



Data requirements for seasonal to inter-annual climate prediction: Introduction to the IRI Data Library

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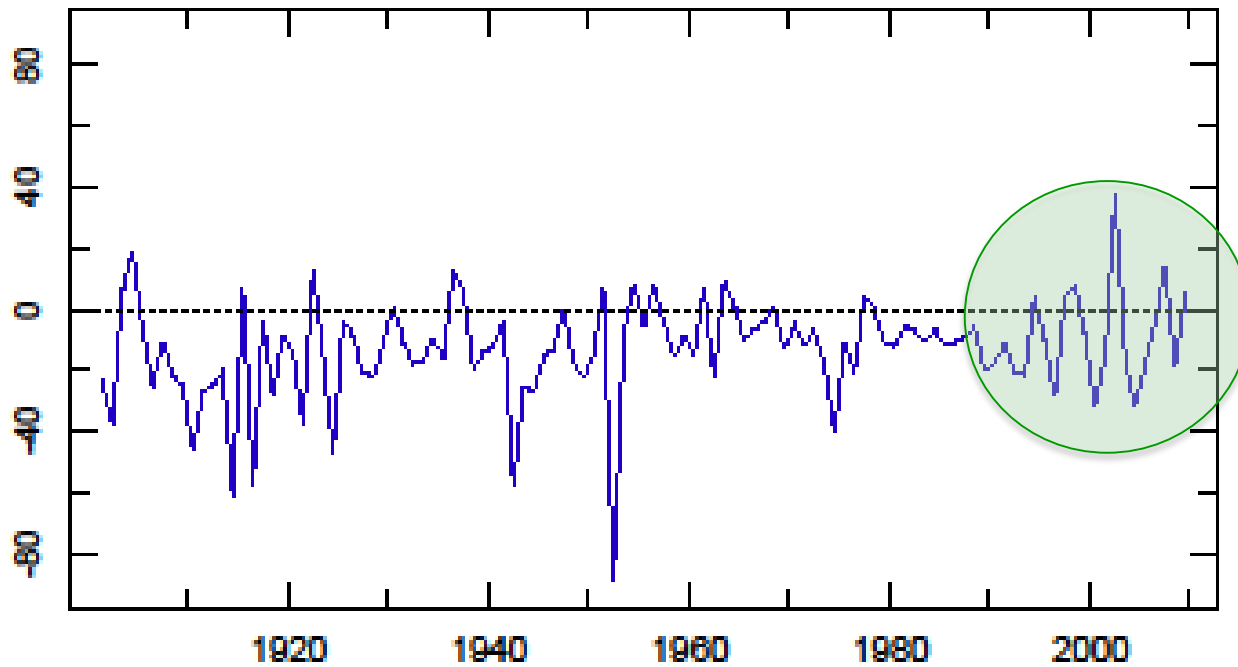
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Data requirements

- Historical data for research on predictability, training and initialisation of models, validation of hindcasts
- Observational predictors
- GPC and other predictions
- Verification data



Data consistency

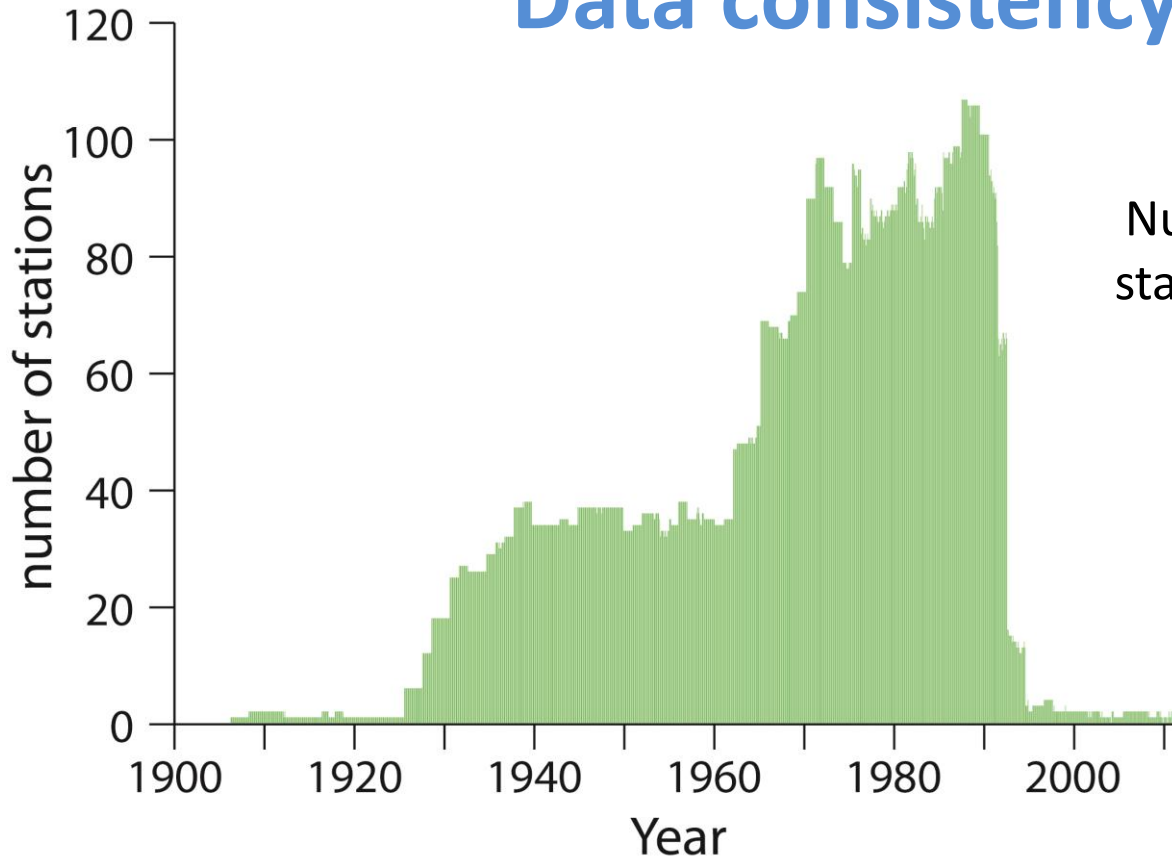


Increased climate variability or increased sampling error given fewer stations?

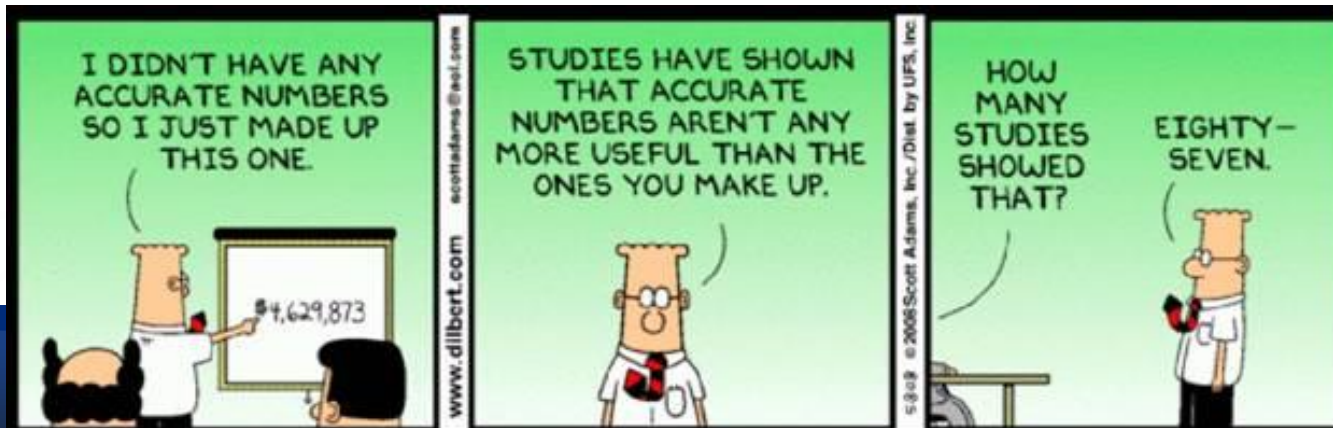
Rainfall variability, Rwanda 1901-2010



Data consistency



Number of meteorological stations for Rwanda (GPCC)



Data access

- CPT
- IRI Data Library

