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探究青藏高原在全球海洋经圈环流形成中的角色

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核心科学问题

- 青藏高原大地形如何调控全球大气环流？
- 青藏高原地-气耦合系统变化如何影响全球能量水分循环？
- 青藏高原地-气耦合系统如何影响我国灾害性天气气候？

科学目标

- 揭示青藏高原对全球气候及其变化的影响及机制
- 把我国青藏高原研究进一步推向世界舞台，处于国际的领军地位，为我国可持续发展做出贡献

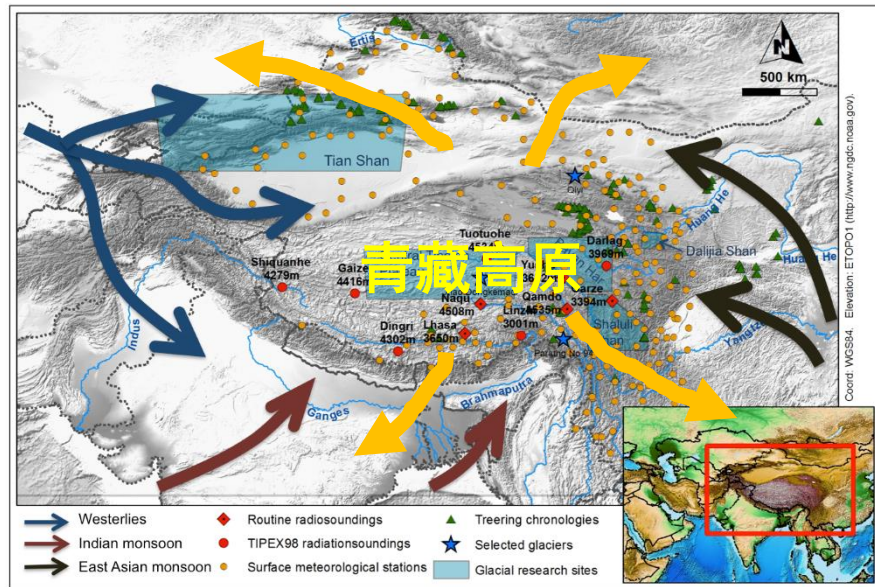
青藏高原：世界第三极

总面积250万km²，平均海拔4000m



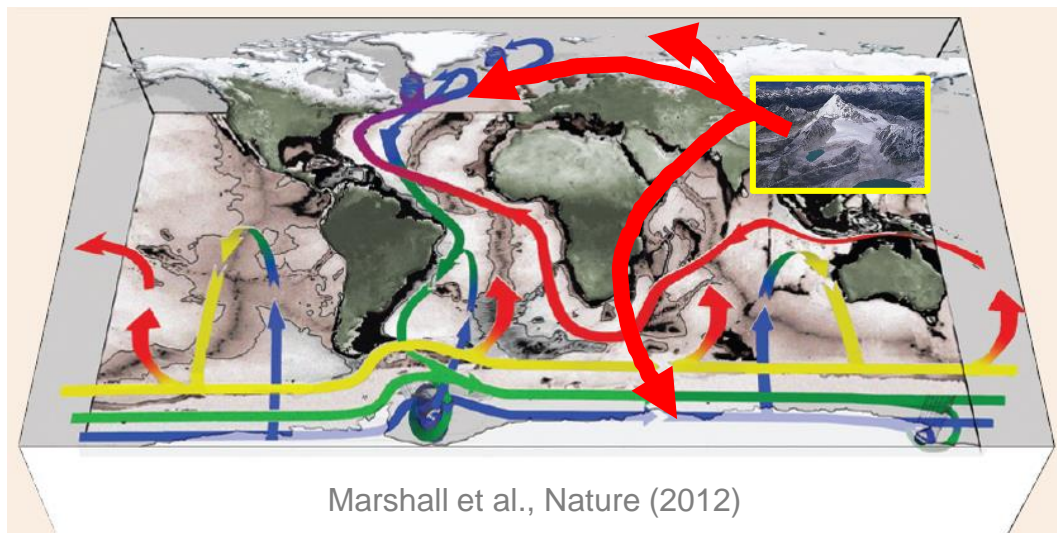
中国科学家的卓越贡献

青藏高原地-气耦合及其区域环境相互作用



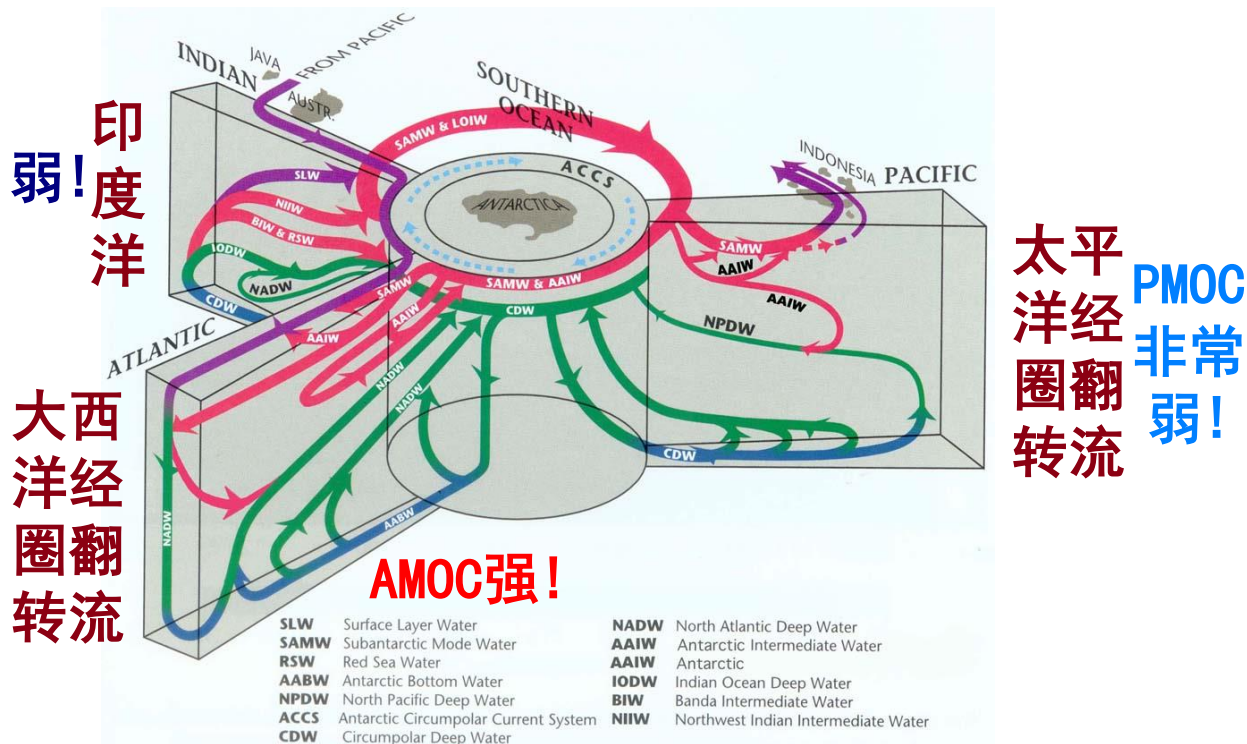
青藏高原的全球视角

难点：如何影响？多大影响？



全球海洋经圈环流

维系着整个星球的能量与淡水平衡



Schmitz (1997) Overturning circulation: Southern Ocean View

科学问题

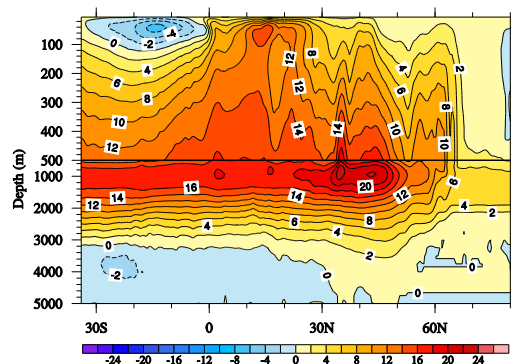
1. “有/无”青藏高原，地球气候态有什么不同？
2. 如果没有青藏高原，现代全球海洋大输送带还会存在吗？
3. “有/无”青藏高原，气候态的北大西洋深水形成、AMOC有什么不同？
4. 青藏高原、落基山脉、安第斯山脉在全球海洋经圈环流气候态塑造中的相对贡献如何？分别对全球能量-水汽循环有何影响？

耦合气候系统模式

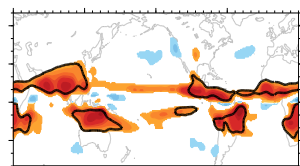
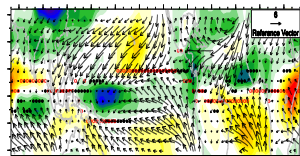
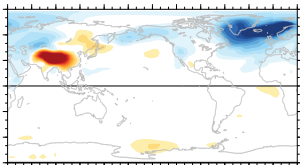
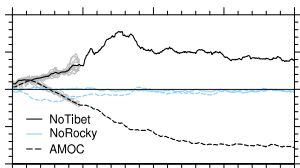
- 美国国家大气研究中心

CESM1.0

- 大气CAM5；海洋POP2
- 陆面CLM4；海冰CICE4
- 陆冰Glimmer-CISM

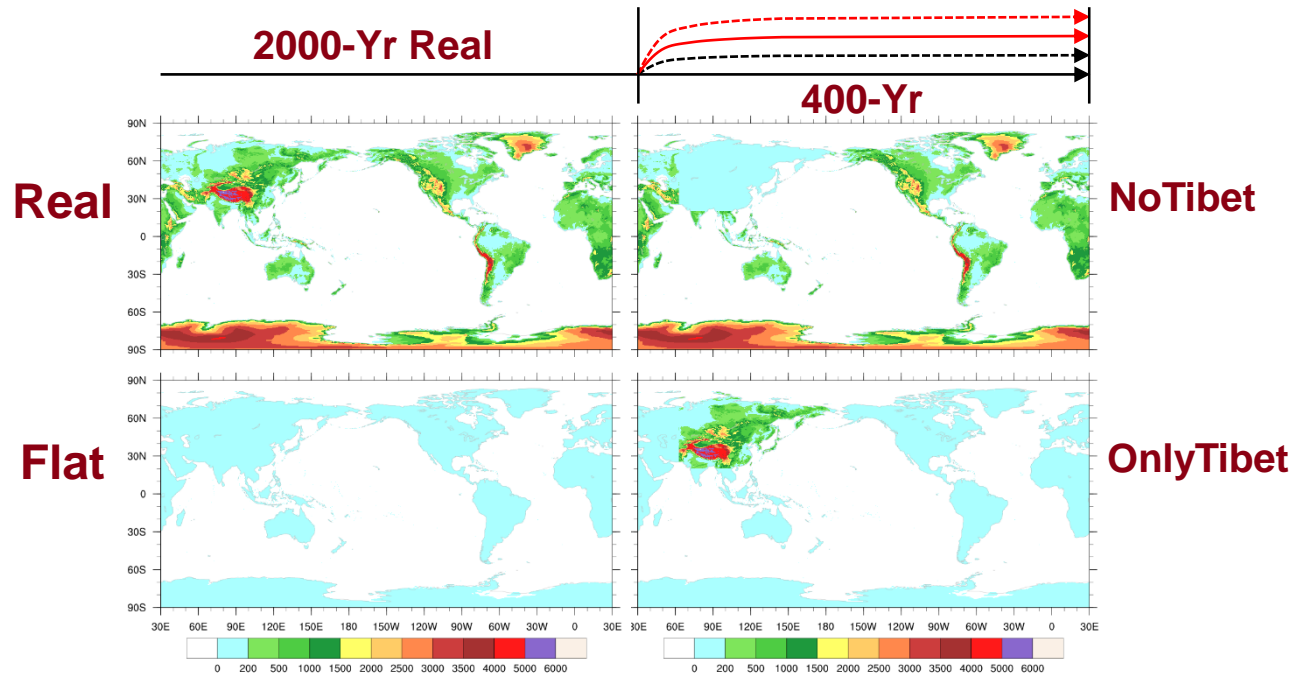


TP in Climate System



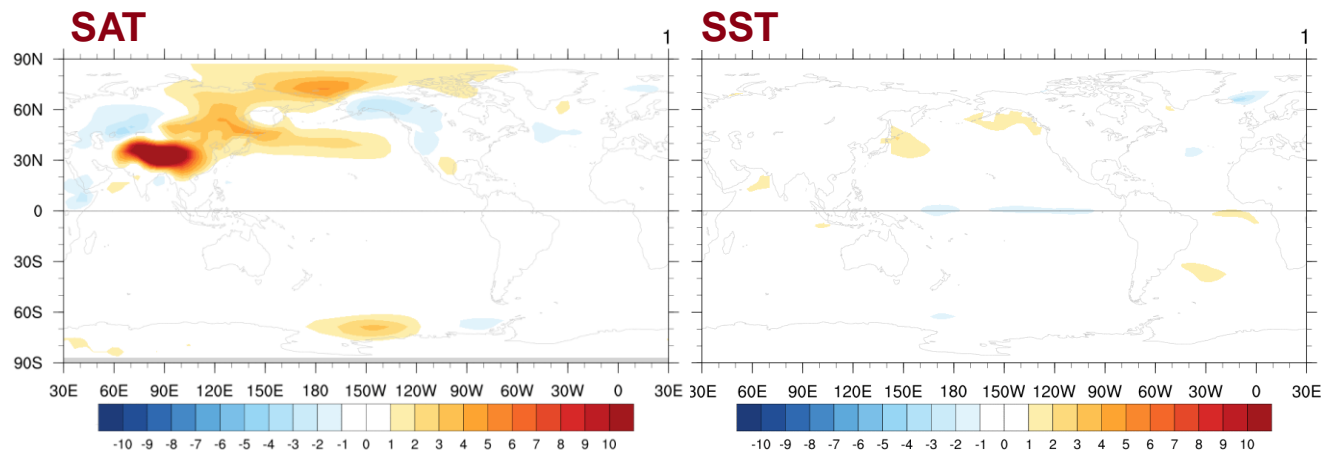
- Yang et al., TP role in global climate: annual mean (*Published*)
- Yang et al., TP in shaping AMOC (*Published*)
- Wen et al., TP in see-saw of PMOC and AMOC (*Published*)
- Wen et al., TP effect on ENSO variability (*Published*)
- Wen et al., TP effect on the AABW (*Published*)
- Chen et al., TP effect on the North African precipitation (*Accepted*)
- Jiang et al., Rocky Mountain effect on GMOC (*Accepted*)
- Yao et al., TP role in global climate: SC and monsoon (*Submitted*)
- Wang et al., TP connecting to Arctic and Antarctic (*Writing*)
- Jiang et al., TP determining the AMOC (*Writing*)

Coupled Earth System Model



NCAR CESM1.0: CAM5 / POP2 / CLM4 / CICE4 / Glimmer-CISM

1. TP's Global Impact



Yang, H., X. Shen, J. Yao and Q. Wen, 2019: Portraying the impact of the Tibetan Plateau on global climate. *J. Climate*, 32, doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-18-0734.1

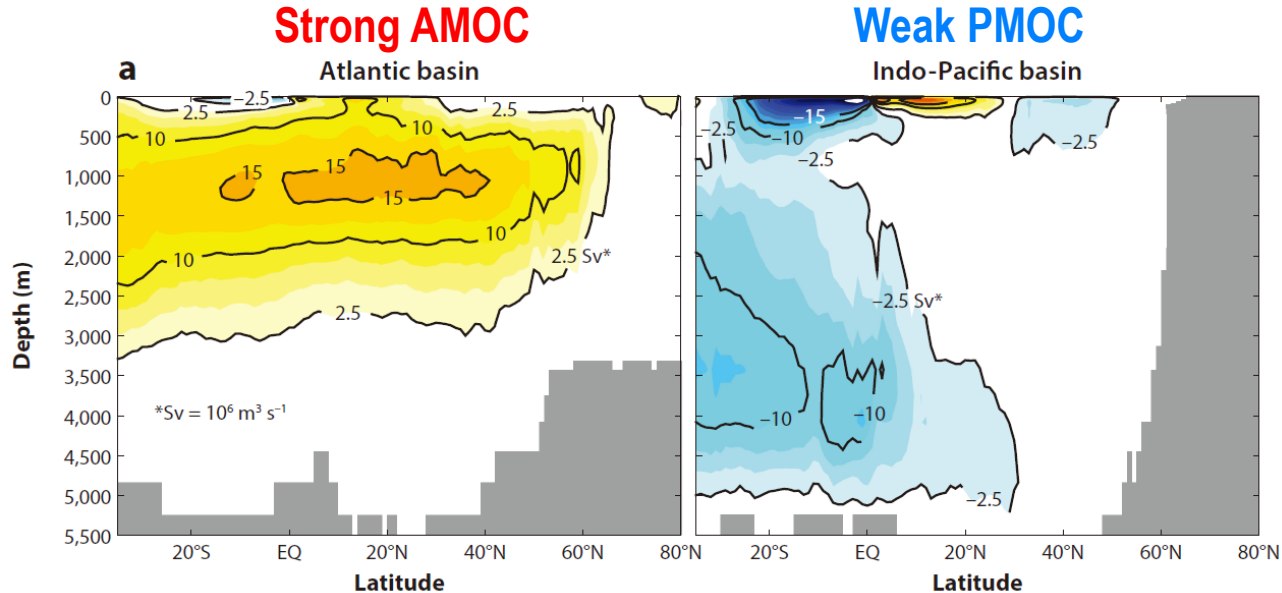
Preliminary Results

		NoTibet	OnlyTibet
Atmos	TOA (PW)	+0.2	-0.04
	Air T (°C)	-4.0	+6.0
	SAT (°C)	-18.0	+19.0
	Air q (%)	-5.0	+10.0
	HC (%)	+13	-20
Ocean	SST (°C)	-8.0	+10.0
	SSS (psu)	-4.0	+6.0
	SSD (kg/m ³)	-3.0	+4.0

0 → 1 : Critical in Shaping Global Climate!

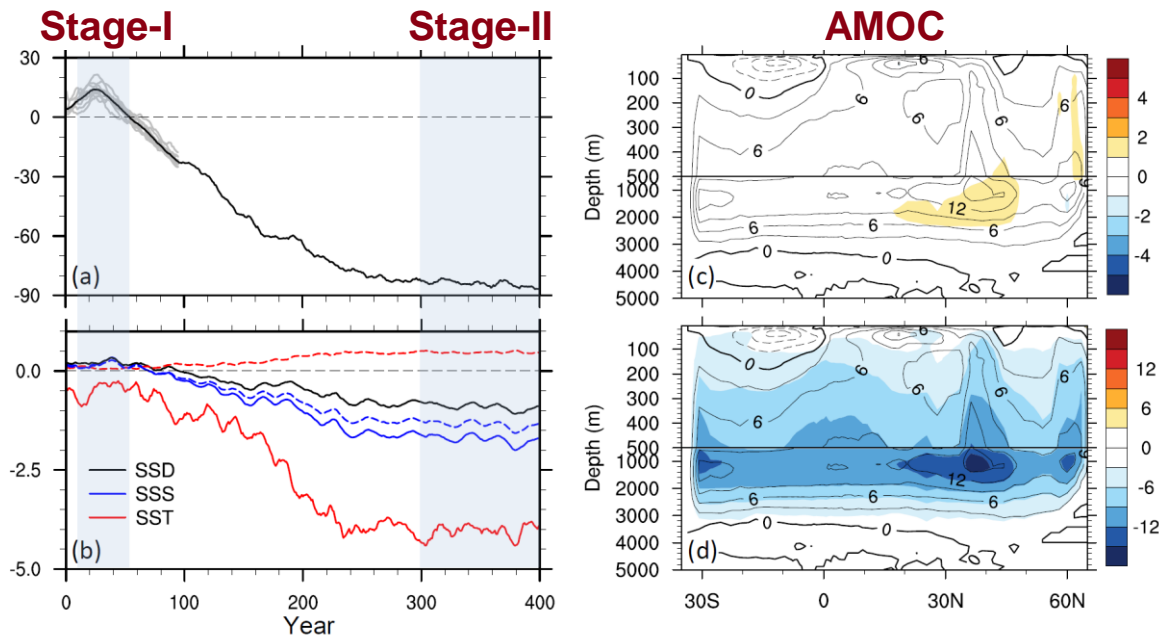
2. TP's Impact on GMOC

Present GMOC



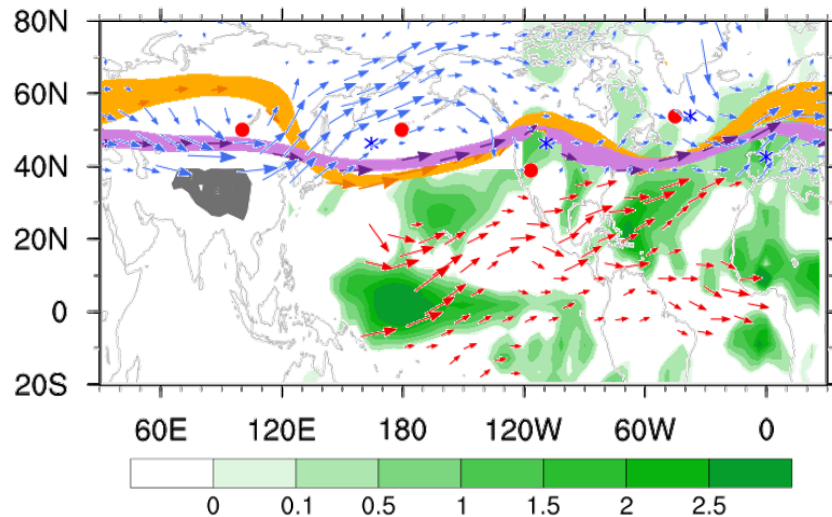
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2.1. AMOC Evolution w/o TP

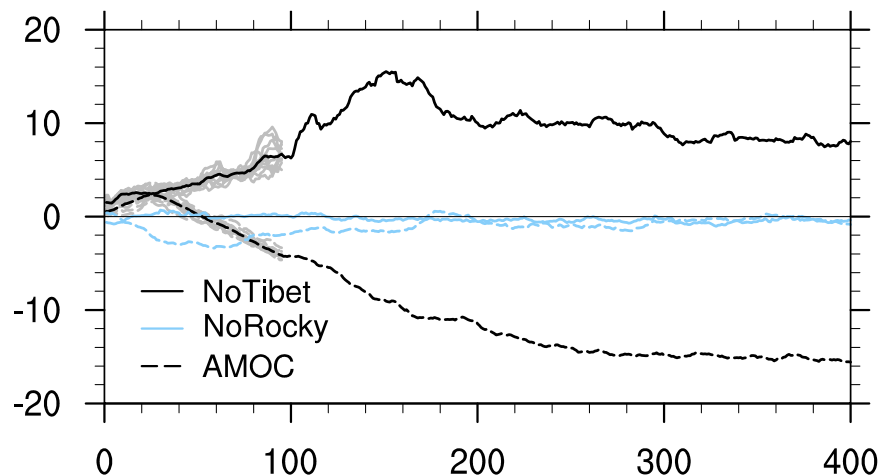


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Stationary Waves with Tibetan Plateau

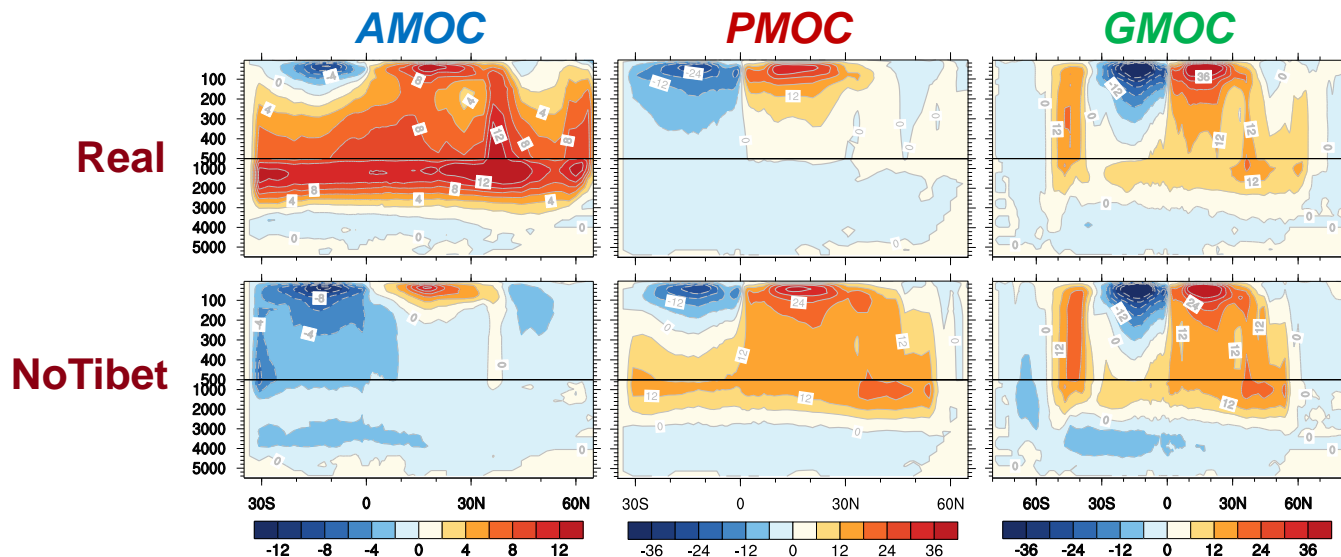


2.2. PMOC Evolution w/o TP

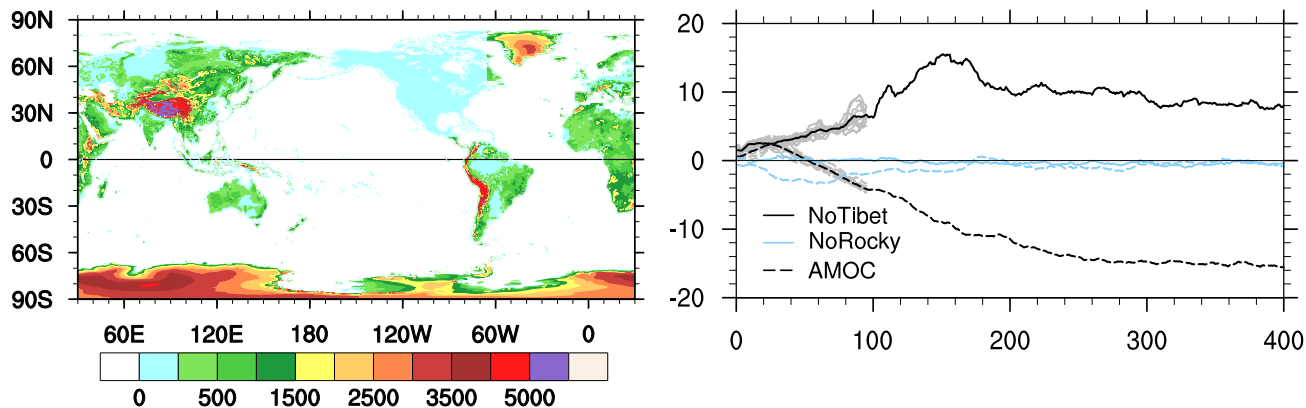


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Global MOC



3. Rocky Mountain Impact on GMOC



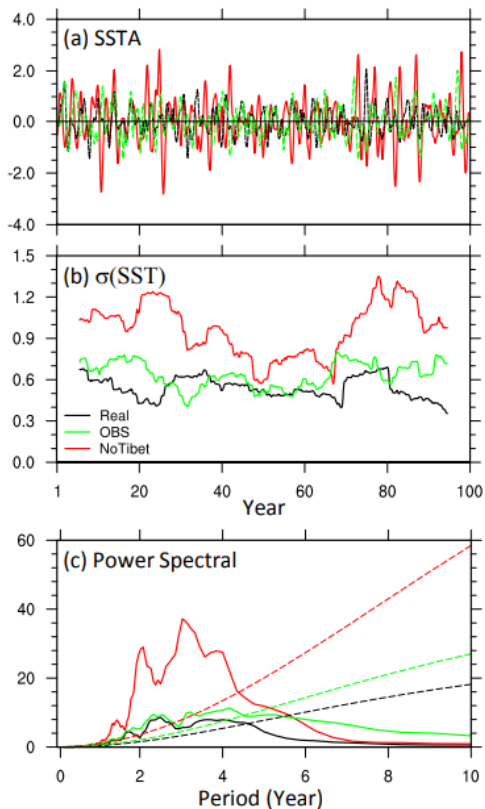
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Preliminary Results

	NoTibet	NoRocky
AMOC	Weak	Unchanged
PMOC	Strong	Unchanged

0 → 1 : Critical in Shaping GMOC!

4. TP's Impact on ENSO

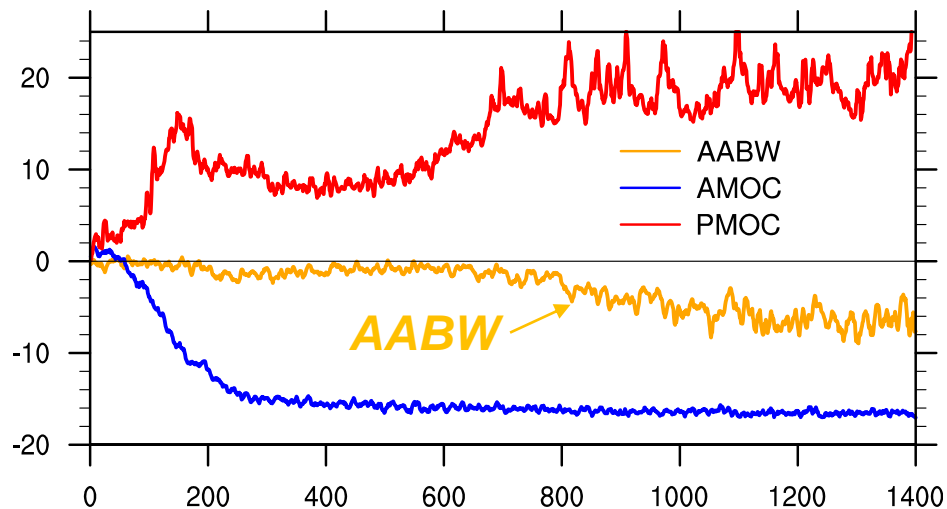


Amplitude: **80%↑**

Period: unchanged

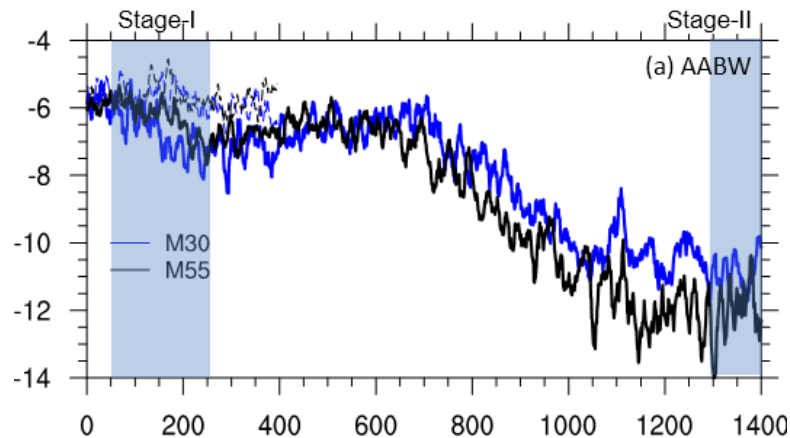
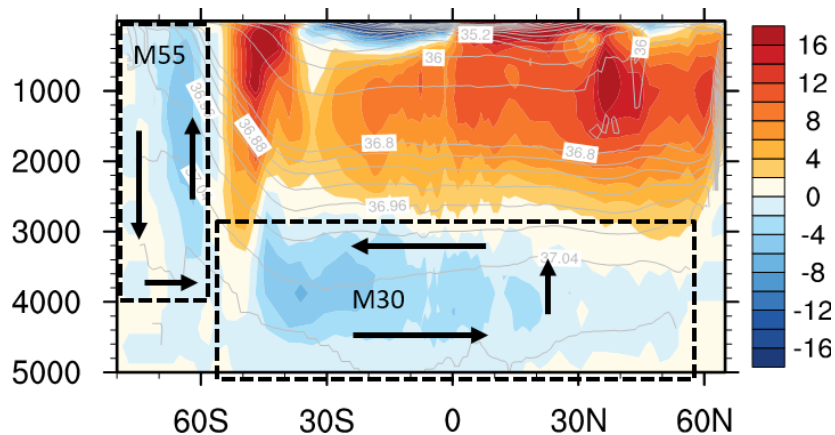
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5. TP's Impact on AABW



TP's Impact on AABW

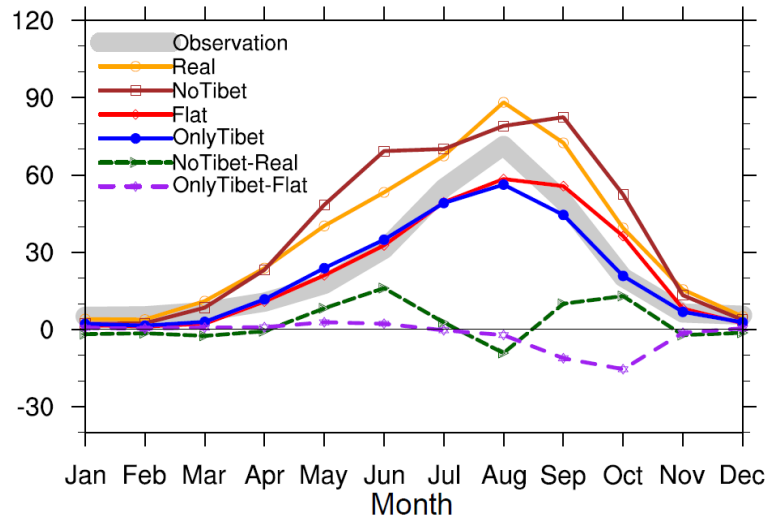
NoTibet \longrightarrow AABW $\uparrow\uparrow$



Wen, Q. et al., 2021: Can the Tibetan Plateau affect the Antarctic Bottom Water. *Geophys. Res. Lett.* doi: 10.1029/2021GL092448.

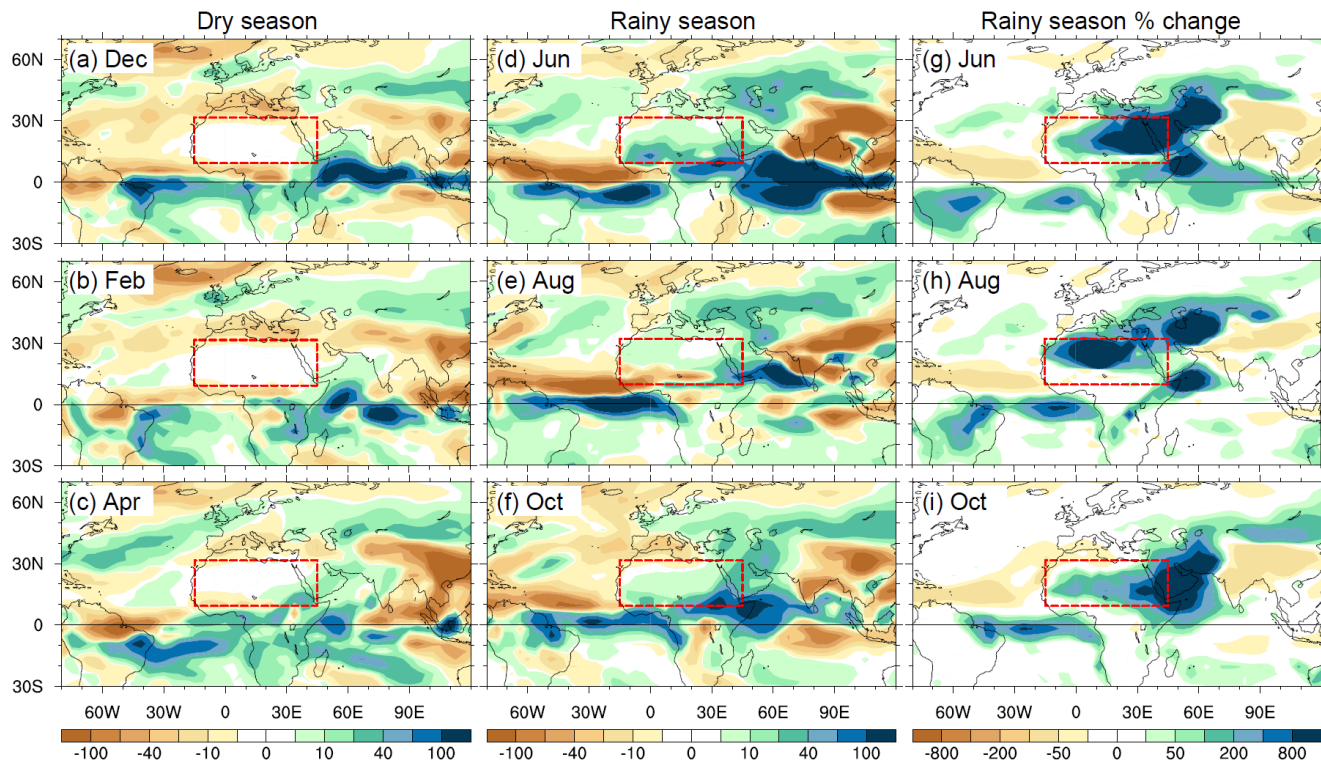
6. TP's Impact on North Africa Precipitation

NoTibet → North Africa Precipitation ↑

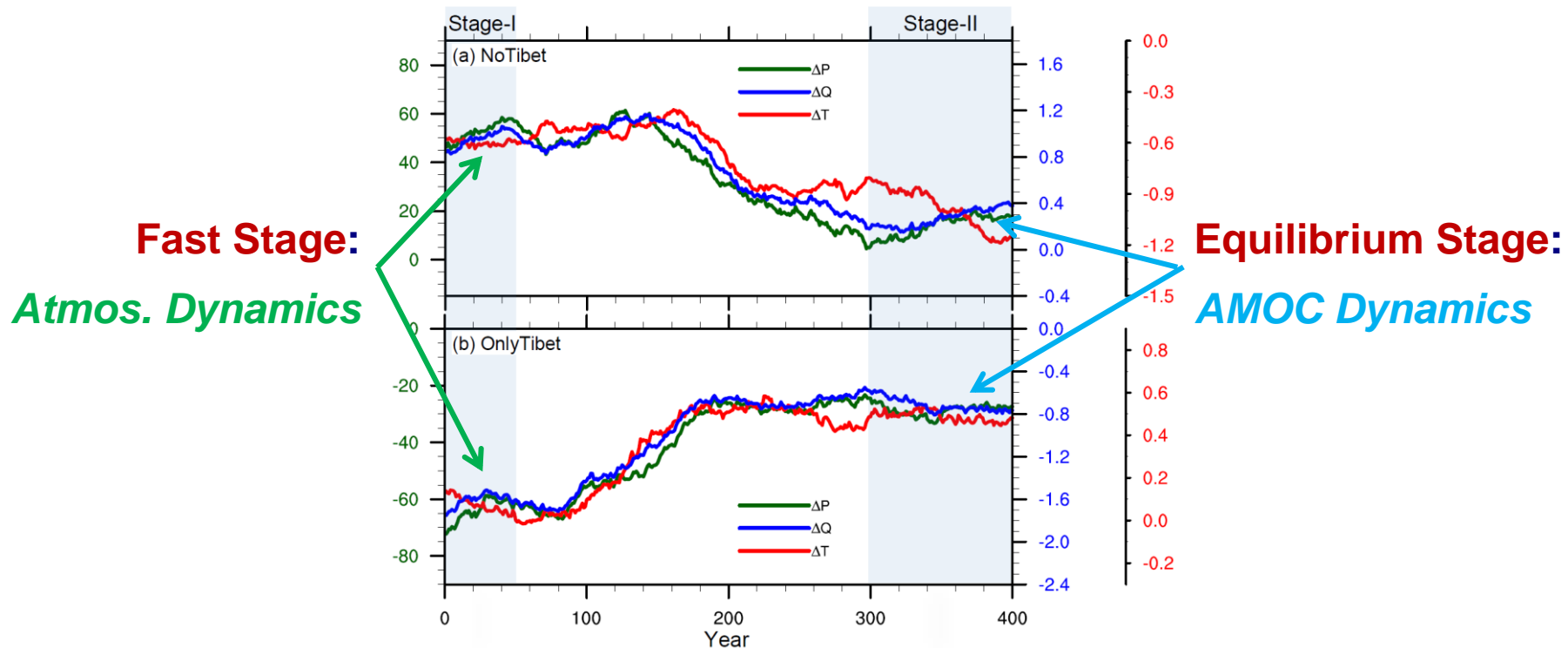


Chen Z. and H. Yang, 2021: Impact of Tibetan Plateau on North African Precipitation. *Climate Dynamics*. Accepted.

TP affect Rainy Season of North Africa Precipitation

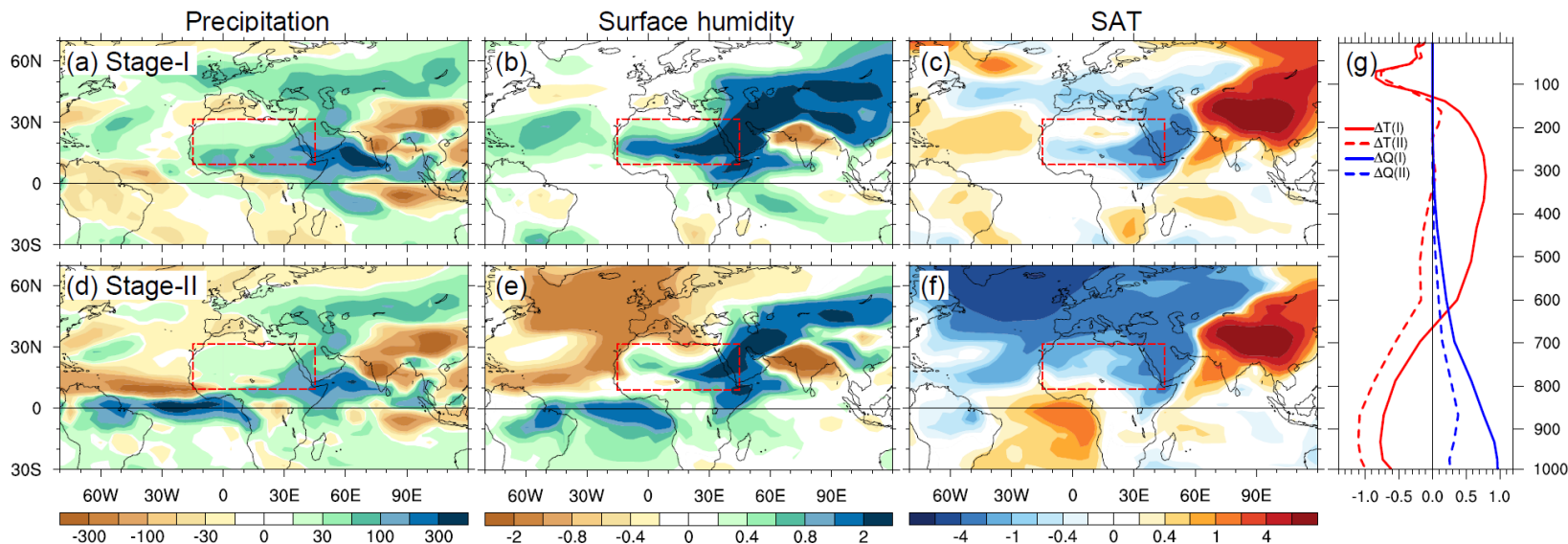


TP affect Rainy Season



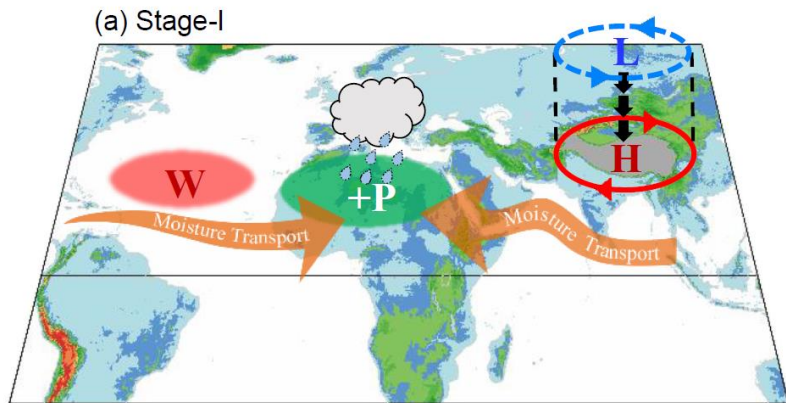
Precipitation Change in Different Stage

NoTibet \rightarrow Precipitation \uparrow \rightarrow AMOC \downarrow \rightarrow Precipitation \downarrow

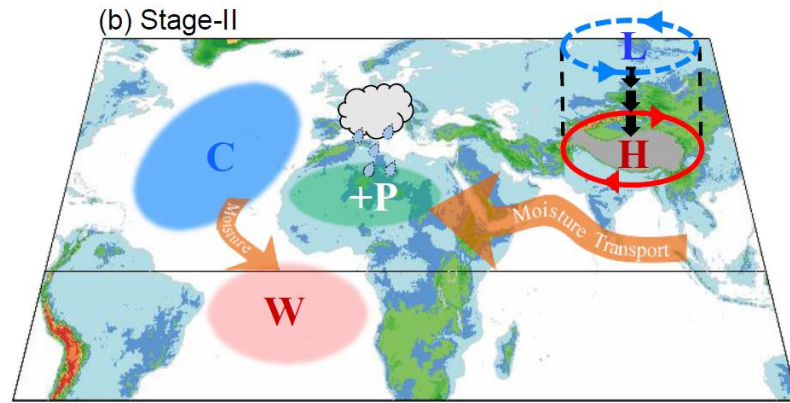


Mechanism for Precipitation Change

Fast Stage Atmos. Dynamics

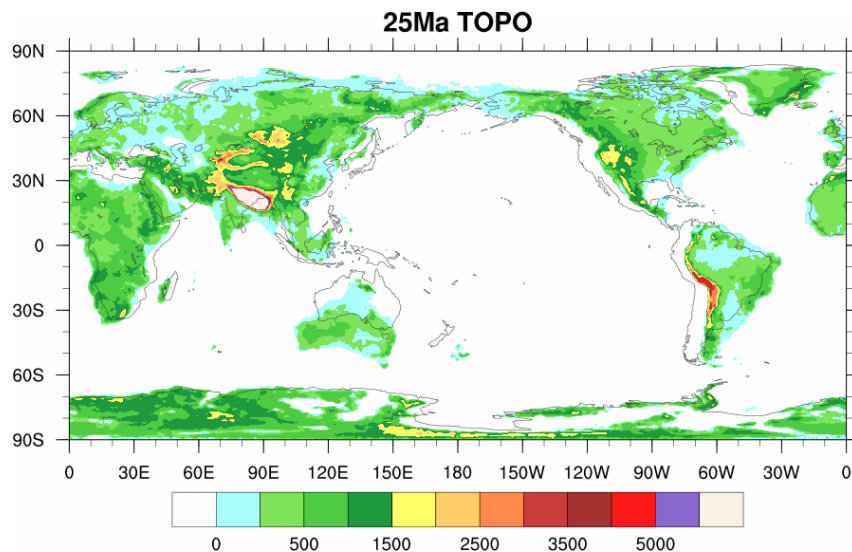


Equilibrium Stage AMOC Dynamics



7. TP: *determining* the *Modern GMOC*

Tibetan Plateau → **Necessary to Modern AMOC**



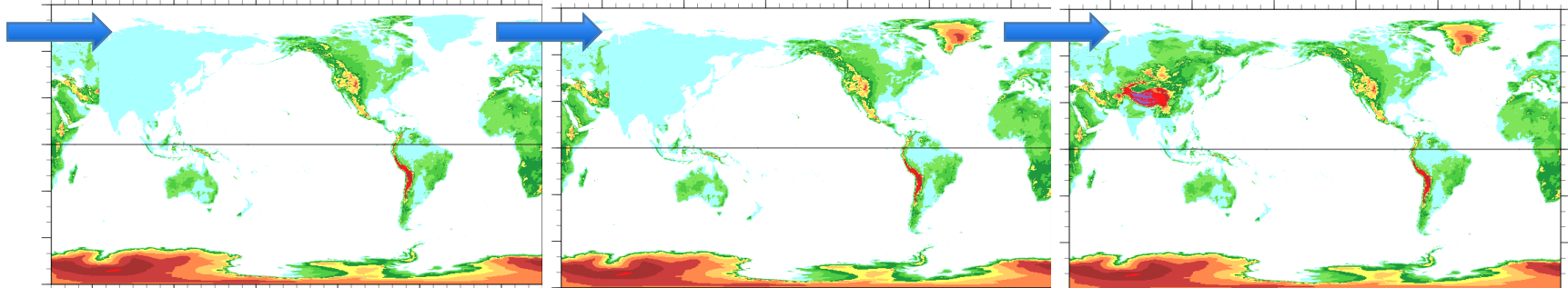
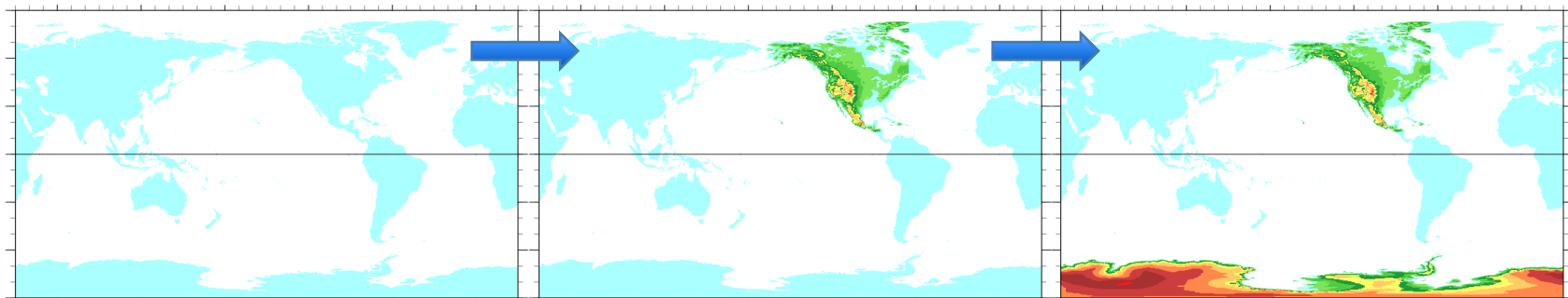
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From *Flat* to *Real*

Flat

Rocky 45Ma

... + Antarctic 25Ma

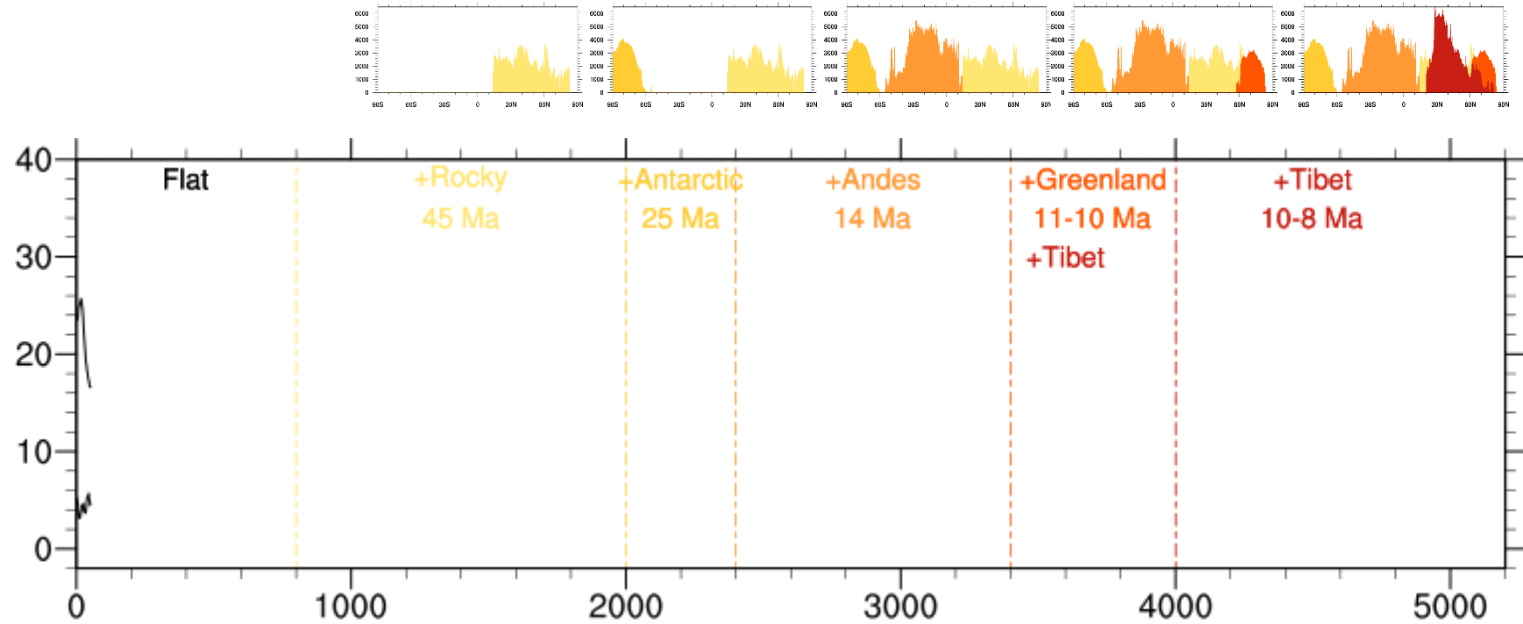


... + Andes 14Ma

... + Greenland 11Ma

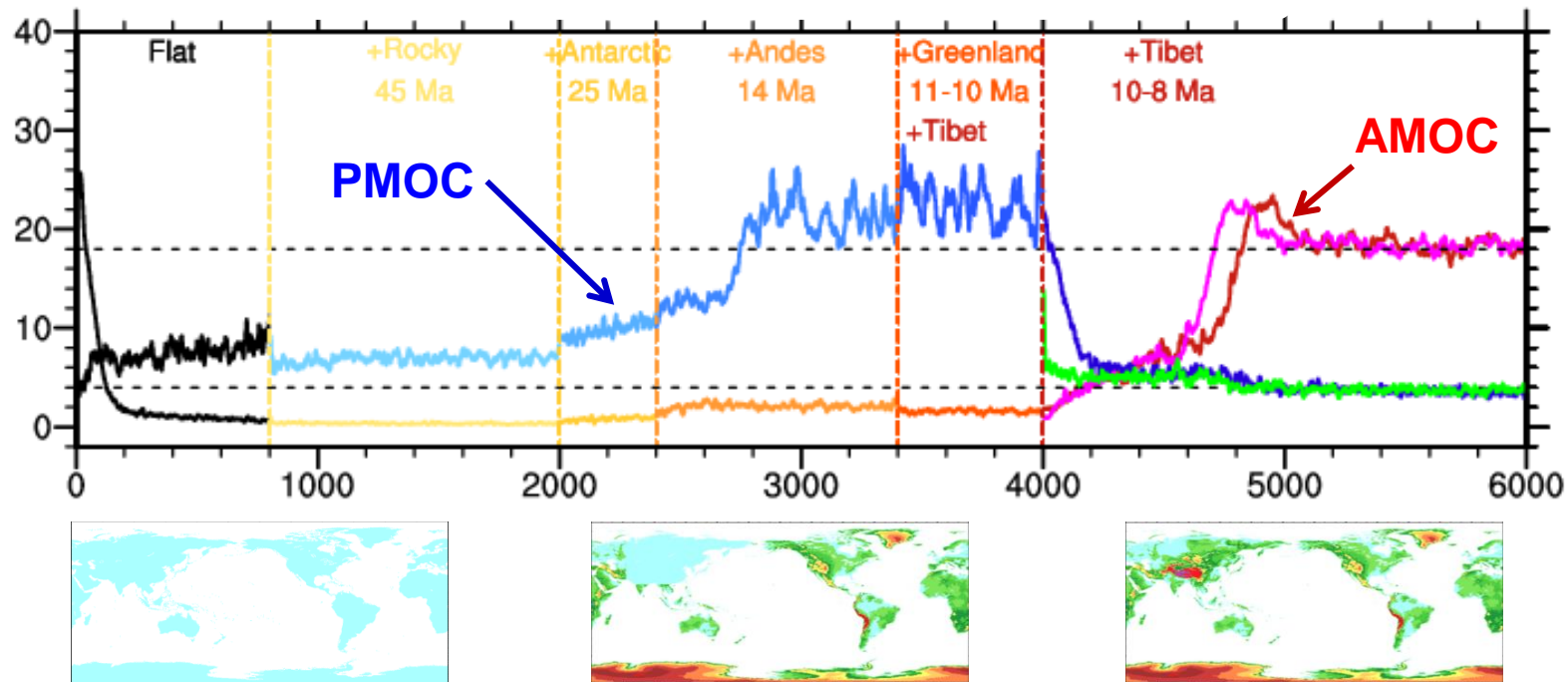
... + Tibet 10Ma = **Real**

From *Flat* to *Real*



TP: *determining* the *Modern GMOC*

Total 6000 Years Simulations



Experiments: *Topography Combination*

单个地形

试验时间

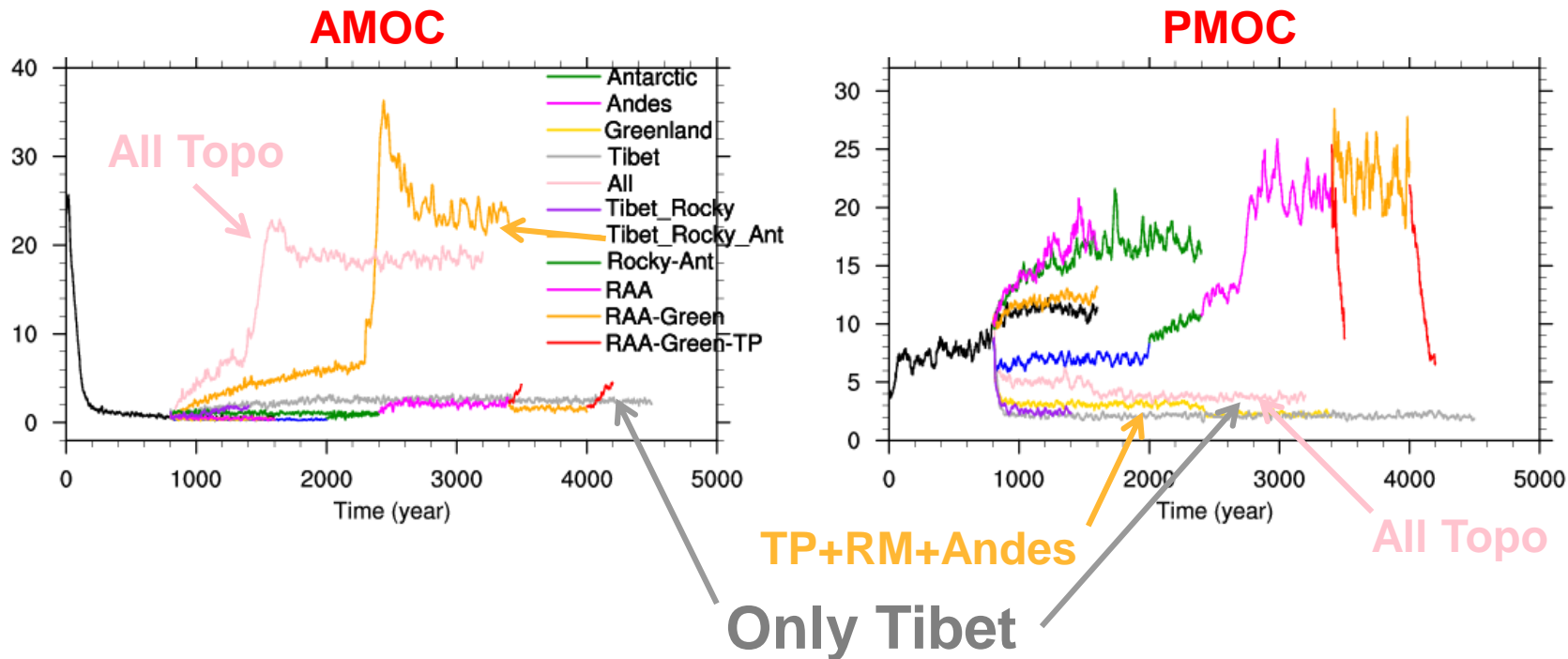
Flat	1-1600	平板
Only _Rocky	801-2000	45Ma
Only _Ant	801-1600	25Ma
Only _Andes	801-1600	14Ma
Only _Greenland	801-1600	11-10Ma
Only _Tibet	801-4700	10-8Ma
Only _All	801-3200	全地形

组合地形试验

试验时间

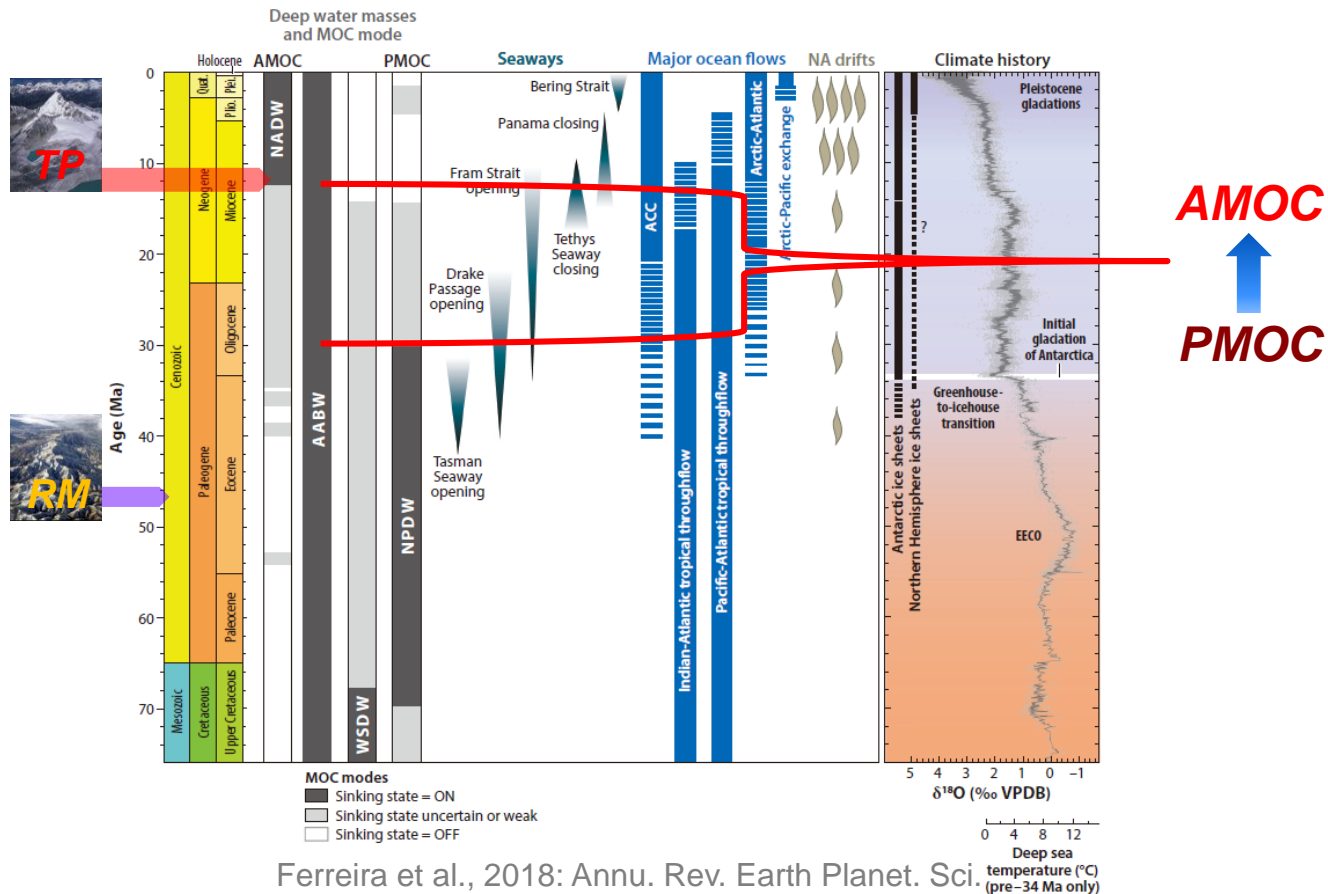
Only _Tibet _Rocky	801-1400
Only _Tibet _Rocky _Ant	801-3400
Rocky-Ant	2001-2400
Rocky-Ant-Andes	2401-3400
Rocky-Ant-Andes-Green	3401-4000
Rocky-Ant-Andes-TP	3401-5000
Rocky-Ant-Andes-Gn-TP	4001-6000

Experiments: *Topography Combination*



没有青藏高原就没有AMOC；有青藏高原就没有PMOC

Geological History of **G**MOC

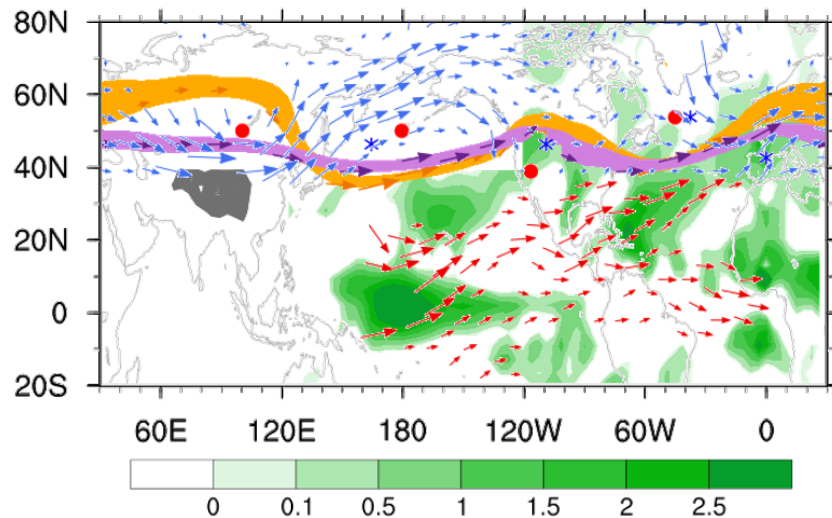


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From *TP* to *AMOC*: Atmospheric Moisture Balance

Stationary Waves with Tibetan Plateau



**On
Working !**

Tibetan Plateau  **Atmospheric Moisture transport**
**Most
Critical**

Conclusion

无 Tibetan Plateau



无 AMOC

有 Tibetan Plateau



无 PMOC

青藏高原的存在是AMOC建立的必要条件，
是PMOC消失的充分条件



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