

ClearSky2 Development Status

Emissions approach

Dispersion Modeling

Web Interface

Front end based on the gaming version.

Results display via GMAP as in AP4.

EMISSIONS

- Exploring using BlueSky FRAMEWORK to convert agricultural field burning scenarios into PM2.5 tracer emissions
- Current FRAMEWORK modules not well suited, by default, to peculiarities of field burning.
- Experimentation with modifying FRAMEWORK modules...
- Seeking ability to create new modules for testing and perhaps distribution with BlueSky...
- Near Term solution is using idiosyncratic code outside the BlueSky FRAMEWORK

emissions approach

Web-interface
for field burning
scenario
definition

Non-framework
code produces
emissions and
plume rise in
SMOKE-ready
files

S.M.O.K.E.
processing

CMAQ Tracer
Dispersion

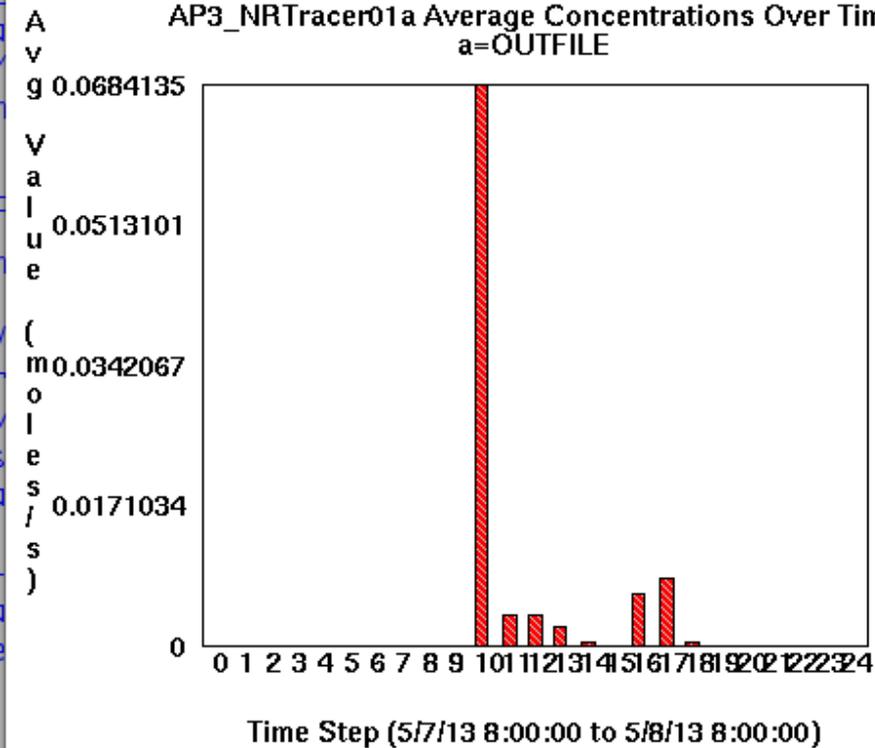
Dispersion

- CMAQ 4.6 built with 21 tracer species
- Tracer is a nonreactive, non-depositing gas (Mol. Wt. = 1.0) representing PM2.5
- Zero-valued Boundary and Initial Conditions (so far) for agricultural fire application.
- Testing on the 4-km AIRPACT-4 domain (285 by 258 cells)
- Test on a 1.3 km domain?

Emissions of tracer AP3_NRTracer01

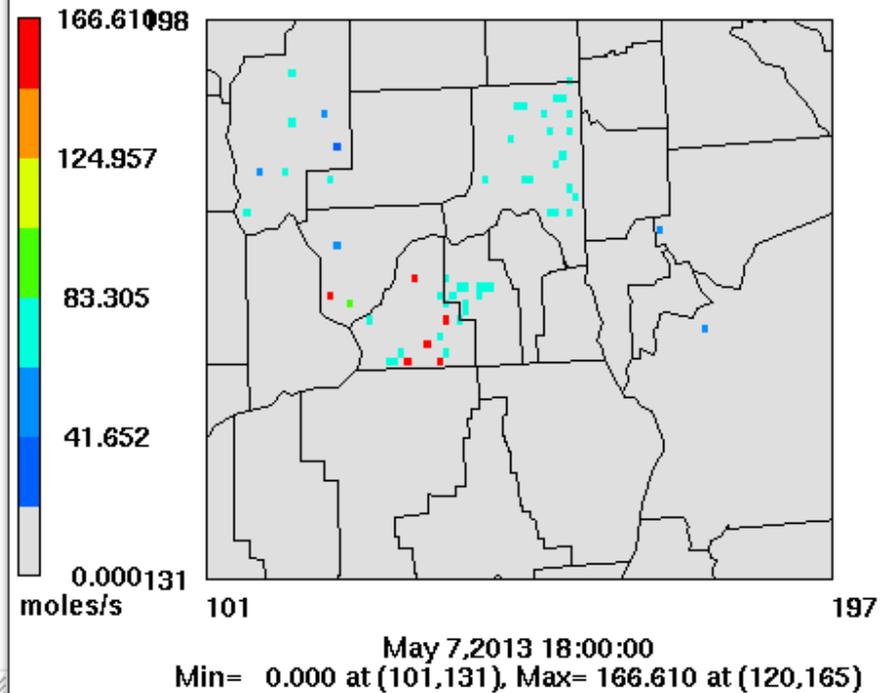
Cells (1,1,1)->(285,258,1)

AP3_NRTracer01a Average Concentrations Over Time
a=OUTFILE



Layer 1 AP3_NRTracer01a

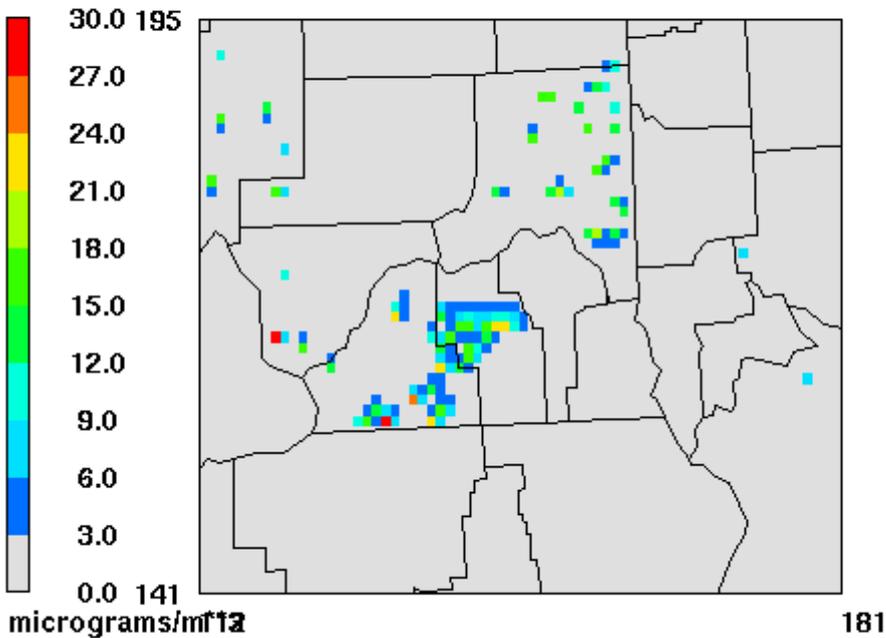
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Test dispersion results

Layer 1 AP3_NRTracer01a

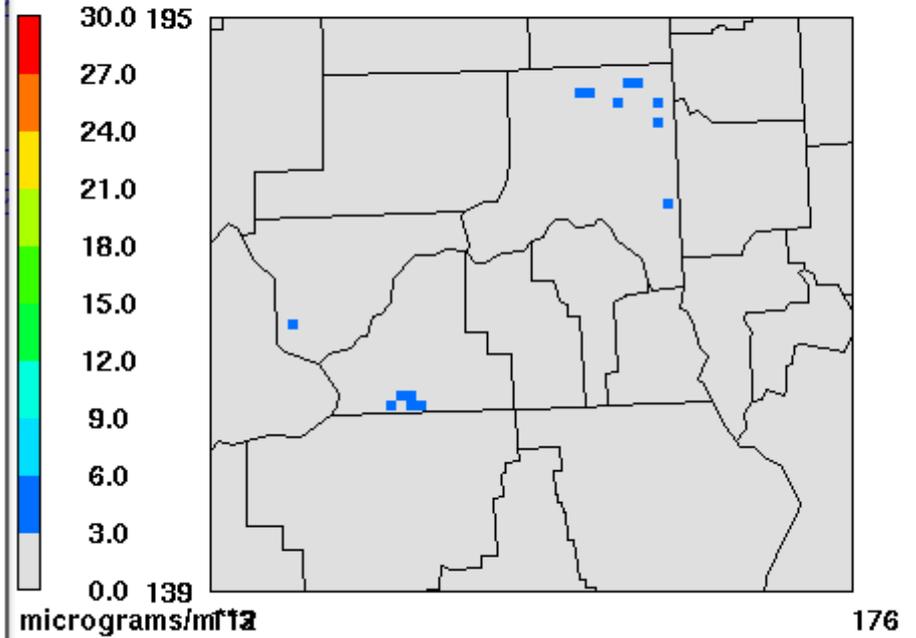
a=CONC_2013127.ncf



May 7, 2013 18:00:00
Min= 0.0 at (112,141), Max= 30.1 at (120,165)

Layer 10 AP3_NRTracer01a

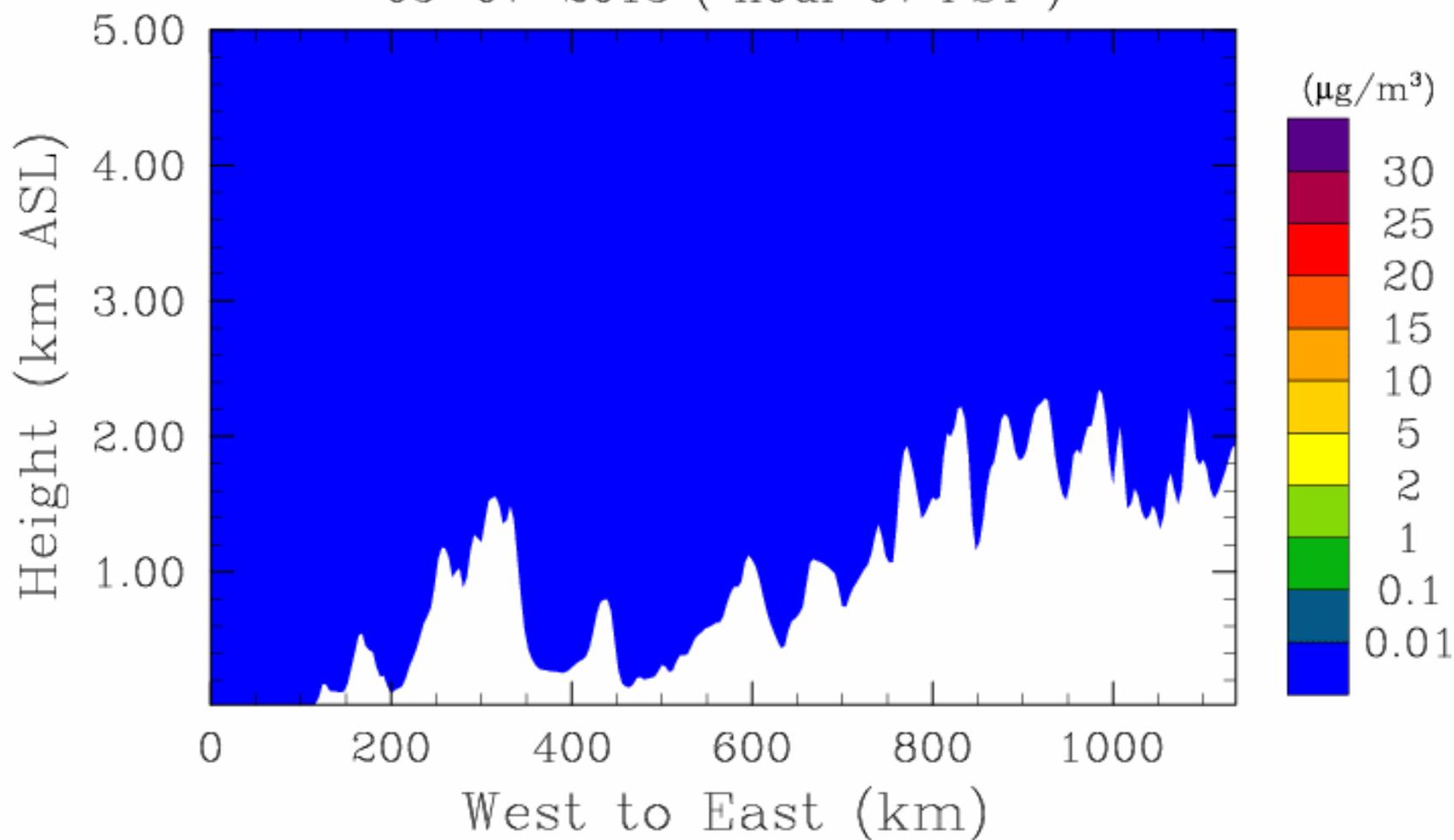
Layer 10 Height is 700 – 750 m.a.g.l.



May 7, 2013 18:00:00
Min= 0.0 at (112,139), Max= 5.6 at (132,157)

CLEARSKY Tracer (row 166)

05-07-2013 (hour 07 PST)



WRF 1.3-km Domain for Eastern WA.

UW WRF-GFS 1.33km Domain

Init: 12 UTC Sun 02 Jun 13

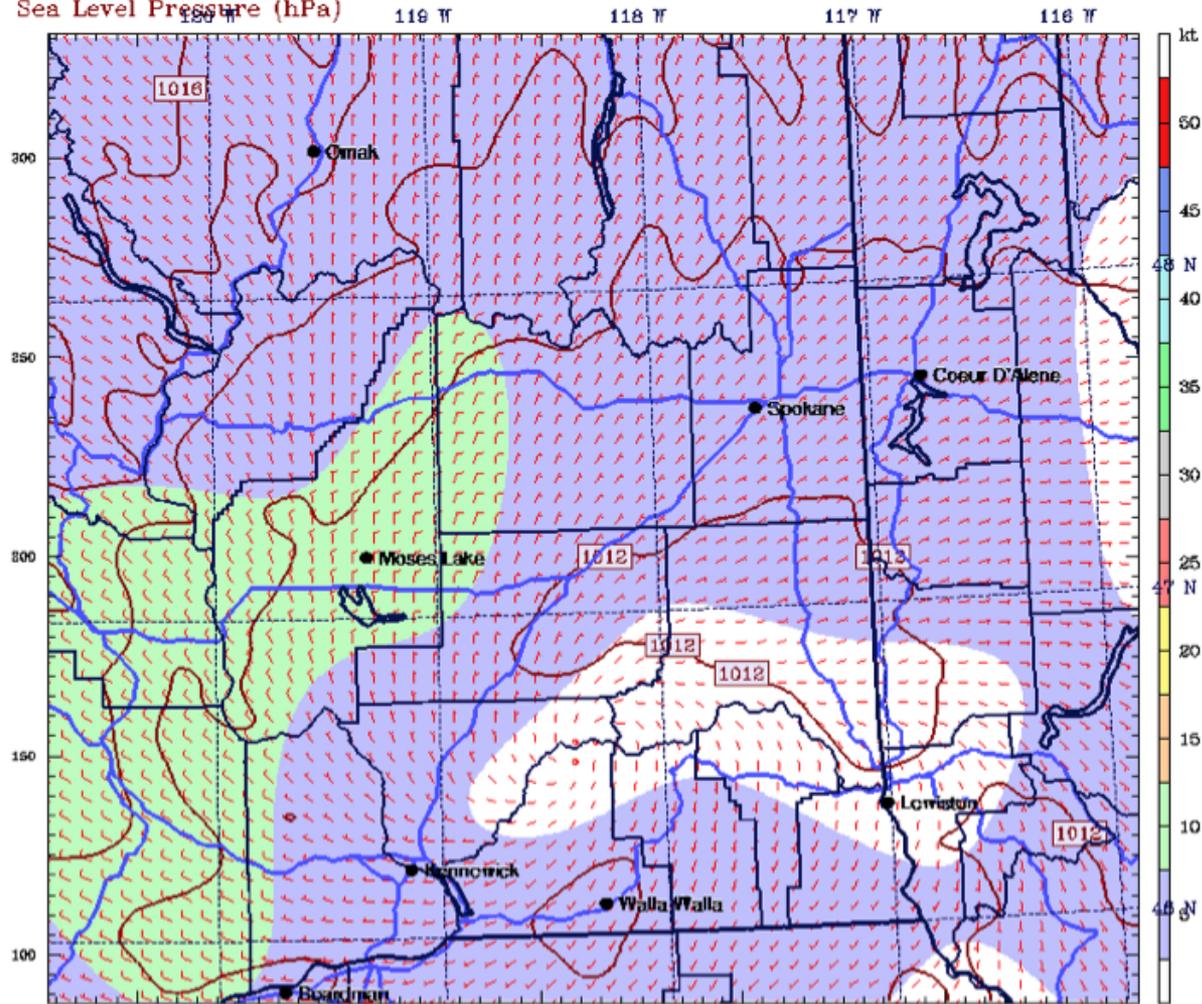
Fcst: 0.00 h

Valid: 12 UTC Sun 02 Jun 13 (05 PDT Sun 02 Jun 13)

10m Wind Speed (knots)

Wind at 10m (full barb = 10kts)

Sea Level Pressure (hPa)



350 400 450 500 550
CONTOURS: UNITS=hPa LOW= 1012.0 HIGH= 1016.0 INTERVAL= 1.0000
HARB VECTORS: FULL BARB = 10 kts
Model Info: V3.4.1 No Cu YSU PBL Thompson Ther-Diff 1.3 km, 37 levels, 8 sec
LW: RRTM SW: Duchia DIFF: simple KM: 2D Smagor

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Soumita Kundu, graduate student, is leaving program...

Target is getting a beta system for:

- testing this summer...
- testing and use during the RARE study.

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