

# CESM1.2.2 tutorial: WACCM and CAM-chem

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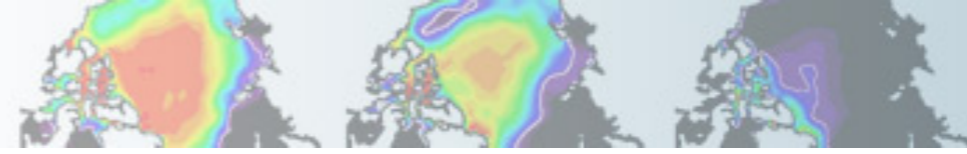
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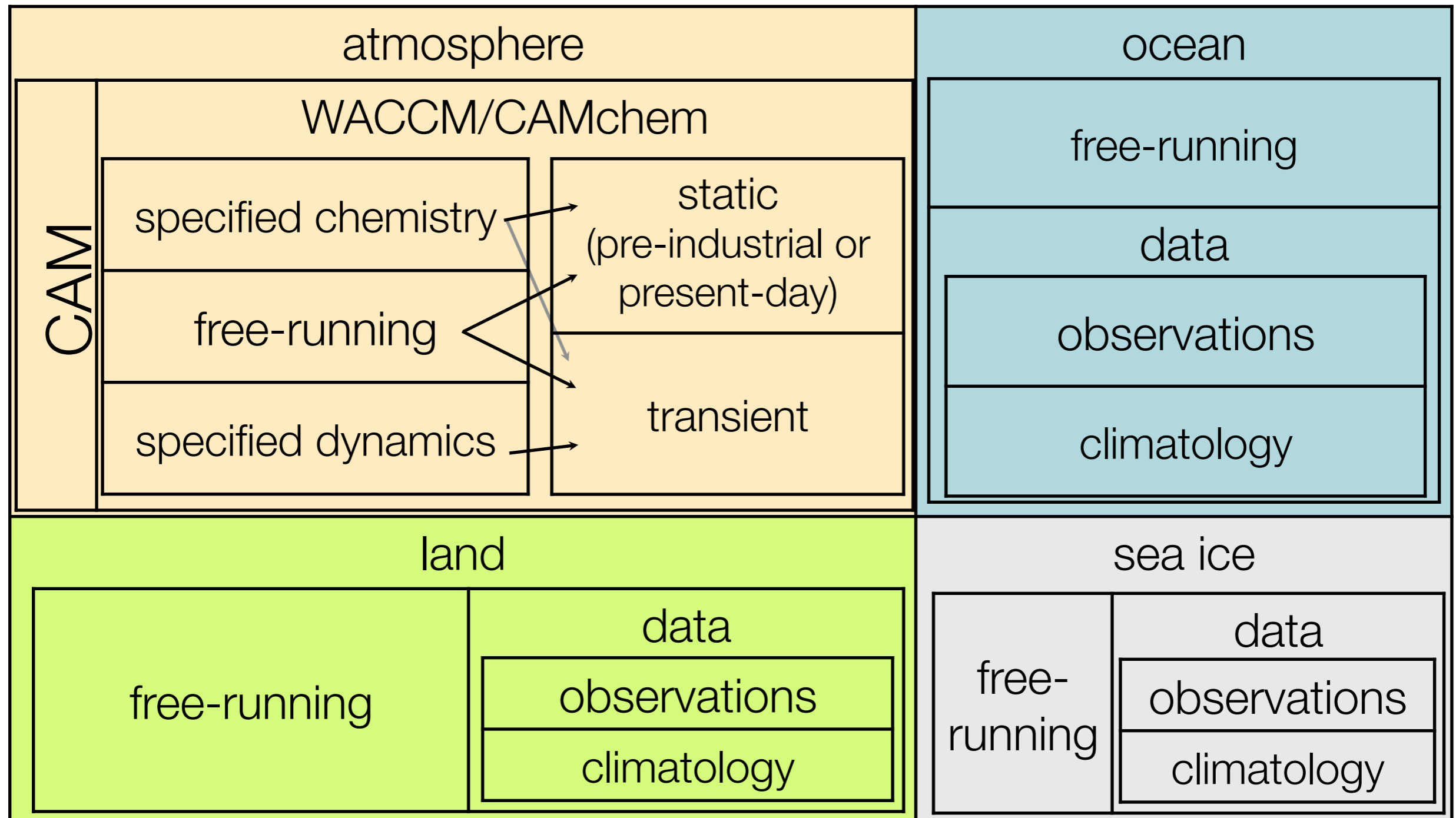
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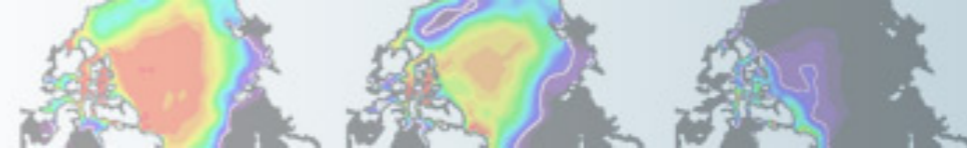
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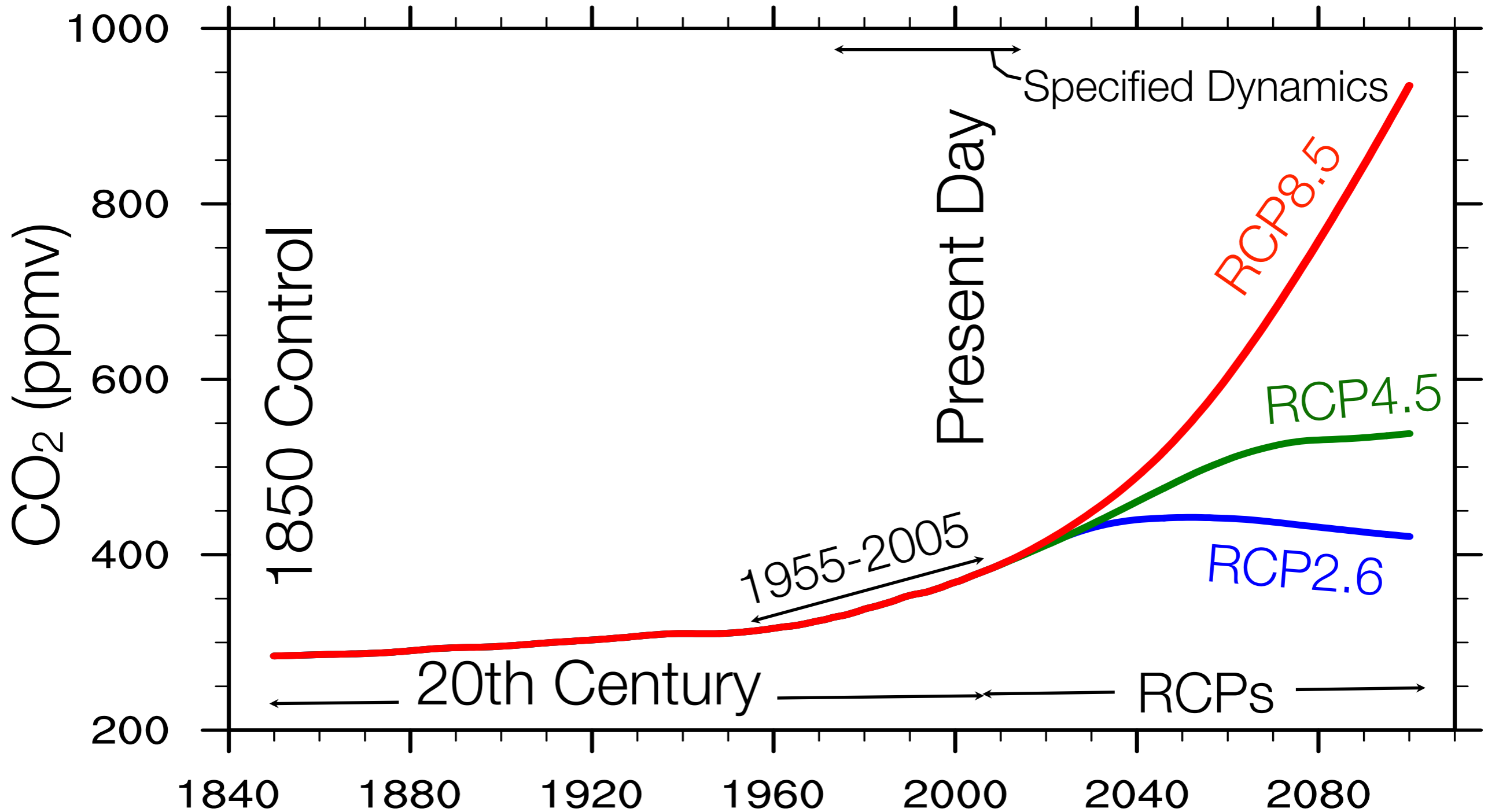


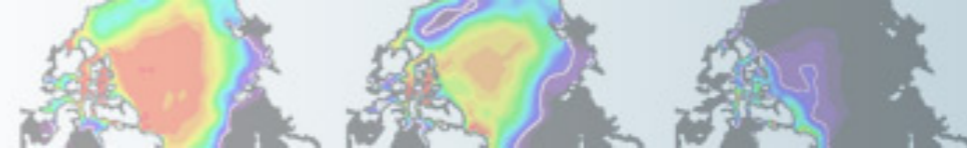
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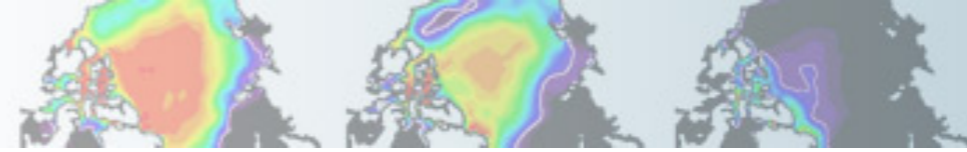


# WACCM component configurations

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CESM1.2.2 (WACCM) Compsets	Supported Grids	Components / Meteorology
<p><b>Full ocean, static:</b>            B_1850_WACCM_CN (B1850WCN)            B_2000_WACCM_CN (BWCN)</p>	f19_g16	<p>CLM4.0/CN            pre-industrial ← Scientifically validated in CESM1.1.1            present day</p>
<p><b>Full ocean, transient:</b>            B_1850-2005_WACCM_CN (B20TRWCN)            B_1955-2005_WACCM_CN (B55TRWCN)            B_RCP2.6_WACCM_CN (BRCP26WCN)            B_RCP4.5_WACCM_CN (BRCP45WCN)            B_RCP8.5_WACCM_CN (BRCP85WCN)</p>	f19_g16	<p>CLM4.0/CN            annual solar variability            daily solar variability ← Scientifically validated in CESM1.1.1            daily solar variability            daily solar variability            daily solar variability</p>
<p><b>Data ocean, static:</b>            F_1850_WACCM (F1850W)            F_2000_WACCM (FW)            F_2000_WACCM_SC (FWSC)            F_2000_WACCMX (FWX)            F_1996_WACCMX (FWX1996)</p>	f19_f19, f45_f45	<p>CLM4.0            pre-industrial            present day            specified chemistry            thermosphere extension, solar max            thermosphere extension, solar min</p>
<p><b>Data ocean, transient:</b>            F_1955-2005_WACCM_CN (F55WCN)            FGEOS_C4WCM_L40CN (FSDW)</p>	f19_f19, f45_f45	<p>CLM4.0/CN, daily solar variability            GEOS5 nudging</p>



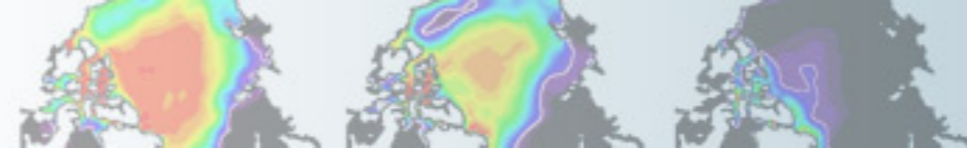
# CAMChem component configurations

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Compsets CESM1.2.2. for res: 1.9x2.5	Model (phys)/ radiation	Chemistry	Components / Meteorology
B_2000_TROP_MOZART (BMOZ) B_2000_MOZSOA_CN B_2000_MOZMAM_CN (BMOZMAM)	CAM4, active f19_g16	trop_mozart +soa chemistry trop_mozart mam	All active + CLM/CN All active, CLM/CN
F_2000_MOZMAM_CN (FMOZMAM) F_SD_BAM_CN	CAM4 passive f19_f19	trop_mozart  trop_bam	Prescr. ocn/ice, CLM/CN
B_2000_CN_CHEM (B2000CNCHM) B_1850_CN_CHEM (B1850CNCHM) B_1850-2000_CN_CHEM (B20TRCNCHM) F_1850_CN_CHEM (F1850CNCHM)	CAM4, active  CAM4, passive	super_fast_llnl	MEGAN VOC emis, all active CLM/CN  Prescr. ocn/ice, CLM/CN
<b>Data ocean, static/transient:</b> F2000_C4SSOA_L40 (FSSOA) FGEOS_C4SSOA_L40 (FSDSSOA) F2000_STRATMAM3_CN FGEOS_STRATMAM3_CN	CAM4, passive f19_f19 CAM5, passive	trop_strat +soa chemistry trop_strat mam+soa chemistry trop_strat mam7+soa chemistry	Prescr. ocn/ice, MEGAN GEOS5 met. Prescr. ocn/ice, CLM/ CN, GEOS5 met.
F_2000_STRATMAM7_CN	CAM5 passive		Prescr. ocn/ice, CLM/CN

Scientifically validated  
in CESM1.2.2



# Exercise 1:

## Run a present-day WACCM/CAMChem compset

- Go to the script directory in your source code
- Run create\_newcase command for one of these compsets:

COMPSET: longname (shortname):

WACCM: F\_2000\_WACCM (FW)

or

CAM-chem: F\_2000\_TROP\_MOZART (FSSOA)

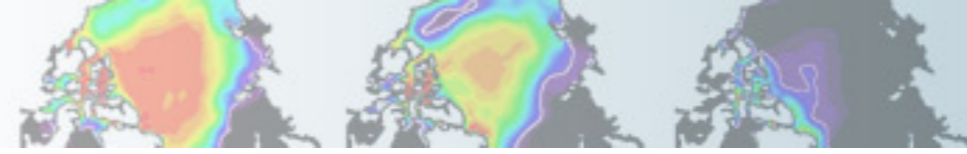
RESOLUTIONS: name (shortname):

1.9x2.5\_1.9x2.5 (f19\_f19)

CASENAME: ~/f2000.FW.f19\_f19.001 or ~/f2000.FSSOA.f19\_f19.001

- Go to your case directory and setup and build the model
- Add second output stream (fincl2): daily instantaneous values of:  
'PS', 'Z3', 'T', 'U', 'V', 'O3'
- Run the model for 5 days
- Check your model output in your run directory





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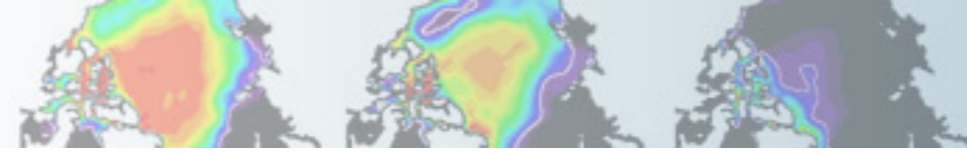
## Run a present-day WACCM/CAMChem compset

**Important! Check the newly generated namelist prior run**

```
>ls CaseDocs/*
```

```
atm_in          cpl_modelio.nml      drv_flds_in      ice_modelio.nml  README          wav_modelio.nml
atm_modelio.nml docn_in              drv_in           lnd_in           rof_in
chem_mech.doc   docn_ocn_in          glc_modelio.nml  lnd_modelio.nml  rof_modelio.nml
chem_mech.in    docn_streams.txt.prescribed  ice_in           ocn_modelio.nml  seq_maps.rc
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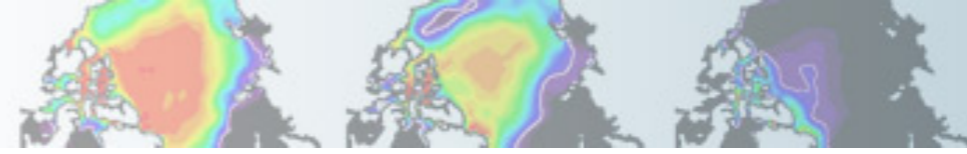
- atm\_in: atmospheric namelist variables
- chem\_mech.in: chemical mechanism file
- drv\_flds\_in: dry deposition variables, MEGAN variables (if used)
- lnd\_in: land namelist variables
- ...



## Exercise 2: Building the model with new chemistry

- Setup a new case as done in Exercise 1, rename the case to `~/f2000.FW.f19_f19.test1` or `~/f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.test1`
- Look at your chemistry preprocessor file `chem_mech.in` in CaseDocs and copy it to your case directory





# The chemical preprocessor and the mechanism file

## The chemistry preprocessor:

generates CAM Fortran source code to solve chemistry.

Input: a simple ASCII file listing chemical reactions and rates.

The chemistry preprocessor input file used in your previous run is in your `$CASEROOT/CaseDocs/chem_mech.in`

Additional input files for default chemical mechanisms are in each source code subdirectory for mechanisms under `$CCSMROOT/models/atm/cam/src/chemistry/pp_*` (i.e. `pp_waccm_mozart`)

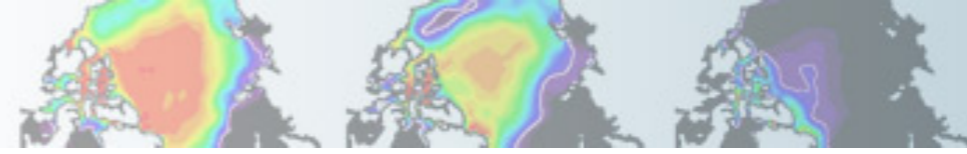
```
SPECIES
  Solution
03, O, O1D -> O, O2, O2_1S -> O2, O2_1D -> O2
  End Solution

  Fixed
M, N2
  End Fixed
End SPECIES

Solution Classes
  Explicit
  CH4, N2O, CO, H2, CH3CL, CH3BR, CFC11, CFC12
  End explicit
  Implicit
  O3, O, O1D, O2, O2_1S, O2_1D
  End implicit
End Solution Classes

CHEMISTRY
  Photolysis
[jo2_a] O2 + hv -> O + O1D
  End Photolysis

  Reactions
[cph1,cph] O + O3 -> 2*O2 ; 8e-12, -2060
  End Reactions
END CHEMISTRY
```

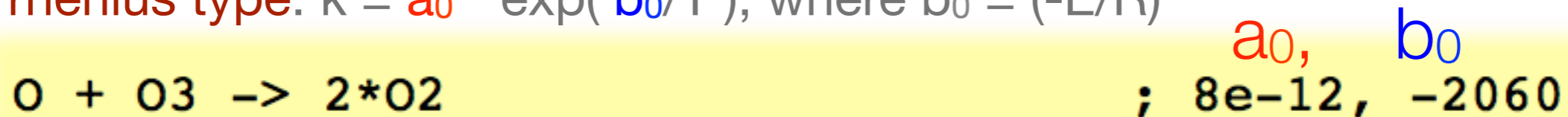


# Reaction rate types in the chempp input file

- **Temperature-independent rates:**  $k$  [ $\text{cm}^3 \text{ molec}^{-1} \text{ s}^{-1}$ ] =  $a_0$



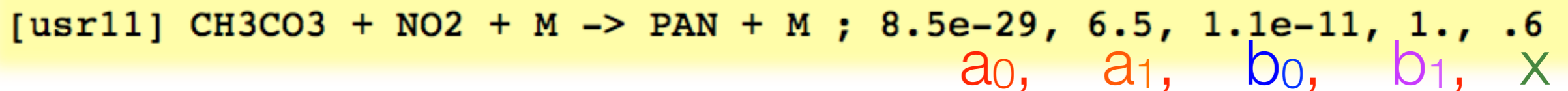
- **Arrhenius type:**  $k = a_0 * \exp(b_0/T)$ , where  $b_0 = (-E/R)$



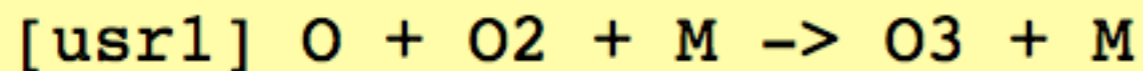
- **Troe rate constant:**  $k = \alpha^x / (1 - \beta^2)$ , where:

$\alpha = k_0 * M / k_\infty$ ,  $\beta = \log_{10}(\alpha)$ ,  $M =$  air density ( $\text{molec cm}^{-3}$ ),  $T =$  temperature (K)

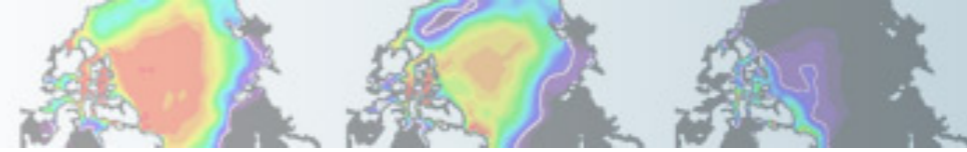
$k_0 = a_0 * (300/T)^{a_1}$ ,  $k_\infty = b_0 * (300/T)^{b_1}$ ,  $x =$  “exponential factor”



- **User-specified reaction rate:**



rate defined in routine mo\_usrxrt.F90



# Exercise 2:

## Building the model with new chemistry

For CAM-chem:

- Change reaction rates (bug in earlier version)

```

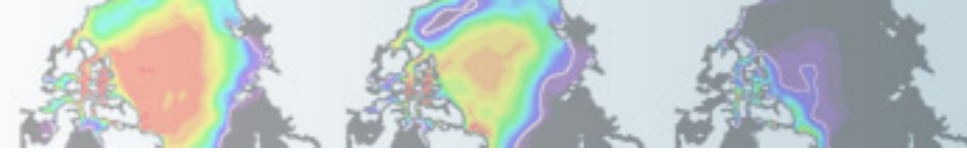
Reactions
-----
* Odd-Oxygen Reactions
* -----
[usr_0_02]      0 + O2 + M -> O3 + M
[0_03]         0 + O3 -> 2*O2                ; 8.00e-12, -2060.
[usr_0_0]      0 + O + M -> O2 + M

* -----
* Odd-Oxygen Reactions (O1D only)
* -----
[O1D_N2]       O1D + N2 -> O + N2           ; 2.15e-11, 110.
[O1D_02b]      O1D + O2 -> O + O2           ; 3.30e-11, 55.
[ox_l1]        O1D + H2O -> 2*OH            ; 1.63e-10, 60.
[O1D_N20a]     O1D + N2O -> 2*NO           ; 7.25e-11, 20.
[O1D_N20b]     O1D + N2O -> N2 + O2        ; 4.63e-11, 20.

```

Change to 1.65e-12 (bug in earlier version)

- Check your new mechanism file:  
  - >less CaseDocs/chem\_mech.in
- Edit env\_build.xml



## Exercise 2: Building the model with new chemistry

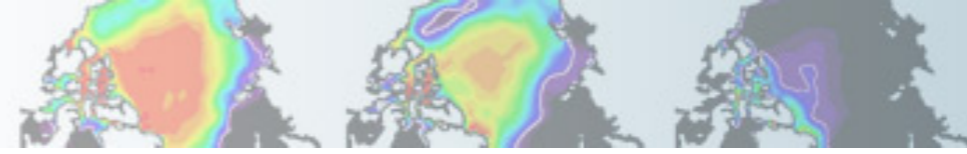
For WACCM:

- Change reaction rates (bug in earlier version)

Remove this line (bug in CAMchem)

```
* -----  
* Odd-Oxygen Reactions (O1D only)  
* -----  
[cph_01D_N2,cph] O1D + N2 -> O + N2 ; 2.15e-11, 110.  
[cph_01D_02,cph] O1D + O2 -> O + O2_1S ; 3.135e-11, 55.  
[cph_01D_02b,cph] O1D + O2 -> O + O2 ; 1.65e-12, 55.  
O1D + H2O -> 2*OH ; 1.63e-10, 60.  
O1D + N2O -> 2*NO ; 6.70e-11, 20.  
O1D + N2O -> N2 + O2 ; 4.70e-11, 20.
```

- Check your new mechanism file:  
    >less CaseDocs/chem\_mech.in
- Edit env\_build.xml

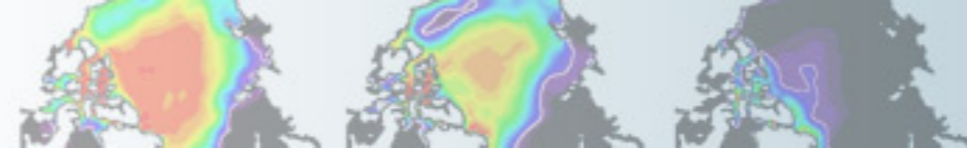


## Exercise 2: Building the model with new chemistry

- Edit the file `env_build.xml` in the case directory to add the CAM configure option `-usr_mech_infile` pointing to the new preprocessor input file:

```
<!--"CAM configure options, see CAM configure utility for details (char) " -->  
<entry id="CAM_CONFIG_OPTS"  
value="-phys cam4 -chem trop_strat_soa -age_of_air_trcs  
-usr_mech_infile $CASEROOT/my_chem_mech.in" />
```

- Re-setup and rebuild your run:
- Check your new mechanism file
- submit the new run
- Check output and compare 5<sup>th</sup> day output to earlier run using `geov`



# Post-processing data analysis: geov

CESM history files are in standard netCDF format, and may be analyzed with standard analysis tools, including Matlab, IDL, NCL, and NCO.

GEOV is an IDL-based viewer for geophysical history files created by NCAR's CAM, WACCM and MOZART models. GEOV can be downloaded from the WACCM webpage

[http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/working\\_groups/WACCM/](http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/working_groups/WACCM/)

## Or install geov on yellowstone:

- Logon to yellowstone (or caldara or geyser):

```
> ssh -X yellowstone.ucar.edu
```

- Edit .cshrc file. Add line:

```
setenv IDL_STARTUP ~fvitt/idl_startup
```

~fvitt/idl\_startup sets the idl path to include GEOV:

```
idl_path = expand_path('+~fvitt/geov')
```

```
!path=!path+':'+idl_path
```

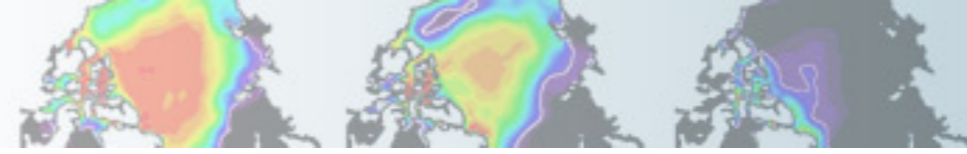
```
>source .cshrc
```

```
>idl geov
```

- View model output on yellowstone:

```
> cd /glade/scratch/$USER/archive/run
```

```
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```



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FILE DISPLAY MAP 2D PLOT 1D PLOT PRINT CONTROLS HELP

PLOT:

VARIABLES	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	LEVELS	TIME
SOLIN	-90.00	0.000	929.649	01Jul2003 00:00
SRFRAD	-88.11	2,500	970.555	
SWCF	-86.21	5,000	992.556	
T	-84.32	7,500		
TAUGWX	-82.42	10,00		

Display Options:

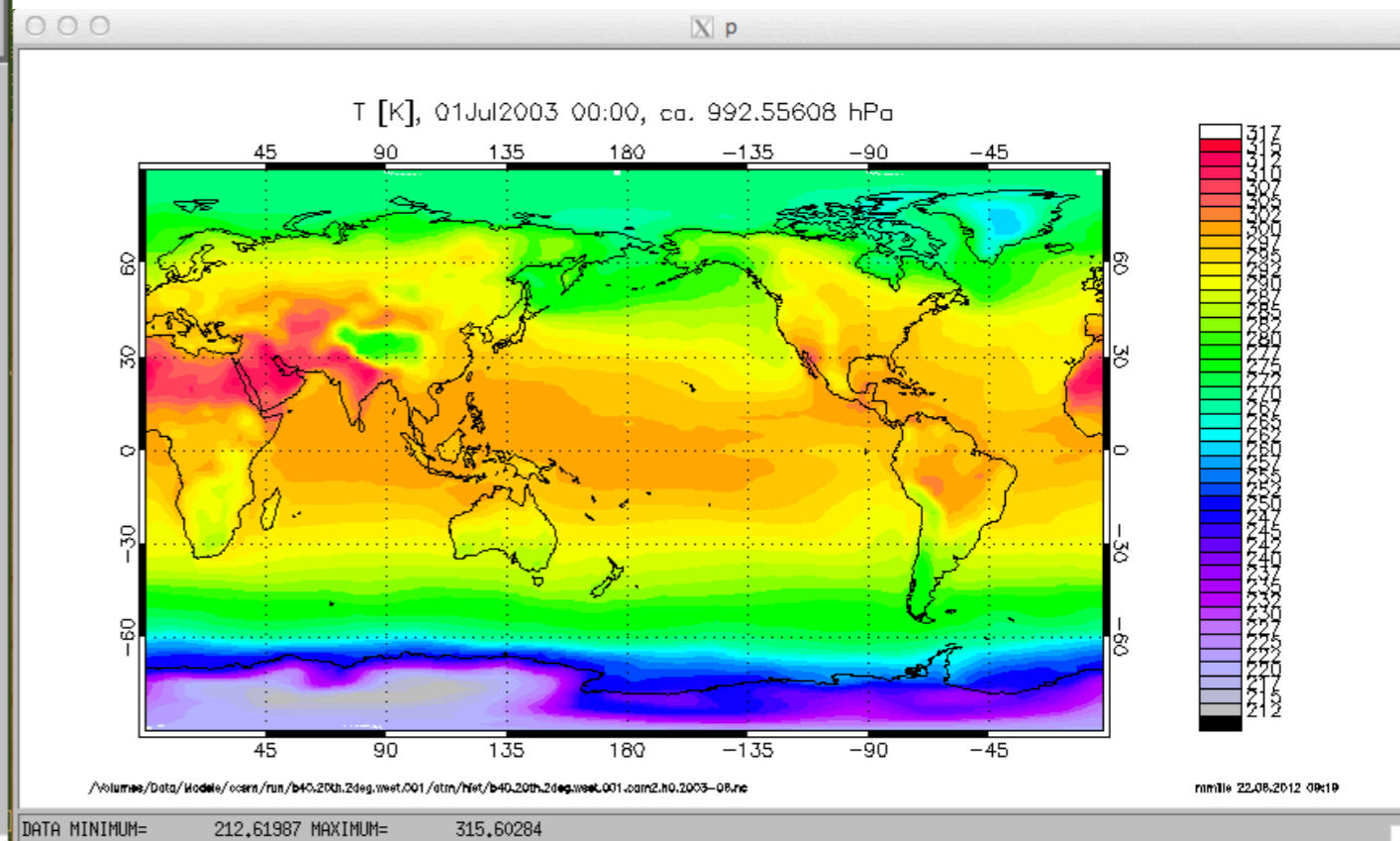
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- auto  log  linear
- Level altitudes
- Oplot Same Scale
- Wind Vectors

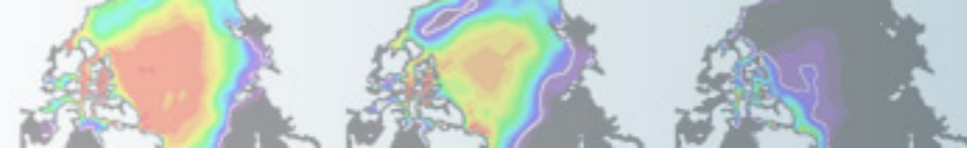
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Extractor:





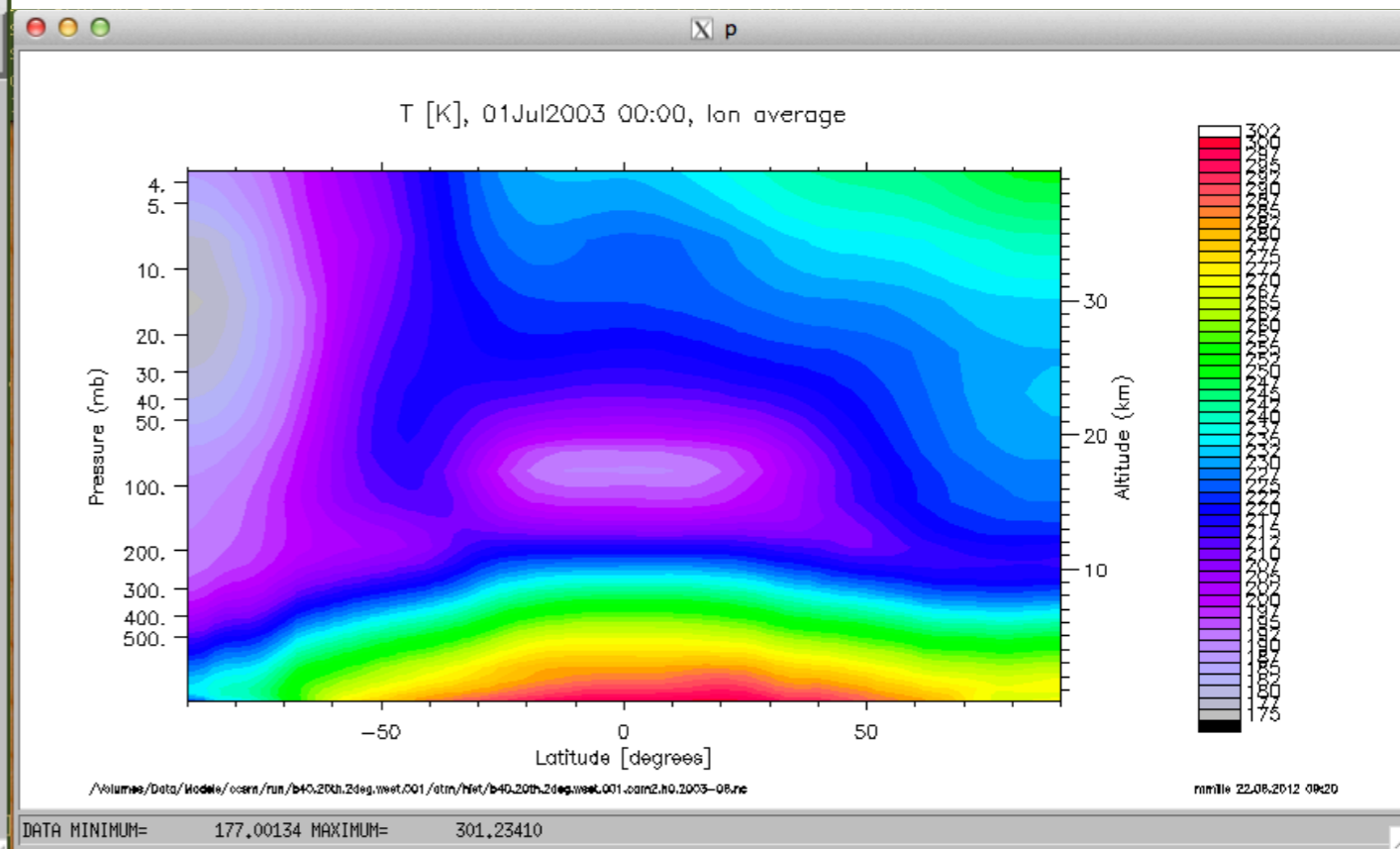
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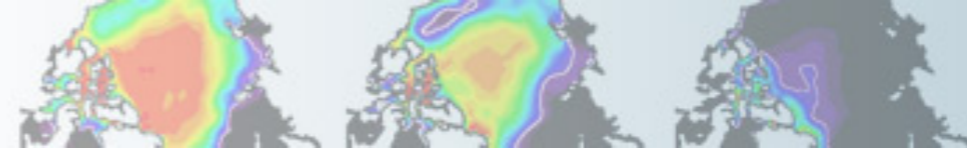
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The screenshot shows the GEOV software interface. The main window title is `/Volumes/Data/Models/ccsm/run/b40.20th.2deg.wset.001/atm/hist/b...`. The menu bar includes `FILE`, `DISPLAY`, `MAP`, `2D PLOT`, `1D PLOT`, `PRINT`, `CONTROLS`, and `HELP`. The `2D PLOT` menu is open, showing options: `Latitude vs Longitude`, `Latitude vs Longitude at Constant Pressure...`, `Meridional slice`, `Zonal slice`, and `Zonal average`. The `Zonal slice` option is selected. Below the menu, there are input fields for latitude and longitude ranges, with values `-84.32` to `7.500` and `-82.42` to `10.00`. The `TIME` field is set to `3 00:00`. The `VARIABLES` list includes `SOLIN`, `SRFRAD`, `SMCF`, `T` (selected), and `TAUGWX`. The `Display Options:` panel has checkboxes for `Automatic Contour Levels`, `Level altitudes`, `Qplot Same Scale`, and `Wind Vectors`. The `Scale VMR data:` panel has radio buttons for `don't scale`, `ppm`, `ppb`, and `ppt`. The `Operator:` panel has buttons for `None` and `Overplot`. The `Extractor:` panel has a button for `Simple`.

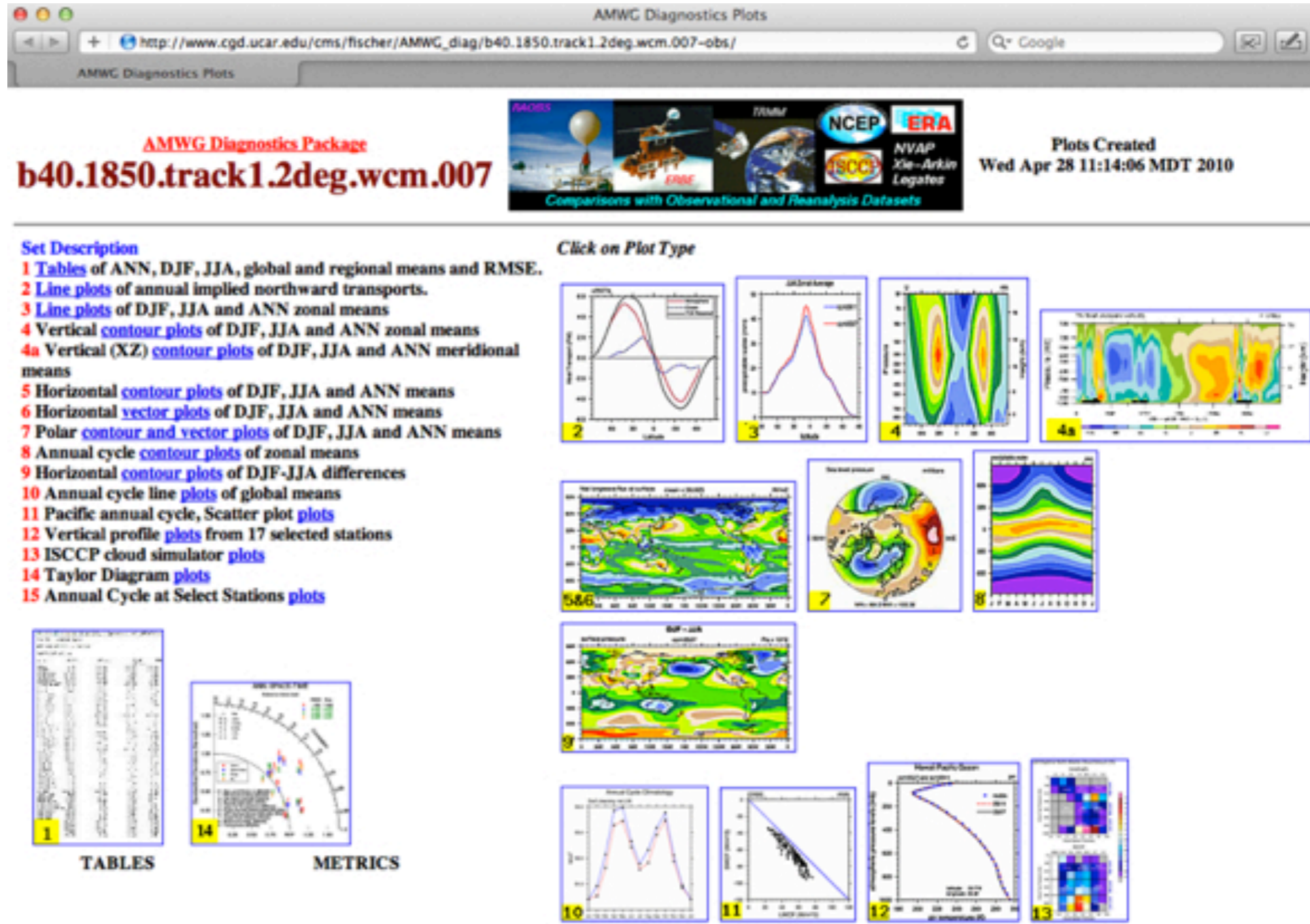


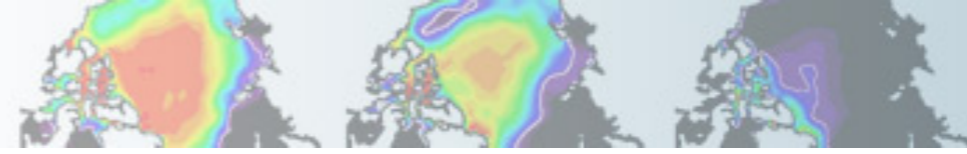




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CAM diagnostic packages are described under CAM Post-Processing Utilities on the [CAM documentation page](http://www.cgd.ucar.edu/amp/amwg/diagnostics/) at <http://www.cgd.ucar.edu/amp/amwg/diagnostics/>.

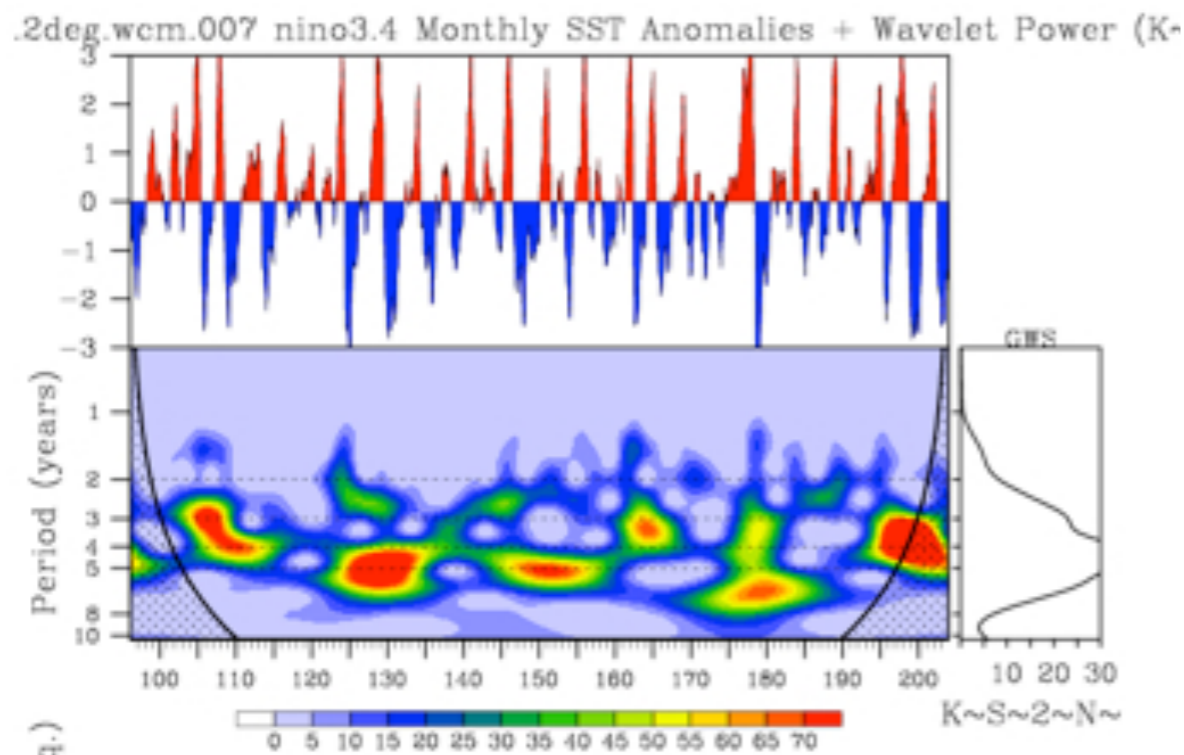




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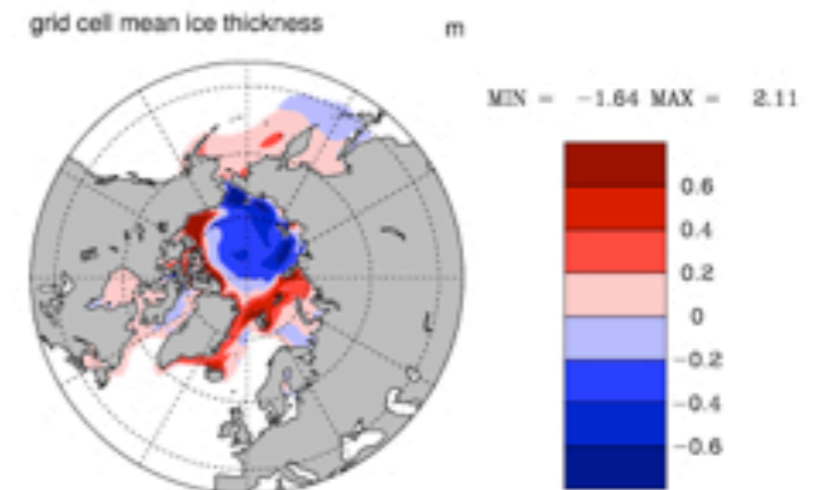
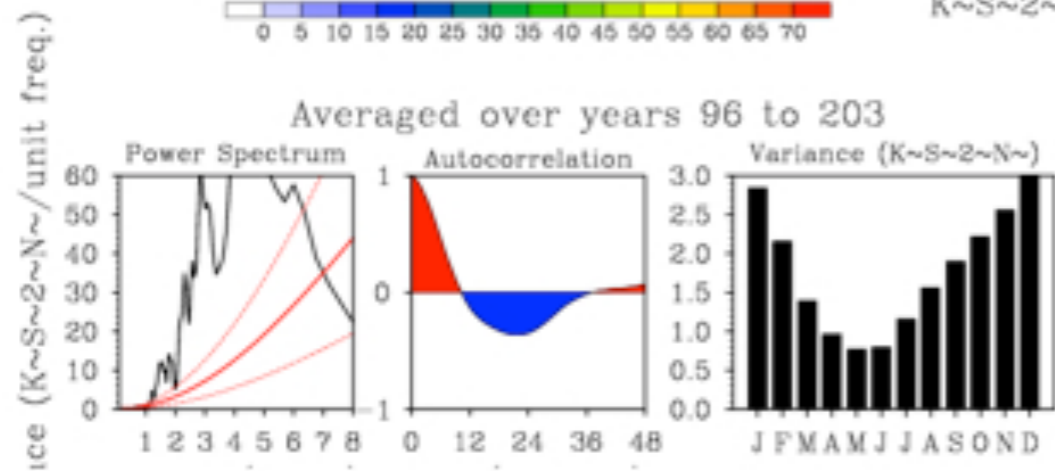
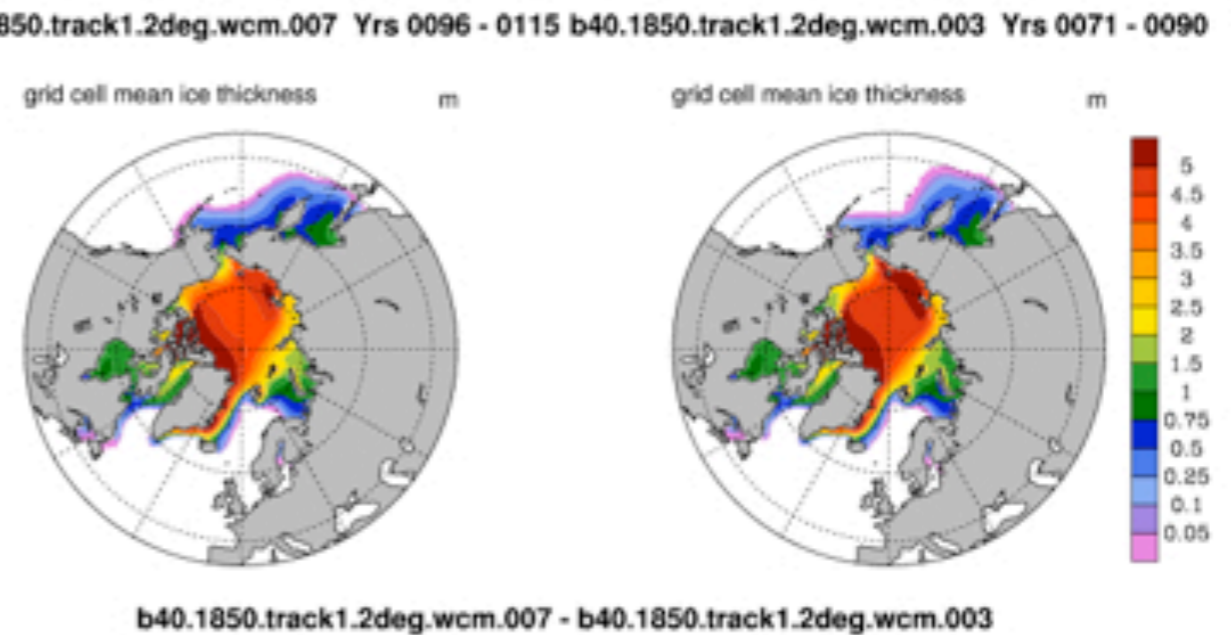
Diagnostic packages for all model components (atmosphere, land, ice, and ocean) can be found from the [component post-processing utilities page](http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm1.2/model_diagnostics/) ([http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm1.2/model\\_diagnostics/](http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/models/cesm1.2/model_diagnostics/)).

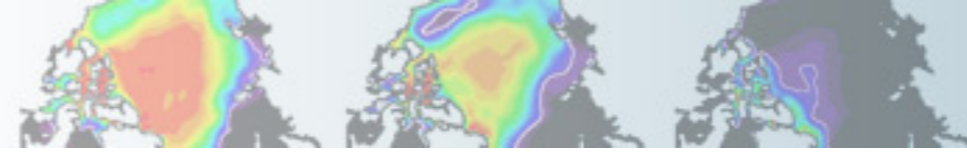
## Ocean ENSO



## Sea Ice Thickness

JFM Mean





# Validating CESM/WACCM

Users may validate their implementation of CESM/WACCM by repeating experiments we have done at NCAR, and using the [component post-processing utilities](#) to compare the climate generated to output we have made available publicly on the Earth System Grid (<http://www.earthsystemgrid.org>).

Please visit our [CESM 1.0 experiments and diagnostics page](http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/experiments/cesm1.0/) (<http://www.cesm.ucar.edu/experiments/cesm1.0/>) for an updated list of experiments with links to output data locations.

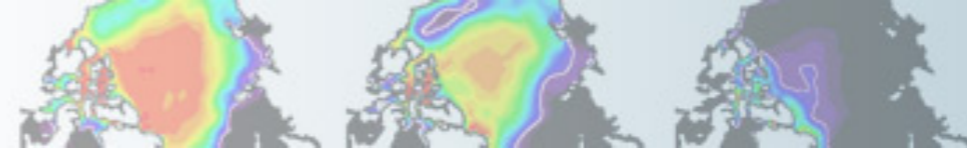
Output from additional experiments will be made available on a timeline in

<b>CESM1 (WACCM) 2° Pre-Industrial Control</b> <b>Case Name:</b> b40.1850.track1.2deg.wcm.007 <b>Data Availability:</b> <a href="#">ESG (years 156-185)</a>	156-185 w/observations	<a href="#">Atm</a>	<a href="#">Ice</a>	<a href="#">Land</a>	<a href="#">Ocean</a>	<a href="#">CCR</a>	<a href="#">Ocean Timeseries</a>
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**Case Name:** [b40.1850.track1.2deg.wcm.007](#)  
**Machine:** [NCAR:bluefire](#)  
**CMIP5 ID:** ----  
**Compset:** [B 1850 WACCM CN](#)  
**Resolution:** [1.9x2.5 qx1v6](#)  
**Years:** [96-295](#)  
**Time Frequencies Saved:** [Monthly, Daily, Subdaily](#)  
**Initialization:** [year 156](#)  
**Start/End Dates:** [4/16/10, at year 260 as of 3/1/11](#)  
**Data Release Date (Full):** [11/1/11](#)

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**Resolution:** [1.9x2.5 1.9x2.5](#)  
**Years:** [1/2001-2/2002](#)  
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**Initialization:** [startup run type](#)  
**Start/End Dates:** [2/8/12, ongoing](#)  
**Data Release Date (Full):** [2/17/12](#)





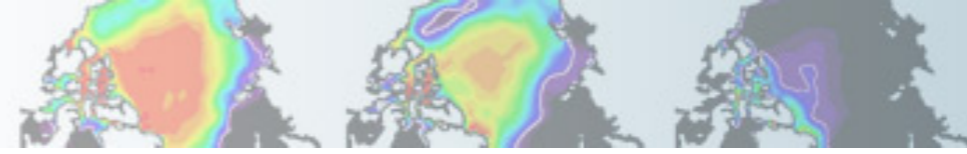
# WACCM and CAM-Chem Customer Support

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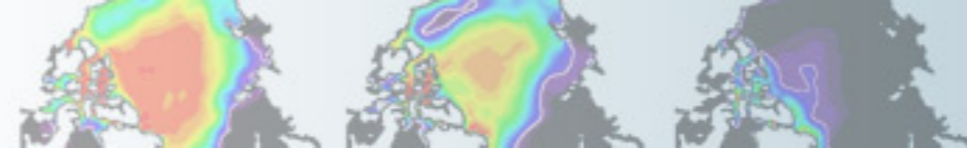




# Solution 1:

## Run a present-day WACCM/CAMChem compset

- Go to the script directory in your source code  
> `cd /glade/p/cesm/tutorial/cesm1_2_2.tutorial/scripts`
- Run `create_newcase` command for one of these compsets:  
> `create_newcase -res f19_f19 -case ~/f2000.FW.f19_f19.001 -compset FW -mach yellowstone`  
or  
> `create_newcase -res f19_f19 -case ~/f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001 -compset FSSOA -mach yellowstone`
- Go to your case directory and setup the run
- Setup the model  
> `cesm_setup`
- Build the model  
-> namelists (`atm_in`, `ice_in`, `Ind_in`, `docn_in`) will appear in the CaseDocs subdirectory, as well as in your \$rundir  
> `*build`



# Solution 1: How do I change model output?

- Update the user\_nl\_cam file in your \$casedir and add/change the fincl2 output

> nedit user\_nl\_cam

```
! Users should add all user specific namelist changes below in the form of
! namelist_var = new_namelist_value
&cam_inparm
avgflag_pertape           = 'A', 'I',
fincl2                    = 'PS', 'Z3', 'T', 'U', 'V', '03'
mfilt                     = 1, 10
nhtfrq                    = 0, -24
/
```

- Preview namelists and make sure changes are in your CaseDocs/atm\_in file

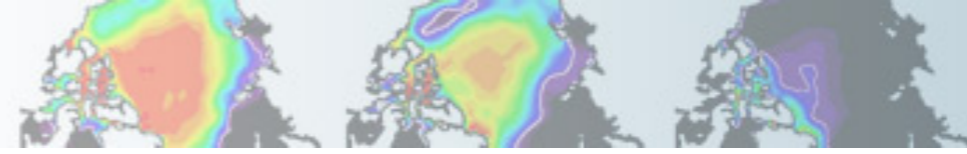
>preview\_namelists

- Check your CaseDocs/atm\_in

>less CaseDocs/atm\_in (check your atm\_in file)

- Resubmit your job

>\*.submit (run the model for 5 days)



# Solution 1: Check your model output

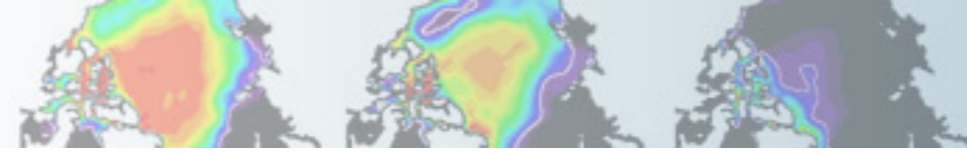
- find your model output in your run dir (\$run\_dir) after finished:  
>ls /glade/scratch/<username>/<casename>/run

```
[tilmes@yslogin1 run]$ ls
atm_in
atm_modelio.nml
cpl_modelio.nml
docn_in
docn_ocn_in
docn.streams.txt.prescribed
drv_flds_in
drv_in
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.cam.h1.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.cam.r.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.cam.rh0.0001-01-06-00000.nc
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f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.cice.r.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.clm2.r.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.clm2.rh0.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.cpl.r.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.docn.rs1.0001-01-06-00000.bin
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.rtm.r.0001-01-06-00000.nc
f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001.rtm.rh0.0001-01-06-00000.nc
glc_modelio.nml
ice_in
ice_modelio.nml
lnd_in
lnd_modelio.nml
ocn_modelio.nml
rof_in
rof_modelio.nml
rpointer.atm
rpointer.drv
rpointer.ice
rpointer.lnd
rpointer.ocn
rpointer.rof
seq_maps.rc
timing
wav_modelio.nml
```

namelist information

restart information

- find our model output in the short-time archive  
>ls /glade/scratch/<username>/archive/<casename>/...  
**(note: there will be no monthly values available if you just run for 5 days)**
  - long-time archive your job if needed (do not archive what you don't need for a long time )
  - check your cam.h1 file
- > ncdump -h f2000.FSSOA.f19\_f19.001.cam.h1.0001-01-06-00000.nc



## Solution 2: Building the model with new chemistry

- Setup a new case as done in Exercise 1, rename the case to `~/f2000.FW.f19_f19.test1` or `~/f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001` (follow Solution 1, just rename your case)
- Look at your chemistry preprocessor file `chem_mech.in` in CaseDocs and copy it to your case directory and rename to `my_chem_mech.in`
- Copy a sample preprocessor input file to the case directory and edit it:
 

```
>cd $CASEROOT
>cp CaseDocs/chem_mech.in my_chem_mech.in
>nedit my_chem_mech.in &
```

 (use any editor to edit your script)

```

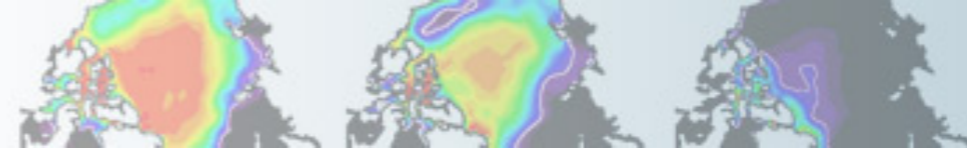
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      Reactions
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* Odd-Oxygen Reactions
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[usr_0_02]      0 + O2 + M -> O3 + M
[0_03]         0 + O3 -> 2*O2                ; 8.00e-12, -2060.
[usr_0_0]      0 + O + M -> O2 + M

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* Odd-Oxygen Reactions (O1D only)
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[O1D_N2]      01D + N2 -> O + N2                ; 2.15e-11, 110.
[O1D_02b]     01D + O2 -> O + O2                ; 3.30e-11, 55.
[ox_l1]       01D + H2O -> 2*OH                 ; 1.63e-10, 60.
[O1D_N20a]    01D + N2O -> 2*NO                 ; 7.25e-11, 20.
[O1D_N20b]    01D + N2O -> N2 + O2              ; 4.63e-11, 20.

```

Change to 1.65e-12 (bug in earlier version)





## Solution 2:

### Building the model with new chemistry

- Edit the file `env_build.xml` in the case directory to add the CAM configure option `-usr_mech_infile` pointing to the new preprocessor input file:

```
<!--"CAM configure options, see CAM configure utility for details (char) " -->  
<entry id="CAM_CONFIG_OPTS"  
value="-phys cam4 -chem trop_strat_soa -age_of_air_trcs  
-usr_mech_infile $CASEROOT/my_chem_mech.in" />
```

```
<!--"CAM configure options, see CAM configure utility for details (char) " -->  
<entry id="CAM_CONFIG_OPTS" value="-phys cam4 -chem trop_strat_soa -age_of_air_trcs -usr_mech_infile  
/glade/u/home/tilmes/f2000.FSSOA.f19_f19.001/my_chem_mech.in" />
```

- Re-setup and rebuild your run:

```
>cesm_setup -clean  
>cesm_setup  
>*.clean_build  
>*.build
```

- Check your new mechanism file:

```
>less CaseDocs/chem_mech.in
```

- submit the new run

```
>*.submit
```

- Check output after the run

```
>ls /glade/scratch/<username>/archive/<casename>/...
```



# Solution 2:

## Building the model with new chemistry

- Compare your output with the other run, using geov

