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Parameter regionalisation of a distributed SCS rainfall runoff model : first results

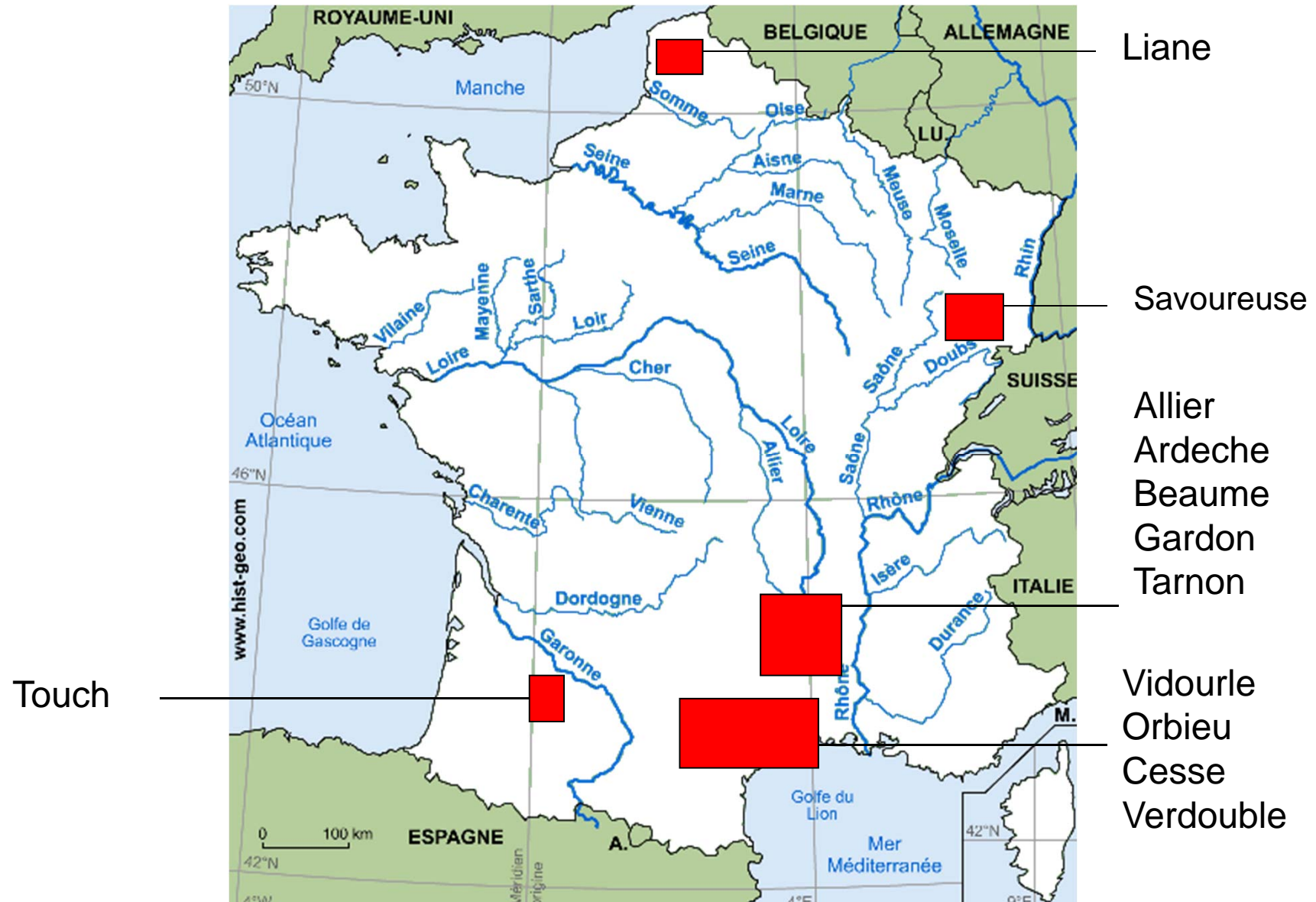
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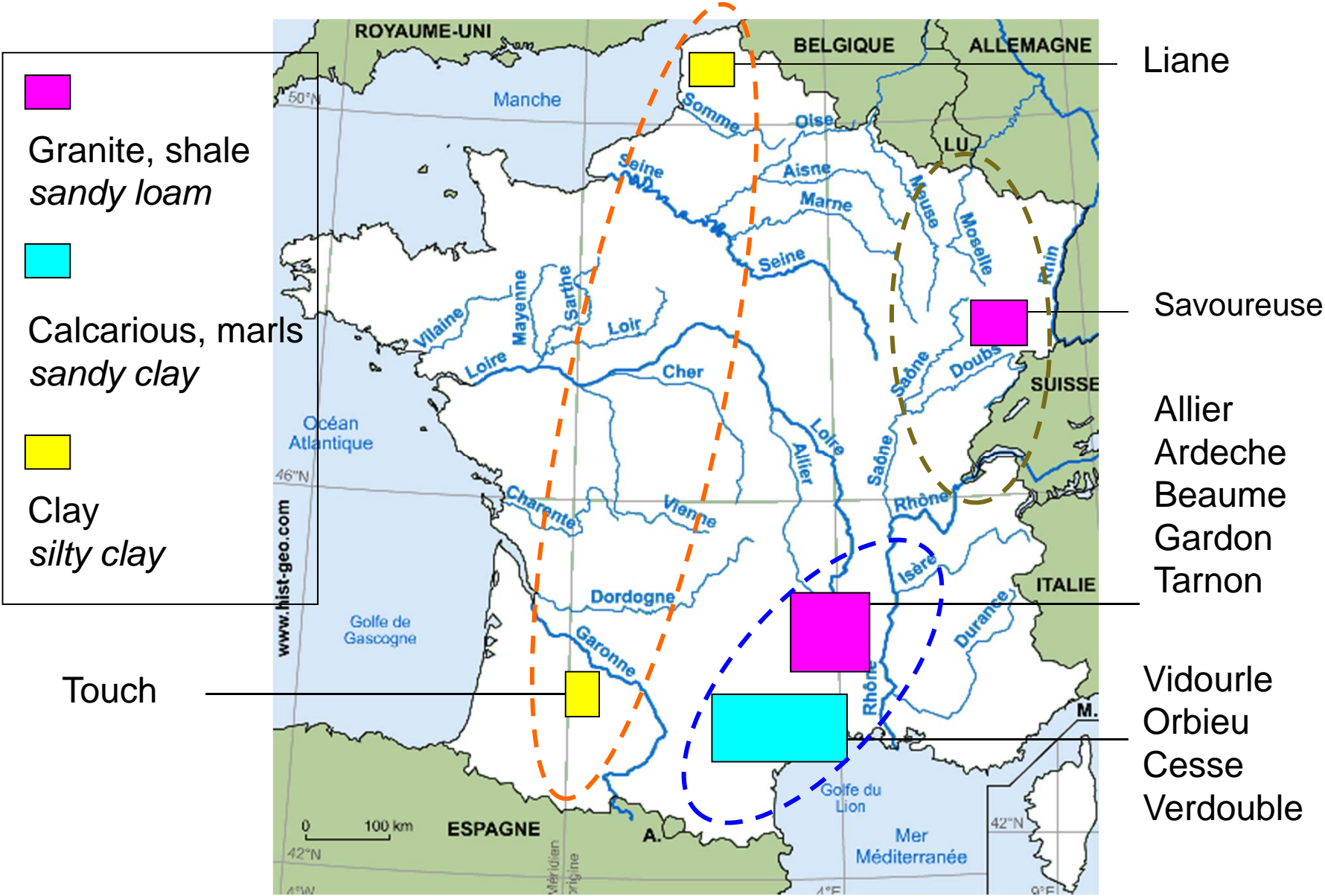
Context

- *Rainfall-runoff models are crucial tools for many hydrological applications : flood prediction or forecasting, impact of changes, water resources assessment...*
- *Still difficult (impossible ?) to perform models on ungauged catchments (in spite of valuable efforts !). (see Huang et al., 2007; Trambly et al., 2010 in case of SCS)*
- *Need for regional syntesis → spatial variability of model parameters, which attributes, which relationship ?*

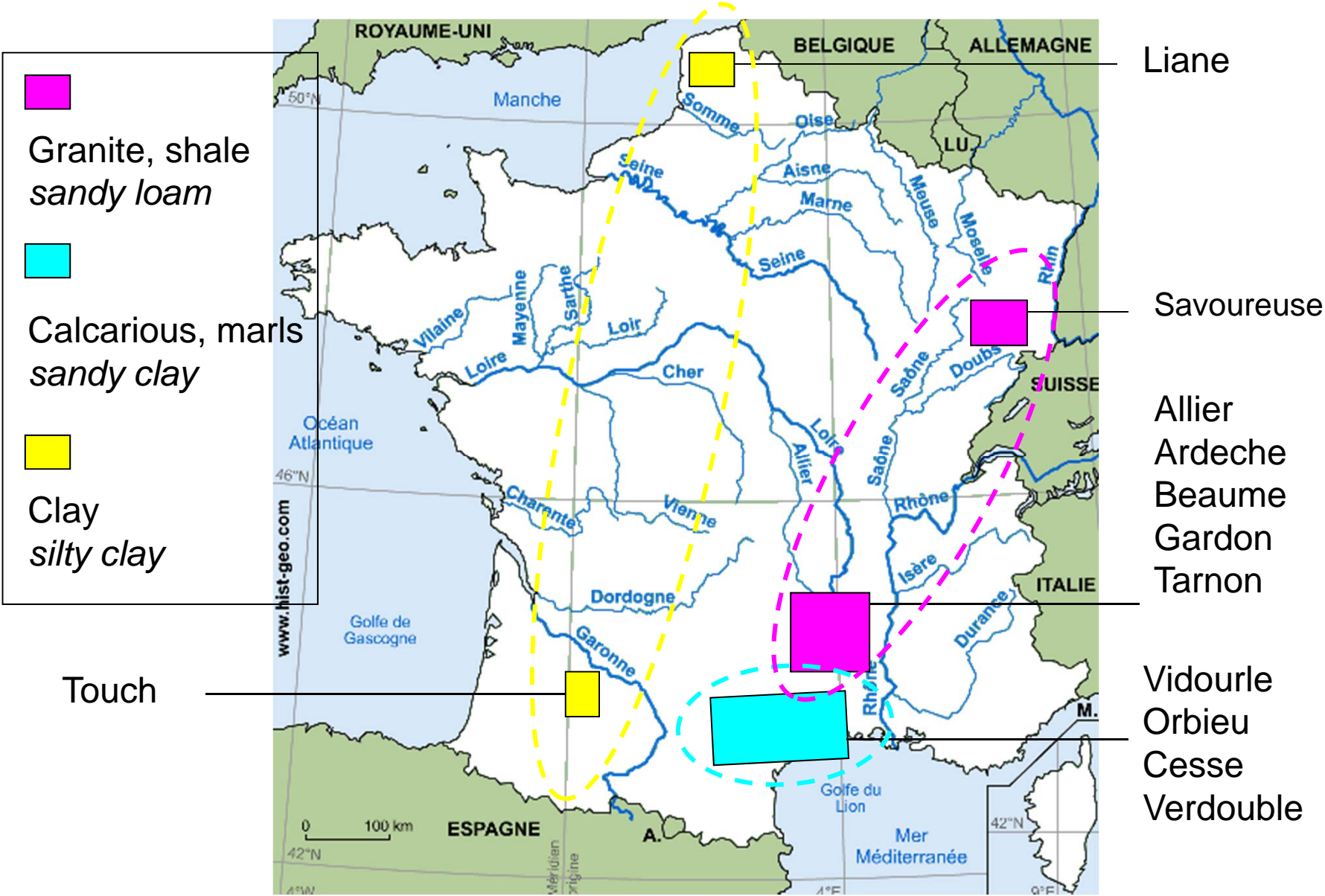
1. Location of the 17 catchments



SOILS



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Landscapes



Oceanic north



Oceanic south



Mediterranean mountainous

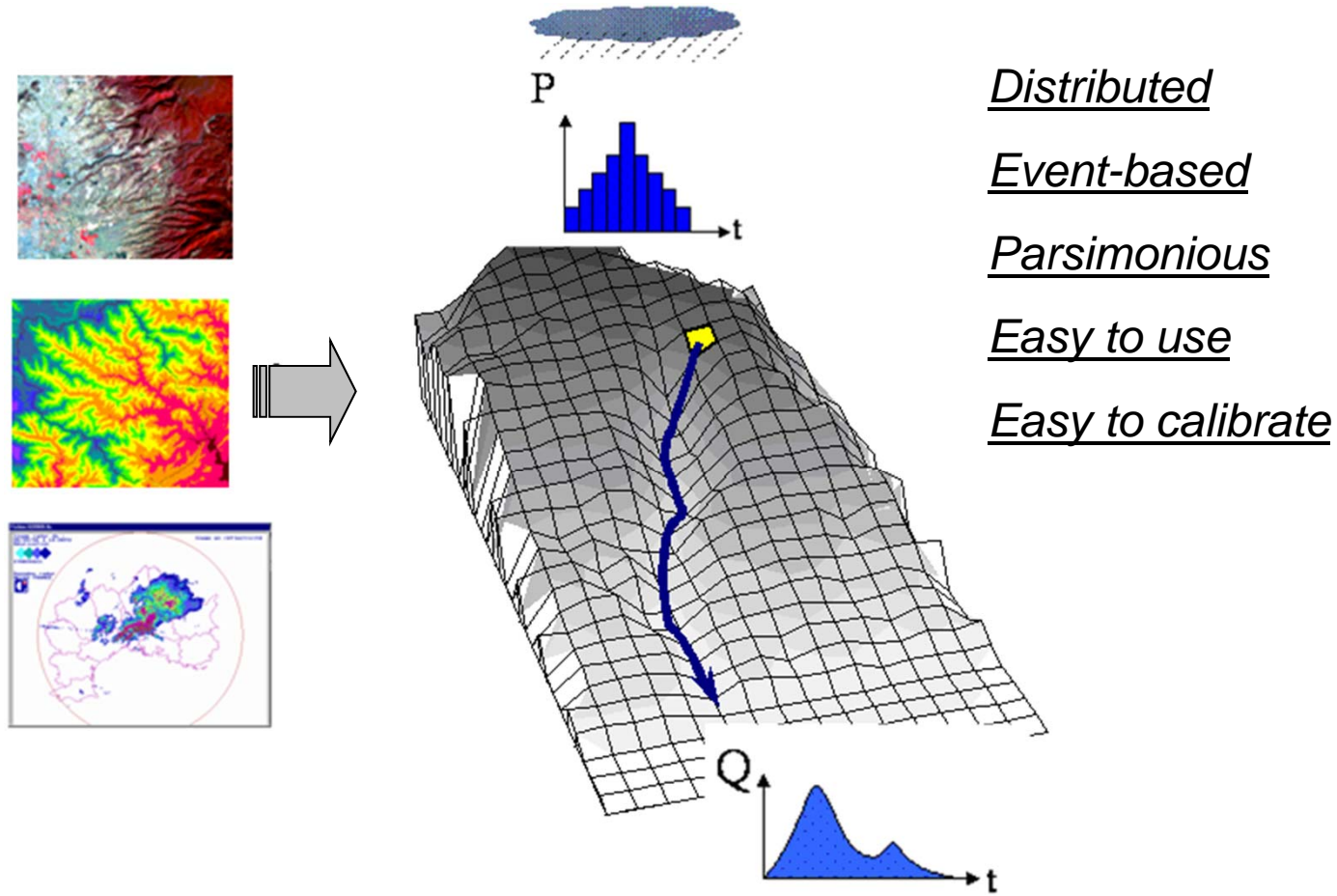


Mediterranean plain

Classification

- 3 groups of climate
méditerranéen/oceanic/continental
daily $P_{10}=200/50/50$ mm
- 3 groups of soils/geology
sandyloam/clayloam/siltyclay
Ksat = 200/50/10 mm/h
- Forest, pasture, shrub
- Little agriculture, no urban areas

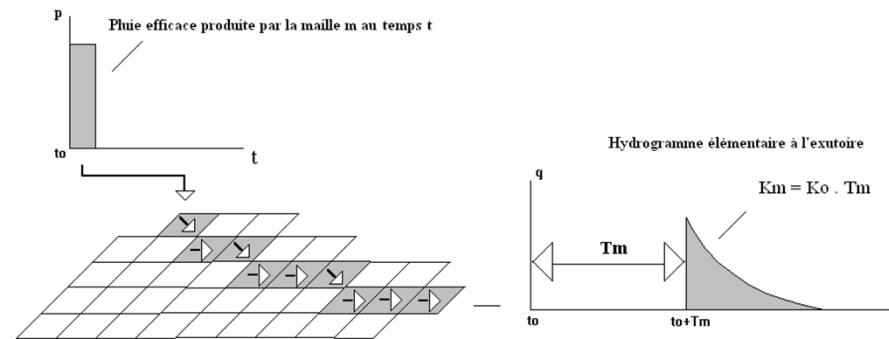
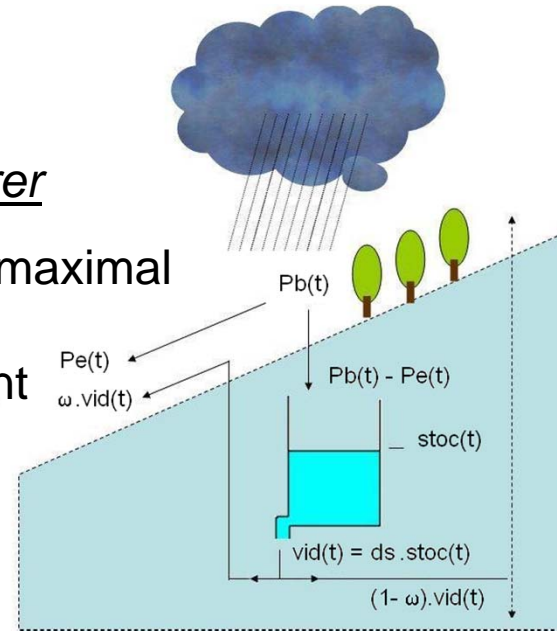
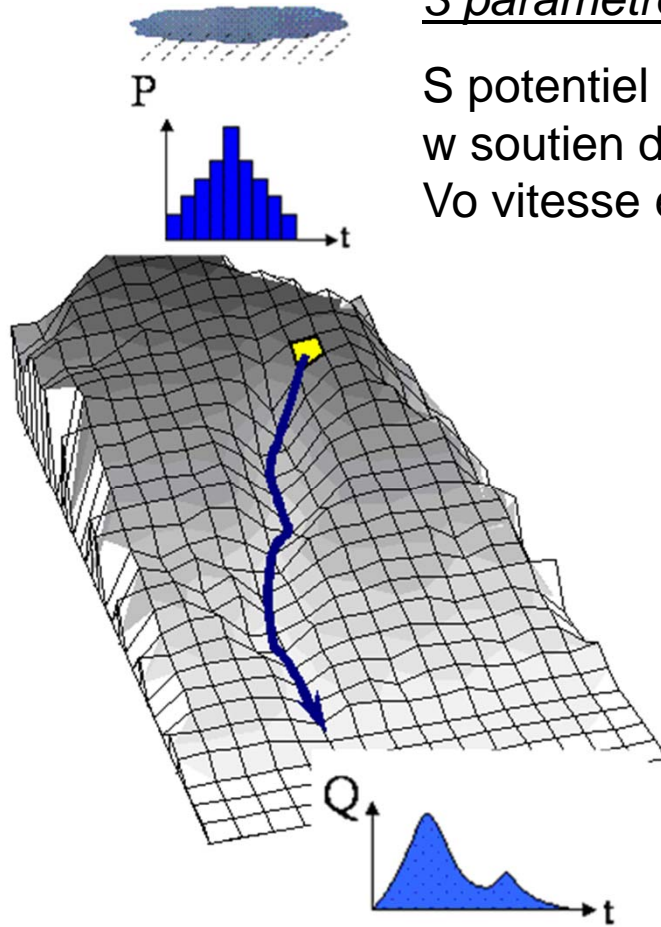
2. SCS-LR distributed model



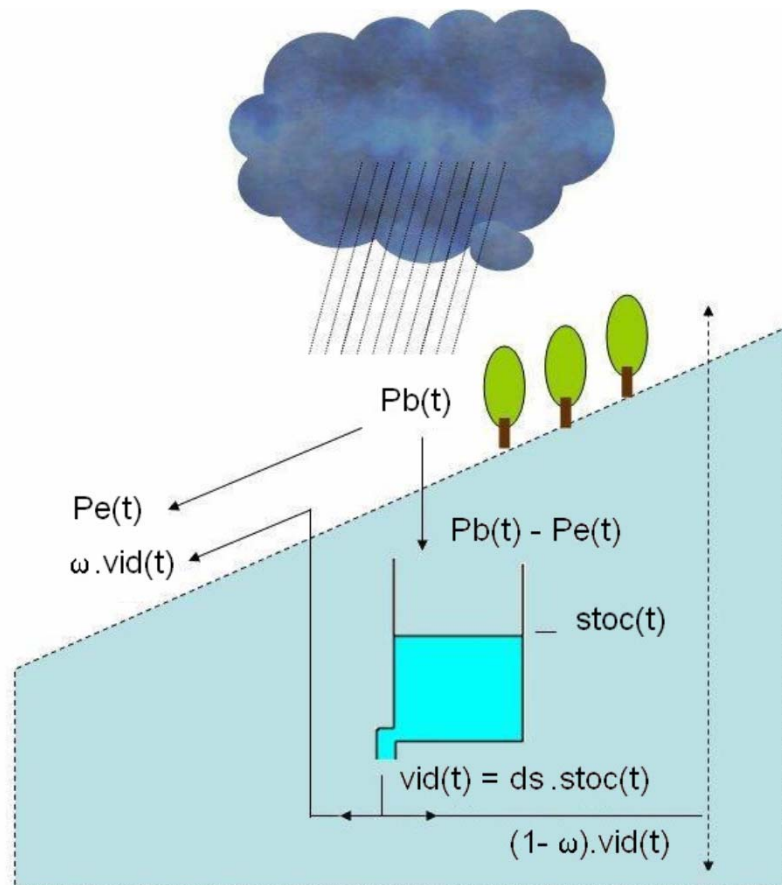
Modèle SCS-LR

3 paramètres à calibrer

- S potentiel infiltrable maximal
- w soutien décru
- Vo vitesse écoulement



2. Adaptative SCS model



Adaptative SCS model, including surface runoff (same as classical SCS) and sub-surface runoff (innovative)

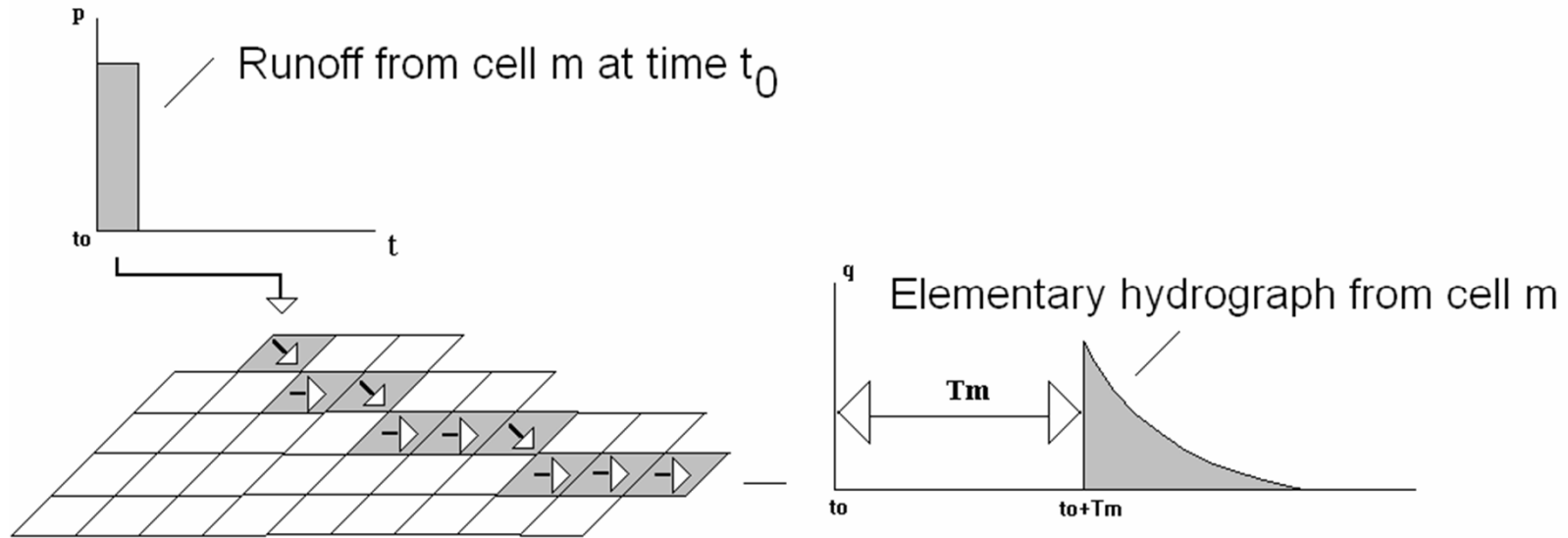
3 parameters

S = initial water deficit ($\sim CN$)

ds = discharge of soil reservoir

w = part of the discharge as sub-surface runoff

2. Lag and Route model



2 parameters

V_0 routing velocity

K_0 diffusion coefficient

ATHYS

Atelier hydrologique spécialisé



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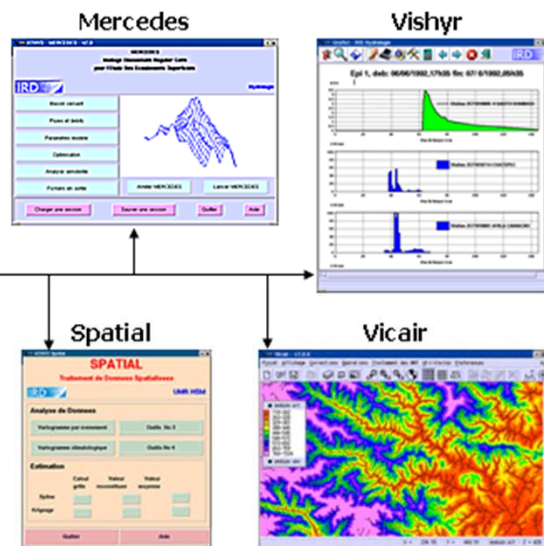
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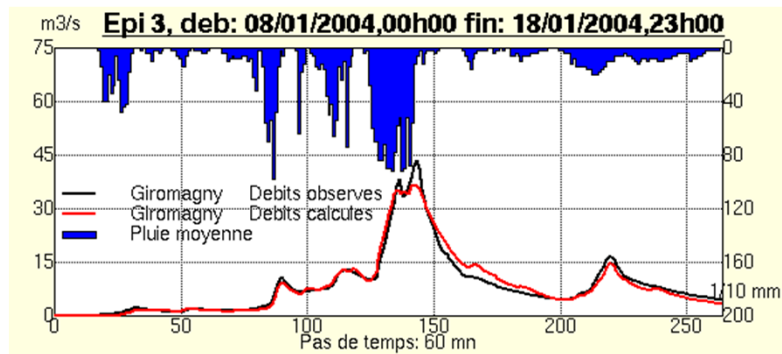
ATHYS Atelier Hydrologique Spécialisé

L'Atelier Hydrologique Spécialisé, ATHYS, a pour objectif de réunir dans un environnement convivial et homogène un ensemble de modèles hydrologiques associés à des traitements de données hydro-climatiques et géographiques. Il a été développé à l'IRD pour des applications diverses : gestion de la ressource en eau, prévision des événements extrêmes, études d'impact liées à des modifications anthropiques ou climatiques.

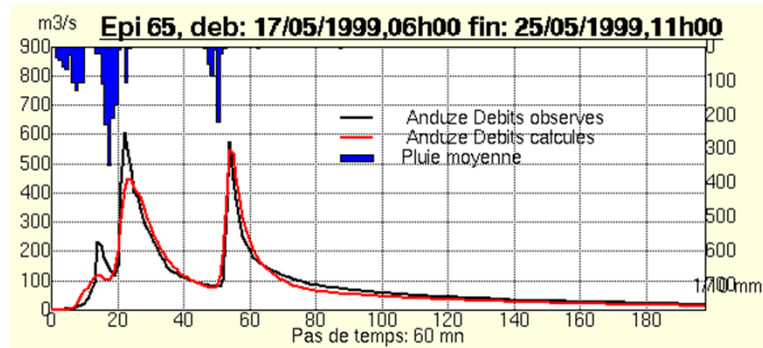


2. SCS-LR distributed model

- Calibration : 15 floods/catchment, time 1h



Savoireuse at Giromagny
 $S = 144 \text{ mm}$, $w = 0.64$, $ds = 0.4 j-1$, $Vo = 1.5 \text{ m.s-1}$,
 $Ko = 2$, $Nash = 0.95$

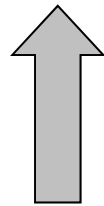


Gardon at Anduze
 $S = 148 \text{ mm}$, $w = 0.51$, $ds = 0.4 j-1$, $Vo = 2.63 \text{ m.s-1}$,
 $Ko = 2$, $Nash = 0.92$

Mean Nash between 0.59 and 0.88

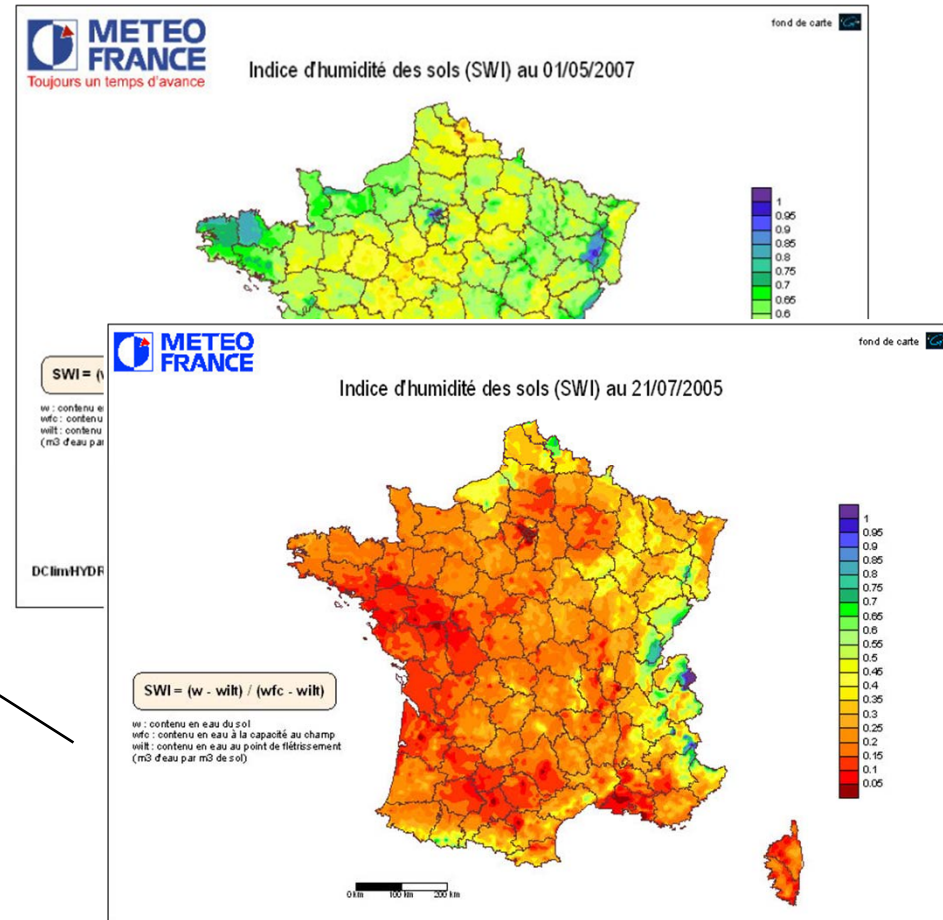
Initial condition of the model

Initial water deficit **S**



Hu2

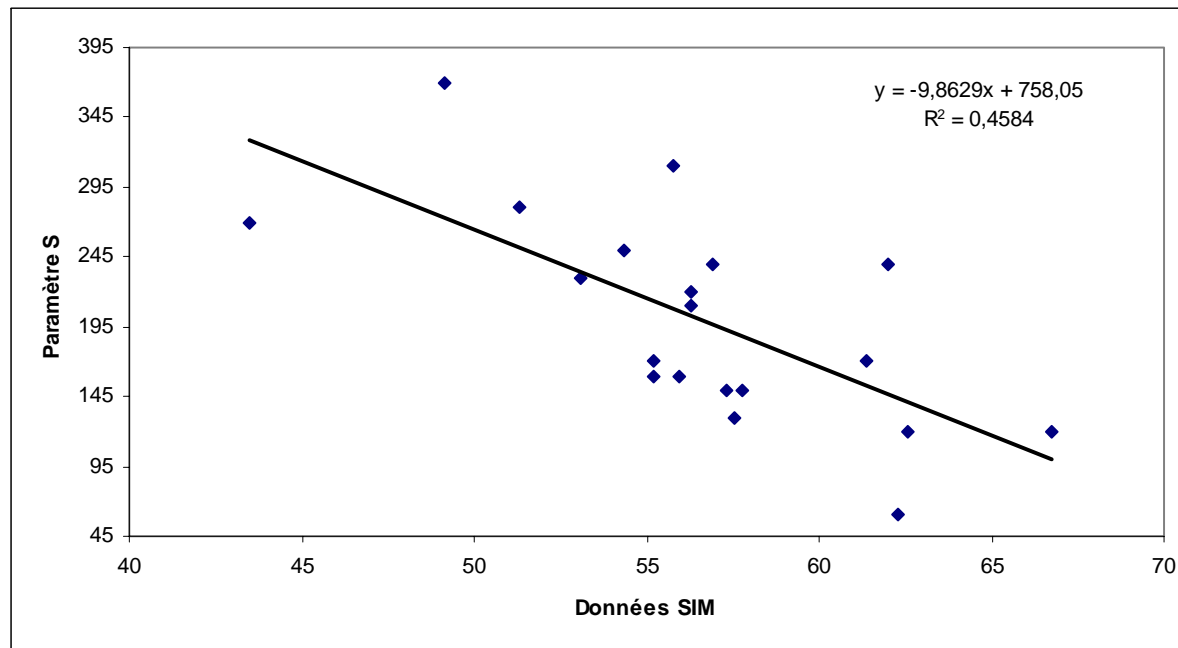
daily at 6 TU
8x8 km2 pixel
output of ISBA model
3 layers : surface, root, deep



SIM Model Meteo-France

S-Hu2 relationship

S-Hu2 Regression on Gardon at Anduze

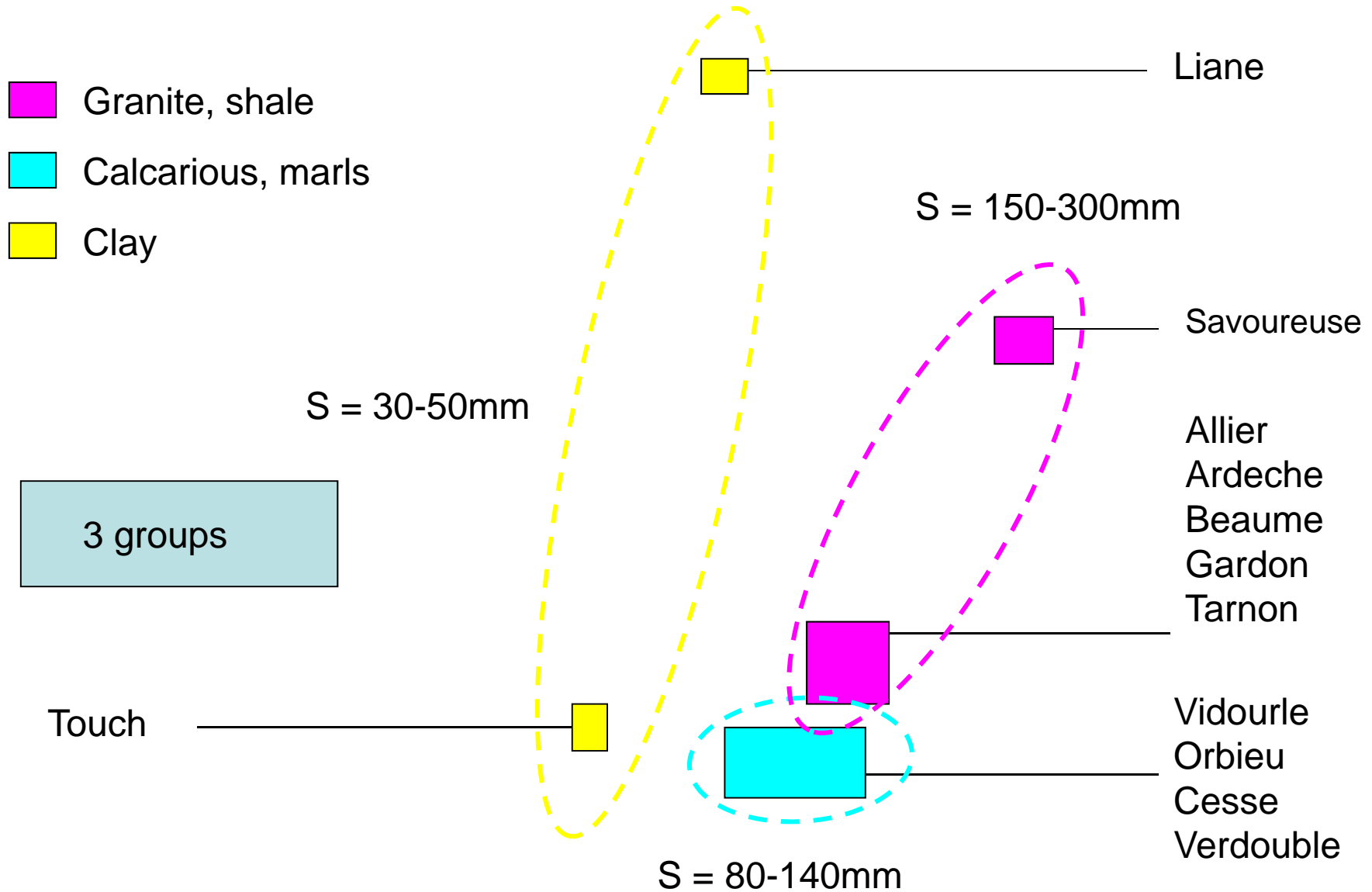


$R^2 \sim 0.5$ pour les bv med, \ll pour les autres bv

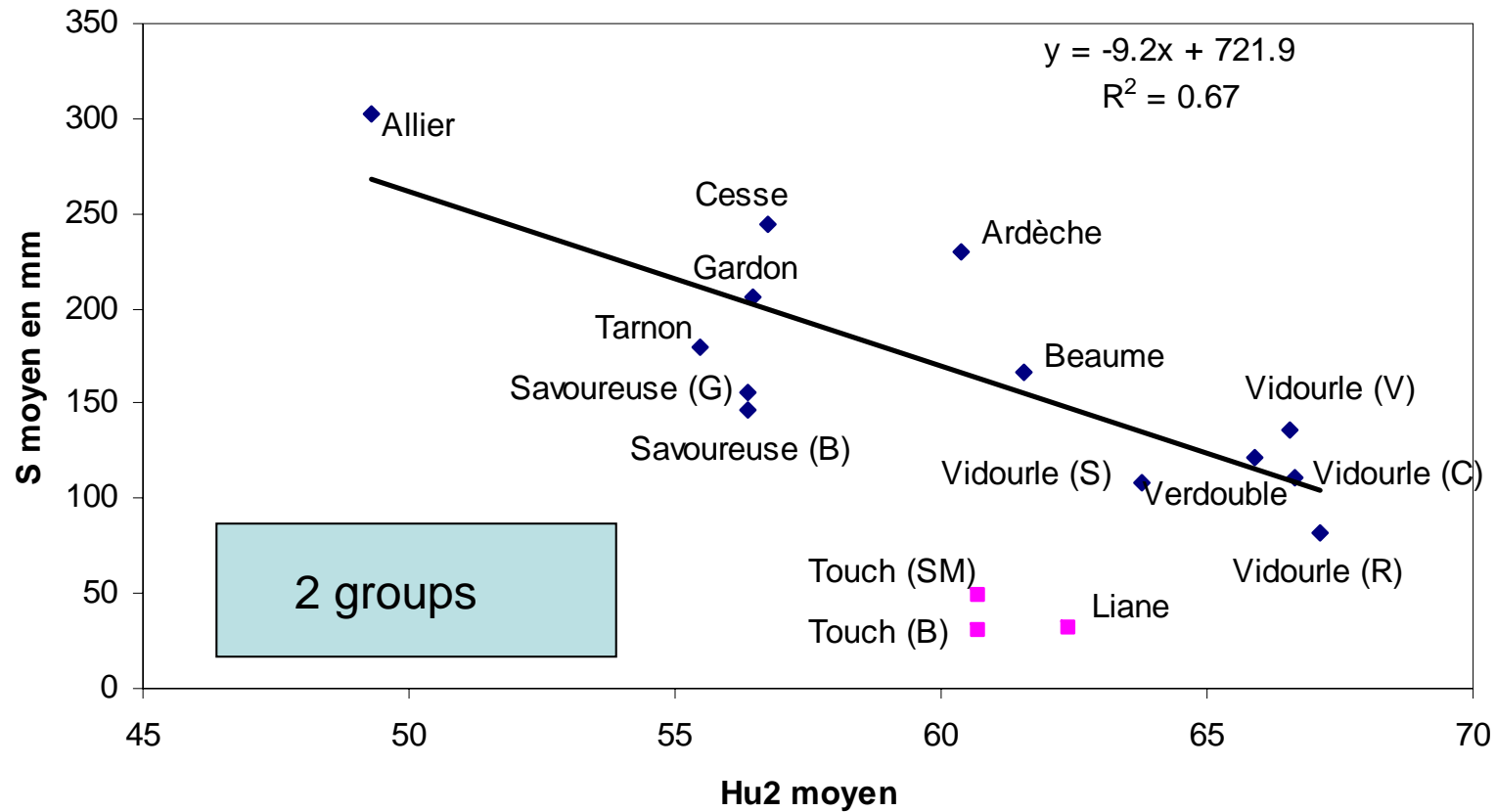
3. Parameters regionalization

- Focus on the main parameters
S initial water deficit (\sim CN)
Vo routing velocity
- How do these parameters change from one catchment to another : climate, soils, slopes ?
- How does S parameter change from one event to another ?

S median / Soils



S median / Hu2 median



Hu2 integrates soils, rainfalls & climate – more efficient than soils

S median / Hu2 median

- Granite, shale
- Calcareous, marls
- Clay

2 groups

Touch

S, Hu2 ?

$$S_{\text{med}} = -9.2 \text{ Hu2}_{\text{med}} + 721$$

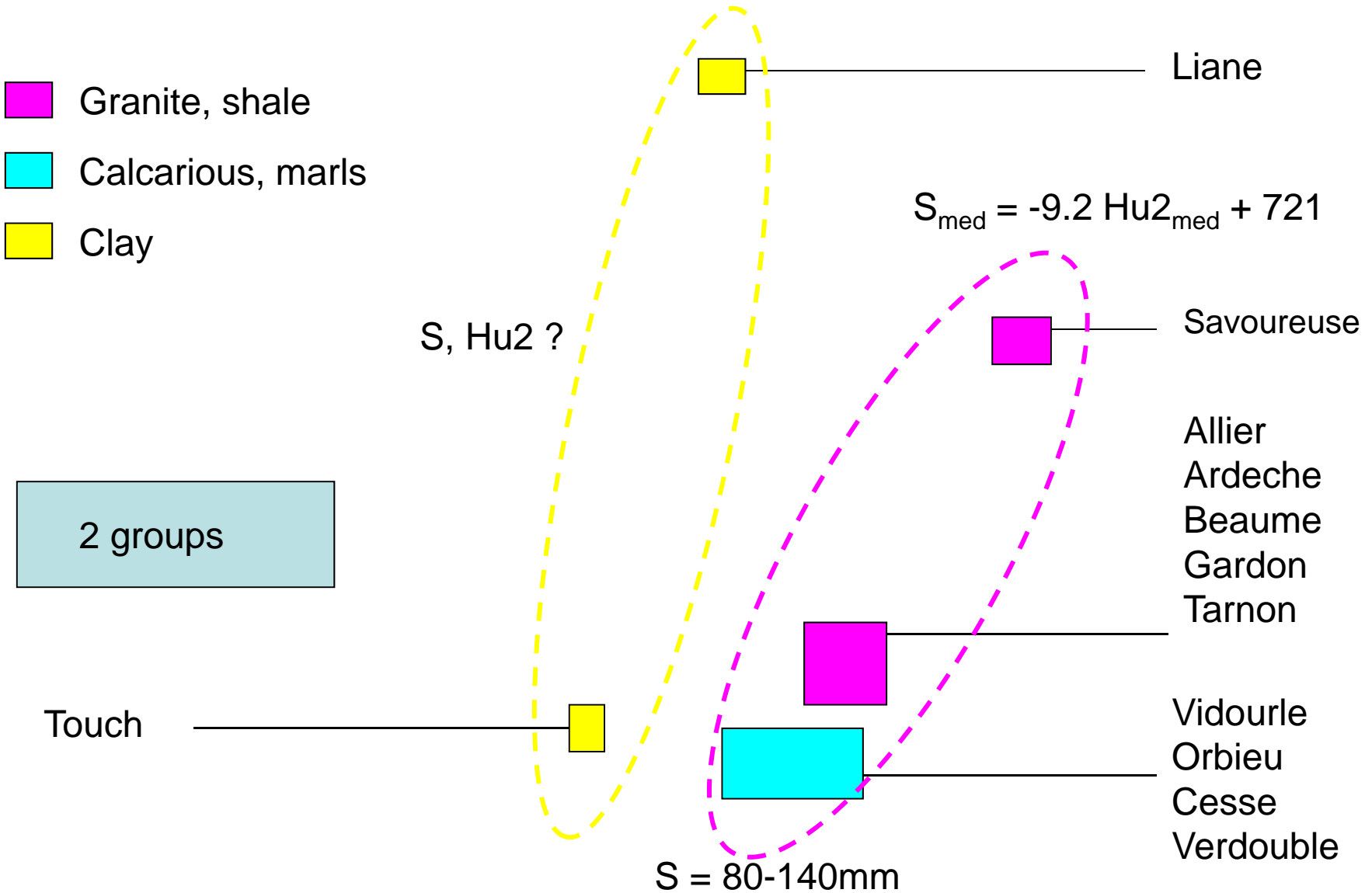
S = 80-140mm

Liane

Savoireuse

Allier
Ardeche
Beaume
Gardon
Tarnon

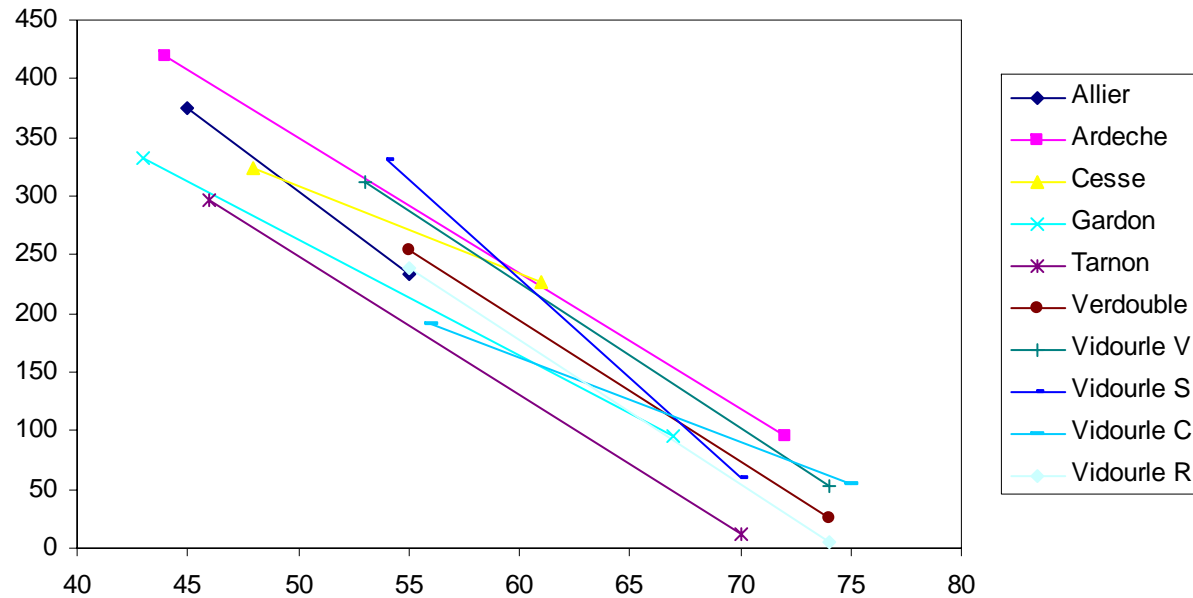
Vidourle
Orbieu
Cesse
Verdouble



Regional event-scale S-Hu2

- Bassins méditerranéens

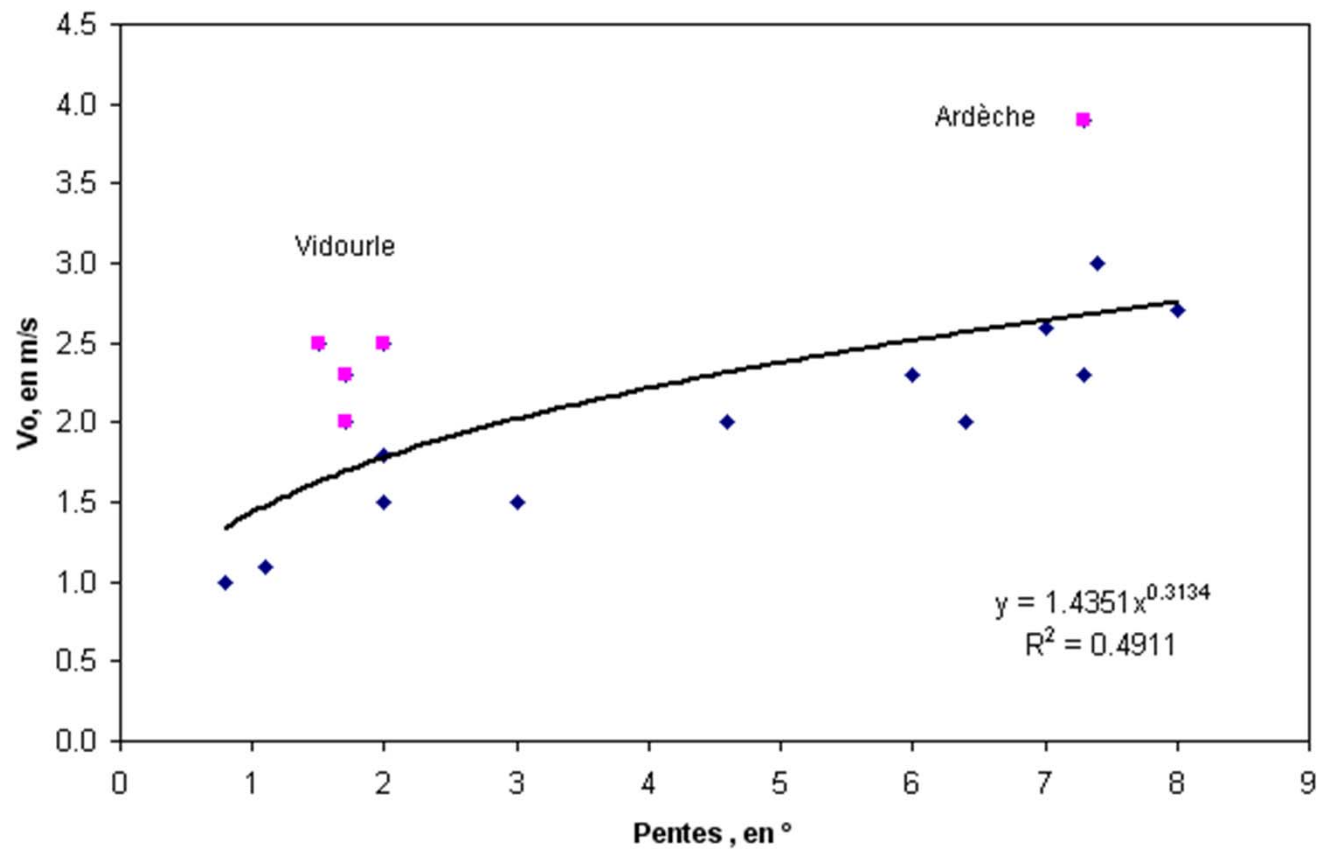
$$S = -11.7 \text{ Hu2} + 900$$



Regional Vo Relationship

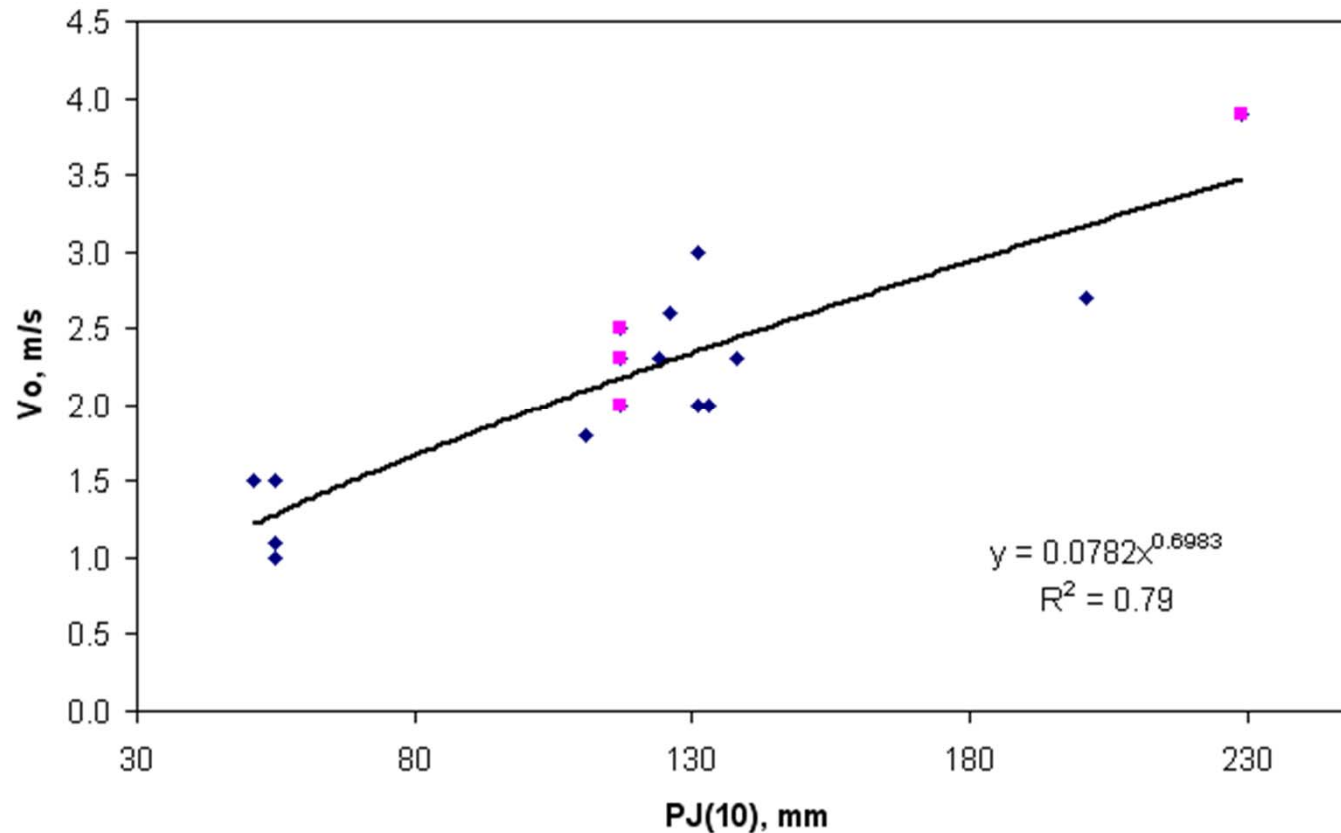
Vo = mean velocity

- Vo vs network slope



Regional Vo relationship

- Vo versus daily 10-years rainfall (as index of potential runoff)



Conclusions

- Runoff : soil wetness index Hu2 efficient; integrates previous rainfall, soil, vegetation
- Routing : more hydraulicity than slope; 10-years daily rainfall efficient
- Model matches all the catchments, but runoff Hu2 index only Med-catchments
- Expand with new catchments