

# GSWP3 and LS3MIP &

## Development of Global Land Surface Modeling/Validation/Benchmarking Framework

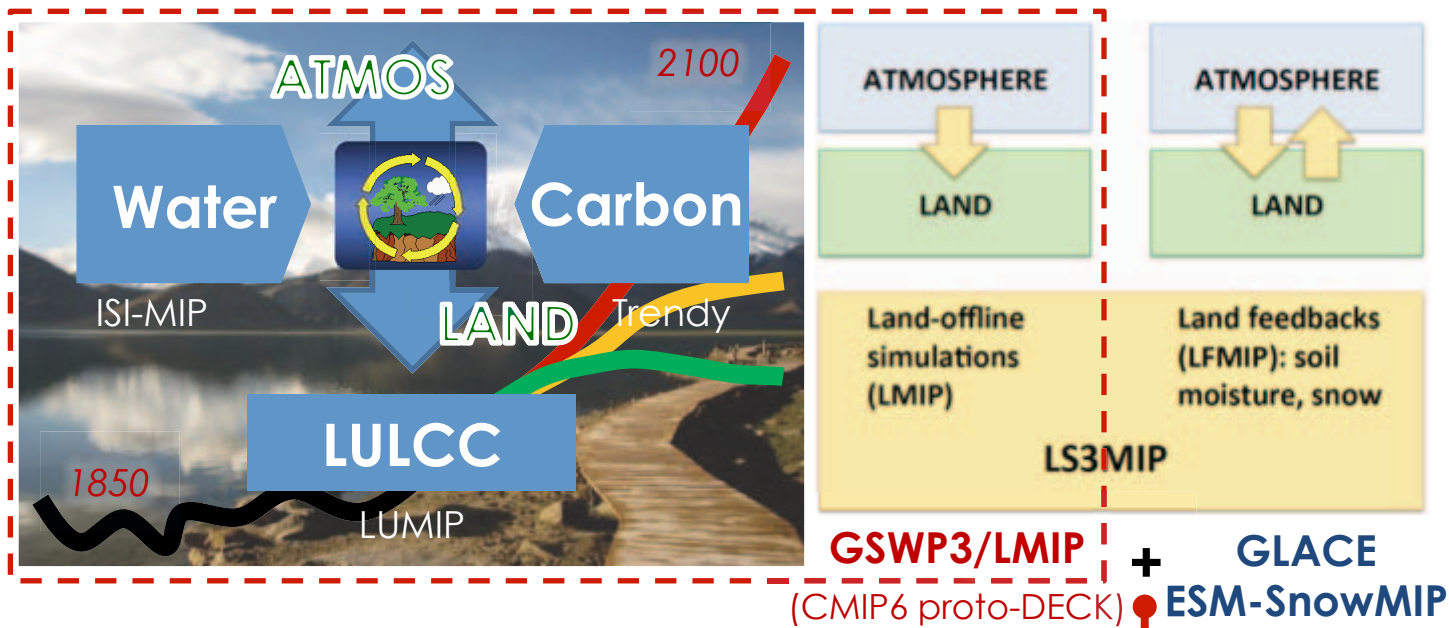
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# Global Soil Wetness Project Phase 3

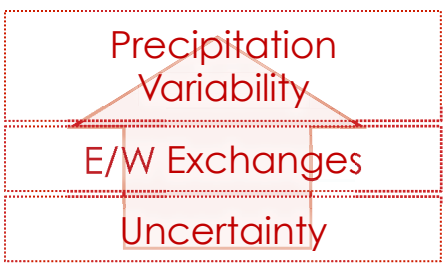
Super-ensemble **land reanalysis** for 20 and 21<sup>st</sup> Century as inter-community service



## WCRP + GEWEX Grand Challenges

- Cloud, Circulation & Climate Sensitivity
- Water Availability
- Climate Extremes
- Regional Climate Information
- Regional Sea-level Rise
- Changes in Cryosphere

Land Surface, Snow, Soil moisture  
**LS3MIP** Model Intercomparison Project  
 Land processes, forcings, and feedbacks in CMIP6 climate change simulations



to quantify the associated uncertainties and better constrain climate change projections for earth system models in CMIP6.

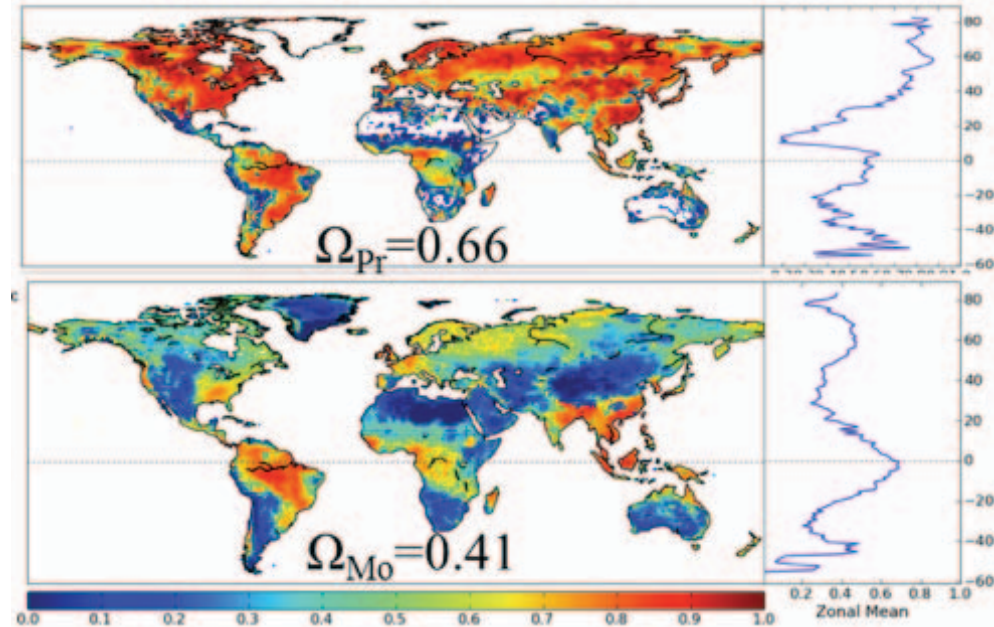


# Gaps to be Filled by LS3MIP

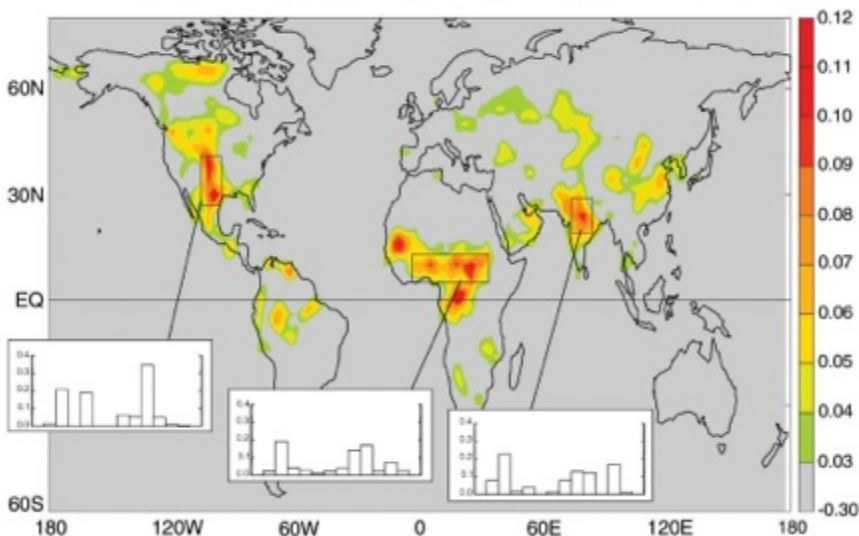
+ Map (uncertainty of) water resources over the 20th century (and beyond)

Kim (2010) showing that disparity in simulated runoff from uncertainty in ensemble precipitation is much less than model uncertainty :

**LMIP/GSWP3**



Land-atmosphere coupling strength (JJA), averaged across AGCMs



+ Explore model-dependent land-atmospheric coupling

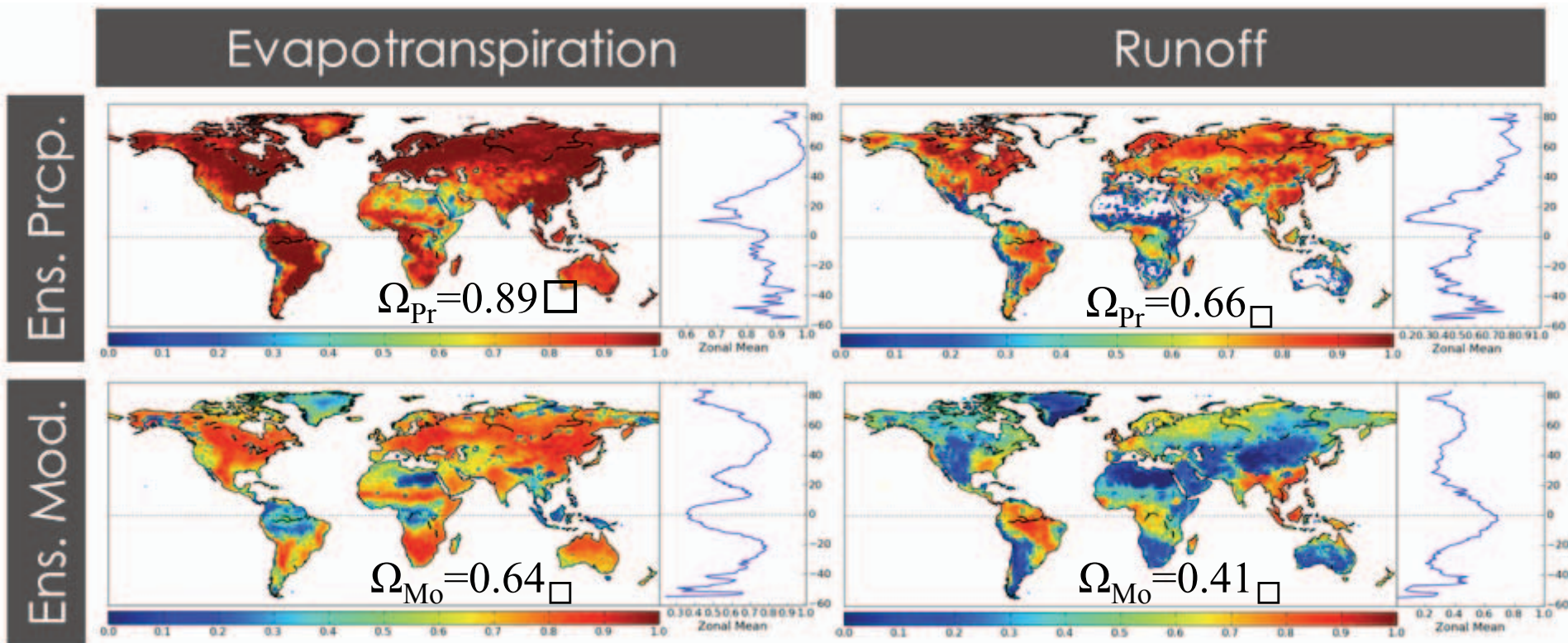
Koster et al (2006): GLACE result showing model-specific land-atmospheric coupling strength :

**LFMIP**

# Comparison Table for Existing Forcing Data

	NCC	GSWP2	Princeton	ELSE	WATCH	GSWP3
Reference	Ngo Duc et al., 2005	Dirmeyer et al., 2006	Sheffield et al., 2006	Kim et al., 2009	Weedon et al., 2011	Kim et al., in prep.
Temporal Coverage	1948-2000 53 years	1982-1995 14 years	1948-2008 61 years	1979-2010 32 years	1901-2001 101 years	<b>1851-2011</b> <b>161 years</b>
Spa./Temp. Resolution	1 deg. 6 hours	1 deg. 3 hours	1 deg. 3 hours	1 deg. 6 hours	0.5 deg. 3 or 6 hours	0.5 deg. 3 hours
Base Reanalysis	NCEP/NCAR 1948 - now T62 / 6hr	NCEP/NCAR 1948 - now T62 / 6hr	NCEP/NCAR 1948 - now T62 / 6hr	JRA25 1948 - now T106 / 6hr	ERA-40 1957 - 2002 TL159 / 6hr	<b>20CRv2c</b> <b>1851 - 2011</b> 2 deg. / 6hr
Spa. Dis-aggregation	Bi-linear	Bi-linear	Bi-linear, Bayesian	Bi-linear	Bi-linear	<b>Dynamical Downscale</b>
Temp. Dis-aggregation	N/A	Variability from Obs.	Variability from Obs.	N/A	Variability from Obs.	<b>Dynamical Downscale</b>
Bias Correction	Only monthly (Add/Ratio)	Only monthly (Add/Ratio)	Only monthly (Add/Ratio)	Only monthly (Add/Ratio)	Only monthly (Add/Ratio)	Monthly (Add/Ratio) & <b>Daily</b> <b>(Non-para.)</b>

# Simulation Uncertainty – model vs input data –



*Kim, 2010*

Uncertainty in simulated evapotranspiration and runoff introduced by different land surface schemes in GSWP2 are larger than precipitation uncertainty-induced uncertainty by 28% and 40% in the similarity index ( $\square$ ) globally.



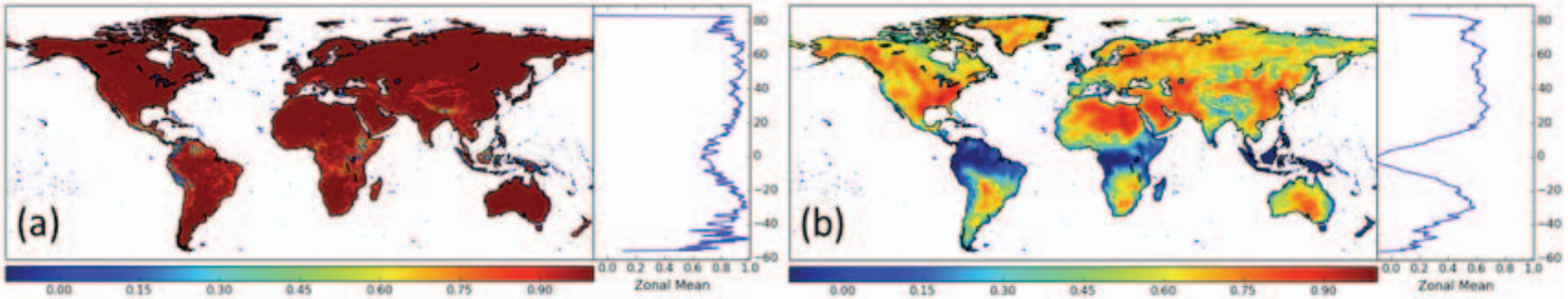
# Preliminary Results and Known Problems

+ Map (uncertainty of) water resources over the 20th century (and beyond)

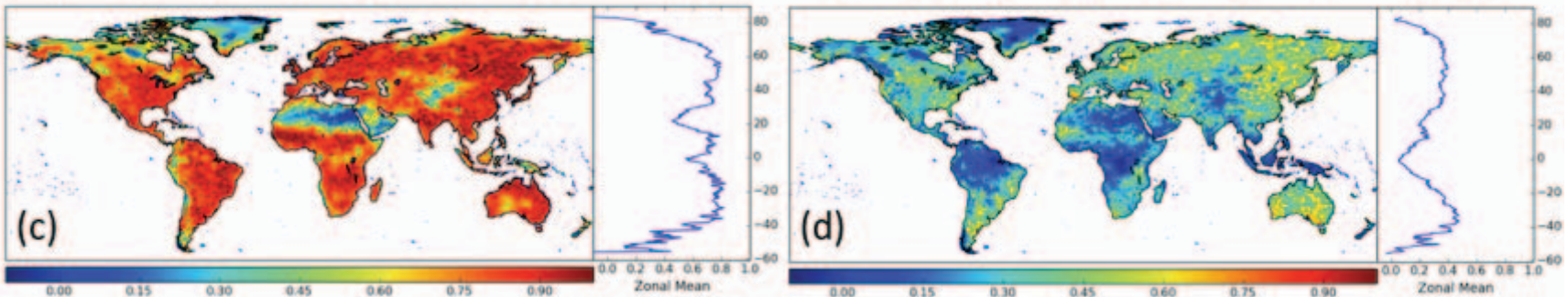
Monthly Mean

Daily Variance

2m Temp.



Precip.



Global distribution of the similarity index ( $\rho$ ) for 2001-2010 of monthly mean and variance calculated from different dataset.

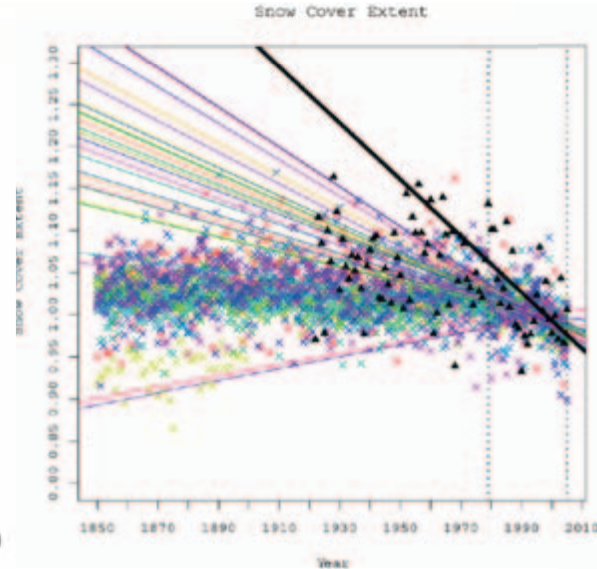
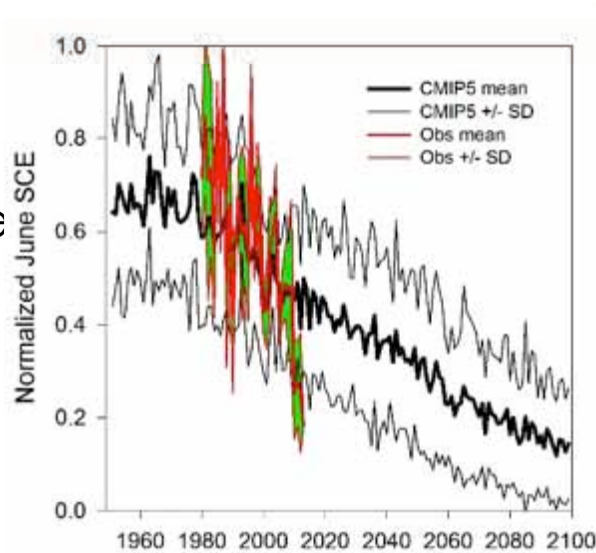
Since sharing observations to correct monthly bias, higher similarities are found in monthly mean fields than daily variance.

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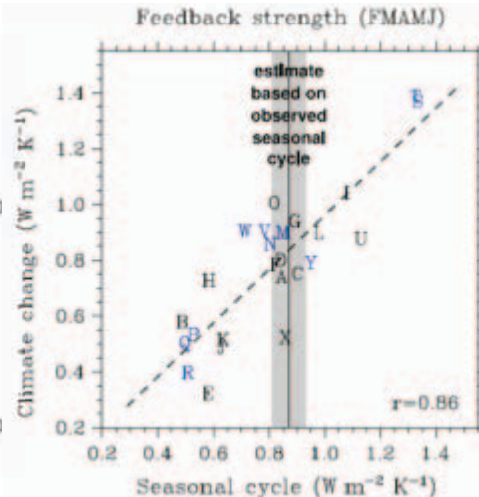
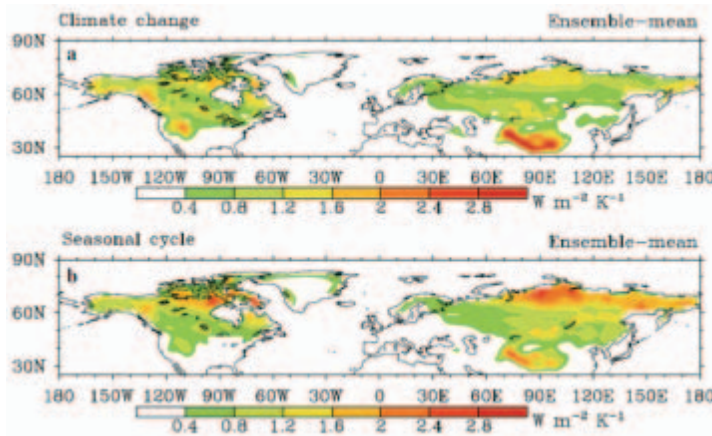
+ Ability of climate models to capture observed rates of spring snow cover reductions

Brutel-Vuilmet et al. (2012);  
 Derksen and Brown (2012):  
 CMIP5 models underestimate  
 the significant reductions in  
 spring snow cover extent  
 observed during the satellite  
 era :

## ESM-SnowMIP



+ Linkage between snow-albedo feedback and 21st century warming



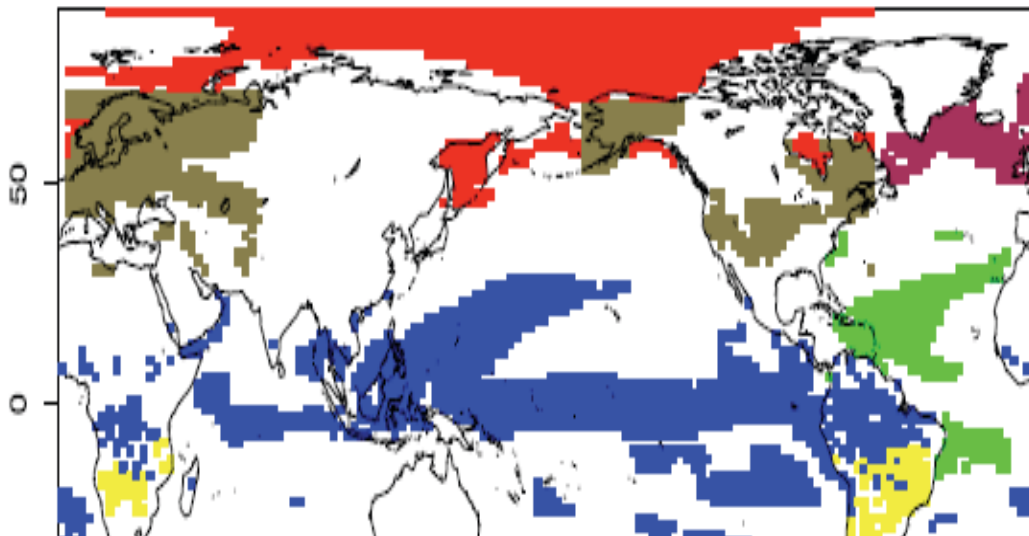
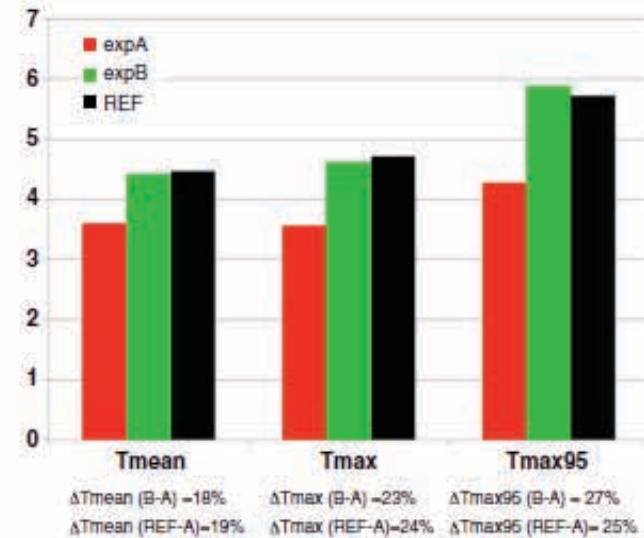
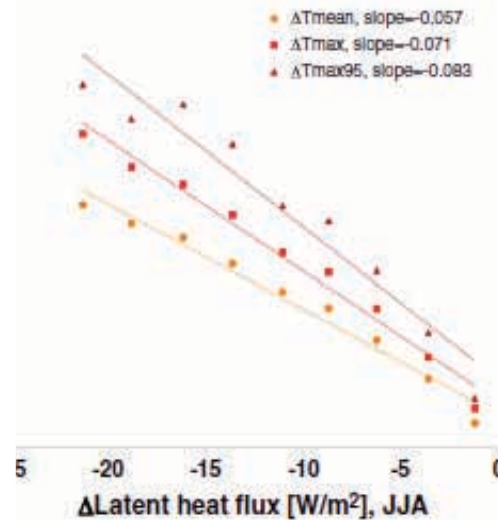
Qu and Hall (2013): The  
 spread in snow albedo  
 feedback accounts for  
 much of the CMIP5 spread  
 in the 21st century warming  
 of Northern Hemisphere  
 land masses :

## ESM-SnowMIP

# Gaps to be Filled by LS3MIP

+ Soil moisture affecting the climate change signal

Seneviratne et al (2014):  
GLACE-CMIP5 result  
showing effect of  
prescribing 20th century  
soil moisture climatology :  
**LFMIP**



+ (Seasonal) Predictability can alter in a warmer climate

Del Sole et al (2014): Changes in seasonal predictability as a result of a trade-off between more signal and more noise in a warmer world :

**LFMIP**



# Experiment Structure of LS3MIP/CMIP6



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## 1 The Land Surface, Snow and Soil moisture Model Intercomparison Program (LS3MIP):

2 aims, set-up and expected outcome

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an evaluation of the  
land processes  
representation

long-term terrestrial  
energy/water/  
carbon cycles **LMIP**

role of snow and soil  
moisture feedbacks  
to climate forcing

contribution of land  
processes to the  
predictability **LFMIP**

# Planned Timeline

**30<sup>th</sup> Nov.**

Freeze Forcing Data  
Finalize GSWP3 Protocol

**2<sup>nd</sup> Dec.**

Kick-off EXP1 (with LS3MIP) / ISI-MIP Water sector will join  
Forcing Data & Tools Available on Web

**31<sup>st</sup> Dec.**

Description Manuscript (incl. pilot results) Submitted

## 2017

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**31<sup>st</sup> Mar.**

EXP1 Results Submission Due  
Contributing Analysis Submission Due

**16 – 19<sup>th</sup> May**

Joint Workshop with ISI-MIP (possibly, L3MIP-landhist together)  
Kick-off EXP3 (**hi-res** super-ensemble; near real-time system)

31<sup>st</sup> Aug. (?)

Submission Due for Special Issue (considering IPCC 15SR ?)  
Release **GSWP3 Land Reanalysis** Fields

## 2018

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**Feb.**

Annual Report (e.g., to State of the Climate/BAMS)

## Current Archive for EXP1 Pilot Phase

+ Received preliminary results from

**NCAR (CLM4.5: 29 monthly vars; 1970-2010),**

**ETH (WBM- $R_{net}$ UT: 4 daily vars; 1901-2009)**

ETH (WBM- $R_{net}$ SRB: 4 daily vars; 1984-2010)

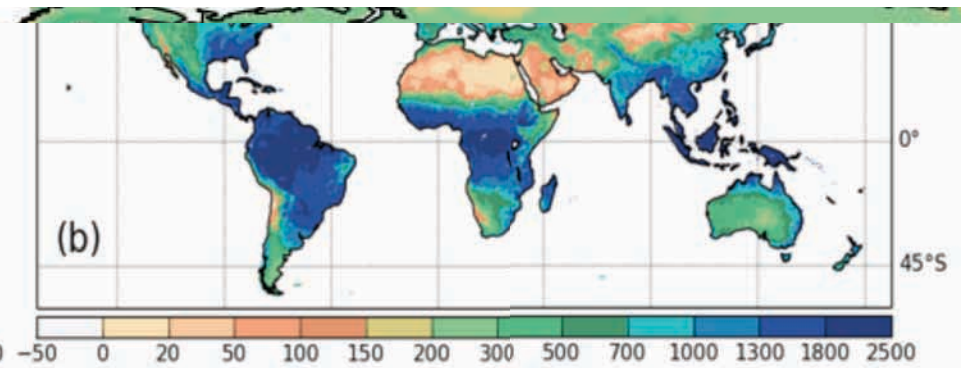
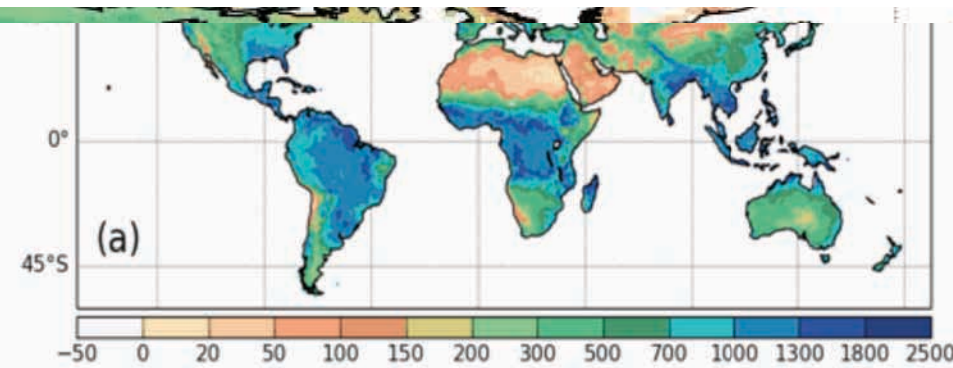
**U-Tokyo (MATSIRO: 41 daily vars; 1901-2010)**

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**MeteoFrance (ISBA: 57 monthly vars; 1901-2010)**

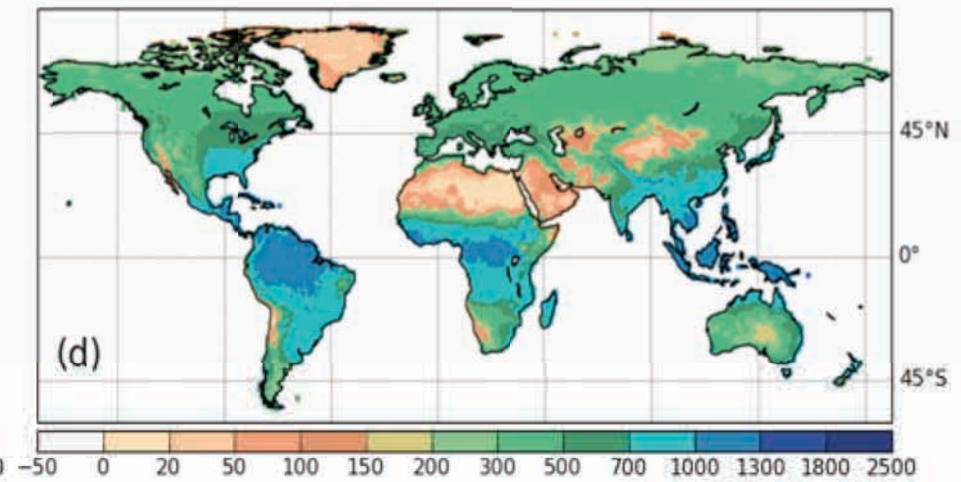
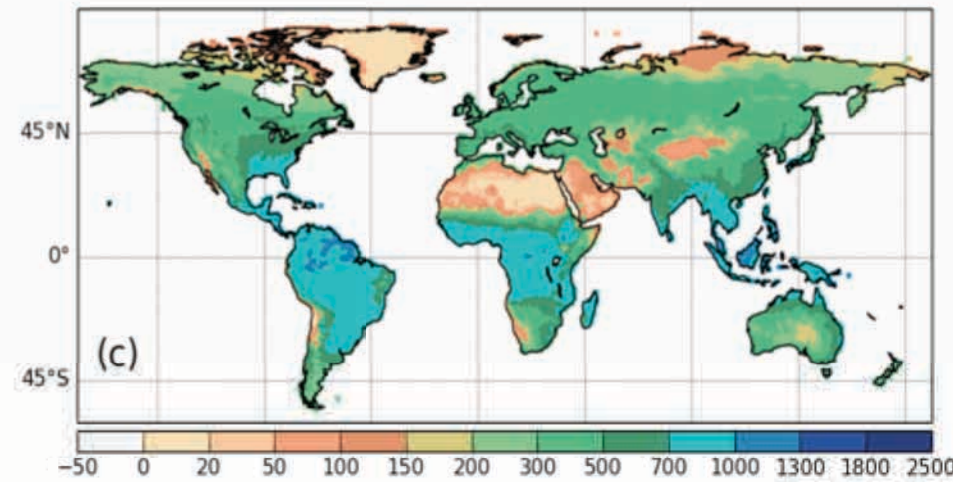


# Intercomparison at the First Glance



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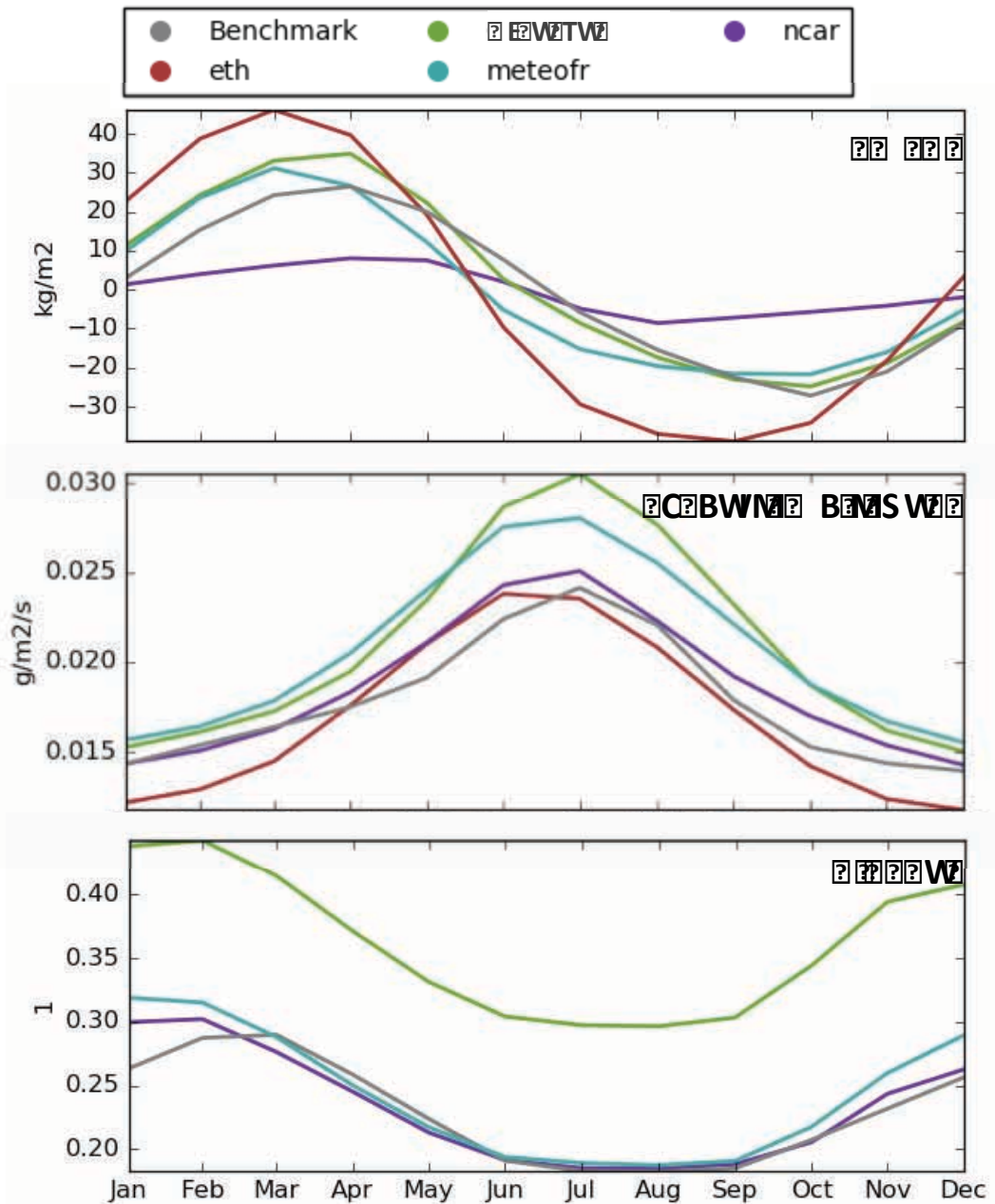
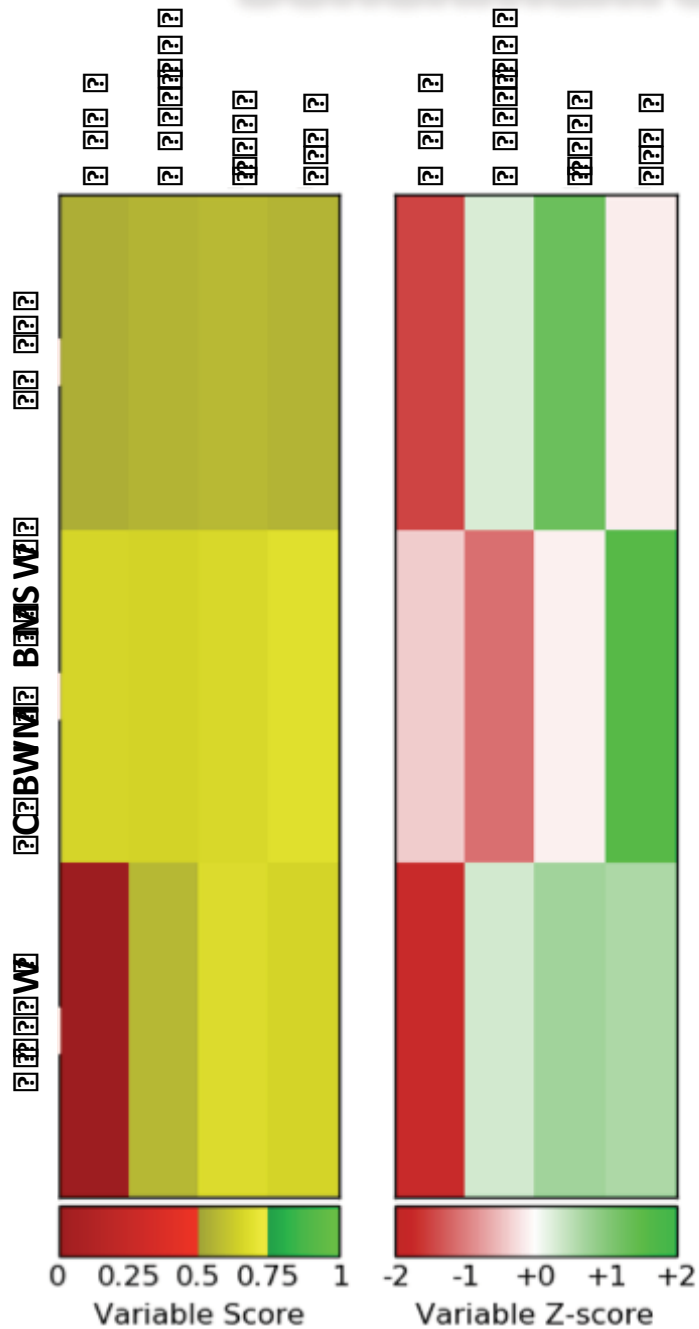
CLM4.5



ETH with Rnet<sub>MATSIRO</sub>

ETH with Rnet<sub>SRB</sub>

# Benchmark of Pilot Results Using ILAMB



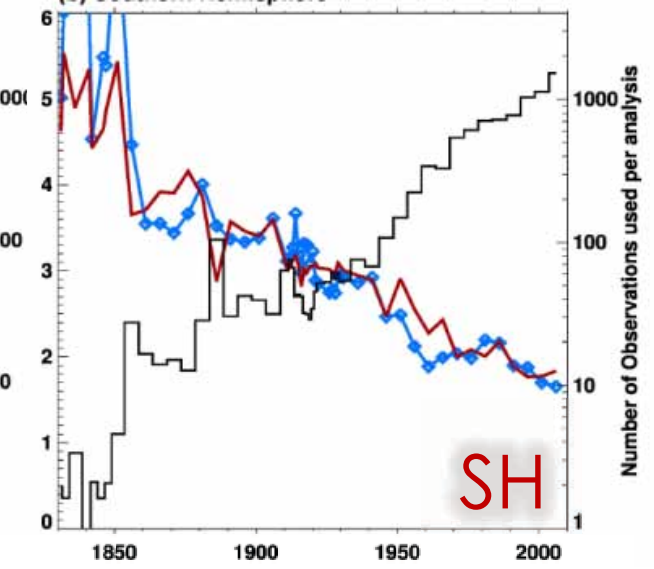
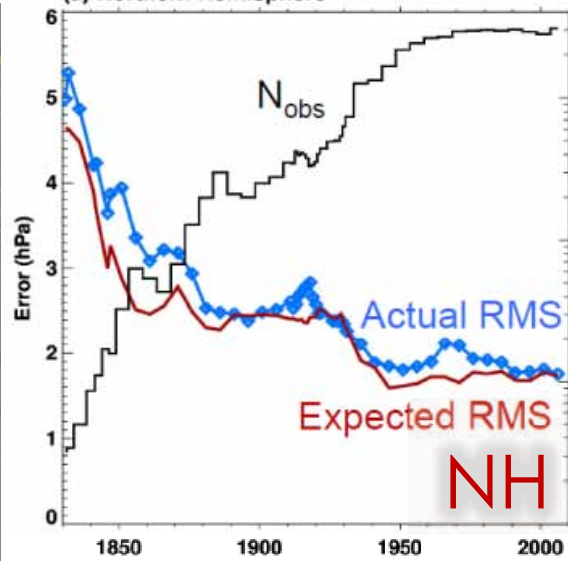
20<sup>th</sup> Century Reanalysis v2c

2000

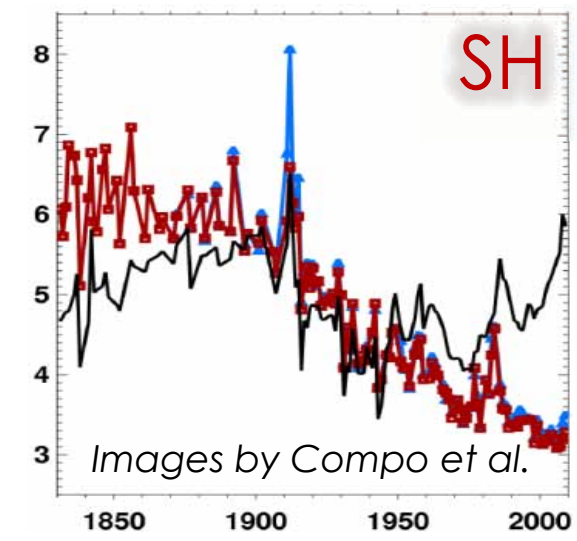
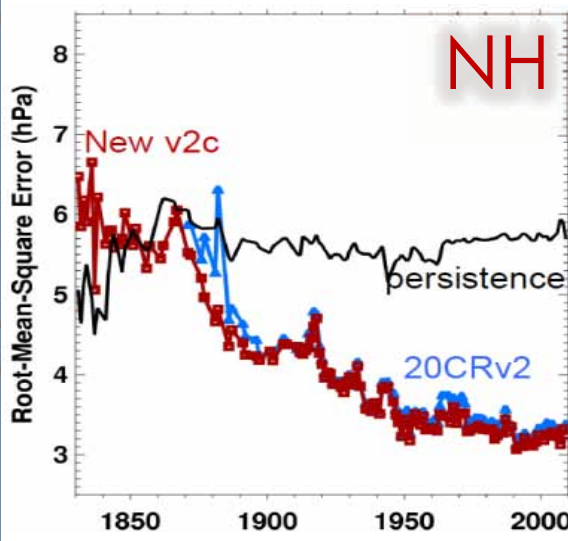
1950

1900

1850



Uncertainty consistency through three order of magnitude changes in observation network



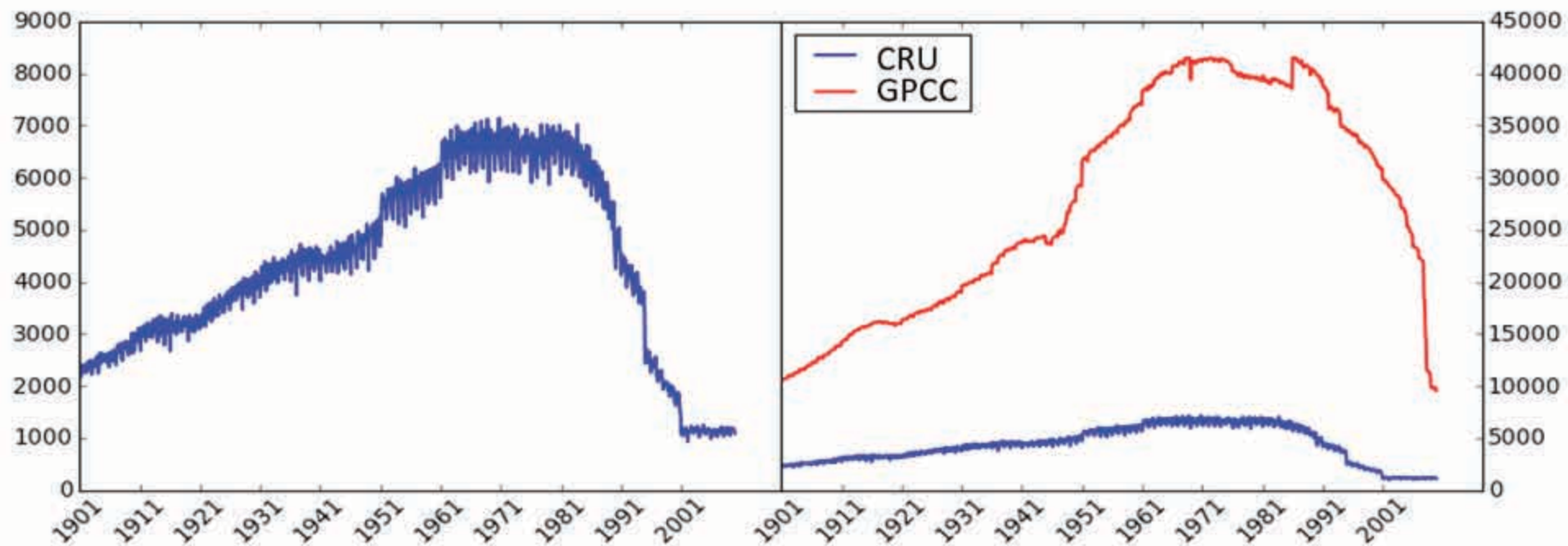
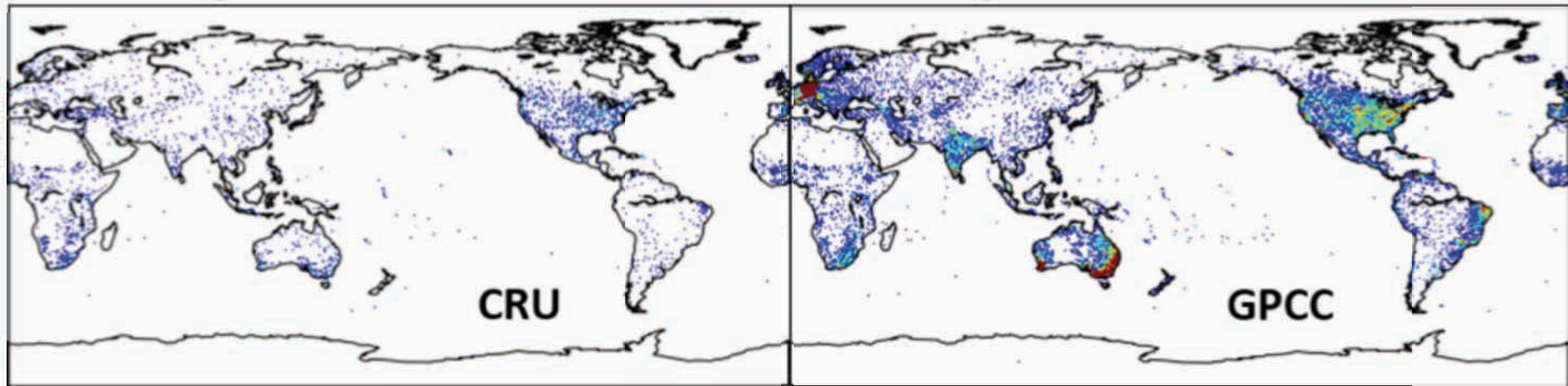
24 hr forecast of 20CR beats in NH (comparable to in SH) persistence forecast using NRA

Images by Compo et al.

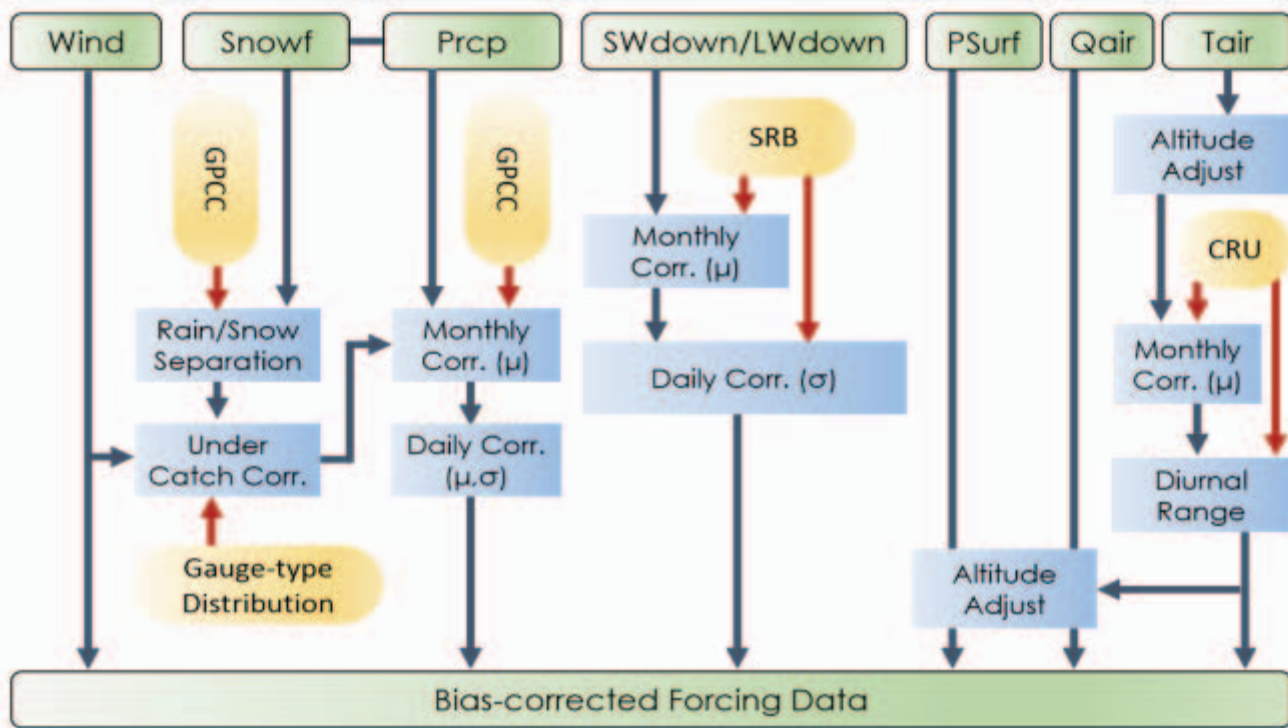
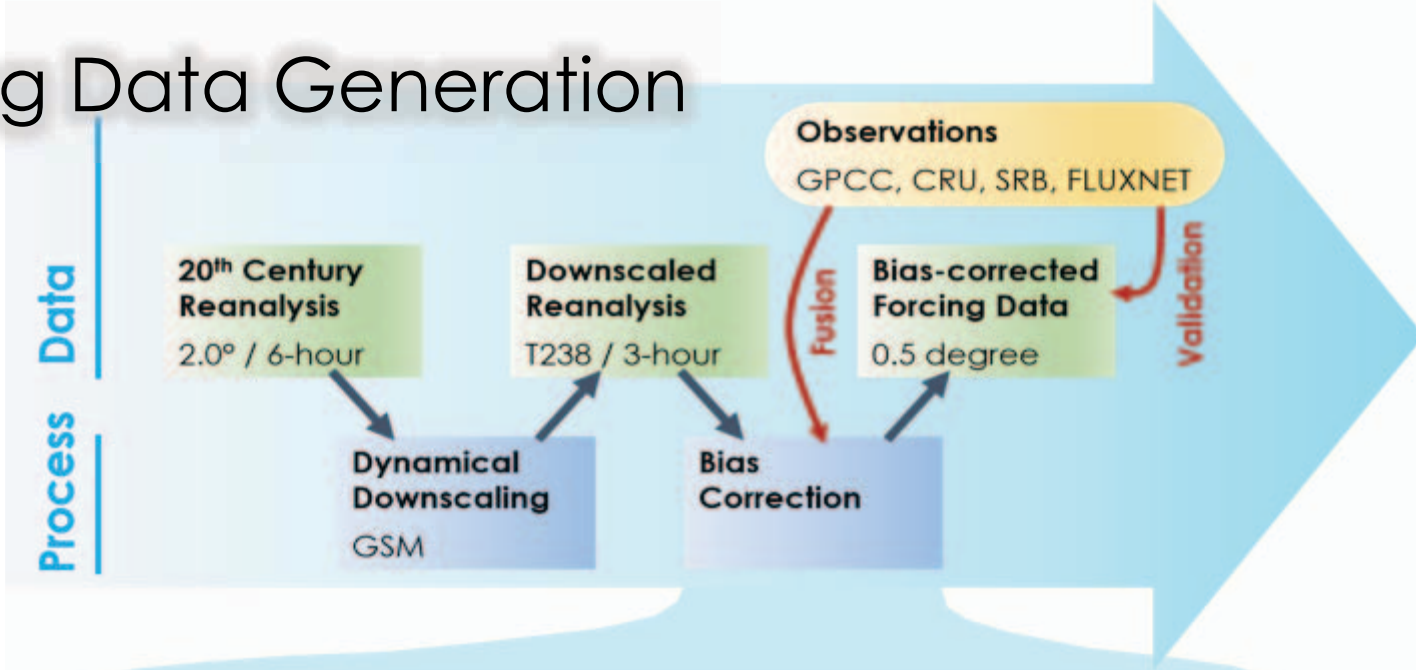




# Density of Gauge Station Network: CRU vs GPCP

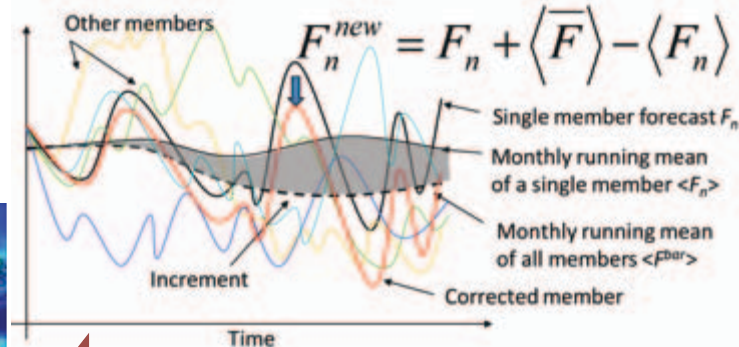


# Forcing Data Generation



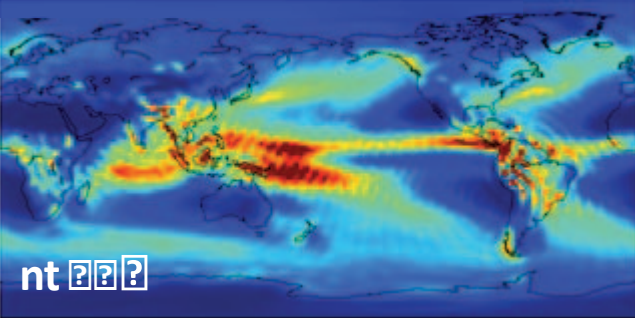
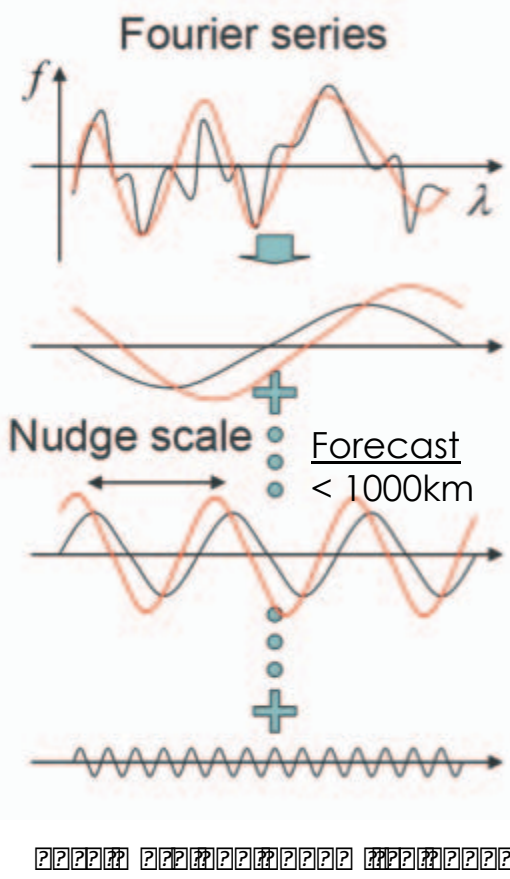


# Spectral Nudging for Global Dynamical Downscaling



Incremental Correction of Single Member

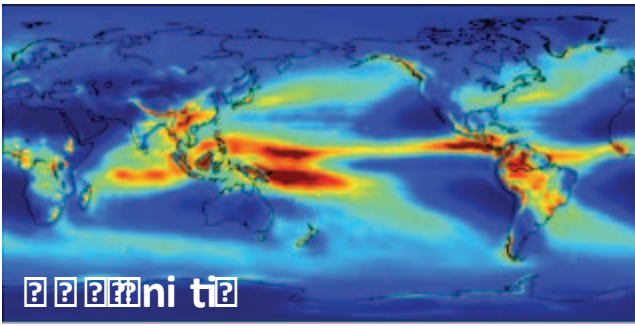
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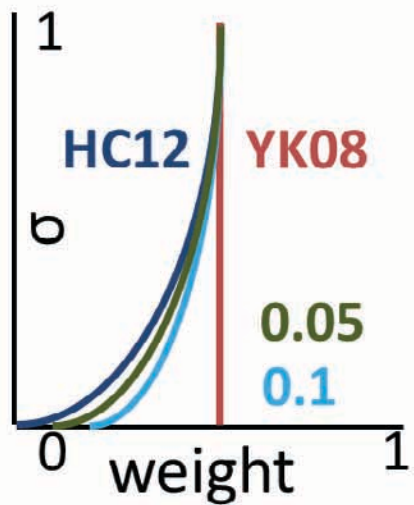
Nudging  
U, V, T, P

$$f_{(\lambda, \phi)} = \sum_{m=-M}^{m=M} A_{(m, \phi)} e^{im\lambda}, \text{ with}$$

$$A_{(m, \phi)} = \begin{cases} A_{f(m, \phi)} & \left( |m| > \frac{2\pi R_E \cos \phi}{L} \right) \\ \frac{1}{\alpha + 1} [A_{f(m, \phi)} + \alpha A_{a(m, \phi)}] & \left( |m| \leq \frac{2\pi R_E \cos \phi}{L} \right) \end{cases}$$



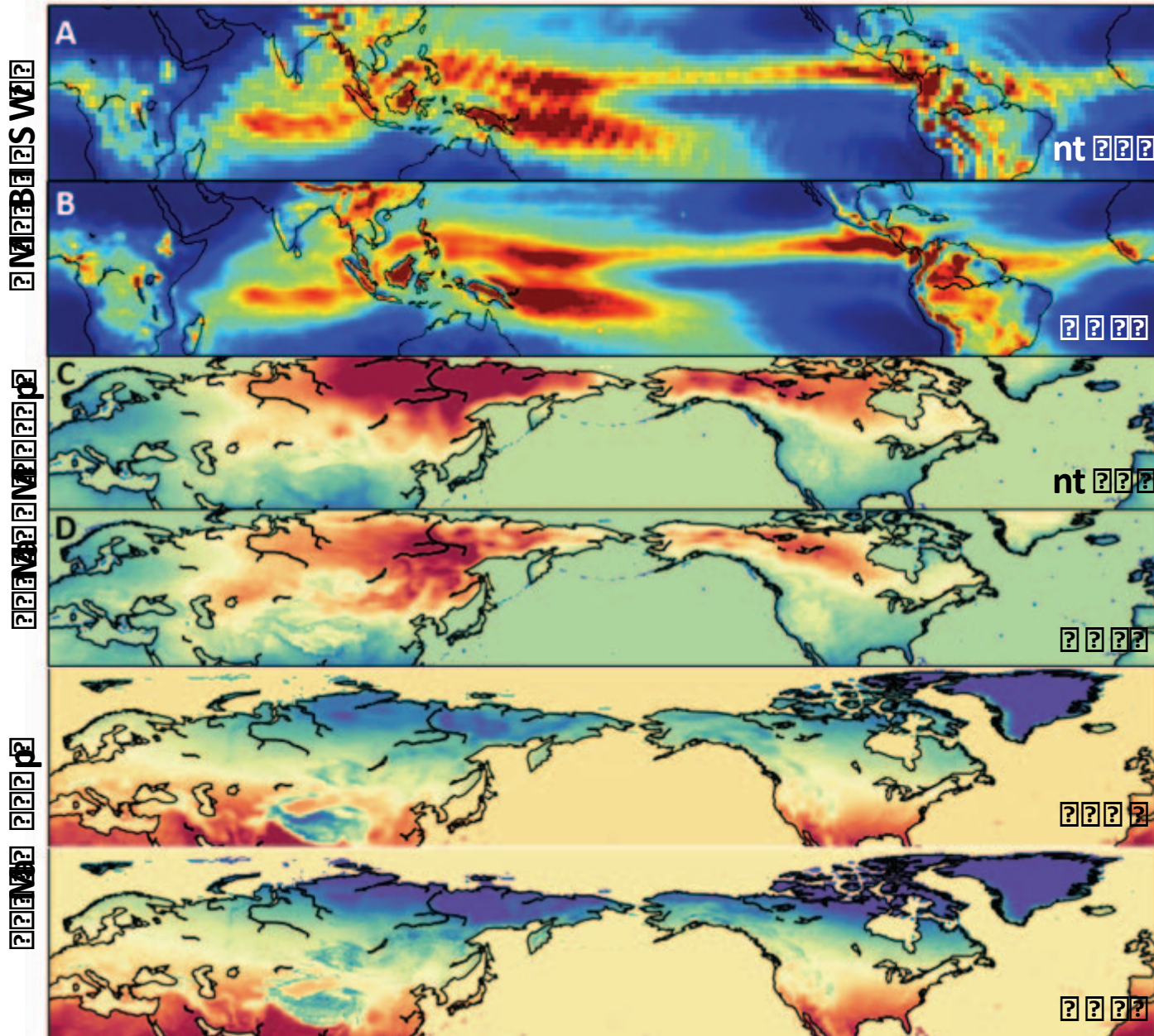
Vertically Weighted Damping Coef.



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Successfully generate high frequency signals preserving low frequency background.  
Effectively relieves ripple-like pattern (an artifact of 20CR due to high-res. topography mismatch)

# Reduce Gibbs Phenomena & Added Values

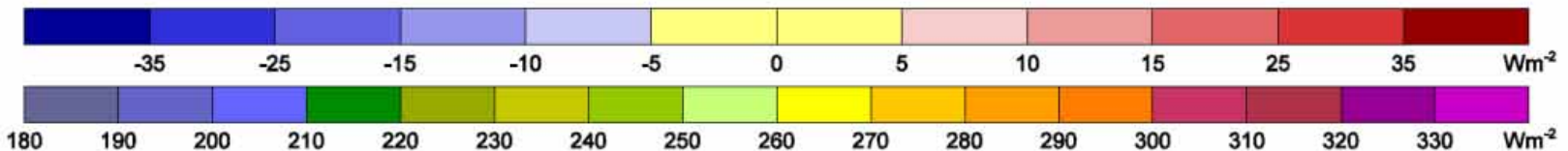
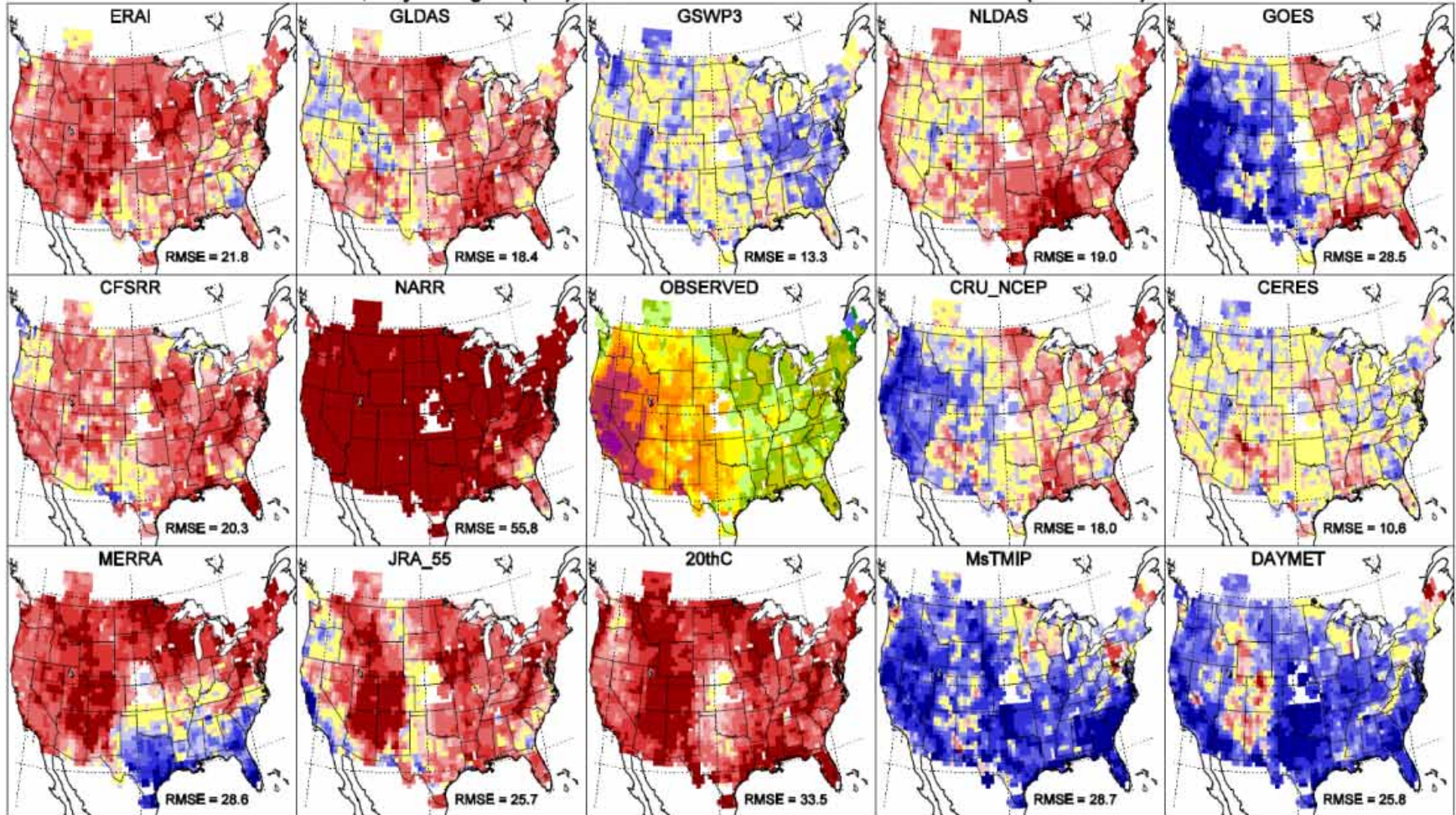




# Downward Solar Radiation

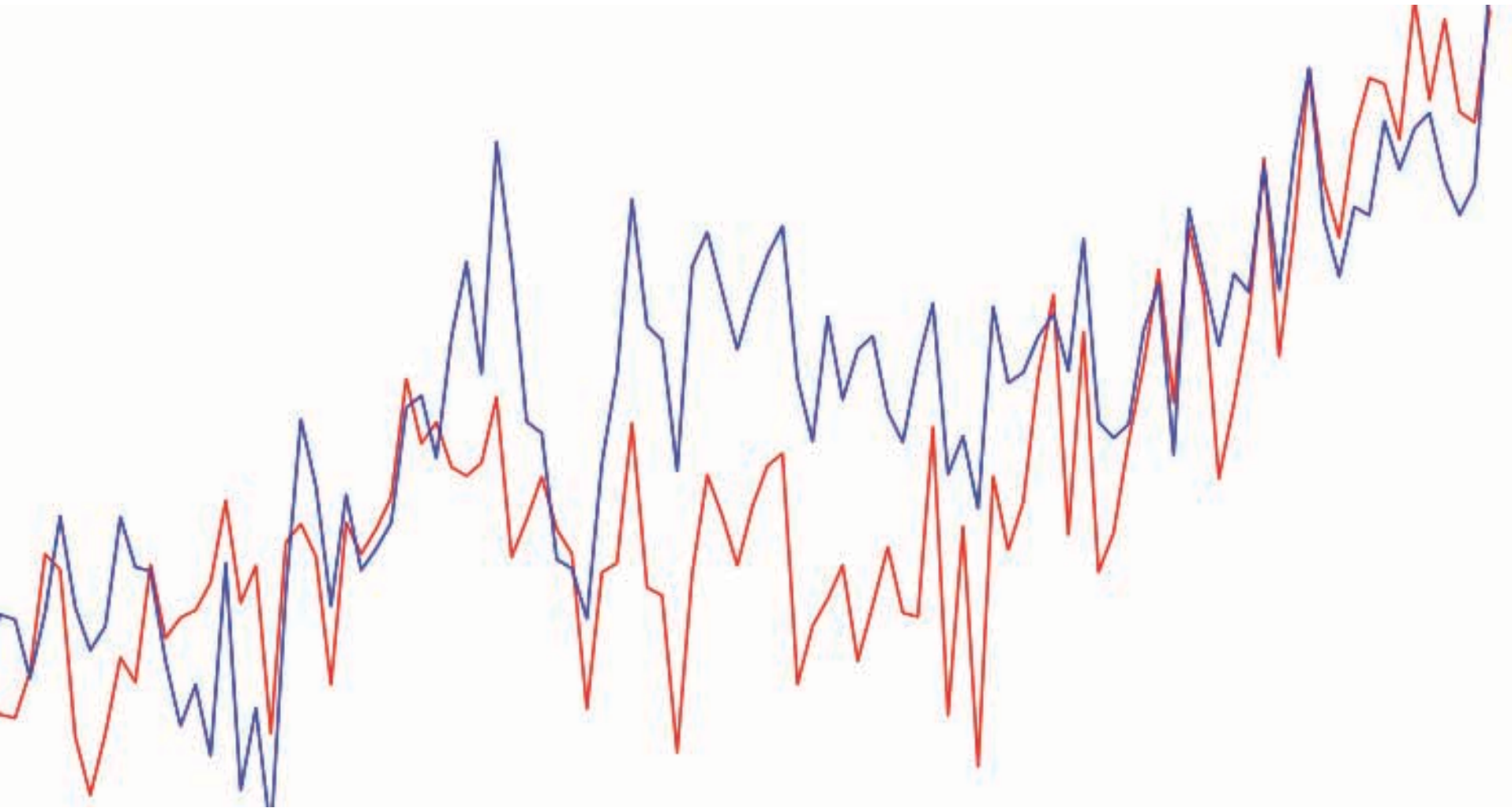
+ Relatively small bias of solar radiation

June, July & August (JJA) Mean Difference in Surface Solar Radiation (2000-2010)





# Long-term Trends of Temperature and LWdown



# Status of Forcing Data and Feedbacks

- \* Downscaled 20CR is available up to 1871.
- \* Downscaling back to 1831 will be finished by ~ 20<sup>th</sup> October

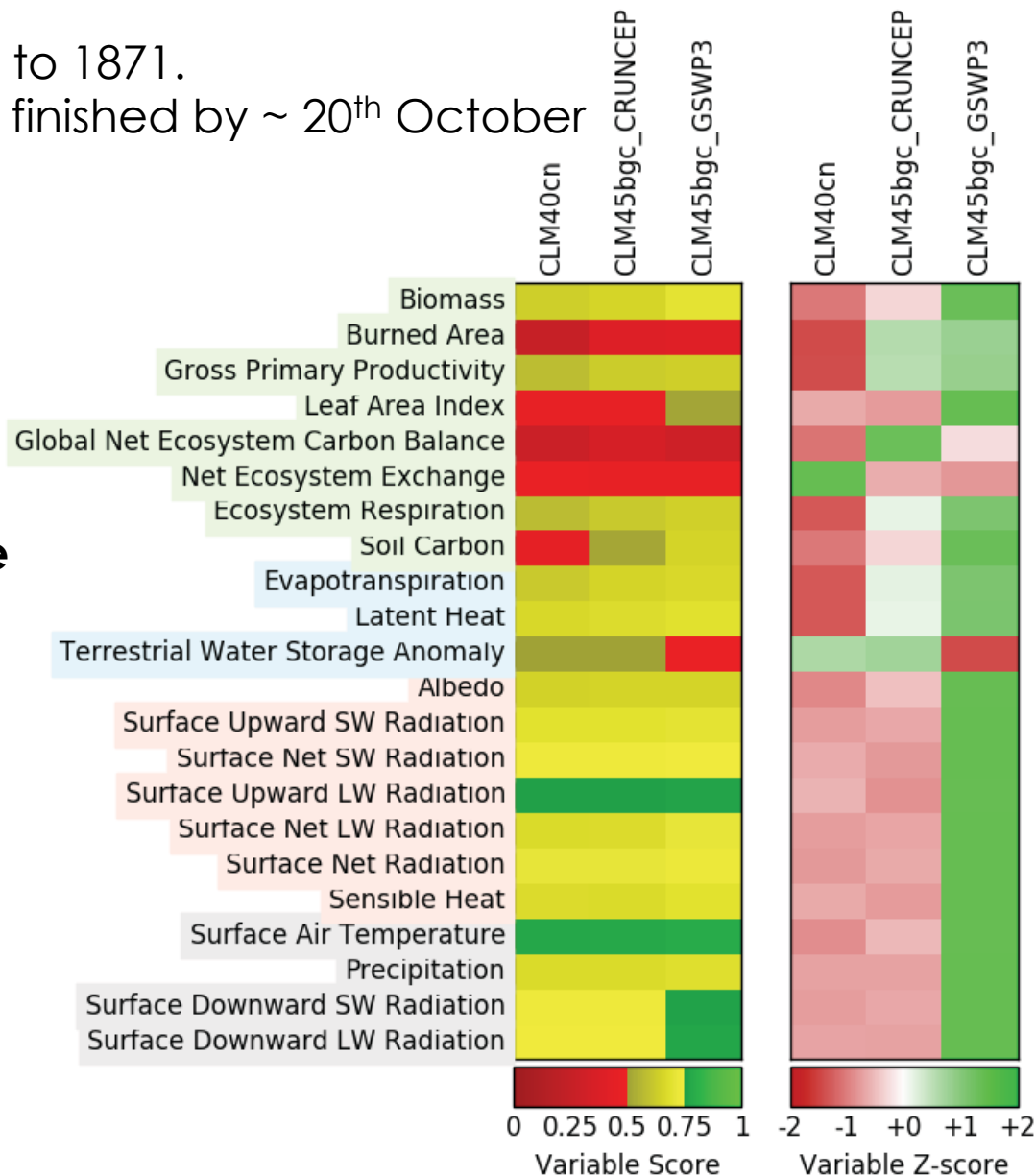
\* **Specify cell-method (Jan)**  
 : attribute will be added  
 : e.g., mean(center)

\* **Dry Tropics**  
 (Bertrand, David, Stefan)  
 : testing using CRU vapor pressure

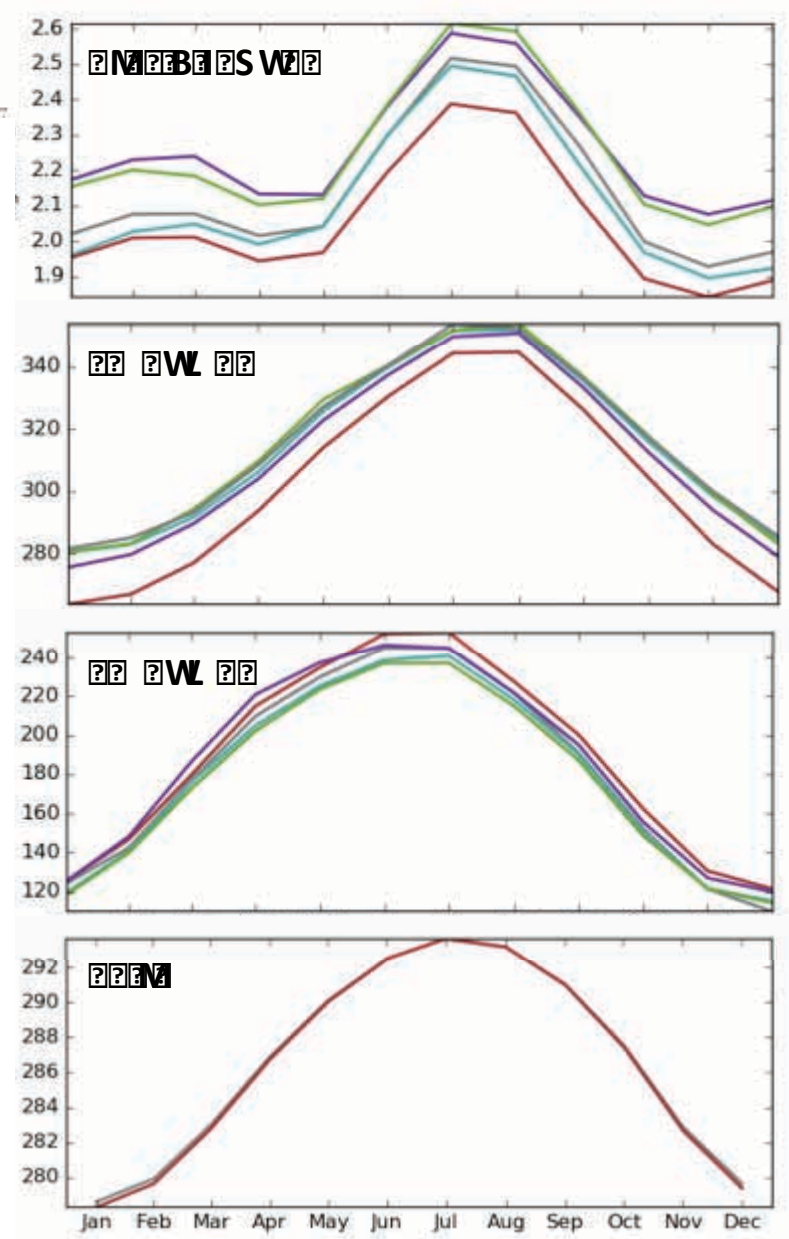
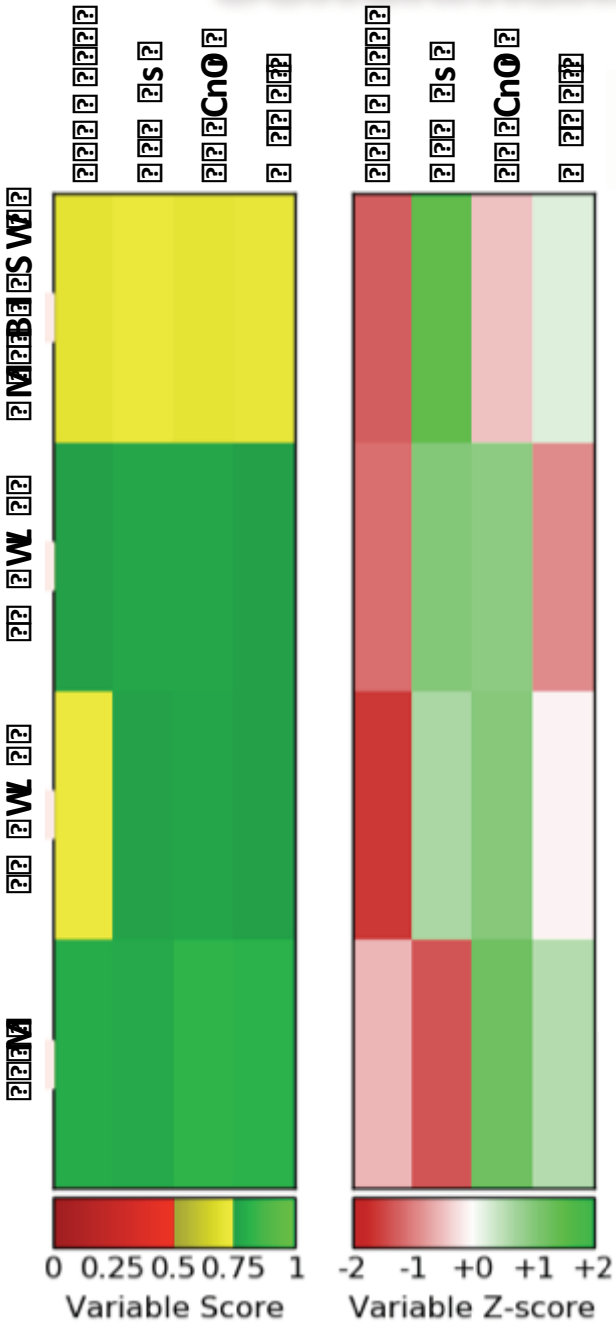
\* **Supersaturation High-latitudes**  
 (ECMWF, David)

\* **Strong trend of precipitation over high-latitudes during early 20<sup>th</sup> Century** (David)

\* **Relatively strong surface wind speed** (Hyungjun)



# Benchmark of Forcing Data Using ILAMB



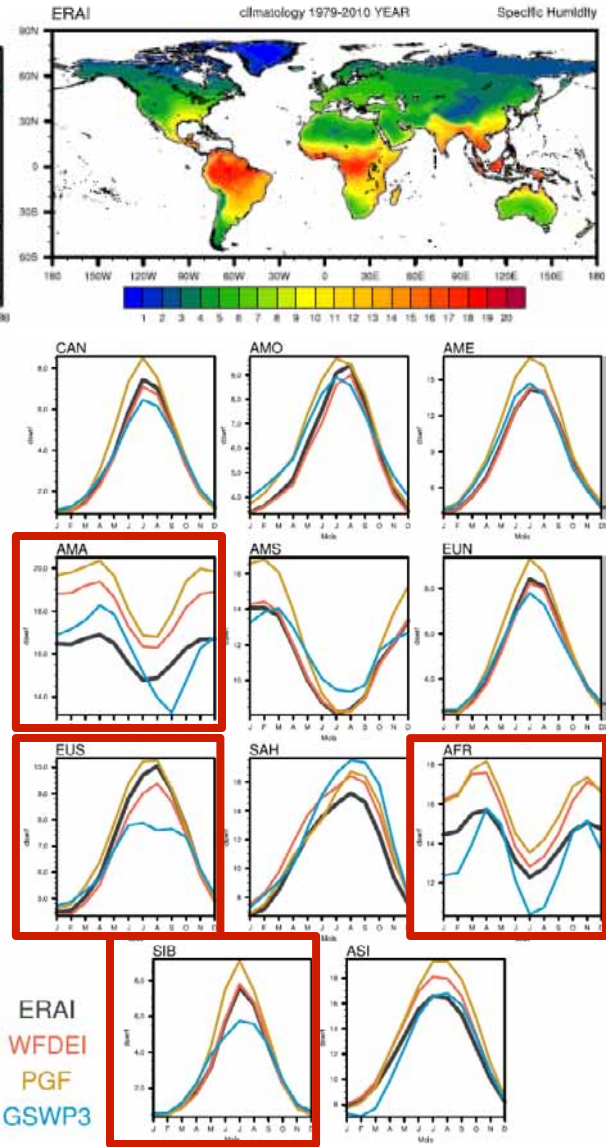
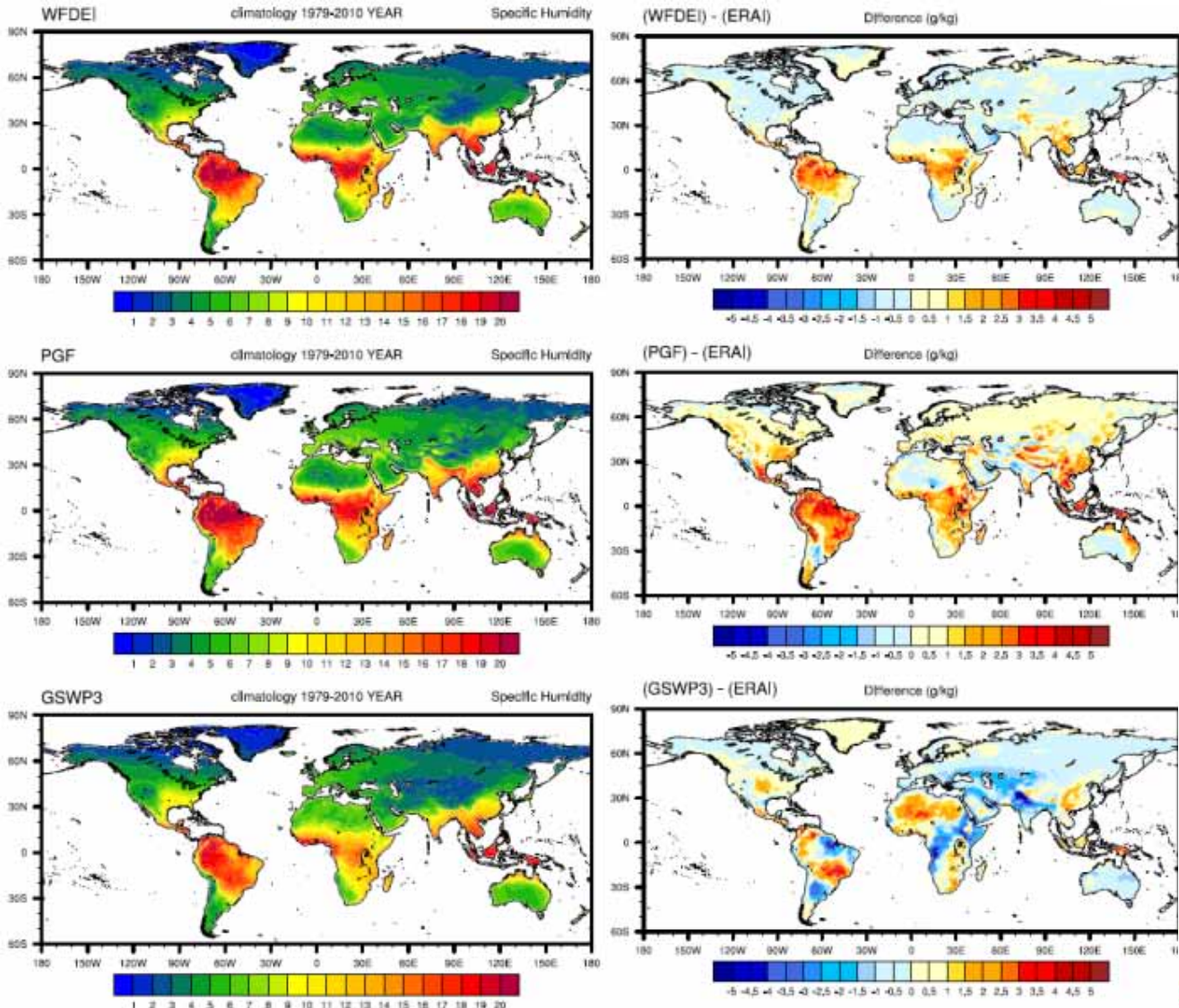
- CRUNCEP
- GSWP3
- PGFV2.1
- WATCH+WFDEI
- Benchmark



# Dry Bias? in Humidity of Tropics

## Potential Solutions

1. Using CRU vapor pressure
2. Using Reanalysis data

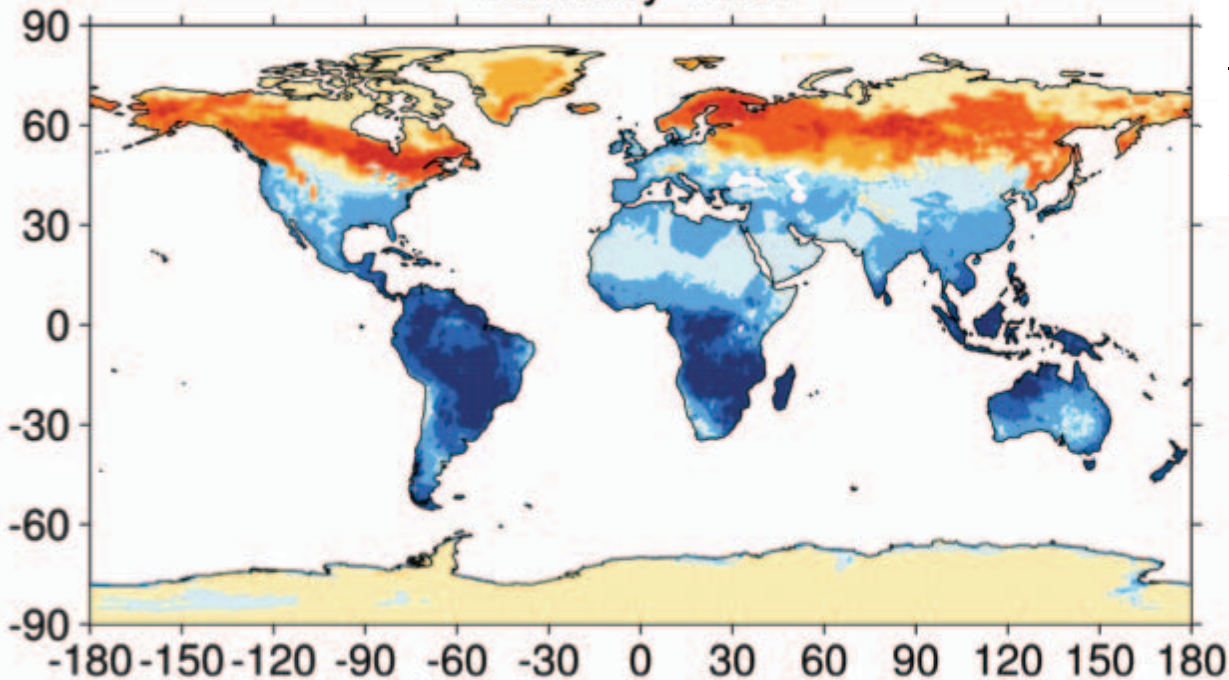


Courtesy of Bertrand Decharme

# Wet Bias? in Humidity of High Latitudes

Persistent too large dew deposition at high northern latitudes over regions dominated by high vegetation, caused by oversaturation in atmospheric forcing fields and/or lack of feedback to reduce near-surface humidity.

January 1902



## Potential Solutions

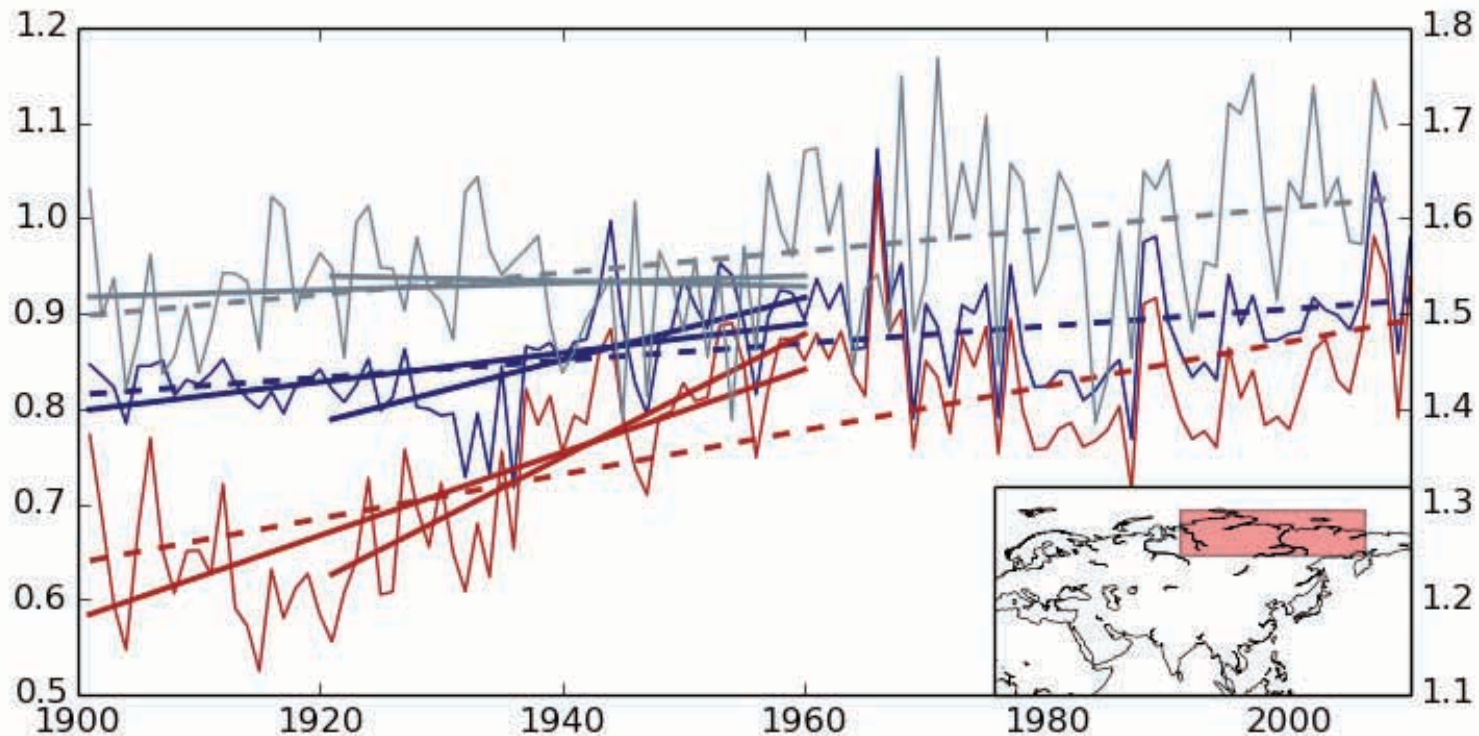
1. Remove DTR correction
2. Clip higher than  $Q_{air\_sat}$

Latent Heat Flux ( $\text{Wm}^{-2}$ )



# Preliminary Results and Known Problems

+ Spurious(?) trend at high latitude in early 20<sup>th</sup> Century

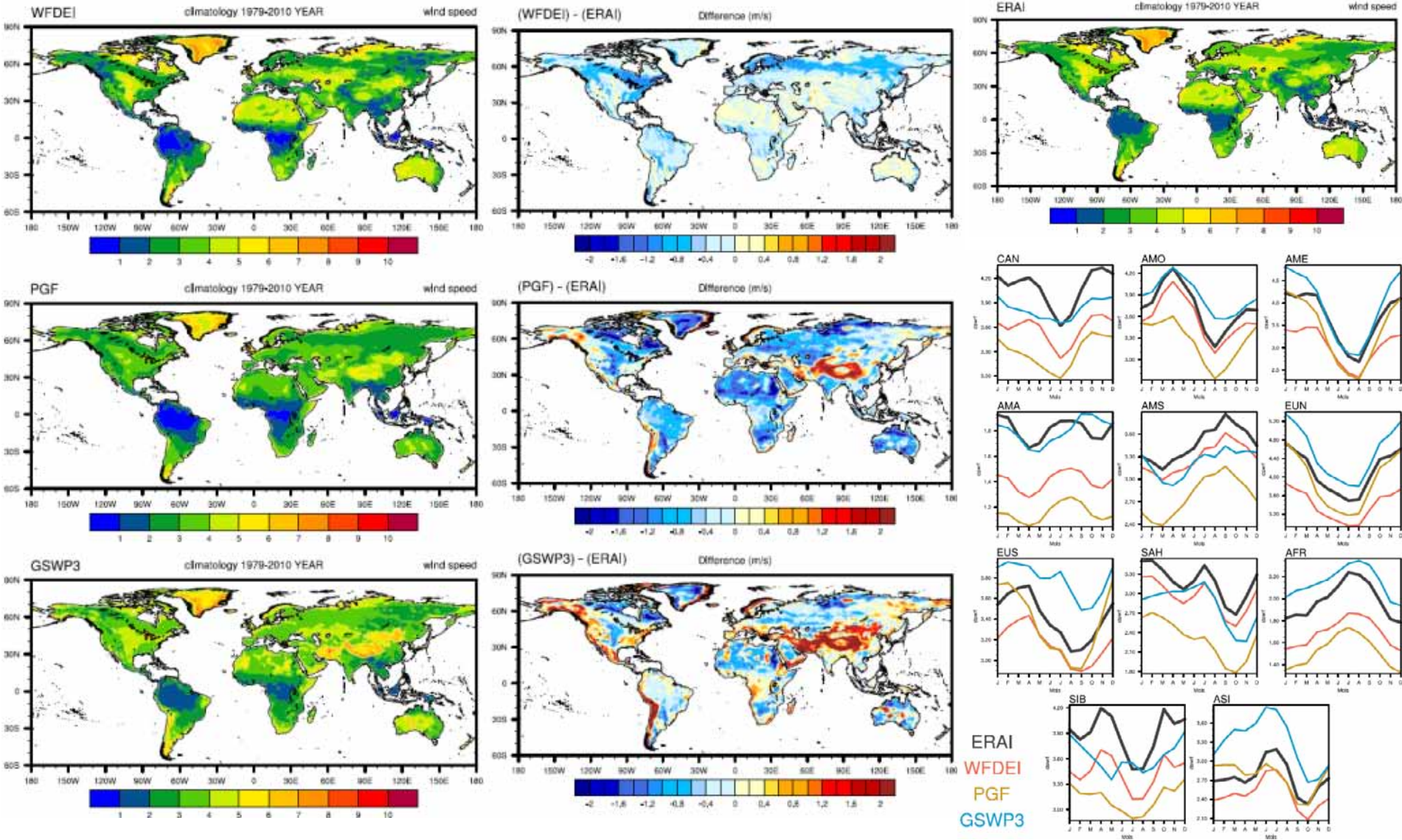


## Potential Solutions

1. Refer to GHCN to estimate bias in the reanalysis data



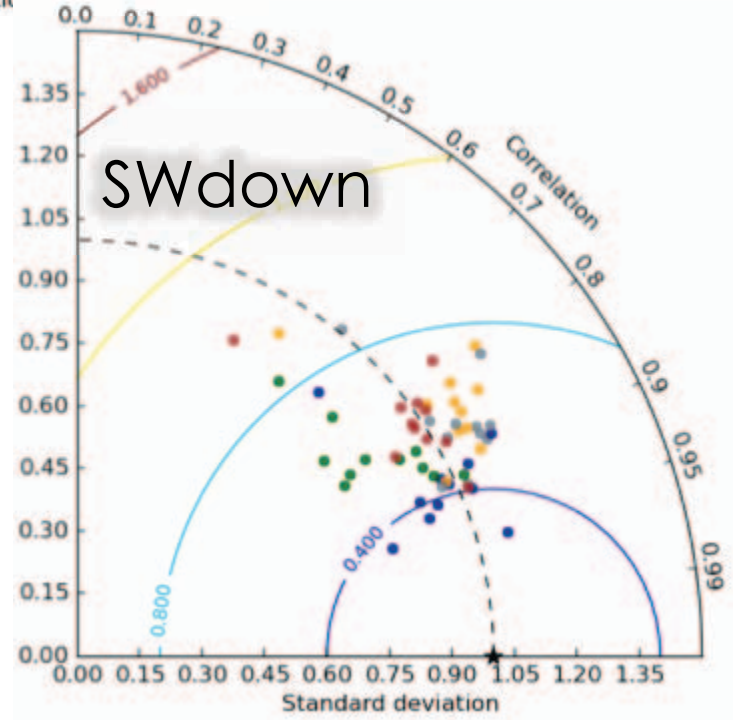
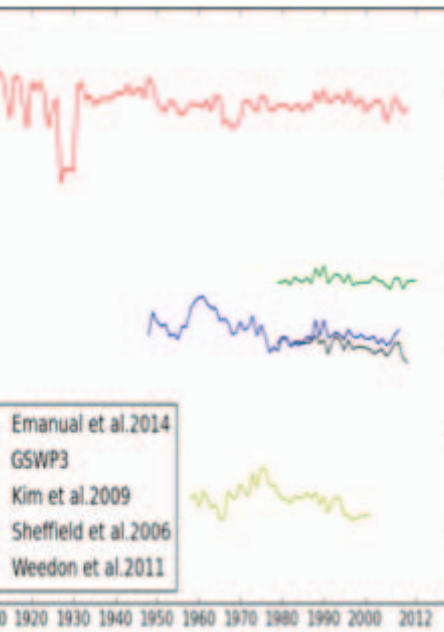
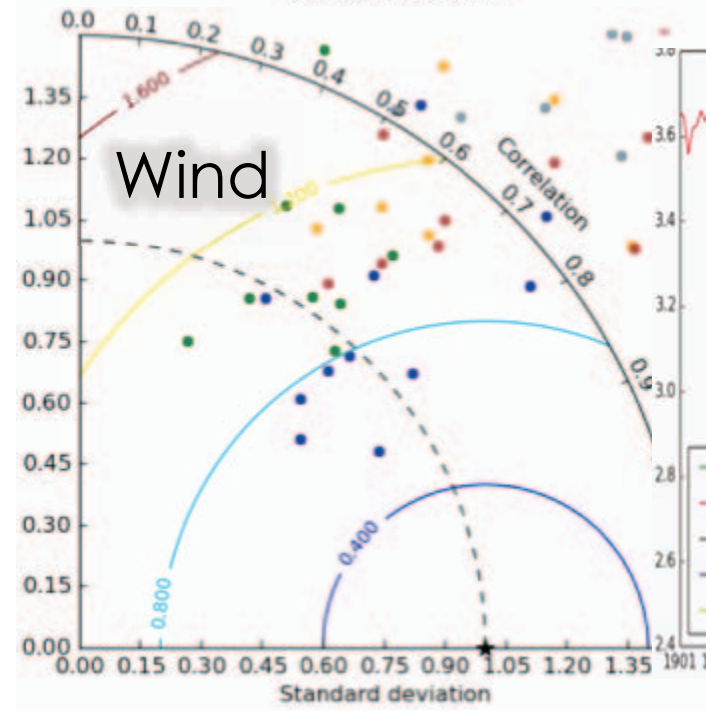
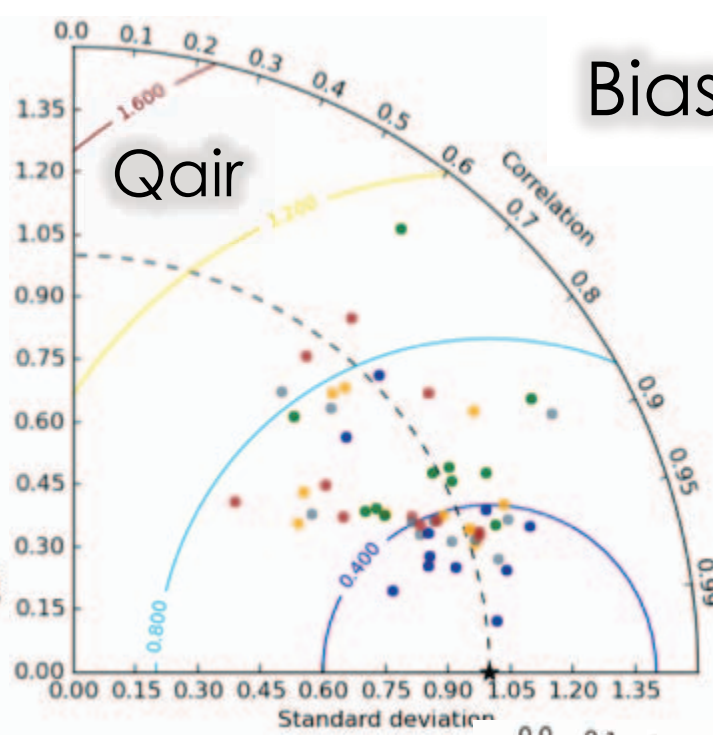
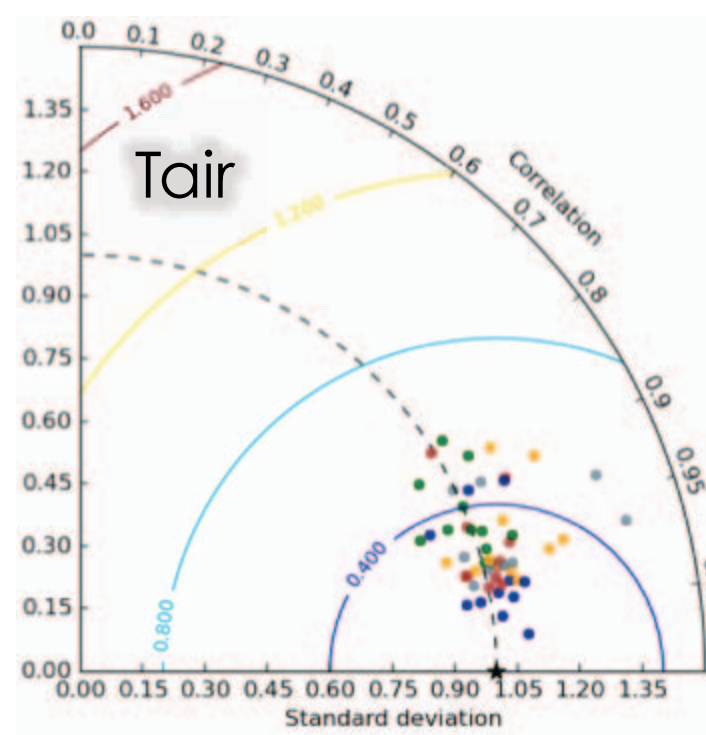
# Wind Speed



Courtesy of Bertrand Decharme

# Bias Correction

- / GSWP3 /
- / GSM248 /
- / 20CR /
- / Princeton /
- / WFD /





# Variables and Naming Conventions

## 1. requested variables

- We are asking 4 tables (3 new and 1 subset of existing):

+ LEday (energy) 31 vars (16 tier1)

+ LWday (water) 61 vars (17 tier1)

+ LCmon (carbon) 26 vars (18 tier1; subset of Lmon)

+ L3hr (forcing) 15 vars (9 tier1)

= 133 variables (60 tier1)

Priority:

1. associated with at least one science question for Tier 1 experiments (similar to Mandatory in ALMA)

2. for multi-model diagnostics; partly omitted from the inter-comparison when not submit (similar to Recommended in ALMA)

3. for exploring new capabilities and/or unlikely to be used in multi-model diagnostic (similar to Optional in ALMA)



# Why We Keep ALMA?

## !! Intuitively understandable !!

Still has a larger set in land surface processes  
cf convention does not deal with variable names  
Does not require re-write entire file

## Extending GLASSy Lexicon to be Interim Between Existing Conventions

\* CamelCase vs snake\_case for extension

: sub-properties

: e.g., land-use, PFT, Water management, ...

\* Extension for water management

: refer to the ISI-MIP variable requests

: e.g., pirrww – Irrigation Water Demand (=potential withdrawal)

airrww – Actual Irrigation Water Withdrawal

pirruse – Potential Irrigation Water Consumption

: Pot (Potential), Irr (irrigation), WW (Water Withdrawal), Use (Water Use)

pirrww

airrww

pirruse

airruse

PotIrrWW

IrrWW

PotIrrUse

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# Some Thoughts between ALMA/CMIP

+ Follow CMOR filename

e.g., ./Qsb\_GSWP3\_CLM45\_E1FT\_r1i1p1\_1851-2010.nc  
: Subsurface runoff in Lmon

<var_name>_	/* Qsb_
<MIP table>_	GSWP3_
<model>_	CLM45_
<exp>_	E1FT_
<ens_member>	r1i1p1
[_<temp_subset>_	_1851-2010
<geo_info>	
.nc	.nc */

+ Develop ALMA – CMOR conversion filter and web interface

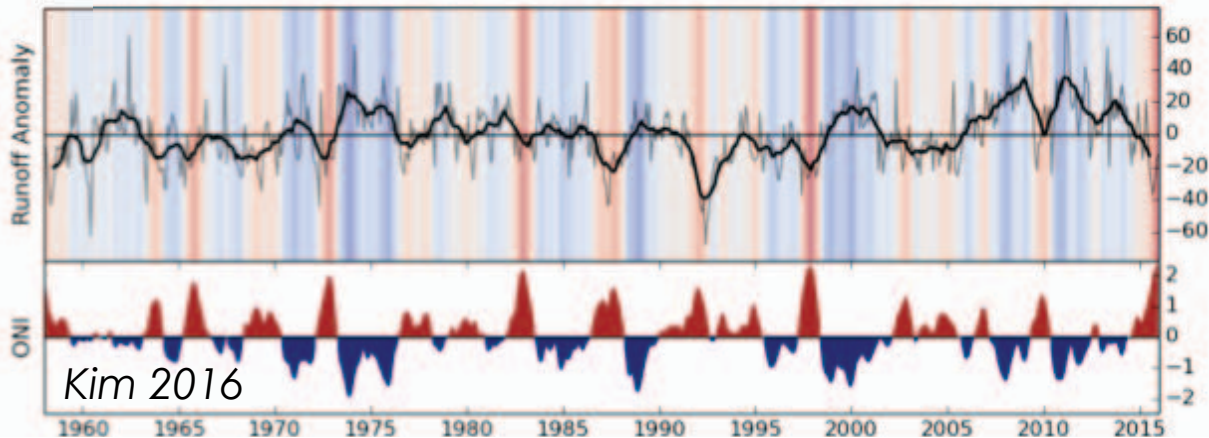
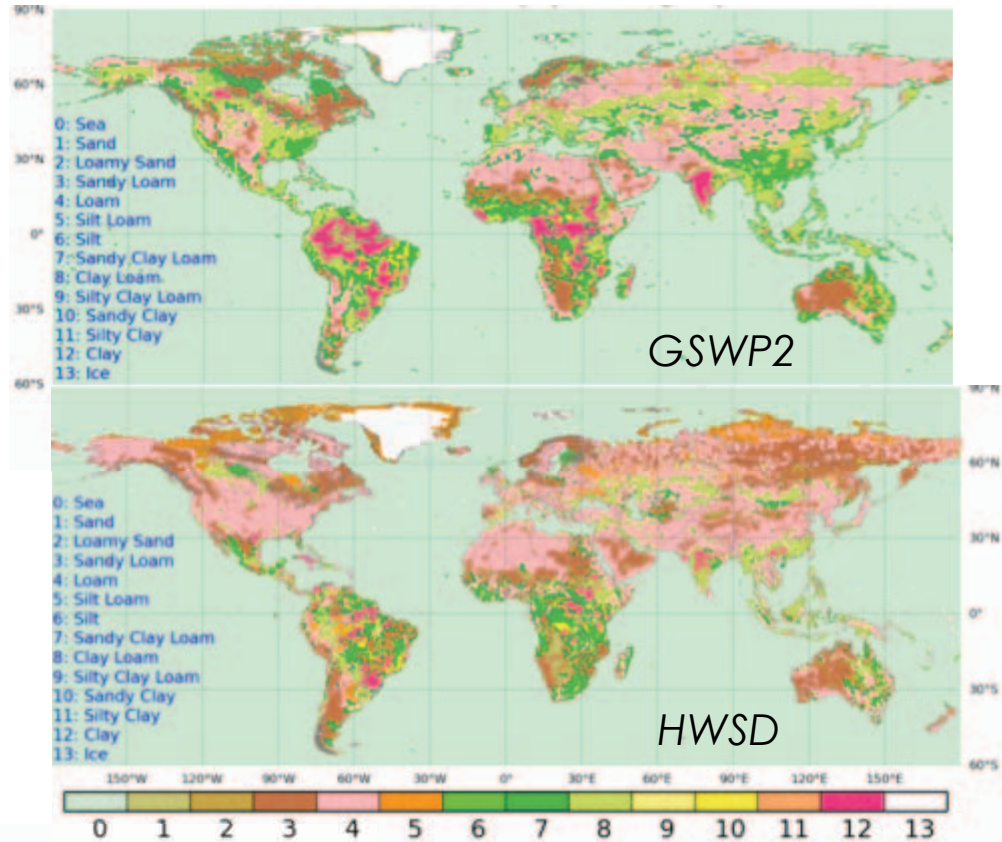
# Model Initialization

- \* Spin-up is a standard method to Initialize each model.
- \* Thershold to check equilibrium condition to be determined by each modeling group.
- \* Data for spin-up will be generated based on 1831 – 1850
  - Will be detrended if needed.
- \* If a model needs longer spin-up than 20-year, use this period repeatedly.
- \* If a model needs shorter spin-up, use later years.

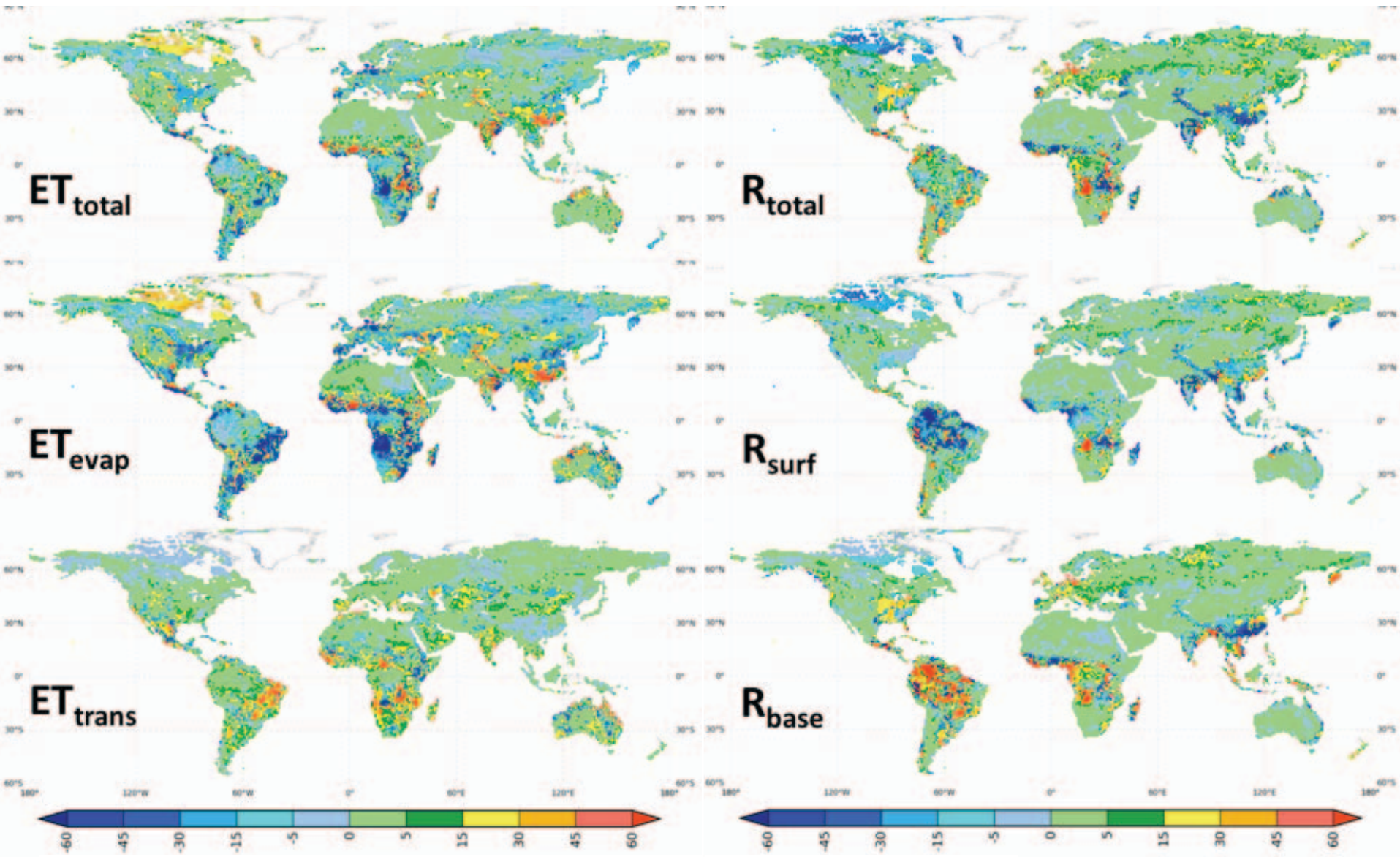


# Other Concerns

- \* Land Use / Land Cover Changes
  - : CMIP6 land forcing
  - : Irrigation map (ISI-MIP)
- \* Soil map
  - : Prepared based on HWSD
  - : Let modeling group decide
- \* Extension with PLUMBER/PALS?
  - : Additional 1D experiments using GSWP3 global dataset (ESM-SnowMIP)
- \* Potential Contribution to OMIP?



# Sensitivity to Soil Parameters



\* Being involved in sub-partitioning rather than ET and R