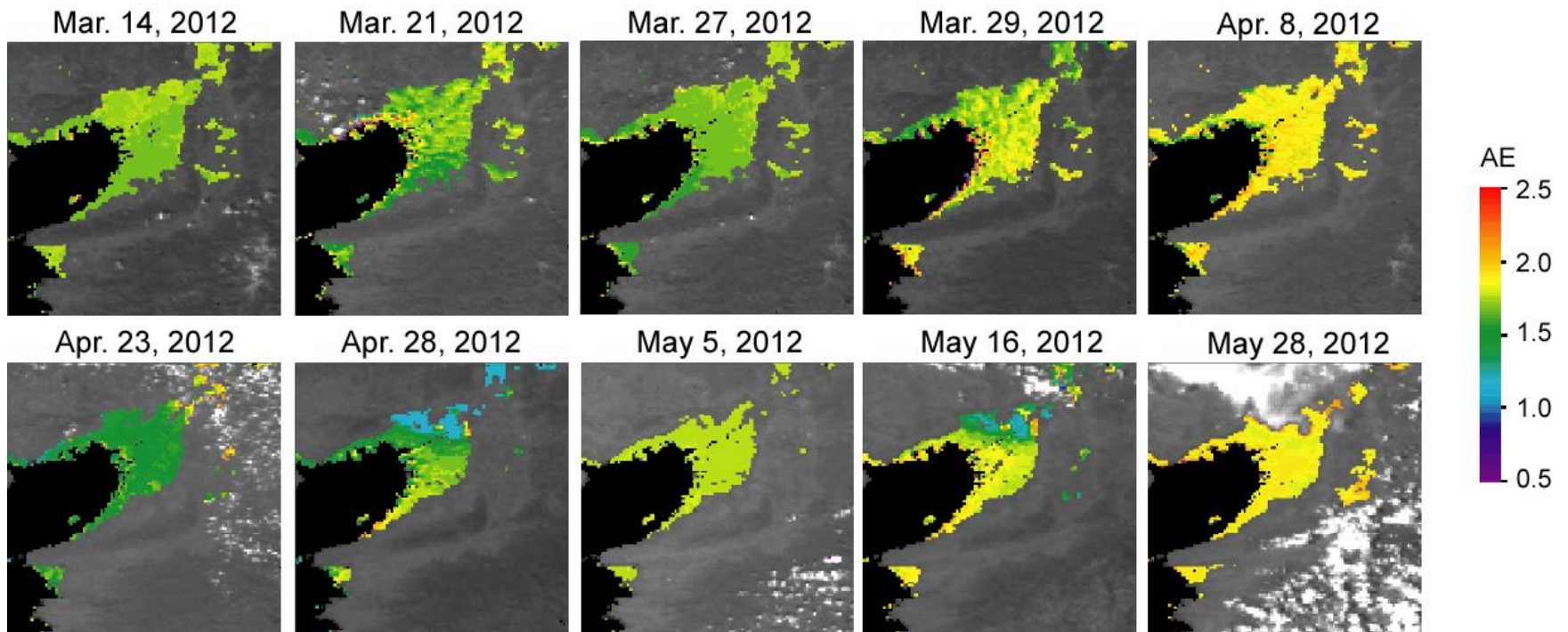
Aerosol properties over Osaka, Japan during DRAGON - Osaka

AOT (670 nm)

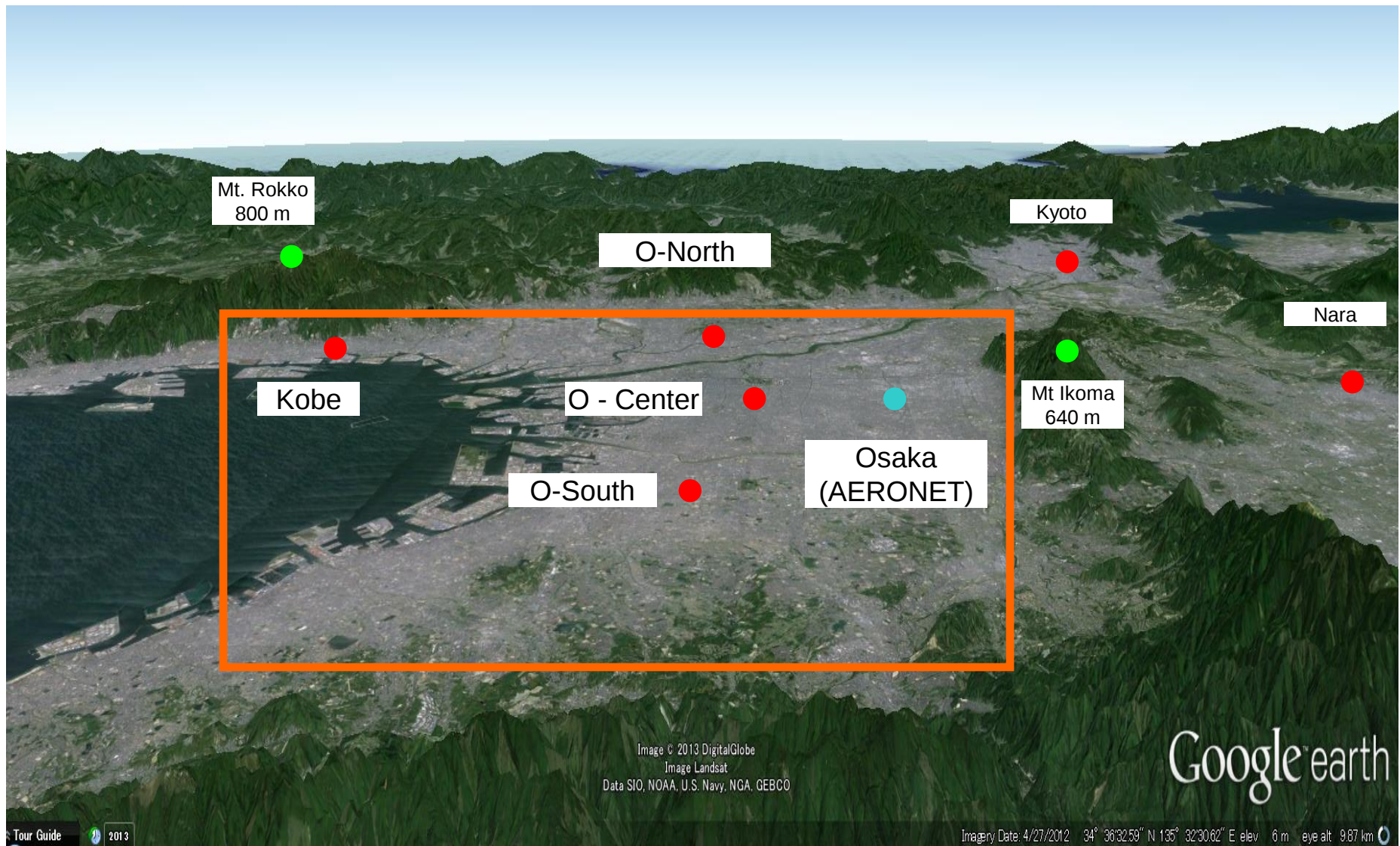


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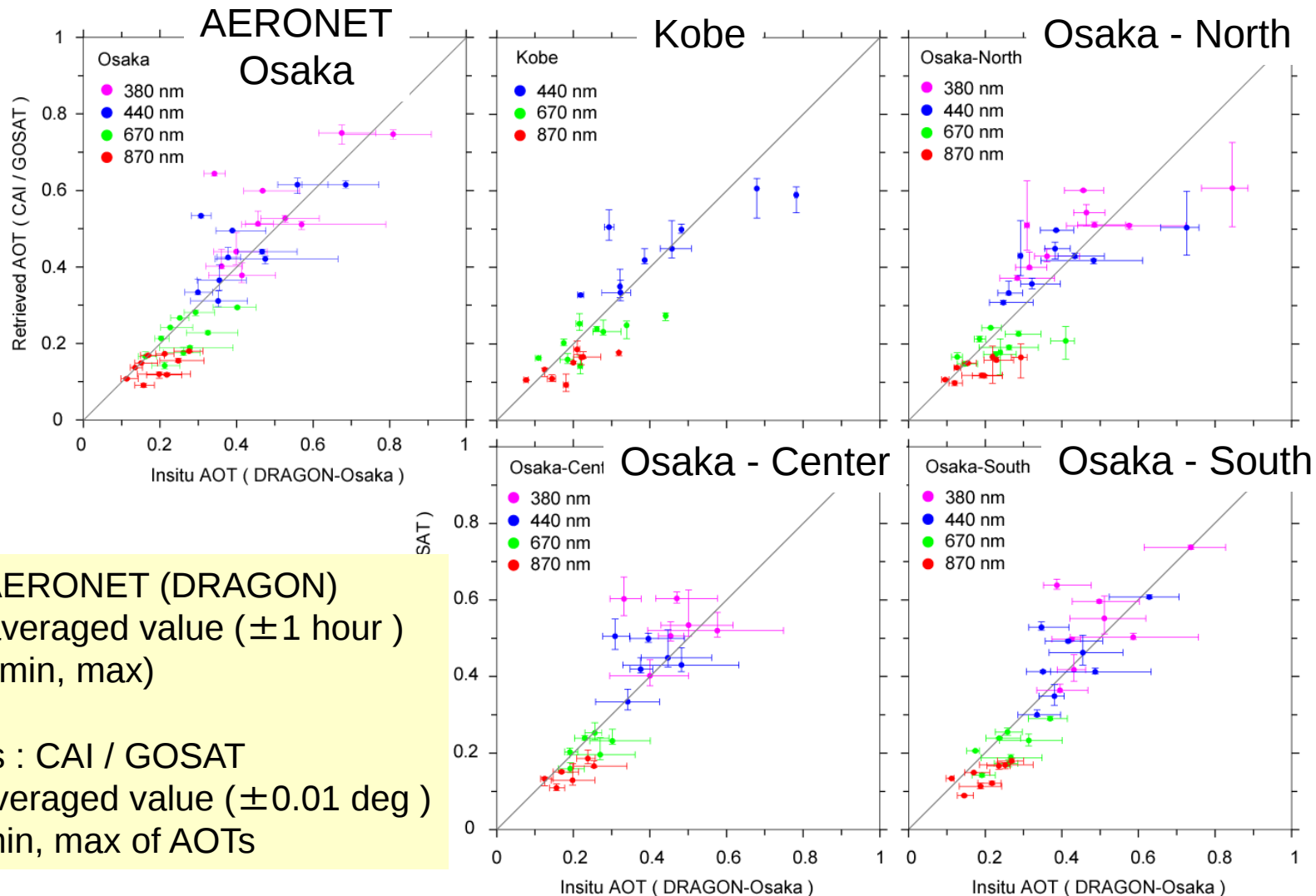
Angstrom exponent



Cimel deployment during DRAGON - Osaka (March - May in 2012)



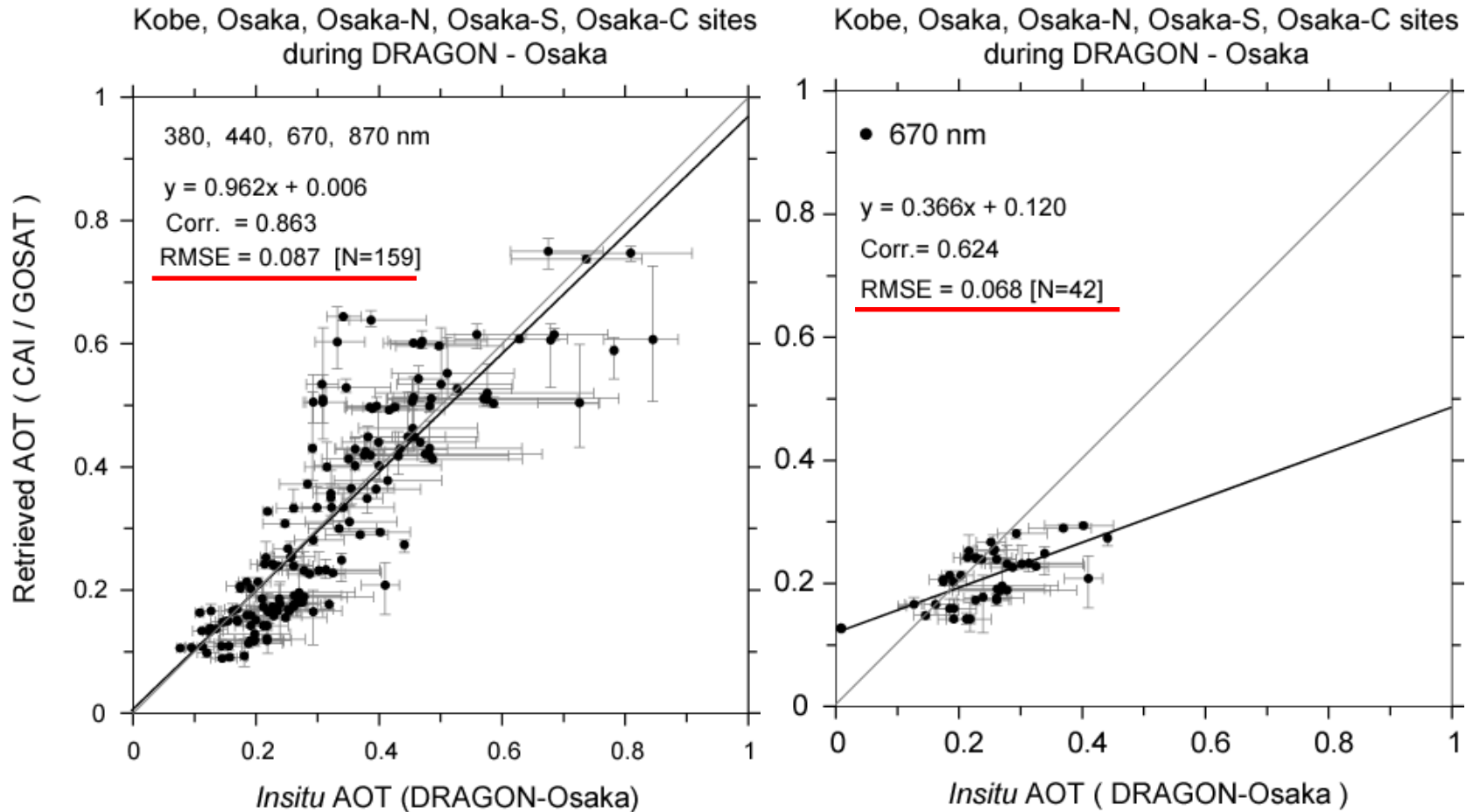
Validation of retrieved AOTs with DRAGON-Osaka



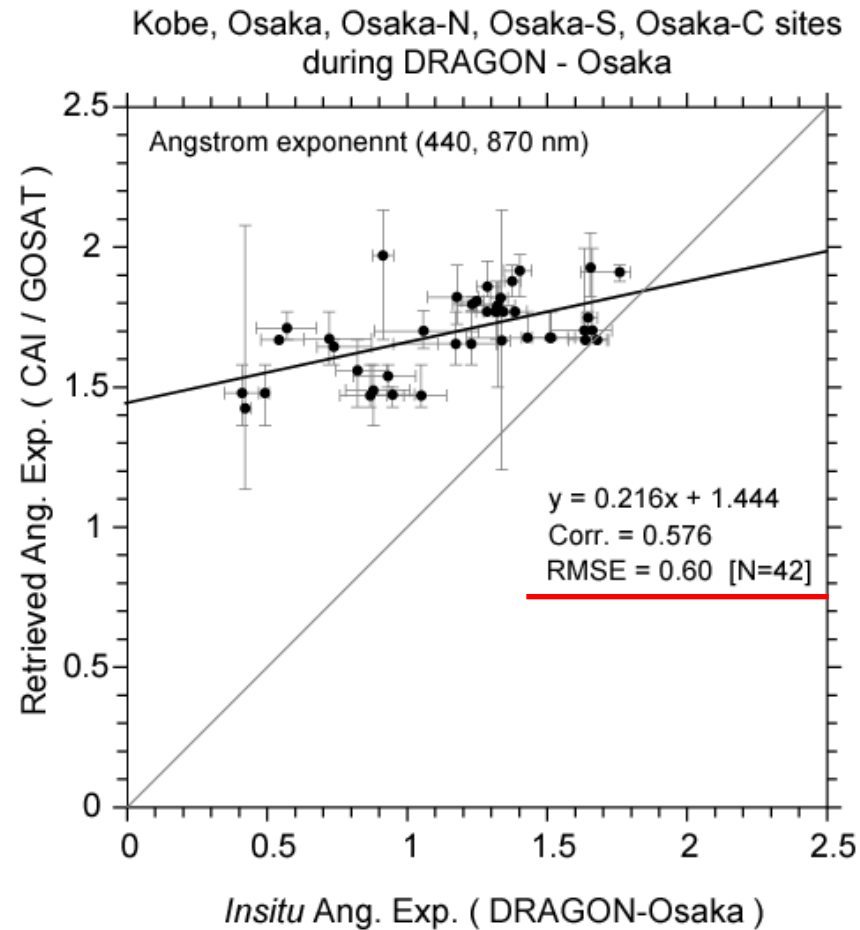
In situ AOTs : AERONET (DRAGON)
 Dots : averaged value (± 1 hour)
 Error bars : (min, max)

Retrieved AOTs : CAI / GOSAT
 Dots : averaged value (± 0.01 deg)
 Error bars: min, max of AOTs

Validation of retrieved AOTs with DRAGON-Osaka



Validation of retrieved AE with DRAGON-Osaka



Ground based columnar AOT, LIDAR and PM measurements

- Sun photometer and NIES 2ch Pol. LIDAR

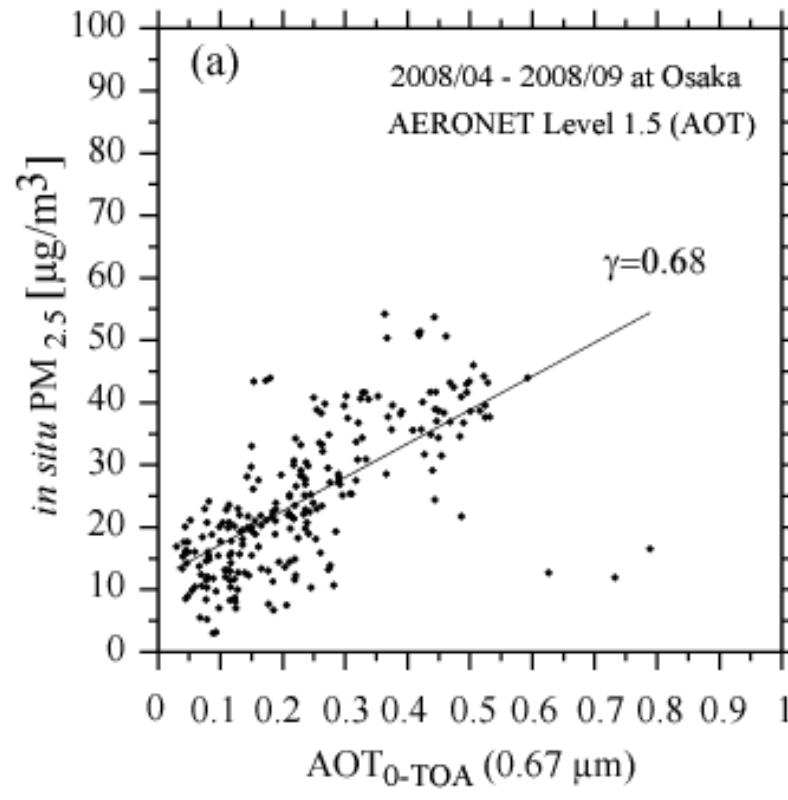


- PM_{10} , $PM_{2.5}$ / PM_{10} / TSP sampling



Relationship between $\text{PM}_{2.5}$ and columnar AOT (670 nm)

Columnar AOT



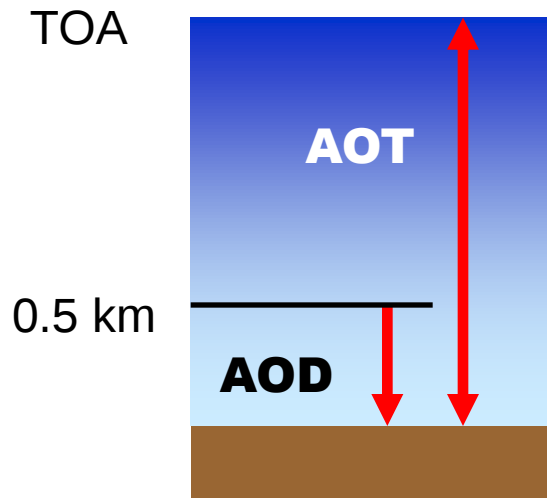
Relationship between PM_{2.5} and near surface AOD

Columnar Aerosol optical thickness

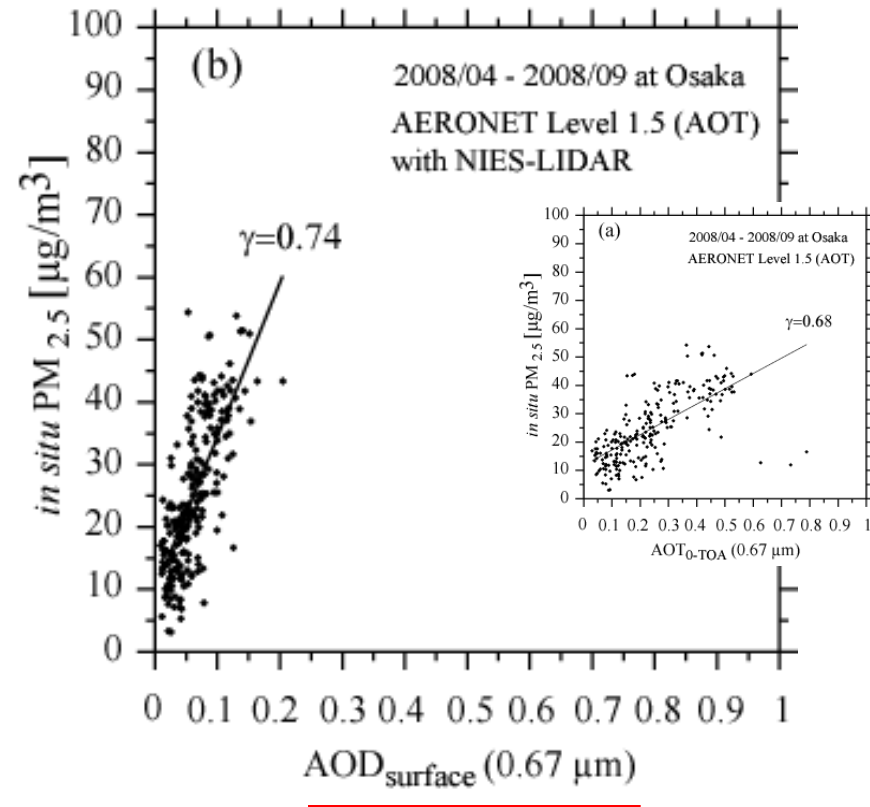
$$AOT_{0-TOA}(\lambda) \approx \int_0^{TOA} Ext(\lambda) dz$$

Near surface Aerosol optical depth

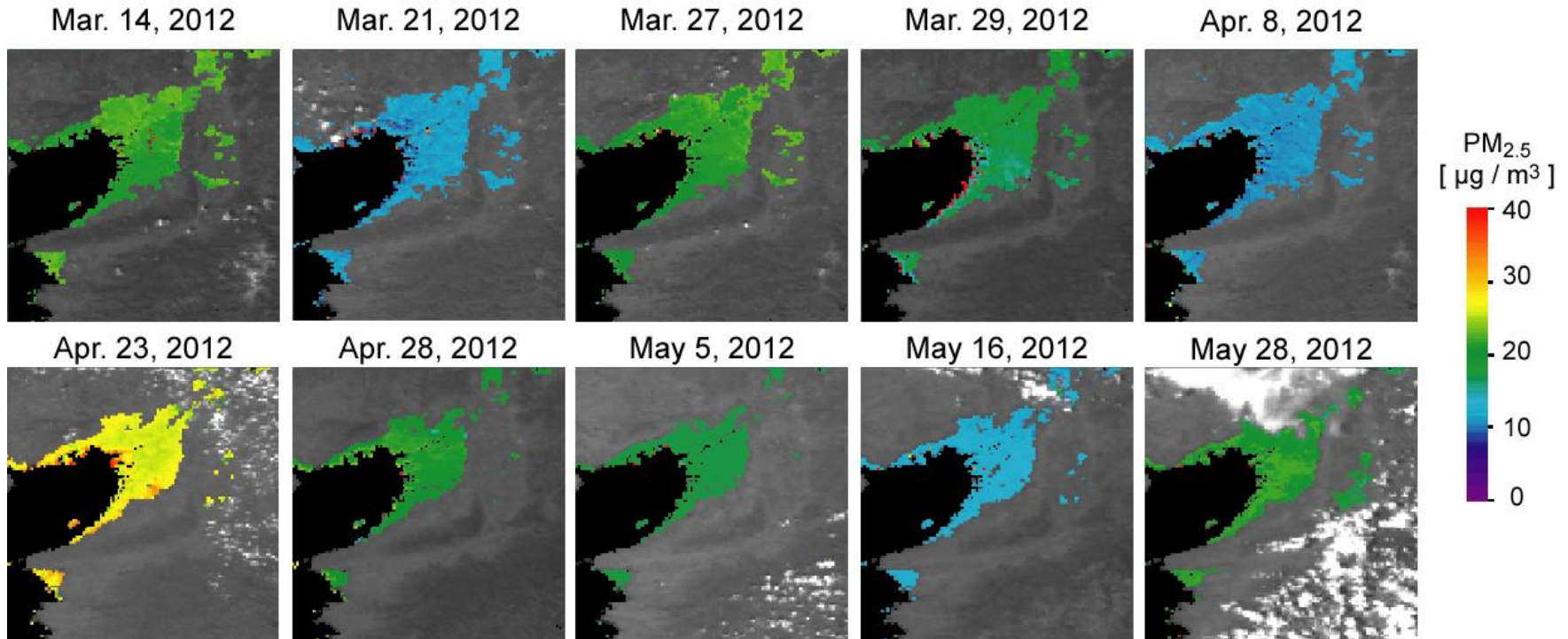
$$\underline{AOD_{surface}(\lambda)} \approx \frac{\int_0^{0.5km} Ext_{0.532} dz}{\int_0^{6km} Ext_{0.532} dz} AOT_{0-TOA}(\lambda)$$



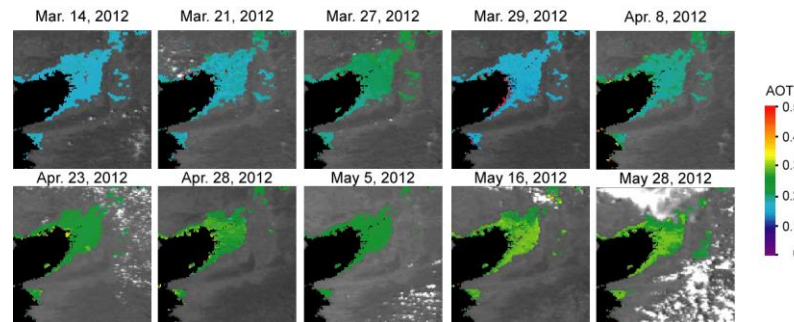
Near surface AOD



Satellite estimated PM_{2.5} concentration during DRAGON - Osaka



AOT 670 nm



Validation with *in situ* PM_{2.5} data

PM_{2.5} Instrument

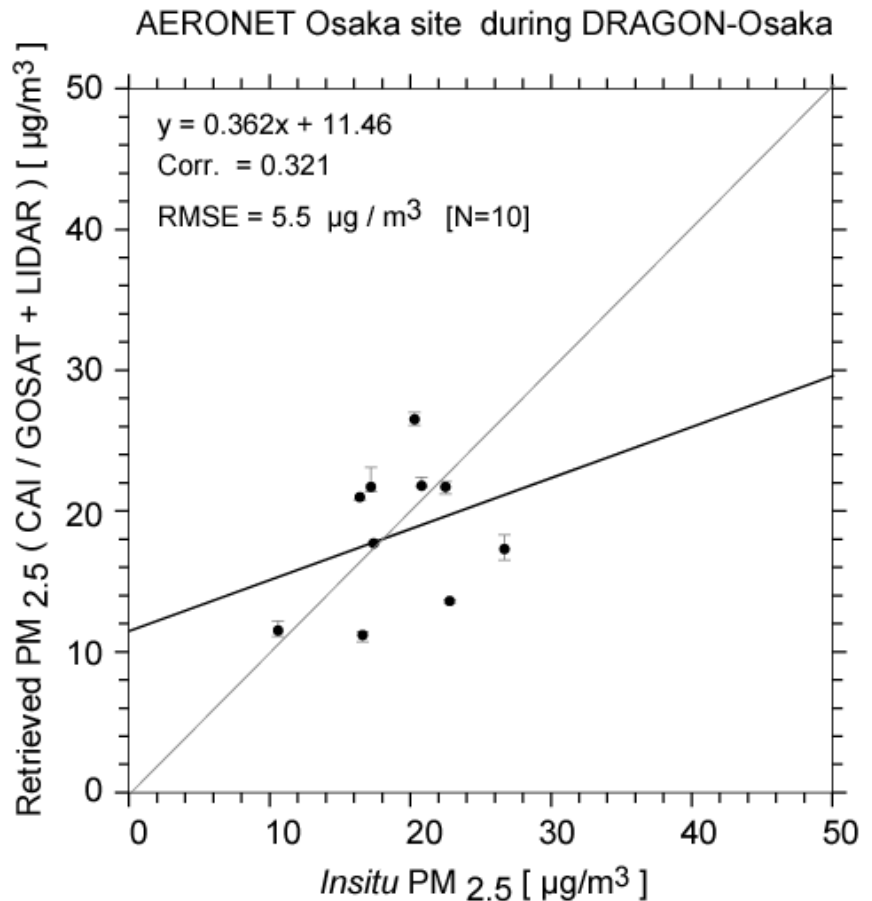
SPM-712 (Kimoto Elec. Co., Japan)

1 hour meas.

Beta ray gauge method

Teflon tape role

RH correction



Summary

Status of aerosol algorithm development has been reported from the viewpoint of polarization measurements.

The operational algorithms as POLDER two channel type method which give us with

aerosol optical thickness (550 nm) and Ångström exponent will be implemented first.

Our algorithms will be modified to achieve more accurate and more aerosol parameters with CI's collaboration.

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