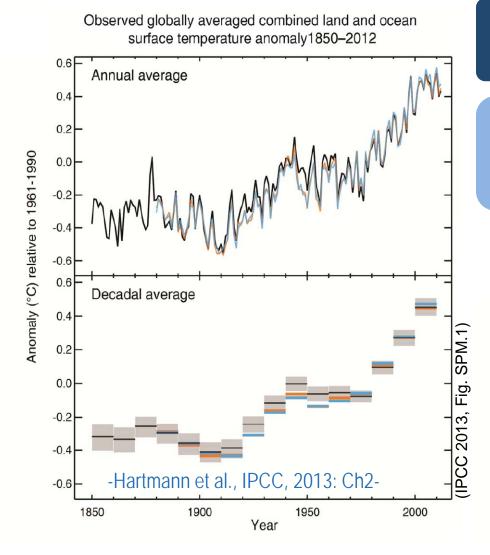


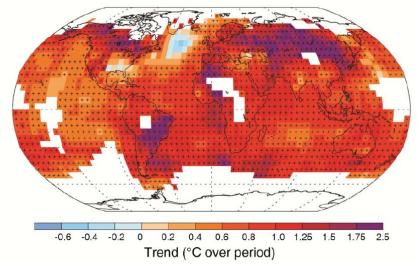
### Observed changes in the climate system: atmosphere



Warming in the climate system is unequivocal Atmosphere and the ocean have warmed

- •Tmax & Tmin have increased (virtually certain)
- •1901-2012: Almost the entire globe has warmed

Observed change in average surface temperature 1901–2012

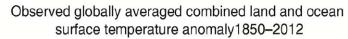


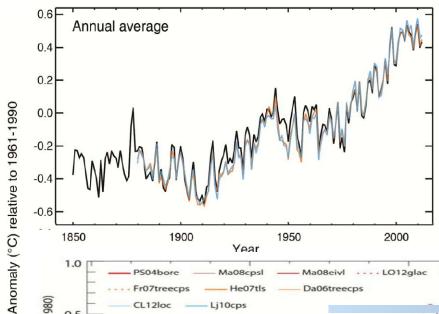






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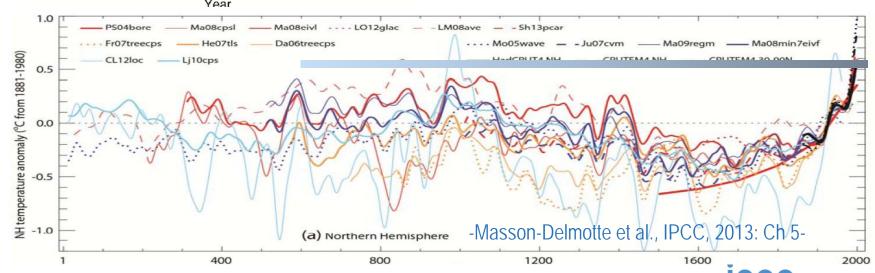




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#### 1983-2012:

Very likely warmest 30-yr period of the last 800 yrs (high conf.) & likely the warmest of the last 1400 yrs (mid. conf).



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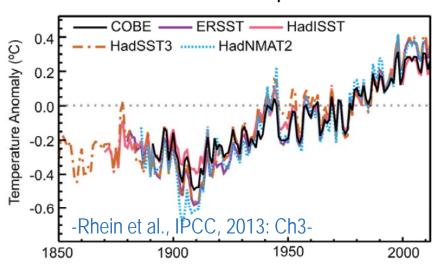






### Observed changes in the climate system: ocean

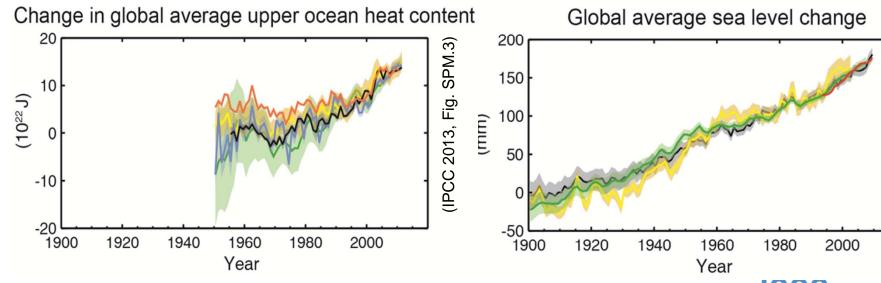
### Sea Surface Temperature



Warming in the climate system is unequivocal Atmosphere and the ocean have warmed Sea level has risen

1901-2010: Gloobal mean sea level rose by 0.19 [0.17-0.21] m

Rate of sea level rise larger than mean rate during previous two millennia (high conf.)



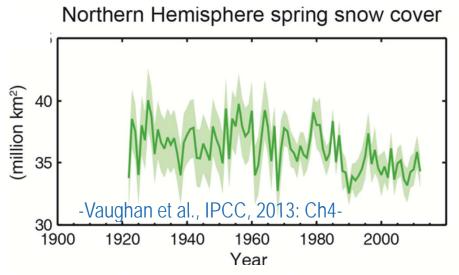
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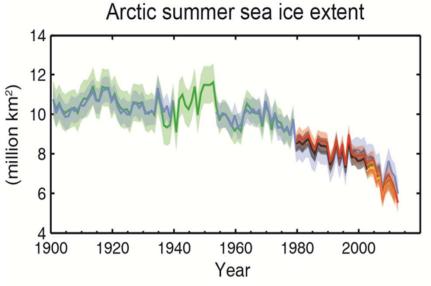
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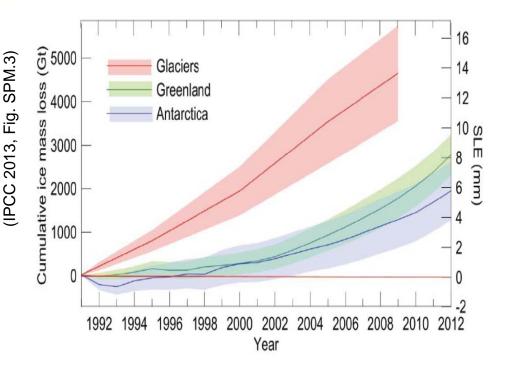
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Snow and ice have diminished

#### 1993-2009:

Glaciers have continued to srink
Actic sea ice & NH spring snow cover decrease



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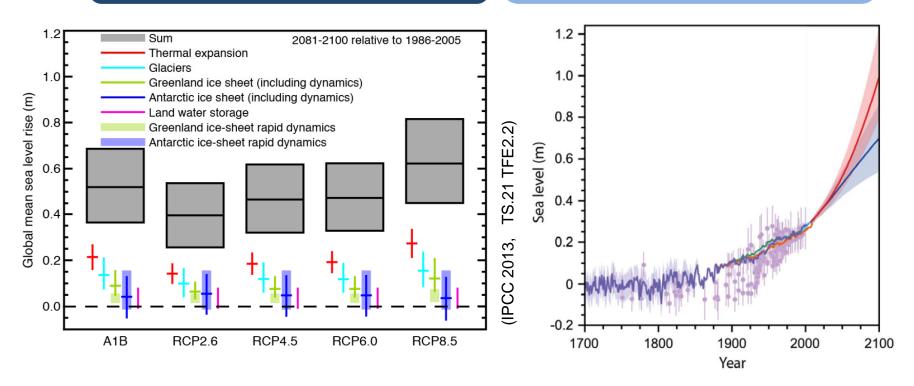


### What are the expected changes for the future?: ocean & sea level

The global ocean will continue to warm during the 21st century.

Heat will penetrate from the surface to the deep ocean and affect ocean circulation and sea level rise

Global mean sea level will continue to rise during the 21st century. Under all RCPs the rate of sea level rise will very likely exceed the observed during 1971-2010.



- Church et al., IPCC, 2013: Ch13-
- Collins et al., IPCC, 2013: Ch12-





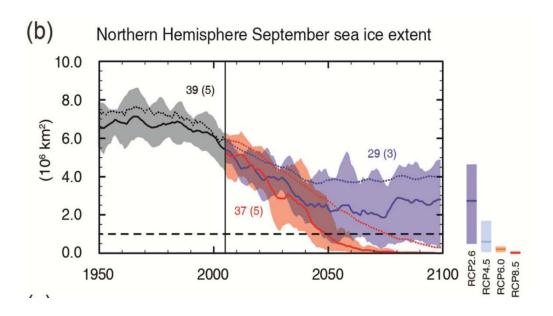




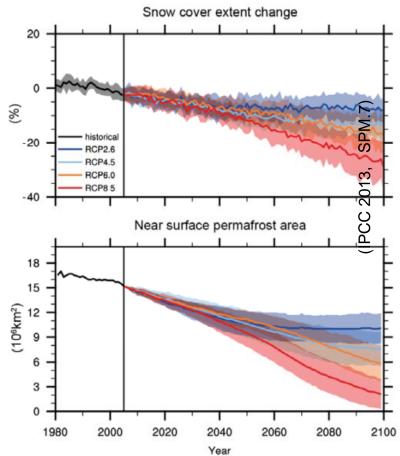
## What are the expected changes for the future?: cryosphere

Arctic sea ice cover will very likely continue to shrink and thin

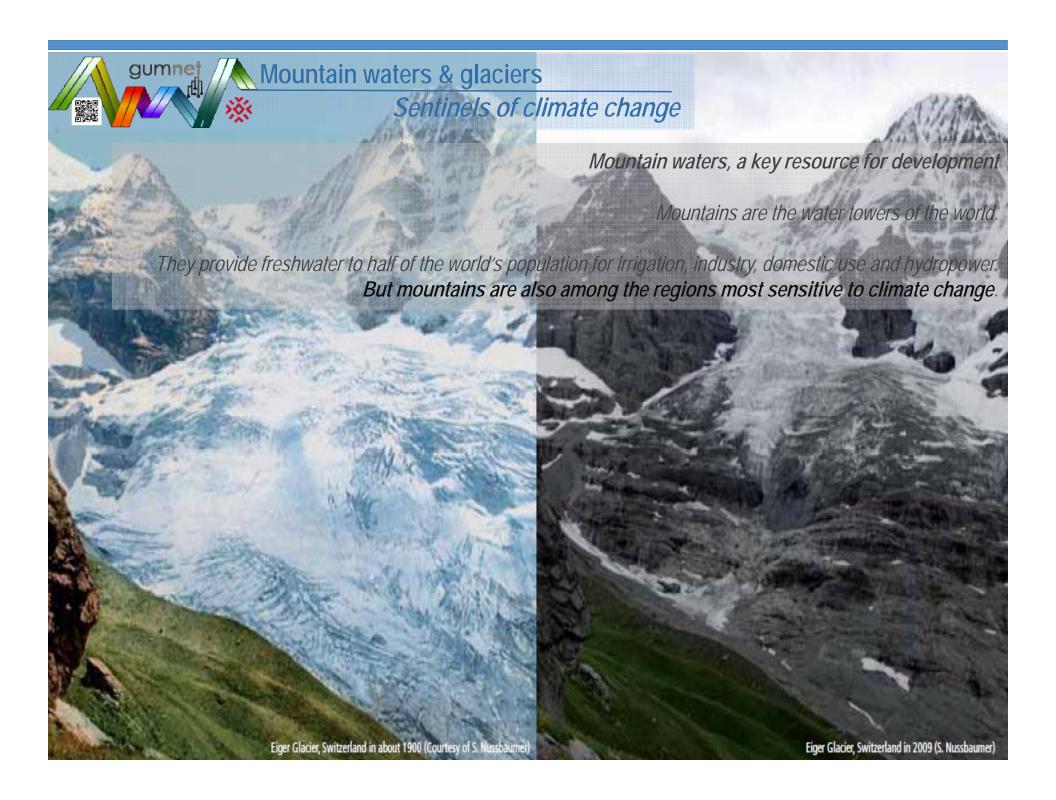
NH spring snow cover will decrease during the 21st century. Global glacier volume will further decrease

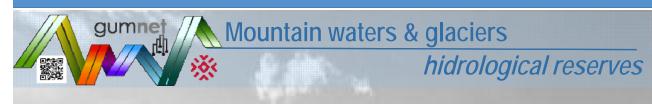


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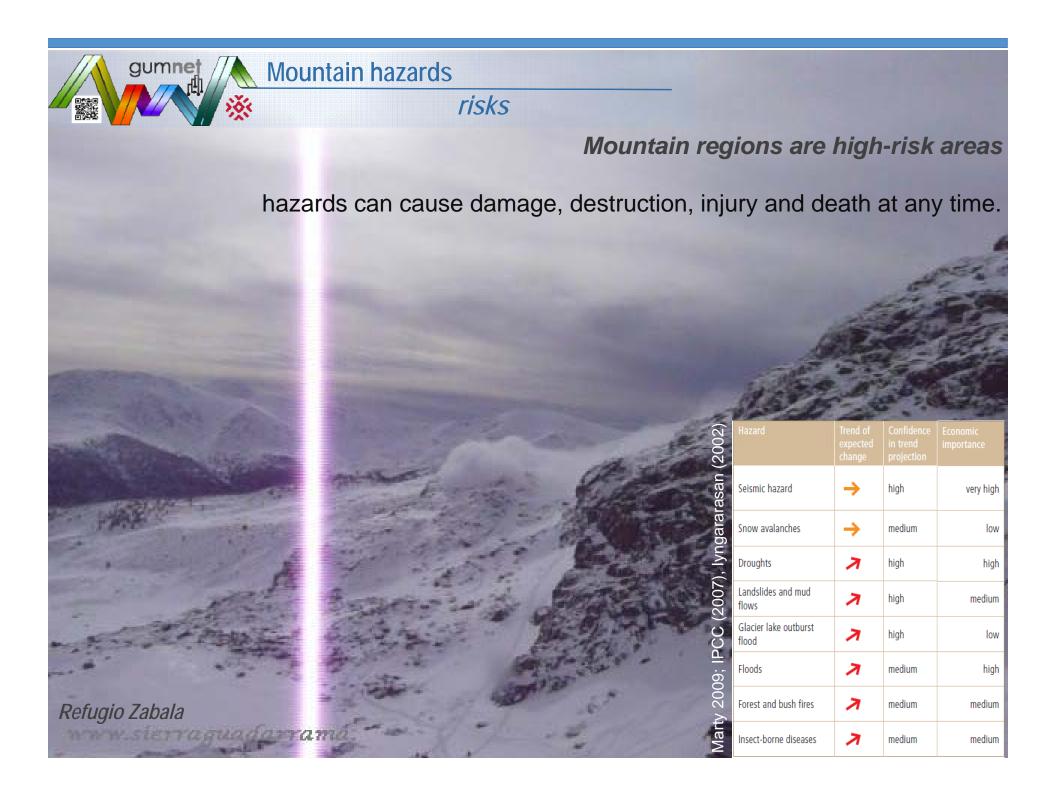
## Mountain waters, a key resource for development

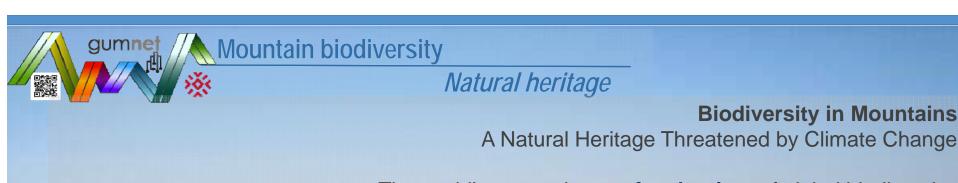
Mountains are the water towers of the world.

They provide freshwater to half of the world's population for irrigation, industry, domestic use and hydropower.

But mountains are also among the regions most sensitive to climate change.





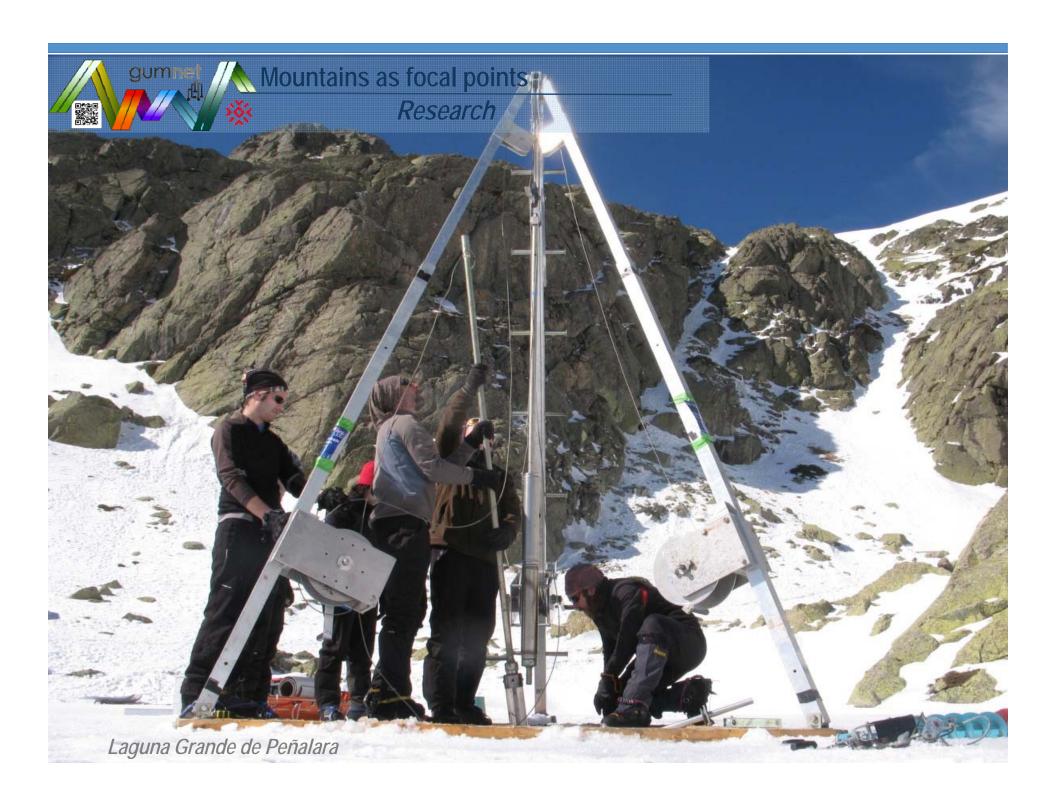


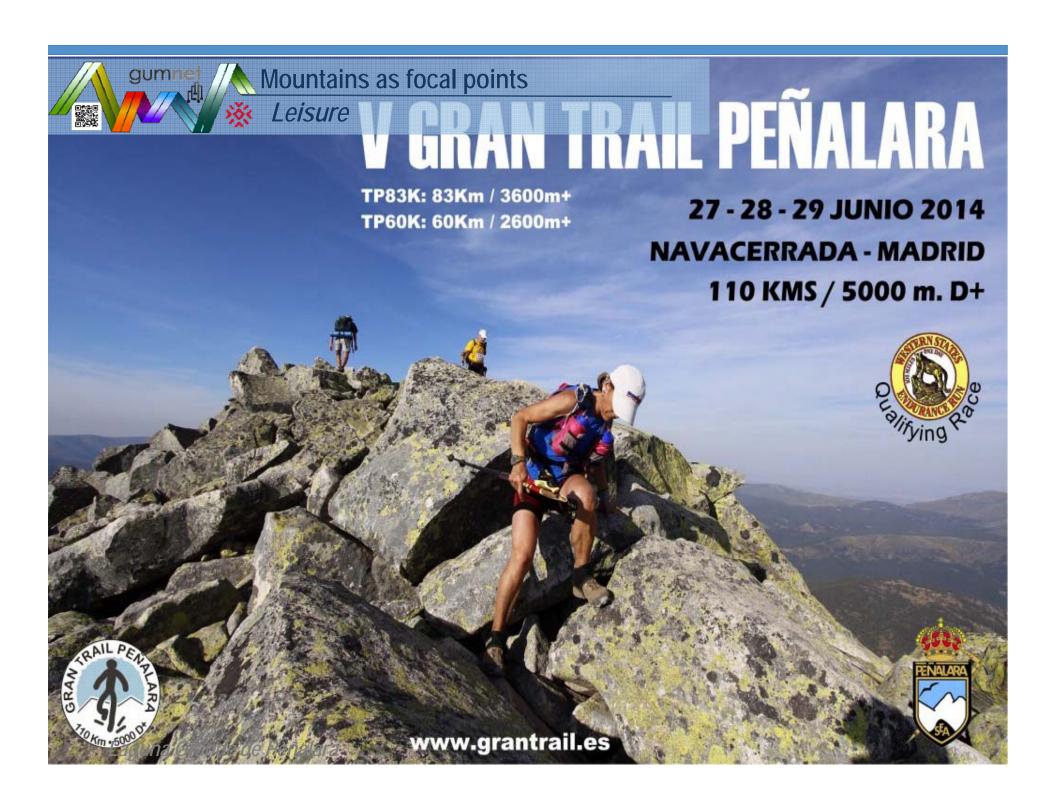
The world's mountains are **focal points** of global biodiversity, hosting about half of the world's biodiversity hotspots. This is due to the great diversity of habitats within short distances, which is a result of altitudinal gradients, changes in exposition, and varying geology and soils.

**Biodiversity in Mountains** 











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Sentinels of Climate Change

Watch



Hazards / risks

Resources

Natural heritage



Sustainability

Wealth



From understanding to action

Education

Research

Health/leisure

Management











# Outline

What is GuMNet?

a glimpse at the facility

Our vision:

a high mountain observatory

How do we get there?

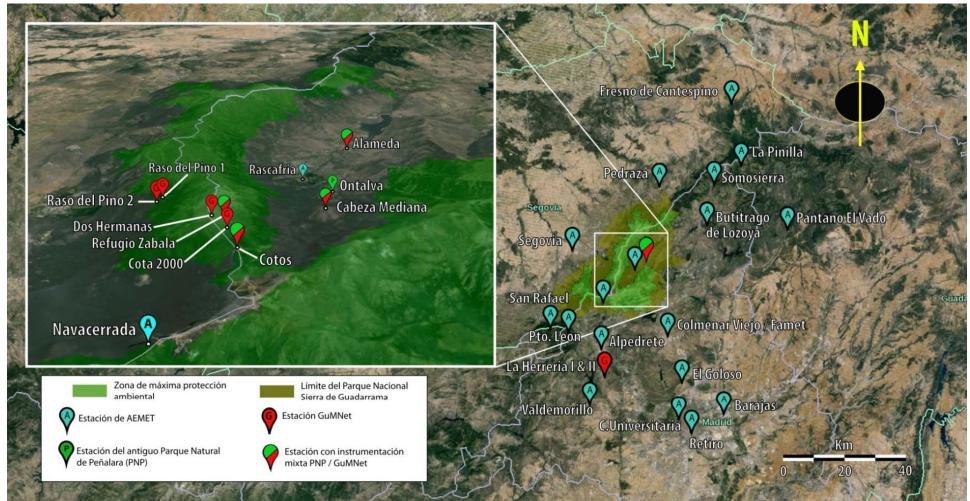
a two sided infrastructure



### a glimpse at the facility

GuMNet is a new infrastructure of atmosphere, surface and subsurface observation
It leans on an existing facility promoted by the Parque Nacional de Peñalara
... updated, enlarged in instrumentations, sites.

It will merge with the meteorological network of AEMET



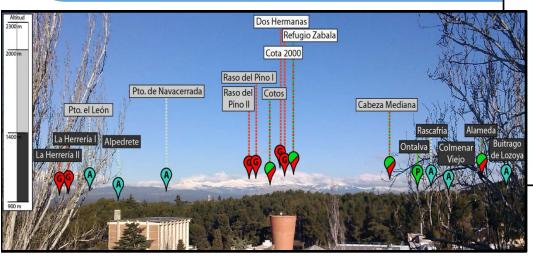


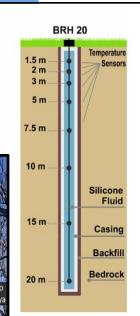
## a glimpse at the facility

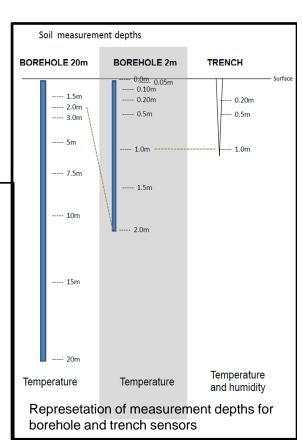
## Public Bid call: CAIMON 2010 (CEI) → 353.966,14 €

Call resolved: February,27th 2014, 4 bid packages

- ➤ Package 1: Surface & subsurface. Insitu Testing S.L., 52.998,00 €
- √ 6 boreholes of 20 m depth
- √ 8 boreholes of 2 m depth
- ✓ 9 trenches (temperature & humidity)20, 50 y 100 cm, at 8 sites.







GuMNet sites as seen from UCM

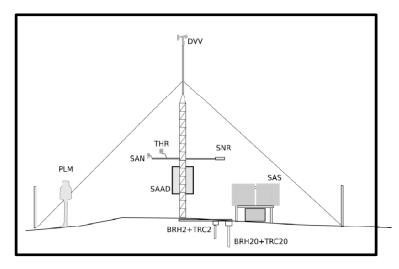


## a glimpse at the facility

> Package 2: Hydro-Meteorological instrumentation.

OTT Medio Ambiente Iberia S.L. (145.422,64 €)

√ 7 WMO standar sites



Scheme ofr a hydro-met site



Dos Hermanas

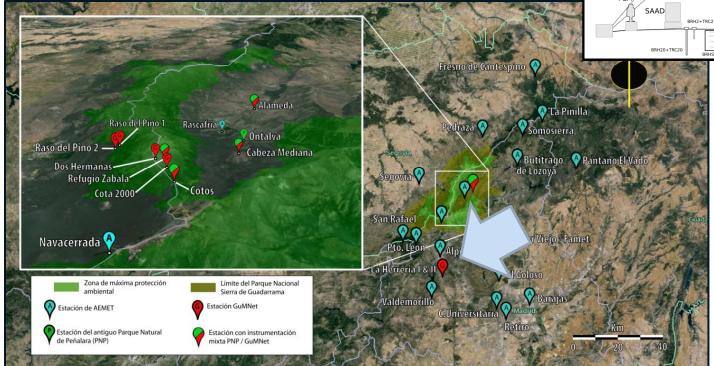


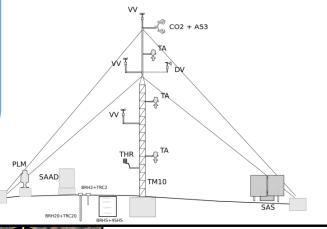
### a glimpse at the facility

Package 3: Eddy-covariance / CO2 towers
Barlovento Recursos Naturales S.L. (112.590,50 €)

√ 10 m towered site with wind observations at various highs + CO2 fluxes

✓ A portable 4 m tower (wind & CO2)





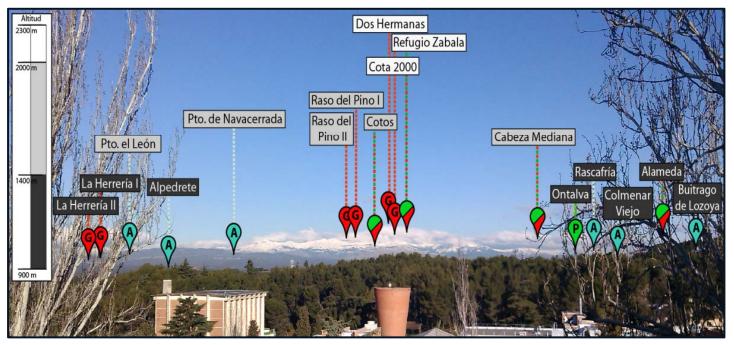
Wind & CO2 tower



## a glimpse at the facility

- ➤ Package 4: Communications & Management Software Satel Spain S.L. (42.955,00 €)
- ✓ Site-centric GPRS comm. System
- √Cuasi-real time data access
- ✓ Management software: data, infrastructure, users/contacts, ticketing, operations...

#### GuMNet sites as seen from UCM



Members: Esperanza (UPM), Rosa (Ciemat), Ana T. (UPM), Thomas (Ciemat).

## **Objectives:**

- Optimal description/documentation of each site and surroundings (surface / subsurface).
- Criteria for extraction, organization, analysis and storage of borehole drilling samples.
- Collecting surface samples (edafology).
- Strategy for sampling and future analysis and research activities.



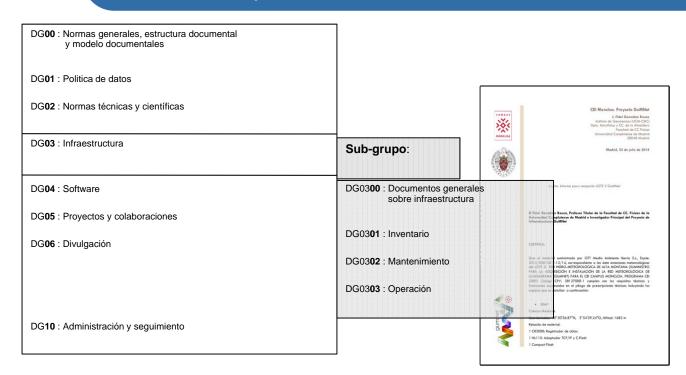
Drilling at **Raso del Pino I** (Mustang type driller - January 2015)

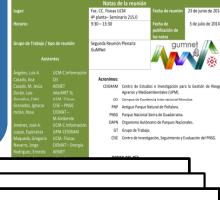


#### Documentation WG

Members: Jacinto (UCM), Edmundo (UCM), Goyo (UCM), CarlosY.(UCM) y Fidel (UCM)

- Generate efficient document organization and labeling.
- Generate document formats: standard formats and outlook, homogeneous structure and easy use by GuMNet partners.









# How do we get there?

#### Documentation WG



FICH A TÉCNICA: ESTACIONES HIDRO-METEOROLÓGICAS GUMNET EG001-Cabeza Mediana

Consideraciones: Alto grado de protección ambiental

40º 50' 36.87" N 3º 54'29.24" O Akitud: 1682 m.s.n.m.

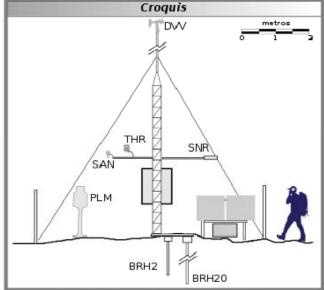
Acceso: 5 km de pista forestal de acceso altamente restringido desde M-604, dificultad media.

Instalaciones disponibles: Vallado, torre, anclajes

Fechas de instalación: Verano - 2014

Fecha emisión:

24/06/2014



#### Elementos de medida que integra:

BRH20: T<sub>suelo</sub> (-1.5, -2, -3, -5, -7.5, -10, -15 y -20 metros).

BRH2: T<sub>Suelo</sub> (0.0, -0.05, -0.1, -0.2, -0.5, -1, -1.5 y -2.0 metros).

SAN: Altura de nieve por ultrasonidos.

SNR: Radiación neta 4 componente.

THR: Taire y humedad relativa del aire.

PLM: Precipitación líquida, sólida y mixta.

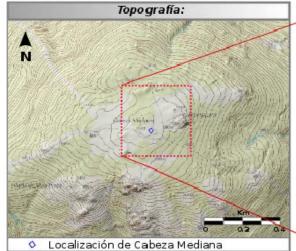
DVV: Dirección y velocidad del viento.

#### Comentarios

La Estación meteorológica de Cabeza Mediana fue implantada por el Parque de Peñalara en 1999. En la nueva estación hidro-meteorológica no habrá medidas en trinchera debido a la imposibilidad de cabar zanjas en roca granítica.











Miembros: M. Jesús (AEMET), Kiko (OAPN), Jorge (Ciemat), Ana C.(CEI), Ricardo (UCM) y Fidel (UCM)

## **Objectives:**

Design and develop strategy of dissemination and outreach documents and activities.

Develop **audiovisual materials** that will provide visibility for GuMNet activities, useful for teaching and dissemination of the monitoring network and related research activities: documentaries, teasers,

promotional units...







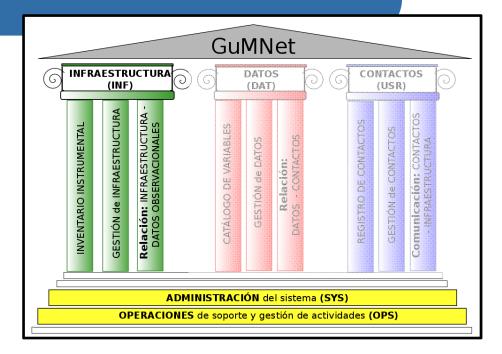
Instruments



Miembros: InterMet (L. Durán, I Rodríguez, A. Montesinos), Jacinto (UCM), Edmundo (UCM) y Fidel (UCM)

- Coordinate development of a management tool for data, inventory and users/contacts.
- This tool should facilitate
- ... labeling and tracking of instruments, description of actual state, alarms for callibration, etc



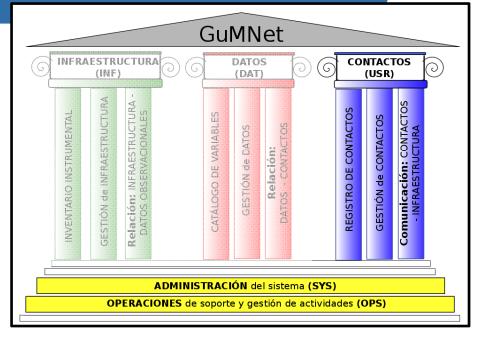


Software WG

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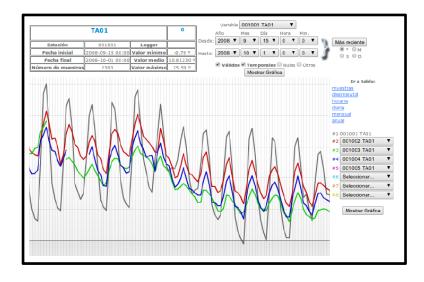
- Coordinate development of a management tool for data, inventory and users/contacts.
- This tool should facilitate
- ... an inventory of users and contacts (researchers, students, companies, institutions) and their relations to data and materials.

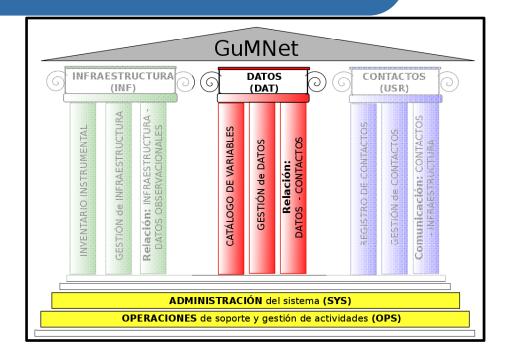




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- This tool should facilitate
- ... a data communication system under GPRS, tools for online Quality control, data visualization and diagnosis, ...







Network Policies WG

Members: Ernesto (AEMET), Kiko (OAPN), Volker (UCM), Esperanza (UPM), Begoña (Ciemat) y Fidel (UCM).

- ✓ Data policy directives:
  - Analyse potential user types
  - Data access types, ownership.
  - Discuss quality processes within GuMNet
  - Handling, storage and management conditions of data
- ✓ Governability....



Members: Edmundo (UCM), Jacinto (UCM) y Fidel (UCM).

- ✓ Coordination of WGs.
- ✓ Coordination of maintenance issues and planning.
- Development of instrumentation deployment
- ✓ Coordination of field activities (agenda) with companies.
- ✓ Search for funding: national & EU projects
- ✓ Inter-nacionalization (links to international networks and institutions): EURAC, MRI, ARM, ICOS, IHFC...
- ✓ Intra-nacionalization (links to national networks and institutions): Red Seguimiento Cambio Global...
- ✓ Other....

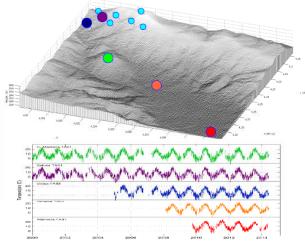


## Hydrology

#### **OBSERVACIÓN**

Red Meteorológica del Parque Natural de Peñalara

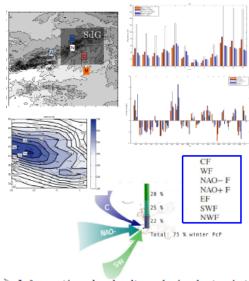




- Base de datos con 14 años de observaciones meteorológicas
- Experiencia en observación meteorológica en montaña

#### **ANÁLISIS**

- Análisis estadístico de las estaciones AeMet en SdG
- Análisis del forzamiento sinóptico

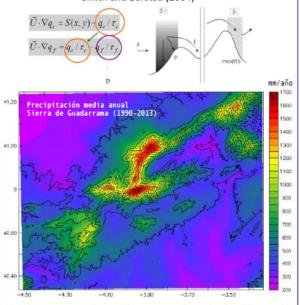


- Información sobre la climatología pluviométrica de la Sierra de Guadarrama
- Conexión entre el forzamiento sinóptico
- Importancia de los flujos de humedad y la fenomenología pluviométrica
- Importancia de la precipitación de origen orográfico

#### **MODELIZACIÓN**

- Modelización física de la precipitación en la SdG mediante modelo de precipitación orográfica
- Análisis de la importancia de la precipitación de origen orográfico

#### Smith and Barstad (2004)



Base de precipitación en malla de la Sierra de Guadarrama con 200 m de resolución para el periodo 1990-2013

TESIS DOCTORAL: Evaluación integral de la precipitación en la Sierra de Guadarrama mediante observación y modelización







#### NDVI statistical distribution of pasture areas

#### J. J. Martín-Sotoca, A. M. Tarquis, A. Saa-Requejo and C. H. Díaz-Ambrona

"Biomass indexes" based on satellite images such as Normalized Difference Vegetative Index (NDVI) have been used in countries like USA, Canada and Spain for drought-damaged pasture and forage insurance for the last years (Rao, 2010). This type of agricultural insurance is named as "index-based insurance" (IBI). An IBI, "when drought occurs" is defined through NDVI thresholds mainly based on statistical parameters (normal distributions). In this work a pasture area at the north of Community of Madrid (Spain) has been delimited by means of MODIS images. A statistical analysis of the NDVI histograms was applied to search for the best statistical distribution (maximum likelihood method). The results show that the normal distribution is not the optimal representation (Martín-Sotoca, 2014).

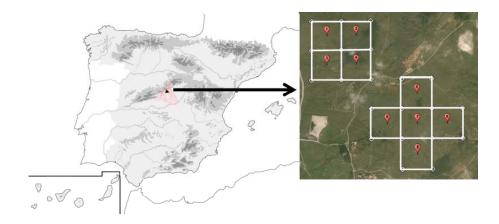


Figure . The study area is in the center of the Iberian peninsula (Community of Madrid). RGB image of 9 pixels area used for case study is shown (Google Earth's image)

GEV and Gumbel PDFs fit better in a large amount of intervals. We show intervals 4, 9, 17 and 21 as examples of better Gumbel/GEV fit (figure 4).

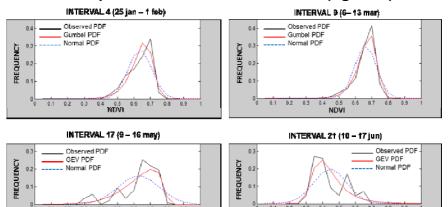


Figure. Observed-GEV/Gumbel-Normal PDFs comparison.







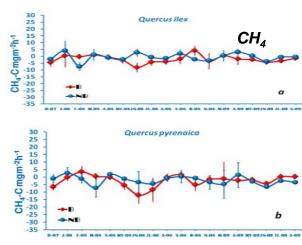
CH<sub>4</sub> and N<sub>2</sub>O fluxes in undisturbed and burned forests in Madrid

R Inclán, C Uribe, L Sánchez, D. M. Sánchez, Á Clavero, A M Fernández, R Morante, A Blanco, R Jandl

Undisturbed and burned Quercus ilex, Quercus pyrenaica and Pinus sylvestris forests

- N<sub>2</sub>O and CH<sub>4</sub> seasonal variation were mainly related to soil water availability.
- The impact of fire on the fluxes of N<sub>2</sub>O and CH<sub>4</sub> differed from one ecosystem to another, and from one season to another. The burned sites showed higher CH<sub>4</sub> oxidation in Quercus ilex stands, and lower oxidation rates in Pinus sylvestris stands. Fire decreases N<sub>2</sub>O fluxes in Quercus pyrenaica stands.





Pinus sylvestris



Soil CH<sub>4</sub> flux varied over the measurement period. CH<sub>4</sub> uptake was highest in dry months (JN, JL) and F 2008. A net source of CH₄ was found during wet months. PS and QP stands were found to absorb more CH<sub>4</sub> than QI stands.





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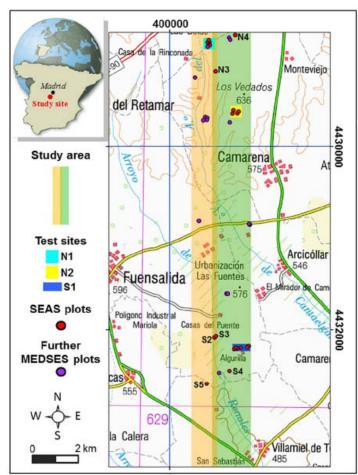
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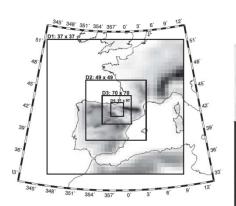
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#### This study includes:

- 1) field and laboratory characterization of the main soil types in the study area;
- 2) Identification and definition of indicators of soil erosion and accumulation stages (SEAS);
- 3) compilation of the site-specific MEDiterranean Soil Erosion Stages (MEDSES) spectral library of soil surface characteristics using field spectroscopy;
- 4) using hyperspectral airborne data to determine a set of endmembers for different SEAS and introducing these into the support vector machine (SVM) classifier to obtain their spatial distribution; and
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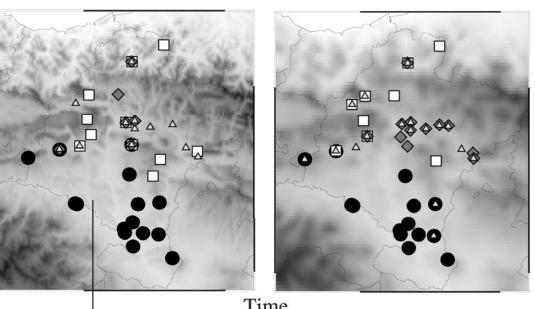
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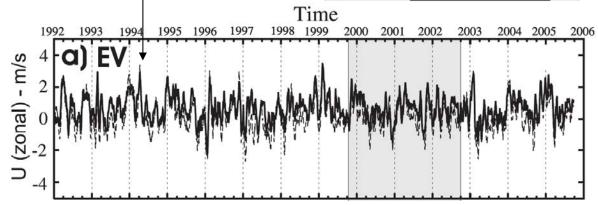


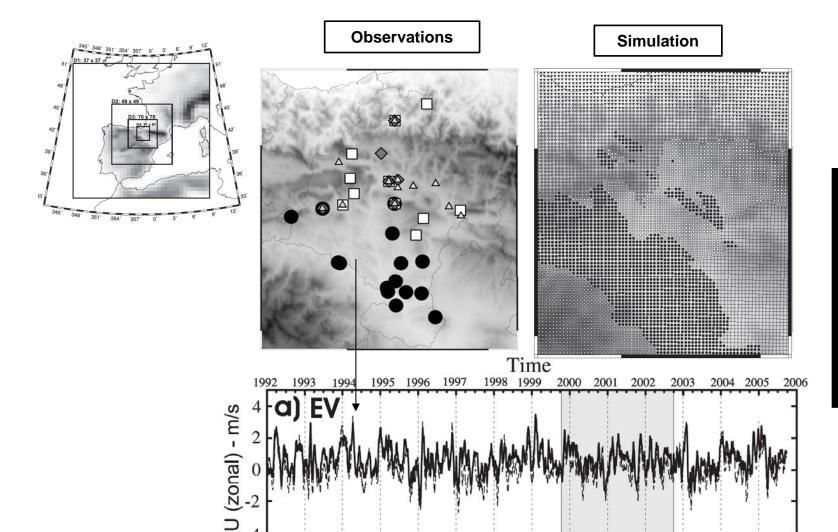


#### **Observations**

#### Simulation







Jiménez *et al.*, 2008, 2009, 2010

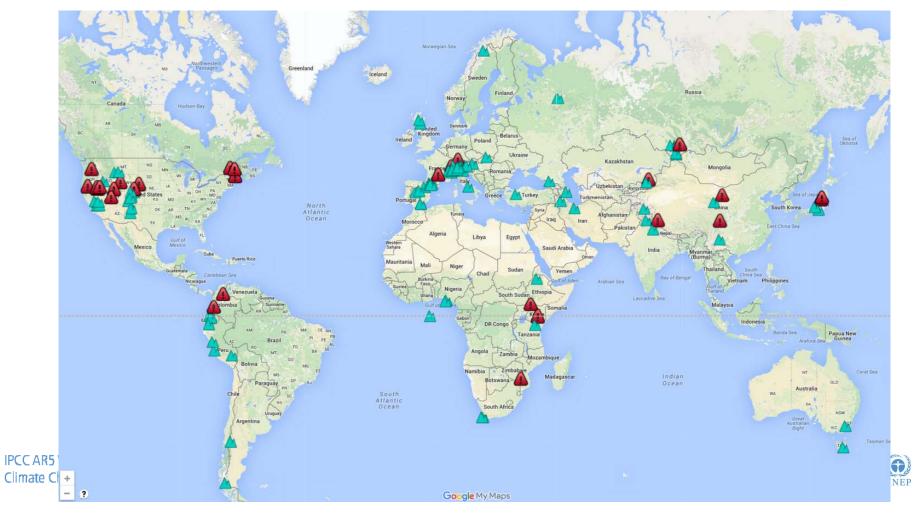


# How do we get there?

## Intra-Inter-nacionalization



#### The Mountain Research Initiative Advancing Global Change Research in Mountains





### Intra- Inter-nacionalization



**The Mountain Research Initiative** Advancing Global Change Research in Mountains Conjunto de observatorios de alta montaña, proyectos de monitorización y bases de datos observacionales en España registrados en el censo del MRI



- 1) Sierra de gredos
- 2) Sierra Nevada LTER site
- 3) GuMNet (Guadarrama Monitoring Network)

4) Gloria ES-MON (Moncayo)

- 5) GLORIA ES-CPY (Parque Nacional de Ordesa y Monte Perdido)
- 6) Pyrinees Climate Change Observatory (OPCC)
- 7) LOOP Limnological Observatory of the Pyrenees
- 8) GLORIA ES-SPY (Valle de Tena y Robiñera)

What is GuMNet? an atmosphere-subsurface monitoring network

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El mes era de março, día de Sant Meder pasada de Loçoya fuy camino prender de nieve e de graniso no'm pudía defender ≪quien busca lo que non pierde, lo que tíen' deve perder≫.

Arcipreste de Hita Libro de Buen Amor

