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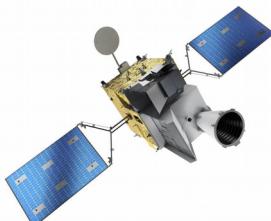
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 - Vegetation and soil albedo
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 - Aerosol Icare

LSA-SAF : Land Surface Analysis Satellite Applications Facility



- **MSG (SEVIRI)** (Meteosat Second Generation) geostationary
(high altitude : 36000 km)
 - High temporal resolution (15 min)
 - Spatial resolution ($3\text{km} / \cos(\text{lat})/\cos(\text{long})$)
- **EPS (AVHRR) (Metop)** (Eumetsat Polar System) polar
(Low altitude : 817 km)
 - Spatial resolution (3 à 6 km)
 - Temporal resolution (10 jours)
- **MTG** (Meteosat Third Generation) geostationary
 - High temporal resolution (10 min)
 - Higher spatial resolution
- **EPS-SG** (Eumetsat Polar System second generation) polar
(low altitude : TBD)
 - Résolution spatiale (TBD)
 - Résolution temporelle (TBD)

Will be lauched
in 2018

Will be lauched
in 2020

THE PRODUCTS

MSG/SEVIRI		MetOp/AVHRR		
Wild Fires				
Fire Radiative Power - PIXEL		EPS Daily Land Surface Temperature		
Fire Radiative Power - GRID		EPS Ten Day Surface Albedo		
Fire Detection and Monitoring		Snow Cover		
Fire Risk Map		EPS Daily Snow Cover		
Vegetation Stress		Vegetation State		
Evapotranspiration		Normalized Difference Vegetation Index		
Reference Evapotranspiration				
Surface Radiation Budget				
Land Surface Temperature				
Downward Surface Shortwave Flux				
Downward Surface Longwave Flux				
Surface Albedo				
Bi-Directional Reflectance Factor				
Land Surface Emissivity				
Vegetation State				
Fraction of Vegetation Cover				
Leaf Area Index				
Fraction of Absorbed Photosynthetic Active Radiation				
Snow Cover				
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Caption				
Internal	Develop.	Demo.	Pre-Operat.	Operat.

Acronym	Institution
AL	MF
BRDF	MF
LST	IM
TSP	IMK
EM	ICAT
DSSF	MF
DSLF	IM
SC	SMHI
ET	RMI
FVC	UV
LAI	UV
RFM	IDL
FRP&FRE	
fAPAR	UV

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MetOp/AVHRR

Surface Radiation Budget

- EPS Daily Land Surface Temperature
- EPS Ten Day Surface Albedo

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Land-SAF Consortium

IPMA (Portugal) - Leading Institut 

MF (France)



RMI (Belgium)



NIMH (Bulgaria)



ARSO (Slovenia)



KCL (King's College London) 
University of London



IDL (Univ Lisbon)

KIT (Karlsruhe Inst Technology) 
Karlsruhe Institute of Technology

UV (Univ Valencia)



VITO (Flemish Inst Technological)



10 Institutes / 8 Countries



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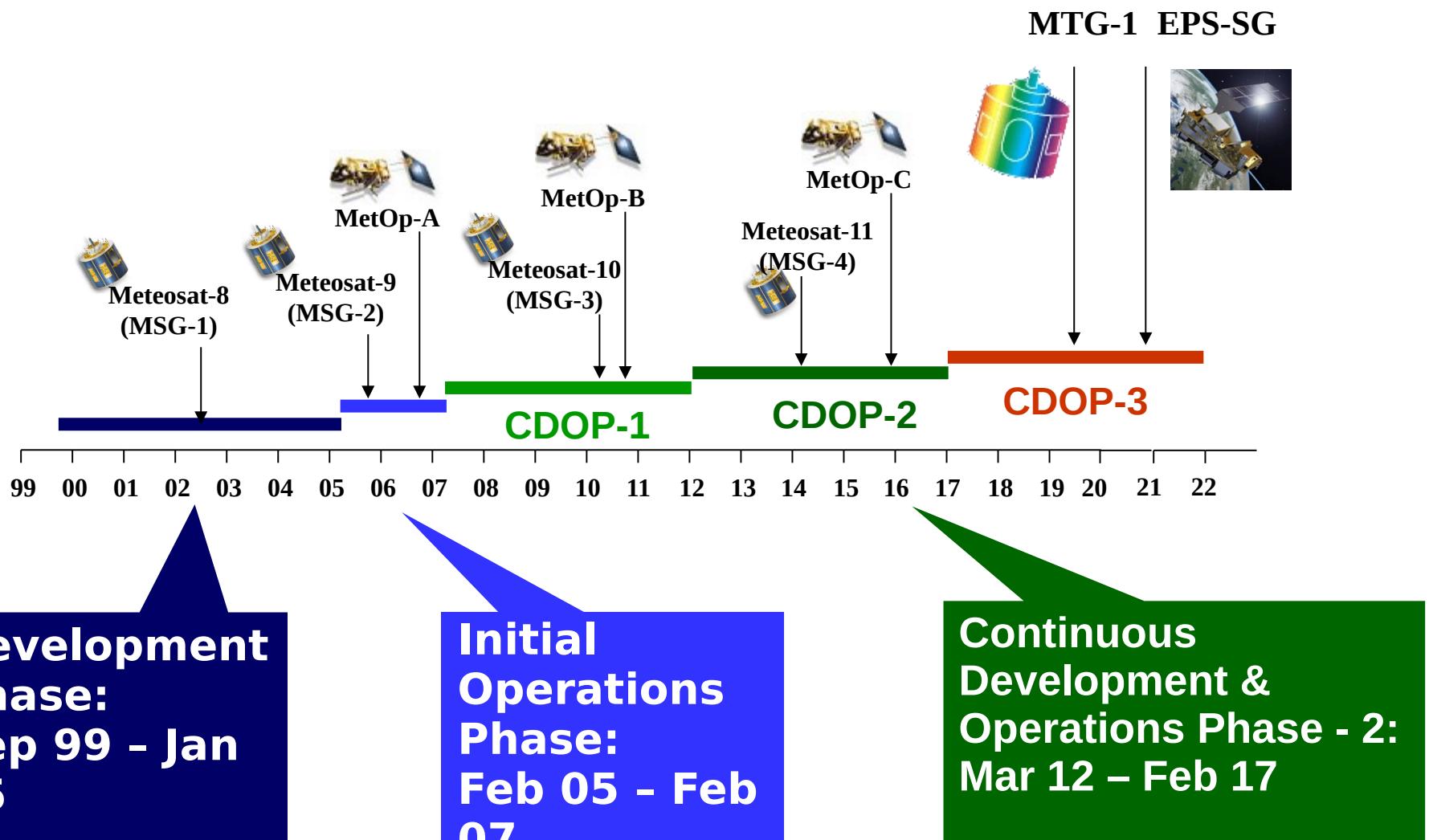
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~ 67%)*



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Land-SAF Chronogram



LSA-SAF users and applications

Users/applications:

Land Surface Modelling - Energy and Carbon fluxes; Hydrology

- Radiation: LST (Land Surface Temperature), Albedos, Down-welling Radiation Fluxes
- Vegetation Parameters and Indices
- ET (Evapo-Transpiration) and Turbulent Heat Fluxes
- Fire: Fire Radiative Power

Agriculture and Forestry applications

- Vegetation Parameters and Indices
- ET, Reference ET and Turbulent Heat Fluxes
- Fire Products: identification, FRP, risk and burnt areas
- Radiation: LST, Albedos, Down-welling Radiation Fluxes

Air Quality Monitoring and Forecasting

- Fire: FRP

Environmental monitoring

- LST
- ET and Reference ET
- Vegetation Parameters and Indices
- Fire Products

Food Security

- ET and Reference ET
- Vegetation Parameters and Indices
- Fire Products

Energy sector

- Radiation: Short-wave Down-welling Radiant Fluxes

Climate applications

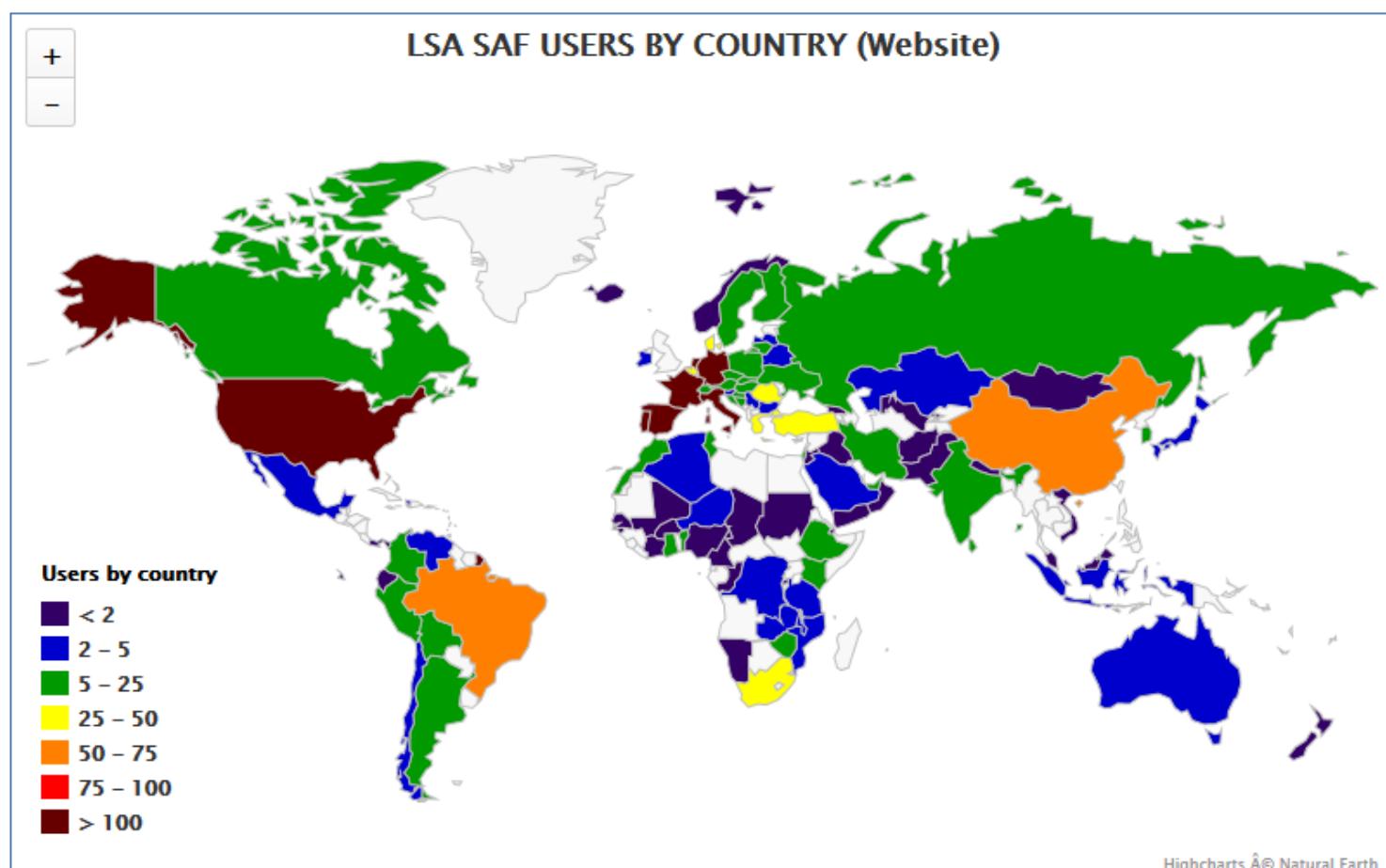
Numerical Weather Prediction

- LST (and Emissivity), Albedos
- Vegetation Parameters and Indices

Users

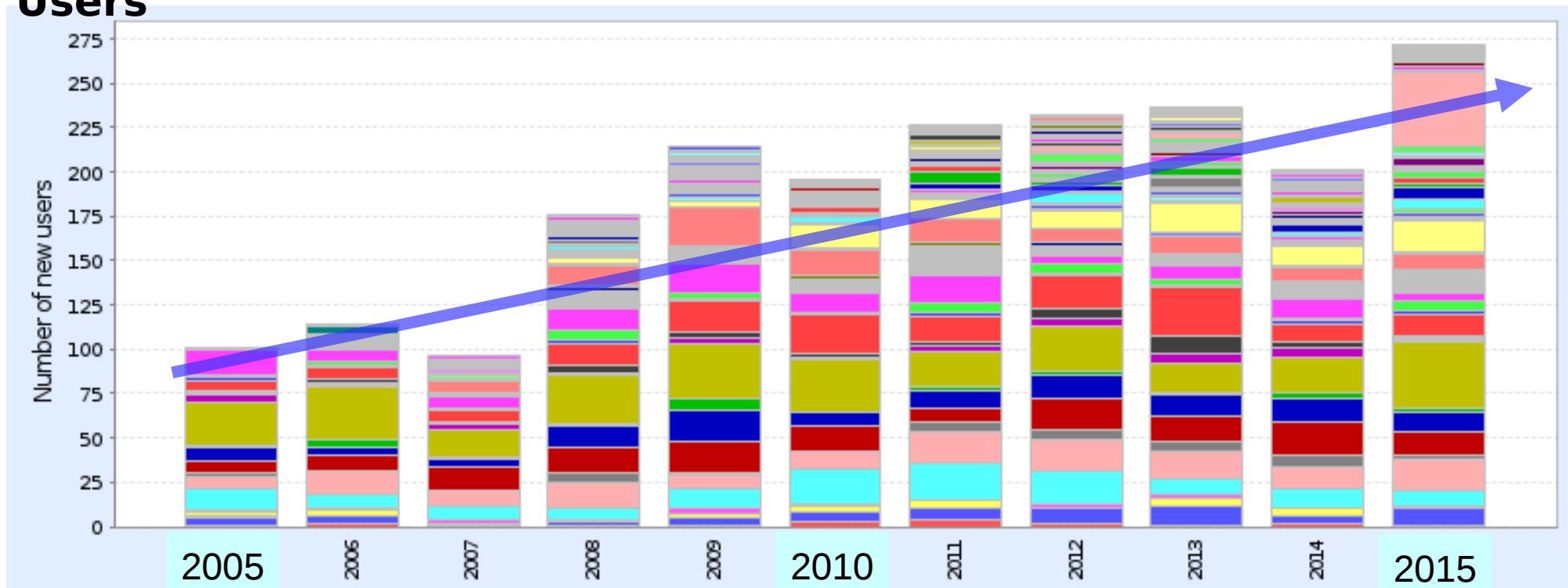
Registered for regular/offline acquisition of LandSAF Products

- EUMETCast: > 1000 in Jul 2014
- LandSAF website: > 1500
- ftp NRT dissemination 20-30



New Users

Number of New Users



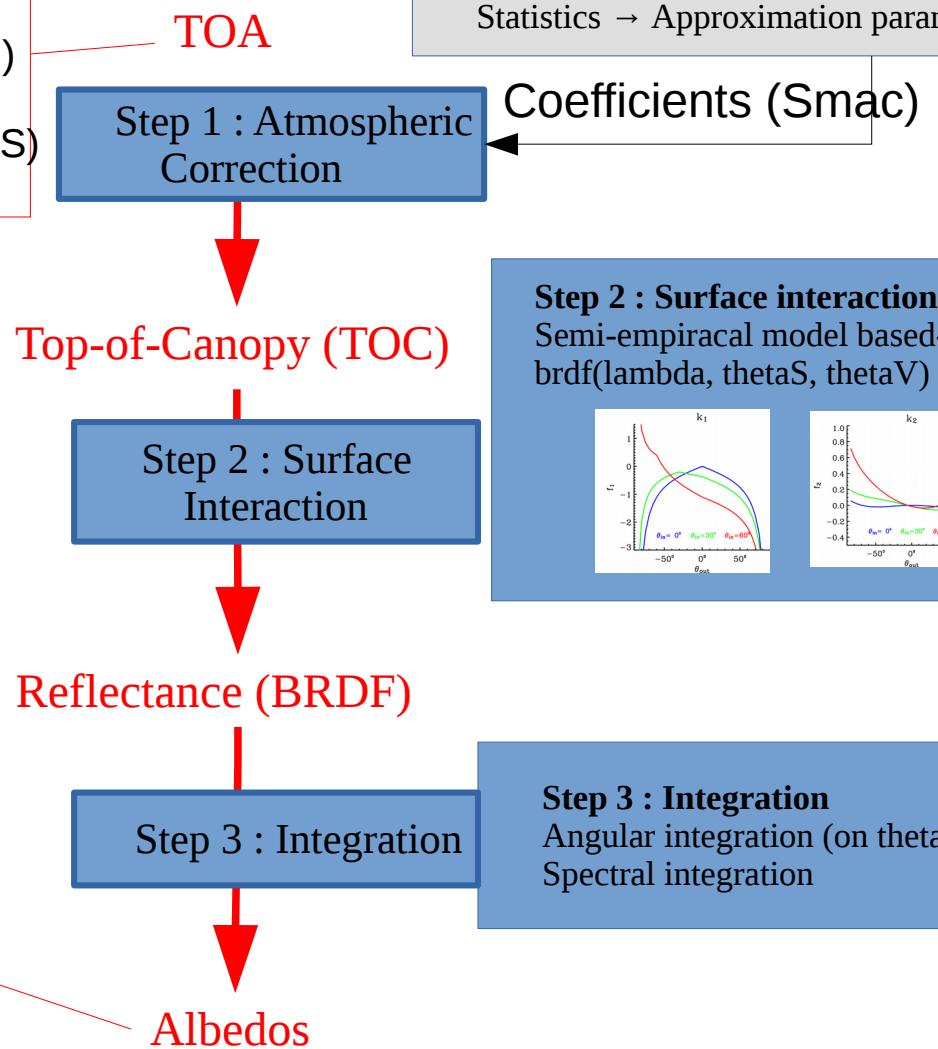
LSA-SAF Set of Albedo Products

Instrument	Product	Status
SEVIRI/ MSG (2005 until now) (MSG disk - 3km sub-satellite)	Total surface albedo (LSA108/daily & LSA109/10-day & LSA150/Reprocessing daily)	Operational
	Vegetation albedo, bare soil albedo, and snow albedos (LSA104/daily)	In Development
AVHRR/ Metop (2016 until now) (Global - 1km)	Total surface albedo (LSA103/10-day)	Pre-Operational
FCI/MTG (<i>launch in 2020</i>) (MTG disk - 1km sub-satellite)	<i>Total surface albedo</i> (LSA107-108/daily)	-
VII/EPS-SG (<i>launch in 2022</i>) (Global – 0,75km)	<i>Total surface albedo</i> (LSA110/10-day)	-
3MI/EPS-SG (<i>launch in 2022</i>) (Global - 4km)	<i>Total surface albedo</i> (LSA111/10-day)	-

Albedo Algorithm

Observations : TOA Top-of atmosphere

- 3 wavelenghts
(0,6 µm 0,8 µm et 1,6 µm)
- Multiple solar angles on 1 day (MSG)
- or
- Multiple view angles on 10 days (EPS)



Bidirectional Reflectance :
 $\text{BRDF}(\lambda, \theta_S, \theta_V)$

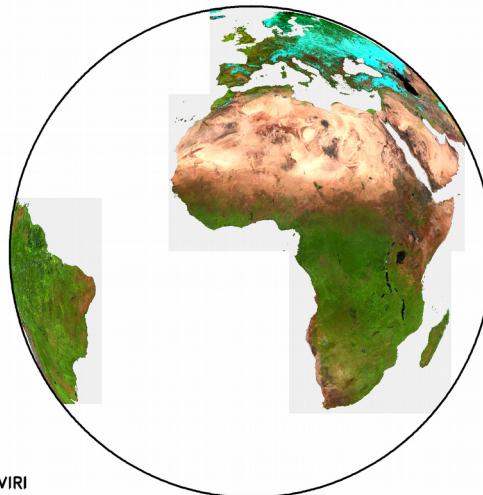
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- NIR Albedos
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- Narrow band albedo

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS (MDAL - LSA108)

01.03.2006

AL-SP-DH Colour Composite
R: $1.6\mu\text{m}$, G: $0.8\mu\text{m}$, B: $0.6\mu\text{m}$

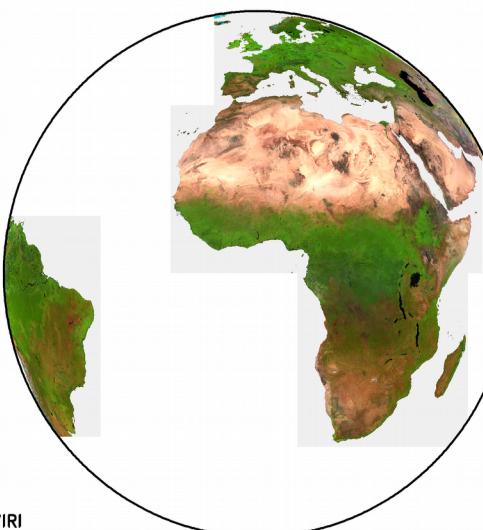


Meteosat-8/SEVIRI

Color Composite Of Spectral Albedo

01.07.2006

AL-SP-DH Colour Composite
R: $1.6\mu\text{m}$, G: $0.8\mu\text{m}$, B: $0.6\mu\text{m}$



Meteosat-8/SEVIRI

Spatial Resolution: 3km at Sub-Satellite Point

Projection: native MSG/SEVIRI Projection

Production Frequency: Daily (also 10 days)

Effective Temporal Resolution: 5 Days (also monthly)

Format: HDF5

Timeliness: 3 hours

Dissemination:

- EUMETSAT broadcast system (EUMETCast)
- project website (<http://landsaf.meteo.pt>)

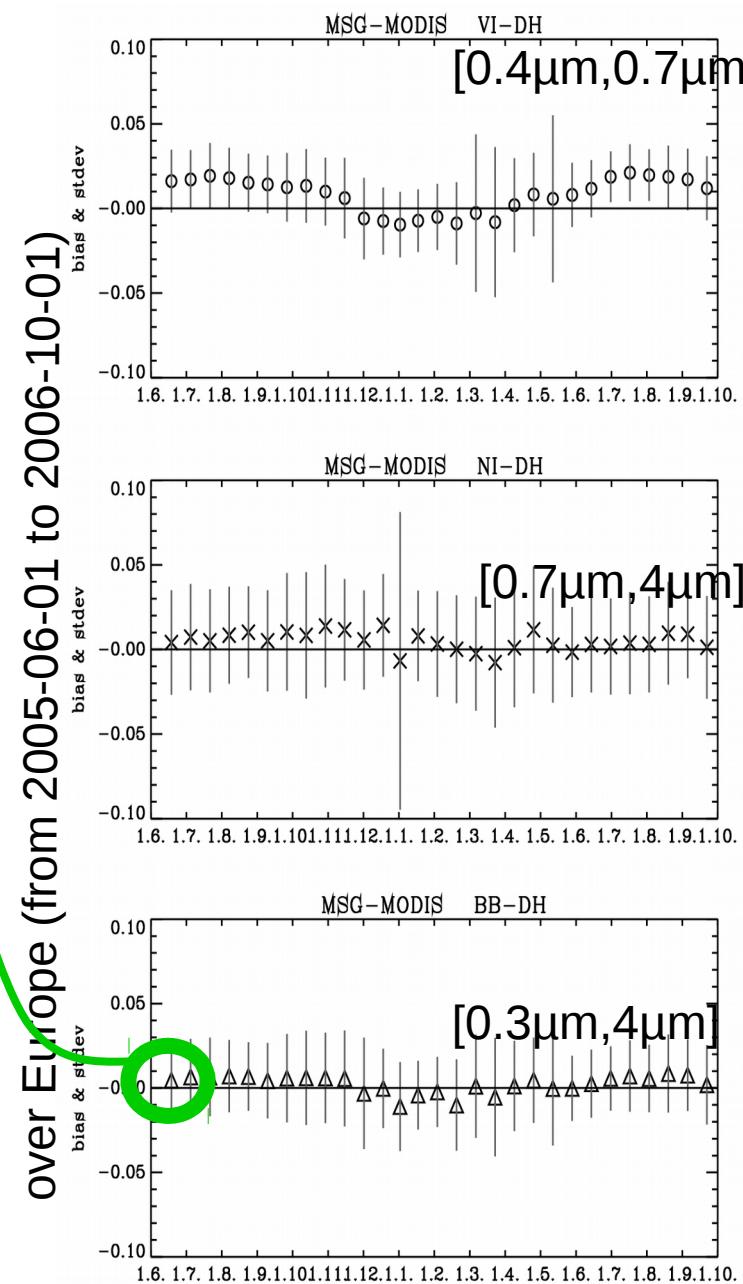
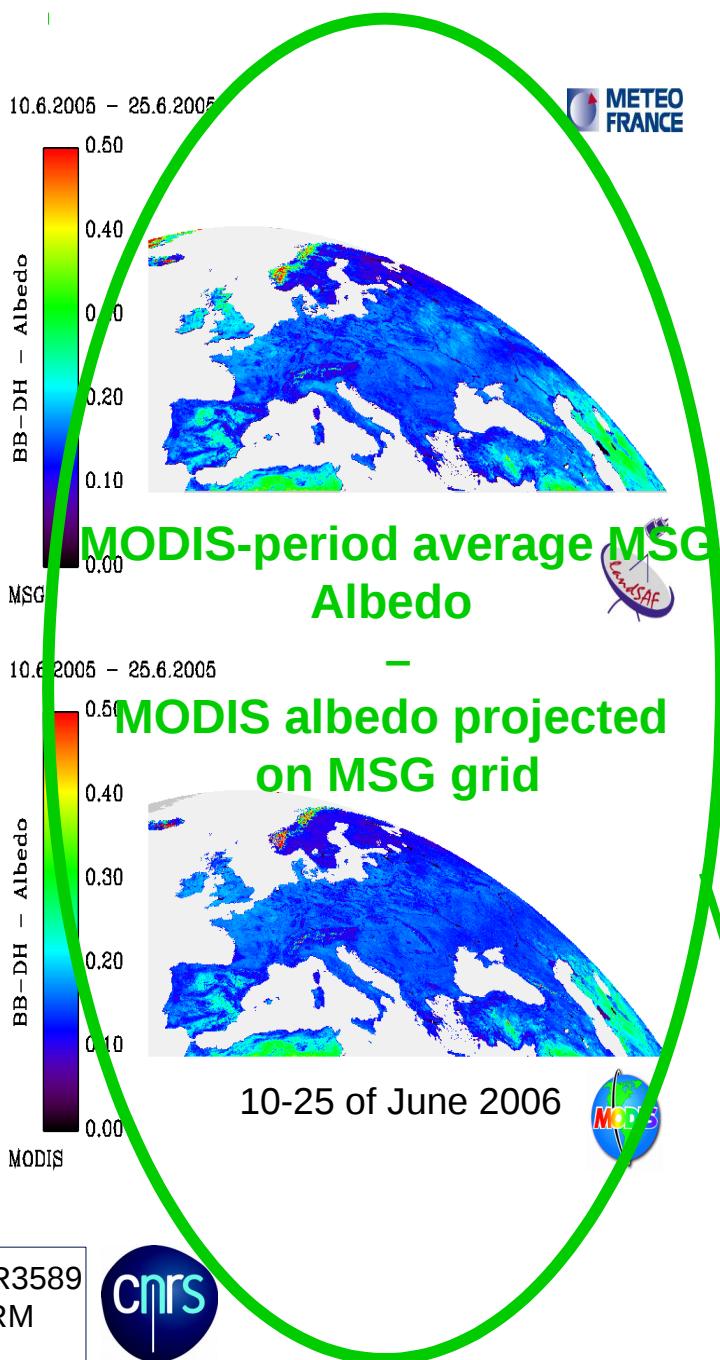
Spectral Albedos (6):

- $0.6\mu\text{m}$ (DH&BH)
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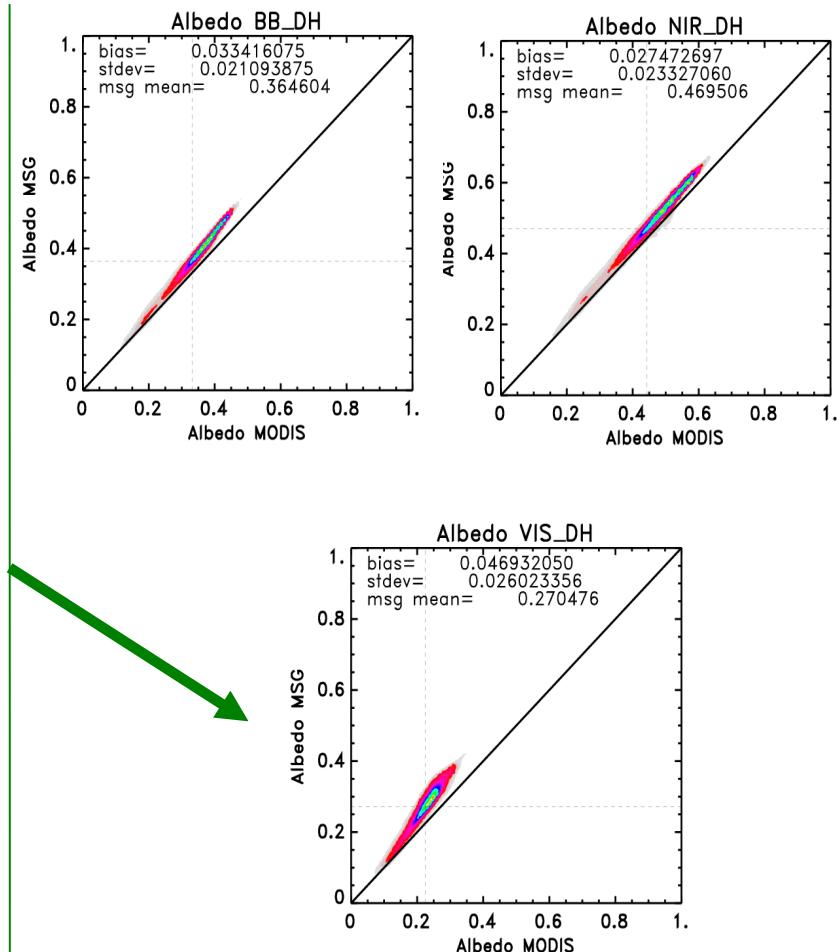
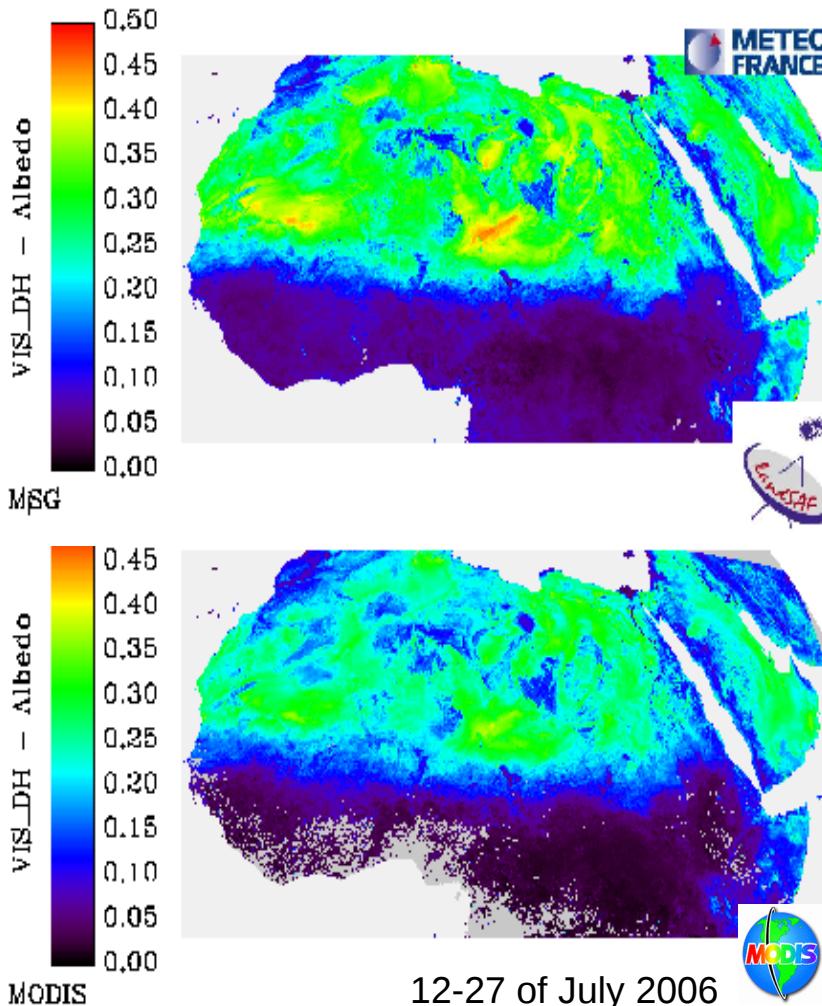
BroadBand Albedos (4):

- VIS-DH [$0.4\mu\text{m}$, $0.7\mu\text{m}$]
- NIR-DH [$0.7\mu\text{m}$, $4.0\mu\text{m}$]
- SW-DH [$0.3\mu\text{m}$, $4.0\mu\text{m}$]
- SW-BH [$0.3\mu\text{m}$, $4.0\mu\text{m}$]

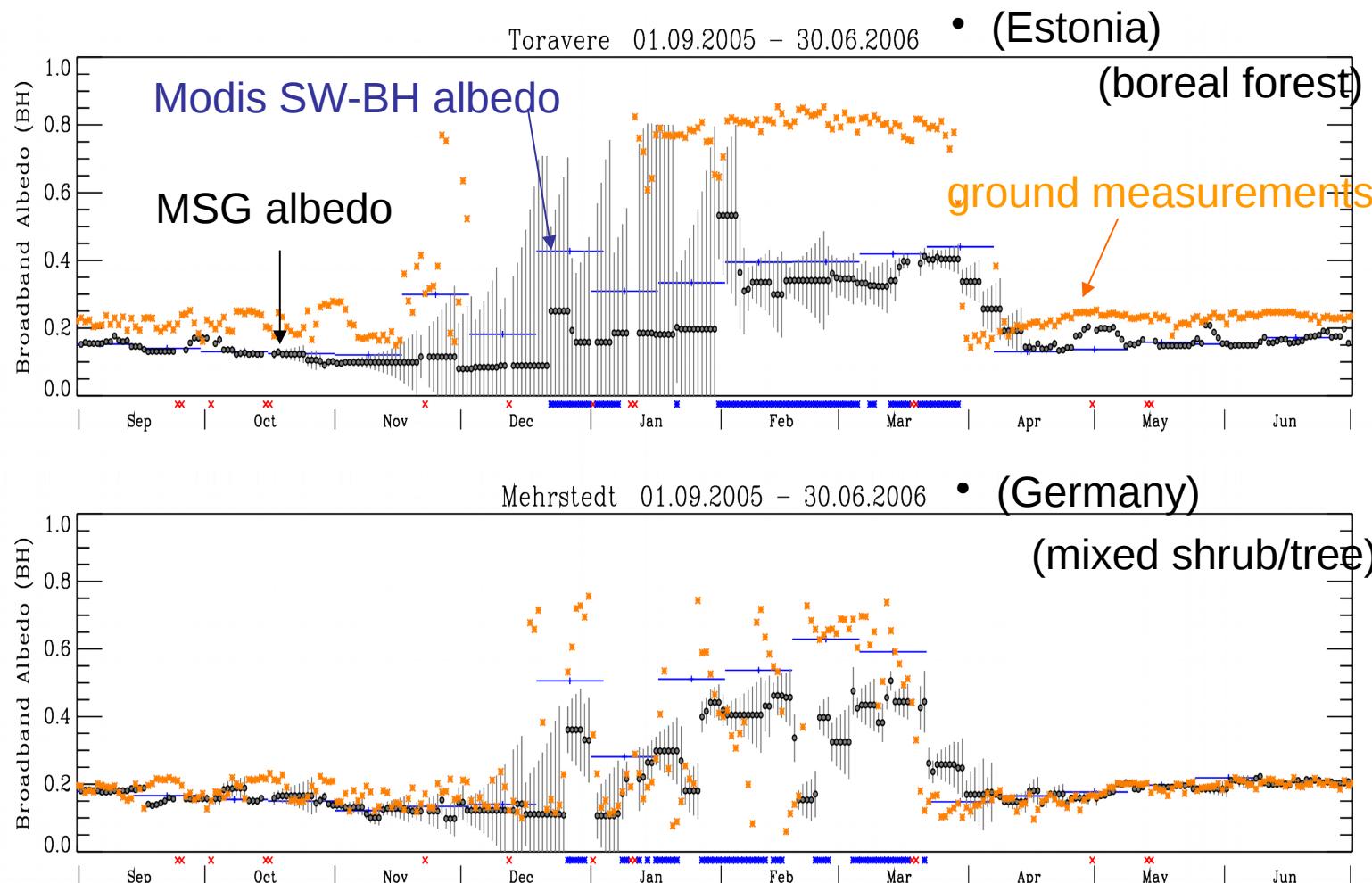
COMPARISON WITH MODIS ALBEDO (1/2)



COMPARISON WITH MODIS ALBEDO (2/2)



ALBEDO TIME SERIES (snowfall episodes)



SUMMARY OF PERFORMANCES (ALBEDO MSG)

Accuracy

Over mid-latitude region:

bias: 5% in relative units for SW and NIR broadband albedo (except for snow/ice pixels) – below 0.01 in absolute unit
20% for VIS broadband albedo (potentially due to the use of different BRDF models and aerosol products)
stdev: 0.015 for VIS and 0.030 for NIR and SW (or BB)

Over brightening surfaces (North Africa): no degradation in relative units

Documentation :

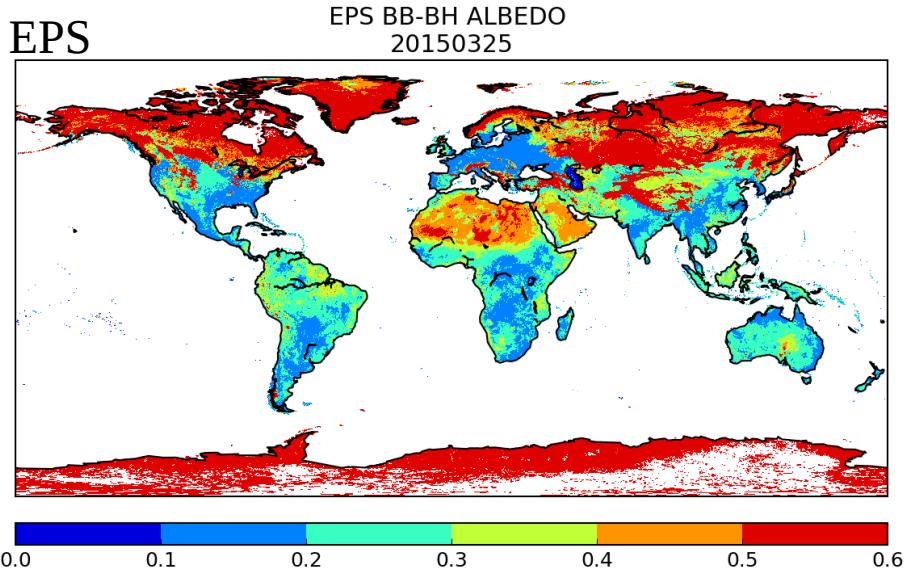
(Product User Manual + Validation Report + ATBD + internal documents)
Available here : <http://lsa-saf.eumetsat.int/>

Publications:

Carrer, D., Roujean J.-L., Meurey C., "Evaluating operational MSG/SEVIRI land surface albedo products from LSA-SAF with ground measurements and MODIS", IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing, doi:10.1109/TGRS.2009.2034530.

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PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS (ETAL - LSA103)



Spatial Resolution: $0.01^\circ \times 0.01^\circ$

Projection: Global - native EPS

Production Frequency: 10-Day

Format: HDF5

Timeliness: 3 hours

Status: pre-operational

Spectral Albedo (6):

$0.6\mu\text{m}$, $0.8\mu\text{m}$, and $1.6\mu\text{m}$ (DH&BH)

Broad band Albedo (4):

VIS-DH ($[0.4\mu\text{m}, 0.7\mu\text{m}]$)

NIR-DH ($[0.7\mu\text{m}, 4.0\mu\text{m}]$)

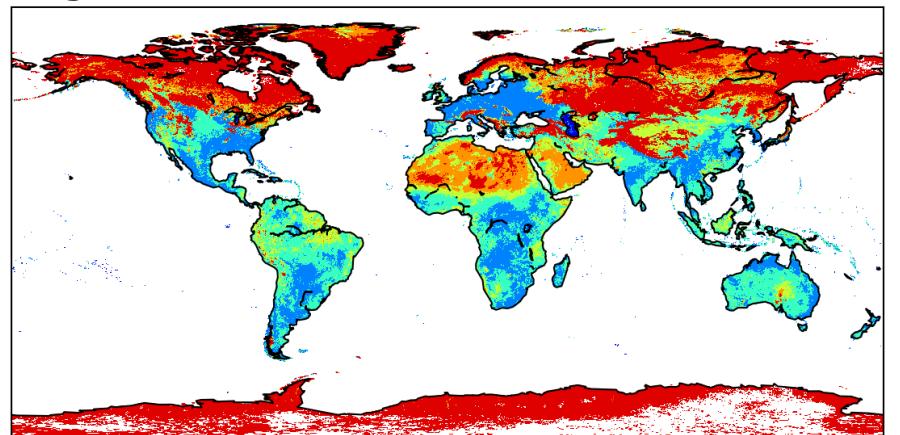
SW-DH ($[0.3\mu\text{m}, 4.0\mu\text{m}]$)

SW-BH ($[0.3\mu\text{m}, 4.0\mu\text{m}]$)

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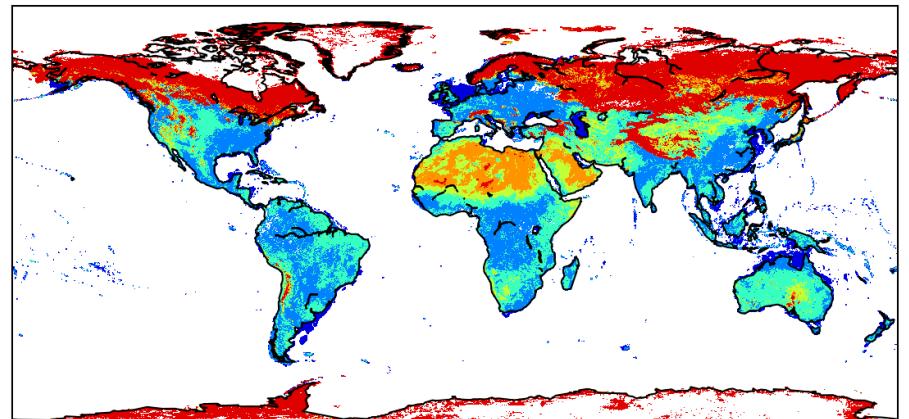
EPS

EPS BB-BH ALBEDO
20150325



MODIS

MODIS WSA ALBEDO
20150325



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Format: HDF5

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Broad band Albedo (4):

VIS-DH ([0.4 μ m, 0.7 μ m])

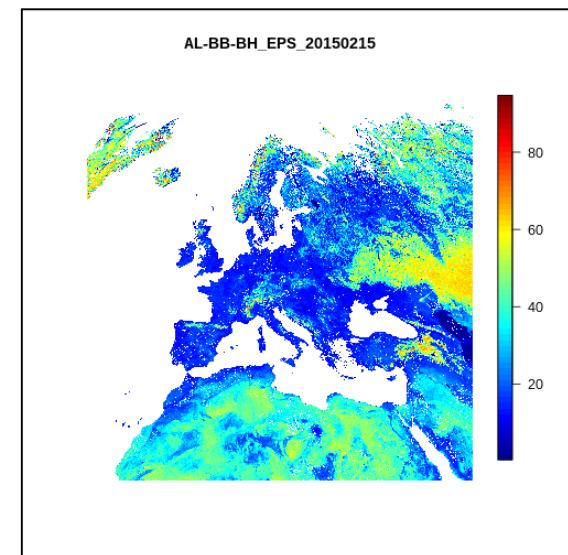
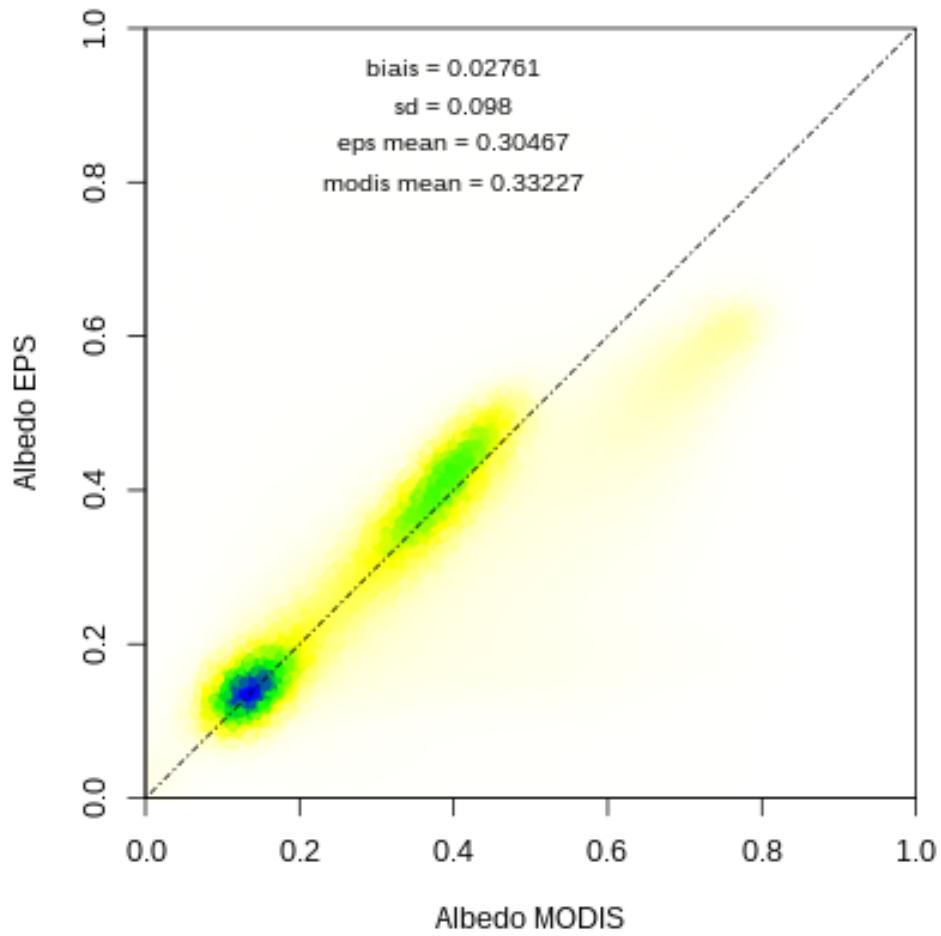
NIR-DH ([0.7 μ m, 4.0 μ m])

SW-DH ([0.3 μ m, 4.0 μ m])

SW-BH ([0.3 μ m, 4.0 μ m])

RESULTS (ETAL - LSA103)

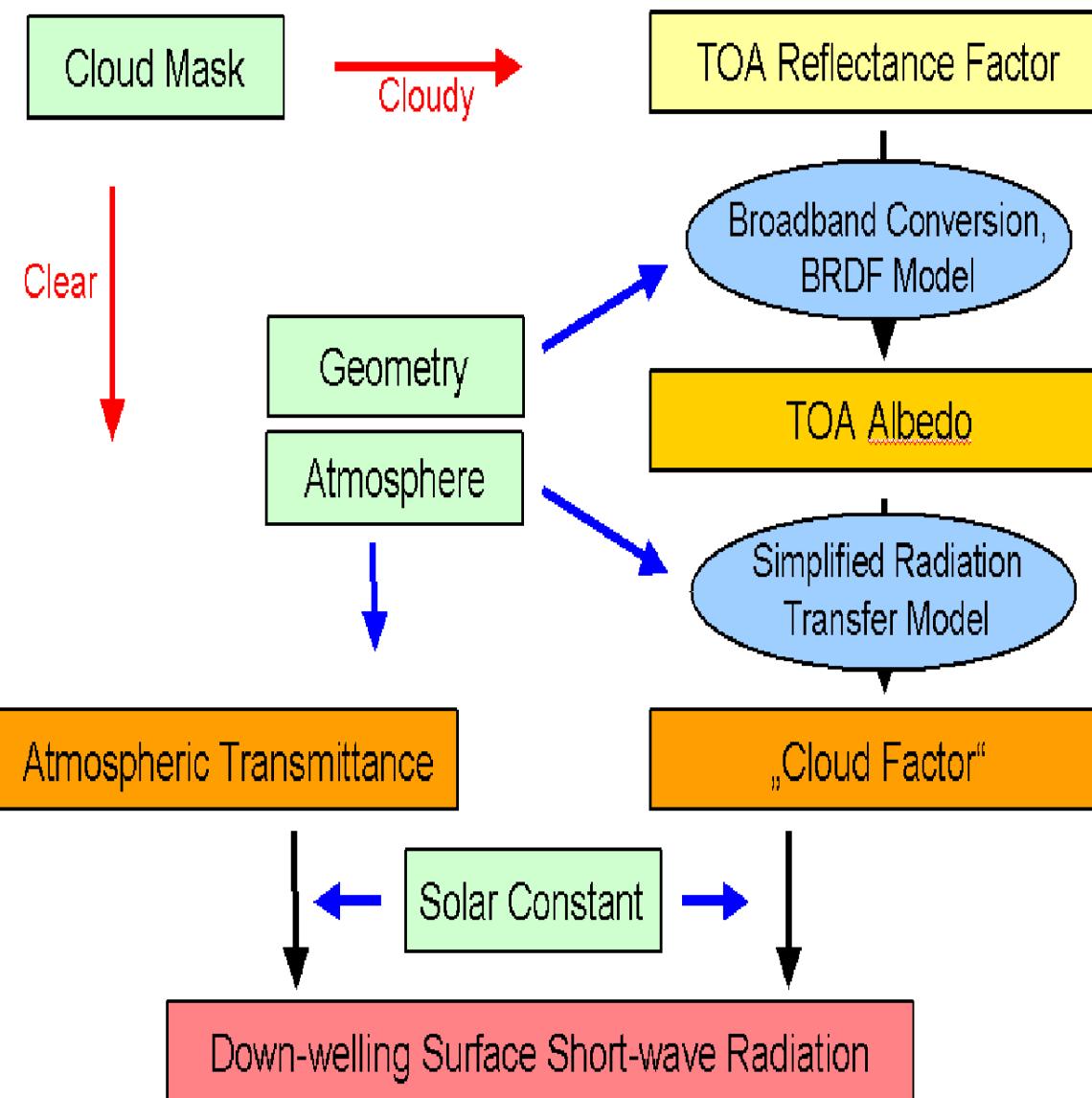
AL-BB-BH EPS vs MODIS



LSA-SAF Set of DSSF Products

Instrument	Product	Status
SEVIRI/MSG (2005 until now) (MSG disk - 3km sub-satellite)	MDSSF (LSA-201) instantaneous values	Operational
	DIDSSF (LSA-203) daily accumulated values	Operational
	MDSSFDD (LSA-207) instantaneous estimates of direct and diffuse incoming solar radiation at the surface level.	In Development
FCI/MTG (launch in 2020) (MTG disk - 1km sub-satellite)	MDSSF (LSA-209) <i>instantaneous values</i>	-
	DIDSSF (LSA-211) <i>daily accumulated values</i>	

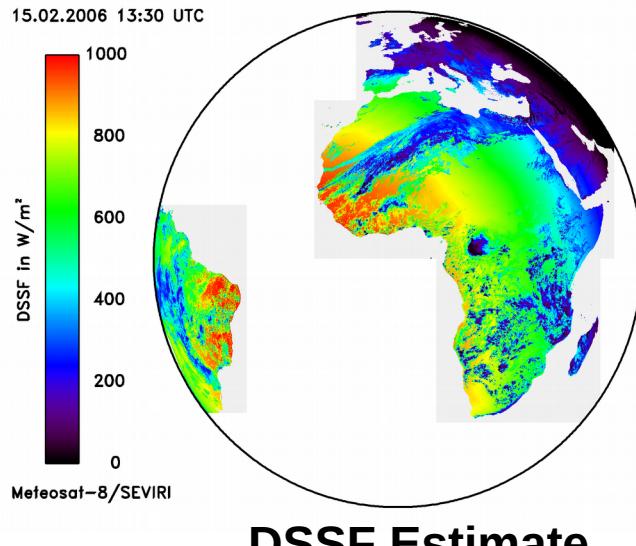
METHOD FOR RETRIEVAL DSSF – LSA-201/203



DSSF INPUT DATA

- **Satellite Data (TOA-radiances)**
- **Solar and View Angles**
- **Land/Sea Mask**
- **Cloud Mask (SAF-NWC software)**
- **Total Column Water Vapour (ECMWF)**
- **Ozone Content (Climatology)**
- **Land Surface Albedo (Land-SAF AL product)**

PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS (DSSF – LSA-201/203)



Spatial Resolution: 3km at Sub-Satellite Point

Projection: native MSG/SEVIRI Projection

Production Frequency: 30 Minutes

Instantaneous Flux Estimate

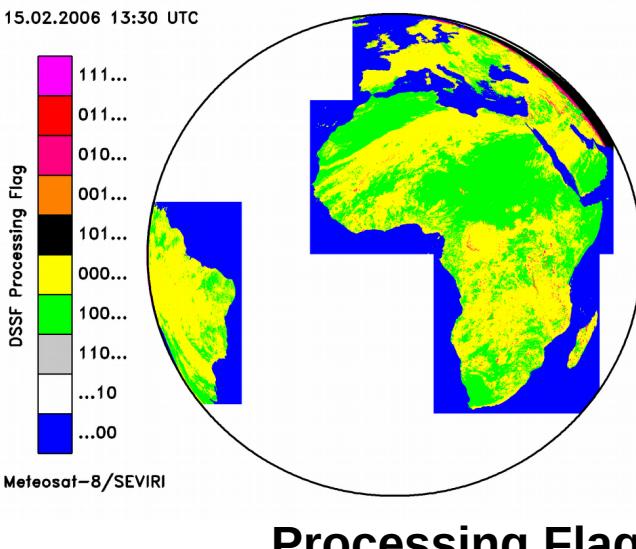
Format: HDF5

Timeliness: 3 hours

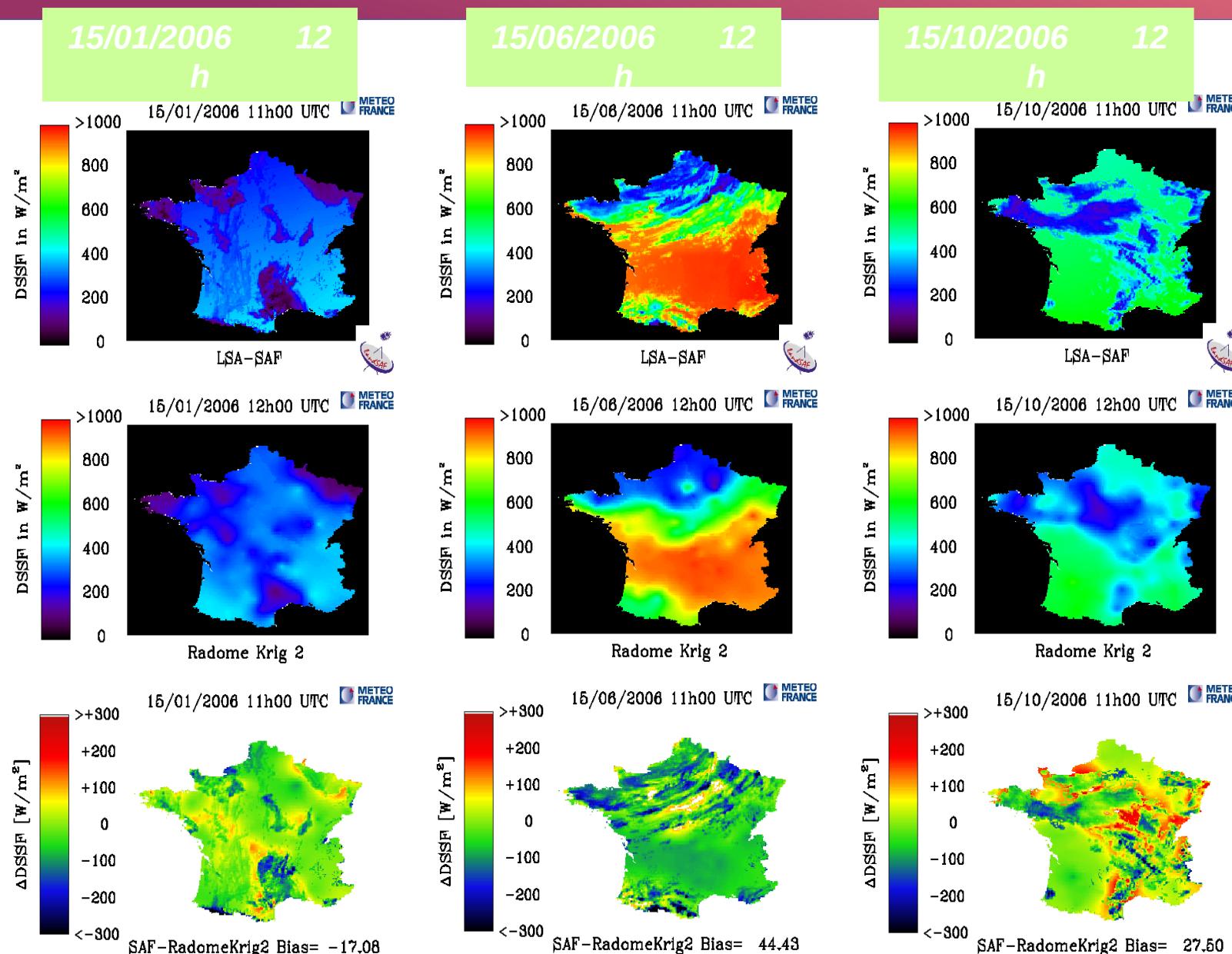
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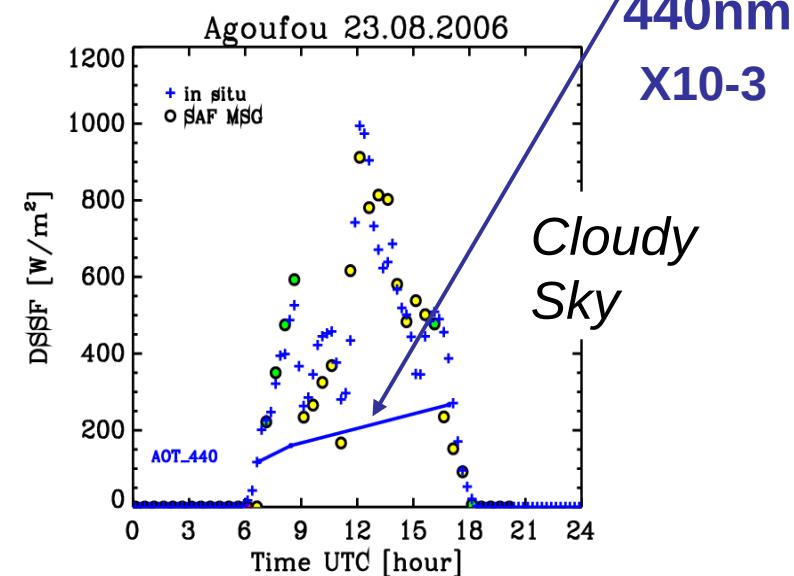
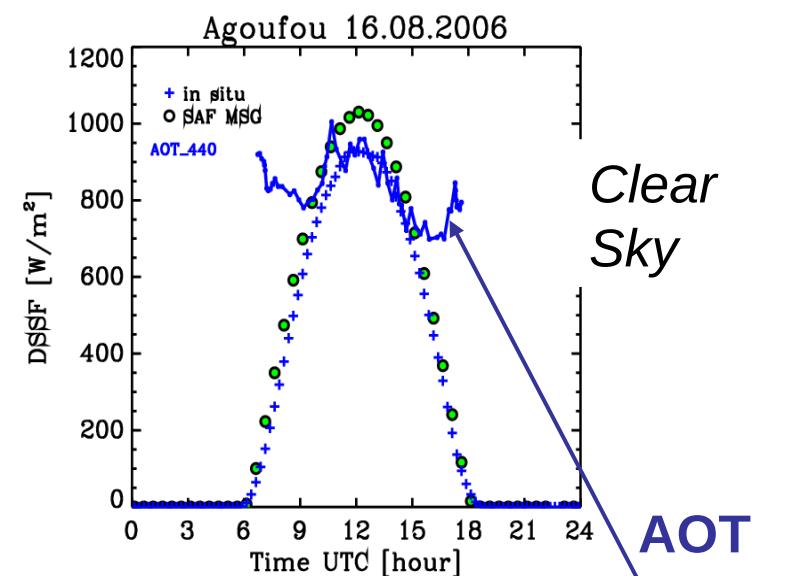
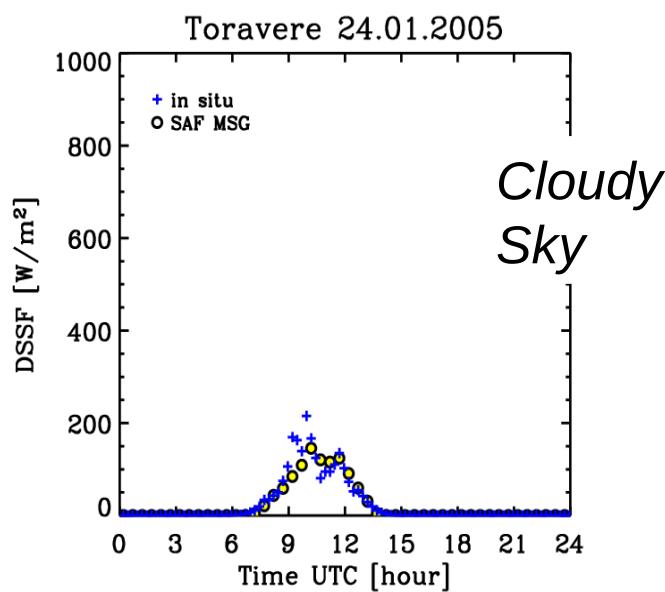
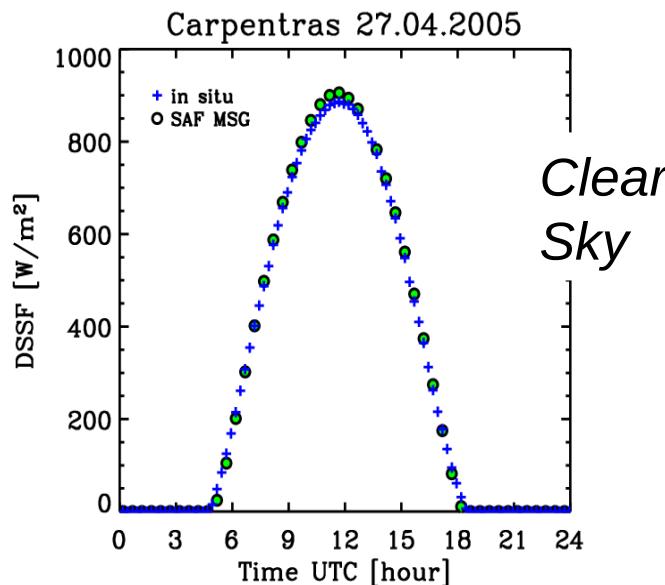
Wavelength interval: [0.3 μm , 4.0 μm]



Validation of DSSF over France with RADOME network (LSA-201)



Time series example (LSA-201)



SUMMARY OF PERFORMANCES (DSSF)

Accuracy

Bias :

Between the satellite product and the ground data is small : **< 10 W.m⁻²** (absolute value)

Stdev :

Between instantaneous satellite estimates and ground measurements :

- ~ 40 W m⁻² for clear sky data
- ~ 110 W m⁻² for cloudy sky data.

Related publications:

- Geiger, B., Meurey, C., Lajas, D., Franchistéguy, L., Carrer, D. and Roujean, J.-L. (2008), Near real-time provision of downwelling shortwave radiation estimates derived from satellite observations. *Met. Apps*, 15: 411–420.
doi:10.1002/met.84
- See also : Product User Manual, and Validation Report, internal documents

Applications

Use of BRDF for Fapar, Lai, fcover, NDVI

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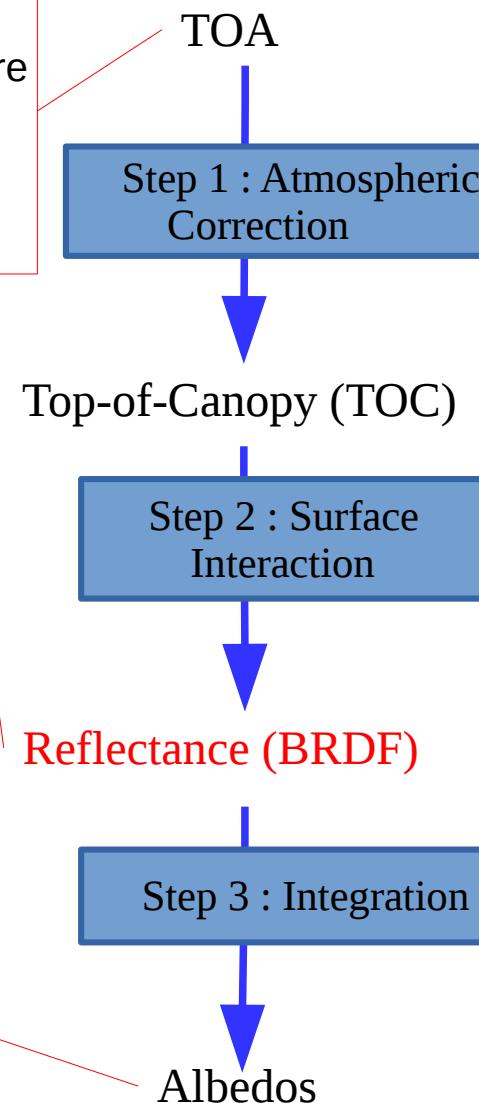
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Application of Albedo Algorithm

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Bidirectional Reflectance :

BRDF(λ , θ_S , θ_V)

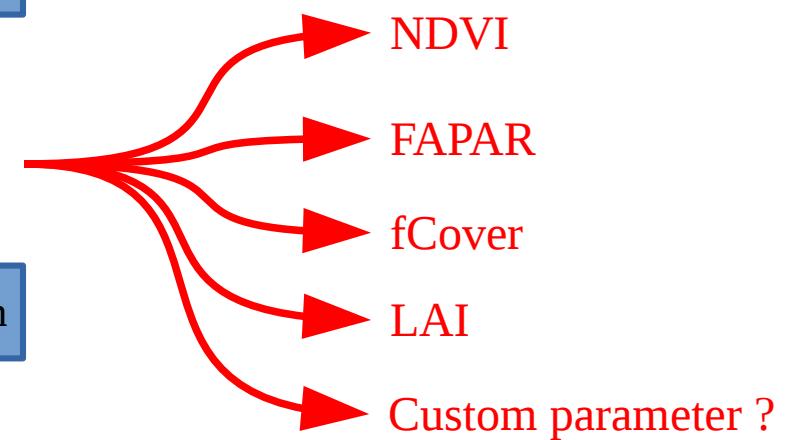
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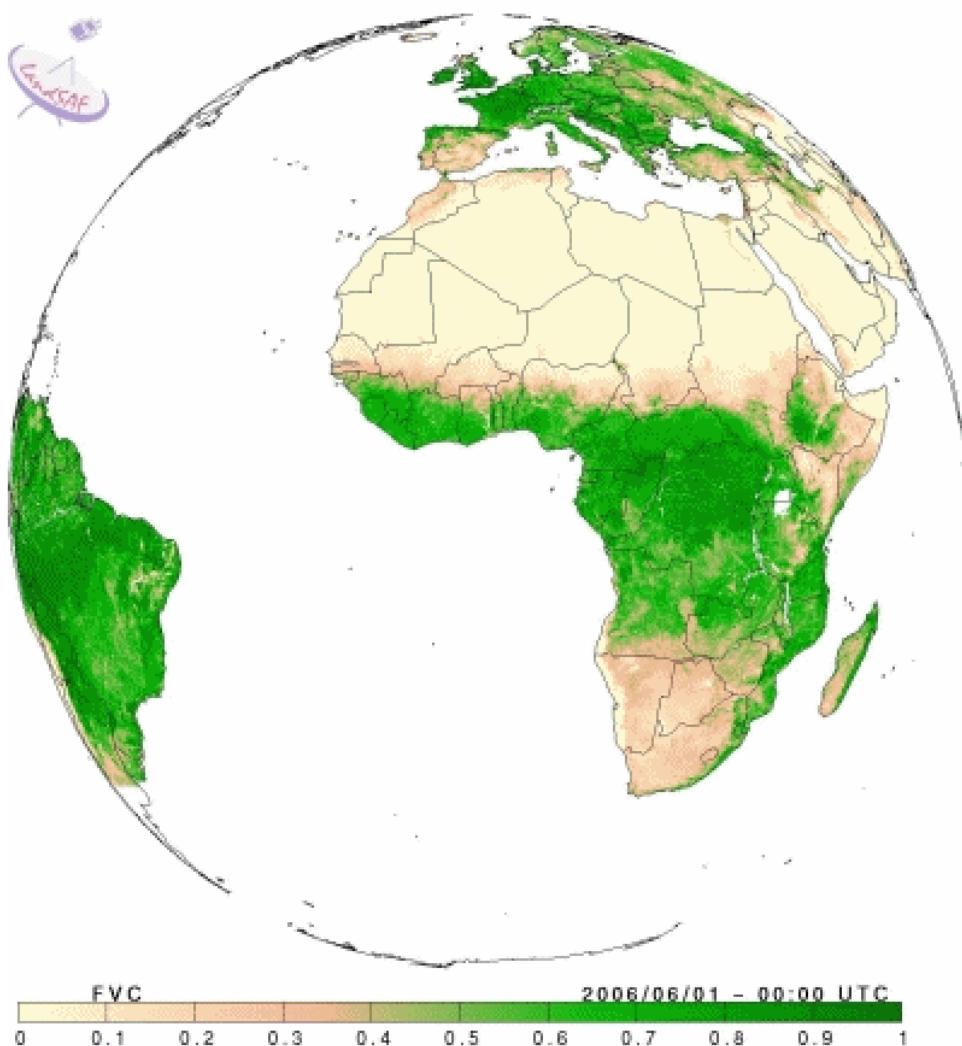
The BRDF function has a lot more information to give about the surface (than Albedo).

BRDF is (currently) an internal product.

Collaborations welcome !

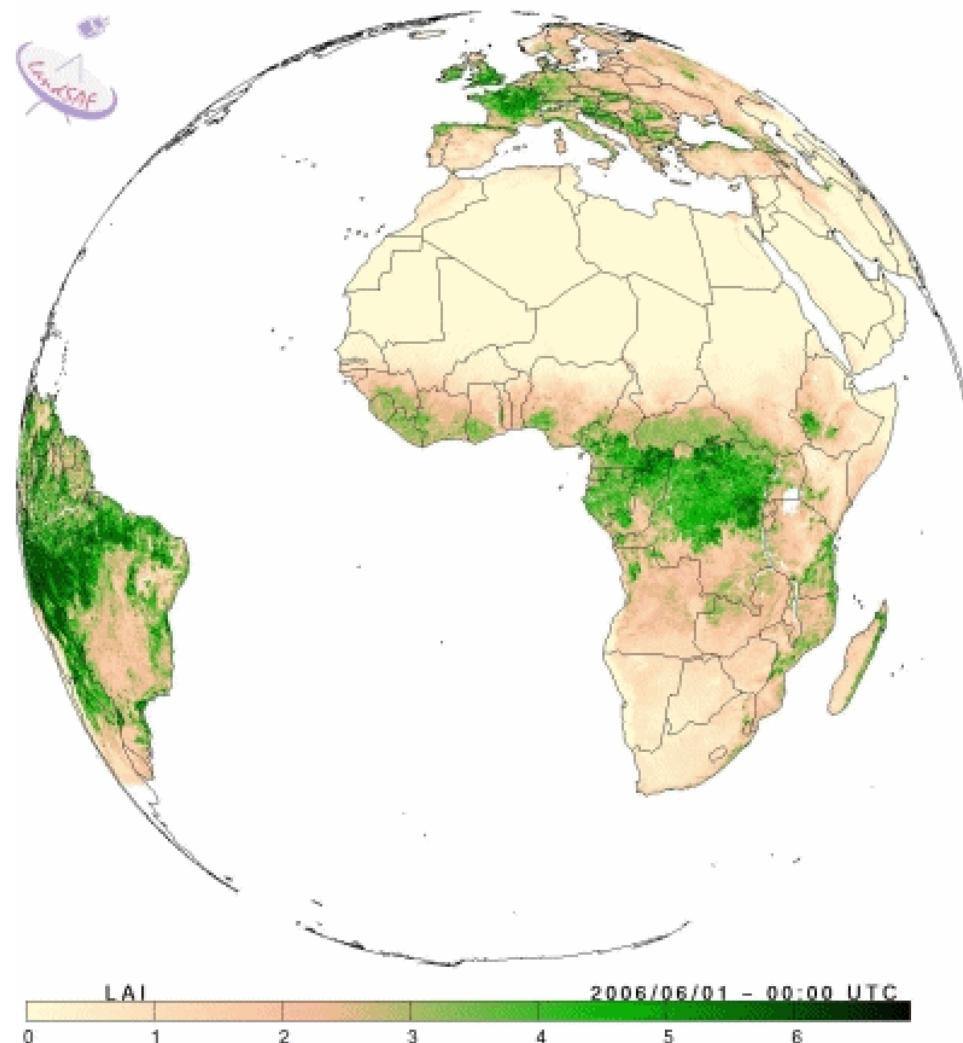


FRACTIONAL VEGETATION COVER



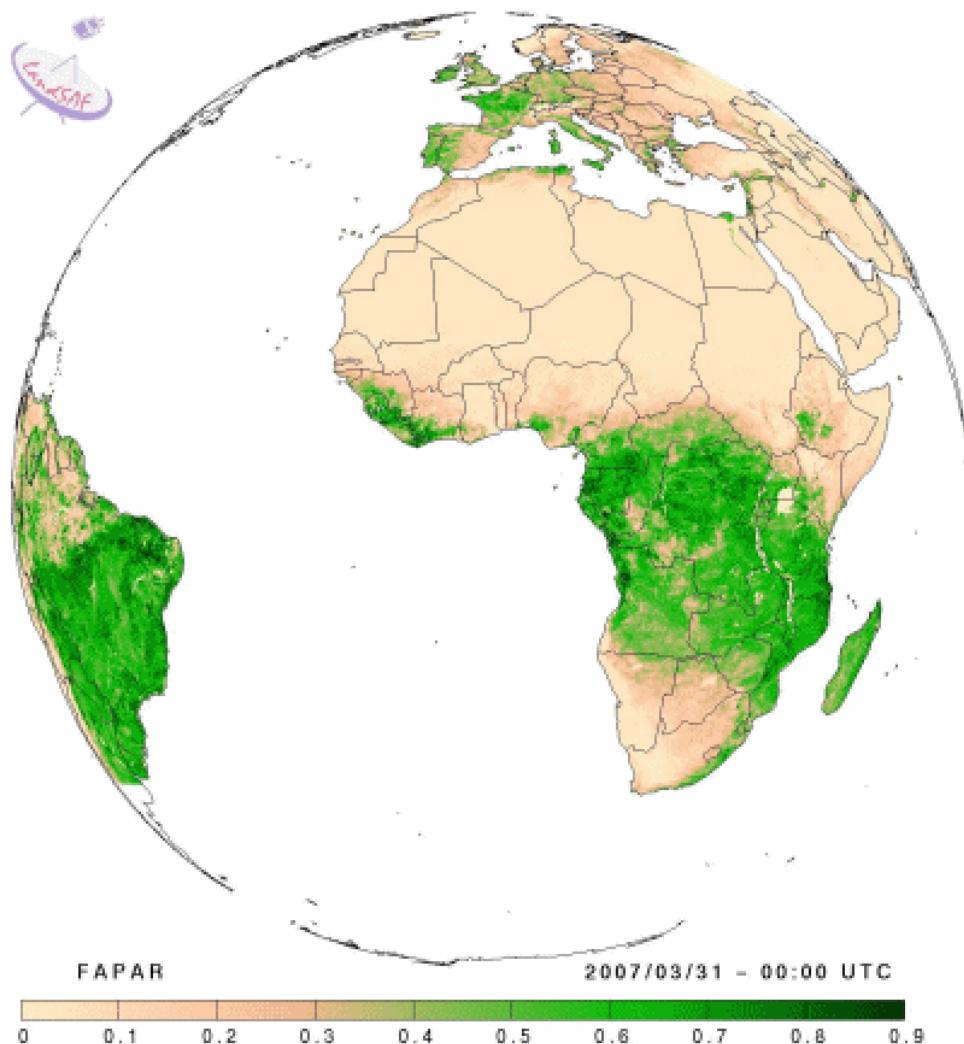
Geostationar
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LEAF AREA INDEX



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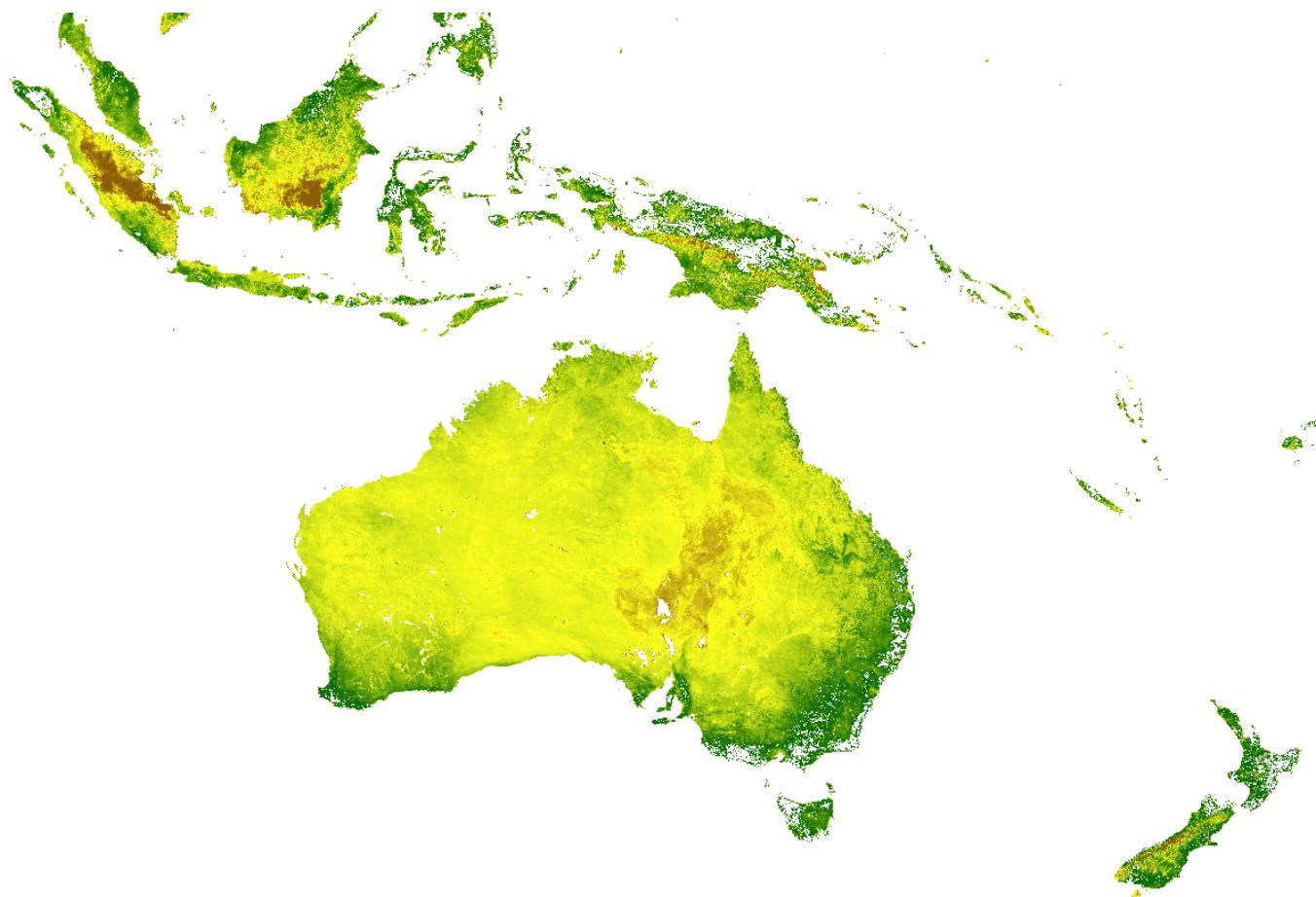
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Geostationar
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NDVI (METOP-AVHRR)

Polar



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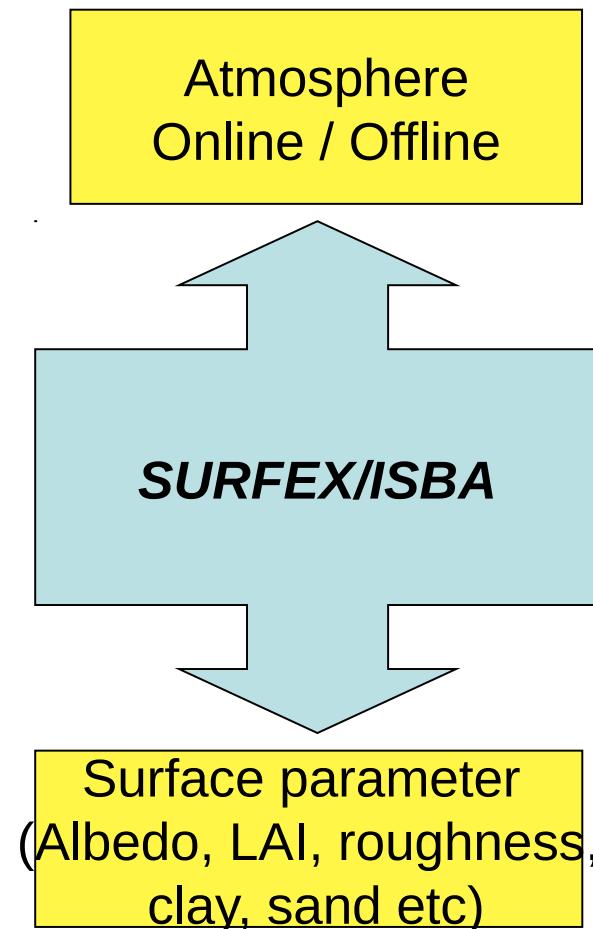
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Use of albedo product

- Use of albedo product for Land Surface model (LSM) : OFFLINE
 - Injecting the albedo in the ISBA model improve its performances

ISBA Land Surface Model



Atmosphere:

- Online: NWP/climate atmospheric model
- Offline: Temperature, water vapor, rainfall, incoming solar radiation, longwave flux, wind, etc. from reanalysis (SAFRAN, ERA-Interim) or observations.

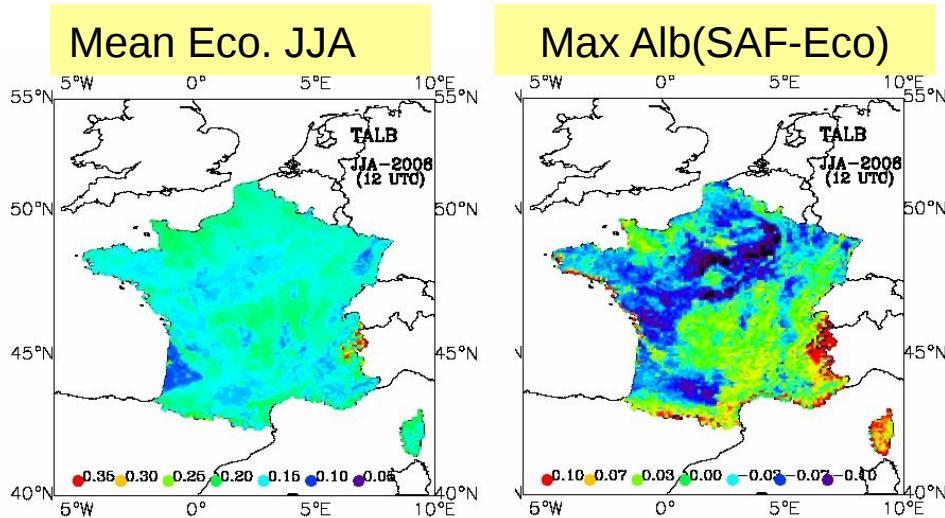
Surface:

- Isba model: energy, water and carbon fluxes.

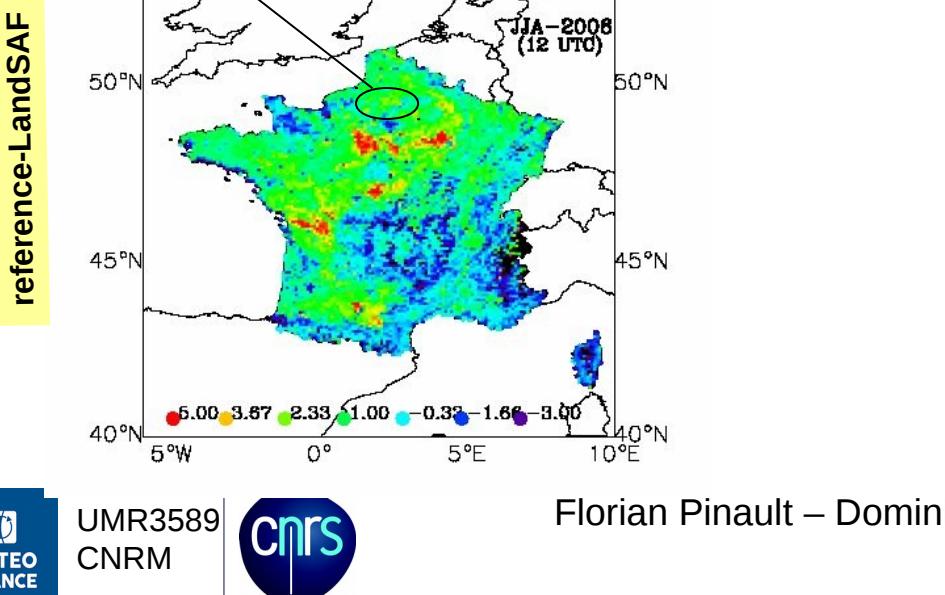
Physiography:

- Two experiments :
 - Eco : Albedo from database (ECOCLIMAP)
 - Saf : Albedo from SAF MSG observations.

Use of albedo product for LSM (OFFLINE)



JJA: maximum difference TG1 (Eco vs SAF)



Land surface model: ISBA (~9.5km) forced by SAFRAN atmospheric analysis.

Two experiments: with Ecoclimap albedo and with LSA-SAF albedo analysis

Run every day at 00h (2006) – in offline mode

JJA:

- ΔALB between -0.1 and 0.1

Impact on:

- $\Delta TG1$ between -3 and +6°C

- $\Delta TG2$ between -1 and +2°C

- $\Delta WG1$ between -0.04 and +0.04 m³/m³

- $\Delta WG2 < 0.01$ m³/m³

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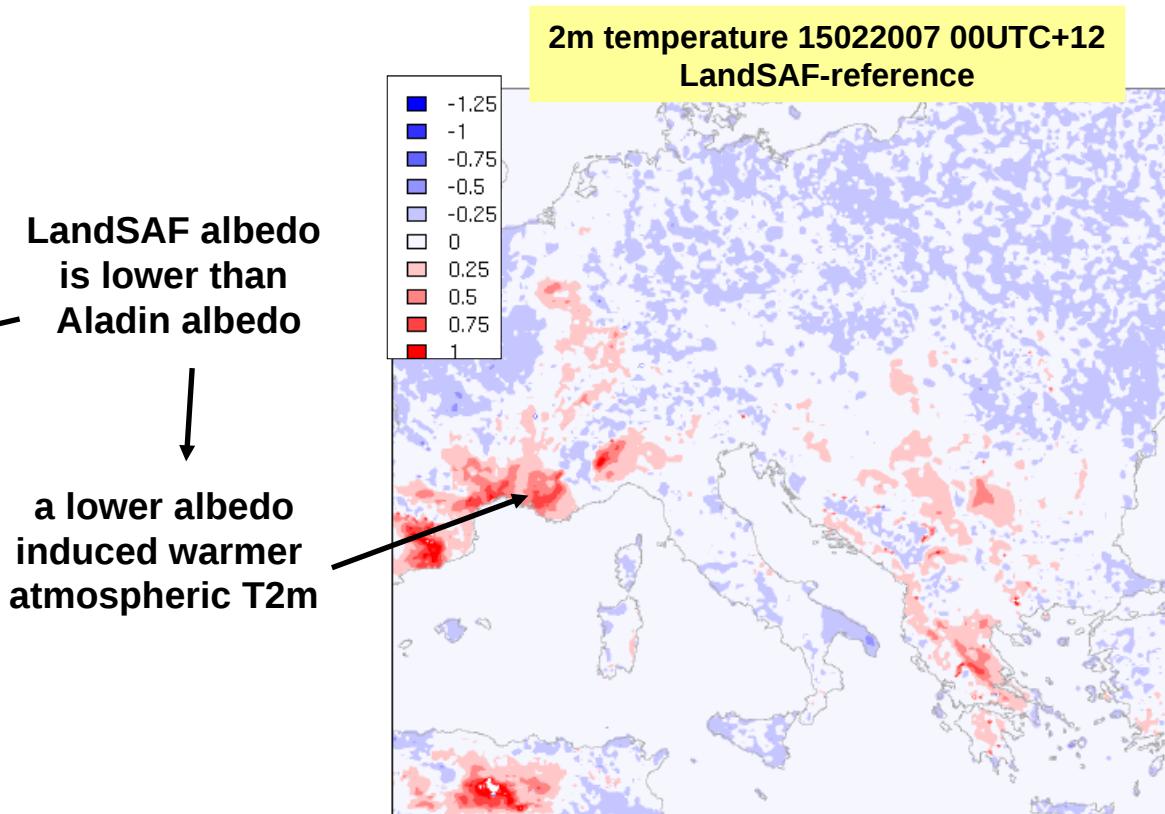
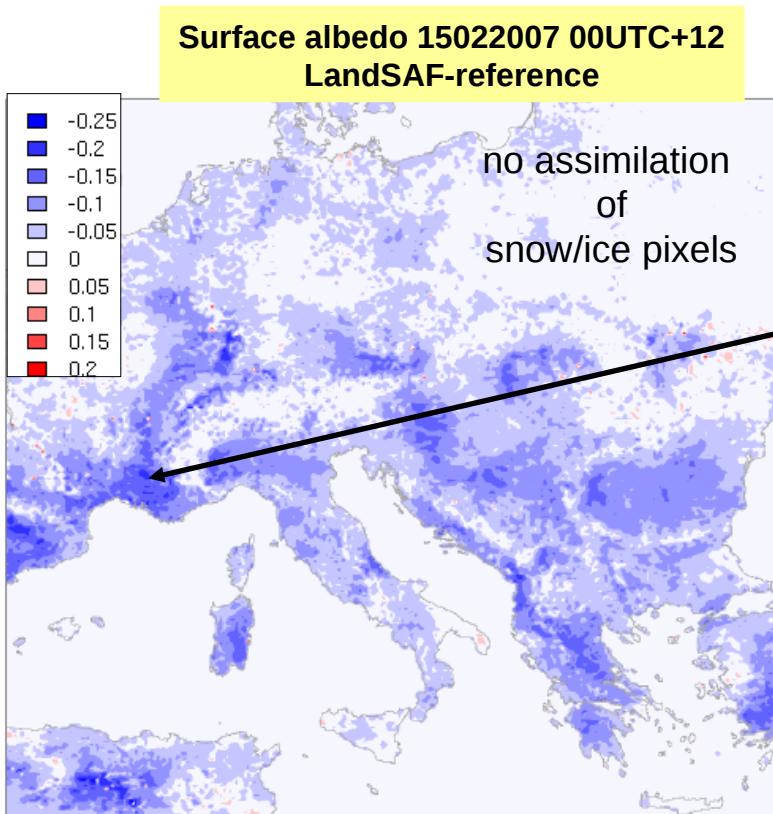
- Use of albedo product for Numerical Weather Prediction (NWP) : ONLINE
 - Injecting Albedo in NWP model reduces the temperature bias in winter.

Use of albedo product for NWP (ONLINE)

Weather forecast model: ALADIN (~9.5km)

Two experiments: with ALADIN albedo and with LSA-SAF albedo analysis

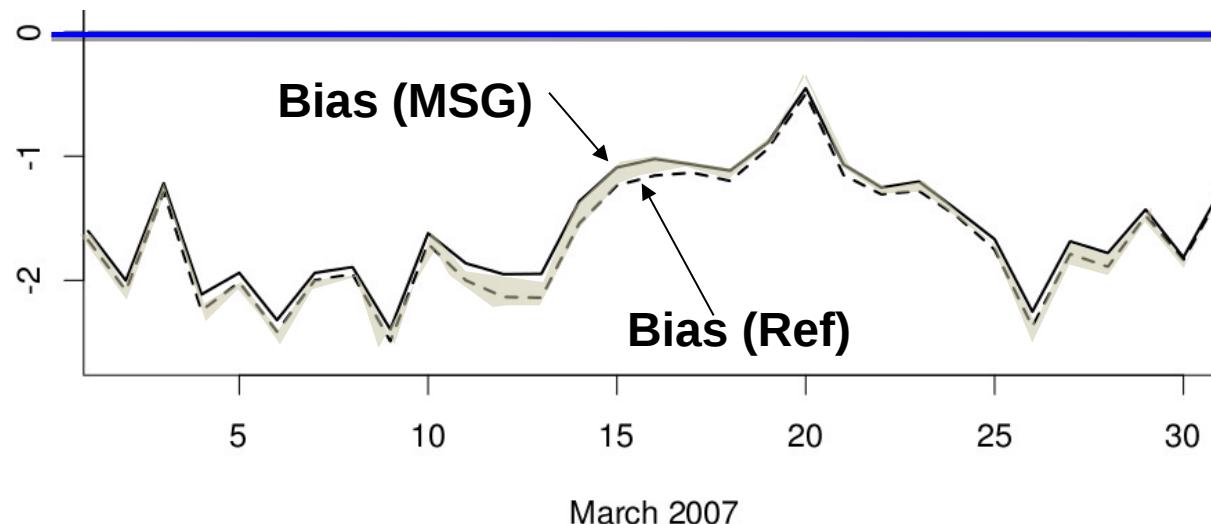
Run every day at 00h (2007) - 54h forecast



(J. Cedilnik, D. Carrer, J.-F. Mahfouf, and J.-L. Roujean "Impact assessment of daily satellite derived surface albedo in a limited area NWP model", Submitted to J. of Ap. Meteorology and Climatology)

Use of albedo product for NWP (ONLINE)

Score T2m (forecast 12h)
(mean average over East of Europe)



Conclusion of Score Study: weather model has a significant cold bias in winter.
Satellite data allows to reduce the bias.

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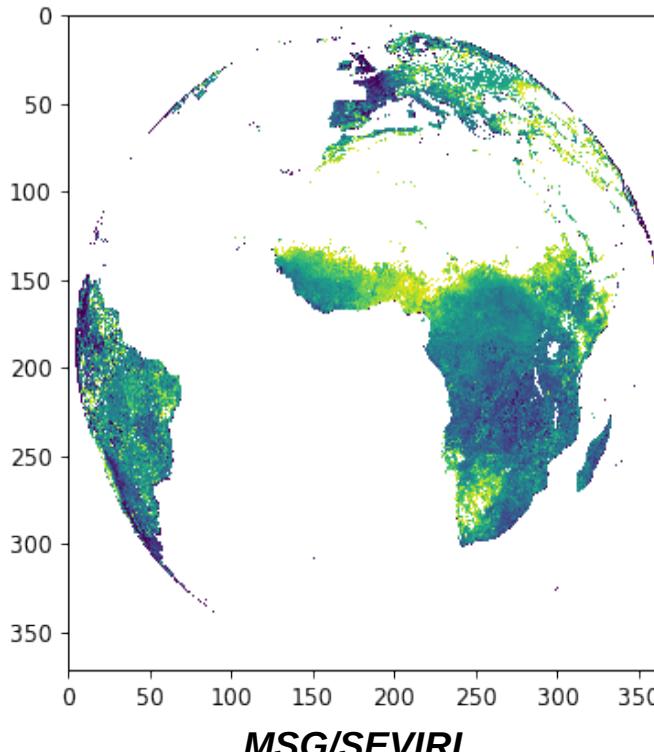
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MDAL-SVS PRODUCT CHARACTERISTICS (LSA-104)

19th of February, 2017.



*Directionnal-Hemispherical
vegetation albedo in the visible
domain [0,3-0,7μm]*

Separated Soil Vegetation Snow Albedo (MDAL-SVS)

Spatial Resolution: 3km at Sub-Satellite Point

Projection: native MSG/SEVIRI Projection

Production Frequency: Daily

Effective Temporal Resolution: 5 Days

Format: HDF5

Timeliness: 3 hours

Status: in development

BroadBand Albedo (6):

- soil, vegetation, and snow albedos
- VIS-BH [0.4μm, 0.7μm]
- NIR-BH [0.7μm, 4.0μm]

METHOD FOR RETRIEVAL (LSA104)

**Method: Kalman Filtering to generate
a daily analysis of the surface albedo components**

Satellite product: total surface albedo and its uncertainty

Output fields: - bare soil albedo
- vegetation albedo

$$x_i^a = x_i^b + K_i [y_i - Hx_i^b]$$

$$K_i = A_i^b H^T [H A_i^b H^T + R_i]^{-1}$$

- state vector
- obs. vector
- obs. operator.....
- obs. error

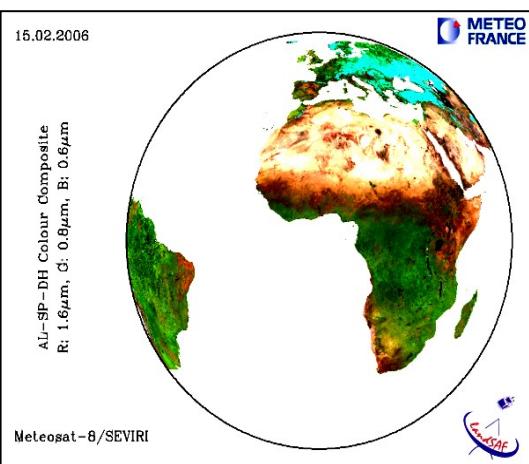
$$x_i^a = [a_{veg}^a, a_{sn}^a]^T$$

$$y_i = [a_{veg}^{cum}, a_{sn}^{cum}, a_{tot}^{saf}]^T$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ veg^{clim} & 1 - veg^{clim} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_i = \begin{bmatrix} (\sigma_{veg}^{clim})^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & (\sigma_{sn}^{clim})^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & (\sigma_{tot}^{saf})^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

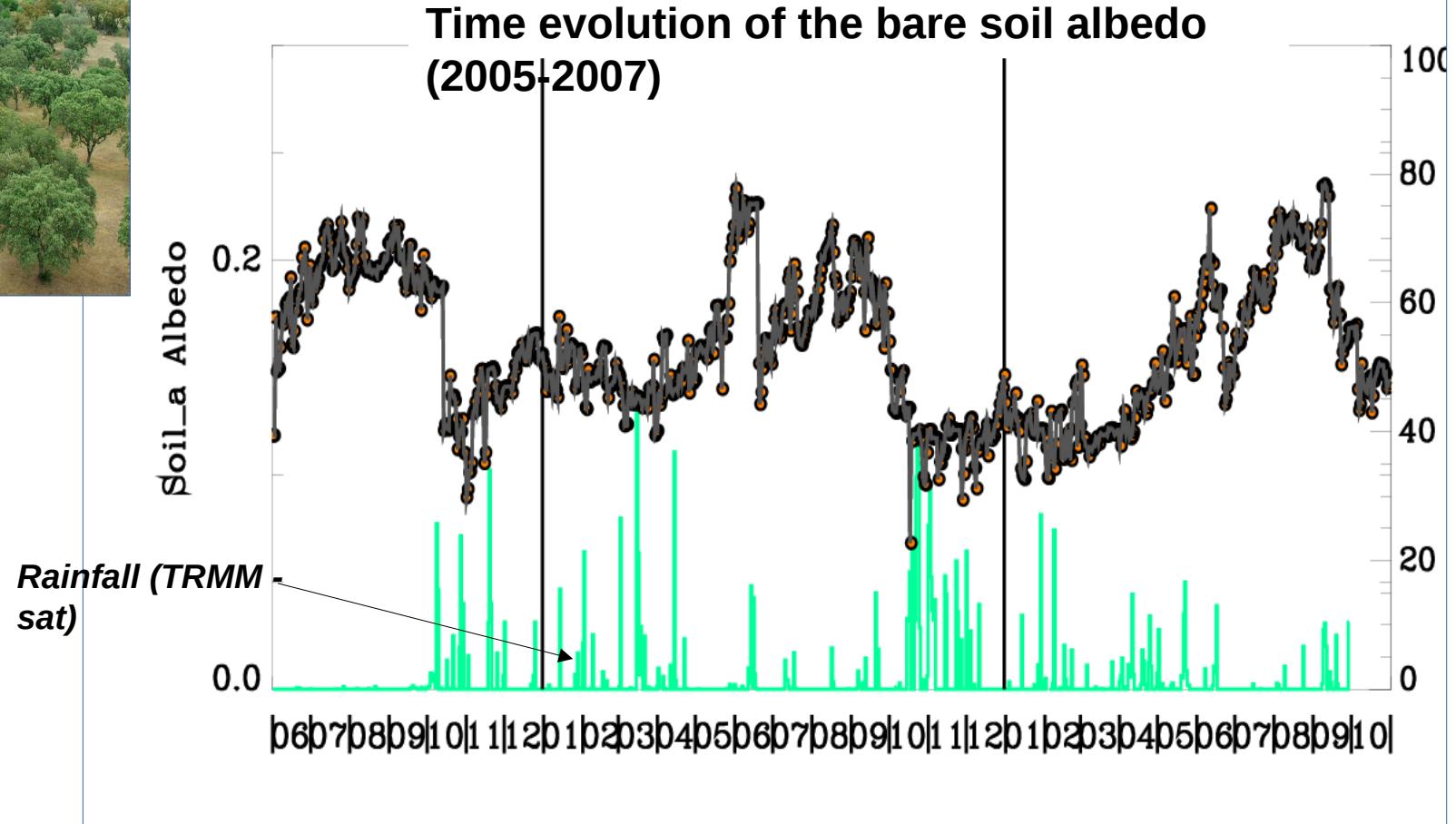
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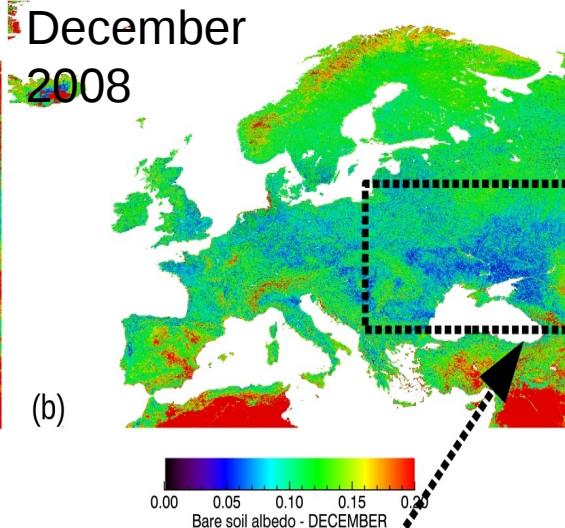
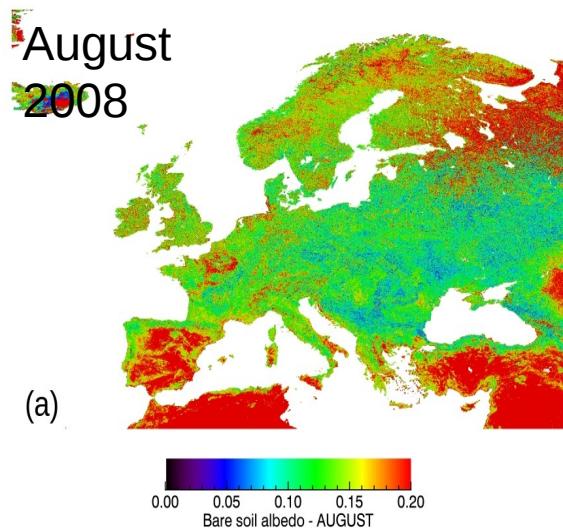
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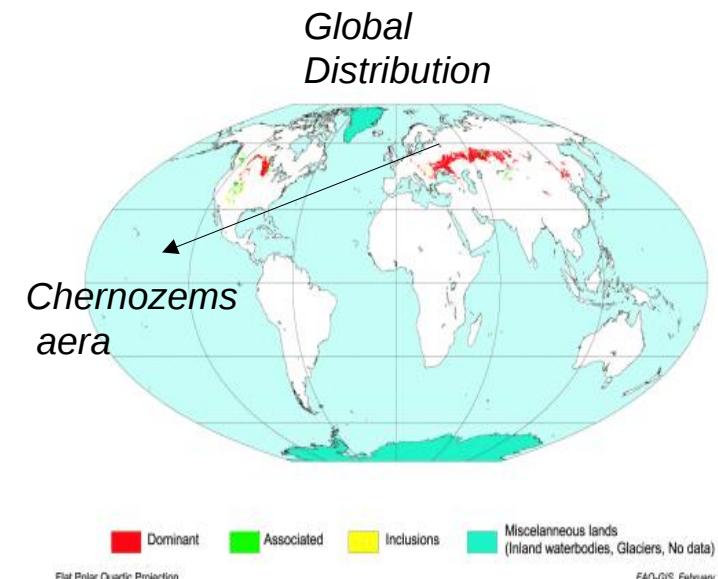
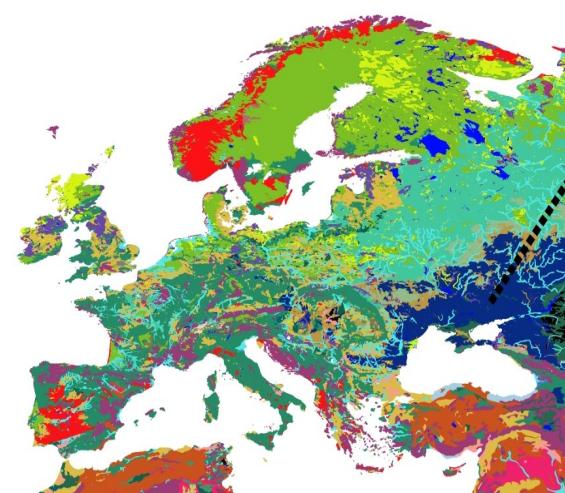


RESULTS

Bare soil albedo



AC - Acrisols
AL - Alisols
AN - Andosols
AR - Arenosols
AT - Anthrosols
CH - Chernozems
CL - Calcisols
CM - Cambisols
FL - Fluvisols
GL - Gleysols
GY - Gypsisols
HS - Histosols
KS - Kastanozems
LP - Leptosols
LV - Luvisols
NT - Nitisols
PD - Podzoluvisols
PH - Phaeozems
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PZ - Podzols
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SN - Solonetz
VR - Vertisols
ST - Salt flats
RK - Rock outcrop
GG - Glaciers
DS - Sand dune
UR - Urban
WR - Water bodies
NI - No data



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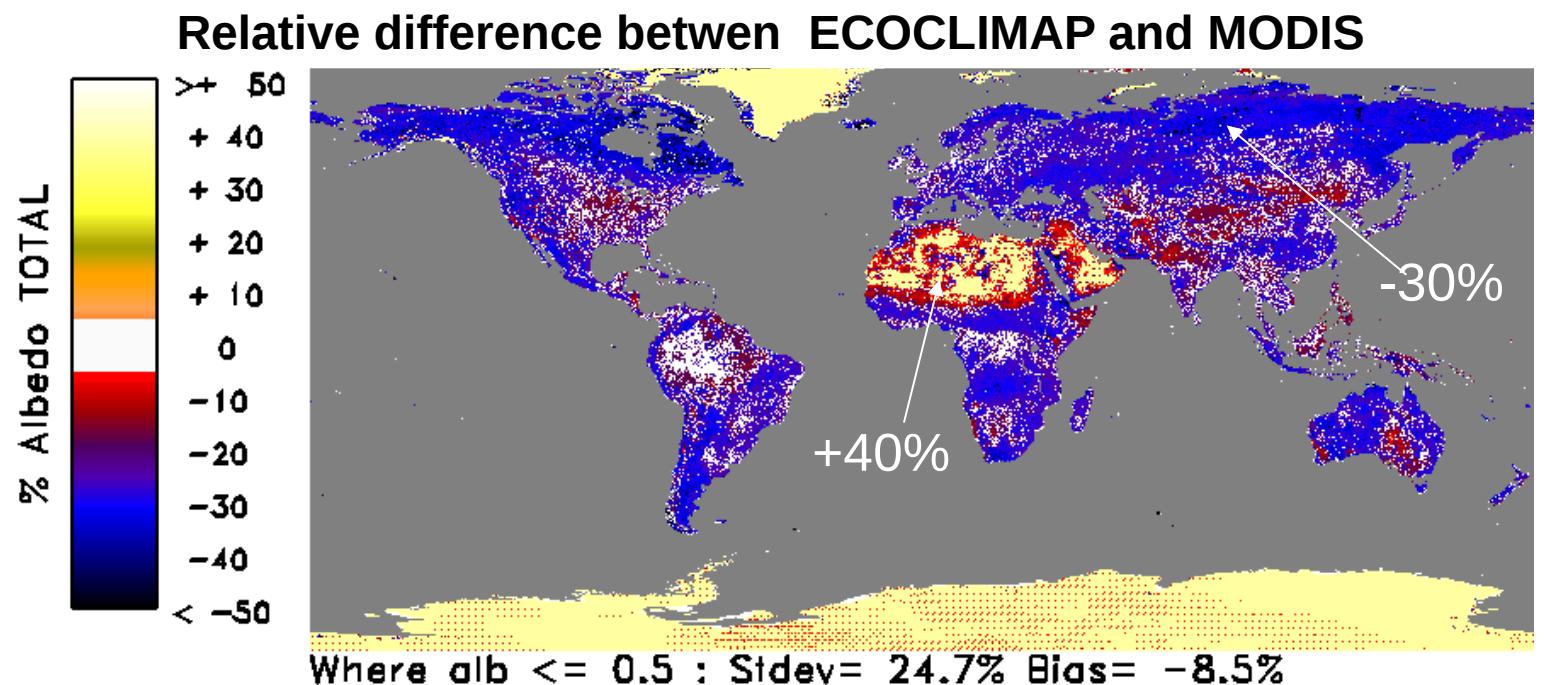
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Use of albedo product for climate (ONLINE)

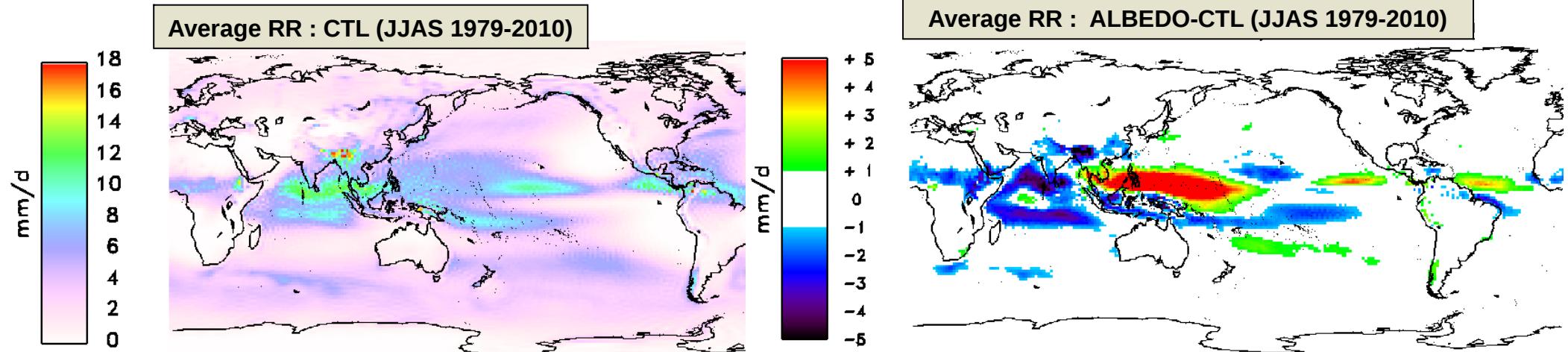
Model: ARPEGE-Climat
Run: 1979-2010

2 experiments:

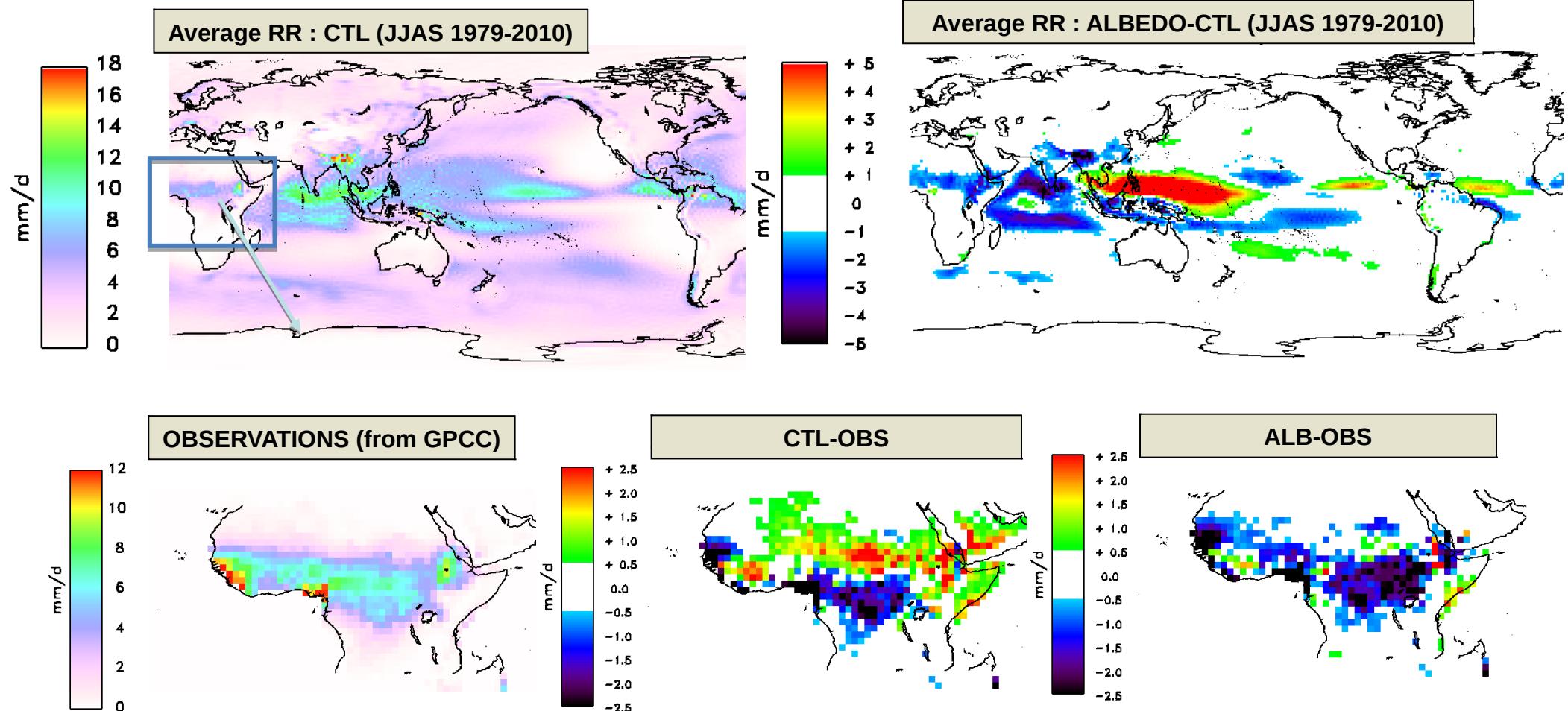
- with ECOCLIMAP albedo (Ref.);
- with MODIS albedo (10ans). (**Carrer et al., RSE, 2014a**)



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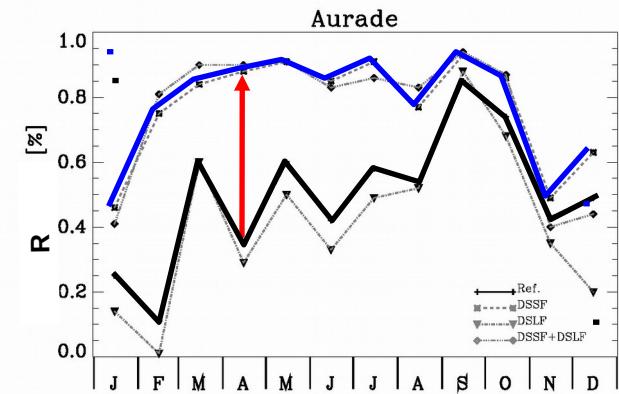
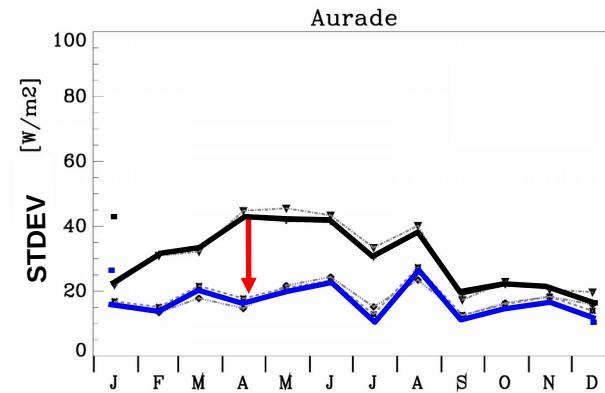
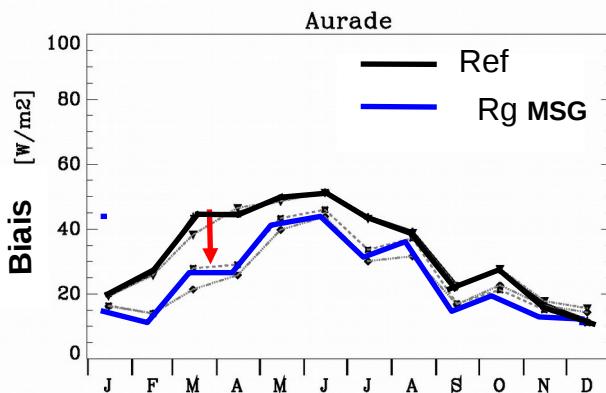
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Use of DSSF product for LSM (ONLINE)

land surface model: ISBA

2 experiments: SAFRAN atmospheric analysis (Ref)
or LSA-SAF DSSF (blue)

Difference statistics of Net Radiation (RN) over Aurade station based on ISBA simulations in using various forcing



- When satellite data are considered, the standard deviation of net radiation simulated with ISBA model can decease by 20 W.m^{-2} in comparison with ground-measurements.
- As many areas lack a high resolution meteorological forcing, the LSA-SAF radiative products provide new and valuable information.

Publication : D. Carrer, S. Lafont, J.-L. Roujean, J.-C. Calvet, C. Meurey, P. Le Moigne, and I. Trigo, 2011: *Incoming solar and infrared radiation derived from METEOSAT: impact on the modelled land water and energy budget over France*, J. Of Hydrometeorology.

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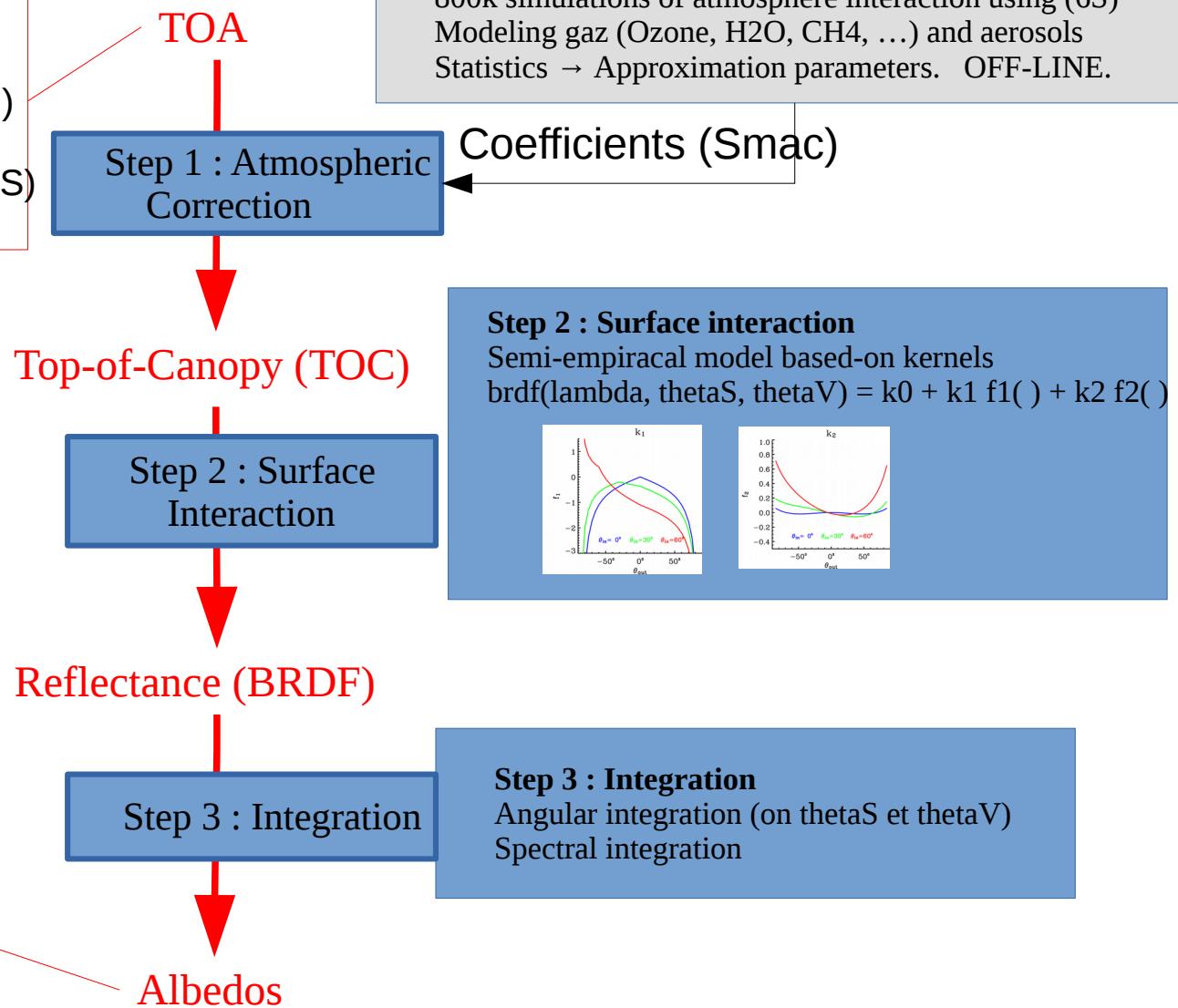
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Albedo Algorithm

Observations : TOA Top-of atmosphere

- 3 wavelenghts
(0,6 µm 0,8 µm et 1,6 µm)
- Multiple solar angles on 1 day (MSG)
- or
- Multiple view angles on 10 days (EPS)



Improve model parametrization

An additional kernel in the model allows direct aerosol modelling

$$\rho_{ToL}(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi, \tau) = \sum_{i=0}^3 k_i f'_i(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi, \tau)$$

- Surface contribution**

$$f'_{i=0,2}(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi, \tau) = \frac{T_a(\theta_s, \tau) T_a(\theta_v, \tau)}{1 - S_a(\tau) \langle \rho_s \rangle} f_i(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi)$$

$$T_a(\theta, \tau) = e^{-\tau/\mu} + \tau e^{-u-v\tau-w\tau^2}$$

$$S_a(\tau) = \tau (ae^{-\tau/\alpha} + be^{-\tau/\beta} + c)$$

u, v, w depend on $\mu \wedge g$

a, b, c, α , β are constant, parameterized by g

Kokhanovsky et al., 2005

$$f_0(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi) = 1$$

$$f_1(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} [(\pi - \phi) \cos \phi + \sin \phi] - \frac{1}{\pi} (\tan \theta_s + \tan \theta_v + \sqrt{\tan \theta_{s^2} + \tan \theta_{v^2} - 2 \tan \theta_s \tan \theta_v \cos \phi})$$

$$f_2(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi) = \frac{4}{3\pi} \frac{1}{\mu_s + \mu_v} \left[\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \xi \right) \cos \xi + \sin \xi \right] - \frac{1}{3}$$

Roujean et al., 1992

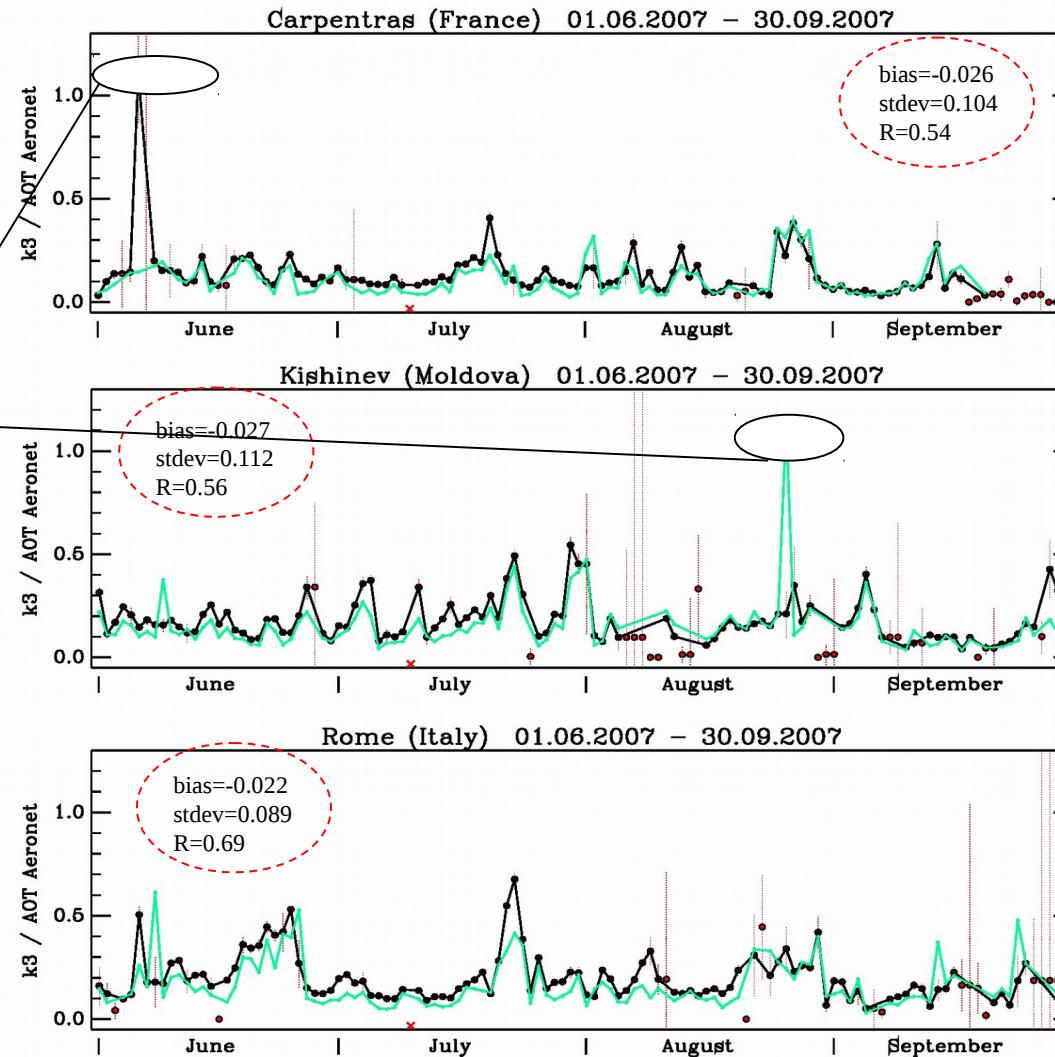
- Direct aerosols contribution**

$$f'_3(\theta_s, \theta_v, \phi, \tau) = \frac{\omega_0 P(\Theta)}{4\mu_s \mu_v} \frac{1 - e^{-m\tau}}{m\tau} f_{ms}(\tau)$$

$$f_{ms}(\tau) = 1 + \frac{\tau(7-\tau)}{5}$$

Rozanov and Kokhanovsky, 2006

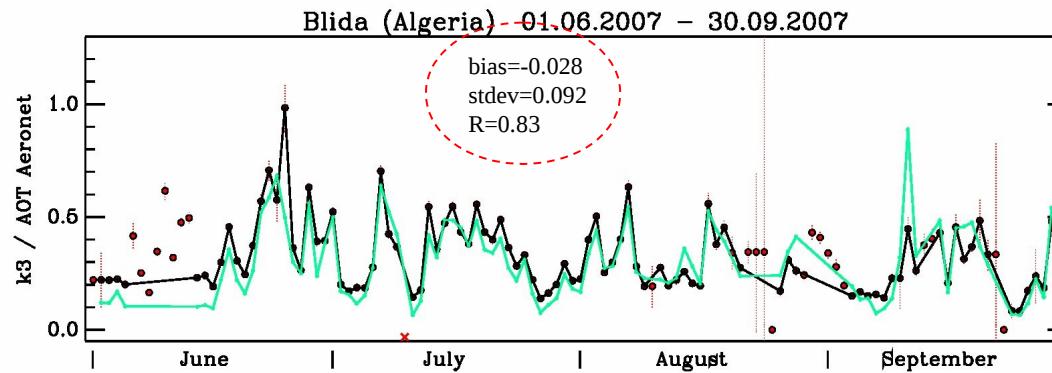
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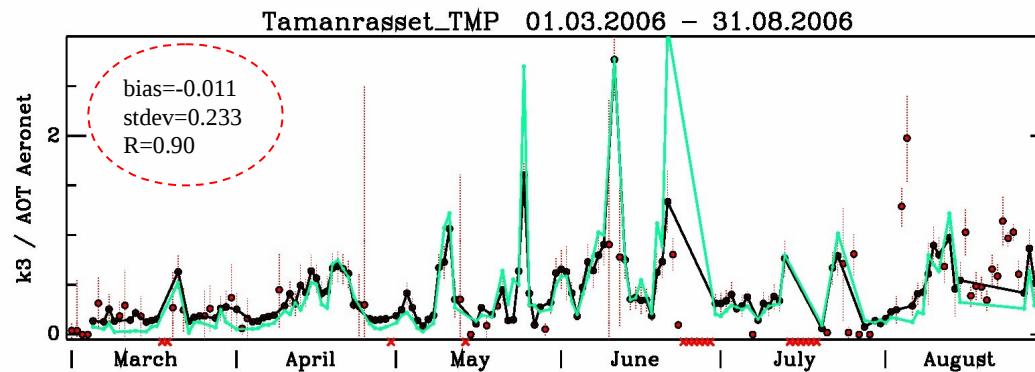
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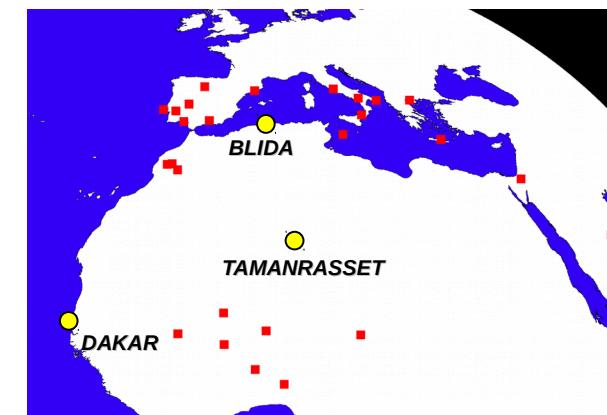
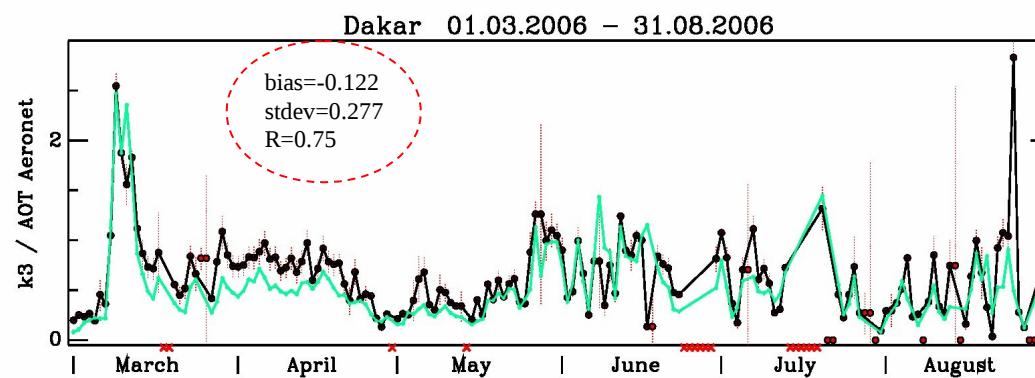
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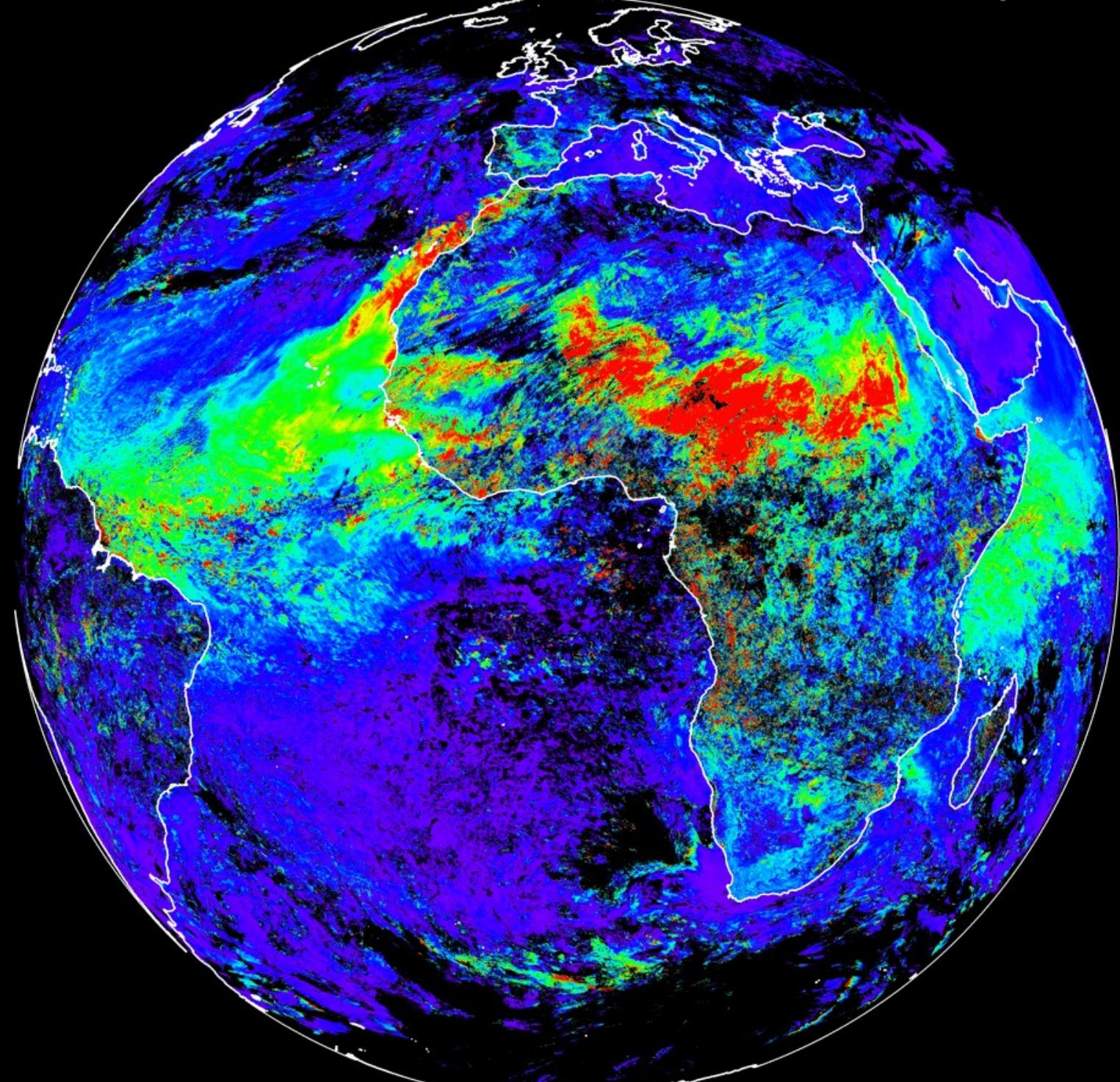


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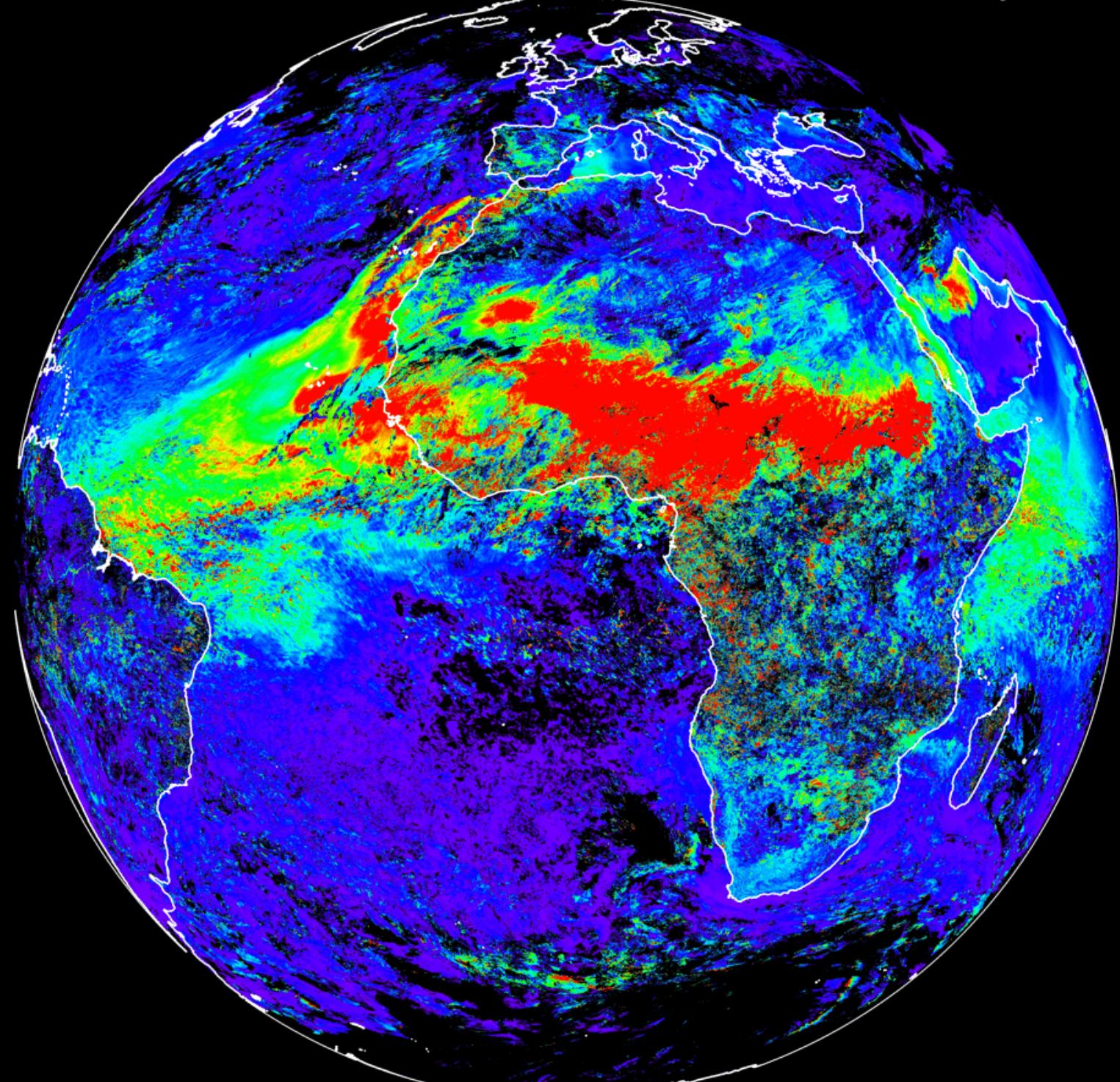




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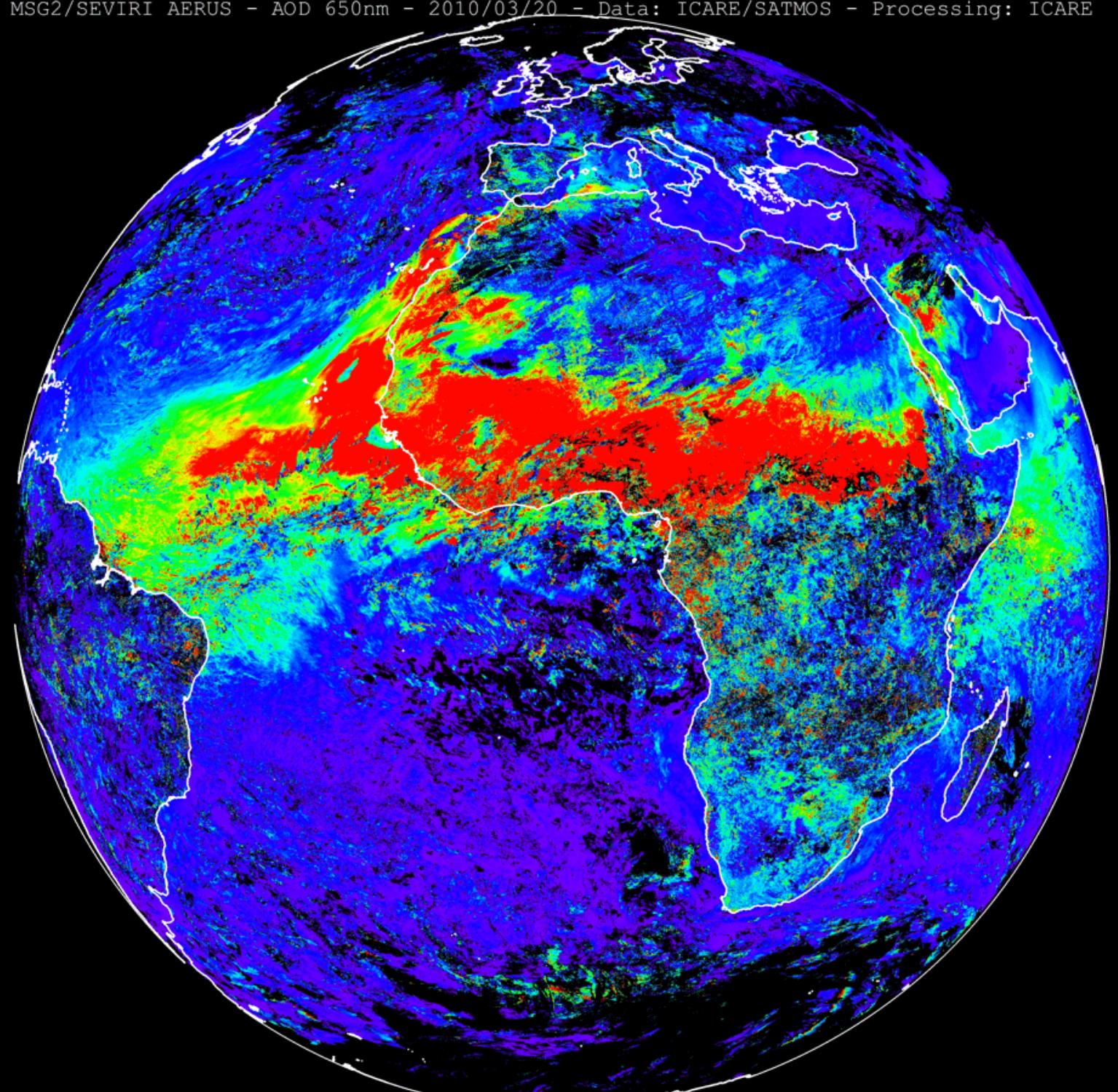


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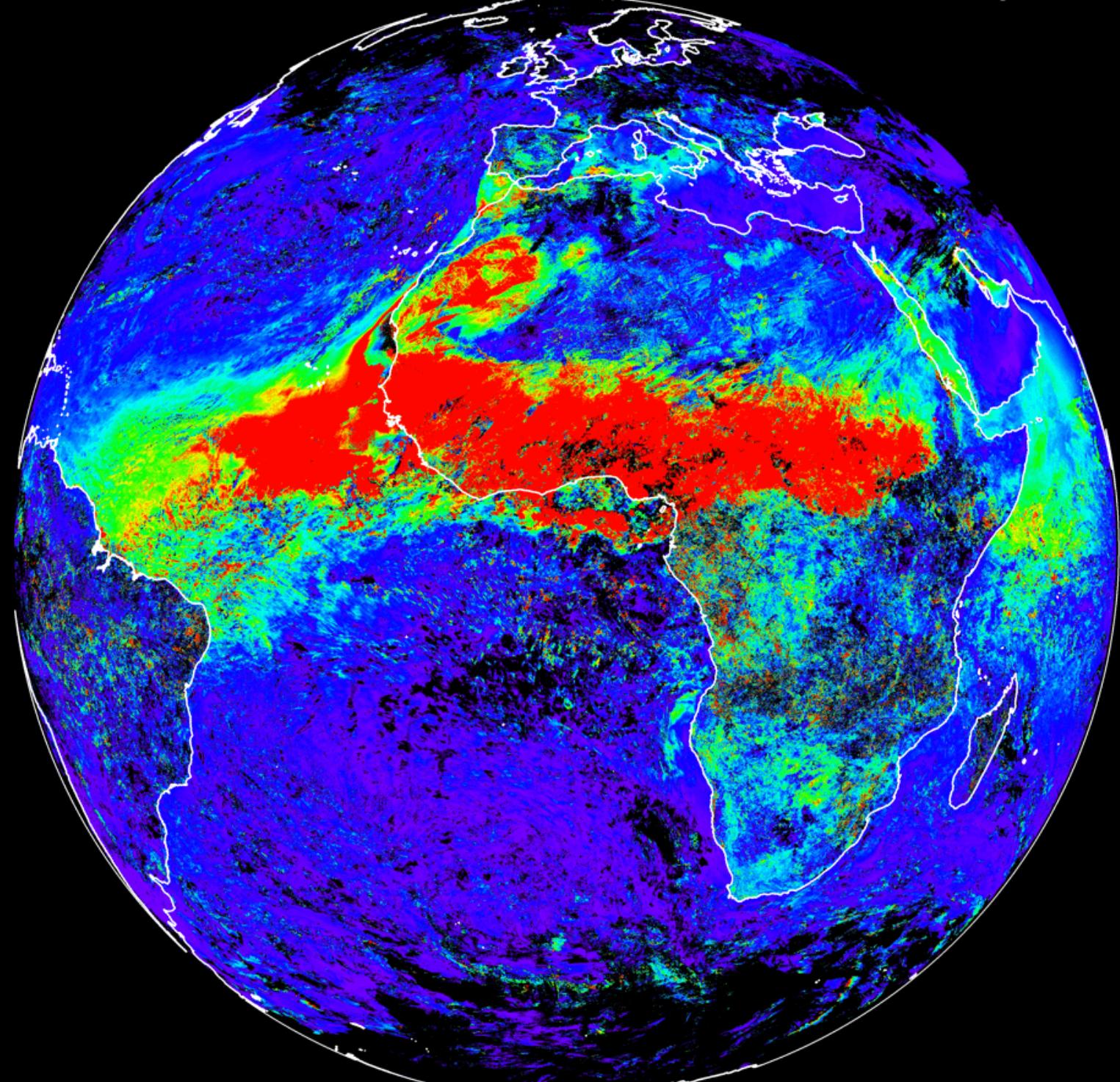
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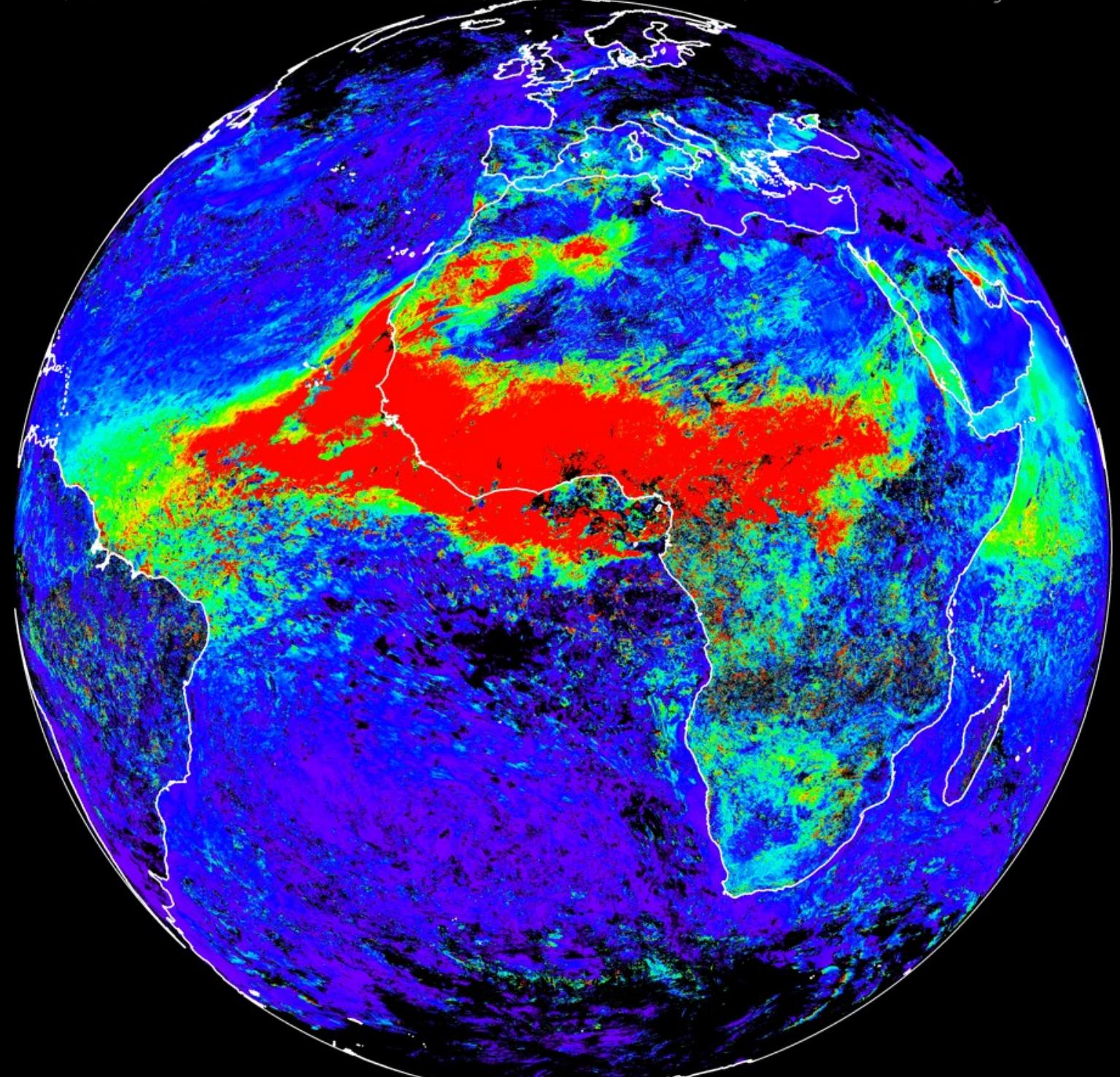


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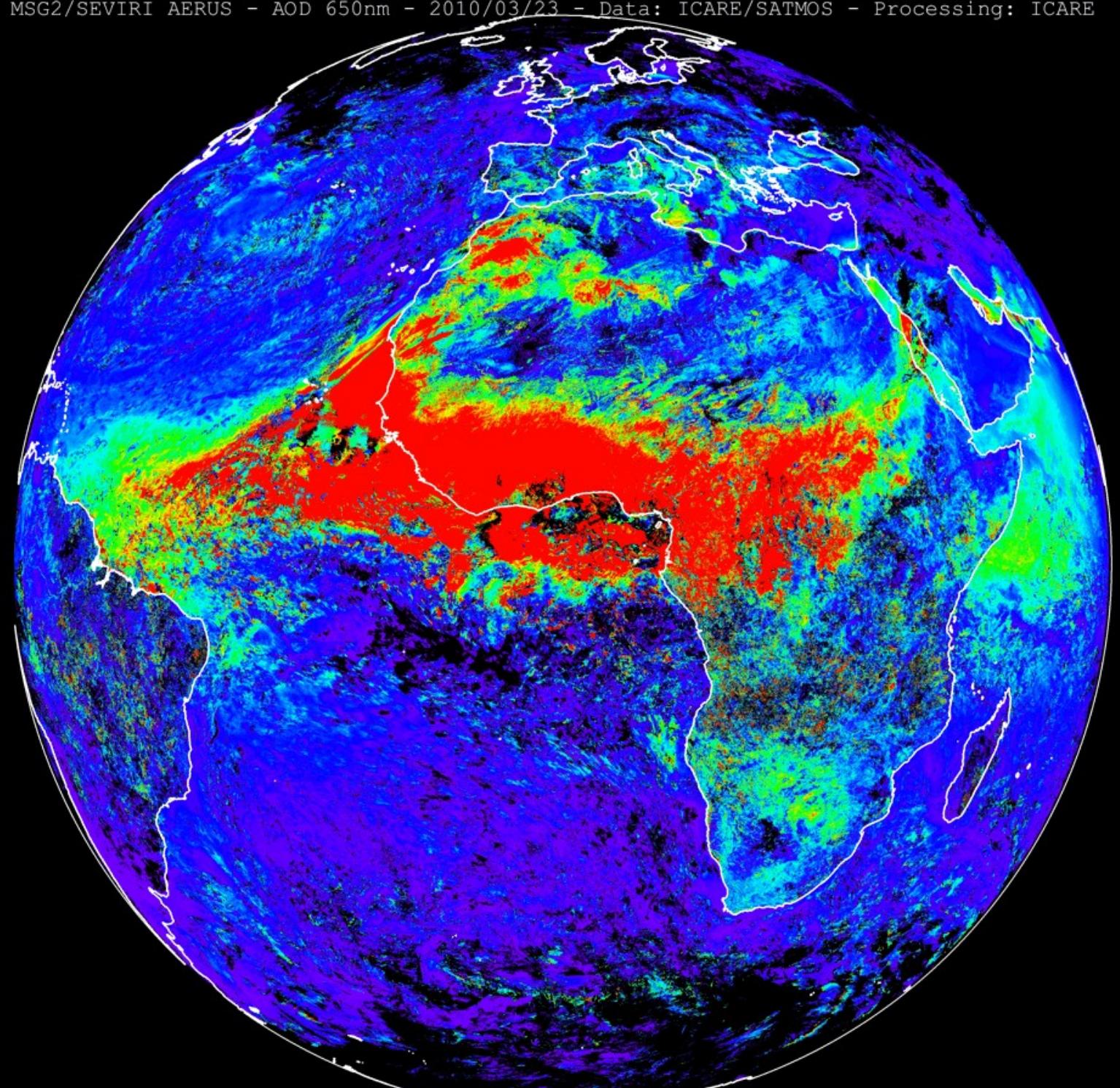




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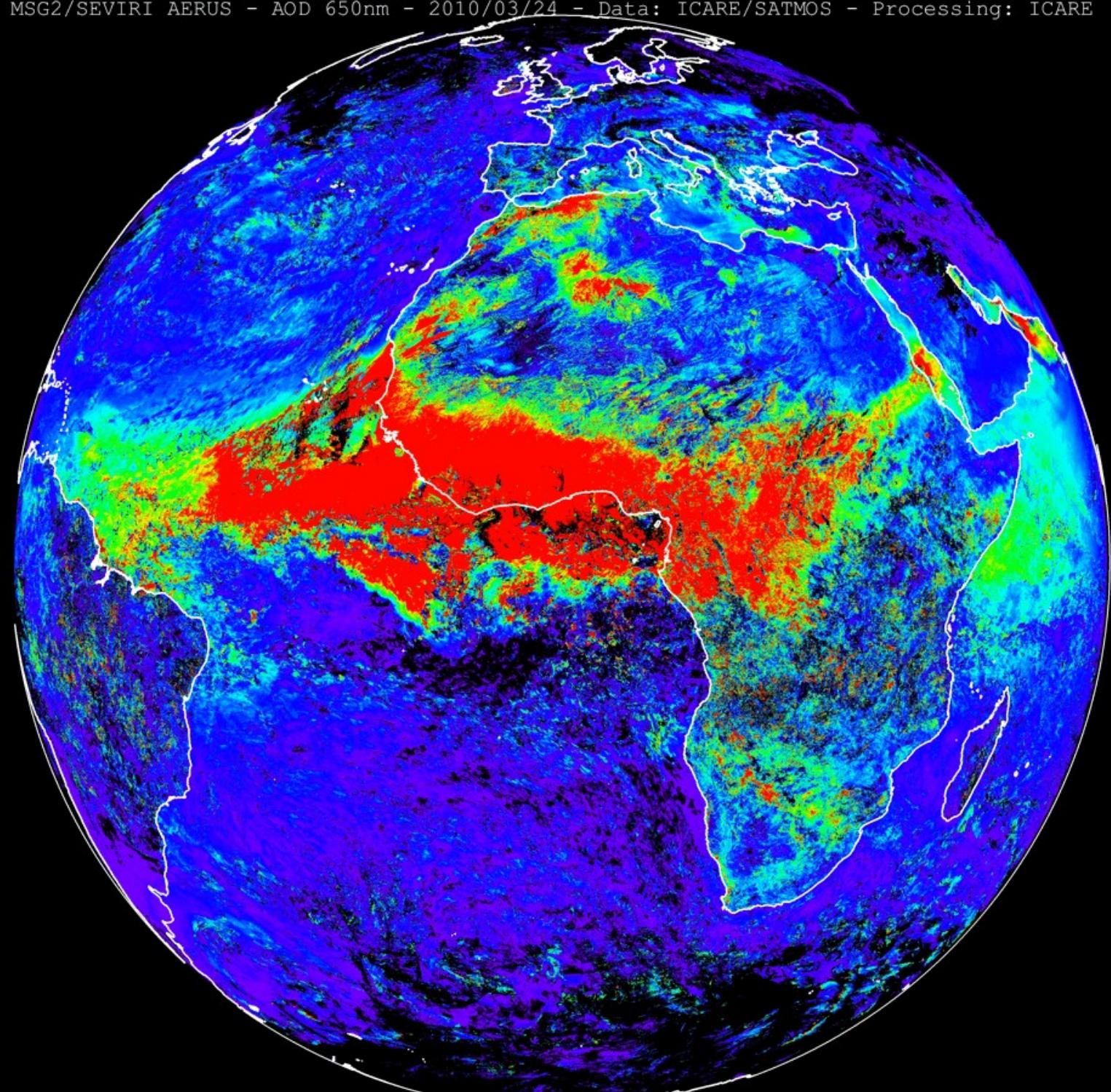




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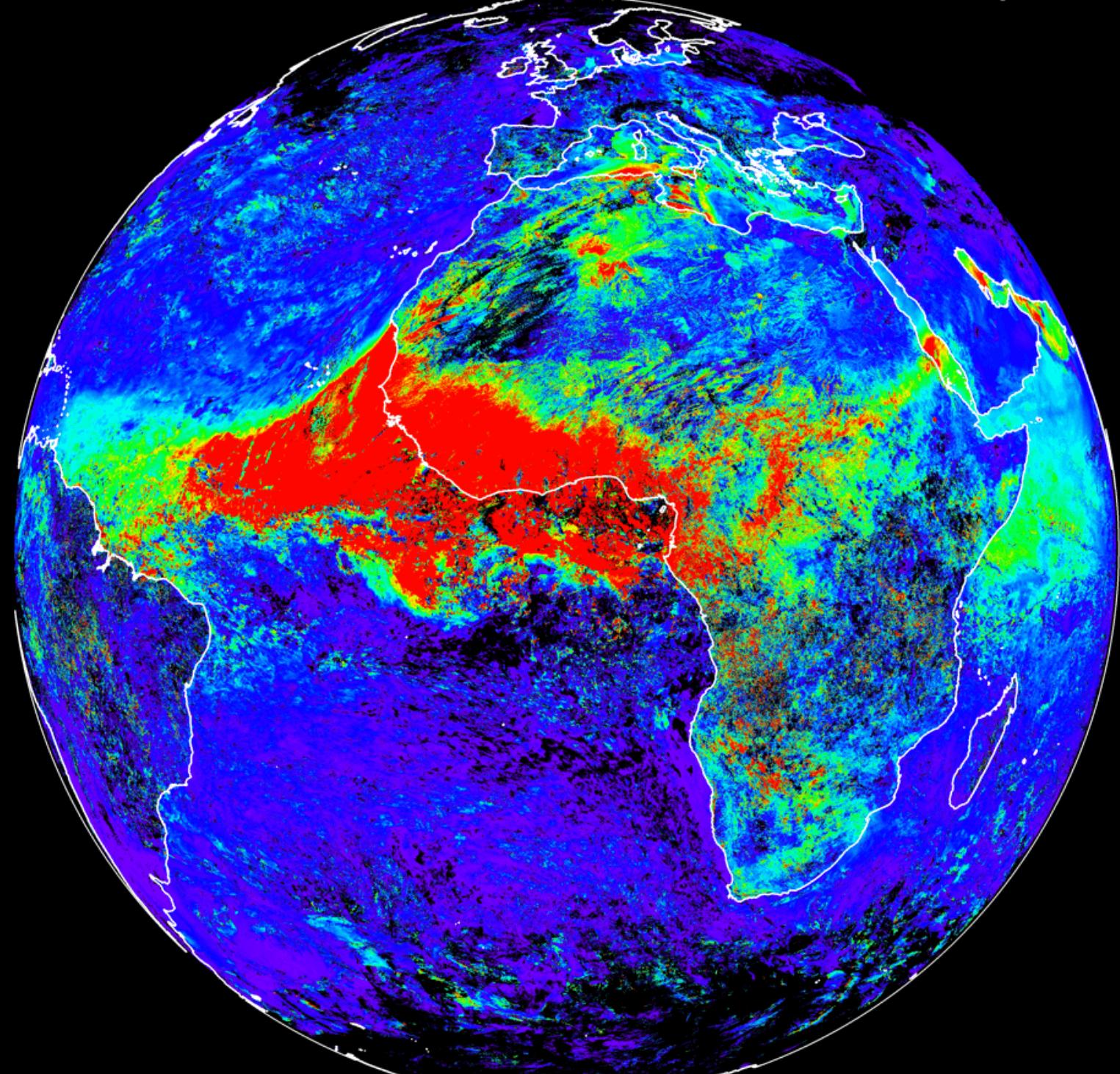




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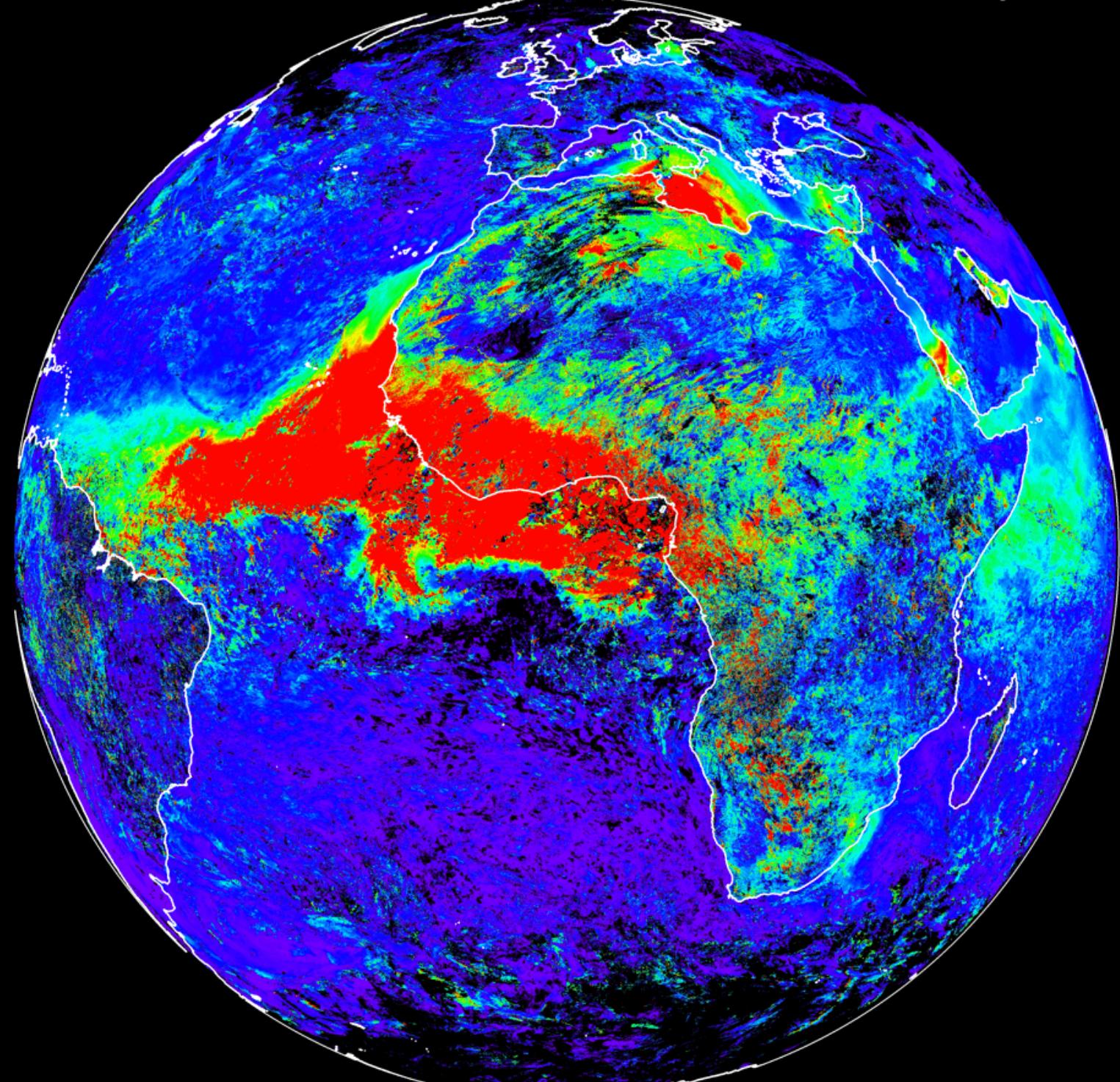




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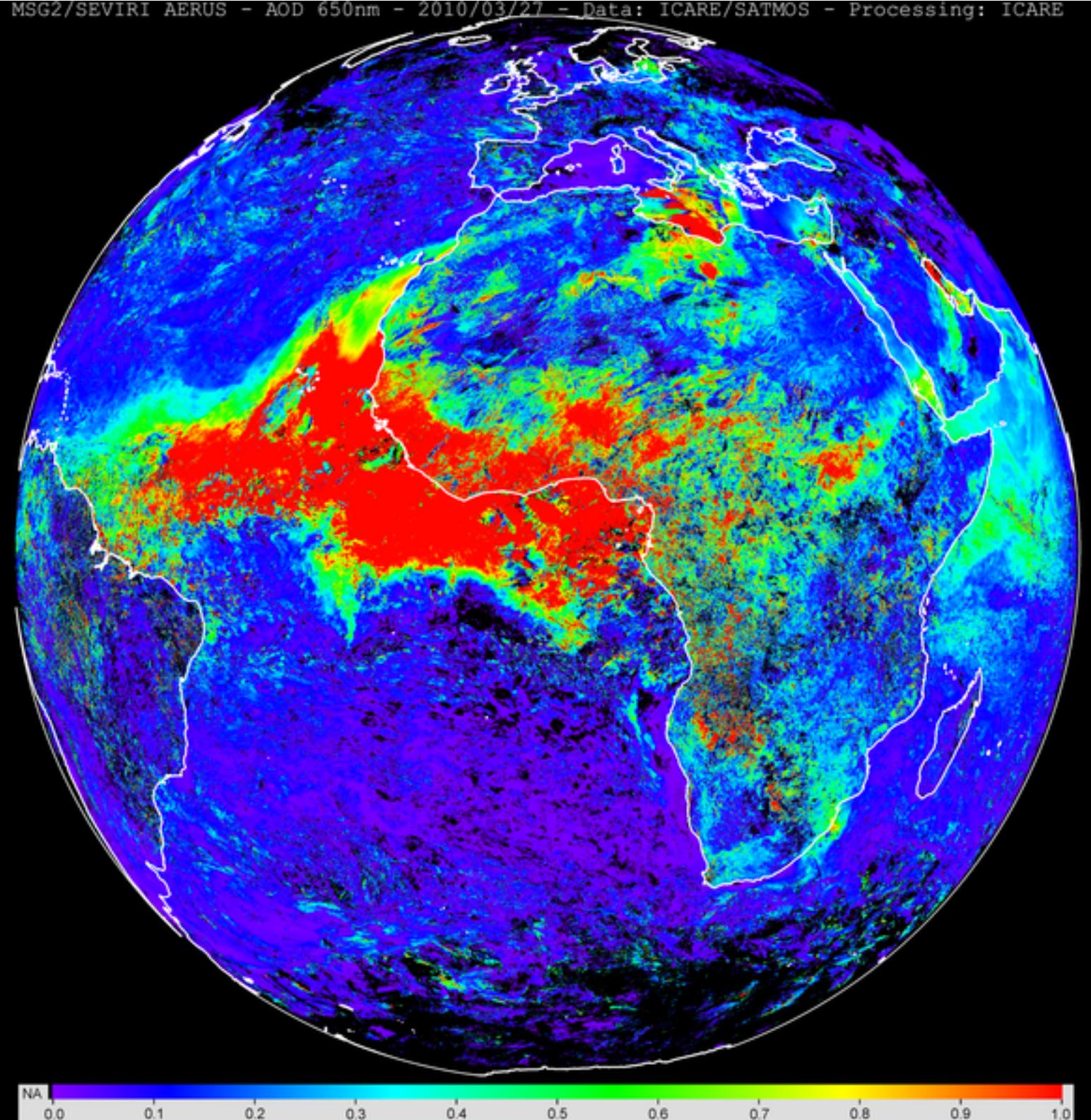




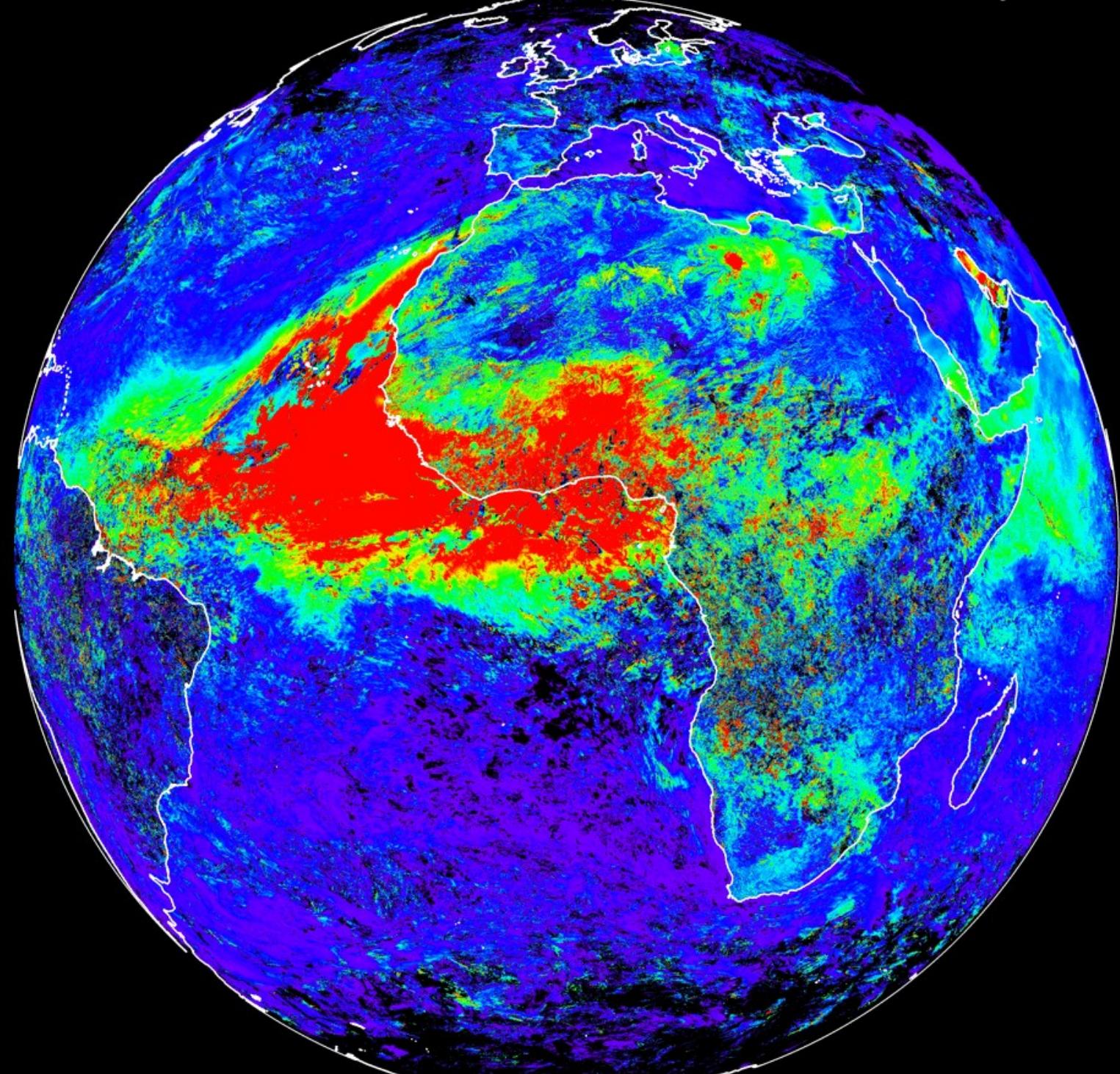
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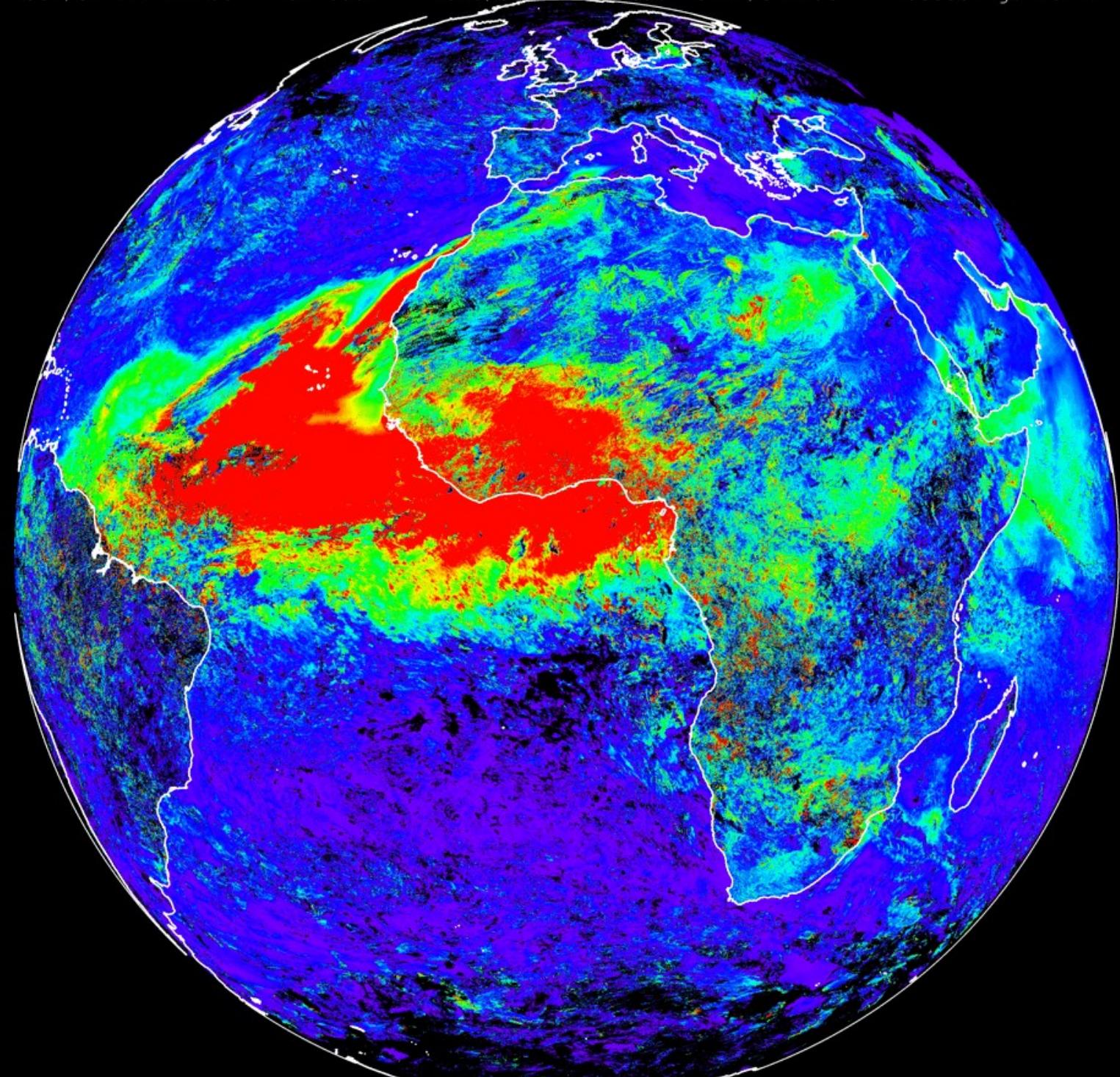
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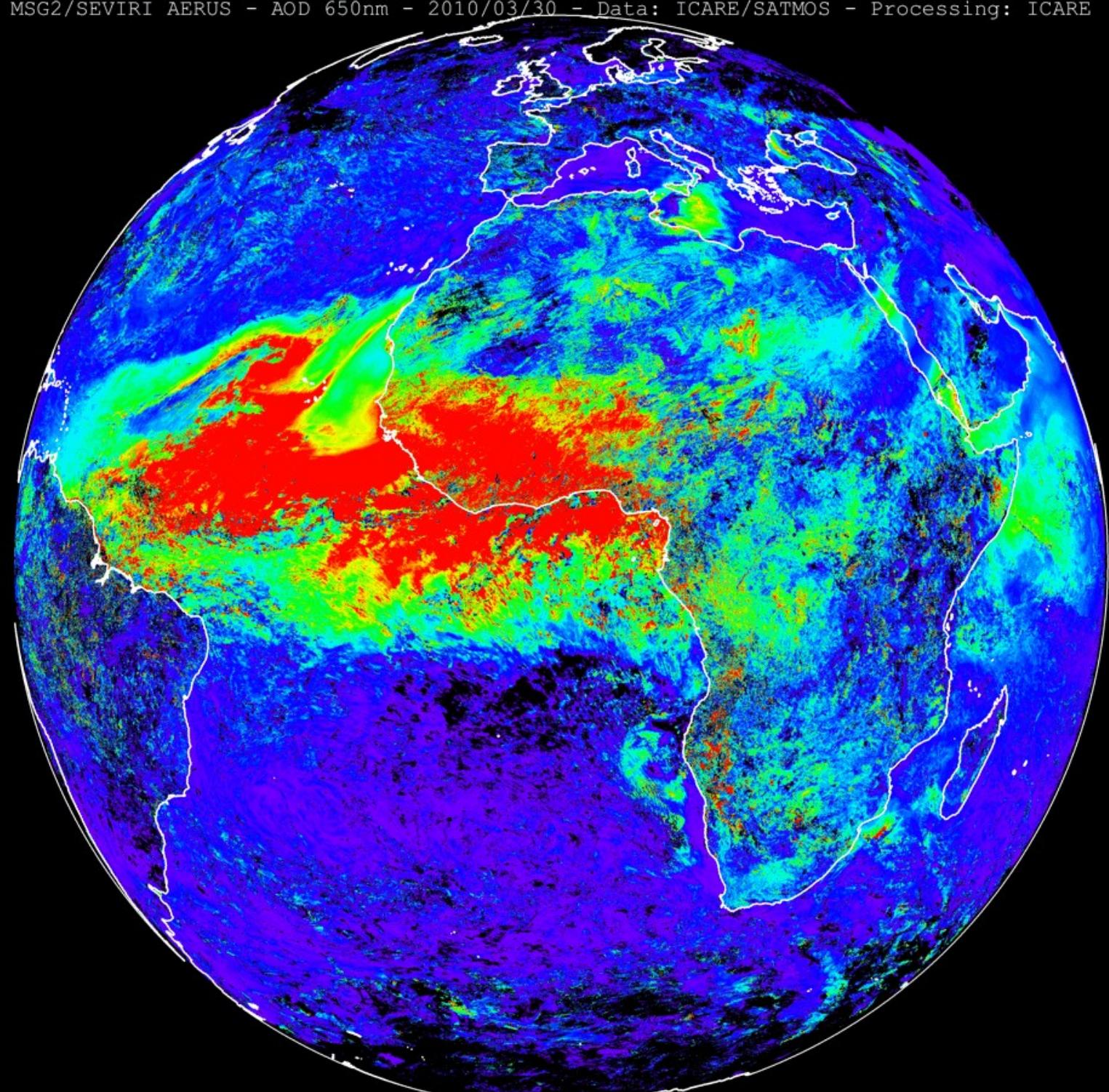




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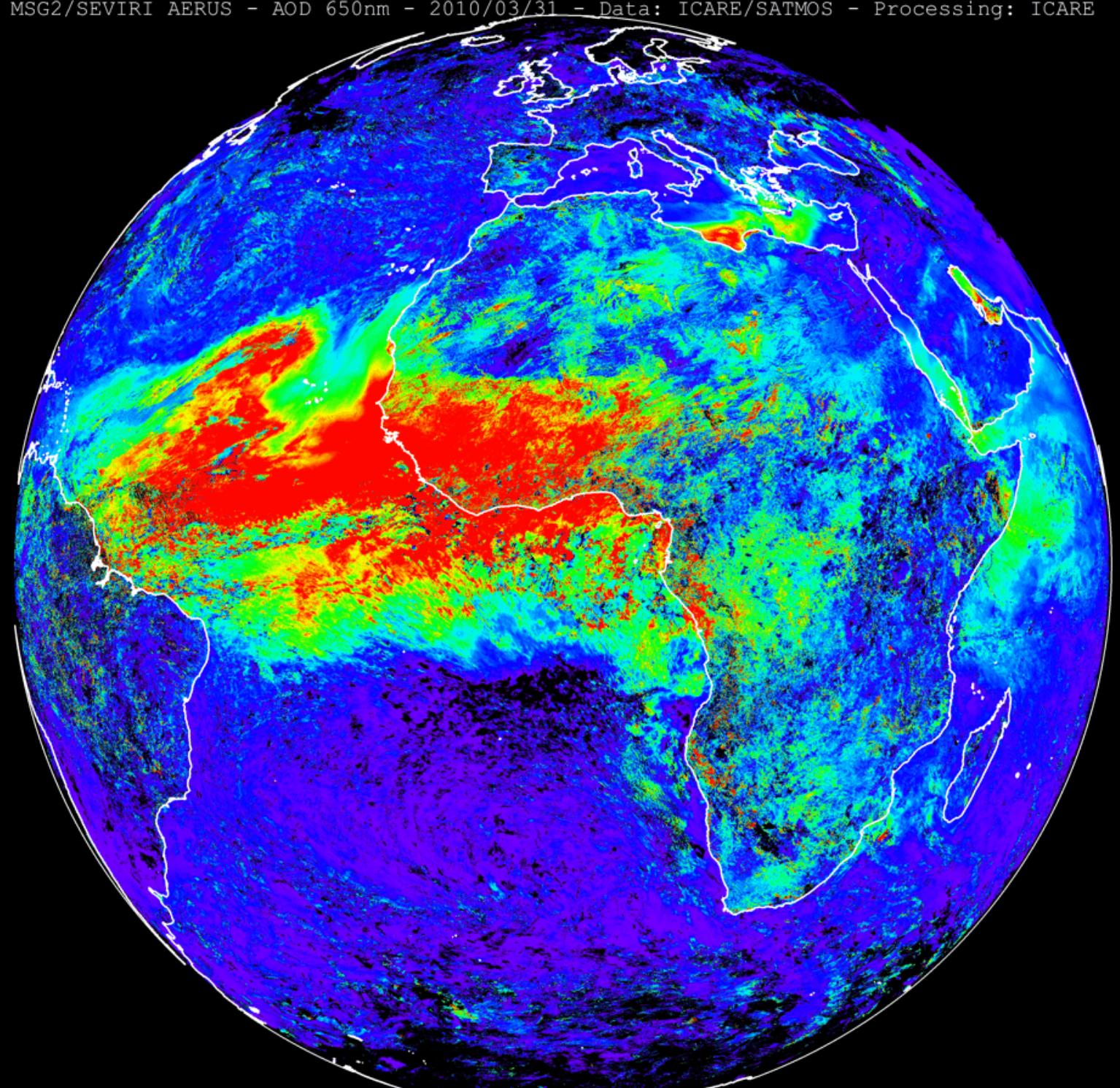
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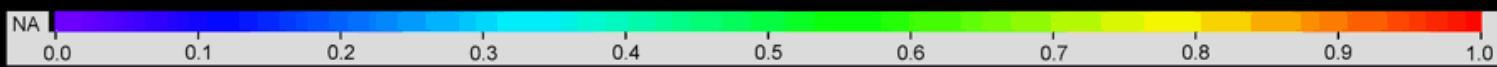
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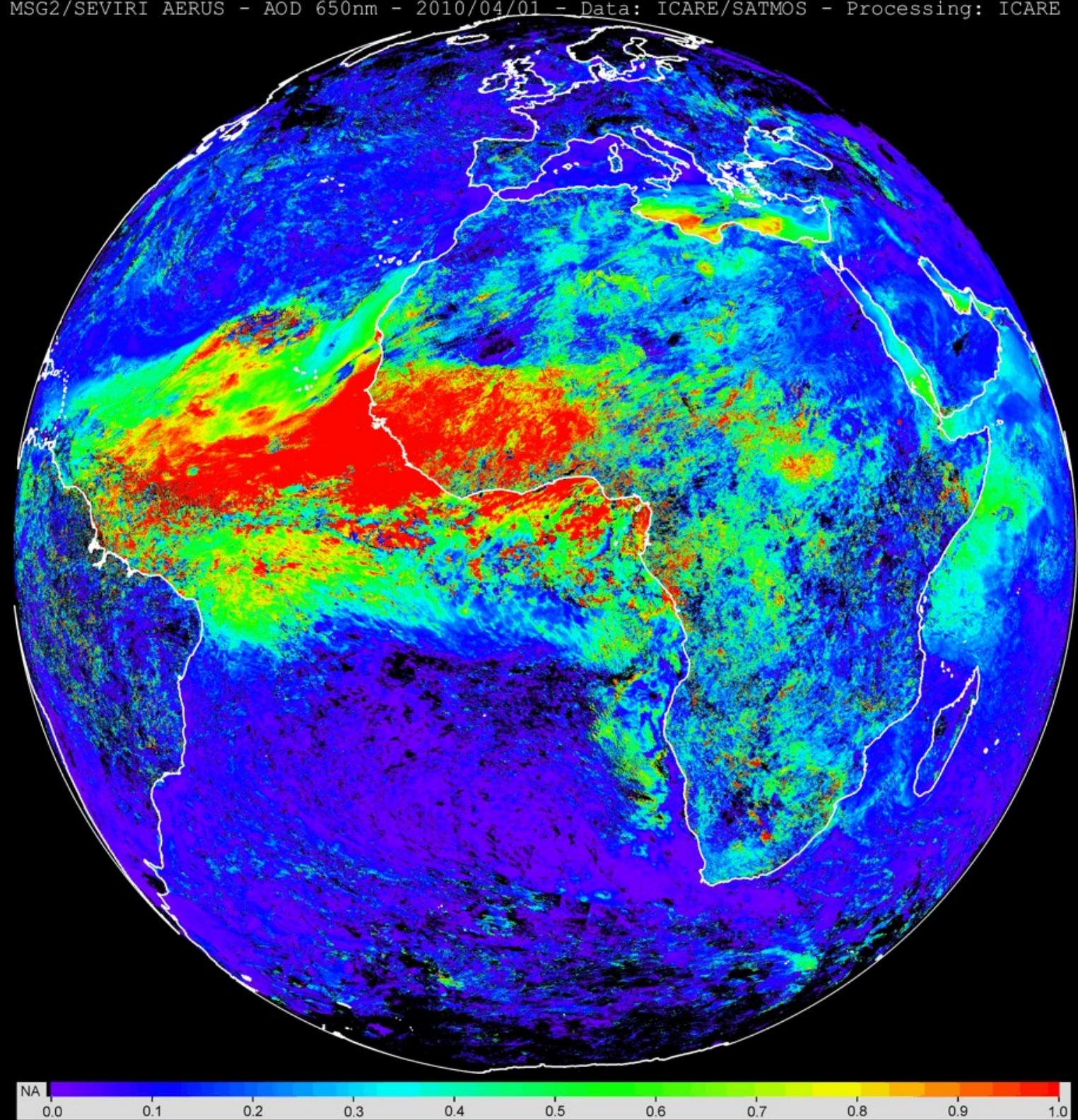


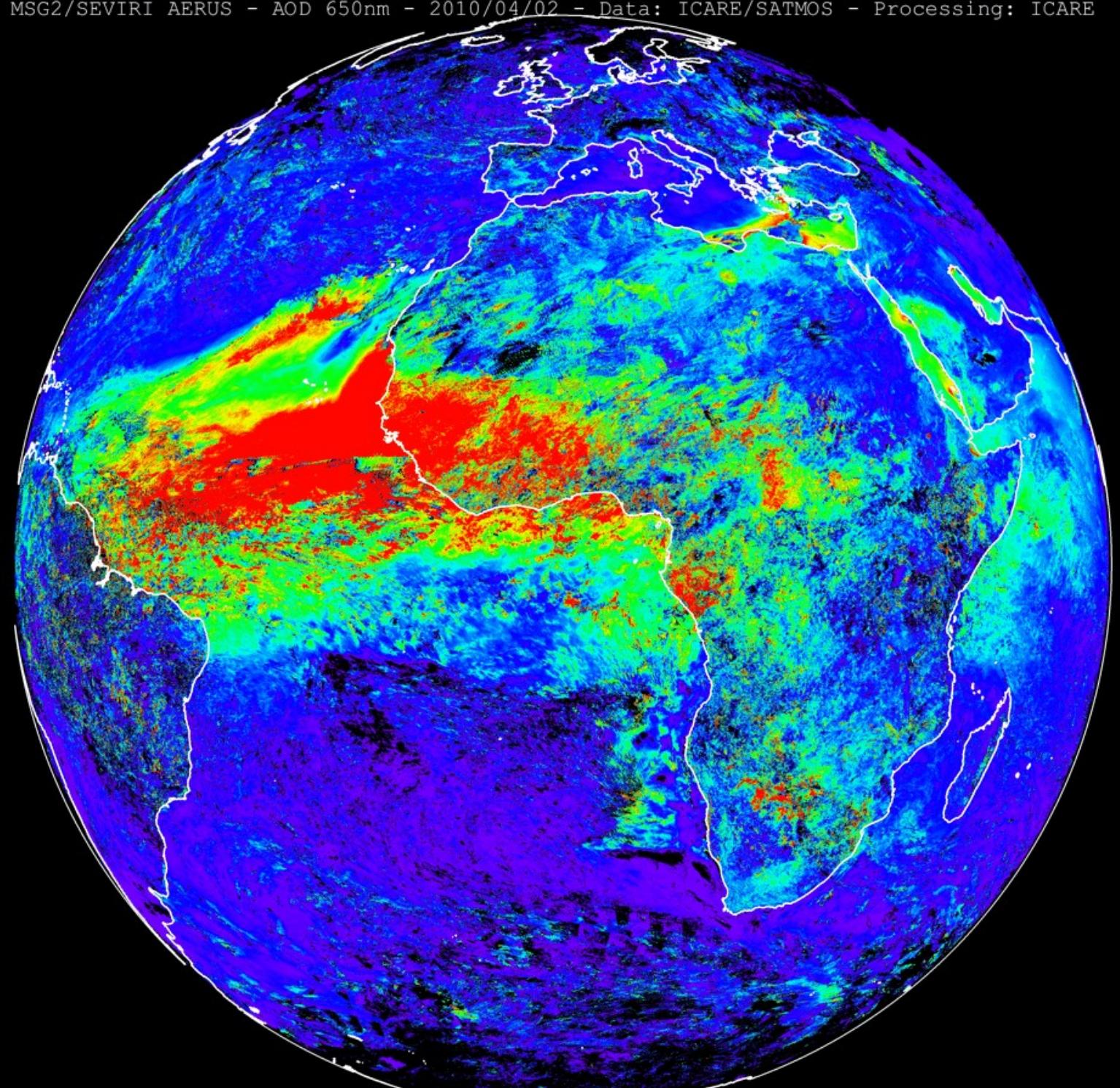


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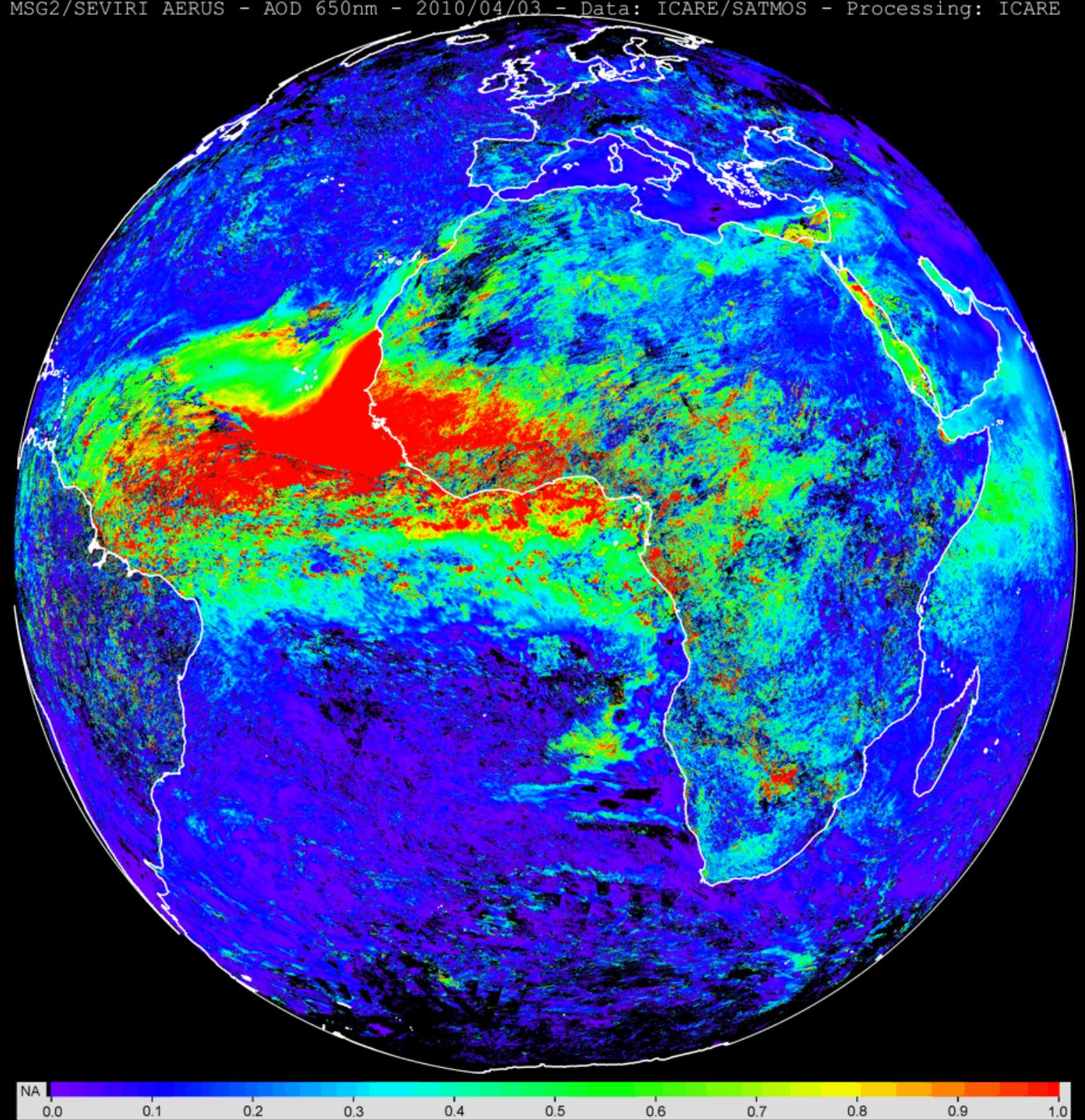


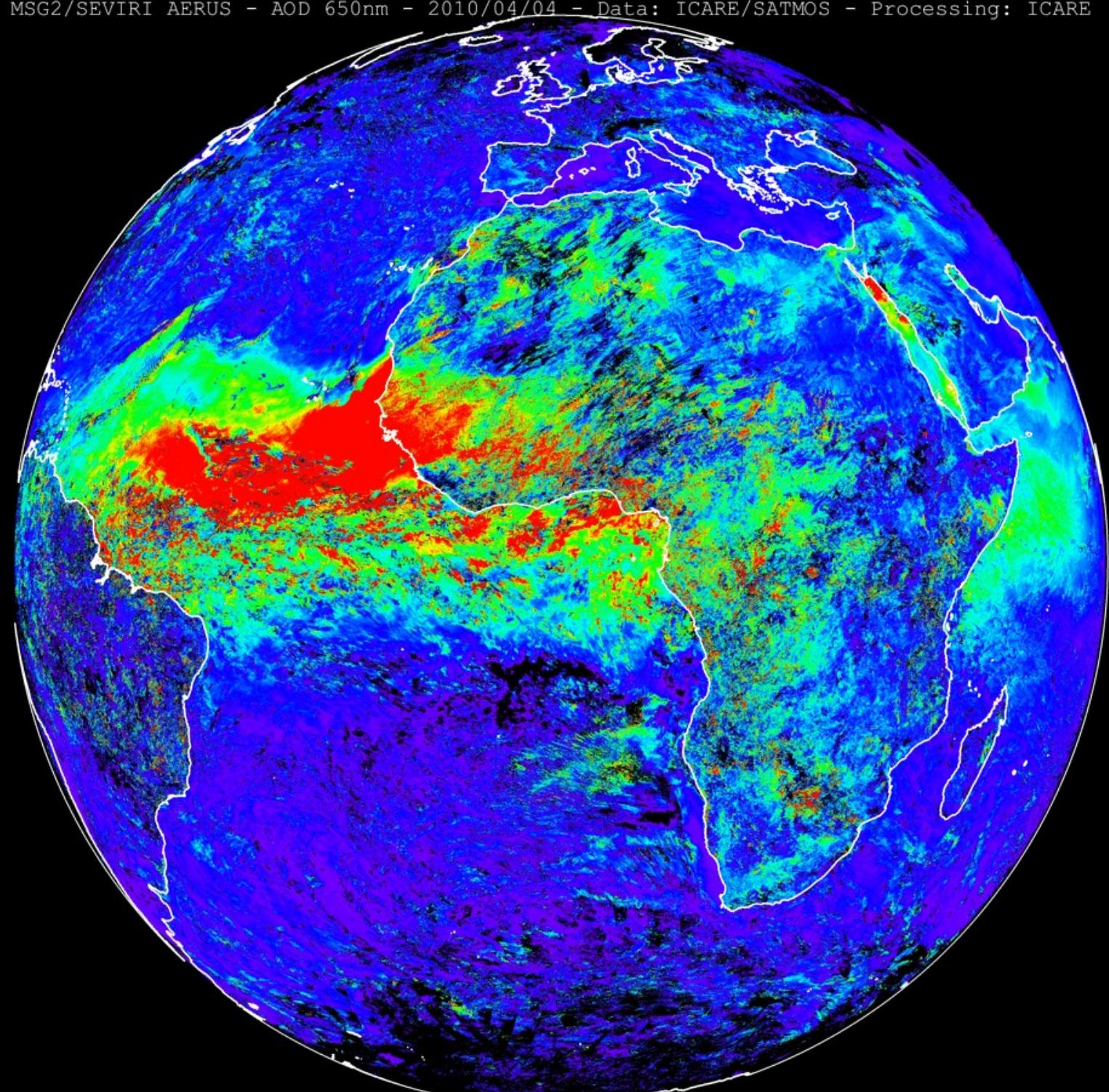


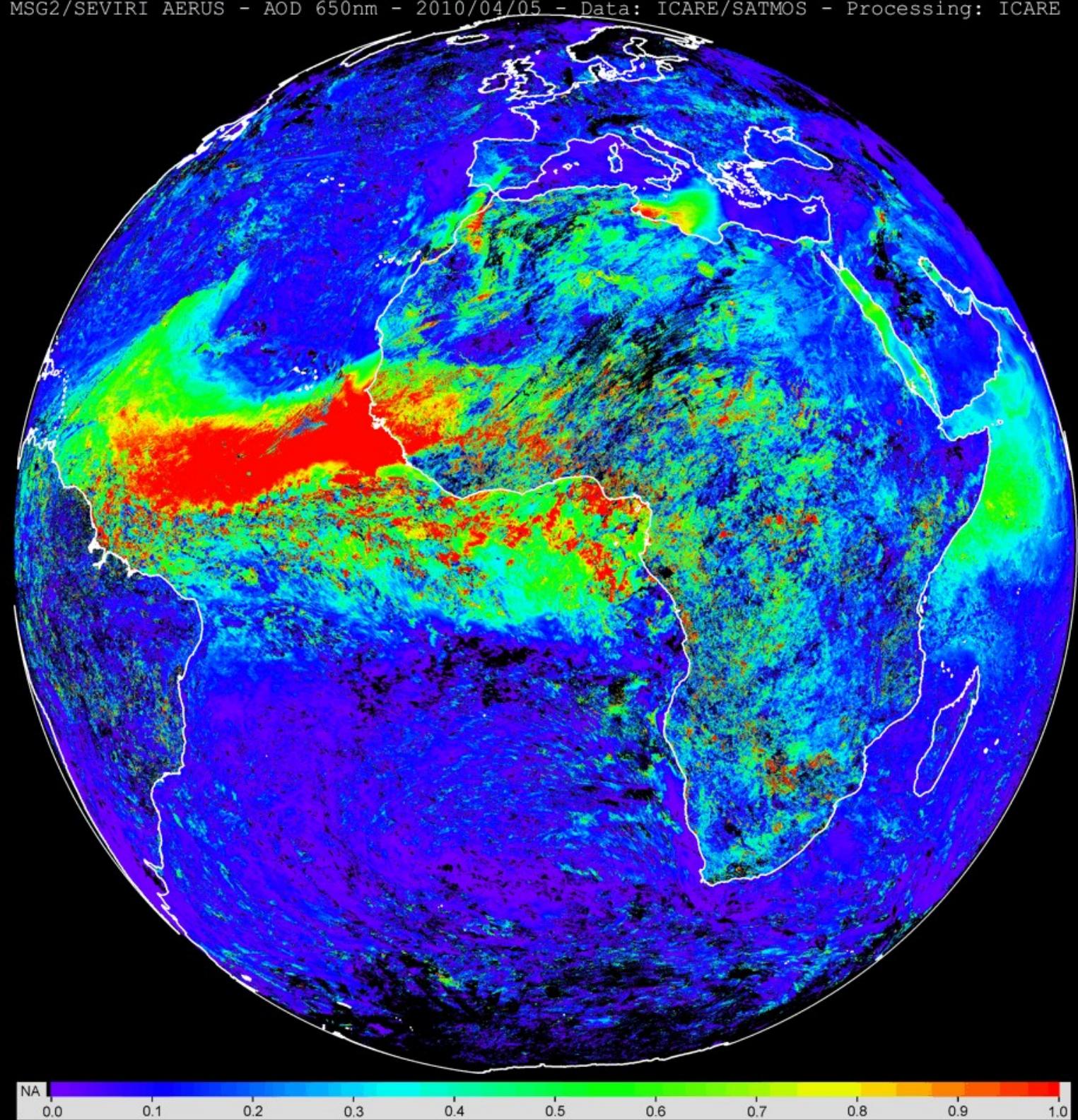


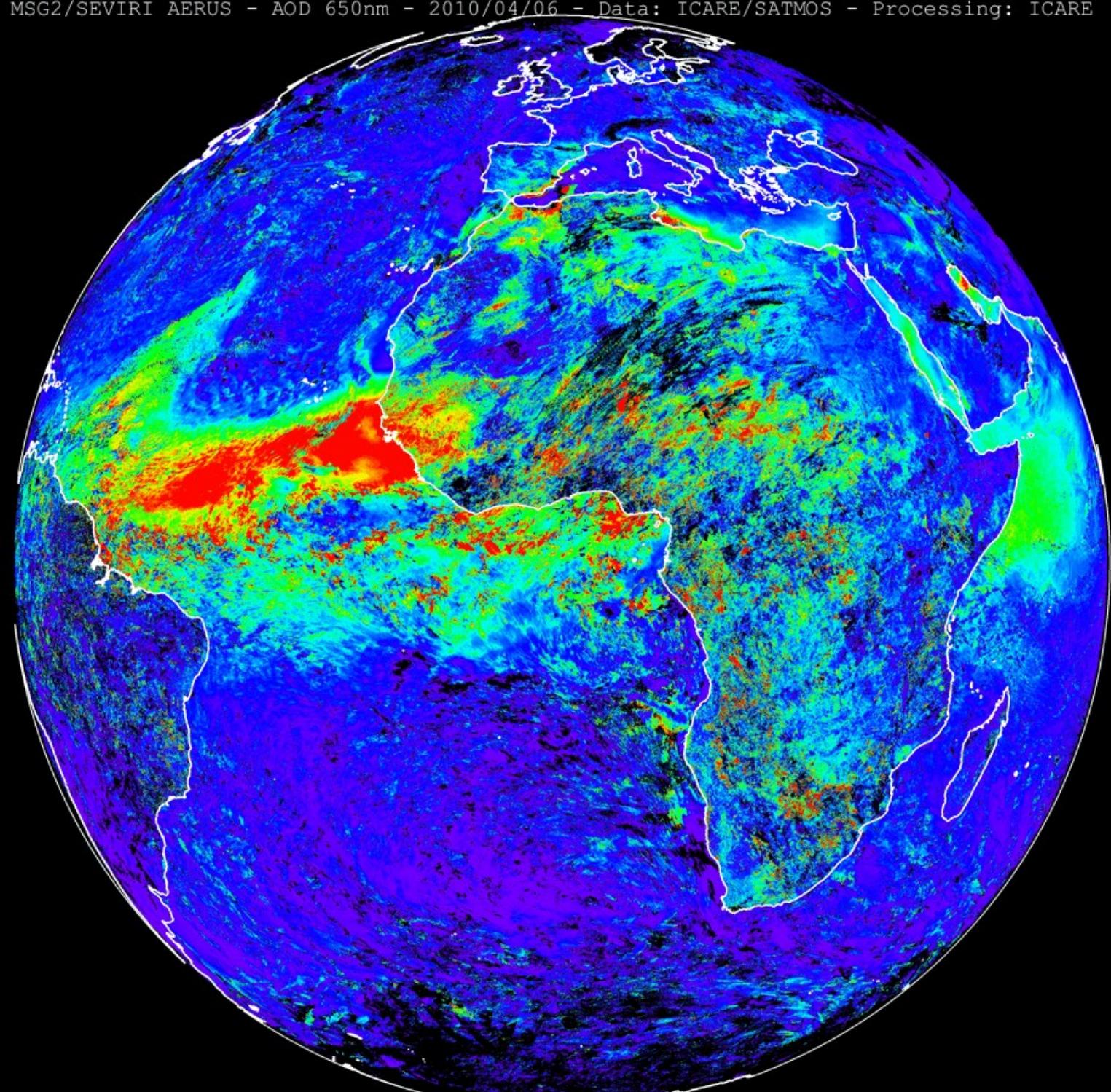
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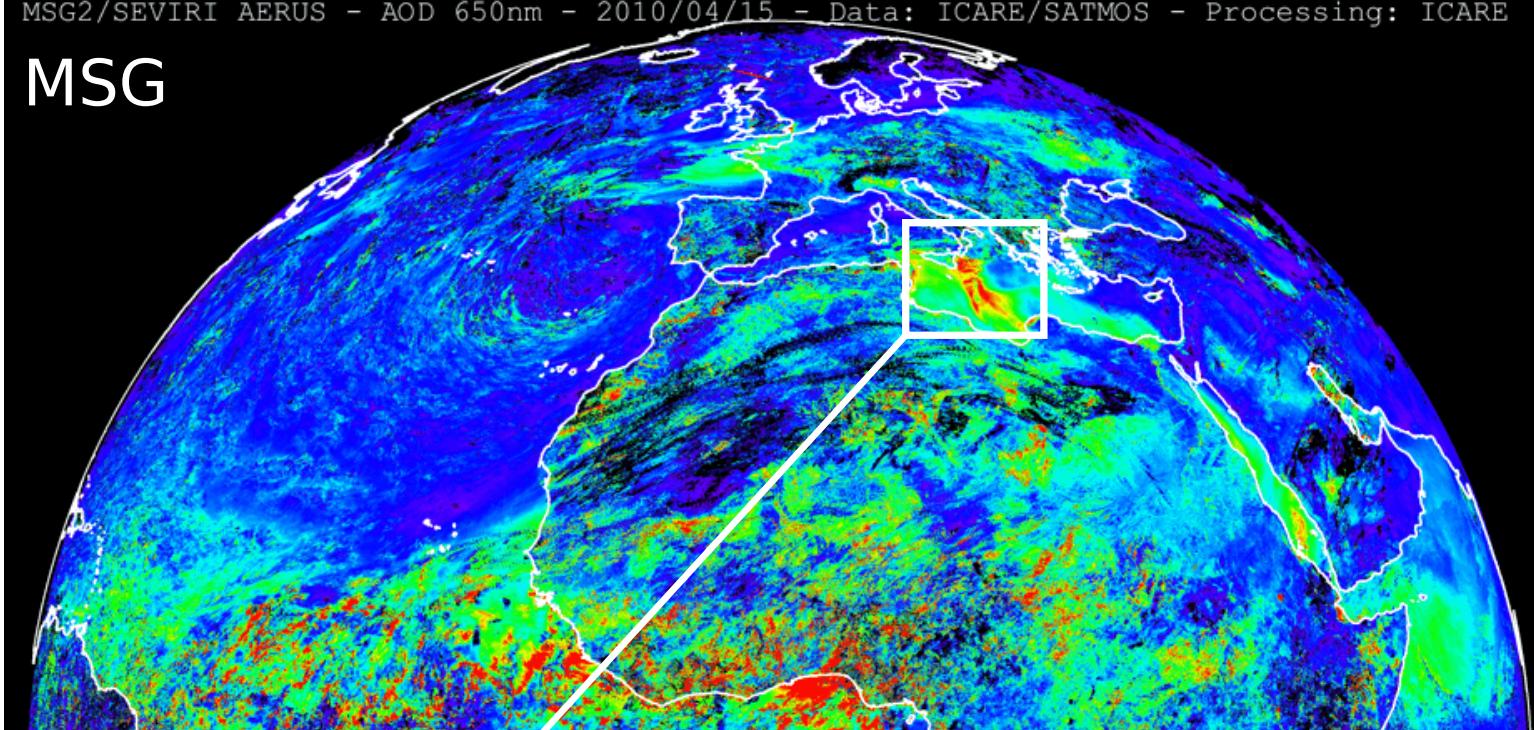




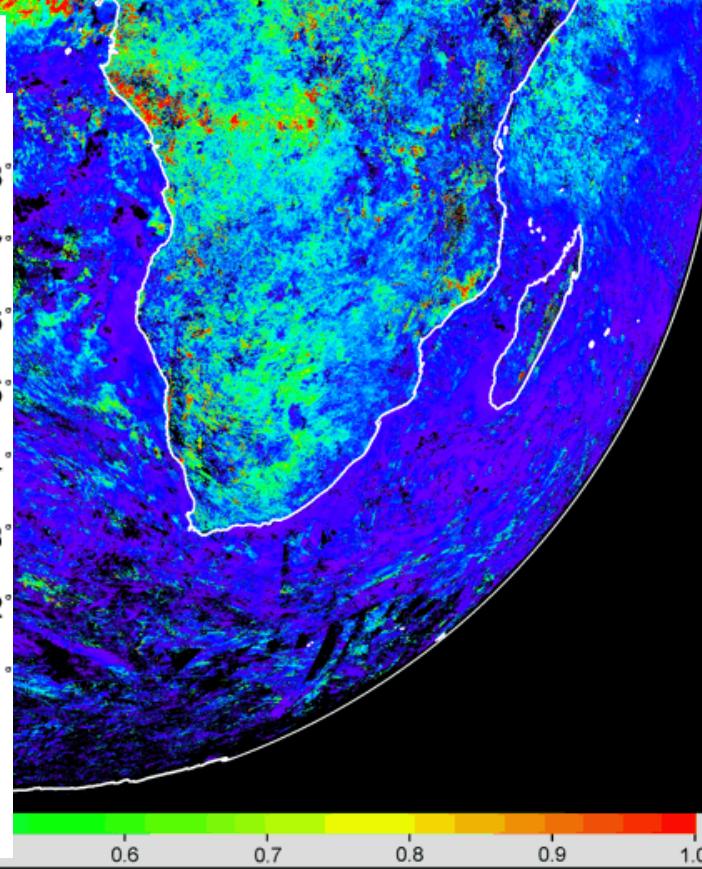
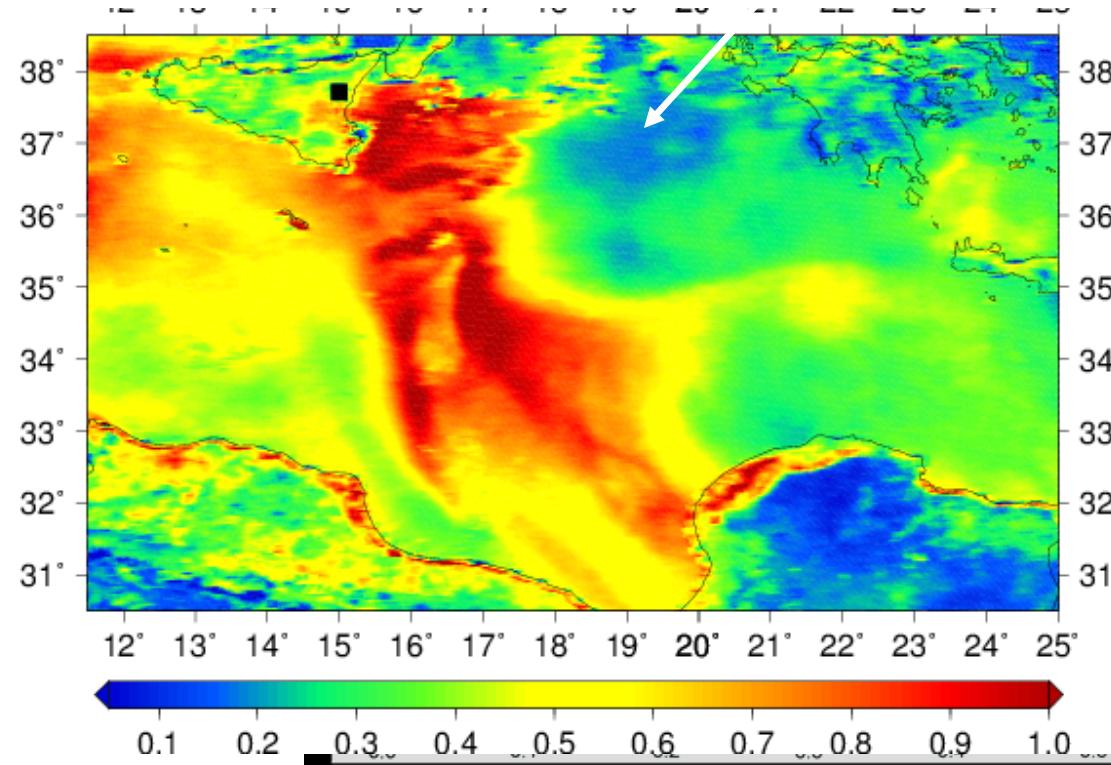
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Etna volcano activity



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