



Dynamical Regional Downscaling Using the JRA-55 Reanalysis (DSJRA-55)

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7. DATASET OVERVIEW

7.1 Abstract

DSJRA-55 (Kayaba et al. 2016) is a dynamical regional downscaling using the Japanese 55-year Reanalysis (JRA-55, Kobayashi et al. 2015) dataset for initial and boundary conditions. The Japan Meteorological Agency (JMA) has conducted DSJRA-55 for the period from 1958 to 2012 to produce a climate dataset with a horizontal resolution of 5 km that appropriately represents phenomena associated with Japan's uneven terrain. DSJRA-55 is presented as a dataset helping to clarify climatic characteristics (such as trends of extreme phenomena) and supporting case studies on extreme events in Japan.

7.2 Topic Category(ISO19139)

climatologyMeteorologyAtmosphere

7.3 Temporal Extent

Begin Date	1958-01-01
End Date	2012-12-31
Temporal Characteristics	Hourly

7.4 Geographic Bounding Box

North latitude bound	48.8008
West longitude bound	107.498
Eastbound longitude	156.151
South latitude bound	19.6995

7.5 Grid

Dimension Name	Dimension Size (slice number of the dimension)	Resolution Unit
row	721	5 (km)
column	577	5 (km)
vertical	16	25-100 (hPa)

7.6 Geographic Description

7.7 Keywords

7.7.1 Keywords on Dataset

Keyword Type	Keyword	Keyword thesaurus Name
theme	Atmosphere	GCMD_science
theme	Models	GCMD_platform
theme	Climate, Weather	GEOSS

7.7.2 Keywords on Project

7.7.2.1 Data Integration and Analysis System

Keyword Type	Keyword	Keyword thesaurus Name
theme	DIAS > Data Integration and Analysis System	No_Dictionary

7.8 Online Resource

JRA project website : <http://jra.kishou.go.jp/>

Dynamical Regional Downscaling Using the JRA-55 Reanalysis (DSJRA-55) website (in English) : http://jra.kishou.go.jp/DSJRA-55/index_en.html

Dynamical Regional Downscaling Using the JRA-55 Reanalysis (DSJRA-55) website (in Japanese) : http://jra.kishou.go.jp/DSJRA-55/index_ja.html

DSJRA-55 Product Users Handbook (in English) : http://jra.kishou.go.jp/DSJRA-55/index_en.html#MANUAL

DSJRA-55 Product Users Handbook (in Japanese) : http://jra.kishou.go.jp/DSJRA-55/index_ja.html#MANUAL

file download : <http://dias-dss.tkl.iis.u-tokyo.ac.jp/dl/storages/filelist/dataset:284>

7.9 Data Environmental Information

7.10 Distribution Information

name	version	specification
GRIB	2	

8. DATA PROCESSING

9. DATA REMARKS

10. USE CONSTRAINTS

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