
Conditional verification with VERSUS @ DWD – State September 2014

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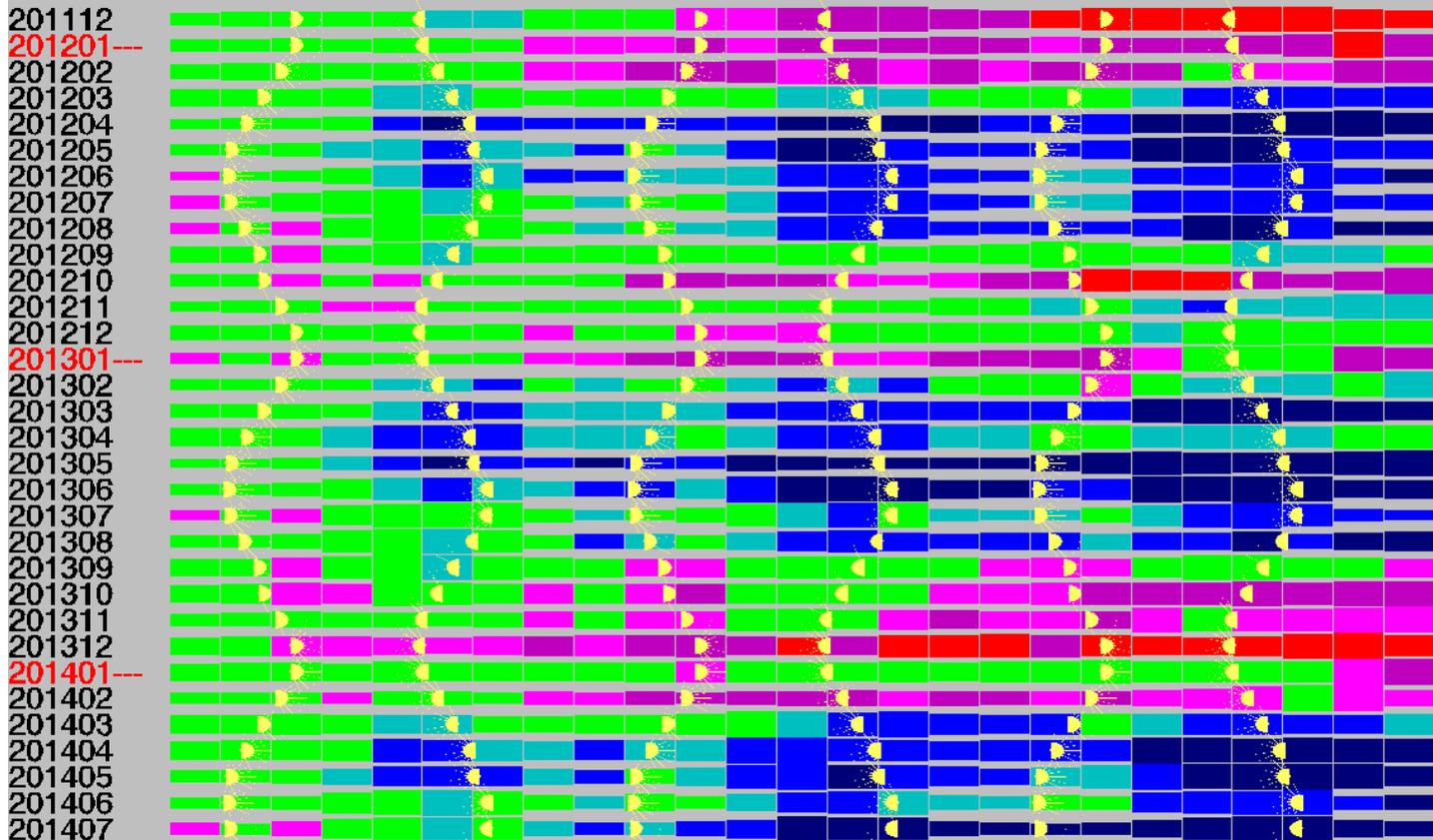
- **Monthly verification for T2m, Tdew, mslp, TCC , wind speed, wind u-component and wind v-component**
 - ❖ German stations below 800 m
- **Seasonal verification for T2m Tdew, mslp, TCC and wind speed**
 - ❖ German stations below 800 m
 - ❖ Common stations

Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany
for model CEU (00-UTC run)
Mean surface level pressure [hPa]

(Heights of bars sign the geographical variance of the BIAS within the month.)

Yellow symbols sign times of sunrise and sunset for 15. of each month in Offenbach.

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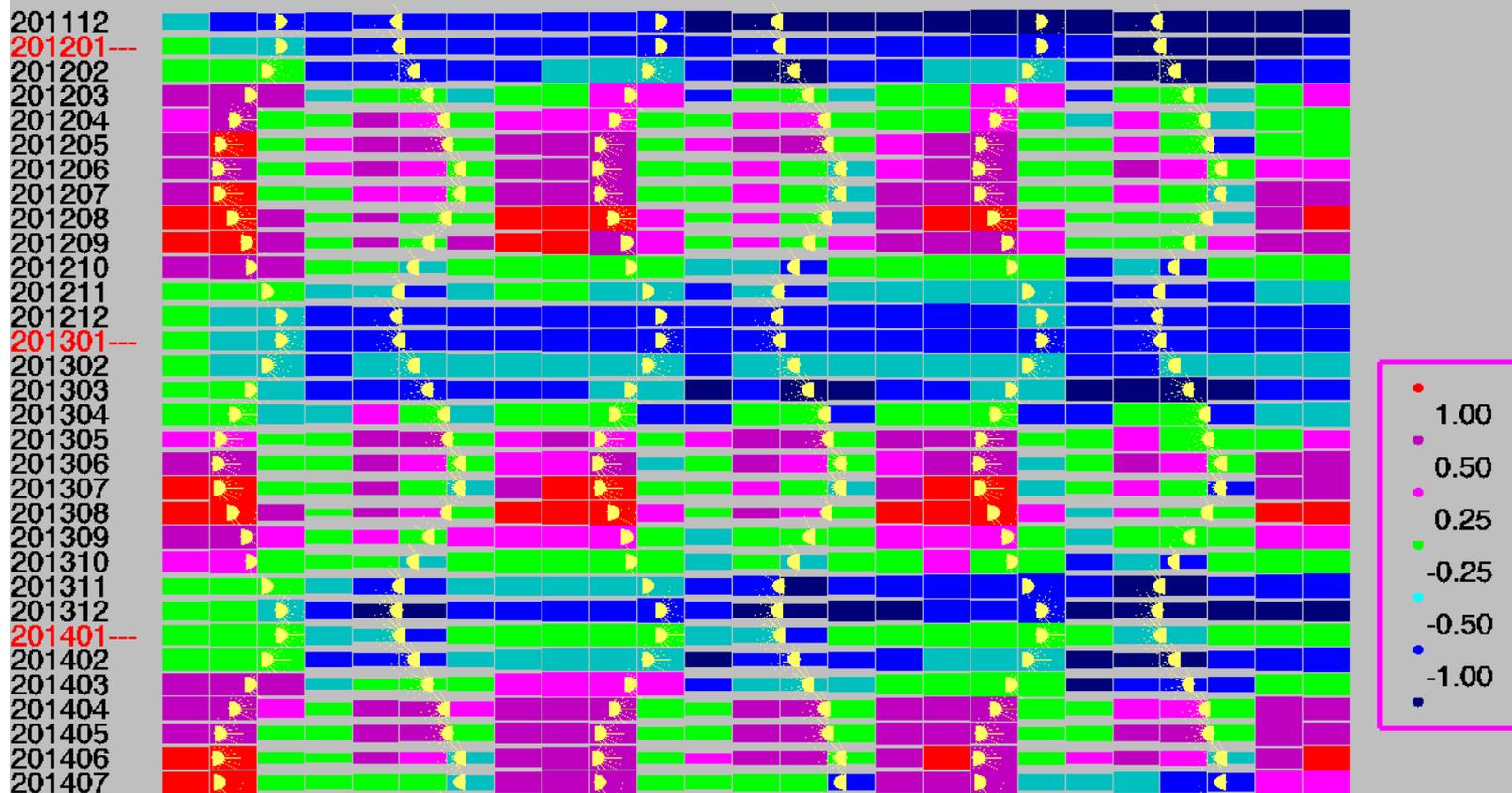


Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany for model CEU (00-UTC run) Temperature 2m [K]

(Heights of bars sign the geographical variance of the BIAS within the month.)

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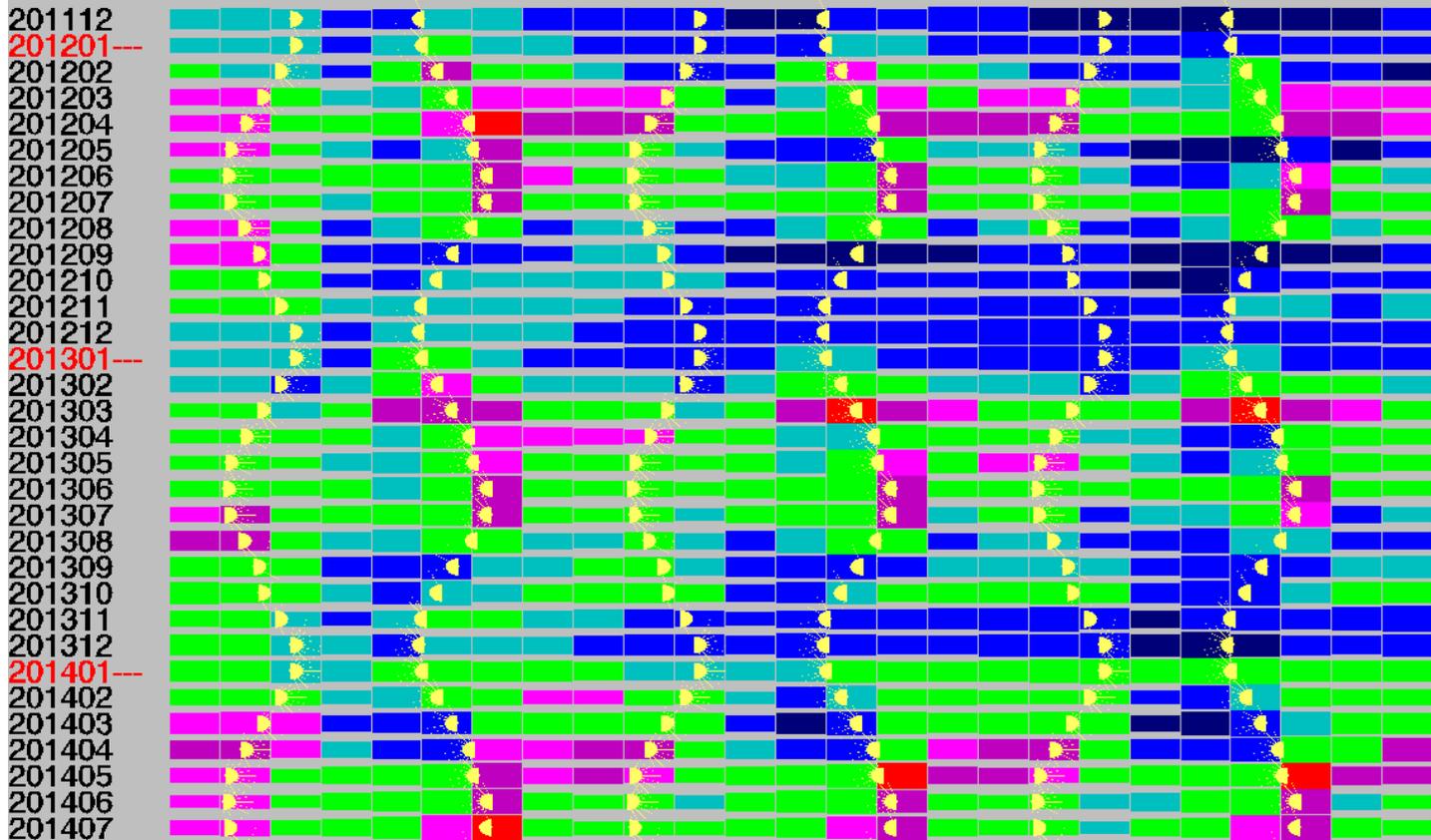


Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany
for model CEU (00-UTC run)
Dew point temperature 2m [K]

(Heights of bars sign the geographical variance of the BIAS within the month.)

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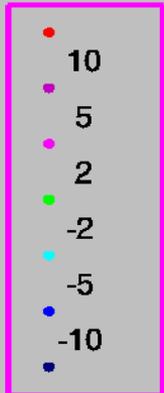
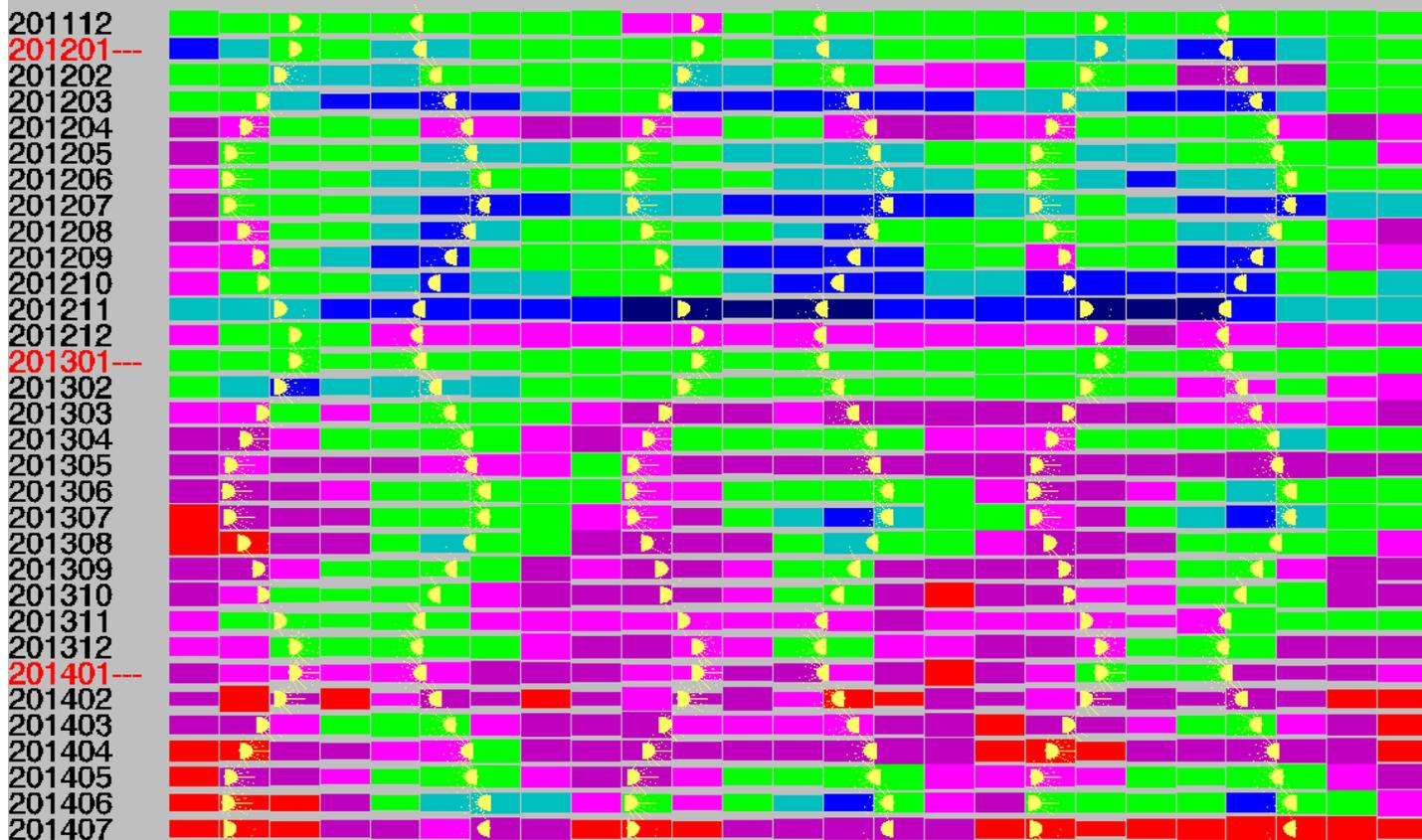


Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany for model CEU (00-UTC run) Total cloud cover [%]

(Heights of bars sign the geographical variance of the BIAS within the month.)

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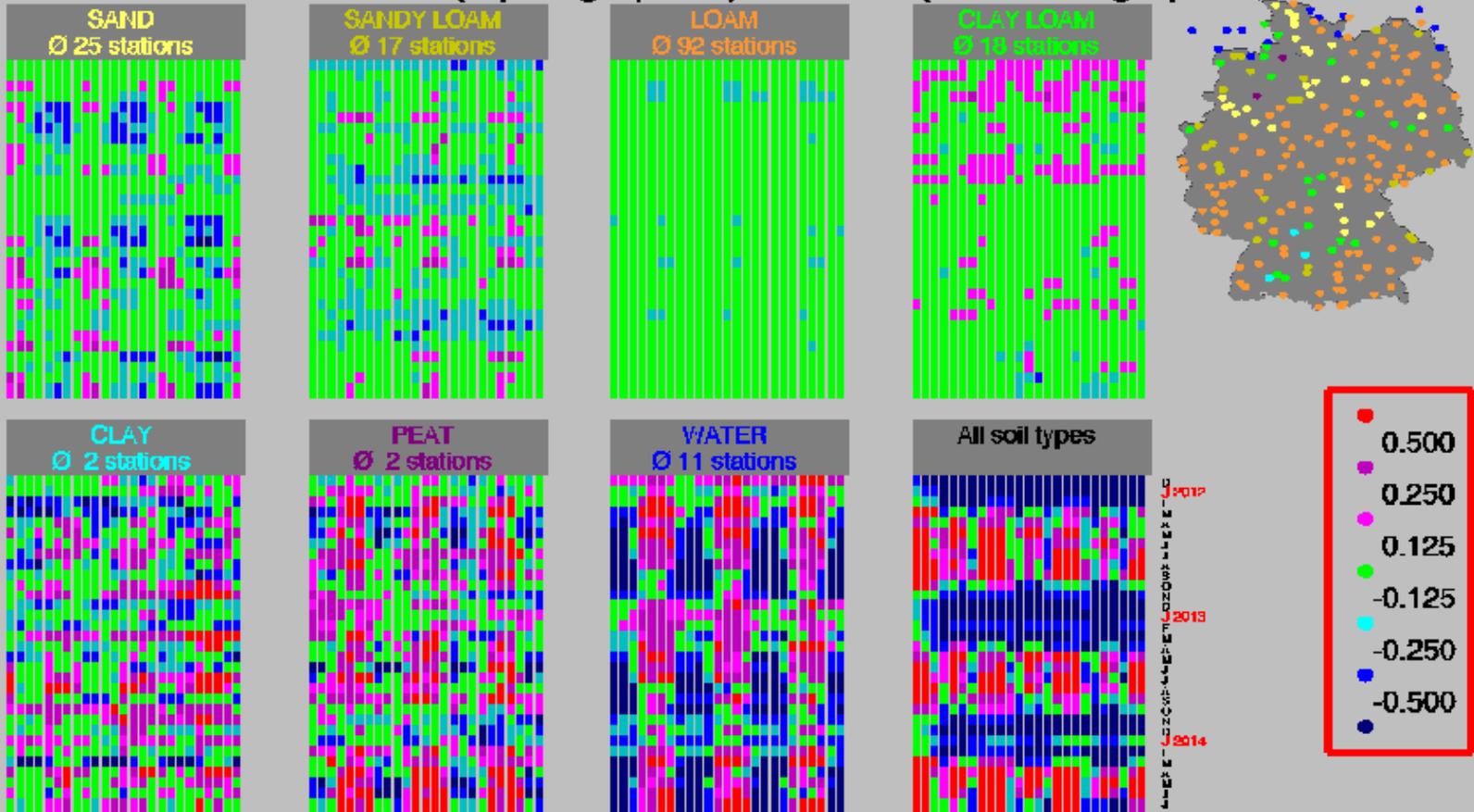
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- **Monthly CV for T2m, Tdew, mslp, TCC , wind speed, wind u-component and wind v-component depending on**
 - ❖ soil texture type
 - ❖ geographical position
 - ❖ elevation of the station
 - ❖ Analysis of variances
- **Monthly CV for T2m depending on**
 - ❖ observed cloud cover
 - ❖ forecasted cloud cover (see common plots)
- **Seasonal CV for T2m depending on**
 - ❖ observed wind speed below and above 2 ms^{-1} (see common plots)
 - ❖ observed and forecasted cloud cover
 - ❖ soil moisture (see common plots)
 - ❖ roughness length (see common plots)

Example for the effect of soil texture

Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany depending on soil type
 Model :CEU (00-UTC run) (horizontal: forecast time in steps of 3 hours till 72 hours)
 Temperature 2m [K]
 (differences between bias for all soil types and bias for single soil types)
 Period: 201112 (top of graphics) - 201407 (bottom of graphics)



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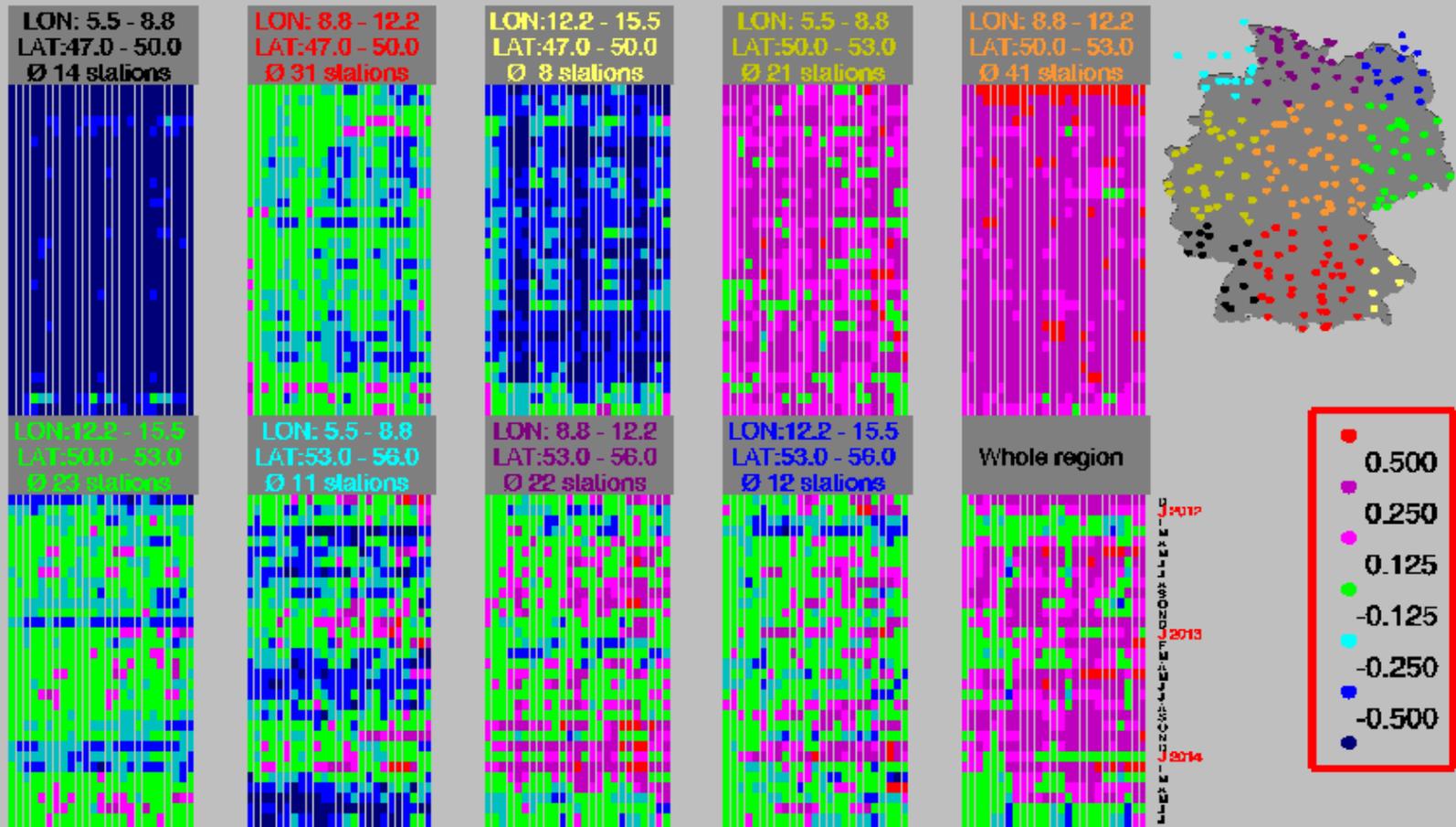
Example for the effect of geographical position

Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany depending on geographical position
Model :CEU (00-UTC run) (horizontal: forecast time in steps of 3 hours till 72 hours)

Wind speed [$m s^{-1}$]

(differences between bias for all geographical regions and bias for single geographical region)

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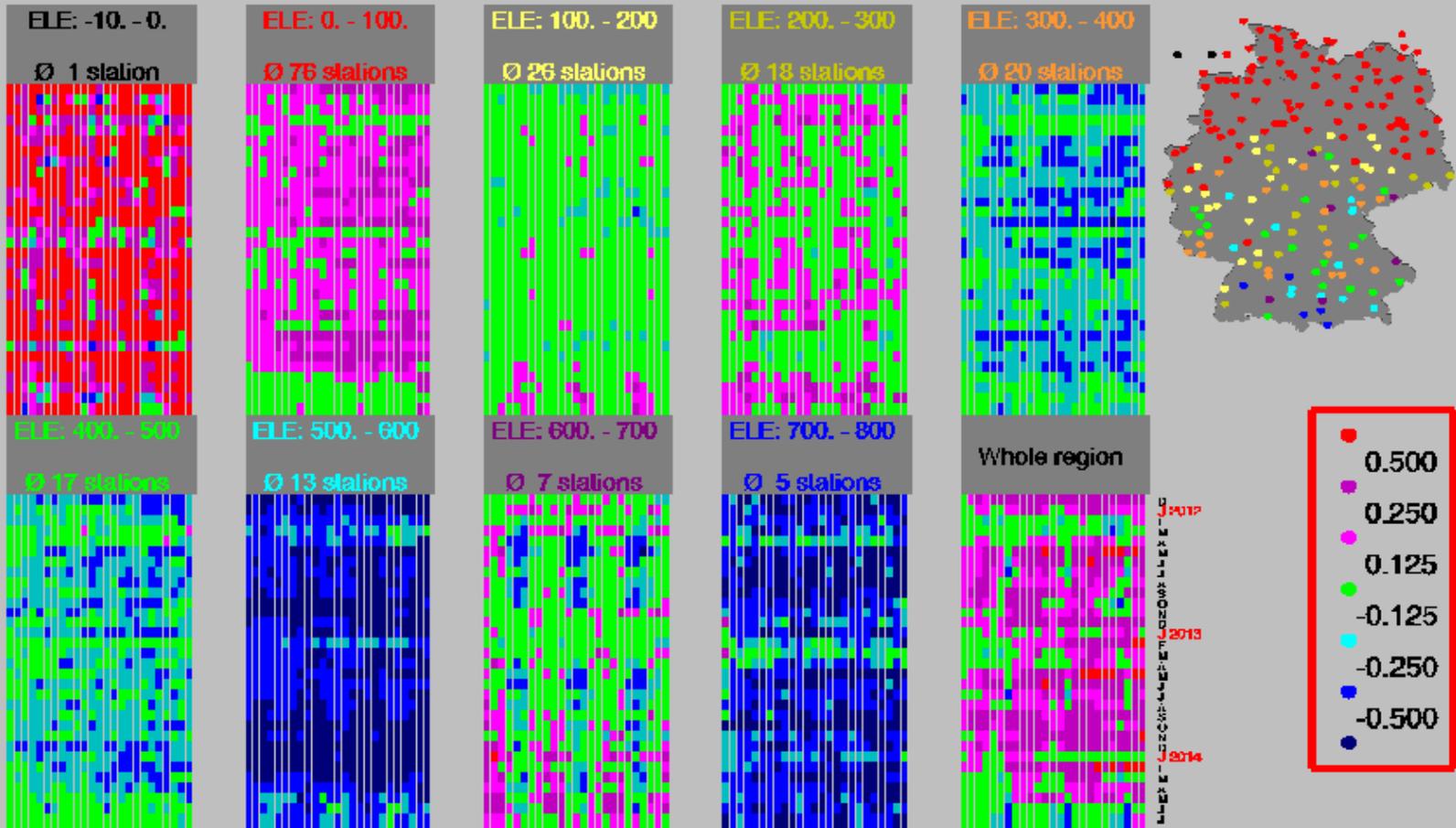
Example for the effect of elevation of stations

Mean BIAS values over the region of Germany depending on elevation of stations
Model :CEU (00-UTC run) (horizontal: forecast time in steps of 3 hours till 72 hours)

Wind speed [$m s^{-1}$]

(differences between bias for all geographical regions and bias for single geographical region)

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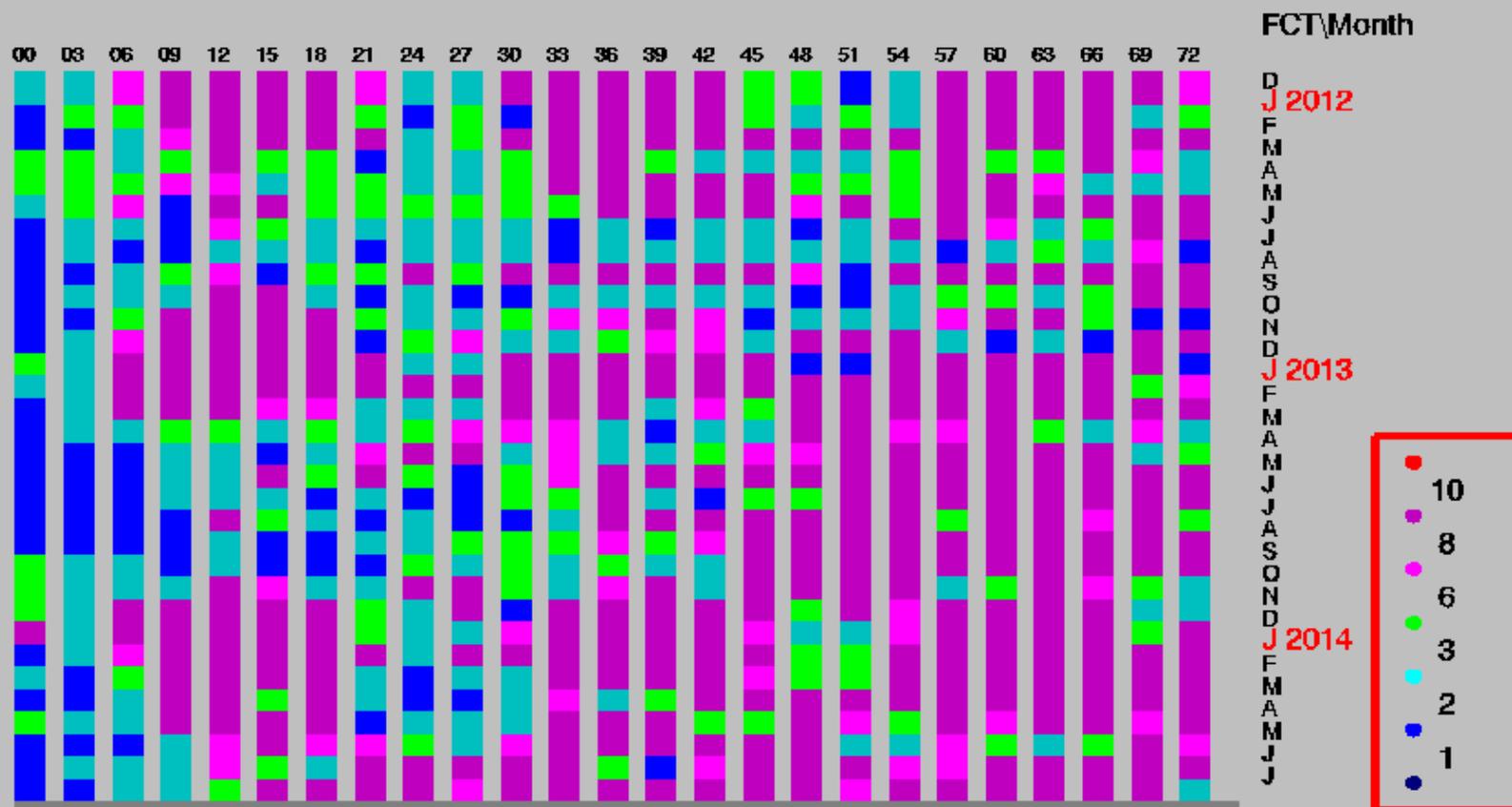
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F value for analysis of variance



Results of analysis of variance over the region of Germany depending on geographical position
 Model :CEU (00-UTC run) (horizontal: forecast time in steps of 3 hours till 72 hours)
 Mean surface level pressure [hPa]
 Period: 201112 (top of graphics) - 201407 (bottom of graphics)



F-value for analysis of variance

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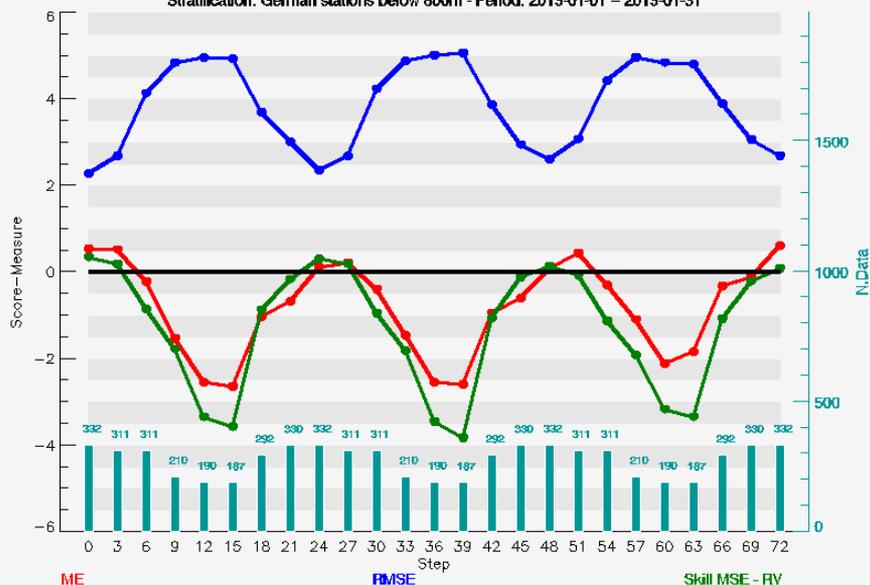


CV for T2m depending on observed TCC (January 2013)



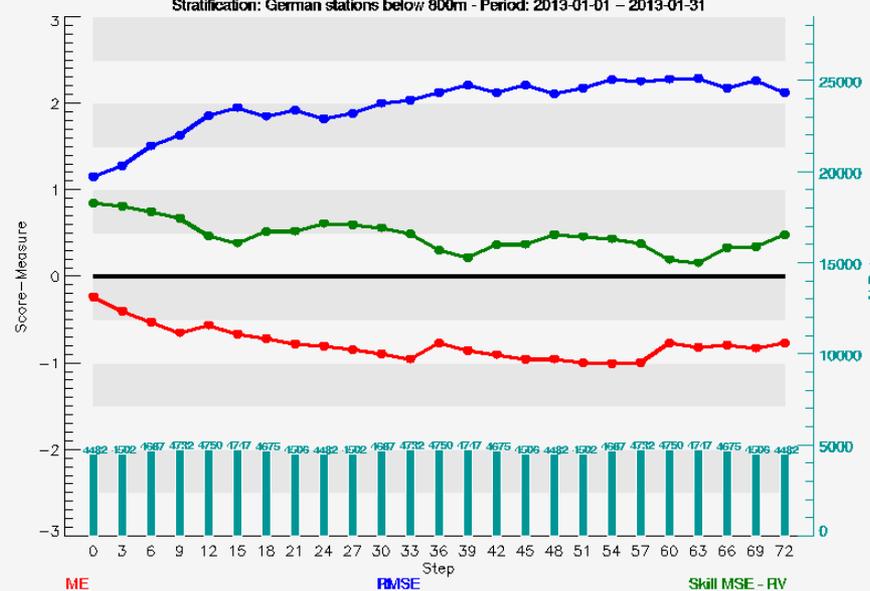
Conditional verification CEU Temperature 2m TCC < 25% - 00 Run

Stratification: German stations below 800m - Period: 2013-01-01 - 2013-01-31

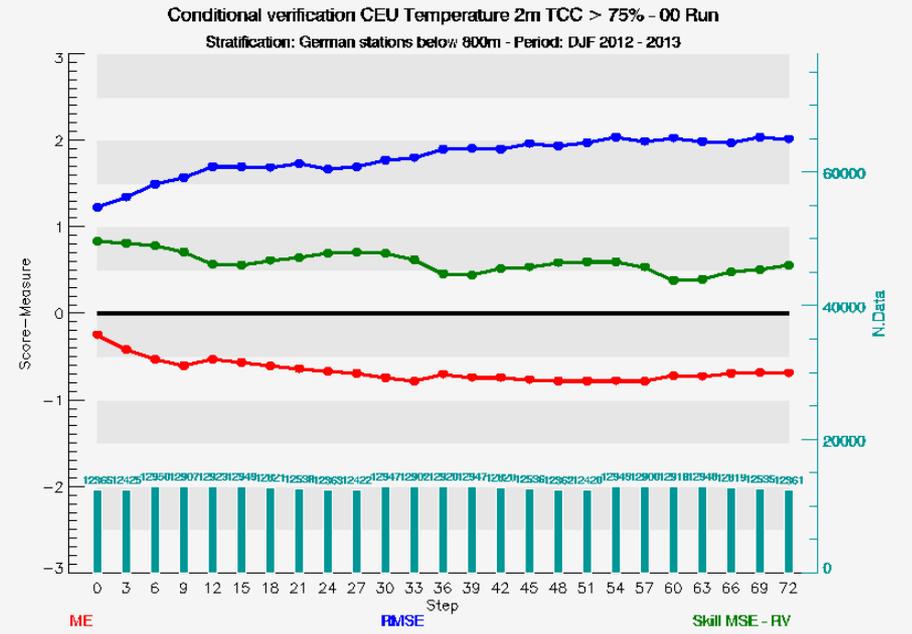
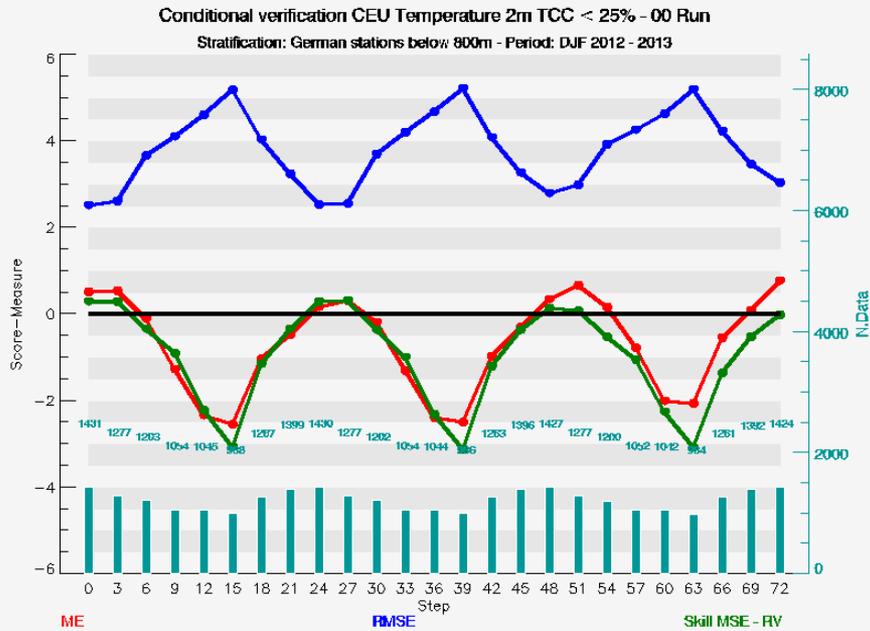


Conditional verification CEU Temperature 2m TCC > 75% - 00 Run

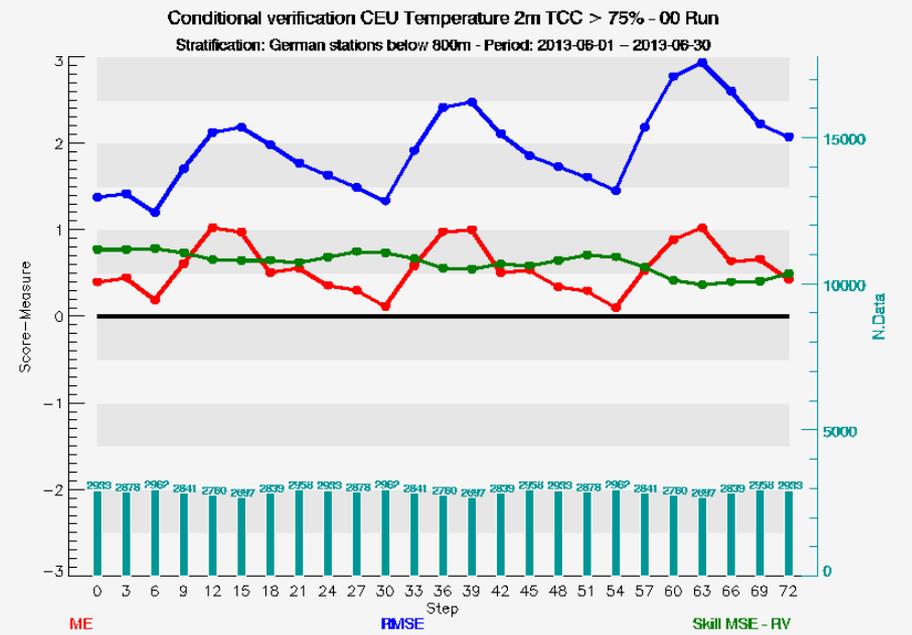
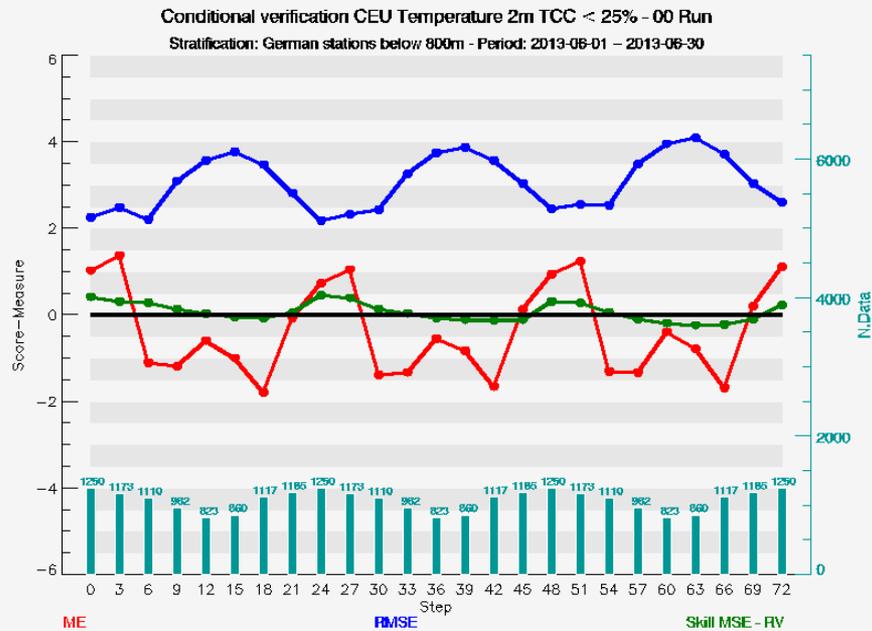
Stratification: German stations below 800m - Period: 2013-01-01 - 2013-01-31



CV for T2m depending on observed TCC (Winter 2012/2013)



CV for T2m depending on observed TCC (June 2013)

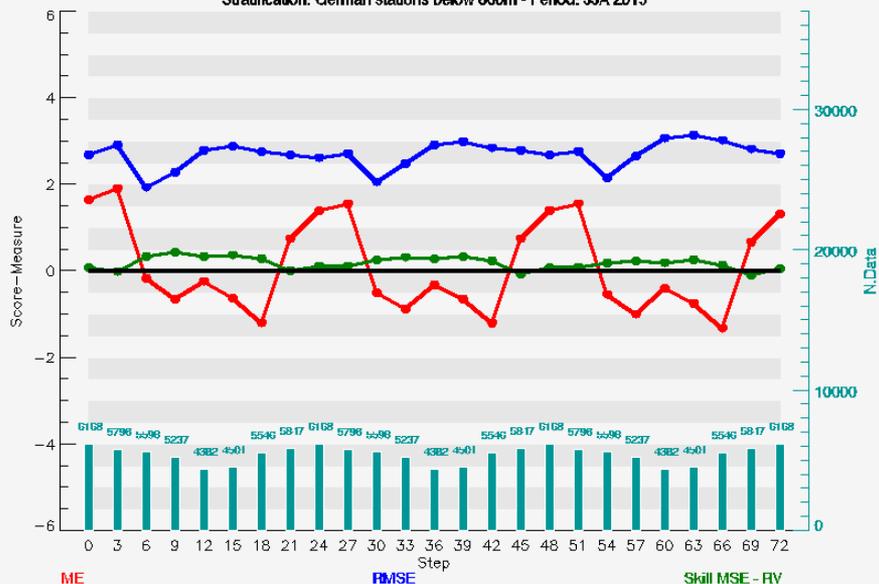


CV for T2m depending on observed TCC (Summer 2013)



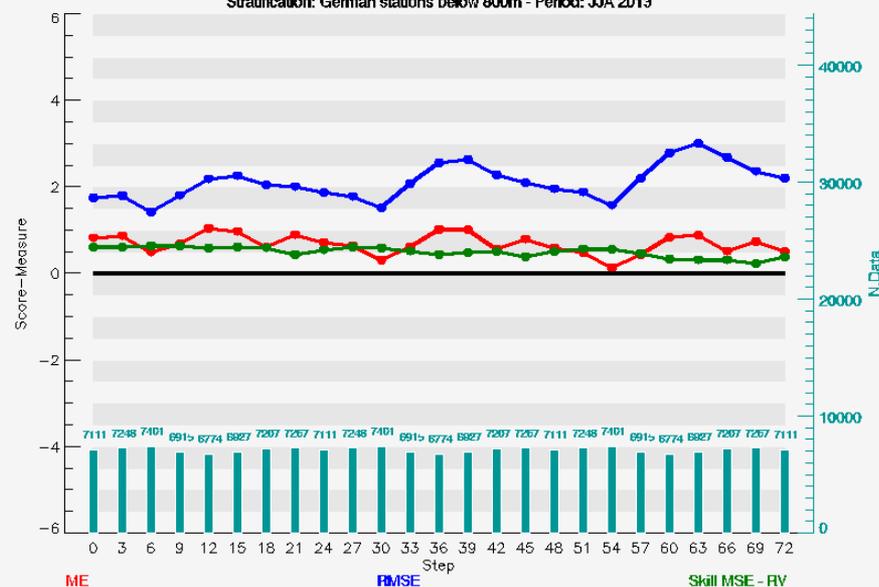
Conditional verification CEU Temperature 2m TCC < 25% - 00 Run

Stratification: German stations below 800m - Period: JJA 2013

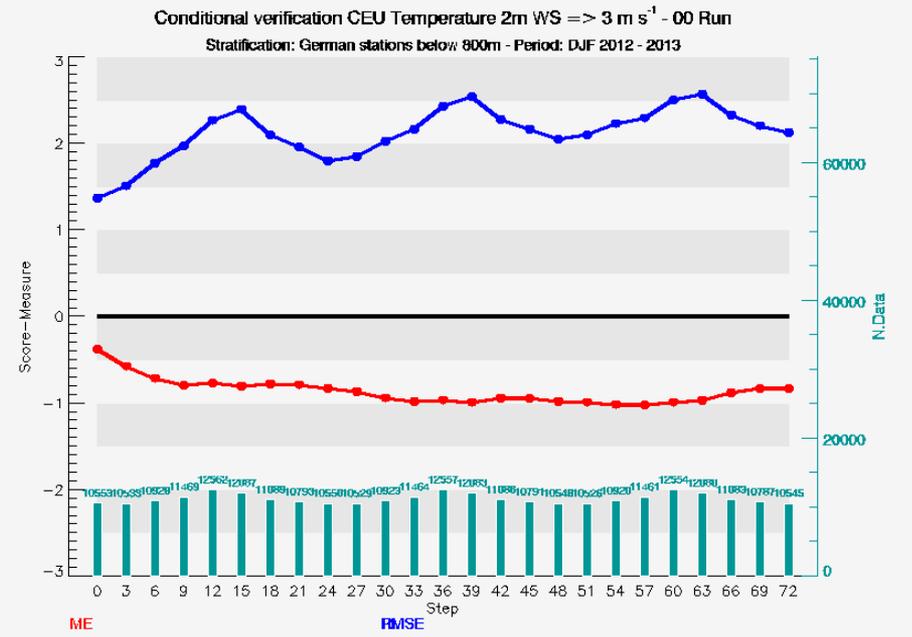
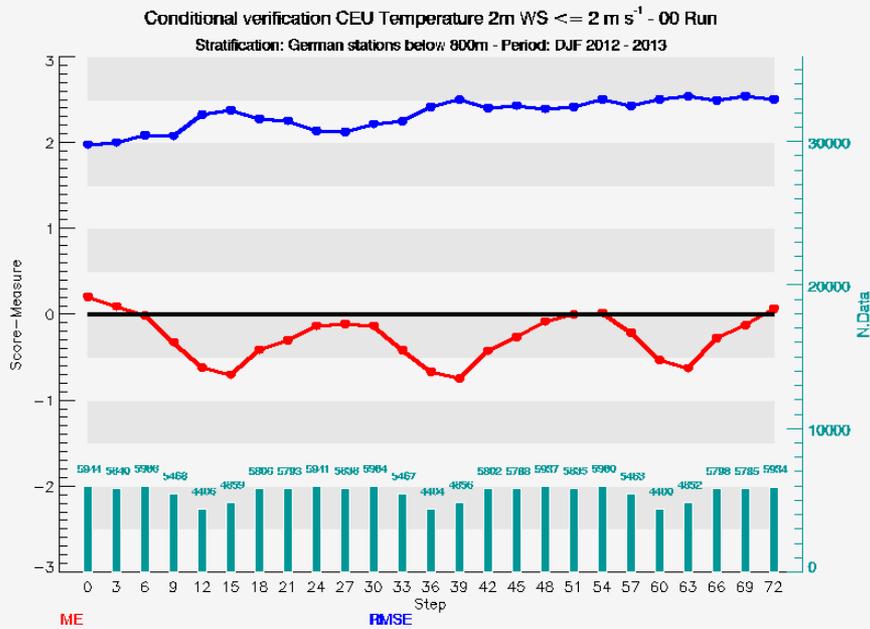


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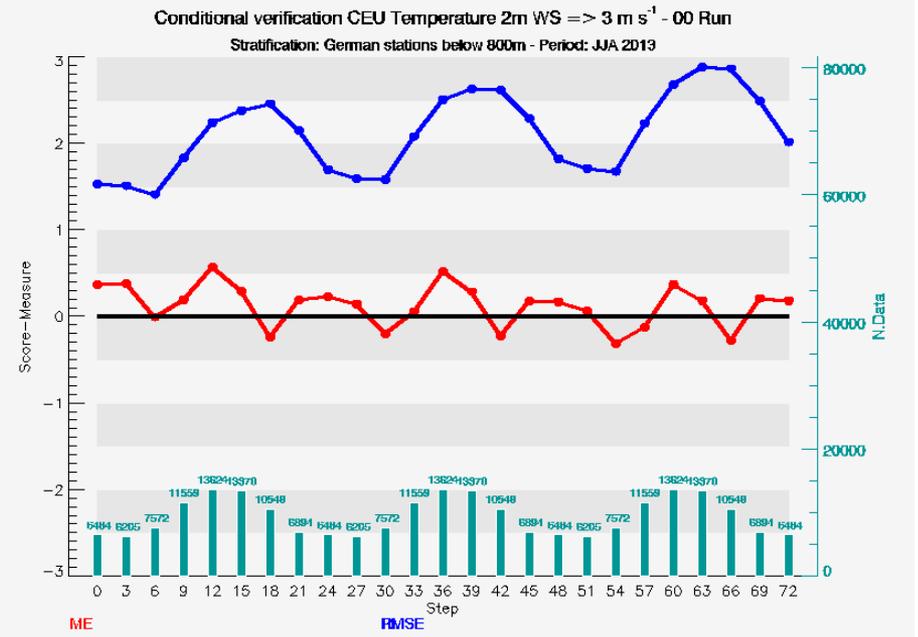
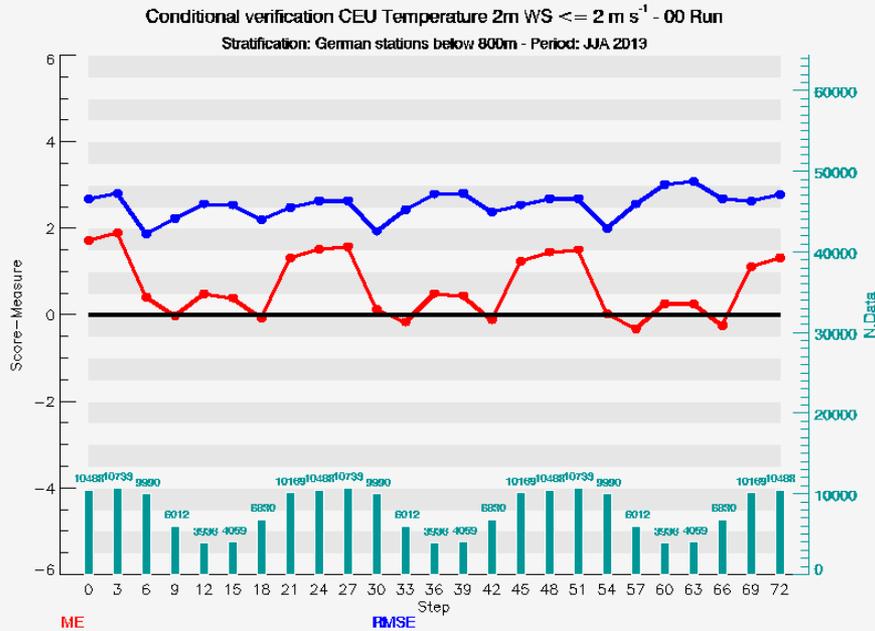
Stratification: German stations below 800m - Period: JJA 2013



CV for T2m depending on observed wind speed (Winter 2012/2013)

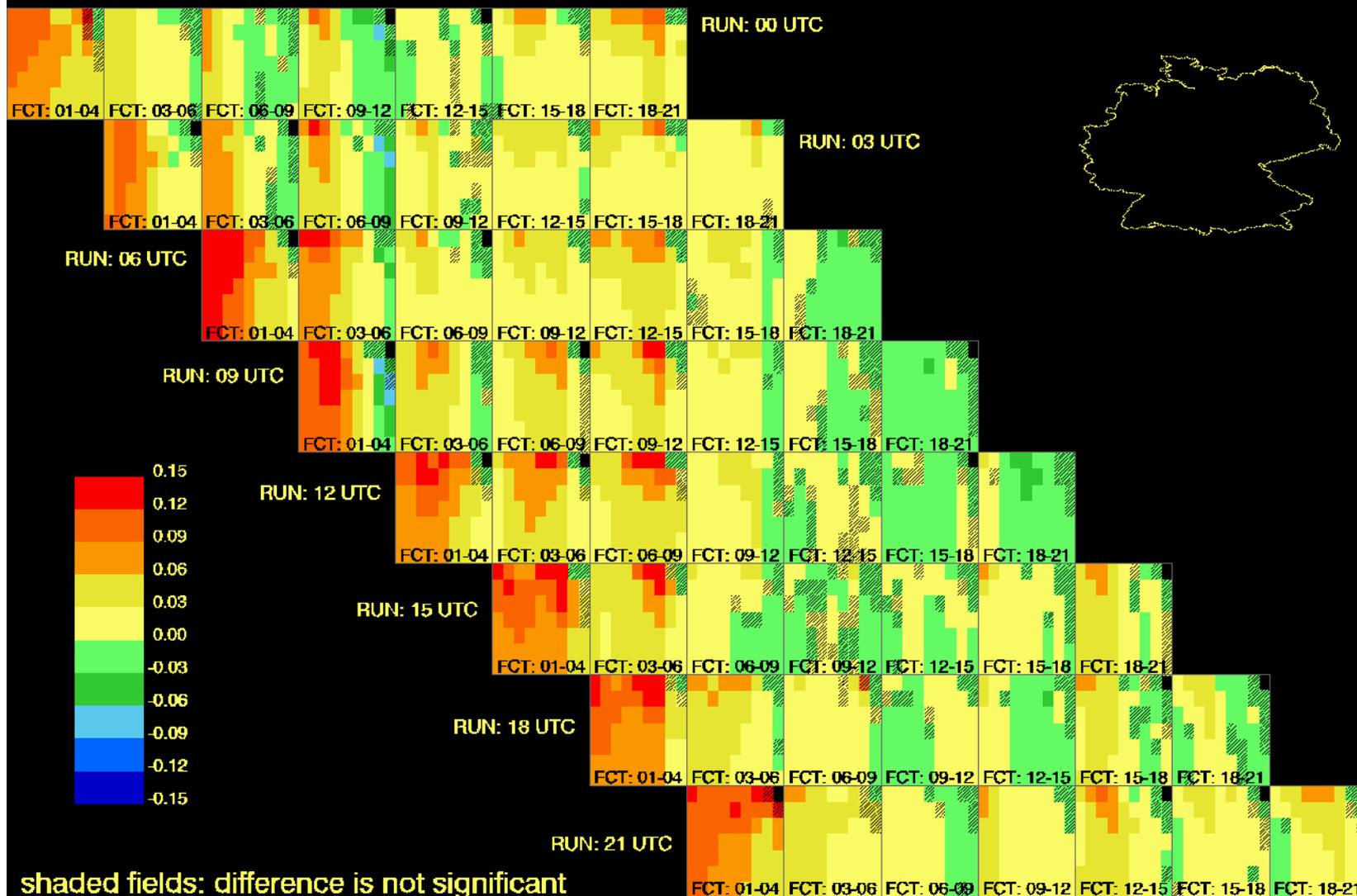


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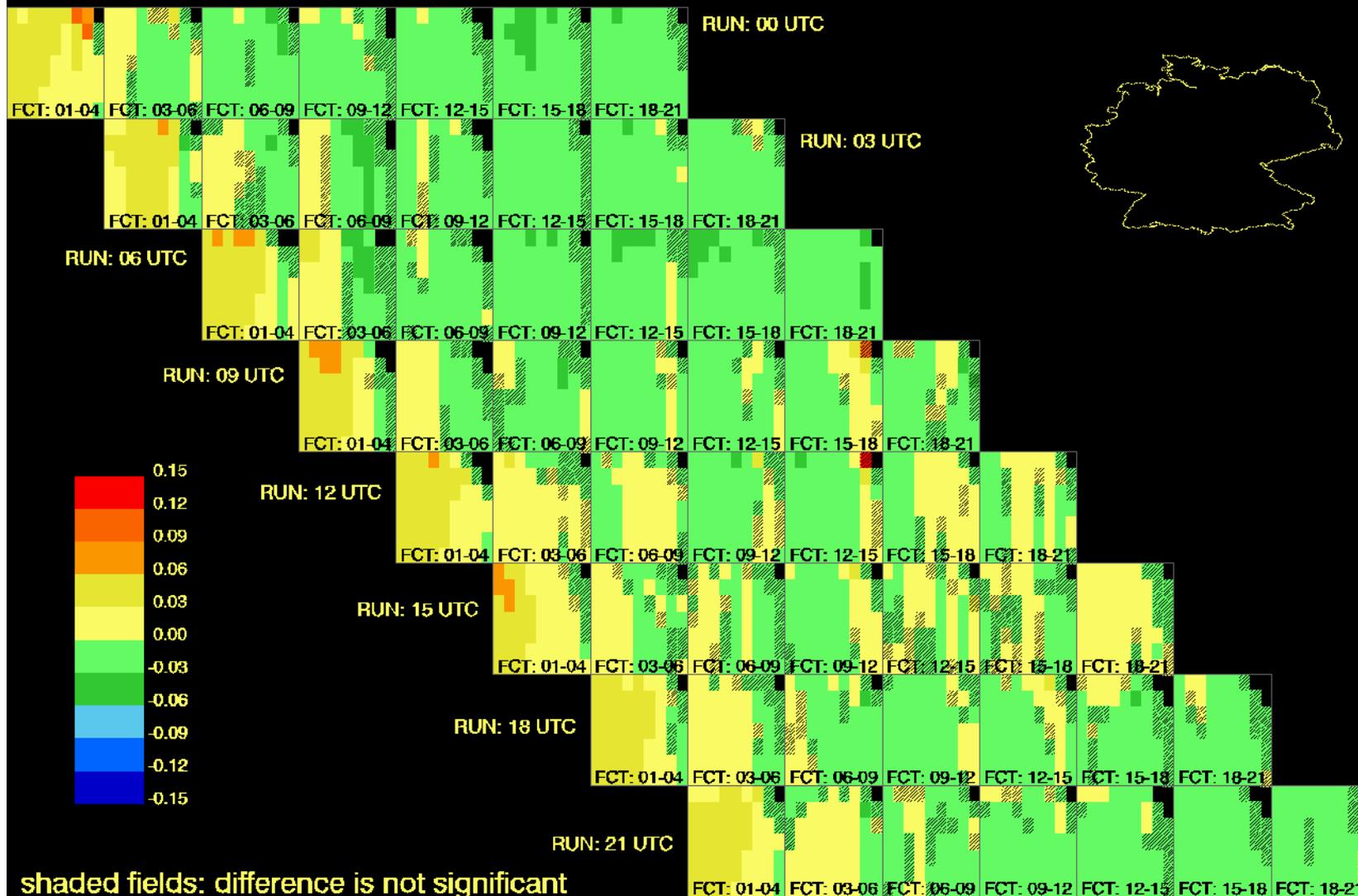
Fuzzy verification: CDE against CEU (Summer 2013)

Differences between CDE and CEU for score ETS Upscaling, Period: 01.06.2013 - 31.08.2013



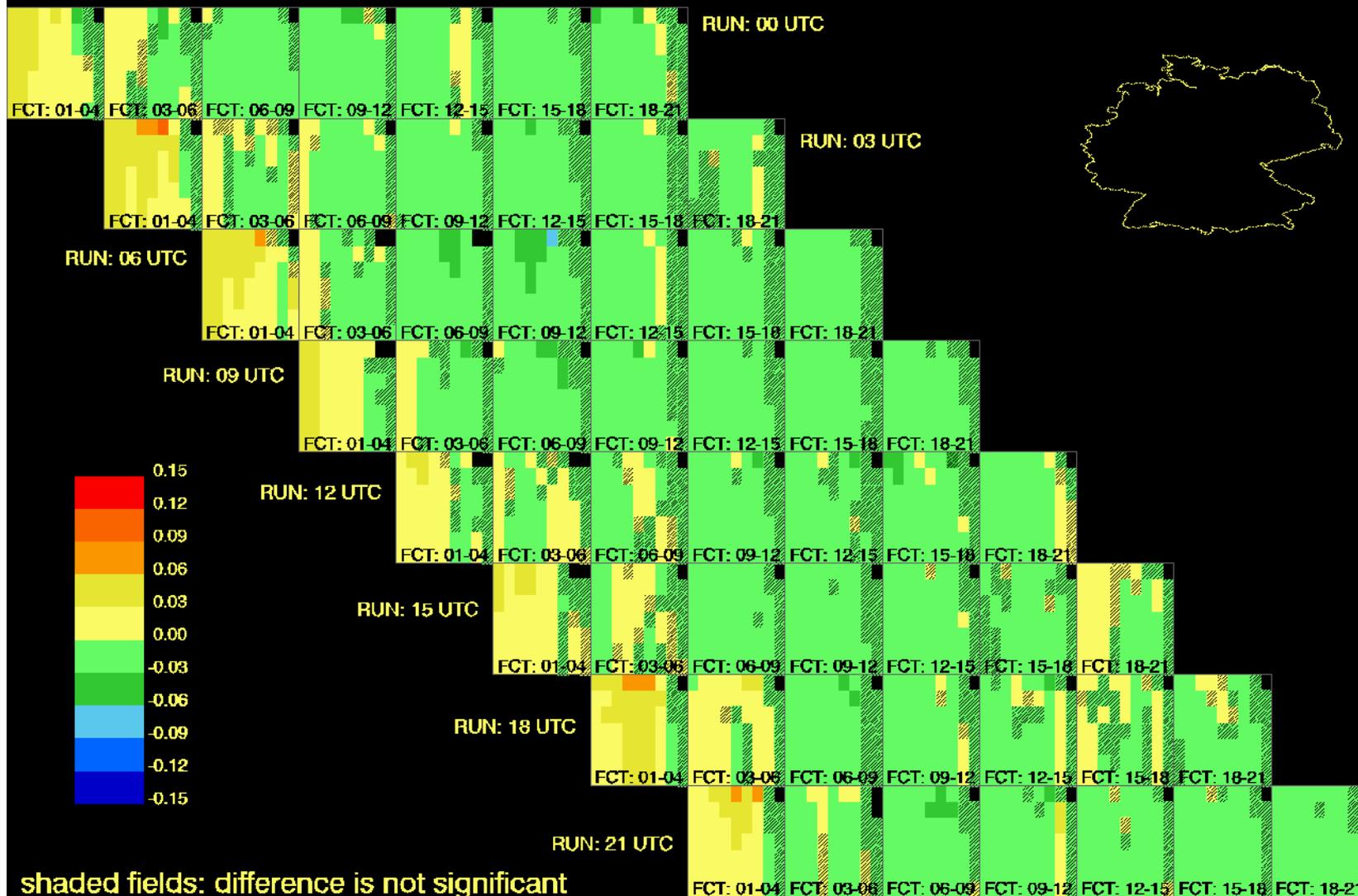
Fuzzy verification: CDE against CEU (Autumn 2013)

Differences between CDE and CEU for score ETS Upscaling, Period: 01.09.2013 - 30.11.2013



Fuzzy verification: CDE against CEU (Winter 2013/2014)

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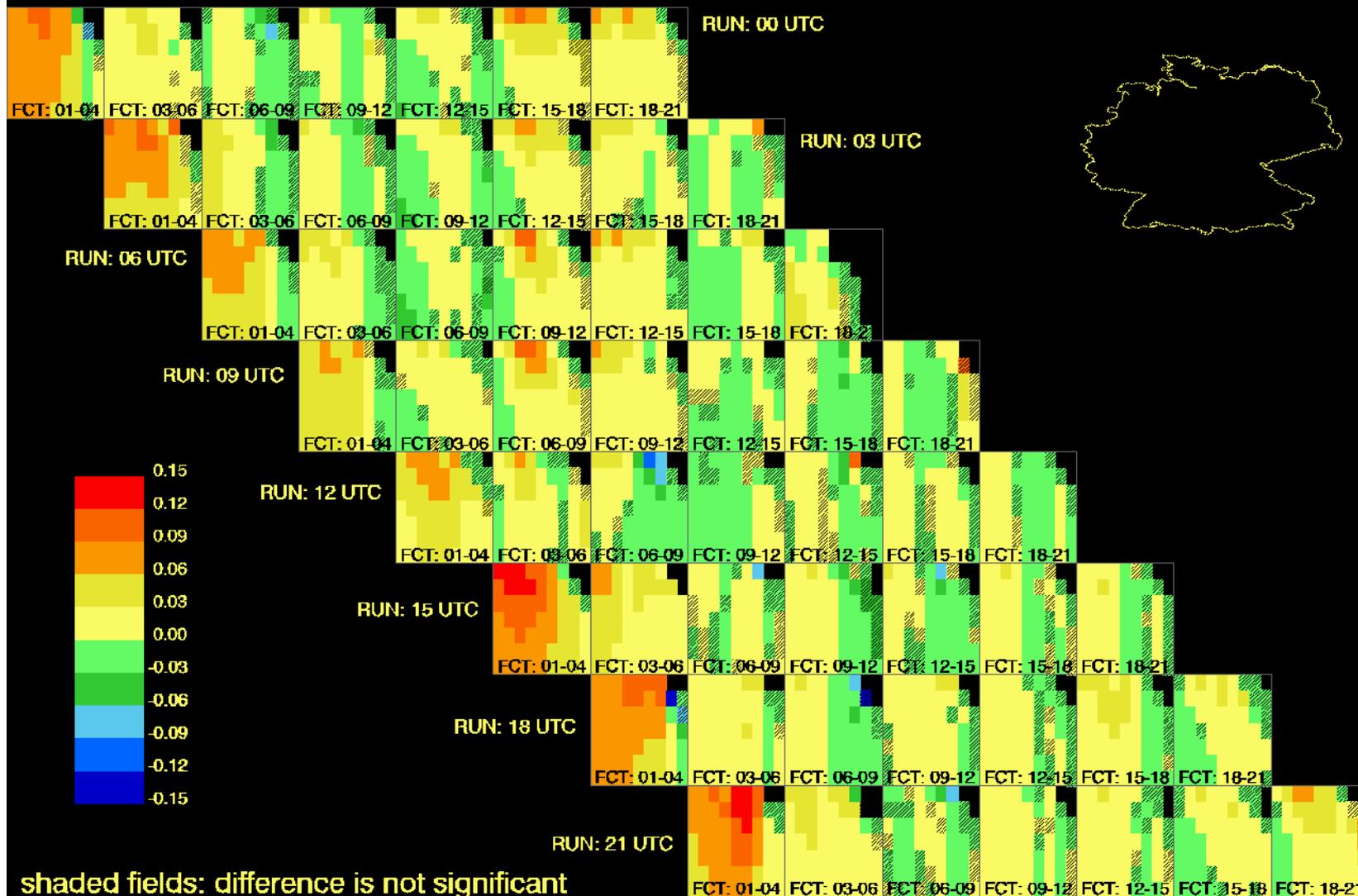


shaded fields: difference is not significant

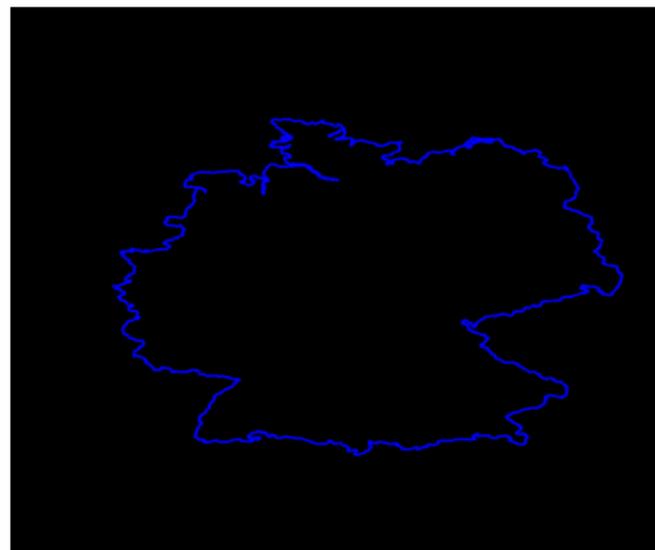
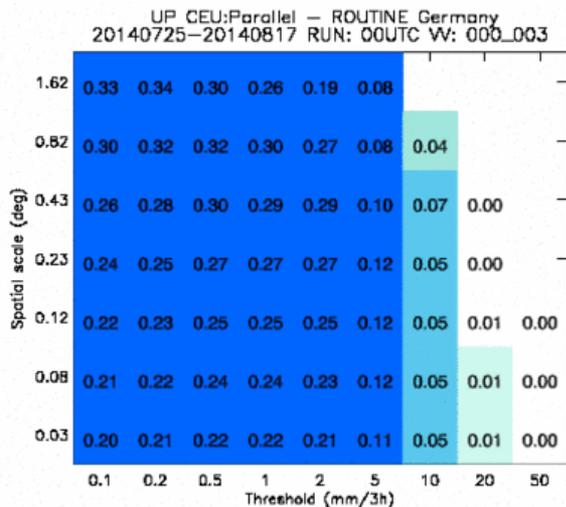
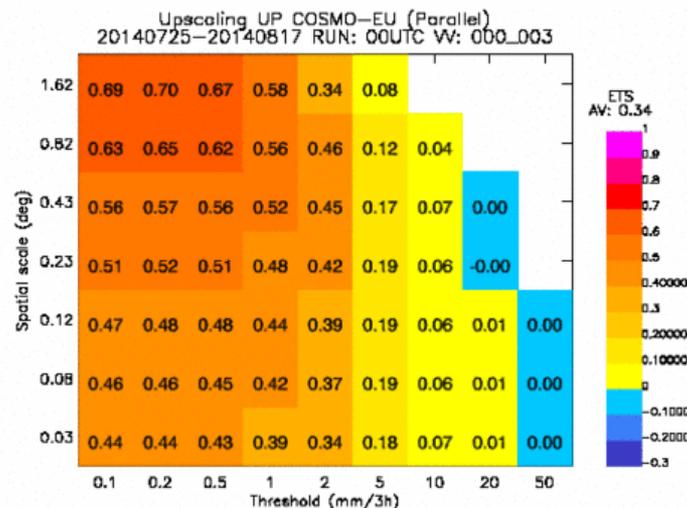
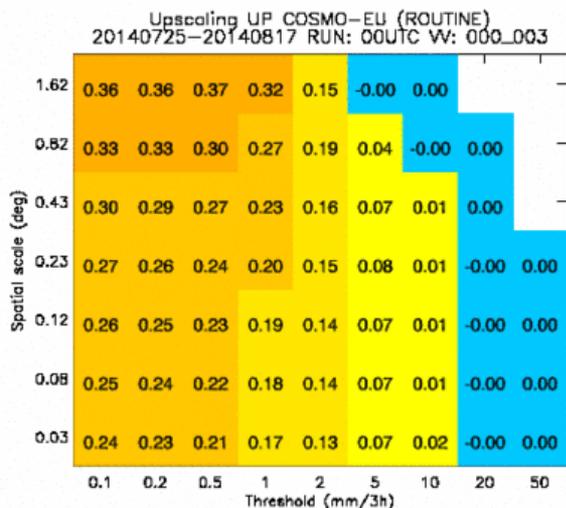


Fuzzy verification: CDE against CEU (Spring 2014)

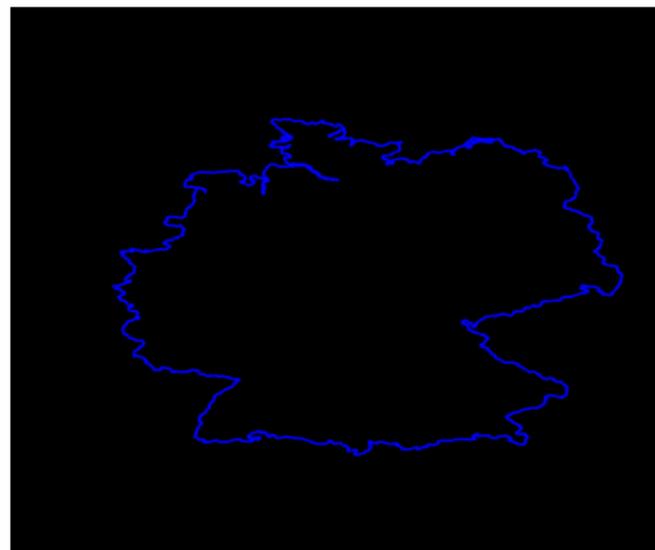
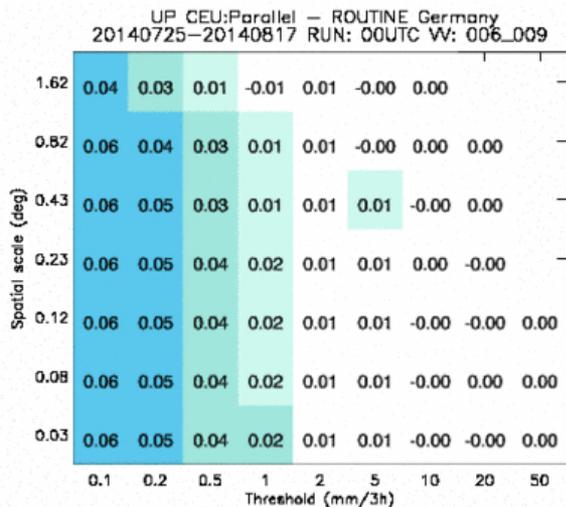
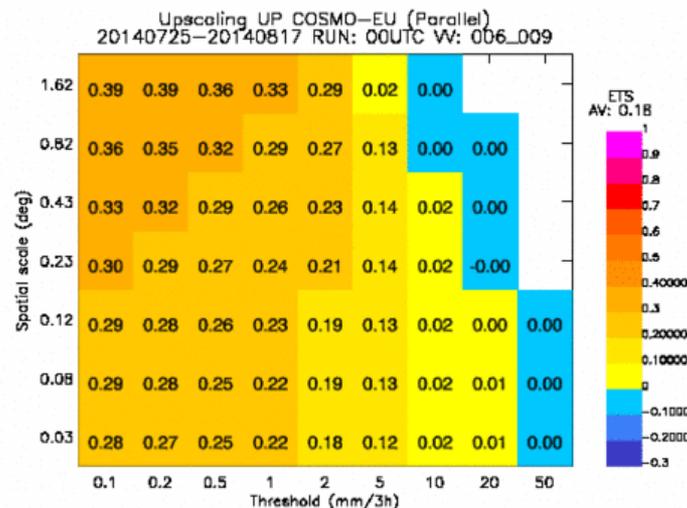
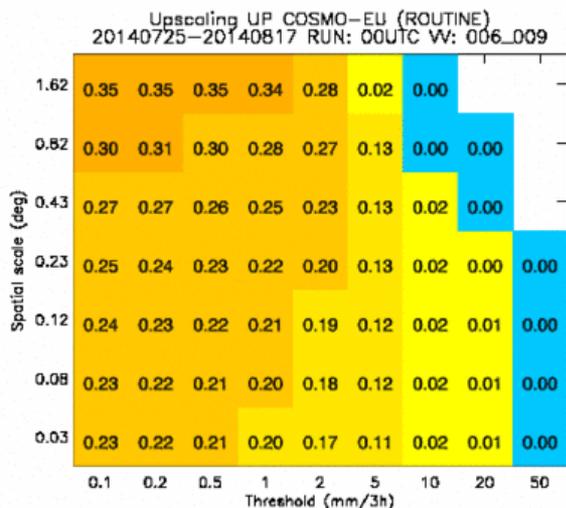
Differences between CDE and CEU for score ETS Upscaling, Period: 01.03.2014 - 31.05.2014



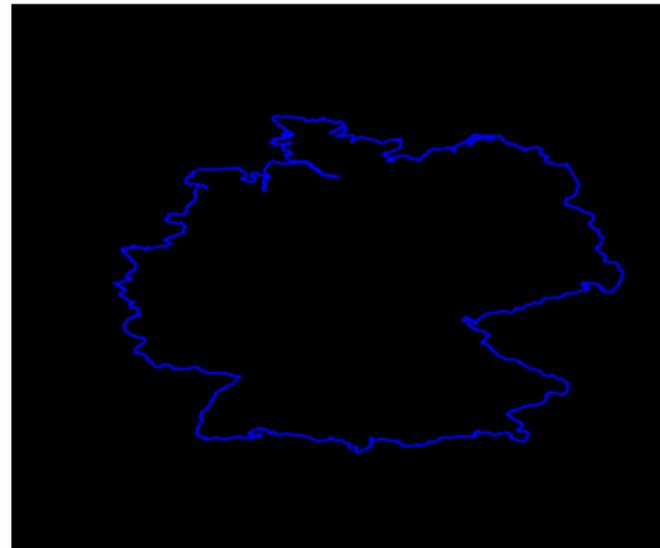
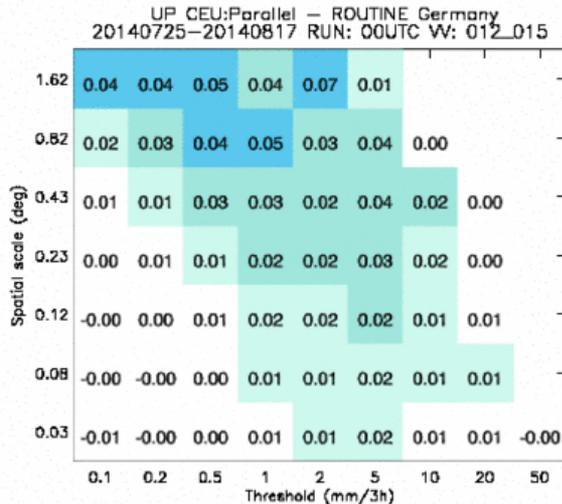
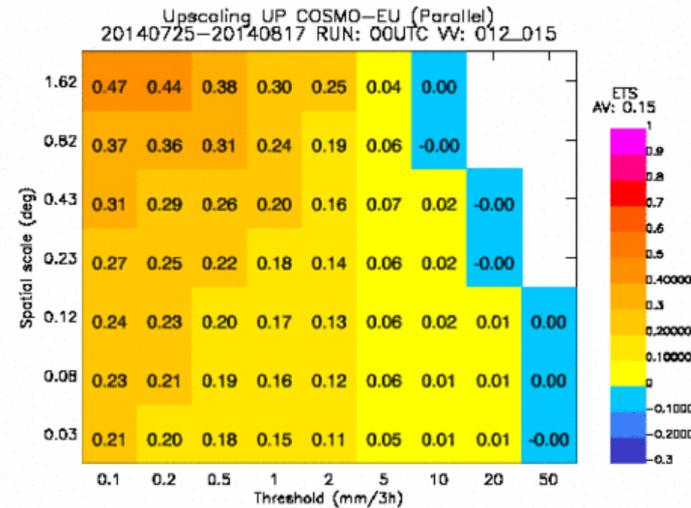
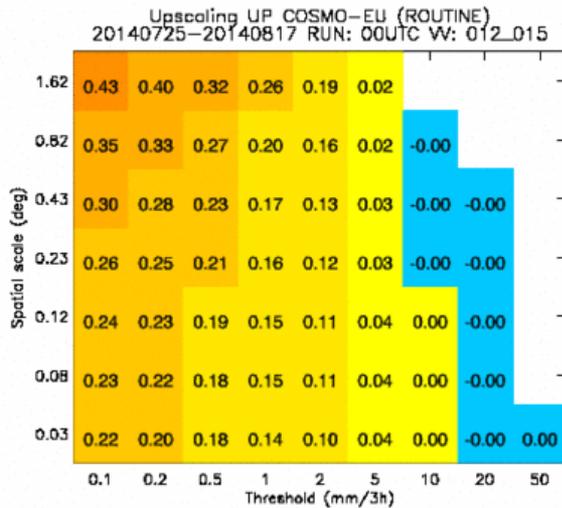
Fuzzy verification: CEU(with OPERA data) against CEU (operational) (vv=00-03)



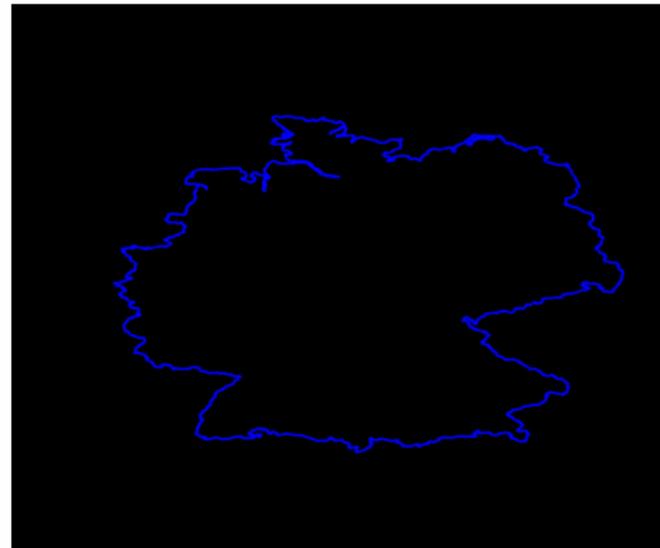
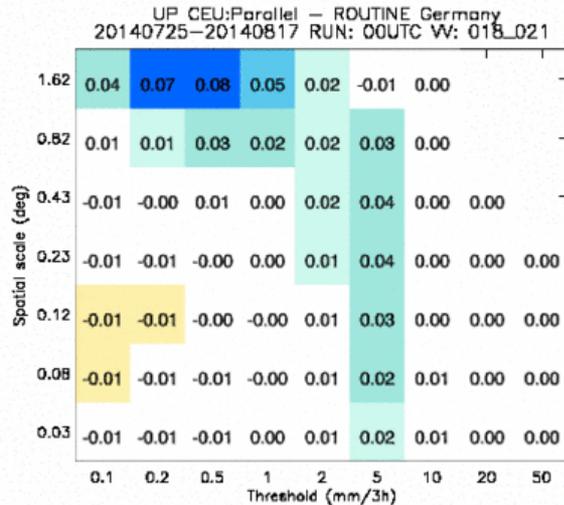
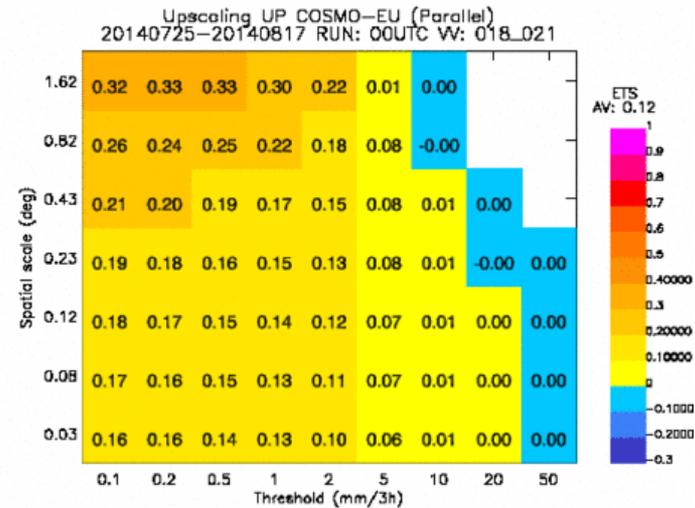
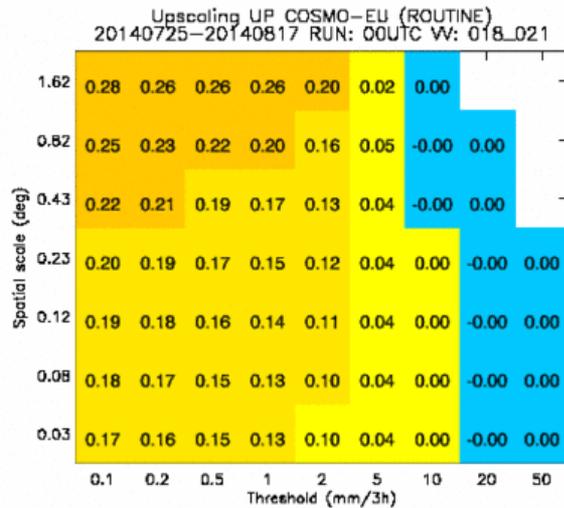
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Fuzzy verification: CEU(with OPERA data) against CEU (operational) (vv=12-15)

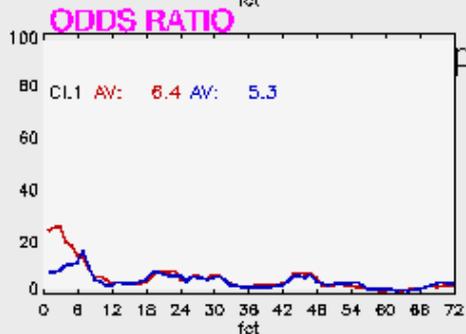
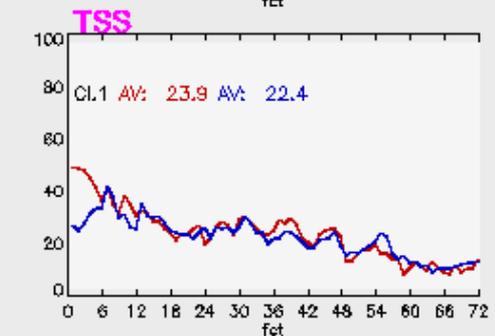
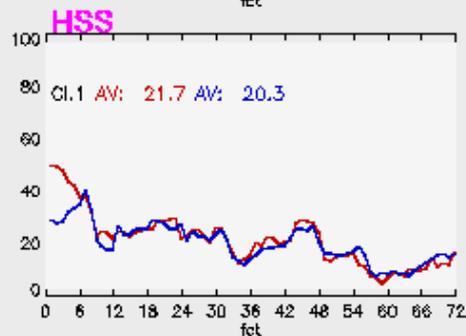
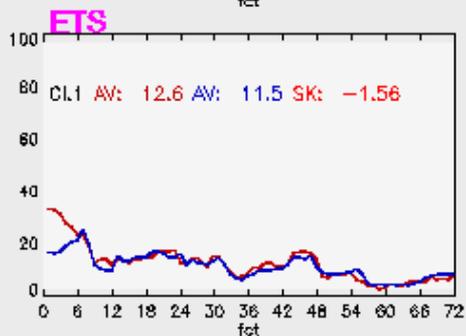
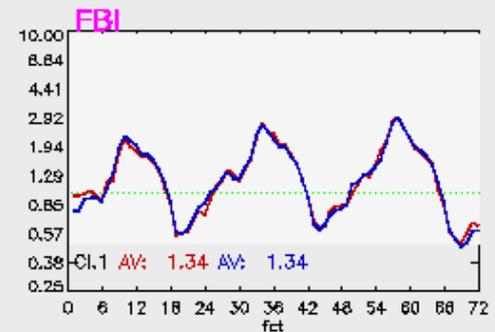
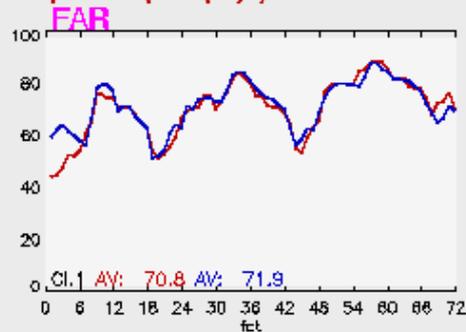
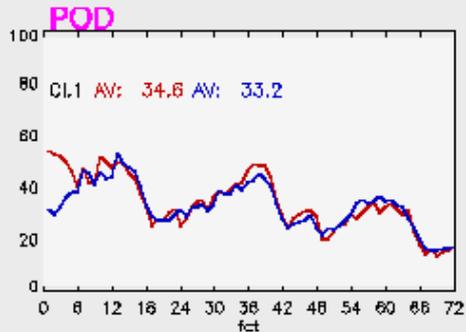


Fuzzy verification: CEU(with OPERA data) against CEU (operational) (vv=18-21)



Standardverification: CEU(with OPERA data) against CEU (operational) (vv=0-72, region: Germany)

Results of verification of forecasts for local weather elements at surface stations
Element: **Precipitation (mm (1h)⁻¹)** All stations



precipitation above 0.1 mm (1h)⁻¹

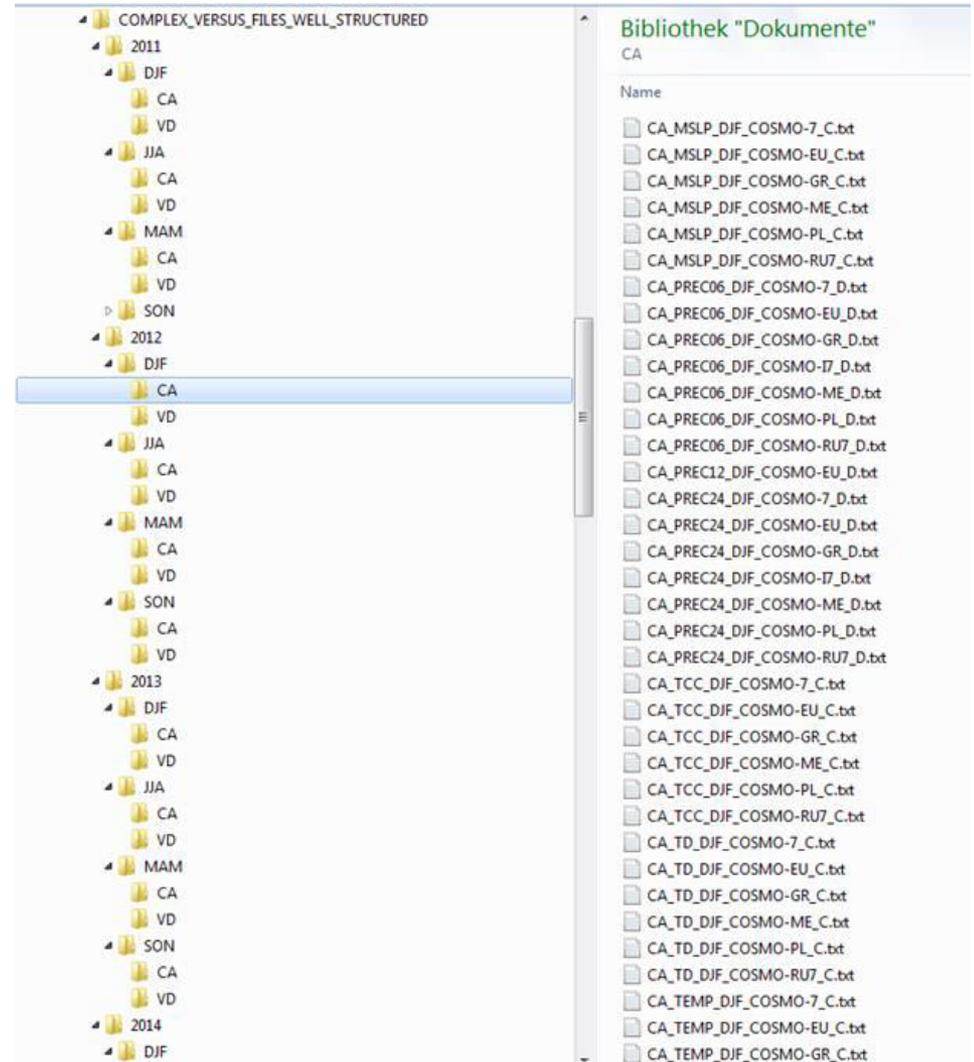
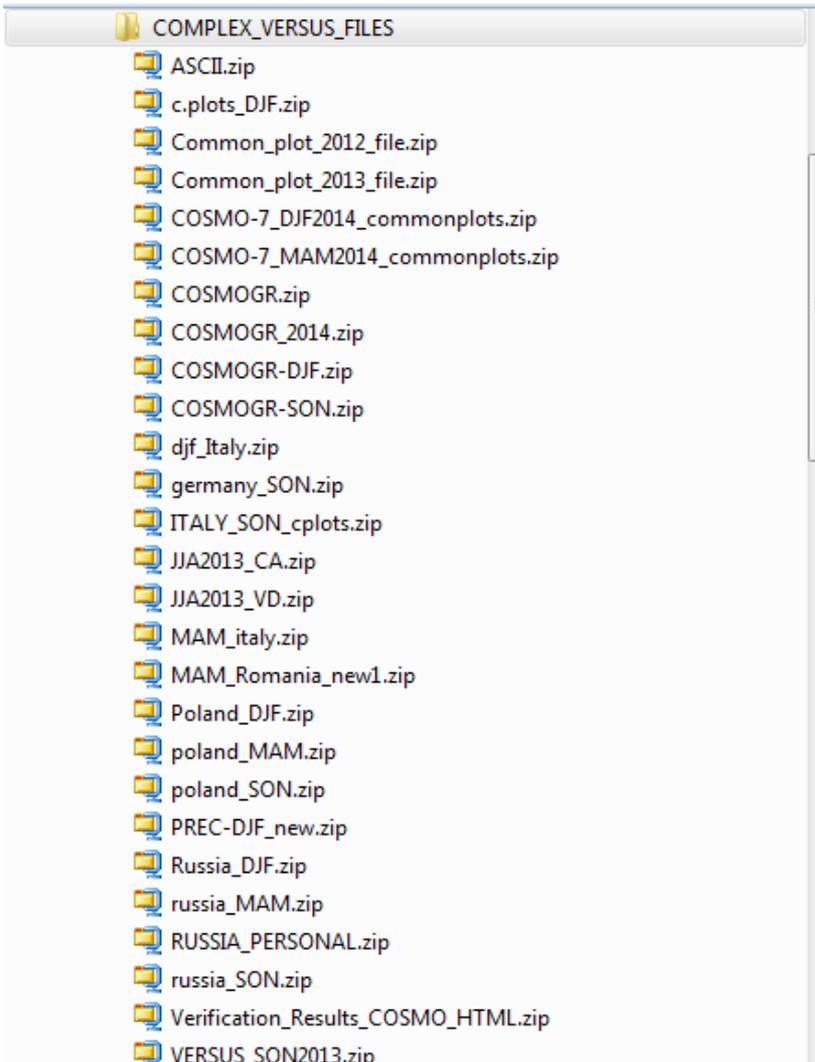
LM2MO: 25.07.2014 00 UTC – 20.08.2014 00 UTC (exp. run LME_p; LHN with OPERA-data)

lm2mo: 25.07.2014 00 UTC – 20.08.2014 00 UTC (ope. run LON: 5.5 – 15.5 LAT: 47. – 56.: nearest gridpoint)

Plottime: 23.08.2014 08:35:18 MESZ ● led02



From zip.file to .txt-folder

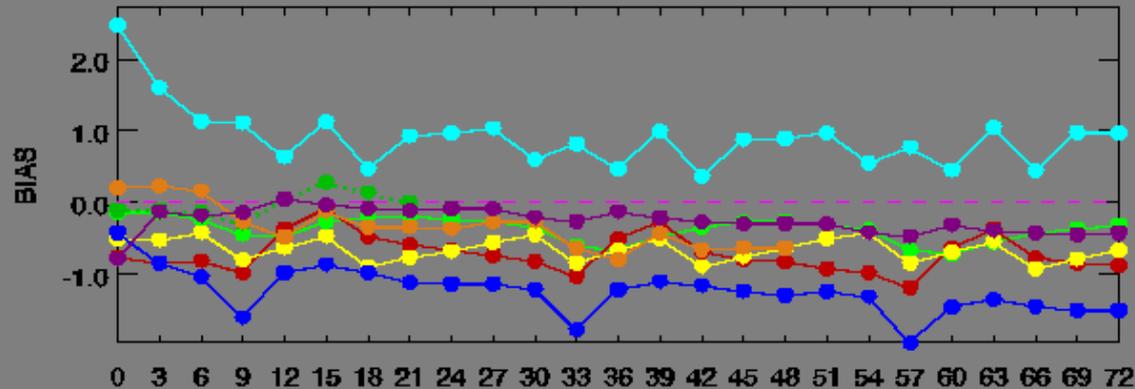


From txt-file to txt-file

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get_real_file_name_of_COMPLEX_VERSUS_FILES (C:\Users\udamrath\Documents\Daten\COMPLEX_VERSUS_FILES_WELL_STRUCTURED) - GVIM
Datei Editieren Werkzeuge Syntax Puffer Ansicht Hilfe
[Icons] ? ?
if [ -f $file ];then
  line=$(head -3 $file|tail -1)
  firs_value=$(echo $line|awk '{print $(NF-2)}')
  last_value=$(echo $line|awk '{print $NF}')
  star_year=$(echo $firs_value|tr '-' ' '|awk '{print $1}')
  star_mont=$(echo $firs_value|tr '-' ' '|awk '{print $2}')
  last_year=$(echo $last_value|tr '-' ' '|awk '{print $1}')
  last_mont=$(echo $last_value|tr '-' ' '|awk '{print $2}')
  period=unk
  typ=UD
  if [ $(left $(basename $file) 3) = 'CA_' ];then
    typ=CA # Define the common domain as directory
  fi
  if [ $star_mont -eq 03 -a $last_mont -eq 05 ];then
    period=MAM # Define MAM with start month 03 and end month 05
  fi
  if [ $star_mont -eq 06 -a $last_mont -eq 08 ];then
    period=JJA # Define JJA ...
  fi
  if [ $star_mont -eq 09 -a $last_mont -eq 11 ];then
    period=SON # Define SON ...
  fi
  if [ $star_mont -eq 12 -a $last_mont -eq 02 ];then
    period=DJF # Define DJF ...
  fi
  file_name=/uwork1/for3dam/COMPLEX_VERSUS_FILES_WELL_STRUCTURED/${star_year}/${period}/${typ}/${basename $file}
  nat_list="EU DE 7 ME 17 GR PL RU7 RO"
  for nat in $nat_list;do
    file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:COSSH0${nat}:COSSH0-${nat}:g) # Define model as COSMO-model
    file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:COSSH0_${nat}:COSSH0-${nat}:g)
  done
  file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:'.txt.txt':'.txt':g) # omit strange extensions
  file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:'PREC.':'PREC':g) # set PREC_ as PREC
  file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:'_ALL':':':g) # set _ALL as nothing to coincide with old names
  file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:'_new':':':g) # omit strange strings
  if [ $(index $file_name 'PREC') -gt 0 ];then
    file_name=$(echo $file_name|sed s:'C.txt':'D.txt':g) # get real extension for precipitation
  fi
  echo L3: $line
  echo ST: $star_year $star_mont
  echo FI: $last_year $last_mont
  echo FU: $firs_value
  echo LV: $last_value
  echo PE: $period
  echo TV: $typ
  echo 0 : $file
  echo N : $file_name
  echo $file_name $star_year $period > $TMPDIR/real_file
else
  echo NIX
  rc=1
fi
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Perhaps suspect data (in this case probably COSMO-RO)



C-EU

C-DE

C-7

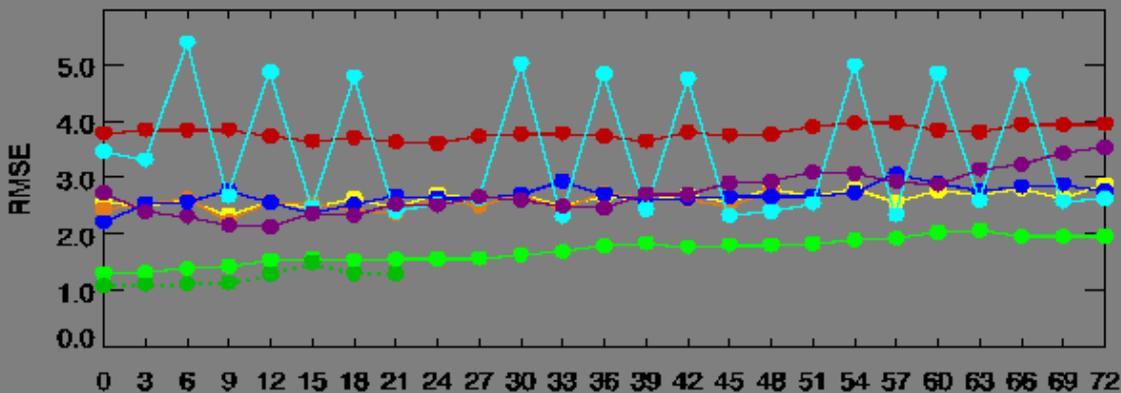
C-ME

C-I7

C-GR

C-RO

C-RU7

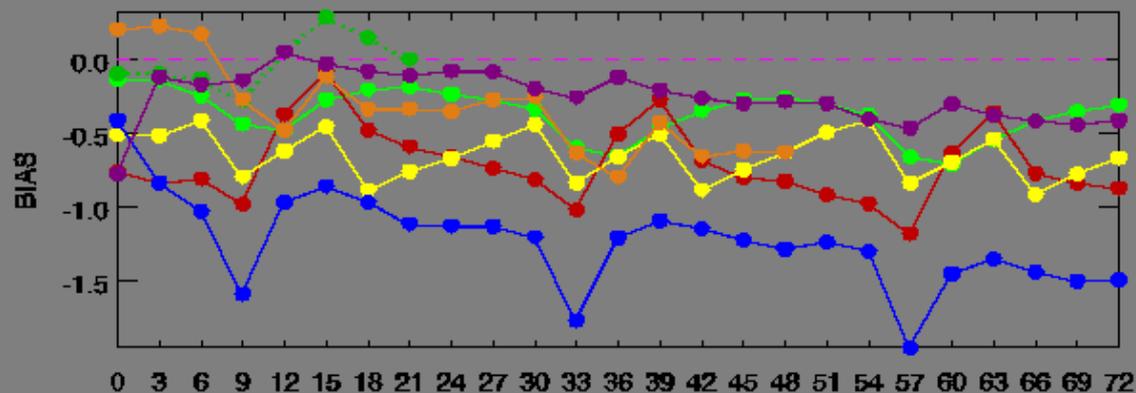


VD DJF 2013: BIAS and RMSE for Dew point temperature 2m [K]

Suspect files (not included into the plots)

2011/DJF/VD/TEMP_DJF_COSMO-RO_C.txt
2011/DJF/VD/TD_DJF_COSMO-RO_C.txt
2012/DJF/CA/CA_MSLP_DJF_COSMO-GR_C.txt
2012/DJF/VD/TD_DJF_COSMO-RO_C.txt
2013/SON/CA/CA_PREC06_SON_COSMO-GR_D.txt
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Perhaps suspect data (in this case without COSMO-RO, but COSMO-I7 ???)



C-EU

C-DE

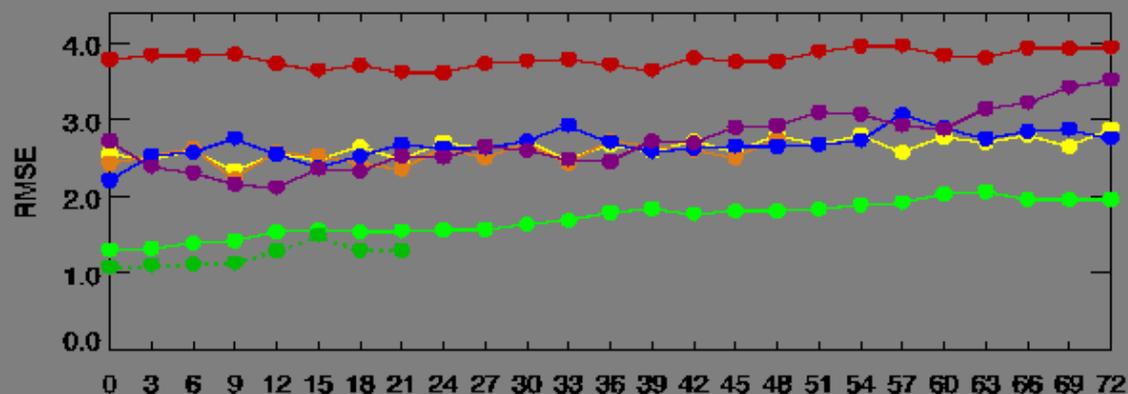
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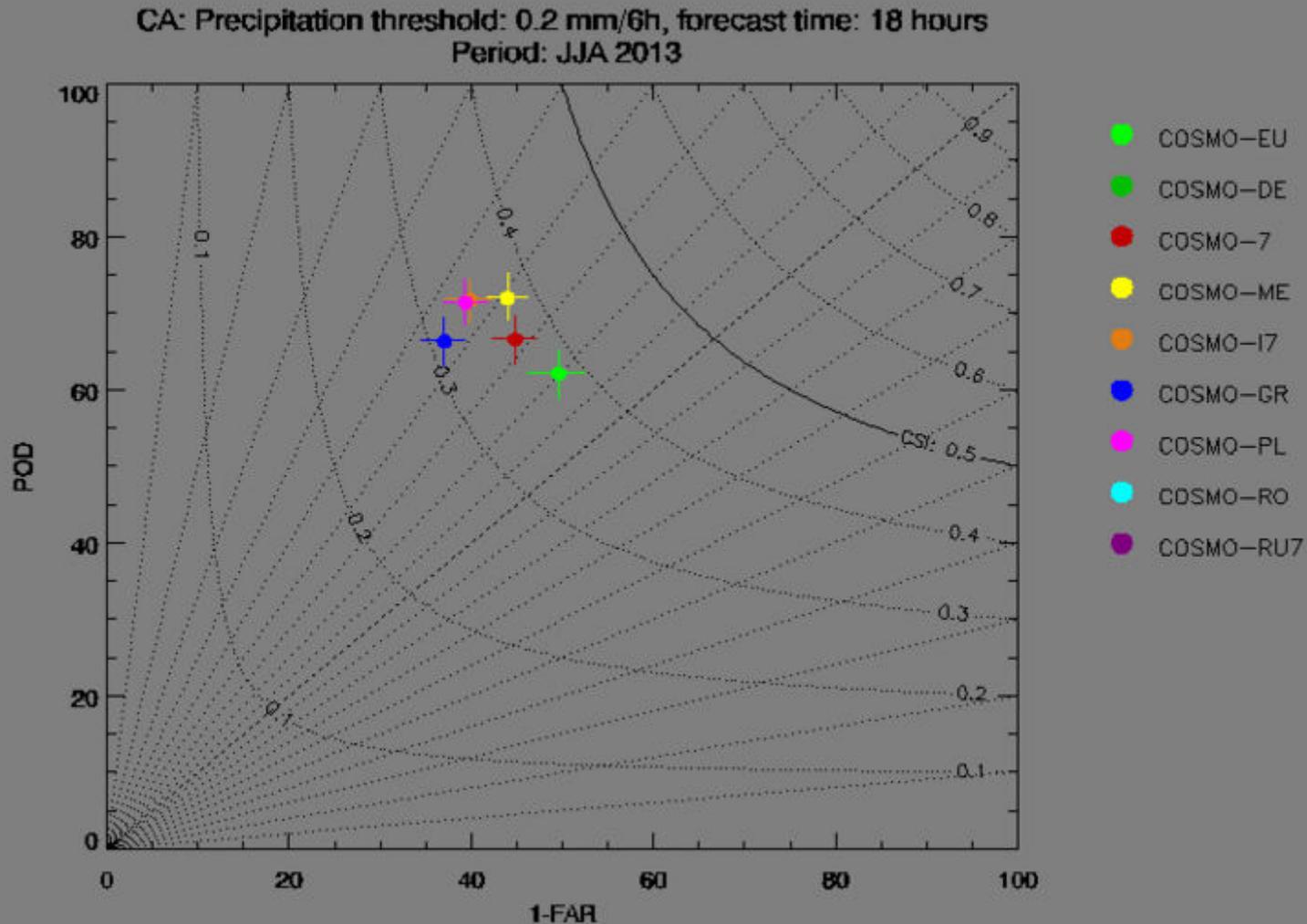
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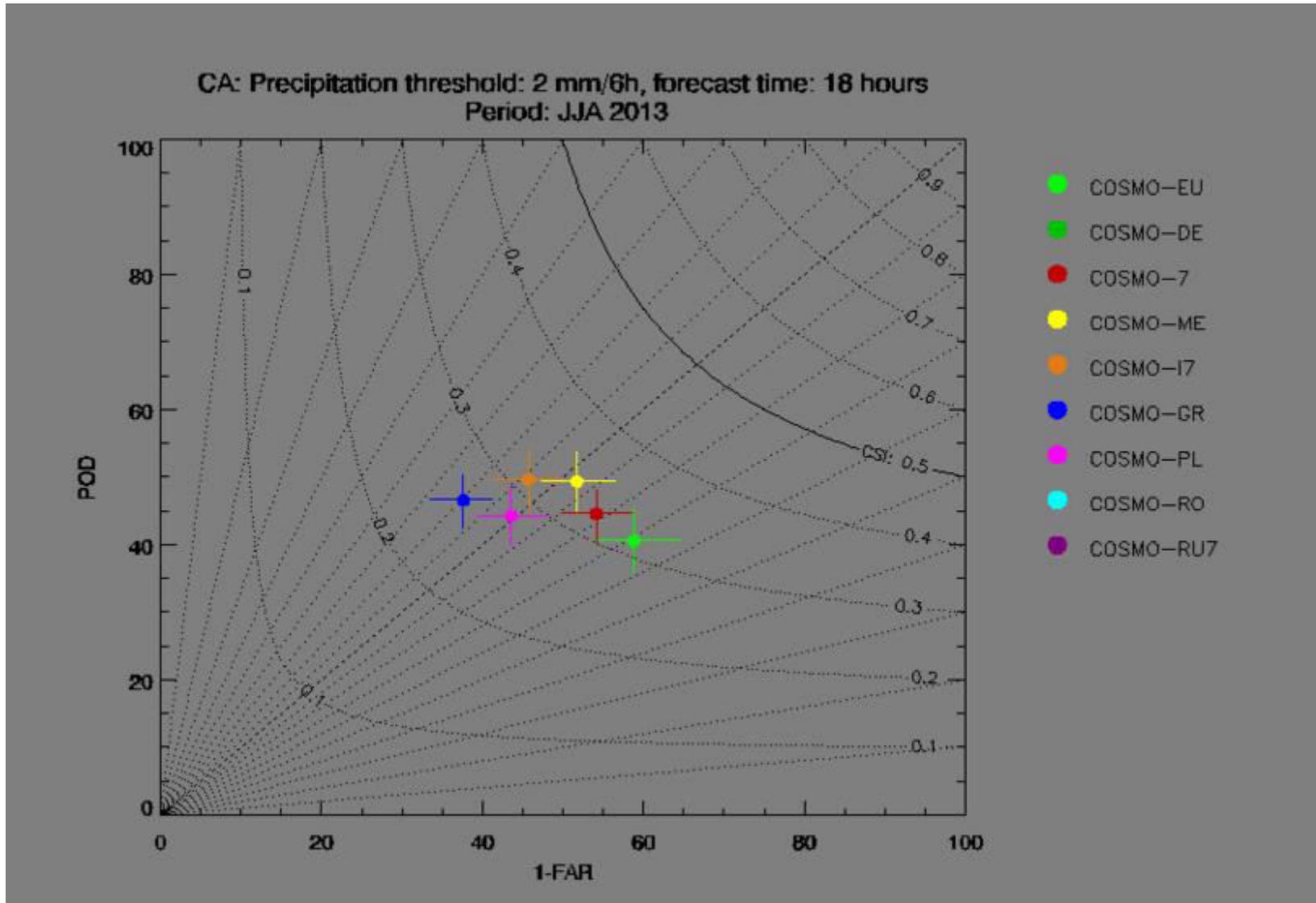
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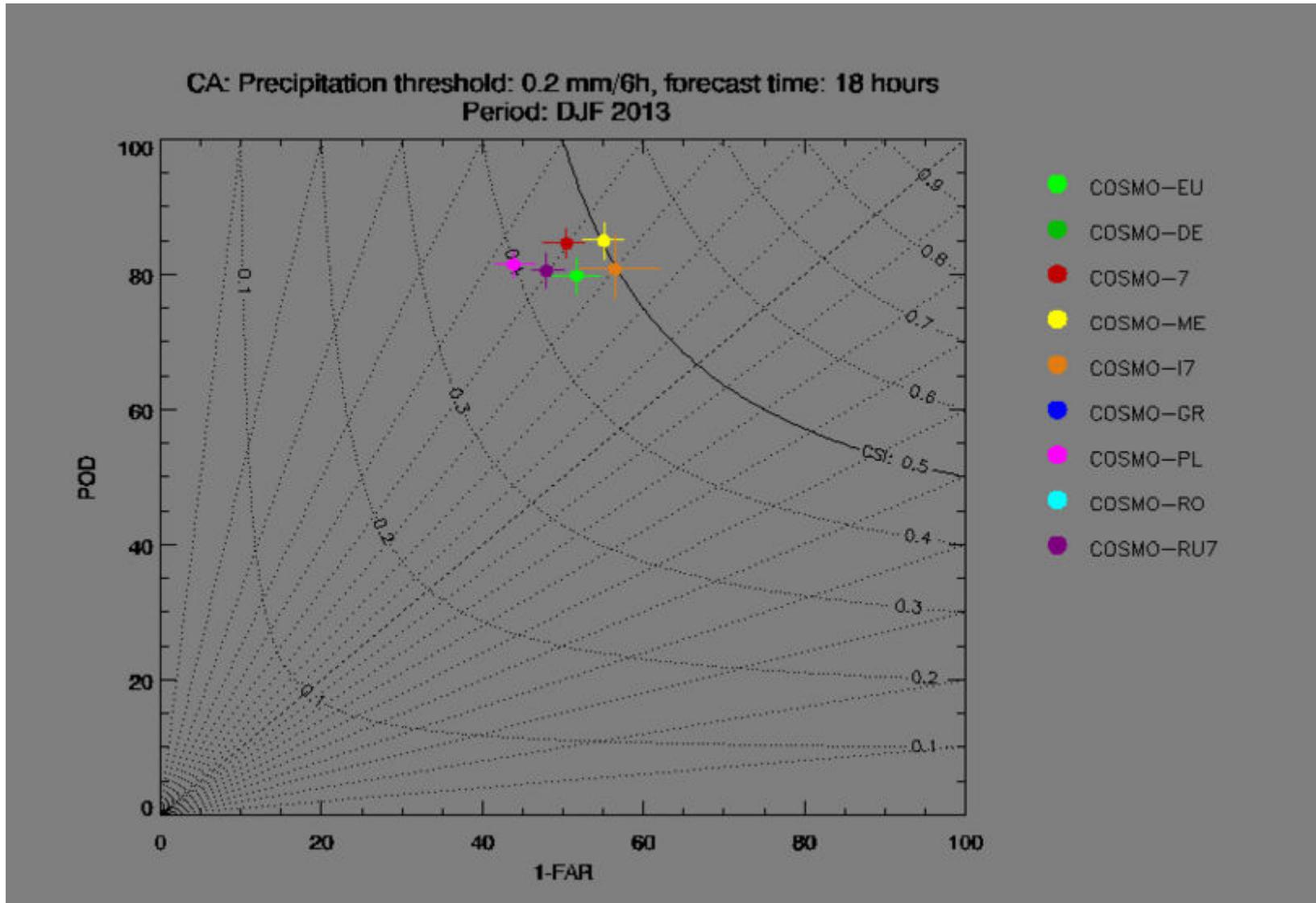
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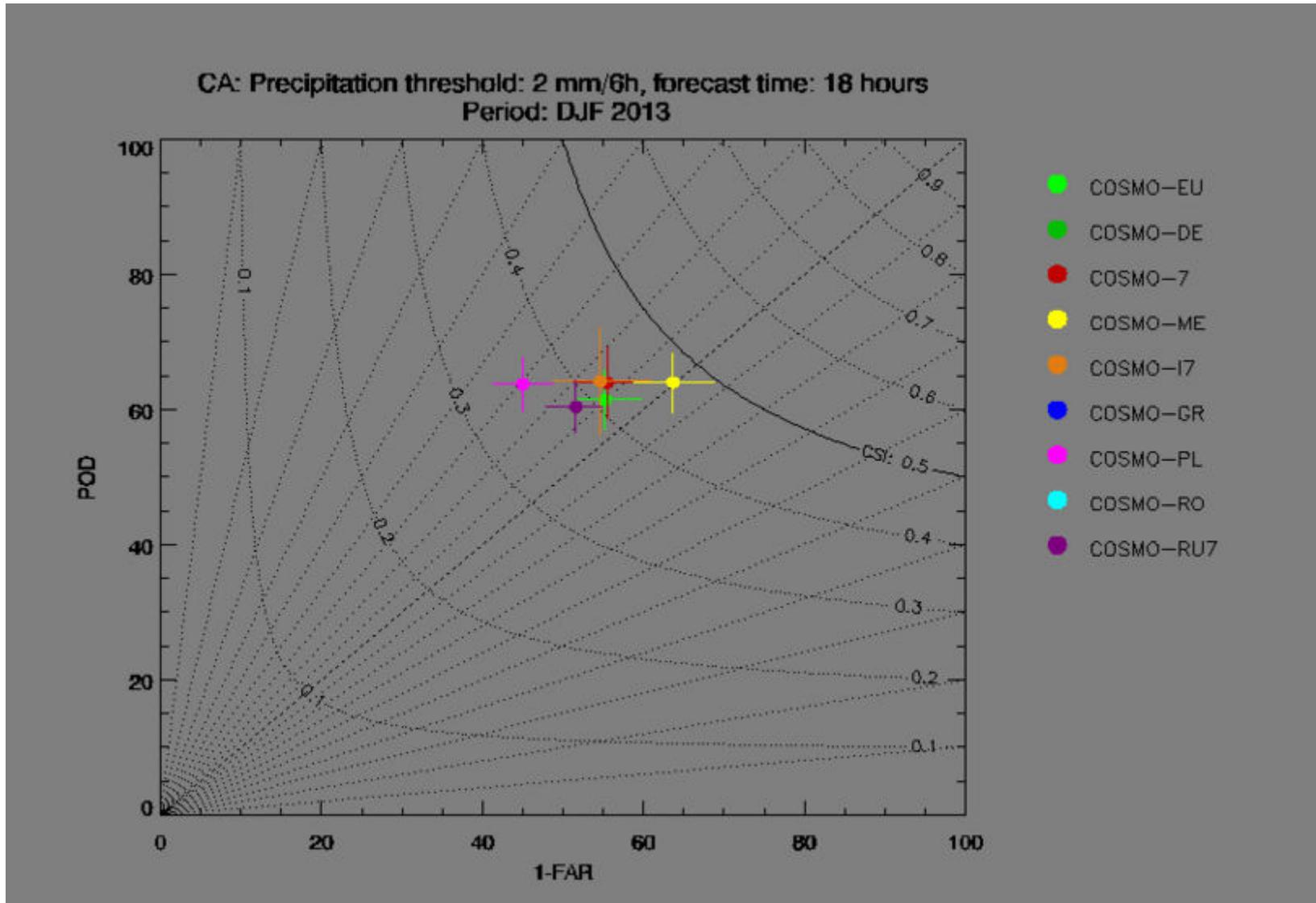
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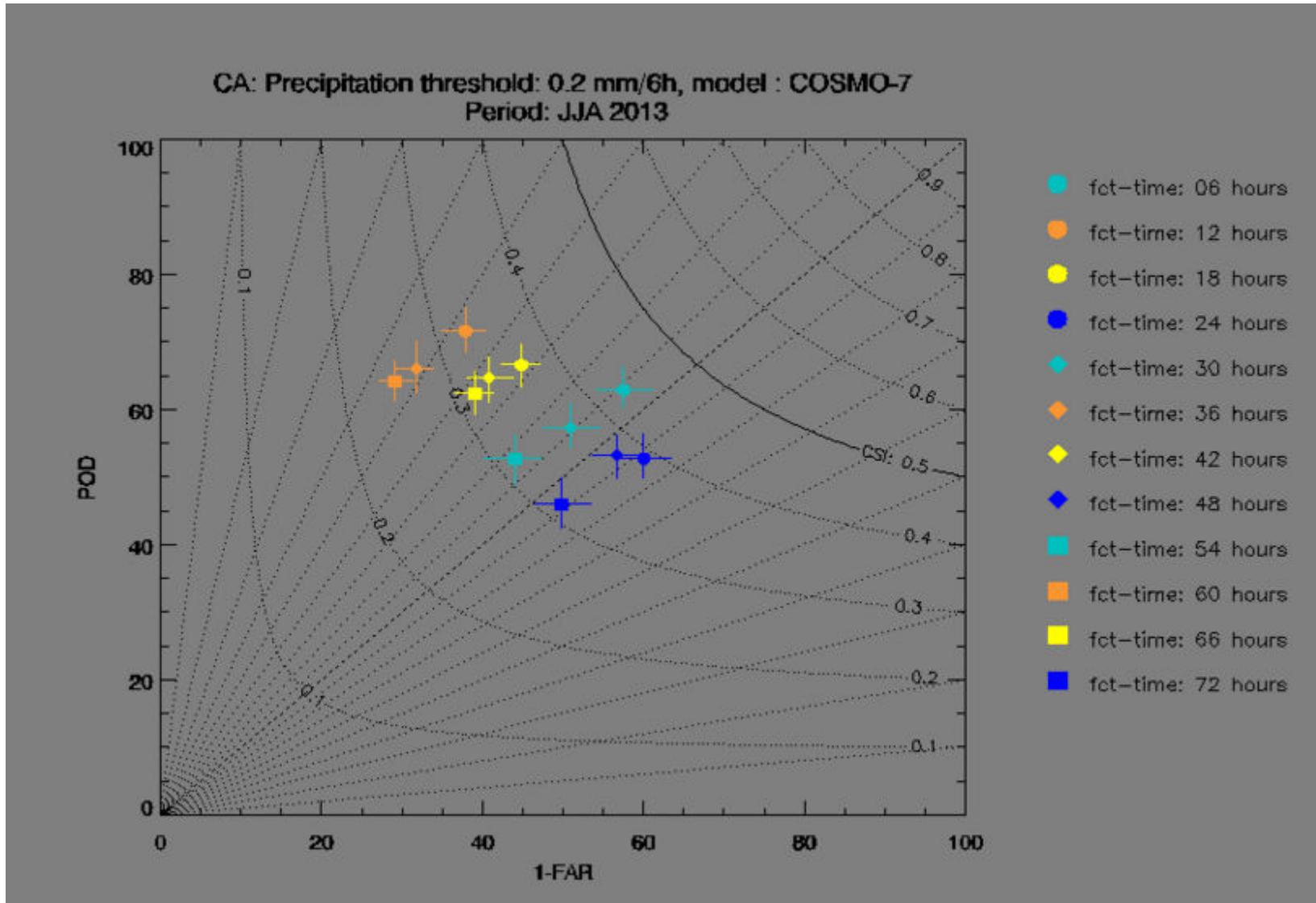


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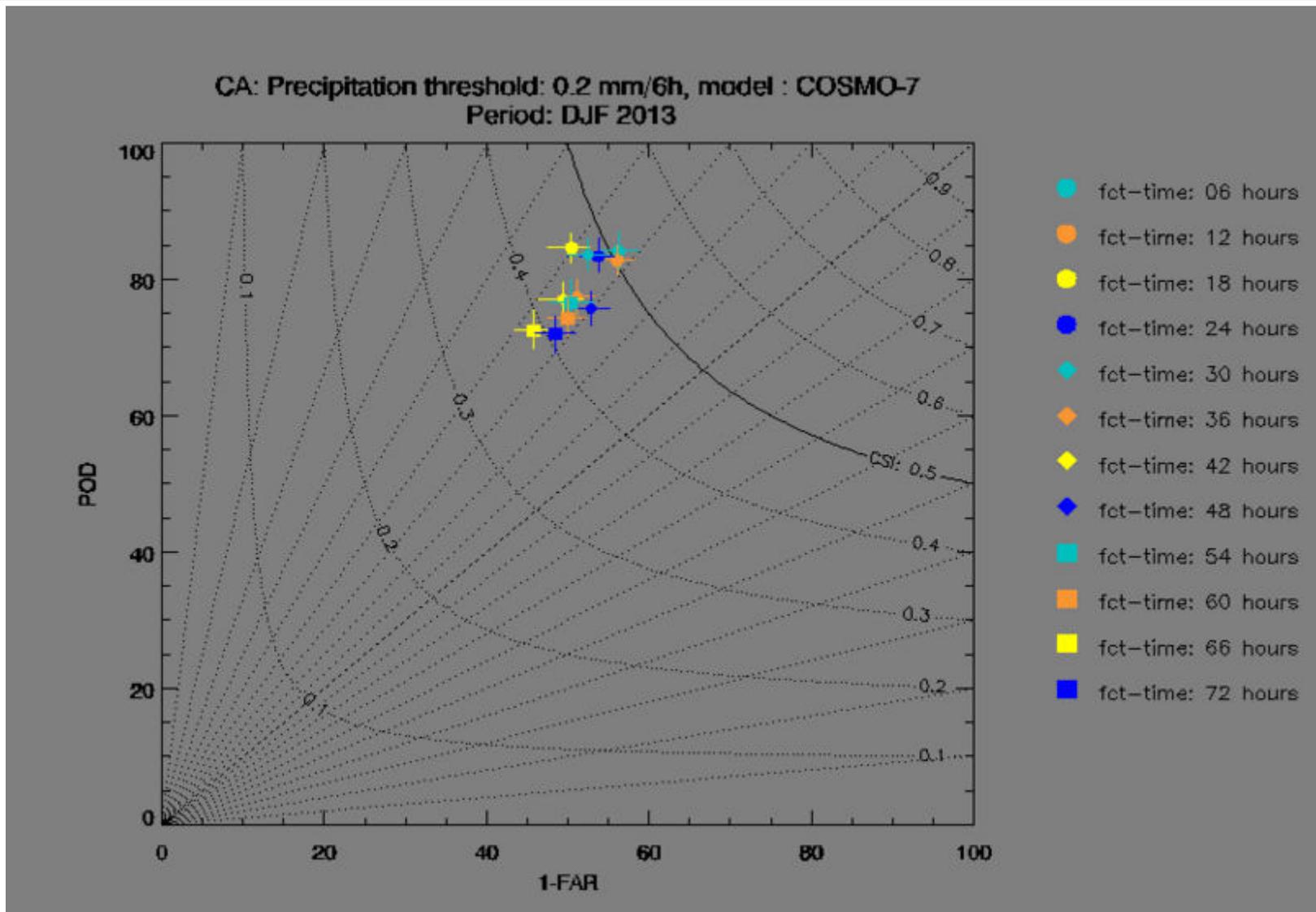
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And finally ...