Necessity of Global Warming Projection Information

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Schedule of this seminar

1st Day (26 January)

- Lectures on global warming, IPCC AR5 and experimental design of GWP
- Reception

<u>2nd Day (27 January)</u>

- Lectures on JRA55 and outline of our work
- Lectures and exercises: check of reproducibility, assessment of future climate change and uncertainty check of the results

3rd Day – 4th Day (28 - 29 January)

Exercise of global warming projection for your country

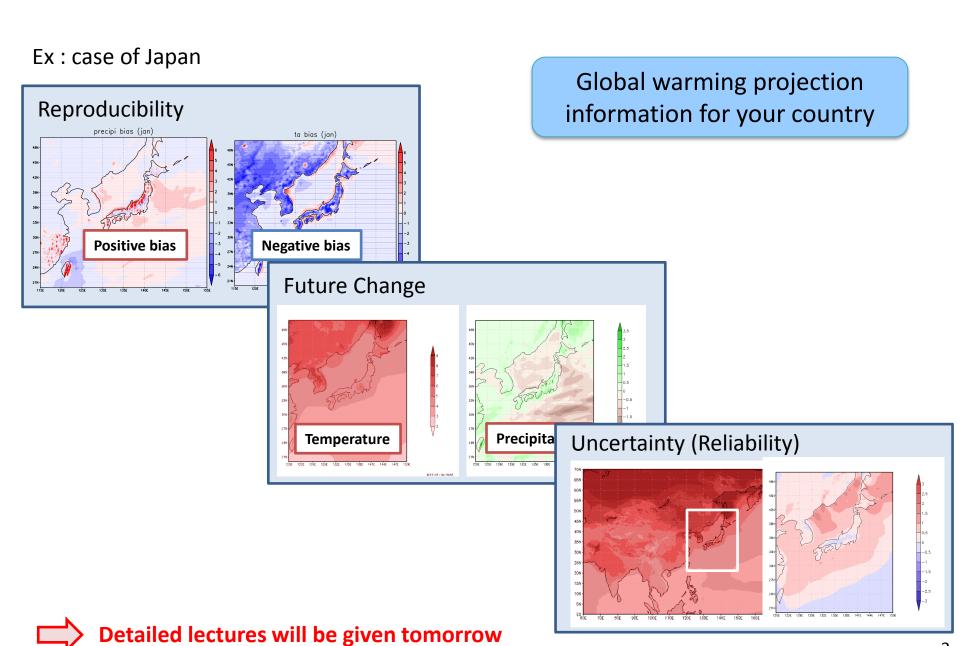
4th Day (29 January)

• 13:00- 16:00 Symposium (Science of climate change and our future)

5th Day (30 January)

- Your presentation (15 minutes per person)
- Technical tour

Goal of this seminar



History of the Earth

Earth's formation (4.6 billion years before present)



Beginning of life (4 billion years before present)



Disappearance of the dinosaurs (65 million years before present)



January 1st 00:00





December 31st 24:00

Foundation of Japan (2,000 years before present)

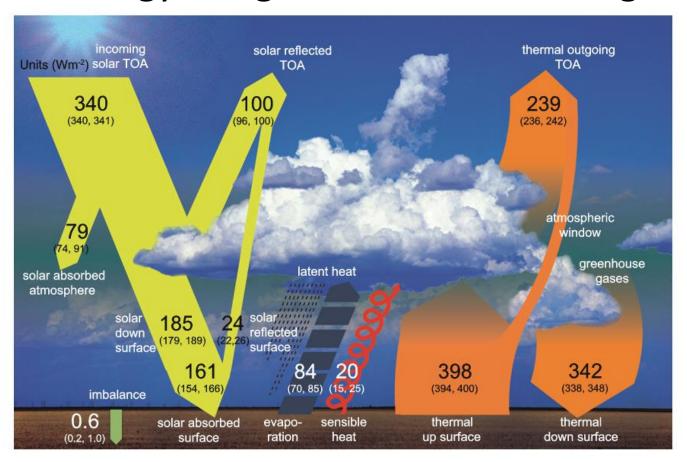


Dawn of humanity (5 million years before present)



Date & Time?

Energy Budget & Global Warming



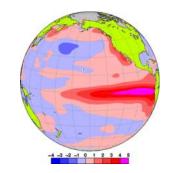
Natural greenhouse gases such as carbon dioxide, methane and nitrous oxide have an important role to play in balancing the earth's temperature by trapping, absorbing and re-radiate the Sun's warmth, and maintaining the Earth's surface temperature at a level necessary to support life.

Increasing concentrations of greenhouse gases due to human activities like burning of fossil fuels have led to an greater trapping of the Sun's heat and in turn a warming of the earth's atmosphere and surface known as global warming.

Factors of Climate Change

Natural Internal Variability

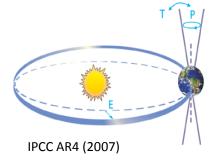
El Niño phenomenon



Natural External Factor

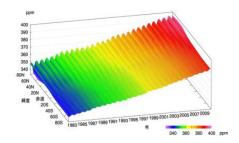
- Eruption of volcanos
- Fluctuation of Sun's activity





Anthropogenic Factor

- Change of land use
- Emission of greenhouse gases





Long-term change of CO2 concentration

the amount of CO2 in the atmosphere reached 396.0 parts per million (ppm) in 2013. CO2 mole fraction (ppm) Year

2000 2020

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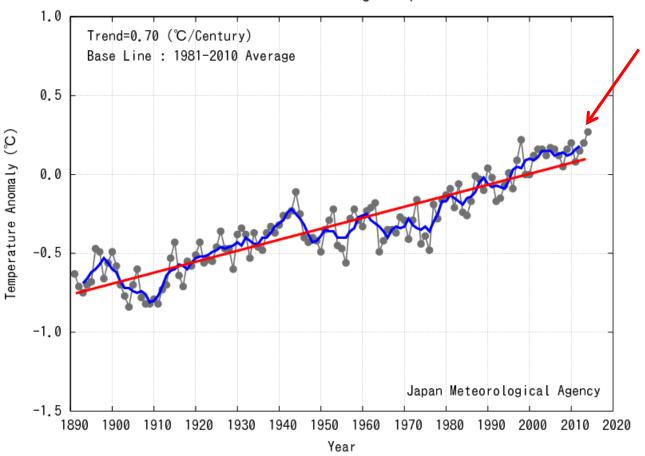
industrial revolution

IPCC Fifth Assessment Report (WG1 Figure 6.7, 6.11)

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Long-term change of global temperature





2014 : Highest since **1891**

Annual global average temperature for 2014 is likely to become the warmest record for the 124-year period since 1891.

Annual global average temperature increases at a rate of about 0.70°C per century.

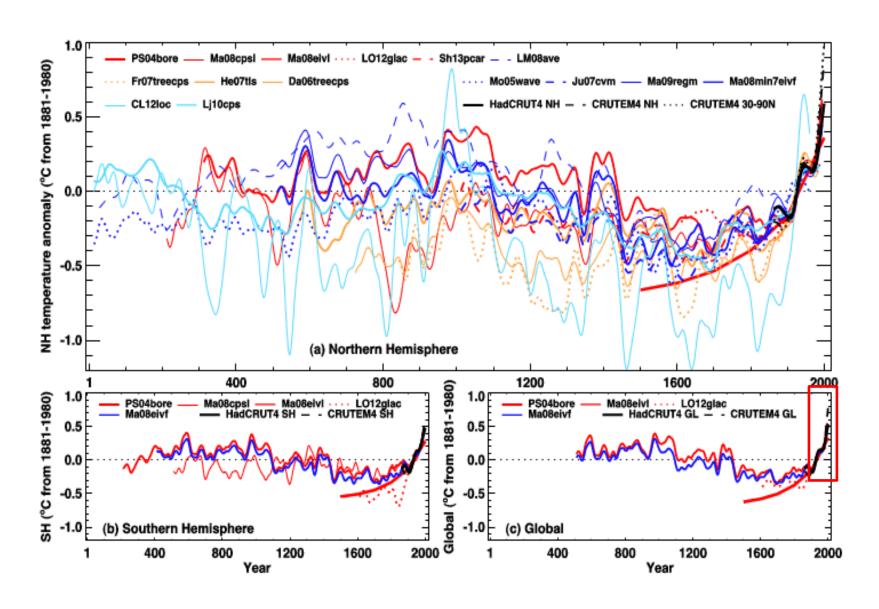
Anomalies are deviation from baseline (1981-2010 Average).

The black thin line indicates surface temperature anomaly of each year.

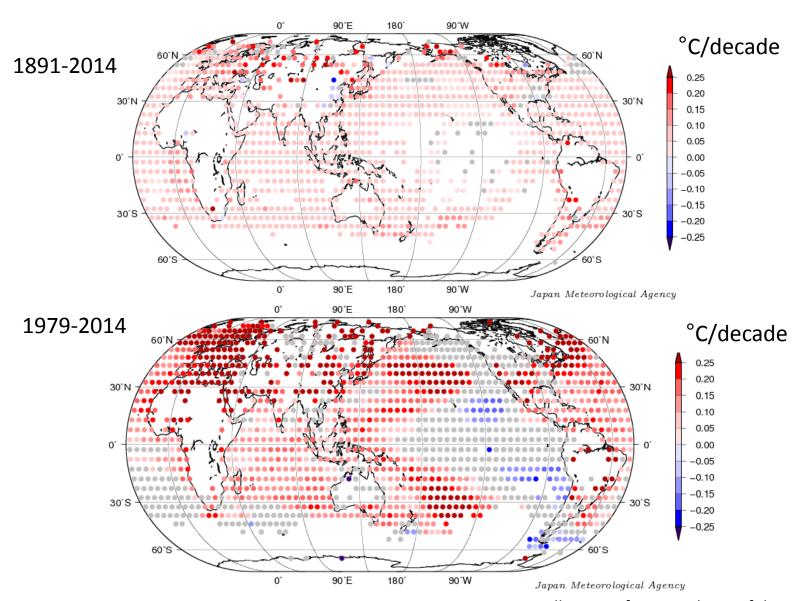
The blue line indicates their 5-year running mean.

The red line indicates the long-term linear trend.

Long-term change of global temperature

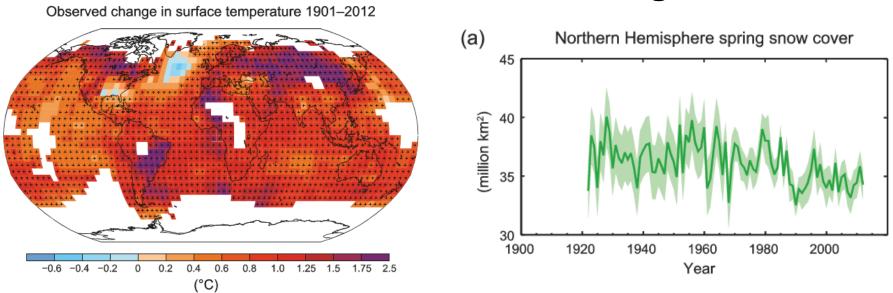


Long-term trend of annual temperature

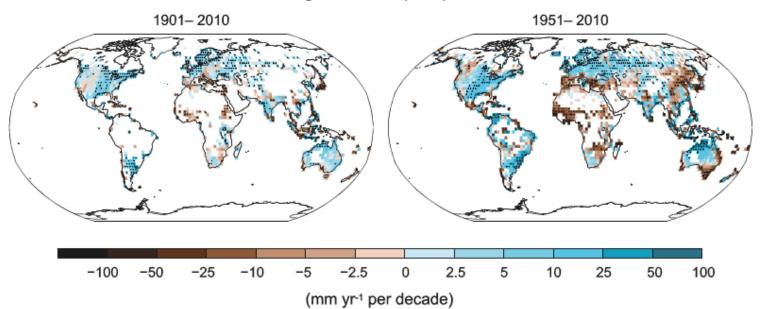


Grey: statistically insignificant at the confidence level of 90%

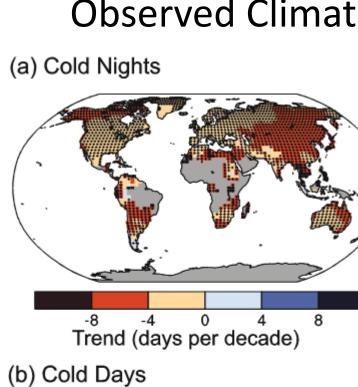
Observed Climate Change

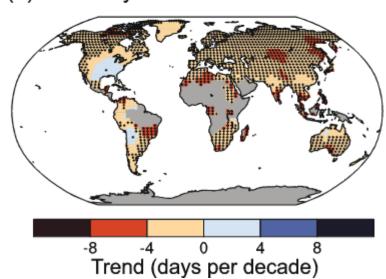


Observed change in annual precipitation over land

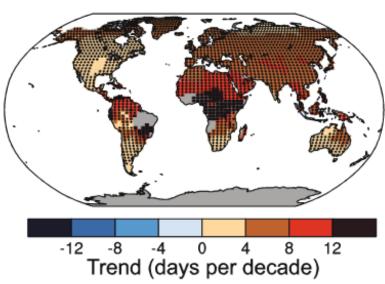


Observed Climate Change (1951-2010)

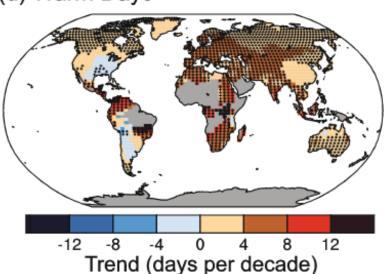




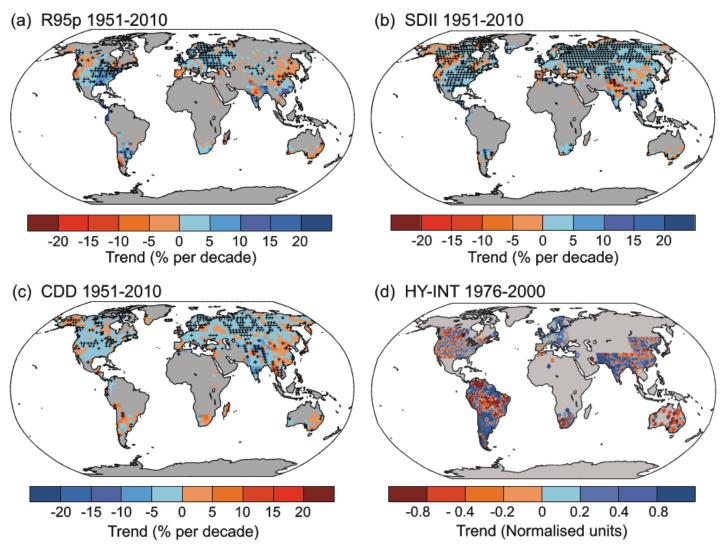
(c) Warm Nights



(d) Warm Days

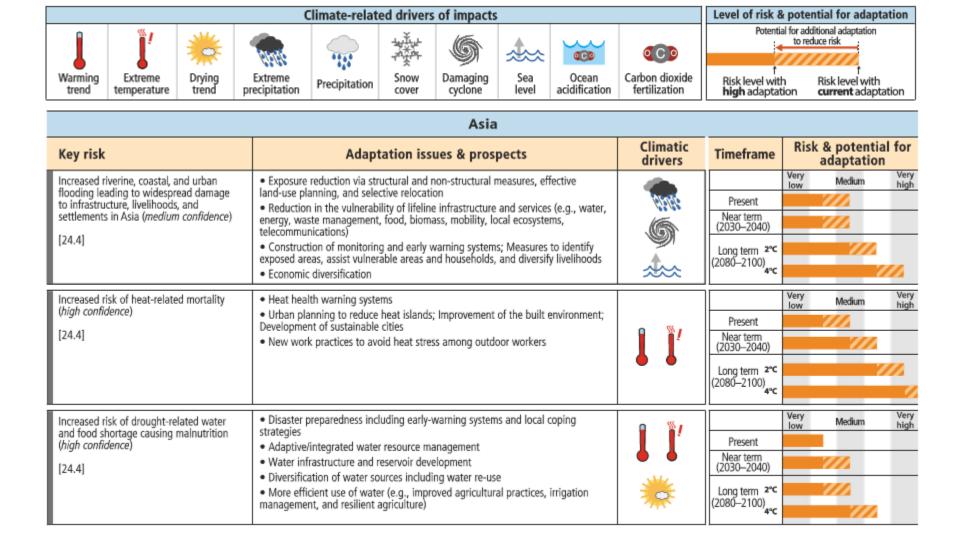


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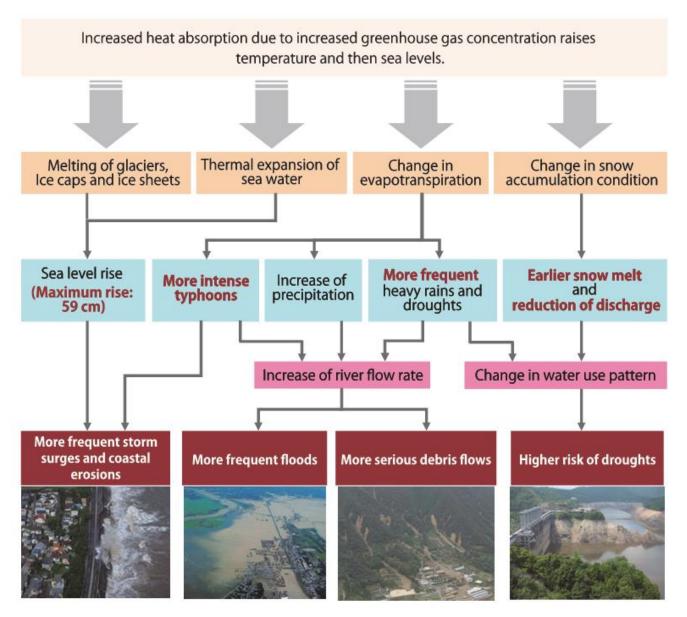


(a) annual amount of precipitation from days >95th percentile (R95p), (b) daily precipitation intensity (SDII), (c) frequency of the annual maximum number of consecutive dry days (CDD), (d) hydroclimatic intensity (HY-INT)

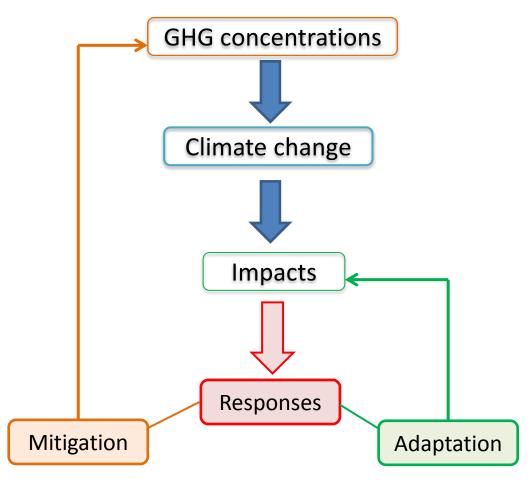
Key Regional Risks in Asia



Global warming threats the water sector



Adaptation and Mitigation



A human intervention to reduce the sources or enhance the sinks of greenhouse gases.

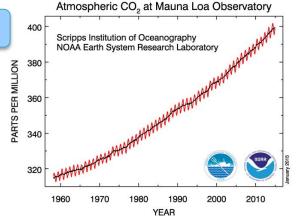
Actions and strategies intended to minimize the effects that global warming will have on humans and nature.

History of Global Warming

1824 Joseph Fourier indicated the existence of greenhouse effect.

1859 John Tyndall verified the existence of greenhouse effect.

1896 Svante August Arrhenius estimated the future temperature change due to global warming.



http://www.esrl.noaa.gov/gmd/obop/mlo/

1957∼58 International Geophysical Year

CO2, aurora, cosmic rays, geomagnetism, gravity, solar activity and so on.

1980s Improvement of simulation technique for global warming projection



1988 IPCC (Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change)



Next lecture

Scientific intergovernmental body under the auspices of the United Nations, and established in 1988 by the World Meteorological Organization (WMO) and the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP). IPCC reports cover "the scientific, technical and socio-economic information relevant to understanding the scientific basis of risk of human-induced climate change, its potential impacts and options for adaptation and mitigation." The 2007 Nobel Peace Prize was shared between the IPCC and Al Gore.

1992 UNFCCC (United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change)

International environmental treaty negotiated at the "Earth Summit" held in Rio de Janeiro in June 1992. The objective is to "stabilize greenhouse gas concentrations in the atmosphere at a level that would prevent dangerous anthropogenic interference with the climate system (Article 2)".



IPCC Fifth Assessment Report (AR5)

Working Group I Report (the first part of AR5)



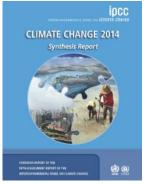
The Summary for Policymakers (SPM) of the IPCC WGI AR5 was approved at the Twelfth Session of IPCC Working Group I meeting in Stockholm, Sweden, 23 to 26 September 2013 and was released on 27 September.



SPM of Working Group II Report (on 31 March 2014) SPM of Working Group III Report (on 13 April 2014) SPM of Synthesis Report (on 2 November 2014)







http://www.ipcc.ch/

38th Session of IPCC at Yokohama on 25-29 March 2014



Pacifico Yokohama



Discussion



Opening Ceremony



Closing Ceremony (30 March!!)

Major Discussions in International Negotiation

COP (Conference of the Parties) is annually held in the framework of the UNFCCC.

Kyoto Protocol (COP3, 1997)

KP applies to only developed countries.

2008 **KP First** commitment period 2012 2013 **KP** second commitment period

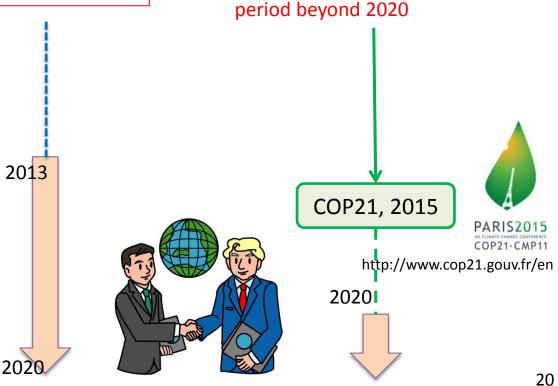
Cancun Agreements (COP16, 2010)

This agreement calls on Developed countries to reduce their emissions, Developing countries to plan to reduce their emissions.

independent efforts!

Durban Platform (COP17, 2011)

New and universal greenhouse gas reduction protocol, legal instrument or other outcome with legal force by 2015 for the period beyond 2020



Pictures of COP meetings









Additional meetings in Bonn, German

COP18 (26 November- 6 December 2012 in Doha, Qatar)







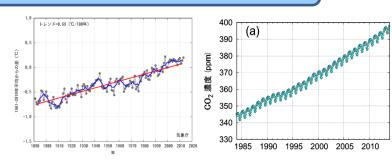


Additional meetings in Bangkok, Thailand

COP19 (11-22 November 2013 in Warsaw, Poland)

Role of JMA

Observation and Monitoring

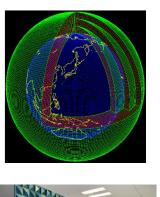








Projection and analysis







Provision of data and information Training





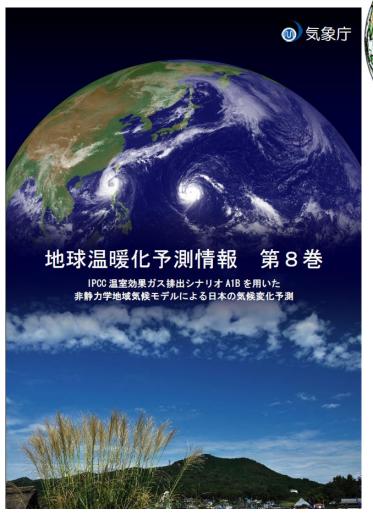


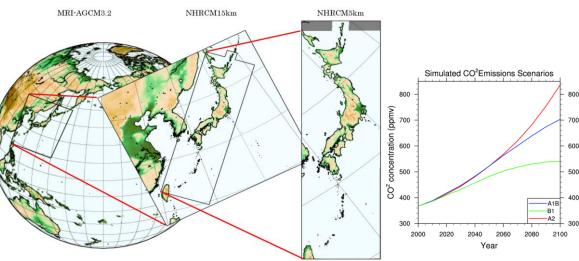




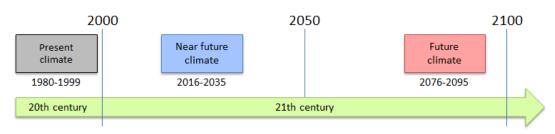
JMA's latest Global Warming Projection

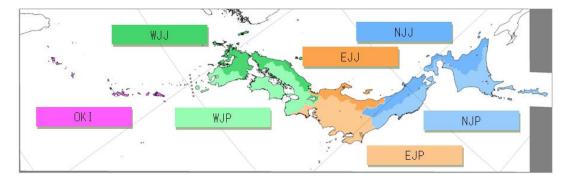
Global Warming Projection volume 8 (JMA, 2013)





Greenhouse gas emission scenario: SRES A1B

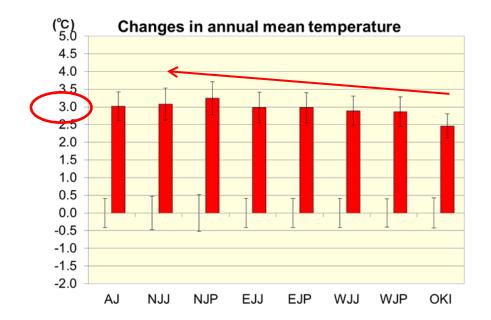




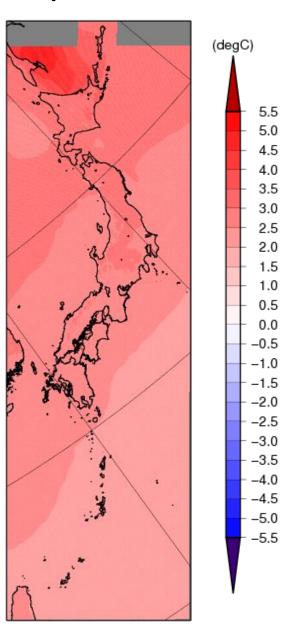
Future change in annual mean temperature

The annual mean temperature is projected to increase by about 3°C in all regions.

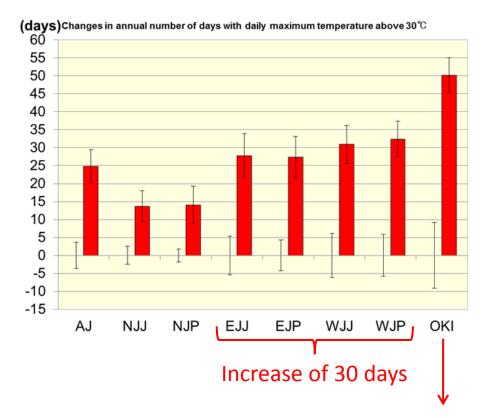
In particular, the northern part of Japan is expected to see the most significant rise (more than 3°C).



Red bar: future change



Future change in the annual number of days with daily maximum temperatures above 30°C

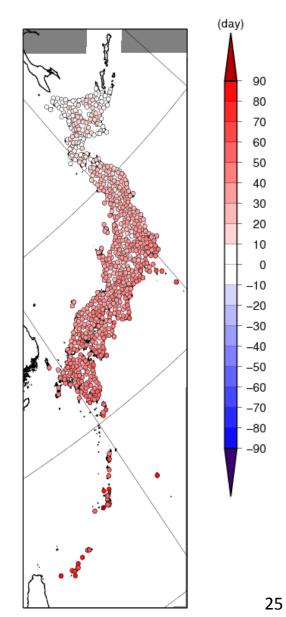


Red bar : future change Increase of 50 days

Black bar: standard deviation of interannual variability



crucial for estimating the risk of heat stroke

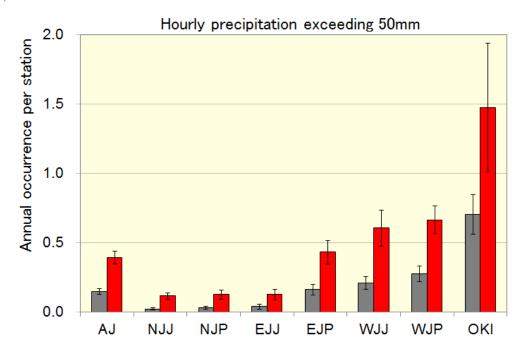


Future change in annual frequency of hourly precipitation exceeding 50 mm

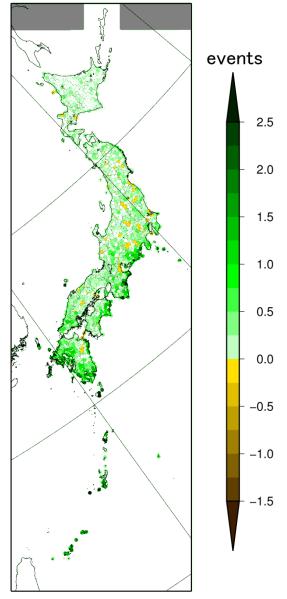
The frequency of intense precipitation is projected to increase in most regions.



crucial for saving our lives from natural disasters



Grey bar : present climate Red bar : future climate

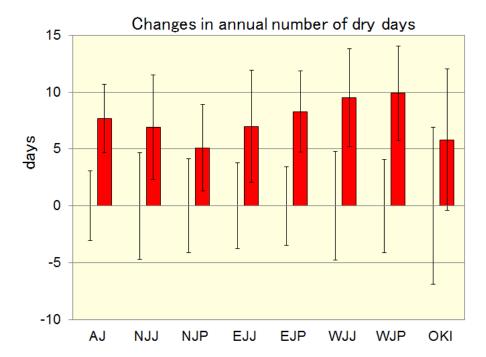


Future change of annual number of dry days with daily precipitation of less than 1mm

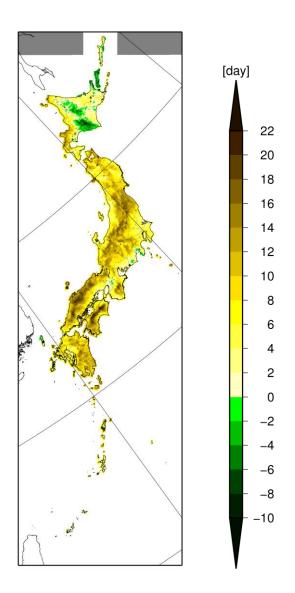
The number of dry days with daily precipitation of less than 1 mm is also expected to rise.



crucial for water resource management



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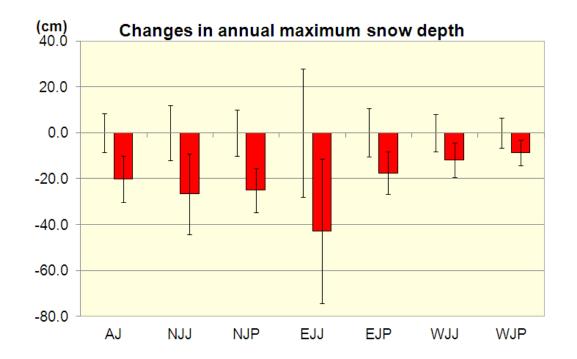


Future Change in annual maximum snow depth

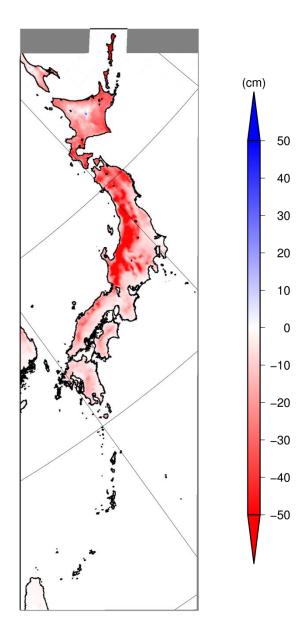
The annual maximum snow depth is projected to decrease in most regions, although it may increase in colder areas such as inland Hokkaido.



crucial especially for water resource management and rice cultivation.

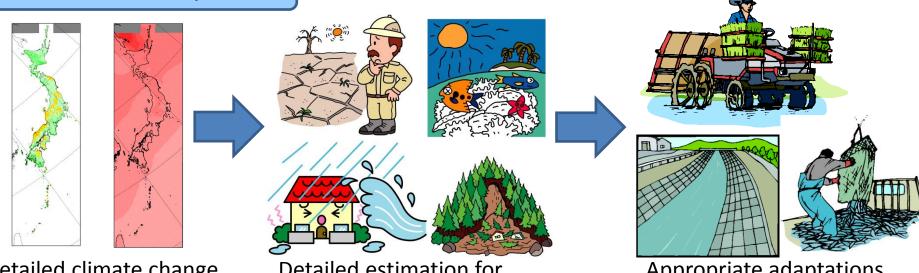


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Role of Global Warming Projection Information

Basic data for adaptations

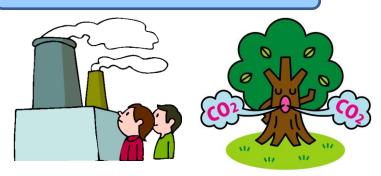


Detailed climate change projection information

Detailed estimation for impacts on each sector

Appropriate adaptations

Basic data for mitigations



GHG emission reduction target Planning our future society

Educational activities







Promotion of people's eco-friendly activity and understanding of the government's efforts **Environmental education**

Thank you for your attention!

