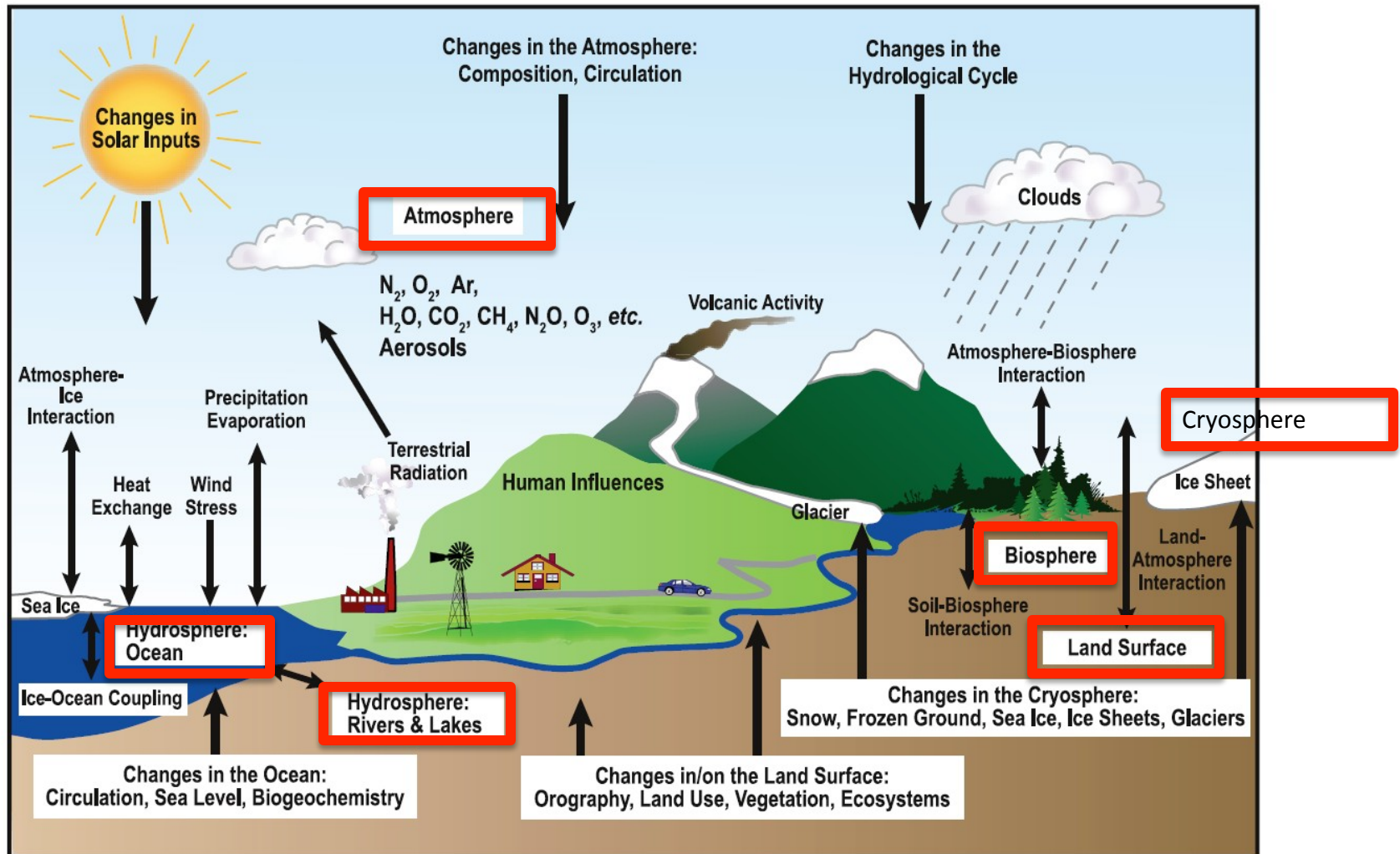


# GEF1100

## Klimasystemet



FAQ 1.2, Figure 1. Schematic view of the components of the climate system, their processes and interactions.

# GEF1100

## Klimasystemet

- The global energy balance, energy transport in the atmosphere and ocean. Air currents and ocean currents , El Niño phenomenon.
- Solar radiation , heat radiation , importance of gases and clouds, the greenhouse effect. Bakkens energy balance, water cycle .
- The course will provide a basic understanding of the physical processes governing the climate on Earth

# Meteorologi/Oseanografi

- Atmosphere and ocean structure and properties.  
This includes air and ocean currents, their causes and significance of weather, climate.
- Physical processes such as radiation in the atmosphere and the ocean, cloud formation and precipitation, in addition to chemical processes.
- Phenomena such as low pressure, high pressure, tides, ocean waves, lightning and thunder storms and storm surges.
- The atmosphere and the ocean is a key component of the climate system .
- Natural and anthropogenic climate change is reviewed, with emphasis on the understanding of the physical mechanisms that influence climate and can change it.

As a master degree or PhD student can participate in research on the Earth's climate and future climate change

# Kursets hjemmesider

- <http://www.uio.no/studier/emner/matnat/geofag/GEF1100/h15/index.html>

It is mandatory attendance at the first lecture. Students who do not meet, is considered to have withdrawn from the course unless they have previously reported absence from study administration by email [studieinfo@geo.uio.no](mailto:studieinfo@geo.uio.no) (study administration for waver)

<http://www.uio.no/studier/emner/matnat/geofag/GEF1100/h15/beskjeder/obligatorisk-oppmote-forste-forelesning.html>

# Undervisning

## **Forelesere**

Barbara Scarnato, Terje Berntsen, Kirstine Krüger, Joe LaCasce,  
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## **Gruppelærere (exercises not handed in – not compulsory, oral feedback):**

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## **Studenter**

FAM, studieretning meteorologi og oseanografi

GEO, studieretning geografi og hydrologi

GEO, studieretning geologi og geofysikk

# Undervisning

- Lectures, 3h/week . Colloquium / groups , 2h/ week .
- It requires the submission of two compulsory tasks. To be allowed to sit the final exam they must be approved .
  - Matlab –based obligatory (CSE ) with oral feedback  
First obligatory presumably week ?????
- Excursion on the fjord with the research vessel Trygve Braarud (week 37, optional)
  - By uke 35 how many? Will be provided forms - emergency contacts.
  - 2 Time slots am/pm: 9am – 12pm and 12pm – 3pm
    - 12 students each group

# Eksamen

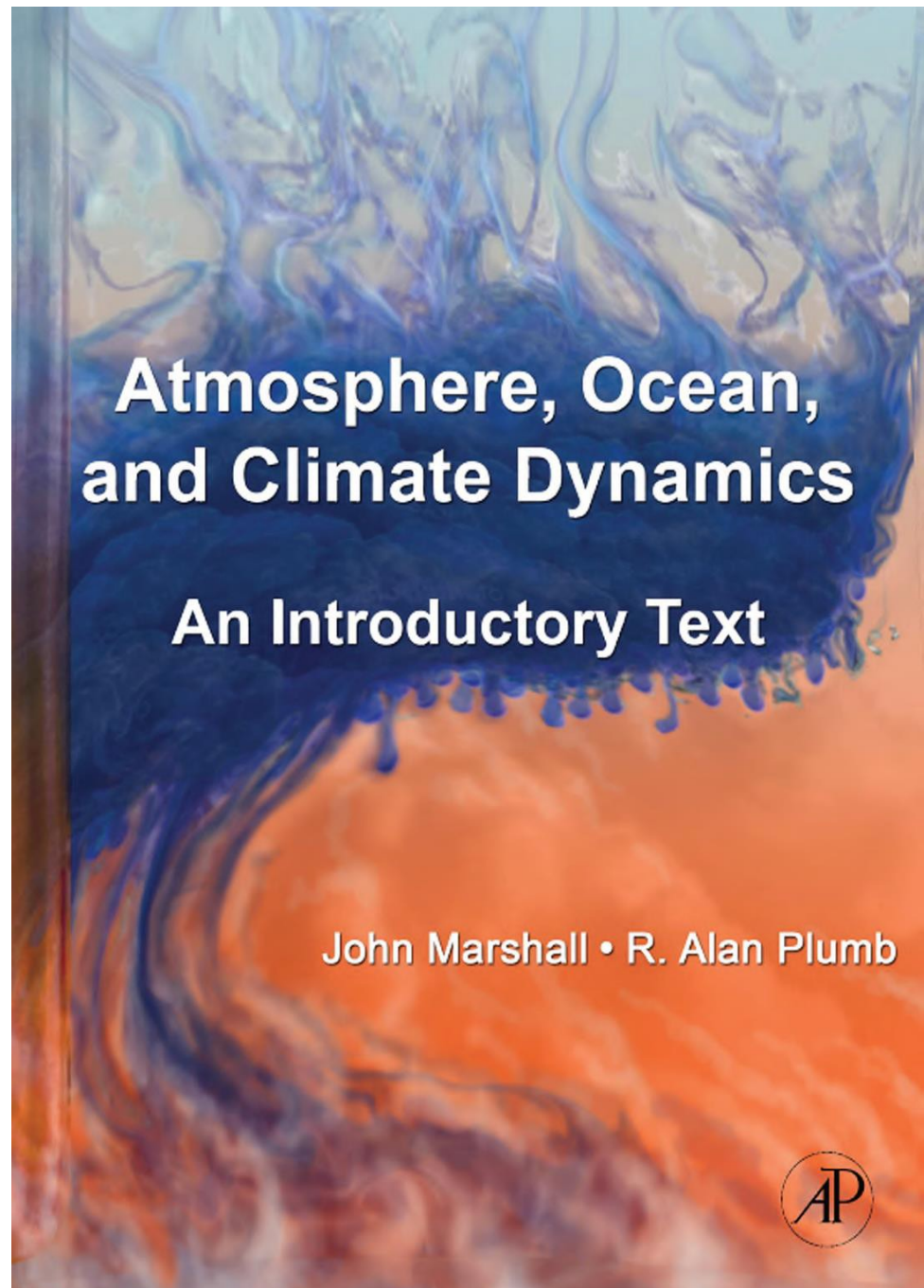
- Midterm exam 8 October.
  - Written (3h) counts about 1/3 of the final grade.
- Final exam December 10
  - Written (4 hours) counts 2/3 of the final grade.

The final grade is an overall evaluation of the two exam parts.

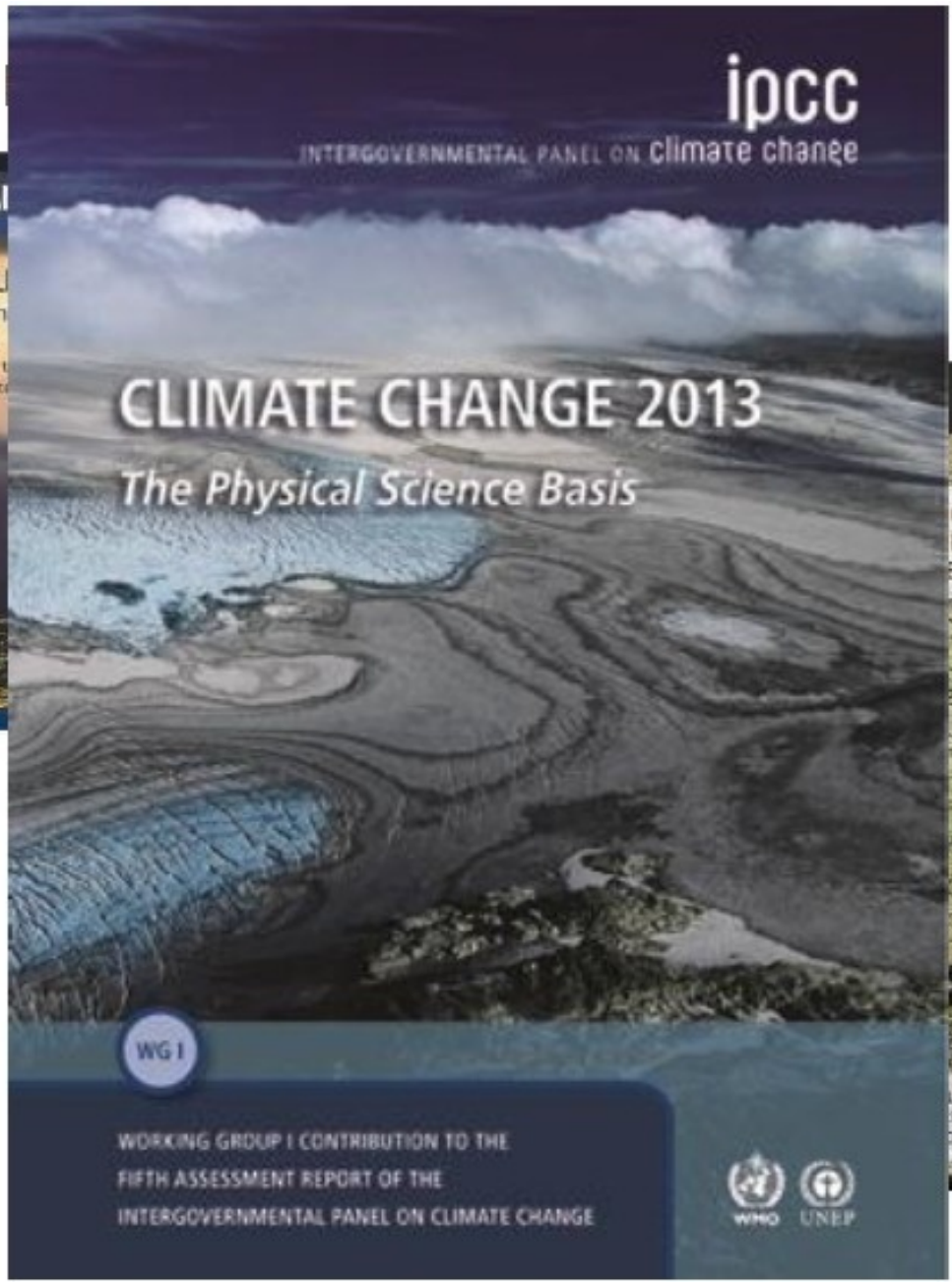
# Lærebok

Few plots from

**Meteorology**, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, including CD and website, by E. Danielson, J. Levin and E. Abrams, 2003. Abbreviation: DLA







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