

A) Input:

- Hourly Model file
- Obs files: L2 + L1b (prior)

B) Horizontal IDW (5 grid cells) to station location:

- CO₂ and components: Anthr, BG, RA, GPP
- Air density ρ

C) Vertical interpolation & extrapolation

Total XCO₂

- Linear interpolation between model layers
- Below model layers: constant, first layer value
- Above model layers: use prior profile

Anthr., RA, GPP XCO₂

- Linear interpolation
- Above model: linear extrapolation
- No prior

BG XCO₂

- No vertical interpolation
- Computed as Total - Anthr - RA + GPP

Air density ρ

- computed and interpolated to AK heights above ground

D-F) XCO₂ computation

Compute XCO_{2,total}

$$\frac{\sum(\rho dz [X_{\text{prior}} + AK \cdot (X_{\text{model}} - X_{\text{prior}})])}{\sum(\rho dz)}$$

Compute layer fractions

$$f_{\text{comp}} = \frac{X_{\text{comp}}}{X_{\text{total}}}$$

Compute XCO_{2,components}

$$\frac{\sum(\rho dz f_{\text{comp}} [X_{\text{prior}} + AK \cdot (X_{\text{total}} - X_{\text{prior}})])}{\sum(\rho dz)}$$

Return dictionary:

- Obs XCO₂
- Mod XCO₂ (Total/Anthr/BG/RA/GPP)
- Meta data (date, station name, topography, etc.)