using data prior to the deployment of AMeDAS raingauges. The findings are summarized as follows : (a) Stations in the central and inland area of Tokyo show a positive anomaly of precipitation, while those in the coastal area of the city show a negative anomaly. (b) The positive precipitation anomaly tends to be enhanced in the early afternoon of the warm season, reflecting the large anomaly in the frequency of heavy precipitation ($\geq 5 \text{ mm/hour}$). (c) The feature in (b) is most conspicuous at the station in the central area of the city, where the diurnal variation pattern may have changed during the 20th century toward a higher percentage of precipitation in the afternoon than in other time of the day. (d) The stations in the inland area of the city are characterized by positive anomalies in the frequency of precipitation in general ($\geq 1 \text{ mm/hour and } \geq 1 \text{ mm/day}$), as well as a long-term increasing trend in the number of precipitation days ($\geq 1 \text{ mm/day}$). Part of these anomalies and changes may be attributable to urban effects, although a conclusive judgment will call for further evidence.

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