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Remote Sensing and Observation of the Optical Properties of Aerosols

Message from the Guest Editors

Understanding aerosols' role in Earth's energy budget is crucial to predicting and mitigating climate change since aerosol optical characteristics, scattering, and absorption affect Earth's energy budget. The purpose of this Special Issue is to bring together scientists using ground- and satellite-based remote sensing techniques and direct observations at the surface to study aerosols' optical properties. The Special Issue also illustrates surface-level and column-integrated aerosol optical properties and the influence of local air pollution sources and long-range aerosol transport on aerosol optical properties.

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