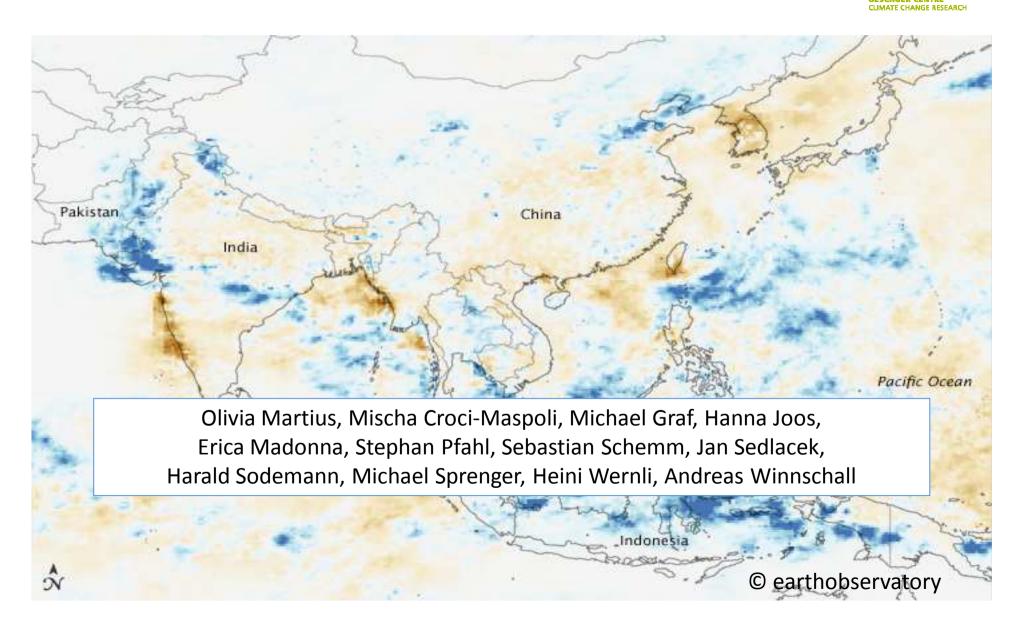
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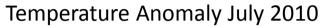


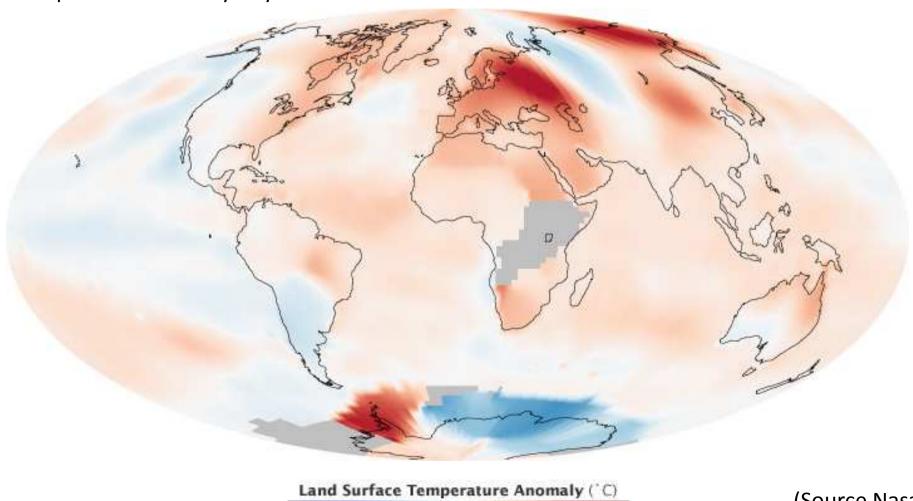
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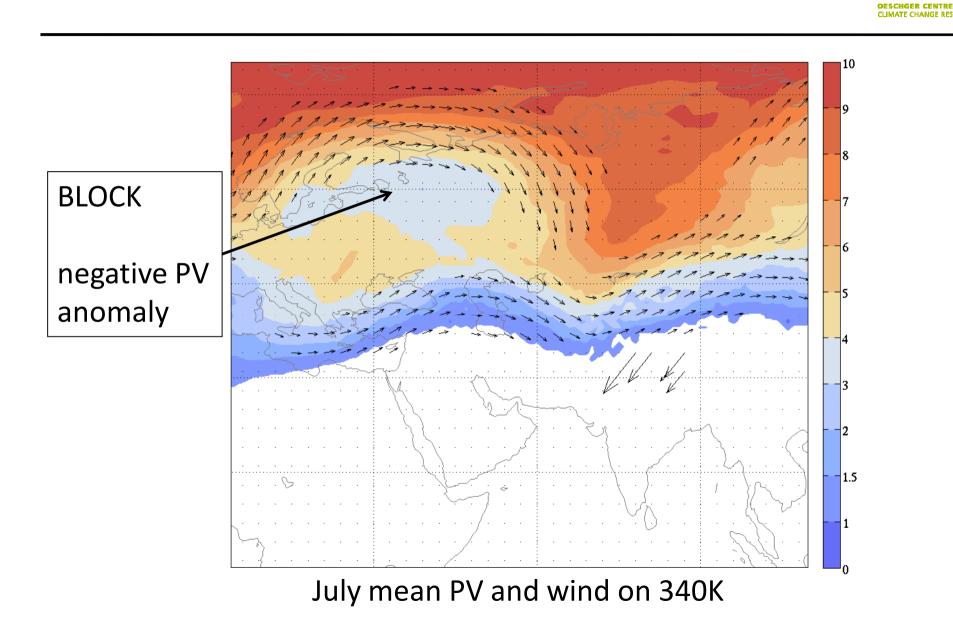


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Surface Temperature Anomaly (°C) (Source Nasa)

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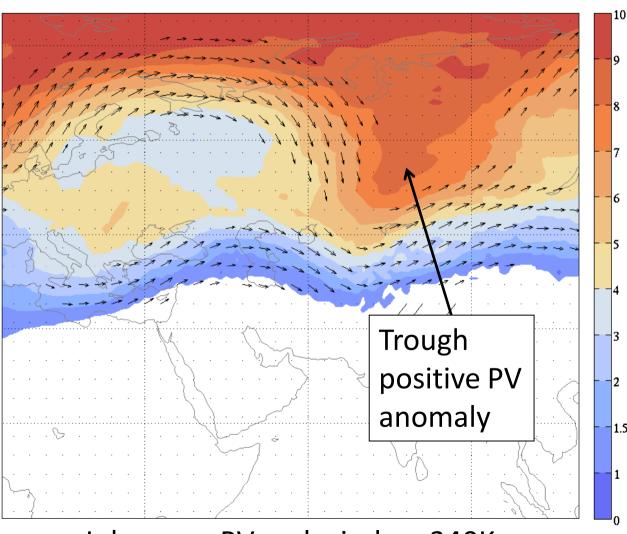




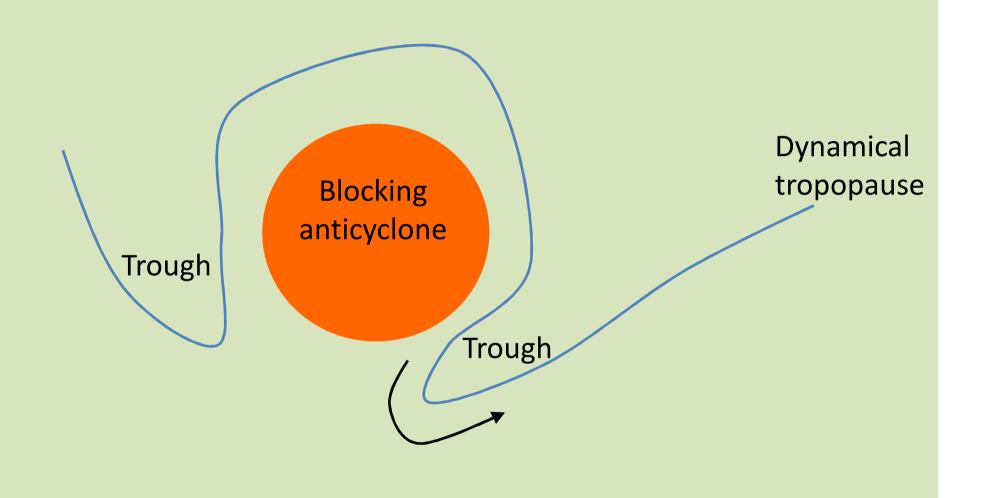
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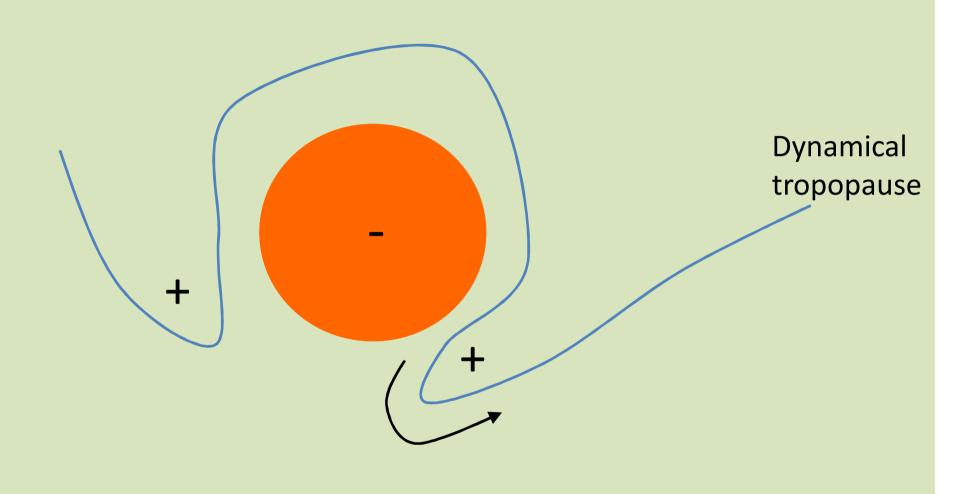


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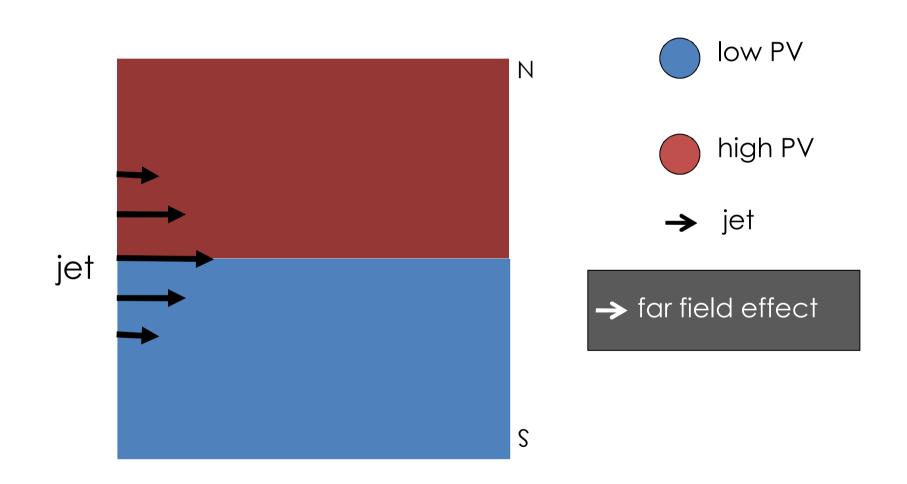


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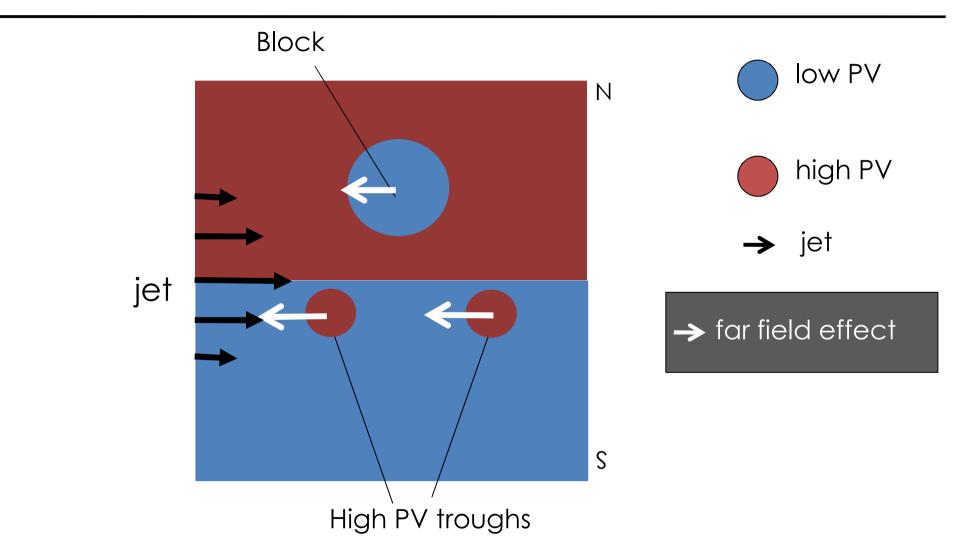


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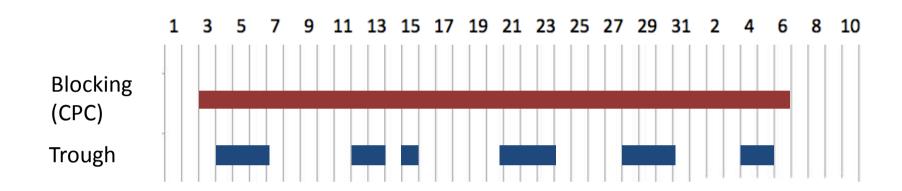
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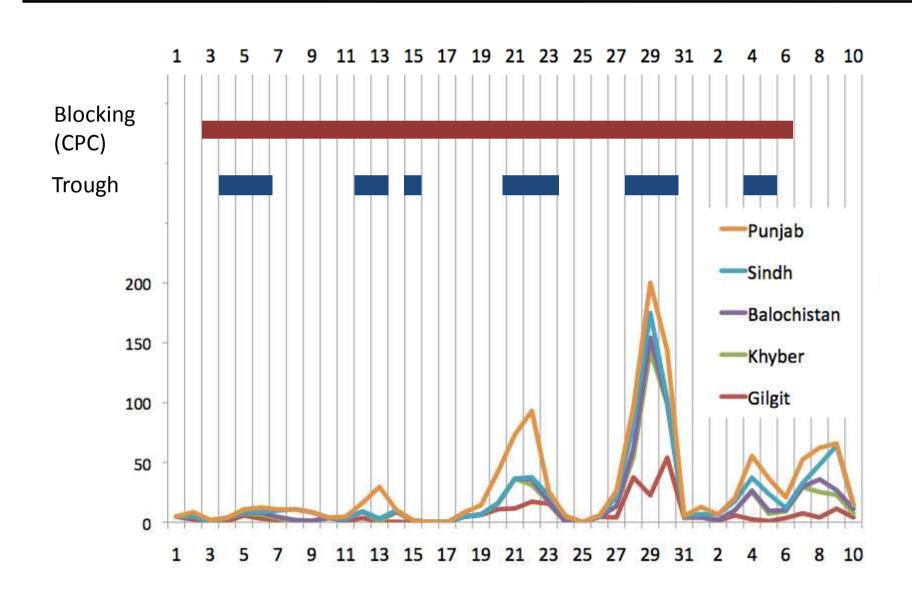
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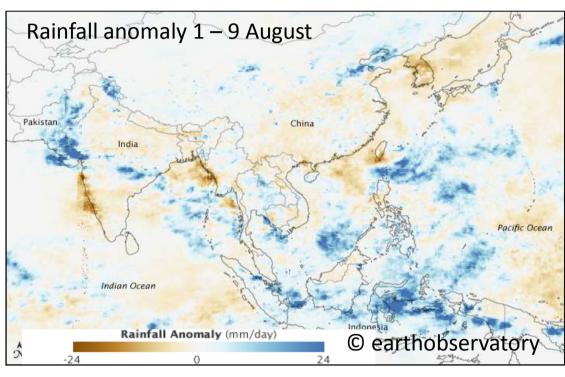
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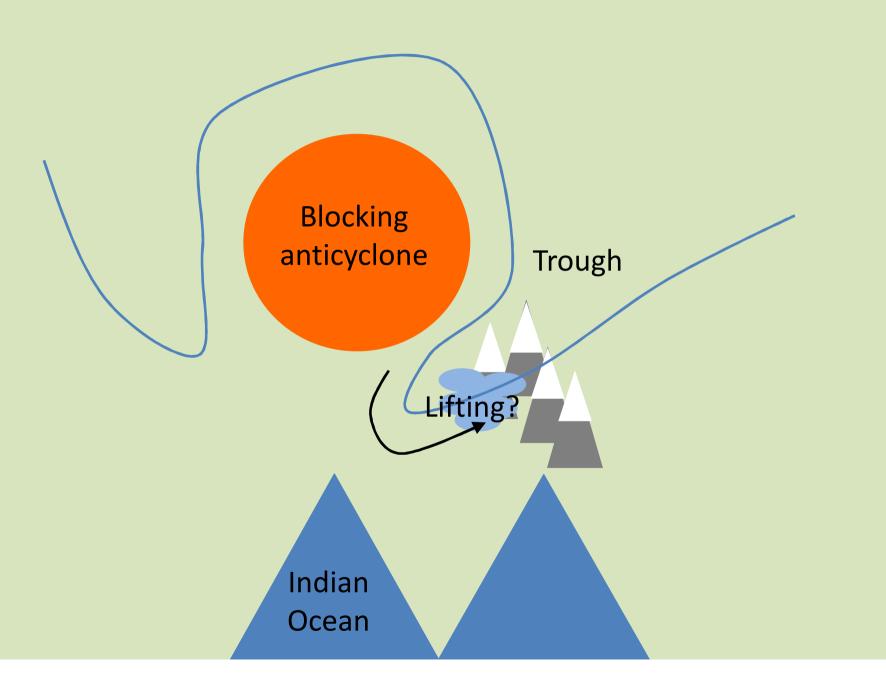


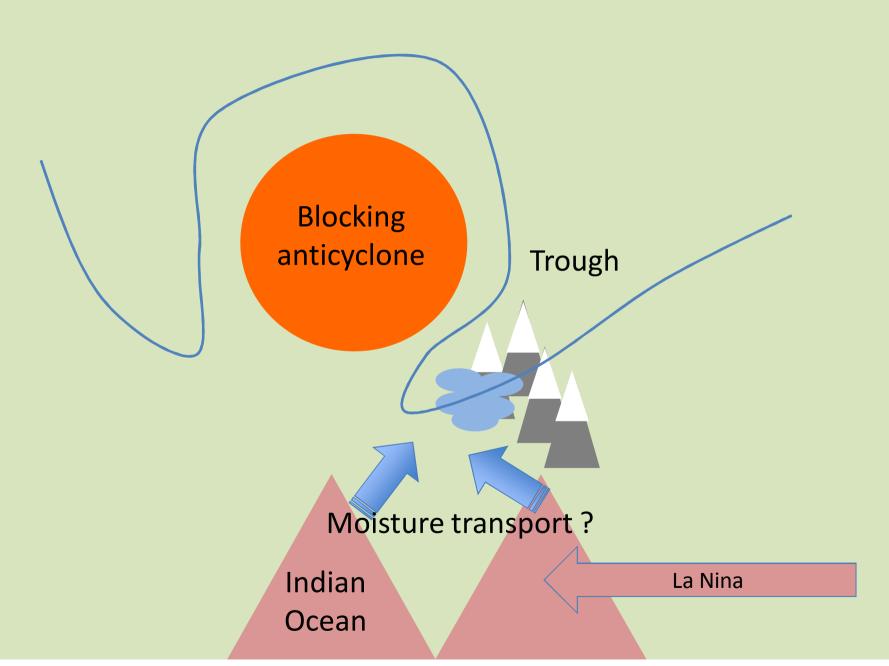


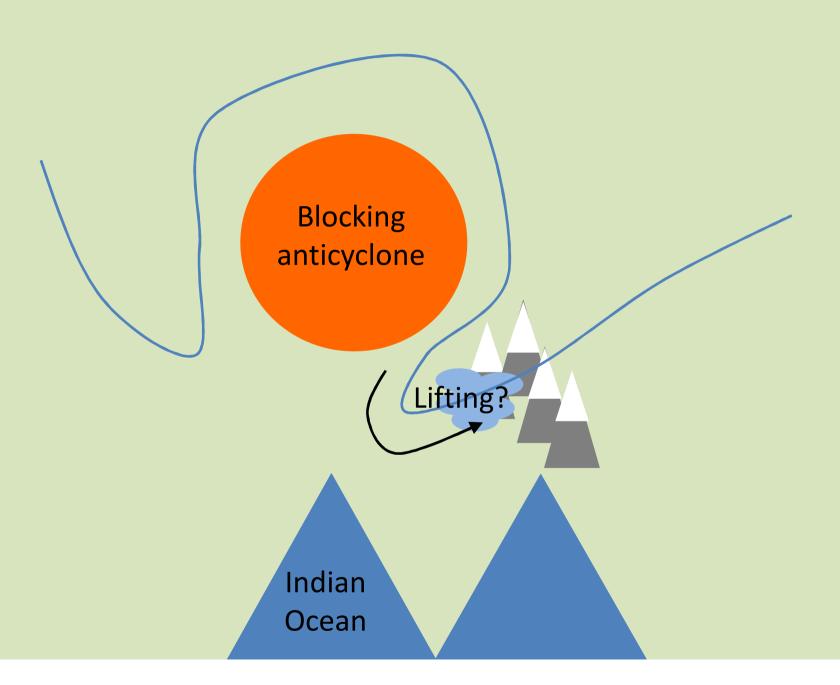






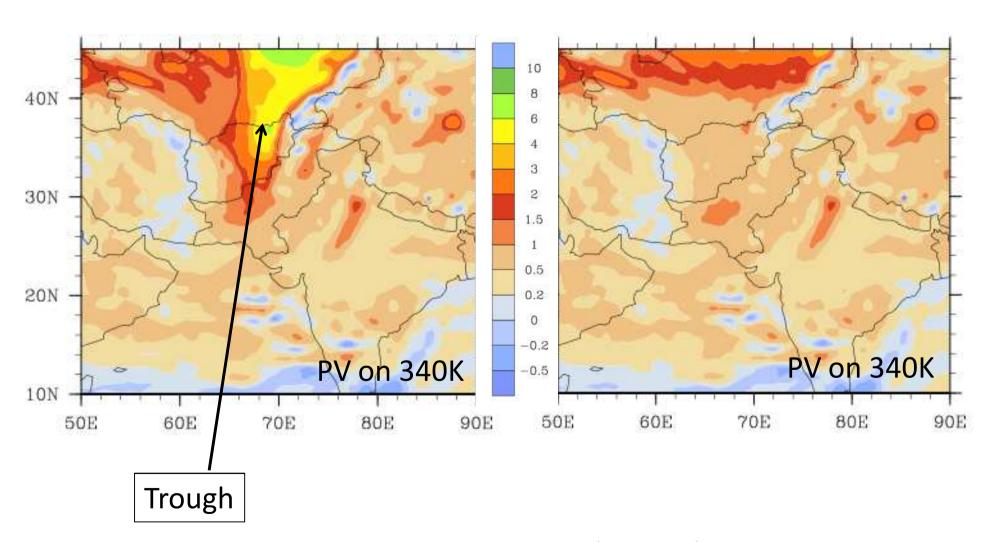






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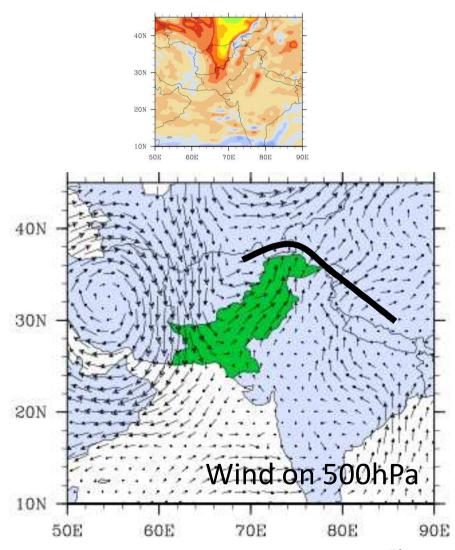
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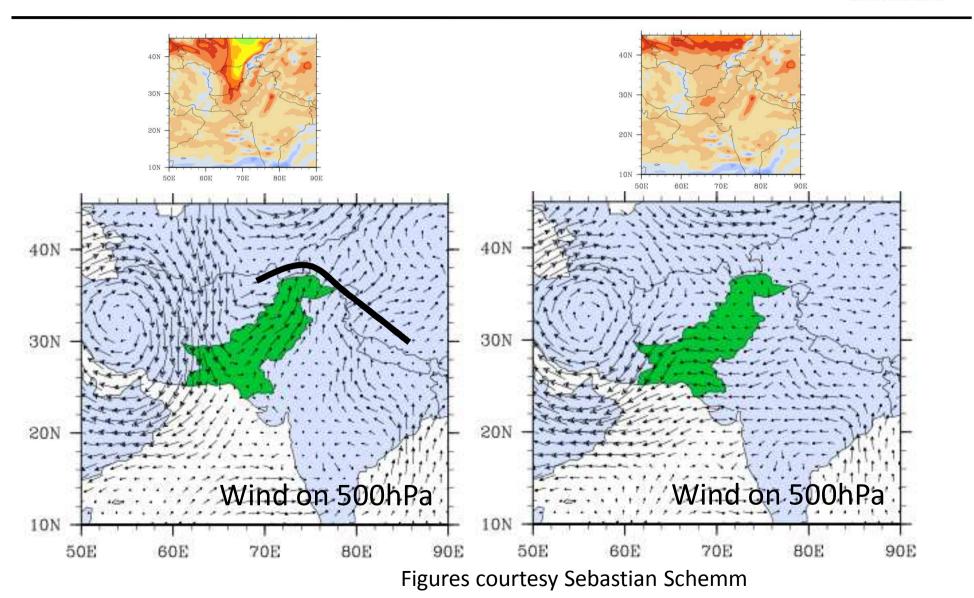


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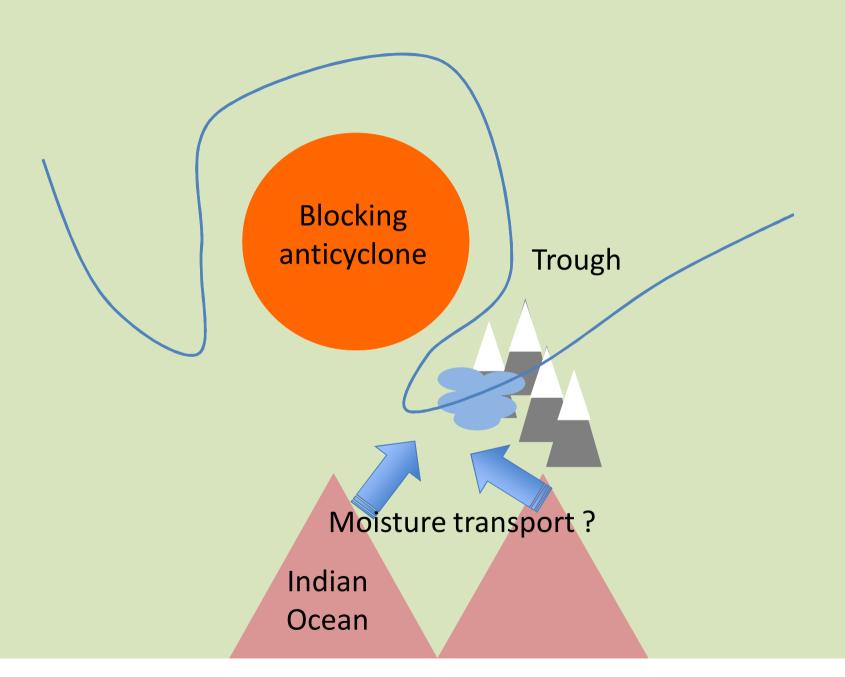
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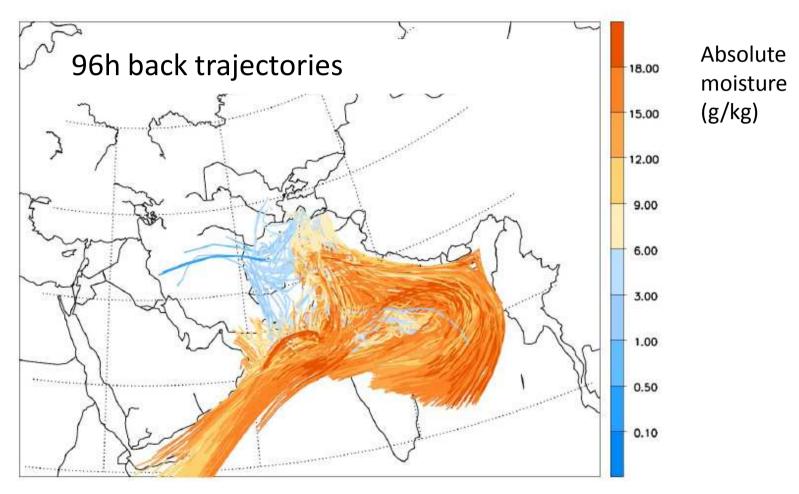


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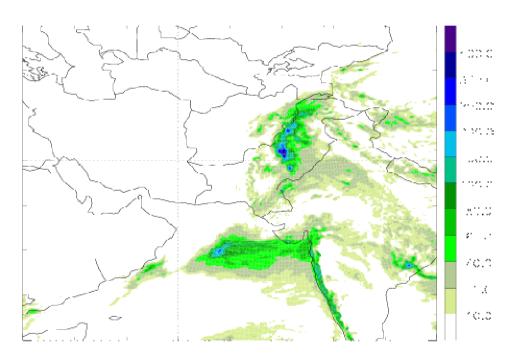


Majority of trajectories spend more than 72 hours over land

Cosmo Simulations



Precipitation 28 July 00 UTC – 30 July 00 UTC

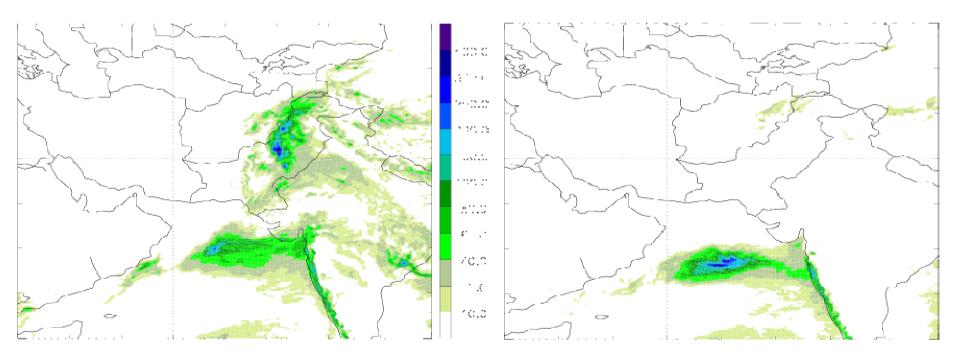


Control Simulation

Cosmo Simulations



Precipitation 28 July 00 UTC – 30 July 00 UTC



Control Simulation

No land-evaporation

