



Screening: Blacklisting, observation quality control, data thinning

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Outline

Need of well selected good observations for data assimilation

Code organisation

- Blacklisting of (bad) observations
- Selection of good observations
- Data thinning

Script tasks flow

- ODB evolution

Output diagnostic

Need for well selected good observations -- some theoretical backgrounds

- Data assimilation aims at building a best possible atmospheric state using observations and short range forecasts.

Best Linear Unbiased Estimator (BLUE) analysis:

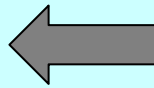
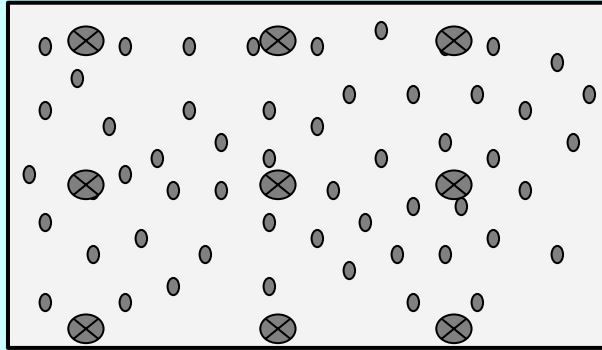
$$x_a = x_b + K[y_o - H(x_b)] \quad K = BH^T(HBH^T + R)^{-1}$$

where:

x_a is the analysis; x_b is the first guess or background;
 $H(x_b)$ - background value at observation space; and y_o is the observation
 B - background error; R - observation error

- observation and background errors are mutually uncorrelated;
- observation errors are (horizontally) uncorrelated.

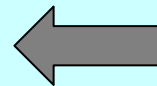
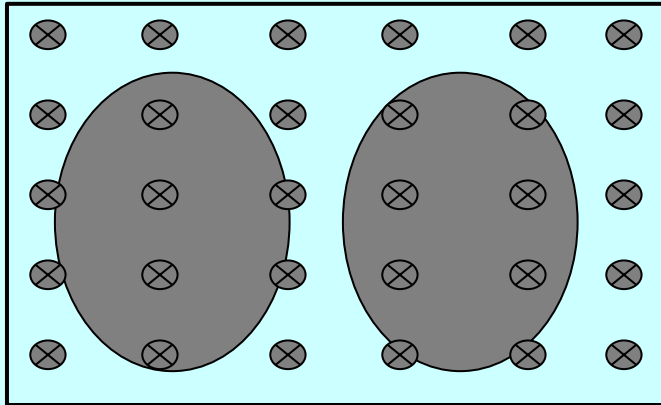
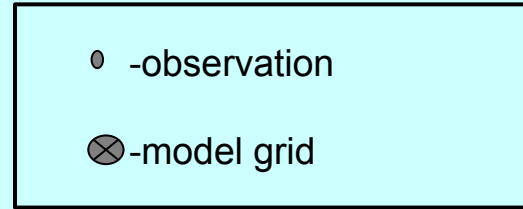
Thinning, superobbing, supermodding



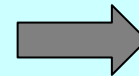
The observation has higher resolution than the model



Do superobbing or thinning before assimilation



The observation has lower resolution than the model



Do supermodding or averaging of background before assimilation

Selection of good observations -- Screening

Some important steps (screen.F90):

- DEALMOD - Release unnecessary model fields
- SUSCRE1 - Initialise screening on common lev 1
- SUFGER - GERGER - Setup FG error into obs location
- SUFGLIM - Setup FG limits
- BLINT - Initialise blacklisting interface
- BTEMPDUP - Find (partial) duplicate of TEMP BUFR reports
- **DECIS - Make screening decision (most of the processes) is done here**
- UPECMA - Update the Extended CMA odb for compression
- PRSTA - Print screening statistics
- DEALSCR - Release the arrays used in screening

- The screening is the **last step of the pre-processing** of data in Arp/Ald/Arome DA system.
- We want to **remove the wrong data** and **make the final choice** inside the set of data which are said to be **potentially acceptable by the quality control and the monitoring system**.
- We need to **control** them against the **background**, to verify their **vertical consistency** and to **thin** them when their space resolutions are too high.

Selection of good observations -- Preliminary check

Some important steps (decis.F90):

- GETDB - Get the necessary data
- *PRECH - Preliminary check of datum/reports*
- *BLACKHAT - BLACK - Blacklisting*
- FIRST - First guess check
 - FGWND - All winds
 - FGCHK - Other parameters
- VERTCO - Vertical consistency check
- REDSL- remove redundancy at surf level
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PRECH:Preliminary check of observations:

- Check of **completeness** of the reports
- Check of the **reporting practice** for SYNOP/TEMP /PILOT mass observations [Ps & Z]
- check that there is **observation error, final observation error, first-guess, vertical coordinate**, etc...

BLACKHAT/BLACK:Blacklisting:

- Scanning for blacklisting :
 - A **monitoring blacklist decision** is applied for discarding the excessively **noisy** or **biased observations**.
 - A selection of variables for assimilation is done using the data selection part of the blacklist file and the information hard-coded in Arp/Ald/Arome (orographic rejection limit, land-sea rejection...).

Blacklisting of observations (1)

-- There are three ways:

- 1)-- using the LISTE_LOC files (mainly for blacklisting of satellite instruments)
- 2)-- using the LISTE_NOIRE_DIAP file (blacklisting parameters (groups) or stations)
- 3)-- use src/blacklist/mf_blacklist.b convention

For (1) and (2), see presentation about Bator by Alena Trojakova.

- 3) uses coding convention *which needs compilation* of the code to be activated.
- it's initialised in src/arpifs/obs_preproc/blinit.F90
 - Filled in src/arpifs/obs_preproc/black.F90

The flags are already
in the ODB at this
stage

Blacklisting of observations (2)

```
blinit.F90 = (/gpfs/ecgb/perm/ms/s...rmonie/src/arpifs/obs_preproc) - GVIM
mf_blacklist.b = (/gpfs/ecgb/...Harmonie/src/blacklist) - GVIM1
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CLDATA_NAME ( 1) = 'OBSTYP' ! observation type
CLDATA_NAME ( 2) = 'STATID' ! station id
CLDATA_NAME ( 3) = 'CODTYP' ! code type
CLDATA_NAME ( 4) = 'INSTRM' ! instrument type
CLDATA_NAME ( 5) = 'DATE' ! date
CLDATA_NAME ( 6) = 'TIME' ! time
CLDATA_NAME ( 7) = 'LAT' ! latitude
CLDATA_NAME ( 8) = 'LON' ! longitude
CLDATA_NAME ( 9) = 'STALT' ! station altitude
CLDATA_NAME (10) = 'LINE_SAT' ! line number atovs
CLDATA_NAME (11) = 'RETR_TYP' ! retrieval type
CLDATA_NAME (12) = 'QI_FC' ! EUMETSAT Quality Indicators: with forecast dependence
CLDATA_NAME (13) = 'RFF' ! CIMSS Quality Indicator: Recursive Filter Flag
CLDATA_NAME (14) = 'QI_NOFC' ! EUMETSAT Quality Indicators: without forecast dependence
CLDATA_NAME (22) = 'SENSOR' ! satellite sensor indicator
CLDATA_NAME (23) = 'FOV' ! field of view number
CLDATA_NAME (24) = 'SATZA' ! satellite zenith angle
CLDATA_NAME (27) = 'SOE' ! solar elevation
CLDATA_NAME (28) = 'QR' ! quality of retrieval
CLDATA_NAME (29) = 'CLC' ! cloud cover
CLDATA_NAME (30) = 'CP' ! cloud top pressure
CLDATA_NAME (31) = 'PT' ! product type
CLDATA_NAME (32) = 'SONDE_TYPE' ! sonde type
CLDATA_NAME (33) = 'SPECIFIC' ! amsua=clwp
CLDATA_NAME (35) = 'GEN_CENTRE' ! Generating centre
CLDATA_NAME (36) = 'GEN_SUBCENTRE' ! Generating sub-centre
CLDATA_NAME (37) = 'DATASTREAM' ! defined in routine datastream in odb
CLDATA_NAME (39) = 'RETRSOURCE' ! retrieval source
CLDATA_NAME (40) = 'SURFTYPE' ! surface type indicator
CLDATA_NAME (41) = 'SZA' ! solar zenith angle
CLDATA_NAME (42) = 'REPORTTYPE' ! MARS reporttype
CLDATA_NAME (43) = 'SOLAR_HOUR' ! solar hour used for allsky data
CLDATA_NAME (44) = 'STATION_IDENTIFIER' ! Station identifier (integer) valid for some conventional only
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```
external obstyp; ! 1) = 'OBSTYP' ! observation type
external char statid; ! 2) = 'STATID' ! station id
external codtyp; ! 3) = 'CODTYP' ! code type
external instrm; ! 4) = 'INSTRM' ! instrument type
external date; ! 5) = 'DATE' ! date
external time; ! 6) = 'TIME' ! time
external lat; ! 7) = 'LAT' ! latitude
external lon; ! 8) = 'LON' ! longitude
external stalt; ! 9) = 'STALT' ! station altitude
external line_sat; ! 10) = 'LINE_SAT' ! line position atovs
external retr_typ; ! 11) = 'RETR_TYP' ! retrieval type
external qi_fc; ! 12) = 'QI_FC' ! quality indicator 1
external rff; ! 13) = 'RFF' ! quality indicator 2
external qi_nofc; ! 14) = 'QI_NOFC' ! quality indicator 3
external modoro; ! 15) = 'MODORO' ! model orography
external lsmask; ! 16) = 'LSMASK' ! land-sea mask
external rlsmask; ! 17) = 'RLSMASK' ! floating point lsmask
external modps; ! 18) = 'MODPS' ! model surface pressure
external modts; ! 19) = 'MODTS' ! model surface temperature
external modt2m; ! 20) = 'MODT2M' ! model 2 metre temperature
external modttop; ! 21) = 'MODTOP' ! model top level pressure (hPa)
external sensor; ! 22) = 'SENSOR' ! satellite sensor indicator
external fov; ! 23) = 'FOV' ! field of view number
external satza; ! 24) = 'SATZA' ! satellite zenith angle
external nandat; ! 25) = 'NANDAT' ! analysis date
external nantim; ! 26) = 'NANTIM' ! analysis time
external soe; ! 27) = 'SOE' ! solar elevation
external qr; ! 28) = 'QR' ! quality of retrieval
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external specific ; ! 33) = 'SPECIFIC' ! amsua=clwp sur mer
external sea_ice ; ! 34) = 'SEA_ICE' ! sea-ice fraction
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123,48 54% 297,20 20%

blinit.F90

mf_blacklist.b



Blacklisting of observations -- the rules (3)

Example: blacklisting of SYNOP & DRIBU observations

```
!----- SYNOP CONSTANT DATA SELECTION -----!  
if (OBSTYP = synop) then  
  if VARIAB in (t2m,rh2m) then  
    if (soe < 10.0 ) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  endif;  
  if VARIAB in (u10m, v10m) then  
    if (SPECIFIC > 0.0 ) then  
      if (CODTYP in (11, 14, 16)) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
      if (RLSMASK > 0.) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
    end if;  
    if (STALT >= 0.) and (abs(STALT - MODORO) > 200.0) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  endif;  
  if VARIAB in (rh, q) then  
    if (PRESS <= 300.) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  endif;  
  if (VARIAB = rh2m) then  
    if (CODTYP in (21, 22, 23, 24)) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
    if (RLSMASK < 0.5) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
    if (STALT >= 0.) and (abs(STALT - MODORO) > 200.0) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  endif;  
endif;  
!  
!----- DRIBU CONSTANT DATA SELECTION -----!  
if (OBSTYP = dribu) then  
  if VARIAB in (u10m, v10m) then  
    if (RLSMASK > 0.) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
    if (STALT >= 0.) and (abs(STALT - MODORO) > 200.0) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  endif;  
endif;  
!  
!----- AIREP CONSTANT DATA SELECTION -----!  
if (OBSTYP = airep) then  
  if VARIAB notin (u, v, t) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  if (PRESS < 50) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
  if (PRESS > MODPS) then fail(CONSTANT); endif;  
endif;
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Convention:

fail(constant) --> blacklist

fail(experimental) --> passive assimilation

fail(monthly) --> blacklist

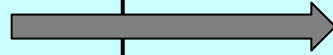
For passive assimilation:

-- check the routine UPECMA to increase the observation error

First-guess/background check

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FIRST: Background quality control:

- It is performed for all the variables to be used in the assimilation
- The variance of the background departure is estimated by :

$$\langle y - H(x_b), y - H(x_b) \rangle \sim \sigma_o^2 + \sigma_b^2$$

- The estimate of variance for the normalized departure is given by :

$$\left(1 + \frac{\sigma_o^2}{\sigma_b^2}\right) = \lambda$$

- If $\left(\frac{y - H(x_b)}{\sigma_b}\right)^2 > n * \lambda$ then observation y is suspected
- > n (flag limit) = 15 for wind observations, for example
- > σ_o and σ_b are the observation and background errors
 σ_b is interpolated from the file called errgrib

Observation errors and its tuning through sigmao_coef

For conventional observations: in bator_init_mod.F90

```
SIGMAO_COEF=1._JPRB
ECTERO(NSYNOP,2,41:42,1) = ECTERO(NSYNOP,2,41:42,1) * SIGMAO_COEF(NSYNOP)
ECTERO(NAIREP,1,2:4,1:19) = ECTERO(NAIREP,1,2:4,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NAIREP)
ECTERO(NSATOB,;,3:4,1:19) = ECTERO(NSATOB,;,3:4,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NSATOB)
ECTERO(NDRIBU,1,1,1) = ECTERO(NDRIBU,1,1,1) * SIGMAO_COEF(NDRIBU)
ECTERO(NDRIBU,1,41:42,1) = ECTERO(NDRIBU,1,41:42,1) * SIGMAO_COEF(NDRIBU)
ECTERO(NTEMP,1,2:4,1:19) = ECTERO(NTEMP,1,2:4,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NTEMP)
ECTERO(NTEMP,1,41:42,1:19) = ECTERO(NTEMP,1,41:42,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NTEMP)
ECTERO(NPILOT,1,2:4,1:19) = ECTERO(NPILOT,1,2:4,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NPILOT)
ECTERO(NPILOT,1,41:42,1:19) = ECTERO(NPILOT,1,41:42,1:19) * SIGMAO_COEF(NPILOT)
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For satellite observations: in defrun.F90

!* 2.6 Modification of sigmaos with coefficient SIGMAO_COEF

```
WRITE(CLFMT,FMT="((' SIGMAO_COEF(1:',I2,') =',I2,'F8.3)')")JPNOTP,JPNOTP
WRITE(NULOUT,FMT=CLFMT) SIGMAO_COEF(:)
IF(.NOT.LECMWF)THEN
ROERR_RAD1C(:,;)=ROERR_RAD1C(:,;)*SIGMAO_COEF(NSATEM)
DO JOBT=1,JPNOTP
RBGQC(:,JOBT,;)=RBGQC(:,JOBT,;)/(SIGMAO_COEF(JOBT)*SIGMAO_COEF(JOBT))
ENDDO
RBGQC_RAD1C(:,;)=RBGQC_RAD1C(:,;)/
(SIGMAO_COEF(NSATEM)*SIGMAO_COEF(NSATEM))
ROERR_QSCAT = ROERR_QSCAT * SIGMAO_COEF(NSCATT)
ENDIF
```

Observation operators

The observation operators HOP (hop.F90):

- OBSOP_RAD - for radiance
- OBSOP_RADAR - for radar
- **OBSOP_CONV - for conventional and retrievals**
- OBSOP_GPSRO - for GPS radio occultation
- OBS_OP_LIMB_RAD - for limb radiance
- OBS_PRECIP_ACCUM - for accum precipitation
- OBSOP_GPS_SURFACE - for GPS ZTD
- OBSOP_COMPOSITION - for atm. composition
- OBSOP_VARBC - generic VarBC task in H

LGOM_PLUS_DUMP

--> GOM_PLUS_DUMP -- can be run offline

OBSOP_CONV - HRETR_CONV - ...

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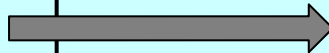
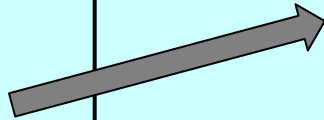
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Selection of good observations -- Vertical consistency check

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VERTCO:Vertical consistency of multilevel reports

- The **duplicated levels**, in multi-level reports, **are removed** from the reports.
- If **4 consecutive layers** are found to be **of suspicious quality** the data is considered as “really bad” these **layers are rejected (T&Wind&Hum)** or if it’s about **geopotential**, then **all data rejected**.

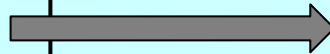
DUPLI_NO_SQ/DUPLI:Removal of duplicate reports

- In case of **co-located reports** of the same observation types, **some or all of the content of one of the reports is rejected**.

Selection of good observations -- Redundancy check

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 - FGCHK - Other parameters
- VERTCO - Vertical consistency check
- REDSL- *remove redundancy at surf level*
 - TEMP/PILOT - *reject redundancy*
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An other complex process involving lot of tasks/routines (see the following slides)

REDSL: for surface level & REDUN: for all reports

Few examples:

- It is performed for the active reports that are co-located and originate from the same station.
- For land **Synop**, the report closest to the centre of the screening time window with most active data is retained.
- The ship **Synop** are redundant if the moving platforms are within a circle of 1 degree radius.
- **Temp** and **Pilot** from same station are considered at the same time in the redundancy check.
- A **Synop** mass observation is redundant if there are any **Temp** geopotential height observations (observed at the same time and the same station) that are no more than 50hPa above the **Synop** mass observation.

Selection of good observations -- Thinning

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- The horizontal and vertical resolutions of several types of observations are too high to allow to use all of them in **Arp/Ald/Arm** analysis (knowing that no horizontal correlation of observation errors is supported)
- A horizontal thinning is performed for the Aircraft (**Airep**, **Amdar**, ...), the AMV (**Satob** or **geowind**) and the sat. observations (**Atovs**, **IASI**, ...etc) reports
- A vertical thinning is also performed for the Aircraft and the AMV reports
- A predefined minimum horizontal distance between the nearby reports from the same platform is enforced
- For moving (sat) platforms, a two steps thinning is performed:
 - first with a minimum distance of $RMIND_{\{OBSTYPE\}}$ is enforced
 - Then a repeated scan is performed to achieve the final separation of $RFIND_{\{OBSTYPE\}}$
 - $RMIND_{*}$ and $RFIND_{*}$ belong to NAMSCC

Selection of good observations -- Thinning (aircraft)

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MOVPL - THIAIR



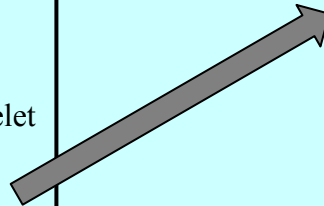
THIAIR: thinning of aircraft data

- One flight consist of a set of reports
- Thinning is performed for each flight separately
- 3D boxes are constructed around model levels
- In each box the report closest to the analysis date with the most active observations is selected
- Box size is set in metres via **RFIND_AIREP** in **NAMSCC**.
- A minimum distance by **RFIND_AIREP** is enforced

Selection of good observations -- Thinning (satellite)

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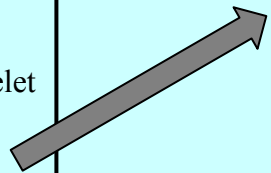
New_THINN: thinning of AMV data

- First a minimum distance of RMIND_SATOB is enforced
- Then a repeated scan is performed to achieve the final separation of RFIND_SATOB.
- We want to keep only one obs per box defined horizontally by the minimum distance and vertically around the standard levels
- The obs will be chosen according to the following criterias :
 - Number of active data in the report
 - The closest report to the time that corresponds to the centre of the screening time window

Selection of good observations -- Thinning (satellite)

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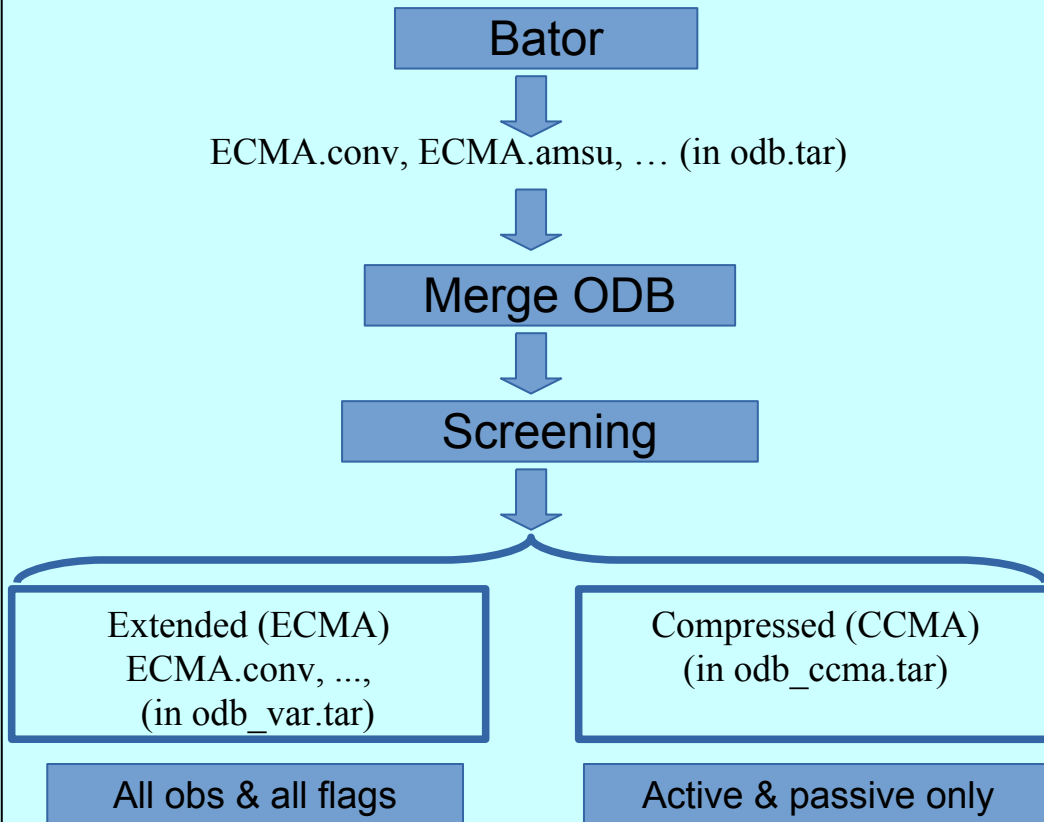


New THINN: thinning of radiance data

- First a minimum distance of RMIND_RAD1C(sensor) is enforced
- Then a repeated scan is performed to achieve the final separation of RFIND_RAD1C(sensor).
- The selection criterias are the following:
 - A sea sounding is preferred over a land one.
 - A clear sounding is preferred over a cloudy one.
 - The closest report to the time that corresponds to the centre of the screening time window is preferred

Where sensor: 0 → HIRS 16 → IASI
 1 → MSU 3 → AMSU-A
 4 / 15 → AMSU-B/MHS ... etc

Observations processing and executable



Screening configuration: **002**

```
MASTERODB -c002 -maladin -vmeteo -eMIN1 -t001 -ft0  
-asli -procs ${NPROC}
```

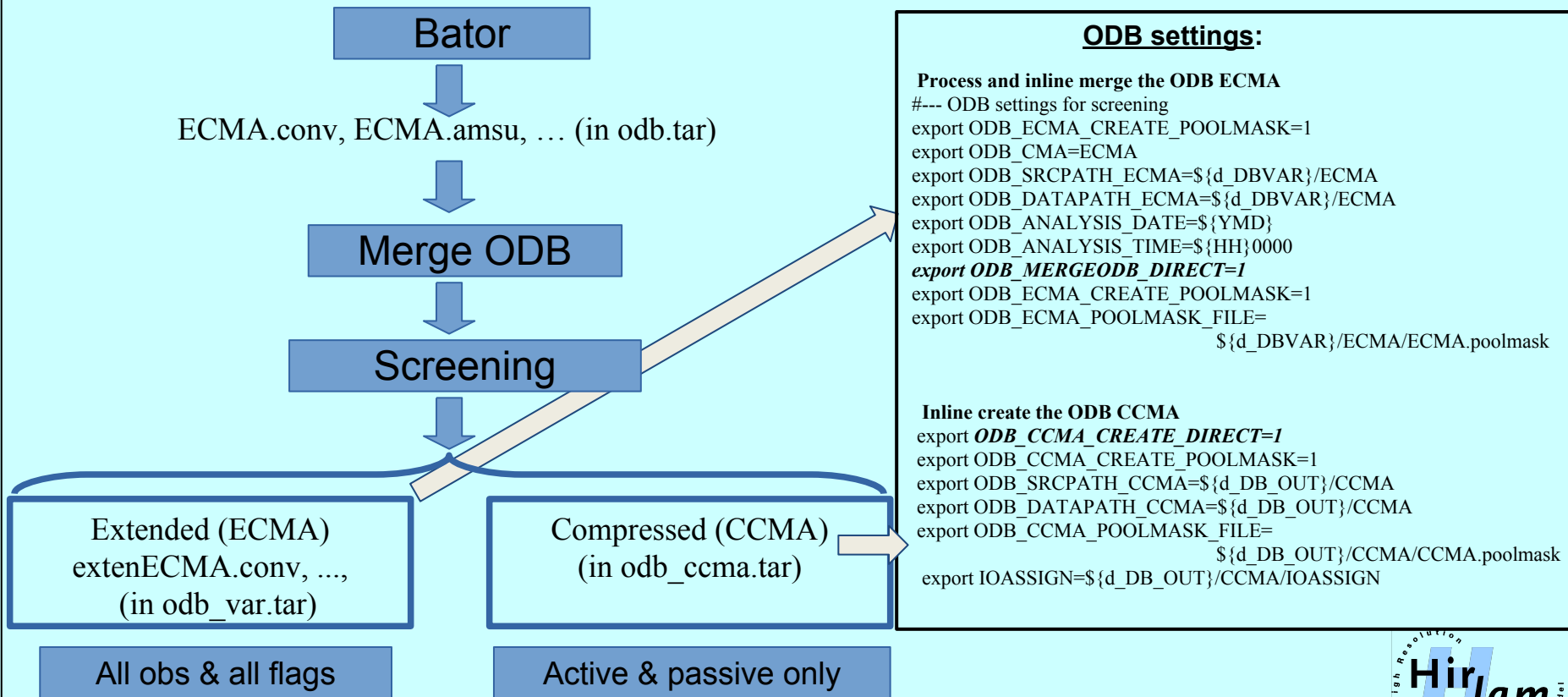
Needed Input

- ECMA ODB (observations, observation error)
- First guess (ICMSHMIN1INIT, ICMSHMIN1IMIN, ICMRFMIN10000, ELSCFMIN1ALBC000, ELSCFMIN1ALBC)
- Constants, statistics
- Namelists

Output

ODB CCMA and UPDATED ODB ECMA

Observations processing and executable



some important namelists

Namelists:

Thinning of moving platforms

```
&NAMSCC  
RMIND_RAD1C(0)=60000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(1)=60000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(15)=40000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(16)=60000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(2)=60000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(3)=60000.,  
RMIND_RAD1C(4)=40000.,  
RMIND_SATAM=25000.,  
RMIND_SATOB=25000.,  
RFIND_AIREP=25000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(0)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(1)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(15)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(16)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(2)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(3)=80000.,  
RFIND_RAD1C(4)=80000.,  
RFIND_SATAM=45000.,  
RFIND_SATOB=45000.,  
/
```

```
&NAMCT0  
LSCREEN=.TRUE.,  
(L_SCREEN_CALL=.FALSE.,)  
LOBS=.TRUE.,  
LSIMOB=.FALSE.,  
LOBSC1=.TRUE.,  
/
```

```
&NAMOBS  
LAMSUB_FULL=.TRUE.,  
LCACHMT=.TRUE.,  
LCAPACH=.TRUE.,  
LHDRRH2=.TRUE.,  
LMKCMARPL(2,9)=.TRUE.,  
LRSTBIAS_ODB=.FALSE.,  
LSCATT_NEUTRAL=.TRUE.,  
LSLRW10=.TRUE.,  
LSOE=.TRUE.,  
NOBSHOR=201,  
/
```

```
&NAMJO  
SIGMAO_COEF(:)=0.9,  
/
```

Please don't be confused. This is not needed. Except for screening without QC, for ex. the case of obs simulation or verification against all obs, ...

Define the horizontal interpolation technique

Reinitialize the observation error

Few tips on how to check the outputs?

```
grep "SCREENING STATISTICS"
```

You can see all this:

STATUS SUMMARY OF REPORTS:

STATUS SUMMARY OF DATA:

EVENT SUMMARY OF REPORTS:

EVENT SUMMARY OF DATA:

NUMBER OF VARIABLES IN DIFFERENT OBSERVATION TYPES:

NUMBER OF DEPARTURES IN DIFFERENT OBSERVATION TYPES:

NUMBER OF MISSING DEPARTURES IN DIFFERENT OBSERVATION TYPES:

```
*** SCREENING STATISTICS
-----
*** FOR WHOLE OBSERVATION ARRAY

STATUS SUMMARY OF REPORTS:

OB.TYP   REPORTS   ACTIVE   PASSIVE   REJECTED  BLACKLISTED
  1         4919     633      0         4286      0
  2         2538    2255     0         283       0
  3           0      0         0          0         0
  4           0      0         0          0         0
  5          25      3         0          22         0
  6           0      0         0          0         0
  7           0      0         0          0         0
  8           0      0         0          0         0
  9           0      0         0          0         0
 10          0      0         0          0         0
 11          0      0         0          0         0
 12          0      0         0          0         0
 13          0      0         0          0         0
 14          0      0         0          0         0
 15          0      0         0          0         0
 16          0      0         0          0         0
 17          0      0         0          0         0
 18          0      0         0          0         0
-----
TOT         7482    2891     0         4591      0

STATUS SUMMARY OF DATA:

OB.TYP   REPORTS   ACTIVE   PASSIVE   REJECTED  BLACKLISTED
  1      28459    1820    3355     12604    16359
  2      7567     6824     0         942      139
  3           0      0         0          0         0
  4           0      0         0          0         0
  5      16563    2407     0         8507     5941
  6           0      0         0          0         0
  7           0      0         0          0         0
  8           0      0         0          0         0
  9           0      0         0          0         0
 10          0      0         0          0         0
 11          0      0         0          0         0
 12          0      0         0          0         0
 13          0      0         0          0         0
 14          0      0         0          0         0
 15          0      0         0          0         0
 16          0      0         0          0         0
 17          0      0         0          0         0
 18          0      0         0          0         0
-----
TOT      52829    11051    3355     22053    22439
```

Few tips on how to check the outputs?

grep "Diagnostic"

and more ...

```
Diagnostic JO-table (JOT) SCREENING JOB T0323 HCONF= 1 HSH4D= 0 HUPTRA= 0
-----
Obstype= 1 === SYNOP, Land stations and ships
-----
Codetype= 11 === SYNOP Land Manual Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 498 127.2994859928 0.26 0.200E+01 0.000E+00
H2 254 94.04037027786 0.37 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 240 70.08362358227 0.29 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 256 119.0692975021 0.47 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
Codetype= 14 === SYNOP Land Automatic Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 2692 878.0823445974 0.33 0.200E+01 0.000E+00
H2 1313 678.7437649819 0.52 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 1035 288.1328401761 0.26 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 1348 618.4797321929 0.46 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
Codetype= 21 === SYNOP-SHIP Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 45 41.07659586235 0.89 0.270E+01 0.000E+00
H2 20 20.02603520739 1.00 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 23 877.0615862535 38.13 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 22 23.02903612921 1.05 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
TS 14 3.050308098383 0.22 0.150E+01 0.000E+00
Codetype= 24 === SYNOP Automatic SHIP Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 552 160.4898414612 0.29 0.270E+01 0.000E+00
H2 355 165.2673491480 0.47 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 376 60.71227402200 0.16 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 392 205.1963606272 0.52 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
TS 60 31.76533099757 0.53 0.150E+01 0.000E+00
Codetype= 170 === BUFR Land SYNOP Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 4262 1290.646000818 0.30 0.200E+01 0.000E+00
H2 2182 1163.419225604 0.53 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 1550 434.8511007921 0.27 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 2232 1038.055585436 0.47 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
Codetype= 182 === BUFR Ship SYNOP Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U10 712 353.7903727960 0.50 0.200E+01 0.000E+00
H2 451 192.3136516557 0.43 0.100E+00 0.000E+00
Z 471 951.6244067424 2.02 0.785E+02 0.000E+00
T2 488 242.8647646806 0.50 0.140E+01 0.000E+00
TS 103 39.39188034788 0.38 0.150E+01 0.000E+00
-----
Obstype= 1 Total: 21987 10148.56316598 0.46
-----
Obstype= 2 === AIRREP, Aircraft data
-----
Codetype= 141 === AIRREP Aircraft Report
Variable DataCount Jo_Costfunction JO/n ObsErr BgErr
U 2 0.6100299231297 0.31 0.279E+01 0.000E+00
```


Few tips on how to check the outputs? *datum_status* and *datum_event1*

```

Obstype 5 === TRMP, Radiosondes
-----
Codetype Variable DataCount datum_status % datum_event1 % (rounded UP to nearest integer, see key below)
      Activ Pass Rej Black 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26

35 TRMP Land Report U 1970 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report U10 22 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report H 639 0.0 0.0 6.7 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 5 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report H2 11 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report T 639 0.0 0.0 5.3 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report Z 607 0.0 0.0 1.2 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report T2 11 0.0 0.0 0.0 100.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
35 TRMP Land Report Q 556 0.0 0.0 18.5 116.9 0 17 17 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

105 BUFR Land TRMP U 4014 24.4 0.0 75.5 0.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP U10 24 0.0 0.0 8.3 91.7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP H 2007 16.1 0.0 50.2 33.8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP H2 12 16.7 0.0 66.7 16.7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP T 2007 24.4 0.0 75.5 0.0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP Z 2019 14.0 0.0 85.8 0.2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 10 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP T2 12 16.7 0.0 66.7 16.7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
105 BUFR Land TRMP Q 2019 16.1 0.0 50.2 33.7 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

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datum_event1 key

1= MISSING VERTICAL COORDINATE
2= MISSING OBSERVED VALUE
3= MISSING FIRST GUESS VALUE
4= REJECTED DUE TO RDB FLAG
5= ASSIM OF CLOUD-AFFECTED RADIANCE
6= BAD REPORTING PRACTICE
7= VERTICAL POSITION OUT OF RANGE
8= TOO BIG FIRST GUESS DEPARTURE
9= TOO BIG DEPARTURE IN ASSIMILATION
10= TOO BIG OBSERVATION ERROR
11= REDUNDANT DATUM
12= REDUNDANT LEVEL
13= NOT AN ANALYSIS VARIABLE
14= DUPLICATED DATUM/LEVEL
15= TOO MANY SURFACE DATA/LEVELS
16= LEVEL SELECTION
17= VERTICAL CONSISTENCY CHECK
18= VERTICAL COORDINATE CHANGED FROM Z TO P
19= COMBINED FLAGGING
20= DATUM REJECTED DUE TO REJECTED REPORT
21= VARIATIONAL QC PERFORMED
22= OBS ERROR INCREASED
23= CLOUD CONTAMINATION
24= RAIN CONTAMINATION
25= AEROSOL CONTAMINATION
26= BAD RH SENSITIVITY
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Thank you

Thank you for your attention

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