

Results from the coupled SP-CAM

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Models Configuration

		<i>SP-CCSM</i>	<i>CCSM</i>
Atmospheric Model AGCM	Horizontal res.	T42 (sld ¹)	T42 (sld ¹)
	Vert. levels	30	26
	Shallow conv.	CRM ²	ZM
	Deep conv.	CRM ²	Hack
Ocean Model OGCM	Horizontal res.	gx3v5	gx3v5
	Vert. levels	25	25
Ice model		CSIM4	CSIM4
Land model		CLM3.0	CLM3.0

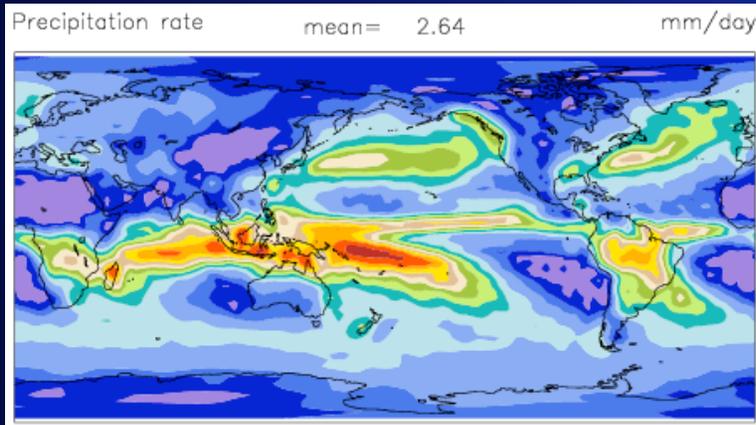
¹ semi-Lagrangian dynamical core

² M. Khairoutdinov and D. Randall

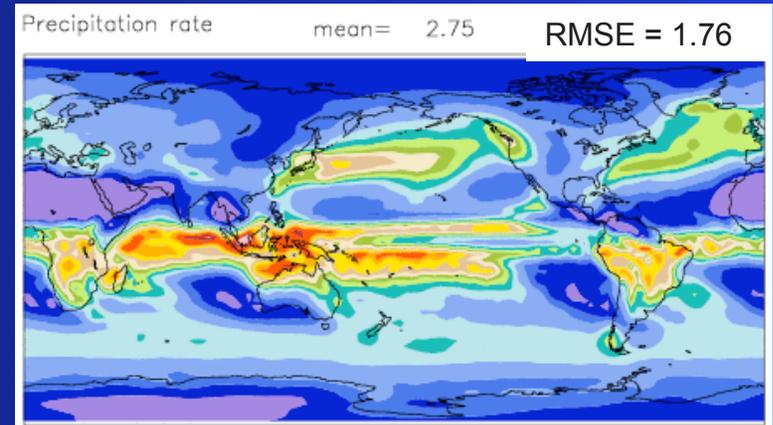
Precipitation Simulation

Boreal Winter Climatology

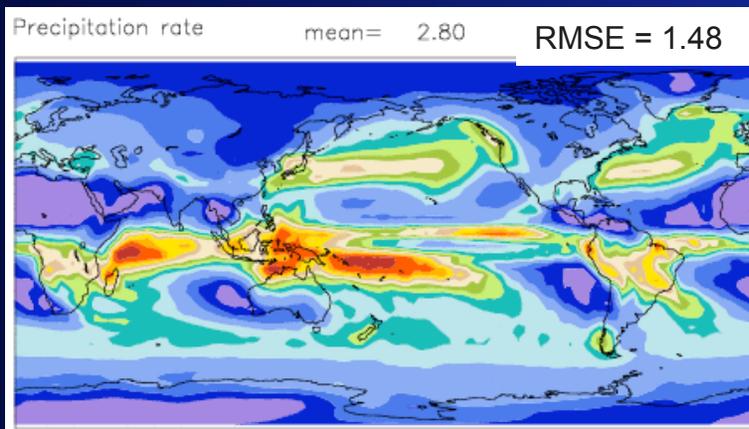
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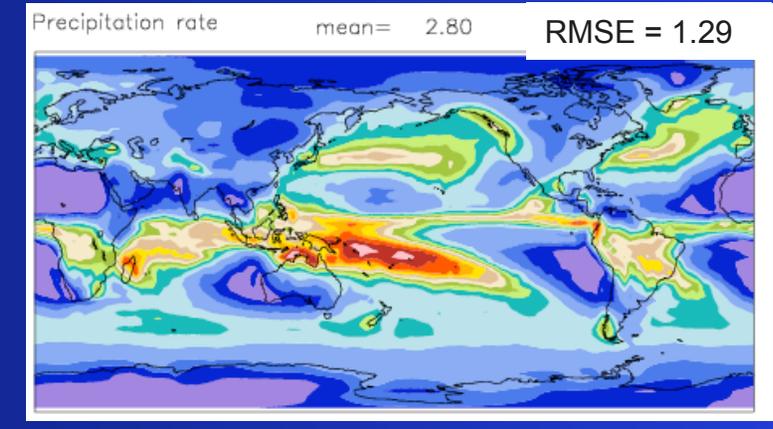
CCSM: 0004–0023



SP-CCSM: 0004–0023



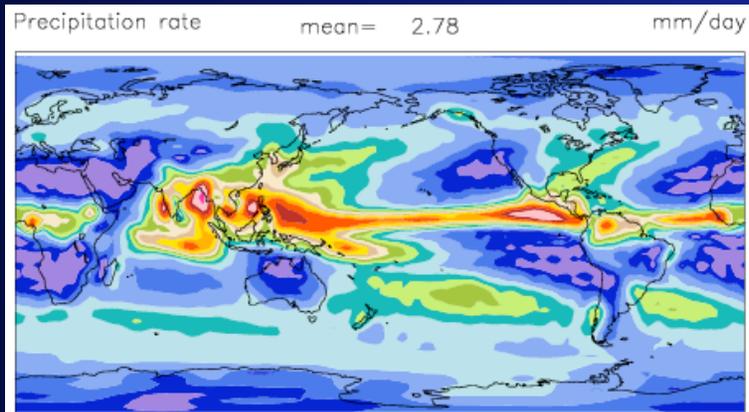
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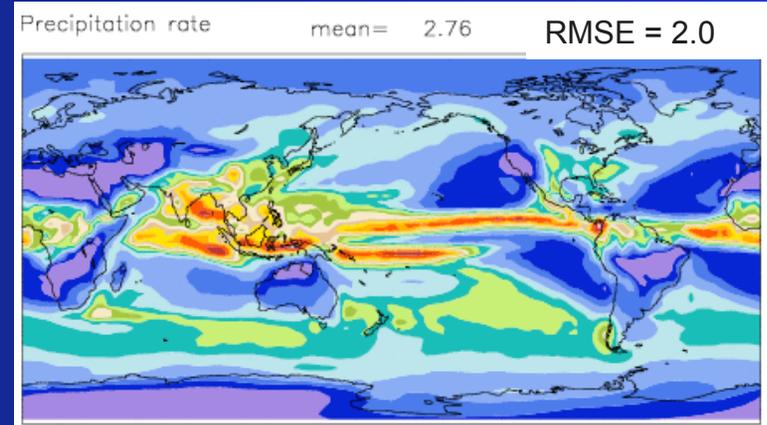
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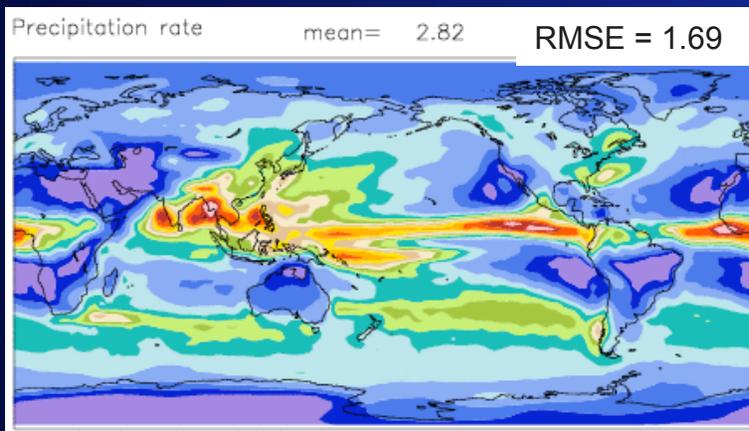
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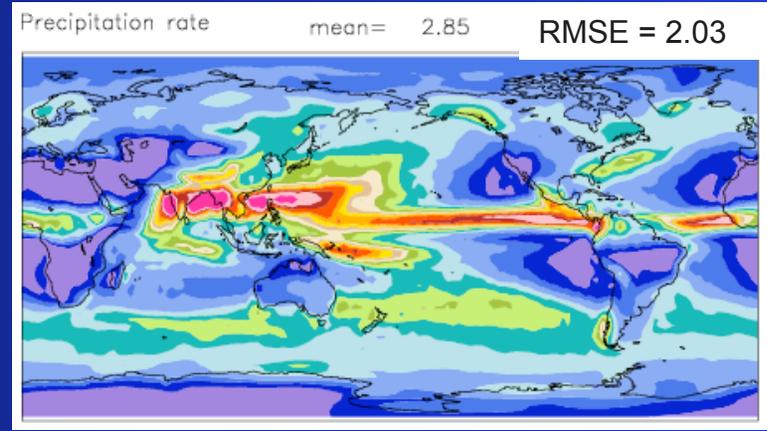
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SP-CCSM: 0004–0023



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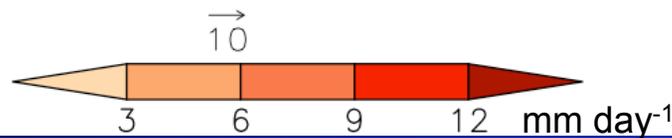
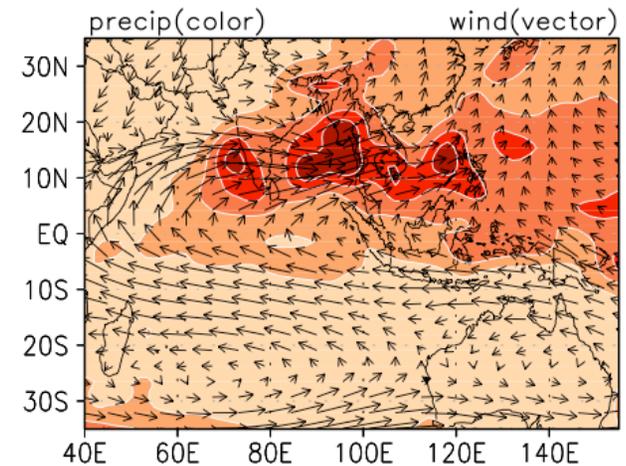
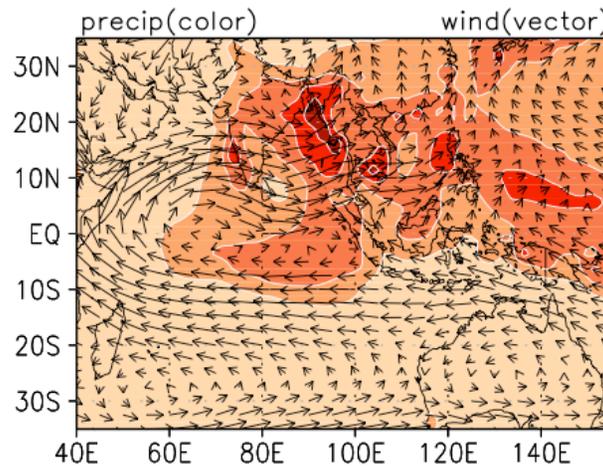
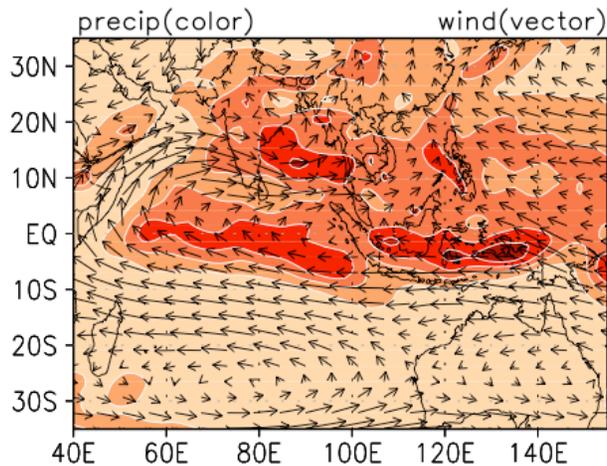
Indian Monsoon

JJAS Climatology (Precipitation, 850-hPa Wind)

CCSM
(0004–0023)

GPCP/NCEP Rean
(1979–2003)

SP-CCSM
(0004–0023)



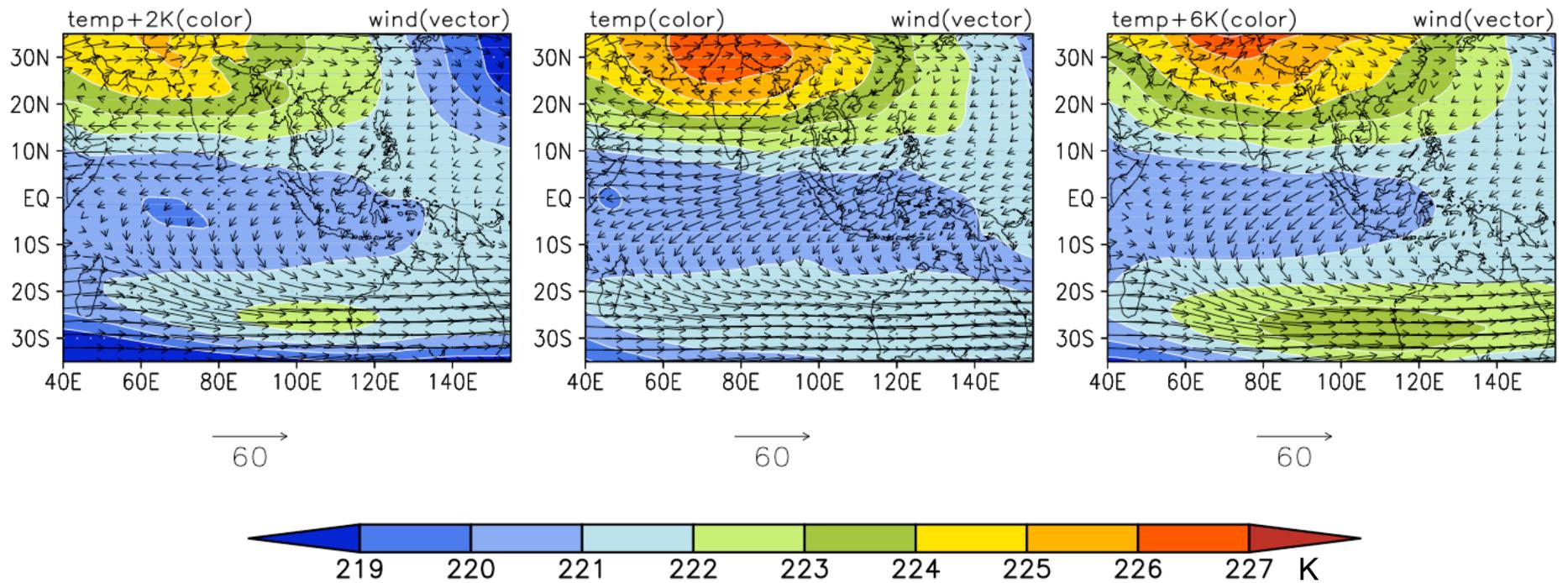
Indian Monsoon

JJAS Climatology (200-hPa Temperature, Wind)

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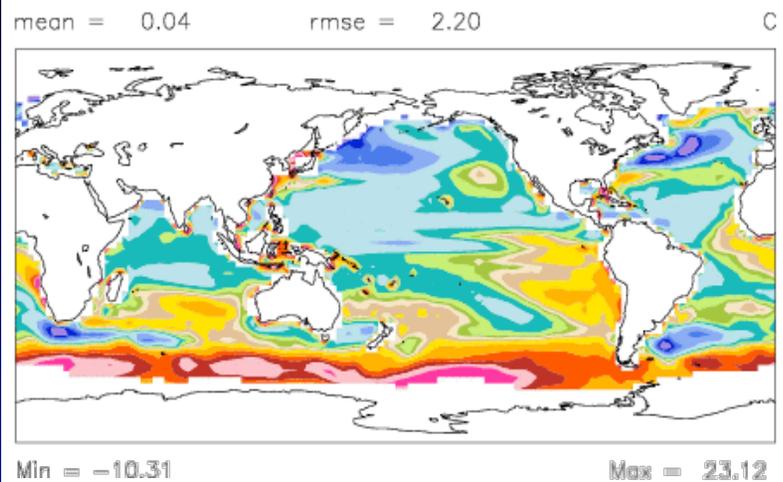


SST Bias

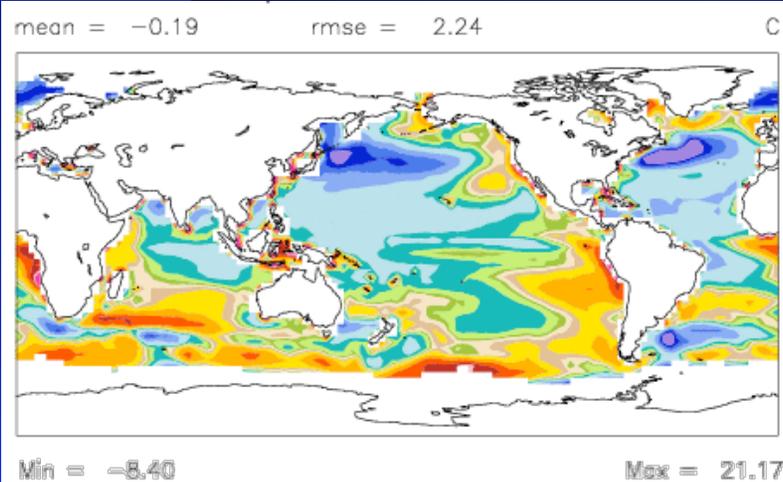
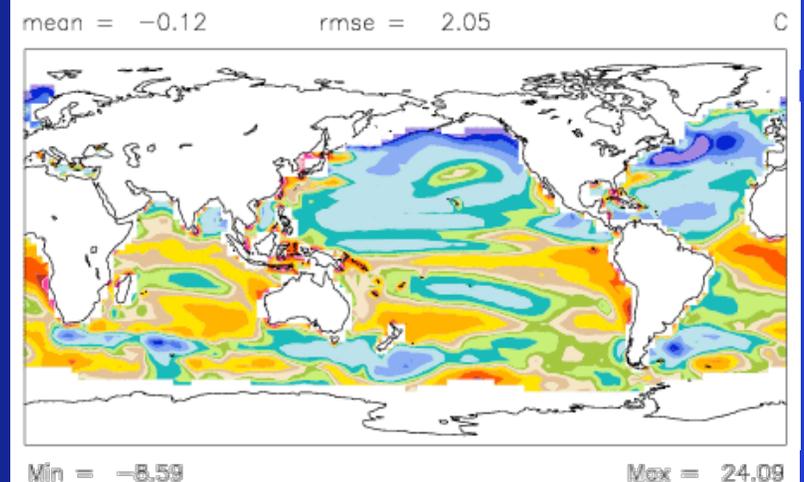
(models:0004-0023; HadISST:1982-2001)

SP-CCSM-HadISST

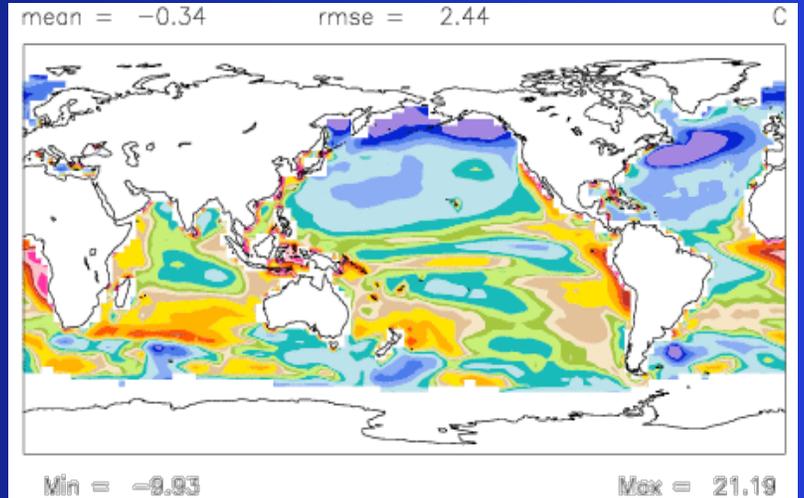
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DJF

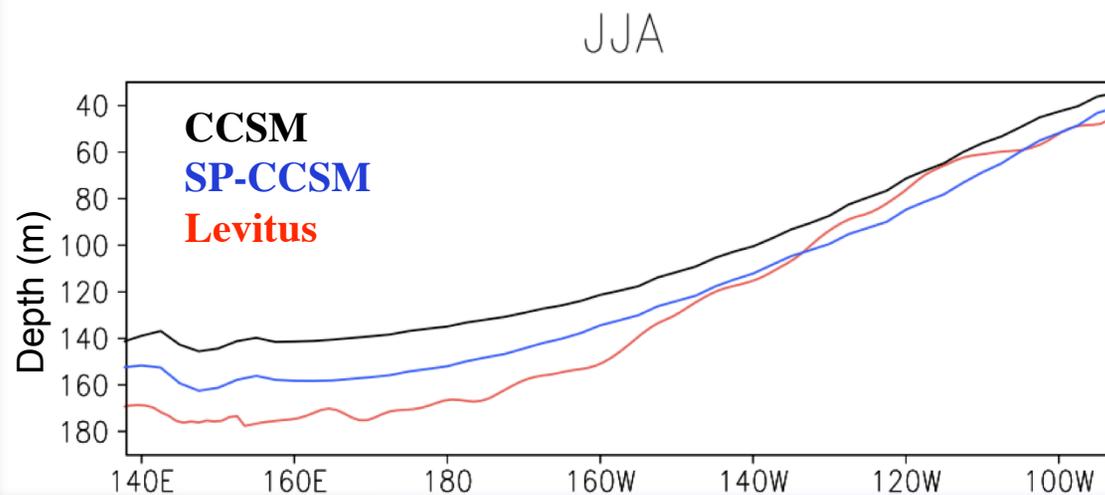
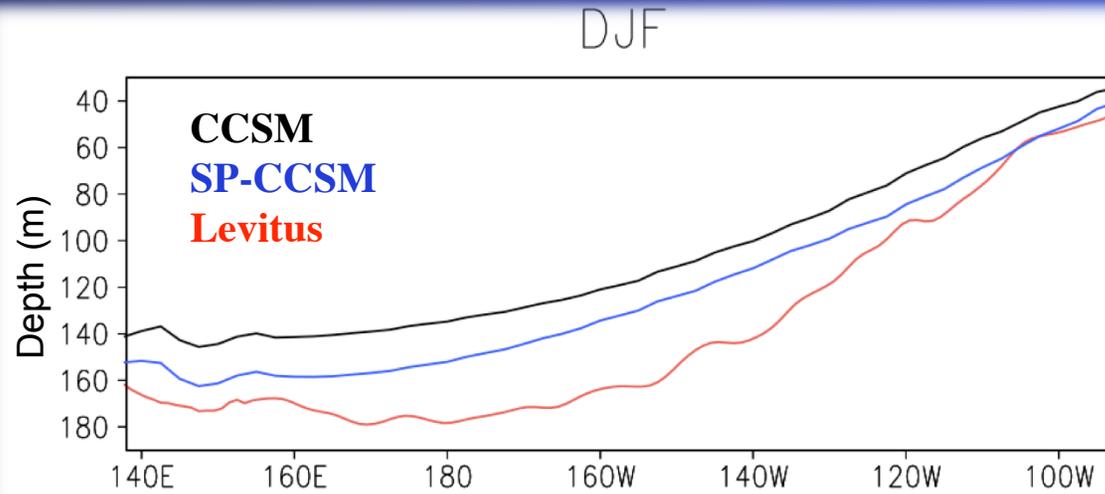


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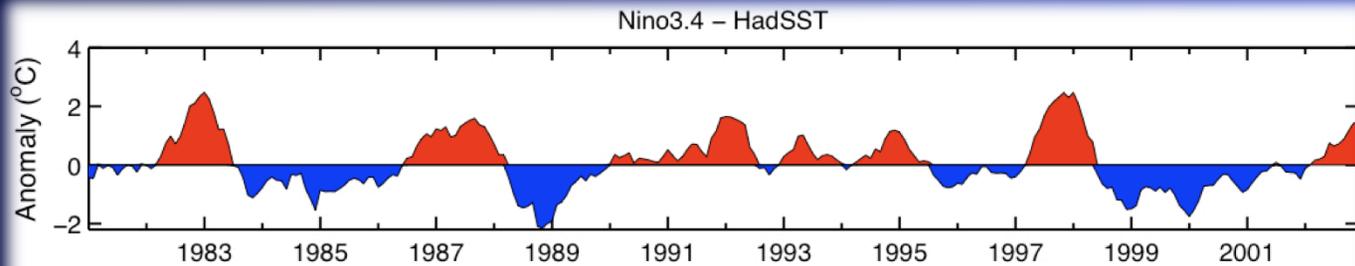
20-degree Isotherm, 5S-5N

(models: 0004–0023, Levitus: WAO 1998)

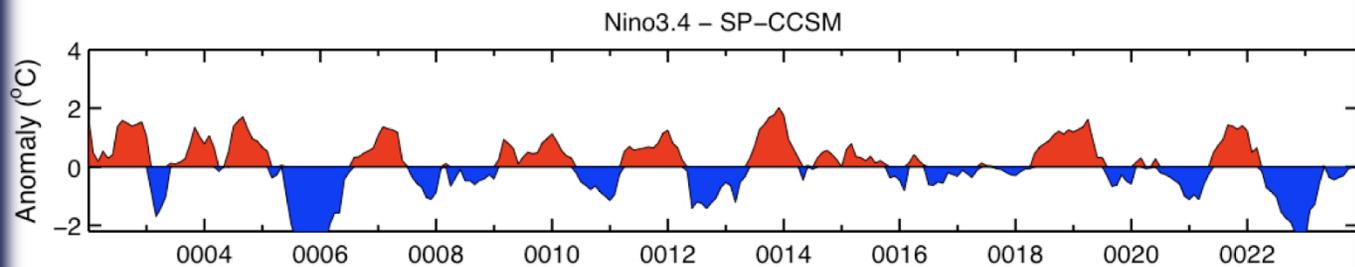


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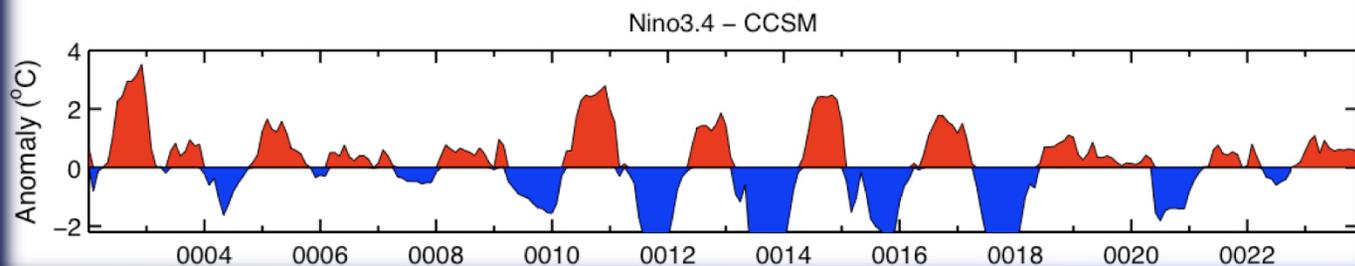
Niño 3.4 (5S-5N,170W-120W)



OBS



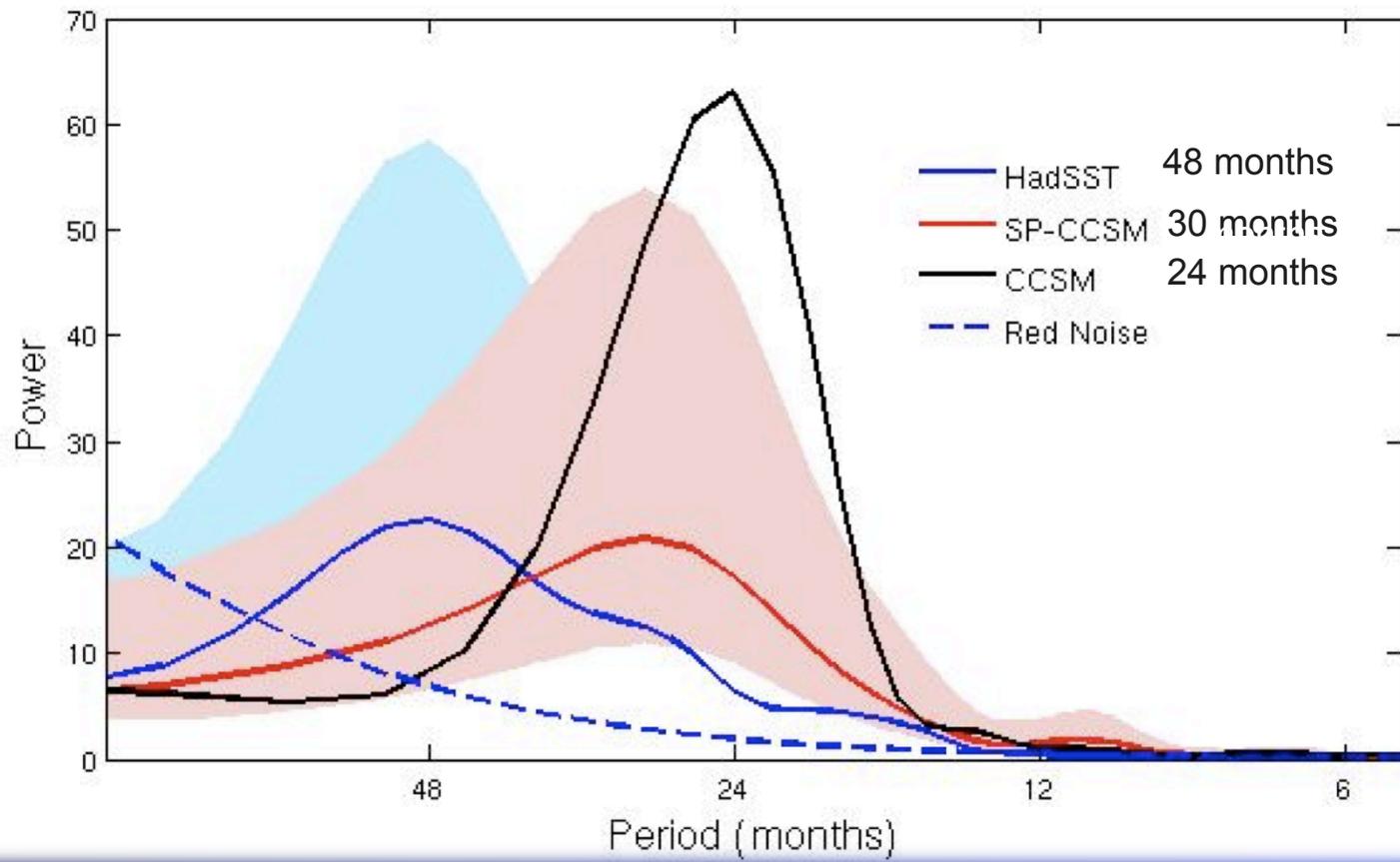
SP-CCSM



CCSM

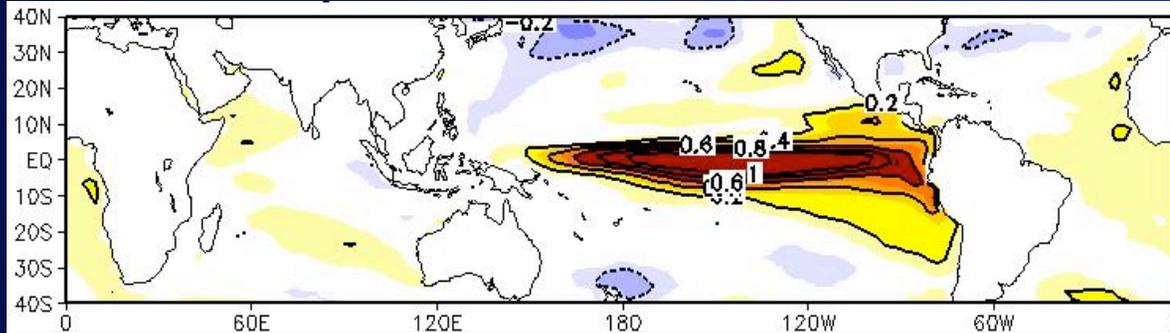
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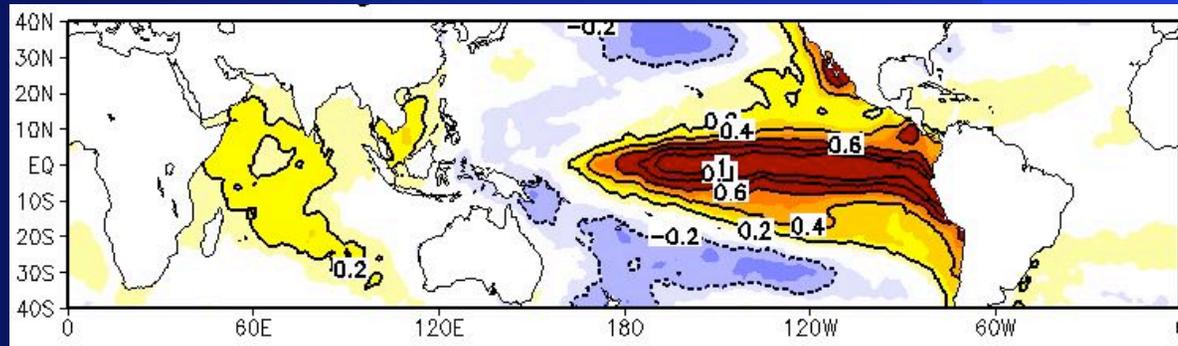


SSTA Regression with Niño3.4

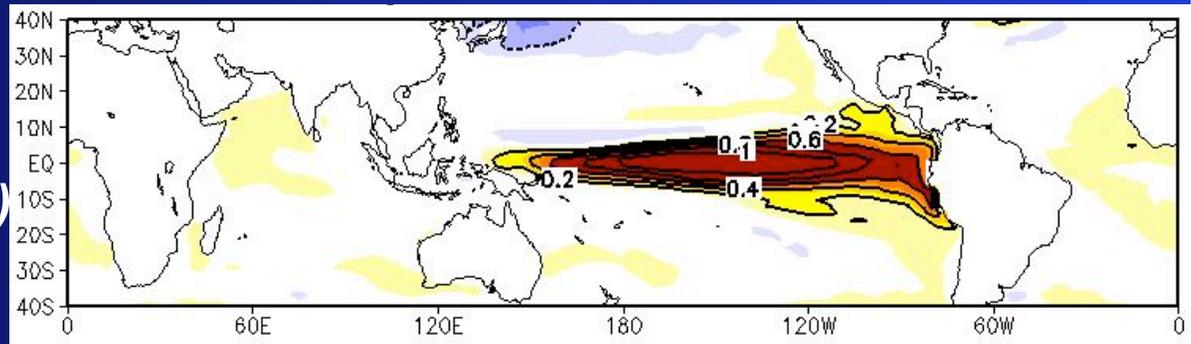
SP-CCSM
(0002–0023)



HadISST
(1948–1998)



CCSM
(0002–0023)



MJO Simulation

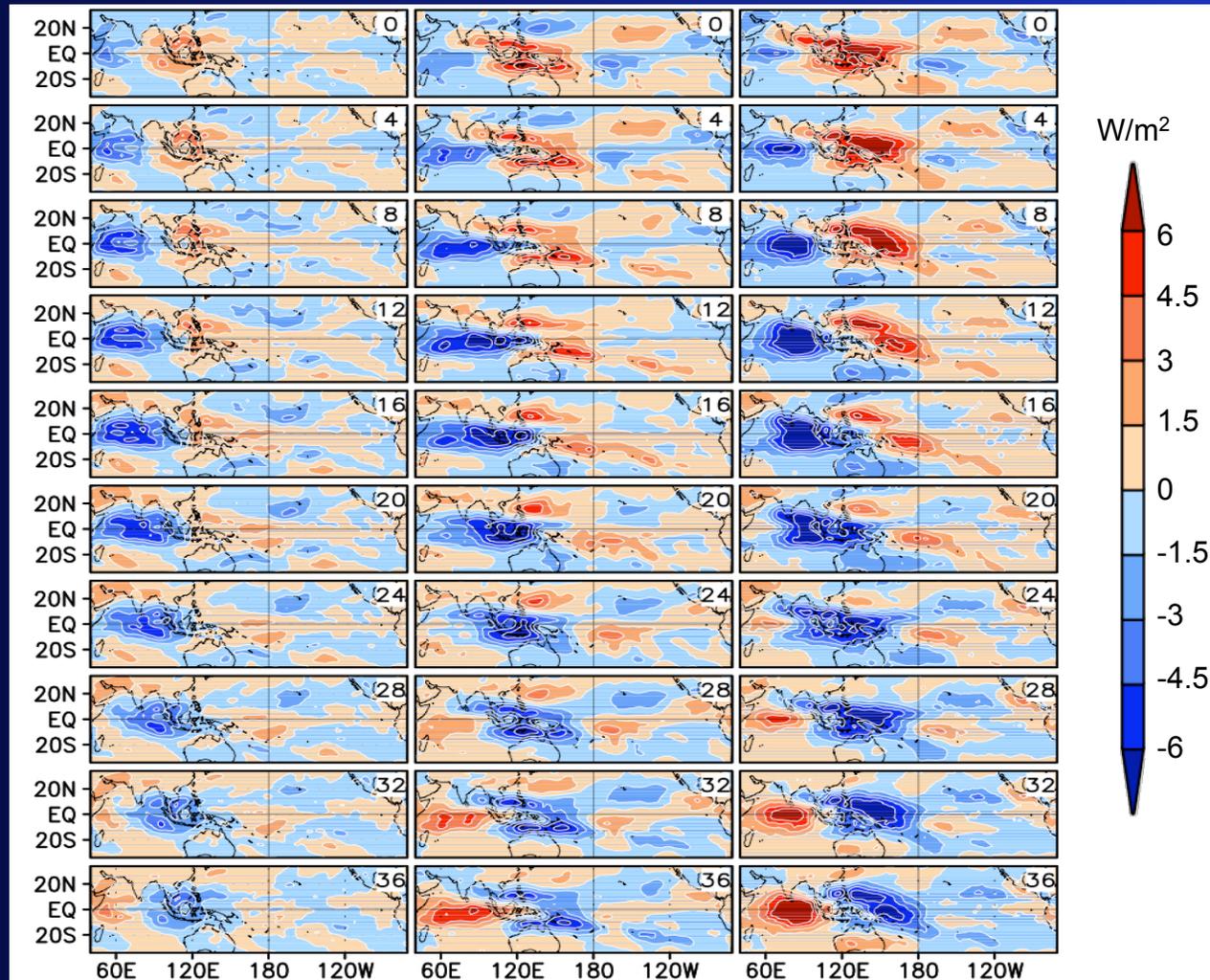
Phase composites of the OLR dominant MJO mode

(models: 0004–0023; NOAA: 1979–2007)

CCSM

NOAA

SP-CCSM



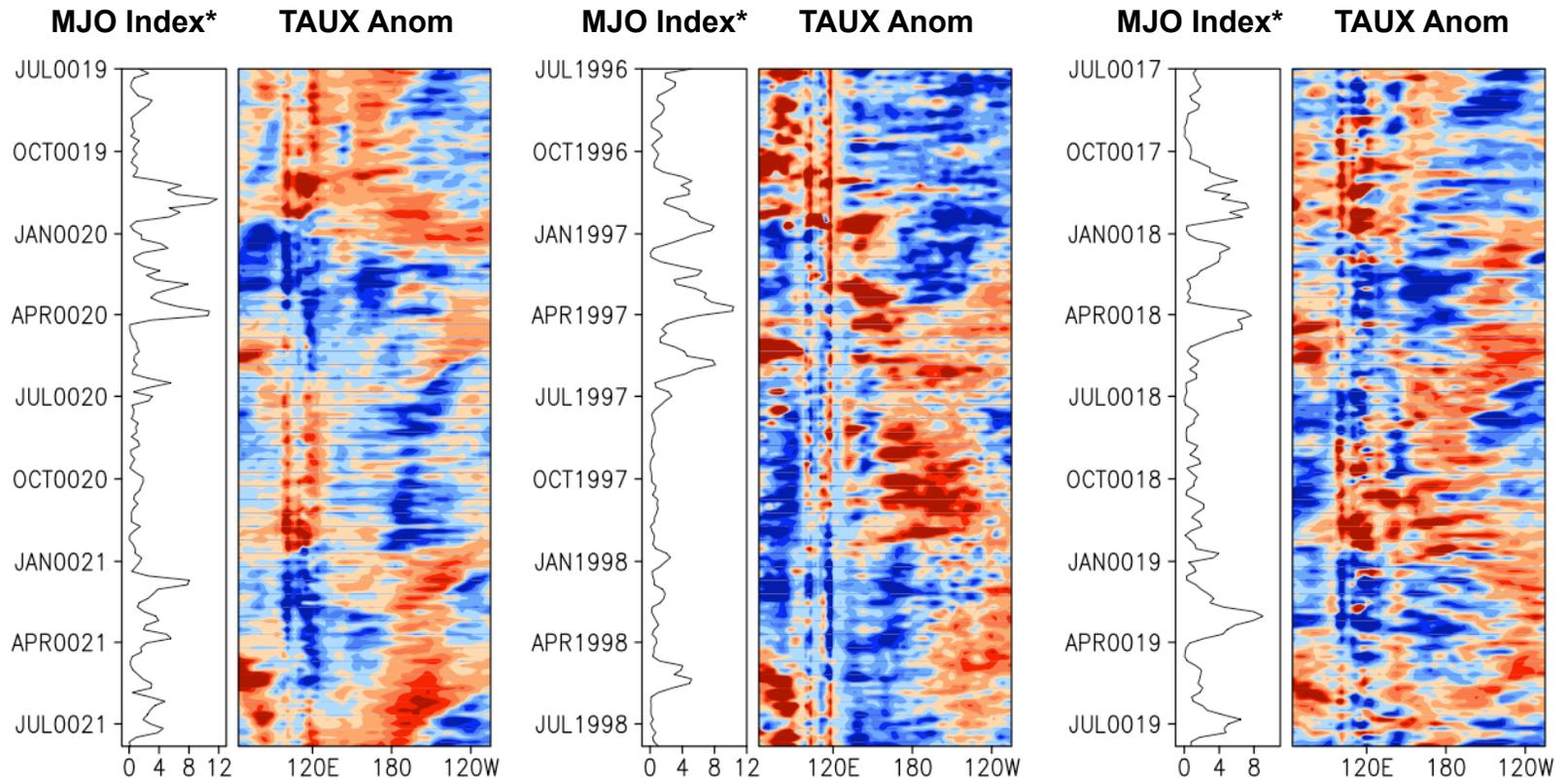
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MJO-ENSO Relation

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SP-CCSM



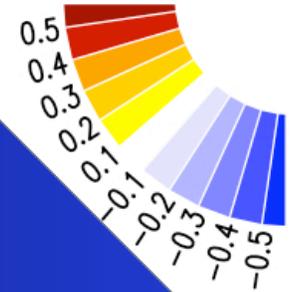
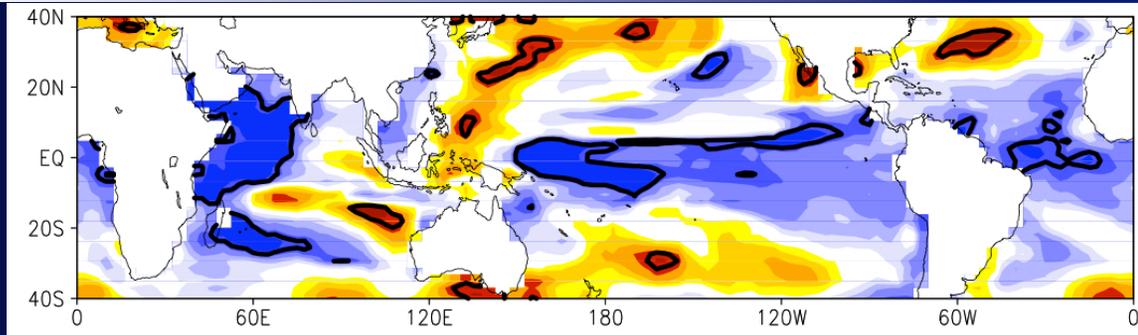
*CLIVAR definition

-0.04 -0.03 -0.02 -0.01 0.0 0.01 0.02 0.03 0.04 N/m²

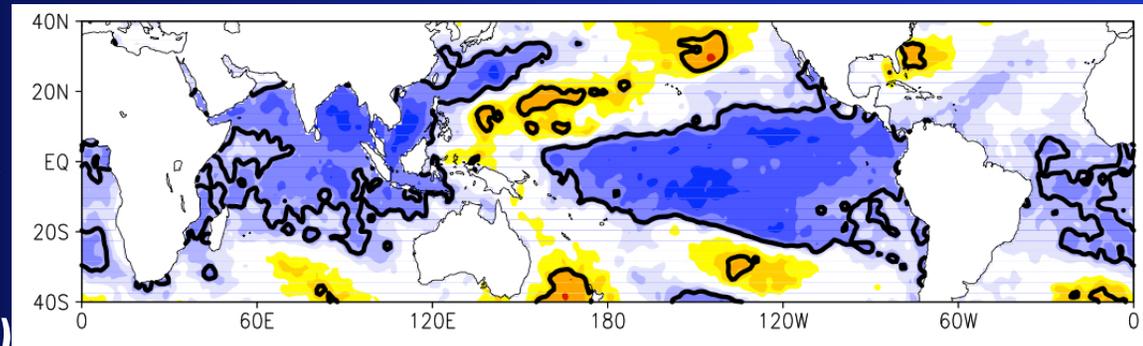
ENSO-Monsoon Relationship

IMR (JJA), SSTA(DJF+1)

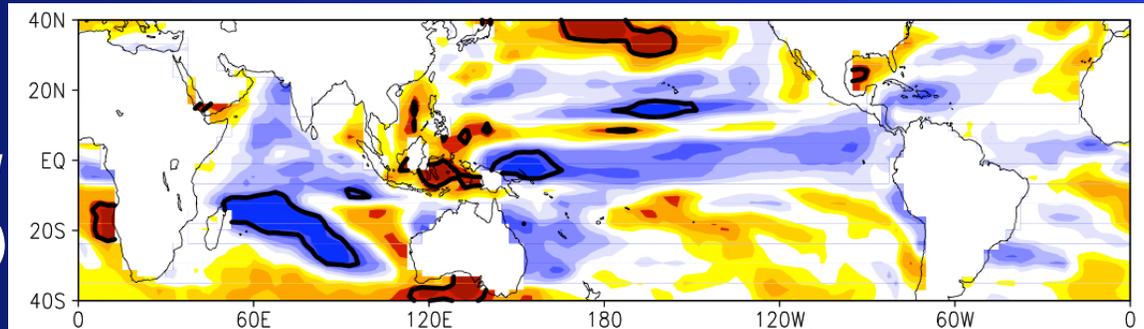
SP-CCSM
(0002-0023)



**HadISST/
GPCP**
(1951-2004)



Ctl-CCSM
(0002-0023)



Future Plans

- Better understanding of the mechanisms that trigger and maintain MJO
- Use SP-CCSM as a prediction tool
- Simulate a CMIP 5 climate-change scenario
- New simulation with high resolution ocean and fv dyn core in the AGCM