Second Central Asian DUst Conference (CADUC-2) in Nukus (South of Aral Sea; Uzbekistan), 14 – 22 April 2024

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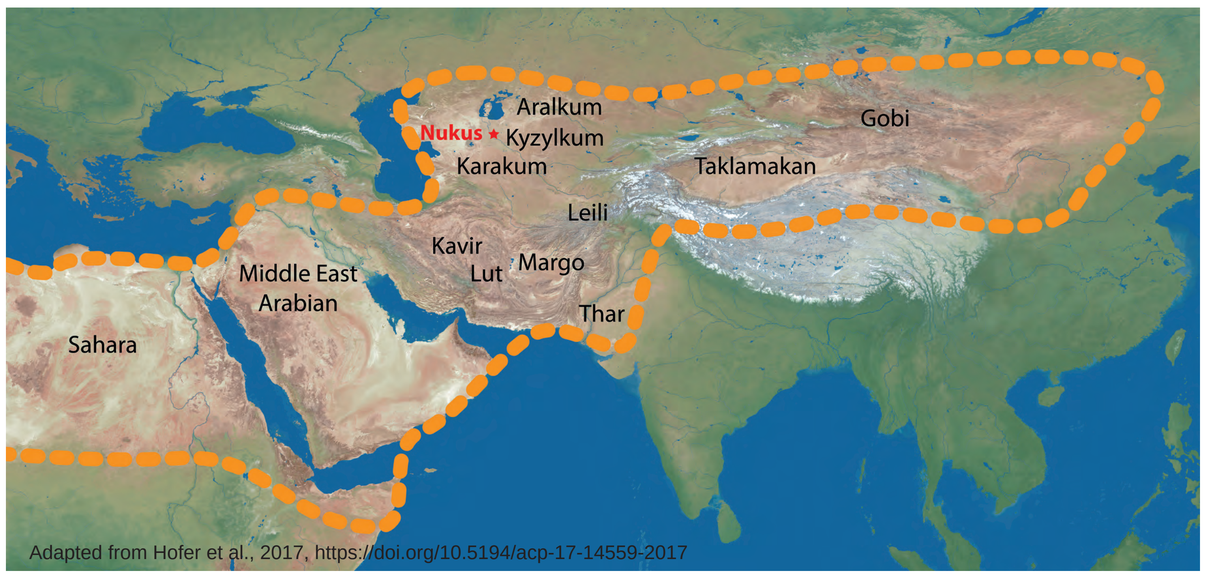
Dust belt and location of CADUC-2



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Goals of CADUC-2

- Promote discussions between scientists who study dust in the atmosphere and at Earth's surface, especially in Central Asia
- Summarize textbook knowledge of atmospheric dust and new insights into dust, identify differences between Central Asian dust and Saharan dust and dust from other deserts, and derive conclusions
- Education/training of young scientists and technicians, administrative staff (capacity building) on 14 April 2024 (will take place in case of additional funding)
- Characterization of dust in the atmosphere and on the earth's surface at source areas, transport, deposition areas, and dust impacts on humans, plants, economies, etc.
- Description of possible vulnerabilities and actions: to avoid dust events, as well as precautions when dust events occur (warning systems of/for countries)
- Description of possible predictions and scenarios (diseases, plant growth, well-being, etc), if nothing is done against dust distribution
- Policy recommendations resulting from the scientific findings

Links to conference, registration, abstract delivering system

https://www.tropos.de/CADUC-2: **Registration form:** **Instructions for authors:** **Publication right form:** **Abstract delivering system:**

Planned sessions

1 Atmospheric dust at source regions

2 Dust properties at transport

3 Atmospheric dust at sink regions

4 Aral Sea region as dust source and dust sink

5 Impacts of atmospheric dust

6 Dust early warning systems

7 Success stories in controlling sand and dust storm (SDS) hotspots

Special rounds to discuss
policy recommendations
resulting from the scientific findings

Deadlines

Abstract submission system is open

Deadline for submitting the 4-pages abstracts:
1 October 2023

Deadline for submitting the registration sheets:
1 October 2023

Notification about acceptance and requests for revising of abstracts:
1 December 2023

Deadline for payment of conference fees:
1 January 2024

Deadline for submitting the revised versions of abstracts:
1 February 2024

Conference:
14 April 2024: lectures for capacity building
15 - 19 April 2024: Meetings in Nukus and trip to Muynak
20 - 22 April 2024: Post congress to Khiva and Bukhara

Where: Karakalpak State University (KSU)

Conference trip to the former Aral Sea (Muynak)

Post-Conference Excursion:

CADUC-1 - a great success:

https://www.e3s-conferences.org/caduc-2019

from session: Dust at Source Regions

Saline dust storms

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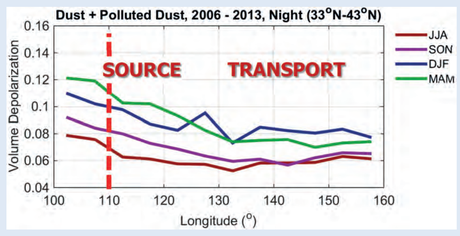
from session: Dust at Transport

Decade of CALIPSO observations of Asian and Saharan dust properties near source and transport regions



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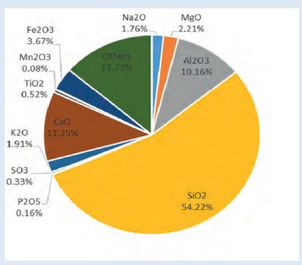
from session: Dust at Sink Regions

Composition of the dust aerosol on period of dust storms in Tajikistan



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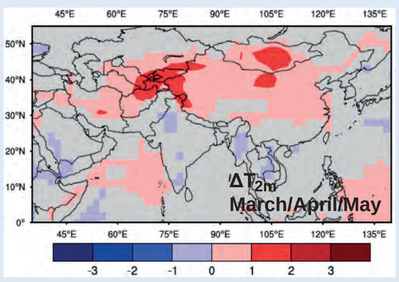
from session: Impacts of Dust

Dust impacts on radiative effects of black carbon aerosol forcing



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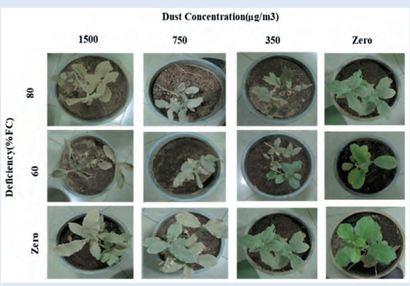
Spectral-temporal behaviour of Persian Oak (Quercus Brantii Lindl)'s under the stresses of water deficiency and dust particles



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