

Cosmogenic Radionuclide for Civil Application: Be-7 and Application of Trans-equatorial Method for Northeast Monsoon Forecasting in Malaysia

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- Our poster is about the adaptation of Trans-Equatorial Method introduced by Terzi et.al (2019) for Malaysia Monsoon Forecasting
- I am going to tell you why Be-7 and the trans-equatorial method are important –
Be-7, a cosmogenic radionuclide detected by CTBTO radionuclide monitoring stations, traces air circulation across the equator. It has been used to study and forecast the Northeast Monsoon, which brings heavy rain and floods to Malaysia.
- And what we did about ... to analyse/understand it –
Inspired by the remarkable results of Terzi et al.(2019) in forecasting monsoon onset and withdrawal in Kerala, India, we tested whether the trans-equatorial method with Be-7 can be applied directly to Malaysia or if adjustments are needed.
- The most important result of our work is –
Direct adaptation of the method is not fully effective for Malaysia. Some adjustments are needed, and further work is ongoing to refine the approach.
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