

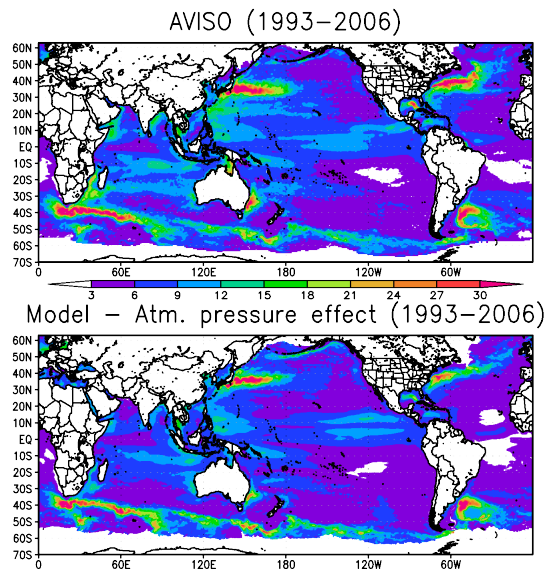
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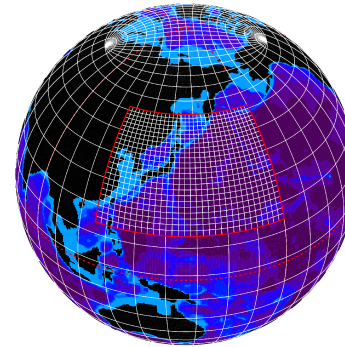
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Current state-of-the-art simulations

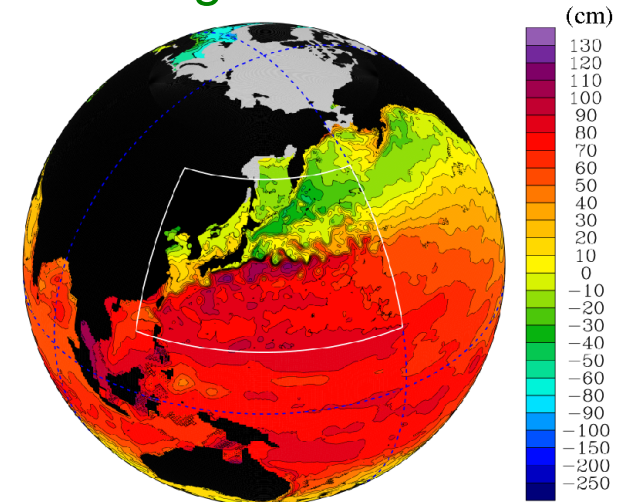
- AOGCM with a 0.1° -grid (tri-polar) ocean model
- AOGCM with a nested-grid ocean model
- submesoscale resolving?



0.1° global ocean model (SSH stdev)



AOGCM with nested-grid ocean



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Scientific questions to which high-res simulations are applied

- AOGCM with a 0.1° -grid (tri-polar) ocean model
 - ✓ Next CMIP/AR (or after next?)
 - ✓ Arctic sea ice prediction/projection (GRENE-Arctic project)
- AOGCM with a nested-grid ocean model
 - ✓ Influence of ocean front/submesoscale on
 - climate scale phenomena
 - seasonal prediction and severe weather events around Japan

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Main challenges

- Sea ice model(ing) under very high resolution
- Mixing parameterization
- Validation

Questions we'd like to discuss in this workshop

- Parameterizations (including sea ice) for eddy-resolving (or higher resolution) ocean models
- What should we do to better represent deep water formation processes in climate models (of high ocean resolution)?