



Contribution from LSCE (UVSQ) to ERA-CLIM2: « land carbon cycle reanalysis »

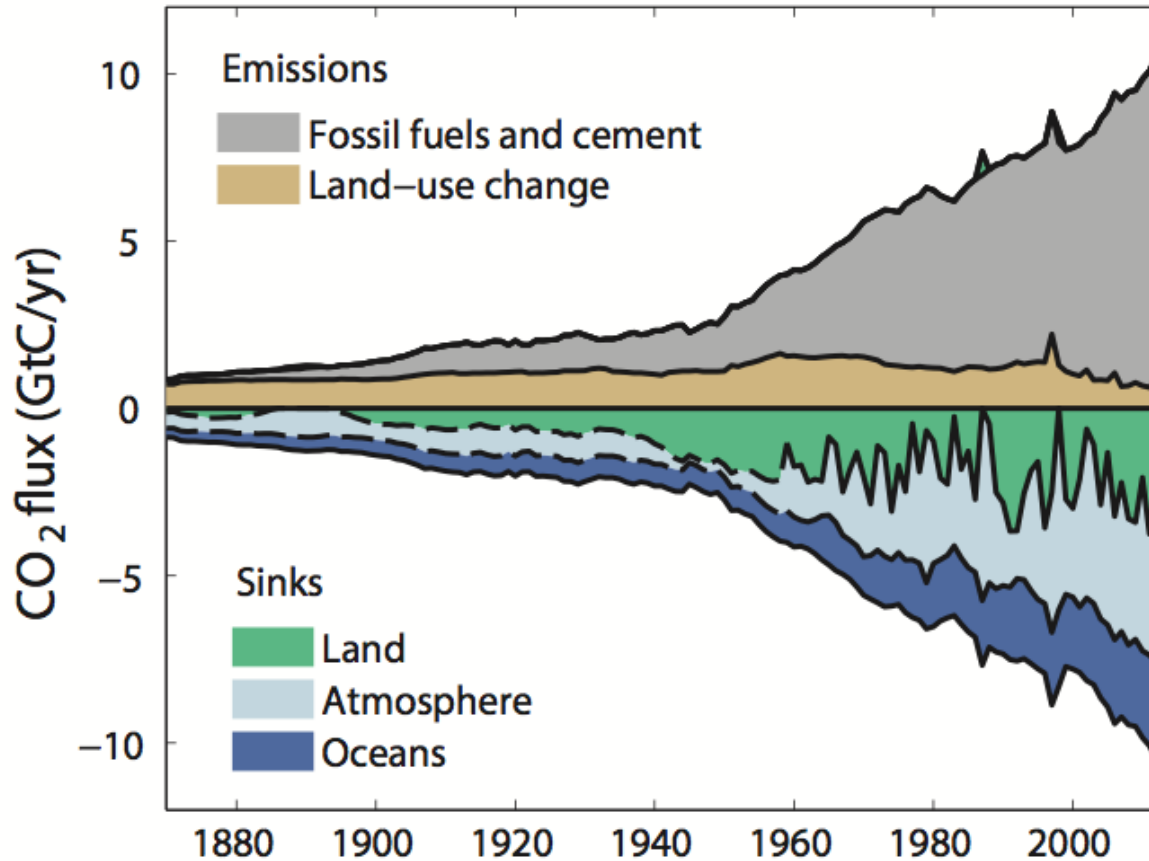
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Overall proposed contribution

- ➔ Adding the C-cycle to the reanalysis
 - 100-year reanalysis with CERA-20C
 - 30-year reanalysis with CERA-SAT
- Surface C fluxes & uncertainties:
 - land (Net and Gross) fluxes
 - anthropogenic (fossil + LUC)
- Land C stocks & uncertainties:
 - Aboveground & Belowground C pools
 - separated for Forests, Grass, Crops

Global Carbon Budget

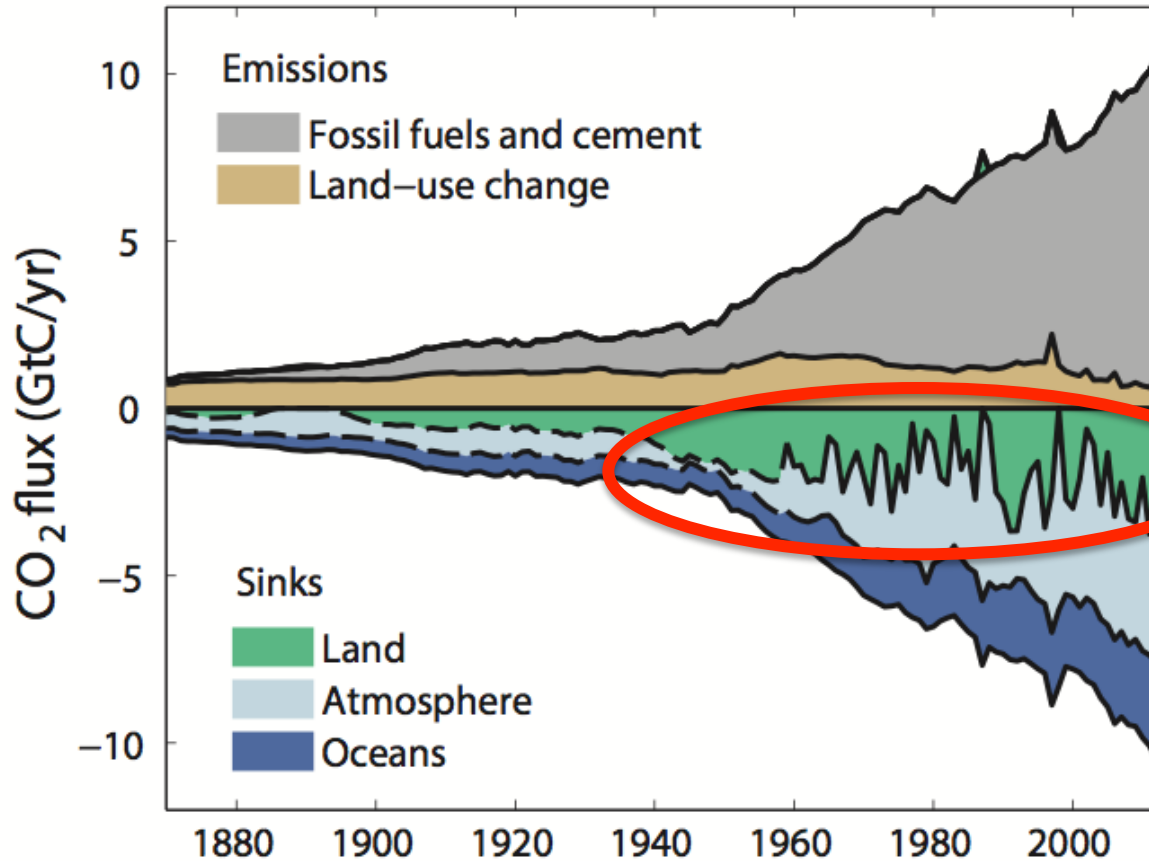


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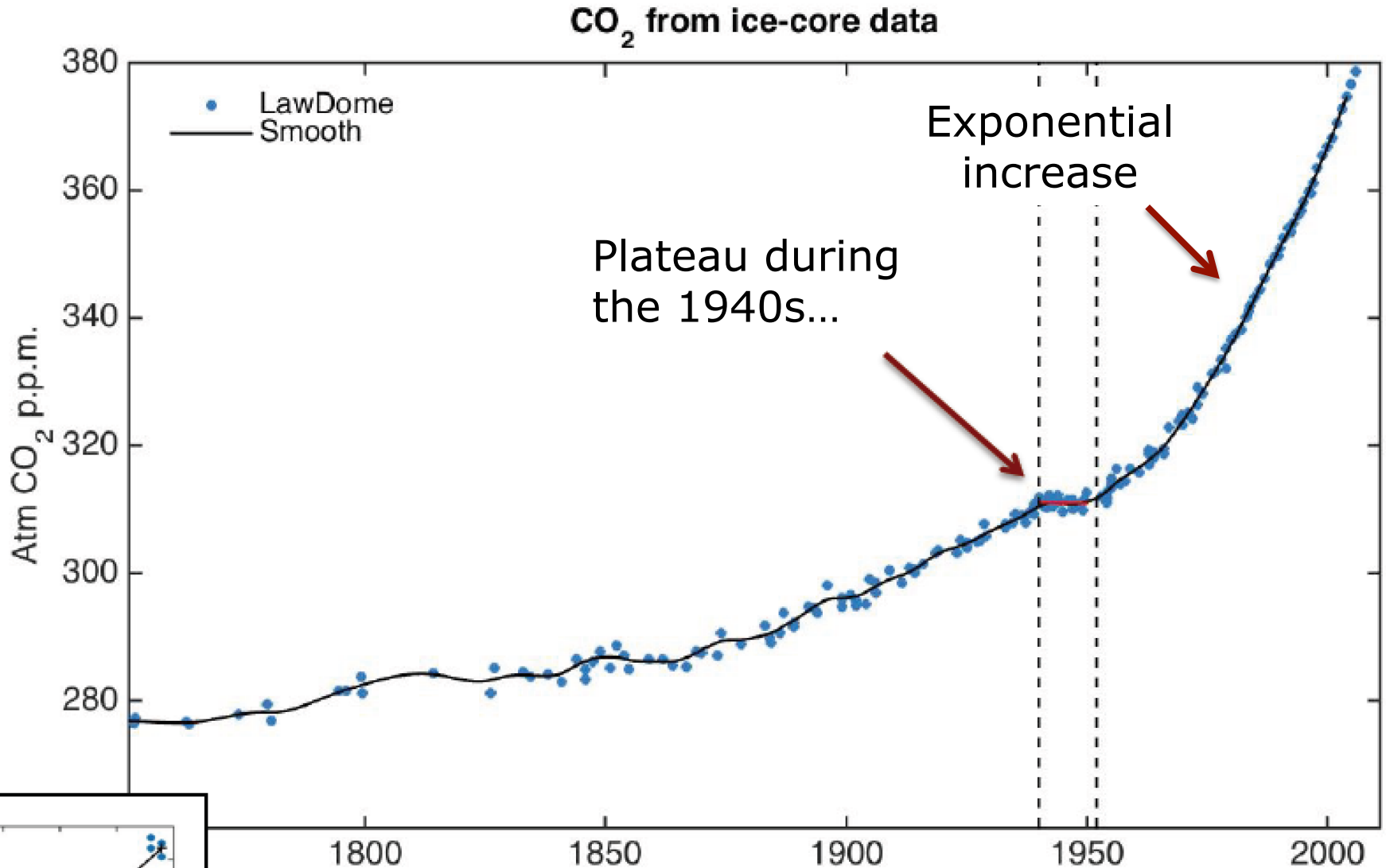
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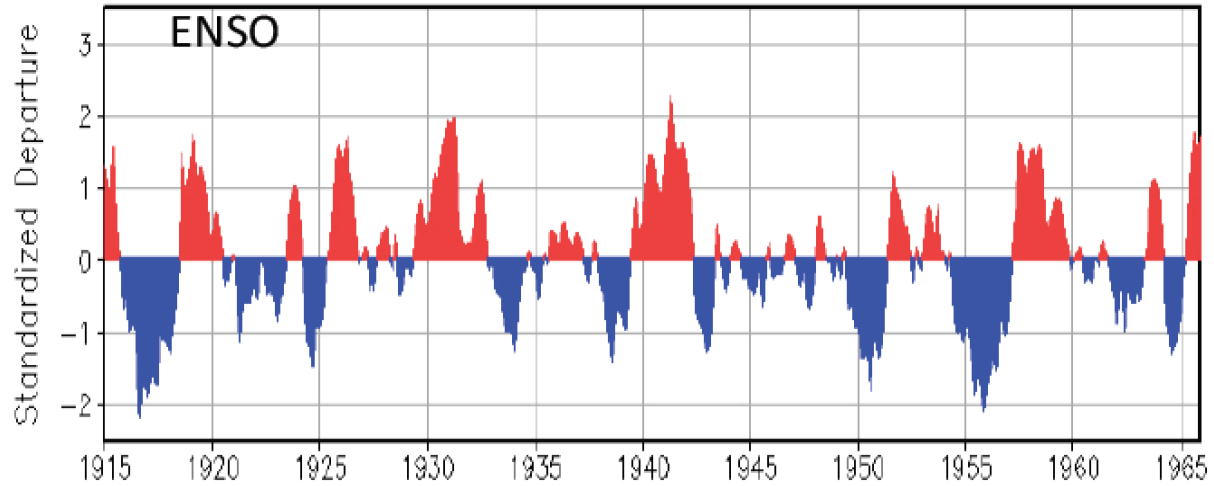
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Key features of the global C cycle over the 20th Century

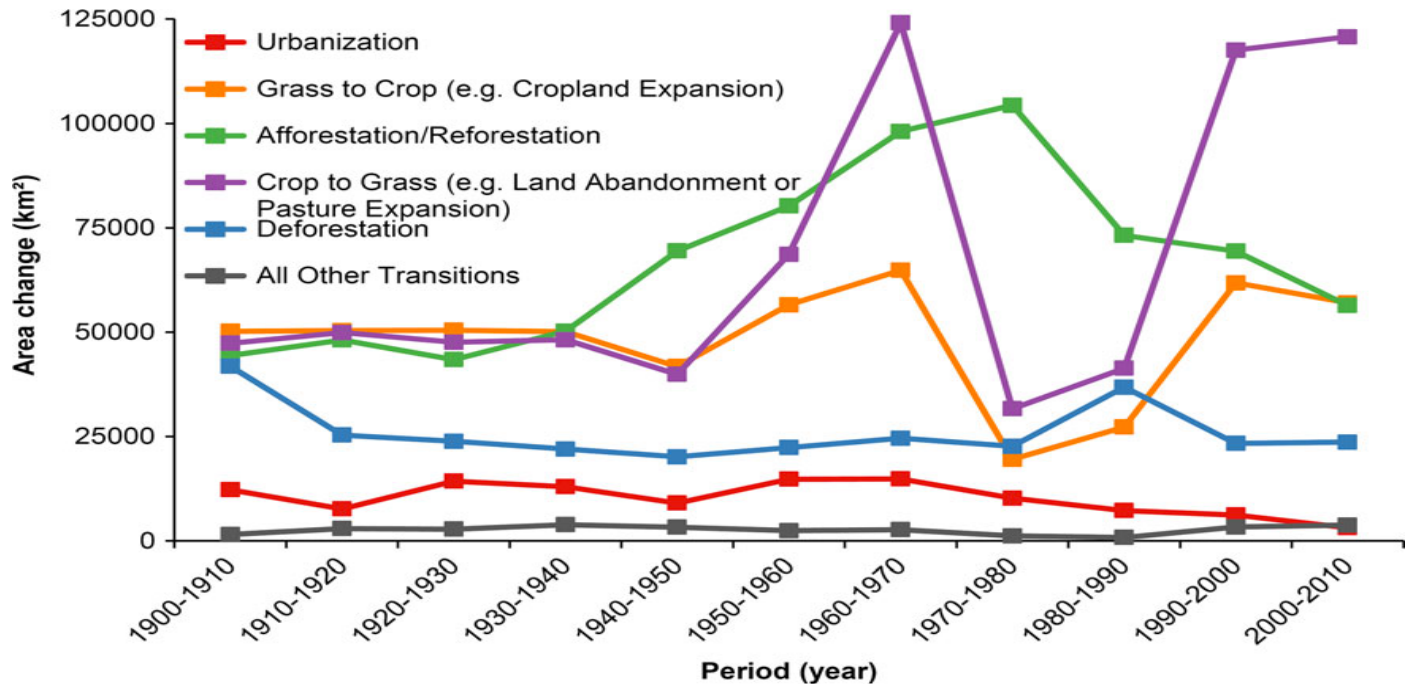


Few major drivers of the C-cycle

Climate

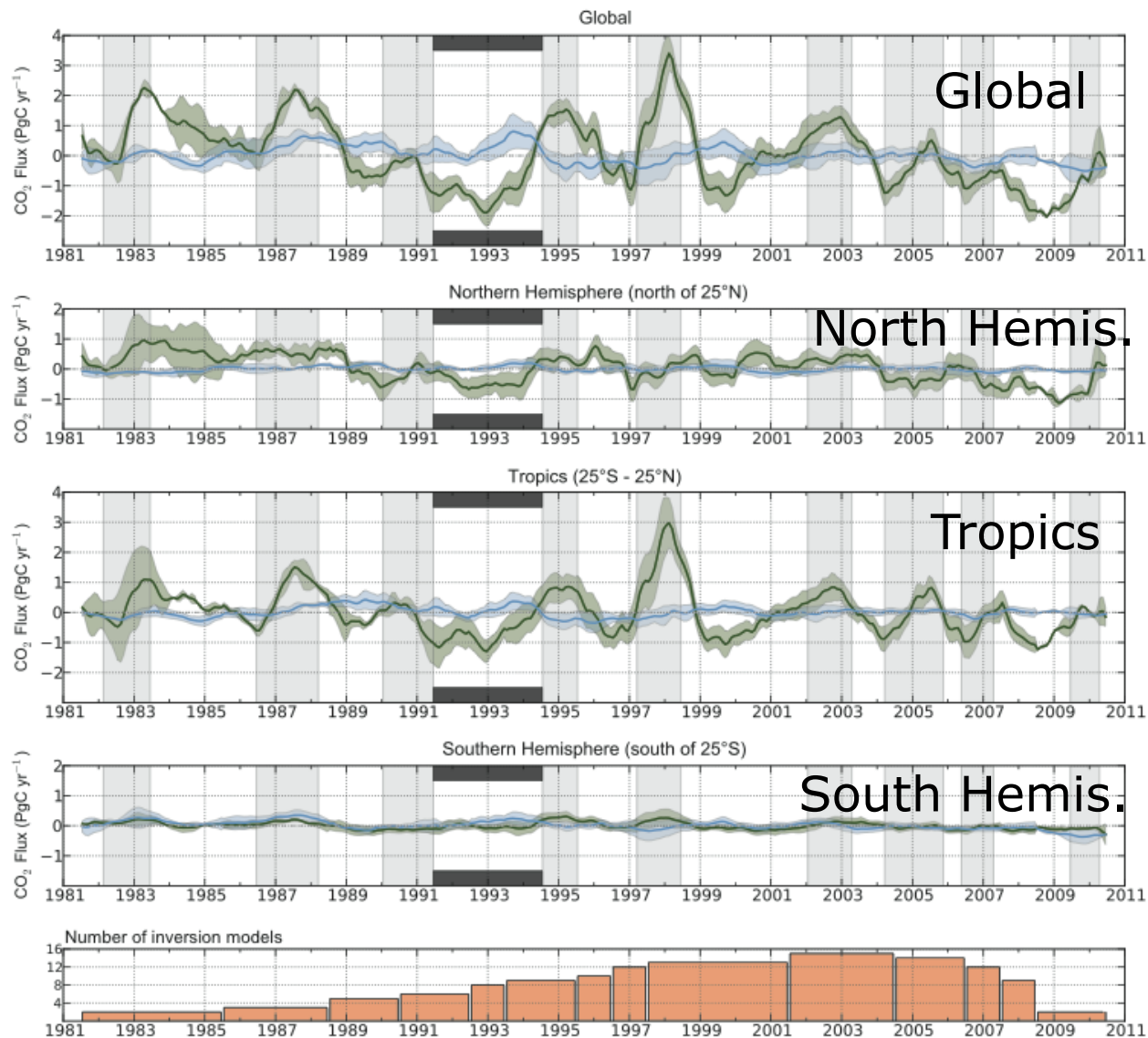


Land use change



Ex: data from Fuchs et al. 2015 (HILDA)

Current land / ocean carbon flux anomalies (from atmospheric CO₂ inversion)



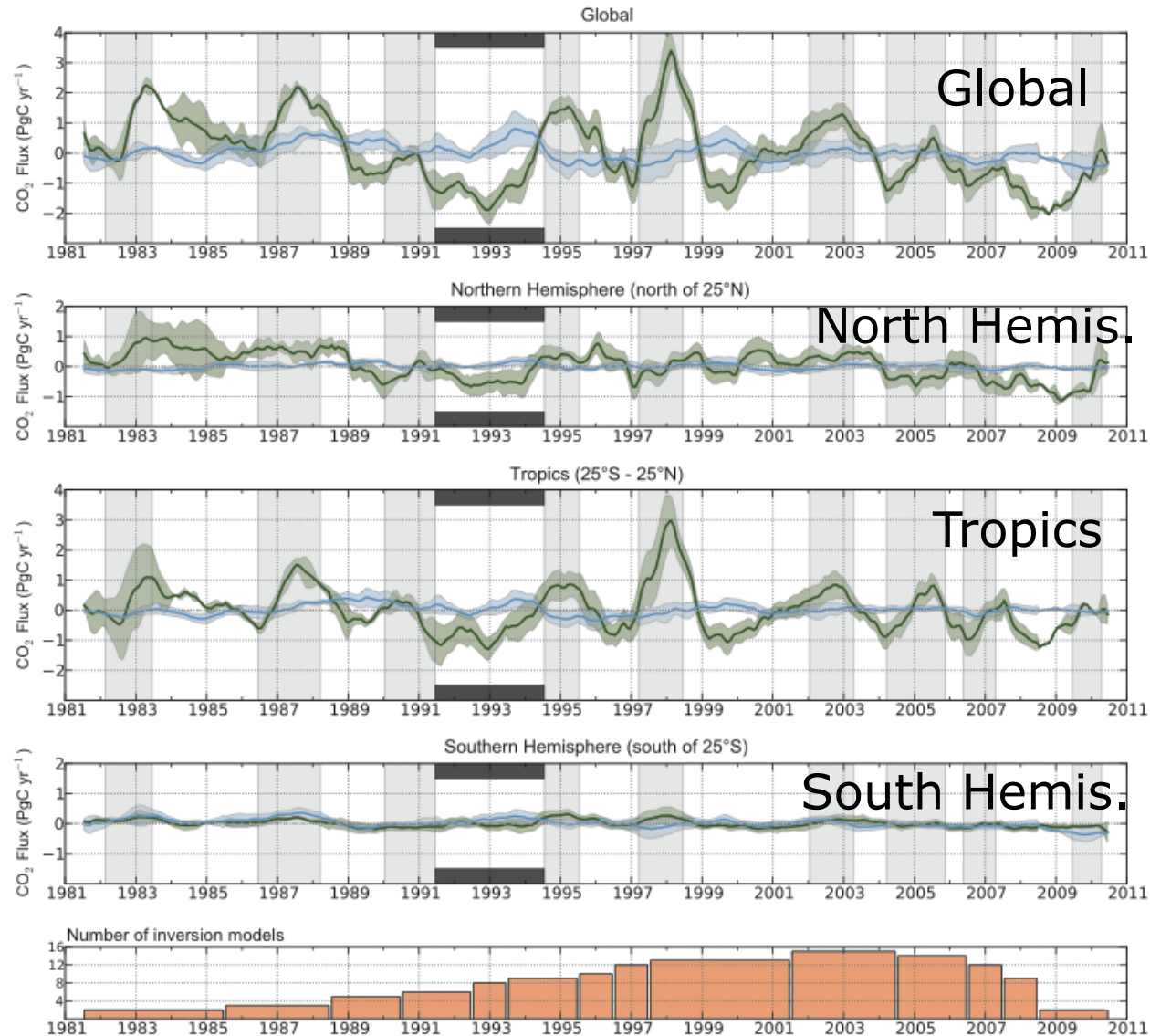
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Our objectives
for ERA-CLIM2

1900



1980

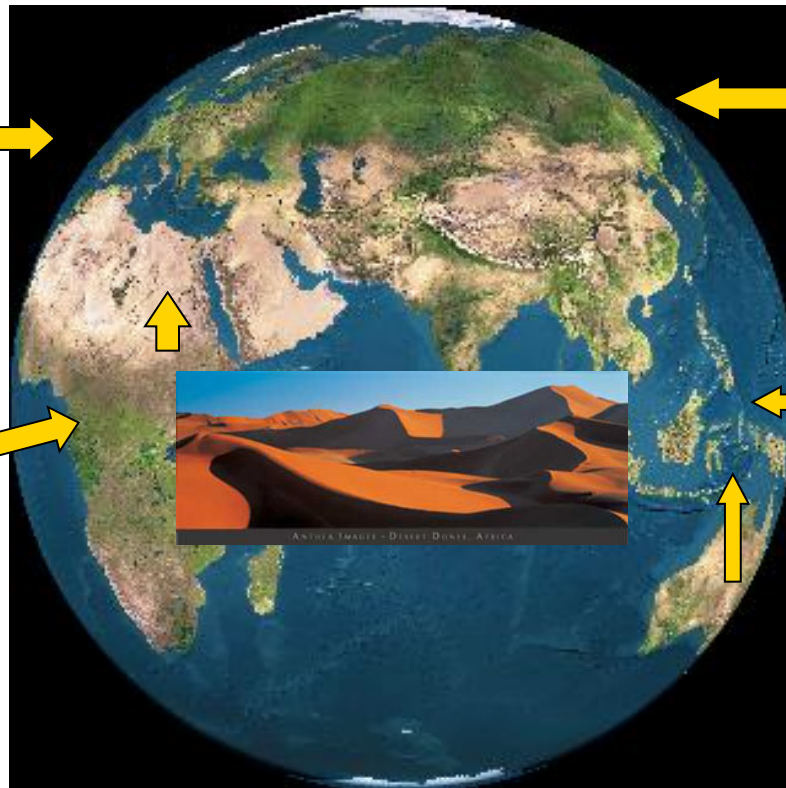
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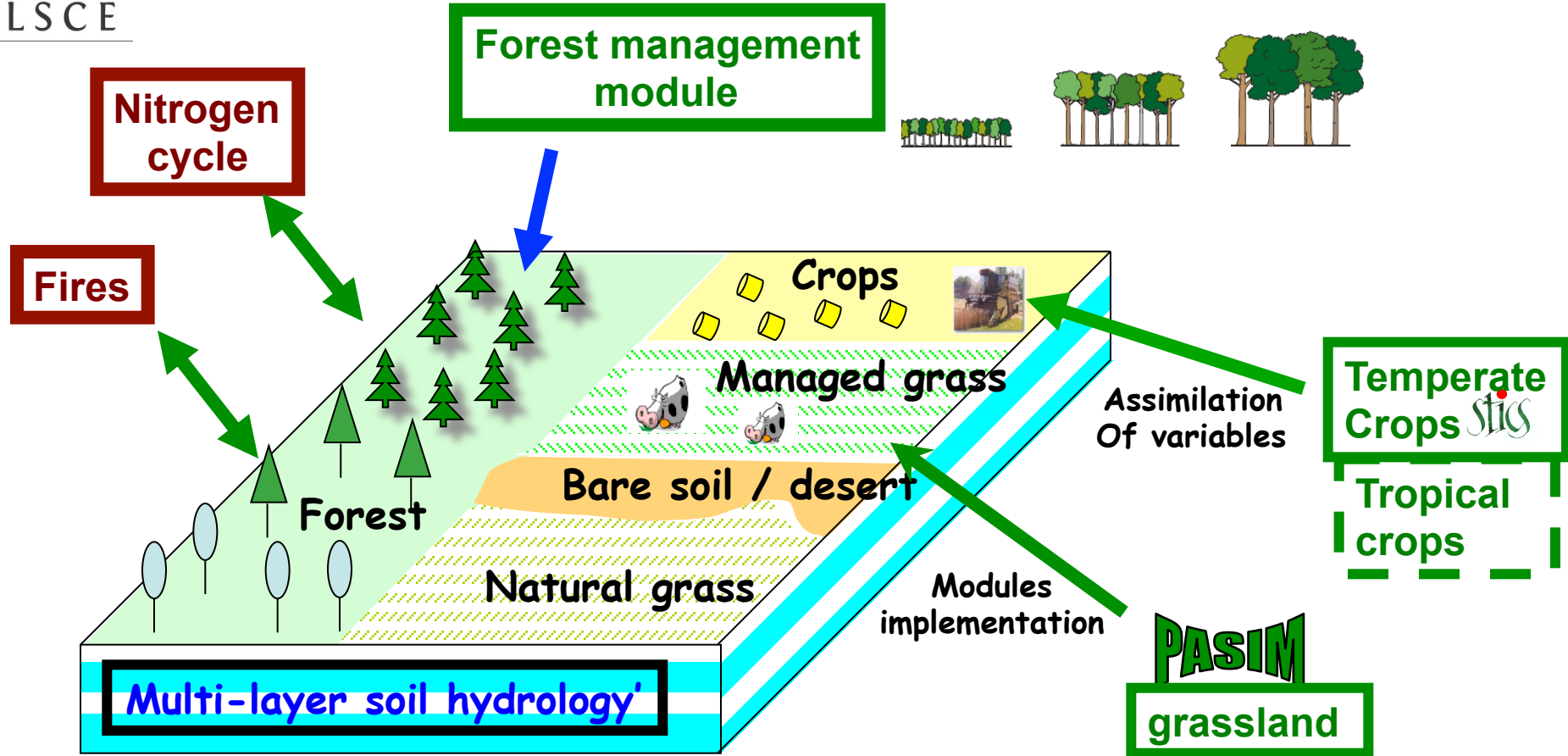
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Global Vegetation Model: ORCHIDEE

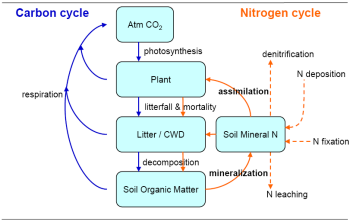
**Simulates the Energy, Water and Carbon balance
Land component of the IPSL Earth System Model**



ORCHIDEE model: recent improvements



- Generalization of PFT concept (number not limited)
- A 11-layer hydrological scheme
- Scientific documentation



Nitrogen cycle in ORCHIDEE

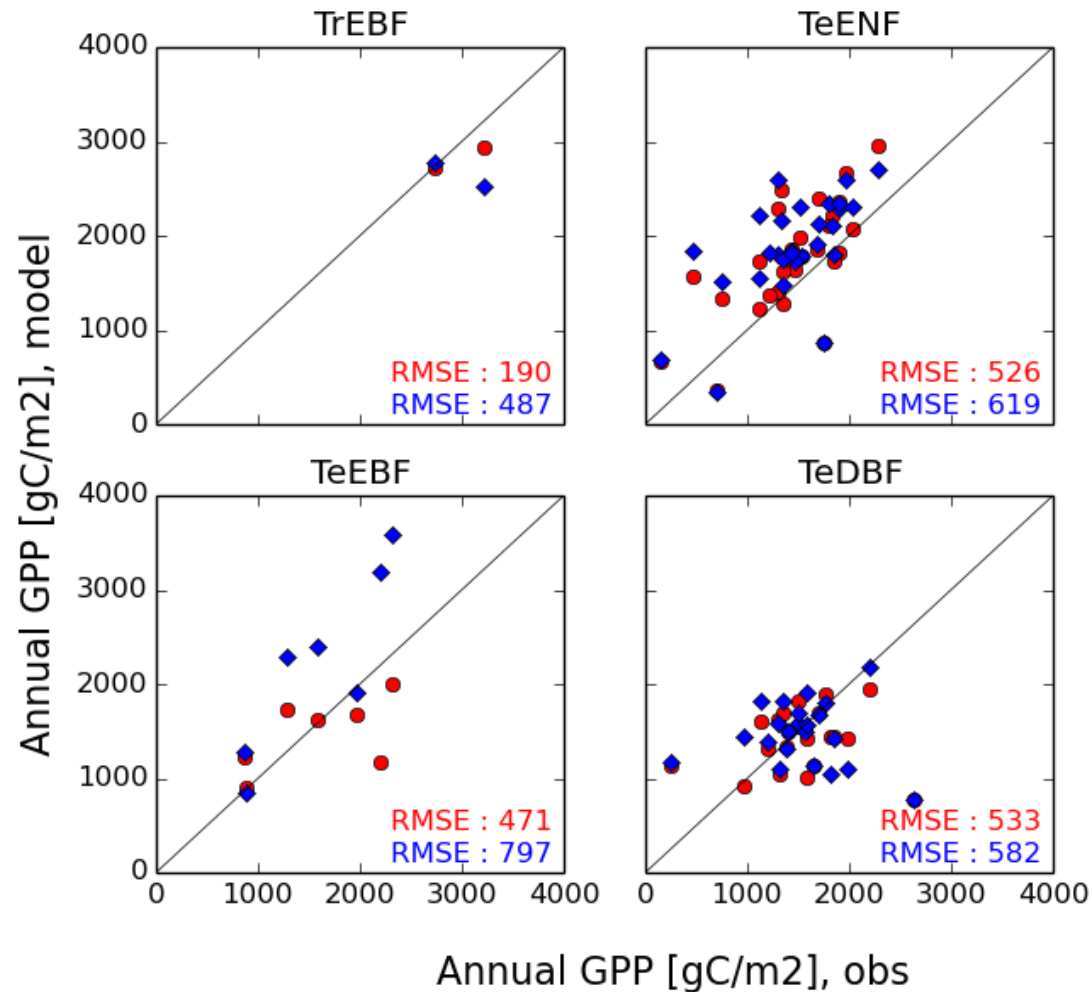
Implementation of N – C interactions

Gross Primary Production

→ Evaluation at FluxNet sites (improved RMSE)

CN_fixed ->
CN_variable

→ On-going test at global scale

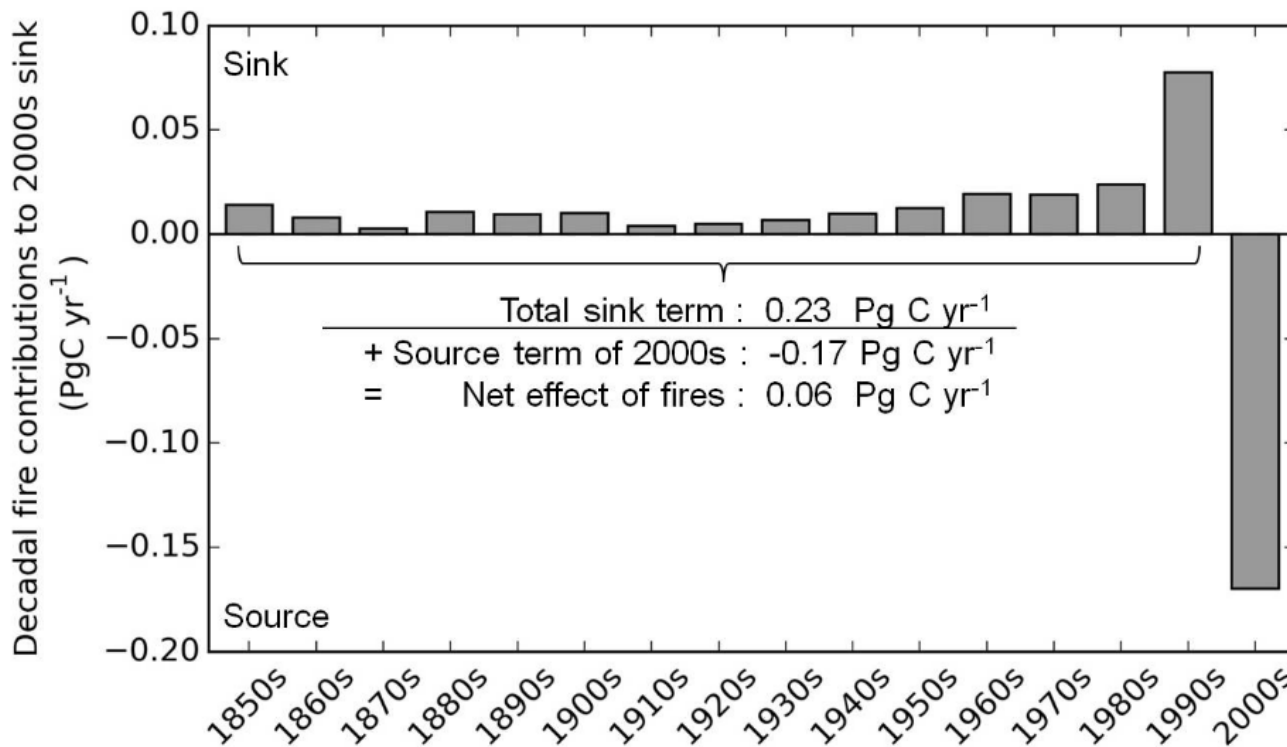


(Vuichard et al., in prep)

FIRE : use of SPITFIRE

- ➔ SPITFIRE coupled to ORCHIDEE
- ➔ Ex: impact of past fires on Boreal ecosystems

Contribution of decadal "fire cohorts" of 1850-2009 to the simulated C sink for 2000-2009

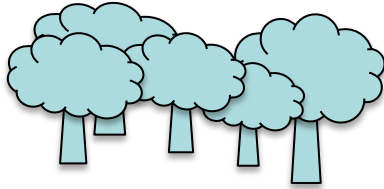




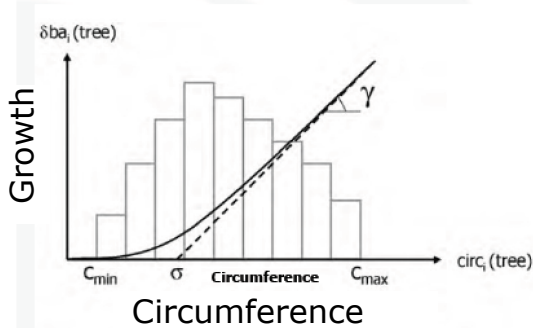
New forest structure & management

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Include diameter & age classes

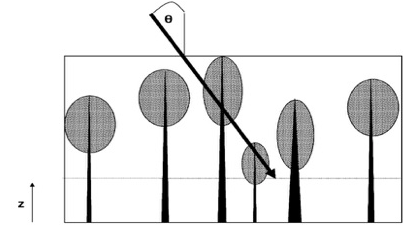


Allocation : "big get bigger"

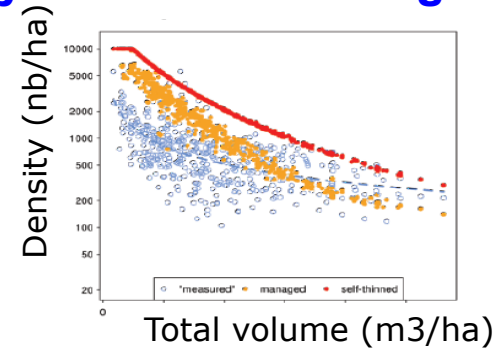


(Naudts et al., 2015)

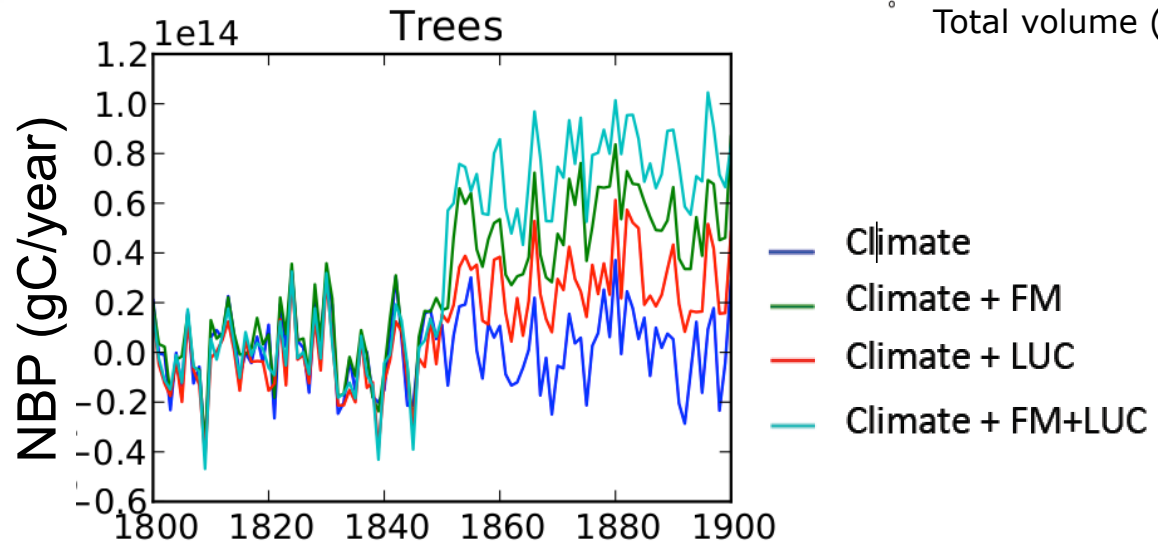
Accounts for gaps (PGAP)



Mortality from self-thinning



→ Impact of climate
Forest management
Land Use Change
on European NBP



Reanalysis with ERA-20C is only in progress!!

First results with CRU-NCEP forcing...

A specific web site to compare model carbon results

<http://transcom.globalcarbonatlas.org/>

User/Passwd: transcom / transcom2014



Find here applications, initially developed for the [Global Carbon Atlas](#) working with the output from several research projects:

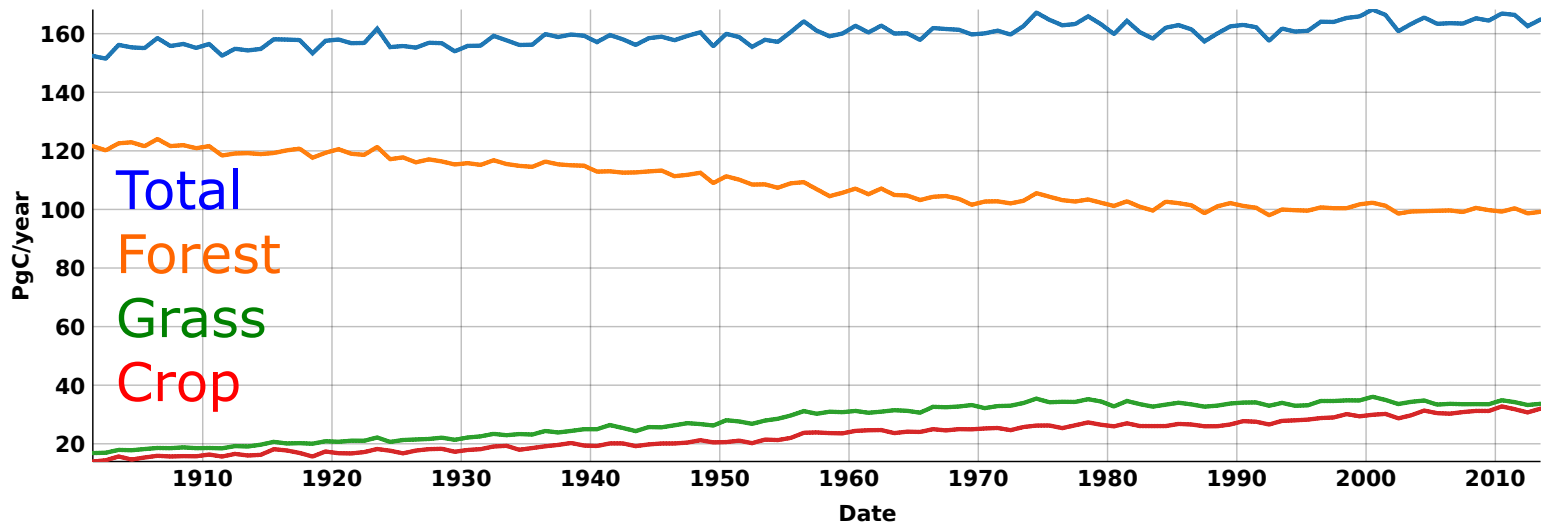
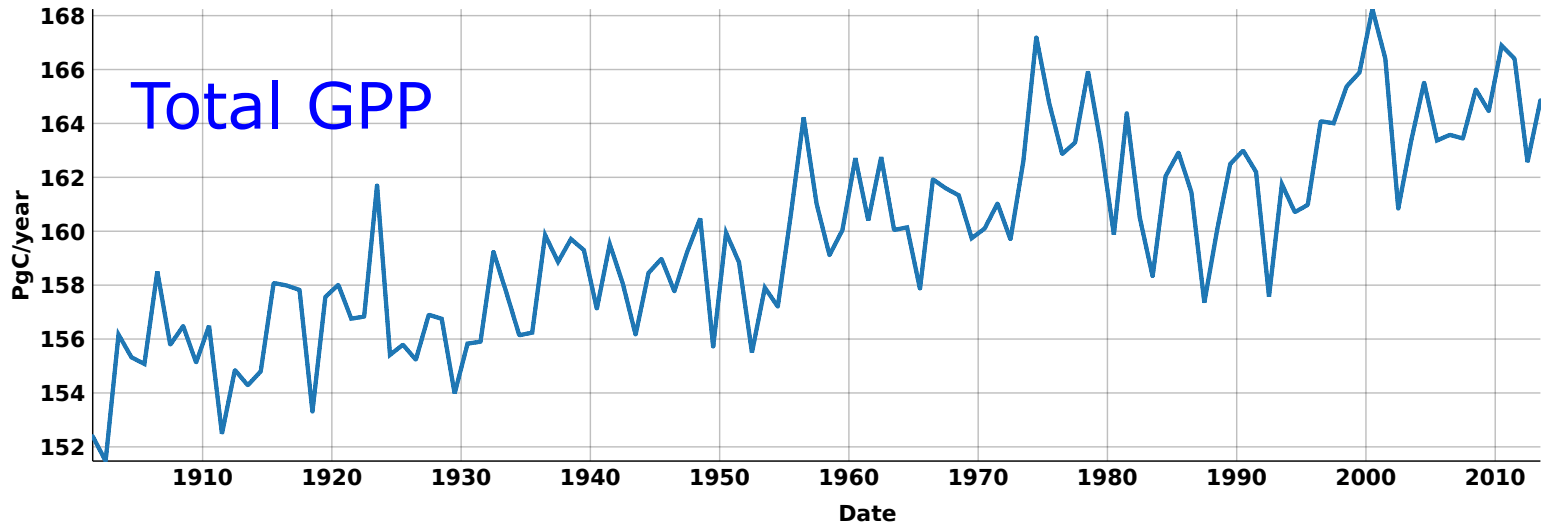
- [TRANSCOM project](#)
- [GEOCARBON project](#)
- [ERA-CLIM project](#)

Two different viewing facilities are provided:

- [Carbon flux maps](#)
- [Regional time series](#)

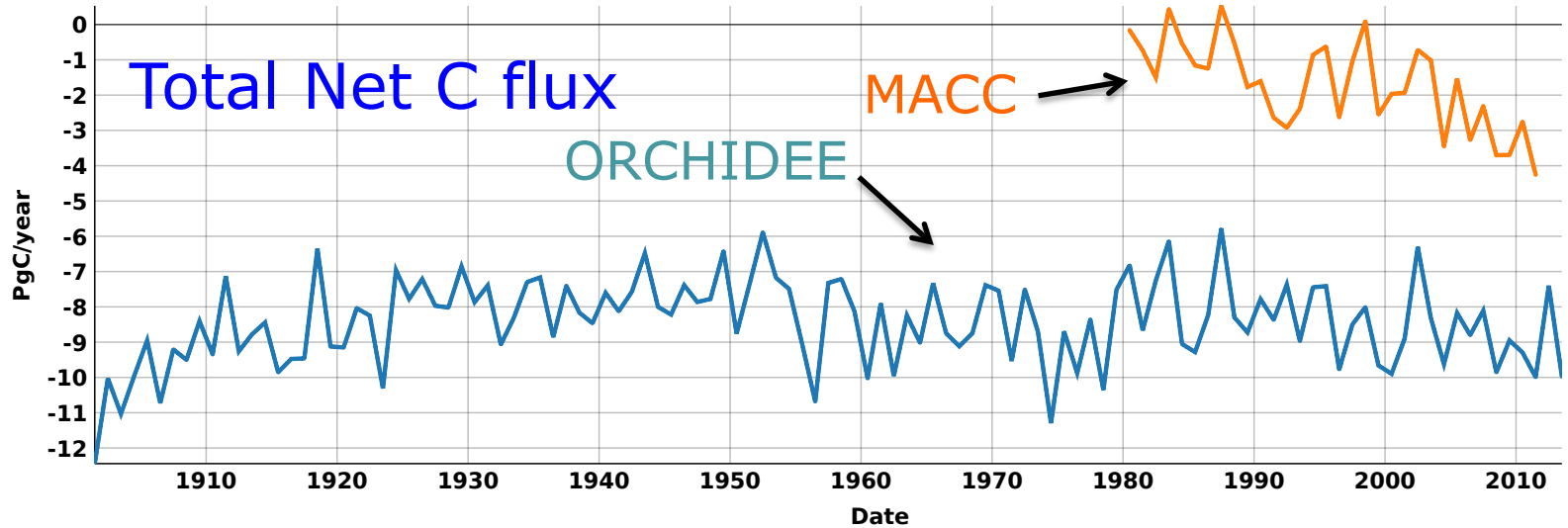
First reanalysis with CRU meteo. data

Gross Primary Production (gC/m²/yr)

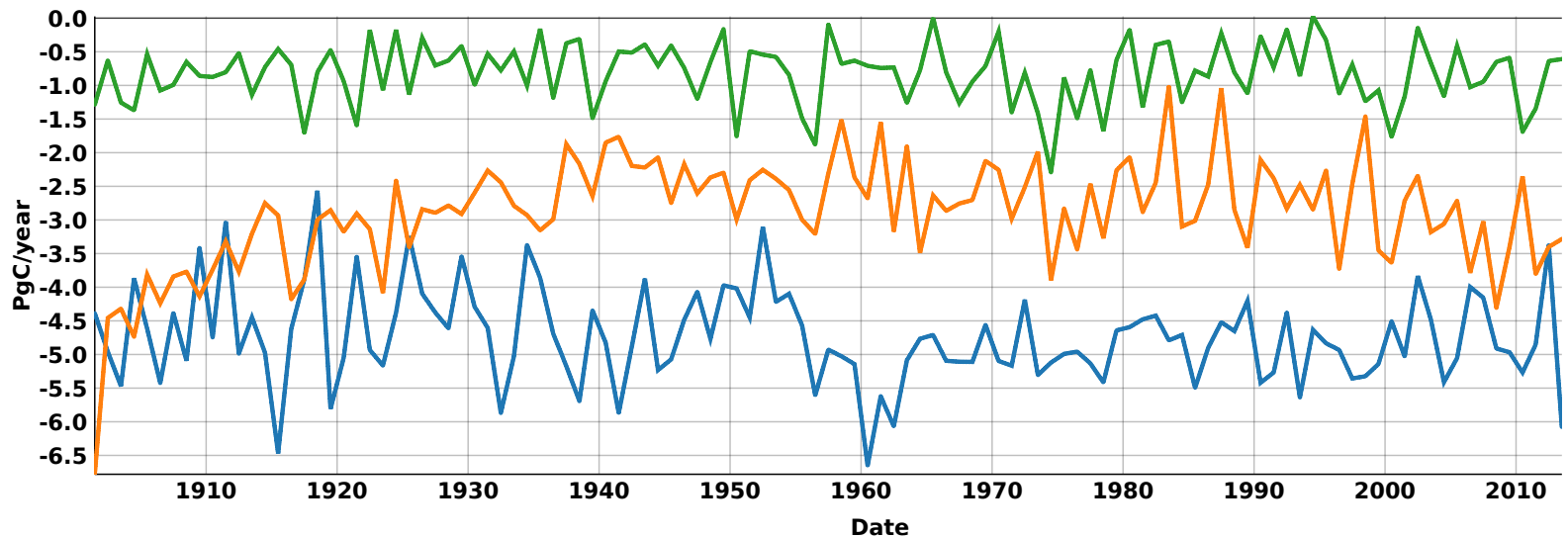


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Net ecosystem exchanges (PgC/yr)

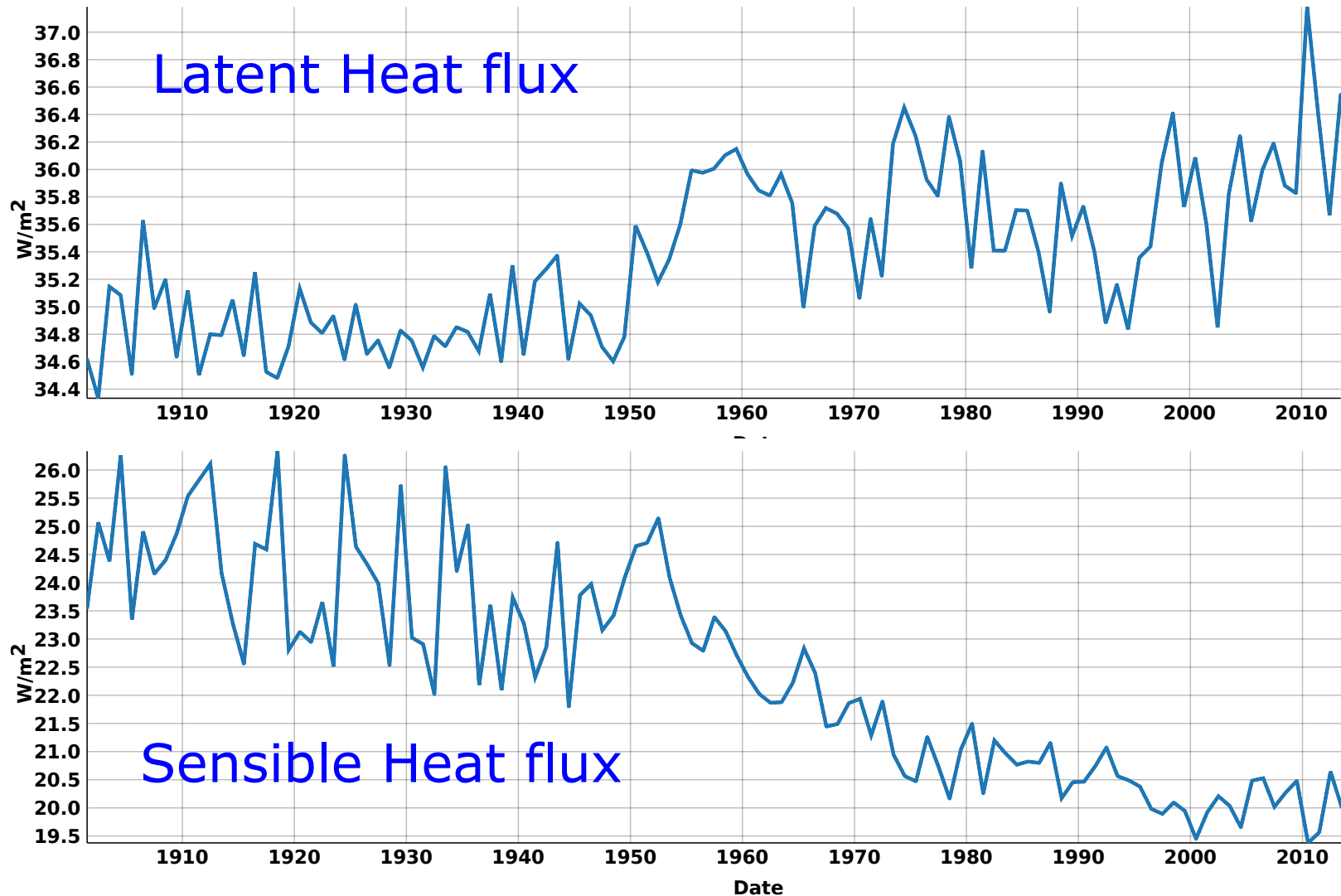


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S-Hemis



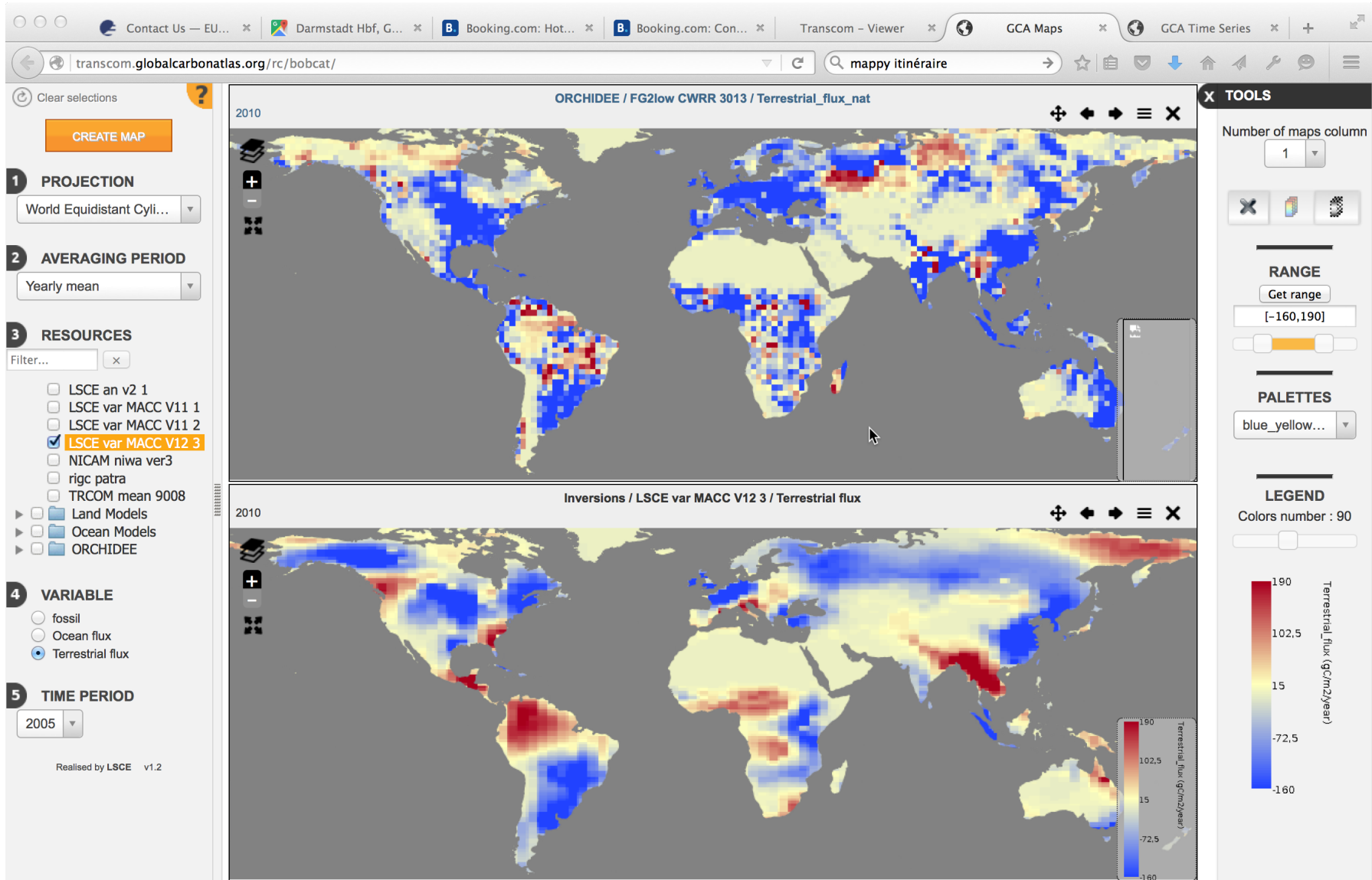
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Energy fluxes at the surface (W/m²)



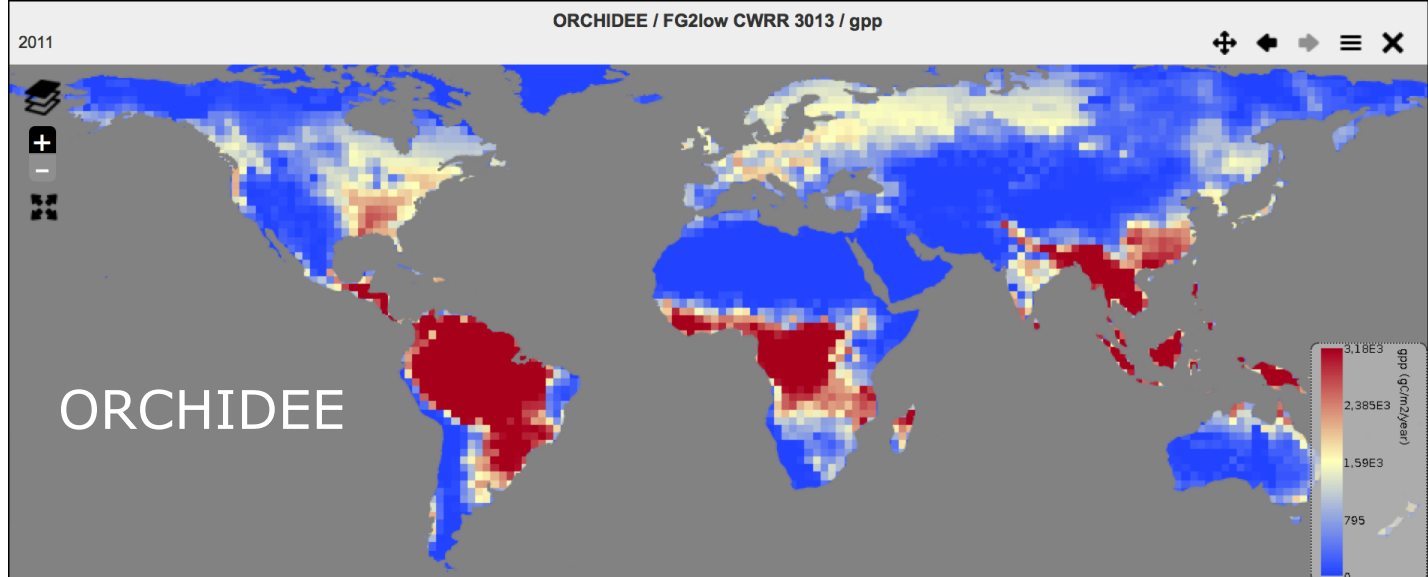
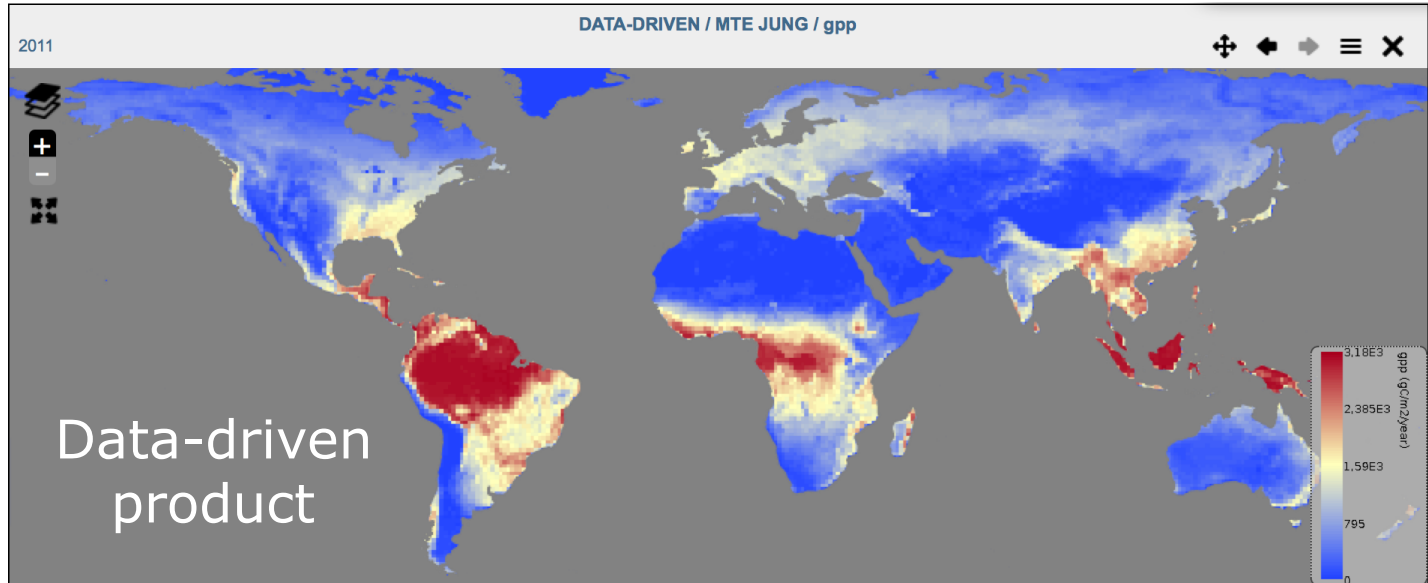
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- Consolidate the ORCHIDEE model version
 - Process integration
 - Parameter optimization (see WP2)
- Finalize the selected Land Use Scenarios (and land management)
- Use ERA-20C climate forcing
 - Work in progress (simulation started)
 - Possible correction of Precipitation needed
- Provide 20th century C reanalysis
=> using a Web-tool facility

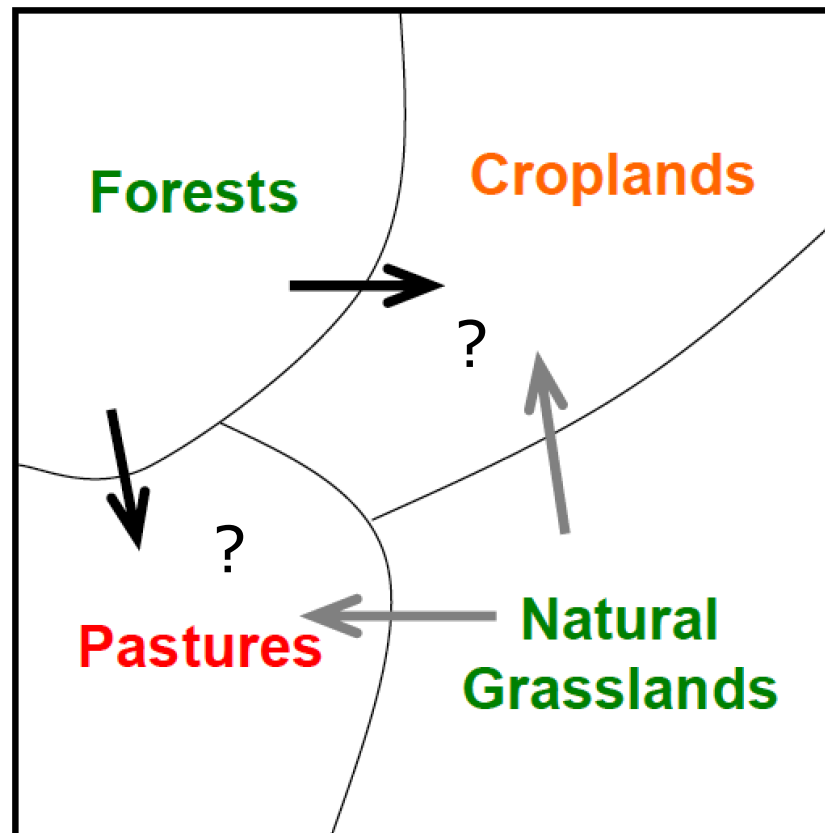
→ Including the C cycle in a global reanalysis may help for future downstream services..

Thank you...

Land cover changes: a crucial driver...

Where did crop / pastures come from ?

Hurtt dataset : transition Natural <-> Managed
Houghton deforestation data set





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The ORCHIDEE land surface model

