



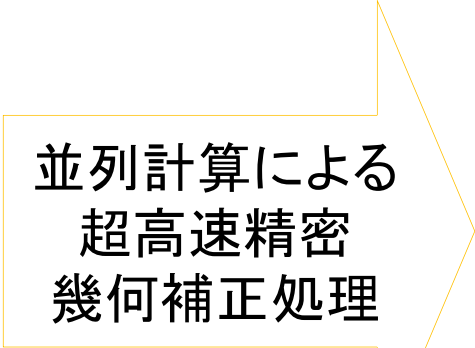
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# CEReS released Himawari-8 gridded product with **free of charge!**

Himawari-8 Standard data (FD)

CEReS H-8 gridded product



並列計算による  
超高速精密  
幾何補正処理

40 sec. all data can process  
for precise geo-correction

Release note: [http://www.cr.chiba-u.jp/databases/GEO/H8\\_9/FD/](http://www.cr.chiba-u.jp/databases/GEO/H8_9/FD/)  
ALL BAND (16 Bands) equivalent to same spatial resolution (0.02, 0.01, 0.005 deg.)

# Background

- ❑ Rapid growth of world population  
→ major increase in food and water demand.

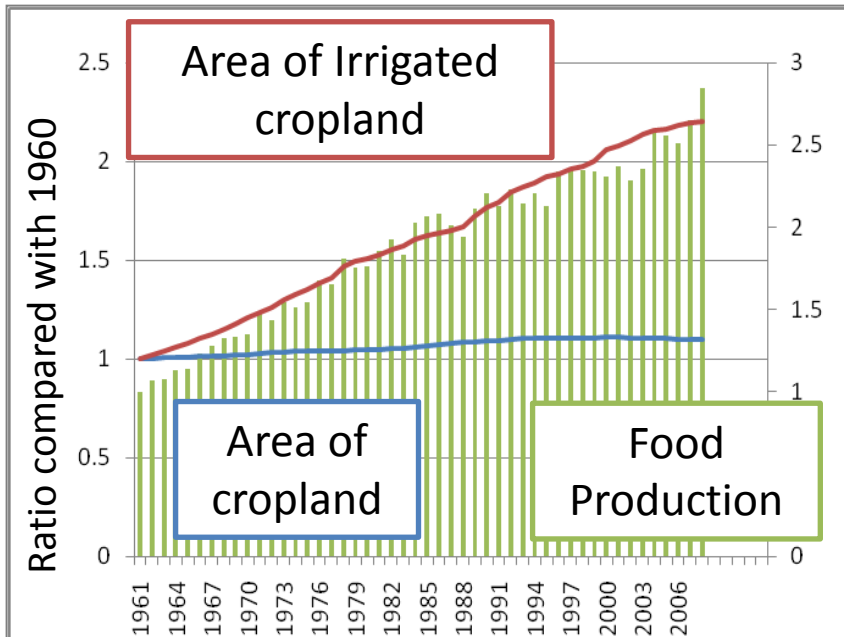
- ❑ Key word: Irrigation

- ❑ Good : Producing much food (about 2.5 times)
- ❑ Bad : Requiring much water

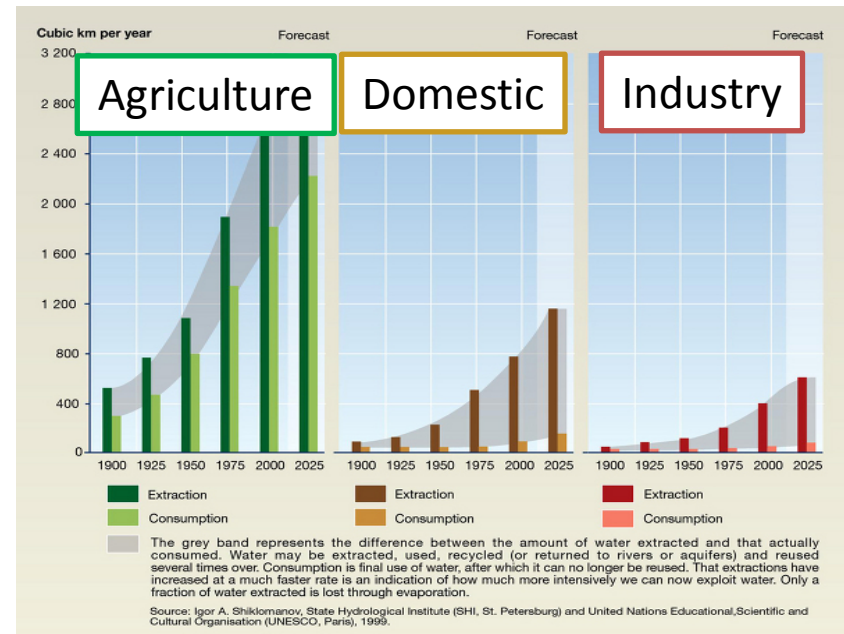


*irrigation*

Food Production of The World (FAOSTAT)



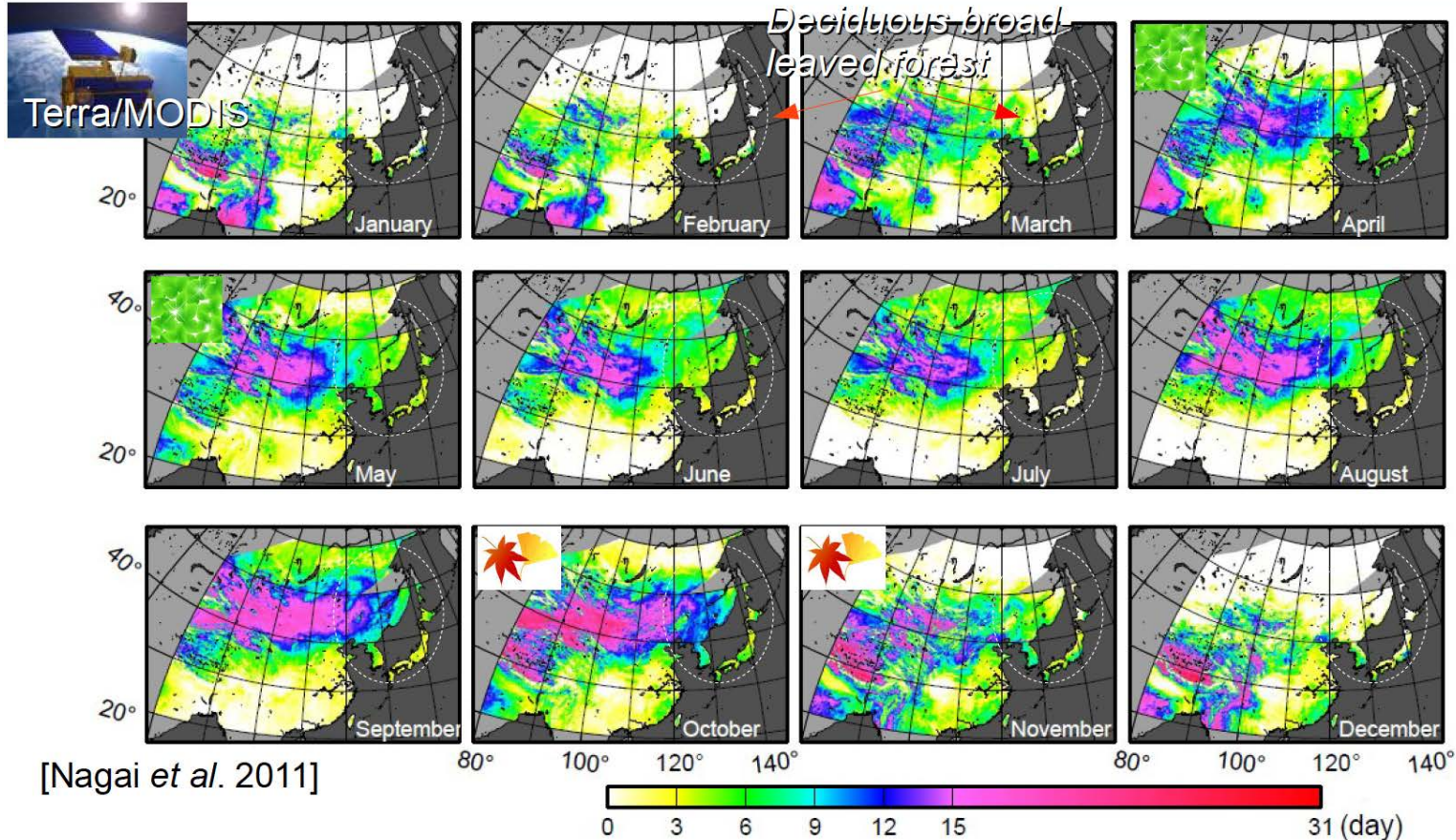
World Water Use (Shiklomanov, 2000)



Source: Igor A. Shiklomanov, State Hydrological Institute (SHI, St. Petersburg) and United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNESCO, Paris), 1999.

# Why we use numerical modeling?

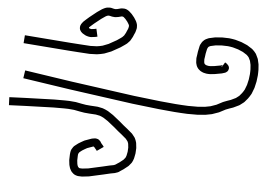
Number of observational days in high-quality NDVI in East Asia:



*During the leaf-expansion and leaf-fall periods,*  
number of observational days is **about 3–7** for each month.

# Land surface model

wind



Canopy energy fluxes

Sensible

Latent

precipitation



Radiative Fluxes

Shortwave

Longwave

Top of canopy

Interception by canopy

Transpiration

Energy budget

Radiation budget

Bare soil energy fluxes

Sensible

Latent

Ground heat flux

Throughfall

Surface runoff

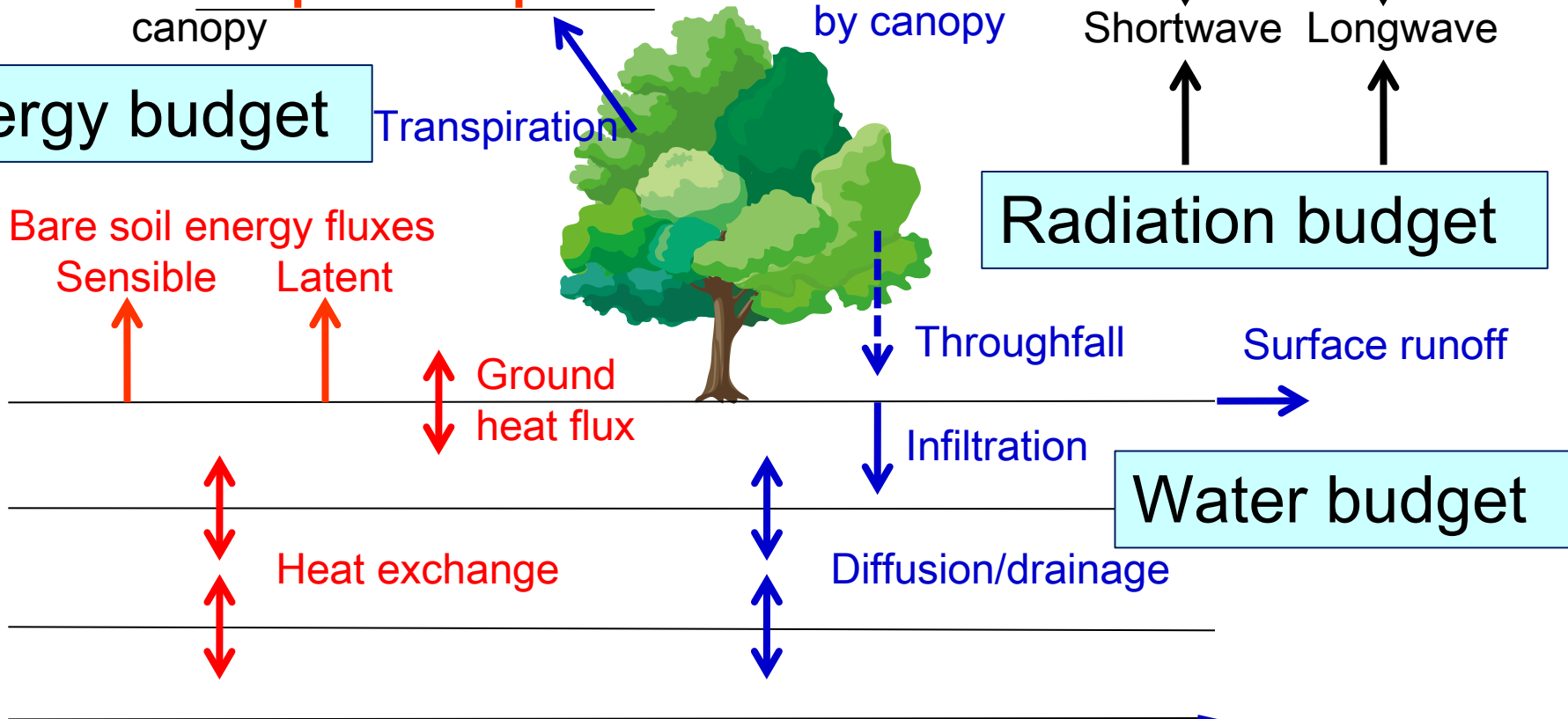
Infiltration

Water budget

Heat exchange

Diffusion/drainage

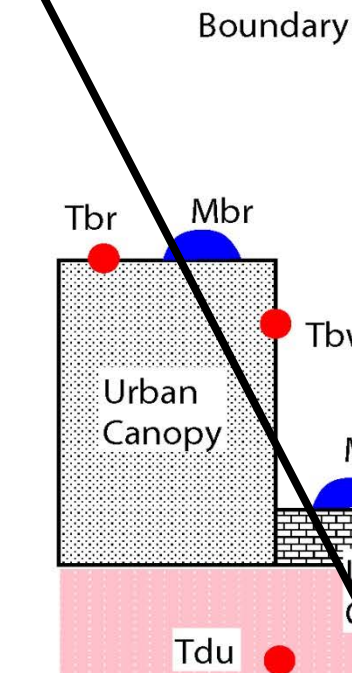
Baseflow



# Land surface model (SiBUC)

Grid box is divided into three landuse categories

1. Green Area
2. Urban Area
3. Water Body



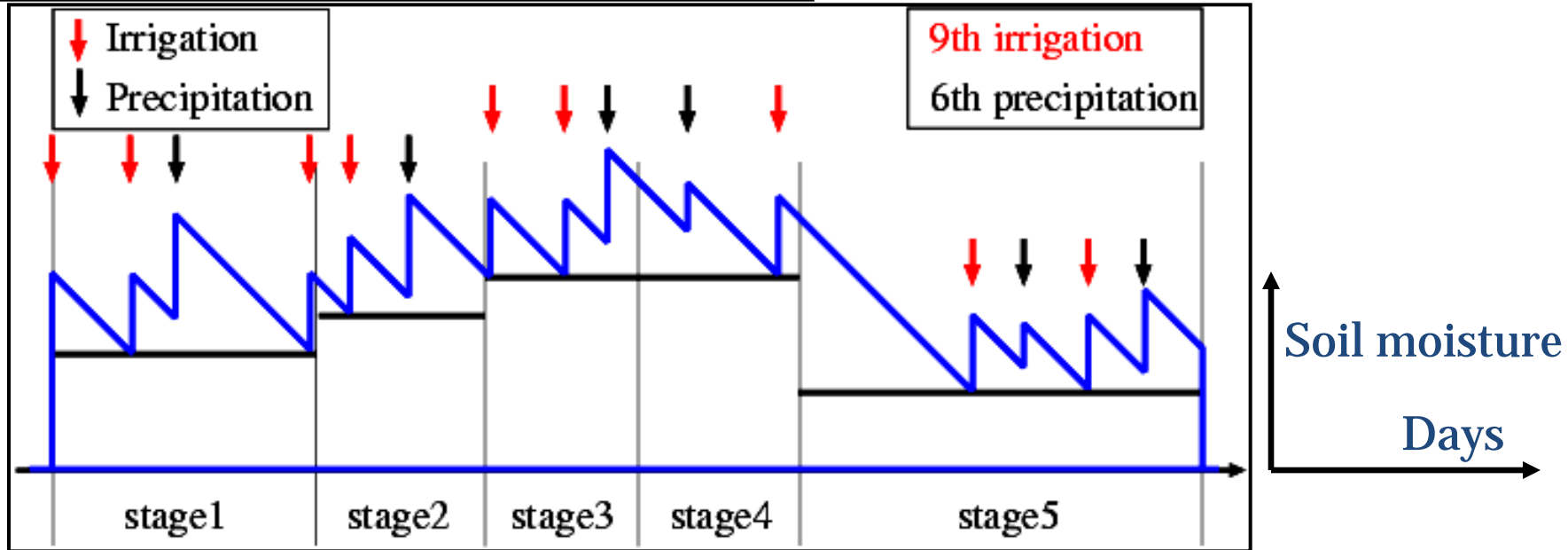
1. Broadleaf-evergreen trees
2. Broadleaf-deciduous trees
3. Broadleaf and needle leaf trees
4. Needle leaf-evergreen trees
5. Needle leaf-deciduous trees
6. Short vegetation/C4 grassland
7. Broadleaf shrubs with bare soil
8. Dwarf trees and shrubs
9. Farmland (non-irrigated)
10. Paddy field (non-irrigated)
11. Paddy field (irrigated)
12. Spring wheat (irrigated)
13. Winter wheat (irrigated)
14. Corn (irrigated)
15. Cotton (irrigated)
16. Other crops (irrigated)

Water Body

$W_3$  Recharge Zone

# Irrigation scheme

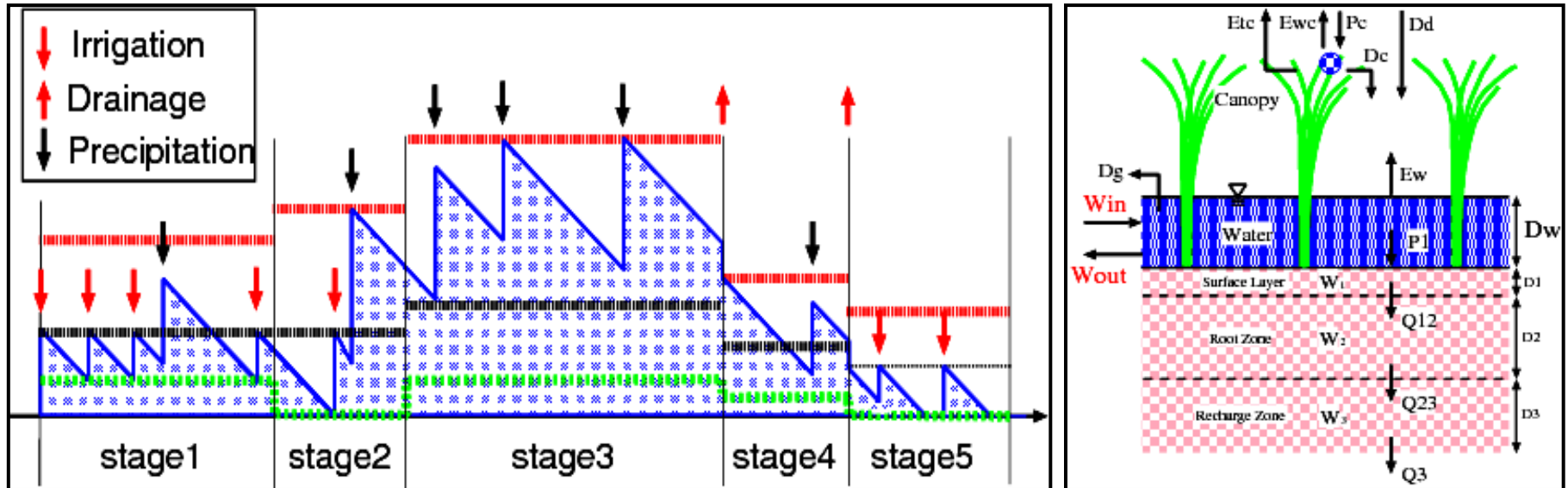
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- Basic concept is to maintain water depth / soil moisture within **appropriate ranges for optimal crop growth**
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- Application to wheat, corn, soy bean and **rice (paddy field)** etc...

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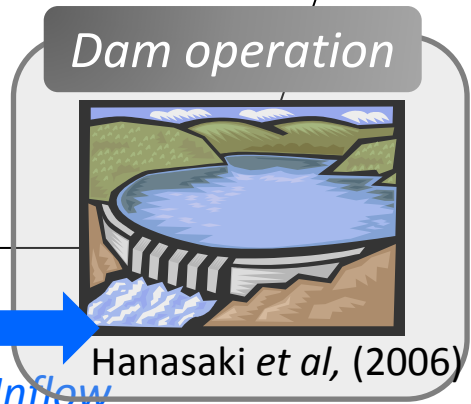
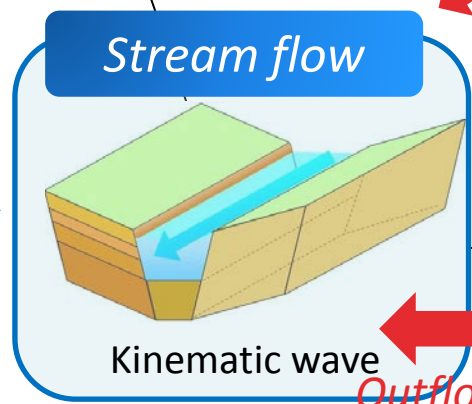
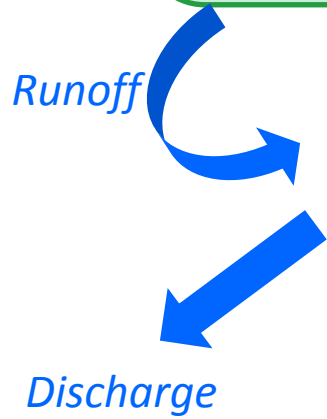
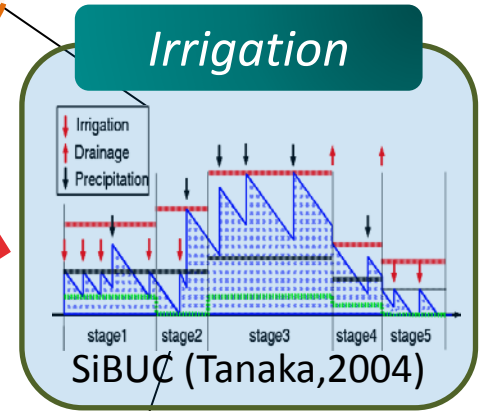
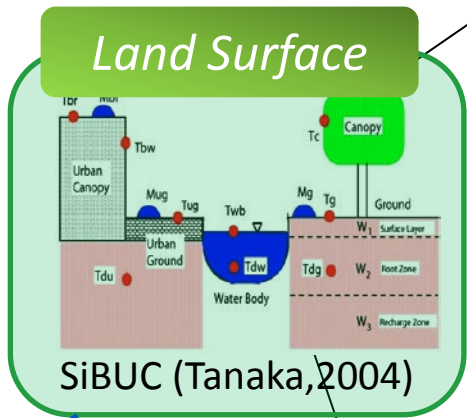
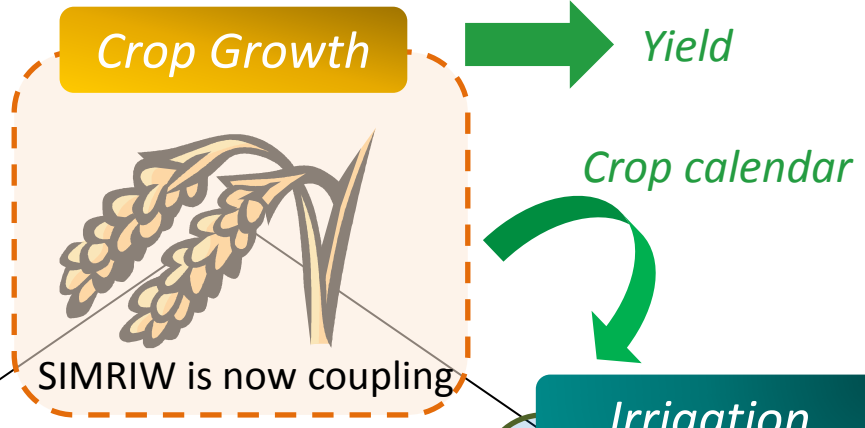
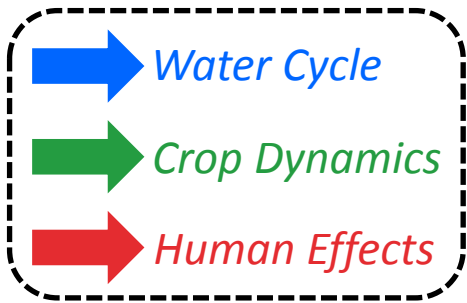
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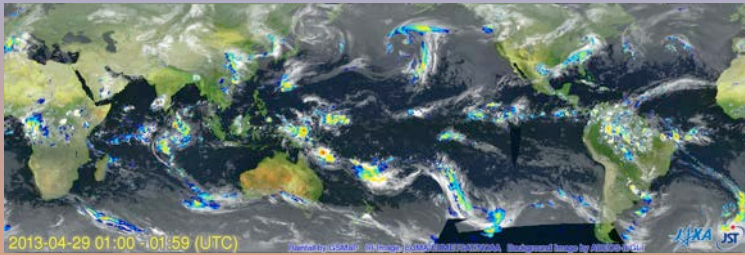
# Integrated water resources model



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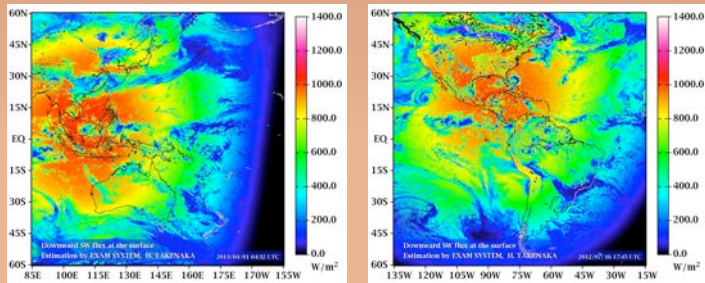
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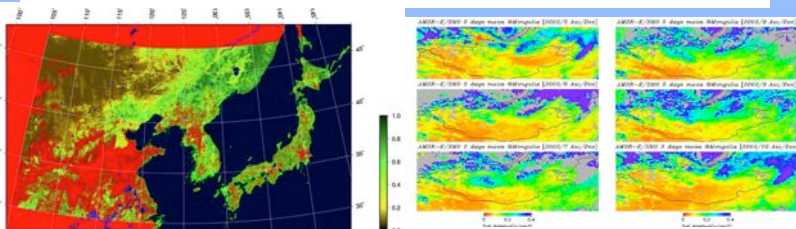
<http://sharaku.eorc.jaxa.jp/GSMaP/>

### Solar Radiation: EXAM



<http://amaterass.org/>

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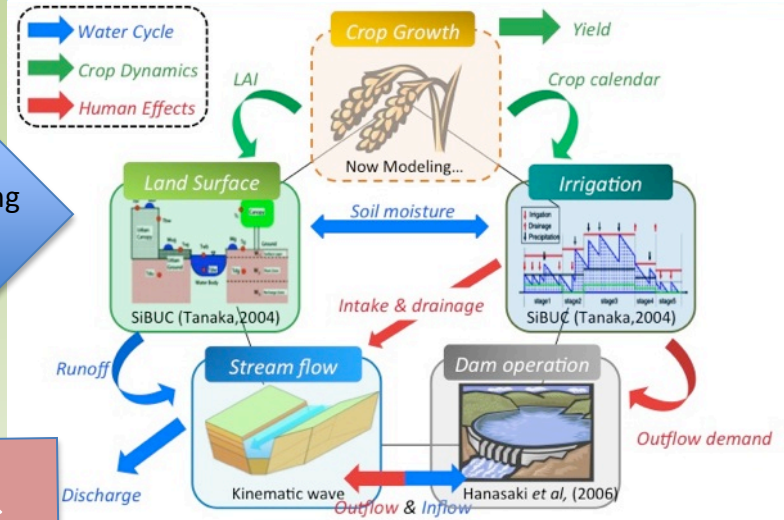


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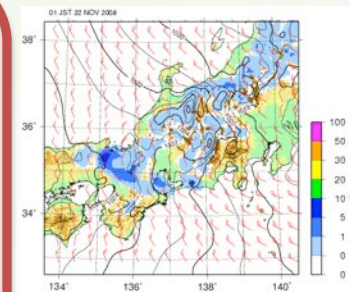
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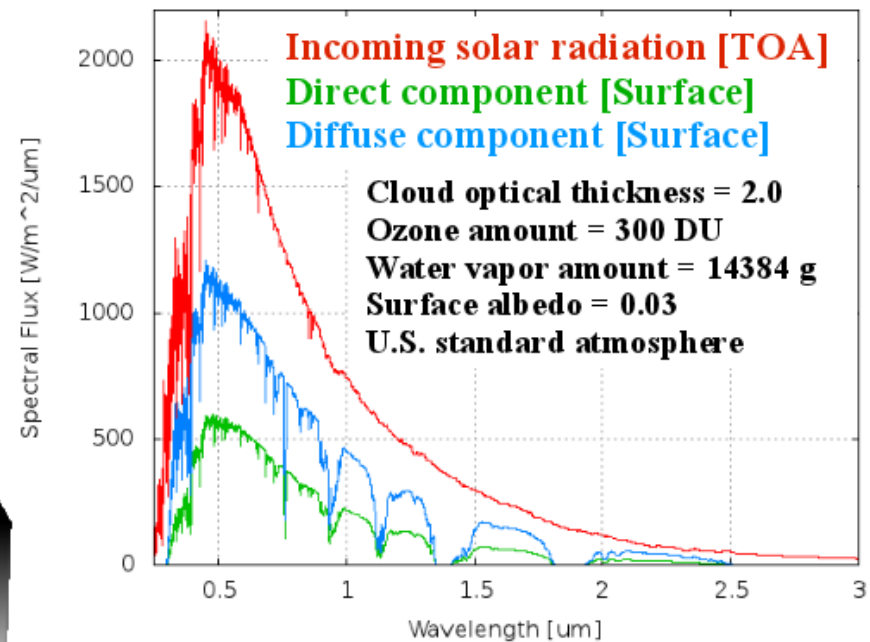
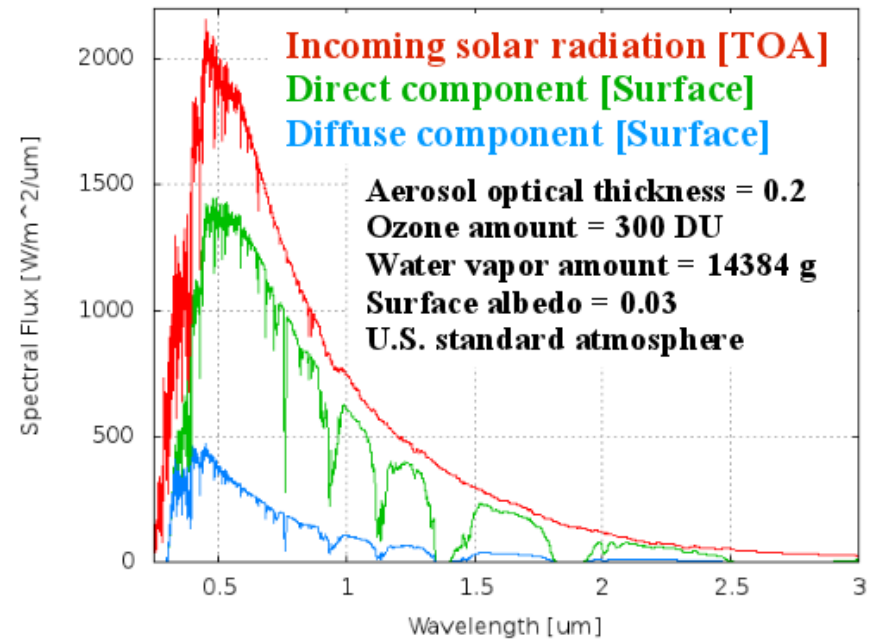
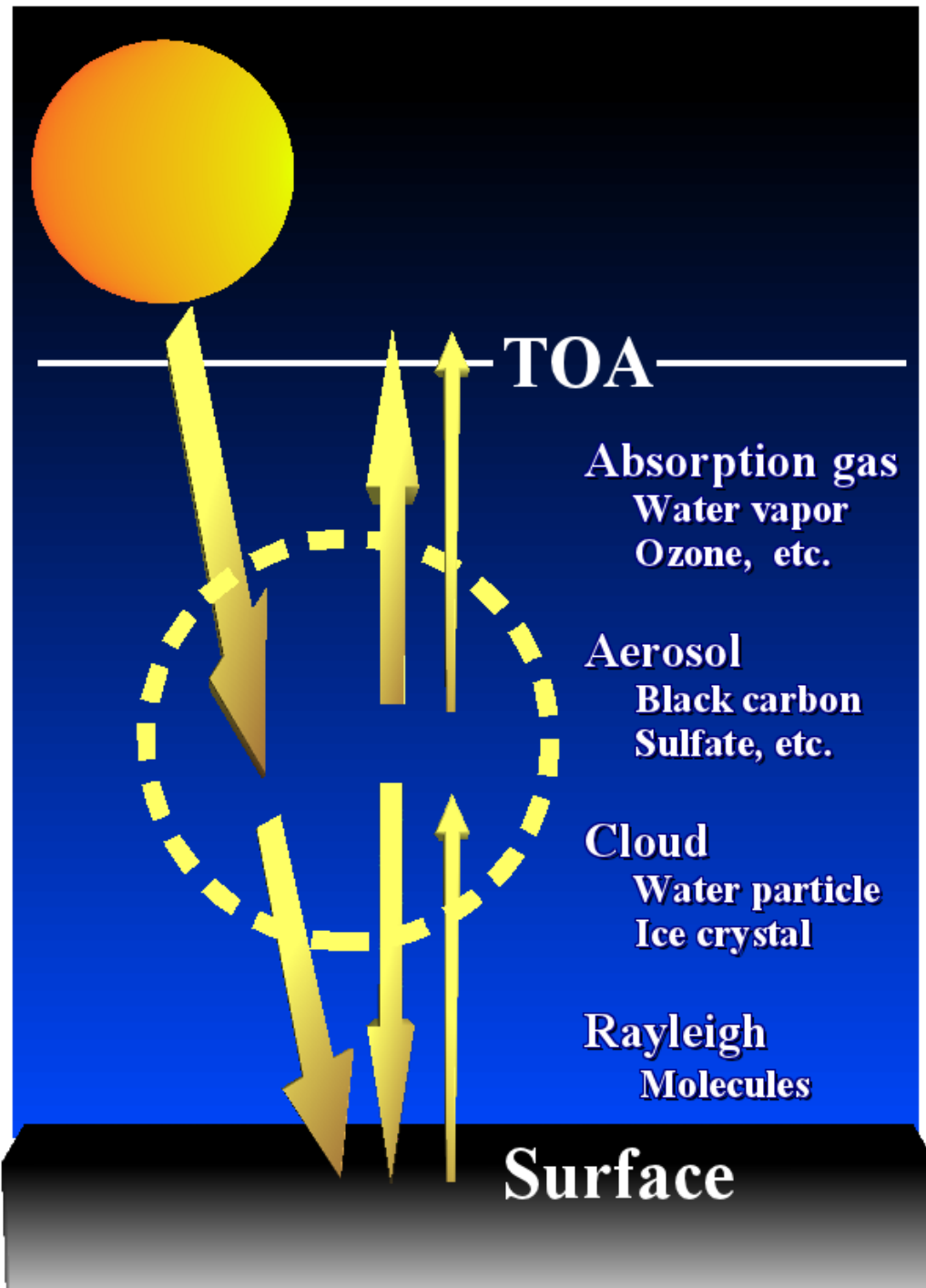


**More realistic initial condition estimation**

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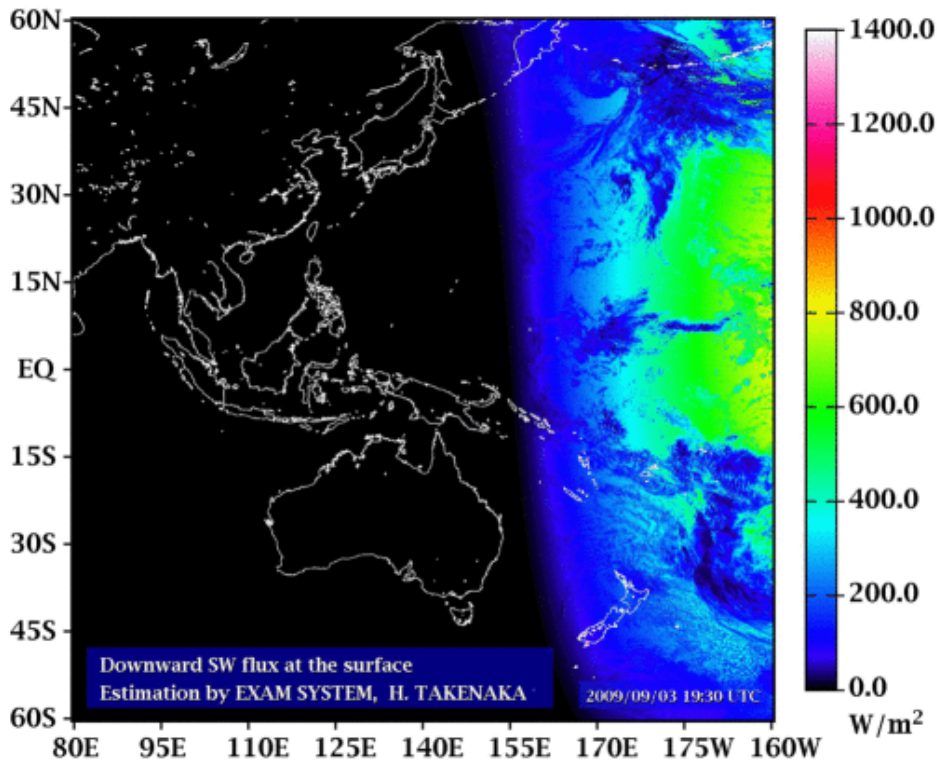
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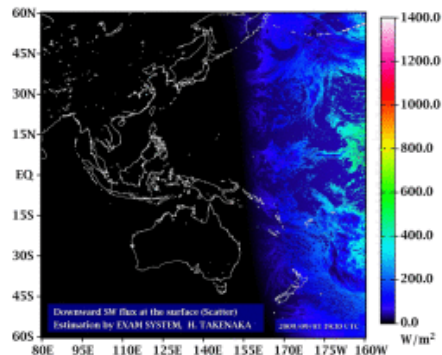


# Atmospheric radiation budget product (from 2007 July 7)

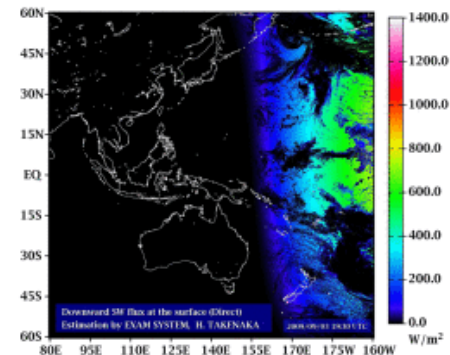
## Downward SW flux at the surface



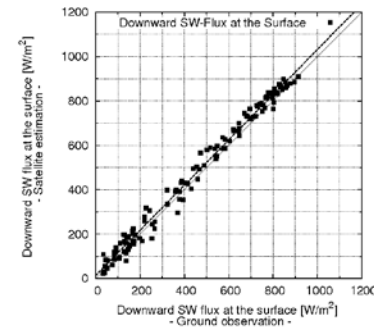
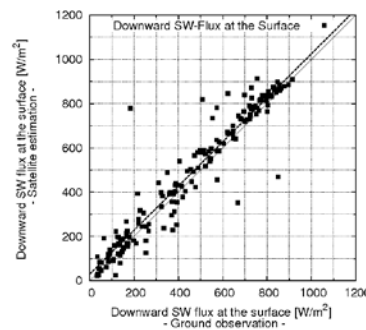
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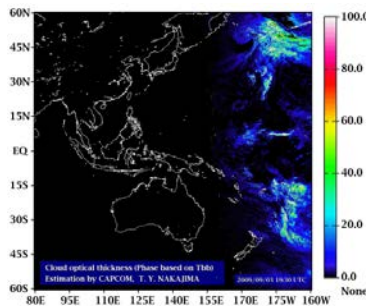
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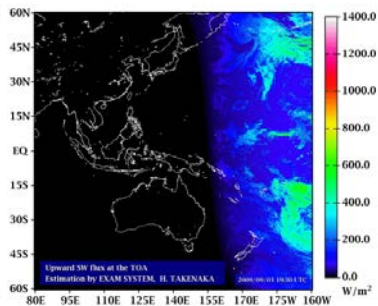
## Ground validation of SW flux



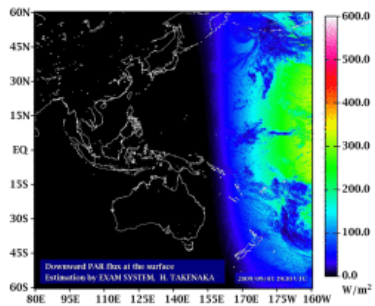
## Cloud optical thickness



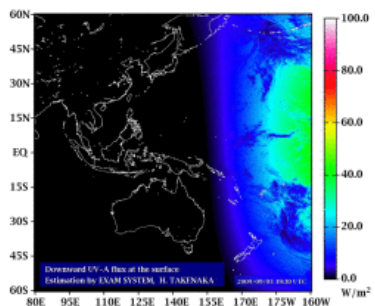
## Upward SW flux at the TOA



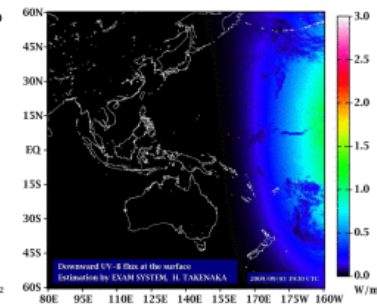
## Downward PAR flux at the sfc



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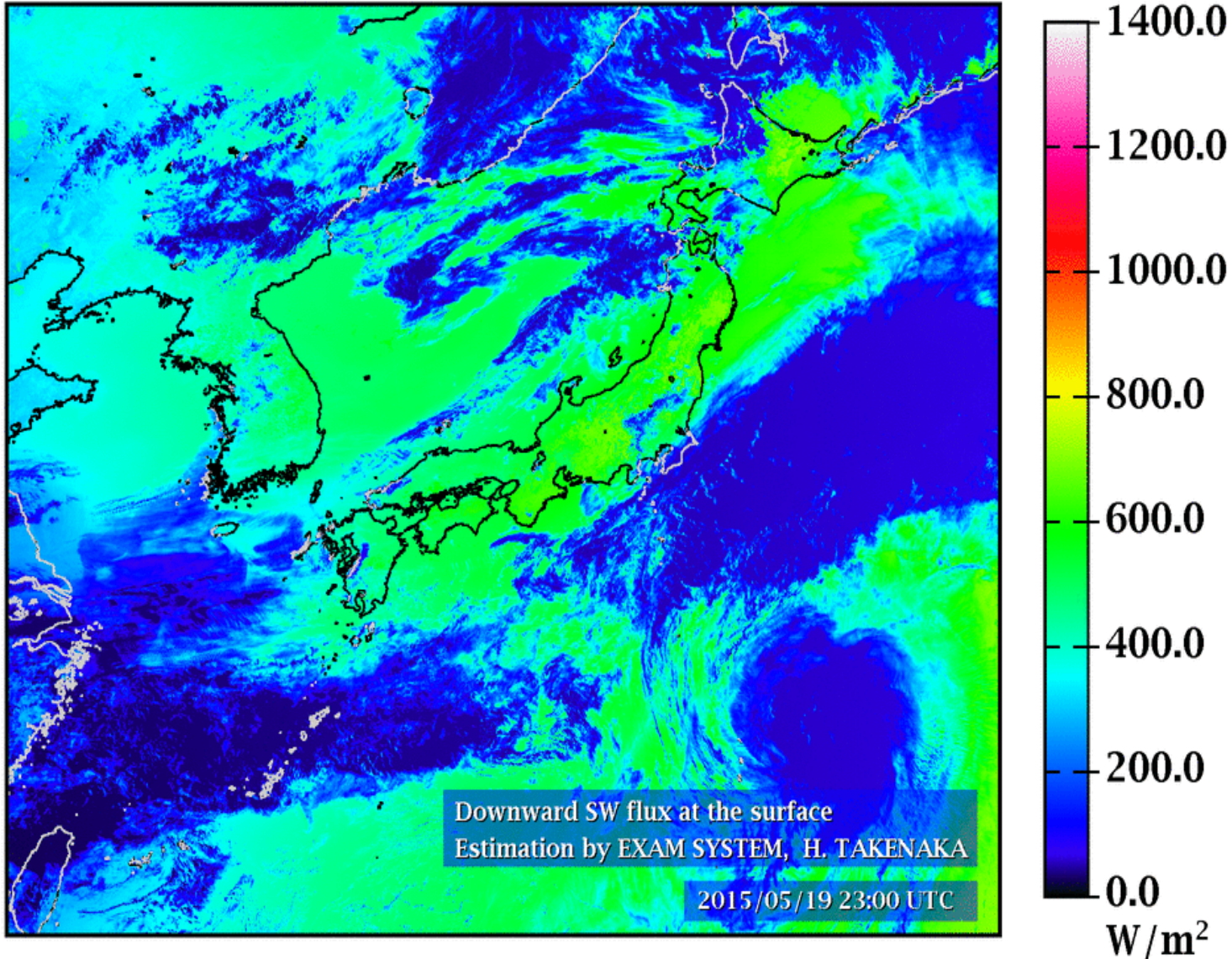


## Downward UVB flux at the sfc



# EXAM system estimates SW radiation by HIMAWARI-8

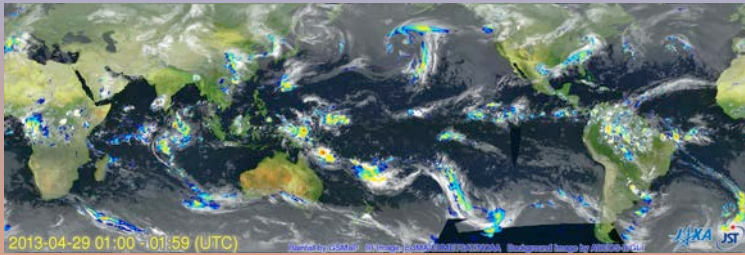
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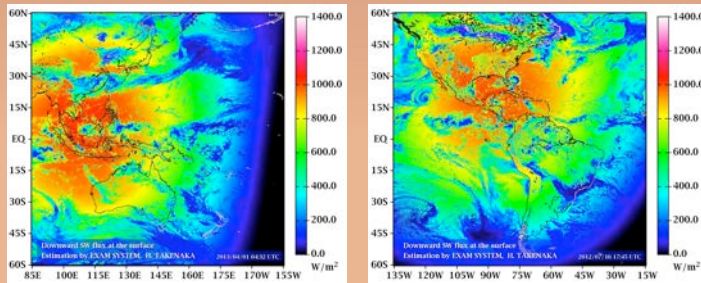
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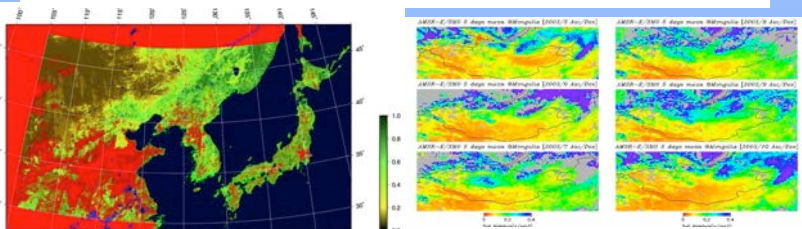
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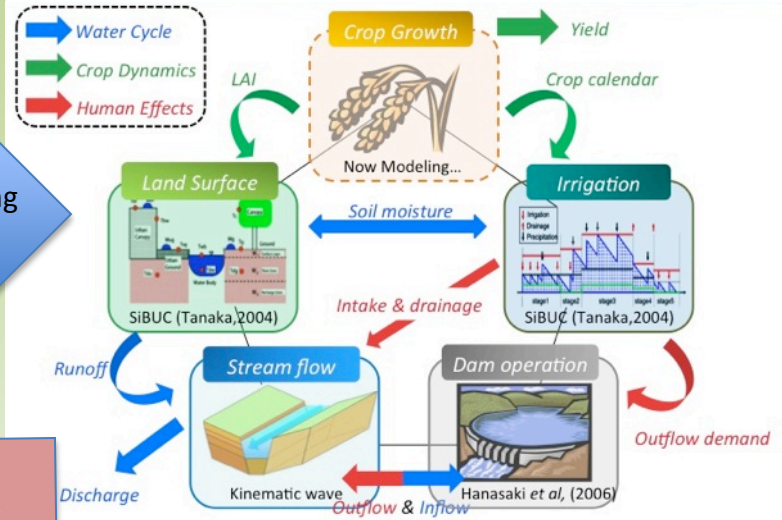


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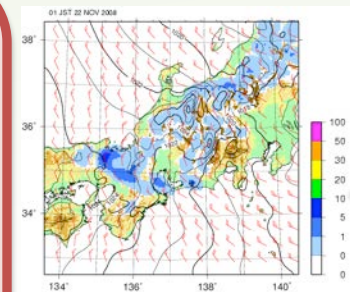
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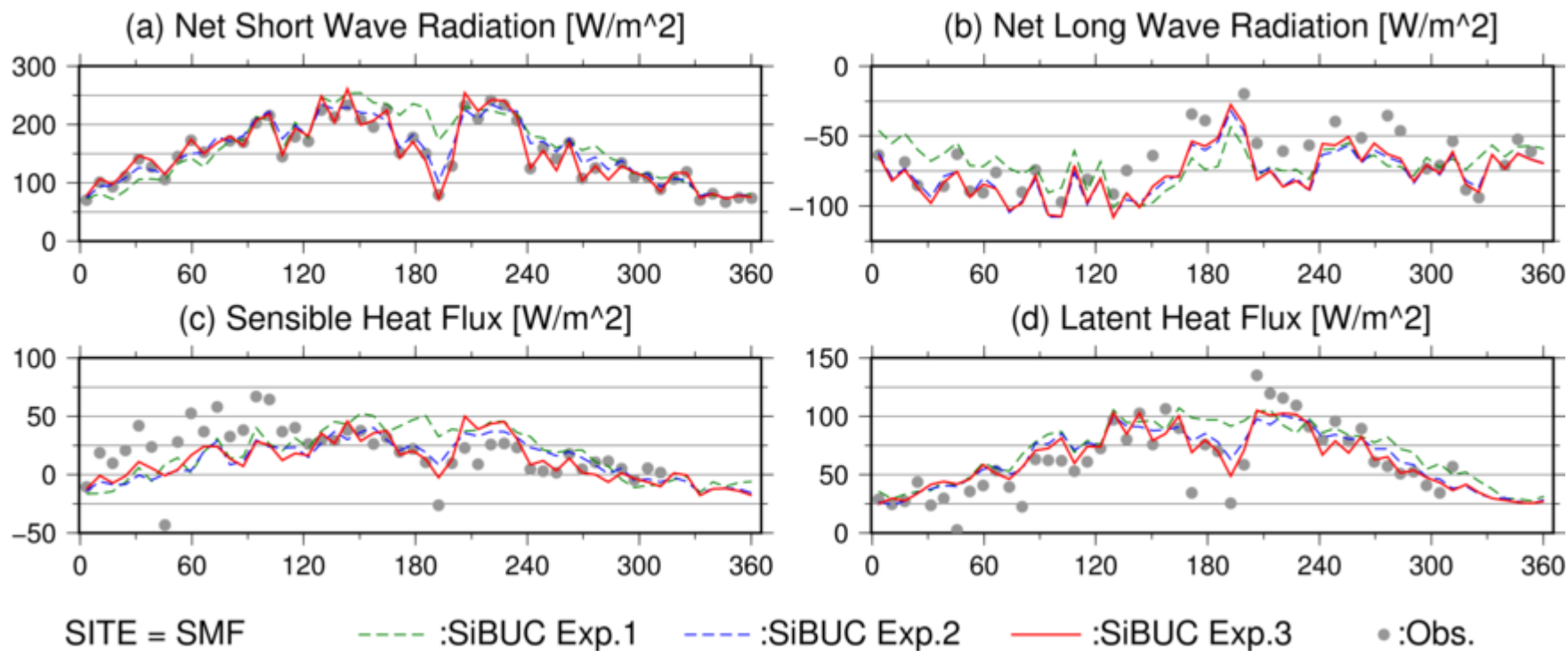
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# Effect of EXAM (Shortwave Radiation forcing)



Kotsuki et al (2015): HRL

-----: Exp.1 GPV/MSM, -----: Exp.2 JRA55, ---: Exp.3 JRA55+EXAM

# Effect of EXAM (with in-situ JapanFlux observations)

Represented by correlation coefficient [R] &

Root Mean Square Error [RMSE]

Kotsuki et al (2015): HRL

Sites / Function		Experiment 1				Experiment 2				Experiment 3			
		SWn	LWn	SHF	LHF	SWn	LWn	SHF	LHF	SWn	LWn	SHF	LHF
FHK	R	—		0.413	0.790	—		0.478	0.779	—		0.689	0.767
	RMSE	—		39.4	37.9	—		32.3	27.1	—		28.0	24.5
SMF	R	0.720	0.483	0.233	0.528	0.899	0.837	0.434	0.653	0.953	0.879	0.566	0.699
	RMSE	52.9	28.6	36.6	42.3	32.9	21.6	31.7	37.2	22.8	19.5	29.4	34.7
TKC	R	0.740	0.386	—		0.833	0.724	—		0.922	0.783	—	
	RMSE	58.0	35.0	—		46.2	23.9	—		33.9	21.0	—	
TKY	R	0.676	0.396	0.486	0.762	0.856	0.726	0.532	0.828	0.945	0.781	0.663	0.893
	RMSE	65.0	40.6	30.5	36.9	46.5	30.6	27.2	25.8	28.4	28.4	23.2	22.7

SWn: Net-SW Radiation, LWn: Net-LW Radiation, SHF: Sensible Heat Flux, LHF: Latent Heat Flux

Best

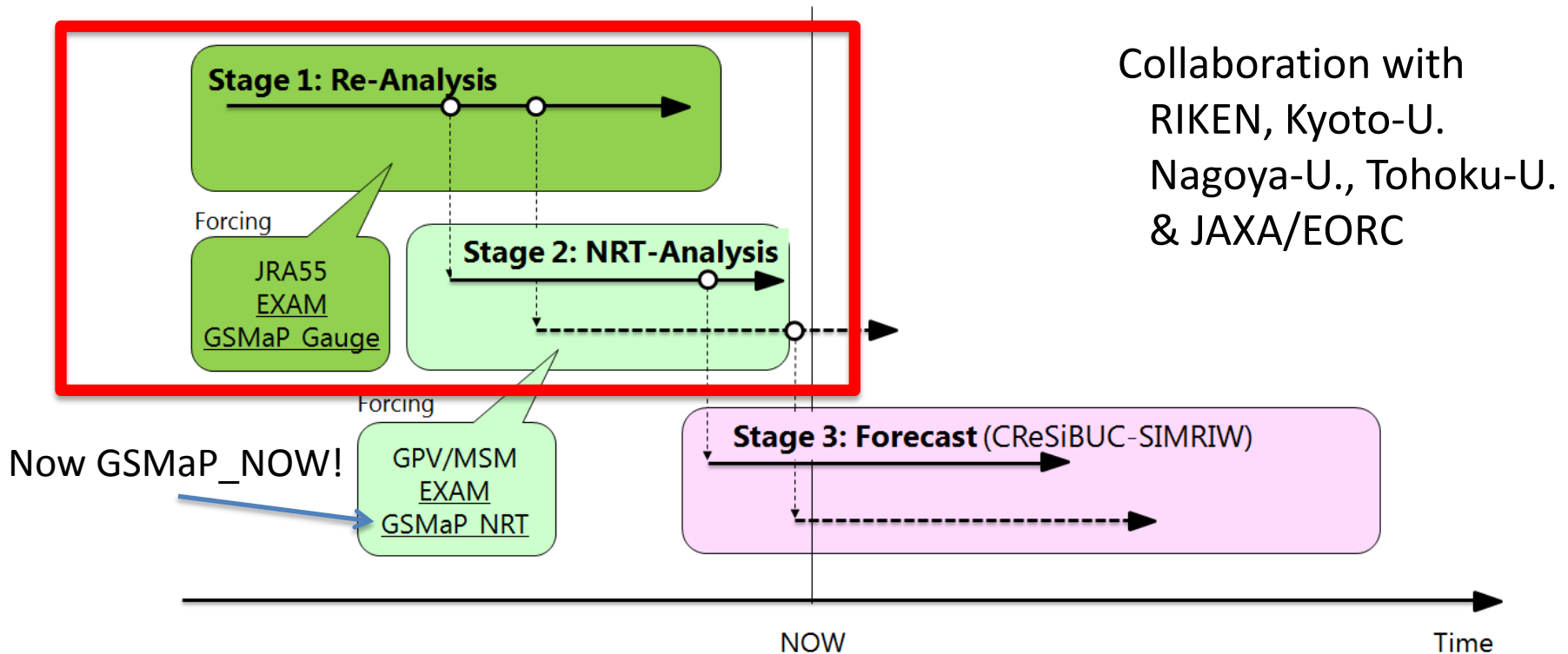
Worst

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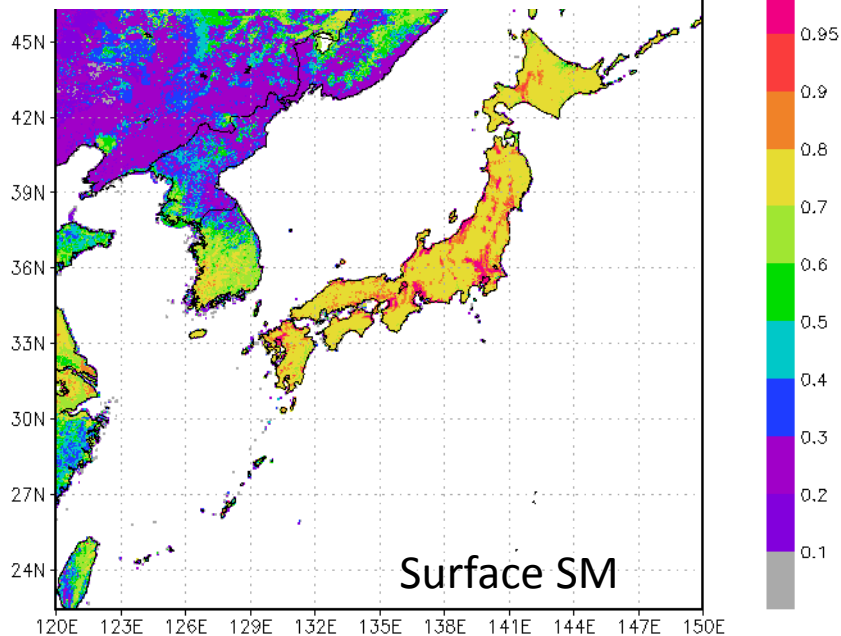
# Real-time Land Surface Monitoring @ Chiba-U.

- **Re-Analysis (few-days delay)**
  - EXAM, JRA55, GSMaP/Gauge
- **Near Real-Time (NRT) Analysis (few hours delay)**
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- **Forecast**
  - Numerical forecast with an atmospheric model



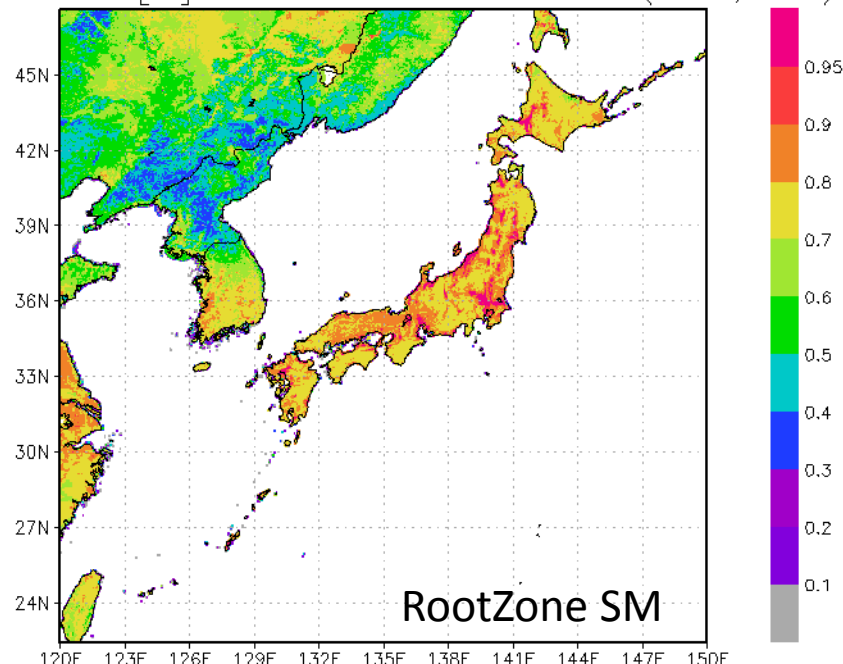
By Prof. Kenji Tanaka, DPRI KU

6 (~1hr, UTC)



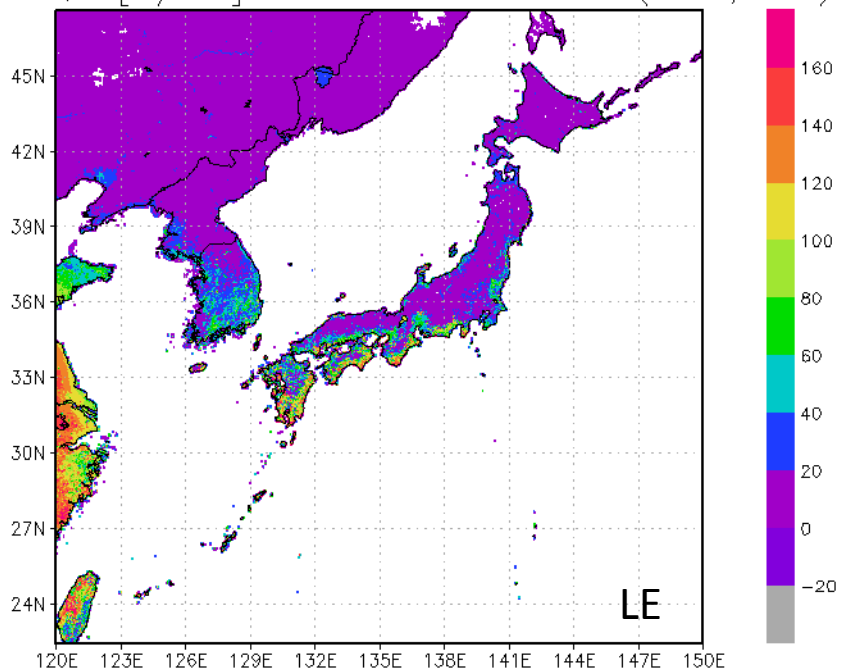
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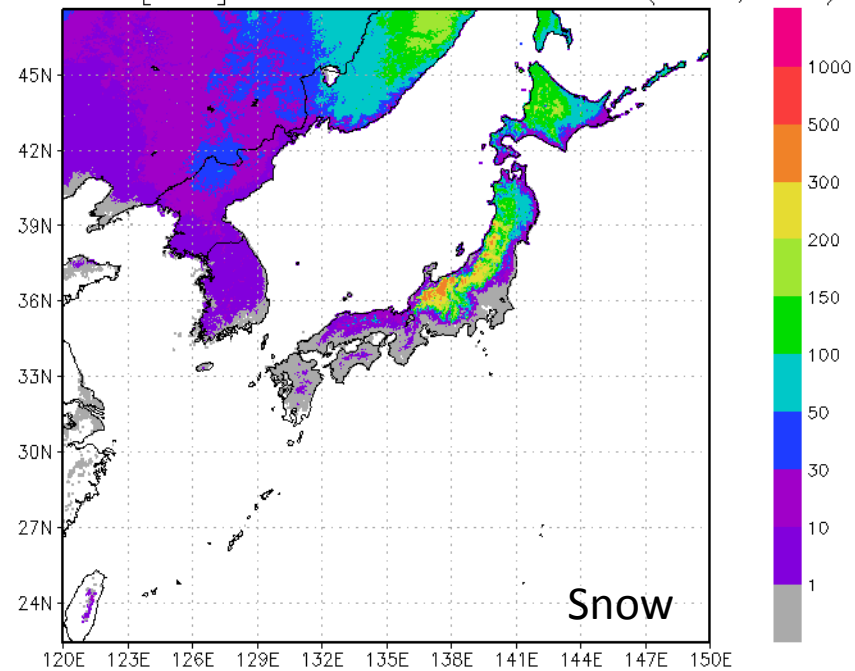
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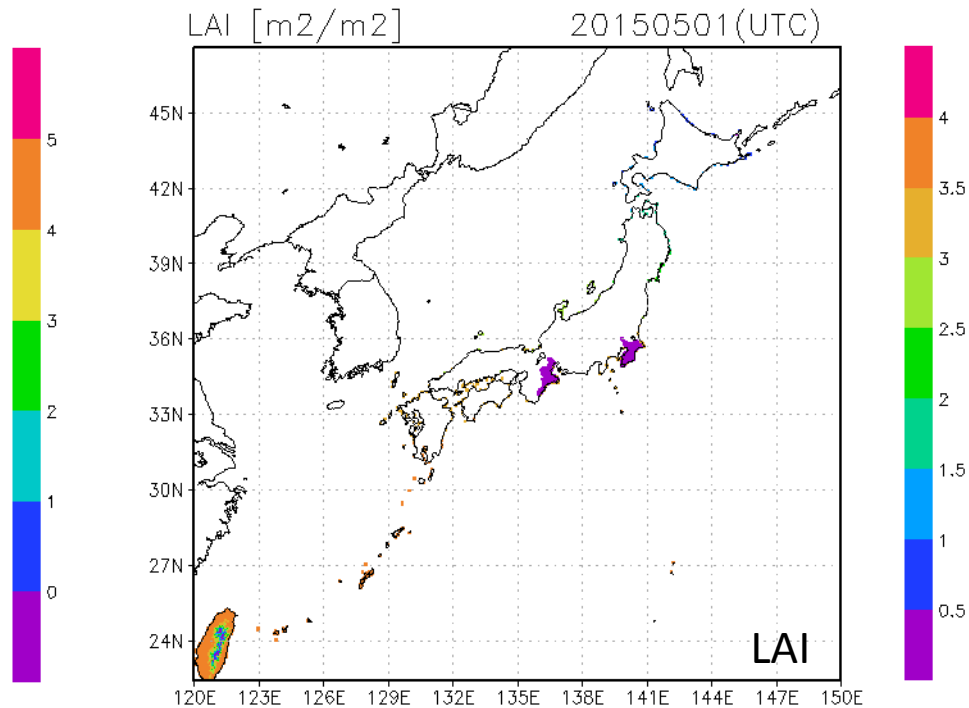
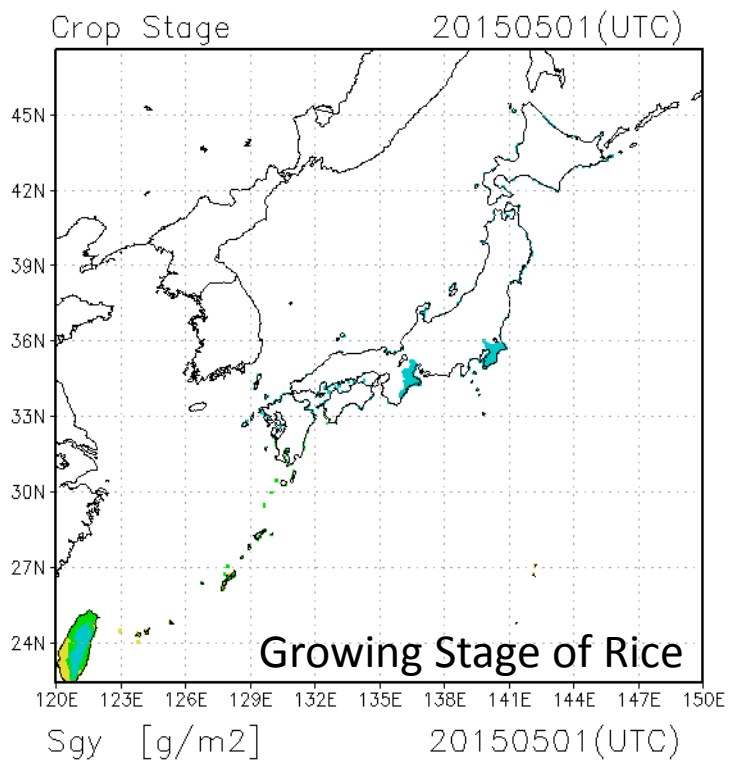
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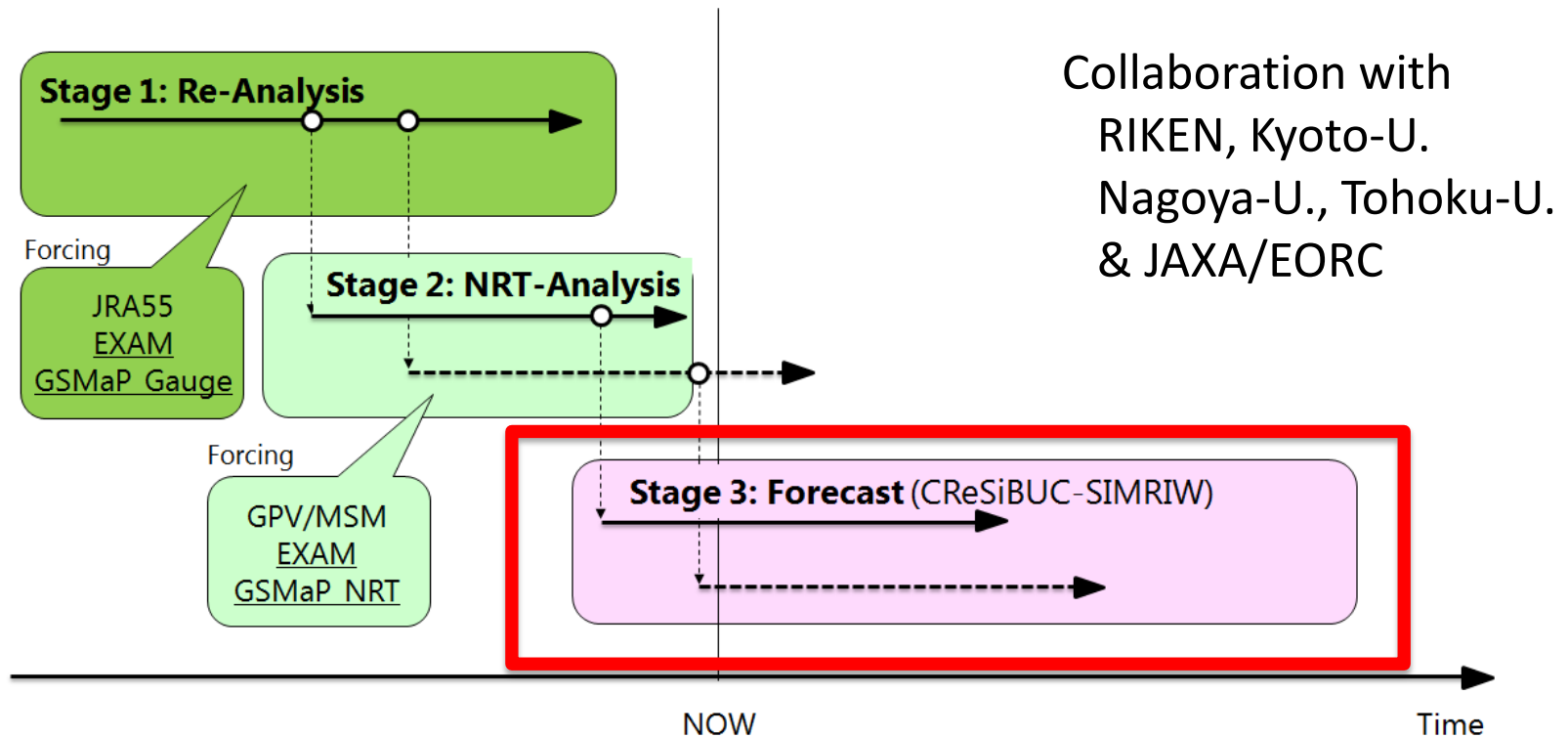


AGB of Rice  
(yield)

EXAM + GSMaP drive  
SIBUC+SIMRIW

# Forecast (CReSiBUC-SIMRIW @ ISEE Nagoya-U.)

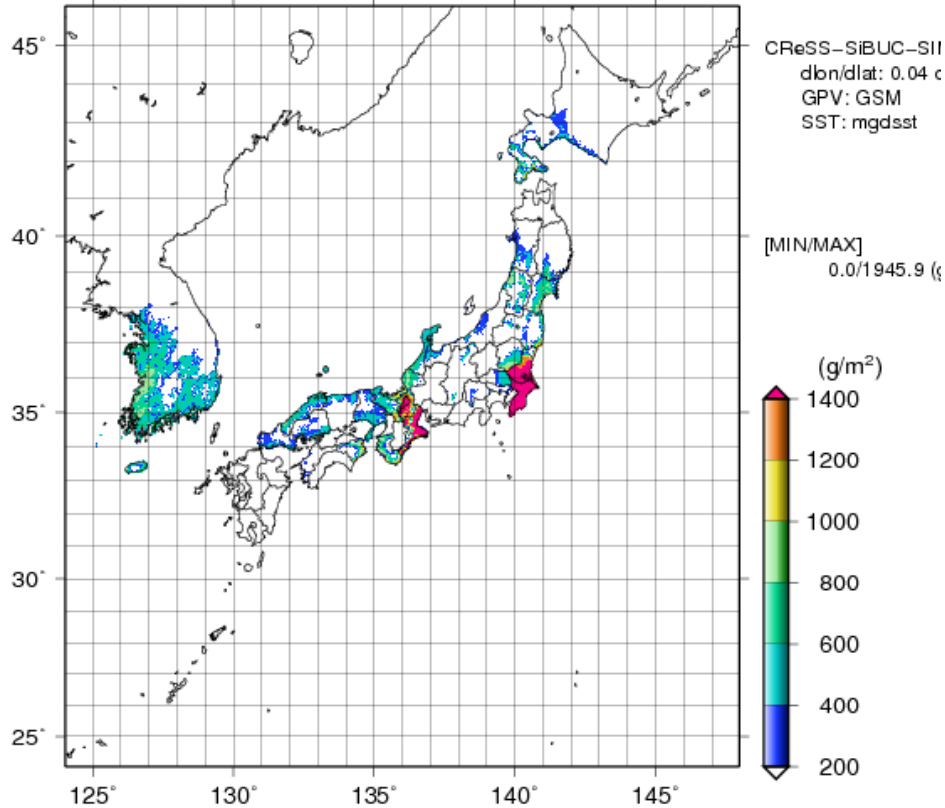
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# Forecast examples : Estimated yield of rice

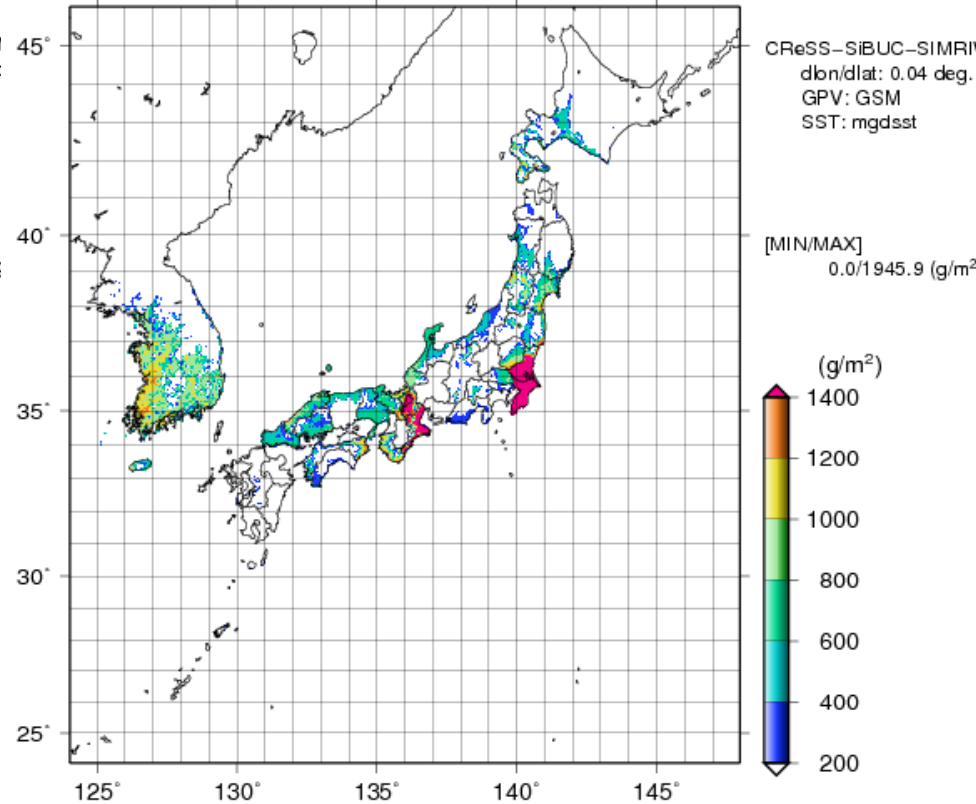
## 1day forecast

CROP YIELDS  
03 JST 08 SEP 2015



## 7days forecast

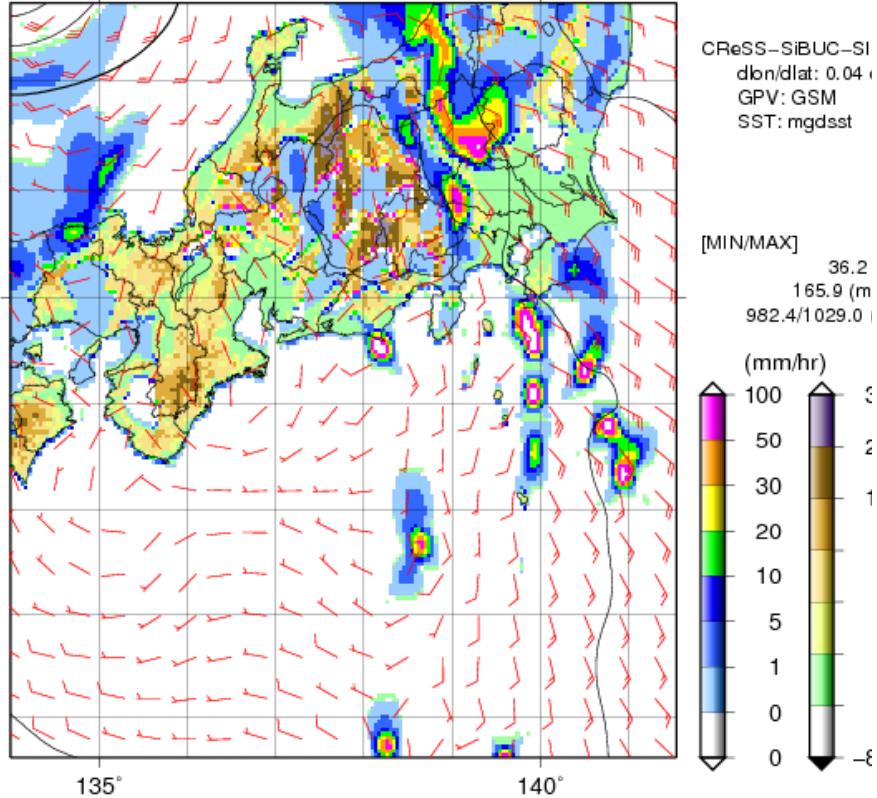
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# Improved surface process can improve rainfall? (鬼怒川豪雨事例)

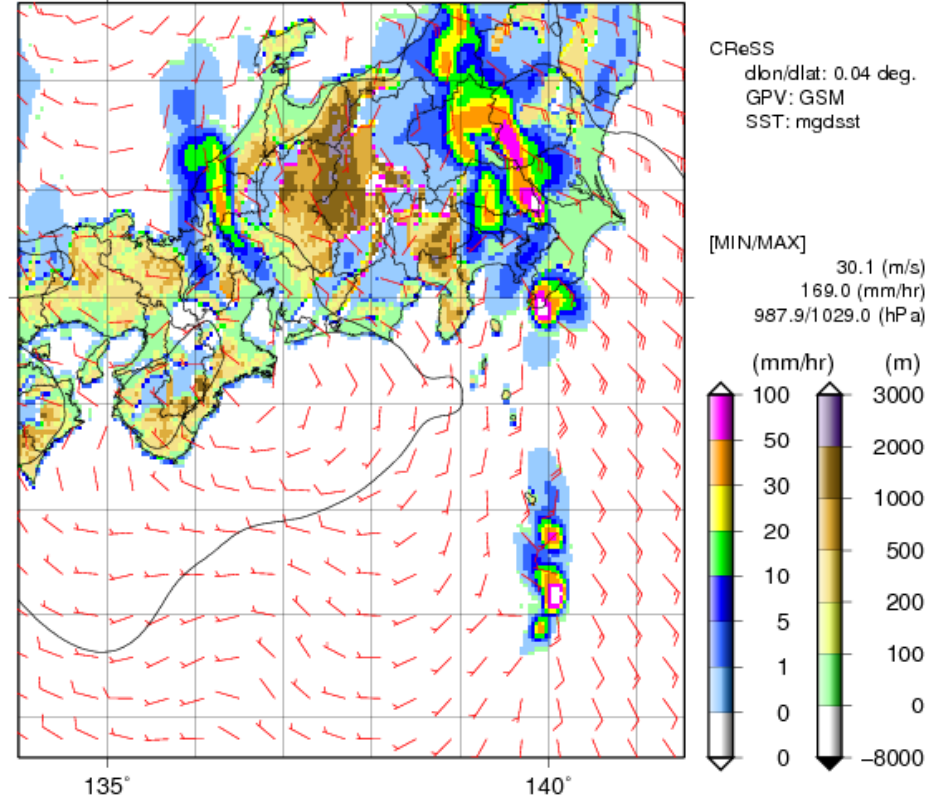
## CResiBUC-SIMRIW

SEA LEVEL PRESSURE, SURFACE WIND, AND RAINFALL(R+G+S)  
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## CReSS

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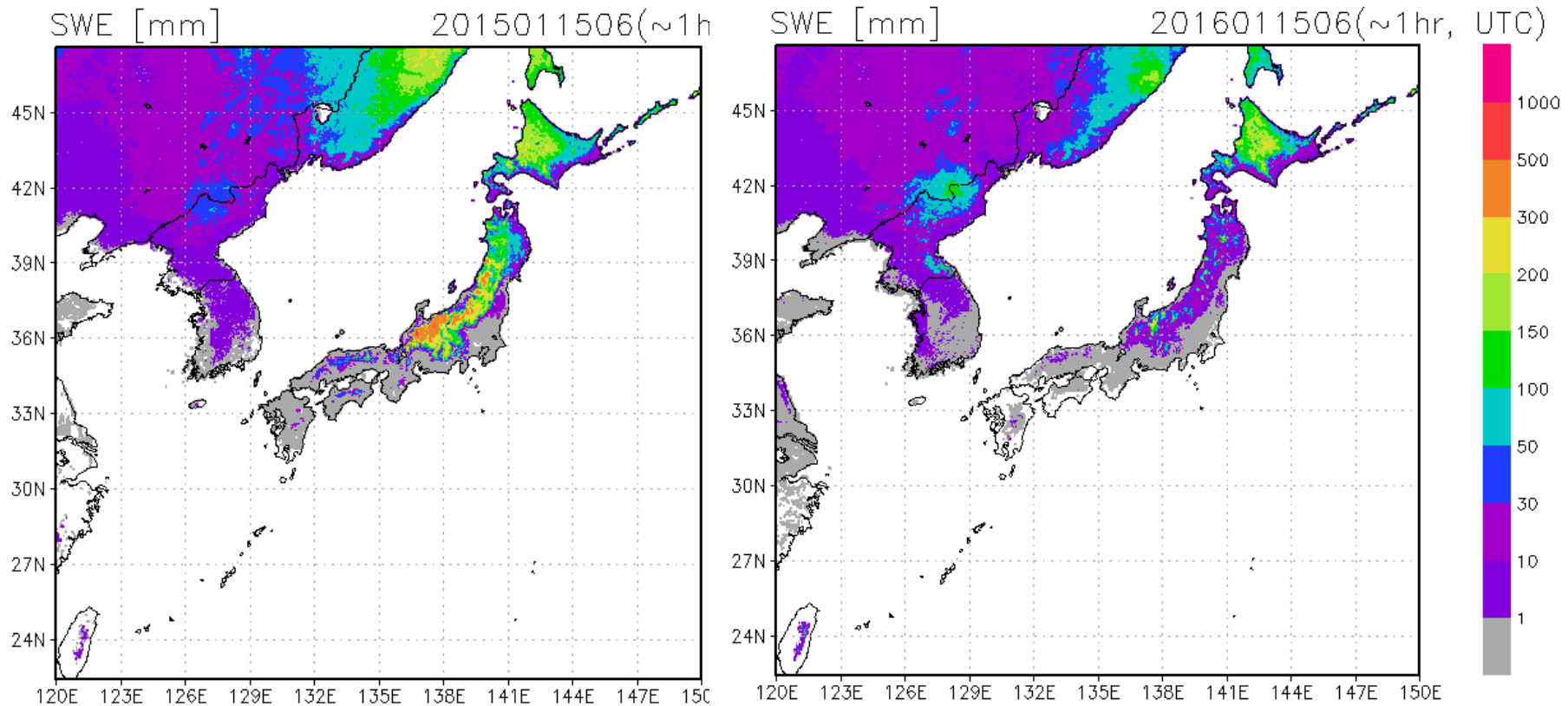


- No significant difference, but changed
- It seems better in CReSS only ...

# Climate change representation Snow Water Equivalent (Snow Depth)

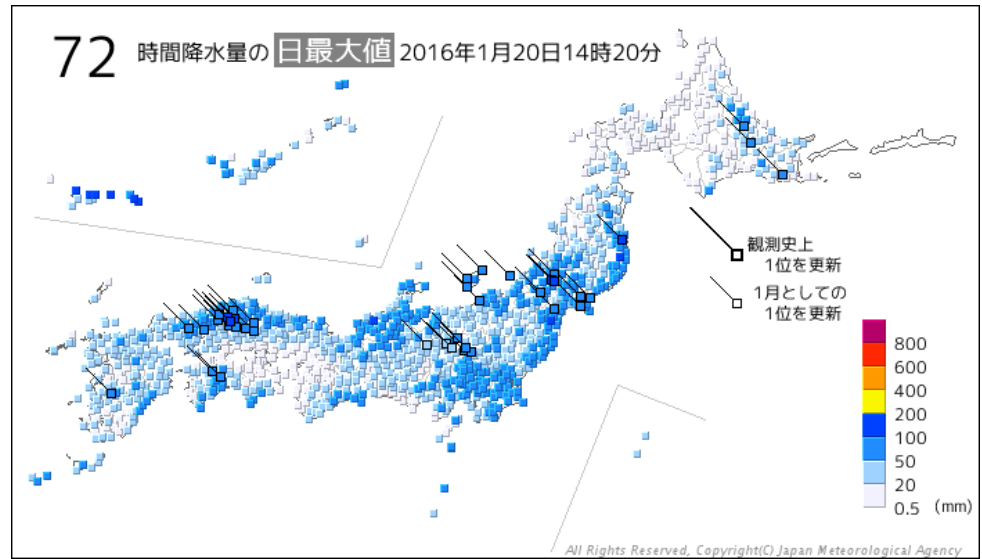
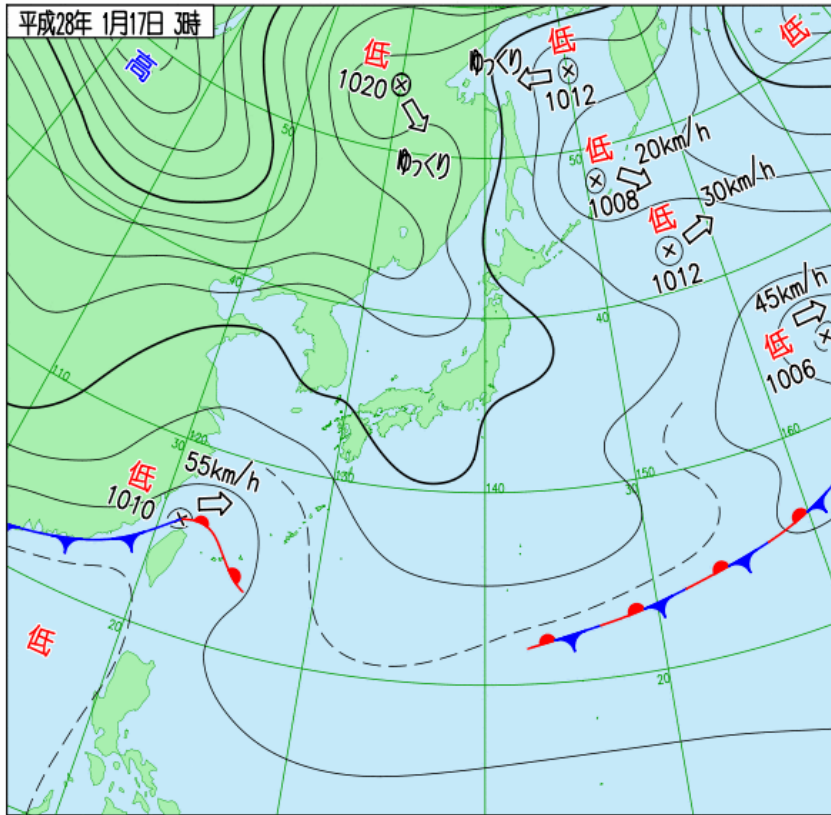
2015/Jan/15 (Normal Winter)

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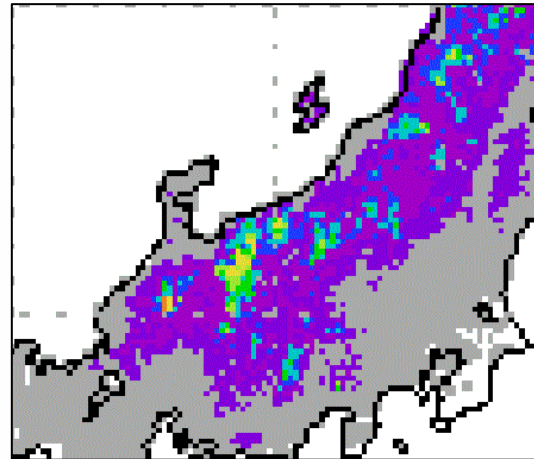


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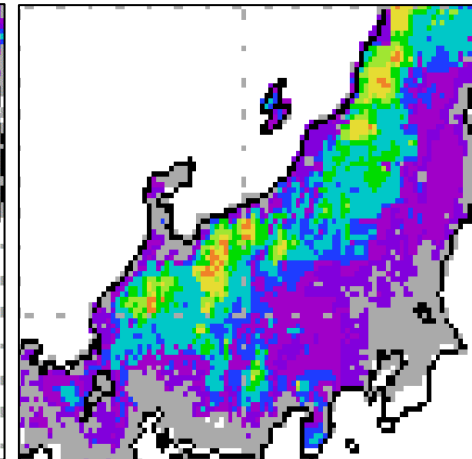
(SWE increase after frontal-low passed)



2016/Jan/17



2016/Jan/20

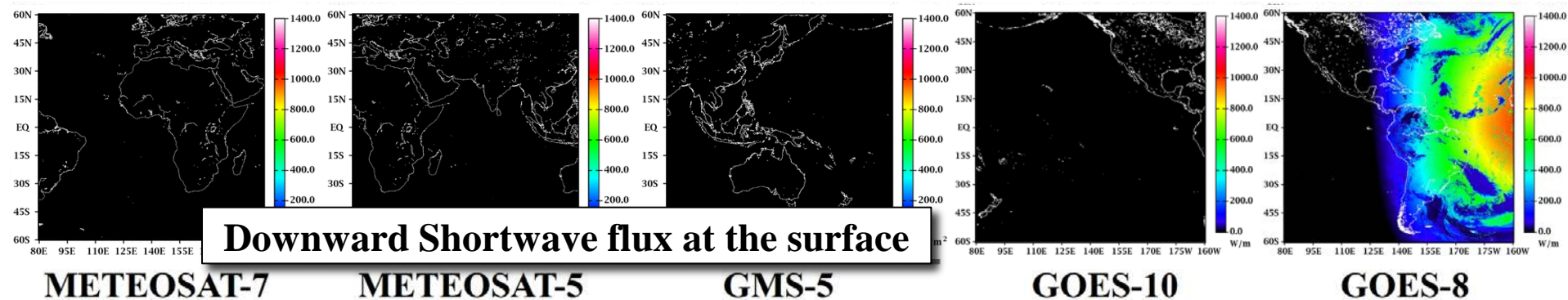
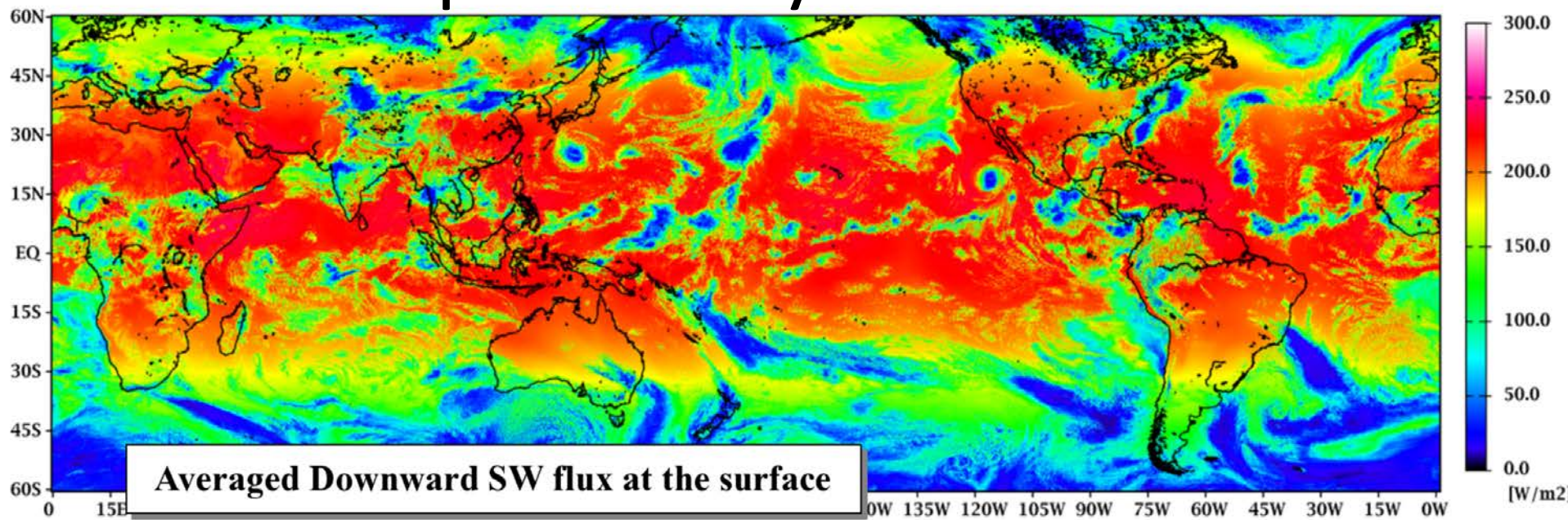




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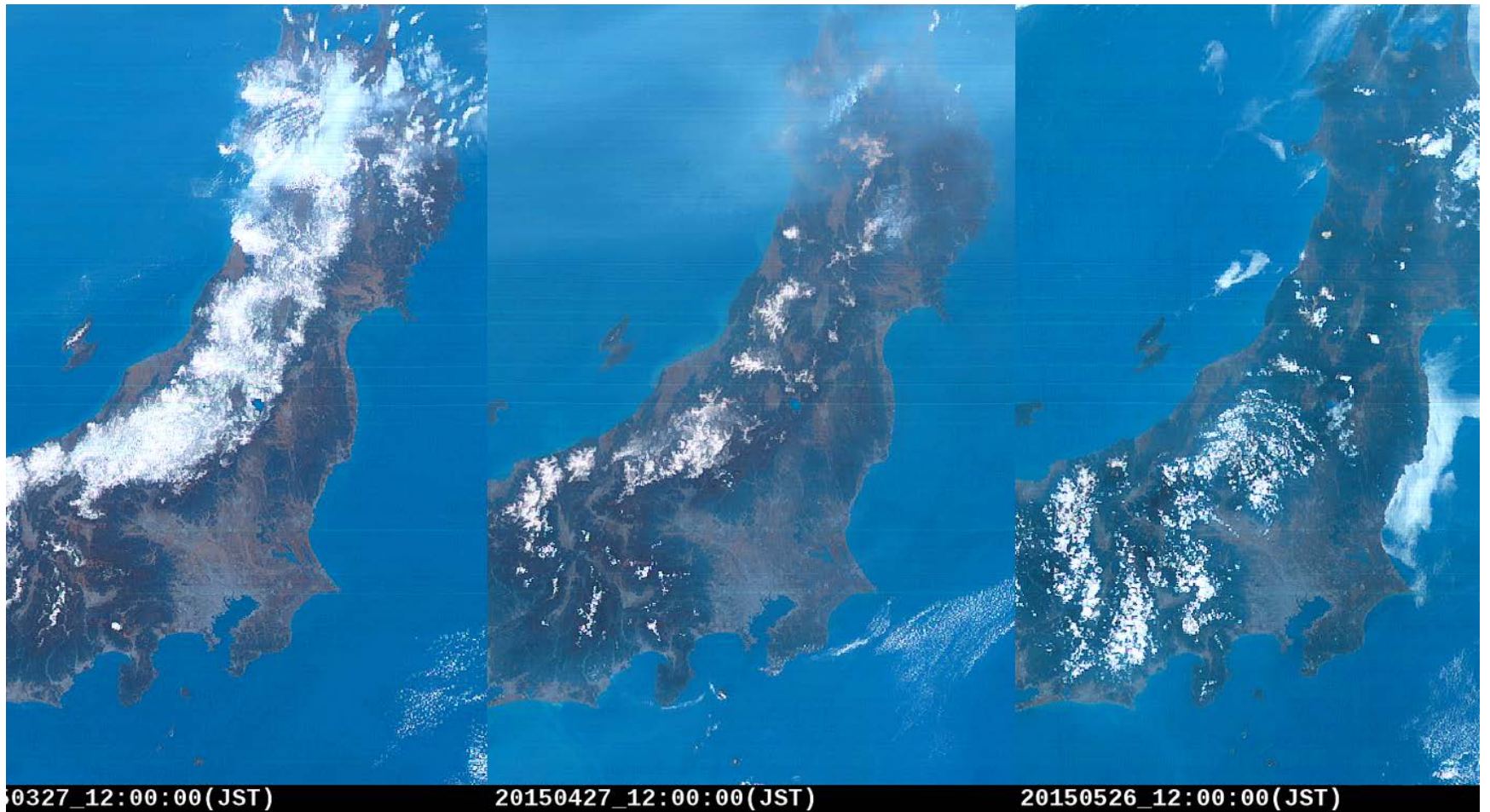
- FD Package:
  - We developed ‘seamless’ package: By utilize H-8 derived products (forcing: Solar radiation [EXAM], precipitation [GSMaP]), Re-analysis (few days delay), Near-RT (few hours delay) and forecast system with SiBUC-SIMRIW and CReSiBC-SIMRIW.
  - Now we try to validate our package outputs by several satellite sensors retrieved outputs.
- Future Perspectives:
  - Expansion to “globe”: Use five GEO satellites, EXAM outputs will use for global scale. In addition, major crops yield estimation is next our target under collaboration with NARO crop modeling team.
  - More dynamic use of 3<sup>rd</sup> GEO: A kind of assimilation can improve monitor crop-stage adjustment by dynamic use of H-8 type GEO (3<sup>rd</sup> Generation GEO).

# Proto-type EXAM global merged product by five-GEOs

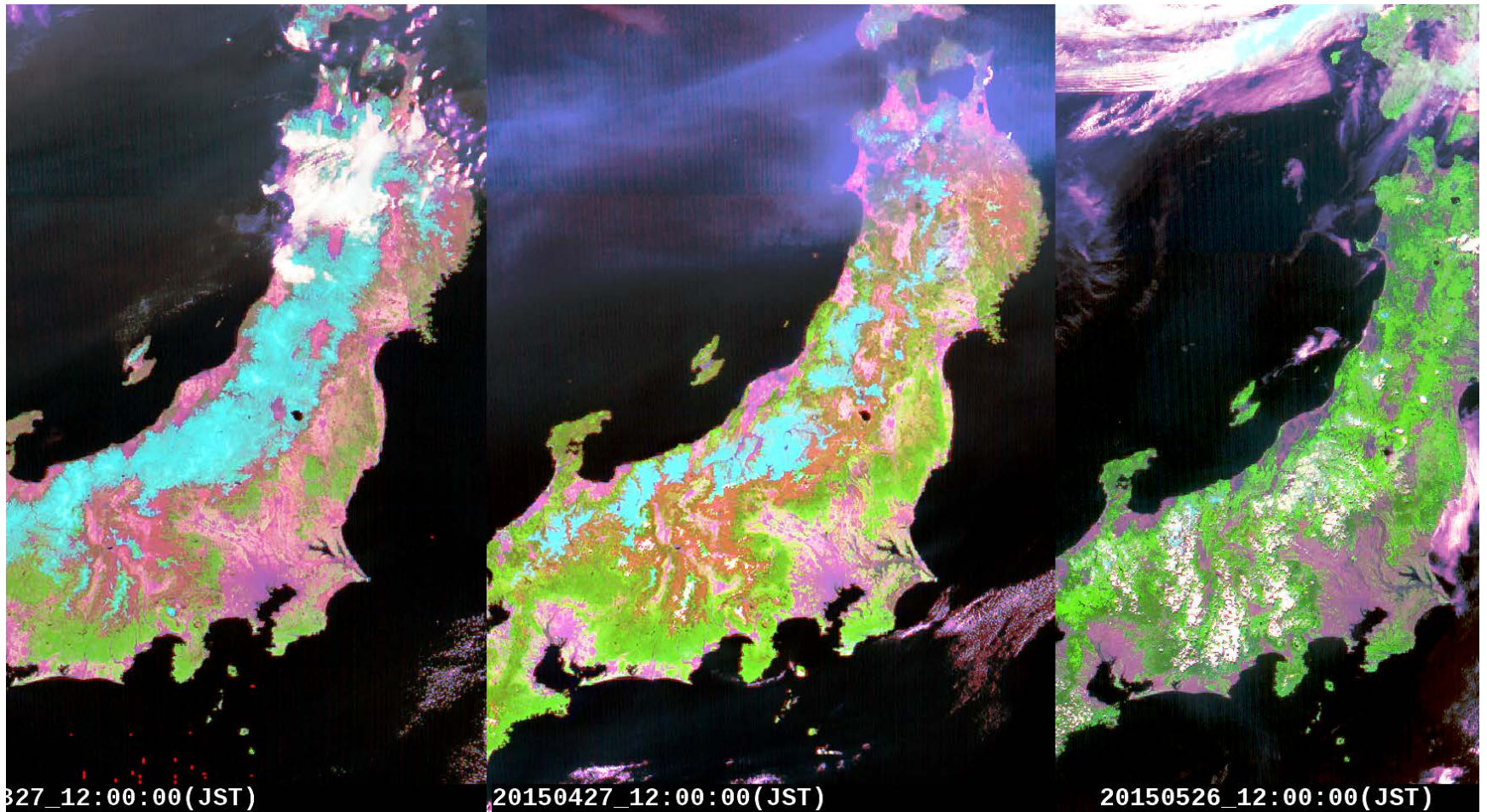


✓ (Upper) no significant inter-platform difference by merging  
→ Success in inter-calibration of each GEO's radiometer

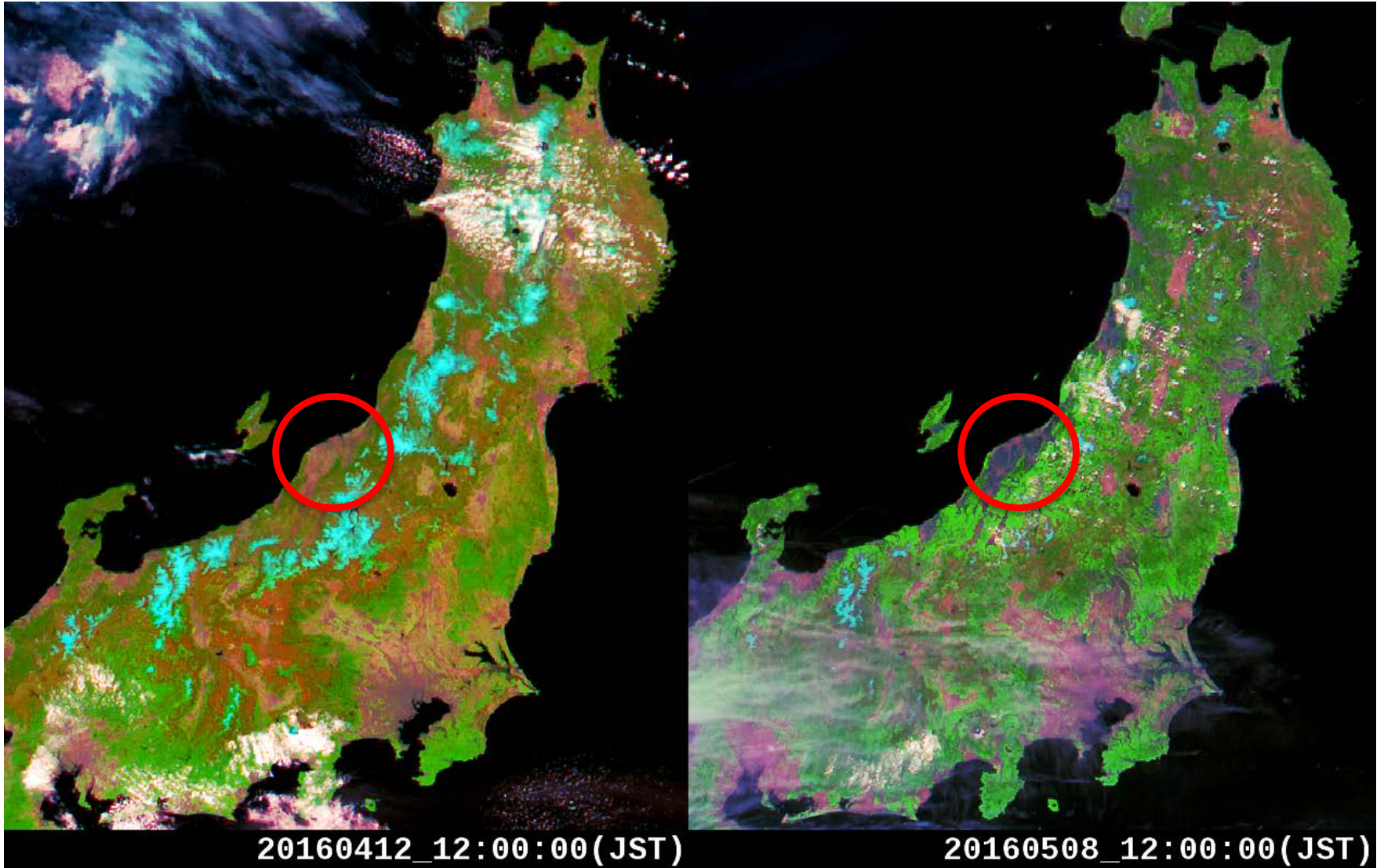
# Natural Color RGB (R:R, G:G, B:B)



# RGB composition change (R:R, G:NIR, B:1micron) by H-8



# East-Japan (start to irrigation in May)



# West-Japan (Winter Wheat – Rice)

