

# Sensor-Web Operations Explorer (SOX)

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## **Objective**

- Enable adaptive measurement strategy exploration on a sensor web for rapid air quality assessment.
- Provide a comprehensive sensor-web system simulation with multiple sensors and multiple platforms.
- Provide quantitative science return metric that can identify where and when specific measurements have the greatest impact.
- Provide collaborative campaign planning process among distributed users.

#### Approach

- Develop multi-disciplinary frameworks and link observation simulations, reference models, science retrieval and analysis algorithms, data assimilation software, forecasting code, and assessment code.
- Develop scalable system modules with asynchronous interface protocols and create a "system of systems" providing flexible system configuration and operation.

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SOX Optimizes Observation Strategies for Air Quality Information Content

## Key Milestones

- SOX software Architecture Design Dec. 06
  SOX Interface Definitions Feb. 06
  V1 Multiple Instruments on Spacecraft Sep. 07
  V2 Multiple Aircraft Sep. 08
- V3 Multiple Sondes and In-situ Systems Sep. 09



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