Supplementary of

Retrieval of Gridded Aerosol Direct Radiative Forcing Based on Multi-platform Datasets

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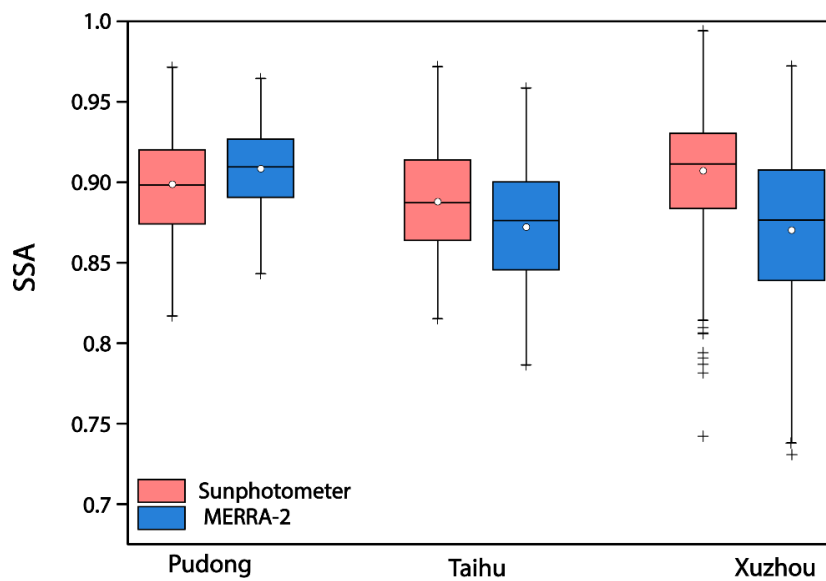
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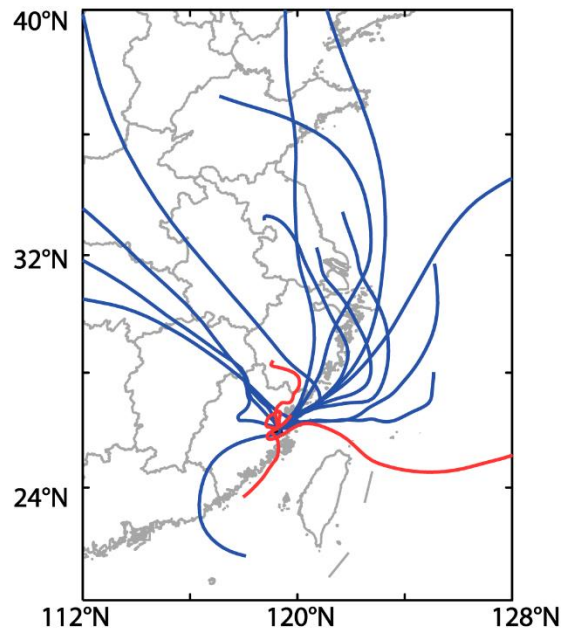
Figure S1. The boxplot of MERRA-2 SSA and sunphotometer in Pudong, Taihu, and Xuzhou. The central marks in each box are the median value while the lower and upper edges of the boxes indicate 25th and 75th percentiles. The whiskers show extreme values and the outliers are maked with "+".

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Figure S2. 48 h backward trajectories of air mass by HYSPLIT 4, which are terminating at Fuzhou at 500m altitude level. Blue lines are the trajectories with negative relative error and the red lines are the tragectories with positive relative error.

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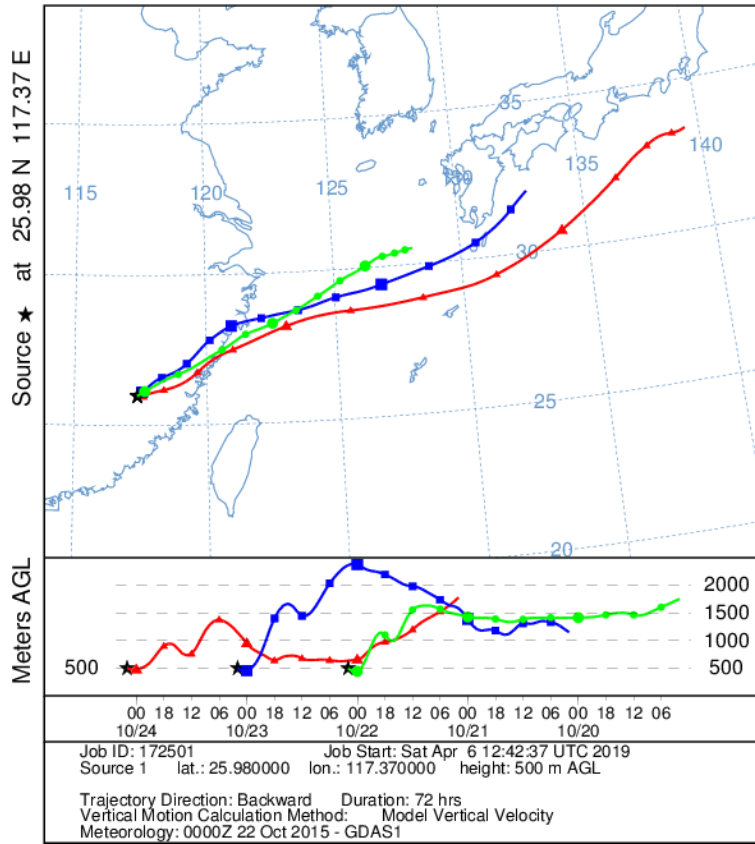
Figure S3. 48 h backward trajectories of air mass arriving at Yong'an at 500m altitude level and calculated every 24 h from October 22 to October 24, 2015. The start time is 2:00 (UTC) during satellite passing by.

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