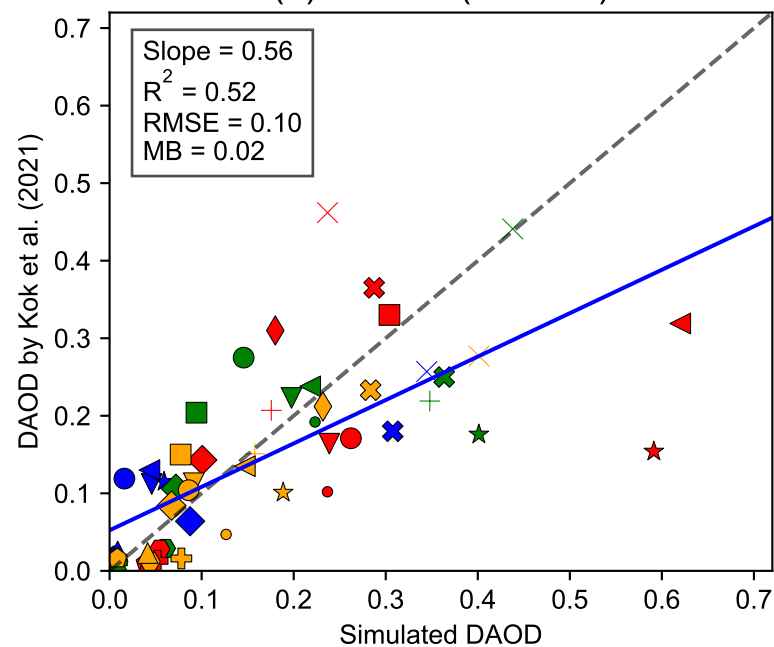
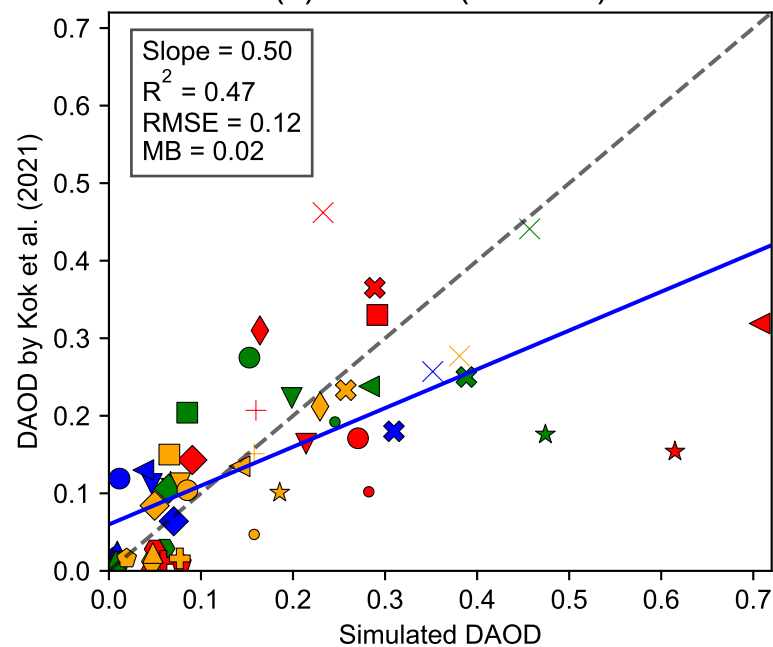


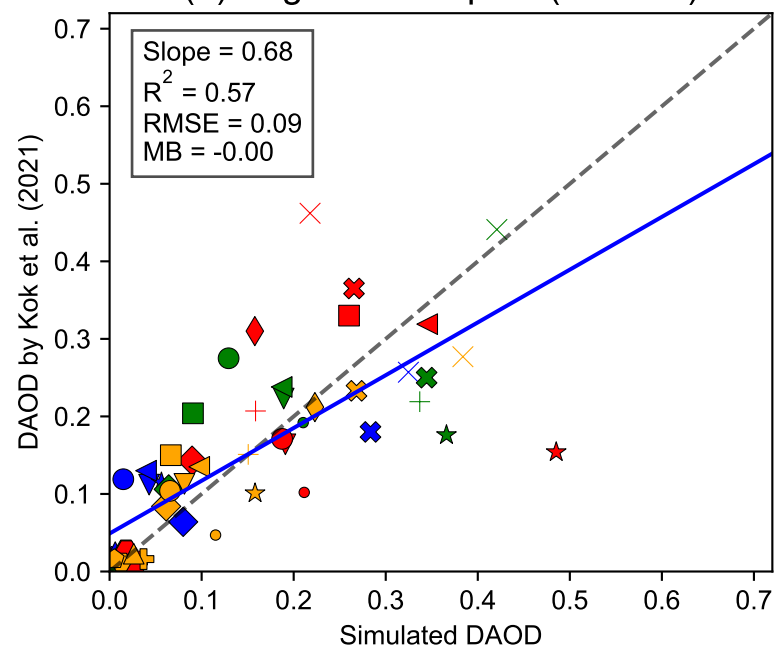
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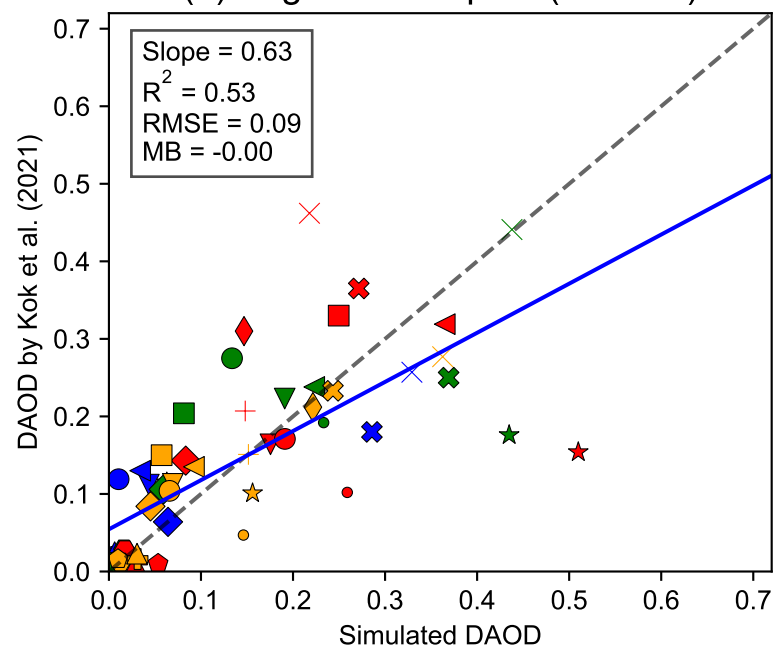
(c) Control (4-mode)



(b) Vegetation-impact (1-mode)



(d) Vegetation-impact (4-mode)



--- 1:1 Line — Regression

Seasons

● DJF ● MAM ● JJA ● SON

Regions

◆ Mid-Atlantic	× Mali/Niger	■ Southern Middle East	● Taklamakan	◆ South America
✱ African west coast	◆ Bodele/Sudan	★ Kyzyl Kum	● Gobi	✱ Southern Africa
+ Northern Africa	▼ Northern Middle East	◀ Thar	● North America	▲ Australia