A Big Earth Data Platform for Three Poles

**Homogenized solar radiation data set over Japan (1870-2015)**

1、Description

This dataset includes the observed surface incident solar radiantion, and sunshine duration derived soalr radiation, and their homogenized series at 156 meteorological stations in Japan from 1870 to 2015. According to Yang's method, the surface solar radiation is calculated from the observed sunshine duration hours, and then the breakpoints of unnatural factors in the data series are adjusted by RH test homogenization method, so as to obtain the regional homogenized monthly solar radiation data set in Japan.

2、Keywords

Theme：Radiation,Sunshine,Sunshine duration,Solar radiation  
Discipline：Atmosphere  
Places：Japan  
Time：1870-2015

3、Data details

1.Scale：None

2.Projection：

3.Filesize：6.34MB

4.Data format：None

4、Space scope

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| --- | --- | --- |
| - | north：50.0 | - |
| west：120.0 | - | east：155.0 |
| - | south：20.0 | - |

5、Time frame:1869-12-31 15:54:00+00:00--2015-12-29 16:00:00+00:00

6、Reference method

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