



# Earth rotation in sight of Climate modulations

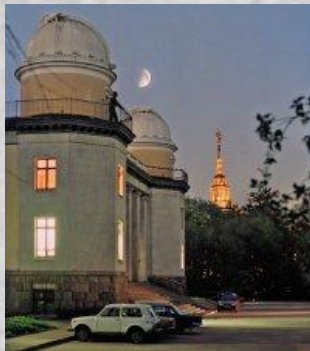
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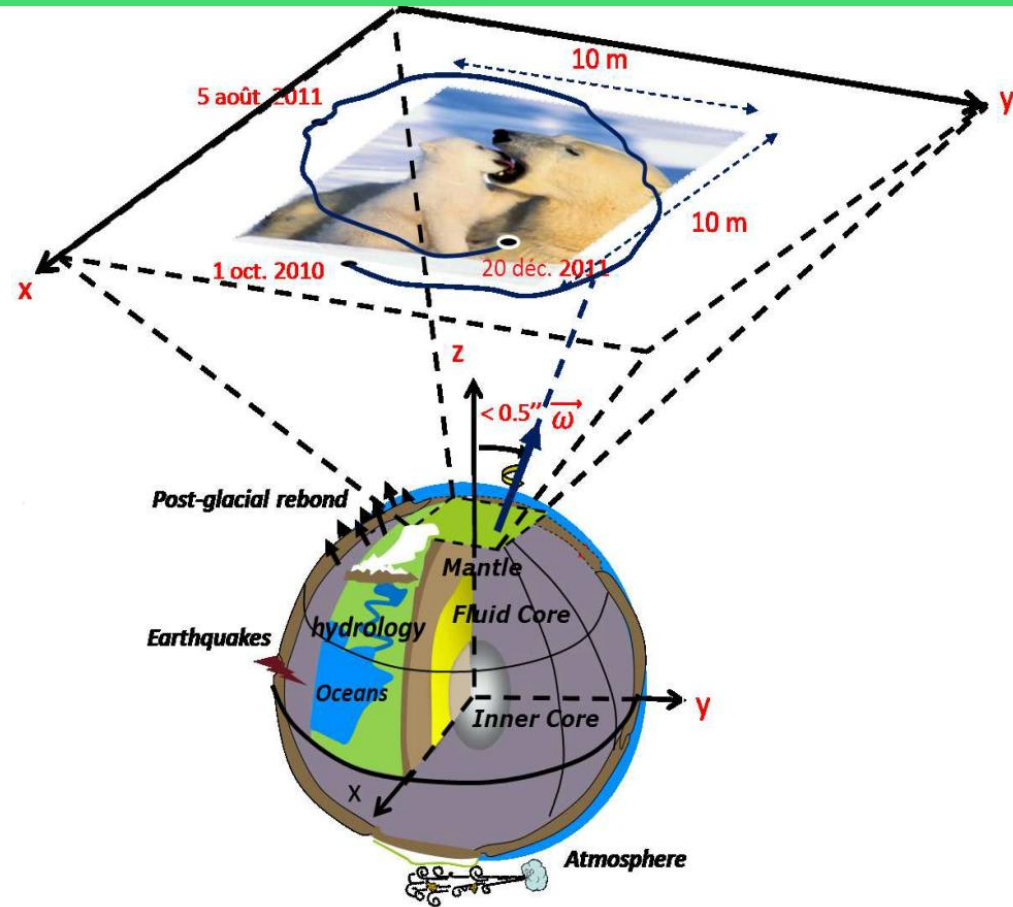
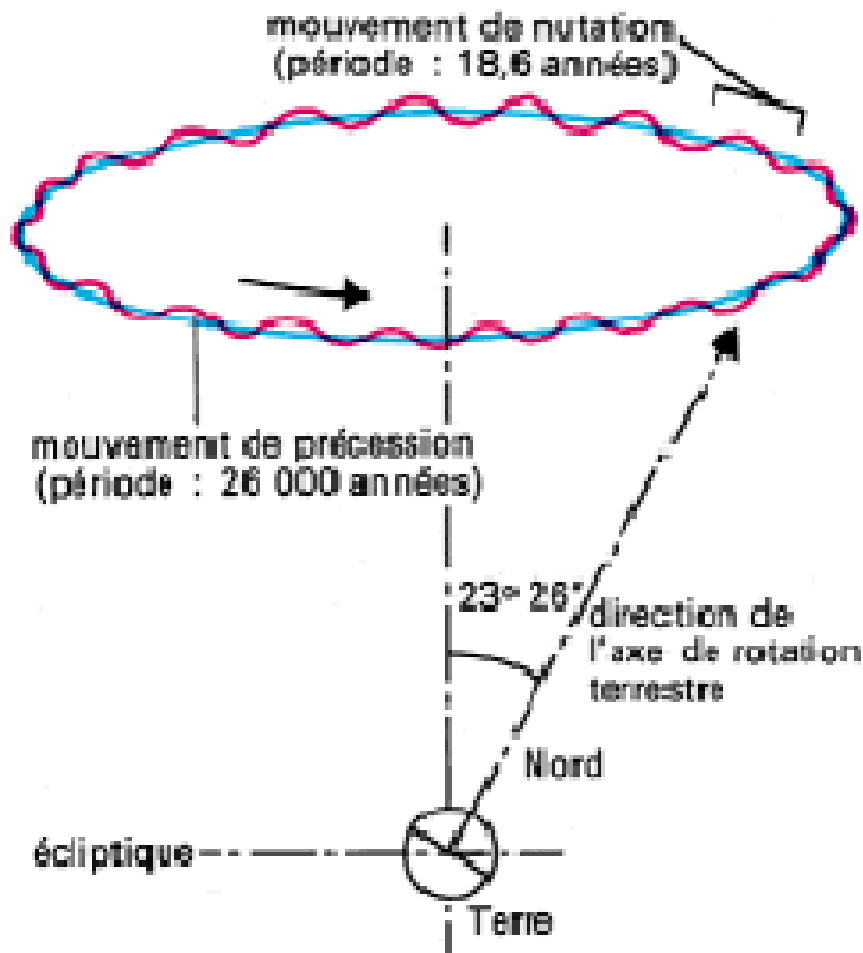
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# Earth rotation variations

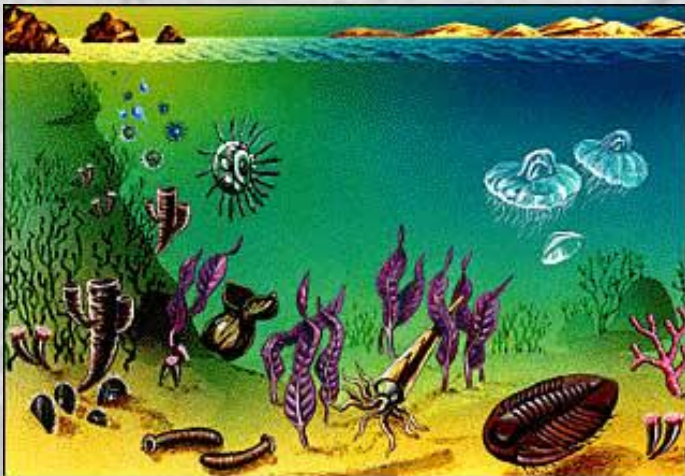
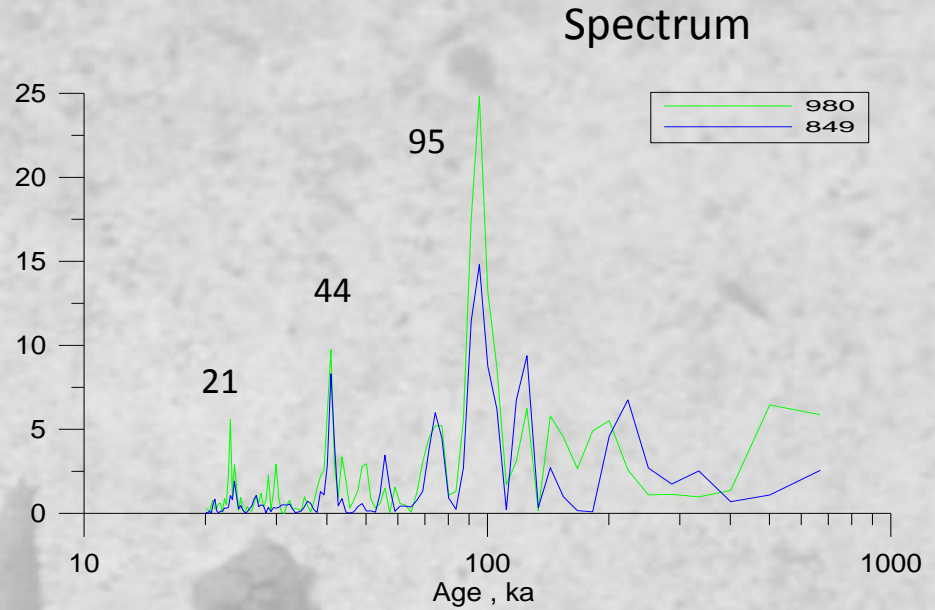
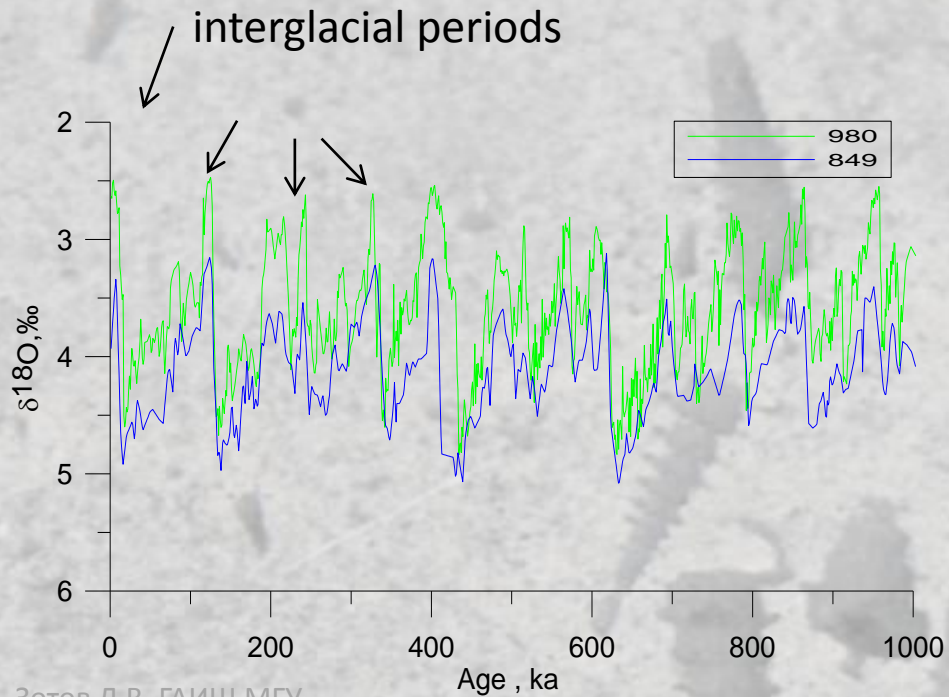
Precession and Nutation of the Earth axis  
26 000, 18.6 years, 1, 0.5 year caused  
by Sun and Moon tides



Earth's pole motion up to 10 meters  
caused by geophysical effects –  
momentum exchange between the Ocean,  
Atmosphere, and Solid Earth



# Paleoclimate



# Milankovitch theory

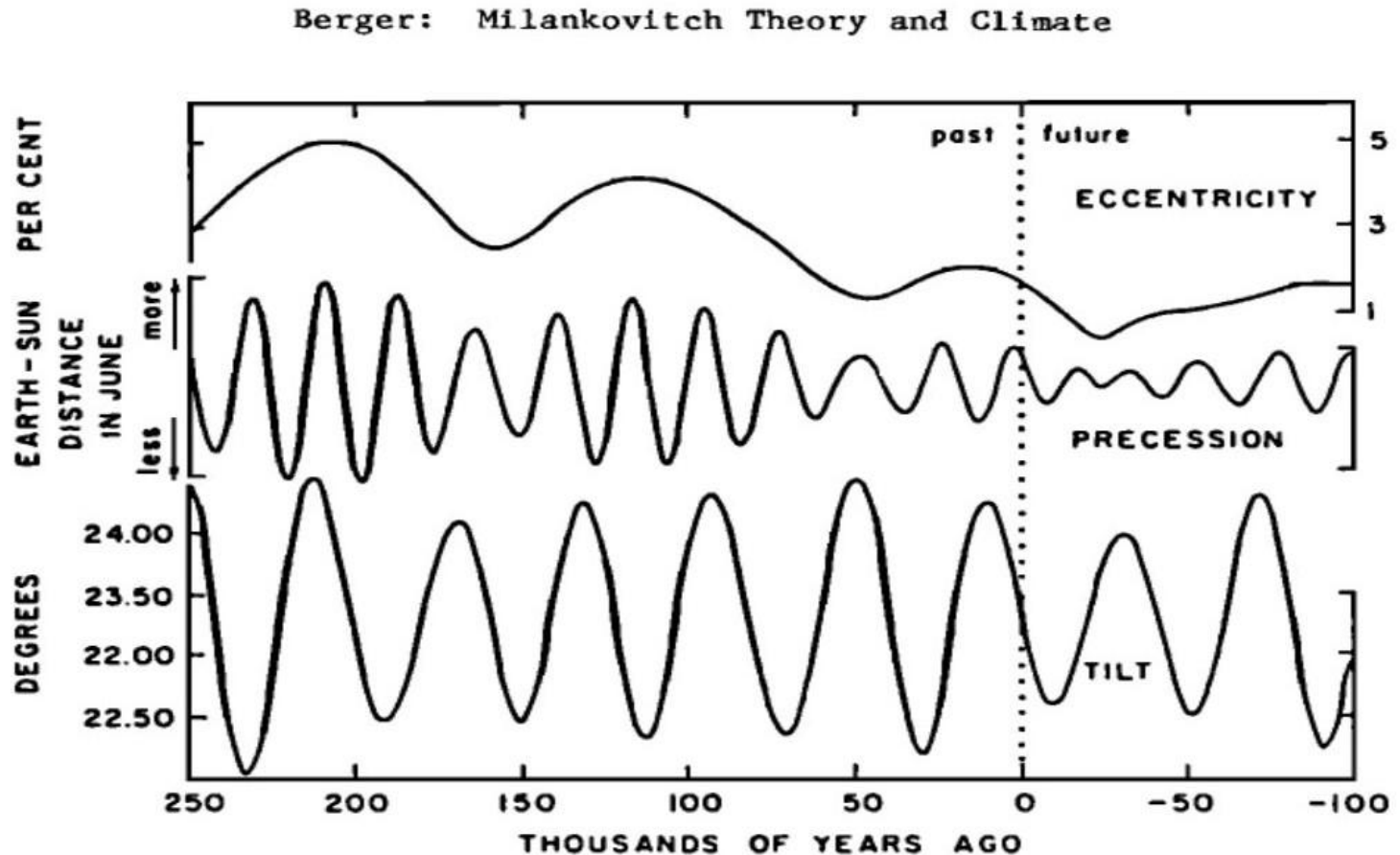
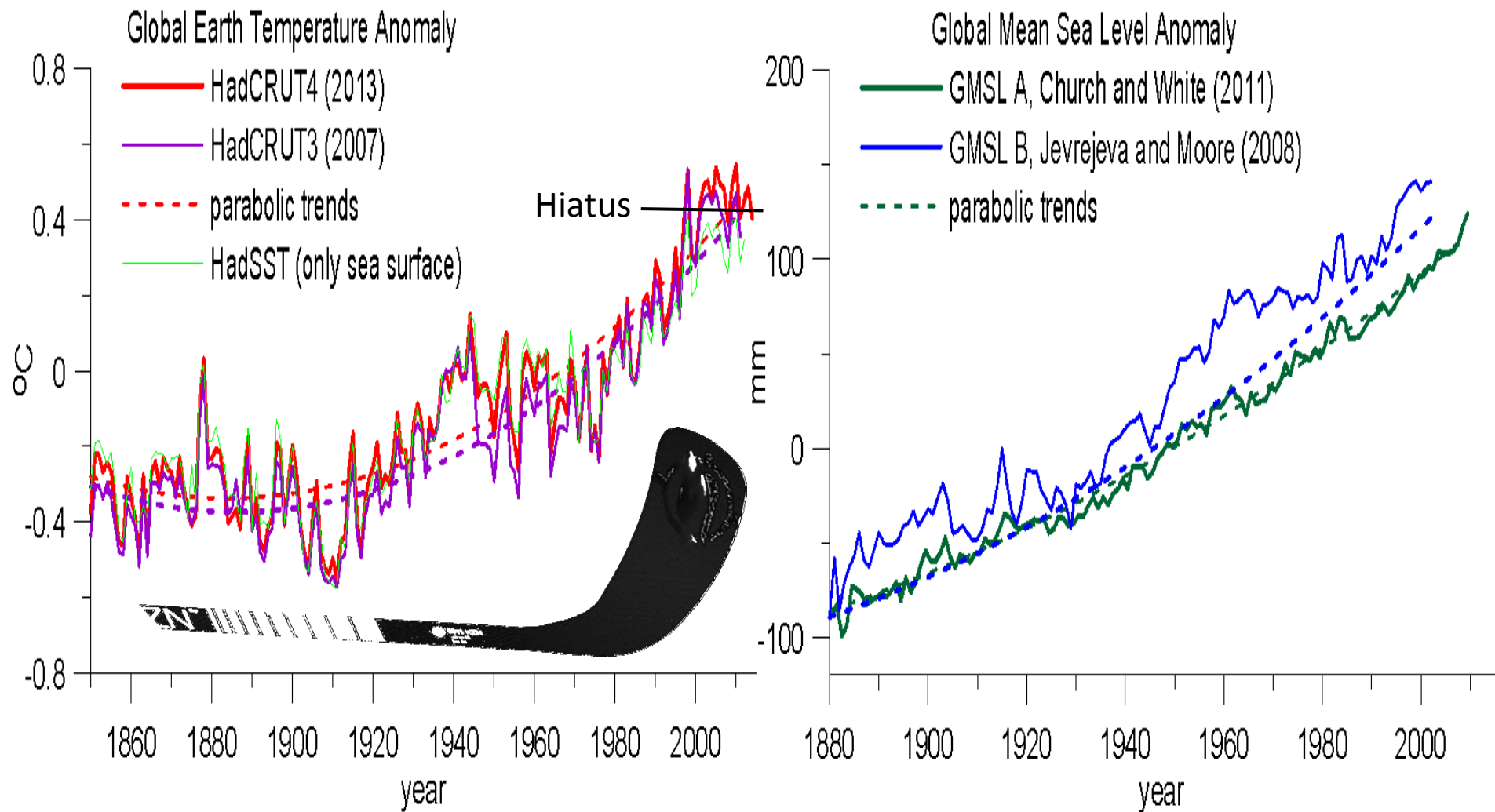


Fig. 11. Long-term variations of eccentricity, precession, and tilt from 250,000 years B.P. to 100,000 years A.P. [Berger, 1978c].

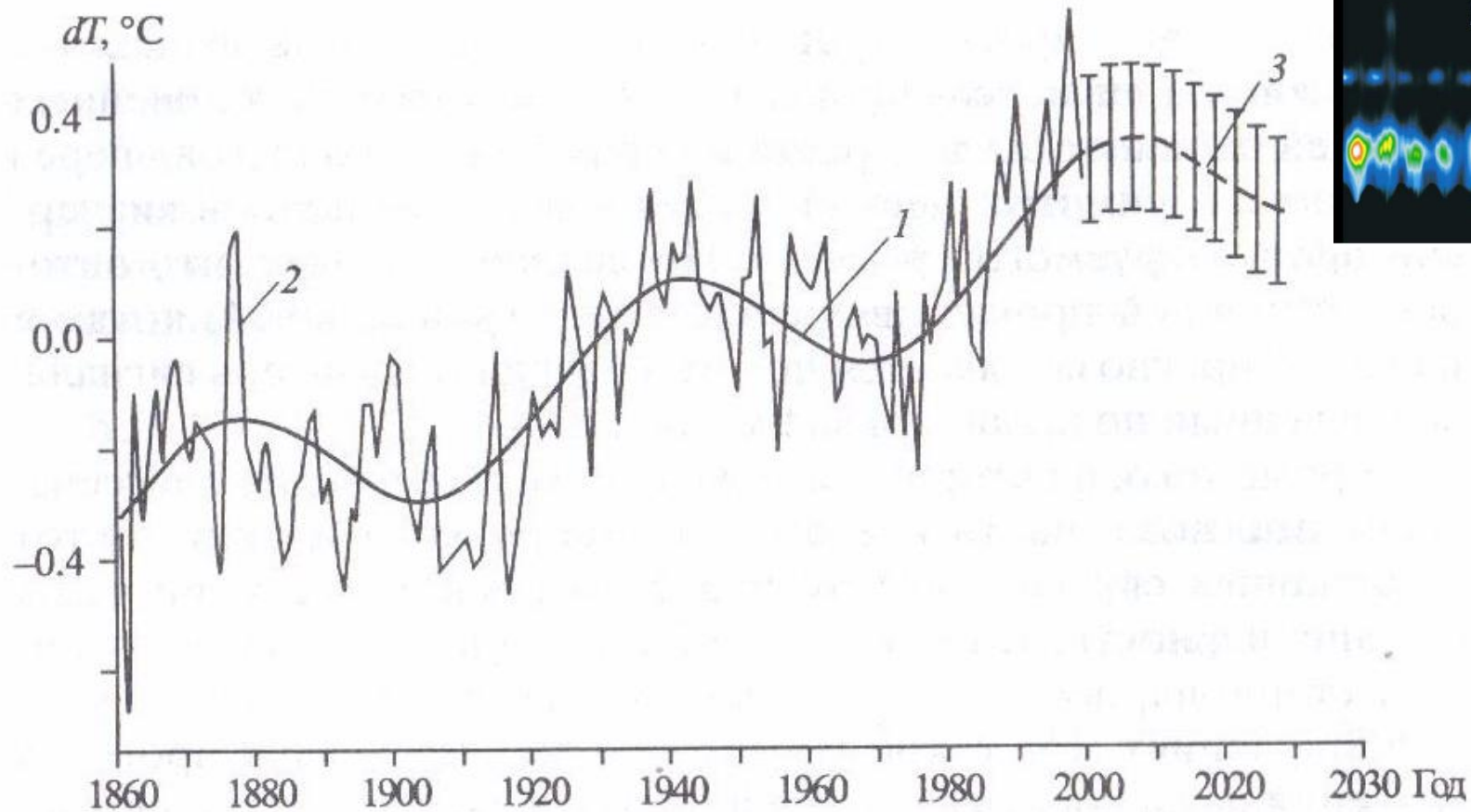
States that long-term Climate Change depends on Earth rotation and orbital motion

What about short-term?

# Global Climate Change







**Рис. 1.1.** Циклический тренд глобальной температурной аномалии (1), меж-годовые вариации  $dT$  (2) и поведение тренда на 2000–2030 гг. (3)

# Multichannel Singular Spectrum Analysys MSSA

## 1) Lag parameter $L$ selection

Multichannel signal

$$x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$$

Embedded into block matrix  $X$

## SSA- generalization of PCA

## 2) SVD — singular value decomposition of the matrix is performed

1D-SSA – “Caterpillar”

$$X = USV^T$$

## 3) For each singular number $s_i$ the matrices are reconstructed

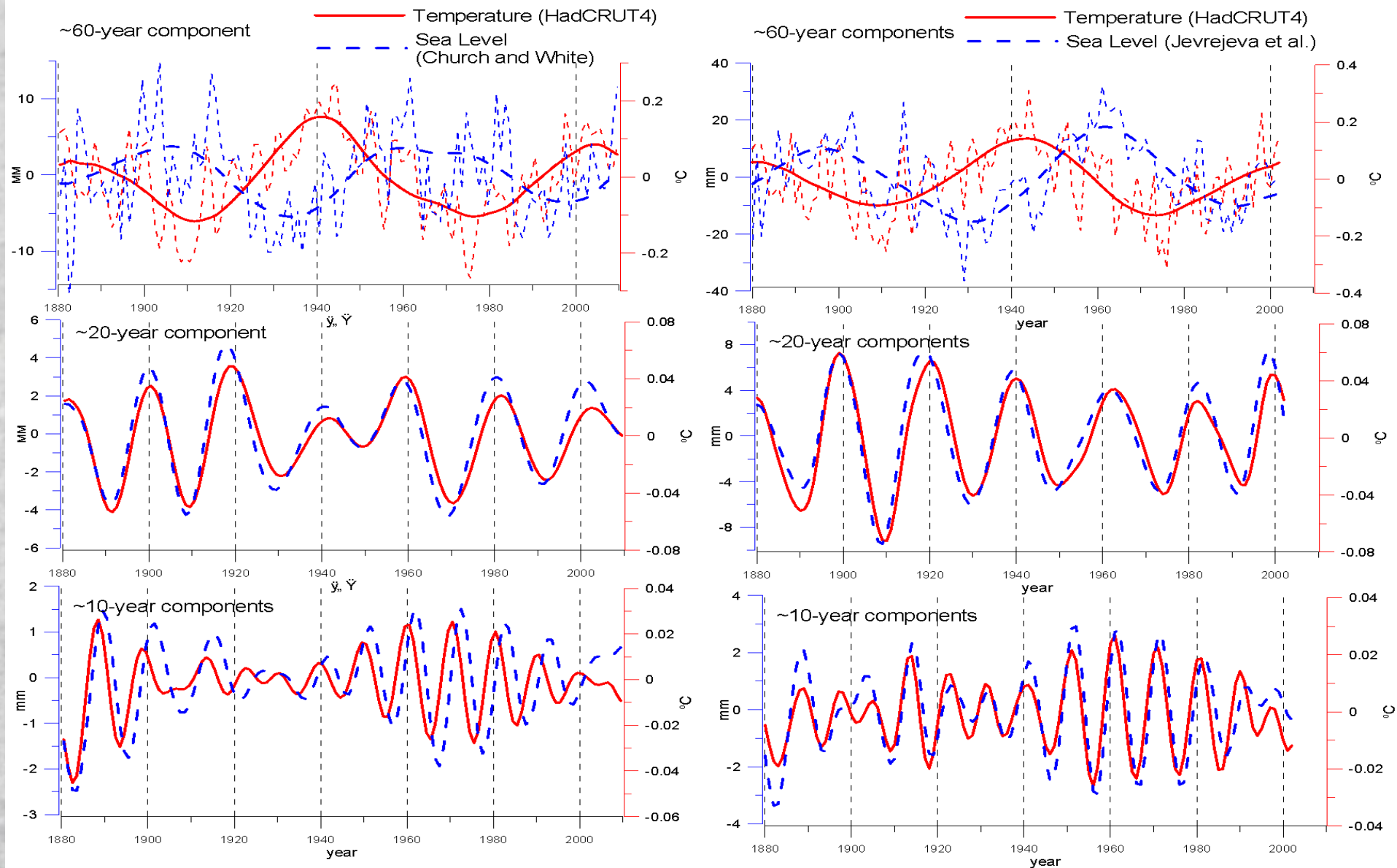
$$X^i = s_i u_i v_i^T,$$

and signal for every component is obtained by Hankelization

## 4) Similar signals are grouped into Principal Components (PCs)

PC1, PC2, PC3...

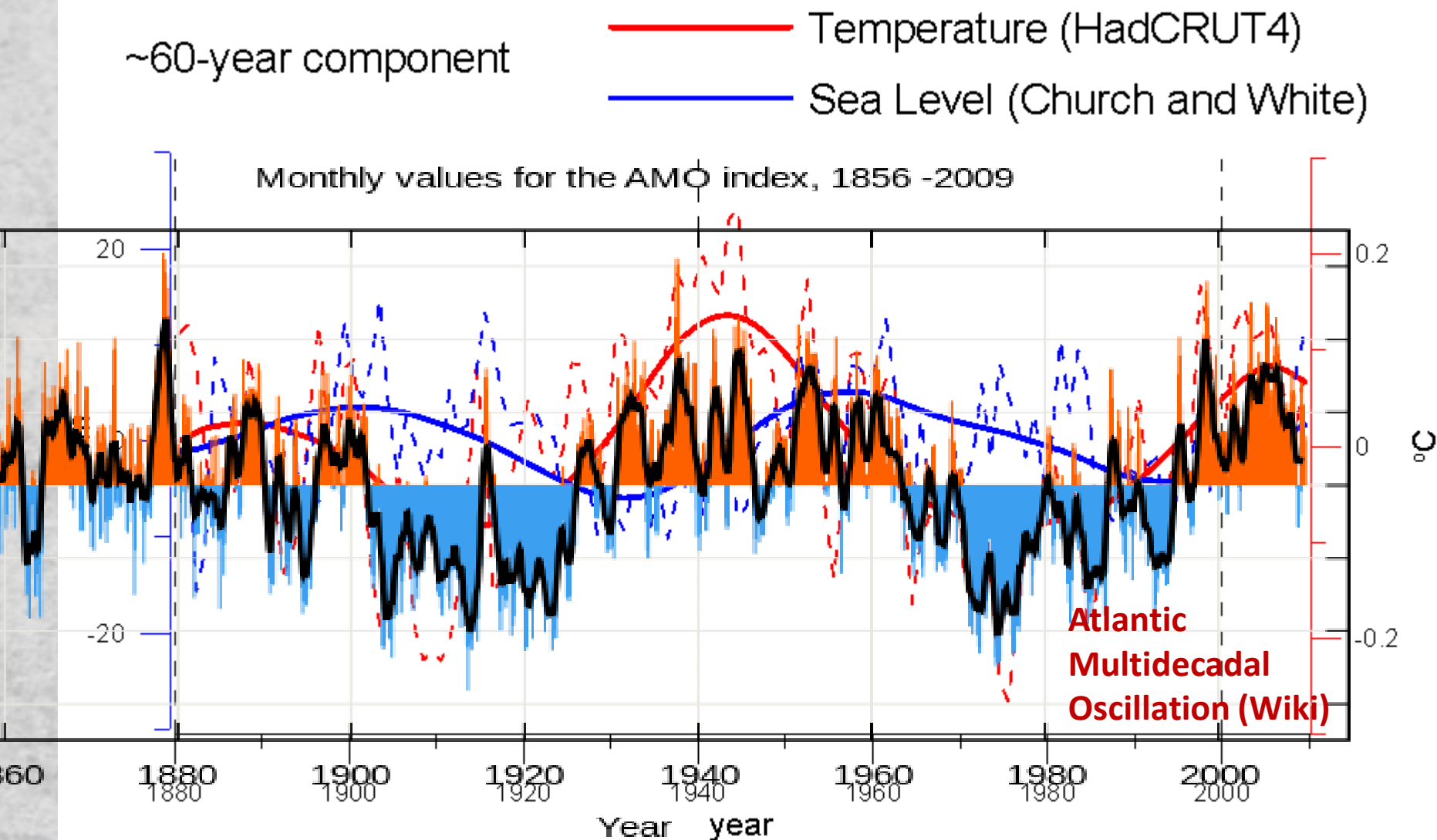
# Results of MSSA for Temperature and Sea Level



L=22, parabolic trends preliminarily removed



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# Why Climate oscillations are so important?



November-December 1812, at the west from Moscow.



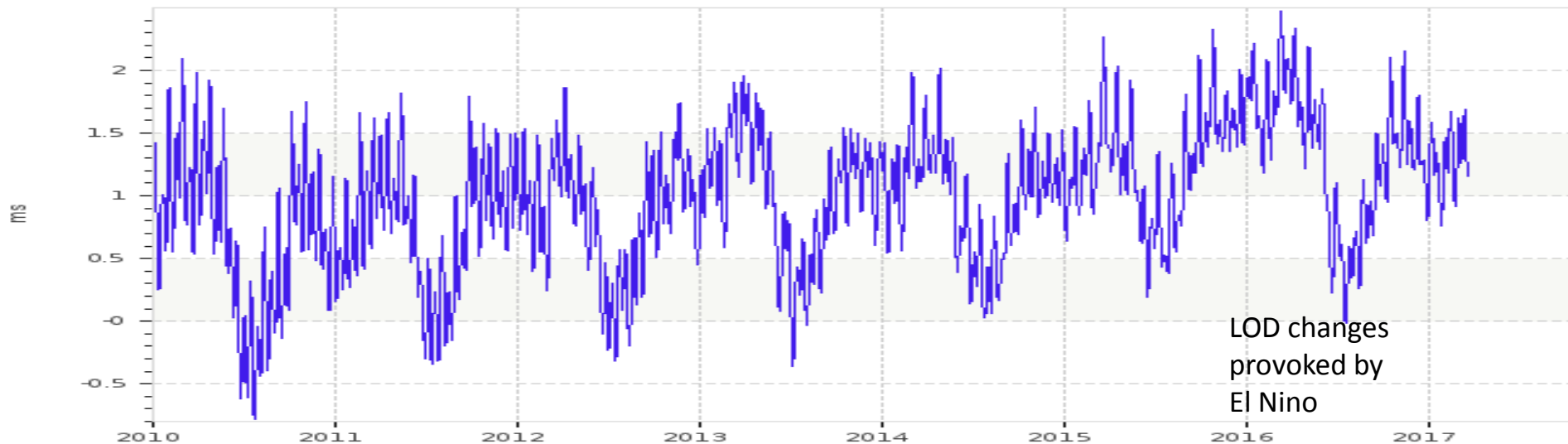
November-December 1941, at the west from Moscow.

Slide from Ilya Serykh

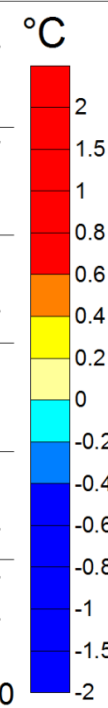
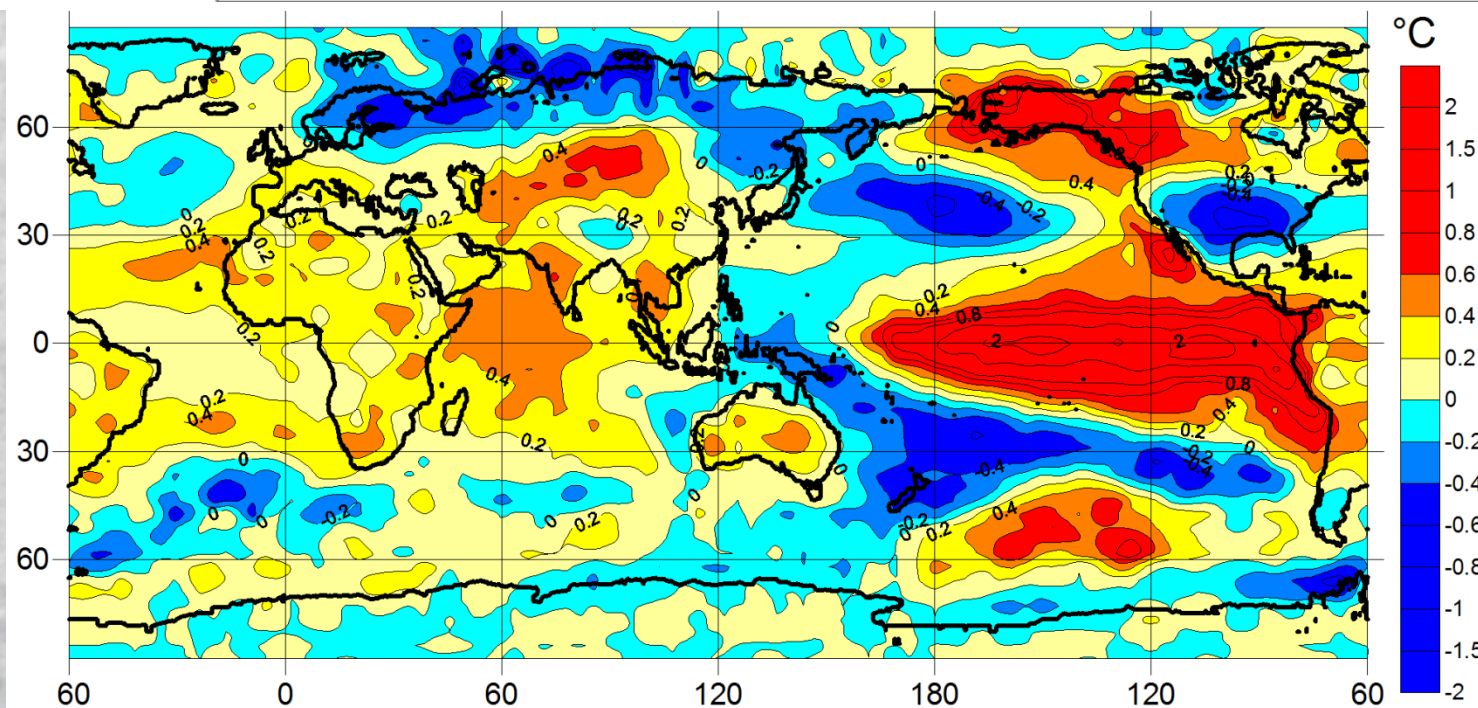
César Caviedes, "El Niño in History: Storming Through the Ages", 2001



# LOD IERS Earth Orientation Centre



— Combined EOP C04  
— Geodetic — [Pressure + Wind - (128.70 ms)] Correlation=0.96

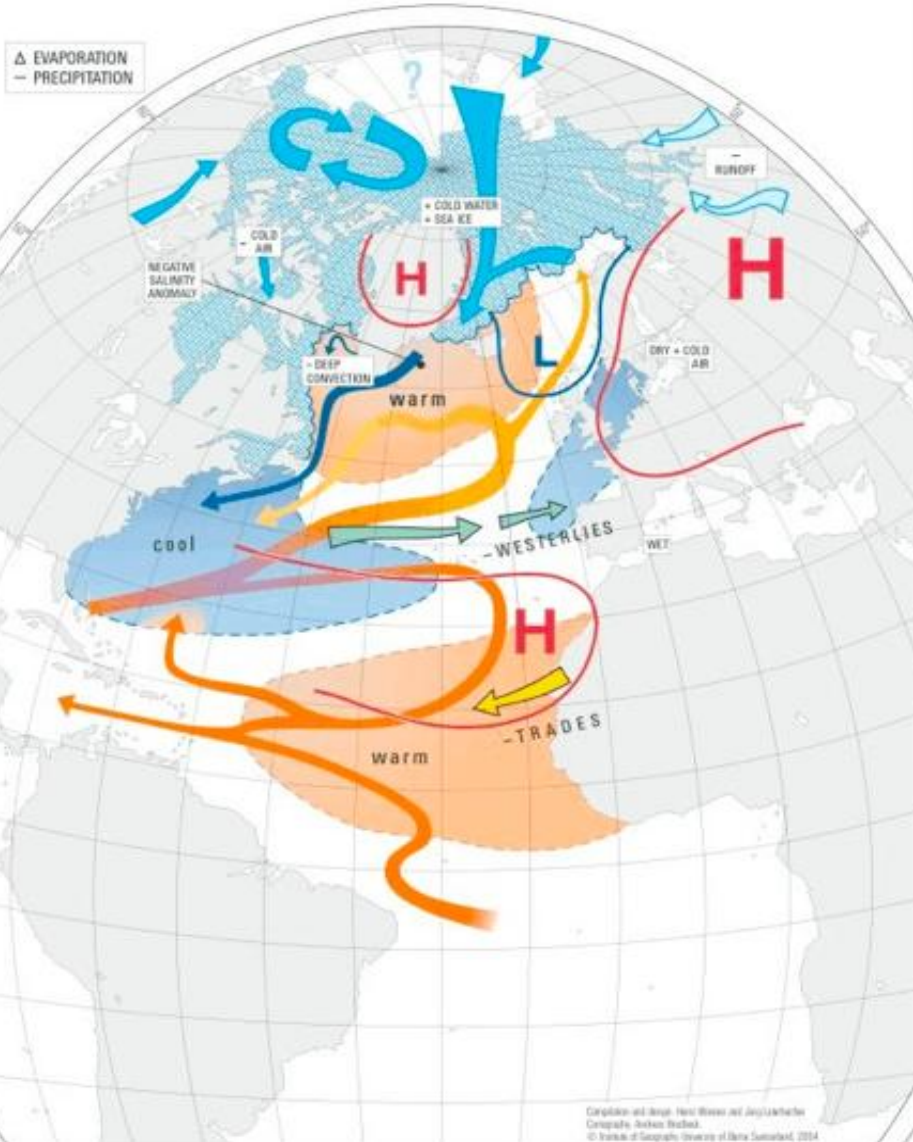


Average  
temperature  
difference between  
El Nino and  
La Nina  
(I. Serikh)

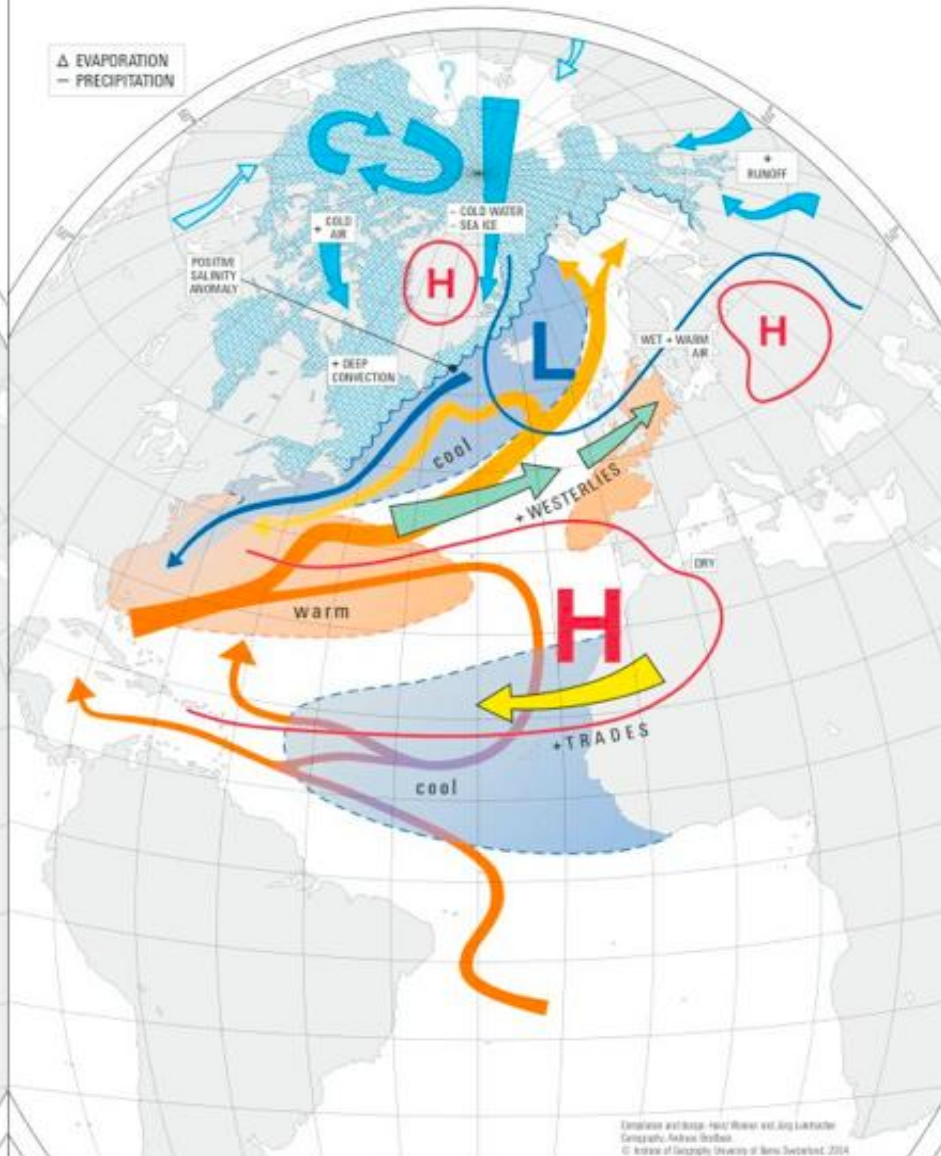


# North Atlantic Oscillation (NAO)

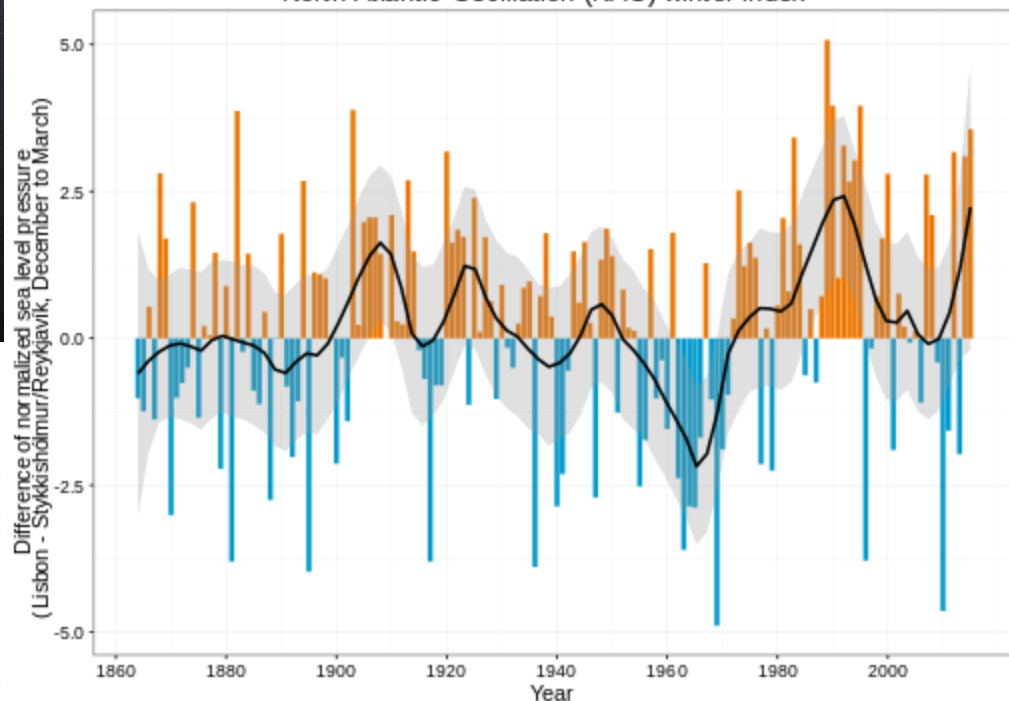
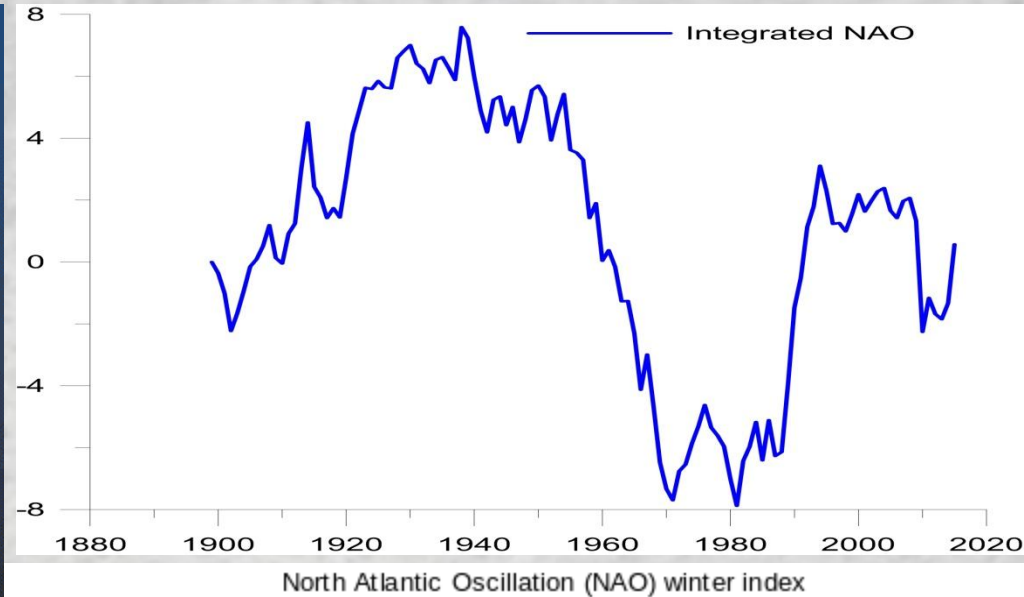
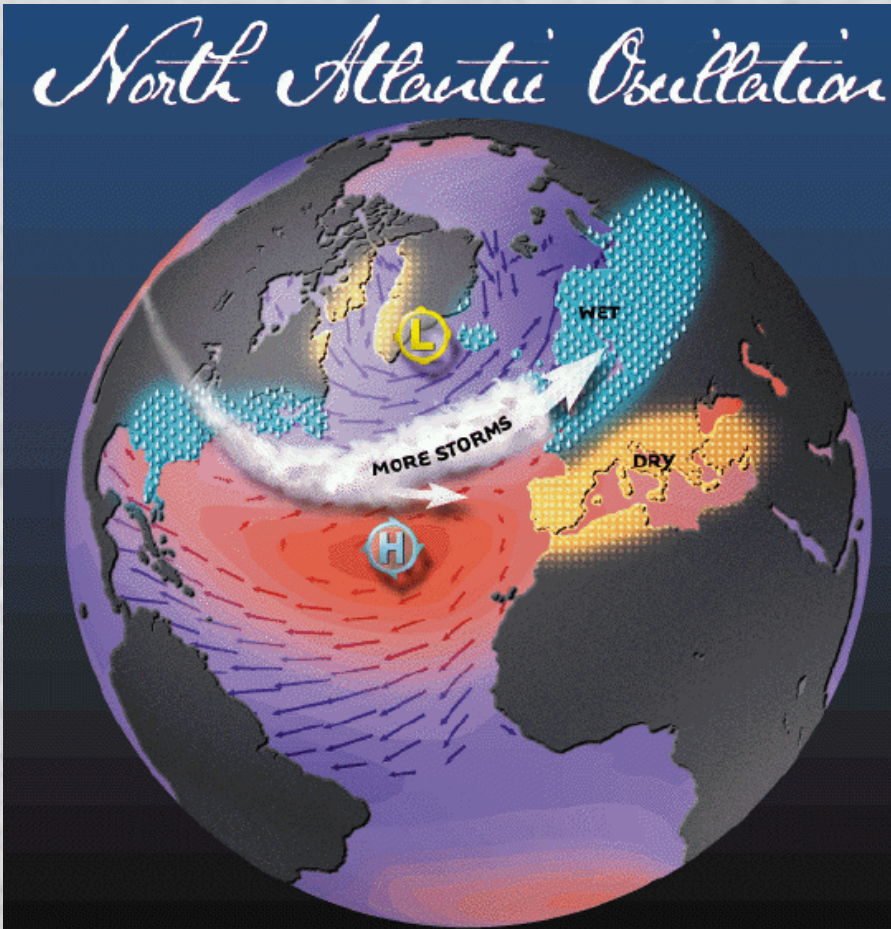
## NAO -



## NAO +



# AMO as integral of NAO



See:  
Gulev Sergey K, Latif Mojib. Ocean science: the origins  
of a climate oscillation. Nature 2015;521:428430.  
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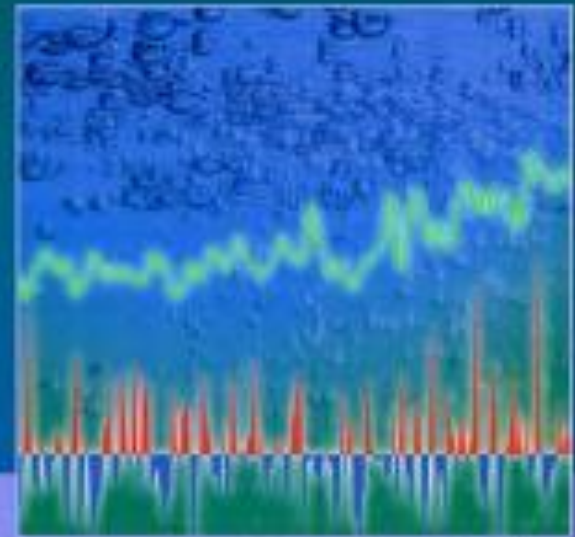
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## Climate Dynamics: Why Does Climate Vary?



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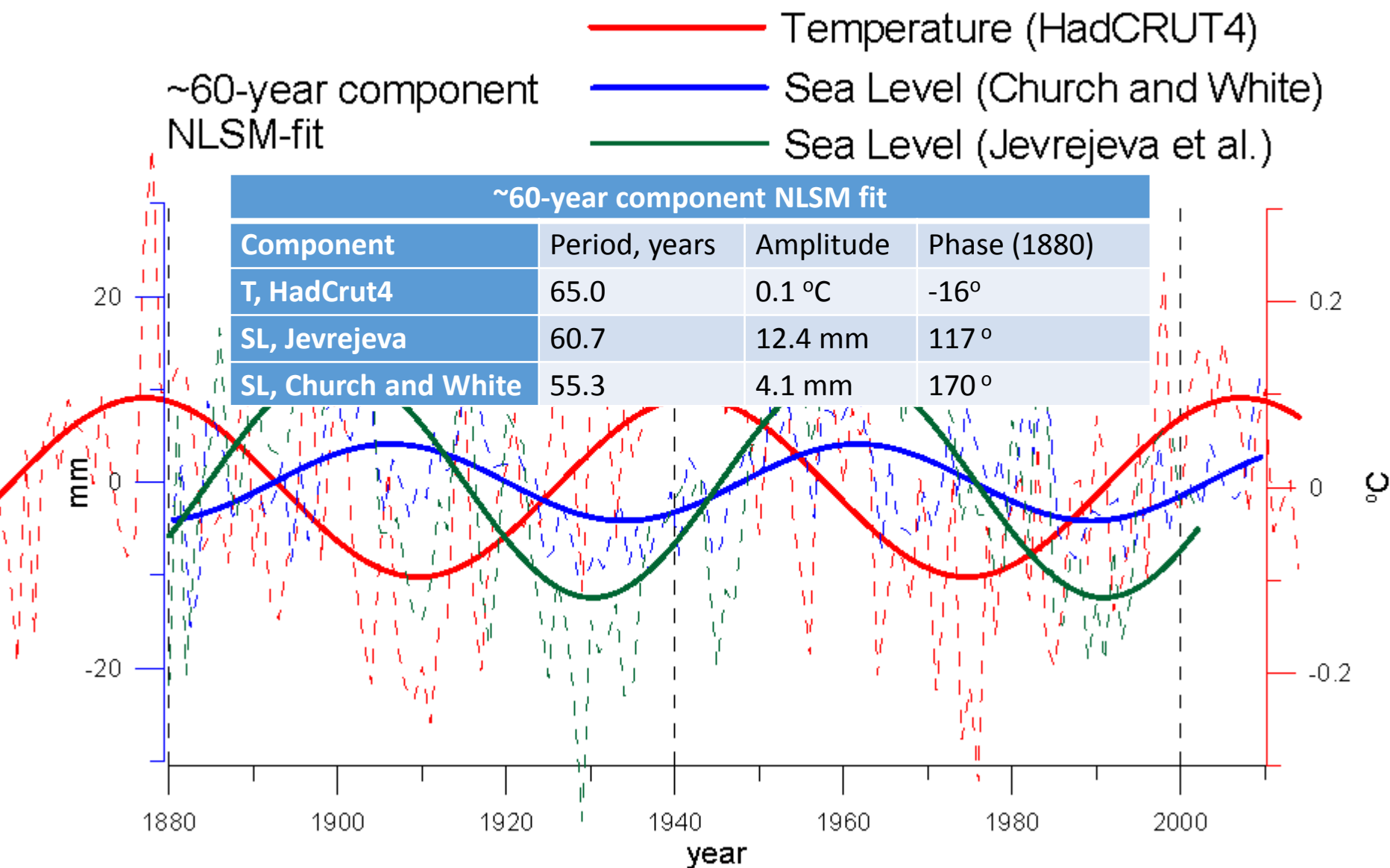
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$$\mathbf{x}(t + \tau) = \exp(\mathbf{L}\tau)\mathbf{x}(t) + \int_0^{\tau} \exp(\mathbf{L}[\tau - s])\mathbf{N}(t + s)ds .$$

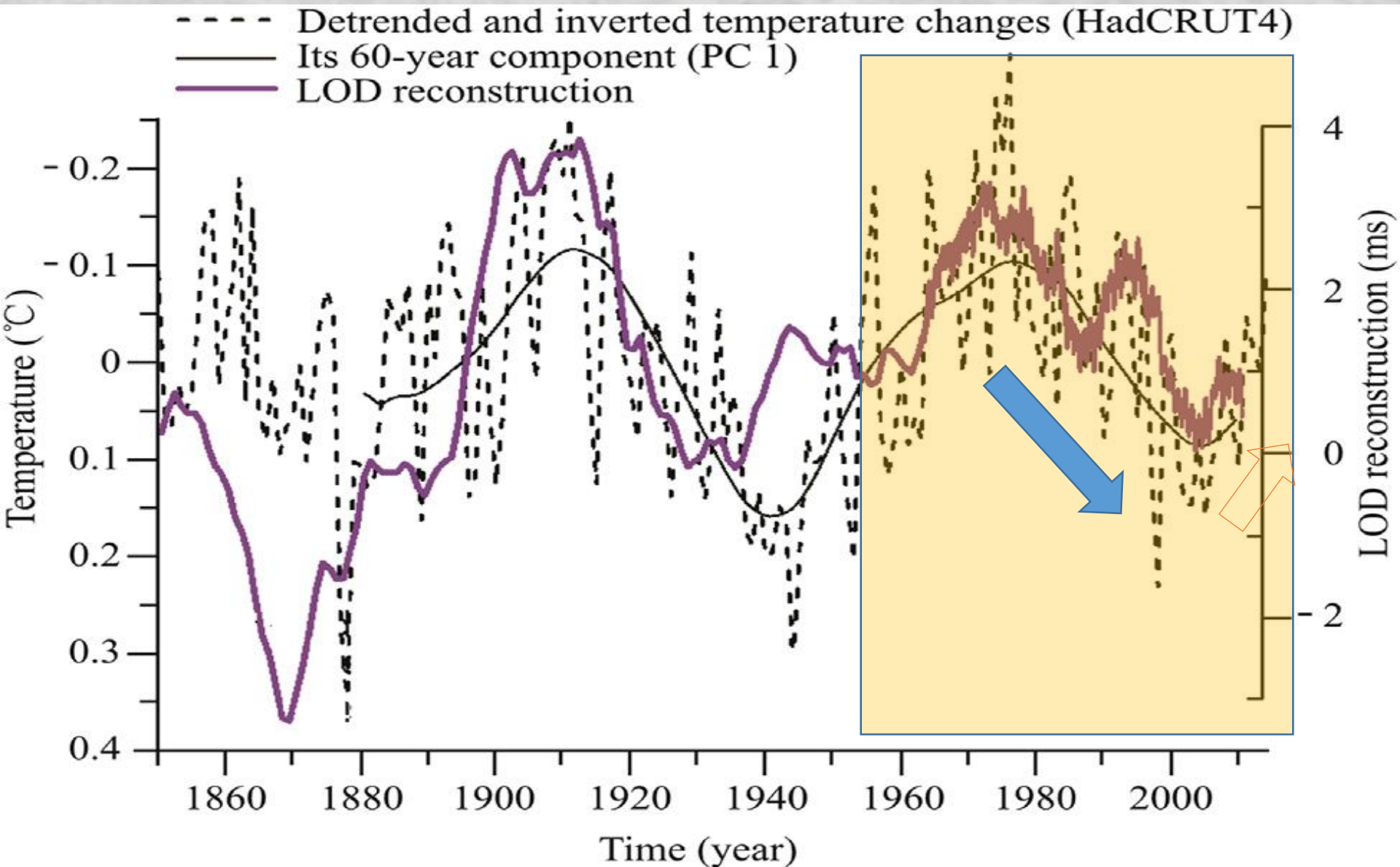
Stochastic forcing of north tropical Atlantic sea surface temperatures by the North Atlantic Oscillation



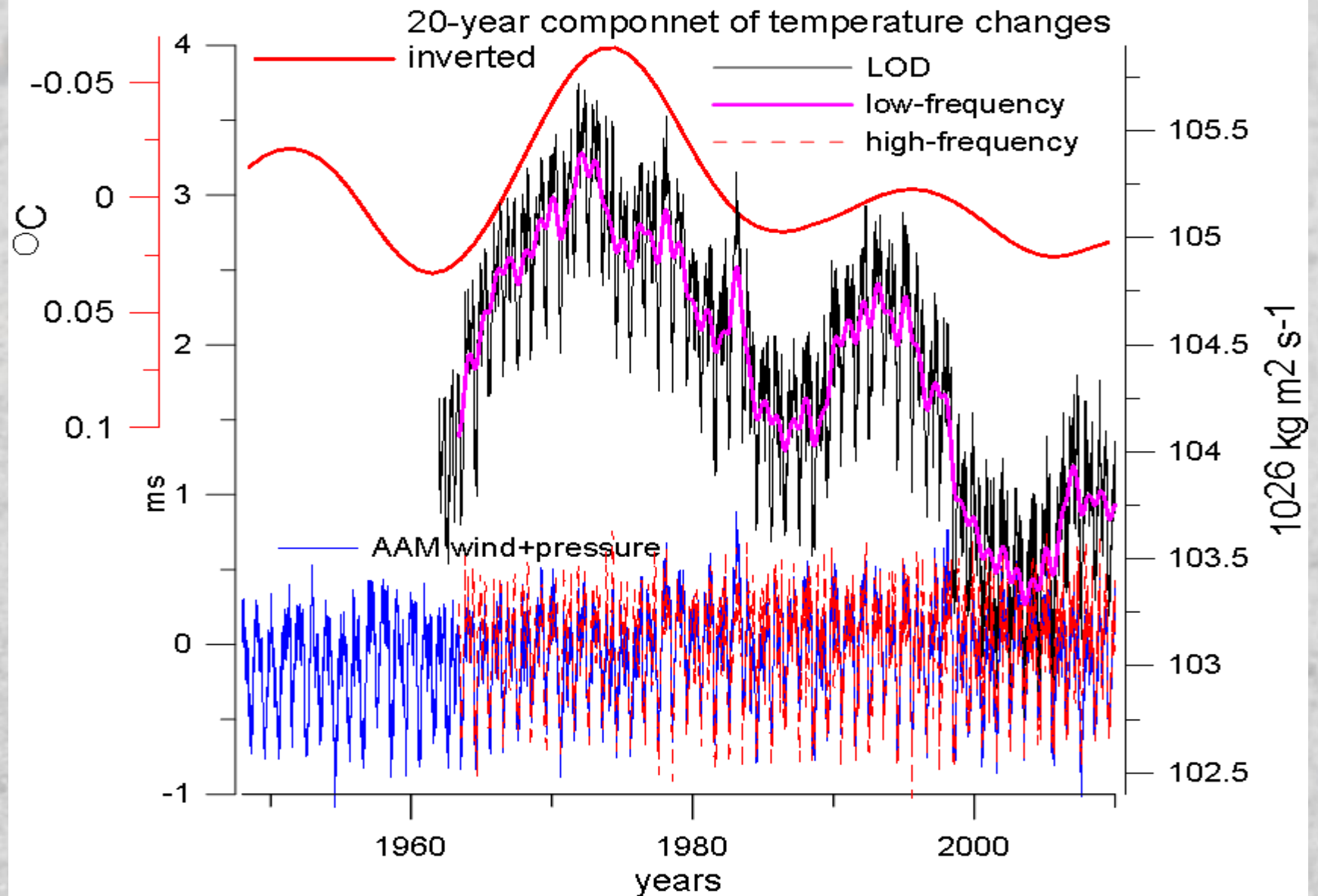
# Results of non-linear LS-adjustment



# Long-term (60-year) changes in Temperature and LOD



# Non-tidal LOD and 20-year temperature changes







The grave of Nikolay Mikhaïlovich Stoyko (1894-1976) at Snt. Genevieve de Bois  
The director of the Bureau International de l'Heure, founder of annual LOD variations



## VARIATION OF THE MASS OF THE ICE SHEET OF ANTARCTICA AND INSTABILITY OF THE EARTH'S ROTATION

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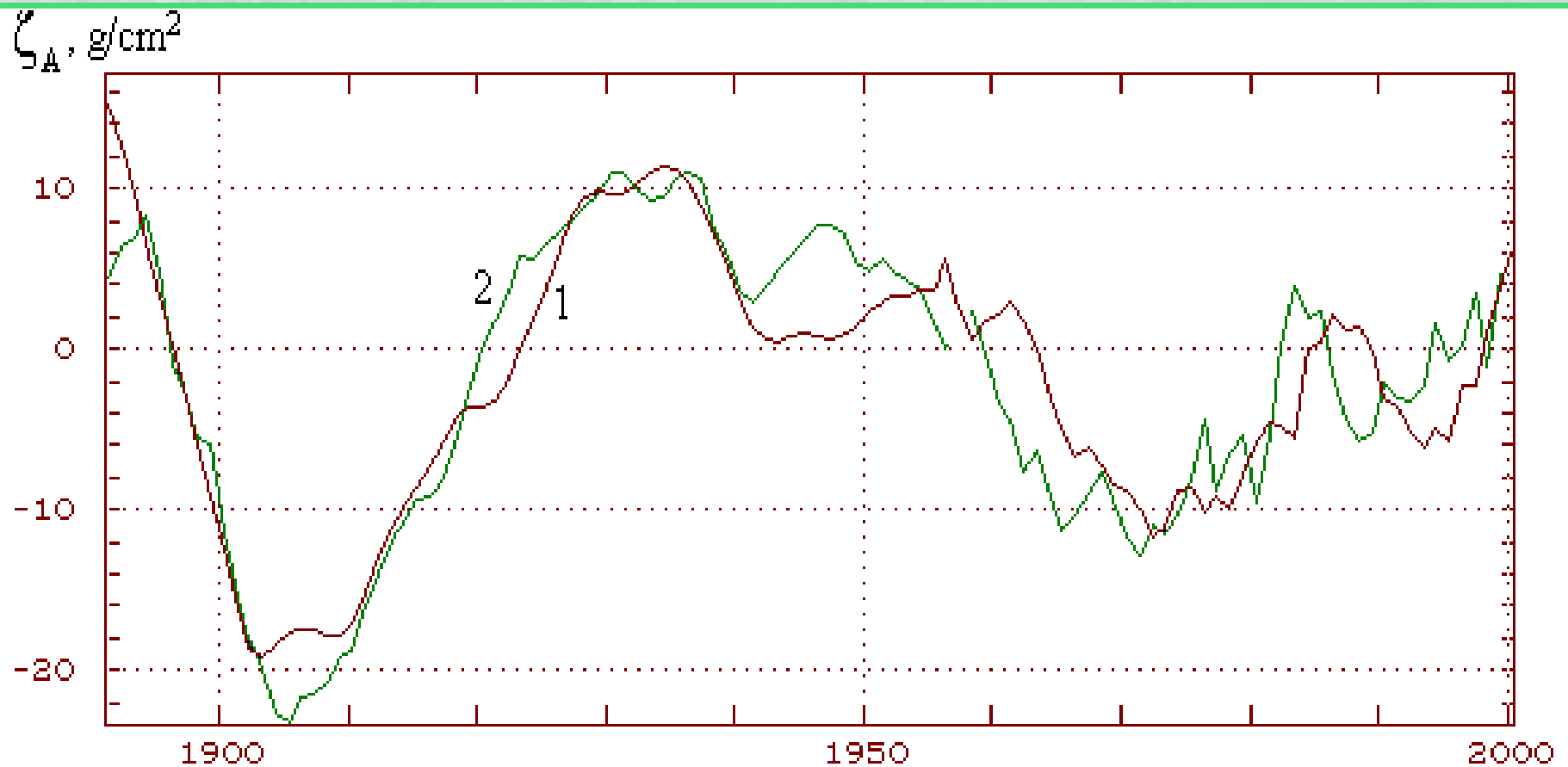
A theoretical series of the Antarctic ice mass variation from 1891 to 2000 is calculated using astronomical data on the movement of the North Pole and variation in the velocity of the Earth's daily rotation. The series is compared with the data of V. N. Petrov [3] on the annual layers of snow accumulation in Antarctica and precipitation series at Antarctic stations. It is shown that the theoretical series agrees well with results of actual snow measurements. It is concluded that the theoretical series can be used to test the results of empirical studies of the temporal variability of the ice sheet of Antarctica and of atmospheric precipitation in Antarctica.

$$-\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{dv_2}{dt} + v_1 = \frac{n_{13}}{C-A} = -\frac{r^2}{2(C-A)} \iint_s \zeta(\theta, \lambda, t) \sin 2\theta \cos \lambda \, ds;$$

$$\frac{1}{\sigma} \frac{dv_1}{dt} + v_2 = \frac{n_{23}}{C-A} = -\frac{r^2}{2(C-A)} \iint_s \zeta(\theta, \lambda, t) \sin 2\theta \sin \lambda \, ds;$$

$$\delta v_3 = -(1+k') \frac{\delta n_{33}}{C} = -(1+k') \frac{r^2}{C} \iint_s \zeta(\theta, \lambda, t) \sin^2 \theta \, ds.$$

# Ice mass of Antarctica and its reconstruction from LOD and PM



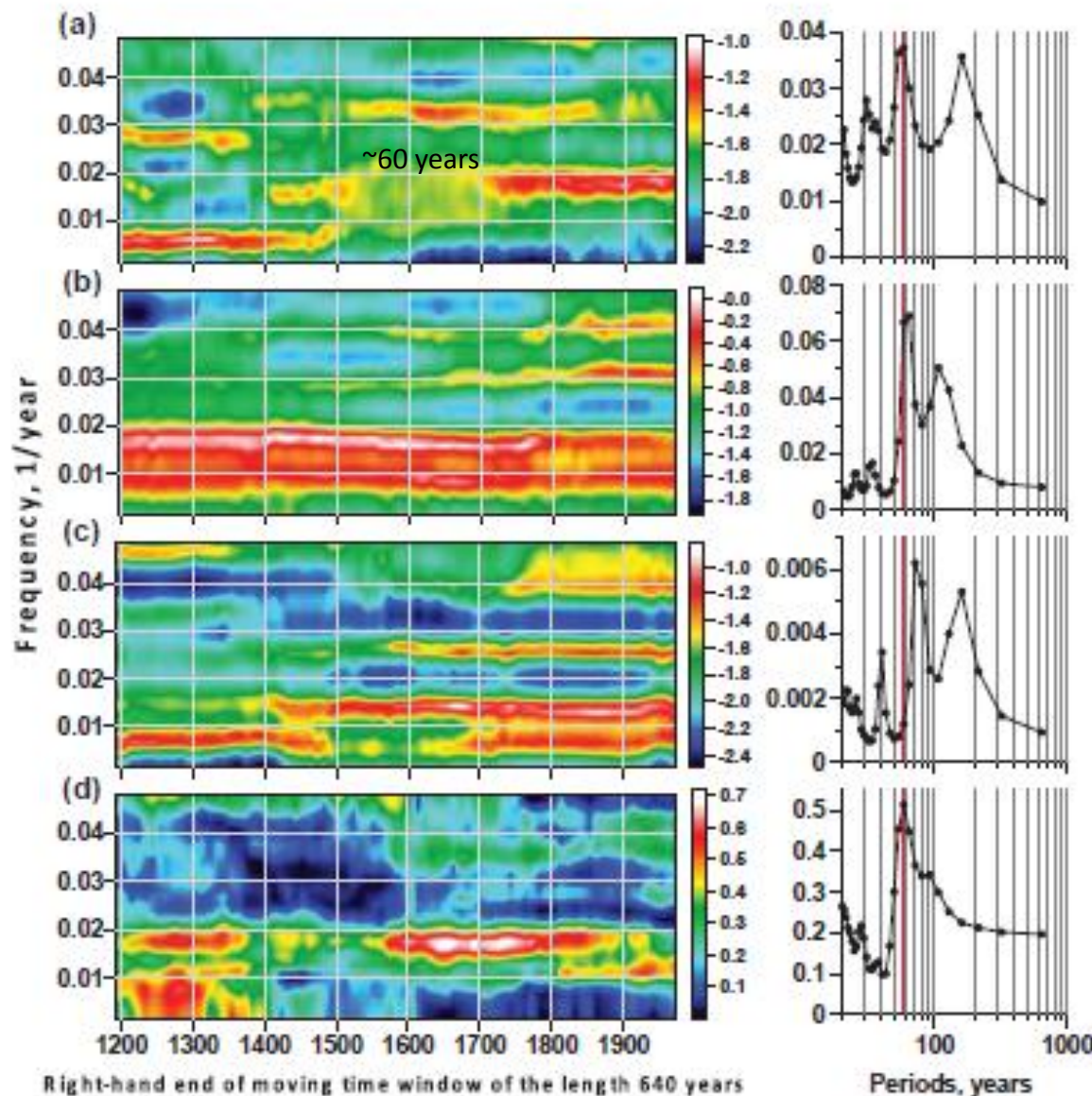
Temporal variations of the specific mass of ice in Antarctica,  $\text{g}\cdot\text{cm}^{-2}$ .

1 – the theoretical value, obtained from EOP;

2 – the empirical value (Petrov, 1975; Bryazgin, 1990).



# Long-term (60-year) historical changes in Temperature



- a) Mean winter temperatures in Greenland for time interval (553-1973) from ice cores (Dansgaard et al. 1975)
- b) Temperature anomaly on Sweden from tree rings of arctic pine 500-1980 (Briffa et al. 1990)
- c) Humidity in Southern California from tree rings of mountain pine 6000 B.C.-1979 (Graybill et al. 1994)
- d) Global temperature anomalies (Lawrimour et al. 2001)

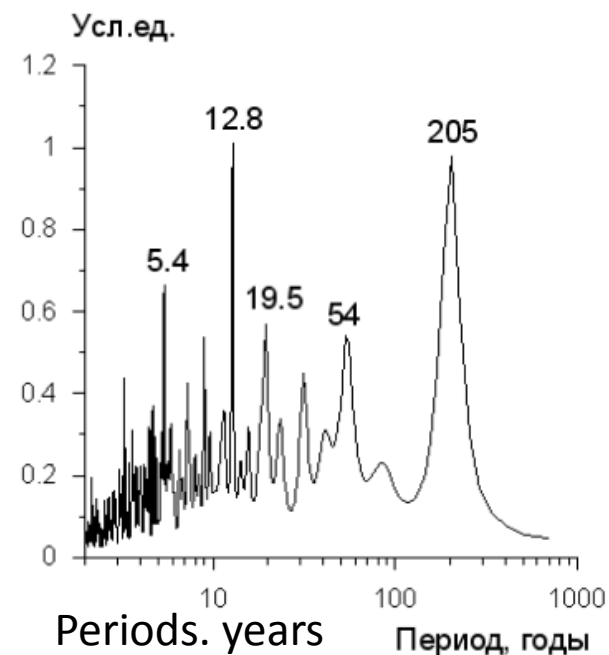
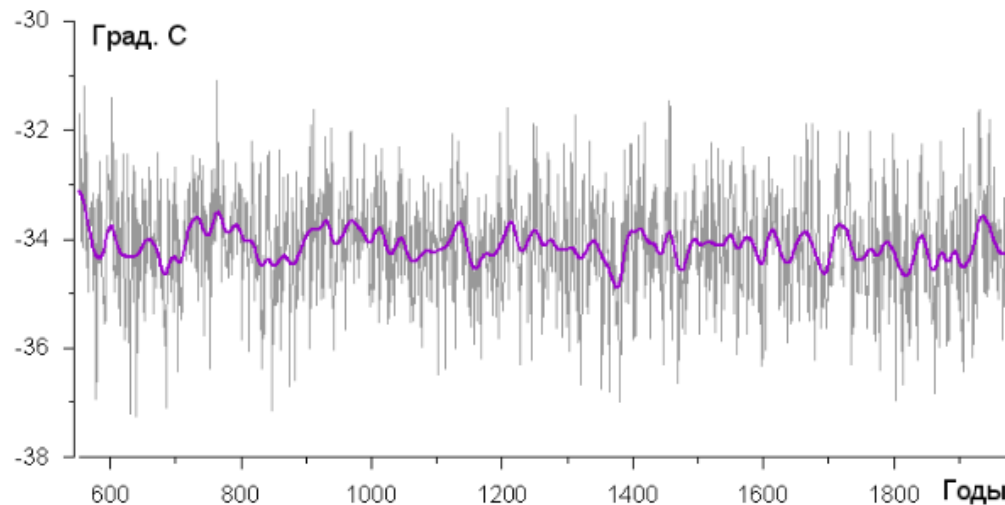
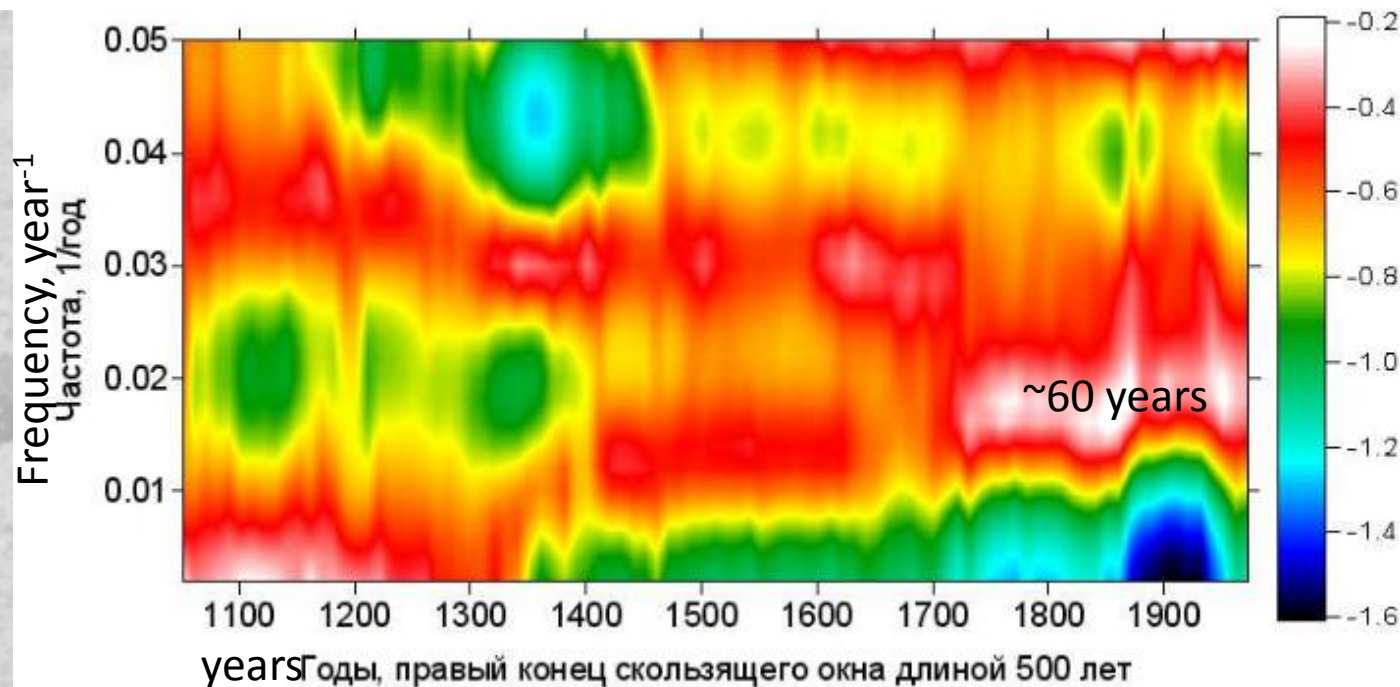


Рис.1.2. Гауссовский тренд с параметром усреднения 10 лет (толстая линия) данных ежегодных реконструкций зимних температур в Гренландии (553-1973 гг.) по содержанию изотопа  $^{18}\text{O}$  в ледовых кернах (тонкая линия).

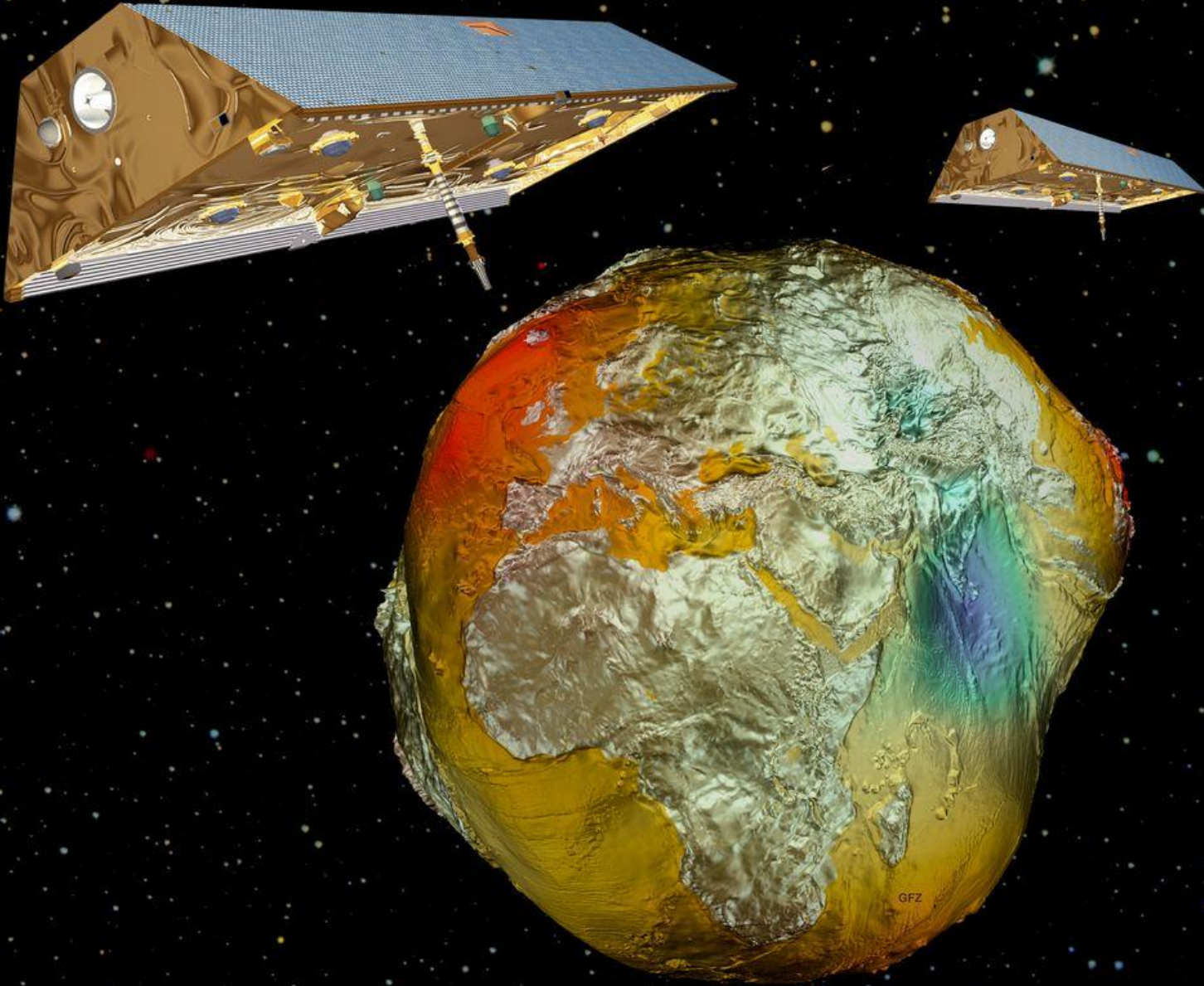
**Greenland winter temperature reconstructions (553-1973) based on  $^{18}\text{O}$  isotope (Dansgaard, 1975)**

Its autoregressive spectrum and time-frequency analysis estimated by Alexey Lyubushin in his book



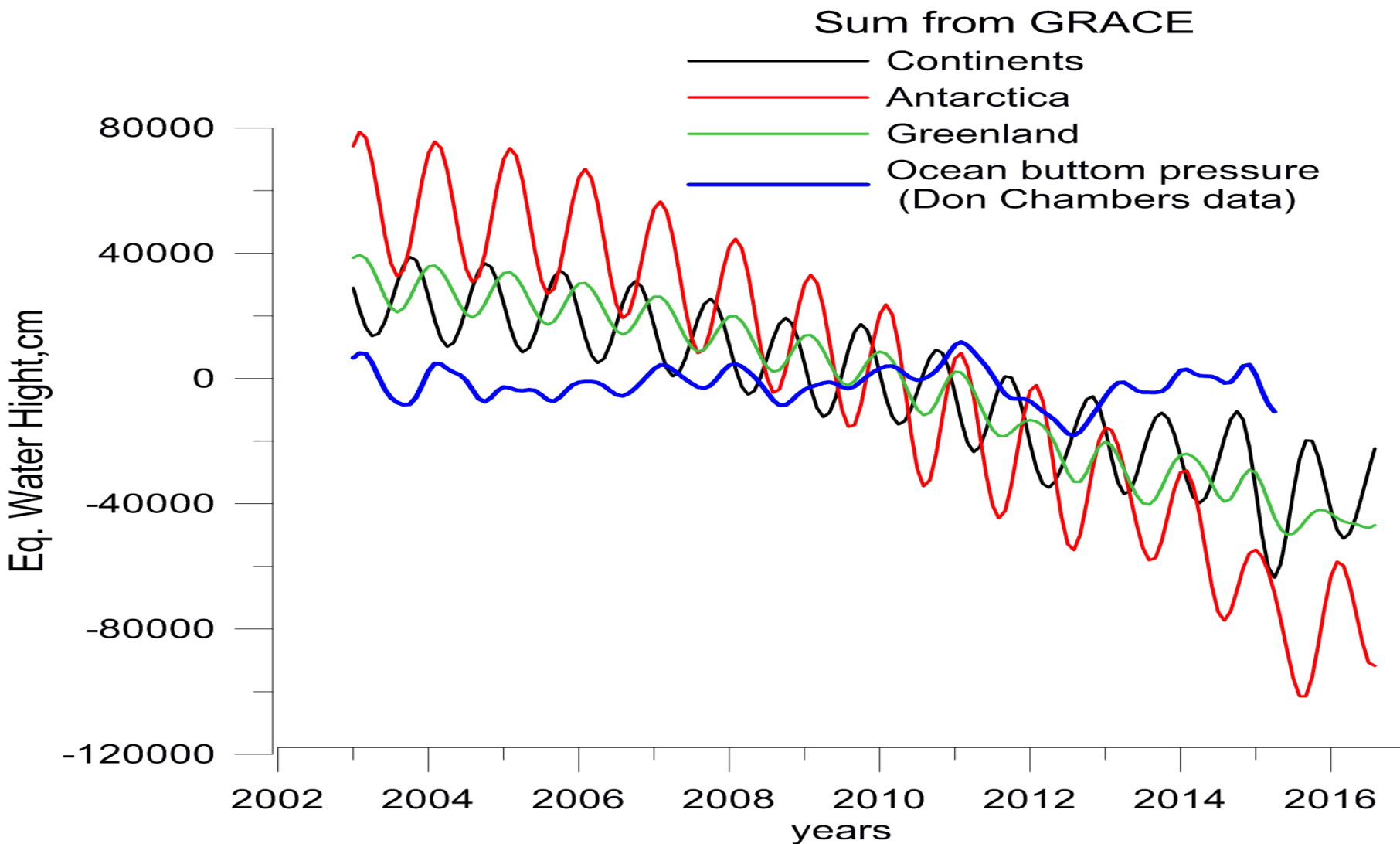


# Gravity Recovery and Climate Experiment GRACE

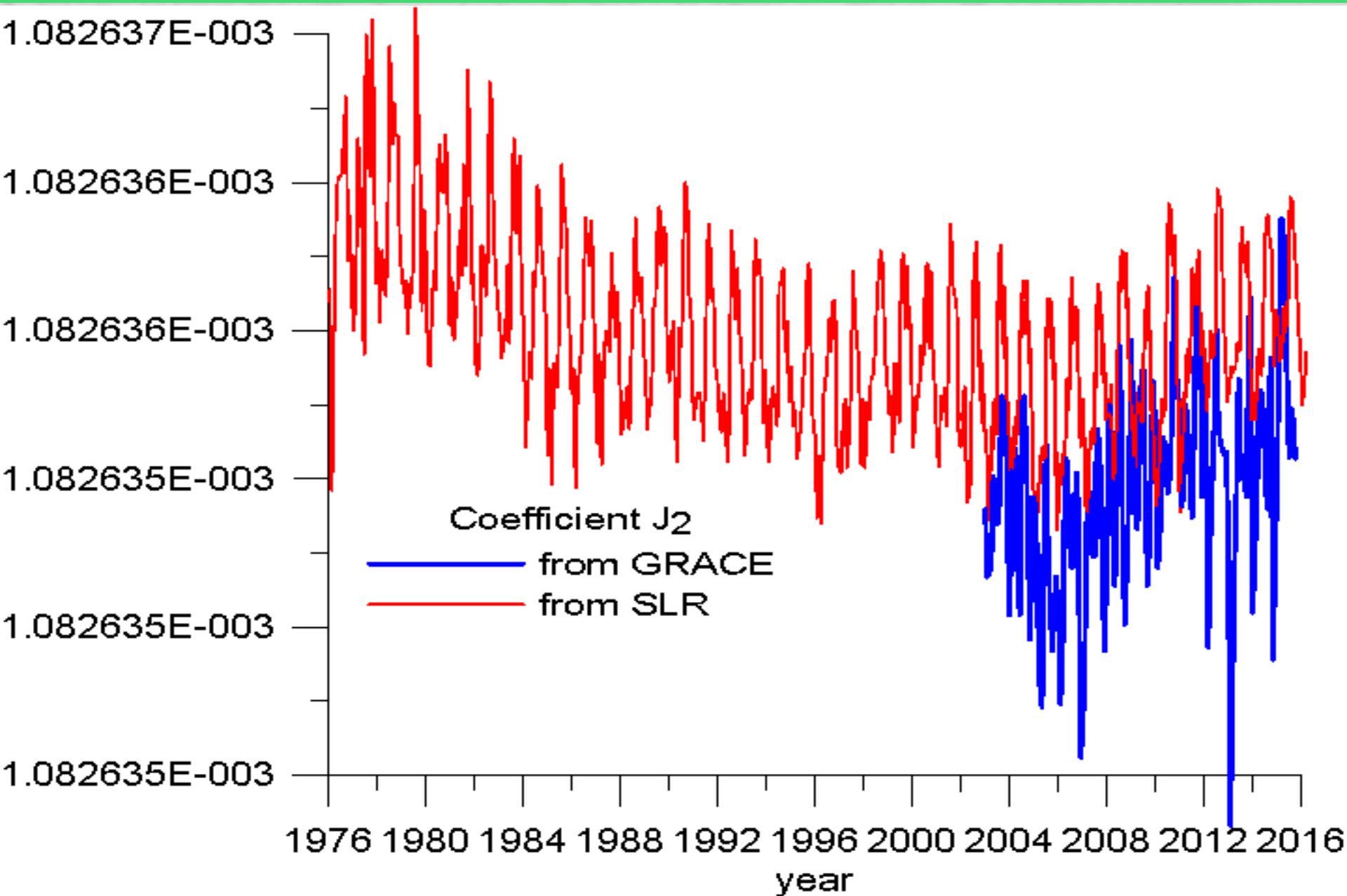




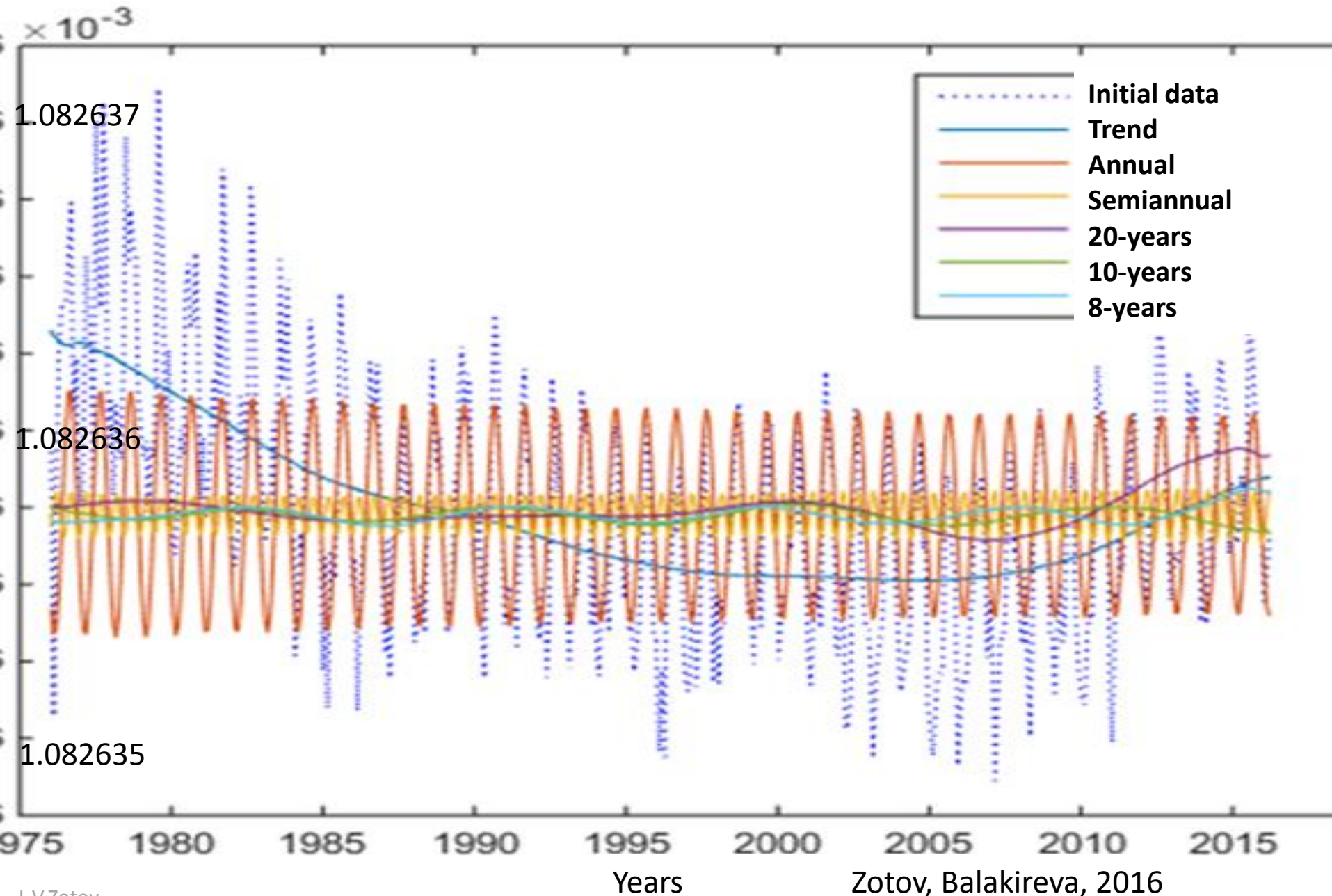
# Global mass changes in GRACE epoch



# Variations of $J_2$ coefficient from SLR and GRACE



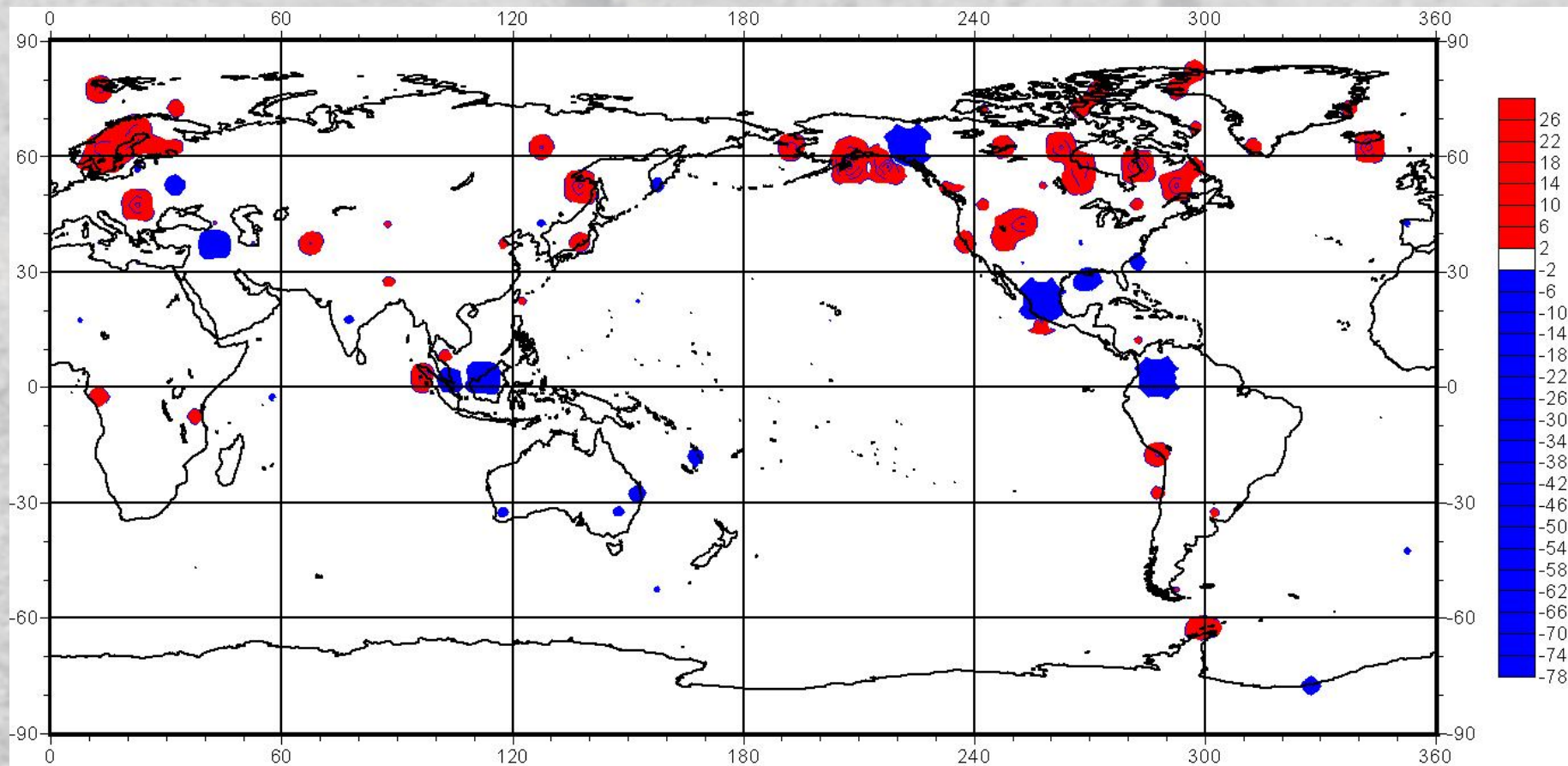
# MSSA components of variations in $J_2$





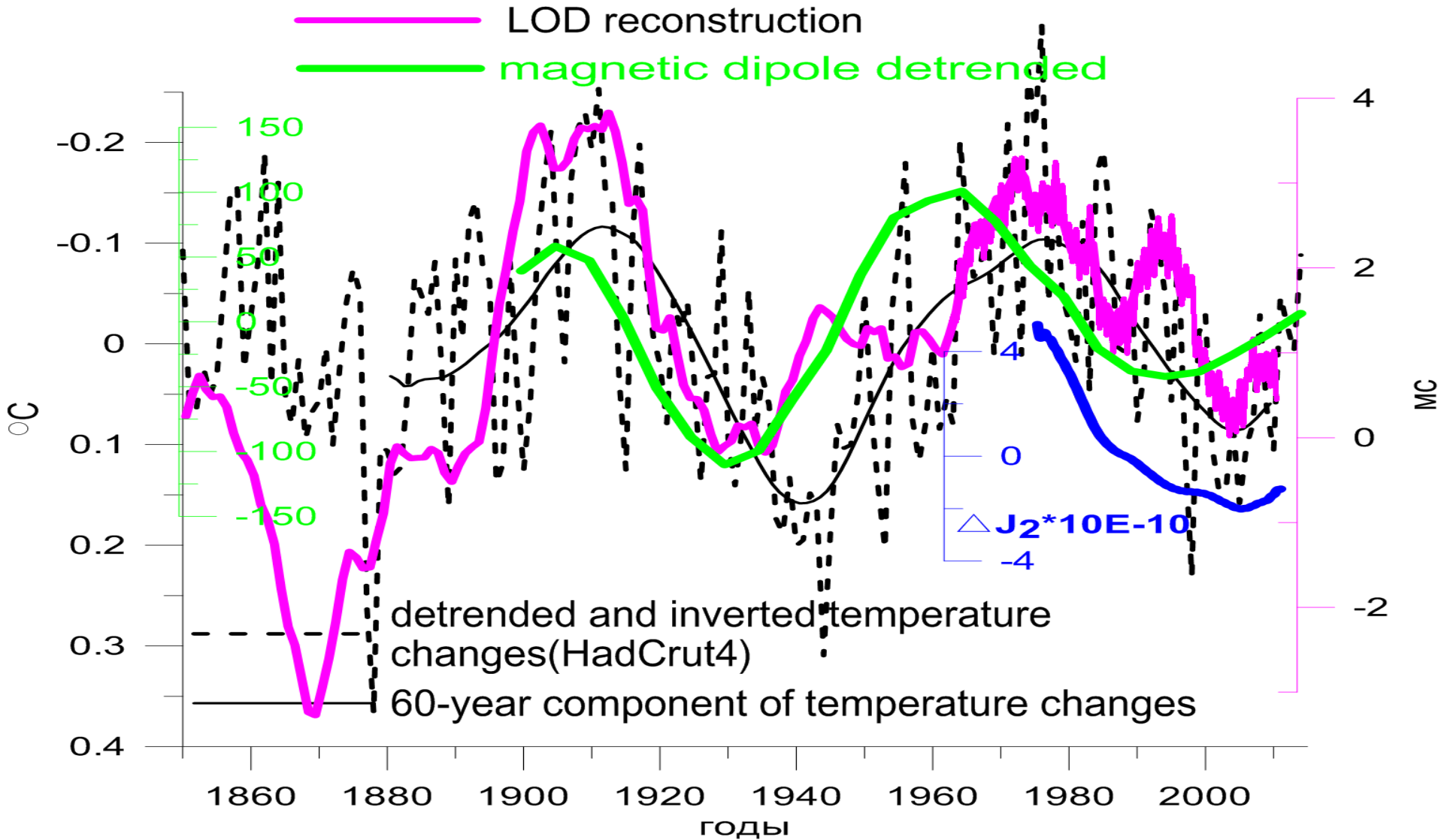
The Earth's flattening is decreasing, according to ITRF vertical motion spherical decomposition analysis by Chujkova et al.

ITRF 2008 vertical motions, red colour - positive values, blue colour - negative values



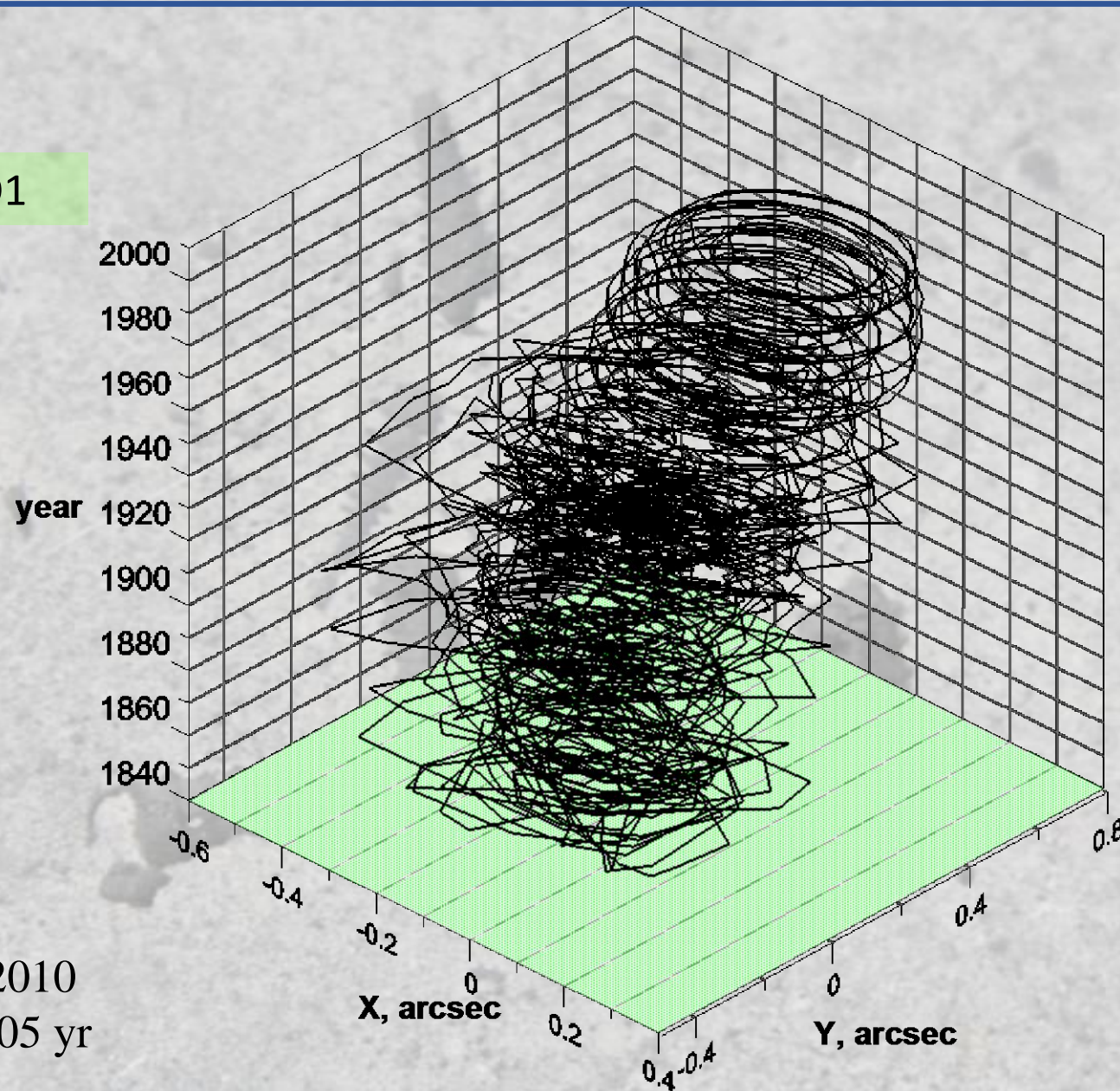
Chujkova N.A., Maximova T.G., Tchesnokova T.S., Grushinsky A.N., Vertical motions of the Earth crust from ITRF2000, ITRF2005, ITRF2008, ITRF2014 and their comparison. Physical geodesy, Russia, 2016

# Long-term changes in $J_2$ , T, LOD, and magnetic dipole (detrended)



# Motion of the Earth's pole

EOP CO1



2D trajectory

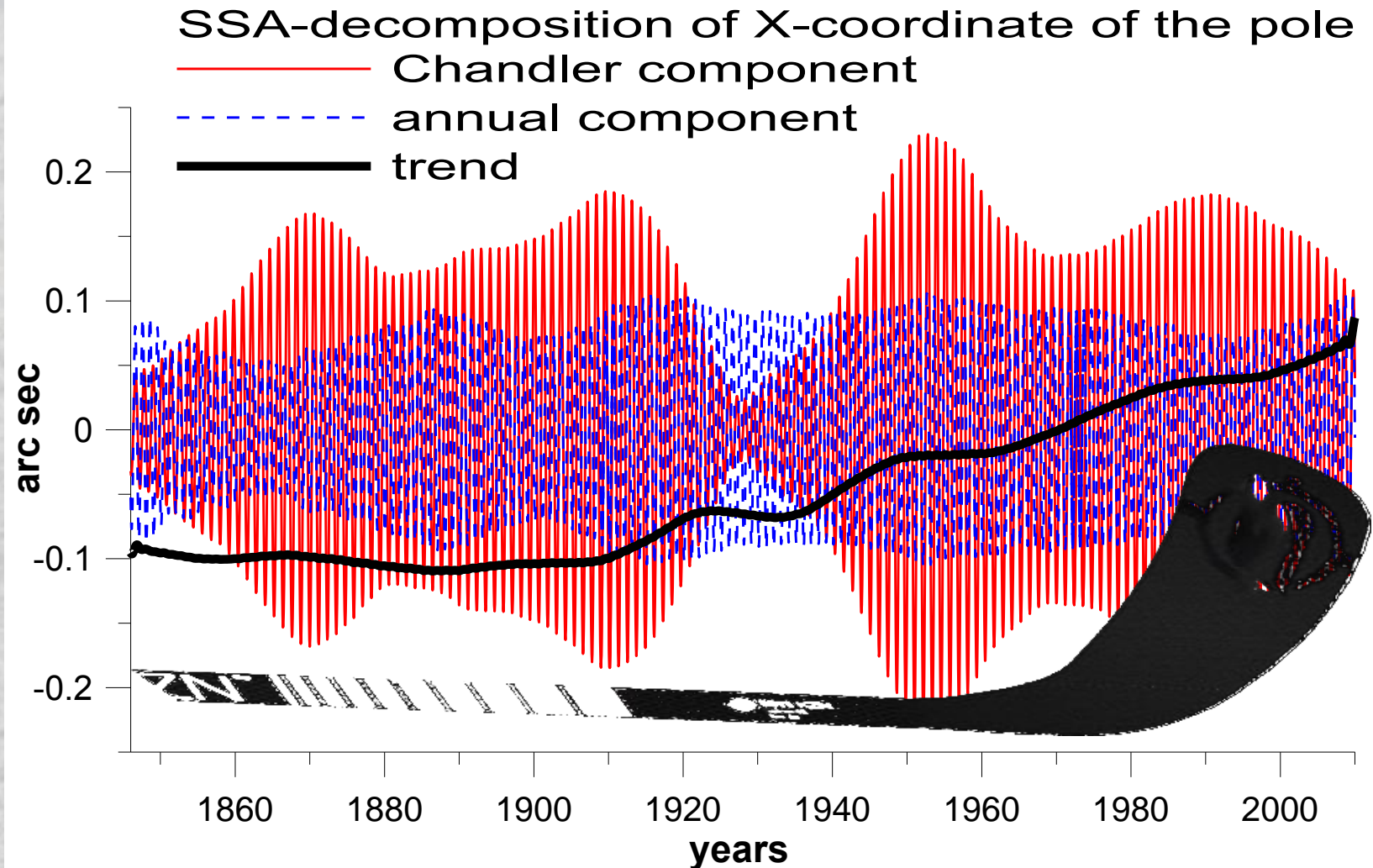
$$m(t) = x - iy$$

1846-2010  
step 0.05 yr





# Singular Spectrum Analysis of Polar Motion



# Dynamical model of the rotating Earth

$$\frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm(t)}{dt} + m(t) = \Psi(t)$$

$$m = m_1 + im_2$$

$$\Psi = \Psi_{mass} + \Psi_{motion}$$

$$\sigma_c = 2\pi f_c (1 + i/2Q)$$

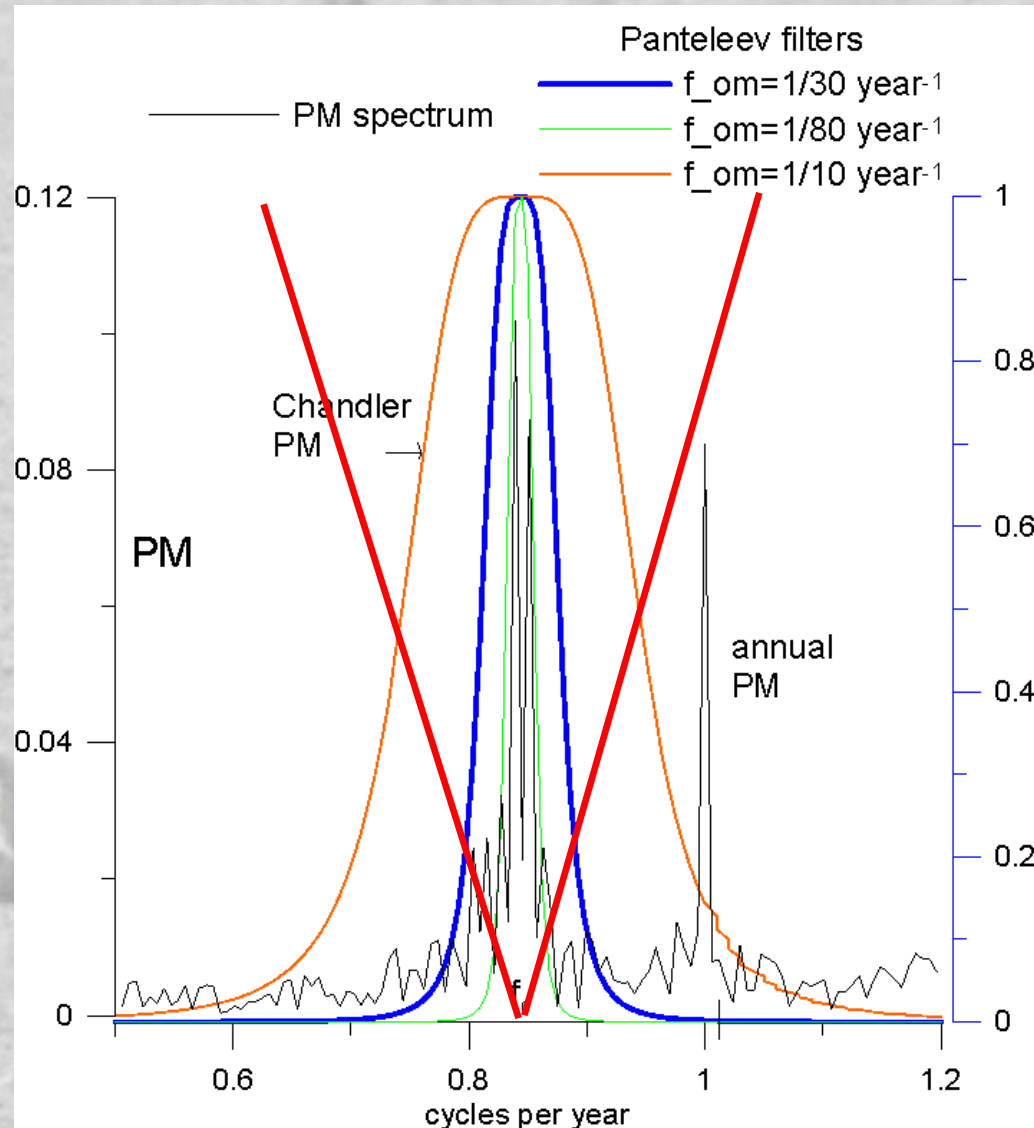
$$f_c = \frac{1}{433} \text{ days}^{-1} \quad Q = 100$$

# Panteleev filtering in the Chandler band

Several harmonics incorporate information about changes of Chandler wobble instantaneous amplitude and phase



V.L. Panteleev

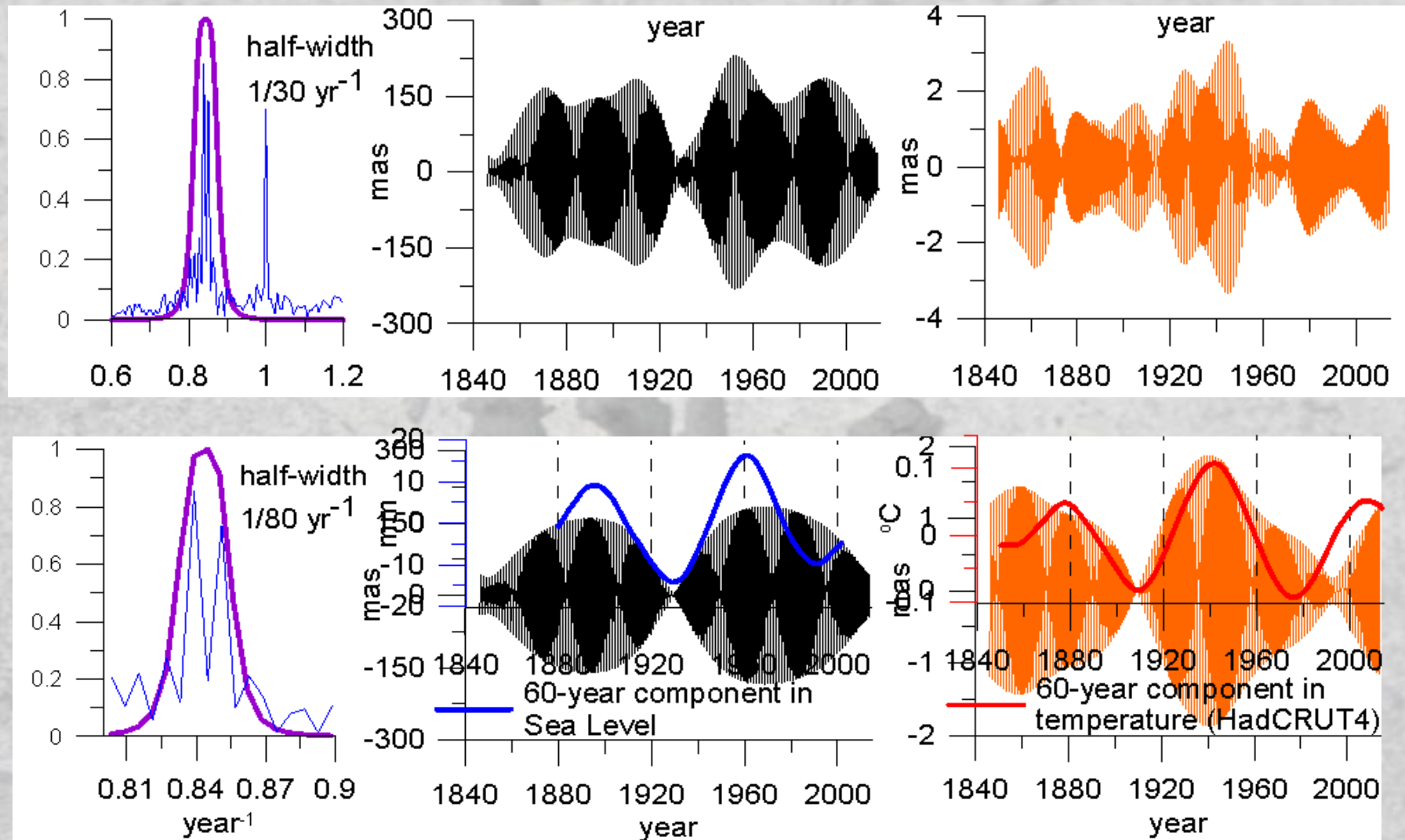


Filtering in time  
domain –  
convolution

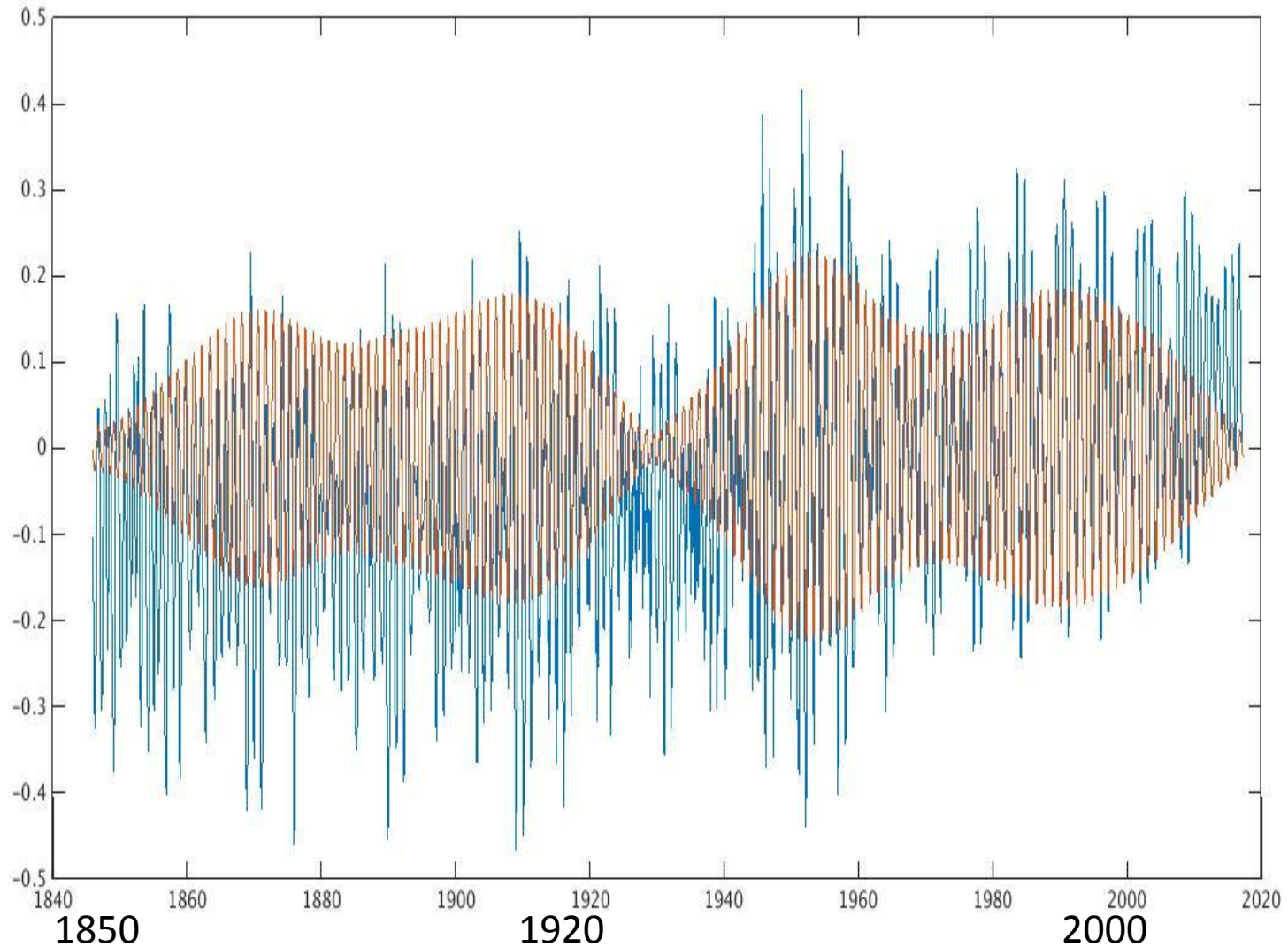
Filtering in frequency  
domain –  
spectra multiplication



# Chandler wobble and its excitation depending on the filter width



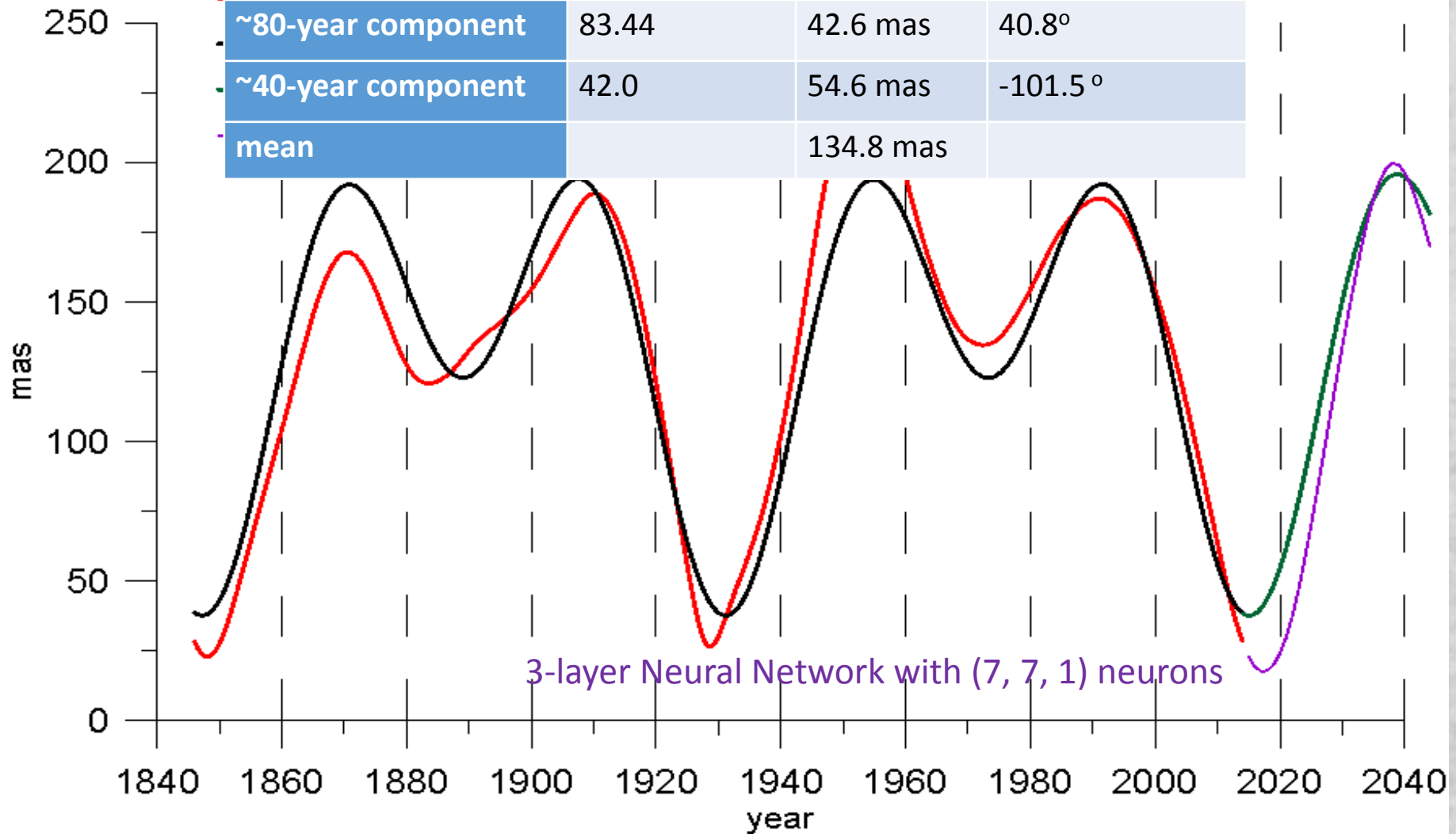
# Chandler Wobble extracted from Polar Motion by means of Mean Squares Collocation





# ChW Amplitude model and forecast

~Chandler wobble amplitude NLSM fit			
	Period, years	Amplitude	Phase (1880)
~80-year component	83.44	42.6 mas	40.8°
~40-year component	42.0	54.6 mas	-101.5°
mean		134.8 mas	

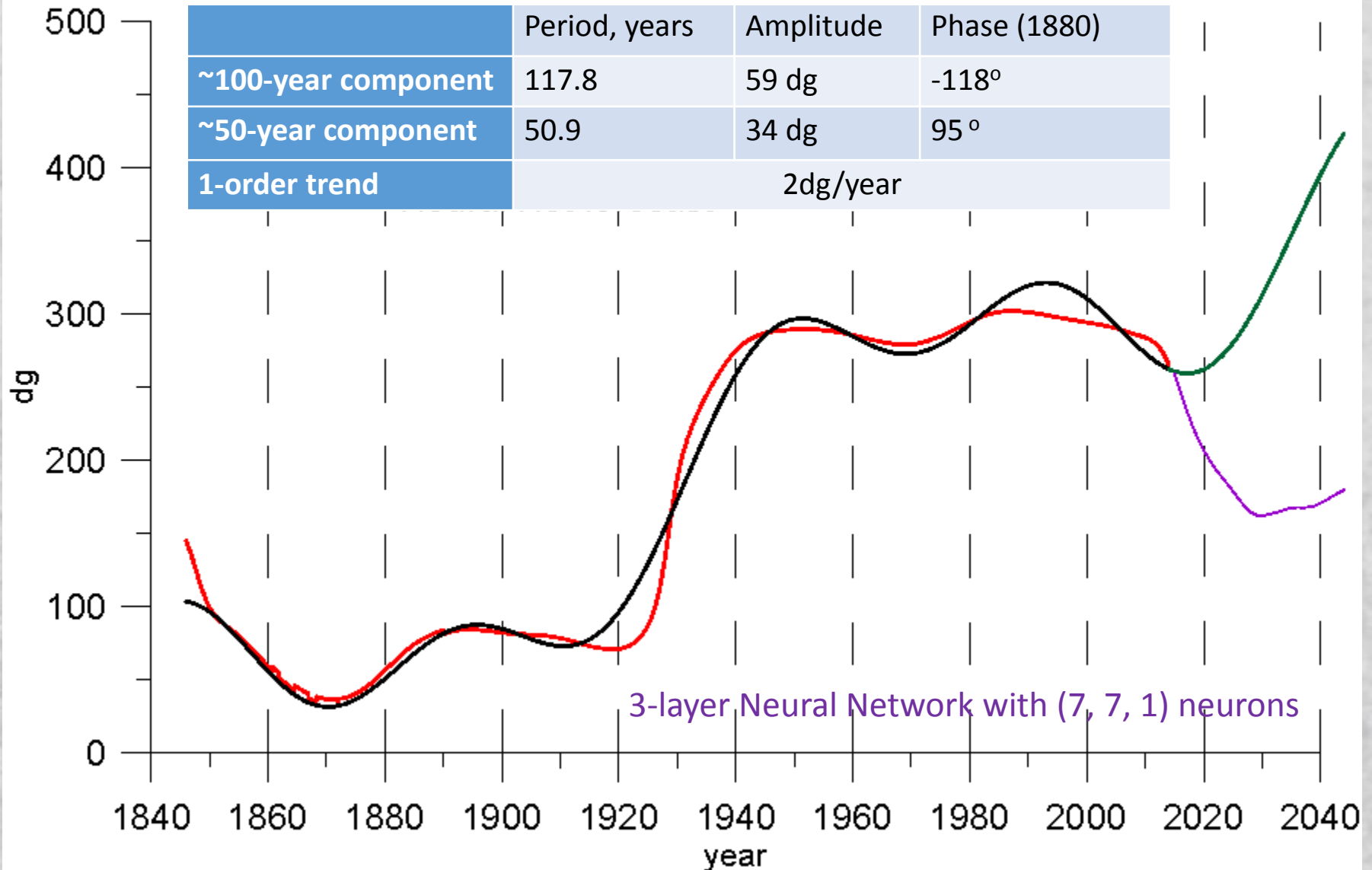




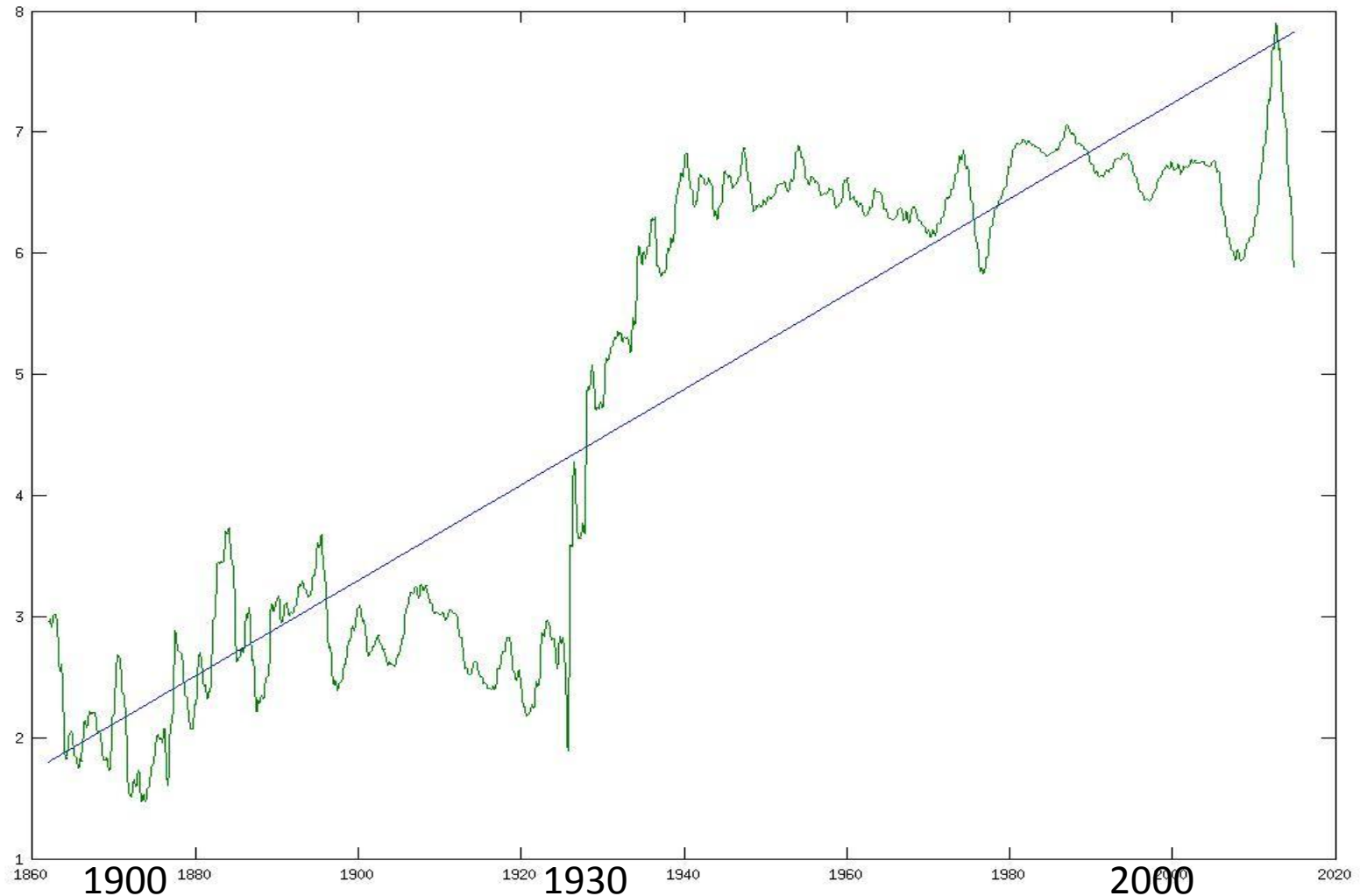
# Phase model and forecast

~Chandler wobble phase NLSM fit

	Period, years	Amplitude	Phase (1880)
~100-year component	117.8	59 dg	-118°
~50-year component	50.9	34 dg	95 °
1-order trend	2dg/year		

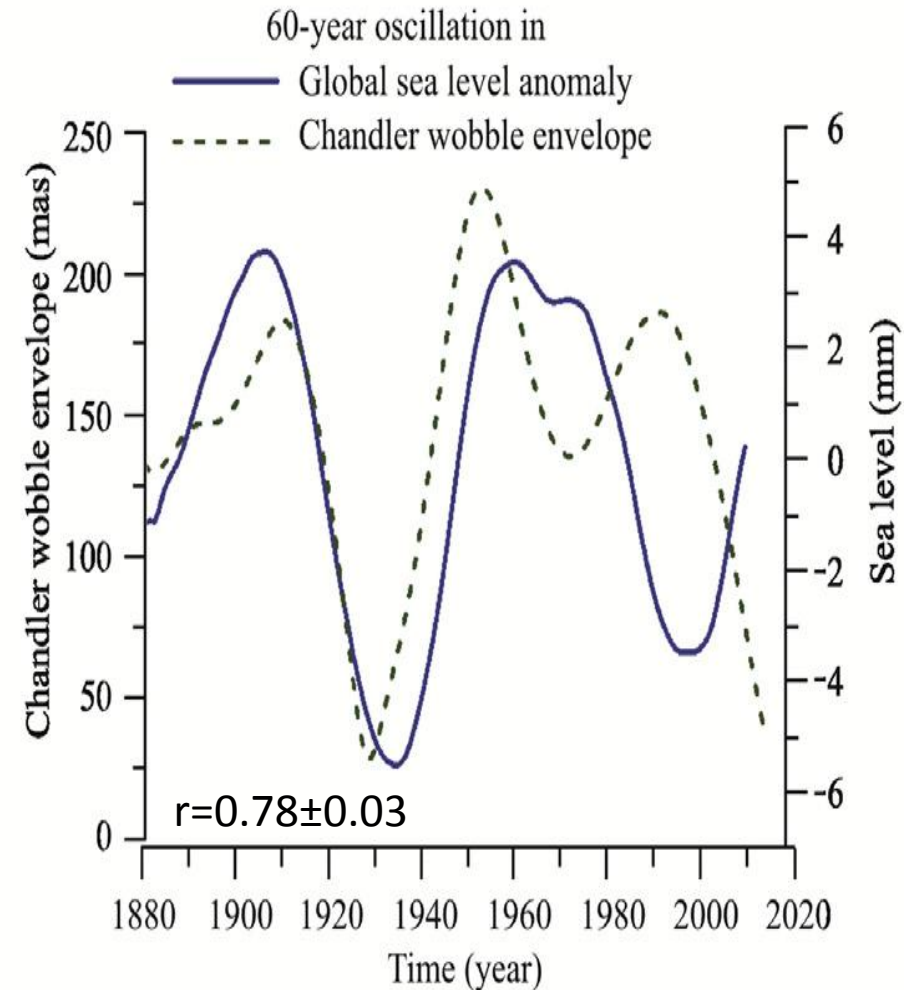
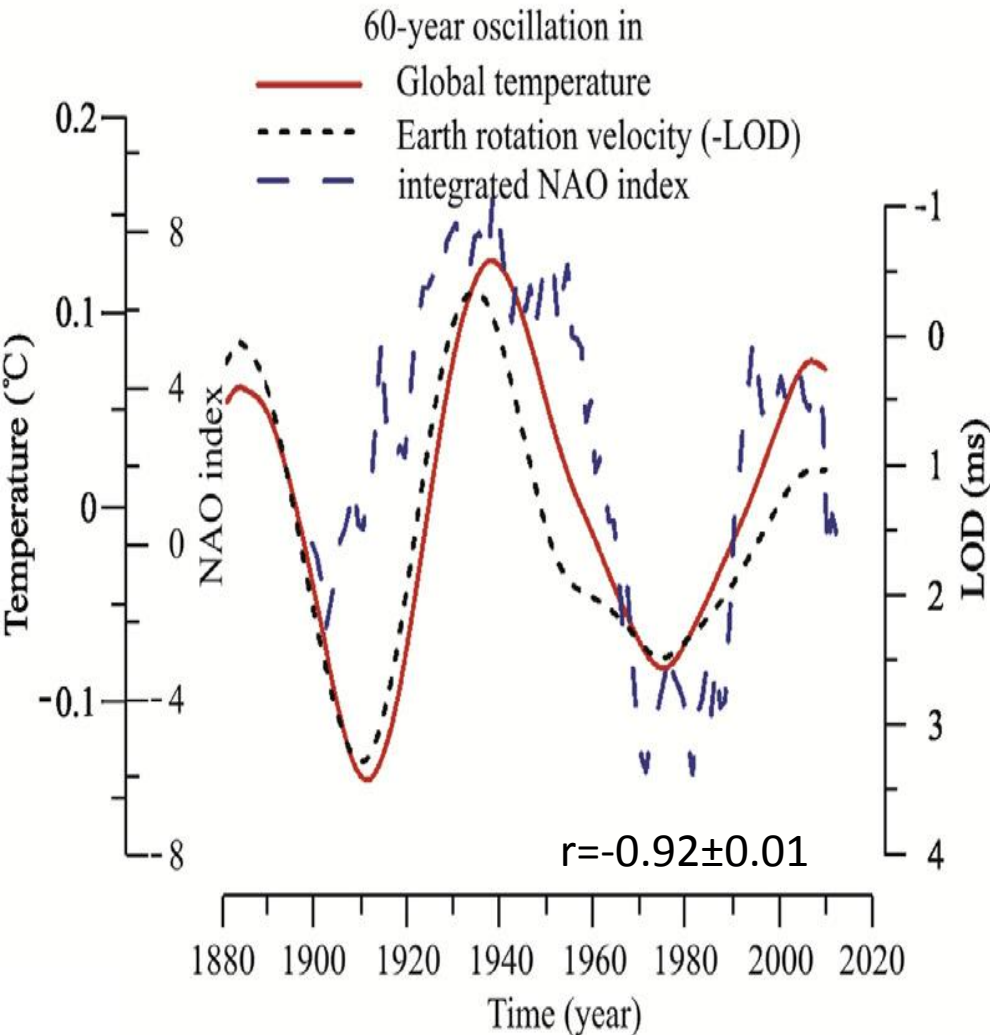


# ChW phase, assuming Chandler period = 433 days



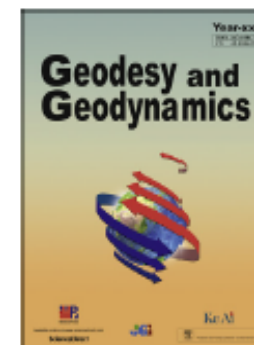
Instantaneous phase obtained by Mean Least Squares Filter, proposed by V.S. Gubanov  
In his article on Dynamics of the Earth core from VLBI observations, Astronomy letters, 2009

# Long-term (60-year) changes in Temperature, SL Chandler wobble envelope and LOD



4D MSSA with L=22 years, parabolic trends preliminarily removed





# A possible interrelation between Earth rotation and climatic variability at decadal time-scale

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# Climate change and polar motion

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#### Key Points:

- EOP and GRACE  $\Delta C_{21}$  and  $\Delta S_{21}$  variations agree remarkably well at a broad band of frequencies
- Four independent estimates (EOP, SLR, GRACE, and models) show significantly improved consistency
- Broadband noise variance and noise power spectrum are provided for each estimate

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## Broadband assessment of degree-2 gravitational changes from GRACE and other estimates, 2002–2015

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**Abstract** Space geodetic measurements, including the Gravity Recovery and Climate Experiment (GRACE), satellite laser ranging (SLR), and Earth rotation provide independent and increasingly accurate estimates of variations in Earth's gravity field Stokes coefficients  $\Delta C_{21}$ ,  $\Delta S_{21}$ , and  $\Delta C_{20}$ . Mass redistribution predicted by climate models provides another independent estimate of air and water contributions to these degree-2 changes. SLR has been a successful technique in measuring these low-degree gravitational changes. Broadband comparisons of independent estimates of  $\Delta C_{21}$ ,  $\Delta S_{21}$ , and  $\Delta C_{20}$  from GRACE, SLR, Earth rotation, and climate models during the GRACE era from April 2002 to April 2015 show that the current GRACE release 5 solutions of  $\Delta C_{21}$  and  $\Delta S_{21}$  provided by the Center for Space Research (CSR) are greatly improved over earlier solutions and agree remarkably well with other estimates, especially on  $\Delta S_{21}$  estimates. GRACE and Earth rotation  $\Delta S_{21}$  agreement is exceptionally good across a very broad frequency band from intraseasonal, seasonal, to interannual and decadal periods. SLR  $\Delta C_{20}$  estimates remain superior to GRACE and Earth rotation estimates, due to the large uncertainty in GRACE  $\Delta C_{20}$  solutions and particularly high sensitivity of Earth rotation  $\Delta C_{20}$  estimates to errors in the wind fields. With several estimates of  $\Delta C_{21}$ ,  $\Delta S_{21}$ , and  $\Delta C_{20}$  variations, it is possible to estimate broadband noise variance and noise power spectra in each, given reasonable assumptions about noise independence. The GRACE CSR release 5 solutions clearly outperform other estimates of  $\Delta C_{21}$ ,  $\Delta S_{21}$  variations with the lowest noise levels over a broad band of frequencies.

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Can the Climate Change influence  
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Can Earth rotation influence Climate ?

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Climate and Earth rotation?

There can be changes in Earth rotation related to

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# Possible generalizations of Euler-Liouville equations

Classical form:

$$\frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm}{dt} + m(t) = \Psi(t)$$

Stochastic differential equation:

$$\frac{i}{\sigma_c} dm = (\Psi_{\text{deterministic}}(t) - m(t))dt + \Psi_{\text{stochastic}}(t)dW$$

Here  $dW$  is the Wiener process increment

Synchronization?  
see Blekhman I.I.

$$\frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm}{dt} + m(t) = \Psi_1(t) + \mu \Psi_{\text{synchr}}(v, t)$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = F(m, v, \Delta T, t)$$

Here  $\mu$  is the small parameter, and  $v$  is the variable, whose dynamics depends on  $\Delta T$  – temperature anomaly, etc.

Ch. Bizouard  
Generalization  
for triaxial Earth:

$$(1 + eU) \frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm}{dt} + (1 - U)m(t) + eV \frac{i}{\sigma_c} \frac{dm^*}{dt} - Vm^* = \Psi_{\text{Pure}}(t)$$

Here  $U, V, e$  are known parameters

# Conclusions

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- We extract natural variations in global Earth temperature (HadCRUT4) and Sea Level (Jevrejeva, or Church and White) since 1850. Global warming trends ( $\sim 0.7^\circ$  and  $\sim 20$  cm) were removed.
- MSSA analysis of showed that besides the warming trend there are quasi - 60, 20 and 10-year oscillations in temperature and sea level
- 60/20-year components of temperature are anticorrelated with LOD
- Chandler wobble envelope has been analyzed and modeled. Model contains long-term component, correlated with 60 – year sea level changes, and 40-year component, produced by 20-year in excitation
- J2 from SLR shows long-term trend with maxima in 1970<sup>th</sup> and minima in 2005
- There are enough arguments collected to conclude that Earth rotation and Climate Changes are interrelated
- LOD could be connected with climate stronger then Polar Motion

But only the continuation of this study can help to identify the mechanism.





Thank you!

P. Brueghel the Yonger *Landscape with a Bird Trap* (1565), Tokyo museum of Western art



# How all this can be explained?

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Long-term processes in the atmosphere...

Long-term processes in the ocean...

Long-term processes in the core...

External factor which influence both climate and Earth rotation

Synchronization with some factor by nonlinear effect through small parameter

Tidal dissipation/input of energy

Influence of the Moon / Jupiter / Saturn ???

It just happened by chance, that 60-year oscillations are observed

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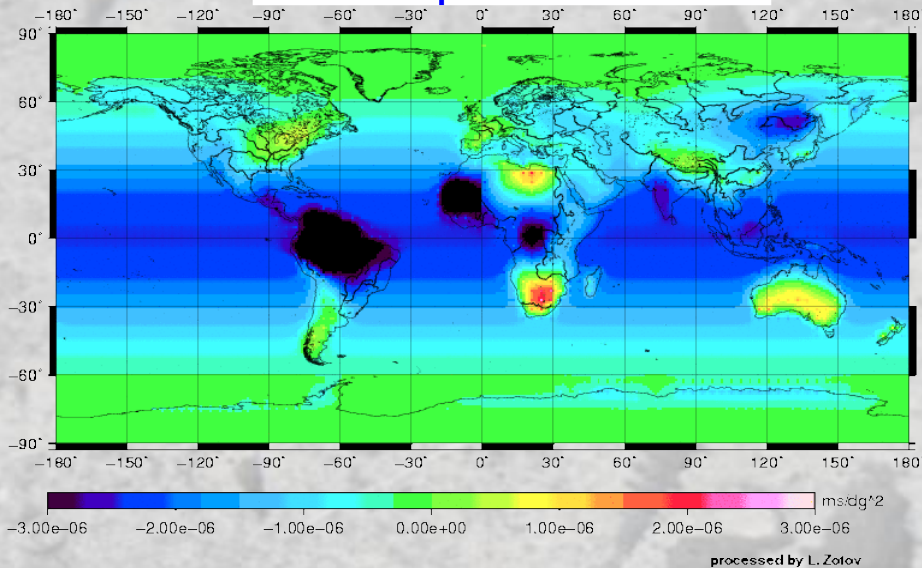
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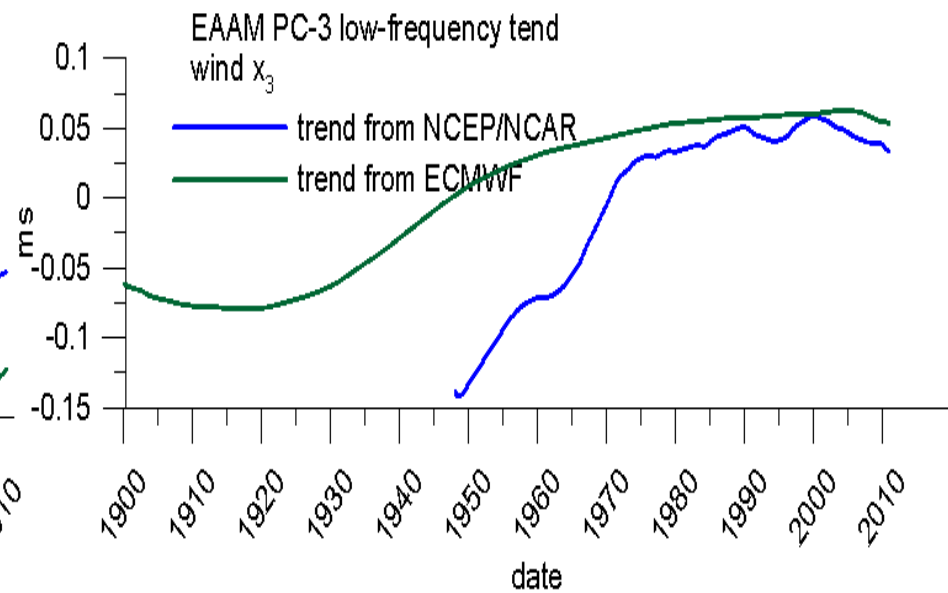
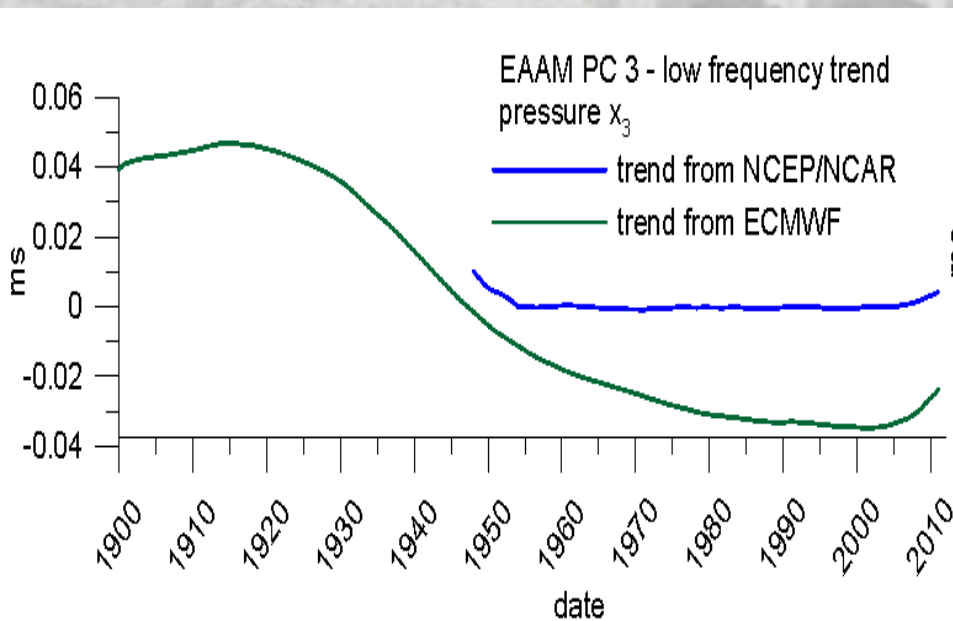
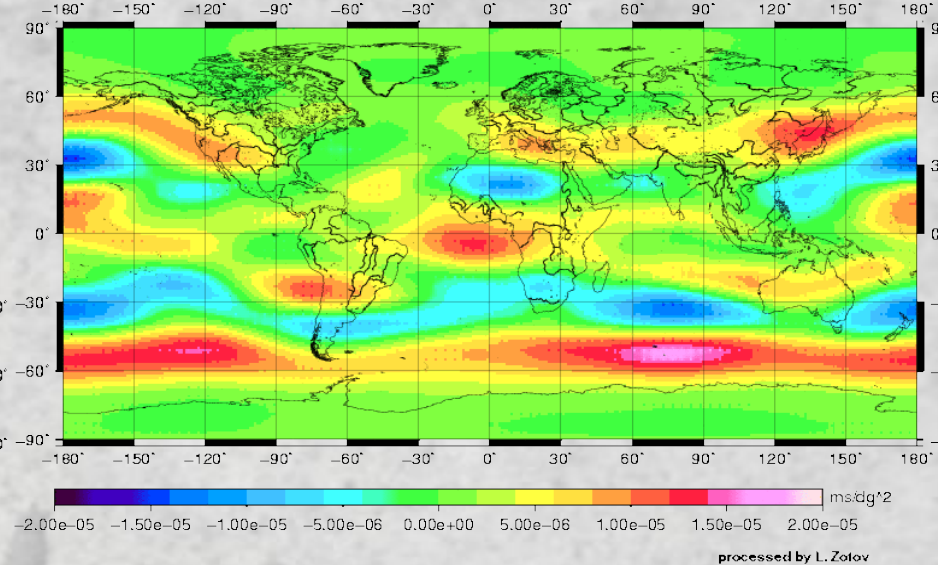
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# Zonal AAM ECMWF – trends PC 3

trend pressure



trend wind





# MSSA of Zonal-AAM has revealed slow trends in wind and pressure terms

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**Table 1.** Trend in the LOD (in  $\mu\text{s}/\text{year}$ )

Model	Pressure	Wind	Current	Total
BMRC	-1.0	1.4	0.0	0.4
CCCma	-1.0	2.6	0.1	1.6
CCSR	-0.1	4.4	0.1	4.4
CERFACS	-0.2	2.0	0.3	2.2
CSIRO	-0.8	0.7	0.1	0.0
ECHAM3	-0.9	0.7	0.1	-0.1
GFDL	-1.0	0.7	-0.1	-0.4
TAP	-0.6	-1.7	0.1	-2.2
EMD	-0.8	3.7	0.1	2.9
MRI	-0.6	1.3	0.0	0.7
NCAR CSM	-0.1	0.9	0.1	0.9
NRL	-0.1	1.2	0.0	1.1
HadCM2	-1.6	5.3	0.0	3.7
HadCM3	-1.5	2.0	0.0	0.5
Mean	-0.75	1.81	0.06	1.13
$\sigma$	0.49	1.77	0.09	1.74

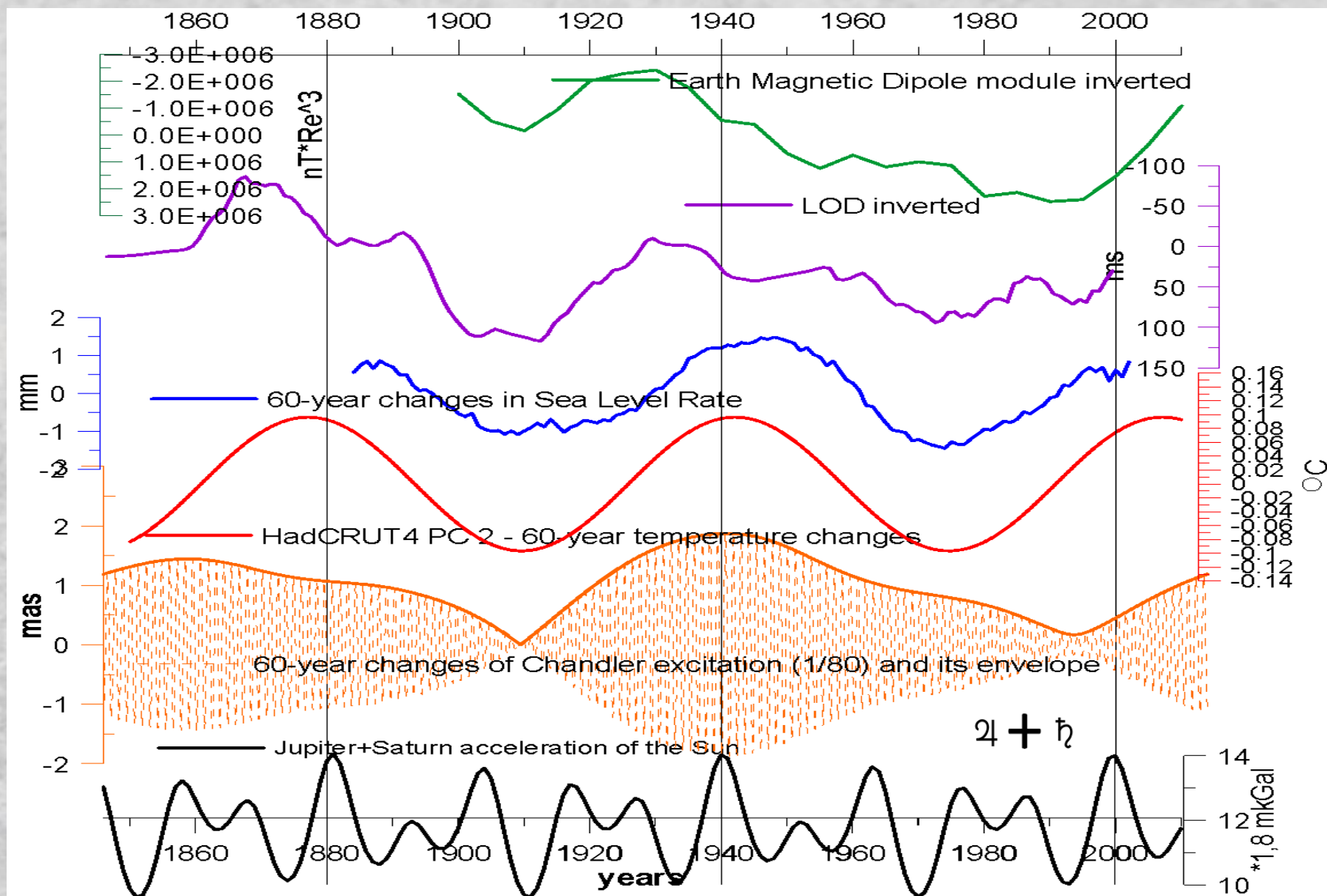
**Table 2.** Source of the Variation in the LOD at Low Frequency

Source	Data	$\Delta\text{LOD}$
Core motion	observ.	$1-2 \text{ ms}^2$
Tidal friction	observ.	$20 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Contin. water res.	observ.	$-6 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Post glacial rebound	observ.	$-5 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Wind AAM	CMIP	$1.81 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Mass term	CMIP	$-0.75 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Sea level	observ.	$0.5 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Glacier	observ.	$0.4 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Earthquake	observ.	$-0.1 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$
Ocean current	CMIP	$0.1 \mu\text{s}/\text{year}$

<sup>a</sup> Not a trend but a decadal variation.

term is given by the mass term of the atmosphere integrated over the continent plus the mass term associated with the mean atmospheric pressure over the whole ocean acting on each grid

# 60-year changes in SL, LOD, Temperature and Chandler excitation





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