## Supplement of

## Global 3-D distribution of aerosol composition by synergistic use of CALIOP and MODIS observations

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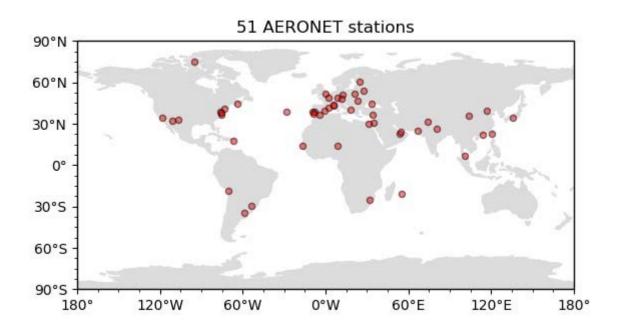


Figure S1. The AERONET stations used in the comparison of Sect. 5.2.

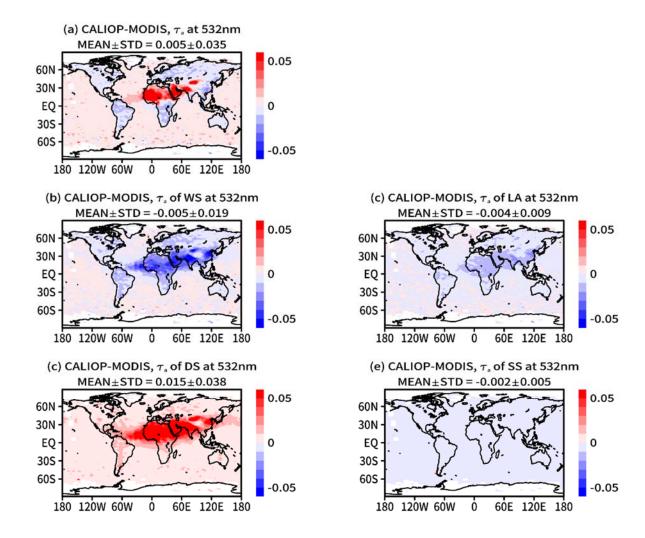


Figure S2. Horizontal distributions of the differences in the retrieved  $\tau_a$  of (a) total aerosols, (b) WS, (c) LA, (d) DS, and (e) SS between the retrievals with spheroid and Voronoi models. At the top of each panel, MEAN±STD indicates the global mean and its standard deviation.

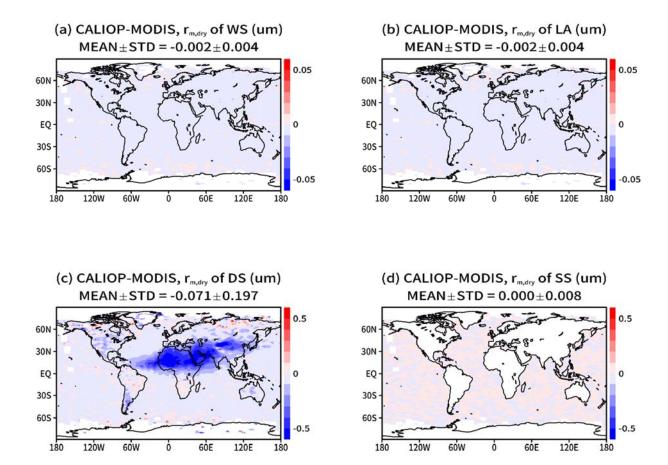


Figure S3. Horizontal distributions of the differences in the retrieved  $r_{m,dry}$  of (a) WS, (b) LA), (c) DS, and (d) SS between the retrievals with spheroid and Voronoi models. At the top of each panel, MEAN $\pm$ STD indicates the global mean and its standard deviation.

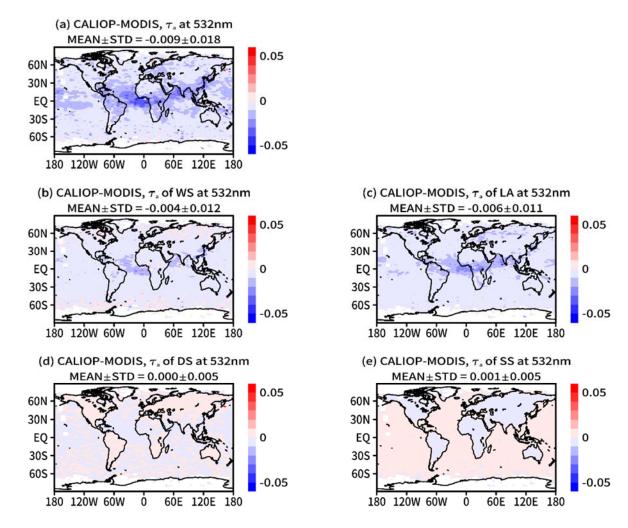


Figure S4. Horizontal distributions of differences in the retrieved  $\tau_a$  of (a) total aerosols, (b) WS, (c) LA, (d) DS, and (e) SS between the retrievals with BC volume fractions of 15 % and 30 %. At the top of each panel, MEAN $\pm$ STD indicates the global mean and its standard deviation.