

Application of the *Bias Correction and Spatial Downscaling* Algorithm on the *Temperature Extremes* From CMIP5 Multimodel Ensembles in *China*



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Introduction:

- The BCSD technique was used in NEX-GDDP to downscale simulations from 21 GCMs in CMIP5 project.
- The 2015 Paris Agreement: holding the increase in global mean temperature to well below 2°C above preindustrial levels.
- Therefore, it’s necessary to investigate future climate change by using more accurate and refiner data sets under the RCP2.6 scenario.
- However, the NEX-GDDP data set does not include RCP2.6 projections.

Method:

- Bias Correction and Spatial Downscaling(BCSD) algorithm —>data preprocessing(detrend), bias correction(BC, quantile-mapping), spatial disaggregation(SD, interpolation)

Data:

- gridded station-based DMT(daily maximum temperature) data at a horizontal resolution of 0.25°Cx0.25°C(CN05.1) as observations(Wu & Gao, 2013).
- 13 GCMs in CMIP5 projects

Results:

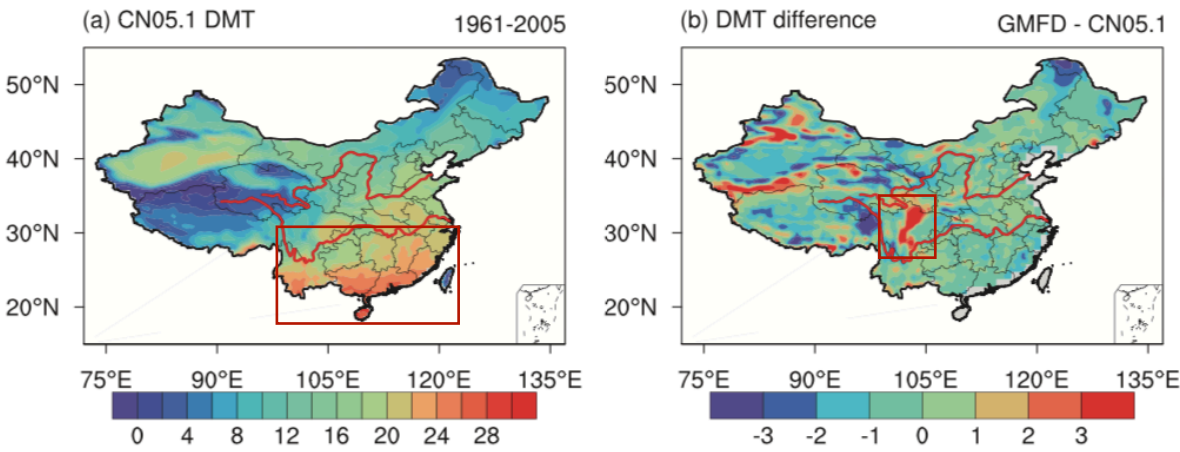


Figure 2. (a) Spatial distribution of DMT during 1961–2005 based on the CN05.1 data set. (b) Spatial distribution of DMT difference between CN05.1 and GMFD for 1961–2005. Unit: °C.

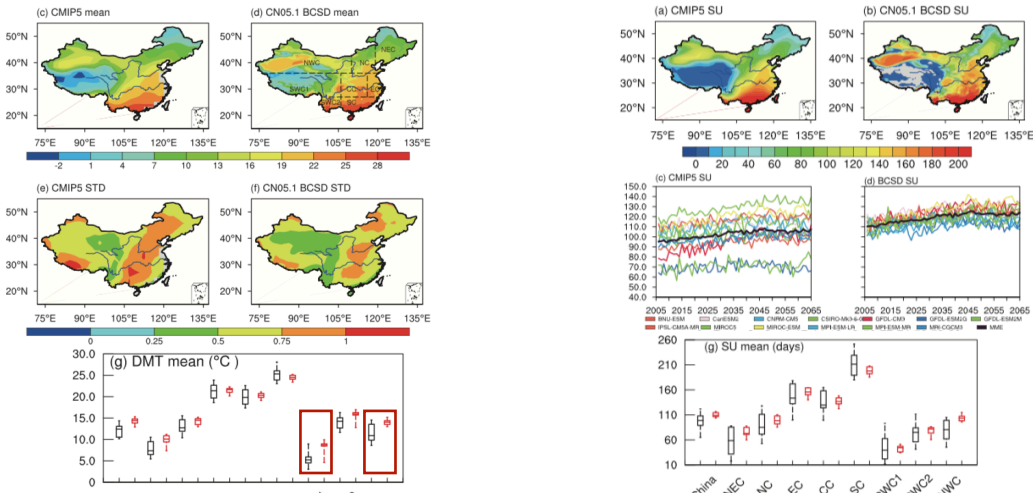


Figure 5. Annual cycle of DMT during 2006–2005 under RCP2.6 scenario derived from (a) the raw CMIP5 simulations and (b) CN05.1 BCSD. Mean (middle) and standard deviation (bottom) of DMT during 2006–2005 under RCP2.6 scenario. (c and e) For the raw CMIP5 outputs. (d and f) For CN05.1 BCSD. (g) Box-and-whisker plots for the mean value of DMT for the whole China and eight subregions. The black boxes indicate the original CMIP5 outputs. The red boxes show the downscaled outputs.

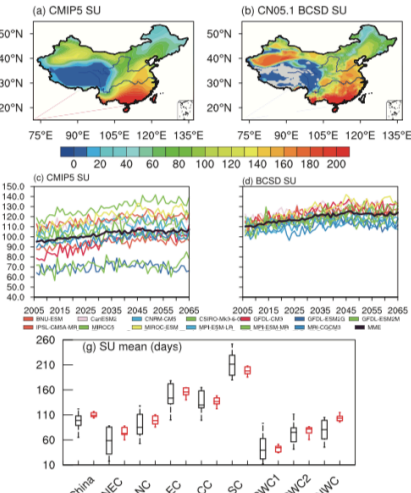


Figure 6. Mean (top) of summer days (SU) during 2006–2005 under RCP2.6 scenario for (a) the original CMIP5 outputs and (b) CN05.1 BCSD. Time series of the domain-averaged SU for the China as a whole during 2006–2005 under RCP2.6 scenario for (c) the raw CMIP5 outputs and (d) CN05.1 BCSD. The SU anomaly during 2006–2005 derived from (e) the raw CMIP5 simulations and (f) CN05.1 BCSD with respect to 1961–2005. (g) Box-and-whisker plots for the mean value of SU for the whole China and eight subregions. The black boxes indicate the original CMIP5 outputs. The red boxes show the downscaled outputs.

Conclusions:

- BCSD方法是可靠的，可用于降尺度中以得到更为精确的变量；
- CN05.1 BCSD可以得到和观测相同的特征，因此选择它作为BCSD方法中的观测数据而非GMFD；
- 通过CMIP5的13个GCMs得到的将尺度后的数据对于中国地区极端温度的表现更优。

Table 1 List of the 13 General Circulation Models (GCMs) From the CMIP5 Archive		
Model name	Horizontal resolution in degree	Modeling center
BNU-ESM	2.8° 2.8°	Beijing Normal University
CanESM2	2.8° × 2.8°	Canadian Centre for Climate Modelling and Analysis
CNRM-CM5	1.4° × 1.4°	Centre National de Recherches Meteorologiques/Centre Europeen de Recherche et Formation Avancee en Calcul Scientifique
CSIRO-Mk3.6.0	1.875° × 1.875°	Commonwealth Scientific and Industrial Research Organization in collaboration with Queensland Climate Change Centre of Excellence
GFDL-CM3	2° × 2.5°	NOAA Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory
GFDL-ESM 2G	2° × 2.5°	
GFDL-ESM 2 M	2° × 2.5°	
IPSL-CM5A-MR	1.5° × 1.27°	Institut Pierre Simon Laplace
MIROC5	1.4° × 1.4°	Japan Agency for Marine-Earth Science and Technology, Atmosphere and Ocean Research Institute (The University of Tokyo), and National Institute for Environmental Studies
MIROC-ESM	2.8° × 2.8°	
MPI-ESM-LR	1.875° × 1.875°	Max-Planck-Institut für Meteorologie (Max Planck Institute for Meteorology)
MPI-ESM-MR	1.875° × 1.875°	
MRI-CGCM3	1.121° × 1.125°	Meteorological Research Institute

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Methods

实验设计:

1. 使用新的求 $\alpha[\text{std}(\text{GMFD}) / \text{std}(\text{ANN Raw})]$ 公式;
2. 画Beijing单点Tmax和Tmin的1/7月 time series;
3. 画全国所有点Tmax和Tmin的1/7月 time series.

时间: Train & validation (=historical)

数据: CCSM, GMFD, ANN(before BC) , ANN(after BC)

变量:

·Temperature:

1. Time series

Results

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Beijing

Tmax

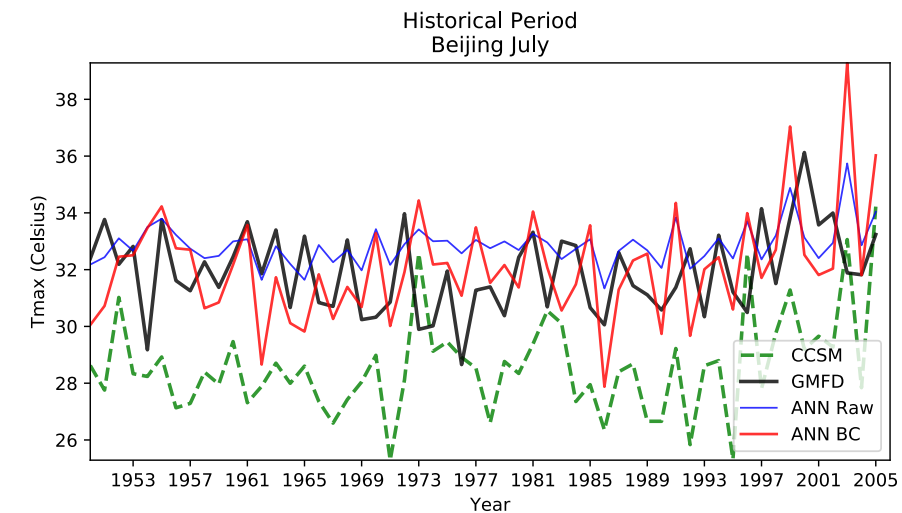
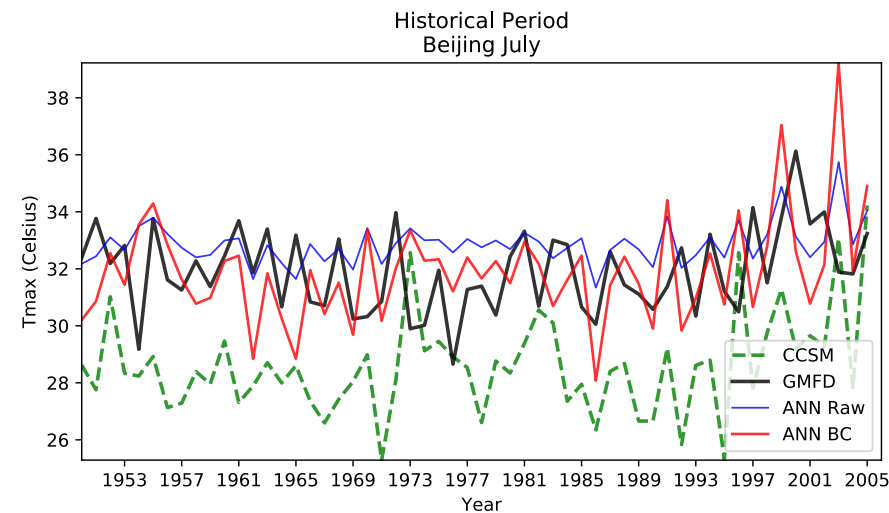
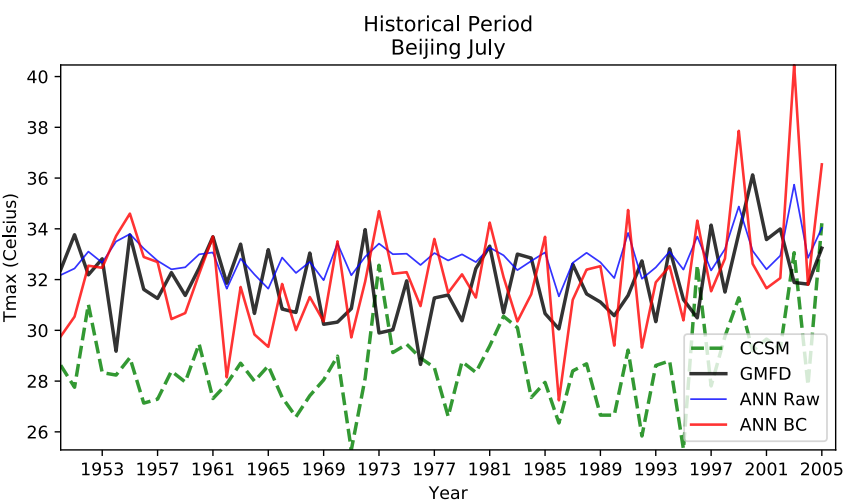
Tmax

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(old method, 42yr)

(new method, 56yr)

(new method, 42yr)



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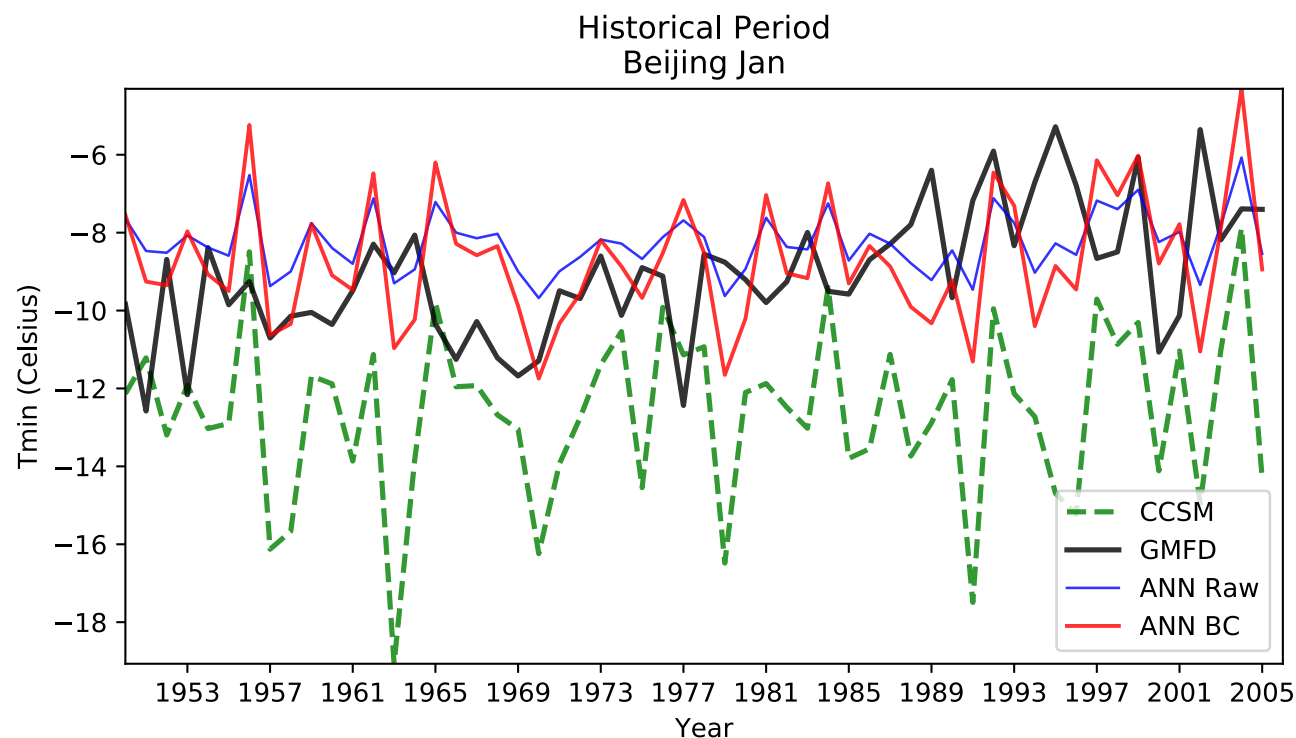
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Results

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Beijing

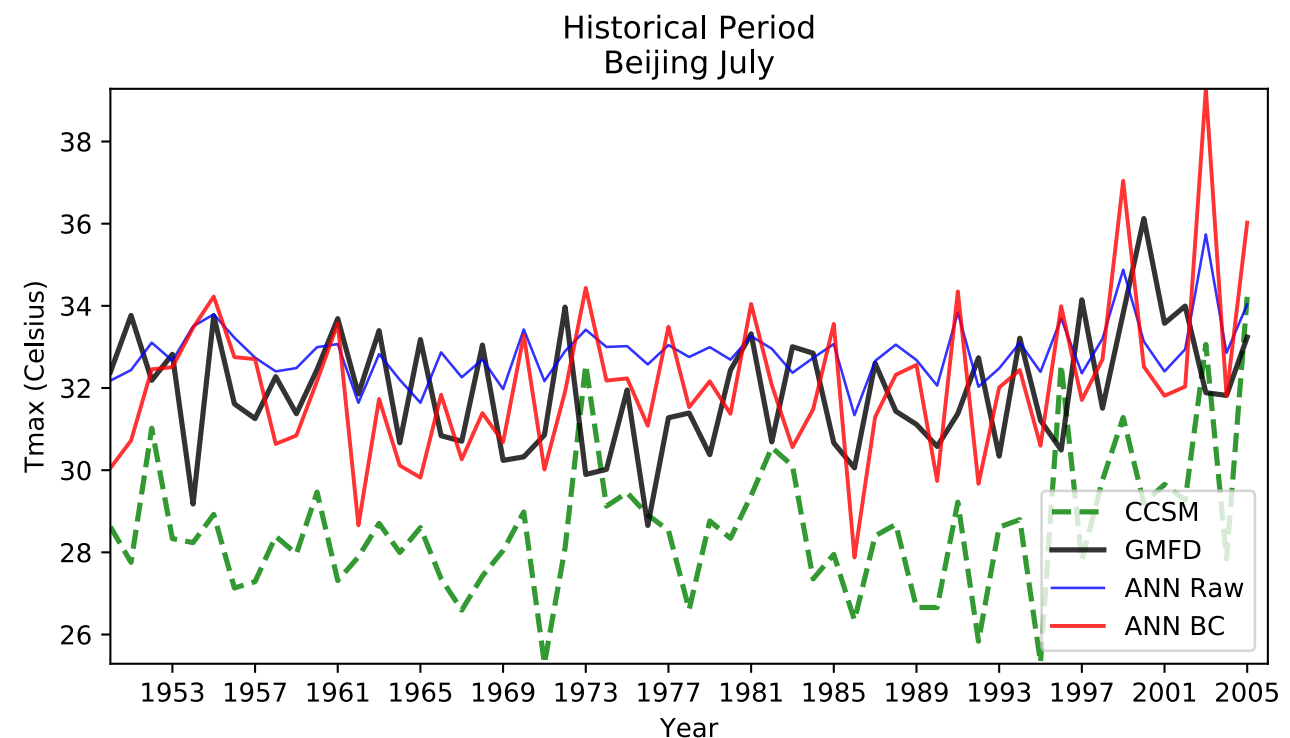
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Tmax



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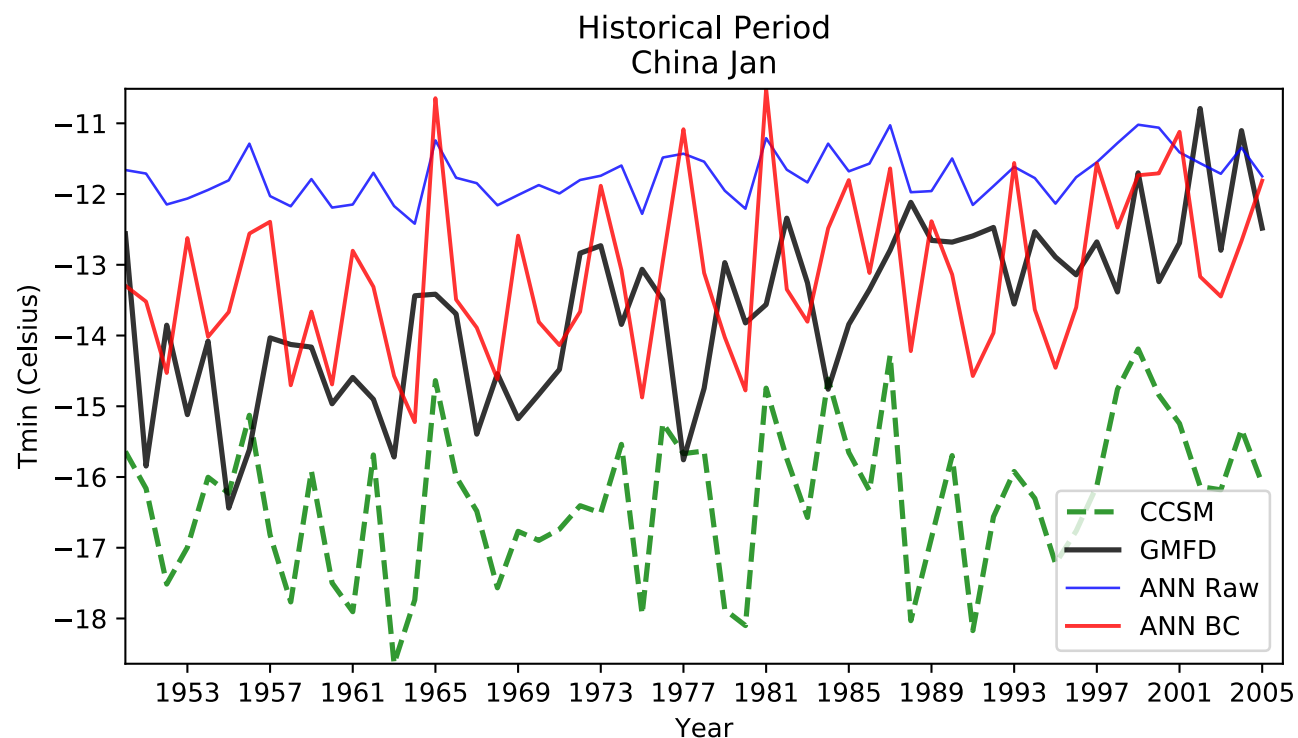
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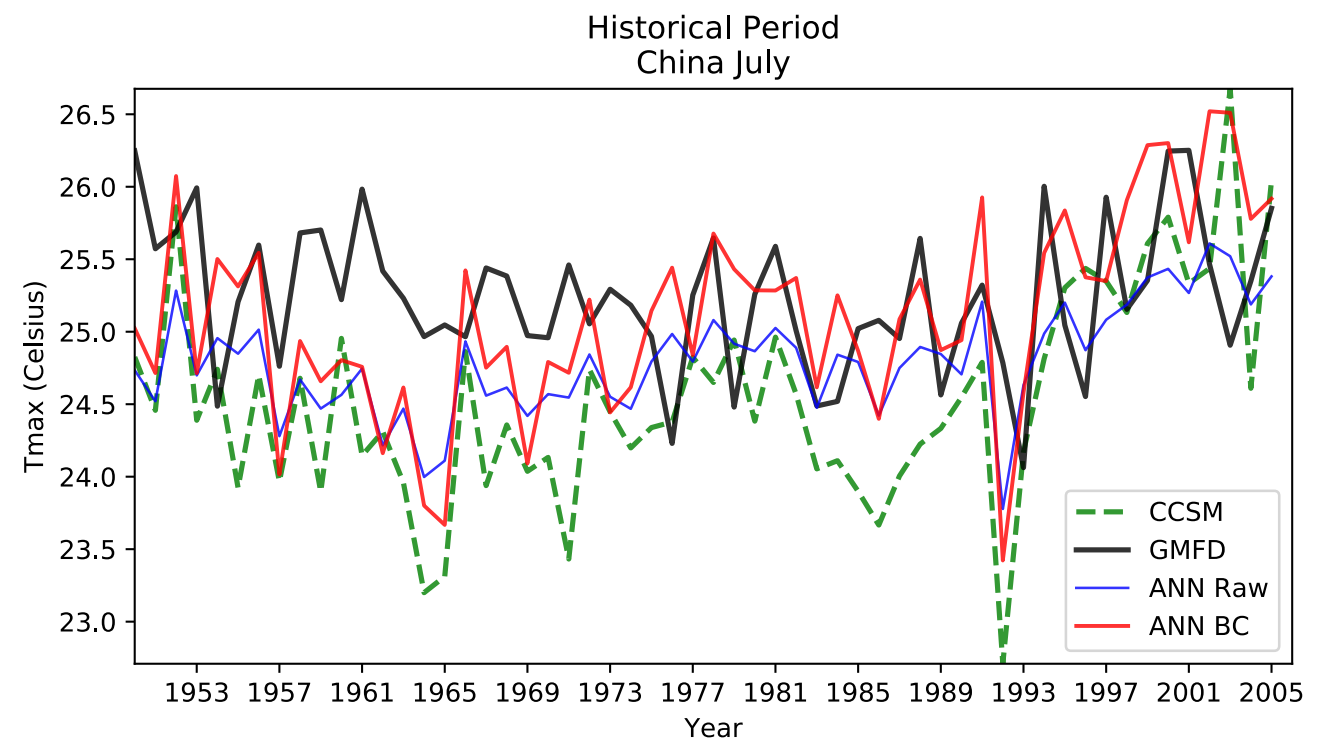
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Tmax



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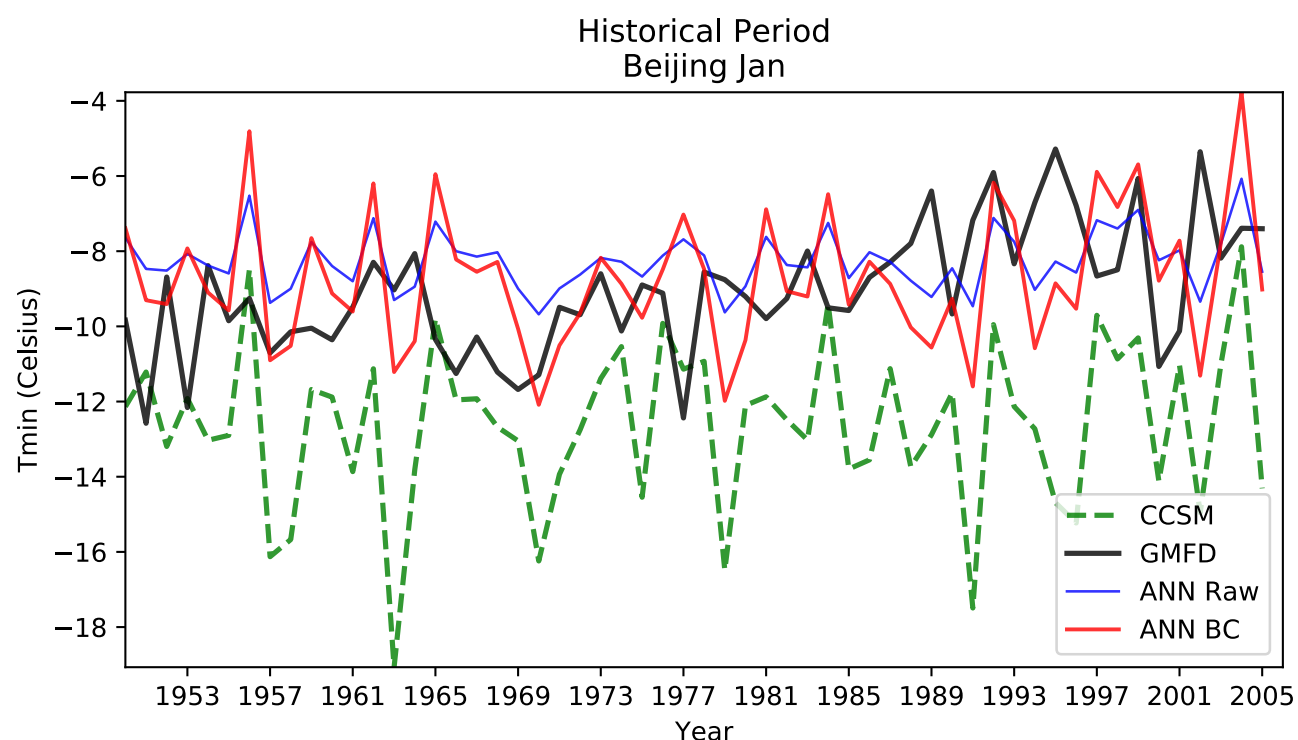
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Beijing

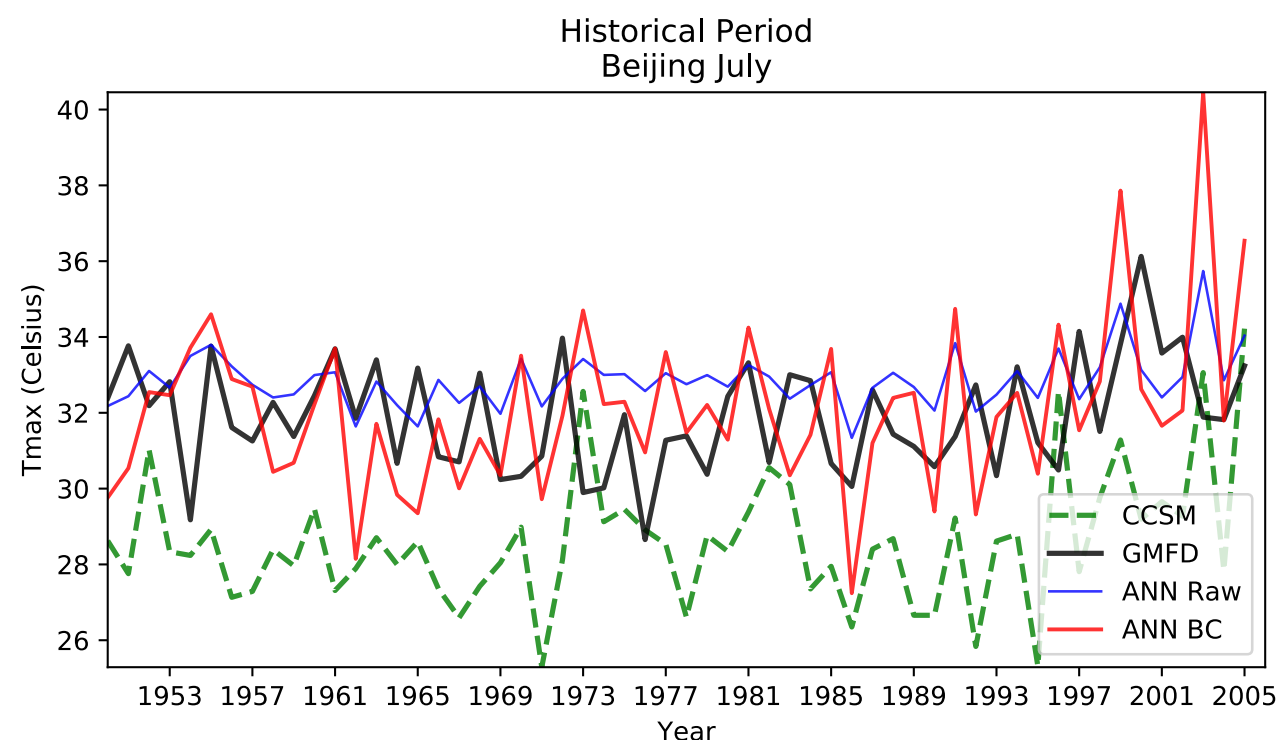
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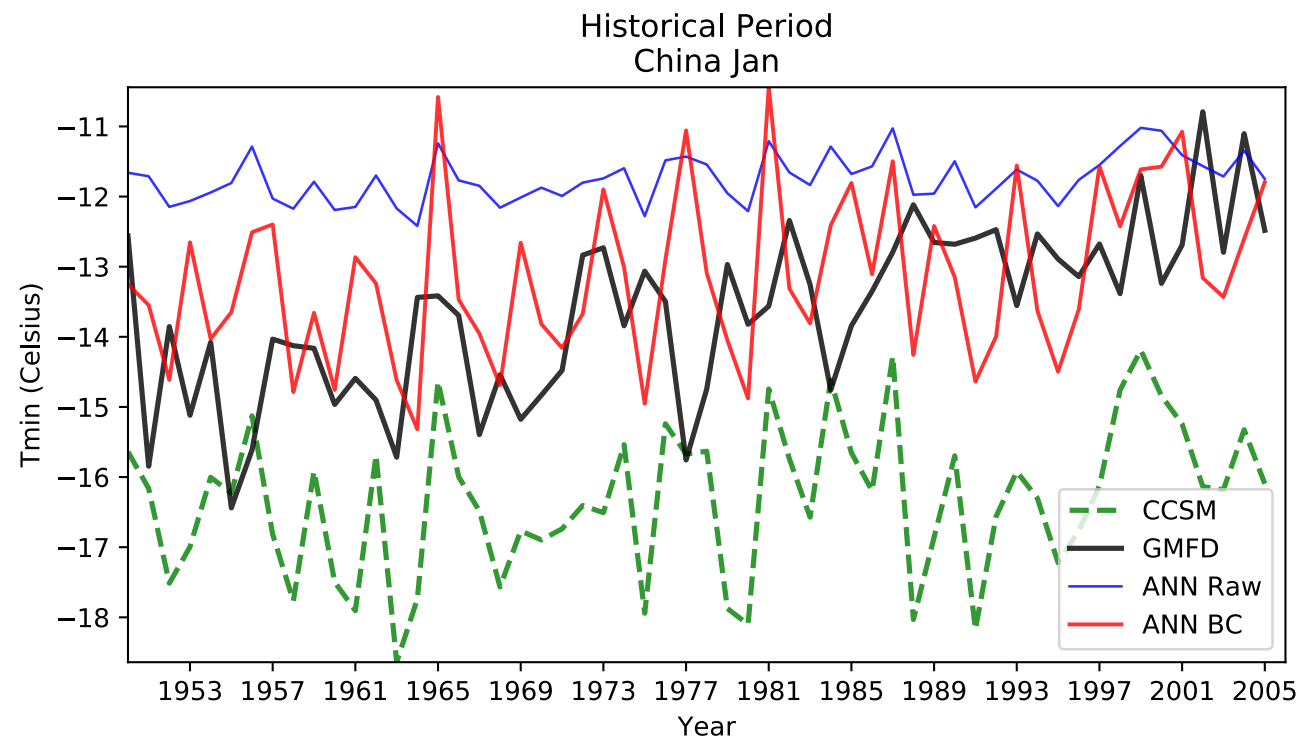
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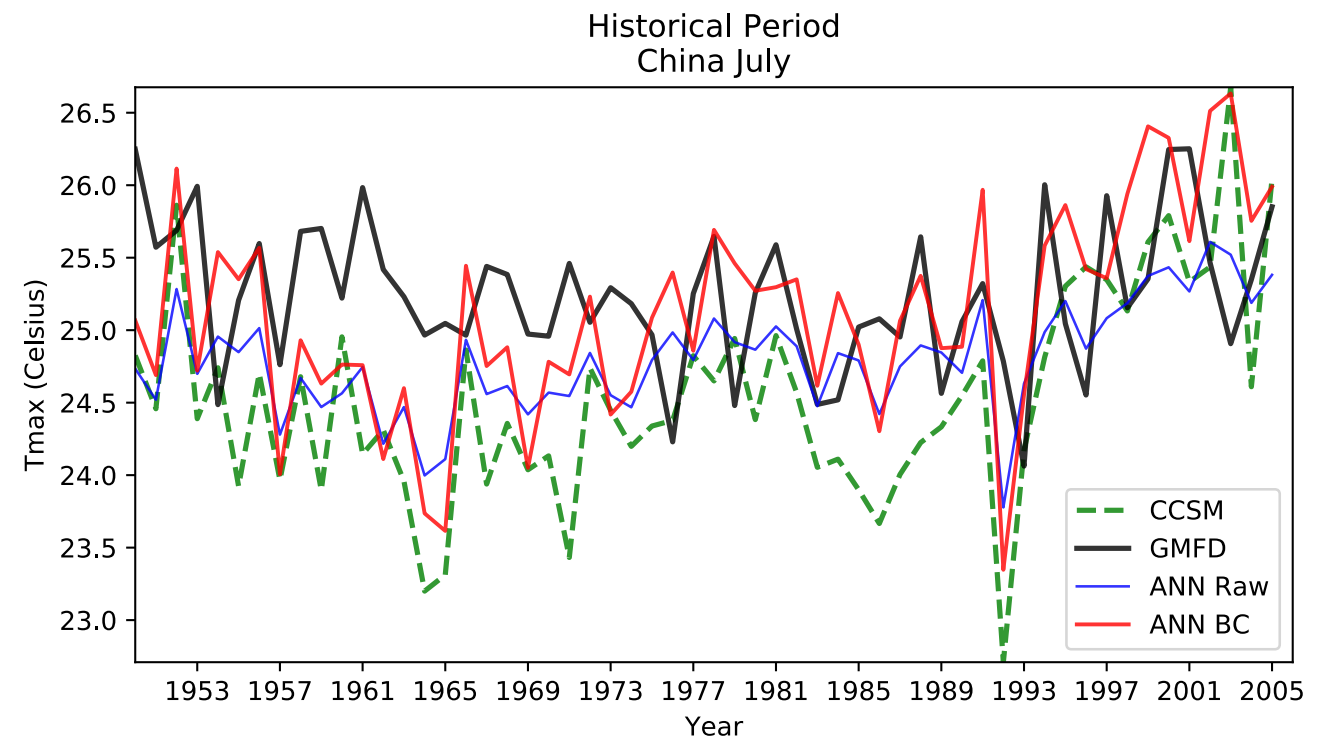
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