



MAGICC/SCENGEN: User-friendly software for GCM inter-comparisons, climate scenario development and uncertainty assessment.

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THE MAGICC/SCENGEN SOFTWARE : PURPOSES

- Climate scenario development for non-expert users and integrated assessment modelling
 - ‘Hands on’ education for climate change issues
 - Access to climate model and observed climate data bases
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THE MAGICC/SCENGEN SOFTWARE

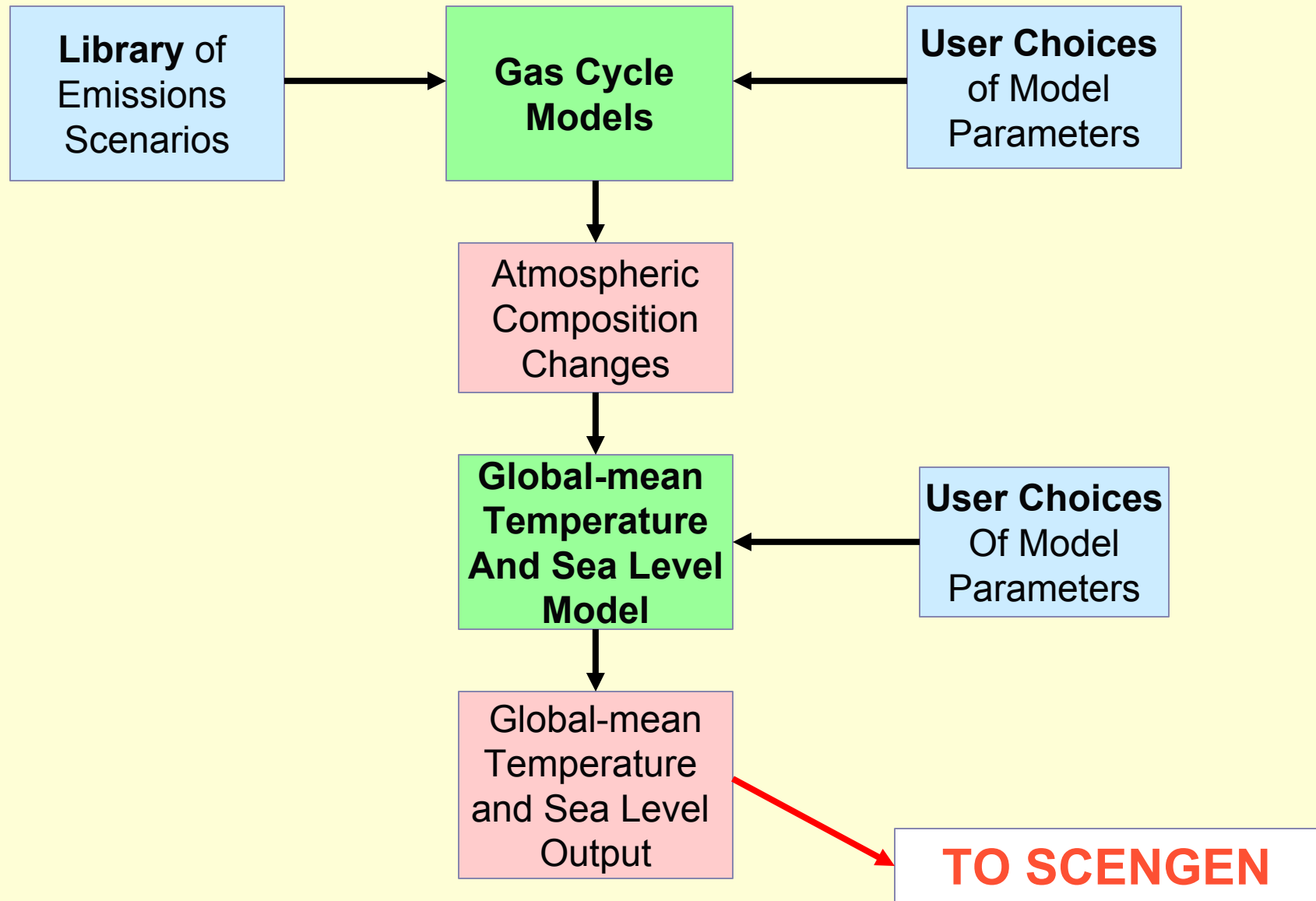
Global-mean component : Model for the
Assessment of Greenhouse-gas Induced
Climate Change (MAGICC)

Regional climate component : SCENario
GENerator (SCENGEN)

[Developed by Tom Wigley, GUI by Seth McGinnis; funded by EPA through Stratus Consulting]



THE MAGICC/SCENGEN SOFTWARE : MAGICC



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**Global-mean Temperature
from MAGICC**

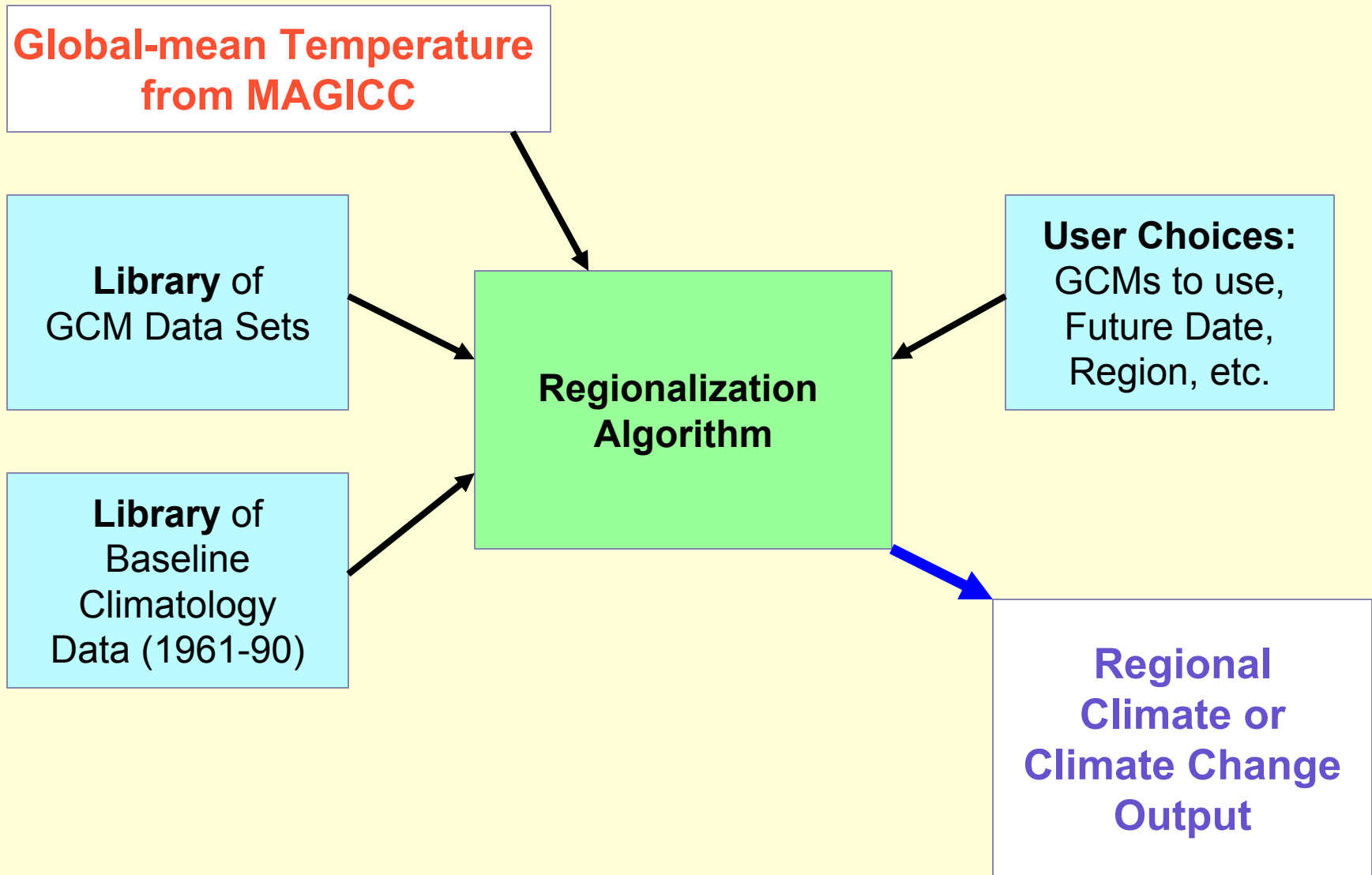
**Library of
GCM Data Sets**

**Library of
Baseline
Climatology
Data (1961-90)**

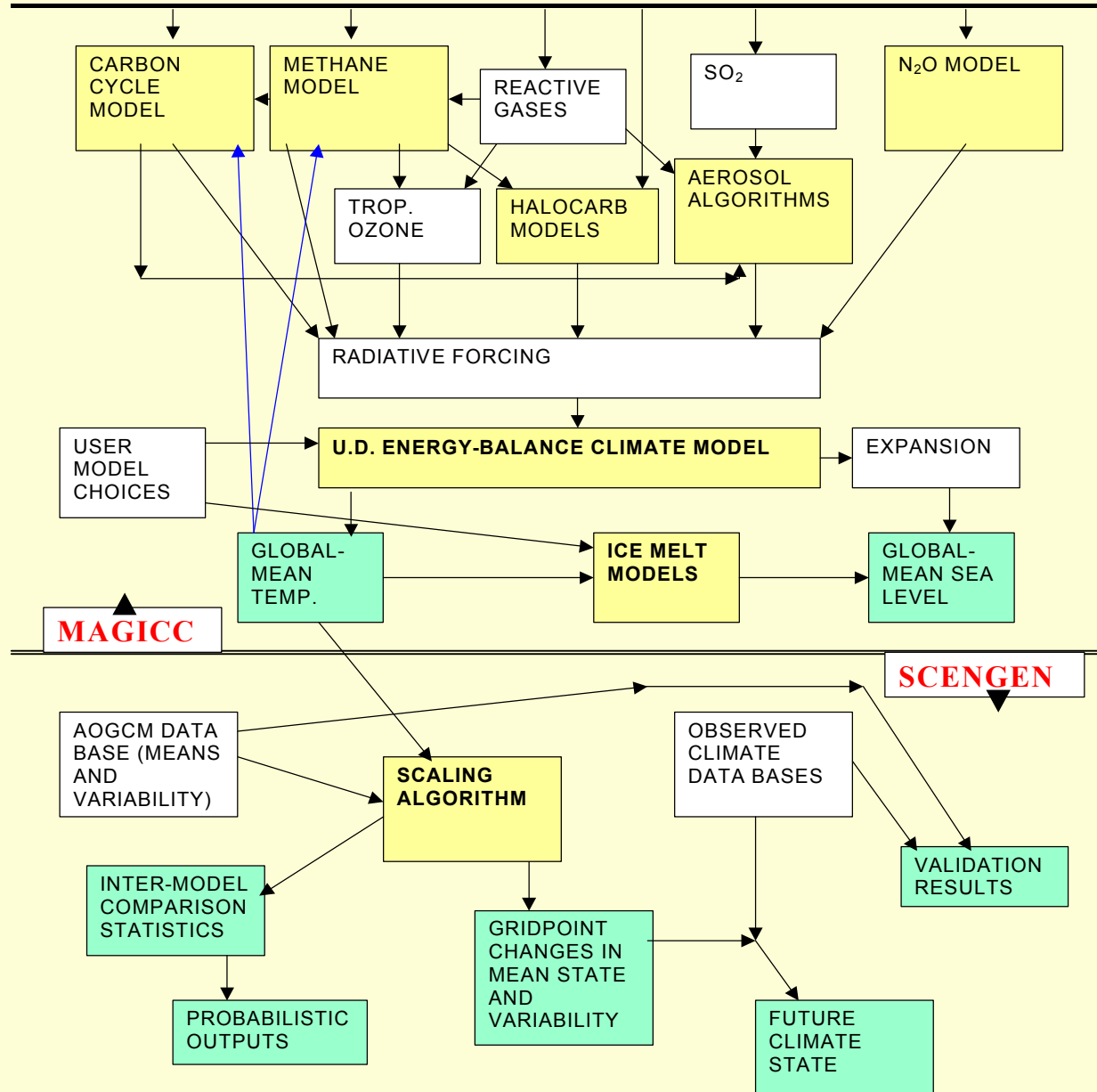
**Regionalization
Algorithm**

**User Choices:
GCMs to use,
Future Date,
Region, etc.**

**Regional
Climate or
Climate Change
Output**



EMISSIONS INPUT (SCENARIO LIBRARY)





PRIMARY INPUT : EMISSIONS SCENARIOS

GASES CONSIDERED:

CO₂

CH₄

N₂O

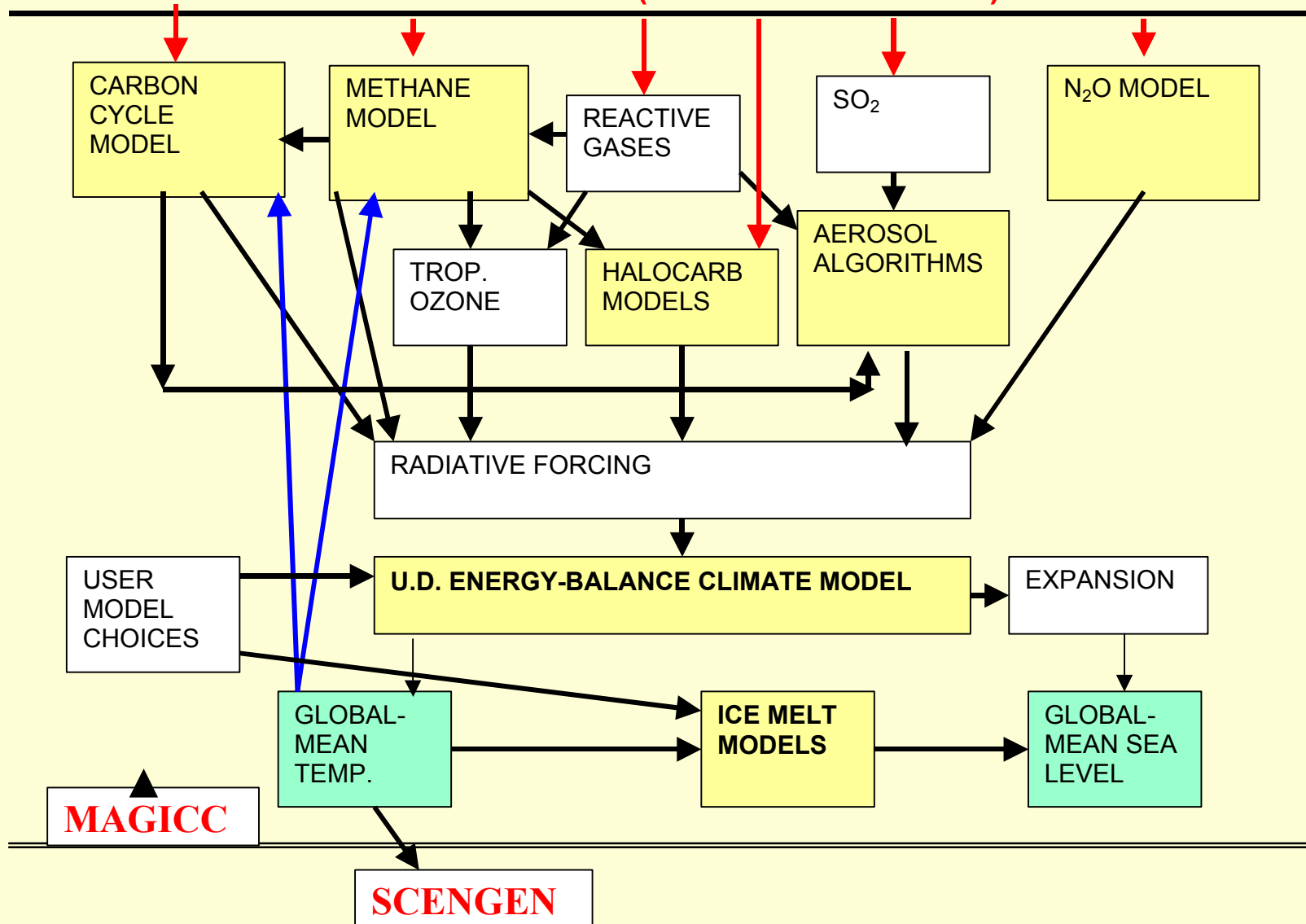
SO₂

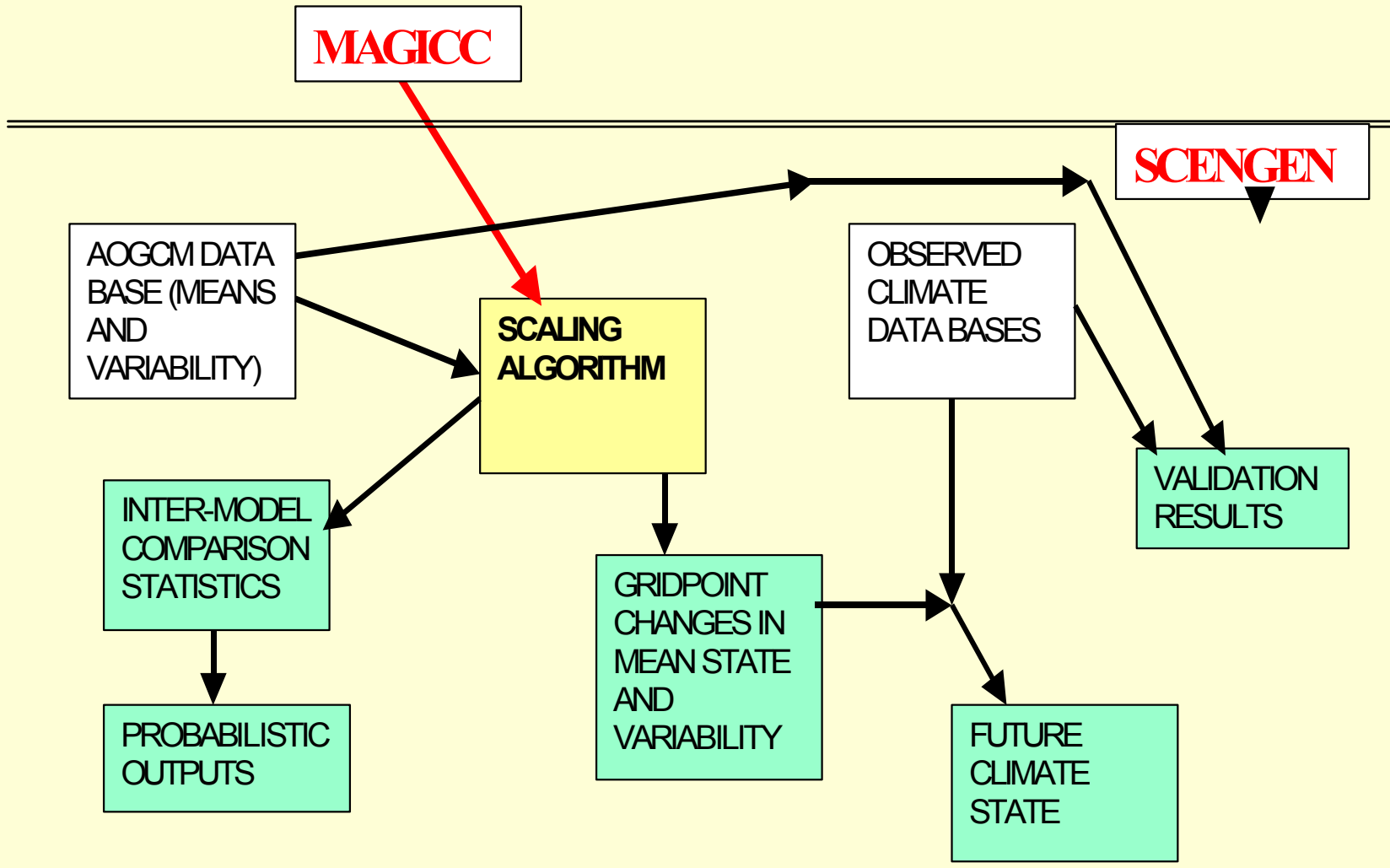
Reactive gases (CO, NO_x, VOCs)

Halocarbons (CFCs, HCFCs, HFCs, PFCs, SF₆)



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SIMPLE PATTERN SCALING

$$DY(\mathbf{x},t) = DT(t) Y(\mathbf{x})$$

where

$DY(\mathbf{x},t)$ is the pattern of change at time t of some variable Y (winter precipitation, July maximum temperature, etc.),

$DT(t)$ is the global-mean temperature change at time t ,

$Y(\mathbf{x})$ is the normalized pattern of change for variable Y (i.e., the change per 1°C global-mean warming).





GENERAL PATTERN SCALING


$$DY(\mathbf{x},t) = \sum DT_i(t) Y_i(\mathbf{x})$$

where

$DY(\mathbf{x},t)$ is the pattern of change at time t for variable Y ,


$DT_i(t)$ is the global-mean temperature change at time t
due to factor 'i',

$Y_i(\mathbf{x})$ is the normalized pattern of change for variable Y
due to factor 'i'.





SOURCES OF UNCERTAINTY— REGIONAL SCALE

- (1) **Uncertainties in global-mean temperature** (due to uncertainties in emissions, climate sensitivity, etc.)
 - (2) **Uncertainties in normalized patterns of change**: i.e., patterns of change per unit global-mean warming (quantifiable by comparing results from different models)
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MAGICC OUTPUTS:

Gas concentrations,
Radiative forcing breakdown,
Global-mean temperature and sea level.

SCENGEN OUTPUTS:

Baseline climate data,
Model validation results,
Changes in mean climate,
Changes in variability,
Signal-to noise ratios,
Probabilities of increase.



17 MODELS : VARIABLE = TEMP : SEASON = ANN
VALIDATION: COMPARING MODEL BASELINE WITH OBSERVED DATA

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MODEL	CORREL	RMSE degC	MEAN DIFF degC	NUM PTS
BMRCTR	.985	3.042	-1.631	2592
CCC1TR	.983	2.642	-.264	2592
CCSRTR	.982	2.785	-.578	2592
CERFTR	.985	3.855	-2.760	2592
CSI2TR	.988	2.464	.198	2592
CSM_TR	.990	2.409	1.287	2592
ECH3TR	.987	2.531	-.971	2592
ECH4TR	.995	1.679	-.644	2592
GFDLTR	.987	3.522	2.376	2592
GISSTR	.985	2.556	-.394	2592
HAD2TR	.995	1.578	.435	2592
HAD3TR	.994	1.779	.462	2592
IAP_TR	.982	3.706	.138	2592
LMD_TR	.959	4.437	.027	2448
MRI_TR	.986	3.072	-1.515	2592
PCM_TR	.991	2.627	1.720	2592
W&M_TR	.978	4.547	-3.249	2592
MODBAR	.995	1.526	-.317	2592

17 MODELS : VARIABLE = PRECIP : SEASON = ANN

VALIDATION: COMPARING MODEL BASELINE WITH OBSERVED DATA

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MODEL	CORREL	RMSE mm/day	MEAN DIFF mm/day	NUM PTS
BMRCTR	.721	1.643	-.295	2592
CCC1TR	.715	1.529	-.119	2592
CCSRTR	.744	1.382	.073	2592
CERFTR	.802	1.277	-.364	2592
CSI2TR	.864	1.037	-.104	2592
CSM_TR	.785	1.411	-.370	2592
ECH3TR	.826	1.185	-.061	2592
ECH4TR	.908	.936	-.145	2592
GFDLTR	.736	1.400	.051	2592
GISSTR	.729	1.535	-.424	2592
HAD2TR	.886	1.097	-.378	2592
HAD3TR	.870	1.168	-.238	2592
IAP_TR	.660	1.679	.489	2592
LMD_TR	.686	1.623	-.207	2448
MRI_TR	.697	1.562	-.247	2592
PCM_TR	.670	1.688	-.357	2592
W&M_TR	.678	1.992	-1.066	2592
MODBAR	.910	.904	-.221	2592

17 MODELS : VARIABLE = TEMP -- LINEAR SCALING : SEASON = ANN

*** DEFINITION 2 RESULTS ONLY ***

MODELS : BMRCTR98 : CCC1TR99 : CCSRTR96 : CERFTR98 : CSI2TR96 CSM_TR98 : ECH3TR95 : ECH4TR98 :
GFDLTR90 : GISSTR95 : HAD2TR95 : HAD3TR00 : IAP_TR97 : LMD_TR98 : MRI_TR96 : PCM_TR00 : W&M_TR95

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INTER-MODEL CORRELN RESULTS FOR NORMALIZED CHANGES IN MEAN STATE

INTER-MODEL CORRELATION MATRIX : OVERALL RBAR = .5783

MAX CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(11,12)	:	.901	:	(HAD2D2, HAD3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(6,16)	:	.876	:	(CSM_D2, PCM_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(2,15)	:	.857	:	(CCC1D2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(3,15)	:	.850	:	(CCSRD2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(3,11)	:	.846	:	(CCSRD2, HAD2D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(2,3)	:	.842	:	(CCC1D2, CCSRD2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(11,15)	:	.839	:	(HAD2D2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(9,11)	:	.833	:	(GFDLD2, HAD2D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(13,15)	:	-.197	:	(IAP_D2, MRI_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(8,13)	:	-.179	:	(ECH4D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(10,13)	:	-.165	:	(GISSD2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(9,13)	:	-.116	:	(GFDLD2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(11,13)	:	-.098	:	(HAD2D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(6,13)	:	-.082	:	(CSM_D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(3,13)	:	-.046	:	(CCSRD2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(12,13)	:	-.021	:	(HAD3D2, IAP_D2)

CORRELATION MATRIX FOR NORMALIZED ANNUAL TEMPERATURE CHANGE

	BMRCD2	CCC1D2	CCSRD2	CERFD2	CSI2D2	CSM_D2	ECH3D2	ECH4D2	GFDLD2	GISSD2	HAD2D2	HAD3D2	IAP_D2	LMD_D2	MRI_D2	PCM_D2	W&M_D2
BMRCD2	100	81	76	83	65	67	76	60	79	65	80	77	9	51	78	60	60
CCC1D2	81	100	84	79	62	60	73	65	80	73	77	75	1	42	86	50	61
CCSRD2	76	84	100	74	65	62	74	60	81	78	85	80	-5	57	85	53	72
CERFD2	83	79	74	100	67	66	70	65	74	63	79	78	4	50	77	58	55
CSI2D2	65	62	65	67	100	76	57	62	74	38	78	81	2	54	67	79	60
CSM_D2	67	60	62	66	76	100	45	48	70	53	73	73	-8	50	70	88	60
ECH3D2	76	73	74	70	57	45	100	67	74	54	69	71	21	53	59	41	51
ECH4D2	60	65	60	65	62	48	67	100	74	39	70	68	-18	38	62	35	39
GFDLD2	79	80	81	74	74	70	74	74	100	62	83	83	-12	56	83	60	61
GISSD2	65	73	78	63	38	53	54	39	62	100	61	55	-16	31	74	33	58
HAD2D2	80	77	85	79	78	73	69	70	83	61	100	90	-10	68	84	65	72
HAD3D2	77	75	80	78	81	73	71	68	83	55	90	100	-2	68	82	72	73
IAP_D2	9	1	-5	4	2	-8	21	-18	-12	-16	-10	-2	100	-2	-20	9	0
LMD_D2	51	42	57	50	54	50	53	38	56	31	68	68	-2	100	54	55	57
MRI_D2	78	86	85	77	67	70	59	62	83	74	84	82	-20	54	100	62	73
PCM_D2	60	50	53	58	79	88	41	35	60	33	65	72	9	55	62	100	58
W&M_D2	60	61	72	55	60	60	51	39	61	58	72	73	0	57	73	58	100
MEANMOD	89	89	91	87	80	79	79	73	90	74	93	92	-2	67	91	72	75
	BMRCD2	CCC1D2	CCSRD2	CERFD2	CSI2D2	CSM_D2	ECH3D2	ECH4D2	GFDLD2	GISSD2	HAD2D2	HAD3D2	IAP_D2	LMD_D2	MRI_D2	PCM_D2	W&M_D2
AVE-COR	69	67	69	67	64	62	62	55	70	54	72	72	3	52	69	58	59

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: GFDLTR90 : GISSTR95 : HAD2TR95 : HAD3TR00 : IAP_TR97 : LMD_TR98 : MRI_TR96 : PCM_TR00 :
W&M_TR95

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INTER-MODEL CORRELN RESULTS FOR NORMALIZED CHANGES IN MEAN STATE

INTER-MODEL CORRELATION MATRIX : OVERALL RBAR = .2478

MAX CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(5,12)	:	.569	:	(CSI2D2, HAD3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(5,15)	:	.488	:	(CSI2D2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(5,17)	:	.477	:	(CSI2D2, W&M_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(1, 6)	:	.463	:	(BMRC2, CSM_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(5,14)	:	.462	:	(CSI2D2, LMD_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(8,12)	:	.453	:	(ECH4D2, HAD3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(1, 7)	:	.427	:	(BMRC2, ECH3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(6,16)	:	.422	:	(CSM_D2, PCM_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(7,14)	:	-.140	:	(ECH3D2, LMD_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(5, 7)	:	-.088	:	(CSI2D2, ECH3D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(7,12)	:	.015	:	(ECH3D2, HAD3D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(1,10)	:	.033	:	(BMRC2, GISSD2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(7,17)	:	.040	:	(ECH3D2, W&M_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(7,13)	:	.041	:	(ECH3D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(7, 8)	:	.045	:	(ECH3D2, ECH4D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(2,13)	:	.056	:	(CCC1D2, IAP_D2)

CORRELATION MATRIX FOR NORMALIZED ANNUAL PRECIPITATION CHANGE

	BMRCD2	CCC1D2	CCSRD2	CERFD2	CSI2D2	CSM_D2	ECH3D2	ECH4D2	GFDLD2	GISSD2	HAD2D2	HAD3D2	IAP_D2	LMD_D2	MRI_D2	PCM_D2	W&M_D2
BMRCD2	100	25	33	29	17	46	43	11	29	3	12	16	18	16	17	12	19
CCC1D2	25	100	19	33	24	27	11	16	22	15	18	16	6	10	22	13	19
CCSRD2	33	19	100	36	32	37	31	32	42	34	40	23	25	34	39	20	31
CERFD2	29	33	36	100	34	23	17	36	33	16	32	32	25	26	38	18	17
CSI2D2	17	24	32	34	100	28	-9	40	40	29	30	57	36	46	49	13	48
CSM_D2	46	27	37	23	28	100	37	26	29	19	23	23	15	19	31	42	21
ECH3D2	43	11	31	17	-9	37	100	5	26	19	9	1	4	-14	18	30	4
ECH4D2	11	16	32	36	40	26	5	100	38	17	41	45	19	29	39	17	22
GFDLD2	29	22	42	33	40	29	26	38	100	25	34	39	30	26	34	20	29
GISSD2	3	15	34	16	29	19	19	17	25	100	22	18	10	8	38	17	22
HAD2D2	12	18	40	32	30	23	9	41	34	22	100	23	11	29	31	29	31
HAD3D2	16	16	23	32	57	23	1	45	39	18	23	100	32	28	36	19	31
IAP_D2	18	6	25	25	36	15	4	19	30	10	11	32	100	18	23	6	30
LMD_D2	16	10	34	26	46	19	-14	29	26	8	29	28	18	100	30	8	30
MRI_D2	17	22	39	38	49	31	18	39	34	38	31	36	23	30	100	26	36
PCM_D2	12	13	20	18	13	42	30	17	20	17	29	19	6	8	26	100	16
W&M_D2	19	19	31	17	48	21	4	22	29	22	31	31	30	30	36	16	100
MEANMOD	50	38	65	55	60	62	48	57	60	54	53	55	41	41	65	49	48
	BMRCD2	CCC1D2	CCSRD2	CERFD2	CSI2D2	CSM_D2	ECH3D2	ECH4D2	GFDLD2	GISSD2	HAD2D2	HAD3D2	IAP_D2	LMD_D2	MRI_D2	PCM_D2	W&M_D2
AVE-COR	26	23	36	32	36	32	19	31	35	24	30	32	24	26	36	24	30

17 MODELS : VARIABLE = TEMP -- LINEAR SCALING : SEASON = ANN

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MODELS : BMRCTR98 : CCC1TR99 : CCSRTR96 : CERFTR98 : CSI2TR9
CSM_TR98 : ECH3TR95 : ECH4TR98 : GFDLTR90 : GISSTR95 : HAD2TR95 : HAD3TR00 :
IAP_TR97 : LMD_TR98 : MRI_TR96 : PCM_TR00 : W&M_TR95

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UNWEIGHTED PATTERN CORRELS BETWEEN NORMALIZED S.D. CHANGE FIELDS

INTER-MODEL CORRELATION MATRIX : OVERALL RBAR = .0616

MAX CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(10,11)	:	.444	:	(GISSD2, HAD2D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(5,10)	:	.343	:	(CSI2D2, GISSD2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(2,10)	:	.343	:	(CCC1D2, GISSD2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(2,11)	:	.319	:	(CCC1D2, HAD2D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(10,15)	:	.308	:	(GISSD2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(11,16)	:	.272	:	(HAD2D2, PCM_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(6,10)	:	.264	:	(CSM_D2, GISSD2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(2,5)	:	.260	:	(CCC1D2, CSI2D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(10,17)	:	-.178	:	(GISSD2, W&M_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(12,13)	:	-.175	:	(HAD3D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(11,17)	:	-.175	:	(HAD2D2, W&M_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(2,17)	:	-.161	:	(CCC1D2, W&M_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(4,13)	:	-.149	:	(CERFD2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(3,16)	:	-.149	:	(CCSRD2, PCM_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(13,16)	:	-.143	:	(IAP_D2, PCM_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(12,17)	:	-.141	:	(HAD3D2, W&M_D2)

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ECH3TR95 : ECH4TR98 : GFDLTR90 : GISSTR95 : HAD2TR95 : HAD3TR00 : IAP_TR97 :
LMD_TR98 : MRI_TR96 : PCM_TR00 : W&M_TR95**

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UNWEIGHTED PATTERN CORRELS BETWEEN NORMALIZED S.D. CHANGE FIELDS

INTER-MODEL CORRELATION MATRIX : OVERALL RBAR = .0326

MAX CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(1, 7)	:	.253	:	(BMRCD2, ECH3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(7, 16)	:	.231	:	(ECH3D2, PCM_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(8, 15)	:	.163	:	(ECH4D2, MRI_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(5, 12)	:	.161	:	(CSI2D2, HAD3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(1, 6)	:	.157	:	(BMRCD2, CSM_D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(8, 12)	:	.153	:	(ECH4D2, HAD3D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(5, 8)	:	.151	:	(CSI2D2, ECH4D2)
MAX CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(6, 14)	:	.138	:	(CSM_D2, LMD_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 1	:	(2, 11)	:	-.094	:	(CCC1D2, HAD2D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 2	:	(6, 12)	:	-.087	:	(CSM_D2, HAD3D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 3	:	(16, 17)	:	-.071	:	(PCM_D2, W&M_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 4	:	(5, 11)	:	-.057	:	(CSI2D2, HAD2D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 5	:	(11, 13)	:	-.056	:	(HAD2D2, IAP_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 6	:	(4, 9)	:	-.051	:	(CERFD2, GFDLD2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 7	:	(12, 14)	:	-.050	:	(HAD3D2, LMD_D2)
MIN CORREL, RANK = 8	:	(7, 11)	:	-.048	:	(ECH3D2, HAD2D2)



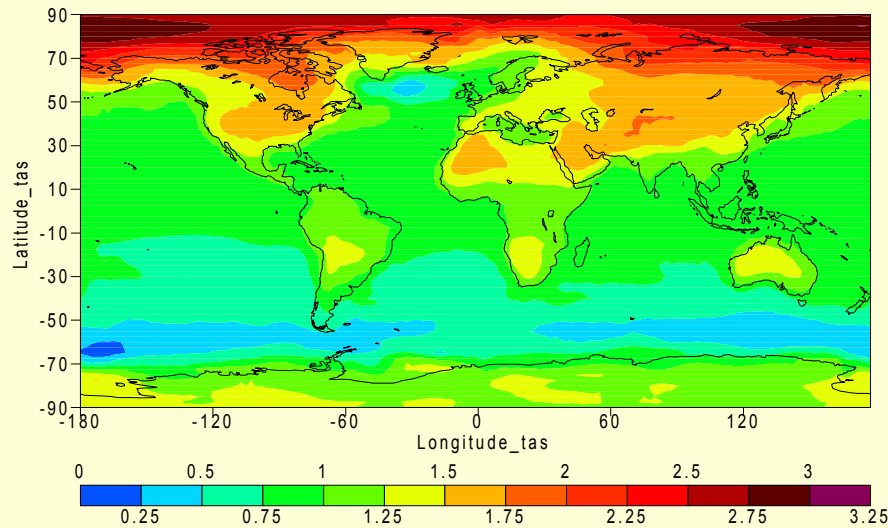
RESULTS FOR PATTERNS OF CLIMATE CHANGE (per 1°C global-mean warming)

[Average results for 16 coupled ocean-atmosphere
climate models]

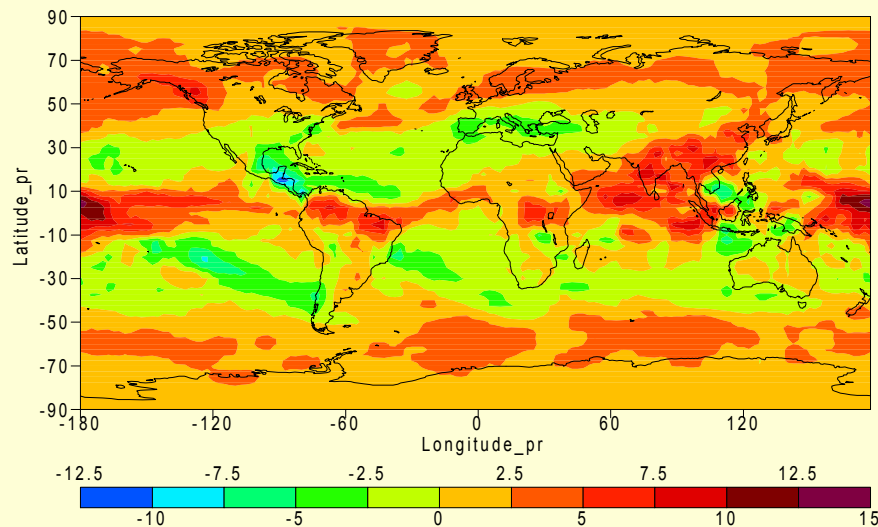


Normalized annual-mean temperature and precipitation changes in CMIP2 Greenhouse Warming Experiments (1%/year CO₂ increase)

Normalized temperature change

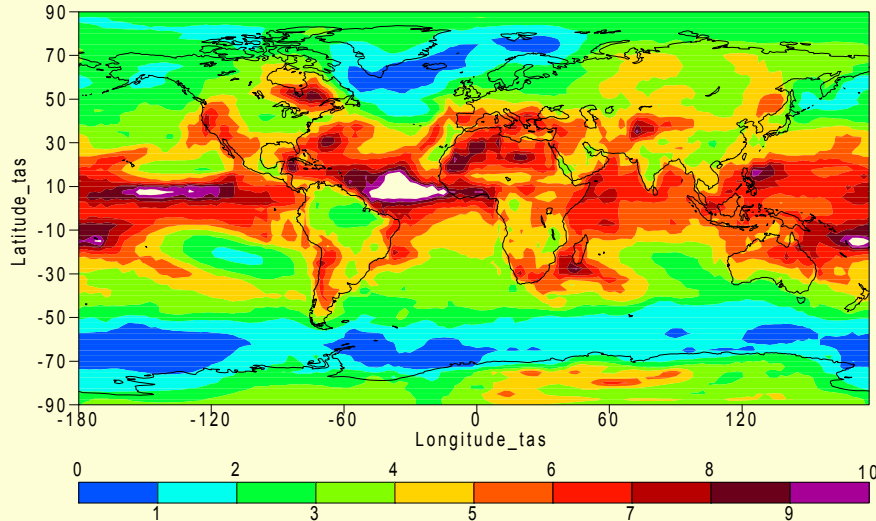


Normalized precipitation change



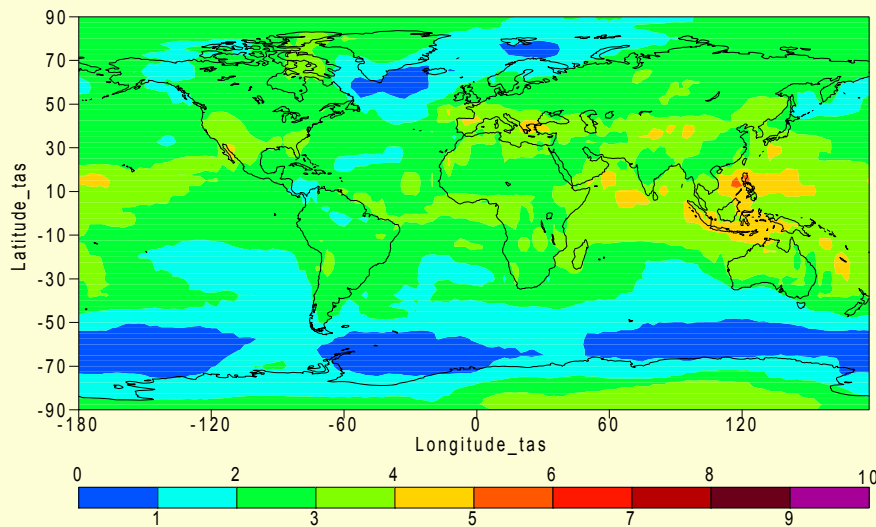
Inter-Model Signal-to-Noise Ratios in CMIP2 Greenhouse Warming Experiments (1%/year CO₂ increase)

Normalized S/N



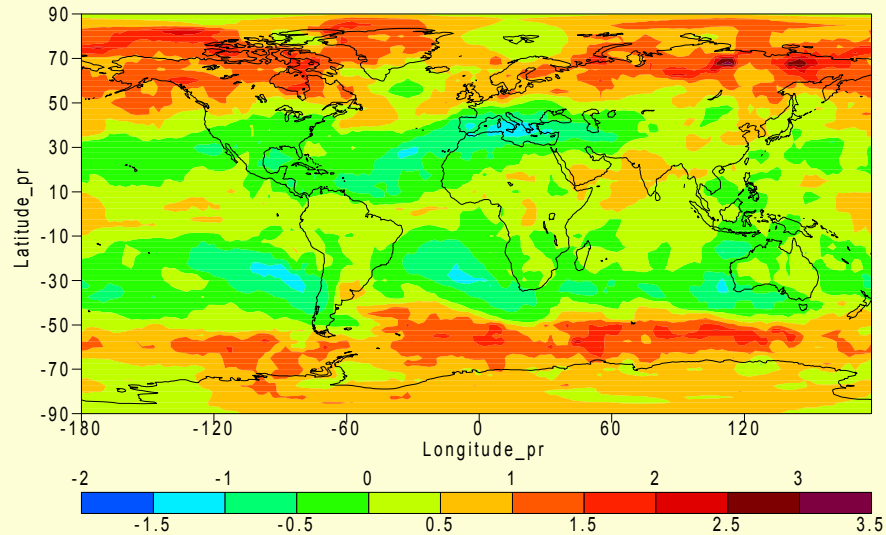
Surface temperature changes

Raw S/N



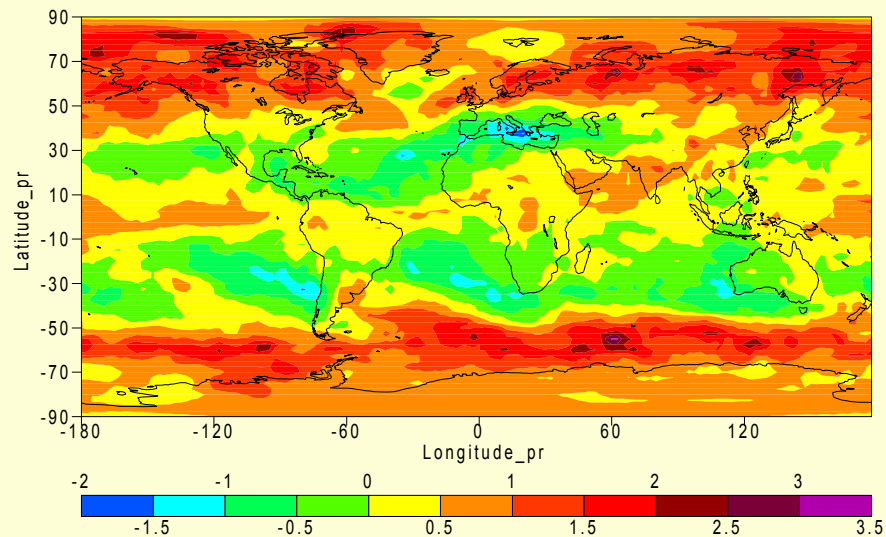
Inter-Model Signal-to-Noise Ratios in CMIP2 Greenhouse Warming Experiments (1%/year CO₂ increase)

Normalized S/N



Changes in total precipitation rate

Raw S/N





PROBABILISTIC PROJECTIONS OF FUTURE GLOBAL-MEAN WARMING

(from Wigley & Raper, *Science* **293**, 451-454, 2001)

UNCERTAINTIES ACCOUNTED FOR:

- (1) Emissions
 - (2) Climate Sensitivity
 - (3) Aerosol forcing
 - (4) Ocean mixing rate
 - (5) Carbon cycle`
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