

Decision support systems using optimization algorithms at AWCI demo basins

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Research

Operation

Working groups:

- 1) Floods
- 2) Drought
- 3) Water Quality
- 4) Climate Change

Capacity Building:

Flood forecast (downscaling,...)
Drought monitoring
Water Quality parameters
Climate Change adaptation

Database:

Remote sensing
Forecast
NWPO
Climate Change
predictions
Observations

Models:

VIC
SIB2
PWRI-ICHARM
BTOP
GBHM
WEB-DHM
CPC BUCKET
SOIL MOISTURE

AWCI demo. basins:

Heavy prec. & induced Floods
Drought monitoring & indices
Snow & Glacier
Water Quality monitoring
Climate Change adaptation

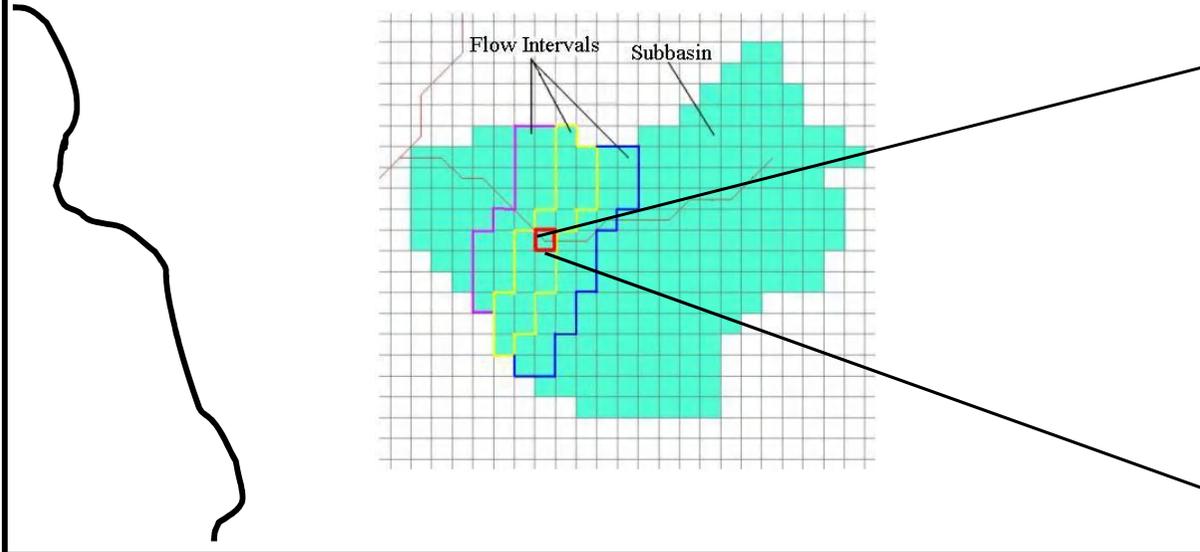
Support decision making
to reduce water related
issues

Data/models

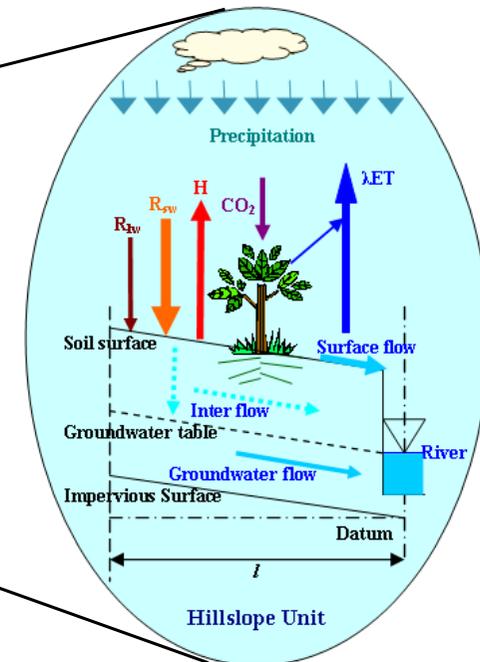
Information

Regional & basin interaction

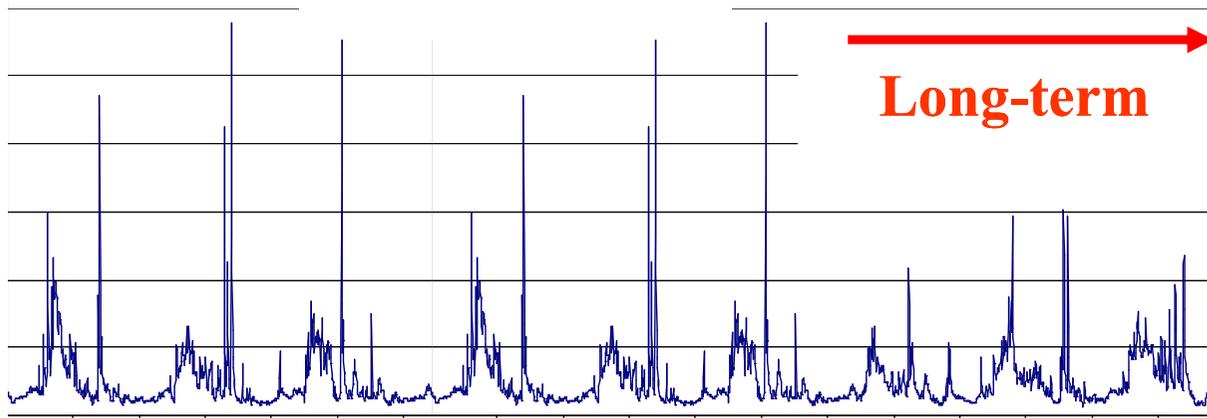
Regional hydrological & land surface models



Distributed Biosphere Hydrological Model

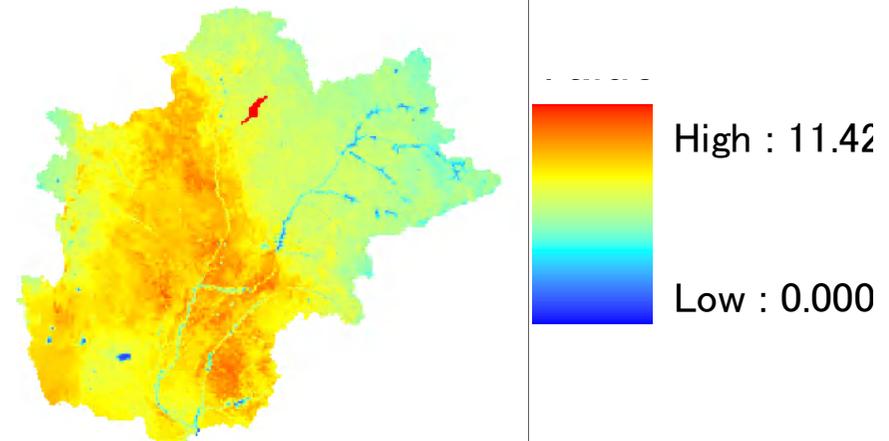


Flood peaks



Low flow

Wang, Koike et al., 2009



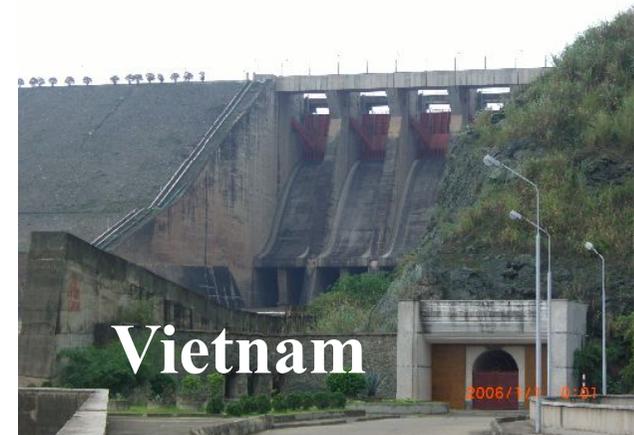
Floods in South-East-Asia

- Heavy rainfall brings expected rainfall for agriculture but they might also turn into floods causing damages.

Need 1: Emission of flood warning to perform evacuation timely

- Basins with existing gated dams when operated effectively and jointly they are able to reduce flood damage dramatically.

Need 2: Dam release decision to reduce flood peaks and store volume for water-use



System Development under Floods

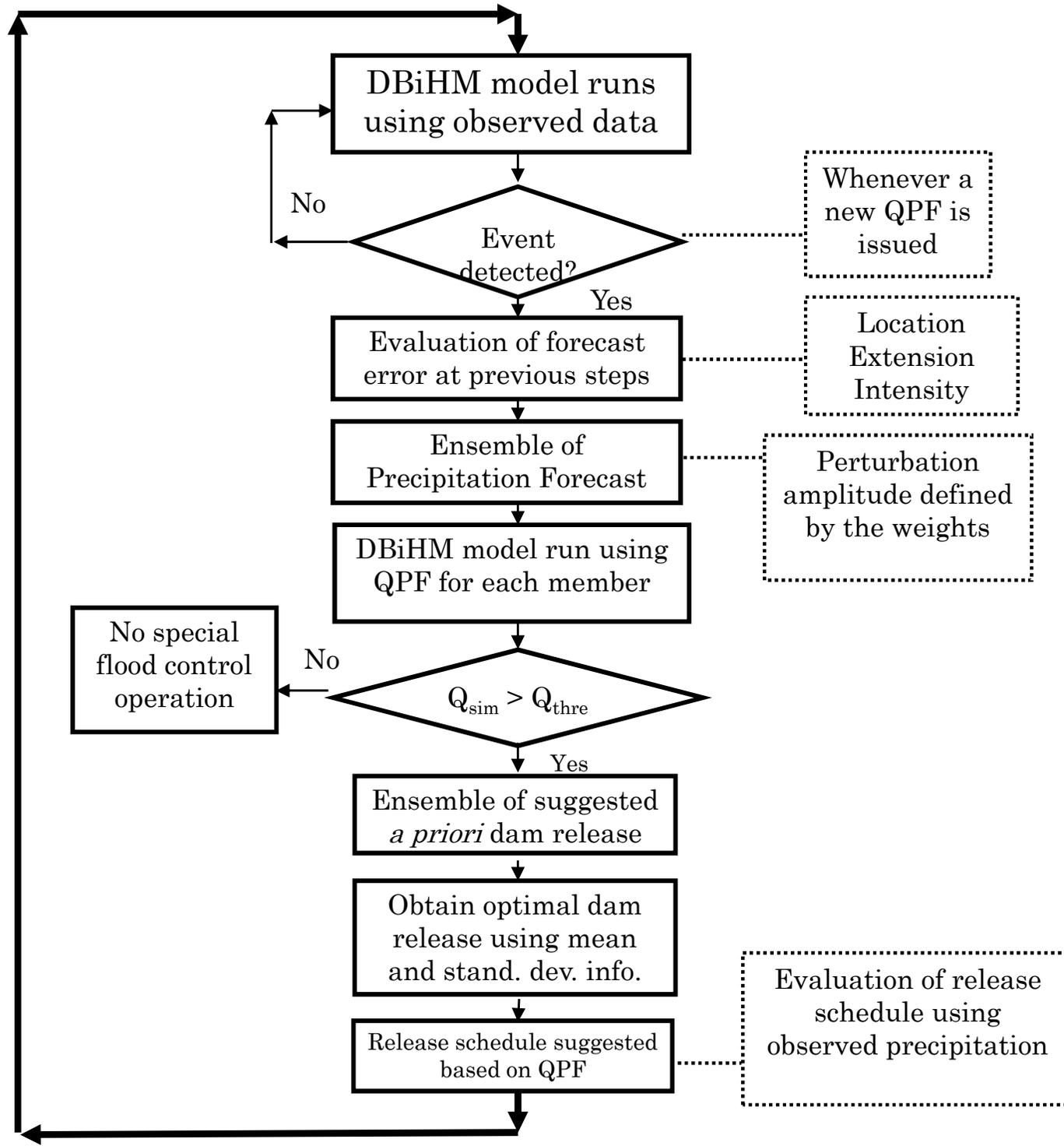
- Dam Release Support System (DRESS)

Goal: Dam release decision support to reduce flood peaks and store volume for water-use

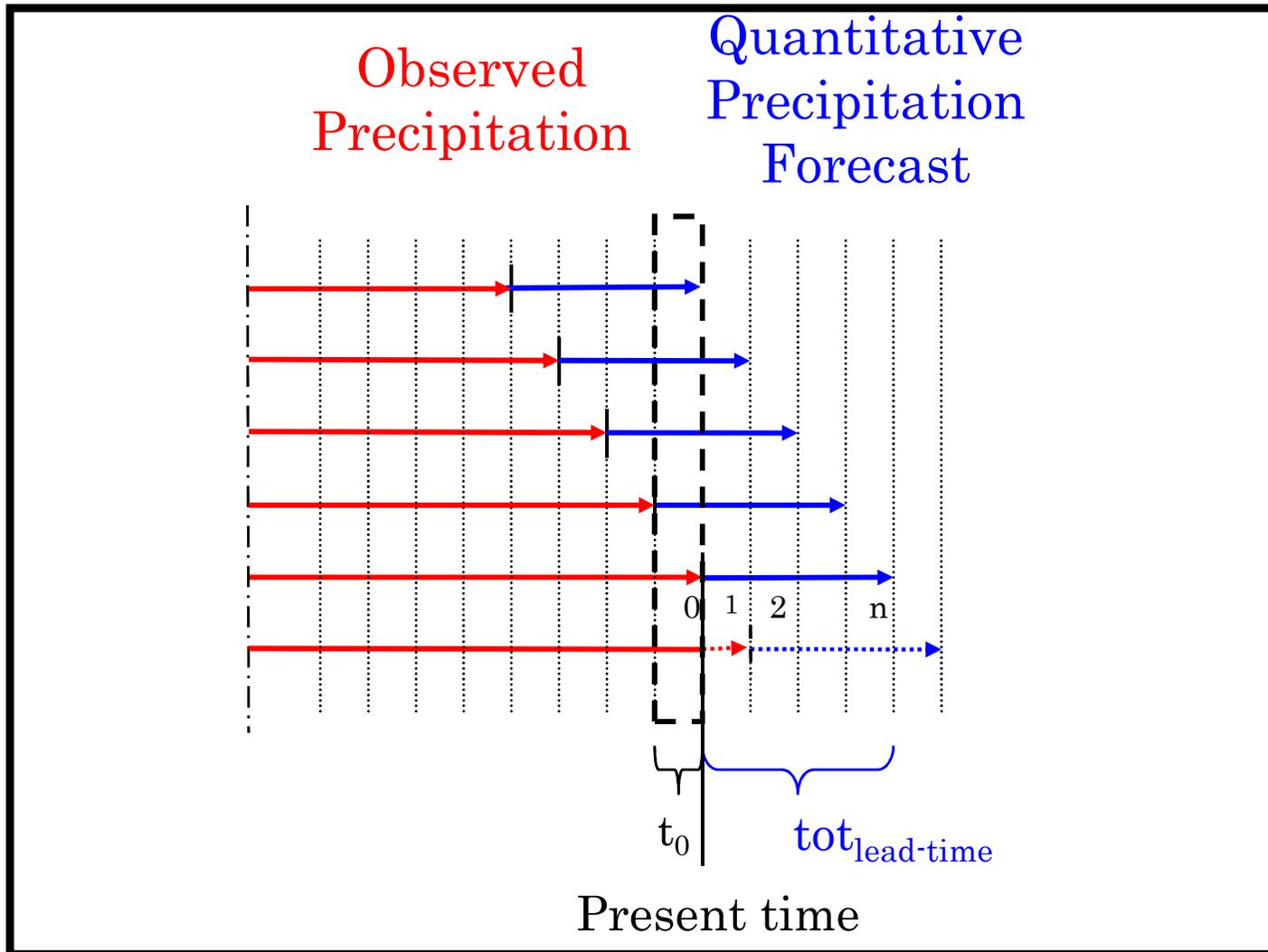
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Overview of DRESS System



Error evaluation window



Intensity

Extension

$$Total\ ratio = 0.5 \times \left\{ \frac{High_Intensity_{QPF}}{High_Intensity_{OBS}} \right\} + 0.5 \times \left\{ \frac{Mean_Intensity_{QPF}}{Mean_Intensity_{OBS}} \right\}$$

Integrated error evaluation

Forecast error as function of

1. Location: analysis area defined by buffers
2. Intensity: ratio of maxima and mean
3. Extension: % of covered evaluated zone

Contingency Table for Rain Events

	Too little	Approx. Correct	Too much
Close	Underestimate	Hit	Overestimate
Far	Missed event	Missed Location	False alarm

Ebert & McBride (2000)

Ensemble member generation of QPF

$$GP(x, y)_k = \text{Max}\{QPF(x, y) \times (1 + A \varepsilon N(0,1) \times wi_{sub} + B \varepsilon N(0,1) \times wi_{tot}), 0\}$$

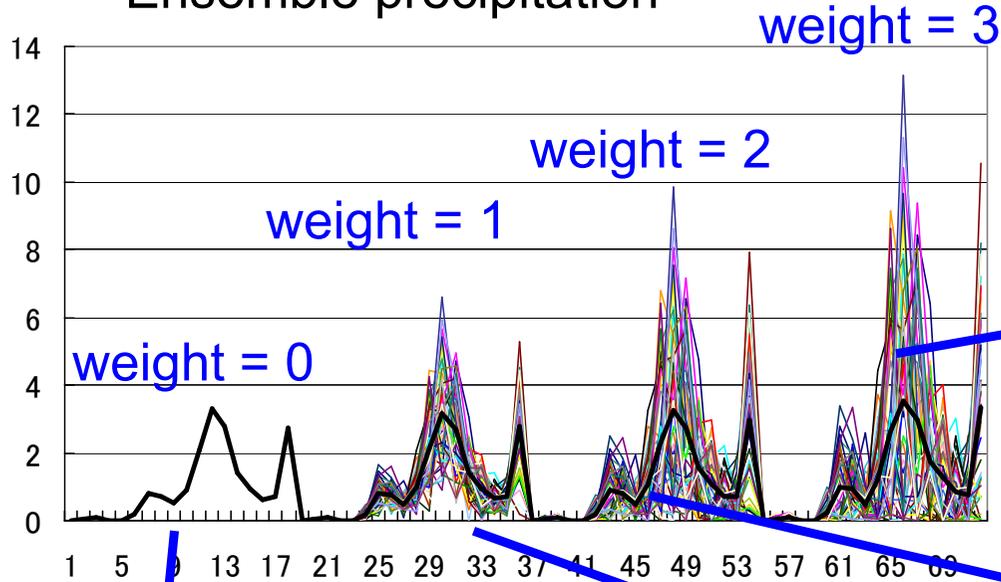
Saavedra, Koike et al., 2010

N(0,1) : Gaussian normal distribution

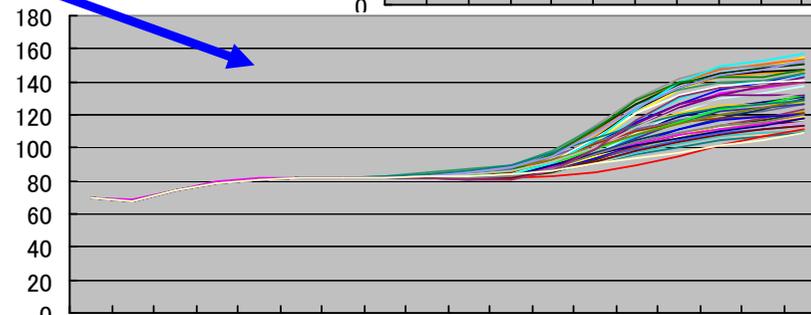
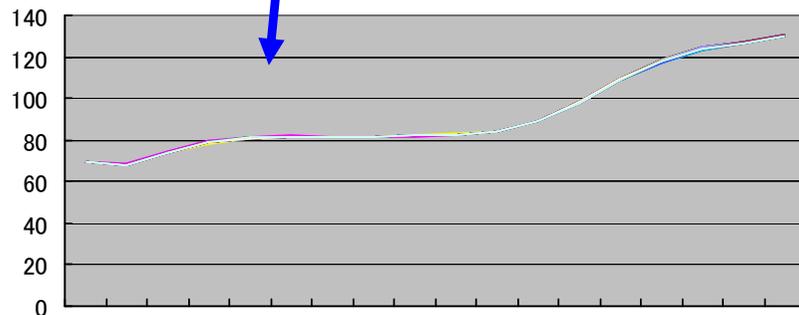
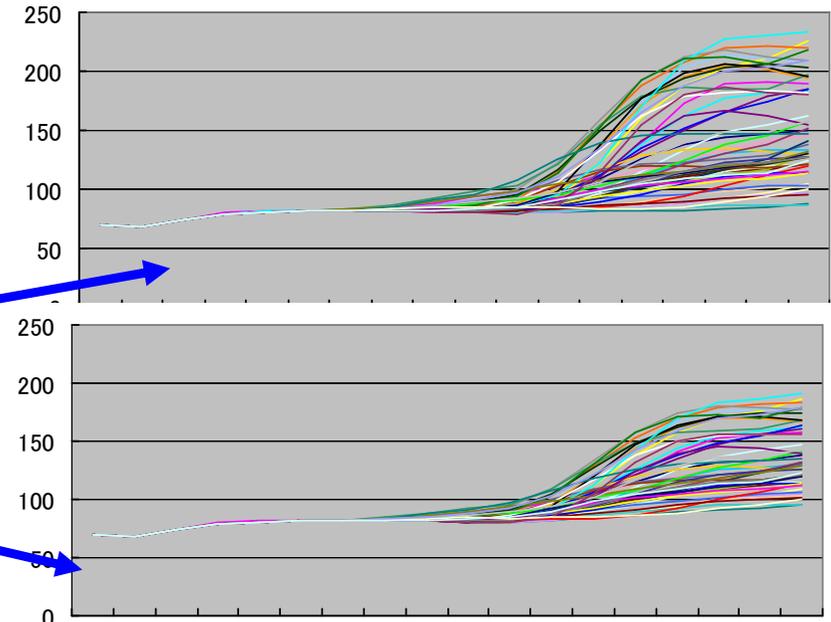
wi_{sub} : weight per sub basin; **wi_{tot}** : weight per sub basin

A, B : preference

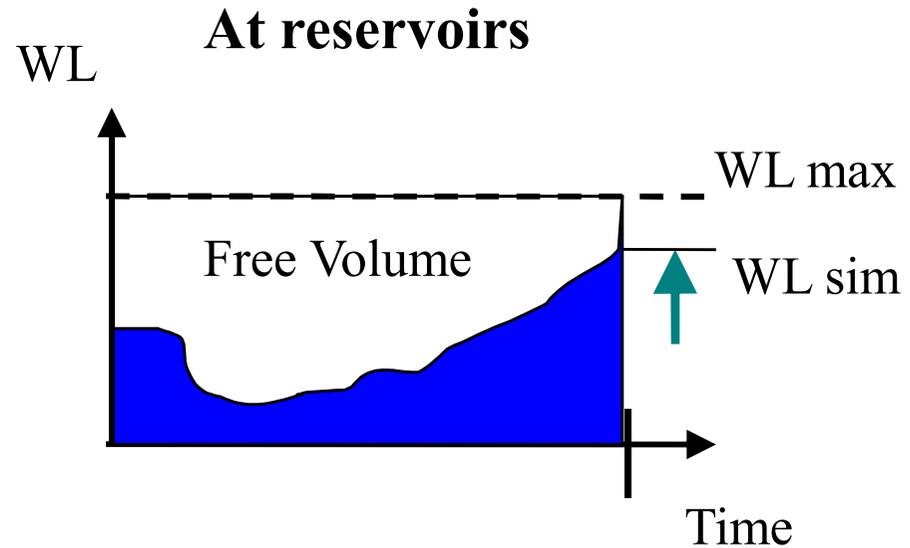
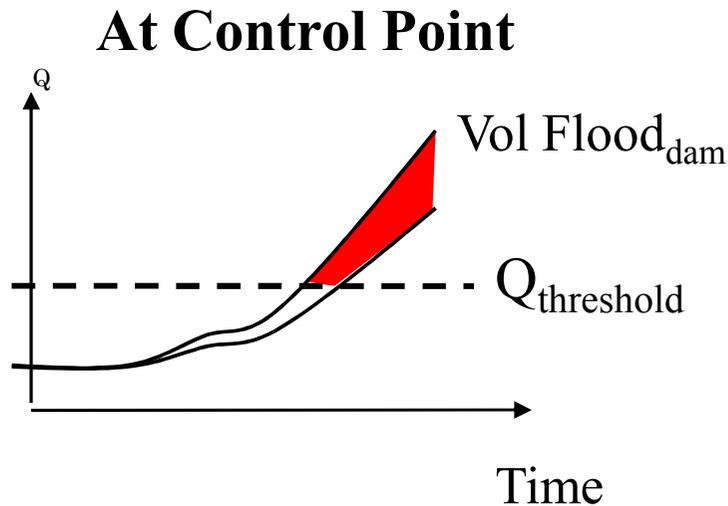
Ensemble precipitation



Ensemble discharge



Combined Objective Function



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$$\sum Vol_free_dams = \sum Vol_max_dam - Vol_sim$$

$$\text{Minimize } \{Z = weight_1 * Vol_flood + weight_2 * \sum Vol_free_dams\}$$

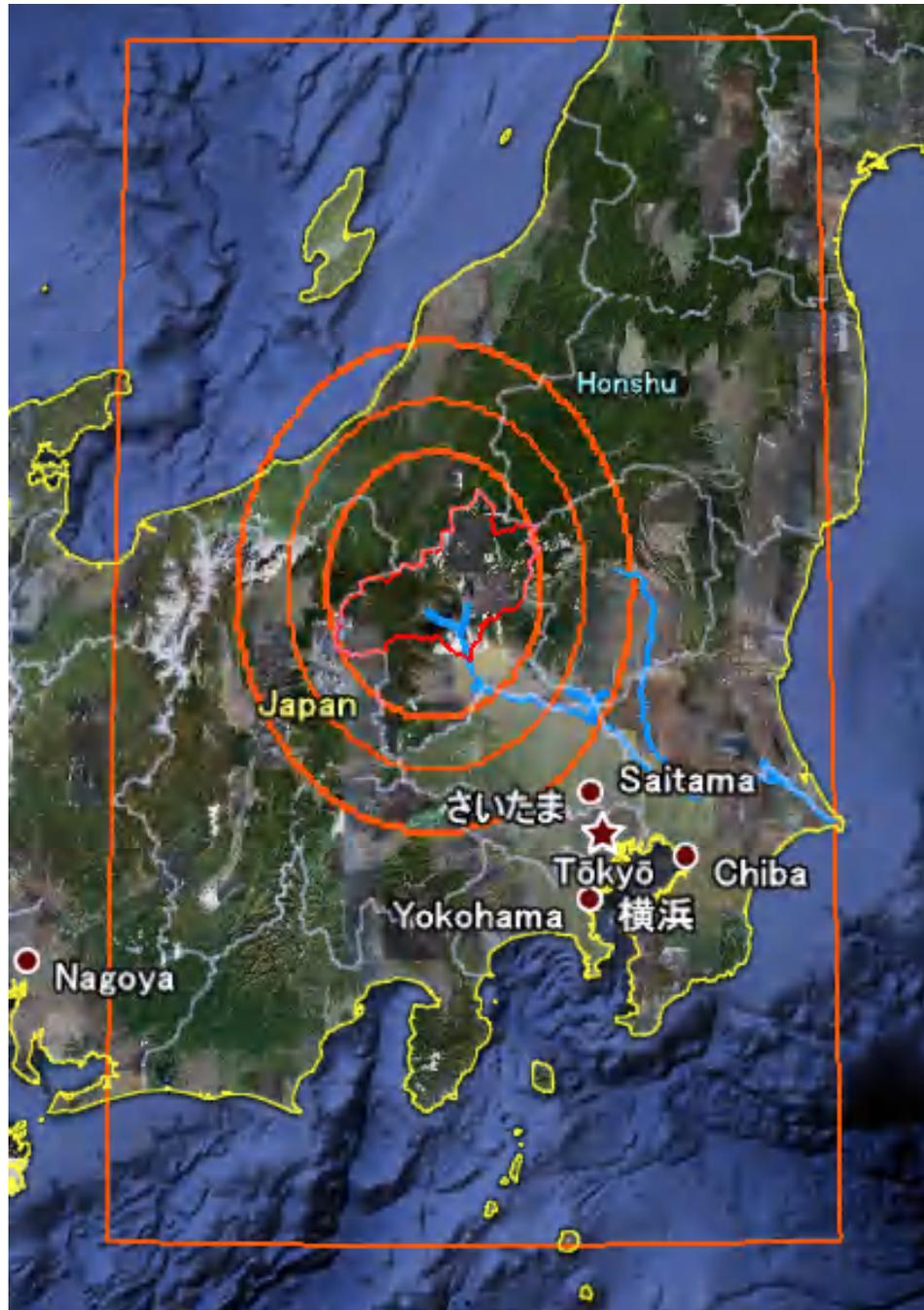
Upper bound: $\mu + \sigma$

Opt_var_{dam} = release_{dam}

Initial guess: μ

Lower bound: $\mu - \sigma$

Upper Tone Reservoir System



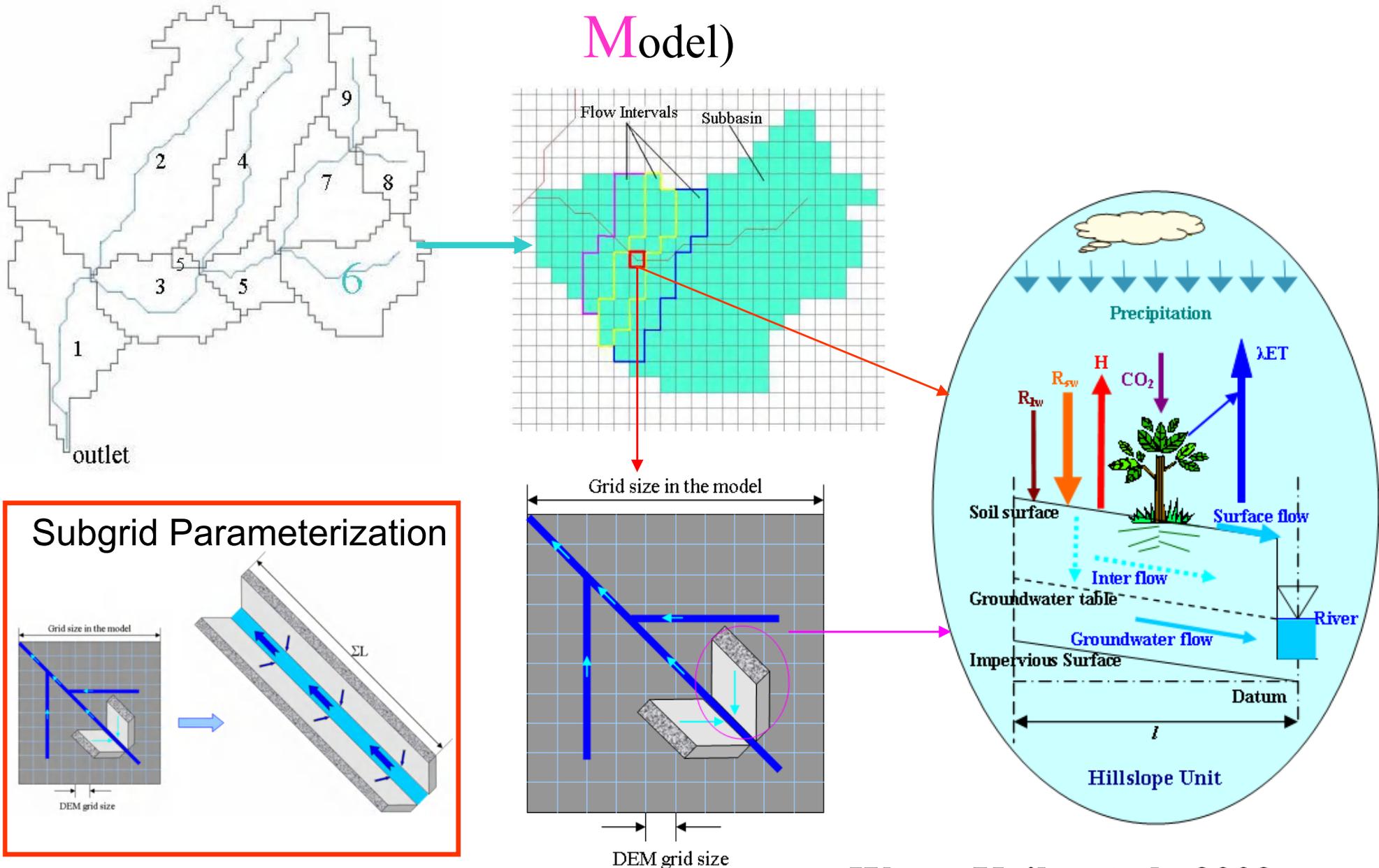
1. Fujiwara (12%)
2. Aimata (3%)
3. Sonohara (15%)
4. Yamba (21%)



The reservoir system comprises 3304 km²

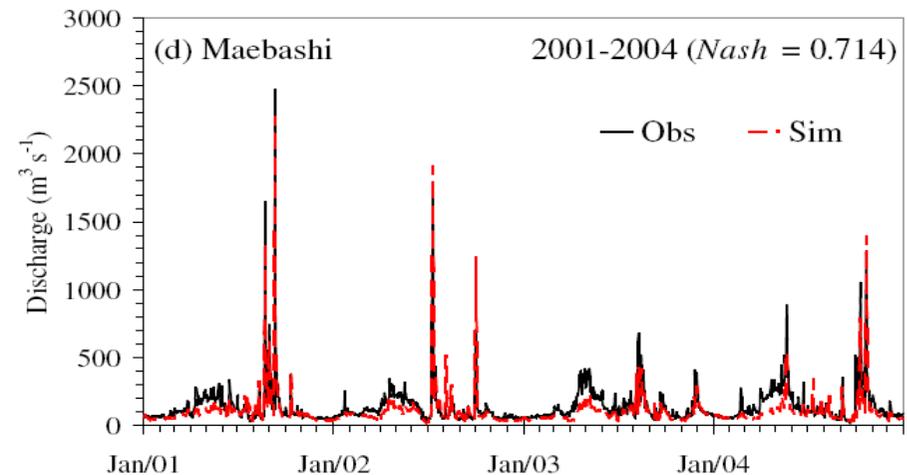
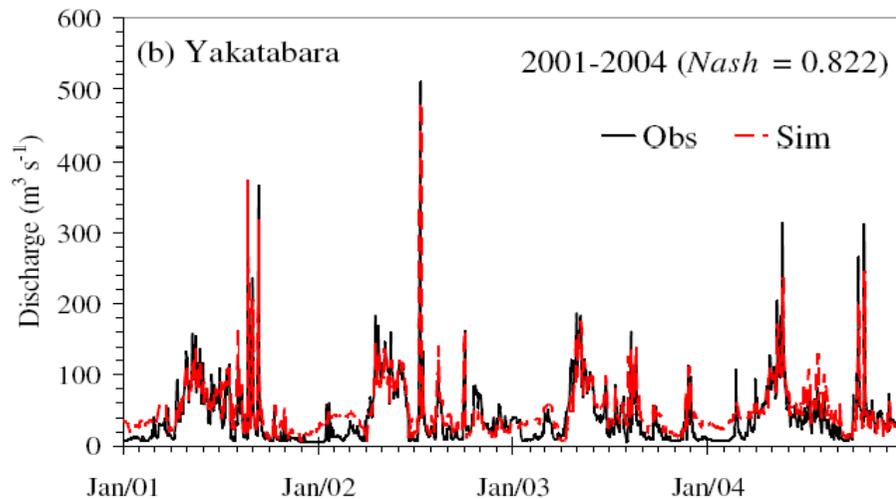
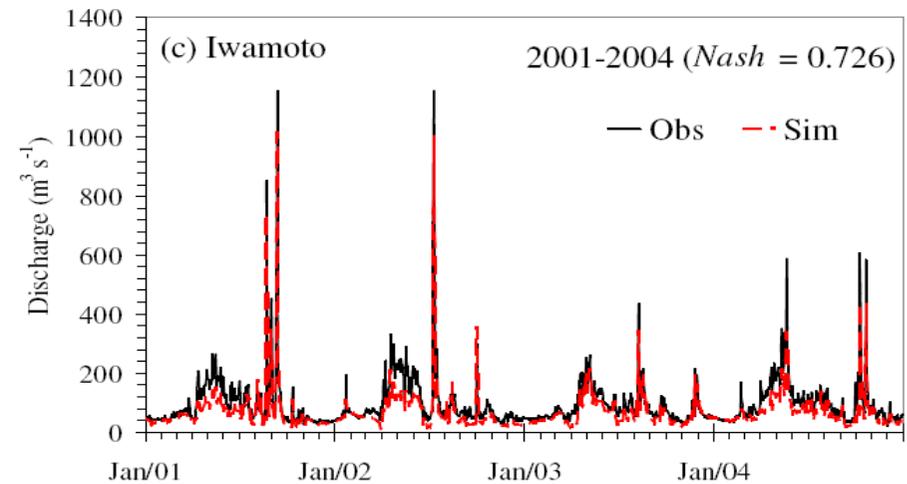
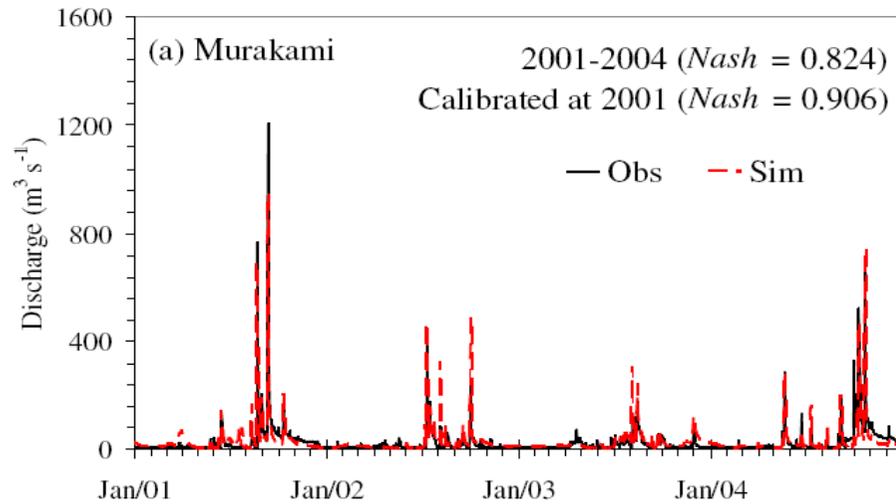
WEB-DHM

(Water and Energy Budget-based Distributed Hydrological Model)



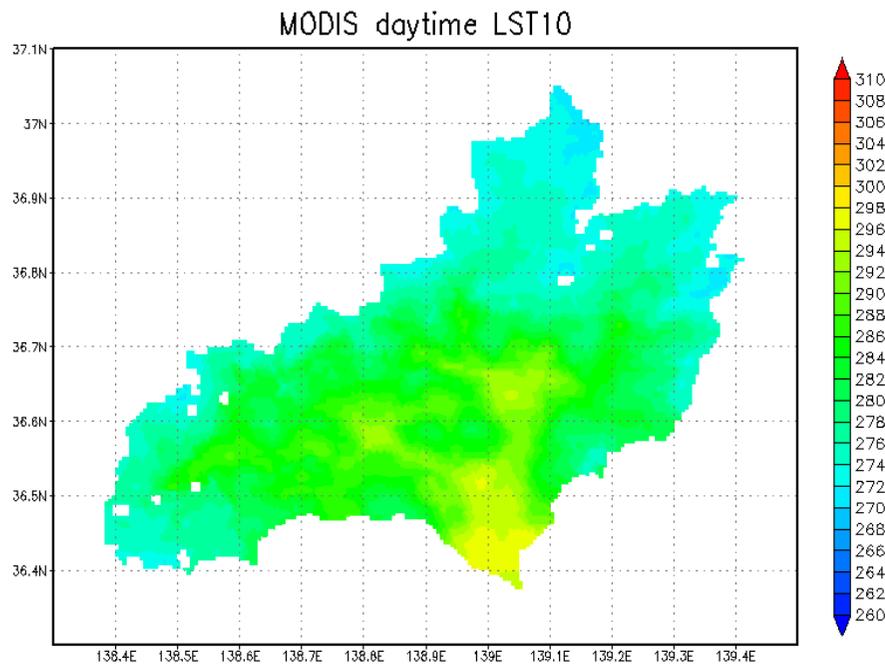
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Hydrographs (2001-2004)

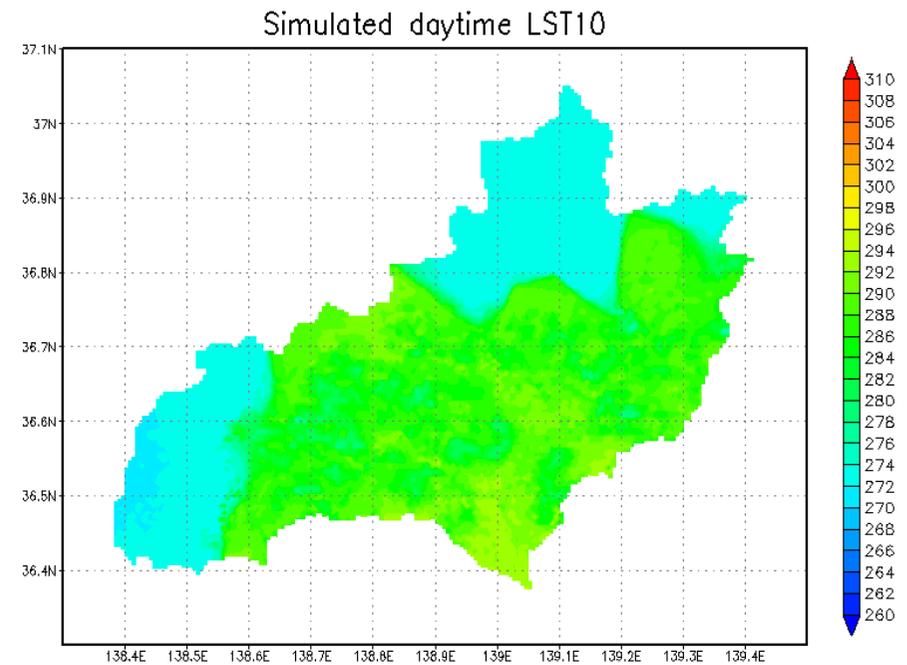


Land Surface Temperature validation

Satellite Observation

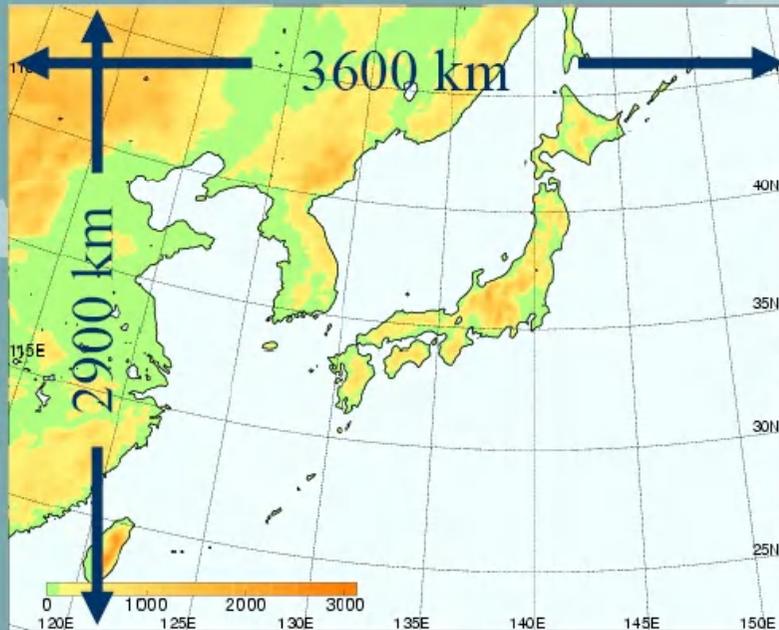


WEB-DHM simulation



10:30 March 13, 2001 (JST)

Meso scale model (MSM) at JMA



Computational domain

● Dynamics

- Split explicit scheme(HE-VI)
- Stable operation with relatively large time step
: 40 seconds → 24 seconds

● Moist process

- Cloud microphysics(3-ice : cloud ice, snow, graupel)
- Convective parameterization (Kain-Fritsch)

Use a non-hydrostatic model (JMANHM) operationally.

Until Feb. 2006, **From Mar. 2006,**

Horizontal resolution : 10km
→ 5km

Forecast 4 times a day

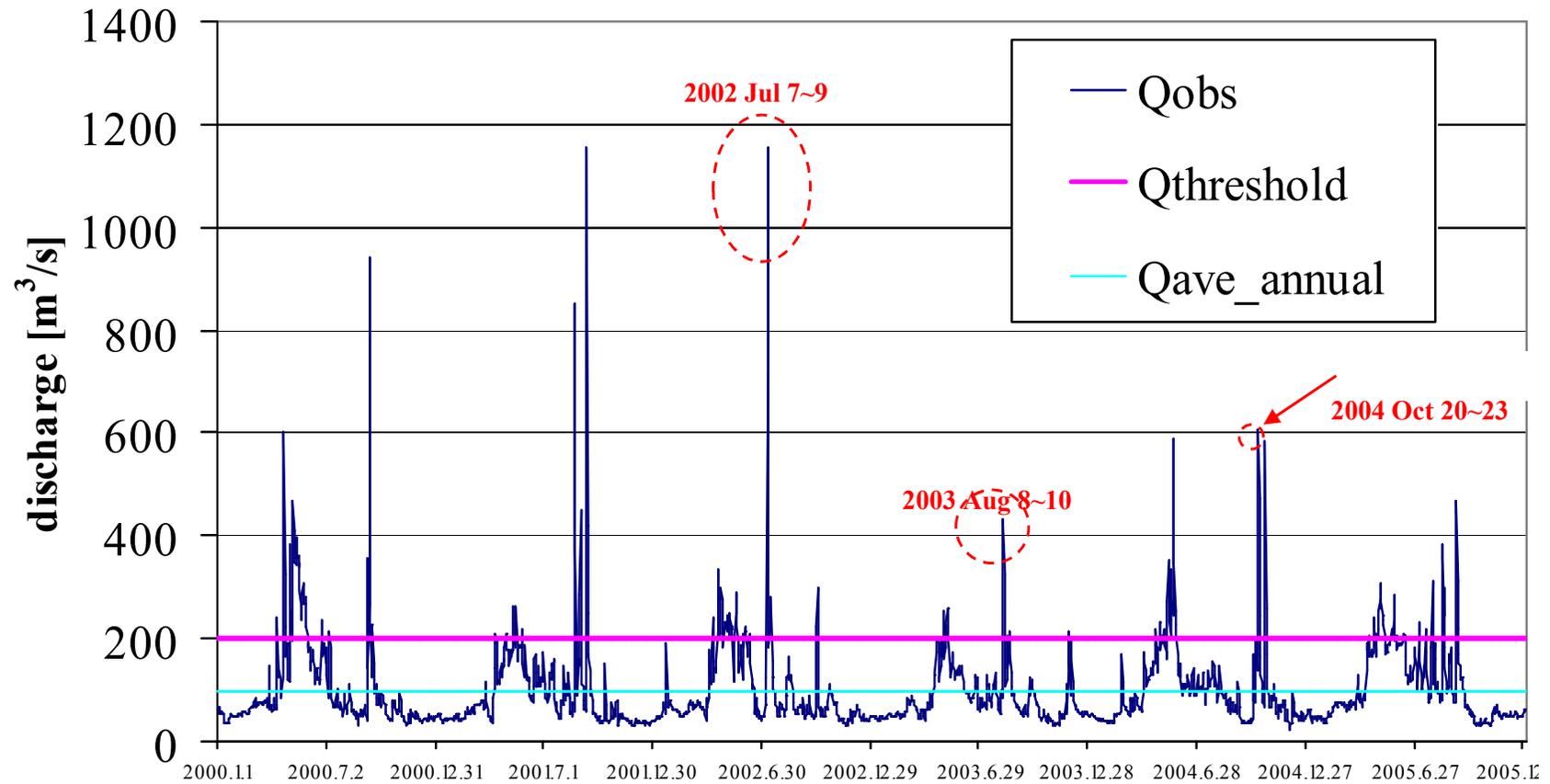
→ 8times a day

Forecast hour: 18hours

→ 15 hours

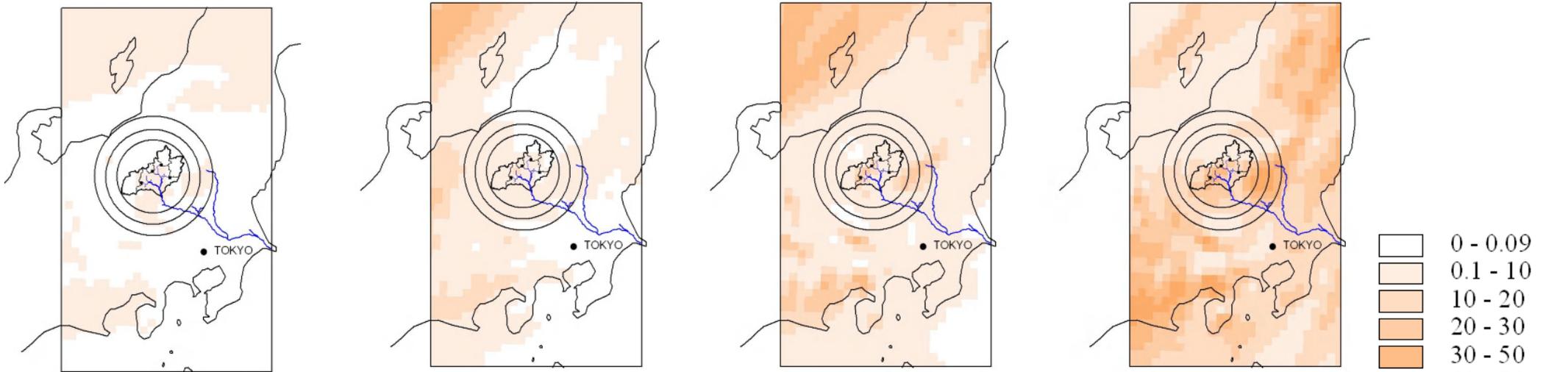
Evaluated events

- 1) 2002 Jul 7~9
- 2) 2003 Aug 8~10
- 3) 2004 Oct 20~23

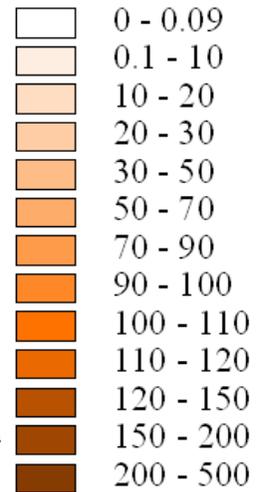
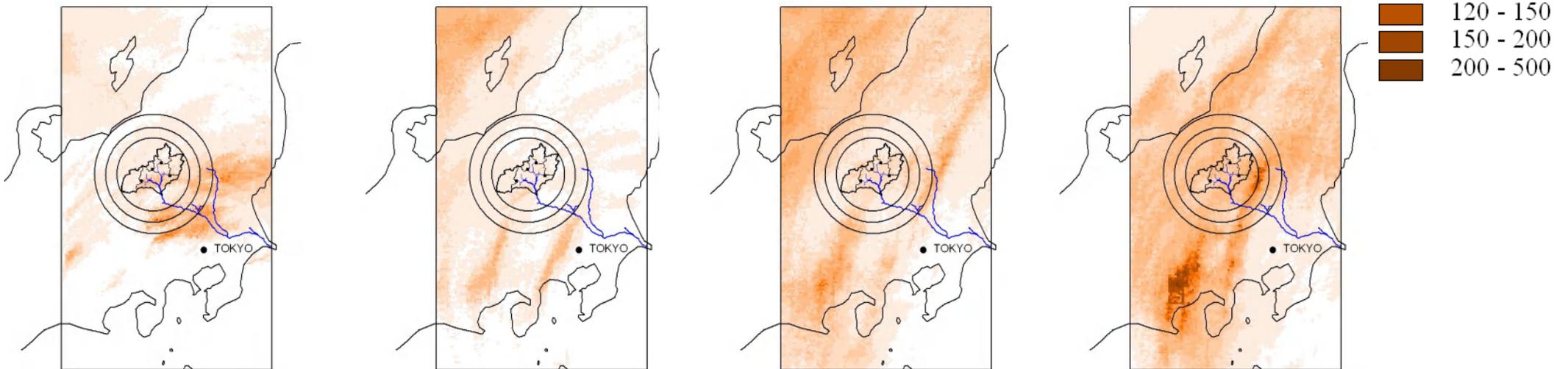


2002.07.09.21z → 2002.07.10.15z

FORECAST

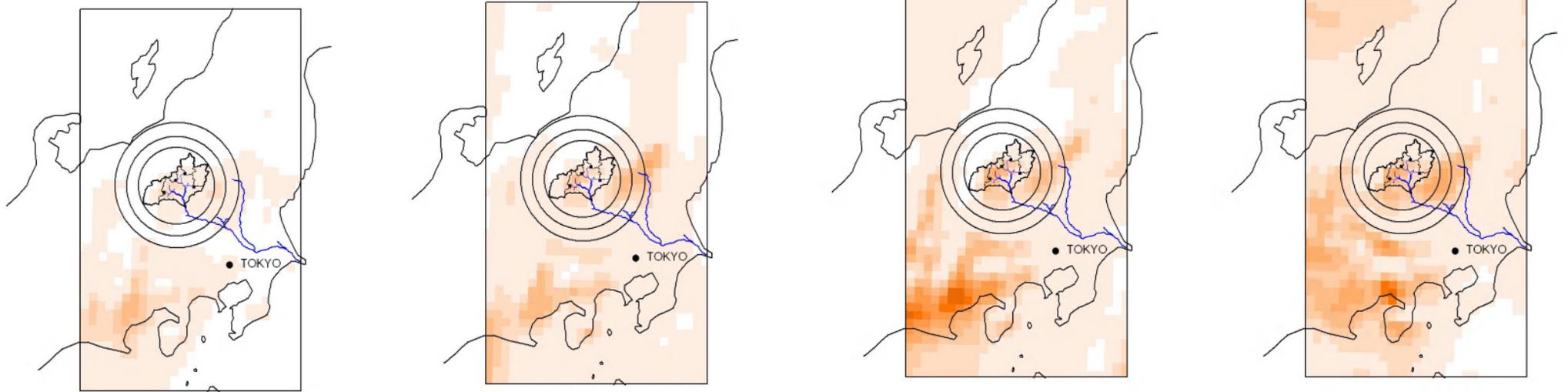


OBS. RADAR

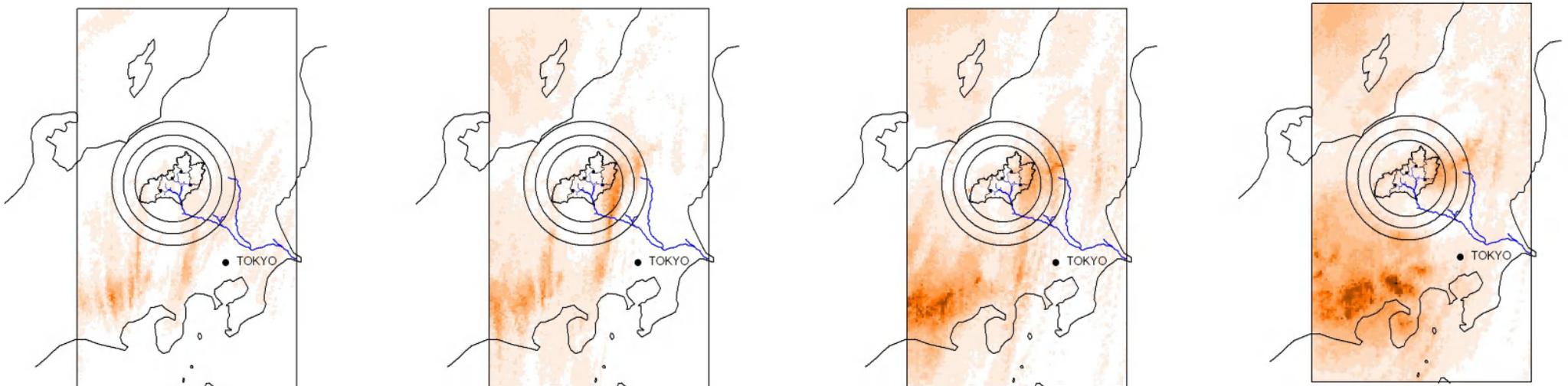


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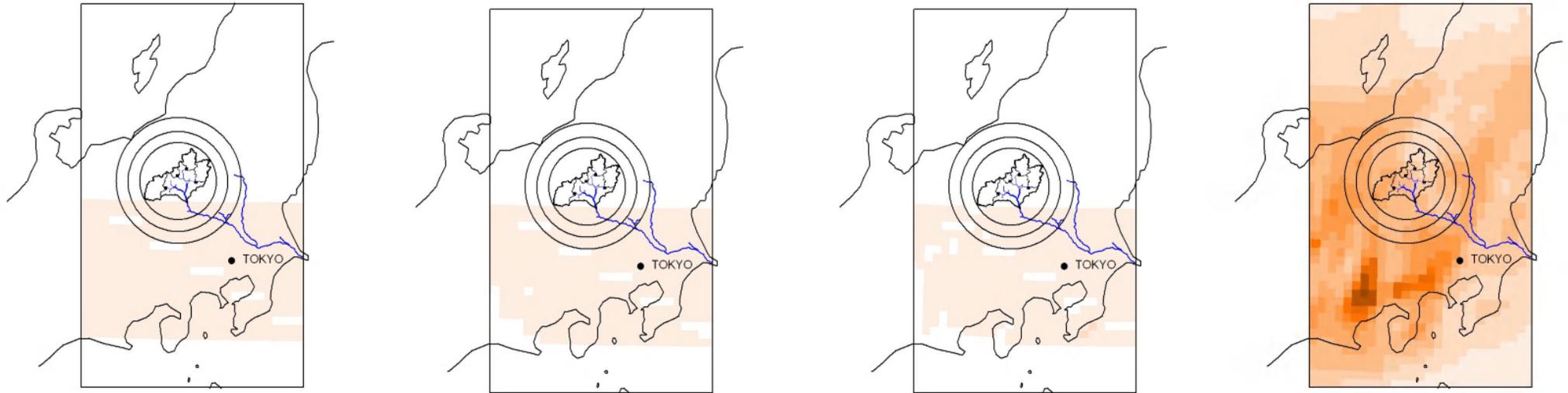


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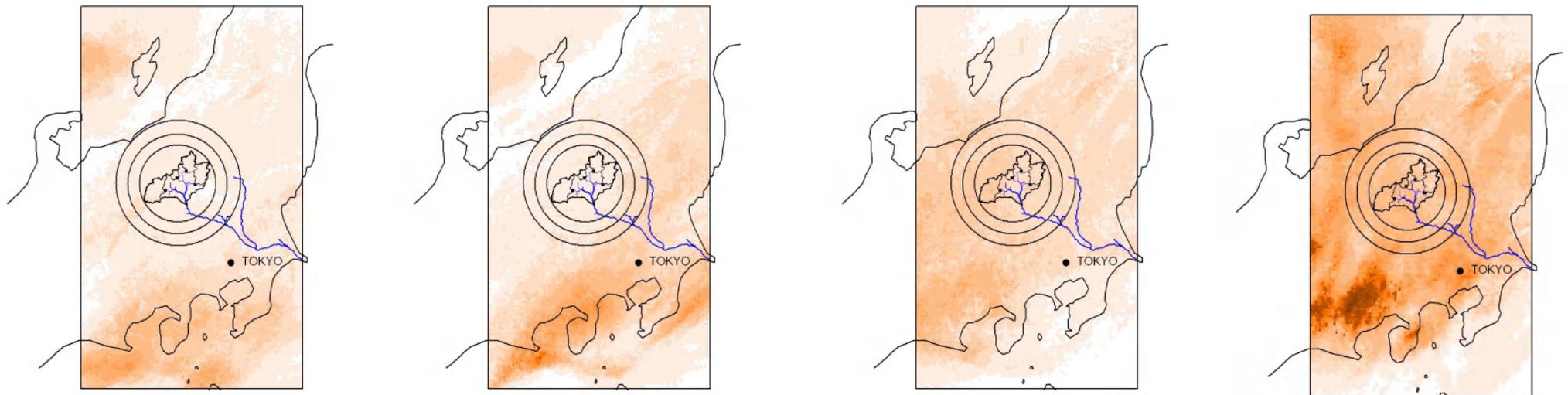


2004.10.20.03z → 2004.10.20.21z

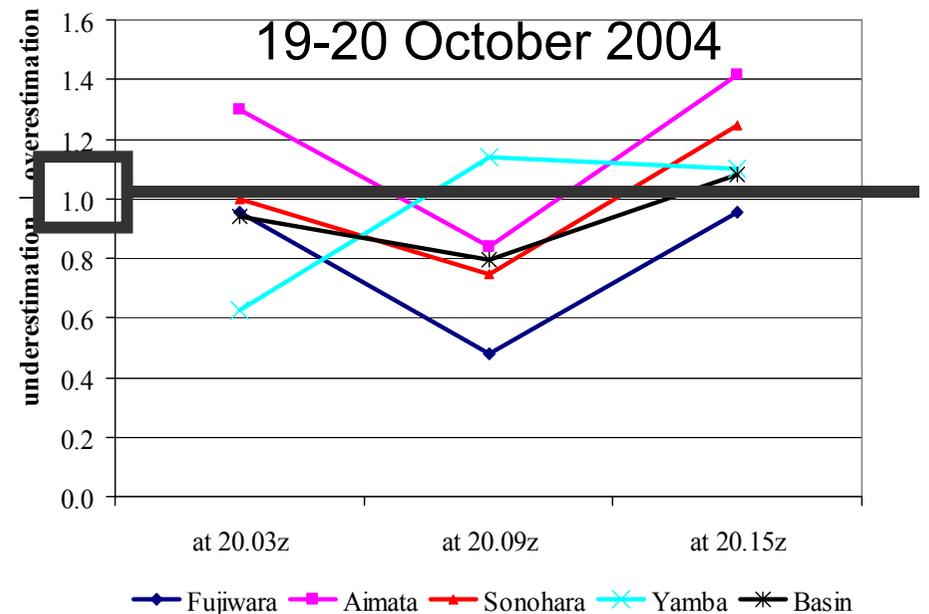
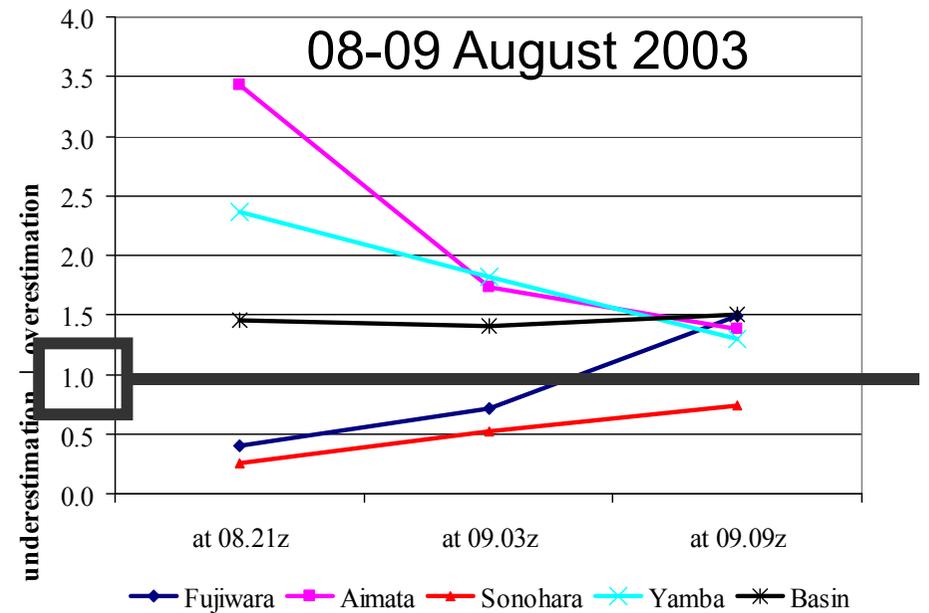
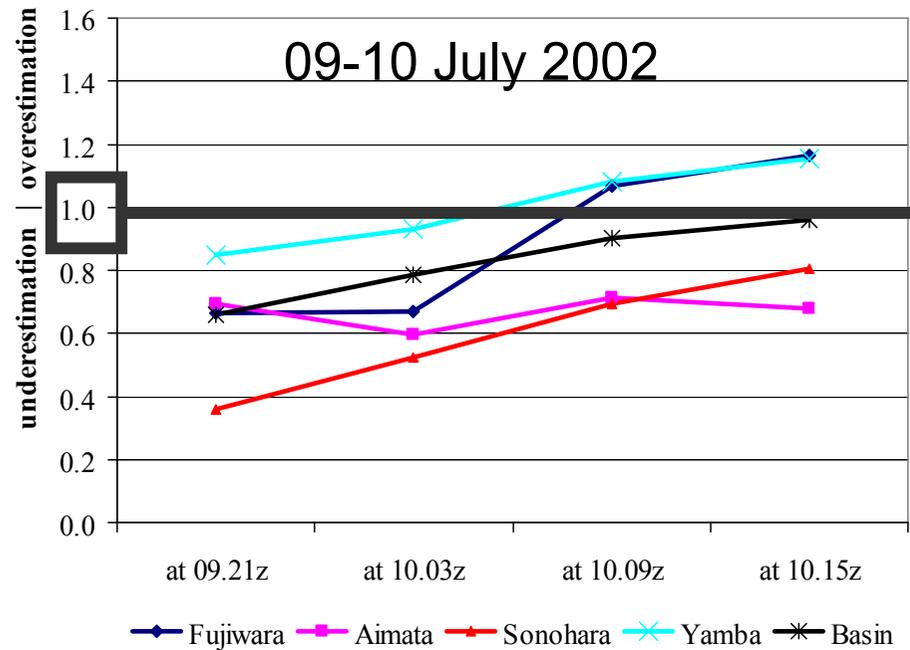
FORECAST(GPV2)



OBS. RADAR



Precipitation ratios QPF over RAD



Weighting Table

Ratio = Intensity_{QPF} / Intensity_{OBS}
 (50% of maxima & 50% of mean)

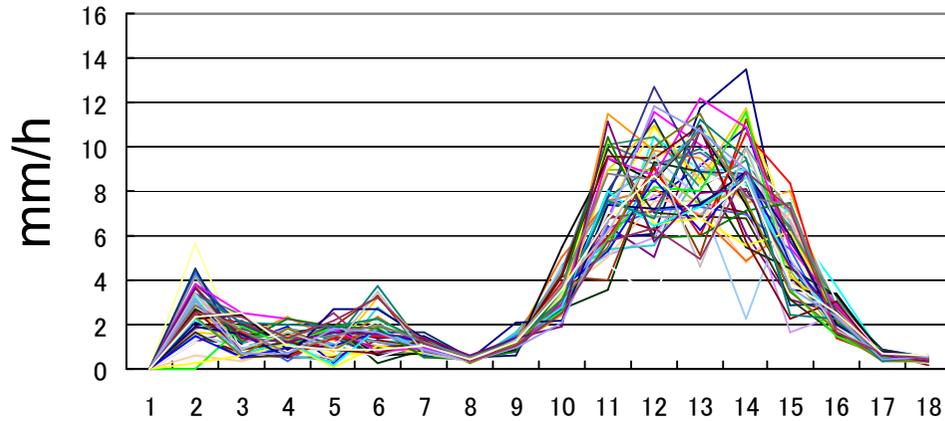
> 1 Overestimation
 ≈ 1 Very close forecast
 < 1 Underestimation

Intensity ratio ranges

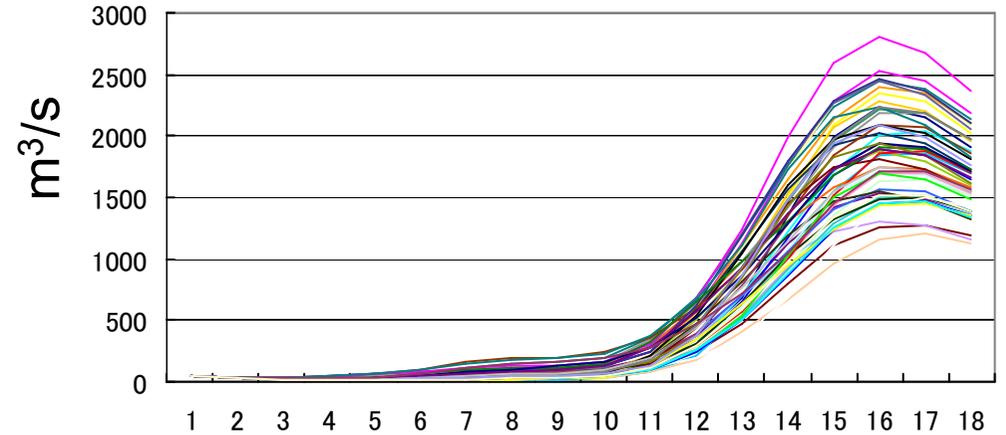
	0 - 0.1	0.1 - 0.4	0.4 - 0.7	0.7 - 0.9	0.9 - 1.1	1.1 - 1.3	1.3 - 1.6	1.6 - 1.9	> 2.0
At basin	2.0	1.5	1.0	0.5	0.0	0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0
1 st buffer	3.0	2.5	2.0	1.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0
2 nd buffer	4.0	3.5	3.0	2.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0
3 rd buffer	5.0	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
All domain	6.0	5.5	5.0	4.5	4.0	4.5	5.0	5.5	6.0

Event 2002 Jul 7~

Ensemble precipitation forecast

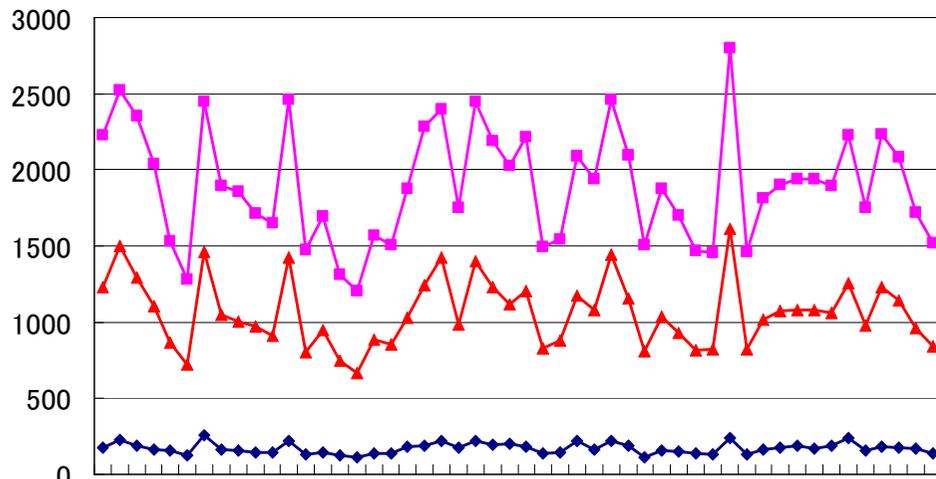
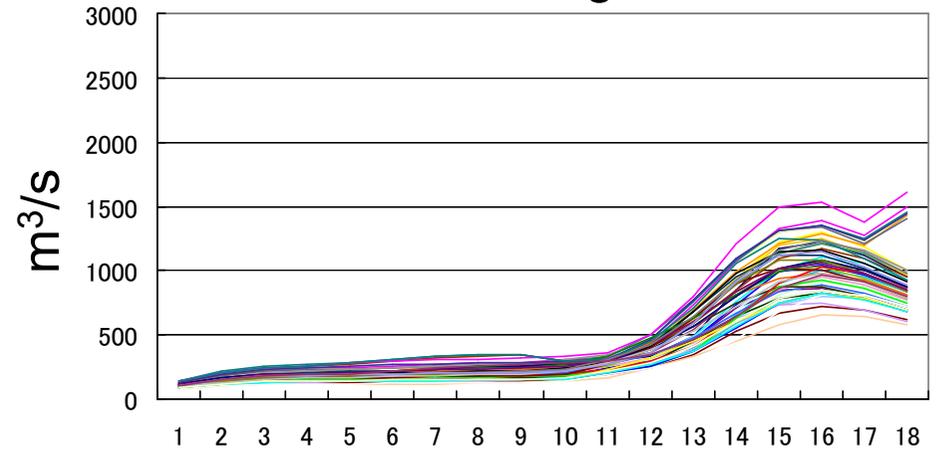


Ensemble discharge w/o dams



weight1 = 1; weight2 = 0.5; Weight3 = 0.5

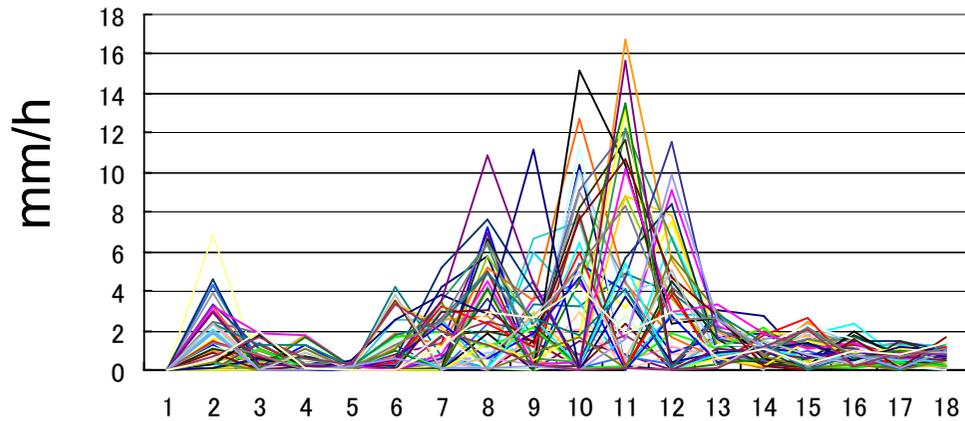
Ensemble discharge with dams



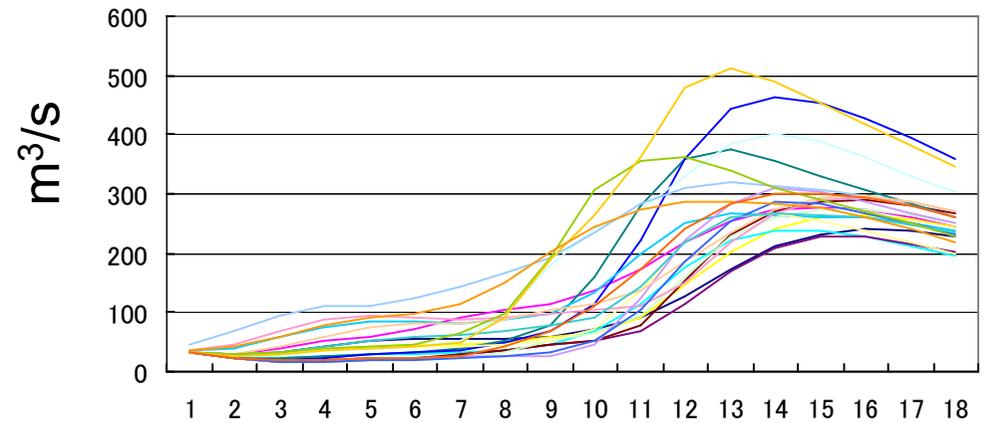
total release peak w/o dams peak with dam

Event 2003 Aug 8~

Ensemble precipitation forecast



Ensemble discharge w/o dams

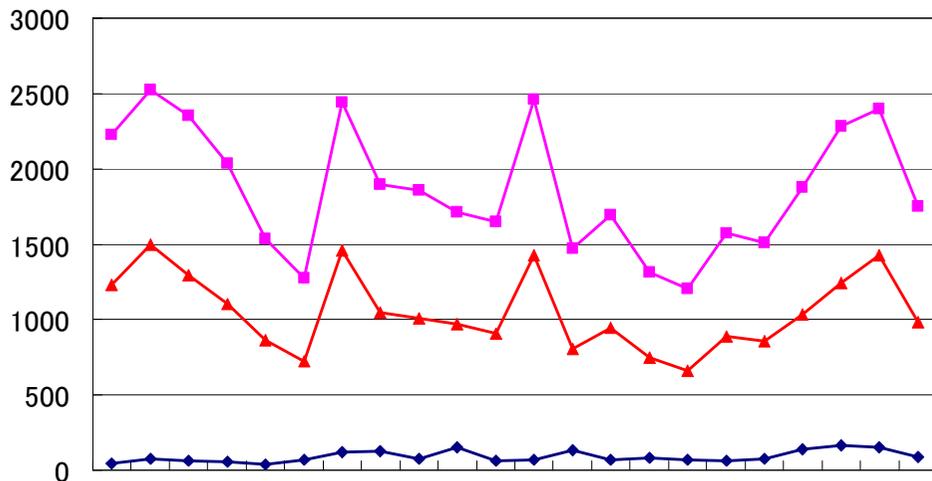
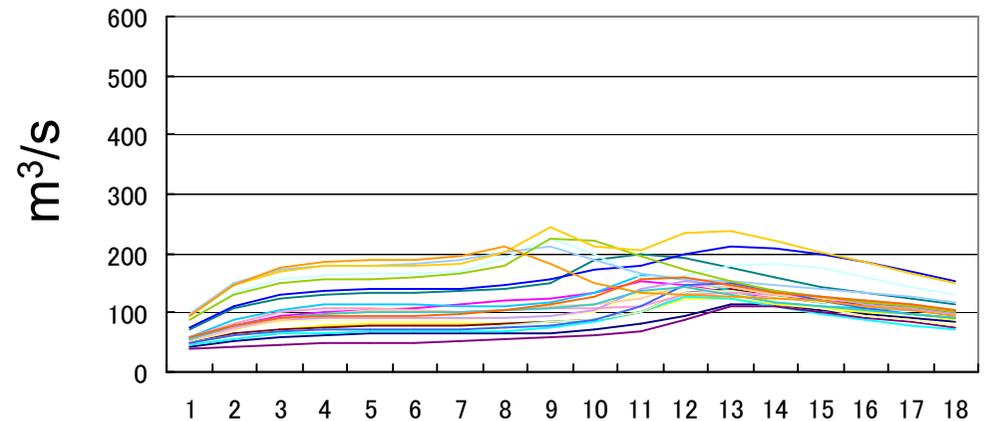


weight1 = 6; weight2 = 6; Weight3 = 6

44% → start system



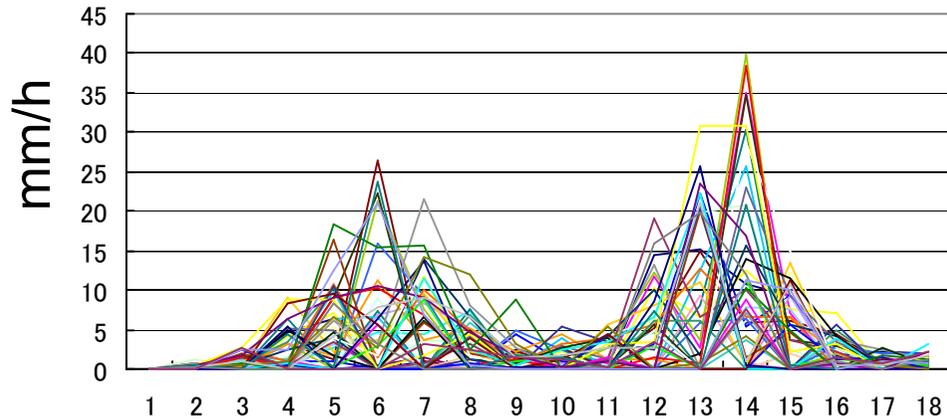
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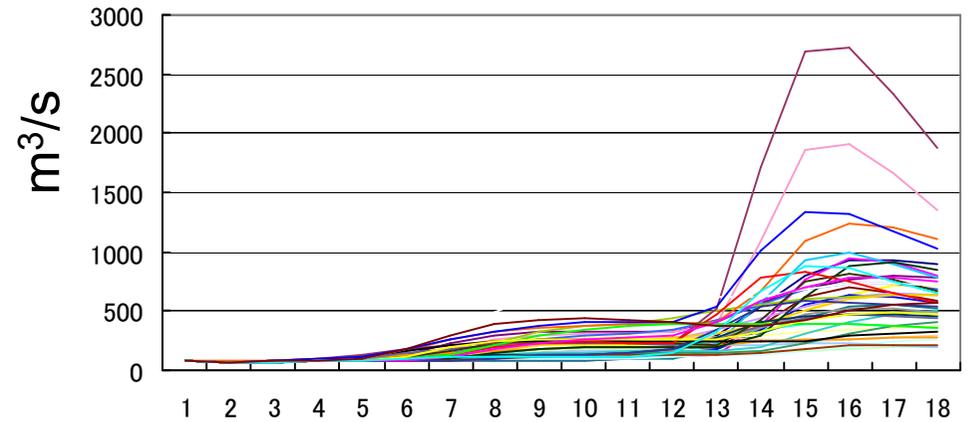
◆ total release ■ peak w/o dams ▲ peak with dam

Event 2004 Oct 8~

Ensemble precipitation forecast



Ensemble discharge w/o dams

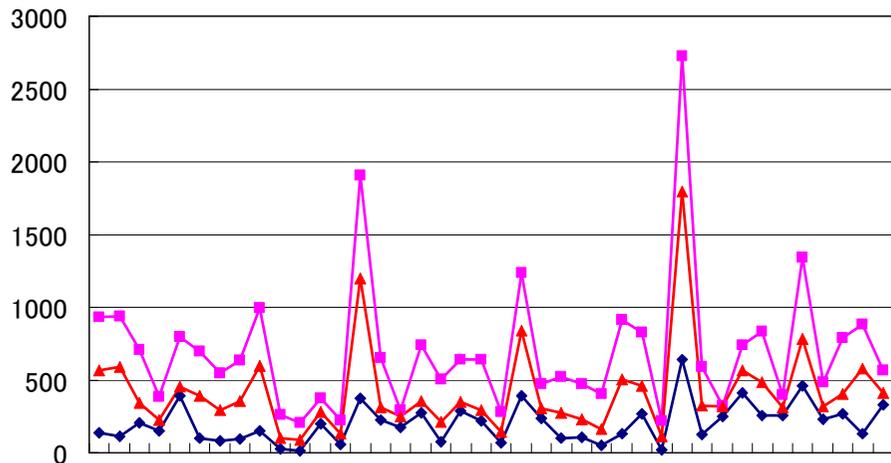
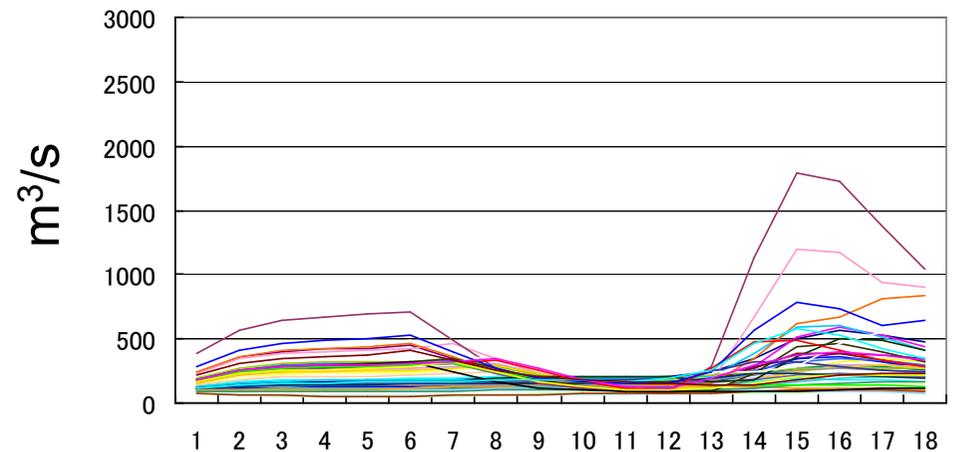


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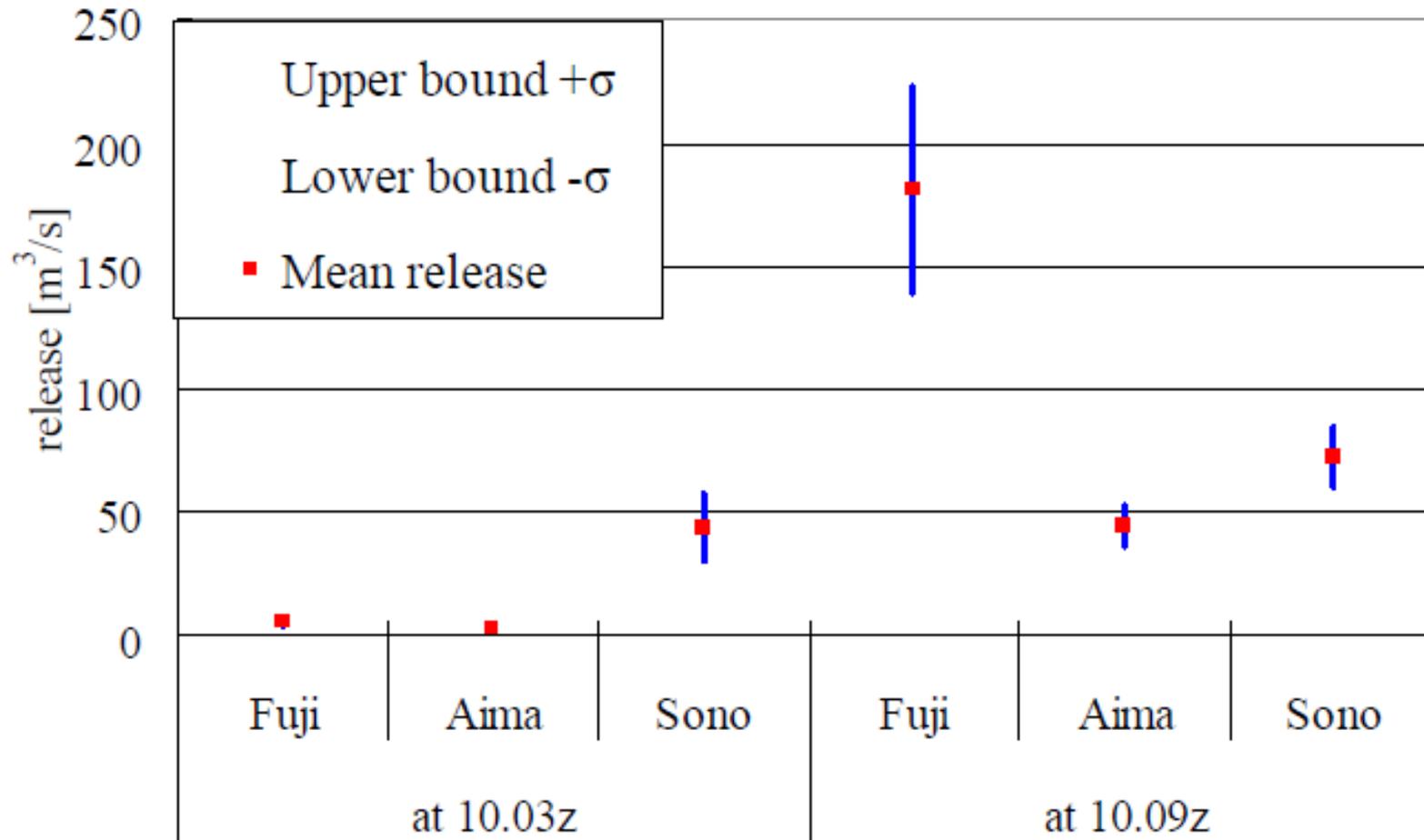
80% → start system



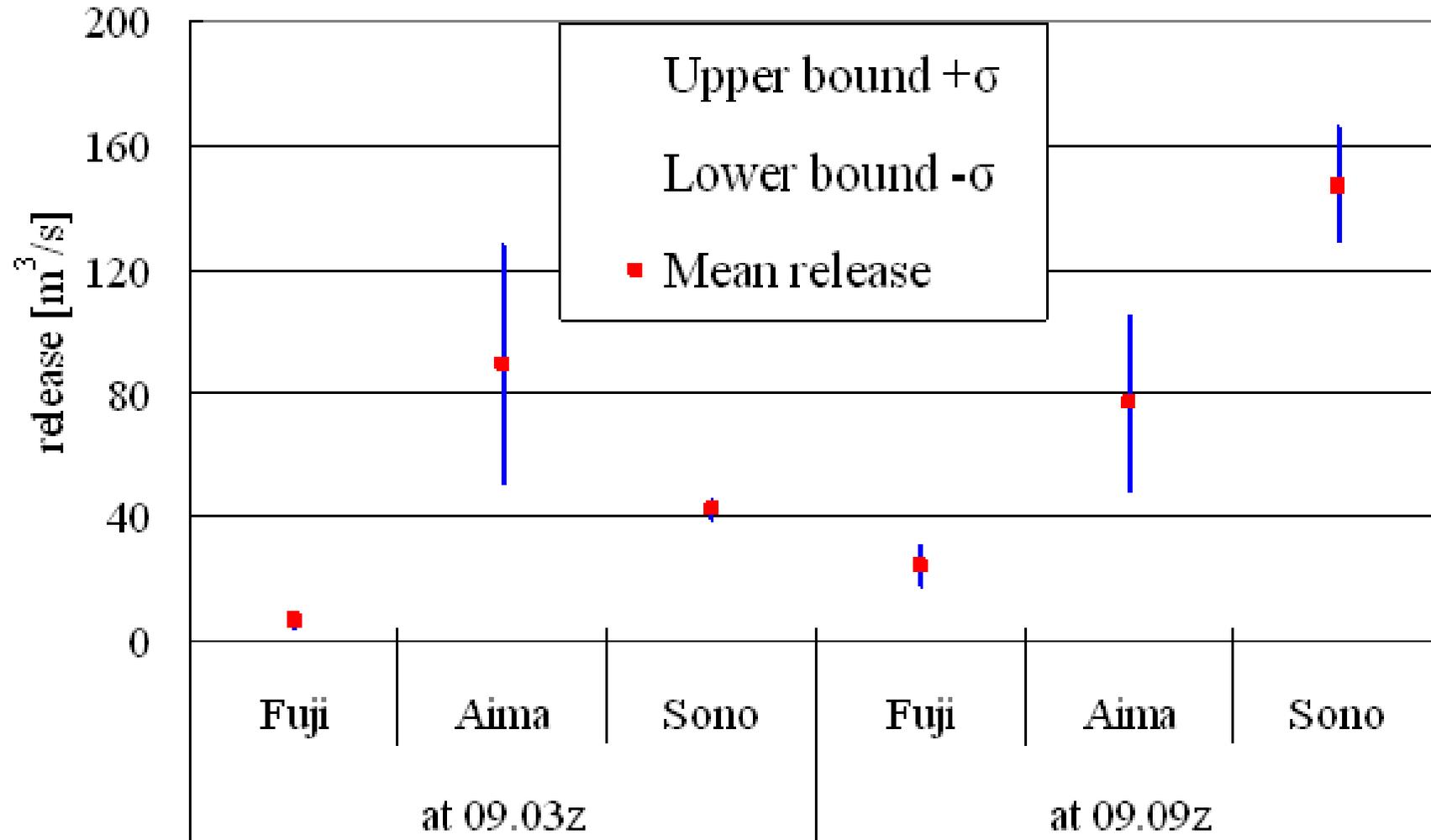
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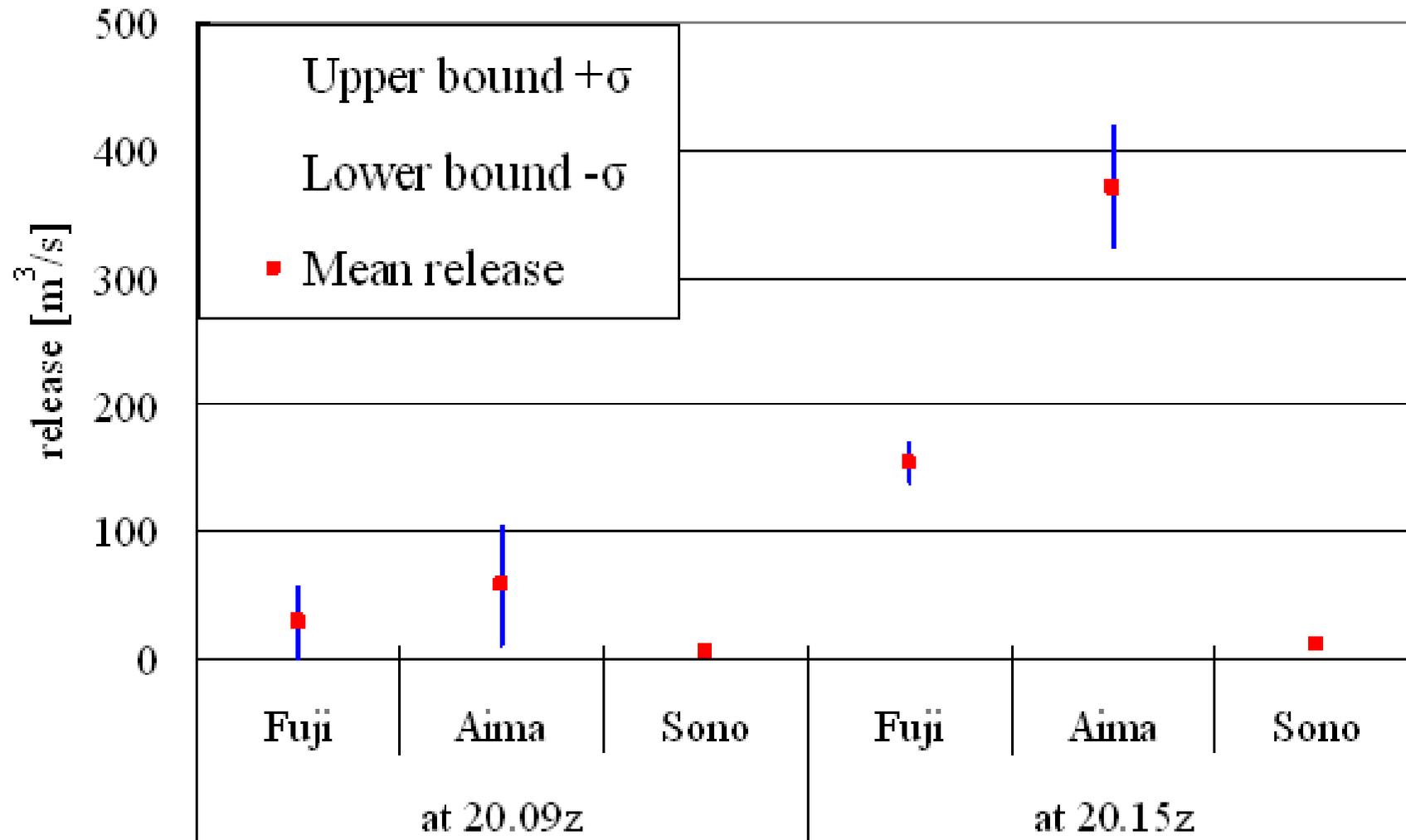
Dam release uncertainties event 9-10 Jul 2002



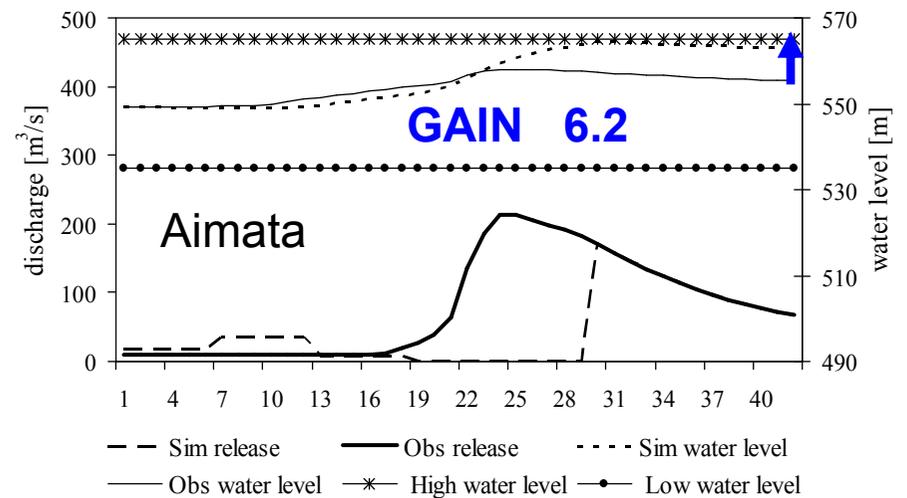
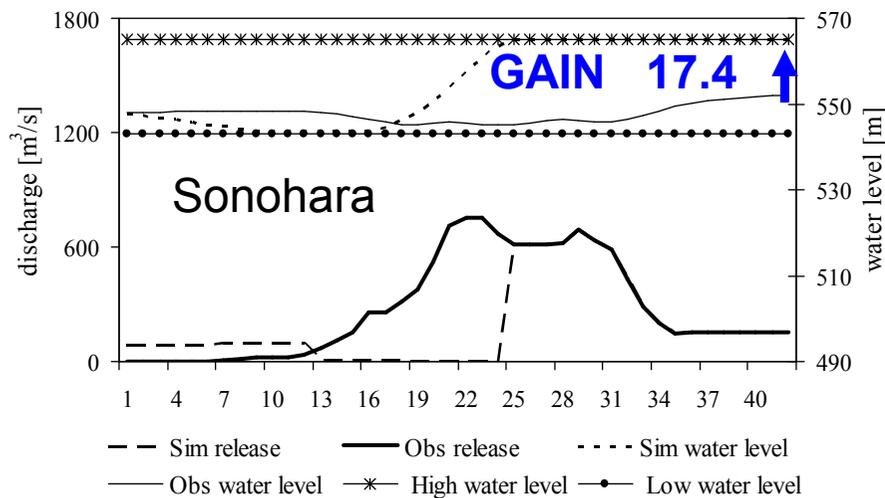
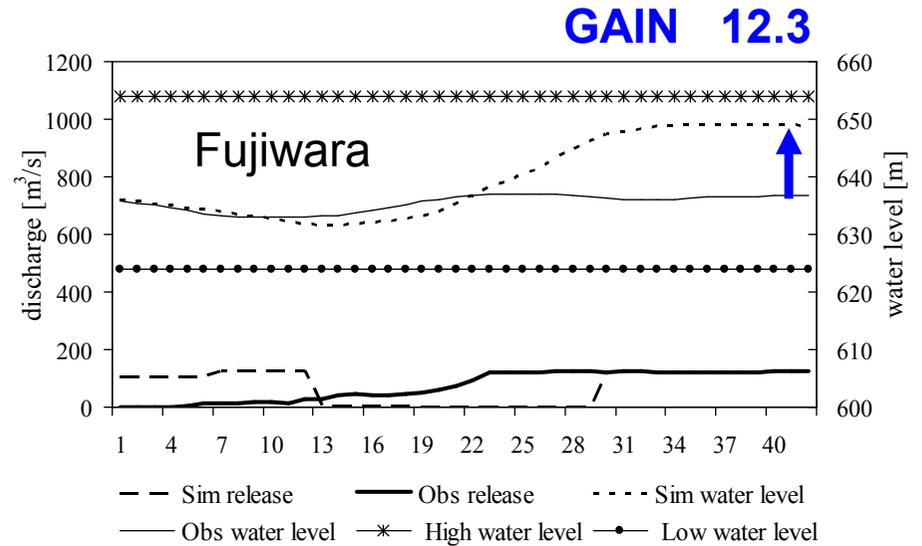
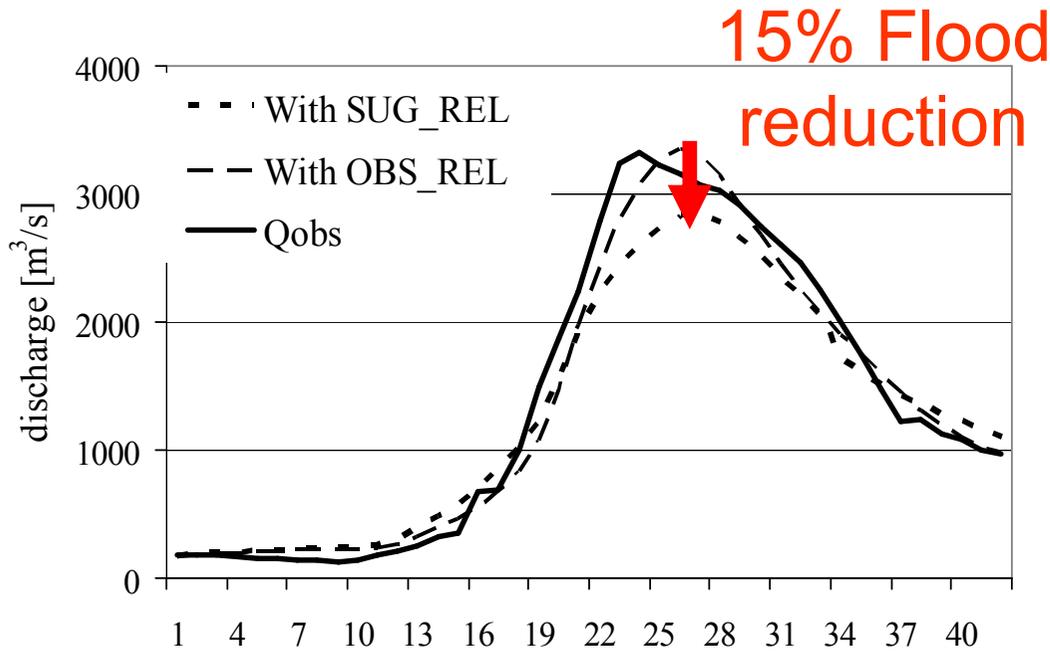
Dam release uncertainties event 8-9 Aug 2003



Dam release uncertainties event 19-20 Aug 2004

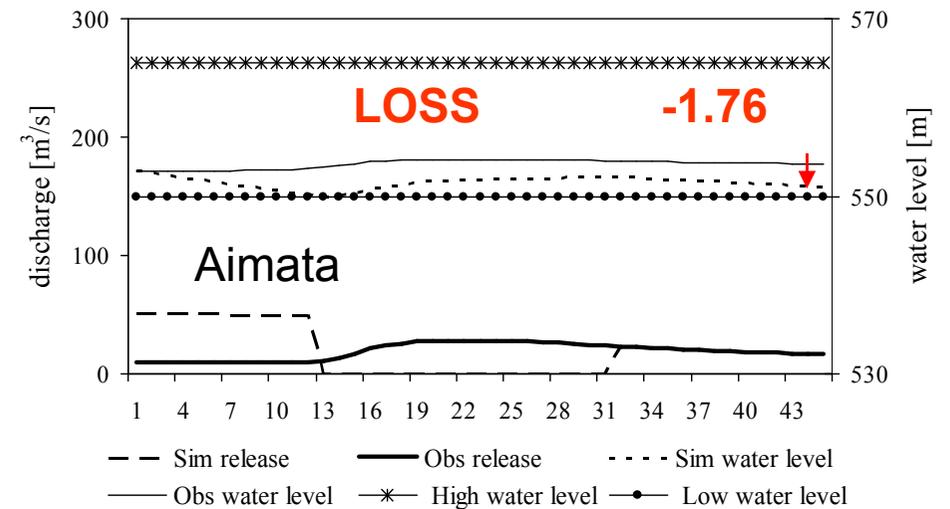
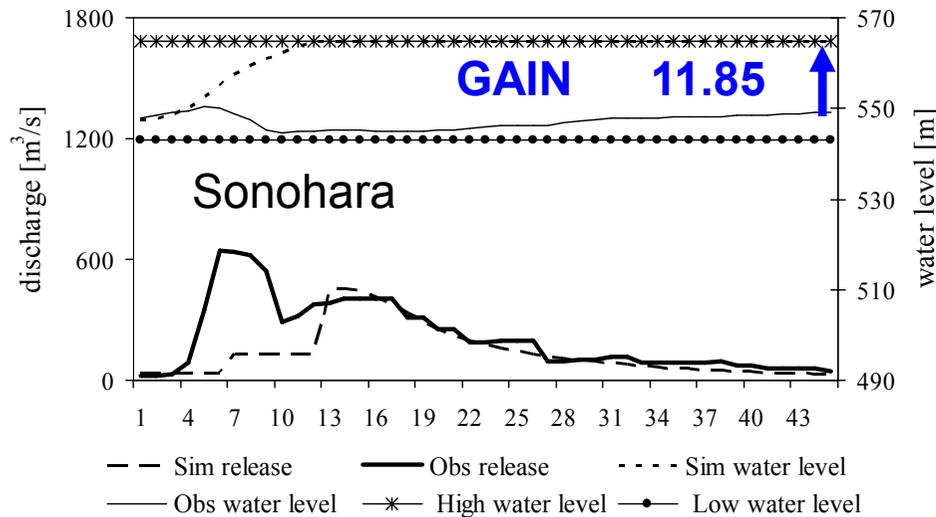
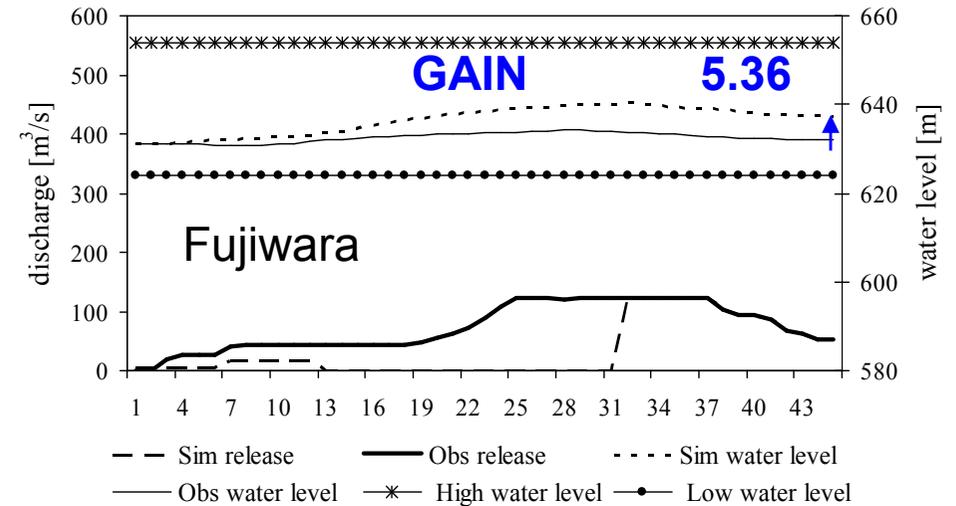
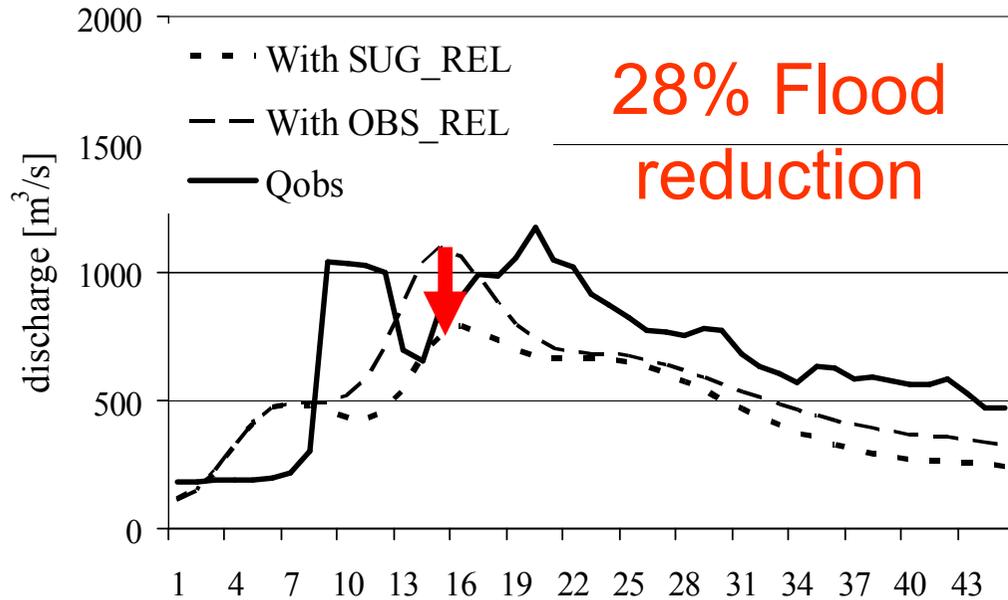


Results: event 2002 Jul 9~11



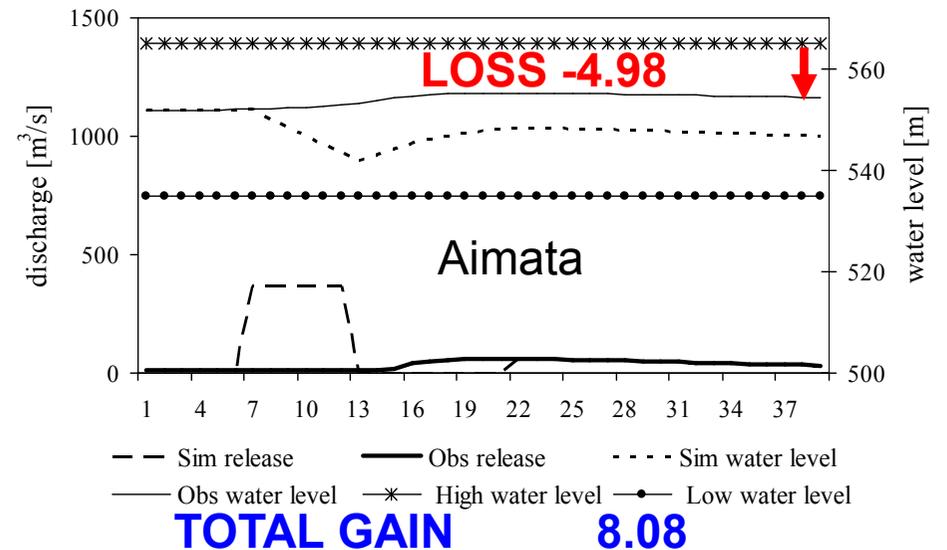
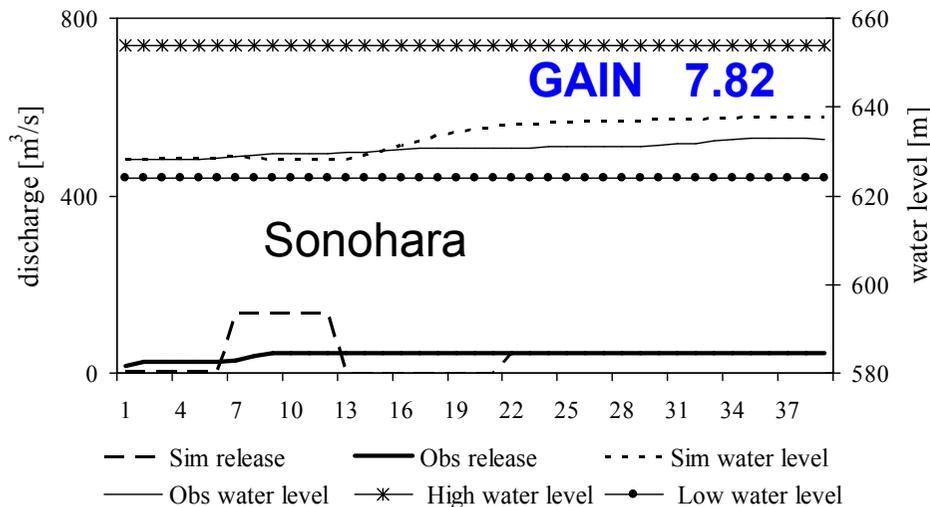
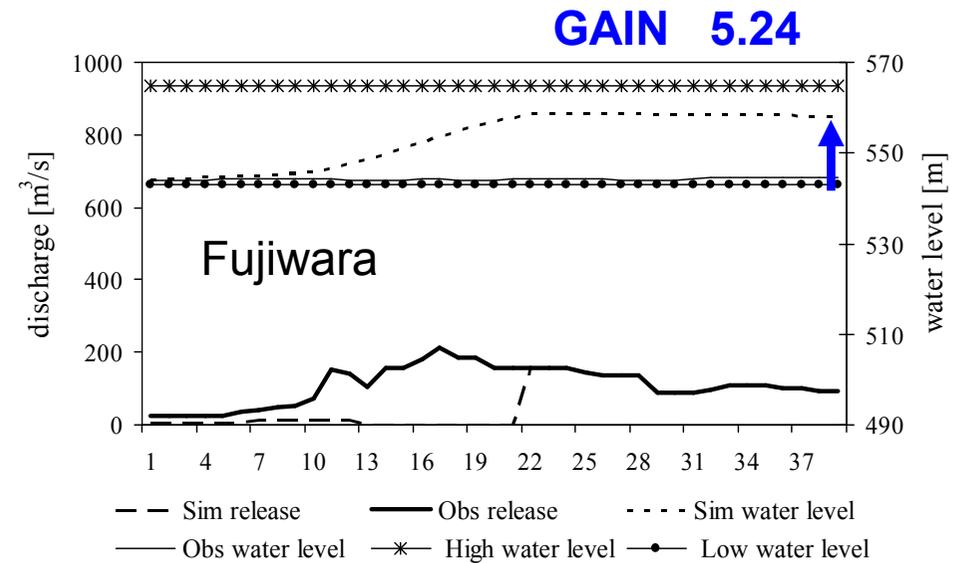
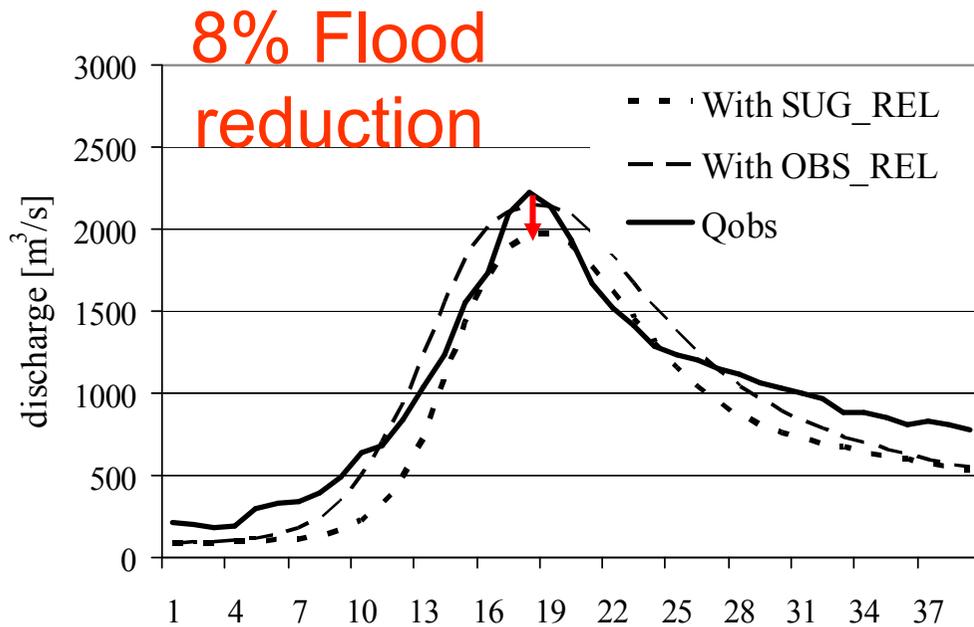
TOTAL GAIN 35.9

Results: event 2003 Aug 8~10



TOTAL GAIN: 15.45 MCM

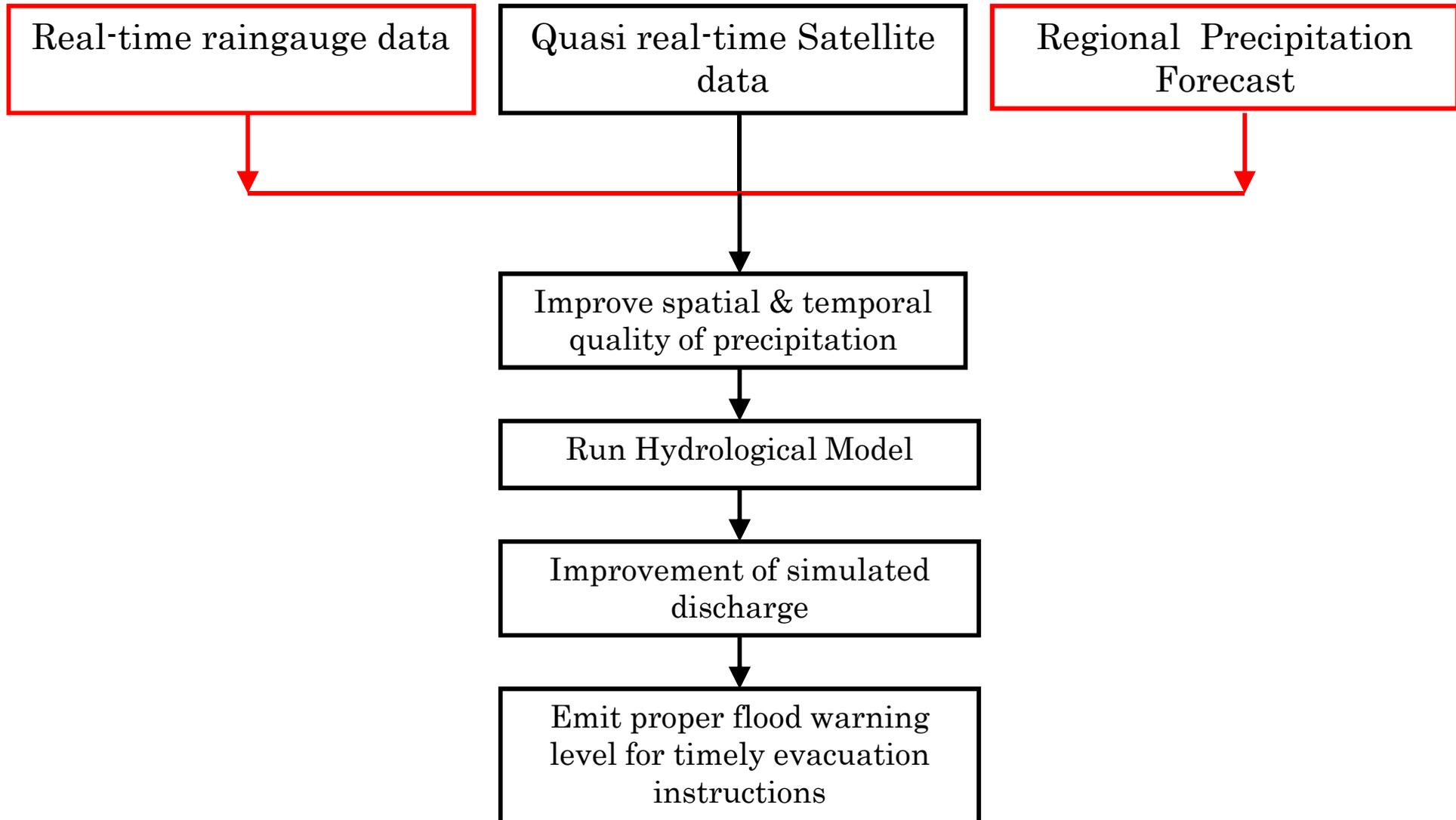
Results: event 2004 Oct 20~



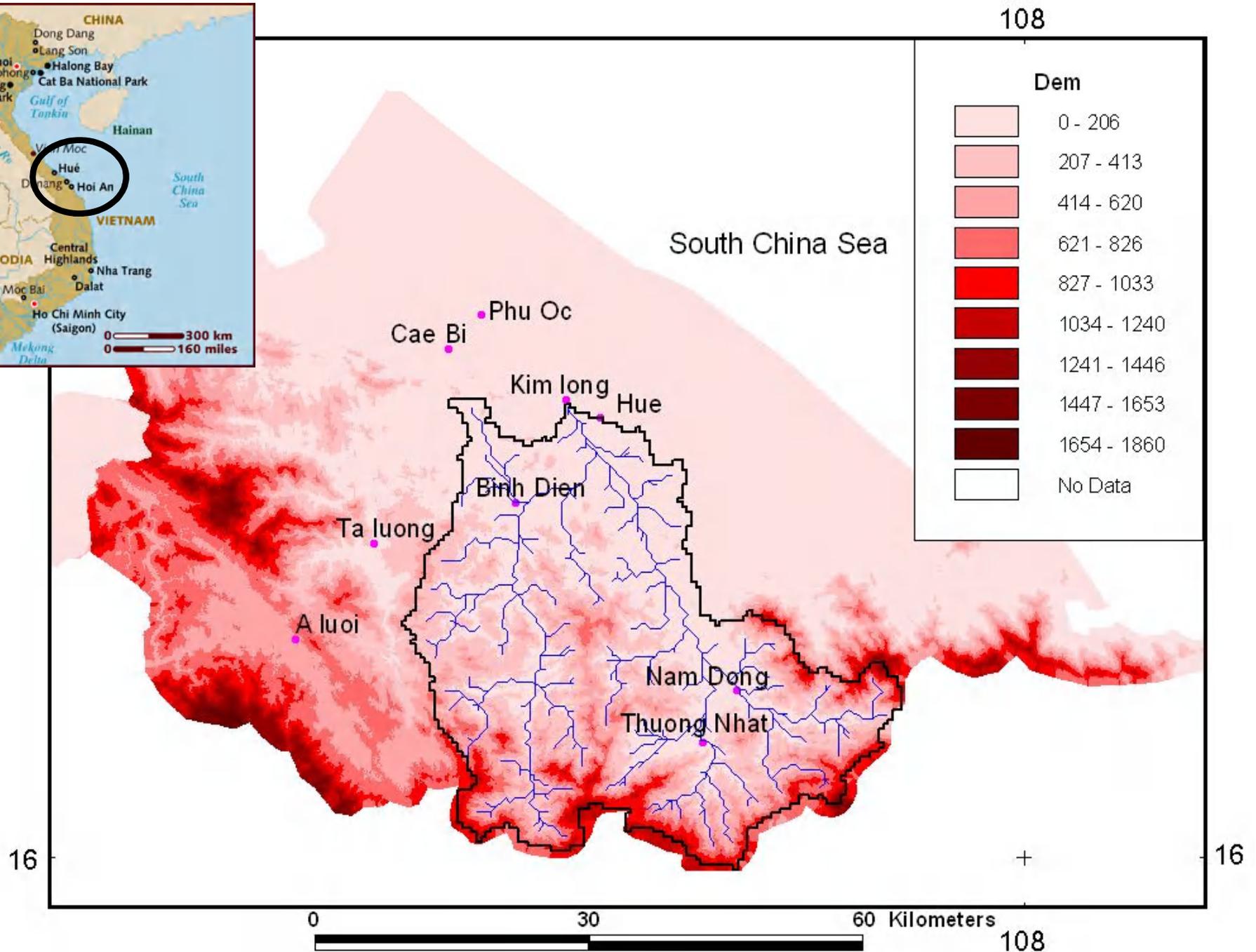
Evaluation of the DRESS system's performance

Event	Flood Peak reduction at control point [%]	Gain or Loss at Fujiwara reservoir [MCM]	Gain or Loss at Aimata reservoir [MCM]	Gain or Loss at Sonohara reservoir [MCM]	Total Gain or Loss, reservoirs [MCM]
2002.07	18.14	10.45	8.28	17.43	17.43
2003.08	28.03	5.36	-1.76	11.85	11.85
2004.10	7.6	5.24	-4.98	7.82	7.82

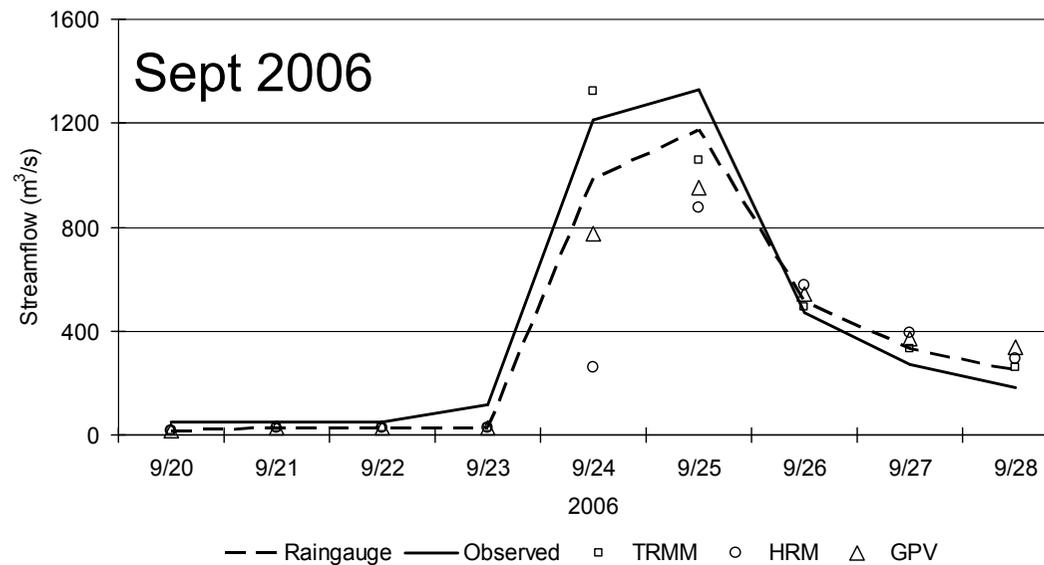
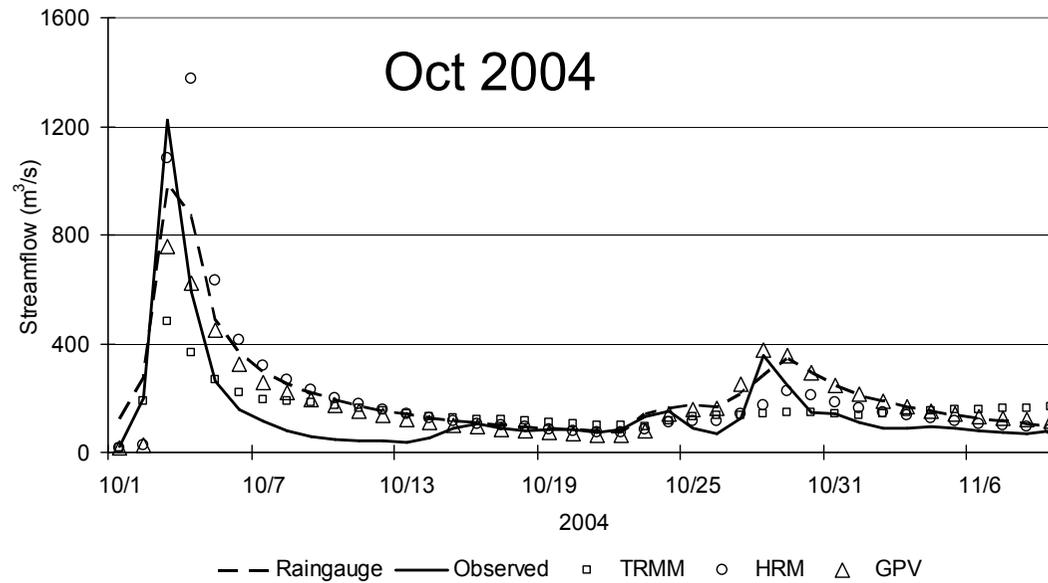
Overview System FLOWSS



Huong River, Vietnam

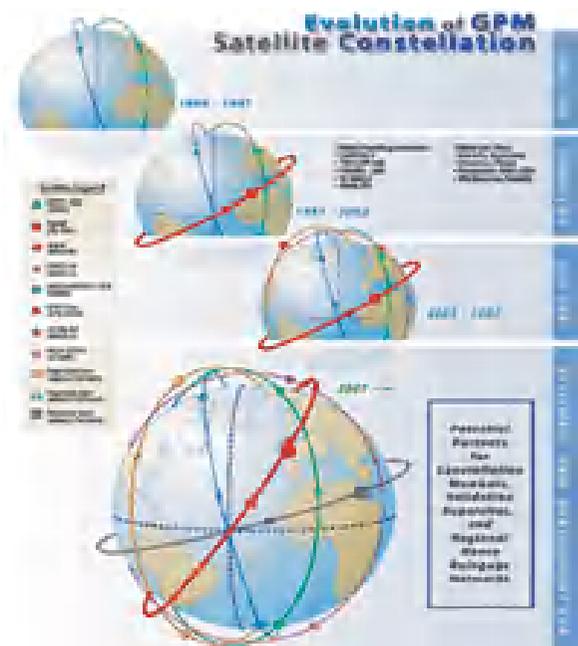
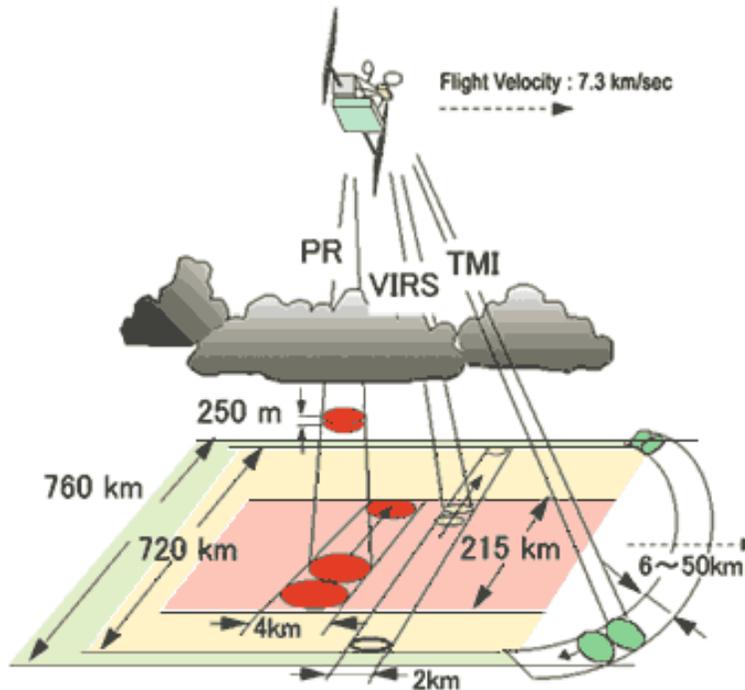
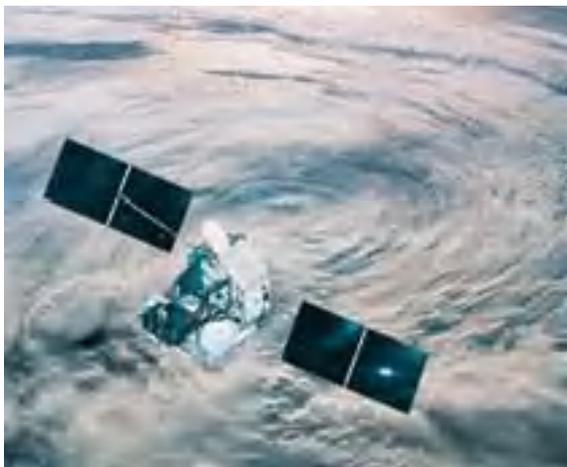


Results of the model



Saavedra, Koike et al., 2009

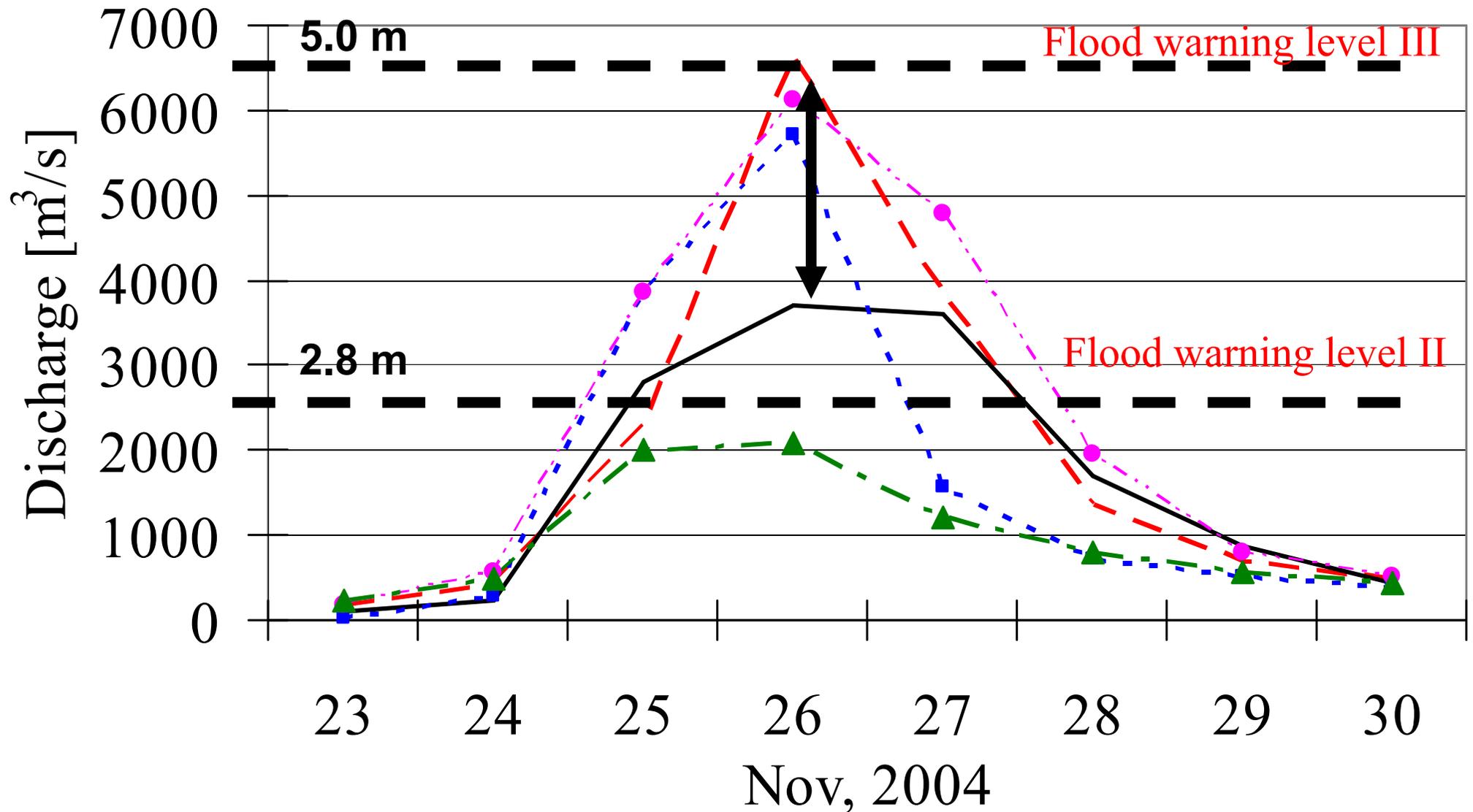
TRMM sensor



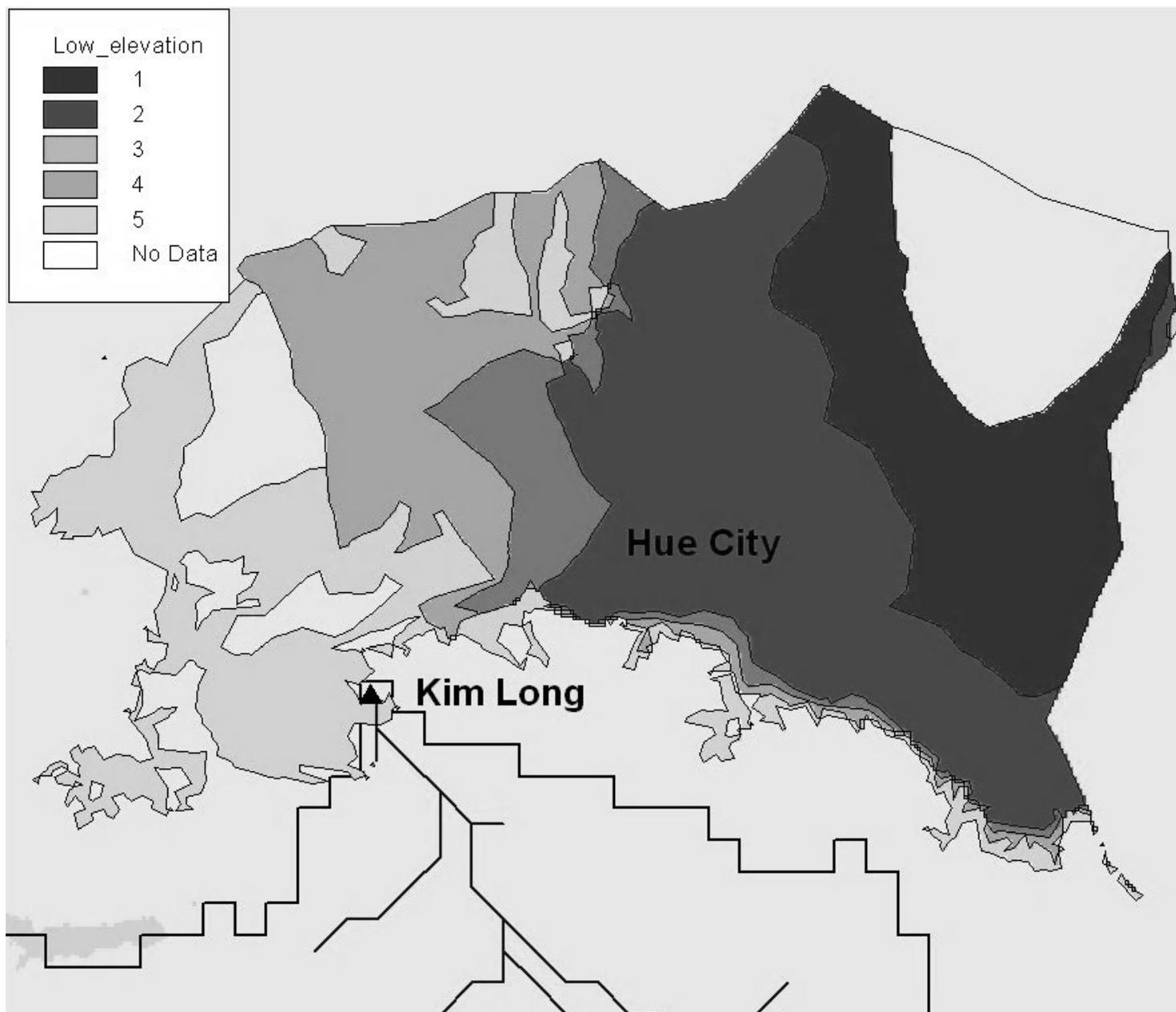
Global Satellite TRRM, 3hr, 0.25°
Nov 1997~
TRMM focuses mainly in tropical area

GPM, 3hr, 0.1°
will reach 95%

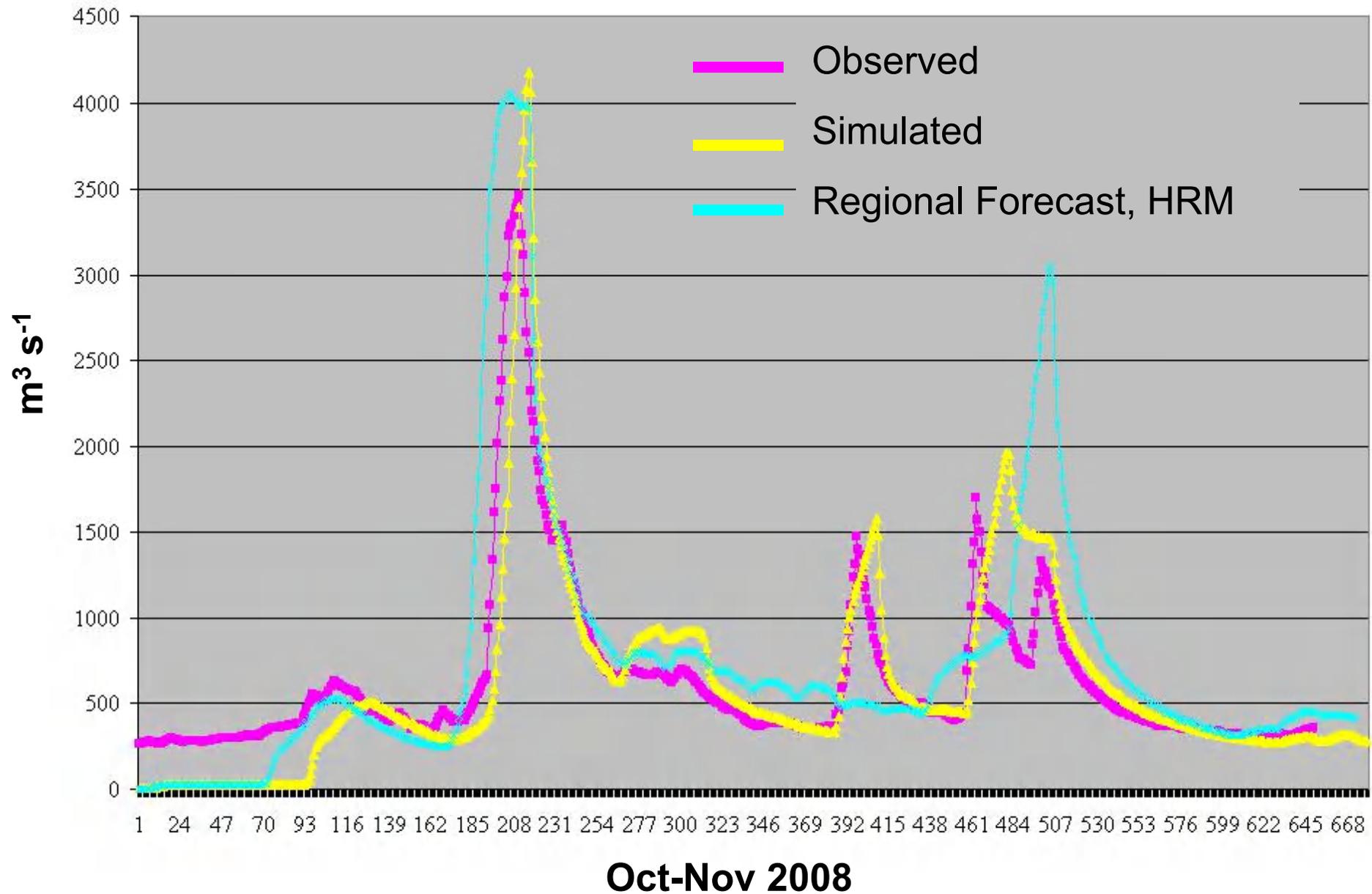
High Flows Simulation



Inundation areas in Hue City



Results obtained by Vietnamese Forecasters (@) MONROE/NHMS



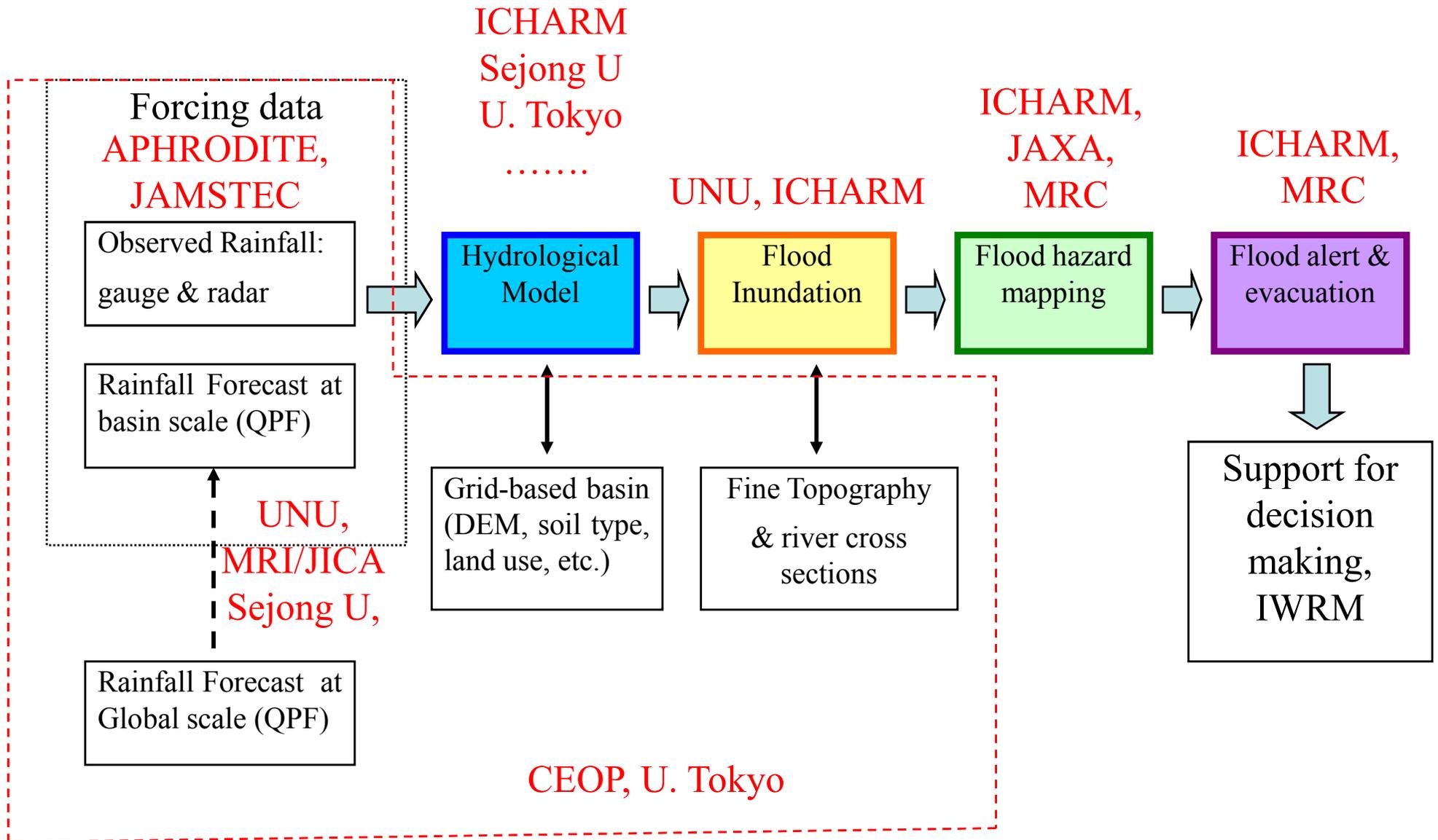
Summary

- According to the needs in Flood damage reduction, it is proposed two systems:
 - Dam Release Support System (**DRESS**)
 - Flood Warning Support System (**FLOWSS**)
- DRESS systems show efficiency in reducing floods and increasing water storage where dams are available; while FLOWSS can be used for emission of flood warning.
- QPF, real-time satellite precipitation and on-site observation were used to feed the systems
- It was possible to extend the lead-time which is crucial for sound decisions in water resources management

Next steps for the systems

- Application of customized versions of **DRESS & FLOWSS** systems to needed demo basins for real-time operation
- Exploit of Satellite observations e.g. GSMaP
- Include other forcing in the ensemble besides precipitation
- Include economic costs directly in the systems using the value of water allocation or false alarm warning in the cost functions

Location of CB Training Modules



Capacity Building Programs

- 1) Country level capacity building targeting local audience (Bandung, July 2008; China, 2009)
- 2) Specific Training Modules provided by Agencies/Institutions to experts/scientists (Vietnam, Nov. 2008 at UT)
- 3) Integrated capacity at each AWCI demonstration basin targeting international participants



Thanks for your attention!

