



# CZO's-Big Data & Team Science

## Towards a Cyberinfrastructure For Scaling Up and Sharing Data & Models



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# CZO Testbeds for Science and Science-Based Approach to Water & Ecosystem





# CZO's -> Big Data & Big Simulation

## Some Issues & Questions

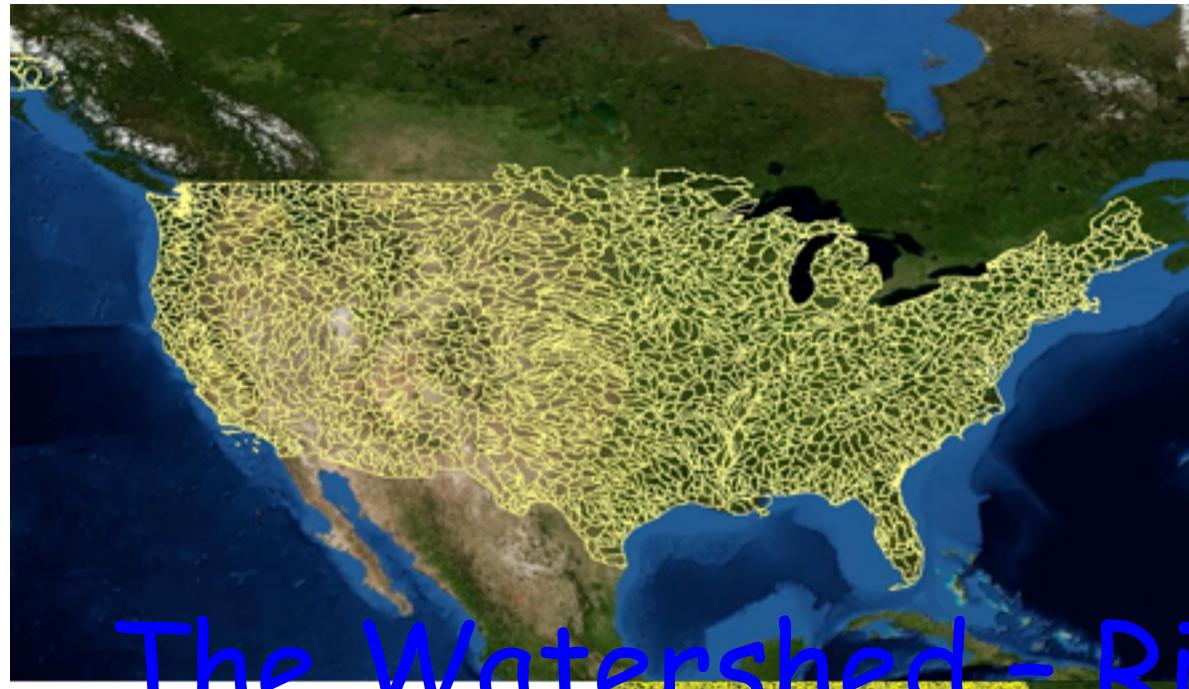
Scaling up CZO Simulations & Data: Framework for Earth Casting

The Essential Terrestrial Variables - National Products?

Cyberinfrastructure for Virtual Data and Models

Reanalysis - Reconstruction and the Role of Environmental Observatories

Platform for communicating science and science-based decision making?



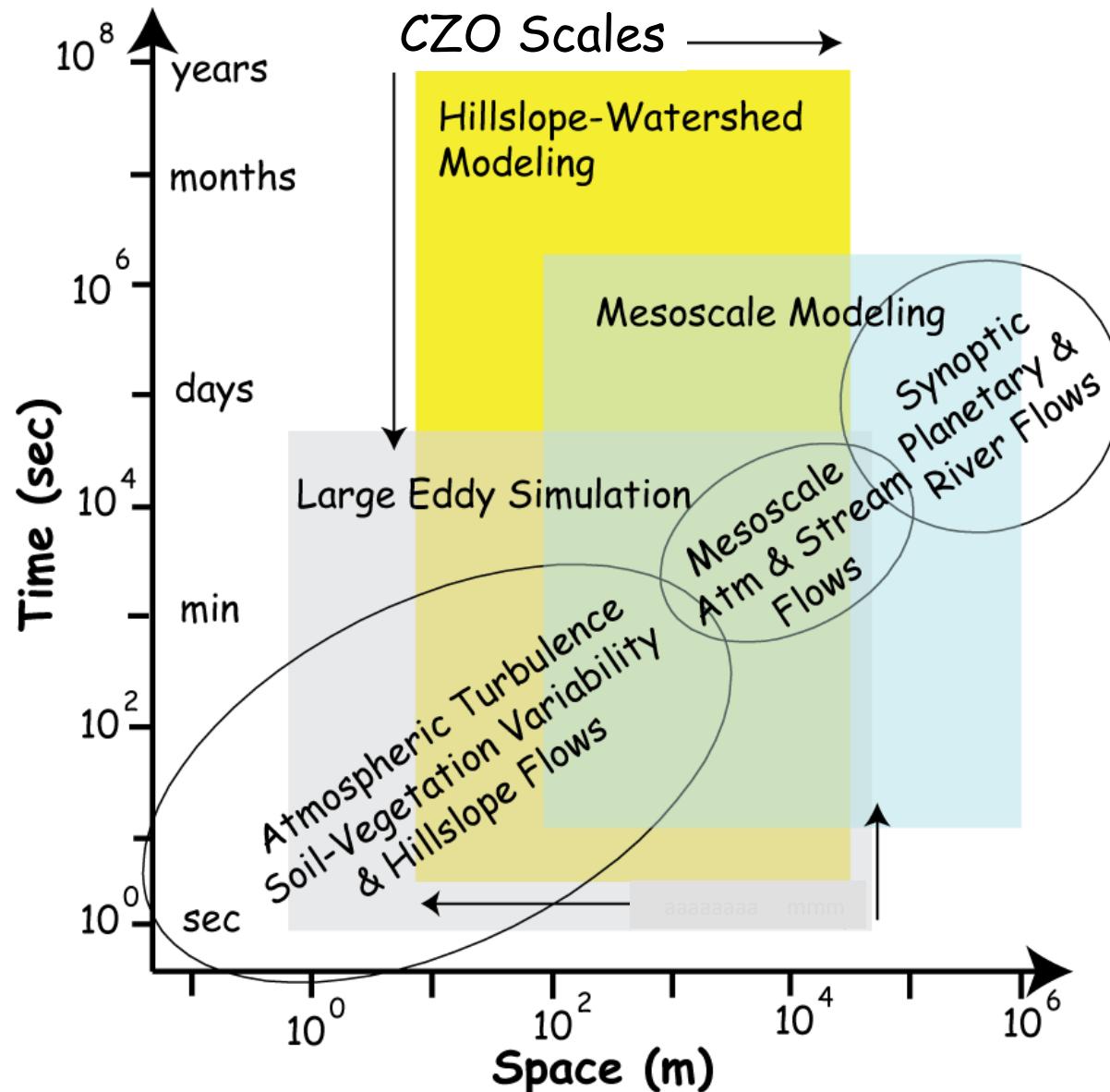
## The Watershed – River Basin Basis For Model-Data Sharing

103,444 USGS  
HUC 12  
watersheds

2,268 USGS  
HUC 8  
watersheds



# Importance of CZO's for Scaling Up Processes/Models

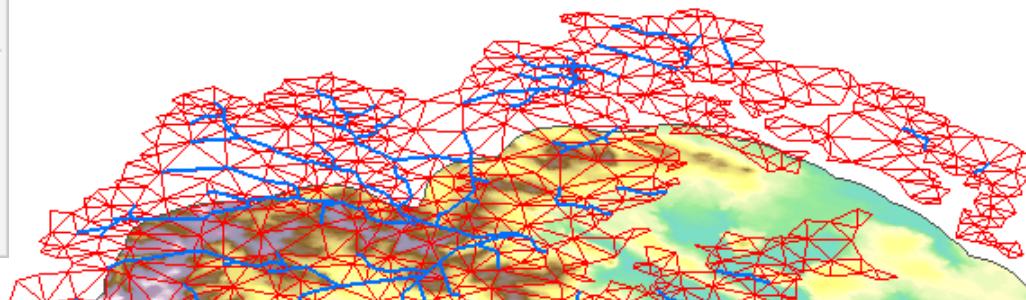
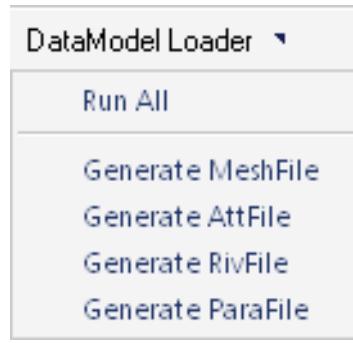


# What are the Essential Terrestrial Variables?

## Water-Energy-Solute-Vegetation

- Atmospheric Forcing (precipitation, snow cover, wind, relative humidity, temperature, net radiation, albedo, photosynthetic atmospheric radiation)
- Digital elevation models (30, 10, 3, 1m resolution)
- River/Stream discharge, stage, cross-section
- Soil (texture, C/N, organic, hydrologic & thermal properties)
- Groundwater (levels, extent, hydrogeologic properties)
- Land Cover (biomass/leaf area index, phenology,..... )
- Land Use (human infrastructure, demography, ecosystem disturbance, property & political boundaries)
- Environmental Tracers- stable isotopes
- Water Use and Water Transfers
- Lake/Reservoir/Diversion (levels, extent, discharge, operating rules)
- ...to be cont'd.....??

Most data reside on federal servers ....many terabytes

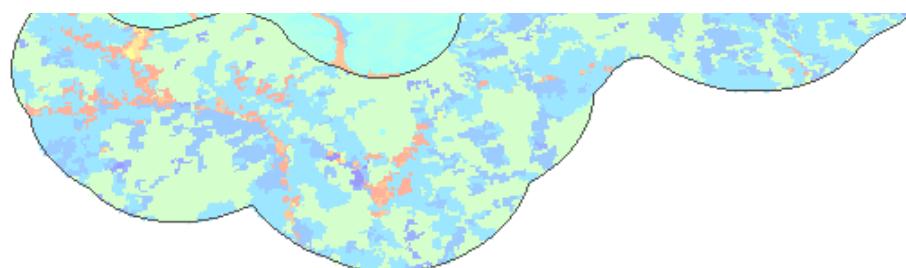


Irregular Mesh &  
Stream Network

Register geospatial & geo-temporal fields

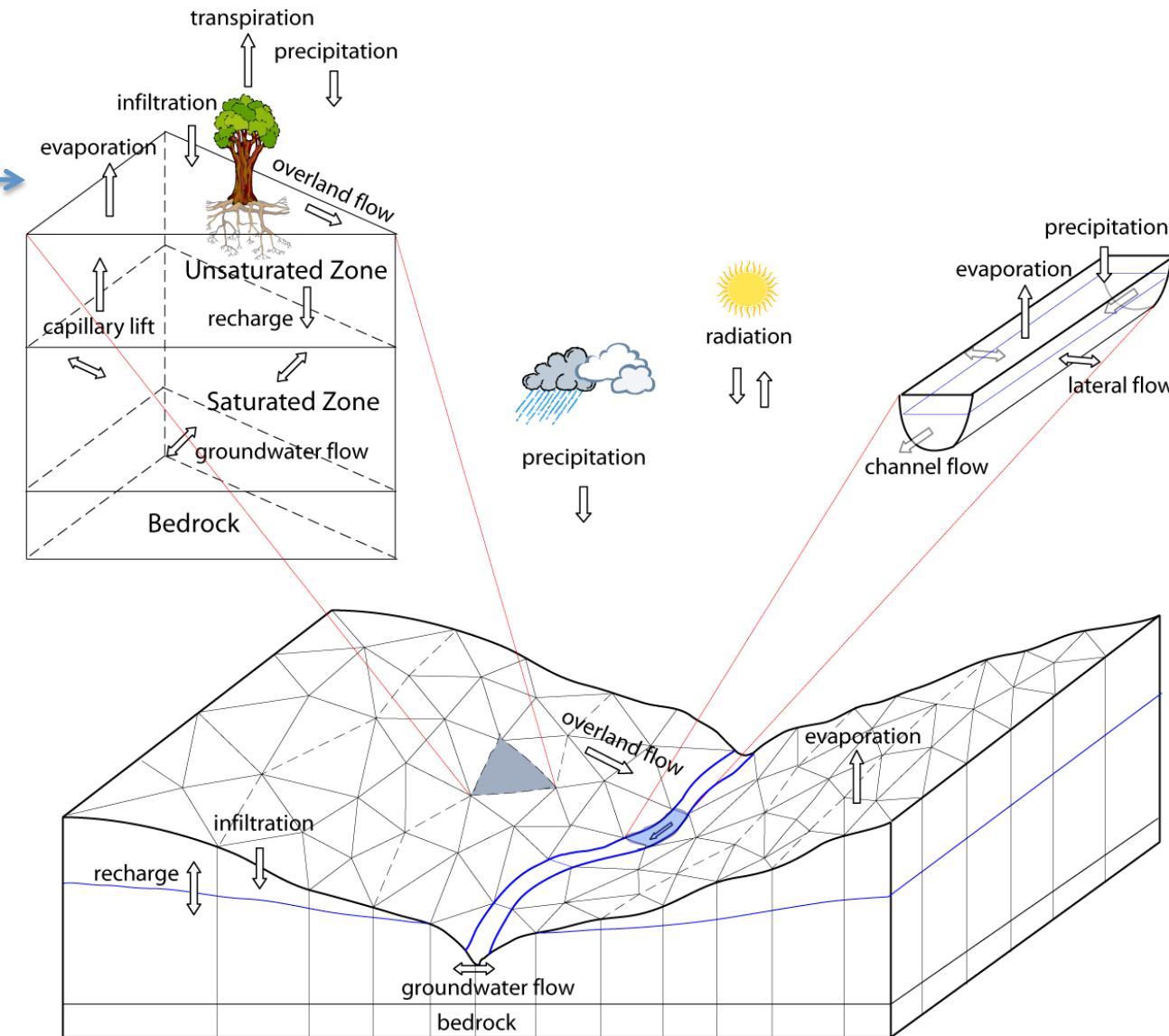
Access to ETV's

Automate CZO Modeling Workflow



# Penn State Integrated Hydrologic Model (PIHM)

NOAH Land Surface Model



PIHM Qu and Duffy 2007. Kumar, Bhatt, Duffy 2009

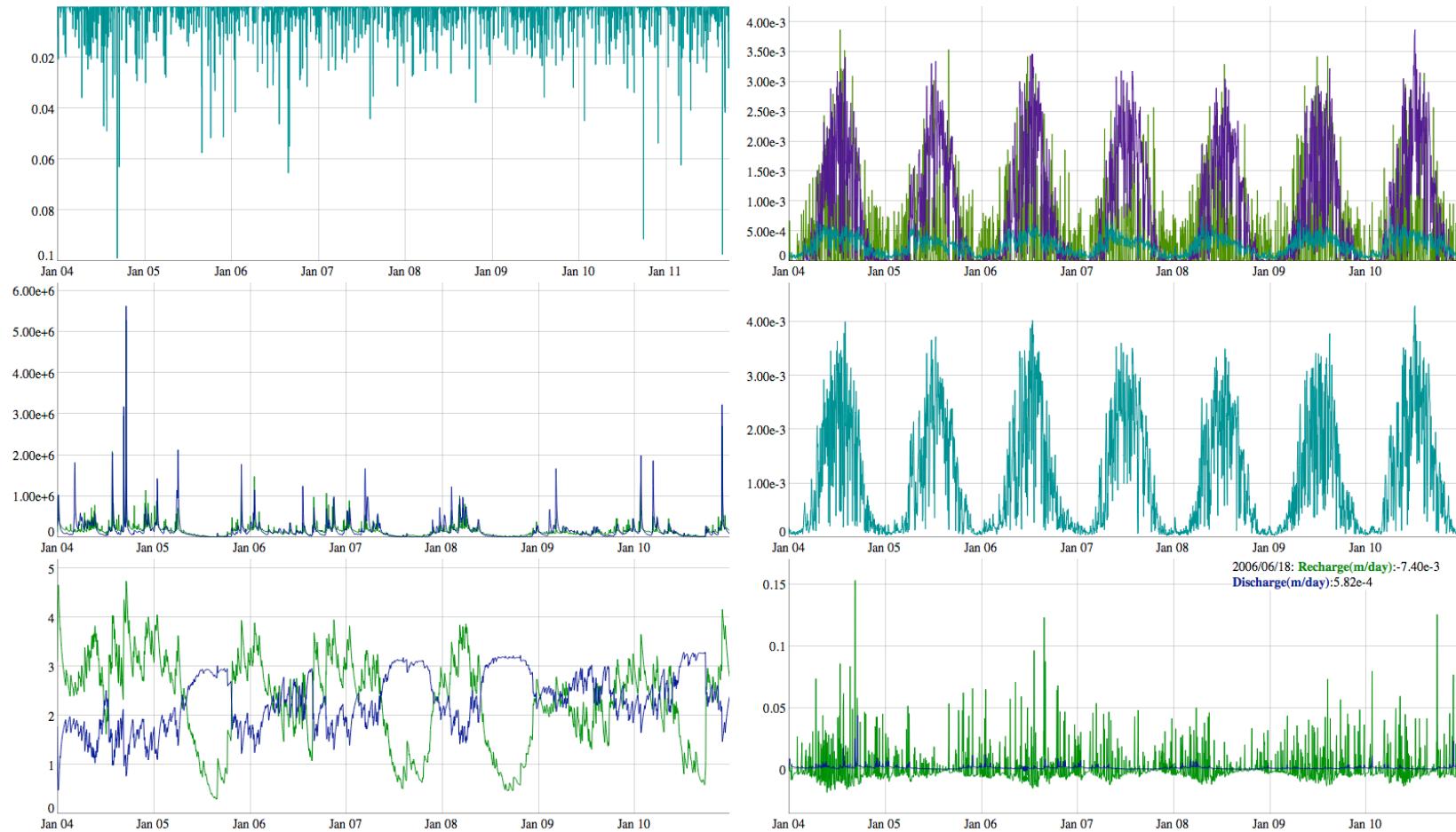
# HydroTerre: A Prototype for Model-Data Access



Land Parcel Data; NHD: Stream, Lake, HUC'; USDA: Soils/Crops; NLCD: LU\_LC;

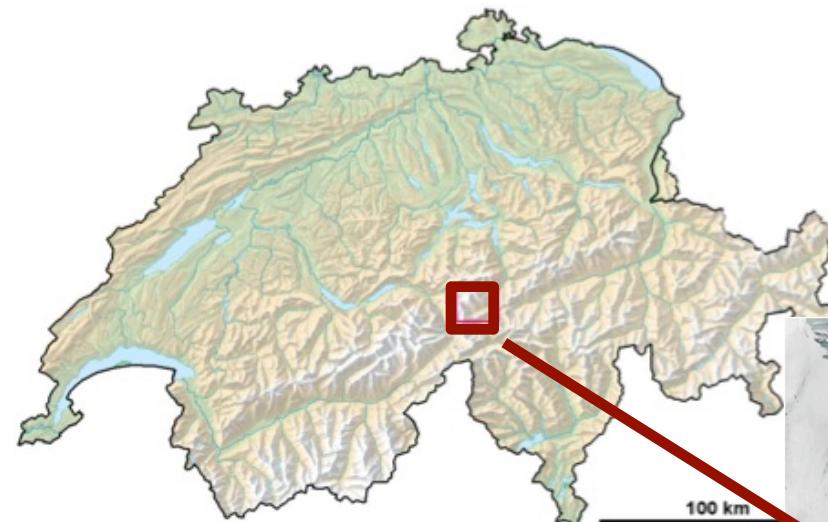
<http://www.pihm.psu.edu/applications.html>

## CZO Reanalysis time series: 1979-Present



Xuan Yu, lead

# Damma glacier CZO

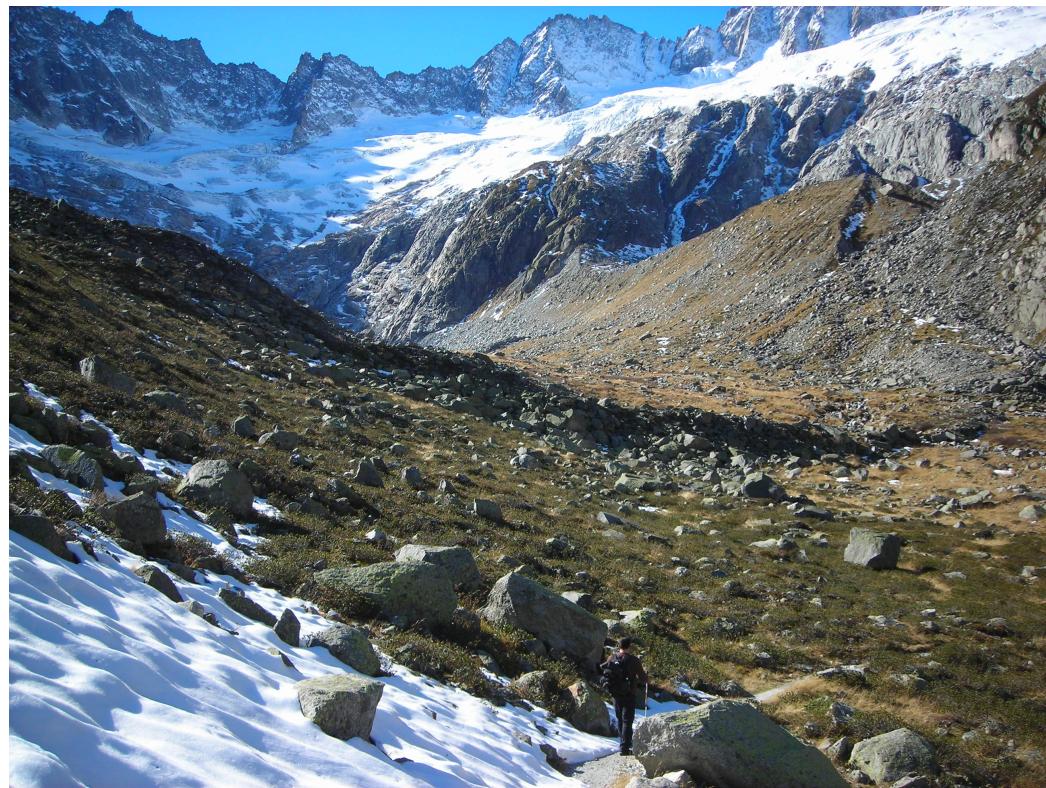


**Drainage area:** 10.7 km<sup>2</sup>  
**Elevation range:** 1800–3600  
**Precipitation:** 2400 mm/yr  
**Snow depth:** 2–7 m  
**Glacier extent:** 5 km<sup>2</sup>  
**Present retreat:** 10 m/yr

**Geology: central:** Aar granite

Stefano Bernasconi, ETHZ  
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# Soil profiles

D1

~ 7 yr



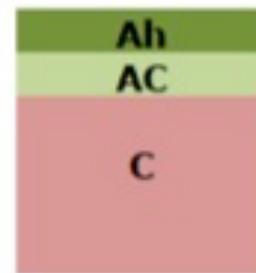
D2

~ 72 yr



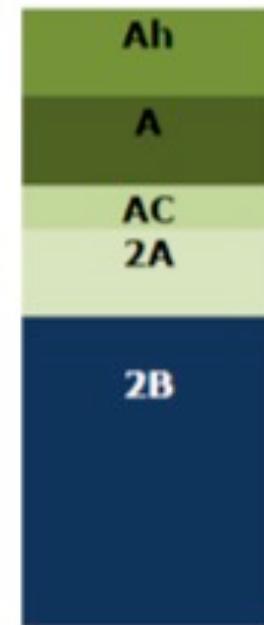
D3

~ 120 yr

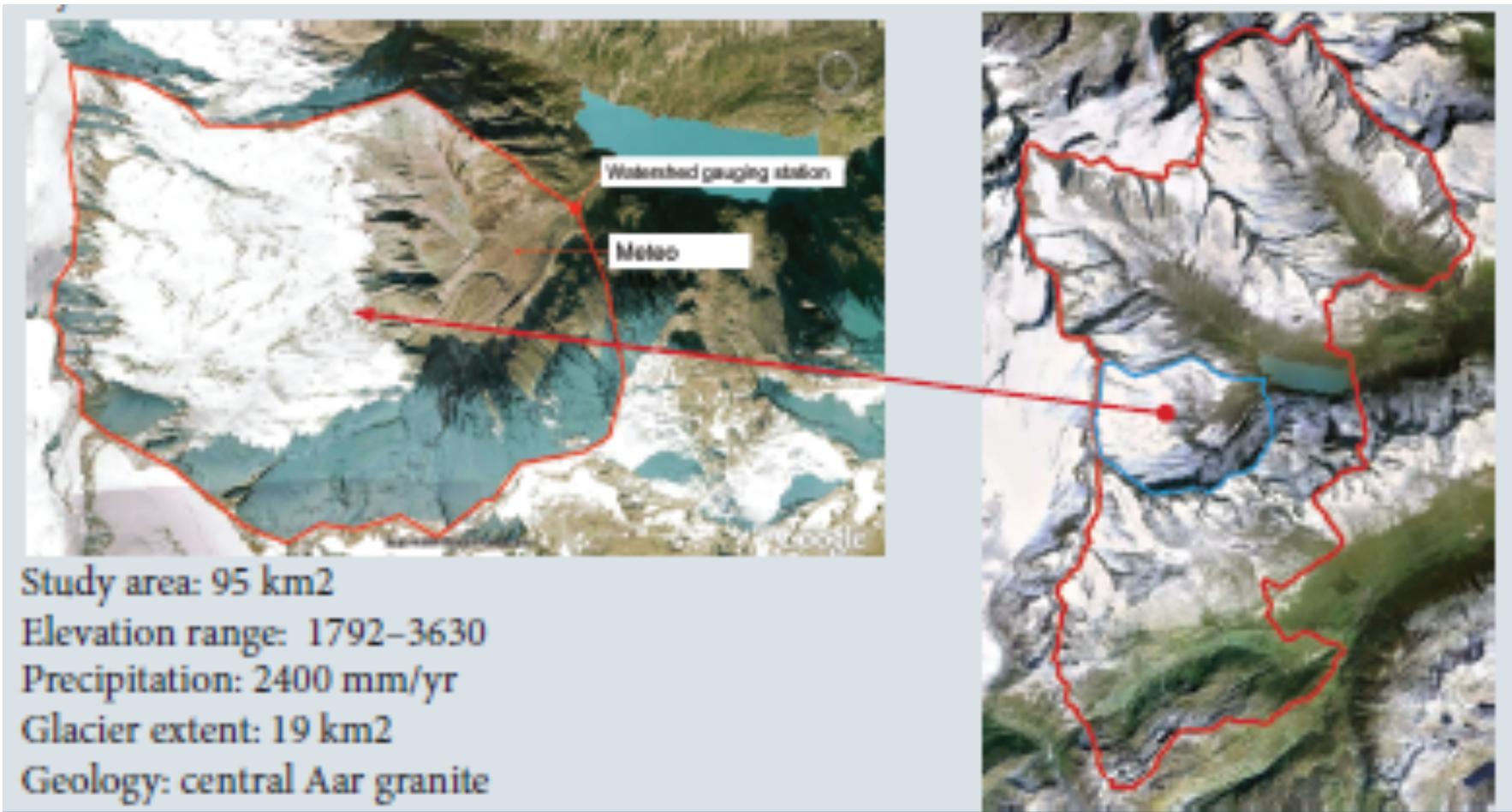


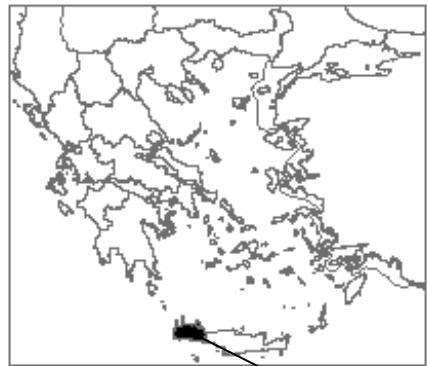
D4

>10000 yr



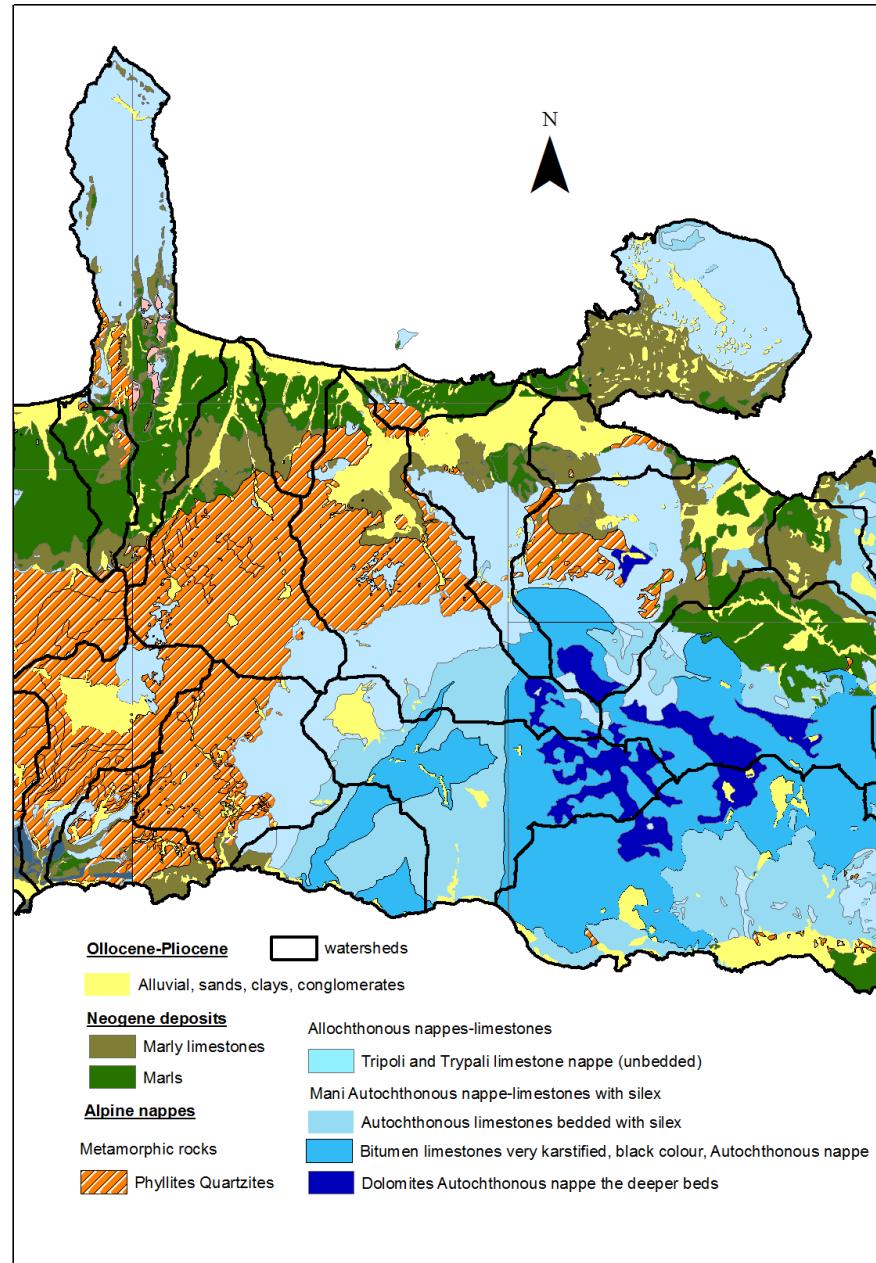
# Modelling for PIHM



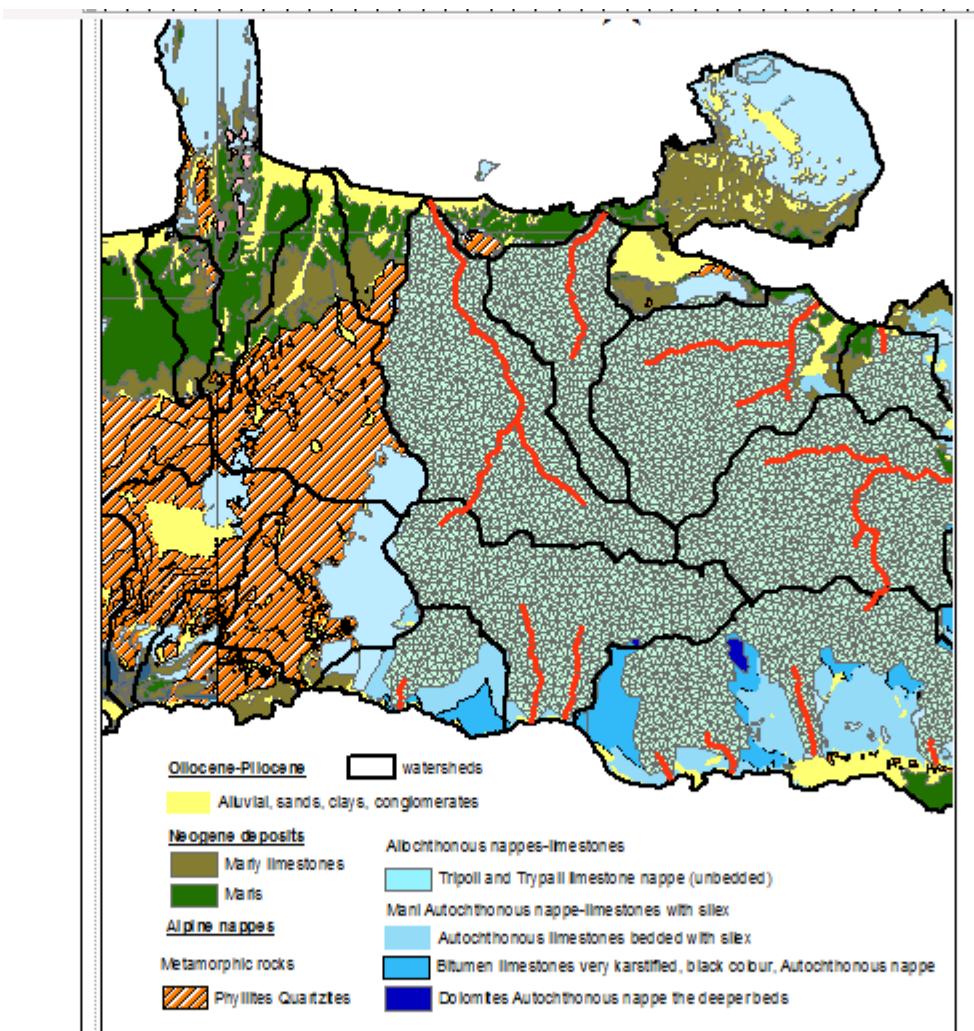


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Chris Duffy, Penn State



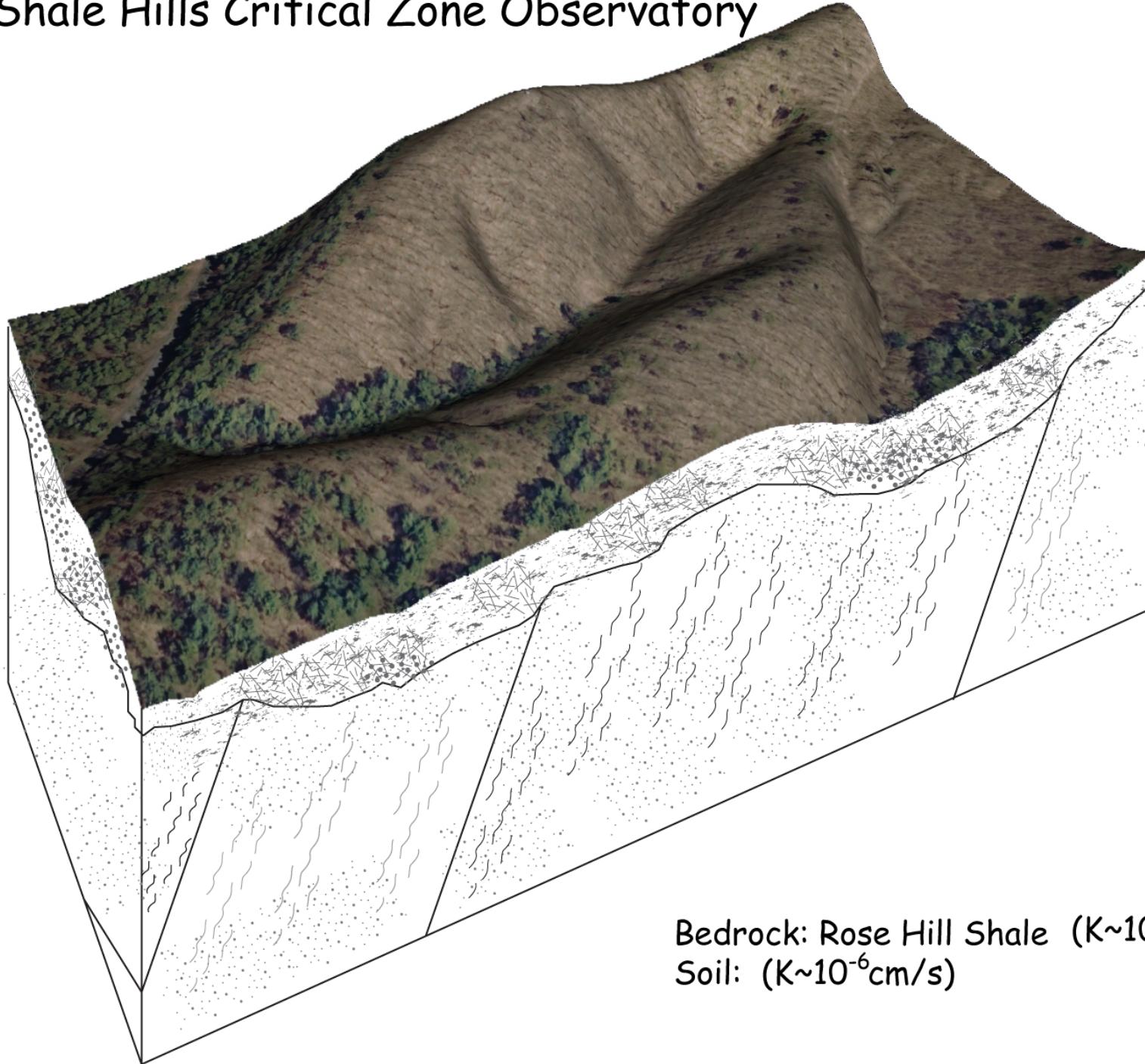
River network created  
with pihm



# Shale Hills CZO: 1979-2010 Watershed Reanalysis

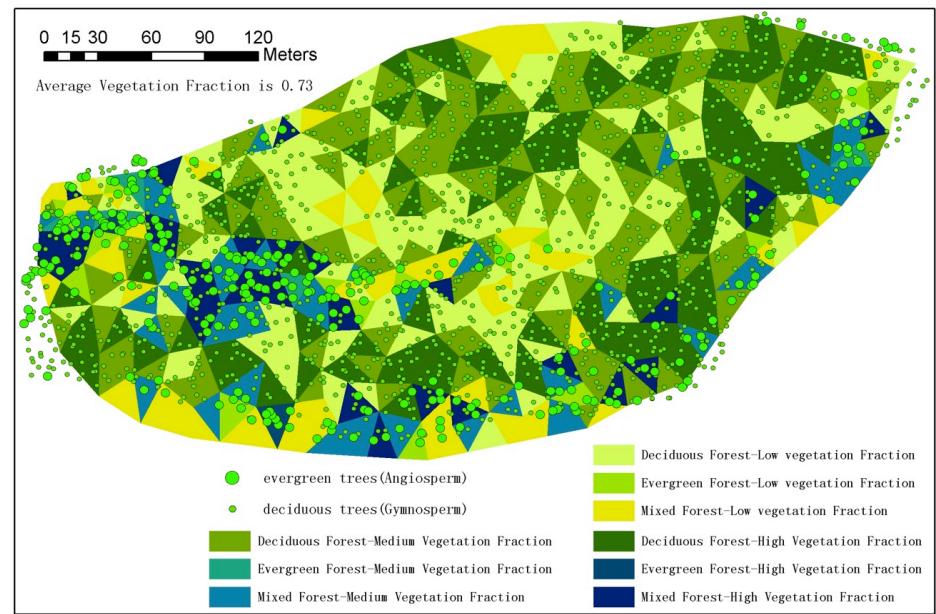
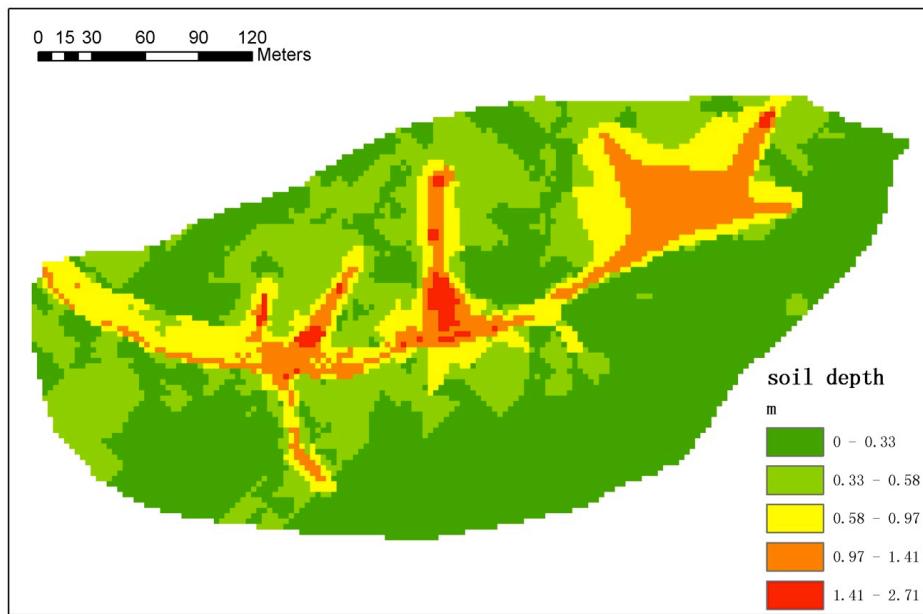
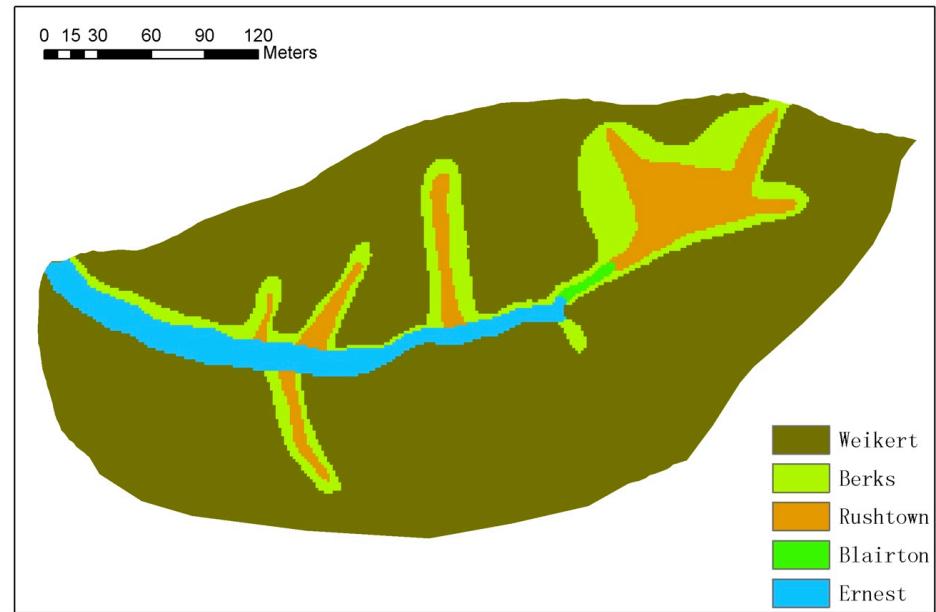
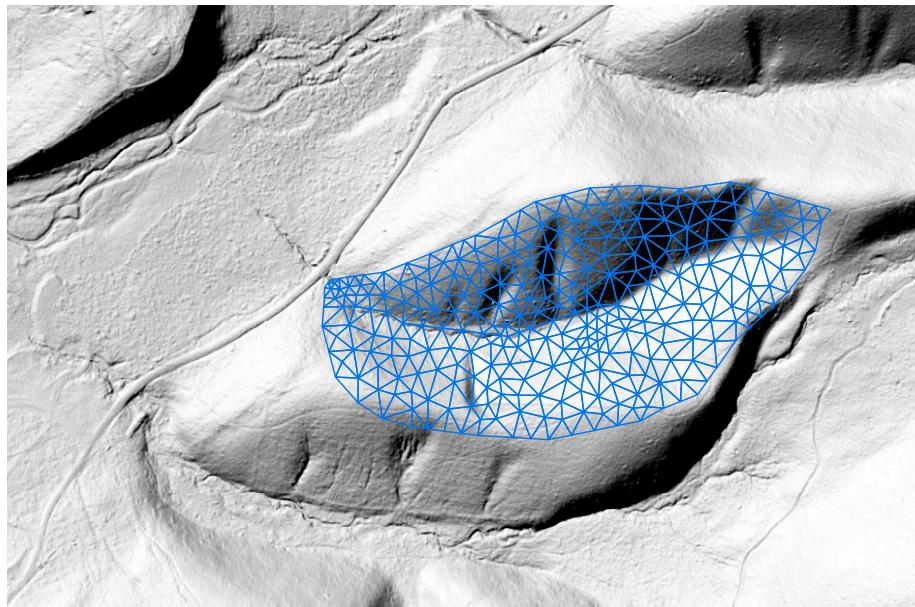


# The Shale Hills Critical Zone Observatory

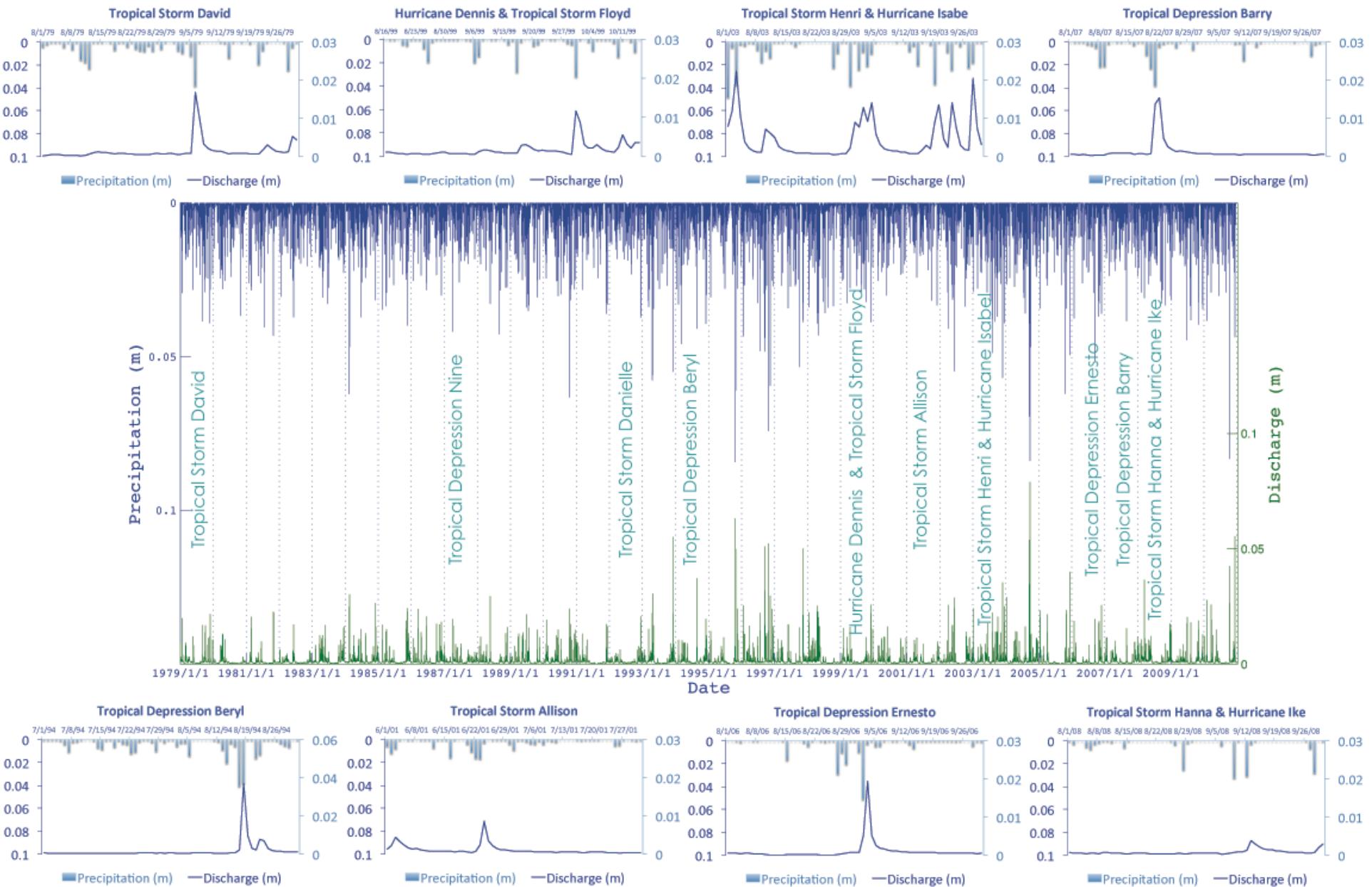


Bedrock: Rose Hill Shale ( $K \sim 10^{-15} \text{ cm/s}$ )  
Soil: ( $K \sim 10^{-6} \text{ cm/s}$ )

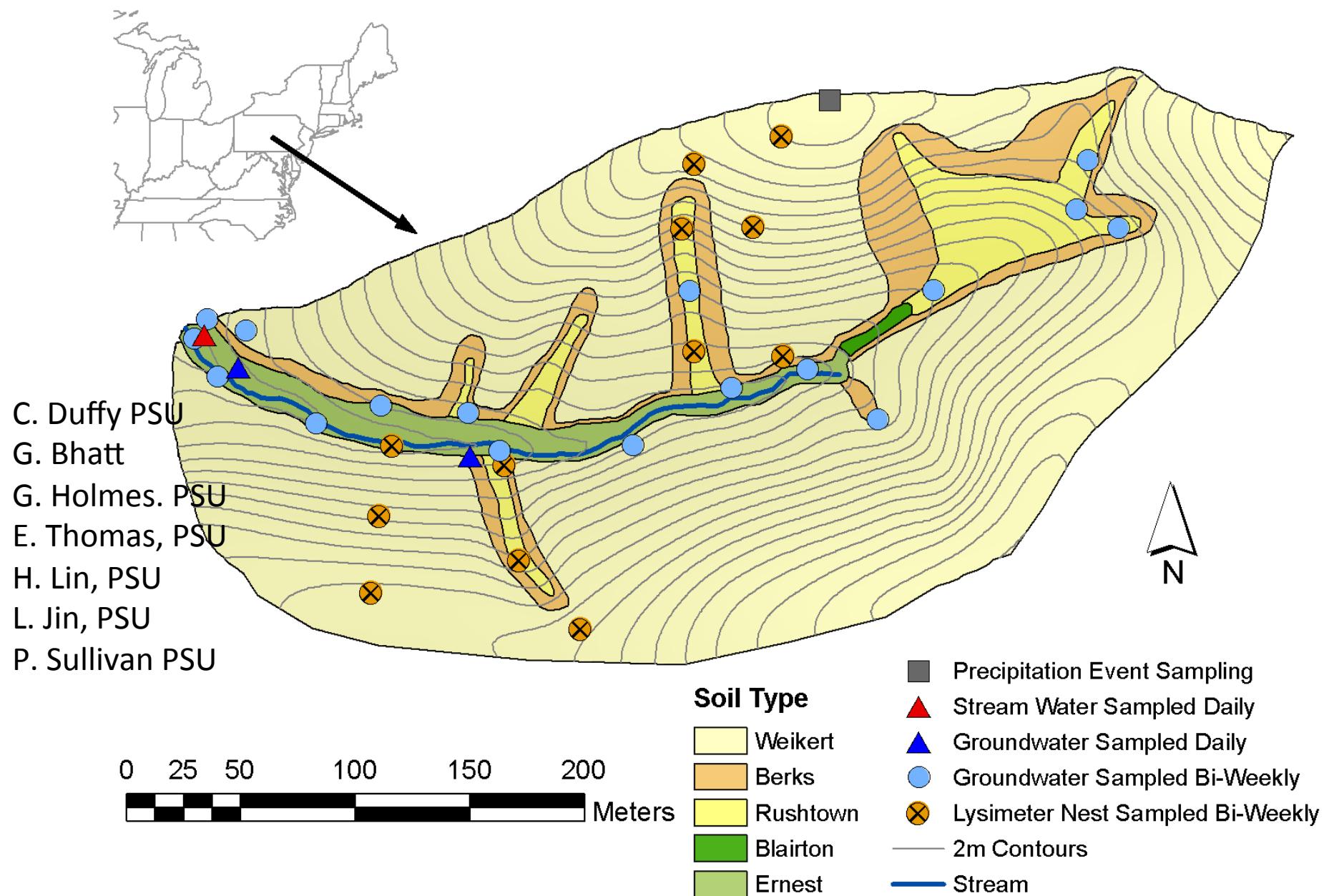
# CZO Data ->lidar, Soil, Regolith,Veg



# Virtual Watershed Storm Library From "Downscaled" Reanalysis

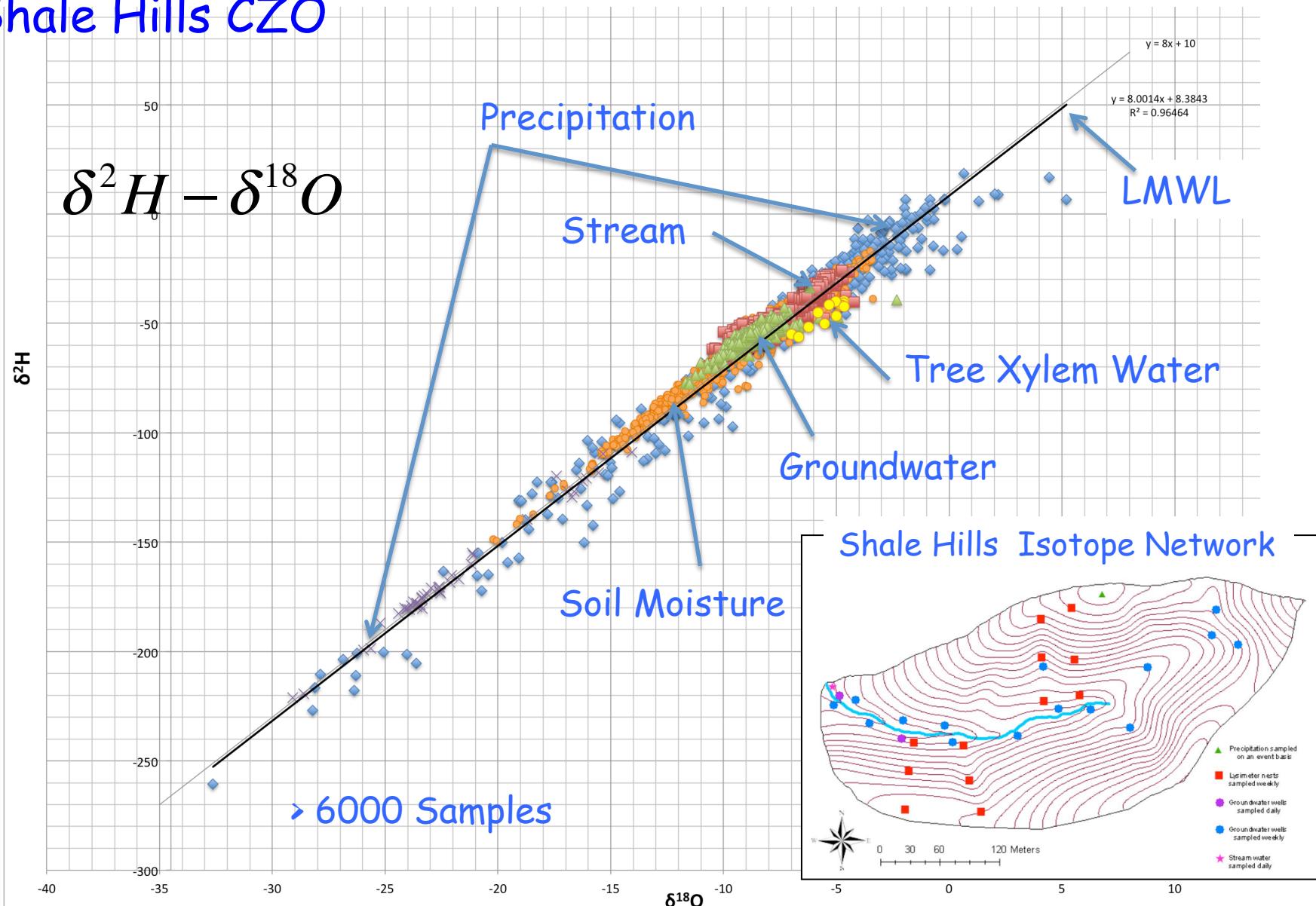


# Water Isotopes O18-D Network At Shale Hills CZO



# Stable Isotope Experiment 2008-2012

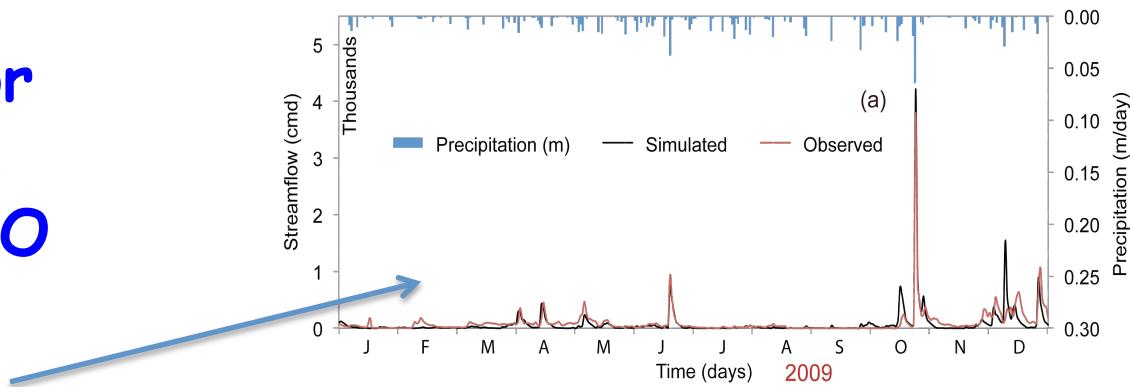
## Shale Hills CZO



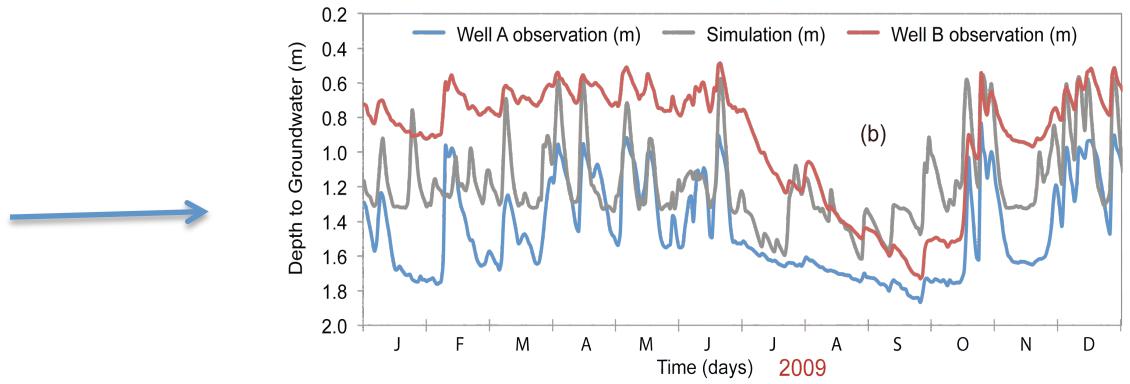
Holmes, M.S 2011, Thomas MS. 2013

# Multi-State Calibration For PIHM at the Shale Hills CZO

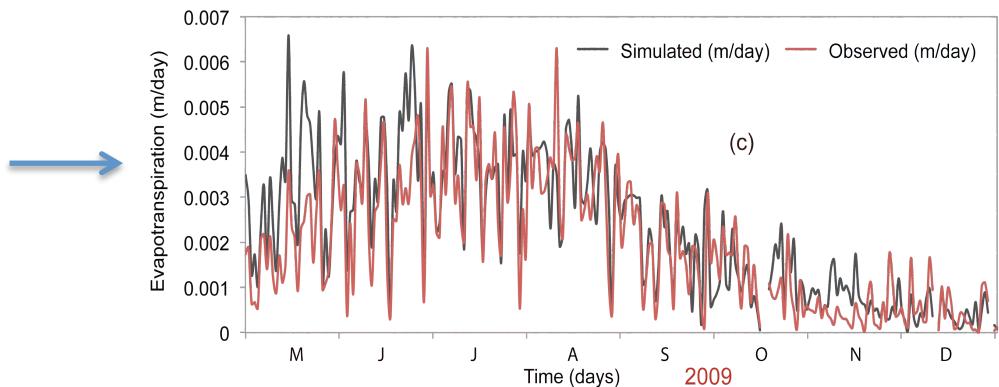
Runoff



Water Levels

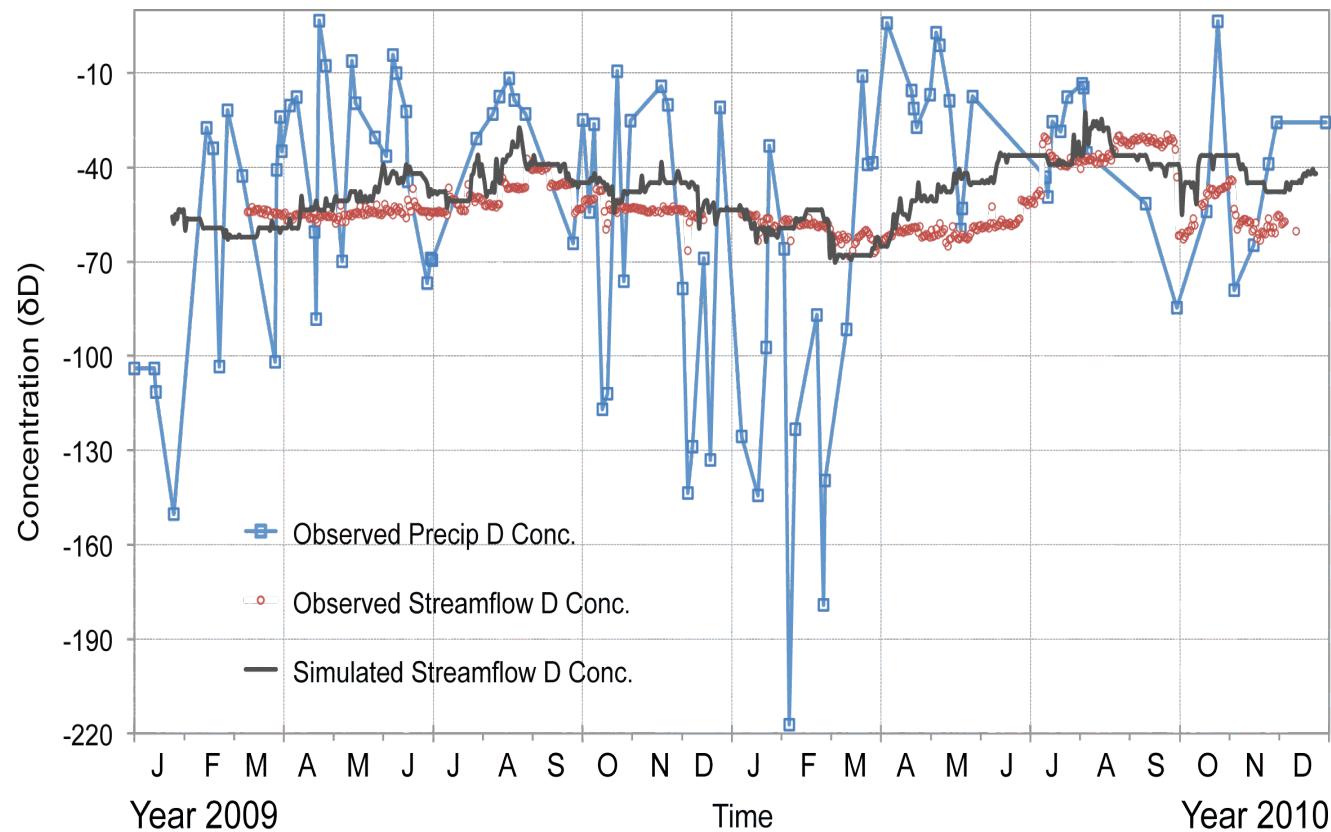


Evapotranspiration

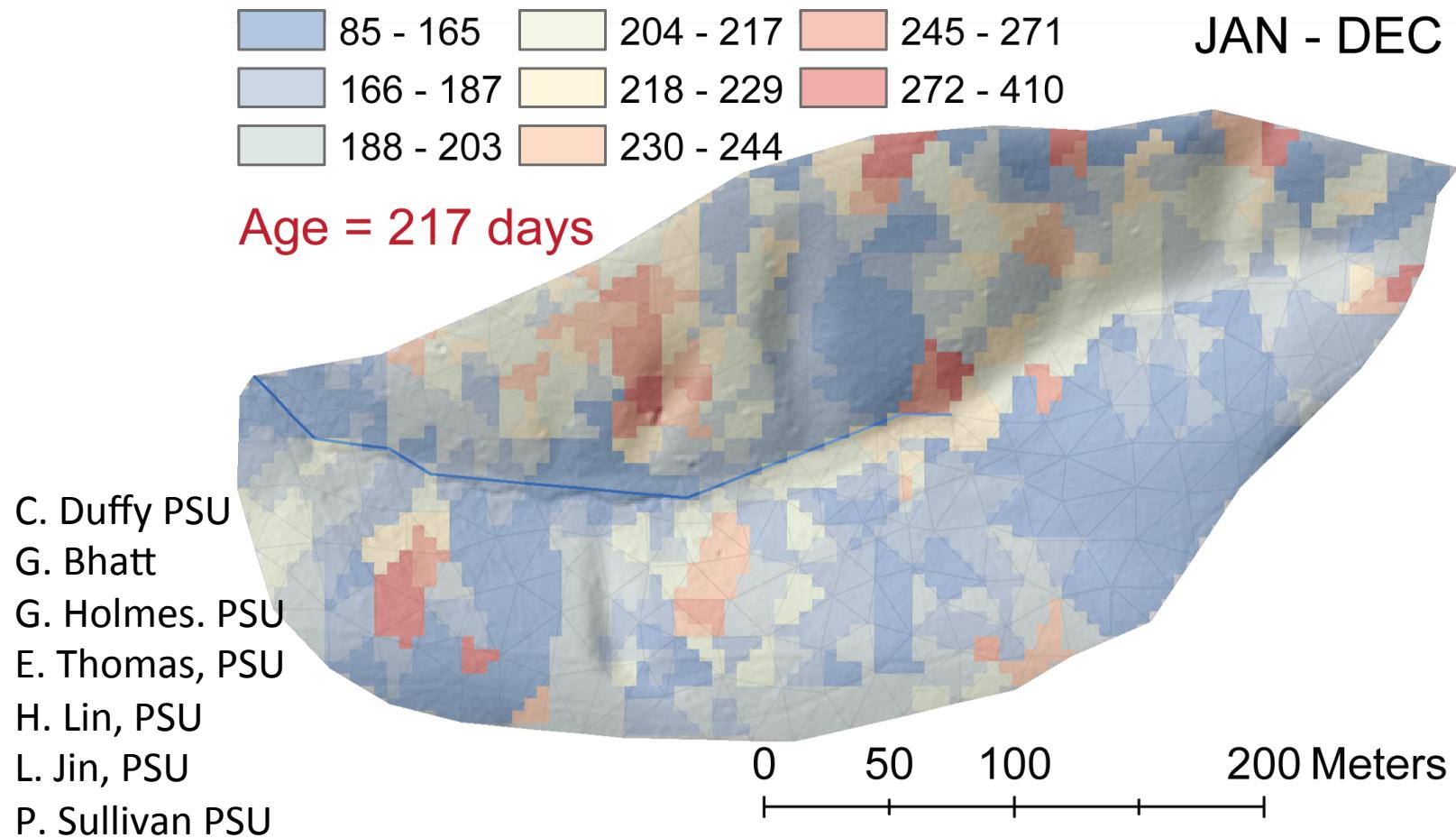


# Predicted and Observed O<sub>18</sub>-D Compositions At Shale Hills CZO

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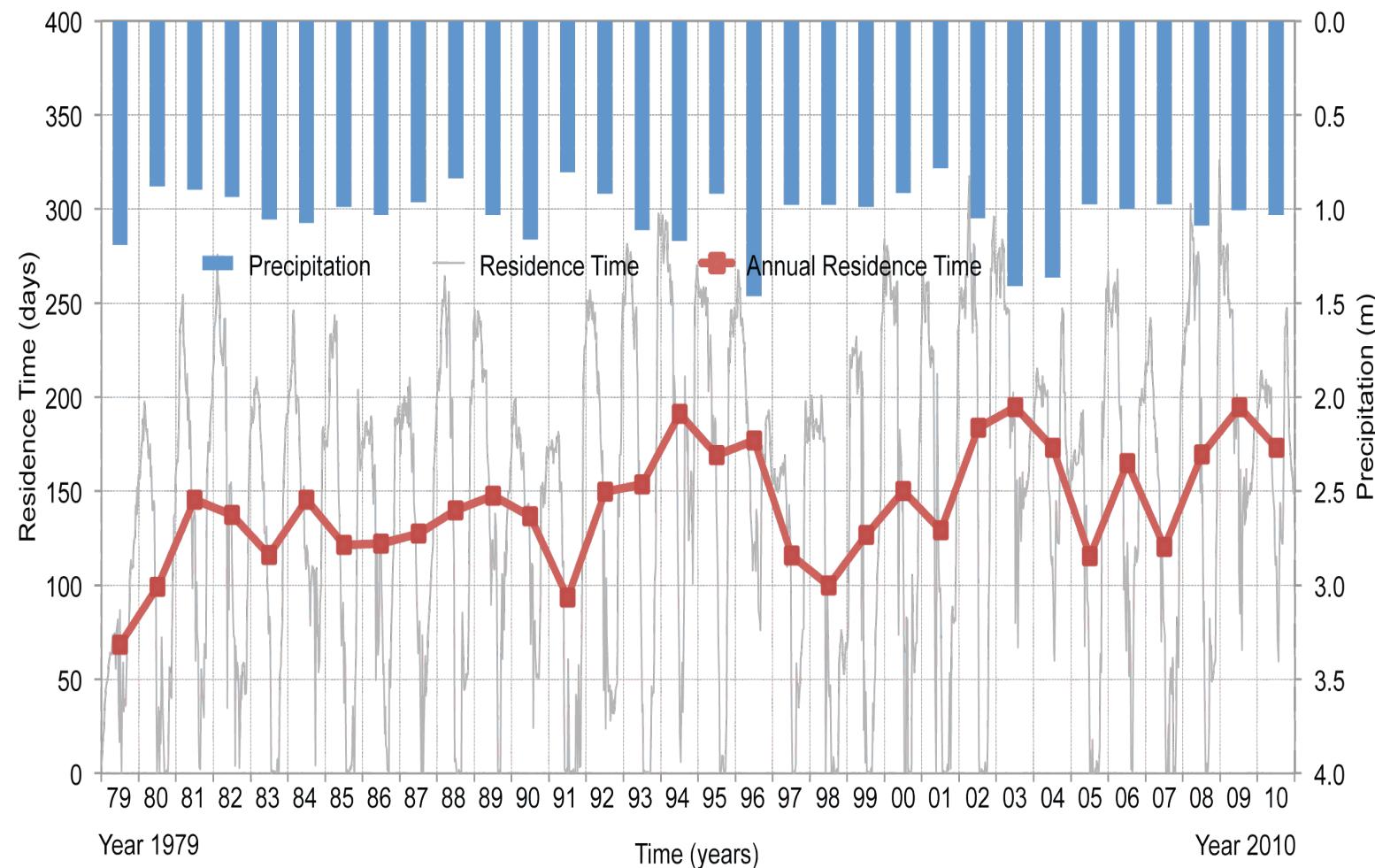


## Simulated Average Age of Groundwater + Soil Water At Shale Hills CZO

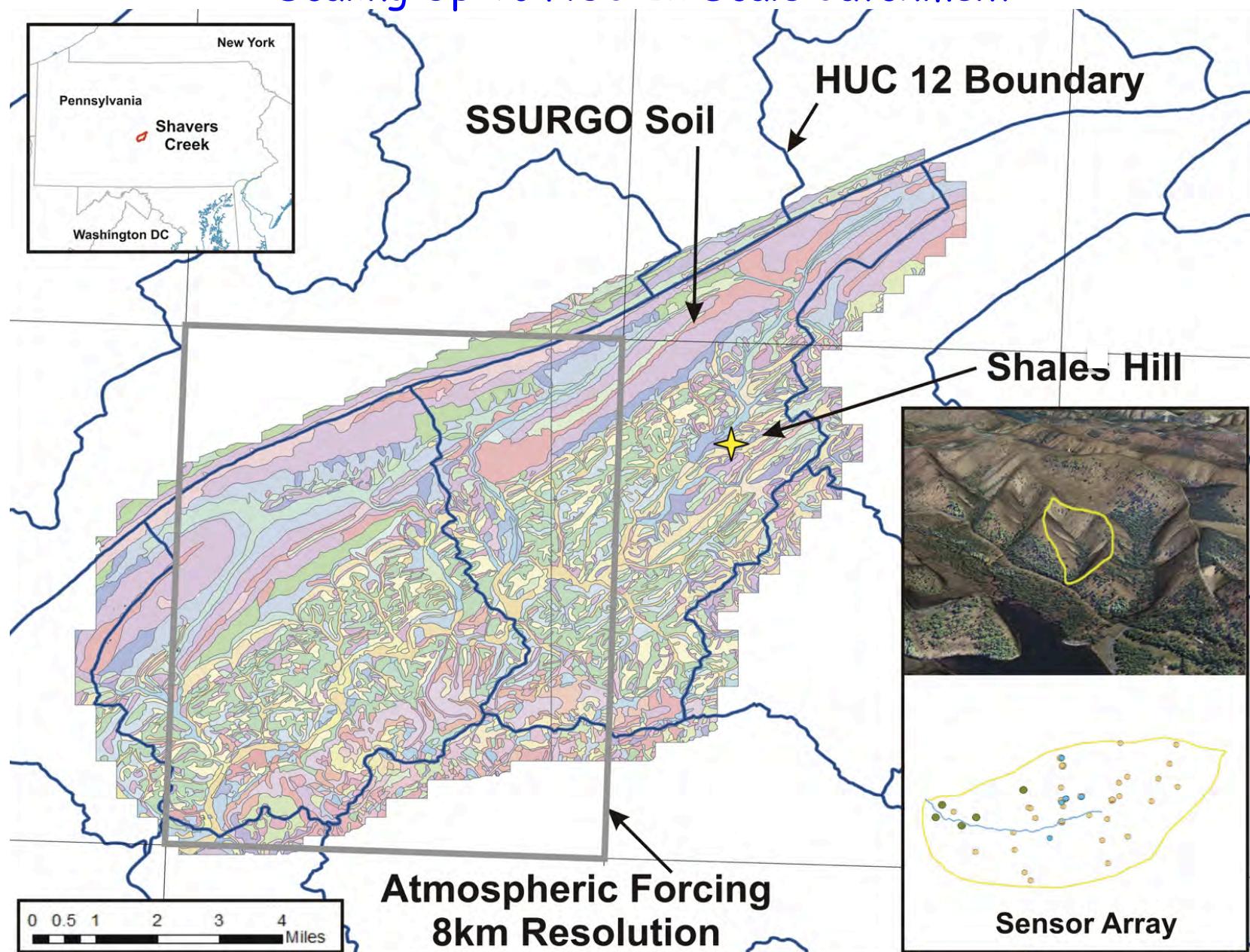


# Reanalysis Forced Dynamic Residence Time of Runoff from Shale Hills CZO

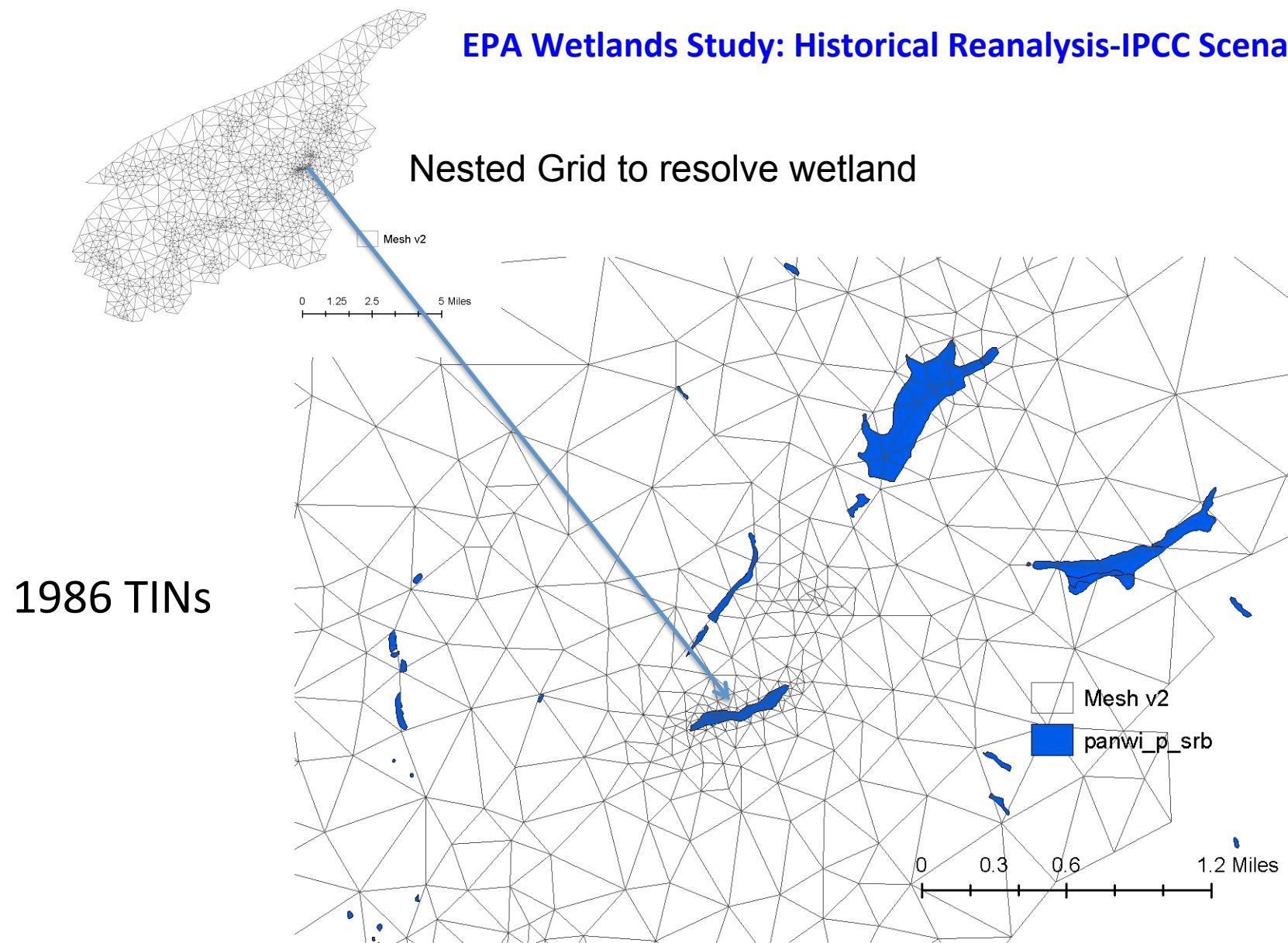
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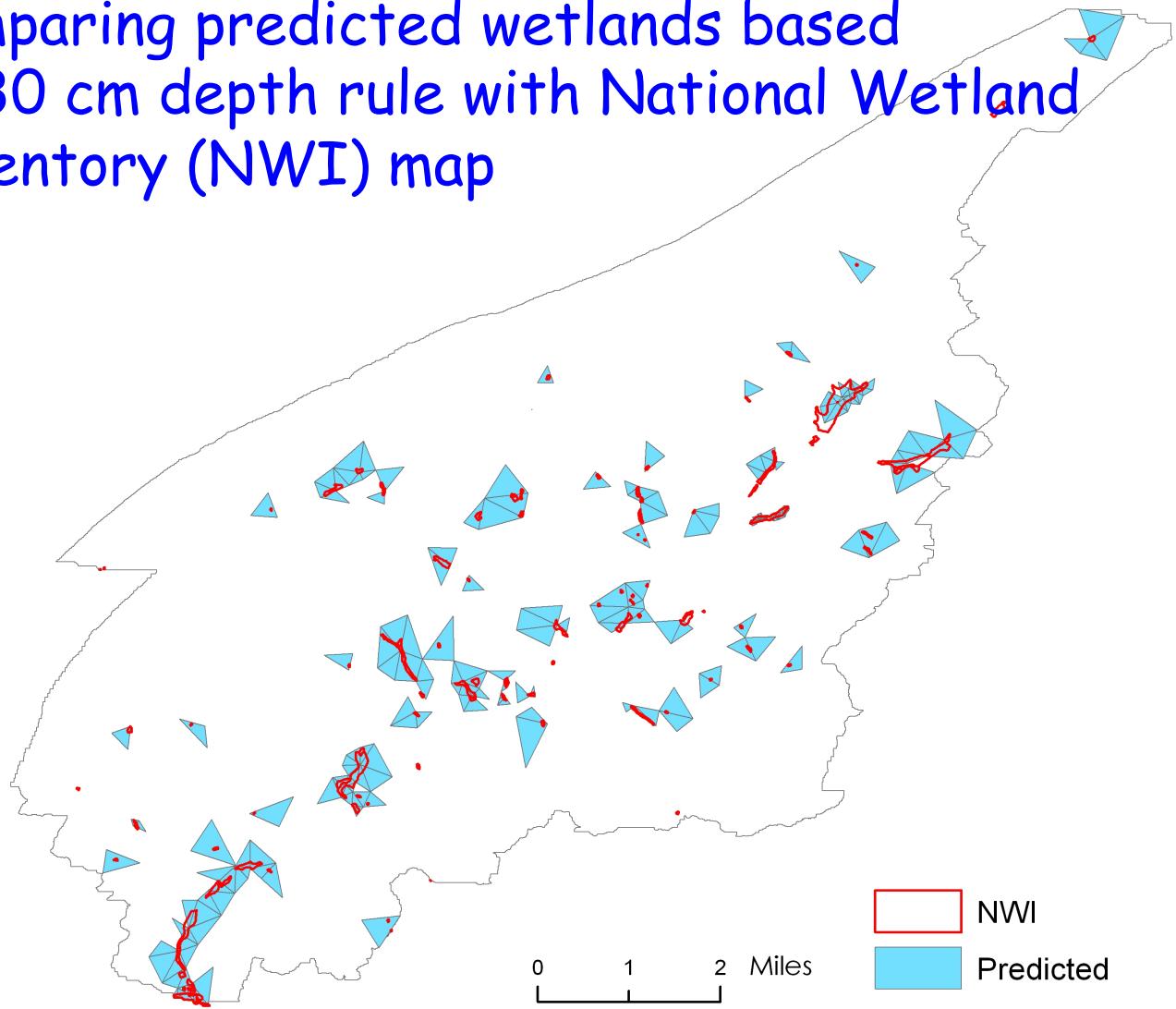
## Scaling Up To HUC-12 Scale Catchment



## EPA Wetlands Study: Historical Reanalysis-IPCC Scenarios

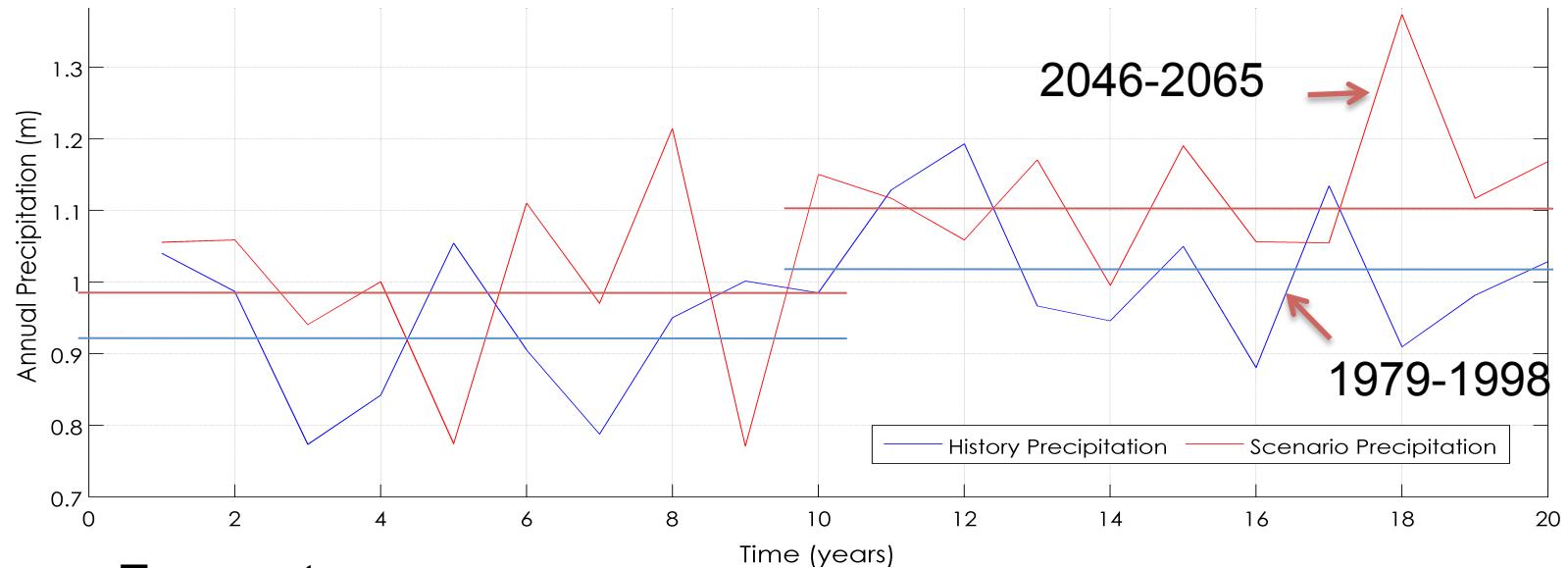


## Comparing predicted wetlands based on 30 cm depth rule with National Wetland Inventory (NWI) map

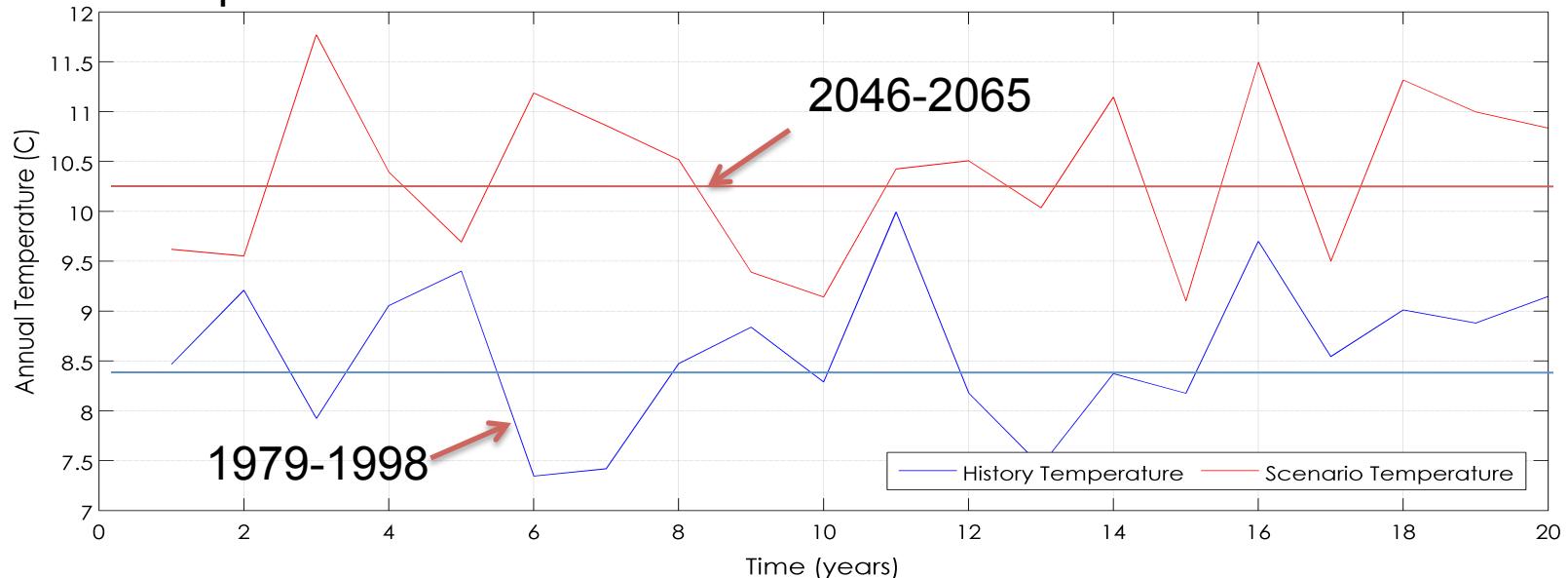


# Compare Historical & IPCC Forcing

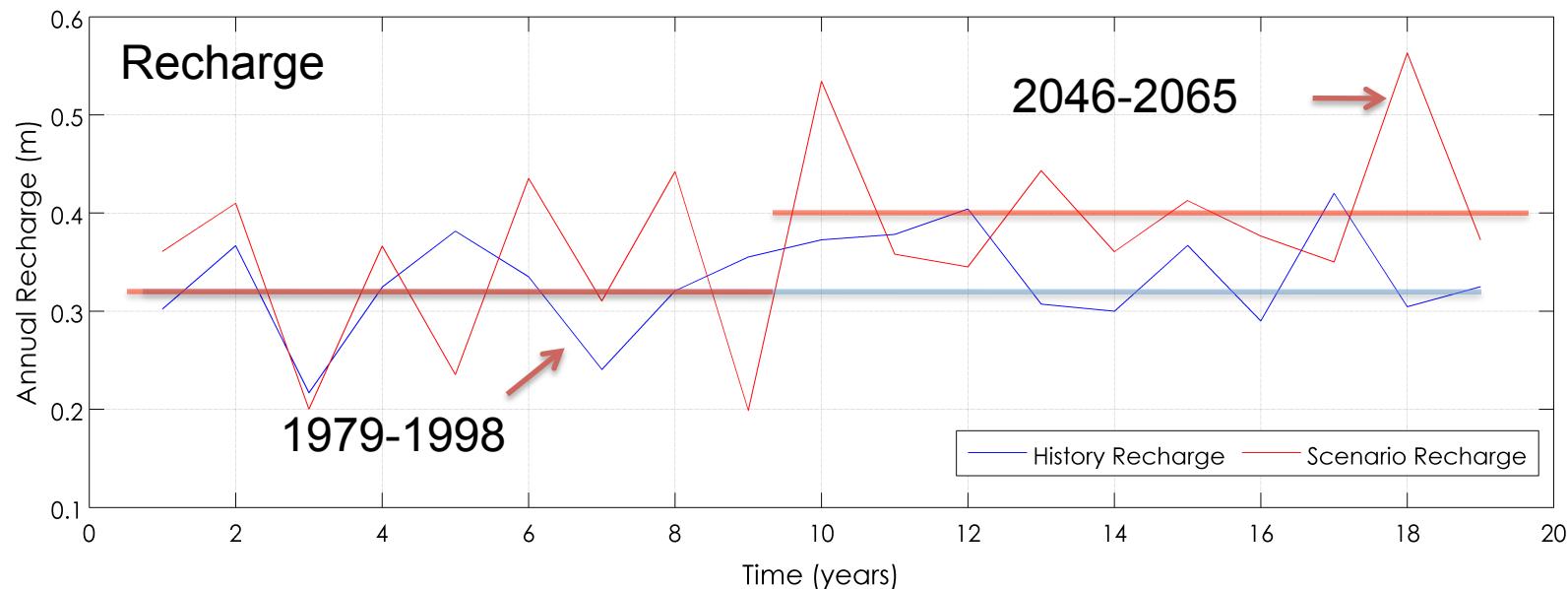
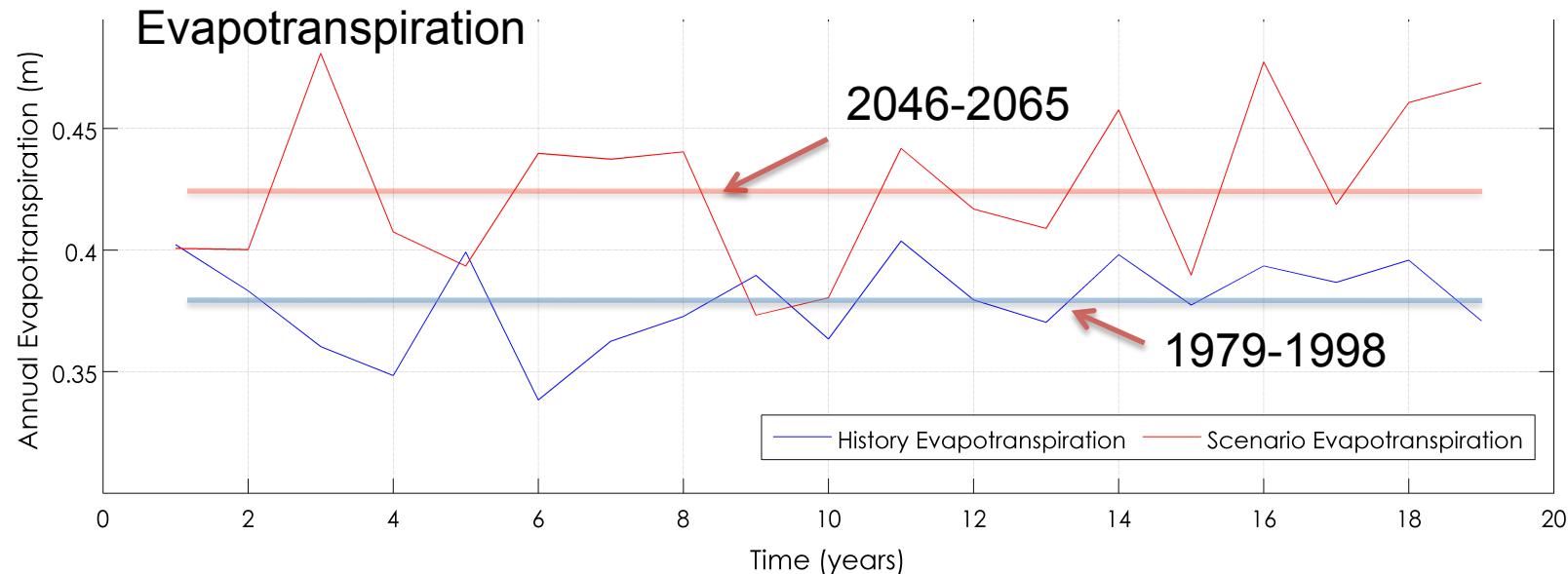
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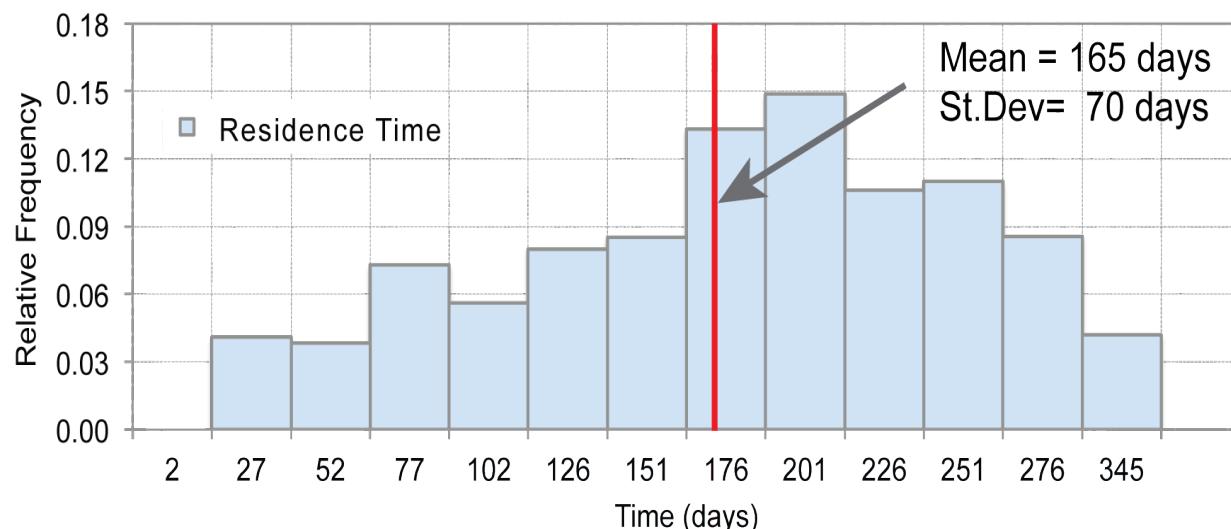
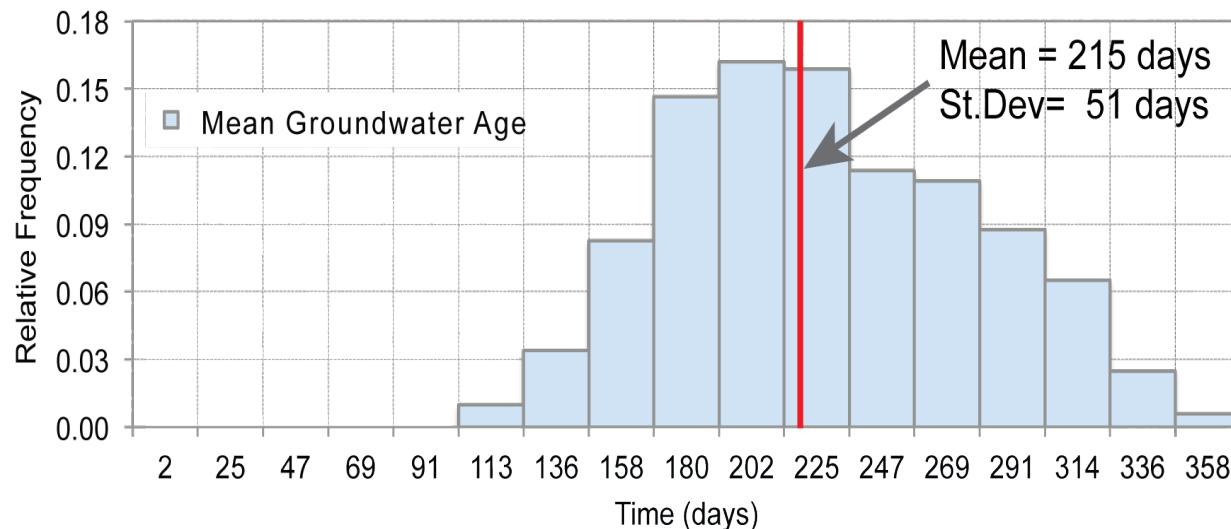
## Temperature



# Historical vs IPCC ET-Recharge



## Relative Frequency for Groundwater Age & Runoff Residence Time



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# Atmospheric Modeling of Stable Isotopes in Precipitation

IsoRSM experiment over Chesapeake Bay Watershed

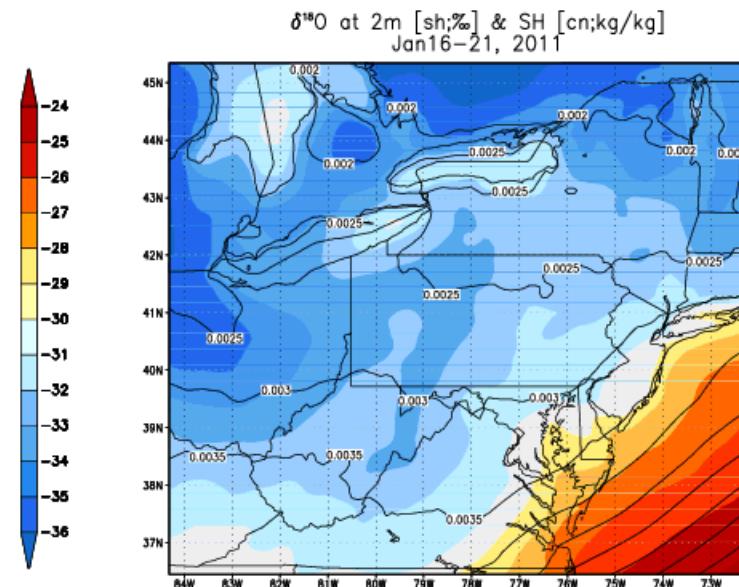
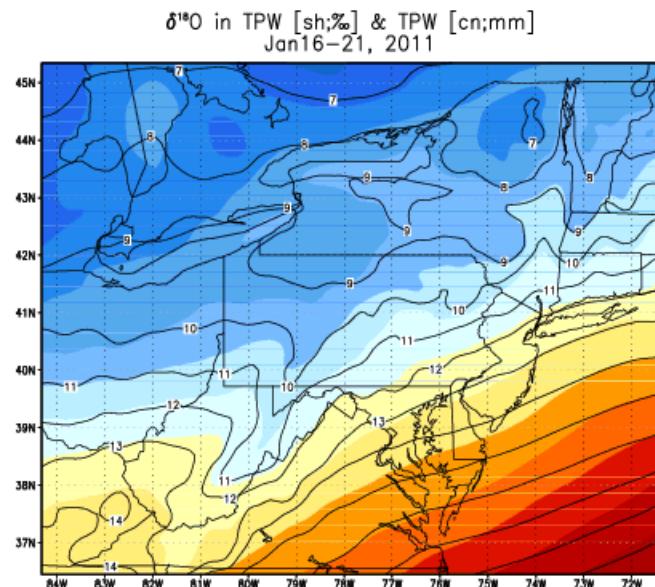
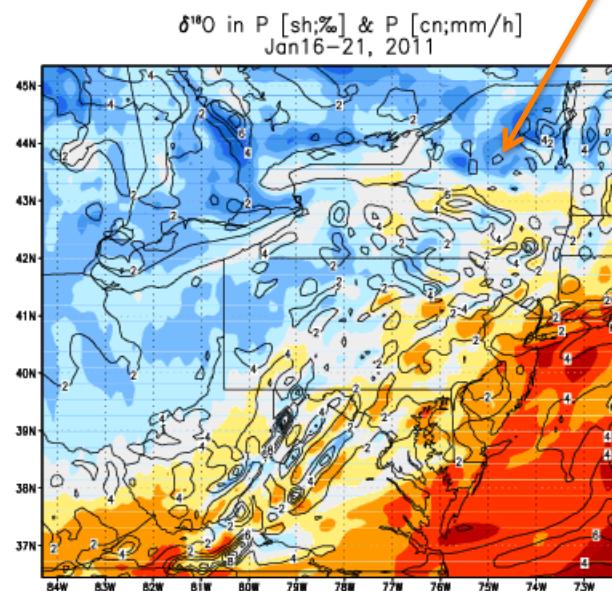
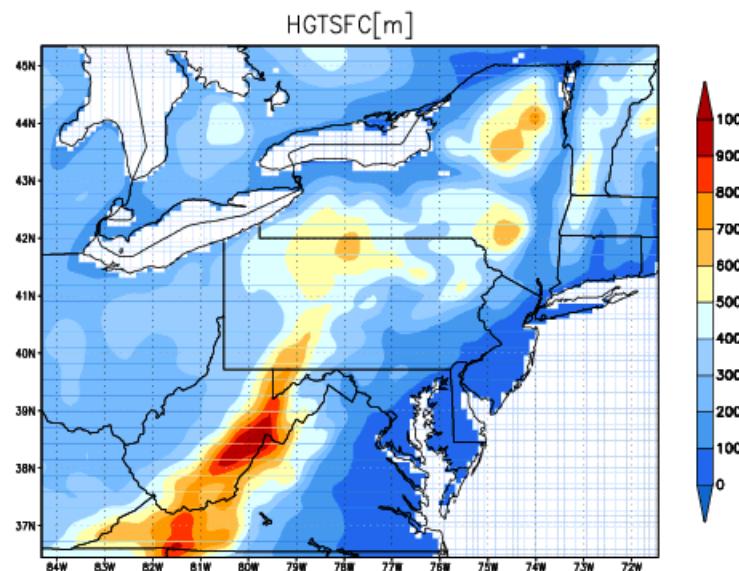
10km Simulation covering 85.5W-71.3W/35.5N-46.2N

Boundary Conditions: IsoGSM simulation based on NOAA Climate Reanalysis

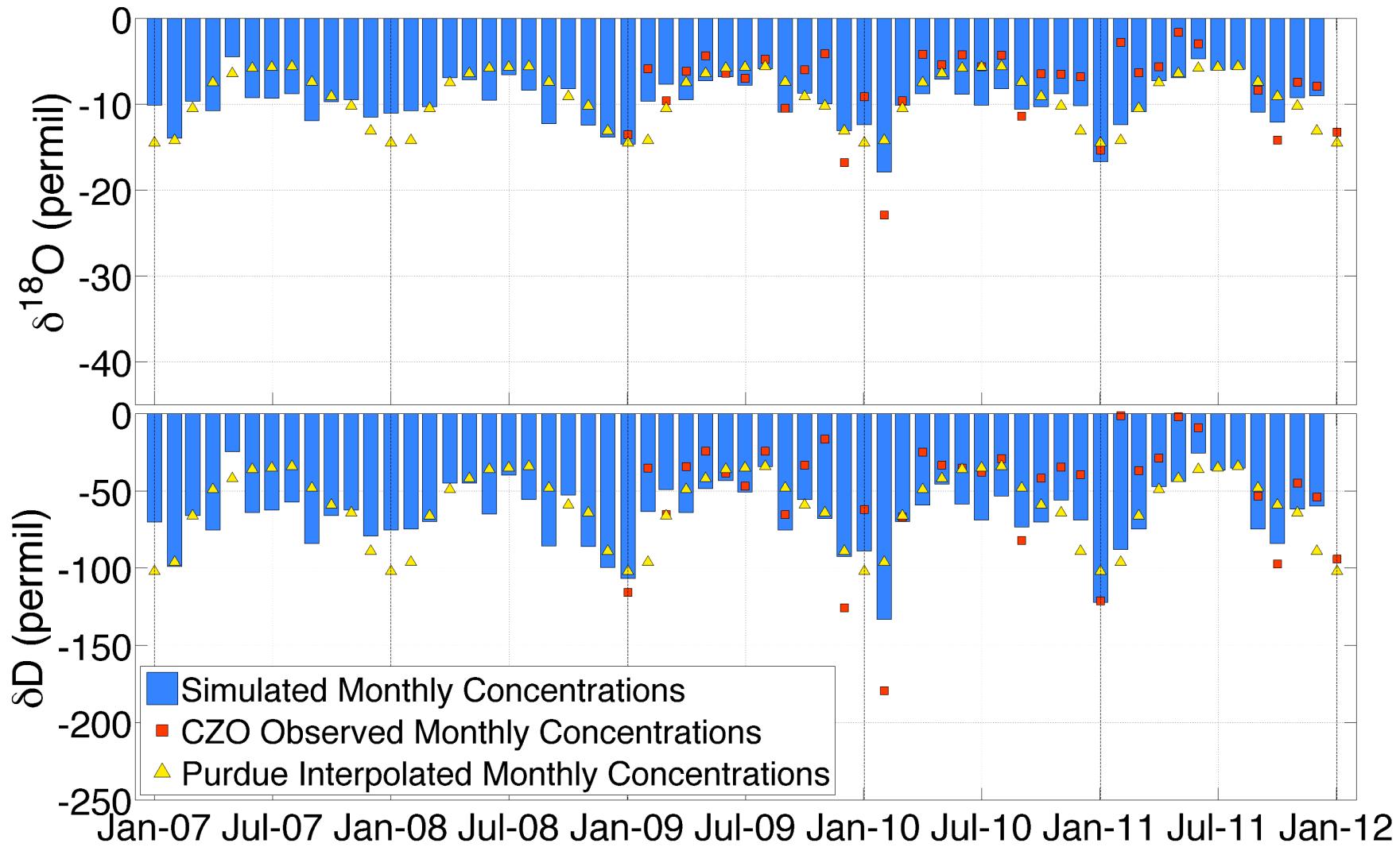
Kei Yoshimura, University of Tokyo, Japan  
(Yoshimura et al., 2010)

# Regional 10 km res.

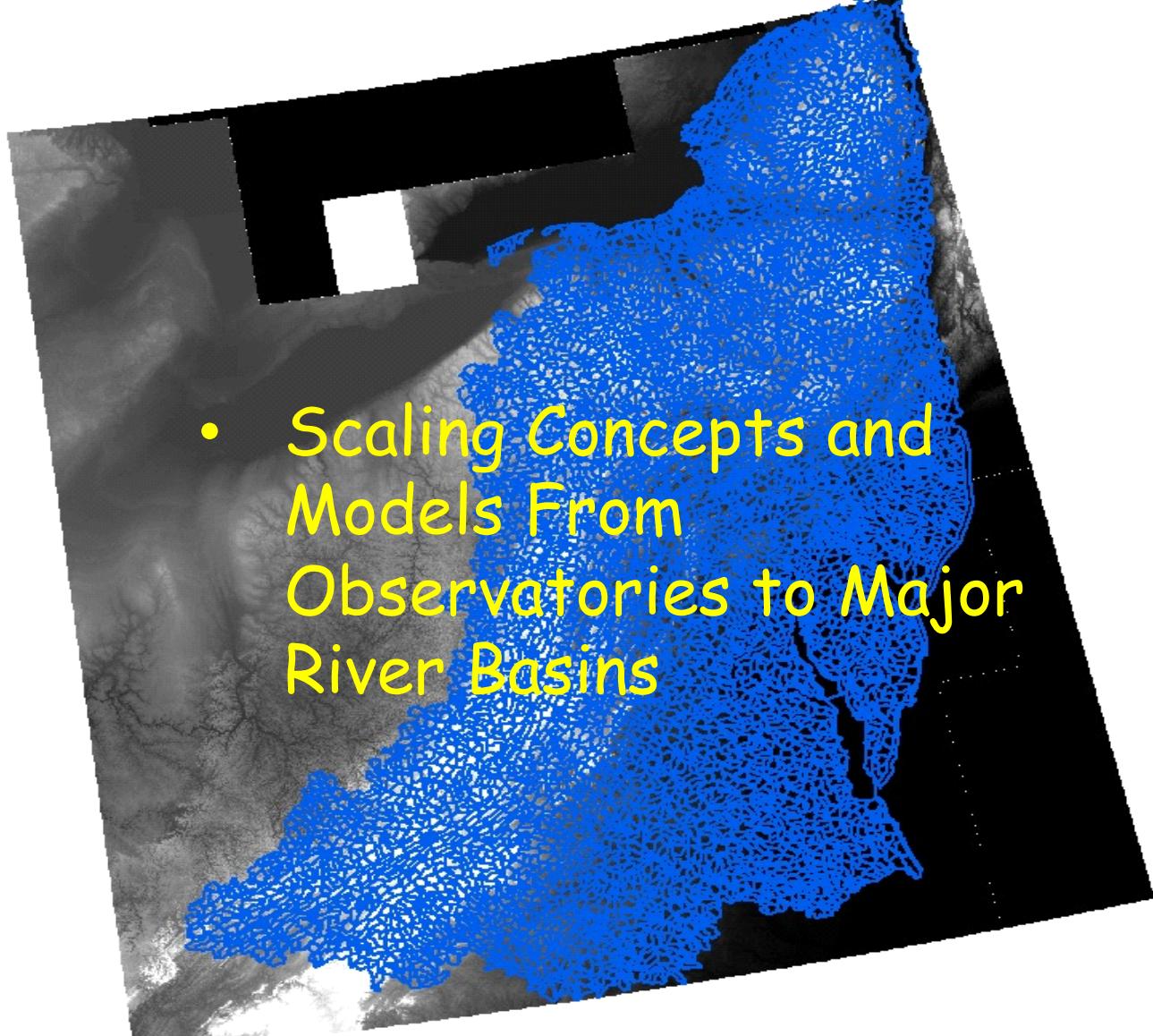
$\delta^{18}\text{O}$  in precipitation



# Simulated-Observed Seasonal Isotopes in Precip.



# HPC Model-Data Access & Scalability



The screenshot shows a web browser window for the PIHM DATA Generator. The URL is [http://pihm.cce.psu.edu/CBP\\_Data/PIHM\\_Data.html](http://pihm.cce.psu.edu/CBP_Data/PIHM_Data.html). The page contains the following steps:

- (Step 1) Enter Your Email Address for link to data results**: An input field for email.
- (Step 2) Use tool below to select watershed**: A drawing tool icon.
- (Step 3) Select Start Date**: A date input field showing "15".
- (Step 4) Select End Date**: A date input field showing "15".
- (Last Step) Click to Retrieve Data**: A button labeled "Generate PIHM input Data".

A large watermark in the center of the page reads:

- Scaling Concepts and Models From Observatories to Major River Basins

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Multi-Model Simulation Framework for Earth Casting

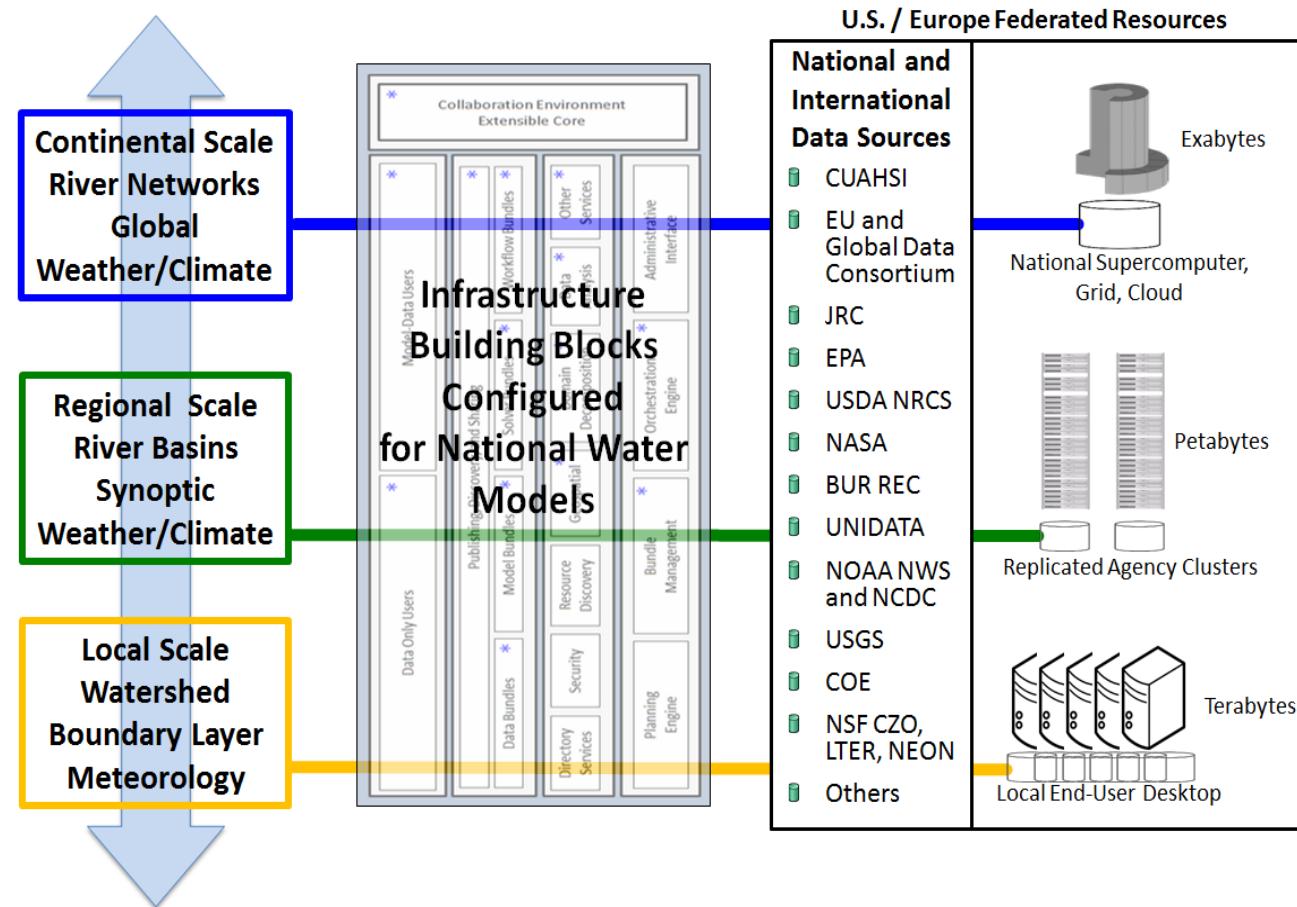
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Collaborations: RENCI UNC, HYDROSHARE/HIS USU , CUAHSI, CyberScience Institute PSU



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