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CIMA is one of the institutions participating in the South American Regional Climate Center (CRC-SAS).

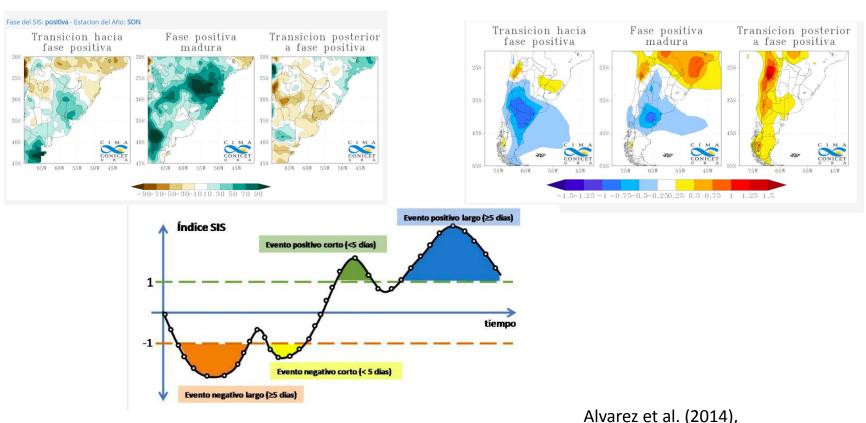
It is actively involved in the development of operational subseasonal to interannual predictions of selected atmos variables (mainly T2m and precip) in tight collaboration with the National Weather Service of Argentina and several other South American research+operational institutions from Brazil, Paraguay, Bolivia, Uruguay and Chile.



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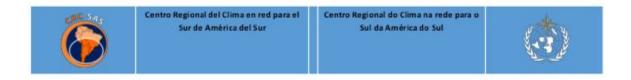
Part of the activities at CIMA in this area is the identification of predictive tools within different hindcast dataset (including CHFP and NMME)...



Aivarez et al. (2014), doi:10.1007/s00382-013-1872-z



In cooperation with the NWS of Argentina and several other South American institutions, a number of scientists working in this field meet around the 15th of each month to analyze the recent evolution of weather and climate features affecting the region and reach consensus on 3-month predictions of T2m and precip anomalies.

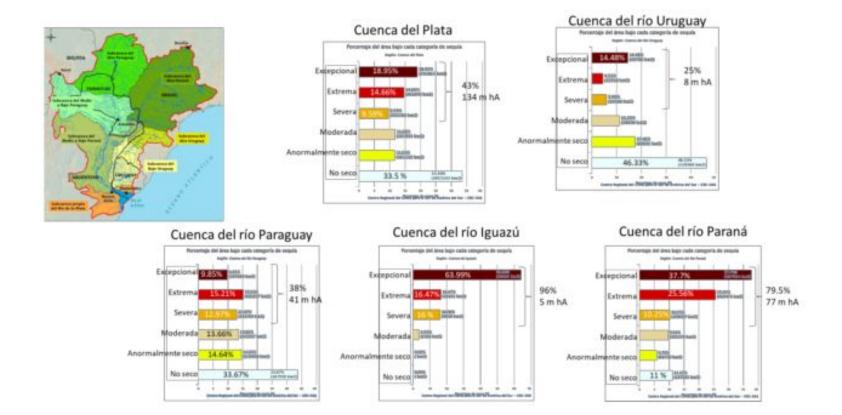


Perspectivas climáticas Septiembre-Octubre-Noviembre 2021

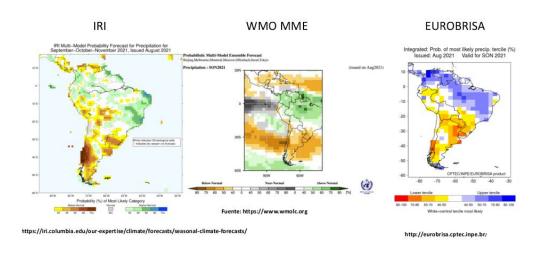
Reunión virtual del CRC-SAS

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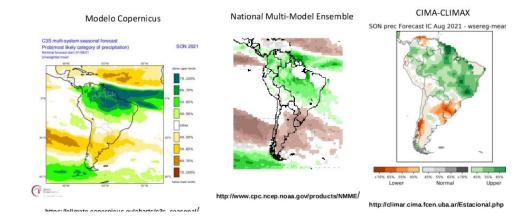






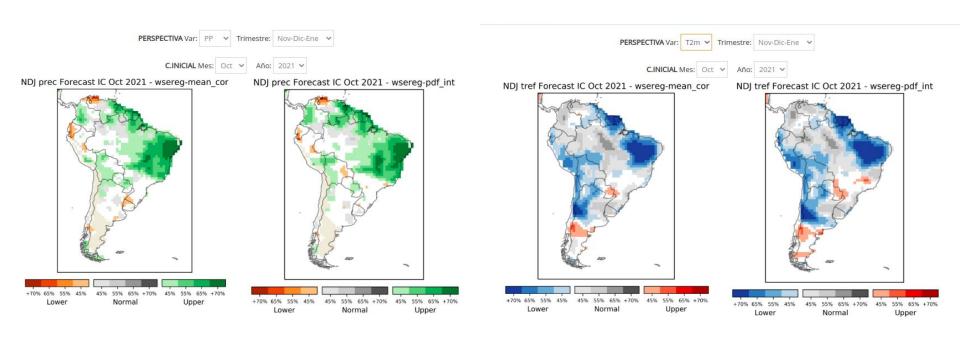


Example of prediction of precip anomalies (SON 2021, from IC August 2021)





The CIMA-CLIMAX prediction is derived by applying ensemble regression to individual NMME members, and then obtaining a PDF along with a probabilistic likelihood for certain thresholds (mostly below, near or above the climatological norms for that time of the year).



Osman et al. (2021), doi:10.1007/s00382-021-05845-2



