

CHAP

ChinaHighAirPollutants

中国高分辨率高质量近地表空气污染物数据集

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ChinaHighAirPollutants (CHAP)

New update: [Daily seamless 1 km PM_x and composition data released!](#)

- **Brief Introduction**

The ChinaHighAirPollutants (CHAP) dataset refers to the **long-term, full-coverage, high-resolution**, and **high-quality** datasets of ground-level air pollutants for China. It is generated from the big data (e.g., ground-based measurements, satellite remote sensing products, atmospheric reanalysis, and model simulations) using artificial intelligence by considering the spatiotemporal heterogeneity of air pollution. The CHAP dataset contains **7** major air pollutants (i.e., **PM₁**, **PM_{2.5}**, **PM₁₀**, **O₃**, **NO₂**, **SO₂**, and **CO**), and **PM_{2.5} compositions** (e.g., **SO₄²⁻**, **NO₃⁻**, **NH₄⁺**, **Cl⁻**, and **BC**, et al). This CHAP dataset is **public** and **freely** open to all users!

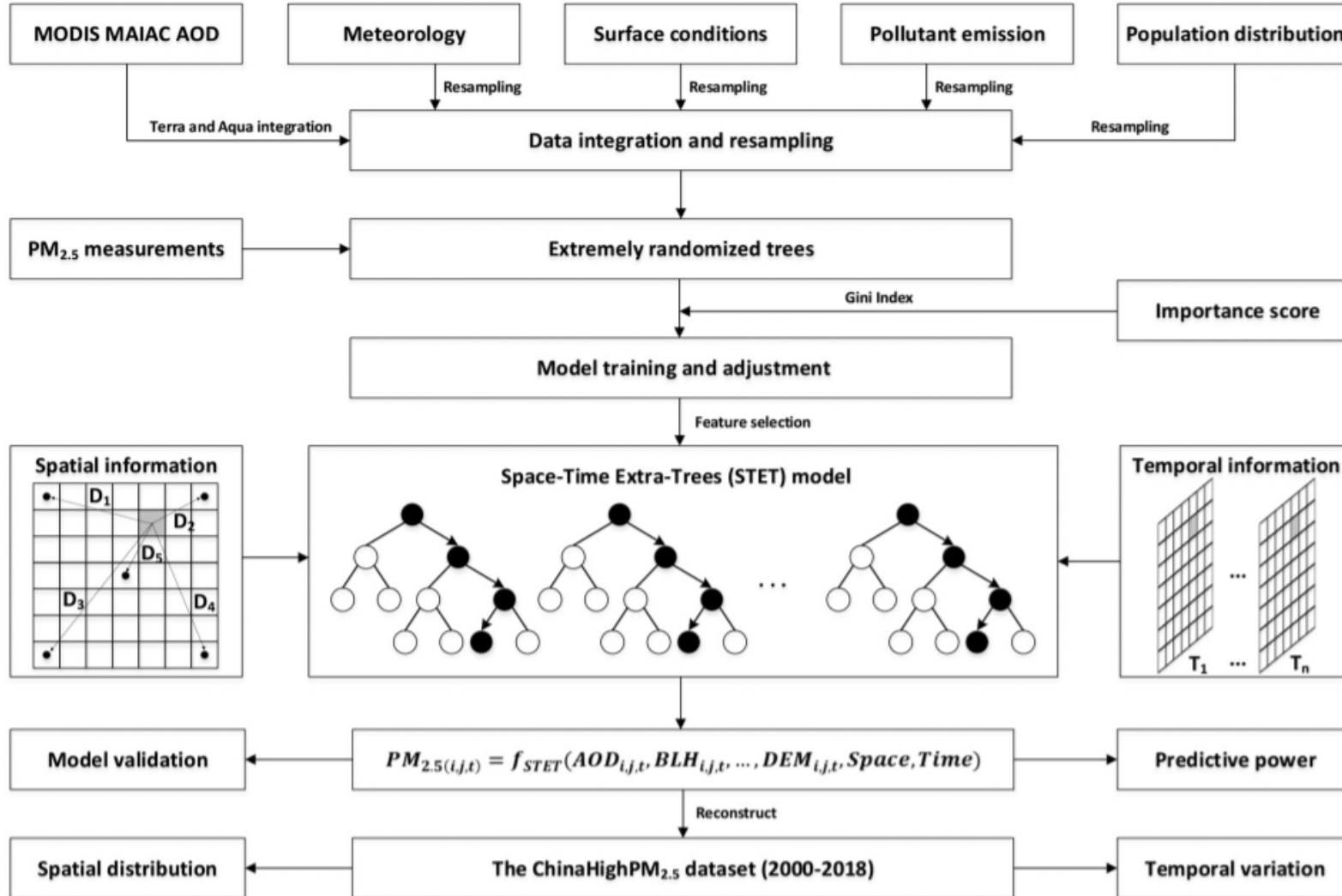
- **Dataset summary**

ChinaHighAirPollutants (CHAP)								
Air Pollutant	Main predictor	Spatial resolution	Missing values	Temporal resolution				Available period (yyyy/mm)
				Hourly	Daily	Monthly	Yearly	
PM ₁	Big data	1 km	No		√	√	√	2000/01 – 2021/12
PM _{2.5}	Big data	1 km	No		√	√	√	2000/01 – 2021/12
	Himawari-8	5 km	Yes	√	√	√	√	2018/01 – 2018/12
PM ₁₀	Big data	1 km	No		√	√	√	2000/01 – 2021/12

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ChinaHighPM_{2.5} (Method & Updates)



Method

Space-Time Extra-Trees (STET) model

Main updates (Version 4)

1) AOD gap filling:

Fill the AOD gaps from big data using machine learning

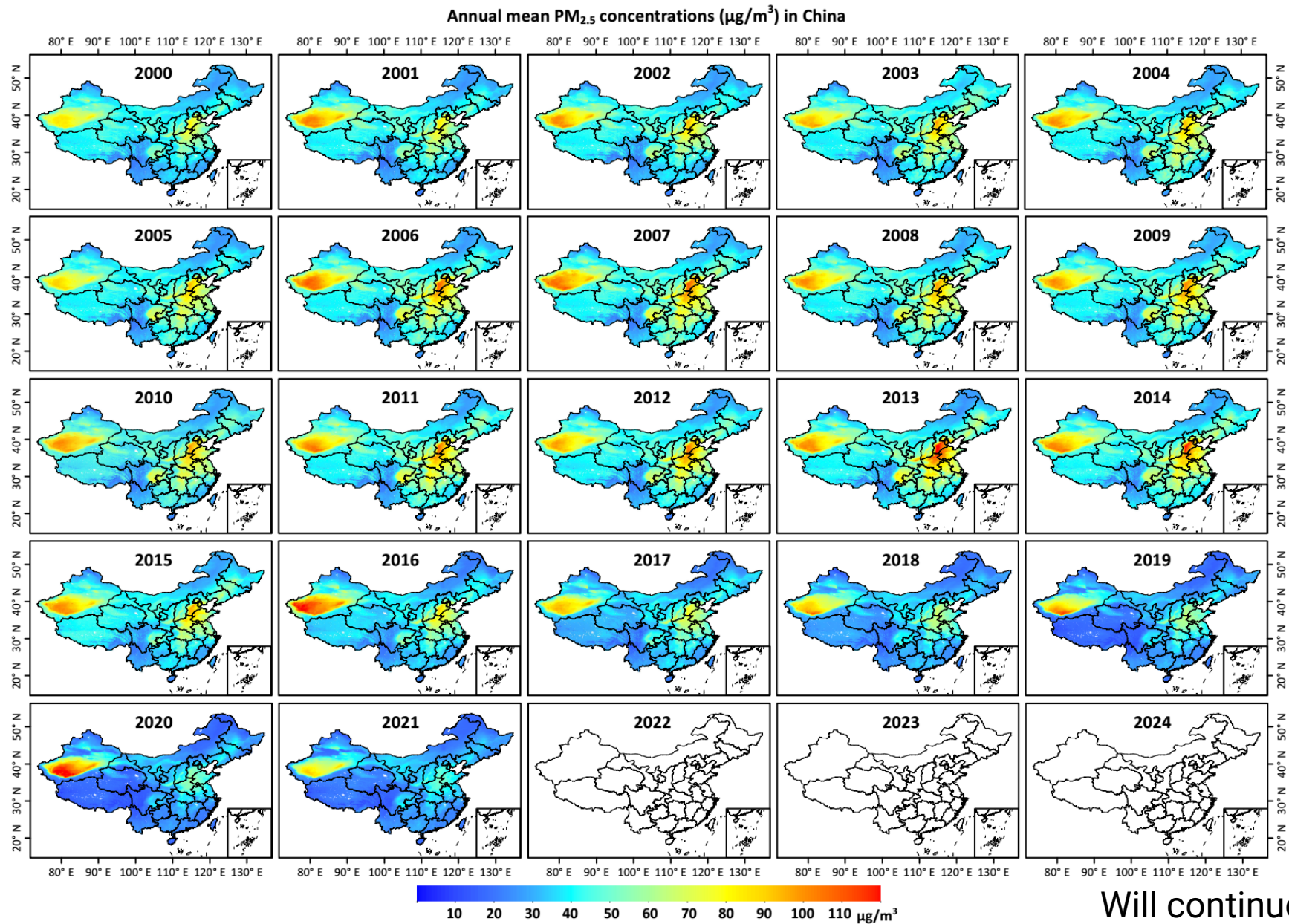
2) Update data sources

e.g., MERRA2 PM_{2.5} compositions

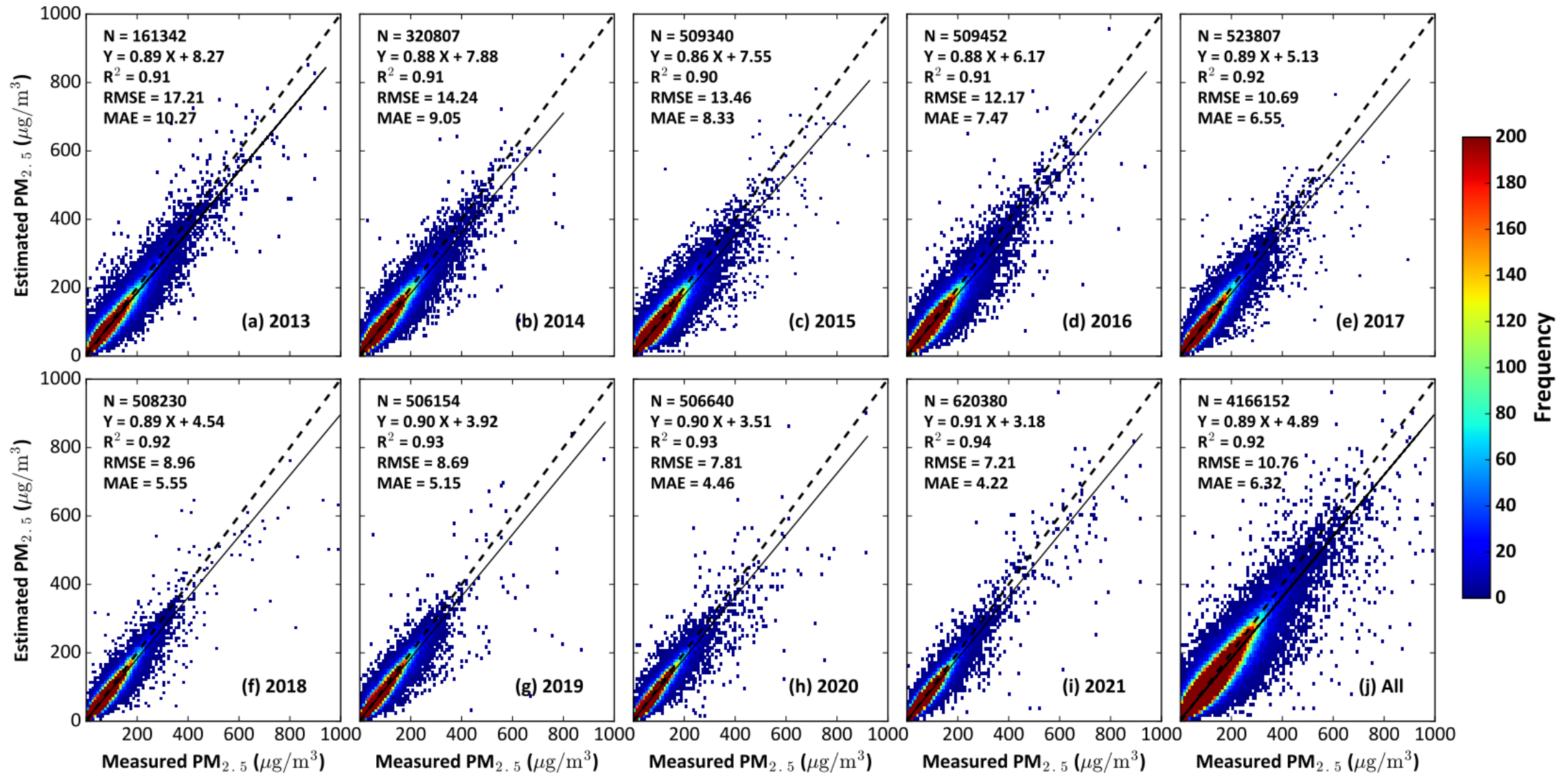
CAMS emission inventory

Flowchart of STET model (Wei et al., RSE, 2021)

ChinaHighPM_{2.5} (1 km, 2000-2021, Version 4)

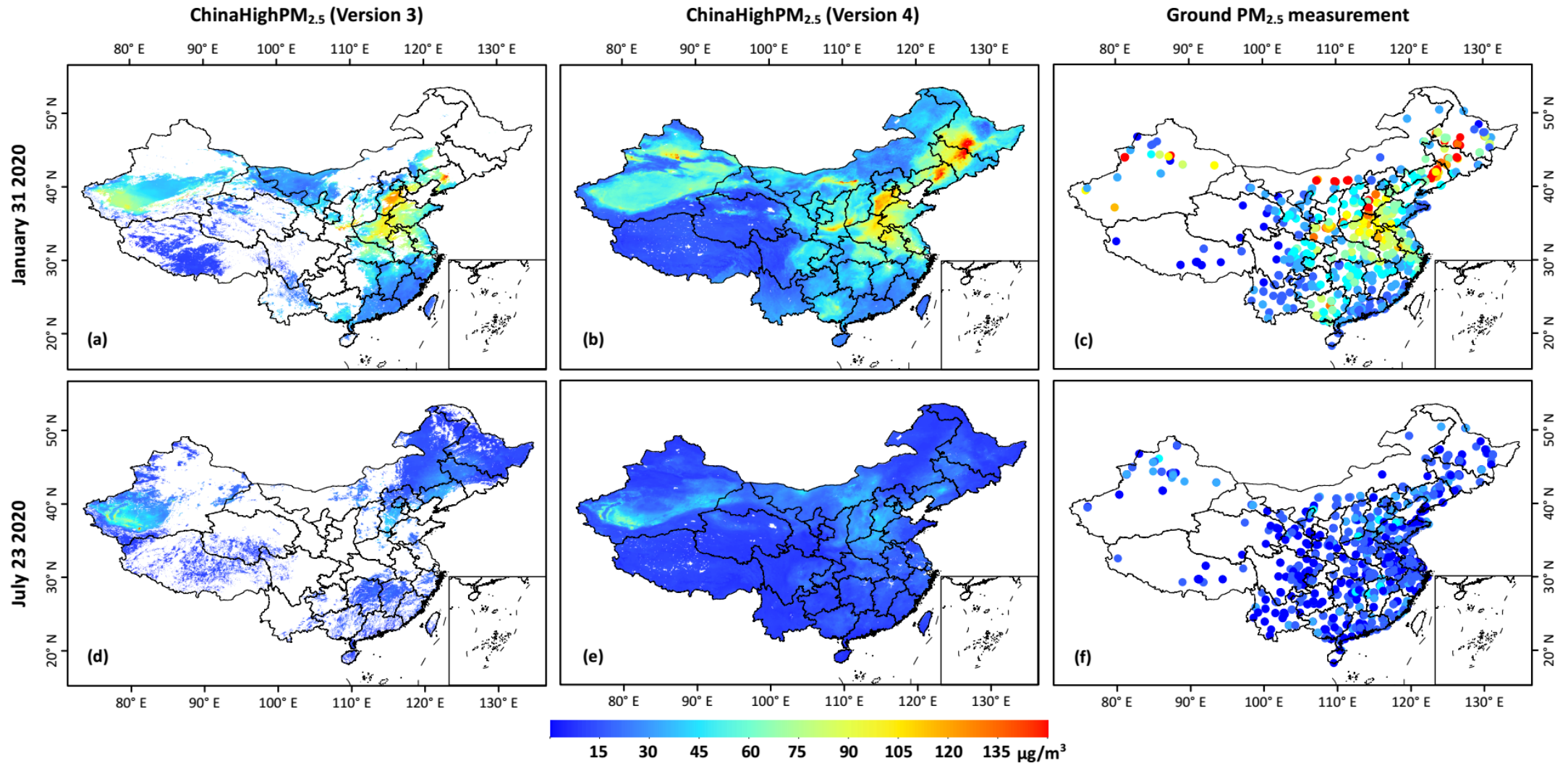


10-fold Cross Validation



Overall accuracy: CV- $R^2 = 0.92$, RMSE = 10.76 $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$

Version Comparison (4 & 3)



The V4 data filled the missing values of satellite AOD products and provided **seamless** daily PM_{2.5} concentrations across China, significantly improving the data availability by **60%** compared to the V3 dataset.

ChinaHighPM_{2.5} product (format)

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Name	Long Name	Type
CHAP_PM2.5_D1K_20200101_V4.nc	CHAP_PM2.5_D1K_20200101_V4.nc	Local File
lat	lat	1D
lon	lon	1D
PM2.5	PM2.5	Geo2D

PM2.5 in CHAP_PM2.5_D1K_20200101_V4

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Plot Array 1

PM2.5

PM2.5 (µg/m3)

4.0 42.4 80.8 119.2 157.6 196.0

Data Min = 4.0, Max = 196.0, Mean = 41.9

Array(s) Scale Map Overlays Shading Contours Vectors Labels

Plot Map of Array 1 Only Interpolate

Array 1: PM2.5

No additional dimensions

Variable "PM2.5"

In file "CHAP_PM2.5_D1K_20200101_V4.nc"

Variable full name: PM2\5

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ushort PM2.5(lat=3571, lon=6148):  
  :units = "µg/m3";  
  :scale_factor = 0.1f; // float  
  :add_offset = 0.0f; // float  
  :_FillValue = 65535US; // ushort  
  :_ChunkSizes = 36U, 62U; // uint
```

Format: CHAP_PM2.5_D1K_20200101_V4.nc

PM2.5: ground-level PM_{2.5}

D1K: Daily 1 km (**M1K:** Monthly 1 km; **Y1K:** Yearly 1 km)

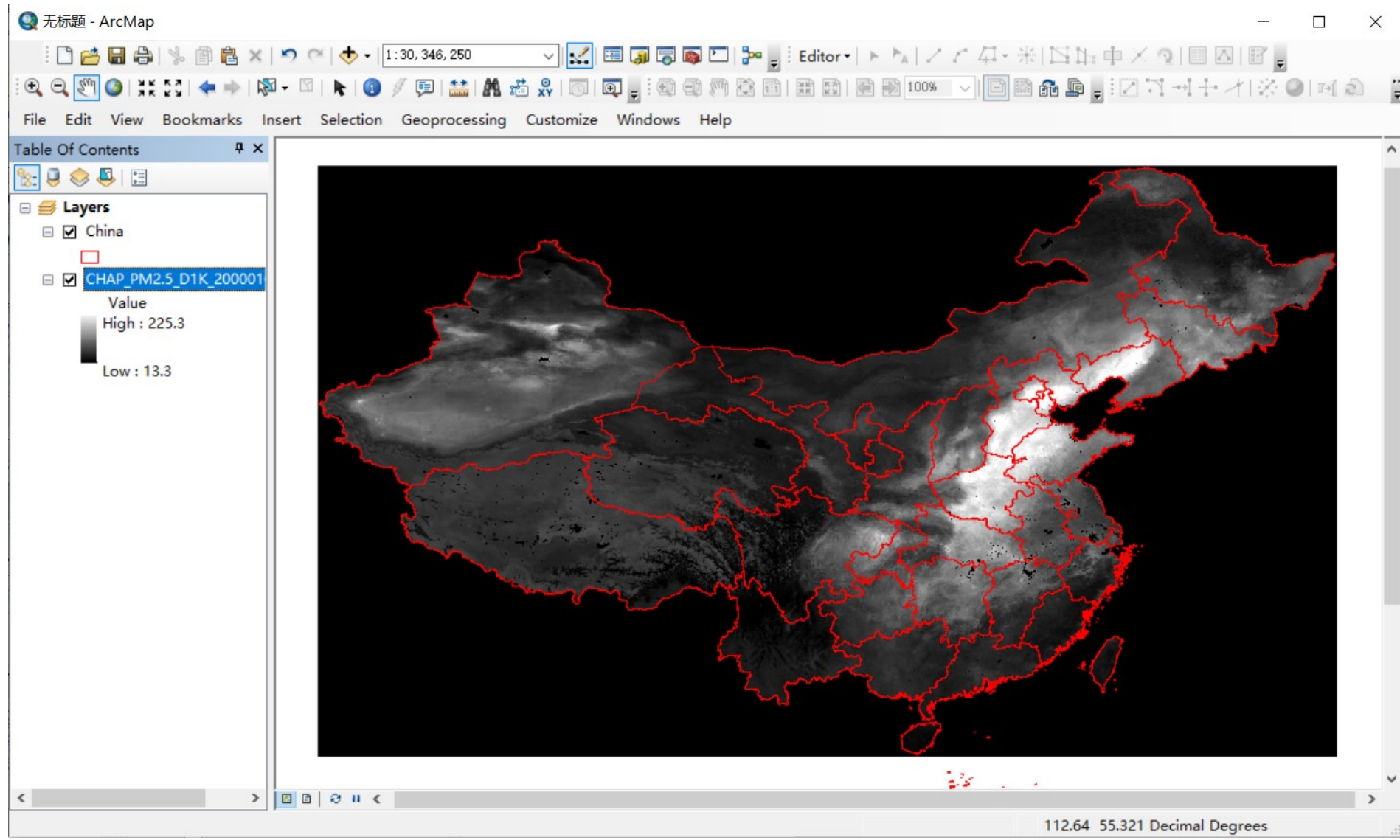
20200101: Date [Year, Month, Day]

V4: Version 4

Check the .nc file using **Panoply** or **HDF Explorer**

How to read?

Use Python, Matlab, and IDL codes (nc2geotiff codes.rar) to batch convert NetCDF (.nc) to GeoTIFF (.tif).



Reference

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Contact

If you use the ChinaHighPM_{2.5} dataset for related study, please cite the corresponding reference (Wei et al., RSE, 2021; Wei et al., ACP, 2020). **Note that this dataset is continuously updated, and if you need more data or have any questions, please contact me (weijing_rs@163.com; weijing.rs@gmail.com).**