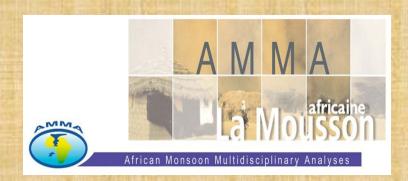
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Climate and health: observation and modeling malaria in Ferlo (Senegal): preliminary results

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#### Climate and malaria link



#### ☐ Climate-malaria

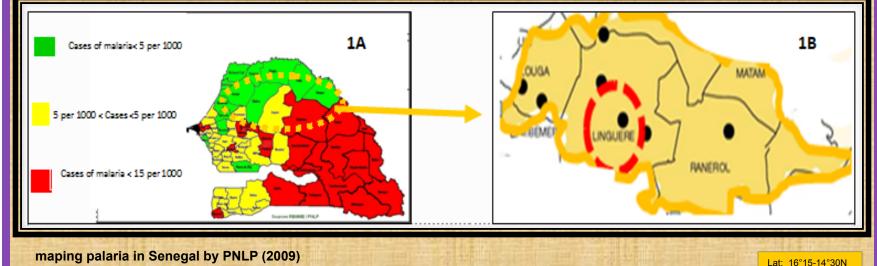
- ✓ Climate → effect to malaria transmission risk (Freeman et al., 1996; Lindsay, 1996; OMS, 1999; Ndiaye et al, 2001; etc.)
- ✓ Climate influences geographical repartition and malaria epidemiology thanks to 3 mechanisms:
  - distribution and abundance of mosquitoes;
  - > possibility and success of sporogonic cycle of the parasite;
  - > modulation of human-vector contact.
- Research undertaken in the framework of the QWeCl project





#### **Presentation of area Study**





Ferlo with his stations (Sarr, 2008)

Long:12°50-16°O

The study area is: FERLO.

The Ferlo is a sylvopastoral region, with a sahelian climate.





#### **Data and methods**



- ✓ climate (daily and monthly): rainfall, temperature (maximum and minimum), relative humidity (maximum et minimum), wind speed and direction;
- ✓ simulated climate models: NCEP, Era-interim;
- ✓ others observation data: CRU, TRMM (satellite data),
  GPCP;

✓ clinical: malaria incidence, specific morbidity;

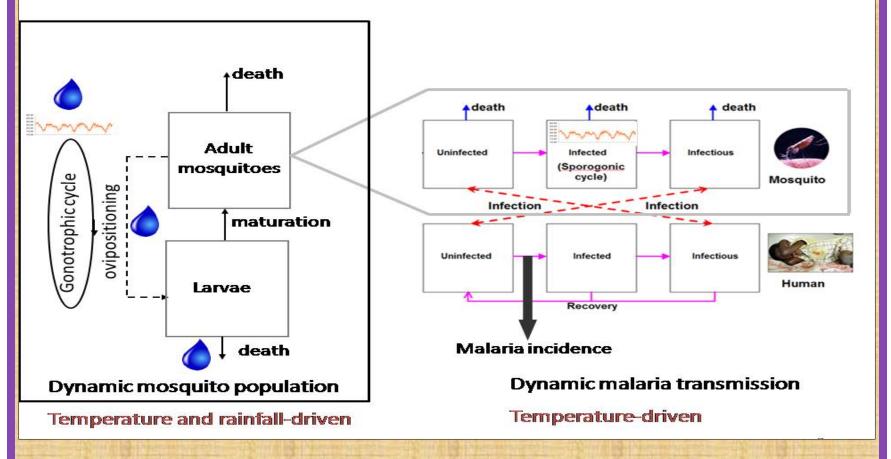




#### **Presentation of the LMM**



#### The Liverpool Malaria Model (Hoshen and Morse, 2004)



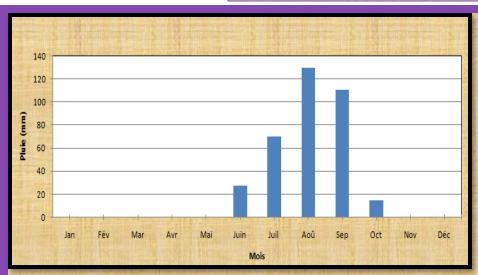
Structure of the Liverpool Malaria Model (LMM), University of Liverpool (Hoshen and Morse, 2004)

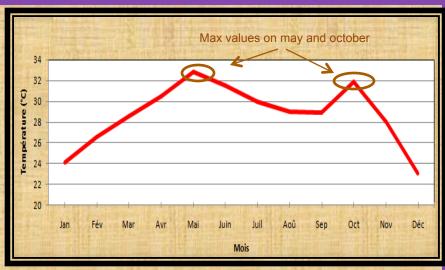




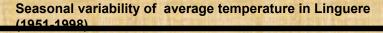
## Observation results (1/2)







Seasonal variability of average rainfall in Linguere (1950-2008)





Seasonal variation of rainfall and malaria in Linguere (2001-2009)

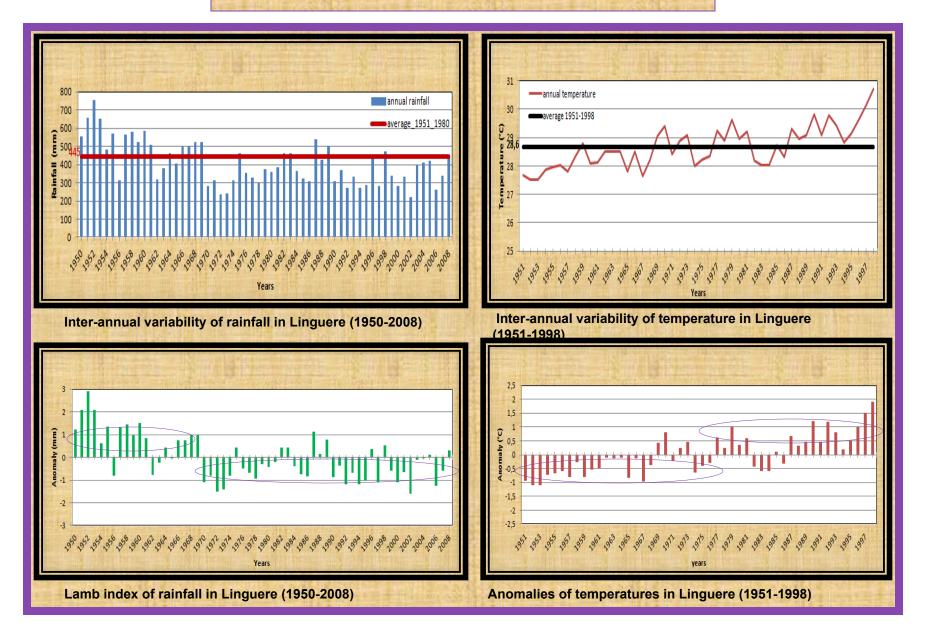
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## Observations results (2/2)



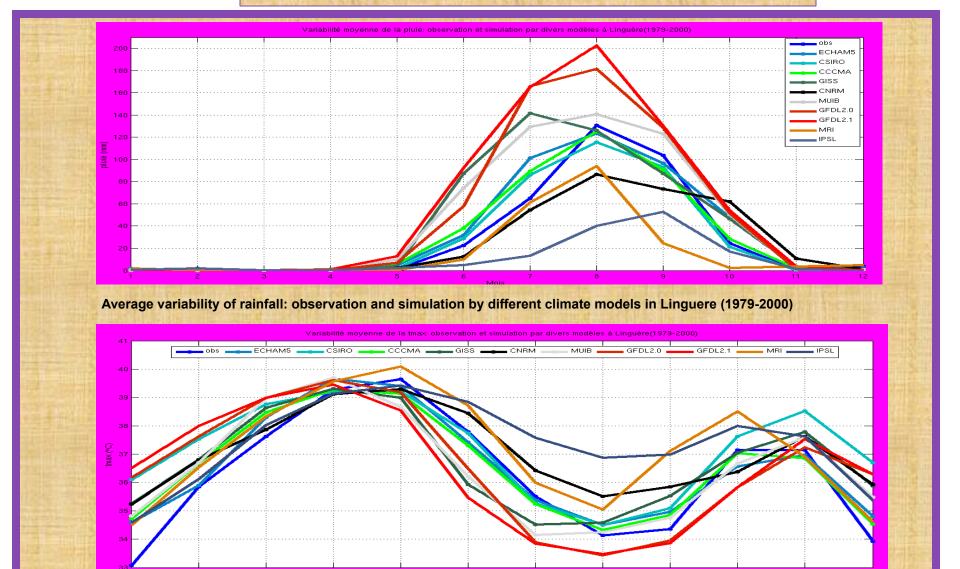






## Results(observation/simulation)





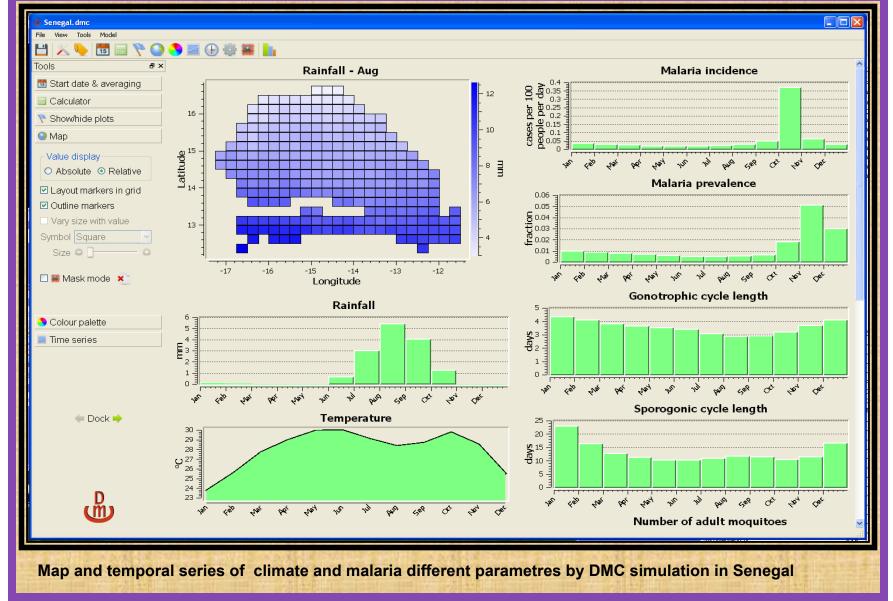
Average variability of maximum temperature observation and simulation by different climate models in Linguere (1979-2000)





## Results (DMC simulation 1/3)



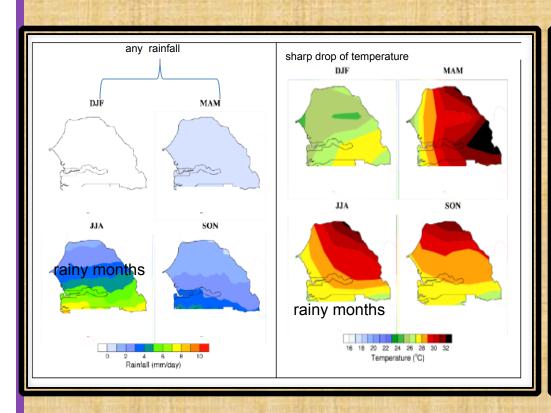


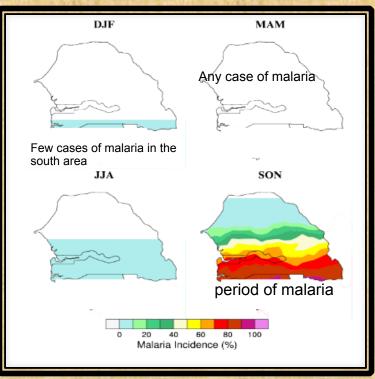




#### **Simulation results**







Rainfall and temperaure variability by TRMM and Era-interim respectively (Caminade and al., 2010)

Malaria simulated by the LMM (Caminade and al., 2010)





## **Conclusion and perspectives**



### □Our observations in the Ferlo area show:

- seasonal dynamic of malaria;
- relation between the variability of rainfall in august, and the incidence of malaria over the coming months;
- lag of one to two months of malaria incidence peak compared to maximum rainfall.

## □ Preliminary results of the LMM in Senegal:

- encourage the idea of modeling malaria hence using climatic parameters however with a need for improvement;
- idea of application of the LMM to other vector-borne diseases.







