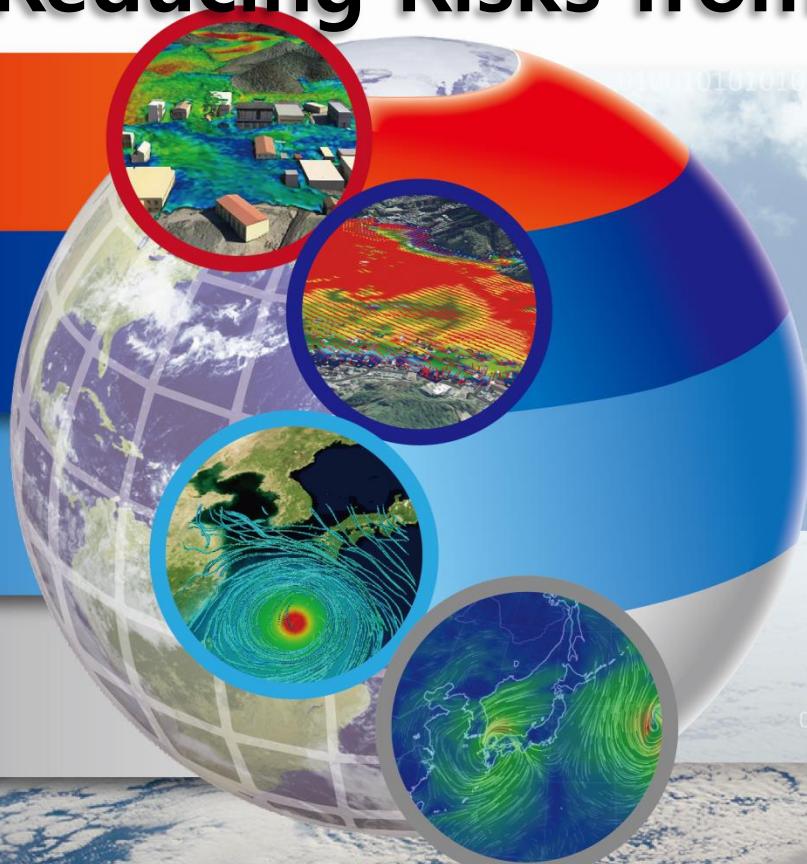


Introduction to the K-DMSS

KISTI - Decision Making Support System

For Reducing Risks from Natural Disasters



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Atmospheric Scientist (Ph. D)
Director of Disaster HPC Research Center

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Government supported
Research Institute
(Since January, 1962~)

The National
Supercomputing Center
(On September, 2012)

Personnel : ~ 380
Annual revenue : ~ \$120M
Location : Daejeon

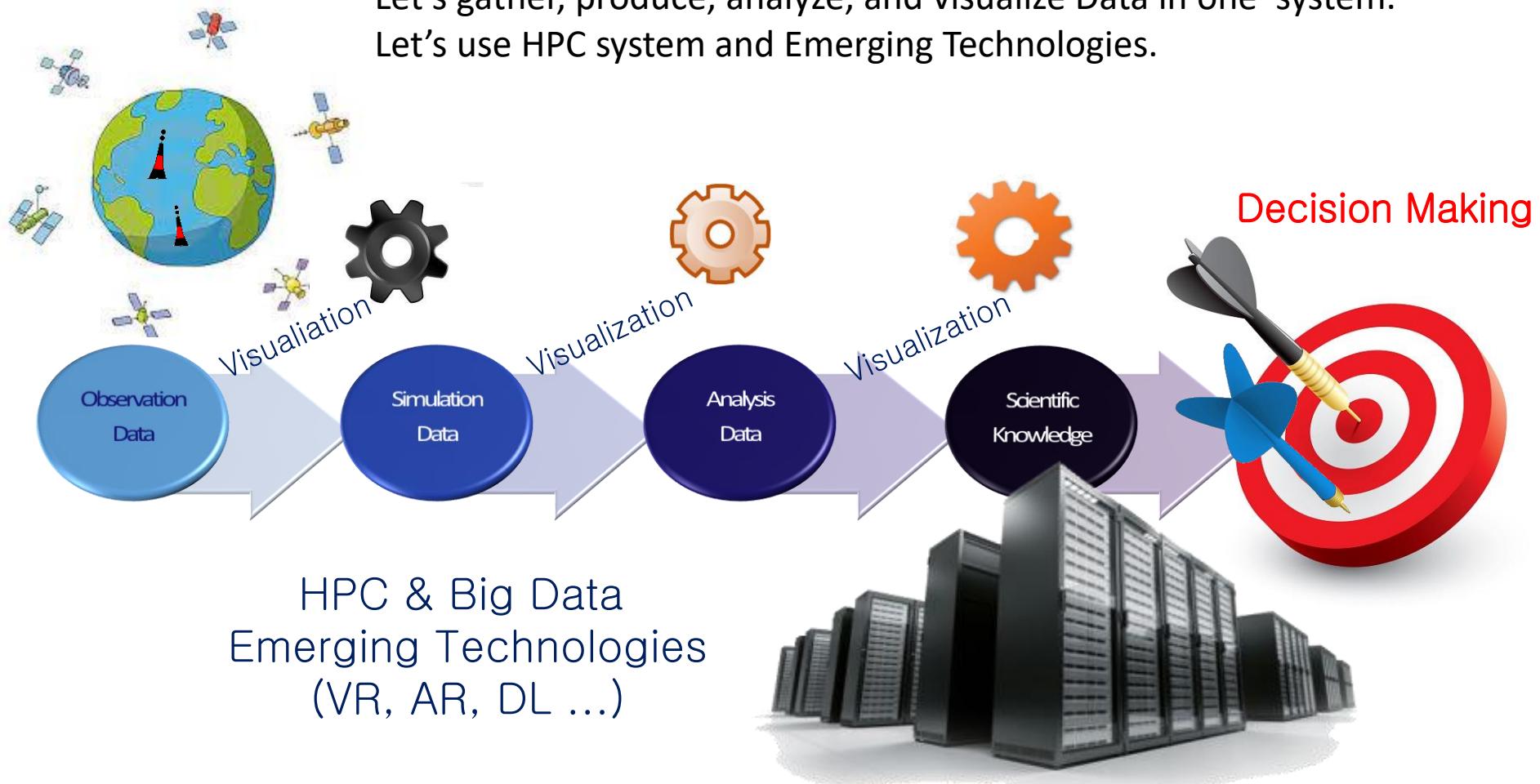
- ✓ R&D Motivation → **MOVIE**
- ✓ Overview of the **K-DMSS**
- ✓ Modeling & Simulation Models
- ✓ **Achievements & Delivery Plans**
- ✓ **Future R&D Plans ('18~)**

Right Information – Right Decision

Let's make a Decision-making support system.

Let's gather, produce, analyze, and visualize Data in one system.

Let's use HPC system and Emerging Technologies.

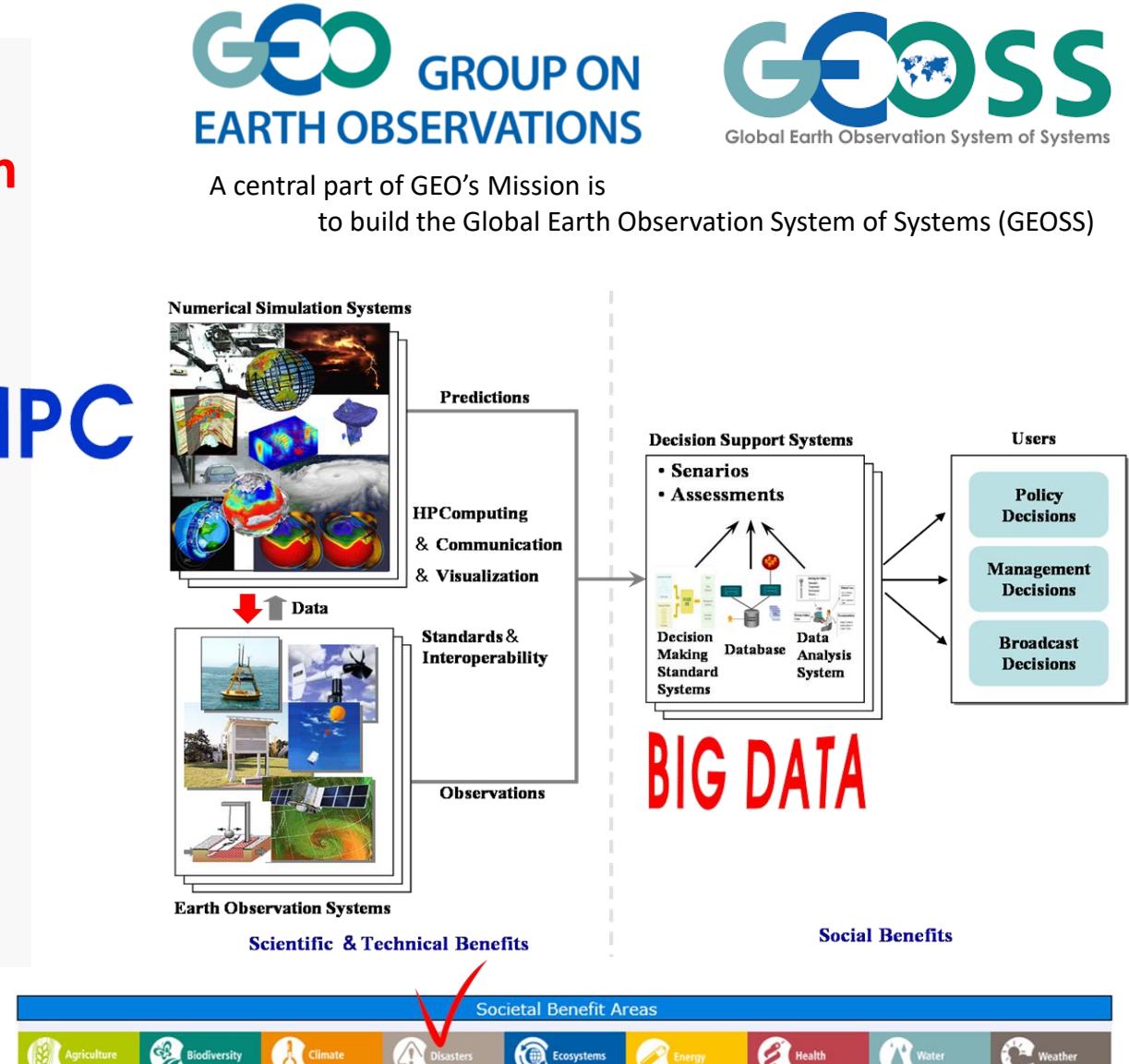


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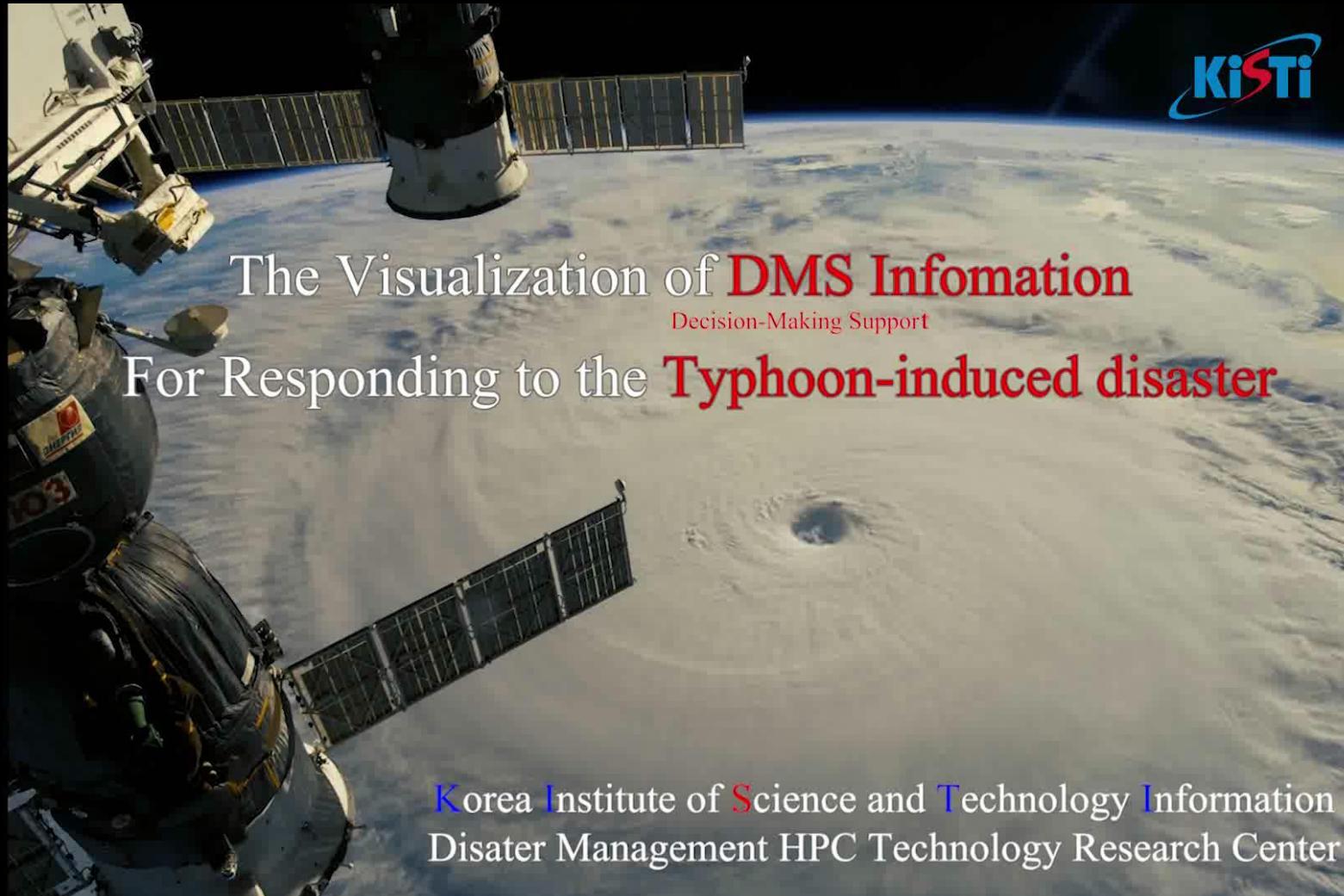
To Provide
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the Right Decisions.



Research
Background of
Developing
The **K-DMSS**



Numerical Simulation System



The Visualization of **DMS Infomation**
Decision-Making Support

For Responding to the **Typhoon-induced disaster**

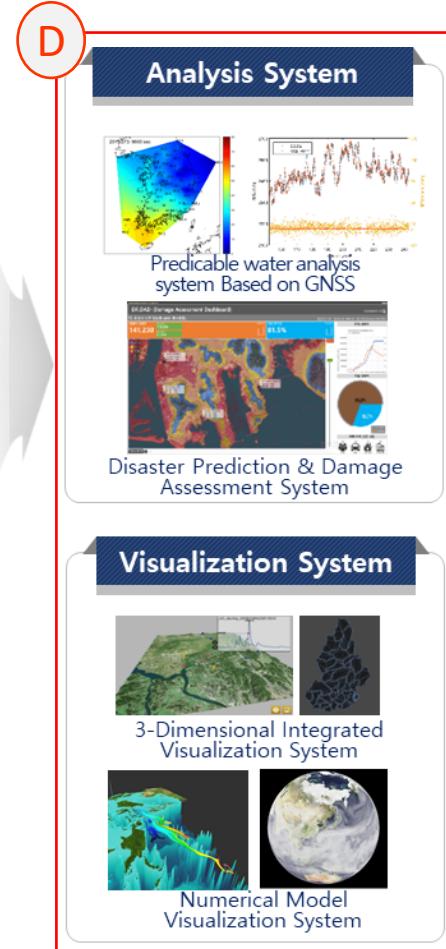
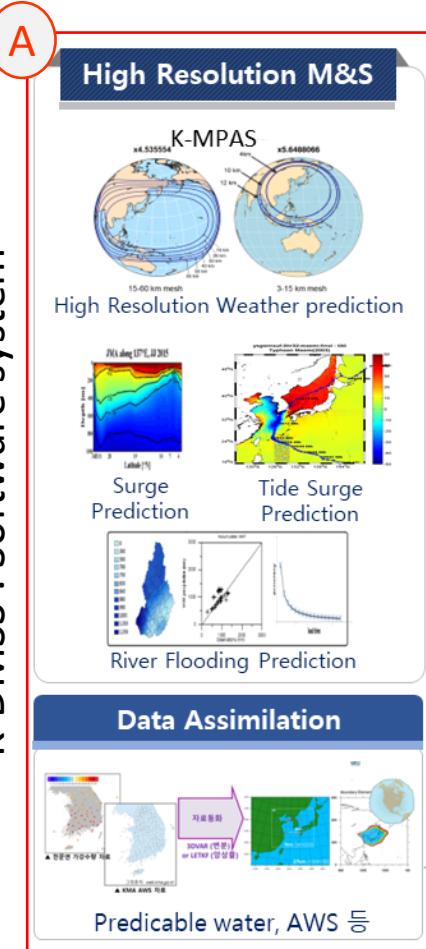
Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information
Disaster Management HPC Technology Research Center

Assessment System: DIPDAS

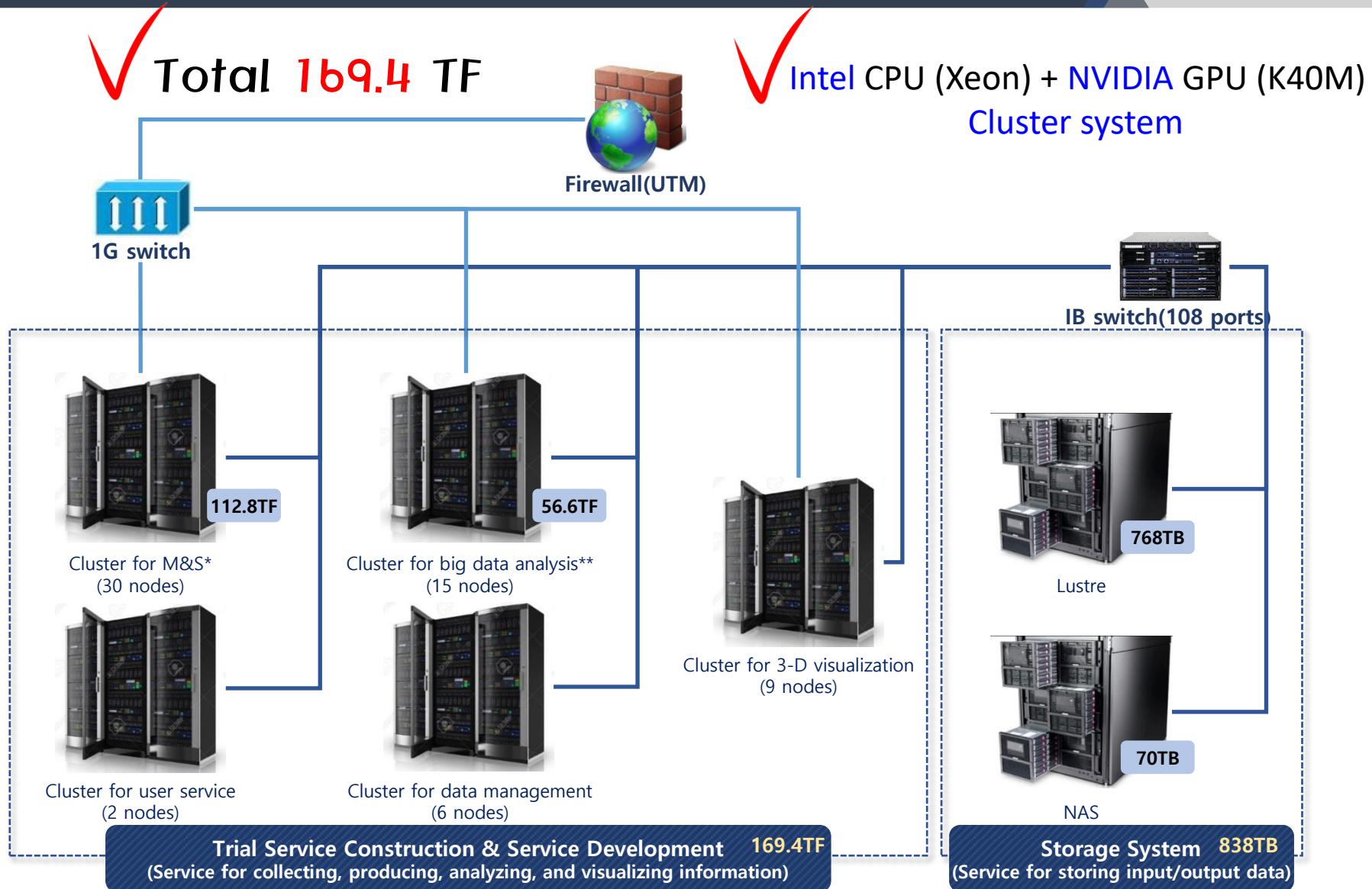
- Integrated **S/W Package** for Predicting Disasters & Damage Assessment
- Developed on **HPC** (high performance computing) & **Big Data Platforms**
- Supports for High resolution **Modeling & Simulation** for Atmosphere–Ocean & Hydrology
- Supports for Huge data **Visualization** & AR (augmented reality) for Scientific Analysis
- KISTI's independent **Decision-Making Support System** for Disaster Management

Components of K-DMSS

K-DMSS : Software system



HPC & Big Data Testbeds



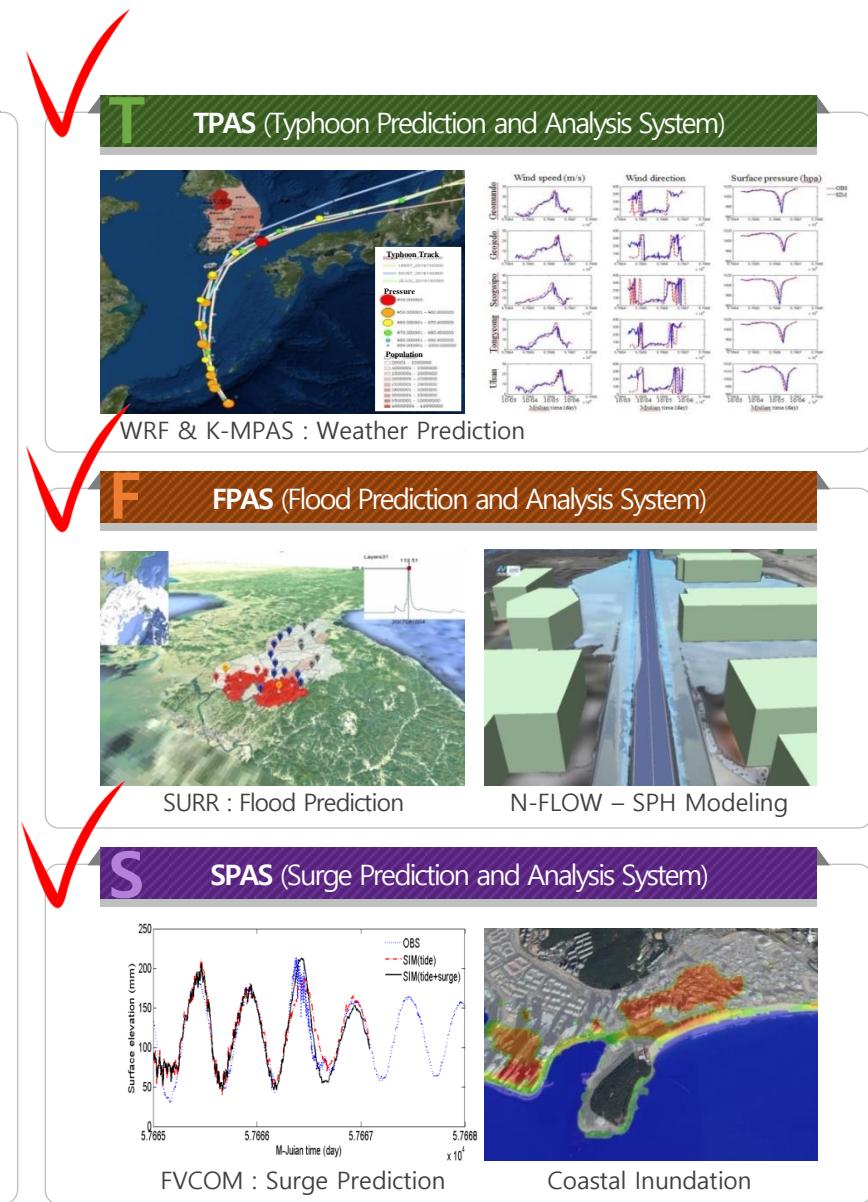
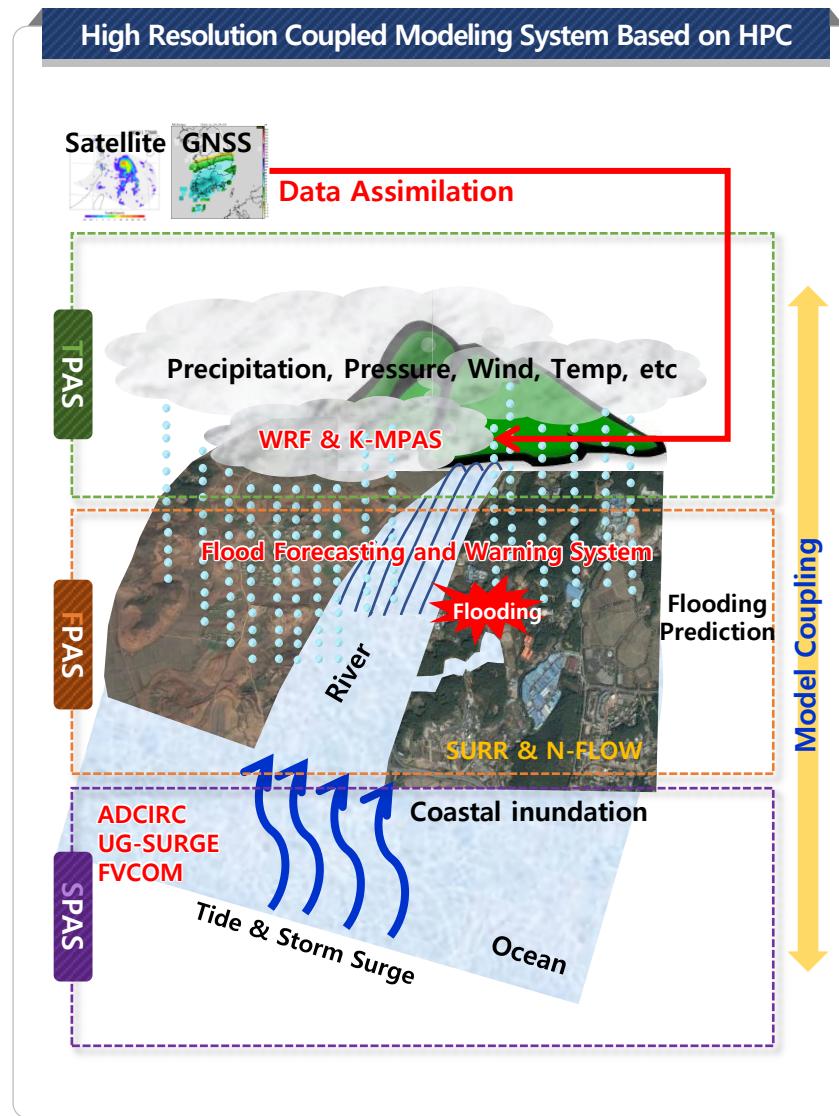
* Cluster for M&S: 30 nodes(CPU+GPU), $12\text{TF} + 100.8\text{TF} = 112.8\text{TF}$ / $600 \text{ cores} + (172,800 \text{ cores}) = 173,400 \text{ cores}$

** Cluster for big data analysis: 15 nodes(CPU+GPU), $6.2\text{TF} + 50.4\text{TF} = 56.6\text{TF}$ / $300 \text{ cores} + (86,400 \text{ cores}) = 86,700 \text{ cores}$

- International Collaboration with NCAR/MMM
Development of K-MPAS & Kr-MPAS based on MPAS
South Korea is located in the middle
- KISTI's independent
Development of EDAS for K-MPAS based on LETKF
Ensemble Data Assimilation System Local Ensemble Transform Kalman Filter
- KISTI's independent
Development of GPU Acceleration Code of MPAS (Physics Part)
OpenACC (2017) → CUDA (2018)
NCAR developed MPAS GPU code (Dynamic Part)
- **Development of Integrated Prediction System of W-O-W models**
Weather-Ocean-Water
(WRF/K-MPAS) – (ADCIRC/FVCOM) – (SURR)
- **Simulation of Typhoon-Surge-Flood for specific regions**
Weather-Ocean-Water The Imjin River, Busan City, etc.

MPAS = Model for Prediction Across Scales | K-MPAS = KISTI MPAS focused on Typhoon Prediction

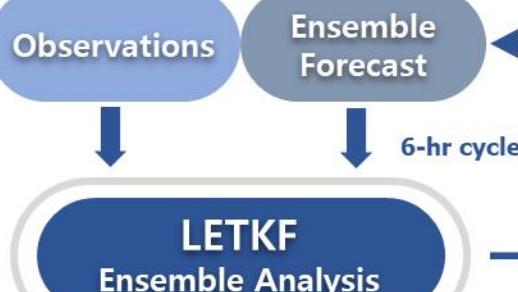
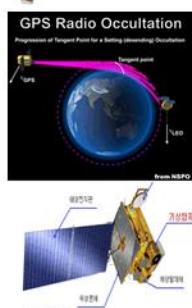
Prediction & Analysis Systems



Prediction & Analysis Systems

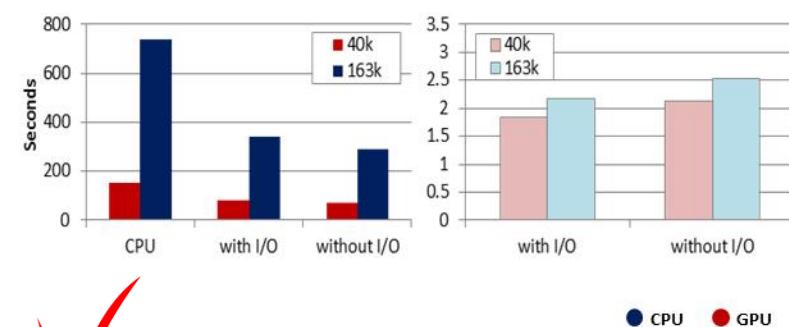
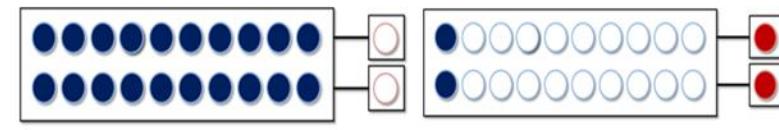
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MPAS Ensemble Data Assimilation System



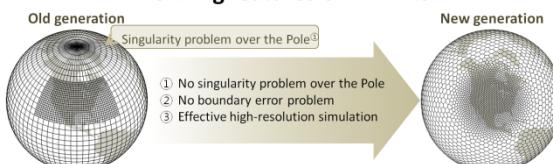
✓ Increasing Accuracy of Prediction

CPU-GPU Heterogeneous code of MPAS



✓ Increasing Speed of Simulation

Defining features of K-MPAS



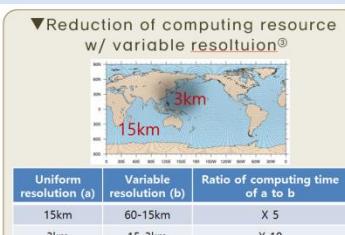
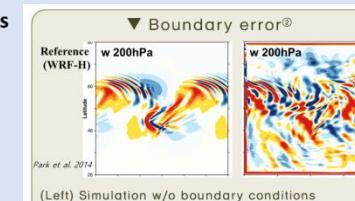
Comparison of track errors among three NWP models

Fct hr	# of cases	MPAS	UM	ECMWF
24	60	67.6	80.3	68.4
48	44	110.9	148.0	112.8
72	32	182.1	269.2	224.1
96	21	214.6	364.7	279.6
120	14	272.5	432.5	374.7

(For the 1st ~ 18th typhoon in 2016, data collected till 20161004UTC)

K-MPAS is developed
Under the KISTI-NCAR international
Collaboration Project (2014~2017)

✓ Comparison of Typhoon track errors
done by KMA (18 typhoons in 2016)

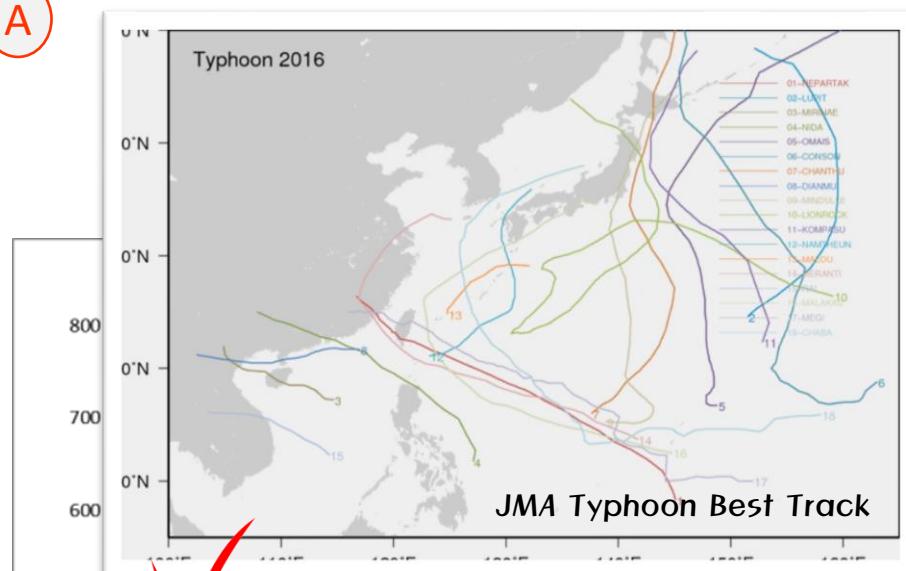


Best Better Good
K-MPAS > ECMWF > UM

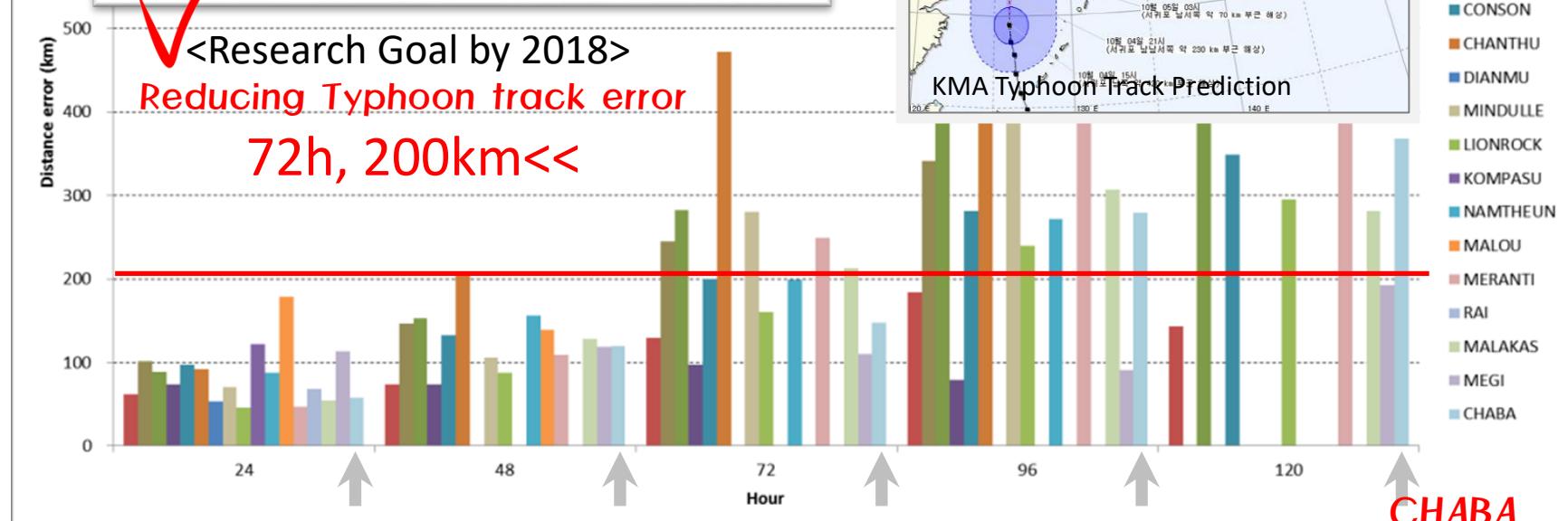
24h, 48h, 72h, 96h, 120h (forecast hours)

Prediction & Analysis Systems

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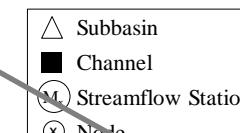
<Research Goal by 2018>
Reducing Typhoon track error
72h, 200km<<



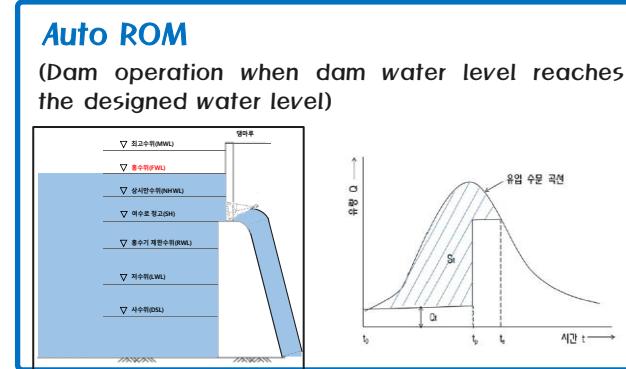
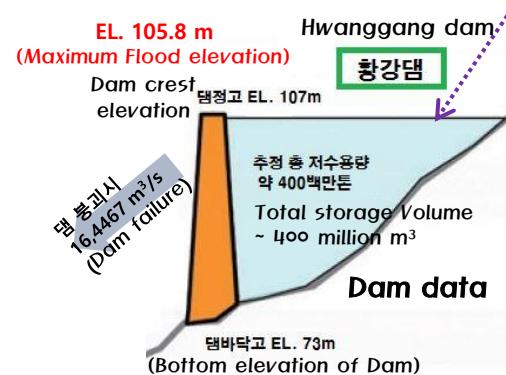
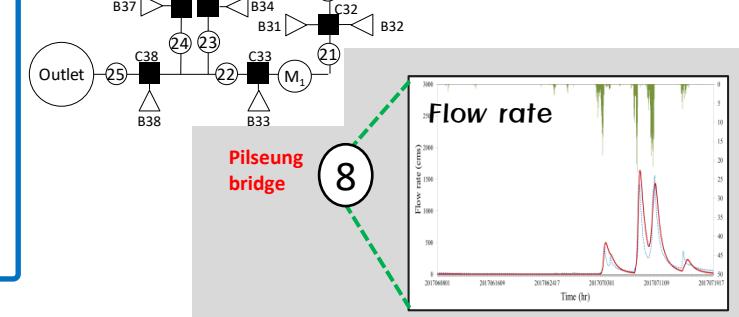
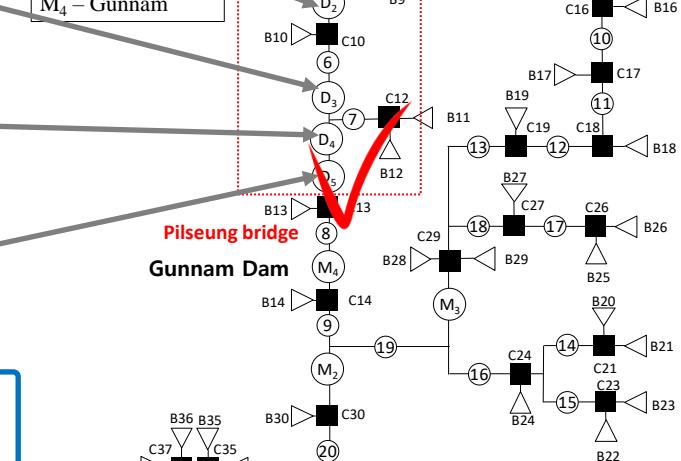
Prediction & Analysis Systems

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✓ Flood prediction system with the Hydraulic structure in North Korea



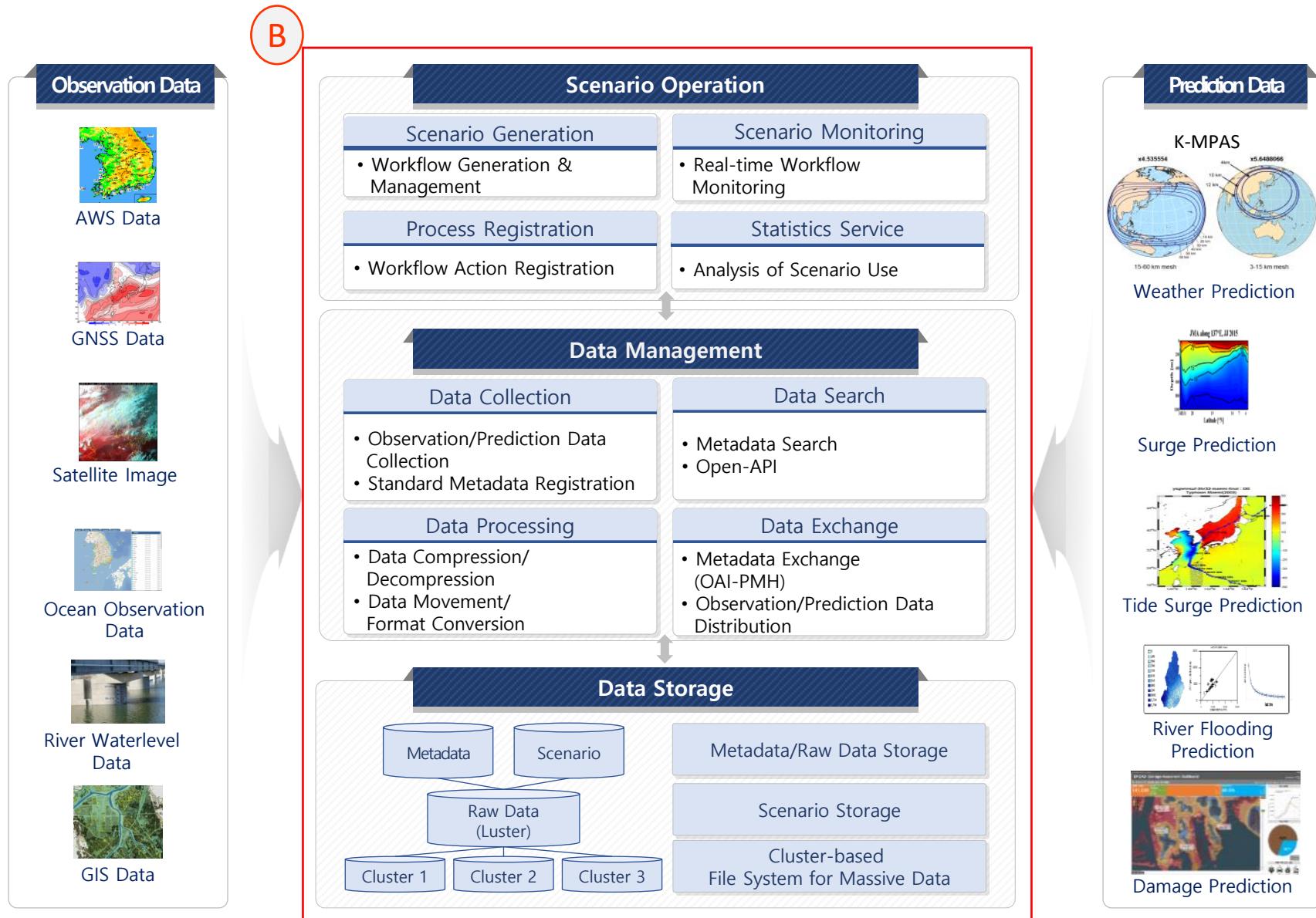
M₁ - Tongildaegyo
M₂ - Jeogseong
M₃ - Jeonkon
M₄ - Gunnam



DIS is the integrated information system which has several features including

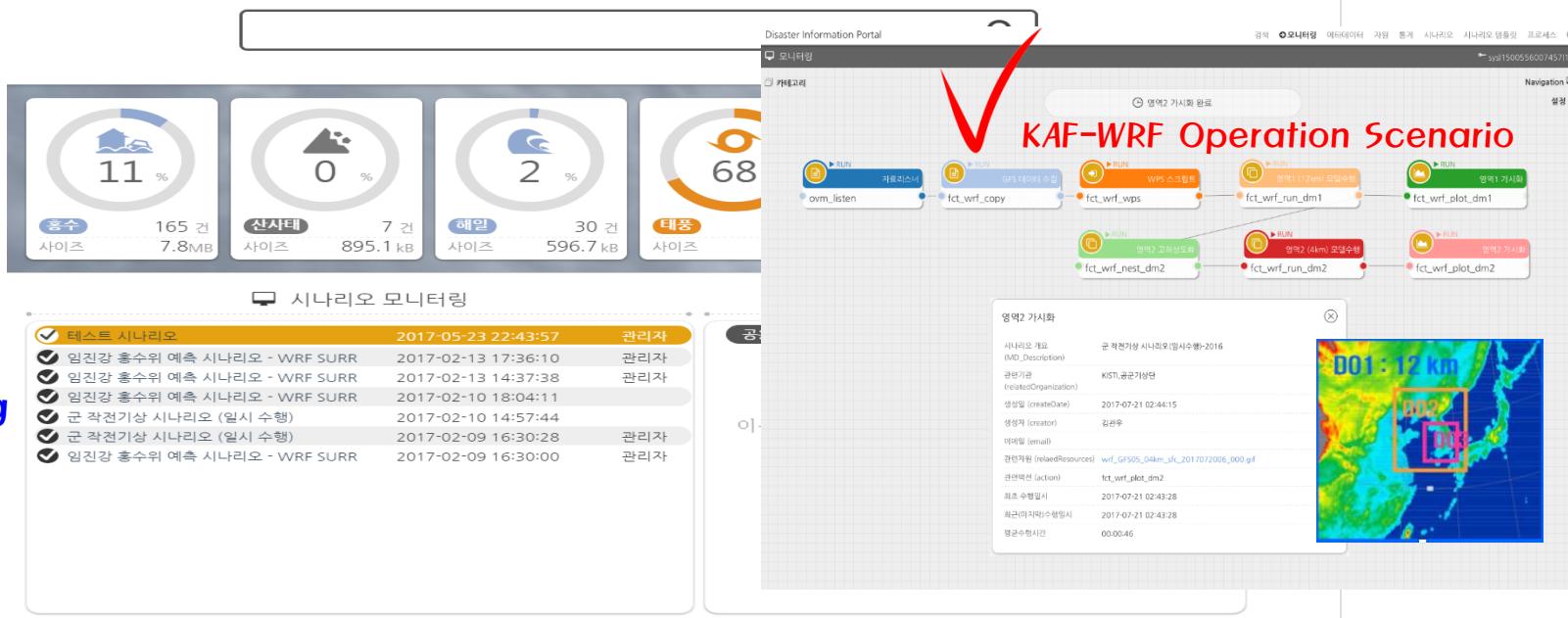
- **Data Management & Search based on Standard Metadata**
Such as GNSS data from KASI
- **Metadata Harvesting from External Information Sources**
- **Open API to share Disaster Information**
- **High Scalability in Computing Power and Data Storage**
- **Workflow Environment for Creating Integrated Scenarios**
Such as Military Weather Scenario, Flood Scenario

Architect of Disaster Information System



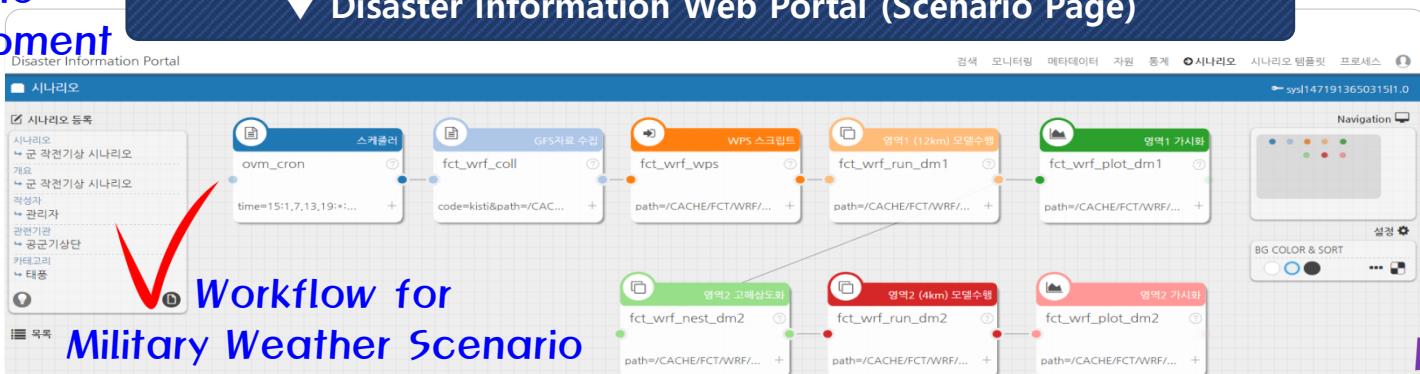
Disaster Information Web Portal

▼ Disaster Information Web Portal (Main Page)



Scenario Development Page

▼ Disaster Information Web Portal (Scenario Page)



Workflow Environment

Achievements & Delivery Plans



K-DMSS (KISTI-
Decision Making
Support System)

System
Delivery
In 2017~2018



Korean Airforce
Weather Wing

Military
Weather
Info. Service



K-DMSS Subsystems & Models

TPAS (Typhoon Prediction and Analysis System)

FPAS (Flood Prediction and Analysis System)

SPAS (Surge Prediction and Analysis System)

EDAS (Ensemble Data Assimilation System)

K-MPAS CPU-GPU Hybrid Weather Prediction Model

DIPAS (Direct damage Prediction & Analysis System)

IPAS (Indirect damage Prediction & Analysis System)

Deep Learning Typhoon Track Prediction Model

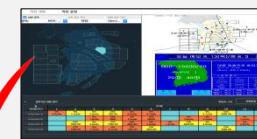
Disaster Information Integrated System

Disaster Information Portal System

3D integrated Visualization System

Numerical Model Visualization System

Deliverable in 2017



Military Operation Scenario
in the South Korea



Flood Prediction Scenario
on the Imjin River

3D integrated Visualization System

Numerical Model Visualization System

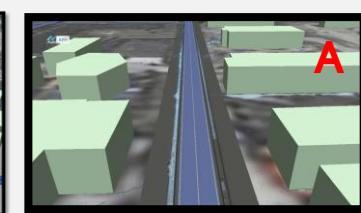
FPAS (Flood Prediction and Analysis System)

Disaster Information Integrated System

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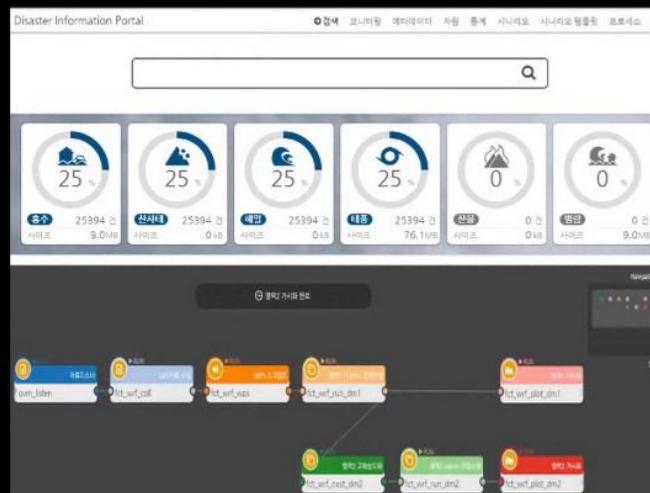


Flood Prediction Scenario at the KAF airbases



한반도 공역 내 작전 (기상) 영향평가

Weather assessment system in Flight Regions

Weather Prediction Scenario
for Military Operations

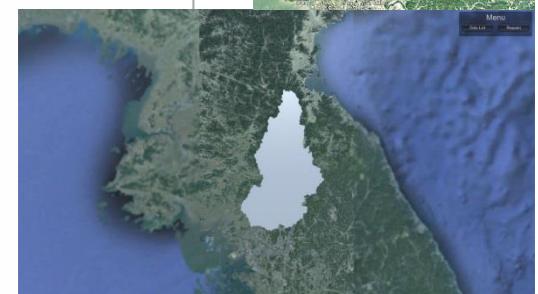
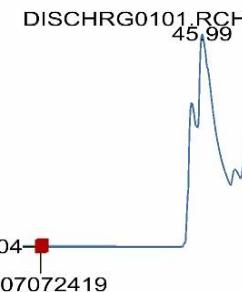
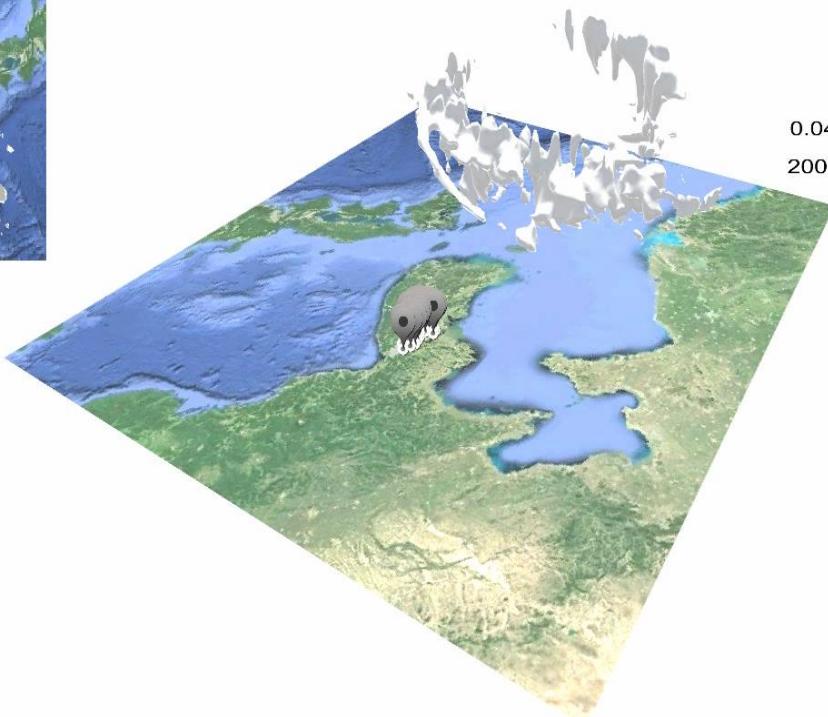
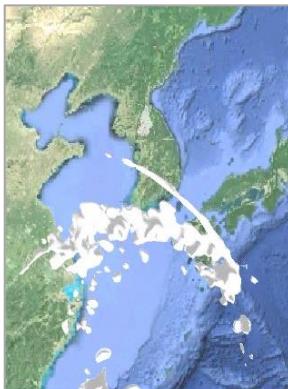
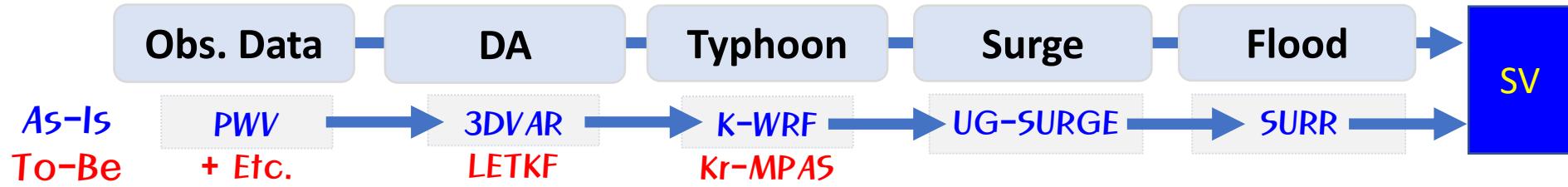
1) Web Portal for Scenario Monitoring



2) Client Program for Military Operations

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Flood Prediction Scenario



Weather/Climate Simulation Model GPU Acceleration

IPCC for Weather and Climate Simulation: Mid-year 3 update

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September 27, 2017

Weather and Climate Alliance (WACA): A Collaboration for Earth System Model Acceleration

- NCAR

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- Dr. Raghu Raj Kumar, Project Scientist TDD
- Bill Skamarock, Senior Scientist, MMM
- Michael Duda, Software Engineer, MMM

- KISTI

- Minsu Joh, KISTI Director, Disaster Management Research Center
- Dr. Ji-Sun Kang, Senior Researcher
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- University of Wyoming

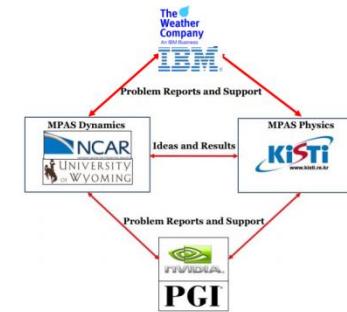
- Dr. Suresh Mukundanipatna, Professor E&CE, UW
- Supreeth Suresh, Pranay Reddy, Sumathi Lakshmiranganathan- GRAs



~14 people!



Final Port and Integration Strategy



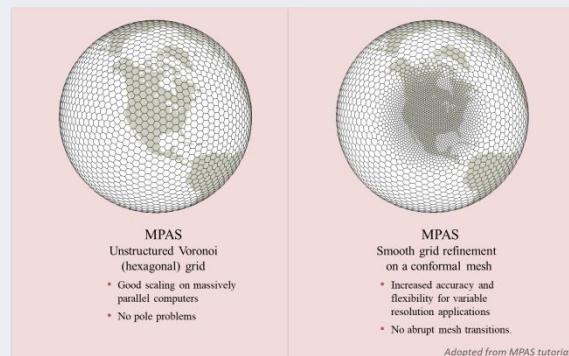
GPU Acceleration of MPAS Physics Schemes Using OpenACC

Jae Youp Kim^{1,2}, Ji-Sun Kang¹, and Minsu Joh^{1,2}

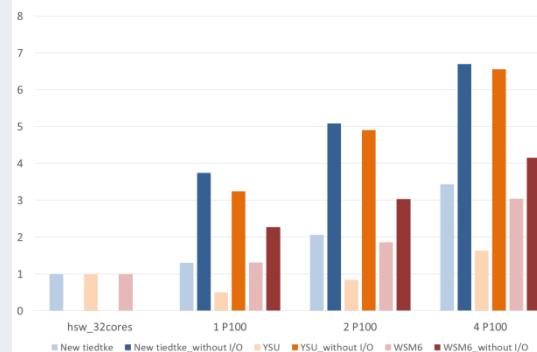
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²University of Science and Technology, Korea

MPAS



Speed-up factor of MPAS physics



Weather/Climate HPC & AI Research Collaboration



Recognition of Excellence in Research

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Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information (KISTI)
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Dear Dr. Joh,

Thank you for recent updates regarding the next phase of KISTI leadership-class research in high performance computing (HPC) and Artificial Intelligence (AI). Following a review of past collaboration between our organizations, your recent scientific contributions and achievements in HPC and AI, NVIDIA would like to express our recognition of your excellence in research, and offer support for related future research. NVIDIA considers weather prediction and climate science as an important domain that has advanced significantly from application of HPC and AI, and we are very excited at the potential of application software from KISTI that can model extreme weather events with high-fidelity and scale-resolution in a practical way owing to GPU technology.

NVIDIA Corporation headquartered in Santa Clara, CA, invented the GPU in 1999 that sparked dramatic growth in PC gaming, redefined modern computer graphics, and revolutionized parallel computing. More recently, GPU-based deep learning ignited modern AI - the next era of computing - with the GPU acting as the brain of computers, robots and self-driving cars that can perceive and understand the world. NVIDIA continues to achieve milestones in parallel computing that lead to breakthroughs in advanced, energy efficient, and cost-effective HPC. As a result of this strategic collaboration between KISTI and NVIDIA, and in recognition of recent achievements, NVIDIA would like to contribute the following resources to your research:

- An award of 4 x P100 GPUs (valued at more than \$40,000 USD) for use by your organization at KISTI
- Remote access to the latest GPU technology at NVIDIA Santa Clara for performance testing
- Pre-release access to next-generation NVIDIA GPUs (e.g. Volta) and CUDA software environment
- Technical guidance on applications engineering from the NVIDIA Developer Technology group
- Technical support on hardware and software implementation; GPU cluster use; bug fix support, etc.

NVIDIA are interested in your research in two respects. We are generally interested in supporting innovative and promising approaches that demonstrate the capabilities of GPU-based system architectures with relevant real-life applications. Further, NVIDIA have interest in the experiences gained from a continued KISTI collaboration on implementation of optimized GPU-based solutions that can apply to simulations of Earth's environment.

Thank you for the valuable contributions towards NVIDIA technology and solutions in weather and climate research, and we look forward to further collaboration and breakthroughs working together with your team at KISTI.

Sincerely,

< NVIDIA Corp Signature >

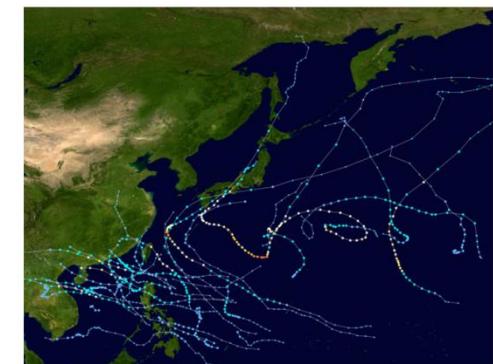
As is 29 October, 2017

The researchers used data from numerical models to train a third system, DeepTC, which predicts tropical cyclones.

"Although these three models are still experimental, so far we've boosted accuracy over existing methods," said Sa-kwang Song, the lead scientist developing the KISTI deep learning systems.

The KISTI scientists trained their models using the Keras toolkit and TensorFlow deep learning frameworks with cuDNN running on the institute's NVIDIA GPUs and also on our GPUs in the Amazon Web Services (AWS) cloud. They also used our GPUs in AWS for inference.

So far, the KISTI system can predict typhoons and their associated rainfall just one to two hours in advance. The team plans to increase that range to six hours next year, and eventually to three days, which could be a real life-saver.



If you wonder why we need a better way to predict hurricanes, just ask the people of Houston.

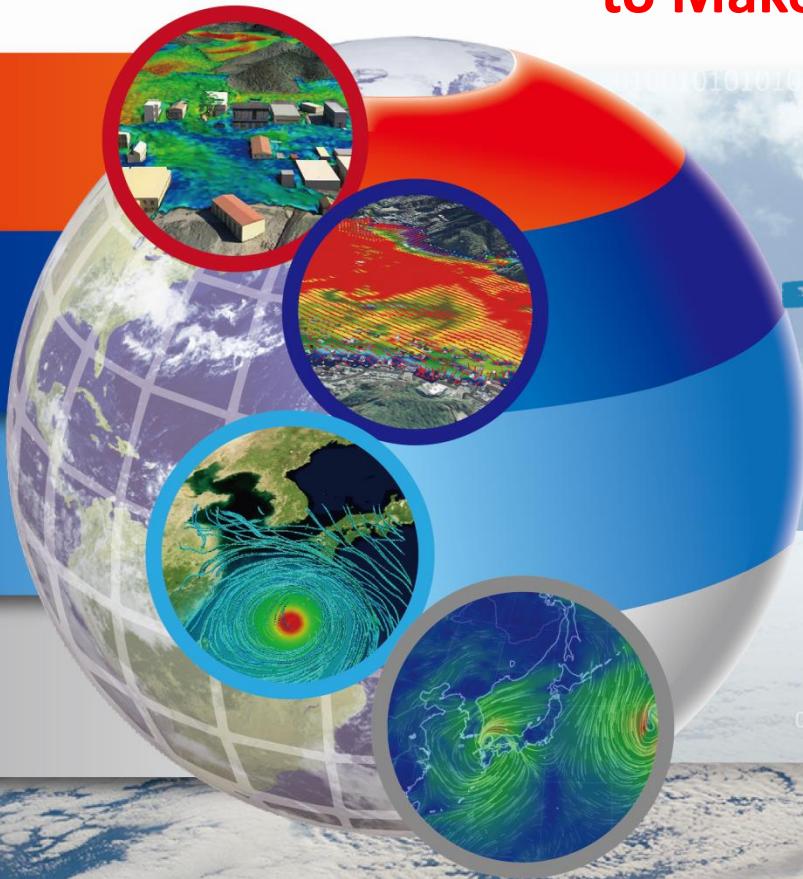
Authorities knew Hurricane Harvey was heading to south Texas, but forecasters couldn't say precisely which areas would be hardest hit. So, most Houstonians stayed put. The consequences: more than 75 deaths, 30,000 people in shelters and tens of thousands who needed rescuing.

And Harvey was just the start. Irma, Jose, Maria, and Ophelia — with more than five weeks to go, the 2017 Atlantic hurricane season has already been one of the worst on record. The year is the first since 1893 to see 10 storms in a row reach hurricane strength, and only the fourth in recorded hurricane history. Without knowing where the brunt of a powerful storm will strike, officials are often puzzled about where and when to evacuate.

Hurricane around the world, a team of scientists in Korea is using GPU-accelerated deep learning to help keep people out of harm's way.

"We can't prevent natural disasters, but with the right information, we can minimize the risks," said Minsu Joh, director of high-performance computing research at the Korea Institute of Science and Technology Information (KISTI).

To Provide the Right Information
to the Right People, at the Right Time,
to Make the Right Decisions.



THANK
YOU!



IV.1 예측 정확도 향상: TPAS

✓ 태풍 트랙 오차: 목표 60h 예측 200km 이내

기상청/국가태풍센터에
태풍 트랙 예측 정보 제공
(7~9월 발생 태풍)

