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## Impact of biomass burning aerosols on radiation, clouds, and precipitation over the Amazon during the dry season: dependence of aerosol-cloud and aerosol-radiation interactions on aerosol loading

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Description		Radiative	AOD	Effect	Region of	Model	Reference
	*	perturbation			Amazon		
		(W m <sup>-2</sup> )*			Basin		
Clear-sky	SW at TOA	$-5.6\pm1.7$	0.25±0.11	ARI	Southern	SBDART	Sena et al. (2013)
	SW at TOA	$-3.33\pm0.89$	0.67	total	Southern	HadGEM3-GA3	Thornhill et al. (2018)
	SW at TOA	[-0.7, -3.7]	0.2-0.6	ARI	Central	WRF-Chem	This study
All-sky	SW at TOA	1.35±1.8	0.67	total	Southern	HadGEM3-GA3	Thornhill et al. (2018)
	LW at TOA	$-3.07 \pm 1.55$					
	SW at surface	$-5.46 \pm 1.93$					
	SW at TOA	-1.75	0.8 - 1.2	ARI	Southwest	WRF-Chem	Archer-Nicholls et al.
		2.72	0.4 - 1.0				(2016)
		1.53	0.4 - 1.0				
	SW+LW at TOA	-4±1		ARI	Southern	MetUM	Kolusu et al. (2015)
	SW+LW at surface	-9±1					
	LW at TOA	-0.12		total	entire	WRF-Chem	Wu et al. (2011)
	SW at surface	-15.9					
	SW at surface	-28.23	0.633	total	Southern	GATOR-GCMOM	Ten Hoeve et al. (2012)
	LW at surface	8.6					
	SW at surface	-10	0.2–0.4	ARI	Northwest	CCATT-BRAMS	Rosario et al. (2013)
	SW at TOA	[-0.3, 0.6]	0.2-0.6	total	Central	WRF-Chem	This study
	LW at TOA	[0.1, 0.9]					
	SW at surface	[-6.7, -31.8]					
	LW at surface	[0.3, 1.9]					
	SW at TOA	[0.4, 2.0]	0.2-0.6	ARI	Central	WRF-Chem	This study
	LW at TOA	[0.1, 1.0]					
	SW at surface	[-5.7, -30.5]					
	LW at surface	[0.4, 2.0]					

**Table S1.** Estimates of radiative perturbation by biomass burning aerosols over the Amazon Basin in this study and from previous studies.

\*Radiative perturbation with standard deviation or in bracket for range obtained from simulations with emission intensity of EMIS1-EMIS6.



**Figure S1.** Time series of precipitation from observations at the ATTO site and WRF-Chem simulations during September 2014.



Figure S2. Time series of simulated and observed black carbon mass concentrations at the ATTO site.



**Figure S3.** Diurnal variation of changes in clear-sky shortwave radiation at TOA (a) and at the surface (b) due to ARI in the EMIS1 emission scenario. Error bars denote the standard error.



**Figure S4.** Diurnal variation of changes in all-sky longwave radiation at TOA (a) and at the surface (b) in the EMIS1 emission scenario. Error bars denote the standard error.



**Figure S5.** Relationship of monthly mean domain-averaged cloud droplet effective radius and cloud-base CCN concentrations for all emission scenarios derived from experiments of CCNR3 and PCNR3\_EMISX. The dashed line indicates the EMIS1 scenario. Error bars represent the 25<sup>th</sup> and 75<sup>th</sup> percentiles of all domain-averaged data in each simulation.



**Figure S6.** Diurnal variation of the vertical distribution of the domain-averaged difference in precipitating hydrometer (QRAIN+QSNOW+QGRAUP) concentrations caused by BB aerosols' ACI (a), ARI (b), and total effect (c) in the EMIS6 emission scenario.



**Figure S7.** Profiles of ARI-induced changes in snow, graupel, and super-cooled cloud water mixing ratios for emission scenarios EMIS1 (a) and EMIS6 (b).



**Figure S8.** ARI-induced changes in column-integrated graupel and super-cooled cloud water content with increasing BB emission intensity (indicated by the domain-averaged AOD in each emission scenario). The vertical dotted line in each plot indicates the EMIS1 scenario.