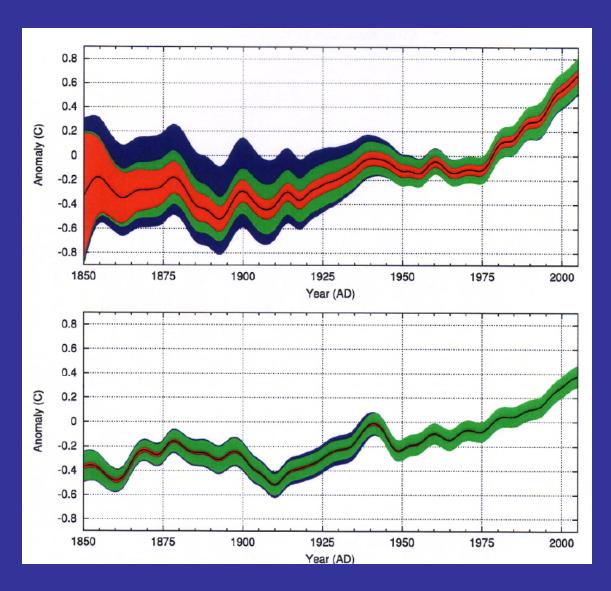
• Observations (temperatures, global, 150 years)

Global temperature anomaly (HadCRUT3, °C)

Continents

Oceans

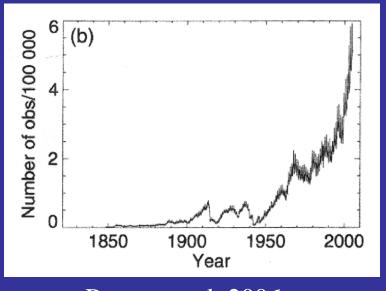


Monthly means of sea-surface temperature anomalies available from 1826 to 2004

Number of 5° cells in the grid with at least one observation in a month

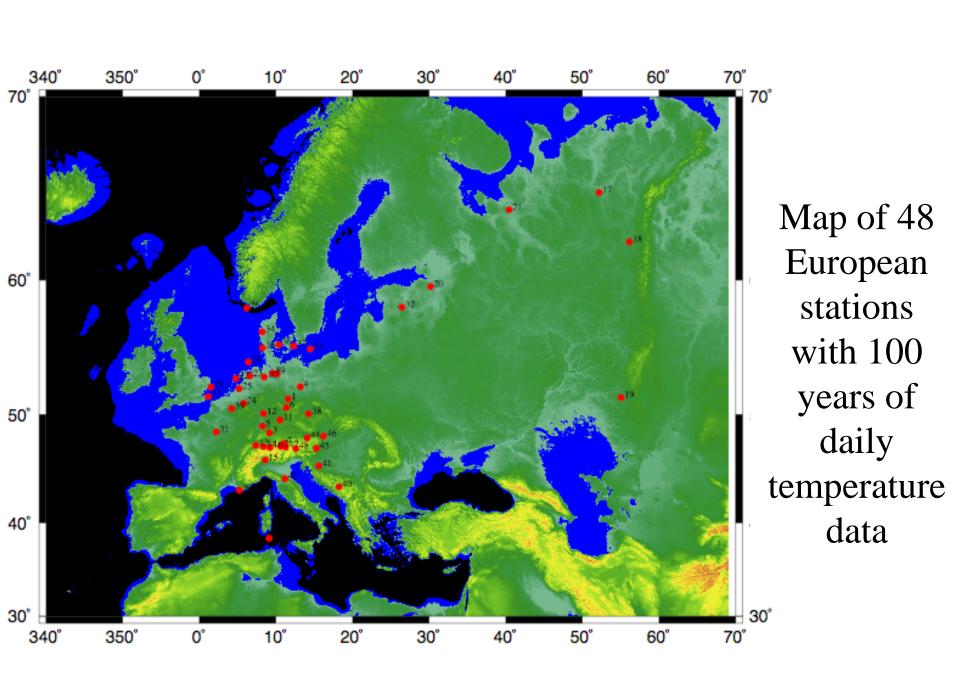
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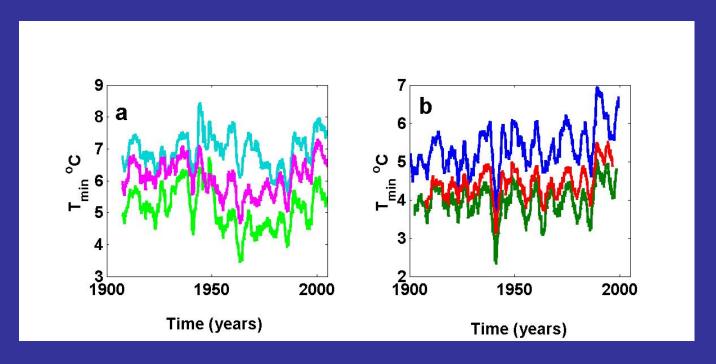


Rayner et al, 2006

• Observations (temperatures, Europe, 150 years)



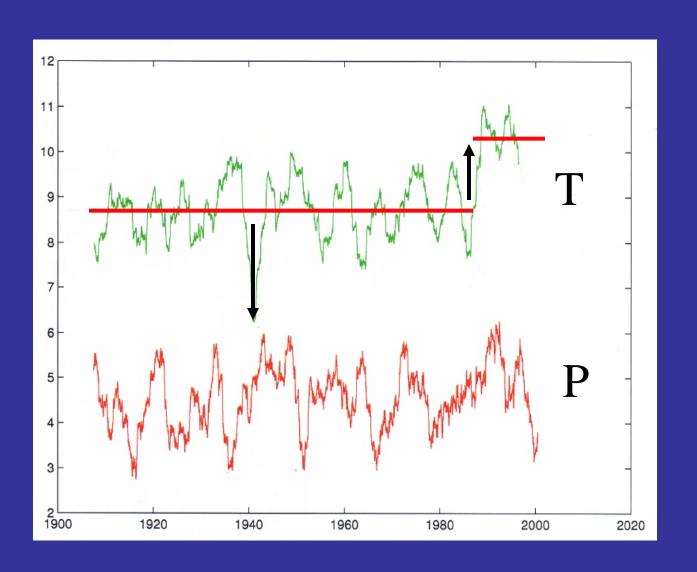
European temperature series (3-yr running means)



Den Helder de Kooy (cyan), Maastricht (magenta), Eelde (green)

Denmark (blue), Europe (red), Switzerland (green)

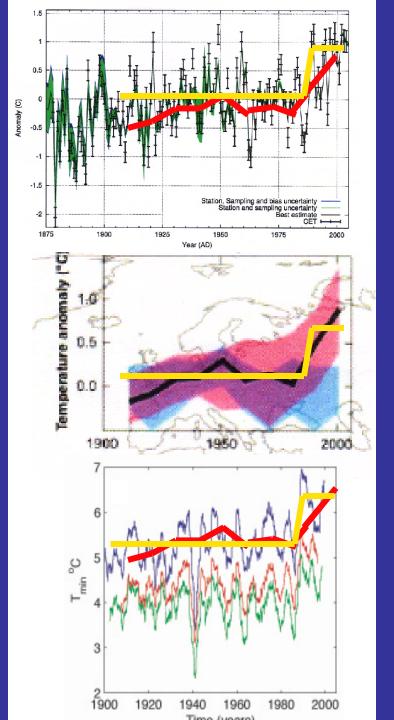
Overall mean European temperature (green) and pressure (red)



Central England temperature series

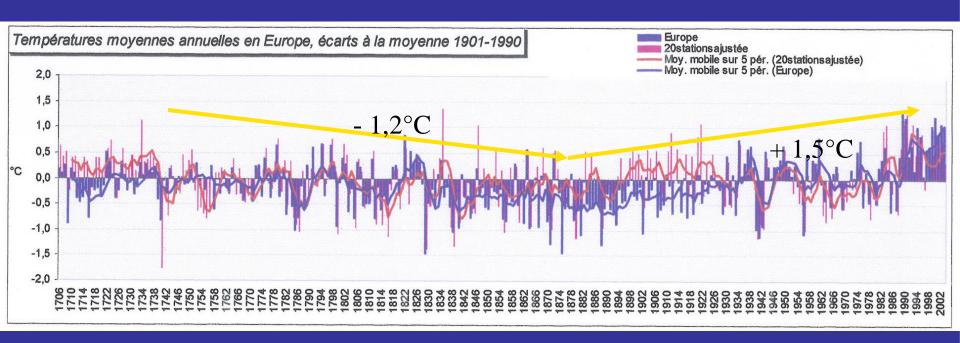
Mean European temperature (IPCC)

Mean European temperature (our work)



• Observations (temperatures, Europe, 300 years)

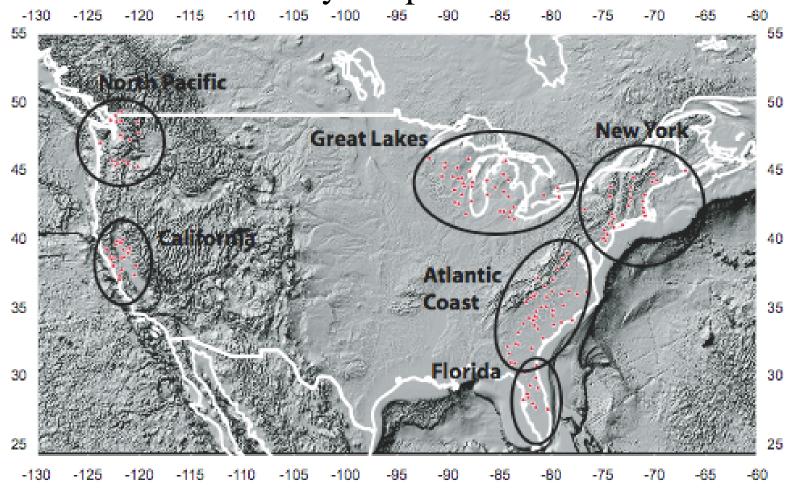
Overall mean temperature for 20 European stations with 300 years of data (Flageollet, 2007, in red) compared to mixed data (J. Luterbacher, in blue):

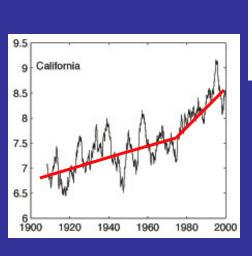


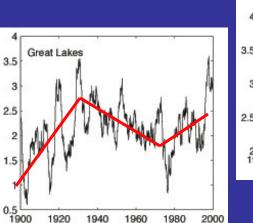
Central England, De Bilt, Basel, Berlin, Le Bourget, Budapest, Copenhagen, Edinburgh, Frankfurt, Genève, Hohenpeissen, Milano, Moscow, Munich, Prague, Saint-Petersburg, Stuttgart, Trondheim, Varsaw, Vienna

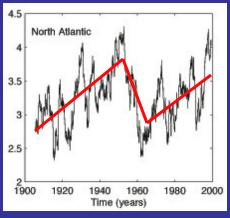
• Observations (temperatures, North America, 100 years)

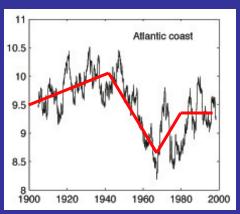
Map of 153 US stations with (almost) 100 years of daily temperature data

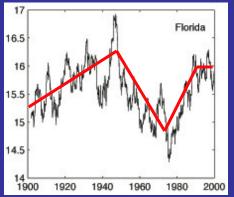


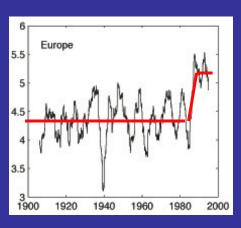






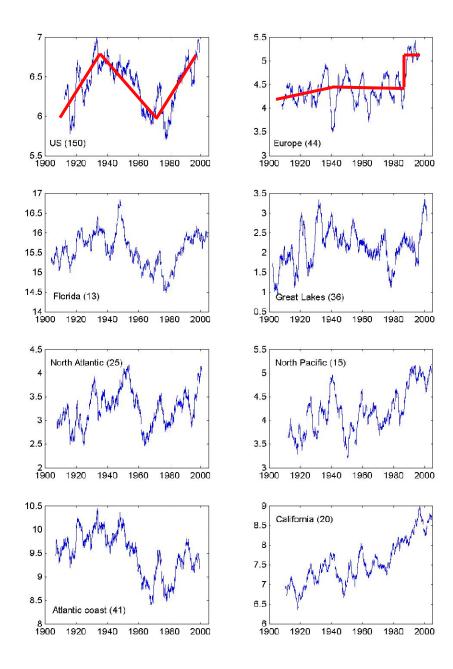






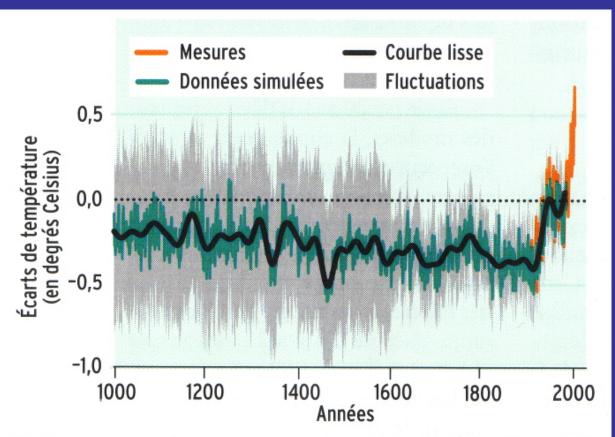
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• Observations (temperatures, global, 2000 years)

The Mann et al. « hockey stick curve »

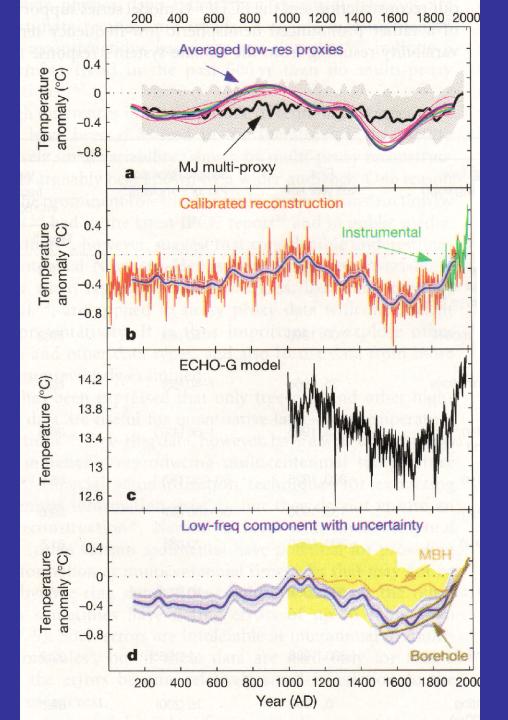


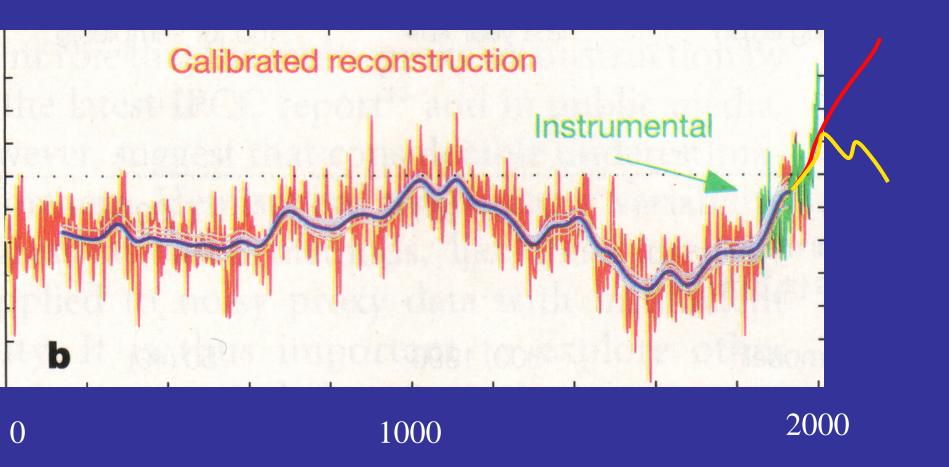
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Reconstruction of mean temperatures from the northern hemisphere based on combined lower (ocean and lake sediments) and higher (tree rings) resolution data

- 2000 years -

Moberg et al, 2005





Moberg et al, 2005

• Back to Europe: introducing "lifetimes" and uncovering evidence of some form of solar forcing

Lifetimes

$$F(t) = A (\sin \omega t + c) \cdot \eta(t)$$
 $\omega = 2\pi/a$, $a = 1$ an

AR1:
$$\eta(t) = \alpha . \eta(t-1) + \xi(t)$$
 $\xi(t)$ R.V. (0,1)

α slowly varying with time

Estimate:

$$D(t) = \langle [F(t+a) - F(t)]^2 \rangle_{L,t}$$

$$L = 2 \text{ yr} = 730 \text{ days}$$

$$L = 22 \text{ yr} \sim 8000 \text{ days}$$

Lifetime : $\Theta(t) \sim 1/(1-\alpha) \sim \overline{D(t)}$

Lifetimes for
(minimum and mean)
temperature series
with L = 2 yr:
Europe (red),
Germany (green)

Wolf Number (sunspots)

Lifetimes:
180° phase shift between primary and secondary maxima

