



# Increasing the spatial resolution of the CTRIP routing model: hydrological impacts over France

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# SURFEX-CTRIP hydrological system

- **CTRIP** : CNRM version of the TRIP based river routing system

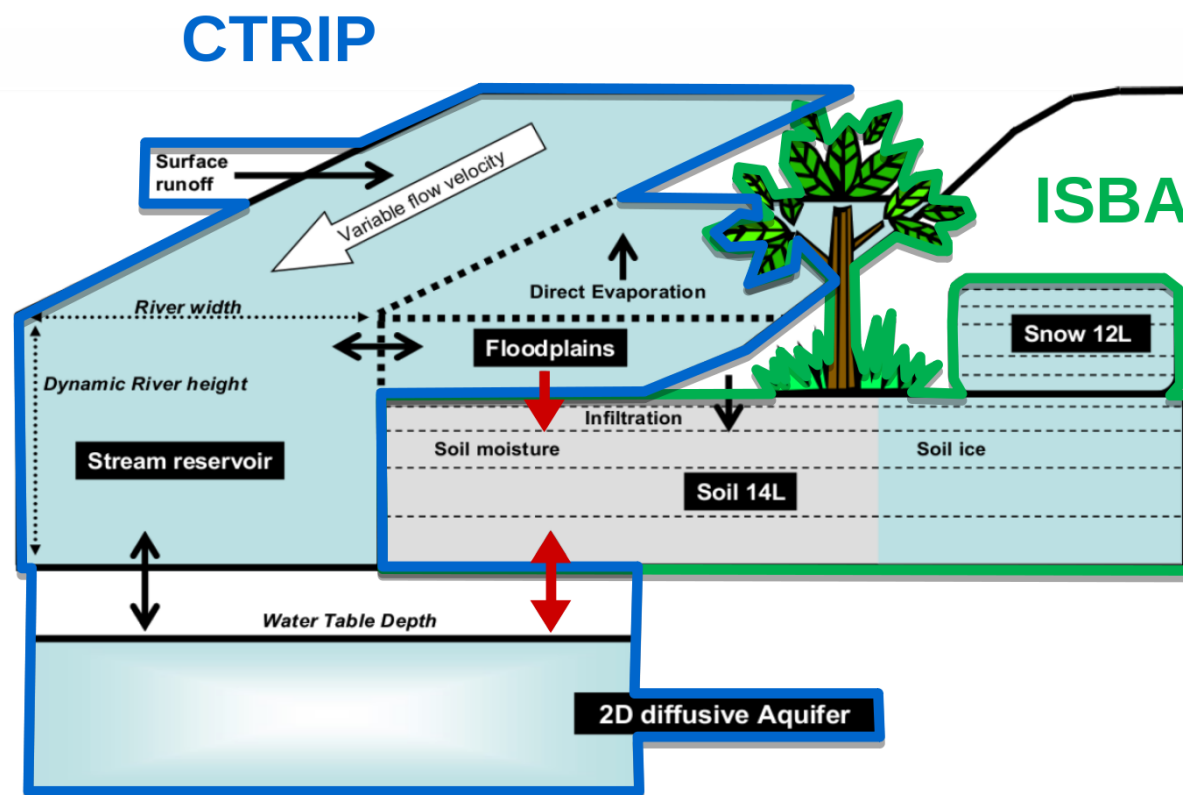
- variable flow velocity
- flooding by river overflow
- aquifers

(Oki and Sud, 1998, Decharme et al., 2008, 2010)

- **ISBA-A-gs** : simulates the diurnal cycle of :

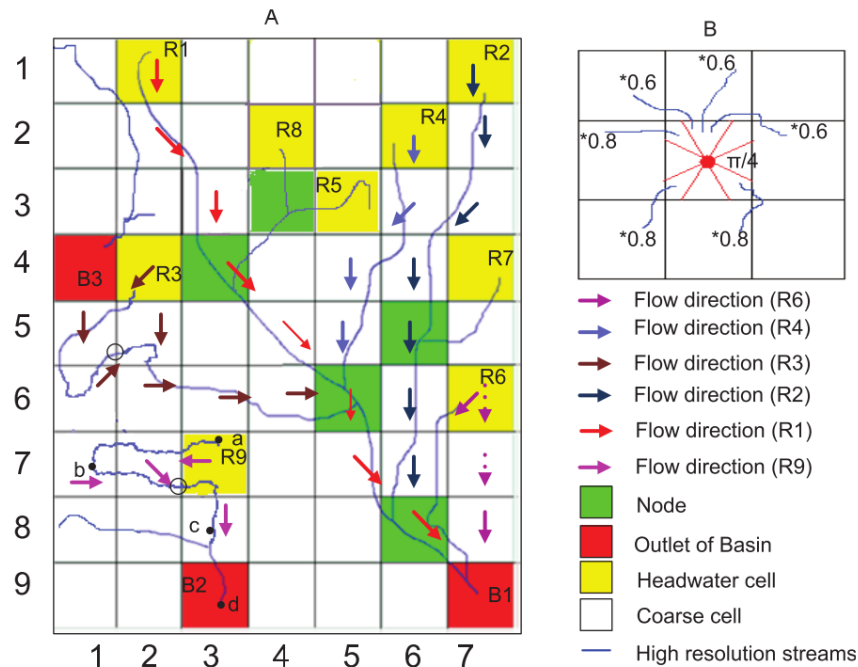
- water and carbon fluxes
- plant growth
- vegetation variables

(Calvet et al., 1998, 2007, Gibelin et al., 2006)

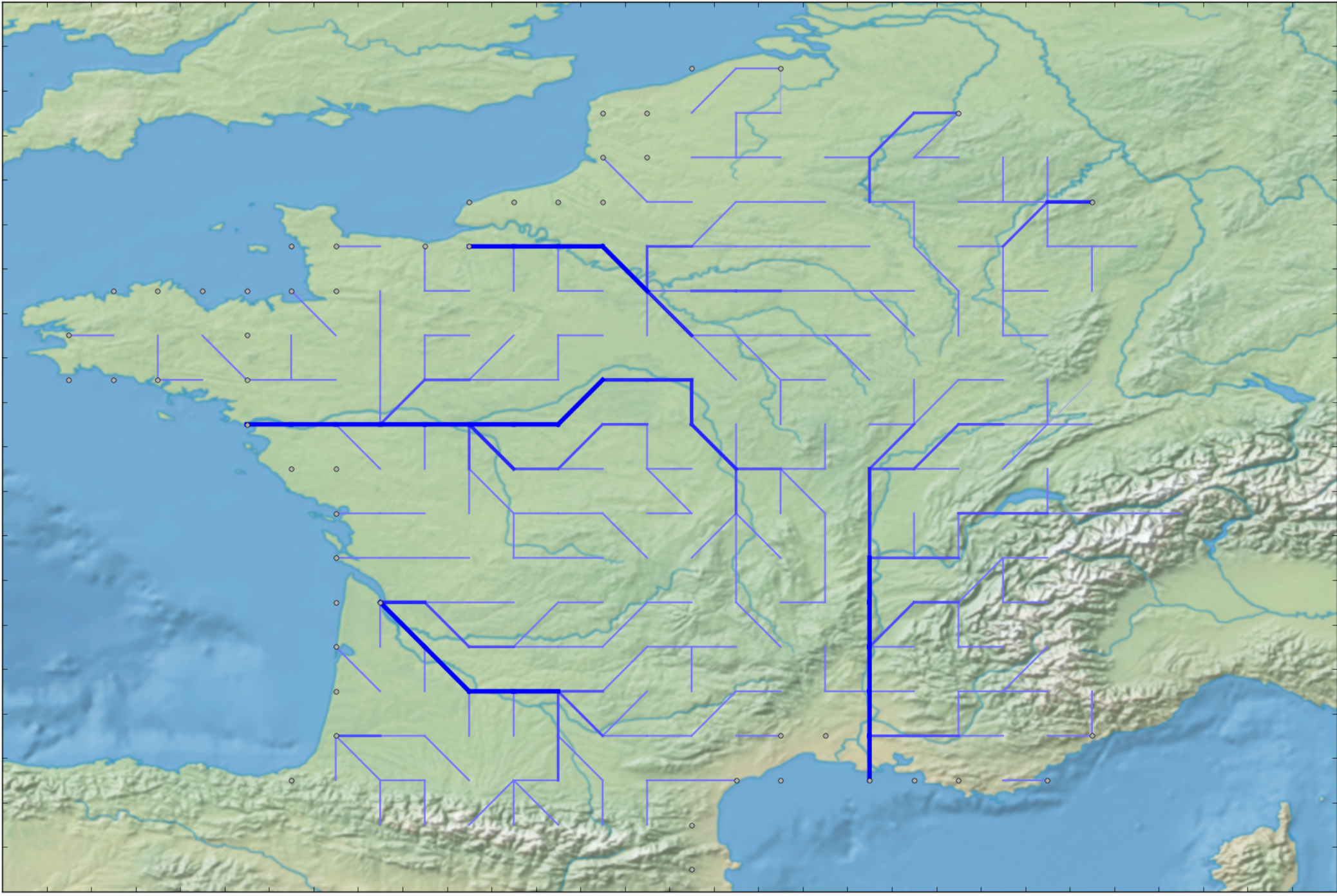


# CTRIP 12D : a CTRIP version at 1/12° resolution

- Upscaling of the river network from MERIT DEM (Yamazaki et al., 2017)
    - high-accuracy global DEM at 3" resolution (~90 m at the equator)
    - removal of major error components from existing DEMs
  - Hierarchical Dominant River Tracing (Wu et al., 2011)
    - Extraction and upscaling of flow direction (D8)
    - Major rivers computed first
    - River diversion when necessary
    - Fully automated algorithm (no manual correction)
- } *river network structure preserved*



# CTRIP 2D



# CTRIP 12D

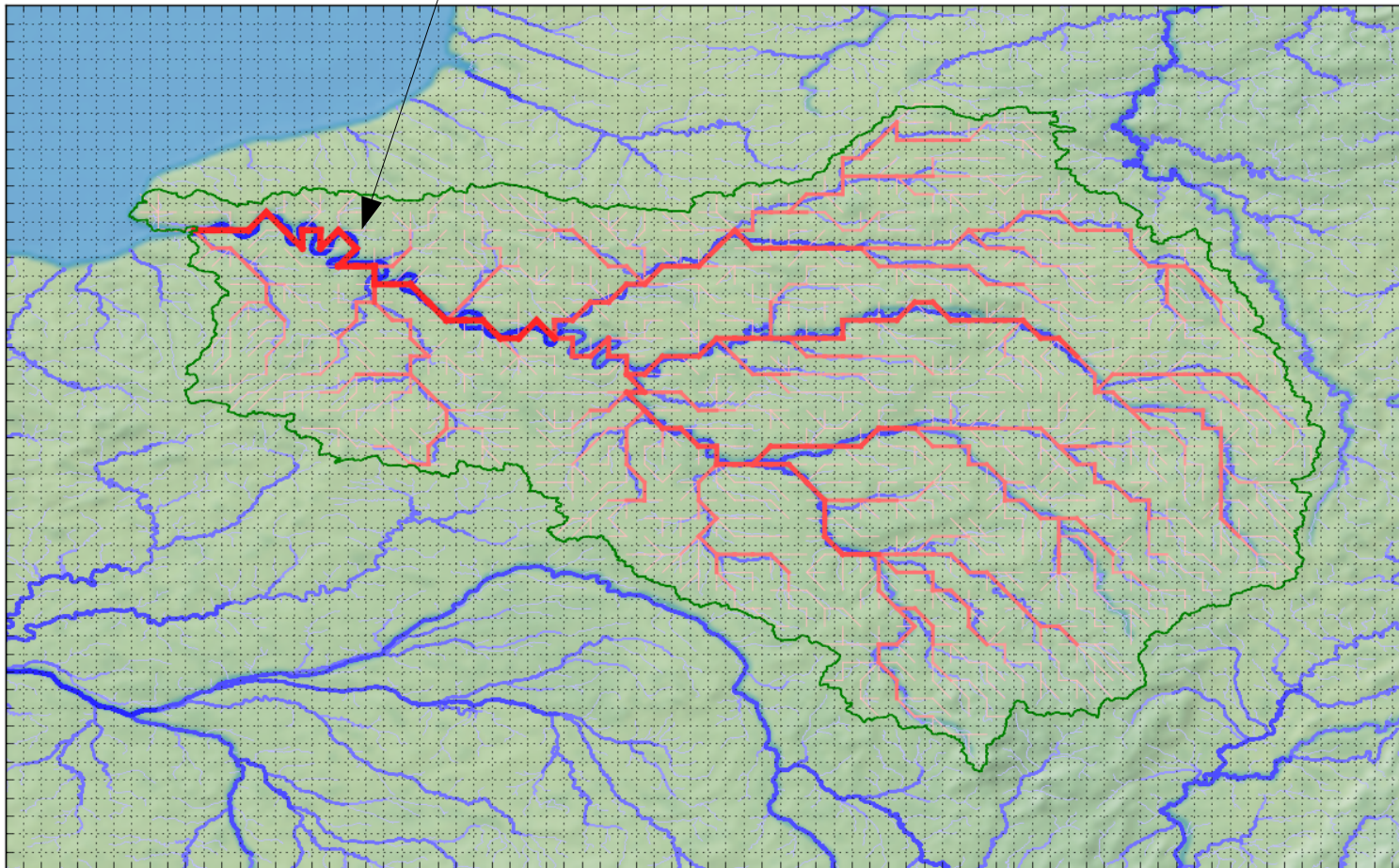


# CTRIP 12D

- Some examples: Seine basin

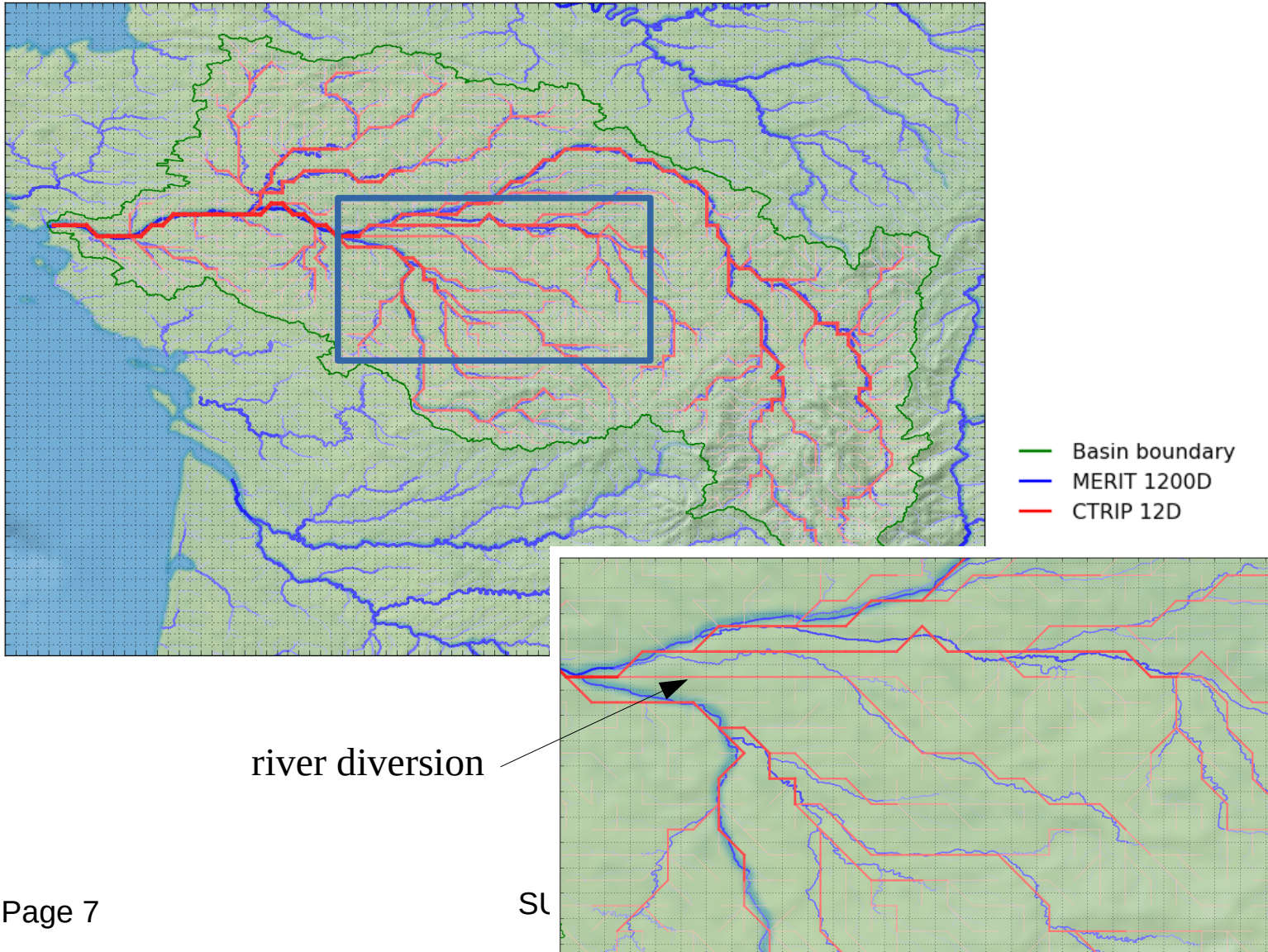
good representation of meanders

— Basin boundary  
— MERIT 1200D  
— CTRIP 12D



# CTRIP 12D

- Some examples: Loire basin



# Comparing CTRIP results with observations

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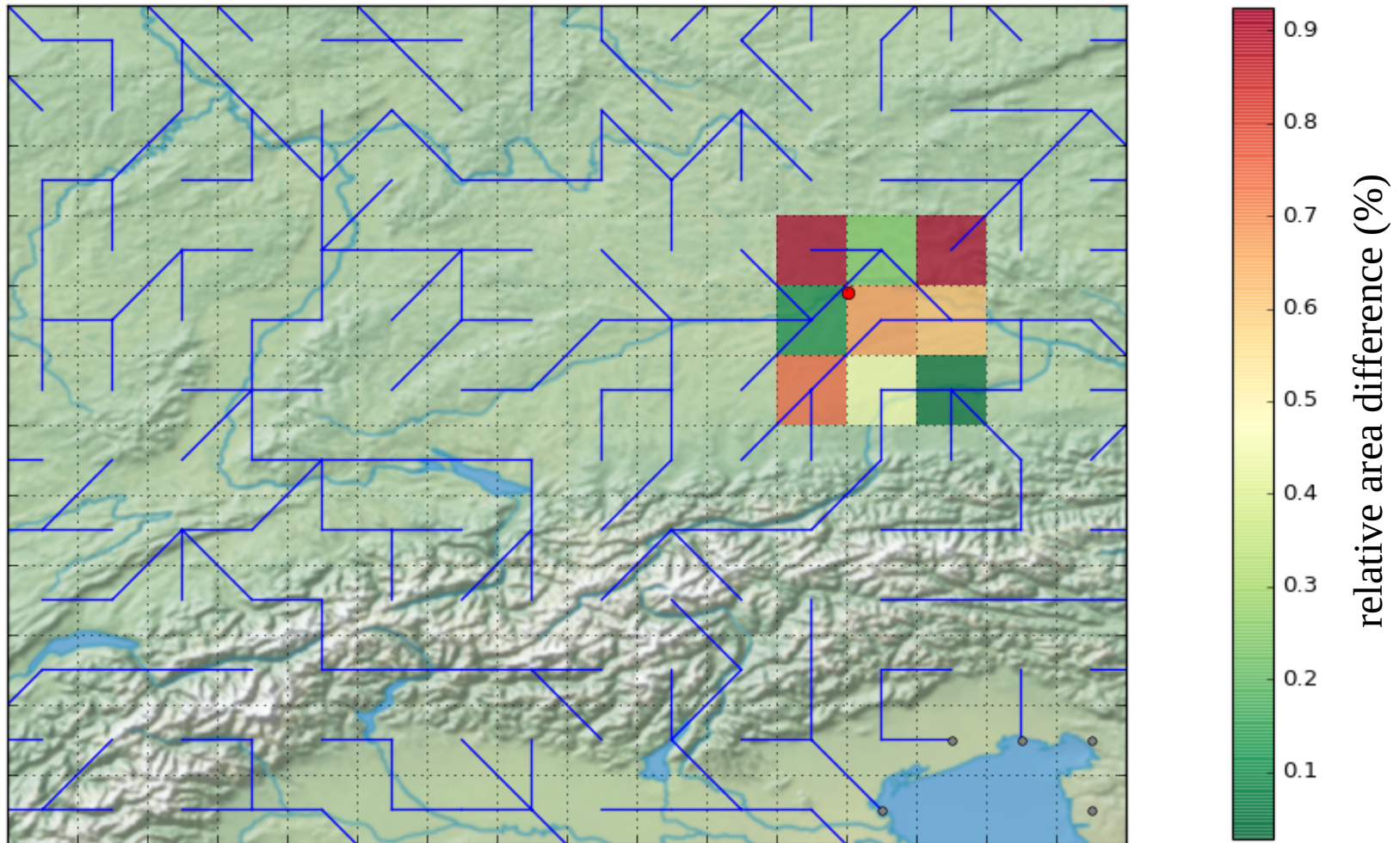


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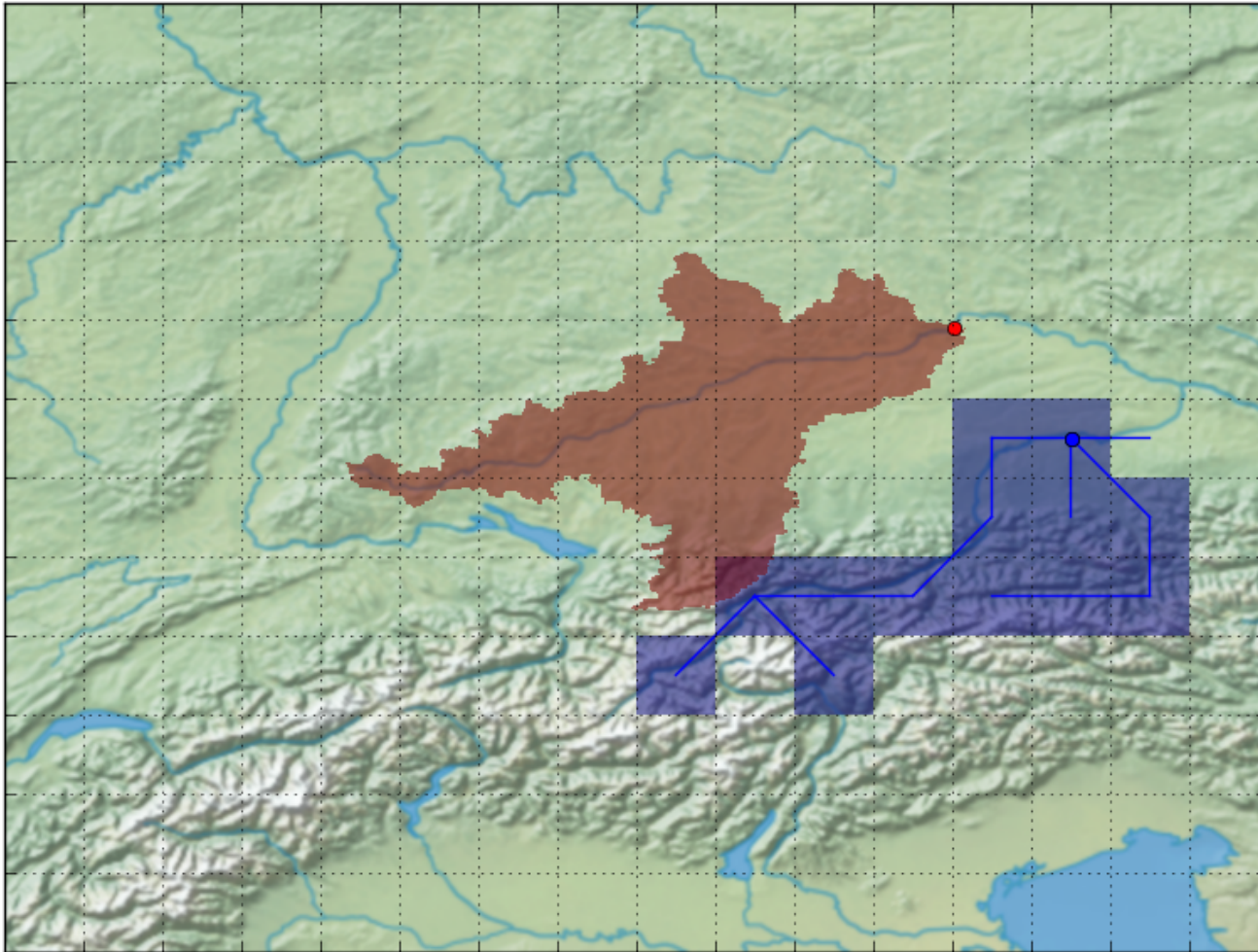
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  - ➔ Classical method: comparison of drainage area (station metadata)



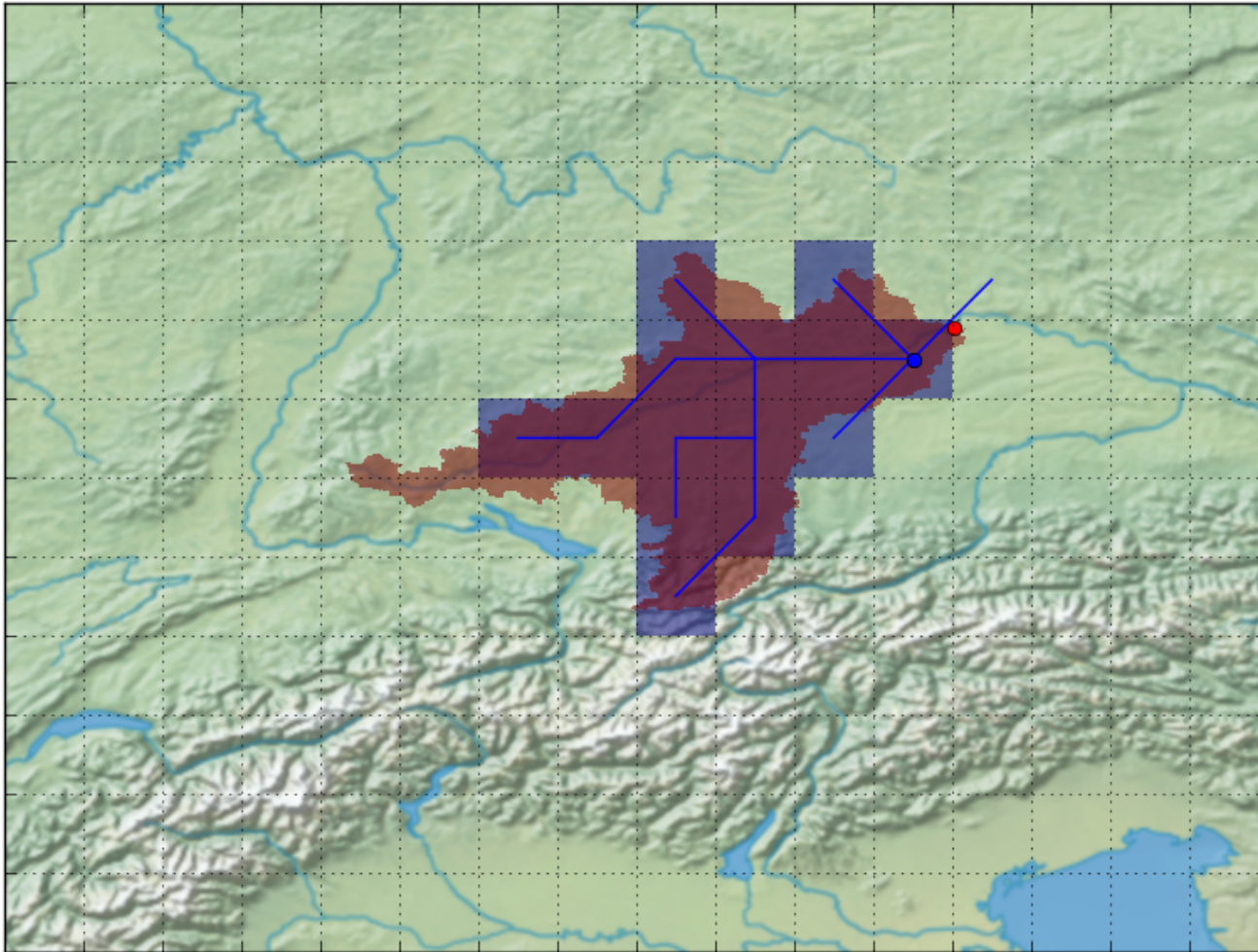
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- What is the CTRIP pixel corresponding to a given gauge station?
  - ➔ Advanced method: basin mask overlapping



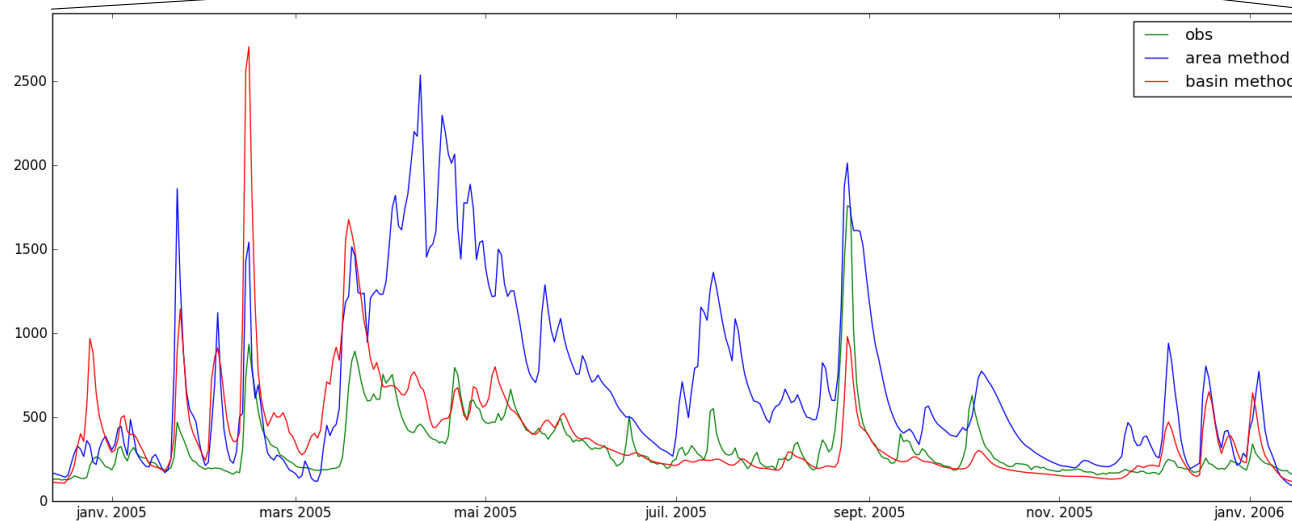
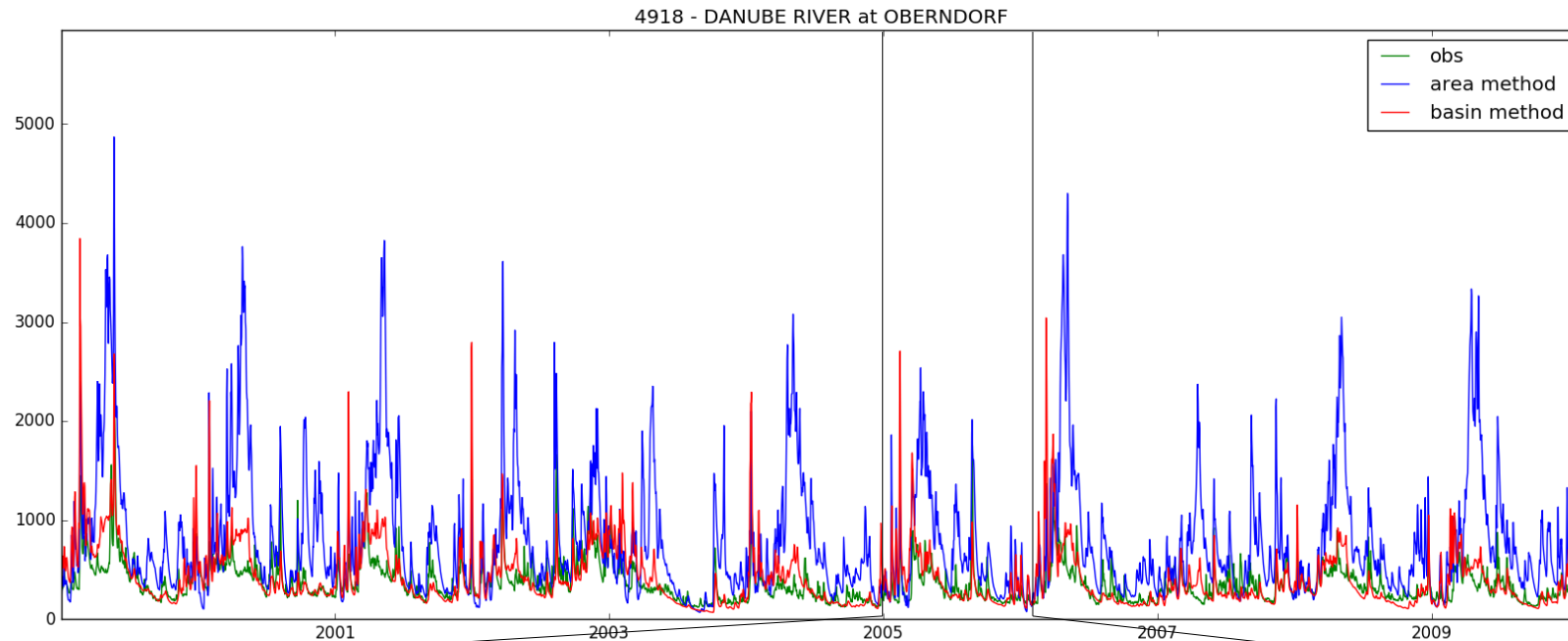
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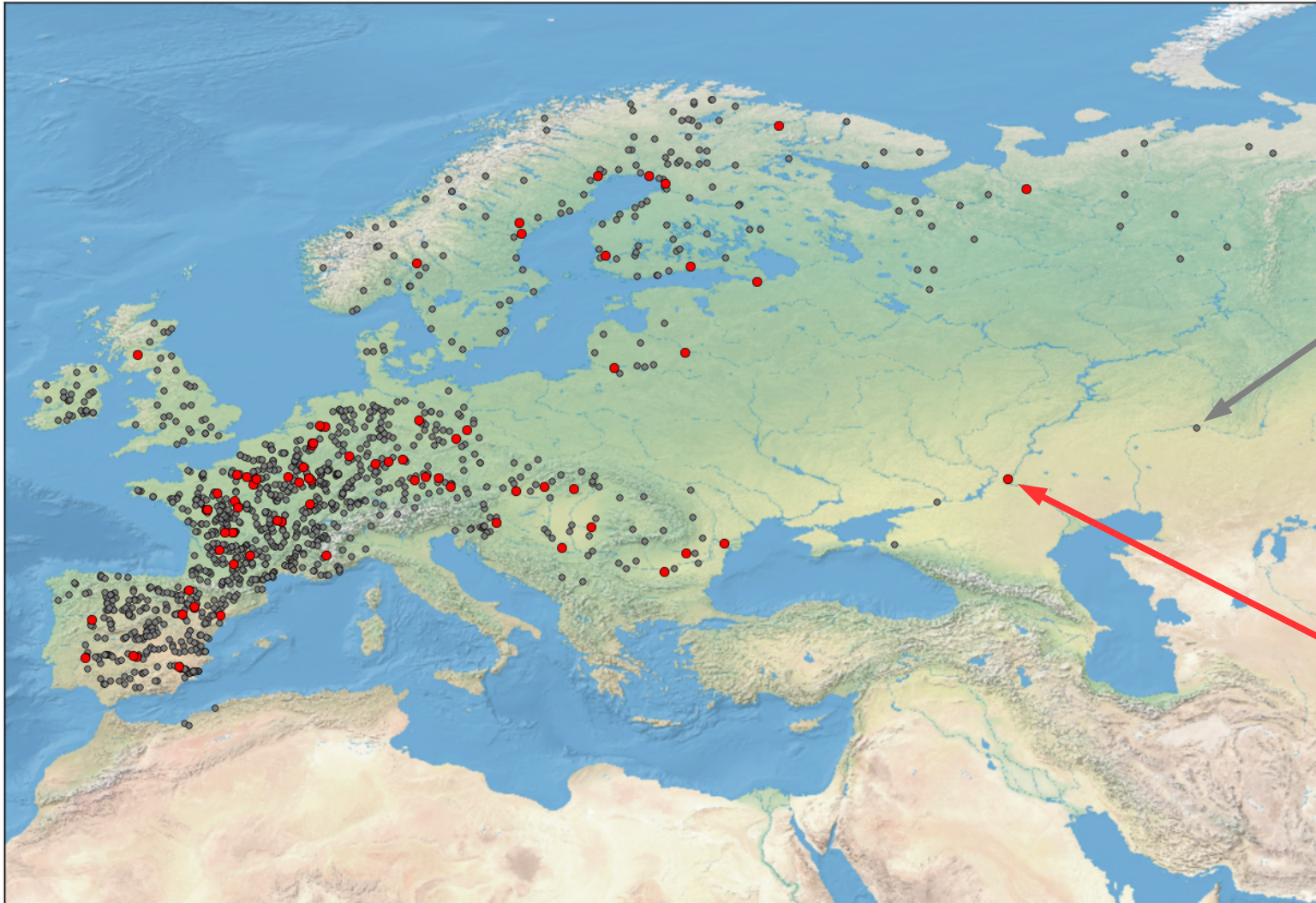
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1267 R2D2 stations with area greater than 1e3 km<sup>2</sup> and more than 3 years of records



Both methods  
give the same  
CTRIP pixel

Both methods  
give different  
CTRIP pixels

# Simulation results

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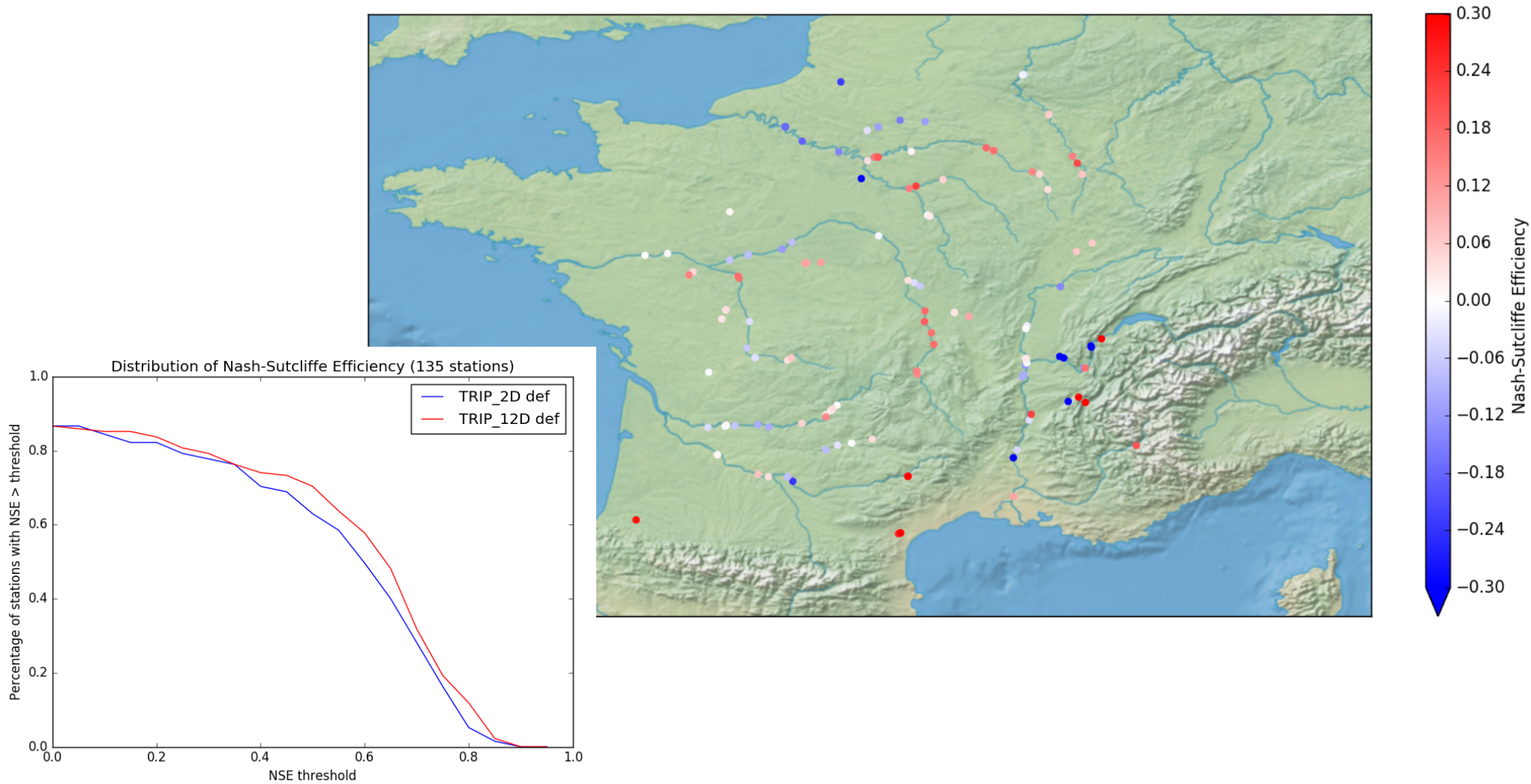
- CTRIP simulation configuration
  - CTRIP forcing: SAFRAN – ISBA (8 km)
  - CTRIP 2D vs CTRIP12D
  - Modeling options:

config	def	vit	vitgw
options	Manning	+ variable flow velocity	+ groundwater

- Performances against discharge observations
  - NSE: Nash-Sutcliffe Efficiency
  - Discharge ratio ( $Q_{sim}/Q_{obs}$ )
  - Correlation
- Comparison with MODCOU (from the SIM2 operational chain)

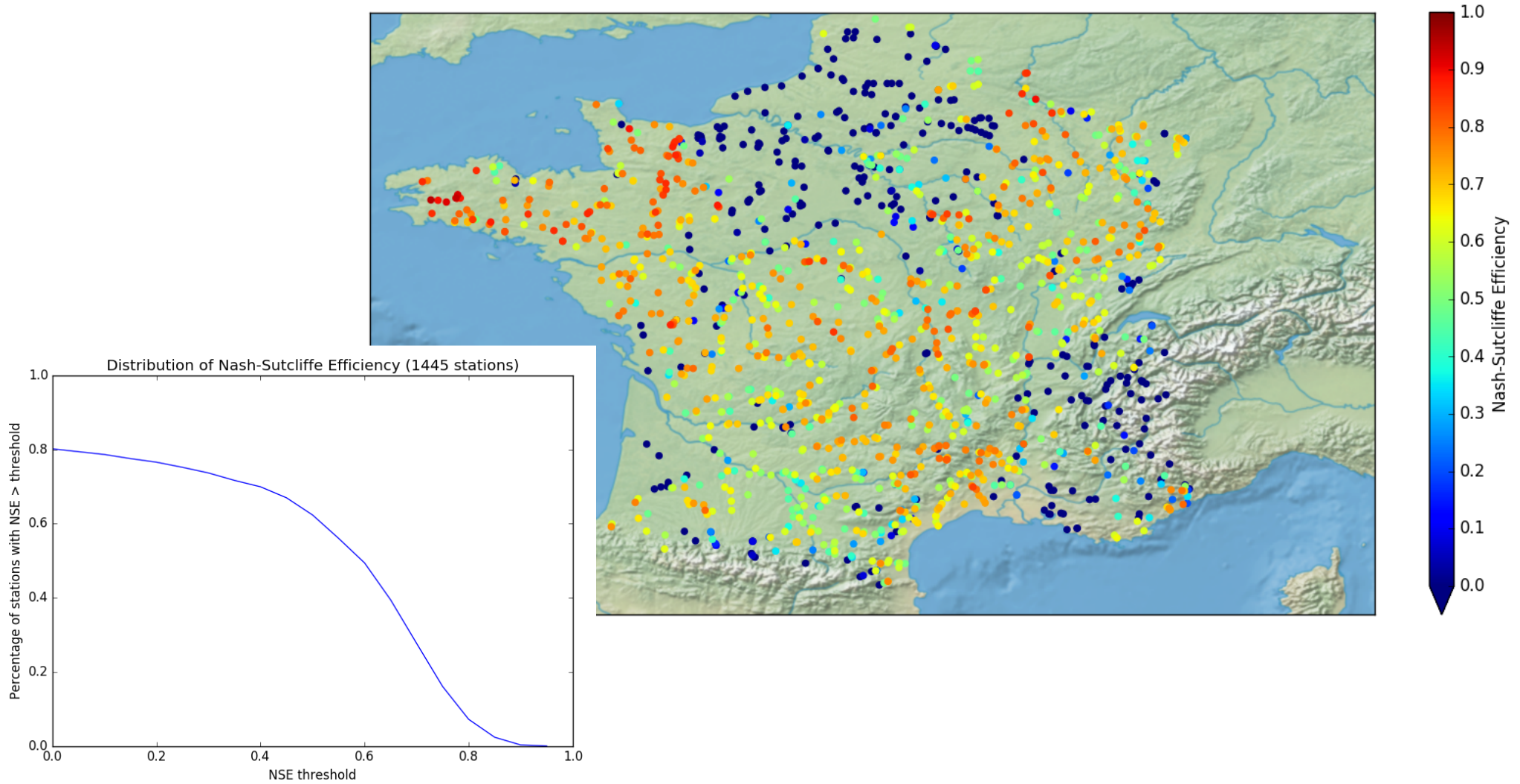
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- **CTRIP 12D def** vs **CTRIP 2D def**: NSE



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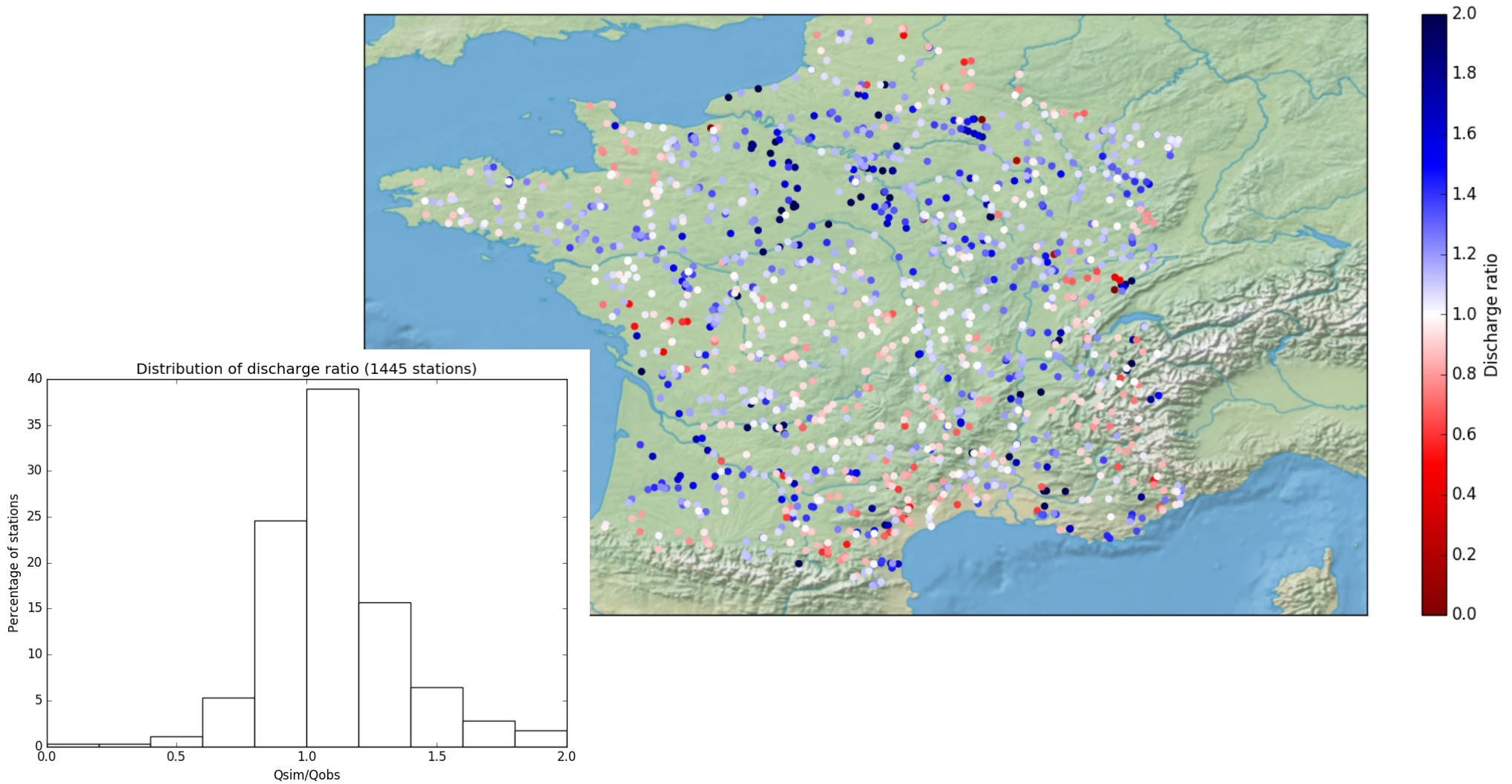
- **CTRIP 12D def: NSE**





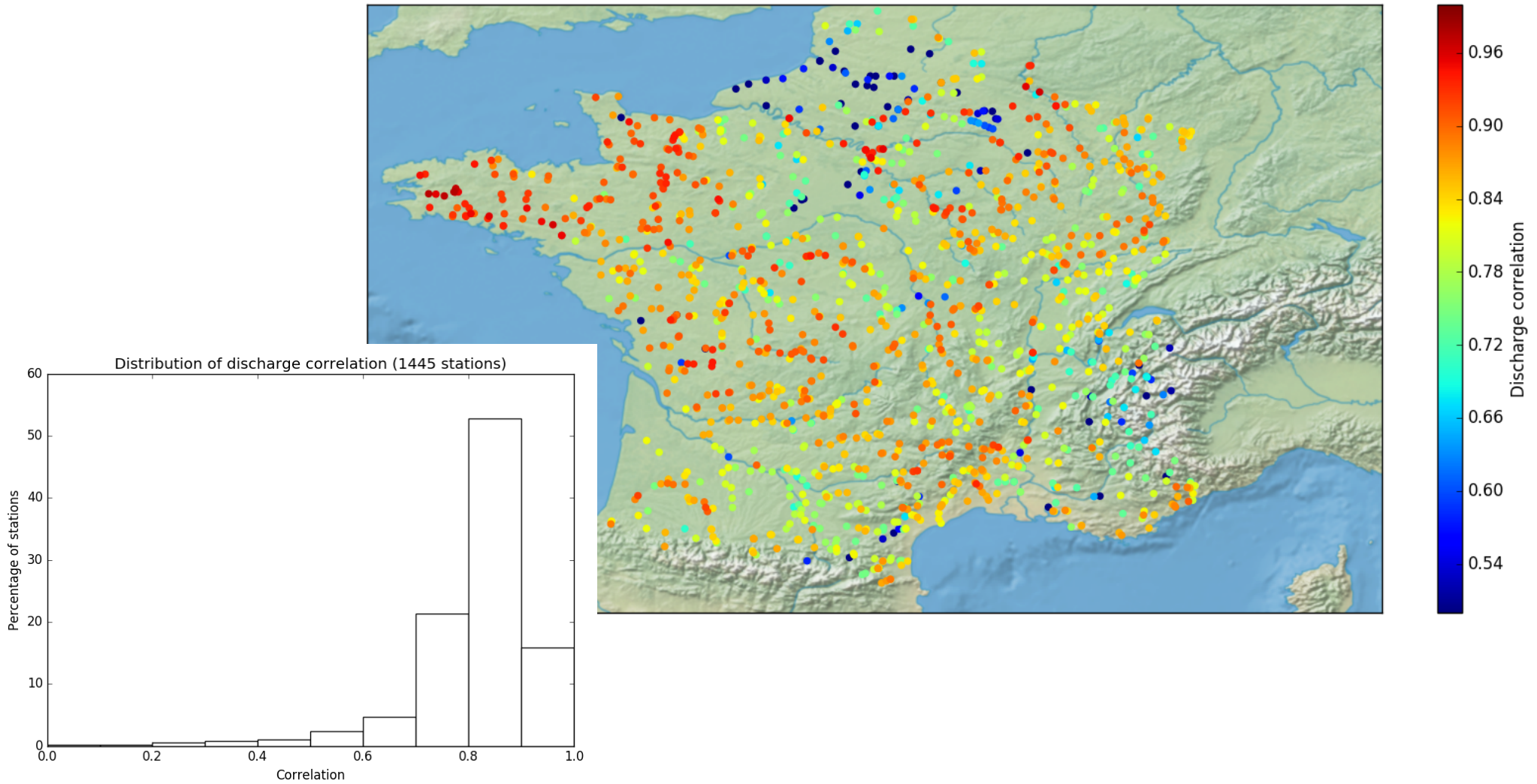
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- **CTRIP 12D def: ratio**



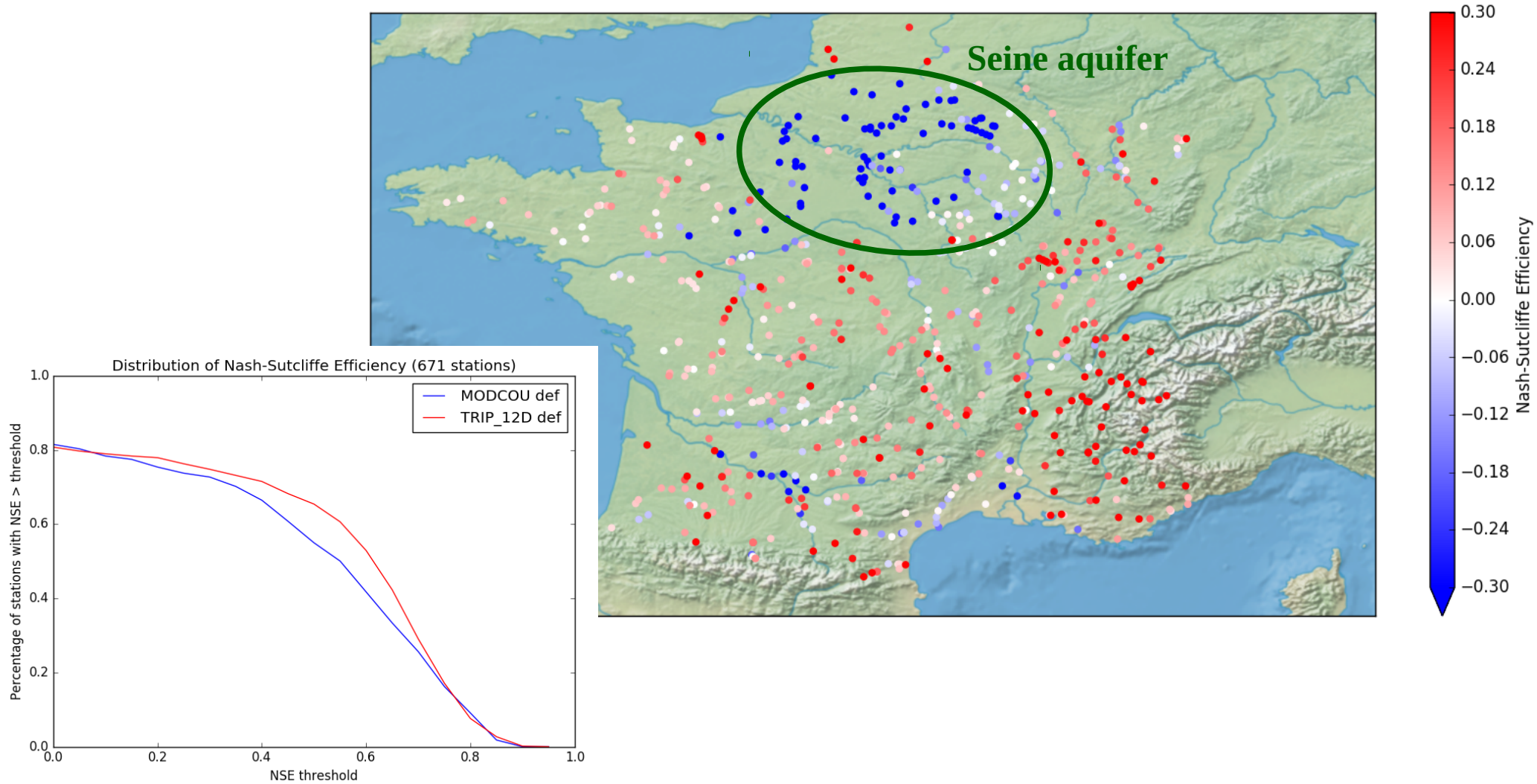
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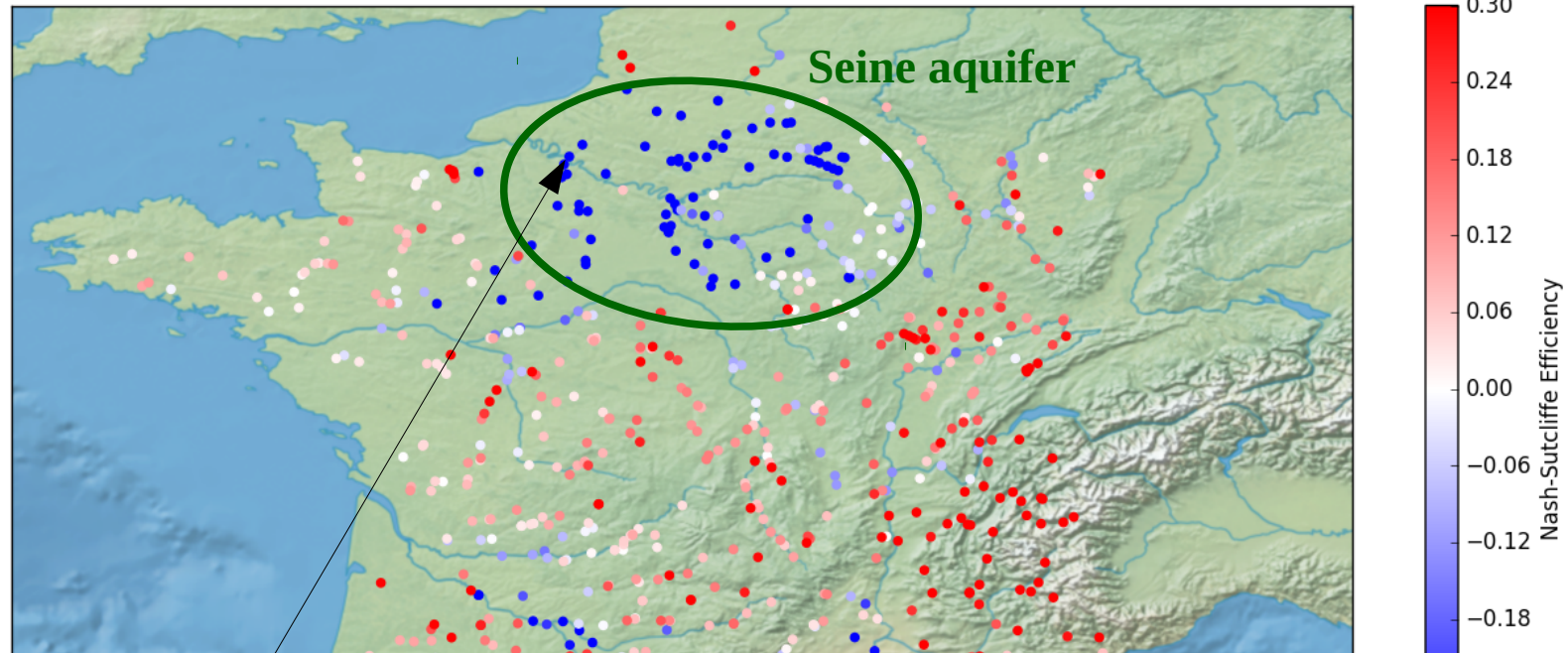
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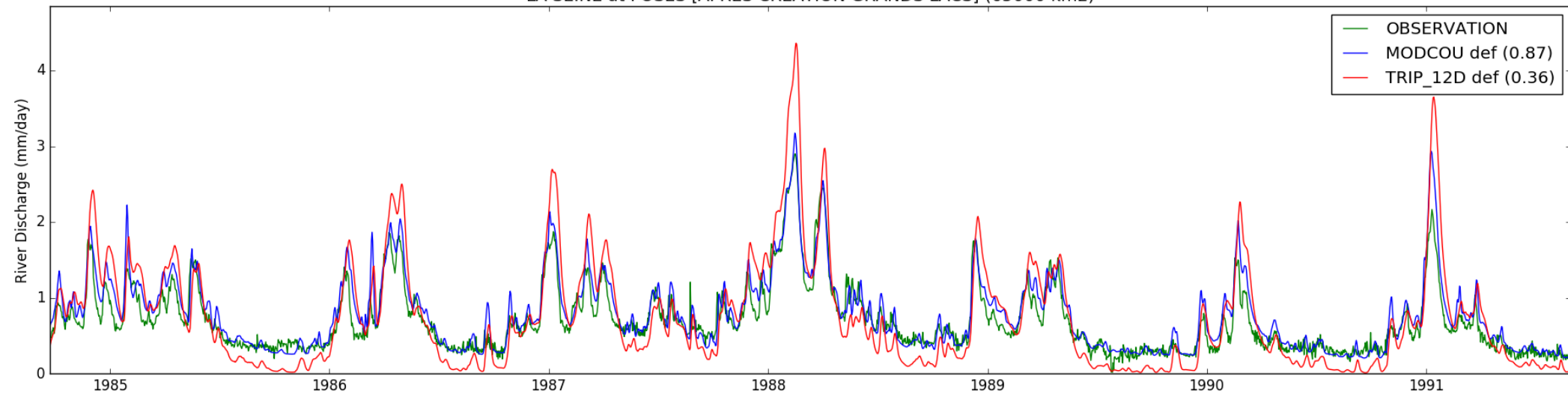


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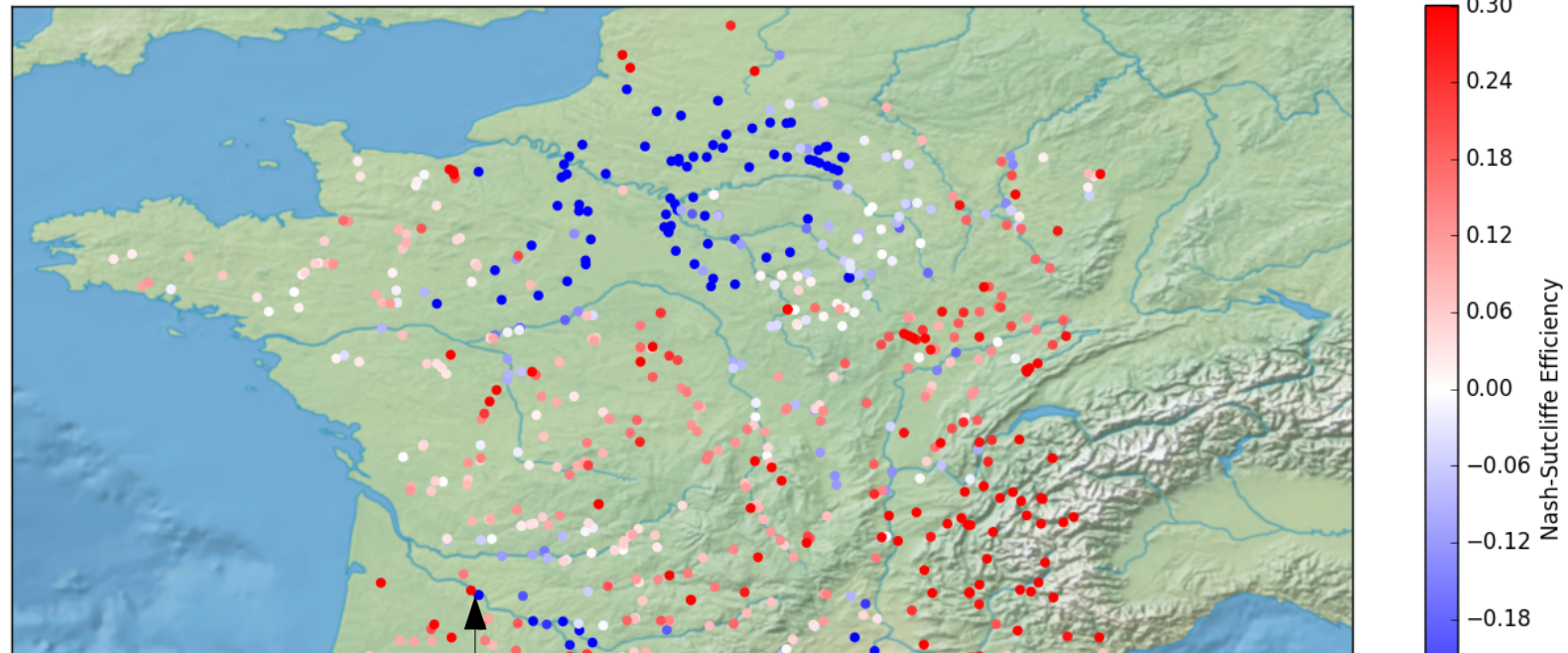


LA SEINE at POSES [APRES CREATION GRANDS LACS] (65000 km<sup>2</sup>)

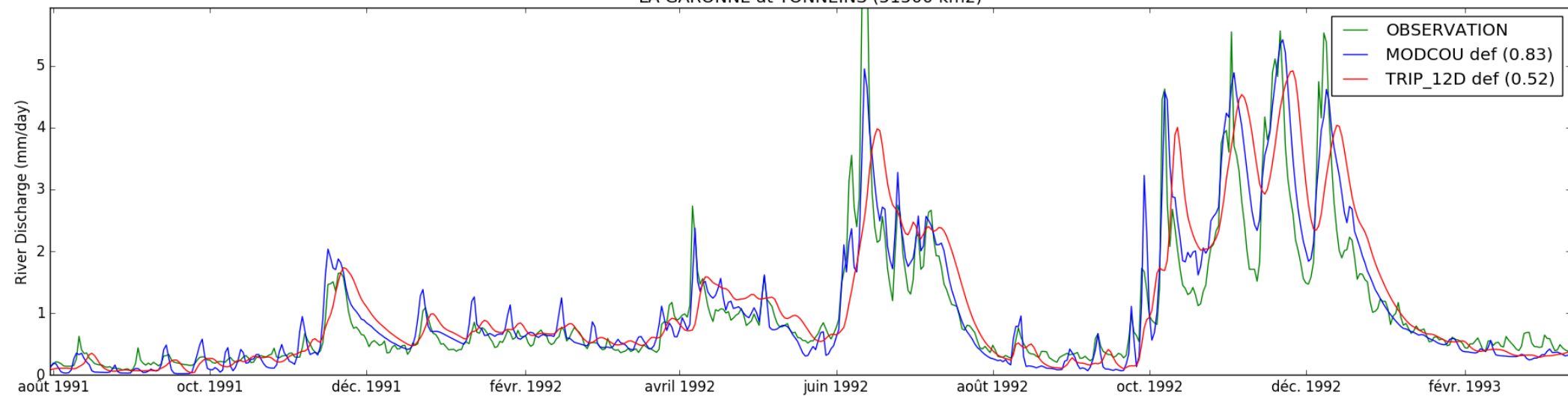


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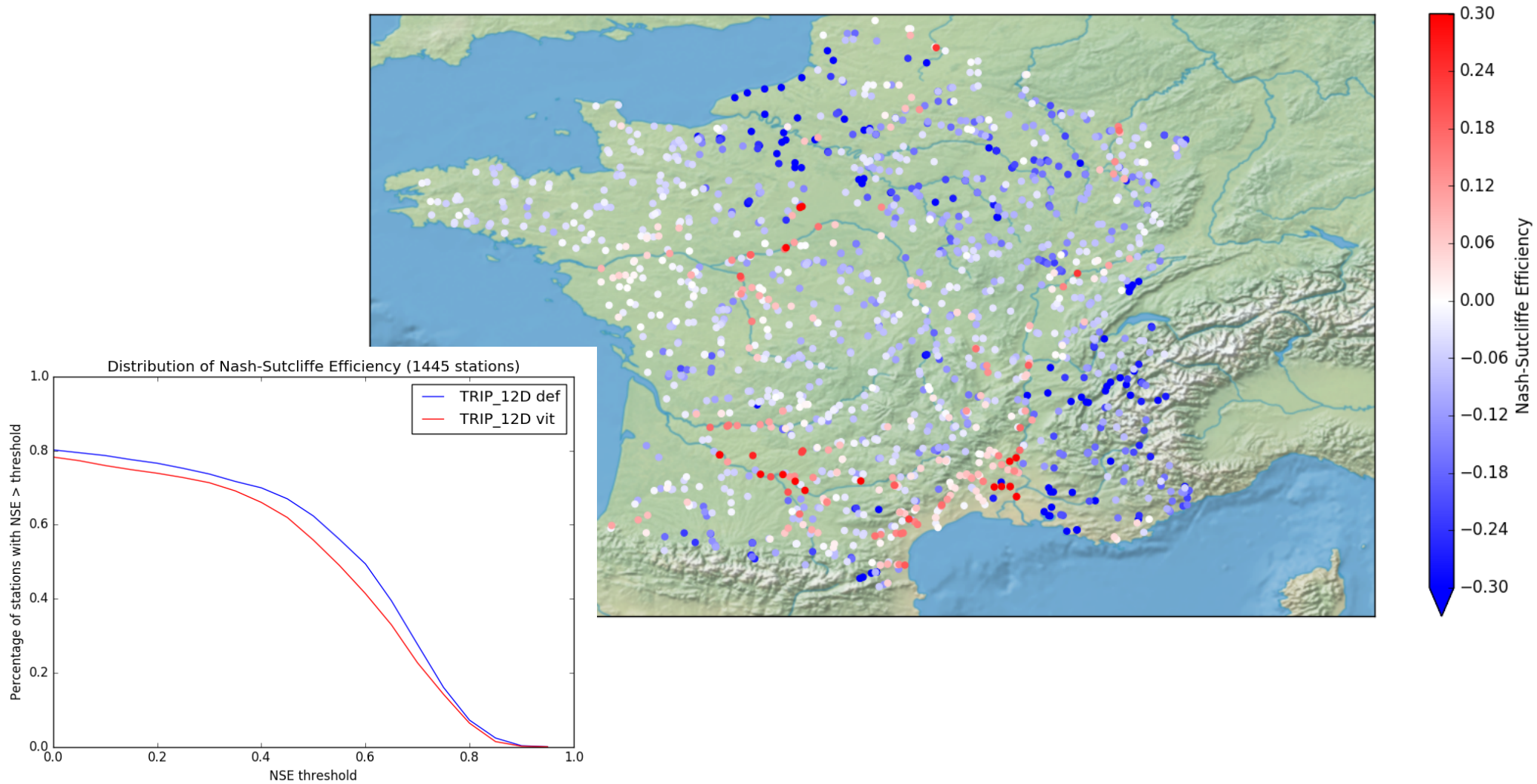


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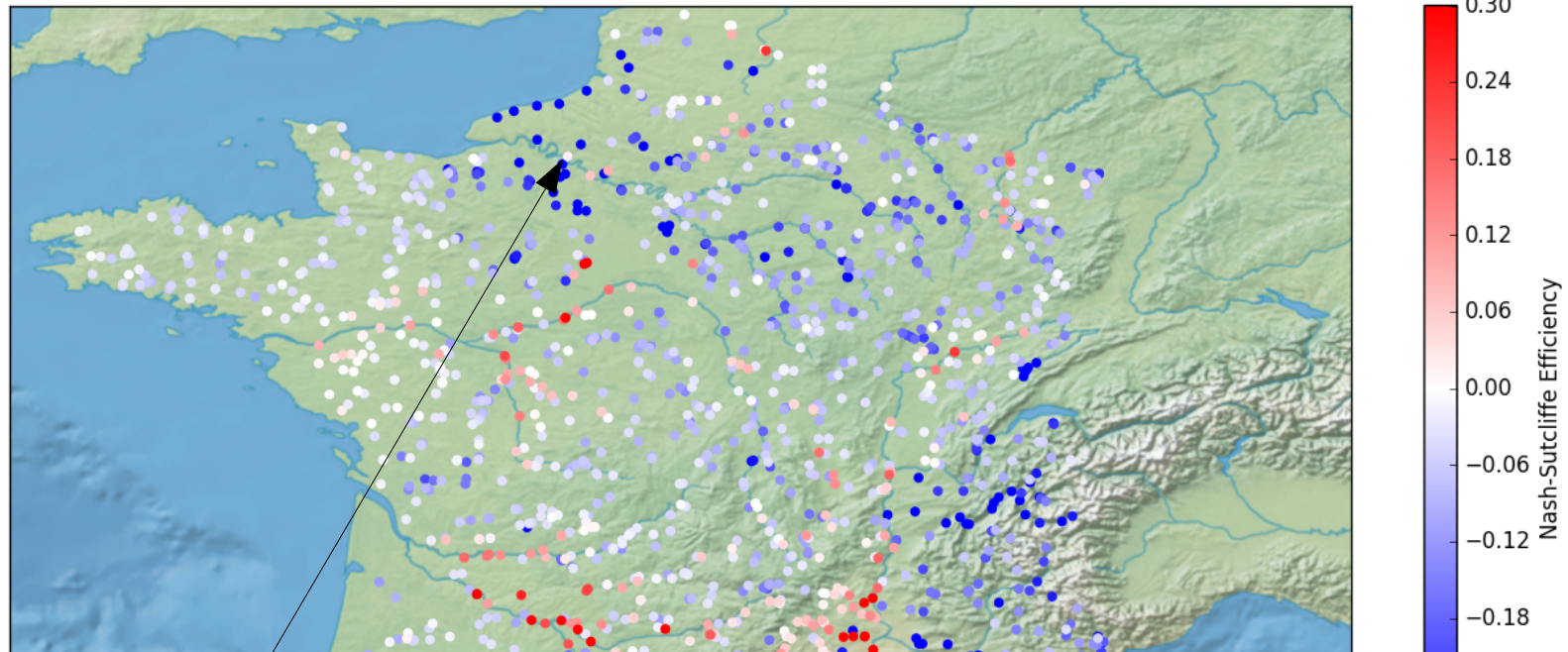
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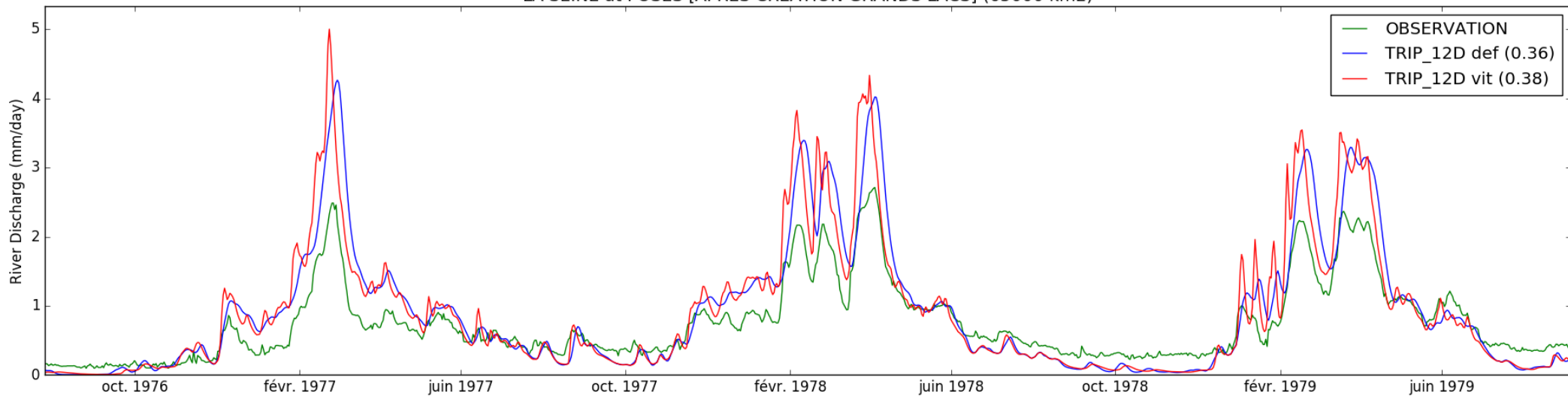


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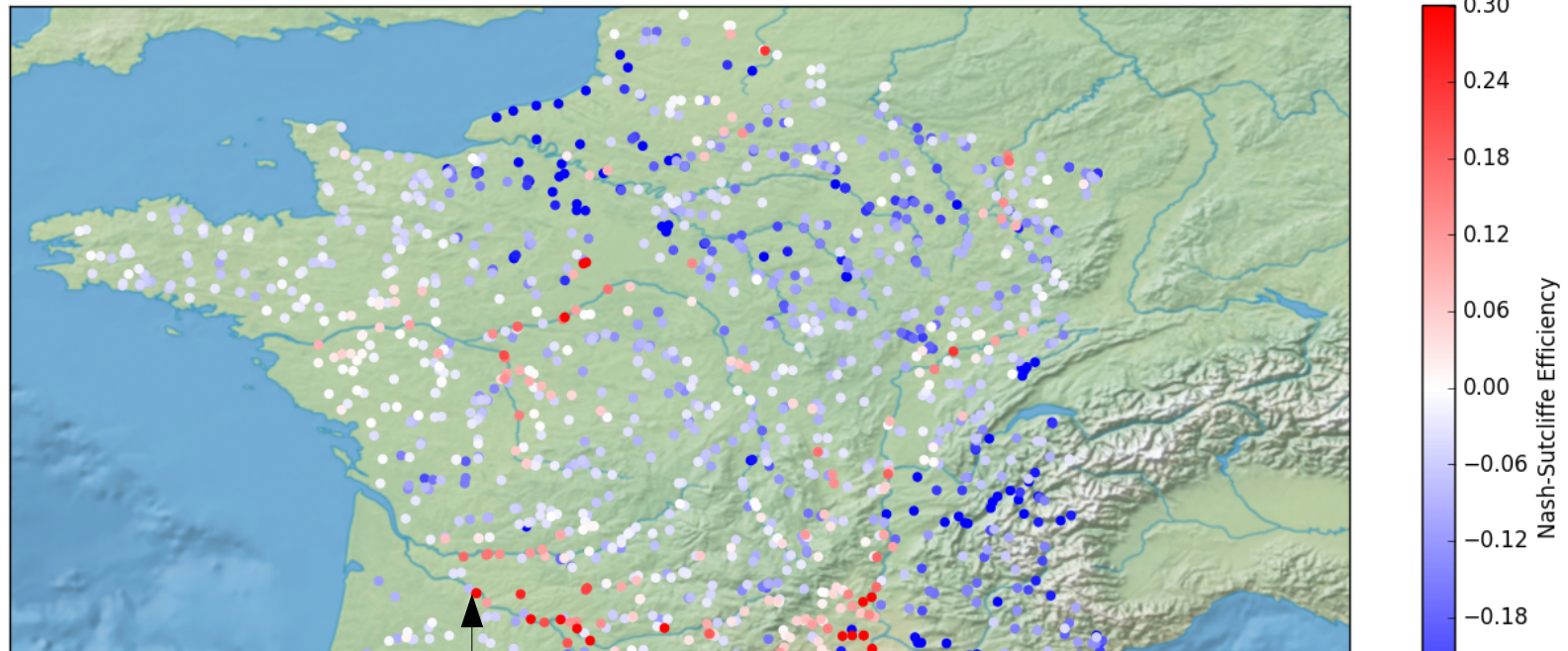


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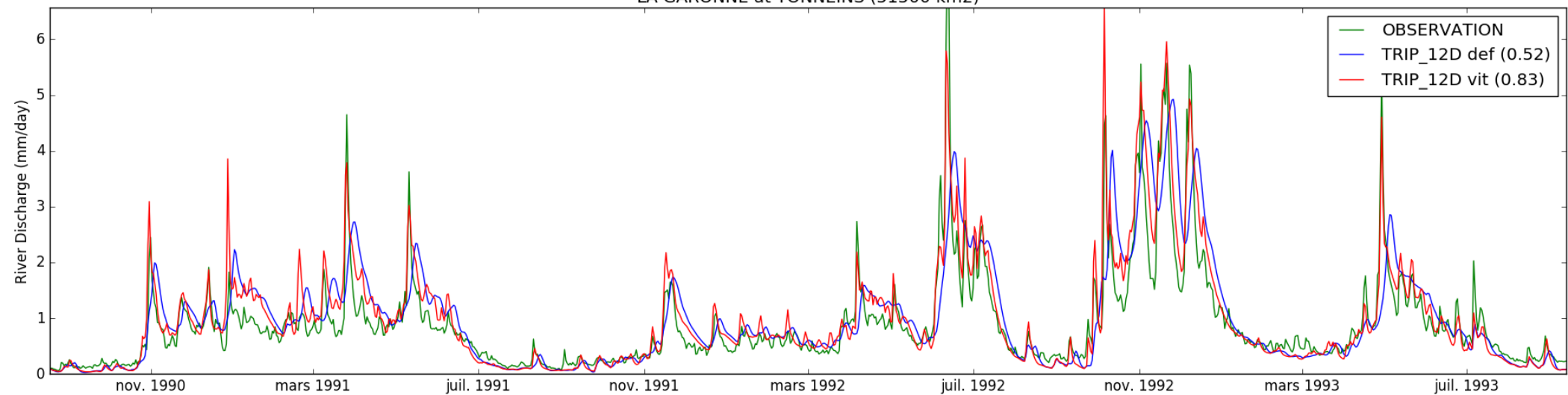


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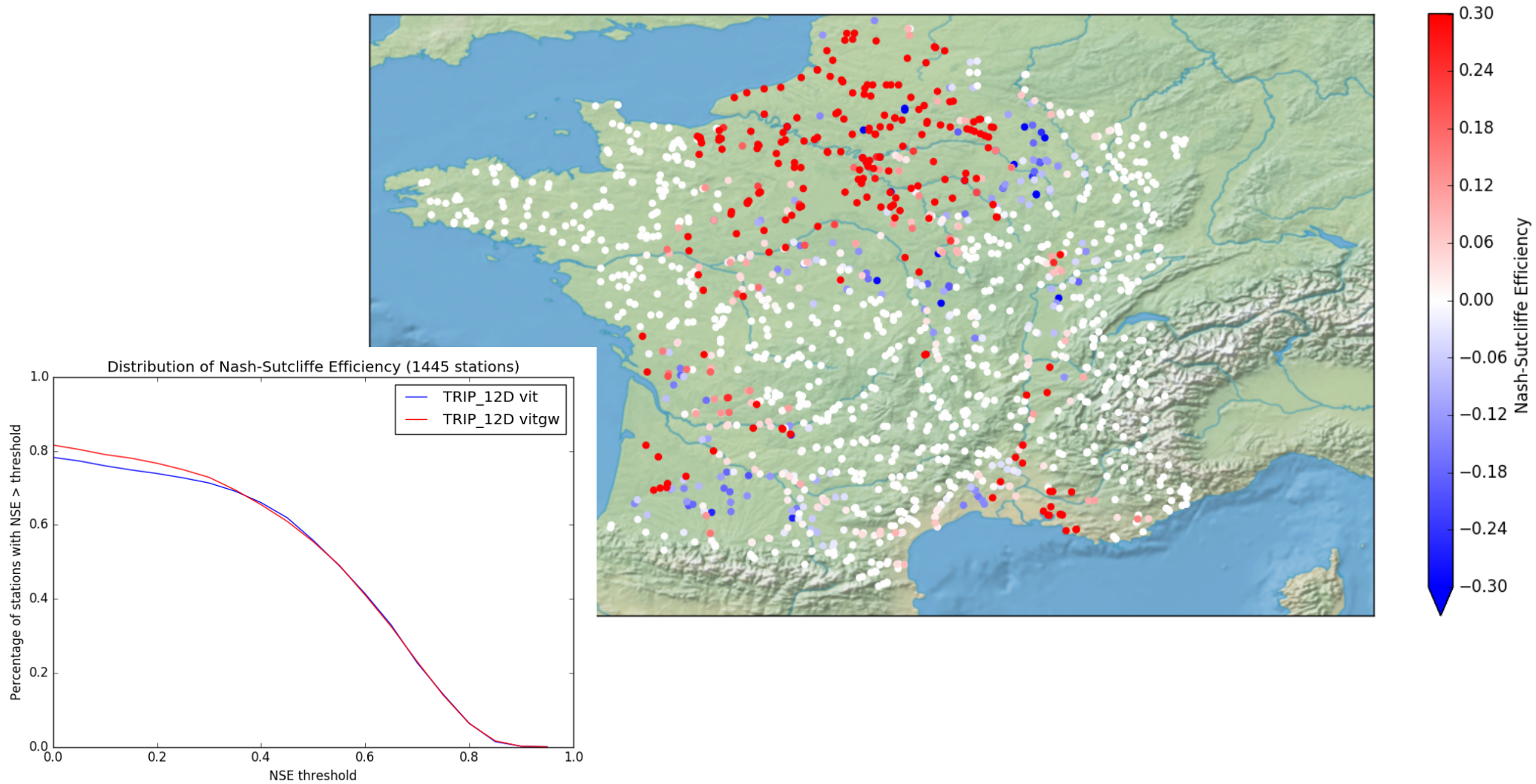
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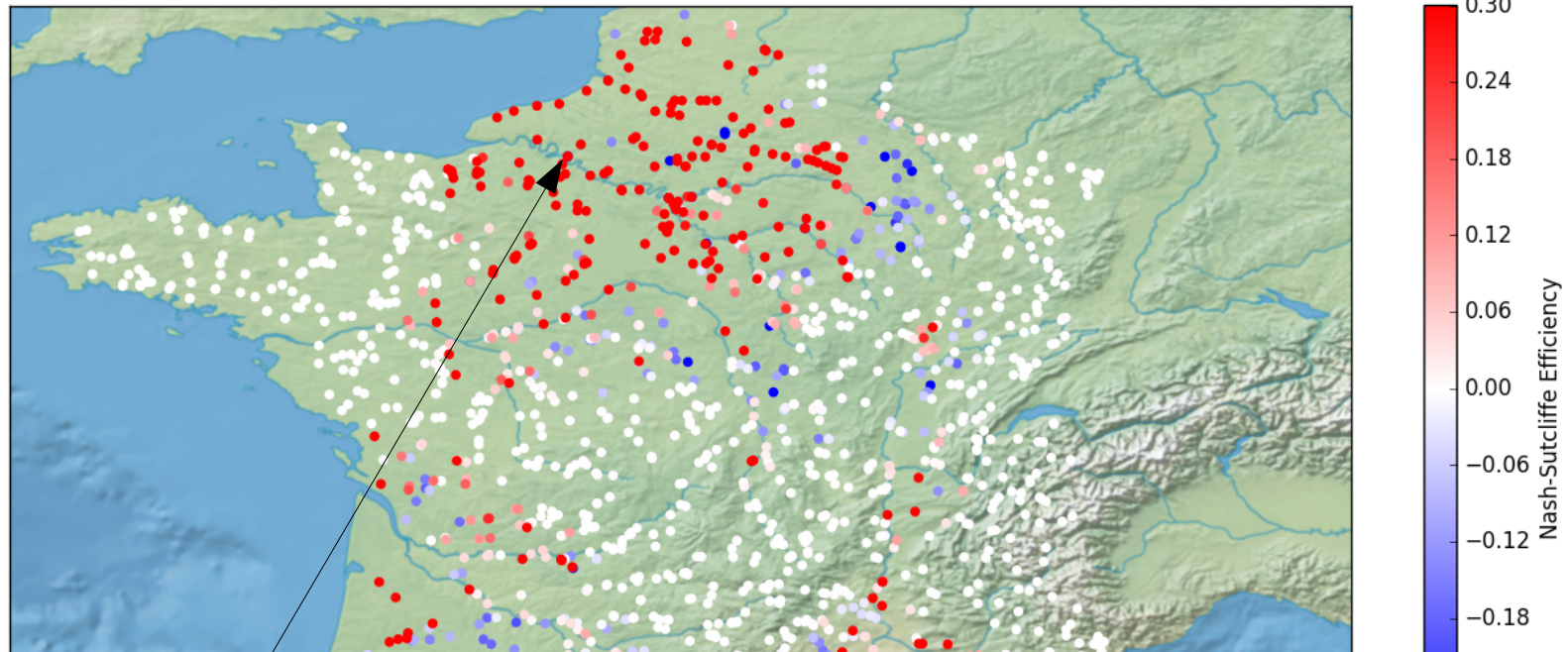
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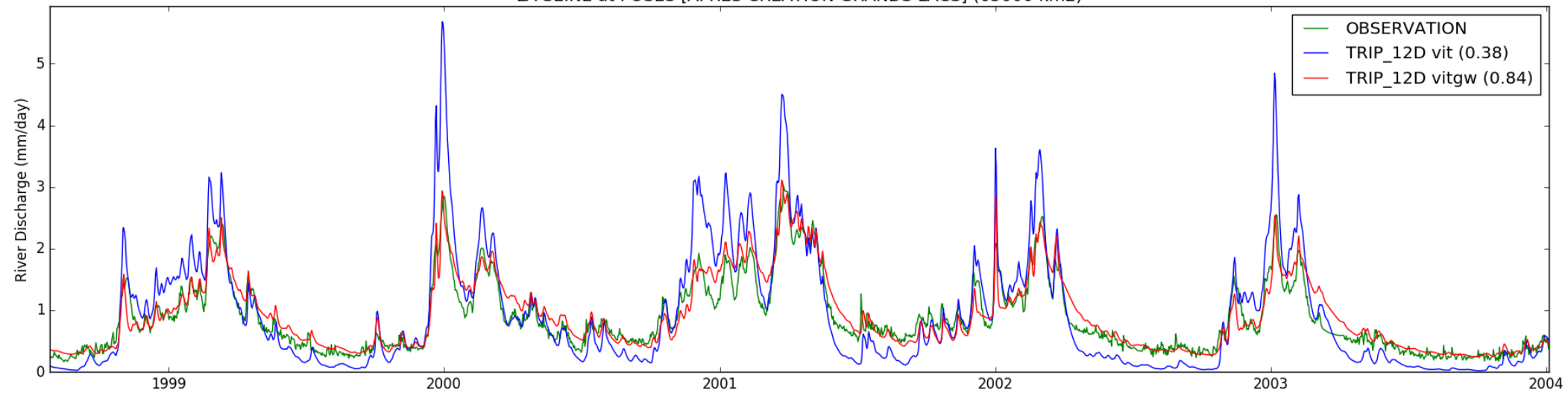


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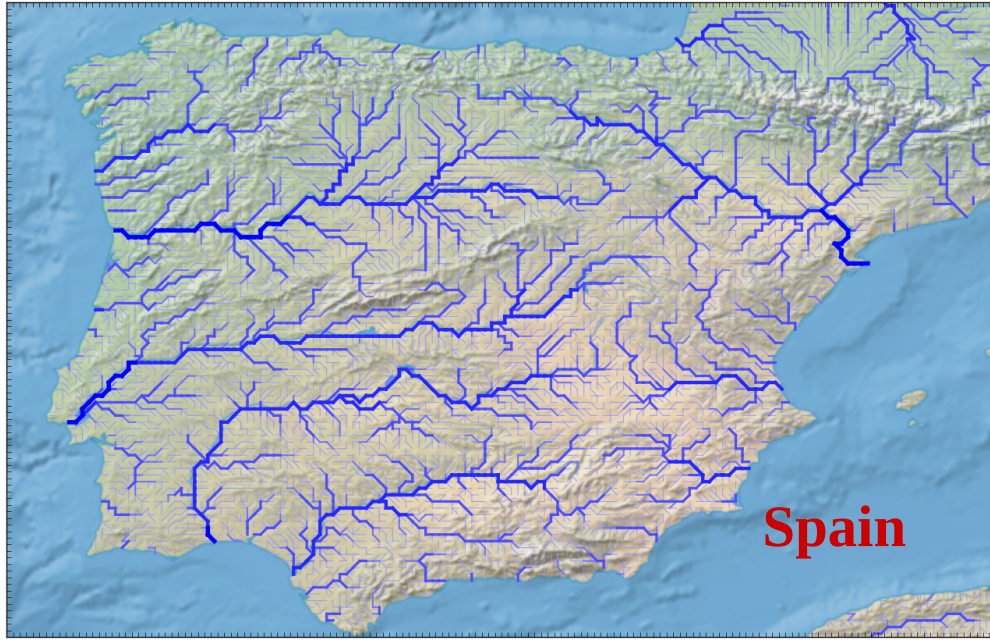
# Next steps

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- Parameterization
  - Improve empirical relationships  
(river width, roughness coefficient)
  - Sensitivity analysis
  
- ISBA-CTRIP coupling
  - Capillary raise
  - Floodplains
  
- Extension to global scale
  - Validation of the river network

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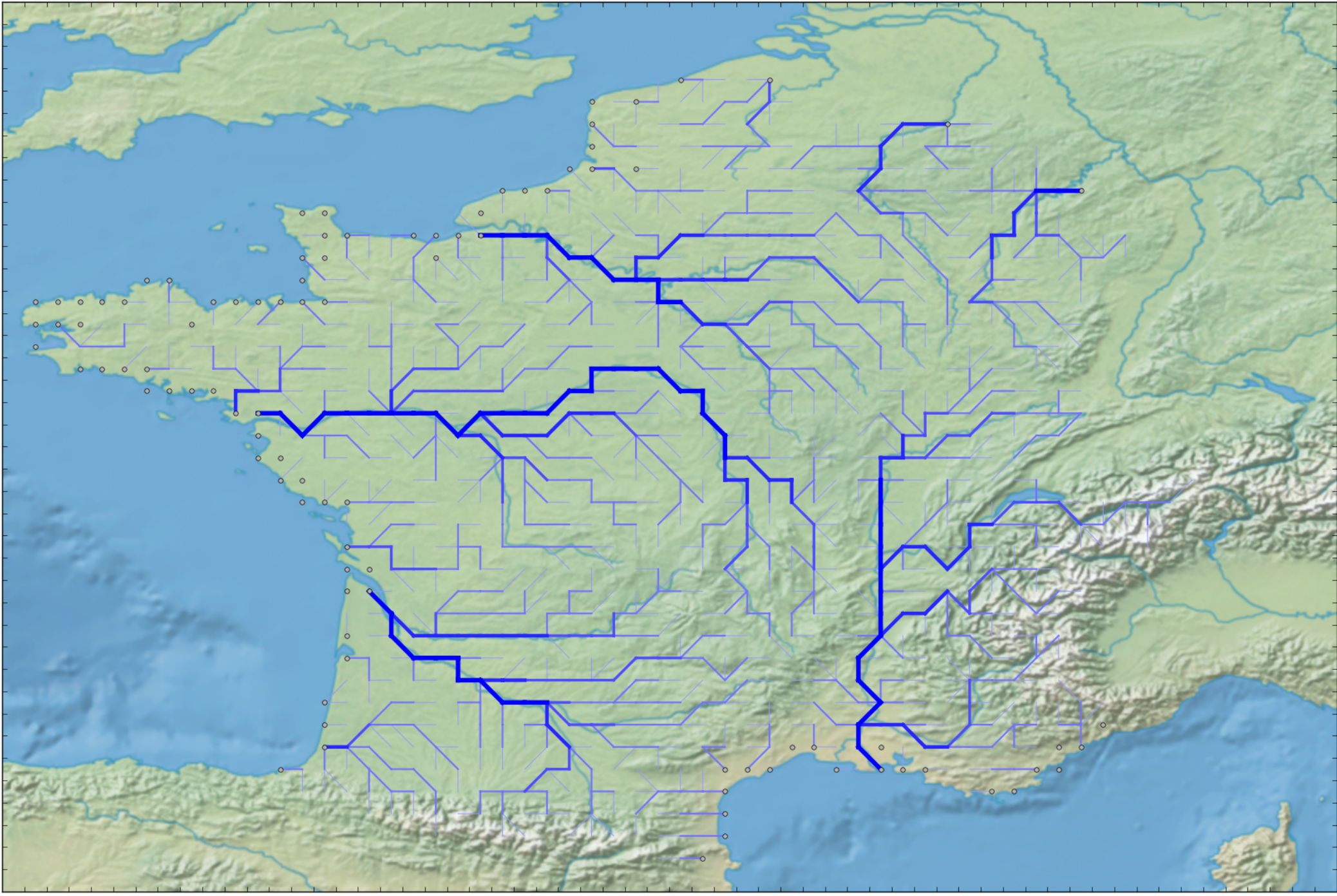


# Thanks!

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# CTRIP 4D



# CTRIP 120D

