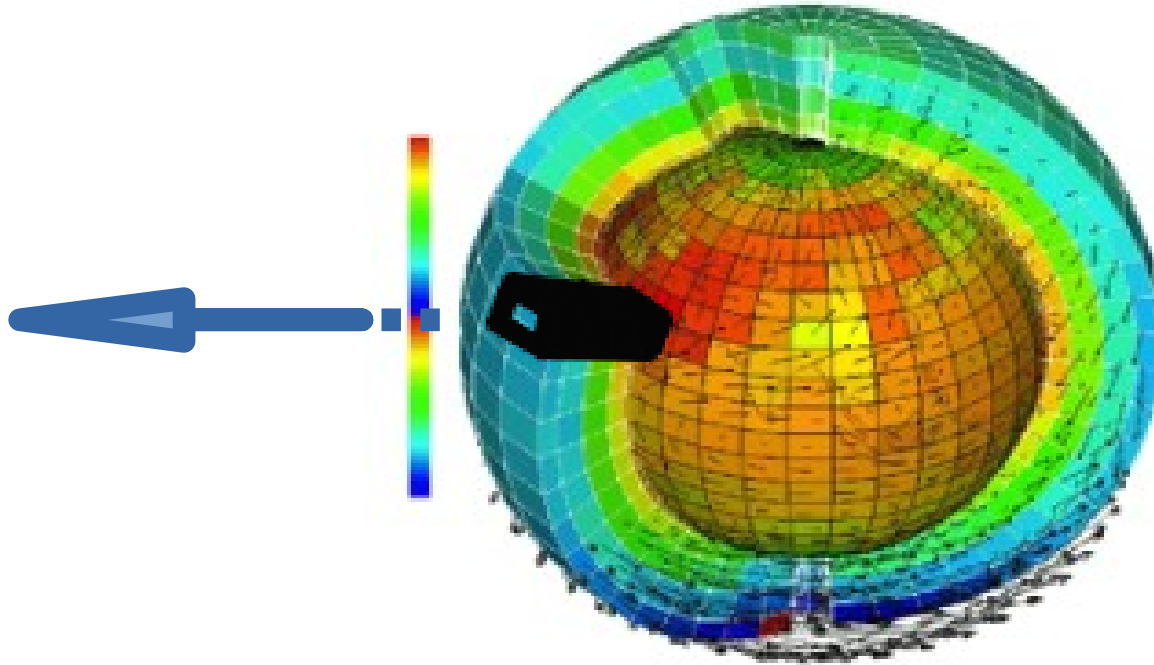


# LMDZ Single Column Model



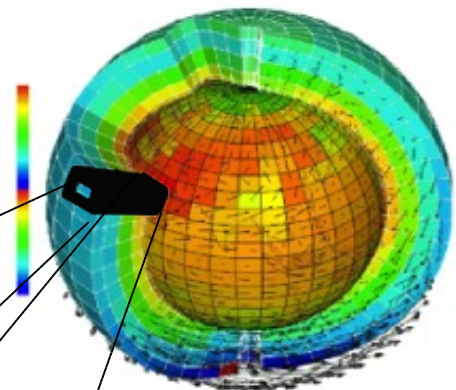
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# Why running LMDZ in a 1D (single column) mode ?

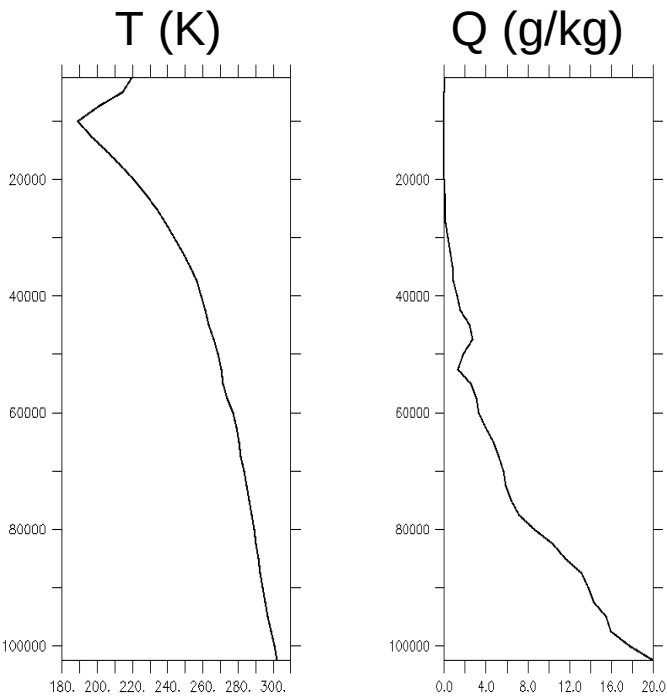
- To evaluate/develop the physical part of the model regardless of the dynamical part → central in the model development process
- To make quick sensitivity tests
- To carry out process-oriented studies
- To tune the model (see F. Hourdin's presentation)
- For teaching

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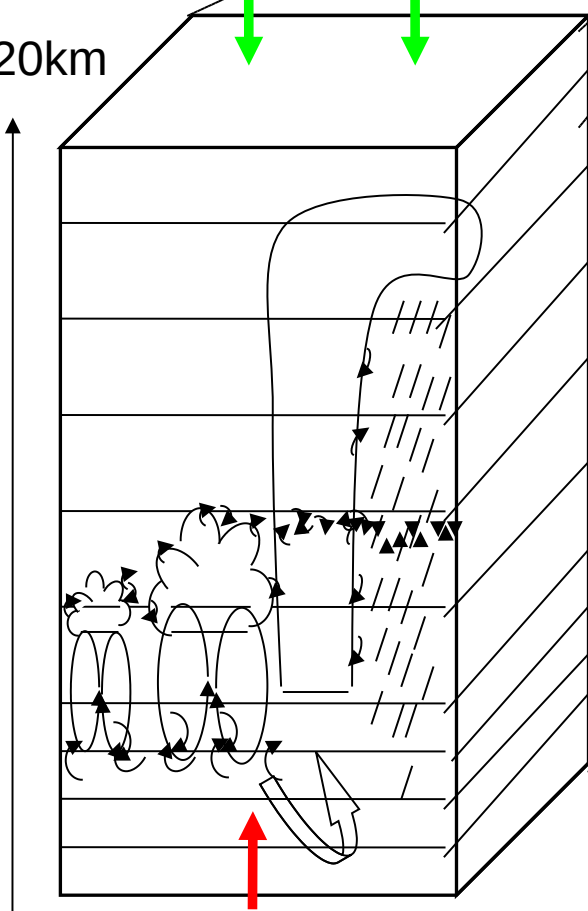
# LMDZ in 1D (1 column) mode



1/ Initial conditions:



$z \sim 20\text{km}$



3/ Large scale forcings

Temperature, humidity,  
Wind advection

2/ Surface conditions:

Surface fluxes or  
Surface temperature

$\Delta x =$   
20-300 km

# The 1D 'case' concept

A 'case' is:

- a set of initial conditions
- a set of lateral (and sometimes surface) forcings
- surface properties

Note that, as the large scale dynamics is prescribed through forcings, 1D 'cases' make it possible to thoroughly explore and assess the 'physics' of the model

Different 'cases' have been built - with different degrees of idealisation - to study various aspects of the physics (clouds, deep convection, boundary-layer dynamics ..)

Recent development of the so-called international standard 'DEPHY' format for 1D cases  
<https://github.com/GdR-DEPHY/DEPHY-SCM/>

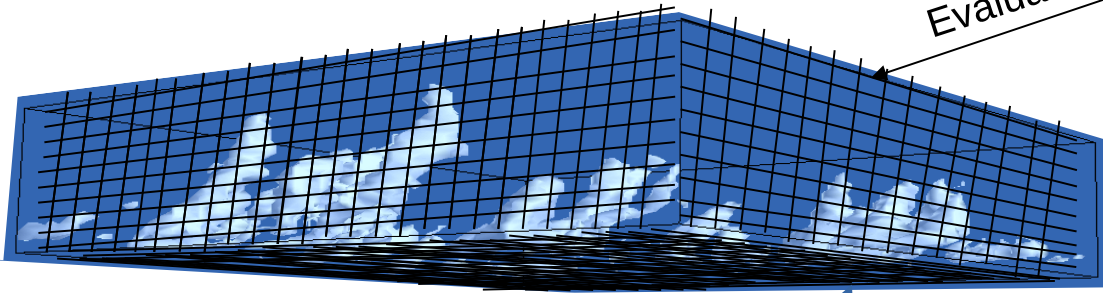
# How 1D cases are built ?



Test case, field campaign experiment

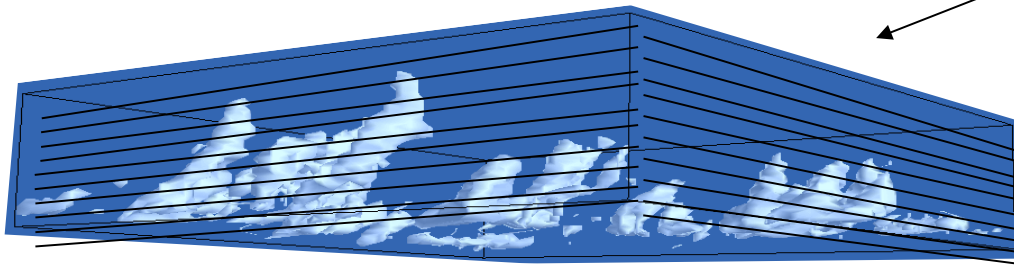


Observation



Explicit simulations, Grid cell, 20-100 m

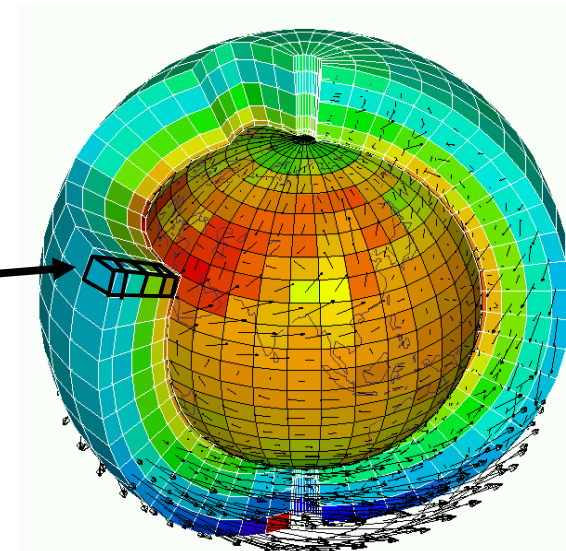
Evaluation



Climate model, parameterizations, « single-column » mode

Evaluation

« Large scale »  
conditions  
imposed



# Available cases correspond to different meteorological situations

## Dry and shallow convection

**ARMCU** (diurnal cycle of shallow cumulus over land)

**RICO** (Rain In Cumulus over Ocean, shallow precipitating cumulus over sea)

**AYOTTE** (convective boundary layer, sky clear )



## Stratocumulus and transition to cumulus

**SANDU** (transition case with 3 options : variation of SST)

**FIRE** (diurnal cycle of stratocumulus)



## Deep convection over ocean:

**Toga**

**case\_e** (part of Toga)

**TWPICE** : off the coast of Darwin



## Deep convection over land:

**Hapex** : african monsoon

**AMMA** : african monsoon

Idealized case:

**eq\_rad\_conv** (RCE) : radiative and convection scheme active



**DICE** case : characterize boundary layer  
In the site of SGP during 3 days/nights  
May be coupled with soil model



**Cindy Dynamo** case (Madden Julian  
Oscillation study, intraseasonal  
variability in the tropical atmosphere)



**GABLS4** case : interaction of a  
very stable boundary layer with a  
snow surface

**MPACE** case : mixte phase in  
Arctica. Shallow convection with  
Stratocumulus developing at the  
top of boundary layer

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# How to install 1D model ?

```
cd LMDZ*****
```

```
wget
```

```
http://www.lmd.jussieu.fr/~lmdz/Distrib/1D/1D.tar.gz
```

```
tar xvzf 1D.tar.gz
```

```
cd 1D
```

```
./run.sh (COMPILE the model and run the cases)
```



# Have a look in run.sh

Which case(s) ?

```
listecas="ARMCU/REF bomex "
```

Which physics ?

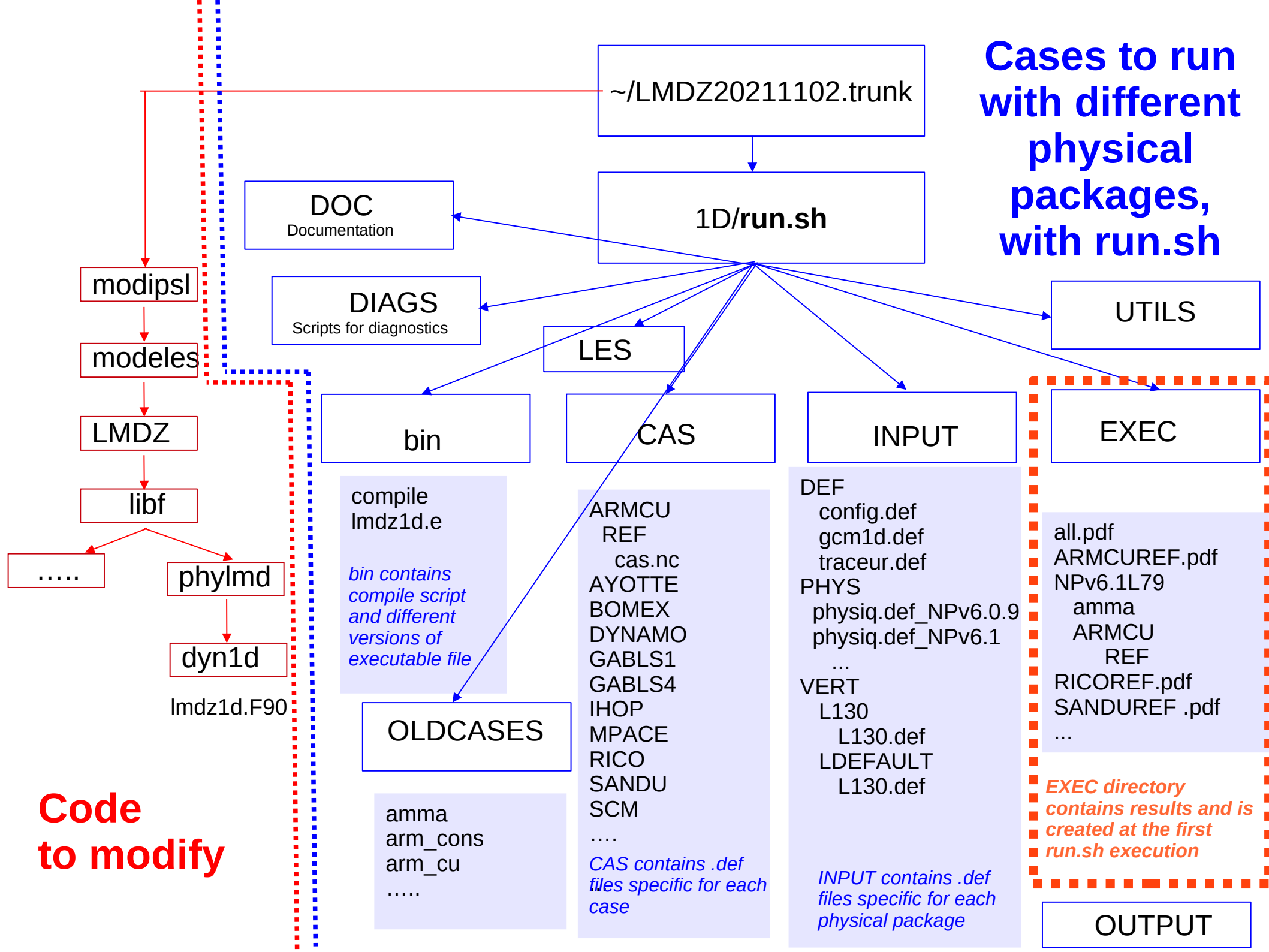
```
listedef="6A"
```

Number of levels ?

```
LLM="79" # imposing the number of vertical level (default 79)  
# default values for various cases are defined bellow
```

```
day_step="" # number of physical steps per day  
flag_output_commun="1"
```

# Cases to run with different physical packages, with run.sh



**Code to modify**

*EXEC directory contains results and is created at the first run.sh execution*

**OUTPUT**

# Common input and output format

We've defined an international common format for forcings and output files.

**For cases which are up to date in CAS:** ARMCU, AYOTTE, BOMEX, DYNAMO, GABLS1, GABLS4, IHOP, MPACE, RICO, SANDU, SCMS

- + common forcings file is **cas.nc**
- + common output file is **hourly\_std.nc**
- + there is also histhf.nc or hourly.nc

**For the other cases in OLDCASES :**

- + forcings file is case\_name.nc or prof.inp.001
- + output file is histhf.nc or hourly.nc

# Results : in ~/1D/OUTPUT

all.pdf

ARMCUREF.pdf

NPv6.1L79/

RICOREF.pdf

SANDUREF.pdf

SAVE41389/

~/1D/OUTPUT/NPv6.1L79/ARMCU/REF

hsthf.nc

hourly.nc

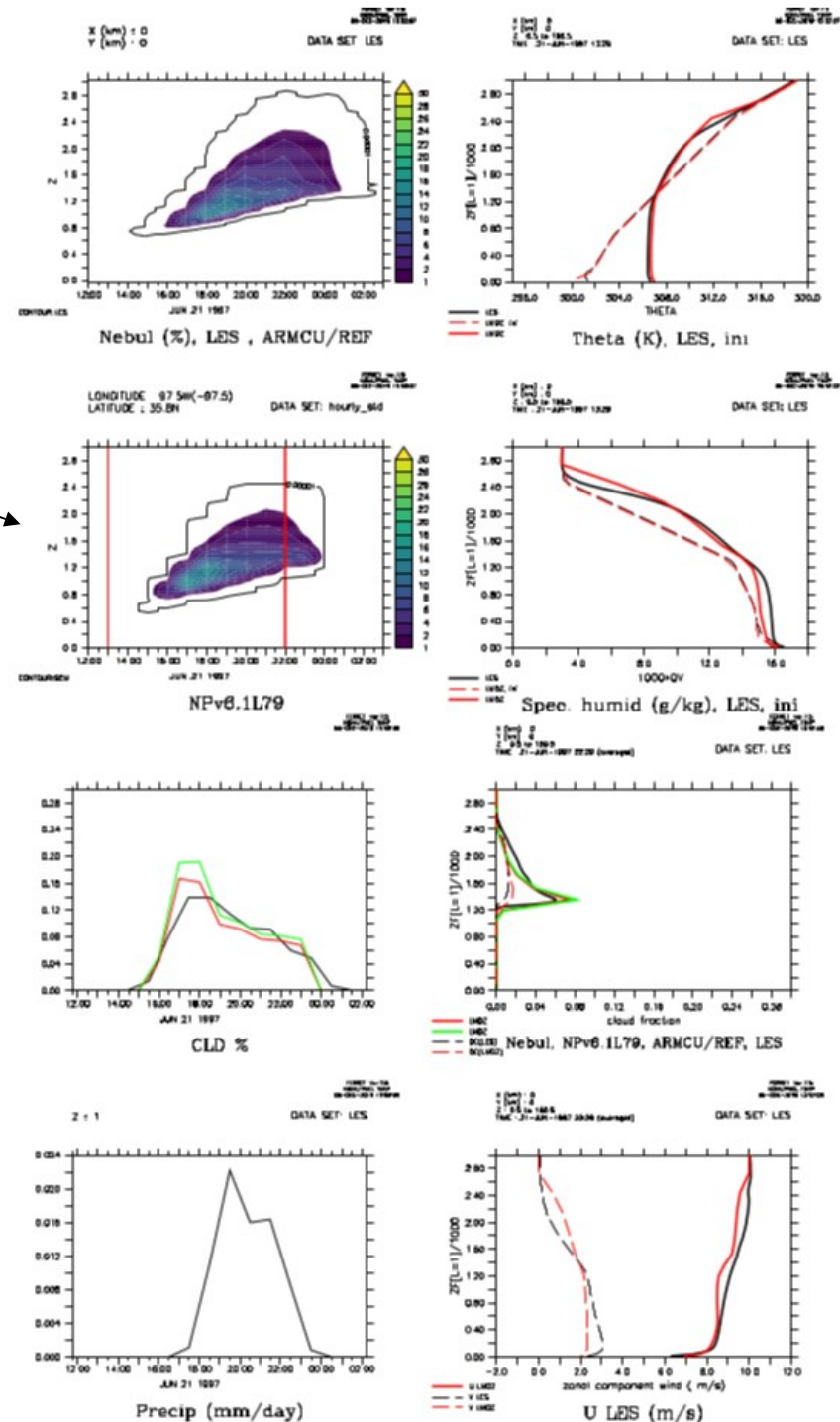
hourly\_std.nc

LES.nc

+ some pdf files

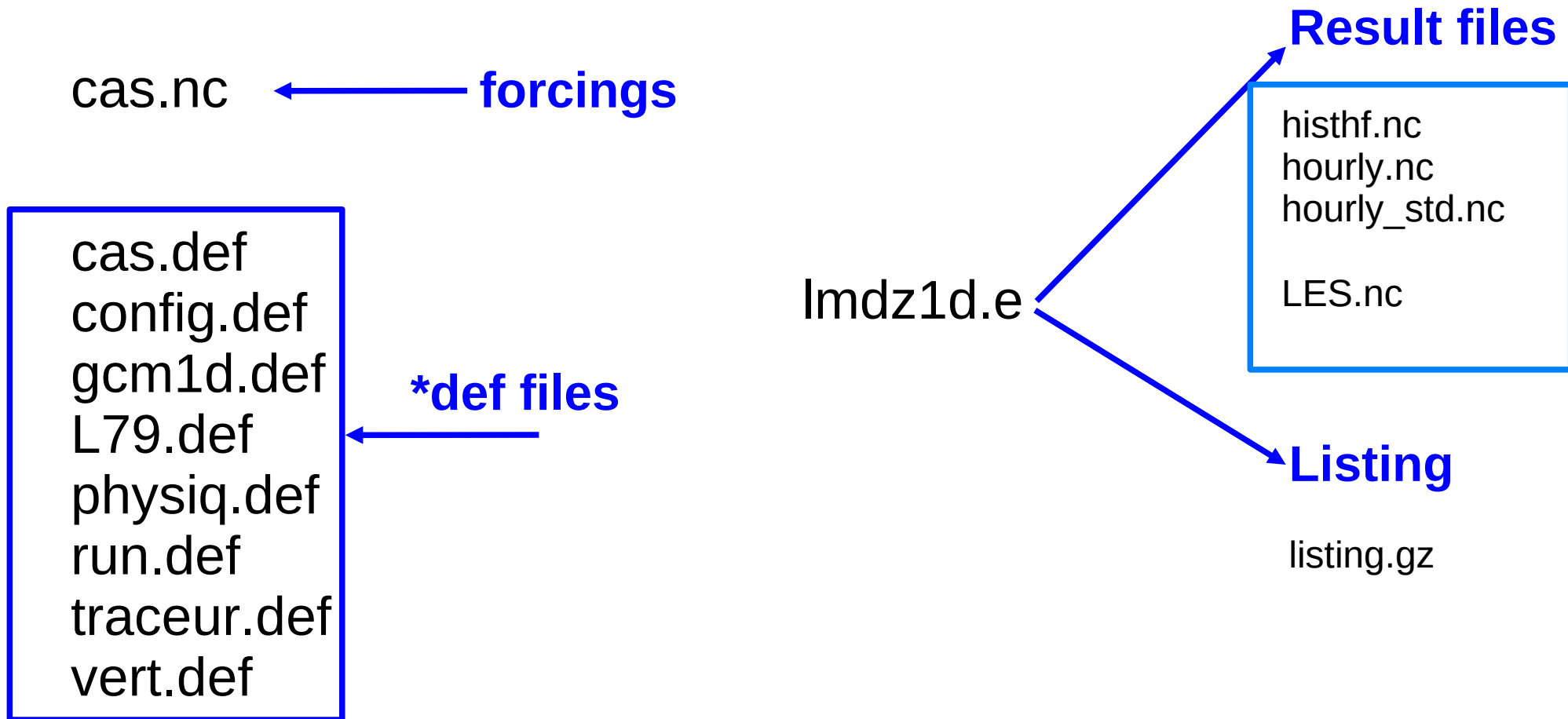
~/1D/EXEC

Same than OUTPUT + All the files used to run the case : forcings, .def files, listing ...



# Where are the results ?

In LMDZ20211102.trunk/1D/EXEC/NPv6.1/ARMCU/REF



## **CAUTION !**

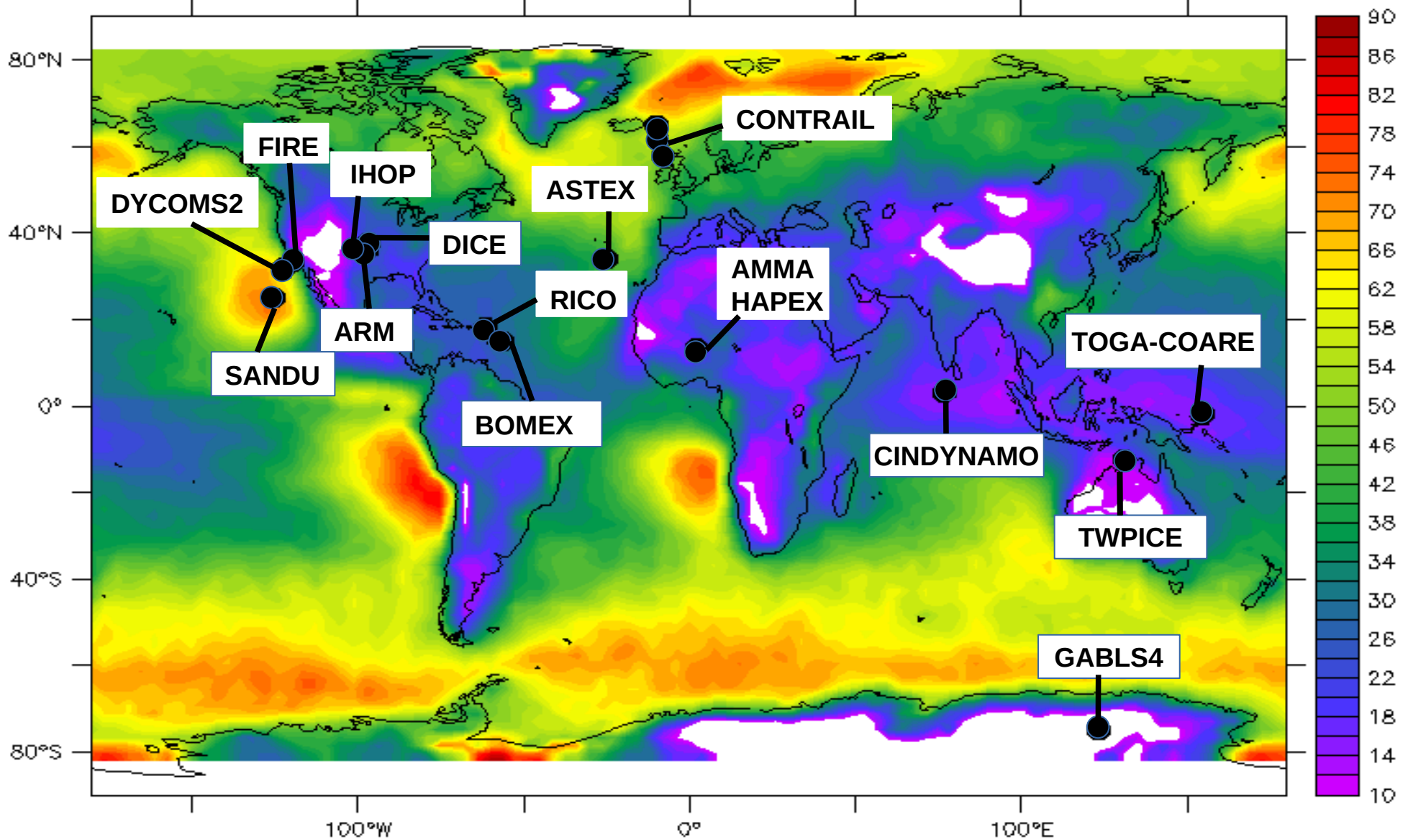
You can modify \*def files in ~LMDZ20211102.trunk/1D/EXEC/NPv6.1/ARMCU/REF and quickly rerun the model because lmdz1d.e is in this directory.

## **BUT BE CAREFULL**

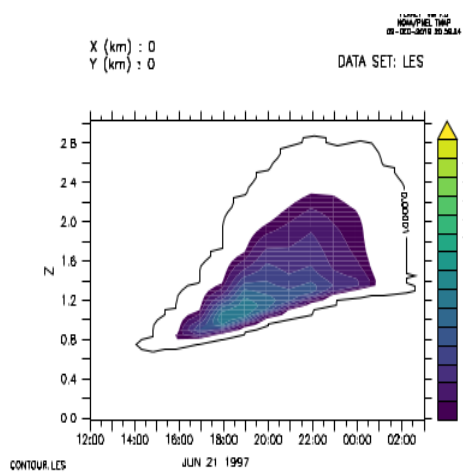
The « original » files are either under ~/CAS or ~/INPUT  
And will be replaced at each run of run.sh



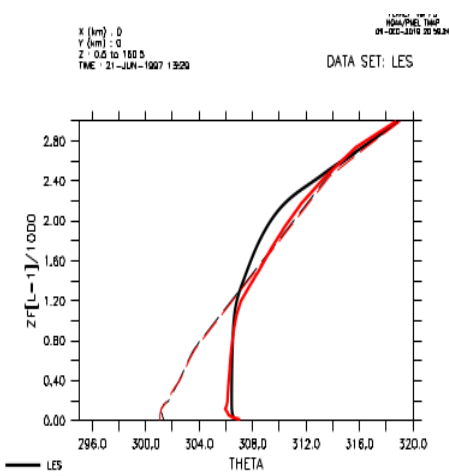
# Where are located all these cases ?



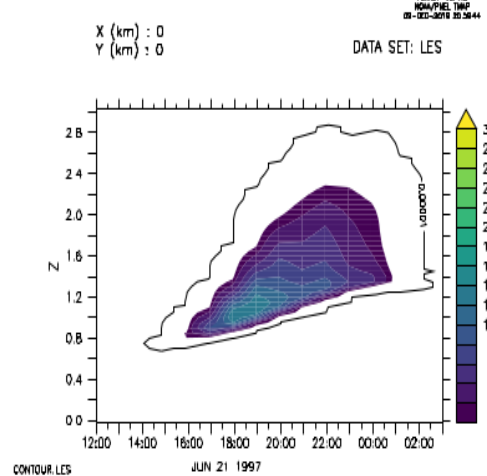
*Background : low cloud cover from Calipso (Chepfer et al. 2008)*



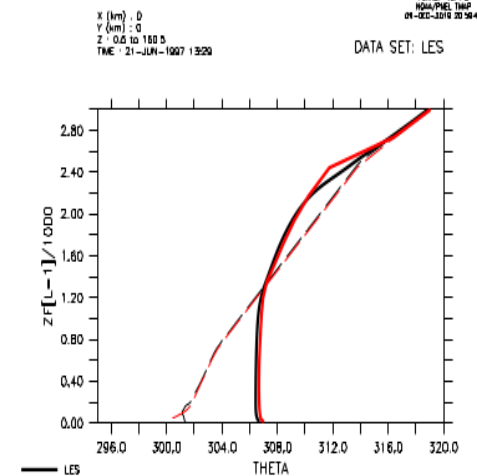
Nebul (%), LES , arm\_cu



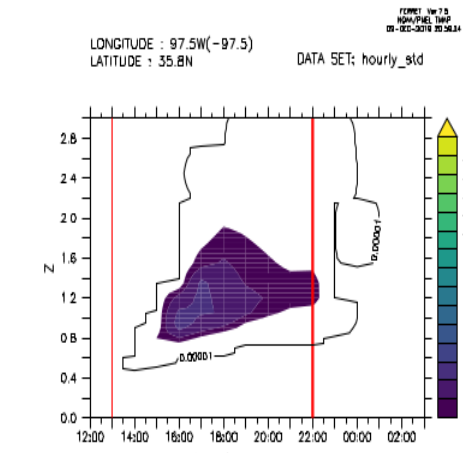
Theta (K), LES, ini



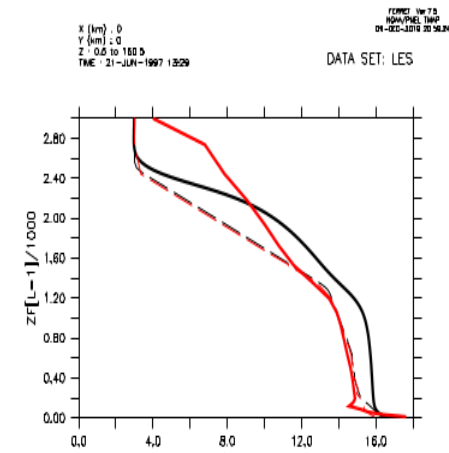
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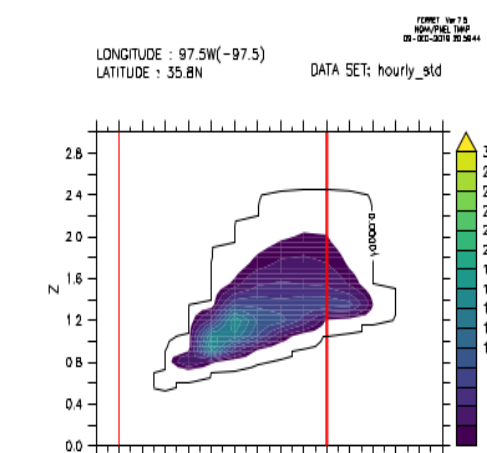
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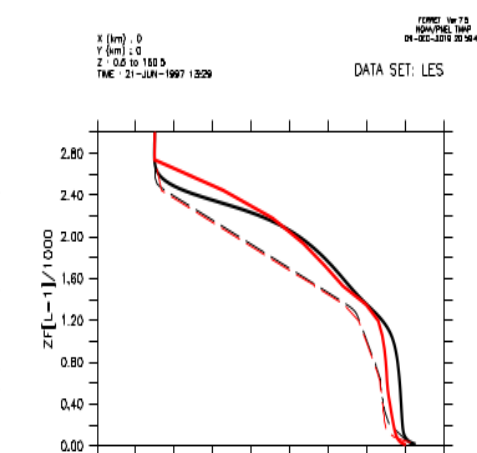
NPv3.0L79



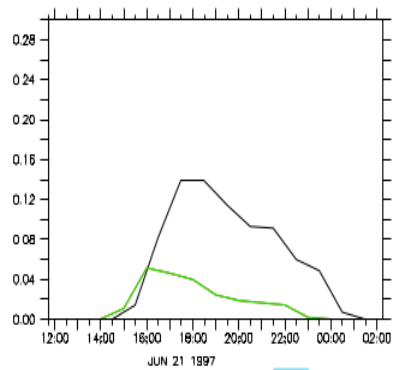
Spec. humid (g/kg), LES, ini



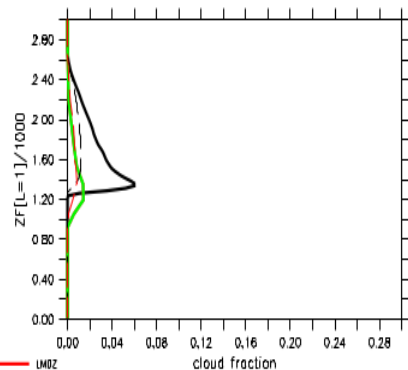
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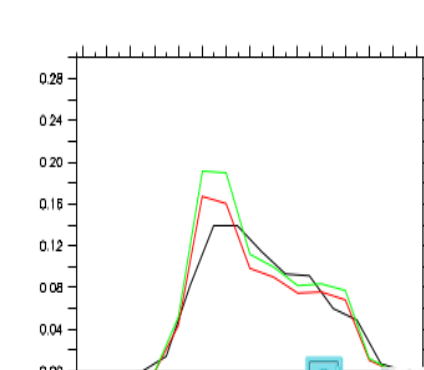
Spec. humid (g/kg), LES, ini



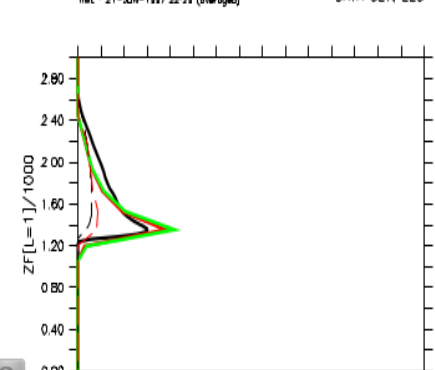
CLD %



Nebul, NPv3.0L79, arm\_cu, LES



CLD %



CLD %

Thank you for your attention !