TIGGE status report

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Outline

- TIGGE Global
 - Model output
 - Tropical cyclones
- TIGGE LAM
- What next?

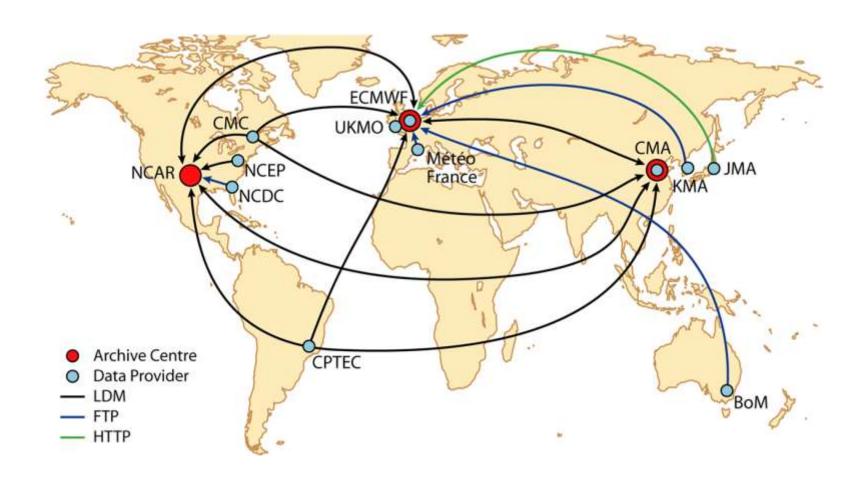


TIGGE: THORPEX Interactive Grand Global Ensemble

- Ensemble forecast data from ten global NWP centres, starting from October 2006, which has been made available for scientific research.
- TIGGE was established as a key component of THORPEX: a World Weather Research Programme to accelerate the improvements in the accuracy of 1-day to 2 week high-impact weather forecasts for the benefit of humanity.
- THORPEX programme finished at the end of 2014, TIGGE will continue for a further 5 years, when its future will be reviewed.

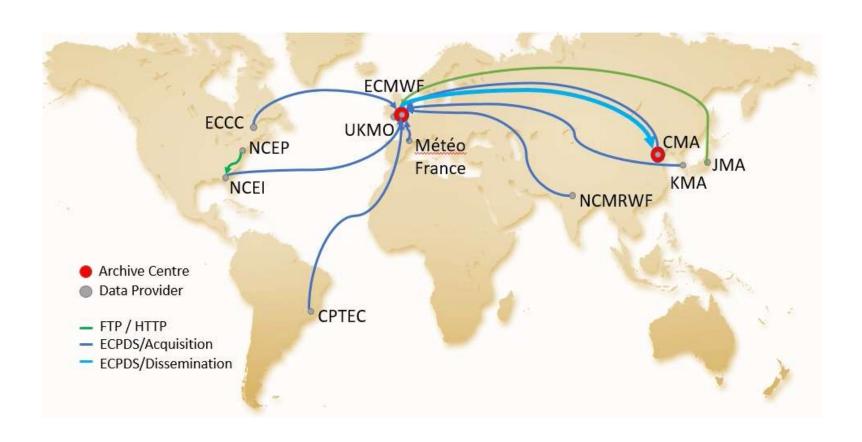


TIGGE: Data flow in 2006





TIGGE: Data flow in 2018



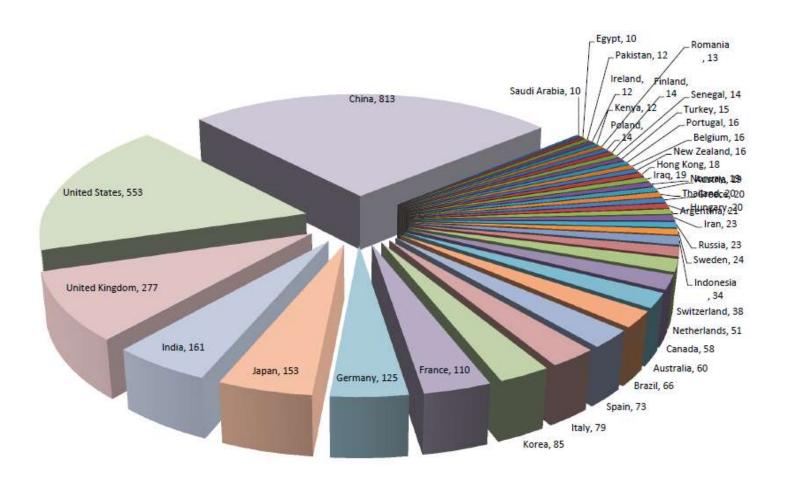


TIGGE current status @ ECMWF

- Data since 1st Oct 2006
- 3 PB, 6.7 billion fields
 - growing by ~ 4 TB/day
 - 2 million fields/day

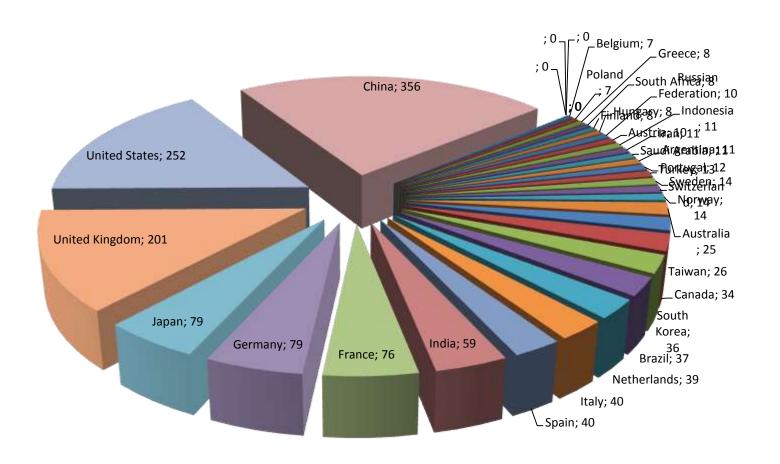


Users of ECMWF TIGGE Data Portal (old) up to September 2014: 3393



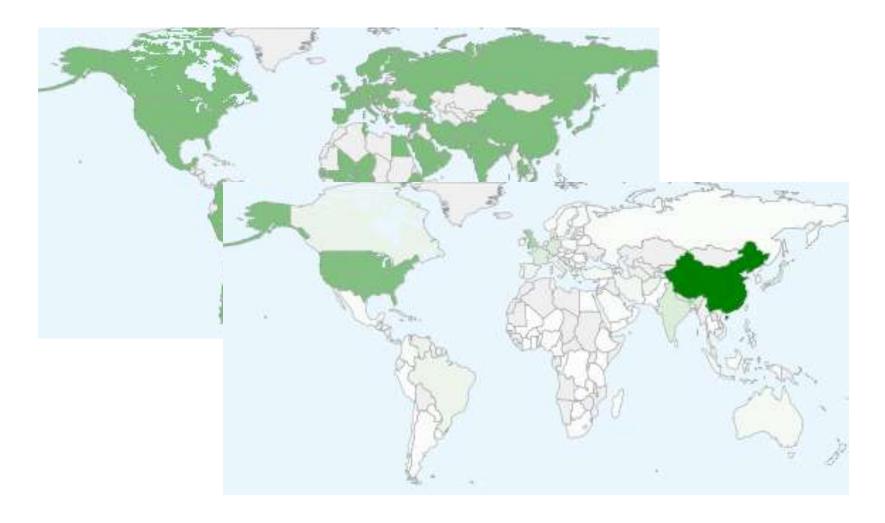


Users of ECMWF TIGGE Data Portal (new) up to February 2016: 1724



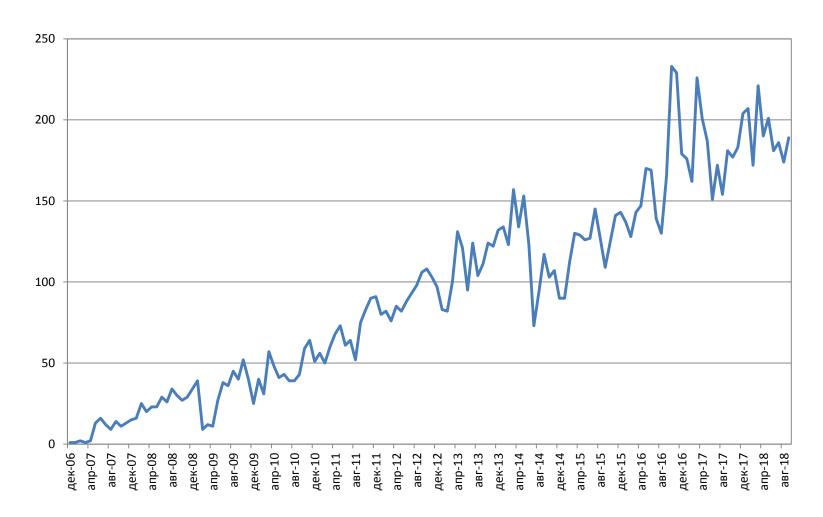


Users of ECMWF TIGGE Data Portal (new) up to Sep 2018: 2680



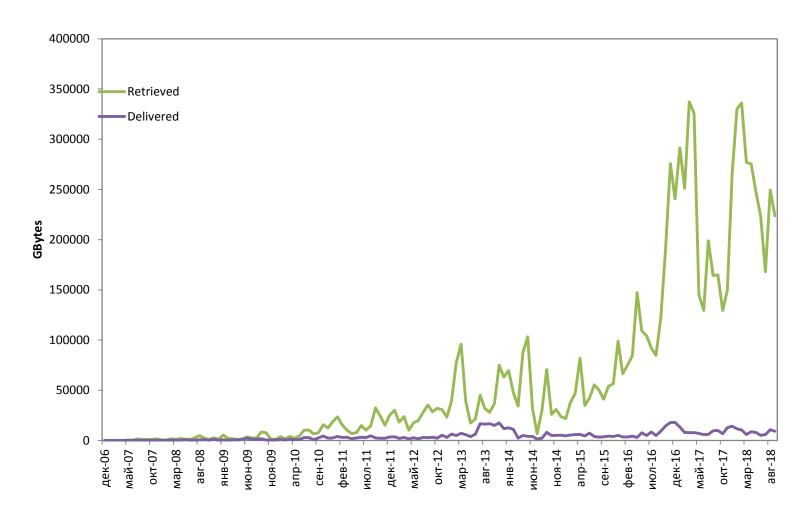


ECMWF TIGGE Global Archive Number of active users per month



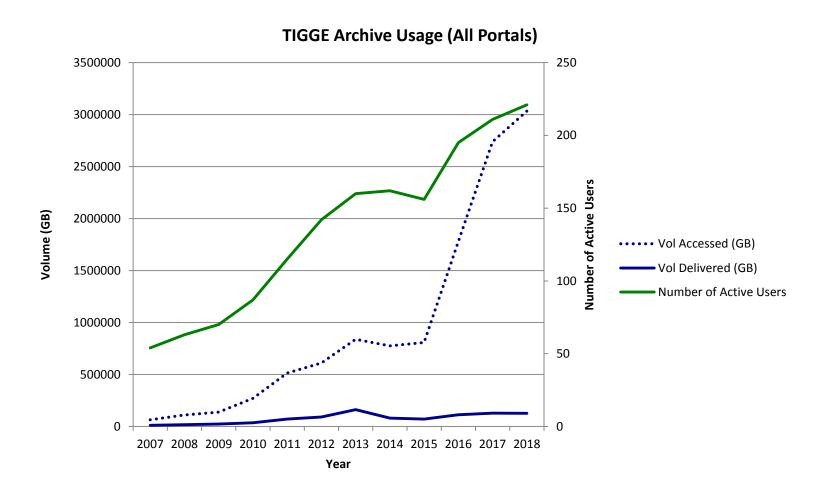


ECMWF TIGGE Global Archive Data volumes (Gbytes) per month





TIGGE usage: aggregate of all Archive Centres





Enhanced web infrastructure

Corporate Website: http://tigge.ecmwf.int/

Technical Website: https://confluence.ecmwf.int//display/TIGGE

Data Portal: http://apps.ecmwf.int/datasets/data/tigge/

History: http://apps.ecmwf.int/datasets/history/tigge-prod/

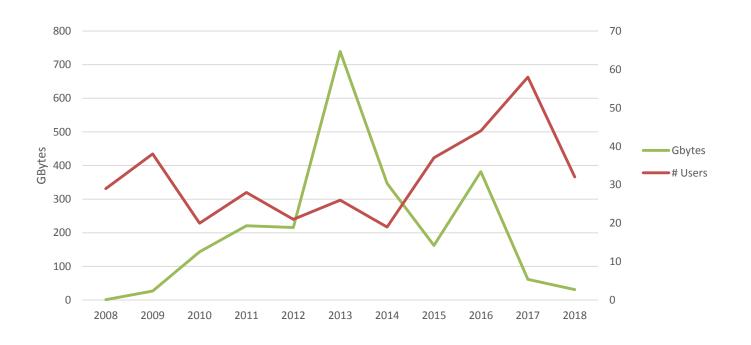
Usage statistics:

https://confluence.ecmwf.int/display/TIGGE/Usage+statistics



Usage of Tropical Cyclone Tracks from **NCAR** Archive

https://rda.ucar.edu/datasets/ds330.3/



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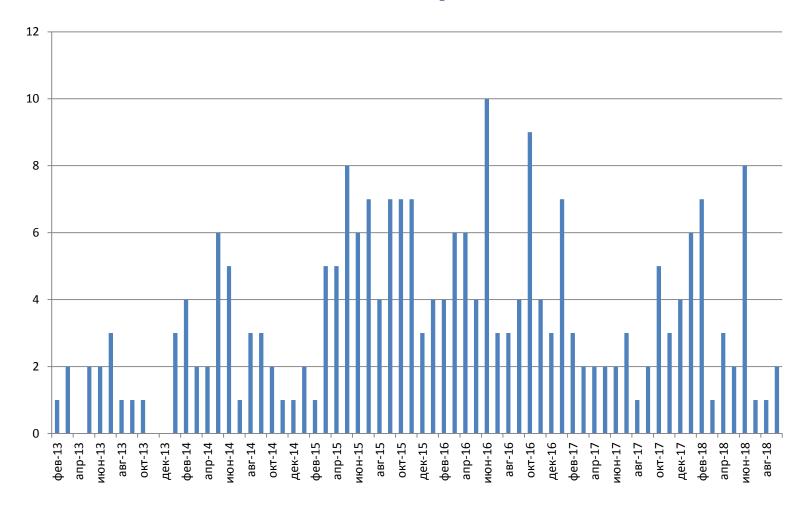


TIGGE-LAM status

- Data since 1st Jan 2013
- 30 TB, 110 million fields
- Rotated output, no interpolation

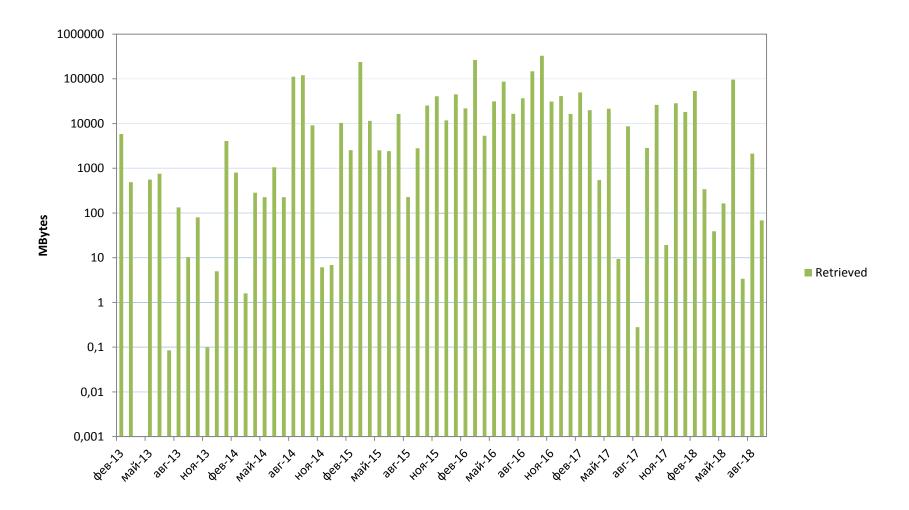
- Total number of users: 143
- https://confluence.ecmwf.int/display/TIGL/Usage+statistics

TIGGE-LAM usage: number of active users per month





TIGGE-LAM usage: Data volumes per month (log scale!)





Since last PDEF meeting July 2017

- The situation was critical for a while 🕾
 - Not secured human resources in my team
- Many actions delayed (eg, user survey) as time was spent on re-establishing contacts with Data Providers, filling gaps and migrating from unsupported hardware
- NCMRWF fully supported
- Many data gaps filled (NCEP, ECCC, CMA)
- All contacts with Data Providers reestablished ©



TIGGE: continue?

- More additions:
 - DWD Icon-EPS
 - re-instate BoM ?
 - High resolution (deterministic) forecasts?
- ECMWF, NCAR and CMA happy to continue with TIGGE activities



Suggested next steps

- Get strong motivation to continue with TIGGE
 - From PDEF and other WGs
 - Issue a user survey

https://confluence.ecmwf.int/display/TIGGE/TIGGE+survey

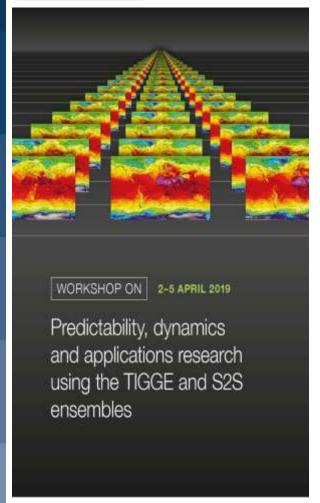
- Write to TIGGE Data Providers (by WMO)
 - obtain their commitment to continue with TIGGE for another 5 years (2019-2023), aligned with 2nd phase of S2S and WWRP Implementation plan (2016-2023)
- TIGGE-S2S workshop April 2019







TIGGE-S2S Workshop – April 2019



Workshop on Predictability, dynamics and applications research using the TIGGE and S2S ensembles

ECMWF, Reading, 2-5 April 2019

To bring together the users and data providers of the TIGGE and S2S databases around the following themes:

- Database technical development
- Predictability and Dynamics
- Prediction and Verification
- Multi-Model approaches to prediction
- Application Studies

Registration and abstract submission close on 30 Nov.











https://www.ecmwf.int/en/learning/workshops/workshop-predictability-dynamics-and-applications-research-using-tigge-and-s2s-ensembles



Thank you for your attention



TIGGE: User Survey

- Overall, how satisfied are you with the TIGGE dataset?
- Please explain briefly (in 1 2 sentences) your current research topic using the TIGGE dataset:
- What would be the most important improvement to the dataset? Please provide details on the desired variable, resolution, frequency etc. and specify how important this improvement is to you.
- Have you found any obstacles to use the TIGGE dataset for scientific investigation?
- Please include a list of your journal papers (or DOI), book chapters or any other relevant productivity involving the use of the TIGGE archive data.

The TIGGE-LAM Database: European configurations

	ensemble size	control forecast	forecast length [h]	model runs ⁽¹⁾ [UTC]
ALADIN-LAEF	16	yes	72	00,12
COSMO-DE-EPS	20	no	27	00,06,12,18
COSMO-LEPS	16	no	132	00,12
DMI-HIRLAM	25	yes	64	00,06,12,18
GLAMEPS	54	no	60	06,18
HUNEPS	11	yes	60	18
MOGREPS	12	no	36	03,09,15,21
PEARP	35	yes	54	06,18

⁽¹⁾ only model runs which are archived in TIGGE-LAM archive

