

長期シミュレーションを用いた成層圏昇温時の 大気潮汐変動と電離圏への影響

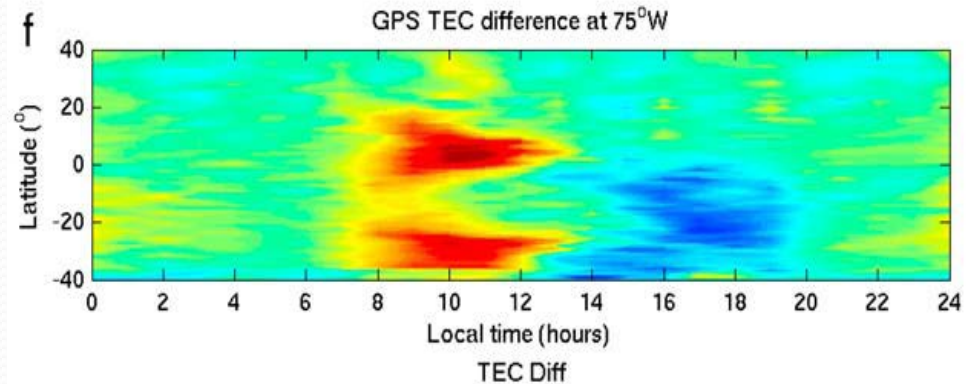
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Introduction: Effects of SSW on ionosphere

Observation:

GPS-TEC at 75°W

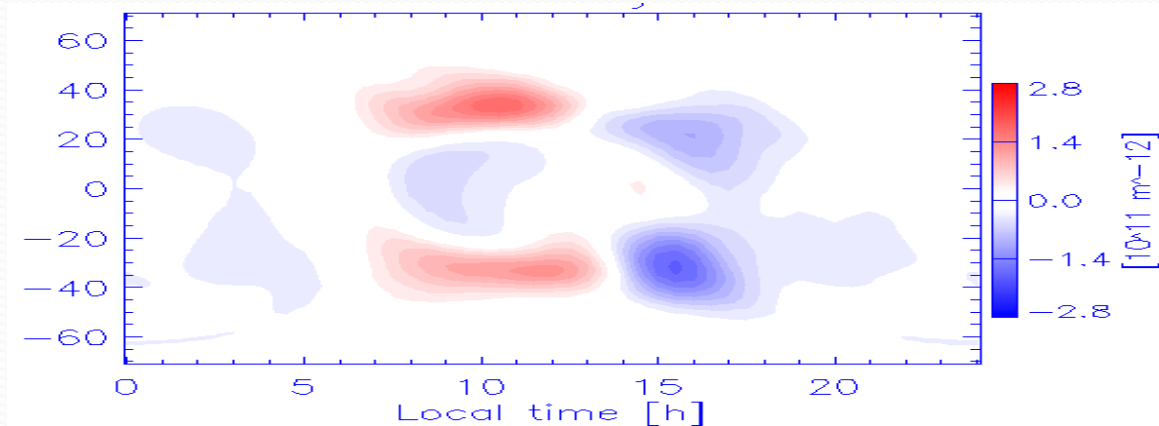
Difference before and after SSW
[Goncharenko et al., 2010]



GAIA Simulation:

F region electron density
(zonal mean)

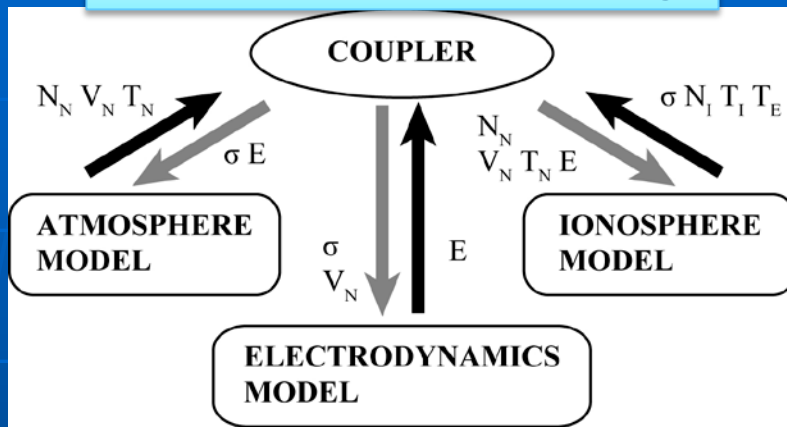
Difference before and after SSW
[Jin et al., 2012]



- Recent studies have revealed effect of SSW on ionosphere is significant, and several mechanisms for the lower and upper atmospheric coupling have been proposed.
- Most studies focused on the recent major SSWs (2009/1, 2013/1,,), but how about other SSWs? What are the general processes? What causes differences?

Ground-to-topside model of Atmosphere and Ionosphere for Aeronomy (GAIA)

Self-consistent coupling



Included

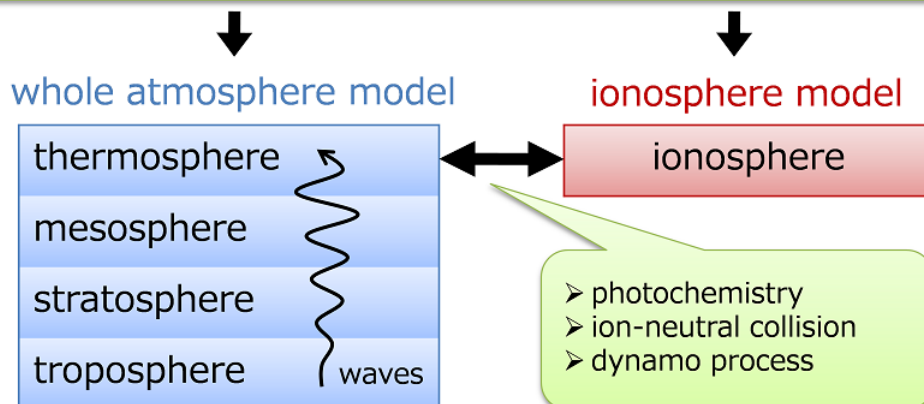
- Seamless neutral atmosphere from ground to topside thermosphere
- Meteorological processes
- Self-consistent interaction between thermosphere-ionosphere
- Spatial Resolution Ion-lat $1^\circ \times 1^\circ$, $2.5^\circ \times 2.5^\circ$, $5.0^\circ \times 5.0^\circ$, L75 and L150

Not Included

- Detail chemical reactions in GCM
- Inertia terms in ion momentum equation
→ upper ionosphere, plasmasphere not rigorous
- Tilted dipole magnetic field used
- Realistic Magnetospheric inputs
- Only F10.7 used
- No lunar tide

GAIA

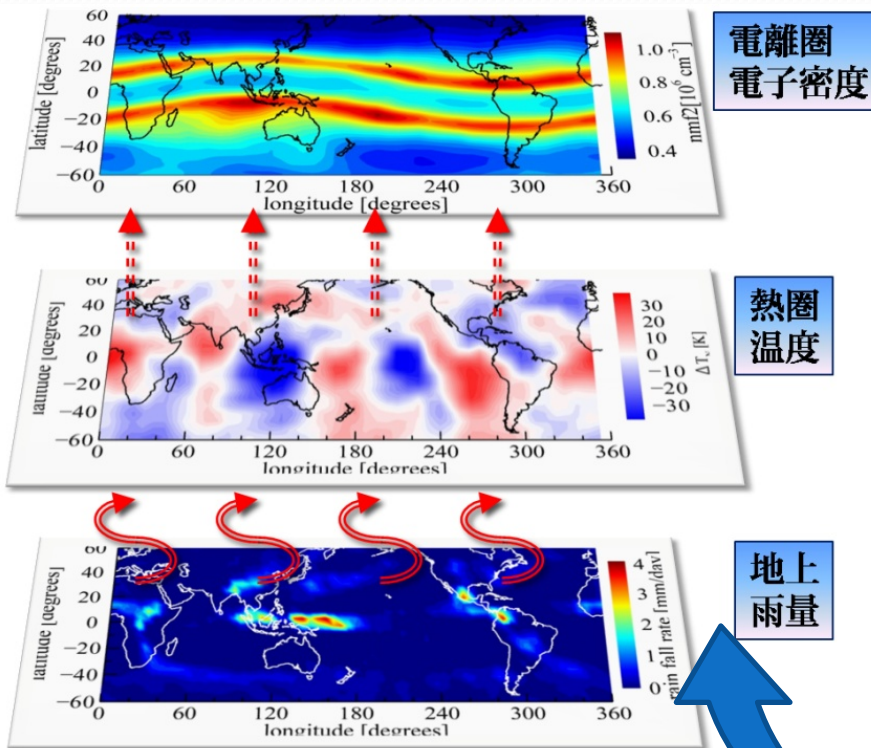
solar irradiance, aurora particle precipitation, convection electric field



Realistic whole atmosphere-ionosphere simulation

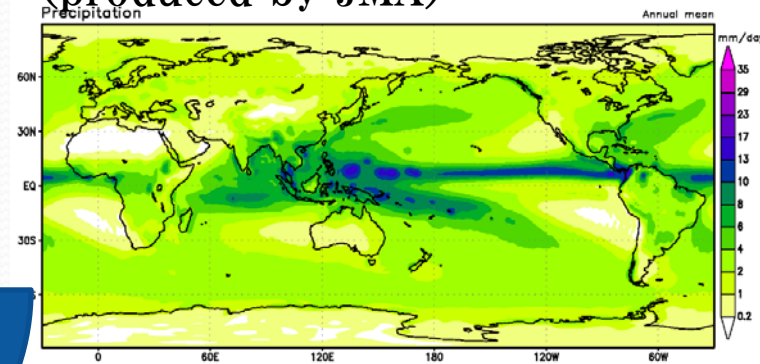
Whole atmosphere-ionosphere model (GAIA)

Realistic input parameters



F10.7 at Penticton

Meteorological Reanalysis data
(produced by JMA)



nudging at 0–30 km altitudes

surface temperature and pressure,
temperature, zonal and
meridional winds, water vapor

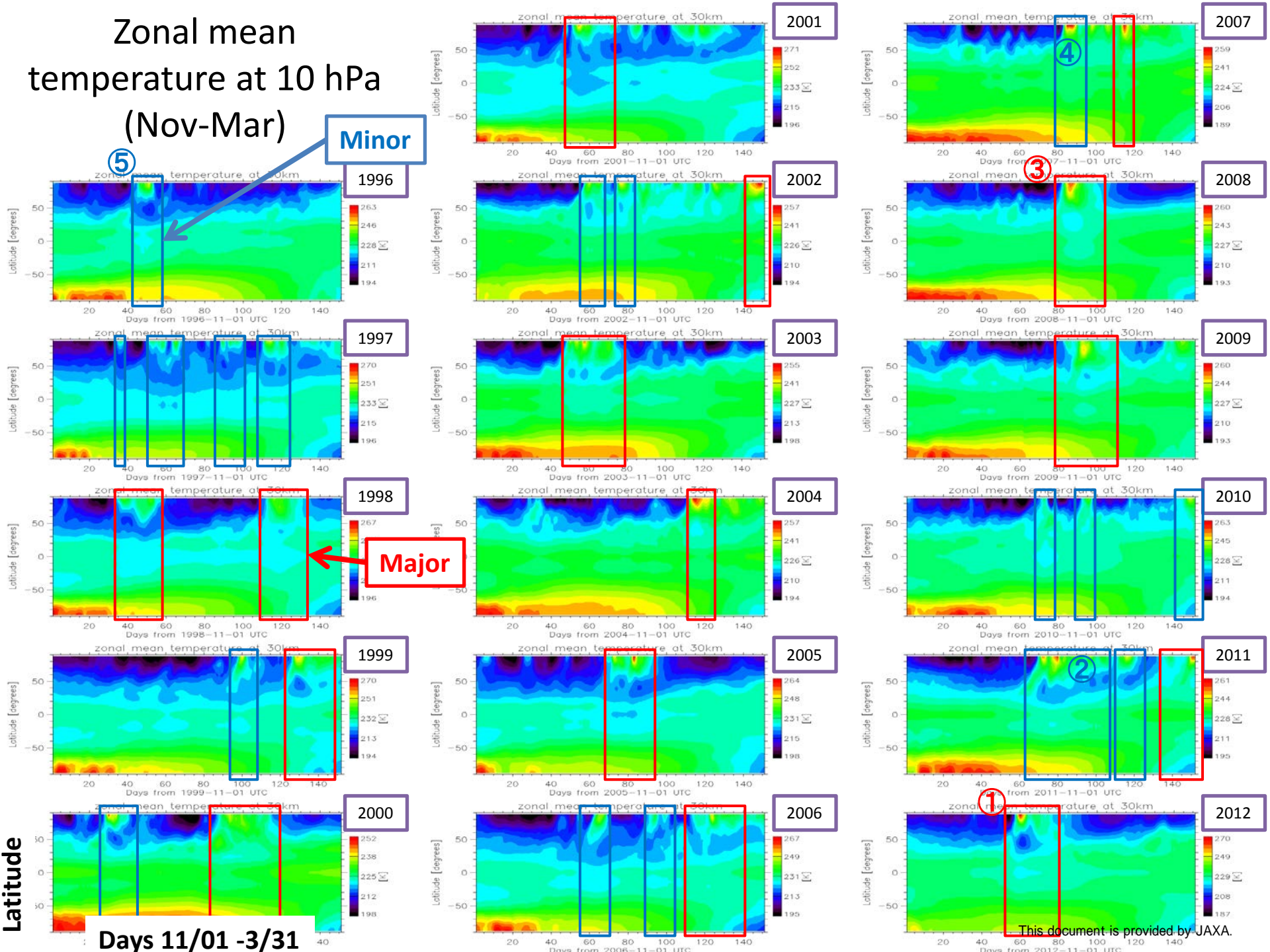
- Simulation period: 1996/1 – 2015/6
- magnetospheric inputs are fixed to quiet levels

Database of GAIA long-term run

- All variables (~original output from the model)
 - ✓ Neutral variables: mass ratio (O, O₂), Un, Vn, Wn, Tn, z, rain precipitation, ...
 - ✓ Ionospheric variables: density (O⁺, O₂⁺, N₂⁺, NO⁺, O, O₂, N₂), **Vn**, Te, Ti, **E**, **J**
- Tidal components: DW1, SW2, TW3, DE3, SW1, ...
extracted by short-term Fourier decomposition
- Data coverage
 - Neutral variables: (2.8 deg * 2.8 deg), vertical 150 layers (0-~700km), 1 hour interval
 - Ionospheric variables: 2.5 deg * 2 deg * 10 km from (0-1800km), 0.5 hour interval
 - 1996/1 – 2015/6
- Format: Netcdf4
- Available from NICT Science Cloud

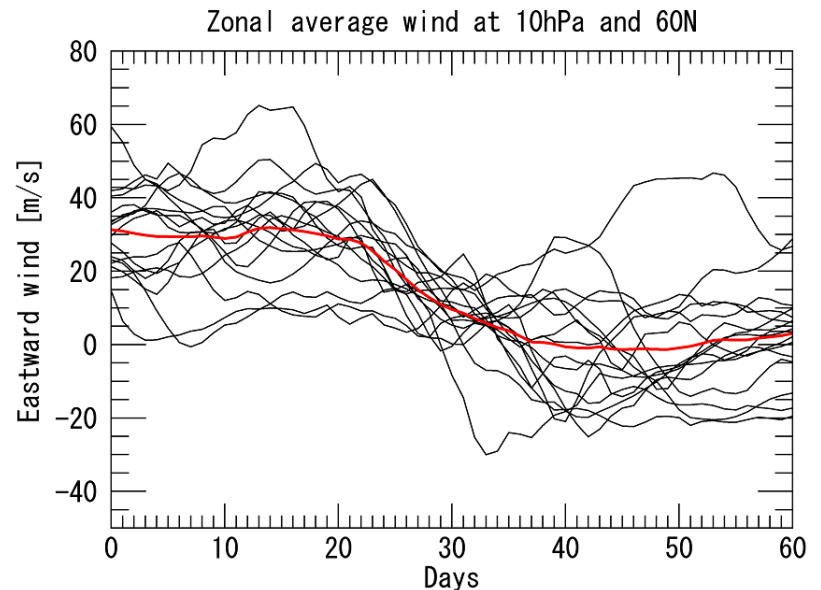
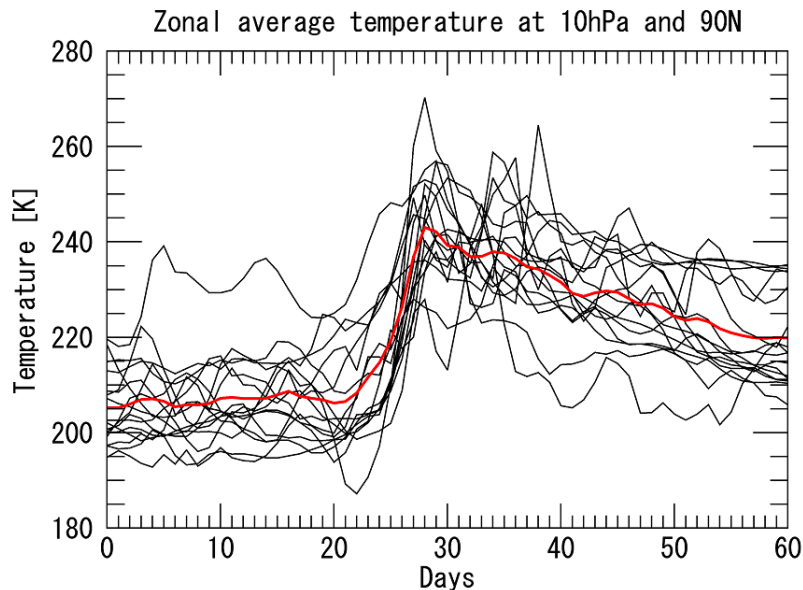
Zonal mean temperature at 10 hPa (Nov-Mar)

Latitude

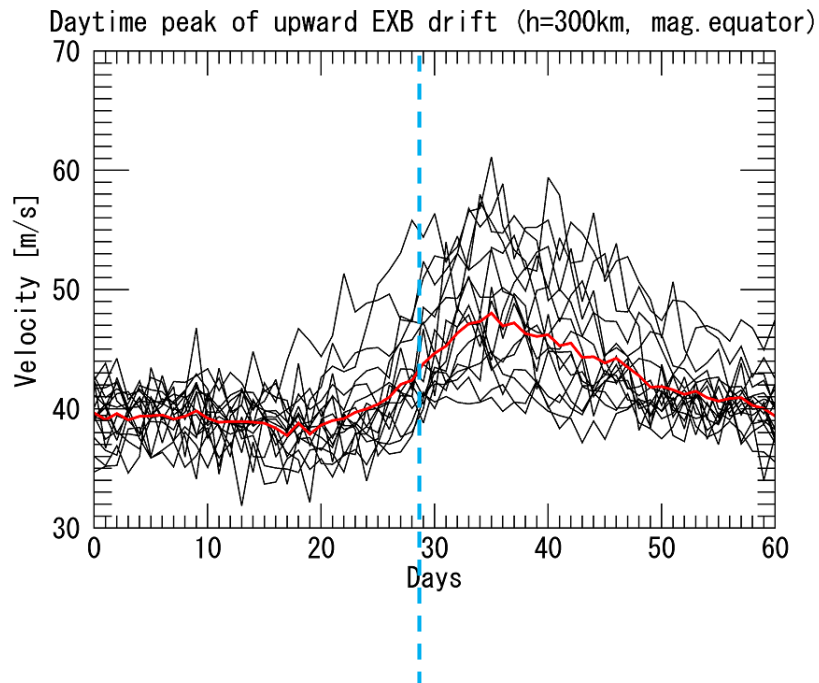


Superposed epoch analysis

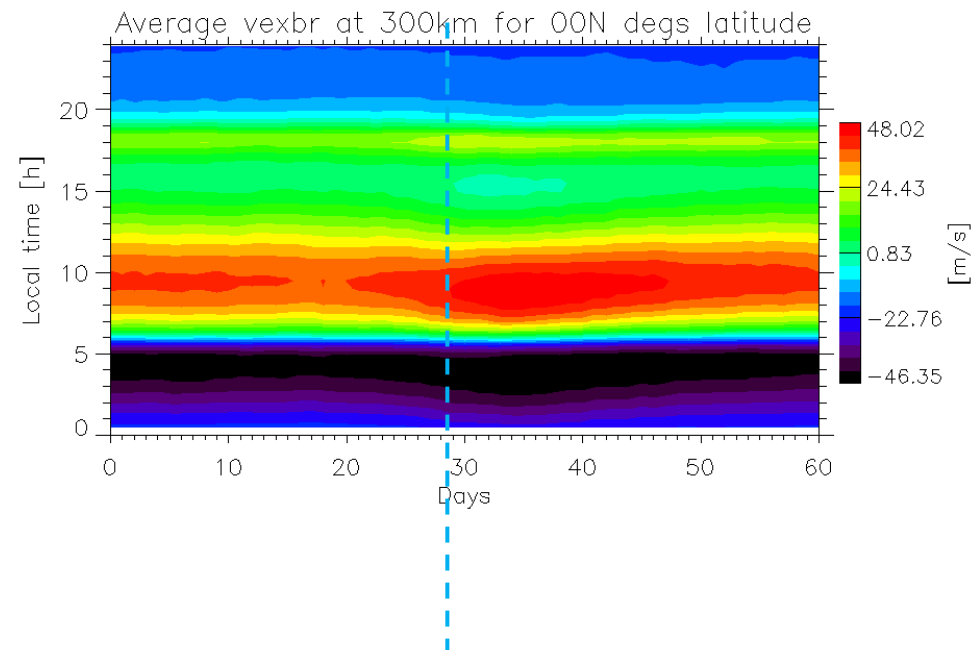
- SSW発生(10Pa高度で1週間以内に25K以上温度増加)が確認された日を基準に前20日、後40日を抽出。
 - イベントどうしが30日以上離れているものを選ぶ。
- 全部で16イベント



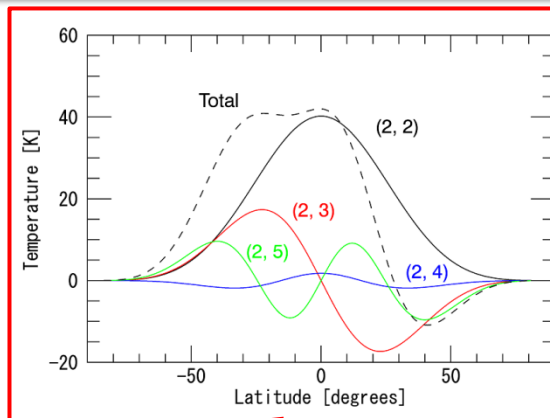
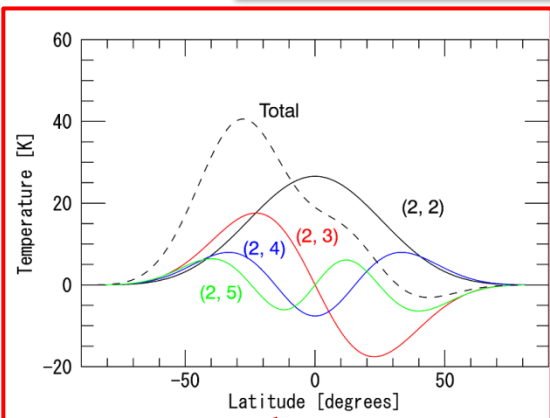
Upward EXB drift during SSW (h=300km, mag.equator)



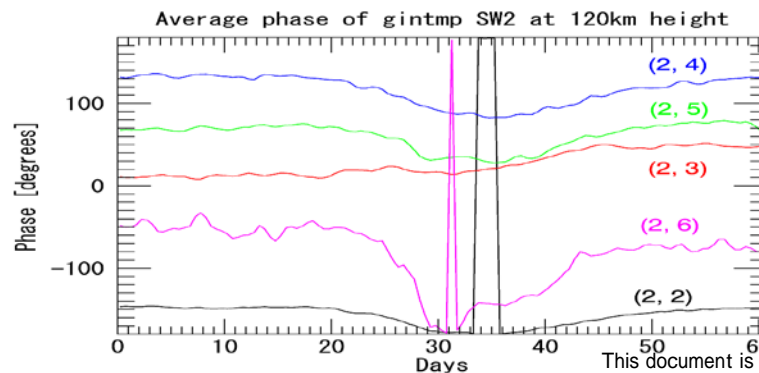
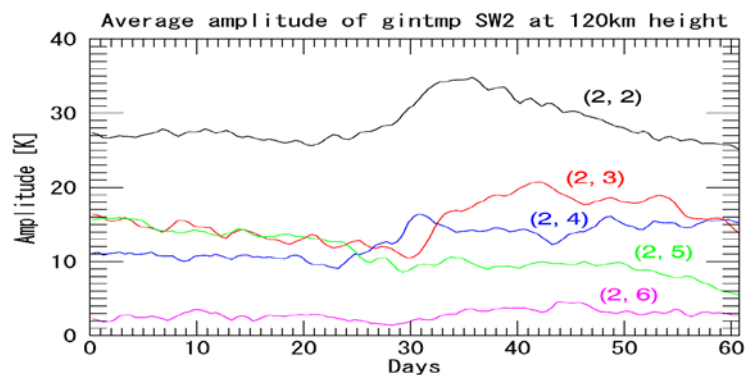
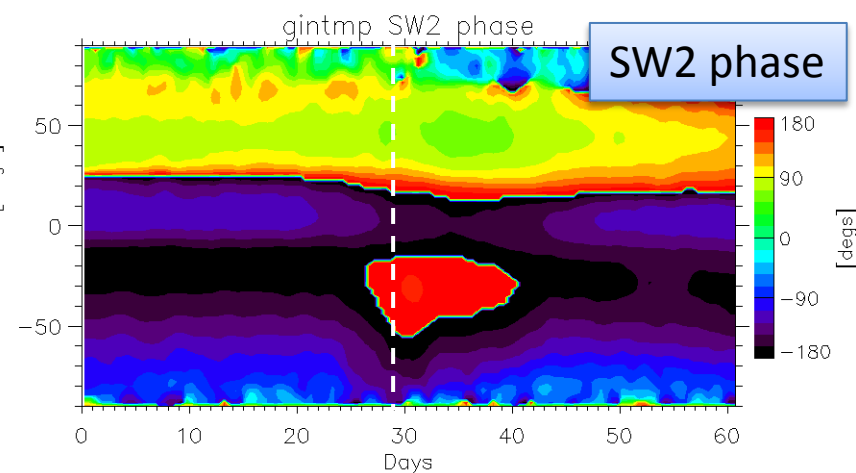
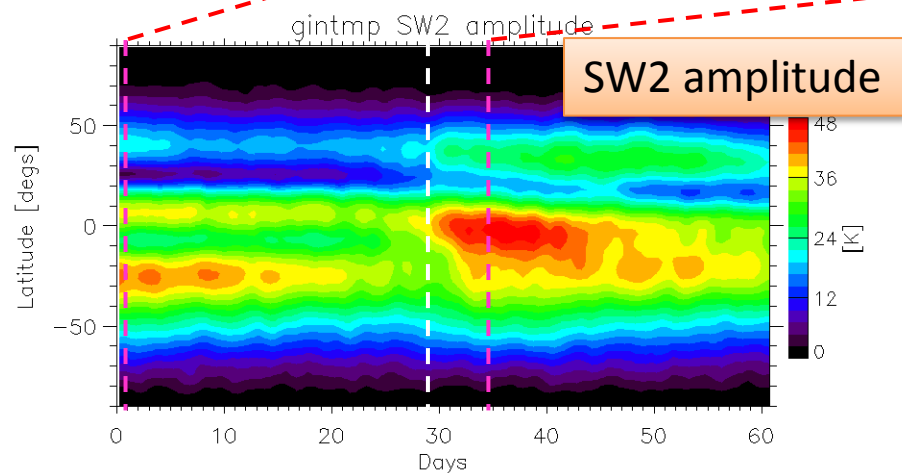
Day of average peak temperature
at North Pole at 10hPa



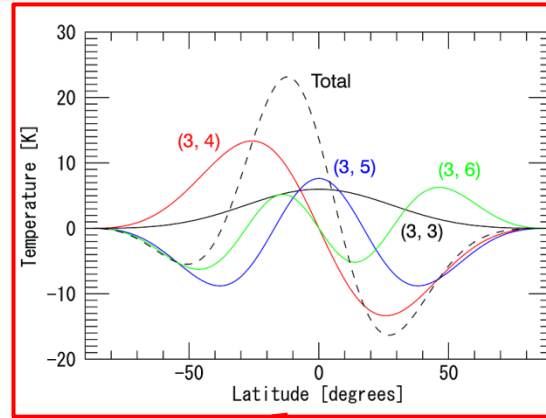
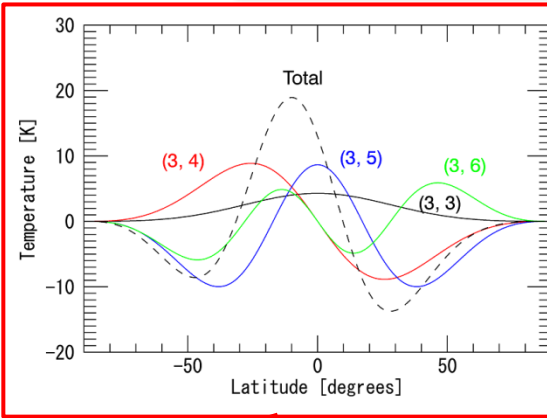
Average tidal variation at 120 km (SW2)



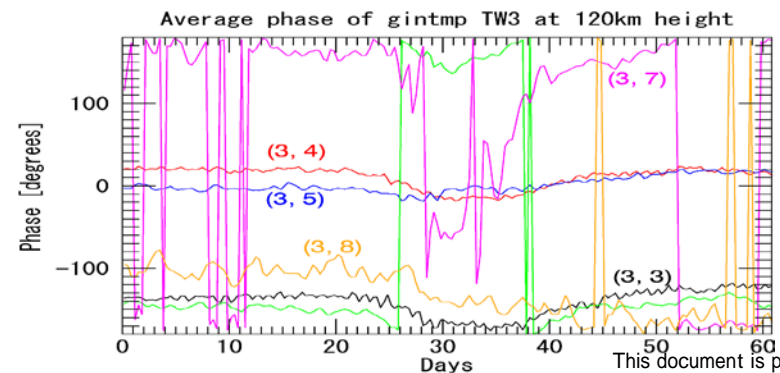
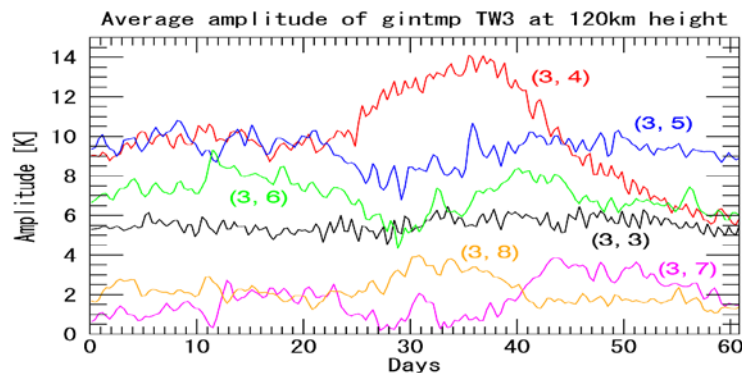
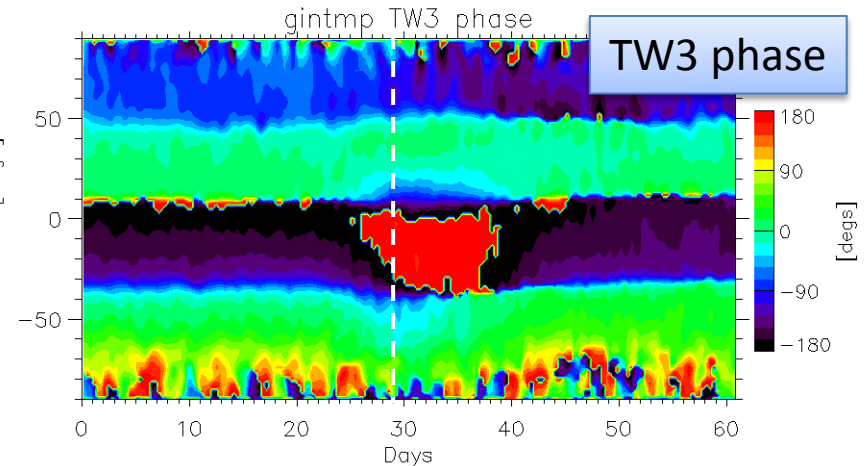
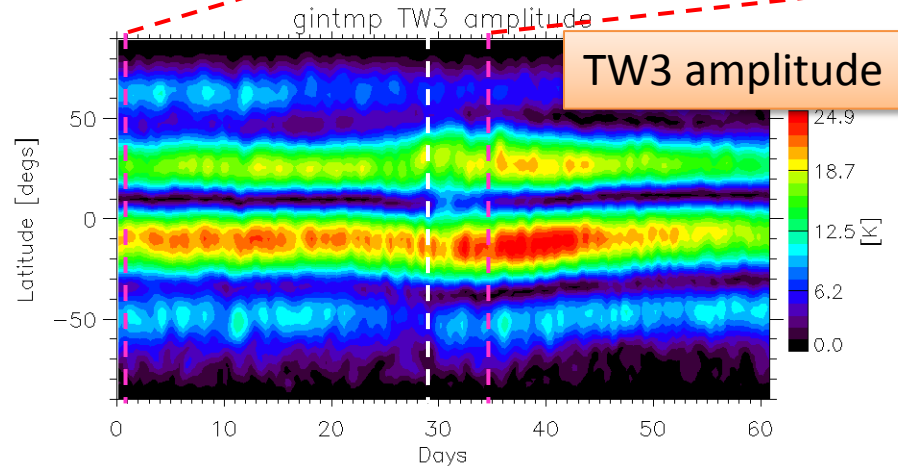
← SW2 temperature (at LT=0)



Average tidal variation at 120 km (TW3)



← TW3 temperature (at LT=0)



Conclusion

- Relation between upward VEXB in equatorial ionosphere and polar stratospheric temperature
 - On average large T_n increase leads to large increase of VEXB
 - but not always true (correlation is 0.59)
- Tidal variation at dynamo layer
 - On average, SW₂, TW₃ and DW₁ change in amplitude and phase during SSW periods.
 - Especially, (2,2), (2,3), (2,4), (3,3), (3,4), (1,1)

Future Analysis

- Which changes of amplitude and phase of tidal modes cause the difference of increase in EXB drift?
- Which changes in background middle atmosphere lead to the tidal variabilities in the lower thermosphere?