





# Outline

- AeroCom Science topics
- Control Experiment 2016
- AeroCom infrastructure
- BAMS overview paper
- Aerocom-AerChemMIP
- Next AeroCom meetings



## Last years 100% AeroCom papers...

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# AeroCom Science topics

## *Summary from the meeting?*

- Surface extinction and absorption
- Nitrate
- Biomass burning
- Anthropogenic Dust
- Aerosol size and CCN
- Forcing decomposition
  - BC, semidirect, ERF, transient ERF, indirect
- Indirect effect constraints from Bardabunga, Ship emissions, new experiments
- COSP output, backscatter aerosol output
- Aerosol trends
- Current campaigns eg South Atlantic ORACLES, LASIC, CLARIFY
- Feedbacks involving aerosols
- Uncertainty reduction through model evaluation / constraints

# AeroCom Control Experiment 2016

- <https://wiki.met.no/aerocom/phase3-experiments>
- ***Please feedback on specification for AP3-CTRL2016-PD and AP3-CTRL2016-PI***
- Use new CMIP6 new emissions 2014 and 1850 ??
- Submit results until End of November
- Use this to check CMIP6 model version
- Results should end up in joint BAMS paper including updated AeroCom median for PD and PI
- Link to current more specialised AeroCom experiments...



# AeroCom/AerChemMIP

## New climatology and trend simulation

- Use new CMIP6 emissions 1850-2014  
<https://pcmdi.llnl.gov/projects/input4mips/>
- Decadal runs 1850-1970 (one year per decade)
- 5 year runs  
(1975-1980-1985-1990-1995-2000-2005-2010-2014)
- 3d monthly fields, aod, aaod, loads, emissions,  
BC, OC, DUST, SO4, NO3, SS, BB (?), CCN (@0.3% SS)
- AeroCom-AerChemMIP climatology product
- Results in by spring/summer 2017 ??
- ***Interest to do that?***

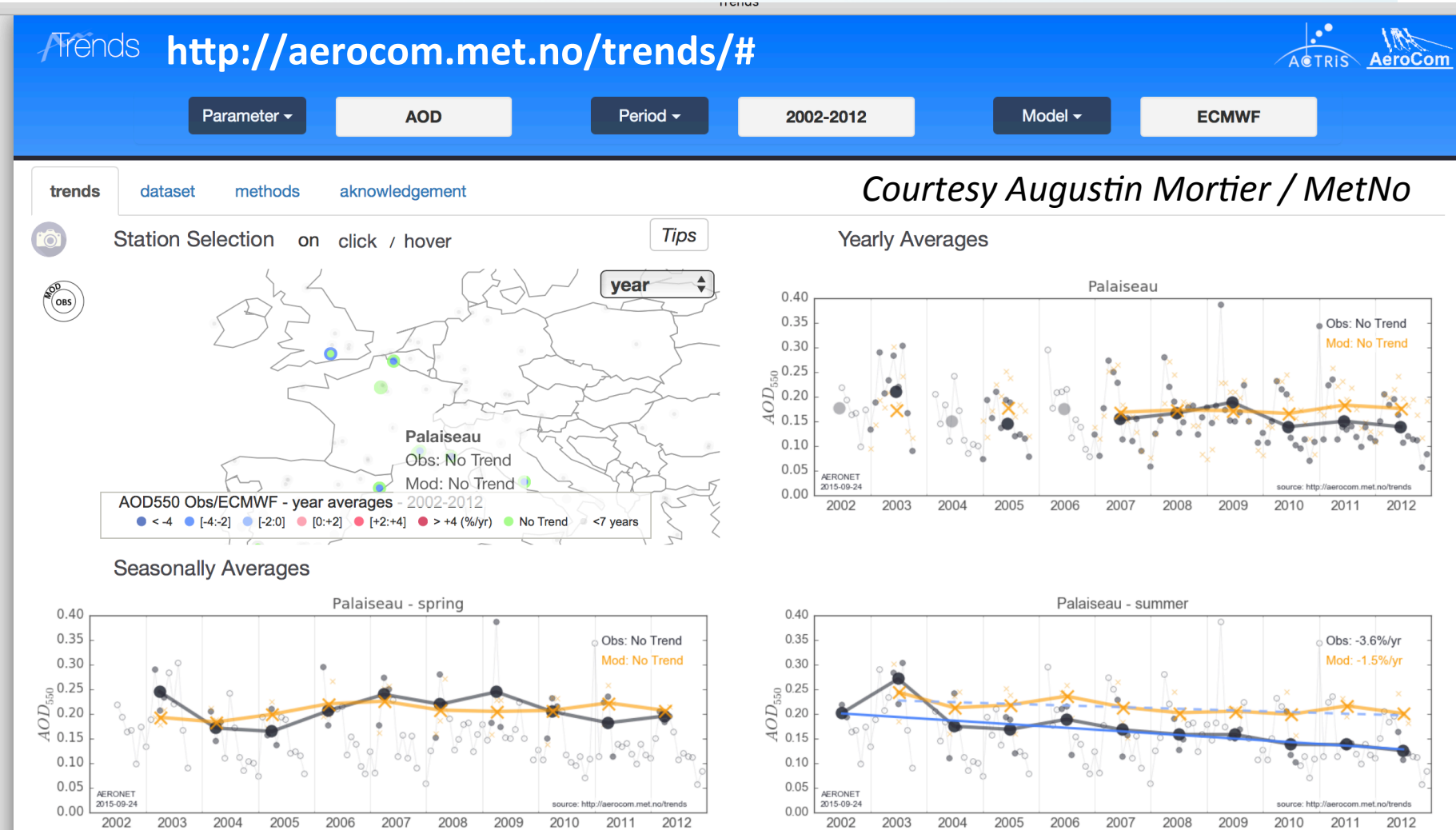
# AeroCom infrastructure 1/2

- 175 users have access to AeroCom users server
- AeroCom database new structure per phase and project
  - 0.7 - 2.5 - 1.3 TB AeroCom phases I – II – III
  - 0.04 - 0.03 – 1.1 TB AeroCom Indirect I - II – III
  - 0.11 – 8.2 TB HTAP phase I - II
  - 0.18 TB Satellite Data / 0.13 TB cci-Aerosol
  - 0.2 ACCMIP / 1.3 ECMWF / 0.8 ECLIPSE /
- Data storage system renewed, see Jan Griesfeller poster



# AeroCom infrastructure 2/2

## New visualization of station&model data



Courtesy Augustin Mortier / MetNo





# BAMS overview paper

- Overview of AeroCom science goals, achievements, plans, infrastructure
- Basis – Notes from last years workshop, this years presentations, working group lead contribution
- New AeroCom median model PD and PI, base year 2010 and 2014 and 1850
- What is the status of knowledge on aerosol impact on forcing and climate evolution?
- What should the AeroCom community pursue as experiments and data evaluations?
- ***Timeline: Outline October, Contributions November, Draft January, Final write-up in AeroCom Writing Workshop Feb/Mar 2017 Norway?***



# AerChemMIP



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### Model experiment description paper

12 Jul 2016

## AerChemMIP: Quantifying the effects of chemistry and aerosols in CMIP6

**Review status**  
This discussion paper is under review for the journal Geoscientific Model Development (GMD).

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# AerChemMIP.....

## What is interesting for AeroCom?

<https://wiki.met.no/aerocom/aerchemmip/diagnostics>

*Unfortunately not yet fully integrated in CMIP6 data request*

*NTCF Forcing documentation in the coupled CMIP models*

*Atmospheric composition change documentation / Trend analysis*

Aerosol-Climate Feedback analysis

*Future Low Air Pollution scenario*



# AerChemMIP forcing diagnostics

## 30 year long simulations with fixed SST/Seaice

Experiment ID	Minimum model configuration	CH <sub>4</sub>	N <sub>2</sub> O	Aerosol Precursors	Ozone Precursors	CFC/HCFC	Tier
<i>piSSTclim</i>	AGCM-AER	1850	1850	1850	1850	1850	1
<i>piSSTclim-NTCF</i>	AGCM-CHEM	1850	1850	<b>2014</b>	<b>2014</b>	1850	1
<i>piSSTclim-Aer</i>	AGCM-AER	1850	1850	<b>2014</b>	1850	1850	2
<i>piSSTclim-BC</i>	AGCM-AER	1850	1850	1850 (non BC) <b>2014</b> (BC)	1850	1850	2
<i>piSSTclim-O3</i>	AGCM-CHEM	1850	1850	1850	<b>2014</b>	1850	2
<i>piSSTclim-CH4</i>	AGCM-CHEM	<b>2014</b>	1850	1850	1850	1850	2
<i>piSSTclim-N2O</i>	AGCM-CHEM*	1850	<b>2014</b>	1850	1850	1850	2
<i>piSSTclim-HC</i>	AGCM-CHEM*	1850	1850	1850	1850	<b>2014</b>	2
<i>piSSTclim-NOX</i>	AGCM-CHEM	1850	1850	1850	1850 (non NO <sub>x</sub> ) <b>2014</b> (NO <sub>x</sub> )	1850	3
<i>piSSTclim-VOC</i>	AGCM-CHEM	1850	1850	1850	1850 (non CO/VOC) <b>2014</b> (CO/VOC)	1850	3

*....this could be done first in 2017 once the CMIP6 model versions are fixed And the PI control run has been achieved*



# AerChemMIP coupled AOGCM and AGCM simulations

## Characterizing transient forcing history and atmospheric composition change in one shot

Experiment ID	Minimum model configuration	CH <sub>4</sub>	N <sub>2</sub> O	Aerosol Precursors	Ozone precursors	CFC/ HCFC	Tier
<i>hist-piNTCF</i>	AOGCM-CHEM	Hist	Hist	<b>1850</b>	<b>1850</b>	Hist	1
<i>hist-piAer</i>	AOGCM-AER	Hist	Hist	<b>1850</b>	Hist	Hist	2
<i>hist-1950HC</i>	AOGCM-CHEM*	Hist	Hist	Hist	Hist	<b>1950</b>	1

Experiment ID	Minimum model configuration	CH <sub>4</sub>	N <sub>2</sub> O	Aerosol Precursors	Ozone precursors	CFC/ HCFC	Tier
<i>histSST</i>	AGCM-AER	Hist	Hist	Hist	Hist	Hist	1
<i>histSST-piNTCF</i>	AGCM-CHEM	Hist	Hist	<b>1850</b>	<b>1850</b>	Hist	1
<i>histSST-piAer</i>	AGCM-AER	Hist	Hist	<b>1850</b>	Hist	Hist	2
<i>histSST-piO3</i>	AGCM-CHEM	Hist	Hist	Hist	<b>1850</b>	Hist	2
<i>histSST-1950HC</i>	AGCM-CHEM*	Hist	Hist	Hist	Hist	<b>1950</b>	1
<i>histSST-piCH4</i>	AGCM-CHEM	<b>1850</b>	Hist	Hist	Hist	Hist	1
<i>histSST-piN2O</i>	AGCM-CHEM*	Hist	<b>1850</b>	Hist	Hist	Hist	2

*How good  
Is the forcing  
Diagnostic in  
Transient runs?*

# Forcing decomposition “triple call”

How many calls to the radiation calculation do we need?  
To diagnose direct, indirect, semi-direct, and BC forcing....

[within Preindustrial and Current day, or transient simulation]

2 x [ Cloudy/All-sky and clear sky ]

2 x [With / without Aerosol scattering and absorption ]

2 x [With / without black carbon ] ??

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4-8 calls to radiation and separate storage of TOA fluxes

*Is there interest  
in a webinar  
how to do that?*

# AerChemMIP

## Aerosol - Climate feedback analysis

- *Which framework to choose for analysis ???*
- AerChemMIP analysis of doubling natural emissions?
- Emission and load diagnostics in transient climate simulations ?
- Kernel method to separate forcing and feedbacks

Experiment ID	Minimum model configuration	Flux to be doubled	Tier
<i>piSSTclim-2xdust</i>	AGCM-AER	Dust	2
<i>piSSTclim-2xss</i>	AGCM-AER	Sea salt	2
<i>piSSTclim-2xDMS</i>	AGCM-AER	Oceanic DMS	3
<i>piSSTclim-2xfire</i>	AGCM-AER	Fire (NO <sub>x</sub> , BC, OC, CO, VOCs...)	3
<i>piSST-2xNOX</i>	AGCM-CHEM	Lightning NO <sub>x</sub>	3
<i>piSST-2xVOC</i>	AGCM-CHEM	Biogenic VOCs	3

# Next AeroCom meetings

- Feb/Mar AeroCom paper write-up workshop Norway
  - (scope 20-30 people ? ) doodle? **Who is interested?**
- EGU Vienna ACTRIS-AeroCom session
- Next 16<sup>th</sup> AeroCom workshop at FMI Helsinki  
**9.-13. October 2017 ??**
  
- **Other ??**