A Big Earth Data Platform for Three Poles

**1-km monthly minimum temperature dataset for China (1901-2020)**

1、Description

This dataset includes the monthly minimum temperature data with 0.0083333 arc degree (~1km) for China from Jan 1901 to Dec 2020. The data form belongs to NETCDF, namely .nc file. The unit of the data is 0.1 ℃. The dataset was spatially downscaled from CRU TS v4.02 with WorldClim datasets based on Delta downscaling method. The dataset was evaluated by 496 national weather stations across China, and the evaluation indicated that the downscaled dataset is reliable for the investigations related to climate change across China. The dataset covers the main land area of China, including Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan regions, and excluding islands and reefs in South China Sea.

2、Keywords

Theme：Maximum/Minimum temperature,Temperature  
Discipline：Atmosphere  
Places：China  
Time：1901-2020

3、Data details

1.Scale：None

2.Projection：WGS84

3.Filesize：96972.0MB

4.Data format：None

4、Space scope

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| --- | --- | --- |
| - | north：55.5587943901263 | - |
| west：72.1960450229045 | - | east：136.196045022846 |
| - | south：16.2504610568287 | - |

5、Time frame:1900-12-31 23:59:43+00:00--2020-12-31 00:00:00+00:00

6、Reference method

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7、Supporting project information

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