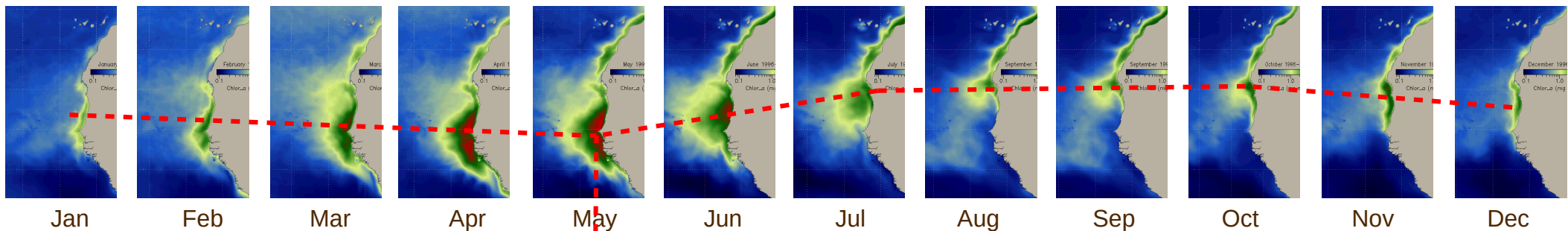


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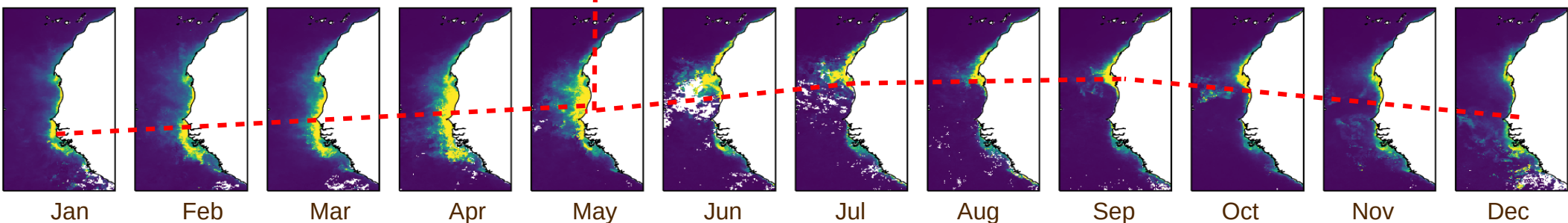
ICON-HAMOCC versus Observations

ICON-HAMOCC 10x10km 1996 - 2012 (72 layers)

Chlorophyll-a monthly climatology (1996-2012)



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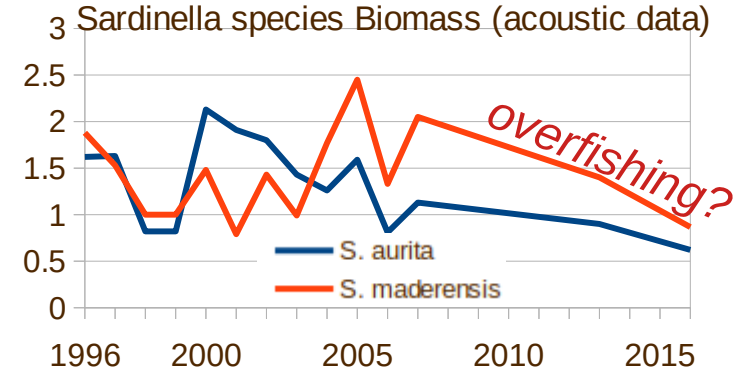
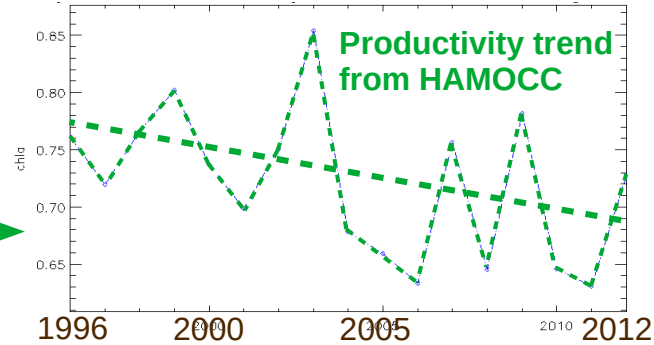
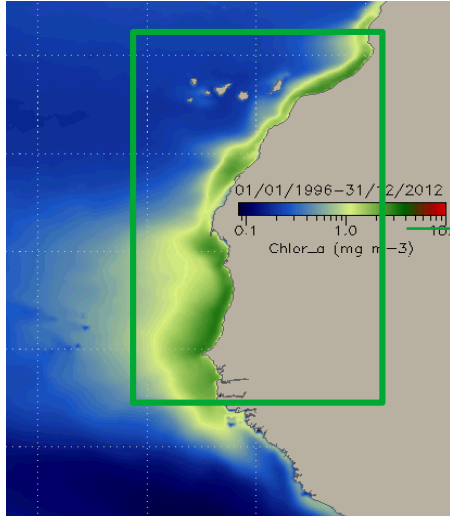
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Wind forcing (ERA-51) is probably responsible in a spatio-temporal lag in Coastal Upwelling seasonality

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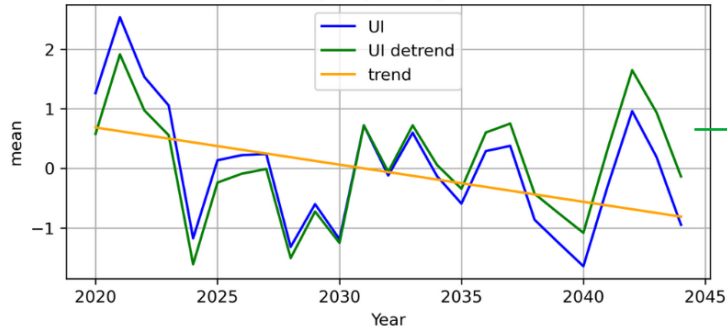
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Regional **NPP trends are partly in accordance with observations**, making HAMOCC useful for prospective in fisheries

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Upwelling Index (UI) FMA,
Mauritania-Senegal upwelling 18-17°W, 10-20°N



In search of Teleconnections (PhD Elena Calvo Miguélez)

January, regression UI detrended-SST

