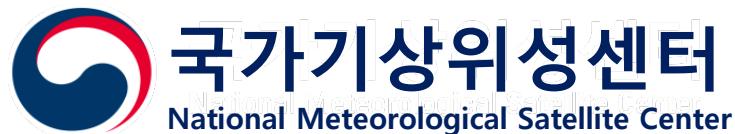


# Current status of GK-2A AMV algorithm in NMSC/KMA

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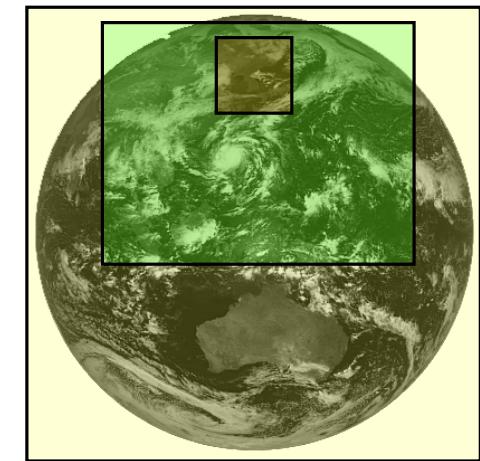
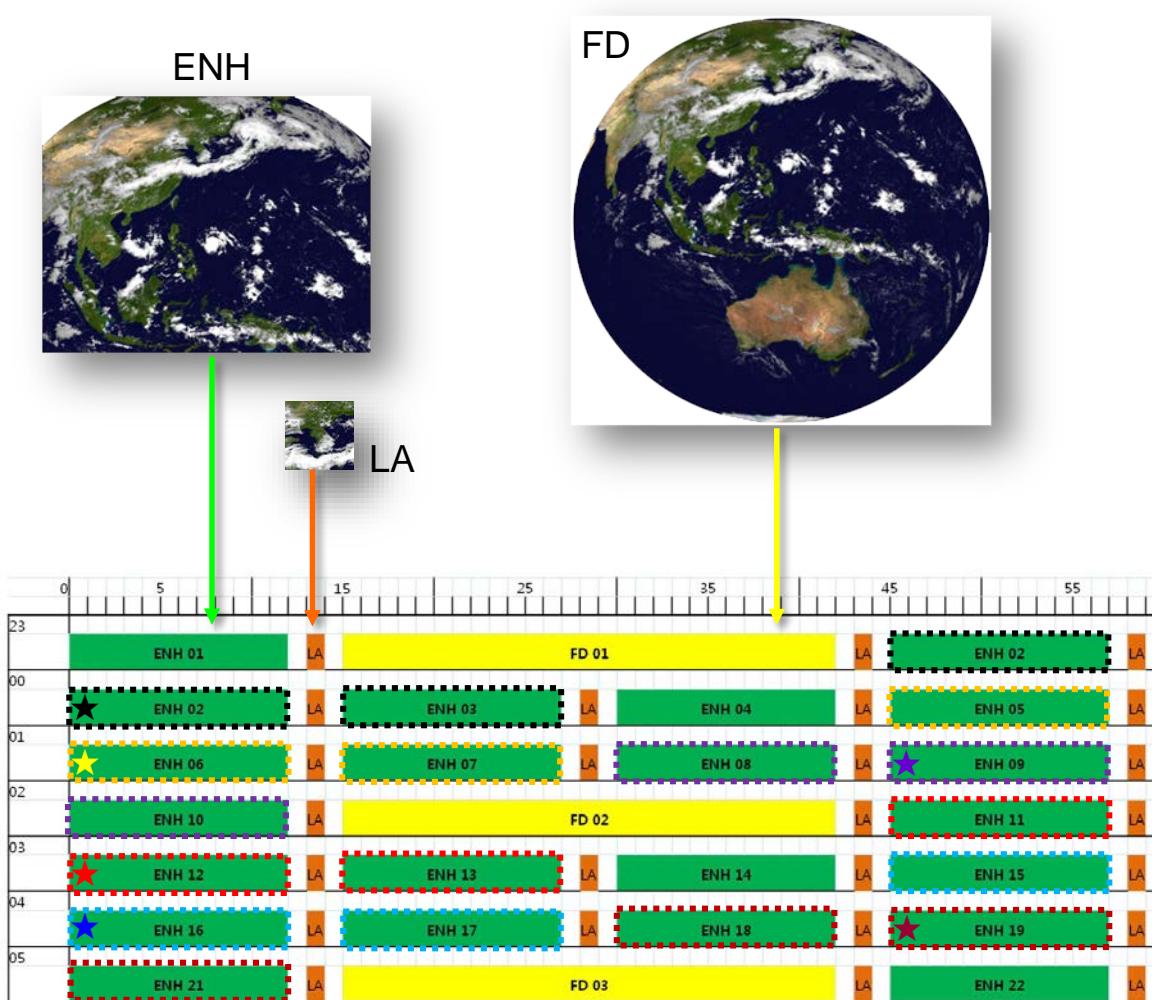
- ❖ Status of COMS AMV
- ❖ Geo-KOMPSAT-2A(GK-2A) Programs
- ❖ GK-2A AMV algorithm
  - Target selection
  - Target tracking
  - Height assignment
  - Quality control
- ❖ Results
- ❖ Summary

# Status of COMS AMV



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## ❖ Observation Schedule



- AMV's are **produced every 1 hour** (but not regularly)
- using 3 consecutive 15 min interval ENH observations
- disseminate by GTS

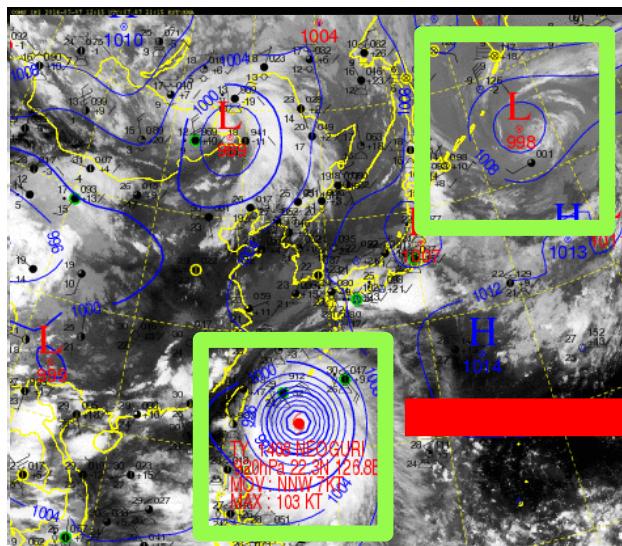
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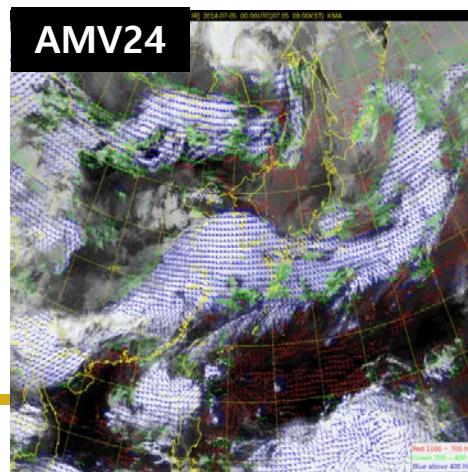
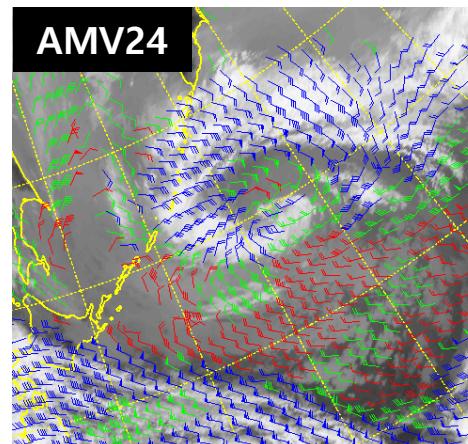
## ❖ AMV T24(Operation)

- Target size : 24x24 (96 X 96km)
- Target selection : Regular (REG)
- Target interval : 12 pixels



## ❖ AMV T16(Tested)

- 16x16 (56 X 56km)
- Optimal target selection
- 8 pixels



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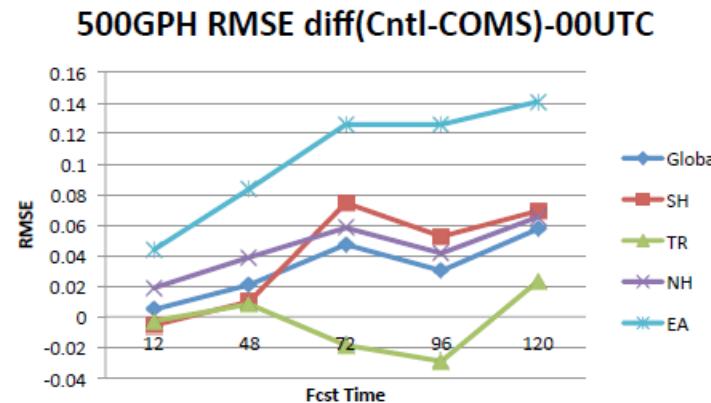


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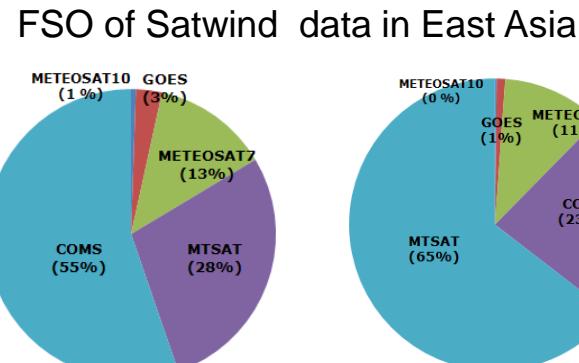
## ❖ Accuracy of COMS AMV (April 1 - 24, 2016)

Sonde(IR)	All level		High level		Middle level		Low level	
	T24	T16	T24	T16	T24	T16	T24	T16
Number	37940	<b>76507</b>	33601	<b>67665</b>	3190	<b>6216</b>	1149	<b>2626</b>
MVD	<b>5.62</b>	5.75	5.80	<b>5.57</b>	<b>4.71</b>	4.77	3.02	<b>2.98</b>
RMSVD	6.73	<b>6.69</b>	6.91	<b>6.86</b>	<b>5.60</b>	5.71	<b>3.60</b>	3.57
BIAS	-1.74	<b>-1.23</b>	-1.88	<b>-1.34</b>	-0.83	<b>-0.50</b>	-0.23	<b>-0.17</b>
RMSE	5.27	<b>5.14</b>	5.41	<b>5.27</b>	<b>4.50</b>	4.51	<b>2.54</b>	2.57

## ❖ Assimilate(24x24, VIS, IR, WV) in KMA global system since Dec. 2011. Positive impact especially in East Asia [NWP Center]



<September~ October in 2011>



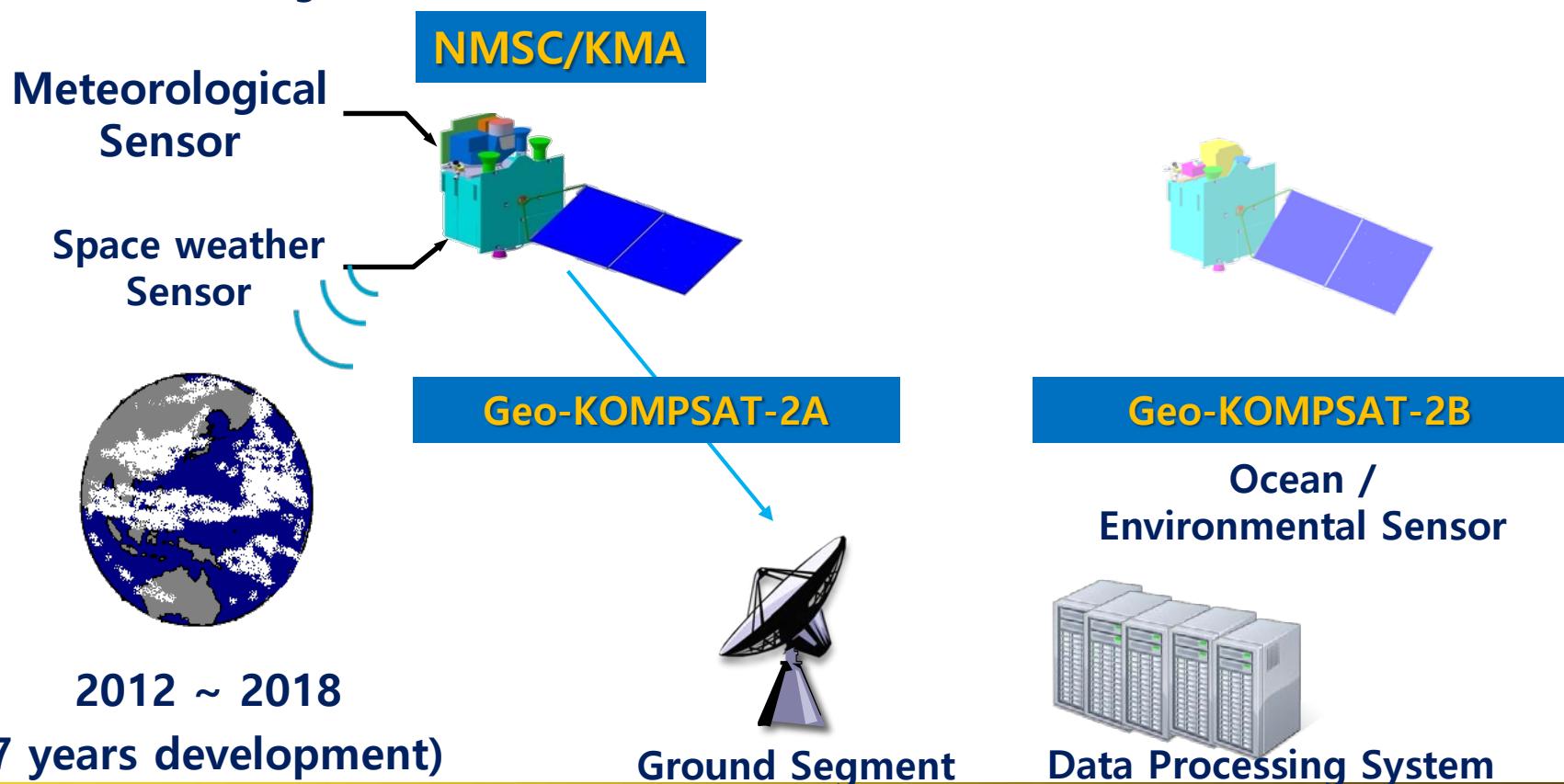
<Winter & Summer in 2013>

# Geo-KOMPSAT-2A Programs



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- ❖ KMA plans to launch the next Korean geostationary meteorological satellite **GEO-KOMPSAT-2A (GK-2A) in Nov. 2018**
  - GK-2A for the next generation Meteorological Imager and SWx monitoring
  - GK-2B for the Ocean Color(GOCI2) and Atmospheric Trace Gas(GEMS) monitoring



# Payloads for Geo-KOMPSAT-2A

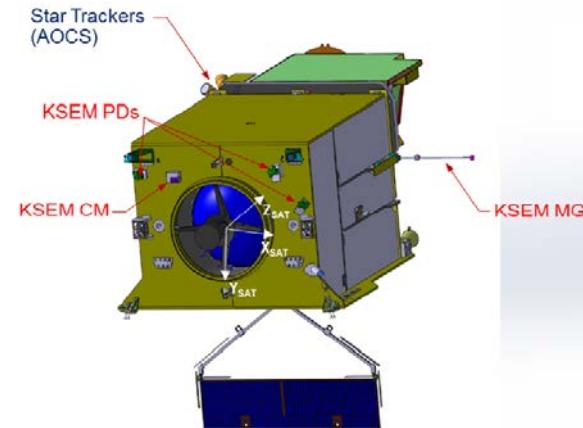
## ❖ AMI (Advanced Meteorological Imager)

Center wavelength ( $\mu\text{m}$ )			
AMI (Resolution)		ABI	AHI
1 blue	0.47 (1km)	0.47	0.46
2 green	0.511 (1km)		0.51
3 red	0.64 (0.5km)	0.64	0.64
4	0.856 (1km)	0.865	0.86
5	1.38 (2km)	1.378	
6	1.61 (2km)	1.61	1.6
7	3.830 (2km)	2.25	2.3
8	6.241 (2km)	3.90	3.9
9	6.952 (2km)	6.185	6.2
10	7.344 (2km)	6.95	7.0
11	7.344 (2km)	7.34	7.3
12	8.592 (2km)	8.50	8.6
13	9.625 (2km)	8.50	9.6
14	10.403 (2km)	10.35	10.4
15	11.212 (2km)	11.2	11.2
16	12.364 (2km)	12.3	12.3
	13.31 (2km)	13.3	13.3

vs. AHI : addition : 1.38  $\mu\text{m}$  (NIR), subtraction 2.3  $\mu\text{m}$  (NIR)

- 1.38  $\mu\text{m}$  : favorable for cirrus cloud detection, cloud type and amount
- 2.3  $\mu\text{m}$  : favorable for Land/cloud Properties

## <Space weather Sensor>



### KSEM(Korea Space wEather Monitor)

- PD : Particle Detector
- MG : Magnetometer
- CM : Charging Monitor

# 52 Meteorological Products



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## 23 Primary Products & 29 Secondary Products

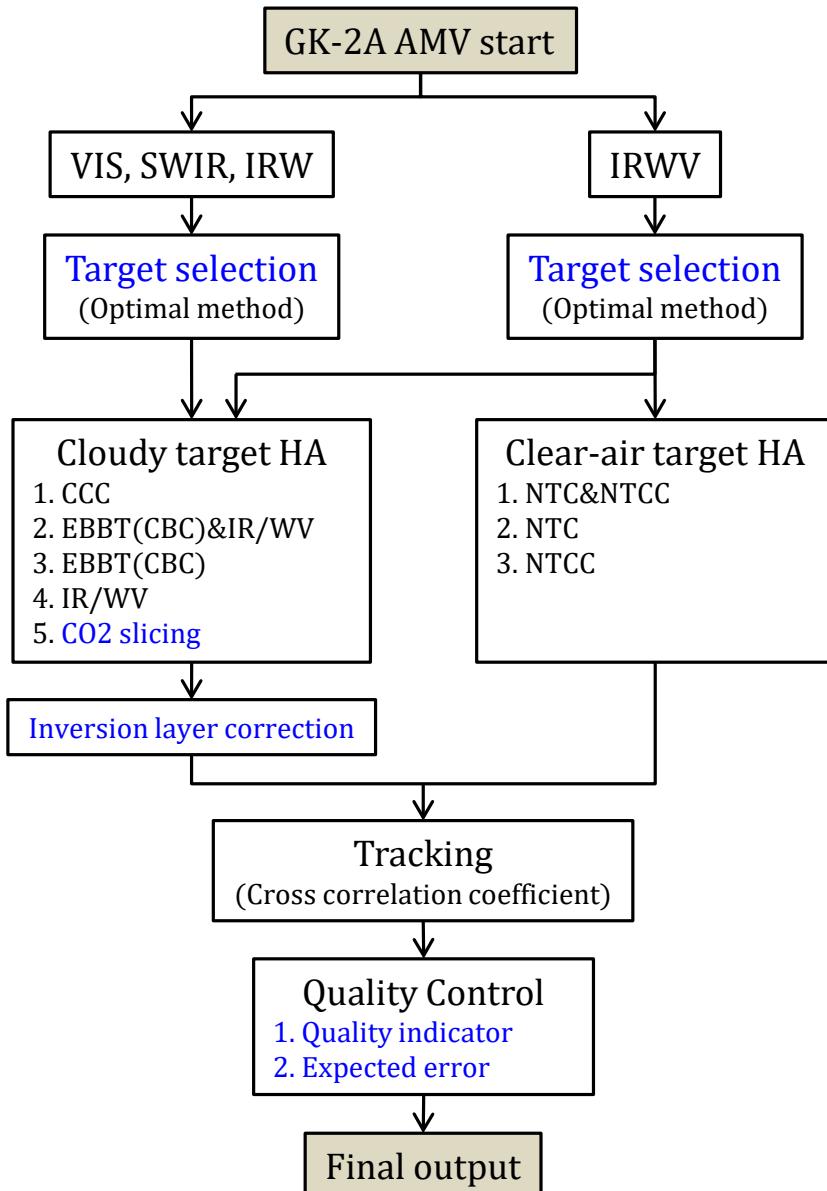
Scene & Surface Analysis (13)	Cloud & Precipitation (14)	Aerosol & Radiation (14)	Atmospheric condition & Aviation (11)
Cloud detection	Cloud Top Temperature	Aerosol Detection	Atmospheric Motion Vector
Snow Cover	Cloud Top Pressure	Aerosol Optical Depth	Vertical Temperature Profile
Sea Ice Cover	Cloud Top Height	Asian Dust Detection	Vertical Moisture Profile
Fog	Cloud Type	Asian Dust Optical Depth	Stability Index
Sea Surface Temperature	Cloud Phase	Aerosol Particle Size	Total Precipitable Water
Land Surface Temperature	Cloud Amount	Volcanic Ash Detection and Height	Tropopause Folding Turbulence
Surface Emissivity	Cloud Optical Depth	Visibility	Total Ozone
Surface Albedo	Cloud Effective Radius	Radiances	SO <sub>2</sub> Detection
Fire Detection	Cloud Liquid Water Path	Downward SW Radiation (SFC)	Convective Initiation
Vegetation Index	Cloud Ice Water Path	Reflected SW Radiation (TOA)	Overshooting Top Detection
Vegetation Green Fraction	Cloud Layer/Height	Absorbed SW Radiation (SFC)	Aircraft Icing
Snow Depth	Rainfall Rate	Upward LW Radiation (TOA)	
Ocean Current	Rainfall Potential	Downward LW Radiation (SFC)	
	Probability of Rainfall	Upward LW Radiation (SFC)	

# GK-2A AMV algorithm



## ❖ Specification and flow chart

	GK-2A AMV	
Channels	VIS(03), SWIR(07), IR(13, 14), WV(08, 09, 10)	
Input L1b images	3 images (proxy: Himawari8/AHI)	
Time interval	Normal scan(FD)	10 minute
	Rapid scan	2 minute
Model / RTM	UM N768/rttov 11.2	
Target box size	Cloudy target	VIS : 32by32 SWIR : 16by16 IR : 16by16 WV : 16by16
	Clear-air target	WV : 16by16
Target selection	Optimal (Statistic)	
Grid step size	Same with target box size	
Search box size	Cloudy target	VIS : 185by185 SWIR : 54by54 IR : 54by54 WV : 54by54
	Clear-air target	WV : 54by54
Center of search area	Regular	
Target tracking	CC	
Height assignment	Cloudy target	1. CCC 2. EBBT(Cloud base correction) 3. IR/WV rationing 4. CO2 slicing (+Inversion layer correction)
	Clear-air target	1. NTC 2. NTCC
Quality control	QI, EE	

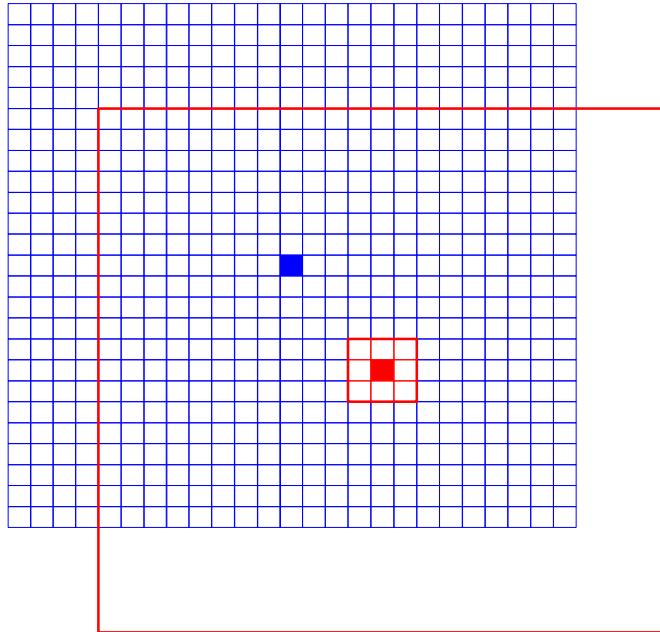


# Step1: Target selection

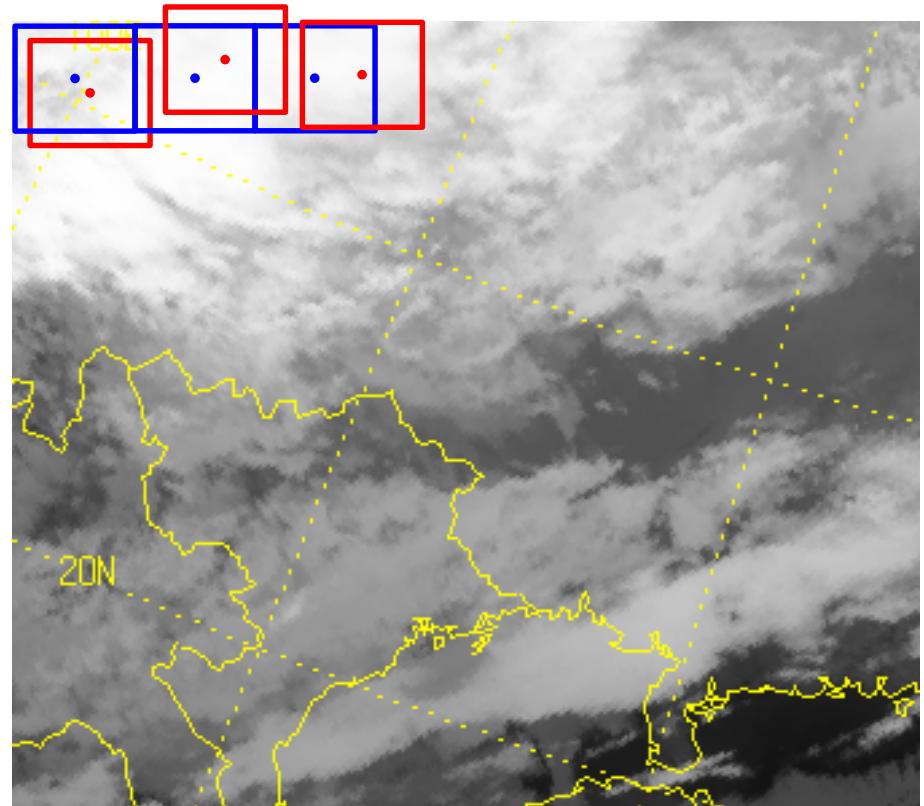


## ❖ Optimal target selection

- Cloud Target: 03, 07, 08, 09, 10, 13, 14 (Using cloud mask)
- Clear Target: 08, 09, 10



$$STD_{m,n} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{9} \sum_{i=-1}^1 \sum_{j=-1}^1 (BT_{m+i,n+j} - \overline{BT}_{m,n})^2}$$

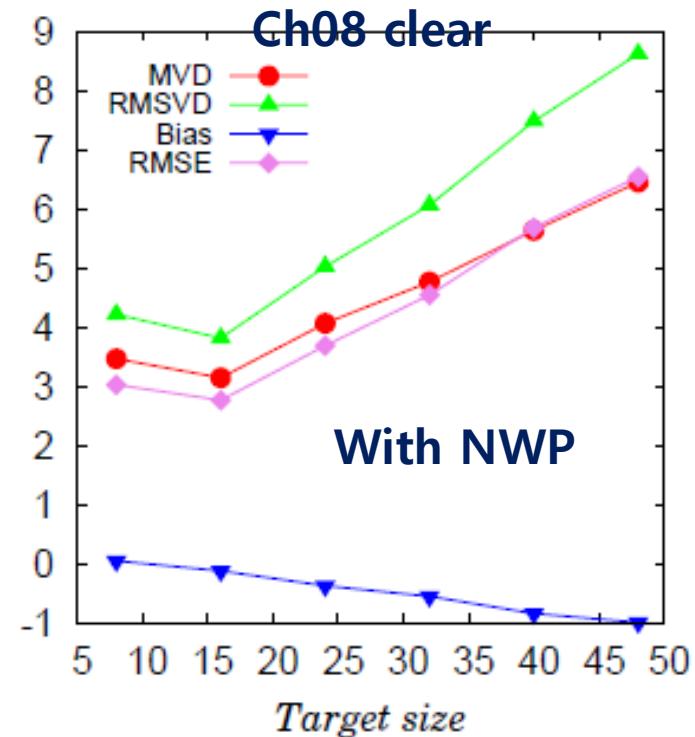
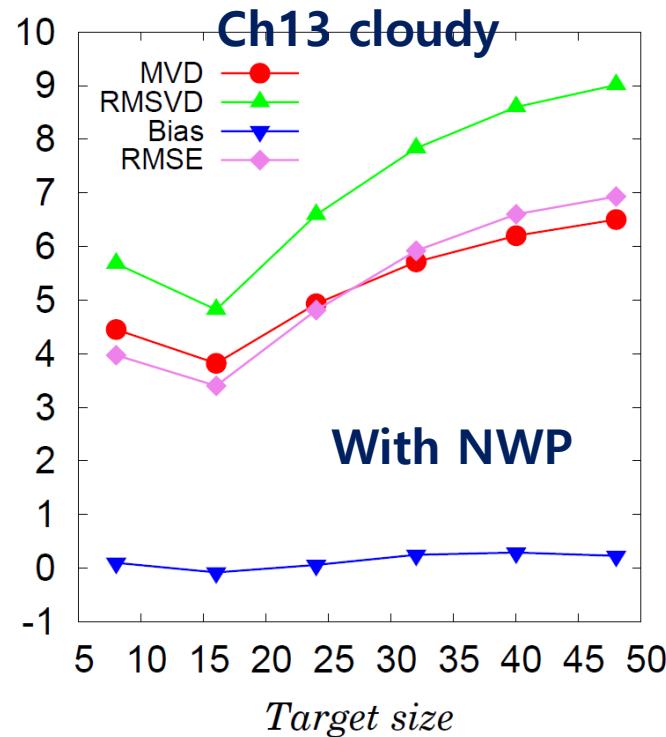


# Step1: Target(search) size and temporal gap

## ❖ Preliminary Results for GK-2A

[P10: Sensitivity Tests]

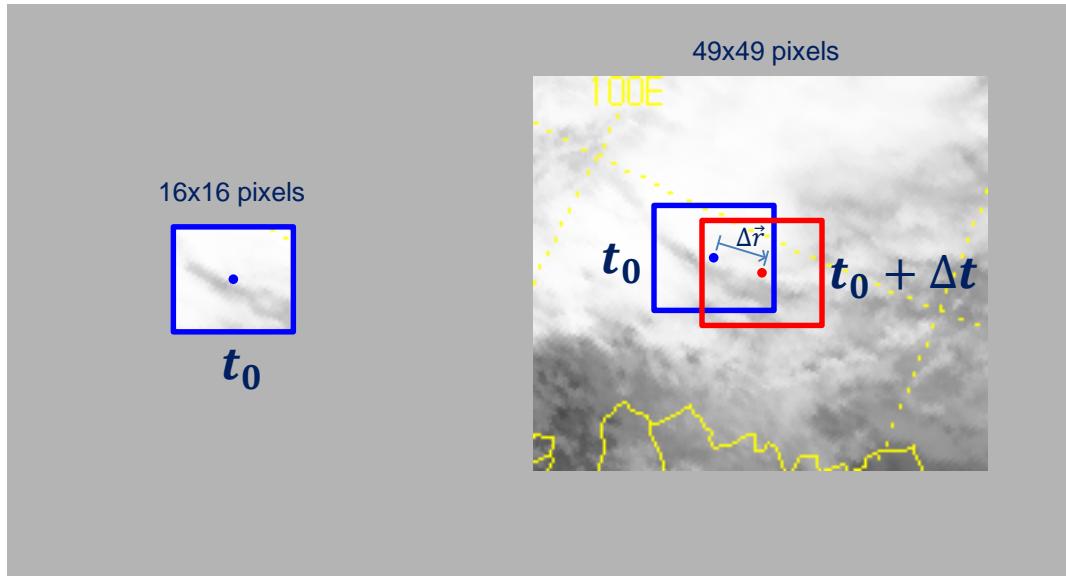
Periods	2016.07.21. 00:00 ~23:00 (UTC)
Channel	Ch. 13 cloudy target, Ch. 08 clear target
Time interval	10 minute
Target(Search) box size	8(46), 16(54), 24(62), 32(70), 40(78), 48(86)



# Step2: Target tracking



## ❖ Cross Correlation Coefficient



Calculated vector :  $\vec{v} = \frac{\vec{r}}{\Delta t}$

$$CC_{m,n} = \frac{1}{N_x N_y} \sum_{i=1}^{N_x} \sum_{j=1}^{N_y} \left( \frac{a_{m+i,n+j} - \bar{a}_{m,n}}{(\sigma_a)_{m,n}} \frac{b_{i,j} - \bar{b}}{\sigma_b} \right)$$

$a_{i,j}$  : BT value in ith row and jth column of  $N_x$  by  $N_y$  target box in search area at time  $t_0 + \Delta t$ .

$\bar{a}$  : Average of  $a_{i,j}$ .

$\sigma_a$  : Standard deviation of  $a_{i,j}$ .

$b_{i,j}$  : BT value in ith row and jth column of  $N_x$  by  $N_y$  target at time  $t_0$ .

$\bar{b}$  : Average of  $b_{i,j}$ .

$\sigma_b$  : Standard deviation of  $b_{i,j}$ .

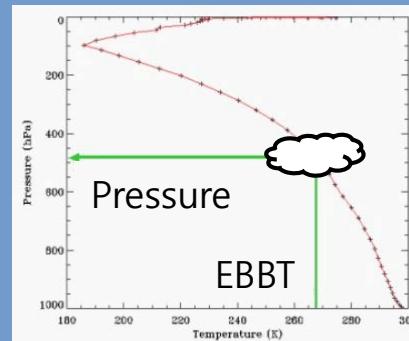
$N_x, N_y$  : Size of target box.

# Step3: Height assignment(Cloud Target)

## ❖ Cloud Target: 4 methods + 2 combinations

### EBBT

- Equivalent Blackbody Temperature
- Opaque Clouds
- NWP Temp. Profile + RTM simulation
- Coldest 15% temp. : Dominant motion level of targets



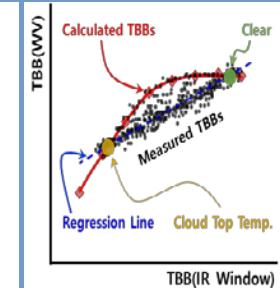
### IR/WV Intercept

- Semi-transparent Clouds Optically Thin Clouds (e.g., cirrus)

$$\frac{R_{cld}(WV) - R_{clr}(WV)}{R_{cld}(IR_\lambda) - R_{clr}(IR_\lambda)} = \frac{\varepsilon(WV) [R_{bcd}(WV, P_{cd}) - R_{sfc}(WV)]}{\varepsilon(IR_\lambda) [R_{bcd}(IR_\lambda, P_{cd}) - R_{sfc}(IR_\lambda)]}$$

$R_{clr}$ : Measured cloudy radiance  
 $R_{cld}$ : Measured cloud free radiance

$R_{sfc}$ : Calculated Planck blackbody radiance for a cloud at level  $P_{cd}$   
 $R_{bcd}$ : Calculated clear air radiance



### CO<sub>2</sub> Slicing Method

- Similar to IR/WV intercept, but use CO<sub>2</sub> channel

$$\frac{R_{clr}(CO_2) - R_{cld}(CO_2)}{R_{clr}(IR_\lambda) - R_{cld}(IR_\lambda)} = \frac{\varepsilon(CO_2) [R_{sfc}(CO_2) - R_{bcd}(CO_2, P_{cd})]}{\varepsilon(IR_\lambda) [R_{sfc}(IR_\lambda) - R_{bcd}(IR_\lambda, P_{cd})]}$$

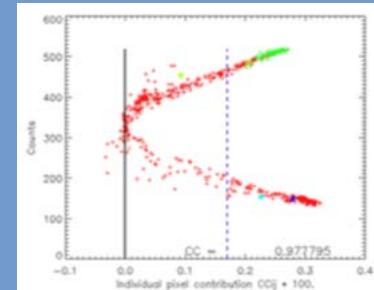
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### CCC

- Cross-Correlation Contribution
- Every Cloud
- Depends on CTP

$$P = \frac{\sum_{cc_{i,j} > cc_{i,j} \text{ thres}} CC_{i,j} CTP_{i,j}}{\sum_{cc_{i,j} > cc_{i,j} \text{ thres}} CC_{i,j}}$$

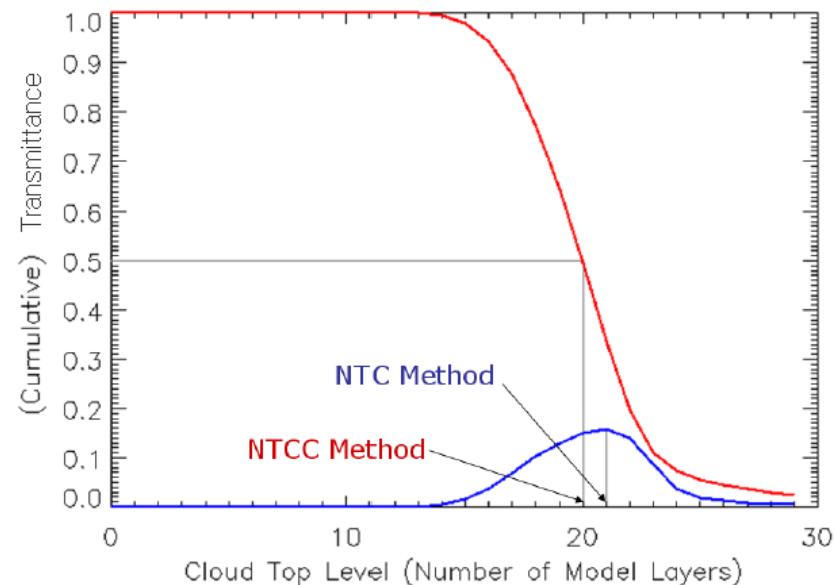
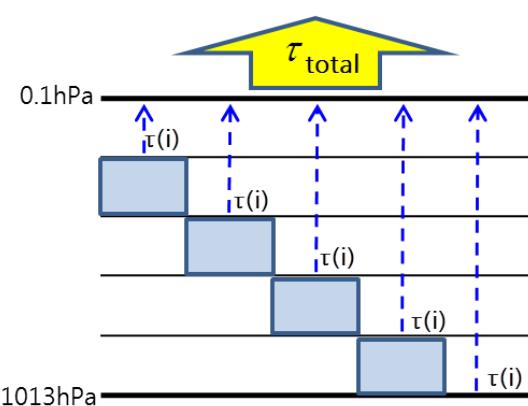
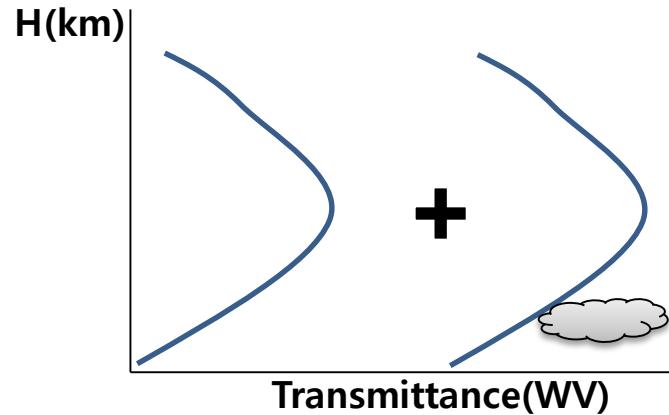


# Step3: Height assignment(Clear Target)



## ❖ Clear Target: 2 methods → chose higher one

- NTC & NTCC methods. (Transmittance profile by channel.)



\*NTC: Normalized total contribution

\*NTCC: Normalized total cumulative contribution

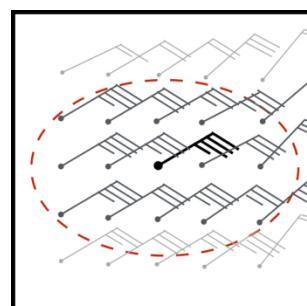
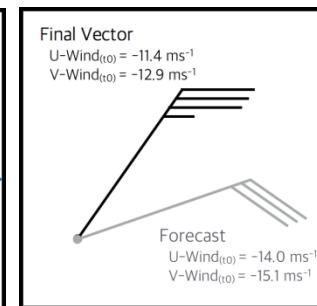
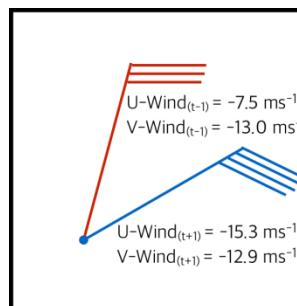
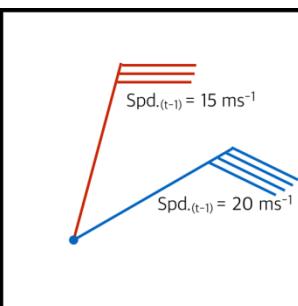
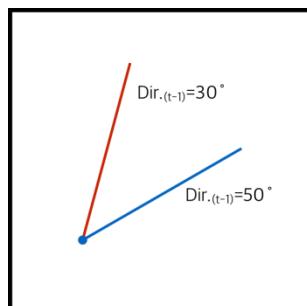
# Step4: Quality Control



## ❖ Quality Indicator (QI)

- **Calculation Procedure:** Calculated using weighted averaged of 5 consistencies

1. Temporal **Direction** Consistency
2. Temporal **Speed** Consistency
3. Temporal **Vector** Consistency
4. **Forecast** Consistency
5. **Local Vector** Consistency



$$QI = \sum_{i=1}^5 W_i \Phi_i$$

- **Direction Test**

$$\Phi_{dir.} = 1 - \left[ \tanh \left\{ \frac{Diff.(Dir.)}{coeff.A \cdot \exp\left(\frac{-Spd.avg}{coeff.B}\right) + coeff.C \cdot Spd.avg + coeff.D} \right\} \right]^{coeff.E}$$

- **Others**

$$\Phi_{other} = 1 - \left[ \tanh \left\{ \frac{Diff.}{MAX(coeff.A \cdot Spd.avg, coeff.B) + coeff.C} \right\} \right]^{coeff.D}$$

# Results: Cloudy target for 10.4μm



## ❖ Validation: 4 HA methods + 2 combinations

- 2016. 7. 1. ~ 7. 7. (All level(1000~100 hPa))

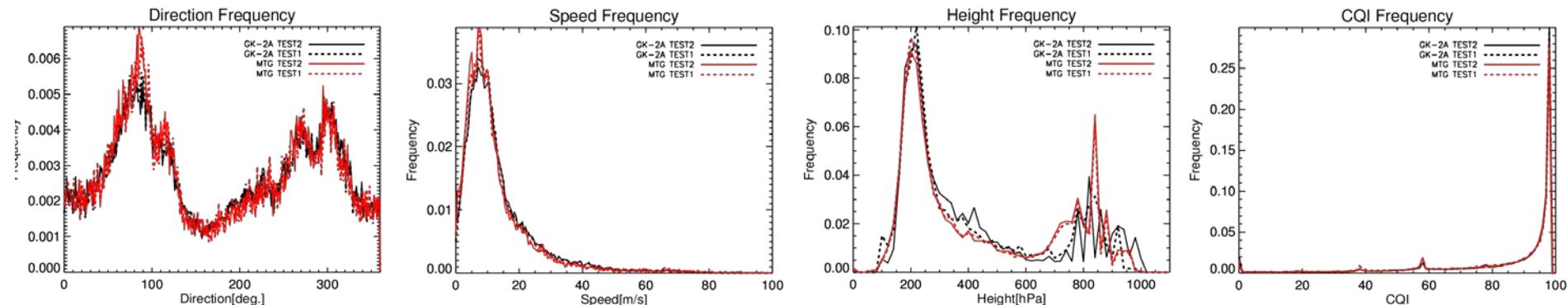
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Period	2016.7.1.~7.7.		Aug 2006	Feb 2007
<b>HA method</b>	EBBT&IR/WV		EBBT & CO <sub>2</sub> GOES-R/ABI Cloud Height Algorithm (ACHA) products	
<b>Count</b>	17702	17345	13987	15286
<b>MVD</b>	<b>4.71</b>	<b>5.05</b>	<b>4.51</b>	<b>5.21</b>
<b>RMSVD</b>	<b>5.71</b>	6.14	-	-
<b>Bias</b>	<b>-0.67</b>	-1.09	0.24	-0.54
<b>RMSE</b>	<b>4.35</b>	4.64	5.78	6.61

[Jaime Daniels, et al., GOES-R ATBD(2012)]

Ch13 (10.4)	GK-2A		MTG	
QI>80	> 80		> 80	
<b>Reference</b>	NWP	Sonde	NWP	Sonde
<b>Count</b>	44145	1028	45580	1035
<b>Bias</b>	-0.34	-1.32	-0.18	-0.80
<b>RMSE</b>	<b>4.74</b>	<b>5.92</b>	<b>4.70</b>	<b>5.91</b>
<b>NBias</b>	-0.023	-0.071	-0.012	-0.045
<b>NRMSE</b>	0.316	0.316	0.323	0.330

[Inter-comparison with MTG AMV]

- Inter-comparison with MTG algorithm [P9: Inter-comparison results]

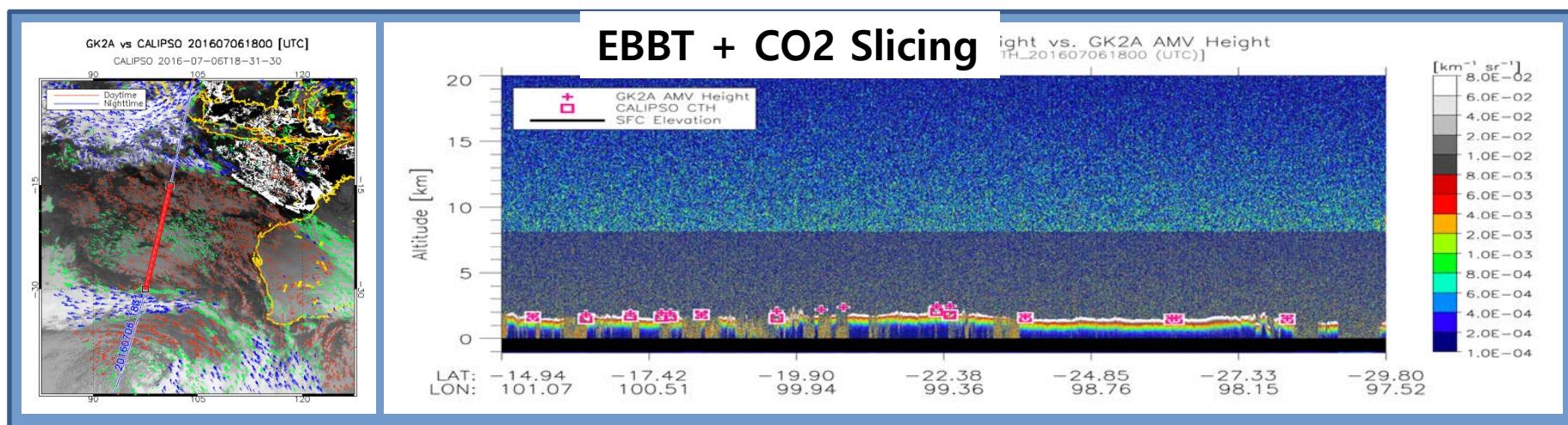
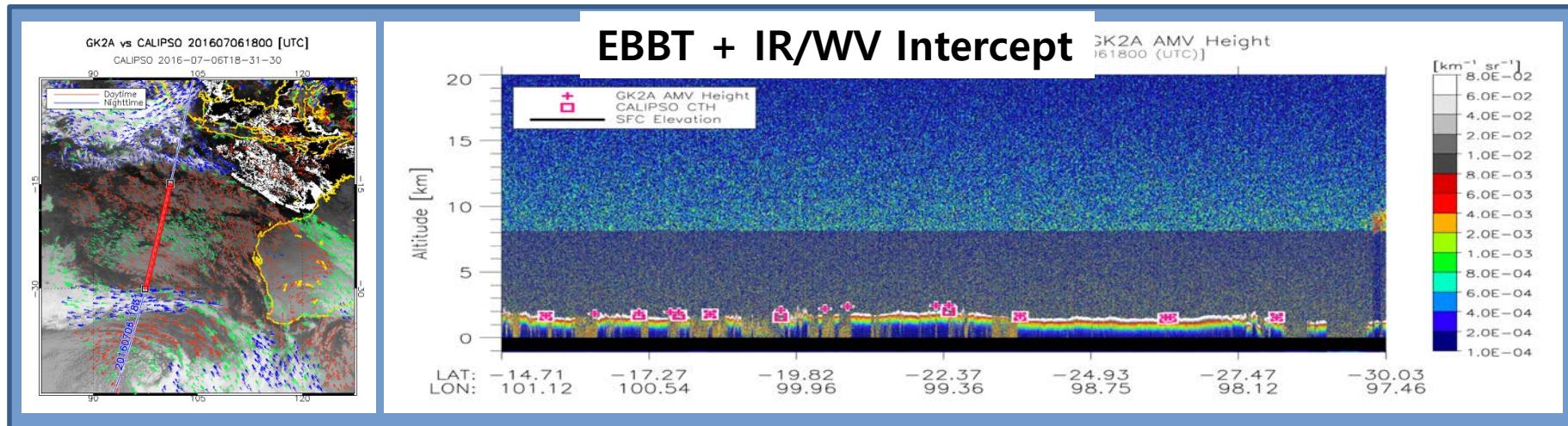


# AMV height assignment methods



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## ❖ Optically THICK LOW cloud case

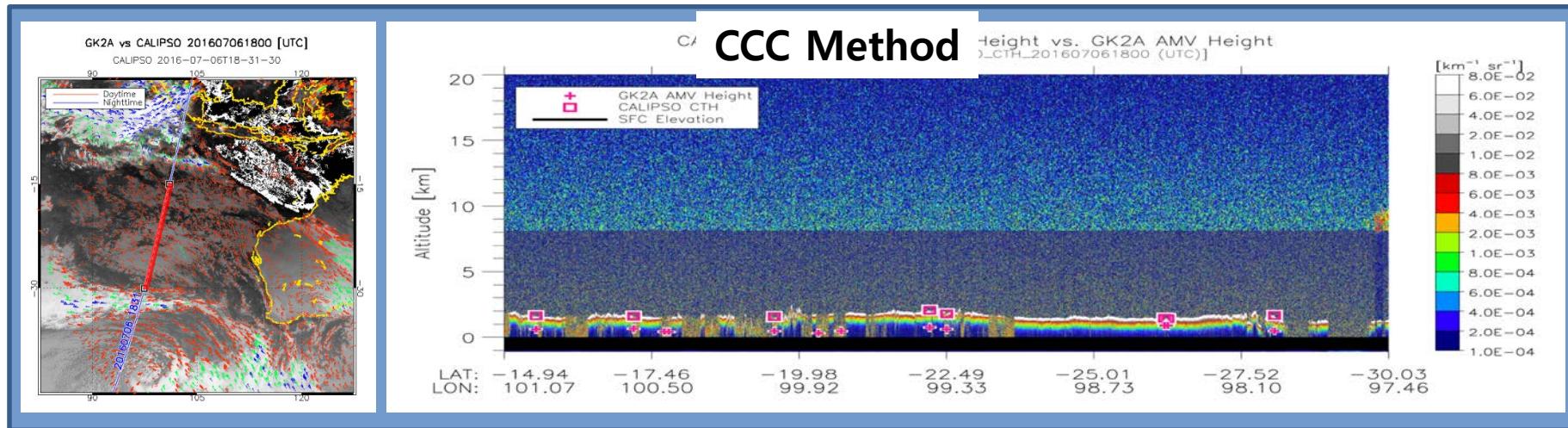


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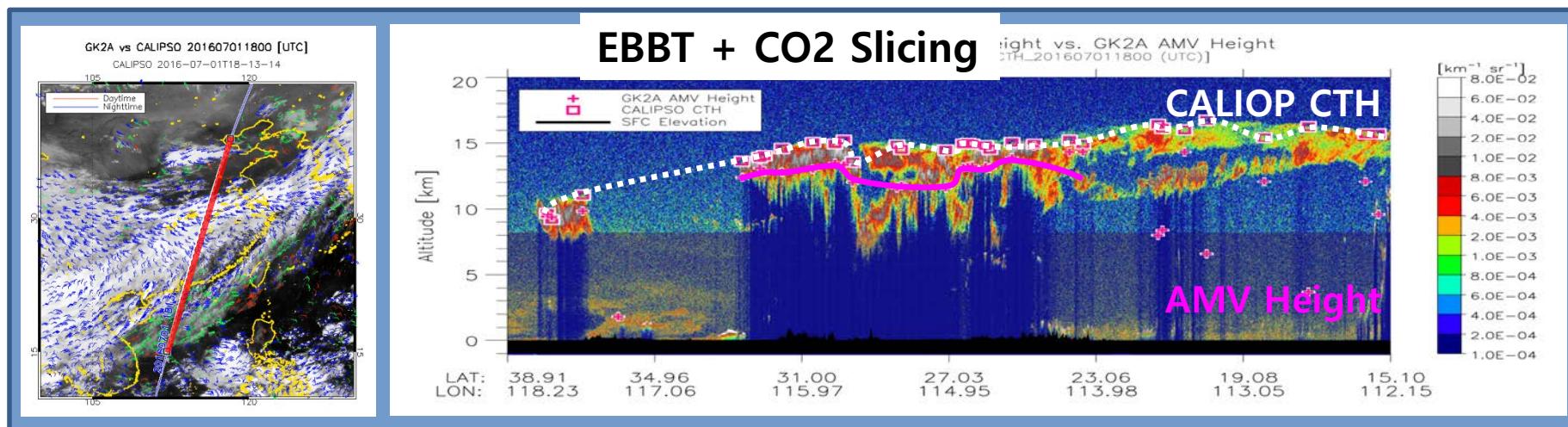
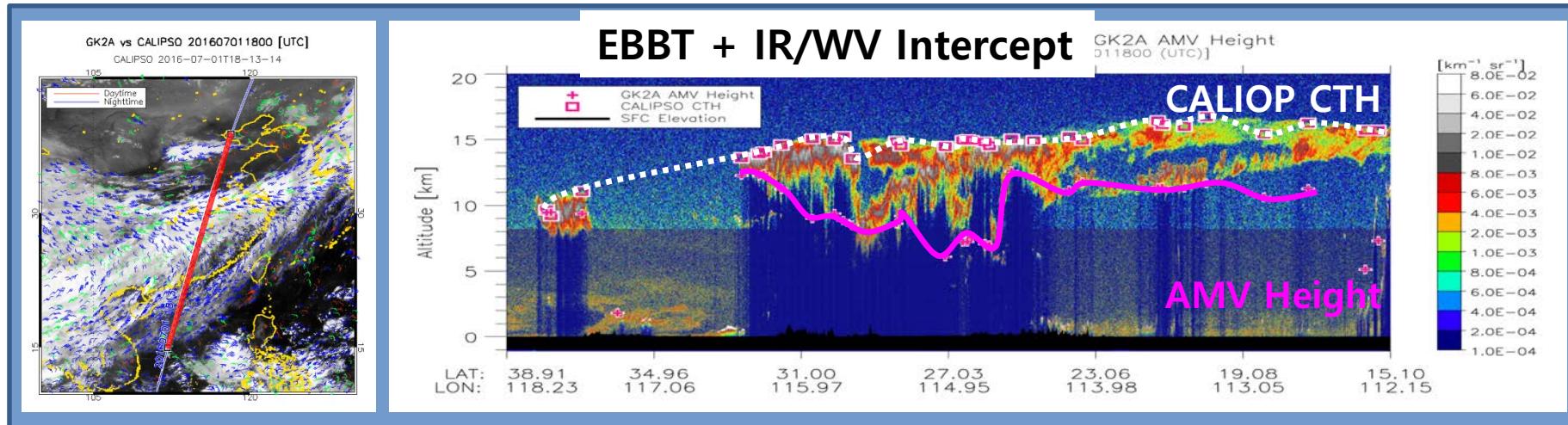


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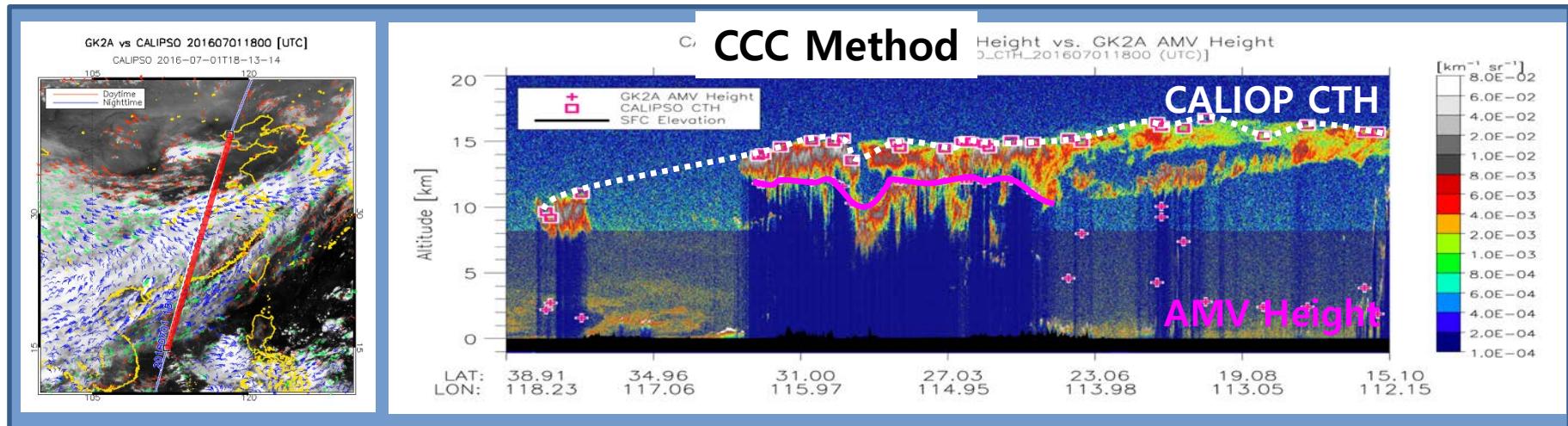


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## ❖ Optically THIN HIGH cloud case





- ❖ We have developed Atmosphere Motion Vector **for GK-2A/AMI** using Himawari8/AHI as proxy data.
  - Target size(Search size) : 16 X 16 (54 X 54)
  - Height Assignment : EBBT+IR/WV intercept
  - The result is comparable with other institute
  - The accuracy is better than COMS one
  - Need to validate with long term data

## ❖ Related Posters

- P7: Quality Control(Quality Index and Expect Error)
- P9: AMV Inter-comparison with EUMETSAT
- P10: Sensitivity Tests for target size and HA methods
- P11: Impact assessment

# Thank you!!!