# Some CABLE updates and possible future directions

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# **Updates**

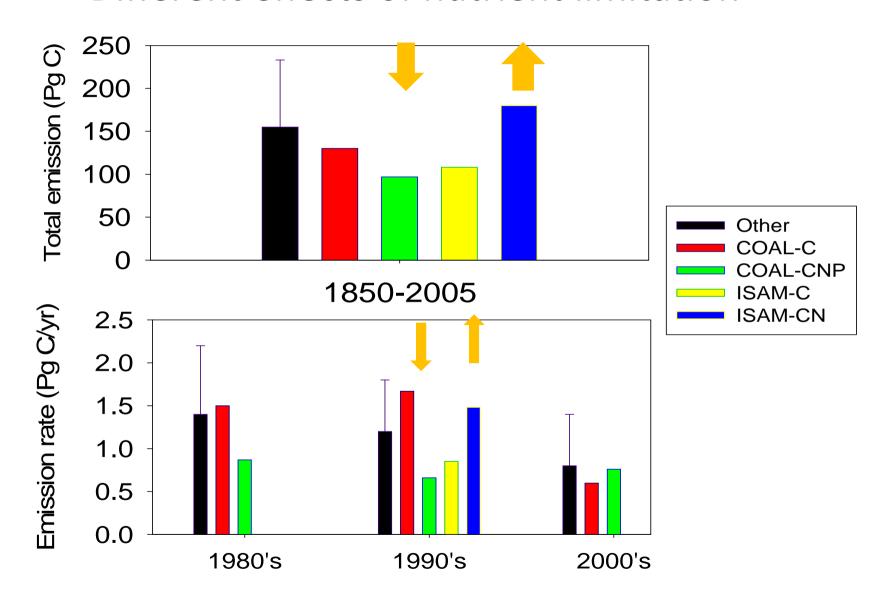
- land use
- soil carbon modeling
- data assimilation
- benchmarking

## Land use

 Land cover change: issue with global land sue data set for Australia. Jatin's contribution

 Biophysical and biogeochemical effects of land use change in CABLE: codes near completion;

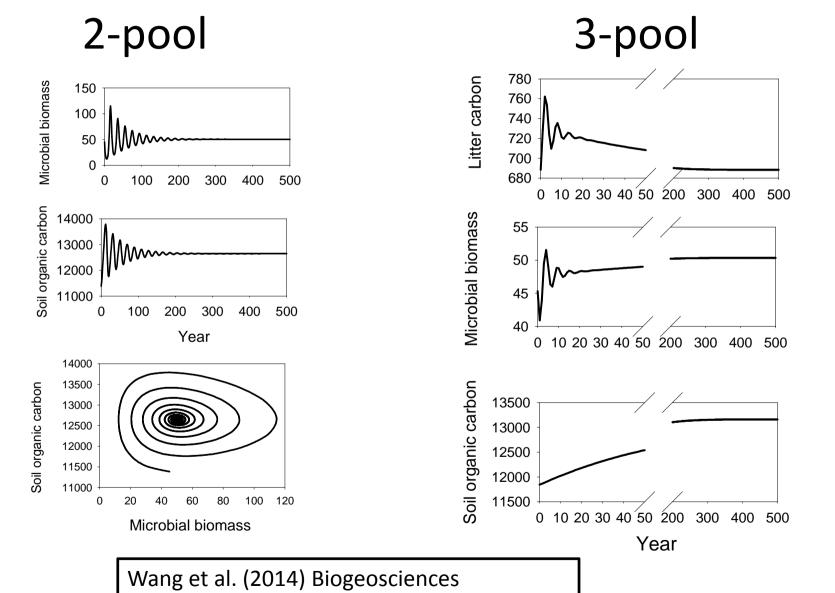
## Different effects of nutrient limitation



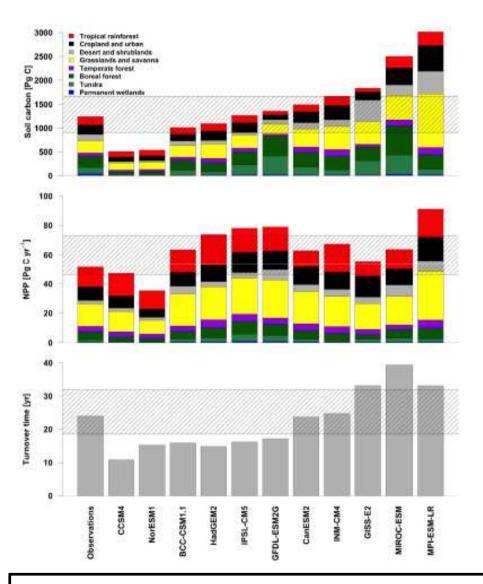
# Soil carbon modeling

- Nearly all global carbon model uses the firstorder kinetics (dC/dt=input –kC);
- Recently nonlinear soil carbon models have been proposed ( $dC/dt=input-V_cC_bC/(C+K_c)$ ); Nonlinear models can simulate response to priming, temperature acclimation, whereas linear models cannot;
- Wang et al. (2014) showed some nonlinear models can have unrealistic oscillation.

# Model responses to perturbation



## Data assimilation



Results of CMIP5 ESM diverges

How much of those differences are caused by parameter errors?

Data assimilation!

Todd-Brown et al. (2013) Biogeosciences

## Particle filter

### Four steps:

1: start with prior distributions of all parameters to be optimized, and selected N set of parameter values

2: run the model N times and calculate the cost of each set of model parameter values

3: calculate the probability of the each sampled parameter set (Bayesian theorem)

4: re-sample the probability distribution of the each parameter

Repeat 1 to 4 r times until criteria for convergence is met. Calculate the posterior distribution of all parameters.

## Parameter estimation using particle filters

### **Observations:**

regional net land carbon fluxes from global inversion Global GPP, LE

### Input:

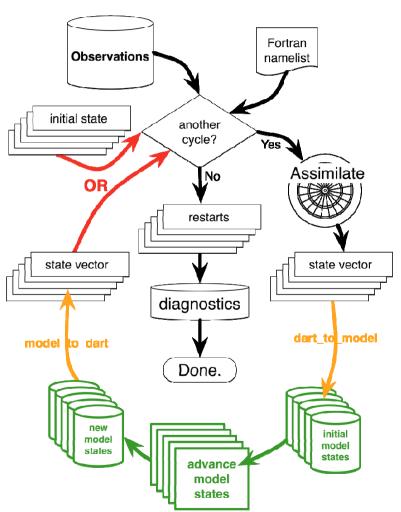
CO<sub>2</sub> emission from LULUC

### Output:

key model parameters, such as  $V_{cmax}$ , xLAI, m etc.

OCE PDF project: Chris Lu, Tile Ziehn, YP Wang, Peter Rayner, Rachel Law

# CABLE in DART (The Data Assimilation Research Testbed)



CABLE has been implemented in DART;

The system will be used to assimilate remotely sensed canopy LAI into CABLE;

A PhD student from BNU Peter Rayner Ying-Ping Wang

# Constraining global GPP

Two observations: chlorophyll fluorescence from space and surface carbonyl sulphide (COS)

Model: CABLE

Project led by Alex Norton/Peter Rayner

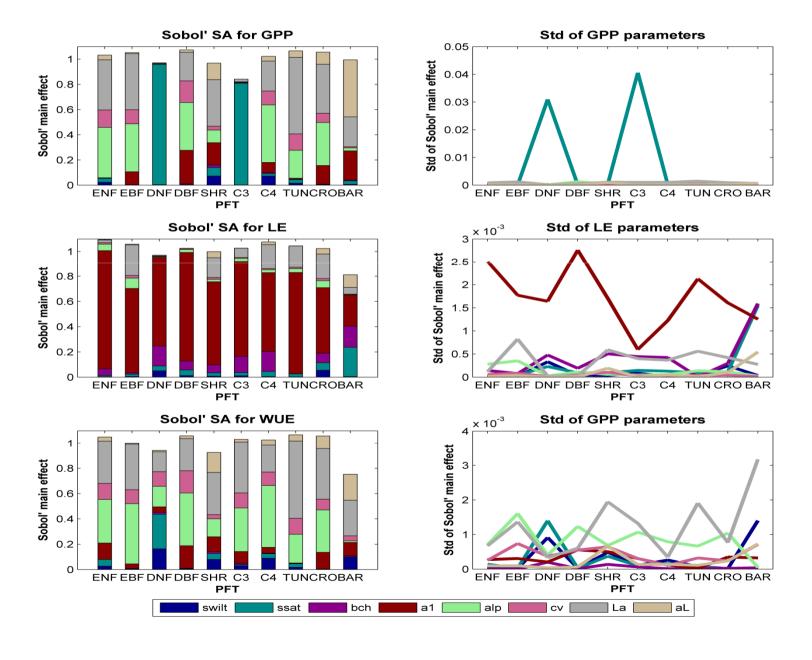
## Model inter-comparison

- •At AGU fall meeting 2013, we organized a workshop on model inter-comparison
- •This model inter-comparison differs from most MIPs (global parameter sensitivity analysis, ensemble simulations).
- •Three models, CABLE, CLM4.5 and BEPS participated the study. JULES will participate.

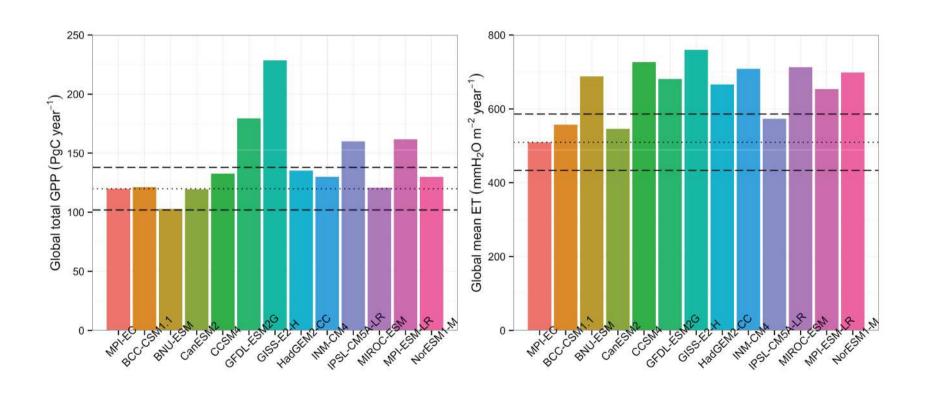
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## Quantitative SA results

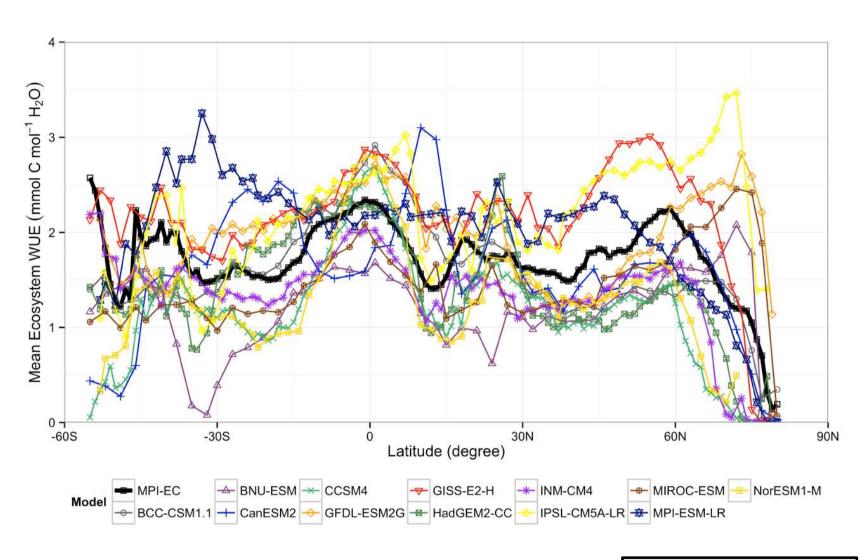


## Global mean annual GPP and LE (1960-2005)



In preparation: Li et al.

## Ecosystem water use efficiency (GPP/LE)



Li et al. in preparation

## **Future work**

#### •Technical issues:

- documentation for CABLE2.0
- Better uses of the repository and ticketing systems
- More automated system for benchmarking and diagnosis

#### •More MIPs:

- •Run CABLE using TRENDY protocol (iLAMB is likely to be funded, and will use TRENDY model output, CMIP5, CMIP6 model output);
- More comparisons of JULES vis CABLE (offline and online);

### •New processes:

- •hydraulic conductance in CABLE?
- •Interpreting land use change information
- •Wetland soil carbon, dissolved organic carbon, microbial soil C model;

### Use CABLE as tool for global ecology studies:

acclimation of photosynthesis and respiration