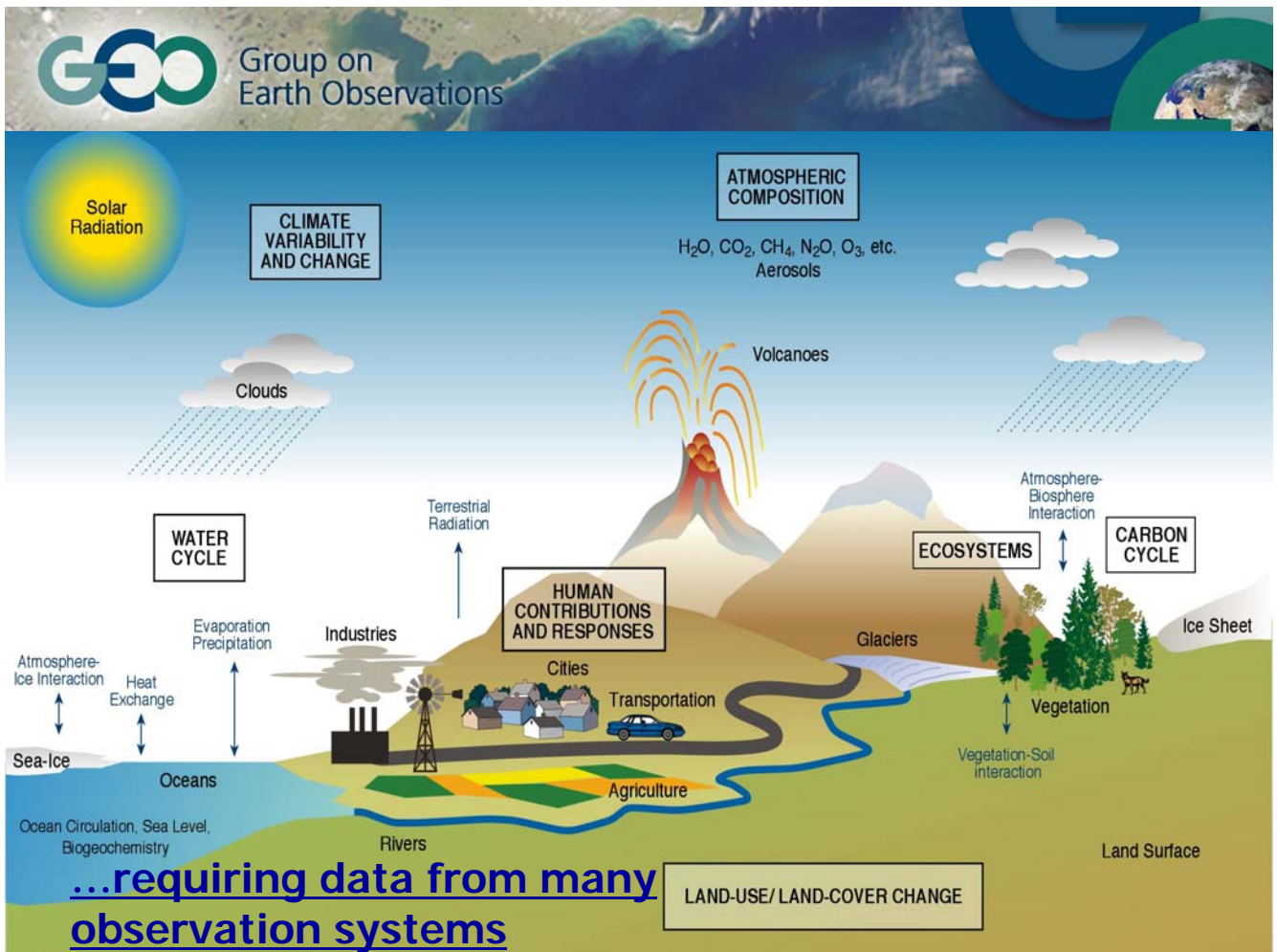
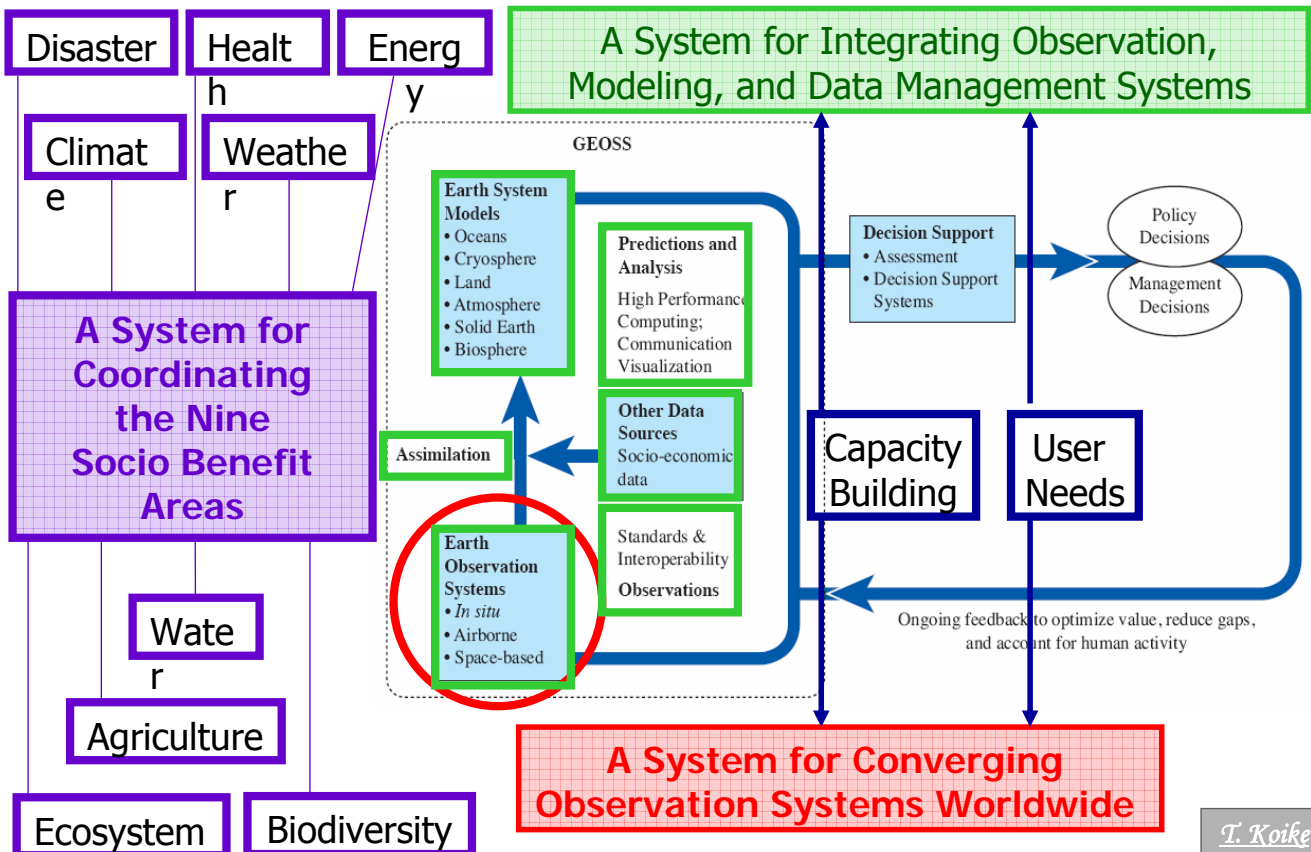


Data Integration and Analysis System (DIAS)

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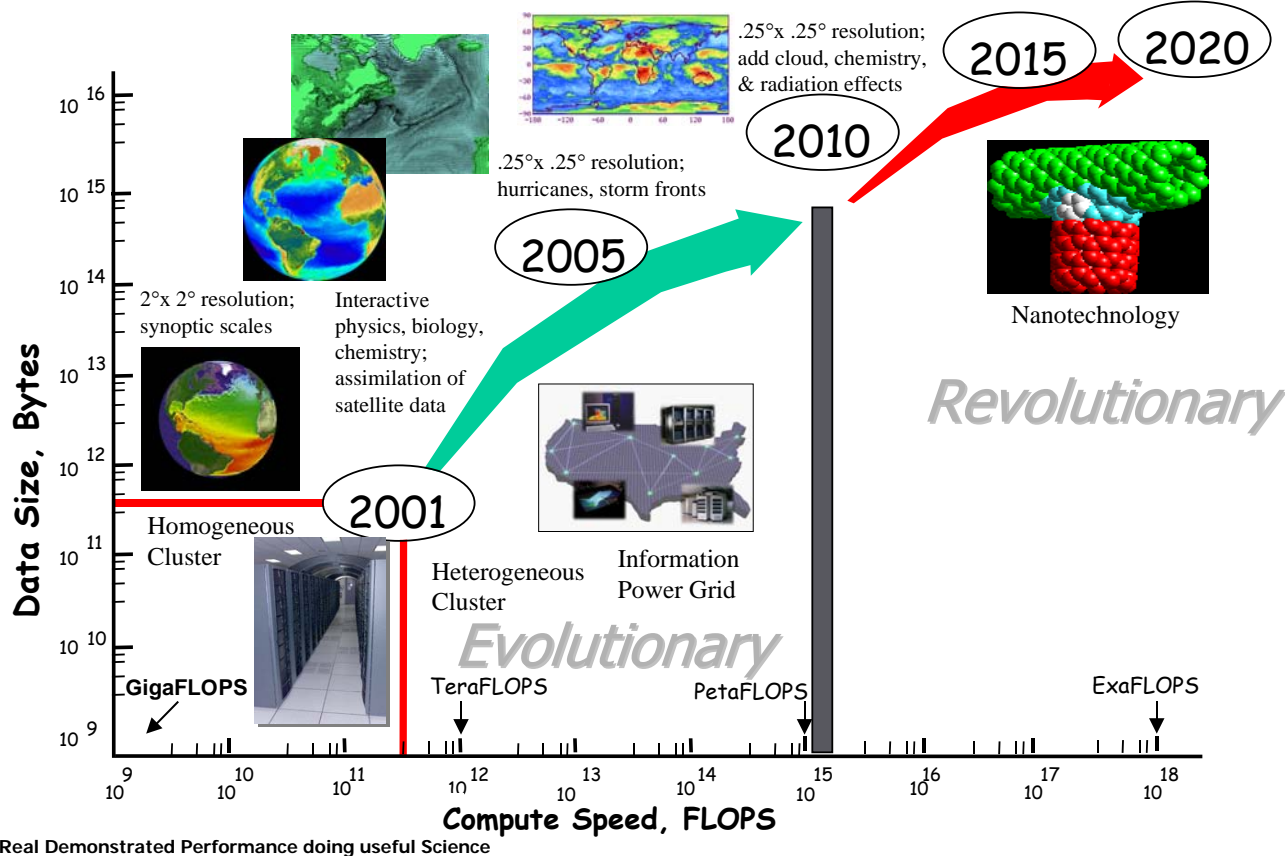
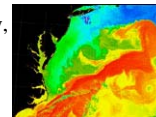


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Computational Modeling in Two Stages; Driving Evolution & Enabling Revolution

Fully interactive (biology, chemistry, physics) ensemble simulations in an operational mode



The Mission of DIAS

- to coordinate the cutting-edge **information science** and technology and the various research fields addressing the **earth environment**;
- to construct **data infrastructure** that can integrate earth observation data, numerical model outputs, and socio-economic data effectively;
- to **create knowledge** enabling us to solve the earth environment problems; and
- to generate **socio-economic benefits**.

DIAS, tackling a large increase in **volume of the earth observation data**

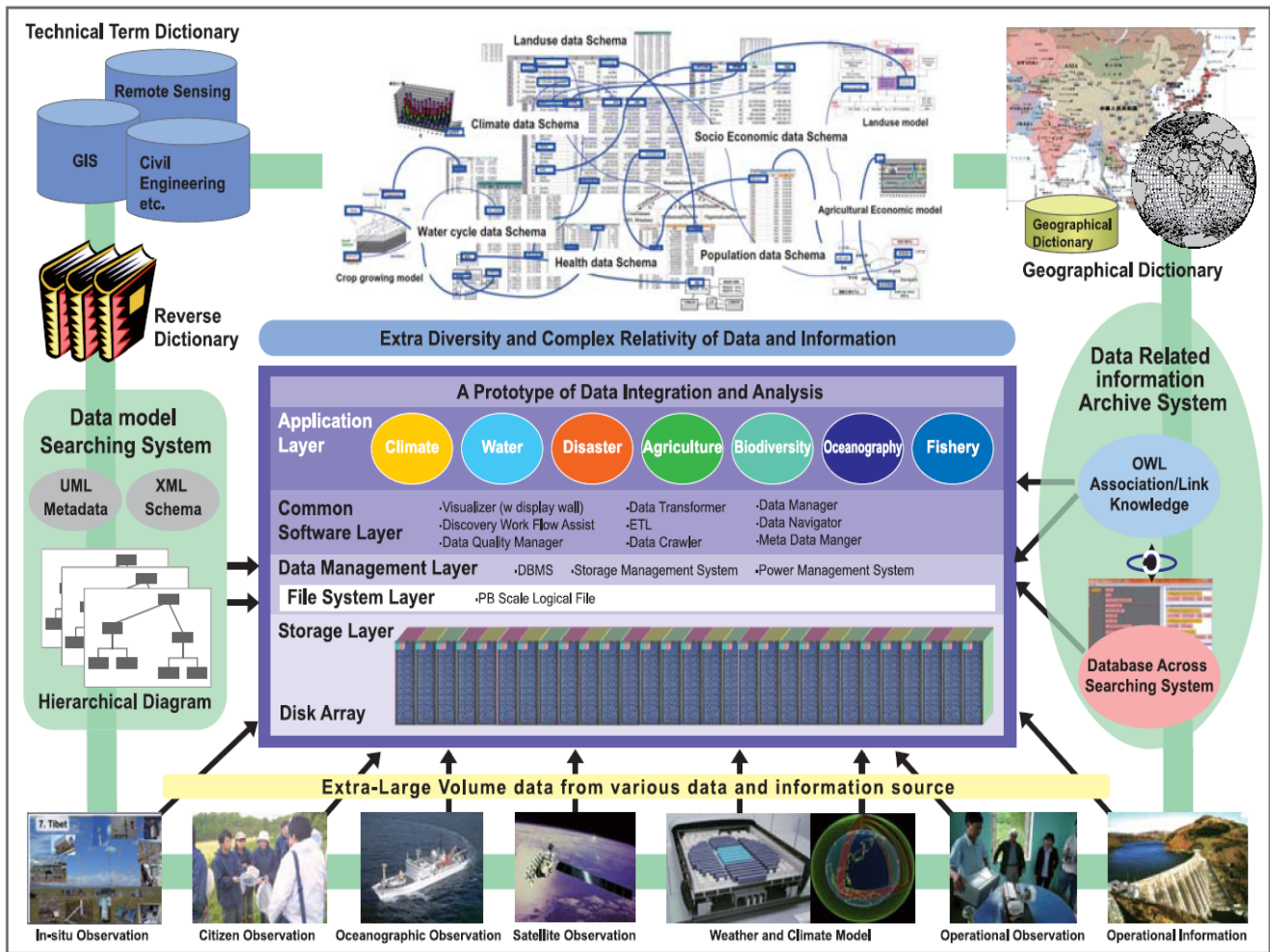
DIAS is developing a core system for data integration and analysis that includes the supporting functions of life cycle data management, data search, information exploration, scientific analysis, and partial data down-loading.



DIAS, tackling a large increase in **diversity of the earth observation data**

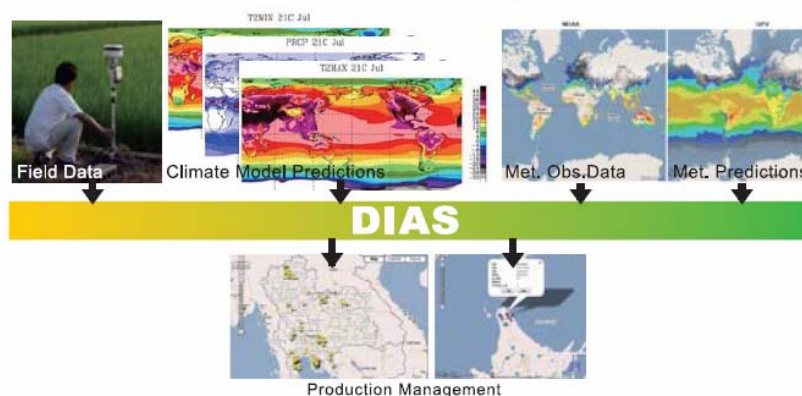
For improving data interoperability, DIAS is developing a system for identifying the relationship between data by using ontology on technical terms and ideas, and geography. DIAS also is acquiring data base information from various sources by developing a cross-sectoral search engine for various data bases.





Applications

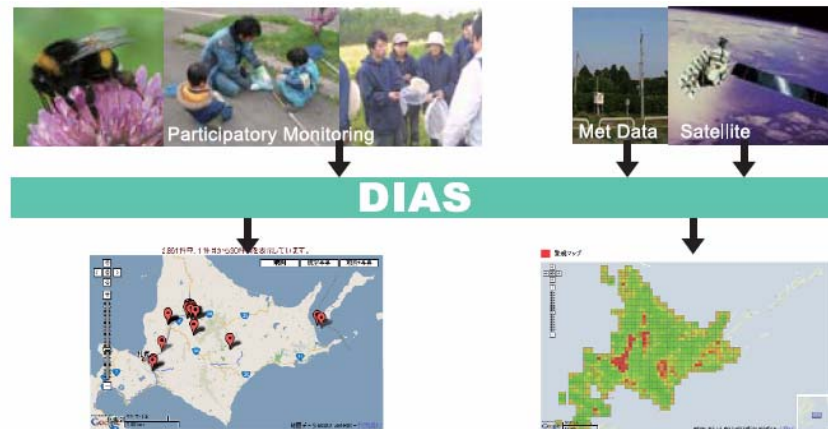
Agricultural Production Management



DIAS develops an information system for agricultural production management by integrating the real-time monitoring data of farmland, the growing condition of each crop cultivar, meteorological data, numerical weather predictions, and climate model predictions. This system will be usable by the farming community, enabling them to make improved management decisions especially in regions which are susceptible to global warming impacts.



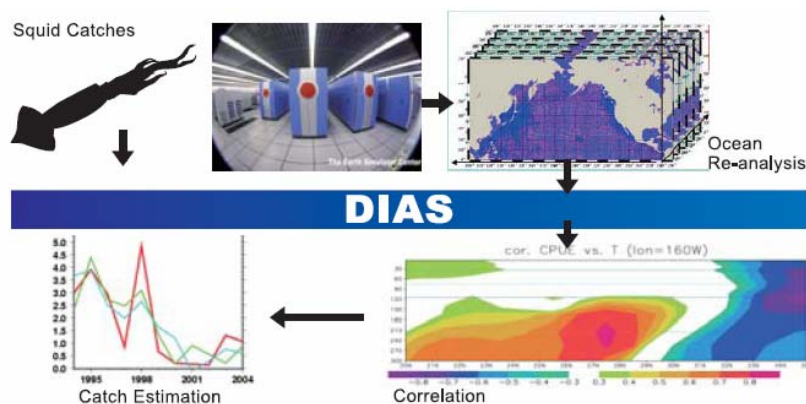
Ecosystem Conservation and Participatory Monitoring Program



DIAS compiles data bases of a number of important indices of biodiversity, including invasive alien species and endangered species through participatory monitoring programs, integrates to analyze the data with other earth observation data, and disseminates the products in a form to be easily used for decision making related to biodiversity conservation..



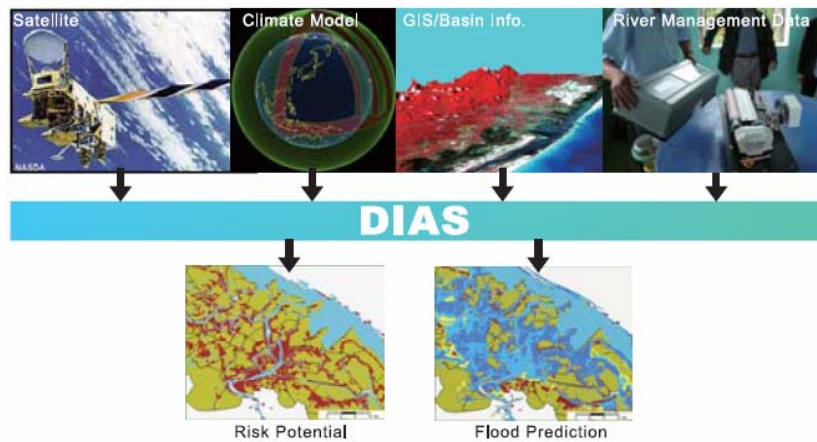
Ocean Circulation and Fishery Resources Management



DIAS provides usable information for a sustainable fishery resources management by constructing an oceanography- fishery cooperative platform that enables resource managers to investigate relationships between fluctuations in the fishery resources and the seasonal to decadal ocean variations derived from an ocean re-analysis based on the data assimilation by applying the four dimensional variational assimilation methods.



Integrated Water Resources Management



The Asian countries cooperatively integrate data from earth observation satellites and in-situ networks with other types of data, including numerical weather prediction model outputs, geographical information, and socio-economic data, to generate information for making sound water resources management decisions.



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