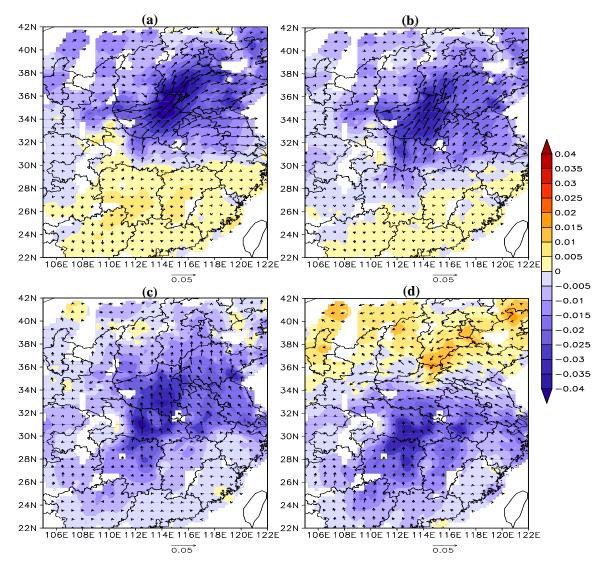
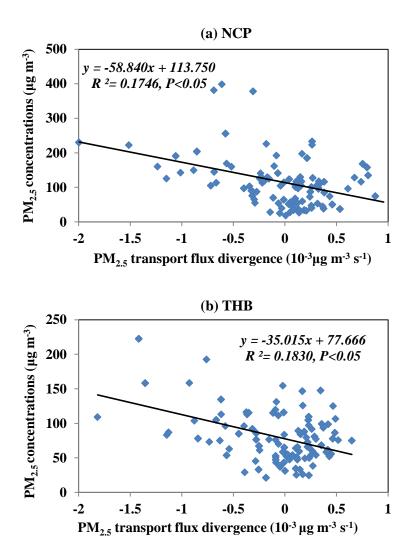
## Quasi-weekly oscillation of regional PM<sub>2.5</sub> transport over China driven by the synoptic-scale disturbance of East Asian Winter Monsoon circulation

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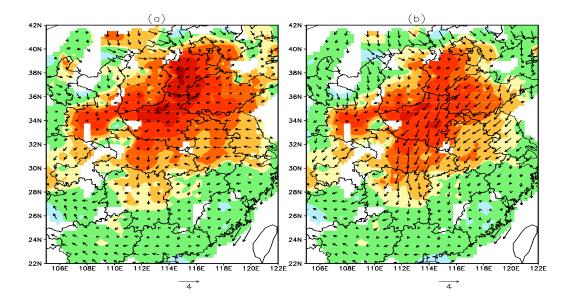
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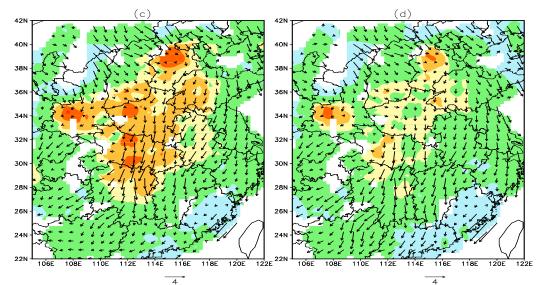


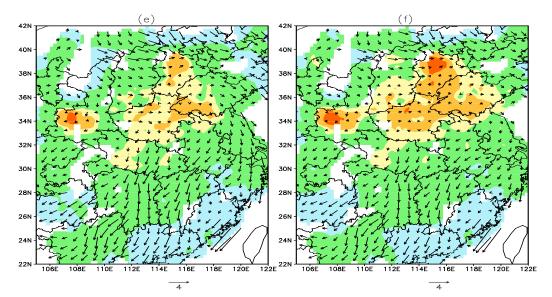
**Figure S1**. Same as Fig. 2. (a)-(d) The last four phases (days) of QWO (8-d) of the regional  $PM_{2.5}$  transport over CEC. The loads of  $PM_{2.5}$  TFM anomalies (color contours) for EEOF2 and TFV anomalies (vectors) for EEOF1 with lag time (a) 4 d, (b) 5 d, and loads of TFM anomalies (color contours) for EEOF3 and TFV anomalies (vectors) for EEOF2 with lag time (c) 0 d, (d) 1 d over CEC in the winters of 2015-2019.

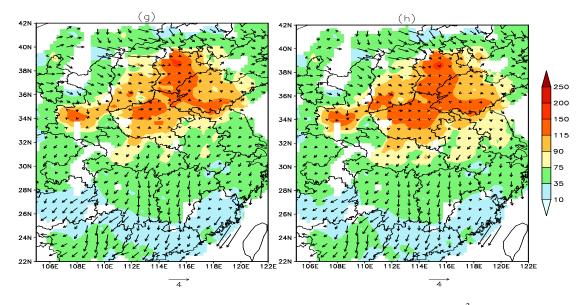


**Figure S2.** Scatter plot of  $PM_{2.5}$  transport flux divergences and  $PM_{2.5}$  concentrations over (a) NCP and (b) THB during the 23 typical events of regional  $PM_{2.5}$  transport over CEC.

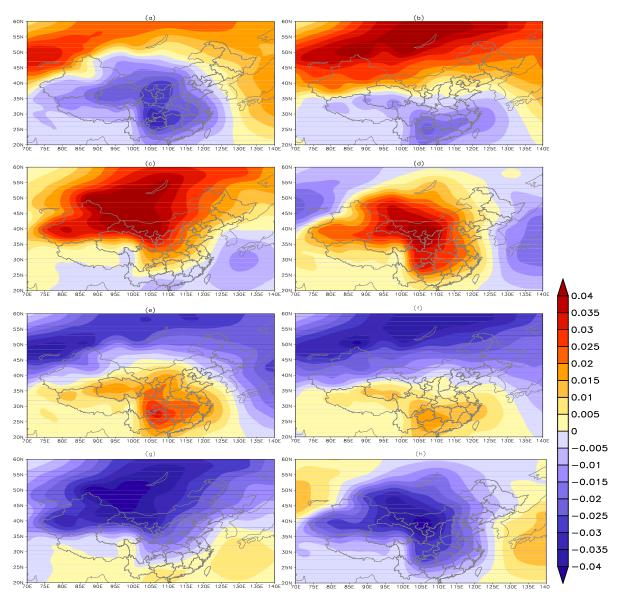








**Figure S3.** The composited  $PM_{2.5}$  concentrations (color contours, unit:  $\mu$  g m<sup>-3</sup>) and 10-m wind (vector, unit: m s<sup>-1</sup>) in the 8 phases (a-h) of QWO during the 23 typical events of regional  $PM_{2.5}$  transport over CEC.



**Figure S4.** EEOF analysis of the  $SLP_{QWO}$  in the winters of 2015-2019, and the 8-d QWO formed by the lag time (a) 1 d, (b)2 d, (c) 3 d, (d) 4 d, (e) 5 d of its second mode and by the lag time (f) 0 d, (g) 1 d, (h) 2 d of its first mode. The color contours represent the loads of  $SLP_{QWO}$ .