



NASA GEOS Composition Forecast system: GEOS-CF

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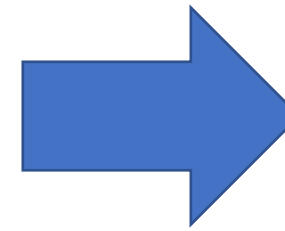
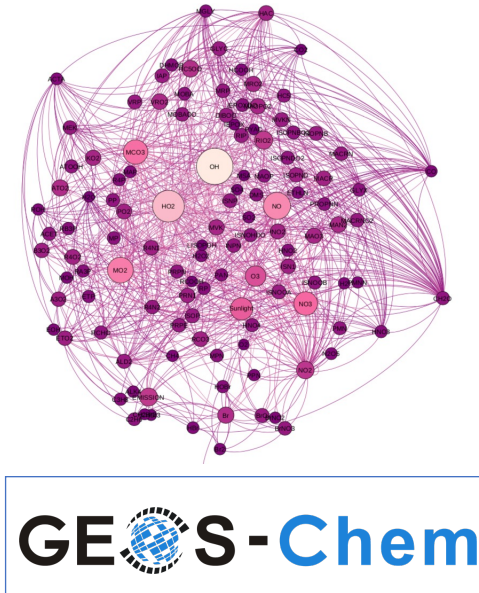
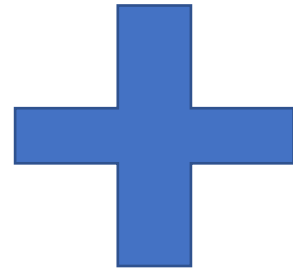
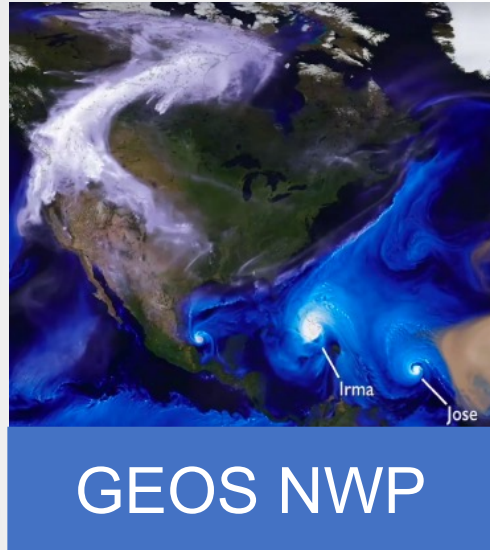
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GEOS with Coupled GEOS-Chem chemistry



G5NR - Chem

GEOS - CF

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GEOS with Coupled GEOS-Chem chemistry

G5NR-Chem

- 1 July 2013 – 1 July 2014
 - Meteorological “replay”
 - c720 (0.125 °, ~**12.5 x 12.5 km²**)
 - 72 model layers
 - GEOS-Chem v10-01 Tropospheric-only mode
 - Default GEOS-Chem emissions
 - 1-hour, 29 species

GEOS-CF

- 1 January 2018 - present
 - 1-day replay + 5-day forecast
 - c360 (0.25°, ~**25 x 25 km²**)
 - 72 model layers
 - GEOS-Chem v12.0.1, with UCX Tropospheric & Stratospheric
 - HTAP v2.2
 - 1-hour 2D & 3D output, **including specific TEMPO file for retrievals**

Knowland et al., 2022. "File Specification for GEOS-CF Products." *GMAO Office Note No. 17 (Version 1.2)*, available from http://gmao.gsfc.nasa.gov/pubs/office_notes



TEMPO specific collection: “sat_inst_1hr_r721x361_v72”

Regional Chemistry and Meteorology Diagnostics to support TEMPO satellite

Frequency: *hourly instantaneous from 00:00 UTC*

Spatial Grid: *3D, model-level, subset region of full horizontal resolution*

Dimensions: *longitude=721, latitude=361, every 0.25°*

longitude: 0° to -180°

latitude: 0° to 90°

vertical level: *72 layers*

Granule Size: *~258 MB per file*

Start date: 00 UTC 1 January 2022

Mode: Replay only; Forecasts available based on mission requirements

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Name	Dim	Description	Units
BrO	tzyx	Bromine monoxide (BrO, MW = 96.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
FRSEACE	tyx	ice covered fraction of tile	1
FRSNO	tyx	fractional area of land snowcover	1
GLYX	tzyx	Glyoxal (CHOCHO, MW = 58.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
HCHO	tzyx	Formaldehyde (CH ₂ O, MW = 30.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
HNO ₂	tzyx	Nitrous acid (HNO ₂ , MW = 47.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
IO	tzyx	Iodine monoxide (IO, MW = 143.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
NO ₂	tzyx	Nitrogen dioxide (NO ₂ , MW = 46.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
O ₃	tzyx	Ozone (O ₃ , MW = 48.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
OCIO	tzyx	Chlorine dioxide (OCIO, MW = 67.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
PHIS	tyx	surface geopotential height	m+2 s-2
PS	tyx	surface pressure	Pa
Q	tzyx	specific humidity	kg kg ⁻¹
SNODP	tyx	snow depth	m
SNOMAS	tyx	Total snow storage land	kg m-2
SO ₂	tzyx	Sulfur dioxide (SO ₂ , MW = 64.00 g mol ⁻¹) volume mixing ratio dry air	mol mol ⁻¹
T	tzyx	air temperature	K
TROPPB	tyx	tropopause pressure based on blended estimate	Pa
U2M	tyx	2-meter eastward wind	m s ⁻¹
V2M	tyx	2-meter northward wind	m s ⁻¹
ZPBL	tyx	planetary boundary layer height	m



Seasonal & hourly variations in NO₂ profiles

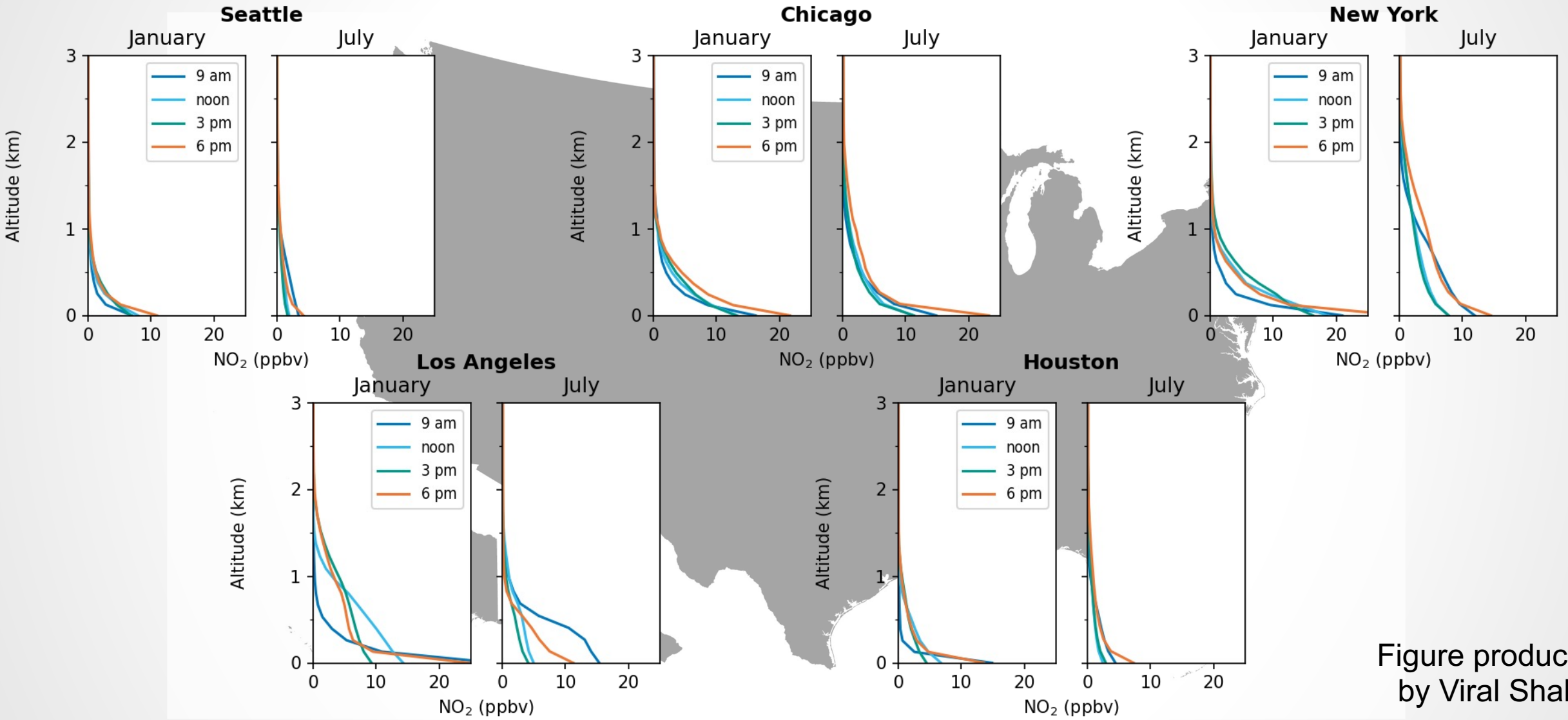


Figure produced by Viral Shah

Spinning up GEOS-CF version 2

- Model update to GEOS-Chem v14.0
- GEOS AGCM update
- CEDS emission inventory (latest release through 2019)
- Constituent Data Assimilation System (CoDAS)
 - Multi-constituent assimilation with O_3 , NO_2 , SO_2
- ❖ We will provide new climatology to TEMPO retrieval team

