

# Implementing CLUBB+MF in CAM

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#### **Moist Convection in CAM6**





### **Coupling CAM to CLUBB**





#### **Surface Driven Convection**

(Chinet 2003; Siebisma et al. 2007; Suselj et al. 2013)

- Convective velocity scale  $w_* = (g\beta Q_* z_*)^{1/3}$ 
  - $\theta_{v*} = \overline{w'\theta_{v'}}_{sfc}/w_*$
  - $q_{t*} = \overline{w'q_t'}_{sfc}/w_*$
  - $\sigma_w/w_*, \sigma_{q_t}/q_{t*}, \sigma_{\theta_v}/\theta_{v*} = \text{constants from LES}$
  - Initialize ensemble:  $w_n(z=0)$  from n samples between  $1.5 * \sigma_w 3.0 * \sigma_w$
  - $\theta_{v,n}, q_{t,n}$  from assumed covariances  $C(w, \theta_v), C(w, q_t) = \text{constants from LES}$







# How to integrate MFs into CLUBB

CLUBB turbulence

$$\frac{\partial \overline{r_t}}{\partial t} = -\overline{w} \frac{\partial \overline{r_t}}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial \overline{w'r_t'}}{\partial z} + \left. \frac{\partial \overline{r_t}}{\partial t} \right|_{forcing}$$

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+ (1 - C_7) \overline{w'r_t'}^{t+\Delta t} \frac{\partial\overline{w}}{\partial z} + \frac{C_6}{\tau} \overline{w'r_t'}^{t+\Delta t} - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left[ (K_{w6} + \nu_6) \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \overline{w'r_t'}^{t+\Delta t} \right] \\
= \frac{\overline{w'r_t'}^{t}}{\Delta t} + (1 - C_7) \frac{g}{\theta_0} \overline{r_t'} \theta_v^t$$





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# **Divergence Operator** (integrated forward in time by CLUBB)

$$\left(\frac{d\bar{X}}{dt}\right)_{forcing} = \left(\frac{dF}{dz}\right)_{k} = \frac{1}{\bar{\rho}_{k}\Delta z_{k}} \left[\tilde{\rho}_{k+1/2}\boldsymbol{F}_{k+1/2} - \tilde{\rho}_{k-1/2}\boldsymbol{F}_{k-1/2}\right]$$

Options for the Fluxes

- Centered Differences
   k + 3/2
- Partial Upwind (\**pupwind*)
- Upwind

\_\_\_\_\_ k+1/2

k + 1

k — — — — — — — — k

k - 1



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#### area = 0: MF-plume ensemble

### **Current Implementation**

Energy conservation, with E the vertically integrated energy:

 $E(\bar{T}_{before}, \overline{qv}_{before}, \overline{ql}_{before}) + dt * sfcfluxes = E(\bar{T}_{after}, \overline{qv}_{after}, \overline{ql}_{after})$ 

CLUBB is assumed to occupy the entire grid volume

 $\bar{X}_{after} = \bar{X}_{CLUBB}$ 

With Boundary Conditions

 $\overline{w'X'}_{clubb,sfc} = sfcfluxes$ 



area = 1: CLUBB turbulence



#### **2-Volume Problem**

Energy conservation, with E the vertically integrated energy:

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Conserving energy with two volumes requires:

 $\bar{X}_{after} = a\bar{X}_a + b\bar{X}_b$ 

a + b = 1

and Boundary Conditions for each volume:

$$\overline{w'X'}_{b,sfc} = sfcfluxes$$

$$\left[\sum_{n} w_{a,n} * (X_{a,n} - \bar{X}_b)\right]_{a,sfc} = sfcfluxes$$



b = CLUBB turbulence

a = MF-plume ensemble



#### Where we are now

- CLUBB+MF v0 is on cam\_development
  - Surface driven convection (draws from an assumed w-pdf at sfc)
  - Plume profiles from a stochastically entraining plume model
  - Steady-state w-equation
  - Simple auto-conversion microphysics (Suselj et al 2019)
- CLUBB+MF v1.X
  - Energy conservation fix
  - Switched to upwind fluxes
  - Evaporation of rain, downdrafts & cold pool param (Suselj et al 2019)
  - Monte-Carlo sampling of the surface w-pdf (use CLUBB pdf?)
  - Experimental 2-volume framework (?)

