

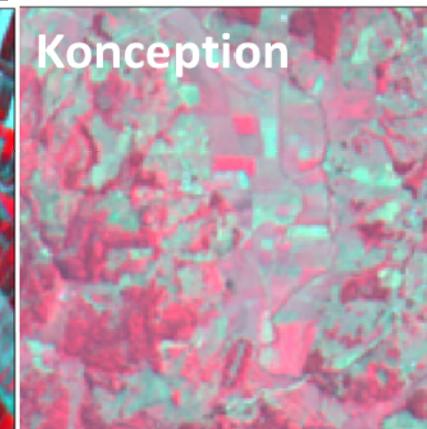
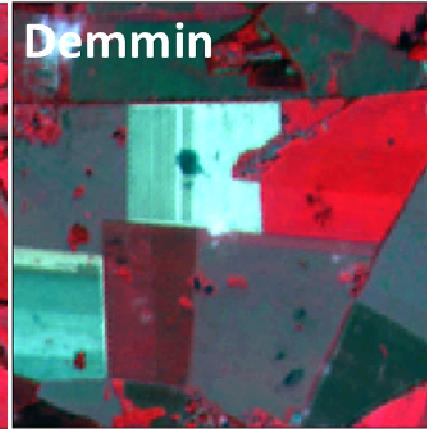
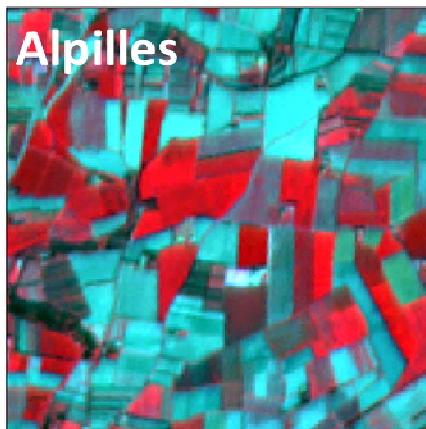
# Development of biophysical products for PROBA-V

## Interest of 300m resolution

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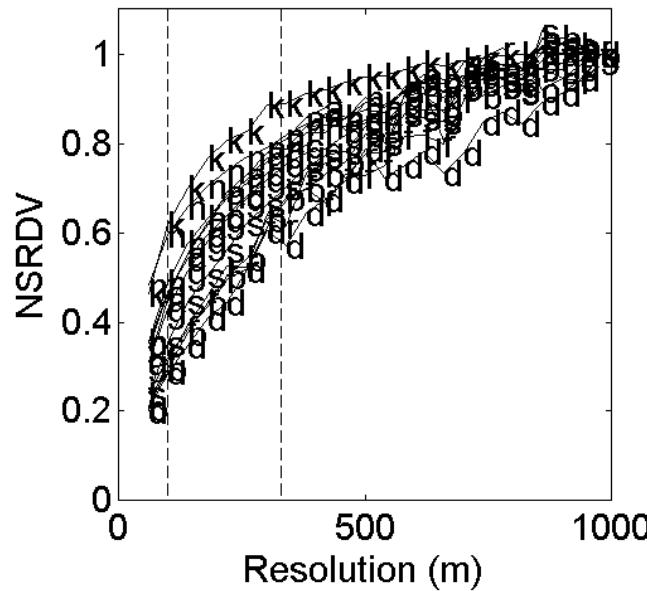


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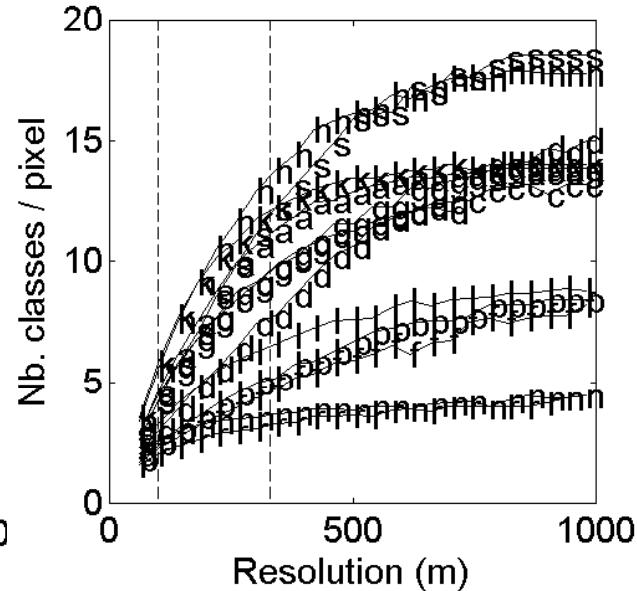
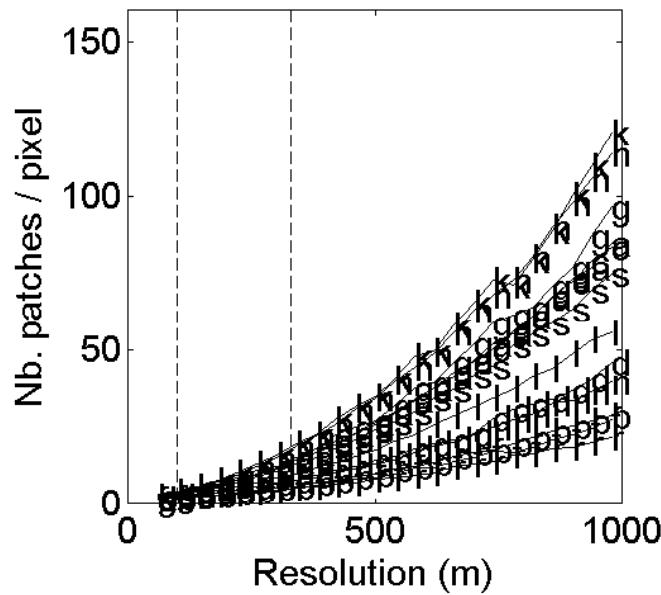


# Impact of the spatial resolution

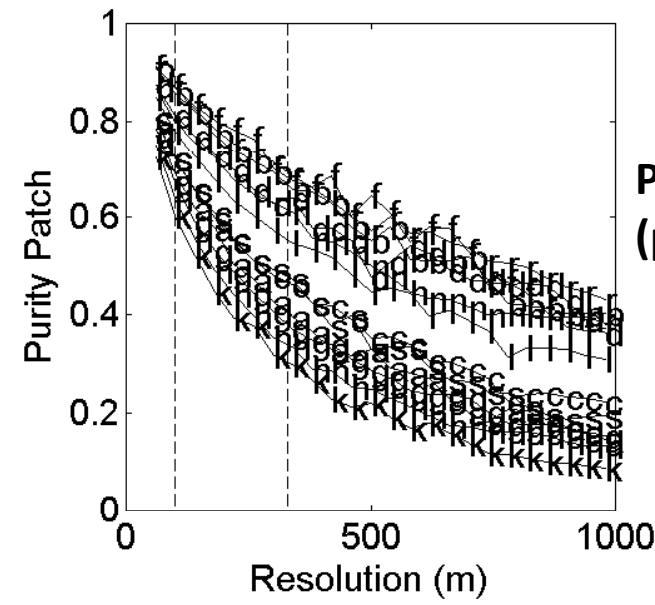
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within  
pixels:  
Normalized  
Standard  
Deviation  
(NSRDV)



Number of  
patches per  
pixel



Number of  
classes per  
pixel



Purity  
(patches/classes)

# Conclusion (obvious)

- **High spatial resolution is mandatory for agriculture applications (field/species level)**
  - Large differences between 1km and 300m resolution
  - **But large difference also between 300m and 100m!**
- **Impact on:**
  - classification
  - disaggregation
  - LAI estimates (non linearity)

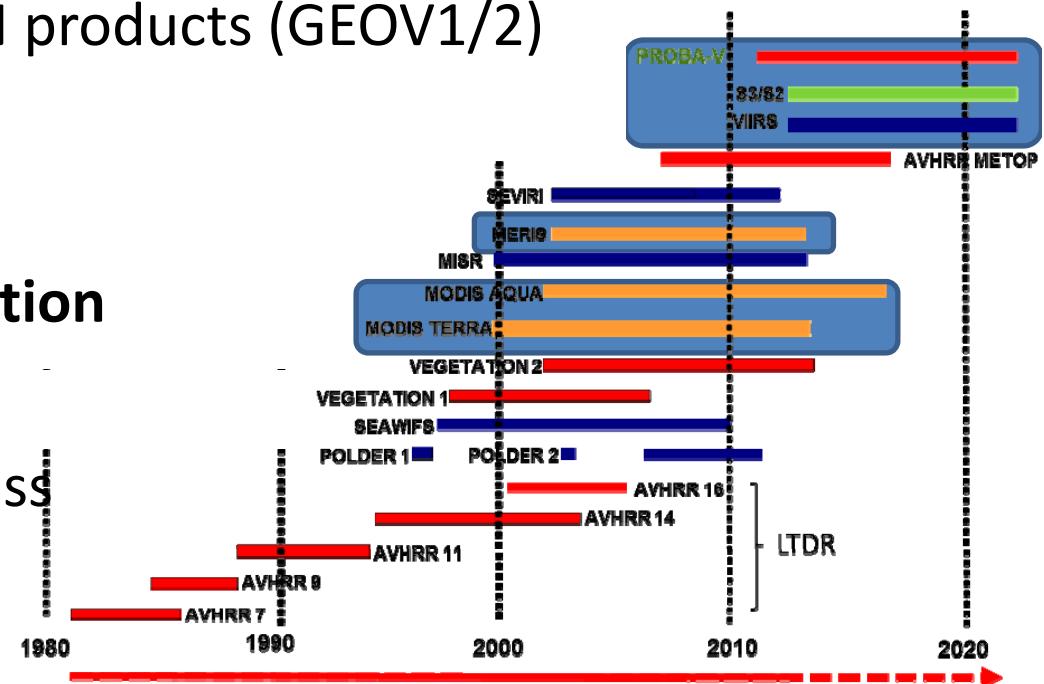
# Development of LAI, FAPAR, FCOVER near real time products from PROVA-V

**Objective:** Develop biophysical products for PROBA-V

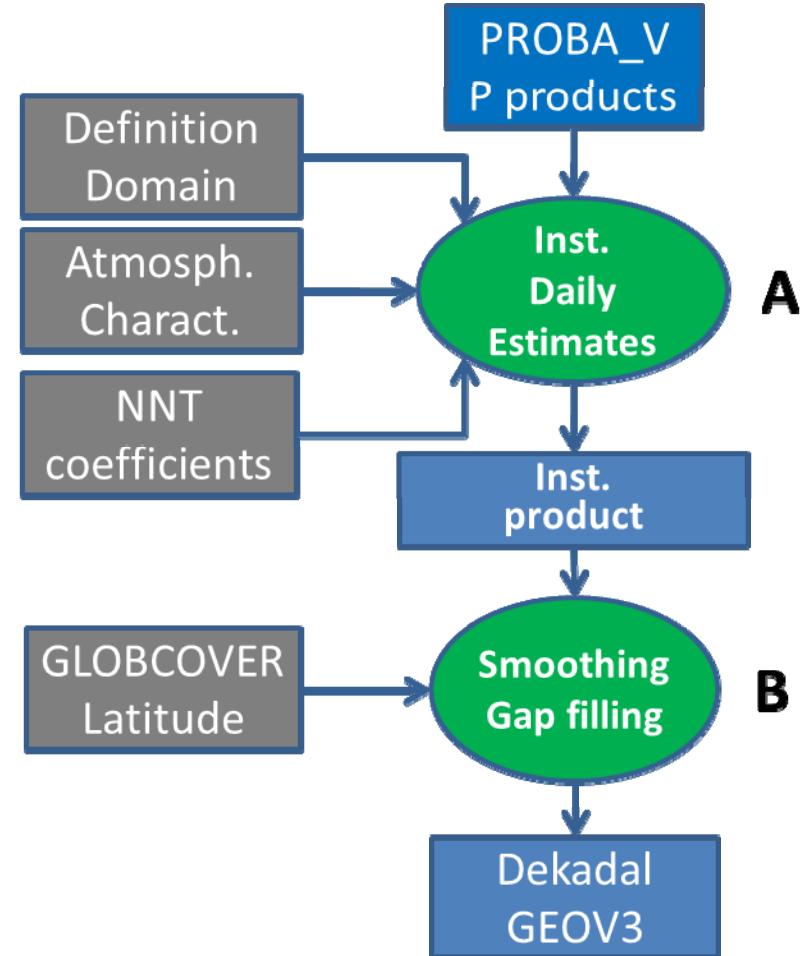
- LAI, FAPAR, FCOVER
- 10 days frequency
- Near real time
- Consistent with VEGETATION products (GEOV1/2)
- 300m resolution

**Impact of higher spatial resolution**

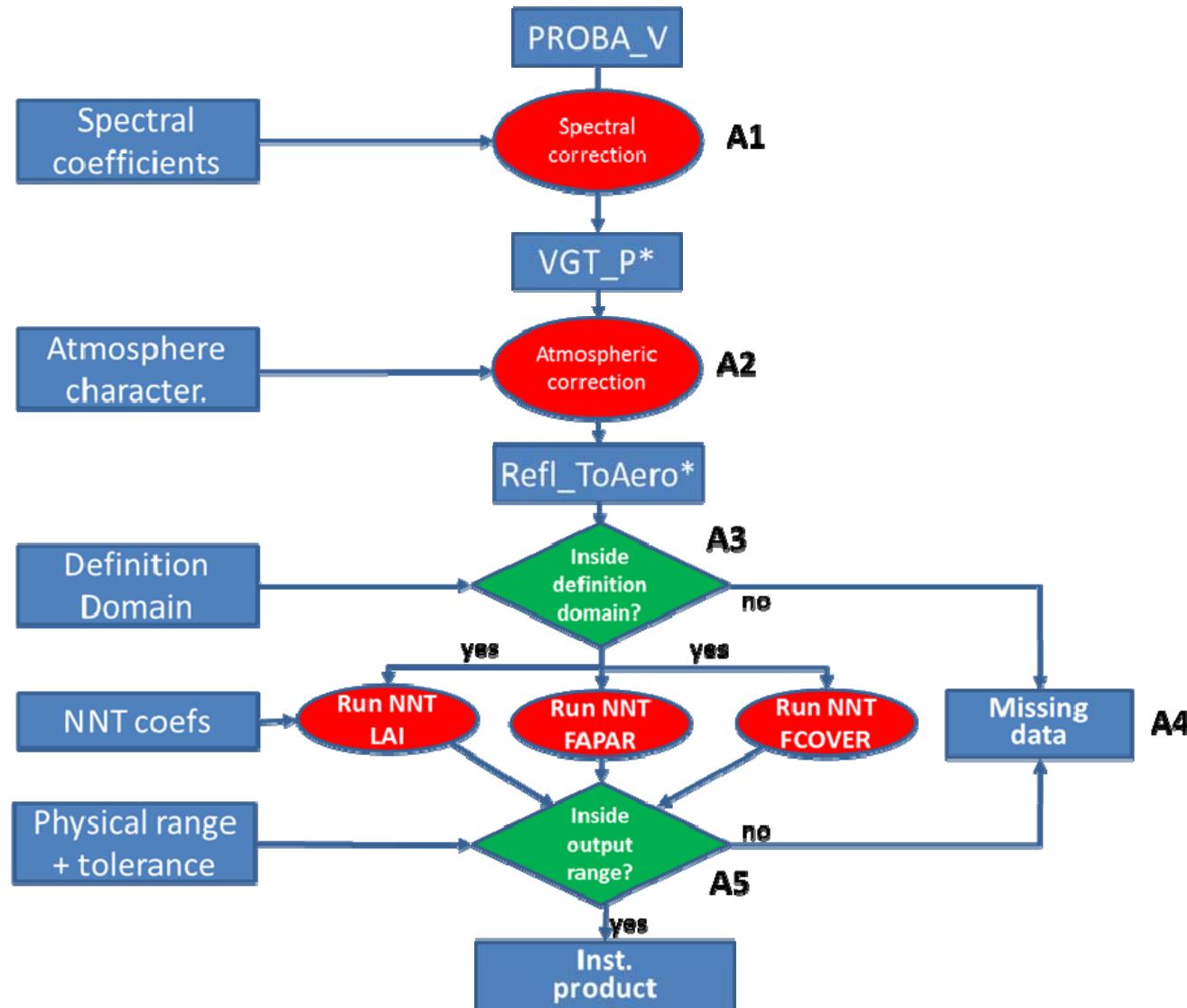
- No climatology available
- Climatology/pixel meaningless
- No use of SWIR



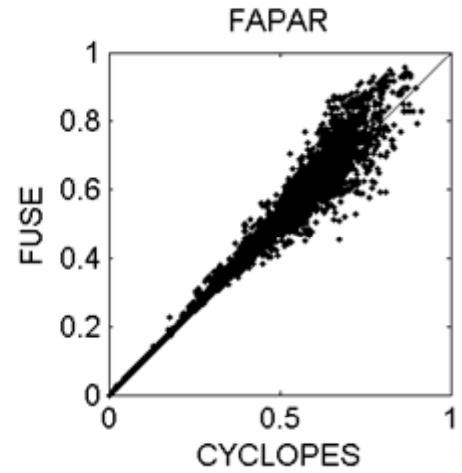
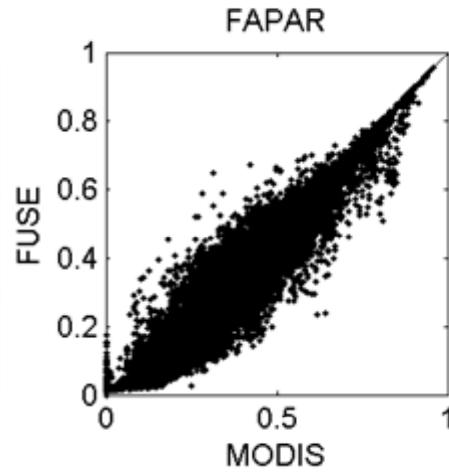
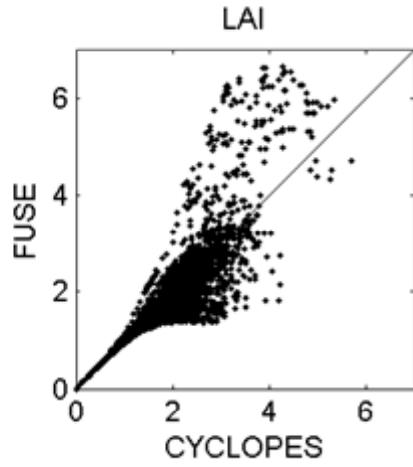
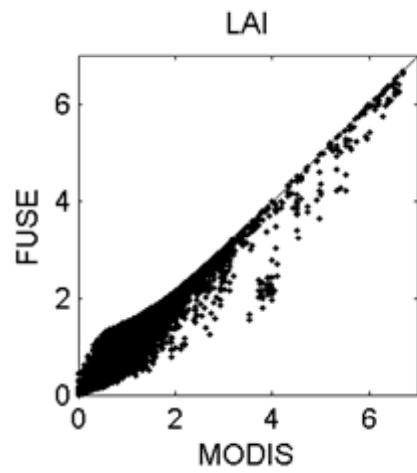
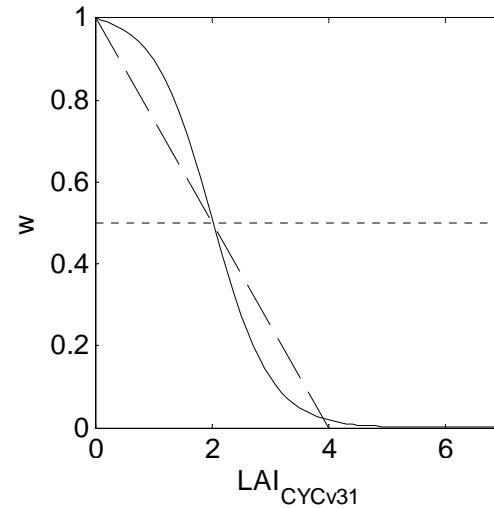
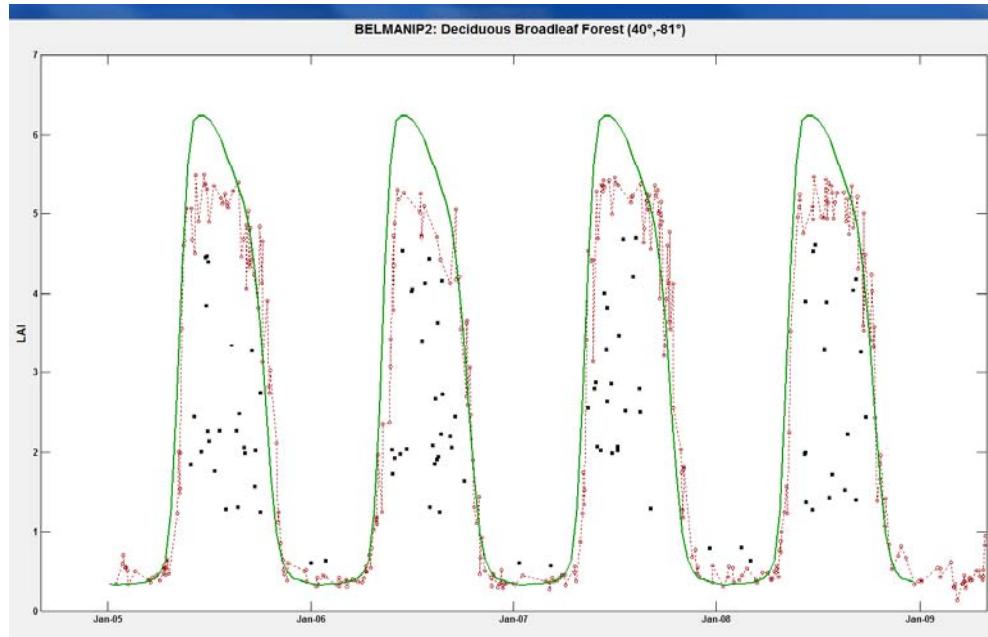
# General principles



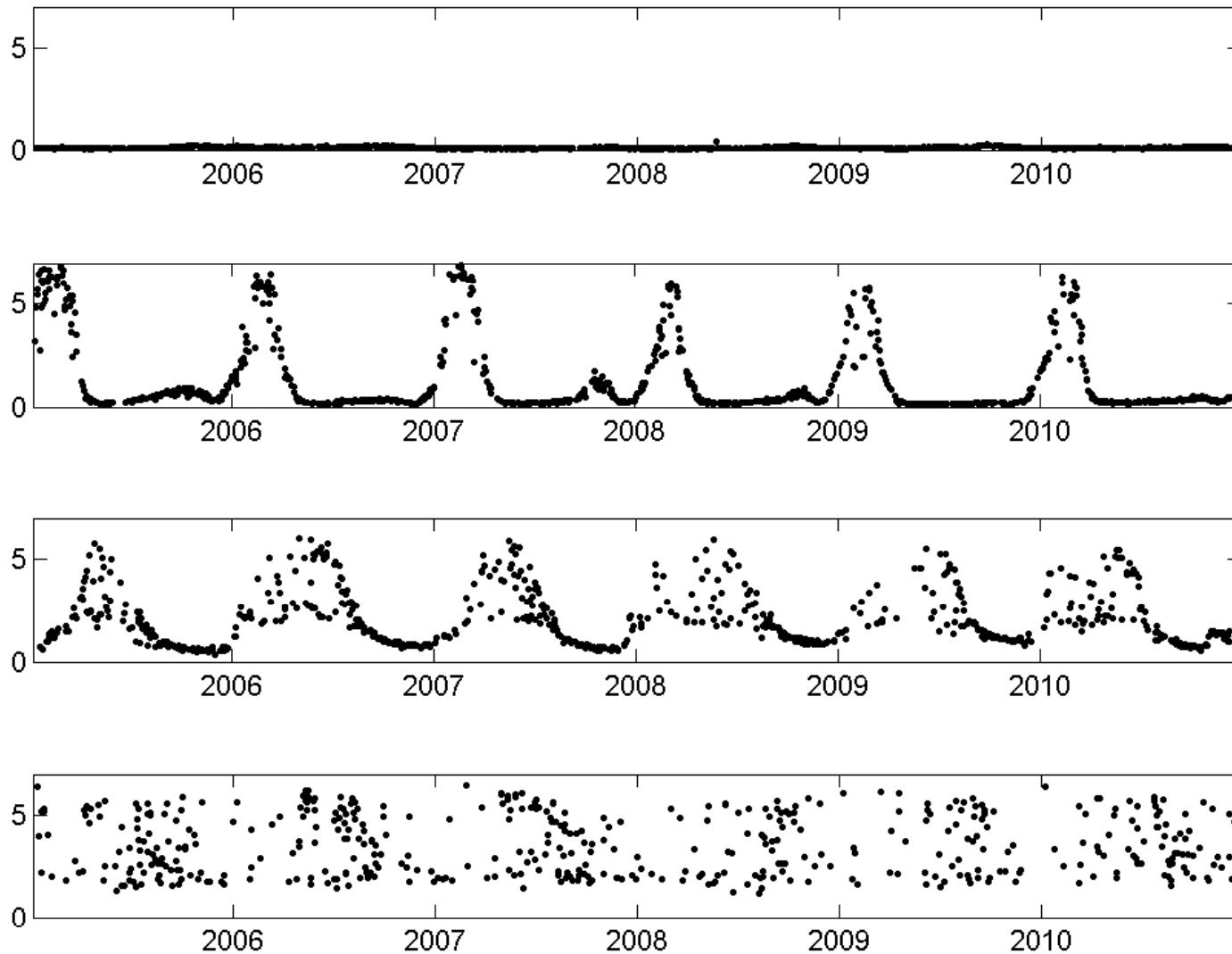
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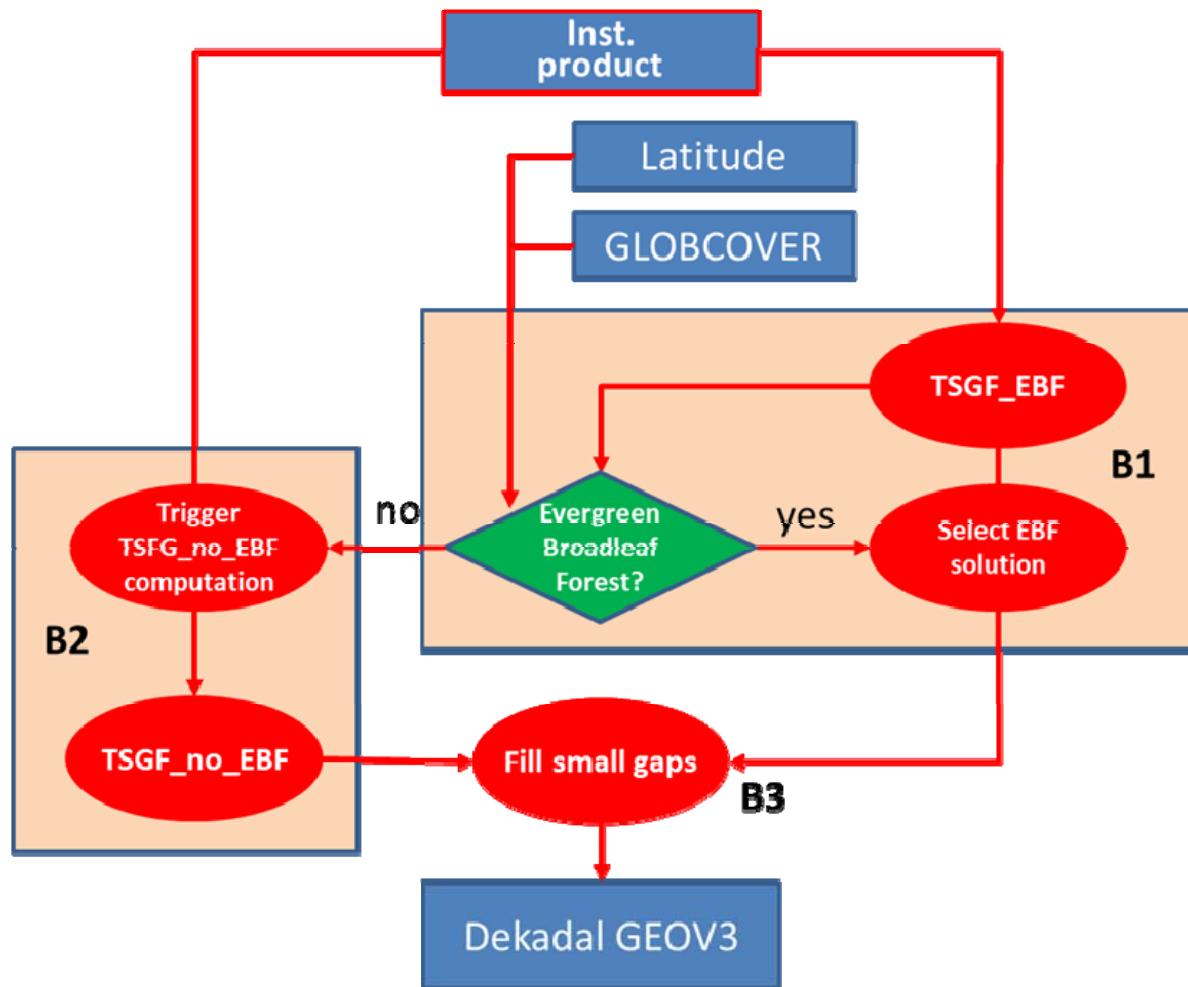
# Learning from CYCLOPES and MODIS



# Instantaneous estimates

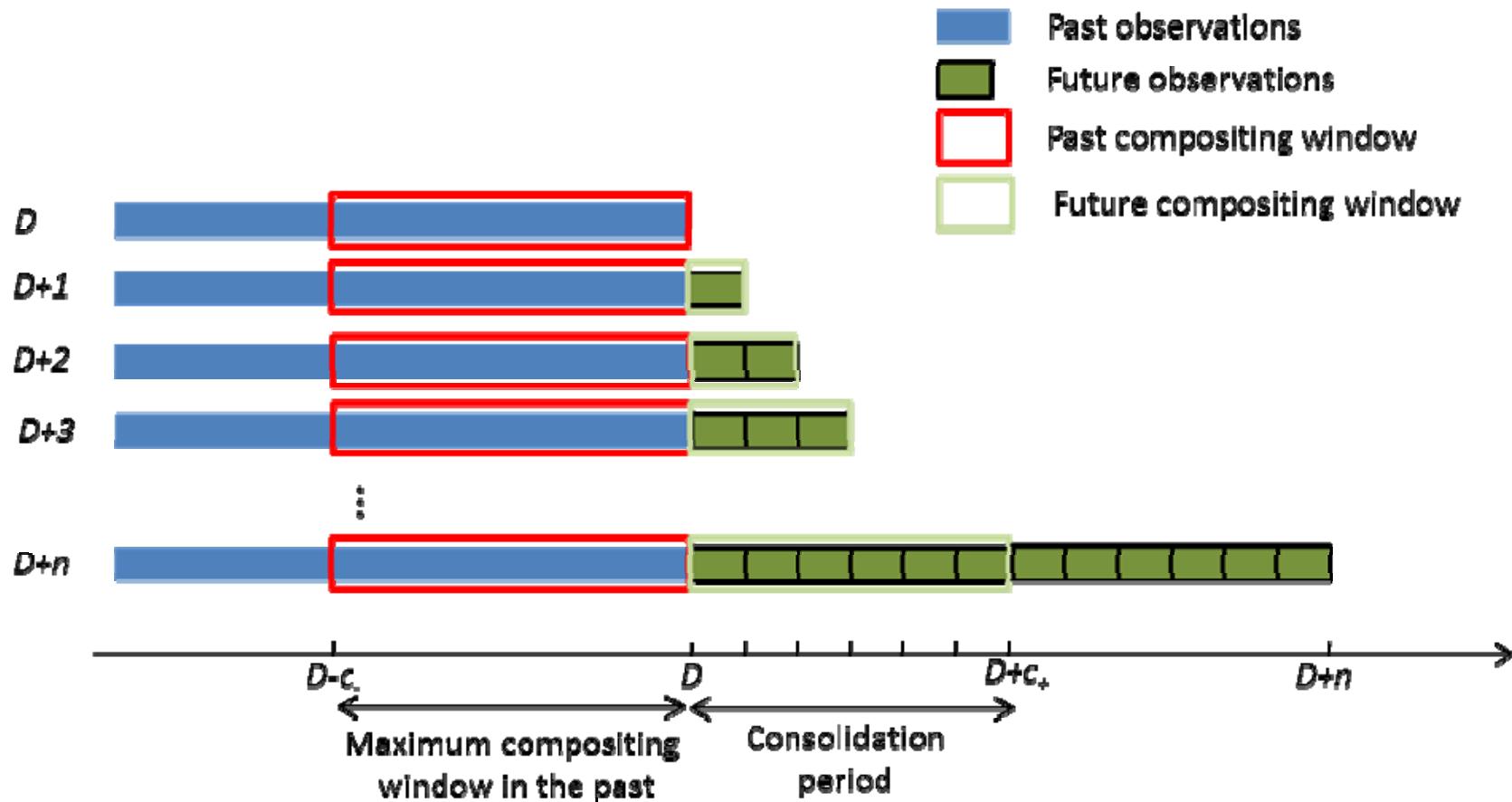


# Step B: Compositing

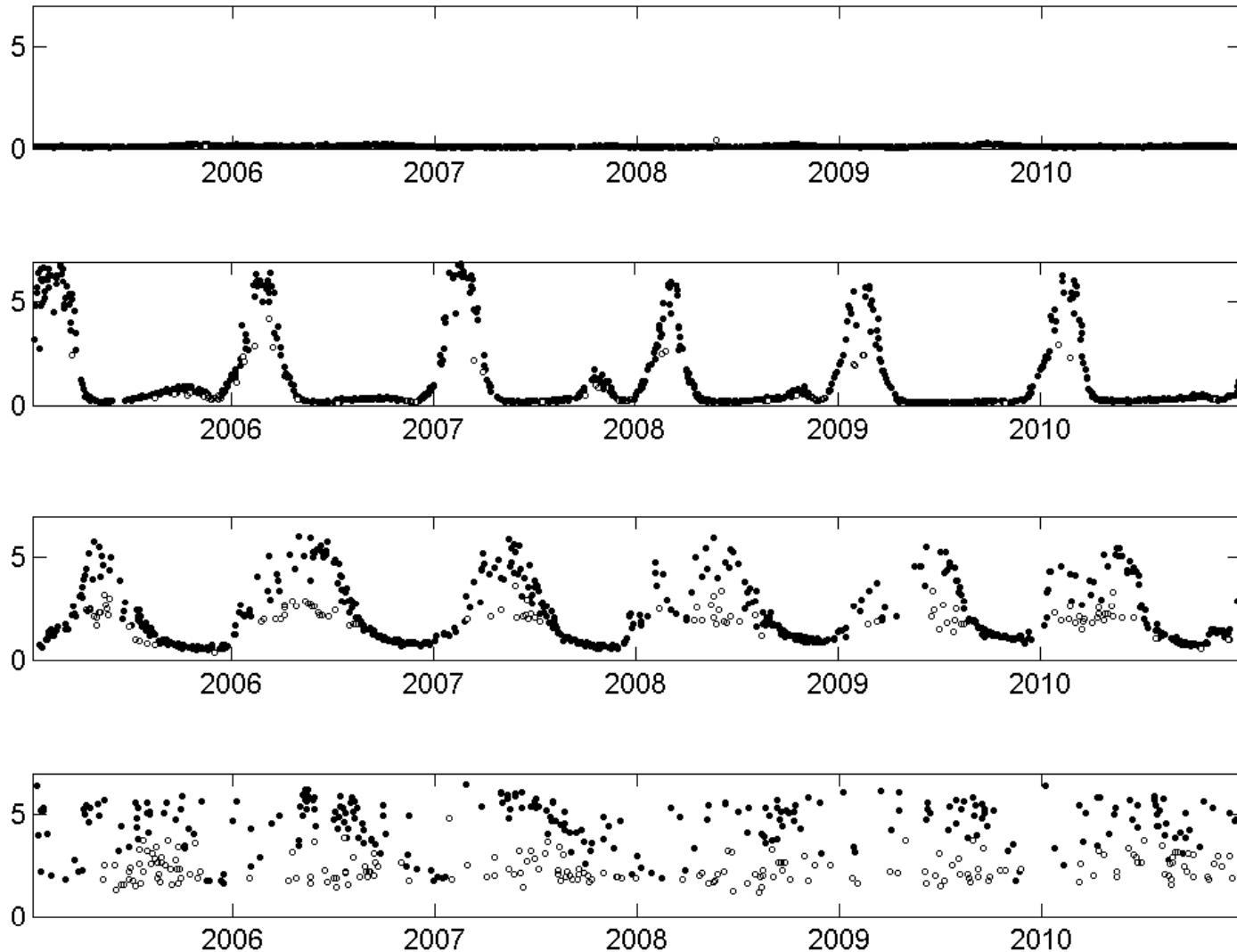


25 parameters to control step B

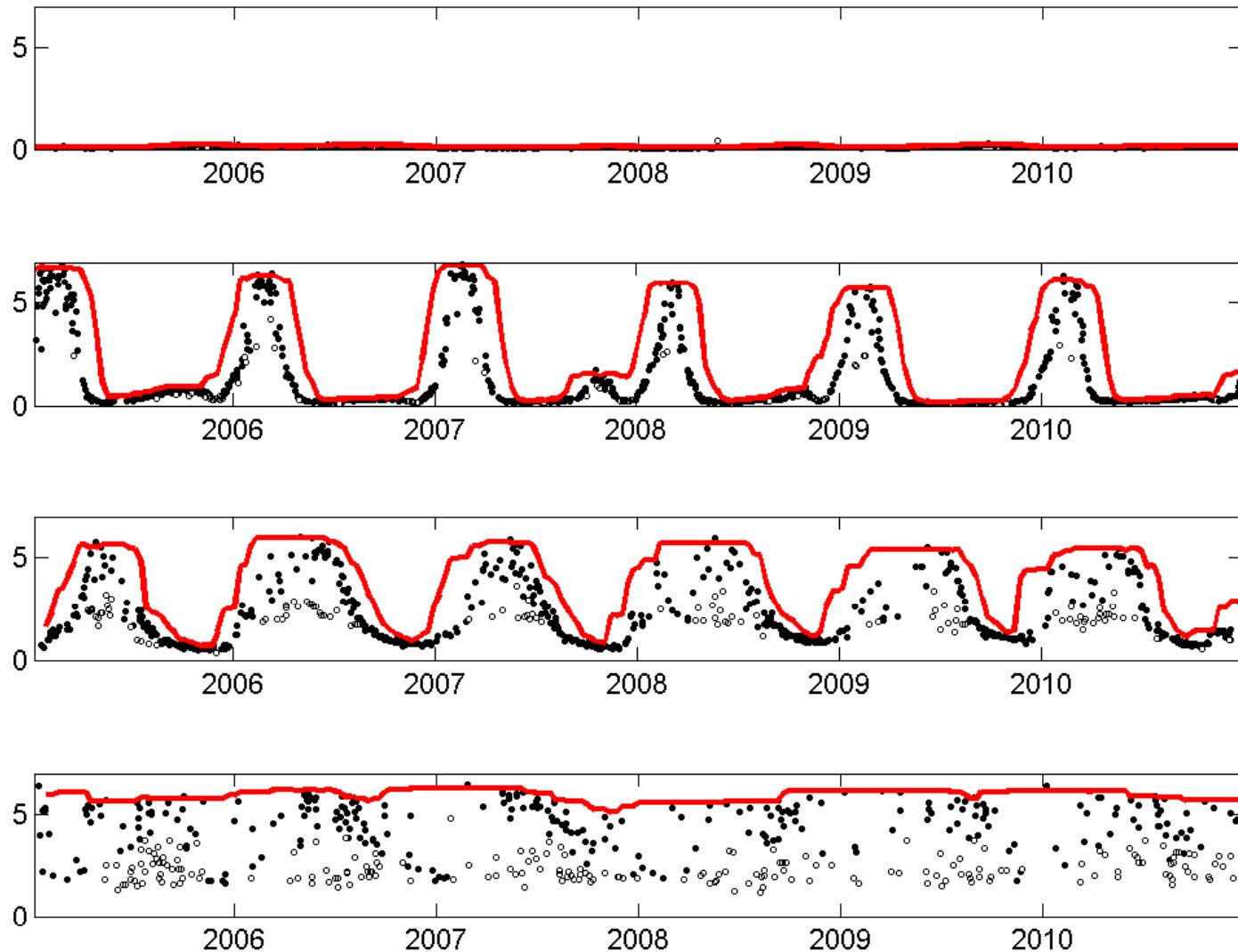
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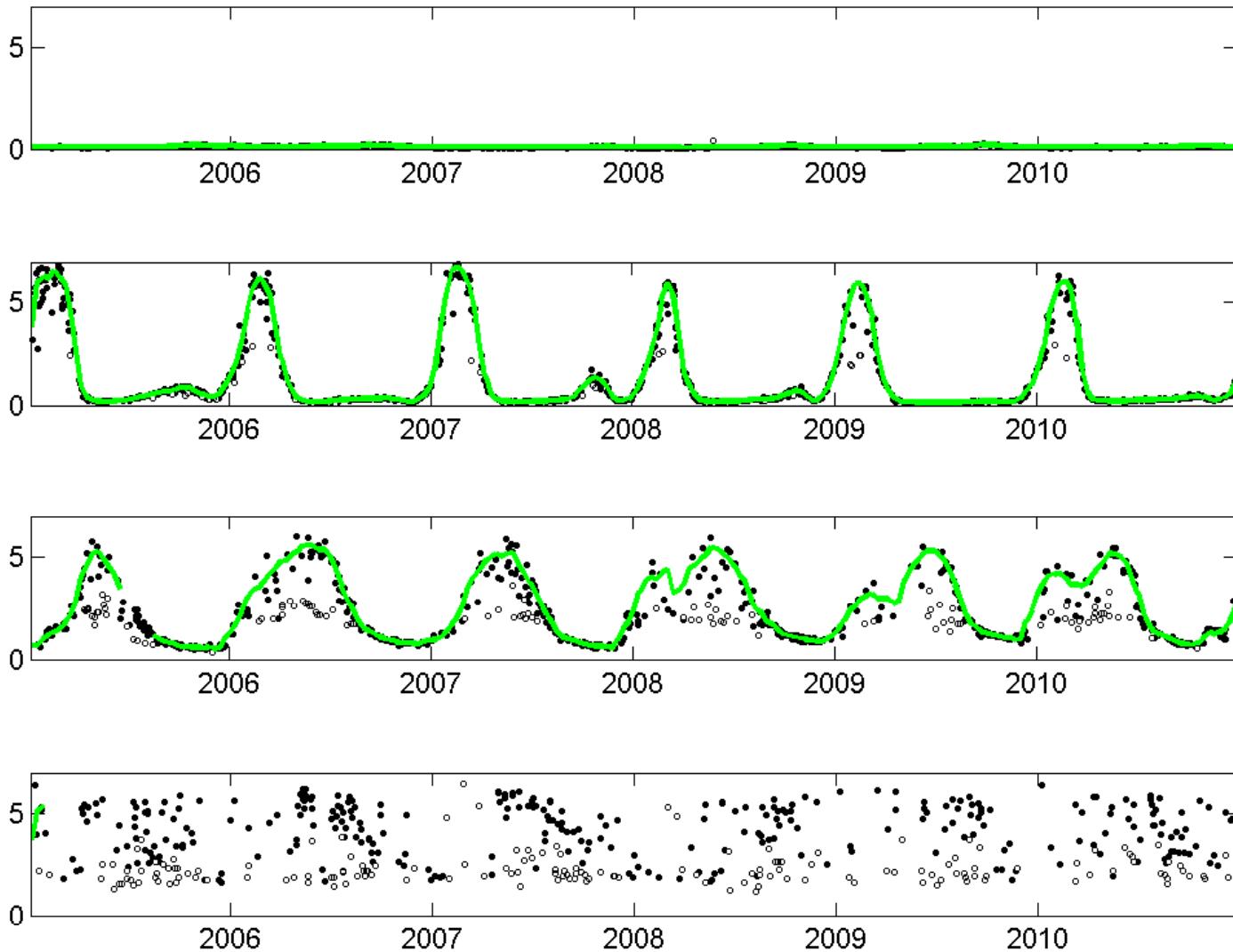
# Compositing: eliminating outliers



# Compositing: EBF case



# Compositing: no\_EBF case

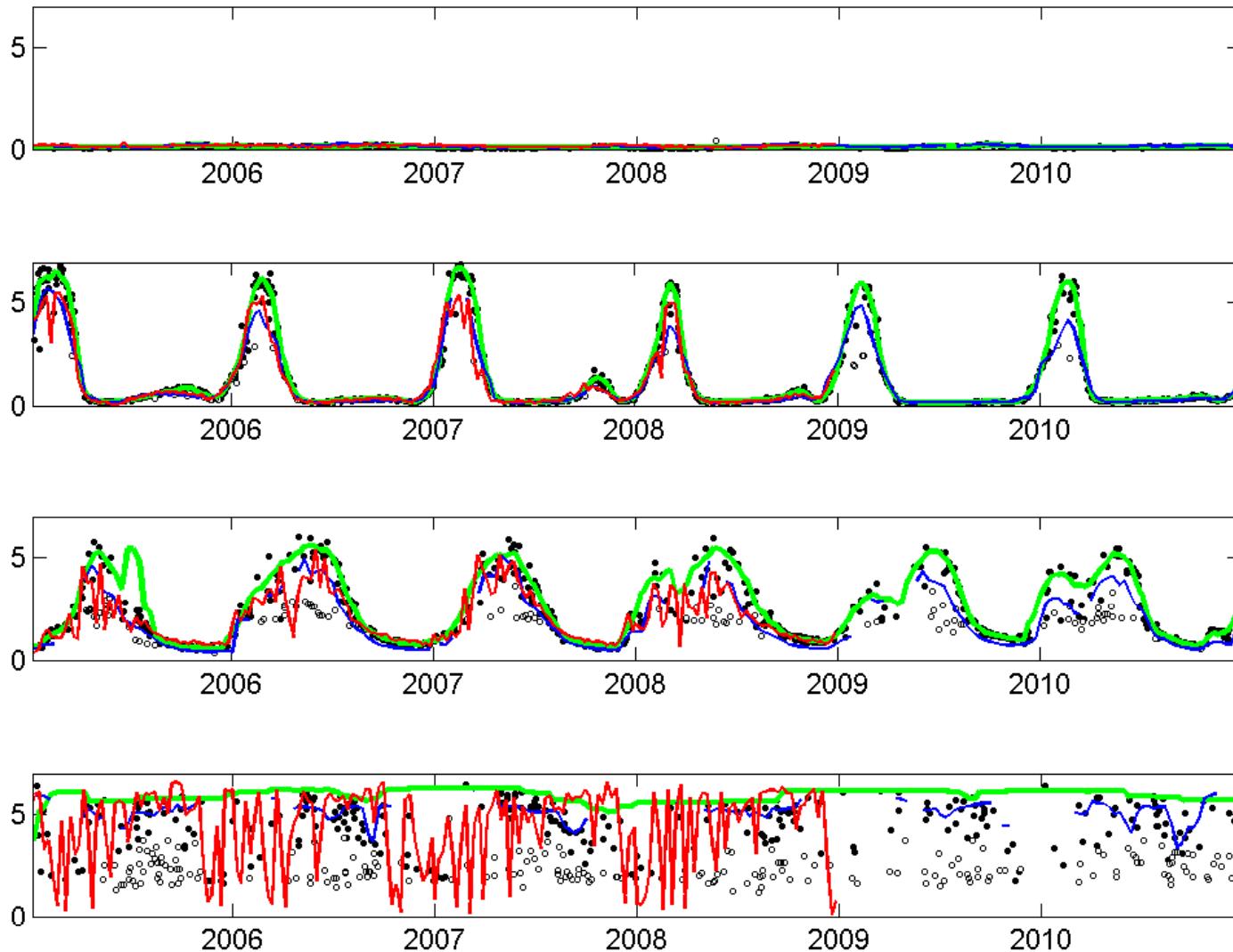


# Compositing: Filling small gaps

GEOV3

GEOV1

MODIS



# Conclusion

- **Associated quality indicators**
  - Flag
  - RMSE
  - Confidence interval from polynomial fit
- **Consistency between variables**
  - Same selection of observations used (mostly based on LAI)
- **Importance of the compositing step**
  - Without climatology
  - For short term projection
- **Needs to be done:**
  - Implementation of the algorithm
  - Verification/Validation
  - Checking consistency with GEOV2 (aggregation at 1km)
- **Updating the algorithm** when enough actual PROBA-V data will be available
- **Building a longer time series:** process back the MERIS archive?
- **Combination with S2** -> 20m observations every day?