Review of Greenhouse Effect

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Contents

Reading:

No new reading for today.

Notes:

No new reading.

As you prepare for class, bring questions about things you didn't understand from previous chapters. Also, think about these review questions:

- What are the laws of blackbody radiation?
- How do you use a layer model?
- What makes some greenhouse gases more powerful than others?
- What are the important differences between the **layer-model** approach to calculating temperature and the **skin-model** on pp. 45–46?
- How does band saturation work? How can you recognize saturation in MODTRAN?
- How do you use MODTRAN to calculate the effect of doubling CO₂?
- How do you use the full-spectrum RRTM model to calculate the effect of doubling CO₂?