

Future daily weather data for crop modelling over Europe derived from climate change scenarios

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PROPERTIES

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Description The resource consists of consolidated and coherent future daily weather

data for Europe on a 25x25 km grid designed for crop modelling. The dataset is based on three time horizons (2000, 2020 and 2030), each represented by 30 synthetic years created using the weather generator ClimGen and the statistical distribution of meteorological variables around these time horizons. Some of these meteorological variables are taken directly from dynamically downscaled and bias-corrected regional climate simulations (from the FP6 ENSEMBLES project), while others are collected from historical series or re-estimated based on the former ensuring consistency within daily records. For more detailed information please refer to: Duveiller et al. 2015. A dataset of future daily weather data for crop modelling over Europe derived from climate change

scenarios. Theoretical and Applied Climatology.

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Grid Definition http://agri4cast.jrc.ec.europa.eu/DataPortal/Resource_Files/SupportFiles/grid25.zip

Spatial Projection Lambert Azimuthal Equal Area

Resolution 25 km

Temporal Resolution Daily

Time Horizons 2000,2020,2030

Number of synthetic years per

time horizon

30

SRES Scenario A1B

GCM RCMs used DMI-HIRHAM5-ECHAM5, ETHZ-CLM-HadCM3Q0,METO-HC-

HadRM3Q0-HadCM3Q0

DIMENSIONS

Grid Spatial Projection Lambert Azimuthal Equal Area

Grid EPSG Code 3035

Grid Resolution 25 km

RUNWINDOW Time window of FP6 ensemble run

Year From: 1 - To: 30

Day of Year From: 1 - To: 366

INDICATORS

Variables sum of precipitation (mm/day),

minimum air temperature (°C), mean air temperature (°C), total global radiation (KJ/m2/day),

Reference evapotranspiration (mm/day) FAO56,

Minimum Relative Air Humidity (%), Maximum Relative Air Humidity (%), Vapour Pressure Deficit (kPa), mean daily wind speed at 10m (m/s)