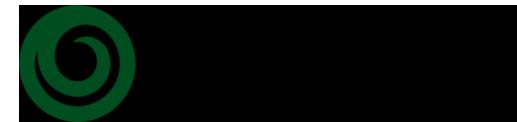
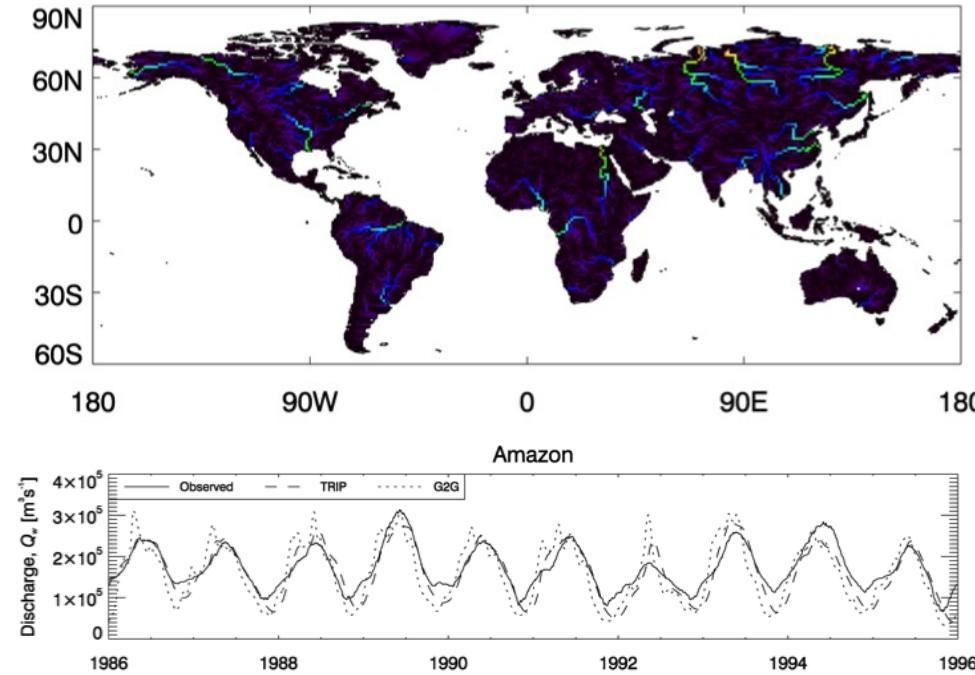


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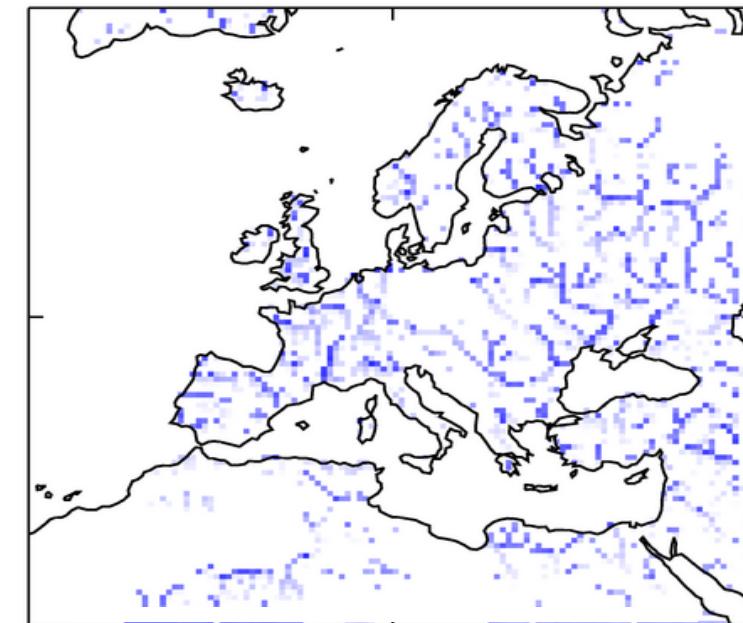
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Background



AKTUH surface Atmos river outflow kg/m²/s
At 01Z on 30/ 3/1991, from 00Z on 1/ 1/1989



Dadson, S. J. et al., 2011, *J. Hydrology*.

- Land surface models underpin results in climate change and Earth system science
- Hydrological models are needed to make reliable predictions
- Converging on commensurable scales (0.5° Global; 1 km National)

Inundation in natural hazard applications

- Flood inundation and hazard mapping
- Coupled fluvial, pluvial, groundwater and coastal flooding
- NWP applications in data-sparse areas



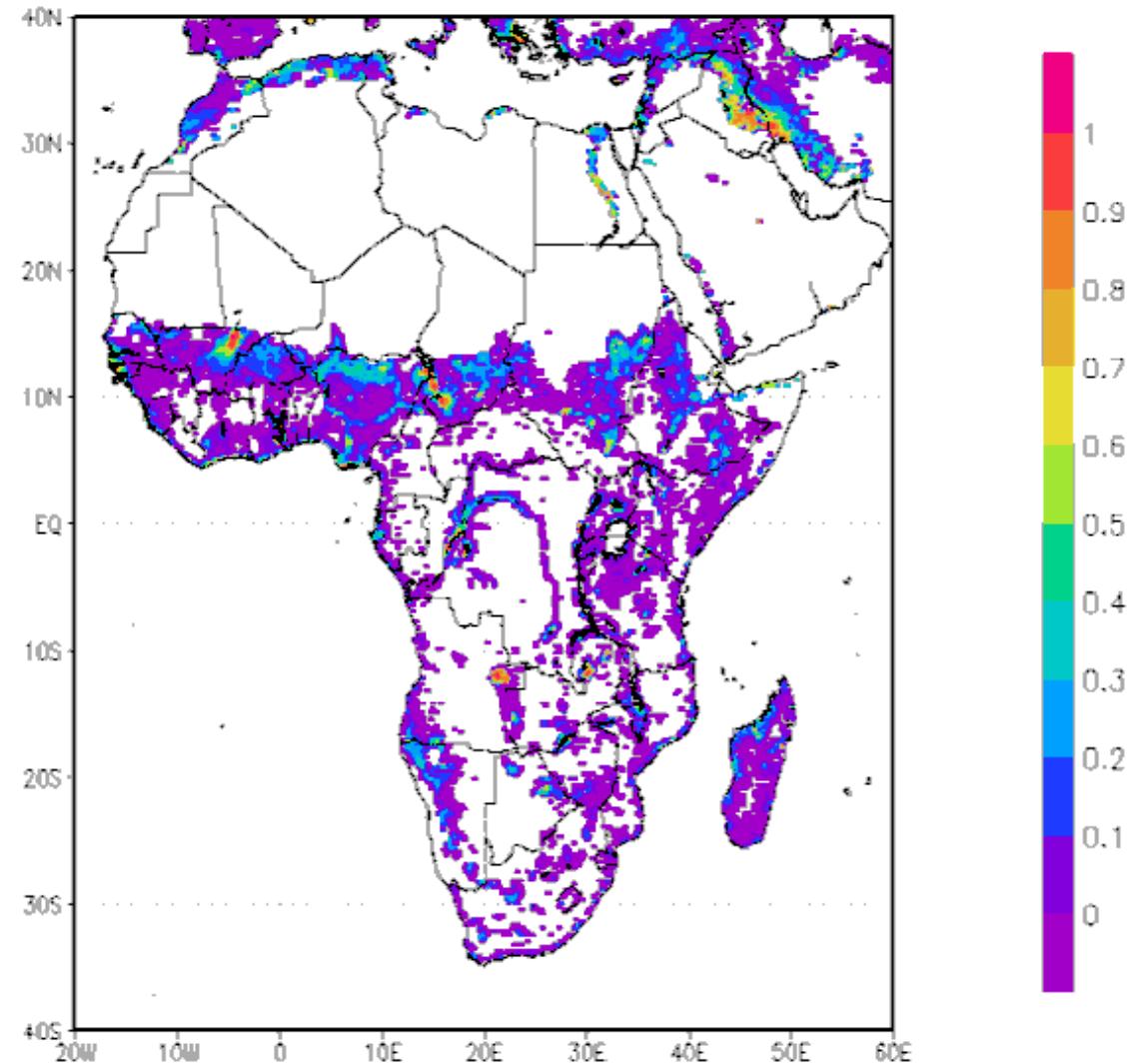
Inundation in Earth System studies

- Inundation, open water and land-surface feedbacks
- Inundation impacts on terrestrial BGC
- Methane emissions from wetlands



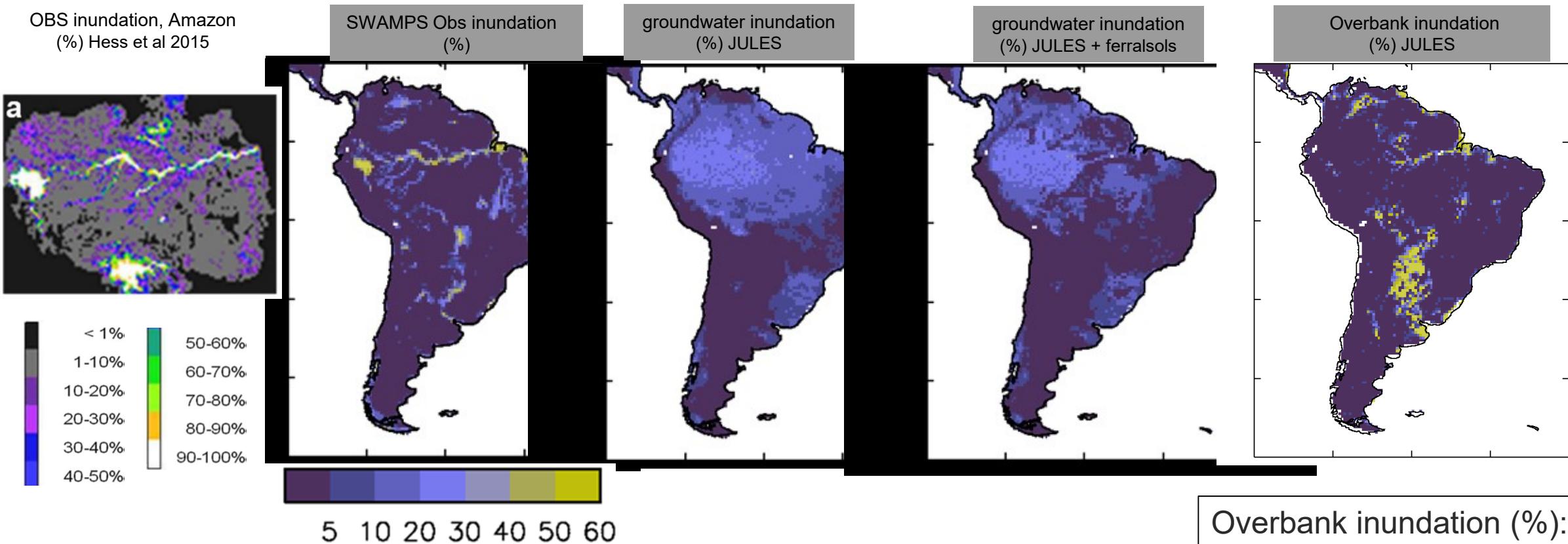
Developments in JULES

- JULES – TRIP, RFM
- Overbank inundation in RFM
- Other models...



Present day wetlands in South America

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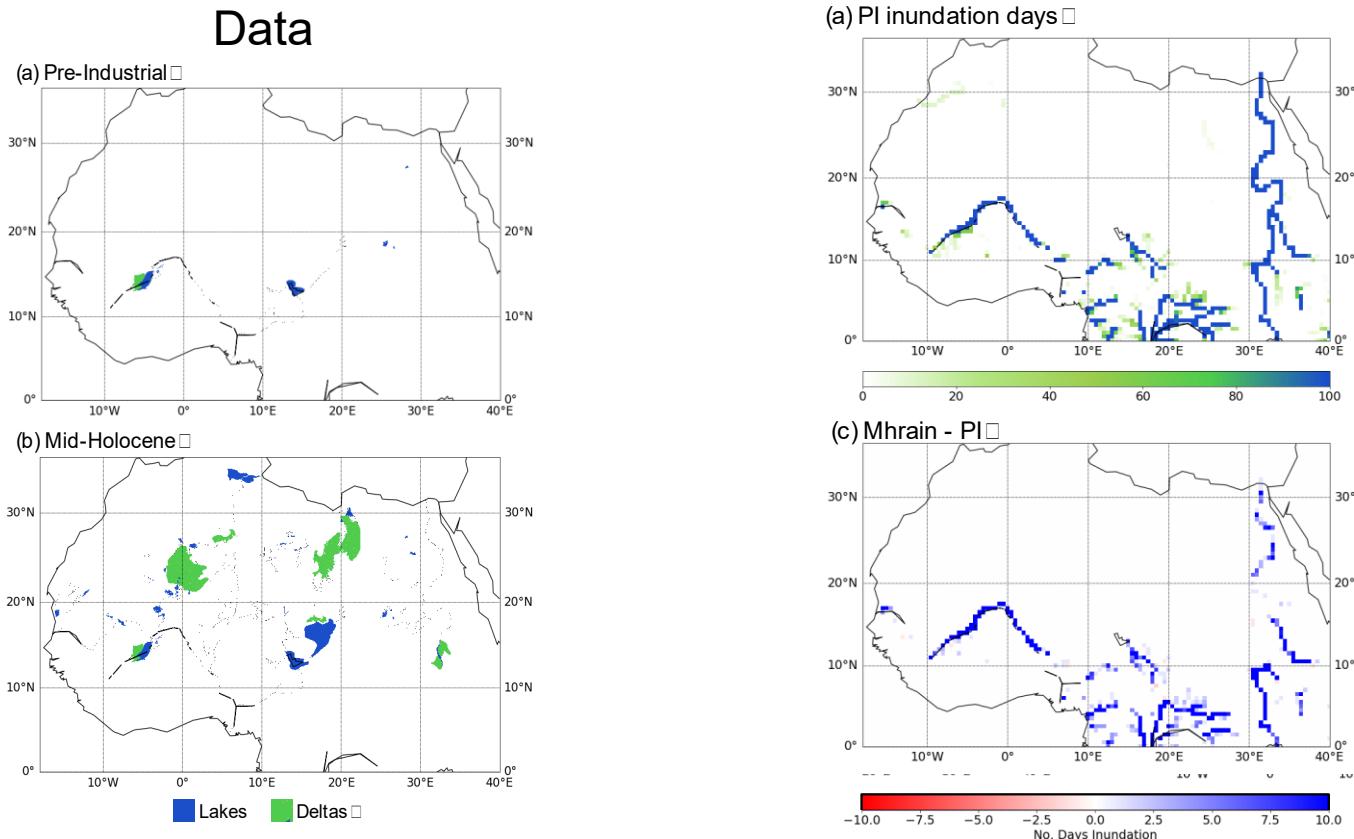


- Considerable observational uncertainty
- Tropical soils improves JULES simulation
- Overbank inundation would improve further

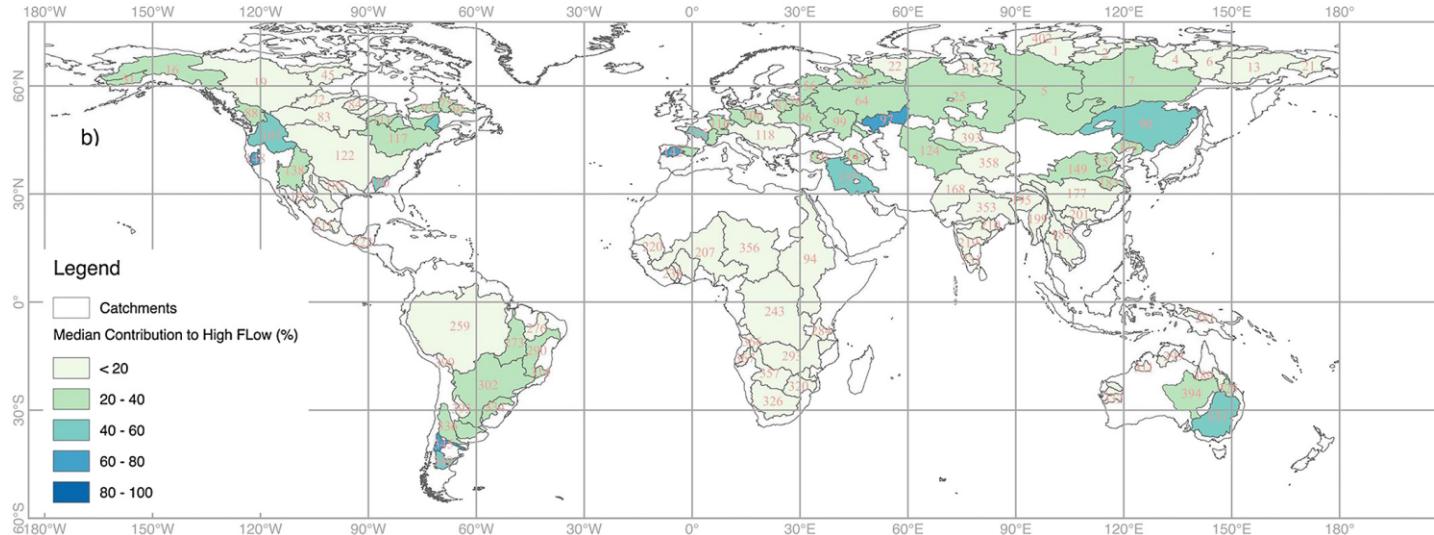
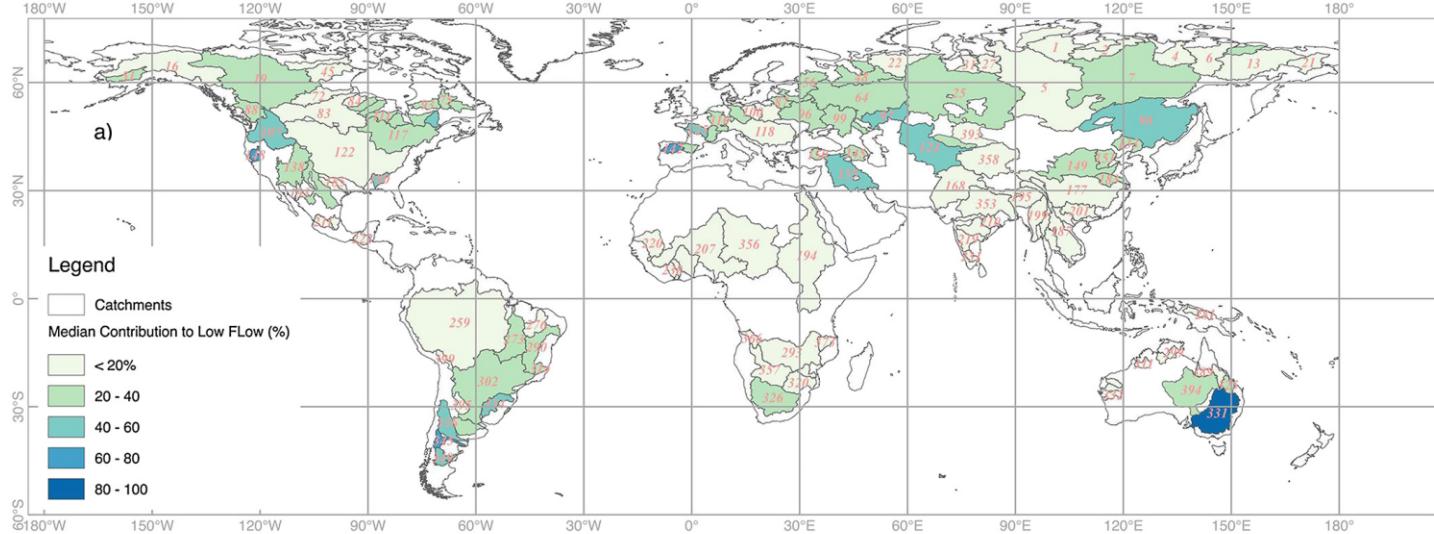
Overbank inundation (%):
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with parameters fitted
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Palaeo-inundation modelling over Africa

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JULES and Atmospheric Rivers...



- Global floods and water availability
- Driven by atmospheric rivers
- Collaboration with NASA JPL and Univ. Tokyo

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