

1 **Methods S1. Daily processes of FORCCHN2**

2 **Photosynthesis** Gross primary productivity of an individual tree is given by:

$$GPP_i = \min(f_c \cdot f_{dry} \cdot f_T \cdot GPPM_i, an \cdot aNS) \quad (S1)$$

3 Where GPP_i is the daily gross primary productivity of the i th individual tree (kgC/d),
 4 $GPPM_i$ is the maximal daily gross primary productivity of the i th tree (kgC/d) (Oikawa
 5 1985); f_c , f_{dry} , f_T and $an \times aNS$ represent the effects of carbon dioxide (Kaduk and
 6 Heimann 1996), water, temperature and soil available nitrogen on GPP, respectively.
 7 aNS is the soil available nitrogen (kgN/m²); and an is the C/N ratio parameter of the
 8 assimilation with $an=150$;

$$GPPM_i = \frac{2 \cdot Am_j \cdot DL}{Kl_j} \ln \frac{1 + \sqrt{1 + Kl_j \cdot Sl_j \cdot \frac{PAR_i}{Am_j}}}{1 + \sqrt{Kl_j \cdot Sl_j \cdot PAR_i \cdot \frac{\exp(-Kl_j \cdot LAI_i)}{Am_j}}} \quad (S2)$$

9 Where DL (daylength) is the possible sunshine duration (h); PAR_i is the amount of
 10 photosynthetic active radiation at the top of the canopy at noon (W/m²); and LAI_i is the
 11 leaf area index of the i th tree. For the i th individual in the j th plant functional type: Am_j ,
 12 Kl_j and Sl_j represent the maximal photosynthesis [kgC/(m²·h)], the extinction
 13 coefficient and the initial slope of light intension and photosynthesis
 14 [(kgC/(m²·h))/(W/m²)], respectively.

$$f_c(C_s) = 1 + \frac{C_s - C_0}{C_s + 2C_0} \quad (S3)$$

15 Where C_s is the CO₂ concentration of the simulation year; C_0 is CO₂ reference
 16 concentration, and $C_0=340$ ppm.

$$f_{dry}(sw, rh) = \left\{ \frac{\min \left[1, \frac{sw}{FC} + \max(rh - 0.5, 0.1) \right]}{dry} \right\}^{0.5} \quad (S4)$$

Where sw is soil water content (cm); FC is field capacity (cm); rh is air relative humidity; and dry is the individual's capability of enduring drought that ranges from 0 to 1.

$$f_T(T) = \left(\frac{T_{max} - T}{T_{max} - T_{opt}} \right)^{\frac{T_{max} - T_{opt}}{T_{max} - T_{min}}} \cdot \left(\frac{T - T_{min}}{T_{opt} - T_{min}} \right)^{\frac{T - T_{min}}{T_{opt} - T_{min}}} \quad (S5)$$

Where T_{min} , T_{opt} and T_{max} denote the lowest, the optimum and the highest temperature of photosynthesis (°C), respectively; T is daily mean temperature (°C).

Autotrophic respiration The autotrophic respiration of each plant includes maintenance respiration and growth respiration. The formula for maintenance respiration is expressed as:

$$RM_{ik} = r_k C_{ik} \quad (S6)$$

Where RM_{ik} is daily maintenance respiration of i th individual tree (kgC/d); k represents tree organ, including leaves, branches, stems, main roots, and fine roots; r_k is the relative respiration rate of tree organ at 15°C (1/d); C_{ik} is the carbon amount (kgC), and when k denotes leaves or fine root, C_i is leaf content or fine root content; When k denotes stem or main root, C_{ik} is sapwood content (kgC);

$$RG_i = r_g \times (GPP_i - RM_i) \quad (S7)$$

Where RG_i the daily growth respiration of i th individual tree (kgC/d) (Ruimy et al., 1996); r_g the growth respiration coefficient, and $r_g=0.25$.

In Equation S1, t_{resp} represents the effect of air temperature on plant respiration, this

34 value is computed as:

$$t_{resp} = t_{resp1} + t_{resp2} \quad (S8)$$

$$t_{resp1} = \frac{DL}{24} \times e^{\frac{\ln(tg_1)}{10 \times (T_d - 15)}} \quad (S9)$$

$$tg_1 = 2 \times e^{-0.009 \times (T_d - 15)} \quad (S10)$$

$$t_{resp2} = \frac{24 - DL}{24} \times e^{\frac{\ln(tg_2)}{10 \times (T_n - 15)}} \quad (S11)$$

$$tg_2 = 2.2 \times e^{-0.009 \times (T_n - 15)} \quad (S12)$$

35 Where t_{resp1} and t_{resp2} represent the effect of daytime air temperature and nighttime air
36 temperature on plant respiration, respectively; T_d is daytime air temperature (°C); T_n is
37 nighttime air temperature (°C); DL is the possible sunshine duration for each day (h).

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39 **Litter production** The litter fluxes of leaves and fine roots are computed as follows:

$$L_{ik} = l_k \times C_{ik} \quad (S13)$$

40 Where k is leaf or fine roots; L_{ik} is the flux of leaf litter or fine roots of the i th individual
41 tree (kgC/d); C_{ik} the corresponding carbon amount (kgC/d); l_k the relative litter fall rate
42 (1/d).

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44 **Soil organic matter respiration and transfer progress:** the model runs on a daily
45 timescale for soil processes, and therefore adopts a modified soil carbon budget model
46 based on CENTURY to characterize forest soils. The CENTURY model was originally
47 developed for simulating and forecasting carbon cycle and productivity of grasslands,
48 but now it is widely used for forest ecosystems.

49 Leaf litter and fine root litter can simultaneously fall into the soil structural litter pool

and the soil metabolic litter pool, and the proportions are calculated by:

$$f_m = 0.85 - 0.018 \times \frac{N_r}{L_r} \quad (\text{S14})$$

$$f_s = 1 - f_m \quad (\text{S15})$$

Where f_m is the proportion into metabolic pool; f_s is the proportion into structural pool;

N_r and L_r are the respective nitrogen and lignin content in fresh litter.

There are ten soil carbon pools in FORCCHN, the decomposition rate and respiration

release in each carbon pool are calculated as:

$$D_u = s_u \times g_T \times g_W \times e^{-b \times L_s} \times C_u \quad (\text{S16})$$

$$R_u = p_u \times D_u \quad (\text{S17})$$

$$SD_{uv} = p_v \times (D_u - R_u) \quad (\text{S18})$$

$$\sum p_v = 1 \quad (\text{S19})$$

$$g_T = e^{\frac{3.36 \times (T_s - 40)}{T_s + 31.79}} \quad (\text{S20})$$

$$g_W = 1 - \left(\frac{sw}{ff \times FC} - 1 \right)^2 \quad (\text{S21})$$

Where D_u is daily carbon decomposition of the u th soil carbon pool [$\text{kgC}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{d})$]; s_u

the relative decomposition rate of the u th pool (1/d); g_t and g_w represent the effect of

temperature and water on the decomposition rate, respectively; b is an exponential term

that describes the extent to which decomposition is reduced by lignin with $b=5.0$. L_s is

the lignin content in the soil structural litter pool; C_u is the difference between carbon

content and lignin content of the u th pool (kgC/m^2); R_u is daily carbon respiration

release of the u th pool [$\text{kgC}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{d})$]; p_u is the respiration proportion of the u th pool;

SD_{uv} is daily carbon content transported from u th pool to v th pool [$\text{kgC}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{d})$]; p_v is

the proportion transported to the v th pool; sw is the soil water content (cm); ff is a

constant with $ff=0.6$; FC is the field capacity (cm); T_s is the soil temperature ($^{\circ}\text{C}$).

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66 **Soil water dynamics** For the dynamics of soil water content, we refer to the calculation
 67 method of the Bridging Event and Continuous Hydrological (BEACH) model (Sheikh
 68 et al., 2009). The soil water (W_s) at the daily step is determined by the total precipitation
 69 (Pre), interception ($Incep$), infiltration (Inf), and actual transpiration (E_a):

$$\frac{dW_s}{dt} = Pre(t) - Incep(t) - Inf(t) - E_a(t) \quad (S22)$$

70 The interception by vegetations is estimated by:

$$Incep = 0.25 \times LAI \times \left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \frac{f \times Pre}{0.25 \times LAI}}\right) \quad (S23)$$

$$f = 1 - e^{-\mu \times LAI} \quad (S24)$$

71 Where LAI is the leaf area index; f is the proportion of soil covered by vegetation; μ is
 72 the light use efficiency parameter (i.e. set as 0.6 for trees).

73 The model assumes that infiltration proceeds until the uptake capacity of the surface
 74 layer (0–0.20 m) has been reached as a result of precipitation.

$$Inf = \min[Pre - Incep, (W_F - W_s) \times depth_1] \quad (S25)$$

75 Where W_F is the saturated soil moisture content ($m^3 m^{-3}$); $depth_1$ is the surface layer
 76 thickness (m).

77 The actual transpiration (E_a) is determined by potential evapotranspiration (E_0):

$$E_a = K_r \times K_e \times E_0 \quad (S26)$$

$$K_r = \frac{W_s - \frac{1}{3} \times W_p}{25 - \frac{1}{3} \times W_p} \quad (S27)$$

$$K_e = -0.5 + \max\{0.55, 1.2 + [0.04 \times (u_2 - 2) - 0.004 \times (RH_{min} - 45)] \times (\frac{h}{3})^{0.3}\} \quad (S28)$$

Where K_r is a dimensionless evaporation reduction coefficient dependent on the soil water content; W_p is the wilting point; K_e is the soil evaporation coefficient; u_2 is the wind speed; RH_{min} is the air relative humidity; h is the tree height.

Light distribution For the light competition of different trees, we used a standard gap-model formulation to describe the vertical radiation environment. The gap model's light distribution process was described by Xiaodong & Shugart (2005):

$$AL_m = AL_{top} \times e^{(-l_{nee} \cdot LAI_{nee} - l_{bro} \cdot LAI_{bro})} \quad (S29)$$

Where AL was the available light; m was the m th height (unit: m); top was the top height of the forest canopy; l_{nee} and l_{bro} were the coniferous and broadleaf extinction coefficient; LAI_{nee} and LAI_{bro} were the sums of the leaf areas in the plot of all higher broadleaf trees and needle trees.

Leaf and fine roots growth We adopted a method based on thermal time to simulate the growth of leaf biomass (G_P) and fine roots biomass (G_F) (Schiestl-Aalto *et al.*, 2015). We assumed that leaf biomass increment is related to the maximum daily growth rate and the NSC storage pool:

$$\frac{dG_P}{dt} = k_N(t) \times g(t) \times f(s(t)) \times MG \quad (S30)$$

$$\frac{dG_F(t)}{dt} = \frac{1}{2} \times k_N(t) \times \frac{dG_P}{dt} \quad (S31)$$

Where k_N is the impact of NSC storage pool on growth; g is the response of growth to

environmental factors; f is the response of growth to the leaf development stage s ; MG is the maximum daily growth rate. The k is a limiting factor for growth if the NSC storage below a critical level:

$$k_N(t) = \min\left\{1, \frac{1 - e^{\delta \times NP(t)}}{1 - e^{\delta \times NP_0}}\right\} \quad (S32)$$

Where δ is a parameter; NP is the NSC storage; NP_0 is the critical level, which is set as the initial storage size in the corresponding year. Note that the NP_0 is assumed to be 3% of the aboveground wood biomass in the first year (Fang *et al.*, 2020).

The parameters g and f describe phenology variations. The short-term growth response (g) is:

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & T(t) < 0 \\ (1 + e^{-\alpha \times (T(t) - \beta)})^{-1}, & T(t) \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad (S33)$$

Where α and β are parameters, and $T(t)$ is the daily average temperature (°C). For temperate trees, the leaves have vital activities above 0 °C. The leaves of tropical trees can keep active growth throughout the whole year.

The development stage function ($f(s(t))$) of leaf growth based on the assumption that the leaf development is the highest in the middle of growing period and equally low in the early and late season. And the process is written as:

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & s(t) < 0 \text{ or } s(t) > s^c \\ \frac{1}{2} \left(\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{s^c} \times \left(s(t) - \frac{s^c}{4}\right)\right) + 1 \right), & 0 \leq s(t) \leq s^c \end{cases} \quad (S34)$$

Where s is the development stage of the leaf, s_c is the threshold for cessation of growth. Growth begins at t_b time when the thermal time requirement for growth onset, ($s(t_b) > 0$), is exceeded; and the growth ceases at t_c time when the requirement for growth cessation, ($s(t_c) > s_c$), is exceeded. The development stage (s) is calculated by:

$$\frac{ds(t)}{dt} = g(t), t_0 < t \quad (S35)$$

$$s(t_0) = s^0 \quad (S36)$$

$$s(t_c) = s^c \quad (S37)$$

Where s^0 is the initialized value of s ; t_0 is the tree dormant time, the beginning on the first day of the year. We estimated s^0 and s^c fell in a reasonable range taken from Fang *et al.* (2020) and Schiestl-Aalto *et al.* (2015).

The maximum daily growth rate of leaves (MG) has been shown to relate to the maximum leaf biomass (B_{max}) in previous years (Schiestl-Aalto *et al.*, 2013).

$$MG_i = B_{max,i-1} \times R_p \quad (S38)$$

Where i is the i th year; R_p is the growth coefficient.

Spring phenology The spring phenology sub-model was based on the effective temperature and thermal time. Following this approach, the daily temperature response was simulated by using a sigmoid function of the average temperature (Cannell & Smith 1983; Schiestl-Aalto *et al.* 2015). Leaf growth began at the time (Y_{SOS}) when heat requirement exceeded the threshold (S_A):

$$Y_{SOS} = t, \text{ if } s_{heat}(t) \geq S_A \quad (S39)$$

$$s_{heat}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^t \frac{1}{1 + e^{-0.185(T(j)-18.4)}}, \text{ if } T(j) > T_A \quad (S40)$$

Where s_{heat} was the daily sum of heat rates; T_A was the threshold parameter to determine the effective high temperature; T was the air average temperature; t was the time to begin growth; j was the day of the year.

Autumn phenology Compared to the modeling of spring phenology, modeling of autumn phenology was more challenging (Piao *et al.* 2019). Here, we used the accumulated cold degree-days and considered the effects by photoperiod (Delpierre *et al.* 2009). Similar to the spring phenology, leaves began to color at the time (Y_{EOS}) when the chilling accumulation exceeded the threshold (S_B):

$$Y_{EOS} = t, \text{ if } s_{cold}(t) \geq S_B \quad (S41)$$

$$s_{cold}(t) = \sum_{j=1}^t (T_B - T(j)) \frac{P(j)}{P_{start}}, \text{ if } P(j) < P_{start} \text{ and } T(j) < T_B \quad (S42)$$

Where s_{cold} was the daily sum of chilling rates; T_B was the threshold to determine the effective low temperature; P_{start} was the threshold to determine the effective photoperiod.

Phenology parameterization Using the LAI data of the first observed year, parameters S_{A0} indicating the initial heat parameter that estimated by the spring phenological dates:

$$S_{A0} = - \sum_{t=1}^{t_{y0,onset}} g_{heat}(t) \quad (S43)$$

Where $y_{0,onset}$ is the spring phenological dates in the first year.

We only estimated the T_B in one site ($T_{B,1}$, which was set to 30.0 °C at the Acadia National Park site), other sites were estimated by the average temperature between the first day and the observed dates of autumn phenology in one year (T_{cease}) (Acadia National Park site had the T_{cease} of 8.6 °C)

$$T_{B,i} = \frac{T_{B,1}}{T_{cease,1}} \times T_{cease,i} \quad (S44)$$

Where i represents the i th site (i.e. i th cell of 0.5 degree in this study).

S_B was the chilling threshold of leaf cessation that estimated by the autumn phenological dates:

$$S_B = \sum_{t=1}^{t_{y0,cease}} g_{cold}(t) \quad (S45)$$

Where $t_{y0,cease}$ is the autumn phenological dates in the first year.

Light competition For the light competition of different tree, we used a standard gap-model formulation to describe the vertical radiation environment. The gap model's light distribution process was described by Xiaodong & Shugart (2005):

$$AL_m = AL_{top} \times e^{(-l_{nee} \cdot LAI_{nee} - l_{bro} \cdot LAI_{bro})} \quad (S46)$$

Where AL was the available light; m was the m th height (unit: m); top was the top height of the forest canopy; k_{nee} and k_{bro} were the coniferous and broadleaf extinction coefficient; LAI_{nee} and LAI_{bro} were the sum of the leaf areas in the plot of all higher broadleaf trees and needle trees.

Methods S2. Annual processes of FORCCHN2

The primary annual processes consist of increments of tree height, basal diameter, and production of CWD (coarse wood debris). The model assumes that annual litter production falls into one of two cases based on two assumed thresholds. On one hand, if the year-end NSC slow pool is greater than the first threshold, only the flower litter production reaches the maximum possible amount. On the other hand, if the year-end NSC slow pool is greater than the second threshold, both flower and fruit litter

production are maximal. The formulas are given as:

$$L_{i,year} \begin{cases} BF_{i,year} & BF_{i,year} \leq lm_1 \\ lm_1 + (BF_{i,year} - lm_1) \times 0.3 & lm_1 < BF_{i,year} \leq lm_2 \\ lm_2 & BF_{i,year} > lm_2 \end{cases} \quad (S47)$$

$$DC_i = BF_{i,year} - L_{i,year} \quad (S48)$$

Where $L_{i,year}$ is annual litter production of the i th individual tree (kgC); $BF_{i,year}$ is the annual NSC slow pool (kgC); lm_1 and lm_2 are the first and the second thresholds of litter production, respectively (kgC), and $lm_1=0.0001$; DC_i is annual net carbon increment (kgC), and 95% DC_i is transferred to support the growth of organs:

$$DC_i = \frac{[f_{wood}(d + \Delta d, h + \Delta h, b, hr, astem) - f'_{wood}(d, h, b, hr, astem)]}{0.95} \quad (S49)$$

$$\Delta h = cp \times \Delta d \quad (S50)$$

Where f_{wood} is the wood biomass added in the current year (kgC); f'_{wood} is the wood biomass added in the previous year (kgC); d is the basal diameter (m); Δd the increment of basal diameter (m); h is the tree height (m); Δh is the increment of tree height (m); b is the twig height (m); hr is the root depth (m); $astem$ is the bulk density of wood (kgC/m³); cp is a constant decided by illumination gradients of tree canopy.

Tree death Individual trees are assumed to die when daily net photosynthate and NSC pools are not enough to support the growth of leaves (in some cases where previous years photosynthate has been allocated to the growth of canopy height and basal diameter, the plant autotrophic respiration might be greater than the photosynthesis in some abnormal weather conditions). When tree death occurs in a given year, the C, N from dead trees is assumed to completely transfer to the soil pools at the end of the year

(on the 31st December), and continue to participate in new C, N cycle in the coming year. In the current study, since the simulated time period is less than 50 years, we assume the new individual trees do not contribute materially to forest processes.

Methods S3. Model initialization processes

DBH estimation Although different tree species and individual trees have variable growth rates, the model uses a uniform method to express the initial vegetation conditions. Previous studies showed a linear relationship between the individual tree DBH and leaf area index (Petersen et al. 2007), the model LAI is calculated as follows:

$$DBH = \frac{LAI}{45} + 0.02 \quad (S51)$$

Where DBH (m) is the diameter at breast height, LAI is the leaf area index.

Tree height estimation The model uses tree diameter-height curves (Ogawa 1969) to simulate each tree's height:

$$\frac{1}{TH} = \frac{1}{a \times DBH^b} + \frac{1}{H^*} \quad (S52)$$

Where TH (m) is the tree height; a , b , and H^* are the regression coefficients, $a=0.82$, $b=1.25$, $H^*=37.26$ (Wang et al. 2006).

The height of lowest living branch (BH) is calculated by:

$$BH = \frac{1}{3}TH \quad (S53)$$

Initialized Biomass estimation The initialized leaf biomass (G_{L0}) is calculated by tree species:

$$G_{L0}(i) = \begin{cases} 0, & i = \text{deciduous tree} \\ 1.99DBH^{2.13}BH^{-0.39}, & i = \text{evergreen tree} \end{cases} \quad (S54)$$

202 The initialized fine root biomass (G_{F0}) is proportional to leaf biomass:

$$G_{F0} = \frac{1}{2} G_{L0} \quad (S55)$$

203 The initialized wood biomass comprises stem biomass (G_{AS0}), twig biomass (G_{AT0}), and
204 root biomass (G_{B0}):

$$G_{W0} = G_{AS0} + G_{AT0} + G_{B0} \quad (S56)$$

$$G_{AS0} = 2.02 \times Astem \times DBH^2 \times TH \quad (S57)$$

$$G_{AT0} = 1.12 \times Astem \times DBH^2 \times TH \times \left(1 + \frac{2}{TH}\right)^2 \times \left(1 - \frac{2}{TH}\right) \quad (S58)$$

$$G_{B0} = 2.02 \times Astem \times DBH^2 \times TH \times \left[\left(1 + \frac{2}{TH}\right)^2 \times \left(1 + \frac{2}{TH}\right) - 1\right] \quad (S59)$$

205 Where $Astem$ is a parameter taken from Table S1.

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Forest types and flux tower distribution

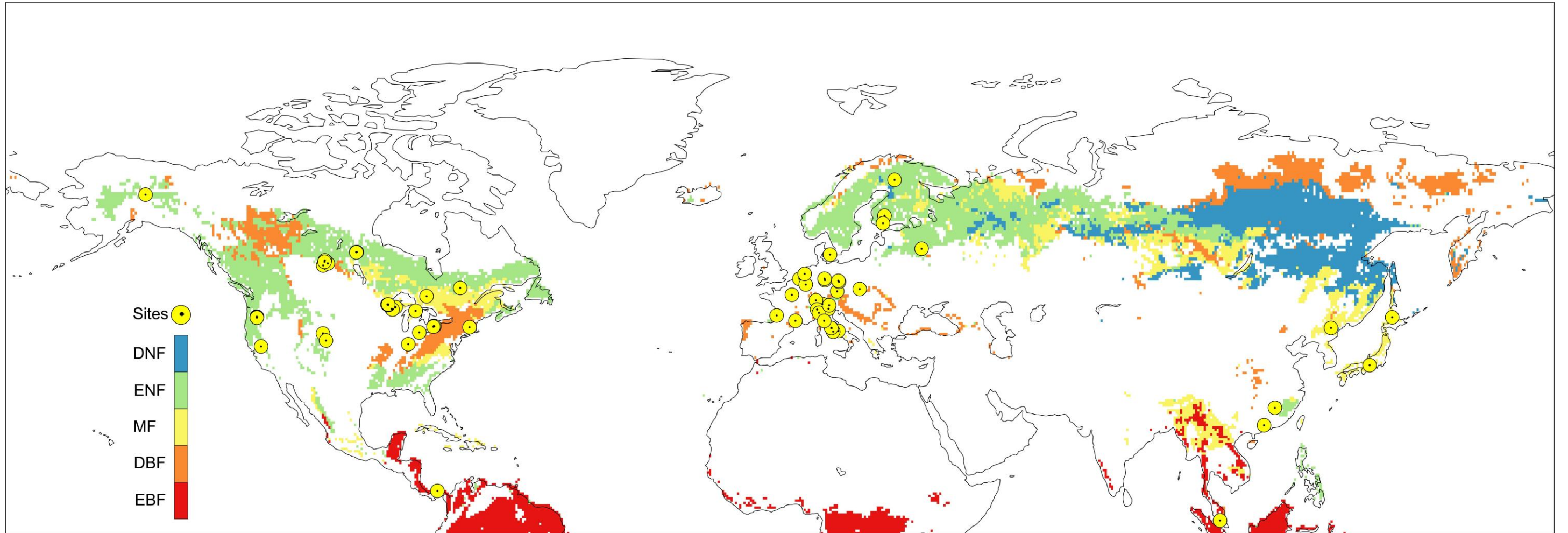


Fig. S1. Spatial distribution of studied EC sites and forest types based on Simple Biosphere (SiB) model of International Satellite Land Surface Climatology Project (ISLSCP II). EBF: the evergreen broadleaf forest; ENF: evergreen needleleaf forest; DBF: deciduous broadleaf forest; DNF: deciduous needleleaf forest; MF: mixed forest.

Table S1. The studied EC Site information of the observed flux. ENF: evergreen needleleaf forest;

EBF: evergreen broadleaf forest; DBF: deciduous broadleaf forest; MF: mixed forest.

| Sites | Elevation (m) | Latitude (°) | Longitude (°) | Forest types |
|--------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|
| BE-Bra | 16 | 51.3076 | 4.5198 | MF |
| BE-Vie | 493 | 50.3049 | 5.9981 | MF |
| CA-Gro | 340 | 48.2167 | -82.1556 | MF |
| CA-Man | 259 | 55.8796 | -98.4808 | ENF |
| CA-NS1 | 260 | 55.8792 | -98.4839 | ENF |
| CA-NS2 | 260 | 55.9058 | -98.5247 | ENF |
| CA-NS3 | 260 | 55.9117 | -98.3822 | ENF |
| CA-NS4 | 260 | 55.9144 | -98.3806 | ENF |
| CA-NS5 | 260 | 55.8631 | -98.485 | ENF |
| CA-Oas | 530 | 53.6289 | -106.198 | DBF |
| CA-Obs | 628.94 | 53.9872 | -105.118 | ENF |
| CA-Qfo | 382 | 49.6925 | -74.3421 | ENF |
| CA-SF1 | 536 | 54.485 | -105.818 | ENF |
| CA-SF2 | 520 | 54.2539 | -105.878 | ENF |
| CA-TP1 | 265 | 42.6609 | -80.5595 | ENF |
| CA-TP2 | 212 | 42.7744 | -80.4588 | ENF |
| CA-TP3 | 184 | 42.7068 | -80.3483 | ENF |
| CA-TP4 | 184 | 42.7102 | -80.3574 | ENF |
| CA-TPD | 260 | 42.6353 | -80.5577 | DBF |
| CH-Dav | 1639 | 46.8153 | 9.8559 | ENF |
| CH-Lae | 689 | 47.4783 | 8.3644 | MF |
| CN-Cha | 1242 | 42.4025 | 128.0958 | MF |
| CN-Din | 240 | 23.1733 | 112.5361 | EBF |
| CN-Qia | 111 | 26.7414 | 115.0581 | ENF |
| CZ-BK1 | 875 | 49.5021 | 18.5369 | ENF |
| DE-Hai | 430 | 51.0792 | 10.4522 | DBF |
| DE-Lkb | 1308 | 49.0996 | 13.3047 | ENF |
| DE-Lnf | 451 | 51.3282 | 10.3678 | DBF |
| DE-Obe | 734 | 50.7867 | 13.7213 | ENF |
| DE-Tha | 385 | 50.9626 | 13.5651 | ENF |
| DK-Sor | 40 | 55.4859 | 11.6446 | DBF |
| FI-Hyy | 181 | 61.8474 | 24.2948 | ENF |
| FI-Let | 111 | 60.6418 | 23.9595 | ENF |
| FI-Sod | 180 | 67.3624 | 26.6386 | ENF |
| FR-Fon | 103 | 48.4764 | 2.7801 | DBF |
| FR-LBr | 61 | 44.7171 | -0.7693 | ENF |
| FR-Pue | 270 | 43.7413 | 3.5957 | EBF |
| IT-CA1 | 200 | 42.3804 | 12.0266 | DBF |

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|--------|------|---------|----------|-----|
| IT-Col | 1560 | 41.8494 | 13.5881 | DBF |
| IT-Cp2 | 19 | 41.7043 | 12.3573 | EBF |
| IT-Cpz | 68 | 41.7052 | 12.3761 | EBF |
| IT-Isp | 210 | 45.8126 | 8.6336 | DBF |
| IT-La2 | 1350 | 45.9542 | 11.2853 | ENF |
| IT-Lav | 1353 | 45.9562 | 11.2813 | ENF |
| IT-PT1 | 60 | 45.2009 | 9.061 | DBF |
| IT-Ren | 1730 | 46.5869 | 11.4337 | ENF |
| IT-Ro1 | 235 | 42.4081 | 11.93 | DBF |
| IT-Ro2 | 160 | 42.3903 | 11.9209 | DBF |
| IT-SR2 | 4 | 43.732 | 10.2909 | ENF |
| IT-SRo | 6 | 43.7279 | 10.2844 | ENF |
| JP-MBF | 676 | 44.3869 | 142.3186 | DBF |
| JP-SMF | 397 | 35.2617 | 137.0788 | MF |
| MY-PSO | 102 | 2.973 | 102.3062 | EBF |
| NL-Loo | 25 | 52.1666 | 5.7436 | ENF |
| PA-SPn | 78 | 9.3181 | -79.6346 | DBF |
| RU-Fyo | 265 | 56.4615 | 32.9221 | ENF |
| US-Blo | 1315 | 38.8953 | -120.633 | ENF |
| US-GLE | 3197 | 41.3665 | -106.24 | ENF |
| US-Ha1 | 340 | 42.5378 | -72.1715 | DBF |
| US-MMS | 275 | 39.3232 | -86.4131 | DBF |
| US-Me2 | 1253 | 44.4523 | -121.557 | ENF |
| US-Me3 | 1005 | 44.3154 | -121.608 | ENF |
| US-Me4 | 922 | 44.4992 | -121.622 | ENF |
| US-Me5 | 1188 | 44.4372 | -121.567 | ENF |
| US-Me6 | 998 | 44.3233 | -121.608 | ENF |
| US-NR1 | 3050 | 40.0329 | -105.546 | ENF |
| US-Oho | 230 | 41.5545 | -83.8438 | DBF |
| US-PFa | 470 | 45.9459 | -90.2723 | MF |
| US-Prr | 210 | 65.1237 | -147.488 | ENF |
| US-Syv | 540 | 46.242 | -89.3477 | MF |
| US-UMB | 234 | 45.5598 | -84.7138 | DBF |
| US-UMd | 239 | 45.5625 | -84.6975 | DBF |
| US-WCr | 520 | 45.8059 | -90.0799 | DBF |
| US-Wi3 | 411 | 46.6347 | -91.0987 | DBF |
| US-Wi4 | 352 | 46.7393 | -91.1663 | ENF |
| US-Wi5 | 353 | 46.6531 | -91.0858 | ENF |
| US-Wi8 | 348 | 46.7223 | -91.2524 | DBF |
| US-Wi9 | 350 | 46.7385 | -91.0746 | ENF |

Table S2. Physiological and ecological parameters in the original FORCCHN2 model. ST: shade-tolerant; SIT: shade-intolerant

| Parameters | Rain forest tree | | Evergreen broadleaf tree | | Deciduous broadleaf tree | | Evergreen conifer tree | | Deciduous conifer tree |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|
| | ST | SIT | ST | SIT | ST | SIT | ST | SIT | |
| L _o | 5.5 | 11.0 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 5.5 | 11.0 | 11.0 |
| Am | 5.5×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.5×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.5×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.5×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.0×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.0×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.0×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.0×10 ⁻⁴ | 5.0×10 ⁻⁴ |
| Sl | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ | 1.3×10 ⁻⁵ |
| Kl | 4.5×10 ⁻¹ | 4.5×10 ⁻¹ | 4.5×10 ⁻¹ | 4.5×10 ⁻¹ | 4.0×10 ⁻¹ | 4.0×10 ⁻¹ | 4.0×10 ⁻¹ | 4.0×10 ⁻¹ | 3.5×10 ⁻¹ |
| r _L | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 6.0×10 ⁻³ | 3.0×10 ⁻³ | 3.5×10 ⁻³ | 3.5×10 ⁻³ | 1.2×10 ⁻² |
| r _w | 1.0×10 ⁻³ | 1.0×10 ⁻³ | 1.0×10 ⁻³ | 1.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ |
| r _R | 1.5×10 ⁻³ | 1.5×10 ⁻³ | 1.5×10 ⁻³ | 1.5×10 ⁻³ | 2.5×10 ⁻³ | 2.5×10 ⁻³ | 2.5×10 ⁻³ | 2.5×10 ⁻³ | 2.5×10 ⁻³ |
| Im ₂ | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.40 | 0.40 | 0.40 | 0.40 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.50 |
| CN _L | 40.0 | 40.0 | 45.0 | 45.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 60.0 | 60.0 | 50.0 |
| CN _w | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 | 200.0 |
| CN _R | 40.0 | 40.0 | 45.0 | 45.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 60.0 | 60.0 | 50.0 |
| Hmax | 40.0 | 60.0 | 50.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 60.0 | 60.0 | 50.0 |
| Dmax | 2.0 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 2.0 |
| Amax | 200.0 | 100.0 | 400.0 | 200.0 | 400.0 | 200.0 | 1000.0 | 300.0 | 500.0 |
| e _L | 600.0 | 600.0 | 600.0 | 600.0 | 200.0 | 700.0 | 700.0 | 700.0 | 300.0 |
| e _R | 20.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 20.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 15.0 | 15.0 | 28.0 |
| cLAI _L | 15.0 | 15.0 | 15.0 | 15.0 | 45.0 | 20.0 | 18.0 | 18.0 | 40.0 |
| Astem | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 | 350.0 |
| Tmin | 5.0 | 5.0 | 3.0 | 1.0 | -1.0 | -5.5 | -5.5 | -2.5 | -5.5 |
| Topt | 27.0 | 29.0 | 27.0 | 25.0 | 23.0 | 20.0 | 18.0 | 23.0 | 16.0 |
| Tmax | 50.0 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 50.0 | 45.0 | 45.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 35.0 |
| DRY | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.5 |
| l _L | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 1.1×10 ⁻⁴ | 1.1×10 ⁻⁴ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 2.0×10 ⁻³ | 1.1×10 ⁻⁴ |
| Lr/Nr | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 30.0 | 50.0 | 80.0 | 80.0 | 50.0 |

| | | | | | | | | | |
|-------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| l_R | 5.0×10^{-5} | 5.0×10^{-5} | 5.0×10^{-5} | 5.0×10^{-5} | 4.0×10^{-5} | 4.0×10^{-5} | 8.0×10^{-5} | 8.0×10^{-5} | 8.0×10^{-5} |
| cp | 10 | 100 | 10 | 100 | 10 | 100 | 10 | 100 | 100 |

L_o -the photosynthesis compensate point; Am -the Maximal photosynthesis; Sl -the initial slope of light intension and photosynthesis[$\text{kg C}/(\text{m}^2 \cdot \text{h})/(\text{W}/\text{m}^2)$]; Kl -the extinction coefficient; r_L -the relative breath rate of foliage (1/d); r_W -the relative breath rate of wood (1/d); r_R -the relative breath rate of root(1/d); lm_2 - the threshold value of fruit; CN_L -the C:N ratio of foliage; CN_w -the C:N ratio of wood; CN_R -the C:N ratio of root; $Hmax$ -the maximal tree height (m); $Dmax$ -the maximal tree diameter (m); $Amax$ -the maximal tree age (a); e_L -the coefficient of leaf content (kgC/m^2); e_R -the coefficient of root content (kgC/m^2); $cLAI_L$ -the coefficient of leaf area (m^2/kgC); $Astem$ -the bulk density of wood (kgC/m^3); $Tmin$ -the lowest temperature of photosynthesis ($^{\circ}\text{C}$); $Topt$ -the optimum temperature of photosynthesis ($^{\circ}\text{C}$); $Tmax$ -the highest temperature of photosynthesis ($^{\circ}\text{C}$); DRY -the capability of enduring drought; l_L -the relative litter rate of leaves(1/d); Lr/Nr -the ration of lignin and nitrogen content; l_R -the relative litter rate of root(1/d); cp -the constant depends on the light gradient.

Table S3. Phenological parameters in the FORCCHN2 model

| Parameter | Meaning | Value | Unit |
|-----------|---|-----------|--------------------|
| S_{A0} | The initial heat parameter on the first day of the year (calculated by first year) | (Eqn S43) | - |
| S_B | a predetermined level to determine Y_{cease} (calculated by first year) | (Eqn S45) | - |
| c | A parameter of temperature response factor | 0.185 | - |
| d | A parameter of temperature response factor | 18.4 | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |
| T_B | The threshold parameter to determine the effective temperature (calculated by first year) | (Eqn S44) | $^{\circ}\text{C}$ |

Table S4. Parameters of soil decomposition rate in the FORCCHN2 model.

| Symbol | Unit | Litter and matter pool | Value |
|--------|-----------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| S1 | d ⁻¹ | Above-ground metabolic litter pool | 0.08 |
| S2 | d ⁻¹ | Above-ground structural litter pool | 0.021 |
| S3 | d ⁻¹ | Below-ground metabolic litter pool | 0.1 |
| S4 | d ⁻¹ | Below-ground structural litter pool | 0.027 |
| S5 | d ⁻¹ | Fine woody litter pool | 0.01 |
| S6 | d ⁻¹ | Coarse woody litter pool | 0.002 |
| S7 | d ⁻¹ | Below-ground coarse litter pool | 0.002 |
| S8 | d ⁻¹ | Above-ground active pool | 0.04 |
| S9 | d ⁻¹ | Active soil organic matter pool | 0.04 |
| S10 | d ⁻¹ | Slow soil organic matter pool | 0.001 |
| S11 | d ⁻¹ | Resistant soil organic matter pool | 3.5×10^{-5} |

Table S5. Initialized allocation parameter of each soil pool in the FORCCHN2 model.

| Litter and matter pool | Value |
|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Above-ground metabolic litter pool | 0.01 |
| Above-ground structural litter pool | 0.01 |
| Below-ground metabolic litter pool | 0.01 |
| Below-ground structural litter pool | 0.01 |
| Fine woody litter pool | 0.01 |
| Coarse woody litter pool | 0.01 |
| Below-ground coarse litter pool | 0.01 |
| Above-ground active pool | 0.01 |
| Active soil organic matter pool | 0.02 |
| Slow soil organic matter pool | 0.02 |
| Resistant soil organic matter pool | 0.88 |