

AMSRE Science Progress in the U.S.

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- Overview

- U.S. Science Team is very pleased with AMSR-E performance
 - Good stability; very little corrupted data
- Calibration difficulty – corrected for by RSS technique
- Operationally Useful
 - e.g. Hurricane forecast centers

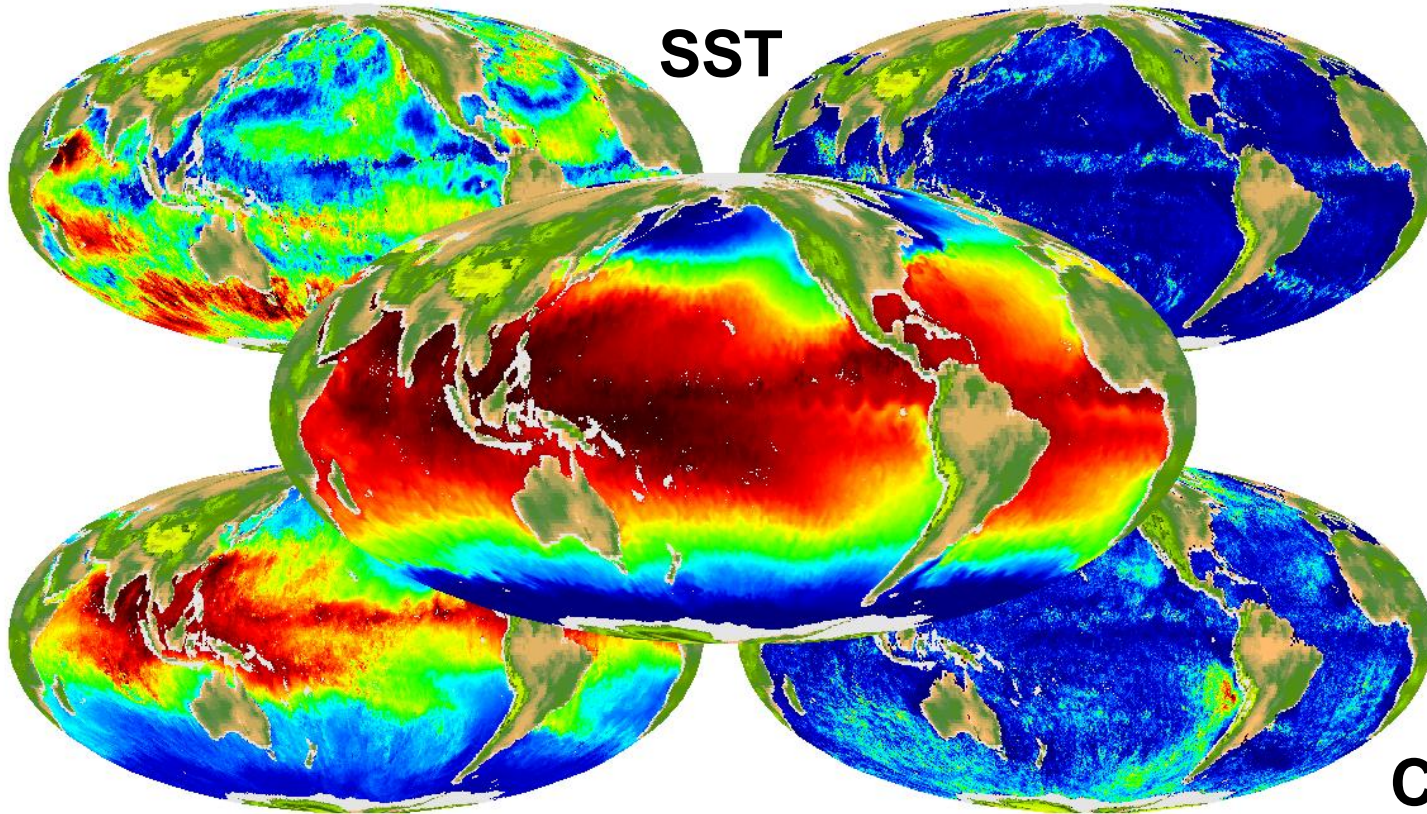
RSS Ocean Products (Wentz)

Ocean Products

Wind Speed

Rain Rate

SST



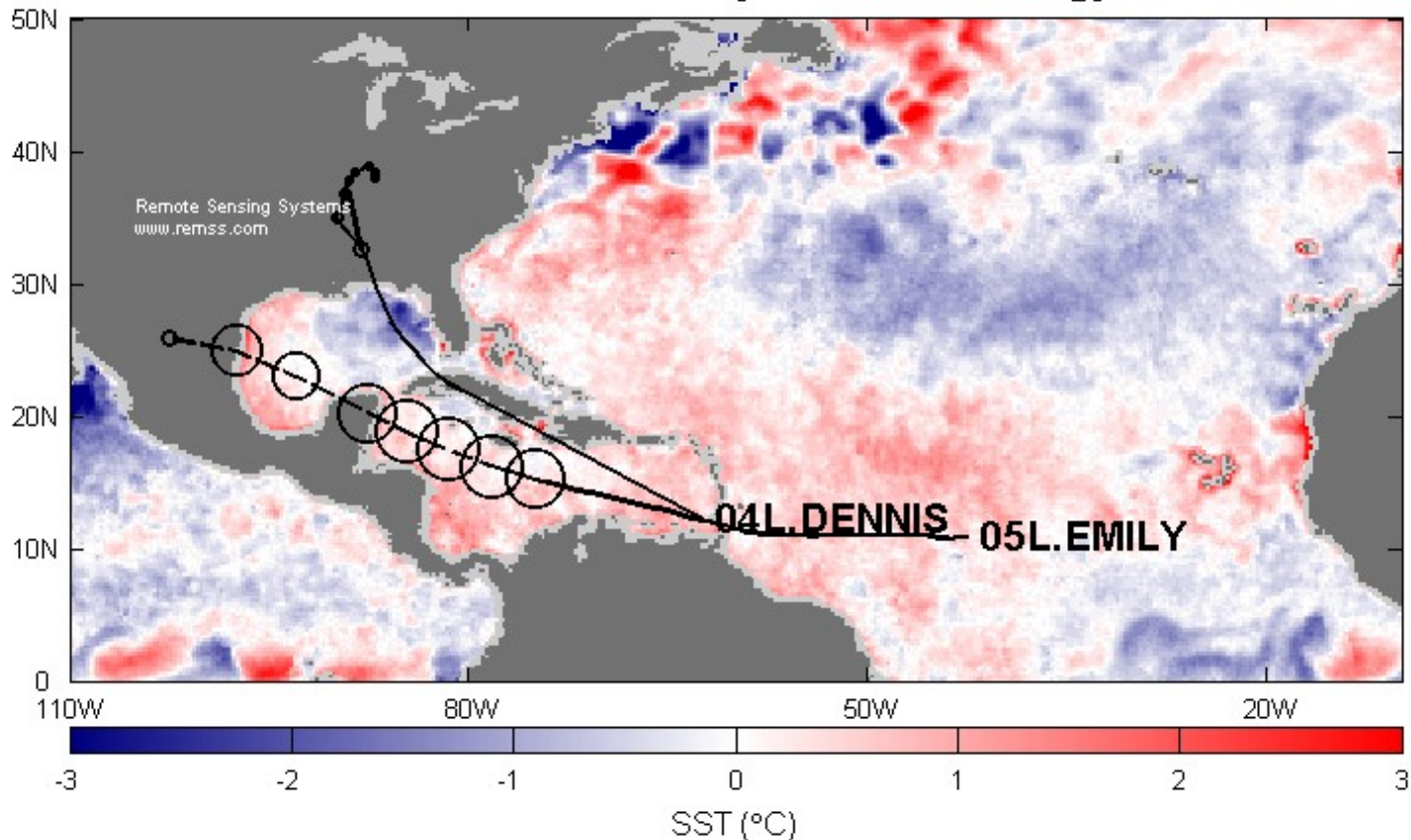
Water Vapor

Cloud

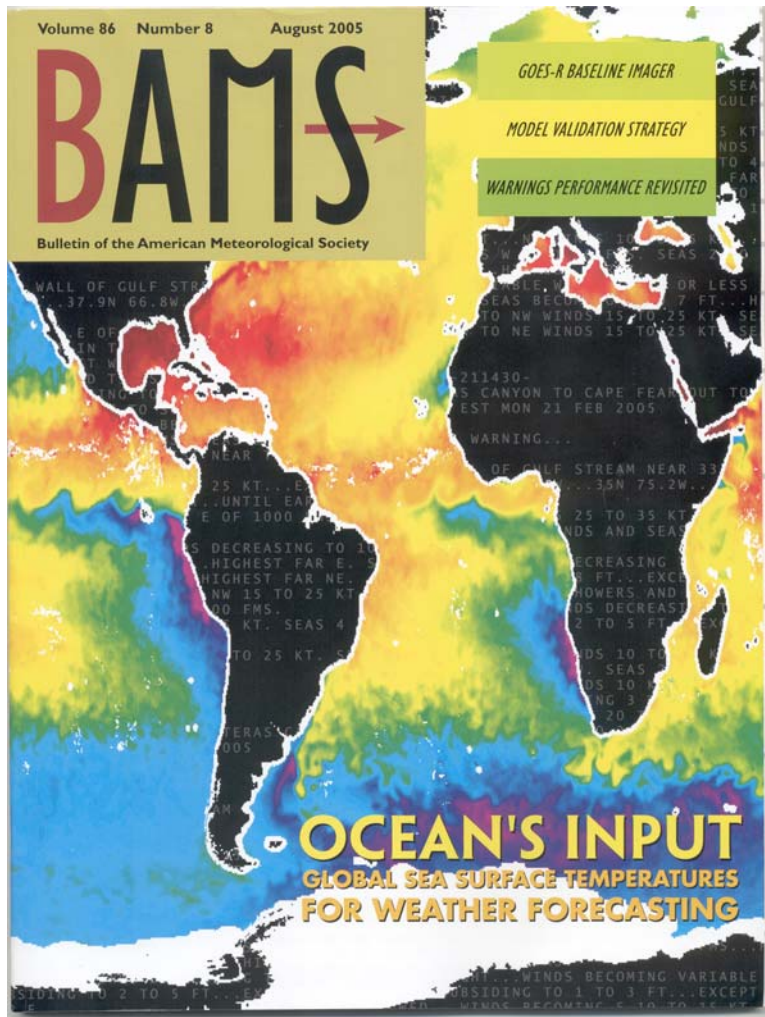
RSS Ocean Products (cont.)

- SST thru clouds: Hurricane Dennis cold wake in E. Gulf of Mexico

North Atlantic MW OI SST - Reynolds Climatology 07/16/2005



SST Article in BAMS



AVHRR

Reynolds OI

RTG

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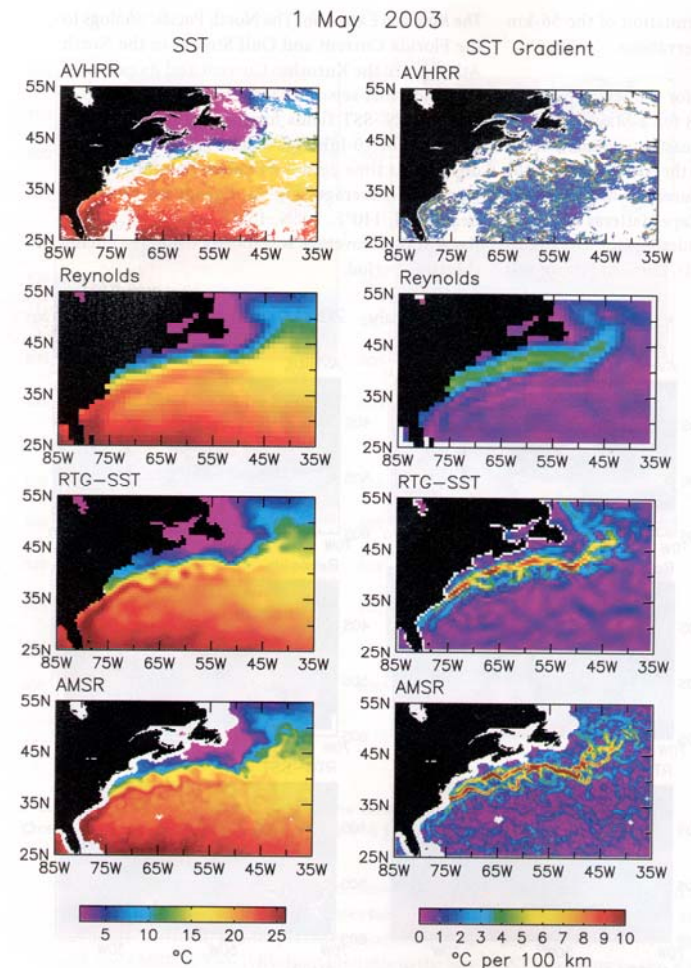
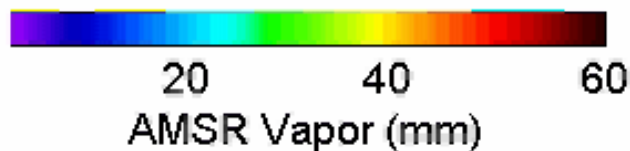
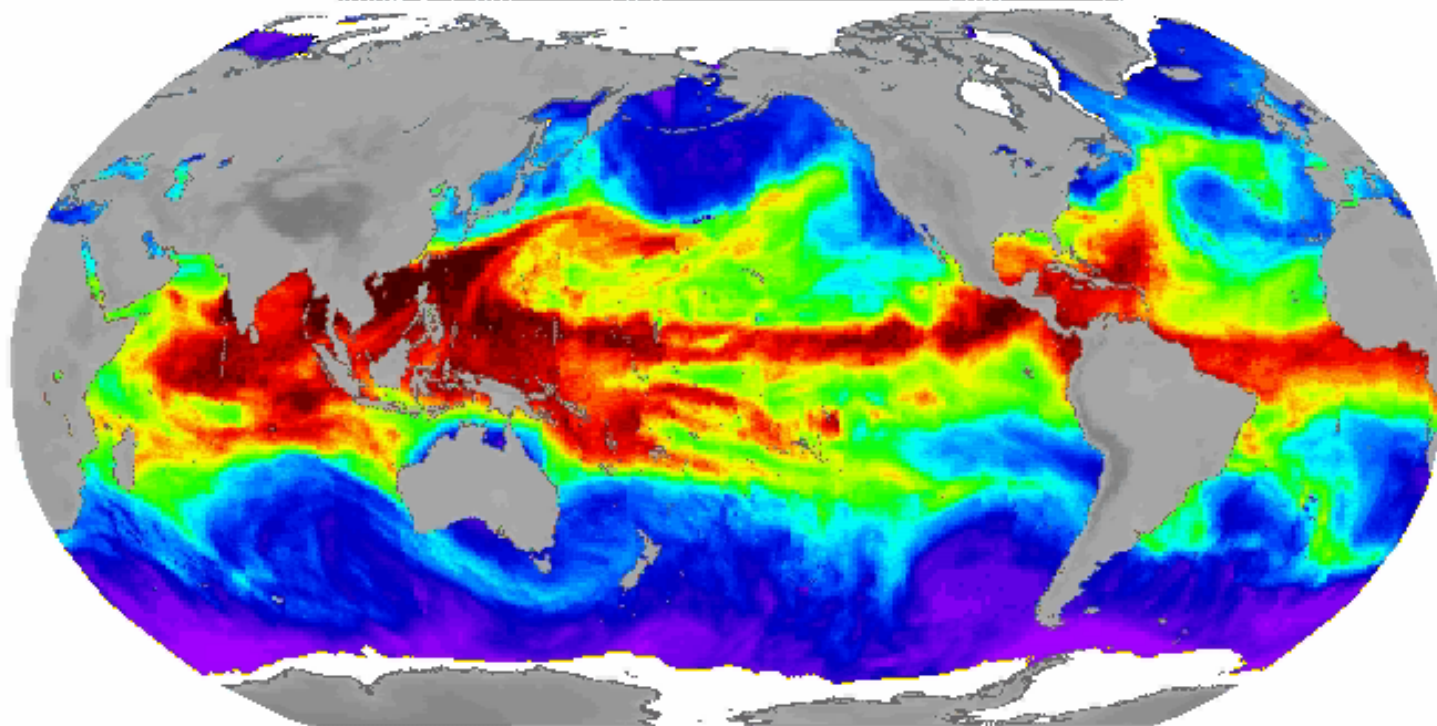


Fig. 8. Same as in Fig. 4, except for the Gulf Stream region of the western North Atlantic Ocean for the 3-day-averaging period 30 Apr–2 May 2003.

Integrated Oceanic Water Vapor

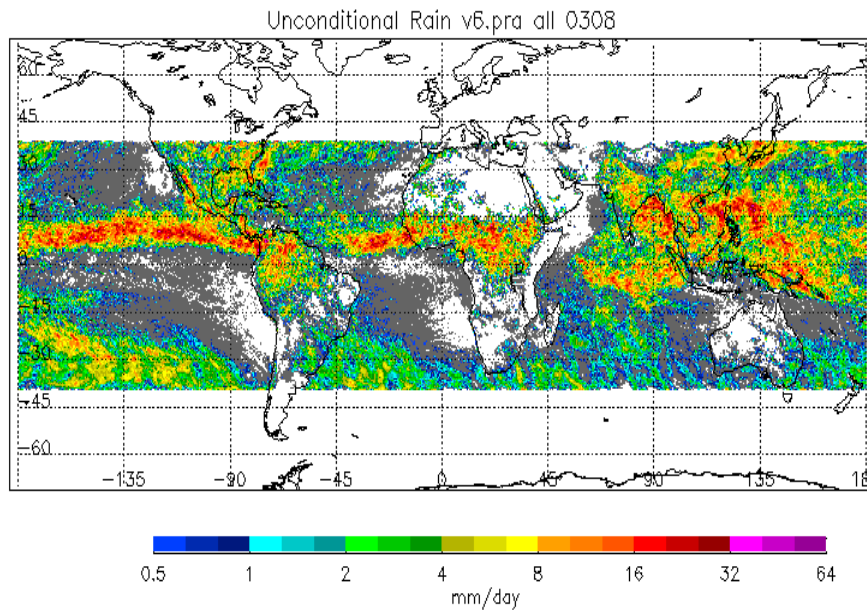
AMSR Vapor Date: 06/03/2002



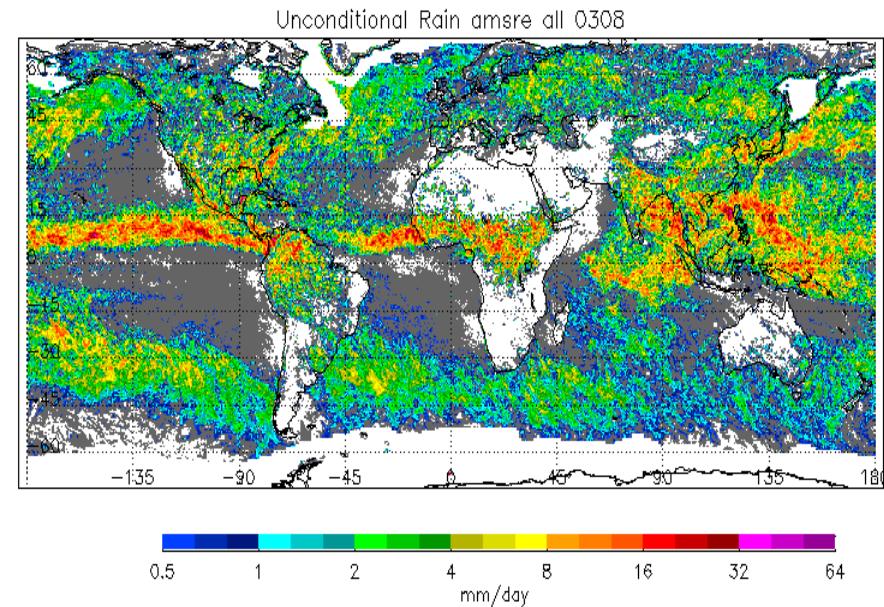
Rainfall (Kummerow et al.)

- Rainfall at high latitudes complements TRMM

TRMM

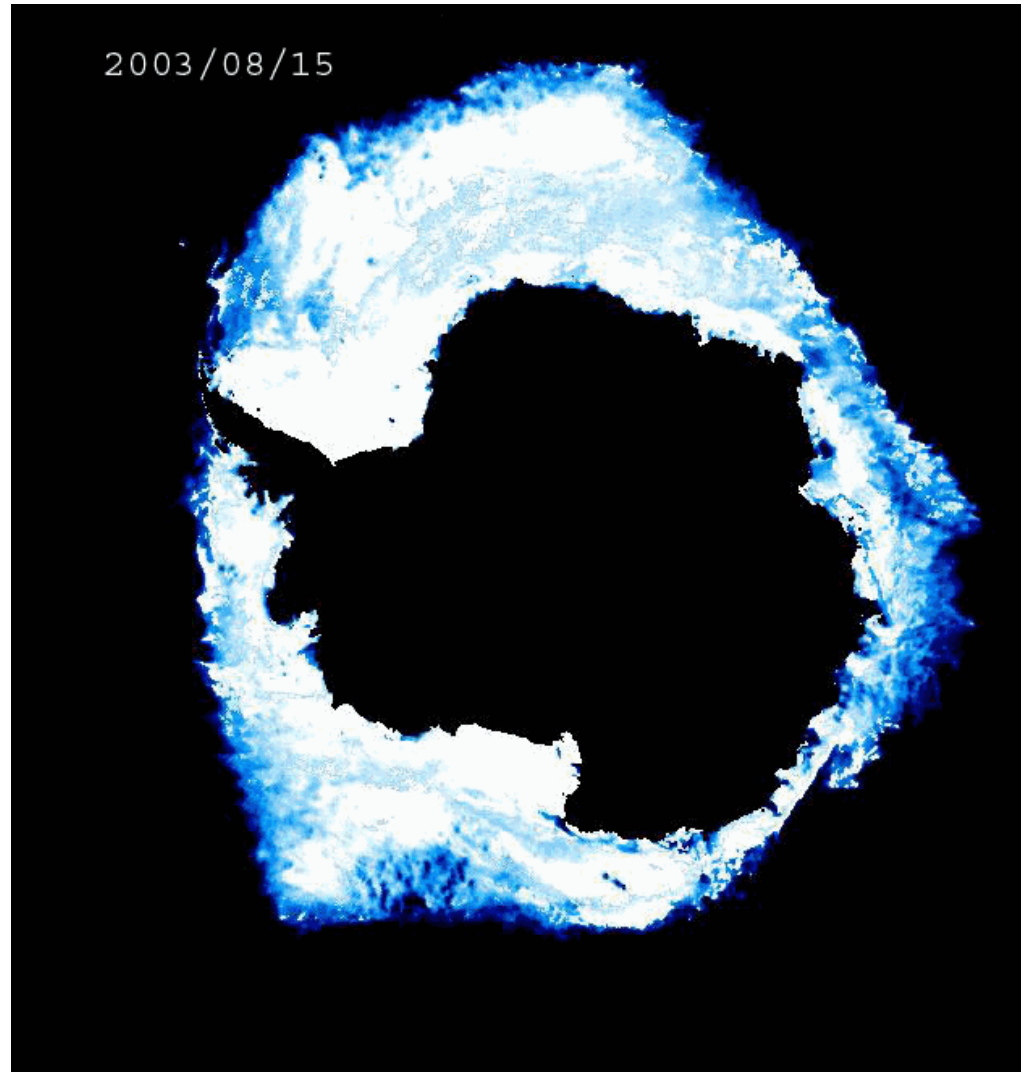


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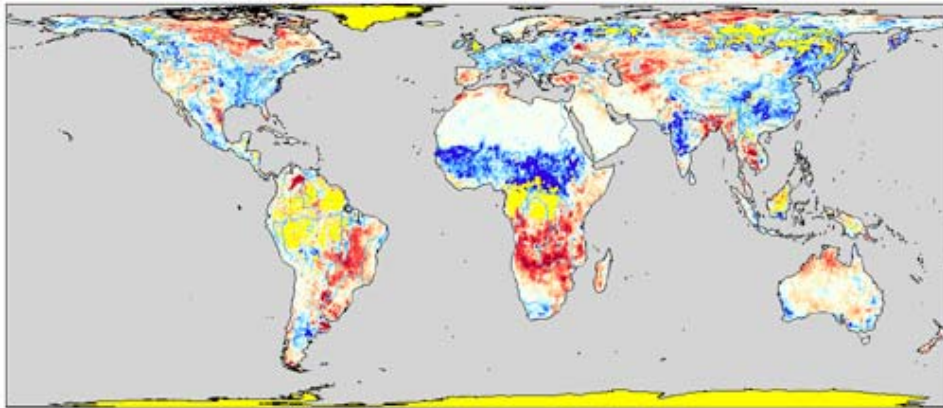
Sea Ice (Cavalieri, Comiso)

**Antarctic
Sea Ice
(Comiso)**

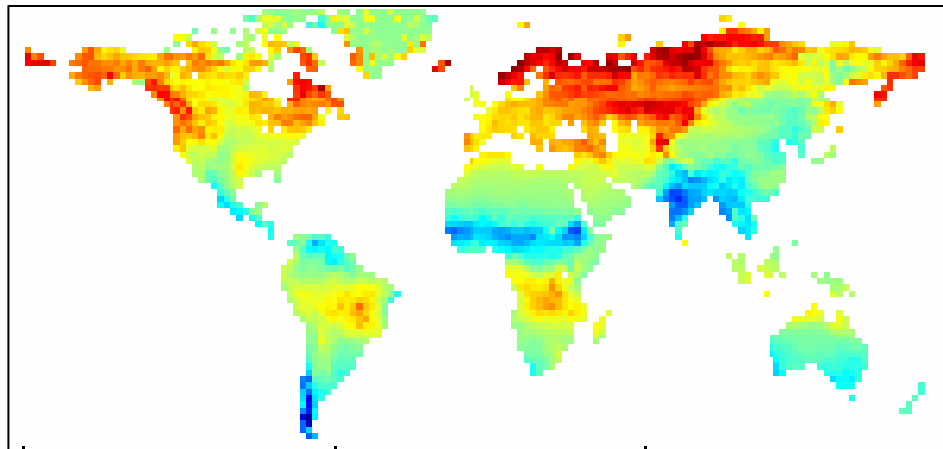


Soil Moisture (Njoku)

- Surface Soil Moisture



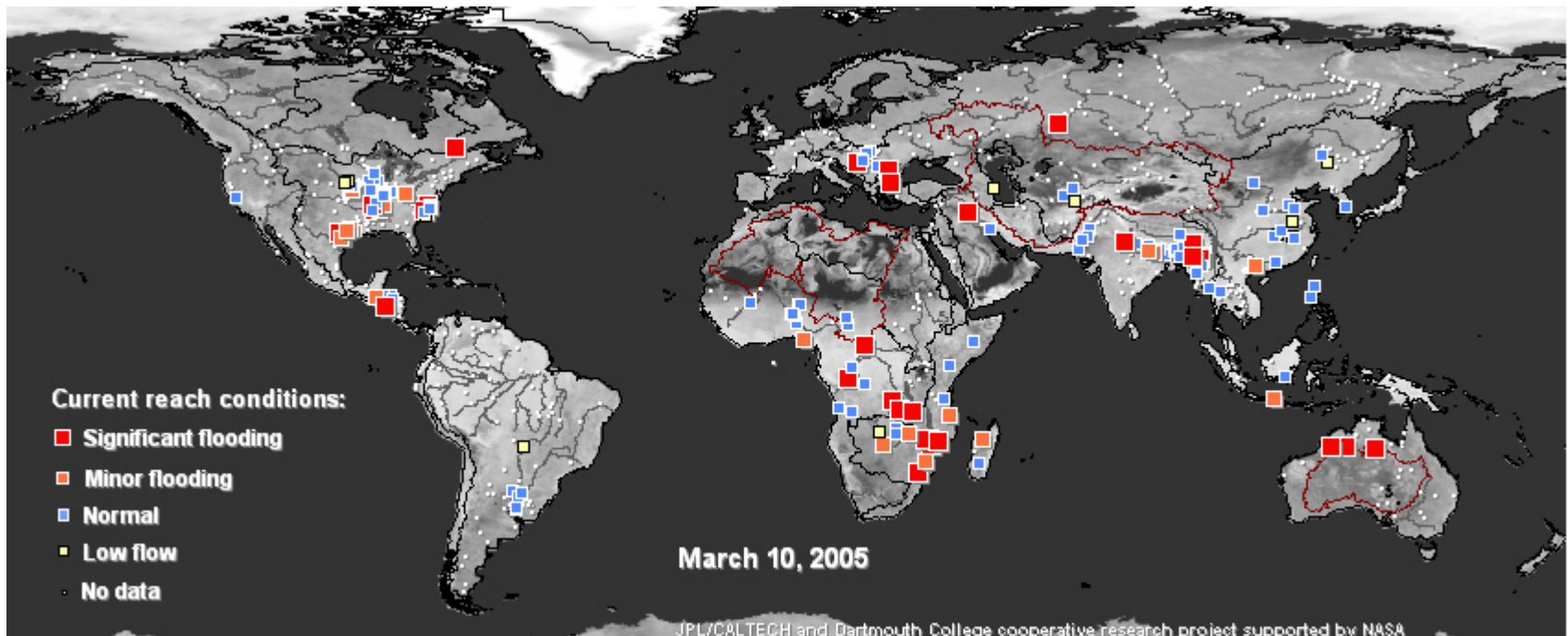
AMSR-E



**GLDAS
Climatology**

Flood & Drought

- Flood and Drought detection at Dartmouth College



RFI Info. for Future Radiometer Design

- AMSR-E documented worldwide distribution of RFI contamination (at 6.9 GHz, e.g. for NPOESS CMIS design).

