## prior\_montecarlo

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### 1 Run and process the prior monte carlo and pick a "truth" realization

A great advantage of exploring a synthetic model is that we can enforce a "truth" and then evaluate how our various attempts to estimate it perform. One way to do this is to run a monte carlo ensemble of multiple parameter realizations and then choose one of them to represent the "truth". That will be accomplished in this notebook.

```
In [1]: import os
    import shutil
    import numpy as np
    import pandas as pd
    import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import matplotlib as mpl
    plt.rcParams['font.size']=12
    import flopy
    import pyemu
```

flopy is installed in /Users/jeremyw/Dev/gw1876/activities\_2day\_mfm/notebooks/flopy

# 1.0.1 set the t\_d or "template directory" variable to point at the template folder and read in the PEST control file

### 1.0.2 Decide what pars are uncertain in the truth

We need to decide what our truth looks like - should the pilot points or the grid-scale pars be the source of spatial variability? or both?

```
In [3]: par = pst.parameter_data
    # grid pars
    #should_fix = par.loc[par.pargp.apply(lambda x: "gr" in x), "parnme"]
    # pp pars
    #should_fix = par.loc[par.pargp.apply(lambda x: "pp" in x), "parnme"]
    #pst.npar - should_fix.shape[0]
```

### 1.0.3 run the prior ensemble in parallel locally

This takes advantage of the program pestpp-swp which runs a parameter sweep through a set of parameters. By default, pestpp-swp reads in the ensemble from a file called sweep\_in.csv which in this case we made just above.

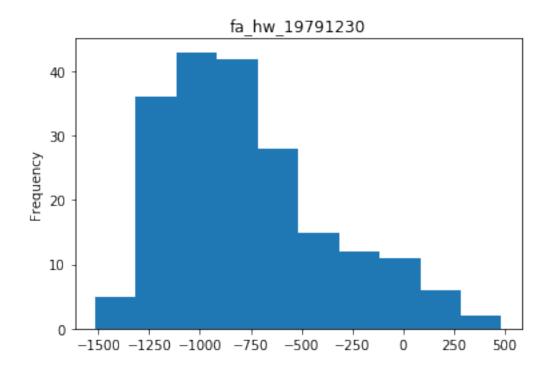
print('number of realization in the ensemble before dropping: ' + str(obs\_df.shape[0])

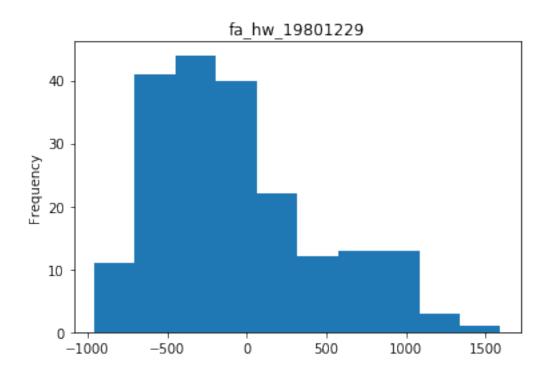
number of realization in the ensemble before dropping: 200

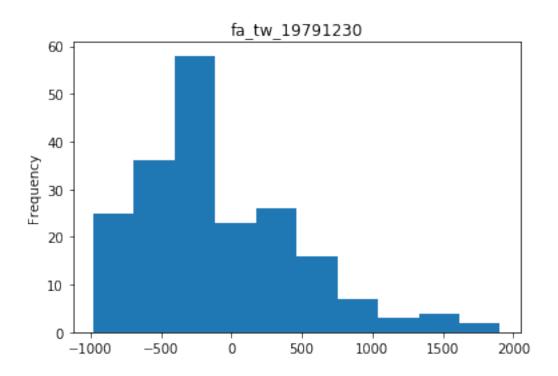
drop any failed runs

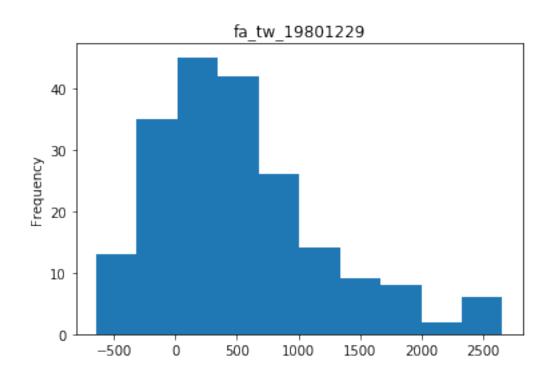
#### 1.0.5 confirm which quantities were identified as forecasts

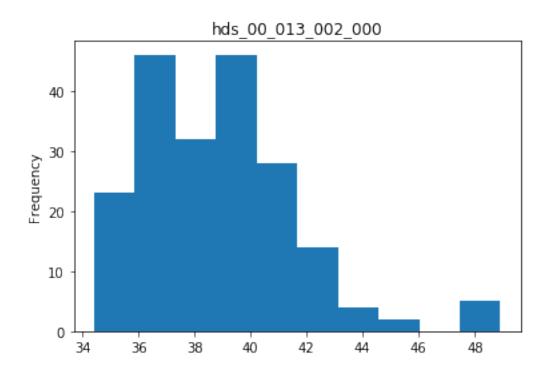
### 1.0.6 now we can plot the distributions of each forecast

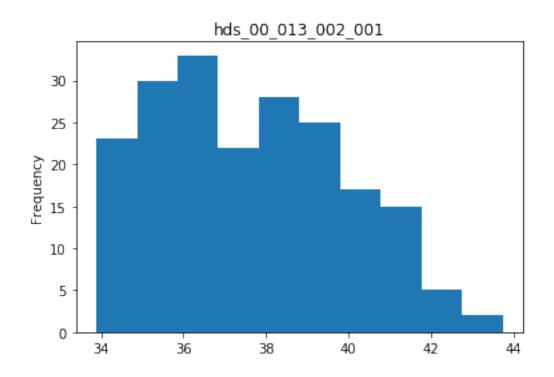


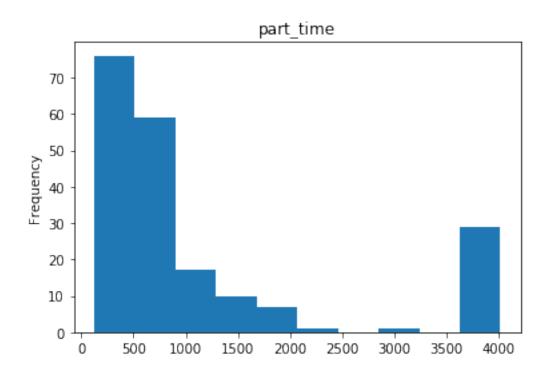


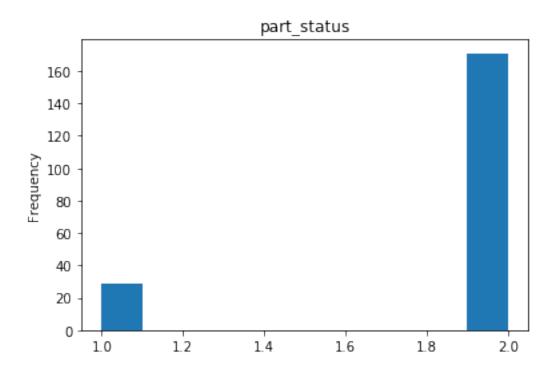






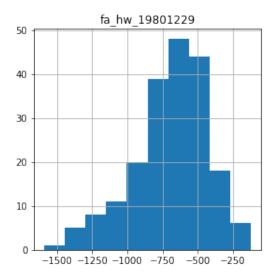


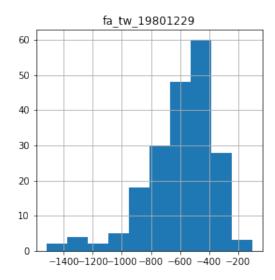


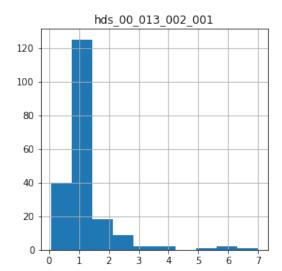


We see that under scenario conditions, many more realizations for the flow to the aquifer in the headwaters are postive (as expected). Lets difference these two:

```
In [10]: sfnames = [f for f in fnames if "1980" in f or "_001" in f]
    hfnames = [f for f in fnames if "1979" in f or "_000" in f]
    diff = obs_df.loc[:,hfnames].values - obs_df.loc[:,sfnames].values
    diff = pd.DataFrame(diff,columns=sfnames)
    diff.hist(figsize=(10,10))
    plt.show()
```







We now see that the most extreme scenario yields a large decrease in flow from the aquifer to the headwaters (the most negative value)

### 1.0.7 setting the "truth"

We just need to replace the observed values (obsval) in the control file with the outputs for one of the realizations on obs\_df. In this way, we now have the nonzero values for history matching, but also the truth values for comparing how we are doing with other unobserved quantities. I'm going to pick a realization that yields an "average" variability of the observed gw levels:

```
Out[11]: run_id
         21
                -1515.022600
         5
                -1478.211200
         182
                -1429.960200
         20
                -1370.134500
         11
                -1337.385700
         116
                -1308.621900
         114
                -1300.427400
         38
                -1292.823000
         178
                -1290.769200
                -1268.275270
         61
         138
                -1266.314400
         49
                -1250.714800
         130
                -1242.871000
         170
                -1242.660510
         186
                -1239.799900
         26
                -1239.114500
         44
                -1227.066600
         65
                -1221.035000
         22
                -1218.391100
                -1216.842800
         48
         128
                -1211.274800
         113
                -1209.880300
         185
                -1199.719800
         2
                -1184.331600
               -1166.464300
         146
         46
                -1165.863000
         159
                -1156.649900
         134
                -1155.403000
         166
                -1148.670800
         69
                -1148.229100
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         30
                 -307.996060
         98
                 -302.095600
                 -294.096350
         162
         89
                 -249.515060
         71
                 -208.660760
         147
                 -205.904900
         51
                 -199.145762
                 -166.591800
         165
         111
                 -165.552300
         189
                 -163.077070
         149
                 -119.544090
                 -109.619790
         181
         56
                  -83.603250
         105
                  -74.408900
         50
                  -57.105100
         36
                  -25.374384
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126
                  -13.427900
         31
                  -12.679864
         155
                    1.307900
         40
                   11.568782
         17
                  23.331010
         60
                  76.068821
         0
                  84.979200
         12
                  119.832260
         139
                  139.525690
         163
                  160.345500
         90
                  164.420400
         41
                  186.825430
         16
                  425.030270
         27
                  484.226980
         Name: fa_hw_19791230, Length: 200, dtype: float64
In [12]: obs_df.loc[idx,pst.nnz_obs_names]
Out[12]: fo_39_19791230
                                10597.000000
         hds_00_002_009_000
                                   37.343391
         hds_00_002_015_000
                                   34.760021
         hds_00_003_008_000
                                   37.572289
         hds_00_009_001_000
                                   39.558464
         hds_00_013_010_000
                                   35.365974
         hds_00_015_016_000
                                   34.653934
         hds_00_021_010_000
                                   34.711166
         hds_00_022_015_000
                                   34.419338
         hds_00_024_004_000
                                   35.141888
         hds_00_026_006_000
                                   34.682674
         hds_00_029_015_000
                                   34.207253
         hds_00_033_007_000
                                   34.075302
         hds_00_034_010_000
                                   33.636864
         Name: 81, dtype: float64
```

Lets see how our selected truth does with the sw/gw forecasts:

In [13]: obs\_df.loc[idx,fnames]

```
Out[13]: fa_hw_19791230
                               -853.092900
         fa_hw_19801229
                               -210.374210
         fa_tw_19791230
                               -184.237020
         fa_tw_19801229
                                427.883580
         hds_00_013_002_000
                                 39.466167
         hds_00_013_002_001
                                 38.665234
         part_time
                                637.733900
         part_status
                                  2.000000
         Name: 81, dtype: float64
```

Assign some initial weights. Now, it is custom to add noise to the observed values...we will use the classic Gaussian noise...zero mean and standard deviation of 1 over the weight

```
In [14]: pst = pyemu.Pst(os.path.join(t_d,"freyberg.pst"))
    obs = pst.observation_data
    obs.loc[:,"obsval"] = obs_df.loc[idx,pst.obs_names]
    obs.loc[obs.obgnme=="calhead","weight"] = 10.0
    obs.loc[obs.obgnme=="calflux","weight"] = 0.005
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here we just get a sample from a random normal distribution with mean=0 and std=1. The argument indicates how many samples we want - and we choose pst.nnz\_obs which is the the number of nonzero-weighted observations in the PST file

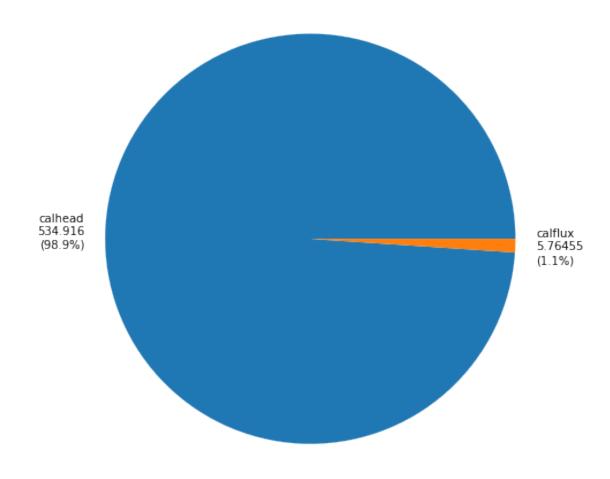
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In [15]: np.random.seed(seed=0)
         snd = np.random.randn(pst.nnz_obs)
         noise = snd * 1./obs.loc[pst.nnz_obs_names,"weight"]
         pst.observation data.loc[noise.index,"obsval"] += noise
         noise
Out[15]: obsnme
         fo_39_19791230
                               352.810469
         hds_00_002_009_000
                                 0.040016
         hds 00 002 015 000
                                 0.097874
         hds_00_003_008_000
                                 0.224089
         hds_00_009_001_000
                                 0.186756
         hds_00_013_010_000
                                -0.097728
         hds_00_015_016_000
                                 0.095009
         hds_00_021_010_000
                                -0.015136
         hds_00_022_015_000
                                -0.010322
         hds_00_024_004_000
                                 0.041060
         hds_00_026_006_000
                                 0.014404
         hds_00_029_015_000
                                 0.145427
         hds_00_033_007_000
                                 0.076104
         hds_00_034_010_000
                                 0.012168
         Name: weight, dtype: float64
```

Then we write this out to a new file and run pestpp-ies to see how the objective function looks

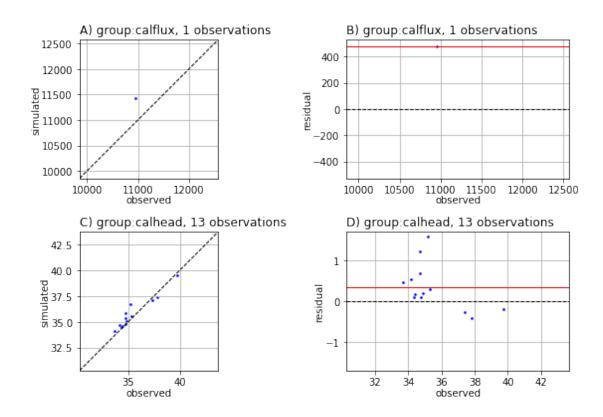
Now we can read in the results and make some figures showing residuals and the balance of the objective function

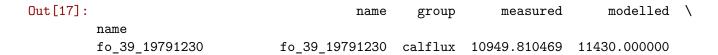
540.6801963885084 Here are the non-zero weighted observation names

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hds_00_002_009_000
                    hds_00_002_009_000
                                         calhead
                                                     37.383407
                                                                   37.107498
hds_00_002_015_000
                    hds_00_002_015_000
                                         calhead
                                                     34.857895
                                                                   35.045185
hds_00_003_008_000
                    hds_00_003_008_000
                                         calhead
                                                     37.796378
                                                                   37.397289
hds_00_009_001_000
                    hds_00_009_001_000
                                         calhead
                                                     39.745220
                                                                   39.546417
hds 00 013 010 000
                    hds 00 013 010 000
                                         calhead
                                                     35.268247
                                                                   35.571774
hds_00_015_016_000
                    hds_00_015_016_000
                                         calhead
                                                     34.748943
                                                                   34.835716
hds_00_021_010_000
                    hds_00_021_010_000
                                         calhead
                                                     34.696031
                                                                   35.386250
hds_00_022_015_000
                    hds_00_022_015_000
                                         calhead
                                                     34.409016
                                                                   34.577492
                    hds_00_024_004_000
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hds_00_024_004_000
                                                     35.182948
                                                                   36.760464
hds_00_026_006_000
                    hds_00_026_006_000
                                         calhead
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                                                                   35.896149
                    hds_00_029_015_000
hds_00_029_015_000
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                                                     34.151406
                                                                   34.678810
hds_00_034_010_000
                    hds_00_034_010_000
                                         calhead
                                                     33.649031
                                                                   34.118073
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#### residual weight name fo\_39\_19791230 -480.189531 0.005 hds\_00\_002\_009\_000 10.000 0.275909 hds\_00\_002\_015\_000 10.000 -0.187290 hds 00 003 008 000 0.399089 10.000 hds\_00\_009\_001\_000 0.198803 10.000 hds 00 013 010 000 -0.303527 10.000 hds\_00\_015\_016\_000 -0.086773 10.000 hds\_00\_021\_010\_000 -0.690219 10.000 hds\_00\_022\_015\_000 -0.168475 10.000 hds\_00\_024\_004\_000 -1.577516 10.000 hds\_00\_026\_006\_000 -1.199070 10.000 hds\_00\_029\_015\_000 -0.101162 10.000 hds\_00\_033\_007\_000 -0.527404 10.000 hds\_00\_034\_010\_000 -0.469041 10.000

Publication ready figs - oh snap!

Depending on the truth you chose, we may have a problem - we set the weights for both the heads and the flux to reasonable values based on what we expect for measurement noise. But the contributions to total phi might be out of balance - if contribution of the flux measurement to total phi is too low, the history matching excersizes (coming soon!) will focus almost entirely on minimizing head residuals. So we need to balance the objective function. This is a subtle but very important step, especially since some of our forecasts deal with sw-gw exchange

Just to make sure we have everything working right, we should be able to load the truth parameters, run the model once and have a phi equivalent to the noise vector:

we will run this with noptmax=0 to preform a single run. Pro-tip: you can use any of the pestpp-### binaries/executables to run noptmax=0

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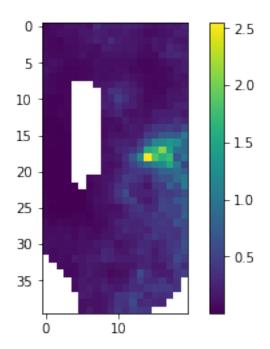
| Out[20]: |                    |                    | name    | group   | measured     | modelled     | \ |
|----------|--------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|--------------|--------------|---|
|          | name               |                    |         |         |              |              |   |
|          | fo_39_19791230     | fo_39_1979123      |         | calflux | 10949.810469 | 10597.000000 |   |
|          | hds_00_002_009_000 | hds_00_002_        | 009_000 | calhead | 37.383407    | 37.343391    |   |
|          | hds_00_002_015_000 | hds_00_002_        | 015_000 | calhead | 34.857895    | 34.760021    |   |
|          | hds_00_003_008_000 | hds_00_003_        | 000_800 | calhead | 37.796378    | 37.572289    |   |
|          | hds_00_009_001_000 | hds_00_009_        | 001_000 | calhead | 39.745220    | 39.558464    |   |
|          | hds_00_013_010_000 | hds_00_013_010_000 |         | calhead | 35.268247    | 35.365974    |   |
|          | hds_00_015_016_000 | hds_00_015_016_000 |         | calhead | 34.748943    | 34.653934    |   |
|          | hds_00_021_010_000 | hds_00_021_010_000 |         | calhead | 34.696031    | 34.711166    |   |
|          | hds_00_022_015_000 | hds_00_024_004_000 |         | calhead | 34.409016    | 34.419338    |   |
|          | hds_00_024_004_000 |                    |         | calhead | 35.182948    | 35.141888    |   |
|          | hds_00_026_006_000 |                    |         | calhead | 34.697079    | 34.682674    |   |
|          | hds_00_029_015_000 | hds_00_029_015_000 |         | calhead | 34.352680    | 34.207253    |   |
|          | hds_00_033_007_000 | hds_00_033_007_000 |         | calhead | 34.151406    | 34.075302    |   |
|          | hds_00_034_010_000 | hds_00_034_010_000 |         | calhead | 33.649031    | 33.636864    |   |
|          |                    |                    |         |         |              |              |   |
|          |                    | residual           | weight  |         |              |              |   |
|          | name               |                    |         |         |              |              |   |
|          | fo_39_19791230     | 352.810469         | 0.005   |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_002_009_000 | 0.040016           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_002_015_000 | 0.097874           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_003_008_000 | 0.224089           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_009_001_000 | 0.186756           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_013_010_000 | -0.097728          | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_015_016_000 | 0.095009           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_021_010_000 | -0.015136          | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_022_015_000 | -0.010322          | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_024_004_000 | 0.041060           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_026_006_000 | 0.014404           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_029_015_000 | 0.145427           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_033_007_000 | 0.076104           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          | hds_00_034_010_000 | 0.012168           | 10.000  |         |              |              |   |
|          |                    |                    |         |         |              |              |   |

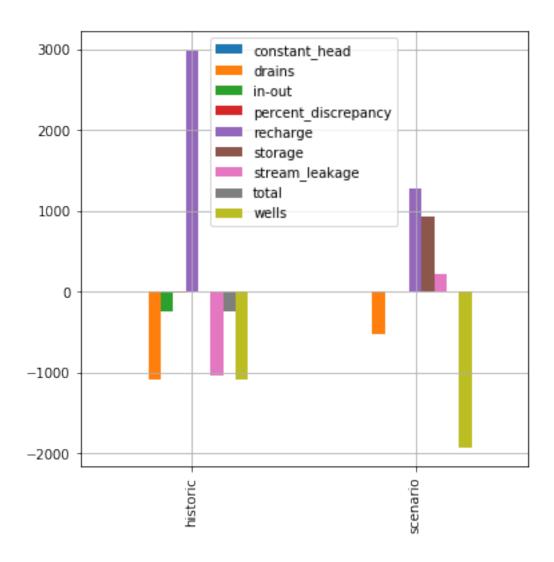
The residual should be exactly the noise values from above. Lets load the model (that was just run using the true pars) and check some things

```
In [21]: m = flopy.modflow.Modflow.load("freyberg.nam",model_ws=m_d)
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In [22]: a = m.upw.vka[1].array
    #a = m.rch.rech[0].array
    a = np.ma.masked_where(m.bas6.ibound[0].array==0,a)
    print(a.min(),a.max())
    c = plt.imshow(a)
    plt.colorbar()
    plt.show()
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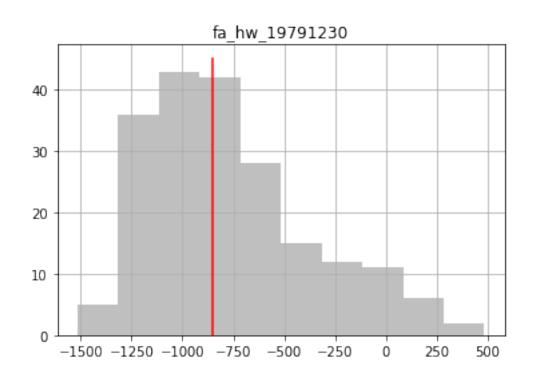
### 0.00231499 2.546079

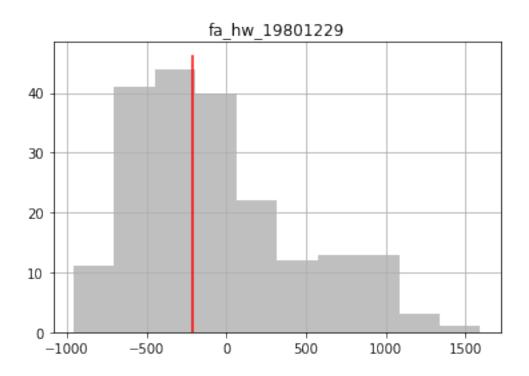


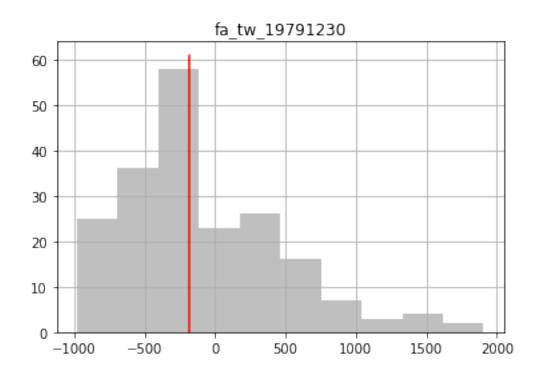


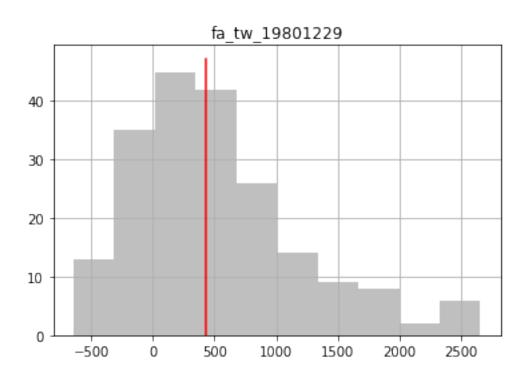
### 1.0.8 see how our existing observation ensemble compares to the truth

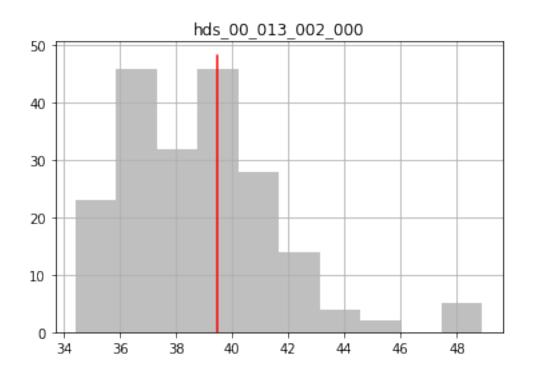
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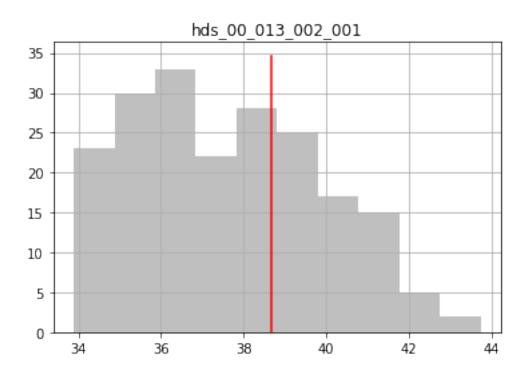


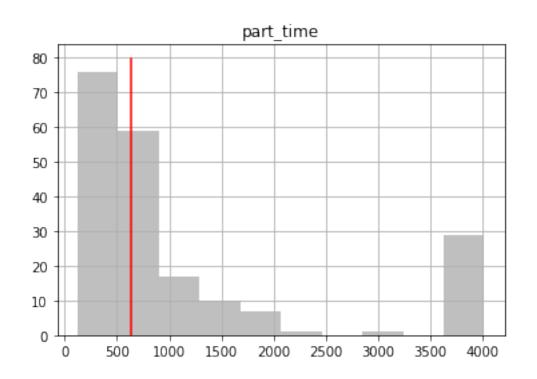


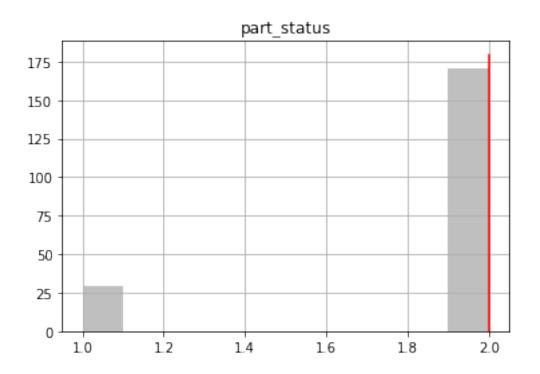












observations:

