

# Supplement to ‘The effect of marine aggregate parameterisations on global biogeochemical model performance’

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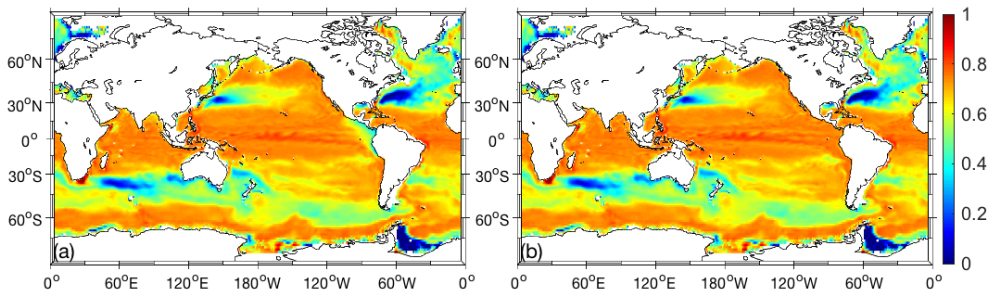
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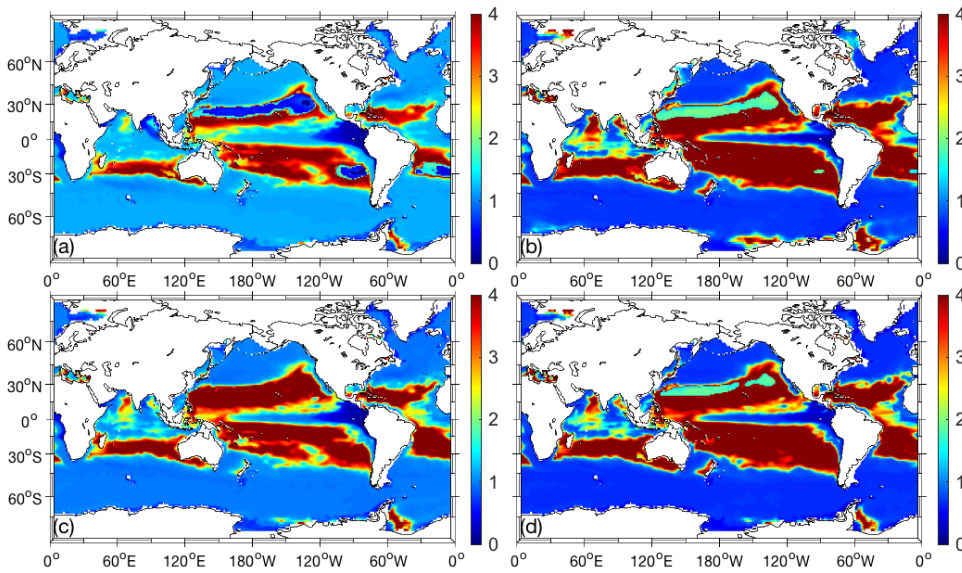
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## Supplement Figures



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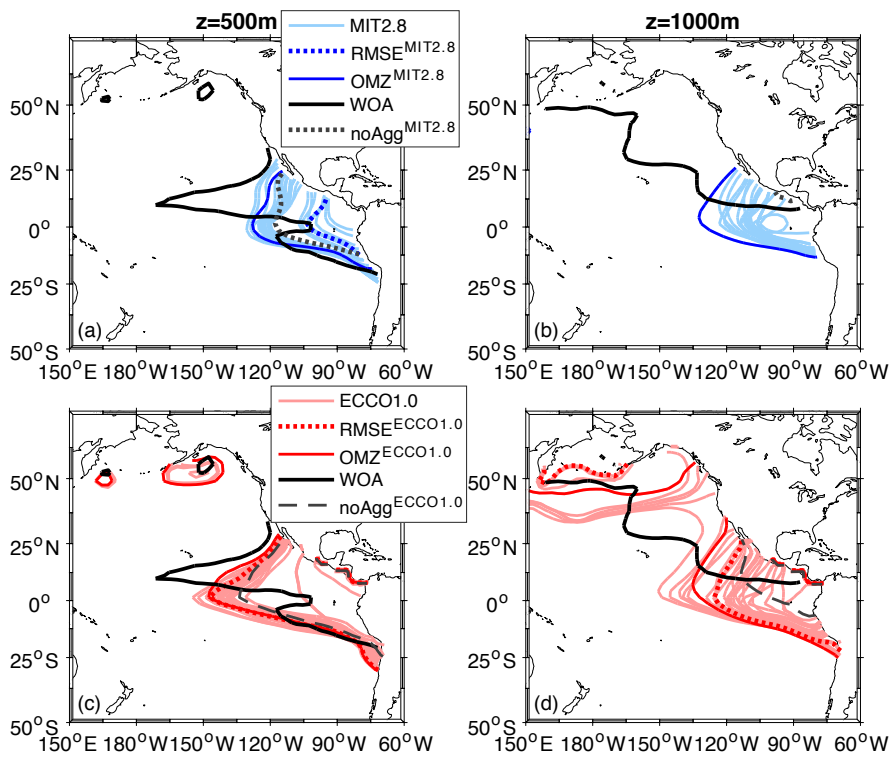


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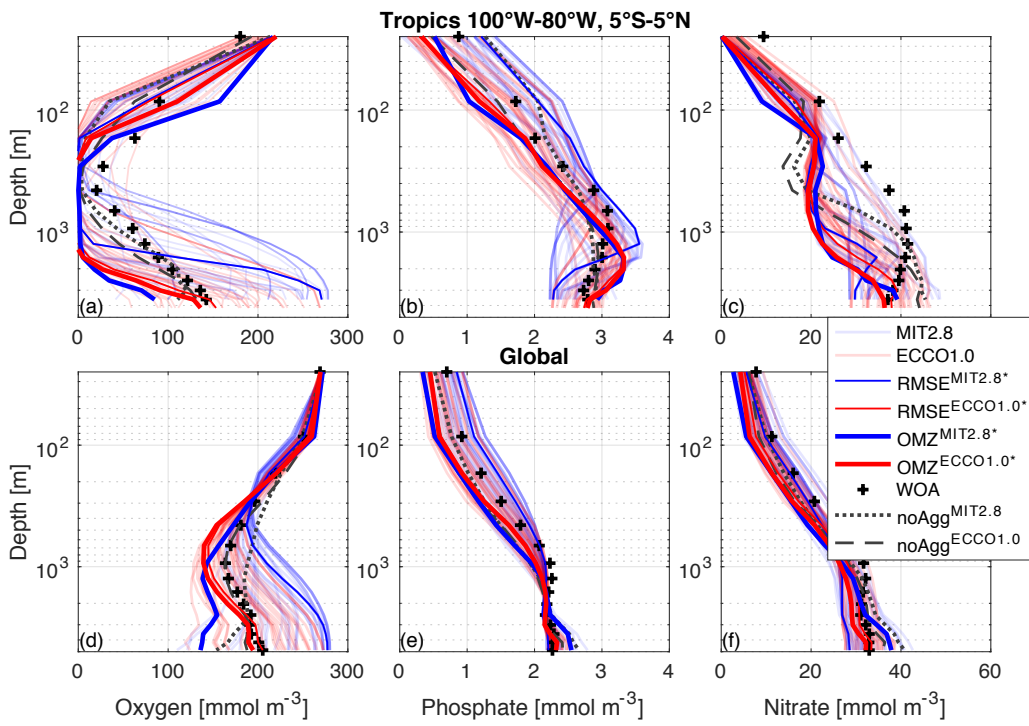
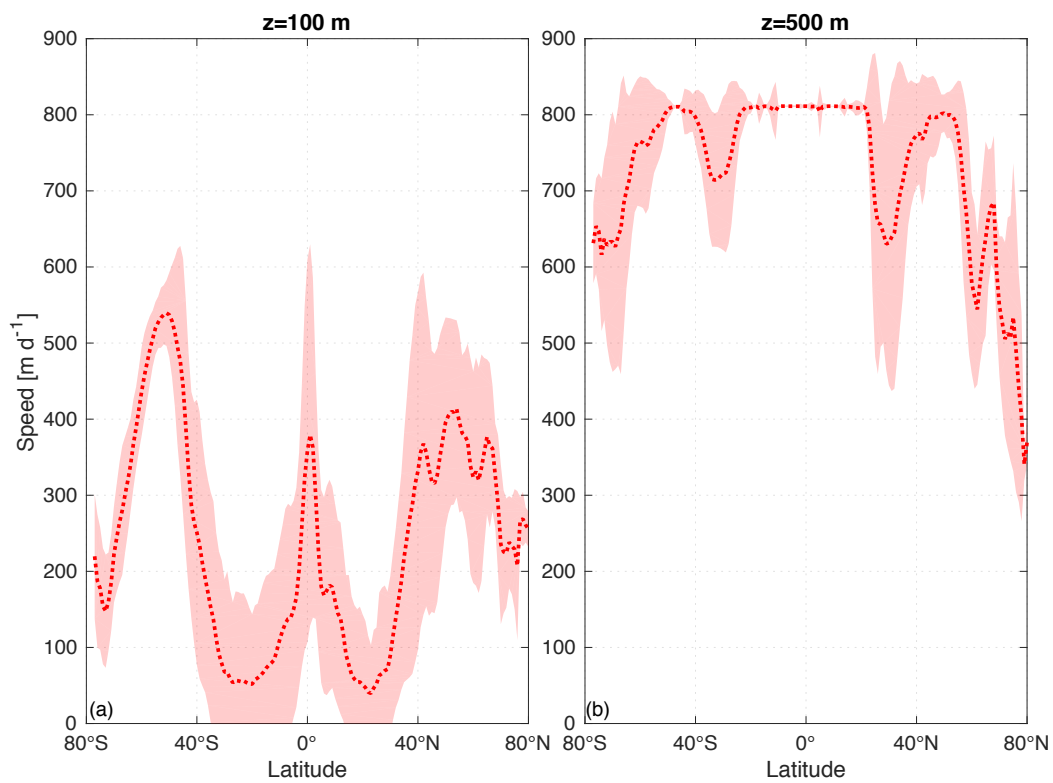


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