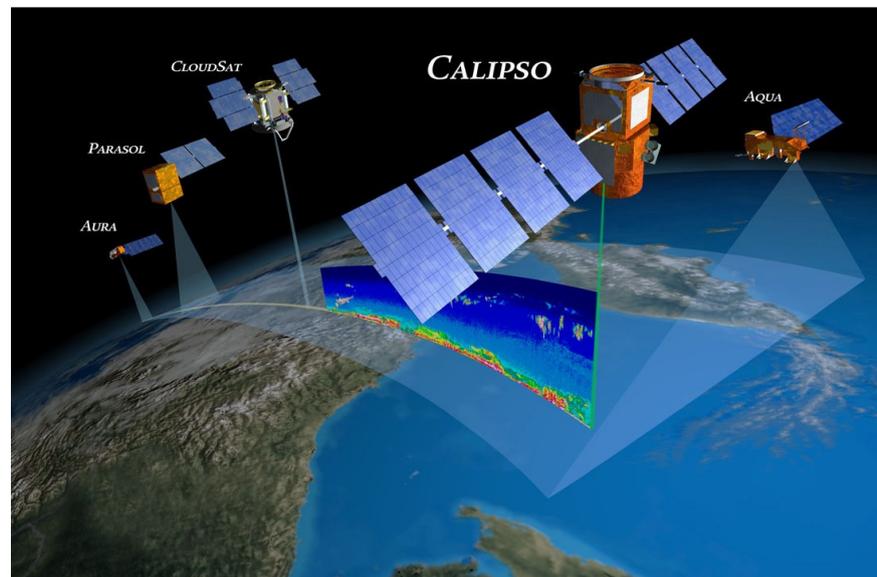


# Évaluation de la fraction et de l'épaisseur optique des nuages

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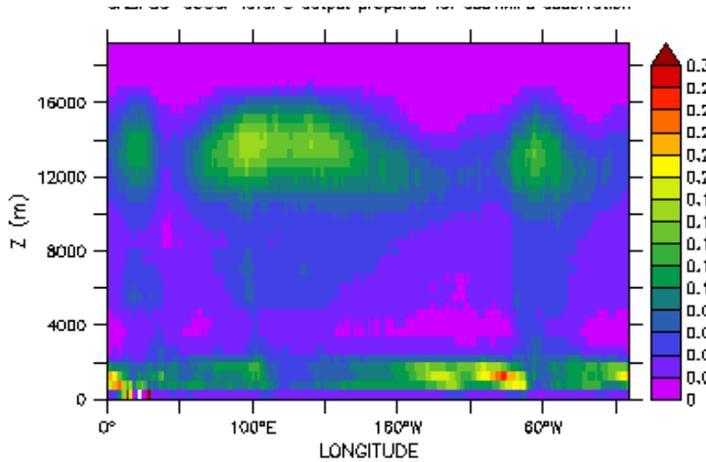
**CALIPSO:** Lidar, profil vertical de la fraction nuageuse

**PARASOL:** reflectances directionnelle du rayonnement solaire, pour un angle de visé particulier: => bonne approximation de l'épaisseur optique

**COSP:** simulateur d'observable

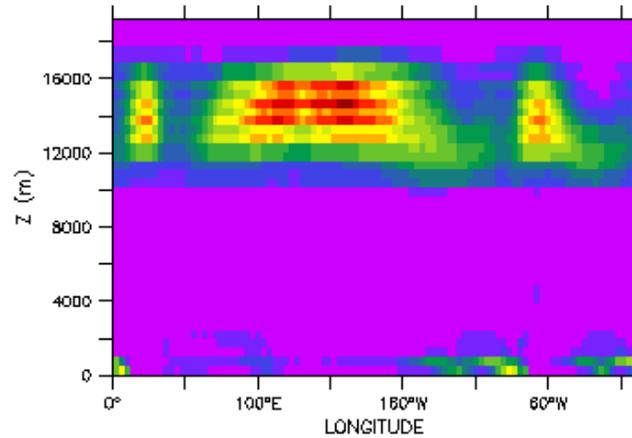
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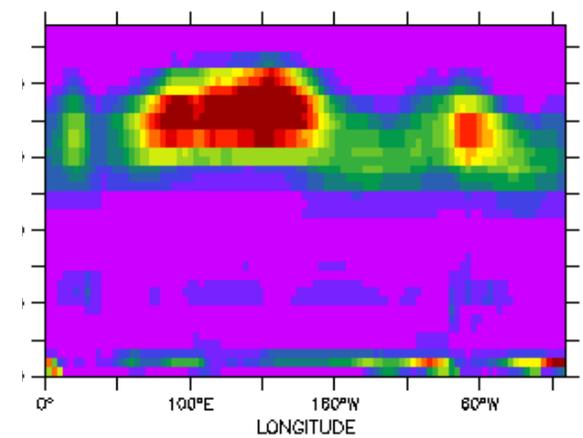
CALIPSO Cloud Fraction (%)

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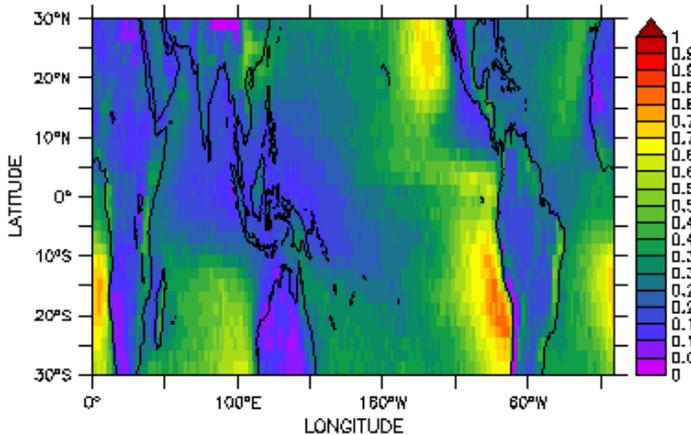
Lidar Cloud Fraction (532 nm) (1)

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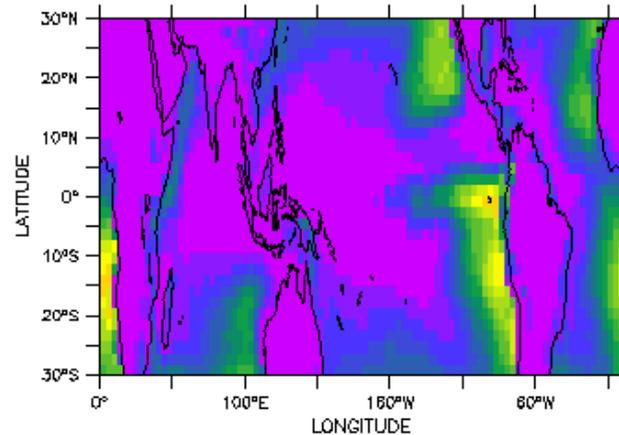


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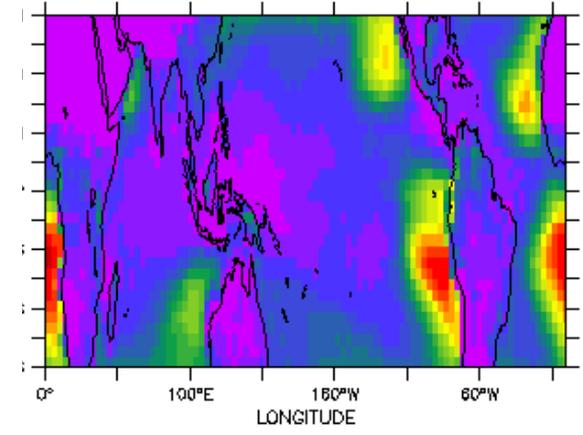
## Nuages bas



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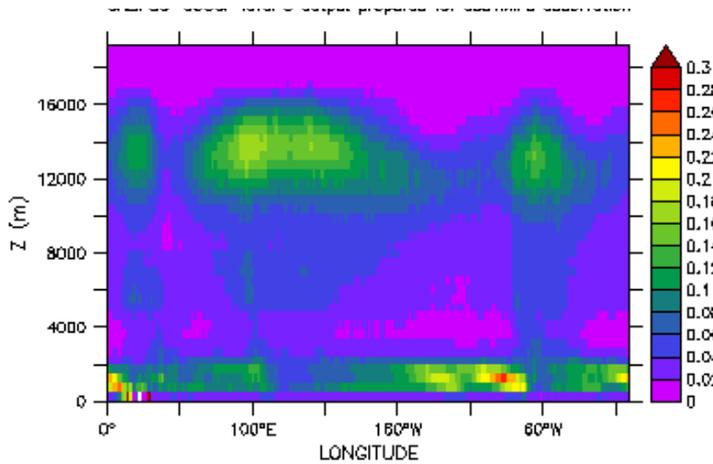
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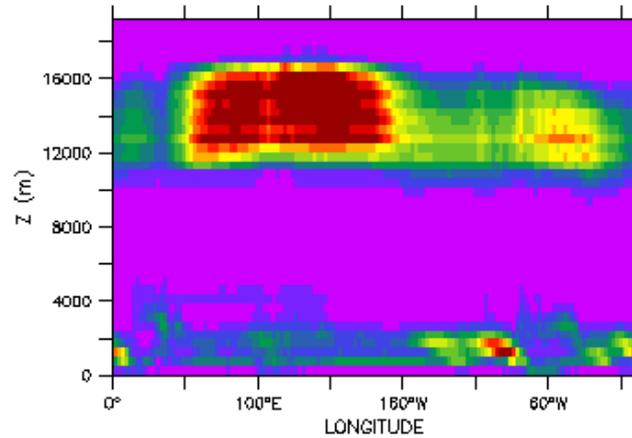
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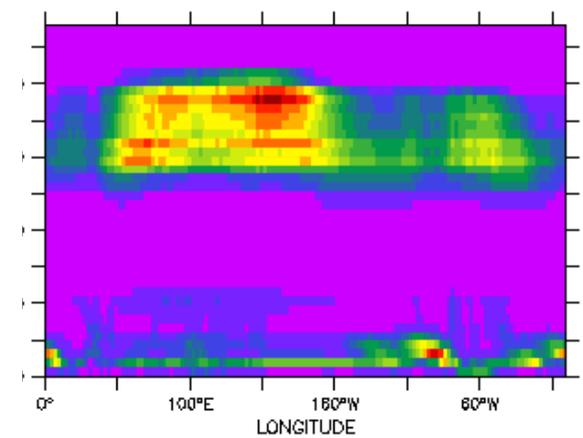
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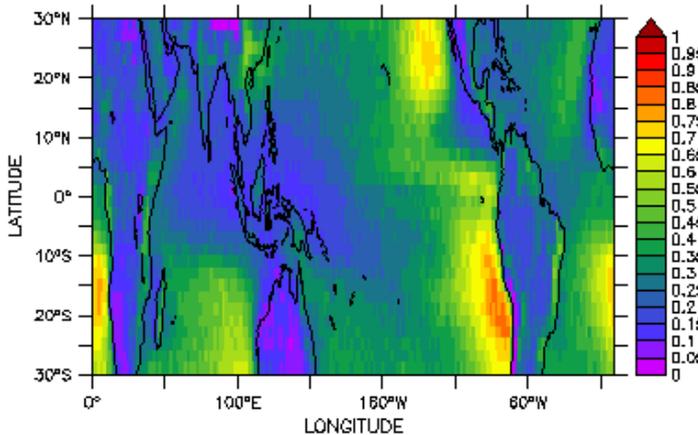
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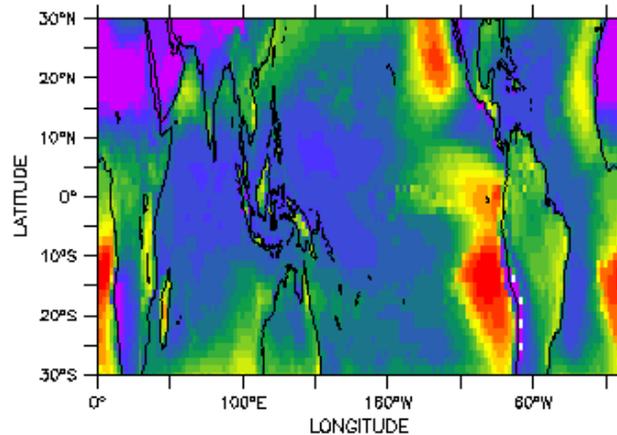


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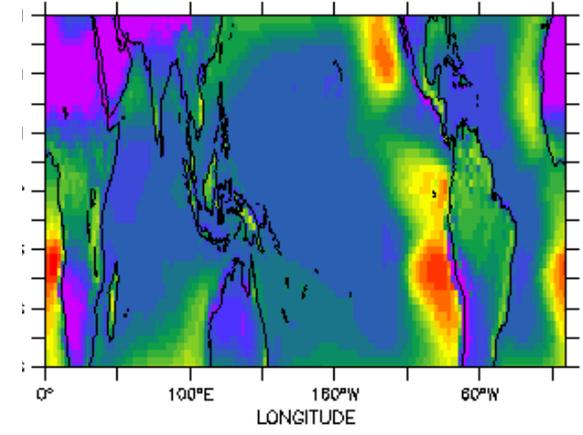
## Nuages bas



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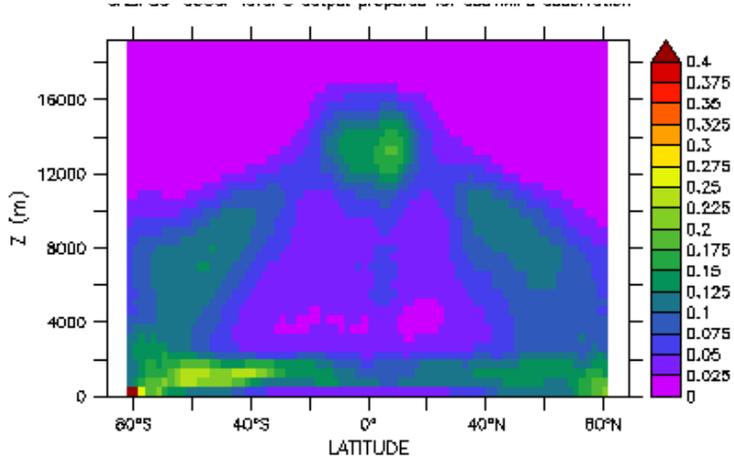


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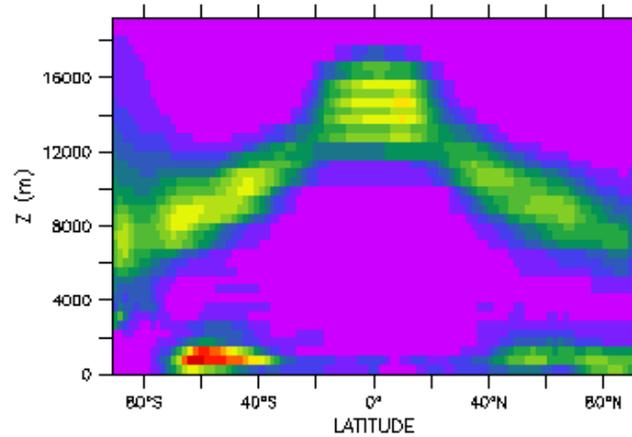
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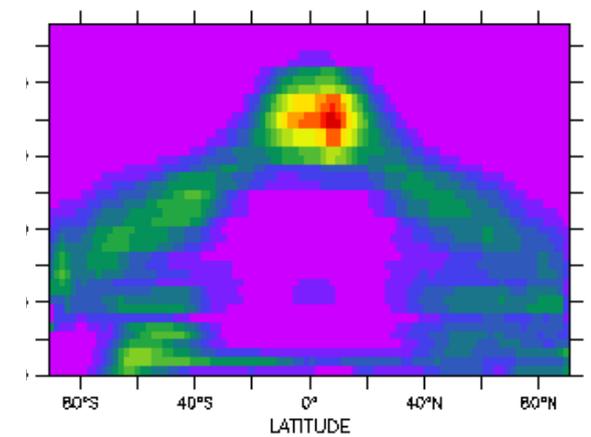
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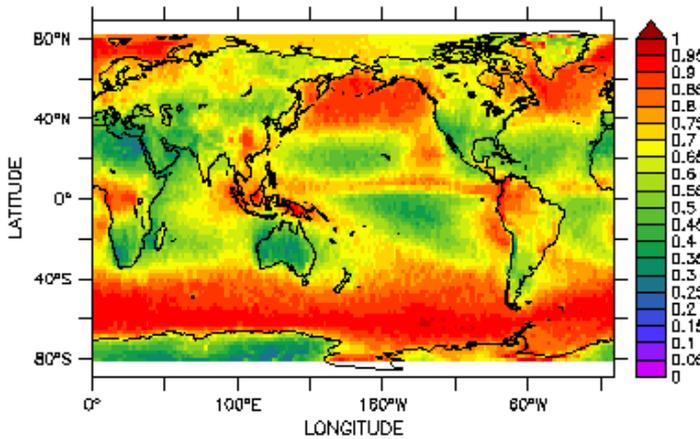
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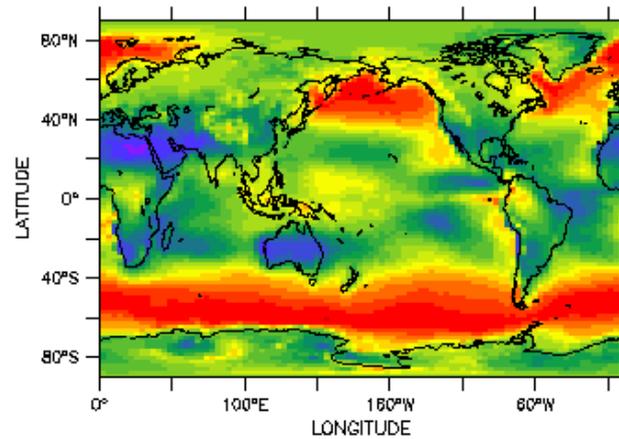


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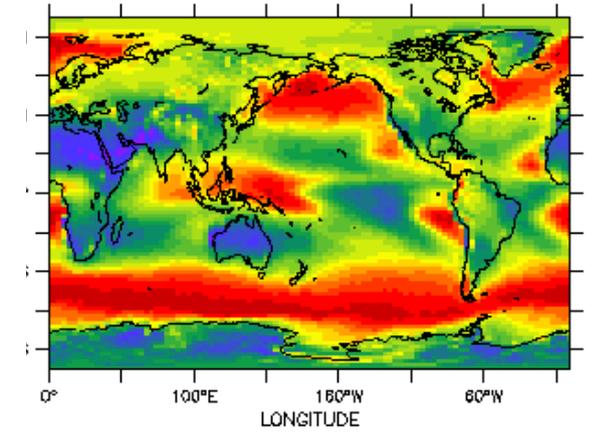
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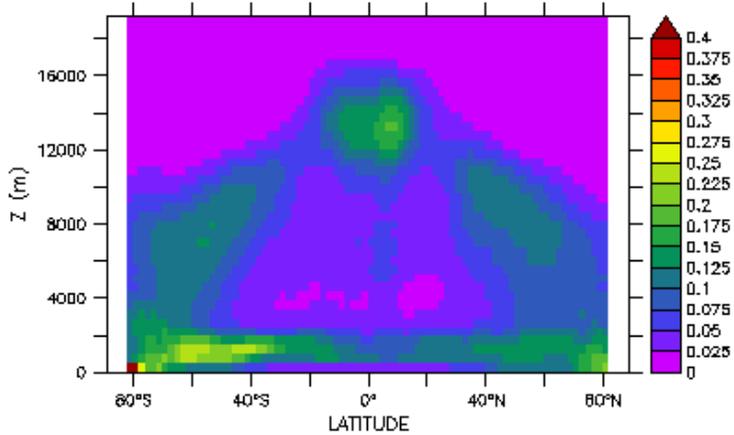


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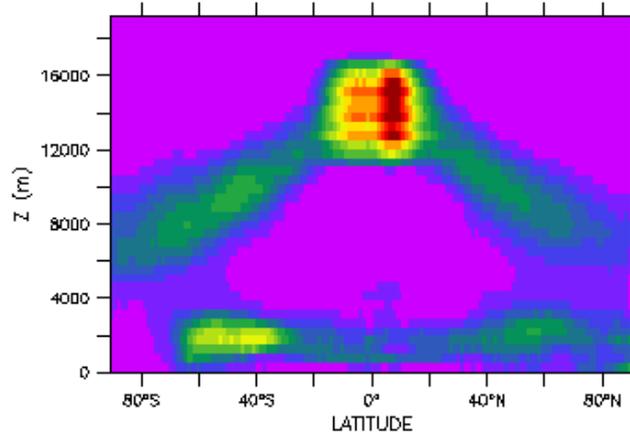
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### Obs GOCCP



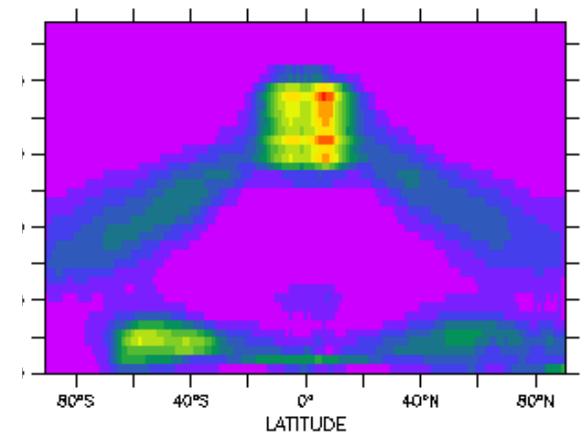
CALIPSO Cloud Fraction (%)

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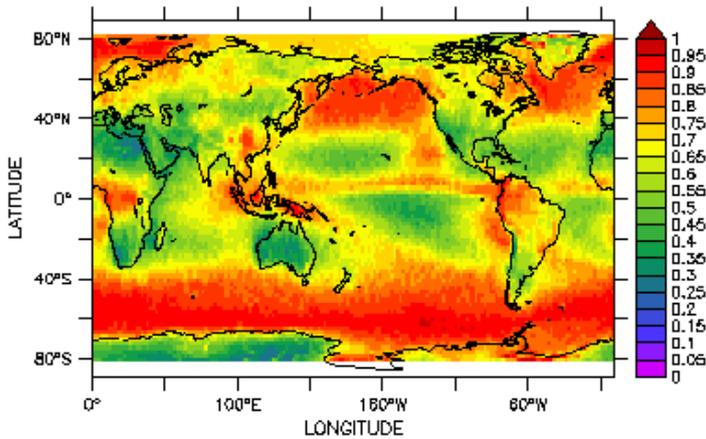
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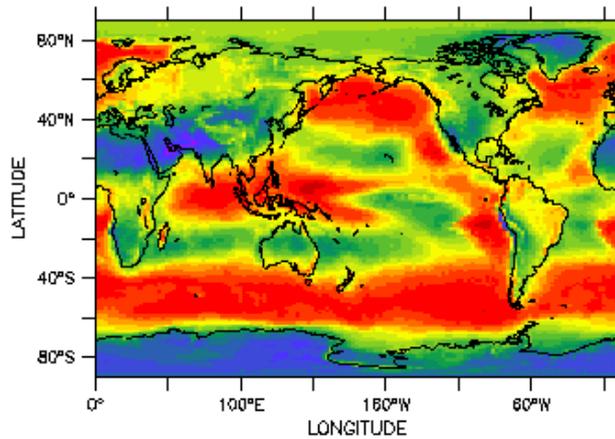


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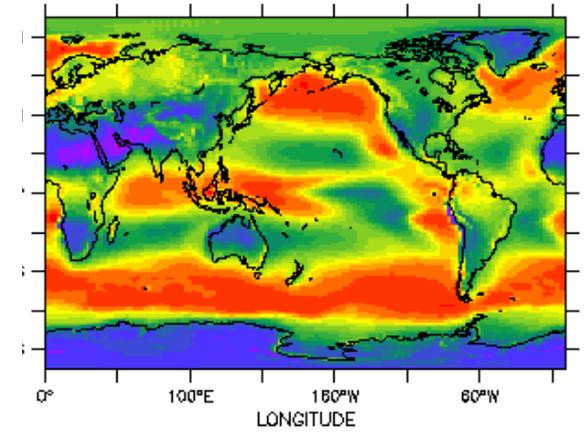
### Nuages totaux



CALIPSO Total Cloud Fraction (%)



Lidar Total Cloud Fraction (1)



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# Cloud reflectance versus cloud fraction, for *low level clouds*, over the tropical oceans

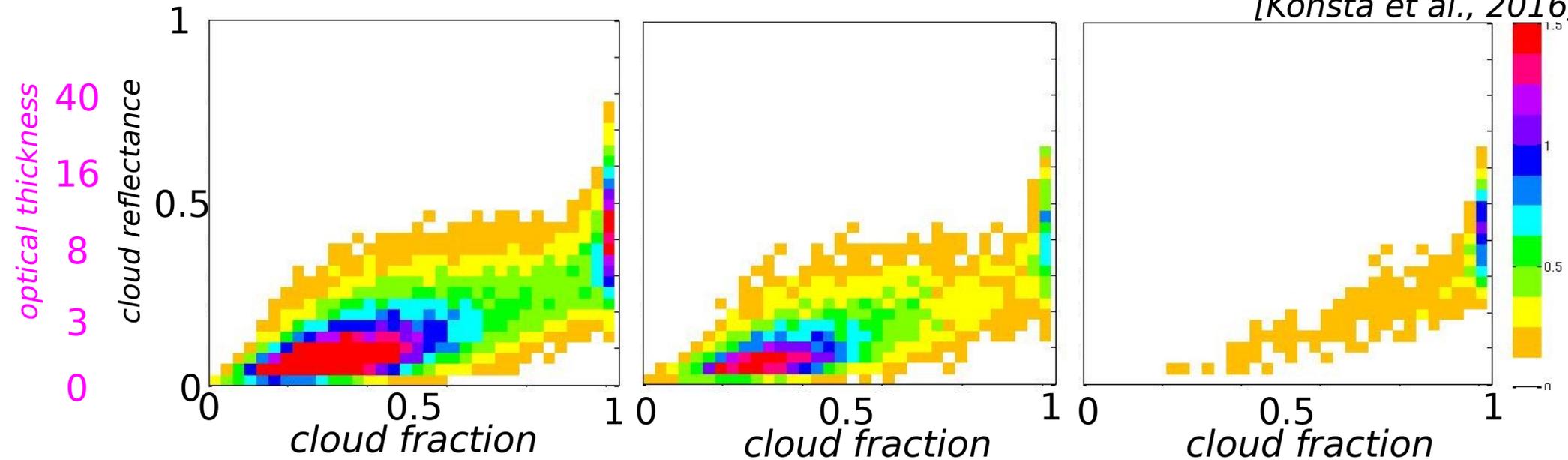
CALIPSO & PARASOL observations, instantaneous,  $2^\circ \times 2^\circ$  grid, 2 years (2006-2007)

Low level  
clouds (all)

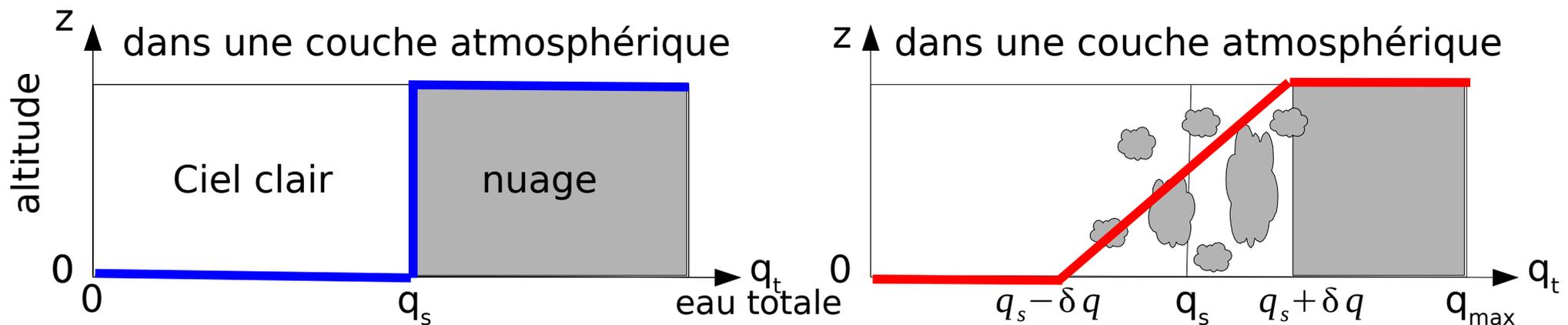
“shallow cumulus”

“stratocumulus”

[Konsta et al., 2016]

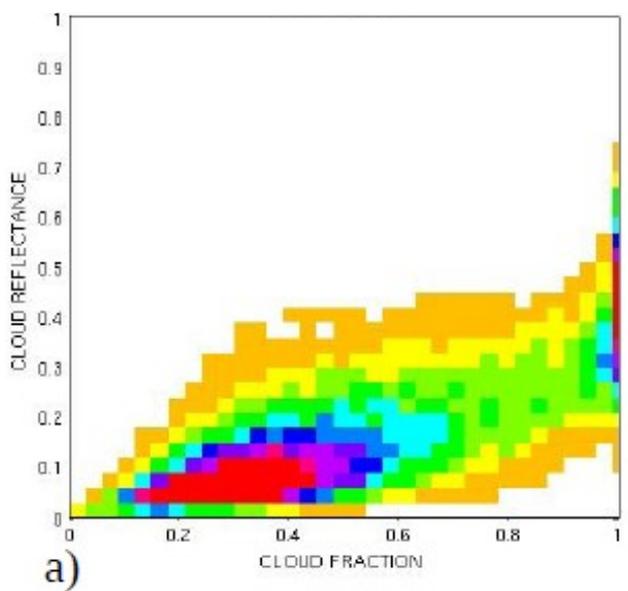


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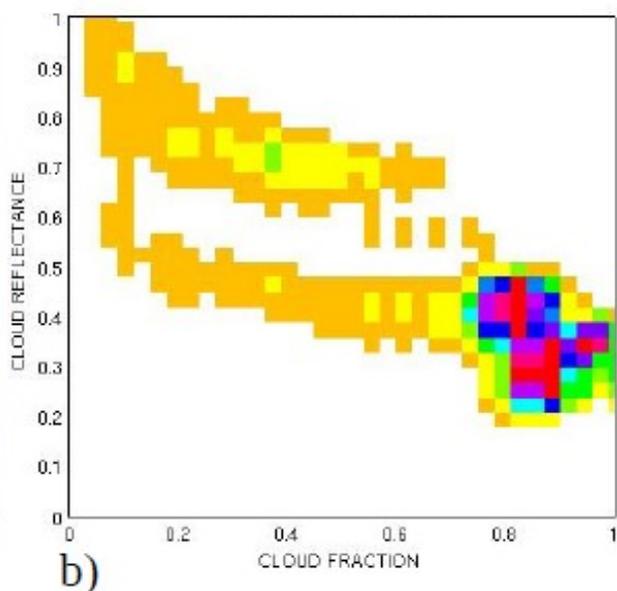


Low level

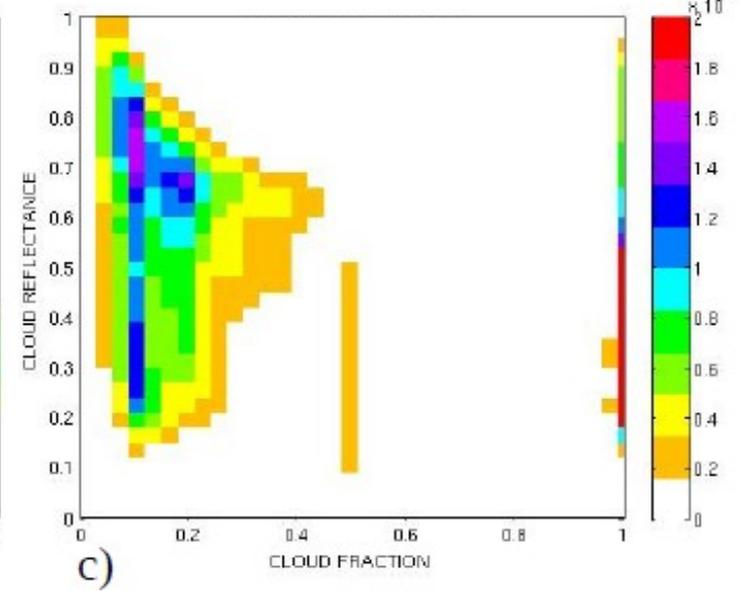
CALPSO & PARASOL (obs)



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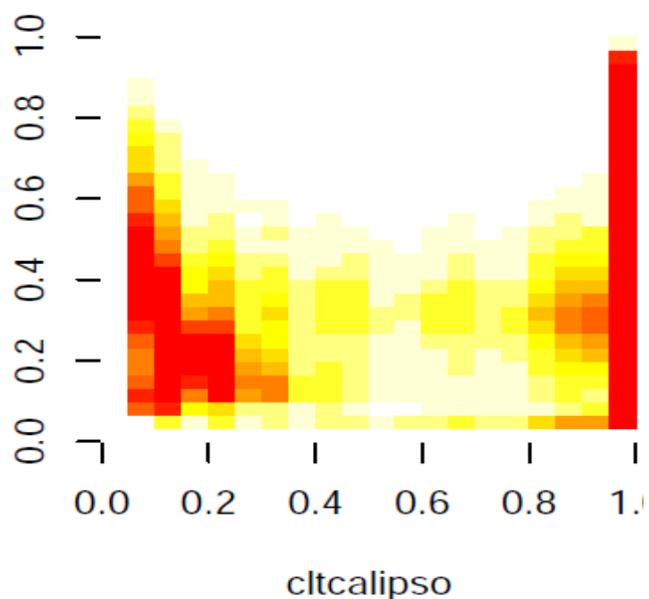
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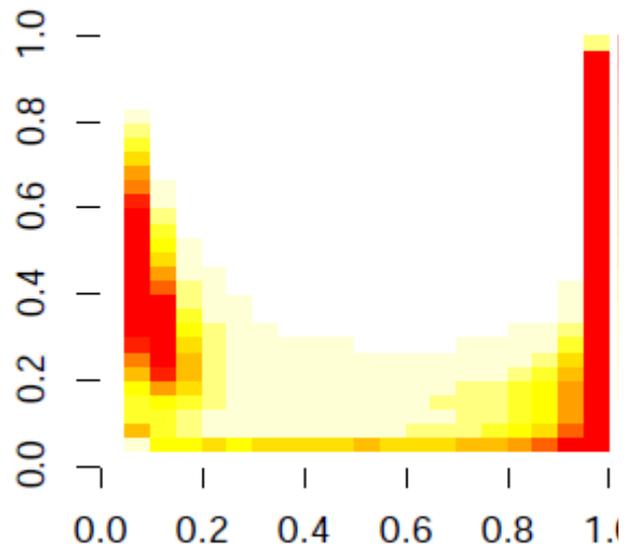
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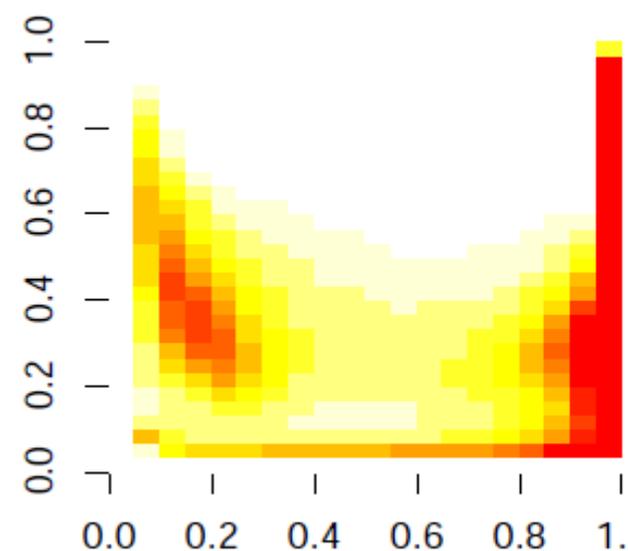
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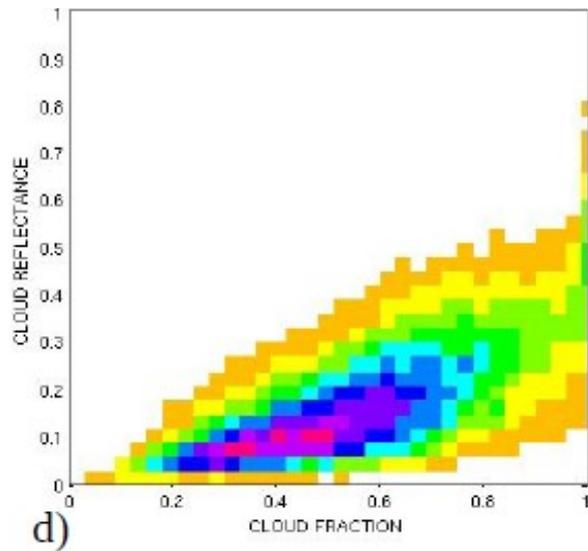
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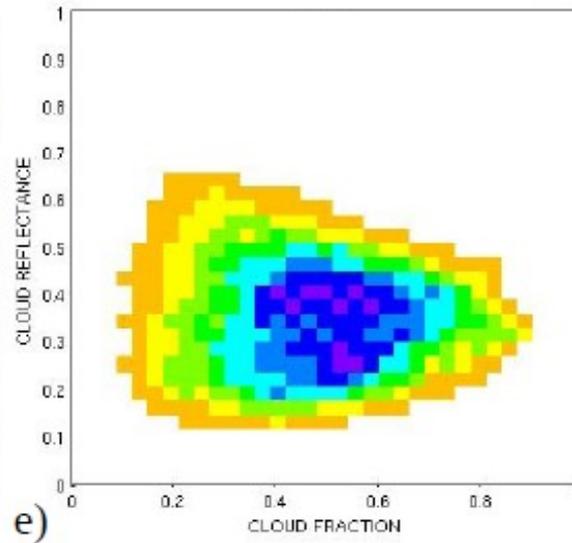
# Cloud reflectance versus cloud fraction, over the tropical oceans

## Total cloud, monthly mean

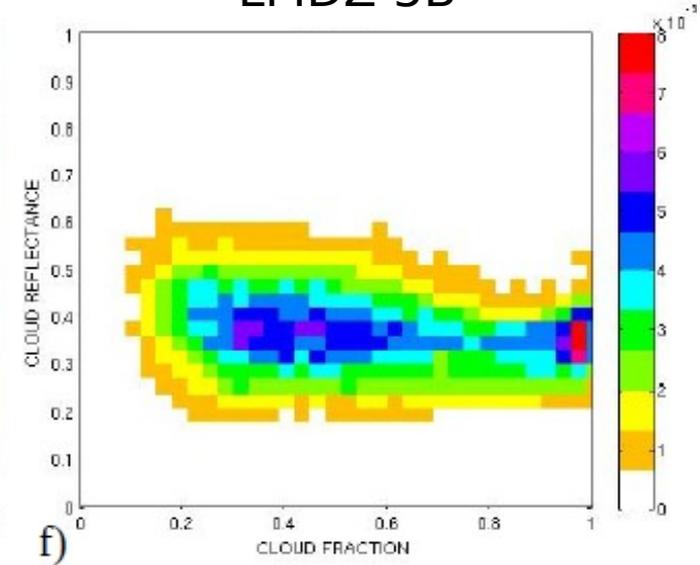
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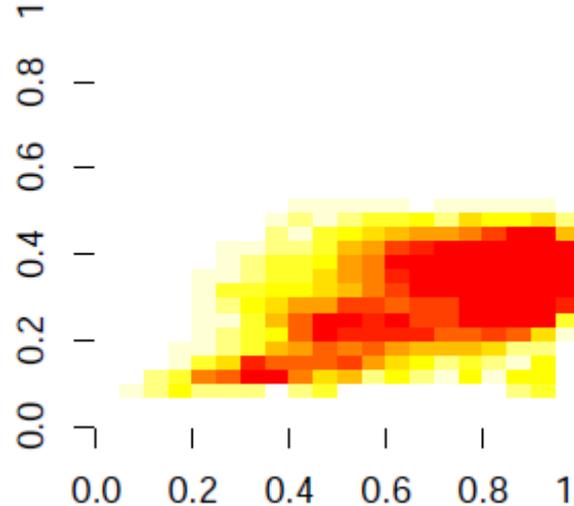
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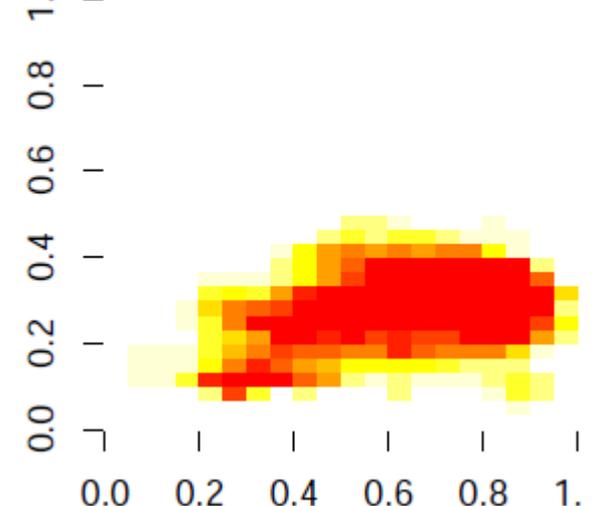
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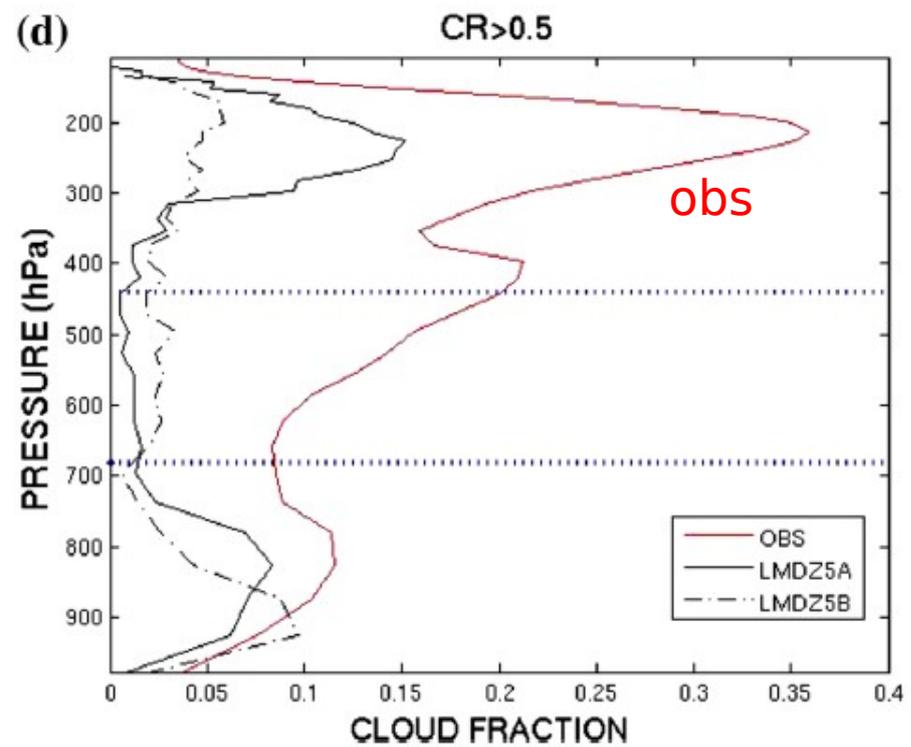
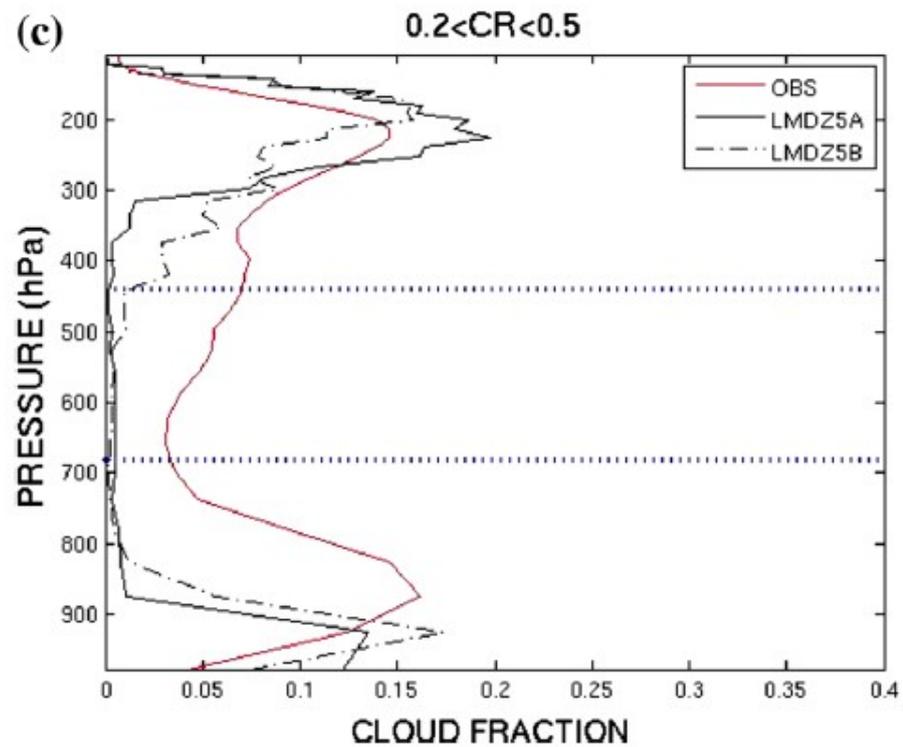
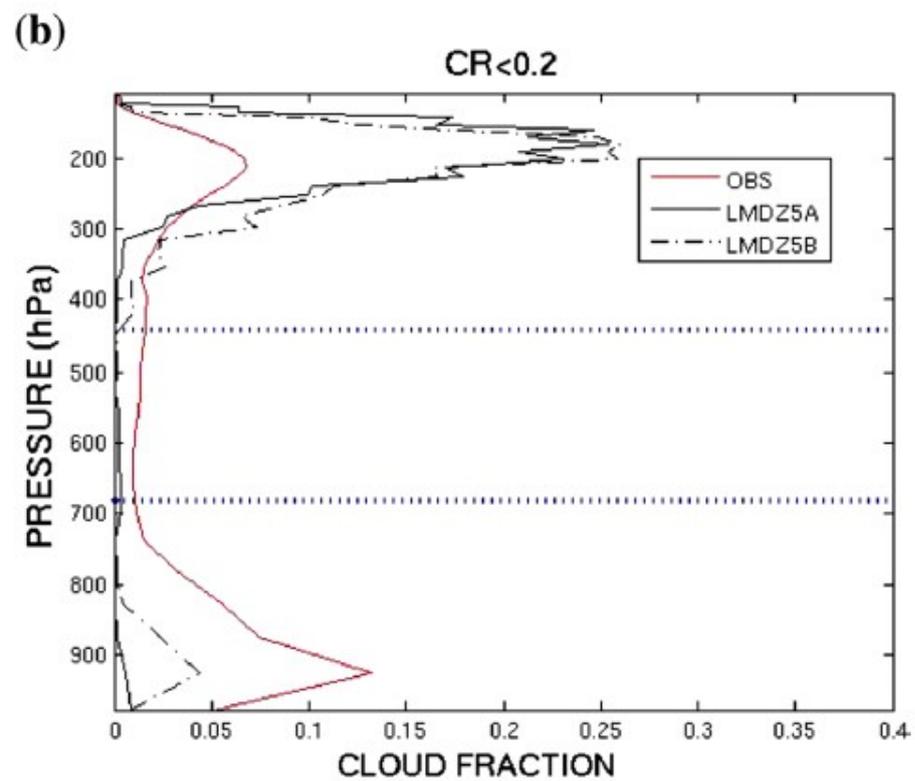
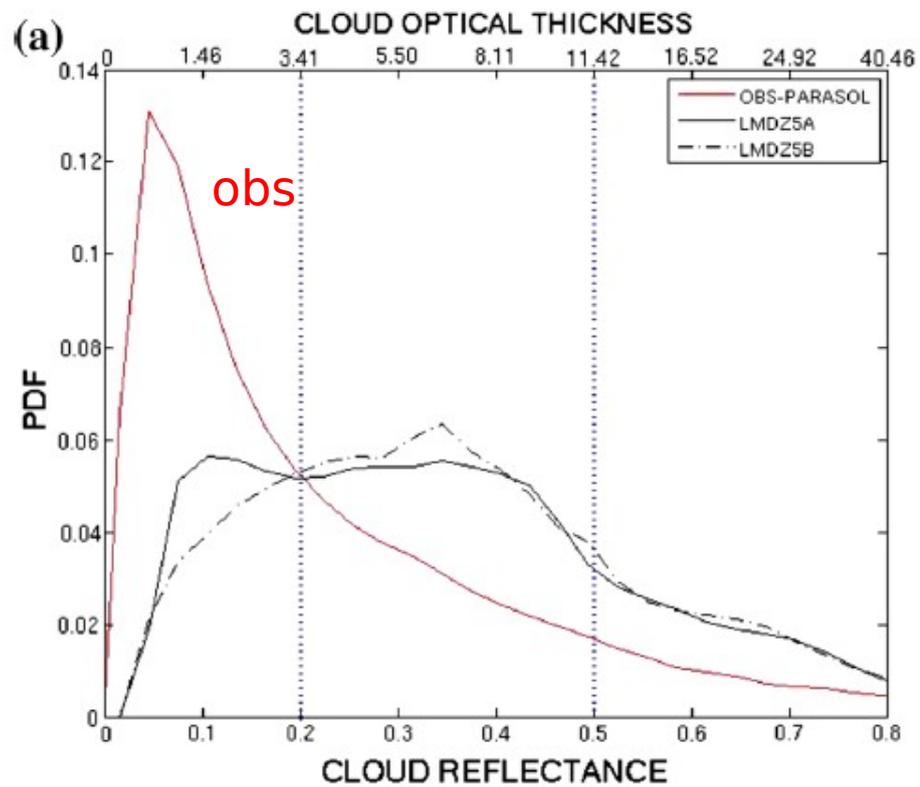


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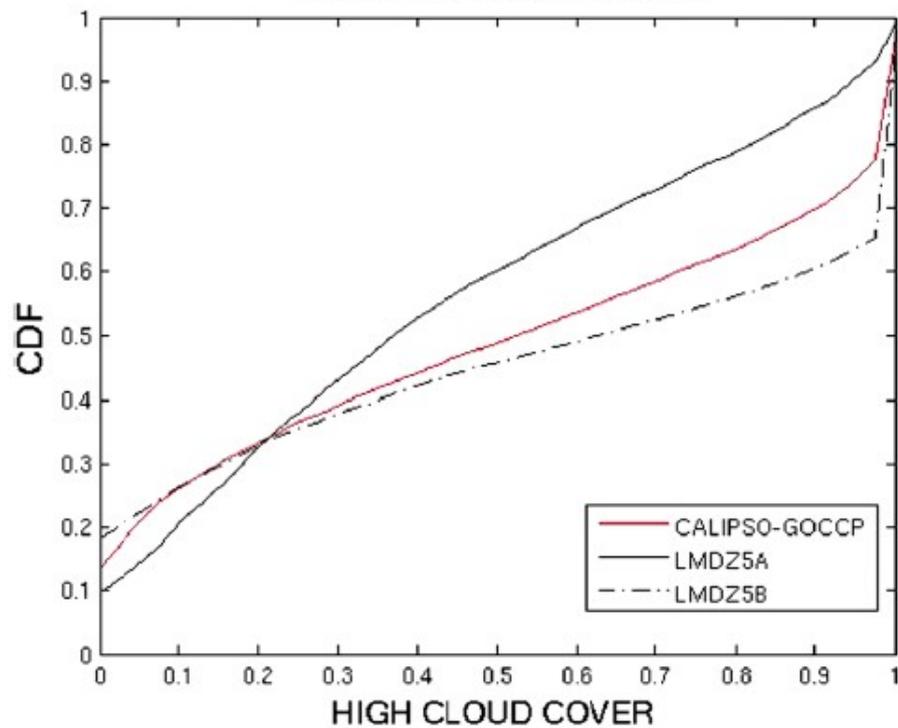


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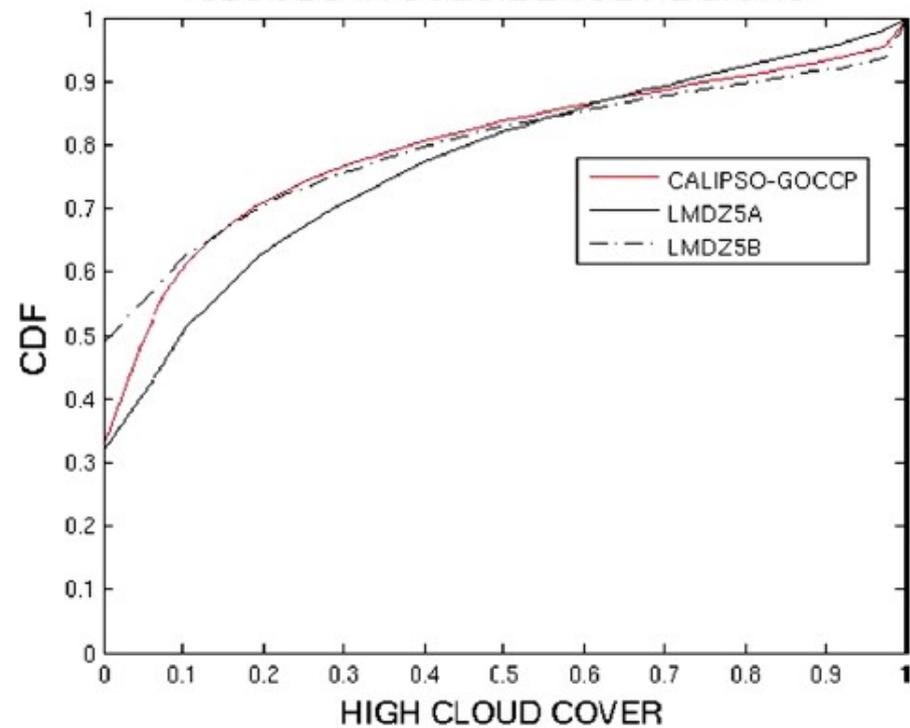




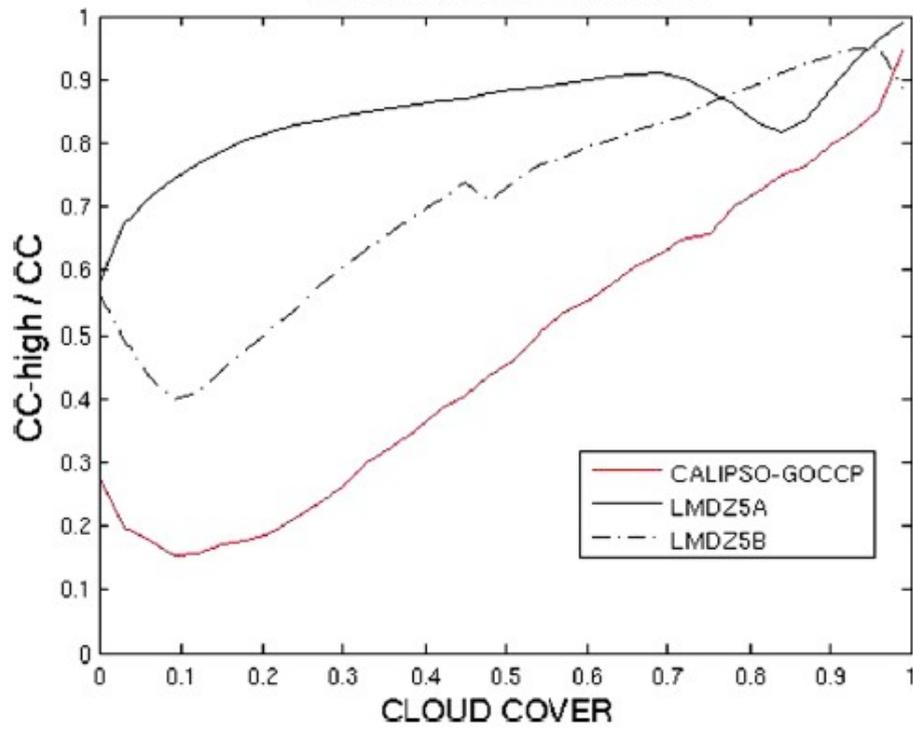
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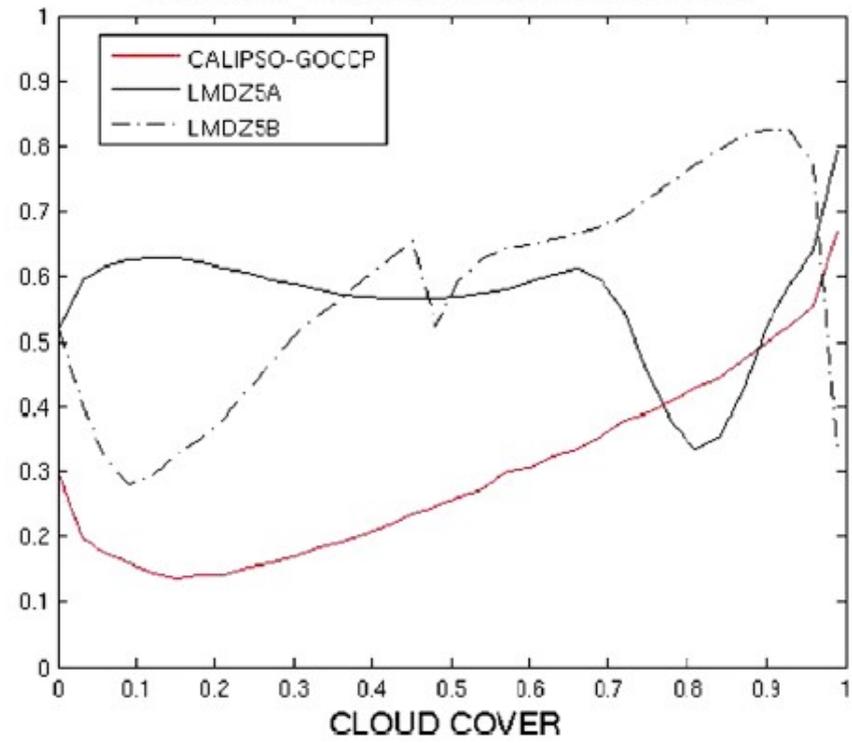
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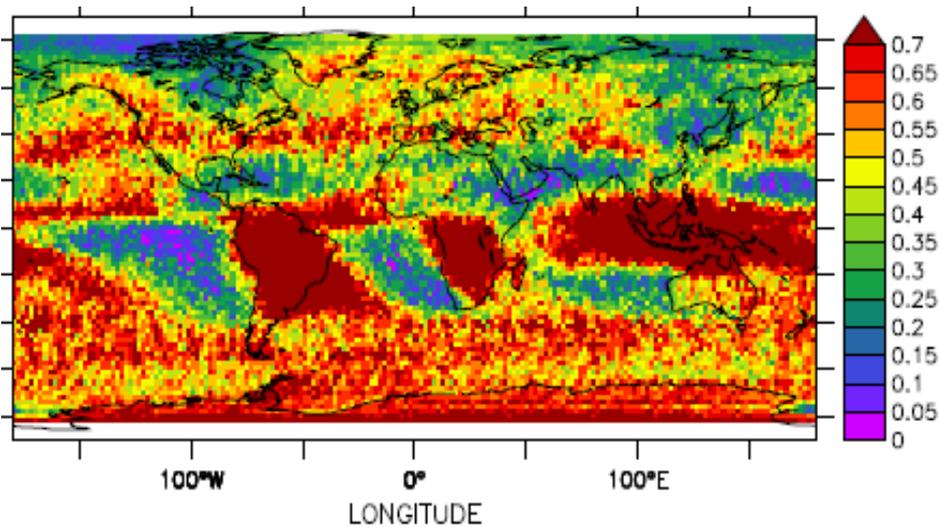


Nuages bas:

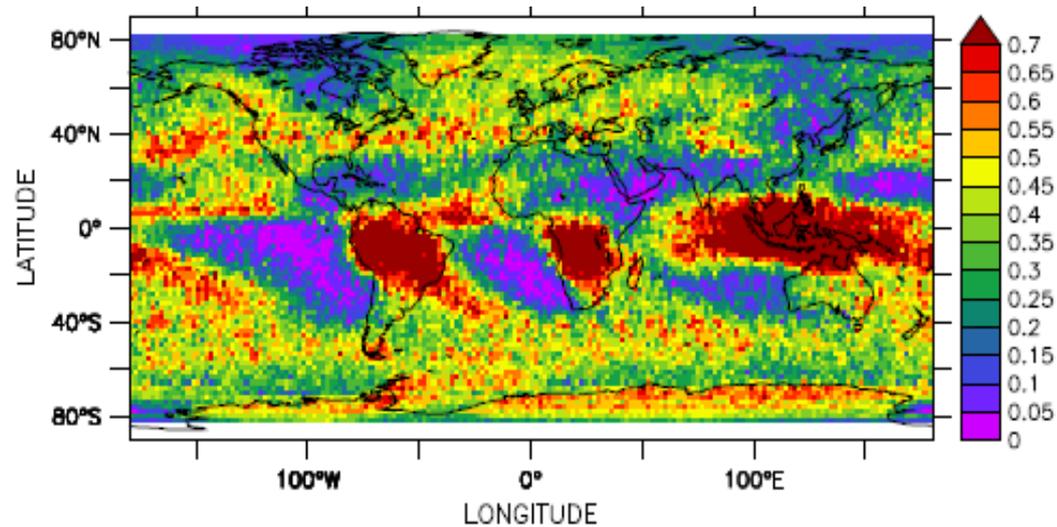
- Très nettement mieux que 5A et 5B

Nuages haut:

- Encore des pbs:
- Nuages optiquement peu épais: trops de nuages hauts
- Nuages hauts de faible fraction trop fréquents pour 5A, OK pour 5B



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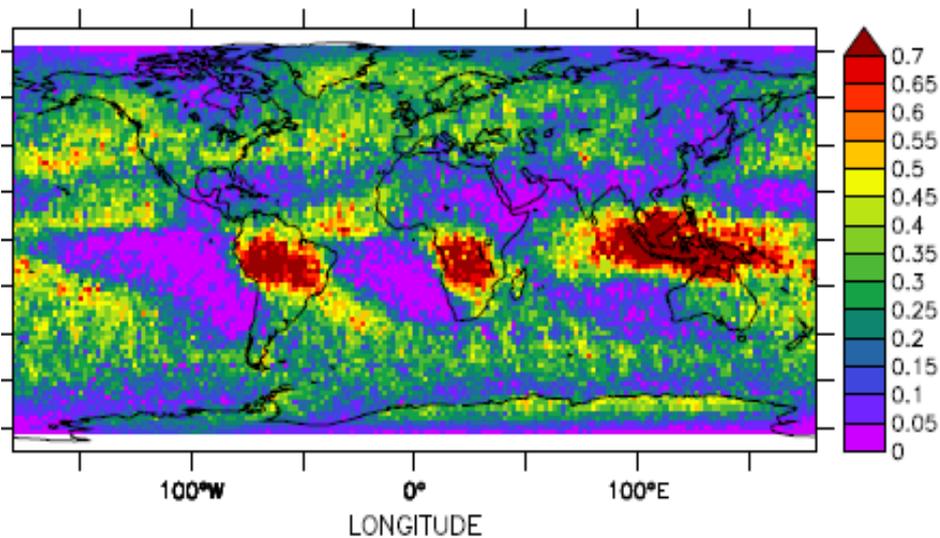
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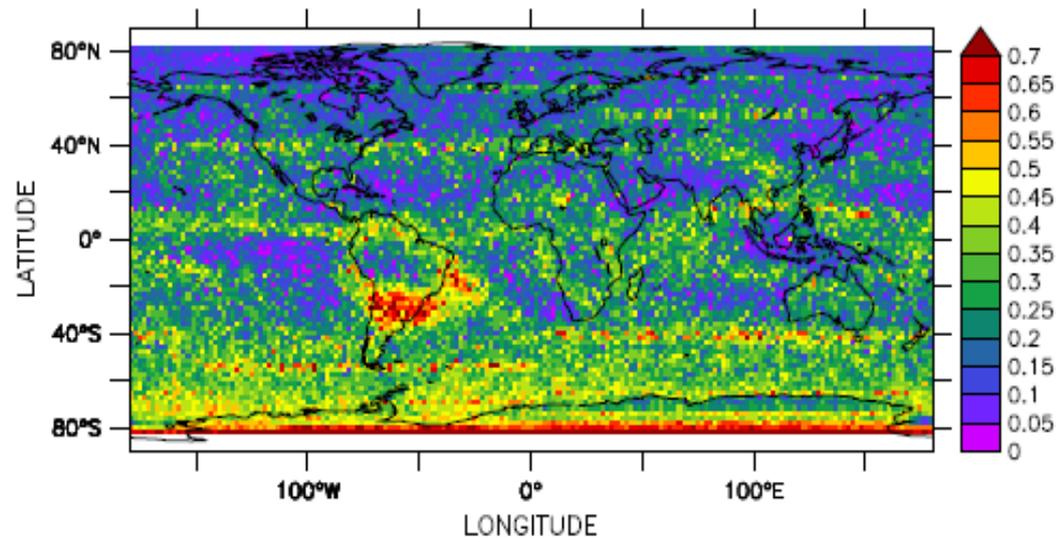
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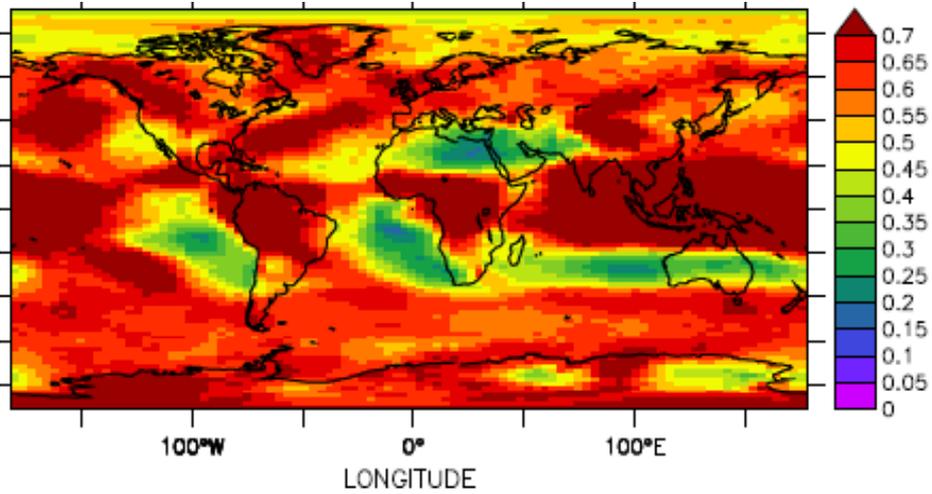
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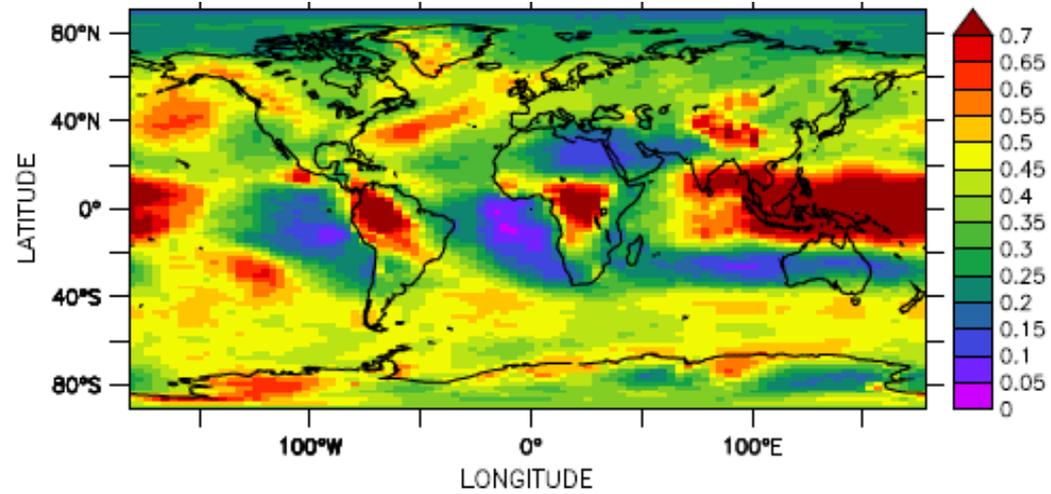
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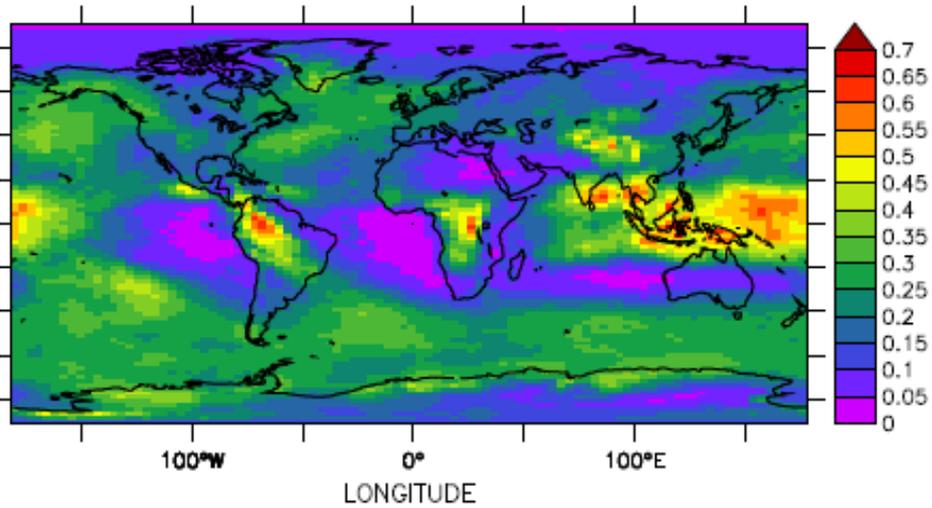
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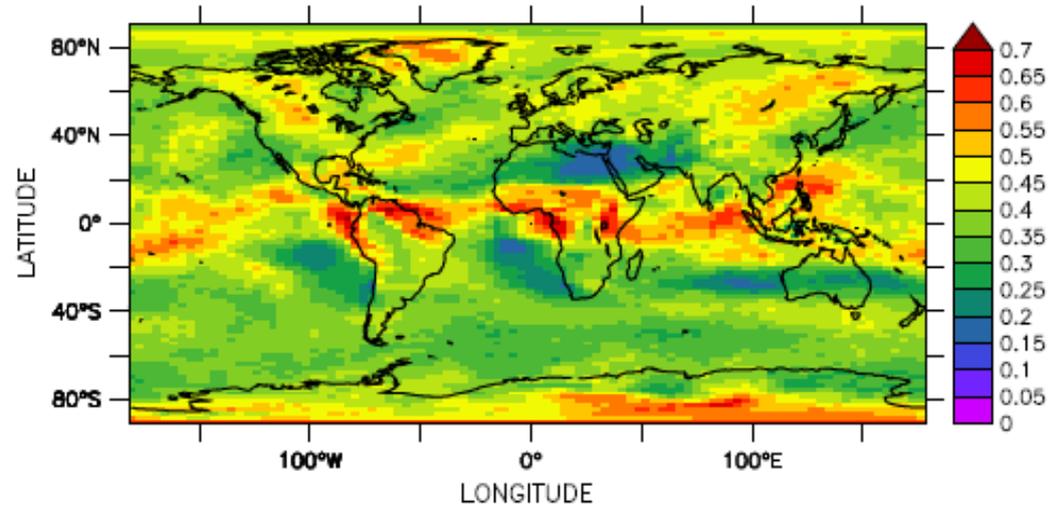
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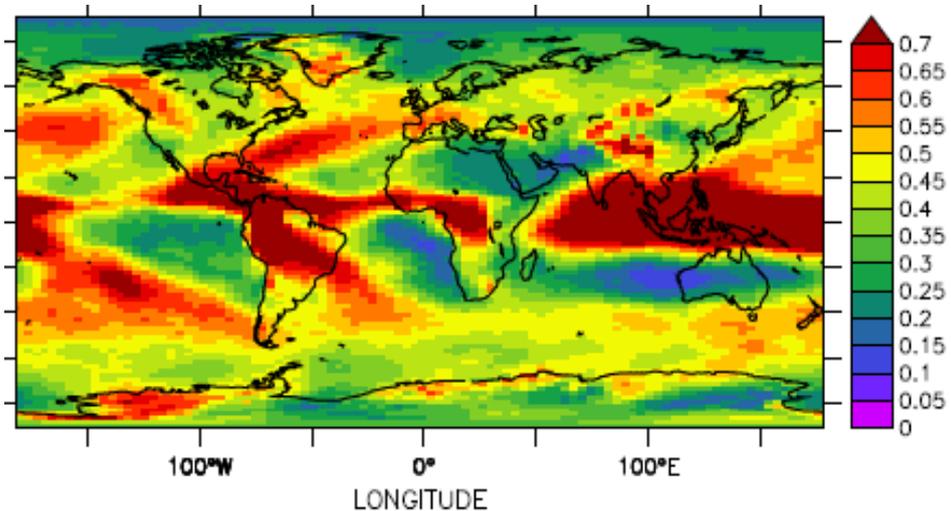
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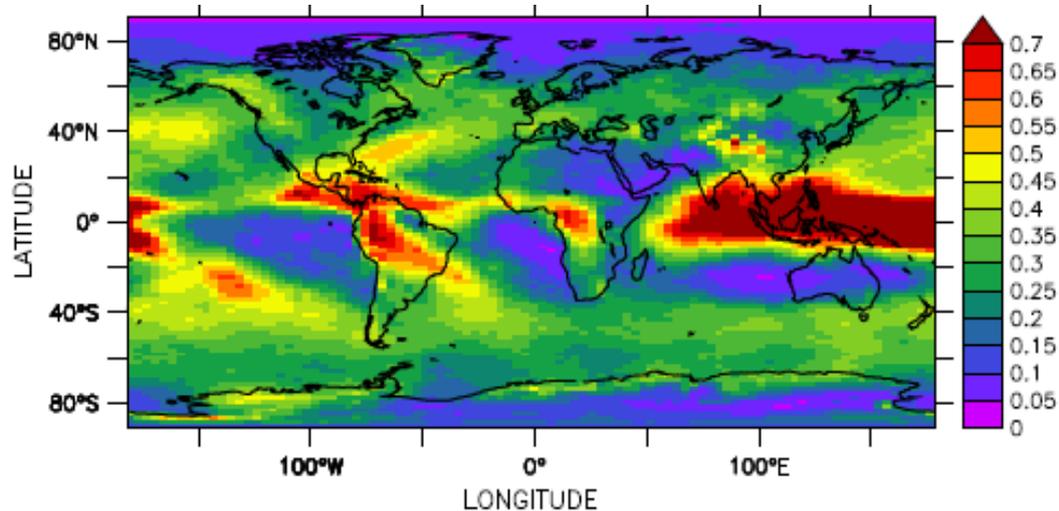
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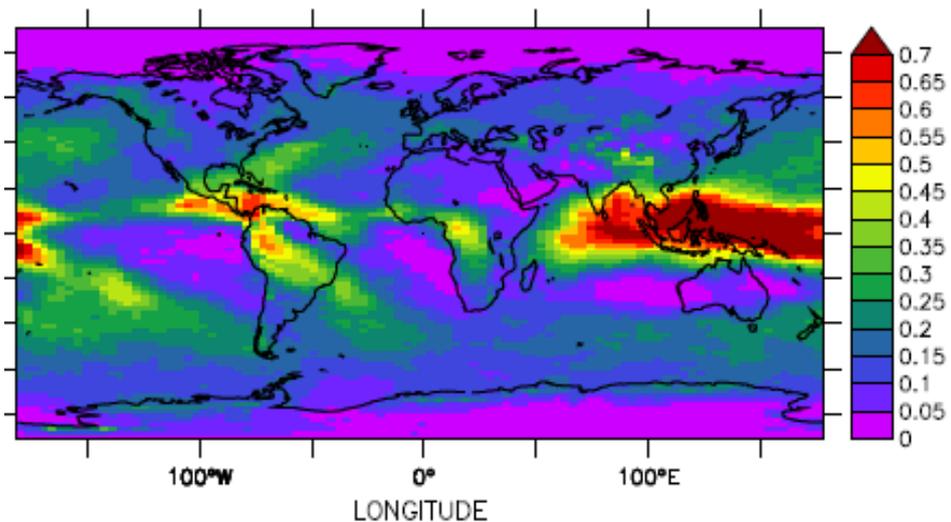
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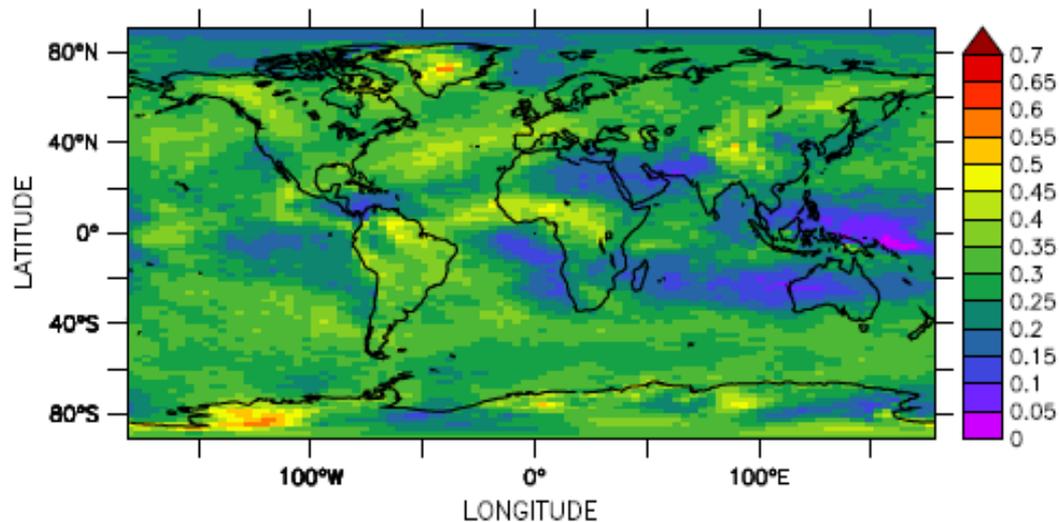
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