

Modeling Report for a BART Assessment of the Big Stone I Coal-Fired Power Plant, Big Stone City, South Dakota

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1. INTRODUCTION

TRC Environmental Corporation has conducted a site-specific BART (Best Available Retrofit Technology) modeling assessment of the Big Stone I coal-fired power plant facility located near Milbank and Big Stone City in South Dakota to determine if this facility is subject to BART controls on emissions. This report is a modeling assessment of baseline impacts from the Big Stone I power plant facility to determine whether the Big Stone I cyclone-fired boiler is subject to BART.

On July 6, 2005 the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) published in the Federal Register the “Regional Haze Regulations and Guidelines for Best Available Retrofit Technology (BART) Determinations” (40 CFR Part 51). The regional haze rule requires States to submit implementation plans (SIPs) to address regional haze visibility impairment in 156 Federally-protected parks and wilderness areas, commonly referred to as “Class 1 Areas”. The final rule addresses BART-eligible sources, which are defined as sources that have the potential to emit 250 tons or more of a visibility-impairing air pollutant, were put in place between August 7, 1962 and August 7, 1977 and whose operations fall within one or more of 26 specifically listed source categories, of which Coal-Fired Power Plants are one.

In January 2009, a modeling protocol was submitted by TRC for the Big Stone I BART modeling based on the use of fine scale meteorological modeling, MM5 data and hourly surface meteorological observations. In response to comments received from Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Federal Land Managers (FLMs), a revised protocol was submitted in June 2009, proposing the use of higher resolution MM5 data with the EPA-recommended modeling input parameters. Based on further discussions with EPA, the FLMs and South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), subsequent revisions were made to the June protocol on August 31, 2009. DENR approved the revised protocol in a letter dated September 18, 2009. The modeling described in this report is consistent with the DENR’s approved protocol (except as noted below) and is based on the emissions data described in the June 2009 TRC protocol along with the August 2009 revisions to incorporate EPA-recommended model switch settings and meteorological configuration. The exceptions to the protocol include the use of MNITRATE=0 instead of MNITRATE=1 in POSTUTIL for the baseline runs and the use of MNITRATE=3 for a set of alternative runs. See Section 3.4 for a more detail discussion. Also, the variable IUTMZN referred to in the EPA-recommended list of variables was not assigned because that variable is not used when using a Lambert Conformal projection.

The purpose of the modeling is to assess the visibility impacts of sulfur dioxide (SO₂), particulate matter (PM) and nitrogen oxides (NO_x) emissions from the Big Stone I boiler and compare the impacts to the 0.5 change in deciview threshold at all the federally mandatory Class I areas. Since there is no Class I area within the 300 km radius usually applied, the South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources requested that the Class I areas between 300 km and up to 625 km away from the Big Stone I facility sources be modeled. A total of eight Class I areas are located between these distances: two wilderness areas: Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness

and Rainbow Lake Wilderness, one National Wildlife Refuge (NWR): Lostwood and five National Parks: Voyageurs NP, Theodore Roosevelt NP, Badlands NP, Wind Cave NP and Isle Royale NP. However, Rainbow Lake Wilderness is one of two Class I areas where the visibility analysis is not required (<http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/aw/air/modeling/psd.htm>), so it is not included in the modeling analysis. The MM5 datasets distributed by WRAP did not extend far enough in the East to include the Isle Royale NP or cover all of the Boundary Waters Class I area. The re-extracted MM5 data for 2002 and new MM5 domains for 2006 and 2007 include these areas.

The CALMET and CALPUFF non-steady-state models (Scire et al., 2000a,b) are recommended by the U.S. EPA (*Federal Register*, 6 July 2005) to perform source-specific subject-to-BART screening. The CALPUFF system was therefore used for this modeling analysis. The U.S. EPA has promulgated the CALPUFF modeling system as a *Guideline Model* for Class I impact assessments and other long range transport applications or near field applications involving complex flows (U.S. EPA, 2000), and the model is recommended by both the Federal Land Managers (FLM) Air Quality Workgroup (FLAG, 2000) and the Interagency Workgroup on Air Quality Modeling (IWAQM, 1998). The CALPUFF modeling system is also recommended in new proposed guidance by the FLMs (FLAG, 2008). On August 31, 2009 EPA issued new recommendations on CALMET switch settings. The current modeling is based on the August 2009 recommendations.

The Big Stone I BART modeling analysis was performed with the EPA-approved Version 5.8 of the CALMET and CALPUFF models. Version 6.221 of CALPOST was used because it contains the FLM-approved implementation of Method 8 (FLAG, 2008), but in other respects is identical to the EPA-approved Version 5.6394.

CALMET is a diagnostic meteorological model that produces three-dimensional wind fields based on parameterized treatments of terrain effects such as slope flows and terrain blocking effects. Normally, meteorological observations are blended with gridded data from the NCAR-PSU Mesoscale Model, Version 5 (MM5). For this evaluation, MM5 data were generated by TRC with a 12-km grid spacing for two years (2006 and 2007) to define the initial guess wind fields. For 2002, 12-km MM5 data were re-extracted from the EPA MM5 dataset to cover entire region including the Isle Royale NP to the east.

CALPUFF is a non-steady-state puff dispersion model. It accounts for spatial changes in the CALMET-produced meteorological fields, variability in surface conditions (elevation, surface roughness, vegetation type, etc.), chemical transformation, wet removal due to rain and snow, dry deposition, and terrain influences on plume interaction with the surface. CALPUFF contains a module to compute visibility effects, based on a humidity-dependent relationship between particulate matter concentrations and light extinction, as well as wet and dry acid deposition fluxes. The meteorological and dispersion modeling simulations were conducted for three years (2002, 2006 and 2007). SO₂, SO₄, PM, and NO_x, emissions and their secondary products resulting from chemical conversions from the Big Stone I facility were modeled and their impacts on visibility evaluated at receptors in the Class I areas. Visibility impacts were estimated with the new

FLM-recommended visibility algorithm and monthly average relative humidity adjustment factors (Method 8 in Version 6.221).

This report outlines the techniques and data sources used in the BART analyses. In Section 2, a general description of the source configuration is provided. Descriptions of the site characteristics and data bases (meteorological, geophysical, and aerometric) are provided in Section 3. Section 4 includes an overview of the CALMET and CALPUFF models settings and parameters that were used in the analysis. The results are summarized in Section 5.

2. SOURCE DESCRIPTION

The 450-megawatt Big Stone I facility is a coal-fired power plant situated close to Big Stone City and Milbank in Grant County, South Dakota, at the border of Minnesota State. A BART applicability analysis was completed for the facility to determine those sources subject to the BART controls. The BART-eligible source is the Big Stone I cyclone-fired boiler with one stack 152 meters (498 feet) high.

The proposed emissions for the BART analysis were described in a Modeling Protocol dated June 2009. These emissions were reviewed and approved by SD DENR. Table 2-1 shows the source parameters and emission rates for the source considered in this report. The highest 24-hour average actual emission rates of SO₂, NO_x and PM under normal conditions over the 2001-2003 period were used for this analysis. As shown in Table 2-2, the filterable PM₁₀ are divided into a particle size distribution based on AP-42, Table 1.1-6 for baghouse controlled emissions because the facility currently uses a fabric filter for PM control. Approximately 57.6% of the filterable mass is in the fine (PM_{2.5}) size category, and 42.4% in the coarse (2.5 to 10 µm diameter) size range. Each of the particle size categories was modeled as a separate PM species in CALPUFF. The filterable PM₁₀ emission rate is reported by the facility at 10.48 g/s (83.2 lb/hr). Based on AP-42 Table 1.1-5, the total condensable PM₁₀ is approximately 0.01 lb/mmBtu based on approximately 0.4% sulfur coal or 7.07 g/sec (56.1 lb/hr) assuming an heat input of 5609 mmBtu/hr. This estimate is consistent with the stack test data (August, 2006) at Otter Tail Power's Hoot Lake Plant, Unit 2, (which burns PRB coal) where the ratio of the filterable/total PM₁₀ was 0.66, resulting in a 2/3 filterable and 1/3 condensable split to the total PM₁₀.¹

Elemental Carbon (EC) emissions were assumed to be 3.7% of the fine filterable fraction based on U.S. EPA (2002) and were assigned to the smallest particle size category. The primary H₂SO₄ emissions are 0.454 g/s (3.604 lb/hr) based on annual emission inventories and Toxic Release Inventory reports. The remaining condensable emissions were assigned to organic carbon and distributed equally into the two smallest particle size categories.

Table 2-3 provides a summary of the PM₁₀ speciation and size distribution.

Note that since all Class I areas are more than 50 km away from the facility, as recommended by the Federal Land Managers (FLMs) (US Fish and Wildlife, National Park Service and U.S. Forest Service), no downwash computations was performed.

¹ AP-42 Table 1.1-8 was not used to estimate the particulate matter size distribution for Big Stone I because the emission factors were derived for cyclones burning bituminous coal, not sub-bituminous coal which is burned at Big Stone I.

Table 2-1: Point Source Parameters and Emission Rates

Source	LCC ¹ East (km)	LCC ¹ North (km)	Stack Ht (m)	Base Elevation (m)	Stack Diameter (m)	Exit Velocity (m/s)	Exit Temp. (K)	SO ₂ Emission Rate (g/s)	H ₂ SO ₄ Emission Rate (g/s)	NO _x Emission Rate (g/s)	Filterable PM ₁₀ Emission Rate (g/s)	Condensable PM ₁₀ Emission Rate (g/s)
Main Stack	38.141	587.875	151.79	328.90	7.37	20.14	423.00	608.9	0.454	611.7	10.48	7.07

¹ Lambert Conformal Projection with an origin of 40.0N, 97.0W and standard parallels at 33N and 45N. Datum is NWS-84.

Table 2-2: PM₁₀ Size Distribution¹

Particle Size ² (μm)	Cumulative Mass (PM) (%)	Cumulative Mass (PM ₁₀) (%)
15	97	-
10	92	100
6	77	83.7
2.5	53	57.6
1.25	31	33.7
1.00	25	27.2

¹ From AP-42, Table 1.1-6, Cumulative particle size distribution and size-specific emission factors for dry bottom boilers burning pulverized bituminous and subbituminous coal.

² Expressed as aerodynamic equivalent diameter.

Table 2-3: PM₁₀ Speciation and Size Distribution

input Data:								H ₂ SO ₄	PM ₁₀	PM _{2.5}		
								g/s	g/s	g/s		
PM ₁₀ and H ₂ SO ₄ Emissions (g/s)								0.454	17.550	13.106		
	filterable							condensable				
condensable %	59.7%							40.3%				
	g/s							g/s				
	10.480							7.070				
								non H₂SO₄ condensable				
								g/s				
								6.616				
	AP-42, Table 1.1-6											
	coarse	coarse	soil	soil	soil	soil	EC	H ₂ SO ₄	OC	OC	IC (soil)	IC (soil)
	PM800	PM425	PM187	PM112	PM081	PM056	PM056		PM081	PM056	PM081	PM056
	6.00 - 10.00	2.50-6.00	1.25-2.50	1.00-1.25	0.625-1.00	0.50-0.625	0.50-0.625		0.625-1.00	0.50-0.625	0.625-1.00	0.50-0.625
	16.3%	26.1%	23.9%	6.5%	12.0%	15.2%	57.6%		50.0%	50.0%	50.0%	50.0%
EC % of filterable	96.3%							3.7%	100%		0%	
inorganic % of condensable	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s		
	1.708	2.735	2.412	0.656	1.211	1.534	0.223	0.454	3.308	3.308		
	inputs to POSTUTIL:											
Extinction coefficient	0.6	0.6	1	1	1	1	10	3*f(RH)	4	4		
	coarse	coarse	soil	soil	soil	soil	EC	H₂SO₄	OC	OC		
	PM800	PM425	PM187	PM112	PM081	PM056	PM056		PM081	PM056		
	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s	g/s		
	1.708	2.735	2.412	0.656	1.211	1.534	0.223	0.454	3.308	3.308		

3. GEOPHYSICAL AND METEOROLOGICAL DATA

The South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources requested that the eight Class I areas shown in Figure 3-1 be considered in the BART analysis. Rainbow Lake Wilderness is one of two Class I areas where the visibility analysis is not required so it has been removed from the present analysis (see <http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/aw/air/modeling/psd.htm>). The MM5 dataset for this analysis were extended to include the Isle Royale National Park as well as all of the Boundary Waters Class I area.

3.1 Terrain

The topography of the domain area consists of terrain increasing toward the southwest from approximately 300 meters at the facility to 900 meters at Badlands NP and 1200 meters at Wind Cave NP, resulting in 900 meters (~3,000 feet) of terrain relief. The terrain relief also increases towards the northeast. The terrain gets mountainous on the west side of the facility near Badlands and Wind Cave National Parks.

Gridded terrain elevations for the refined modeling domain were derived from 3 arc-second digital elevation models (DEMs) produced by the United States Geological Survey (USGS). Data are provided in files covering 1 degree by 1 degree blocks of latitude and longitude. The 1-degree DEMs are produced by the Defense Mapping Agency using cartographic and photographic sources. USGS 1:250,000 scale topographic maps are the primary source of 1-degree DEMs.

One degree DEM data consists of an array of 1201 by 1201 elevations referenced on the geographic (latitude/longitude) coordinate system of the World Geodetic System 1972 Datum. Elevations are in meters relative to mean sea level, and the spacing of the elevations along each profile is 3 arc-seconds, which corresponds to a spacing of approximately 90 meters. For the North part of the east domain and north west domain covering the south side of Manitoba and Ontario, Canada, SRTM-3 data with also an approximate resolution of 90 meters were used.

The MM5 simulations conducted at 12-km grid spacing covering the modeling domain were used as initial guess field. CALMET was run at the 4-km resolution.

The USGS elevation records located within each grid cell in the computational domain are averaged to produce a mean elevation at each grid point. The CALPUFF computational domain is the same as the CALMET domain. The CALMET and CALPUFF domains extend at least 50 km beyond the Class I areas in order to provide an adequate buffer zone at the boundaries, and to allow the effects of flow curvature and possible small-scale recirculation to be evaluated.

3.2 Land Use

The Composite Theme Grid (CTG) land use data from the USGS, at a resolution of approximately 90m were processed to produce gridded fields of dominant land use categories for each grid cell. For the northern part of the domain covering Canada (south part of Manitoba and Ontario), 900 meters Global USGS land use data were also incorporated using a mesh density for sampling of 2.

Land use data are first processed to produce fractional land use categories. The 37 USGS land use categories are then mapped into 14 CALMET land use categories. Surface properties such as albedo, Bowen ratio, roughness length, and leaf area index are computed proportionally to the fractional land use. The USGS land use categories are described in Table 3-1. Table 3-2 displays the 14 CALMET land use categories and their associated geophysical parameters. Figure 3-2 shows the dominant land use categories used in the modeling.

3.3 Meteorological Data Base

The CALMET model has the ability to assimilate meteorological information from surface stations, precipitation stations, buoy data and upper air stations. Specifically, CALMET uses surface observations of wind speed, wind direction, temperature, cloud cover, ceiling height, surface pressure, relative humidity, and precipitation type (e.g., snow, rain, etc.). These variables are routinely measured at the National Weather Service (NWS) surface stations and were directly included on an hourly basis into CALMET. Upper air observations however are only available twice-daily at a few stations throughout the domain. The locations of the upper air stations in and around the region of interest, and used in the modeling, are displayed in Figure 3-3.

The surface, buoy and precipitation stations that were included in the modeling are displayed in Figure 3-4. For 2002, there are 272 surface stations, 2 buoys and 265 precipitation stations available with similar numbers in 2006 and 2007. Observed cloud cover and ceiling height from the surface meteorological stations were used in the analysis.

The three-dimensional gridded data from the prognostic numerical model MM5 with nested grids of 36-km, 12-km grid spacing were generated by TRC for 2006 and 2007. Information about the MM5 model configuration and an evaluation of model performance are provided in Appendix B.

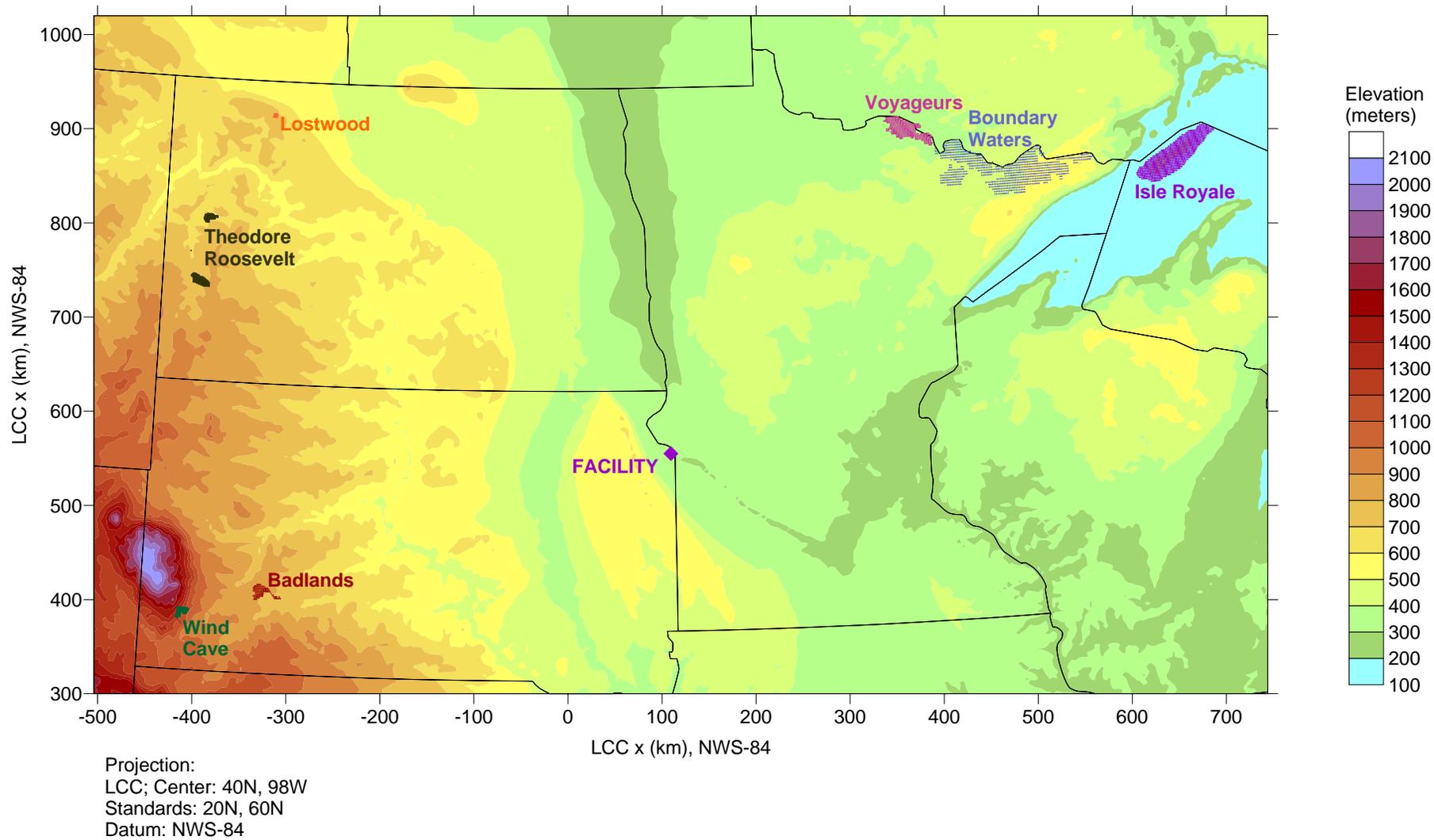


Figure 3-1. Terrain elevations for the CALMET and CALPUFF modeling domain at 4 km resolution. The locations of the Big Stone facility and Class I areas are also shown.

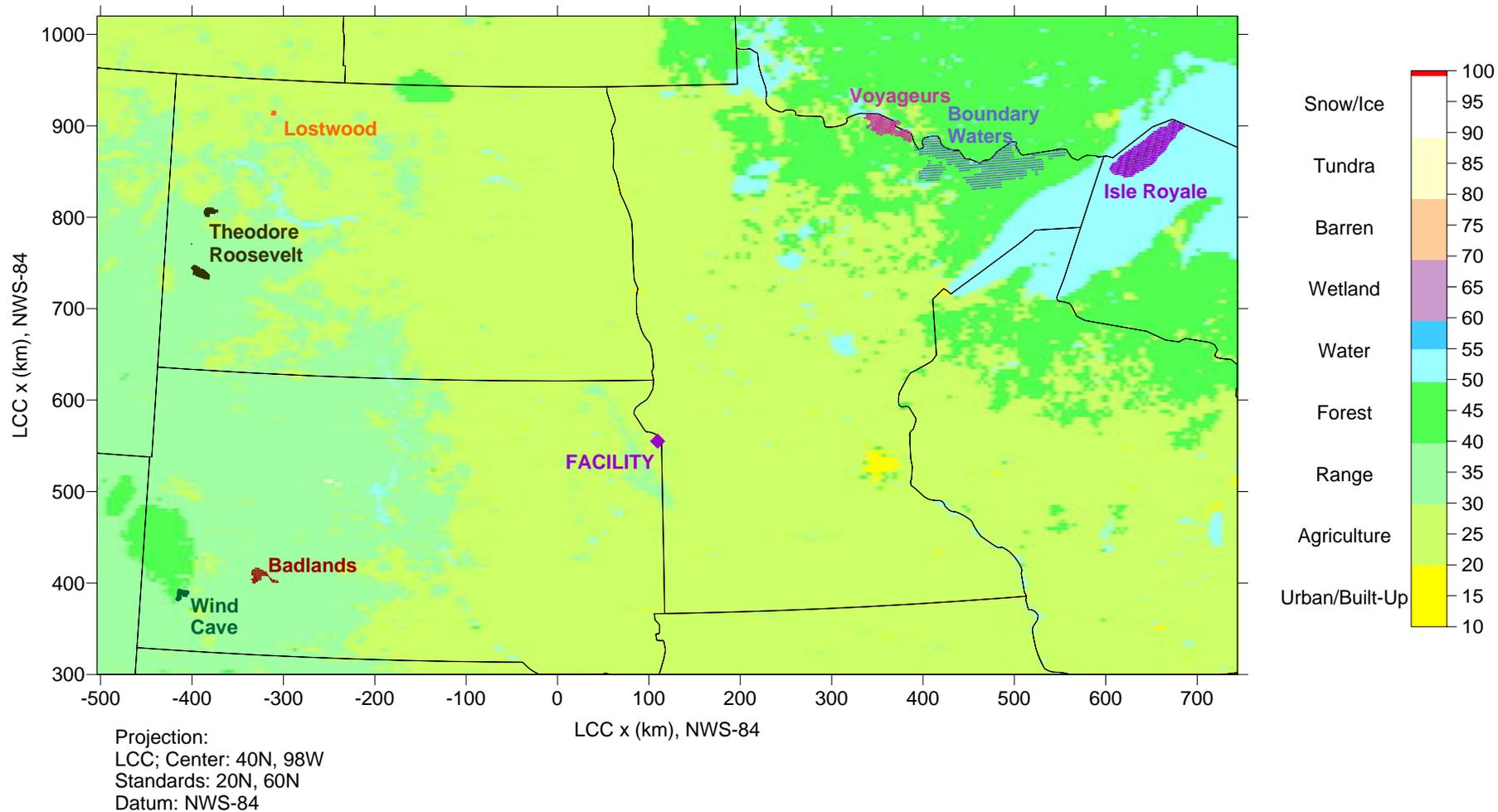


Figure 3-2. Dominant land use categories at 4 km resolution on the CALMET and CALPUFF modeling domains. The locations of the Big Stone facility and Class I areas are also shown.

Table 3-1: U.S. Geological Survey Land Use and Land Cover Classification System

	Level I		Level II
10	Urban or Built-up Land	11 12 13 14 15 16 17	Residential Commercial and Services Industrial Transportation, Communications and Utilities Industrial and Commercial Complexes Mixed Urban or Built-up Land Other Urban or Built-up Land
20	Agricultural Land	21 22 23 24	Cropland and Pasture Orchards, Groves, Vineyards, Nurseries, and Ornamental Horticultural Areas Confined Feeding Operations Other Agricultural Land
30	Rangeland	31 32 33	Herbaceous Rangeland Shrub and Brush Rangeland Mixed Rangeland
40	Forest Land	41 42 43	Deciduous Forest Land Evergreen Forest Land Mixed Forest Land
50	Water	51 52 53 54 55	Streams and Canals Lakes Reservoirs Bays and Estuaries Oceans and Seas
60	Wetland	61 62	Forested Wetland Non-Forested Wetland
70	Barren Land	71 72 73 74 75 76 77	Dry Salt Flats Beaches Sandy Areas Other than Beaches Bare Exposed Rock Strip Mines, Quarries, and Gravel Pits Transitional Areas Mixed Barren Land
80	Tundra	81 82 83 84 85	Shrub and Brush Tundra Herbaceous Tundra Bare Ground Wet Tundra Mixed Tundra
90	Perennial Snow or Ice	91 92	Perennial Snowfields Glaciers

Table 3-2. Default CALMET Land Use Categories and Associated Geophysical Parameters based on the U.S. Geological Survey Land Use Classification System (14-Category System)

<u>Land Use Type</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Surface Roughness (m)</u>	<u>Albedo</u>	<u>Bowen Ratio</u>	<u>Soil Heat Flux Parameter</u>	<u>Anthropogenic Heat Flux (W/m²)</u>	<u>Leaf Area Index</u>
10	Urban or Built-up Land	1.0	0.18	1.5	.25	0.0	0.2
20	Agricultural Land - Unirrigated	0.25	0.15	1.0	.15	0.0	3.0
-20*	Agricultural Land - Irrigated	0.25	0.15	0.5	.15	0.0	3.0
30	Rangeland	0.05	0.25	1.0	.15	0.0	0.5
40	Forest Land	1.0	0.10	1.0	.15	0.0	7.0
50	Water	0.001	0.10	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
54	Small Water Body	0.001	0.10	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
55	Large Water Body	0.001	0.10	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0
60	Wetland	1.0	0.10	0.5	.25	0.0	2.0
61	Forested Wetland	1.0	0.1	0.5	0.25	0.0	2.0
62	Nonforested Wetland	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.25	0.0	1.0
70	Barren Land	0.05	0.30	1.0	.15	0.0	0.05
80	Tundra	.20	0.30	0.5	.15	0.0	0.0
90	Perennial Snow or Ice	.05	0.70	0.5	.15	0.0	0.0

* Negative values indicate "irrigated" land use

Table 3-3. Meteorological Data Sources and Parameters Available

Type of Dataset	Frequency	Source	Parameters available
Surface Observations	Hourly	NWS	Wind speed, wind direction, temperature, ceiling height, cloud cover, relative humidity, surface pressure, precipitation type
Upper Air	Twice-daily	NWS/NCDC	Soundings of wind speed, wind direction, temperature, and pressure
Precipitation Observations	Hourly	NWS	Precipitation rate
Buoy	Hourly	NWS/NCDC	Air-sea surface temperature difference, air temperature, relative humidity, overwater mixing height, temperature lapse rate below the mixing height overwater, temperature lapse rate above the mixing height overwater, wind speed, wind direction, dominant wave period, significant wave height
Modeled Profiles MM5 for 2002, 2006 and 2007	Hourly	EPA – 2002 TRC - 2006, 2007	Hourly, gridded fields of winds, temperature, pressure, and humidity and liquid water content on 12-km grid.

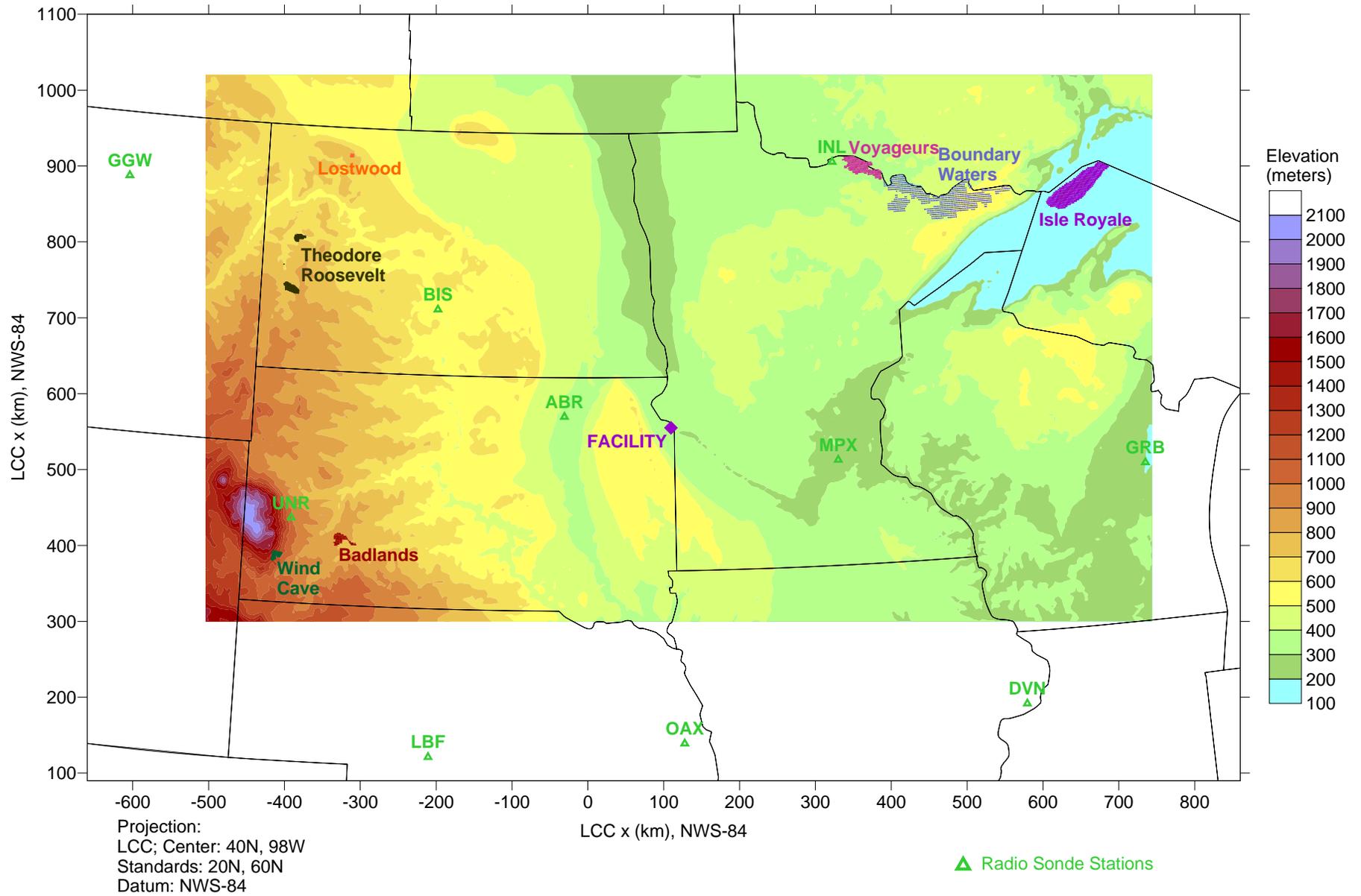


Figure 3-3. Plot of upper air stations available in the modeling domain.

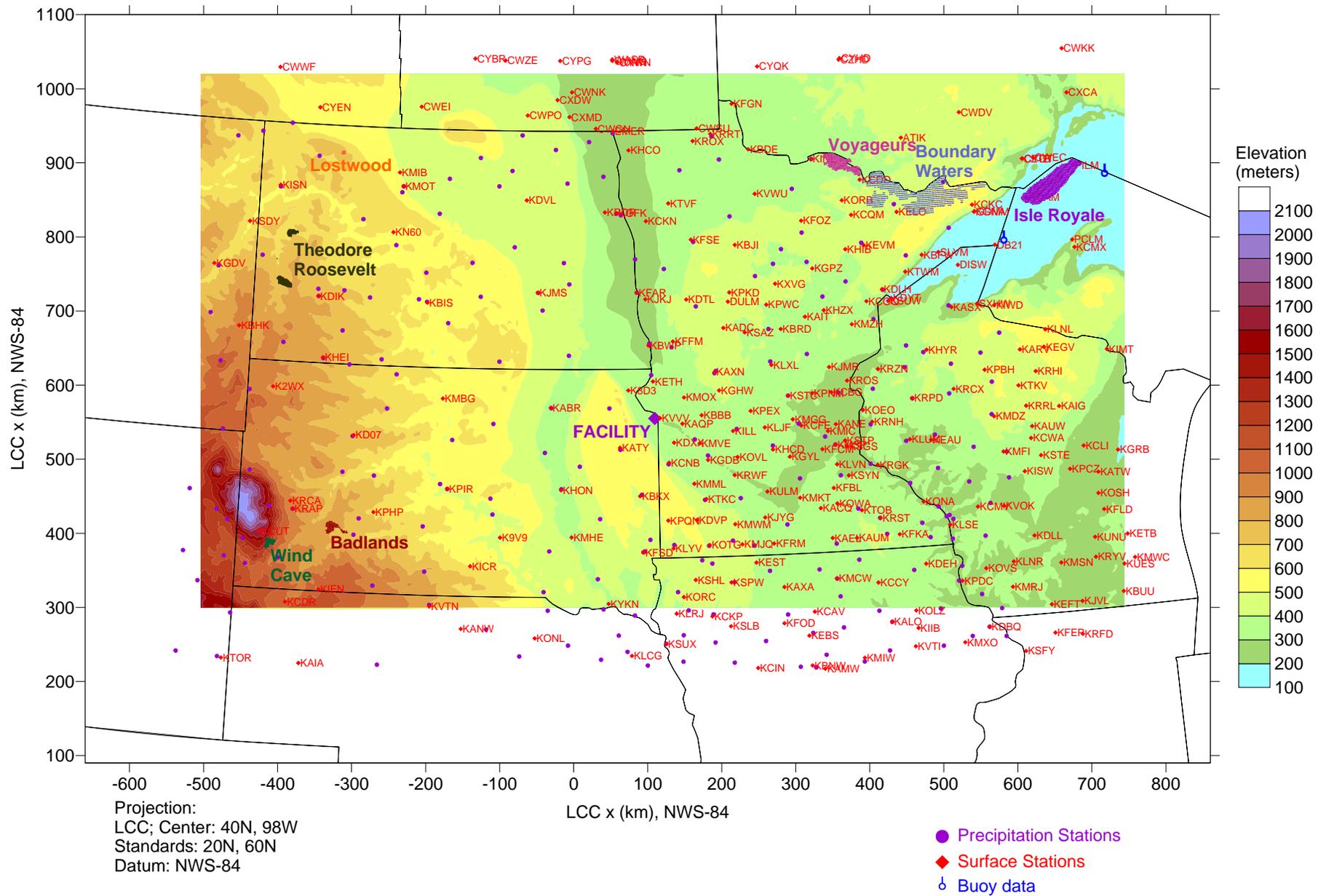


Figure 3-4. Plot of surface and precipitation stations available in the modeling domain.

3.4 Air Quality Monitoring Data

CALPUFF used hourly ozone concentration measurements in the chemical transformation rates (SO_2 to SO_4 , NO_x to HNO_3/NO_3). The ambient ozone measurements are used in determining SO_2 loss rates due to chemical transformation to sulfate and in determining NO_x loss rates to nitrate. Ambient ozone hourly concentrations from EPA AIRS and CASTNet networks for 2002, 2006 and 2007 were processed into OZONE.DAT files and used as ozone background in CALPUFF. An 80 parts per billion (ppb) concentration was used as backup when hourly ozone concentrations are missing, which given the number of ozone stations was unlikely to be used.

A constant background ammonia concentration of 1 parts per billion (ppb) as recommended by the FLMs and EPA was used in the CALPUFF runs. No additional repartitioning was done on the nitrate concentrations in the base simulations (MNITRATE=0). This may produce some double-counting of ammonia in the calculation of nitrate, but any differences are likely to be small.

Additional postprocessing was conducted using POSTUTIL for an alternative case based on the full ammonia limiting method (MNITRATE=3) using background monthly average sulfate, total nitrate and total ammonia data from the 2002 CMAQ model. This option accounts for both overlapping puffs from the modeled source as well as spatial and monthly variability of ammonia and background sulfate and nitrate from sources not included in the CALPUFF simulations. The results from these simulations are also presented in Section 5.

4. AIR QUALITY MODELING OPTIONS

4.1 Modeling Domain

CALMET and CALPUFF use terrain-following coordinates. In order to cover a large enough area for the refined analysis covering all seven Class I areas within a single domain, and including a buffer of at least 50 km around each Class I area, the domain dimensions of 1250 km x 720 km were used. For a 4-km grid spacing, this amounts to 313 x 181 grid cells. In the vertical, a stretched grid was used with finer resolution in the lower layers and somewhat coarser resolution aloft thus allowing adequate representation of the mixed layer. The ten vertical levels were centered at: 10, 30, 60, 120, 240, 480, 920, 1600, 2500 and 3500 meters.

CALMET and CALPUFF were run for three years, 2002, 2006 and 2007. A network of discrete receptors derived from the list of receptors developed by the National Park Service (NPS) are located within the boundaries of the seven Class I areas modeled: Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness, Voyageurs National Park, Badlands National Park, Wind Cave National Park, Lostwood National Wildlife Refuge, Theodore Roosevelt National Park and Isle Royale National Park.

4.2 Meteorological Modeling Options

4-km Simulation. EPA-approved Version 5.8 Level 070623 of CALMET was run using the recommended switch settings from U.S. EPA (2009). This includes using the regulatory set of options, including Maul-Carson convective mixing height over land only (IMIXH= - 1), OCD delta-T method for overwater fluxes (ICOARE=0), and no convective heat flux threshold overland (THRESHL= 0 W/m³). These values of IMIXH, ICOARE and THRESHL, differ from the settings in the CALMET input files provided for sources located in South Dakota state on the WRAP Regional Modeling Center web page <http://pah.cert.ucr.edu/aqm/308/bart.shtml>, but follow regulatory guidance set by EPA. In addition, NOOBS was set to 0 in this application rather than 1 as in the WRAP CALMET inputs.

Initial Guess Field

MM5 data were used to define the initial guess field for the CALMET simulations (IPROG=14). For all three years hourly MM5 data with a grid spacing of 12 km were used in the modeling. The CALMET horizontal grid spacing was set to 4 km.

CALMET runs were conducted using the traditional model options including diagnostic adjustments for terrain effects, with the typical 2:1 ratio of RMAX1/R1 and RMAX2/R2. In these simulations RMAX1=100 km, RMAX2=200 km, R1=50 km and R2=100 km were used. This is consistent with the U.S. EPA (2009) recommendations. NOOBS=0 was used in the 4-km simulations. Precipitation rates were determined based on precipitation station measurements. Cloud amount and ceiling height were derived from the surface station measurements. Overwater air-sea temperature difference were derived from the buoy data (ITWPROG=0). Three-dimensional temperature fields were determined from surface and upper air observations (ITPROG=0).

Step 1 Field: Terrain Effects

In developing the Step 1 wind field, CALMET adjusts the initial guess field to terrain effects, including slope flows and blocking effects. Slope flows are a function of the local slope and altitude of the nearest crest. The crest is defined as the highest peak within a radius TERRAD around each grid point. A value of TERRAD of 15 km was used in the CALMET simulations as it is recommended by the U.S. EPA (2009) and in agreement with an analysis of the scale of the terrain. The Step 1 field produces a flow field consistent with the fine-scale CALMET terrain resolution (4 km).

Step 2 Field: Objective Analysis

In Step 2, observations are incorporated into the Step 1 wind field to produce a final wind field. Each observation site influences the final wind field within a radius of influence (parameters RMAX1 at the surface, RMAX2 aloft and RMAX3 over water). Observations and Step 1 wind fields are weighted by means of parameters R1 at the surface and R2 aloft: at a distance R1 from an observation site, the Step 1 wind field and the surface observations are weighted equally. As noted above, RMAX1/R1 and RMAX2/R2 are set with 2:1 ratio. Vertical extrapolation for the surface meteorological stations was activated (IEXTRP=-4), which is in agreement with the U.S. EPA (2009) recommendations. This setting insures that the surface observations, vertically extrapolated within the boundary layer, are blended with the MM5-based Step 1 field aloft.

4.2 Dispersion Modeling Options

CALPUFF simulations was conducted generally following the WRAP Protocol 2006 guidance, but with the EPA-approved Version 5.8 Level 070623 rather than Version 6 of the model. List of options used in the modeling includes:

- Gaussian near-field vertical distribution
- Partial plume path adjustment method for terrain
- Transitional plume rise modeled
- Partial plume penetration of elevated inversion option activated
- Stack tip downwash
- MESOPUFF II scheme for the chemical transformation
- Pasquill-Gifford (PG) dispersion coefficients (rural areas) and McElroy-Pooler coefficients (urban areas) used to compute dispersion coefficients. The probability density function (PDF) for convective conditions not used because this is available only with the turbulence-based dispersion option.
- Transition of σ_y to time-dependent (Heffter) growth rates set to 550 meters
- The switch for using Heffter equation for sigma z not activated
- PG sigma-y, z adjustment for roughness not selected
- Puff splitting (MSPLIT=1) activated
- Wet deposition, dry deposition applied
- The minimum turbulence velocities sigma-v for each stability class set to 0.5 m/s over land and 0.37 m/s over water.

The CALPUFF computational grid is the same as the meteorological grid. The modeling domain includes a buffer zone of 50 km around the source area and beyond the borders of the Class I areas. This minimizes edge effects and allows pollutants involved in flow reversals to be brought back into the Class I areas. Note that the CALMET modeling domain from previous studies was extended to include the Isle Royale National Park.

Two important computational parameters in CALPUFF are XMXLEN (maximum length of an emitted puff, in grid units) and XSAMLEN (maximum travel distance of a puff, in grid units, during one time step). Both of these variables were set to 1.0 in the CALPUFF simulations in order to allow the strong wind channeling effects to be accounted for in the puff trajectory calculations. The first parameter ensures that the length of an emitted puff does not become so large so that it cannot respond to changes in the wind field on the scale of the meteorological grid. The model automatically increases the frequency of puff releases to ensure the length of a single puff is not larger than the grid size. The second parameter decreases the internal time step to ensure the travel distance during one time step does not exceed the grid size.

The partial plume path adjustment option was used in CALPUFF for this analysis (MCTADJ=3). The CALMET wind field incorporates the effect of the terrain on the plume trajectories. The plume path coefficient was used to characterize the local effect on ground-level concentrations. The default plume path coefficients (PPC) was used for this analysis as listed below:

Stability Class	A	B	C	D	E	F
PPC	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.35	0.35

Deposition and chemical transformation effects were modeled using the default dry deposition model, the scavenging coefficient wet removal module, and the default chemical transformation mechanism.

A total of five chemically active species were modeled with CALPUFF for this analysis: SO₂, SO₄, NO_x, HNO₃ and NO₃. The chemical mechanism computes transformation rates of SO₂ to SO₄ and NO_x to NO₃/HNO₃. Hourly measured ozone concentrations were provided in an external file for use with the chemical transformation module. These ozone concentrations, along with radiation intensity, are used as surrogates for the OH concentration during the day when the gas phase free radical chemistry is active.

Six additional PM₁₀ species were modeled corresponding to the midpoint of each particle size bin shown in Table 2-2. The fine, coarse, elemental carbon and organic carbon species were constructed in postprocessing steps using the POSTUTIL program from these six PM species according to the appropriate size weights for size bin as discussed in Section 2.

4.3 Visibility Calculations

Calculations of the impact of the simulated plume particulate matter component concentrations on light extinction were carried out with the CALPOST postprocessor following the new proposed FLAG (2008) guidance. The original IMPROVE/EPA equation (1) described below was recommended to determine the change in light extinction due to changes in component concentrations. Using the notations of CALPOST:

$$B_{\text{ext}} = 3f(\text{RH})[(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4] + 3f(\text{RH})[\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3] + 4[\text{OC}] + 1[\text{Soil}] + 0.6[\text{Coarse Mass}] + 10[\text{EC}] + b_{\text{ray}} \quad (1)$$

The concentrations, in square brackets, are in $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$ and b_{ext} is in units of Mm^{-1} .

But a revised new IMPROVE algorithm to compute the extinction ($1/\text{Mm}$) has been developed by the IMPROVE steering committee for estimating light extinction from particulate matter as described in equation (2) below. This algorithm provides a better correspondence between the measured visibility and that calculated from particulate matter component concentrations (Tombach, 2006):

$$\begin{aligned} b_{\text{ext}} = & 2.2 f_S(\text{RH}) \bullet [\text{small sulfate}] + 4.8 f_L(\text{RH}) \bullet [\text{large sulfate}] \\ & + 2.4 f_S(\text{RH}) \bullet [\text{small nitrate}] + 5.1 f_L(\text{RH}) \bullet [\text{large nitrate}] \\ & + 2.8 \bullet [\text{small organics}] + 6.1 \bullet [\text{large organics}] \\ & + 10 \bullet [\text{elemental carbon}] \\ & + 1 \bullet [\text{fine soil}] \\ & + 1.7 f_{SS}(\text{RH}) \bullet [\text{sea salt}] \\ & + 0.6 \bullet [\text{coarse matter}] \\ & + \text{Rayleigh scattering (site - specific)} \\ & + 0.17 \bullet [\text{NO}_2] \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

All of the brackets [] denote concentrations in $\mu\text{g}/\text{m}^3$.

In CALPOST, the new IMPROVE algorithm as proposed by FLAG (2008) is implemented as CALPOST Method 8. The implementation of this method in CALPOST is described in more details in Appendix A. The proposed FLAG (2008) methodology is included in CALPOST V6.221 Level 080724, which has been reviewed and approved by the FLMs. This version of CALPOST is publicly available on the TRC's CALPUFF website (<http://www.src.com/calpuff/calpuff1.htm>) and was used for this analysis.

The Rayleigh scattering term (b_{ray}) is site-specific and computed as a function of the elevation as shown in Table 4-1, following FLAG (2008) guidance. Note that organic carbon (OC), which consists of condensable particulates and elemental carbon (EC) for soot particulates were modeled along with fine and coarse particulate matter as described in Section 2.

To represent background natural conditions, monthly background concentrations must be entered into the CALPOST input control file for all aerosols defining the background. The WRAP Protocol (2006) recommendations for natural conditions background are to use all three types of EPA default Natural Conditions: Best 20% Days, Annual Average and Worst 20% Days. In "Guidance for Estimating Visibility Conditions Under the Regional Haze Rule" (EPA, 2003), these three default values are defined only by their extinction coefficient in Mm^{-1} . For CALPOST Method 8, explicit background concentrations are required to allow the computation of the small and large sulfate particulates, nitrate particulates and organic carbon. So, in this analysis, the annual averaged background conditions were used to define the natural background for each of the seven Class I areas, following FLAG (2008). The concentrations used as background for each of the seven Class I areas are summarized in Table 4-2.

These concentrations were used to compute the natural background light extinction following the revised IMPROVE formulae described above, for each of the Class I areas.

Tables 4-3, 4-4, and 4-5, provide the monthly $f(RH)$ values for each of the seven Class I areas, that are used to compute extinction coefficients for hygroscopic species, respectively for small ammonium sulfate and ammonium nitrate particles, large ammonium sulfate and ammonium nitrate particles, and sea salt particles.

The 8th highest (98th percentile) predicted light extinction change for each year modeled was compared to the threshold value of 0.5 deciview.

Table 4-1. Rayleigh Scattering Term (Mm^{-1}) for each Class I area as a Function of Elevation

Class I Area	Highest Elevation in feet (meters)	Rayleigh Scattering Term (Mm^{-1})
Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness	1998.0 (609)	11
Voyageurs NP	1335.3 (407)	12
Badlands NP	3031.5 (924)	11
Wind Cave NP	4796.6 (1462)	10
Lostwood NWR	2427.8 (740)	11
Theodore Roosevelt NP	2900.3 (884)	11
Isle Royale NP	1325.5 (404)	11

Source: FLAG (2008)

Table 4-2. Annual Averaged Conditions Levels of Aerosol Components ($\mu g/m^3$) to Define Natural Background (FLAG 2008) – Method 8 values per Class I Area

Class I Area	SO ₄	NO ₃	OC	EC	Soil	Coarse Mass
Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness	0.23	0.10	1.71	0.02	0.31	2.53
Voyageurs NP	0.23	0.10	1.75	0.02	0.26	2.73
Badlands NP	0.12	0.10	0.60	0.02	0.50	3.00
Wind Cave NP	0.12	0.10	0.60	0.02	0.49	2.98
Lostwood NWR	0.12	0.10	0.60	0.02	0.50	3.00
Theodore Roosevelt NP	0.12	0.10	0.60	0.02	0.50	3.00
Isle Royale NP	0.23	0.10	1.55	0.02	0.24	2.89

Source: FLAG (2008)

Table 4-3. Monthly Site-Specific RH adjustment factors f(RH) values for hygroscopic species – Small ammonium sulfate and ammonium nitrate particles - Method 8 (FLAG, 2008)

Class I area	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Boundary Waters CAW	3.23	2.81	2.93	2.63	2.89	3.22	3.44	3.71	3.83	3.08	3.49	3.49
Voyageurs NP	3.16	2.77	2.82	2.59	2.65	3.28	3.25	3.48	3.66	3.02	3.37	3.32
Badlands NP	2.94	2.96	3.01	2.87	3.10	2.91	2.64	2.59	2.56	2.58	3.11	2.98
Wind Cave NP	2.81	2.81	2.86	2.82	3.06	2.81	2.50	2.46	2.44	2.52	2.97	2.83
Lostwood NWR	3.21	3.15	3.36	2.60	2.54	2.86	2.89	2.60	2.53	2.72	3.60	3.52
Theodore Roosevelt NP	3.17	3.11	3.22	2.71	2.74	2.85	2.73	2.49	2.48	2.66	3.42	3.37
Isle Royale NP	3.26	2.74	2.87	2.58	2.46	3.00	3.59	3.68	3.92	2.88	3.72	3.67

Source: FLAG (2008)

Table 4-4. Monthly Site-Specific RH adjustment factors f(RH) values for hygroscopic species – Large ammonium sulfate and ammonium nitrate particles – Method 8 (FLAG, 2008)

Class I area	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Boundary Waters CAW	2.50	2.25	2.28	2.09	2.20	2.43	2.57	2.71	2.78	2.38	2.64	2.64
Voyageurs NP	2.46	2.22	2.22	2.07	2.09	2.46	2.46	2.59	2.70	2.35	2.58	2.55
Badlands NP	2.31	2.31	2.31	2.21	2.34	2.25	2.08	2.05	2.02	2.05	2.38	2.33
Wind Cave NP	2.23	2.22	2.22	2.18	2.32	2.18	2.00	1.97	1.95	2.00	2.30	2.24
Lostwood NWR	2.51	2.45	2.54	2.06	2.03	2.21	2.23	2.05	2.02	2.13	2.69	2.67
Theodore Roosevelt NP	2.47	2.42	2.45	2.12	2.14	2.21	2.14	1.99	1.99	2.10	2.58	2.57
Isle Royale NP	2.53	2.21	2.26	2.07	1.99	2.32	2.65	2.69	2.82	2.28	2.76	2.74

Source: FLAG (2008)

Table 4-5. Monthly Site-Specific RH adjustment factors f(RH) values for hygroscopic species – Sea salt particles - Method 8 (FLAG, 2008)

Class I area	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Boundary Waters CAW	3.73	3.35	3.29	2.91	3.00	3.44	3.68	3.88	3.98	3.45	3.89	3.91
Voyageurs NP	3.69	3.31	3.20	2.90	2.89	3.46	3.55	3.71	3.87	3.42	3.83	3.80
Badlands NP	3.37	3.33	3.27	3.05	3.25	3.15	2.89	2.81	2.74	2.82	3.41	3.38
Wind Cave NP	3.25	3.20	3.13	3.01	3.22	3.06	2.75	2.68	2.63	2.75	3.28	3.24
Lostwood NWR	3.77	3.66	3.67	2.86	2.79	3.07	3.11	2.82	2.80	2.99	3.93	3.95
Theodore Roosevelt NP	3.67	3.56	3.51	2.93	2.97	3.09	2.96	2.72	2.72	2.93	3.75	3.78
Isle Royale NP	3.78	3.34	3.28	2.93	2.78	3.31	3.83	3.87	4.06	3.40	4.05	4.04

Source: FLAG (2008)

5. RESULTS

The results for the BART analysis for the Big Stone I facility are presented in this section. The analysis consists of evaluating the visibility impact (percent change in light extinction due to the sources measured in deciview) at all the Class I areas modeled. The results for the base case are presented in three tables, each table gathering the impact at seven Class I areas for each of the years modeled: Table 5-1 for 2002, Table 5-2 for 2006 and Table 5-3 for 2007. The change in light extinction due to the source is compared to the annual average natural background light extinction. The interpretation of the results is done by comparing the 98th percentile of Delta deciview for each year to the 0.5 delta deciview threshold. Analysis is performed by using CALPOST Method 8.

Ammonia Limiting Method (ALM) with CMAQ 2002 monthly averages as background was performed as well. These results are presented in Tables 5-4 through 5-6.

Table 5-1. Visibility impacts for 2002. Constant (1 ppb) ammonia.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	1.315	0.837	0.574	14	1
Voyageurs	2.162	0.690	0.623	9	3
Wind Cave	0.873	0.475	0.305	3	0
Theodore Roosevelt	1.390	0.555	0.215	4	1
Lostwood National	0.564	0.388	0.232	2	0
Badlands	0.762	0.671	0.452	7	0
Isle Royale	1.182	0.789	0.629	10	2

Table 5-2. Visibility impacts for 2006. Constant (1 ppb) ammonia.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	2.572	1.183	0.790	16	5
Voyageurs	1.578	0.862	0.574	11	2
Wind Cave	0.454	0.302	0.120	0	0
Theodore Roosevelt	2.232	0.772	0.459	6	3
Lostwood National	1.110	0.662	0.385	5	1
Badlands	1.002	0.519	0.481	7	1
Isle Royale	1.806	0.635	0.506	8	2

Table 5-3. Visibility impacts for 2007. Constant (1 ppb) ammonia.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	3.574	1.351	1.079	25	9
Voyageurs	2.062	1.376	0.724	19	5
Wind Cave	1.671	0.591	0.325	4	2
Theodore Roosevelt	0.744	0.491	0.322	3	0
Lostwood National	0.959	0.722	0.409	6	0
Badlands	2.202	0.698	0.471	6	2
Isle Royale	1.224	0.745	0.665	13	2

Table 5-4. Visibility impacts with ALM considered for 2002.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	0.740	0.491	0.389	3	0
Voyageurs	1.256	0.546	0.380	4	1
Wind Cave	0.725	0.435	0.275	3	0
Theodore Roosevelt	1.355	0.472	0.181	2	1
Lostwood National	0.510	0.298	0.198	1	0
Badlands	0.714	0.617	0.422	7	0
Isle Royale	0.661	0.560	0.350	4	0

Table 5-5. Visibility impacts with ALM considered for 2006.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	1.439	0.830	0.550	10	3
Voyageurs	1.150	0.540	0.391	5	1
Wind Cave	0.319	0.191	0.111	0	0
Theodore Roosevelt	1.280	0.606	0.367	5	1
Lostwood National	0.673	0.521	0.377	4	0
Badlands	0.917	0.477	0.269	3	0
Isle Royale	0.805	0.467	0.352	1	0

Table 5-6. Visibility impacts with ALM considered for 2007.

Park	Max Delta Deciview	4th Highest (99%)	8th Highest (98%)	Nb. Exceed. > 5%	Nb. Exceed. > 10%
Boundary Waters	1.530	0.786	0.654	13	2
Voyageurs	1.357	0.714	0.553	9	1
Wind Cave	0.713	0.427	0.276	3	0
Theodore Roosevelt	0.724	0.388	0.278	2	0
Lostwood National	0.934	0.563	0.353	4	0
Badlands	1.042	0.571	0.353	5	1
Isle Royale	0.793	0.551	0.486	7	0

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APPENDIX A

CALPOST VISIBILITY METHOD 8

The revised visibility algorithm developed for the IMPROVE Steering Committee (IMPROVE 2005) as recommended by FLAG (2008) has been implemented in CALPOST. It differs from the previous IMPROVE algorithm as used in Method 2 and Method 6 in six areas:

- Extinction efficiencies of sulfates, nitrates, and organics vary with concentration, as there are distinct efficiencies for "small" and "large" particles and the ratio of small-to-large particle fraction decreases as the concentration increases. Furthermore, the extinction efficiency for sulfates no longer equals that for nitrates.
- A separate hygroscopic humidity enhancement factor curve is prescribed for "small" and "large" particles, $f_S(\text{RH})$ and $f_L(\text{RH})$. These curves apply to sulfates and nitrates.
- Light extinction due to scattering by sea salt (with its own hygroscopic humidity enhancement factor $f_{SS}(\text{RH})$) is included.
- Light absorption by NO_2 gas is included in the extinction.
- Background particulate organic matter concentration is taken to be 1.8 times measured organic carbon concentrations.
- Rayleigh scattering extinction varies with site elevation and mean temperature.

Items 5 and 6 remain direct inputs to CALPOST, and required no structural changes to the postprocessor. The user must confirm that appropriate values are provided.

Item 4, the introduction of light extinction due to NO_2 gas absorption, has been added to CALPOST as a discrete component independent of the visibility method chosen. New control file inputs associated with NO_2 in the recommended FLAG (2008) mode are:

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Source of NO2 when ASPEC=NO2 (above) or LVNO2=T (Group 2) may be
from CALPUFF NO2 concentrations OR from a fraction of CALPUFF NOx
concentrations. Specify the fraction of NOx that is treated as NO2
either as a constant or as a table of fractions that depend on the
magnitude of the NOx concentration:
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(NO2CALC) -- Default: 1 ! NO2CALC = 1 !
0 = Use NO2 directly (NO2 must be in file)
1 = Specify a single NO2/NOx ratio (RNO2NOX)
2 = Specify a table NO2/NOx ratios (TNO2NOX)
(NOTE: Scaling Factors must NOT be used with NO2CALC=2)
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Single NO2/NOx ratio (0.0 to 1.0) for treating some
or all NOx as NO2, where [NO2] = [NOX] * RNO2NOX
(used only if NO2CALC = 1)
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(RNO2NOX) -- Default: 1.0 ! RNO2NOX = 1.0 !
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Items 1 through 3 are implemented as visibility Method 8 in CALPOST, along with the specific choice of the new $f(\text{RH})$ curves. Selection of the revised IMPROVE algorithm requires the following new control file selections:

Particle growth curve f(RH) for hygroscopic species

(MFRH) -- Default: 2 ! MFRH = 4 !

- 1 = IWAQM (1998) f(RH) curve (originally used with MVISBK=1)
- 2 = FLAG (2000) f(RH) tabulation
- 3 = EPA (2003) f(RH) tabulation
- 4 = IMPROVE (2006) f(RH) tabulations for sea salt, and for small and large SULFATE and NITRATE particles; Used with Visibility Method 8 (MVISBK = 8)

Method used for background light extinction

(MVISBK) -- Default: 2 ! MVISBK = 8 !

- 1 = Supply single light extinction and hygroscopic fraction
- 2 = Compute extinction from speciated PM measurements (A)
- 3 = Compute extinction from speciated PM measurements (B)
- 4 = Read hourly transmissometer background extinction measurements
- 5 = Read hourly nephelometer background extinction measurements
- 6 = Compute extinction from speciated PM measurements
- 7 = Use observed weather or prognostic weather information for background extinction during weather events; otherwise, Method 2
- 8 = Compute extinction from speciated PM measurements using the IMPROVE (2006) variable extinction efficiency formulation (MFRH must be set to 4)
 - Split between small and large particle concentrations of SULFATES, NITRATES, and ORGANICS is a function of concentration and different extinction efficiencies are used for each
 - Source-induced change in visibility includes the increase in extinction of the background aerosol due to the change in the extinction efficiency that now depends on total concentration.
 - Fsmall(RH) and Flarge(RH) adjustments for small and large particles are applied to observed and modeled sulfate and nitrate concentrations
 - Fsalt(RH) adjustment for sea salt is applied to background sea salt concentrations
 - F(RH) factors are capped at F(RHMAX)
 - RH for Fsmall(RH), Flarge(RH), and Fsalt(RH) may be obtained from hourly data as in Method 2 or from the FLAG monthly RH adjustment factor used for Method 6 where EPA F(RH) tabulation is used to infer RH, or monthly Fsmall, Flarge, and Fsalt RH adjustment factors can be directly entered. Furthermore, a monthly RH factor may be applied to either hourly concentrations or daily concentrations to obtain the 24-hour extinction.

These choices are made using the M8_MODE selection.

Additional inputs used for MVISBK = 8:

Extinction coefficients for hygroscopic species (modeled and background) may be computed using hourly RH values and hourly modeled concentrations, or using monthly RH values inferred from the RHFAC adjustment factors and either hourly or daily modeled concentrations, or using monthly RHFSML, RHFLRG, and RHFSEA adjustment factors and either hourly or daily modeled concentrations.

(M8_MODE) -- Default: 5 ! M8_MODE= 5 !
FLAG (2008)

- 1 = Use hourly RH values from VISB.DAT file with hourly modeled and monthly background concentrations.
- 2 = Use monthly RH from monthly RHFAC and EPA (2003) f(RH) tabulation with hourly modeled and monthly background concentrations.
(VISB.DAT file is NOT needed).
- 3 = Use monthly RH from monthly RHFAC with EPA (2003) f(RH) tabulation with daily modeled and monthly background concentrations.
(VISB.DAT file is NOT needed).
- 4 = Use monthly RHFSML, RHFLRG, and RHFSEA with hourly modeled and monthly background concentrations.
(VISB.DAT file is NOT needed).
- 5 = Use monthly RHFSML, RHFLRG, and RHFSEA with daily modeled and monthly background concentrations.
(VISB.DAT file is NOT needed).

The last of these selections, M8_MODE, provides options for how concentrations are averaged, and how the relative humidity enhancement factors for hygroscopic species are determined. M8_MODE has a default value of 5, which is consistent with the new FLAG (2008) guidance

APPENDIX B

MM5 MODEL CONFIGURATION

MM5 Domain Configuration (36-km, 12-km Resolution)

The Fifth Generation Penn State University/NCAR Mesoscale Model (MM5) (Dudhia et al, 2000) has been run for 2006 and 2007 for North America for two domains: a coarse Domain 1 (36-km resolution), and a nested Domain 2 (12-km resolution). The Lambert Conical Conformal (LCC) mapping projection is used in modeling. The center of the coordinate system is located at the center of Domain 1 at 40°N and 98°W. Two standard latitudes of LCC are set to 20°N and 60°N. The coarse domain (Domain 1) covers an area of 7488 km in the west-east (X) direction by 6768 km in the south-north (Y) direction with grid spacing of 36 km (Table B-1). Figure B-1 shows Modeling Domains 1 and 2.

There are forty-one sigma levels in the vertical direction from the surface up to 100 hPa (Table B-2). The first sigma level is about 11 m above the ground, very close to the anemometer height at operational weather stations. The vertical spatial resolution varies from the surface to the model top. About twenty levels are below 1500 m above the ground for better resolving the atmospheric boundary layer in the model.

Model Parameterizations and Schemes

The MM5 model was run for 2006 and 2007 in the non-hydrostatic mode using the upper radiative boundary condition. MM5 physical schemes and parameterizations are listed in Table B-1. The Reisner graupel scheme was used for the explicit moisture parameterization. It predicts all five water contents in the atmosphere. This scheme includes additional equation to predict graupel. It is a more computationally expensive scheme compared with simple ice scheme. The cumulus scheme used in MM5 is the Kain-Fritsch 2 scheme (Kain, 2004). This scheme includes shallow convection. For planetary boundary layer (PBL) scheme, the Mellor-Yamada scheme used in the ETA model (Janjic, 1990, 1994) was used in this MM5 modeling. This scheme was implemented in the NCEP MRF model. It is efficient and suitable for high-resolution PBL. The Rapid Radiative Transfer Model was used for the radiation scheme in both Domains (Mlawer et al., 1997). This scheme is a highly accurate and efficient method developed by AER Inc. Multiple-layer soil temperatures were computed using the NOAH land surface model (National Centers for Environmental Prediction, Oregon State University, Air Force, and Hydrologic Research Laboratory). Additional geographical data, such as soil types, vegetation fraction, and annual deep soil temperatures are needed for the land surface model; and these data were obtained from NCAR.

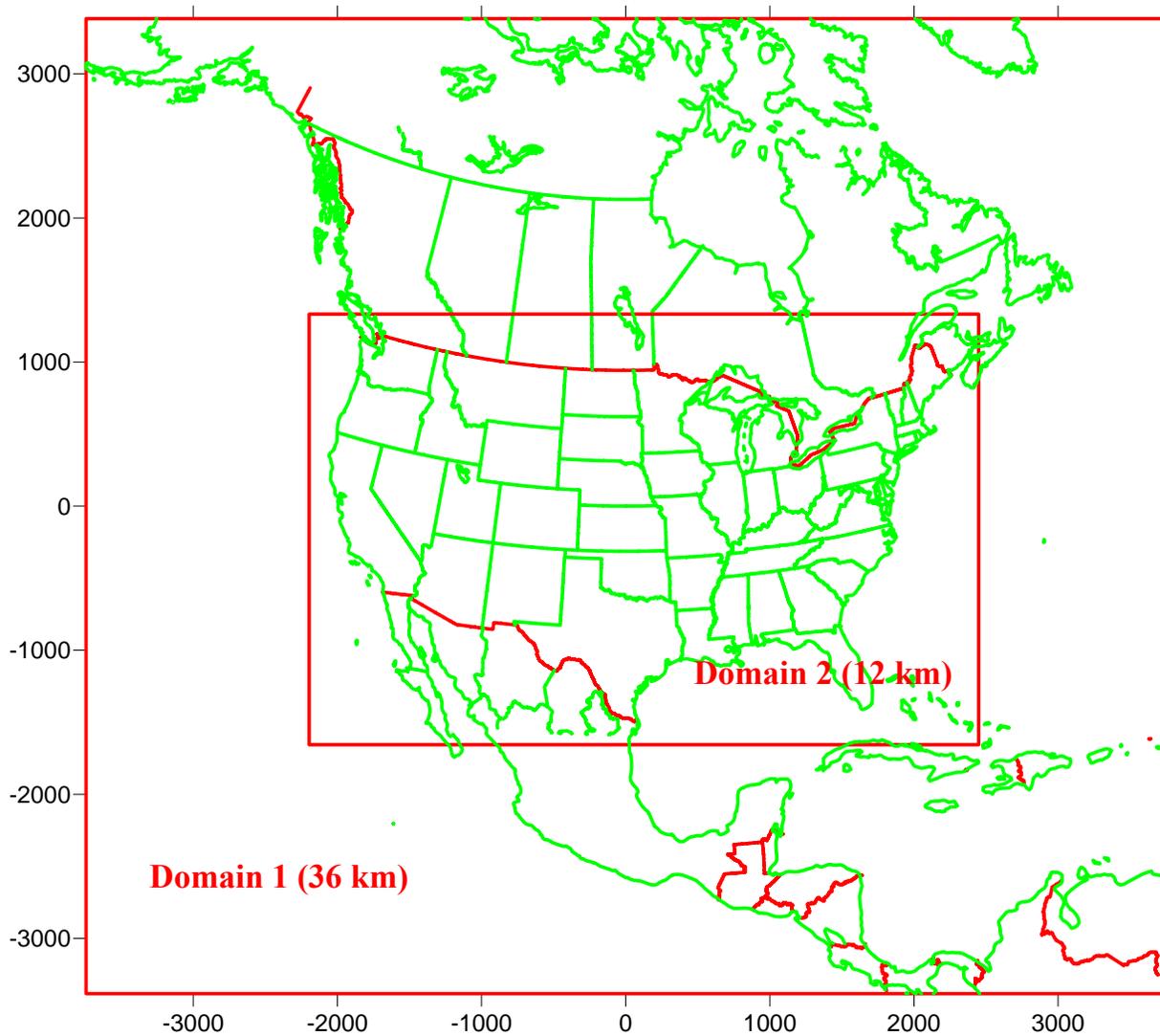
One way nesting is used in the MM5 simulation, meaning that the mother domain is not affected by its child-domain. Such nesting allows adding new domains later without re-running all the other domains. Analysis Four Dimensional Data Assimilation (FDDA) was applied to both Domain 1 and Domain 2.

Table B-1 Domain Configuration and Parameterizations for 2006 and 2007 MM5 Simulations. The Lambert Conical Conformal (LCC) map projection is used in the MM5 modeling.

Settings	Domain 1	Domain 2
Grid number	209 x 189	388 x 250
Grid size (km)	36	12
Nesting	NA	One-way
Sigma levels	41	41
Moisture	Reisner 2	Reisner 2
Cumulus	Kain-Fritsch 2	Kain-Fritsch 2
Boundary layer	ETA	ETA
Radiation	RRTM	RRTM
Soil model	NOAH LSM	NOAH LSM
FDDA	3D and Surface Analysis	3D and Surface Analysis
Run Length	2.5 days	2.5 days
Spin-up time	12 hours	12 hours
Terrain and land-use data	USGS 10-minute (~19 km)	USGS 5-minute (~9 km)

USA MM5 Domain 4 (4-km) Coverage

Map Projection: LCC; Center: 40N, 98W
Standards: 20N, 60N
Datum: NWS-84



MM5 Domains:

D1: X: -3744 - 3744 km, Y: -3384 - 3384 km; dxy= 36 km; 209 x 189 i1= 1,j1= 1

D2: X: -2196 - 2448 km, Y: -1656 - 1332 km; dxy= 12 km; 388 x 250 i1= 44,j1= 49

D3: X: -612 - 864 km, Y: -48 - 1080 km; dxy= 4 km; 370 x 283 i1=133,j1=135

Figure B-1. Map showing the MM5 Domain 1 (36-km) and Domain 2 (12-km).

Table B-2. Sigma Levels used in the North American MM5 Simulations for 2006 and 2007.

Level	Sigma	Half Sigma	Ref. Pressure (mb)	Height (m)
surface	1.0000	-	1010.0	0.0
1	0.9970	0.9985	1008.6	10.9
2	0.9936	0.9953	1005.7	34.1
3	0.9898	0.9917	1002.4	60.3
4	0.9856	0.9877	998.8	89.6
5	0.9808	0.9832	994.7	122.5
6	0.9754	0.9781	990.1	160.0
7	0.9694	0.9724	984.9	202.1
8	0.9626	0.9660	979.1	249.6
9	0.9549	0.9588	972.5	303.7
10	0.9463	0.9506	965.0	364.8
11	0.9367	0.9415	956.8	433.5
12	0.9258	0.9313	947.4	511.5
13	0.9136	0.9197	936.9	600.1
14	0.8999	0.9068	925.1	700.4
15	0.8845	0.8922	911.9	814.4
16	0.8672	0.8759	897.0	944.1
17	0.8477	0.8575	880.3	1092.1
18	0.8258	0.8368	861.4	1261.5
19	0.8012	0.8135	840.3	1455.3
20	0.7736	0.7874	816.5	1677.7
21	0.7425	0.7581	789.8	1934.1
22	0.7076	0.7251	759.8	2230.9
23	0.6683	0.6880	726.0	2576.1
24	0.6242	0.6463	688.1	2980.0
25	0.5746	0.5994	645.5	3455.7
26	0.5188	0.5467	597.5	4021.9
27	0.4688	0.4938	549.4	4628.0
28	0.4284	0.4486	508.2	5180.4
29	0.3879	0.4082	471.4	5705.6
30	0.3474	0.3677	434.6	6265.0
31	0.3065	0.3270	397.5	6866.0
32	0.2620	0.2843	358.7	7545.5
33	0.2175	0.2398	318.2	8317.4
34	0.1675	0.1925	275.2	9224.7
35	0.1175	0.1425	229.7	10311.2
36	0.0783	0.0979	189.1	11426.7
37	0.0588	0.0686	162.4	12261.6
38	0.0392	0.0490	144.6	12875.1
39	0.0196	0.0294	126.8	13547.3
40	0.0000	0.0098	108.9	14290.2

Initial Data and Simulation

MM5 is initialized using the 1° x 1° Final Analysis (FNL) data from NCEP at NCAR. It is an improvement of the original 2.5-degree by 2.5-degree dataset. The FNL data were archived at NCAR with temporal resolution of six hours at the surface and 26 standard pressure levels under 10 hPa: 1000, 975, 950, 925, 900, 850, 800, 750, 700, 650, 600, 550, 500, 450, 400, 350, 300, 250, 200, 150, 100, 70, 50, 30, 20, and 10 hPa. The dataset includes two-dimensional variables of snow cover, sea surface temperature (SST), sea level pressure, and three-dimensional variables of temperature, geopotential height, U and V components, and relative humidity.

The SST spatial resolution of 1° x 1° in FNL data is too coarse in the coastal area. To improve SST in MM5, a better SST dataset, the daily 4-km MODIS SSTs, is ingested into the simulation. The MODIS (MODERate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer) SSTs are derived from the sensors onboard the NASA Terra and Aqua platforms. The MODIS SSTs include from both the sensors of mid-infrared (IR) and thermal IR channels. The product used in the simulation is the MODIS Global Level 3 Mapped mid-IR SSTs.

MM5 is run for 2.5-day periods with 12 hours for spin-up time. The initial FNL data are model output and already in the dynamically-consistent state. The spin-up time of 12 hours is enough to allow MM5 reach dynamical balance in its domains. The 2.5-day simulation length can reduce the divergence between forecasts and analyses. MM5 output covers the period from 2005123112 to 2007010111, so that any conversion between local and UTC times can be properly processed. There are 183 2.5-day simulations in total for the annual period.

Evaluation of model performance

The MM5 model output dataset was evaluated using observations from hourly and synoptic surface data available from the US National Climatic Data Center (NCDC) in Asheville, North Carolina. The locations of the stations used in the evaluation are shown in Figure 3-4. The statistical index used for the evaluation is the Index of Agreement (IOA) is defined as:

$$IOA = 1 - \left[\frac{IJ \cdot RMSE^2}{\sum_{j=1}^J \sum_{i=1}^I |P_j^i - M_o| + |O_j^i - M_o|} \right] \quad (1)$$

where RMSE is the Root Mean Square Error, and calculated using the equation

$$RMSE = \left[\frac{i}{IJ} \sum_{j=1}^J \sum_{i=1}^I (P_j^i - O_j^i)^2 \right]^{1/2} \quad (2)$$

P_j^i and O_j^i are the prediction and the observation at Station j and time i . M_o is the Mean Observations and equal to

$$M_o = \frac{1}{IJ} \sum_{j=1}^J \sum_{i=1}^I O_j^i \quad (3)$$

The other two quantities used in the evaluation are Mean Bias Error (B) and Gross Error (E). Mean Bias Error is calculated using

$$B = \frac{1}{IJ} \sum_{j=1}^J \sum_{i=1}^I (P_j^i - O_j^i) \quad (4)$$

Gross Error equals

$$E = \frac{1}{IJ} \sum_{j=1}^J \sum_{i=1}^I |P_j^i - O_j^i| \quad (5)$$

In their studies, Emery et al. (2001) and Tesche et al. (2001) provided benchmarks for MM5 model evaluation or for other three-dimensional mesoscale model evaluation based on MM5/RAMS model performance evaluation literature. The benchmarks are for wind speed, wind direction, temperature and specific humidity. These benchmarks are “not to assign a passing or failing grade to a particular meteorological modeling application, but rather to put its results into a useful context” (Tesche et al., 2002). It is not expected that all simulations will fall within the benchmarks, but rather the benchmarks are useful in comparing the results from various simulations in a quantitative manner. The benchmarks were designed to be used with large groups of stations in a given region or stations of a particular classification rather than with individual stations.

Table B-3 contains a summary of the statistical measures above comparing using hourly surface meteorological observations with the MM5 modeling results prepared by TRC for 2006 and 2007. Also included is a comparison of the results with the EPA-sponsored 2002 MM5 dataset which has been subject to previous model evaluations. The comparisons were done using the surface meteorological stations within the CALPUFF modeling domain, which consisted of 172, 210 and 210 stations for 2002, 2006 and 2007, respectively. The performance is similar for each of the datasets. The statistical measures are all better than the benchmark values, with the exception in the 2002 dataset of the mean gross error for temperature, which is slight above the benchmark, and the Index of Agreement (IOA), which is slightly lower than the benchmark.

Table B-3. Performance Statistics by Year – MM5 Simulations – 12-km Grid Resolution

	Wind Speed			Wind Direction		Temperature			Specific Humidity		
	Mean IOA	Mean Bias	Mean RMSE	Mean Bias	Mean Gross Error	Mean IOA	Mean Bias	Mean Gross Error	Mean IOA	Mean Bias	Mean Gross Error
2002	0.77	0.18	1.88	2.70	21.15	0.79	-0.05	2.75	0.84	-0.06	0.73
2006	0.83	0.04	1.54	1.76	16.68	0.96	-0.19	1.19	0.81	0.43	0.83
2007	0.83	0.14	1.59	2.31	17.05	0.96	-0.12	1.23	0.81	0.47	0.86
Benchmark	$x \geq 0.60$	$ x \leq 0.50$	$x \leq 2.00$	$ x \leq 10.0$	$x \leq 30.0$	$x \geq 0.80$	$ x \leq 0.50$	$x \leq 2.00$	$x \geq 0.60$	$ x \leq 1.00$	$x \leq 2.00$

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APPENDIX C

CALMET CONTROL FILE WITH MODEL SETTINGS

4 km resolution CALMET simulation
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CALMET MODEL CONTROL FILE

INPUT GROUP: 0 -- Input and Output File Names

Subgroup (a)

Default Name	Type	File Name
GEO.DAT	input	! GEODAT=geo-4km-hires.dat !
SURF.DAT	input	! SRFDAT=bs_surf2006ext.dat !
CLOUD.DAT	input	* CLDDAT= *
PRECIP.DAT	input	! PRCDAT=bs_precip-2006ext.dat !
WT.DAT	input	* WTDAT= *
CALMET.LST	output	! METLST=met2006_4km_a2r2_011.lst !
CALMET.DAT	output	! METDAT=met2006_4km_a2r2_011.dat !
PACOUT.DAT	output	* PACDAT= *

All file names will be converted to lower case if LCFILES = T
Otherwise, if LCFILES = F, file names will be converted to UPPER CASE
T = lower case ! LCFILES = T !
F = UPPER CASE

NUMBER OF UPPER AIR & OVERWATER STATIONS:

Number of upper air stations (NUSTA) No default ! NUSTA = 10 !
Number of overwater met stations
(NOWSTA) No default ! NOWSTA = 2 !

NUMBER OF PROGNOSTIC and IGF-CALMET FILES:

Number of MM4/MM5/3D.DAT files
(NM3D) No default ! NM3D = 1 !
Number of IGF-CALMET.DAT files
(NIGF) No default ! NIGF = 0 !

!END!

Subgroup (b)

Upper air files (one per station)

Default Name	Type	File Name
UP1.DAT	input	1 ! UPDAT= up-abr-2006n.dat! !END!
UP2.DAT	input	2 ! UPDAT= up-bis-2006n.dat! !END!
UP3.DAT	input	3 ! UPDAT= up-dvn-2006n.dat! !END!
UP4.DAT	input	4 ! UPDAT= up-ggw-2006n.dat! !END!
UP5.DAT	input	5 ! UPDAT= up-grb-2006n.dat! !END!
UP6.DAT	input	6 ! UPDAT= up-inl-2006n.dat! !END!
UP7.DAT	input	7 ! UPDAT= up-lbf-2006n.dat! !END!
UP8.DAT	input	8 ! UPDAT= up-mrx-2006n.dat! !END!
UP9.DAT	input	9 ! UPDAT= up-oax-2006n.dat! !END!
UP0.DAT	input	10 ! UPDAT= up-unr-2006n.dat! !END!

Subgroup (c)

Overwater station files (one per station)

Default Name	Type	File Name
SEA1.DAT	input	1 ! SEADAT= 45001-2006.dat! !END!
SEA2.DAT	input	2 ! SEADAT= 45006-2006.dat! !END!

Subgroup (d)

MM4/MM5/3D.DAT files (consecutive or overlapping)

Default Name Type File Name

MM5001 ! M3DDAT=../mm5_2006/mm5-200601.m3d! !END!

Subgroup (e)

IGF-CALMET.DAT files (consecutive or overlapping)

Default Name Type File Name

IGFn.DAT input 1 * IGFDAT=CALMET0.DAT * *END*

Subgroup (f)

Other file names

Default Name Type File Name

DIAG.DAT input * DIADAT= *
PROG.DAT input * PRGDAT= *

TEST.PRT output * TSTPRT= *
TEST.OUT output * TSTOUT= *
TEST.KIN output * TSTKIN= *
TEST.FRD output * TSTFRD= *
TEST.SLP output * TSTSLLP= *
DCST.GRD output * DCSTGD= *

NOTES: (1) File/path names can be up to 70 characters in length
(2) Subgroups (a) and (f) must have ONE 'END' (surrounded by
delimiters) at the end of the group
(3) Subgroups (b) through (e) are included ONLY if the corresponding
number of files (NUSTA, NOWSTA, NM3D, NIGF) is not 0, and each must have
an 'END' (surround by delimiters) at the end of EACH LINE

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 1 -- General run control parameters

Starting date: Year (IBYR) -- No default ! IBYR= 2006 !
 Month (IBMO) -- No default ! IBMO= 1 !
 Day (IBDY) -- No default ! IBDY= 1 !
 Hour (IBHR) -- No default ! IBHR= 1 !

Note: IBHR is the time at the END of the first hour of the simulation
(IBHR=1, the first hour of a day, runs from 00:00 to 01:00)

Base time zone (IBTZ) -- No default ! IBTZ= 7 !
PST = 08, MST = 07
CST = 06, EST = 05

Length of run (hours) (IRLG) -- No default ! IRLG= 120 !

Run type (IRTYPE) -- Default: 1 ! IRTYPE= 1 !

0 = Computes wind fields only
1 = Computes wind fields and micrometeorological variables
(u*, w*, L, zi, etc.)
(IRTYPE must be 1 to run CALPUFF or CALGRID)

Compute special data fields required

by CALGRID (i.e., 3-D fields of W wind components and temperature) in additional to regular fields ? (LCALGRD) (LCALGRD must be T to run CALGRID)

Default: T ! LCALGRD = T !

Flag to stop run after SETUP phase (ITEST) (Used to allow checking of the model inputs, files, etc.)

Default: 2 ! ITEST= 2 !

ITEST = 1 - STOPS program after SETUP phase
ITEST = 2 - Continues with execution of COMPUTATIONAL phase after SETUP

Test options specified to see if they conform to regulatory values? (MREG)

No Default ! MREG = 1 !

0 = NO checks are made
1 = Technical options must conform to USEPA guidance

IMIXH	-1	Maul-Carson convective mixing height over land; OCD mixing height overwater
ICOARE	0	OCD deltaT method for overwater fluxes
THRESHL	0.0	Threshold buoyancy flux over land needed to sustain convective mixing height growth

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 2 -- Map Projection and Grid control parameters

Projection for all (X,Y):

Map projection (PMAP)

Default: UTM ! PMAP = LCC !

UTM : Universal Transverse Mercator
TTM : Tangential Transverse Mercator
LCC : Lambert Conformal Conic
PS : Polar Stereographic
EM : Equatorial Mercator
LAZA : Lambert Azimuthal Equal Area

False Easting and Northing (km) at the projection origin (Used only if PMAP= TTM, LCC, or LAZA)

(FEAST) Default=0.0 ! FEAST = 0.000 !
(FNORTH) Default=0.0 ! FNORTH = 0.000 !

UTM zone (1 to 60) (Used only if PMAP=UTM)

(IUTMZN) No Default ! IUTMZN = 0 !

Hemisphere for UTM projection? (Used only if PMAP=UTM)

(UTMHEM) Default: N ! UTMHEM = N !

N : Northern hemisphere projection
S : Southern hemisphere projection

Latitude and Longitude (decimal degrees) of projection origin (Used only if PMAP= TTM, LCC, PS, EM, or LAZA)

(RLAT0) No Default ! RLAT0 = 40N !
(RLON0) No Default ! RLON0 = 98W !

TTM : RLON0 identifies central (true N/S) meridian of projection
RLAT0 selected for convenience
LCC : RLON0 identifies central (true N/S) meridian of projection
RLAT0 selected for convenience
PS : RLON0 identifies central (grid N/S) meridian of projection
RLAT0 selected for convenience
EM : RLON0 identifies central meridian of projection

RLAT0 is REPLACED by 0.0N (Equator)
LAZA: RLON0 identifies longitude of tangent-point of mapping plane
RLAT0 identifies latitude of tangent-point of mapping plane

Matching parallel(s) of latitude (decimal degrees) for projection
(Used only if PMAP= LCC or PS)

(XLAT1) No Default ! XLAT1 = 20N !
(XLAT2) No Default ! XLAT2 = 60N !

LCC : Projection cone slices through Earth's surface at XLAT1 and XLAT2
PS : Projection plane slices through Earth at XLAT1
(XLAT2 is not used)

Note: Latitudes and longitudes should be positive, and include a
letter N,S,E, or W indicating north or south latitude, and
east or west longitude. For example,
35.9 N Latitude = 35.9N
118.7 E Longitude = 118.7E

Datum-region

The Datum-Region for the coordinates is identified by a character
string. Many mapping products currently available use the model of the
Earth known as the World Geodetic System 1984 (WGS-84). Other local
models may be in use, and their selection in CALMET will make its output
consistent with local mapping products. The list of Datum-Regions with
official transformation parameters is provided by the National Imagery and
Mapping Agency (NIMA).

NIMA Datum - Regions(Examples)

WGS-84 WGS-84 Reference Ellipsoid and Geoid, Global coverage (WGS84)
NAS-C NORTH AMERICAN 1927 Clarke 1866 Spheroid, MEAN FOR CONUS (NAD27)
NAR-C NORTH AMERICAN 1983 GRS 80 Spheroid, MEAN FOR CONUS (NAD83)
NWS-84 NWS 6370KM Radius, Sphere
ESR-S ESRI REFERENCE 6371KM Radius, Sphere

Datum-region for output coordinates
(DATUM) Default: WGS-84 ! DATUM = NWS-84 !

Horizontal grid definition:

Rectangular grid defined for projection PMAP,
with X the Easting and Y the Northing coordinate

No. X grid cells (NX) No default ! NX = 313 !
No. Y grid cells (NY) No default ! NY = 181 !

Grid spacing (DGRIDKM) No default ! DGRIDKM = 4. !
Units: km

Reference grid coordinate of
SOUTHWEST corner of grid cell (1,1)

X coordinate (XORIGKM) No default ! XORIGKM = -506. !
Y coordinate (YORIGKM) No default ! YORIGKM = 298. !
Units: km

Vertical grid definition:

No. of vertical layers (NZ) No default ! NZ = 10 !
Cell face heights in arbitrary
vertical grid (ZFACE(NZ+1)) No defaults
Units: m
! ZFACE = 0.,20.,40.,80.,160.,320.,640.,1200.,2000.,3000.,4000. !

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 3 -- Output Options

DISK OUTPUT OPTION

Save met. fields in an unformatted
output file ? (LSAVE) Default: T ! LSAVE = T !
(F = Do not save, T = Save)

Type of unformatted output file:
(IFORMO) Default: 1 ! IFORMO = 1 !

- 1 = CALPUFF/CALGRID type file (CALMET.DAT)
- 2 = MESOPUFF-II type file (PACOUT.DAT)

LINE PRINTER OUTPUT OPTIONS:

Print met. fields ? (LPRINT) Default: F ! LPRINT = F !
(F = Do not print, T = Print)
(NOTE: parameters below control which
met. variables are printed)

Print interval
(IPRINF) in hours Default: 1 ! IPRINF = 1 !
(Meteorological fields are printed
every 1 hours)

Specify which layers of U, V wind component
to print (IUVOU(NZ)) -- NOTE: NZ values must be entered
(0=Do not print, 1=Print)
(used only if LPRINT=T) Defaults: NZ*0 ! IUVOU = 10*0 !

Specify which levels of the W wind component to print
(NOTE: W defined at TOP cell face -- 10 values)
(IWOUT(NZ)) -- NOTE: NZ values must be entered
(0=Do not print, 1=Print)
(used only if LPRINT=T & LCALGRD=T)

Defaults: NZ*0 ! IWOUT = 10*0 !

Specify which levels of the 3-D temperature field to print
(ITOUT(NZ)) -- NOTE: NZ values must be entered
(0=Do not print, 1=Print)
(used only if LPRINT=T & LCALGRD=T)

Defaults: NZ*0 ! ITOUT = 10*0 !

Specify which meteorological fields
to print
(used only if LPRINT=T) Defaults: 0 (all variables)

Variable	Print ?	
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	(0 = do not print, 1 = print)	
! STABILITY =	0	! - PGT stability class
! USTAR =	0	! - Friction velocity
! MONIN =	0	! - Monin-Obukhov length
! MIXHT =	0	! - Mixing height
! WSTAR =	0	! - Convective velocity scale
! PRECIP =	0	! - Precipitation rate
! SENSHEAT =	0	! - Sensible heat flux

! CONVZI = 0 ! - Convective mixing ht.

Testing and debug print options for micrometeorological module

Print input meteorological data and
internal variables (LDB) Default: F ! LDB = F !
(F = Do not print, T = print)
(NOTE: this option produces large amounts of output)

First time step for which debug data
are printed (NN1) Default: 1 ! NN1 = 1 !

Last time step for which debug data
are printed (NN2) Default: 1 ! NN2 = 1 !

Print distance to land
internal variables (LDBCST) Default: F ! LDBCST = F !
(F = Do not print, T = print)
(Output in .GRD file DCST.GRD, defined in input group 0)

Testing and debug print options for wind field module
(all of the following print options control output to
wind field module's output files: TEST.PRT, TEST.OUT,
TEST.KIN, TEST.FRD, and TEST.SLP)

Control variable for writing the test/debug
wind fields to disk files (IOUTD)
(0=Do not write, 1=write) Default: 0 ! IOUTD = 0 !

Number of levels, starting at the surface,
to print (NZPRN2) Default: 1 ! NZPRN2 = 0 !

Print the INTERPOLATED wind components ?
(IPR0) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR0 = 0 !

Print the TERRAIN ADJUSTED surface wind
components ?
(IPR1) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR1 = 0 !

Print the SMOOTHED wind components and
the INITIAL DIVERGENCE fields ?
(IPR2) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR2 = 0 !

Print the FINAL wind speed and direction
fields ?
(IPR3) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR3 = 0 !

Print the FINAL DIVERGENCE fields ?
(IPR4) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR4 = 0 !

Print the winds after KINEMATIC effects
are added ?
(IPR5) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR5 = 0 !

Print the winds after the FROUDE NUMBER
adjustment is made ?
(IPR6) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR6 = 0 !

Print the winds after SLOPE FLOWS
are added ?
(IPR7) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR7 = 0 !

Print the FINAL wind field components ?
(IPR8) (0=no, 1=yes) Default: 0 ! IPR8 = 0 !

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 4 -- Meteorological data options

NO OBSERVATION MODE (NOOBS) Default: 0 ! NOOBS = 0 !
0 = Use surface, overwater, and upper air stations
1 = Use surface and overwater stations (no upper air observations)
Use MM4/MM5/3D for upper air data
2 = No surface, overwater, or upper air observations
Use MM4/MM5/3D for surface, overwater, and upper air data

NUMBER OF SURFACE & PRECIP. METEOROLOGICAL STATIONS

Number of surface stations (NSSTA) No default ! NSSTA = 250 !
Number of precipitation stations
(NPSTA=-1: flag for use of MM5/3D precip data)
(NPSTA) No default ! NPSTA = 267 !

CLOUD DATA OPTIONS

Gridded cloud fields:
(ICLOUD) Default: 0 ! ICLOUD = 0 !
ICLOUD = 0 - Gridded clouds not used
ICLOUD = 1 - Gridded CLOUD.DAT generated as OUTPUT
ICLOUD = 2 - Gridded CLOUD.DAT read as INPUT
ICLOUD = 3 - Gridded cloud cover computed from prognostic fields

FILE FORMATS

Surface meteorological data file format
(IFORMS) Default: 2 ! IFORMS = 2 !
(1 = unformatted (e.g., SMERGE output))
(2 = formatted (free-formatted user input))
Precipitation data file format
(IFORMP) Default: 2 ! IFORMP = 2 !
(1 = unformatted (e.g., PMERGE output))
(2 = formatted (free-formatted user input))
Cloud data file format
(IFORMC) Default: 2 ! IFORMC = 2 !
(1 = unformatted - CALMET unformatted output)
(2 = formatted - free-formatted CALMET output or user input)

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 5 -- Wind Field Options and Parameters

WIND FIELD MODEL OPTIONS

Model selection variable (IWFCOD) Default: 1 ! IWFCOD = 1 !
0 = Objective analysis only
1 = Diagnostic wind module
Compute Froude number adjustment
effects ? (IFRADJ) Default: 1 ! IFRADJ = 1 !
(0 = NO, 1 = YES)
Compute kinematic effects ? (IKINE) Default: 0 ! IKINE = 0 !
(0 = NO, 1 = YES)
Use O'Brien procedure for adjustment
of the vertical velocity ? (IOBR) Default: 0 ! IOBR = 0 !
(0 = NO, 1 = YES)
Compute slope flow effects ? (ISLOPE) Default: 1 ! ISLOPE = 1 !
(0 = NO, 1 = YES)
Extrapolate surface wind observations
to upper layers ? (IEXTRP) Default: -4 ! IEXTRP = -4 !
(1 = no extrapolation is done,
2 = power law extrapolation used,
3 = user input multiplicative factors
for layers 2 - NZ used (see FEXTRP array)
4 = similarity theory used
-1, -2, -3, -4 = same as above except layer 1 data

at upper air stations are ignored

Extrapolate surface winds even
if calm? (ICALM) Default: 0 ! ICALM = 0 !
(0 = NO, 1 = YES)

Layer-dependent biases modifying the weights of
surface and upper air stations (BIAS(NZ))

-1<=BIAS<=1

Negative BIAS reduces the weight of upper air stations
(e.g. BIAS=-0.1 reduces the weight of upper air stations
by 10%; BIAS= -1, reduces their weight by 100 %)

Positive BIAS reduces the weight of surface stations

(e.g. BIAS= 0.2 reduces the weight of surface stations
by 20%; BIAS=1 reduces their weight by 100%)

Zero BIAS leaves weights unchanged (1/R**2 interpolation)

Default: NZ*0

! BIAS = 10*0 !

Minimum distance from nearest upper air station
to surface station for which extrapolation
of surface winds at surface station will be allowed
(RMIN2: Set to -1 for IEXTRP = 4 or other situations
where all surface stations should be extrapolated)

Default: 4. ! RMIN2 = -1.0 !

Use gridded prognostic wind field model
output fields as input to the diagnostic

wind field model (IPROG) Default: 0 ! IPROG = 14 !

(0 = No, [IWFCOD = 0 or 1])

1 = Yes, use CSUMM prog. winds as Step 1 field, [IWFCOD = 0]

2 = Yes, use CSUMM prog. winds as initial guess field [IWFCOD = 1]

3 = Yes, use winds from MM4.DAT file as Step 1 field [IWFCOD = 0]

4 = Yes, use winds from MM4.DAT file as initial guess field [IWFCOD = 1]

5 = Yes, use winds from MM4.DAT file as observations [IWFCOD = 1]

13 = Yes, use winds from MM5/3D.DAT file as Step 1 field [IWFCOD = 0]

14 = Yes, use winds from MM5/3D.DAT file as initial guess field [IWFCOD = 1]

15 = Yes, use winds from MM5/3D.DAT file as observations [IWFCOD = 1]

Timestep (hours) of the prognostic

model input data (ISTEPPG) Default: 1 ! ISTEPPG = 1 !

Use coarse CALMET fields as initial guess fields (IGFMET)

(overwrites IGF based on prognostic wind fields if any)

Default: 0 ! IGMET = 0 !

RADIUS OF INFLUENCE PARAMETERS

Use varying radius of influence Default: F ! LVARY = F!

(if no stations are found within RMAX1,RMAX2,
or RMAX3, then the closest station will be used)

Maximum radius of influence over land

in the surface layer (RMAX1) No default ! RMAX1 = 100. !

Units: km

Maximum radius of influence over land

aloft (RMAX2) No default ! RMAX2 = 200. !

Units: km

Maximum radius of influence over water

(RMAX3) No default ! RMAX3 = 200. !

Units: km

OTHER WIND FIELD INPUT PARAMETERS

Minimum radius of influence used in

the wind field interpolation (RMIN) Default: 0.1 ! RMIN = 0.1 !

Units: km

Radius of influence of terrain

features (TERRAD) No default ! TERRAD = 15. !

Units: km

Relative weighting of the first

guess field and observations in the


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0 = Compute internally from
  hourly surface observations
1 = Read preprocessed values from
  a data file (DIAG.DAT)

Surface met. station to use for
the surface temperature (ISURFT) No default      ! ISURFT = 211 !
(Must be a value from 1 to NSSTA)
(Used only if IDIOPT1 = 0)
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Domain-averaged temperature lapse
rate (IDIOPT2)                      Default: 0      ! IDIOPT2 = 0 !
0 = Compute internally from
  twice-daily upper air observations
1 = Read hourly preprocessed values
  from a data file (DIAG.DAT)

Upper air station to use for
the domain-scale lapse rate (IUPT) No default    ! IUPT  = 1 !
(Must be a value from 1 to NUSTA)
(Used only if IDIOPT2 = 0)
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Depth through which the domain-scale
lapse rate is computed (ZUPT)        Default: 200.  ! ZUPT = 200. !
(Used only if IDIOPT2 = 0)          Units: meters
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Domain-averaged wind components
(IDIOPT3)                            Default: 0      ! IDIOPT3 = 0 !
0 = Compute internally from
  twice-daily upper air observations
1 = Read hourly preprocessed values
  a data file (DIAG.DAT)

Upper air station to use for
the domain-scale winds (IUPWND)      Default: -1    ! IUPWND = -1 !
(Must be a value from -1 to NUSTA)
(Used only if IDIOPT3 = 0)
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Bottom and top of layer through
which the domain-scale winds
are computed
(ZUPWND(1), ZUPWND(2))              Defaults: 1., 1000. ! ZUPWND= 1., 1000. !
(Used only if IDIOPT3 = 0)          Units: meters
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Observed surface wind components
for wind field module (IDIOPT4)      Default: 0      ! IDIOPT4 = 0 !
0 = Read WS, WD from a surface
  data file (SURF.DAT)
1 = Read hourly preprocessed U, V from
  a data file (DIAG.DAT)

Observed upper air wind components
for wind field module (IDIOPT5)      Default: 0      ! IDIOPT5 = 0 !
0 = Read WS, WD from an upper
  air data file (UP1.DAT, UP2.DAT, etc.)
1 = Read hourly preprocessed U, V from
  a data file (DIAG.DAT)

LAKE BREEZE INFORMATION

Use Lake Breeze Module (LLBREZE)
                                     Default: F      ! LLBREZE = F !

Number of lake breeze regions (NBOX) ! NBOX = 0 !

X Grid line 1 defining the region of interest ! XG1 = 0. !
X Grid line 2 defining the region of interest ! XG2 = 0. !

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Y Grid line 1 defining the region of interest
! YG1 = 0. !

Y Grid line 2 defining the region of interest
! YG2 = 0. !

X Point defining the coastline (Straight line)
(XBCST) (KM) Default: none ! XBCST = 0. !

Y Point defining the coastline (Straight line)
(YBCST) (KM) Default: none ! YBCST = 0. !

X Point defining the coastline (Straight line)
(XECST) (KM) Default: none ! XECST = 0. !

Y Point defining the coastline (Straight line)
(YECST) (KM) Default: none ! YECST = 0. !

Number of stations in the region Default: none ! NLB = 0 !
(Surface stations + upper air stations)

Station ID's in the region (METBXID(NLB))
(Surface stations first, then upper air stations)
! METBXID = 0 !

!END!

INPUT GROUP: 6 -- Mixing Height, Temperature and Precipitation Parameters

EMPIRICAL MIXING HEIGHT CONSTANTS

Neutral, mechanical equation (CONSTB)	Default: 1.41	! CONSTB = 1.41 !
Convective mixing ht. equation (CONSTE)	Default: 0.15	! CONSTE = 0.15 !
Stable mixing ht. equation (CONSTN)	Default: 2400.	! CONSTN = 2400.!
Overwater mixing ht. equation (CONSTW)	Default: 0.16	! CONSTW = 0.16 !
Absolute value of Coriolis parameter (FCORIOI)	Default: 1.E-4	! FCORIOI = 1.0E-04! Units: (1/s)

SPATIAL AVERAGING OF MIXING HEIGHTS

Conduct spatial averaging (IAVEZI) (0=no, 1=yes)	Default: 1	! IAVEZI = 1 !
Max. search radius in averaging process (MNMDAV)	Default: 1	! MNMDAV = 1 ! Units: Grid cells
Half-angle of upwind looking cone for averaging (HAFANG)	Default: 30.	! HAFANG = 30. ! Units: deg.
Layer of winds used in upwind averaging (ILEVZI) (must be between 1 and NZ)	Default: 1	! ILEVZI = 1 !

CONVECTIVE MIXING HEIGHT OPTIONS:

Method to compute the convective mixing height(IMIHXX)	Default: 1	! IMIHXX = -1 !
1: Maul-Carson for land and water cells		
-1: Maul-Carson for land cells only - OCD mixing height overwater		
2: Batchvarova and Gryning for land and water cells		
-2: Batchvarova and Gryning for land cells only OCD mixing height overwater		

Threshold buoyancy flux required to
sustain convective mixing height growth
overland (THRESHL) Default: 0.0 ! THRESHL = 0.0 !
(expressed as a heat flux units: W/m3
per meter of boundary layer)

Threshold buoyancy flux required to
sustain convective mixing height growth
overwater (THRESHW) Default: 0.05 ! THRESHW = 0.05 !
(expressed as a heat flux units: W/m3
per meter of boundary layer)

Option for overwater lapse rates used
in convective mixing height growth
(ITWPROG) Default: 0 ! ITWPROG = 0 !
0 : use SEA.DAT lapse rates and deltaT (or assume neutral
conditions if missing)
1 : use prognostic lapse rates (only if IPROG>2)
and SEA.DAT deltaT (or neutral if missing)
2 : use prognostic lapse rates and prognostic delta T
(only if iprog>12 and 3D.DAT version# 2.0 or higher)

Land Use category ocean in 3D.DAT datasets
(ILUOC3D) Default: 16 ! ILUOC3D = 16 !
Note: if 3D.DAT from MM5 version 3.0, iluoc3d = 16
if MM4.DAT, typically iluoc3d = 7

OTHER MIXING HEIGHT VARIABLES

Minimum potential temperature lapse
rate in the stable layer above the
current convective mixing ht. Default: 0.001 ! DPTMIN = 0.001 !
(DPTMIN) Units: deg. K/m
Depth of layer above current conv.
mixing height through which lapse
rate is computed (DZZI) Default: 200. ! DZZI = 200. !
Units: meters
Minimum overland mixing height Default: 50. ! ZIMIN = 50. !
(ZIMIN) Units: meters
Maximum overland mixing height Default: 3000. ! ZIMAX = 3000. !
(ZIMAX) Units: meters
Minimum overwater mixing height Default: 50. ! ZIMINW = 50. !
(ZIMINW) -- (Not used if observed overwater mixing hts. are used)
Units: meters
Maximum overwater mixing height Default: 3000. ! ZIMAXW = 3000. !
(ZIMAXW) -- (Not used if observed overwater mixing hts. are used)
Units: meters

OVERWATER SURFACE FLUXES METHOD and PARAMETERS

(ICOARE) Default: 10 ! ICOARE = 0 !
0: original deltaT method (OCD)
10: COARE with no wave parameterization (jwave=0, Charnock)
11: COARE with wave option jwave=1 (Oost et al.)
and default wave properties
-11: COARE with wave option jwave=1 (Oost et al.)
and observed wave properties (must be in SEA.DAT files)
12: COARE with wave option 2 (Taylor and Yelland)
and default wave properties
-12: COARE with wave option 2 (Taylor and Yelland)
and observed wave properties (must be in SEA.DAT files)

Note: When ICOARE=0, similarity wind profile stability PSI functions
based on Van Ulden and Holtslag (1985) are substituted for
later formulations used with the COARE module, and temperatures
used for surface layer parameters are obtained from either the
nearest surface station temperature or prognostic model 2D
temperatures (if ITPROG=2).

Coastal/Shallow water length scale (DSHELF)
(for modified z0 in shallow water)

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( COARE fluxes only)
                                Default : 0.      ! DSHELF = 0. !
                                units: km

COARE warm layer computation (IWARM)      ! IWARM = 0  !
1: on - 0: off (must be off if SST measured with
IR radiometer)                          Default: 0

COARE cool skin layer computation (ICOOL)  ! ICOOL = 0  !
1: on - 0: off (must be off if SST measured with
IR radiometer)                          Default: 0

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TEMPERATURE PARAMETERS

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3D temperature from observations or
from prognostic data? (ITPROG)          Default:0      ! ITPROG = 0  !

0 = Use Surface and upper air stations
    (only if NOOBS = 0)
1 = Use Surface stations (no upper air observations)
    Use MM5/3D for upper air data
    (only if NOOBS = 0,1)
2 = No surface or upper air observations
    Use MM5/3D for surface and upper air data
    (only if NOOBS = 0,1,2)

Interpolation type
(1 = 1/R ; 2 = 1/R**2)                  Default:1      ! IRAD = 1  !

Radius of influence for temperature
interpolation (TRADKM)                  Default: 500.  ! TRADKM = 500. !
Units: km

Maximum Number of stations to include
in temperature interpolation (NUMTS)     Default: 5      ! NUMTS = 5  !

Conduct spatial averaging of temp-
eratures (IAVET) (0=no, 1=yes)          Default: 1      ! IAVET = 1  !
(will use mixing ht MNMDAV,HAFANG
so make sure they are correct)

Default temperature gradient
below the mixing height over
water (TGDEFB)                          Default: -.0098 ! TGDEFB = -0.0098 !
Units: K/m

Default temperature gradient
above the mixing height over
water (TGDEFA)                          Default: -.0045 ! TGDEFA = -0.0045 !
Units: K/m

Beginning (JWAT1) and ending (JWAT2)
land use categories for temperature
interpolation over water -- Make
bigger than largest land use to disable ! JWAT1 = 55  !
! JWAT2 = 55  !

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PRECIP INTERPOLATION PARAMETERS

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Method of interpolation (NFLAGP)          Default: 2      ! NFLAGP = 2  !
(1=1/R,2=1/R**2,3=EXP/R**2)

Radius of Influence (SIGMAP)             Default: 100.0 ! SIGMAP = 100. !
(0.0 => use half dist. btwn
nearest stns w & w/out
precip when NFLAGP = 3)
Units: km

Minimum Precip. Rate Cutoff (CUTP)      Default: 0.01  ! CUTP = 0.01 !
(values < CUTP = 0.0 mm/hr)
Units: mm/hr

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!END!

INPUT GROUP: 7 -- Surface meteorological station parameters

SURFACE STATION VARIABLES

(One record per station -- 250 records in all)

1 2

Name	ID	X coord. (km)	Y coord. (km)	Time zone	Anem. Ht. (m)
! SS1	'CYBR'	711400	-132.737961	1040.684570	7 10 !
! SS002	'CWNK'	711470	-2.262997	995.140137	7 10 !
! SS003	'CWPO'	711480	-62.049206	963.792969	7 10 !
! SS004	'CWZE'	711700	-91.927345	1038.115110	7 10 !
! SS005	'CWDV'	714350	520.234131	968.333252	7 10 !
! SS006	'CWGN'	714410	29.940273	945.930359	7 10 !
! SS007	'CWEI'	714470	-205.322525	975.742554	7 10 !
! SS008	'CWSU'	714490	165.977509	946.451843	7 10 !
! SS009	'CWWF'	714520	-396.077026	1029.438350	7 10 !
! SS010	'EMER'	715600	53.065262	942.609009	7 10 !
! SS011	'CXMD'	715640	-5.724126	961.681702	7 10 !
! SS012	'WINN'	715790	59.056881	1035.899780	7 10 !
! SS013	'CZHD'	715820	357.821838	1039.401120	7 10 !
! SS014	'ATIK'	717470	441.910736	933.946167	7 10 !
! SS015	'CXDW'	718400	-21.778795	984.620911	7 10 !
! SS016	'CYHD'	718425	358.876953	1041.158940	7 10 !
! SS017	'CXWN'	718430	59.056881	1035.899780	7 10 !
! SS018	'WASP'	718490	52.213905	1039.430420	7 10 !
! SS019	'CYQK'	718500	247.840500	1030.198360	7 10 !
! SS020	'CYPG'	718510	-18.181787	1037.431640	7 10 !
! SS021	'CYWG'	718520	52.229706	1037.633420	7 10 !
! SS022	'CYEN'	718620	-342.161255	975.010742	7 10 !
! SS023	'KHZX'	720258	337.785278	701.057190	7 10 !
! SS024	'KFKA'	720283	440.500244	398.718048	7 10 !
! SS025	'KIIB'	720293	465.955536	272.288361	7 10 !
! SS026	'KVTI'	720326	462.249084	247.538208	7 10 !
! SS027	'KLUM'	720327	454.199249	527.013367	7 10 !
! SS028	'KCKP'	720344	187.478500	287.882965	7 10 !
! SS029	'KPEX'	720367	239.019058	565.214783	7 10 !
! SS030	'KDVP'	720368	166.747665	418.091461	7 10 !
! SS031	'KSYN'	722003	371.754822	478.146027	7 10 !
! SS032	'KBWP'	722004	100.999161	653.452332	7 10 !
! SS033	'KLYV'	722006	134.958801	379.514679	7 10 !
! SS034	'KACQ'	722032	333.878906	433.998291	7 10 !
! SS035	'KGDB'	722033	181.560699	499.042145	7 10 !
! SS036	'KCFE'	722114	307.498352	545.390259	7 10 !
! SS037	'KJKJ'	722129	96.844124	715.808105	7 10 !
! SS038	'KMGG'	722144	296.022736	553.863770	7 10 !
! SS039	'KOVL'	722168	221.420837	503.003906	7 10 !
! SS040	'KRNH'	722179	403.259186	550.473206	7 10 !
! SS041	'KRZN'	722183	411.001251	621.797424	7 10 !
! SS042	'KSFY'	722204	611.118896	241.281296	7 10 !
! SS043	'KLCG'	722241	78.773186	234.543762	7 10 !
! SS044	'KCNB'	722252	128.874329	495.268707	7 10 !
! SS045	'KTKC'	722342	179.218750	446.241730	7 10 !
! SS046	'KRCX'	723758	513.212524	594.974731	7 10 !
! SS047	'KAXA'	725457	284.761230	327.492554	7 10 !
! SS048	'KCAV'	725458	325.802399	294.237671	7 10 !
! SS049	'KMIW'	725461	393.433167	232.077042	7 10 !
! SS050	'KCCY'	725463	411.742310	333.622681	7 10 !
! SS051	'KCIN'	725468	249.315628	218.213760	7 10 !
! SS052	'KDBQ'	725470	562.008728	273.891357	7 10 !
! SS053	'KAMW'	725472	339.960693	217.356750	7 10 !
! SS054	'KMXO'	725475	529.074829	252.985184	7 10 !
! SS055	'KDEH'	725476	476.241272	359.092377	7 10 !
! SS056	'KEBS'	725478	318.428436	261.887787	7 10 !
! SS057	'KALO'	725480	430.451233	280.485382	7 10 !
! SS058	'KLRJ'	725484	139.213089	291.510315	7 10 !
! SS059	'KMCW'	725485	355.652557	339.276703	7 10 !
! SS060	'KBNW'	725486	322.820679	221.638809	7 10 !
! SS061	'KOLZ'	725488	462.849091	295.942047	7 10 !
! SS062	'KORC'	725489	148.912033	313.869507	7 10 !
! SS063	'KFOD'	725490	284.697876	278.665985	7 10 !
! SS064	'KSHL'	725495	164.999420	337.029449	7 10 !
! SS065	'KSLB'	725496	212.618134	274.528046	7 10 !
! SS066	'KANW'	725556	-152.562332	271.011780	7 10 !
! SS067	'KONL'	725566	-52.690170	258.100037	7 10 !
! SS068	'KSUX'	725570	125.017456	250.804749	7 10 !
! SS069	'KAIA'	725635	-371.946045	225.001831	7 10 !
! SS070	'KCDR'	725636	-390.018555	307.721893	7 10 !
! SS071	'KVTN'	725670	-195.296432	301.377747	7 10 !

! SS072 = 'KTOR',	725763,	-476.574402	232.416214	7	10 !
! SS073 = 'KLNK',	726416,	594.580078	362.063934	7	10 !
! SS074 = 'KMDZ',	726417,	567.921021	557.987793	7	10 !
! SS075 = 'KOEK',	726418,	390.745178	566.480835	7	10 !
! SS076 = 'KASX',	726419,	510.271820	705.353516	7	10 !
! SS077 = 'KSUW',	726427,	424.747314	713.702942	7	10 !
! SS078 = 'KLSE',	726430,	508.635651	411.707031	7	10 !
! SS079 = 'KEAU',	726435,	482.727417	526.252747	7	10 !
! SS080 = 'KVOK',	726436,	581.265625	437.046356	7	10 !
! SS081 = 'KCMY',	726437,	546.142822	436.117981	7	10 !
! SS082 = 'KOVJ',	726438,	557.368958	352.953308	7	10 !
! SS083 = 'KRST',	726440,	414.564484	420.806641	7	10 !
! SS084 = 'KPDC',	726444,	525.151245	335.964905	7	10 !
! SS085 = 'KAQP',	726466,	146.927185	547.887634	7	10 !
! SS086 = 'KRPD',	726467,	457.289001	582.535217	7	10 !
! SS087 = 'KPBH',	726468,	555.096680	620.769592	7	10 !
! SS088 = 'KEST',	726499,	246.954147	360.483246	7	10 !
! SS089 = 'KSPW',	726500,	213.177475	333.802368	7	10 !
! SS090 = 'KMRJ',	726507,	593.426697	327.873383	7	10 !
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! SS169 = 'KINL',	727470,	320.312805	905.074768	7	10 !
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! SS182 = 'KBBB',	727507,	172.873306	559.424866	7	10 !
! SS183 = 'KPWC',	727508,	260.166504	708.491943	7	10 !
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! SS185 = 'KVVV',	727515,	116.557121	555.432495	7	10 !
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! SS196 = 'KGFK',	727576,	58.054287	831.958191	7	10 !
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! SS209 = 'SLVM',	997737,	492.508667	779.533997	7	10 !
! SS210 = 'SXHW',	997738,	545.045349	710.175049	7	10 !
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! SS213 = 'CWKK',	714680,	659.087	1054.620	7	10 !
! SS214 = 'CZTB',	716670,	605.270	905.768	7	10 !
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1
Four character string for station name
(MUST START IN COLUMN 9)

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2
Six digit integer for station ID

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!END!
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INPUT GROUP: 8 -- Upper air meteorological station parameters
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UPPER AIR STATION VARIABLES
(One record per station -- 10 records in all)

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	1	2				
	Name	ID	X coord.	Y coord.	Time zone	
			(km)	(km)		
! US1	= 'ABR'	14929	-30.853664	569.526855	7	!
! US2	= 'BIS'	24011	-197.624863	710.933411	7	!
! US3	= 'DVN'	94982	579.394958	191.740204	7	!
! US4	= 'GGW'	94008	-603.732971	887.948792	7	!
! US5	= 'GRB'	14898	734.982605	509.566772	7	!
! US6	= 'INL'	14918	321.891815	905.579956	7	!
! US7	= 'LBF'	24023	-210.715042	121.217461	7	!
! US8	= 'MPX'	94983	330.071899	512.976318	7	!
! US9	= 'OAX'	94980	127.800606	139.010620	7	!
! US0	= 'UNR'	94043	-391.126526	436.751404	7	!

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1
Four character string for station name
(MUST START IN COLUMN 9)

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2
Five digit integer for station ID

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!END!
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INPUT GROUP: 9 -- Precipitation station parameters
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PRECIPITATION STATION VARIABLES
 (One record per station -- 267 records in all)
 (NOT INCLUDED IF NPSTA = 0)

1	2			
Name	Station Code	X coord. (km)	Y coord. (km)	
! PS1	'BVDI', 110583,	704.8387	272.3856	!
! PS002	'FEEI', 113262,	647.5109	271.0132	!
! PS003	'LNKI', 114879,	631.2090	247.9581	!
! PS004	'MHYI', 115493,	751.1465	283.1947	!
! PS005	'KRFD', 117382,	687.8933	264.1178	!
! PS006	'AMSI', 130200,	327.6863	218.9460	!
! PS007	'BLVI', 130608,	584.8422	261.4843	!
! PS008	'BYRI', 130853,	217.6606	225.4780	!
! PS009	'CASI', 131257,	539.0943	261.5334	!
! PS010	'CCTI', 131363,	500.1082	248.3606	!
! PS011	'CKPI', 131442,	188.7850	290.5321	!
! PS012	'KDBQ', 132367,	562.0087	273.8914	!
! PS013	'FSCI', 132977,	332.1617	351.2404	!
! PS014	'HORI', 133944,	148.3817	226.7336	!
! PS015	'HBTI', 133980,	289.6530	290.3780	!
! PS016	'IDGI', 134038,	191.6283	252.6864	!
! PS017	'IWAI', 134142,	365.1421	272.9465	!
! PS018	'MSHI', 135198,	393.2604	227.0463	!
! PS019	'KMCW', 135235,	355.9792	338.8755	!
! PS020	'MGGI', 135315,	520.6938	336.1376	!
! PS021	'MOVI', 135823,	148.6746	262.4633	!
! PS022	'OCHI', 136190,	187.3795	359.1556	!
! PS023	'OGDI', 136209,	306.8351	219.8488	!
! PS024	'REMI', 136975,	155.4437	295.9428	!
! PS025	'RINI', 137058,	265.1759	349.3717	!
! PS026	'RWCI', 137167,	259.9339	254.6663	!
! PS027	'SANI', 137326,	385.8669	364.4076	!
! PS028	'SHFI', 137572,	360.6382	314.8558	!
! PS029	'SHRI', 137602,	413.0282	295.5028	!
! PS030	'SIBI', 137664,	173.7475	363.5918	!
! PS031	'SIXI', 137700,	140.9742	320.5928	!
! PS032	'KSUX', 137708,	125.0175	250.8047	!
! PS033	'K3SE', 137844,	217.3630	334.0425	!
! PS034	'SPLI', 137855,	460.0540	350.6164	!
! PS035	'STYI', 137985,	341.7265	236.1608	!
! PS036	'SPTI', 138009,	495.9100	298.6285	!
! PS037	'TREI', 138315,	427.3502	241.8837	!
! PS038	'KALO', 138706,	430.4512	280.4854	!
! PS039	'WEBI', 138806,	323.6514	265.5879	!
! PS040	'ALBM', 200089,	684.2539	732.0740	!
! PS041	'BRUM', 201088,	635.1568	715.0804	!
! PS042	'IRNM', 204090,	722.8865	645.7775	!
! PS043	'KENM', 204328,	657.2375	712.0861	!
! PS044	'ONGM', 206215,	622.5252	747.8704	!
! PS045	'STMM', 207812,	680.3516	669.5223	!
! PS046	'WAKM', 208559,	581.8848	704.2177	!
! PS047	'ALBM', 210075,	355.3395	386.1382	!
! PS048	'KAXN', 210112,	190.1019	616.1816	!
! PS049	'AXNM', 210116,	192.0553	619.1755	!
! PS050	'AMBM', 210157,	288.7599	411.9700	!
! PS051	'BGFM', 210746,	294.6127	864.8739	!
! PS052	'BKKM', 210973,	102.1184	655.9871	!
! PS053	'BUFM', 211107,	303.8945	548.1531	!
! PS054	'CMBM', 211227,	357.2755	590.0135	!
! PS055	'RLWM', 211250,	196.2616	904.4382	!
! PS056	'CANM', 211263,	128.1724	493.1620	!
! PS057	'DDGM', 212166,	384.4749	433.4247	!
! PS058	'KDLH', 212248,	417.3215	728.7693	!
! PS059	'ELYM', 212543,	432.4948	844.2844	!
! PS060	'ELVM', 212645,	388.3740	792.2442	!
! PS061	'FLDM', 212842,	367.2563	739.9268	!
! PS062	'FSSM', 212916,	161.3947	793.3084	!
! PS063	'FRZM', 212964,	164.9626	706.2097	!
! PS064	'GOLM', 213202,	339.6924	530.6596	!
! PS065	'GDPM', 213296,	584.3096	861.8482	!
! PS066	'GTEM', 213311,	181.4707	504.9010	!

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! PS068 = 'GNFM',	213417,	498.9962	874.2490	!
! PS069 = 'HLSM',	213463,	82.9847	769.6907	!
! PS070 = 'HLYM',	213863,	404.9866	689.0575	!
! PS071 = 'HSNM',	213962,	269.0934	518.4244	!
! PS072 = 'KINL',	214026,	320.6607	905.0931	!
! PS073 = 'LCRM',	214418,	503.6740	423.0656	!
! PS074 = 'LKFM',	214453,	215.1507	390.1127	!
! PS075 = 'FEDM',	214652,	269.2213	763.7258	!
! PS076 = 'LESM',	214721,	305.6771	474.0750	!
! PS077 = 'LTFM',	214793,	265.6005	631.9966	!
! PS078 = 'LUVM',	214937,	135.9208	384.2386	!
! PS079 = 'MRSM',	215175,	307.8797	805.9199	!
! PS080 = 'KMSP',	215435,	353.5560	519.7719	!
! PS081 = 'NRFM',	215987,	360.9039	478.3724	!
! PS082 = 'ONMM',	216166,	314.9640	642.0206	!
! PS083 = 'ORWM',	216228,	132.1633	650.9859	!
! PS084 = 'PKGMM',	216612,	314.5689	766.2769	!
! PS085 = 'RIAM',	216795,	210.4573	827.7108	!
! PS086 = 'RDWM',	216822,	401.1355	493.9360	!
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! PS089 = 'KSTC',	217294,	289.5603	585.7471	!
! PS090 = 'SDYM',	217460,	336.0036	719.4551	!
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! PS093 = 'SPRM',	217917,	482.1662	394.8293	!
! PS094 = 'SPGM',	217941,	423.4222	399.2727	!
! PS095 = 'TLRM',	218235,	142.8105	889.9860	!
! PS096 = 'TOFM',	218280,	506.4730	812.3920	!
! PS097 = 'TCYM',	218323,	177.4506	445.1472	!
! PS098 = 'TWNM',	218411,	121.8223	756.6730	!
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! PS100 = 'WAKM',	218621,	244.9690	747.1674	!
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! PS183 = 'LEMS',	394864,	-302.8922	628.0018	!
! PS184 = 'MCIS',	395381,	-239.2239	614.5892	!
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! PS208 = 'AFTW',	470045,	685.2767	311.5101	!
! PS209 = 'ALMW',	470124,	454.5445	467.7898	!
! PS210 = 'ARLW',	470308,	658.3940	377.4543	!
! PS211 = 'AEFW',	470349,	506.3299	707.5601	!
! PS212 = 'BBCW',	470456,	588.1370	475.5576	!
! PS213 = 'BLKW',	470855,	534.3033	469.9684	!
! PS214 = 'BVLW',	470890,	622.5366	323.1918	!

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! PS221 = 'CBCW',	471913,	578.7880	299.1148	!
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! PS227 = 'HYRW',	473511,	472.1889	644.6486	!
! PS228 = 'THRW',	473636,	660.4031	627.8968	!
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! PS234 = 'LANW',	474546,	551.7680	318.1030	!
! PS235 = 'LUCW',	474894,	404.0576	595.1112	!
! PS236 = 'LYNW',	474937,	524.9281	356.1731	!
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! PS238 = 'MFDW',	475120,	584.9993	510.2444	!
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! PS240 = 'MENW',	475335,	449.3014	524.7825	!
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! PS243 = 'MNGW',	475524,	448.9307	653.5699	!
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! PS245 = 'PKFW',	476398,	549.4885	643.9443	!
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! PS248 = 'PRNW',	476854,	564.8926	604.7028	!
! PS249 = 'LTKW',	476939,	615.9632	639.5358	!
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! PS252 = 'SPOW',	478027,	446.7621	624.3160	!
! PS253 = 'STMW',	478259,	492.2289	488.2560	!
! PS254 = 'KMKX',	478316,	720.9299	348.8920	!
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! PS256 = 'TREW',	478589,	493.0102	436.1974	!
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! PS262 = 'MCTW',	486395,	-518.7186	461.0498	!
! PS263 = 'MCKW',	486603,	-472.6974	370.2560	!
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! PS266 = 'TORW',	488995,	-481.9526	234.3690	!
! PS267 = 'WLDW',	489615,	-537.7224	241.8340	!

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Four character string for station name
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Six digit station code composed of state
code (first 2 digits) and station ID (last
4 digits)

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