

# BESM-HAM implementation

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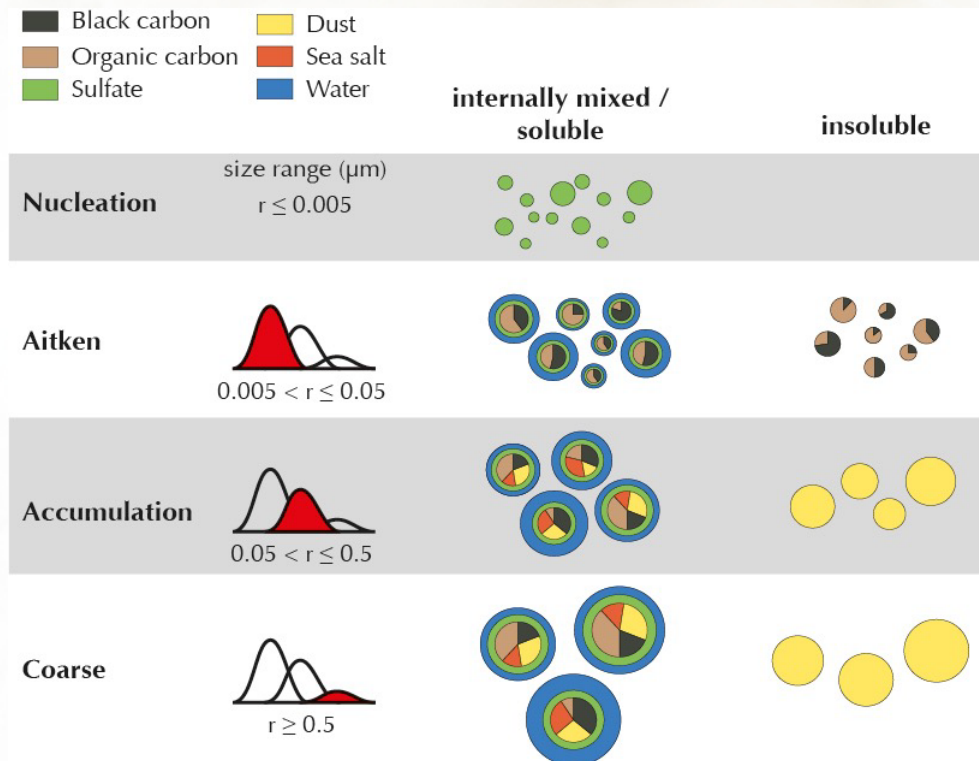
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# Rationale

## Hamburg Aerosol Model (HAM)

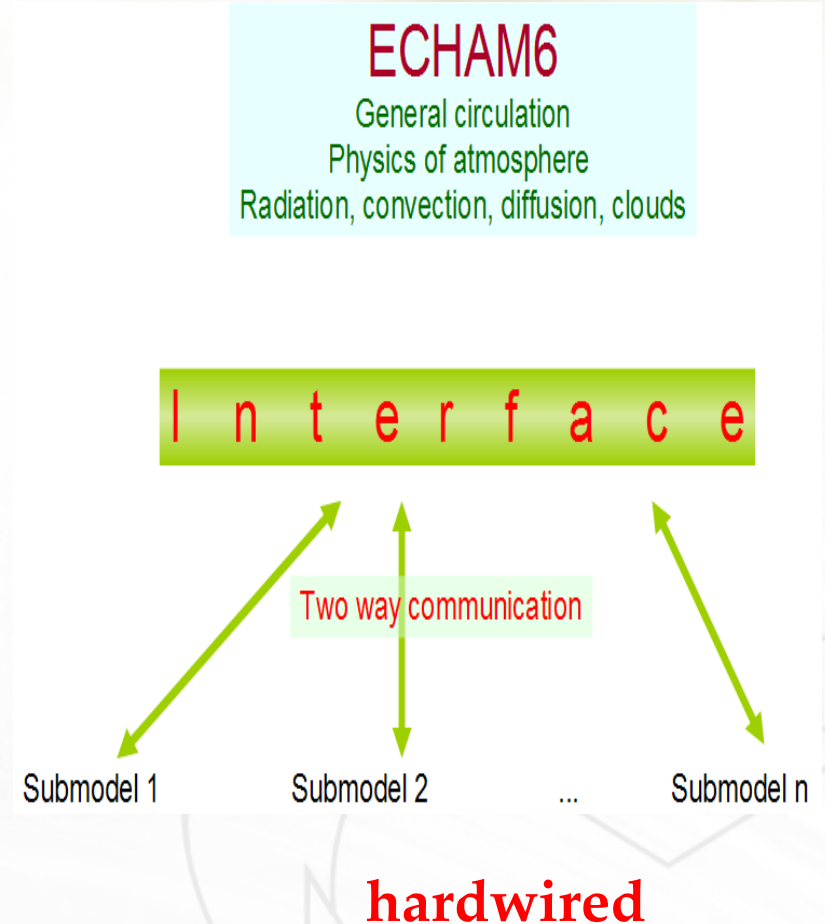
- developed at MPI (Stier et al., 2005)
- predicts the
  - spatio-temporal evolution; and
  - size distribution & composition
- processes:
  - aerosol transport
  - radiative feedbacks ( $\phi, \gamma, \omega$ )
  - dry and wet deposition
  - sedimentation
  - nucleation, coagulation
  - condensation & thermodynamics
- rich emission inventory

**prognostic parameters: tracer mass mixing ratio & number mixing ratio**



## features

- driven by meteorological parameters
- modular submodel interface
- extensively uses data types and recursive pointer structures
- inputs required:
  - optical look-up tables
  - volcanic and soil properties
  - AEROCOM emission files
- outputs:
  - mass & number mixing ratios
  - radiative properties as a  $f(\text{modes})$
  - diagnosis of particle sources & sinks
  - deposition fluxes & velocities
  - densities & median radius of modes



## methodology

AGCM v5.0  
(T62L28)



### AGCM-HAM pre-run setup:

- introduced a logical variable '[laermodel](#)' in MODELIN namelist of AGCM
- separate namelist for HAM and soft links to HAM input file created
- makefile extended with compiler options and libraries for HAM codes
- a new executable '[ParModel\\_MPI-ham](#)' created which can be run & logs be checked

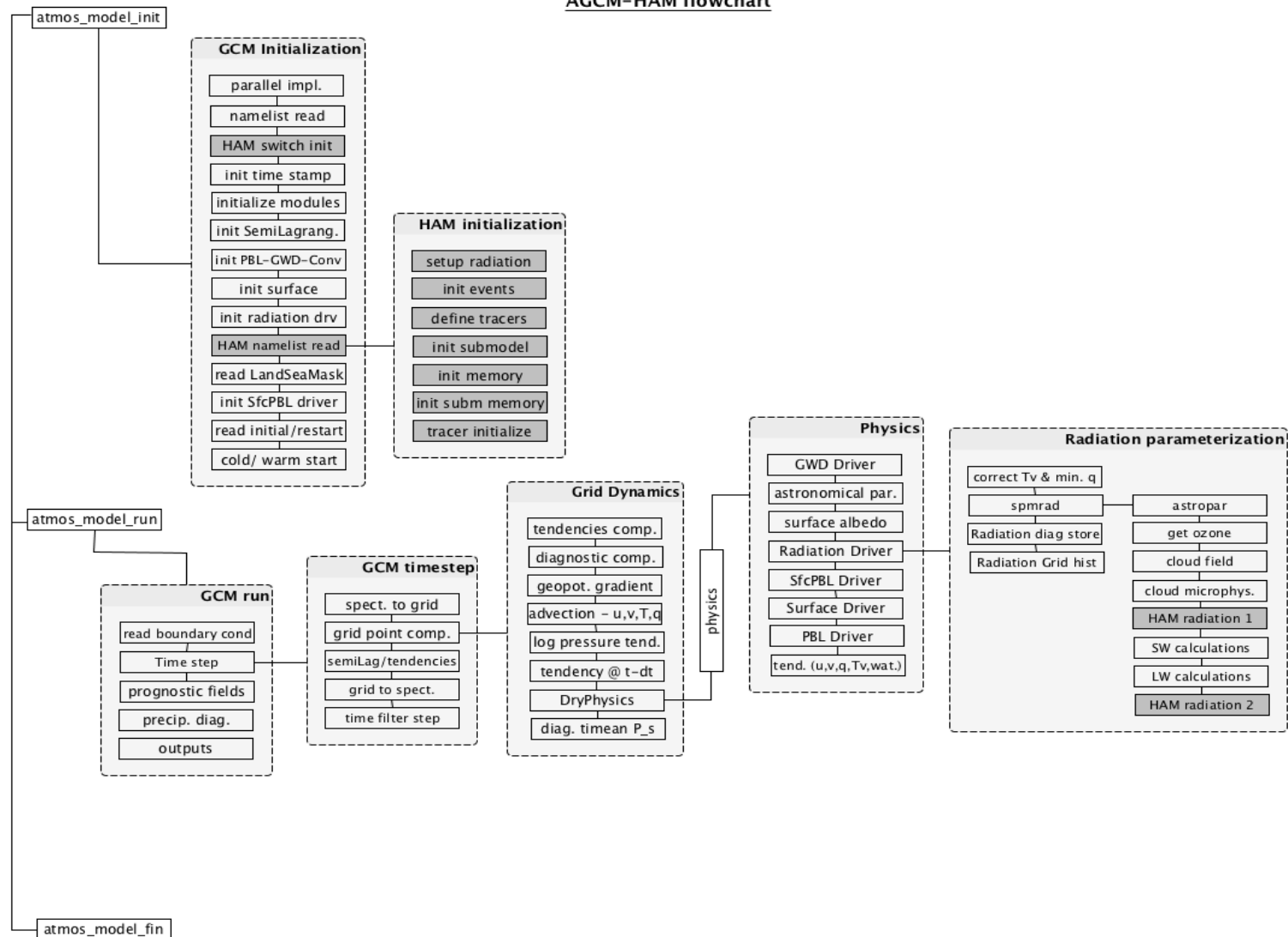
### Initialization phase:

- read HAM namelist to set submodel control parameters
- sets the time and date manager routines for format compatibility
- initialize aerosol module and its species - define HAM tracers
- create and initialize streams for various processes – deposition, sedimentation, emissions
- reads submodel boundary conditions – dust emissions and soil properties



Simplified flowchart for AGCM-HAM (current stage)

AGCM-HAM flowchart



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## Computational phase:

- identification of the necessary input variables from AGCM required for HAM computations
- develop scheme to include or reference the AGCM variables into HAM streams and dereference them back after HAM computations
- introduce HAM computational calls into the interface
- develop or adopt routines to handle outputs of HAM

## Evaluation phase:

- plan and run experiments to evaluate the new aerosol component inside BESM

### initialization phase

- **read namelist**
- **initialize modules**
- **domain decomposition**
  - initialize HAM
- **read input files**
  - read HAM inputs

### computational phase

- **physics**
  - HAM physics
- **radiation**
  - HAM radiation
- **microphysics**
  - HAM clouds
  - HAM vert. diff.
  - HAM convection
- **outputs & restarts**
  - HAM outputs

### evaluation phase

**plan & run experiments  
to evaluate the aerosol  
component in AGCM**

# Thank you!