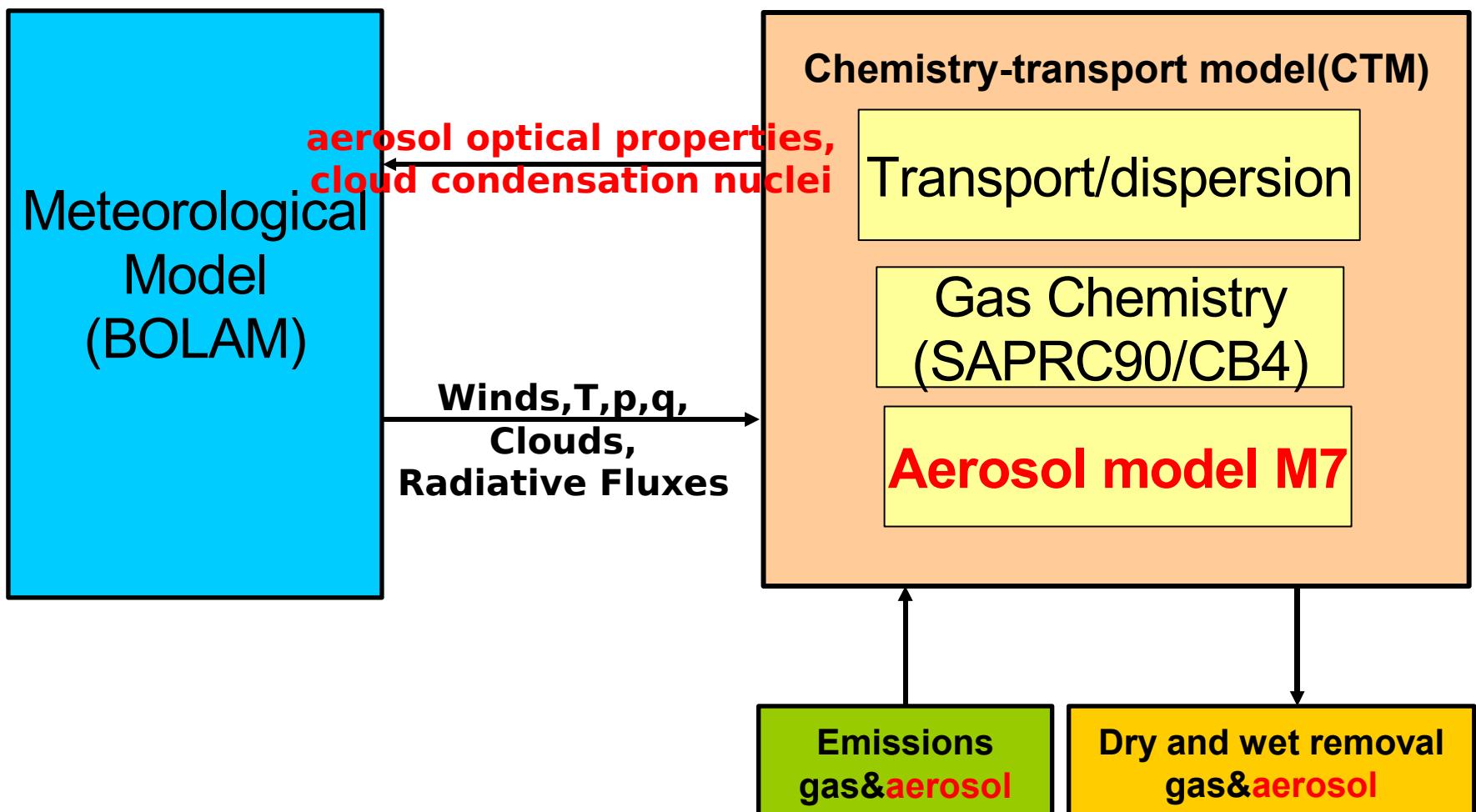
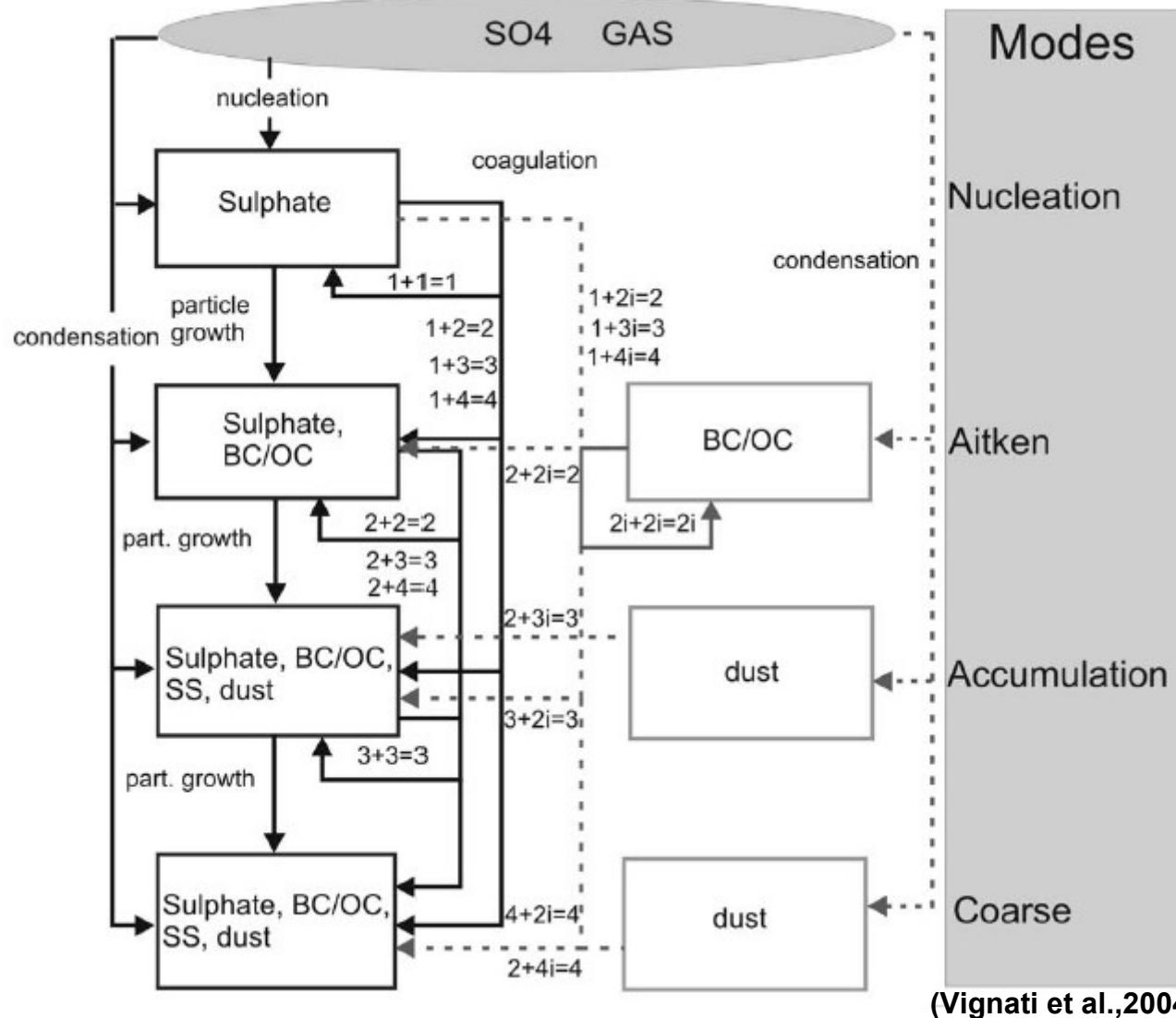


# Aerosol and BOLCHEM air quality model

# BOLCHEM flow chart



# Aerosol module –M7

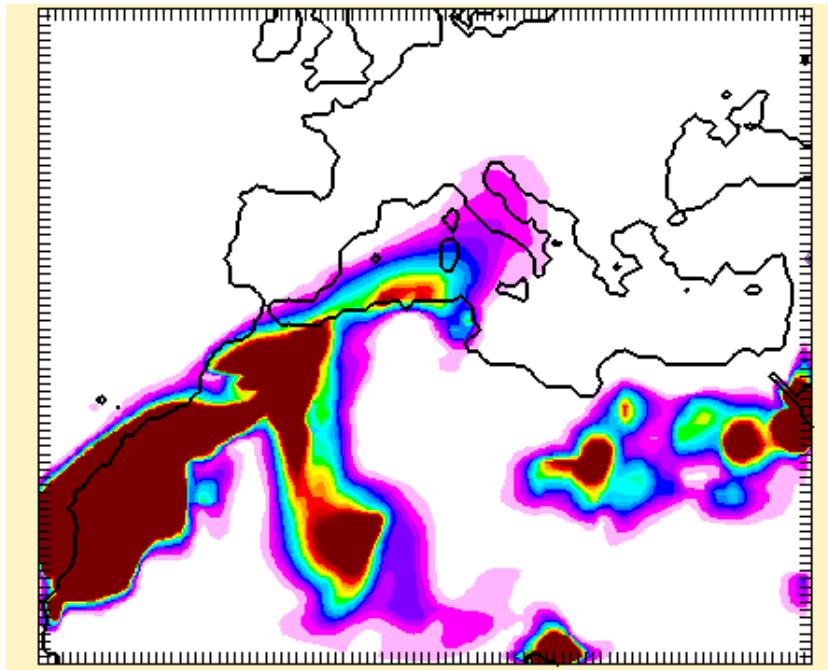


(Vignati et al., 2004)

# What should we do in the future:

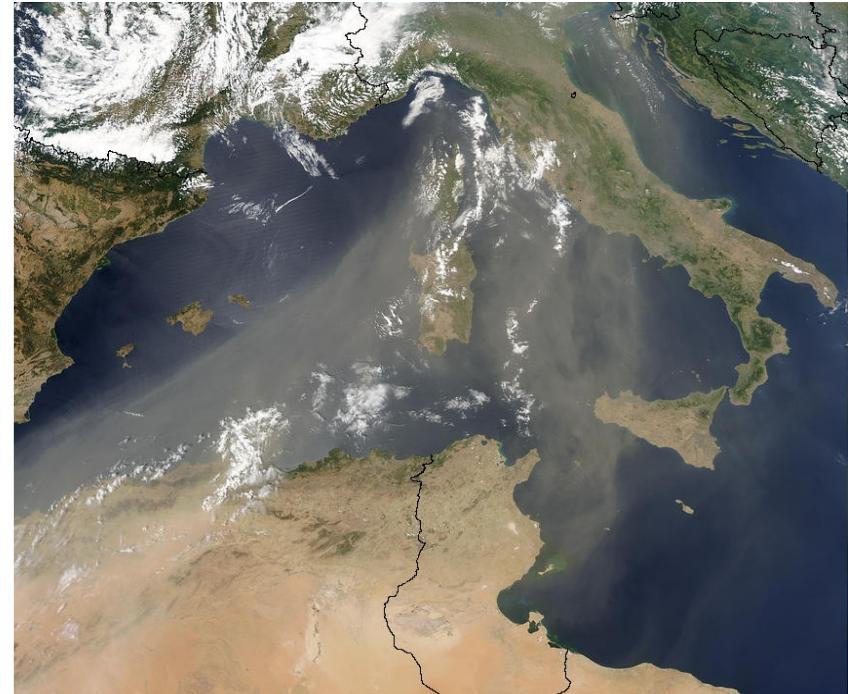
- **emissions:**
  - dust
  - sea-salt
  - SOA
  - BC
  - primary OA
- **dry deposition, sedimentation**
- **wet removal in-cloud and below-cloud**
- **aerosol-radiation interaction**
- **aerosol-cloud interaction???**
- **aerosol-gas interaction (equilibrium, uptake or heterogeneous chemistry??)**

# Dust event over Italy



BOLCHEM

On July 16, 2003, the Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer (MODIS) on the Aqua satellite captured this image of a river of Saharan dust streaming out over the Mediterranean Sea and northeastward to Italy.

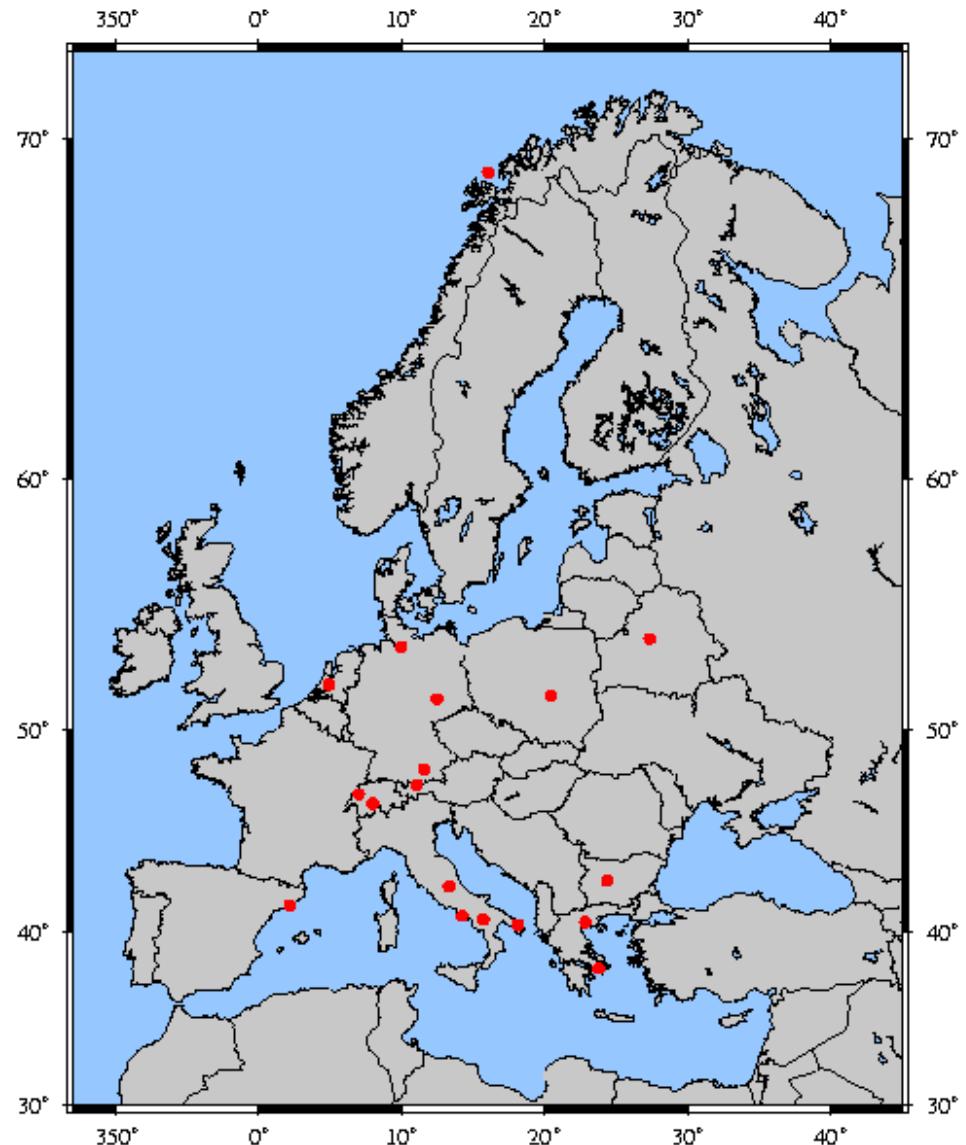


MODIS Aqua

# REMOTE SENSING: LIDAR

**A European Aerosol Research  
Lidar Network to Establish an  
Aerosol Climatology: EARLINET**

EARLINET was established in February, 2000 as a research project supported by the European Commission under the Fifth Framework Programme



# REMOTE SENSING: AERONET



<http://aeronet.gsfc.nasa.gov/>

From 1993-

Standardized instruments and processing

Provides: spectral optical depth

Infers size distribution for column

Levels of data: raw, quality-assured, climatological

Avignon (43N,4E)

IMAA\_Potenza  
(40N,15E)

La\_Crau (43N,4E)

Marseille  
(43N,5E)

Realtor (43N,5E)

Toulon (43N,6E)

Carpentras (44N,5E)

IMC\_Oristano  
(39N,8E)

Lampedusa  
(35N,12E)

Messina (38N,15E)

Rome\_Tor\_Vergata  
(41N,12E)

Villefranche (43N,7E)

ETNA (37N,15E)

Kolimbari  
(35N,23E)

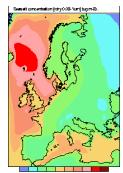
Lecce\_University  
(40N,18E)

Modena (44N,10E)

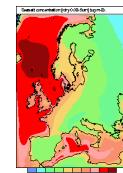
THALA (35N,8E)

Vinon (43N,5E)

Fine particles



Fine and coarse particles



Foltescu et al., 2005: SEA SALT AEROSOL