



MasTer Toolbox

- Optional module for MasTer Toolbox - Optimised pair selection

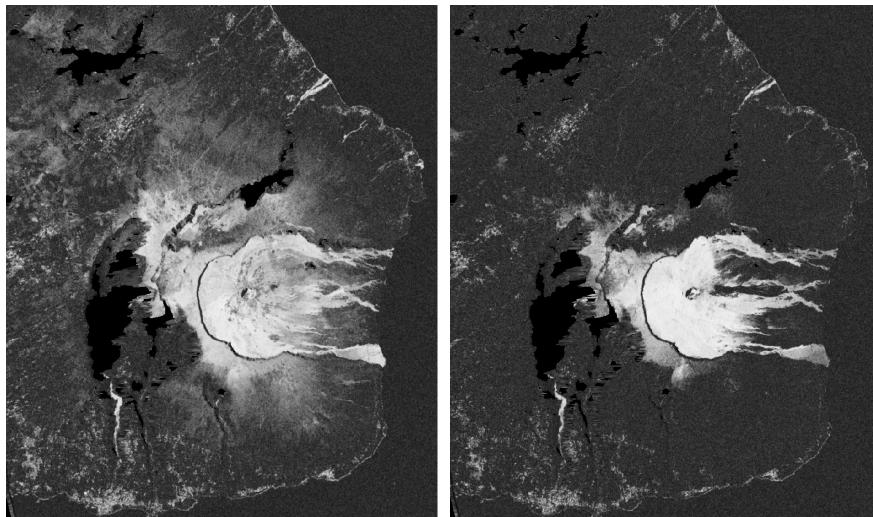
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Pair Selection Principle in Master Toolbox

User need to chose BT_{max} and BP_{max}

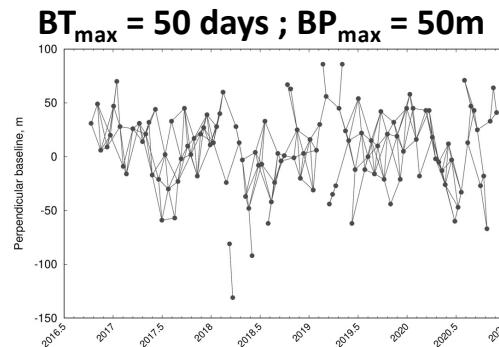
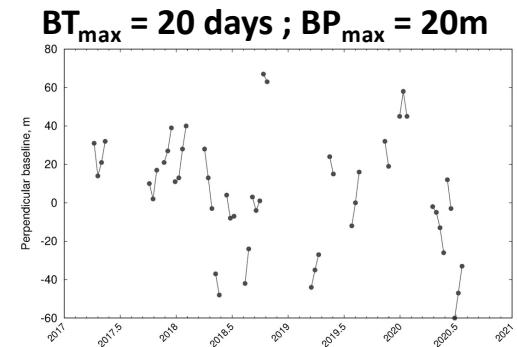
Short baselines = better coherence



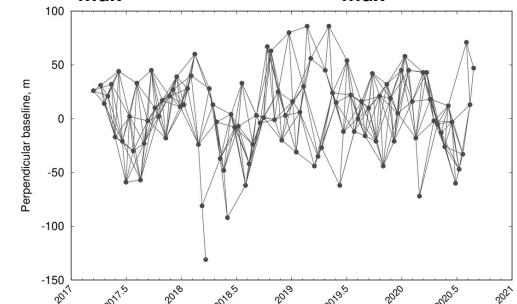
BT = 12 days

BT = 72 days

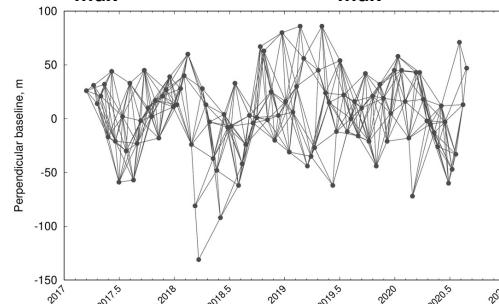
Long baselines = better connectivity



$BT_{max} = 70$ days ; $BP_{max} = 70$ m



$BT_{max} = 75$ days ; $BP_{max} = 75$ m





Pair Selection Principle in MaSTer Toolbox

User need to chose BT_{\max} and BP_{\max}

Best compromise depends on :

- Area characteristics
- Satellite orbits characteristics
- Expected displacement velocity

And also :

- Computational resources
- Storage resources

Why do we need optimization ?

While working with :

- Larger and larger databases
- Limited computer resources



Optimization aims at :

- Saving computation time
- Saving storage resources
- Improve ? / Not degrade results



Optimization Principle

List of SAR acquisitions (*MasTer inputs*) => **Prepa_msbas.sh**

⇒ List of interferograms to compute => **SAR_MASS_Processing**

⇒ List of deformation maps to invert => **MSBAS**

⇒ Time series (*MasTer final products*)

Optimization Principle

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⇒ List of **interferograms** to compute => **SAR_MASS_Processing**

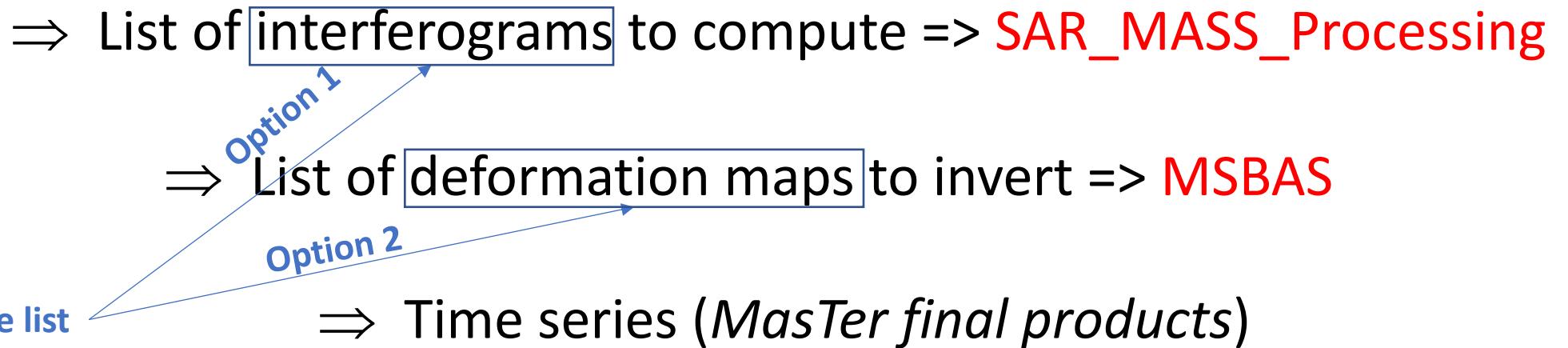
⇒ List of **deformation maps** to invert => **MSBAS**

Remove from the list

⇒ Time series (*Master final products*)

Optimization Principle

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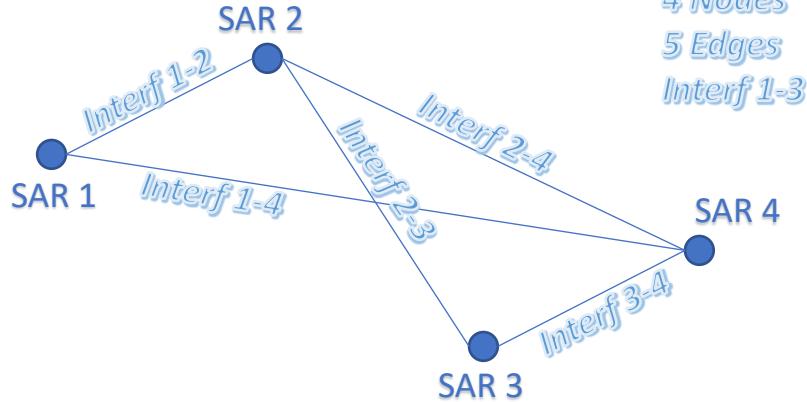


Additional constraints :

- ⇒ Keep sufficient graph connectivity
- ⇒ Remove poor quality interferograms
- ⇒ Use each image as often as primary and as secondary image

A Graph Framework

Baseline Plot = Graph
SAR acquisitions = **nodes**
Interferograms = **edges**



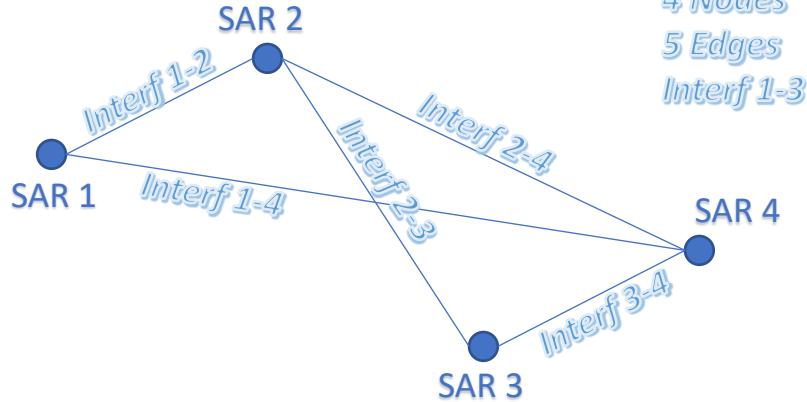
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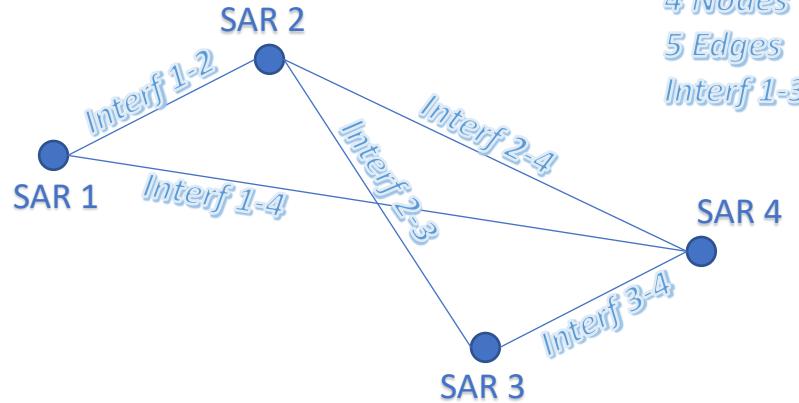


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Node Degree = number of connected neighbors
example : SAR 2 : degree 3
SAR 3 : degree 2

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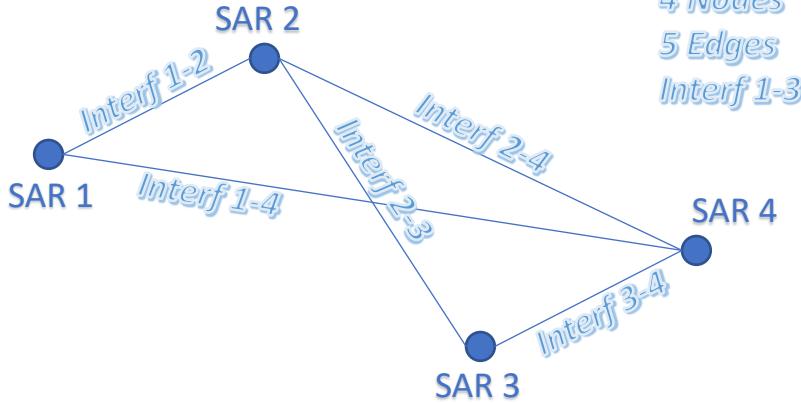


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Graph is oriented : Node In-degree = number of incoming connections
Node Out-degree = number of outgoing connections
example : SAR 2 : In-degree 1 – Out-degree 2
SAR 3 : In-degree 1 – Out-degree 1

A Graph Framework

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Optimization

- ⇒ Same In-degree and Out-degree for all node : k
- ⇒ Find a subgraph by removing non-necessary edges



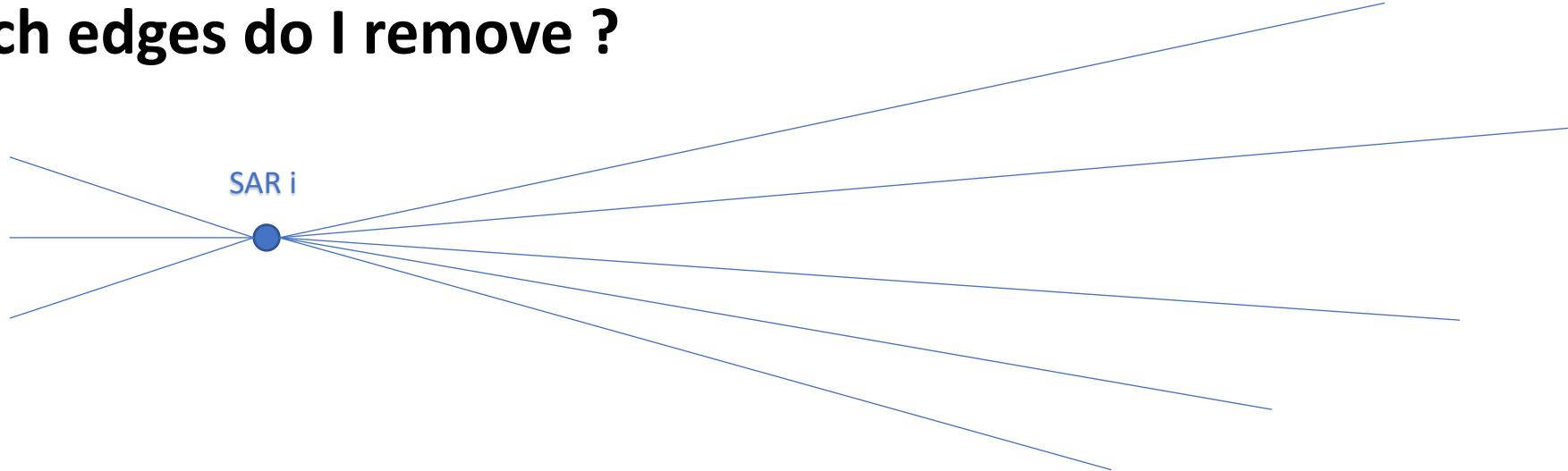
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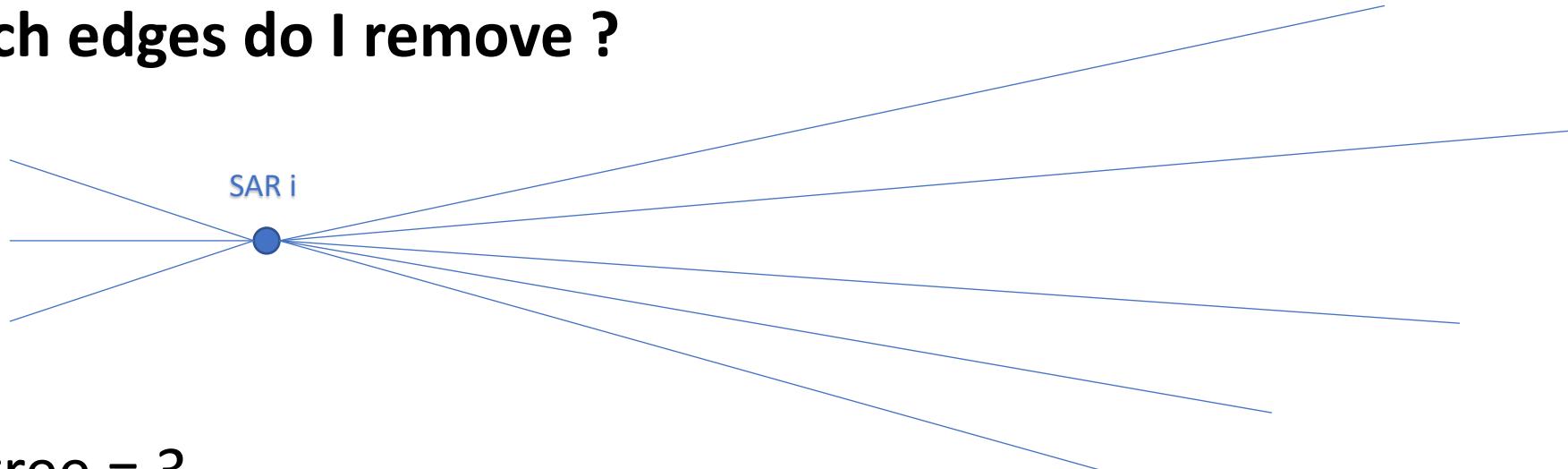
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Which edges do I remove ?



In-degree = 3

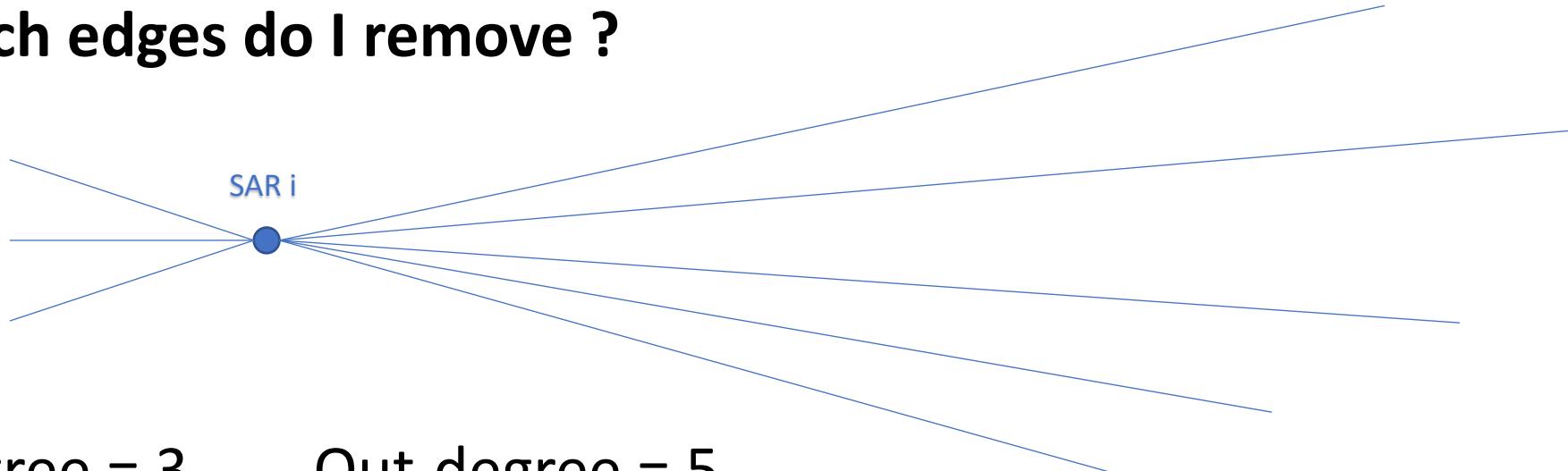
$3=k$

OK

A Graph Framework

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Which edges do I remove ?



In-degree = 3

$$3=k$$

OK

Out-degree = 5

$$5>k$$

Remove 2 edges...

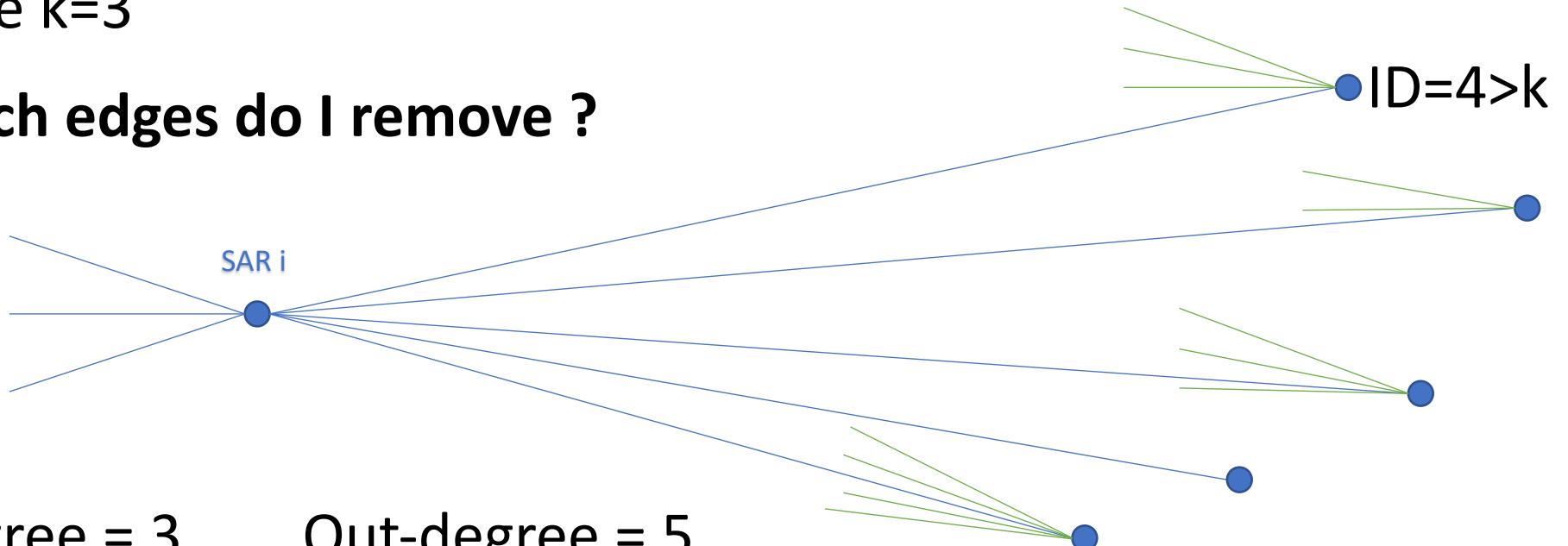
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Removable ?

YES

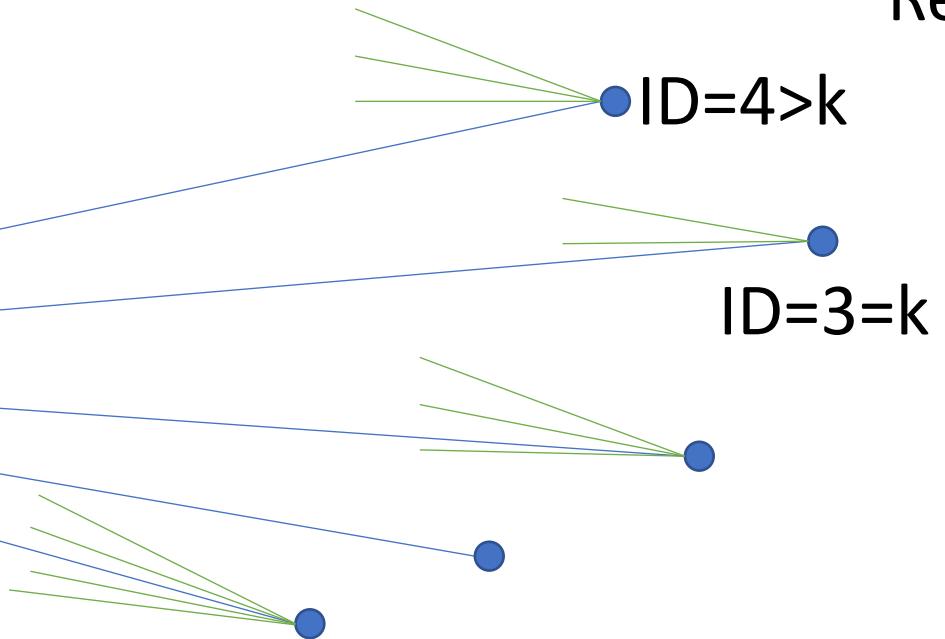
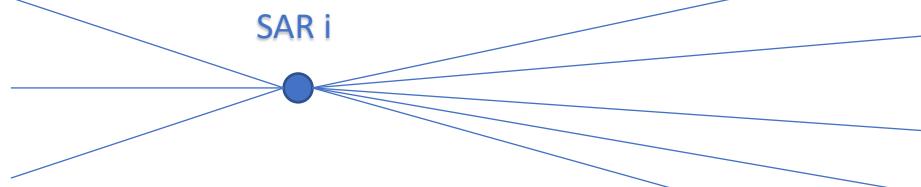
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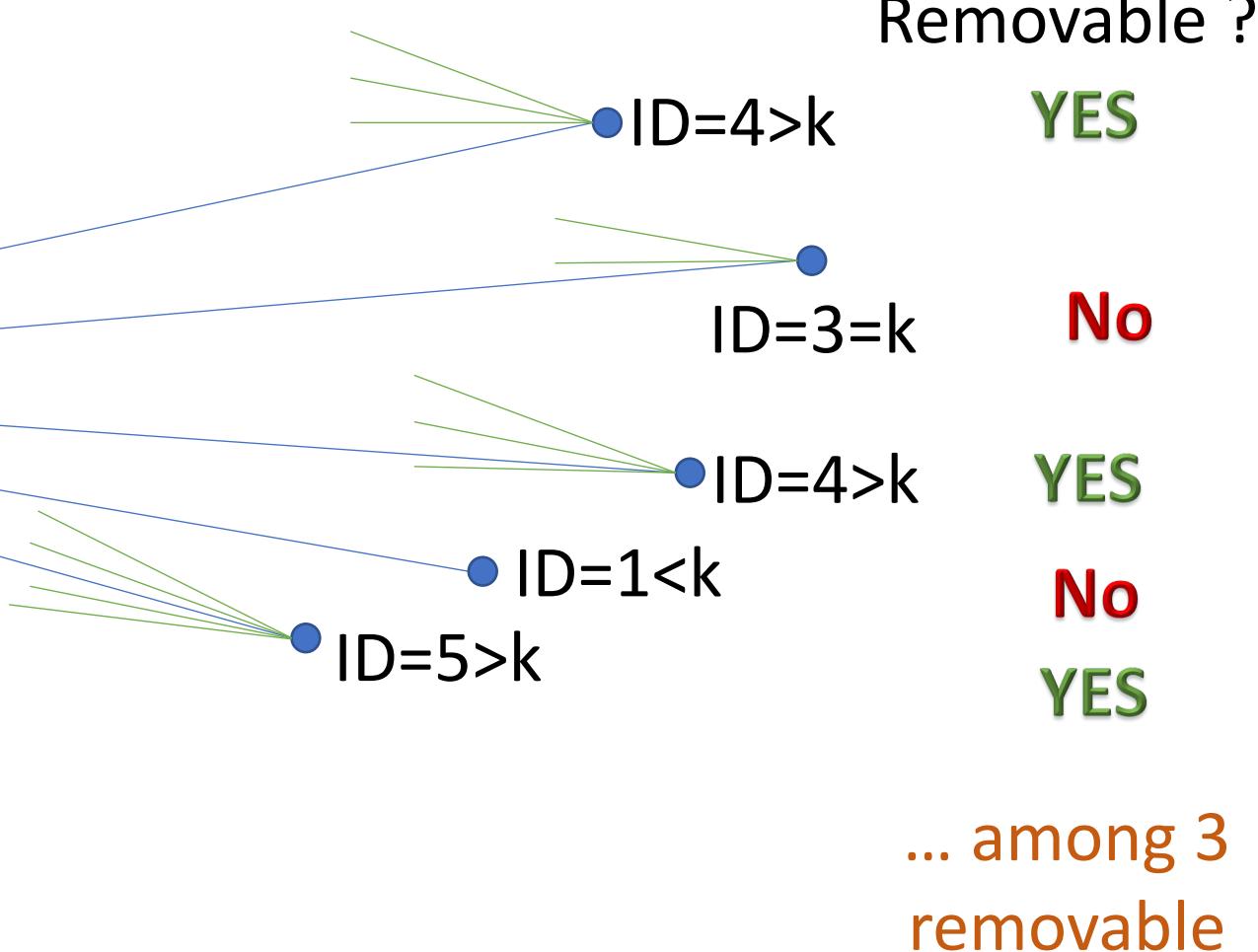
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$\text{SAR } i$
 In-degree = 3 Out-degree = 5
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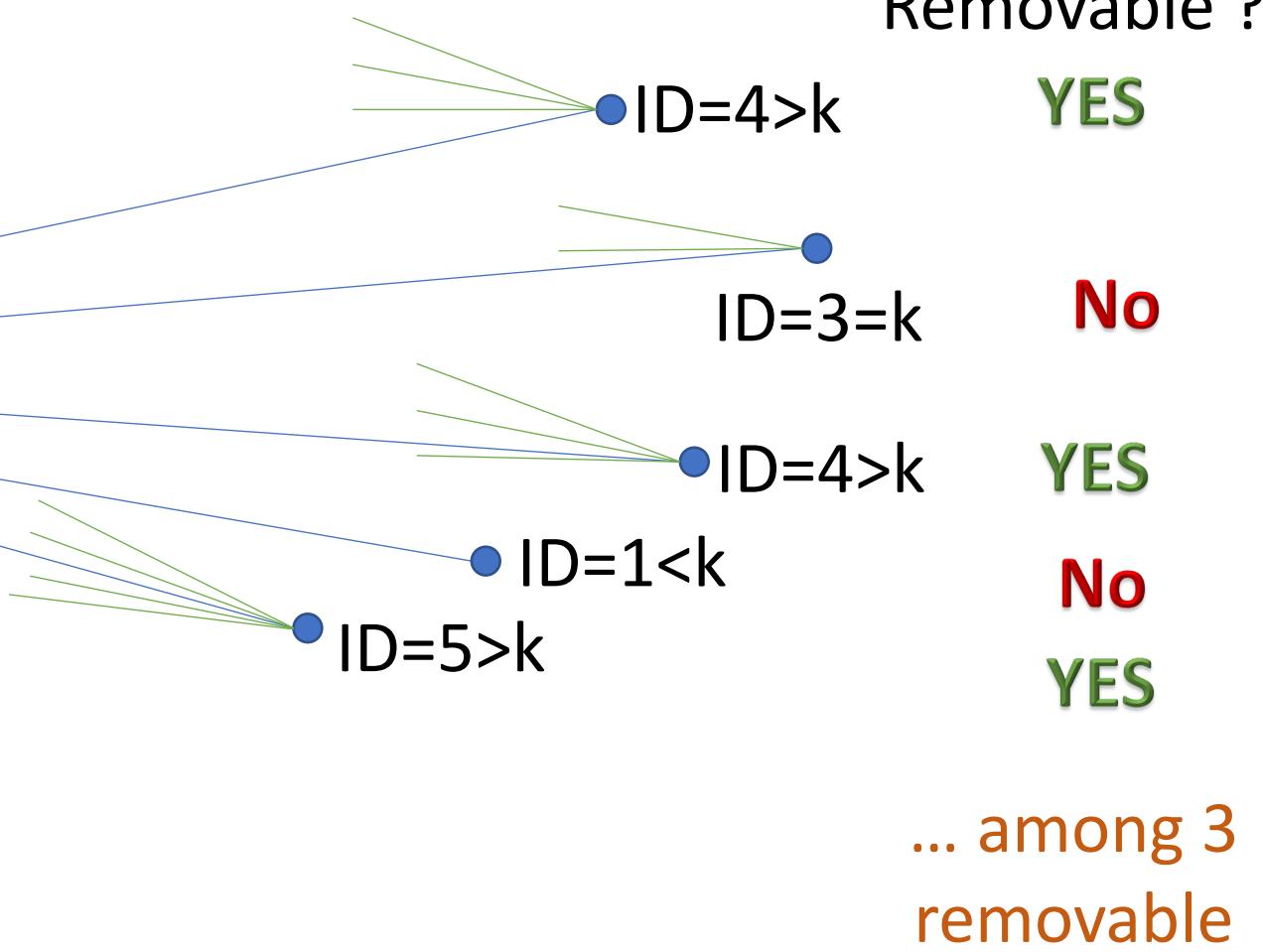
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=> Need for an additional criteria

Weighted Graph

Give a weight to each edge

⇒ **Sort removable edges**

⇒ **Remove edge with the lowest weight**

	Coherence	Coherence Proxy
Advantages	Remove in priority the poorly coherent interferograms	No need to compute the coherence of all possible pairs
Inconvenient	Need to compute the coherence of each pair	Need correct calibration

Algorithm workflow

- 1) Create an oriented graph
- 2) Compute **weight** of each **edge**
- 3) Compute **in-degree** and **out-degree** of each **node**
- 4) For each **node**:
 - 5) Compute number of **edges** to remove
 - If needed :
 - 6) Compute number of removable **edges**
 - If possible :
 - 7) Sort removable **edges** according to their **weight**
 - 8) Remove **edges**
 - 9) Update **nodes' degrees**
- end
- end
- End
- 10) Save optimized list of **edges**



Coherence proxy

3 main causes of coherence loss

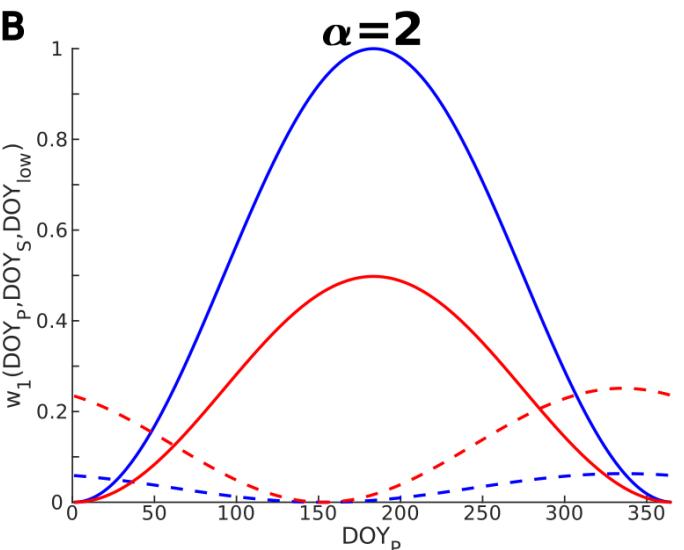
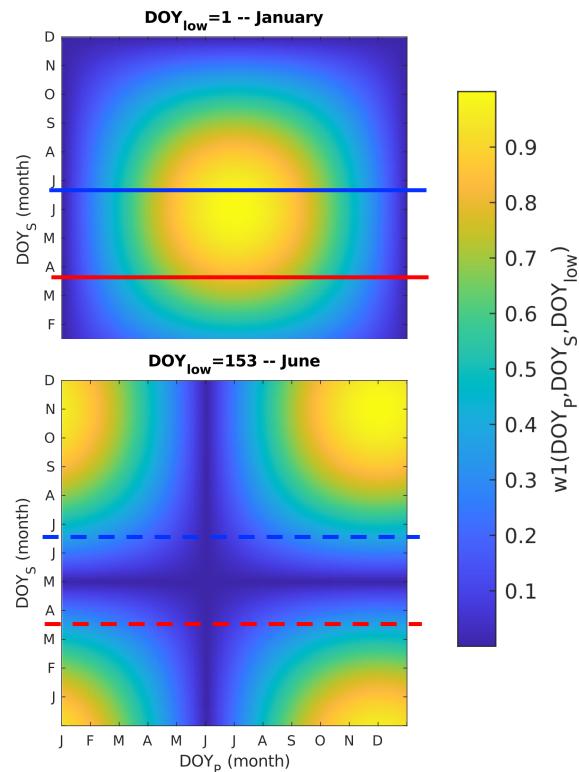
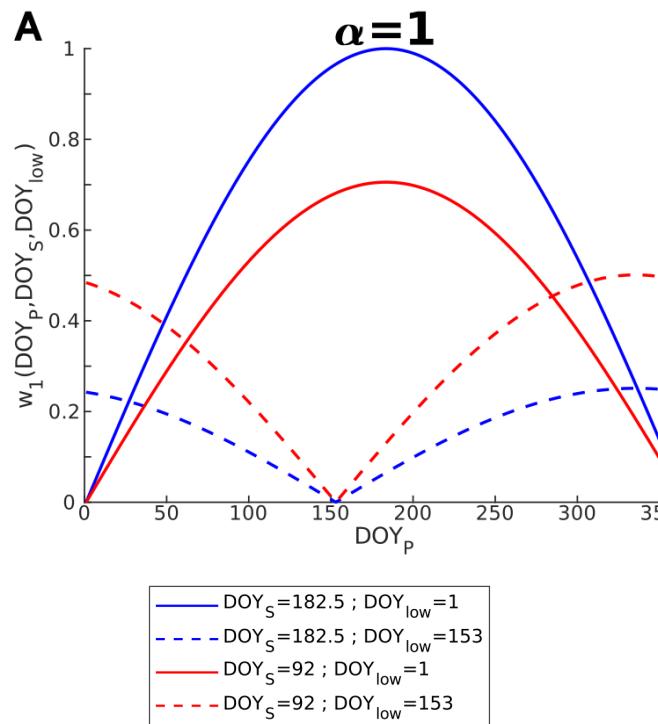
- Temporal decorrelation => w_2
- Spatial decorrelation => w_3
- Seasonal decorrelation=> w_1

$$w = a w_1 + b w_2 + c w_3$$

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Seasonal contribution w_1

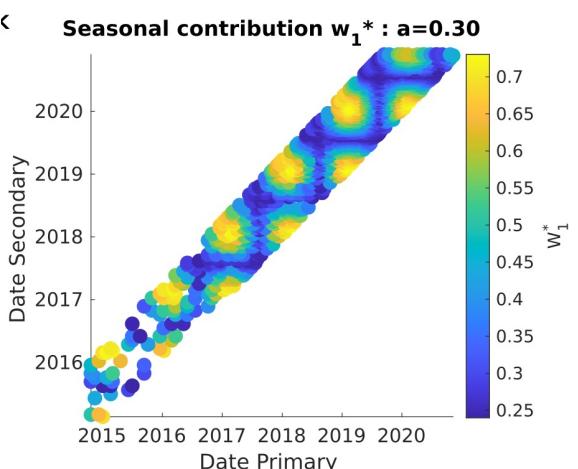
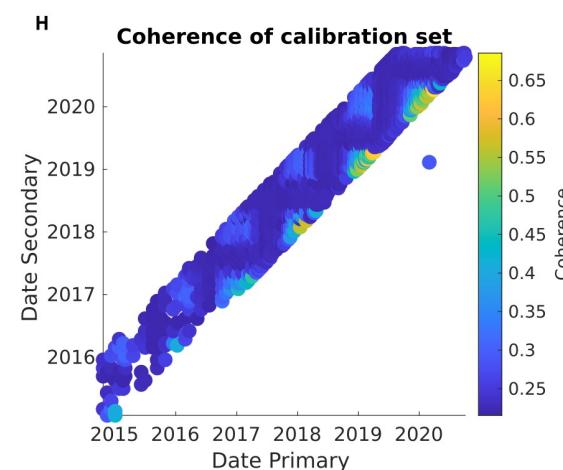
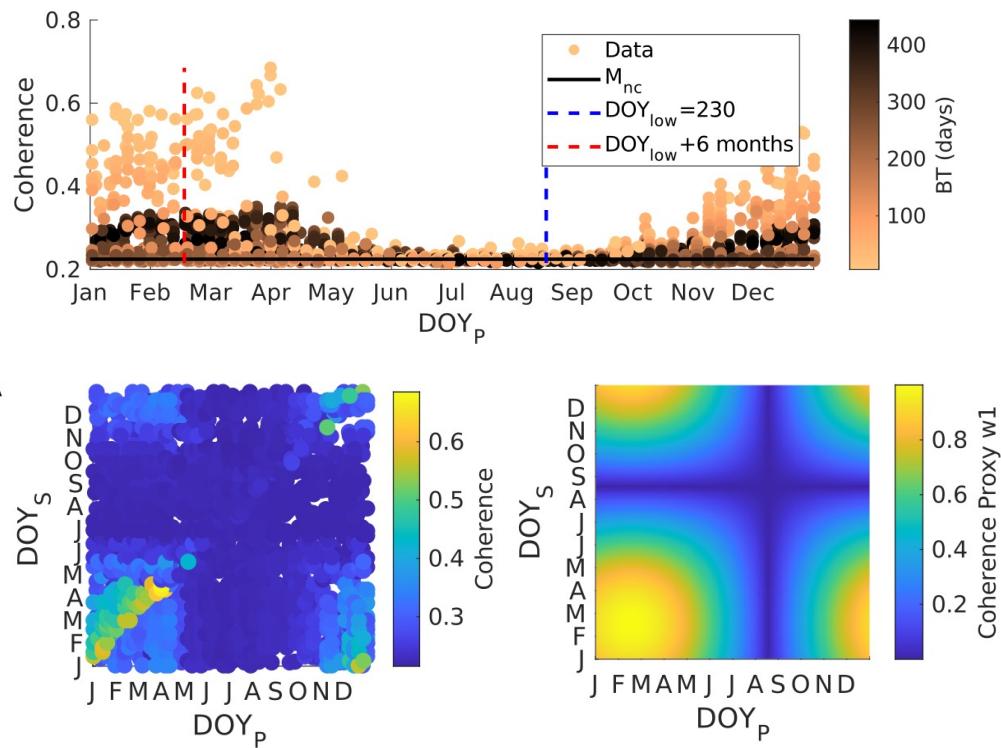
$$w_1 = \left| \sin\left(\frac{DOY_P + (365 - DOY_{low})}{365} \times \pi\right) \times \sin\left(\frac{DOY_S + (365 - DOY_{low})}{365} \times \pi\right) \right|^{\alpha}$$



Coherence proxy

Temporal contribution w_1

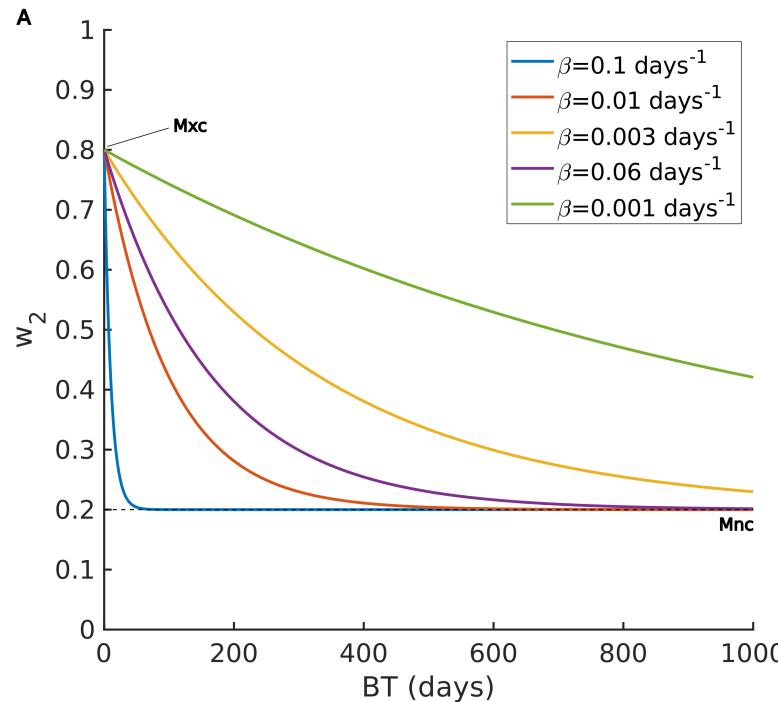
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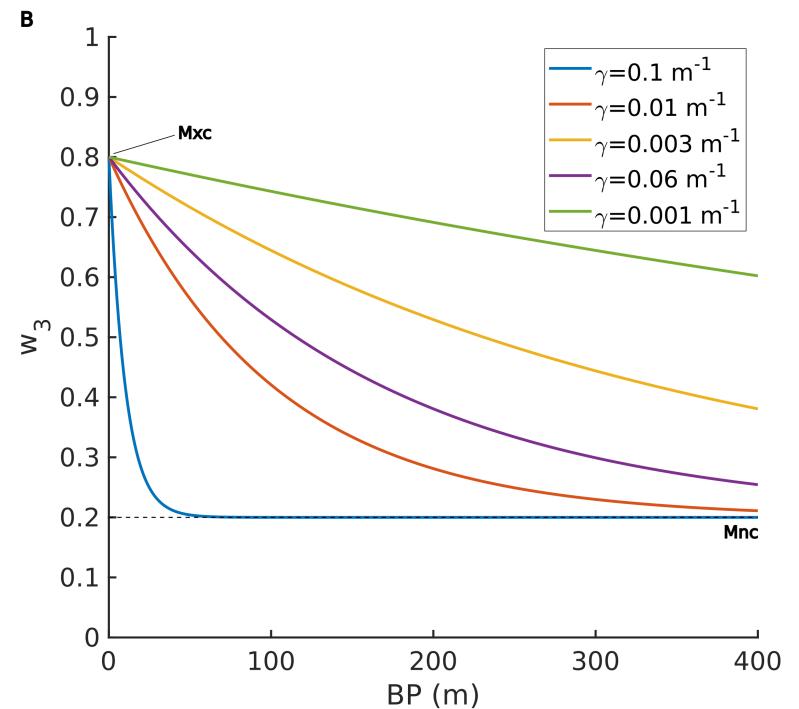
Temporal contribution w_2

$$w_2 = (M_{xc} - M_{nc})e^{-\beta|BT|} + M_{nc}$$



Spatial contribution w_3

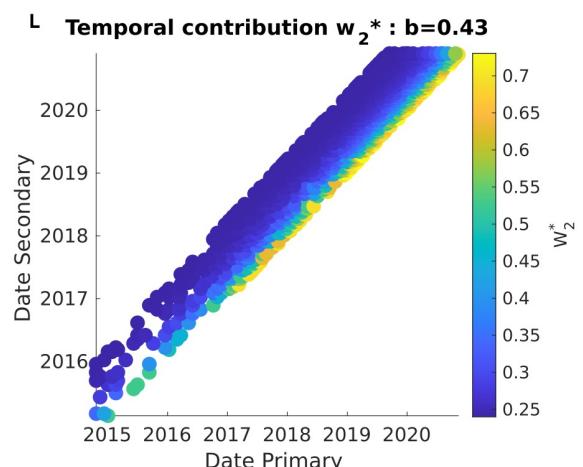
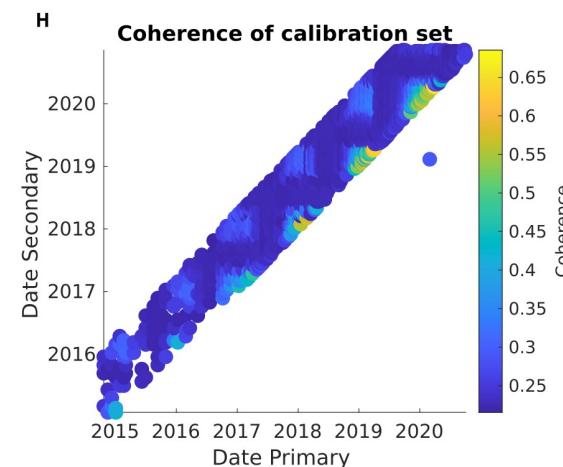
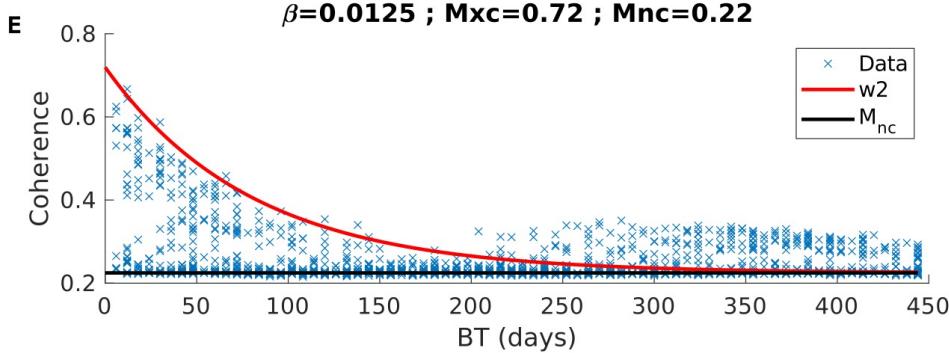
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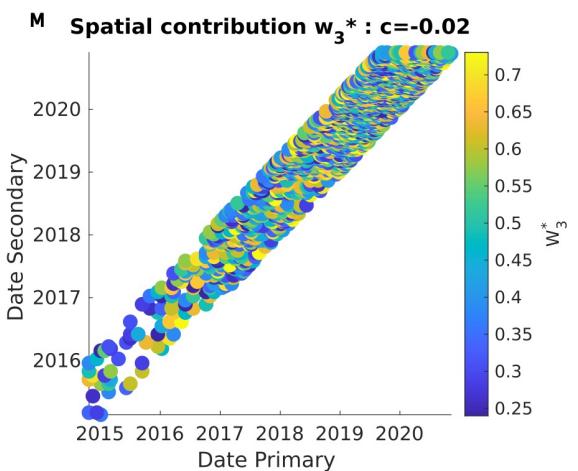
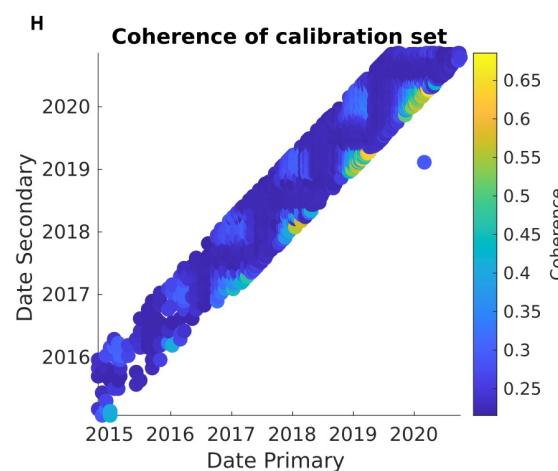
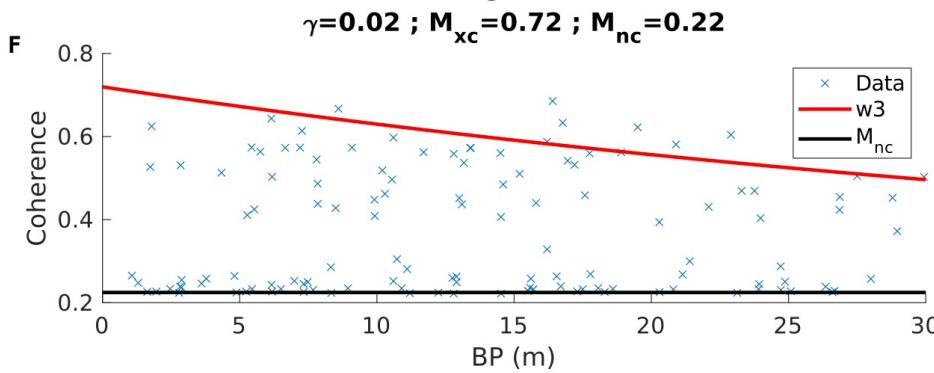
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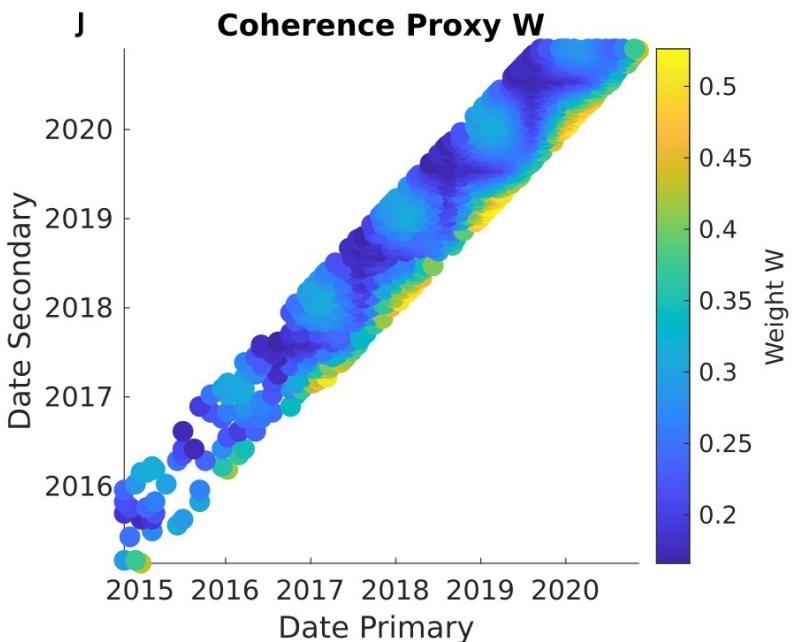
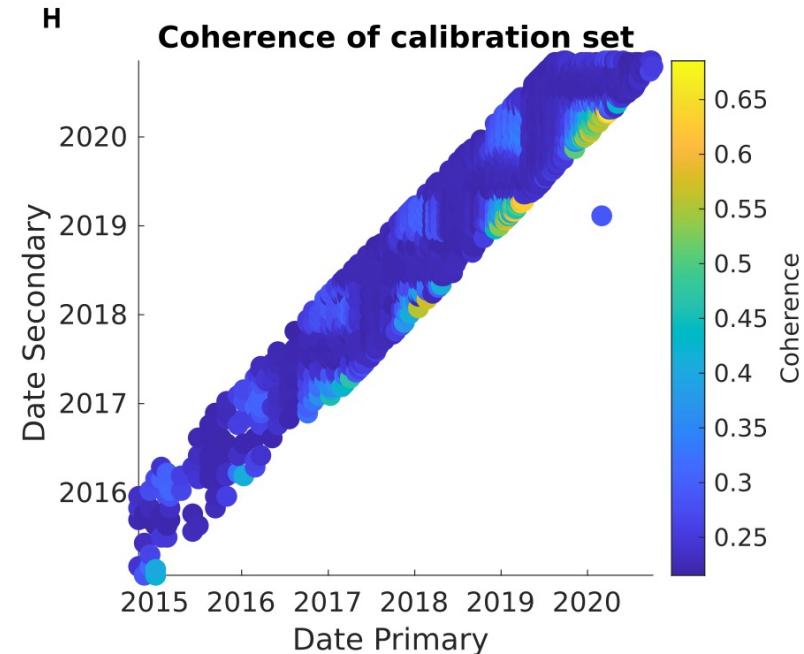
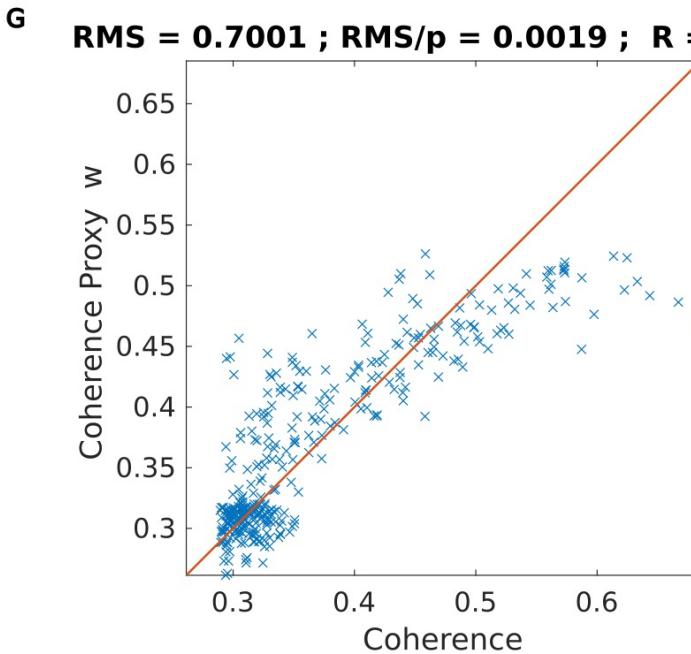
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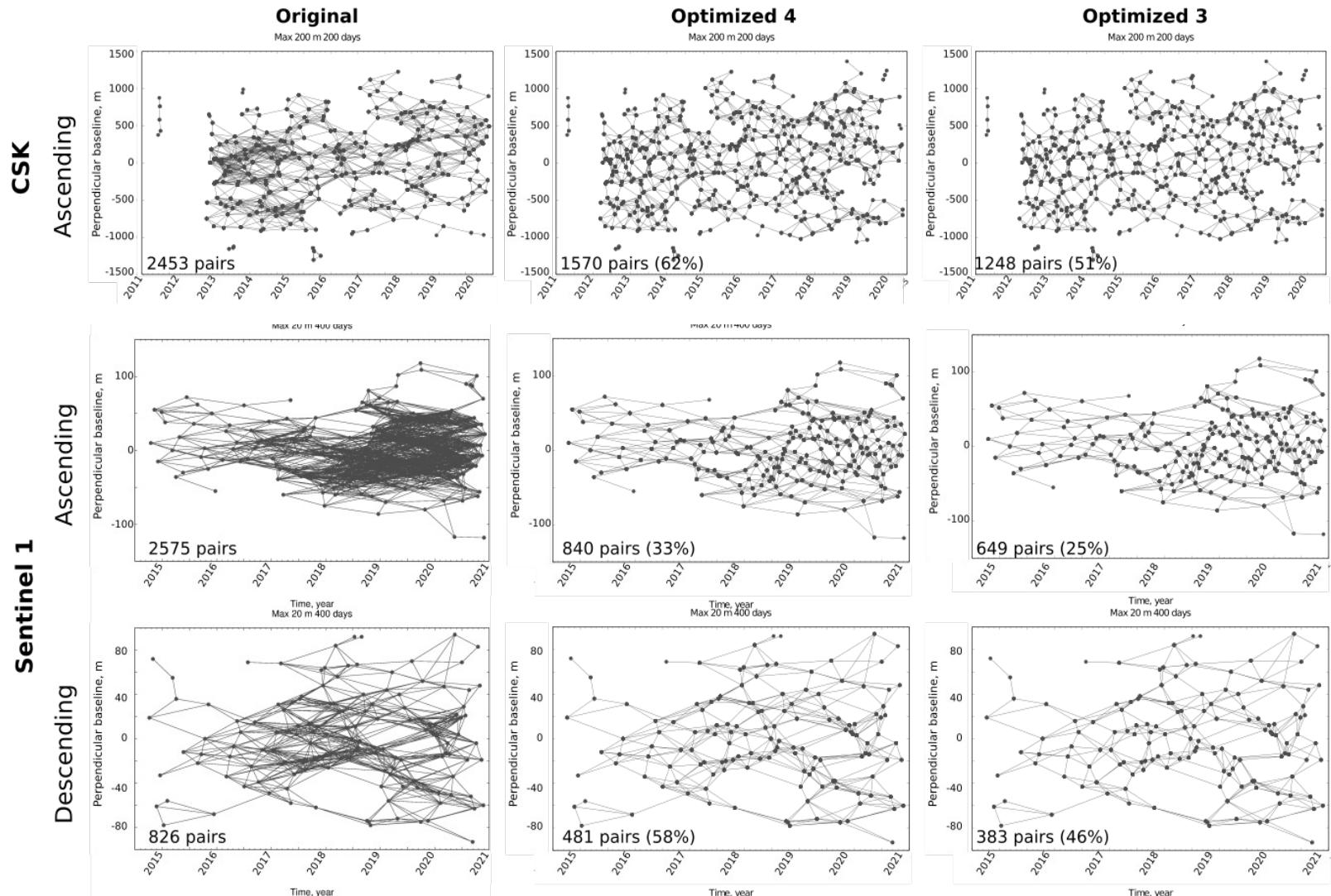
Coherence Vs Coherence Proxy w



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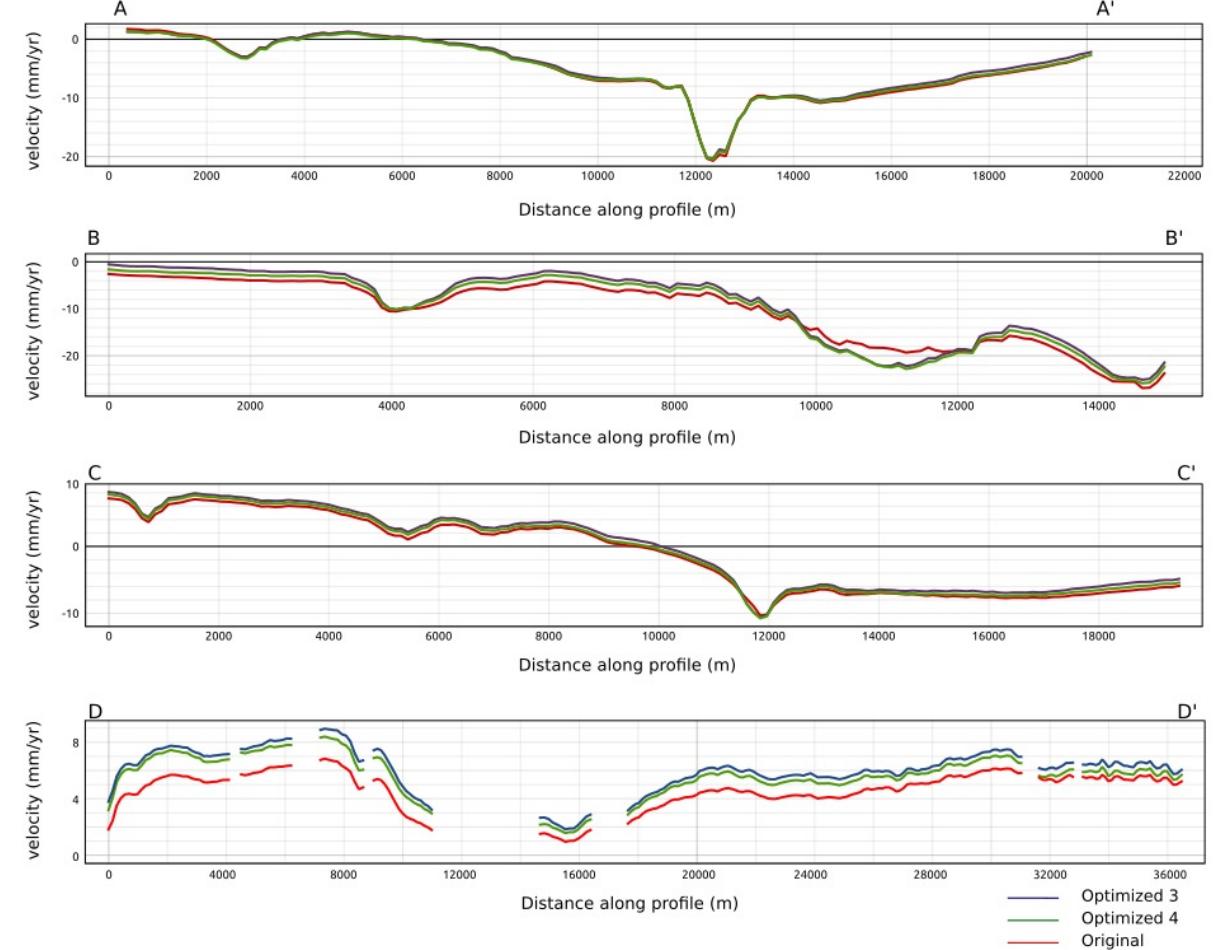
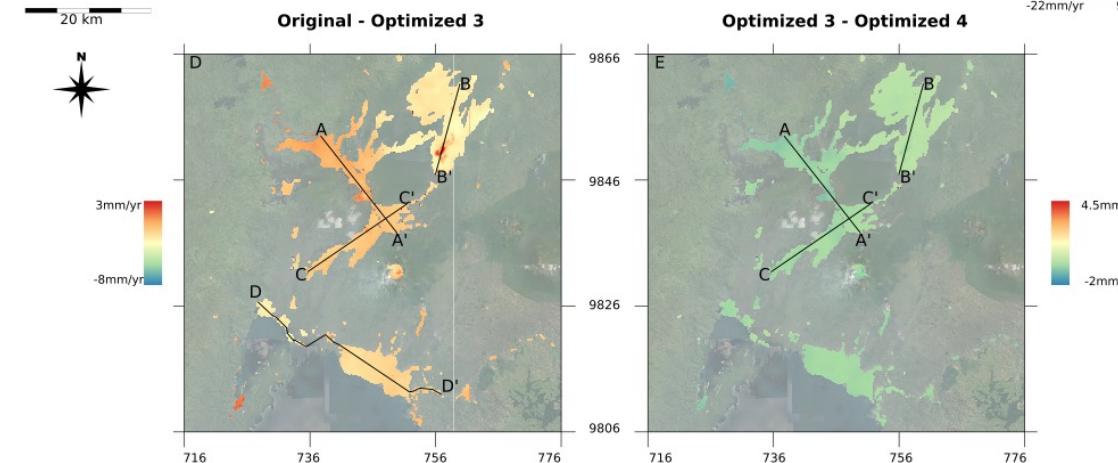
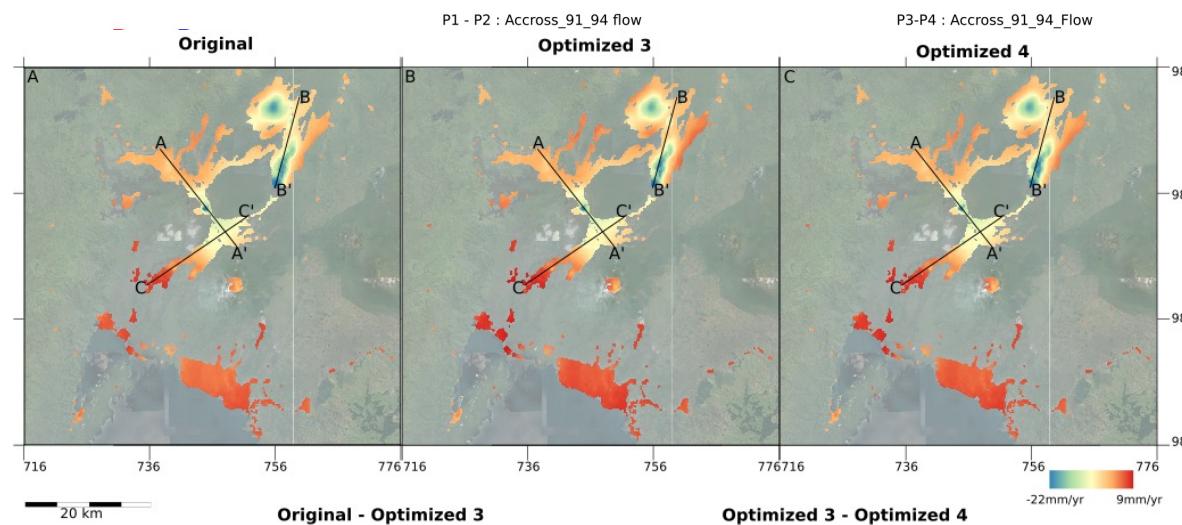
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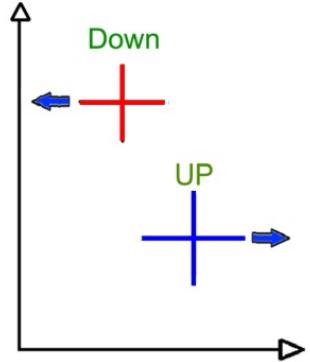




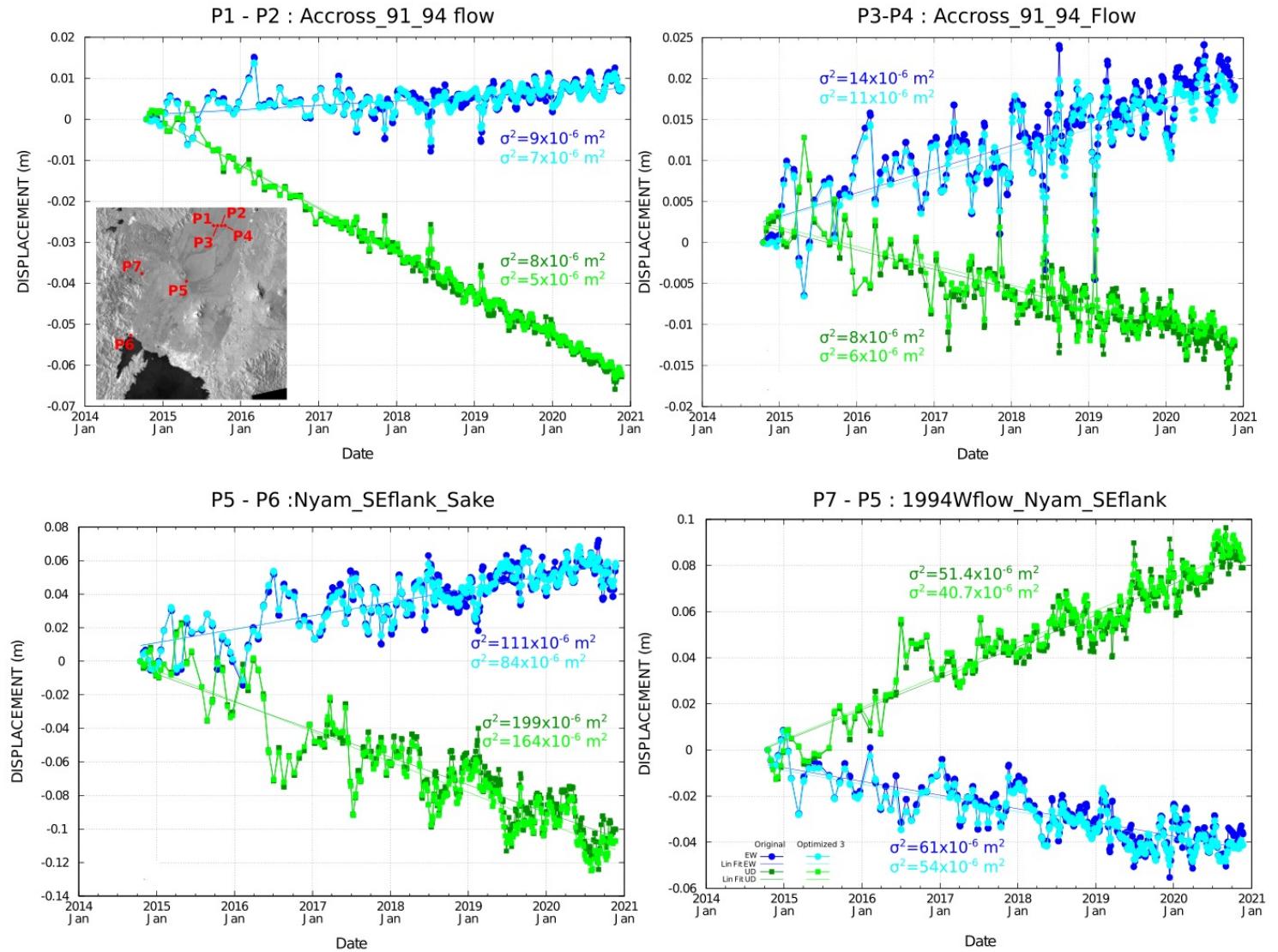
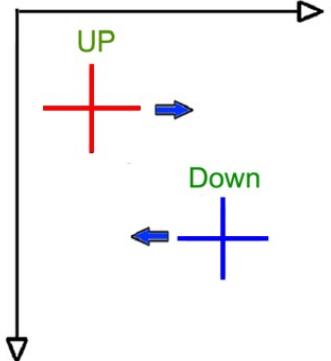
Some results

$$P_x - P_y$$

Negative displacement:



Positive displacement:





The optimization toolbox practically

Exercise part 1: Install

Copy `optimtoolbox.zip` in `$HOME/SAR/MasTerToolbox`

Open a terminal :

```
cd $HOME/SAR/MasTerToolbox
unzip optimtoolbox.zip
chmod u+x $HOME/SAR/MasTerToolbox/optimtoolbox/*.py
chmod u+x $HOME/SAR/MasTerToolbox/optimtoolbox/*.sh
cd
edit .bashrc
```

Add line :

```
PATH=$PATH:$HOME/SAR/MasTerToolbox/optimtoolbox
```

Save and quit text editor

In terminal :

```
source .bashrc
```



The optimization toolbox practically

Exercise part 2: How to use

- Prepare a kml defining your calibration ROI in [\\$PATH_1650/kml/ARGENTINA/Domuyo_Edifice.kml](#)

- Prepare Coherence table calibration

```
cd $PATH_3601/SAR_MASSPROCESS/S1/ARG_DOMU_LAGUNA_A_18_SAMPLE/...
...SMNoCrop_SM_20180512_Zoom1_ML4/Geocoded/Coh
```

```
Baseline_Coh_Table.sh $PATH_1650/kml/ARGENTINA/Domuyo_Edifice.kml
```

Output is a textfile in .../Geocoded/Coh/Baseline_Coh_Table_Domuyo_Edifice.kml.txt



The optimization toolbox practically

Exercise part 2: How to use

- Optimize Pair table

```
cd $PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/ARGENTINE/set1
```

Check if table.orig already exists

Option 1 : Run using coherence values (4 arguments – same pairs in both tables)

```
Run_optim_module.sh $PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/.../set1/table_0_BP_0_BT.txt  
$PATH_3601/SAR_MASSPROCESS/.../Geocoded/Coh/Baseline_Coh_Table_kml.txt optimdegree coh_thres
```

Example :

```
Run_optim_module.sh $PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/ARGENTINE/set1/table_0_20_0_450.txt_For_Optim.txt  
$PATH_3601/SAR_MASSPROCESS/S1/ARG_DOMU_LAGUNA_A_18_SAMPLE/SMNoCrop_SM_20180512_Zoom1_ML4...  
.../Geocoded/Coh/Baseline_Coh_Table_Domuyo_Edifice.kml.txt 3 0
```

- Optimize Pair table

Output are textfiles in \$PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/ARGENTINE/set1/
table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0.txt
table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0_optimized.txt
table_0_20_0_450_orig.txt



The optimization toolbox practically

Exercise part 2: How to use

- Optimize Pair table

```
cd $PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/ARGENTINE/set1
```

Check if table.orig already exists

Option 2 : Run using coherence proxy (10 arguments)

```
Run_optim_module.sh $PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/.../seti/table_0_20_0_450.txt
```

```
$PATH_3601/SAR_MASSPROCESS/.../Geocoded/Coh/Baseline_Coh_Table_.kml.txt optimdegree DOY_low α β γ Mxc Mnc coh_thres
```

Example :

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```
$PATH_3601/SAR_MASSPROCESS/S1/ARG_DOMU_LAGUNA_A_18_SAMPLE/SMNoCrop_SM_20180512_Zoom1_ML4...  
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```
table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0.txt
```

```
table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0_optimized.txt
```

```
table_0_20_0_450_orig.txt
```



The optimization toolbox practically

Exercise part 2: How to use

- Prepare MSBAS

```
cd $PATH_3602/MSBAS/_Argentina_S1_20m_450days
```

If not already done : **build_header_msbas_criteria.sh**

Save a copy of [DefolInterpolx2Detrend1.txt](#)

```
cp DefolInterpolx2Detrend1.txt DefolInterpolx2Detrend1_orig.txt
```

For each set of interest (here only set 1) :

```
Remove_Pairs_From_BaselinePlotOptimisation.sh DefolInterpolx2Detrend1
```

```
$PATH_1650/SAR_SM/MSBAS/ARGENTINE/set1/table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0.txt
```

Output is a textfile [DefolInterpolx2Detrend1_Optimized_TABLE.txt_RUNTIME.txt](#)

To run msbas without optimization :

```
cp DefolInterpolx2Detrend1_orig.txt DefolInterpolx2Detrend1.txt
```

To run msbas with optimized table :

```
cp DefolInterpolx2Detrend1_Optimized_table_0_20_0_450_listPR2rm4optim_3_th0.txt_05_16_2023_13h43m.txt DefolInterpolx2Detrend1.txt
```

Update header.txt : here only one set, comment line for set 2

Launch : **MSBAS.sh _set1_afteroptim**

```
cd zz_LOS_set1_afteroptim
```

Visualization : **PlotTS.sh 2851 2696 3050 2700 -f -r -t** or open maps in QGIS



The optimization toolbox practically - Results

