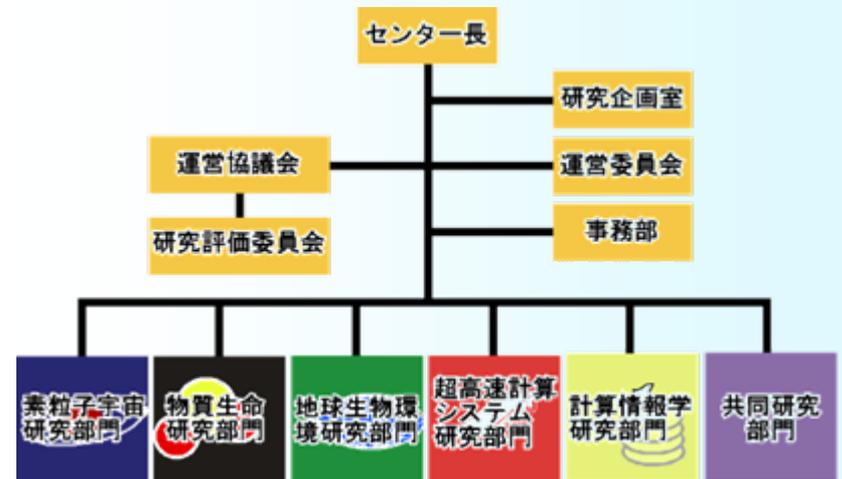


Overview of the Center for Computational Sciences  
Summary of Activities for 2004-2007

# *Division of Global Environment and Biological Sciences*

Global Environmental Science Group  
Hiroshi L. Tanaka  
(Group Leader)



# Group Member

- Hiroshi L. Tanaka, Prof. CCS Staff (Since 2004)
- Hiroyuki Kusaka, Asst. Prof. CCS Staff (Since 2006)
- Fujio Kimura, Adjunct Prof. Geoenvironmental Sci.
- Akio Kitoh, Affiliated Prof. MRI/JMA

Graduate Student:

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**Tanaka**



**Kusaka**



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気象・地球環境研究

気象・地球環境部門では地球温暖化やオゾンホールなどの地球環境問題や、天気予報、異常気象、台風、竜巻などの研究が行われています。

数値モデルシミュレーション

大気大循環研究

オゾンホール

竜巻

メソ気象学

豪雨

成層圏の雲

大規模気象データベースの構築

天気予報

台風

気温の変動

地球温暖化

## Research activity (H.L. Tanaka)

- General circulation of the atmosphere
- Global warming and Arctic Oscillation
- Global warming and tropical circulation
- Global spectral energetics
- Blocking and abnormal weather
- Dynamics of baroclinic waves

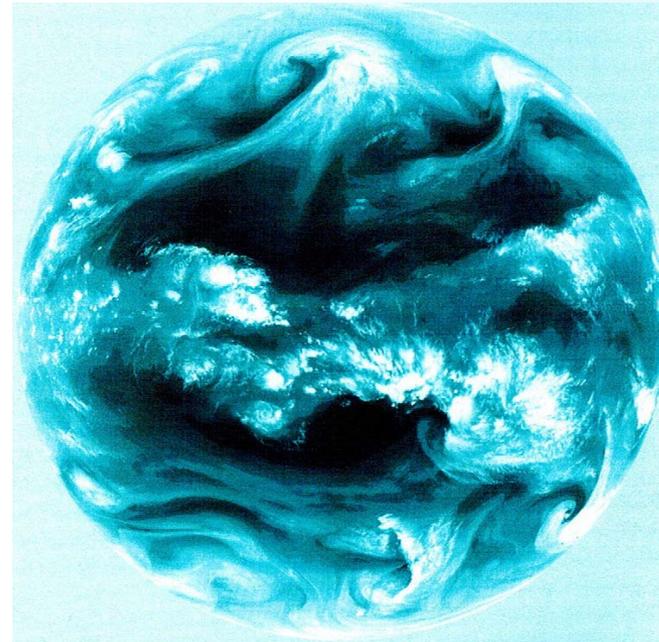
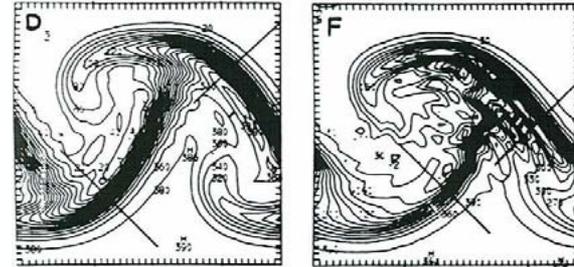
## Research activity (H. Kusaka)

- Regional modeling using WRF3.0
- Urban climate modeling
- Meso-scale precipitation system
- GPS and data assimilation
- Surface heat budget and radiation
- Real-time prediction system



# General Circulation Study

- Data analysis
- Dynamical theories
- Numerical Modeling



# Global warming and Arctic Oscillation

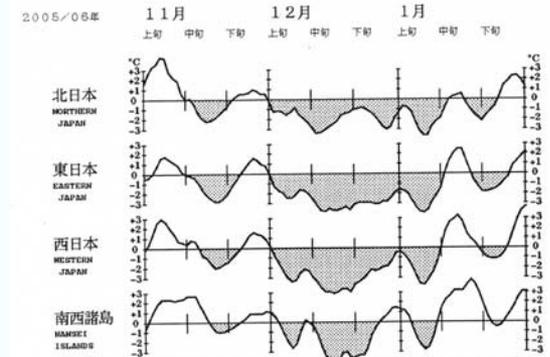
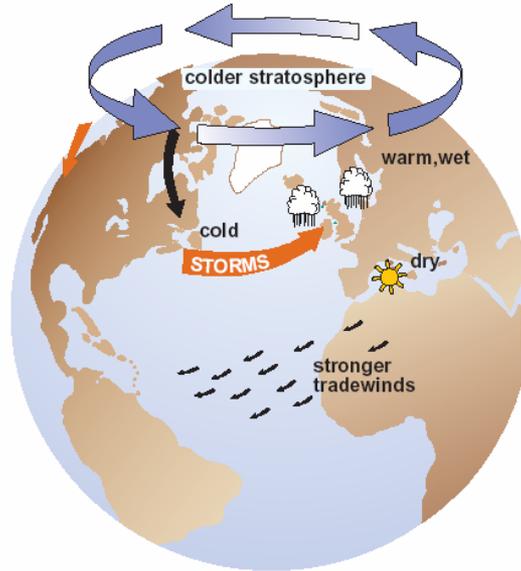
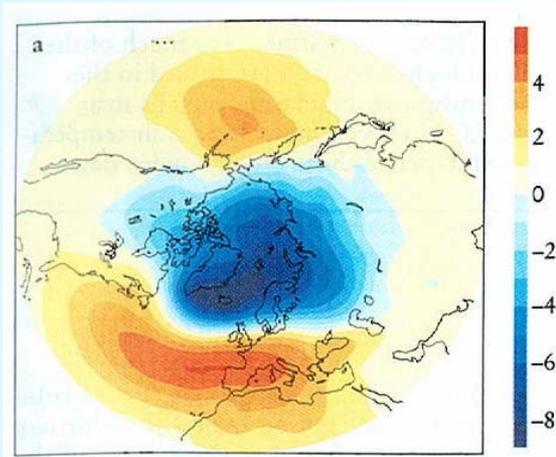
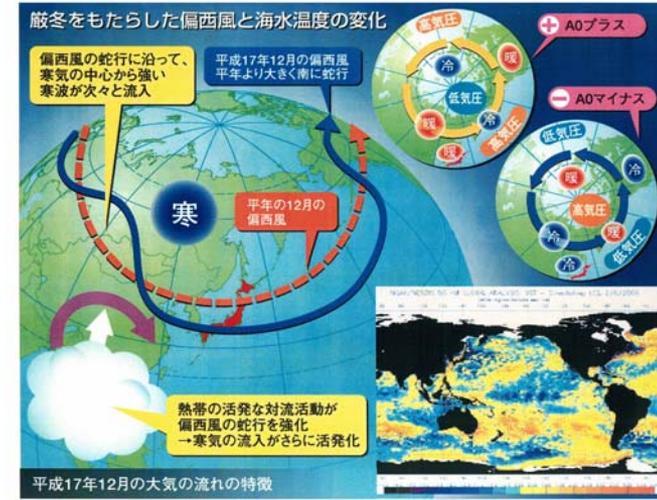


FIG. 1-2 TIME SERIES OF 5-DAY RUNNING MEAN TEMPERATURE ANOMALY FOR SHINDIVISIONS  
 図 1-2 地域平均気温年差の5日移動平均時系列



# Arctic Oscillation

## Singular eigenmode theory

### AO (DJF)

Barotropic Height

Arctic Oscillation (DJF)

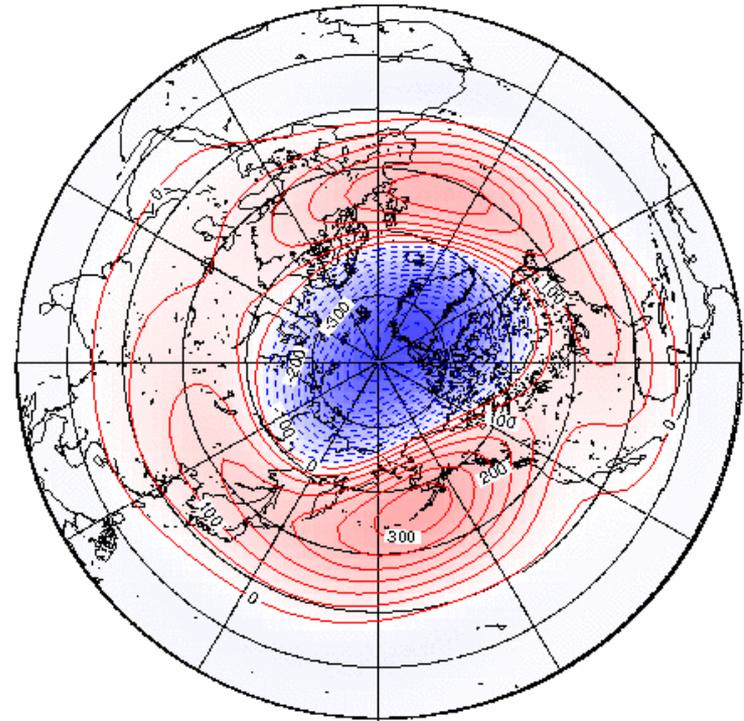
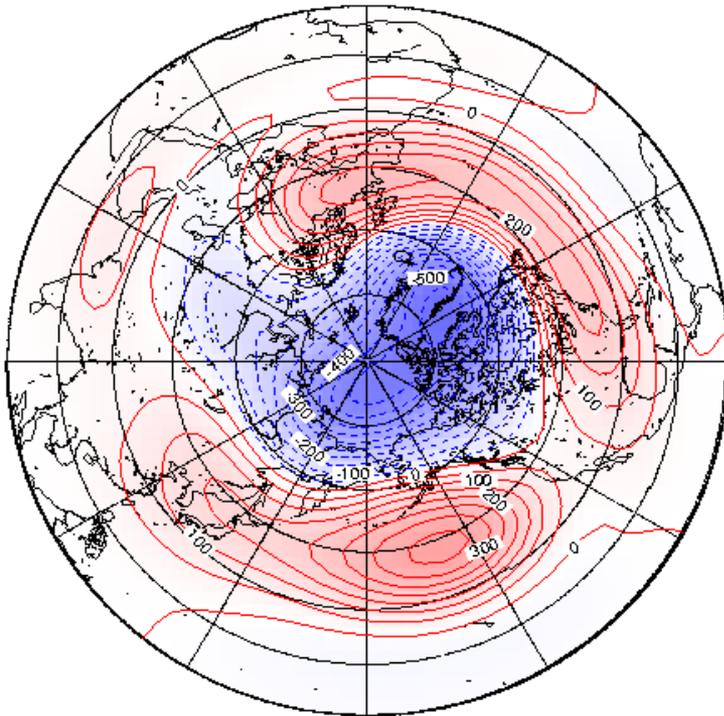
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EVP-1

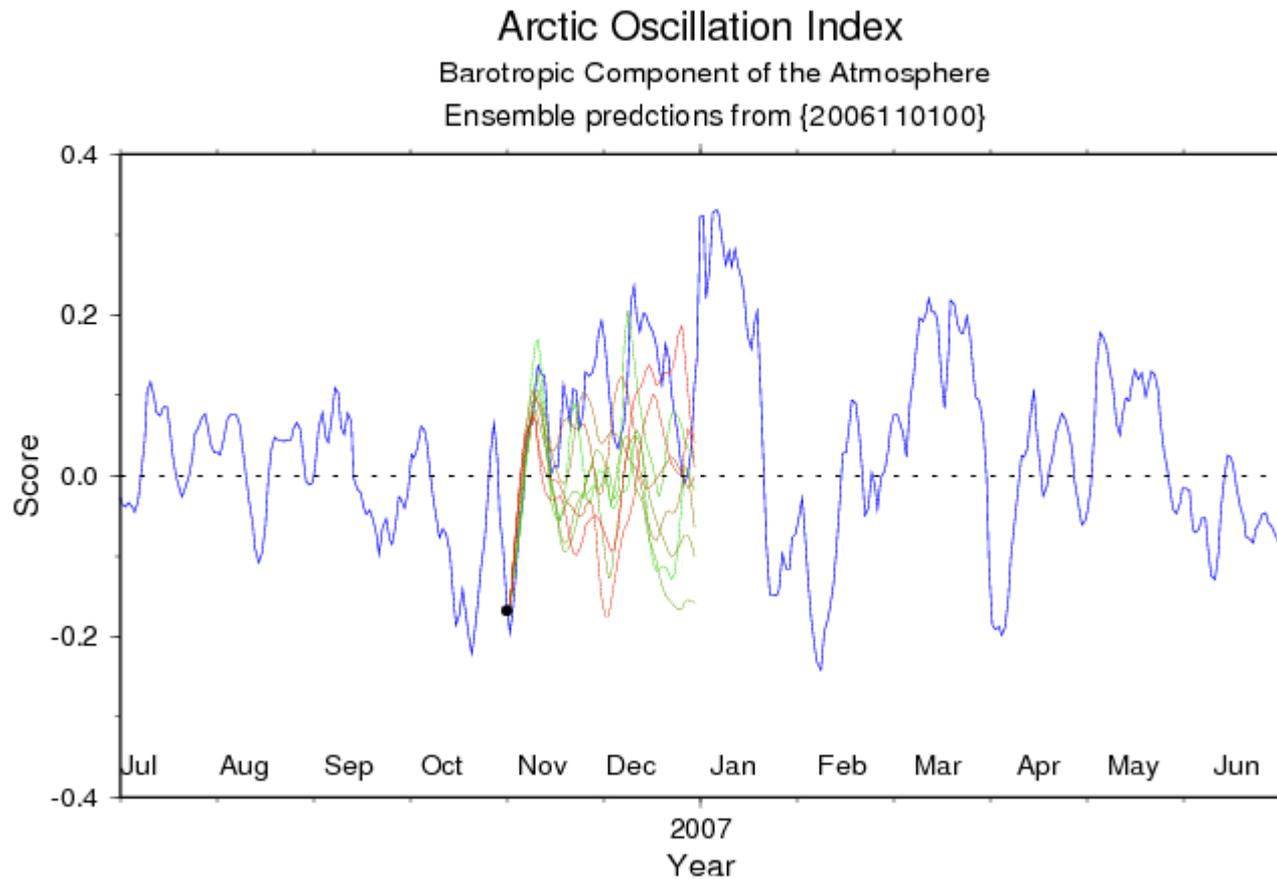
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Barotropic Height

Standing eigenmode EVP-1

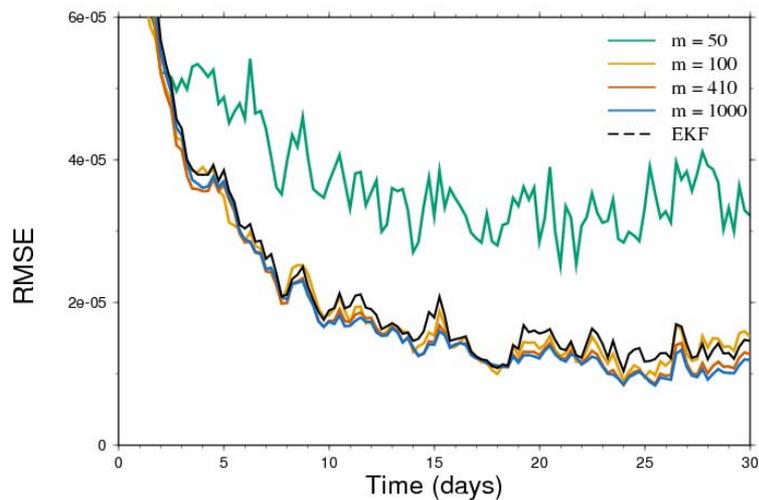


# Predictions of the AO Index





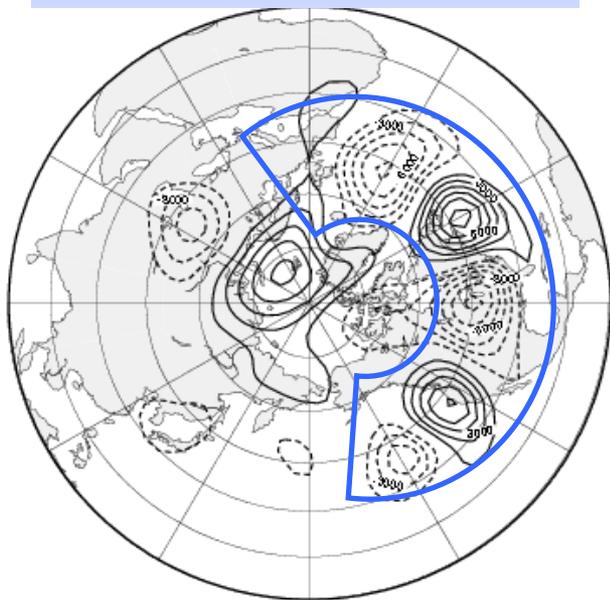
## RMSE for EKF and EnKF



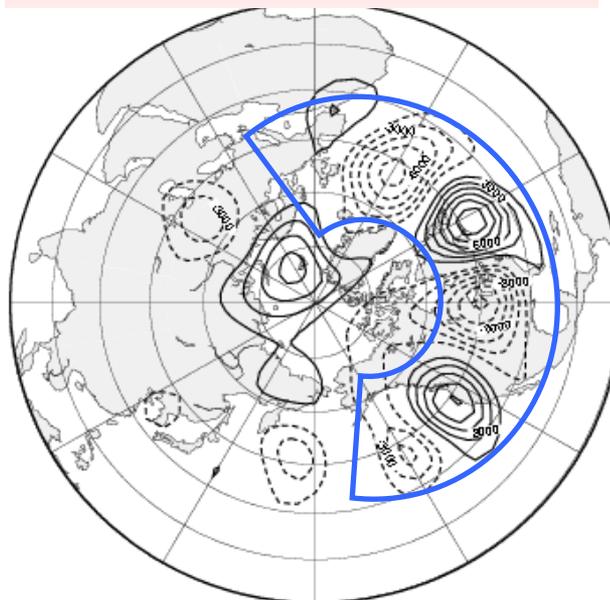
## Data Assimilation Test By Kalman Filter and Ensemble Kalman Filter

Barotropic S-Model  
at University of Taukuba

EnKF (m=1000), 12.6%



EKF (linear model), 8.8%





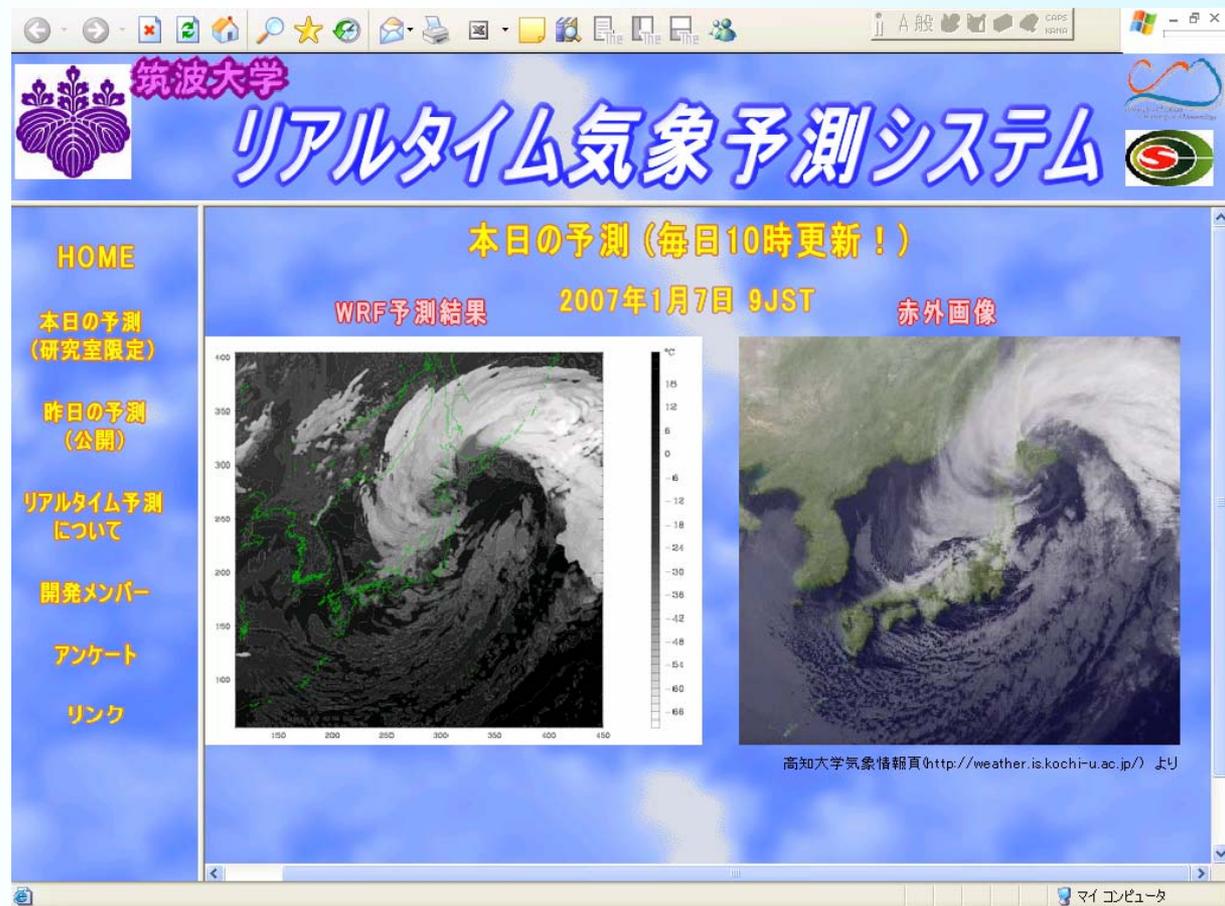
# Collaborations



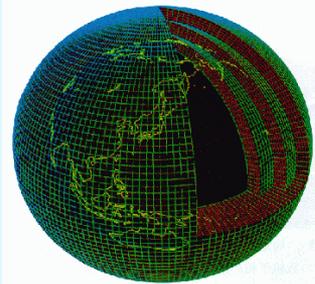
- **JMA**: Thorpex Ensemble prediction technique
- **FRCGC**: Arctic Oscillation studies
- **IARC**: Global change connection to the Arctic
- **MRI**: Data assimilation and Kalman filter
- **CCSR**: NICAM by PACS-CS
- **NIPR**: Arctic process studies
- **Weather News**: Prediction of AO
- **Pukyong National University**: Ice dynamics

# Realtime weather prediction system

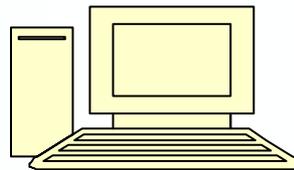
1. WRF-V2.2 with urban model
2. Analysis and assimilation
3. Initial data by the JMA/GPV data



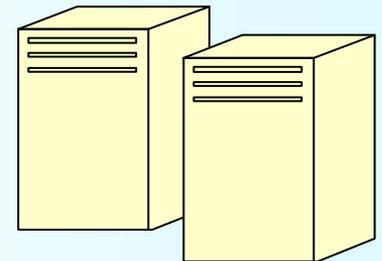
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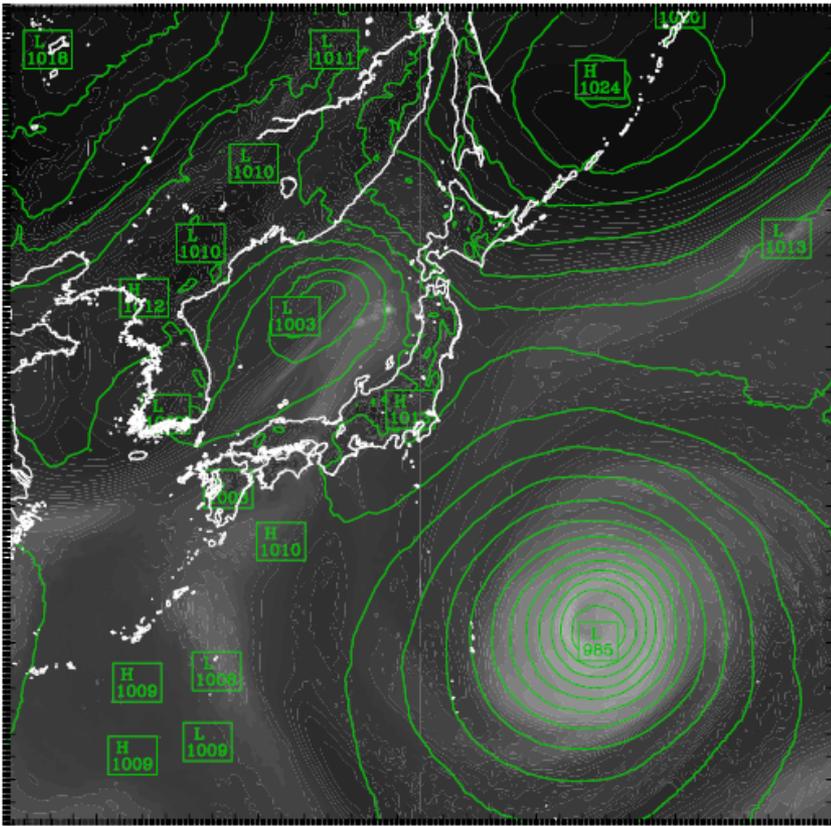


WRF

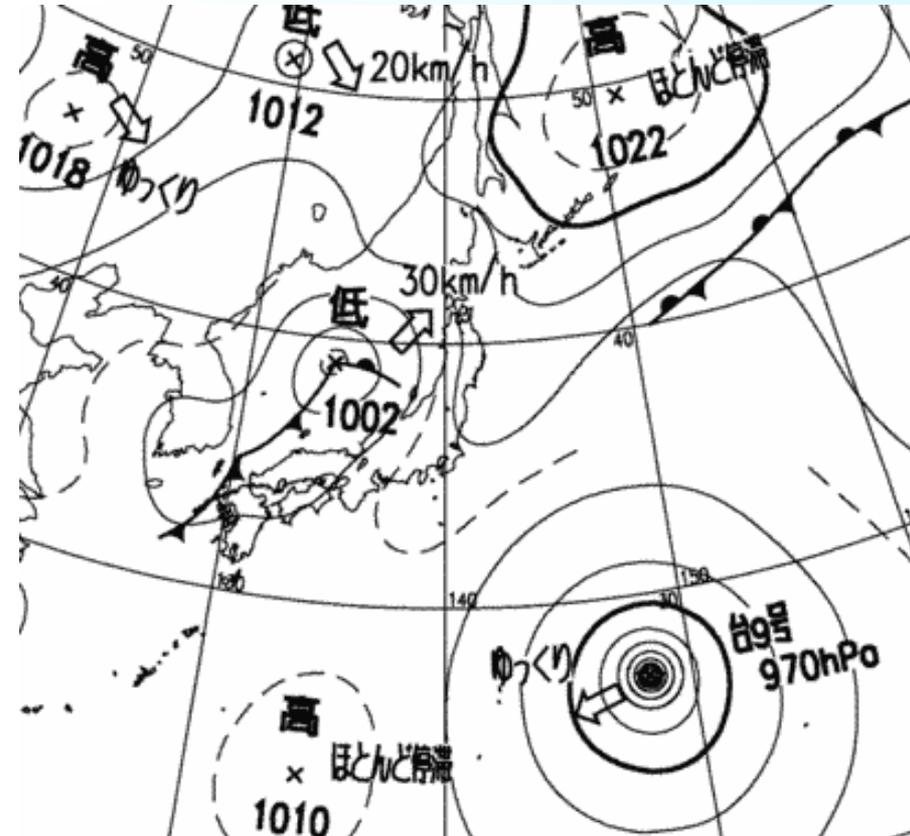


# WRF simulation of Typhoon

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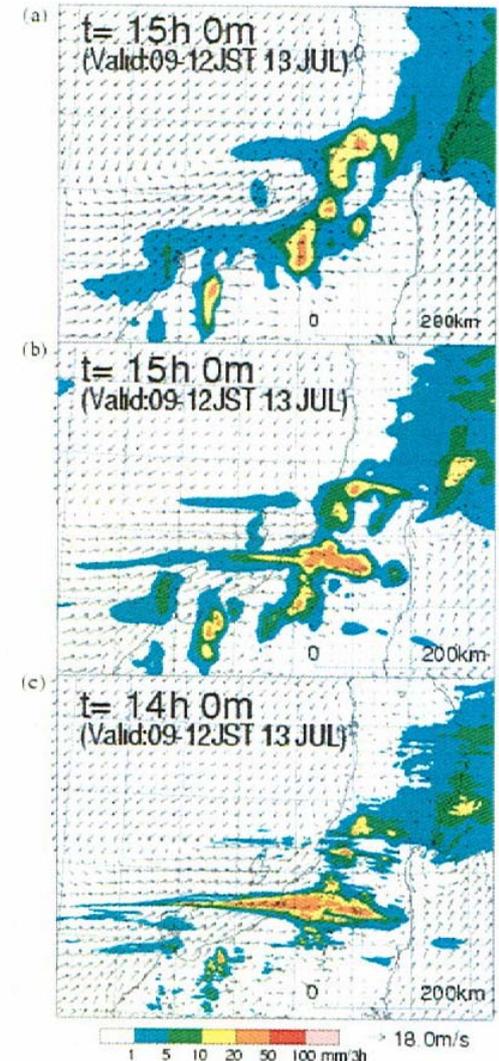
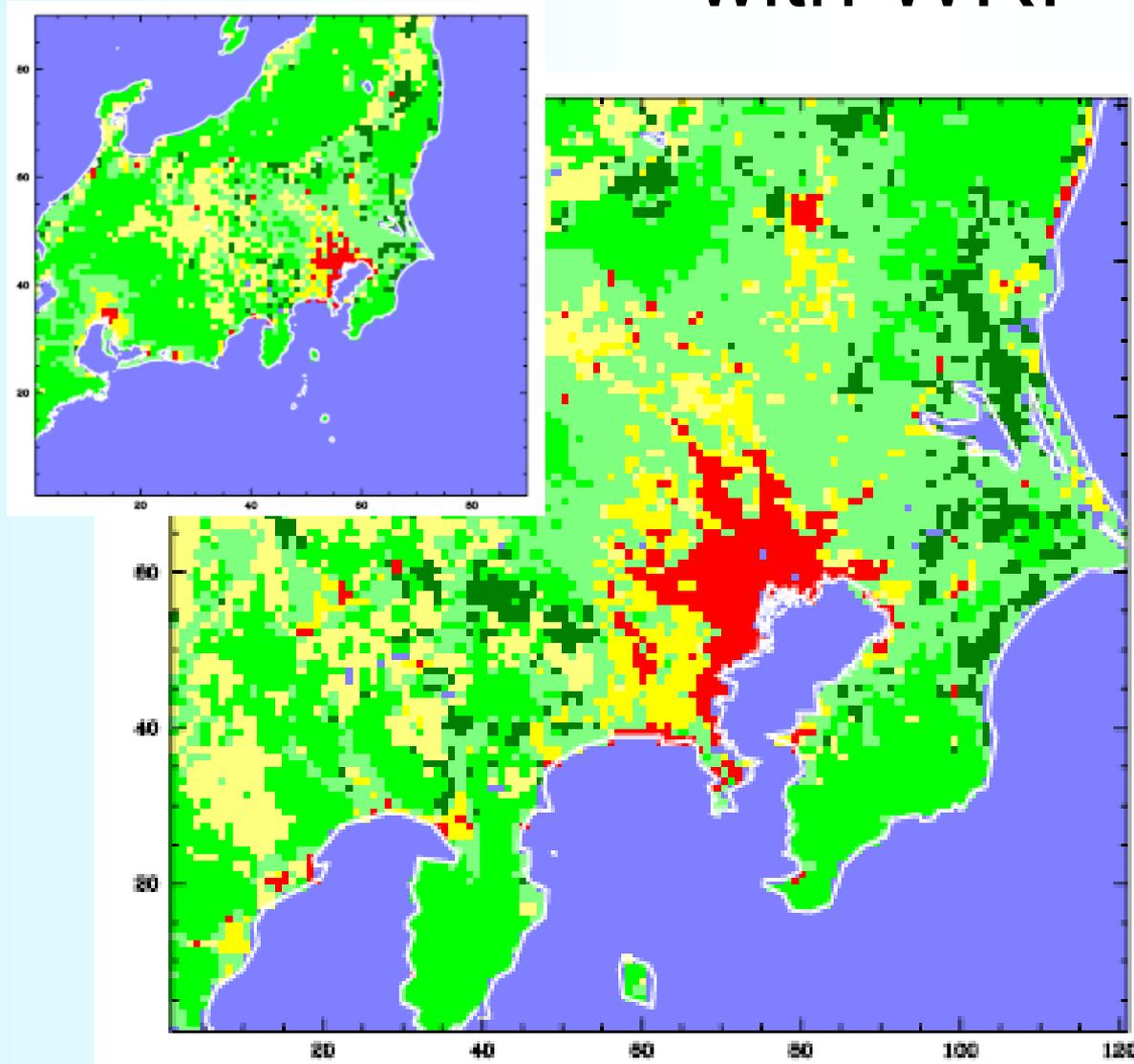


WRF with PACS-CS

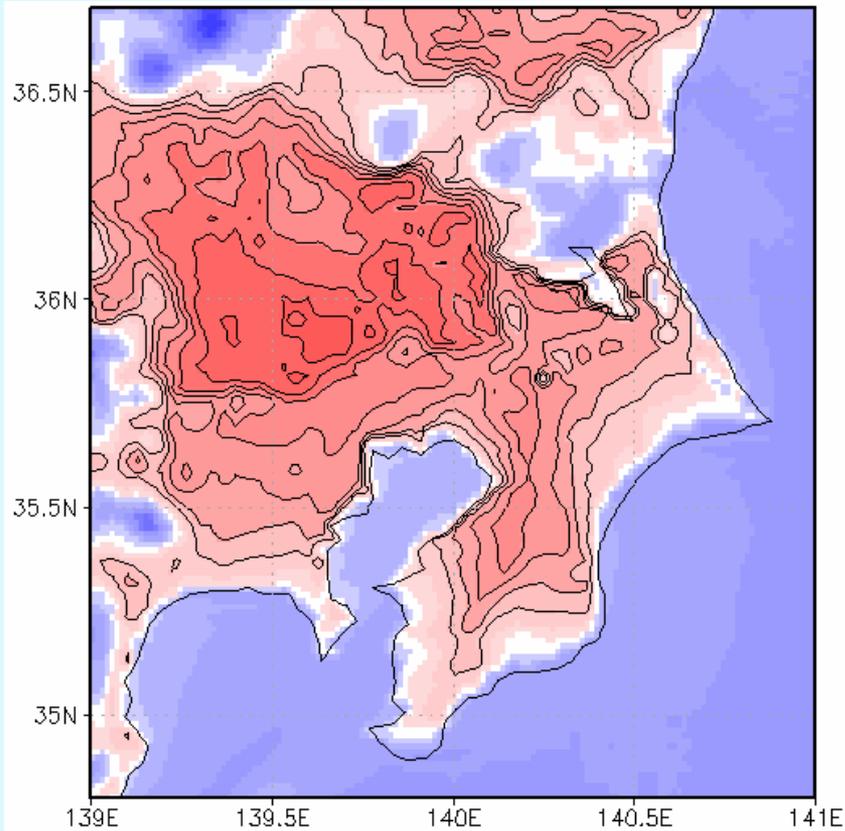


Weather map by JMA

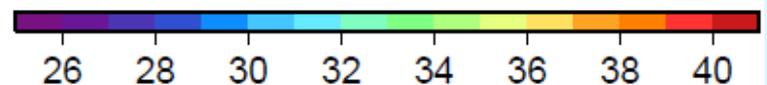
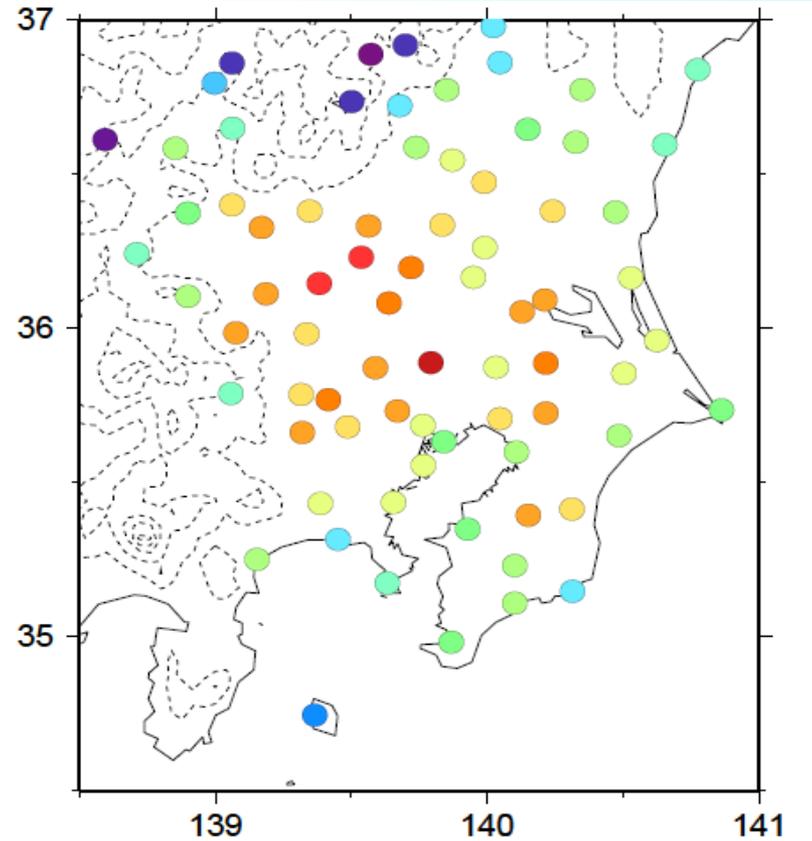
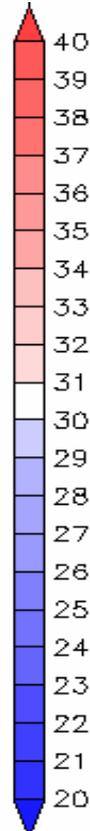
# Simulation of meso-scale heavy rain with WRF



# Extreme record hot in Aug. 2007

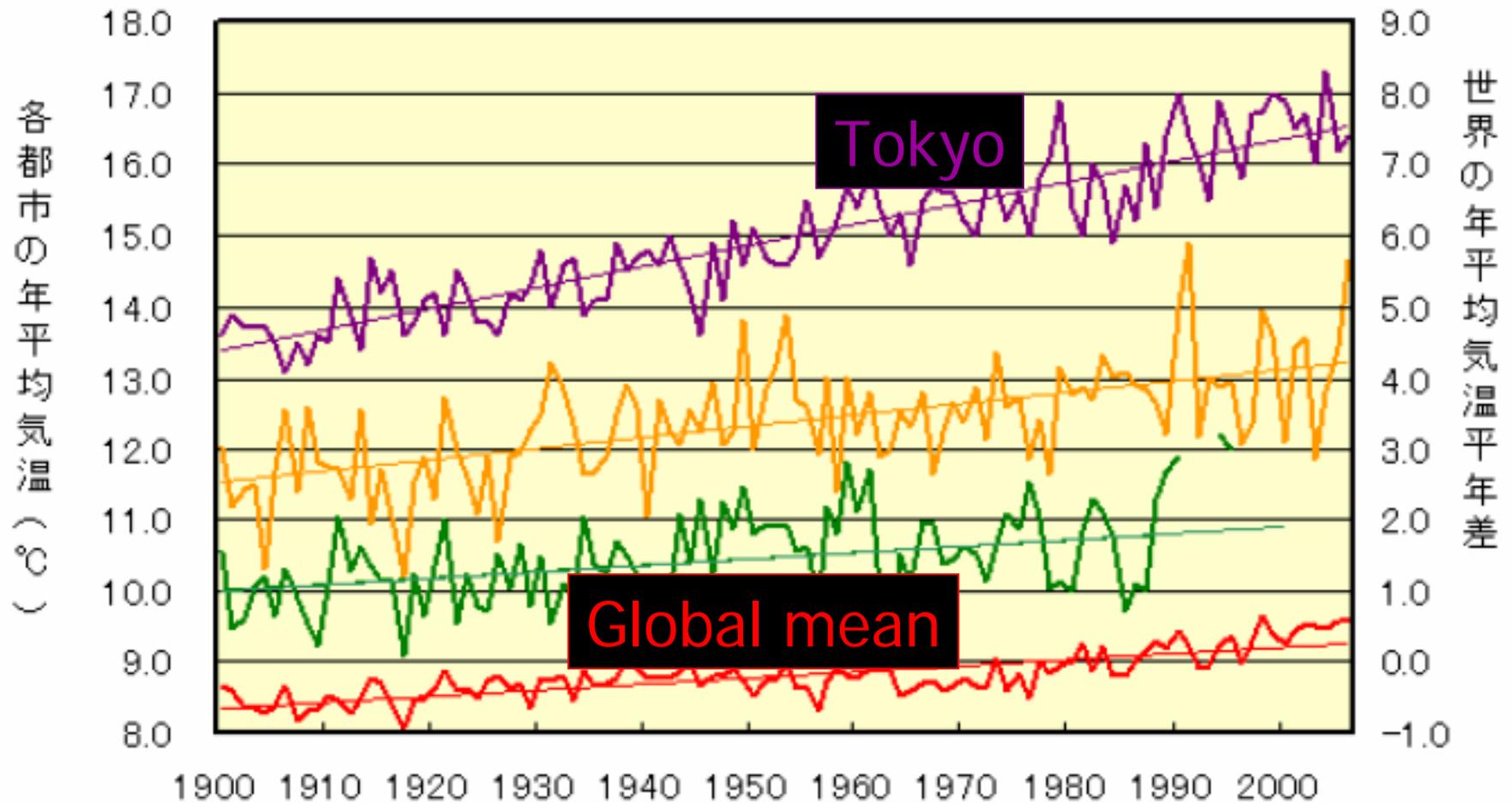


Surface air temperature  
(WRF model simulation)

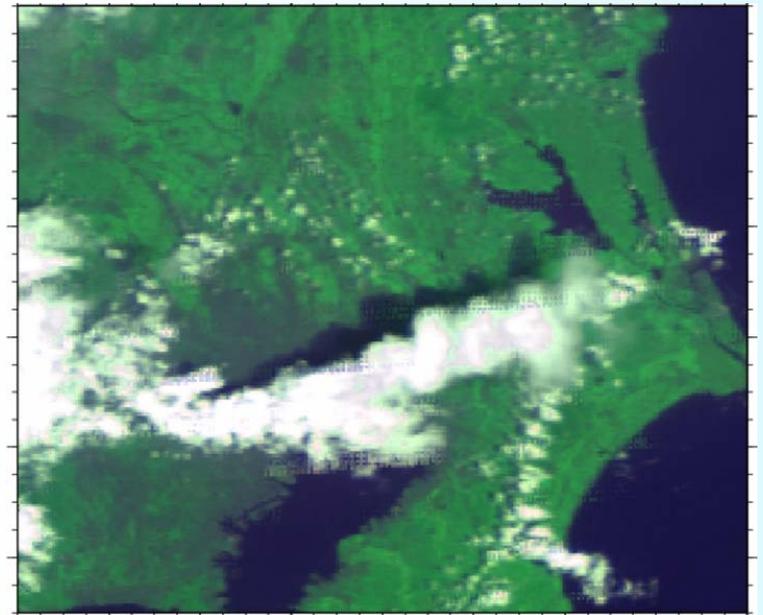


AMeDAS Observation

# Urban climate and heat island



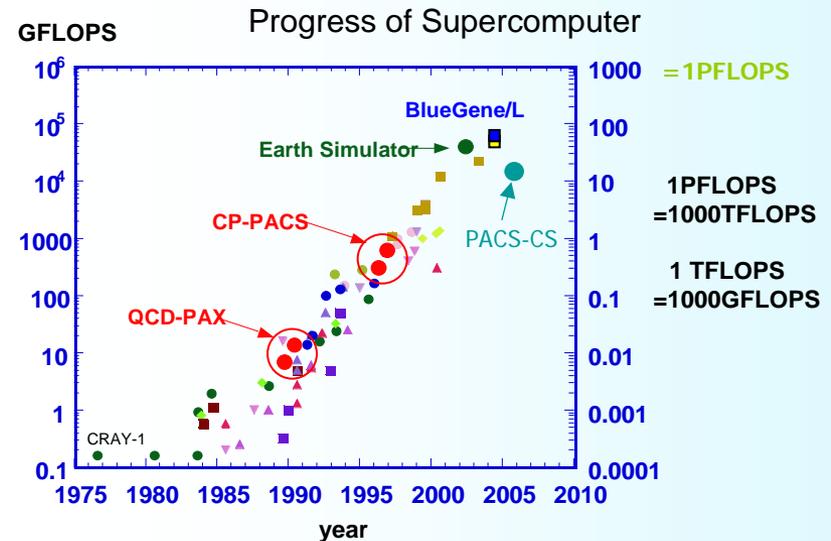
# Urban effects on local clouds





# Collaborations with other Divisions

- Division of Computational Informatics  
=> JMA/GPV Data archive project
- Division of High Performance Computing Systems  
=> NICAM model prediction with PACS-CS
- Division of Particle Physics and Astrophysics  
=> Seminars on fluid dynamics and radiation





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GPV/JMA Archive: Home



## GPV/JMA Archive

Data by Japan Meteorological Agency  
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### About the archive

This Archive offers the daily operational weather forecasting data provided by the Japan Meteorological Agency (JMA). The data are called Grid Point Values (GPV). The Archive is maintained by the Center for Computational Sciences, University of Tsukuba, for the purpose of scientific development of the weather and climate forecasting technology. All weather maps posted here are the product by the CCS, University of Tsukuba, Japan

### Files stored

In the Archive, there are six kinds of JMA/GPV data, i.e., global spectral model data (gsm\_jma), regional spectral model data (rsm\_jma), meso-scale non-hydrostatic model data (msm\_jma), weekly ensemble forecast data (ensemble\_week\_jma), monthly ensemble forecast data (ensemble\_month\_jma), and seasonal ensemble forecast data (ensemble\_3month\_jma). Those GPV data are stored in subdirectories describing the date (yyyymmdd00) when the data are generated. The dated subdirectories are combined in the main directory describing the year.

Notice: Due to the system upgrade of JMA, the resolution and format of the GPV data have changed after March 1, 2006. Refer to the appropriate documents issued by JMA.

<http://gpvjma.ccs.hpcc.jp/~gpvjma/index.html>

JRA-25 Archive: Home

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## JRA-25 Archive

Japanese Re-Analysis 25 Years  
Data by Japan Meteorological Agency  
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This Archive offers the state-of-the-art long-term reanalysis of global weather data in provided by the Japan Meteorological Agency (JMA) and Central Research Institute (CRIEPI). The data are called Japanese Re-Analysis 25 Years (JRA-25) starting from update in realtime. The Archive is maintained by the Center for Computational Science for the purpose of scientific development of the weather and climate forecasting tech posted here are the product by the CCS, University of Tsukuba, Japan

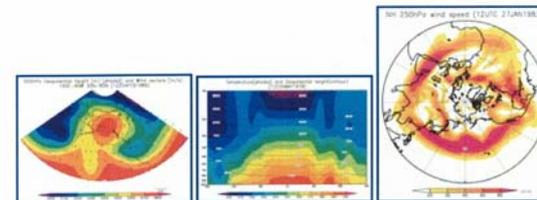
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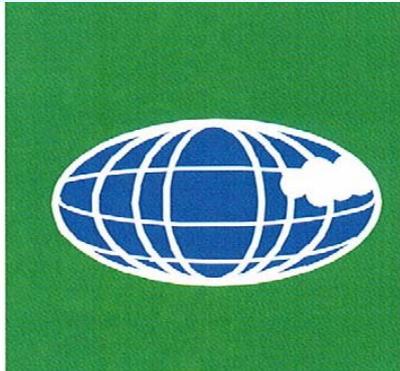
Further additions of weather and climate data are in preparation.

### Sample Images

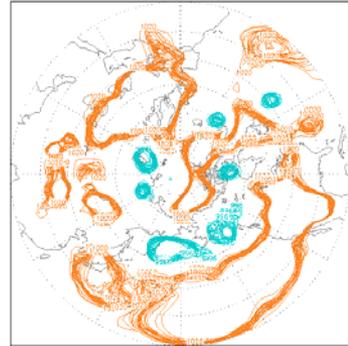


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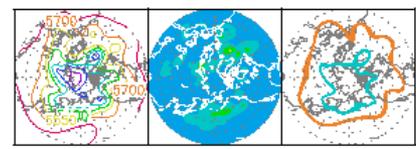
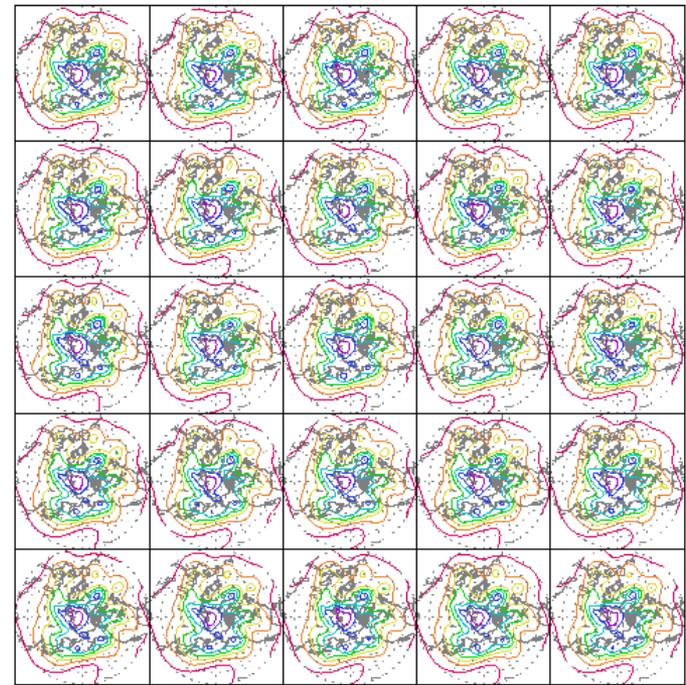
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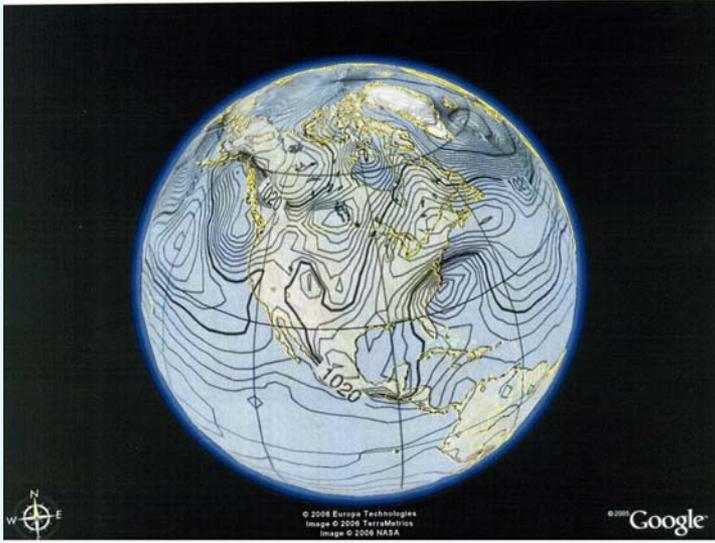
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Sea Level Pressure (Spaghetti)



JMA Week Ensemble Forecast (Z500)  
2020050401 12UTC +000hr



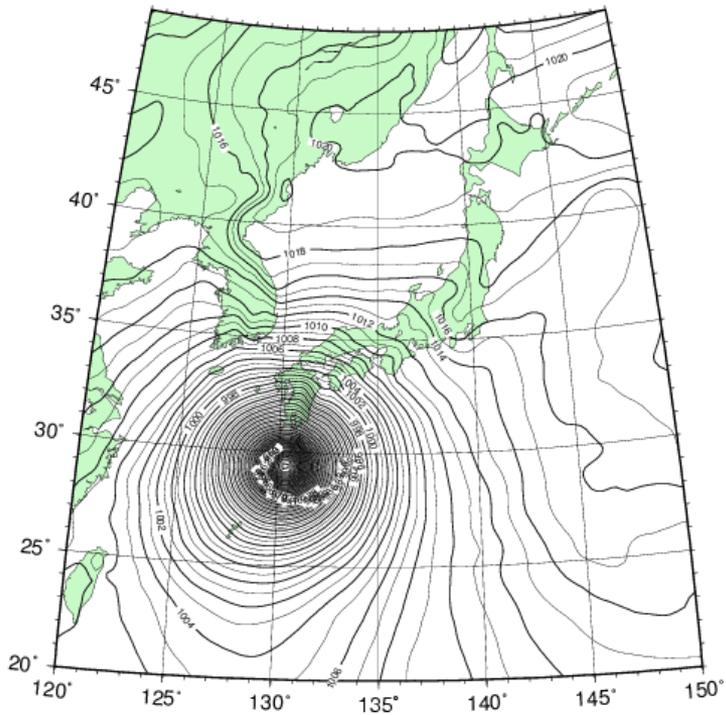
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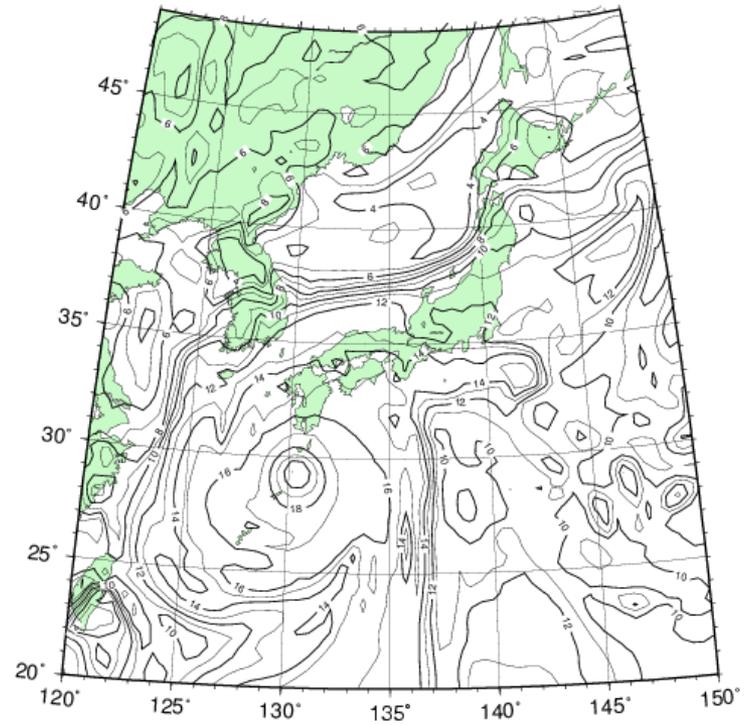
Sea-level Pressure (hPa)

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850 hPa Specific Humidity (g/kg)

2005090512 + 00 H JMA/GPV/RSM



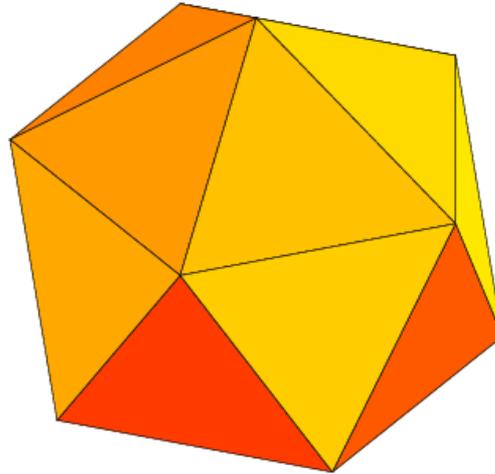
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by PACS-CS

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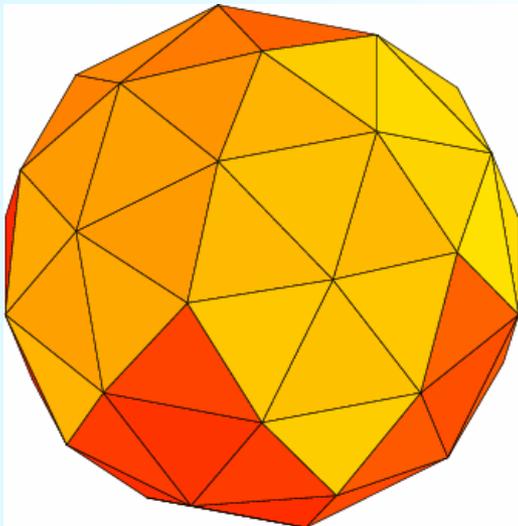
Satoh et al. CCSR

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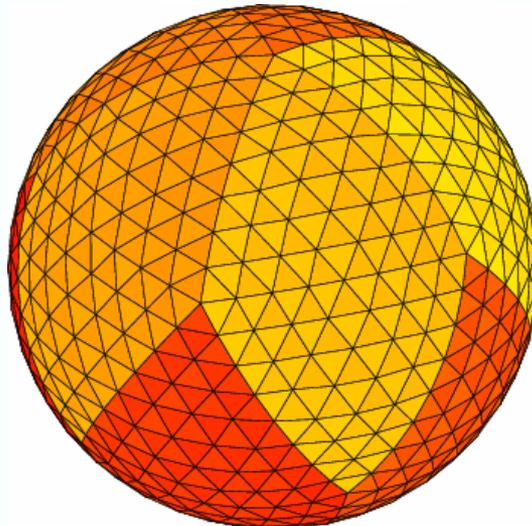


- Glevel-5:  $\Delta x=250\text{km}$
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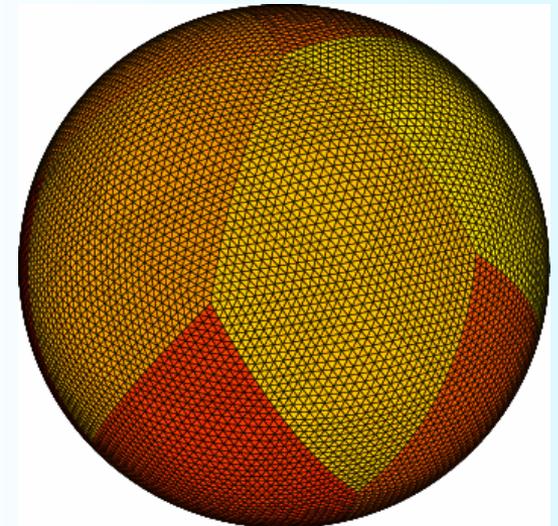
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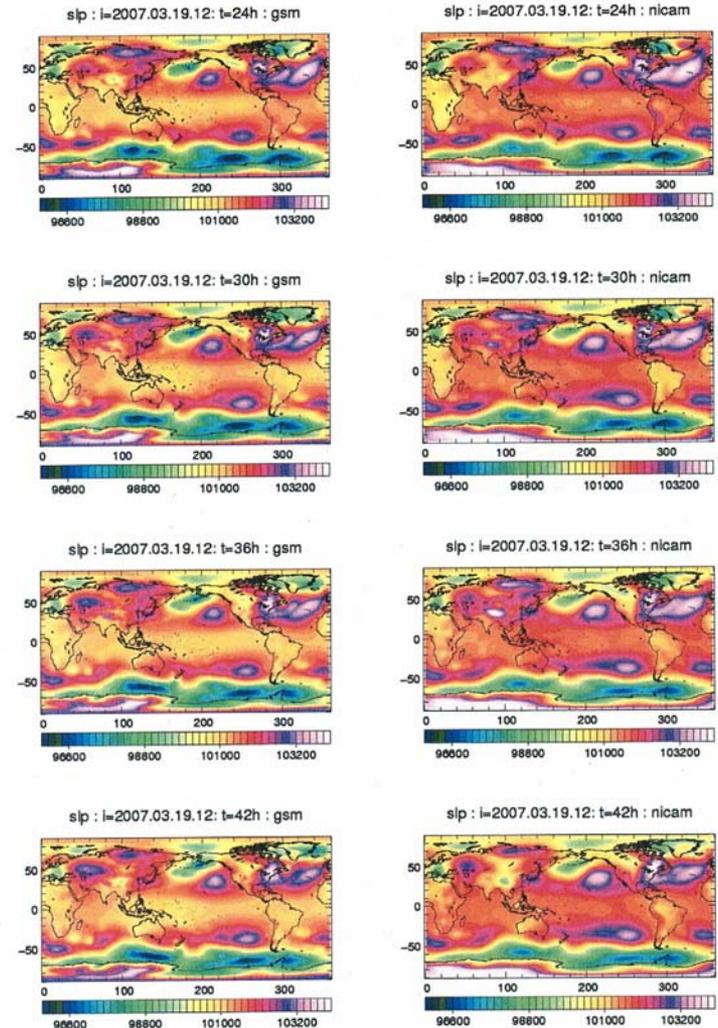
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# NICAM model run with PACS-CS

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- Run-03 250-km 0010-region 010-node done
- Run-04 250-km 0040-region 010-node done
- Run-05 250-km 0040-region 040-node done
- Run-06 250-km 0160-region 040-node done
- Run-07 250-km 0160-region 160-node done
- Run-08 250-km 2560-region 160-node submitted
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(by Satoh et al)

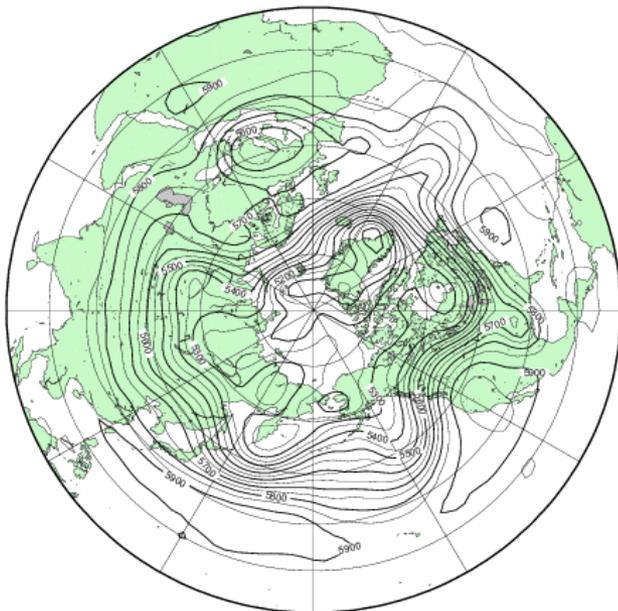


# NICAM by PACS-CS

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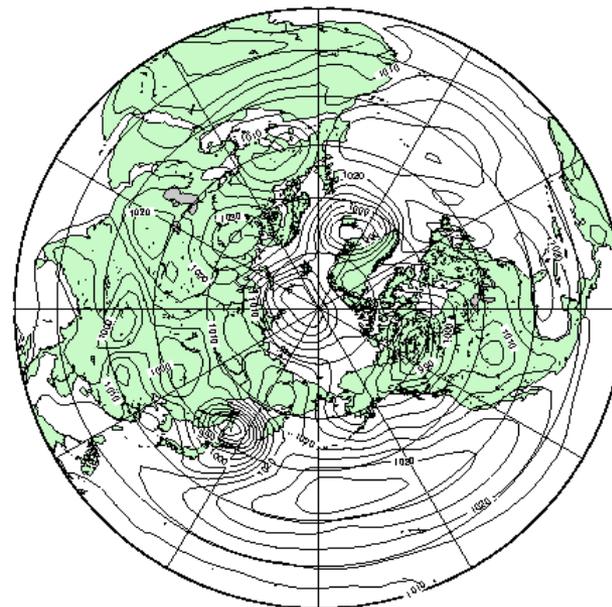
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(CPU allocation: 730 hours/year)

# Future Plan



1. Prediction model for the Arctic Oscillation
2. Ensemble Kalman filter using the barotropic S-model
3. Numerical experiments with NICAM
4. Urban climate simulation with the regional model WRF
5. Organize a regular session in Earth and Planet Conventions
6. Organize a special session in Meteorological Society of Japan
7. Organize an International Symposium on the Arctic Regions
8. Collaboration with National Institutes and IARC/UAF
9. Organize the Meteorological Research Consortium

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