



HirLam EPS script Updates and Experiments

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Status of work

Hirlam EPS development steps within GLAMEPS

Date	Changeset	Description
2007-02	4941	first beta version of Hirlam EPS
2007-03	5007	enable ECMWF-EPS data from ectmp:
2007-04	5056	perturbed analysis framework
2007-04	5065	random list mechanism
2007-06	5173	TEPS-NO data on ectmp:
2007-08	5255/5294	enhancement of mini SMS
2007-10	5404	separate DA—EPS cycling
2007-11	5561	proper disk sanitation in ensemble mode
2007-12	5634	mini SMS option to limit number of task submissions
2008-02	5706	tolerance facility for member forecast failures
2008-03	5769	access to European TEPS boundaries

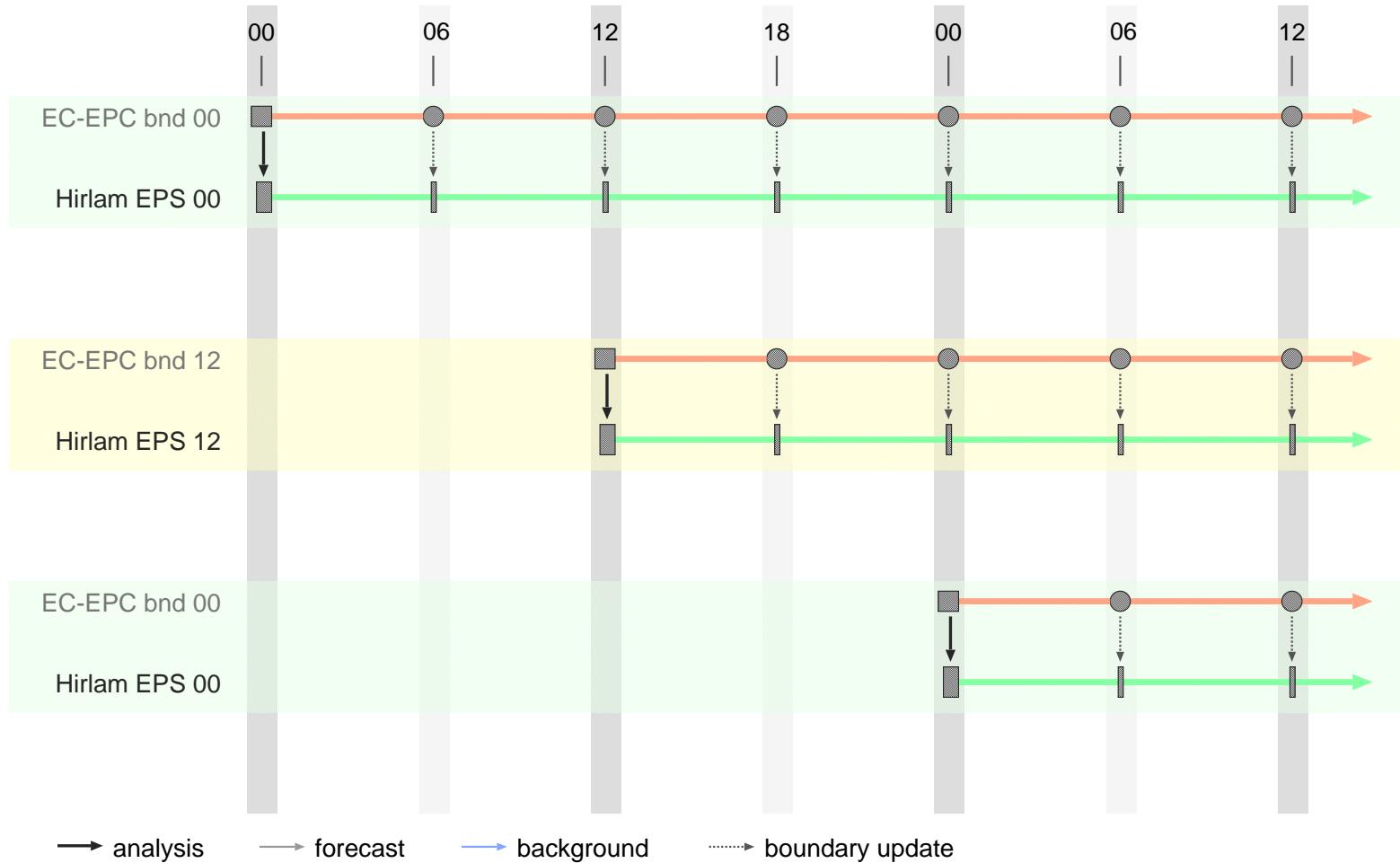


Current Hirlam EPS

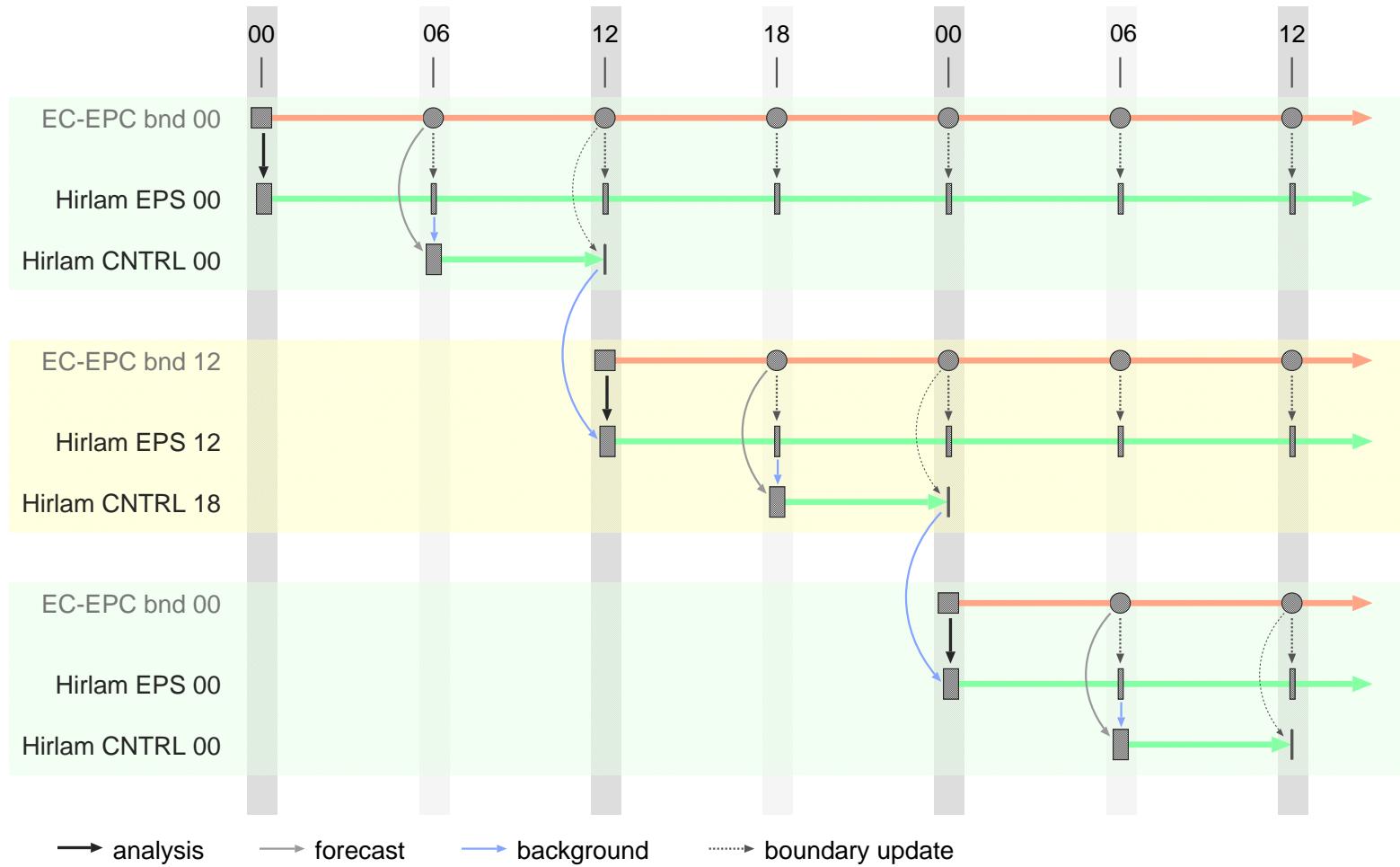
Main features

- deterministic, single-member, multi-member modes
 - boundary data from
 - European TEPS 20+1 members , 12h cycle — no daily runs yet
 - ECMWF-EPS 50+1 members , 12h cycle
 - TEPS-NO 20+1 members , 24h cycle
 - availability from data pool on ec: or ectmp:
 - data assimilation (control run)
 - perturbed analysis for members without DA
 - ensemble cycling independent from DA-cycle
 - member specific environment settings (explicit or random, e.g. conv./cond.)
 - tolerance option for failing ensemble member forecasts
- ⇒ <https://hirlam.org/trac/wiki/HirlamSystemDocumentation/Configure/EnsemblePrediction>

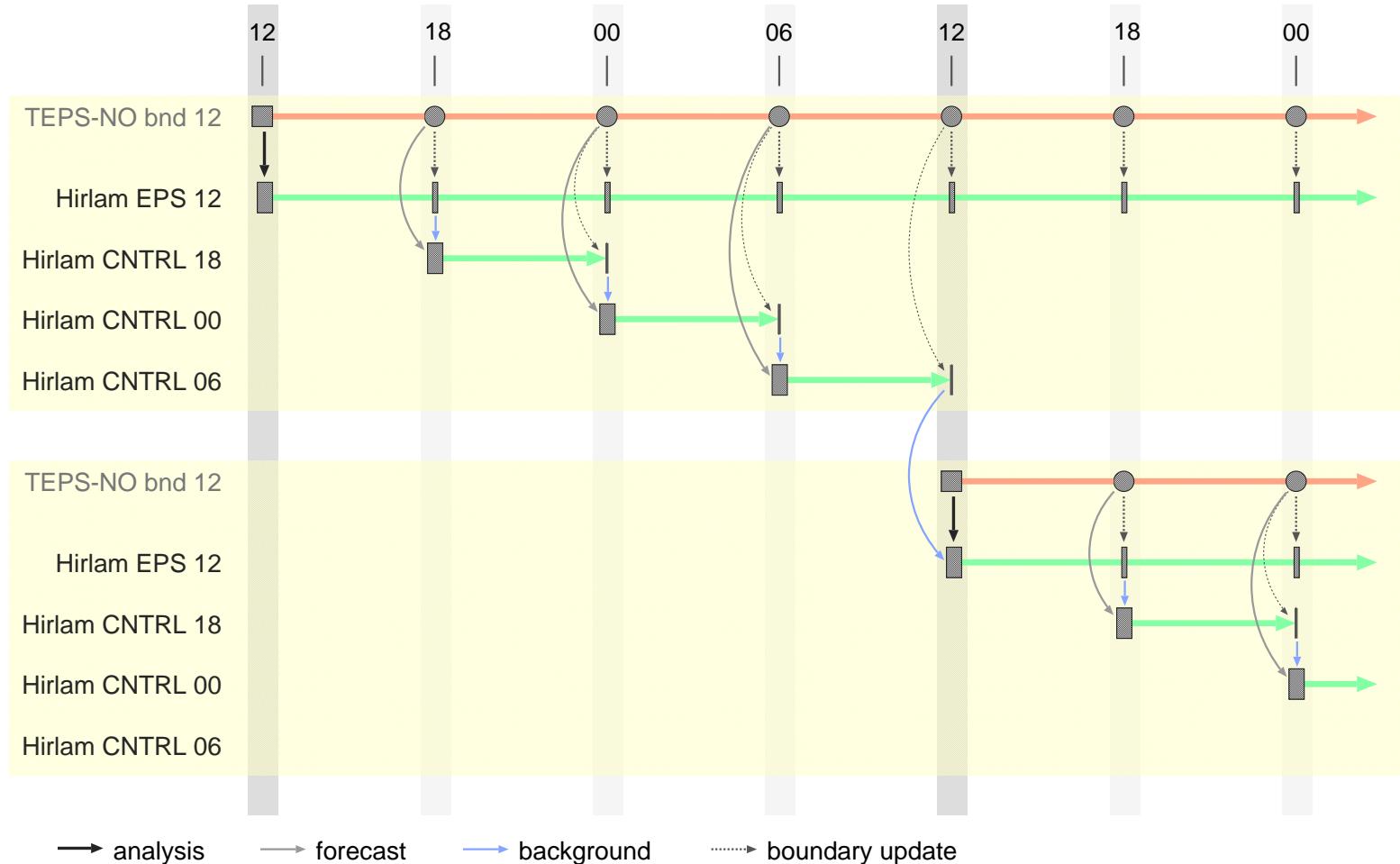
ECMWF-EPS boundaries in 12-hr cycle — downscaling



ECMWF-EPS boundaries in 12-hr cycle — Hirlam DA cycle



TEPS-NO boundaries in 24-hr cycle — Hirlam DA cycle





Current Hirlam EPS

Relevant namelists and tunables 1

→ Env_expdesc

→ ENSBND

specification of ensemble boundary data
(e.g. teps_eur)

→ ENSSIZE

number of perturbed members (3-digits!)

→ ENSFIRST

number-ID of the first ensemble member (3-digits!)

→ ENSDA

list of members to run DA, **cycle by FCINT**

→ ENSDALL

fc-length of members in ENSDA list (2-digits!) during
intermediate DA cycles

→ ENSCINT

ensemble cycle interval

all members run to fc-length given by LL

→ RND_EVENTTYPES

list of random events, currently: :con:

→ ENSDAFAIL

list of tolerated failures in forecasts of members
listed in ENSDA during non-ENSCINT cycles

→ ENSFAIL

like ENSDAFAIL, but for **all** members during the
ENSCINT cycles

⇒ <https://hirlam.org/trac/wiki/HirlamSystemDocumentation/EPS/Settings>



Current Hirlam EPS

Relevant namelists and tunables 2

- [Env_ensmbr](#)
 - specification of ensemble member specific environment
 - definition of random event types and usage
- [Env_ecmwf](#)
 - MARS_TMPDIR path to boundary data pool on ECMWF platform
- [Env_expdesc](#)
 - ENSFAIL_REGEX regular expression used to scan fc_signals in order to detect forecast length information
this parameter is usually **not** specified explicitly
- ⇒ <https://hirlam.org/trac/wiki/HirlamSystemDocumentation/EPS/Settings>



Current Hirlam EPS

scripts/EnsInit — ensemble initiation

```
...
=====
functions
randomlist () {
    ...
}

=====
main
# directory for ensemble lists etc.
enspath="${CYCLEDIR}/ensemble"
[ -d $enspath ] || mkdir -p $enspath
# ...
if [ ${ENSSIZE-1} -gt 0 ]; then
    ...
fi
=====
normal exit
trap "echo $0: complete" 0
```

NOTE: \$enspath is common for all members, and it is stored in the archive for reuse



Hirlam EPS — GLAMEPS experiments

GLAMEPS v0

- 3-week period: [1. to 21. August 2007](#)
- GLAMEPS v0 domain ([EPS71](#): 306x260x40, 0.2 degree grid)
- [20+1](#) members
- [data assimilation](#) in control run (3DVAR), else simple perturbed analysis
- boundaries: [ECMWF-EPS](#) and [TEPS-NO](#)
- [KF/RK](#) and [STRACO](#) scheme
- verification trial with [Hppv](#) package of Carlos Santos (INM)

GLAMEPS v0 — list of experiments

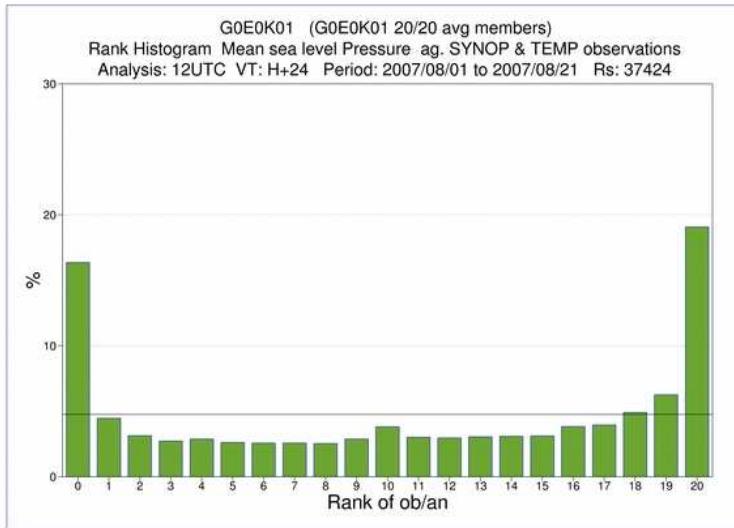
Identifier	Description
G0E0K00	ECMWF-EPS boundaries, KF/RK conv./cond., downscaling
G0E0S00	as G0E0K00, but STRACO scheme
• G0E0K01	ECMWF-EPS boundaries, KF/RK conv./cond., DA + pert. analysis
• G0E0S01	as G0E0K01, but STRACO scheme
G0E0R01	ECMWF-EPS boundaries, random conv./cond., DA + pert. analysis
• G0T0K01	TEPS-NO boundaries, KF/RK conv./cond., DA + pert. analysis
• G0T0S01	as G0T0K01, but STRACO scheme

→ computer resources per experiment: ≈ 80.000 SBUs* – ≈ 45 GB/day

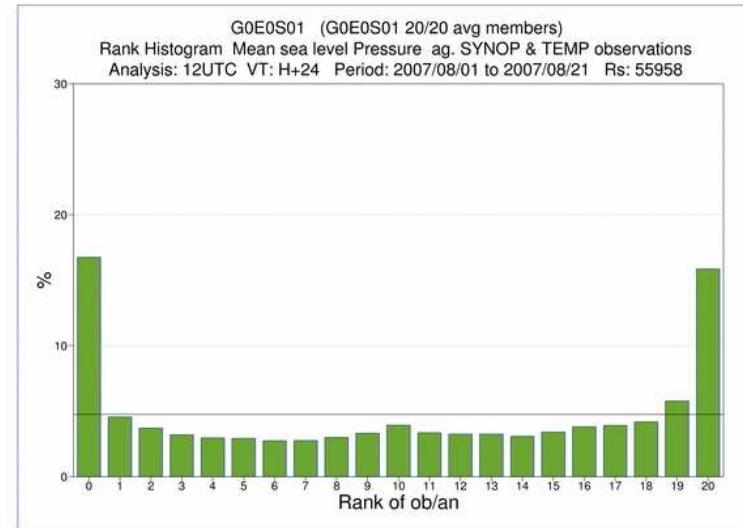
* excl. failures, restarts etc.

Hirlam EPS — experiments

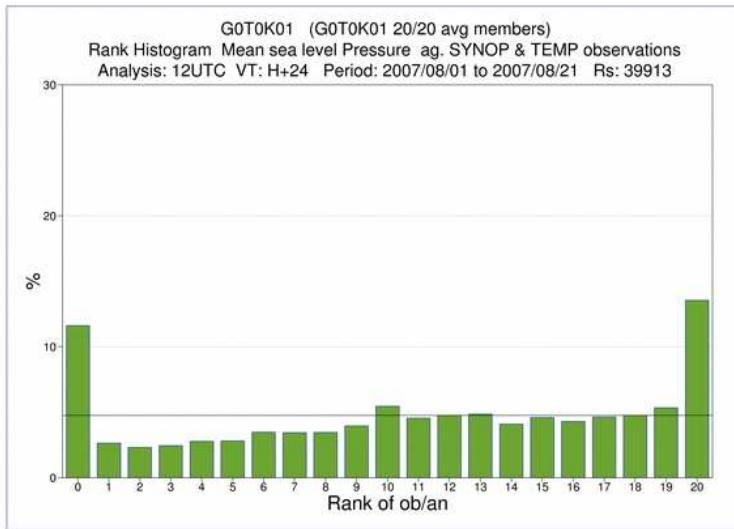
mean sea level pressure, rank histogram t+24



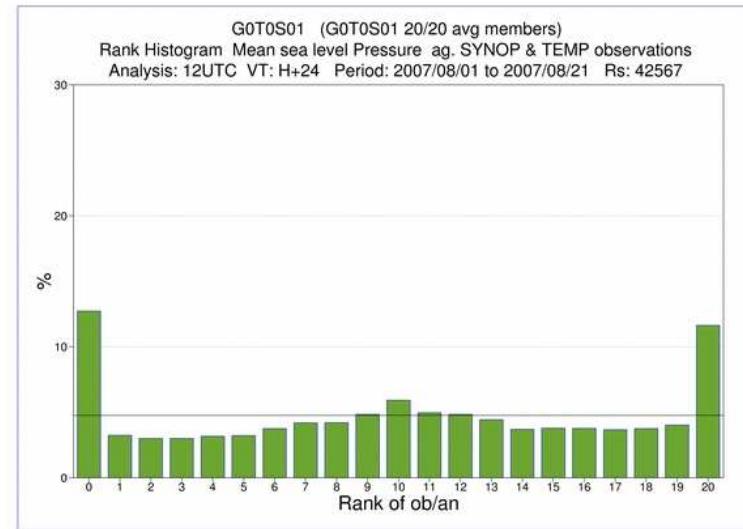
G0E0K01 →



← G0E0S01



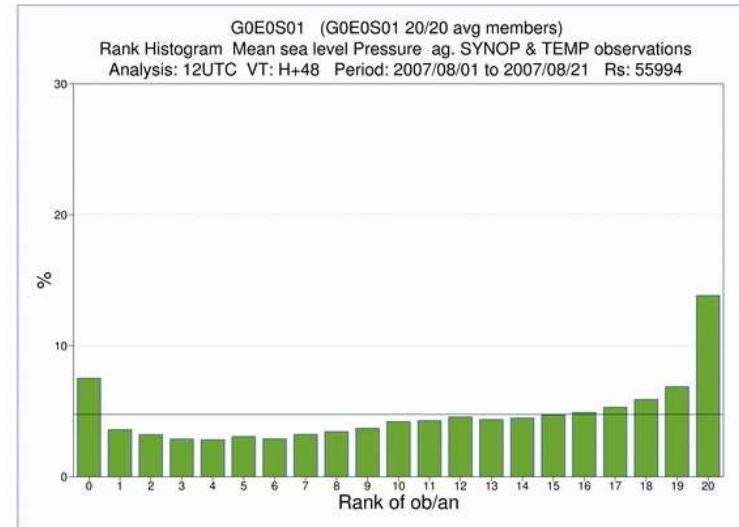
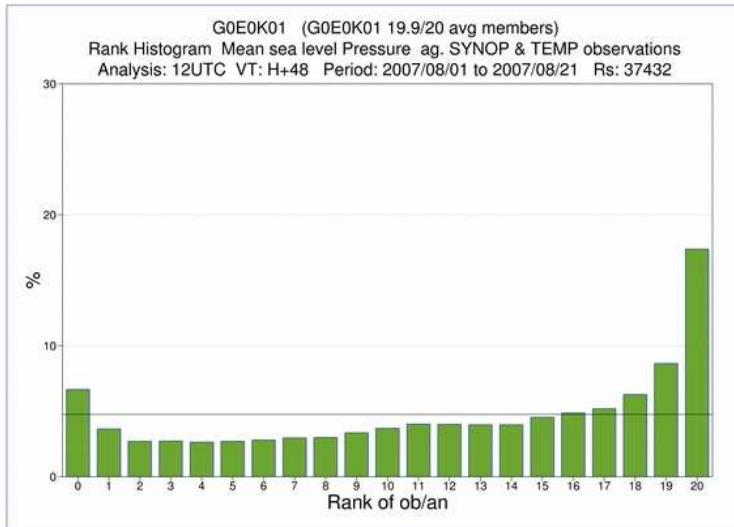
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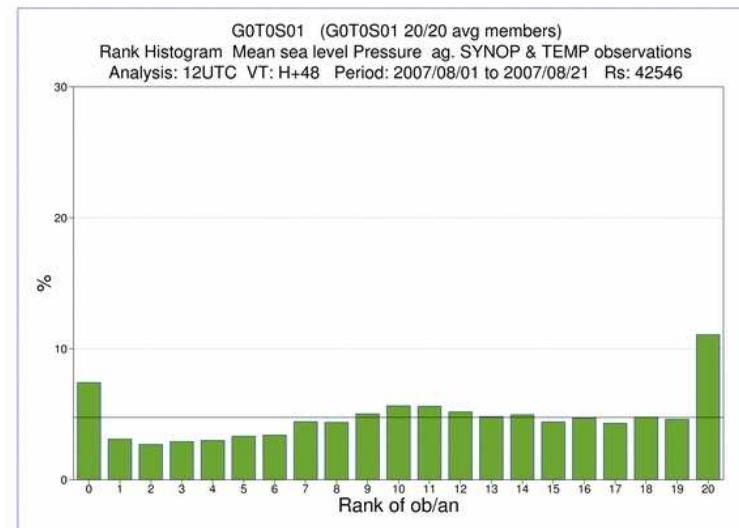
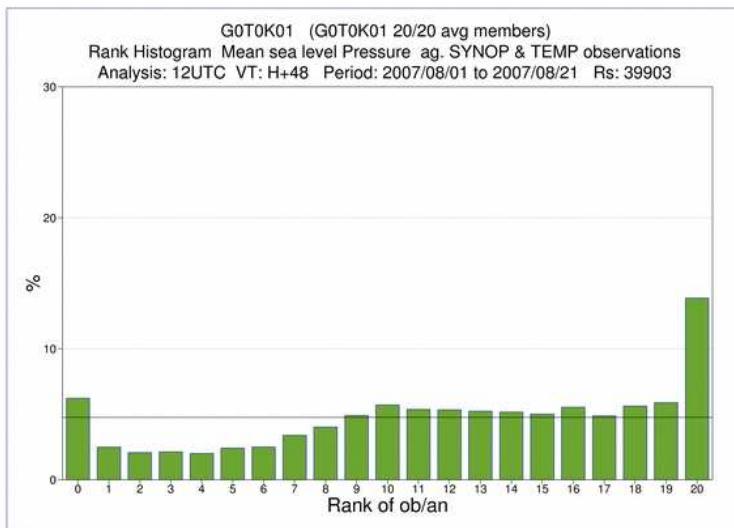
Hirlam EPS — experiments

mean sea level pressure, rank histogram t+48



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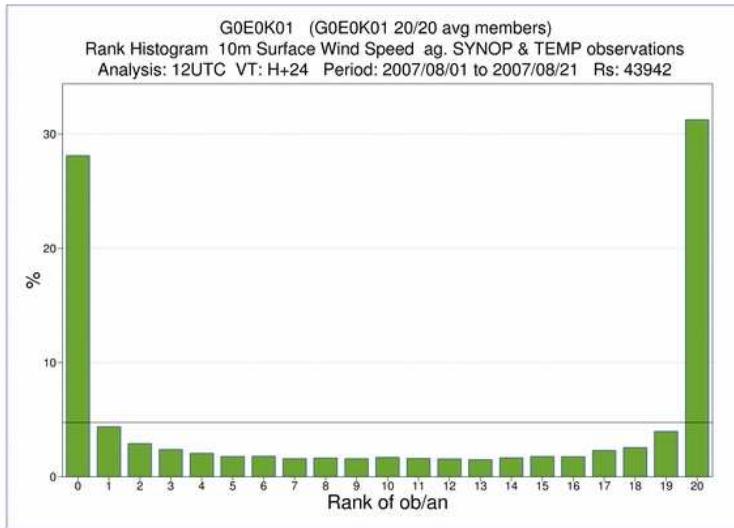


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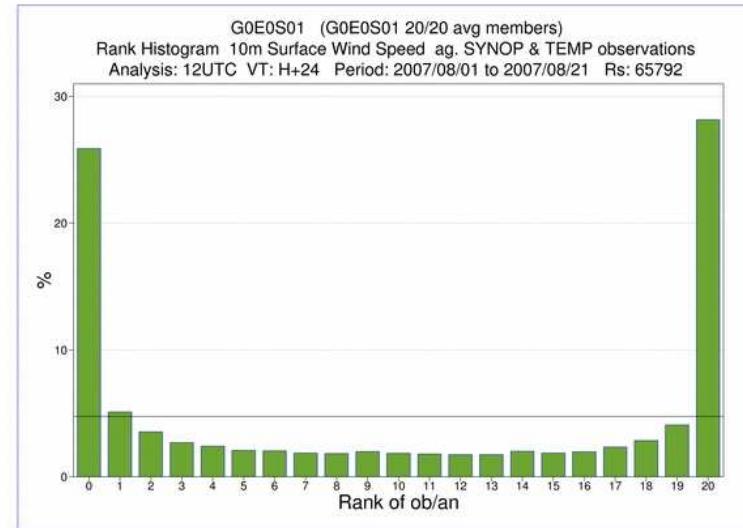
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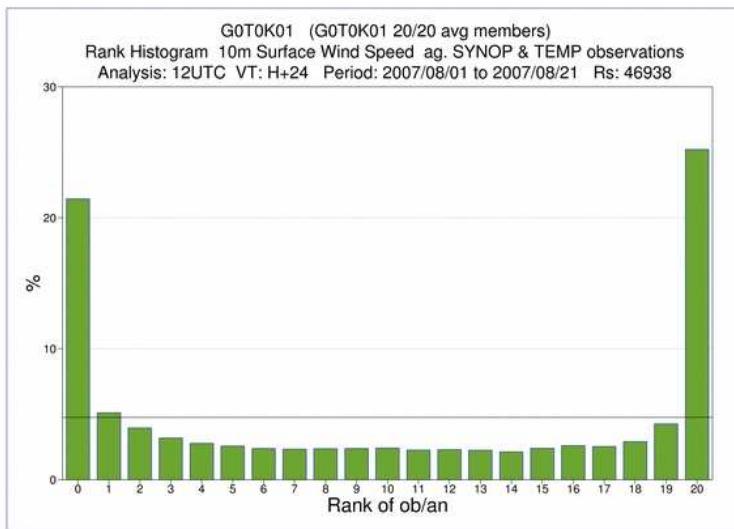
10m wind speed, rank histogram t+24



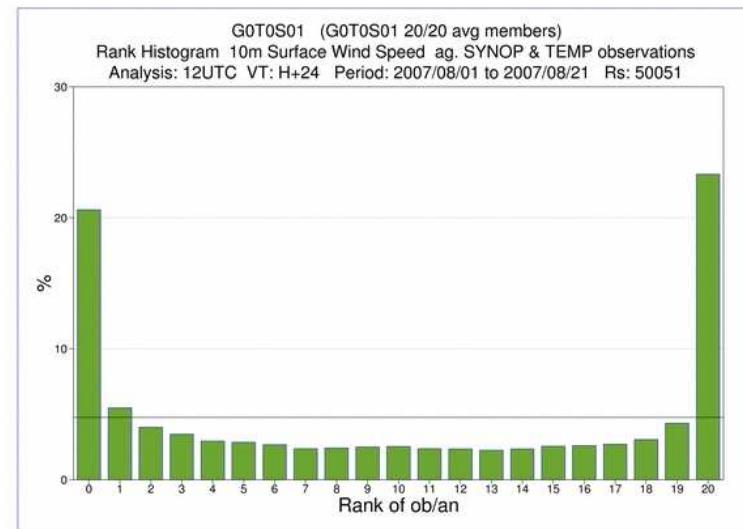
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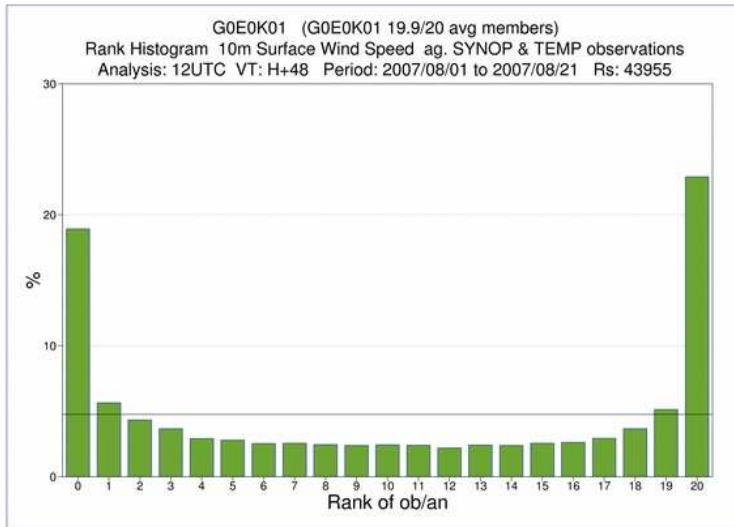
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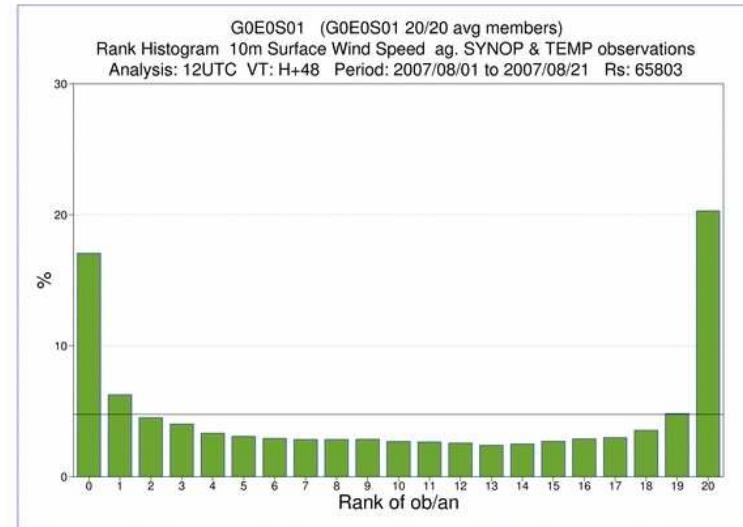
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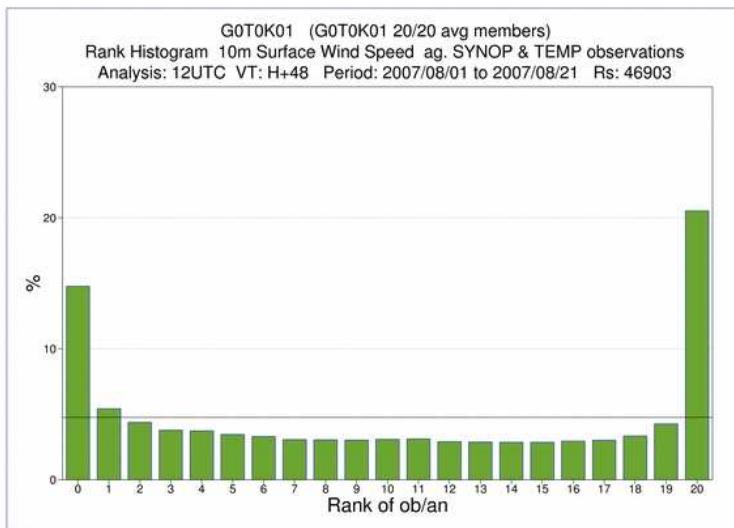
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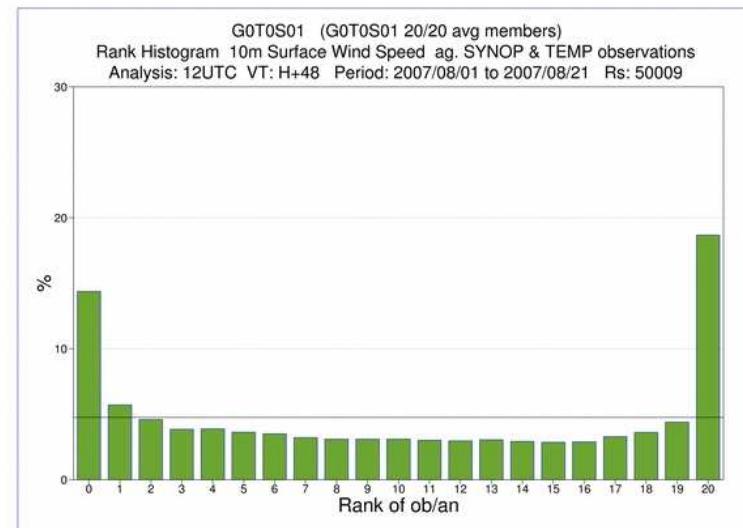
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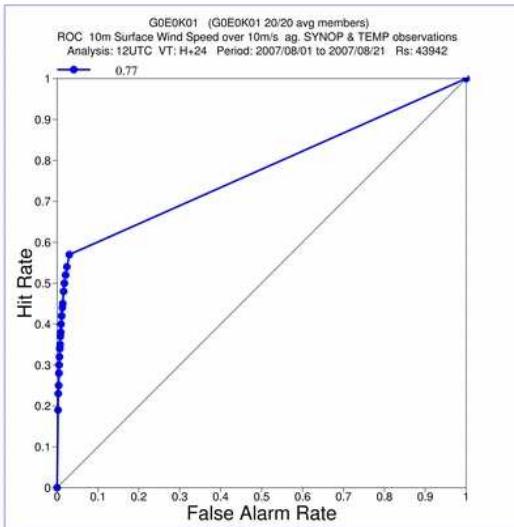
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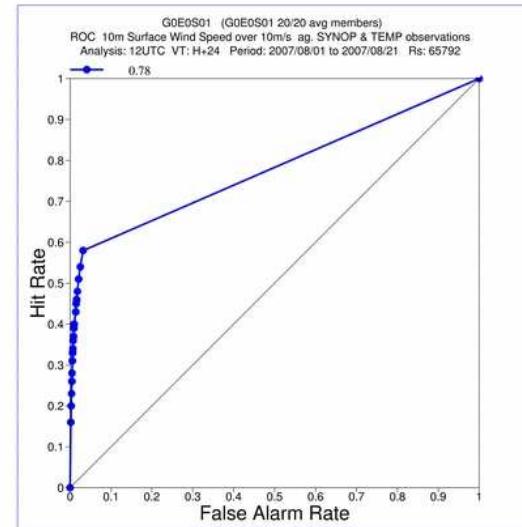
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Hirlam EPS — experiments

10m wind speed > 10m/s, ROC t+24

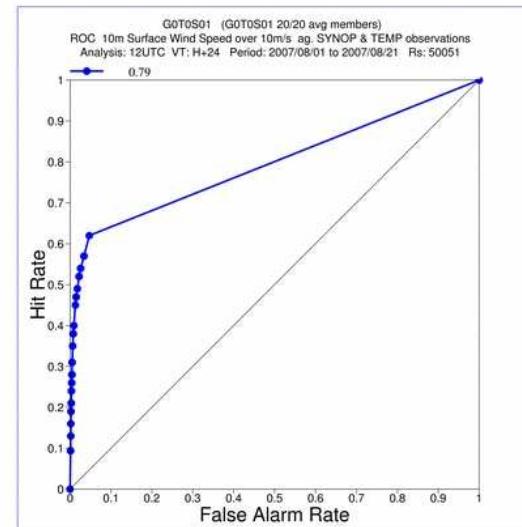
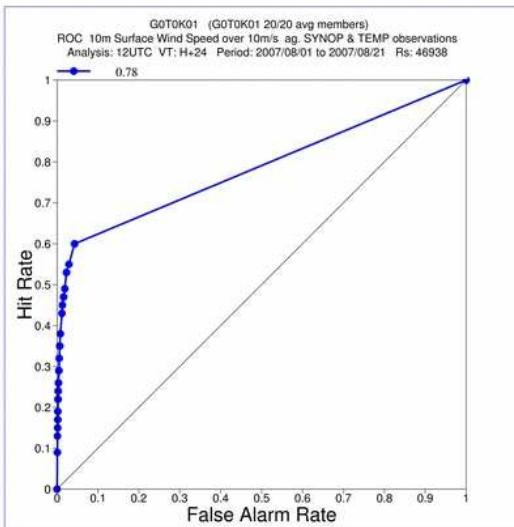


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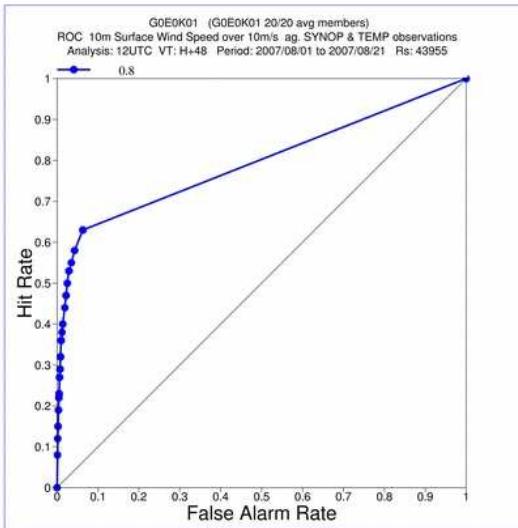
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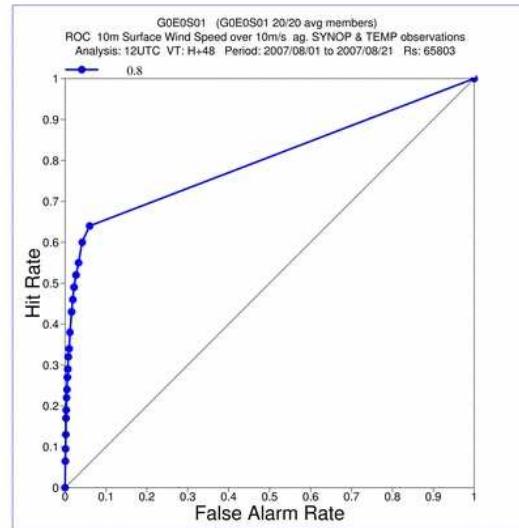
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10m wind speed > 10m/s, ROC t+48

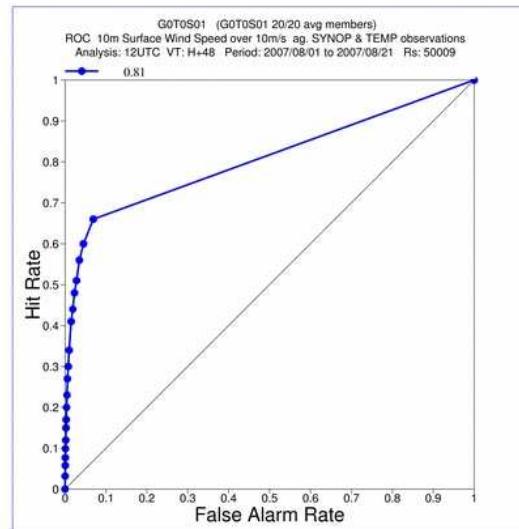
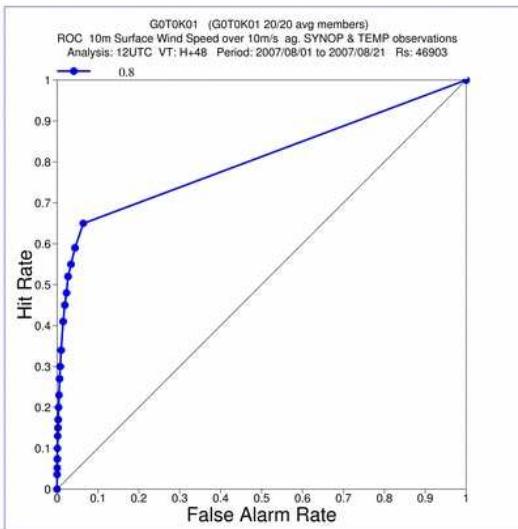


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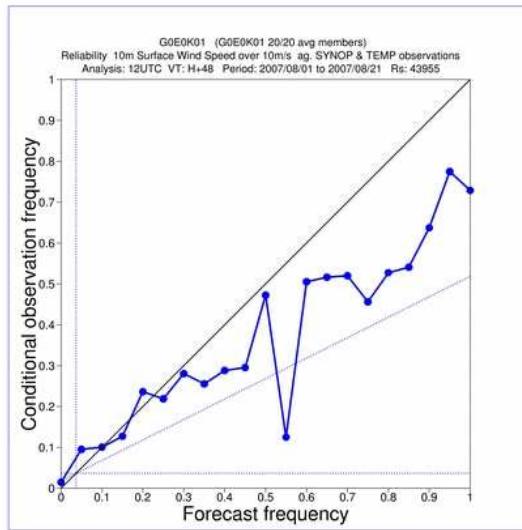


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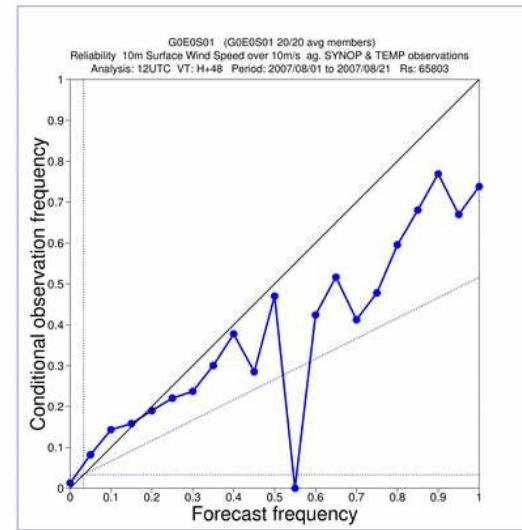
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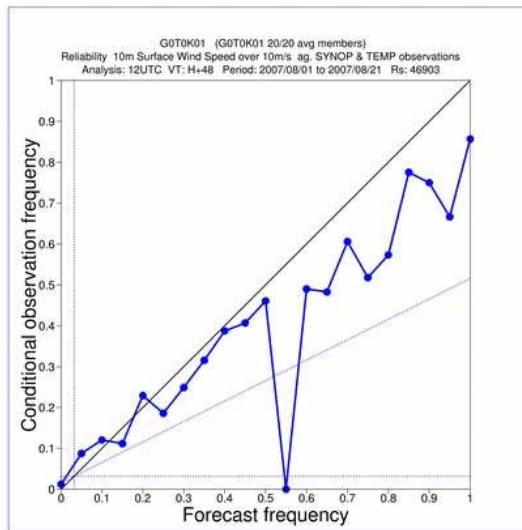
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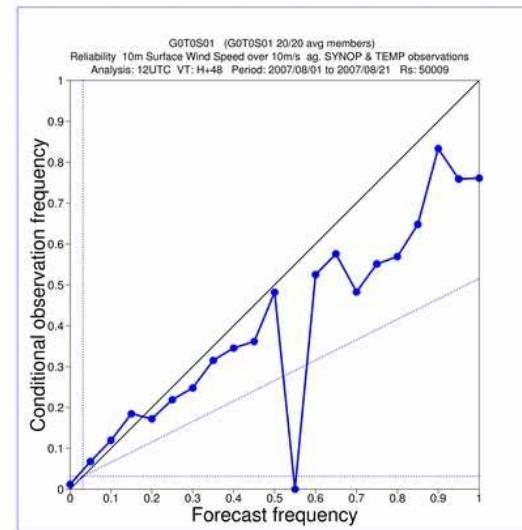
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next implementaions

- stochastic physics (dev. by Henrik Feddersen, Jose A. Garcia Moya)
- boundary strategies for ensembles (towards daily runs witin GLAMEPS)
- ETKF (dev. by Jelena Bojarova, Nils Gustafsson)
- ? → SV perturbations (dev. by Sibbo van der Veen, Jan Barkmeijer)
- ? → SLAF (dev. by Jose A. Garcia Moya)

open issues — limitations — known bugs

- BG error statistics for GLAMEPS domain does not exist
- analysis currently only possible for one member
- experiments running a 12h ensemble cycle (`ENSCINT=12`) must be started with the 00UTC run
- reduction of output data streams (for daily GLAMEPS runs)
- data storage and archiving
- collection of logs (to be reviewed)