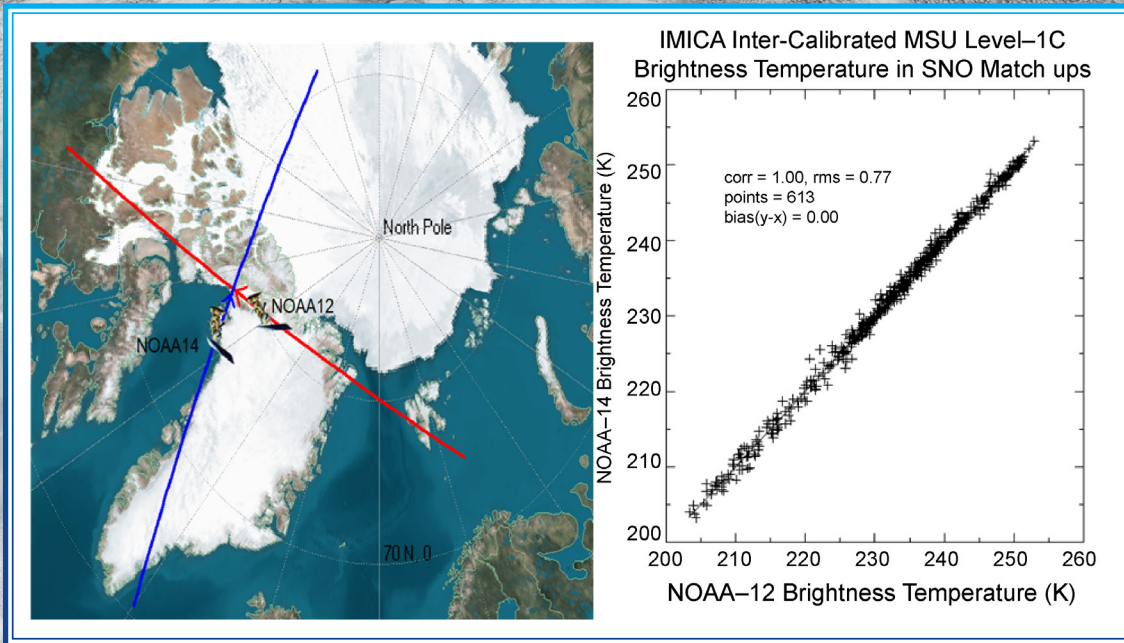




# MSU BRIGHTNESS TEMPERATURE - NOAA



## CLIMATE DATA RECORD SPECIFICATIONS

- Global coverage
- 110km nadir resolution
- 11 earth views per scan
- Daily orbital product
- Four channels
- 1978–2006

## VARIABLES TO THIS

### CLIMATE DATA RECORD

- MSU brightness temperature (Ch 1-4)

## SOME USES OF THIS

### CLIMATE DATA RECORD

- Input into climate reanalysis
- Determining atmospheric layer temperatures
- Validating other satellite observations
- Validating climate model simulations
- Studying long-term climate change

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<https://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/cdr/fundamental/msu-brightness-temperature-noaa>

## CLIMATE DATA RECORD

### INFORMATION:

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# NOAA's Climate Data Record (CDR)



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