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# Les réanalyses océaniques dans CMEMS et à Mercator Océan

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# Mercator Océan

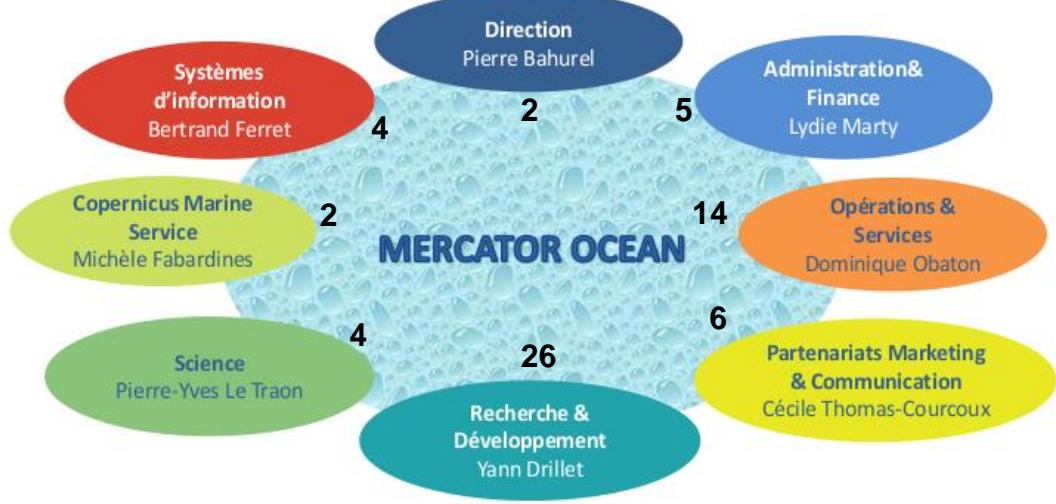
## Quelques dates



63 personnes

Organisation  
Mercator Océan 2016

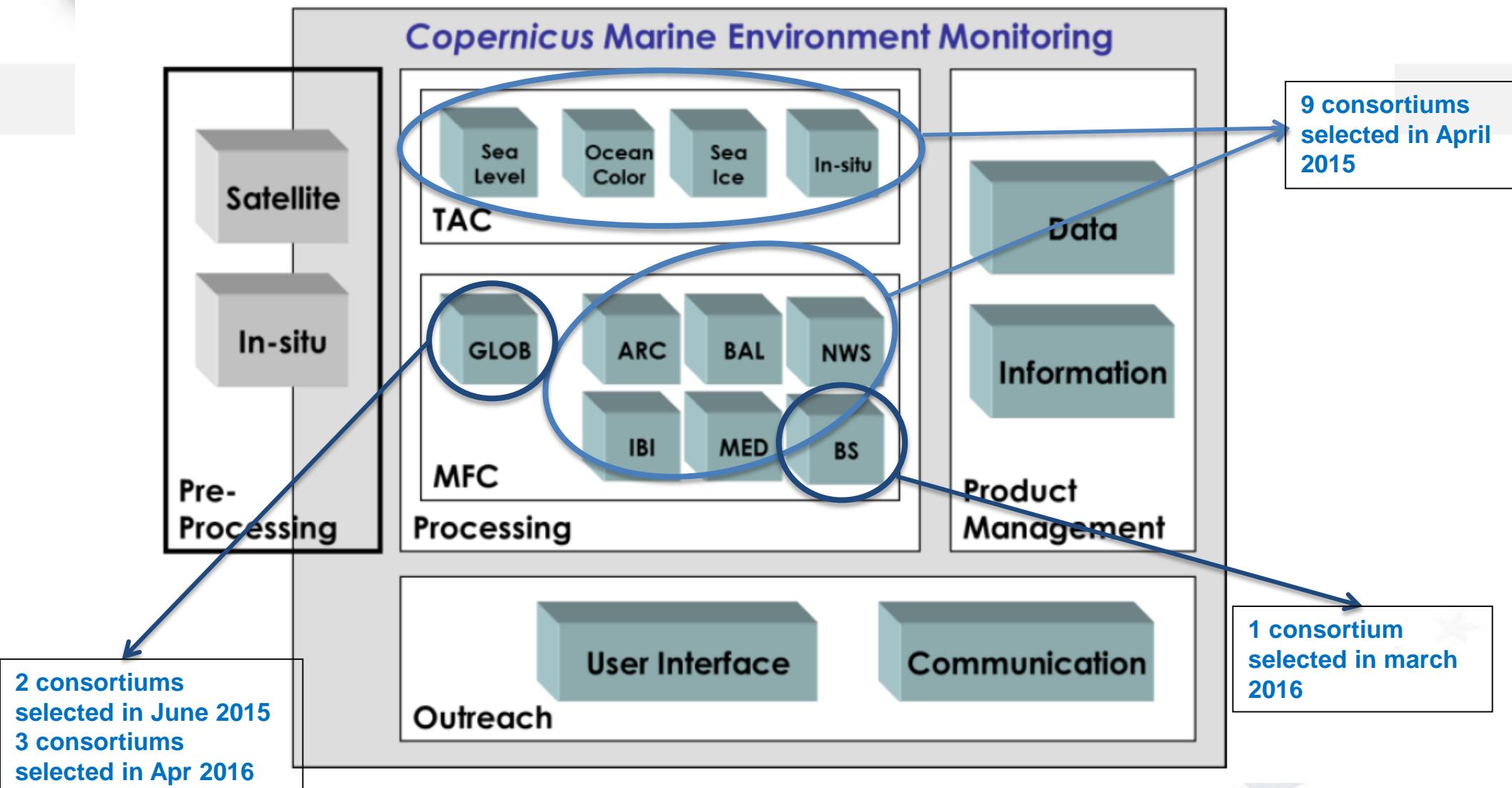
- 1995 : Début de l'histoire avec le CNRS, IFREMER, IRD, Météo France, SHOM et CNES
- 2005 : Premier bulletin de prévision global
- 2009-2015 : les projets MyOcean
- 2013 : Création de la société civile
- 2014 : Mercator Océan est délégataire de la commission Européenne pour mettre en place le service CMEMS
- 2015 : Mise en place et ouverture du service CMEMS



Mise à jour 10 /03/2016



# Organisation de CMEMS

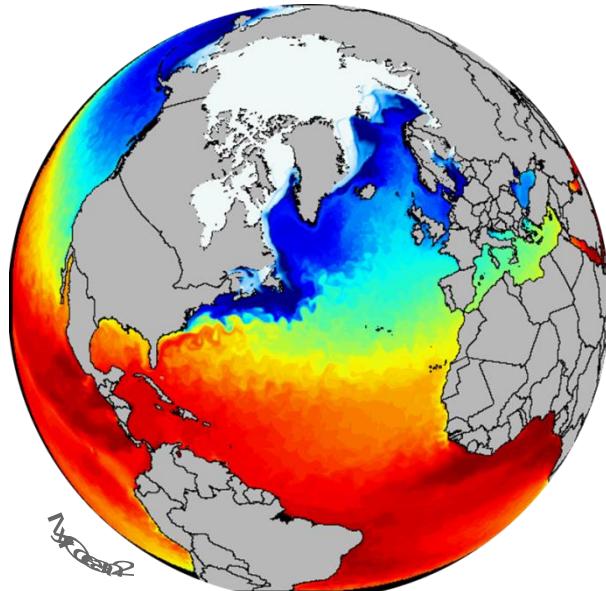




# What is an Ocean reanalysis?

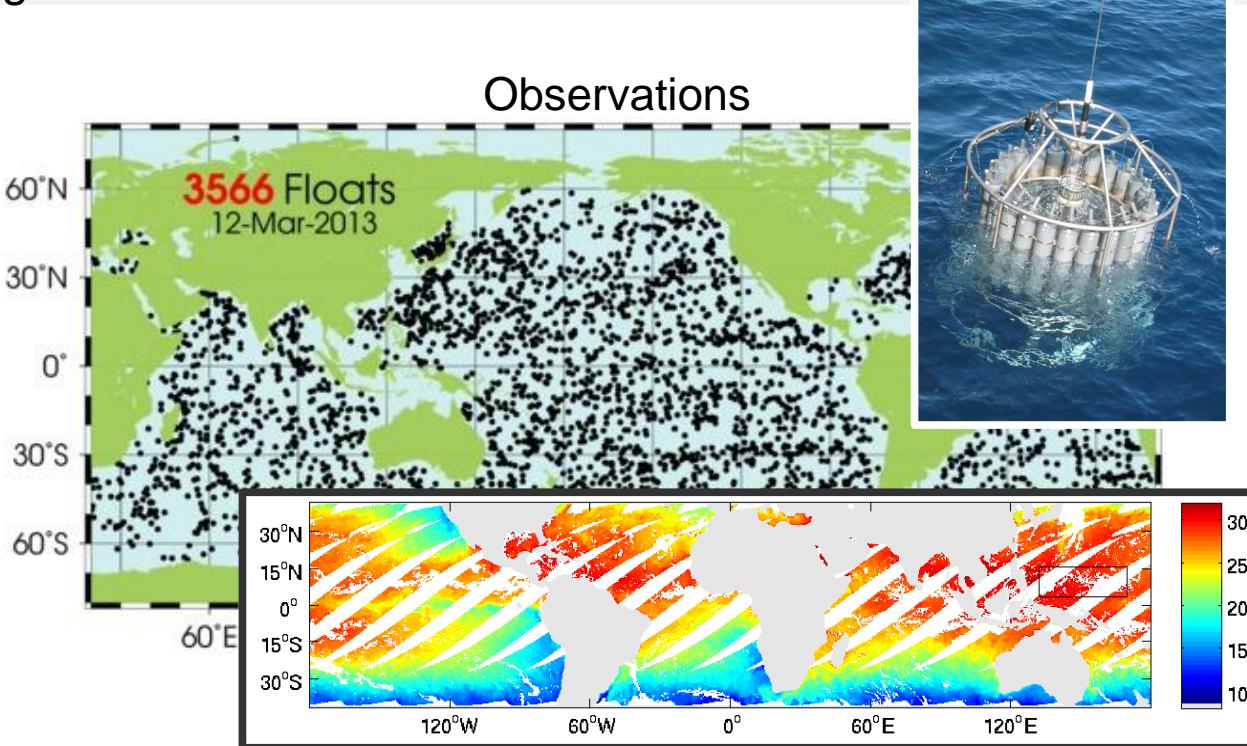
- a comprehensive estimation of the ocean state ***global or regional*** over the last decades (mainly temperature, salinity, sea level and currents and biogeochemistry)
- calculated by merging hydrodynamic ocean models and all available observations using data assimilation

Hydrodynamic model



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Observations



- necessary reference for monitoring and forecasting the Ocean
- critical to understand climate and to predict future change

Currently **136 products** among which

- **25** ocean syntheses : model reanalysis or non assimilative hindcasts products *over regions 1 to 6*
- **29** Reprocessing products of Ocean Colour, Sea Level, SST, Sea Ice, Winds, In Situ observations.



# MULTIYEAR MODELS

## AREA

## PRODUCTS

## CHARACTERISTICS

Models for areas NWS IBI and BALTIC include tidal component, meaning that all parameters include tide signal, especially UV and SSH.

AREA	PRODUCTS	REFERENCES <a href="#">links to online catalogue here</a>	PARAMETERS	HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL RESOLUTIONS	TEMPORAL COVERAGE [START DATE; END DATE]	TEMPORAL RESOLUTION	UPDATE FREQUENCY	DATA ASSIMILATED
GLOBAL	Phy	<a href="#">001_009</a>	T S UV SSH ICE MLD	1/4°-25km; 75 levels	[15/01/1993;15/12/2013]	M+D	A	● ● ● ○
GLOBAL	Phy	<a href="#">001_011</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	1/4°-25km; 50 levels	[01/15/1982;15/12/2013]	M+D	A	● ● ● ○
		<a href="#">001_010</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	1/4°-25km; 75 levels	[15/01/1993;15/12/2010]	M	NU	● ● ● ○
		<a href="#">001_017</a>	T S UV SSH ICE MLD	1/4°-25km; 75 levels	[15/01/1979;15/12/2013]	M+D+5D	A	● ● ● ○
		<a href="#">001_004</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	1/4°-25km; 75 levels	[15/01/1993;15/12/2011]	M	NU	
	Bio	<a href="#">001_018</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto PP Si Fe	1/4°-25km; 75 levels	[15/01/1998;15/12/2013]	M	A	
		<a href="#">001_019</a>	CHL O2 N P Si	1/4°-25km; 50 levels	[15/01/1998;15/12/2013]	M	A	
ARCTIC	Phy	<a href="#">002_003</a>	T S UV SSH ICE MLD	12.5 km; 12 levels	[15/01/1991;15/12/2013]	M	A	● ● ● ○
BALTIC	Bio	<a href="#">002_005</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto Radflux	25 km; 12 levels	[15/01/2007;15/12/2010]	M	NU	● ● ○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">003_008</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	3nm-5.5km; 50 levels	[01/01/1989;31/12/2013]	M+H+6H	A	● ● ○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">003_004</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	6nm-11km; 25 levels	[01/01/1990;31/12/2009]	M	NU	○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">003_005</a>	T S UV SSH ICE	3 nm-5.5 km; 25 levels	[01/01/1990;31/12/2009]	M	NU	● ○ ○ ○
	Bio	<a href="#">003_009</a>	CHL O2 N P NH4	2nm-3.7km; 83 levels	[01/01/1970;31/12/1999]	M+2D	NU	○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">004_009</a>	T bedT S UV	7 km; 24 levels	[01/01/1985;01/07/2012]	M+D	A	● ○ ○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">004_005</a>	T S UV SSH	12 km; 24 levels	[01/01/1980;31/12/2004]	M	NU	
	Phy	<a href="#">004_006</a>	T S UV SSH	12 km; 24 levels	[15/01/1985;15/12/2008]	M	NU	
	Phy	<a href="#">004_010</a>	T S UV SSH	8 km ; 26 levels	[01/01/1993;31/12/2012]	M	A	● ○ ○ ○
	Bio	<a href="#">004_011</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto PP RadFlux	7 km; 24 levels	[01/01/1985;01/07/2012]	M+D	A	● ○ ○ ○
NWS European North West Shelf Seas	Bio	<a href="#">004_007</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto PP RadFlux	12 km; 24 levels	[01/01/1987;31/12/2004]	M	NU	
	Bio	<a href="#">004_008</a>	O2 N P Phyto PP Si	12 km; 24 levels	[31/01/1985;31/12/2008]	M	NU	
	Bio	<a href="#">004_012</a>	O2 N P Phyto PP Si	8 km; 26 levels	[01/01/1993;31/12/2012]	M	A	● ○ ○ ○
IBI Iberia Biscay Ireland Regional Seas	Phy	<a href="#">005_002</a>	T S UV SSH	1/12°-7.5km; 50 levels	[01/02/2002;23/12/2011]	M+D+H	NU	● ● ○ ○
IBI Iberia Biscay Ireland Regional Seas	Bio	<a href="#">005_003</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto PP Si Fe NH4 Eup	1/12°-7.5km; 50 levels	[01/01/2002;23/12/2011]	M	NU	● ● ○ ○
	Phy	<a href="#">006_004</a>	T S UV SSH	1/16°-8km; 72 levels	[01/01/1987;31/12/2013]	M+D	A	● ● ○ ○
MED Mediterranean Sea	Bio	<a href="#">006_008</a>	CHL O2 N P Phyto PP	1/16°-8km; 72 levels	[01/01/1999;31/12/2012]	M	A	● ● ○ ○



# Which codes are used in CMEMS Monitoring and Forecasting Centres?

V5.0	Near Real Time (Analysis and Forecast)			MULTI YEAR (Non Assimilative Hindcast or Reanalysis)						
	PHYS		BIO	PHYS				BIO		
GLOBAL	NEMO3.1- LIM 1/12° with SEEK and 3DVAR (large scale TS) DA	NEMO3.4 coupled with atm UM-N216 with CICE. NEMOVAR- 3Dvar 1/4°	Pisces/offline (no DA) 1/4° interp on 1/2°	NEMO 3.1- Glorys2v3 1/4° with SEEK and 3DVAR (large scale TS) DA 1993-2013	NEMO 3.2- Cglors 1/4° With 3DVar 1982- 2013	NEMO 3.2- UR025 1/4° With OI DA 1993- 2010	NEMO 3.4- ORAP 5 1/4° With NEMOVAR 3Dvar- FGAT DA 1979-2013	Pisces/offline (no DA for PHY and BIO) 1/4° 1998-2013	BFM/offline (no DA for PHY and BIO) 1/4° 1998-2013	
ARCTIC	HYCOM 2.2.37 1/8° - 12.5km with EnKF DA;		Norwecom/online (no DA) 1/8° -12.5km	HYCOM 2.2.12 12.5km with EnKF DA 1991-2013				Norwecom/online 50km With EnKF DA 2007-2010		
BALTIC	HBM (no DA) 1nm ~2km		DMI-ERGOM/online (no DA) 1nm~2km	SMHI HIROMB- En3DVar 1989-2013 3nm	DMI-HBM (with 3Dvar) 1990-2009 6nm	SMHI-HBM (with univariate OI) 1990-2009 3nm	RCO-SCOBI/offline (EnOI) 1970-1999 2nm			
NWS	NEMO 3.4 7km with (SSTonly) NEMOVAR- 3Dvar		ERSEM/online (no DA) 7km	NEMO3.4 AMM – with NEMOVAR 1985-2012 7km	POLCO MS (no DA) 1960- 2004 12km	POM (no DA) 1985- 2008 12km	ROMS IS4DVar 1993- 2012 8km	POLCOM S- ERSEM/o nline 1967- 2004 (no DA) 12km	POM- NORWEC OM/offli ne 1985- 2008 (no DA) 12km	ROMS- NORWEC OM/offlin 1993- 2012 (no DA) 8km
IBI	NEMO 3.4 (no DA) 1/36°			NEMO 2.3 (SEEK and 3DVAR (large scale TS) DA) 1/12° 2002-2012				PISCES/online 1/12° 2002-2012		
MED	NEMO 3.4 1/16° With OceanVar DA Coupled to WaveWatchIII 08/04/2016 Reanalyse, IPSE		OPATM BFM/offline 1/16° (with OceanVar DA)	NEMO 2.3 1987-2013, 1/16° (with OceanVar DA)				OPATM BFM V3.1/offline 1/16° 1999-2012 (with OceanVar)		



# Existing quality control of ocean syntheses

Current quality control : Assessment of the reliability of the reanalysis on average, or at basin scale

## Model physics

- Water masses
- Currents and transports
- Variability
- Mesoscale
- Waves, high frequencies, tides

Data assimilation performance, error tunings

Stability over time (need for long hindcast)

Intercomparisons between reanalysis products (GOV/CLIVAR/GSOP ORA IP, CMEMS)

QC on assimilated data -> feedback to observation data centers

Non regression with respect to previous versions



# CLIVAR-GSOP/GODAE OceanView

Ocean Reanalysis Intercomparison (ORA-IP, 2012-2014) followed by  
Real-Time Ocean Reanalyses Intercomparison

Reanalysis production is an on-going activity, following the feedbacks and outcomes of GSOP 2006-2009

- Improved versions are produced approximately every 5 years (improved input observations, forcings, models and methods)

Intercomparison/validation to assess uncertainties among ocean reanalyses (model errors and bias, observing system reliability over time)

- benefits of the ensemble approach both to improve the estimation of the signals and to provide uncertainty ranges
- Synthesis by ocean essential variable: sea level, steric height, D20, MLD, salt and heat content, sea ice, fluxes and transports
- Facilitate the use of ocean reanalyses by other communities and from the existing maturity, start quasi-real time monitoring of the ocean (Balmaseda, Fujii, Xue proposal)

[http://origin.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/products/GODAS/multiora\\_body.html](http://origin.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/products/GODAS/multiora_body.html)

Variable	Responsible	Institution
Steric Height	Andrea Storto	CMCC
Sea Level	Fabrice Hernandez	Mercator Ocean
Ocean Heat Content	Matthew Palmer	UK MetOffice
Depth of 20 degree Isotherm	Fabrice Hernandez	Mercator Ocean
Mixed Layer Depth	Takahiro Toyoda	MRI-JMA
Salinity	Li Shi	BMRC
Surface fluxes and transports	Maria Valdivieso	University of Reading
Atlantic Meridional Overturning at 26N	Vladimir Stepanov/Keith Haines	University of Reading
Sea Ice	Gregory Smith	Environment Canada

## ORAIP Variables and processing agents

More than 20 participating ORA's and observed products:

- some coupled
- from 1° to ¼° resolution
- different models, forcing, DA

See a summary at  
[http://www.clivar.org/sites/default/files/Exchanges/Exchanges\\_64.pdf](http://www.clivar.org/sites/default/files/Exchanges/Exchanges_64.pdf)

## Reanalyses Products entering ORAIP

Balmaseda et al, The Ocean Reanalyses Intercomparison Project (ORA-IP), Journal of Operational Oceanography, 8:sup1, s80-s97, 10.1080/1755876X.2015.1022329, 2015.

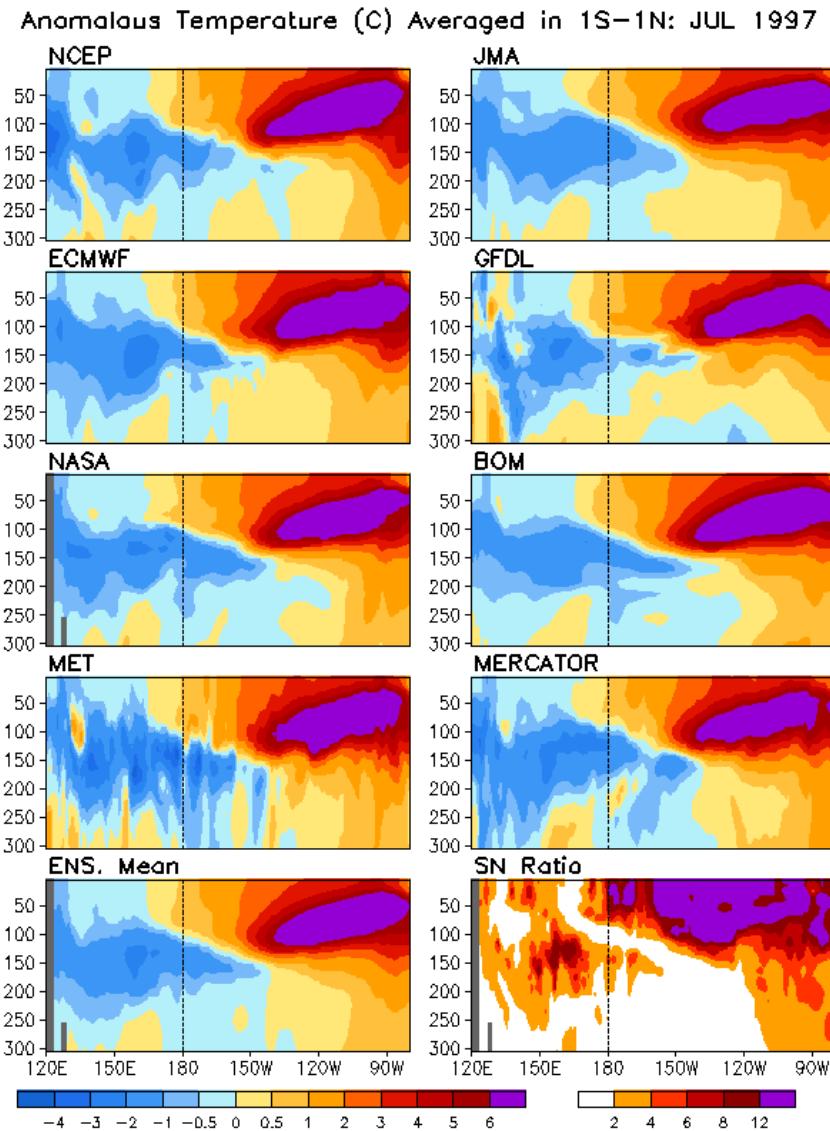
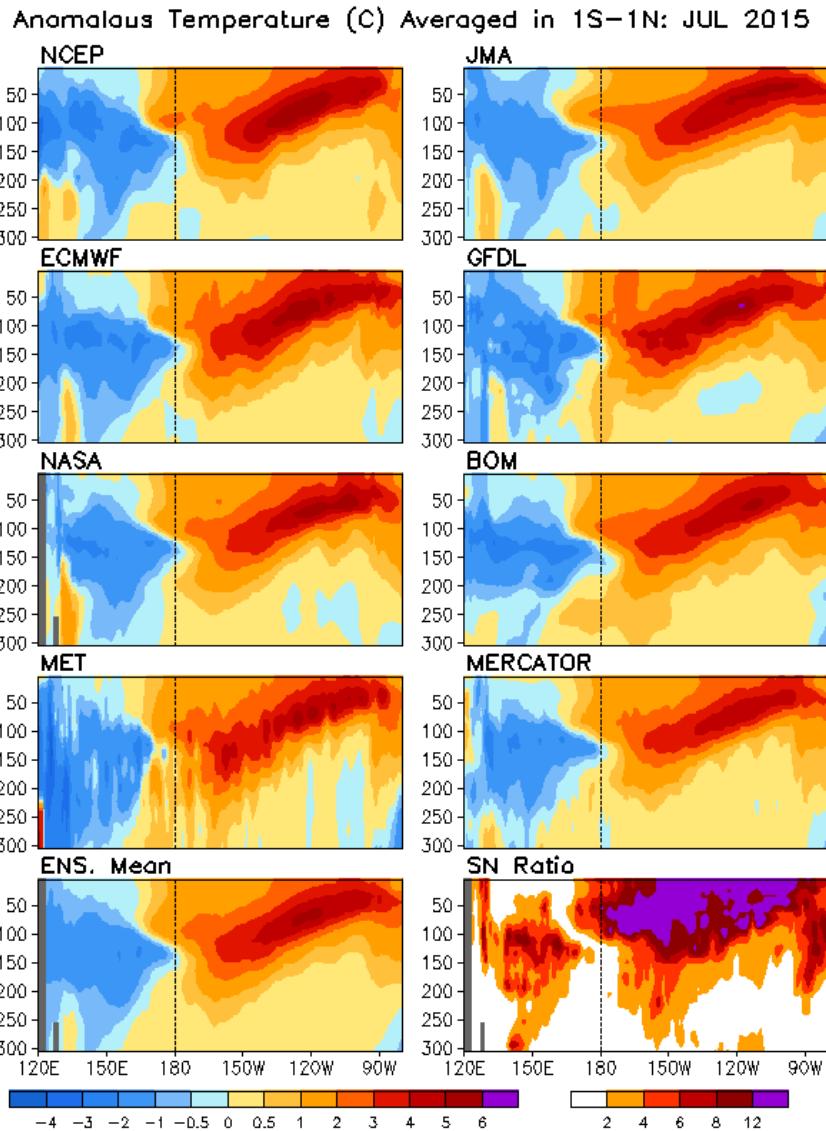
And a series of accepted synthesis paper for Steric Height, Ocean Heat Content, MLD, transport and fluxes in Clim Dyn., 2015

Product	Institution	Product	Institution
CFSR	NCEP	ECCO-v4	NASA/JPL
GODAS	NCEP	GECCO2	Hamburg University
Glosea5	UK MetOffice	MOVE-C	MRI/JMA
ORAS4	ECMWF	MOVE-G2	MRI/JMA
PEODAS	BMRC	MOVE-CORE	MRI/JMA
GLORYS	Mercator	K7-ODA	JAMSTEC
C-GLORS	CMCC	K7-CDA	JAMSTEC
UR025.4	Reading University		
GEOS5	NASA/GMAO	ARMOR3D	CLS (T/S/SLA)
ECDA	GFDL	NODC	NOAA (T/S)
SODA	University Maryland	EN3	MetOffice (T/S)
ECCO-NRT	NASA/JPL	LEGOS	LEGOS (SLA)



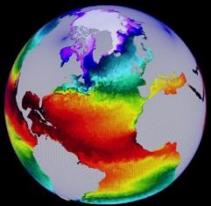
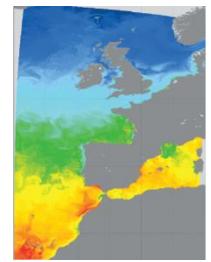
# Real time Ocean monitoring with multi ORA

## Yan Xue, NOAA/CPC





# GLORYS, IBIRYS and MEDRYS reanalysis

RAN	MODEL	ASSIM	FORCING	BIO	PERIOD	
	GLORYS	NEMO  1/4° 75L  1/12° 75L Tide atmos press  1/12° 75L (dedicated grid)	+ Sea Ice Concentration	ERA Interim (3h) correction Bulk	PISCES Offline 1/4° forced by free simulation	1993-2014
	IBIRYS		Filtering of tide and high frequency	ERA interim (3h) correction Bulk	PISCES online 1/12°	2002-2014
	MEDRYS		MDT Model equivalent for SLA	ALDERA (3h) Flux	NO	1993-2013



# Mercator Global Reanalysis at $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$ GLORYS (1992-2014)

## GLORYS2V3

- The model component : NEMO3.1, ORCA025 ( $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$  resolution), 75z-levels, LIM2.
- Initial Conditions : Levitus (1998) for (T,S), sea ice concentration from satellite obs., sea ice thickness from a forced run (starting in Jan 1979).
- Atmospheric Forcing: ERA-Interim (3h) with large scale bias correction towards GPCPV2.2 for rainfall and towards Gewex SRB3.0 for SW & LW fluxes. No corrections northward  $65^\circ\text{N}$  and southward  $60^\circ\text{S}$ . Runoff : Dai & Trenberth (2002) climatology
- No restoring.
- Assimilation scheme : SAM2 (EnKF, SEEK) + 3D-VAR biases correction (T,S).
- Observations assimilated : SST AVHRR ( $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$ ), in situ profiles (T,S) from CORA3v3, SLA on swath (+ MDT CNES-CLS09 hybrid), sea ice concentration (IFREMER/CERSAT).
- No assimilation of (T,S), SST & altimetry on ice covered areas.

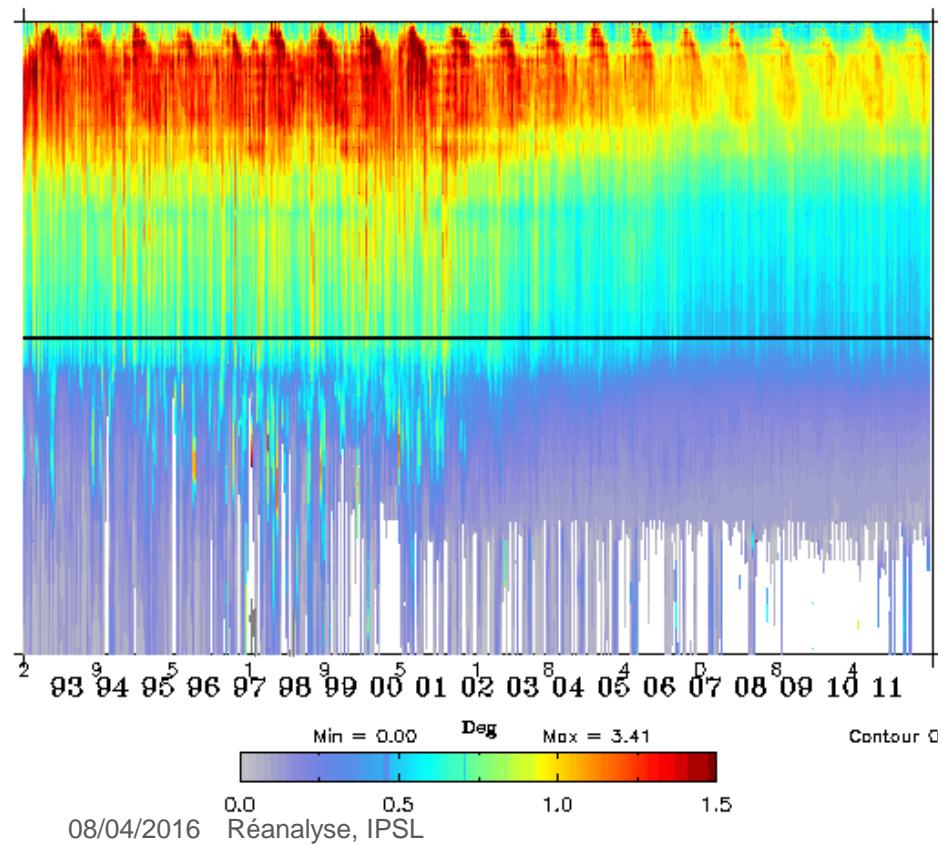
Last release in April 2013; Next release October 2016.



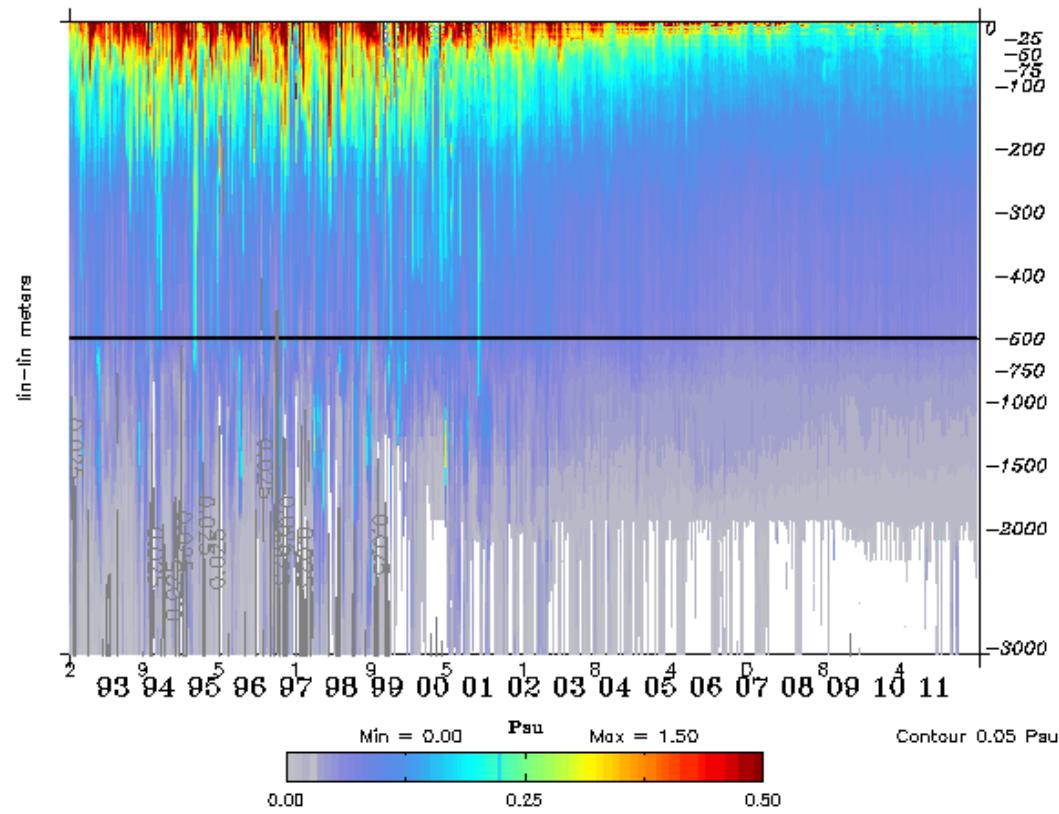
# QUID (Quality Control Document, CMEMS) example for GLORYS2V3 (1992-2013)

## Summary of validation results

global : Temperature Rms Misfit (region 0)



global : Salinity Rms Misfit (region 0)



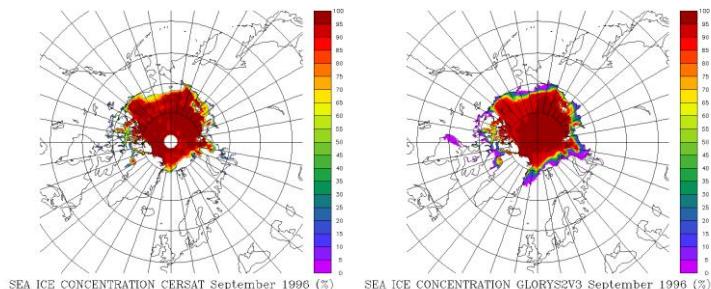


# GLORYS2V3 validation results: main strengths

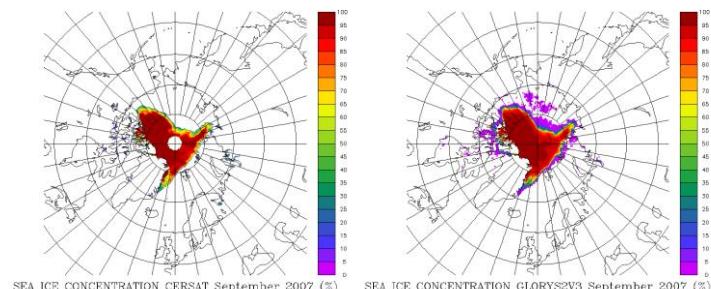
- Close to observations
- Realistic ocean and sea ice variability in most regions
- Ocean currents, EKE
- Daily outputs available

Arctic Sea Ice concentration for September 1996 (top),  
and September 2007 (bottom)

September  
1996

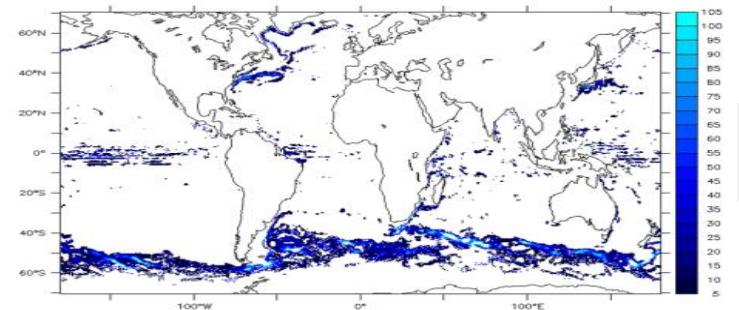


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2007

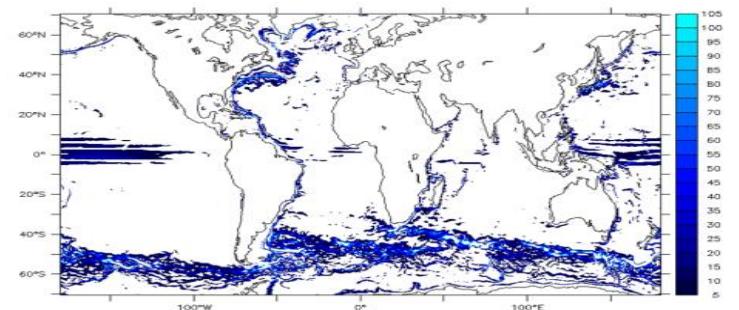


Observations

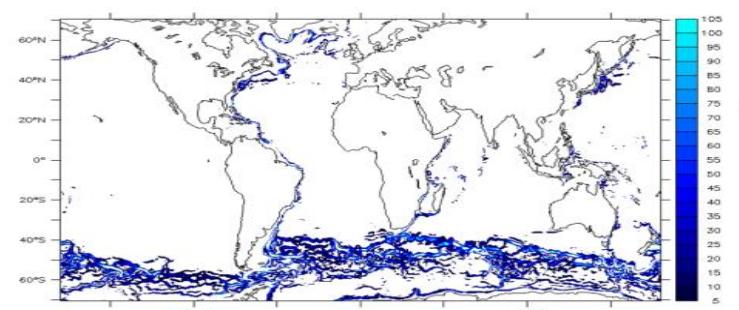
Mean Kinetic Energy at 1000m depth in  $\text{cm}^2 \text{s}^{-2}$



Argo floats



GLORYS2V3



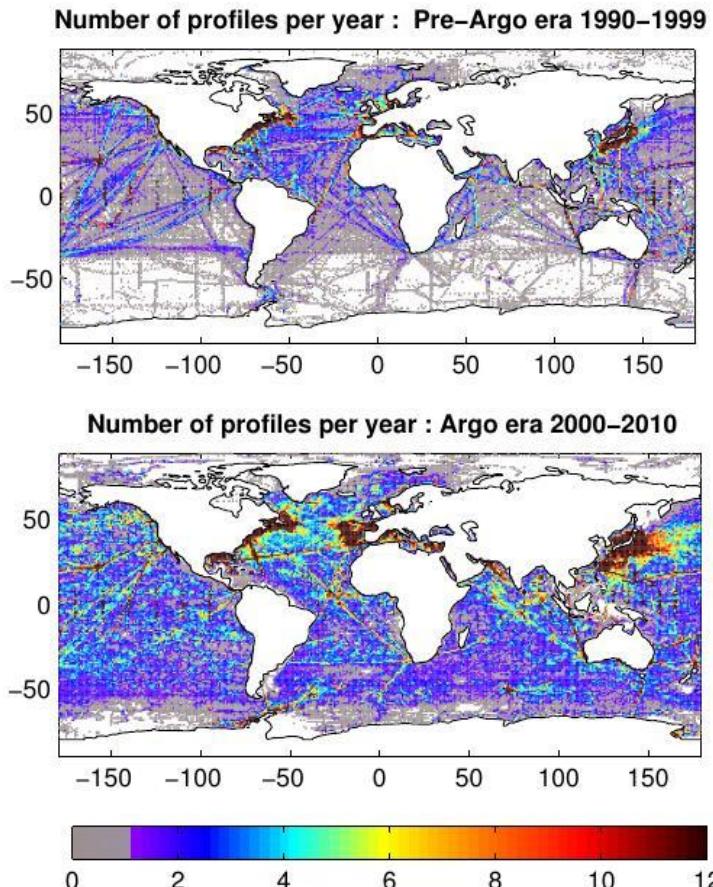
Control run



# GLORYS2V3 validation results: main weaknesses

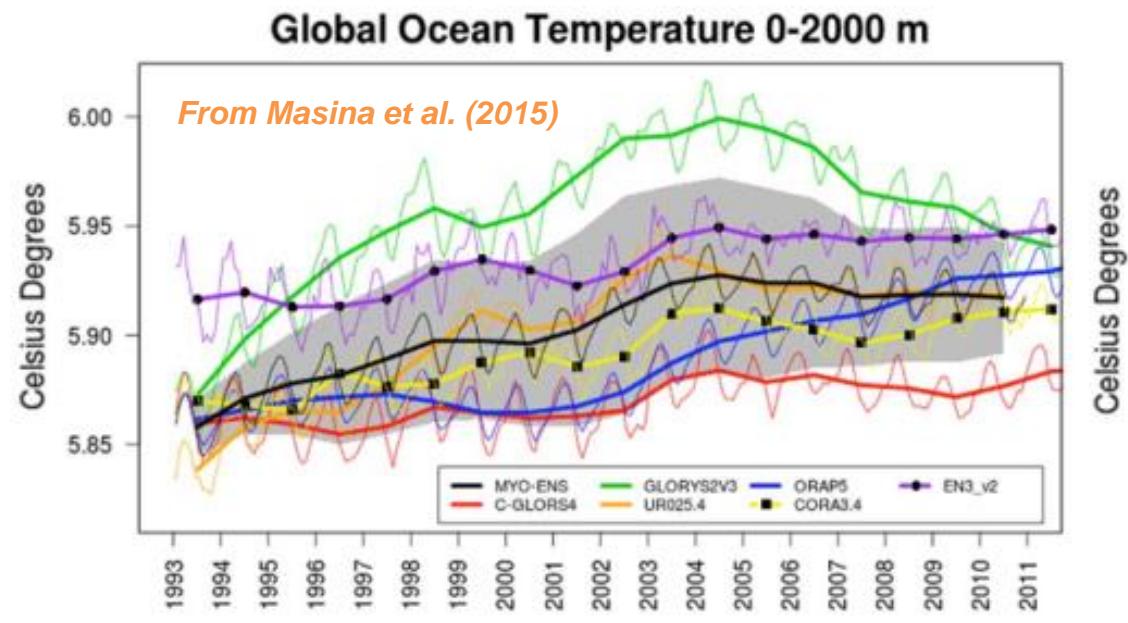
Initialisation in 1992 ->  
first decade is poorly observed

From Cabanes et al. (2013)



Large uncertainties on mass fluxes,  
MDT, heat fluxes:

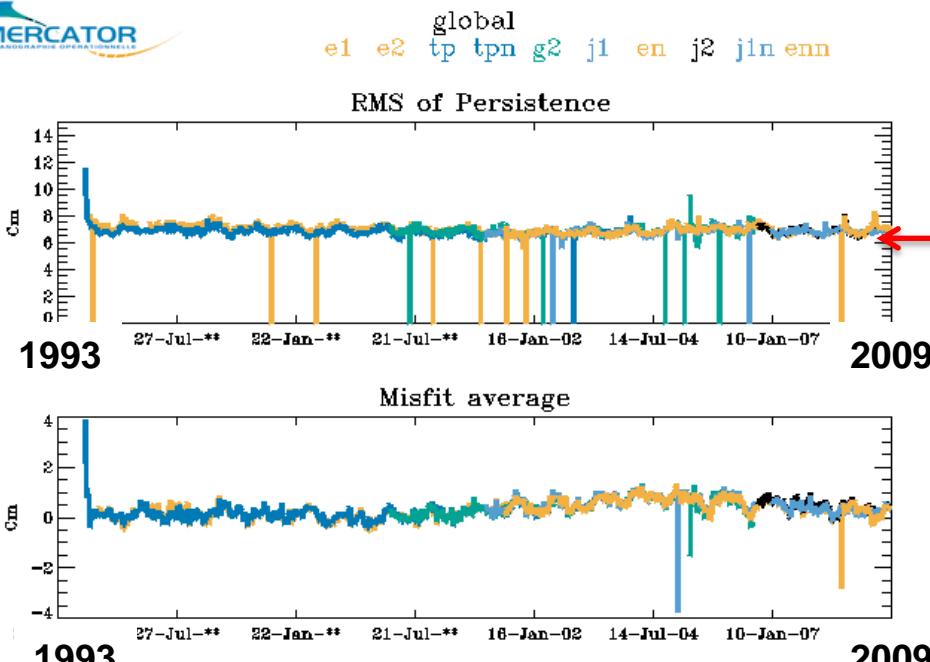
With no specific constraints on salinity or  
flux corrections, drifts appear in less  
observed regions (including under 700m)



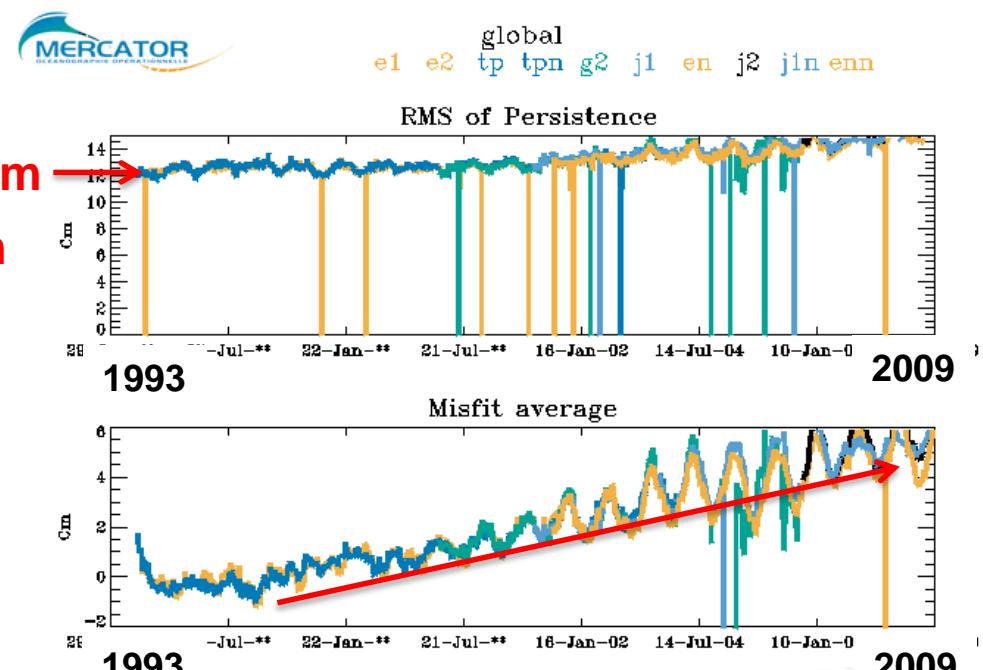


# Comparaison avec le run de contrôle

## Comparaison à l'altimétrie



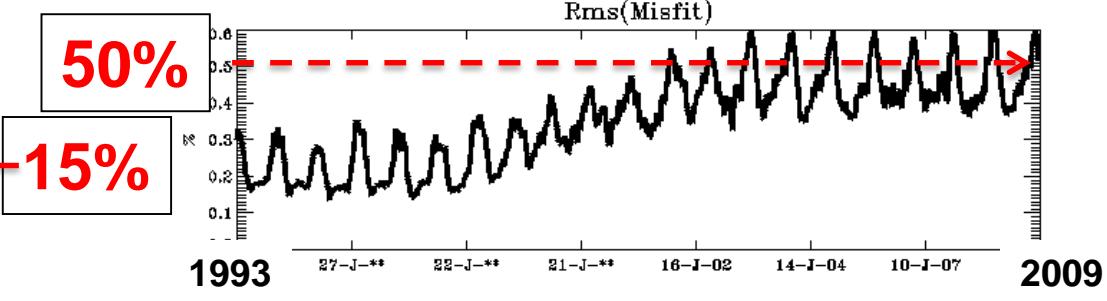
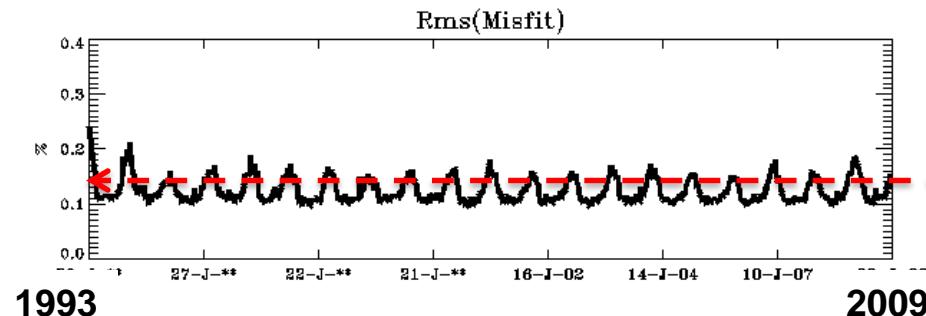
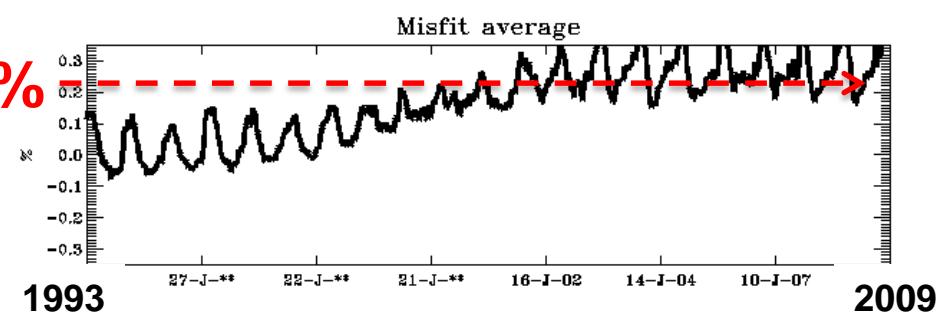
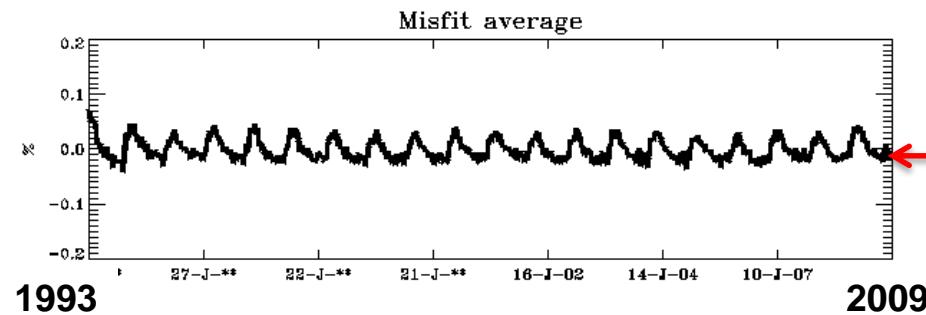
G2V3



Run de contrôle

Le run de contrôle dérive: 5 cm en 20 ans

## Concentration de la glace de mer



G2V3

Antarctic

Run de contrôle

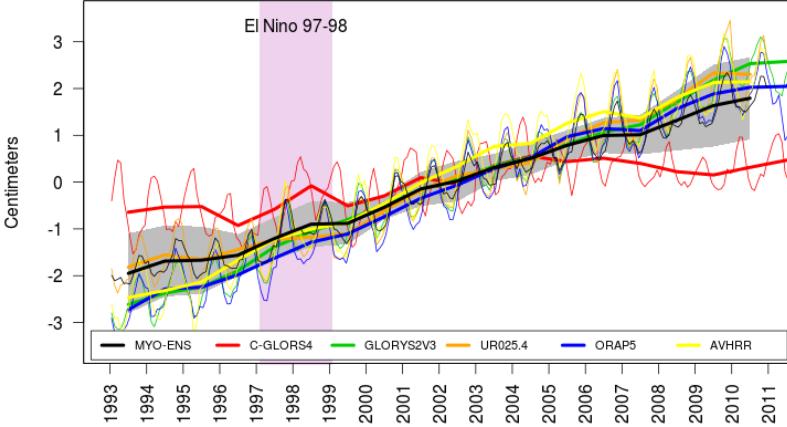
Le run de contrôle dérive en Antarctique: pas assez de glace

# Estimations à partir de plusieurs réanalyses



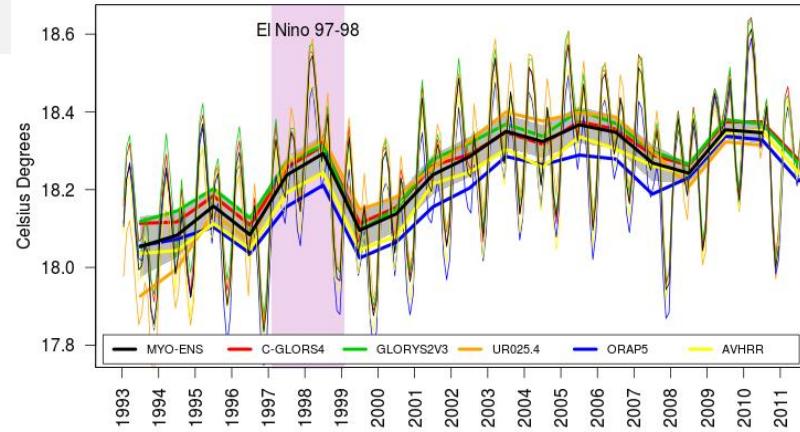
## Intercomparison of MyOcean2 global reanalysis products

Global Sea Surface Height

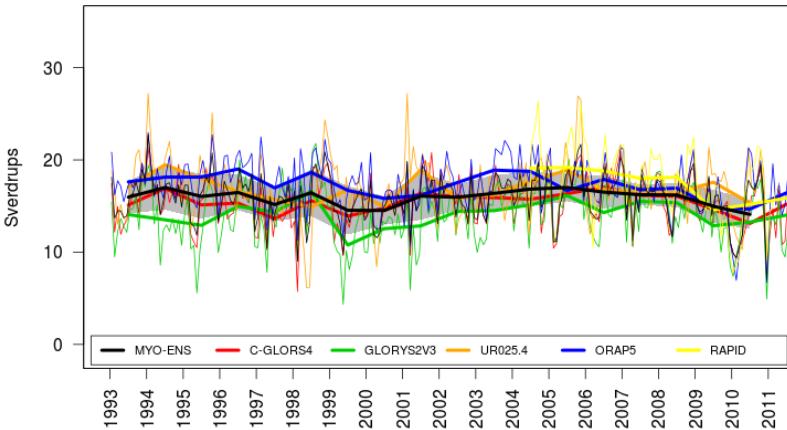


4 réanalyses globales

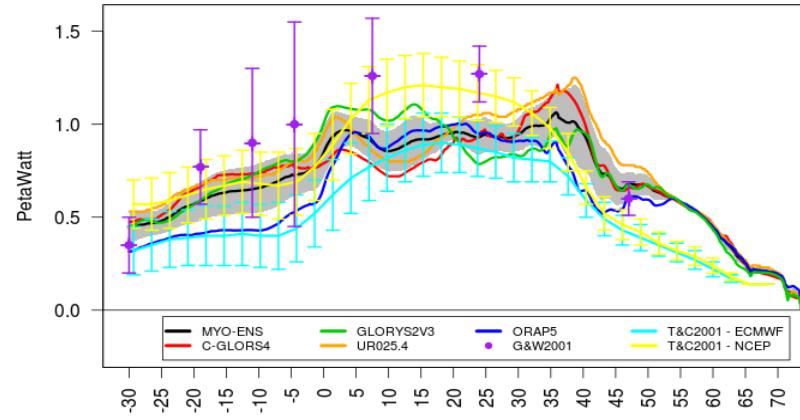
Global Sea Surface Temperature



Atlantic Meridional Overturning Circulation  
Maximum of Meridional Streamfunction at 26N



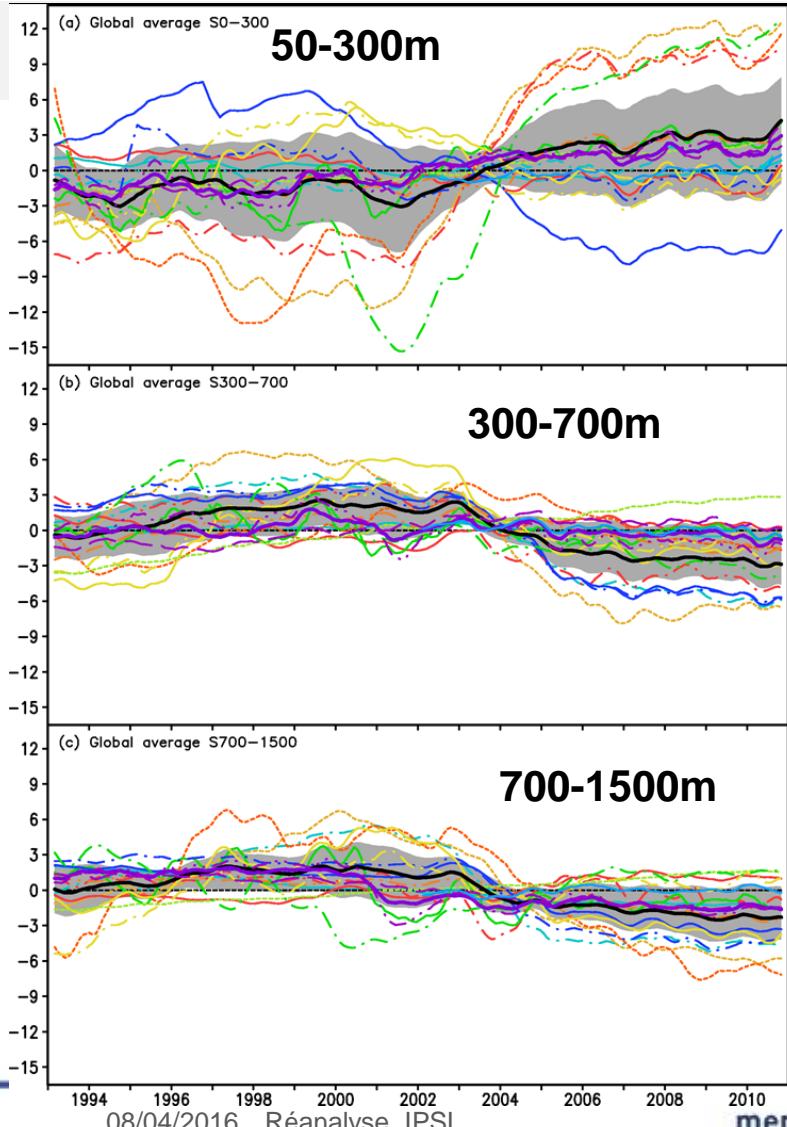
Meridional Heat Transport  
Atlantic Ocean



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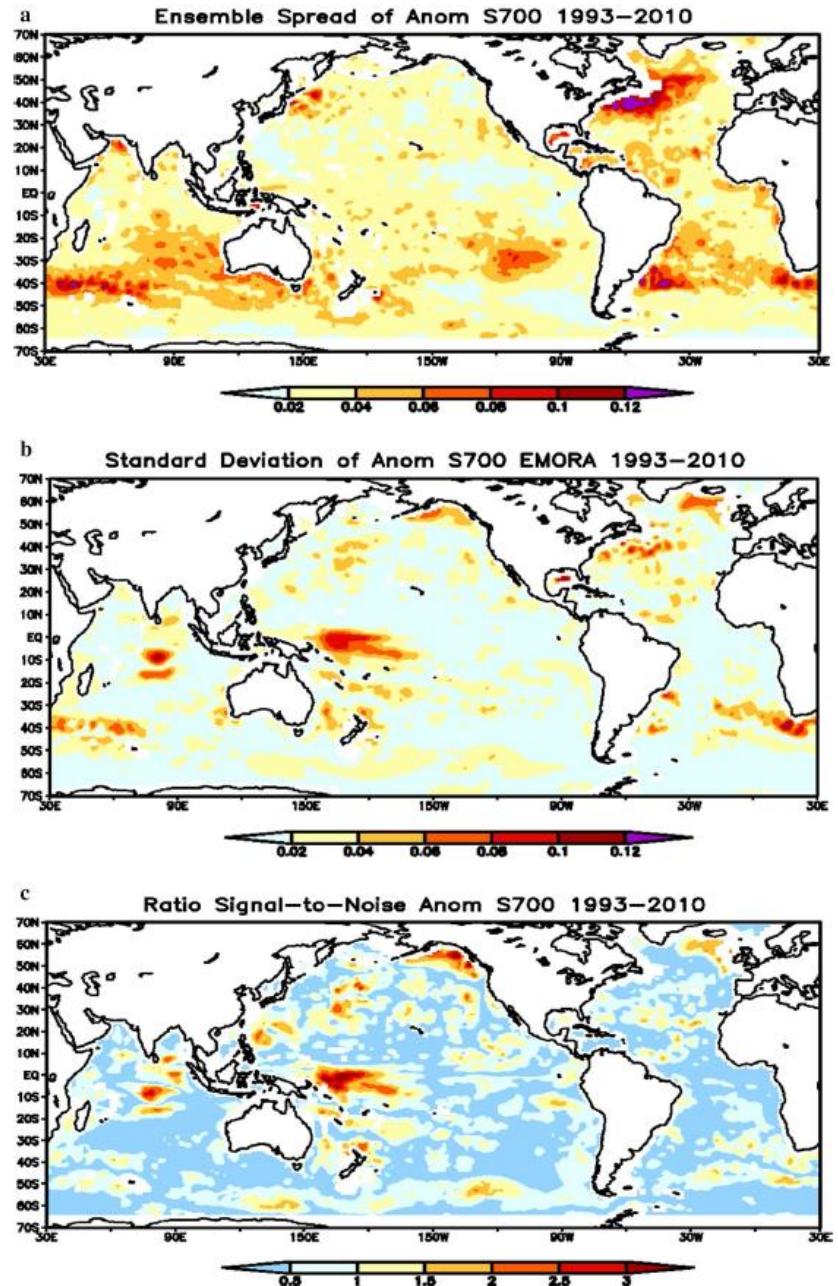


## Incertitude sur la salinité



14 réanalyses globales

Shi et al. (2015)



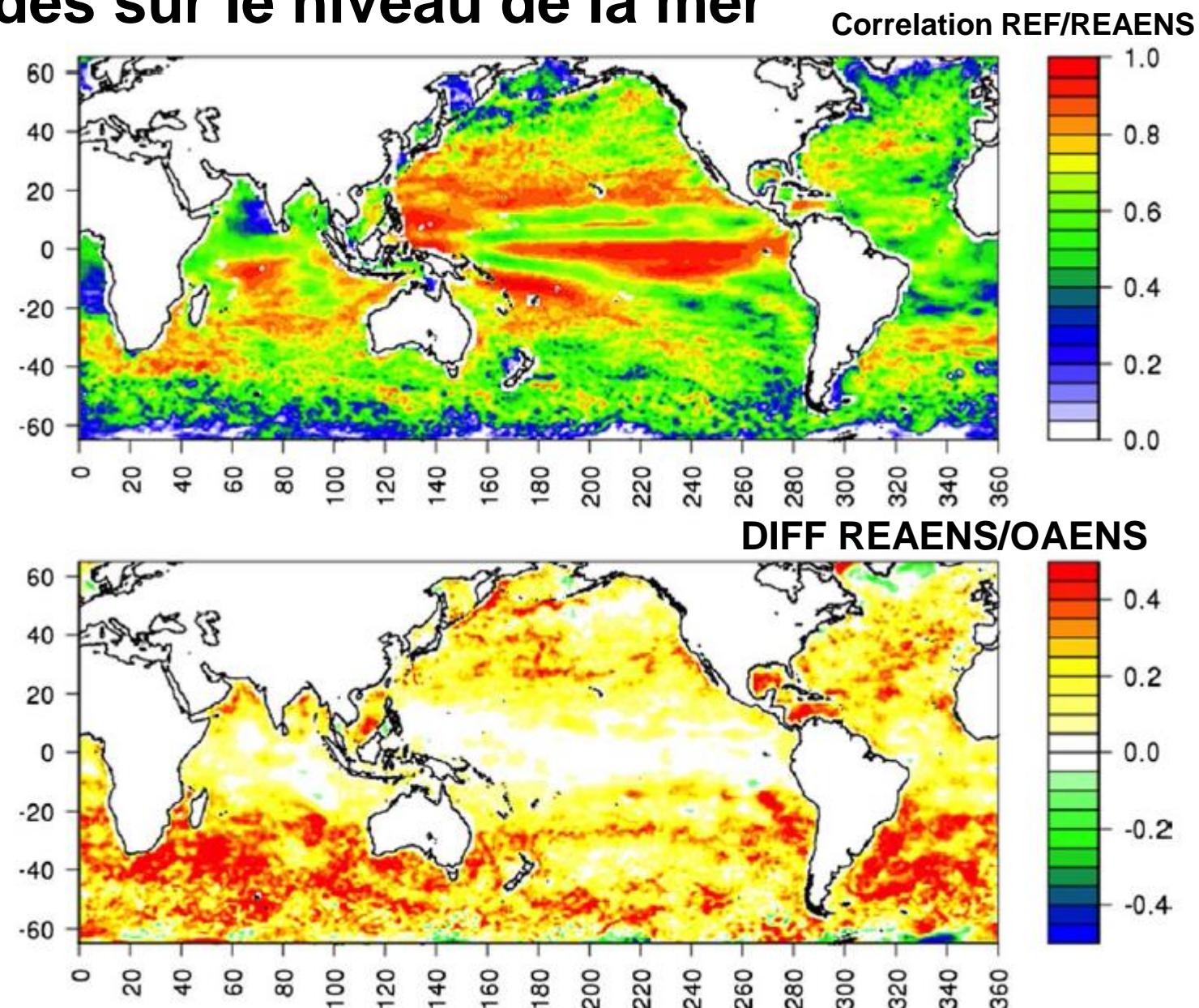


# Estimations à partir de plusieurs réanalyses

## Incertitudes sur le niveau de la mer

Composante stérique du niveau de la mer

- Référence : Estimation de la composante stérique du niveau de la mer à partir des observations altimétrique et gravimétrique
- 1 ensemble à partir de 16 produits de réanalyses (REAENS)
- 1 ensemble à partir de 4 produits d'observation (OAENS)



Storto et al.  
(2015)



# Global Biogeochemistry reanalysis

## Physical CONFIGURATION

NEMO 3.1, ORCA  $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$ , 75 vertical levels, period: 1993– real time,

Start from rest and Levitus 98 climatology.

Sea Ice model LIM2-EVP,

Atmospheric forcing from ERAinterim, 3h frequency, CORE bulk formulae.

Simulation with and without data assimilation in the physics (along track altimetry, SST maps, in situ T/S profiles).

## Biogeochemical CONFIGURATION

NEMO 3.2, PISCES,  $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$ , 75 vertical levels, period 1993– real time,

Initial condition : WOA 2001 for NO<sub>3</sub>, PO<sub>4</sub>, Si, O<sub>2</sub>; GLODAP for Alkalinity and DIC; Iron and DOC from low resolution simulation (ORCA2 3000 ans) ; 16 constants,

Antropic part take into account for DIC

Output: weekly means

## Coupling

Offline

1 day frequency for the physics

Specific treatment for vertical mixing : threshold ( $10^{-2} \text{ m}^2 \cdot \text{s}^{-1}$ ) and mean of log10(Kz)

# Seasonnal cycle in the North Atlantic

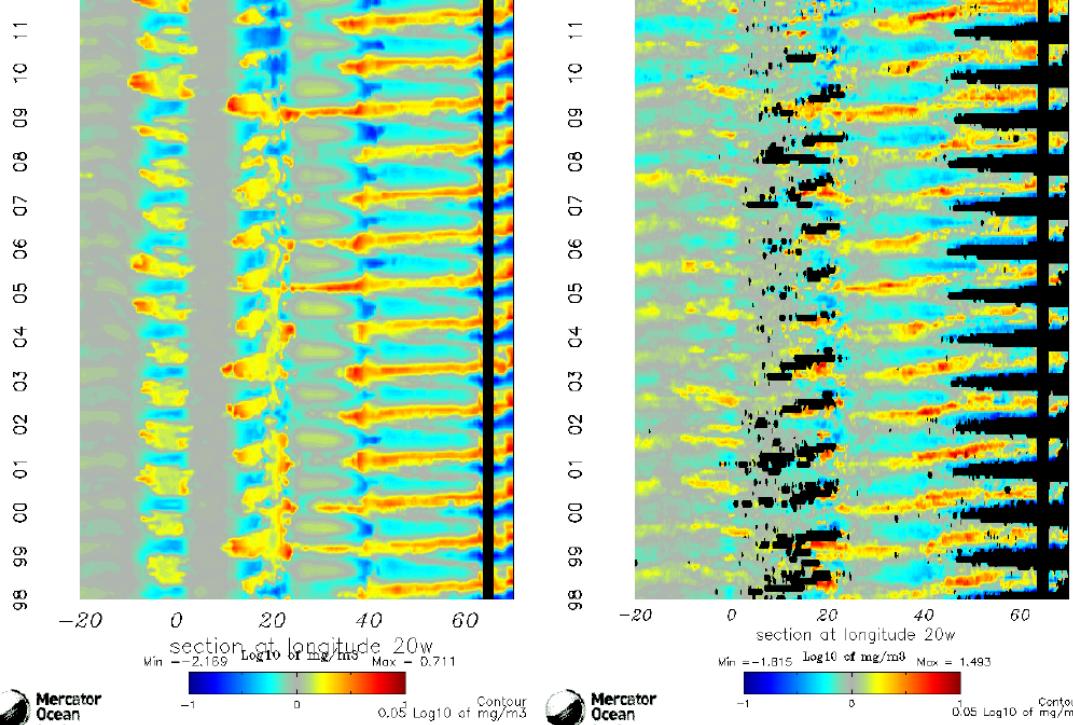
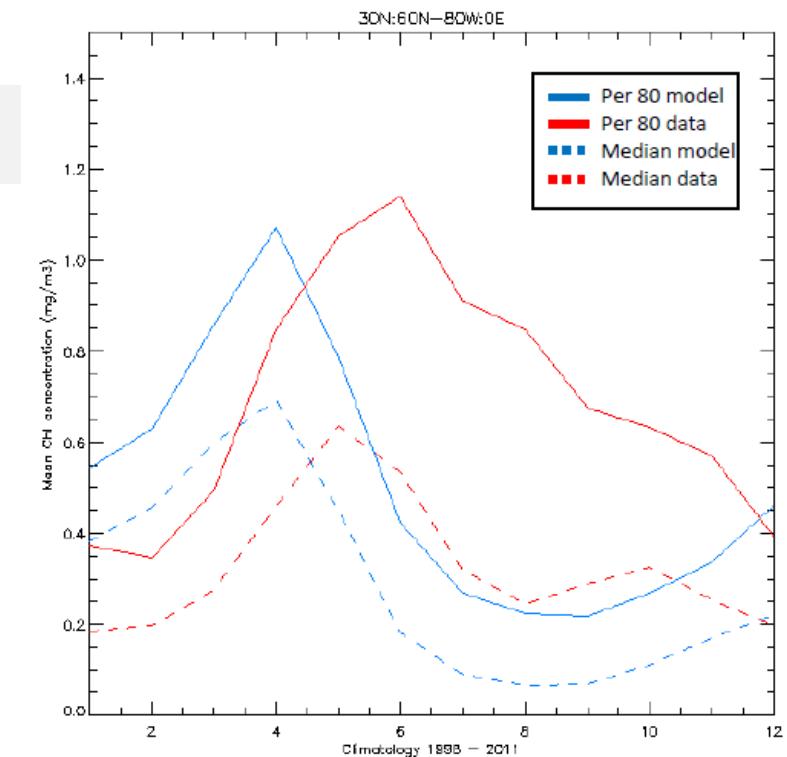


Figure 4: Hovmöller diagram of the chlorophyll anomaly ( $\text{Log10}(\text{monthly mean}) - \text{Log10}(\text{mean over the whole period})$ ) between 1998 and 2011 at 20°W in North Atlantic (20°S:70°N). (left) model; (right) Globcolour data.



**Good representation of the seasonal cycle : bloom in spring and second event in fall.**

**interannual variability**

**Concentration during bloom**

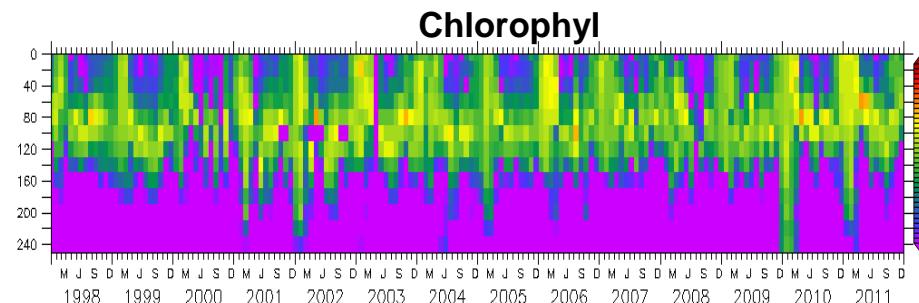
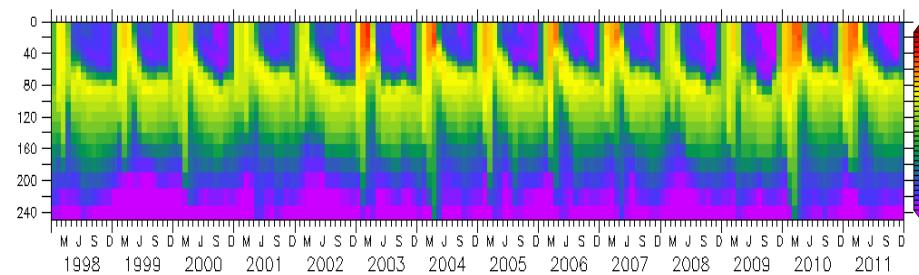
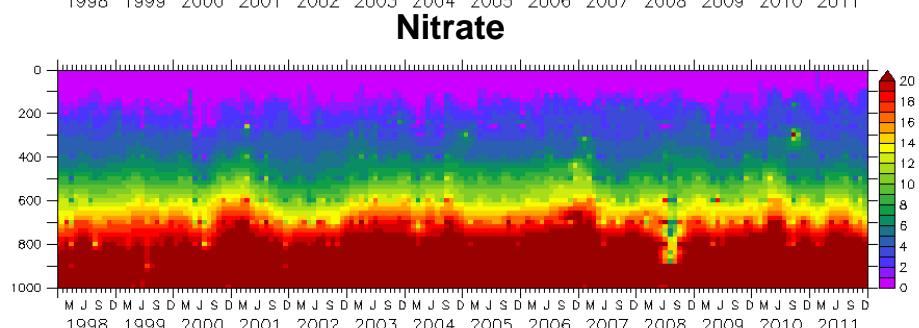
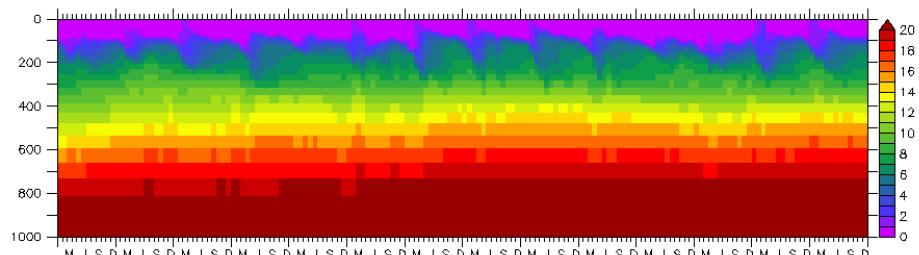
**But the bloom occurs too early in spring**



# Seasonnal cycle in the North Atlantic

## BATS Station

Nitracline too diffuse and not deep enough → spring bloom in the model is more driven by light penetration than by nutrient limitation.

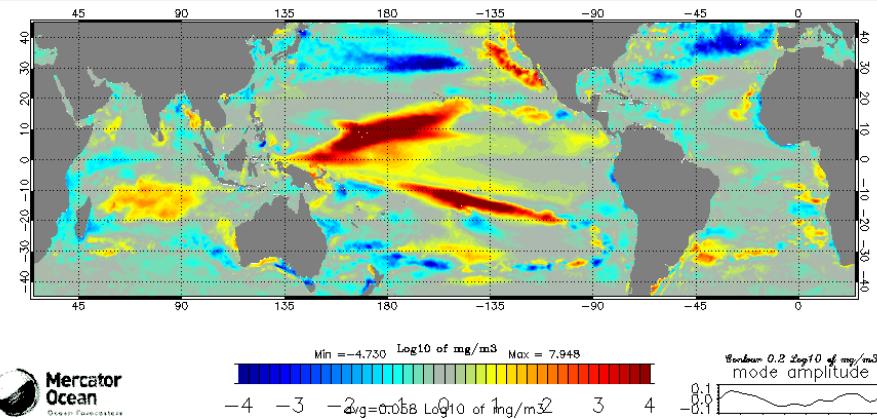




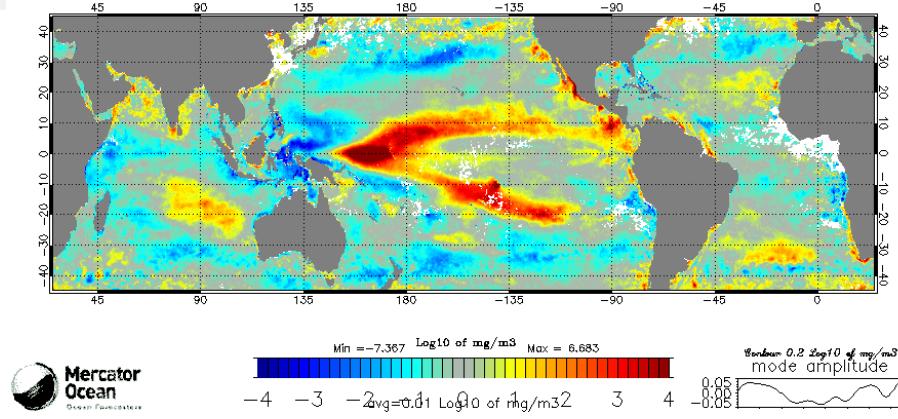
# Interannual variability

EOF analysis : good representation of the 2 first modes

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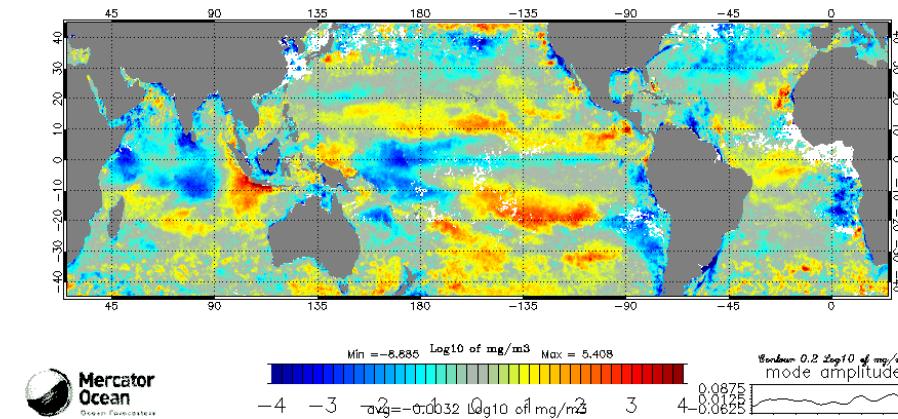
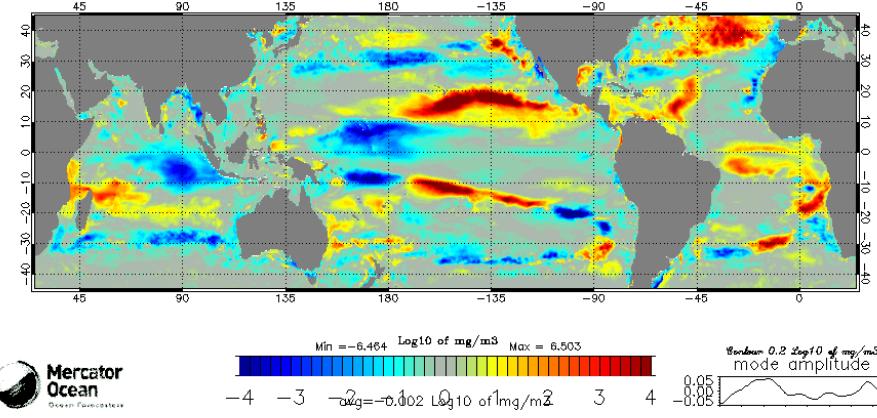


Model



Observations

Mode #2

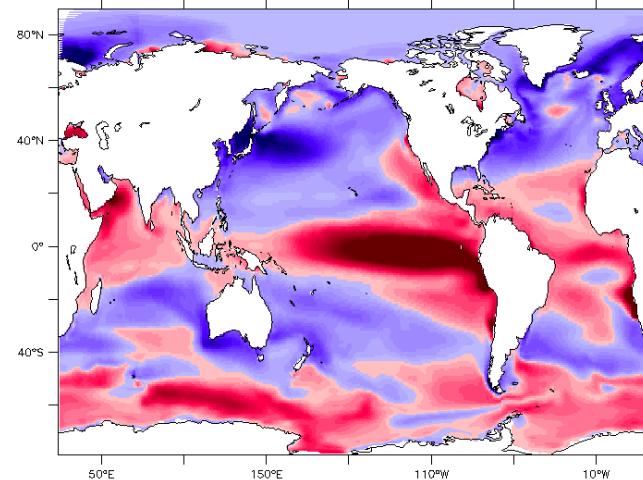




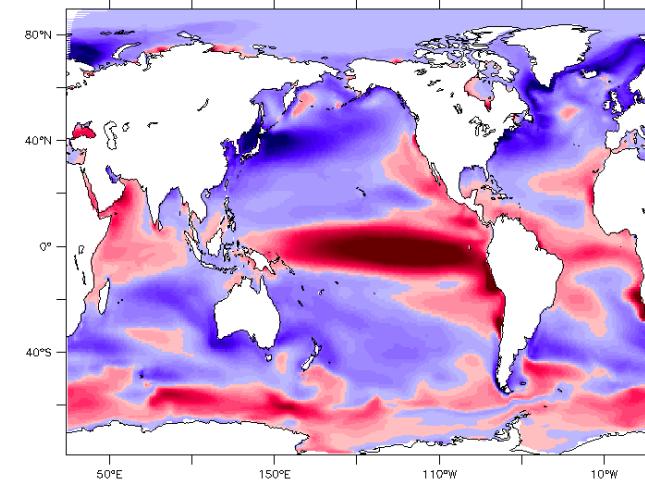
# ERACLIM2 : Ocean biogeochemistry

110 ans de simulation ORCA1\_LIM3\_PISCES forcé par ERA-20C

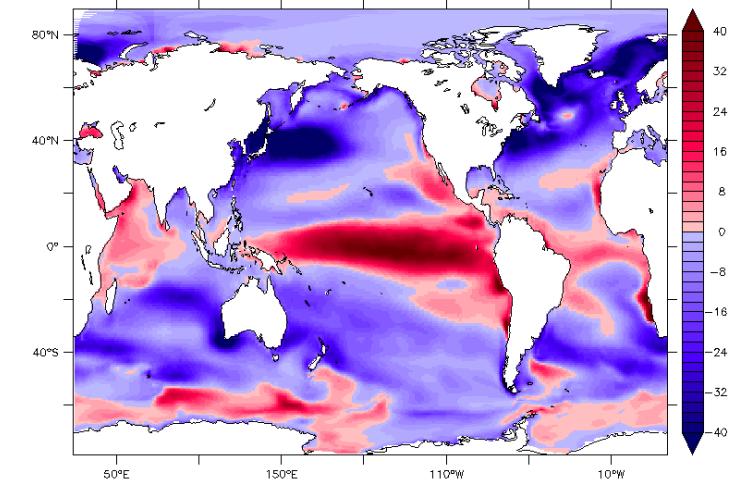
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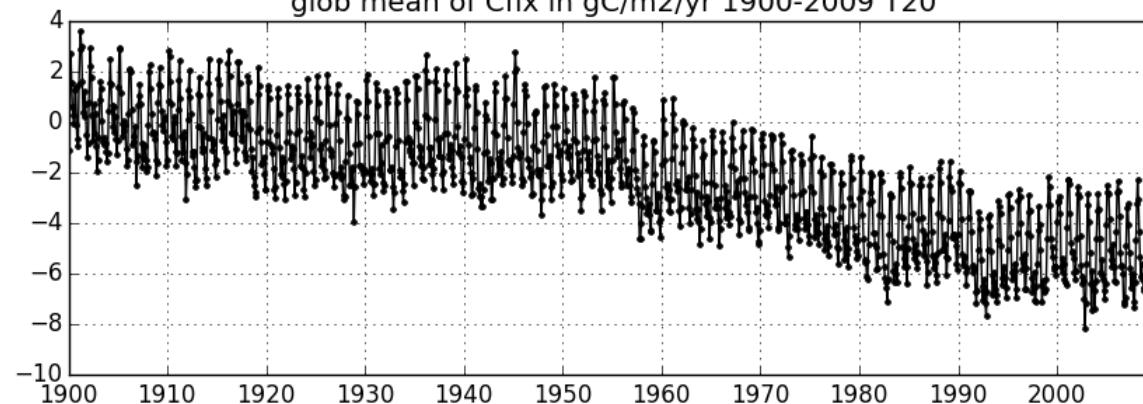
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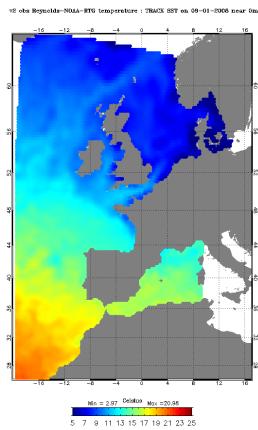


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glob mean of Cflux in gC/m<sup>2</sup>/yr 1900-2009 T20





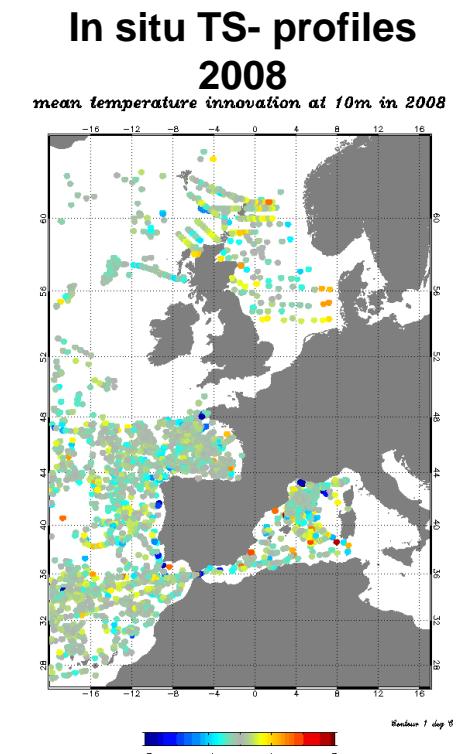
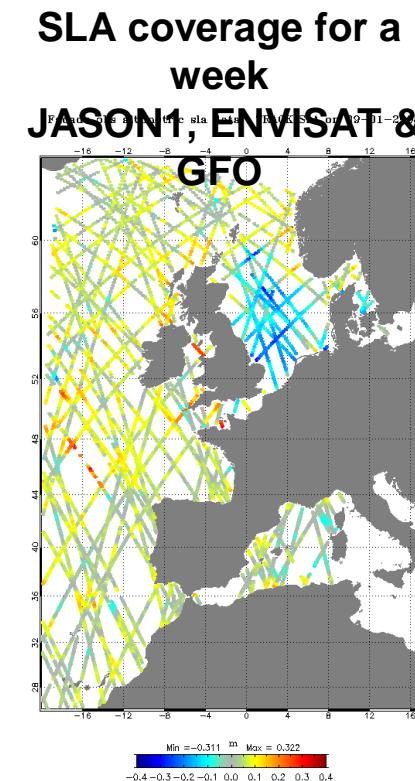
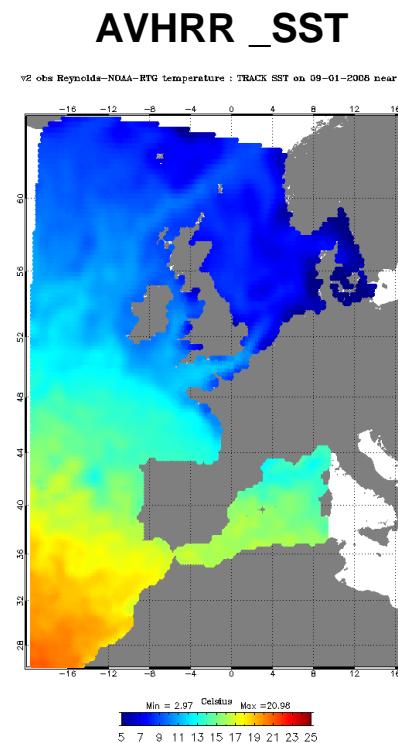
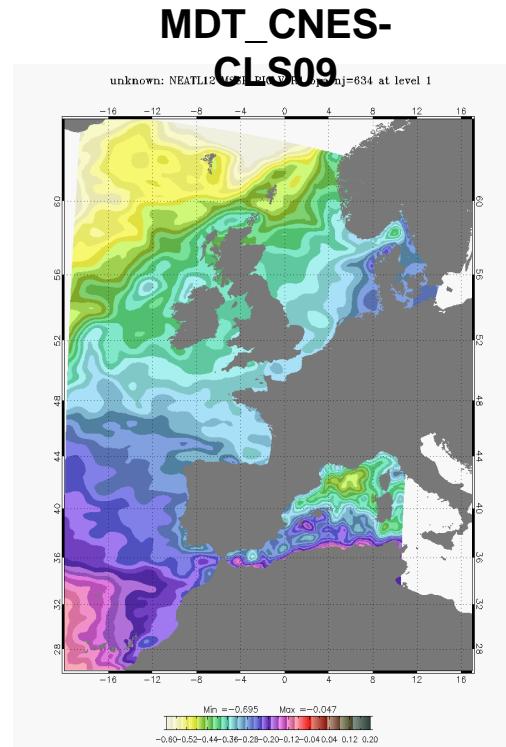
# IBIRYS

Reanalysis IBI V1 (2002-2014)	
NEMO version	2.3
Horizontal resolution	1/12° (5-6 km)
Vertical coord.	$z^* = f(\text{ssh})$ 75 levels Partial bottom cells
Bathymetry	Composite (GEBCO_08 + different local databases)
Free surface	Explicit, non-linear, time-splitting
Open boundary data	From daily 1/4° GLORYS2V3
Vertical mixing	k-epsilon
Tracer advection	QUICKEST + ZALEZAK
Rivers	As lateral point sources Merge of daily SMHI & PREVIMER & Monthly climatology (GRDC), 35 rivers
Atm. forcing	ECMWF ERA INTERIM (3h) + analytic diurnal cycle from daily short wave irradiance
Surge capability	Yes
Tides	Yes (11 tidal components, astro pot)
Ocean color effects	Merged SEAWIF/IFREMER kpar climatology
IC & OBCs	GLORYS2V3 1/4°
Data Assimilation	SAM2 (SEEK Filter) + IAU



# Assimilation obs. data

- Along track altimeter data (**AVISO ALTO/DUACS**): Jason1, Envisat and GFO
  - In situ profiles Temperature and Salinity (**provided by CORIOLIS including ARGO**)
  - Sea Surface Temperature : **AVHRR\_SST (1/4° x 1/4°)**
  - MADT : **CNES\_CLS09 (Rio et al, CLS 2009)**



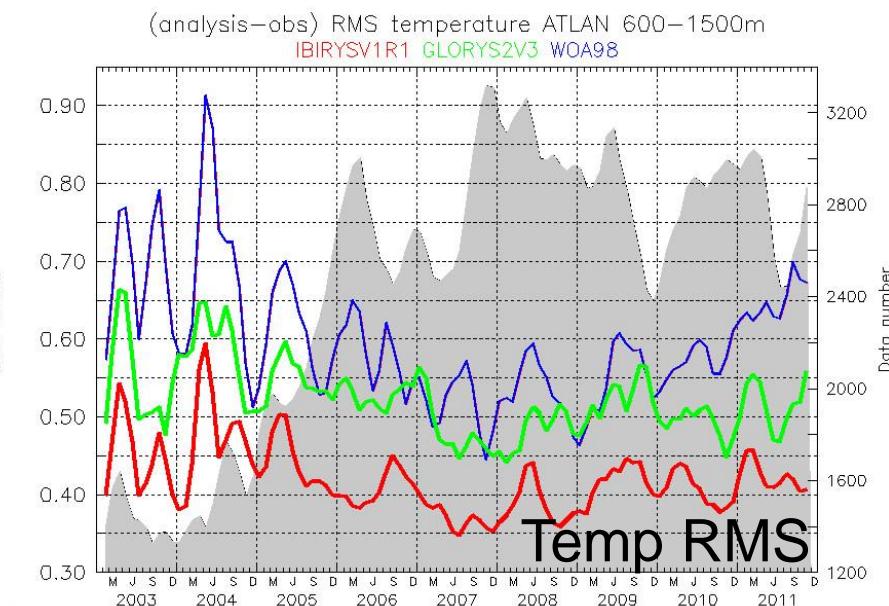
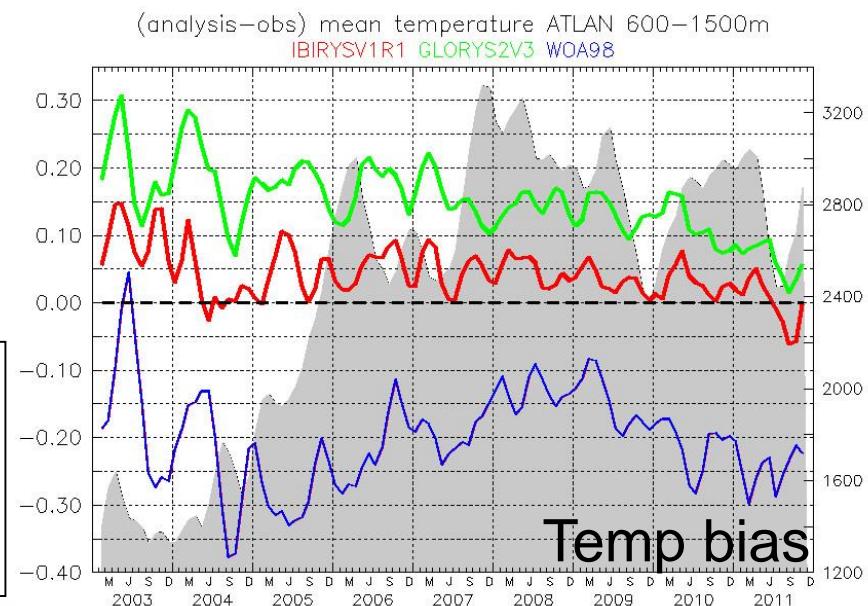
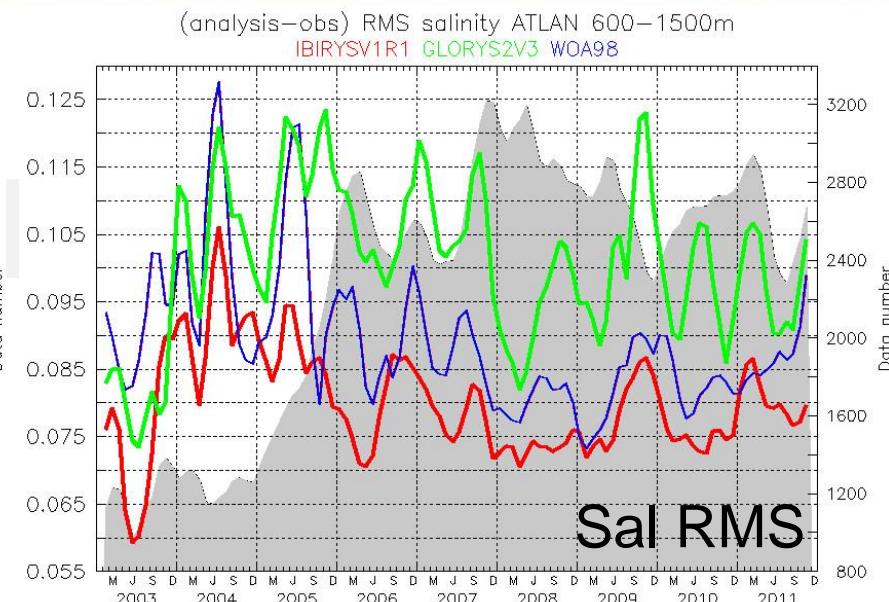
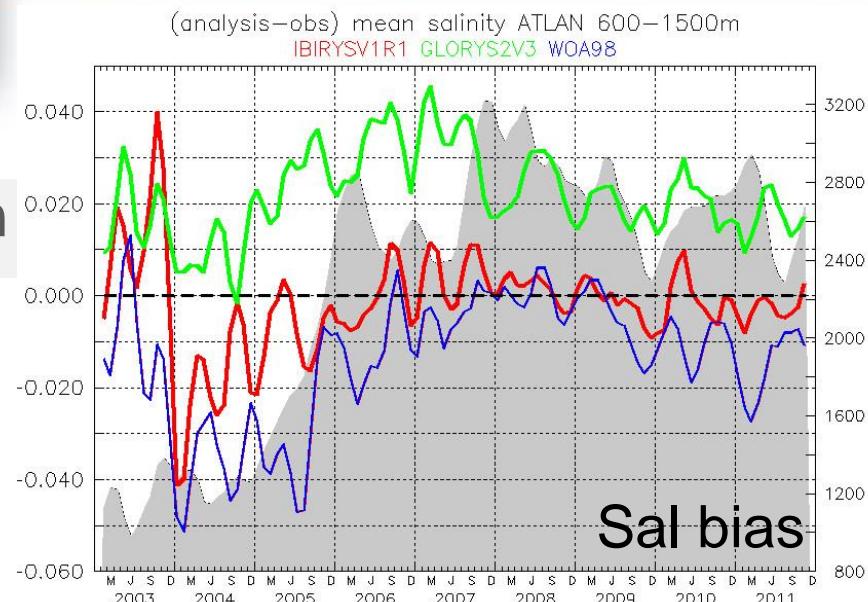


# CLASS4-LAYER

600-1500m  
layer  
Atlantic  
region

In-situ obs:  
CORA  
database

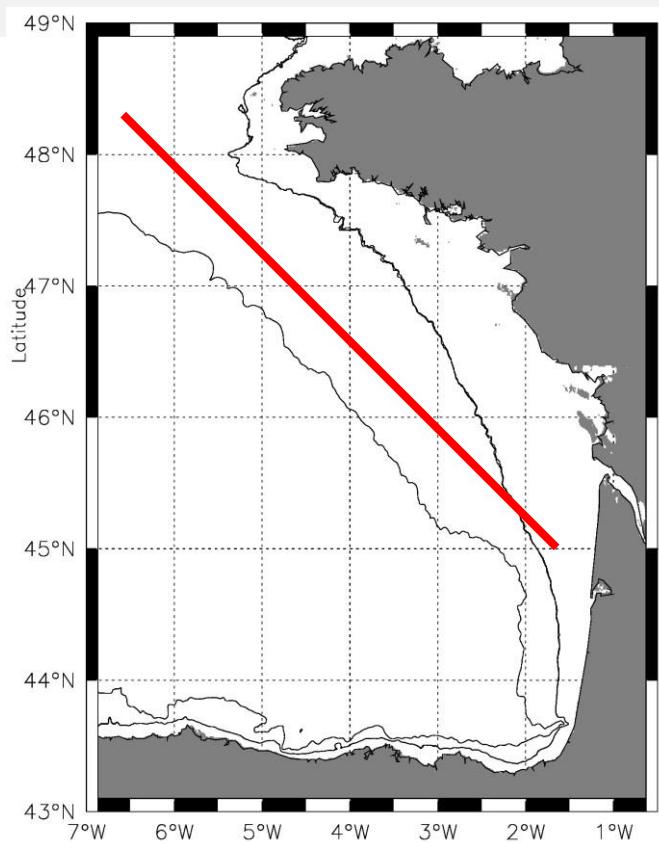
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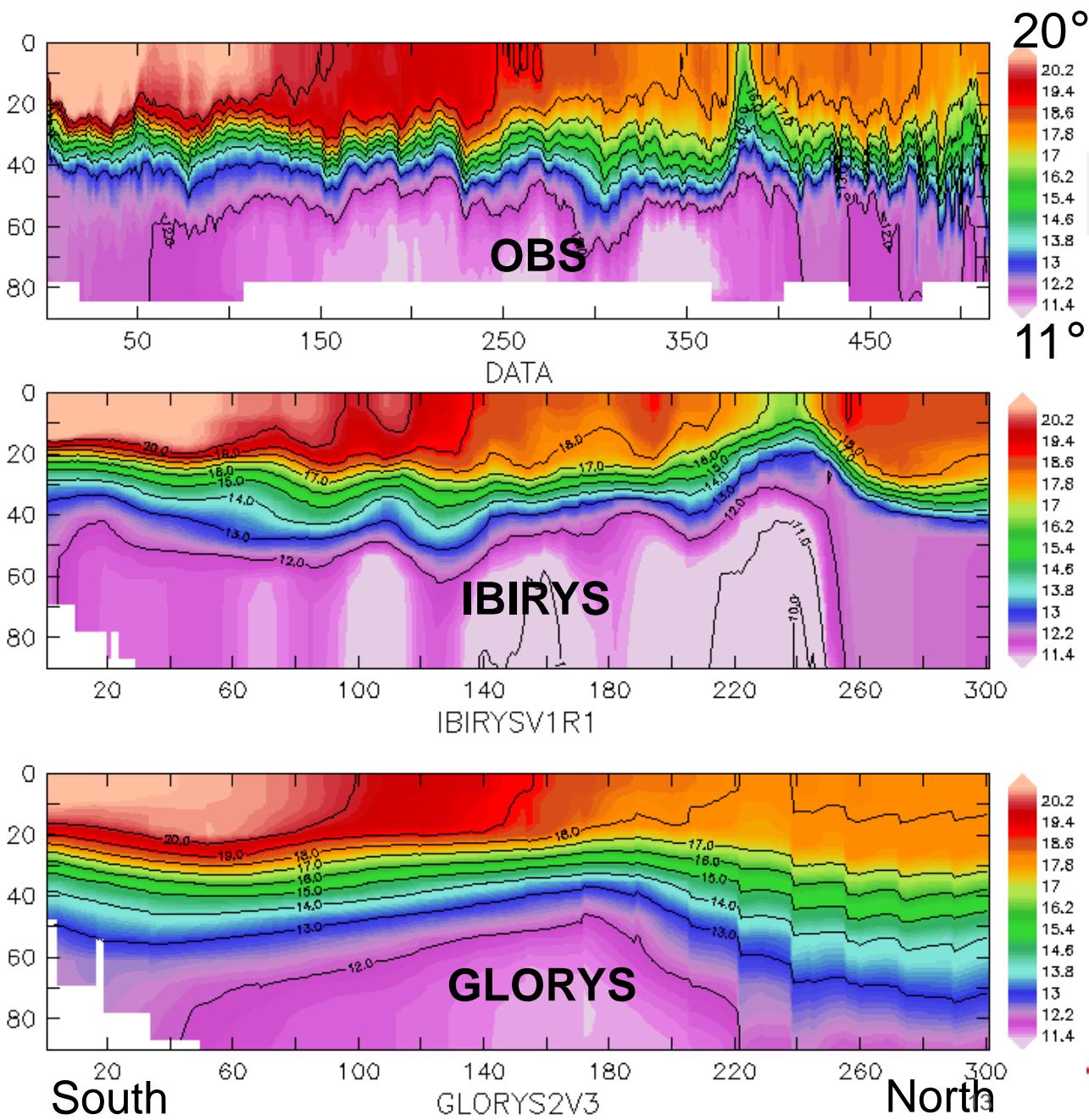


# Bay of Biscay summer thermocline

Temperature section (ASPEX G)  
September 2010



ASPEX cruise,  
Le Boyer et al (2013)



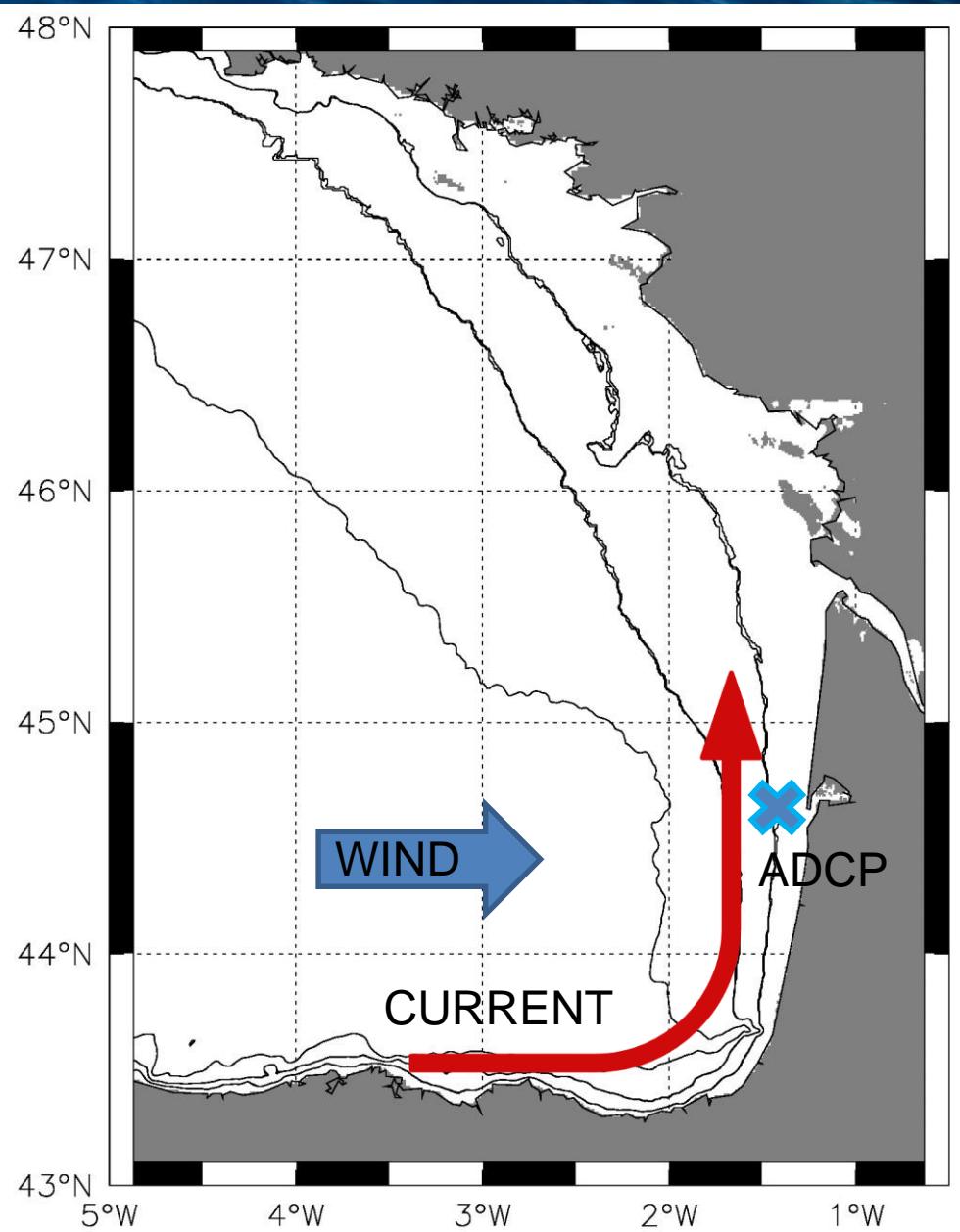


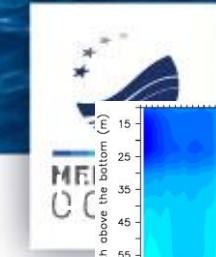
# Bay of Biscay coastal jet (1)

Batifoulier et al (2012):

Observations of poleward costal jets along the Aquitaine shelf, associated with increase of the bottom temperature.

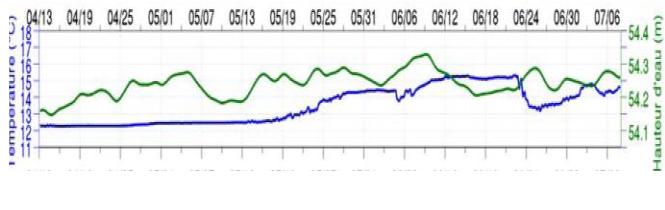
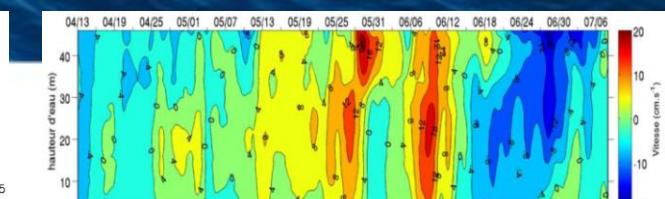
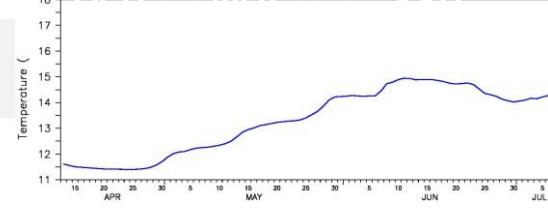
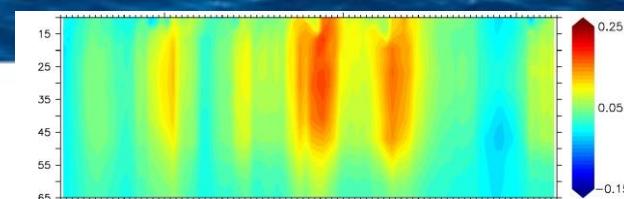
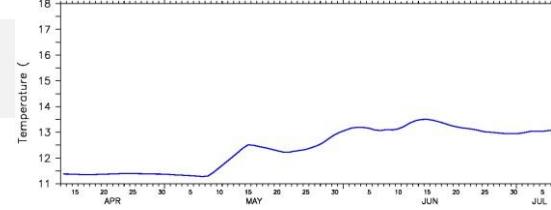
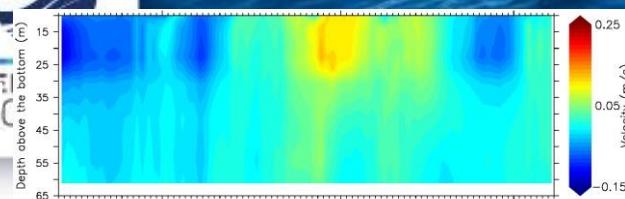
The triggering mechanism is due to downwelling situation along the Spanish coast induced by westerlies winds.



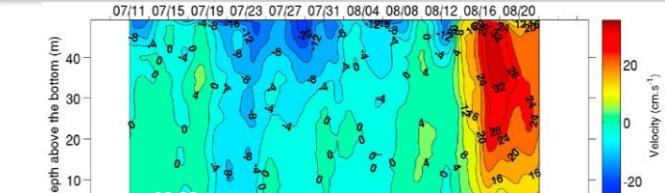
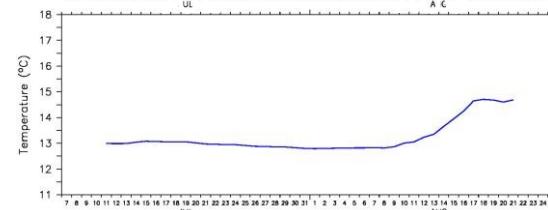
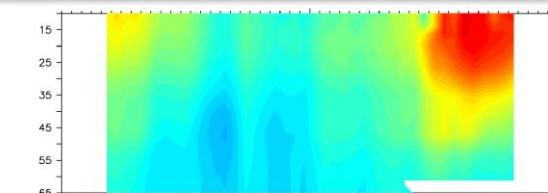
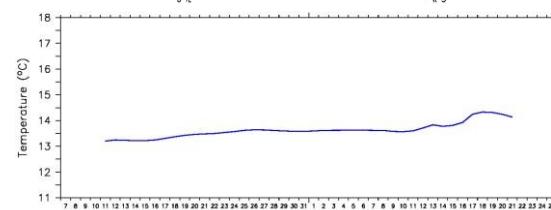
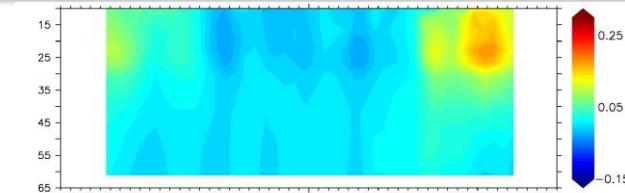


# Bay of Biscay coastal jet (2)

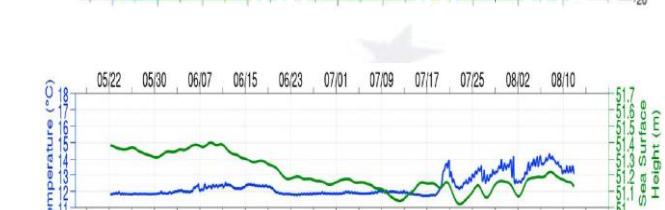
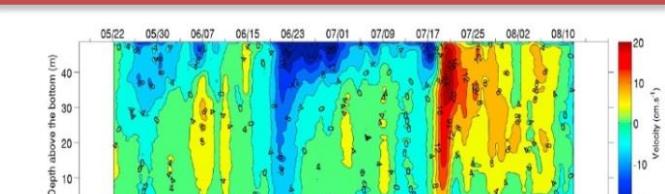
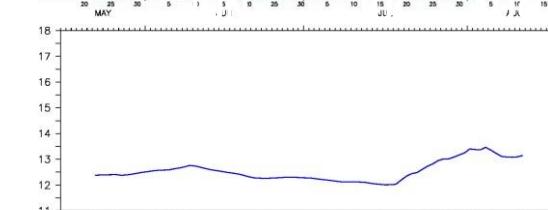
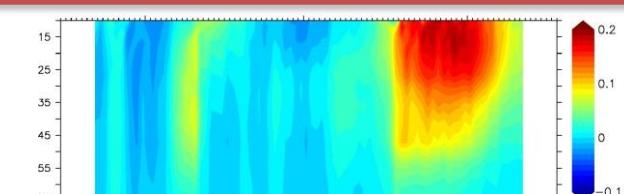
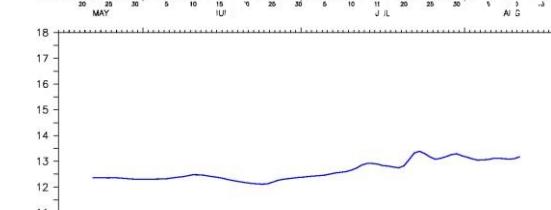
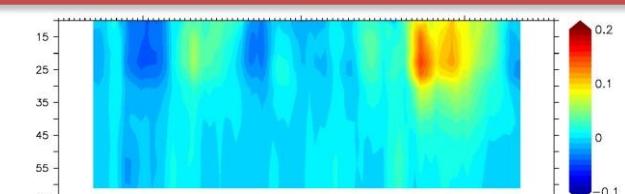
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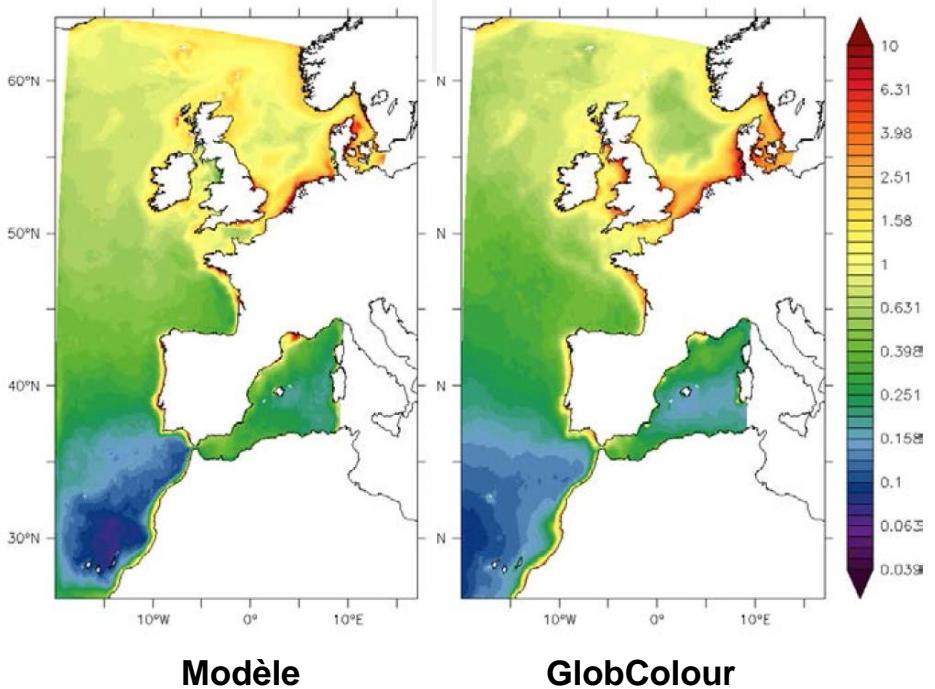


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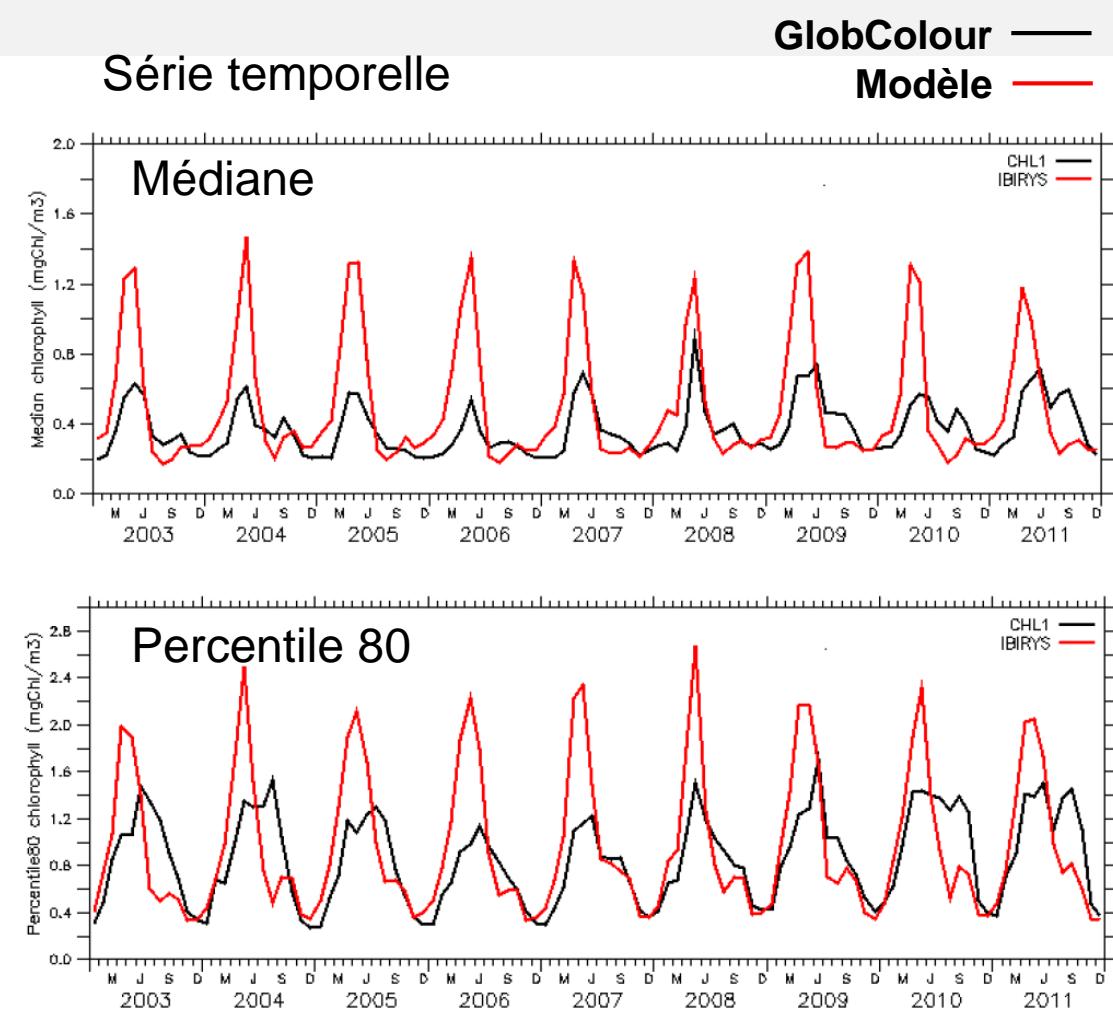
## Simulation interannuelle au 1/12°

### Chlorophylle-a (mg Chl m<sup>-3</sup>)

moyenne sur 2003-2011



80% des [chloro] < percentile 80.  
Cette métrique exclue les valeurs extrêmes





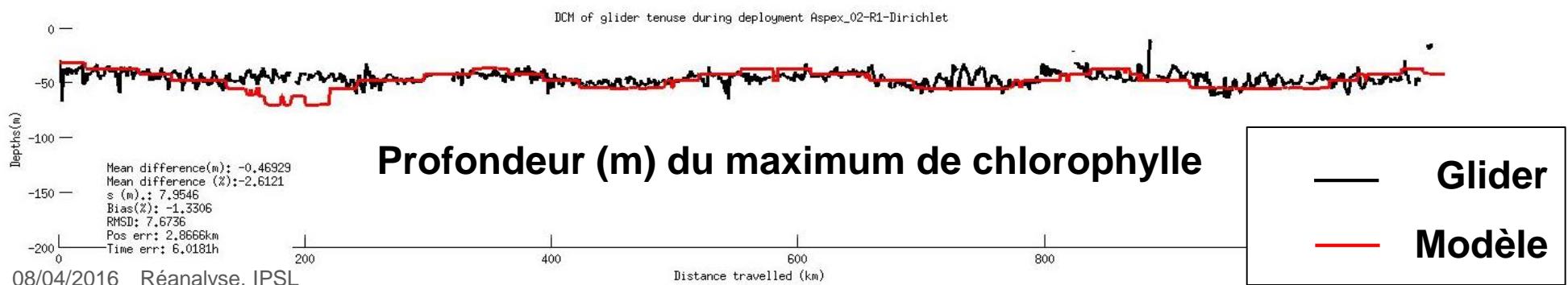
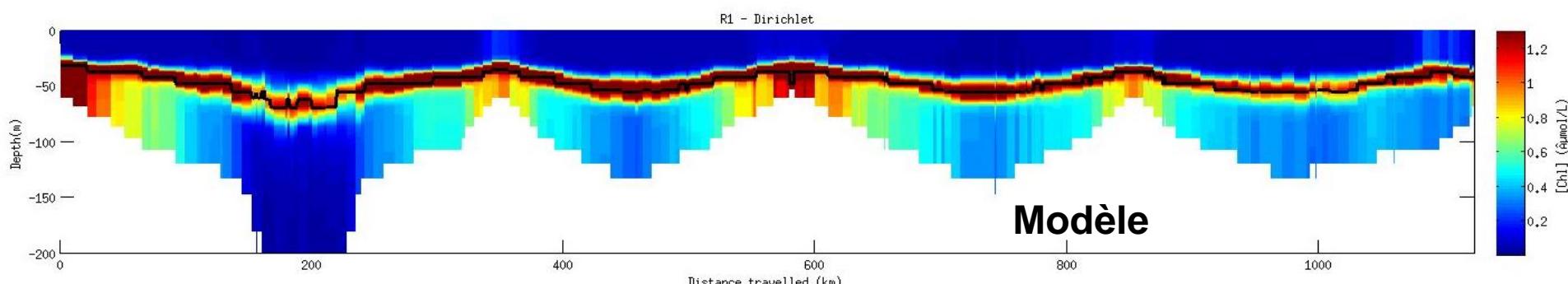
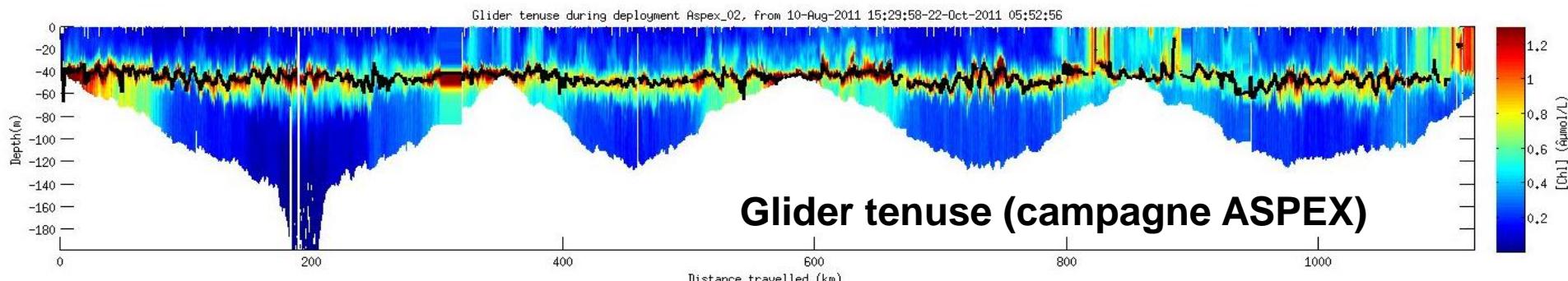
# Côtes Européennes

## Simulation interannuelle au 1/12°

Projet AMICO-BIO (analyse d'Oliver Ross)

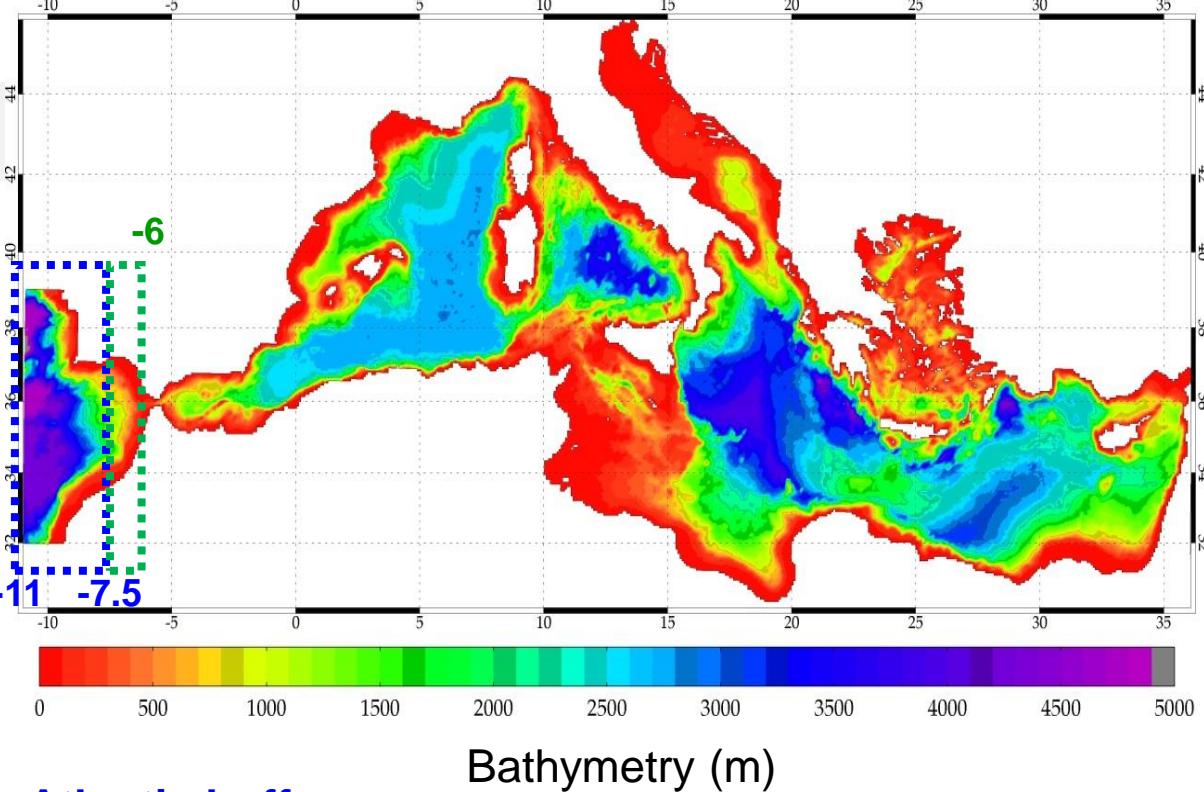
Chlorophylle-a (mg Chl m<sup>-3</sup>): Distribution verticale.

Simulation libre:  
Pas d'assimilation des  
champs physiques





# MEDRYS



Atlantic buffer zone :  
Newtonian dampings to ORAS4 monthly anomalies  
with following time scales  $\tau$  :  
 $\theta$  and  $S$  (3D) :  $\tau$  between 2 days -> 90 days  
SSH :  $\tau$  between 1.7 second -> 90 days

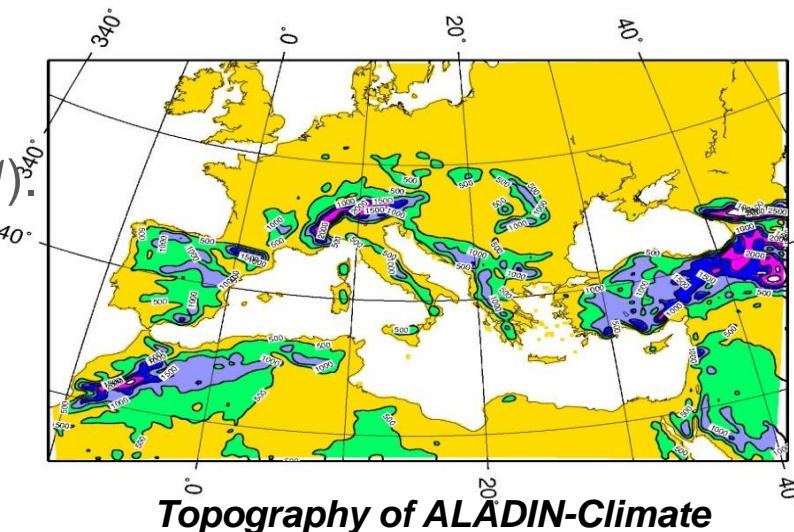
- NEMO v3.1 code (Mercator open version at Météo-France HPC)
- Horizontal grid from ORCA12 at **6-8 km** < Rossby deformation radius ~10-15 km (eq. to a 1/14°-1/18° regular grid)
- Z vertical grid with **75 levels** (1m to 135m thickness)
- New high resolution bathymetry (MERCATOR-LEGOS v10 product at 1/120° resolution)
- **Closed boundary at 11°W**

Hamon et al, 2016

# Atmospheric forcings, initial and boundary conditions

- Free simulation starting in **October 1979** from Medatlas-1979 (*Rixen et al., 2005*) in the Mediterranean side and from WOA05 (*Levitus et al., 2005*) in the Atlantic side. The reanalysis starts from the state of the free run on the **30<sup>th</sup> September 1992** (beginning of the altimetry era).
- **12-km and 3h-atmospheric fluxes** from ALDERA (CNRM), dynamical downscaling of the ERA-Interim reanalysis with ALADIN-Climate (*Herrmann et al. 2011*).

SST retroaction for the free run (*Barnier et al. 1995*), coefficient of -40 W/m<sup>2</sup>/K (*CLIPPER Project 1999*). The total heat flux of the free run is used for the reanalysis (including the retroaction term).

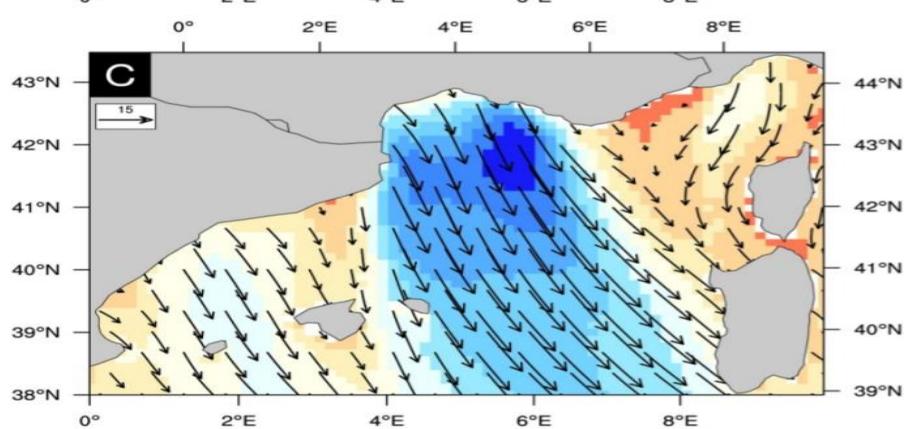
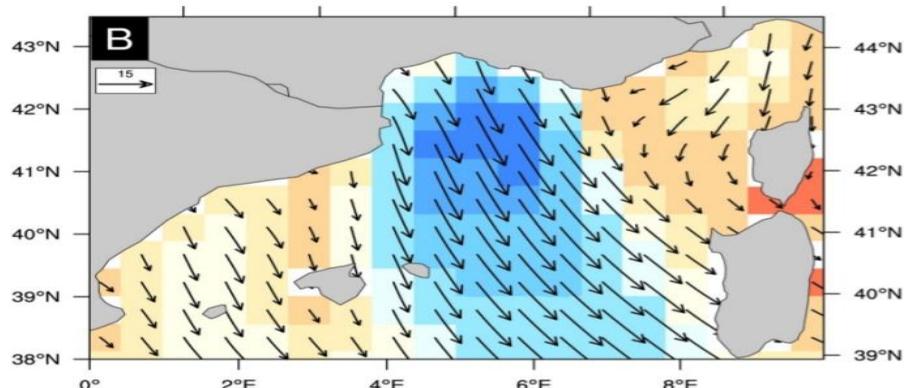
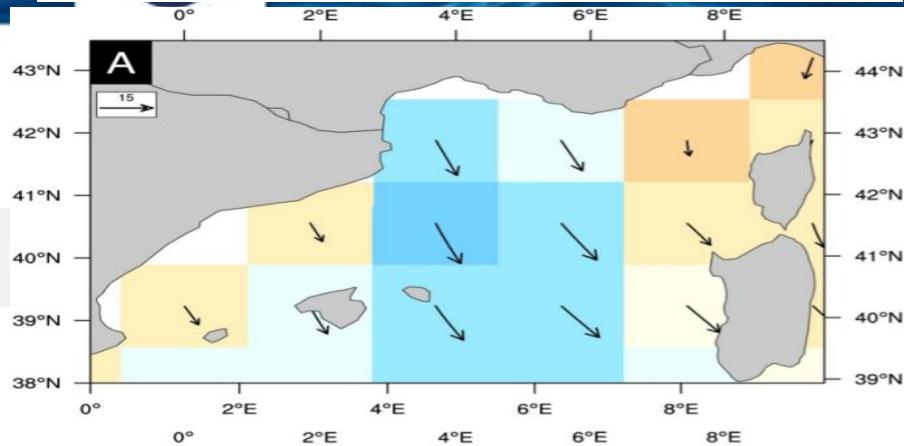


No SSS damping, 2D water flux correction in the water flux.

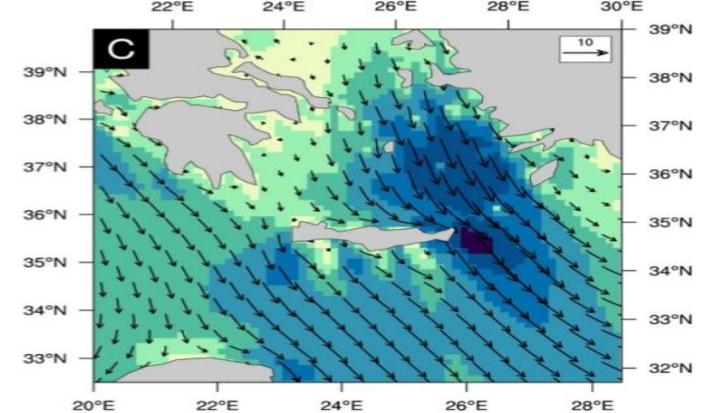
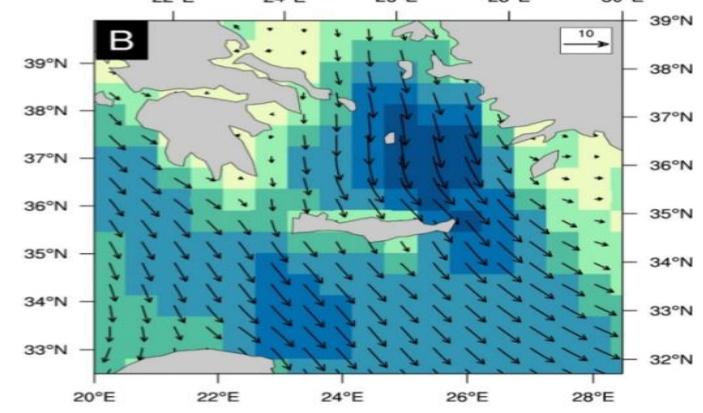
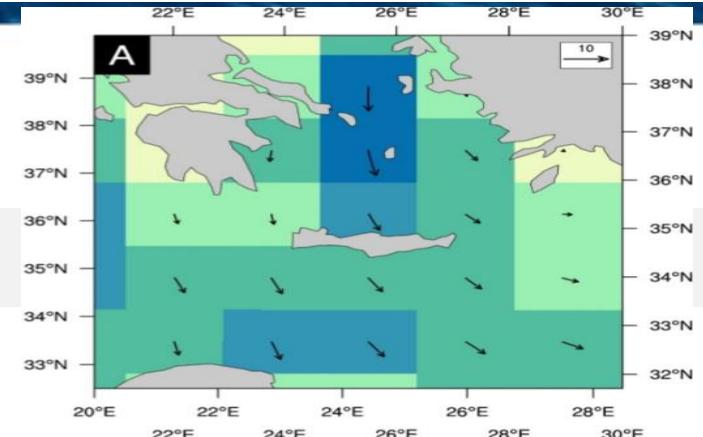
33 main rivers + Black Sea (**interannual** datasets from *Ludwig et al., 2009* and *Stanev & Peneva, 2002*): freshwater added as precipitation at mouth points + coastal runoff (residual land-surface freshwater budget).

# Added value of the high-resolution in ALDERA

Wind and heat flux on the 14<sup>th</sup> March 2013



Wind direction and speed on the 16<sup>th</sup> September 2012



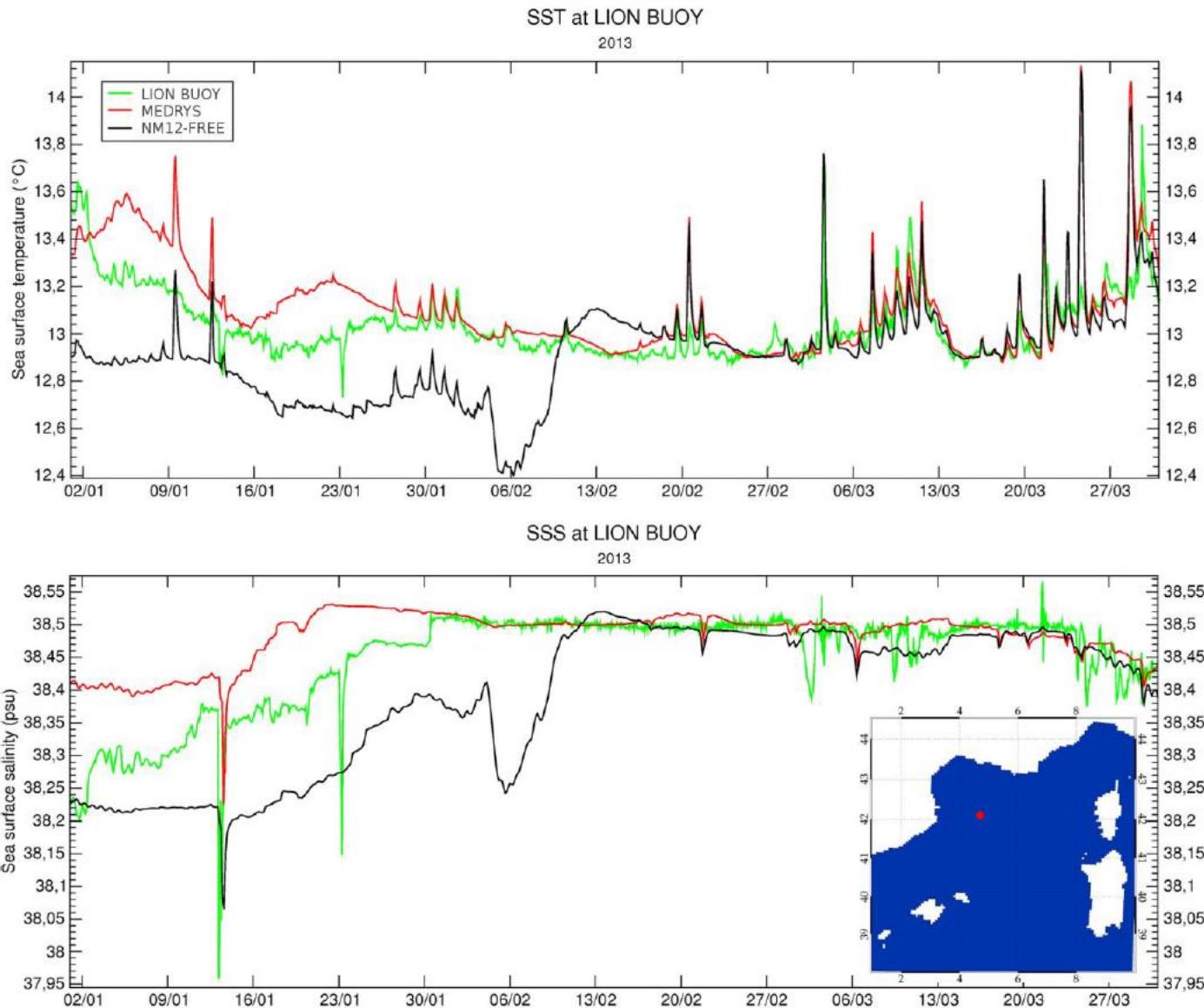


# Comparison with observations

- HyMEX SOP2 period
- Comparison with LION buoy
- SST and SSS not assimilated

SST correlation **0.76/0.31**

Bias during january



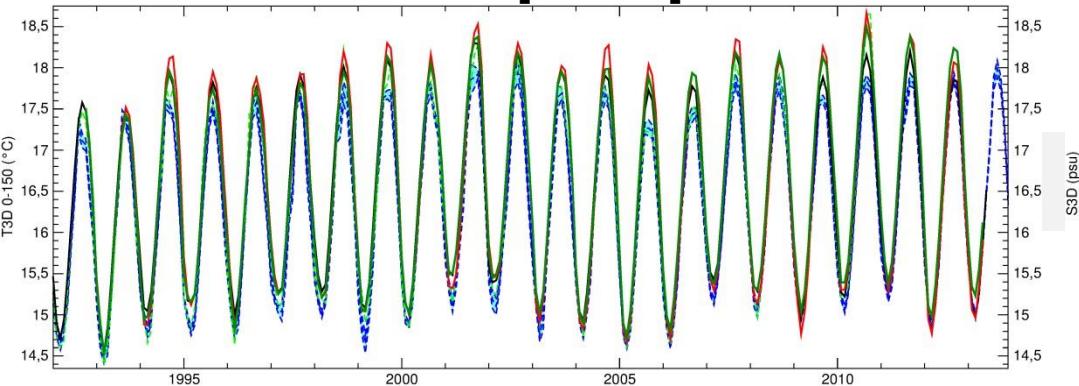


# Monthly heat and salt contents

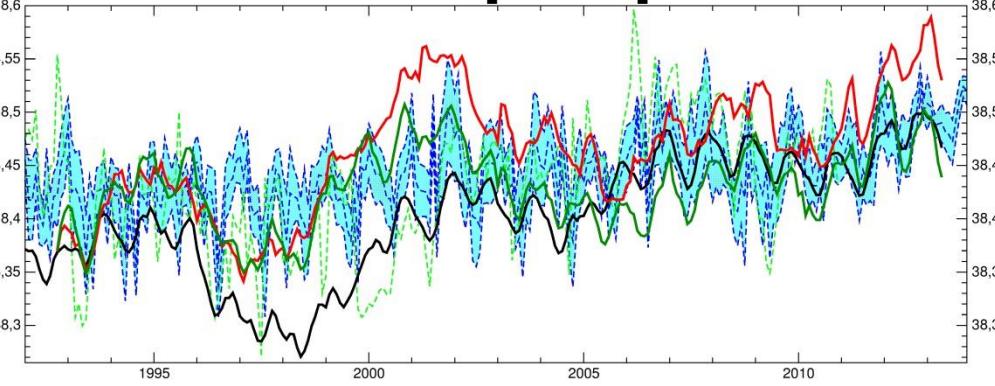
(courtesy G. Jorda for the IMEDEA construction)

- IMEDEA reconstruction
- EN3 reconstruction
- NEMOMED12 free run
- MEDRYS1V1 reanalysis
- MEDRYS1V2 reanalysis

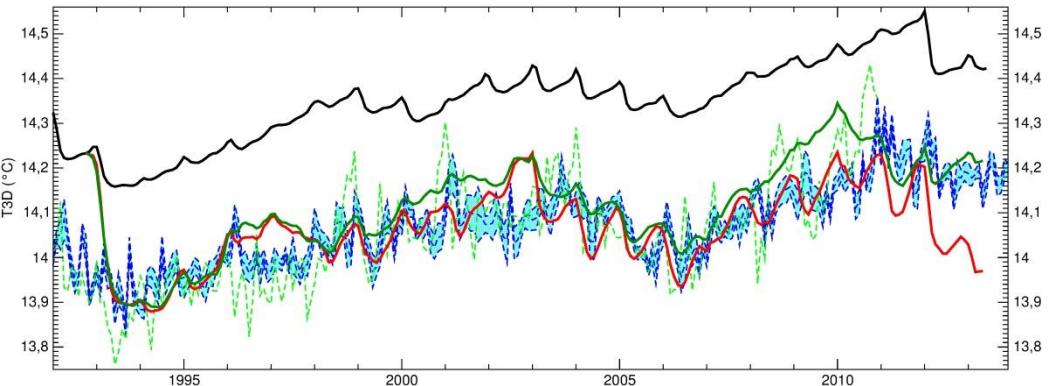
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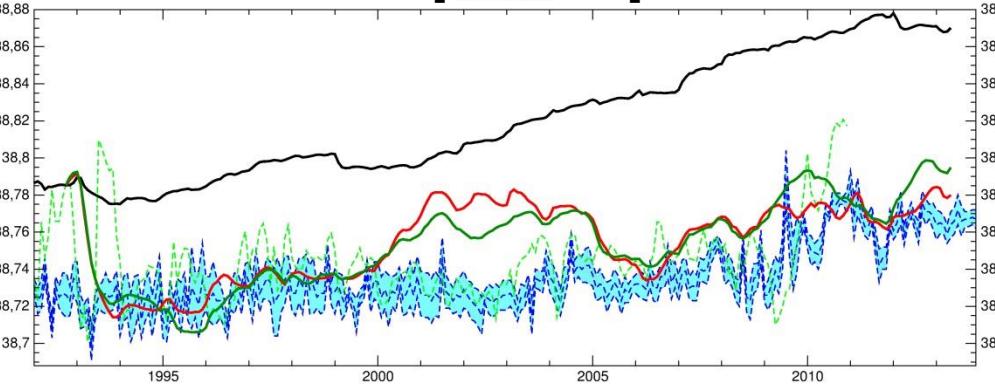
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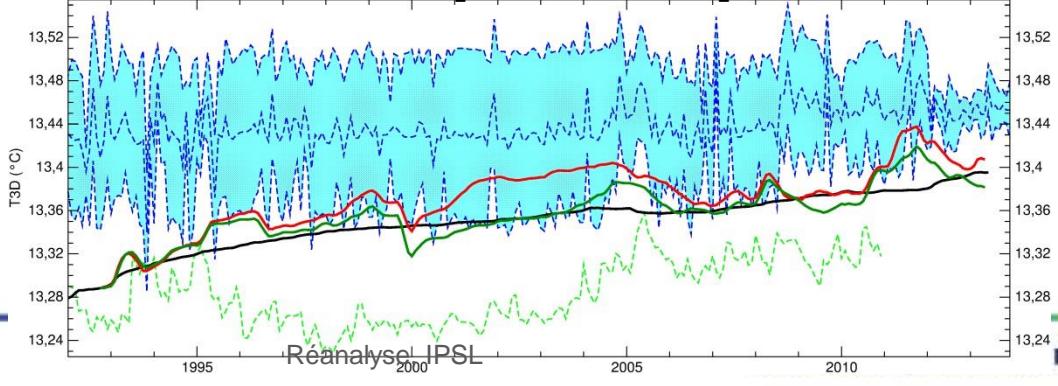
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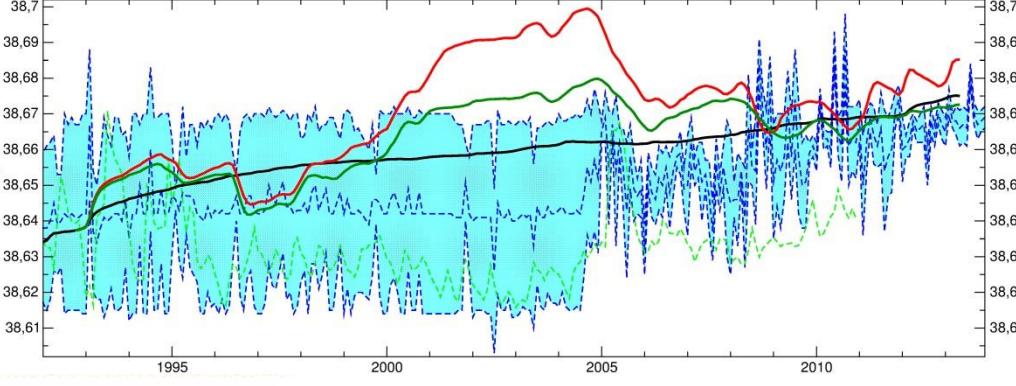
S3D[150-600m]



T3D[600m-bottom]



S3D[600m-bottom]



Réanalyse IPSL



# Conclusions

## Apport de l'approche ensembliste et multi modèles

- Estimer, fournir, étudier les incertitudes
  - 2017 : Fourniture d'un ensemble (4 estimations globales au  $\frac{1}{4}^\circ$ ) moyenne, variance ...
  - 2018/2019 : Développer des approches ensemblistes, générer des perturbations, contrôler le spread de l'ensemble

## Apport de l'approche régionale

- Améliorer la résolution
- Adapter le modèle, des paramétrisations ou des forçages
- Focus sur des processus ou régions
- Améliorer les réanalyses globales
  - 2016 : Améliorer la résolution en globale, au  $1/12^\circ$  sur une période courte (2007-présent)
  - On peut envisager des réanalyses régionales à plus haute résolution ( $1/36^\circ$ )



# Conclusions

## Produire des réanalyses proches du temps réel

- Chaque année les réanalyses sont prolongées de 1 an
- Possibilité de raccorder les réanalyses avec les systèmes temps réel

## Produire un « Ocean State Report » annuel dans le cadre de CMEMS

- Variables Océaniques Essentielles
- Mécanismes physiques
- Biogéochimie
- Monitoring d'évènements extrêmes



# Ce qu'il faut encore améliorer

## Améliorer les produits :

- Qualité des réanalyses, réduire les biais, améliorer les tendances
- Améliorer la résolution spatiale et temporelle
- Etendre les périodes temporelles

## Plus d'information :

- Il existe une large gamme de réanalyse, chacune réalisée pour des objectifs précis.
- Les réanalyses ne sont pas encore suffisamment évaluée, il y a des différences importantes entre les produits
- Il faut continuer l'effort de coordination entre les différents groupes
- Les utilisateurs de réanalyses océaniques n'ont pas facilement accès à :
  - Quels produits utiliser pour une application particulière
  - Quelle est la qualité des produits
  - Pourquoi une réanalyse est différente des autres



# MERCI