

Association between $^{18}\Delta$ and carbonyl sulfide uptake during CO_2 exchange between the atmosphere and land plants

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A tribute to the memory of Prof **Joel Gat**
1926-2012

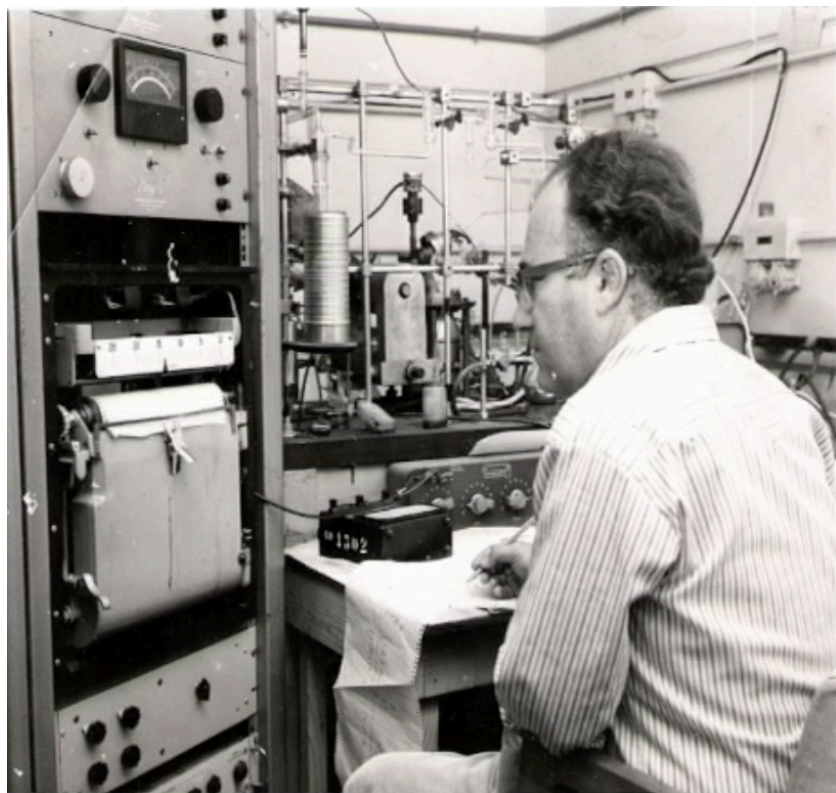


Born 1926, Germany



Young bright, and brash...

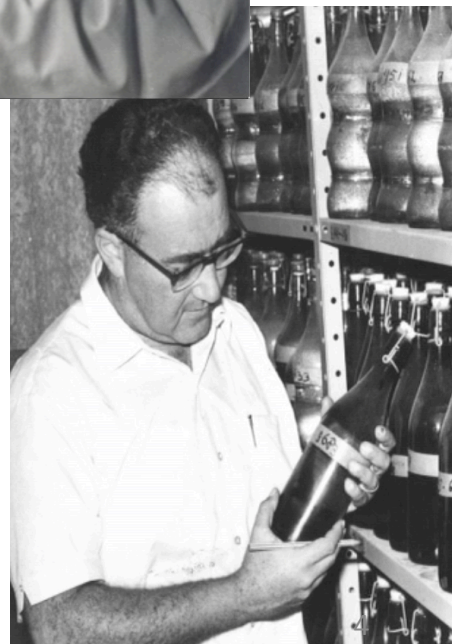




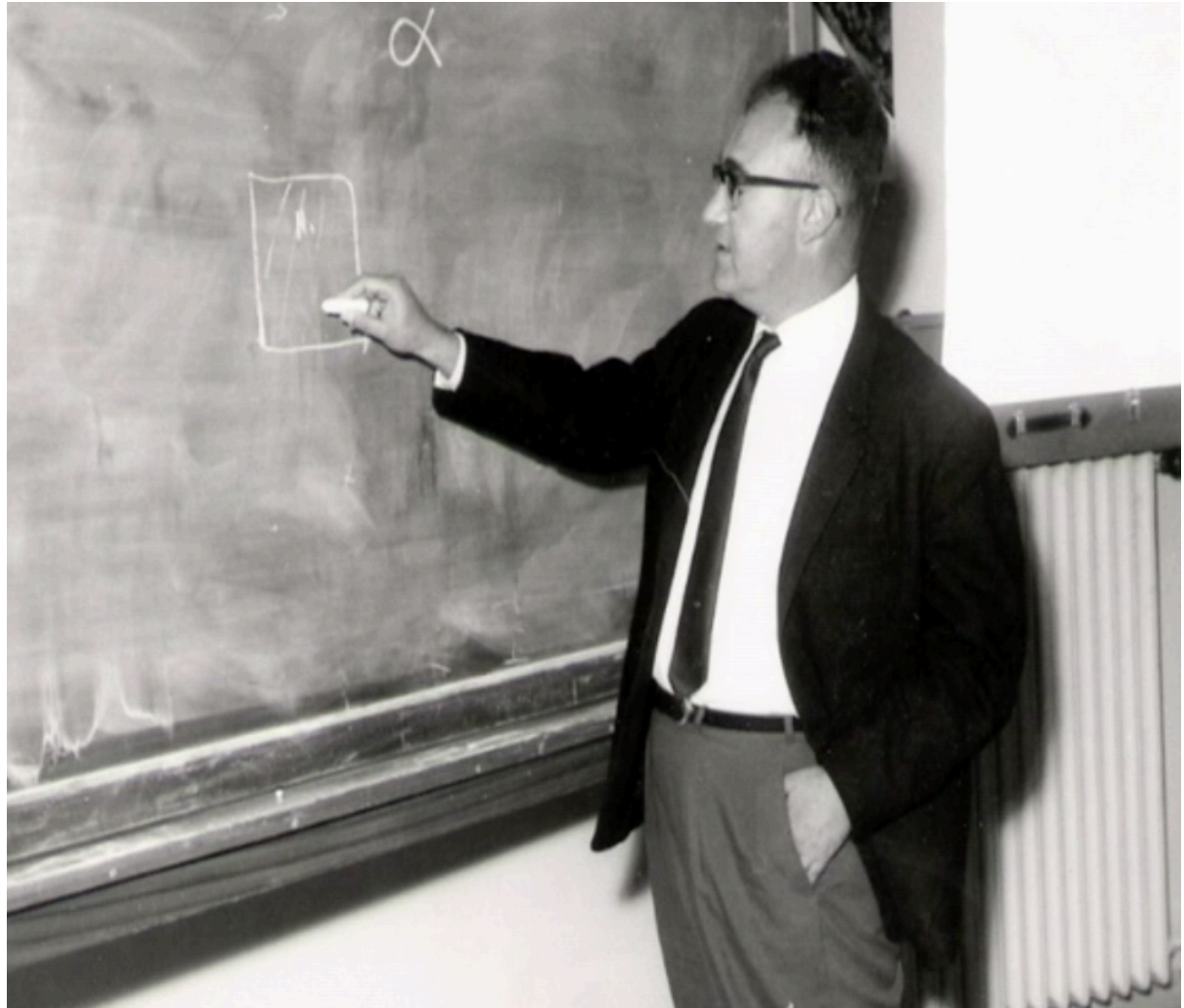
The hands-on scientist and the home made lab...

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The pre-GNIP collection...
Isotope 2015, Jerusalem



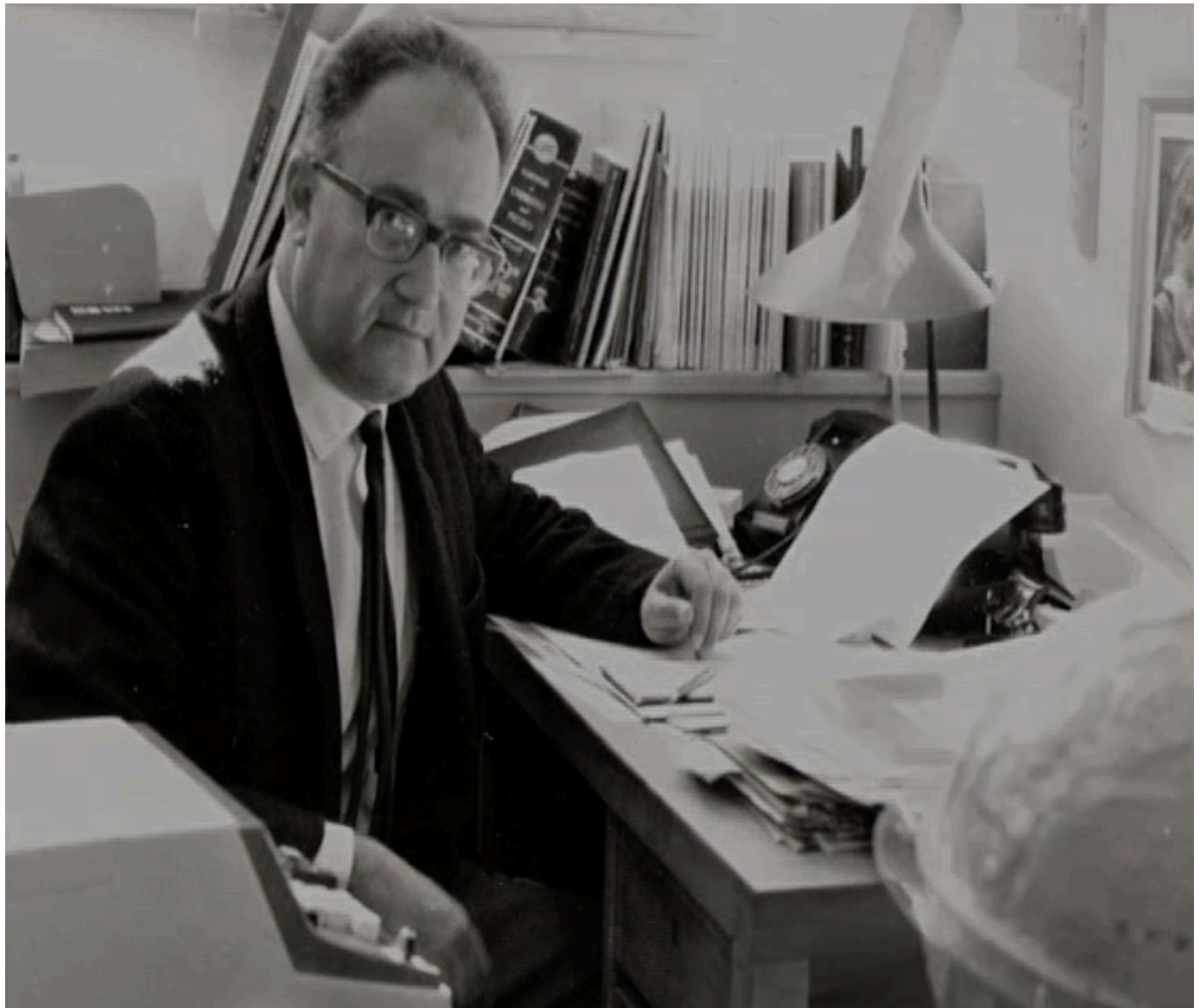
The teacher
(always with jokes)



Going beyond hydrology...



The administrator
(Dept. Chair, Dean)





The politician...

Meeting with PM Rabin and
President Katzir 1970s



Meeting with Thatcher, 1986

Joel's favorite places: Brazil, the Dead Sea, IAEA-Vienna

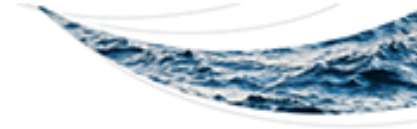


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Joel's favorite research topics: The Amazon, and...

Water Resources Research
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Recycling of water in the Amazon Basin: An isotopic study

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....the Dead Sea

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REPORTS

The Dead Sea: Deepening of the Mixolimnion Signifies the Overture to Overturn of the Water Column



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The stable isotope composition of Dead Sea waters

Joel R. Gat

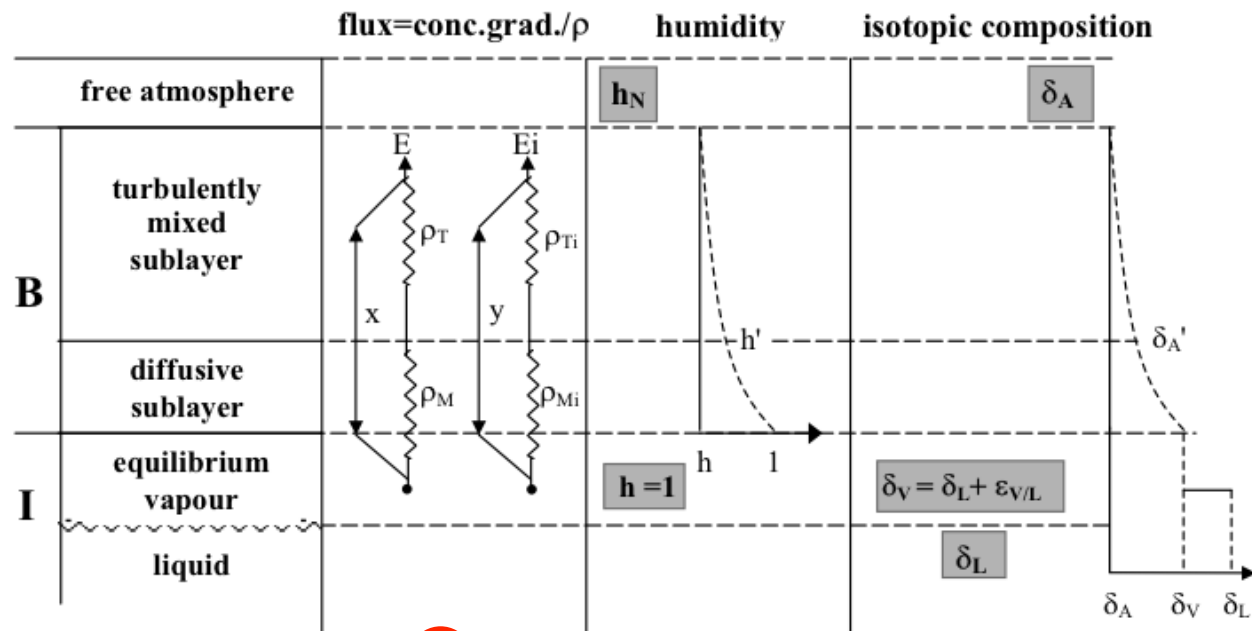




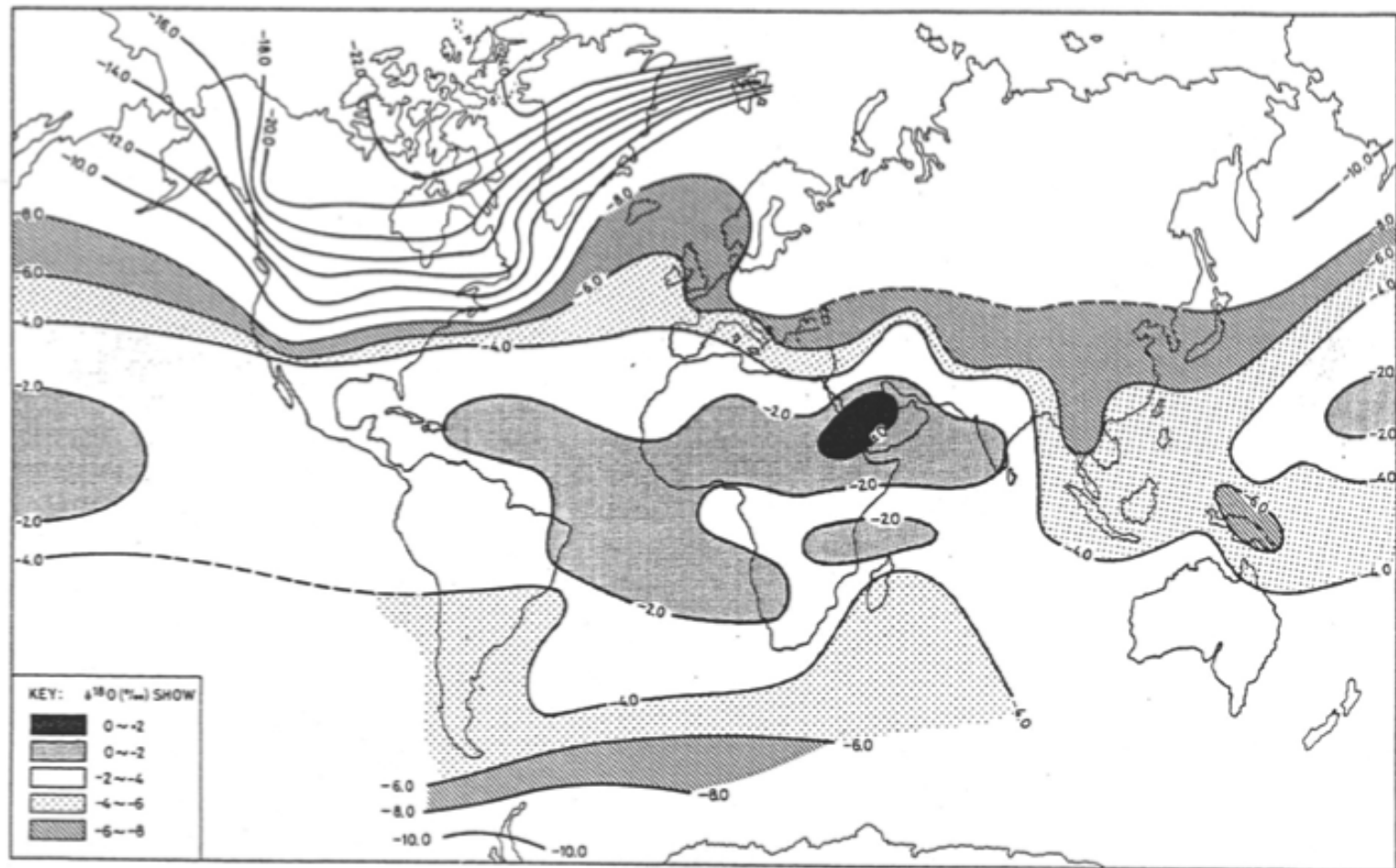
Joel Gatt.

The foundations of isotope hydrology

- 1929 Discovery of ^{18}O (*Giauque & Johnston*)
- 1932 Discovery of ^2H (*Urey et al.*)
- 1965 Craig-Gordon evaporation model (*Craig & Gordon*)



$$\delta = \frac{\alpha \delta_L (1 - E\rho) - h\delta_a - \epsilon}{(1 - h) + \Delta\epsilon + \alpha^* E\rho}$$



Gat 1980

Isotopic variations in meteoric waters

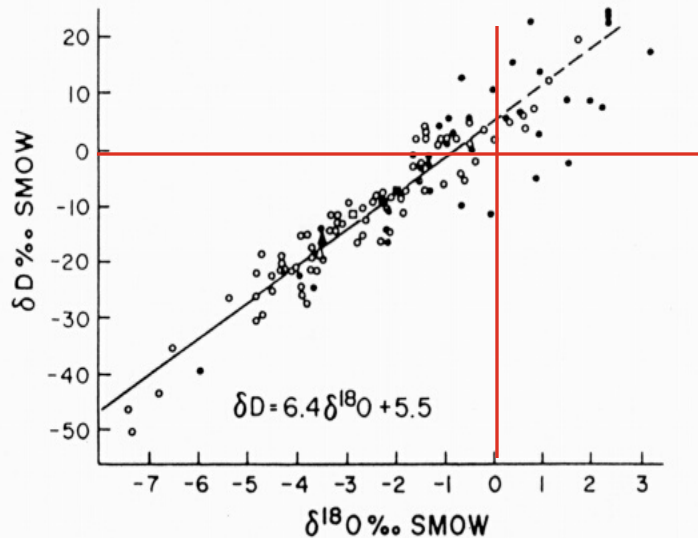


Fig. 9.5 Isotopic composition of precipitation in the Pajeu River basin, Brazil: o, months with rain over 50 mm/month; ●, months with lower precipitation amounts. A local meteoric line is obtained with the equation $\delta\text{D} = 6.4\delta^{18}\text{O} + 5.5$ (Salati et al., 1980).

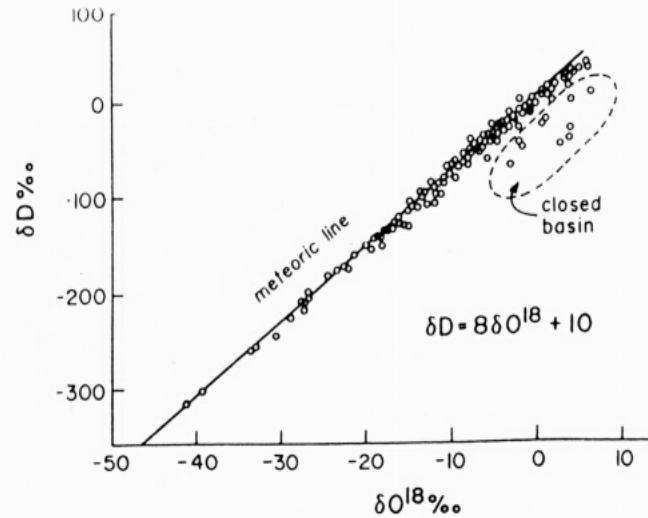


Fig. 9.4 Isotopic data of about 400 samples of rivers, lakes, and precipitation from various parts of the world. The best-fit line was termed the *meteoric line*. Its equation, as found by Craig (1961a), is $\delta\text{D} = 8\delta^{18}\text{O} + 10$. The data in the encircled zone of "closed basins" is for East African lakes with intensive evaporation.

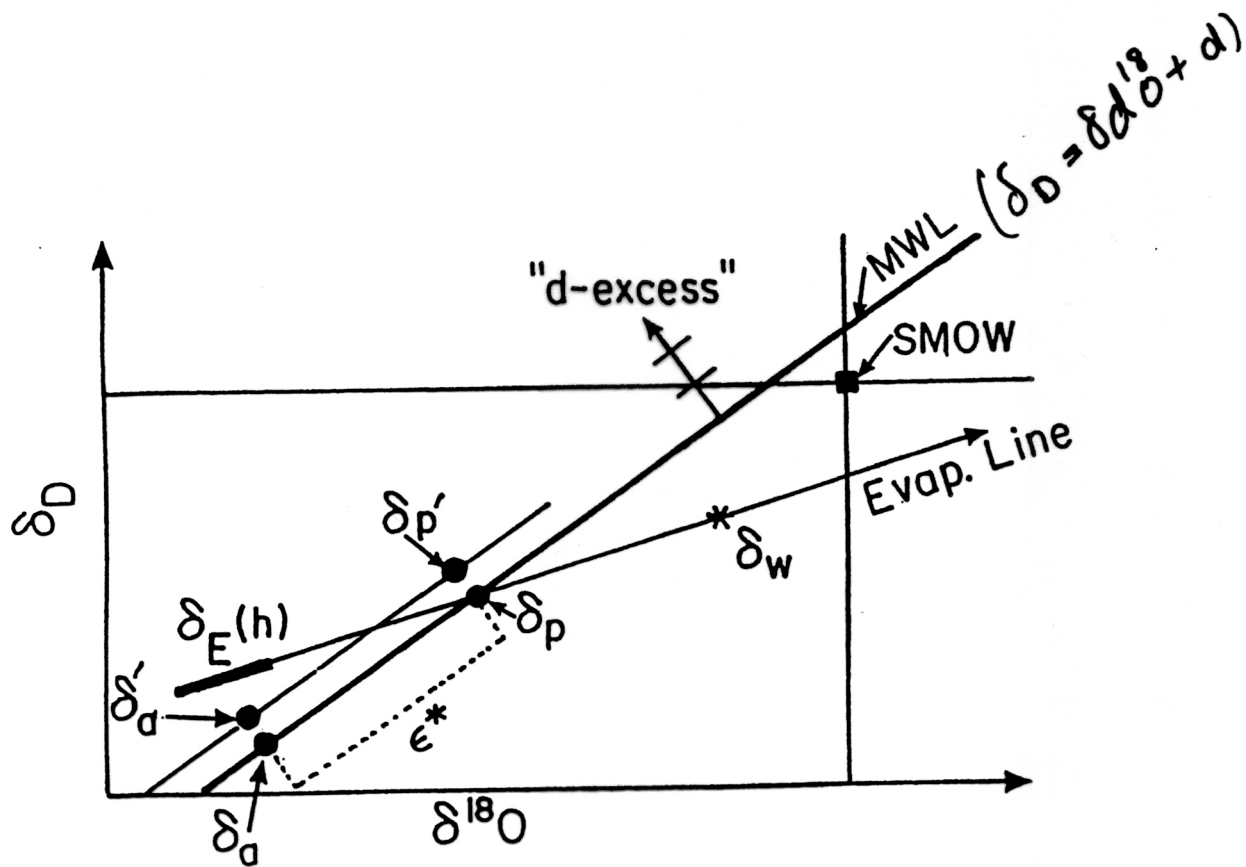


Figure 8 Schematics of the addition of evaporated moisture from surface water into the ambient atmosphere on the δ -diagram. δ_p = δ value of precipitation; δ_w = δ value of the residual water after evaporation; δ_E = the evaporation flux; δ_a and δ'_a are the atmospheric moisture before and after mixing with δ_E .

THE RELATION BETWEEN THE ^{18}O AND DEUTERIUM CONTENTS OF RAIN WATER IN THE NEGEV DESERT AND AIR-MASS TRAJECTORIES

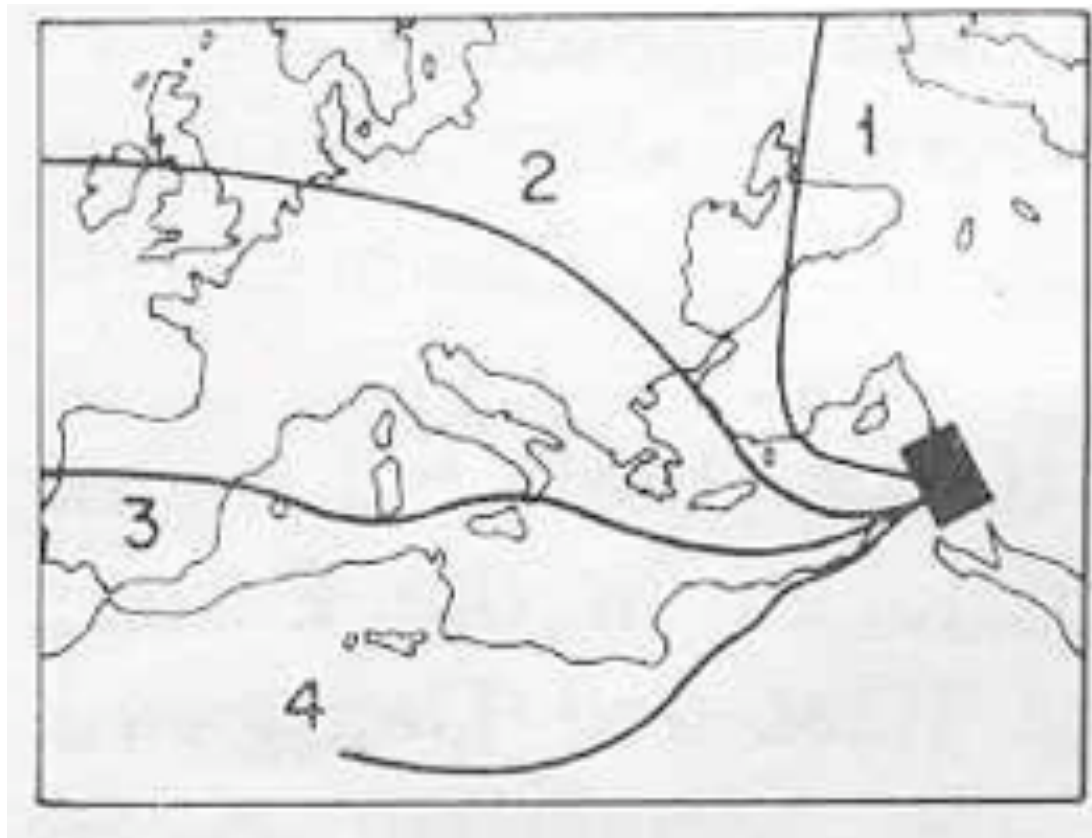
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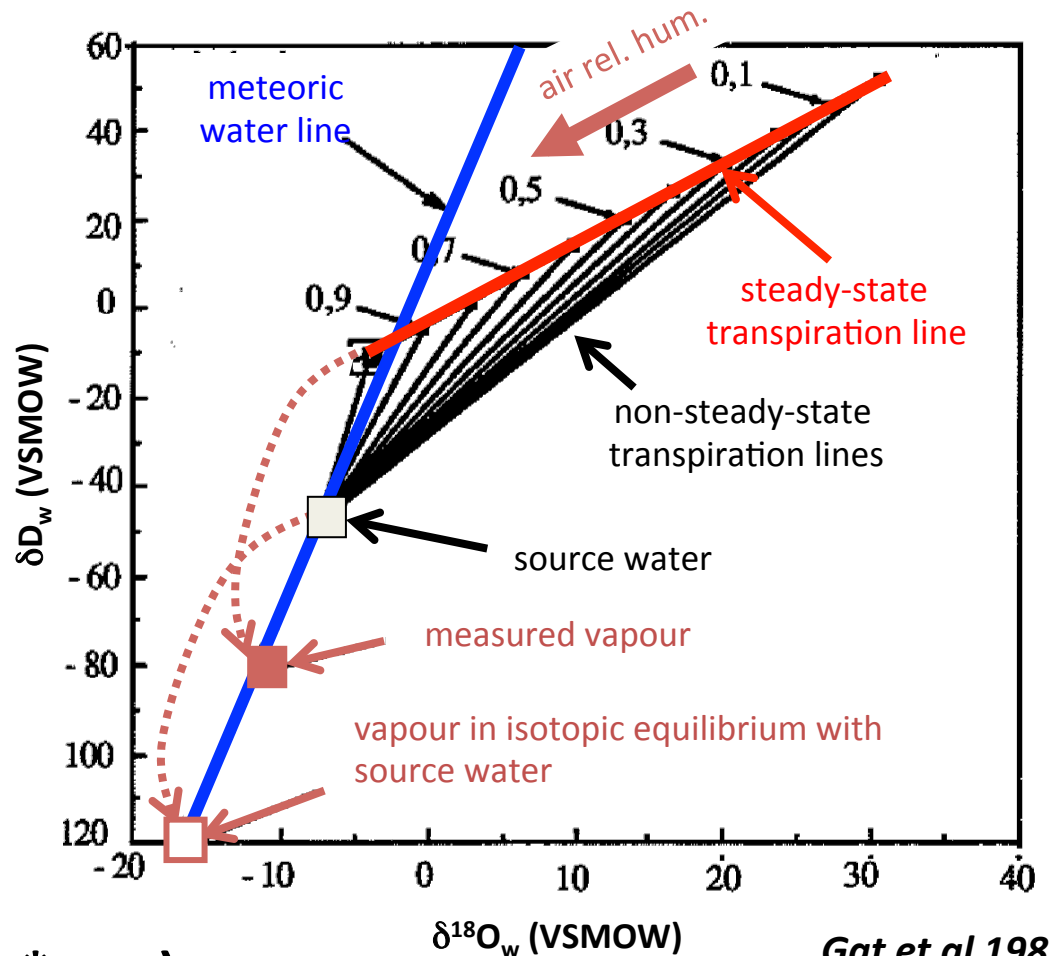
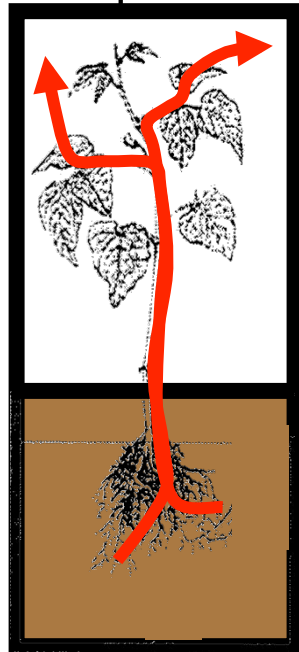
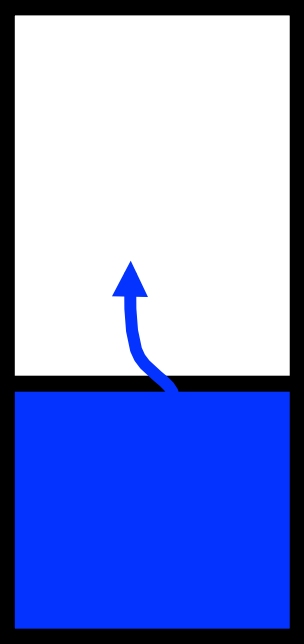
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Inversion of the Craig-Gordon equation to solve for water bodies in isotopic steady state

free water
evaporation

plant
transpiration



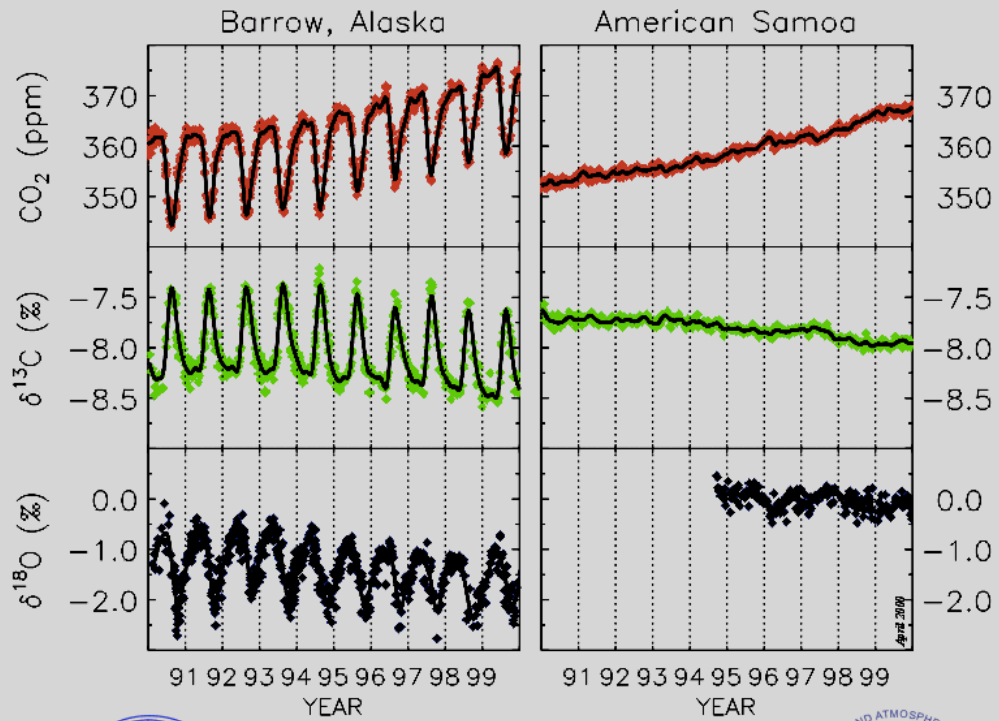
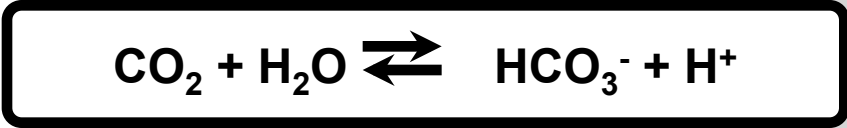
Gat et al 1985

$$\delta_E = (\alpha_{eq} \delta_L - h^* \delta_a + \epsilon_{eq} + \epsilon_k) / (1 - h^* - \epsilon_{eq})$$

$$\delta_L = \epsilon_{eq} + \epsilon_k + \delta_i + h^* (\delta_a - \epsilon_{eq} - \delta_i)$$

Latitudinal variation in oxygen-18 of atmospheric CO₂

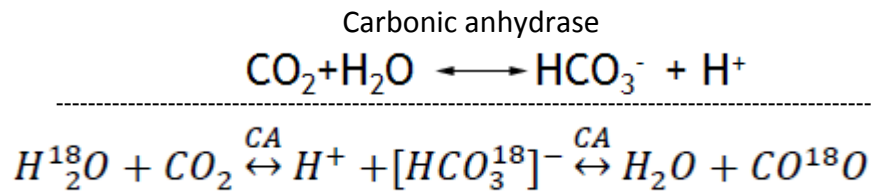
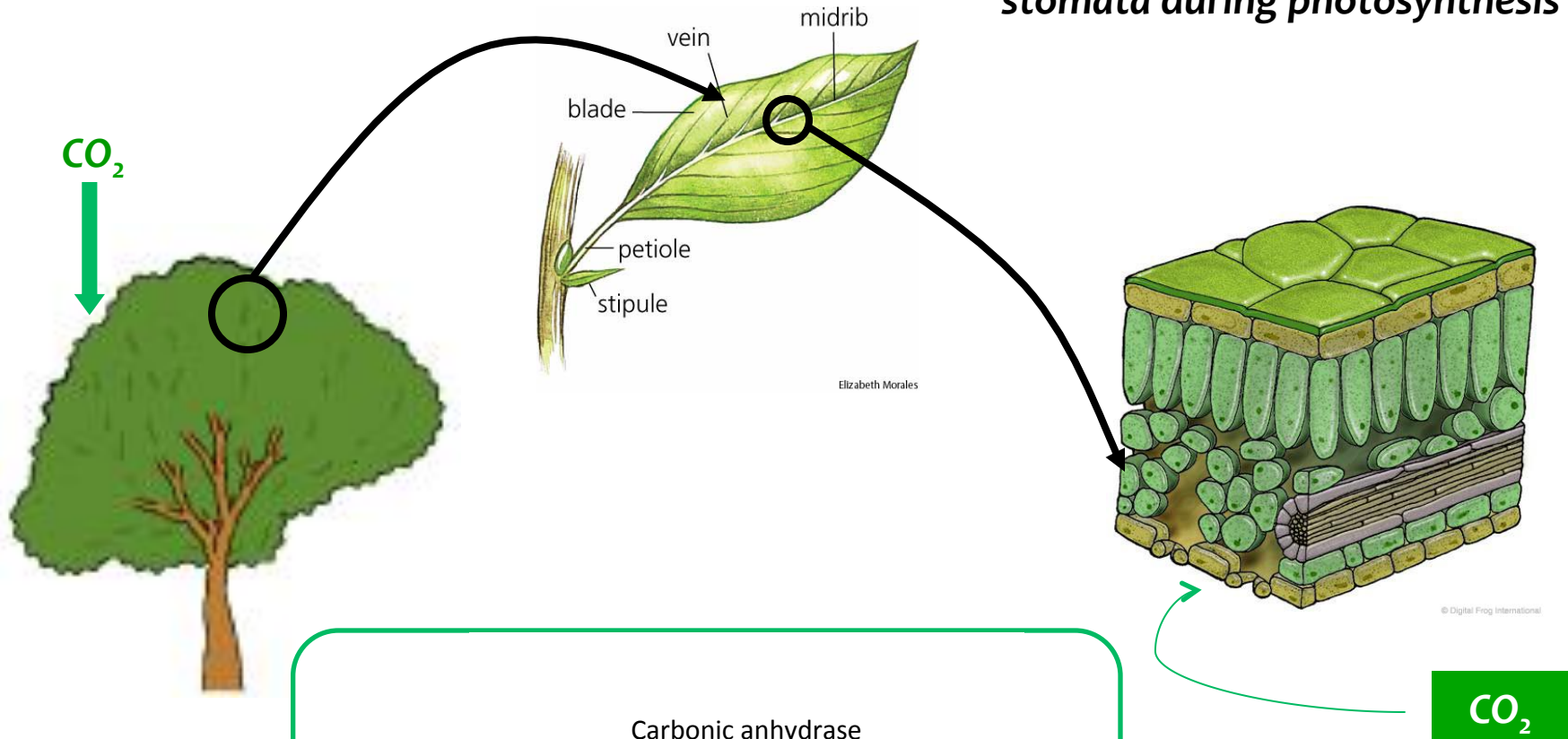
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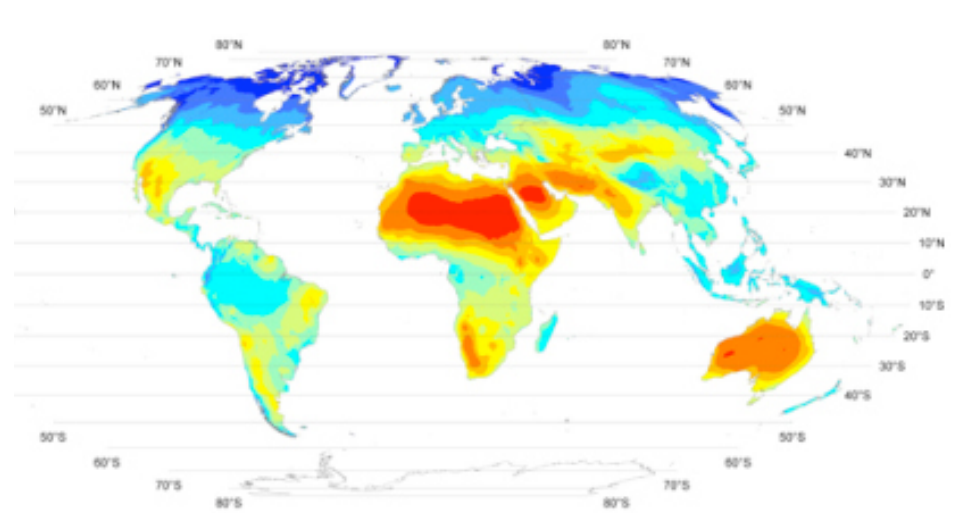
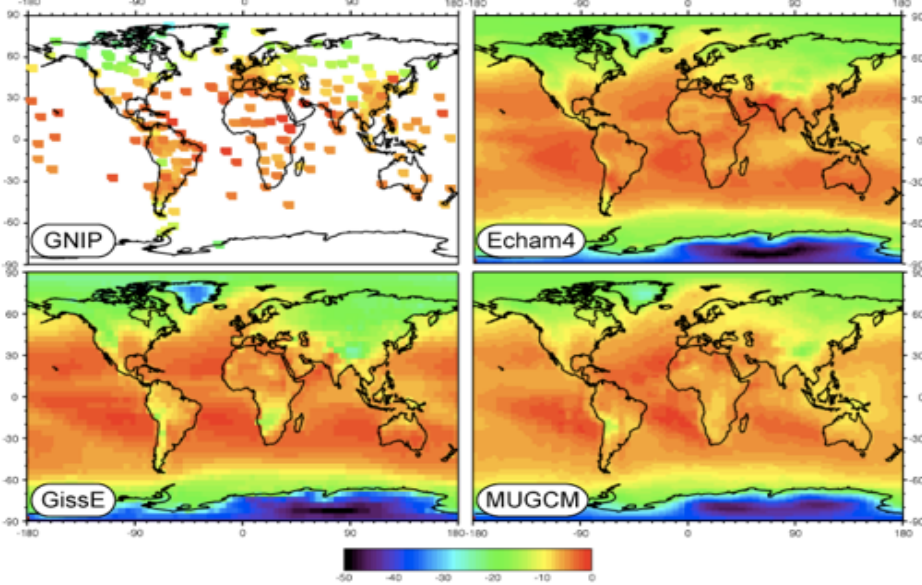


Time series showing the relationships between atmospheric carbon dioxide (upper panel), carbon-13 (middle panel) and oxygen-18 (lower panel) isotopic composition in the marine boundary layer. The measurements were made at NOAA CMDL and the University of Colorado INSTAAR using samples provided by the NOAA CMDL cooperative air sampling network. Data are shown for Barrow and Samoa, revealing the greater seasonal variations at high northern latitudes driven by the terrestrial biosphere. The isotope data are expressed as deviations of the carbon-13/carbon-12 ratio in carbon dioxide from the VPDB-CO₂ standard, in per mil (parts per thousand). Contact: Dr. Jim White, CU INSTAAR, Boulder, Colorado, (303) 492-5494, james.white@colorado.edu.

CO₂ Uptake by Leaf During Photosynthesis

CO₂ is taken up through leaf stomata during photosynthesis





Leaf water

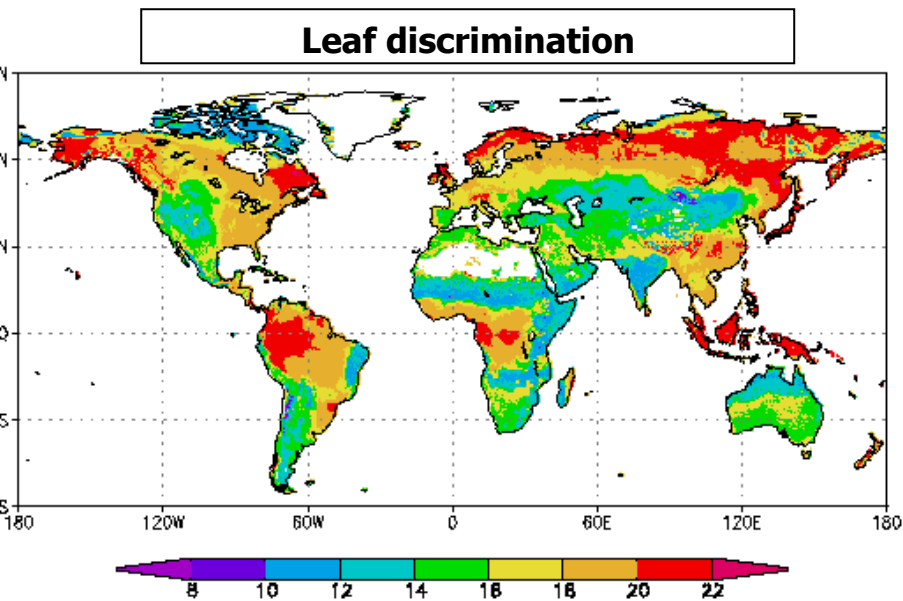
ISOSCAPES (West & Bowen)

Fnung et al; Jousel et al, Henderson Sellers, Ciais

LPJ, J.Kaplan et al.

Gillon & Yakir, 2001

Global distribution of θ_{eq}



NP

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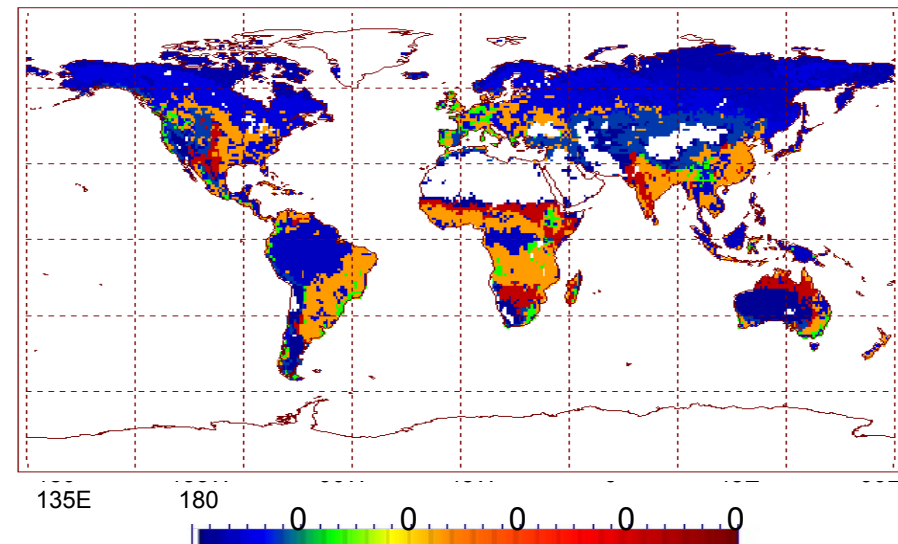
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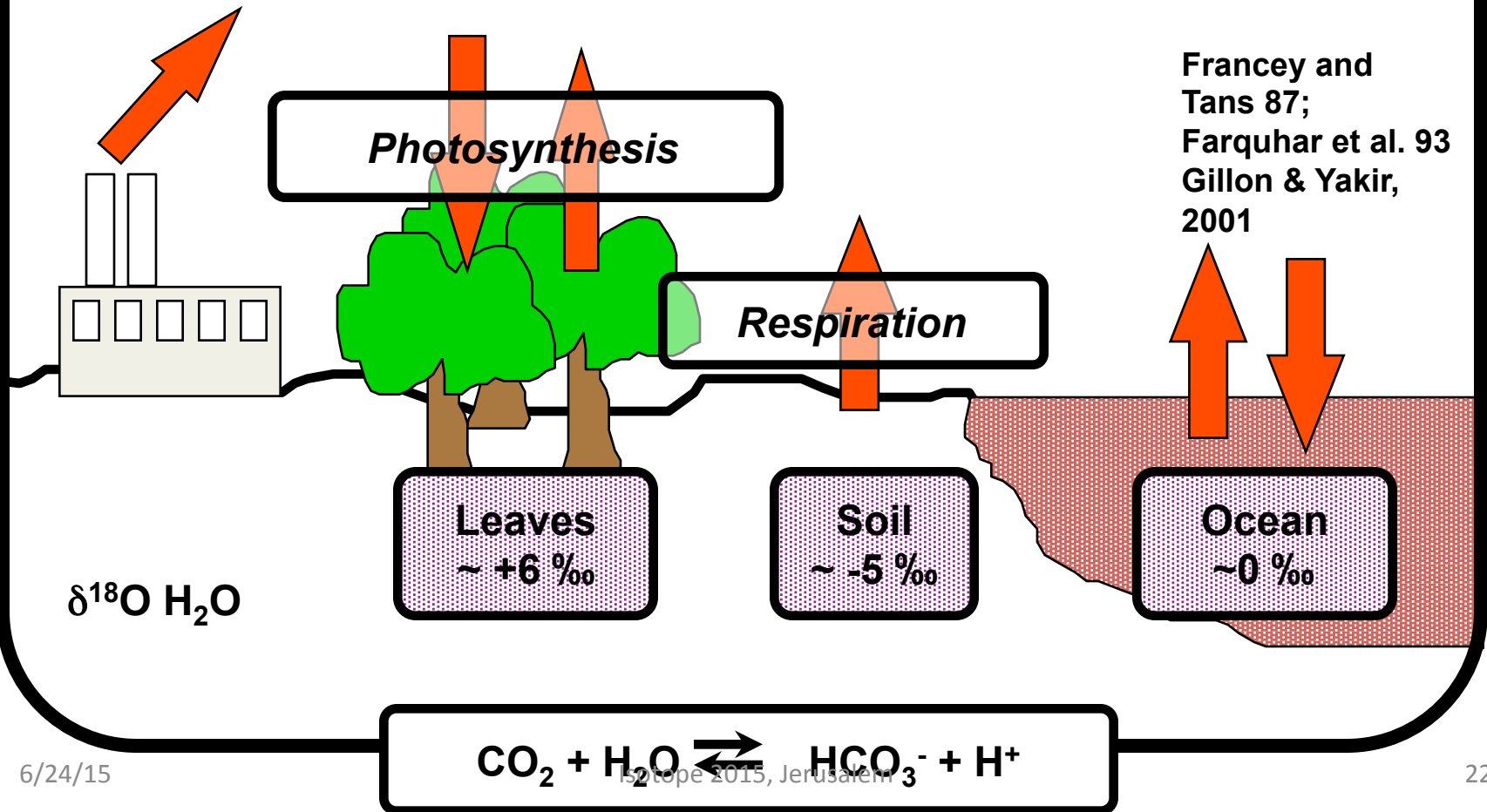
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SP



atmospheric $\delta^{18}\text{O CO}_2$

$$c_a \frac{d\delta_a}{dt} = \underbrace{\langle GPP \Delta_A \rangle} + \underbrace{\langle F_R (\delta_s - \delta_a - \epsilon_{eff}) + F_I (\delta_s - \delta_a) \rangle} + \underbrace{\langle F_f (\delta_f - \delta_a) \rangle} + \underbrace{\langle F_{oa} (\delta_o - \delta_a) + \epsilon_w N_o \rangle}$$



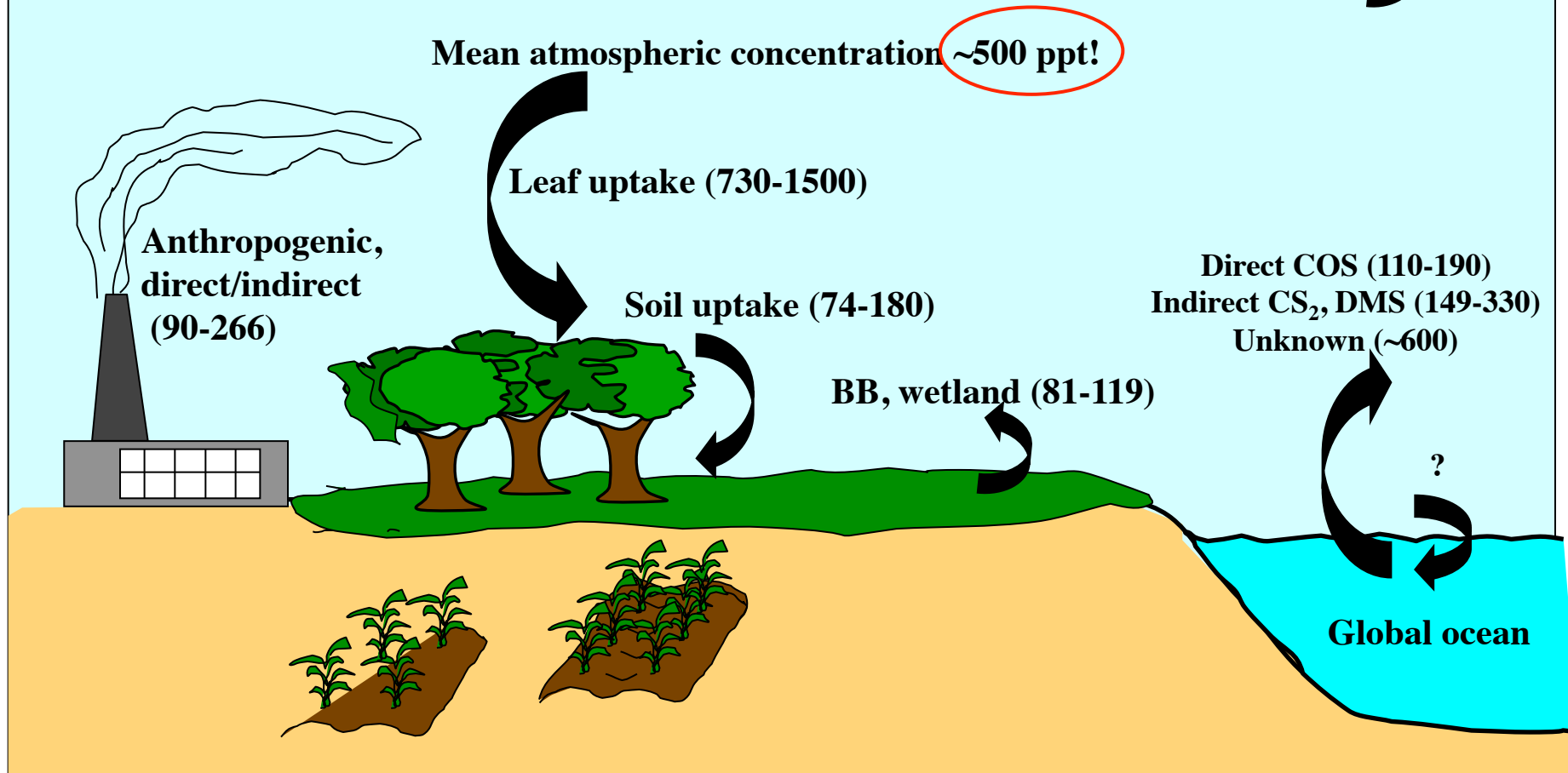
Global COS Budget

(Gg S a⁻¹; Kettle et al., 2002; Montzka et al., 2007; Berry et al., 2013)

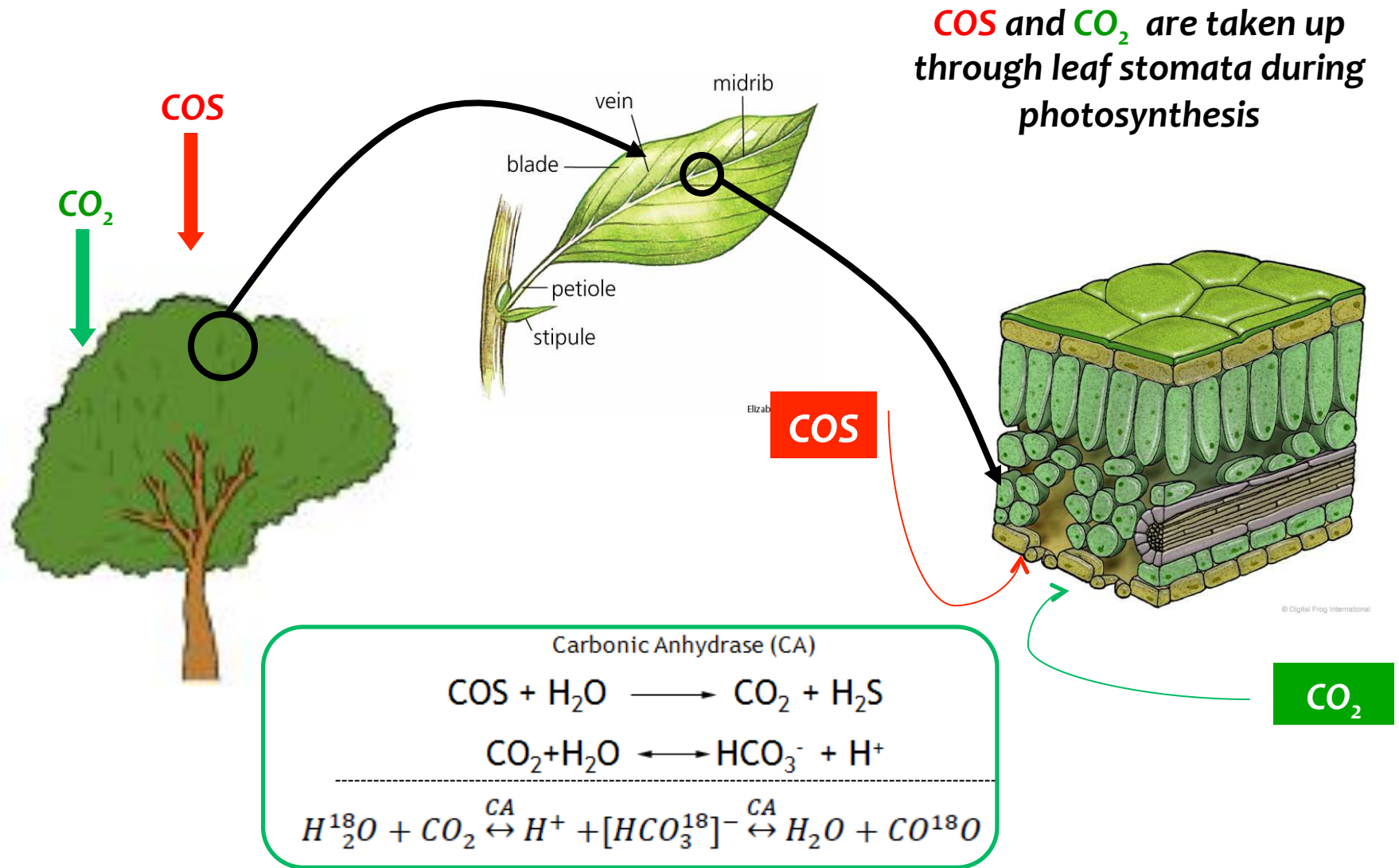
Stratosphere

COS → SO₂
OH uptake (82-110)

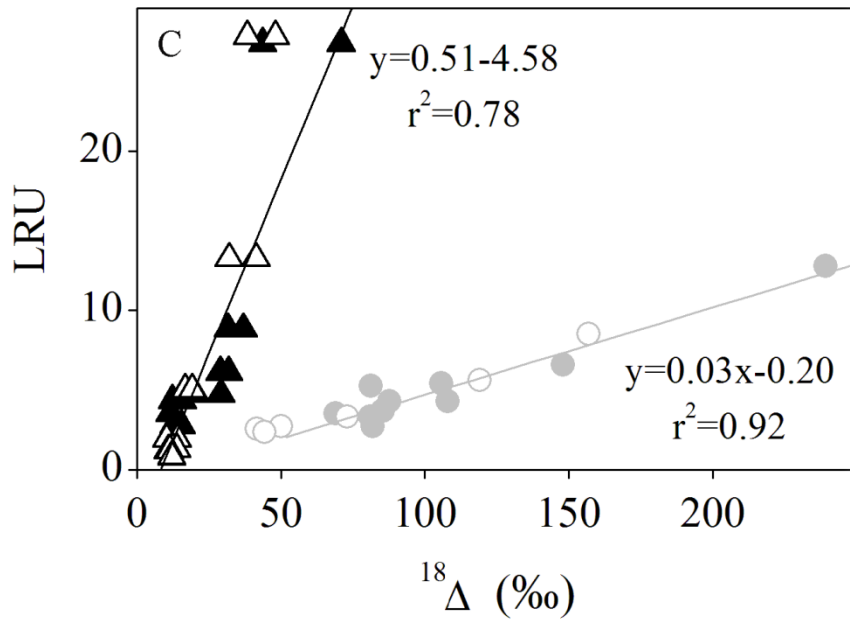
Mean atmospheric concentration ~500 ppt!



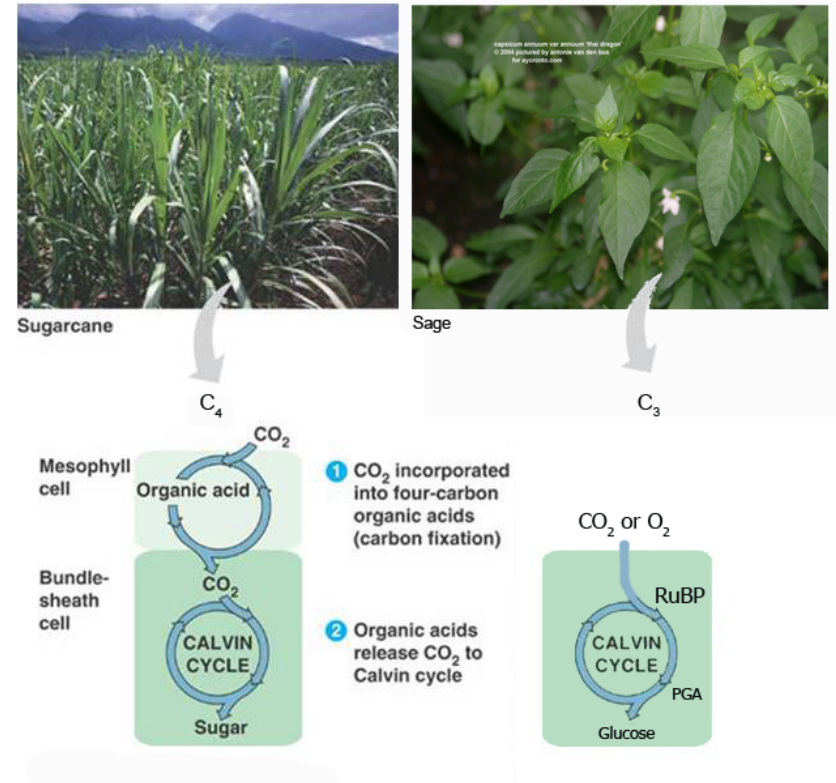
COS Uptake by Leaf During Photosynthesis



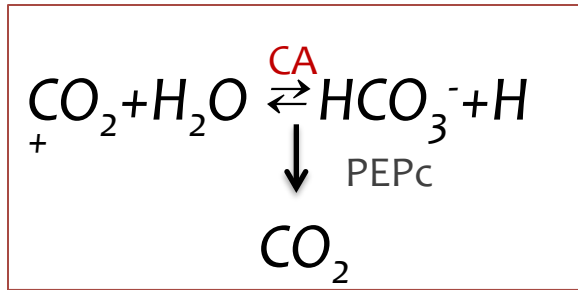
COS exchange and $^{18}\Delta$ on a leaf level



$$^{18}\Delta = a + \epsilon [(\theta(\delta_e - \delta_a) - (1 - \theta)(a/(\epsilon + 1))]$$



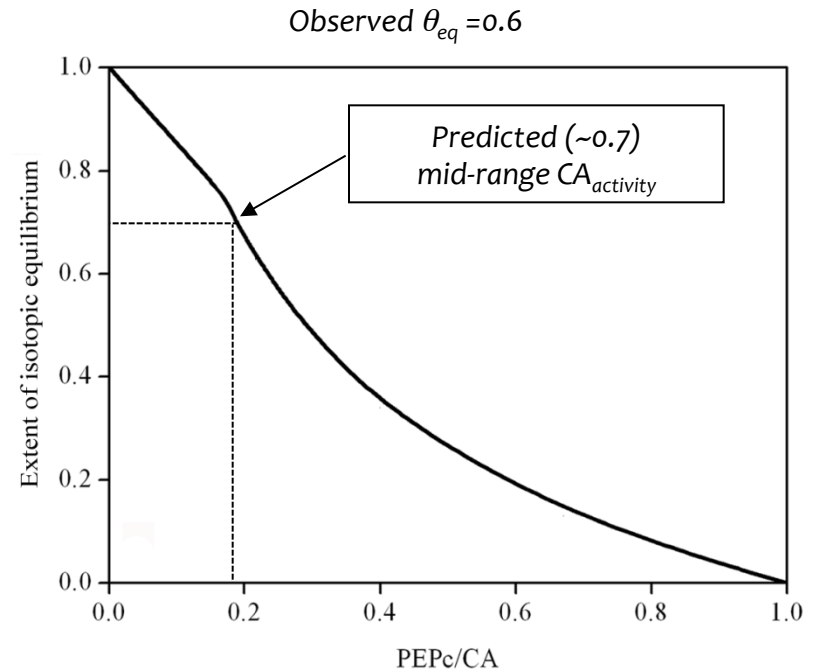
PEPc Influence θ_{eq}



$$\rho = \frac{\text{PEPc activity}}{\text{CA activity}}$$

$$\theta_{eq} = 1 - e^{-[\text{CA}_{leaf}(1-\rho)/F_{in}/3]}$$

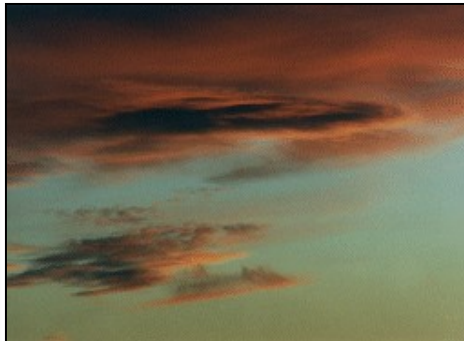
$$^{18}\Delta = a + \epsilon [(\theta(\delta_e - \delta_a) - (1-\theta)(a/(\epsilon+1))]$$



ρ	CA_{leaf} $\mu\text{mol m}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$	F_{in} $\mu\text{mol m}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
0.18	80-3000	120

Unraveling the contemporary atmospheric CO₂ budget (and the 50% “discount”)

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} \mathbf{9.9} & = & \mathbf{4.5} & + & \mathbf{2.9} & + & \mathbf{2.5} \\ \text{Emission} & & \text{Atmosphere} & & \text{Ocean} & & \text{Land} \end{array}$$



All in billion tons of carbon (Gt C or 10¹⁵ g C)

Final note

- Great scientists like Joel Gat laid the foundations to isotopic hydrology as we know it today
- Isotopic hydrology is the foundation for a powerful tracer
In environmental sciences,
- This includes key links between the hydrological and the carbon cycles
Leading to new 'frontiers' in Environmental Sciences

Thank you