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Site-specific Parameter Optimization of the JULES Land Surface Model using Eddy Flux Measurement

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Land-surface models (LSMs) are used to estimate the ecosystem response to changes in atmospheric conditions, and are widely used as a component of earth system models. In order to allow more realistic representation of the land surface, LSMs now incorporate additional complex processes, such as light and nitrogen distribution within multiple canopy layers and photosynthate distribution among different plant organs. However, additional parameters should be introduced as a cost of including more complex processes, which give rise to increase in parameter uncertainties as well. These parameters could vary among distinct plant functional types (PFTs), geographic locations, and weather and climatic conditions. In this paper, data assimilation techniques were used to estimate the optimal values of plant-, soil-, and crop-related parameters in JULES (Joint UK Land Environmental Simulator) in cases where site flux measurement data were available. Sensitivity tests of these parameters were carried out for the Cheorwon rice paddy flux site in the Republic of Korea using version 4.8 of JULES, which is equipped with a crop module. A total of 64 parameters were artificially modified from -30% to +30% of their default values, and sensitivities to these modifications of gross primary productivity (GPP), total ecosystem respiration (RE), latent heat flux (LE), and sensible heat flux (H) were calculated. The six most sensitive parameters were found and optimized by the gradient-based L-BFGS-B algorithm in the optim package in R software. In addition, these optimized parameters were tested against other rice paddy flux sites in the USA. Most of the JULES parameter changes had little impact on GPP, RE, LE, and H; the six selected parameters controlling light use efficiency, concentration and distribution of leaf nitrogen, and the ratio of carbon distribution to the leaf dominated changes to the surface fluxes. There were large differences in default and optimized values of the six parameters. The optimized parameters improved model-data fit significantly, reducing the model-data RMSE by up to 90%. However, transferring this

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single-site parameter optimization did not improve model performance at the other site, which may be a result of parameter overfitting and the different site environments. This indicates that site-customized work is necessary, even when they have the same PFTs and similar atmospheric conditions.