Ongoing projects at ECPL and LAMOS/IUP

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Further development in TM4-ECPL/TM5 model

- ✓ 1- (Marios PhD on PANACEA- Greek project) : Ice Nuclei testing the importance of Quartz versus Feldspar for Ice Nuclei – IN- (move all IN parameterizations from TM4-ECPL → to TM5)
- 2- (Angelos PhD on FORCES) use of the TM5-ISORROPIA II (or light) version in which Stelios has
 introduced NO₃⁻ and NH₄⁺ coarse mode (kinetic limitation consideration for HNO₃ and NH₃ on
 particles of different sizes Pringle et al., GMD, 2010; Karydis et al., 2016) for more accurate
 calculations of aerosol pH and relevant processes (e.g. aerosol ageing)
- BrC in TM5 (started- account for primary emissions, secondary emissions from aromatics, multiphase chemistry & ageing)
- 3- Nikos use of ERA5 (to be done)



FORCeS



EMeRGe - Effect of Megacities on the transport and transformation of pollutants on the Regional and Global Scales

- Use the TM5-MP moguntia chemical scheme in a modified KPP box model
- Use the measurements acquired from the aircraft campaigns of EMeRGe
- Simulate the ROx concentrations close to the aircraft, using as measured concentrations of their precursors.
- Aggelos Gouvousis (PhD)



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CLIMPACT – National Network on Climate Change and its Impacts

- Localize GHG sources in Greece combining various satellite products of CO₂, NO₂, CO and CH₄ with in-situ observations and modeling
 Improve anthropogenic emission estimates for CO₂, CH₄ for Greece
 Improve biomass burning CO emission estimates for Greece
- Nikos Gialesakis (PhD)
- Ioanna Evangelou (MSc)

in collaboration with LAMOS, IUP, Bremen &

After discussion with Sander we plan to use the WRF-GHG-CTDAS model in a collaboration framework with Sander Houweling





Nikos Gialesakis (PhD candidate)



- Study of the temporal change of carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide in the atmosphere of the eastern Mediterranean as recorded by in-situ observations, including at Finokalia station, and satellite observations.
- Collection and archiving of high definition satellite data for CO_2 , NO_2 and CO using OCO-2 and TROPOMI-S5P satellite respectively.
- Correlation of satellite observations of CO₂, NO₂ and CO for the location of their sources and comparison with the existing emission data in the area.
- Inverse simulations using WRF-GHG (Weather Research Forecast- GreenHouse Gases) coupled with CTDAS (CarbonTracker Data Assimilation Shell), to estimate the sources of CO and CO₂ in the area.
- CO Sentinel-5P TROPOMI 03 July 2019 4 3 2 1

• Estimation of carbon monoxide sources from wildfires



MODIS Terra and Aqua https://worldview.earthdata.nasa.gov/





Excellence chair

IUP-UniBremen



- 4 year project (started January 2020)
- Collaboration between UoC (ECPL) and Uni-Bremen (LAMOS)
- Main objective:

optimize estimates of the surface fluxes i.e., emission or deposition of greenhouse gases and other climate-relevant pollutants that are needed for the evaluation of their impacts on climate and ecosystems, respectively, using Earth System Models.

- Group (hosted by Profs. M Vrekoussis, J P Burrows and J Notholt, IUP)
 - Prof. Maria Kanakidou
 - Dr. Nikos Daskalakis
 - PhD1 (to start Jan 2021)
 - PhD2 (to start Jan 2021)

Excellence Chair Projects

- Nutrients deposition fluxes (PhD)
 - Planned to start Jan 2021
 - Data assimilation of NO_2 and NH_3 in TM5
- Inverse modelling of CH₄ from permafrost (PhD)
 - Planned to start Jan 2021
 - Use of SCHIAMACHY/GOSAT/TROPOMI in TM5-4dvar
- Inverse modelling of short-lived chemically reactive pollutants (ND)
 - Delayed start (due to unforeseen circumstances)
 - Add simplified chemistry on TM54dvar for CHOCHO and HCHO for use as proxies for isoprene and other VOC



Other projects



- Change the emissions scheme of TM5-MP
 - Sarah-Lena Meyer (PhD)
 - Use of the HERMESv3 tool to preprocess emissions and provide to the model
- TM5-MP vs Spivakovsky
 - Sofia Gomez Maqueo Anaya (MSc thesis defended 14/10/2020)
 - Presentation today at 12:00
- Dust in TM4-ECPL
 - Medea Zanoli (MSc)
 - Validation of the online scheme
 - Use of the model in air quality assessment for the impact of Saharan dust
- TM5-4dvar CH₄ inversions
 - Juyeon Bae (MSc)
 - Use of TROPOMI CH₄ data in TM5-4dvar



Thank you...