

Spontaneous ELLIS Hackathon

Exploring

Identifiability – Explainability – Extrapolation – Causality

How much solar energy is converted into chemical energy?

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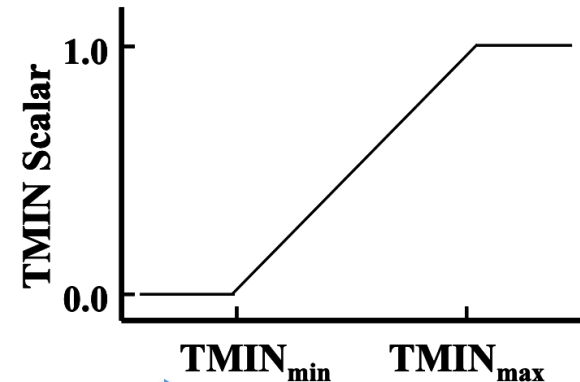
Maximum Radiation-Use Efficiency

$$(2) F_{GPP} = \epsilon_{\max} \times PAR \times fPAR \rightarrow \text{Fraction of Absorbed Photosynthetic Active Radiation}$$

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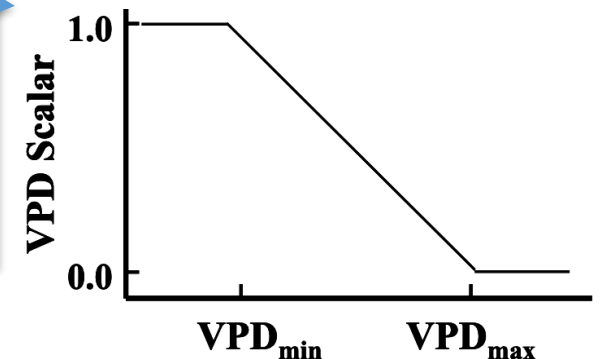
Daily Minimum Temperature



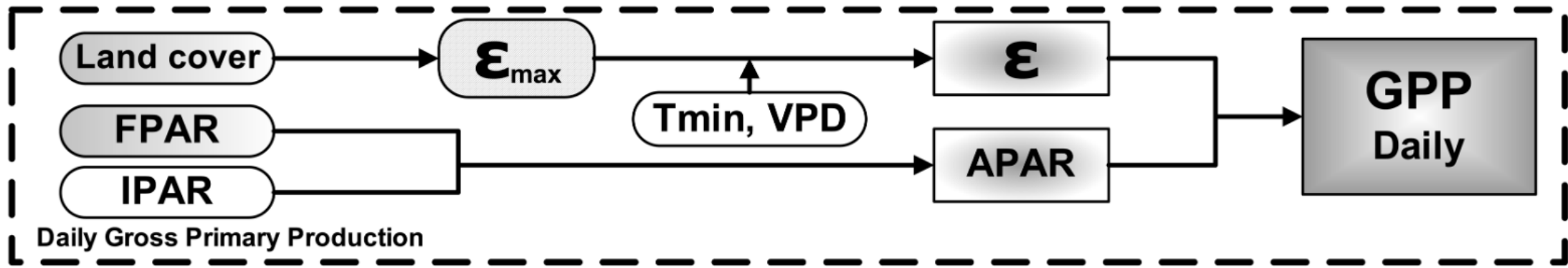
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$$(4) F_{GPP} = \epsilon_{\max} \times PAR \times fPAR \times f_1(T_{\min}) \times f_2(VPD)$$

Vapor Pressure Deficit



The MOD17 GPP Model at one glance



More details: <https://www.ntsg.umt.edu/project/modis/user-guides/mod17c61usersguidev11mar112021.pdf>

How?



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pinplex/**Hackathon-Attribution**

This repository contains code (toy models) and data for the attribution and hybrid modeling hackathon.



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<https://github.com/pinplex/Hackathon-Attribution>

FOUR TASKS:

1. Hybrid Modeling
2. Extrapolation
3. Explainable AI
4. Causal Inference

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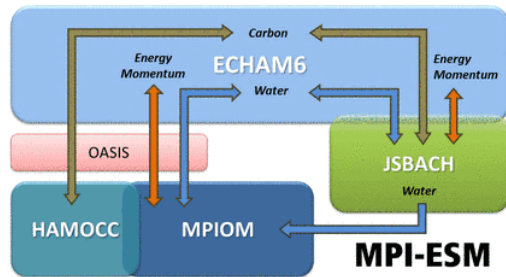
Today

Variables from ERA5 in Jena, Germany



Transient

Output of a transient run of an ESM at Jena, Germany



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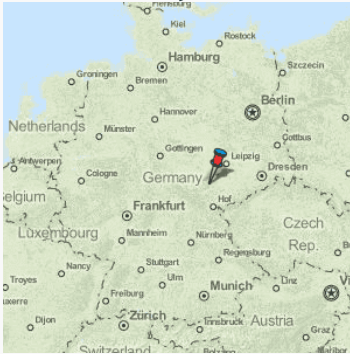
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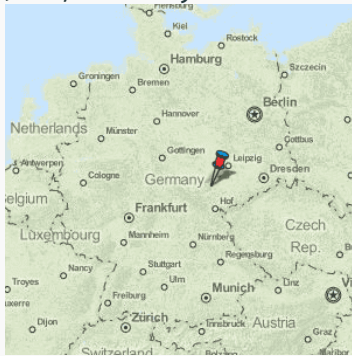
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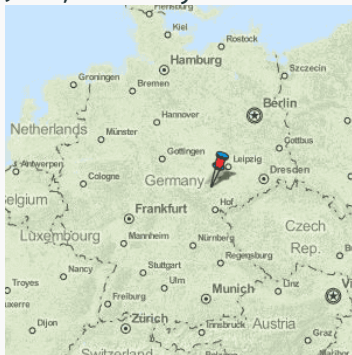


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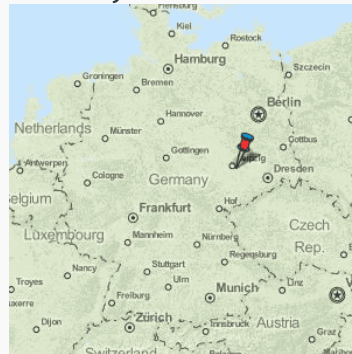
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