Journal of the Meteorological Society of Japan License to Publish

Manuscript Number (*)	
Article Title (the "Article")	
Authors ("the Author(s)")	

Each Author of the Article is required to fill out and sign a separate License to Publish form. (*) Leave this blank if not available.

The Meteorological Society of Japan (the "Society") will consider publishing the Article in *Journal of the Meteorological Society of Japan* (the "Journal") pursuant to the terms below.

The undersigned Author grants to the Society the right and a worldwide, irrevocable license to:

- 1) Publish, disseminate, copy, display, store, commercially exploit, transmit to the public and otherwise use the Article, including any supplementary material, in all forms and all media (now or at any future time);
- 2) Create any translations, extracts or derivative works based on the Article and exercise all the rights set forth in (1) in any such translations, extracts or derivatives; and
- 3) Sublicense others to do all or any of (1) and (2).

Terms

The undersigned Author warrants that:

- (a) The Article is original and is not under consideration for publication in any other journal.
- (b) The Author(s) are the sole Author(s) and sole owners of the copyright in the Article, and the Article does not infringe on existing copyright or other third-party rights. If material from other sources is included in the Article, then appropriate permissions have been obtained and are attached to this license.
- (c) Due care has been taken with the preparation of the Article to ensure its integrity, that the facts presented are true and accurate, and that nothing in the Article is obscene, defamatory or libellous or violates any right of privacy.

In the event that a claim or suit about infringement of existing copyright or other third-party rights is brought against the Society and/or its respective officers or employees, the Author(s) shall, upon the request of the Society, take all reasonable steps necessary or appropriate to enable the Society to defend against any such claim or suit.

All expenses, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees, compensatory damages, litigation expenses and settlement payments, incurred with respect to any such claim or suit shall be borne by the Author(s).

This Agreement shall be interpreted and governed in accordance with the laws of Japan.

The Society will license the Article to users under a **Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International (CC BY 4.0) license** (see https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/legalcode). This license lets others use, reproduce and distribute the article, even commercially, in any medium provided they give appropriate credit to the Author(s) and source, include a link to the license, and indicate if any changes were made.

Signed	
Print name	
Address	
Date	

Journal of the Meteorological Society of Japan License to Publish – Government employees only

Manuscript Number (*)	
Article Title (the "Article")	
Authors ("the Author(s)")	

All Author(s) who are government employees are required to fill out and sign a separate 'Government employees only' License to Publish form. (*) Leave this blank if not available.

The Meteorological Society of Japan (the "Society") will consider publishing the Article in *Journal of the Meteorological Society of Japan* (the "Journal") pursuant to the terms below.

The undersigned Author grants to the Society the right and a worldwide, irrevocable license to:

- 1) Publish, disseminate, copy, display, store, commercially exploit, transmit to the public and otherwise use the Article, including any supplementary material, in all forms and all media (now or at any future time);
- 2) Create any translations, extracts or derivative works based on the Article and exercise all the rights set forth in (1) in any such translations, extracts or derivatives; and
- 3) Sublicense others to do all or any of (1) and (2).

Terms

The undersigned Author warrants that:

- (a) The Author signing this Agreement is an employee of a Government or other applicable entity. The entity is named:
- (b) The Article is original and is not under consideration for publication in any other journal.
- (c) The Author(s) are the sole Author(s) of the Article and have the authority to grant the rights in the Article as set forth in this License to Publish, and the Article does not infringe on existing copyright or other third-party rights. If material from other sources is included in the Article, then appropriate permissions have been obtained and are attached to this license.
- (d) Due care has been taken with the preparation of the Article to ensure its integrity, that the facts presented are true and accurate, and that nothing in the Article is obscene, defamatory or libellous or violates any right of privacy.

In the event that a claim or suit about infringement of existing copyright or other third-party rights is brought against the Society and/or its respective officers or employees, the Author(s) shall, upon the request of the Society, take all reasonable steps necessary or appropriate to enable the Society to defend against any such claim or suit.

All expenses, including but not limited to reasonable attorneys' fees, compensatory damages, litigation expenses and settlement payments, incurred with respect to any such claim or suit shall be borne by the Author(s).

This Agreement shall be interpreted and governed in accordance with the laws of Japan.

The Society will license the Article to users under a **Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International (CC BY 4.0) license** (see https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/legalcode). This license lets others use, reproduce and distribute the article, even commercially, in any medium provided they give appropriate credit to the Author(s) and source, include a link to the license, and indicate if any changes were made.

Signed	
•	
Print name	
Address	
Date	
D	

Please return the completed form to imsj@metsoc.jp.