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1 Key Properties

Land surface key properties

1.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface key properties

1.1.1.1 Name *

Name of land model code

MATSIRO6

1.1.1.2 Keywords *

Keywords associated with land model code

Land surface model, big leaf model, multi-layer snow scheme, TOPMODEL-based approach

1.1.1.3 Overview *

Overview of land model.

Enter TEXT:

1.1.1.4 Description *

General description of the processes modelled (e.g. dynamic vegetation, prognostic albedo, etc.)

Surface energy balance, radiative transfer in canopy, stomatal resistance, canopy interception, snow hydrology, prognostic snow albedo, runoff generation, soil hydrology and soil temperature.

1.1.1.5 Land Atmosphere Flux Exchanges

Fluxes exchanged with the atmosphere.

- ☒ Water
- ☒ Energy
- ☐ Carbon
- ☐ Nitrogen
- ☐ Phosphorous
- ☐ Other - please specify:

1.1.1.6 Atmospheric Coupling Treatment *

Describe the treatment of land surface coupling with the Atmosphere model component, which may be different for different quantities (e.g. dust: semi-implicit, water vapour: explicit)

Implicit

1.1.1.7 Land Cover *

Types of land cover defined in the land surface model

- ☒ Bare soil
- ☐ Urban
- ☒ Lake
- ☒ Land ice
- ☐ Lake ice
- ☒ Vegetated
- ☐ Other - please specify:

1.1.1.8 Land Cover Change

Describe how land cover change is managed (e.g. the use of net or gross transitions)

Net transition between potential vegetation cover and cropland is considered.

1.1.1.9 Tiling *

Describe the general tiling procedure used in the land surface (if any). Include treatment of physiography, land/sea, (dynamic) vegetation coverage and orography/roughness

Each land grid has three tiles: potential vegetation, cropland, and lake. We use annual potential vegetation and cropland fractions from Land-Use Harmonization (LUH2); managed pasture, C3 annual crops, C3 perennial crops, C4 annual crops, C4 perennial crops and C3 nitrogen-fixing crops are categorized as cropland. The potential vegetation and cropland tiles are divided into two areas with and without snow cover. The lake is also divided into ice-covered and open water areas. The land surface fluxes are calculated in each area and averaged, weighted by their fractions. The land/sea fraction is considered.

1.2.1 Conservation Properties

Conservation

1.2.1.1 Energy

Describe if/how energy is conserved globally and to what level (e.g. within X [units]/year)

Energy is conserved globally at land surface.

1.2.1.2 Water

Describe if/how water is conserved globally and to what level (e.g. within X [units]/year)

Water is conserved globally except for land ice grids.

1.2.1.3 Carbon

Describe if/how carbon is conserved globally and to what level (e.g. within X [units]/year)

N/A

1.3.1 Timestepping Framework

Timestepping

1.3.1.1 Timestep Dependent On Atmosphere *

Is a time step dependent on the frequency of atmosphere coupling?

☒ True ☐ False

1.3.1.2 Time Step *

Overall timestep of land surface model (i.e. time between calls)

1

1.3.1.3 Timestepping Method *

General description of time stepping method and associated time step(s)

Variable atmosphere time step and 3600 seconds are used for flux calculation and land integration, respectively

1.4.1 Software Properties

Software properties of land surface code

1.4.1.1 Repository

Location of code for this component.

Enter TEXT:

1.4.1.2 Code Version

Code version identifier.

Enter TEXT:

1.4.1.3 Code Languages

Code language(s).

FORTRAN

1.5.1 Tuning Applied

Tuning methodology for land component

1.5.1.1 Description *

General overview description of tuning (if any): explain and motivate the main targets and metrics retained. and Document the relative weight given to climate performance metrics versus process oriented metrics, and on the possible conflicts with parameterization level tuning. In particular describe any struggle and with a parameter value that required pushing it to its limits to solve a particular model deficiency.

Enter TEXT:

2 Grid

Land surface grid

2.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface grid

2.1.1.1 Name

Name of grid in land model.

Enter TEXT:

2.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of grid in land model.

Atmosphere horizontal grid is used for the land model.

2.2.1 Horizontal

The horizontal grid in the land surface

2.2.1.1 Description *

Describe the general structure of the horizontal grid (not including any tiling)

Atmosphere horizontal grid is used.

2.2.1.2 Matches Atmosphere Grid *

Does the horizontal grid match the atmosphere?

☒ True ☐ False

2.3.1 Vertical

The vertical grid in the soil

2.3.1.1 Description *

Describe the general structure of the vertical grid in the soil (not including any tiling)

Soil has six layers with a thickness of 0.05, 0.2, 0.75, 1, 2, and 10 m.

2.3.1.2 Total Depth *

The total depth of the soil (in metres)

Enter INTEGER value:

3 Soil

Land surface soil

3.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface soil

3.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the soil in land model.

Enter TEXT:

3.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface soil in land model.

The soil parameterization includes soil hydrology, soil temperature prediction, and TOPMODEL-based runoff parameterization with six soil layers. The soil parameters depend on soil texture from ISLSCP I.

3.1.1.3 Heat Water Coupling *

Describe the coupling between heat and water in the soil

Heat and water is coupled through soil freeze and thaw processes.

3.1.1.4 Number Of Soil layers *

The number of soil layers

6

3.1.1.5 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the soil scheme

Soil temperature, Soil moisture, Soil ice content

3.2.1 Soil Map

Key properties of the land surface soil map

3.2.1.1 Description *

General description of soil map

The soil texture map based on ISLSCP Initiative I is used.

3.2.1.2 Structure

Describe the soil structure map

ISLSCP Initiative I (FAO, GISS, U. Arizona, NASA/GSFC)

3.2.1.3 Texture

Describe the soil texture map

ISLSCP Initiative I (FAO, GISS, U. Arizona, NASA/GSFC)

3.2.1.4 Organic Matter

Describe the soil organic matter map

N/A

3.2.1.5 Albedo

Describe the soil albedo map

ISLSCP Initiative I (ERBE)

3.2.1.6 Water Table

Describe the soil water table map, if any

N/A. Water table is diagnosed in the model.

3.2.1.7 Continuously Varying Soil Depth *

Does the soil properties vary continuously with depth?

☐ True ☒ False

3.2.1.8 Soil Depth

Describe the soil depth map

N/A. Soil depth is constant.

3.3.1 Snow Free Albedo

Snow free albedo

3.3.1.1 Prognostic *

Is snow free albedo prognostic?

☒ True ☐ False

3.3.1.2 Functions

If prognostic, describe the dependancies on snow free albedo calculations

- ☐ Vegetation type
- ☐ Soil humidity
- ☒ Vegetation state
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.3.1.3 Direct Diffuse

If prognostic, describe the distinction between direct and diffuse albedo

- ☒ Distinction between direct and diffuse albedo
- ☐ No distinction between direct and diffuse albedo
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.3.1.4 Number Of Wavelength Bands

If prognostic, enter the number of wavelength bands used

3

3.4.1 Hydrology

Key properties of the soil hydrology

3.4.1.1 Description *

General description of the soil hydrological model

The unfrozen soil moisture is predicted by the Richards equation with hydraulic properties based on Clapp and Hornberger (1979).

3.4.1.2 Time Step *

Time step of river soil hydrology in seconds

180

3.4.1.3 Tiling

Describe the soil hydrology tiling, if any.

N/A

3.4.1.4 Vertical Discretisation *

Describe the typical vertical discretisation

Soil has six layers with a thickness of 0.05, 0.2, 0.75, 1, 2, and 10 m.

3.4.1.5 Number Of Ground Water Layers *

The number of soil layers that may contain water

6

3.4.1.6 Lateral Connectivity *

Describe the lateral connectivity between tiles

- ☐ Perfect connectivity - Common soil for multiple tiles
- ☐ Darcian flow - Darcian flow among hillslope tiles
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.4.1.7 Method *

The hydrological dynamics scheme in the land surface model

- ☐ Bucket
- ☐ Force-restore
- ☐ Choisnel
- ☒ Explicit diffusion
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.4.2 Freezing

Frozen soil treatment

3.4.2.1 Number Of Ground Ice Layers *

How many soil layers may contain ground ice

6

3.4.2.2 Ice Storage Method *

Describe the method of ice storage

Thermo dynamics

3.4.2.3 Permafrost *

Describe the treatment of permafrost, if any, within the land surface scheme

There is no specific treatment for permafrost. But near-surface permafrost is represented by soil freezing processes.

3.4.3 Drainage

Drainage treatment in the soil

3.4.3.1 Description *

General describe how drainage is included in the land surface scheme

Runoff is calculated following a simplified TOPMODEL.

3.4.3.2 Types

Different types of runoff represented by the land surface model

- ☐ Gravity drainage
- ☒ Horton mechanism
- ☒ Topmodel-based
- ☒ Dunne mechanism

- ☐ Lateral subsurface flow
- ☐ Baseflow from groundwater
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.5.1 Heat Treatment

Soil heat treatment

3.5.1.1 Description *

General description of how heat treatment properties are defined

The soil temperature is predicted by a heat conduction equation with a zero heat flux at the bottom. The soil moisture freeze and thaw processes are included.

3.5.1.2 Time Step *

Time step of soil heat scheme in seconds

3600

3.5.1.3 Tiling

Describe the soil heat treatment tiling, if any.

Tiling corresponded to potential vegetation /cropland tiling.

3.5.1.4 Vertical Discretisation *

Describe the typical vertical discretisation

Soil has six layers with a thickness of 0.05, 0.2, 0.75, 1, 2, and 10 m.

3.5.1.5 Heat Storage *

Specify the method of heat storage

- ☐ Force-restore
- ☒ Explicit diffusion
- ☐ Other - please specify:

3.5.1.6 Processes *

Describe processes included in the treatment of soil heat

Select MULTIPLE options:

- ☐ Soil moisture freeze-thaw
- ☐ Coupling with snow temperature
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4 Snow

Land surface snow

4.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface snow

4.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the snow in land model.

Enter TEXT:

4.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface snow in land model.

The snow parameterization includes snow accumulation, snowmelt, and refreeze of snowmelt and rainfall with up to three snow layers. Snow temperature is calculated by a heat conduction equation. SSNOWD (Liston, 2004) snow cover fraction parameterization, which assumes a subgrid snow distribution function, is implemented.

4.1.1.3 Tiling

Describe the snow tiling, if any.

Tiling corresponded to potential vegetation/cropland tiling.

4.1.1.4 Number Of Snow Layers *

The number of snow levels used in the land surface scheme/model

3

4.1.1.5 Density *

Description of the treatment of snow density

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☒ Constant
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.6 Water Equivalent *

Description of the treatment of the snow water equivalent

- ☒ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.7 Heat Content *

Description of the treatment of the heat content of snow

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☒ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.8 Temperature *

Description of the treatment of snow temperature

- ☒ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.9 Liquid Water Content *

Description of the treatment of snow liquid water

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.10 Snow Cover Fractions *

Specify cover fractions used in the surface snow scheme

- ☒ Ground snow fraction
- ☒ Vegetation snow fraction
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.11 Processes *

Snow related processes in the land surface scheme

- ☒ Snow interception
- ☒ Snow melting
- ☒ Snow freezing
- ☐ Blowing snow
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.1.1.12 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the snow scheme

Snow mass, Snow temperature, Snow albedo, Dust density in snow, Accumulated snow mass in the absence of any melt, Accumulated snow water-equivalent melt depth

4.2.1 Snow Albedo

Snow albedo

4.2.1.1 Type *

Describe the treatment of snow-covered land albedo

- ☒ Prognostic
- ☐ Prescribed
- ☐ Constant
- ☐ Other - please specify:

4.2.1.2 Functions

Describe the function types if prognostic snow albedo

Select MULTIPLE options:

- ☐ Vegetation type
- ☐ Snow age
- ☐ Snow density
- ☐ Snow grain type
- ☐ Aerosol deposition
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5 Vegetation

Land surface vegetation

5.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface vegetation

5.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the vegetation in land model.

Enter TEXT:

5.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface vegetation in land model.

Monthly leaf area index from MODIS is used to represent vegetation phenology. Stomatal Resistance from SiB2 based photosynthesis scheme is used to calculate transpiration. Canopy interception is considered.

5.1.1.3 Time Step *

Time step of vegetation scheme in seconds

Enter INTEGER value:

5.1.1.4 Dynamic Vegetation *

Is there dynamic evolution of vegetation?

☐ True ☒ False

5.1.1.5 Tiling

Describe the vegetation tiling, if any.

Tiling of potential vegetaion cover and cropland is considered.

5.1.1.6 Vegetation Representation *

Vegetation classification used

- ☒ Vegetation types
☐ Biome types
☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.7 Vegetation Types

List of vegetation types in the classification, if any

- ☒ Broadleaf tree
- ☒ Needleleaf tree
- ☒ C3 grass
- ☒ C4 grass
- ☒ Vegetated
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.8 Biome Types

List of biome types in the classification, if any

- ☒ Evergreen needleleaf forest
- ☒ Evergreen broadleaf forest
- ☒ Deciduous needleleaf forest
- ☒ Deciduous broadleaf forest
- ☒ Mixed forest
- ☐ Woodland
- ☒ Wooded grassland
- ☐ Closed shrubland
- ☐ Open shrubland
- ☒ Grassland
- ☐ Cropland
- ☐ Wetlands
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.9 Vegetation Time Variation *

How the vegetation fractions in each tile are varying with time

- ☒ Fixed (not varying)
- ☐ Prescribed (varying from files)
- ☐ Dynamical (varying from simulation)
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.10 Vegetation Map

If vegetation fractions are not dynamically updated , describe the vegetation map used (common name and reference, if possible)

Watanabe__2010

5.1.1.11 Interception *

Is vegetation interception of rainwater represented?

☒ True ☐ False

5.1.1.12 Phenology *

Treatment of vegetation phenology

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic (vegetation map)
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.13 Phenology Description

General description of the treatment of vegetation phenology

Monthly leaf area index for cropland and potential vegetation cover is derived from MODIS LAI (Myneni et al., 2015) and land cover type (Friedl et al., 2010).

5.1.1.14 Leaf Area Index *

Treatment of vegetation leaf area index

- ☒ Prescribed
- ☐ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.15 Leaf Area Index Description

General description of the treatment of leaf area index

Monthly leaf area index for cropland and potential vegetation cover is derived from MODIS LAI (Myneni et al., 2015) and land cover type (Friedl et al., 2010).

5.1.1.16 Biomass *

Treatment of vegetation biomass

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.17 Biomass Description

General description of the treatment of vegetation biomass

N/A

5.1.1.18 Biogeography *

Treatment of vegetation biogeography

- ☐ Prognostic
- ☐ Diagnostic
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.19 Biogeography Description

General description of the treatment of vegetation biogeography

N/A

5.1.1.20 Stomatal Resistance *

Specify what the vegetation stomatal resistance depends on

- ☒ Light
- ☒ Temperature
- ☒ Water availability
- ☒ CO₂
- ☐ O₃
- ☐ Other - please specify:

5.1.1.21 Stomatal Resistance Description

General description of the treatment of vegetation stomatal resistance

Stomatal resistance is calculated using a photosynthetic scheme after SiB2 (Selleres et al., 1996).

5.1.1.22 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the vegetation scheme

Enter COMMA SEPARATED list:

6 Energy Balance

Land surface energy balance

6.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface energy balance

6.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the energy balance in land model.

Enter TEXT:

6.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface energy balance in land model.

The surface energy balance is calculated by linearization of surface temperature equations for canopy and surface. The canopy albedo and transmissivity are calculated using simplified radiative transfer in canopy by Watanabe and Ohtani (1995). The bulk coefficients are estimated based on Watanabe (1994).

6.1.1.3 Tiling

Describe the energy balance tiling, if any.

The energy balance is calculated for snow-covered and snow-free surface of each tile.

6.1.1.4 Number Of Surface Temperatures *

The maximum number of distinct surface temperatures in a grid cell (for example, each subgrid tile may have its own temperature)

4

6.1.1.5 Evaporation *

Specify the formulation method for land surface evaporation, from soil and vegetation

- ☐ Alpha
- ☐ Beta
- ☐ Combined
- ☐ Monteith potential evaporation
- ☐ Other - please specify:

6.1.1.6 Processes *

Describe which processes are included in the energy balance scheme

Select MULTIPLE options:

- ☐ Transpiration

☐ Other - please specify:

7 Carbon Cycle

Land surface carbon cycle

7.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface carbon cycle

7.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the carbon cycle in land model.

SiB2

7.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface carbon cycle in land model.

Diagnose CO2 flux associated with photosynthesis and leaf respiration

7.1.1.3 Tiling

Describe the carbon cycle tiling, if any.

N/A

7.1.1.4 Time Step *

Time step of carbon cycle in seconds

Enter INTEGER value:

7.1.1.5 Anthropogenic Carbon

Describe the treatment of the anthropogenic carbon pool

Select MULTIPLE options:

- ☐ Grand slam protocol
- ☐ Residence time
- ☐ Decay time
- ☐ Other - please specify:

7.1.1.6 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the carbon scheme

Enter COMMA SEPARATED list:

7.2.1 Vegetation

Vegetation treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.1.1 Number Of Carbon Pools *

Enter the number of carbon pools used

0

7.2.1.2 Carbon Pools

List the carbon pools used

Enter COMMA SEPARATED list:

7.2.1.3 Forest Stand Dynamics

Describe the treatment of forest stand dynamics

N/A

7.2.2 Photosynthesis

Photosynthesis treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.2.1 Method

Describe the general method used for photosynthesis (e.g. type of photosynthesis, distinction between C3 and C4 grasses, Nitrogen dependence, etc.)

SiB2 (Sellers et al 1996). Different parameters for C3 and C4 grasses according to ISLSCP 1.

7.2.3 Autotrophic Respiration

Autotrophic respiration treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.3.1 Maintenance Respiration

Describe the general method used for maintenance respiration

SiB2 (Sellers et al 1996)

7.2.3.2 Growth Respiration

Describe the general method used for growth respiration

N/A

7.2.4 Allocation

Allocation treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.4.1 Method *

Describe the general principle behind the allocation scheme

N/A

7.2.4.2 Allocation Bins *

Specify distinct carbon bins used in allocation

Select SINGLE option:

- ☐ Leaves + stems + roots
- ☐ Leaves + stems + roots (leafy + woody)
- ☐ Leaves + fine roots + coarse roots + stems
- ☐ Whole plant (no distinction)
- ☐ Other - please specify:

7.2.4.3 Allocation Fractions *

Describe how the fractions of allocation are calculated

Select SINGLE option:

- ☐ Fixed
- ☐ Function of vegetation type
- ☐ Function of plant allometry
- ☐ Explicitly calculated
- ☐ Other - please specify:

7.2.5 Phenology

Phenology treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.5.1 Method *

Describe the general principle behind the phenology scheme

Prescribed LAI

7.2.6 Mortality

Vegetation mortality treatment in carbon cycle

7.2.6.1 Method *

Describe the general principle behind the mortality scheme

N/A

7.3.1 Litter

Litter treatment in carbon cycle

7.3.1.1 Number Of Carbon Pools *

Enter the number of carbon pools used

0

7.3.1.2 Carbon Pools

List the carbon pools used

N/A

7.3.1.3 Decomposition

List the decomposition methods used

N/A

7.3.1.4 Method

Describe the general method used

N/A

7.4.1 Soil

Soil treatment in carbon cycle

7.4.1.1 Number Of Carbon Pools *

Enter the number of carbon pools used

0

7.4.1.2 Carbon Pools

List the carbon pools used

N/A

7.4.1.3 Decomposition

List the decomposition methods used

N/A

7.4.1.4 Method

Describe the general method used

N/A

7.5.1 Permafrost Carbon

Permafrost carbon treatment in carbon cycle

7.5.1.1 Is Permafrost Included *

Is permafrost included?

☐ True ☒ False

7.5.1.2 Emitted Greenhouse Gases

List the GHGs emitted

N/A

7.5.1.3 Decomposition

List the decomposition methods used

N/A

7.5.1.4 Impact On Soil Properties

Describe the impact of permafrost on soil properties

Enter TEXT:

8 Nitrogen Cycle

Land surface nitrogen cycle

8.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface nitrogen cycle

8.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the nitrogen cycle in land model.

N/A

8.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface nitrogen cycle in land model.

Enter TEXT:

8.1.1.3 Tiling

Describe the nitrogen cycle tiling, if any.

Enter TEXT:

8.1.1.4 Time Step *

Time step of nitrogen cycle in seconds

Enter INTEGER value:

8.1.1.5 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the nitrogen scheme

Enter COMMA SEPARATED list:

9 River Routing

Land surface river routing

9.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface river routing

9.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the river routing in land model.

TRIP2

9.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface river routing in land model.

The river routing model is TRIP2 which is based on Oki and Sud (1998) with a kinematic wave flow equation (Ngo-Duc et al 2007). It is the same as the model for CMIP5, but the river network map is updated (Yamazaki et al., 2009).

9.1.1.3 Tiling

Describe the river routing, if any.

River discharge and ice flow are considered.

9.1.1.4 Time Step *

Time step of river routing scheme in seconds

3600

9.1.1.5 Grid Inherited From Land Surface *

Is the grid inherited from land surface?

☒

True

☐

False

9.1.1.6 Grid Description

General description of grid, if not inherited from land surface

The grid is inherited from land surface

9.1.1.7 Number Of Reservoirs *

Enter the number of reservoirs

2

9.1.1.8 Water Re Evaporation *

TODO

Select **MULTIPLE** options:

- ☐ Flood plains
- ☐ Irrigation
- ☐ Other - please specify:

9.1.1.9 Coupled To Atmosphere

Is river routing coupled to the atmosphere model component?

- ☐ True
- ☒ False

9.1.1.10 Coupled To Land

Describe the coupling between land and rivers

Runoff from all land tiles averaged with their fractions flows into rivers.

9.1.1.11 Quantities Exchanged With Atmosphere

If couple to atmosphere, which quantities are exchanged between river routing and the atmosphere model components?

Select **MULTIPLE** options:

- ☐ Heat
- ☐ Water
- ☐ Tracers
- ☐ Other - please specify:

9.1.1.12 Basin Flow Direction Map *

What type of basin flow direction map is being used?

- ☒ Present day
- ☐ Adapted for other periods
- ☐ Other - please specify:

9.1.1.13 Flooding

Describe the representation of flooding, if any

N/A

9.1.1.14 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the river routing

River water storage

9.2.1 Oceanic Discharge

Oceanic discharge treatment in river routing

9.2.1.1 Discharge Type *

Specify how rivers are discharged to the ocean

- ☒ Direct (large rivers)
- ☐ Diffuse
- ☐ Other - please specify:

9.2.1.2 Quantities Transported *

Quantities that are exchanged from river-routing to the ocean model component

Select MULTIPLE options:

- ☐ Heat
- ☐ Water
- ☐ Tracers
- ☐ Other - please specify:

10 Lakes

Land surface lakes

10.1.1 Top level properties

Land surface lakes

10.1.1.1 Name

Commonly used name for the lakes in land model.

Enter TEXT:

10.1.1.2 Overview

Overview of land surface lakes in land model.

The lake model considers vertical thermal diffusion and mass conservation. It is the same as the previous version of the model used for CMIP5.

10.1.1.3 Coupling With Rivers *

Are lakes coupled to the river routing model component?

☒ True ☐ False

10.1.1.4 Time Step *

Time step of lake scheme in seconds

3600

10.1.1.5 Quantities Exchanged With Rivers

If coupling with rivers, which quantities are exchanged between the lakes and rivers

☐ Heat
☒ Water
☐ Tracers
☐ Other - please specify:

10.1.1.6 Vertical Grid

Describe the vertical grid of lakes

Lake has five layers with a variable thickness depending on lake level.

10.1.1.7 Prognostic Variables *

List the prognostic variables of the lake scheme

Lake temperature, Lake salinity, Lake ice surface temperature, Lake ice concentration, Lake ice thickness, Lake snow thickness, Lake level

10.2.1 Method

Lakes treatment

10.2.1.1 Ice Treatment *

Is lake ice included?

☒ True ☐ False

10.2.1.2 Albedo *

Describe the treatment of lake albedo

☐ Prognostic
☒ Diagnostic
☐ Other - please specify:

10.2.1.3 Dynamics *

Which dynamics of lakes are treated? horizontal, vertical, etc.

☐ No lake dynamics
☒ Vertical
☐ Horizontal
☐ Other - please specify:

10.2.1.4 Dynamic Lake Extent *

Is a dynamic lake extent scheme included?

☒ True ☐ False

10.2.1.5 Endorheic Basins *

Basins not flowing to ocean included?

☒ True ☐ False

10.3.1 Wetlands

Wetlands treatment

10.3.1.1 Description

Describe the treatment of wetlands, if any

Enter TEXT: