# 3- how to maximise impact on AR7



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Integration - integration – Integration! SIXTH ASSESSMENT REPORT **IDCC** ۵ 🙆 Working Group I - The Physical Science Basis Lessons learned for AR7 ...and it is a community work Ease of integration of multiple lines of evidence e.g. with community data ٠ standards and documentation, analysis tools, facilitated data access Documentation and curation of data assessed in the report for transparency ٠ and FAIR principles for open science Cataloguing datasets and literature assessed in the report • Greate integration of data products, including links to other WGs by means of ٠ interactive tools to support user access and exploration Coordinated community support of the assessment and small author teams

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## notes

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- Importance high-quality scientific publications based on CCI products that are geared towards addressing IPCC gaps
- Cross-ECV activities could be an important avenue for enhancing uptake at the level of IPCC. Cross ECV could and should transcend partitions into domains as needed (go beyond oceans) Synthesis is important
- Trends are important: but equally important are confidence in trends (relevance of uncertainties). Data could contribute to reanalyses and assimilation.
- We recognized that some ECVs from CCI are not as well taken up at the level of IPCC as they might be. We need to consider how to improve that.

# Example: Importance of cross-ECV + model



## Using SST, Sea Level, Sea Ice, Ocean Colour in reanalysis with *in situ* measurements of temperature and salinity



Chlorophyll

Satellite observations

Important: Biology + Physics

High-resolution

- The impact of assimilating the ESA CCI datasets on the marine carbon cycle and showed
- ESA CCI dataset consistency
- Consistency of physical-biogeochemical relationships in reanalyses assimilating different combinations of data

Physical-biogeochemical ocean model assimilated

different combinations of the ESA CCI ECVs

The aims of the study were to assess:

- strong positive correlation between phytoplankton and net air-sea heat flux
- seasonal variations in carbon-to-chlorophyll ratio

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Sea Level

Satellite observations

SST

Satellite observation

during December 2010

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# Should we specifically address oceanic tipping points?



Tipping points in the oceans: In addition to coral reefs and AMOC. Coastal erosion, fisheries collapse(?), regional tipping points (?) could be as final or irreversible as global tipping points. Climate refugees: social and cultural tipping points? Ecological niches. Tipping elements in high Arctic associated with disappearing sea ice.

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# 2- what work needs to be done in CLIMATE-SPACE



Refer to 'pillars of CLIMATE SPACE'

Investigate reasons why uptake of CCI products in climate research could be improved. Need for community-based approaches





Focus on what can be achieved through Earth Observation, aiming towards AR7. High-resolution turbulence (Pirani) Further links to modelling world (Jones) Additional information could from CCI Sea State work (currently underexploited) Southern Ocean (role in ventilation needs to be better quantified) Upcoming critical gap in satellite observations (SSS) Coastal and regional enhanced observations (Pirani) High resolution and full physics/biology gaps Link to the main pillars