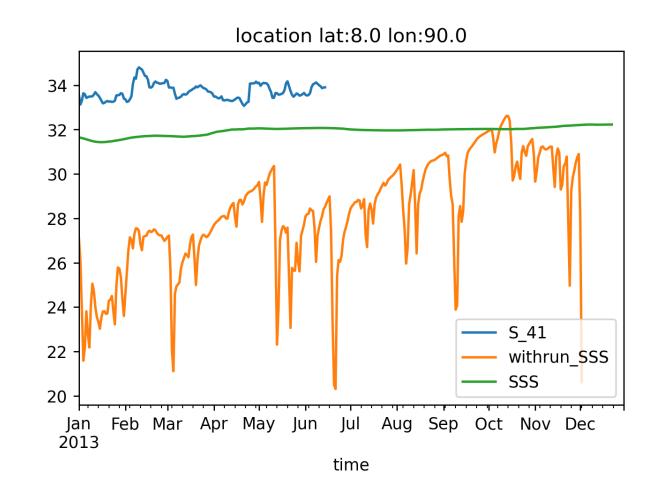
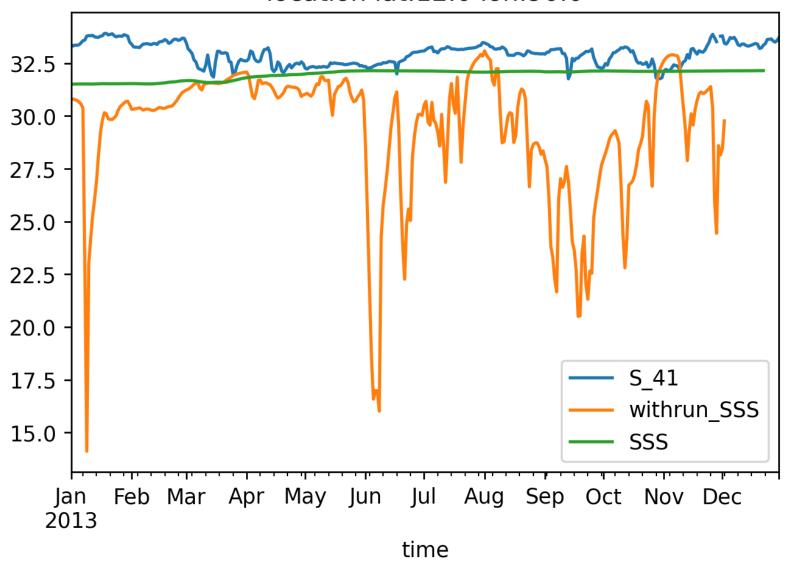
# Sea Surface Salinity (SSS)

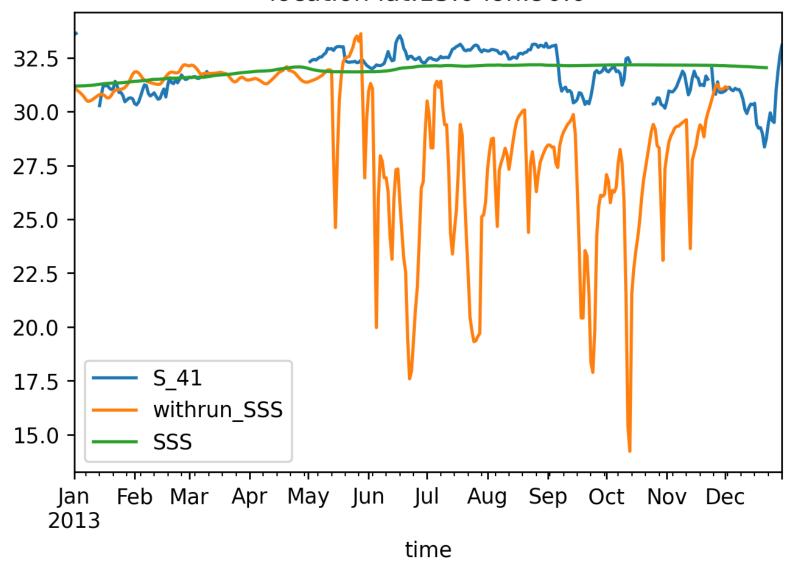
- S\_41 is the RAMA observational dataset of salinity
- with\_run\_SSS is model output
  SSS for corresponding point
- SSS is model output without runoff and precipitation



#### location lat:12.0 lon:90.0



#### location lat:15.0 lon:90.0

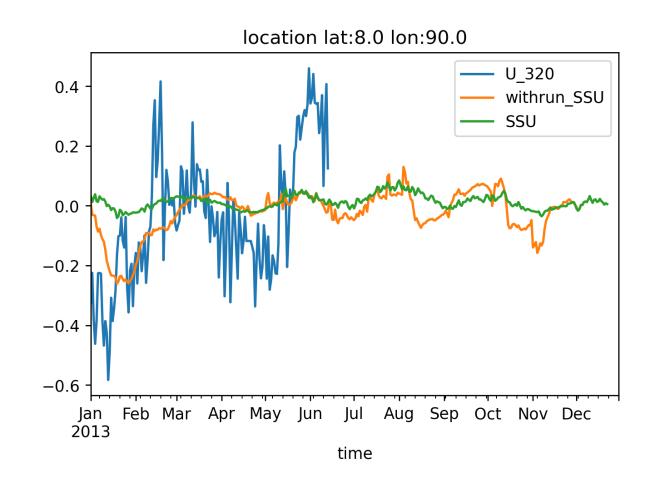


# **Correlation with observational points (SSS)**

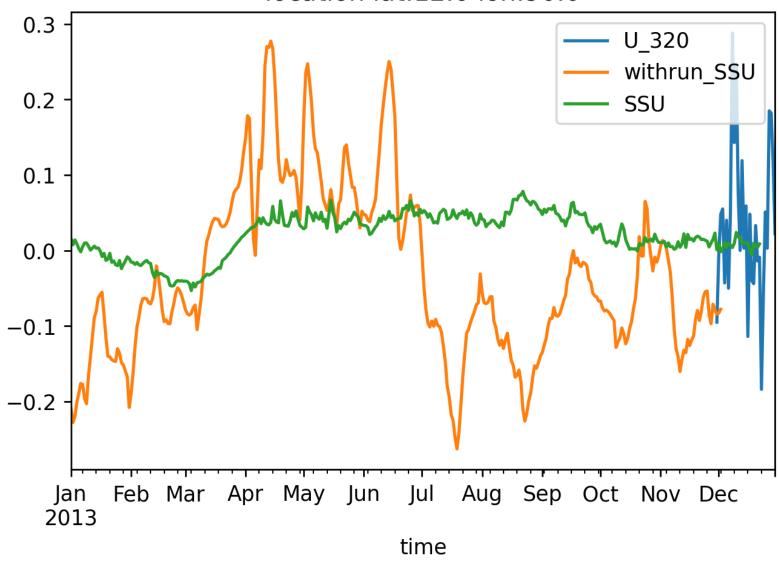
| SI.No | locations | with runoff | without runoff |
|-------|-----------|-------------|----------------|
| 1.    | 90E 8N    | 0.250059    | 0.114573       |
| 2.    | 90E 12N   | -0.078187   | -0.350874      |
| 3.    | 90E 15N   | -0.239844   | 0.230908       |

# U component of Currents (surface only)

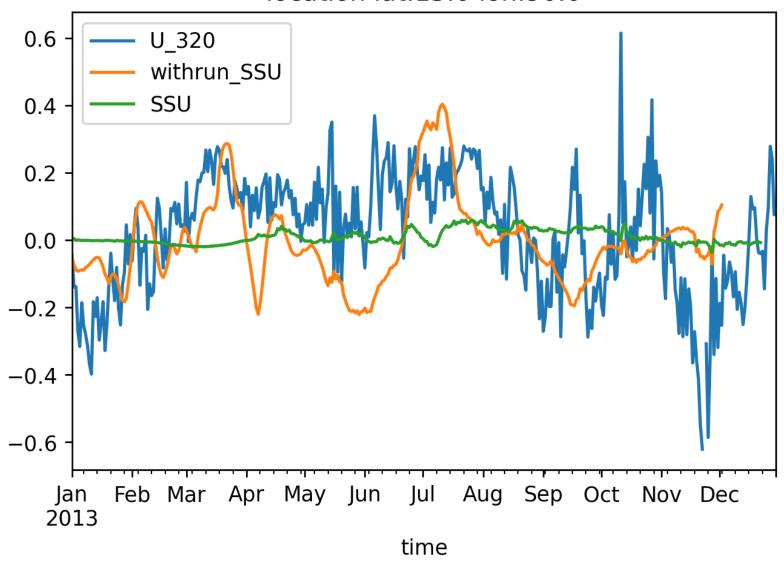
- U\_320 is the RAMA
   observational dataset of U
   current
- with\_run\_SSU is model output
  SSU for corresponding point
- SSU is model output without runoff and precipitation



#### location lat:12.0 lon:90.0



#### location lat:15.0 lon:90.0

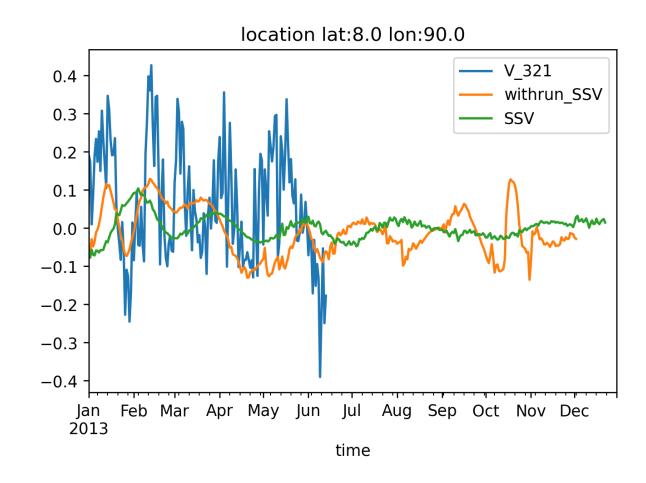


# **Correlation with observational points (U)**

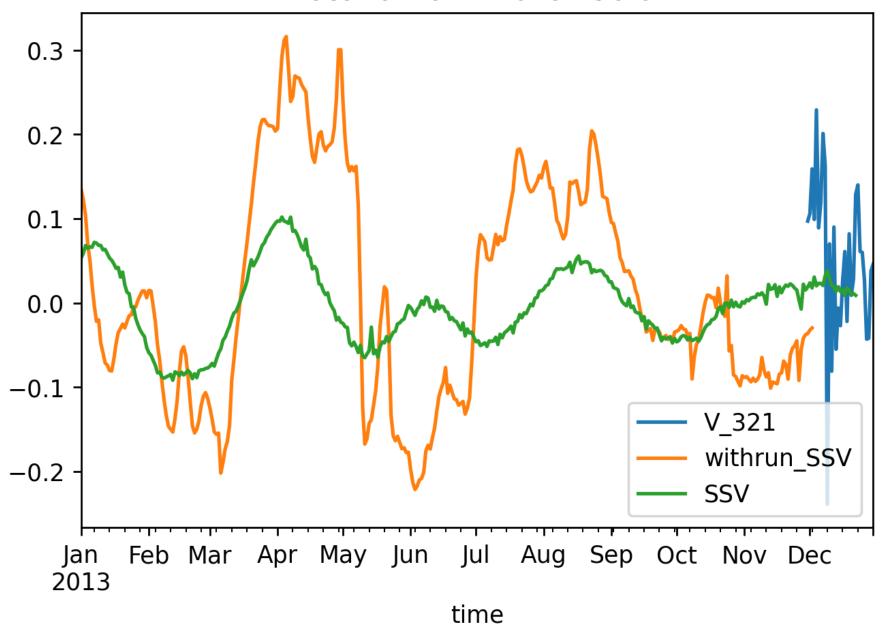
| SI.No | locations | with runoff | without runoff |
|-------|-----------|-------------|----------------|
| 1.    | 90E 8N    | 0.463818    | 0.485121       |
| 2.    | 90E 12N   | 0.898688    | 0.257806       |
| 3.    | 90E 15N   | 0.272106    | 0.166525       |

# V component of Current (surface only)

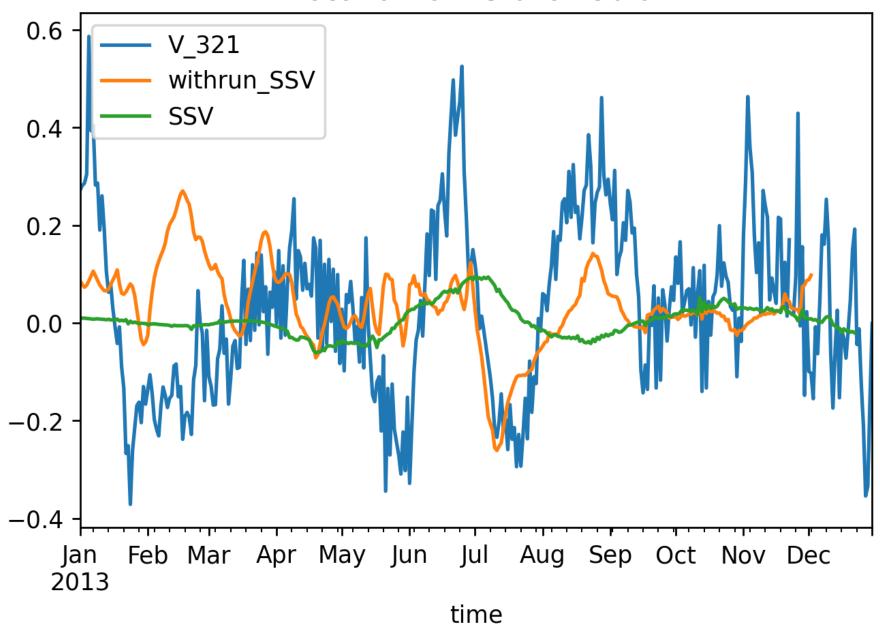
- V\_321 is the RAMA observational dataset of V current
- with\_run\_SSV is model output
  SSV for corresponding point
- SSV is model output without runoff and precipitation



#### location lat:12.0 lon:90.0



### location lat:15.0 lon:90.0



# **Correlation with observational points (V)**

| SI.No | locations | with runoff | without runoff |
|-------|-----------|-------------|----------------|
| 1.    | 90E 8N    | 0.281317    | -0.184674      |
| 2.    | 90E 12N   | 0.874680    | -0.111687      |
| 3.    | 90E 15N   | 0.135301    | 0.050775       |

### Results

- 1. The model surface salinity is negatively correlated to observational values which indicates that model is poor at picking up observational patterns
- 2. Addition of surface runoff and precipitation are greatly improved the results and more close to observational values
- 3. The current components (U and V) are close to the observational values.
- 4. The correlation coefficients of U and V also suggests and the values are positively correlated and model is picking up realistic current pattterns
- 5. Generally simulations with runoff flux and precipitation increased the model performace by large extend