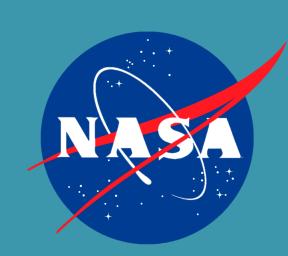


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What is IMAPP?

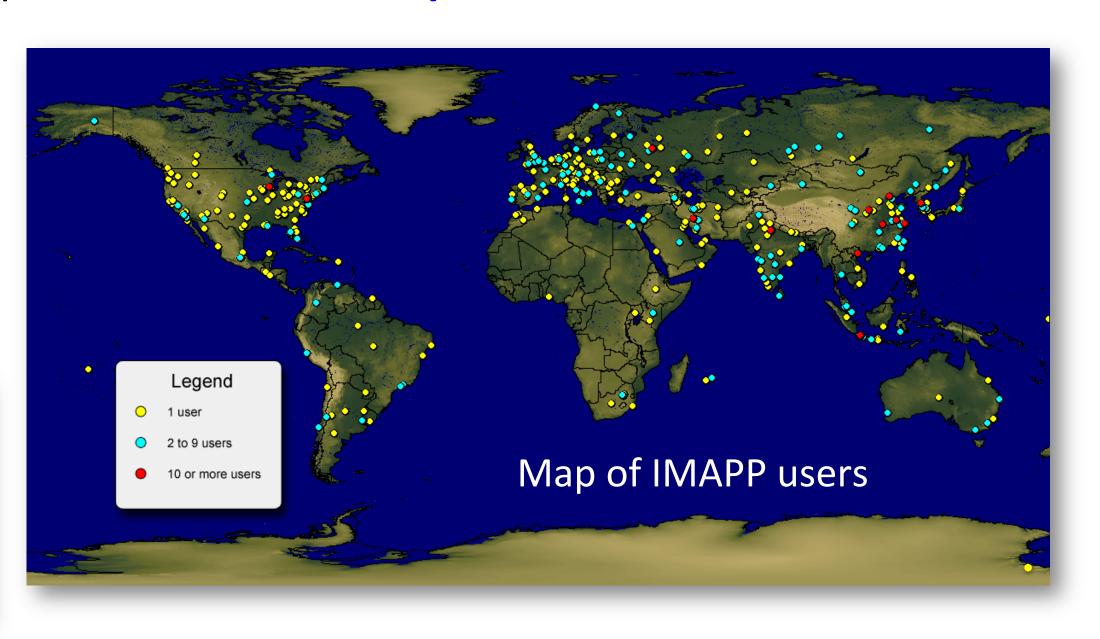
The International MODIS/AIRS Processing Package (IMAPP) supports the global community of direct broadcast users and the next generation of scientists through a freely available suite of **software** and **direct broadcast seminars**. Ground stations around the world receiving direct broadcast satellite data from the Terra and Aqua satellites can use the software to process data from MODIS, AIRS, AMSU, and AMSR-E to create useful products for local real-time applications. US users include:

- US National Weather Service
   NASA SPORT
- US Forest Service
- NOAA Coast Watch
- Naval Research Lab
- Env. Protection Agency

Direct Broadcast Satellite Seminar training workshops are conducted worldwide. Information on the workshops can be found at <a href="http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/dbs">http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/dbs</a>.







#### IMAPP software freely available at http://cimss.ssec.wisc.edu/imapp:

#### **MODIS Products**

- MODIS Level 1B Infrared Band **Destriping Software**
- MODIS Level 2 Atmosphere and Polar Products
- MODIS Surface Reflectance
- MODIS DB BRDF

#### **AIRS and AMSU Products**

- AIRS/AMSU/HSB Retrievals
- UW-Madision AIRS, CrIS and IASI Dual Regression Single FOV Retrieval Package
- UW-Madison MODIS/AIRS Collocation, AIRS Cloud Mask and AIRS All Sky Single FOV Retrieval Package
- AIRS Level 1B HDFEOS to BUFR Utility

#### **AMSR-E Products (archive only)**

- AMSR-E Calibration and Geolocation
- AMSR-E Rain Rate and Rain Type
- AMSR-E Soil Moisture
- AMSR-E Snow Water Equivalent

#### **Aviation Products**

MODIS Overshooting Tops Aviation Weather Support

#### **NWP Products**

DBCRAS NWP Software Assimilating **IMAPP MODIS Level 2 Products** 

#### **Virtual Appliance**

IMAPP Virtual Appliance

#### **Air Quality Forecasting Products**

IDEA-I Aerosol and Ozone Air Quality Forecast Support

#### **Visualization and Analysis Tools**

- HYDRA2 Multipsectral Visulaization and Analysis Toolkit
- Polar2Grid Reprojection and **GeoTIFF Creation**
- Web Mapping Service (WMS) for GeoTIFF display
- MODIS Direct Broadcast Google Earth (DBGE)

Aqua earth image from http://sos.noaa.gov

## Recent Software Updates and Releases

## **MODIS Level 2 Atmosphere** and Polar Products

The MODIS Level 2 V3.0 software update uses NASA Collection 6 and University of Wisconsin science algorithms to create products which include:

- cloud mask
- cloud top properties
- atmospheric profiles
- aerosol optical depth
- sea surface temperature
- snow mask
- ice mask
- ice concentration and temperature
- inversion depth and strength

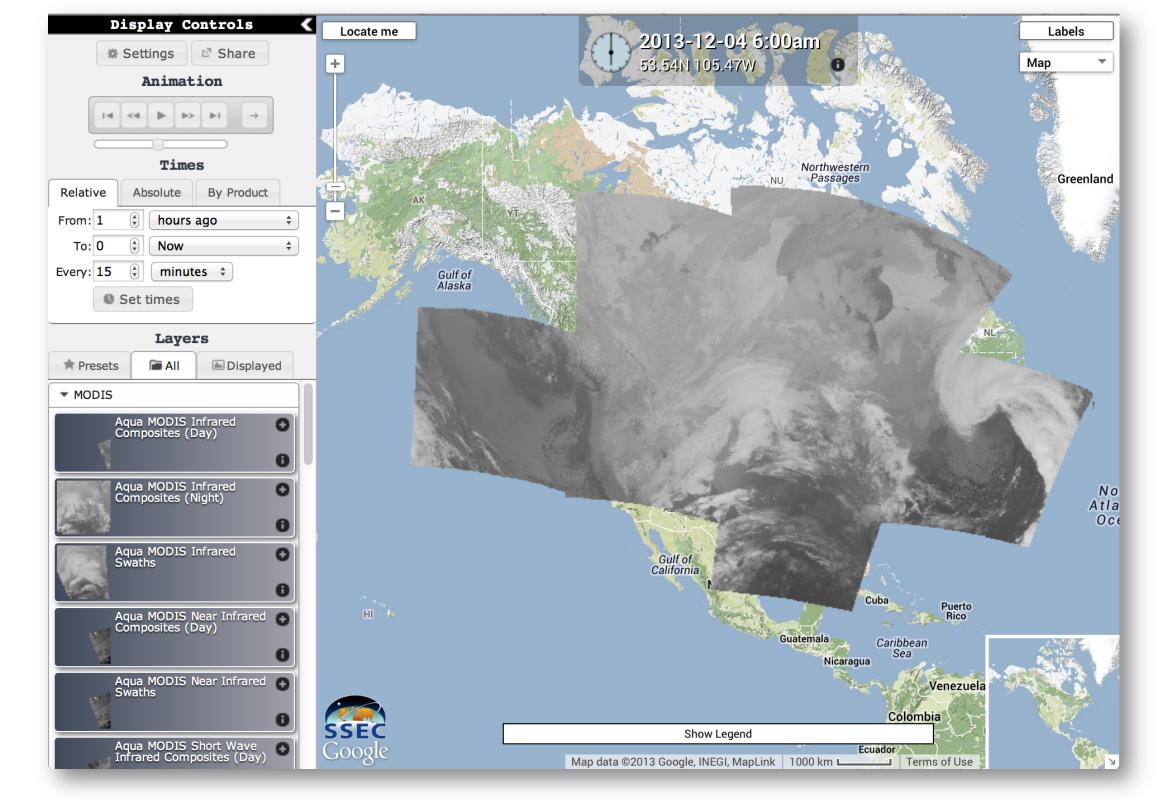
MODIS Level 2 V3.1, to be released soon, will also create cloud optical properties products.

## **IMAPP Virtual Appliance**

The IMAPP Virtual Appliance is an automated processing system for MODIS, AIRS, and AMSR-E data. It is easy to install and run on many platforms including Microsoft (7, Vista, XP), Apple OSX and Intel Linux. The latest version is 64 bit and no longer supports AMSR-E since it is no longer operational.

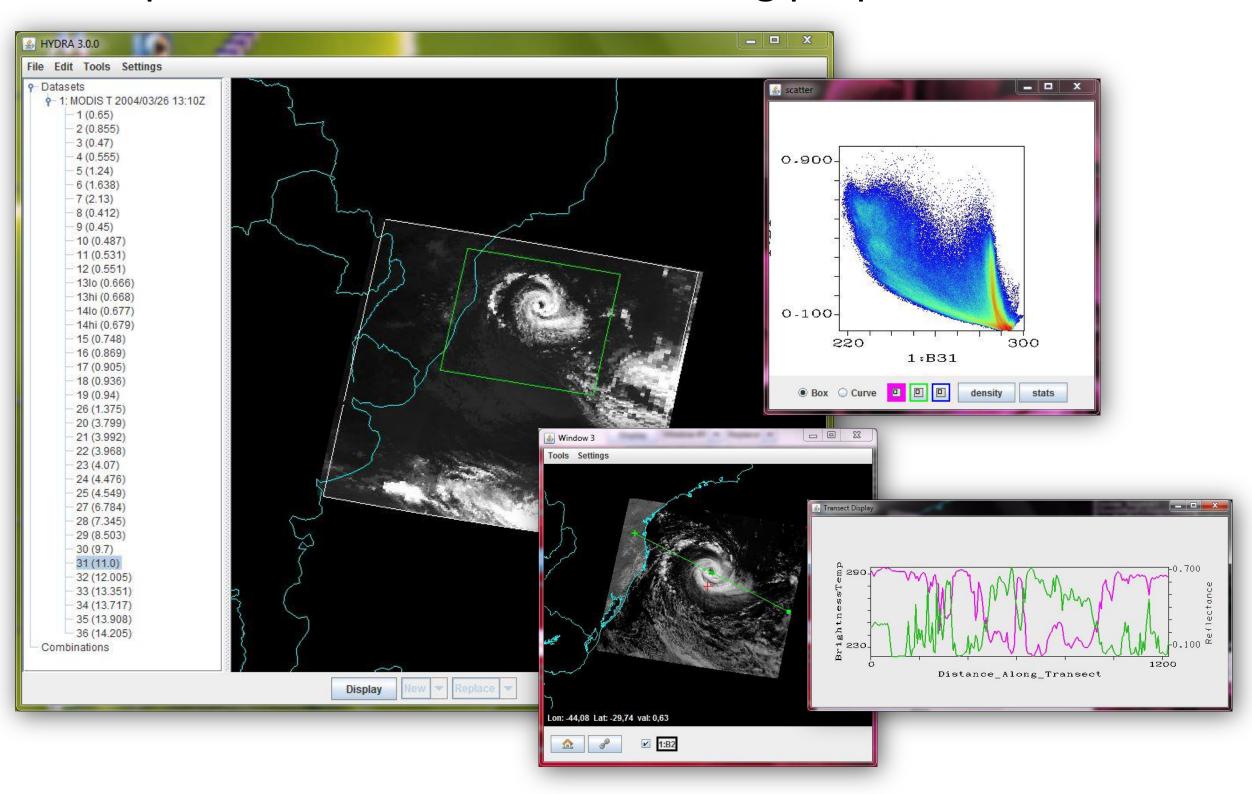
### Web Mapping Service (WMS)

The WMS is used to display meteorological data on the web in a Google Earth interface, including MODIS direct broadcast GeoTIFFs, which can be created using the IMAPP Polar2Grid software.



## **HYDRA2** Multispectral Data Display and Analysis Toolkit

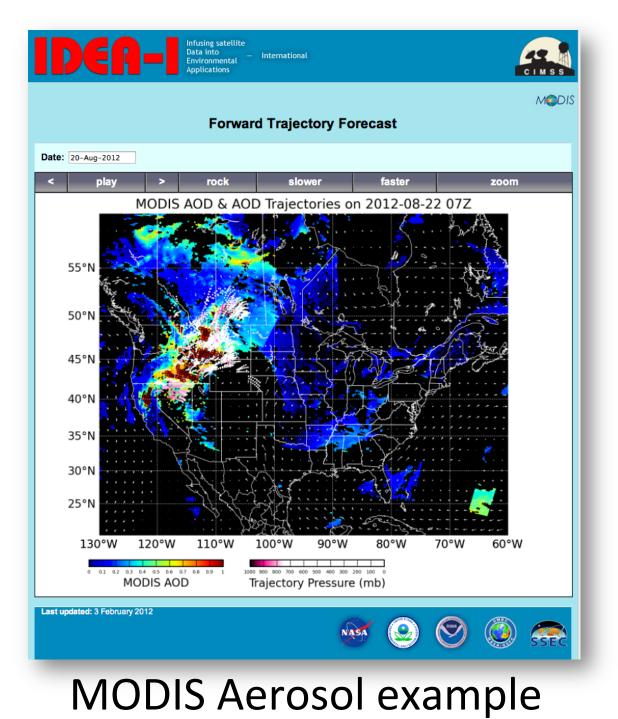
HYDRA2 can be used for interrogating data from the Aqua, Terra, and JPSS S-NPP satellite instruments for research, development or education and training purposes.

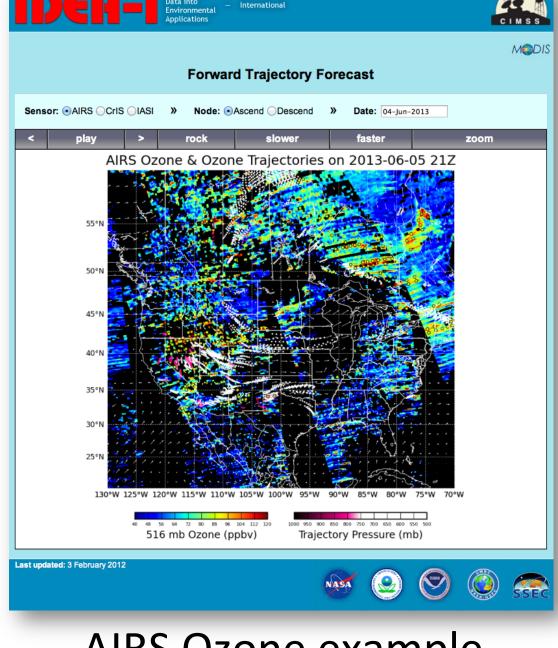


Above are examples from a Servicio Meteorlógico Nacional of Argentina training course in remote sensing using HYDRA2.

## **IDEA-I Aerosol and Ozone Air Quality Forecasting**

The Infusing Satellite Data into Environmental Applications – International (IDEA-I) software produces 48 hour 3dimensional trajectory forecasts for satellite-detected aerosols and stratospheric intrusions of ozone. IDEA-I Aerosol uses MODIS aerosol optical depth and IDEA-I Ozone supports AIRS, CrIS, and IASI retrievals.





AIRS Ozone example