

# The global hydrological and water resources model PCR-GLOBWB 2



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Hydrology as in most global hydrological models



# Hydrology in reality



# Research objective

Develop a high-resolution water resources model

- That is accurate, both in quantity and quality
- Can attribute to scenario studies
- Includes human-water interaction
- Is publicly available

Globally available locally relevant



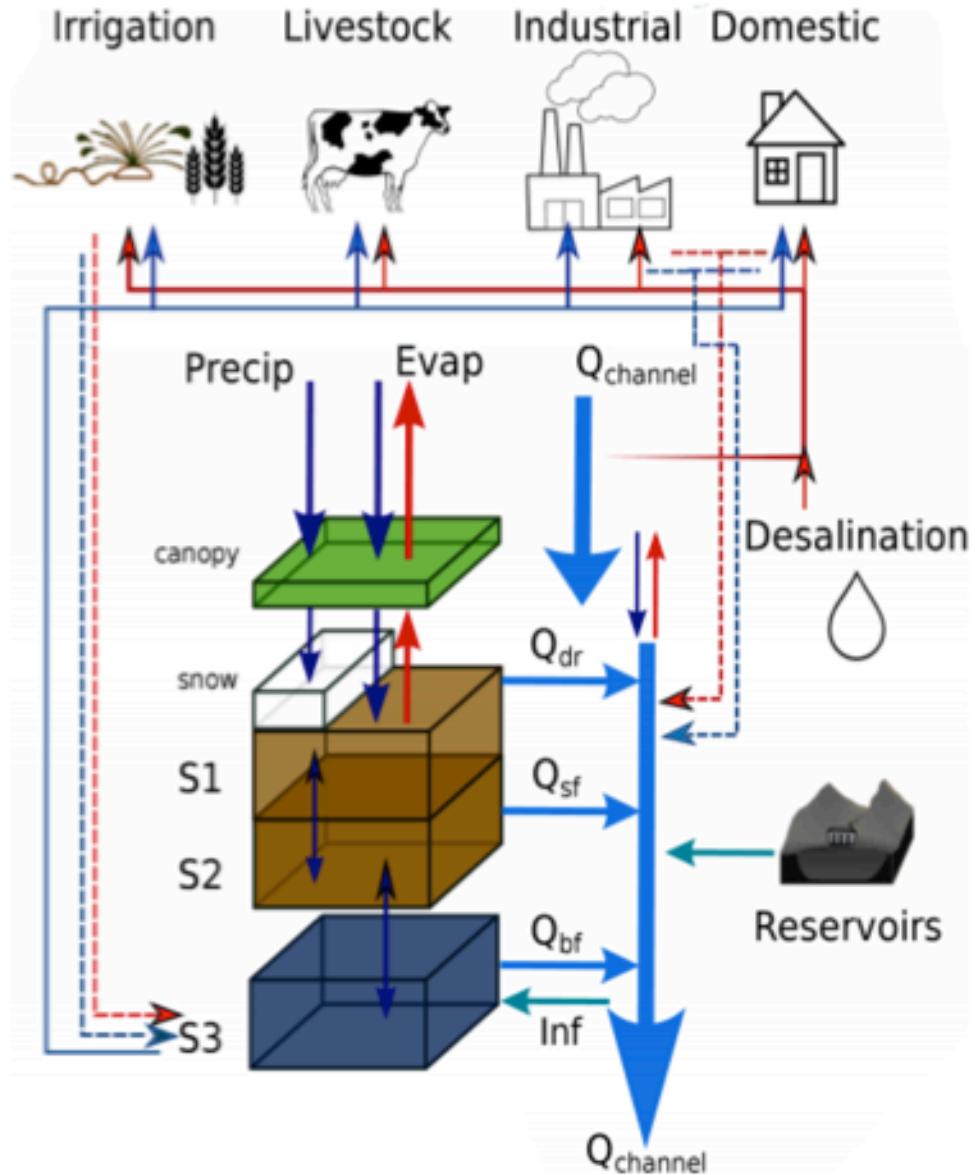
# Model structure

Model resolution:

- Regular grid of  $0.5^\circ$  (50 km) and  $0.1^\circ$  (10 km)
- Daily time step

Model includes:

- Human water interactions
  - Groundwater pumping
  - Irrigation
  - Surface water abstraction
  - Lakes and reservoirs
- Flood plains
- 2D groundwater flow
- Coupling with hydrodynamic models
- Water temperature



# Included in PCR-GLOBWB 2



Reservoirs



Industrial water use



Irrigation

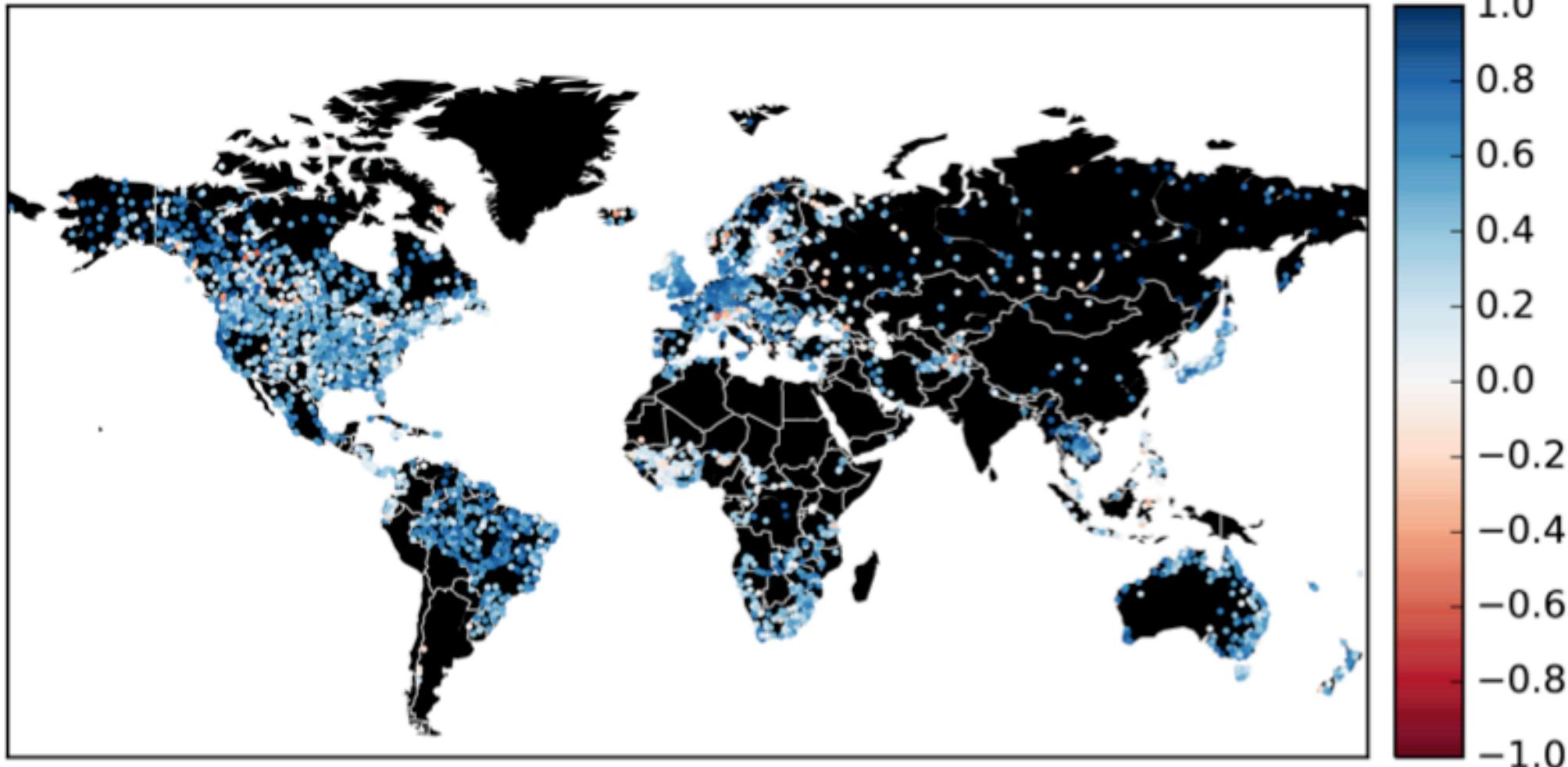


Livestock water use

Domestic water use

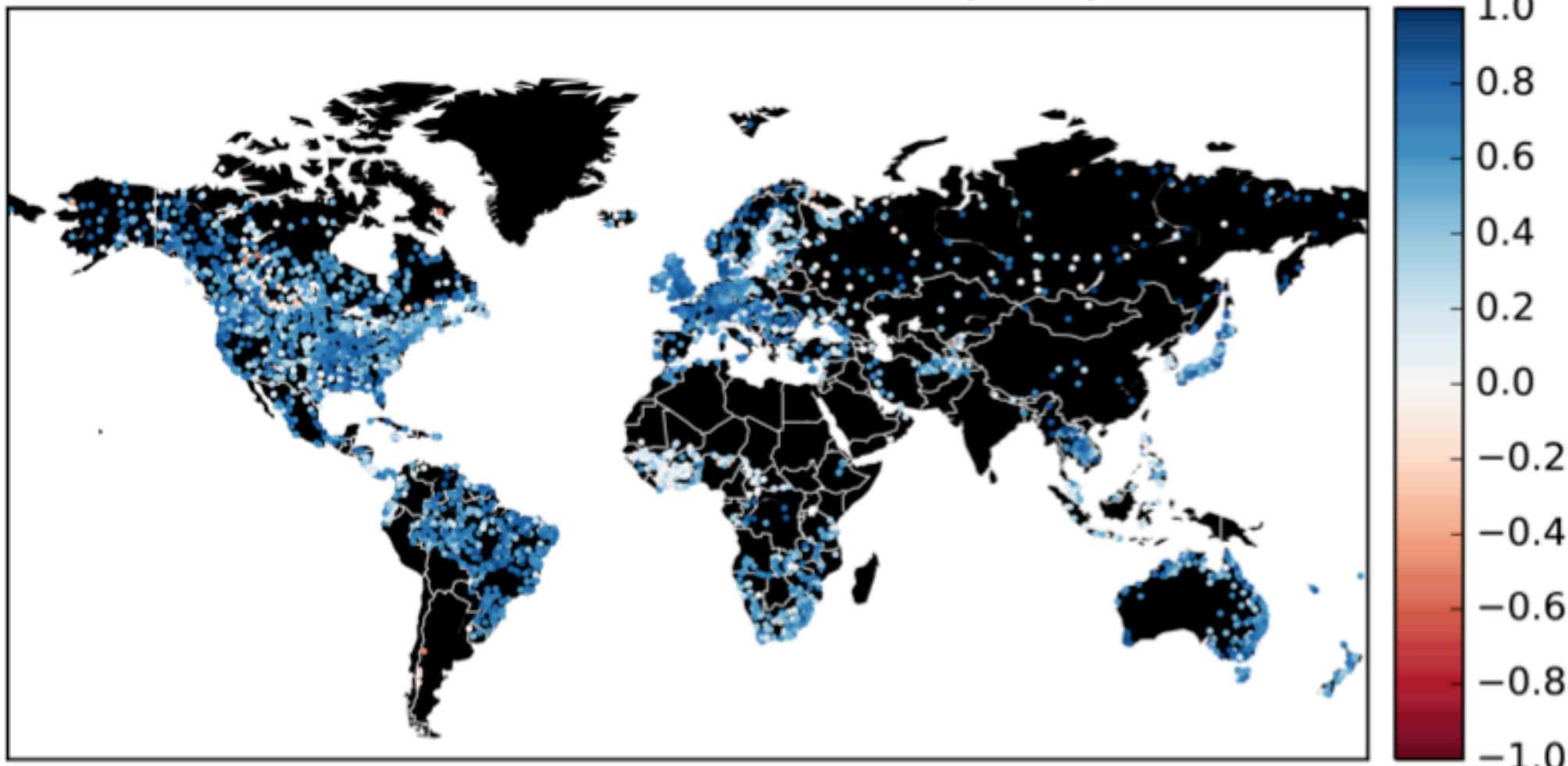
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Correlation with observations (30Min)

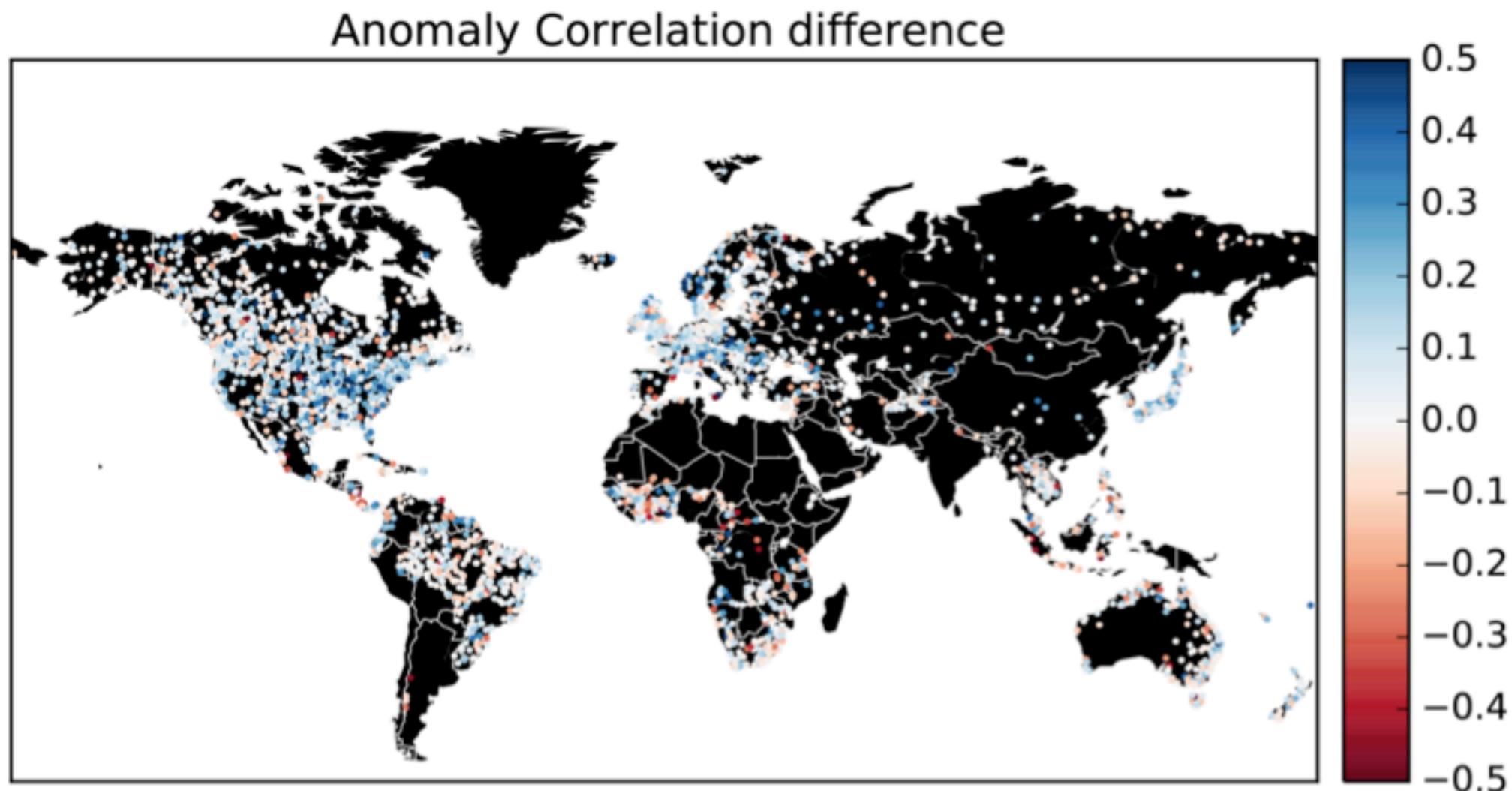


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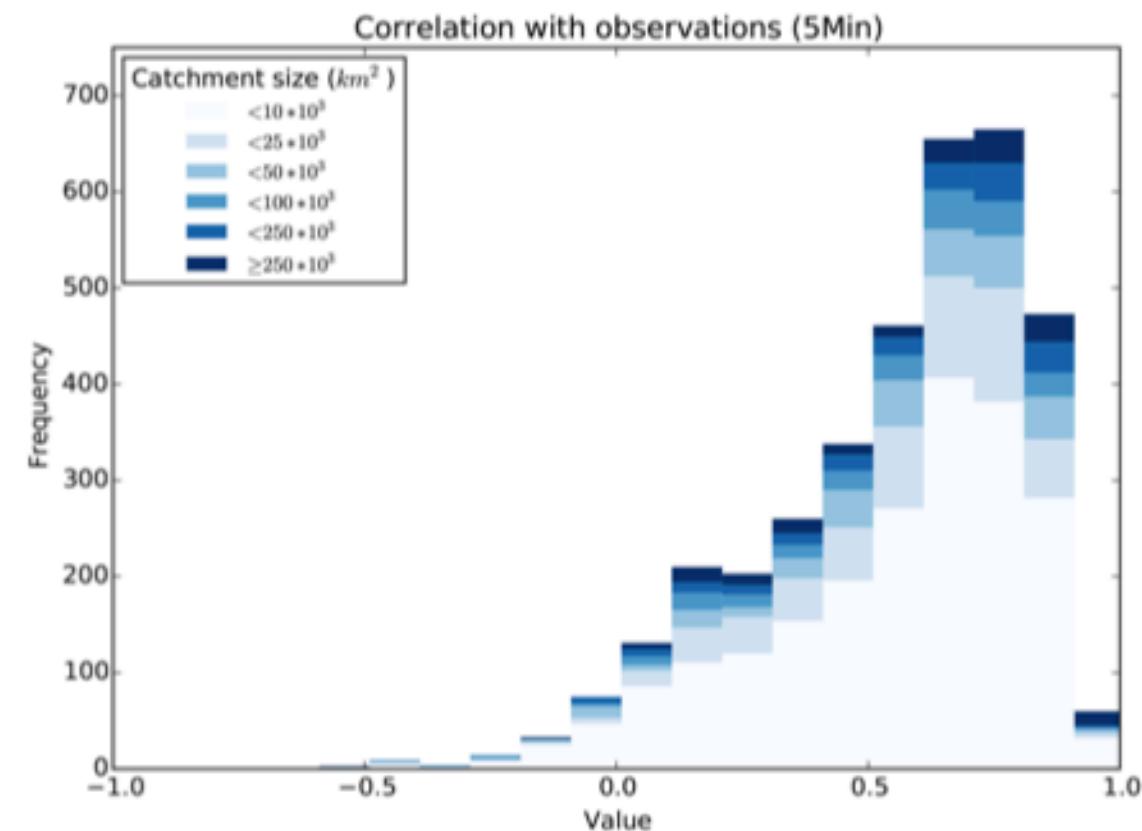
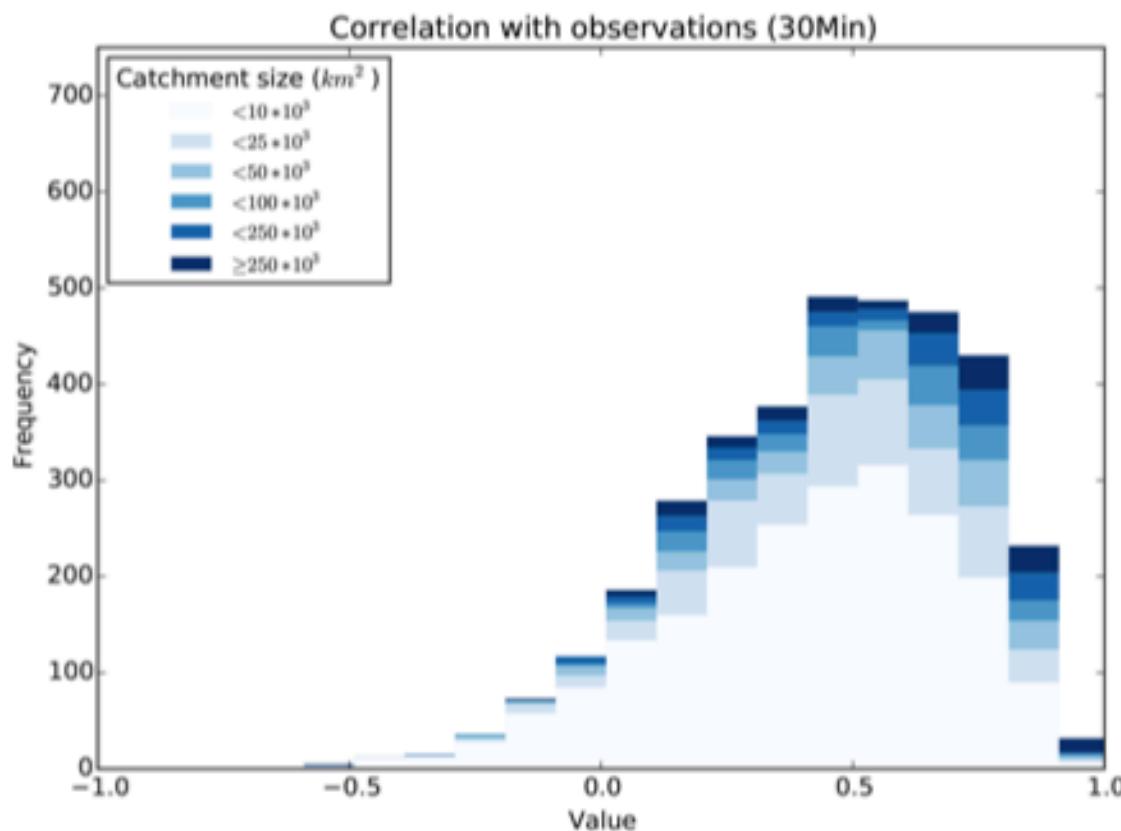
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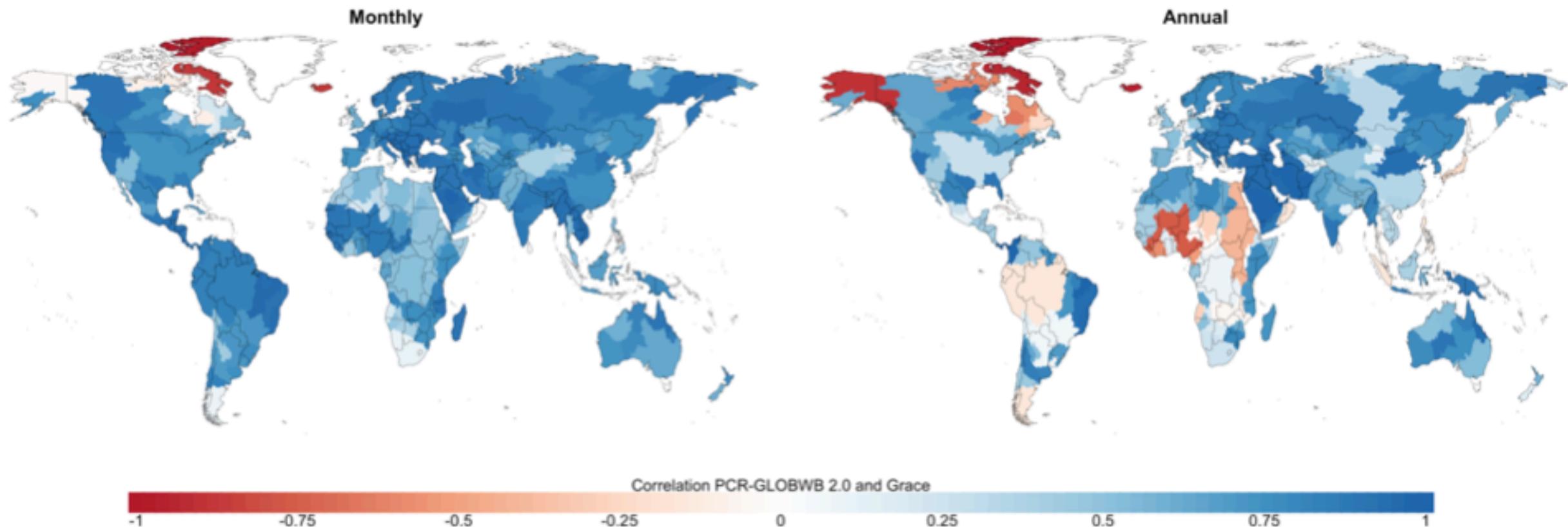
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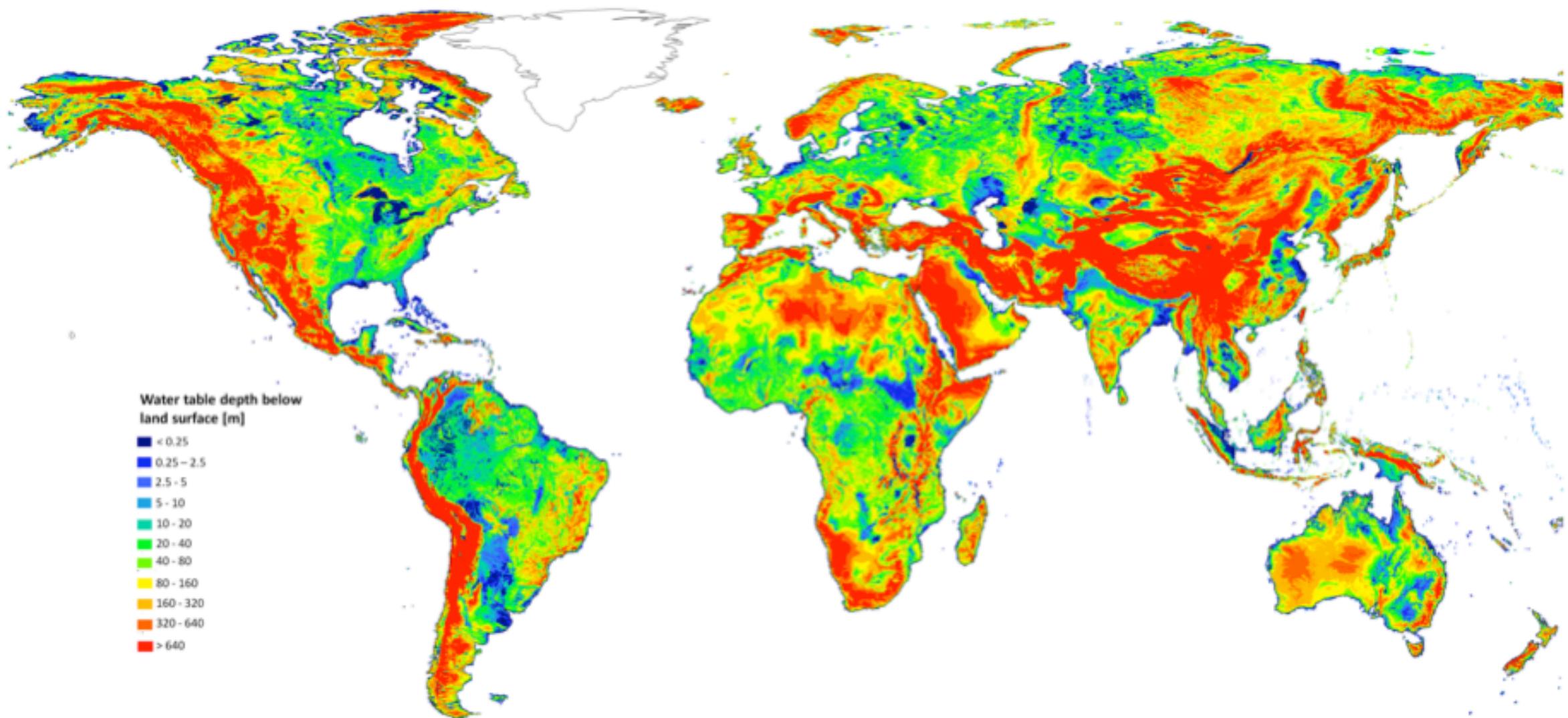
# Evaluation discharge



# Evaluation of groundwater



# PCR-GLOBWB extensions - MODFLOW



De Graaf et al. (AWR, 2017)

# PCR-GLOBWB extensions – Dynamic routing

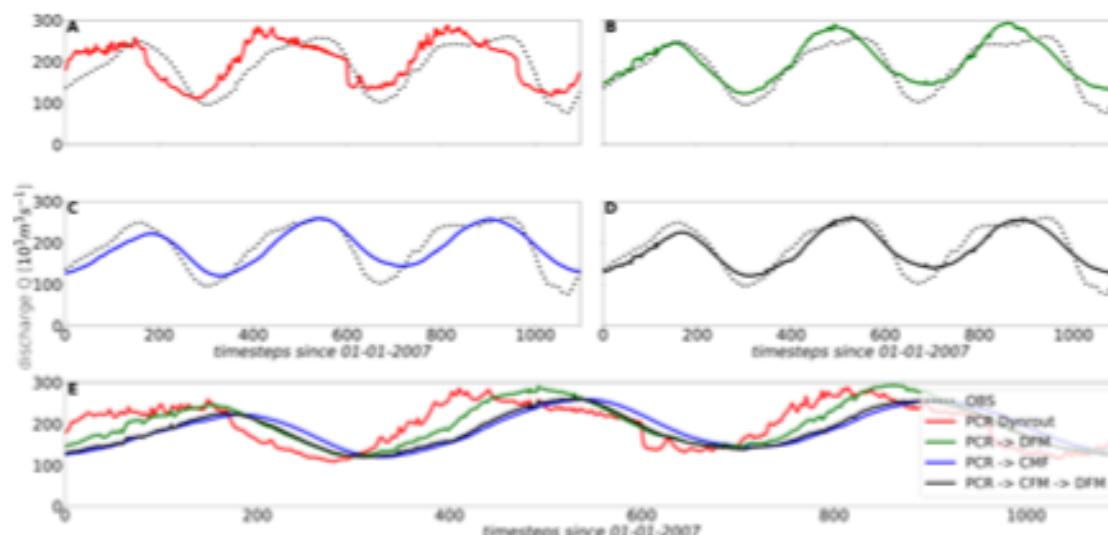
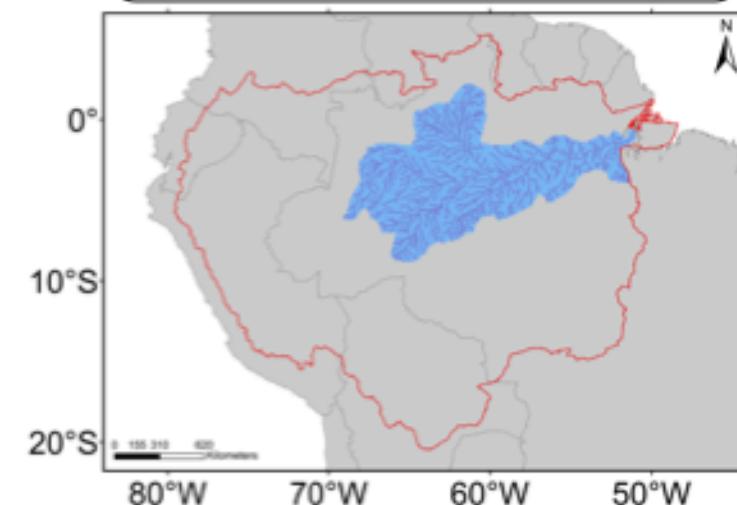
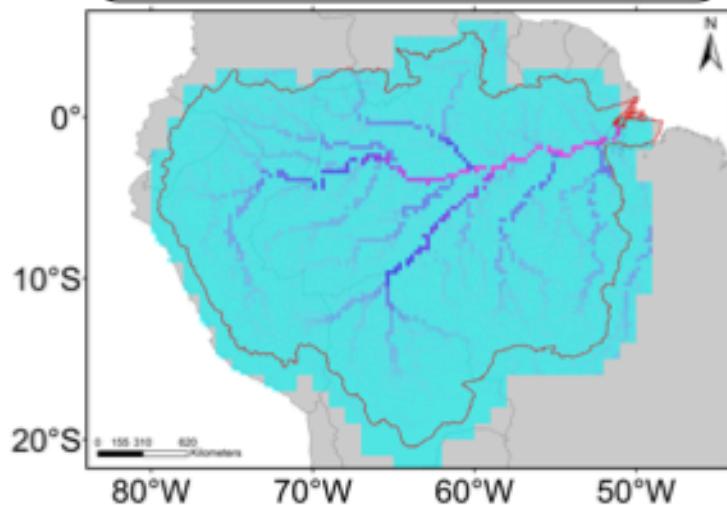
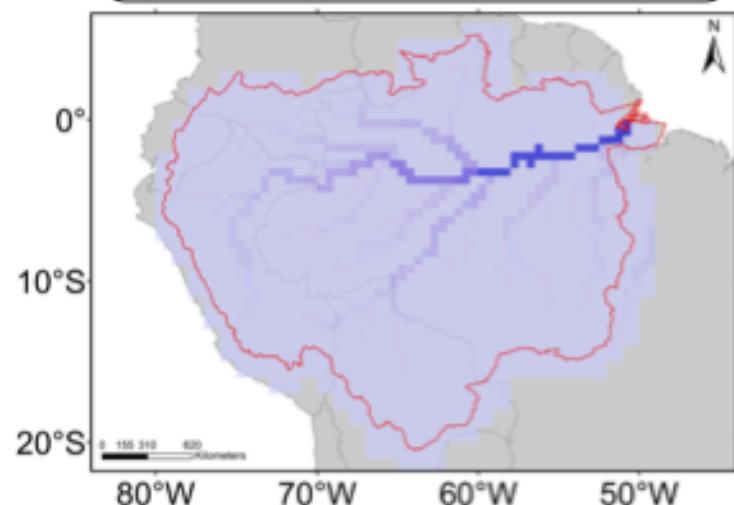
PCR-GLOBWB  
hydrology



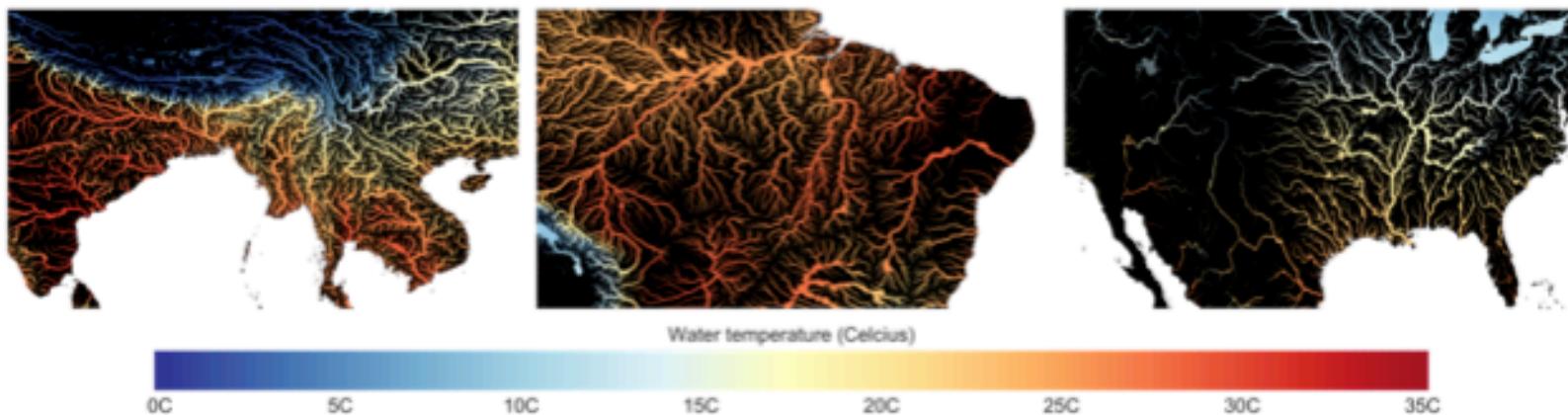
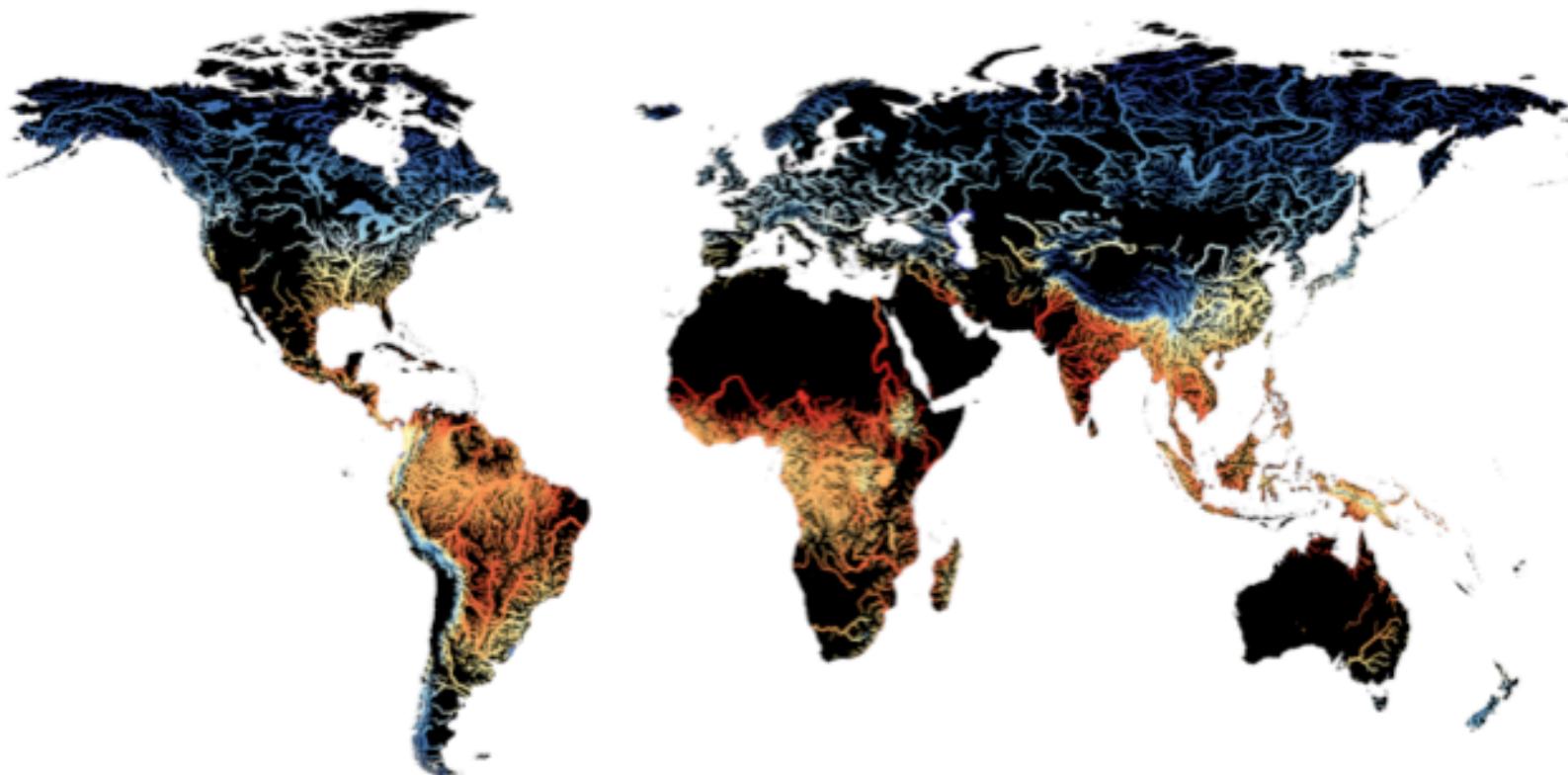
CaMa-Flood  
1D routing



Delft3D FM  
1D/2D hydrodynamics



# PCR-GLOBWB extensions – Water temperature



Water temperature (Celsius)

0C

5C

10C

15C

20C

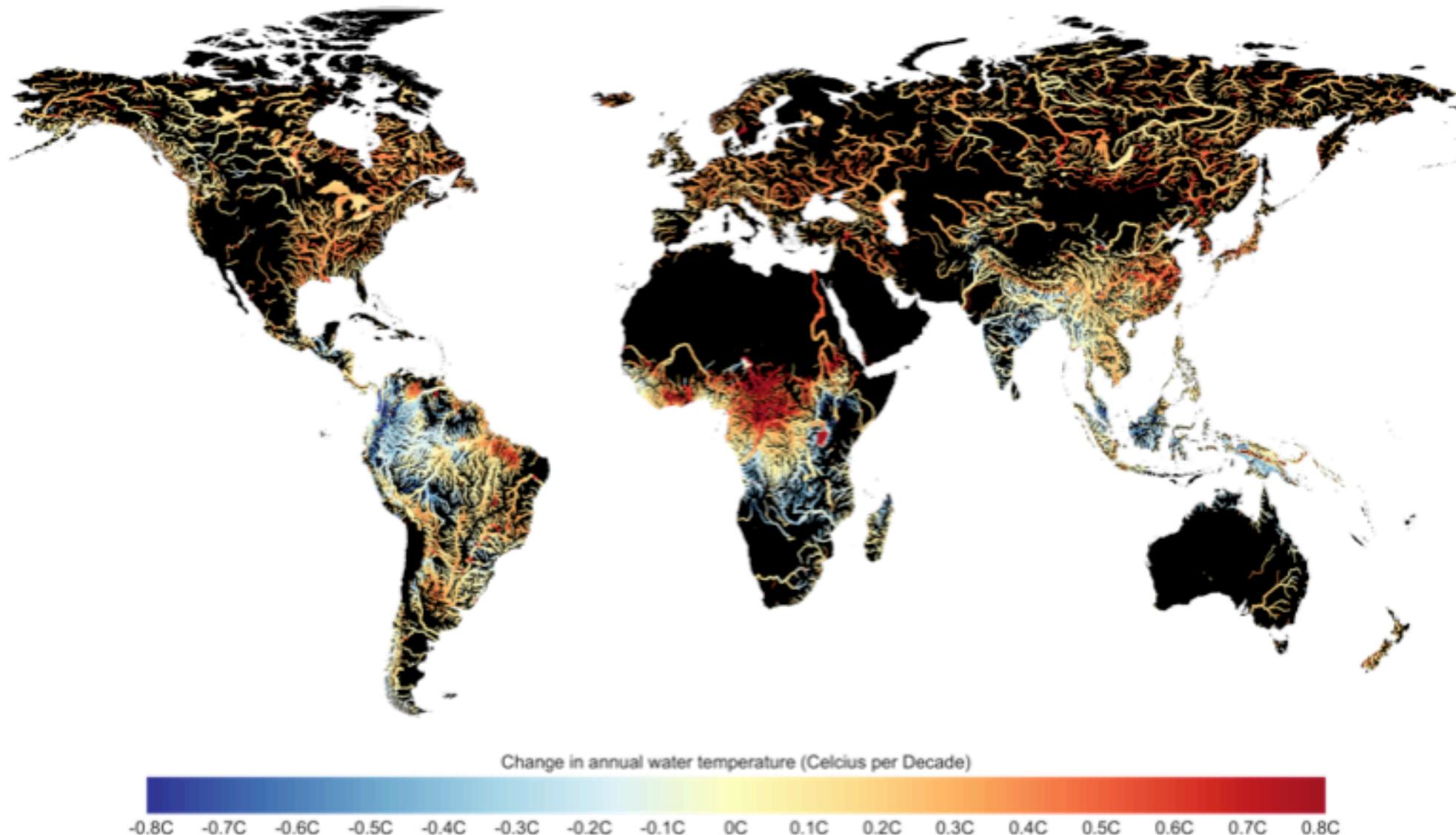
25C

30C

35C

Wanders *et al.* (2018),  
submitted WRR

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# PCR-GLOBWB Applications – Global Flood Analyzer



AQUEDUCT Global Flood Analyzer

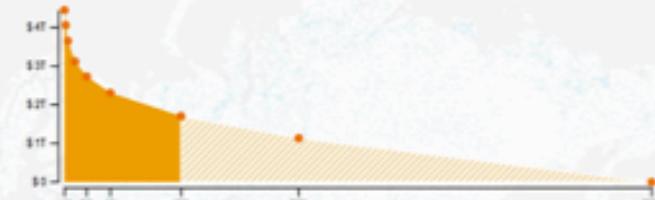
10 year protection

Type or select a country, basin or state, and start to assess flood risks

## Flood Risk in United States

Urban Damage      Affected GDP      Affected Population

2010



Annual Expected Urban Damage

**\$237.1B**

Annual Avoided Urban Damage

**\$312.5B**

2030

Scenario A

Scenario B

Scenario C

Current Annual Expected Urban Damage

**\$237.1B**

Increased Impact Due To Socio-economic Change

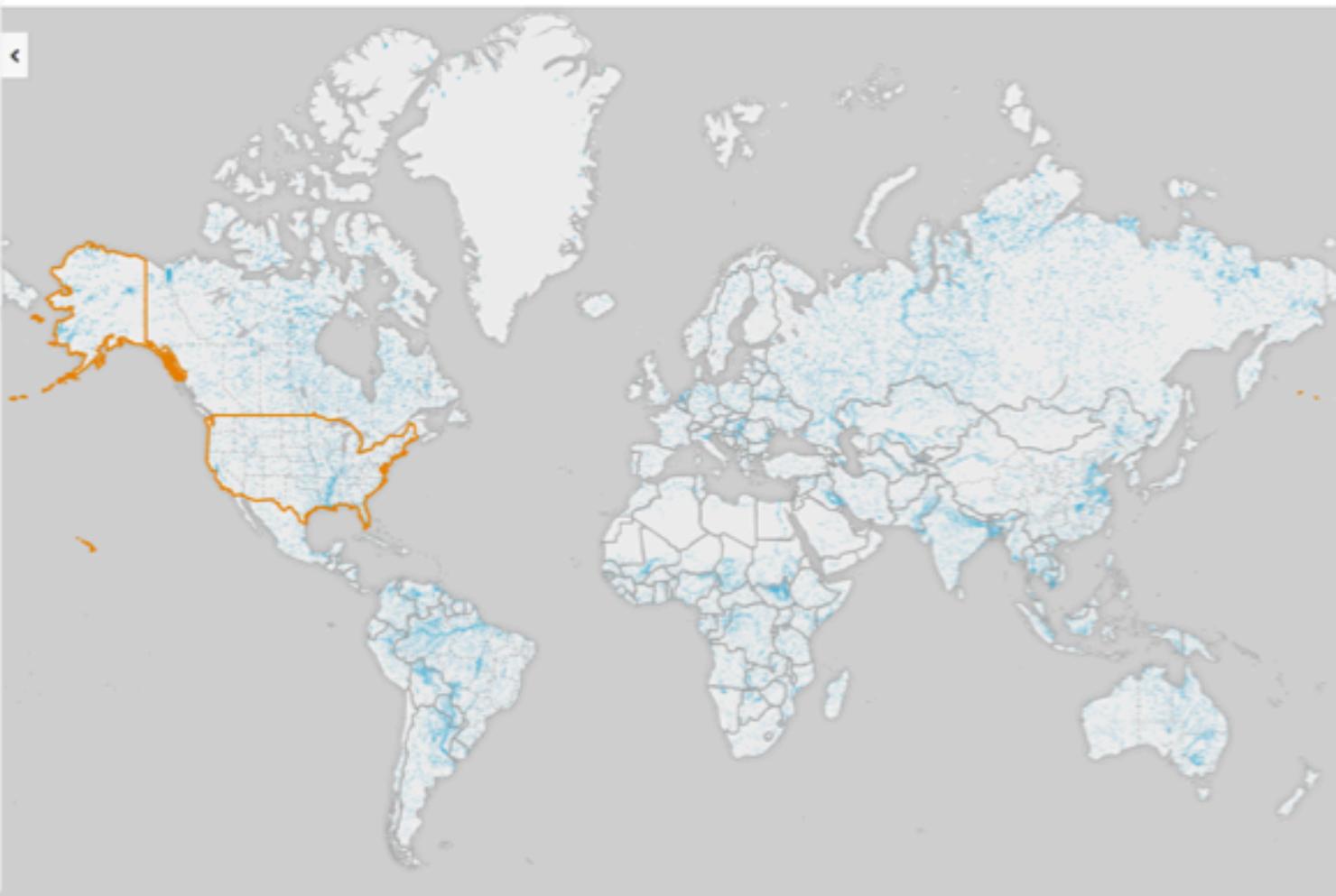
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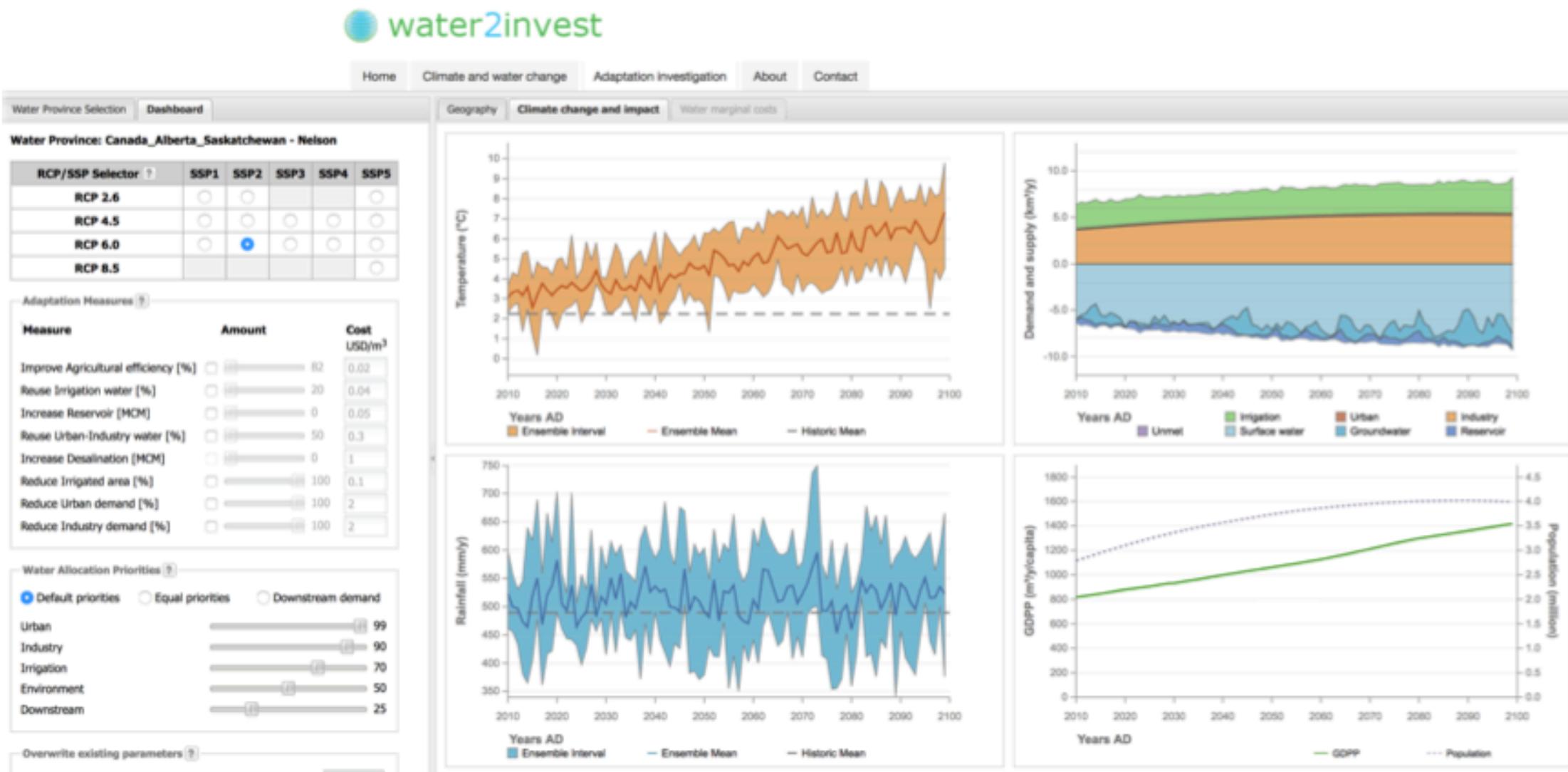
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2030 Annual Expected Urban Damage

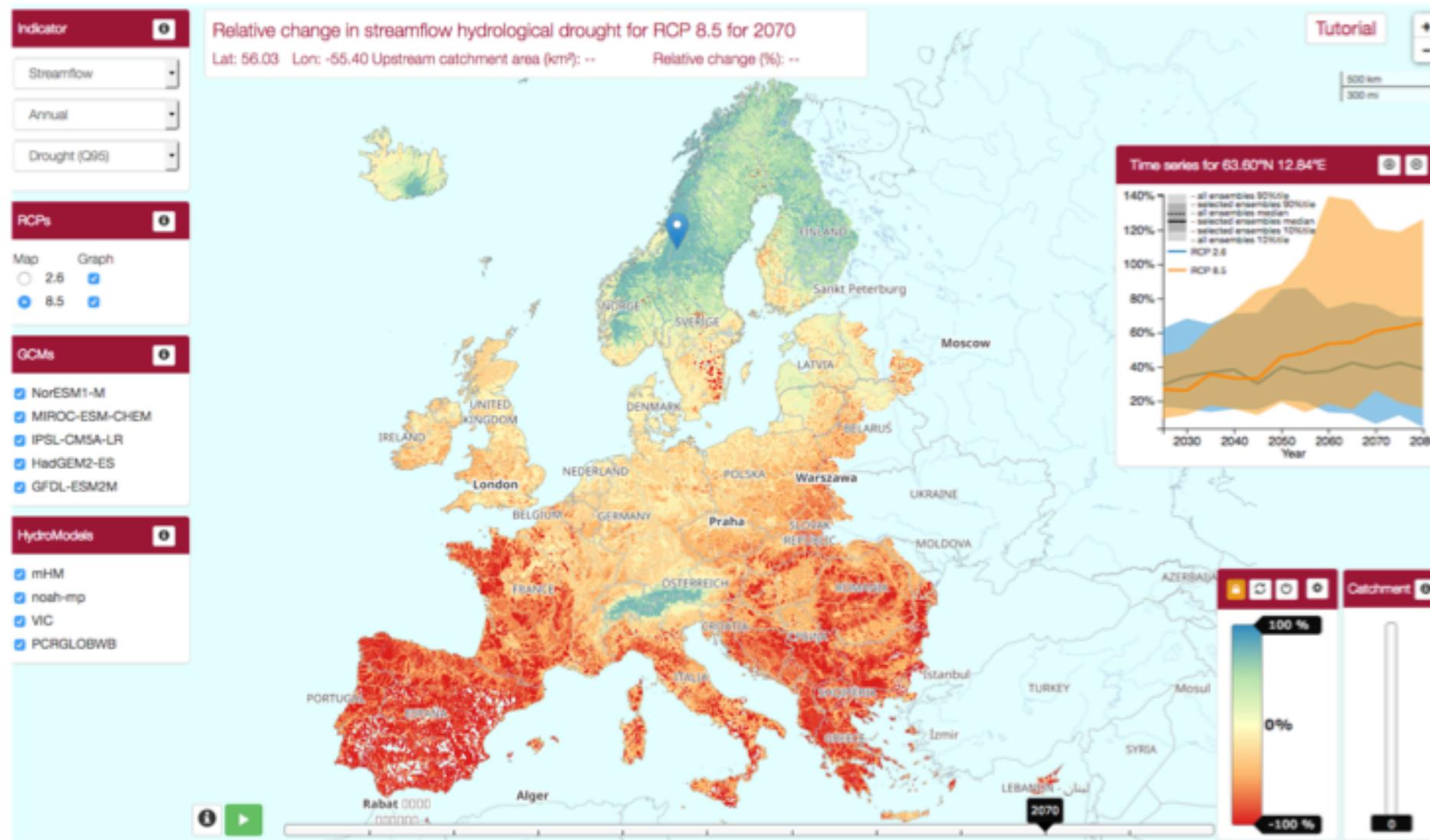
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# PCR-GLOBWB Applications – Water2Invest



# PCR-GLOBWB Applications - EDgE



<http://edge.climate.copernicus.eu/Apps/#climate-change>

Marx et al., HESS, 2017 and Samaniego et al., 2018 NCC

# PCR-GLOBWB open source

UU-Hydro / PCR-GLOBWB\_model

Watch 10

Star 17

Fork 23

Code

Issues 0

Pull requests 0

Projects 0

Insights

PCR-GLOBWB (PCRaster Global Water Balance) is a large-scale hydrological model intended for global to regional studies and developed at the Department of Physical Geography, Utrecht University (Netherlands). Contact: Edwin Sutanudjaja (E.H.Sutanudjaja@uu.nl).

3,987 commits

1 branch

2 releases

3 contributors

GPL-3.0

Branch: develop

New pull request

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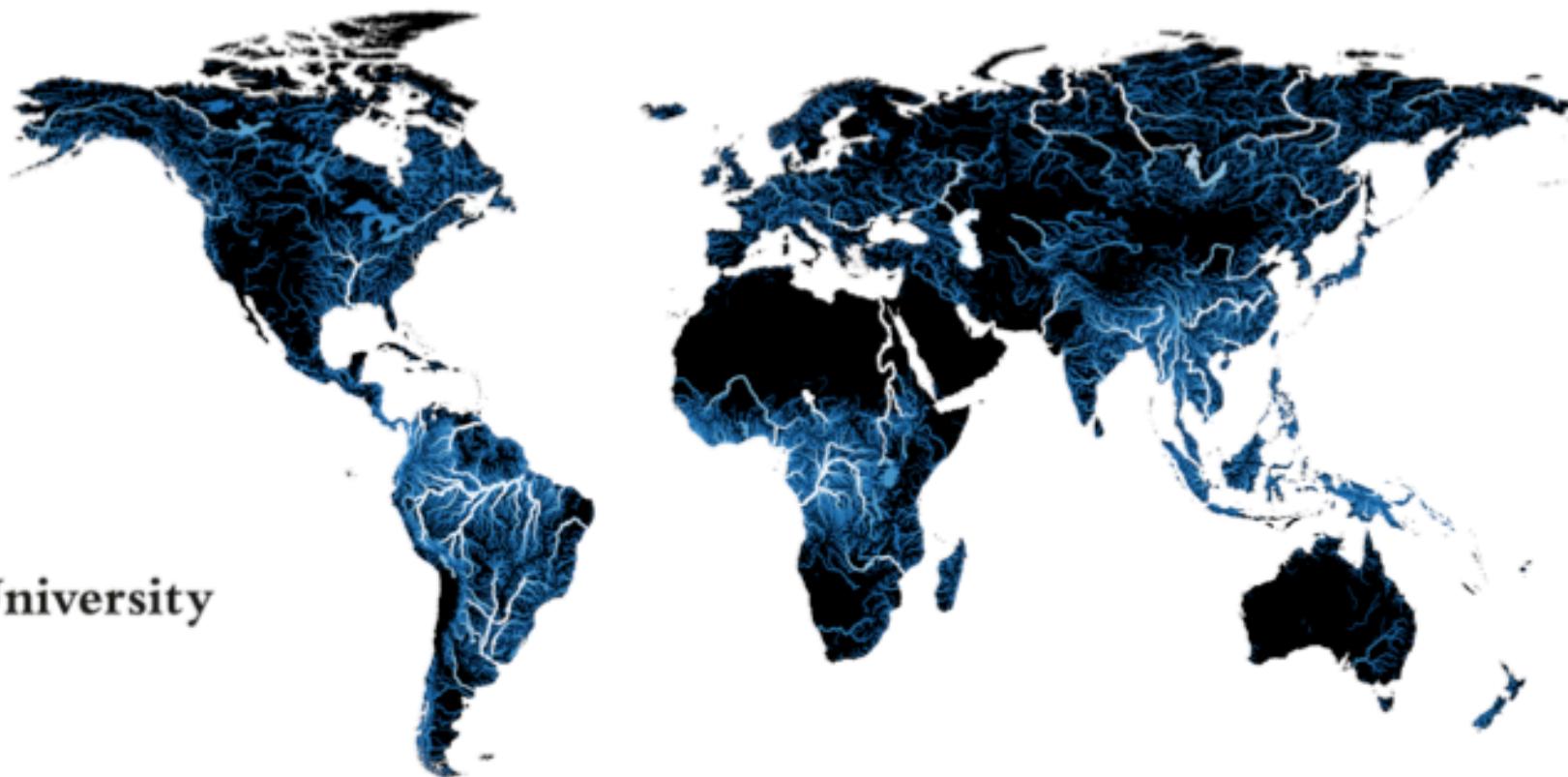
README.md

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[https://github.com/UU-Hydro/PCR-GLOBWB\\_model](https://github.com/UU-Hydro/PCR-GLOBWB_model)

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