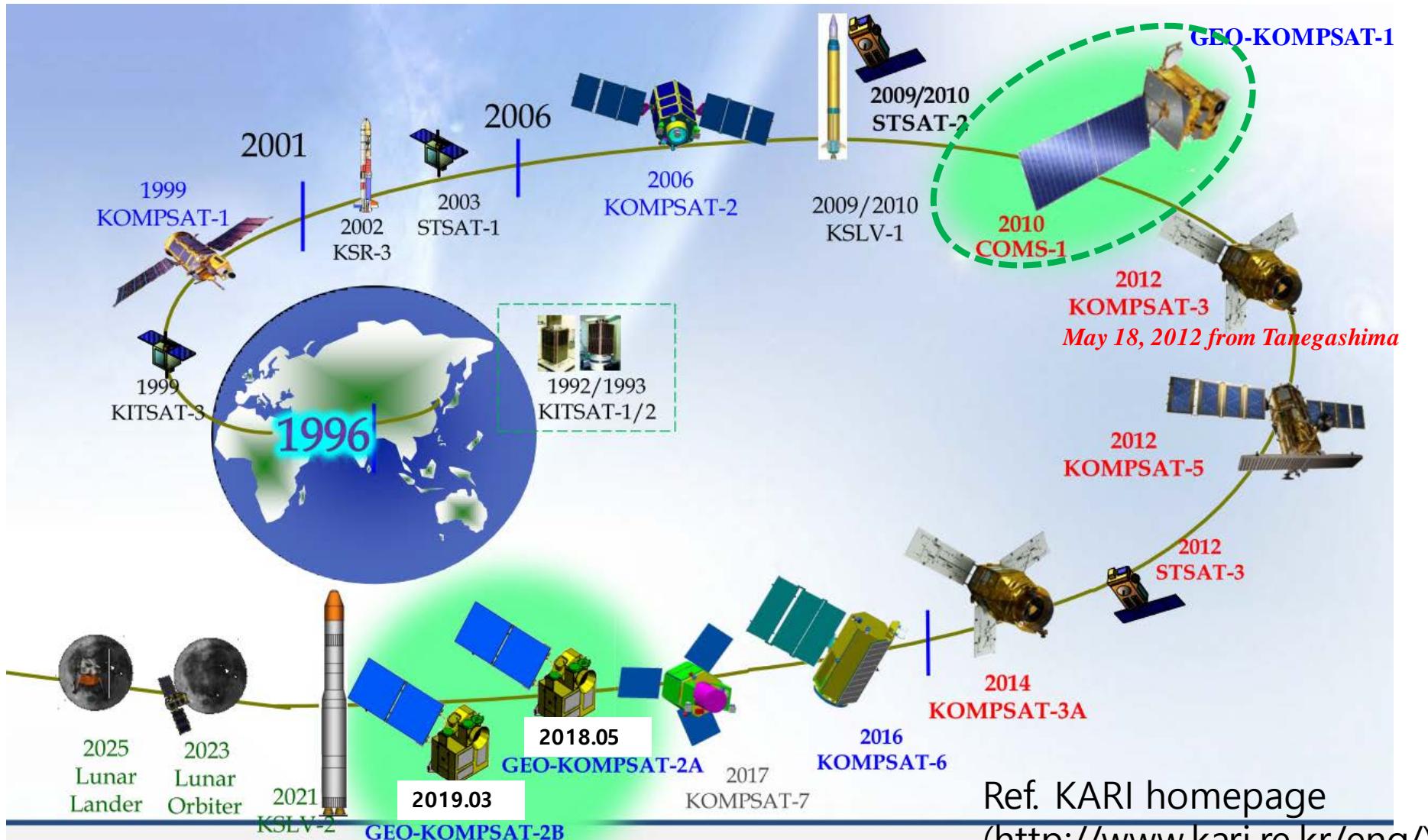


# Aerosol remote sensing in South Korea using geostationary satellites

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# Communication, Ocean and Meteorological Satellite (COMS)

Launch : June 27, 2010, Longitude : 128°E (GEO)

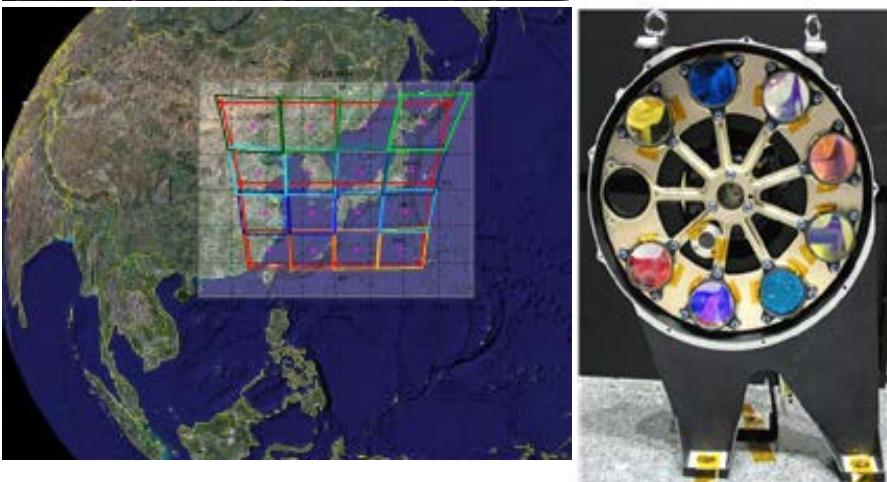


## Geostationary Ocean Color Imager

**GOCI**

[Choi et al., 2016, AMT]  
[Lee et al., 2012, ACP]  
[Lee et al., 2010, RSE]

- Wavelengths: 412, 443, 490, 555, 660, 680, 745, 865 nm
- Spatial resolution: 500 m x 500 m
- Temporal resolution: 1 hr (8 times per day)
- Spatial coverage: East Asia



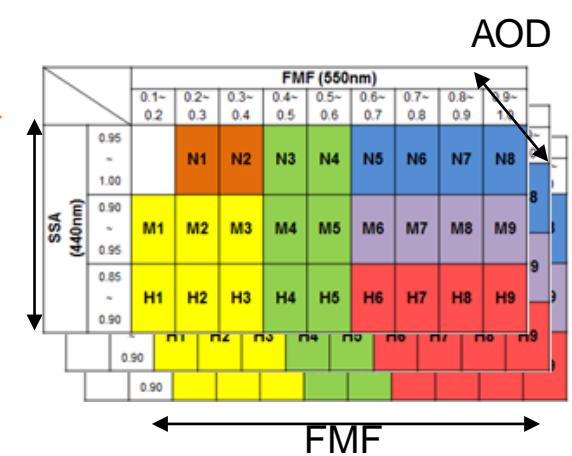
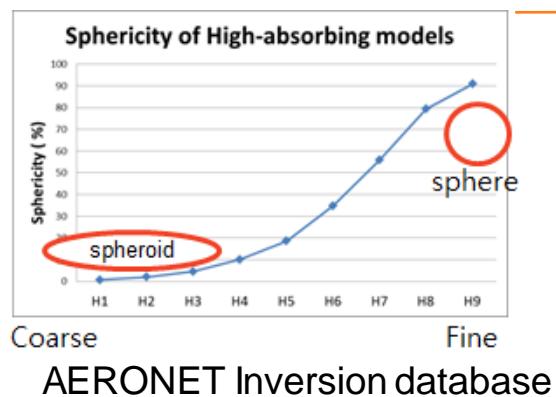
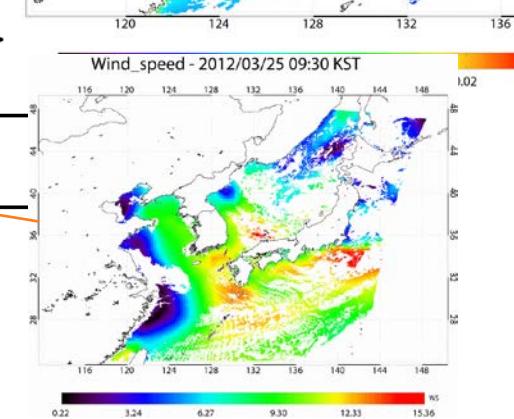
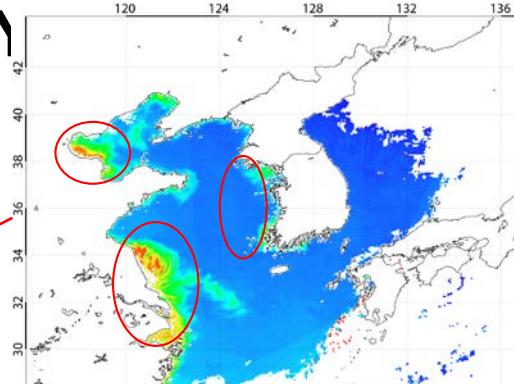
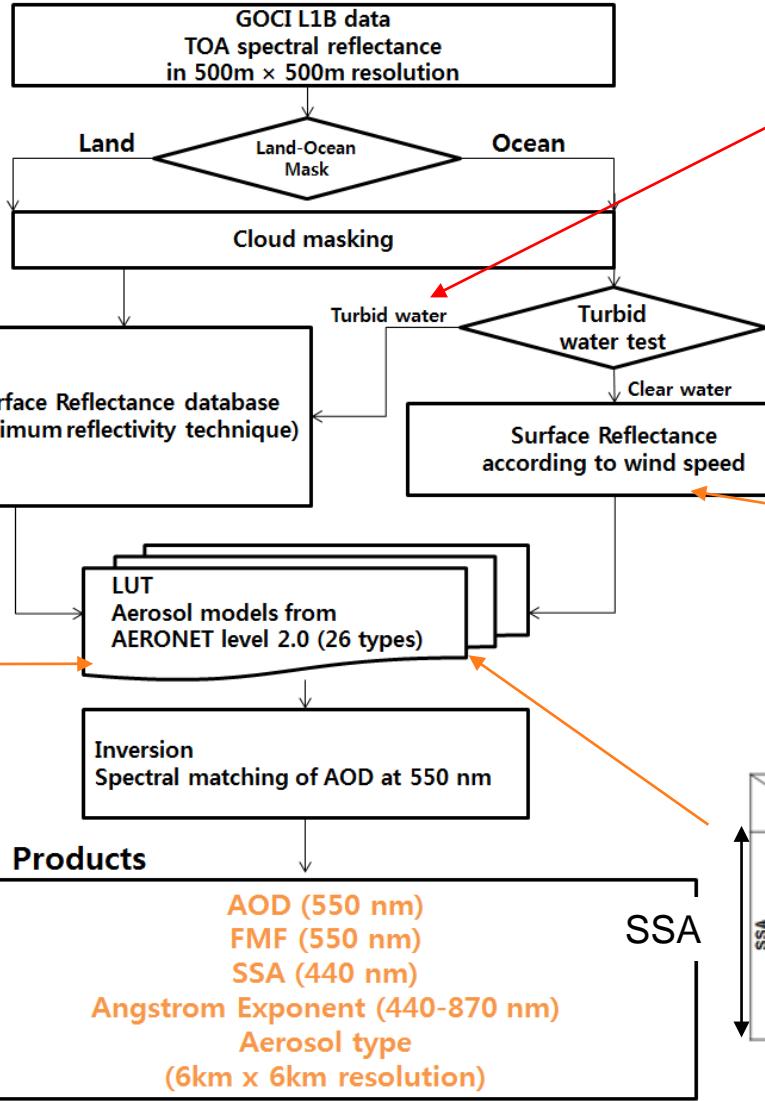
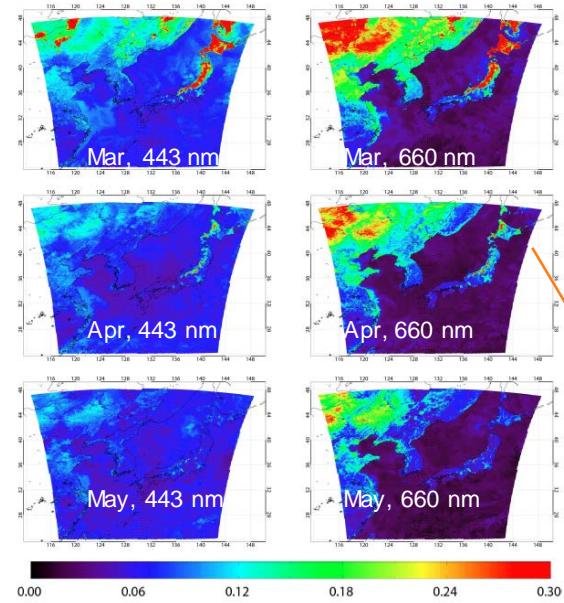
## Meteorological Imager

**MI**

[Kim et al., 2016, ACP]  
[Kim et al., 2014, RSE]

- Wavelengths: Visible (0.55-0.80 μm), IR1(10.3-11.3 μm), IR2(11.5-12.5 μm), WV (6.5-7.0 μm), NIR (3.5-4.0 μm)
- Spatial resolution: 1 km x 1 km, 4 km x 4 km
- Temporal resolution: 15 min.
- Spatial coverage: Full disk / NH

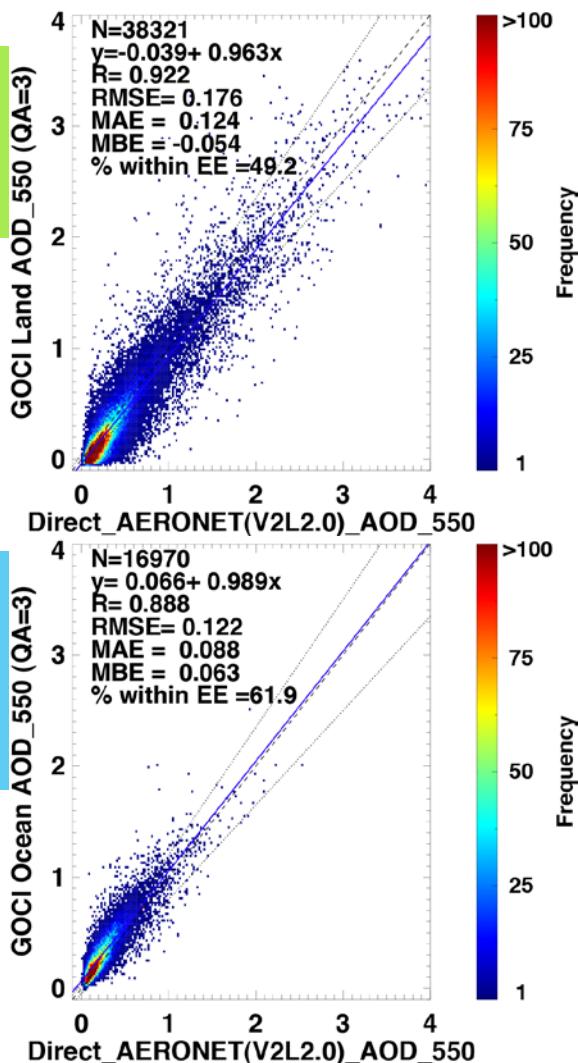
# Flowchart of GOCI Yonsei Aerosol retrieval (1)



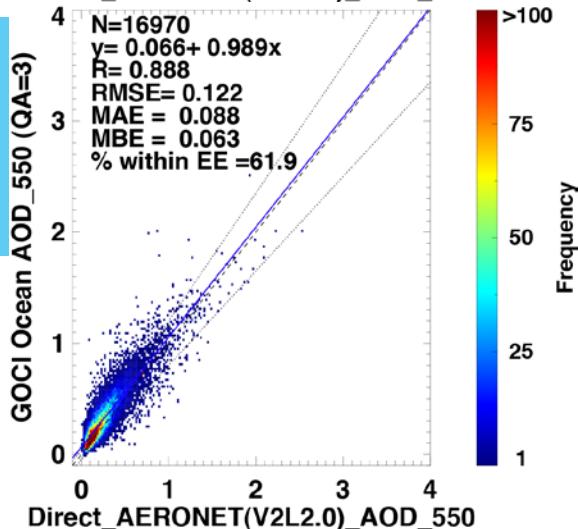
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# GOCI AOD and AE validation using AERONET

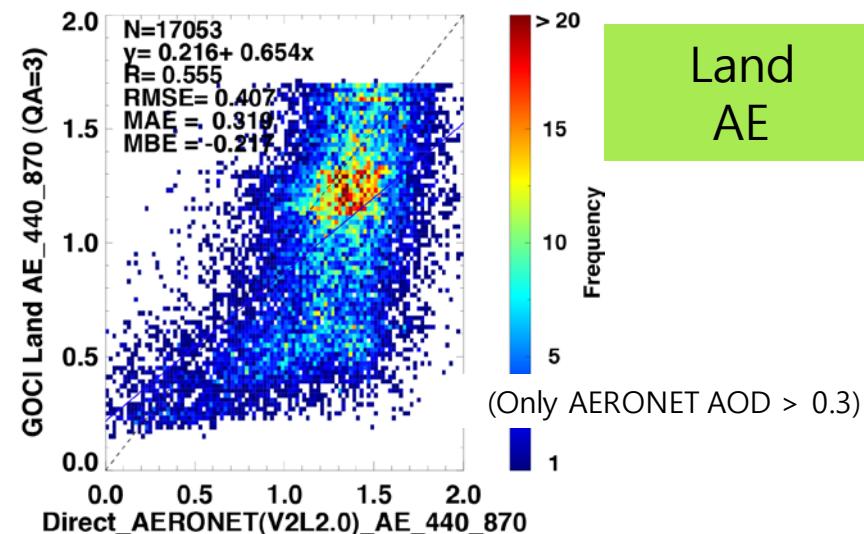
Land  
-algorithm  
AOD



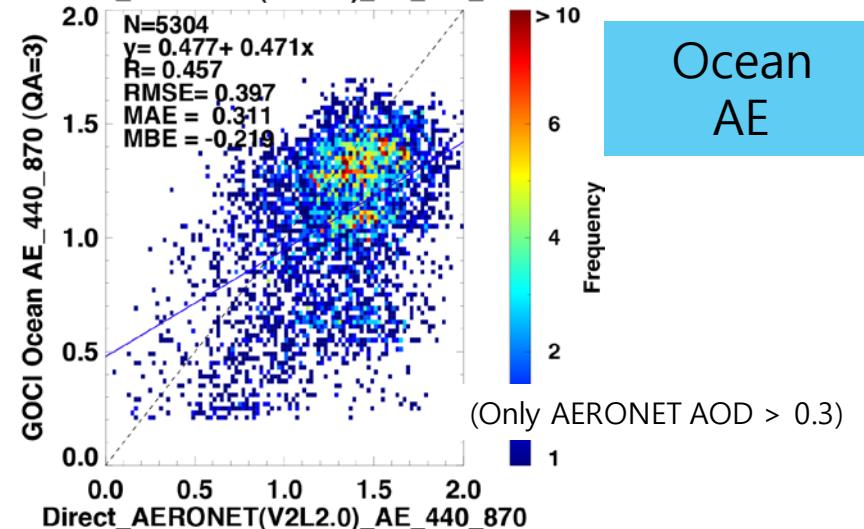
Ocean  
-algorithm  
AOD  
(coastal sites)



Land  
AE



Ocean  
AE

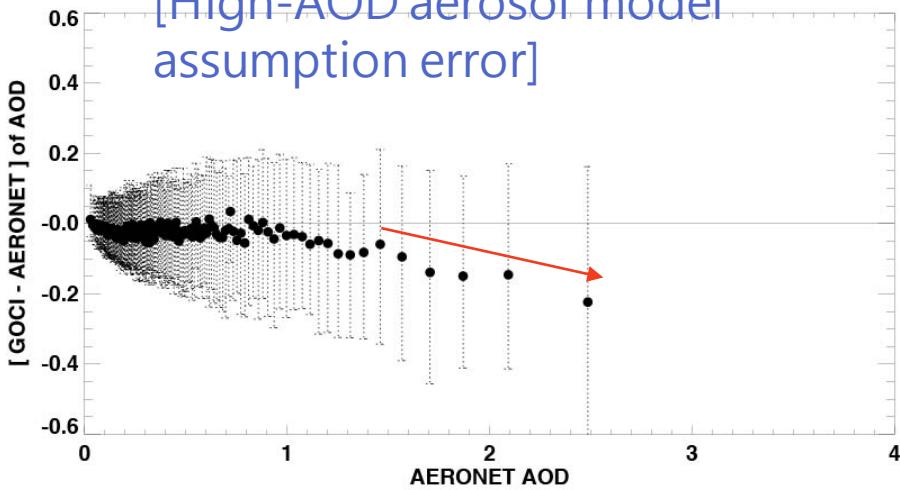


- 27 AERONET sites, 2011.03.01 – 2016.02.29 (5 years)
- Spatial collocation: average of GOCI pixels within 25km at AERONET site (at least one GOCI data is available)
- Temporal collocation: average of AERONET data within 30min at satellite measurement time (at least one AERONET data is available)
- Expected Error:  $\pm(0.05+0.15 \times \text{AERONET AOD})$ , Reference from MODIS DT

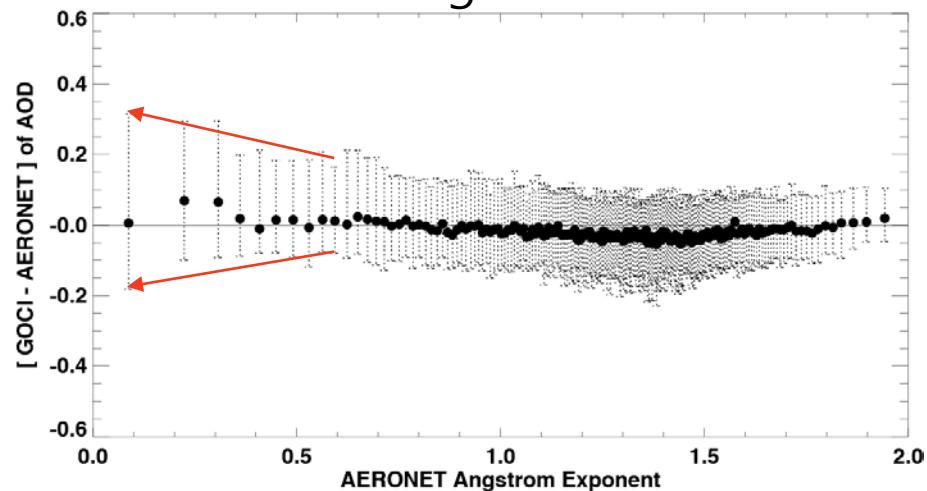
# GOCI AOD error analysis

Next step: How to quantify uncertainties of AOD considering various error sources together?

Negative bias at high AOD  
[High-AOD aerosol model assumption error]

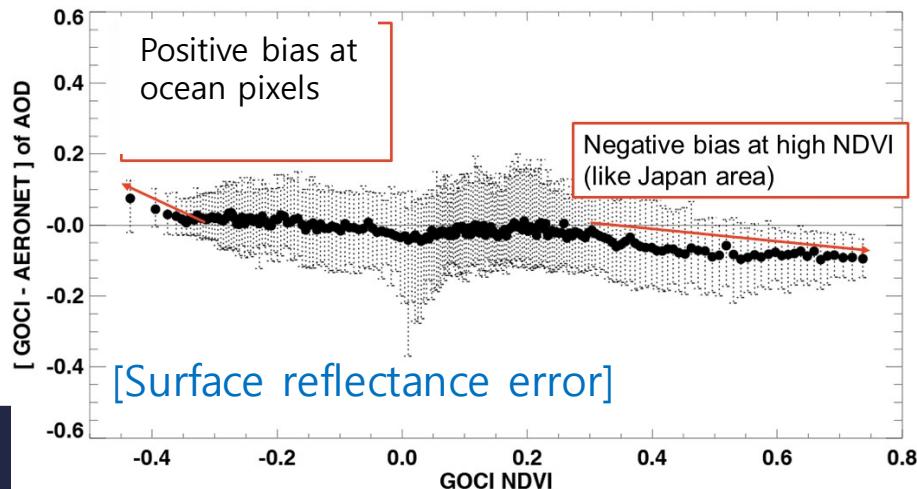


Broad error range at low AE



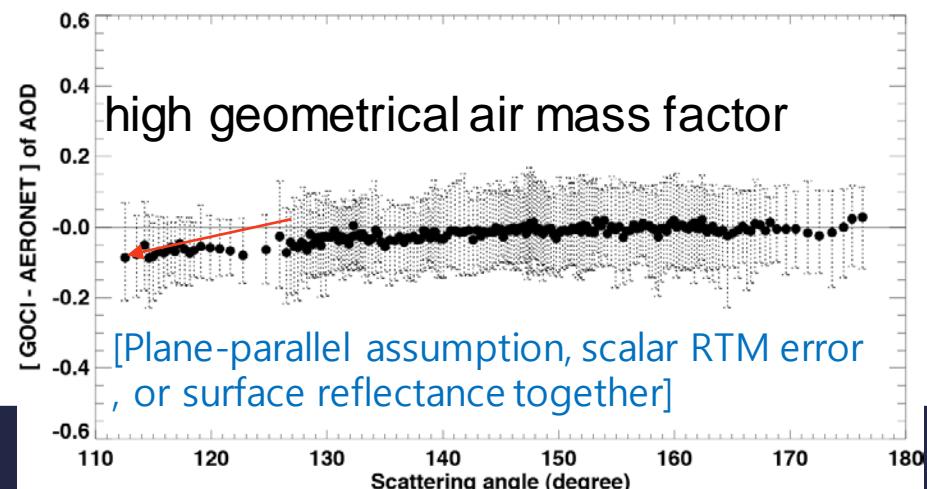
Positive bias at ocean pixels

Negative bias at high NDVI (like Japan area)



[Surface reflectance error]

high geometrical air mass factor

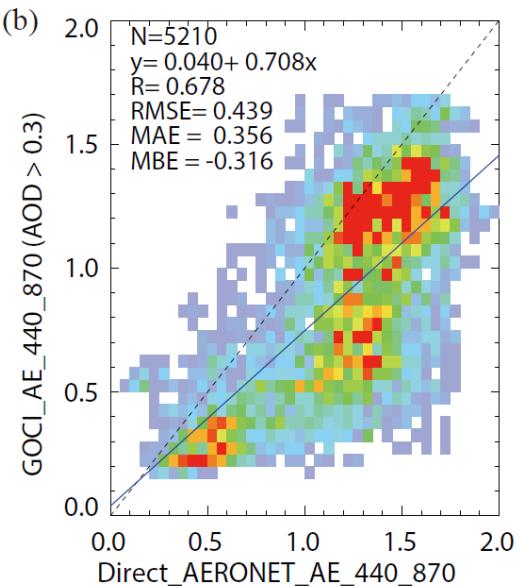


[Plane-parallel assumption, scalar RTM error, or surface reflectance together]

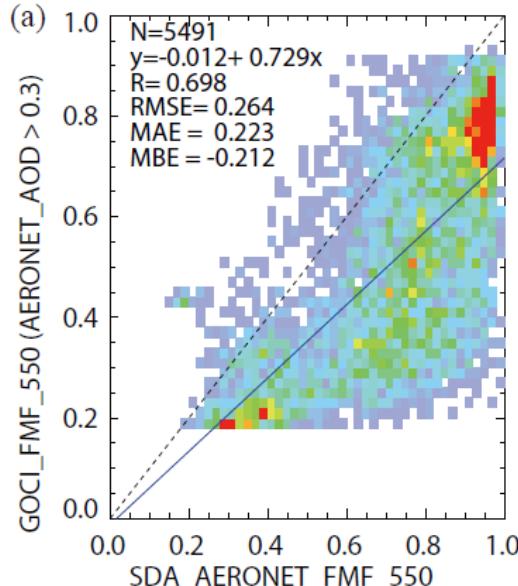
# Validation of other optical properties over land

## 2012.03-05 DRAGON-NE Asia Campaign period (Korea and Japan)

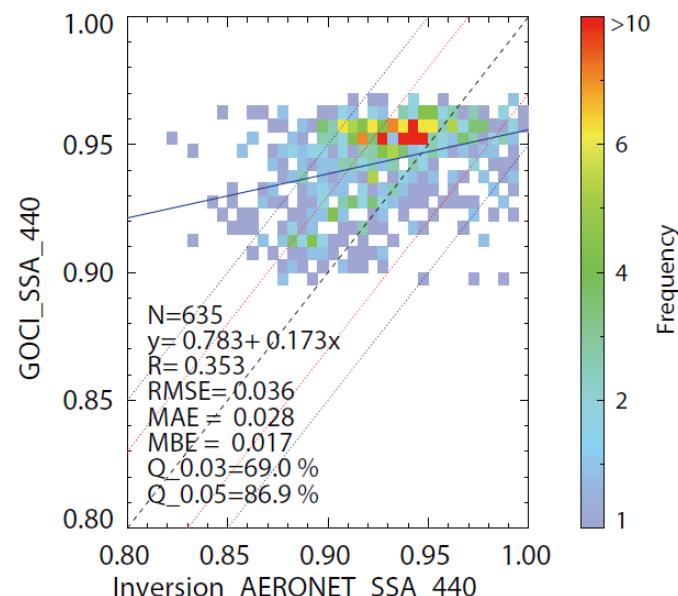
**AE b/w 440 – 870 nm**



**FMF at 550 nm**



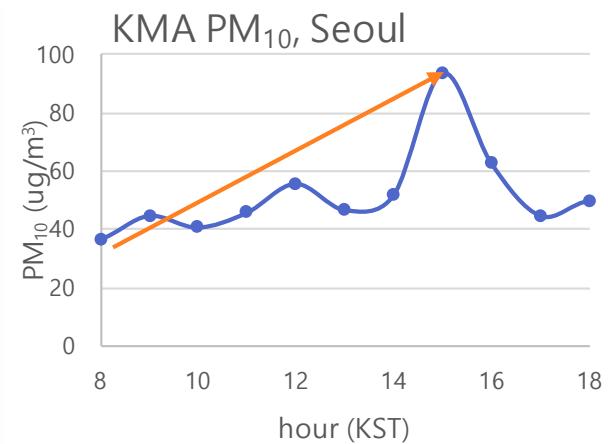
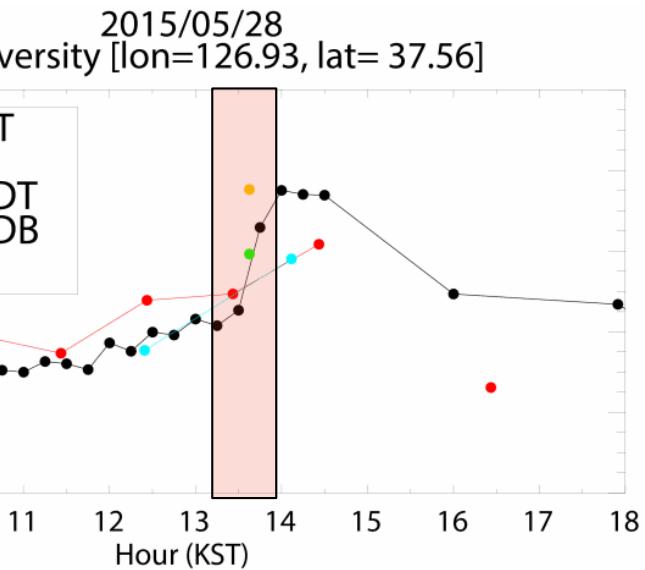
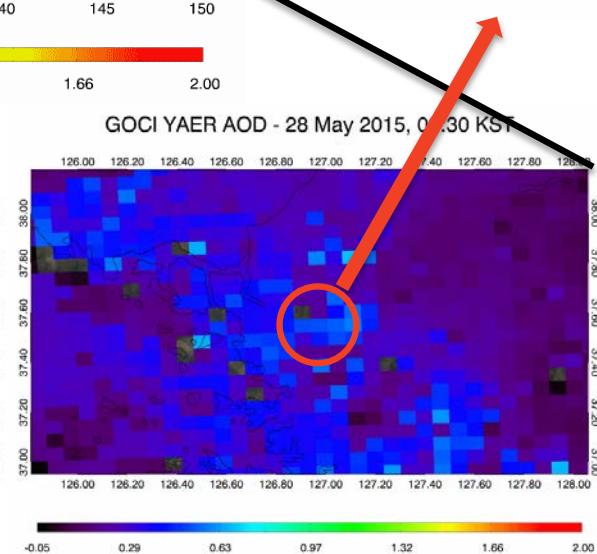
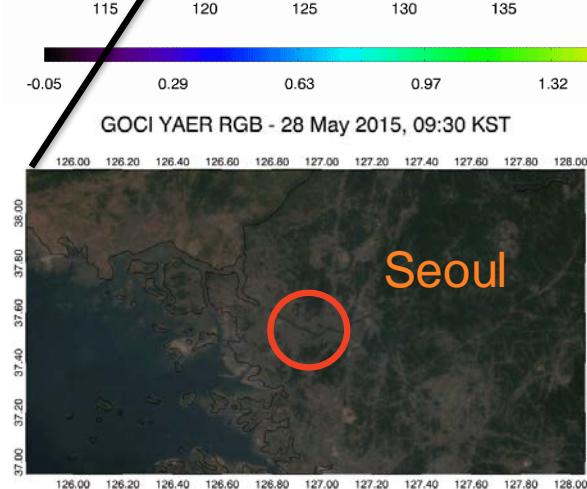
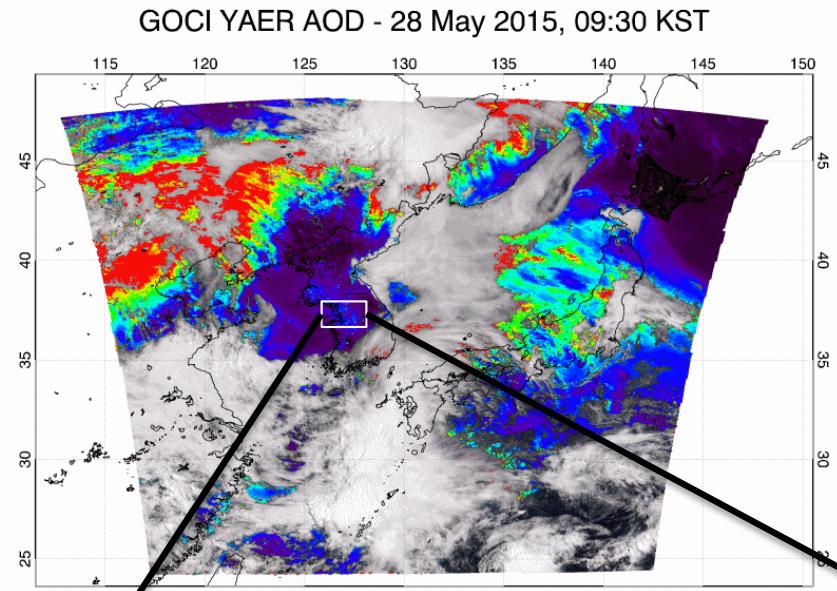
**SSA at 440 nm**



- DRAGON-NE Asia Campaign 38 sites
- Spatial colocation: average of GOCI pixels within 25km at AERONET site
- Temporal colocation: average of AERONET data within 30min at satellite measurement time

GOCI YAER FMF, AE, and SSA shows lower accuracy than AOD, but still shows some values for **qualitative use than quantitative use**. (More improvements are necessary)

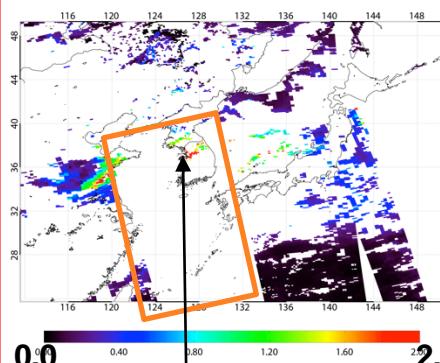
# Diurnal variation case: 28 May 2015 (MAPS-Seoul campaign)



# High AOD case: 13 June 2015

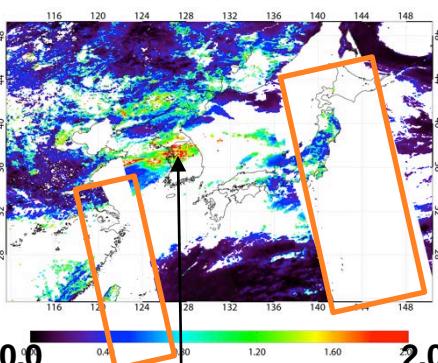
**MODIS/Aqua DT AOD  
(10 km)**

MODIS/Aqua AOD\_DT - 2015/06/13 13:30 KST



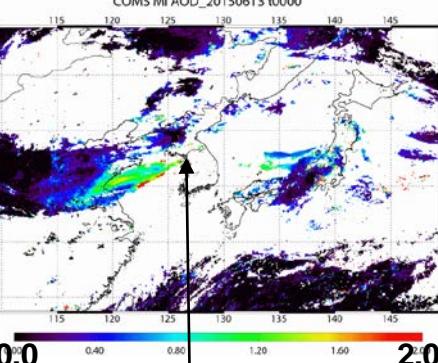
**VIIRS EDR AOD  
(6 km)**

VIIRS/EDR AOD - 2015/06/13 13:25 KST



**MI AOD  
(15min interval, 4 km)**

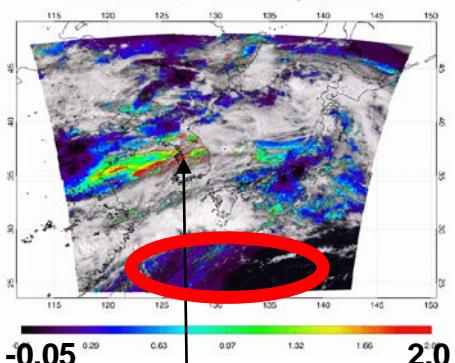
COMS MI AOD\_20150613 t0000



**GOCI AOD**

(1hr interval, 6 km)

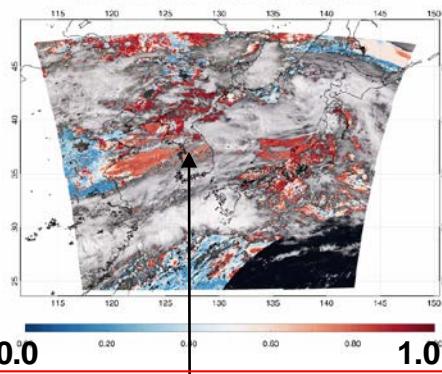
GOCI YAER AOD - 13 Jun 2015, 09:30 KST



[AOD: 1.0~2.0]

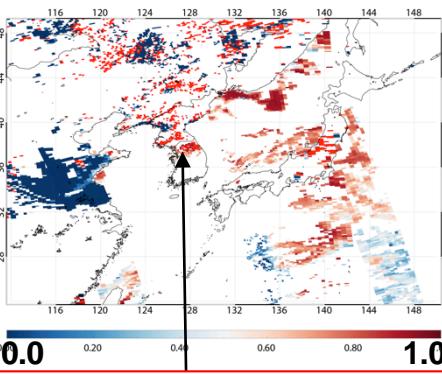
**GOCI FMF**

GOCI YAER FMF - 13 Jun 2015, 09:30 KST



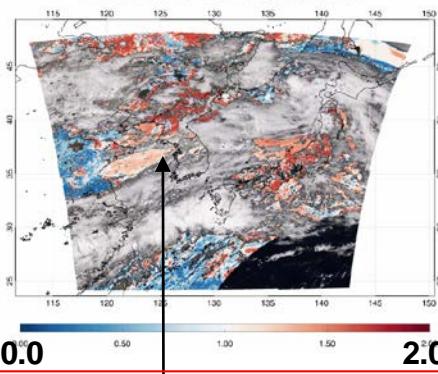
**MODIS/Aqua DT FMF**

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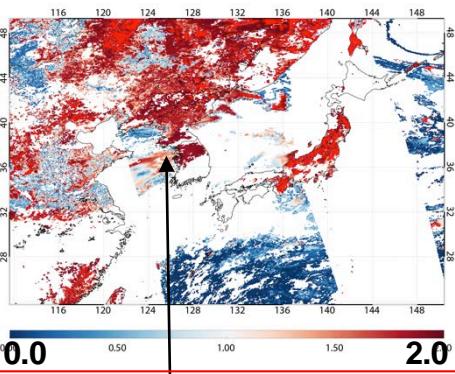
**GOCI AE**

GOCI YAER AE - 13 Jun 2015, 09:30 KST



**VIIRS EDR AE**

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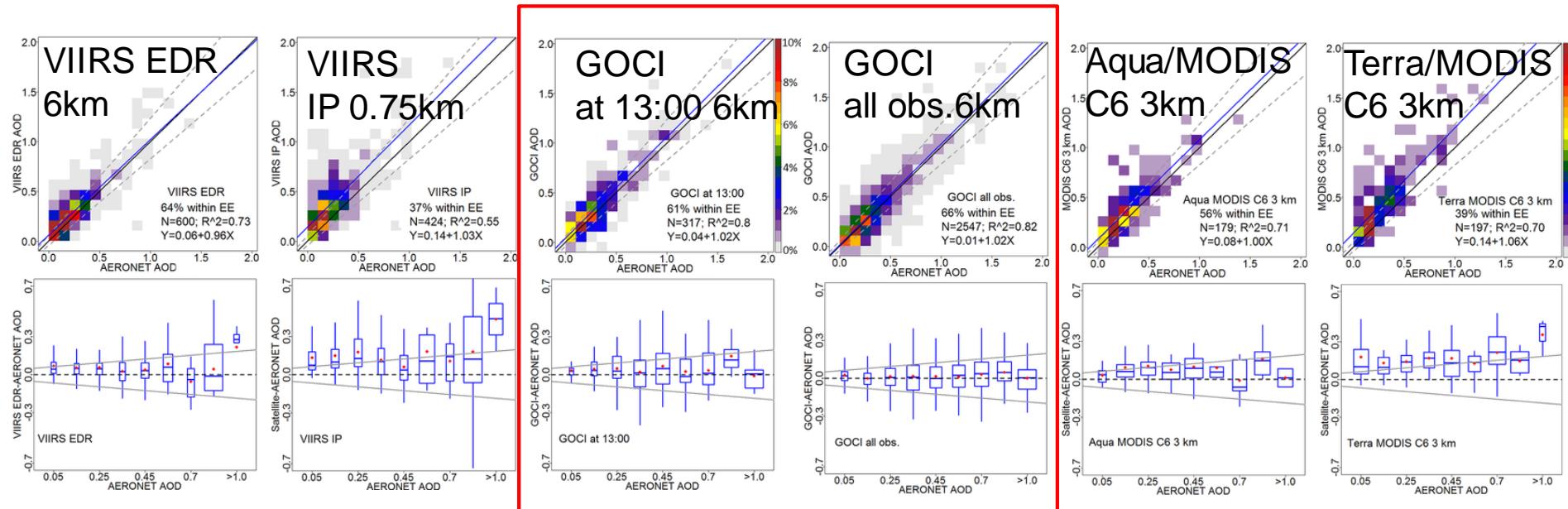


[FMF: 0.8]

[AE: 1.5-2.0]

# Evaluation of VIIRS, GOCI, and MODIS C6 3K

2012-2013, East Asia (including China sites), high spatial resolution products

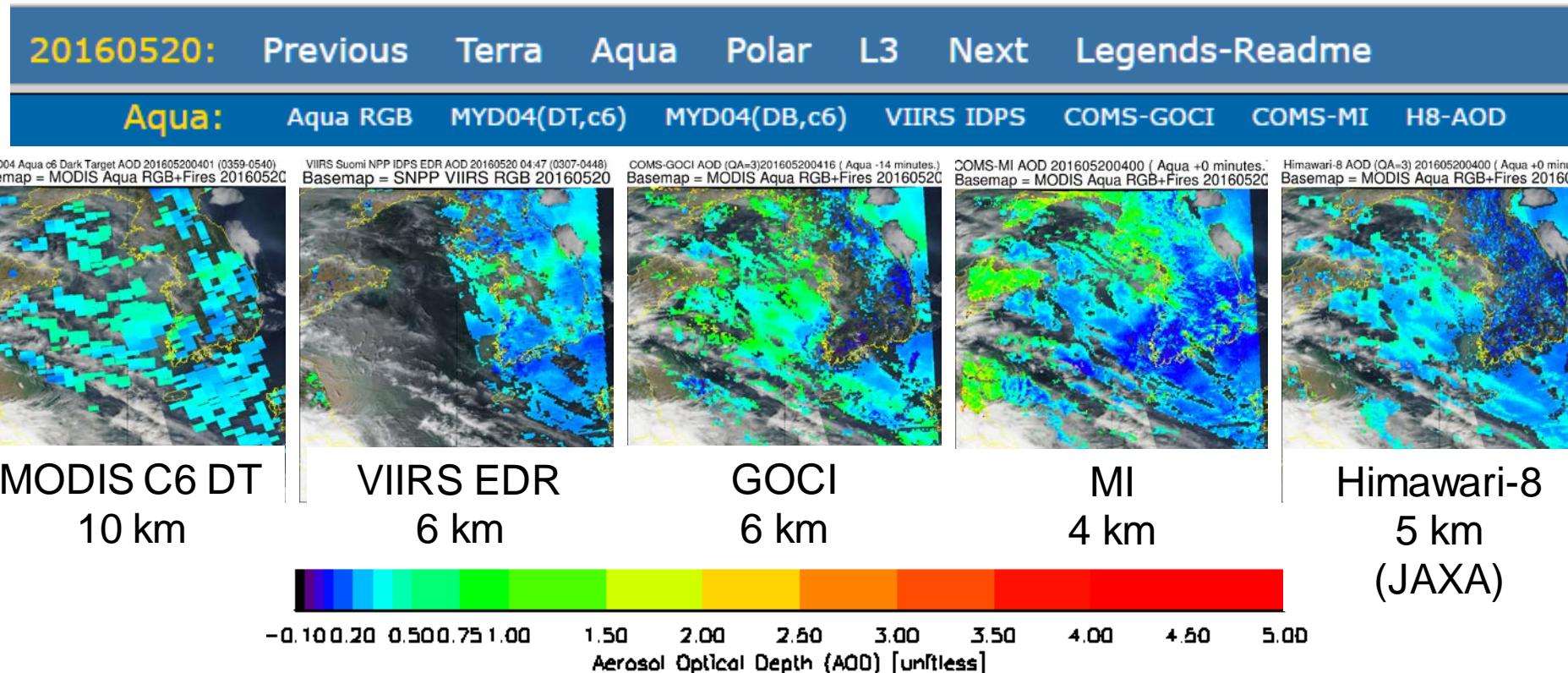


GOCI AOD shows less biased, and well matched with AERONET.

	<i>N</i>	<i>R</i> <sup>2</sup>	Slope	Intercept	Bias	%EE
Temporal Comparison						
VIIRS EDR	600	0.74	0.96	0.06 <sup>b</sup>	0.05	64
VIIRS IP	424	0.55	1.03	0.14 <sup>b</sup>	0.15	37
GOCI	317	0.80	1.02	0.04 <sup>b</sup>	0.05	61
GOCI all obs.	2547	0.82	1.02	0.01 <sup>a</sup>	0.02	66
Aqua MODIS C6 3 km	179	0.71	1.00	0.08 <sup>b</sup>	0.08	56
Terra MODIS C6 3 km	197	0.70	1.06	0.14 <sup>b</sup>	0.16	39

# Near-real-time retrieval during 2016 KORUS-AQ

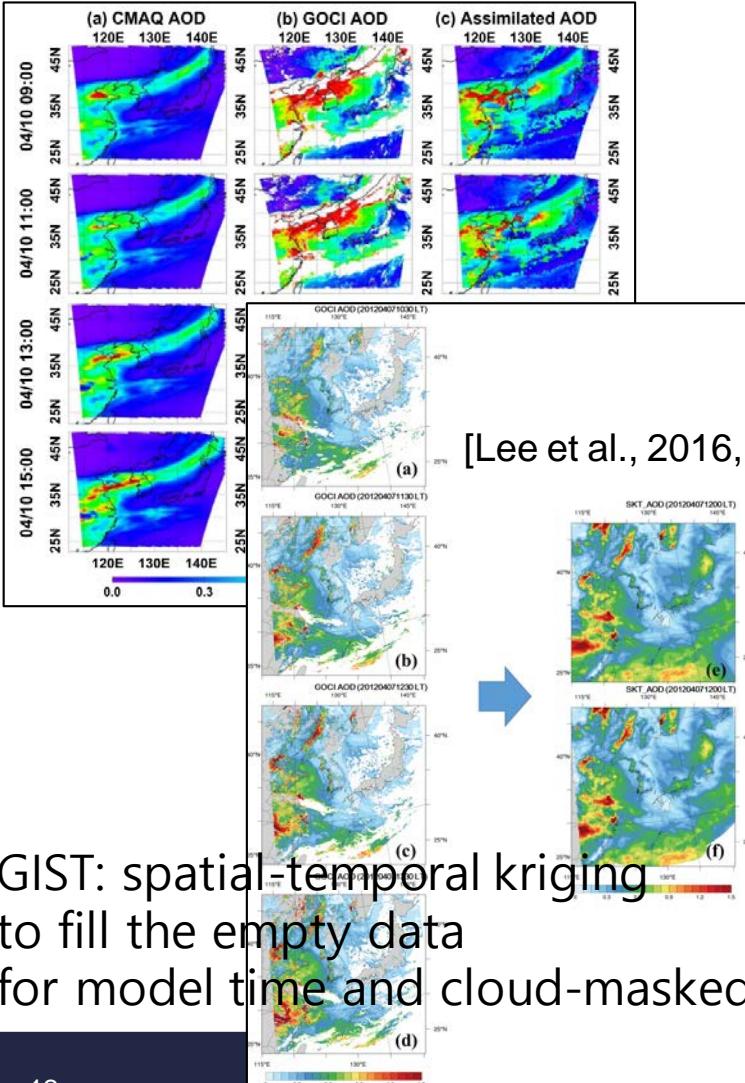
- Near real time retrieval and intercomparison with other satellite AODs are carried out for evaluation of several models accuracy and data assimilation with forecasting model during the campaign.



20 May 2016, 04-05utc – US Naval Research Lab. Marine Meteorology Division homepage  
[http://www.nrlmry.navy.mil/aerosol/modis\\_geo\\_aod\\_compare/korea/html\\_files/20160520/modis\\_geo\\_aod\\_compare\\_frame.html](http://www.nrlmry.navy.mil/aerosol/modis_geo_aod_compare/korea/html_files/20160520/modis_geo_aod_compare_frame.html)

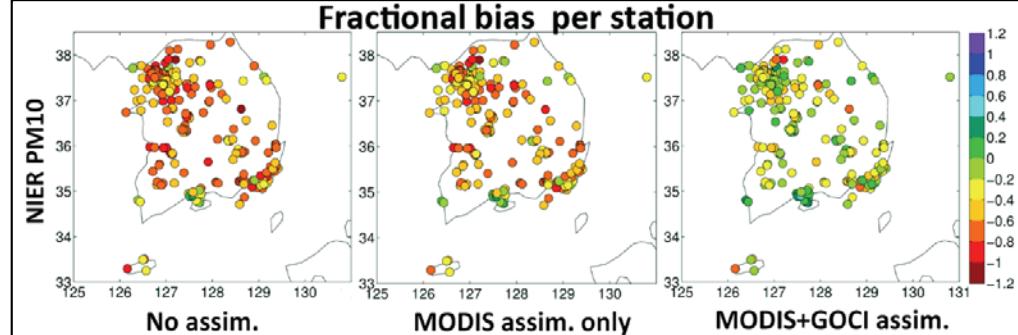
# Application of GOCI YAER AOD to Air quality modeling studies

Data assimilation of GOCI AOD with CMAQ  
Application to the  $\text{PM}_{10}$  (GIST)  
[Park et al., 2014, ACP]

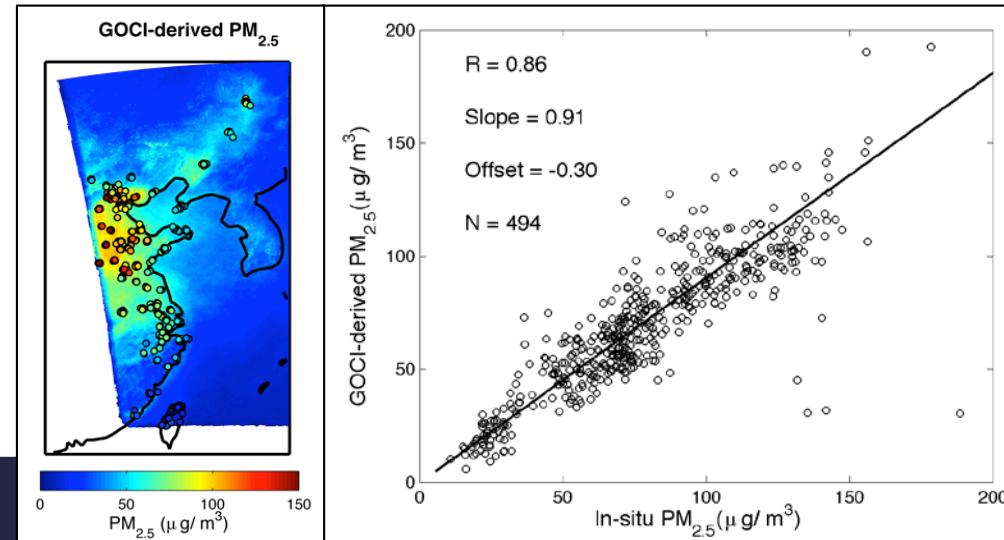


Data assimilation of GOCI & MODIS AOD with WRF-chem  
Application to the  $\text{PM}_{10}$  (Univ. of Iowa and NCAR)  
[Saide et al., 2014, GRL]

(also carried out during 2016 KORUS-AQ as NRT)



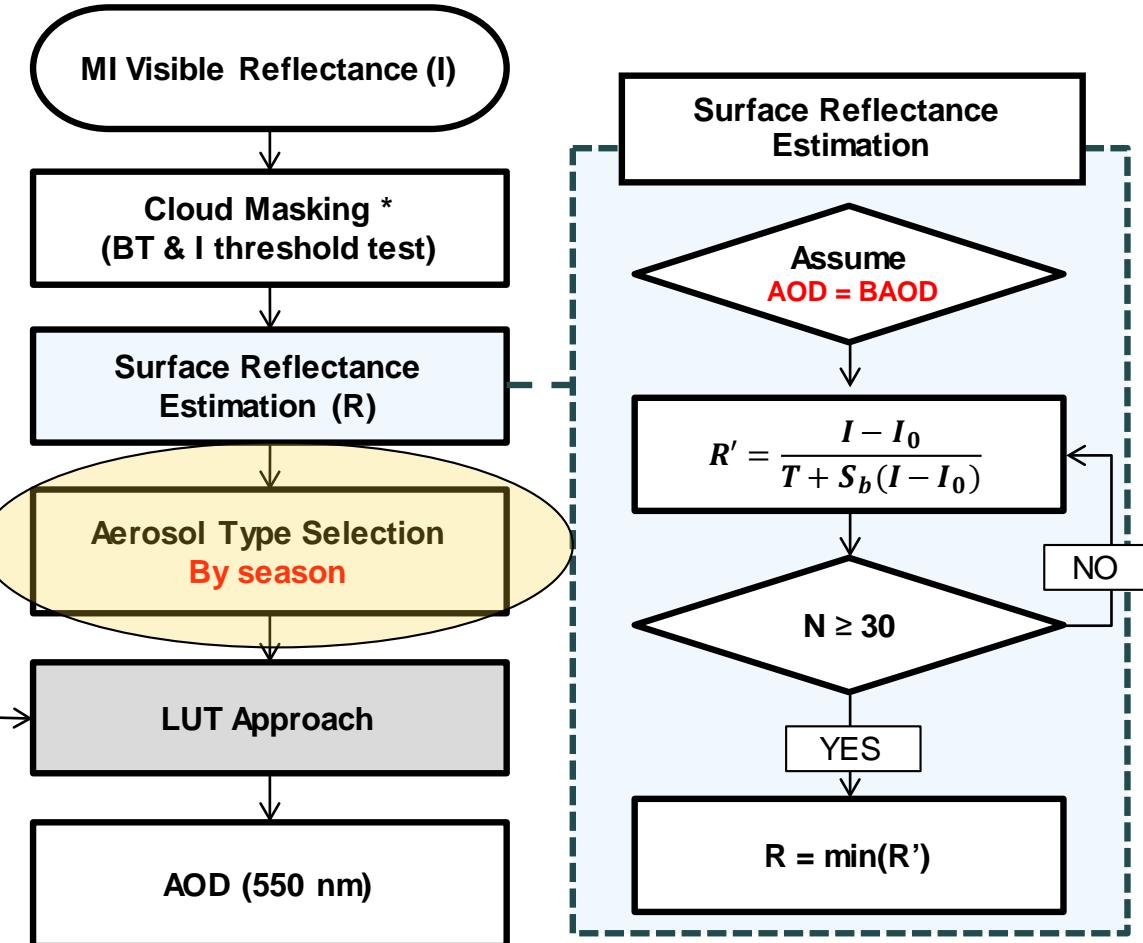
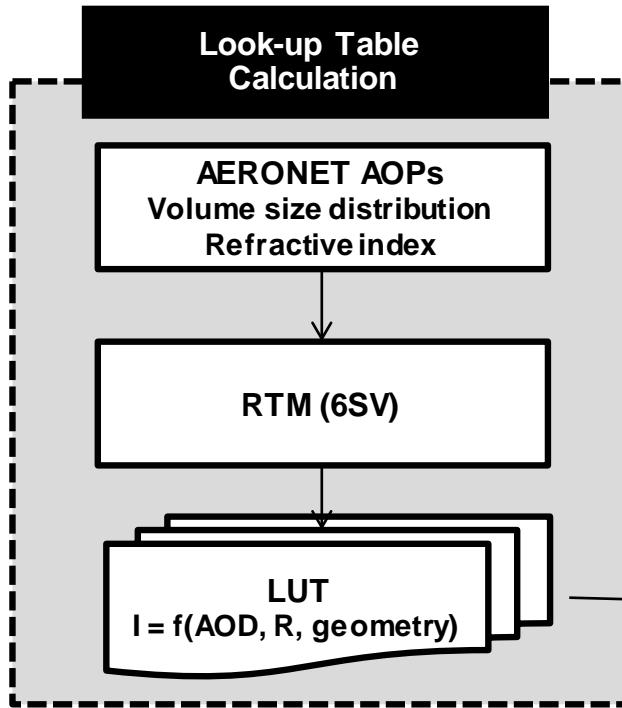
Estimation ground-level  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  from GOCI AOD and GEOS-chem  
[Xu et al., 2015, ACP] (Dalhousie Univ.)



# Single Channel Retrieval Algorithm for MI

[Kim et al., 2016, ACP]

[Kim et al., 2014, RSE]

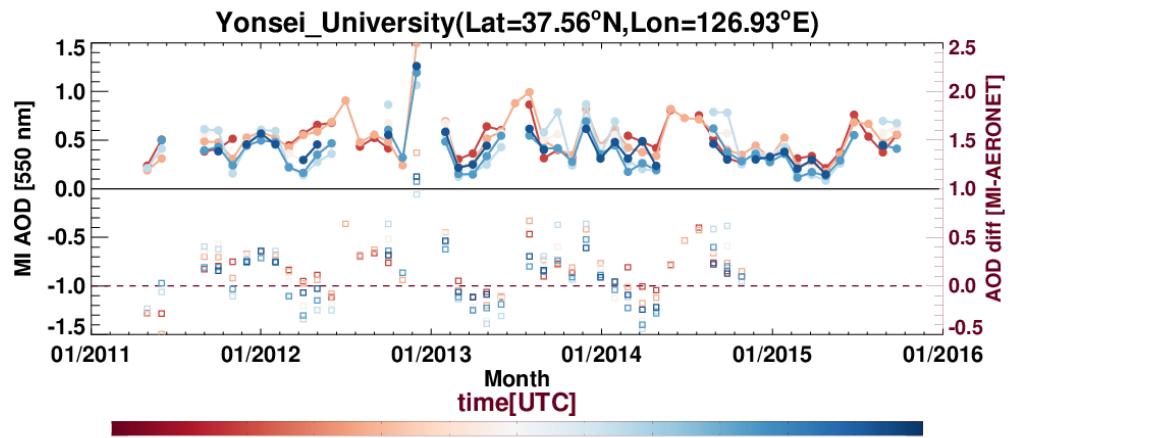
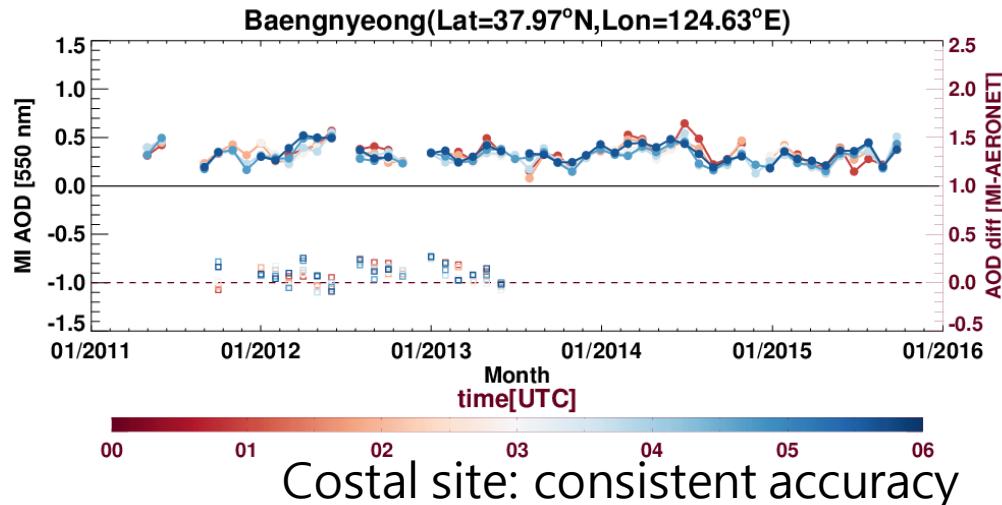
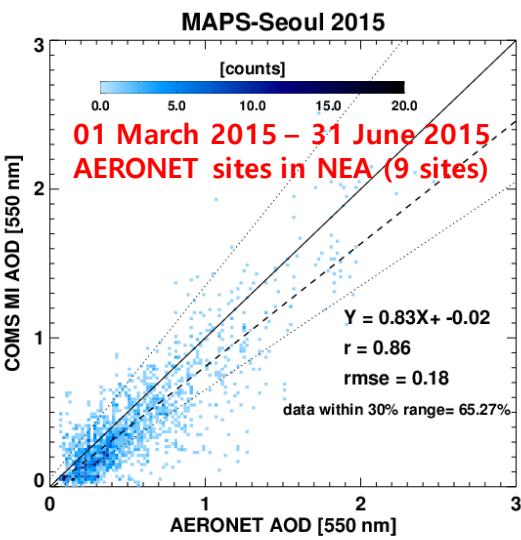
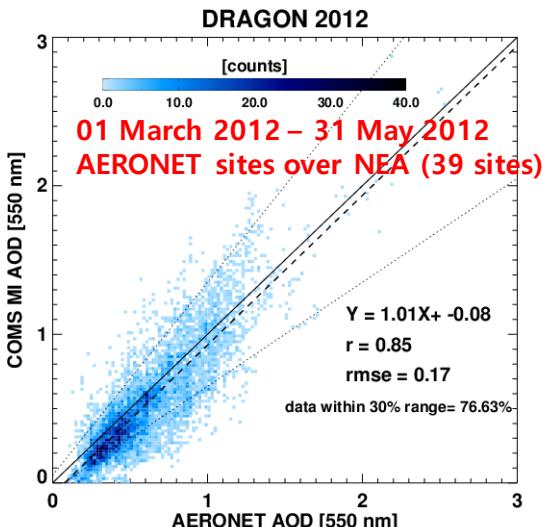


## Cloud Masking\*

- Visible reflectance  $> 0.35$
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > 0.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1} < 268 \text{ K}$
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > 0.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1max-IR1} > 5 \text{ K}$
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > 1.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1-IR4} < -6 \text{ K}$  for Ocean (Frey et al., 2008)
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > -0.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1-IR4} < -18 \text{ K}$  for Ocean
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > 0.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1-IR4} < -10 \text{ K}$  for Ocean
- $\text{IR1-IR2} > 1.5 \text{ K}$  &  $\text{IR1-IR4} < -14 \text{ K}$  for Land

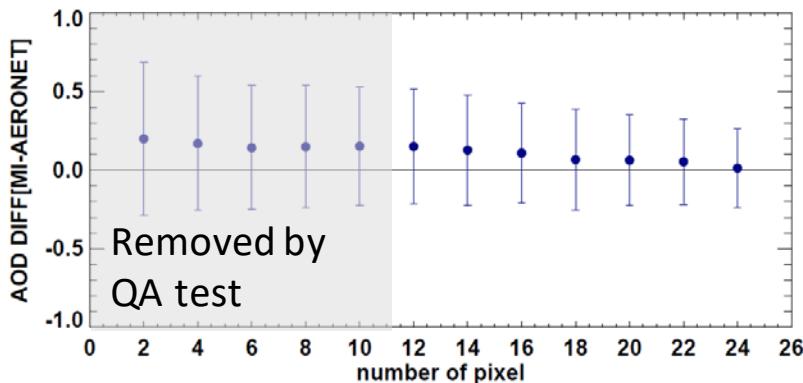
$I$  : TOA reflectance  
 $I_0$  : Rayleigh scattering  
 $T$  : Transmittance  
 $S_b$  : Spherical albedo  
 $R$  : Surface reflectance

# MI AOD validation and Time series

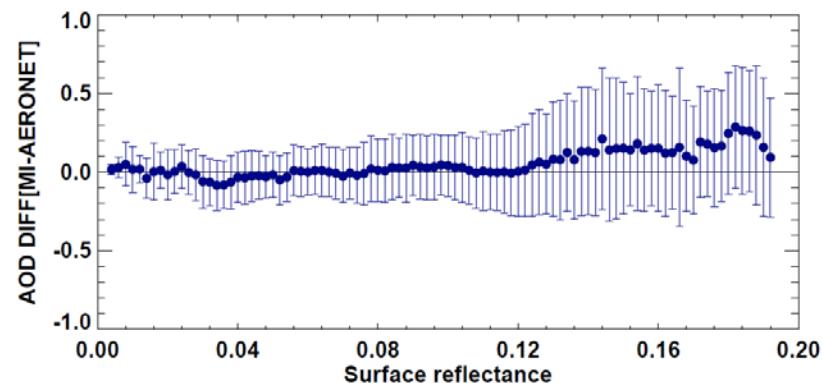


# MI AOD Retrieval uncertainties

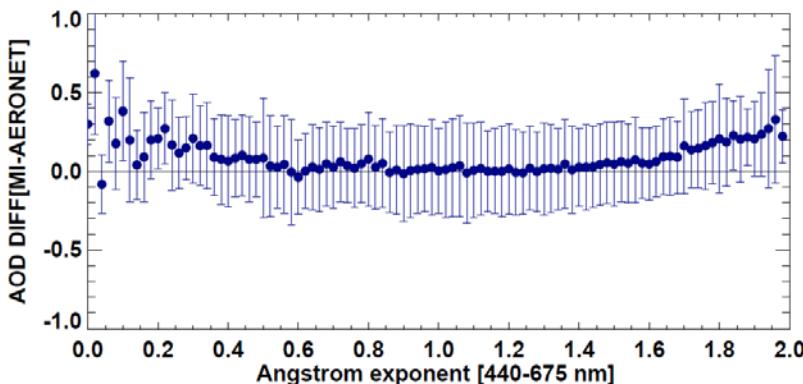
Number of collocation pixel  
(within 5 x 5 pixel) : Cloud Contamination



Surface reflectance



Angstrom exponent [440 – 675 nm] :  
Aerosol Type

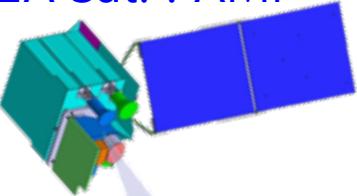


- AERONET lev2.0 Data
- 10 May 2011 – 31 Oct. 2015
- AERONET sites over NEA (63 sites)
- Space collocation : within 25km at each AERONET site
- Time collocation :  $\pm 30$  min.  
AERONET at each satellite center measurement time

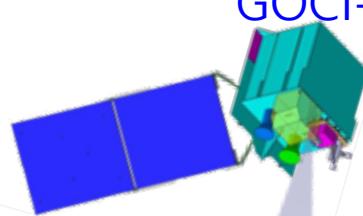
# GEO-KOMPSAT 2

- Launch: May 2018(2A), Mar. 2019 (2B)

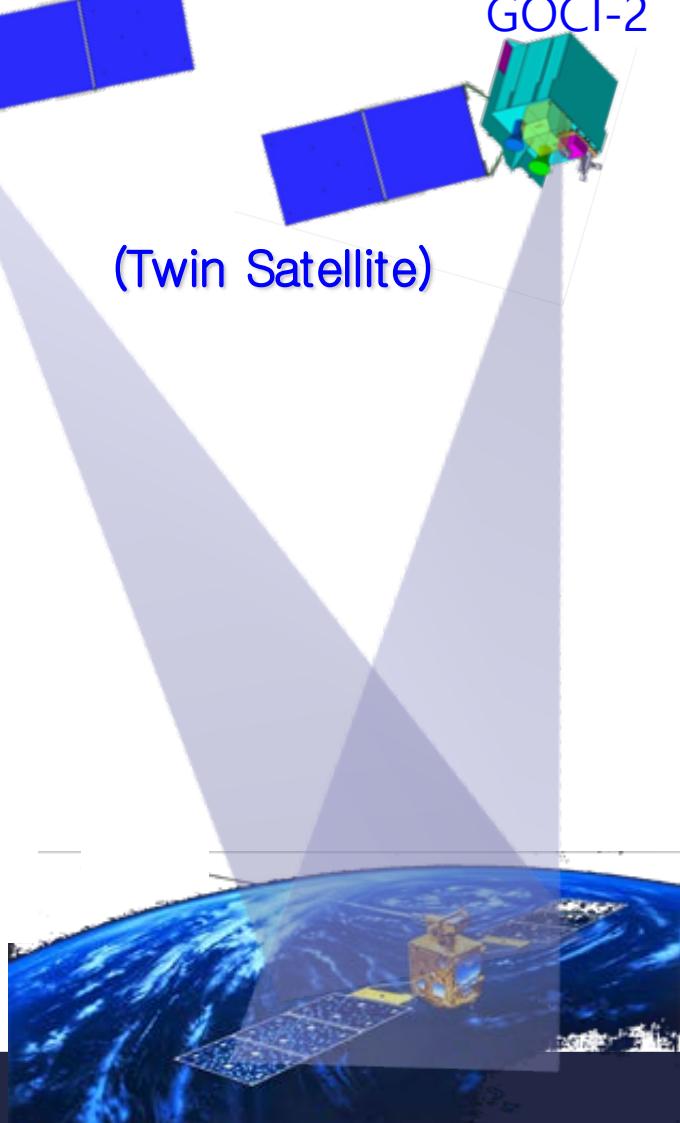
2A Sat. : AMI



2B Sat. : GEMS,  
GOCI-2



(Twin Satellite)



**\*\*GEMS products**

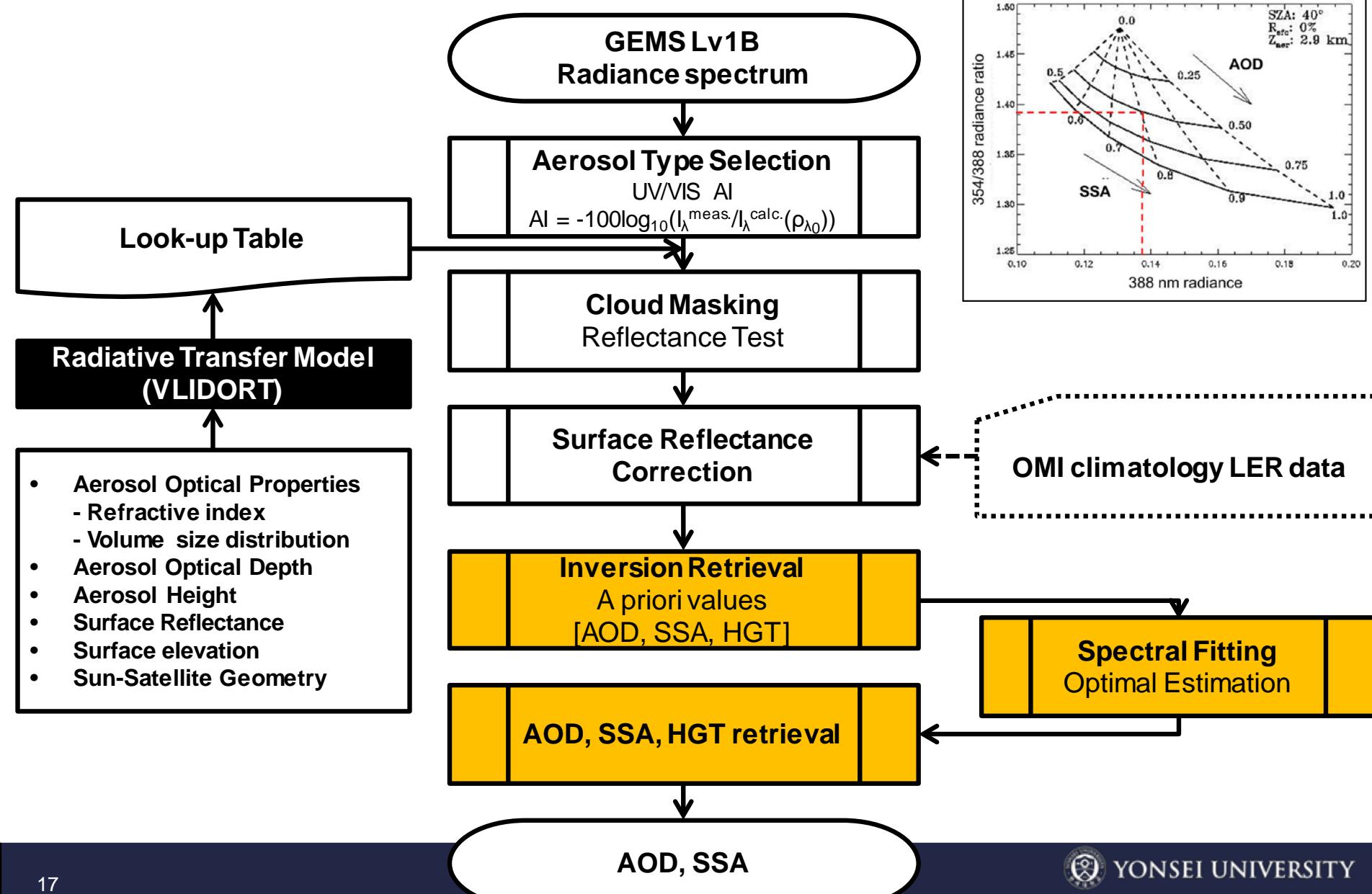
**: Aerosol, O<sub>3</sub>, NO<sub>2</sub>, SO<sub>2</sub>, HCHO, and etc.**

## Specification

	2A	2B	
Payload	AMI	GOCI-2	GEMS
Lifetime		10 years !!	
Channels	16	13	1000
Wavelength range	0.4 - 13 $\mu\text{m}$	375 - 860 nm	300-500 nm
Spatial resolution	0.5 / 1 km (Vis) 2 km (IR)	250 m 1 km (FD)	7 x 8 km <sup>2</sup> @ Seoul 3.5x8 km <sup>2</sup> (aerosol)
Temporal resolution	10 min (FD)	1 hour (1 FD/day)	1 hour

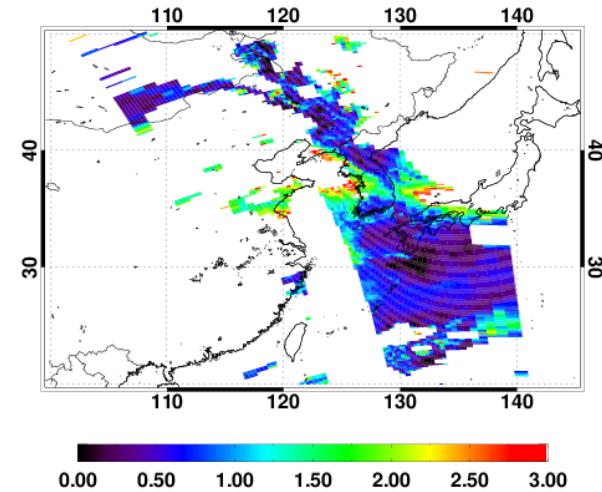
*Long-term monitoring of diurnal variations.*

# GEMS Aerosol Algorithm Flowchart

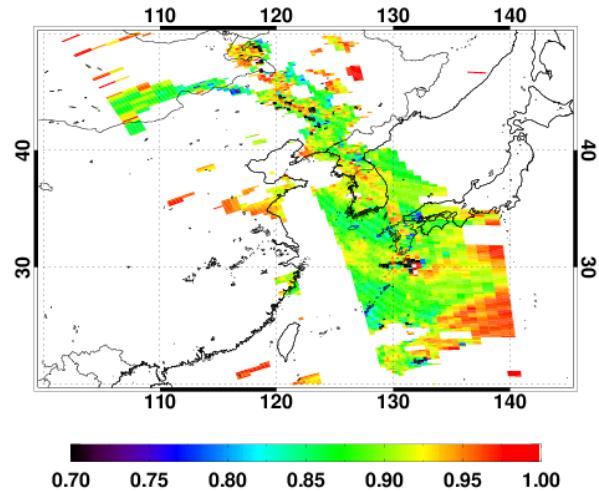


# GEMS Aerosol Algorithm Results : 2006.04.08

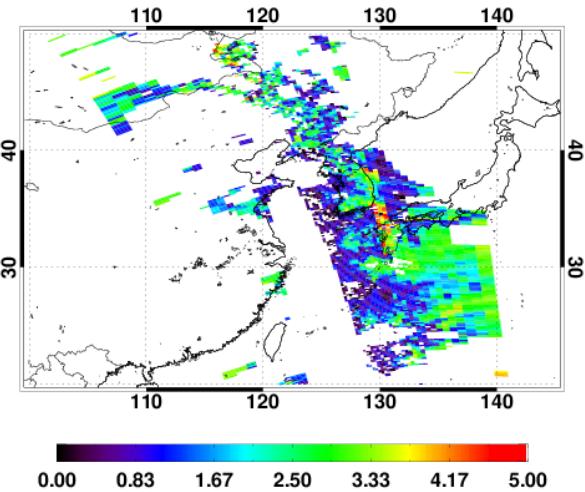
Retrieved AOD [443 nm]



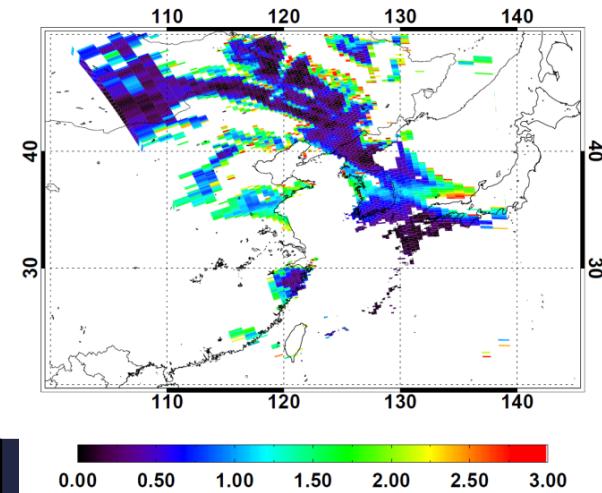
Retrieved SSA [443 nm]



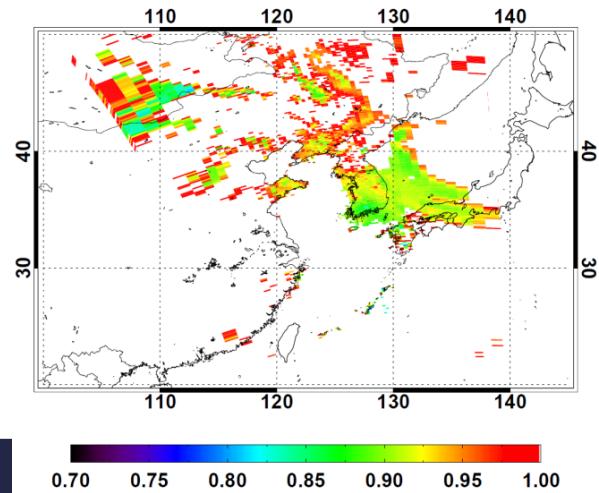
Retrieved HGT [km]



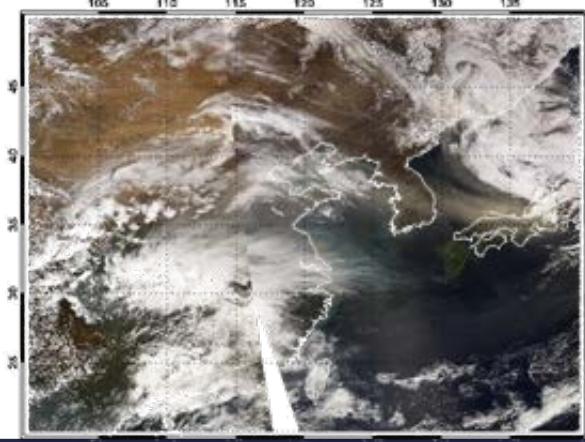
OMI AOD [388 nm]



OMI SSA [388 nm]

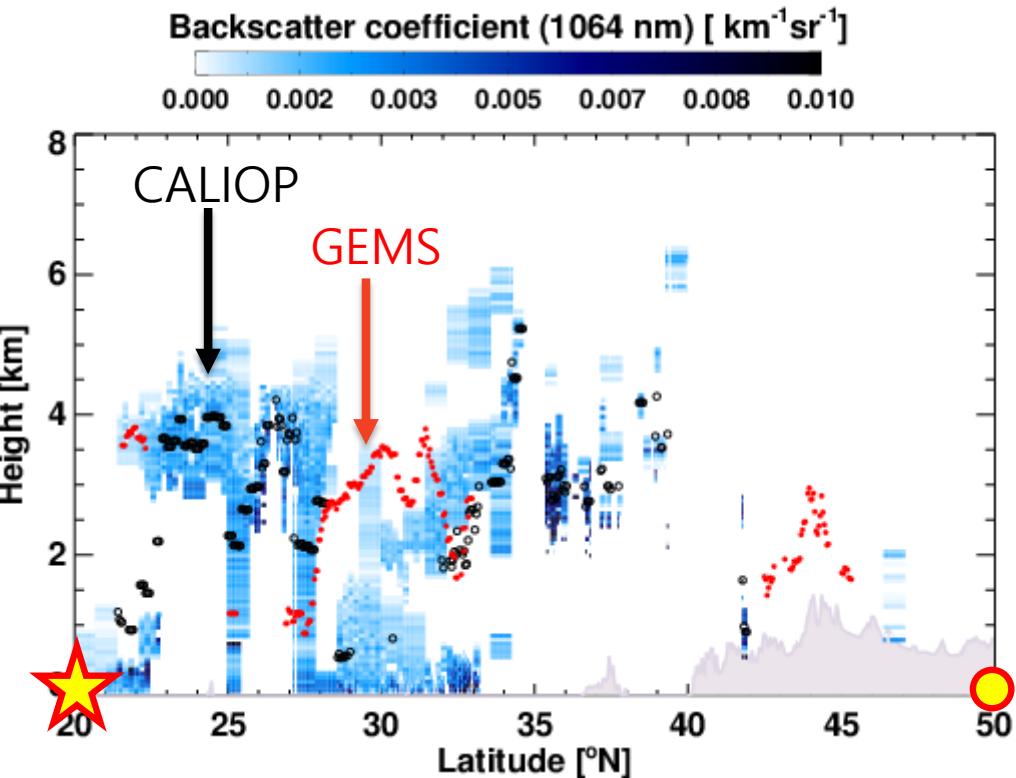
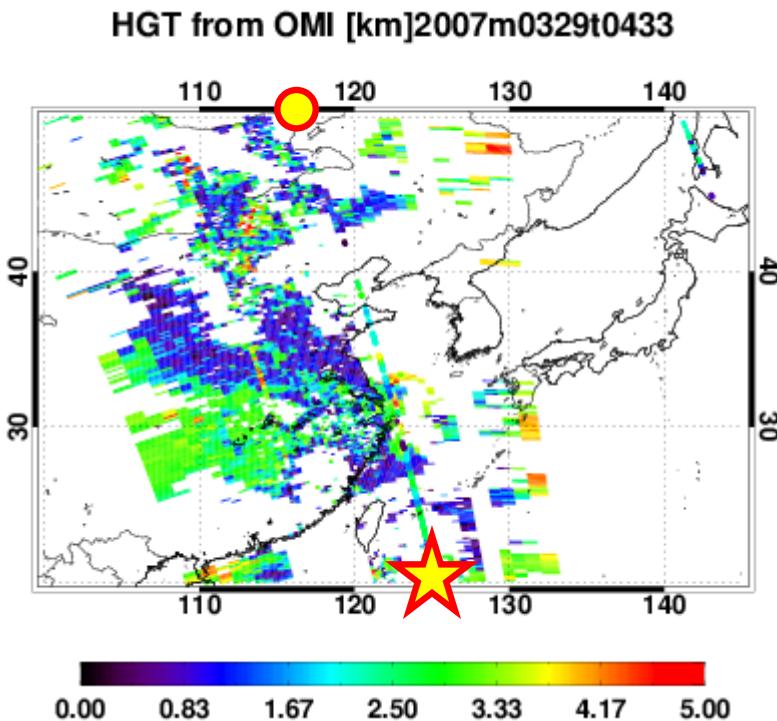


MODIS RGB :2006/04/08



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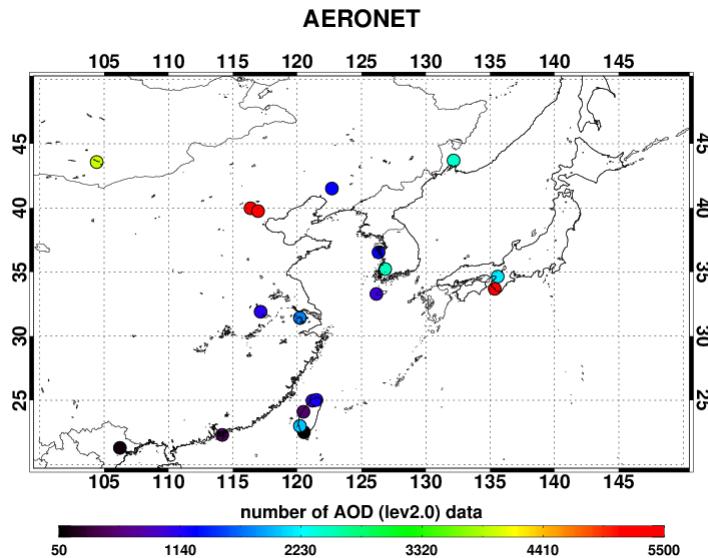
# GEMS Aerosol Algorithm Results : 2007.03.29



$$Z_{aer} = \sum_{i=1}^n H(i) \left[ \frac{B_{sc}(i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n B_{sc}(i)} \right]$$

Attenuated-backscatter-weighted height

# Validation of GEMS AOD and SSA



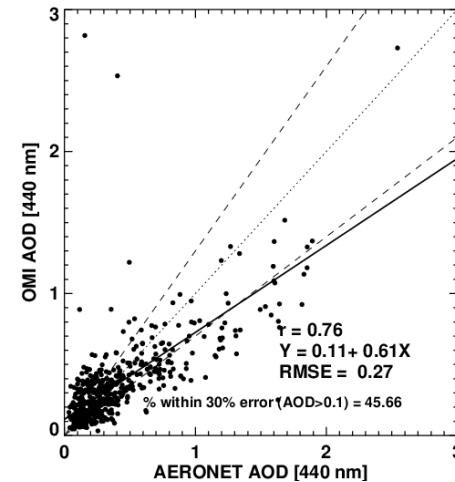
## AOD validation

AERONET direct measurement(lev2.0)  
2005. 01 ~ 12,  
Within  $\pm 10$  min.,  $0.4^\circ \times 0.4^\circ$

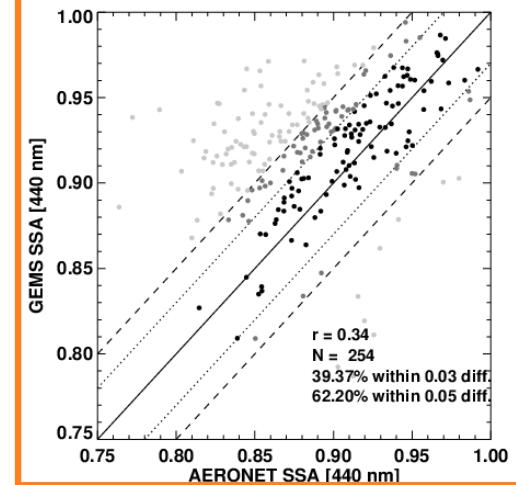
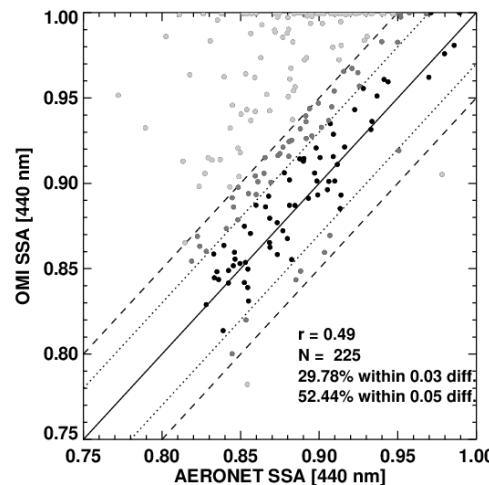
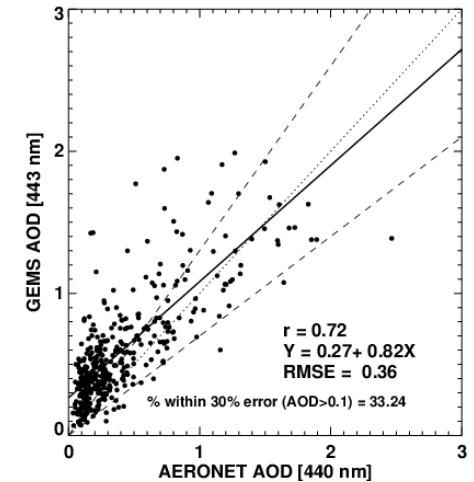
## SSA validation

AERONET inversion data(lev2.0)  
2005. 01 ~ 12,  
Within  $\pm 4$  hr,  $0.4^\circ \times 0.4^\circ$

OMI Operated Algorithm



GEMS Developed Algorithm



# HIMAWARI-8 satellite (AHI), proxy data for AMI



Launched on 7. Oct 2014 at 140.7° East,  
Entered operational service on 7.Jul 2015

Temporal resolution : 10minute  
Targeting area : full disk

Table 1. Imager specifications.

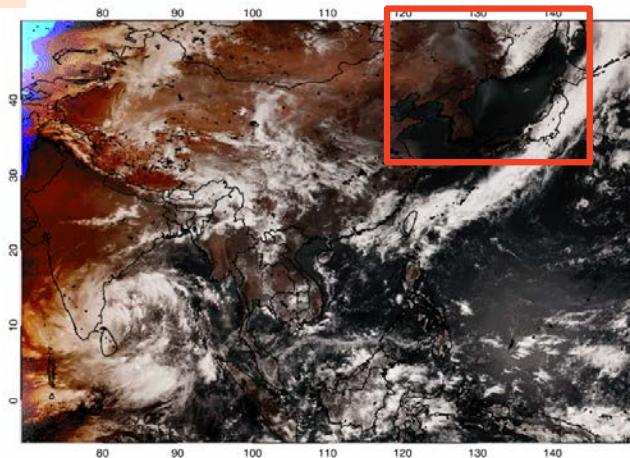
Wave length [μm]	Himawari-8/9				MTSAT-1R/2	
	Band number	Spatial resolution at SSP [km]	Central wave length [μm]		Channel name	Spatial resolution at SSP [km]
			AHI-8 (Himawari-8)	AHI-9 (Himawari-9)		
0.47	1	1	0.47063	0.47059	-	-
0.51	2	1	0.51000	0.50993	-	-
0.64	3	0.5	0.63914	0.63972	VIS	1
0.86	4	1	0.85670	0.85668	-	-
1.6	5	2	1.6101	1.6065	-	-
2.3	6	2	2.2568	2.2570	-	-
3.9	7	2	3.8853	3.8289	IR4	4
6.2	8	2	6.2429	6.2479	IR3	4
6.9	9	2	6.9410	6.9555	-	-
7.3	10	2	7.3467	7.3437	-	-
8.6	11	2	8.5926	8.5936	-	-
9.6	12	2	9.6372	9.6274	-	-
10.4	13	2	10.4073	10.4074	IR1	4
11.2	14	2	11.2395	11.2080	-	-
12.4	15	2	12.3806	12.3648	IR2	4
13.3	16	2	13.2807	13.3107	-	-

Central wavelengths of the AHIs are "Moment center wavelength" (provided by Exelis).  
SSP : sub satellite point

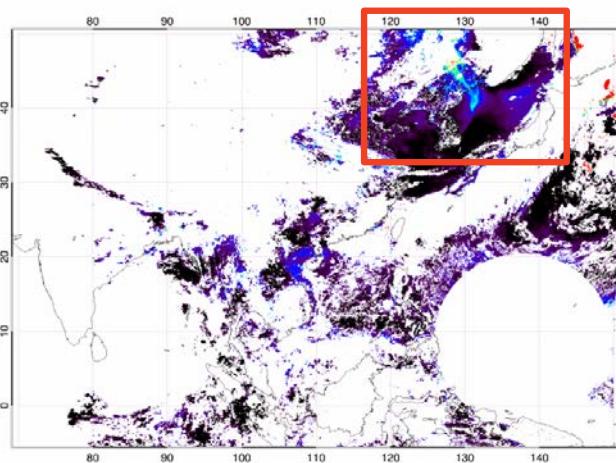
# AHI AOD Retrieval samples and comparison with GOCI

17 May 2016

AHI True color

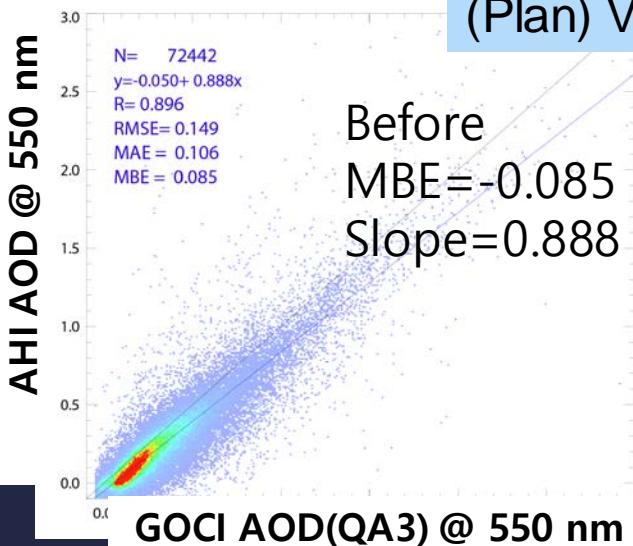


AHI-AOD (Yonsei)

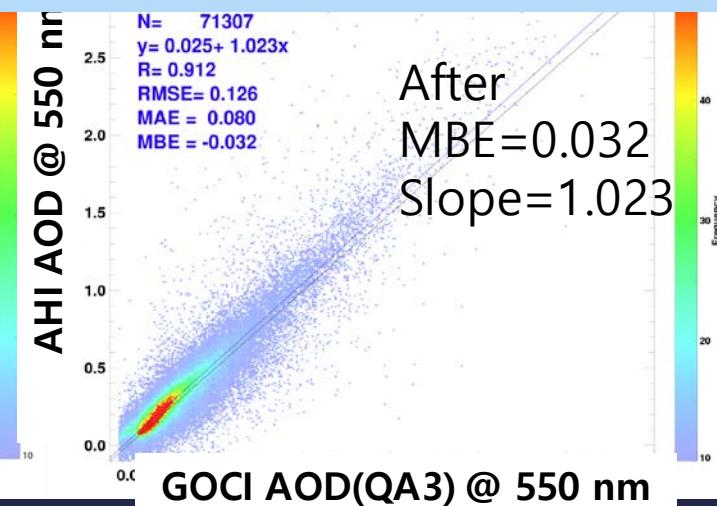


August 2015

Vicarious calibration with GOCI → bias decrease.  
(Plan) Vi-Cal with MODIS



Before  
MBE=-0.085  
Slope=0.888



After  
MBE=0.032  
Slope=1.023

# GOCI-2

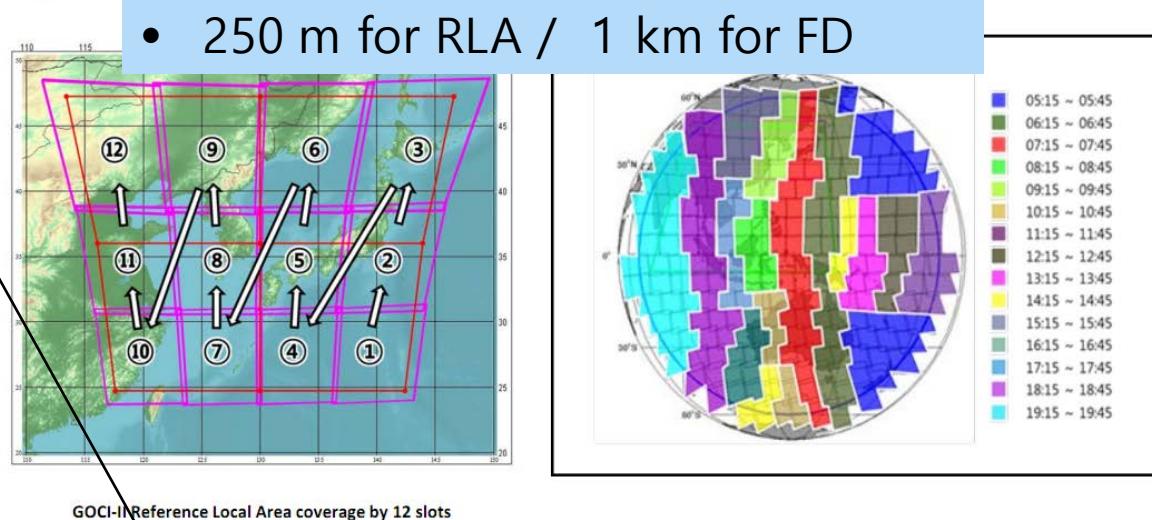
- Spectral bands

GOCI Band	GOCI-II Band	Band center	Bandwidth
-	1	380 nm	20 nm
1	2	412 nm	20 nm
2	3	443 nm	20 nm
3	4	490 nm	20 nm
-	5	510 nm	20 nm
4	6	555 nm	20 nm
-	7	620 nm	20 nm
5	8	660 nm	20 nm
6	9	680 nm	10 nm
-	10	709 nm	10 nm
7	11	745 nm	20 nm
8	12	865 nm	40 nm
-	13	643.5 nm	483 nm

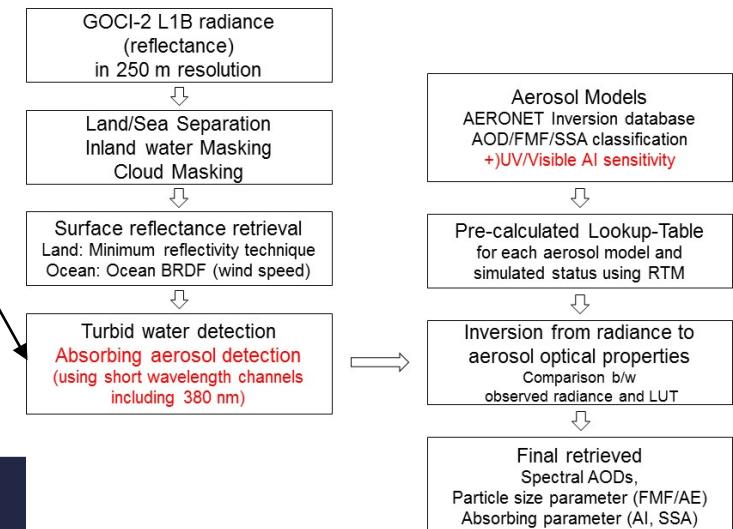
- Reference Local Area (RLA), 10 images a day

- Full Disk (FD), once a day

- 250 m for RLA / 1 km for FD



- Concept of GOCI -2 Aerosol algorithm



Courtesy of Dr. Youngje Park (KOSC/KIOST)

# Conclusions

- Hourly aerosol optical properties from **GOCI** and **MI** Yonsei aerosol retrieval algorithm can provide aerosol **diurnal variation** information. And, **continuous AOPs between land and ocean** can be provided in the East Asia.
- Therefore, it becomes valuable dataset for assimilation with several **air-quality forecasting model** over East Asia.
- The follow-up mission, GEO-KOMPSAT-2 is expected to provide more accurate information on the atmospheric environment with the gas concentration and aerosol information in high spatial and temporal resolution.
- **GEMS** and **AHI** aerosol retrieval algorithm is developed and improved continuously. **GOCI-2** aerosol algorithm is also planned through the heritage of GOCI-1 algorithm.
- AOD from GEO-sensors over East Asia will be good reference for evaluation of AeroCOM models as high-temporal resolution.
- *\*\* We hope to have some contribution to AeroCOM and AeroSAT with GEO-satellite aerosol optical products dataset.*

***Thank you for your attention.***

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