



Asymmetric Impact of Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation on El Niño-La Niña Characteristics

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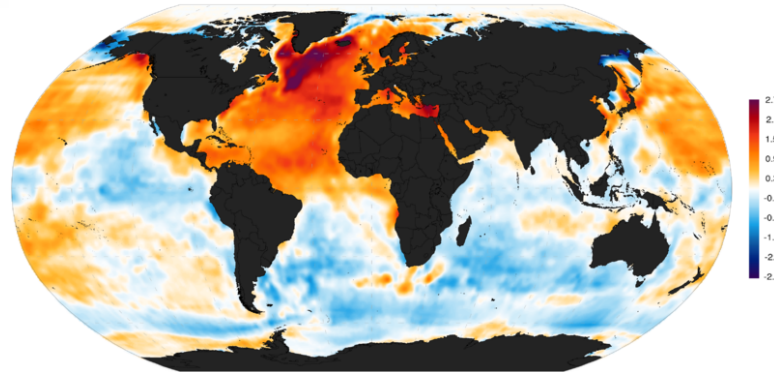
Introduction

AMO (Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation)

~ AMOC (Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation)

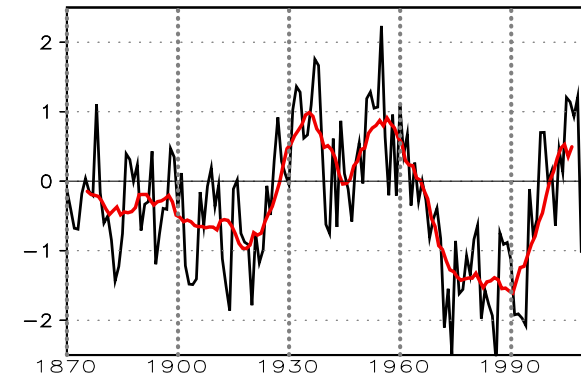
~ THC (Atlantic Thermohaline Circulation)

Atlantic Multidecadal Oscillation

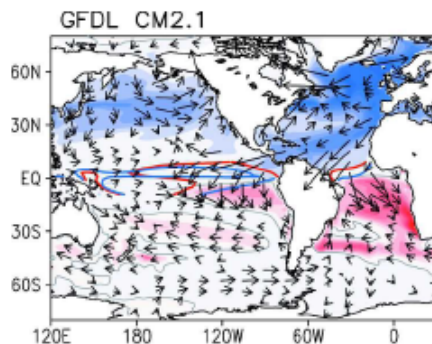


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AMO index



AMOC weakening
: cold North Atlantic
: **-AMO (decadal)**



ENSO? (interannual)

**ENSO variability
increase!!**

*Dong et al., 2006,
Timmermann et al., 2007
Zhang and Delworth, 2005*

"thermocline change"
"frequency entrainment"

AMO & ENSO

-AMO → ENSO variability **증가**

Data

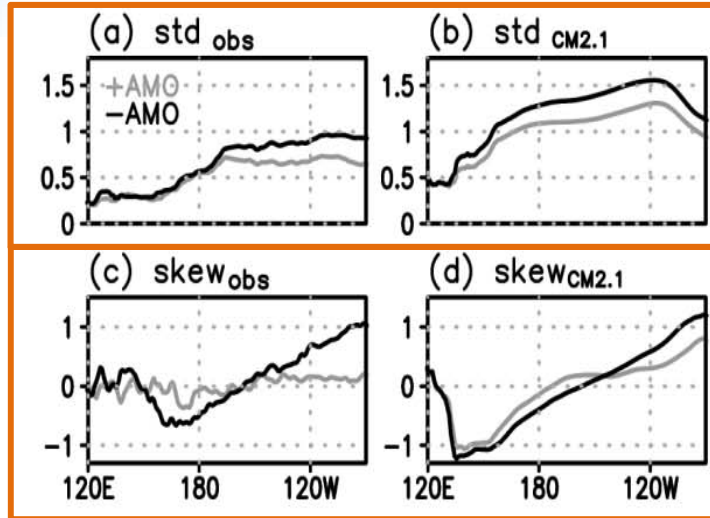
Observation : HadISST

NCEP/NCEAR Reanalysis

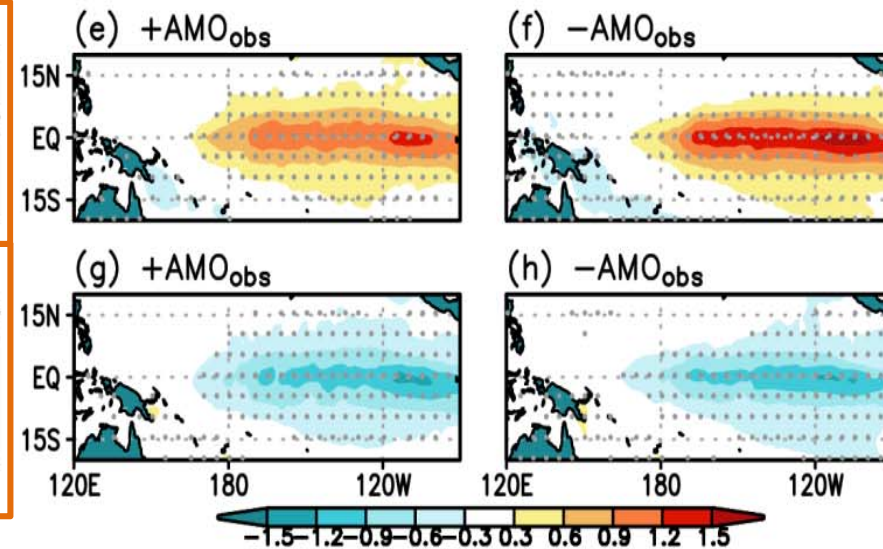
GPCP precipitation

GFDL CM2.1 pre-industrial control exp.
(500 yrs)

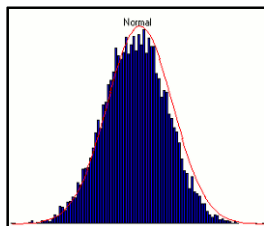
적도 태평양 SST



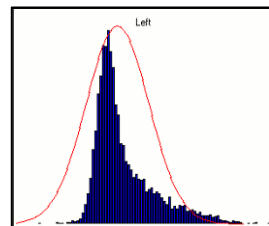
엘니뇨/라니냐 SST composite



skewness = 0



skewness > 0



-AMO 시기에

엘니뇨 강도

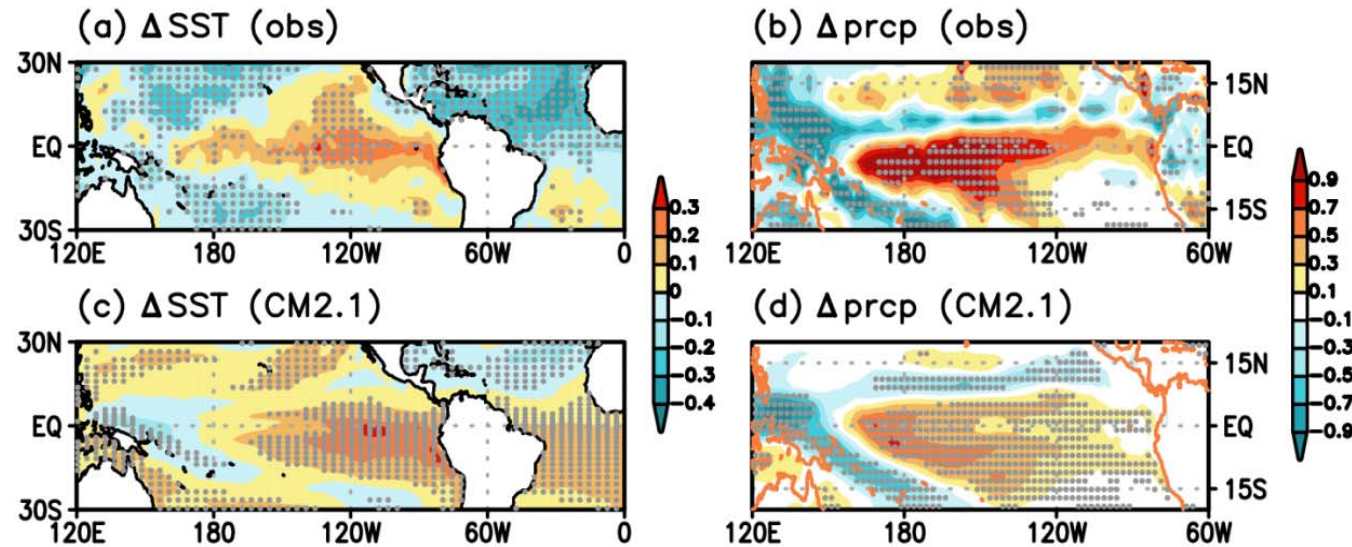


라니냐 강도

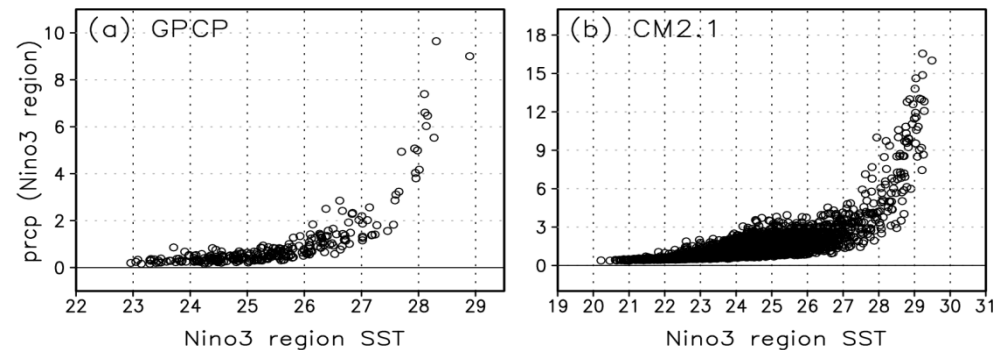


AMO & Basic state over the tropical Pacific

Mean difference (-)AMO – (+)AMO



-AMO일 때, warmer mean SST
ITCZ 남하



ΔSST 에 대한 Δprcp 는 nonlinear!

⇒ mean SST가 높을수록 대기 반응이 강하다!

AMO & Atmospheric Sensitivity

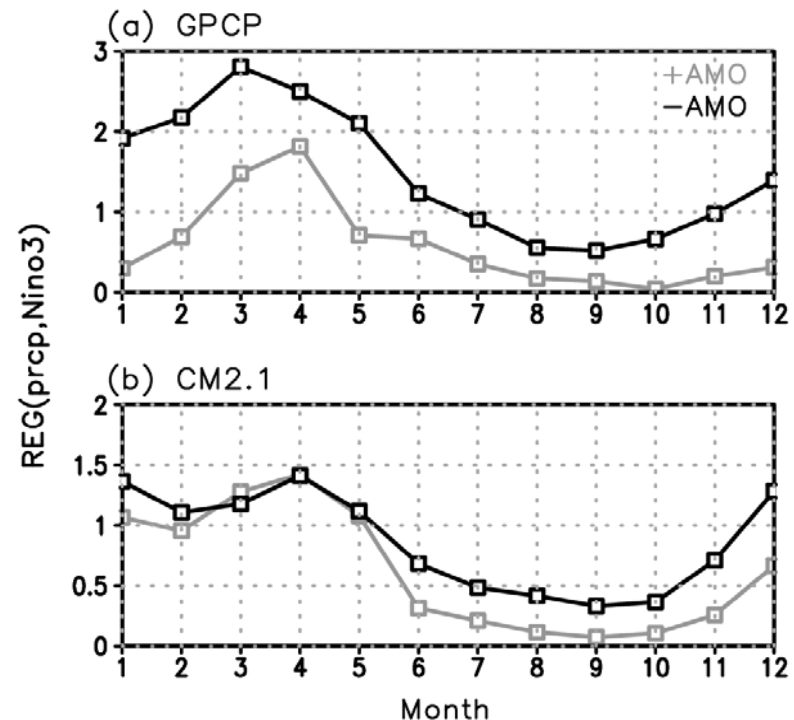
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(대기 민감도가 더 크다)

$$\frac{\Delta prcp_{Nino3}}{\Delta SST_{Nino3}} \rightarrow \text{Regression coefficient}$$



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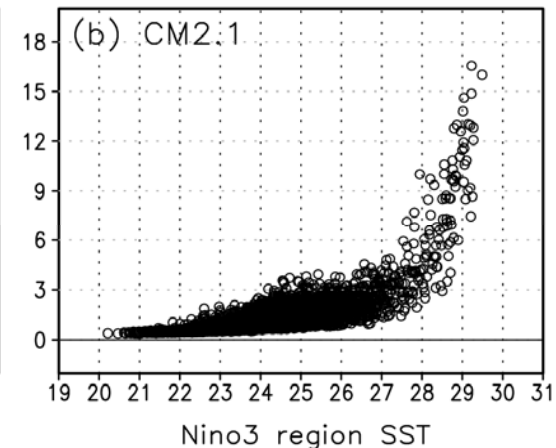
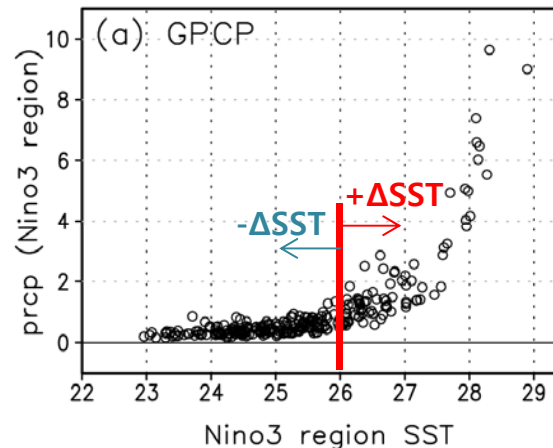
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-AMO 시기에
엘니뇨 강도 ↑ 라니냐 강도 ↑

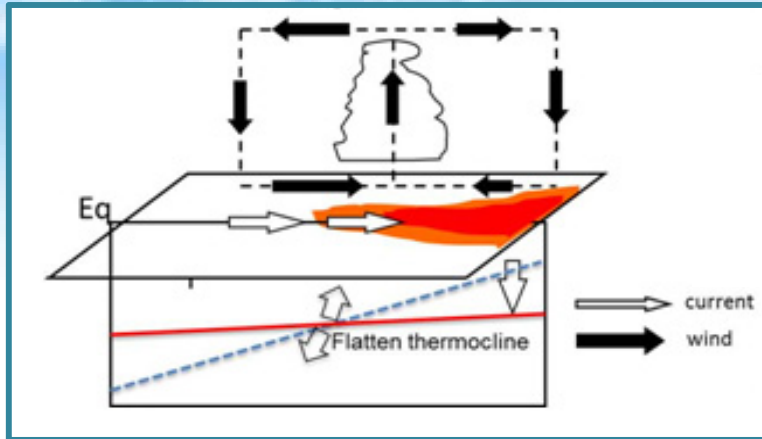
$$\frac{-\Delta prcp}{-\Delta SST} < \frac{+\Delta prcp}{+\Delta SST}$$

: 엘니뇨와 라니냐 발달이
비대칭적



AMO & Ocean-Atmosphere coupling strength

엘니뇨 발달 구조



Bjerknes feedback

Warm SST anomaly
 ⇒ Anomalous westerly
 ⇒ Deep thermocline
 ⇒ Warmer SST
 ⇒ ...

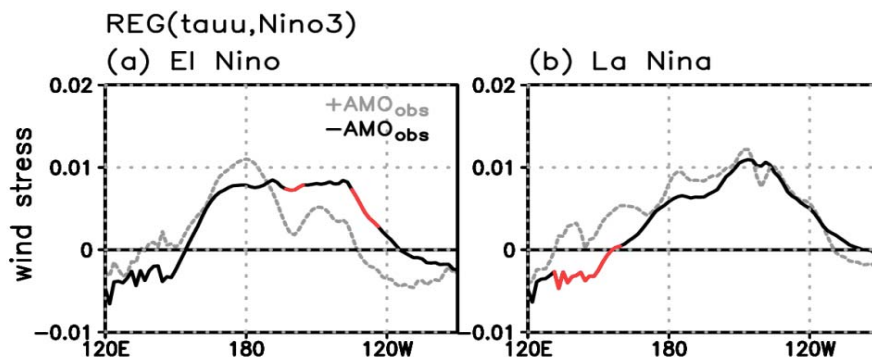
: 대기-해양 결합 과정

대기-해양 결합 강도의 차이
 (El Nino vs. La Nina)

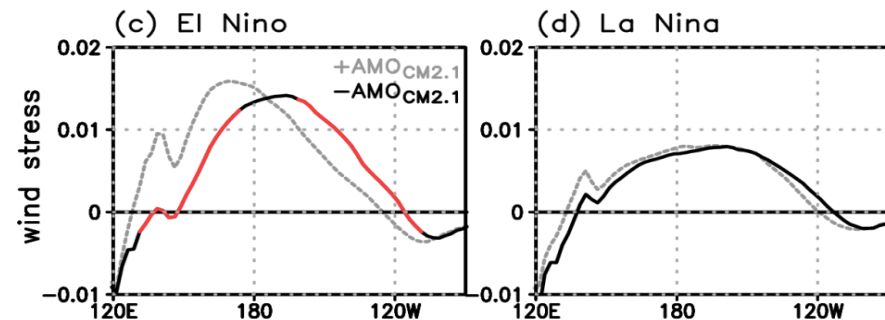
$$\frac{\Delta \tau_{\text{Nino3}}}{\Delta \text{SST}_{\text{Nino3}}}$$

Partial regression
 Coefficient

관측



모형



AMO & Ocean-Atmosphere coupling strength

✓ -AMO 시기의 엘니뇨 발달기에 대기 반응이 동쪽으로 shift

⇒ 더 강한 해양 반응 유도

⇒ -AMO 시기에 엘니뇨 강도 강화

✓ 라니냐 발달시에 대기-해양 결합 강도 차이는 AMO 위상에 따른 차이가 거의 없음

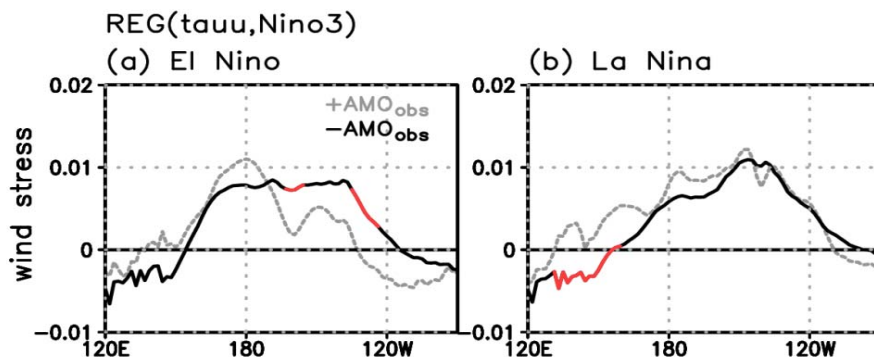
➡ AMO 조건에 따른 ENSO의 비대칭적 발달

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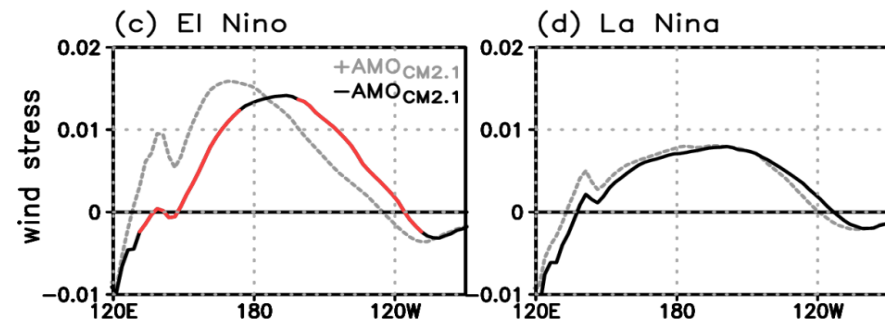
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Summary

