



## Surface-atmosphere interactions and the impact of lakes on climate

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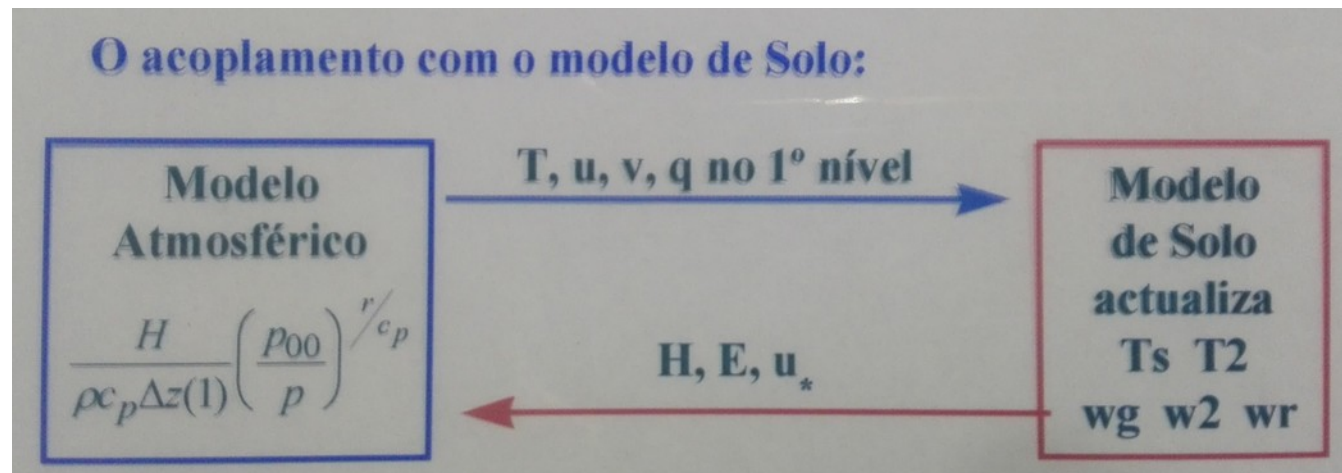


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# 1. Coupling ISBA with NH3D



- NH3D - NonHydrostatic-3Dimensional - model developed by Pedro Miranda (Miranda and James, 92)
  - essentially dynamics: No radiative scheme, no cloud microphysics, **no surface**
  - 3D turbulence
  - sigma pressure vertical coordinate
- Coupled to ISBA (Noilhan and Planton, 1988) in 1994 (Salgado, master thesis, 1996), in order to participate in the study of the climate impact of a projected dam and more generally to study atmospheric circulations induced by surface heterogeneities
  - One month intern-ship with **Joël, Pierre Lacarrère and Florence Habets**
- Explicit coupling

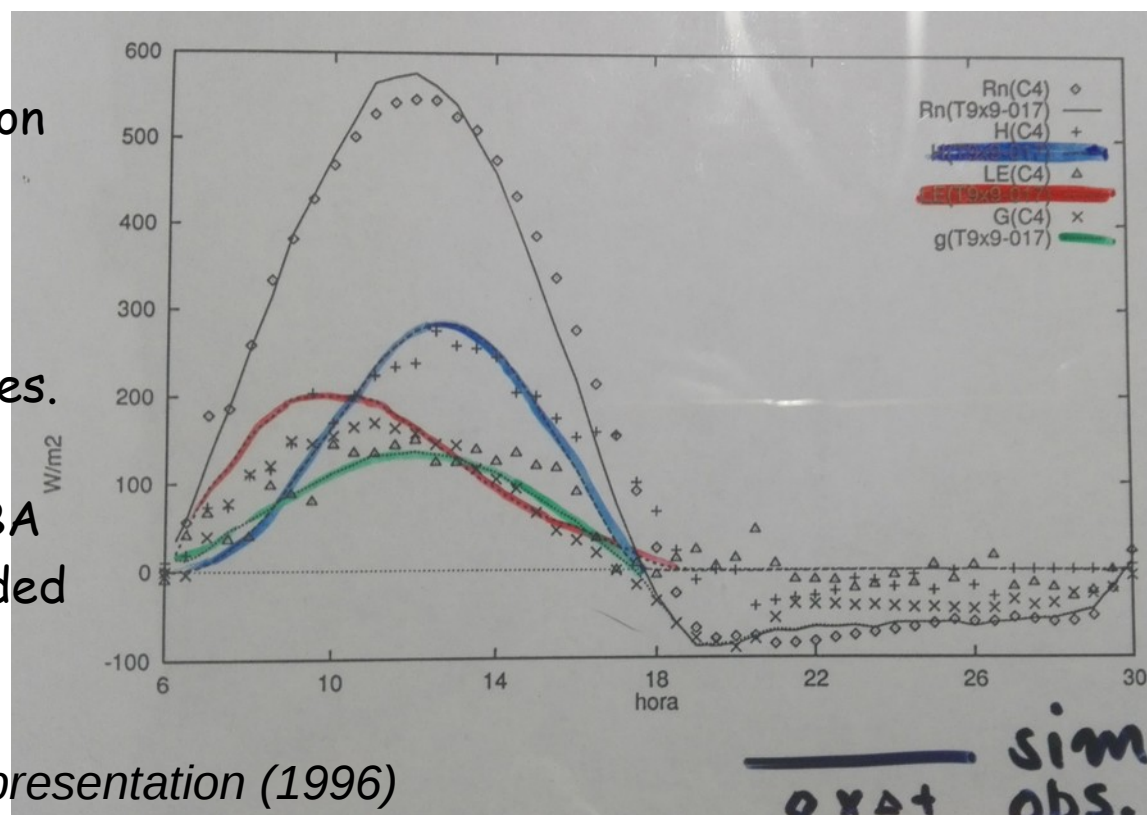


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# Coupling ISBA with NH3D - Validation



- Quasi 1D simulation with NH3D + ISBA (9x9)
- Comparison against EFEDA91 data
  - site Tomelloso 2 (Castilla la Mancha, Spain); day 23/06/1991; initialization (surface and vertical) from observations at 6 UT (extracted from Giordani, 1993).
  - Geostrophic wind forced and updated each 6H
  - radiation imposed from obs
  - 24 hours of simulation
- good net radiation representation
- partition H / LE is also well represented
- Problems at night: model do not give the observed negative fluxes.
- results are similar to those obtained with ARPEGE 1D + ISBA
- Data and ARPEGE results provided by Pierre Lacarrère



# Report on the Environmental Impact of Alqueva

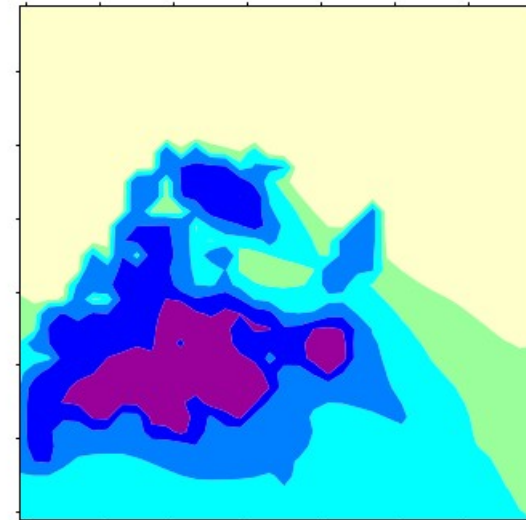


- NH3D+ISBA was the base of the estimations of the Climate impact
  - PI: Pedro Miranda; I was his master student
  - Done in 1994, before the construction of the dam (the gates closed in 2012)



## ESTUDO DE IMPACTE AMBIENTAL DO ALQUEVA CLIMA Relatório Final

Report cover



Pedro M. A. Miranda  
Francisco Abreu  
Rui Salgado

Relatório Técnico do ICAT  
Janeiro 1995

- An important national project, first projected in the fifties, with many issues and controversies, finally build in the transition of the century
- first (and unique?) project to have an autonomous climate impact study

# Report on the Environmental Impact of Alqueva: 3D simulations and results.



- NH3D+ISBA Simulations

- reservoir
- irrigation map
- 37x37x60 grid-points (4 km resolution)

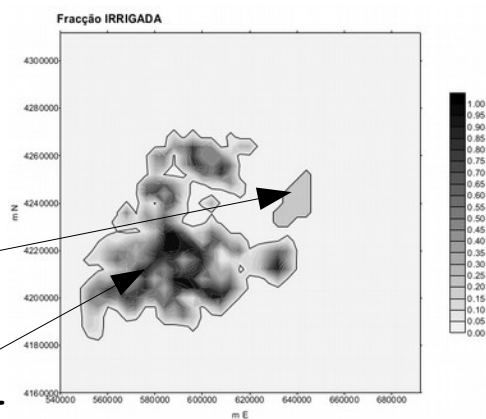


Figura 5.2 - Distribuição da irrigação e Albufeira

- very simplified surface characteristics
- imposed downward radiative fluxes
- Initialization with one vertical profile  
*Impact on 2m air temperature for a typical July day*
- Conclusion: realistic results,
- To go further it was necessary to use a model with more "physics":  
**Meso-NH**

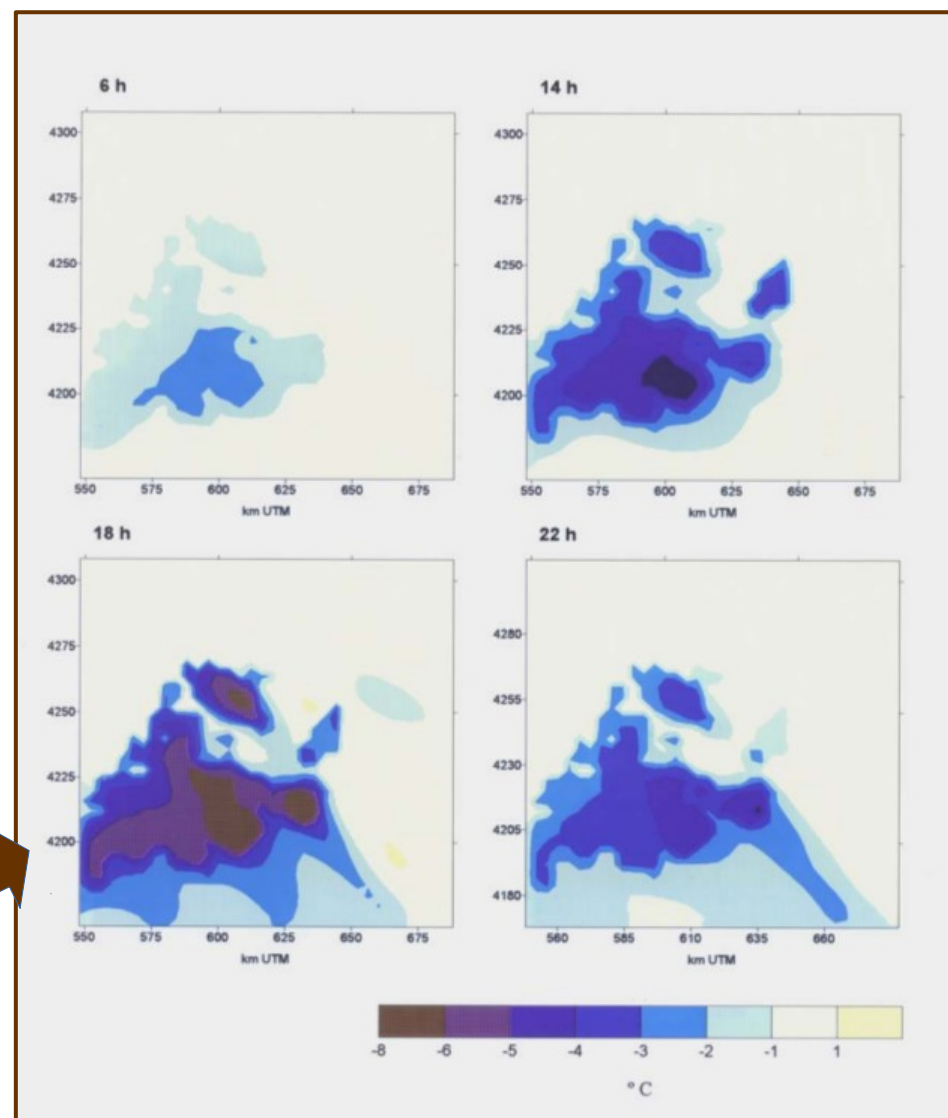
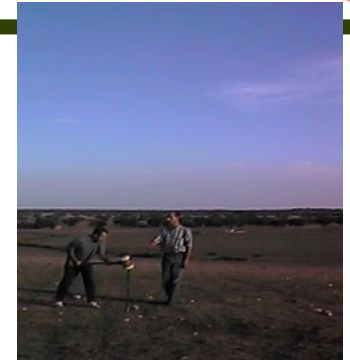


Figura 5.3 – Anomalia da Temperatura do ar aos 2m em simulações correspondentes ao mês de Julho. Forçamento atmosférico e radiativo com base em observações realizadas em Julho de 1994 na Mitra. Experiências R1(A5-35) eS1 (A6-35).

## 2. CICLUS field campaign



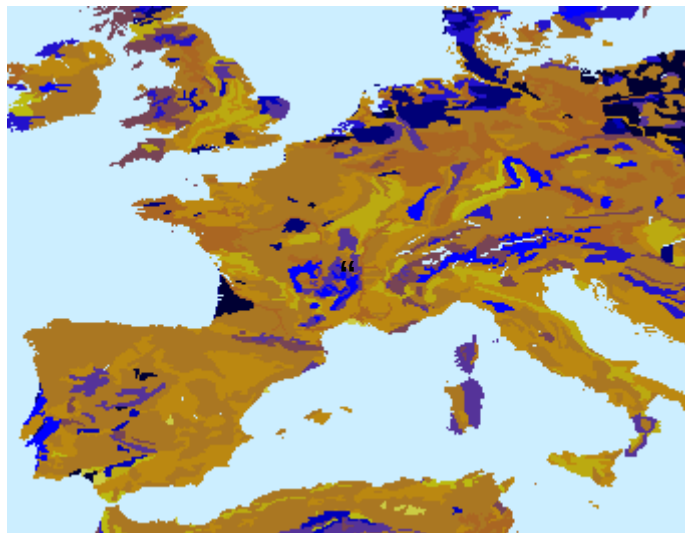
- A Portuguese national project (FCT),
  - PI: Pedro Miranda,
  - advisor: Joël Noilhan
- Continuous surface observations (2 years)
  - October 1997 - September 1999
  - Total of 13 weather stations
- Intensive observation periods
  - **24 and 25 July 1998**
  - May 2000
  - Radiosondes (3 in 3 hours)
  - Sodar
  - Eddy covariance system
- CICLUS experiment provide data for my PhD co-supervised by Joël



# 3. Global maps of sand and clay fractions

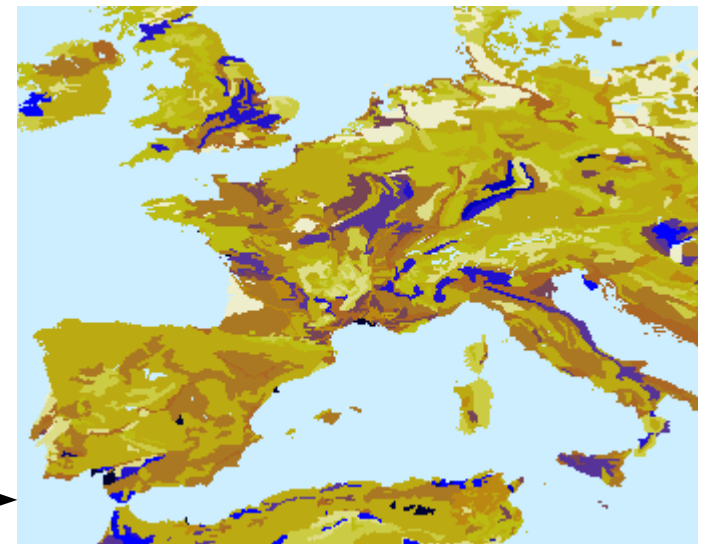


- Noilhan and Lacarrère (1995) proposed expressions to calculate the thermal and water parameters of the soil from the percentage of clay and sand present in the soil
- It was necessary to build global maps in order to use these expressions anywhere inside ISBA/Meso-NH
- As proposed by Joel, the FAO Soil Digital Map (1998) was used
  - based on the World Soil Map published by FAO between 1974 and 1978 at the 1: 5000000 scale
  - comprised 4930 different cartographic units
  - resolution of 5' x 5'
- The methodology to compute the textural fractions from the FAO units described in Salgado (1999), as a proceeding to the "Atelier ISBA", 6 mai 1999



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Files based on FAO (1998) used by Meso-NH until 3/4 years ago



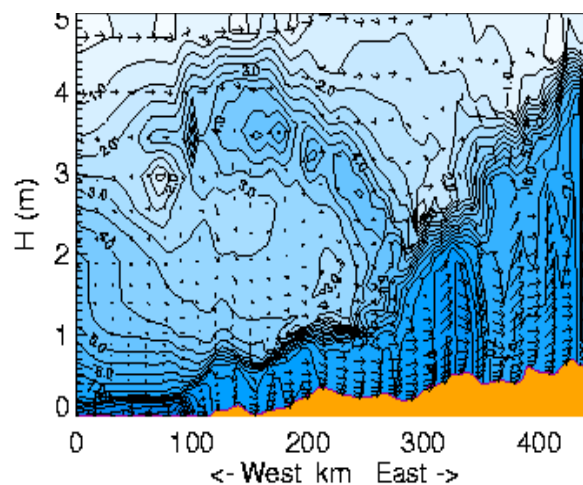
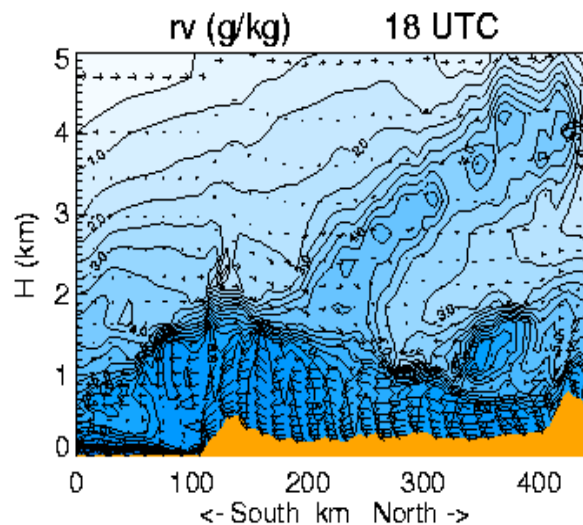
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# 4. Boundary layer development and summer circulation in Southern Portugal

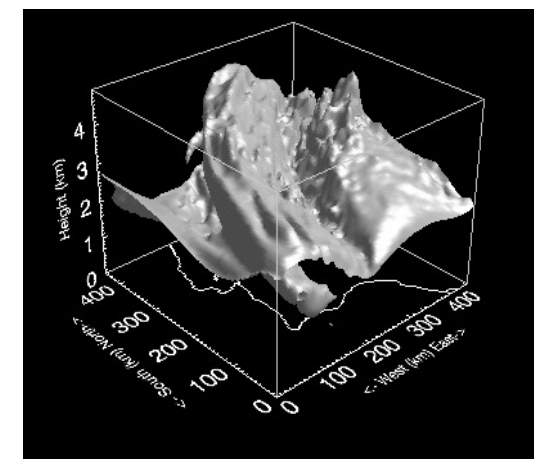


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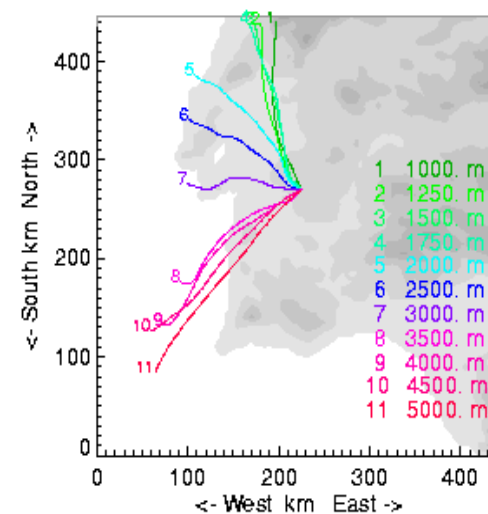


Cross-sections of wind and humidity

3D  
Projection of a  
mixing  
ratio iso-  
surface  
(3.5 g kg<sup>-1</sup>)  
at 18 UTC



Surface  
projection of  
Simulated  
trajectories of air  
parcels that  
reach the  
vertical over  
Évora at 18 UTC  
at several levels



slide  
presented at  
Réunion  
Meso-NH  
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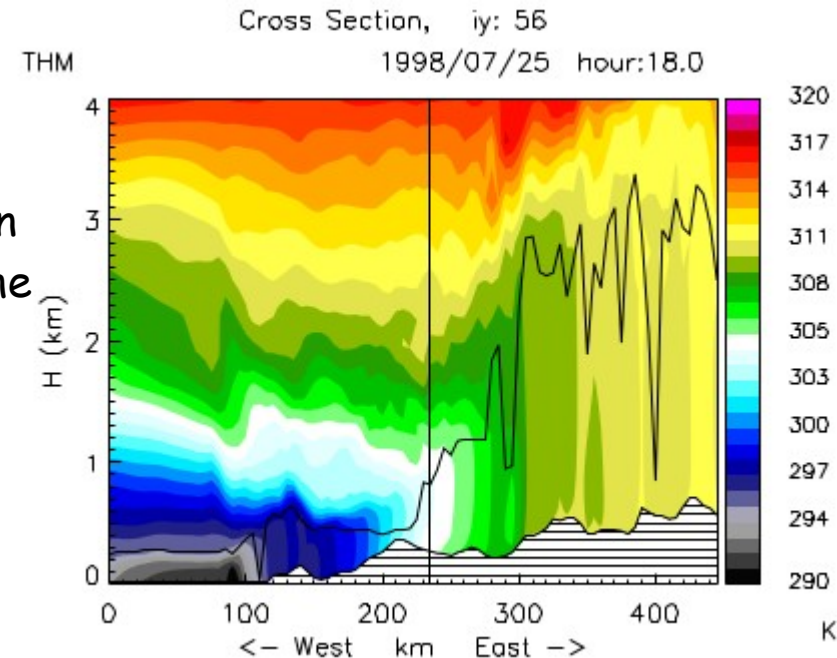
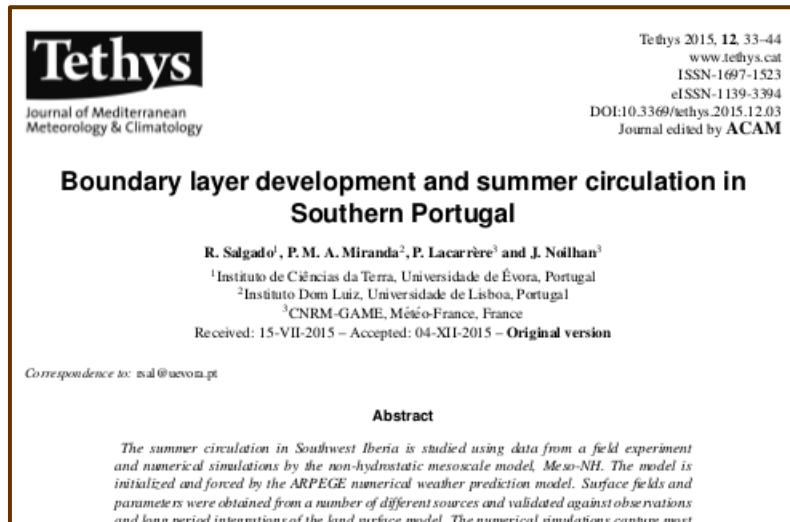


# Boundary layer development and summer circulation in Southern Portugal



Later published in Tethys (Salgado et al. 2015)

- The simulations permits a better understanding of the dynamics and a quantification of the magnitude of the peninsular (Iberia) scale see breeze effects.
- The summer circulation generated by the land-sea contrasts is organized by the Iberian thermal low system, well away from the direct effect of the sea breezes.
- The evolution of the BL in the interior of the Peninsula is strongly influenced by the horizontal transport of heat and moisture in the sea-breeze circulation, even in locations at more than 100 km from the coast; This influence occurs in the form of a bulk cooling of the BL in mid to late afternoon, depending on the distance from the coast.
- Evidence of complex 3D transport of humidity in the Iberian region, linking the coastal source to the mid troposphere where it interacts with the large-scale subsidence, associated with anticyclonic circulation in upper levels.



W-E cross section of potential temperature

# 5. Returning to the impact of Reservoir and Irrigation

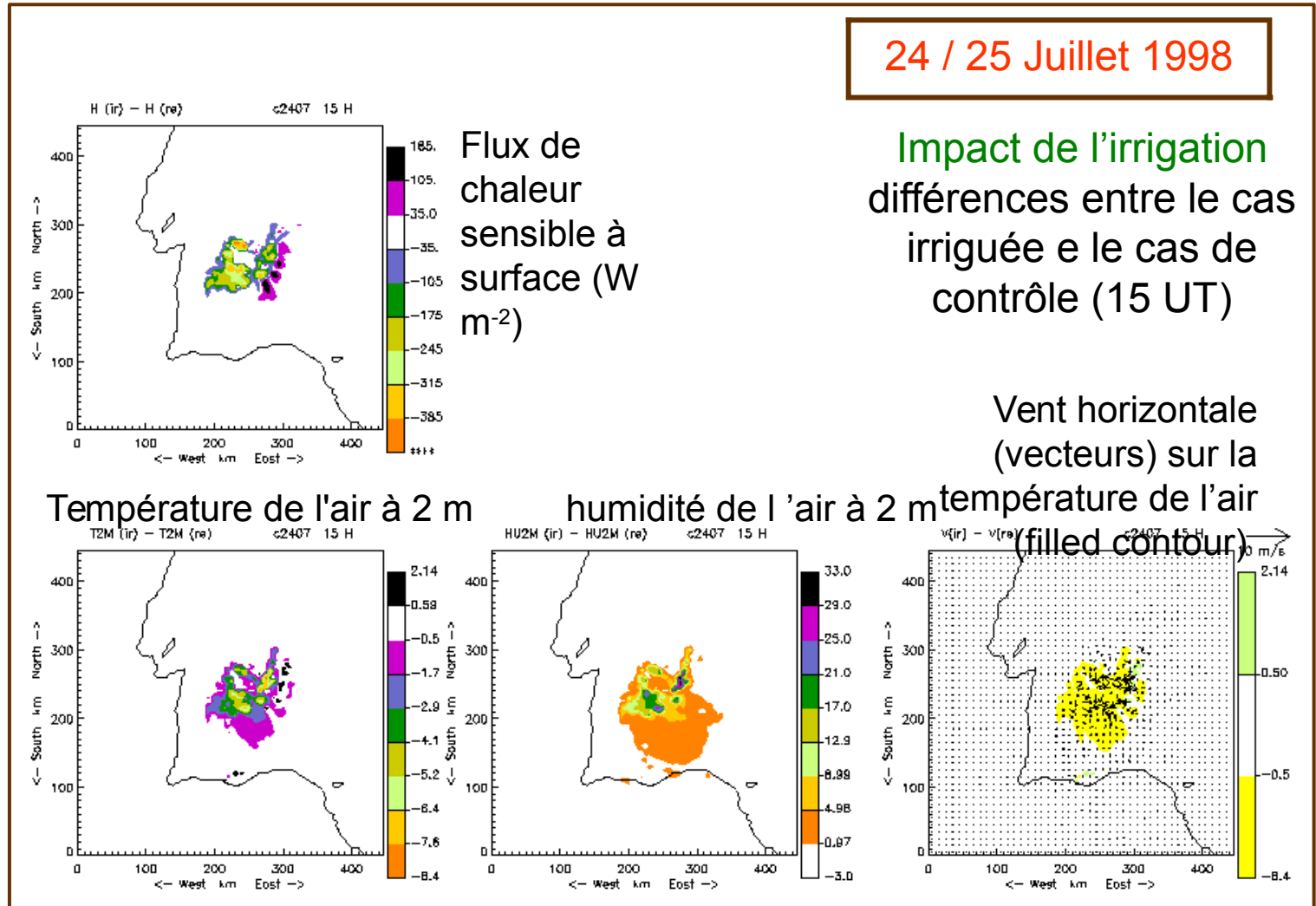


- First based on one case study: the *ciclus* IOP

24 / 25 Juillet 1998

Impact de l'irrigation  
différences entre le cas irriguée e le cas de contrôle (15 UT)

Vent horizontale (vecteurs) sur la température de l'air (filled contour)



slide presented at Réunion Meso-NH 2001



- The results of this case study confirm the initial estimates but have much more detail
- The impact on  $T_{max}$  can reach  $-8^{\circ}\text{C}$
- The impact on  $T_{min}$  is negative over irrigated areas ( $\sim -2^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) and positive over reservoir ( $\sim +2^{\circ}\text{C}$ )

Figure from Salgado (2006) PhD thesis

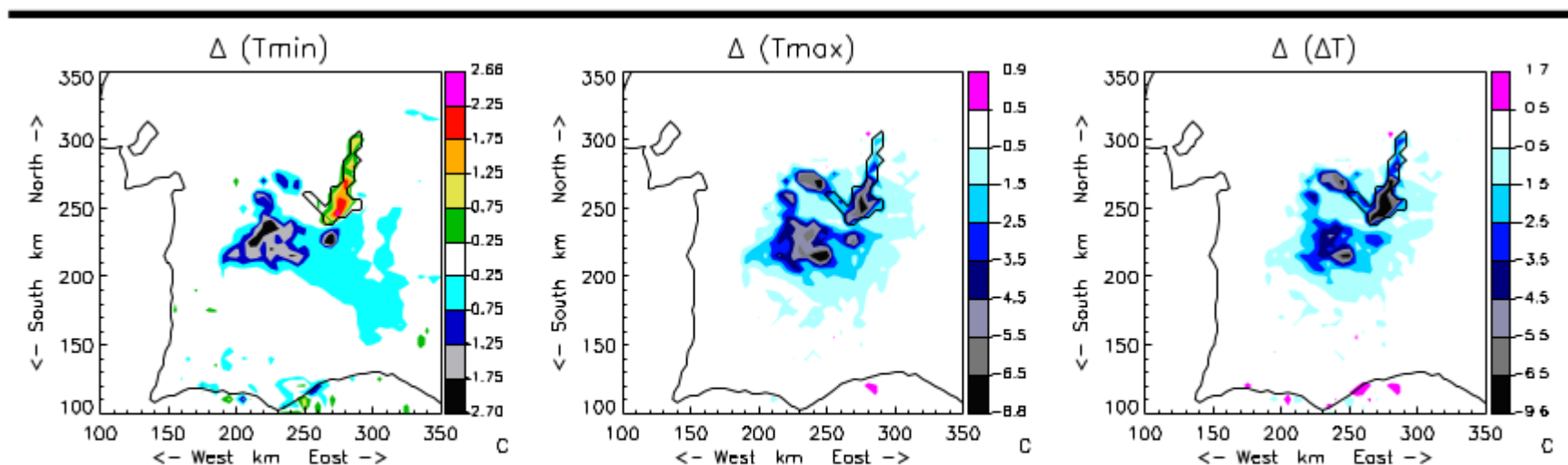
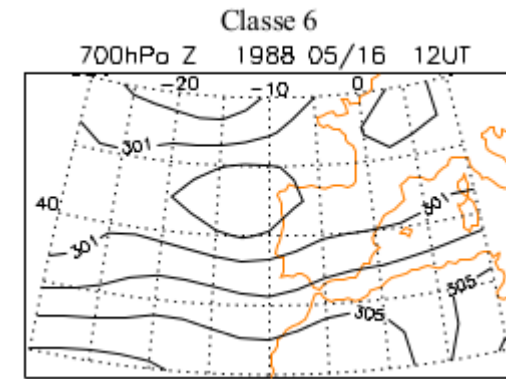
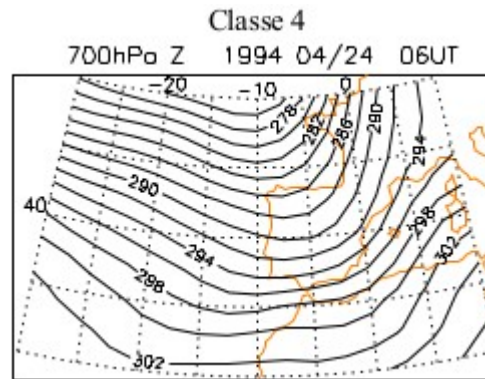
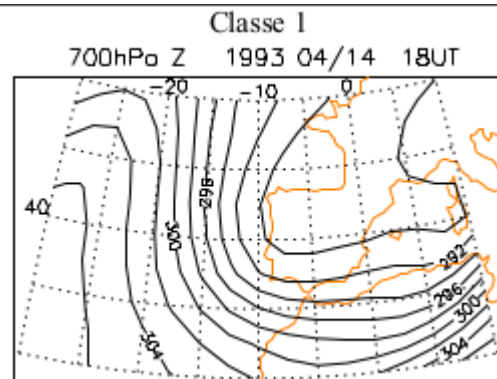


Figura 4.10 Anomalia nos campos da temperatura mínima diária do ar, temperatura máxima diária do ar e amplitude térmica diária. Foram considerados os resultados dos 2 dias simulados.

# Objective classification of weather states



- In order to generalize the conclusions for the whole spring and summer period
- Following a suggestion of Joël, Silvie Donnier perform the classification
  - based on the 700hPa geopotential field, using a cluster analysis algorithm following Champeaux et al (1990)
  - using ECMWF reanalysis 1979-1999 at 2.5° resolution
  - April to December
  - considering 10 classes, each with one gravity centre and one *étalon* (the element closest to the centre)
  - Each class has a frequency



*The 3 more frequent classes*

# Average impact of irrigation



- A case study representative of each weather regime were selected and simulated.
- Each case was analysed and discussed
- Based on the frequencies of each state, an average impact was calculated.

Figure from Salgado (2006) PhD thesis

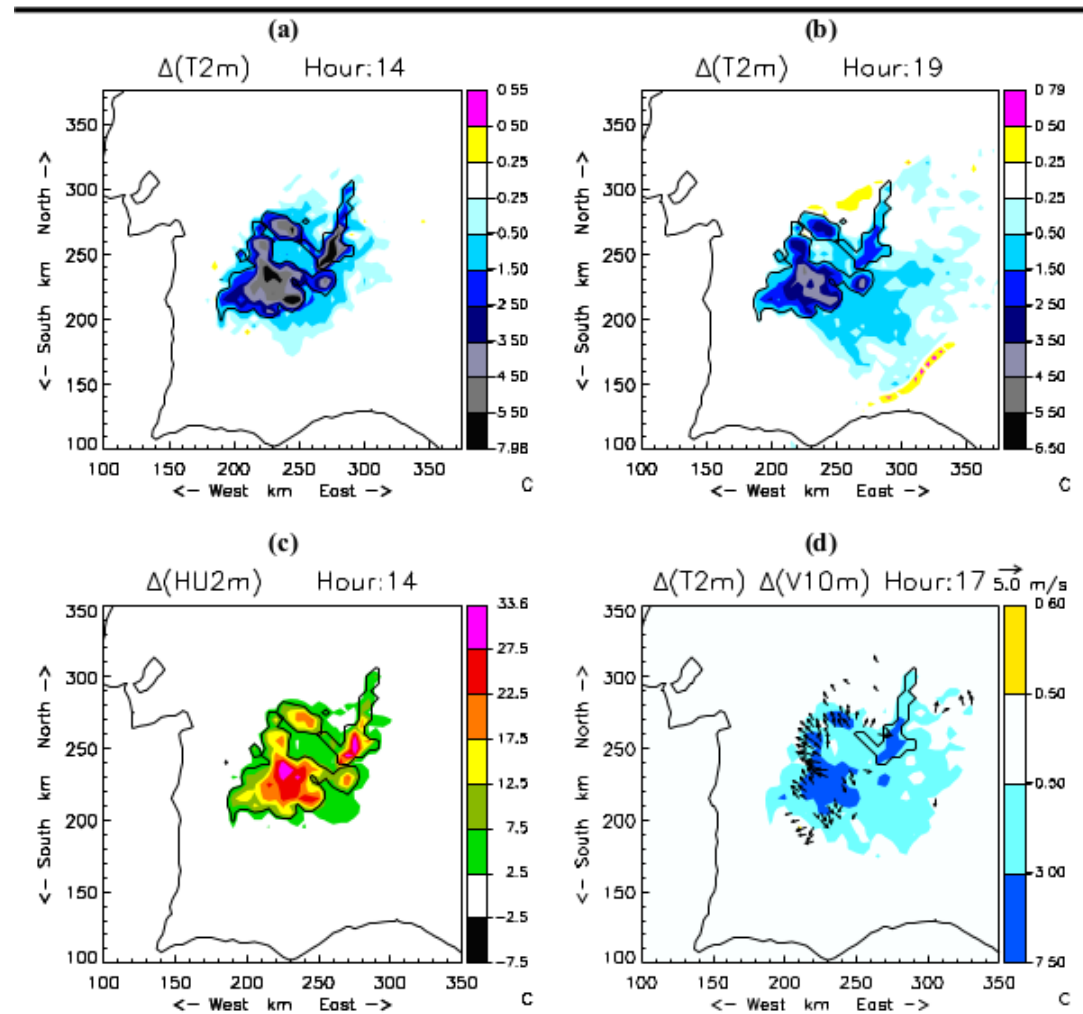


Figura 4.31 Anomalias médias para os meses de Julho e Agosto (ver texto)

*Average impact of irrigation in July and August  
PhD thesis*

# Impact on precipitation

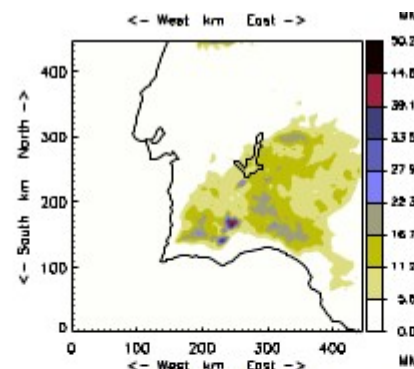


- Case studies of late spring and summer convective precipitation events
- the impact is marginal

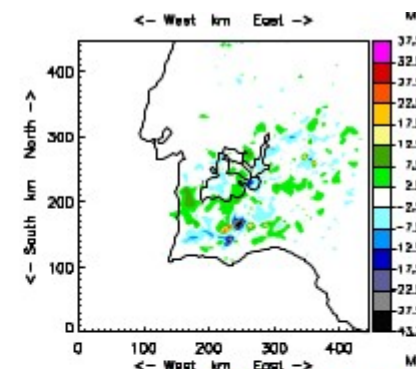
Dia 21 de Maio

	MNH	MNH_ir
C	4.9	5.1
Ir	7.7	7.0
Al	9.6	8.0

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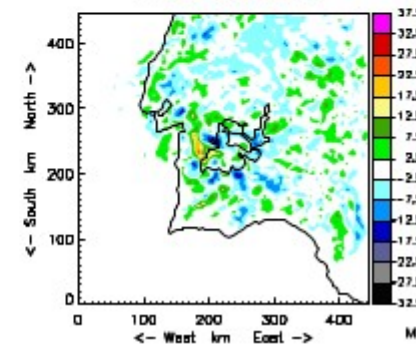
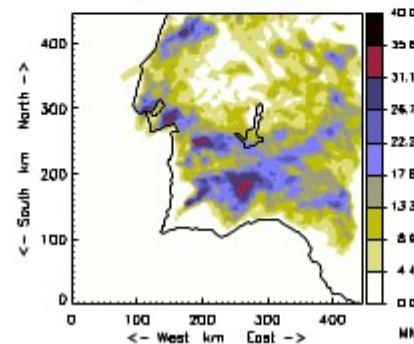


Anomaly  
Irr - Contr



Dia 22 de Maio

	MNH	MNH_ir
C	10.3	9.9
Ir	16.1	15.6
Al	11.8	5.6

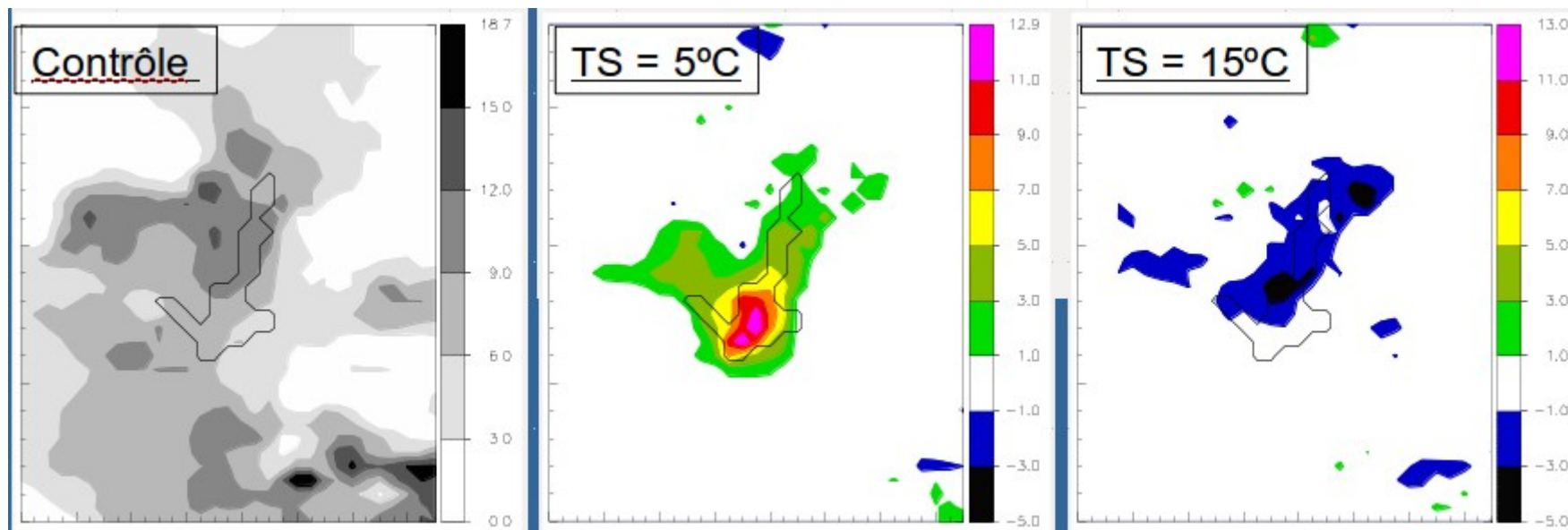
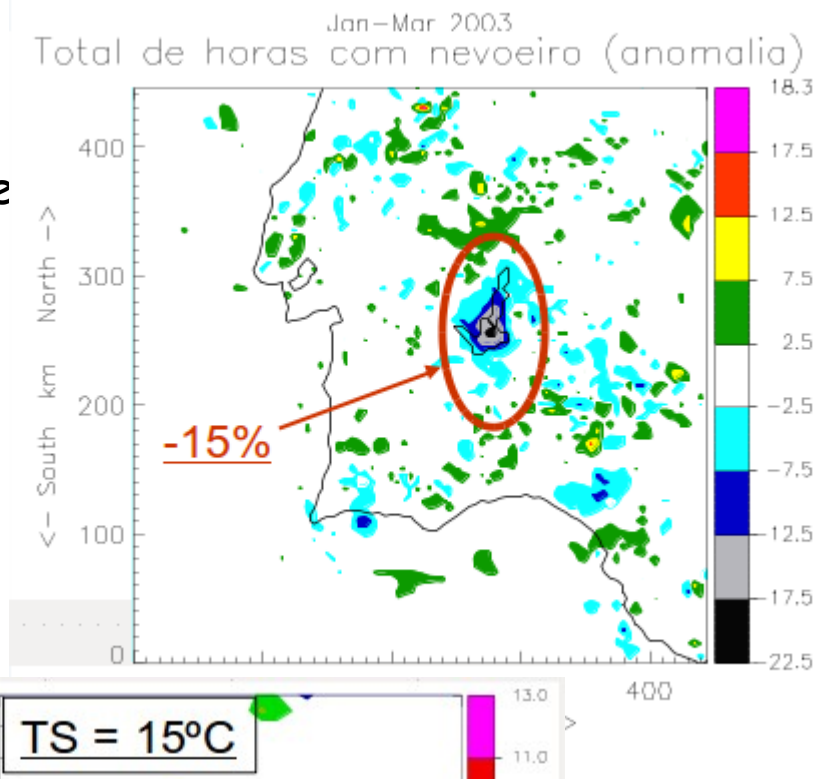


Figures  
from  
Salgado  
(2006) PhD  
thesis

# Impact on fog



- Significant reduction in the number of fog hours over the reservoir
- Increase around
- The impact of the lake on fog depends strongly on the difference between the surface water temperature and the daily minimum air temperature :
- When the water is warmer relatively to air, the impact is negative on fog;
- When the water is colder, the lake induces more fog
- **Need of a better representation of lake temperature**



# 6. Interactive lakes in NWP models?



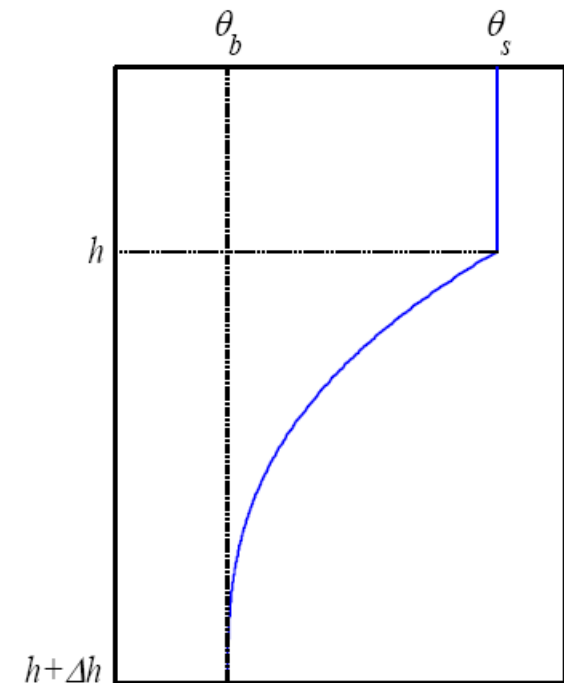
- In 2007/2008 different groups were working on this issue
- Joël proposed that I link a lake model (FLake) to SURFEX, together with Patrick Le Moigne.

## FLake model (Mironov, 2008)

- Surface or mixed layer temperature,  $\theta_s$
- Bottom temperature,  $\theta_b$
- Mixed layer depth,  $h$
- Shape factor,  $C_T$

The evolution are based on 4 equations:

- 2 Equations for conservation of energy
- Evolution of  $h$
- Evolution of  $C_T$







- Published in BER: Salgado and Le Moigne (2010)
- Describes a validation of the coupled system Surfex-FLake based on measurements carried out on the Alqueva reservoir in southern Portugal

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## Coupling of the FLake model to the Surfex externalized surface model

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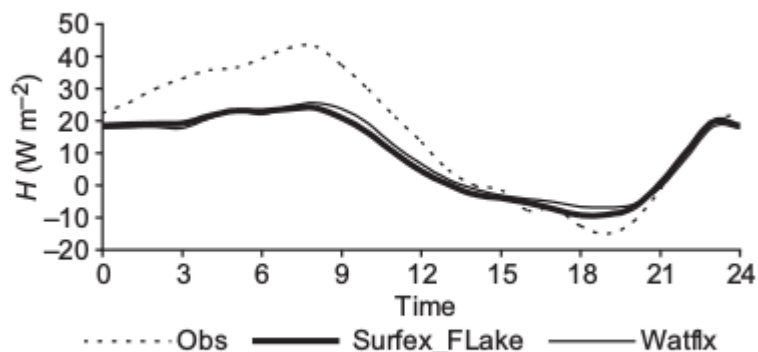
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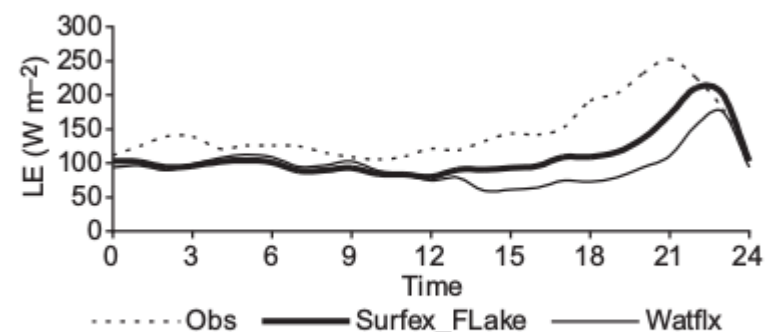
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- Shows how the use of FLake in the Surfex system improves surface temperature and turbulent fluxes at the water-atmosphere interface
- adapt the FLake model to warm lakes

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**Fig. 10.** Mean daily cycles of observed and modelled (FLake and Watfix) sensible heat fluxes.

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**Fig. 11.** Mean daily cycles of observed and modelled (FLake and Watfix) latent heat fluxes.

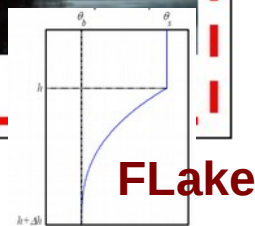
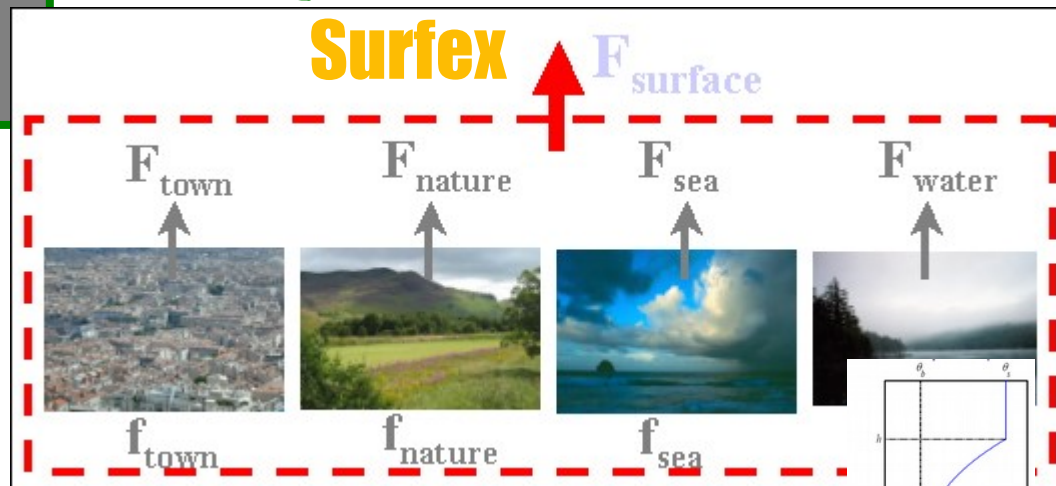
# Coupling FLake to SURFEX



Méso-NH  
AROME  
Arpège / Aladin

albedo  
emissivity  
radiative temperature  
  
momentum flux  
sensible heat  
latent heat  
CO<sub>2</sub> flux  
Chemical fluxes

Atmospheric forcing  
Sun position  
Downward radiative fluxes

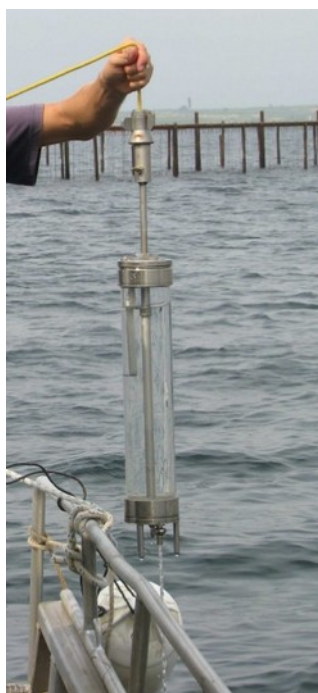


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# Evaluated using THAUMEX data



- Later validated against THAUMEX (2011) data
- Coordinated by Patrick Le Moigne
- Participation of R. Salgado and M. Potes (Uevora)
  - Determination of the extinction coefficient of light in water
  - Potes et al., 2013, Tellus



Le Moigne et al., 2013

## Evaluation of the lake model FLake over a coastal lagoon during the THAUMEX field campaign

By PATRICK LE MOIGNE<sup>1\*</sup>, DOMINIQUE LEGAIN<sup>1</sup>, FRANCK LAGARDE<sup>2</sup>, MIGUEL POTES<sup>3</sup>, DIANE TZANOS<sup>1</sup>, ERIC MOULIN<sup>1</sup>, JOEL BARRIÉ<sup>1</sup>, RUI SALGADO<sup>3</sup>, GRÉGORIE MESSIAEN<sup>2</sup>, ANNIE FIANDRINO<sup>2</sup>, SYLVIE DONIER<sup>1</sup>, OLIVIER TRAULLÉ<sup>1</sup> and MARIA JOÃO COSTA<sup>3</sup>, <sup>1</sup>CNRM-GAME, Météo-France/CNRS UM, 3589, 42 Avenue Gustave Coriolis, 31057 Toulouse Cedex, France; <sup>2</sup>IFREMER, B.P. 171, Bd Jean Monnet, 34203 Sète Cedex, France; <sup>3</sup>Centro de Geofísica de Évora, Universidade de Évora, Rua Romão Ramalho, 59, 7000 Évora, Portugal

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**Following the example of Joel and his legacy,  
we continue**

- Eddy covariance measurements
- Energy fluxes (radiative and sensible and latent heat), CO<sub>2</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O over the reservoir



- Boundary Layer characterization



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(Policarpo et al., 2018)



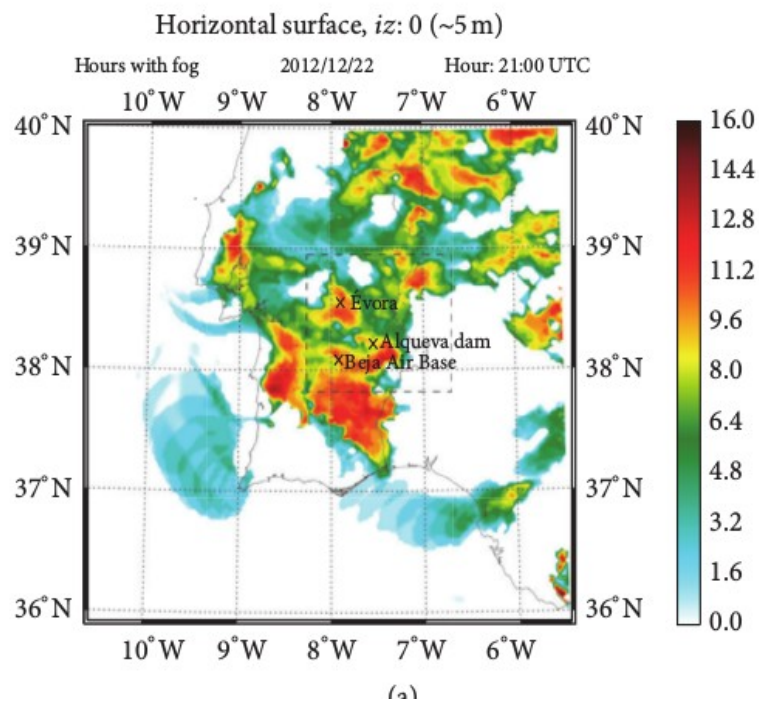
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## Numerical Simulations of Fog Events in Southern Portugal

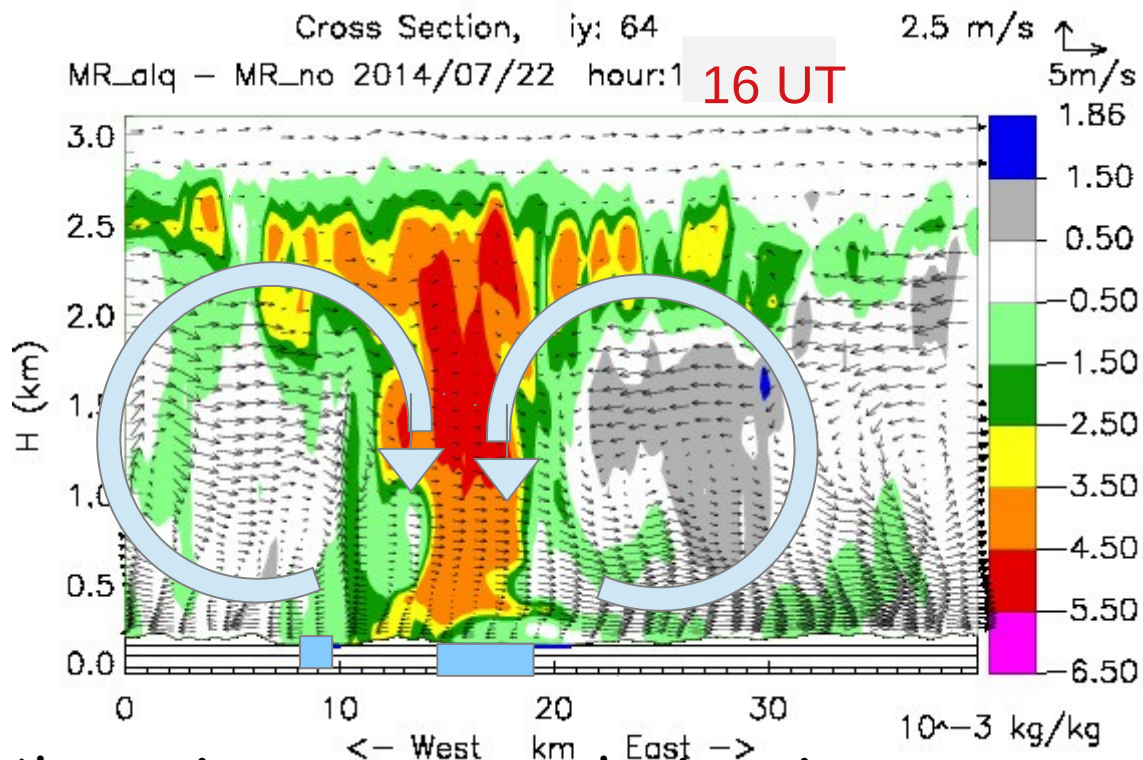
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Simulation of the “number of hours with fog” between 21:00 and 15:00 UTC



### Alqueva impact on atmospheric moisture

- Alqueva - NoAlqueva water vapor anomaly and wind in Alqueva case
- 250 m resolution, West-East crosssection, crossing the reservoir
- Afternoon decrease of mixing ratio over the water reservoir

(Iakunin et al., 2018)

# Collaborating and teaching young scientists



ALEX Summer School 2014 with Patrick Le Moigne



Meso-NH Tutorial in Évora (2016) with Christine Lac

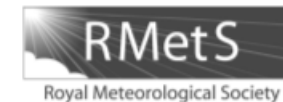


ALOP Summer School 2018 with Florence Habets and Gianpaolo Balsamo

Co-orientation of Flavio Couto's thesis with Véronique Ducrocq  
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## Understanding significant precipitation in Madeira island using high-resolution numerical simulations of real cases


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A scenic view of a lake with a dock, a rocky island, and a small boat with a large white sphere. The lake is blue and calm, with a rocky island in the foreground. A dock with several blue and white boats is visible in the background. A small white boat with a large white sphere is in the middle of the lake. The sky is clear and blue.

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for all the teachings,  
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