

This repository contains the code modifications and Matlab scripts used for Pilcher et al., [2017].

The model source code is freely available from the MITgcm website here <http://mitgcm.org>

NARR atmospheric forcing is available from the NOAA/OAR/ERSL PSD at <http://www.esrl.noaa.gov/psd>. Lake ice forcing is available from the U.S. National Ice Center http://www.natice.noaa.gov/products/great_lakes.html.

The model initial condition files are not uploaded here due to size constraints. They need to be created as binary files, uniform in all spatial dimensions, using the values found in Table 2 of Pilcher et al., [2015] and Table 1 of Pilcher et al., [2017].

Modify

This directory contains the modified files that configure the MITgcm to Lake Michigan. These files will overwrite the files of the corresponding name during compilation. The `pre_quagga` directory is used for the pre-quagga Lake Michigan model build, while the `quagga` directory is used for the quagga build. Select one or the other during compilation.

Run

This directory contains the data files that are required to run the model, and should be placed in a scratch directory. There are a number of forcing file declarations here that will need updated directory names.

Matlab_scripts

This folder contains the Matlab scripts used to generate the figures in Pilcher et al. [2017]

The `LMgrid1.kronos.nc` file is the grid file that is generated from the model run. It is not included here due to space constraints.

Directory names will have to be modified for use. Also pay attention to the dimensions that the netcdf files are loaded with, because this can change depending on the netcdf version and function.

Some scripts use netcdf files while others use .mat files. All netcdf files are produced from the raw model output using nco operators. The Matlab files are generated with the scripts provided here. Generally, these are the `calc*` scripts that are then used in the `plot*` scripts.

References:

Pilcher, D.J., G.A. McKinley, V. Bennington, and H. Bootsma (2015), Physical and biogeochemical mechanisms of internal carbon cycling in Lake Michigan, *J. Geophys. Res. Oceans*, 120(3), 2112-2128, doi:10.1002/2014JC010594.

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