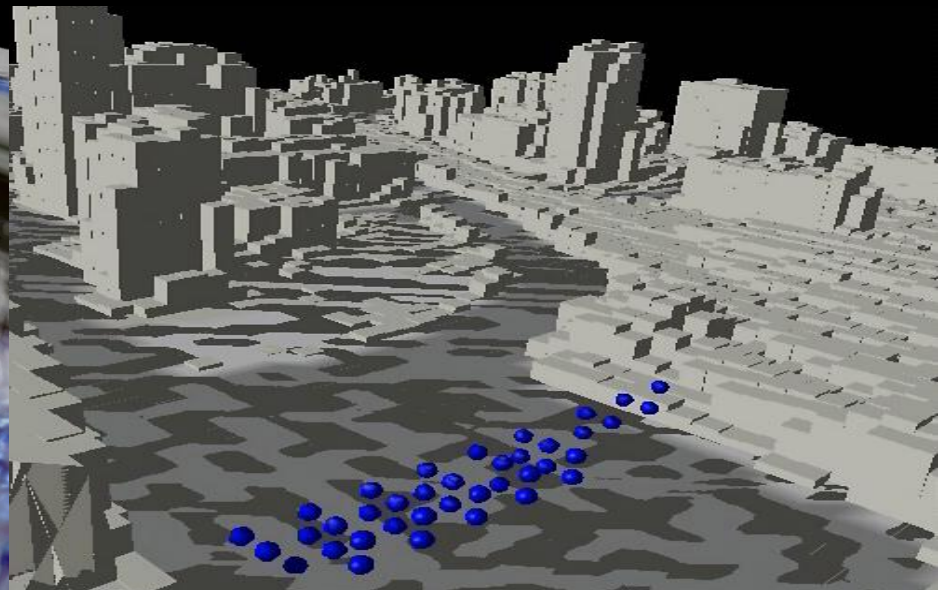
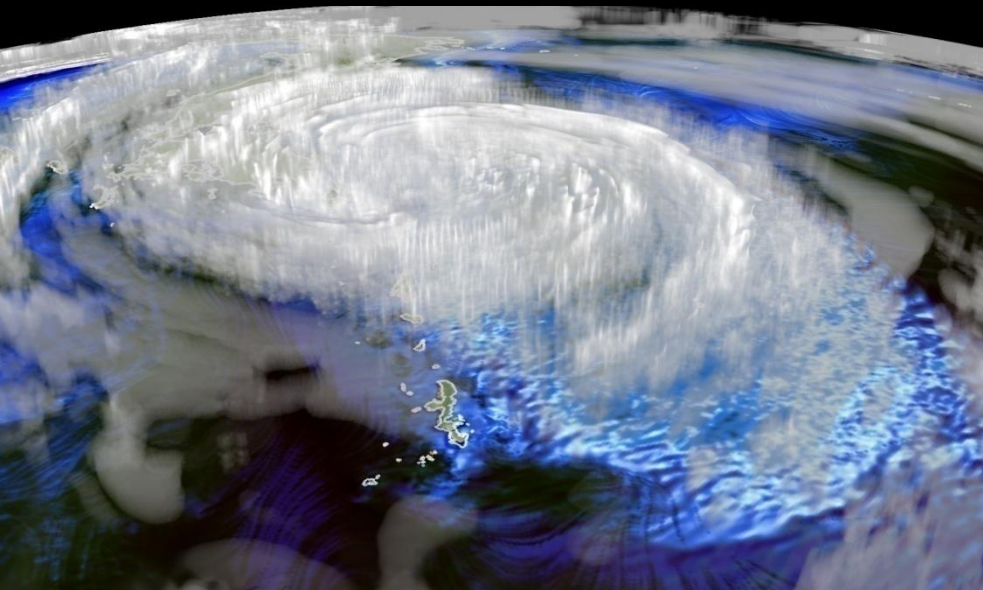




# High Performance Computing of MSSG and its Physical Performance



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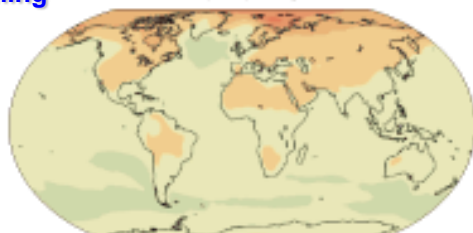
# Outline of Seamless Simulations with MSSG



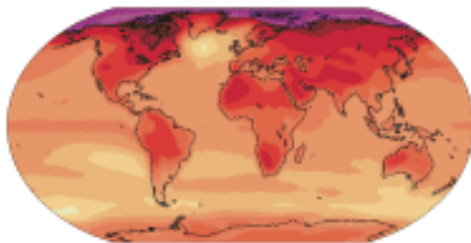
Earth with MSSG

Global warming

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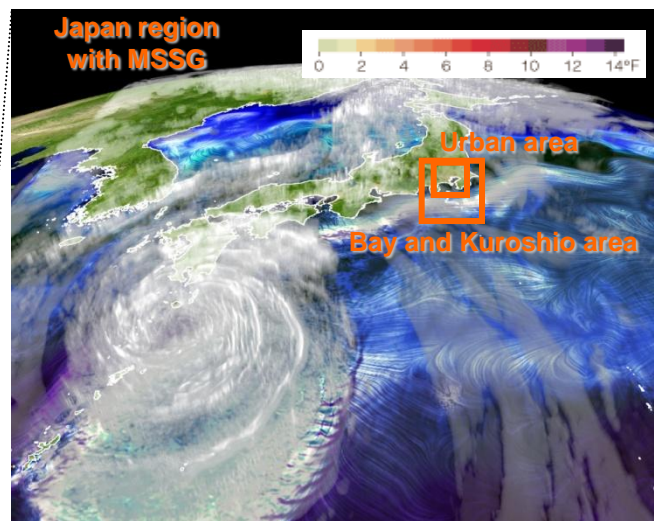


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Source: Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change

The New York TI

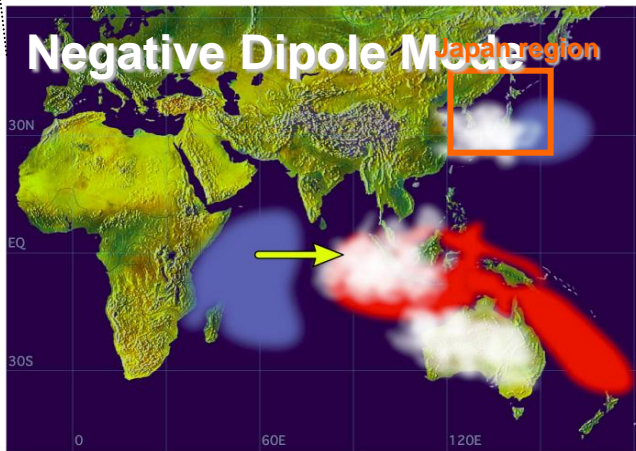


Japan region with MSSG



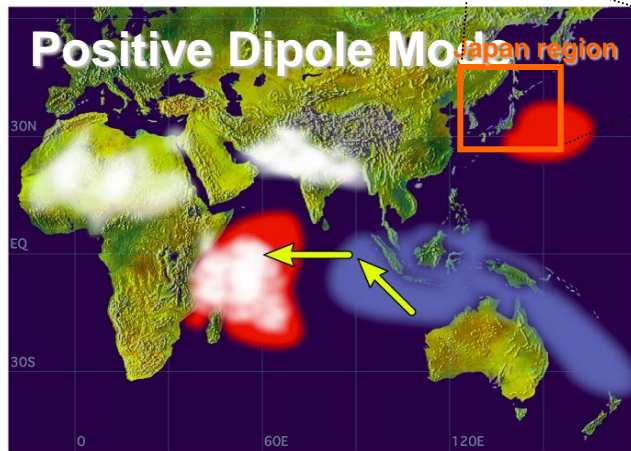
Urban area

Bay and Kuroshio area



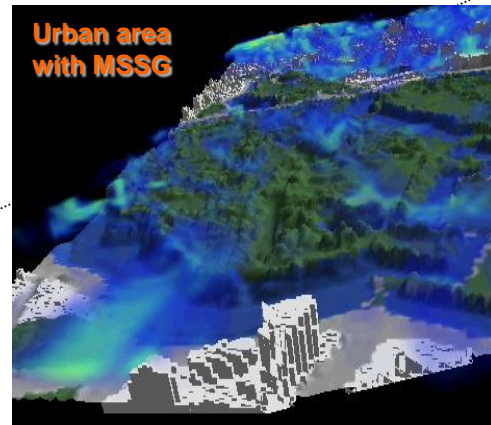
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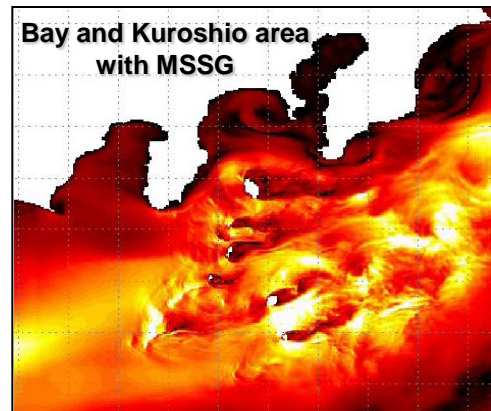


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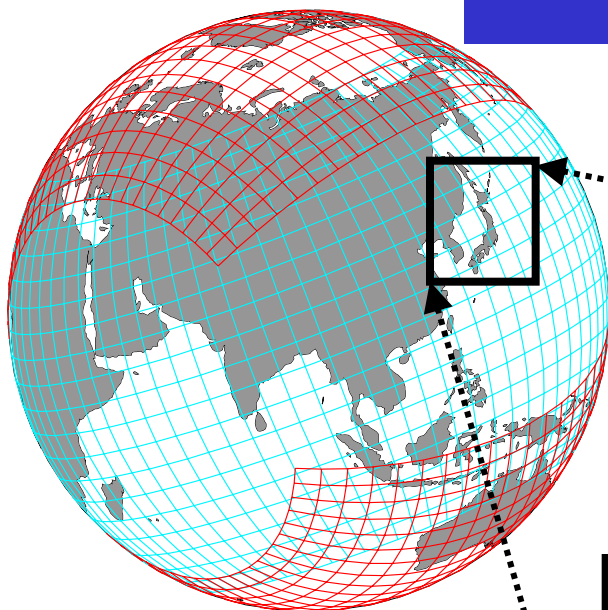
Bay and Kuroshio area with MSSG

## Extremes



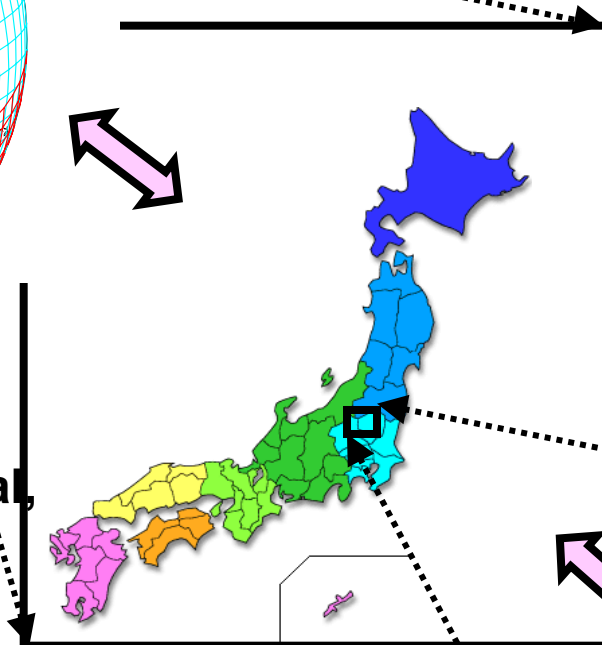
# Multi-Scale Simulator for the Geoenvironment (MSSG)

## Scalability



**Seasonal ~ Annual  
Projection**

**2- 40 km for horizontal,  
100 vertical layers**



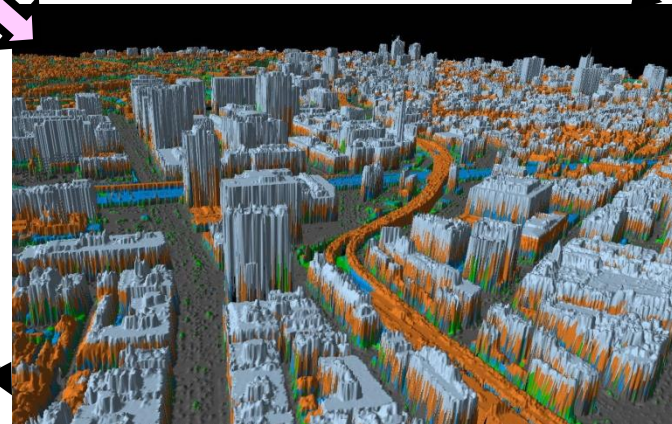
**Urban Weather/Climate  
Forecasting**

**$O(1)m \sim O(100)m$  for horizontal,  
200 vertical layers**

**(Data: Geographical Survey Institute)**

**Days ~ Weeks forecasting  
Typhoon, Baiu rain etc.**

**$O(100)$  m - 2km for horizontal  
100 vertical layers**



Results from  
MSSG  
on  
Google Earth

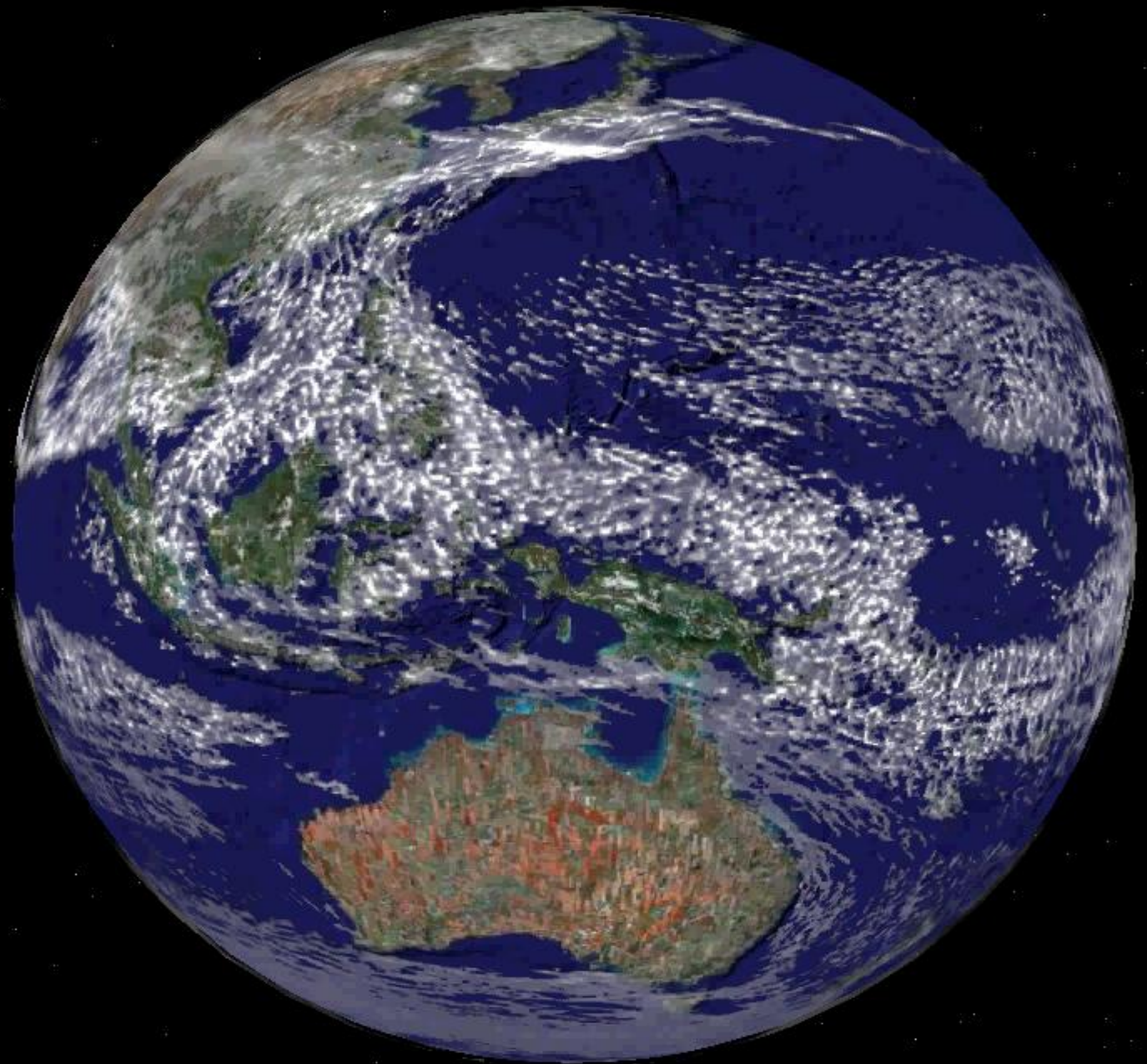


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# Our Grand Challenge

## Prediction/Forecasting

Under the Global Warming  
Under the IOD/ El Nino  
⇔ Seasonal Forecasting,  
Regional Climate  
Urban Climate

Impact of

Cloud Scale ⇔ Synoptic Scale  
Weather ⇔ Climate Change



For Seamless Simulation between Weather and Climate

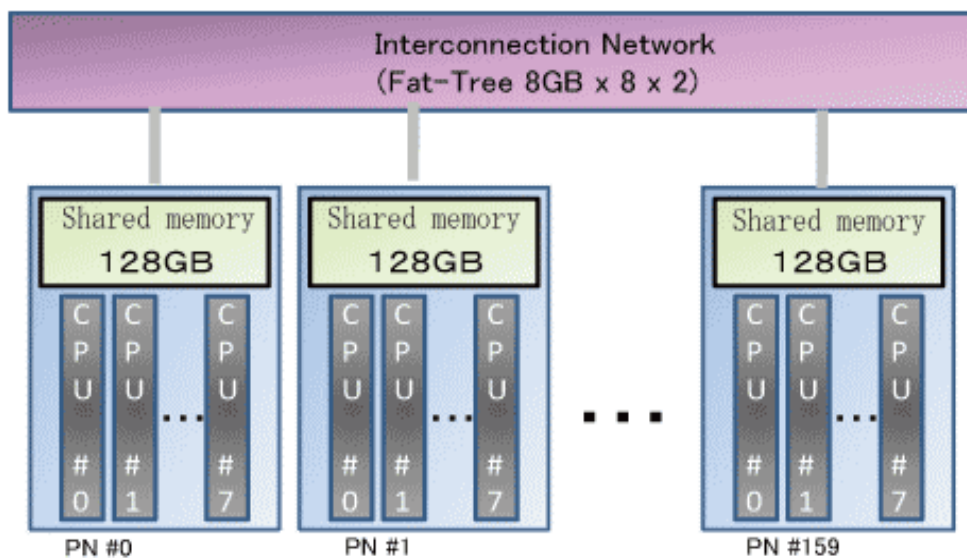
**MSSG**  
(**M**ulti-**S**cale **S**imulator for the **G**eoenvironment )  
**C**oupled Atmosphere-Ocean-Land Model  
as “**G**oogle Earth Model”

- Key words:
  - Down-scaling & Up-scaling
  - Climate/Seasonal Variability
  - Atmosphere-Ocean Interactions
  - Urban weather/climate

# Earth Simulator (ES2)

## Hardware

Peak performance/CPU	102.4Gflops	Total number of CPUs	1280
Peak performance/PN	819.2Gflops	Total number of PNs	160
Shared memory/PN	128GByte	Total peak performance	131Tflops
CPUs/PN	8	Total main memory	20TByte



# Ultra High Resolution Simulation

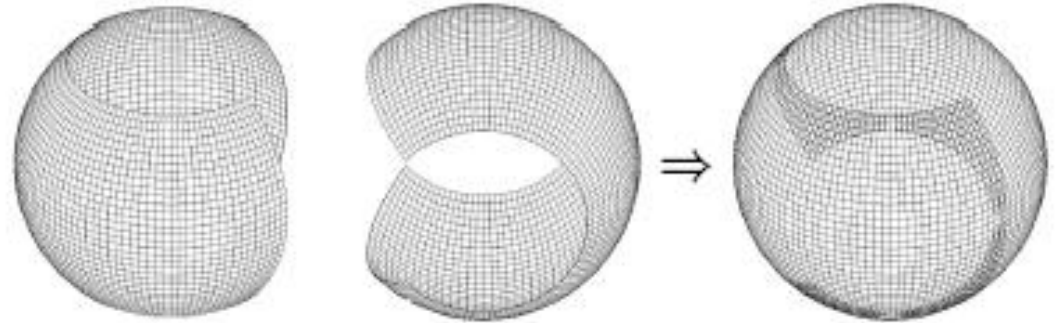
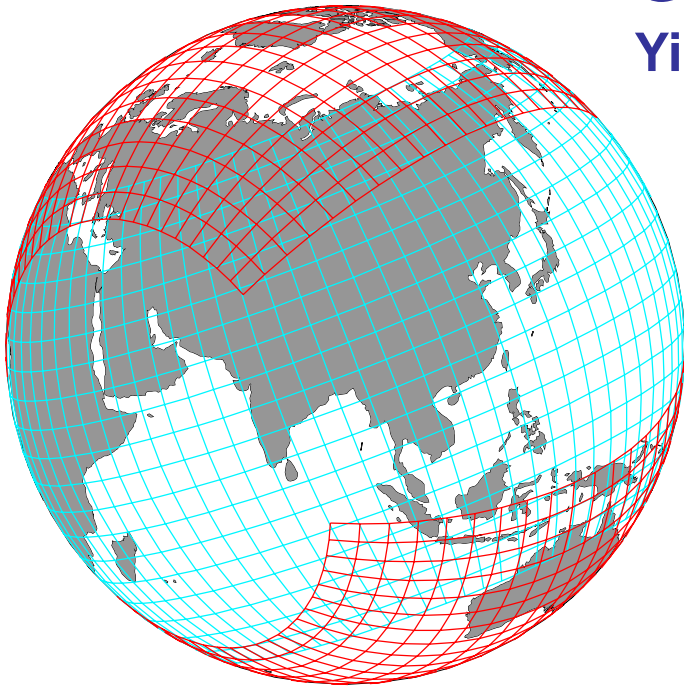
Global Simulation  
Regional Simulation

Up to the Limitation of Computational Power  
of the Earth Simulator



# Grid System

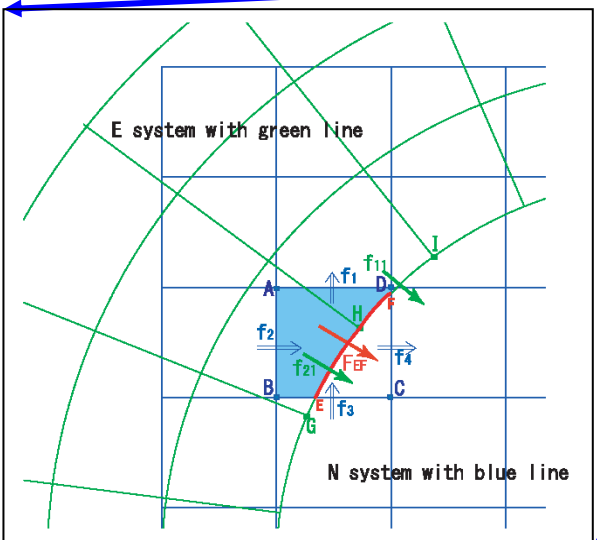
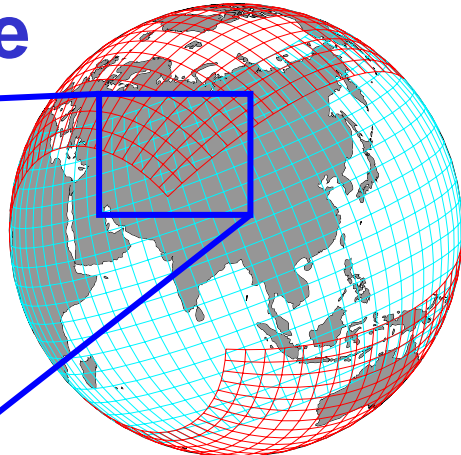
## Yin-Yang Grid System



- **Orthogonal coordinates.** (same as the lat-lon geometry)
- **No polar singularity.**
- **Relax of CFL condition.**
- **The same grid structure of N and E component.**
- **Easy to nest.**
- **High parallelization.**
- **But need to take care of conservation law.**

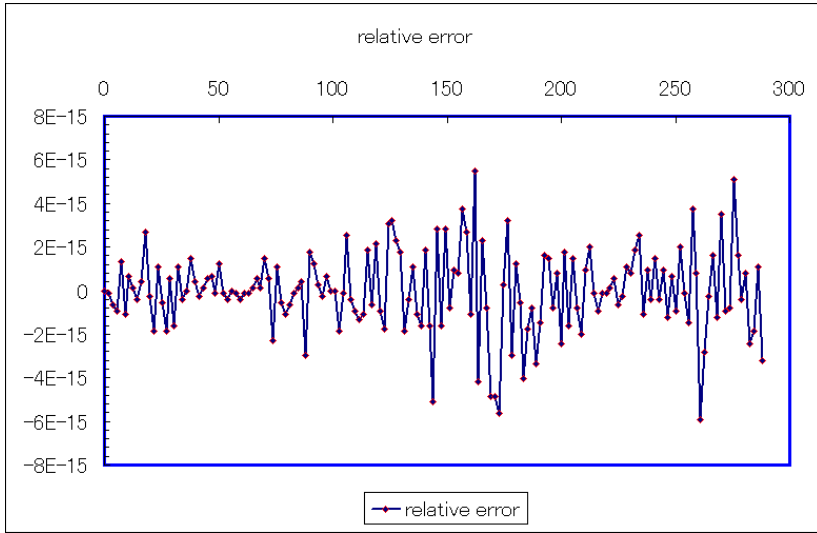
Y. Baba, K. Takahashi, T. Sugimura, K.Goto, Dynamical Core of an Atmospheric General Circulation Model on a Yin–Yang Grid, Monthly Weather Review, 138, 3988-4005 (2010).

# Mass conserving numerical scheme



For flux  $F_{EF}$  on a circular arc EF shown as red circle is computed by the budget of fluxes  $f_N$  by on grid ABCD of N system and flux  $f_E$  estimated on a circular arc GHI of E system.

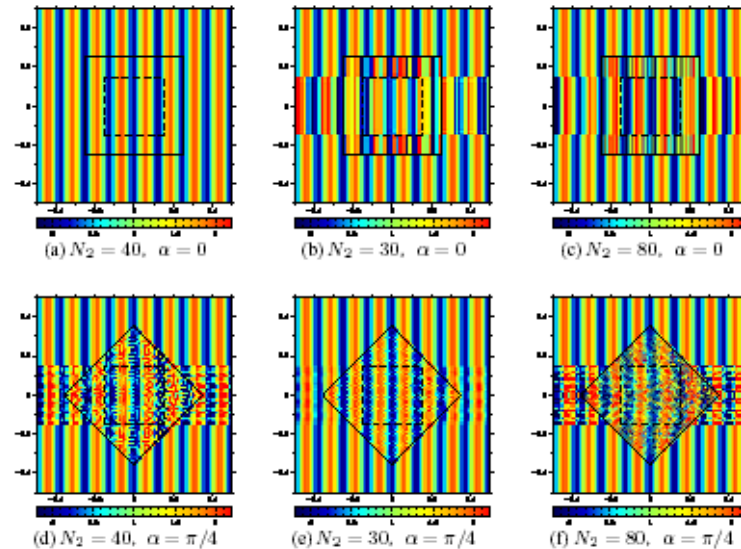
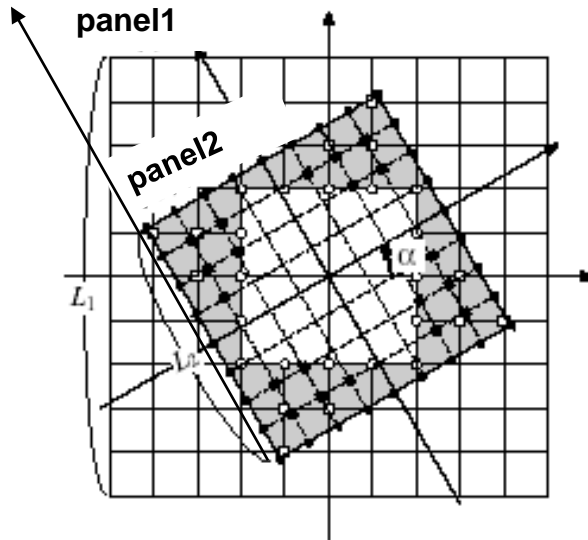
**Computation all of fluxes  
on computational grids**  
 ↓  
**Correction for conserving**



This conservative scheme, we have evaluated that time evolution of relative error of the mass has changed within the limit of rounding error.

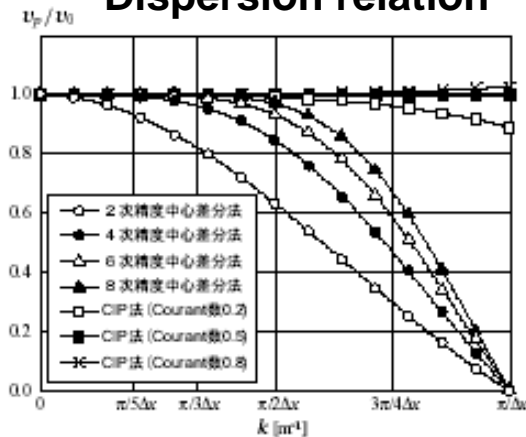
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# Wave propagation characteristics on overset grid system

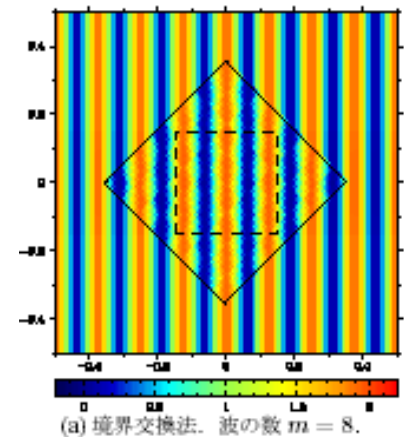


High order computational schemes and interpolation are required.

## Dispersion relation

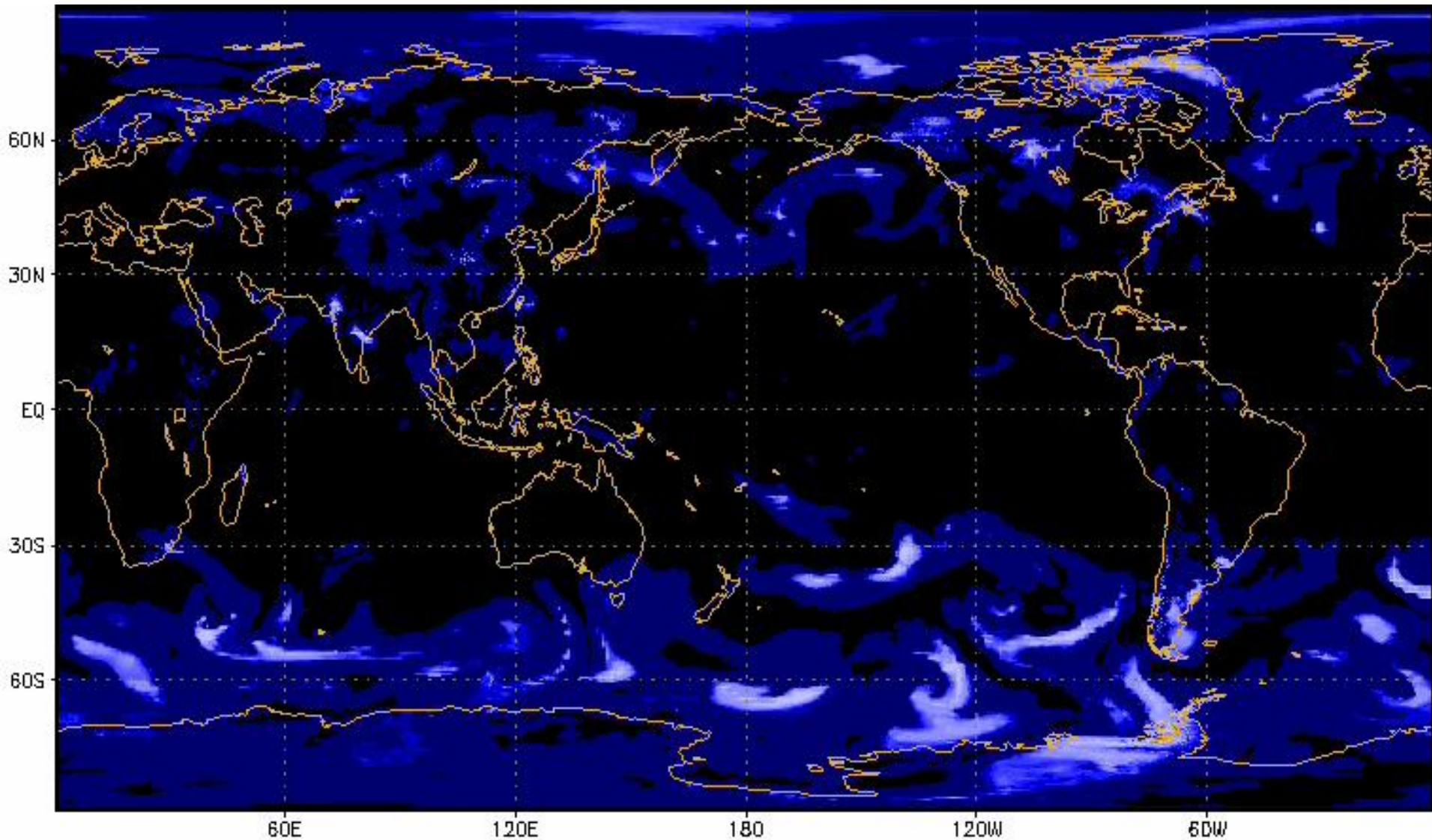


Dispersion relation is important to avoid errors on interface of overset grid system.



# Global Atmosphere Simulation with MSSG-A

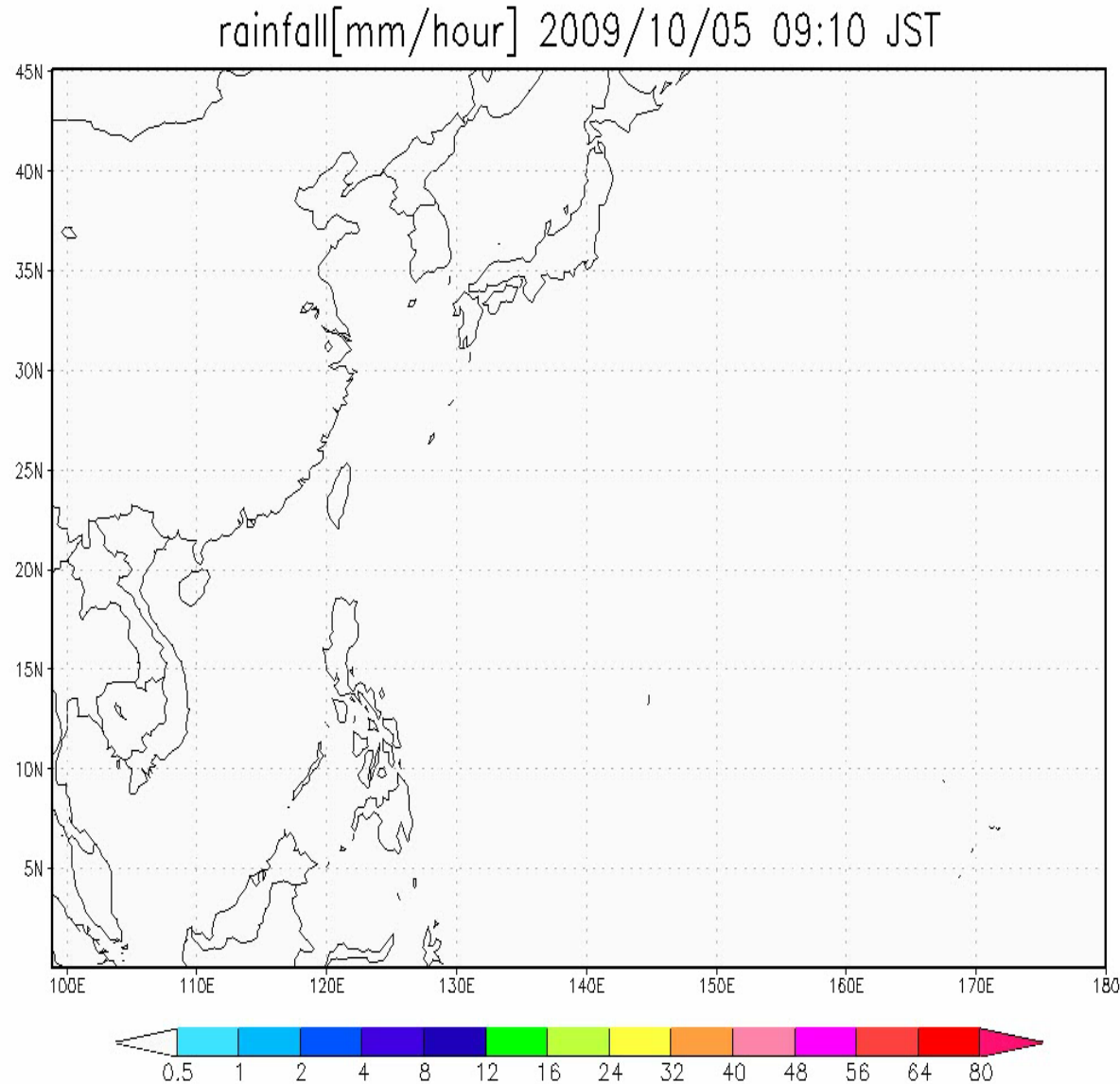
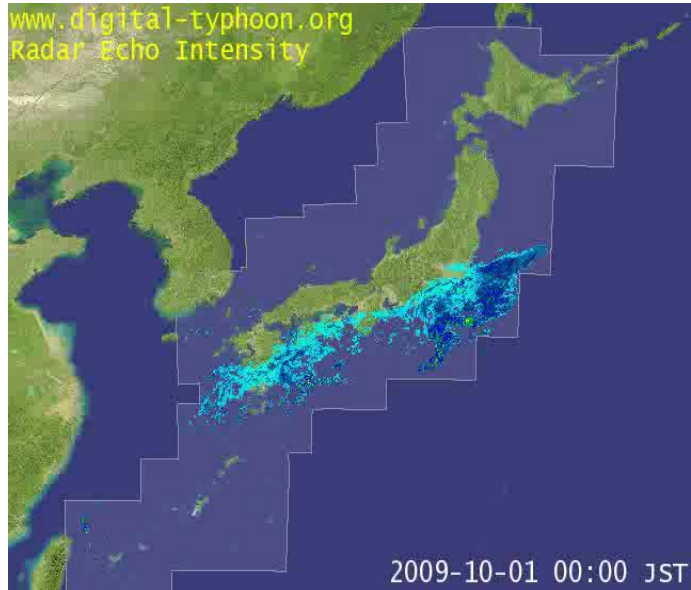
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Horizontal resolution: 2.6 km for global  
32 vertical layers



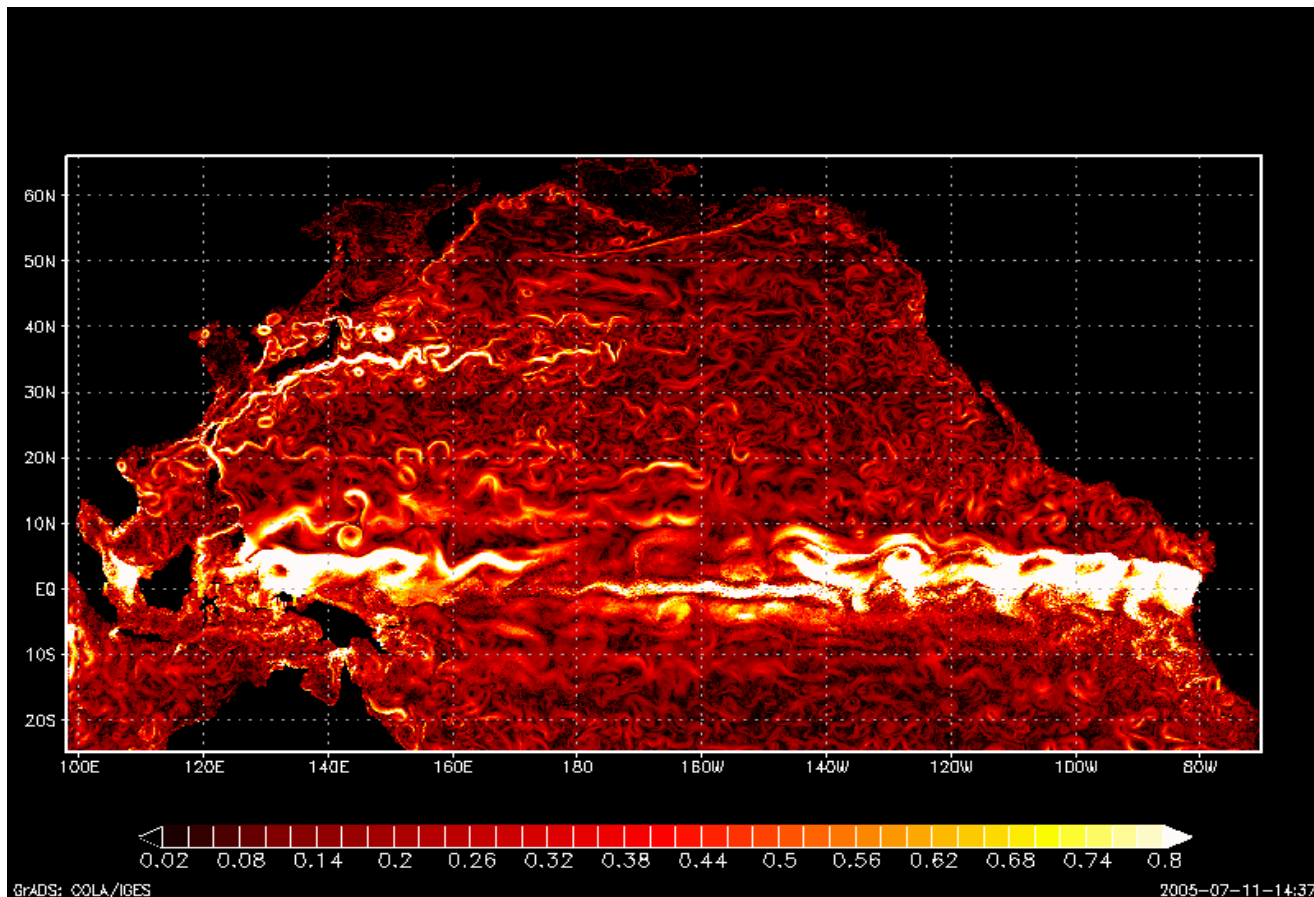
# Ocean Component of Multi-Scale Simulator for the Geoenvironment: MSSG-O

## The Northern Pacific Ocean

Horizontal Resolution: **2.78km**, Vertical Layers: 40 layers, 15 years integration

Boundary condition: monthly data from NCAR

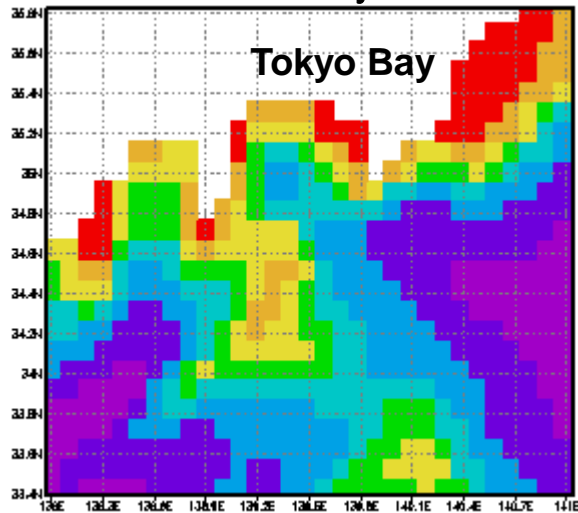
monthly data from OFES simulation( 10km global simulation)



# Simulation Results in Coastal Regeon with **MSSG-O**

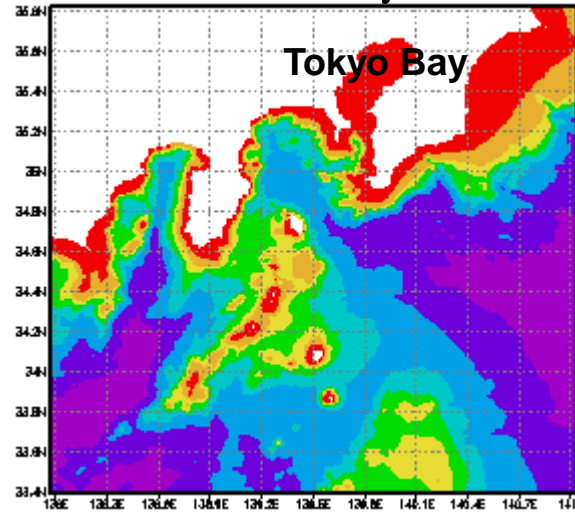
The Northern Pacific Ocean nesting to Japan region

Horizontal : 11km,  
40 vertical layers



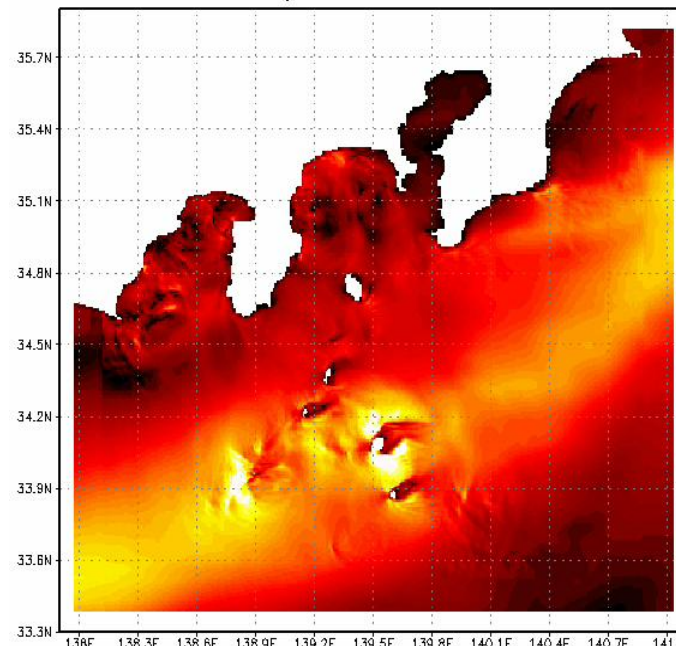
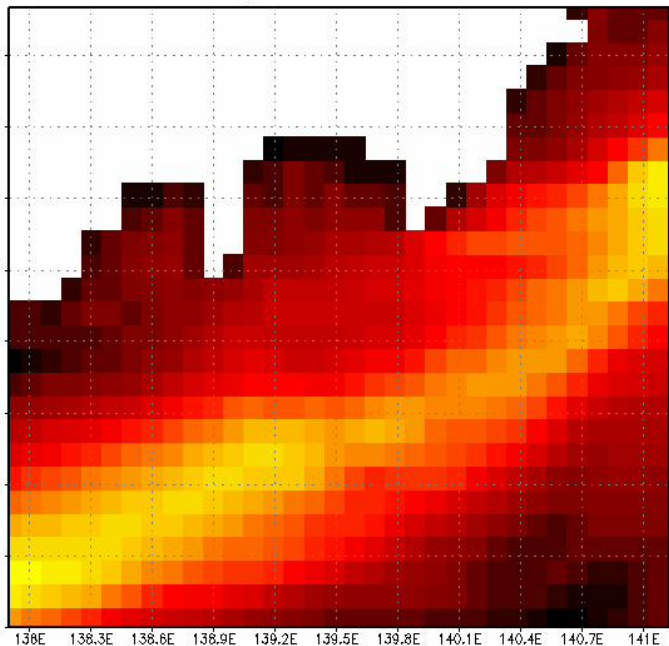
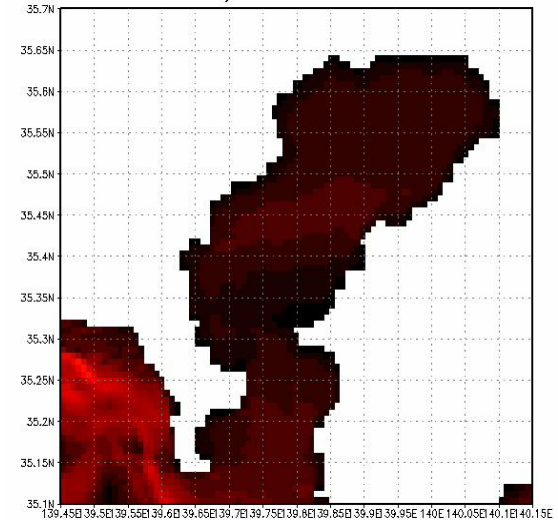
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Horizontal : 850m,  
40 vertical layers



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**Tokyo Bay**  
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# Outline of MSSG

		<b>MSSG-A</b>	<b>MSSG-O</b>
		Non-hydrostatic AGCM	Non-hydrostatic /hydrostatic OGCM
governing eqs.		Fully compressive N-S eqs.	incompressible N-S eqs.
grid system		Yin-Yang grid (overlapped 2 lat-lon)	Yin-Yang grid (overlapped 2 lat-lon)
discretization	space	Arakawa-C grid (horizontal), $Z^*$ (vertical)	Arakawa-C grid (horizontal), $Z^*$ (vertical)
	time	3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Runge-Kutta	3 <sup>rd</sup> /4 <sup>th</sup> Runge-Kutta
adv. schemes		5 <sup>th</sup> flux form, WAF, CIP-CSLR	5 <sup>th</sup> flux form
non-adv. schemes		4 <sup>th</sup> flux form	4 <sup>th</sup> flux form
sound wave		HEVI, HIVI	Implicit methods (2D, 3D)
microphysics		Bulk method ( $Q_c, Q_r, Q_i, Q_s, Q_g$ )/ hybrid-Bin method	-
turbulence model		static Smagorinsky scheme	static Smagorinsky model
other models		cloud radiation model, bucket land model, UCSS urban canopy model	sea-ice model
parallelization		horizontal 2D decomposition by MPI/ vertical decomposition by micro-task	horizontal 2D decomposition by MPI/ vertical decomposition by micro-task



# Dynamical Framework (1)

- **Atmosphere: Fully compressible, non-hydrostatic equations**

**Continuity equation** 
$$\frac{\partial \rho'}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}} a \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial (G^{\frac{1}{2}} \rho u)}{\partial \lambda} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}} a \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial (G^{\frac{1}{2}} \cos \varphi \rho v)}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{\partial (\rho w^*)}{\partial z^*} = 0$$

**Momentum equation** 
$$\frac{\partial \rho u}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}} a \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial (G^{\frac{1}{2}} p')}{\partial \lambda} = -\nabla \cdot (\rho u \vec{v}) + 2f_r \rho v - 2f_\varphi \rho w + \frac{\rho u u \tan \varphi}{a} - \frac{\rho w u}{a} + F_\lambda$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho v}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}} a} \frac{\partial (G^{\frac{1}{2}} p')}{\partial \varphi} = -\nabla \cdot (\rho v \vec{v}) + 2f_\lambda \rho w - 2f_r \rho u - \frac{\rho u u \tan \varphi}{a} - \frac{\rho w v}{a} + F_\varphi$$

$$\frac{\partial \rho w}{\partial t} + \frac{1}{G^{\frac{1}{2}}} \frac{\partial p'}{\partial z^*} + \rho' \mathbf{g} = -\nabla \cdot (\rho w \vec{v}) + 2f_\varphi \rho u - 2f_\lambda \rho v + \frac{\rho u u}{a} + \frac{\rho v v}{a} + F_r$$

**Pressure equation** 
$$\frac{\partial p'}{\partial t} + \nabla \cdot (p' \vec{v}) + (\gamma - 1) p \nabla \cdot \vec{v} = (\gamma - 1) \kappa \nabla^2 T + (\gamma - 1) \Phi$$

**State equation** 
$$p = \rho R T$$

$$G^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial z^*} = 1 - \frac{z^*}{H} \quad \text{is a metric term.}$$

## Dynamical Framework (2)

- **Ocean: in-compressive and hydrostatic equations with the Boussinesq approximation**

$$\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \text{grad} c + F_c \qquad \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \text{grad} T + F_T$$

$$0 = \nabla \cdot \mathbf{v} = \left( \frac{1}{r \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial u}{\partial \lambda} + \frac{1}{r \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial(\cos \varphi v)}{\partial \varphi} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial(r^2 w)}{\partial r} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \text{grad} u + 2f_r v - 2f_\varphi w + \frac{v u \tan \varphi}{r} - \frac{w u}{r} - \frac{1}{\rho_0 r \cos \varphi} \frac{\partial P'}{\partial \lambda} + F_\lambda$$

$$\frac{\partial v}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \text{grad} v + 2f_\lambda w - 2f_r u - \frac{u u \tan \varphi}{r} - \frac{w v}{r} - \frac{1}{\rho_0 r} \frac{\partial P'}{\partial \varphi} = +F_\varphi$$

$$\frac{\partial w}{\partial t} = -\mathbf{v} \text{grad} w + 2f_\varphi u - 2f_\lambda v + \frac{u u}{r} + \frac{v v}{r} - \frac{1}{\rho_0} \frac{\partial P'}{\partial r} - \frac{\rho'}{\rho_0} \mathbf{g} + F_r$$

$$\frac{d}{dr} P_0 = -\rho_0 g(r)$$

$$\rho = \rho(T, c, P_0) \quad ( : \text{ UNESCO scheme})$$

# ***MSSG as a Multi-Scale Coupled Model with nesting schemes***

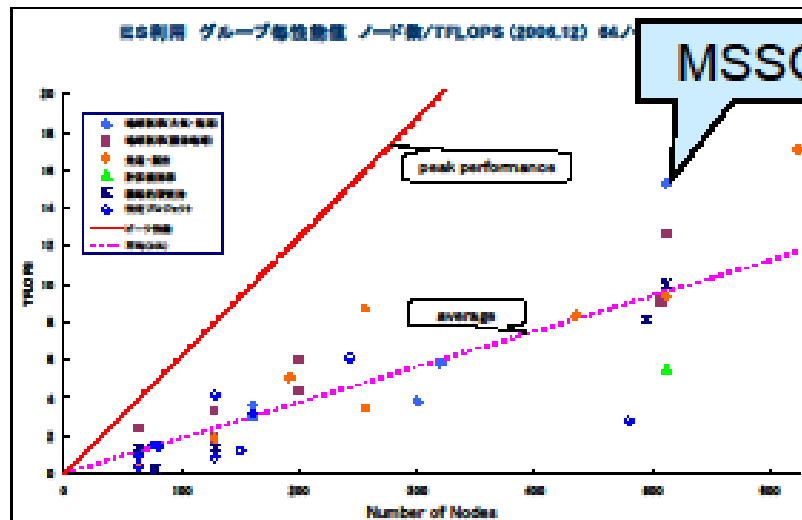
**MSSG is available for the hierarchy of broad range of space and time scales of weather/climate phenomena as follows,**

- **Global non-hydrostatic atmospheric circulation model: [Global MSSG-A](#)**
- **Regional non-hydrostatic atmospheric model: [Regional MSSG-A](#)**
  
- **Global non-hydrostatic/hydrostatic ocean model: [Global MSSG-O](#)**
- **Regional non-hydrostatic/hydrostatic ocean model: [Regional MSSG-O](#)**
  
- **Coupled Global MSSG-A Global MSSG-O: [MSSG](#)**
- **Coupled Regional MSSG-A Regional MSSG-O: [Regional MSSG](#)**
  
- **MSSG (global) coupled with Regional MSSG using nesting schemes**

# Computational Performance of MSSG on the Earth Simulator

CASE	TPN	TAP	grid pts	Mflops/AP	Vector Length	V.OP ratio	Tflops	Peak ratio	Parallel efficiency	Speed up
<b>C</b>	512	4096		4166.7	229	99.3%	17.07	52.1%	90.0%	461.0
	384	3072	3,866,296,320	4273.8	229	99.3%	13.13	53.4%	92.3%	354.6
	256	2048		4401.9	229	99.3%	9.02	55.0%	94.8%	242.6
<b>A</b>	512	4096		4575.2	220	99.5%	10.74	57.2%	93.6%	479.1
	384	3072	2,882,764,800	4606.1	220	99.5%	14.15	57.6%	95.1%	365.2
	256	2048		4692.4	220	99.5%	9.61	58.7%	96.7%	247.5
<b>RA</b>	512	4096		4340.8	229	99.4%	17.78	54.3%	90.7%	464.4
	384	3072	2,882,764,800	4401.0	229	99.4%	13.52	55.0%	92.9%	356.6
	256	2048		4560.5	229	99.4%	9.34	57.0%	95.1%	243.5
<b>O</b>	498	3984		3629.3	240	99.3%	14.45	45.4%	80.6%	401.3
	398	3184		3568.5	240	99.3%	11.35	44.6%	83.8%	333.7
	303	2424	4,954,521,600	3986.8	240	99.3%	9.66	49.8%	87.2%	264.2
	207	1656		4214.3	240	99.3%	7.01	52.9%	90.9%	183.2

C: Coupled; A: Atmos.; RA: regional Atmos.; O: Ocean



Simple linearity will be kept until 2 PFLOPS

MSSG is selected as a core application for the next Japanese flagship supercomputer with 10PFLOPS

# Computational Performance of MSSG on the Earth Simulator

EXCLUSIVE TIME[sec]	%	MFLOPS	V.OP RATIO	AVER. V.LEN	I-CACHE MISS	O-CACHE MISS	BANK CONFLICT		PROC.NAME
							CPU PORT	NETWORK	
19777.543	99.7	18592.9	99.54	236.1	256.595	772.348	262.653	6554.572	(A1) main loop
4479.512	22.6	22277.2	99.51	239.2	90.681	198.871	74.955	1697.248	(A2) N-S HEVI
2632.633	13.3	24765.7	99.50	238.7	26.207	71.759	52.430	821.099	(A2) N-S eq.(large)
4649.974	23.4	34140.6	99.80	238.7	16.851	60.720	20.966	566.511	(A2) tracer eq.
3996.377	20.1	7798.0	99.20	213.7	87.334	272.048	57.238	1878.027	(A2) physics
285.278	1.4	1471.8	99.36	230.4	8.858	15.927	10.138	198.995	(A2) boundary
596.373	3.0	584.6	99.40	224.2	5.130	8.725	13.396	445.971	(A2) boundary (side)
235.785	1.2	6361.6	99.11	239.6	0.385	1.991	5.099	93.416	(A2) z2ps
1073.107	5.4	305.1	81.38	172.9	1.550	3.569	1.977	218.644	(A2) output
130.365	0.7	23363.6	99.42	238.4	0.399	1.103	22.172	65.026	(A2) RKG
504.566	2.5	646.3	98.62	239.8	0.295	0.326	0.012	352.960	(A2) diagno
448.958	2.3	13480.8	99.24	227.6	16.439	33.263	4.128	192.399	(A2) subfield
734.071	3.7	1083.8	79.70	236.7	0.406	99.532	0.134	23.240	(A2) recalc dt
0.317	0.0	2.1	90.13	236.1	0.037	0.091	0.001	0.013	(A2) restart

- Over 30% computational performance to theoretical peak performance of ES
- Computational cost of main loop: 18GFLOPS/1CPU
- Dynamical core (N-S eq., HEVI, tracer eq.): 60%
- Physics: 20%
- Communications: (boundary, boundary(side)): 5%
- Others: 15%

## MSSG:

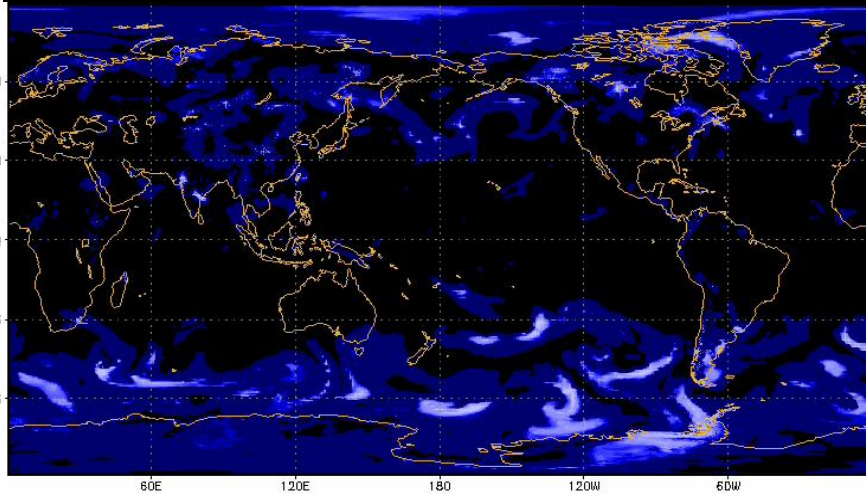
global forecasting with 11km horizontal, 40 vertical layers

5 days (120 hours) integration → about 5 hours on 48 nodes of ES2

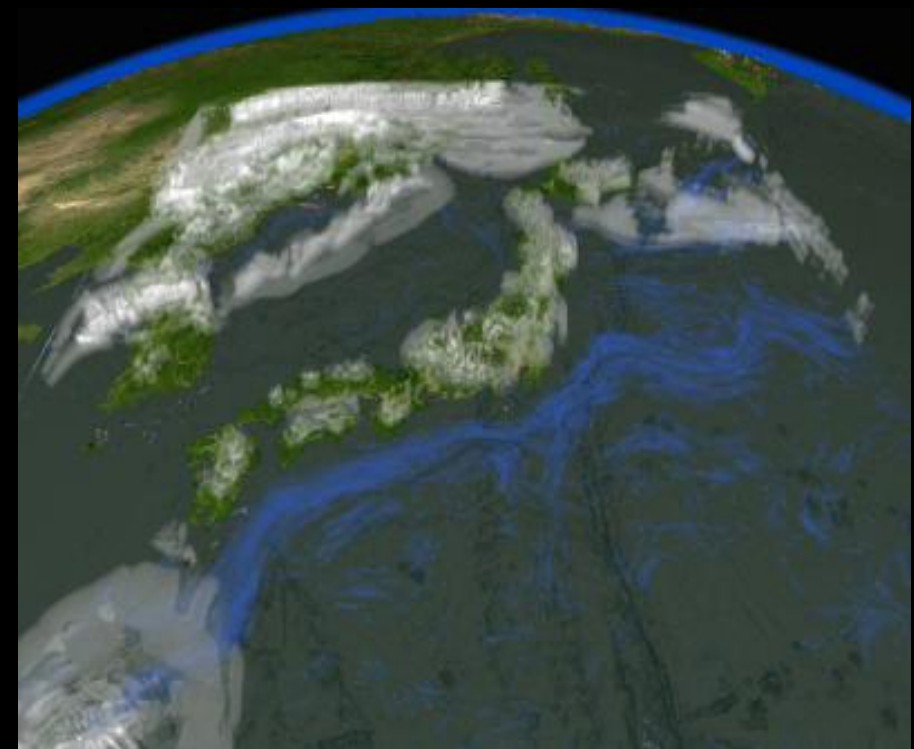
3 month integration → about 2.5 days on 80 nodes (1/2) of ES2

# MSSG-A

Horizontal: 1.9km, Vertical: 32 layers, 14 days integration



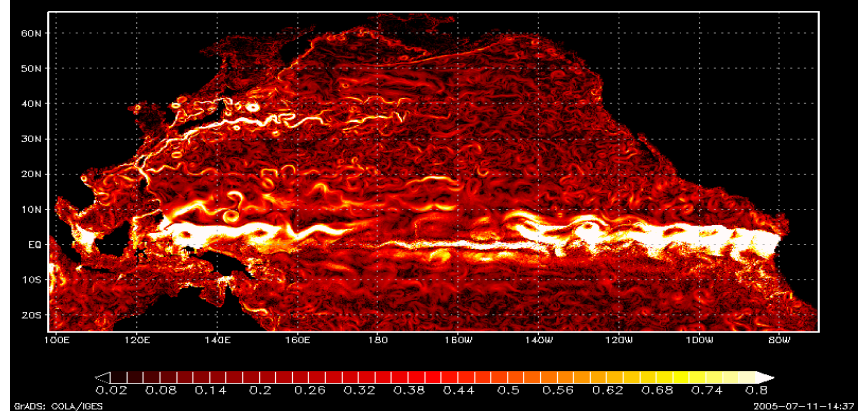
# MSSG



Typhoon ETAU in 2003

# MSSG-O

Horizontal: 2.78 km, vertical: 40 layer, 15 years integration

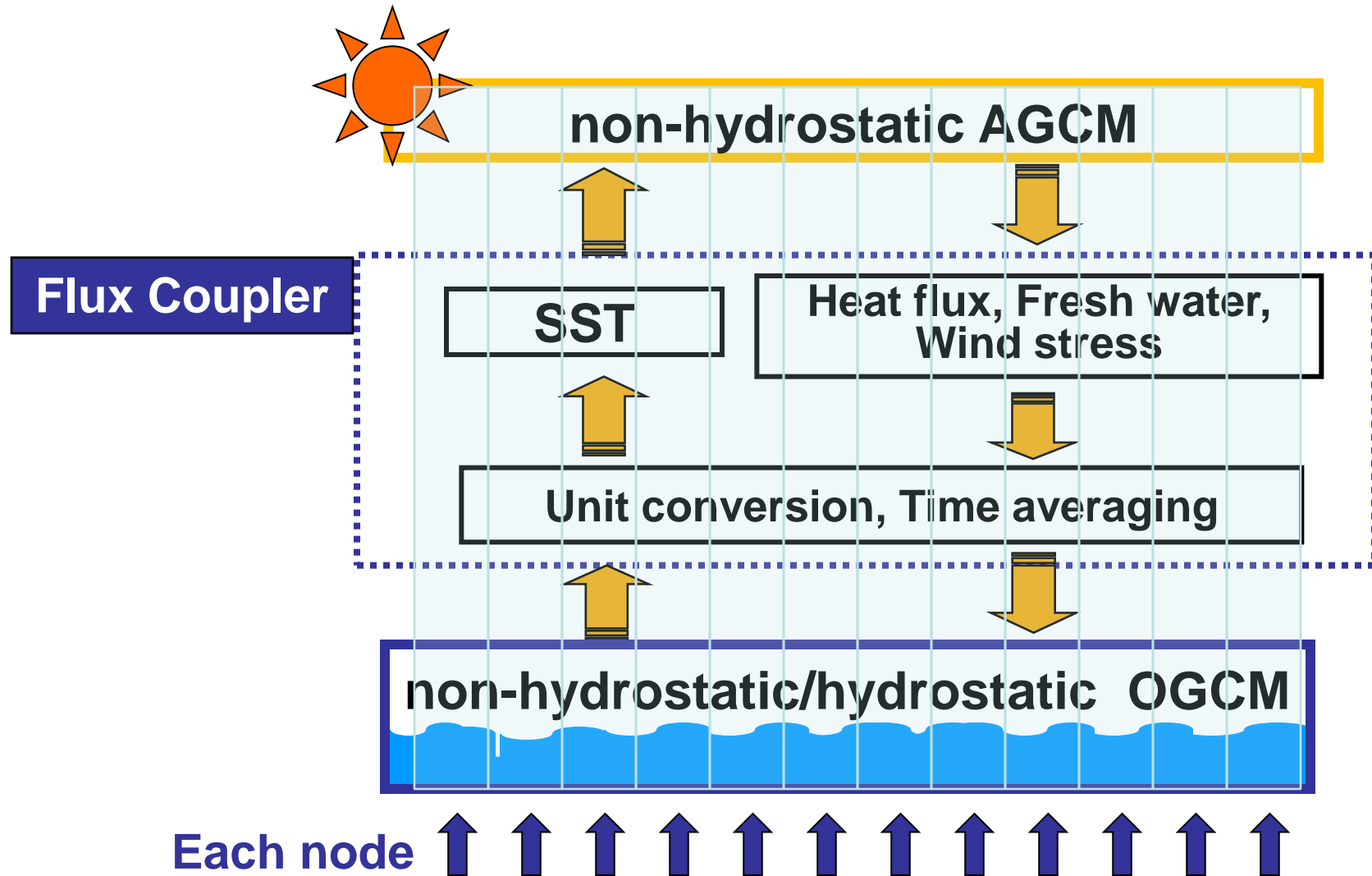


Sea Ice



Okhotsk-sea (1/12deg.)

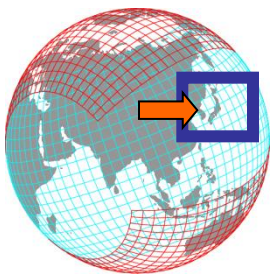
# MSSG: Coupled Atmosphere-Ocean Model



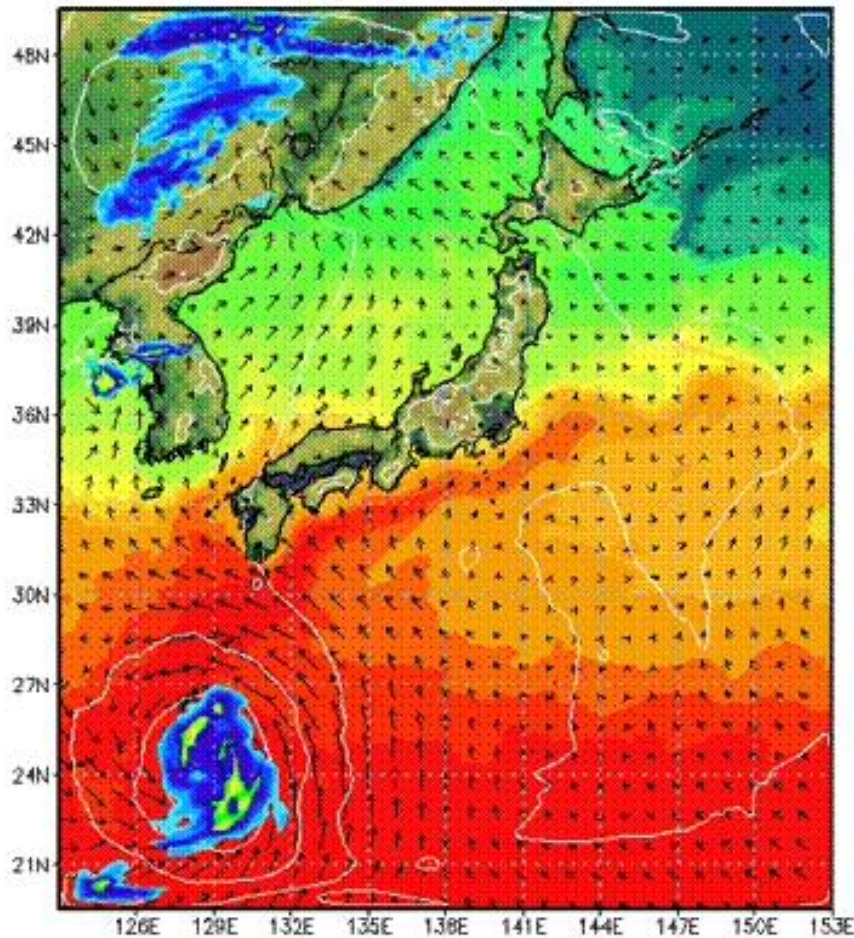
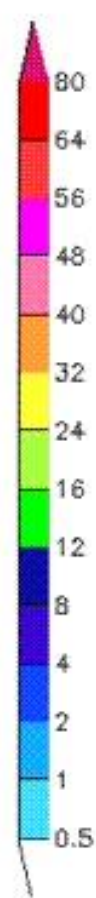
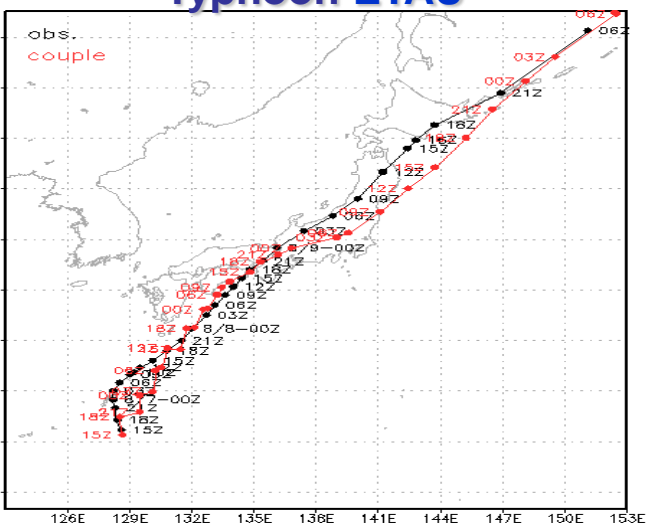
# 5 Days Forecasting of Typhoon 10 of 2003

## CSG, non-hydrostatic Global Ocean-Atmosphere Coupled Simulation

Horizontal resolution : 2.7 km  
Vertical resolution : 72 layers



### Typhoon ETAU

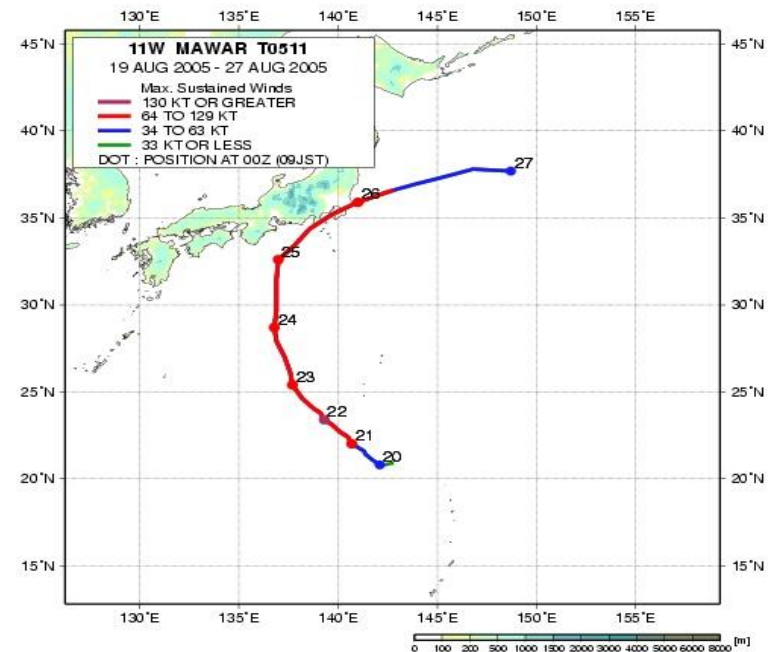
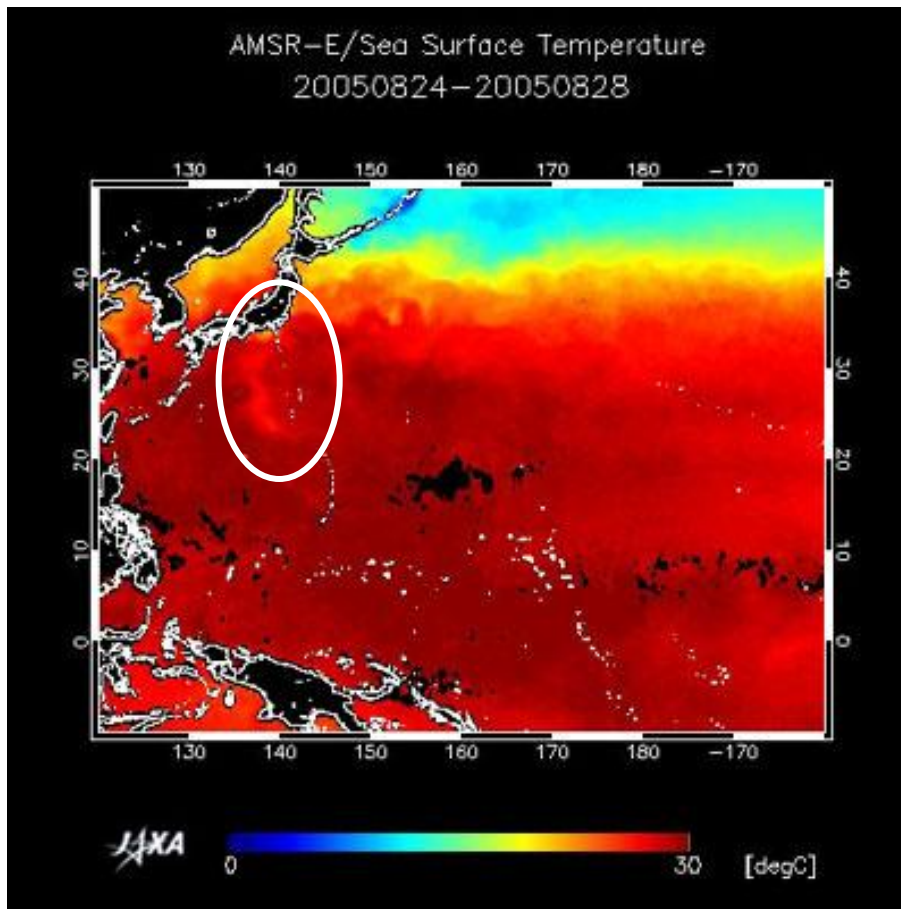




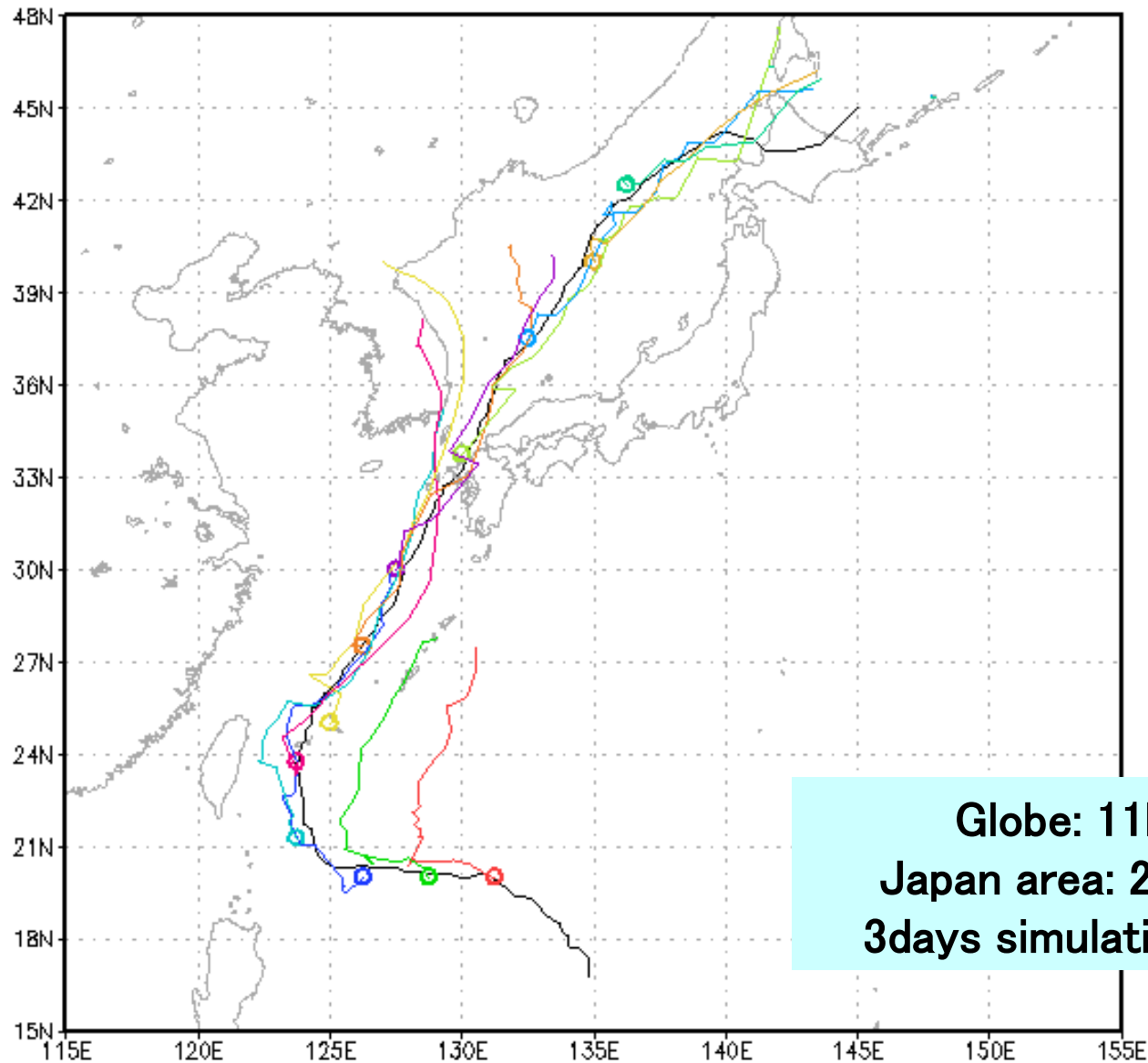
# Sea Surface Temperature after Typhoon 11 tracking (2005)

JAXA, <http://www.eorc.nasda.go.jp/imgdata/topics/2005/tp050922.html>

Aqua, NASA  
Sea Surface temperature  
averaged for 5 days(24<sup>th</sup> August~28<sup>th</sup> August)

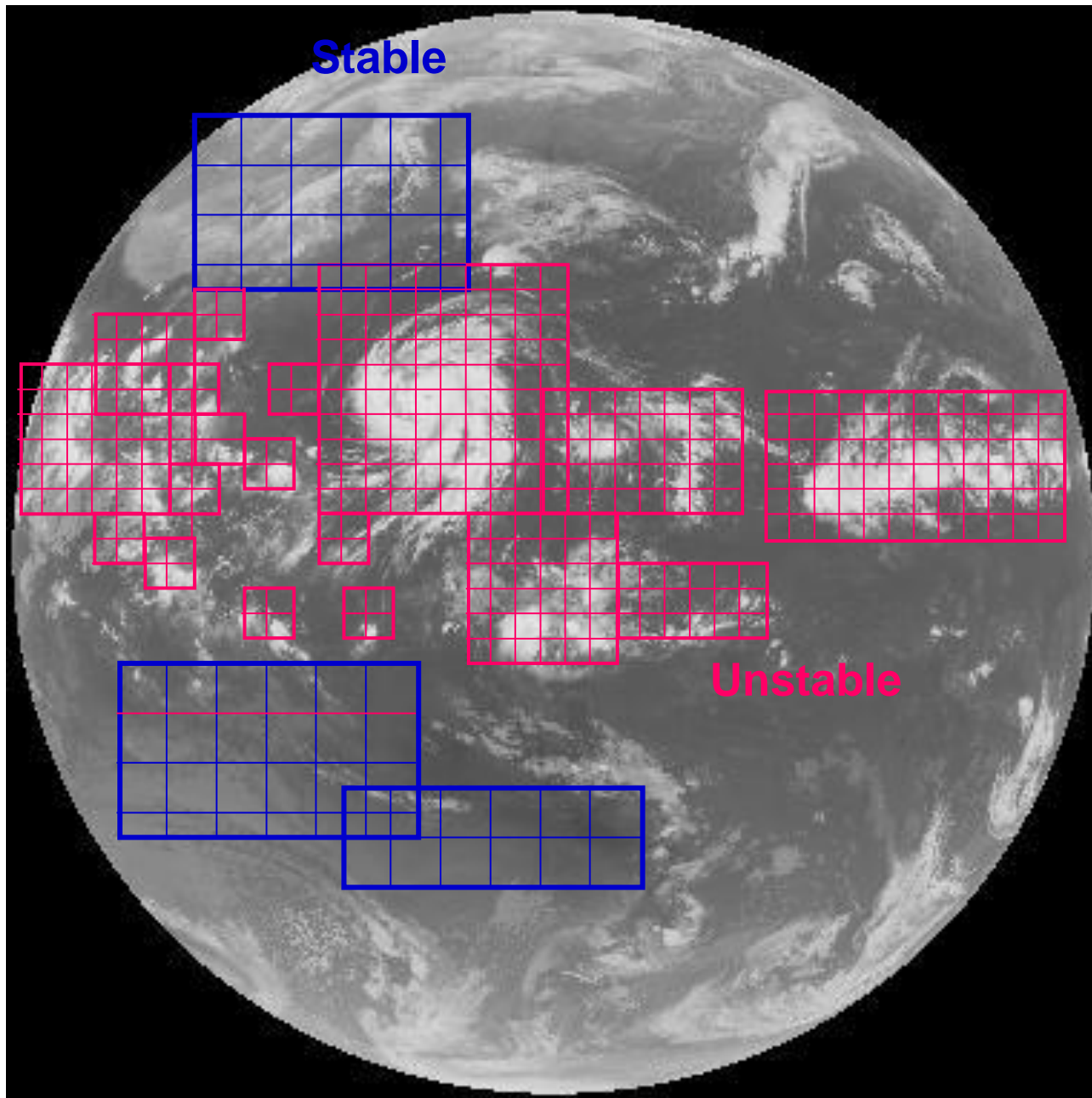


# Real time simulation for Typhoon T1306 (12-19, Sept 2006)



**Cumulus should be resolved,  
and  
*O(100)m horizontal resolution is required,  
but  
Even if Earth Simulator is used ,  
it is impossible for the whole***

**Downscaling & Upscaling !**

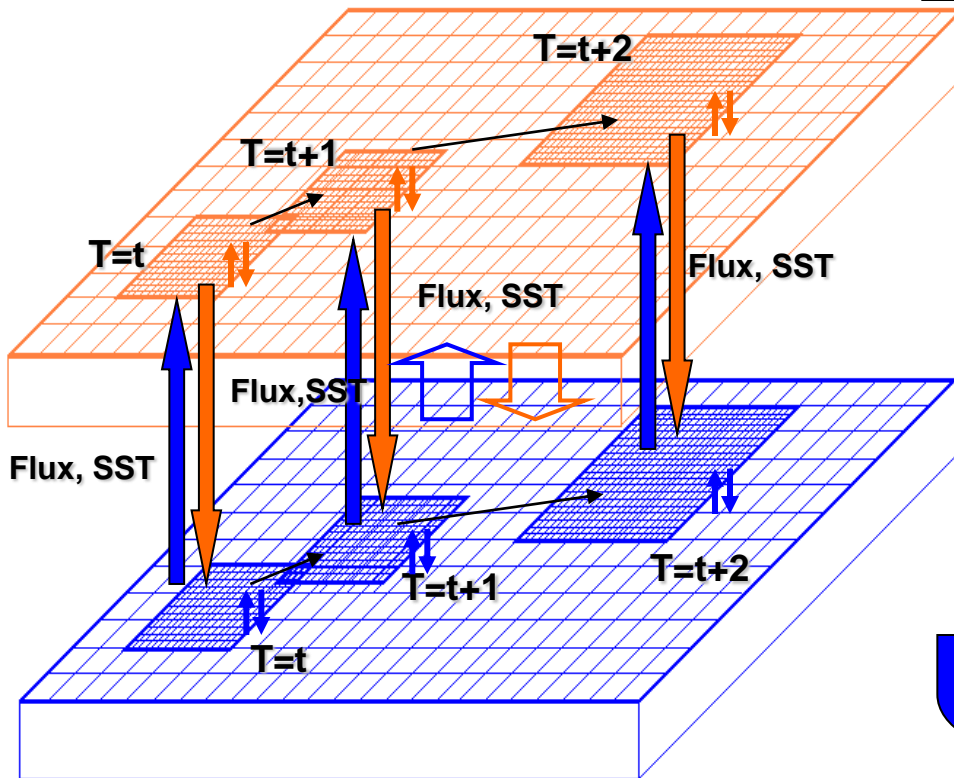


# Dynamic Adaptive Mesh Refinement

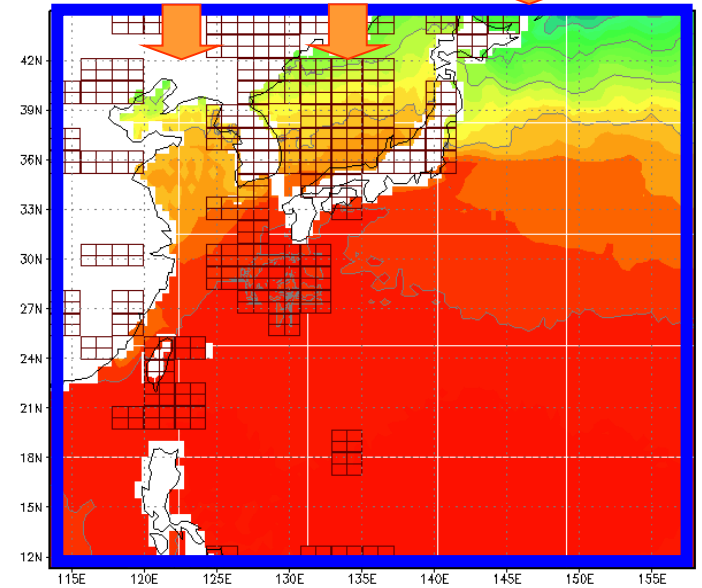
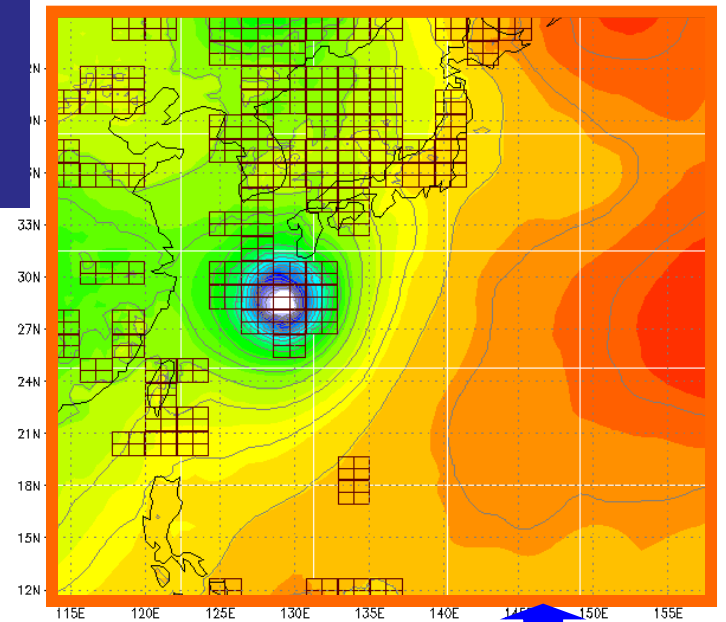
## In MSSG

Dynamic Adaptive Mesh Refinement  
+ 2-way nesting  
+ Coupling

Atmosphere

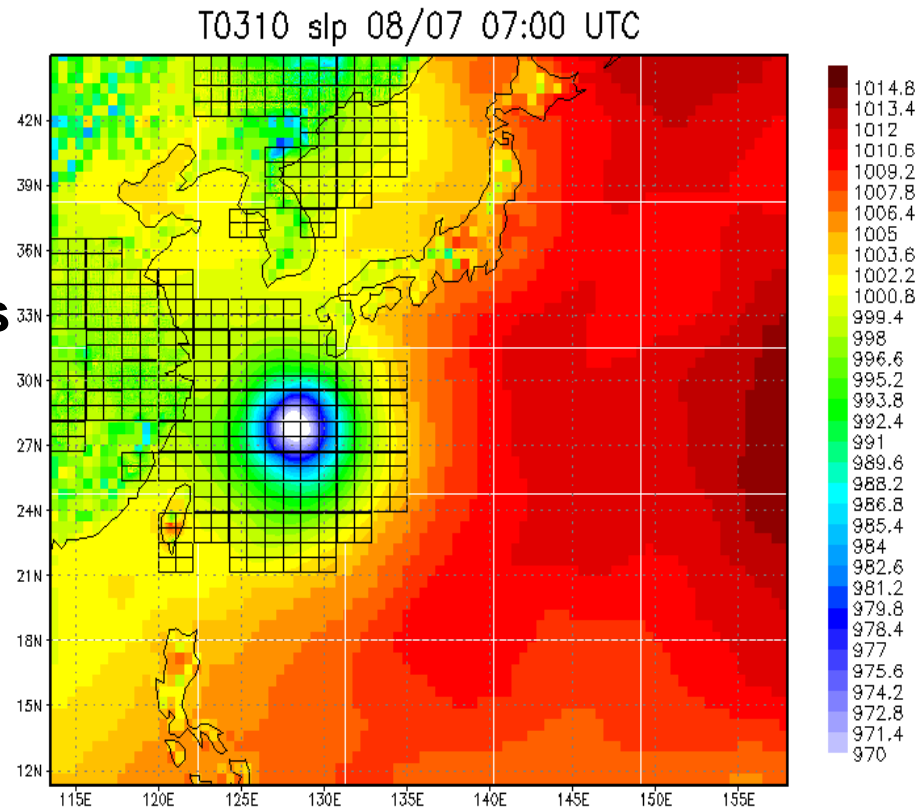


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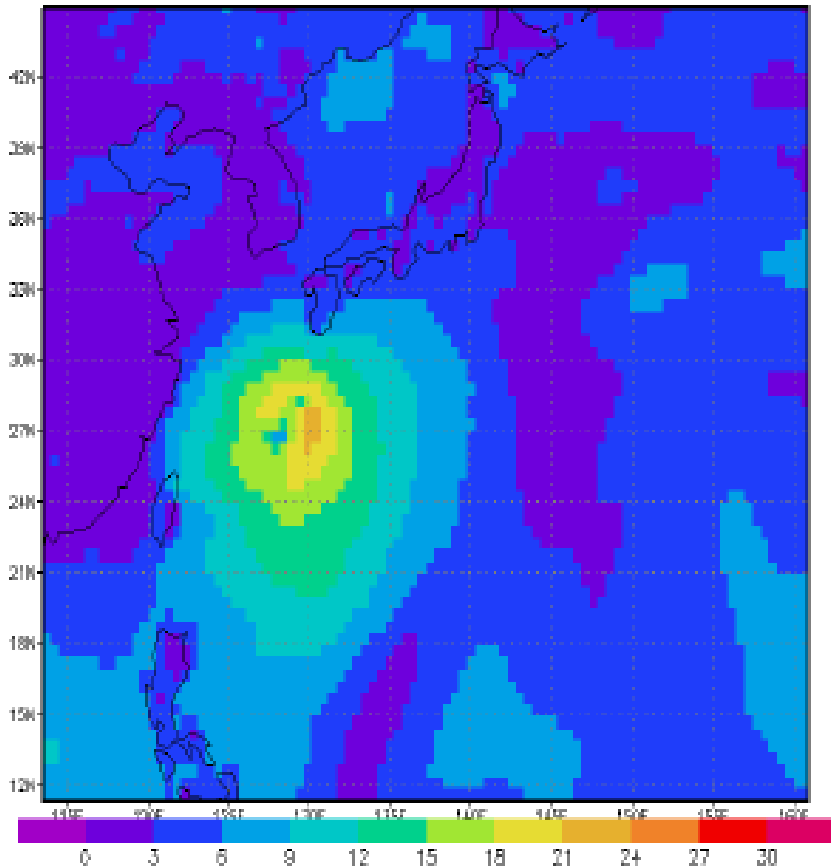
# Dynamic Adaptive Mesh Refinement

- **High Performance Computing**
  - No Overhead Computation for Moving Grid
  - Ultra High Parallelization
- **Multiple fine meshed regions are available**
- **Not only Horizontal Refinement, but Vertical Mesh refinement**
- **Refinement Criterion:**
  - low surface layer pressure
  - Vorticity
  - gradient of physical parameters

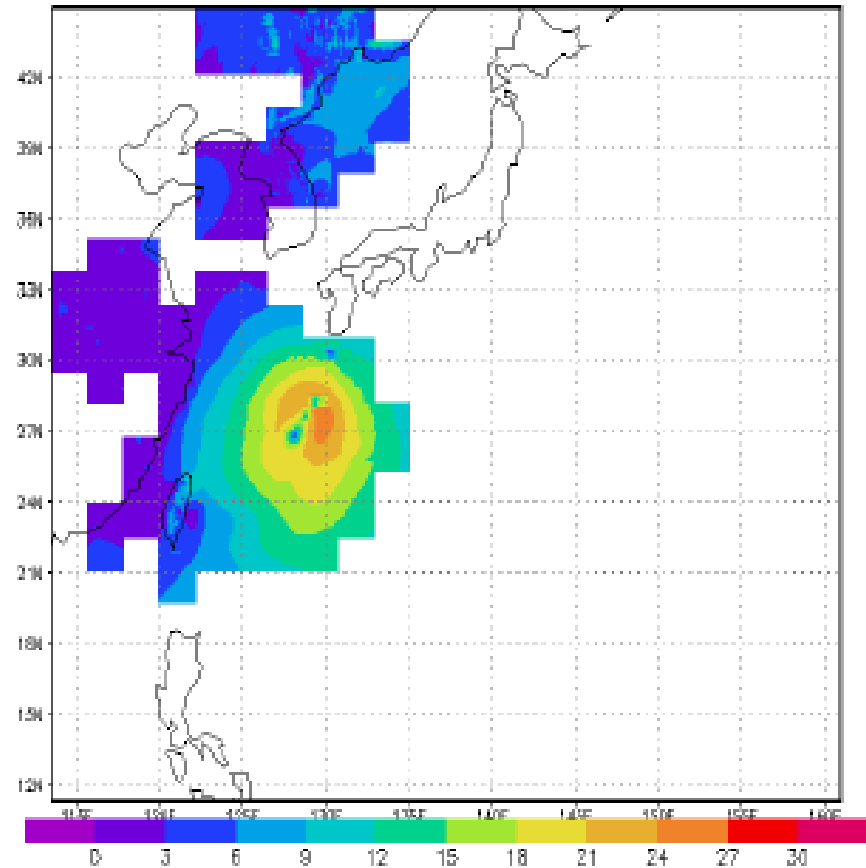


# Physical performance on coarse grid system v.s. fine grid system in AMR

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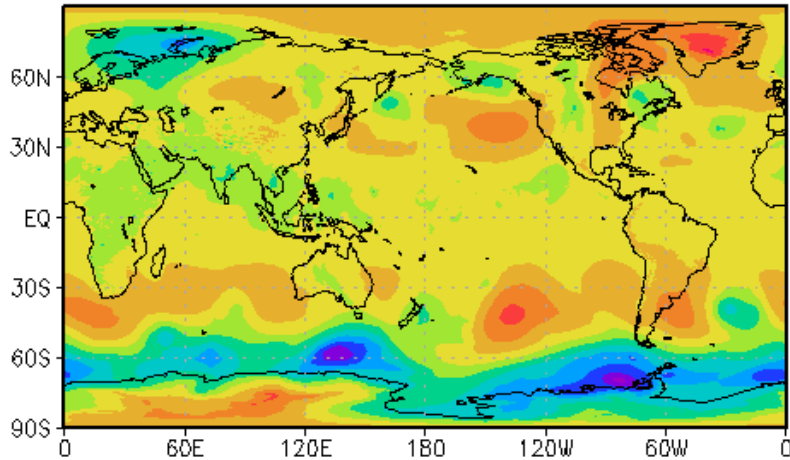


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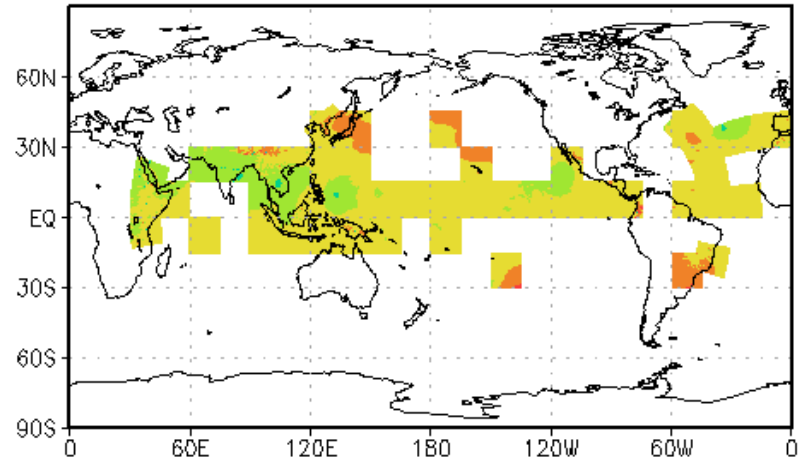


# AMR on Global Yin-Yang Grid System

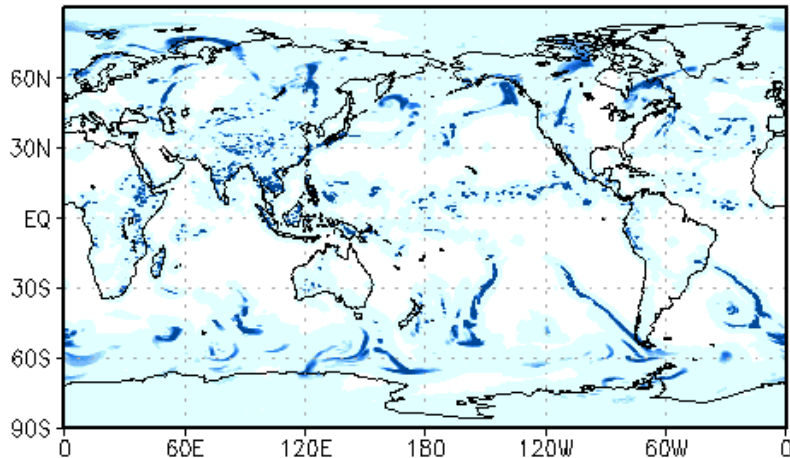
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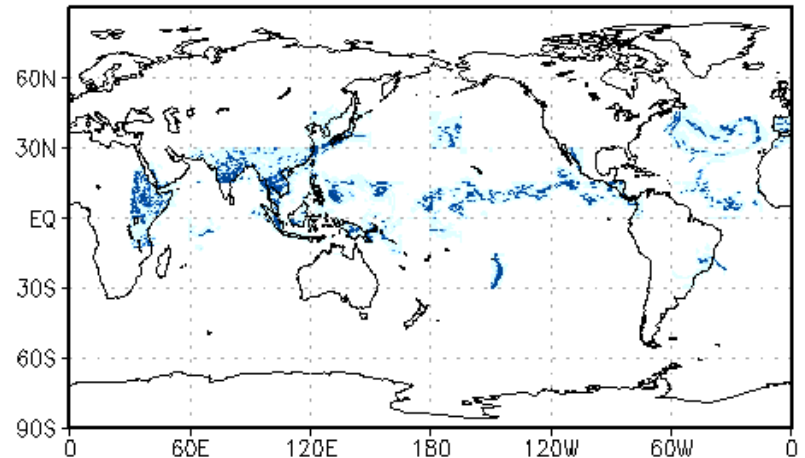
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# Computational cost

										AMR	
	nest	Merids	steps	Merids*steps	%	elapse	%	nest	%	reinit	%
Atm	0,0	181	17738	3210578	69%	15781.9					
	1,1	34	17738	603092	13%	2964.6					
	2,1	46	17670	812820	18%	3995.5					
				4626490		22742.0	90.9%	1028.7	5%	1.1	0.0%
Ocn	0,0	77	22140	1704780	43%	964.3					
	1,1	45	22140	996300	25%	563.5					
	2,1	61	21280	1298080	32%	734.2					
				3999160		2262.0	9.0%	363.9	16%	1.4	0.1%
Cpl								0.7		0.0	
total						25015.2		1393.3	6%	2.5	0.0%

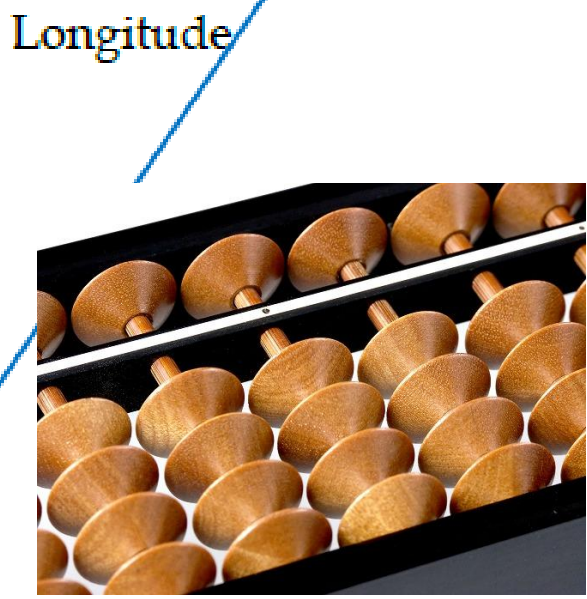
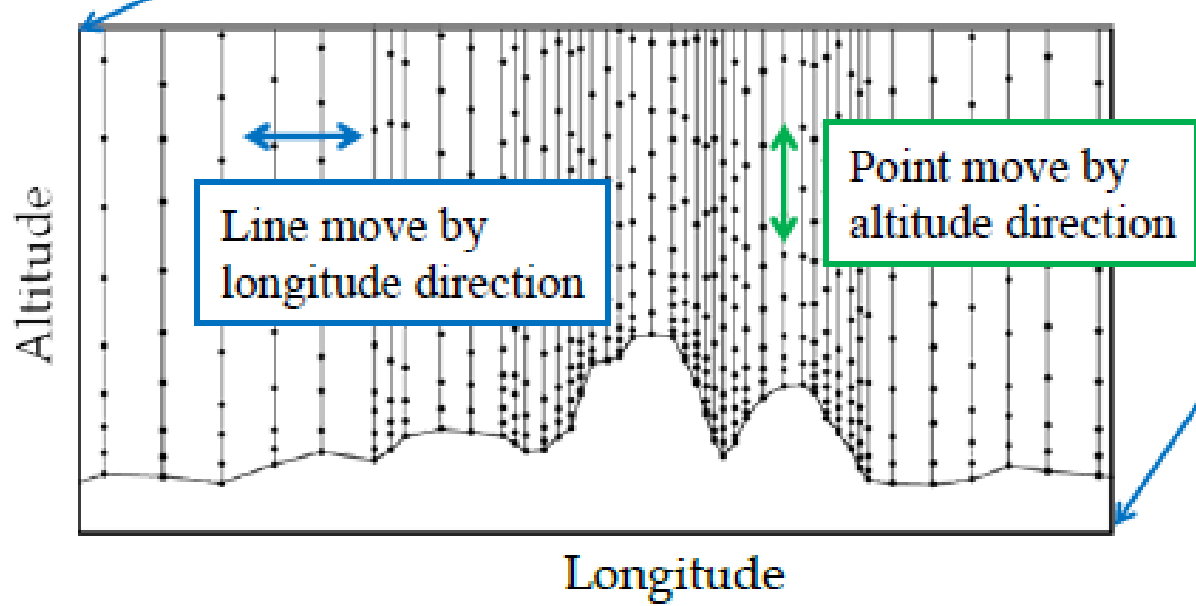
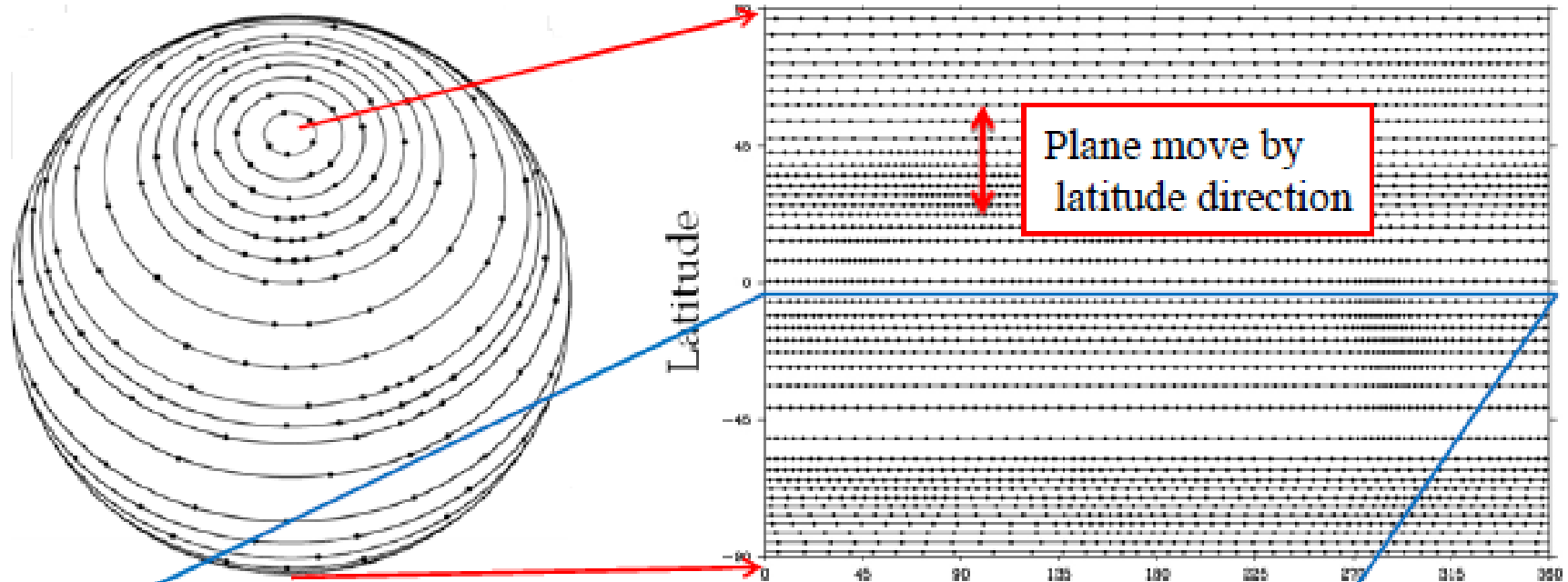
## Depth of Levels for AMR

Is it efficient for the focused events?

Furthermore,

validate the conservation for loner integrations.  
 relax the length of time step for fine grids system.

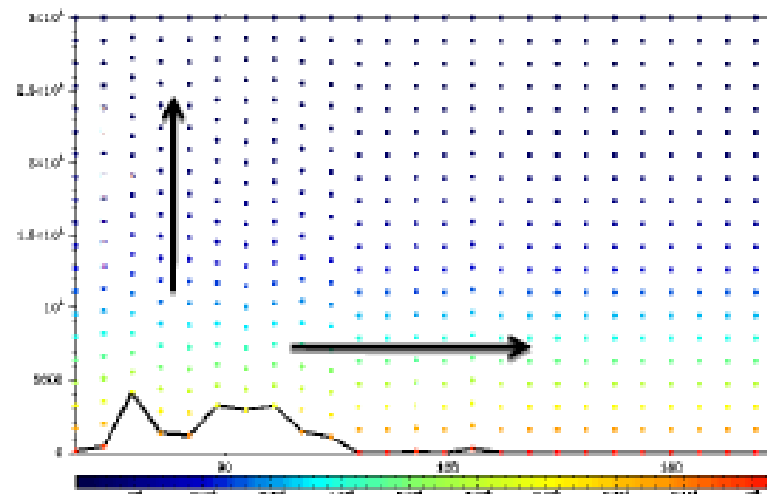
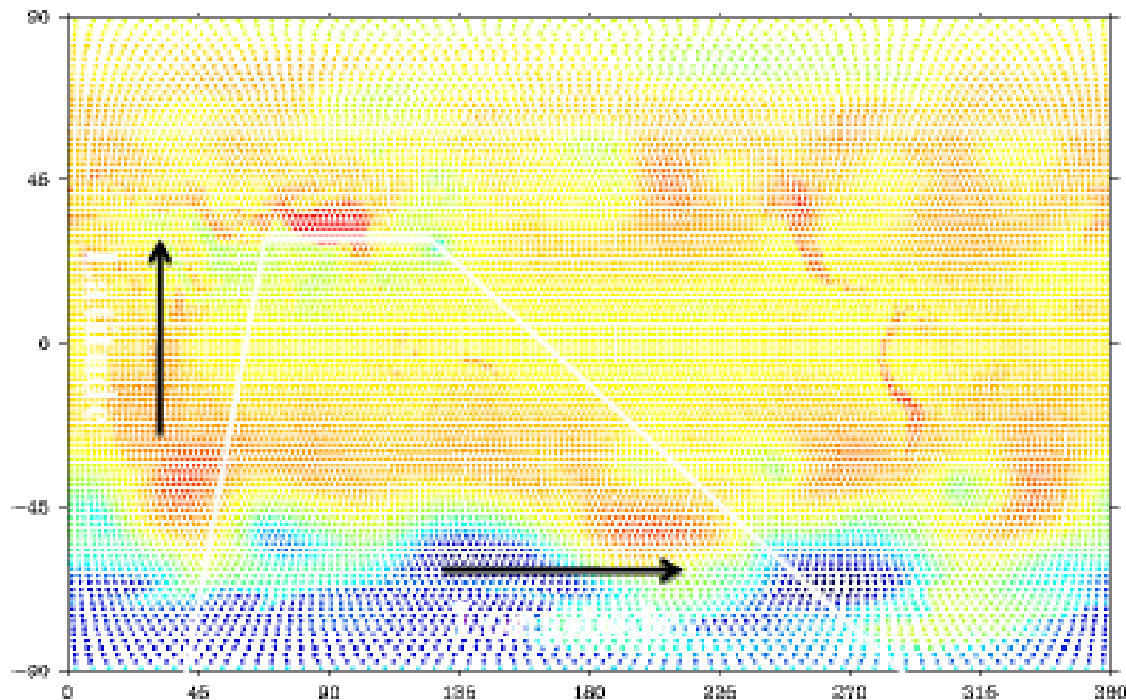
# Global Soroban Grid



# Grid Moving Tests

- Validate the grid moving scheme on the Global Soroban grid.
- Initial condition : realistic pressure state (2003/08/01).
- Criterion:  
gradient of pressure.

✖ No time integration



Initial grid position and pressure value

# Near Future Plan:

- Requirement:

- Validation of multi-scale circulation in **MSSG**

- Horizontal

- Vertical

- Extremes in IOD and Monsoon

- Resolving urban canyon in **MSSG**

- Heat-island phenomena , Heavy rain

- Computational Optimization

- for Multi-scale & Multi-physics simulations

- on the Peta-flops machine K-computer.

- For the trend of many cores

- To consider memory Band Width

- To control hierarchy of memory

- ↔ hierarchy of programming to keep the HPC