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Predicción de la Calidad del Aire Multiescala con el modelo MONARCH en el Centro Nacional de Supercomputación

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BSC and the Earth Sciences Department



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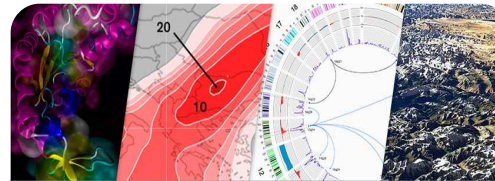
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BSC-CNS objectives



Supercomputing services
to Spanish and
EU researchers



R&D in Computer,
Life, Earth and
Engineering Sciences



PhD programme,
technology transfer,
public engagement

BSC-CNS is
a consortium
that includes

Spanish Government

60%



Catalonian Government

30%



Univ. Politècnica de Catalunya (UPC)

10%



Earth Science Department

Environmental modelling and forecasting, with a particular focus on weather, climate and air quality



Director: **Francisco Doblas-Reyes**

- 72 people
- Leading: H2020 project, COPERNICUS contract, ERC Consolidator Grant and hosts an AXA Chair

Overview of MONARCH and HERMESv3 models for Air Quality Applications

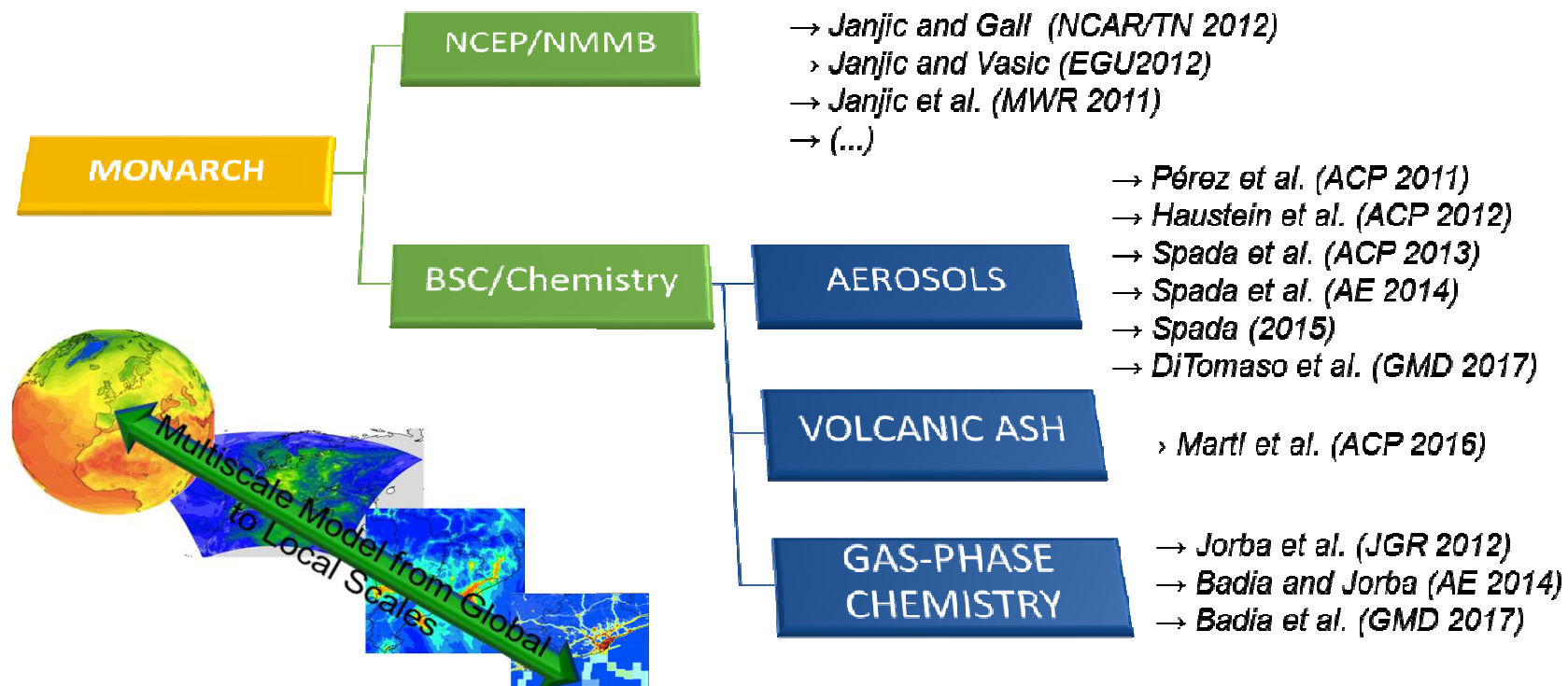


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MONARCH: online weather-chemistry model

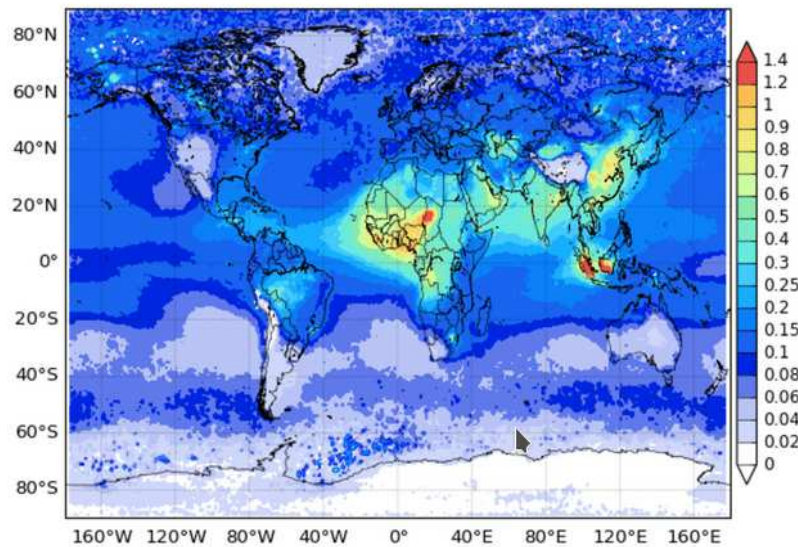
- **Multiscale**: global to regional (up to 1km) scales allowed
- Fully **on-line** coupling: weather-chemistry feedback processes allowed
- Enhancement with a **data assimilation** system



MONARCH forecasts

Global

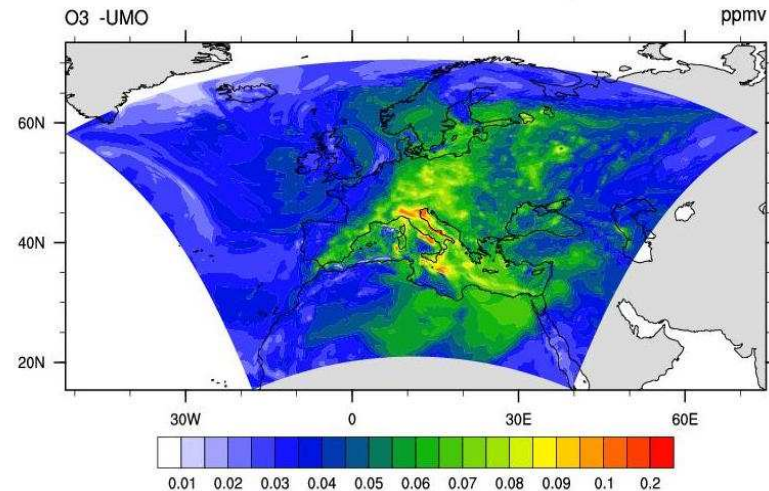
NMMB-MONARCH-b015 AOD550
2015



- ✓ MONARCH contributes to the **ICAP global forecast aerosol** multi-model ensemble
<http://icap.atmos.und.edu>

Regional

20100715 at 12UTC



- ✓ BDFC and SDS-WAS dust forecast
- ✓ Candidate model CAMS-50
- ✓ It will be implemented in **CALIOPE** (www.bsc.es/caliope)
AQ Forecast System for **EU** and **Spain**

HERMESv3: emission model

An **open source, parallel and stand-alone multiscale** atmospheric emission model that **processes and estimates gas and aerosol emissions** for use in chemistry transport models



global-regional module
(HERMESv3_GR)

A highly customizable processing system that calculates emissions through an automatic combination of existing inventories and user defined vertical, temporal, speciation scaling and masking factors

bottom-up module
(HERMESv3_BU)

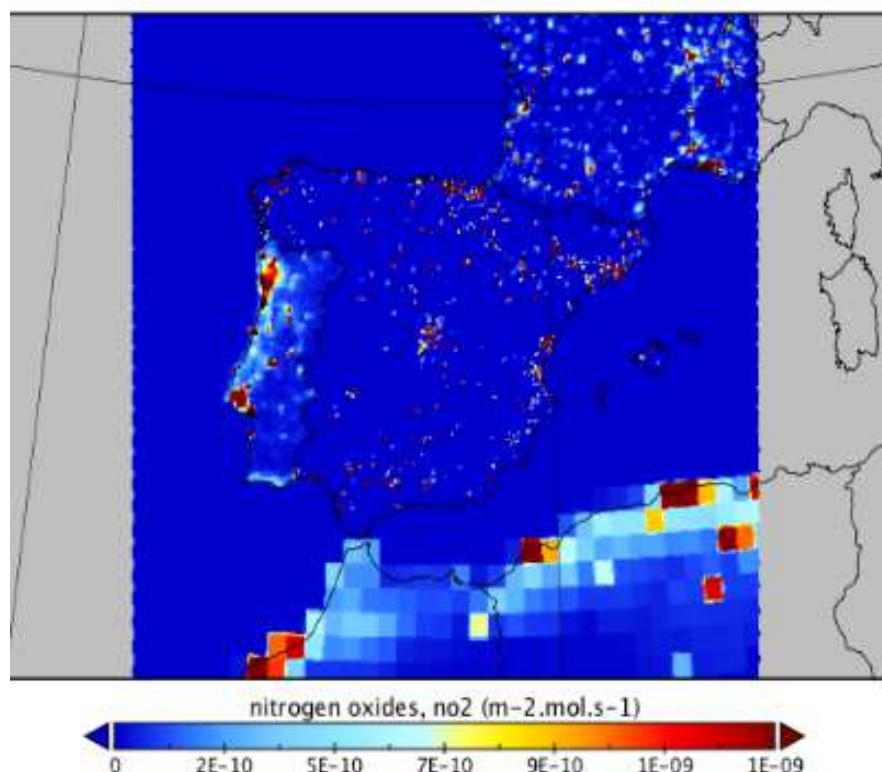
A Spanish emission model to estimate emissions at the source level (e.g. road link, industrial facility, crop type) combining state-of-the-art bottom-up methods with local activity and emission factors

Emission Combination and Spatial regridding

Widely applicable framework for designing and adjusting the emission modelling experiment:

- Combination of multiple emission inventories
- Country-specific scaling factors
- Country-specific masks
- Flexibility on chemical speciation

Name	Sources	Spatial res/cov	Temporal res/cov	Reference
EDGARv4.3.2	Anthropogenic	Global (0.1x0.1)	Annual (1970 – 2012) Monthly (2010)	Cripa et al. (2018) Huang et al. (2017)
CEDS	Anthropogenic	Global (0.5x0.5)	Monthly (1851 – 2014)	Hoesly et al. (2018)
ECLIPSEv5.a	Anthropogenic	Global (0.5x0.5)	Monthly (1990 - 2050)	Klimont et al. (2017)
HTAPv2.2	Anthropogenic	Global (0.1x0.1)	Monthly (2008 and 2010)	Janssens-Maenhout et al. (2015)
GFASv1.2	Biomass burning	Global (0.1x0.1)	Daily (2012-present)	Kaiser et al. (2012)
Carn	Volcanoes (degassing)	Point sources	Annual (2005 – 2015)	Carn et al. (2017)
Wiedinmyer	Open air trash burning	Global (0.1x0.1)	Annual (2010)	Wiedinmyer et al. (2014)
TNO_MACC-III	Anthropogenic	Regional (0.0625x0.125)	Annual (2000 – 2011)	Kuenen et al. (2014)
EMEP	Anthropogenic	Regional (0.1x0.1)	Annual (2000 – 2016)	Mareckova et al. (2017)



Manufacturing industrial NOx emissions:

- North Africa
(HTAPv2.2 0.1x0.1deg)
- Portugal
(ECLIPSEv5.a, 0.5x0.5deg),
- France
(TNO_MACC-iii, 0.0625x0.125deg)
- Spain
(bottom-up inventory, Guevara et al. 2013)

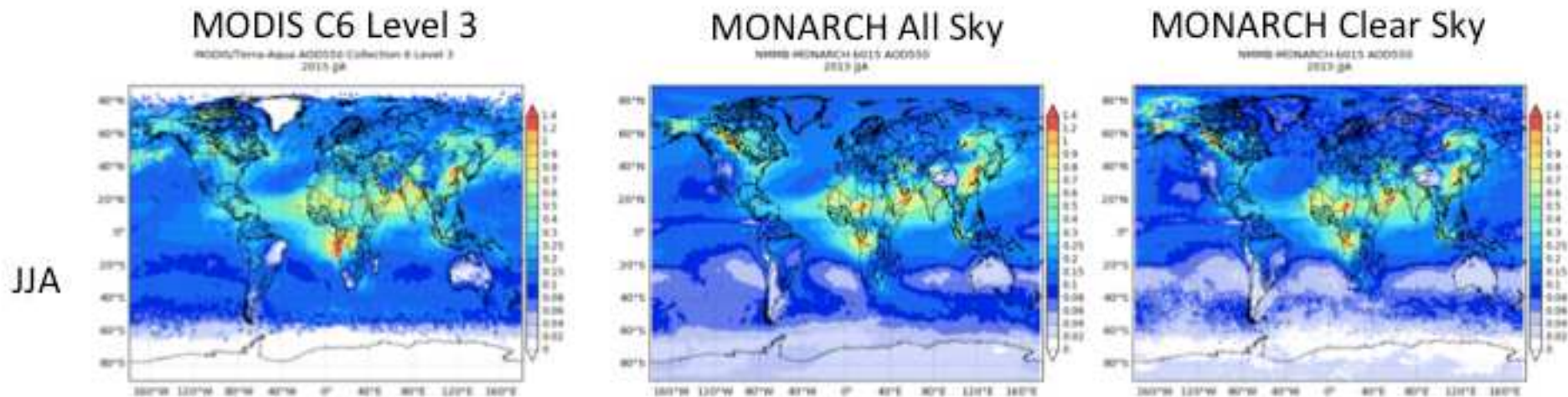
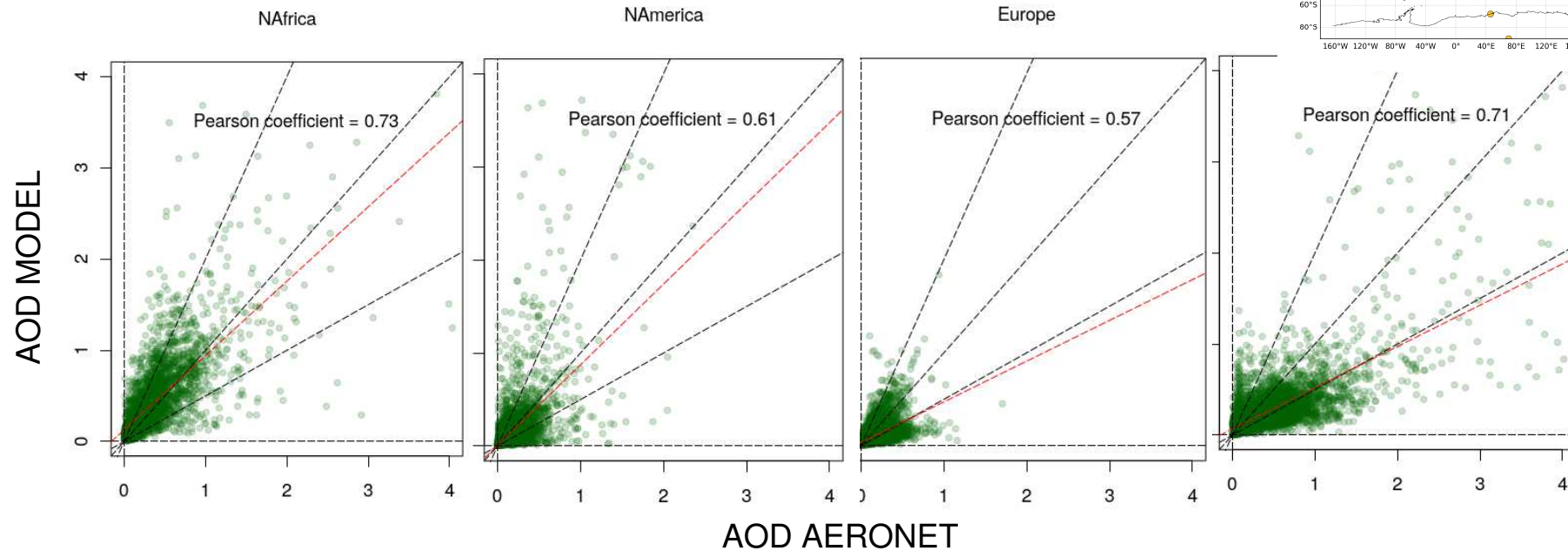
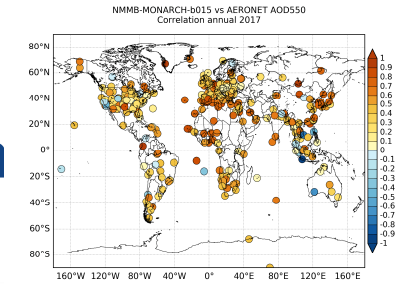
Multiscale capability of MONARCH model



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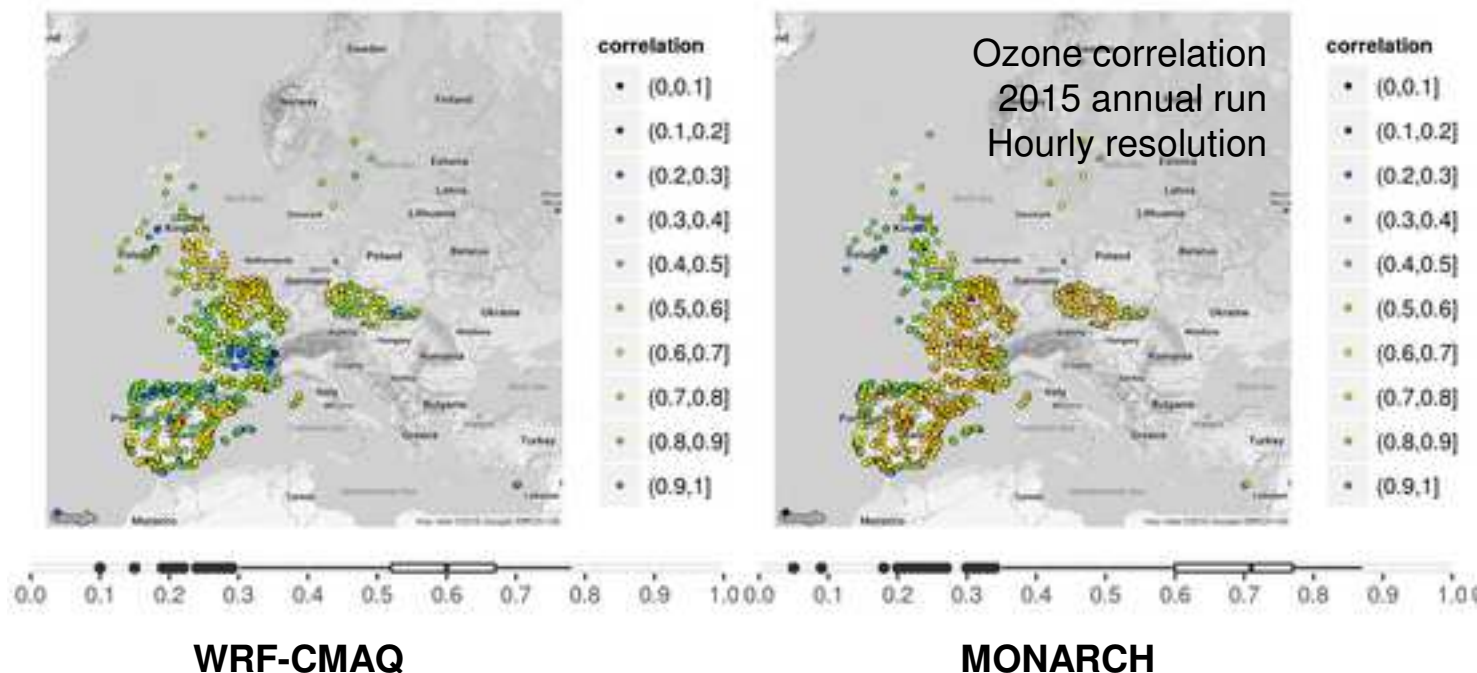
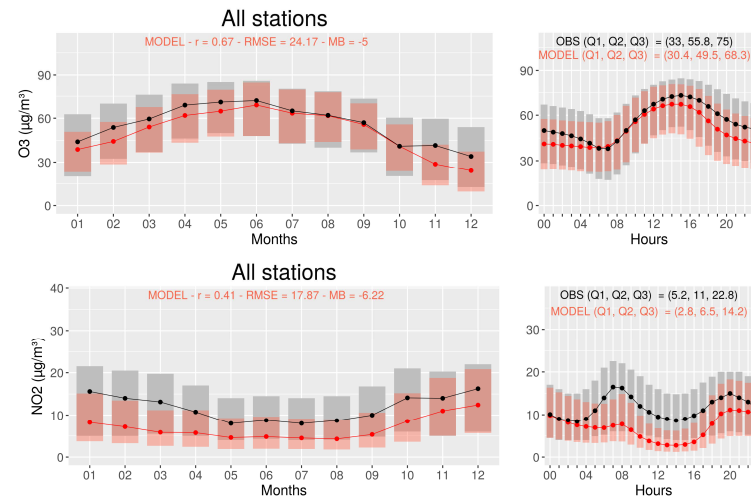
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Aerosol forecasting at global scale: International Cooperative for Aerosol Prediction

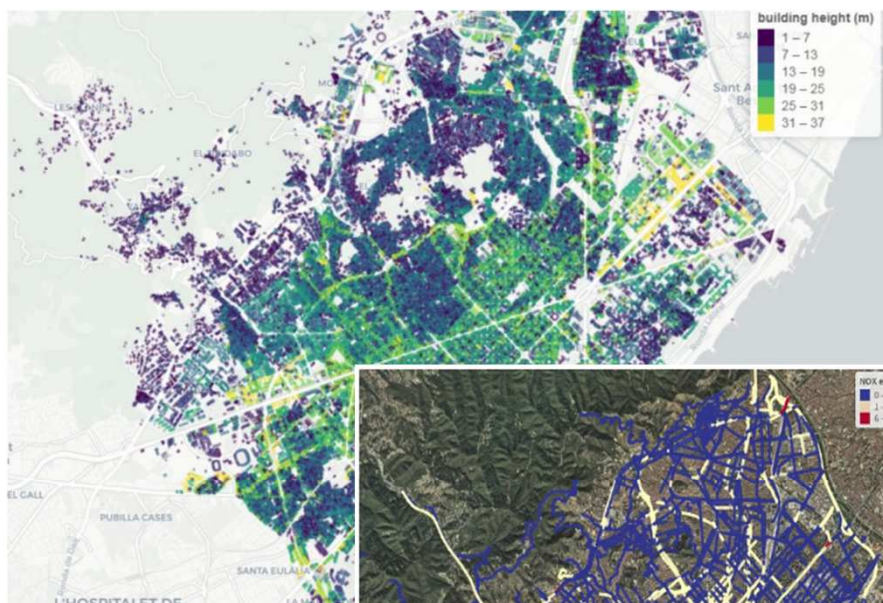


Regional Air Quality

- Model results evaluated with EIONET and EBAS gas-phase and aerosol surface concentration measurements
- European domain at 12 km
- Comparison with current CALIOPE system based on WRF-CMAQ shows good improvements



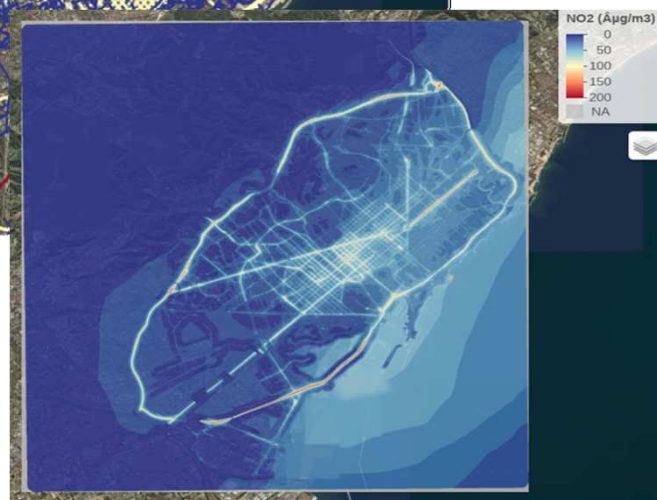
Street Scale NO₂ modelling: Barcelona case



City morphology parameters:
building height, street width,
building density



Street scale NO_x emissions
from HERMESv3



Mesoscale – Street
Canyon model coupling:
NO₂ concentration

Data assimilation work



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Ensemble-Based Data Assimilation (DA) at BSC

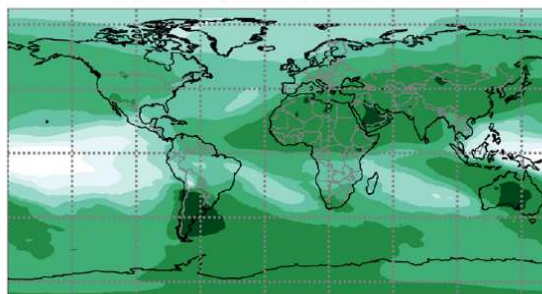
Dust ensemble forecasts are used at BSC to estimate **flow-dependent forecast uncertainty**, which is used by DA to optimally combine forecast with observations

The ensemble forecast has been designed considering model uncertainties with respect to:

- **surface winds**
- **soil humidity**
- **vertical flux distribution at sources**

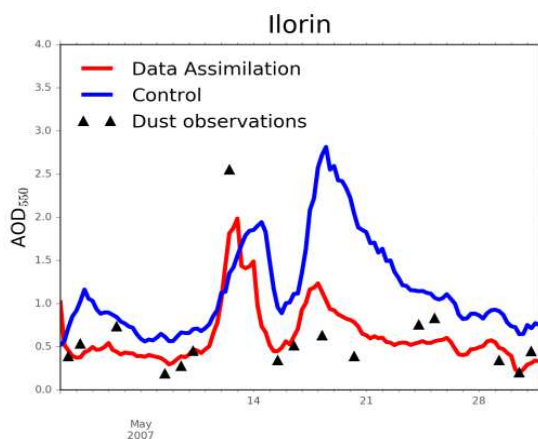
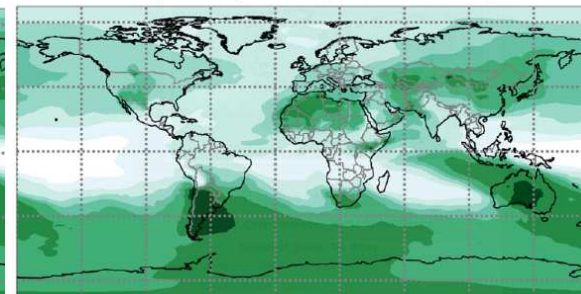
Ensemble free run

Dust AOD (550 nm) CV, ENS-free-run

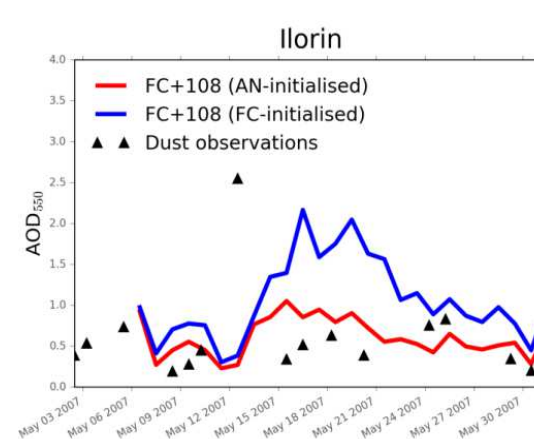
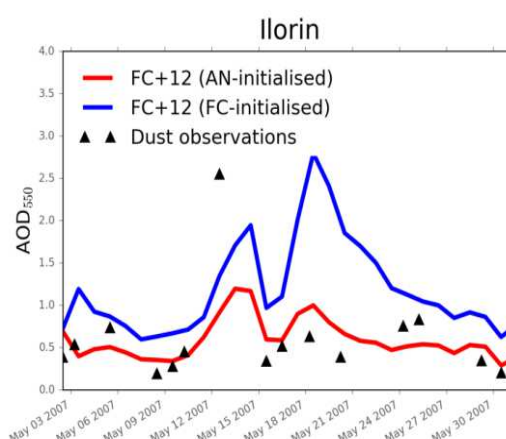


Data assimilation run

Dust AOD (550 nm) CV, DA-NRL-DB



▲ AERONET independent observations

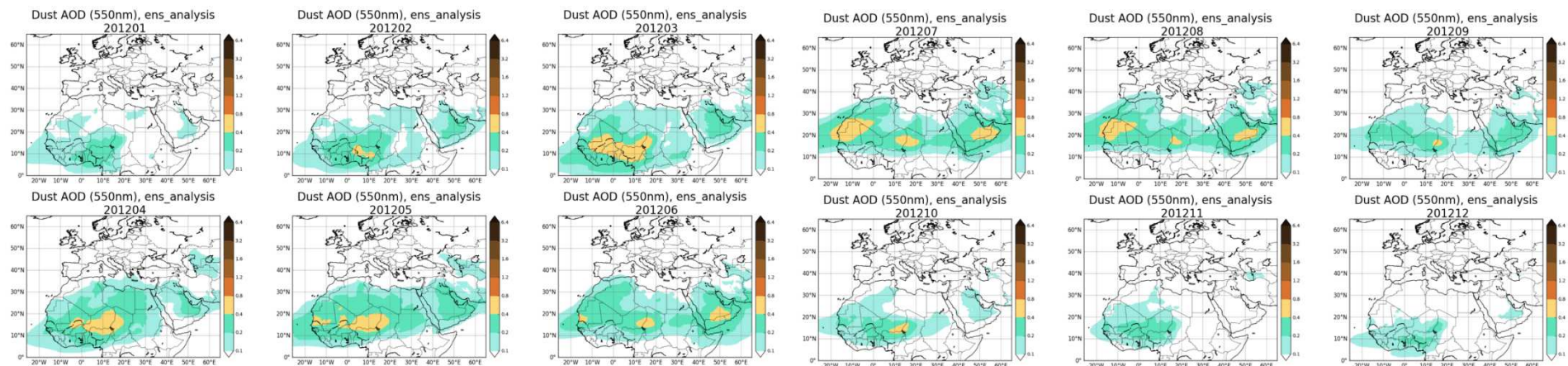


DustClim Project (2017-2020)



Produce a **high resolution dust reanalysis** for Northern Africa, Middle East and Europe covering the satellite era of quantitative aerosol information, and develop **dust-related services** tailored to specific socio-economic sectors

Monthly dust analyses for 2012



Conclusions



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Conclusions

- Atmospheric Composition Group of BSC focused on Atmospheric Chemistry model developments
- MONARCH – HERMESv3 systems allow wide range of applications
- Used in SDS-WAS, ICAP, CALIOPE and in the forthcoming Phase-II CAMS-50
- Successful collaboration with AEMET in WMO Dust centers
- Potential further collaborations in air quality with AEMET



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Gracias!

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