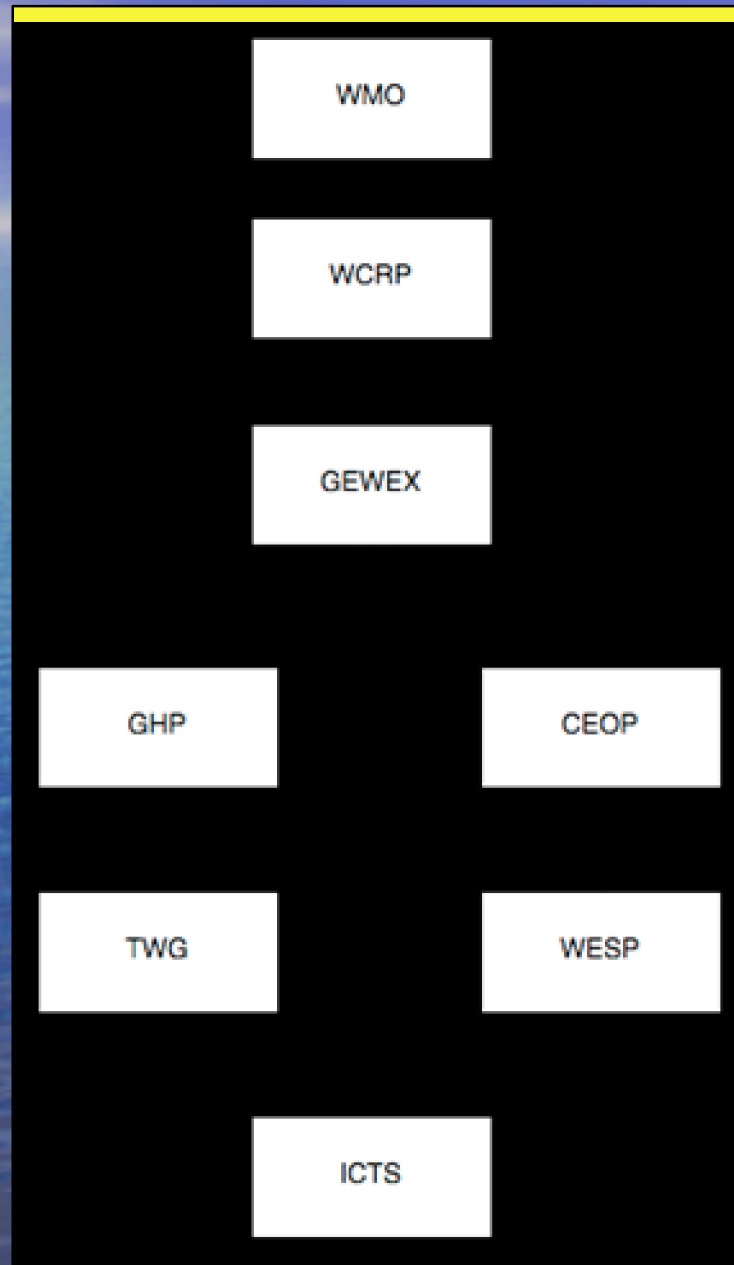




ICTS

(Inter-CSE Transferability Study)

ICTS in the GEWEX Zoo



CEOP Phase 1 time schedule



Year of Activity: 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07

Planning



Data Collection



EOPs :

EOP-1 (Seasonal OP) → (1 July - 30 Sept 2001)

EOP-2 (Build -up OP) → (1 Oct 2001 - 30 Sept 2002)

EOP-3 (Annual Cycle OP) → (1 Oct 2002 - 30 Sept 2003)

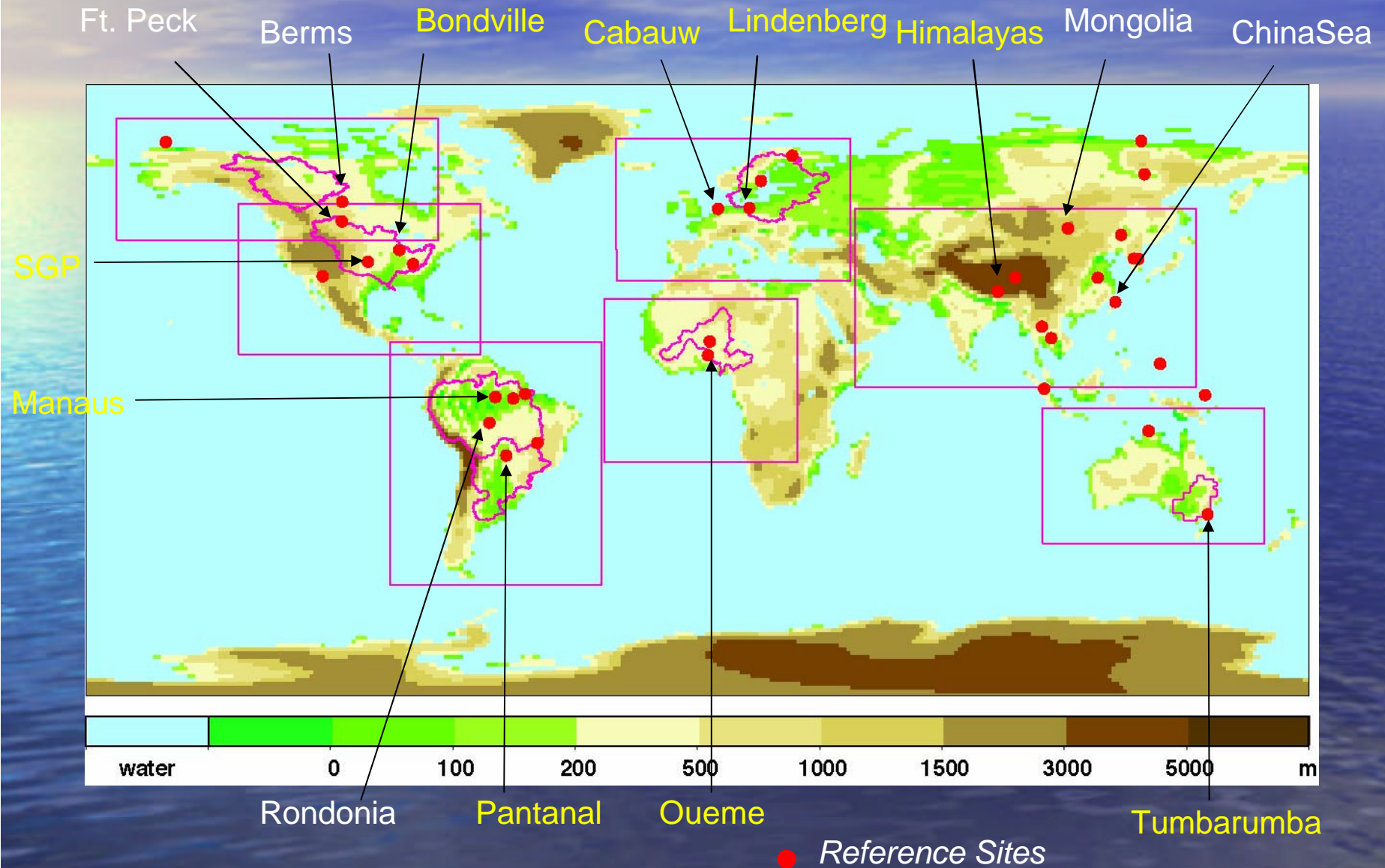
EOP-4 (Water & Energy OP) → (1 Oct 2003 - 31 Dec 2004)

ICTS



Primary Focus 2 Annual Cycle Data Set (2003 - 2004)

Model areas (transformed)

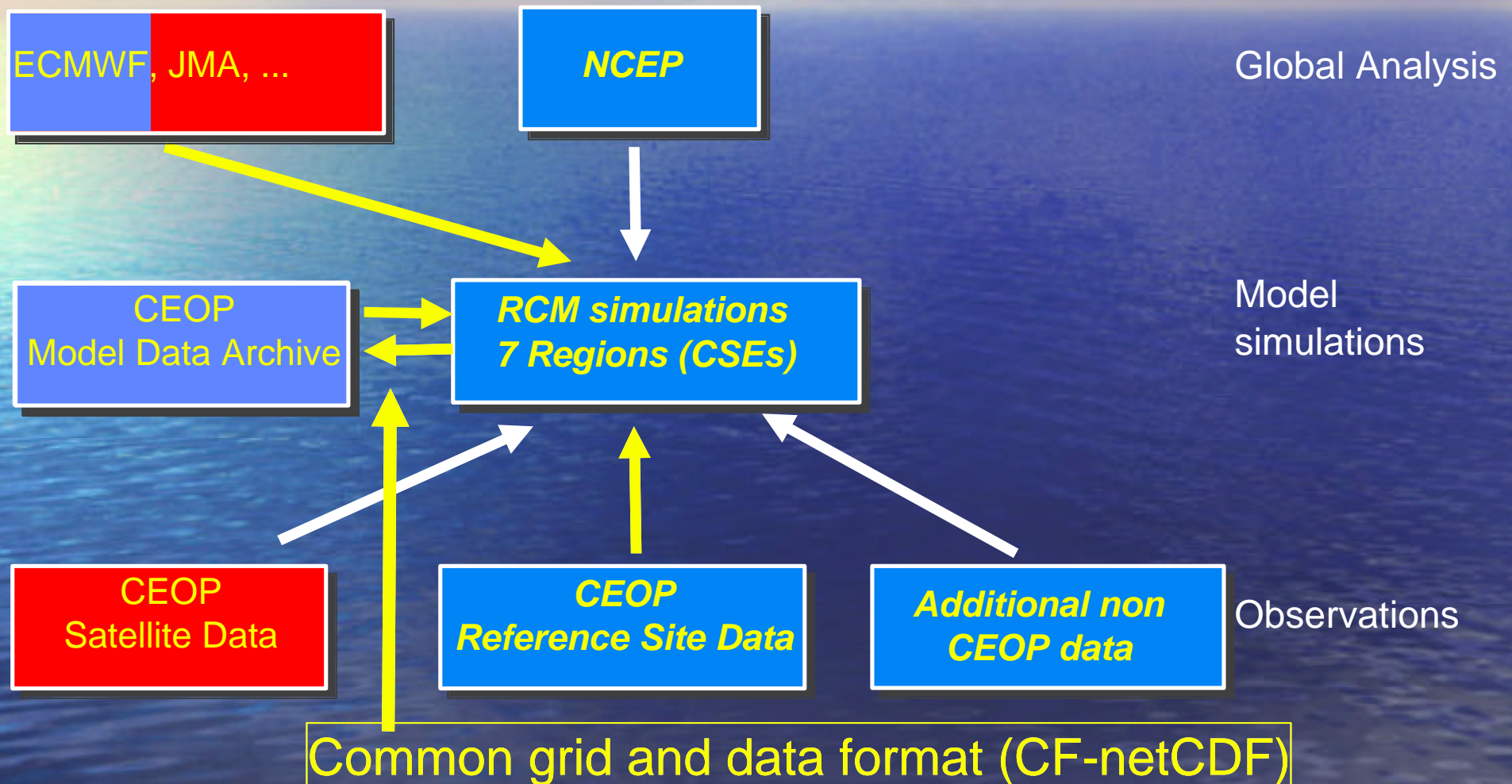


Regional climate models involved so far

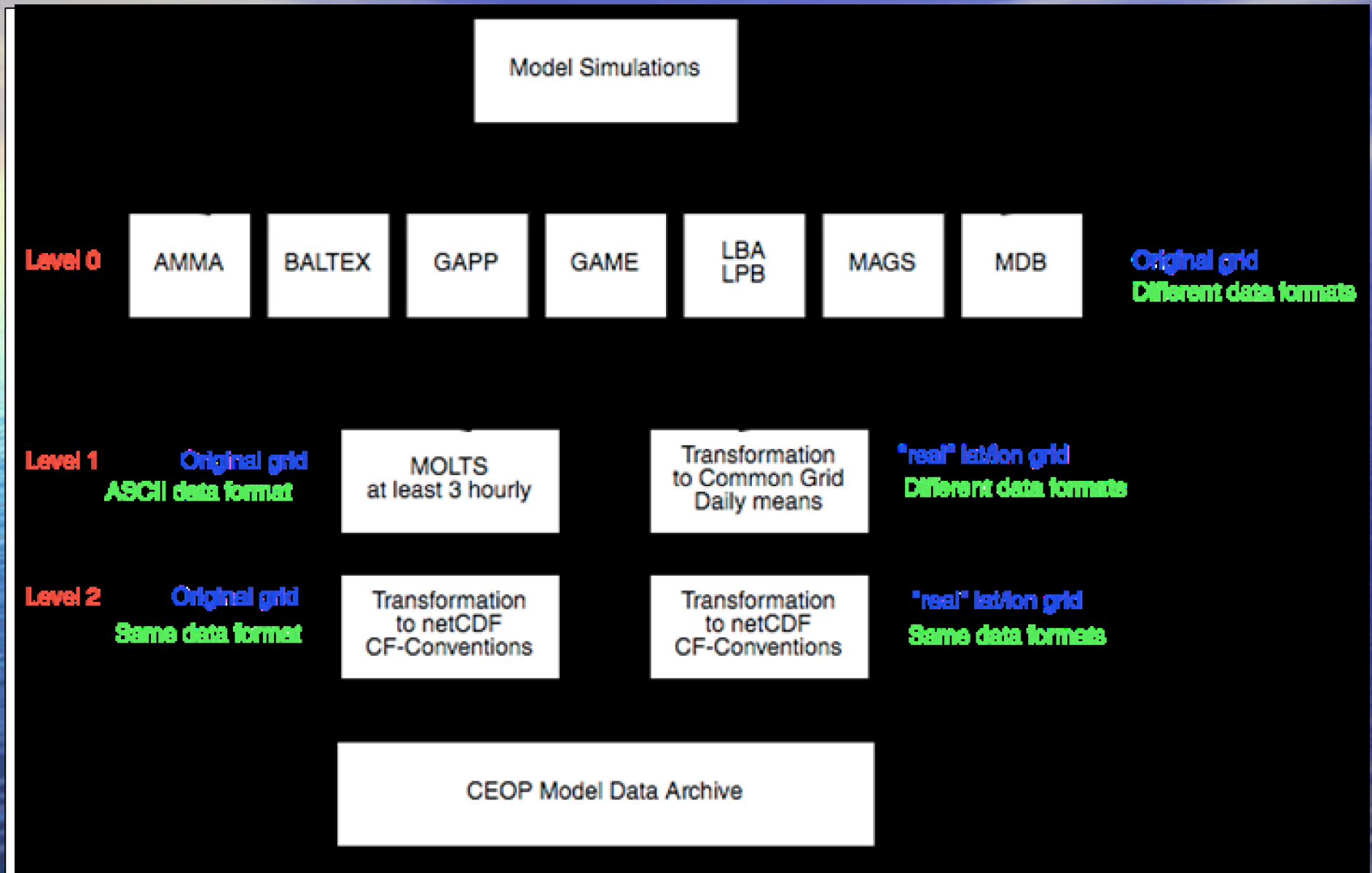
status: 2004 **2005**

- **CLM** (Climate version of the “Lokalmodel “) / GKSS, BALTEX
- **RSM** (Regional Spectral Model) / ECPC, GAPP
- **RegCM3** (Regional Climate Model) / ISU, GAPP
- **MM5** (Mesoscale-Model) / ISU, GAPP
- **GEM-LAM** (Global Environmental Multiscale Limited Area Model) / RPN/MSC and UQ, MAGS
- **CRCM** (Canadian Regional Climate Model) / OURANOS, MAGS
- **RCA3** (Rossby Centre Atmosphere version 3) / SMHI, BALTEX
- **C-CAM** (Conformal Cubic Atmospheric Model) / CSIRO, MDB

Long term simulations Jan 2000 - Dec 2004



Data flow of model simulations



MOLTS Data from RCM sims (1)

Area: Reference site grid box and adjacent ones

Output Interval: 3h (1h, if available)

Data period: 2000/01/01 – 2004/12/31

To be stored at: CEOP model data archive

Format: Time series in netCDF CF conventions

9 grid boxes: the grid box that contains the reference site and the 8 adjacent grid boxes

Vertical Profiles, data at model levels

Parameter Explanation Unit

T * temperature K

U * U component of wind m/s

V * V component of wind m/s

GPH* Geopotential height m^2/s^2

QV * Specific humidity kg/kg

QC Liquid water content of clouds kg/kg

QI Ice water content of clouds kg/kg

CLC Cloud cover 0-1

Parameters marked by * will also stored on the following pressure levels:

850, 700, 500, 250 hPa

MOLTS Data from RCM sims (2)

2D data (36 Parameters)

CLCT	Total cloudiness	T_SKIN	Skin temperature
DZ_PBL	atmosphere boundary layer thickness	TMAX_2M	Maximum 2-meter temp.
EVAP_S	Evaporation at surface	TMIN_2M	Minimum 2-meter temp.
H500	500hPa height	TOT_PREC	Precipitation
IDIV_ENERG	Vert. integrated energy divergence (Total energy: kinetic, enthalpy, potential)	VABS_10M	10-meter wind speed
IDIV_WATER	Vert. integrated water divergence	VMAX_10M	10-meter max. wind speed
IENERGY	Vert. integrated energy (Total energy:kinetic, enthalpy)	W_SNOW	Surface snow layer water equivalent
ISOILW	Integrated soil moisture	SWUP_S	Upward shortwave radiation at surface
IWATER	Vert. integrated water content (vapor&cloud)	SWDOWN_S	Downward shortwave radiation at surface
LCL	Lifting condensation level	LWUP_S	Upward longwave radiation at surface
PMSL	Mean Sea Level Pressure	LWDOWN_S	Downward longwave radiation at surface
PS	Surface pressure	SWUP_T	Upward shortwave radiation at top
QV_2M	2-meter specific humidity	SWDOWN_T	Downward shortwave radiation at top
RHMAX_2M	Maximum 2-meter relative humidity	LWUP_T	Upward longwave radiation at top
RHMIN_2M	Minimum 2-meter relative humidity	SHFL_S	Sensible heat flux at surface
RUNOFF	Total runoff	LHFL_S	Latent heat flux at surface
T_2M	2-meter temperature	SMHFL	surface snow melt heat flux

Data on common grid from RCM sims

Area: Entire area of each region

Output Interval: daily (mean, accumulated, min/max)

Data period: 2000/01/01 – 2004/12/31

To be stored at: CEOP model data archive


Common grid: geographical lat/lon

Format: Time series in netCDF CF conventions

Parameters same as 2D data for MOLTS output

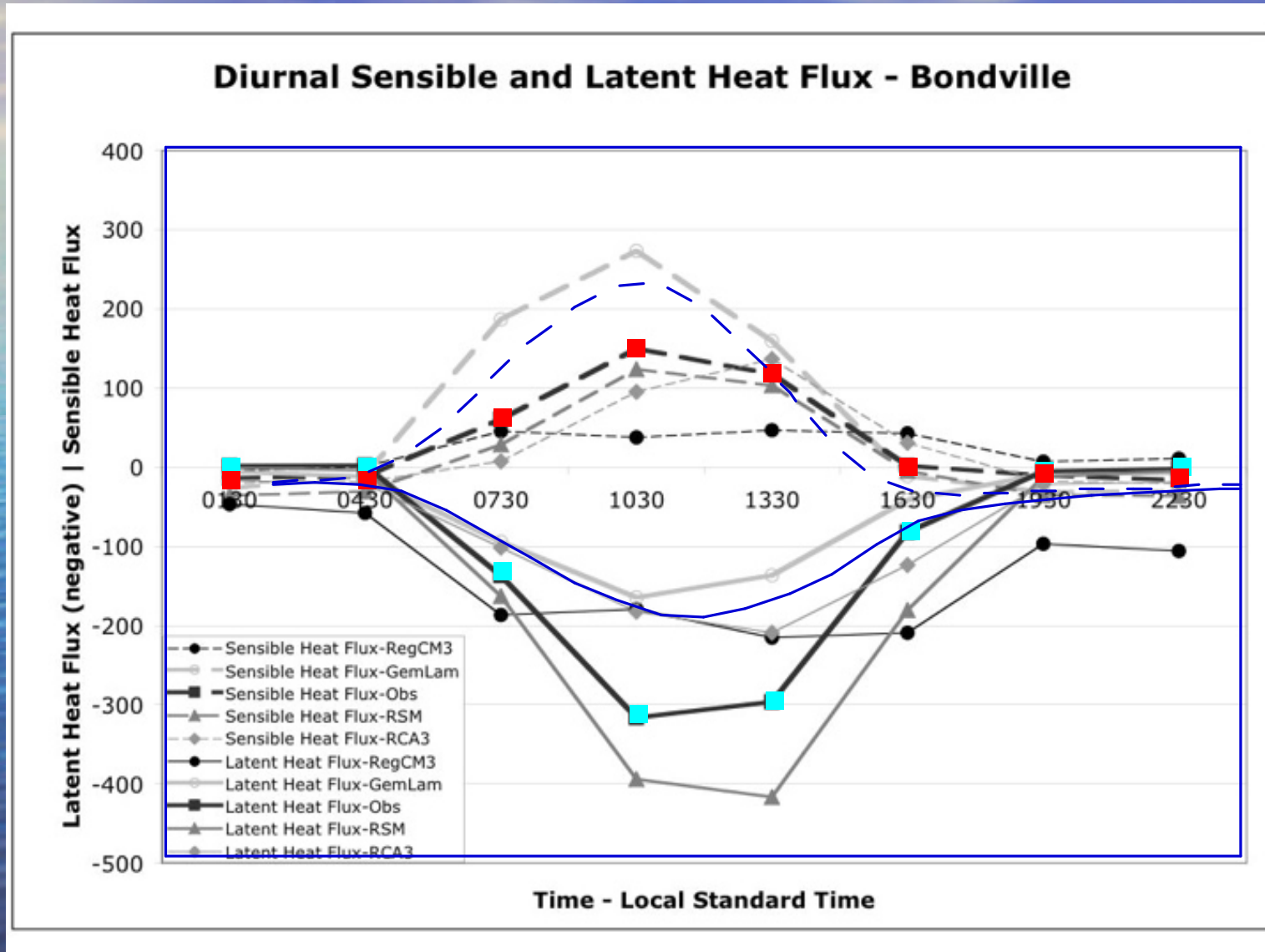
Present status

- Participating Institutes (Models): 7
- Models completed simulations: 4
- Models post-processing finished: 2
- Results in CEOP archive: 1

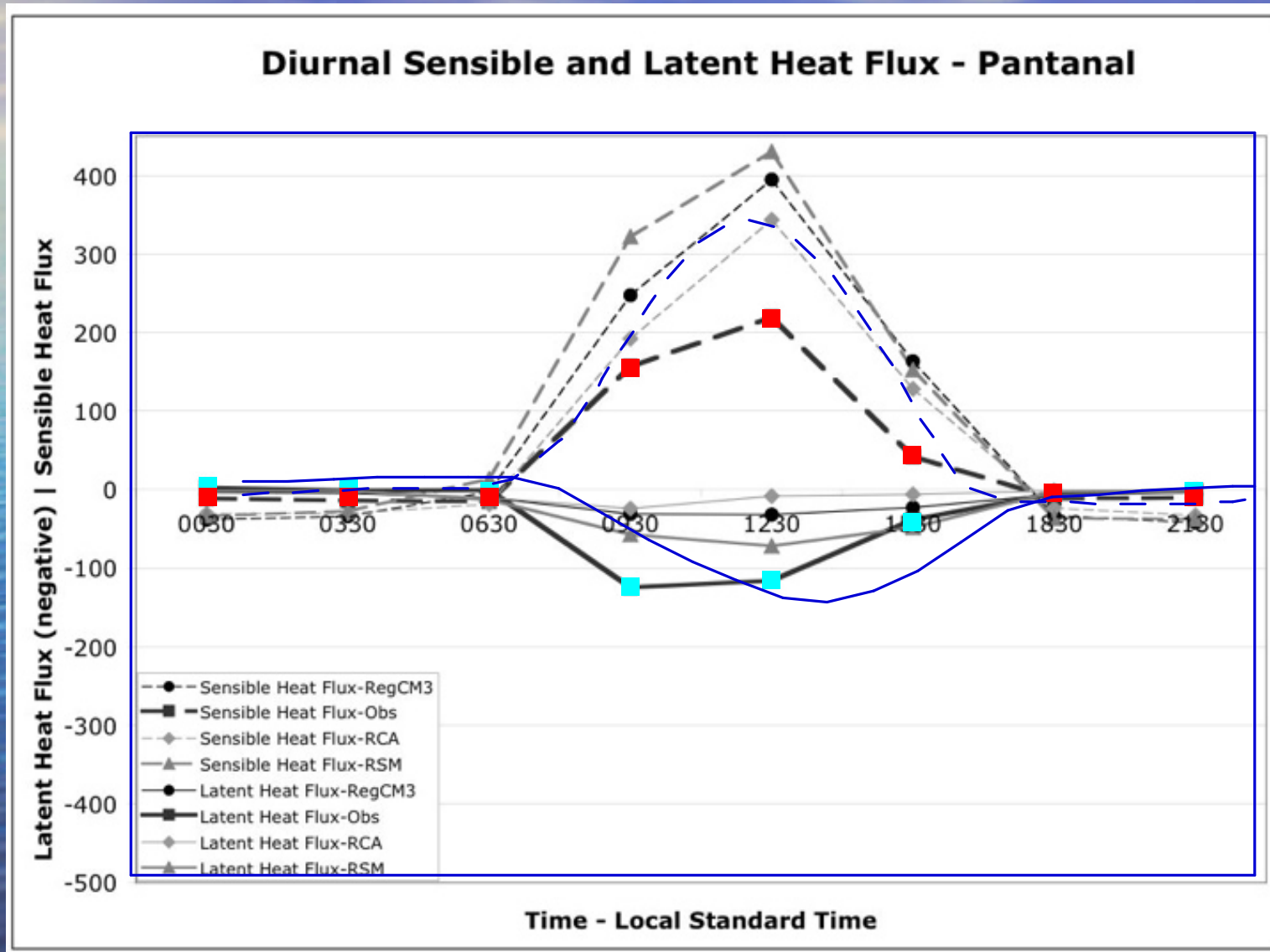


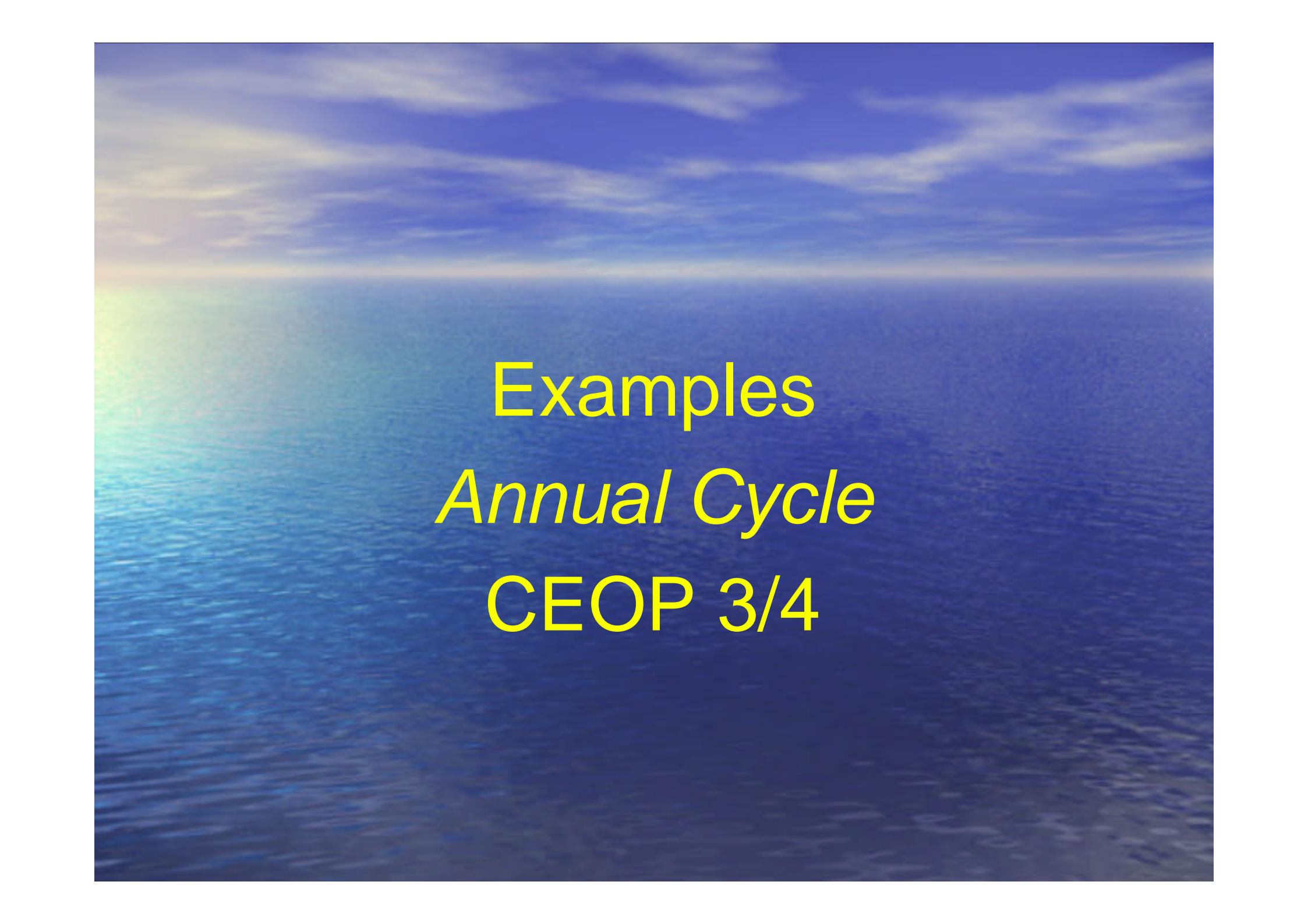
Examples
Diurnal Cycle
CEOP 1

Bondville (GAPP)



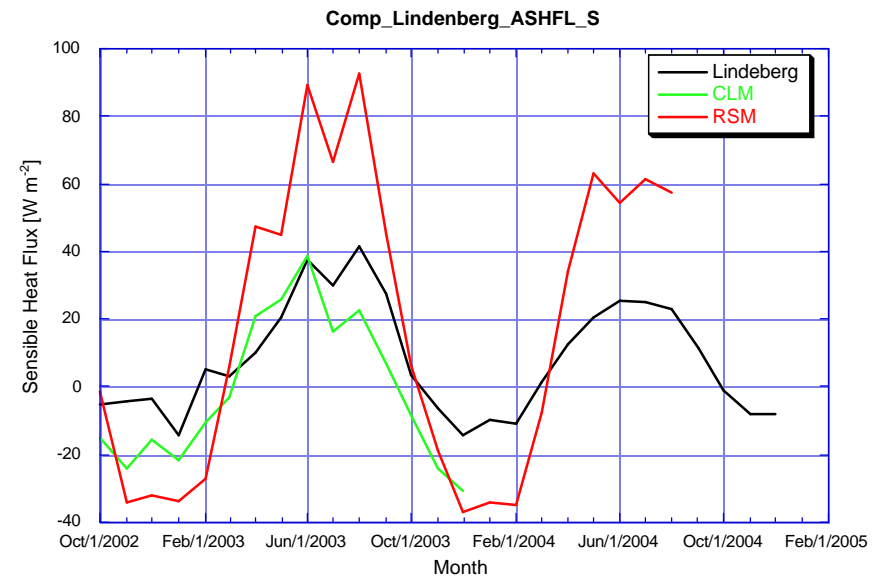
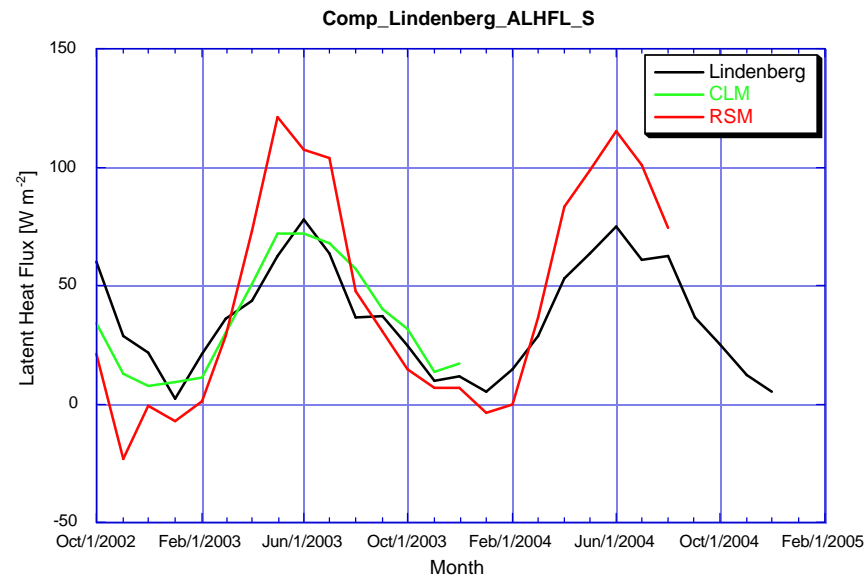
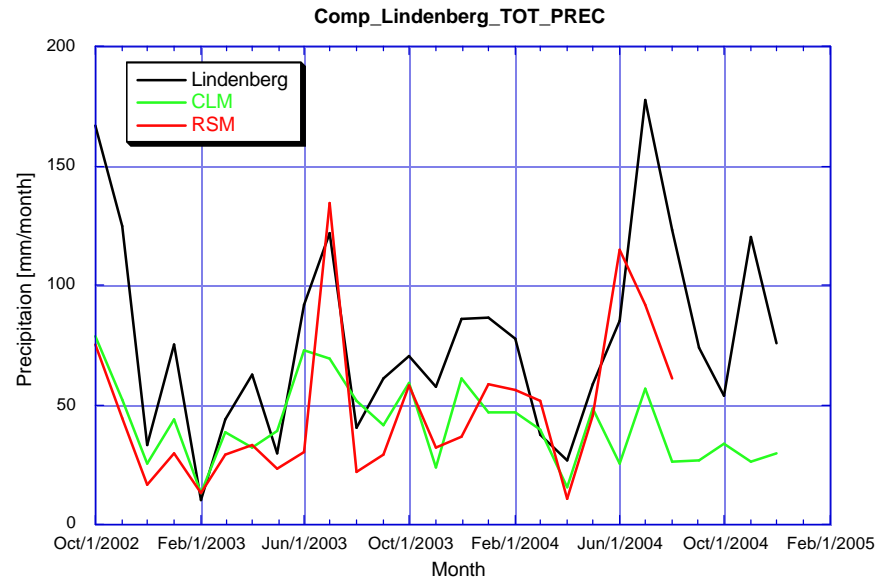
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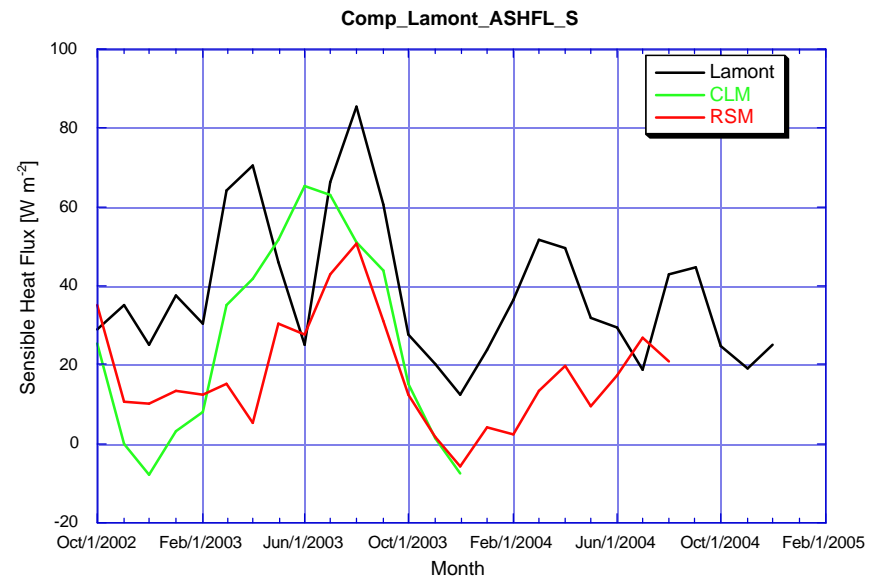
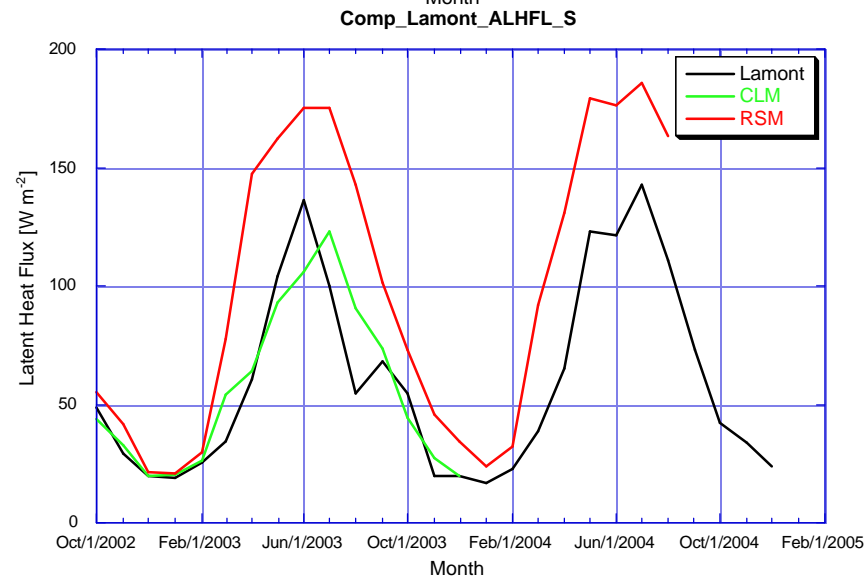
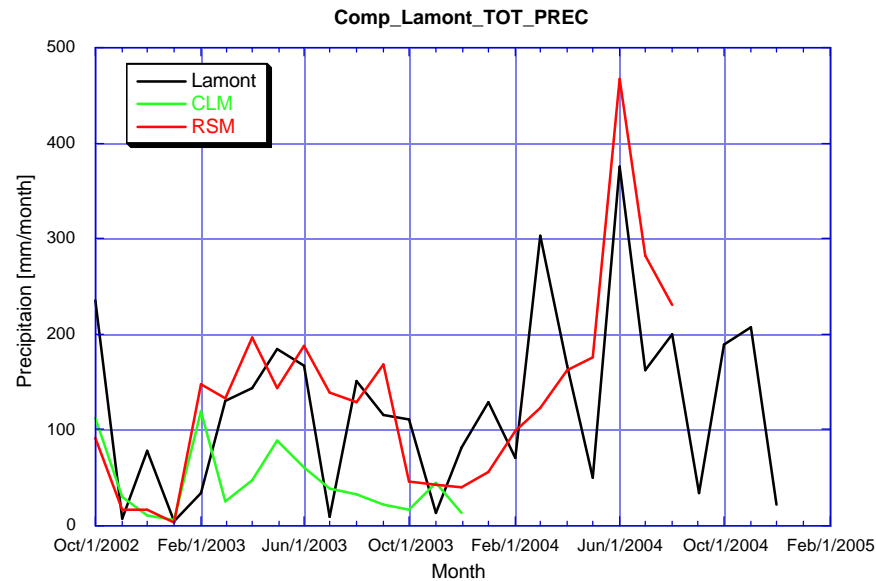


Examples
Annual Cycle
CEOP 3/4

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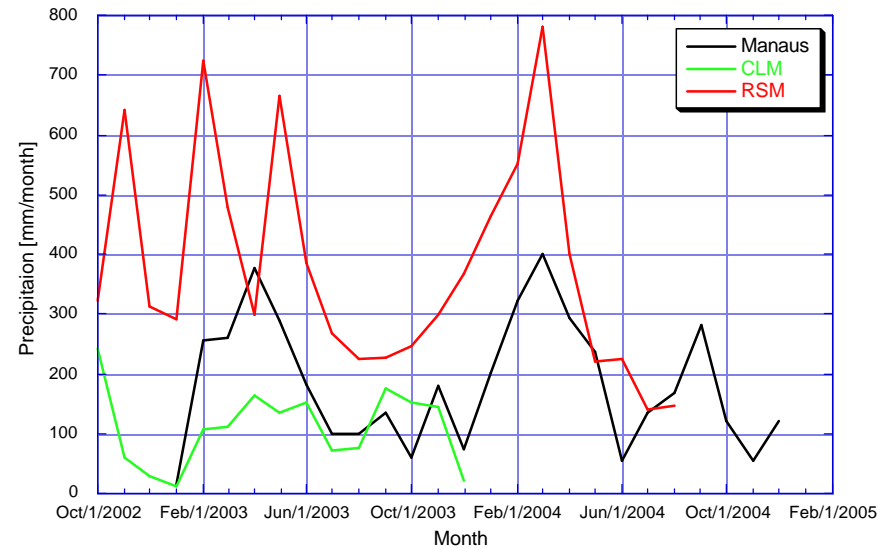


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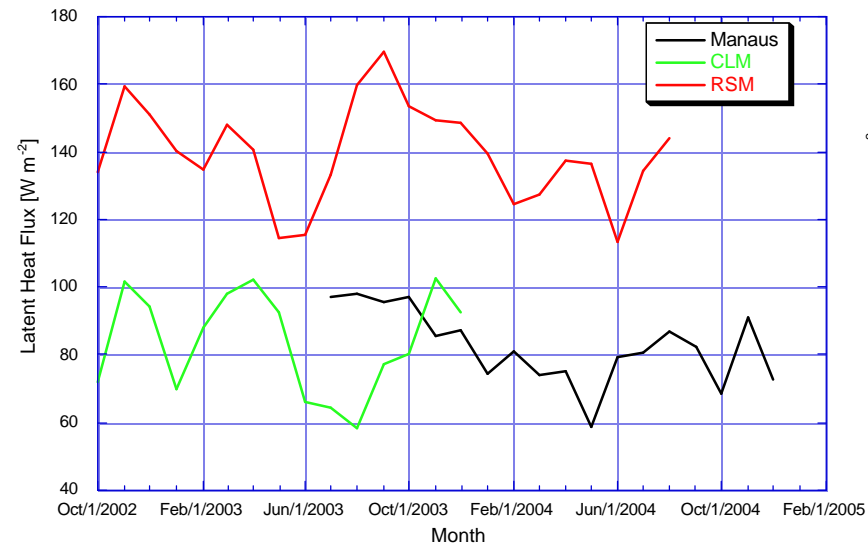


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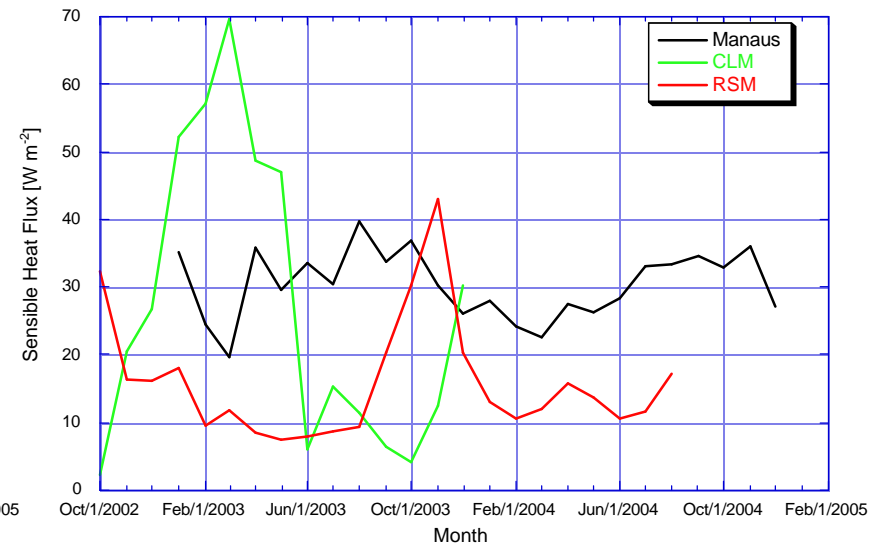
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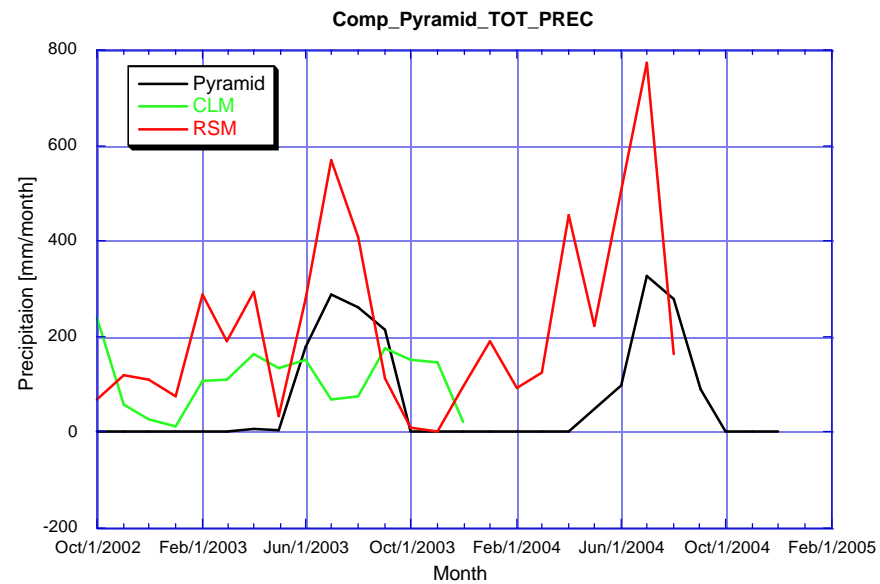
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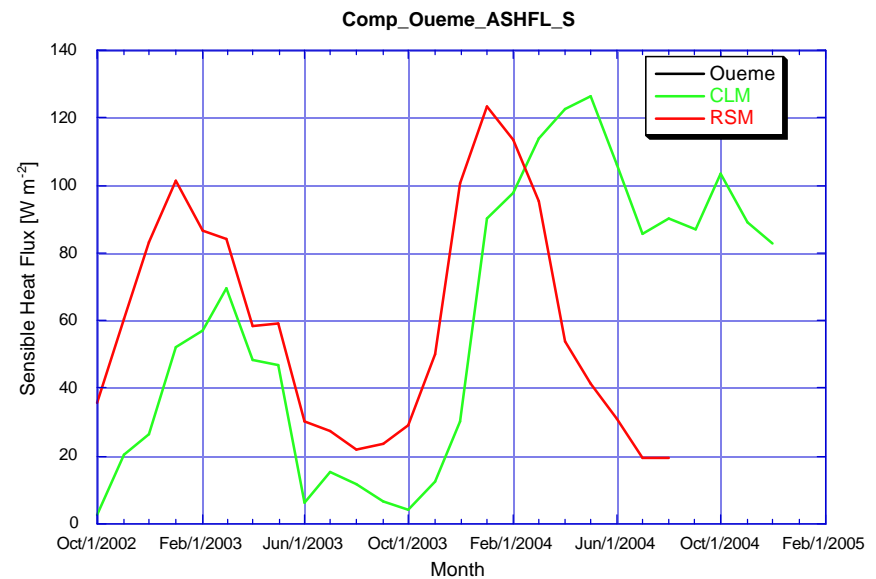
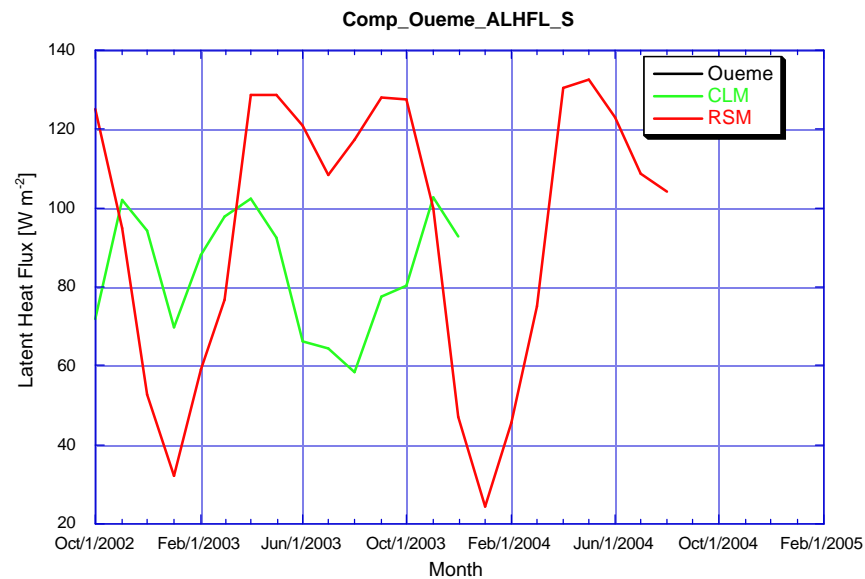
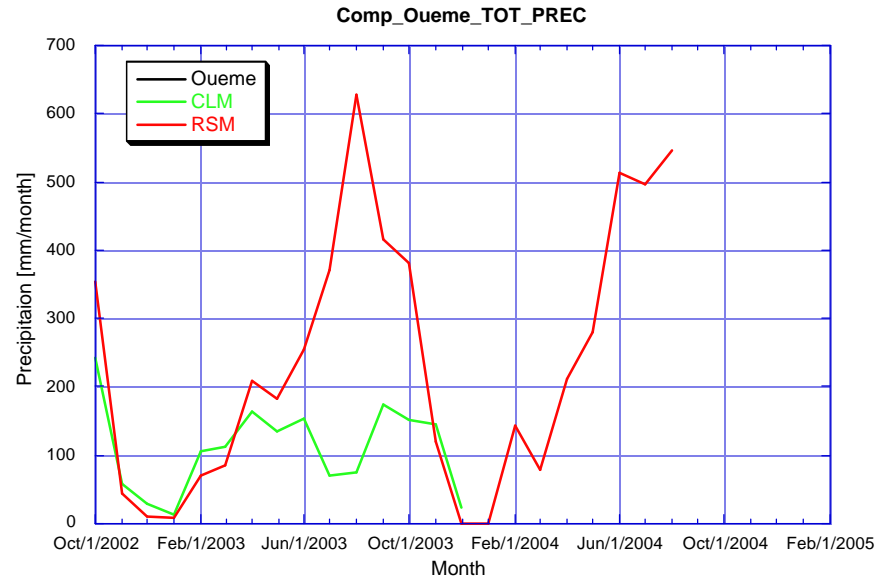
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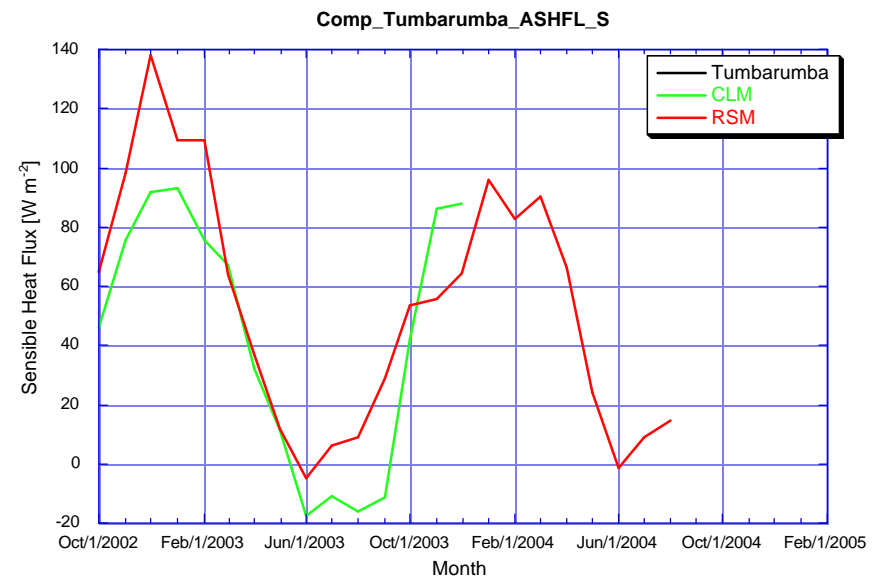
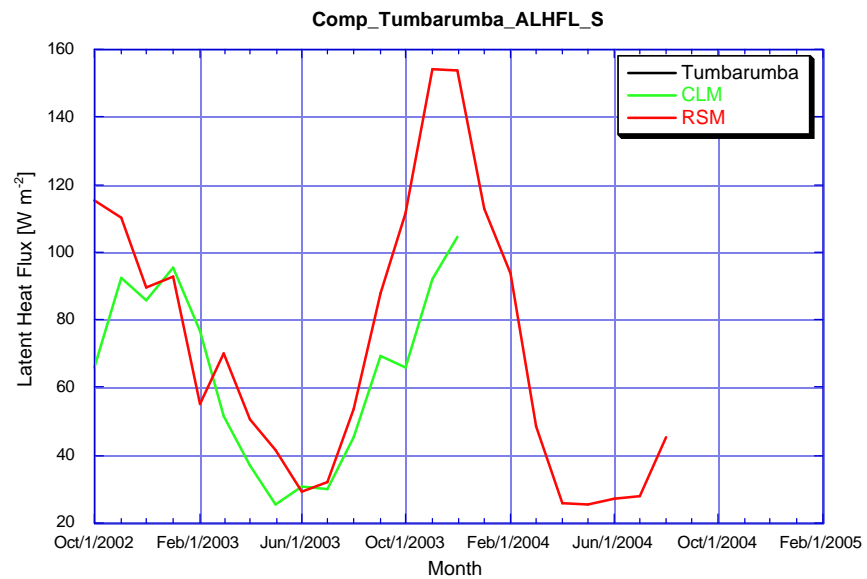
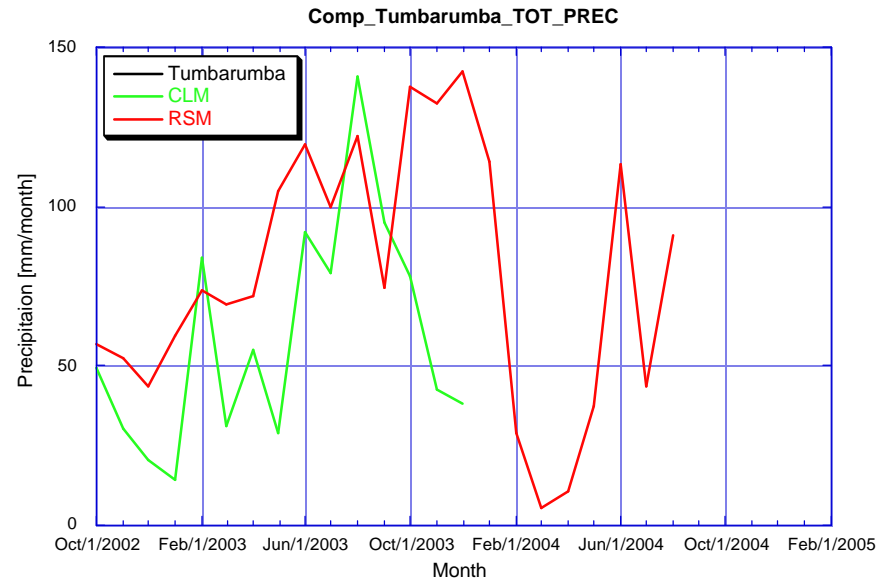
Pyramid (GAME)



Oueme (AMMA)



Tumbarumba (MDB)



Outlook

- Finish long term simulations July 1999 - December 2004 with NCEP Global Re-Analysis boundary data.
- Prepare and send results to CEOP model data archive
- Comparison to CEOP reference site, satellite data and global analysis models for two years period 2003/2004

