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			Science Focus Area								
			1	2	3	4	5	6			
			Climate Variability and Change	Atmospheric Composition	Carbon Cycle and Ecosystems	Water and Energy Cycle	Weather	Earth Surface and Interior			
ASTER	ASTER Reconstructed, unprocessed inst. data (AST01)	1A	P	P		P	P	P	P	3	DA
	ASTER Registered radiance at sensor (AST03)	1B	■	■		■	■	■	●	3	DA
	ASTER Surface radiance — VNIR, SWIR (AST09)	2	■	■		■	■		■	3	DA
	ASTER Surface radiance — TIR (AST09T)	2	■	■		■	■	■	■	3	DA
	ASTER Surface reflectance — VNIR, TIR (AST07)	2	■	■		■	■	■	■	3	DA
	ASTER Surface kinetic temperature (AST08)	2	■	■		■	■	■	■	3	DA
	ASTER Surface emissivity (AST05)	2	●						●	3	DA
	ASTER Digital elevation model (AST14)	3	●				■		●	3	DA
	ASTER Orthorectified radiance (AST14OTH)	3	●				■		●	3	DA
	ASTER Ortho + DEM (AST14DMO)	3	●				■		●	3	DA
	ASTER Global DEM (AST-GDEM)	3	●				■		●	3	DA
CERES	CERES Bidirectional scans (BDS)	1B	P	P	P		P			3	DA
	ERBE-like Instantaneous TOA estimates (ES-8)	2		●			■			3	DA
	ERBE-like Monthly regional averages (ES-9)	3		●			■			3	DA
	ERBE-like Monthly geographic averages (ES-4)	3		●			■			3	DA
	CERES Single scan footprint TOA/surface fluxes and clouds (SSF)	2	●	●	■		●			3	DA
	CERES Monthly gridded TOA/Surface fluxes and clouds (SFC)	3	■	■	■		■			3	DA
	CERES TOA Fluxes and Clouds (SSF1deg -Day, -Month)	3	●	●	■		■			3	DA
	CERES Clouds and radiative swath (CRS)	2	●	●	■		■			3	DA
	CERES Monthly gridded radiative fluxes and clouds (FSW)	3	■	■	■		■			3	DA
	CERES and GEO-Enhanced TOA/Within-Atmosphere/Surface Fluxes and Clouds (SYN1deg -3Hour, -Month, -M3hour)	3	●	●	■		■			3	DA
	CERES ISCCP-D2like (-day, -nit, -geo)	3		●			■			3	DA

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MISR	MISR L1 Georectified radiance product (MI1B2E, MI1B2T)	1	P	■	P	P	■	P	■	3	DA
	MISR L2 Stereo product (MIL2TCST): heights, winds	2	■	●	●	●	●	■	■	3, 2	DA
	MISR L2 Cloud product (MIL2TCSP): cloud height, cloud-tracked winds	2	■	●	●	●	●	●	■	3, 1	DA
	MISR L2 Cloud masks and cloud classifiers product (MIRCCM, MIL2TCST, MIL2TCCL): radiometric, stereo, angular signature	2	P	●	■	■	■	P	■	3, 2	DA
	MISR L2 Top-of-atmo. albedo product (MIL2TCAL), BRF, albedo	2	■	●	■	■	■	■	■	3, 1	DA
	MISR L2 Aerosol prod. (MIL2ASAE): optical depth, parctl. properties	2	■	●	●	■	■	■	■	3, 2	DA
	MISR L2 Surface product (MIL2TCLS): albedos/BRFs, LAI	2	■	●	■	■	■	■	■	3, 2	DA
	MISR L3 Global radiation and climate, cloud, aerosol, and surface prod.	3	■	●	●	■	●	■	■	3, 2	DA
	MISR L3 Plume height climatology product	3	■	●	●	■	■	■	■	2	DA
	MISR L3 Cloud fraction by altitude product	3	■	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	DA
	MISR L3 Cloud motion vector product	3	■	●	■	■	■	■	■	3	DA
	MISR L3 Joint Aerosol product	3	■	●	●	■	■	■	■	3	DA
MODIS Level 1	MODIS Radiance counts (MOD01)	1A	■	■	■	■	■	■	■	3	DA
	MODIS Calibrated and geolocated radiances (MOD02)	1B	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	3	DA
	MODIS Geolocation data set (MOD03)	1	P	P	P	P	P	P	P	3	DA
MODIS Atmosphere	MODIS Aerosol product (MOD04)	2	●	●	●	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Total precipitable water (MOD05)	2	■	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Cloud product (MOD06)	2	●	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Atmospheric profiles (MOD07)	2	●	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Atmosphere gridded product (MOD08)	3	●	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Atmosphere joint product (MODATML2)	2	●	●	■	■	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Cloud mask (MOD35)	2	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	2	R
MODIS Land	MODIS Surface reflectance (MOD09)	2, 3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Land surface temperature and emissivity (MOD11)	2, 3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Land cover and dynamics (MOD12)	3	●	●	■	■	■	■	■	2, 1	R
	MODIS Vegetation indices (NDVI and EVI) (MOD13)	3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Fire and thermal anomalies (MOD14)	2, 3	●	●	●	●	■	■	■	3	R
	MODIS LAI and fraction of photosynthetically active radiation (MOD15)	3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	3	R
	MODIS Evapotranspiration (MOD16)	3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	0	R
	MODIS Gross primary productivity/Net primary productivity (MOD17)	4	●	■	■	●	■	■	■	2	R
	MODIS MAIAC Product (MOD19)	3	●	●	●	●	■	■	■	■	R
	MODIS Land Surface temperature and emissivity (MOD21)	2, 3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	0	R
	MODIS BRDF/albedo model parameters (MCD43)	3	●	●	■	●	●	■	■	2	R
	MODIS Vegetation continuous fields (MOD44)	3	●	■	■	●	■	■	■	1	R
MODIS Burned area product (MCD45)	3	●	■	●	●	■	■	■	2	R	

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MODIS	MODIS Snow cover (MOD10)	2, 3	●	●	◐	◐	◐	●	◐	2	R
	MODIS Sea ice cover and ice surface temperature (MOD29)	2, 3	●	●	◐	◐	◐	●	◐	2	R
MODIS Ocean	MODIS Sea surface temperature (MOD28)	2, 3	●	●	●	●	◐	●	◐	3	R
	MODIS Remote sensing reflectance	2, 3	●	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	2	R
	MODIS Sub-surface chlorophyll-a concentration	2, 3	●	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	2	R
	MODIS diffuse attenuation at 490 nm	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	2	R
	MODIS Aerosol optical thickness (for ocean color atmo. correction)	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	2	R
	MODIS Aerosol Ångström exponent	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	2	R
	MODIS Particulate organic carbon	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	1	R
	MODIS Particulate inorganic carbon	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	1	R
	MODIS Fluorescence line height	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	0	R
	MODIS Instantaneous photosynthetically available radiation	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	0	R
	MODIS Daily mean photosynthetically available radiation	2, 3	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	0	R
Other MODIS	MODIS Polar winds	3	●	●	◐	◐	◐	●	◐	3	R
	MODIS Disturbance index (DI)	3	●	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	◐	1	R
MOPITT	MOPITT Calibrated radiances and geolocation (MOP01)	1	P		P	P				3	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (TIR) (MOP02)	2	◐	◐	●	◐				3	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (NIR)	2	◐	◐	●	◐				2	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (NIR/TIR)	2	◐	◐	●	◐				2	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (TIR) - Daily and Monthly Mean	3	◐	◐	●	◐				3	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (NIR) - Daily and Monthly Mean	3	◐	◐	●	◐				2	DA
	MOPITT CO profile and total column (NIR/TIR) - Daily and Monthly Mean	3	◐	◐	●	◐				2	DA

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