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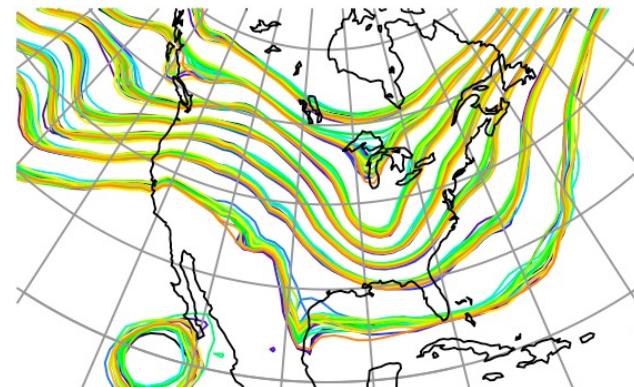
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Opportunities for Data Assimilation in Land Surface Modeling

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DA corrects errors in model state

Climate, ecosystems, and planetary futures: The challenge to predict life in Earth system models

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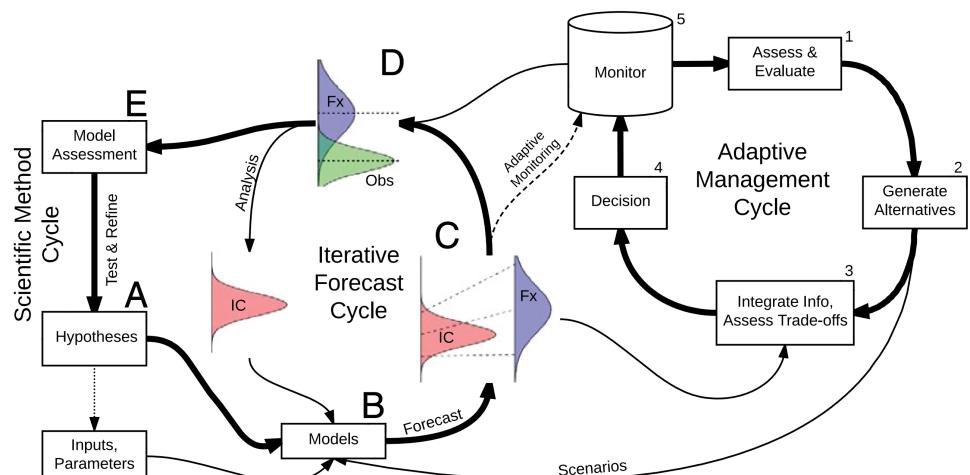
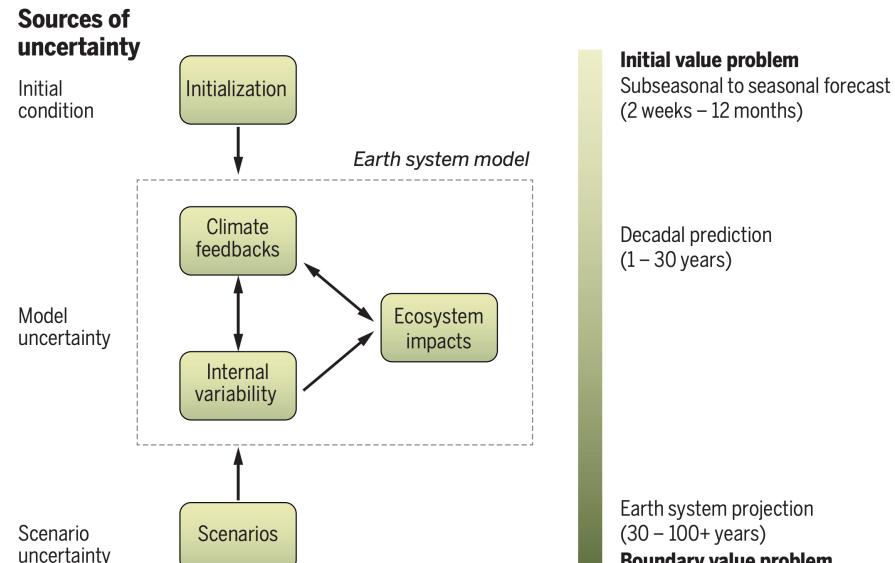
REVIEW SUMMARY

EARTH SYSTEMS

Iterative near-term ecological forecasting: Needs, opportunities, and challenges

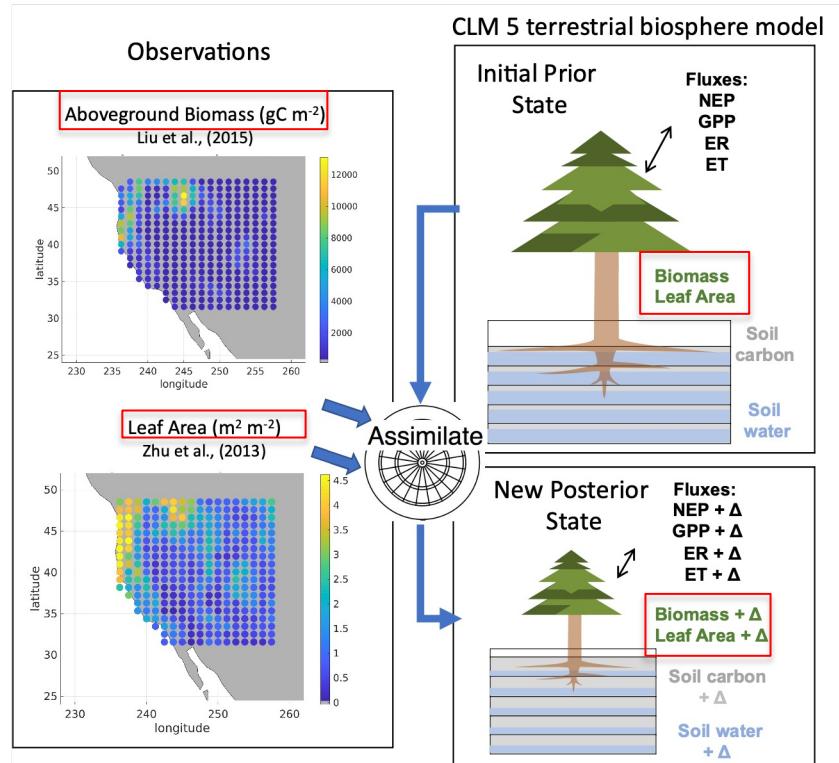
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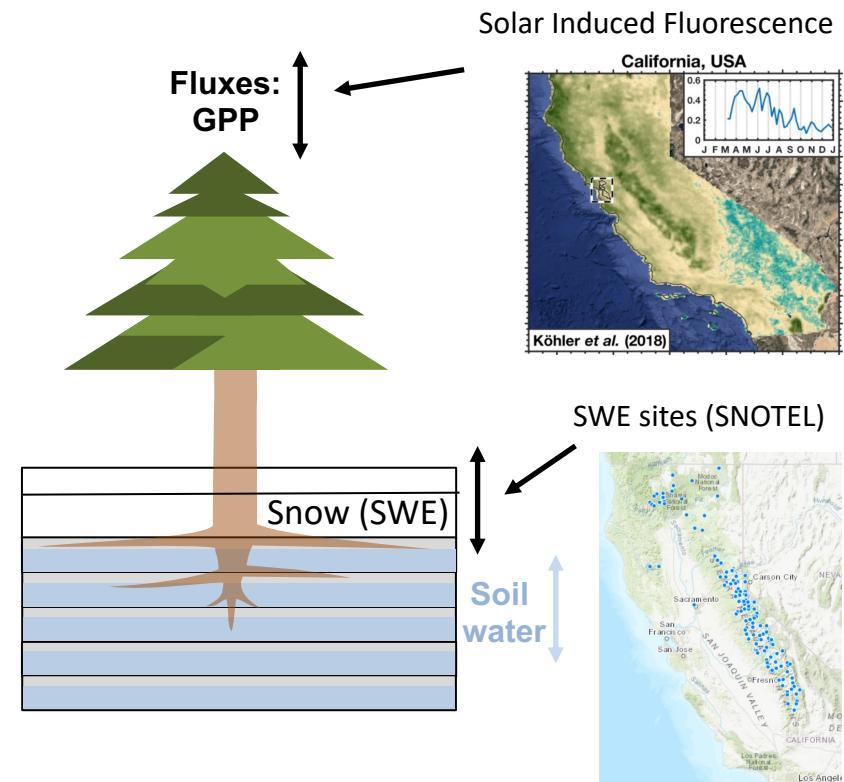
Carbon Cycling in Complex Terrain

Where we are:
(adjusting biomass states)



Raczka et al., (in revision); JAMES

Where we are going:
(adjusting water, SIF)

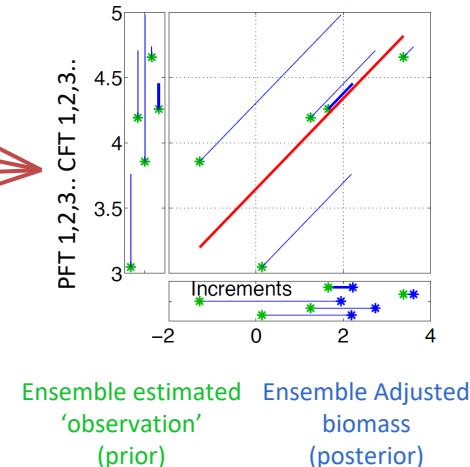
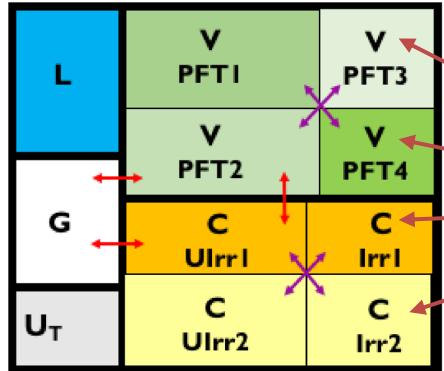


Point observations:
horizontal/vertical localization

Regional data products:
(SMOS, SMAP, SNODAS) product uncertainty

Adjusting specific PFTs or columns

Present Approach: ‘Updating PFTs based on CLM ensemble covariance’



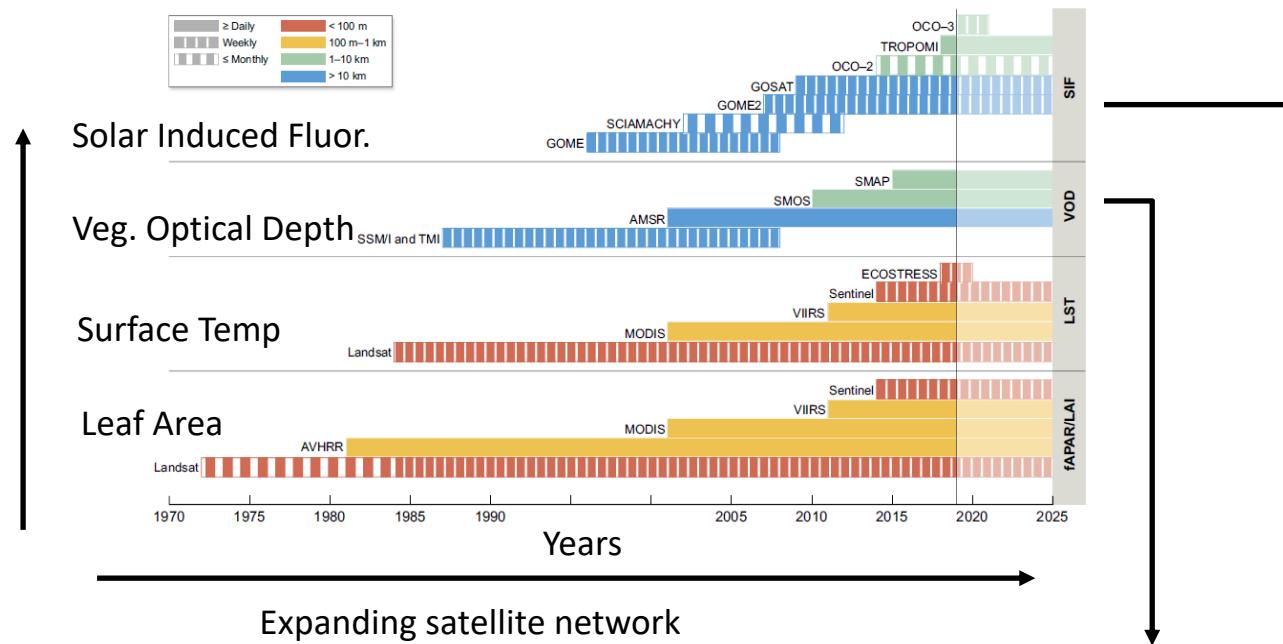
Advancing models & observations together

Expanding
land surface
properties

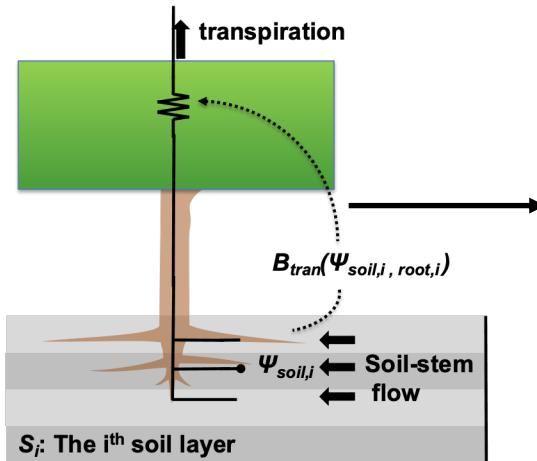


Constraining estimates of terrestrial carbon uptake: new opportunities using long-term satellite observations and data assimilation

William K. Smith¹ , Andrew M. Fox¹ , Natasha MacBean² , David J. P. Moore¹ and Nicholas C. Parazoo³

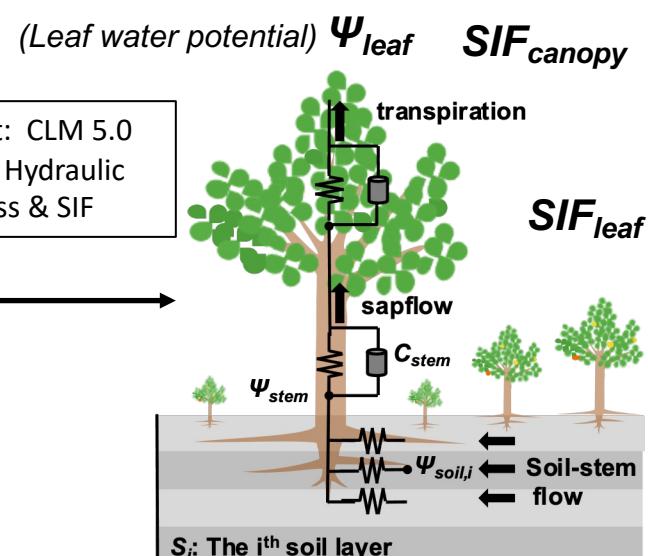


CLM 4.5
(Soil Moisture Stress
Formulation)

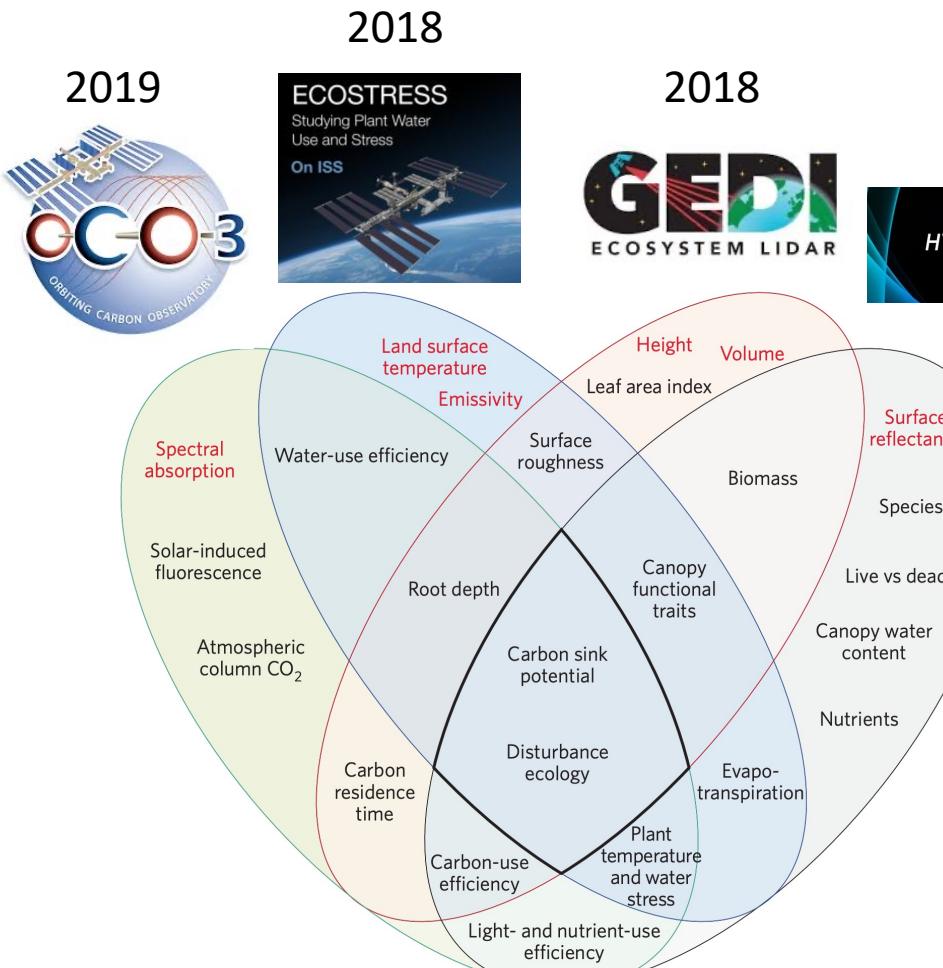


Current: CLM 5.0
Added Hydraulic
Stress & SIF

Increasing model
complexity



Emerging Satellite Data Products



ISS observations offer insights
into plant function
nature ecology & evolution

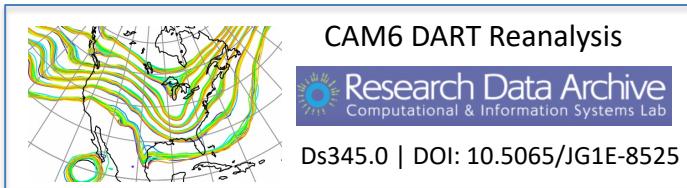
E. Natasha Stavros, David Schimel, Ryan Pavlick, Shawn Serbin, Abigail Swann, Laura Duncanson, Joshua B. Fisher, Fabian Fassnacht, Susan Ustin, Ralph Dubayah, Anna Schweiger and Paul Wennberg

DART is designed to add new data products:

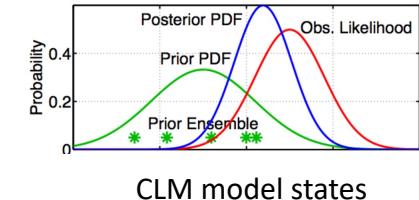
- Observation Converters: 80+ and growing
- Forward Operators: generates the expected observation from existing model states
- Adaptive Inflation: addresses systematic differences between data product and model simulation (Data product algorithm uncertainty, Model biases)

Parameter Estimation

Present:
State
estimation



+ CLM
+ data/obs



"The Community Land Model has many different parameters whose values cannot be measured directly in the field at the application scale of interest and instead have to be determined by calibration using observations of the system output."

Estimation of Community Land Model parameters for an improved assessment of net carbon fluxes at European sites

JGR Biogeosciences

Hanna Post ✉ Jasper A. Vrugt, Andrew Fox, Harry Vereecken, Harrie-Jan Hendricks Franssen

A machine learning approach to emulation and biophysical parameter estimation with the Community Land Model, version 5

Advances in Statistical Climatology, Meteorology and Oceanography

Katherine Dagon^{1,2}, Benjamin M. Sanderson^{1,2}, Rosie A. Fisher^{1,2}, and David M. Lawrence^{1,2}

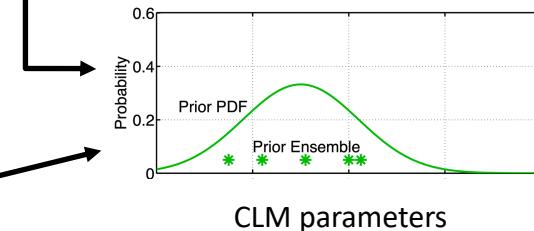
The Impact of Parametric Uncertainties on Biogeochemistry in the E3SM Land Model

JAMES | Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems

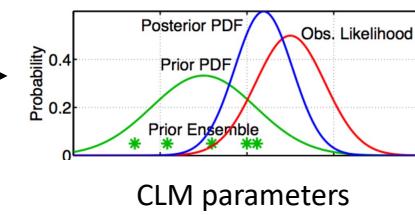
Daniel Ricciuto ✉ Khachik Sargsyan, Peter Thornton

- Default CLM parameters are single value estimates (PDFs not provided)
- Parameter estimation studies are rare, computationally expensive (MCMC, surrogate approaches)
- EnKF treats 'parameters' similarly to 'state variables' at a relatively low computational cost
- DART is capable of providing improved parameter estimates, and associated model uncertainty

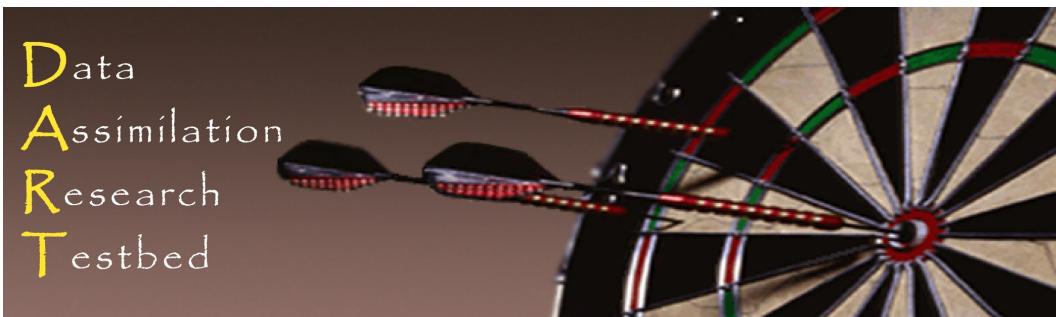
Future : Parameter
estimation



+ CLM
+ data/obs



For more information:

<i>CAM</i>	<i>GCOM</i>	<i>CAM-Chem</i>	<i>FESOM</i>	<i>ROMS</i>	<i>WRF</i>
	<i>GITM</i>	<i>CABLE</i>	<i>WRF-Hydro</i>	<i>WACCM</i>	
<i>CLM</i>	<i>DART</i>				<i>POP</i>
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<i>MITgcm_ocean</i>		<i>WRF-Chem</i>		<i>COAMPS_nest</i>	
	<i>NAAPS</i>			<i>TIEGCM</i>	<i>MPAS_ATM</i>
<i>WACCM-X</i>		<i>MPAS_OCN</i>		<i>PBL_1d</i>	<i>NOAH-MP</i>