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Impact of Land Surface Temperature Anomaly in KIAPS developing model

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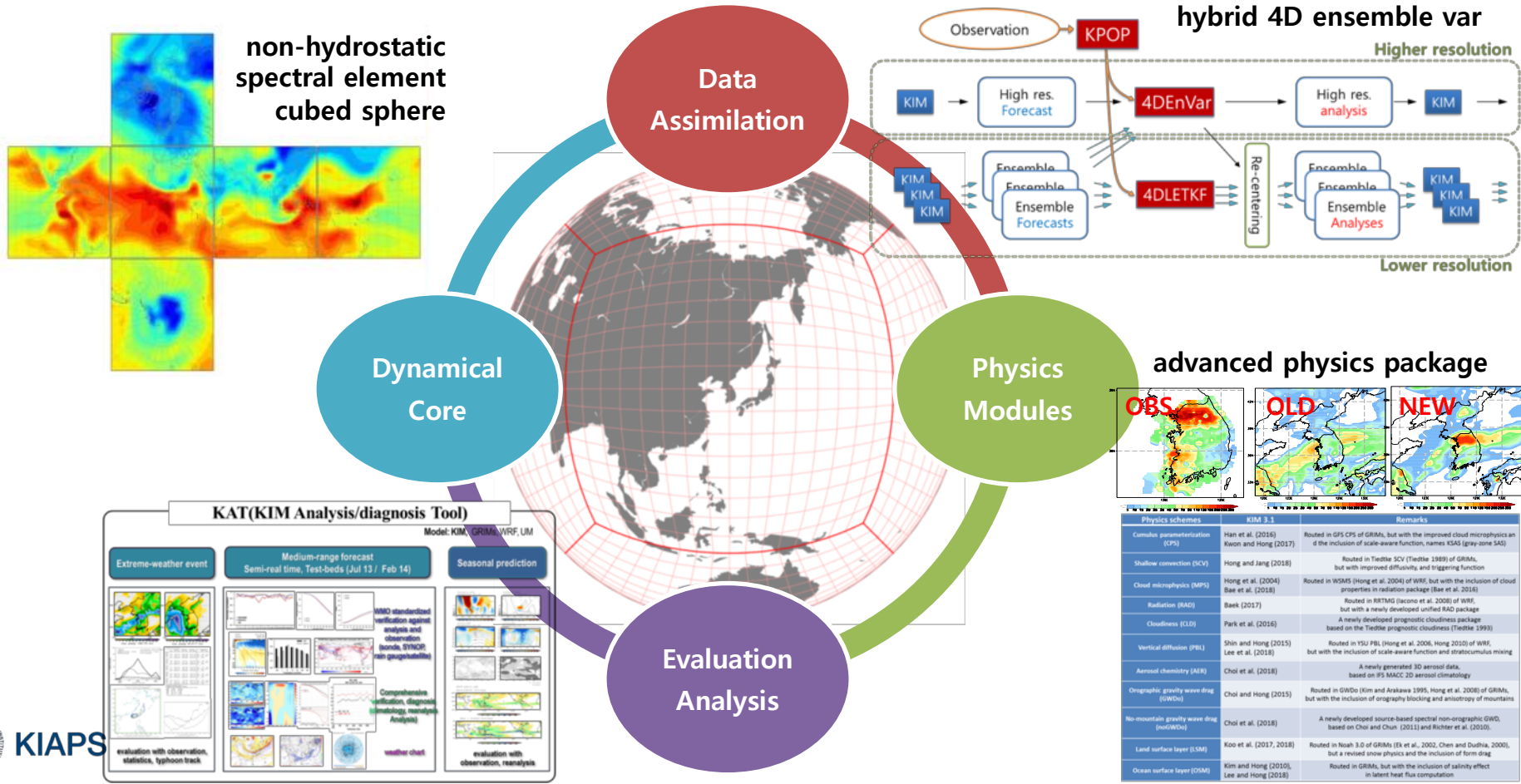
Organization of KIAPS

- ❑ **Purpose** : Developing a next generation global operational model for KMA
- ❑ **Project period** : 2011~2019 (total 9 years)
- ❑ **Total Budget**: \$95 million
2018 budget -\$10 million
- ❑ **Public institution sponsored by government**
 - organization: 2 divisions, 6 teams, 2 office
 - Man power: 58/58 + 11 + 1



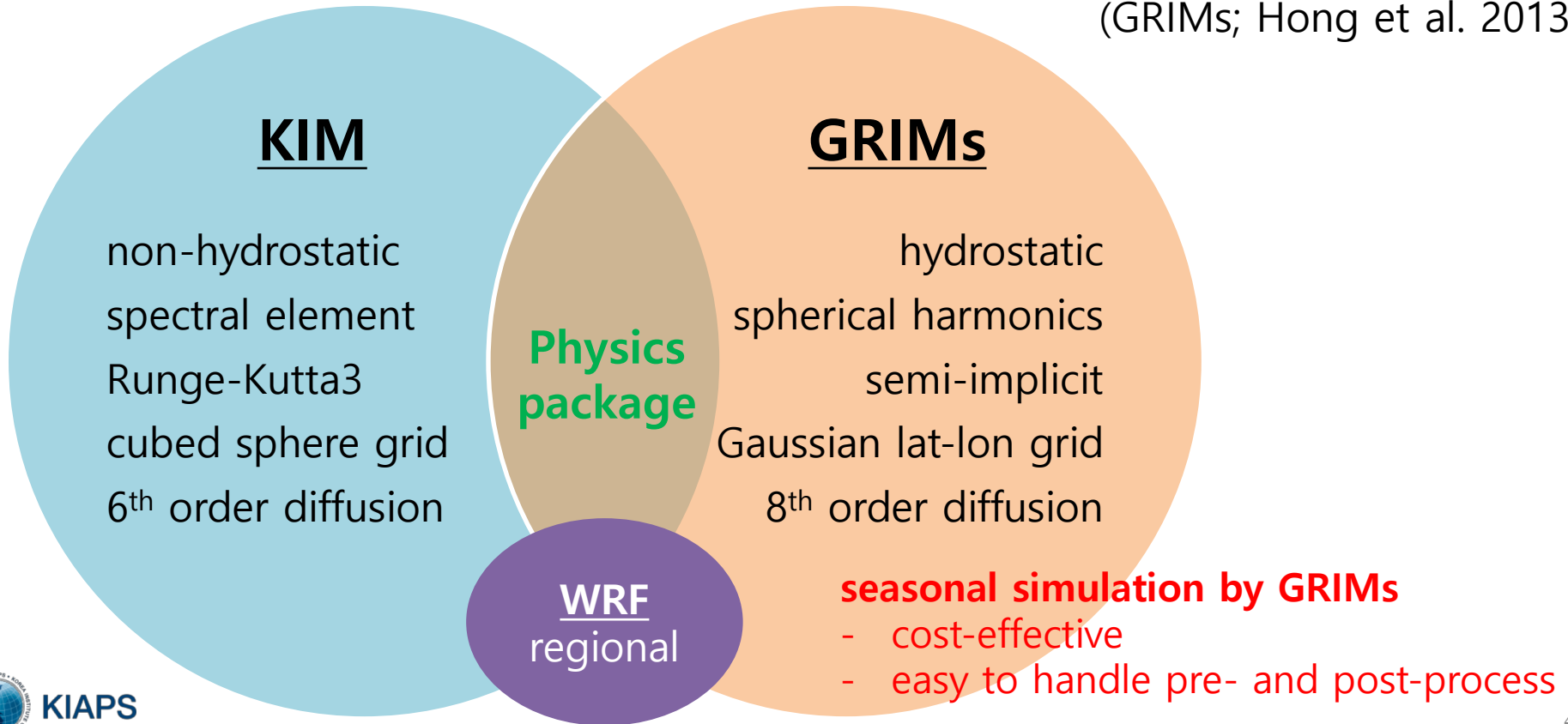
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Korean Integrated Model (KIM) system



Development strategy: reference model

Global/Regional Integrated Model system
(GRIMs; Hong et al. 2013)

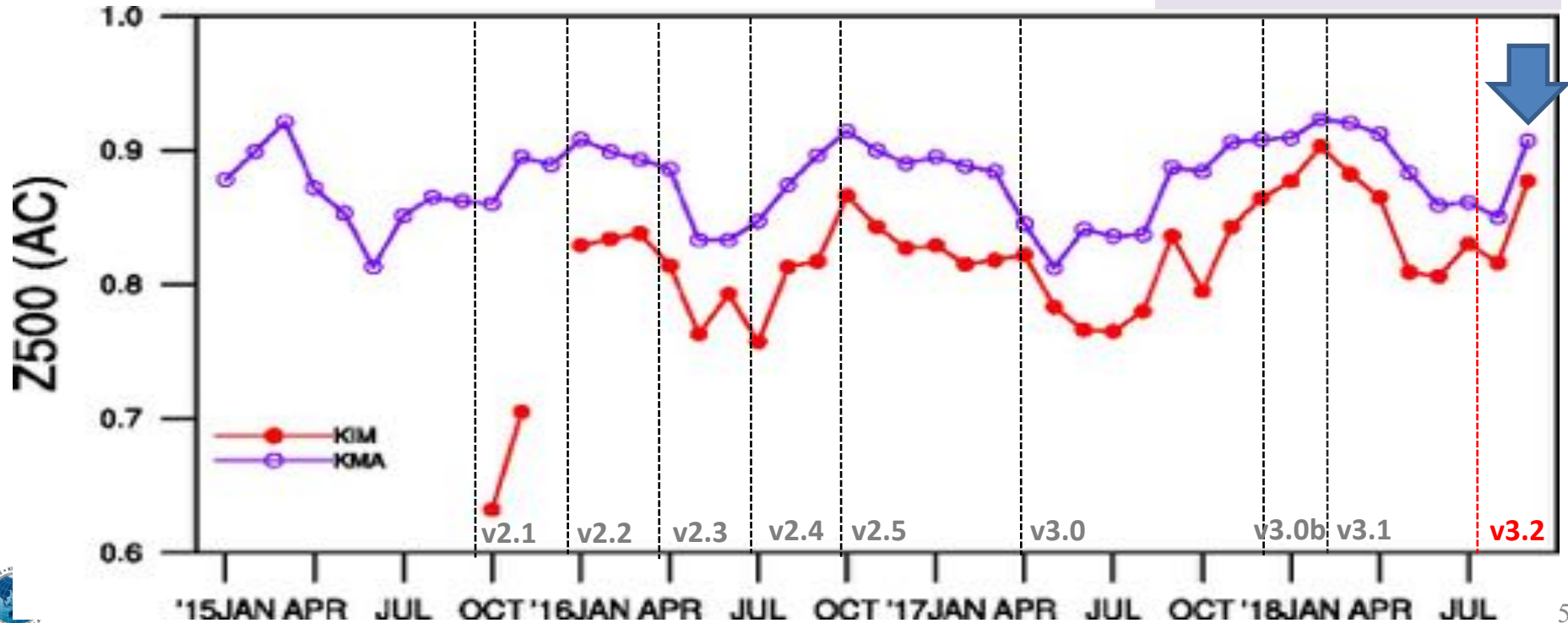


NH 500hPa Geopotential height Anomaly Correlation at 120-hr fcst

KIM vs. KMA-UM

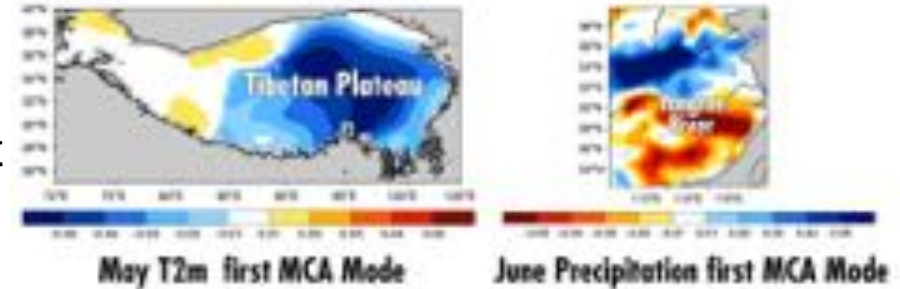
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Purpose of this study

In KIAPS developing model,
an early experiment has been done to test
the **sensitivity** of **June precipitation**
to **May 2-m temperature (T2m)**



<https://ilstss2s.geog.ucla.edu/>

- Impact of T2m anomaly over the Tibetan Plateau (TP) region
→ **main focus of ILSTSS2S project**
- Impact of T2m bias correction over the Low plain (LO) of East China
→ **local temperature bias**
- Impact of the updated radiation scheme reducing systematic T2m bias
→ **systematic inland temperature bias**

Model configuration for ILSTSS2S project

	Description
Model version	KIM V3.2a (+ minor revision)
Land surface model	Revised Noah LSM (Koo et al. 2017; 2018)
Resolution	T126L42 ($\sim 1^\circ$)
Initial data	NCEP Reanalysis II (RA2; T62L28)
Start time	00Z 01–05 Apr 2003 (5 members with lagged starting time) <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1-month spin up
Surface cycling	every 24 hour
Analysis metric - SIM: KIAPS simulation - OBS: CMA surface data	SIM Bias : SIM(2003) – OBS (2003) OBS anomaly : OBS (2003) – OBS climatology (1981–2010) SIM anomaly : SIM (2003) – OBS climatology (1981–2010)

* elevation correction in 2-m temperature by -6.5 K km^{-1}

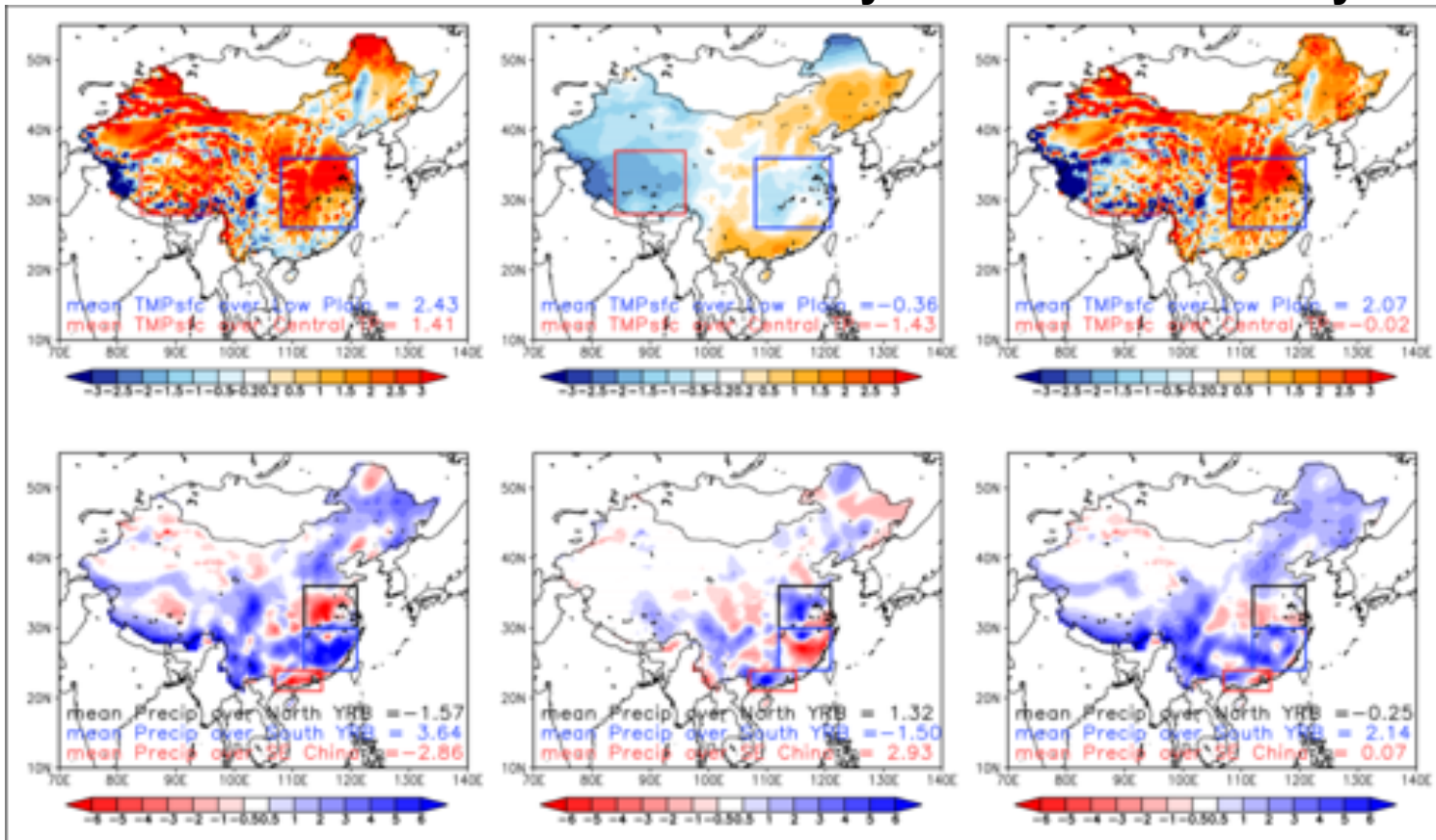
T2m (May) and precipitation (June) in 2003

SIM bias

OBS anomaly

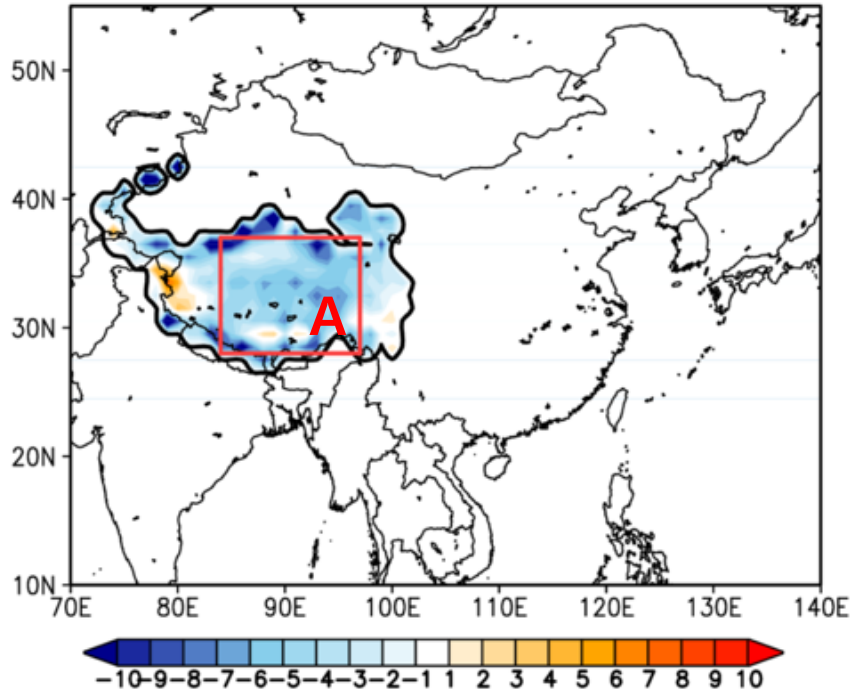
SIM anomaly

T2m



Experimental setup for TP anomaly

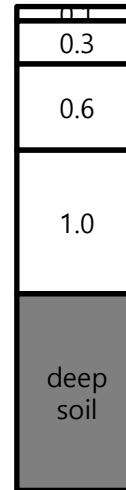
Anomaly difference in May T2m
(OBS anomaly – SIM anomaly)



EXP	Perturbed magnitude
TP1	Anomaly difference
TP2	Anomaly difference * 2
TP3	Anomaly difference * 3

→ at the initial time only

ground



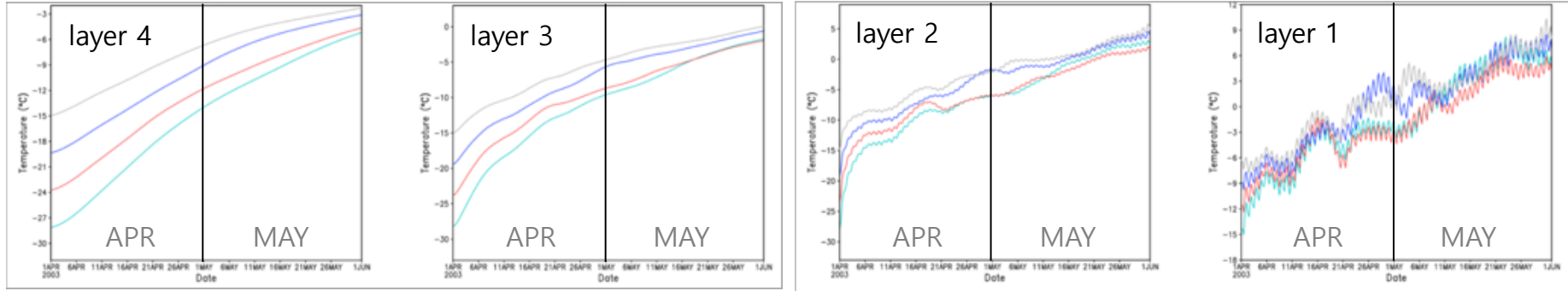
4 layers in Noah LSM

→ which layers should be perturbed?

Time series of soil temperature (A region)

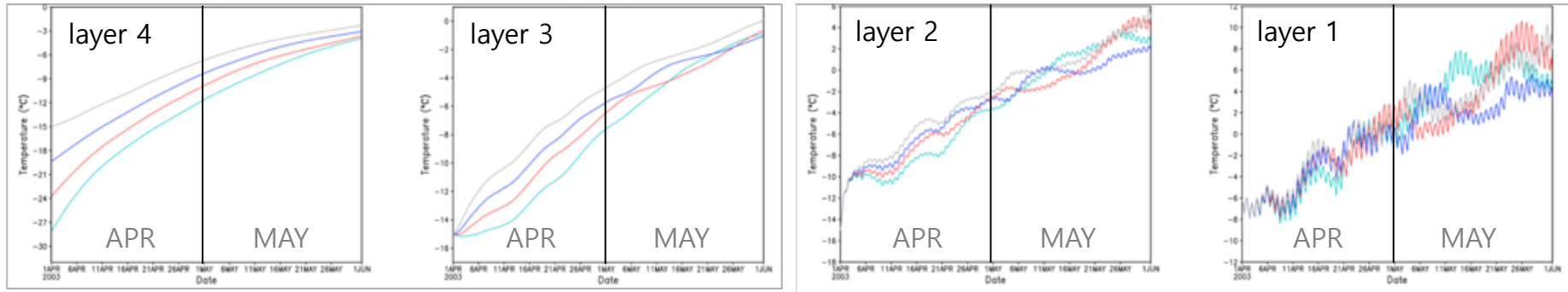
Perturbing all layers

CNTL **TP1** **TP2** TP3



Perturbing 4th layer only

CNTL **TP1** **TP2** TP3



KIAPS → could affect 1st soil layers in May with 1-month spin up.

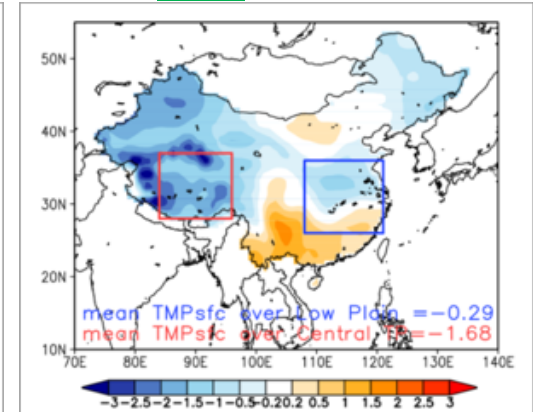
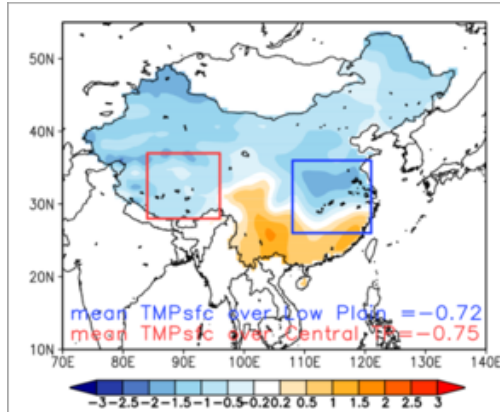
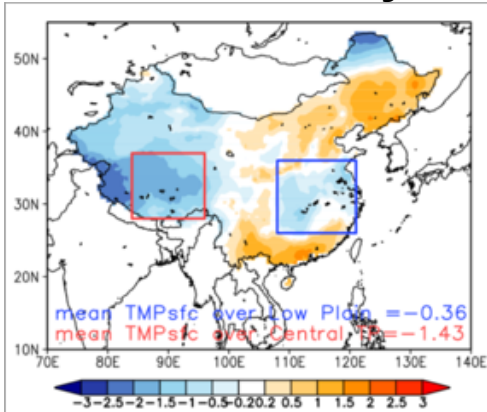
Sensitivity to TP anomaly

OBS anomaly

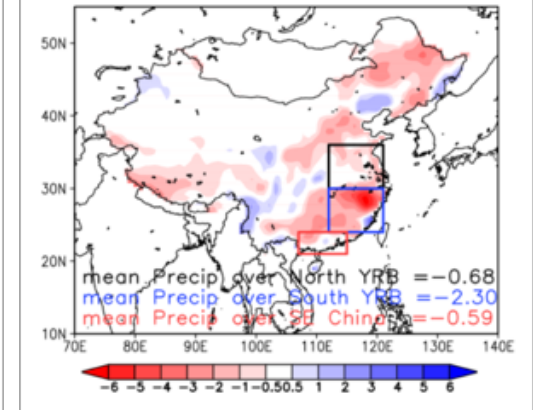
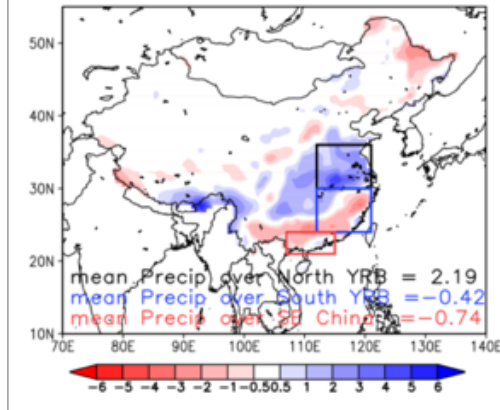
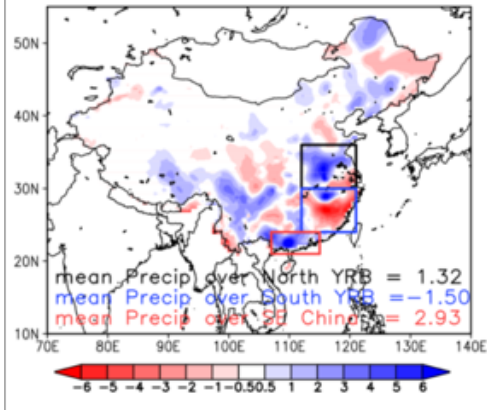
TP2 – CNTL

TP4 – CNTL

T2m

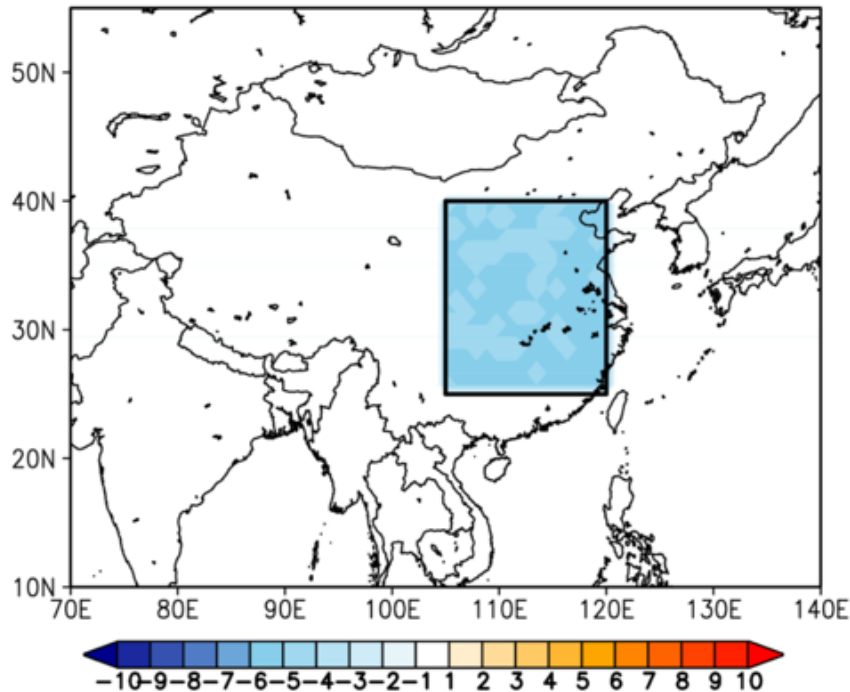


Precip.



Experimental setup for LO anomaly

Temperature difference
(LO-5 – CNTL)



EXP	Perturbed magnitude
LO-5	decrease by -5 K
LO-10	decrease by -10 K
LO-20	decrease by -20 K

→ at the initial time only

- To remove the local warm bias in which precipitation is of interest to us.

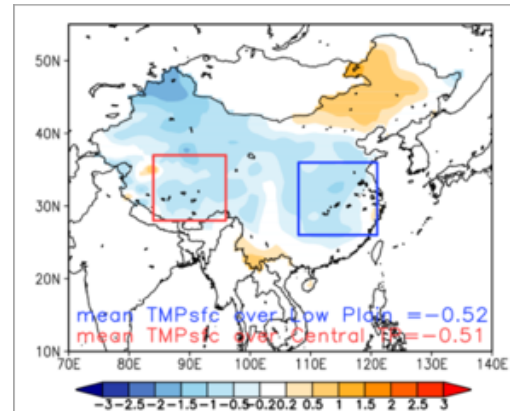
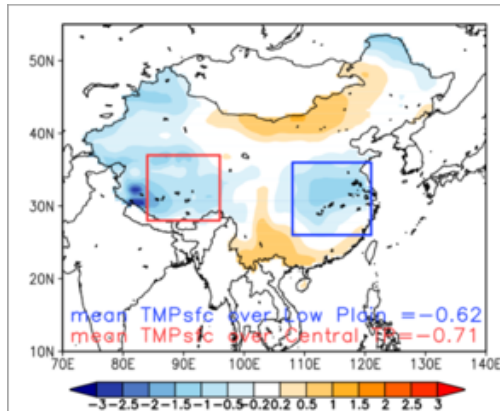
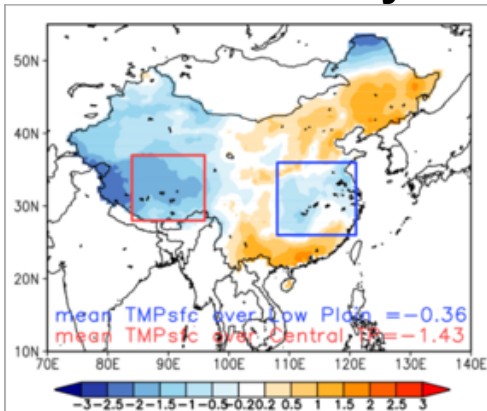
Sensitivity to LO anomaly

OBS anomaly

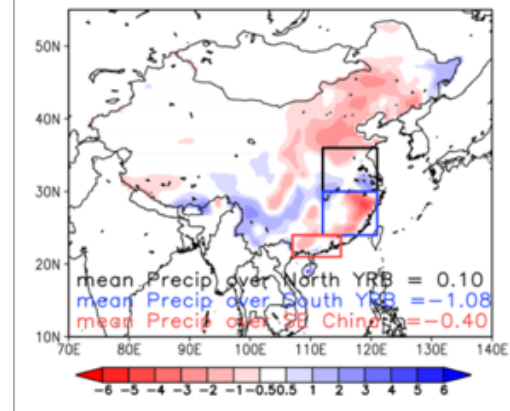
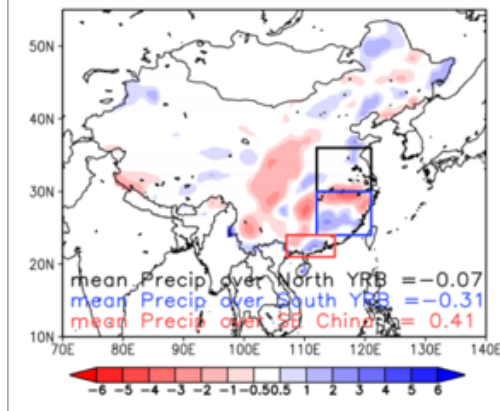
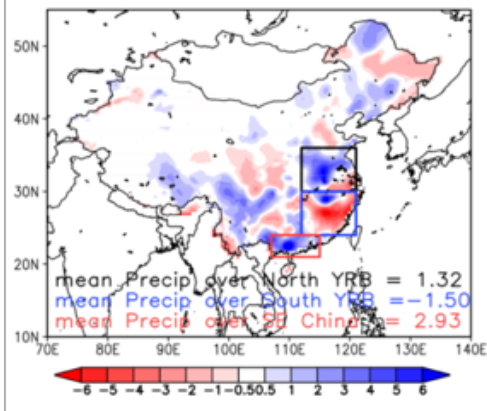
LO-10 – CNTL

LO-20 – CNTL

T2m



Precip.



Summarized table of sensitivity test

2003	May T2m		June Precipitation		
	TP	LO	N. YRB	S. YRB	SE China
OBS anomaly	-1.43	-0.36	1.32	-1.50	2.93
TP2 – CNTL	-0.75	-0.72	2.19	-0.42	-0.74
<u>TP4</u> – CNTL	-1.68	-0.29	-0.68	-2.30	-0.59
LO-10 – CNTL	-0.71	-0.62	-0.07	-0.31	0.41
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- Model can reproduce the observed relationship between May T2m and June precipitation in 2003.

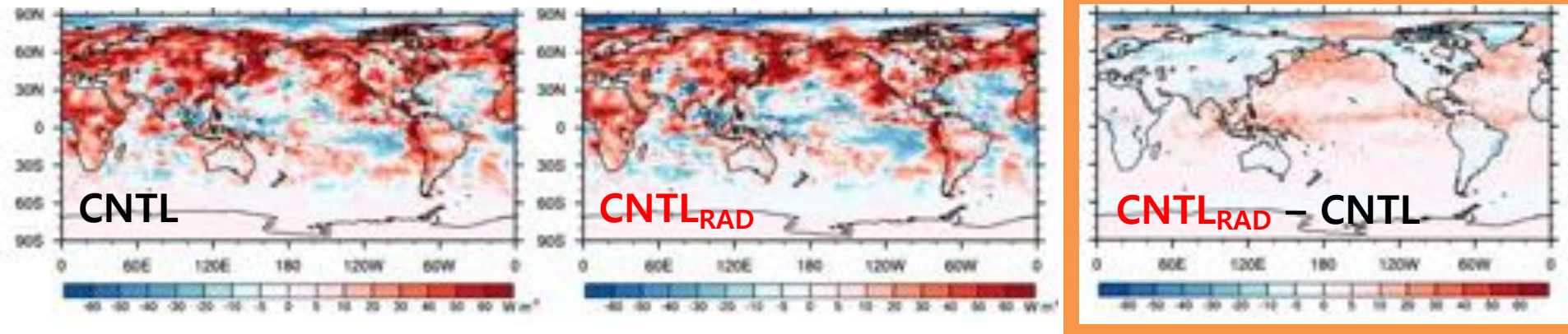
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- TP and LO regions seem to closely interact with each other in terms of T2m.

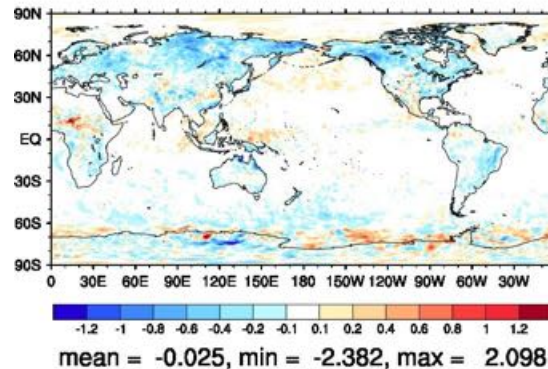
Update in radiation scheme (CNTL_{RAD})

Bias in downward shortwave flux (against the CERES in July 2017)



- Inland warm bias was attributed to the overestimation in downward shortwave flux.
- CNTL_{RAD} can reduce the warm bias biases by the reduction in downward shortwave flux.

T2m diff.



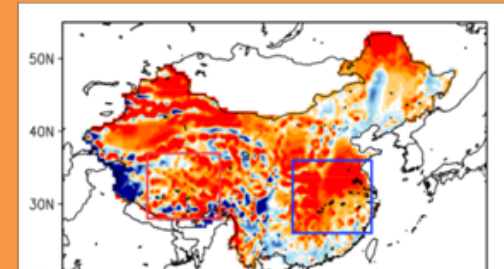
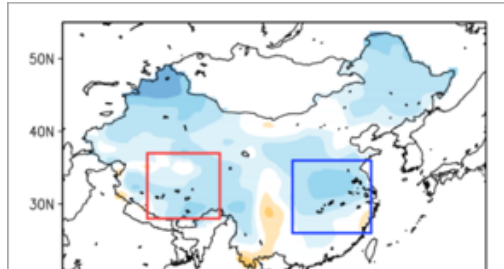
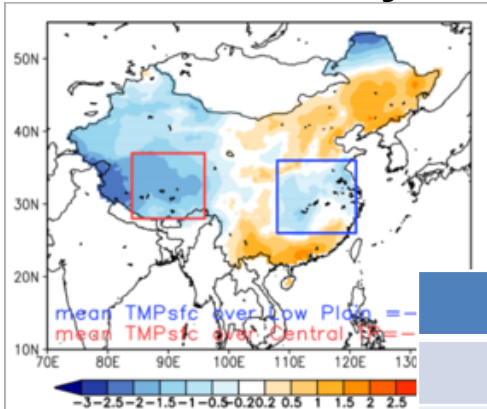
Sensitivity to model update

OBS anomaly

CNTL_{RAD} – CNTL

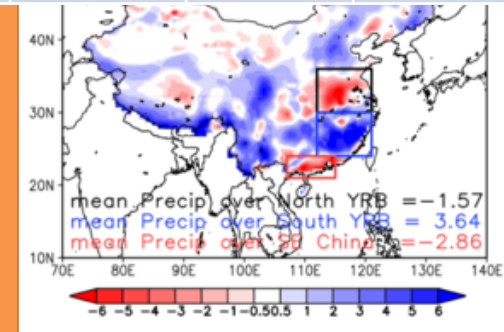
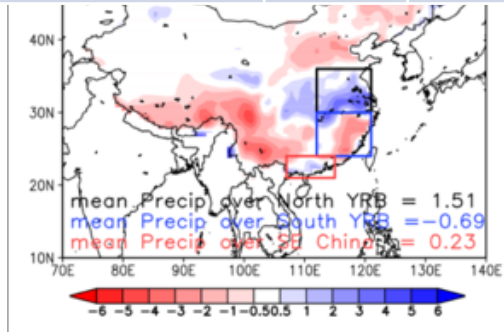
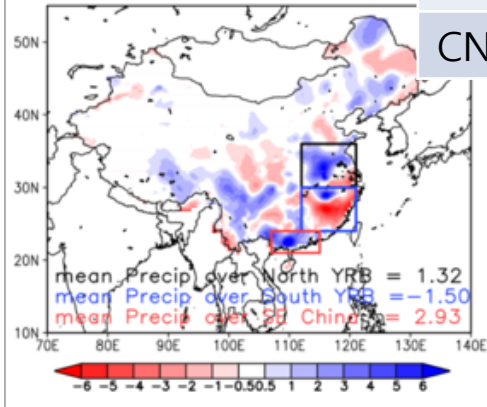
CNTL bias

T2m



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Summary and concluding remark

- It was found that KIAPS developing model could reproduce the observed relationship between **May T2m over TP** and **June precipitation in East Asia**.
- **TP region** seems to be closely **interacting** with **LO region**, which needs to be further investigated.
- **Correction** of systematic (radiation) **temperature bias** could improve the bias and **anomaly of simulated precipitation**, which is **in line with OBS anomaly**.
- Not shown here but little spin-up did not generate better sensitivity (why?)

Q) How to effectively impose temperature anomaly ?

- magnitude : T2m did not linearly respond to LST/SUBT anomaly magnitude.
- spin-up : 1-month spin-up was generally better than little spin-up.
- ensemble : simulated results were different from member to member.

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