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Supporting Information for

North American hydroclimate during past warm states: A proxy network-model comparison for the Last Interglacial and the mid-Holocene

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Introduction

This file includes maps of annual average precipitation (% ΔP) and runoff anomalies (% ΔP -ET) from PMIP4 model simulations and moisture sensitive proxy networks for the mid-Holocene (MH) (Figure S1 and S3) and Last Interglacial (LIG) (Figure S2 and S4). It also includes information about the proxy records included in our MH (Table S1) and LIG (Table S2) networks and about the PMIP4 models used in our analyses (Table S3). Finally, it includes the calculated agreement coefficients (Gwet's AC2, Cohen's kappa, and Gwet's AC1) for categorical comparison between the PMIP4 models and the MH (Table S4) and LIG (Table S5) proxy networks, as well as for the western US proxy network from Hermann et al. (2018).

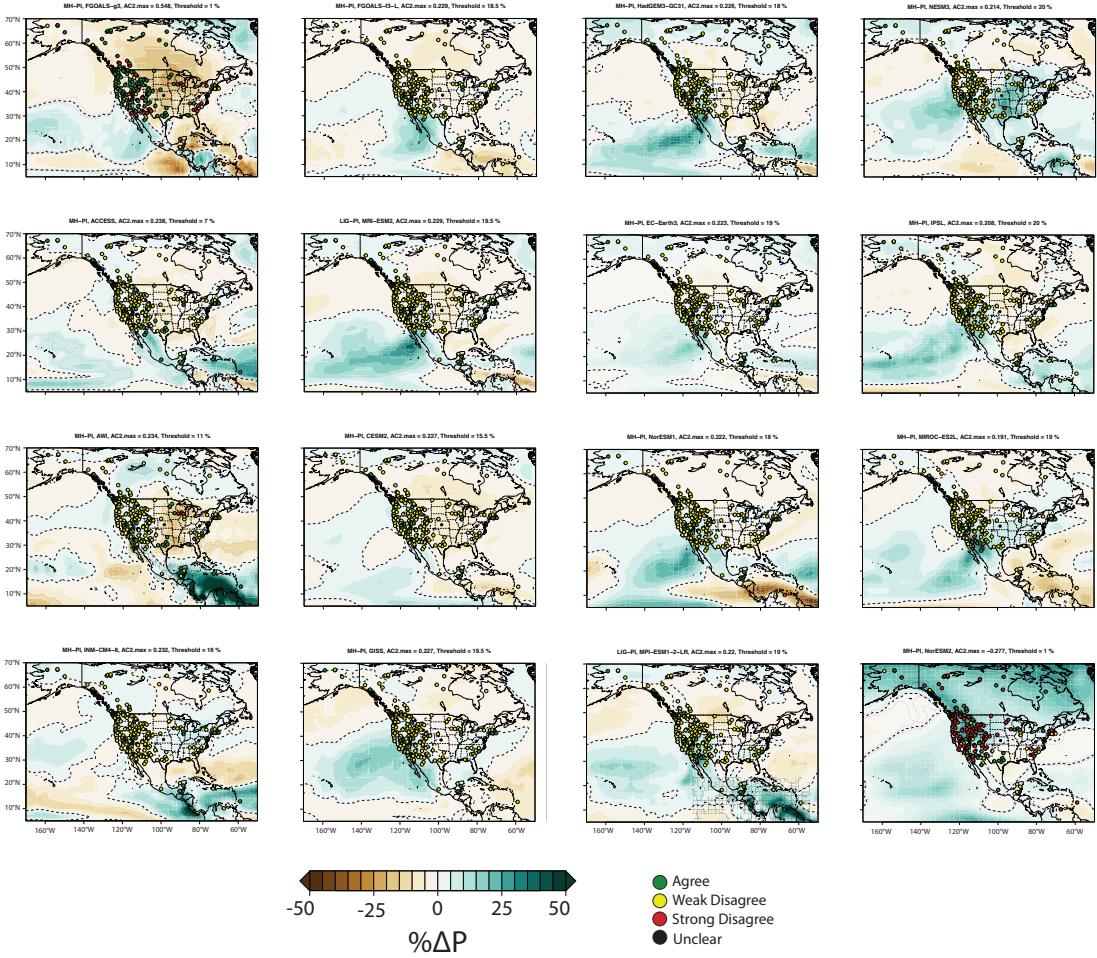


Figure S1. Annual MH-PI precipitation anomaly (% ΔP) for PMIP4 models with MH proxy network plotted based on agreement with ensemble climatology. Dark gray dashed lines denote the boundary between positive and negative precipitation anomalies. Light gray dotted lines denote the threshold for the change in precipitation to be considered

wetter, drier, or unchanged based on optimized agreement with the proxy network. The precipitation anomaly for NorESM2 is -100 to 100%.

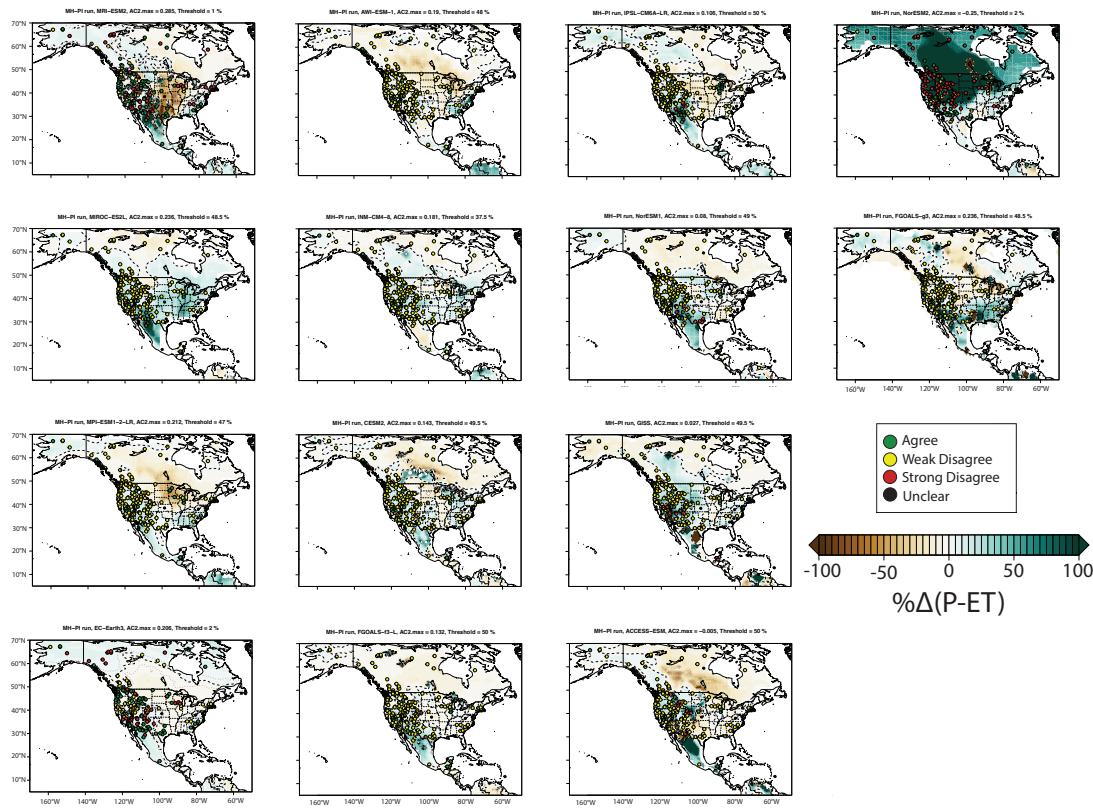


Figure S2. Annual MH-PI runoff anomaly (% Δ P-ET) for PMIP4 models with MH proxy network plotted based on agreement with ensemble climatology. Dark gray dashed lines and light gray dotted lines same as in Figure S1.

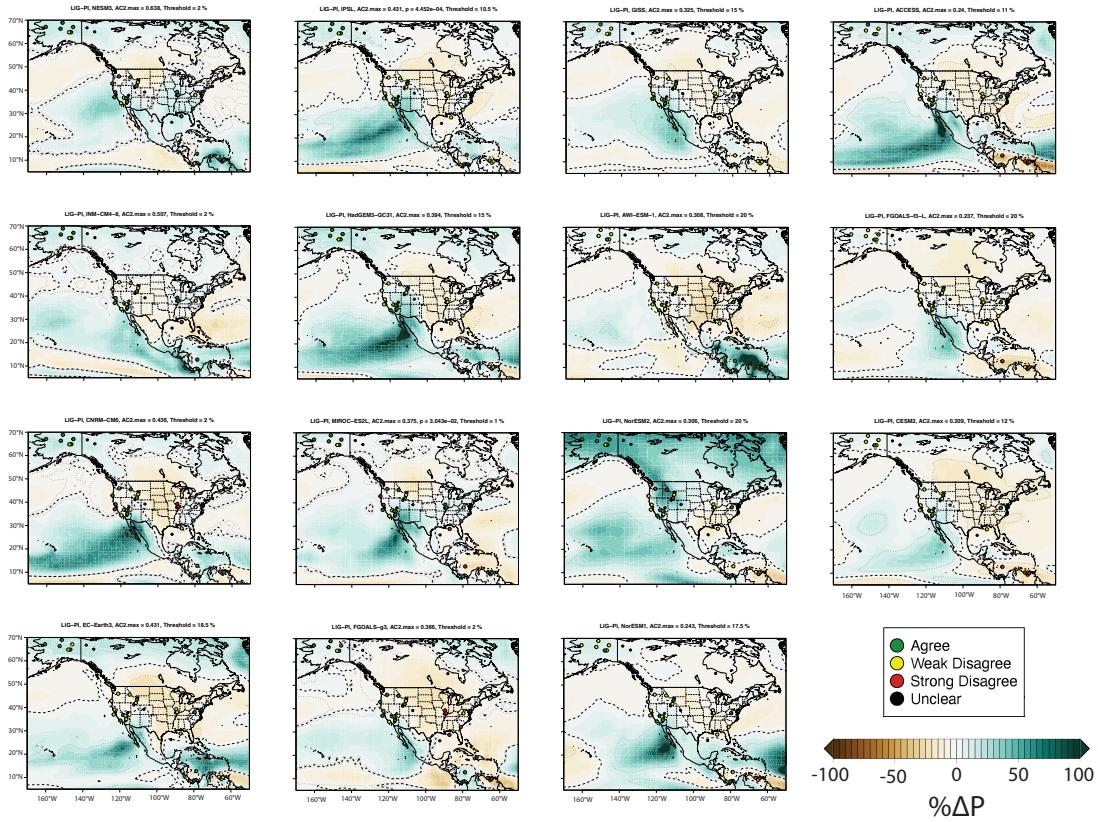


Figure S3. Annual LIG-PI precipitation anomaly (% Δ P) for PMIP4 models with LIG proxy network plotted based on agreement with ensemble climatology. Dark gray dashed lines and light gray dotted lines same as in Figure S1.

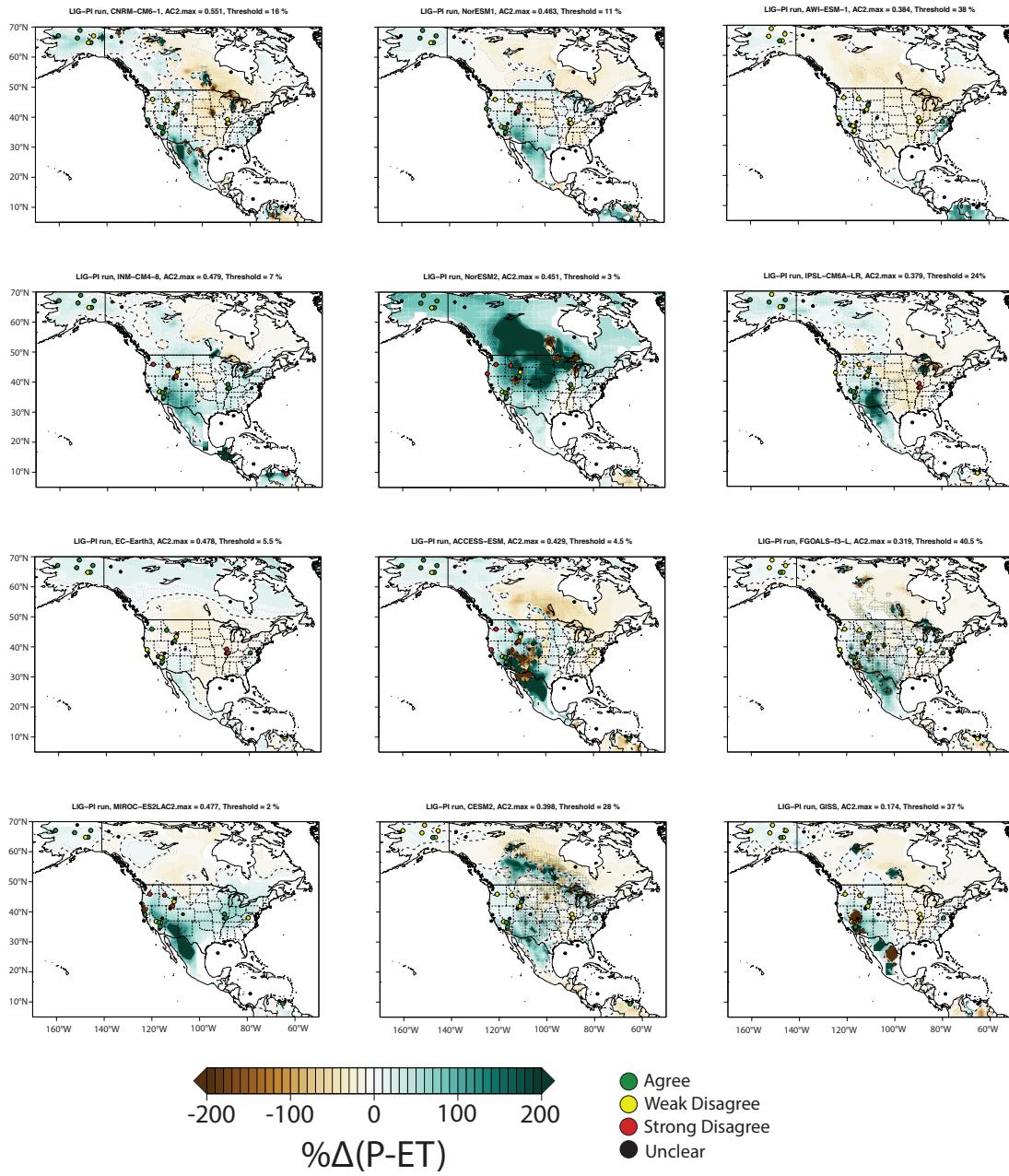


Figure S4. Annual LIG-PI runoff anomaly (% Δ P-ET) for PMIP4 models with LIG proxy network plotted based on agreement with ensemble climatology. Dark gray dashed lines and light gray dotted lines same as in Figure S1.

Table S1. The mid-Holocene proxy network.

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Table S2. The Last Interglacial proxy network.

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Table S3. Description of PMIP4 models used in this study.

Model	Experiments and outputs	Number of grid cells (lat.)	Number of grid cells (lon.)	Citation for model description	Notes
ACCESS-ESM1-5	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	145	192	Ziehn et al. (2017, 2020)	Fixed vegetation with interactive leaf area index, prescribed aerosols
AWI-ESM-1-1-LR	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	96	192	Sidorenko et al. (2015)	Interactive vegetation
CESM2	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	192	288	Danabasoglu et al. (2020)	Prescribed potential vegetation (crops and urban areas removed), interactive phenology, simulated dust
CNRM-CM6-1	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	128	256	Volodire et al. (2019), Decharme et al. (2019)	PI atm. GHGs, prescribed vegetation and aerosols
EC-Earth3-LR	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	160	320	Zhang et al. (2020) (for lig127K)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
FGOALS-f3-L	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	180	288	Zheng et al. (2020) (for lig127K)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
FGOALS g3	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	80	180	Zheng et al. (2020) (for lig127K)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
GISS-E2-1-G	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	90	144	Kelley et al. (2020)	Prescribed vegetation
HadGEM3-GC31 LL	<i>piControl - pr; midHolocene - pr; lig127k - pr</i>	144	192	Kuhlbrodt et al. (2018), Williams et al. (2017)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
INM-CM4-8	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	120	180	Volodin et al. (2018)	Prescribed vegetation, simulated dust and sea salt
IPSL-CM6A-LR	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	143	144	Boucher et al. (2020)	Prescribed vegetation, interactive phenology, prescribed aerosols
MIROC-ES2L	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	64	128	Hajima et al. (2020)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
MPI-ESM1-2-LR	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl</i>	96	192	Giogetta et al. (2013)	Interactive vegetation, prescribed aerosols
MRI-ESM2	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl</i>	160	320	Yukimoto et al. (2019)	
NESM3	<i>piControl - pr; midHolocene - pr; lig127k - pr</i>	96	192	Cao et al. (2018)	Interactive vegetation, prescribed aerosols
NorESM1-F	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	96	144	Guo et al. (2019)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols
NorESM2-LM	<i>piControl - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>midHolocene - pr, evpsbl;</i> <i>lig127k - pr, evpsbl</i>	96	144	Seland et al. (2020)	Prescribed vegetation and aerosols

Table S4. Gwet's AC2, Cohen's kappa (K_w), and Gwet's AC1 values with associated statistical significance and optimized precipitation threshold for comparisons between

the mid-Holocene proxy network and annual precipitation from PMIP4 mid-Holocene simulations.

	AC2	p value	Precip. threshold (%)	Kw	Significance	Precipitation threshold (%)	AC1	p value	Precip. threshold (%)
FGOALS-g3	0.55	0	1	0.13	Not Sig	5	0.51	0.00E+00	1
ACCESS-ESM	0.24	8.47E-11	7	0.08	Sig	6	0.00	1.04E+00	1
AWI-ESM-1	0.23	6.42E-11	11	0.07	Not Sig	7	0.06	2.40E-01	1
INM-CM4-8	0.23	2.95E-11	16	0.03	Not Sig	10	0.17	1.32E-03	1
FGOALS-f3-L	0.23	6.01E-11	18.5	0.08	Not Sig	2	0.20	1.10E-04	1
MRI-ESM2	0.23	6.01E-11	19.5	0.19	Sig	1	0.15	2.29E-03	1
CESM2	0.23	8.45E-11	15.5	0.02	Not Sig	6	-0.01	1.18E+00	1
GISS-E2-1-G	0.23	8.45E-11	19.5	0.04	Not Sig	2	-0.06	1.84E+00	1
HadGEM3-GC31-L1	0.23	2.44E-10	18	0.11	Sig	5	0.01	8.40E-01	1
EC-Earth3-LR	0.22	8.62E-10	19	0.16	Sig	2	0.20	1.18E-04	1
NorESM1-F	0.22	5.04E-10	18	0.08	Sig	7	-0.03	1.54E+00	1
MPI-ESM1-2-LR	0.22	9.81E-10	19	0.15	Sig	6	0.04	4.40E-01	1
NESM3	0.21	4.20E-09	20	0.09	Sig	4	0.05	2.70E-01	1
IPSL-CM6A-LR	0.21	3.48E-09	20	0.11	Sig	3	0.04	3.50E-01	1
MIROC-ES2L	0.19	3.18E-07	19	0.07	Not Sig	4	0.01	8.00E-01	1
NorESM2-LM	-0.28	2.00E+00	1	-0.04	Not Sig	1	-0.09	1.96E+00	1

Table S5. Gwet's AC2, Cohen's kappa (K_w), and Gwet's AC1 values with associated statistical significance and optimized precipitation threshold for comparisons between the Last Interglacial proxy network and annual precipitation from PMIP4 Last Interglacial simulations.

	AC2	p value	Precip. threshold (%)	Kw	Significance	Precipitation threshold (%)	AC1	p value	Precip. threshold (%)
NESM3	0.64	1.42E-05	2	0.4	Sig	2	0.55	2.00E-04	2
INM-CM4-8	0.51	1.50E-03	2	0.35	Sig	2	0.42	5.90E-03	2
CNRM-CM6	0.44	7.70E-03	2	0.35	Sig	2	0.42	4.60E-03	2
EC-Earth3-LR	0.43	2.00E-04	18.5	0.31	Sig	8	0.34	2.25E-02	4
IPSL-CM6A-LR	0.43	4.00E-04	10.5	0.19	Not Sig	4	0.32	2.64E-02	1
HadGEM3-GC31-L1	0.39	2.30E-03	15	0.14	Not Sig	19	0.21	1.45E-01	11
MIROC-ES2L	0.38	3.04E-02	1	0.19	Not Sig	1	0.39	9.00E-03	1
FGOALS-g3	0.37	3.24E-02	2	0.36	Sig	2	0.4	6.60E-03	2
GISS-E2-1-G	0.32	2.50E-03	15	0.17	Not Sig	4	0.21	1.64E-01	2
AWI-ESM-1	0.31	1.10E-02	20	0.15	Not Sig	3	0.2	1.69E-01	2
NorESM2-LM	0.31	4.78E-02	20	0.09	Not Sig	20	0.21	1.38E-01	20
NorESM1-F	0.24	8.38E-02	17.5	0.11	Not Sig	12.5	0.17	2.39E-01	1
ACCESS-ESM1-5	0.24	1.38E-01	11	0.14	Not Sig	11	0.15	2.99E-01	3
FGOALS-f3-L	0.24	9.16E-02	20	0.13	Not Sig	1	0.16	2.76E-01	1
CESM2	0.21	1.70E-01	12	0.05	Not Sig	12	0.13	3.77E-01	1

Table S6. Gwet's AC2, Cohen's kappa (K_w), and Gwet's AC1 values with associated statistical significance and optimized precipitation threshold for comparisons between

the mid-Holocene proxy network from Hermann et al. (2018) and annual precipitation from PMIP4 mid-Holocene simulations.

	AC2	p value	Precip. threshold (%)	Kw	Significance	Precip. threshold (%)	AC1	p value	Precip. threshold (%)
FGOALS-g3	0.62	0.00E+00	1	0.21	Sig	2	0.55	0.00E+00	1
INM-CM4-8	0.28	8.40E-10	15	0	Not Sig	15	0.19	3.87E-03	1
AWI-ESM-1	0.28	8.40E-10	16.5	0.04	Not Sig	7	-0.09	1.90E+00	7
CESM2	0.28	8.40E-10	14.5	0.05	Not Sig	5	-0.1	1.93E+00	14.5
EC-Earth3-LR	0.28	1.55E-09	19	0.24	Sig	2	0.23	3.00E-04	1
GISS-E2-1-G	0.28	8.40E-10	19.5	0.12	Sig	2	-0.08	1.84E+00	2
NorESM1-F	0.28	8.40E-10	18	0.16	Sig	7	-0.06	1.75E+00	7
FGOALS-f3-L	0.28	5.81E-10	18.5	0.21	Sig	2	0.17	9.46E-03	1
ACCESS-ESM1-5	0.28	8.40E-10	18.5	0.05	Not Sig	6	-0.08	1.86E+00	7
MRI-ESM2	0.28	5.81E-10	19.5	0.23	Sig	1	0.13	4.41E-02	1
NESM3	0.27	9.69E-09	19	0.15	Sig	1	0.1	9.45E-02	1
MPI-ESM1-2-LR	0.27	2.77E-09	19	0.17	Sig	6	-0.05	1.66E+00	1
HadGEM3-GC31-LL	0.27	3.38E-09	17	0.16	Sig	6	-0.05	1.62E+00	9
IPSL-CM6A-LR	0.25	6.63E-08	20	0.16	Sig	7	-0.03	1.43E+00	1
MIROC-ES2L	0.23	2.12E-06	19	0.2	Sig	3	0	1.04E+00	1
NorESM2-LM	-0.39	2.00E+00	1	-0.02	Not Sig	1	-0.18	2.00E+00	1