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# Recent Progress on the Model development of Air Quality and co-benefits

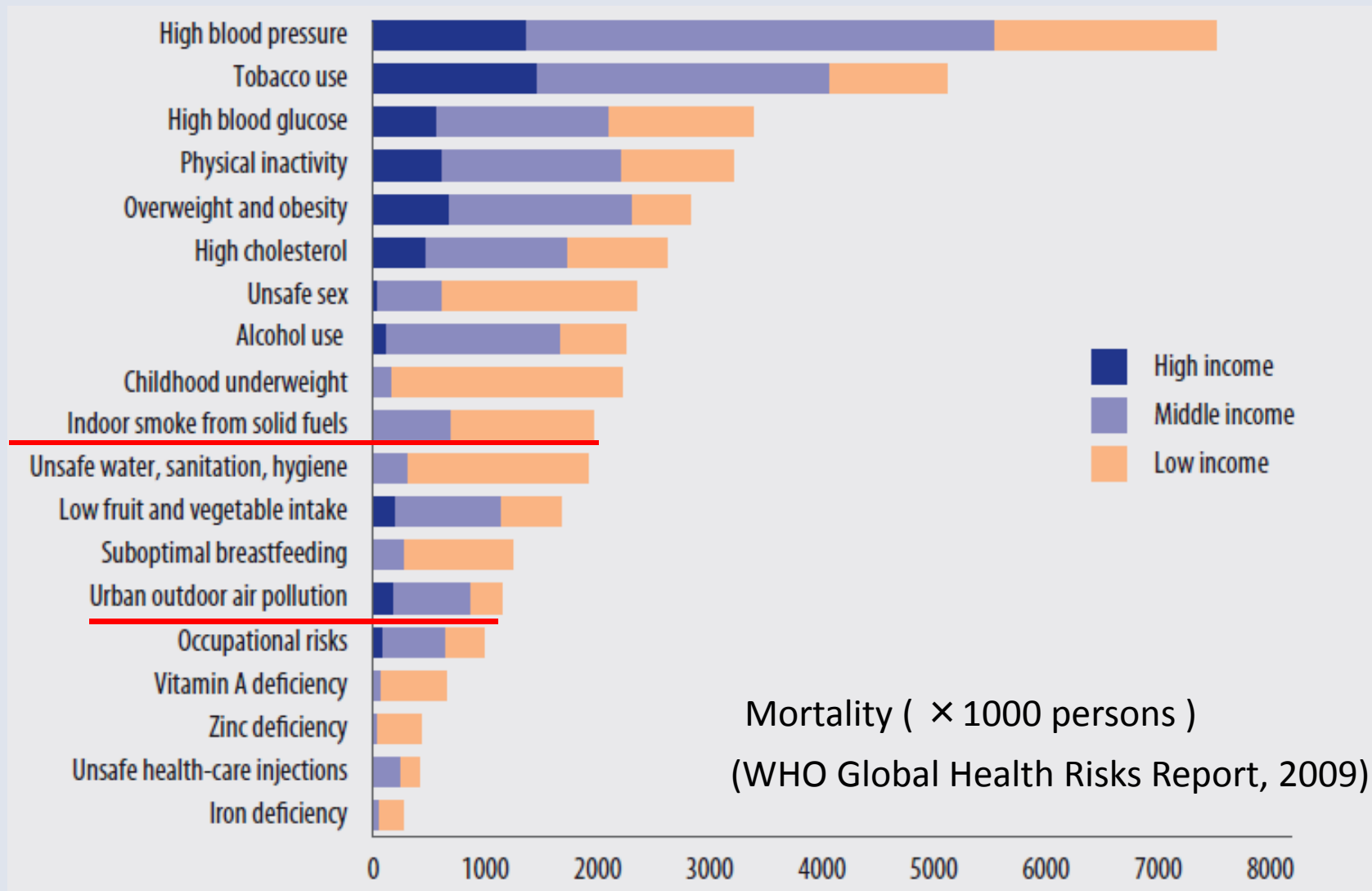


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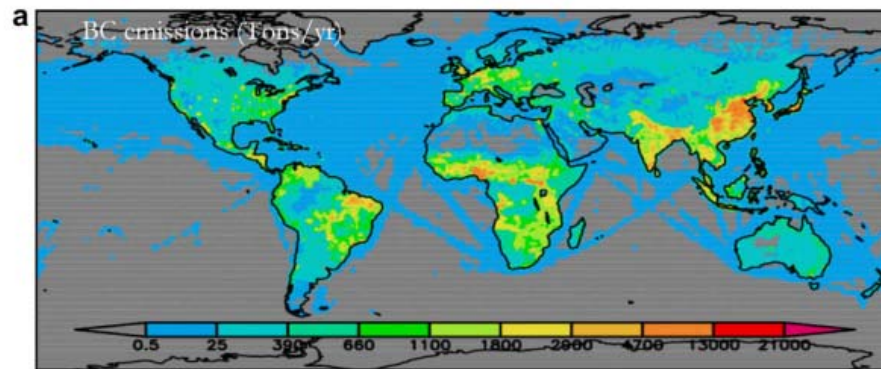
Deaths attributed to 19 leading risk factors, by country income level, 2004.



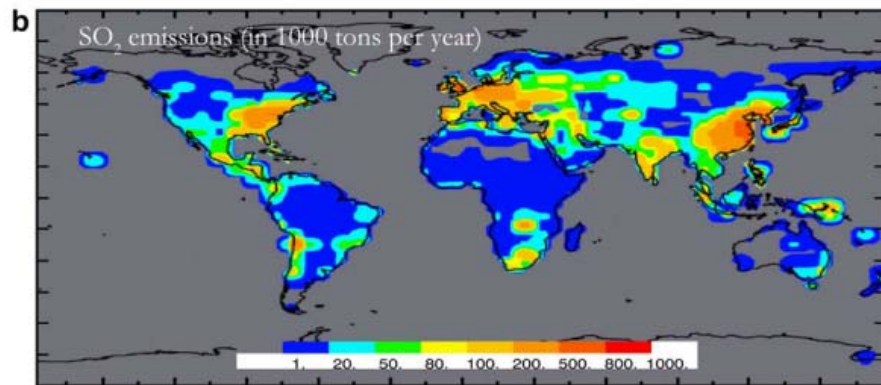
- At the Least Developed Countries, Air Pollution is still major threat to human health.

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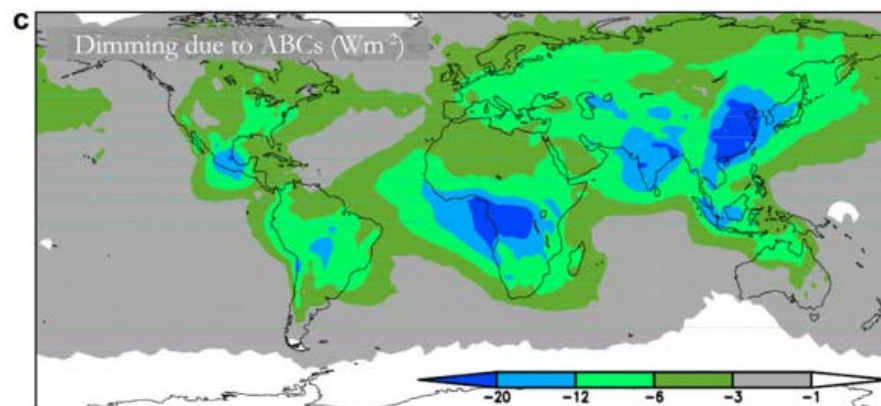
### Air Pollution issue in Least Developed Countries



Emission of Black Carbon



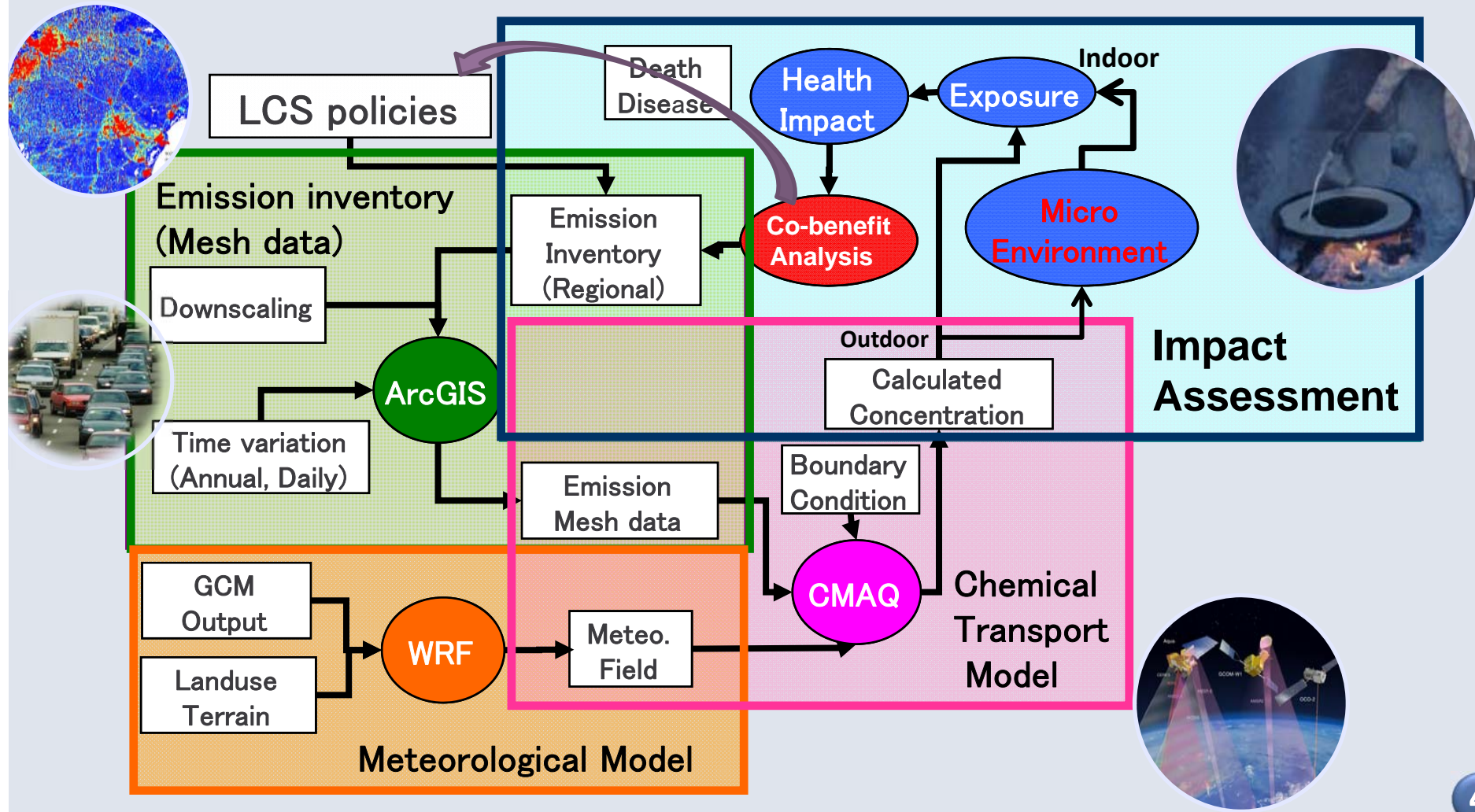
Emission of Sulfur



Simulated Global dimming at the surface due to ABCs

# Outline of the study

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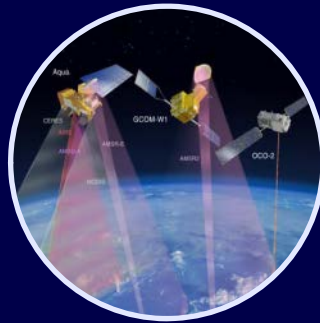


# progress of the study

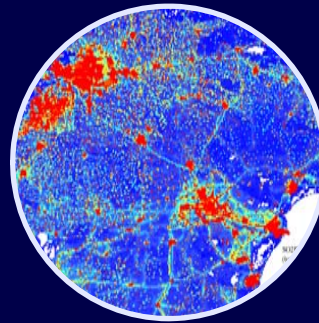
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Roadside monitoring of  $PM_{2.5}$  and Gaseous species in Iskandar Malaysia



Using the Satellite retrieval of trace species to improve an emission information



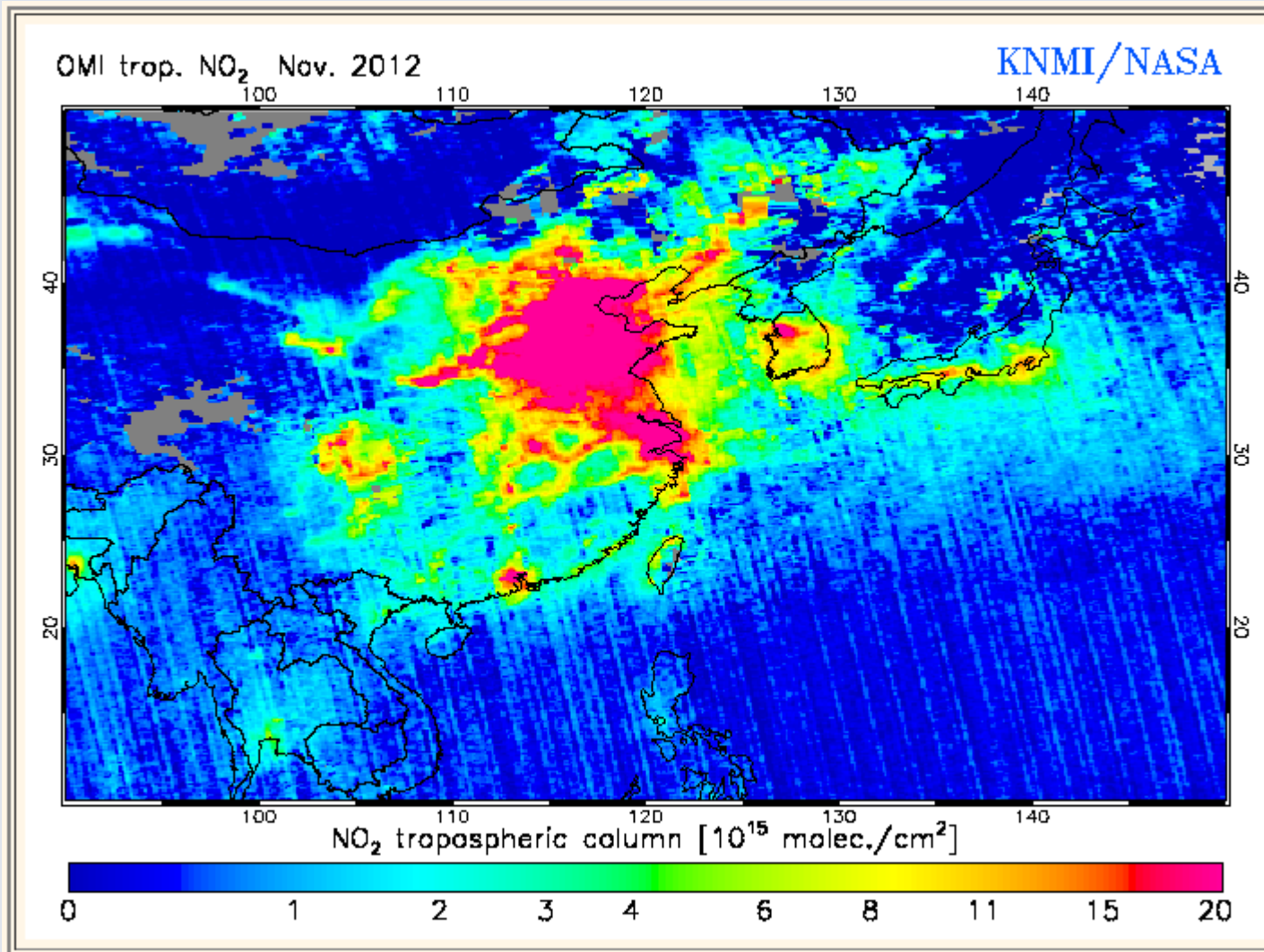
Developing the Asian extension of SMOKE emission Inventory system of Air Pollutants



Developing the Indoor Air Quality and Exposure model



# SATELLITE OBSERVATIONS



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CH<sub>2</sub>O  
CO  
Ozone  
Aerosol  
SO<sub>2</sub>

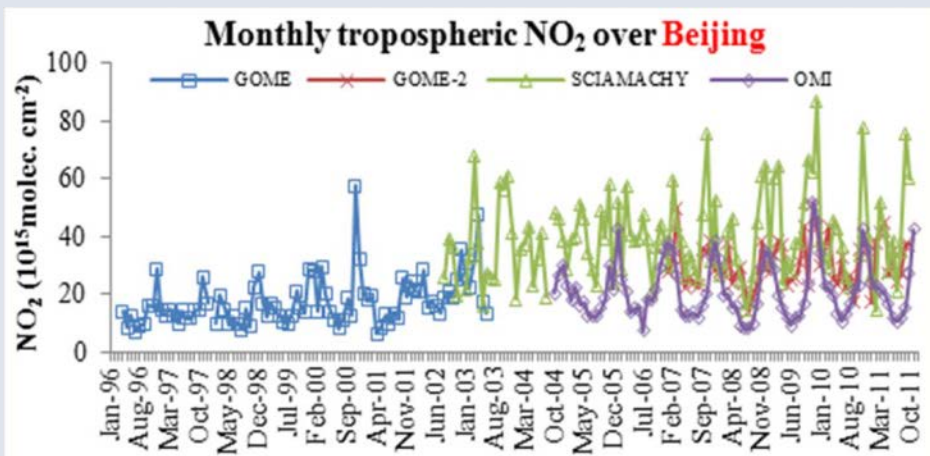
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Monthly average of NO<sub>2</sub> Vertical Column concentration (November, 2012) by OMI

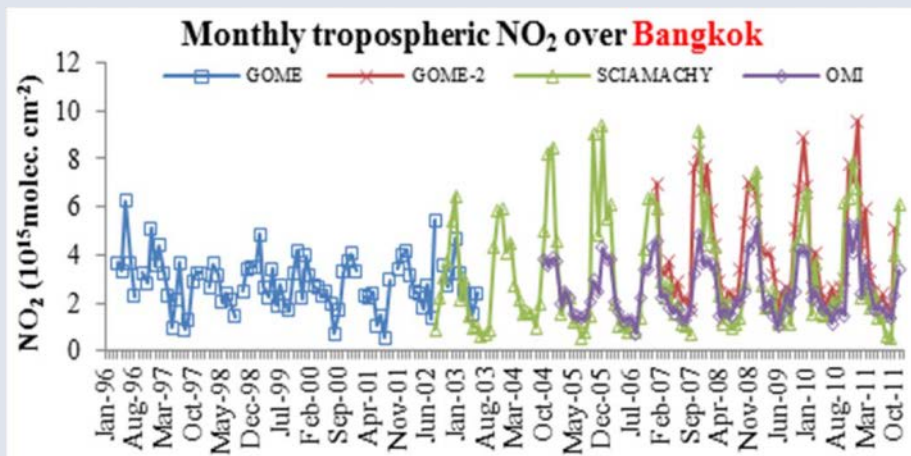
# SATELLITE OBSERVATIONS:

## Temporal & seasonal variability of NO<sub>2</sub> columns

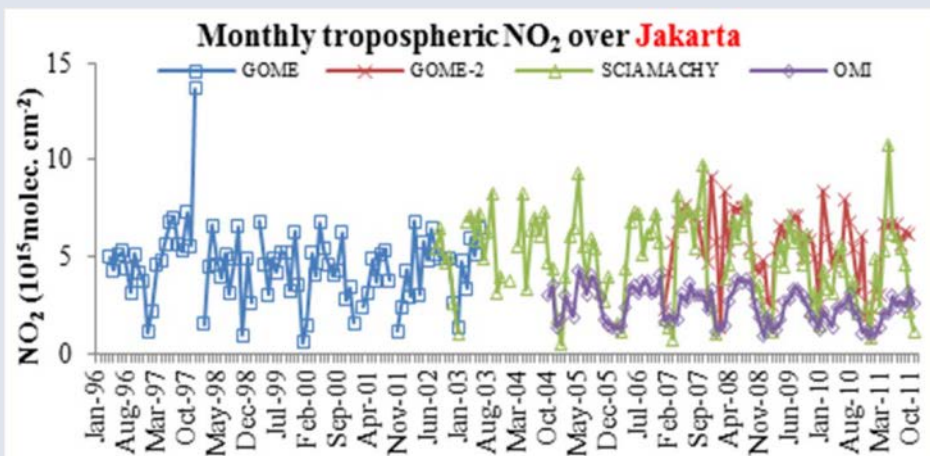
### Mid-latitude zone



### Low-latitude zone



### Equator zone



### Mid/Low – latitude zone:

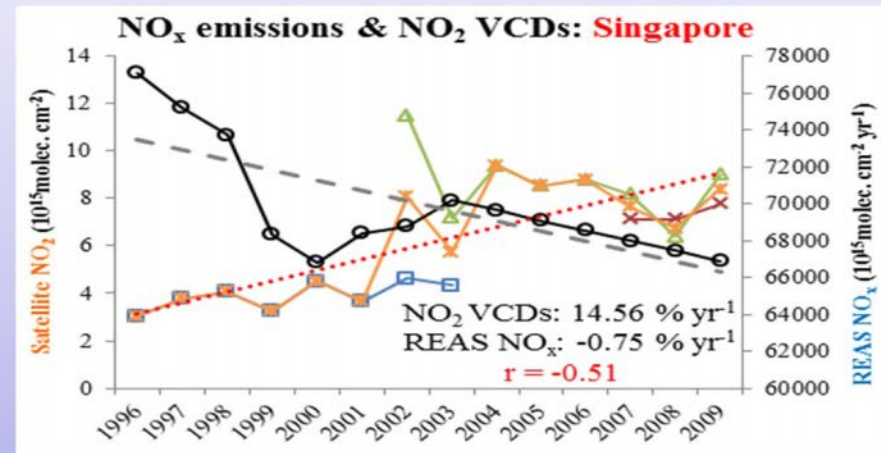
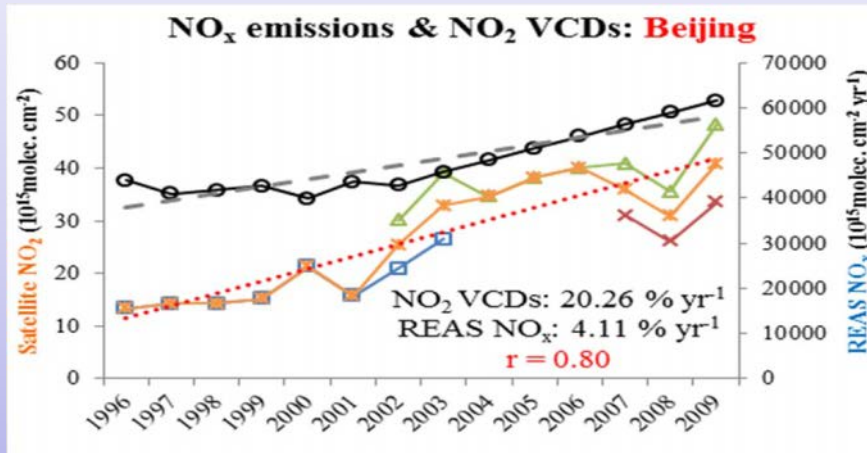
- ✓ Maximum: wintertime (Nov-Feb)
- ✓ Minimum: summertime (Jun-Aug)

### Equator zone:

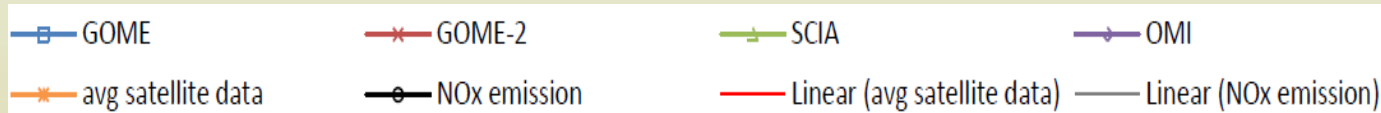
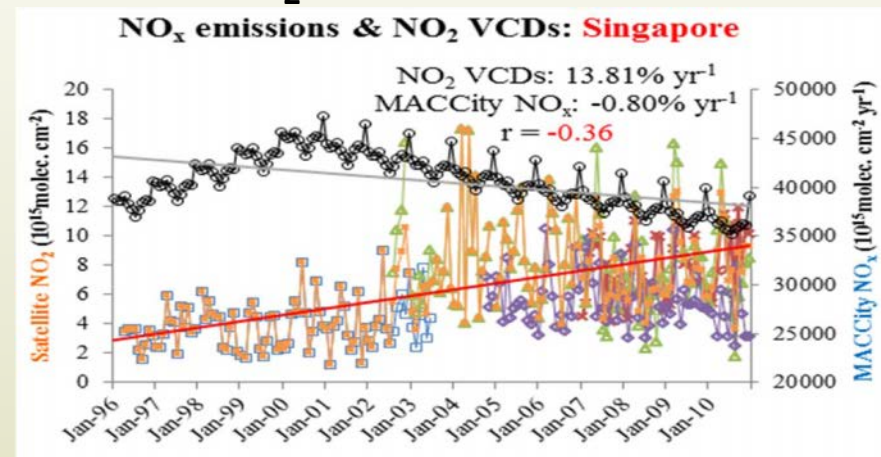
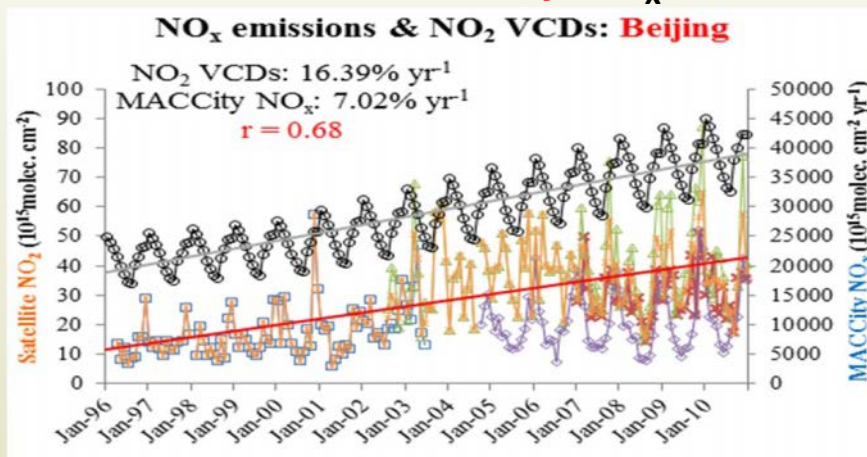
- ✓ Maximum: dry season (Jun-Aug)
- ✓ Minimum: rainy season (Dec-Feb)

# Comparison of $\text{NO}_x$ emission and satellite data

## REAS $\text{NO}_x$ emission vs. satellite $\text{NO}_2$ columns



## MACCcity $\text{NO}_x$ emission vs. satellite $\text{NO}_2$ columns



- ✓ Most of the cities located in **mainland** → give relatively good relationship ( $r > 0.7$ )
- ✓ The cities located near **coastal area** →  $r$  is quite low → the **inaccuracy of the emission & effects of met**

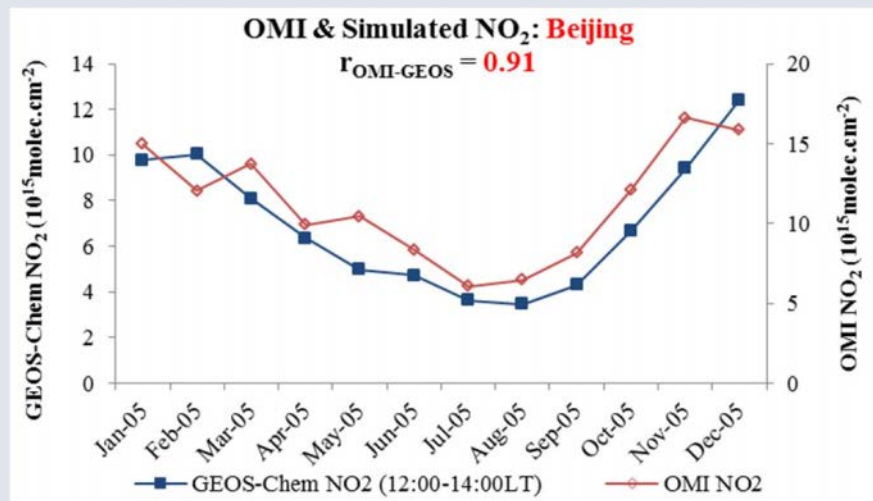




# Model simulation vs. Satellite data

## OMI vs. GEOS-Chem simulated NO<sub>2</sub> columns

### Mid-latitude zone



### GEOS-Chem

- Year 2005
- 12:00-14:00LT
- Monthly data

### OMI

- Year 2005
- 13:40LT
- Monthly data

*Model results underestimate satellite data by the factor around 3-5*

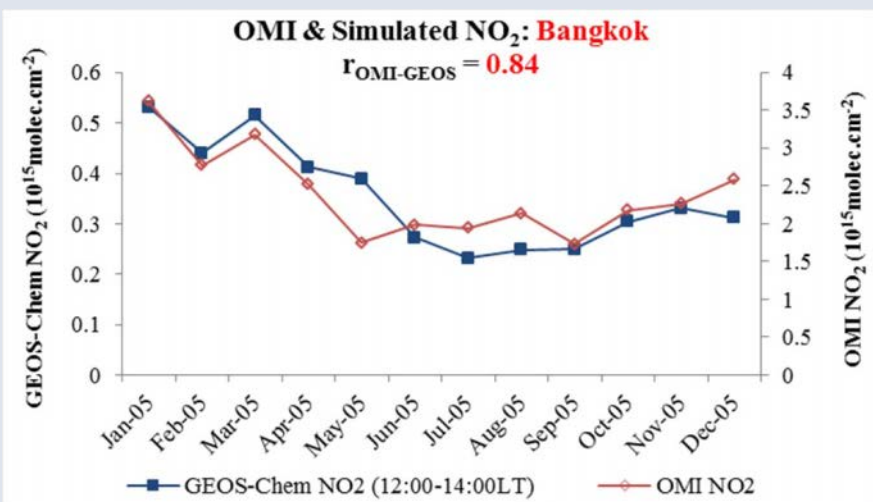
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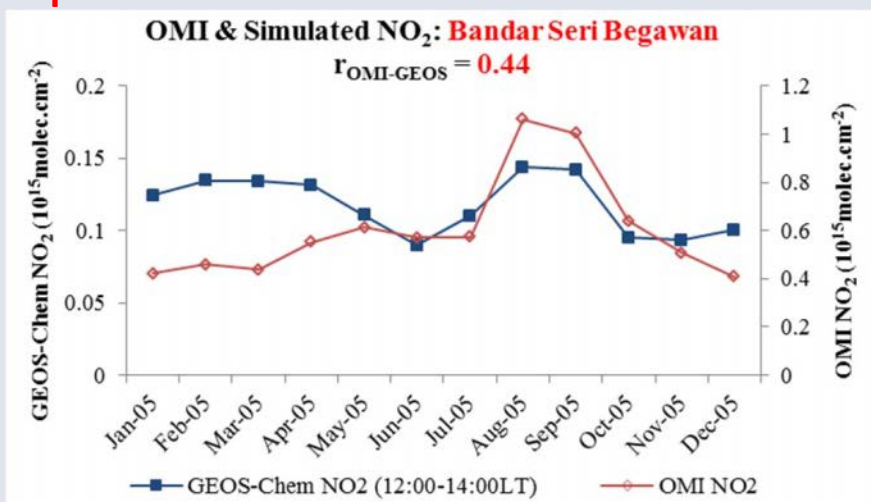
### Equator zone:

- ✓ Maximum: dry season
- ✓ Minimum: rainy season

### Low-latitude zone



### Equator zone



# Development of Thailand Emission inventory

## Thailand Emission Inventory for year 2005

### ✓ Developed by:

- **Chatchawan Vongmahadlek**, Pham Thi Bich Thao, Narisara Thongboonchoo  
*Joint Graduate School of Energy and Environment, King Mongkut's University of Technology Thonburi, Bangkok, Thailand*
- **Boonsong Satayopas**  
*Department of Civil Engineering, Chiang Mai University, Chiang Mai, Thailand*

### ✓ Spatial Allocation Profiles: a 1- by 1-km resolution

## Emission Sources

### ✓ Anthropogenic Sources

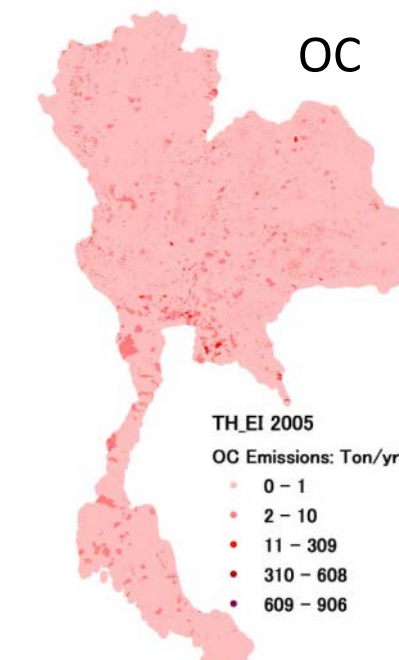
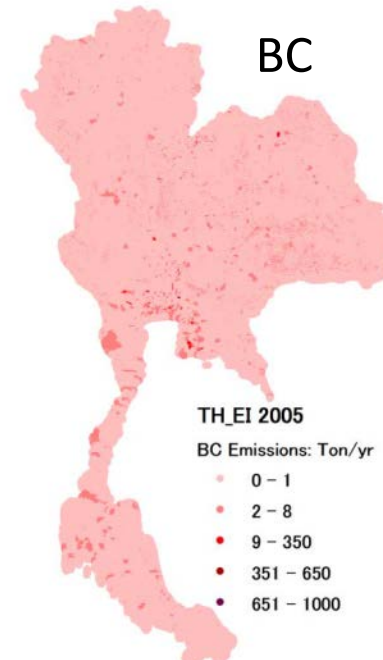
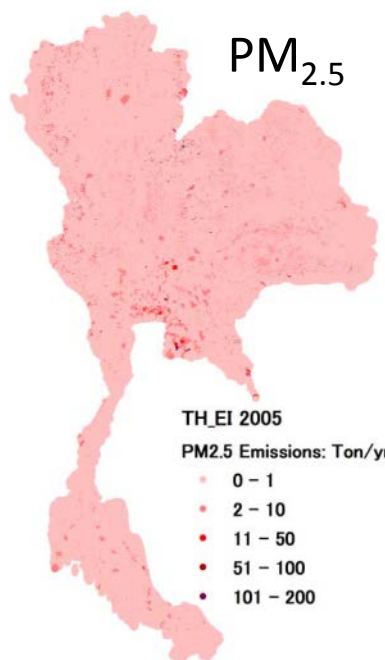
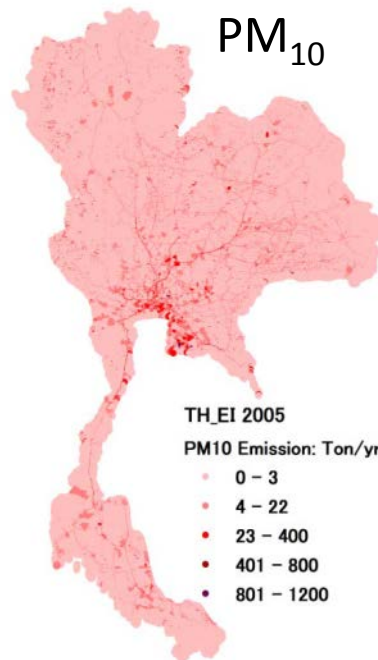
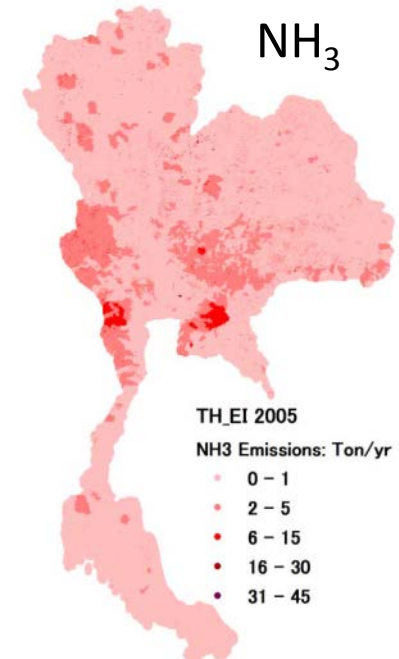
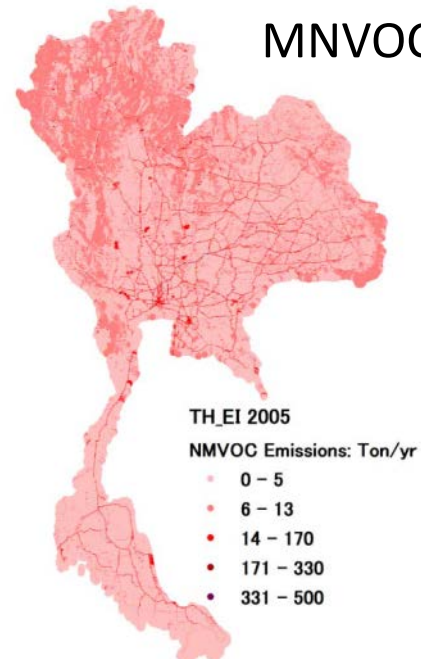
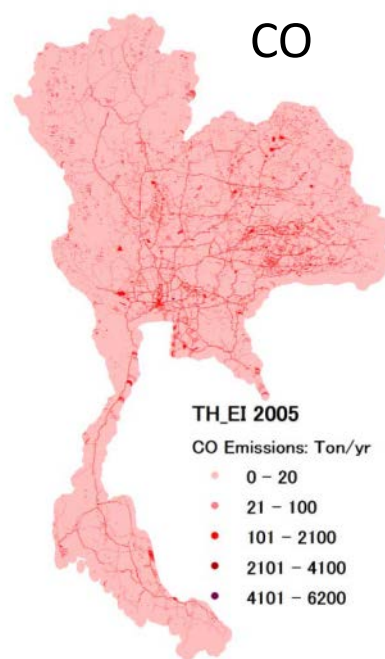
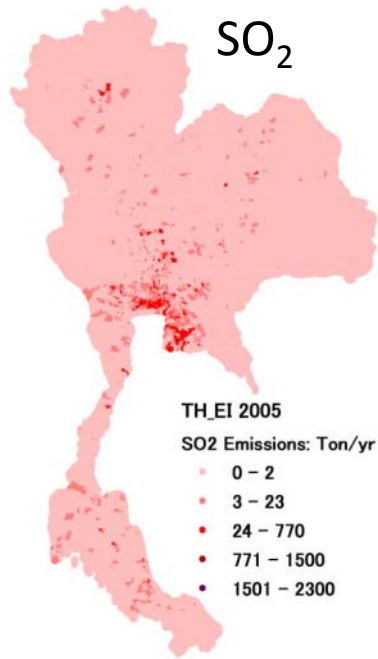
- **Industrial stationary source:** power plants, industrial facilities and industrial processes
- **Mobile source:** on-road & nonroad sources
- **Nonindustrial stationary source:** residential households, biomass burning, NH<sub>3</sub> sources, incinerators, gas stations, and smoking tobacco

### ✓ Natural Sources

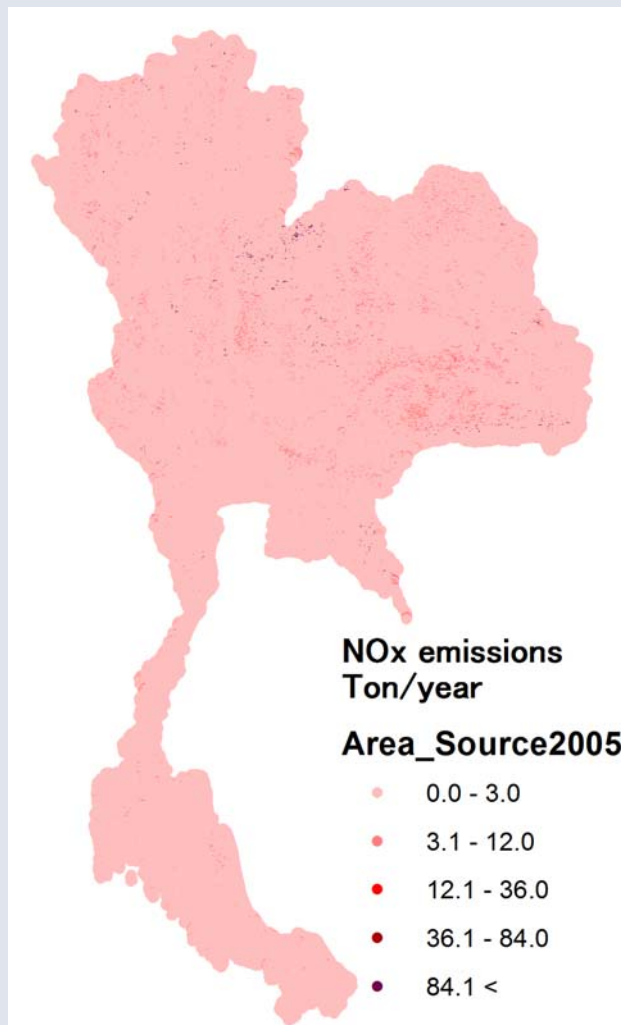
- **NMVOC emissions from vegetation**
- **NO<sub>x</sub> emissions from:** the soil of forestry, the soil of agricultural farms and lightening strikes

- ✓ Most emissions species are dominant in **anthropogenic** sources (92–99%)
- ✓ Except **NMVOC** emissions → highly contributed by **natural** sources (53.5%).

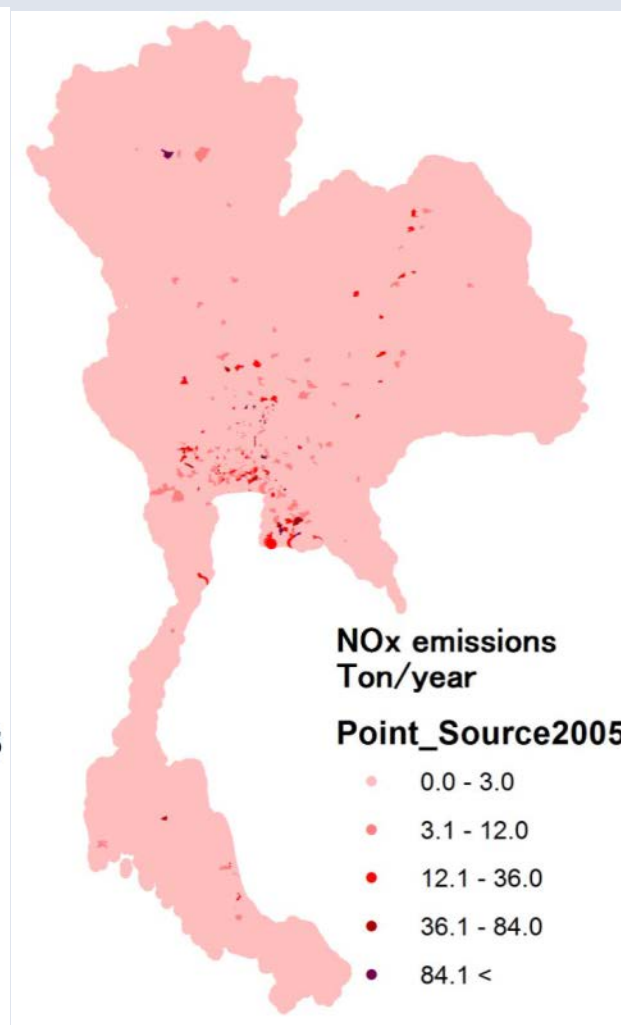
# Thailand emission inventory 2005



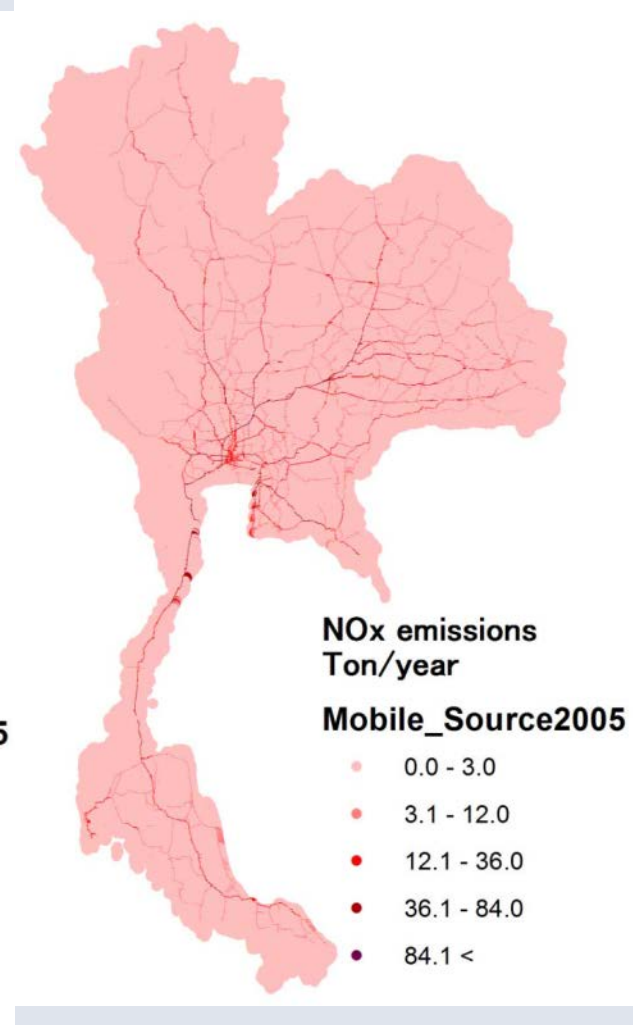
# Thailand NO<sub>x</sub> emissions 2005



**Area Source**  
Resolution: 1x1 km<sup>2</sup>

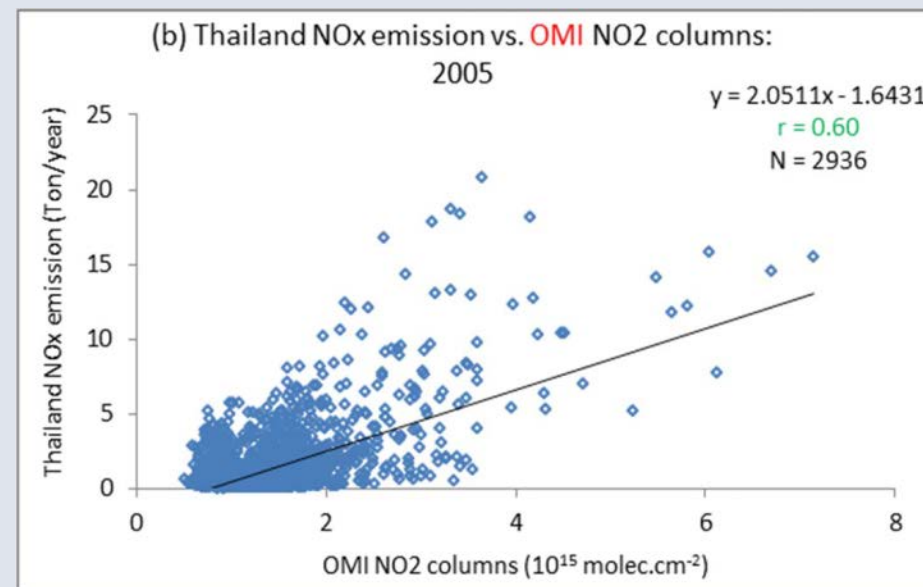
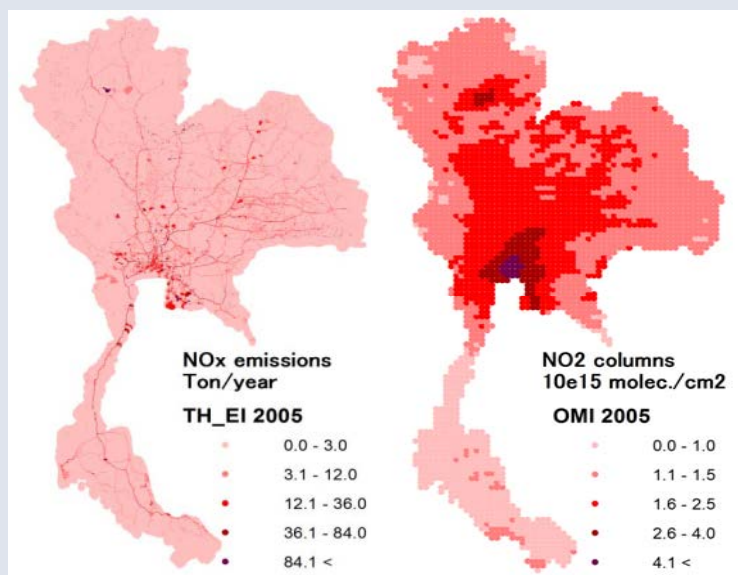
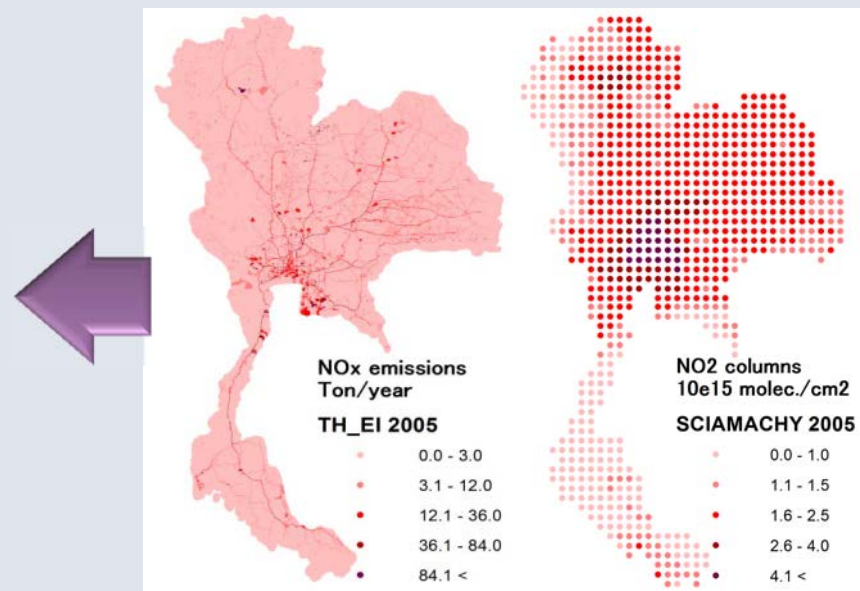
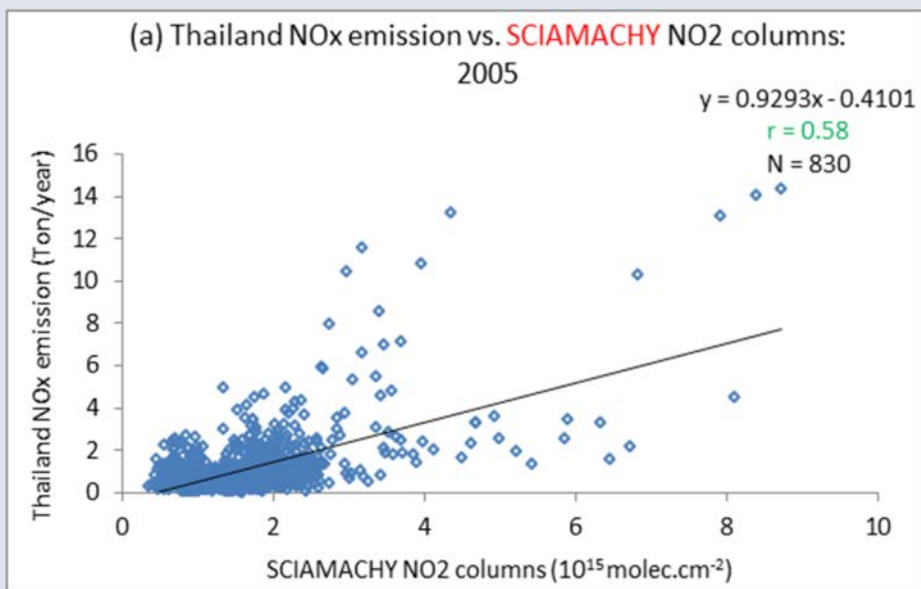


**Point Source**  
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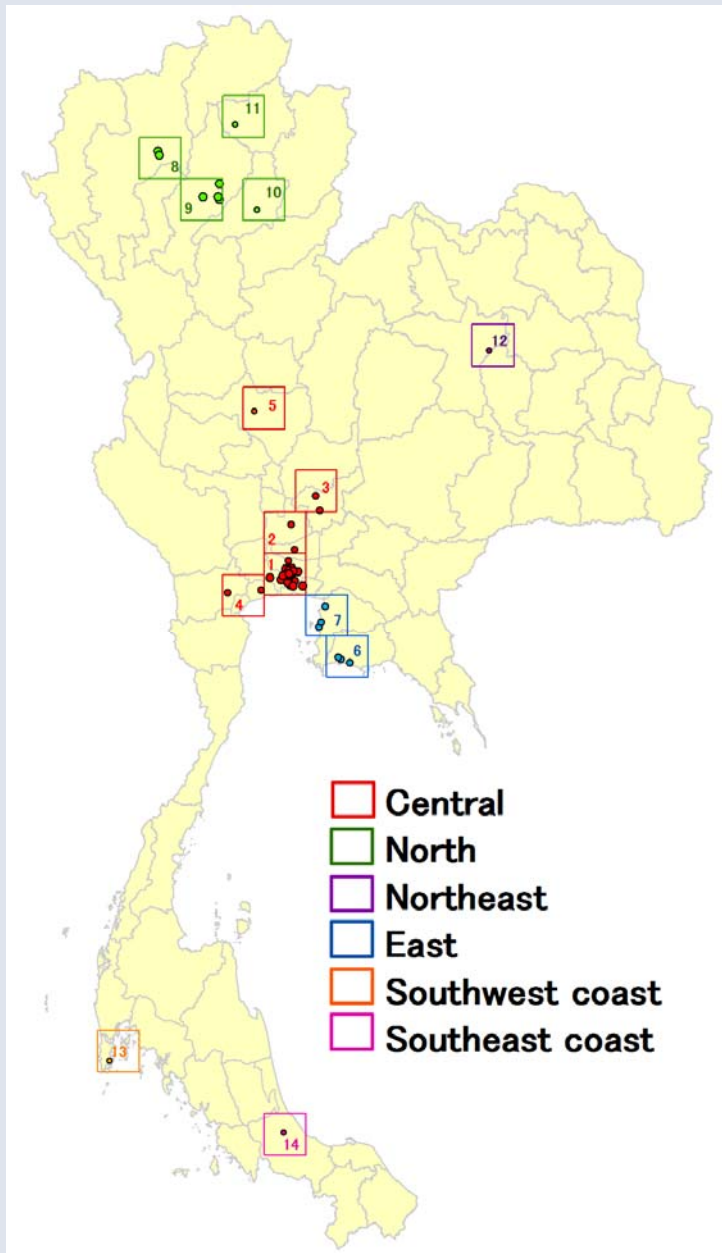


**Mobile Source**  
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# Thailand NO<sub>x</sub> emissions vs. Satellite NO<sub>2</sub> columns

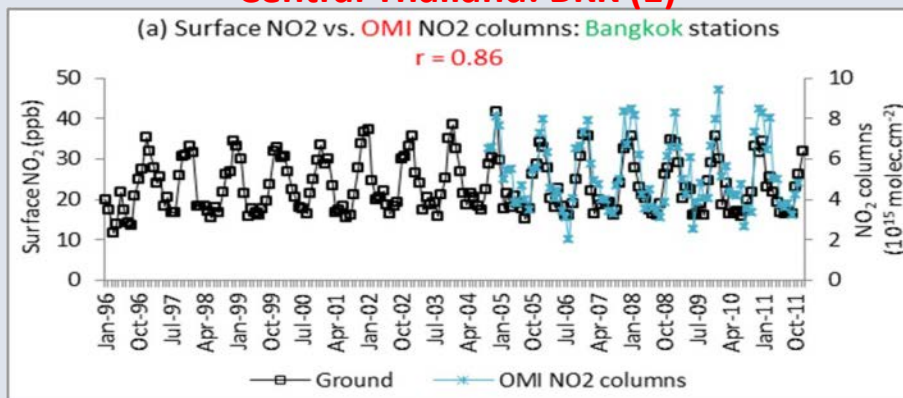


# Ground monitoring NO<sub>2</sub> vs. Satellite NO<sub>2</sub> columns

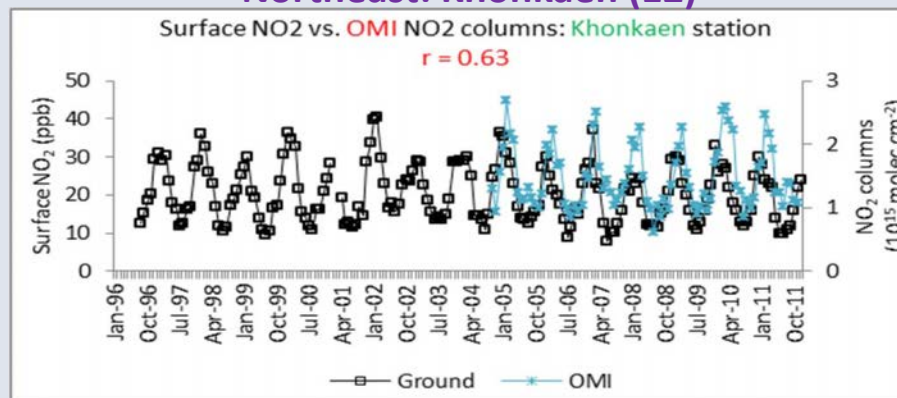


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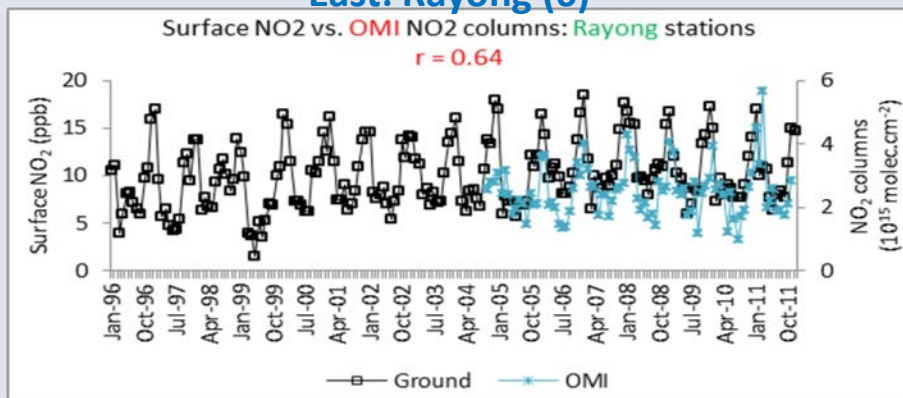
## Central Thailand: BKK (1)



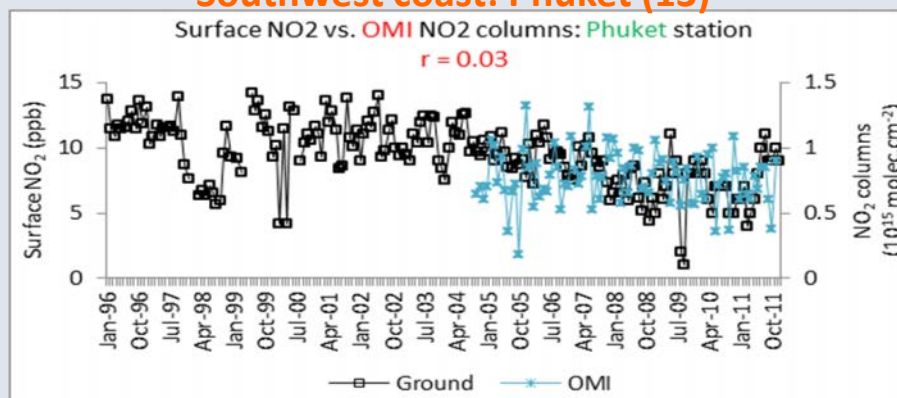
## Northeast: Khonkaen (12)



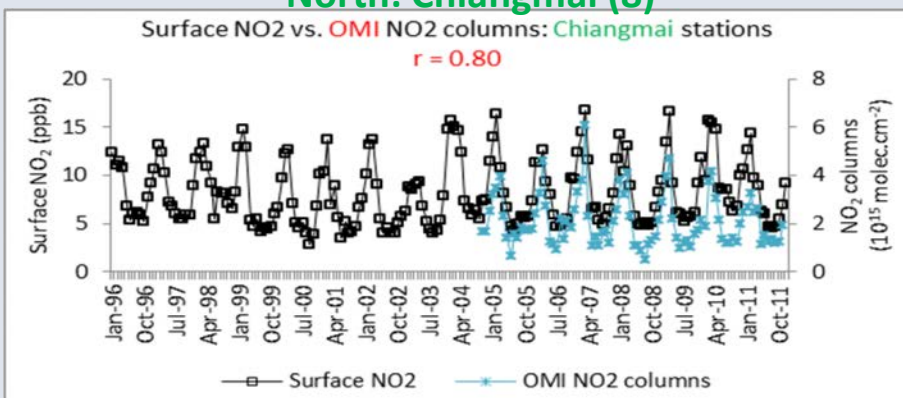
## East: Rayong (6)



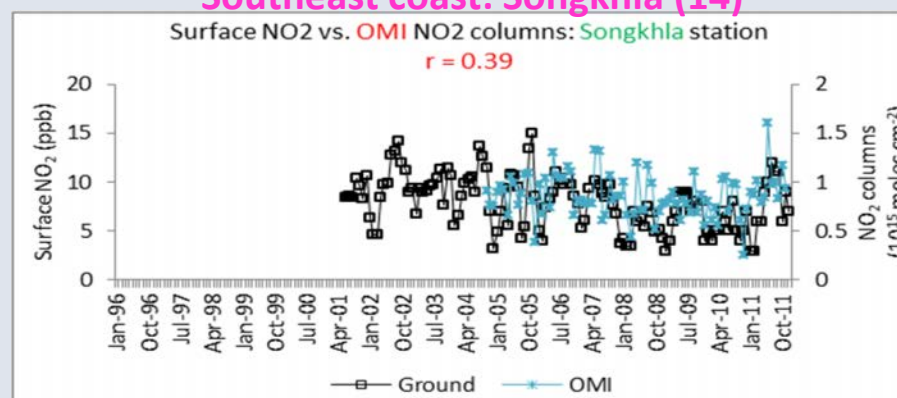
## Southwest coast: Phuket (13)



## North: Chiangmai (8)



## Southeast coast: Songkhla (14)



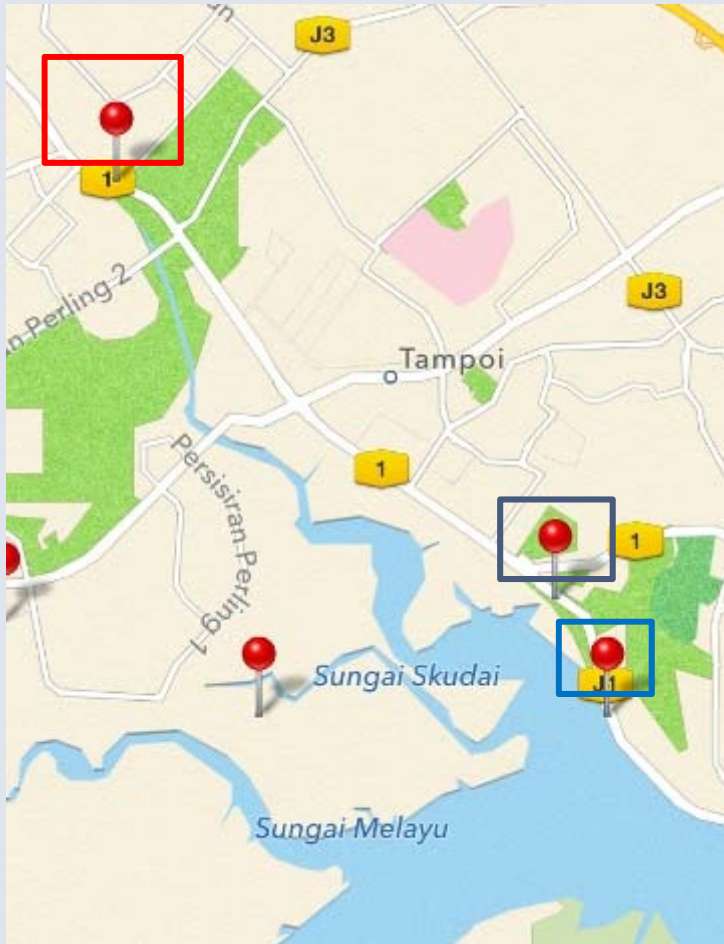
# Roadside monitoring of Particulate Matters in Iskandar Malaysia





# Counting of Road transportation

Counted the number of transportation at 3 locations along the major highway in Johor Bahru, Malaysia



1 Loction1



2 Loction2



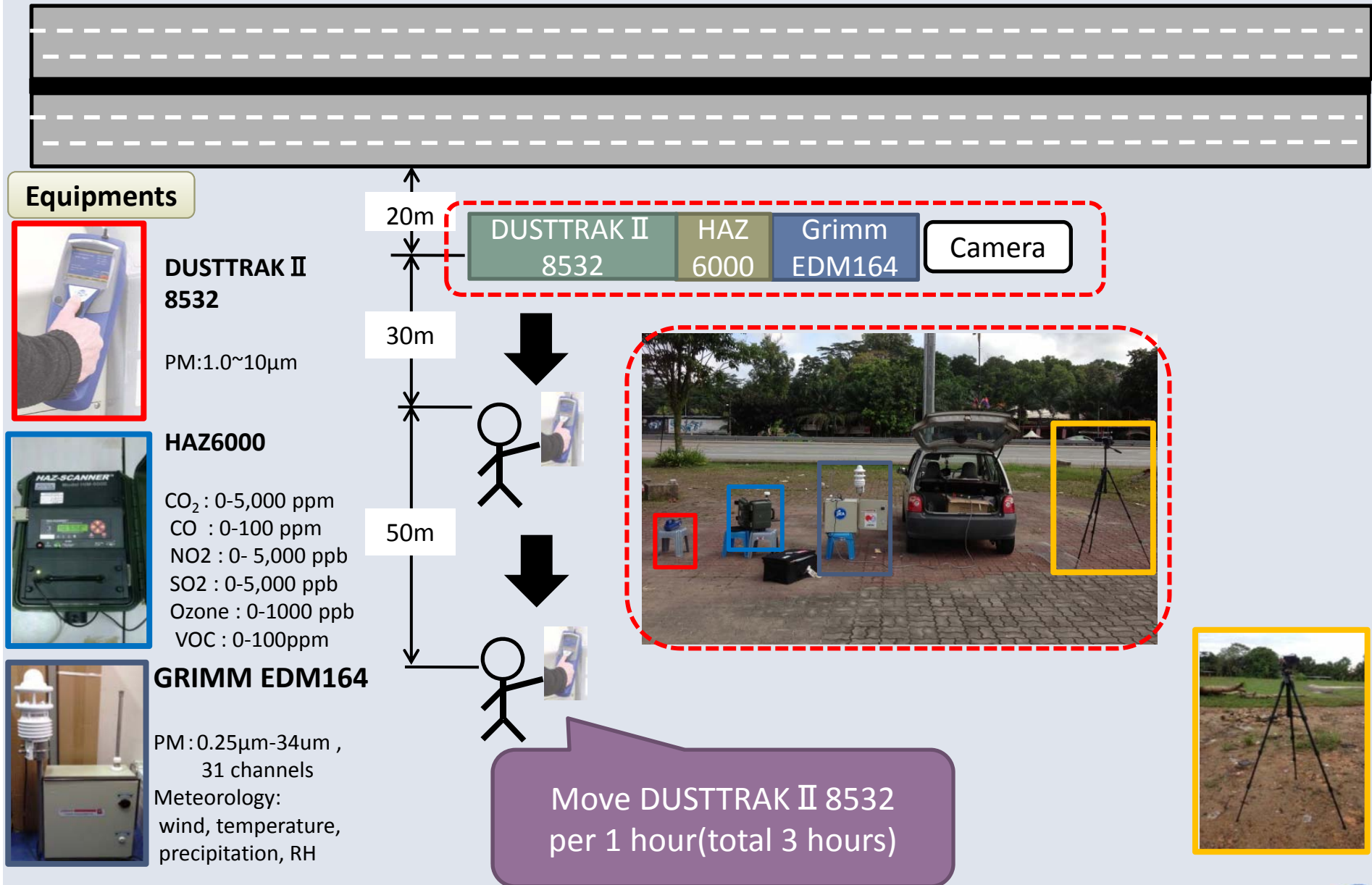
3 Loction3



VEHICLE CLASSIFICATION	
Motor Cars & Taxis	
1	
Small Vans & Utilities (Light 2-axes)	
2	
Lorries & Large Vans (Heavy 2-axes)	
3	
Lorries with 3-axes (Heavy 3-axes and above)	
4	
Buses	
5	
Motorcycles & Scooters	
6	

Vehicle Classification

# Roadside monitoring

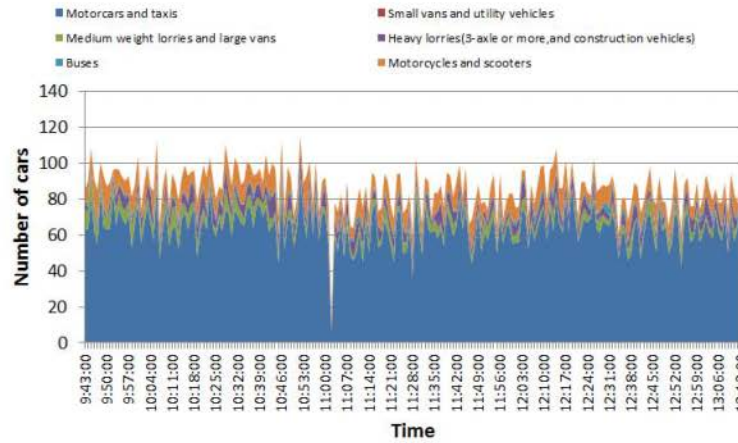




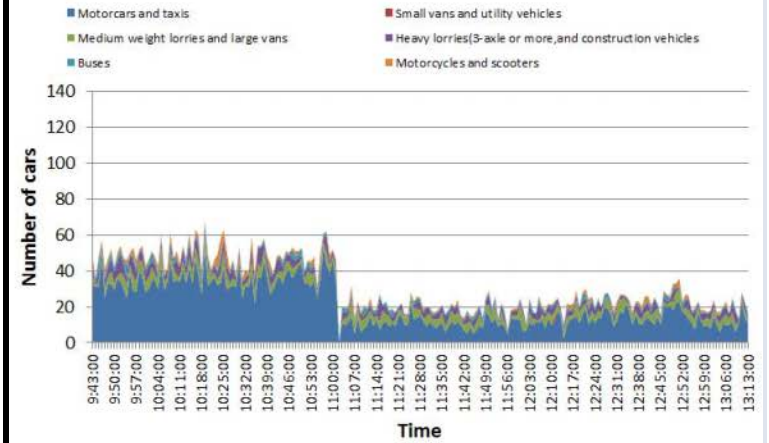
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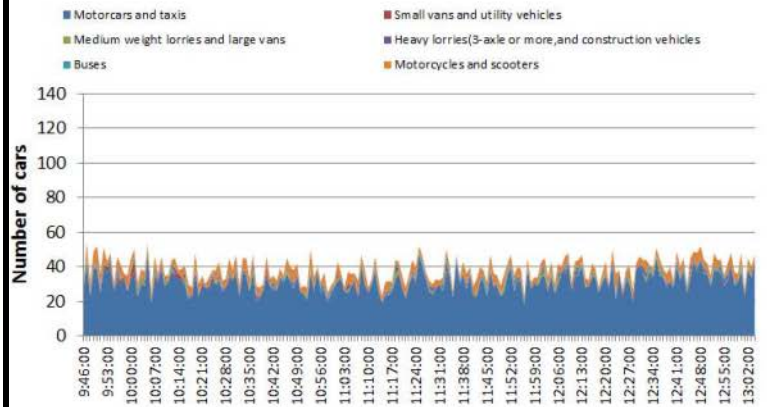
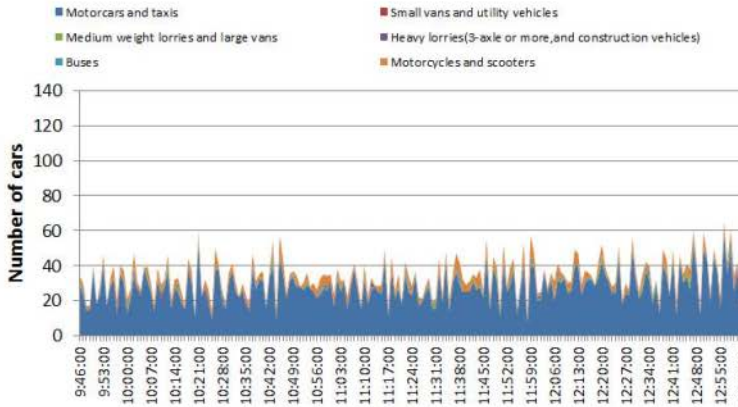
### Johor to Skudai



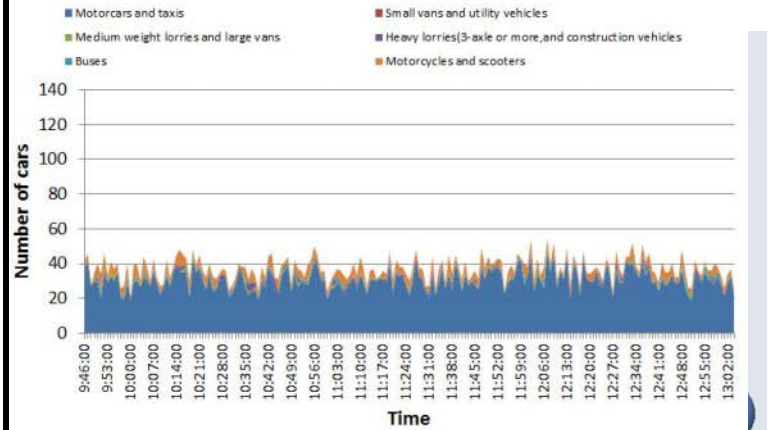
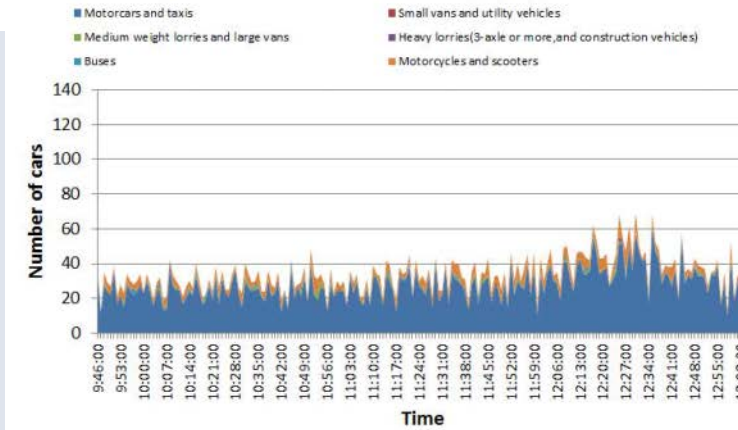
### Skudai to Johor



Loction2



Loction3



# Sample of Observed data

PM concentration  
from DUSTTRAK II  
(20m,50m and 100m point)

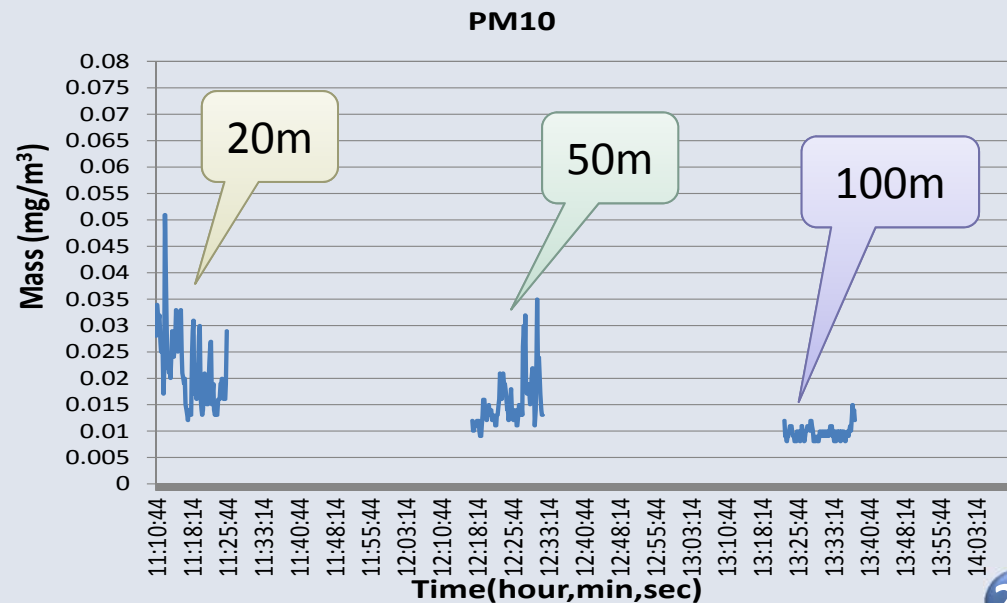
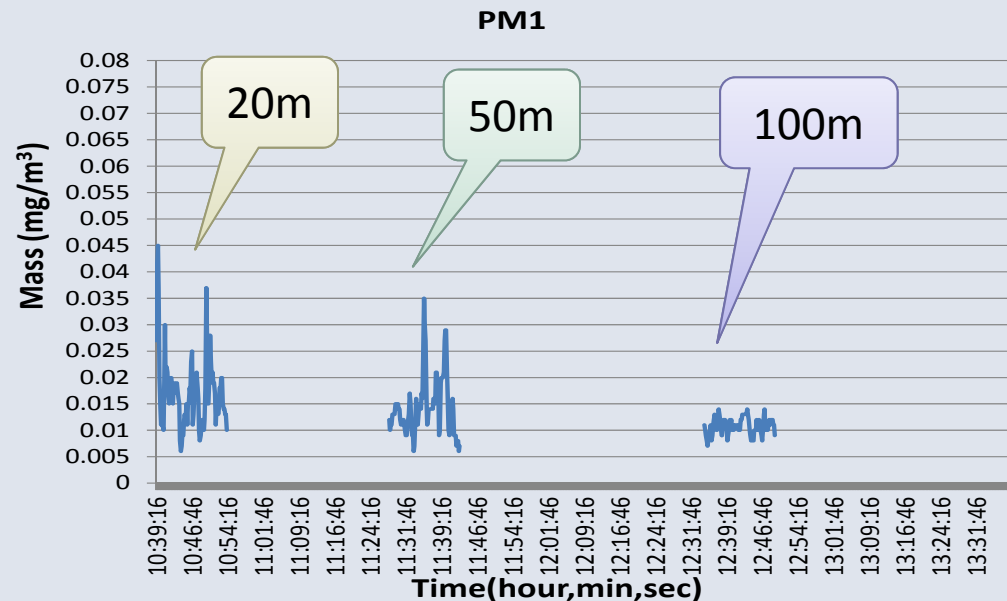


Next step

We will use the Gaussian  
Plume model from line source  
to reproduce the  
concentration variation and  
compare with the observation.



evaluate the emission factor of  
PM2.5 from the road transportation.



# Improvement of the emission data for the input to Chemical Transport Model.

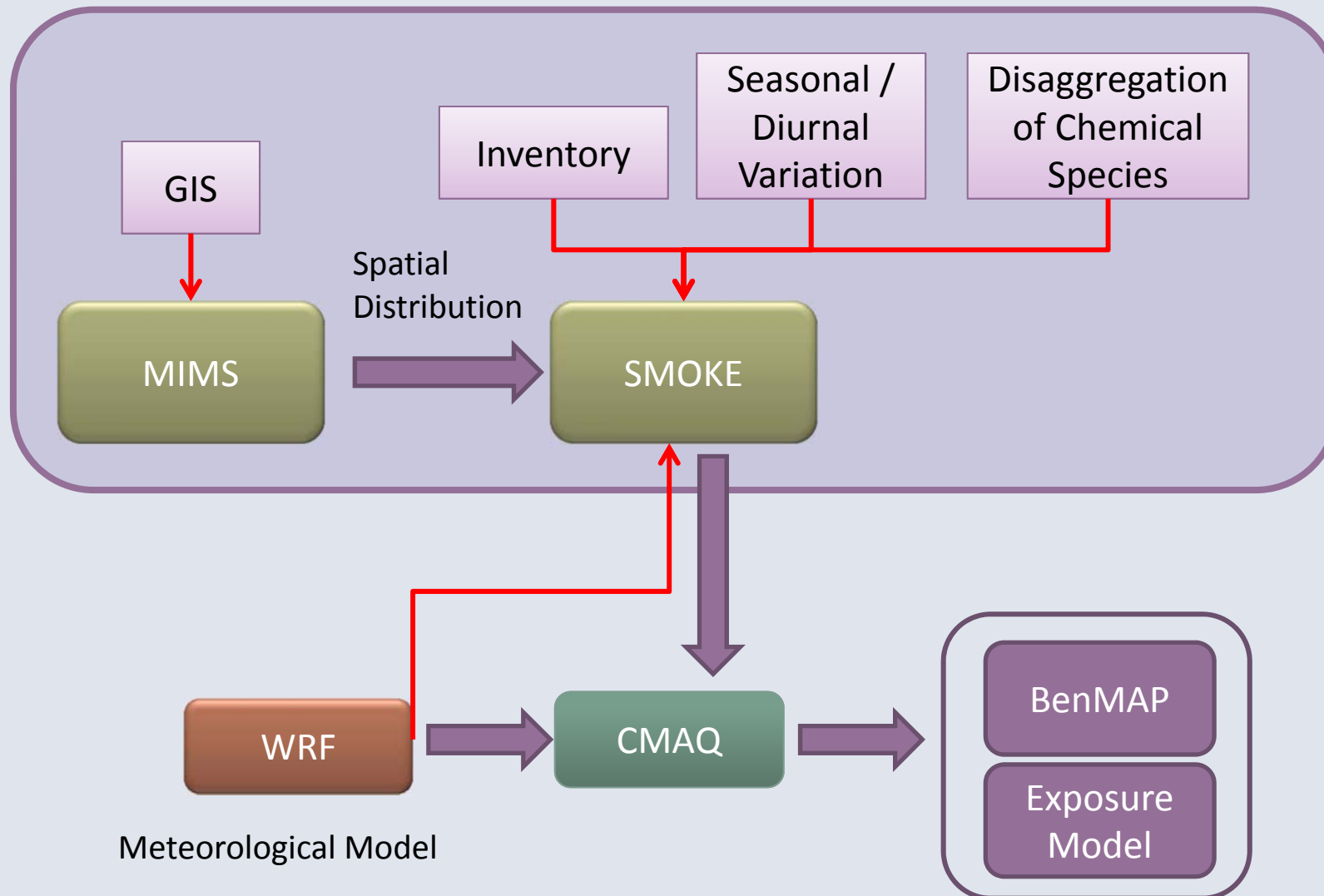
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- We have developed the emission inventory for atmospheric pollutants for Asian countries.
- To use these data for the input of Chemical Transport Model (Air Quality Model), following information is not enough.
  - Spatial distribution ( Spatial Downscaling)
  - Seasonal and Diurnal variation of emission
  - disaggregation of NMVOC to model chemical species.

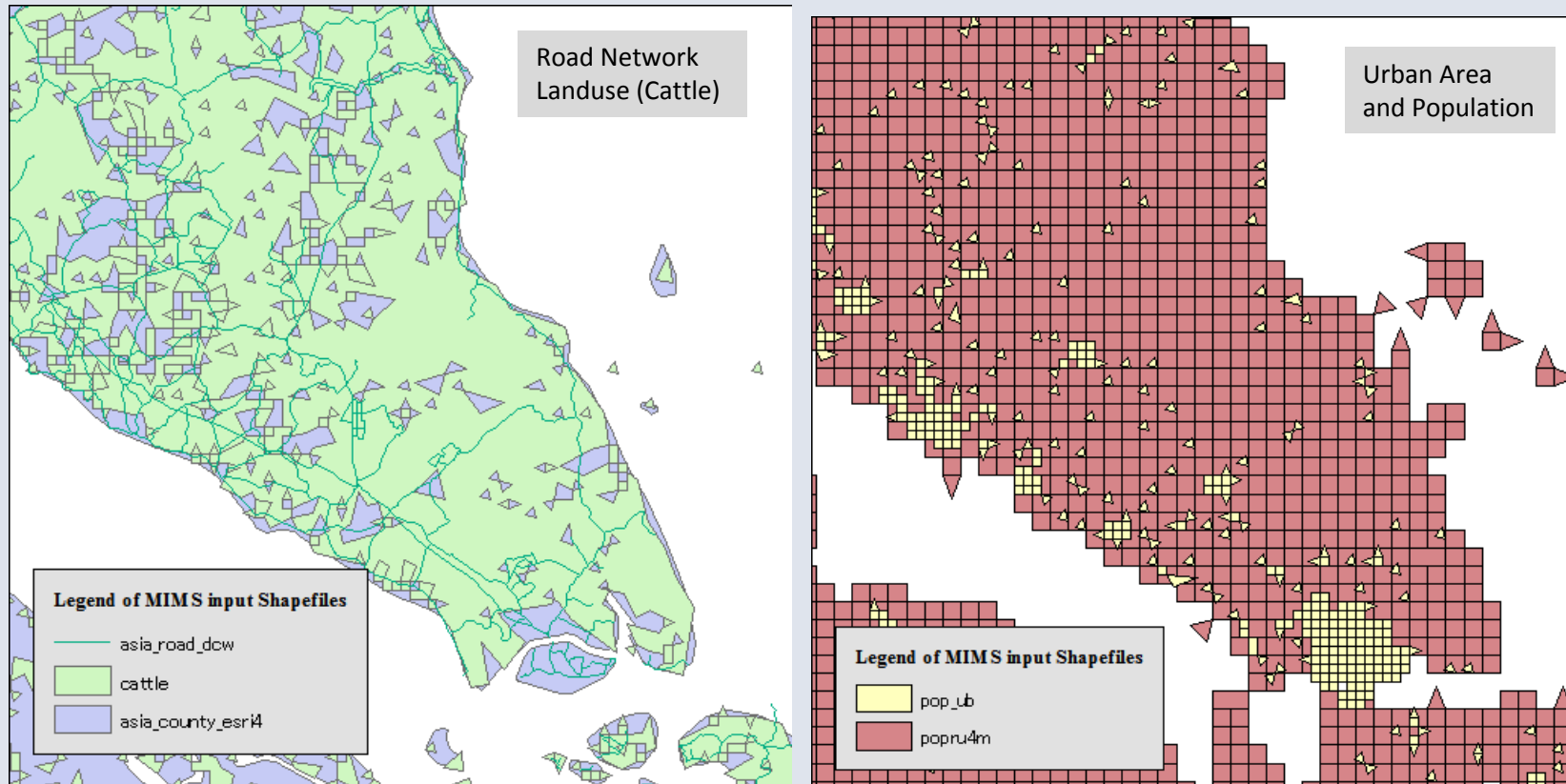


Asian extension of SMOKE system

# Program Flow of SMOKE emission processor



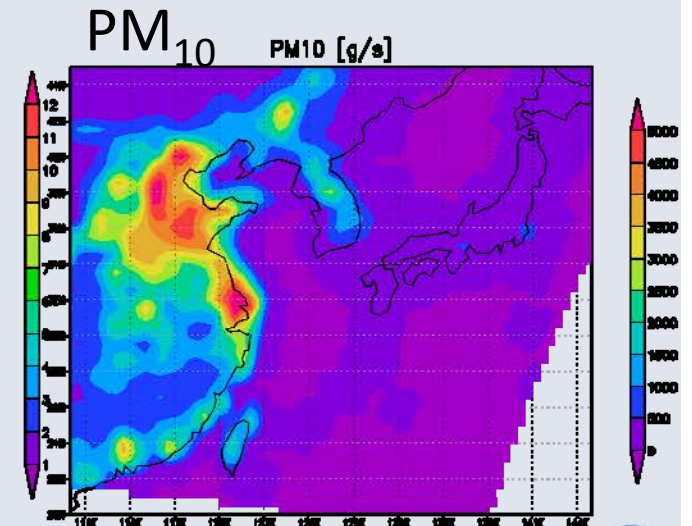
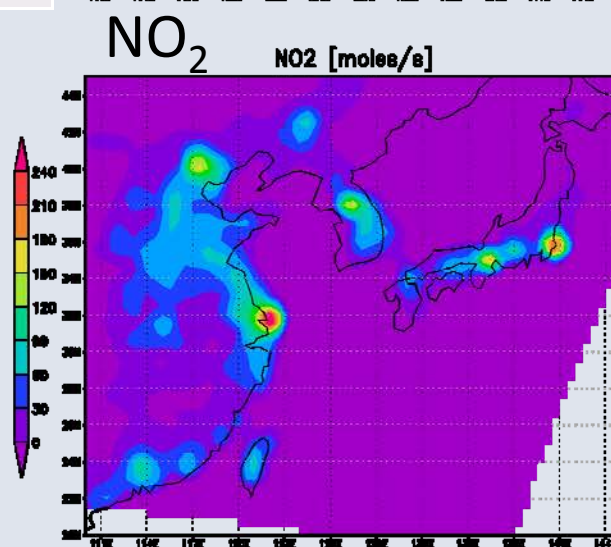
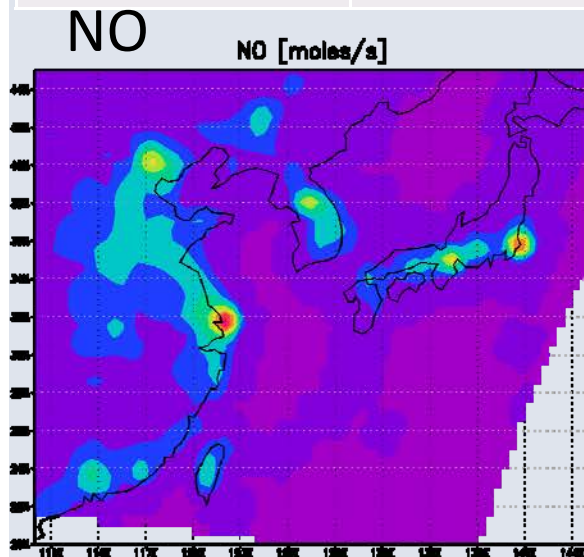
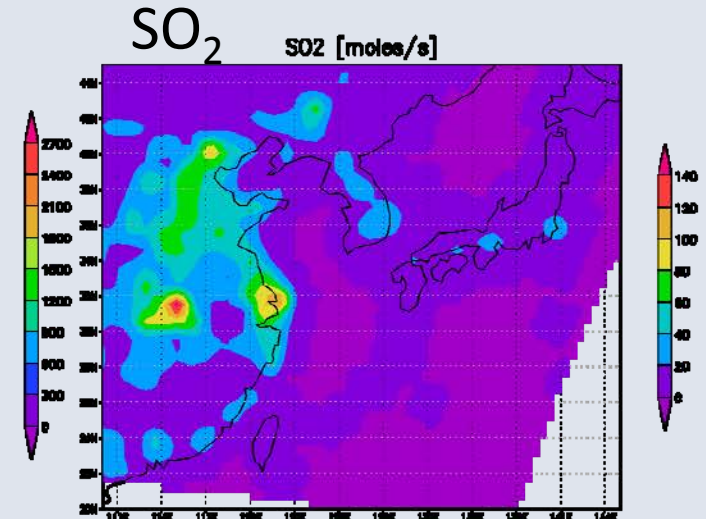
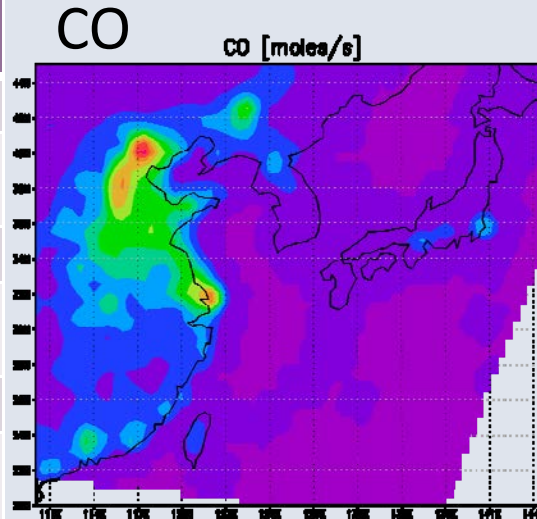
# MIMS input Shapefiles focused on south Malay Peninsula



- Current GIS input is not enough ...
  - Road Network is only covers major highway.
  - Population mesh is coarse and not so accurate
- ➔ replace the GIS data for input to MIMS processor.

# SMOKE output example

Emission Processing System	SMOKE-Asia v1.1 (Konkuk Univ)
Spatial Domain	East Asia
SMOKE Processing Period	5/26/2008 ~ 6/01/2008
Emission Inventory Data	2008
Chemical Mechanism	Carbon Bond Mechanism IV (CB04)
Meteorological Data	WRF-MCIP
Processing Target Materials	CO, NO <sub>x</sub> , SO <sub>2</sub> , VOC, PM <sub>10</sub>





# Next step of the study

To complete current project in next several months.

