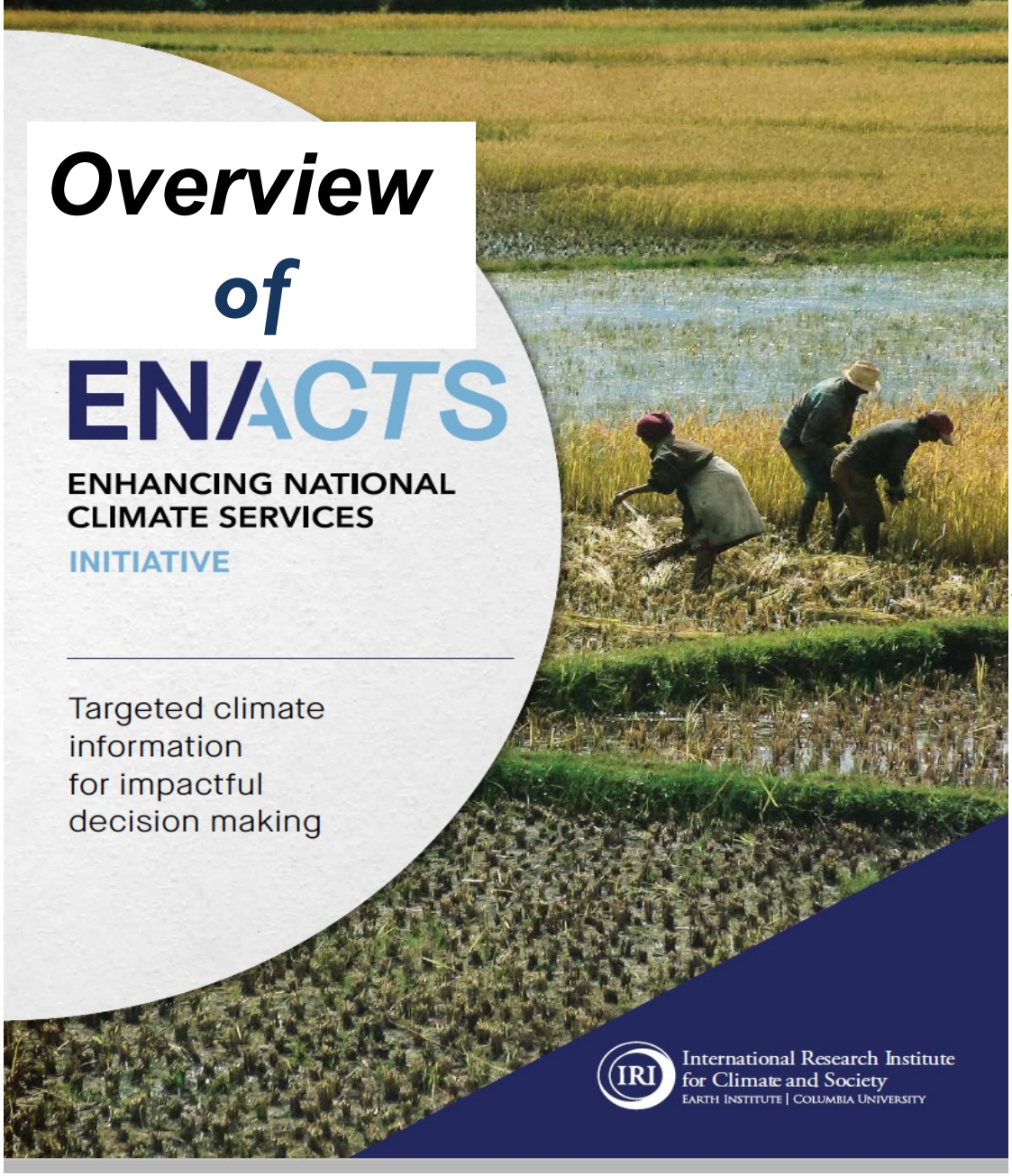

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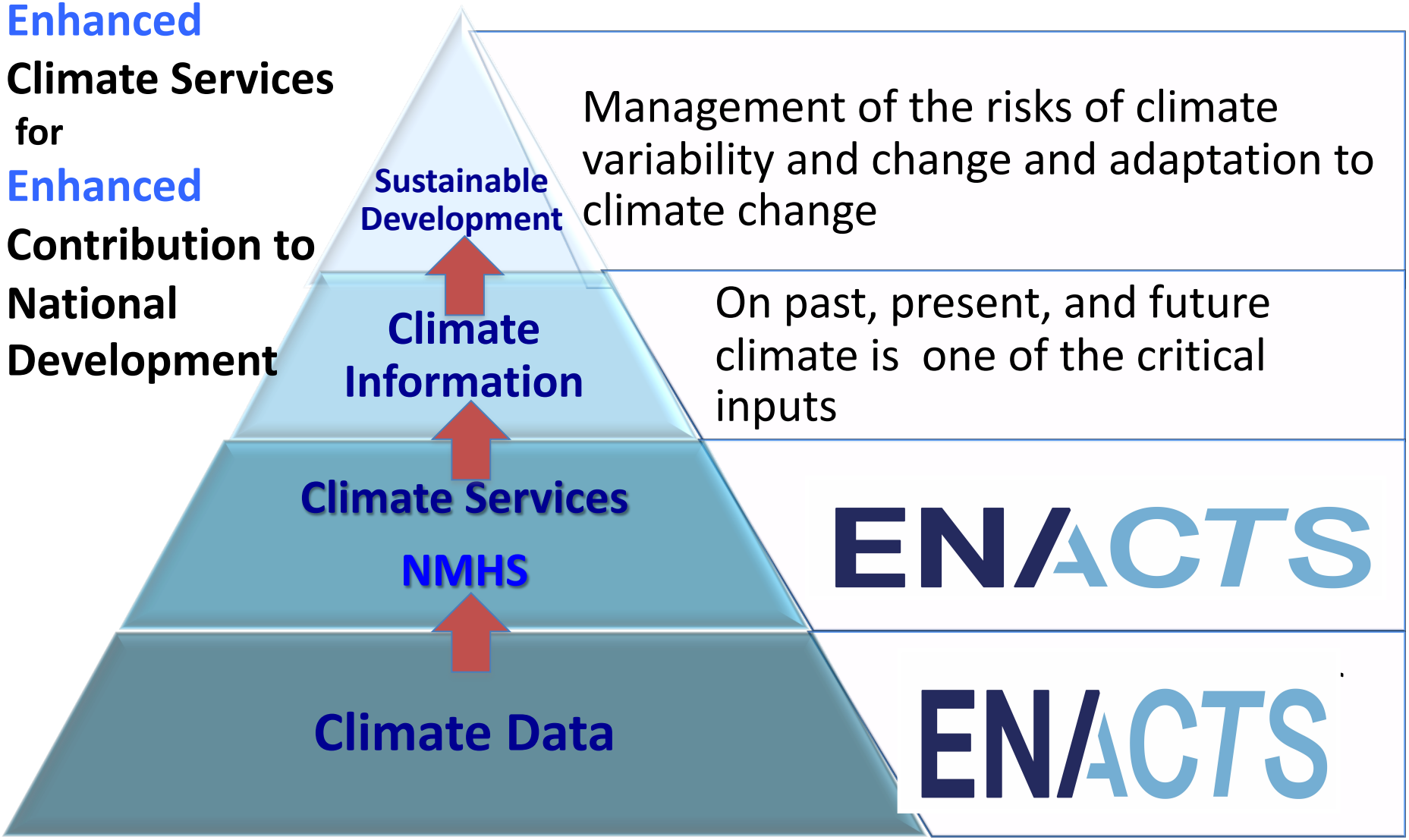
I. Why ENACTS?

Enhanced Climate Services for Enhanced Contribution to National Development



Climate data is the **foundation** of Climate Services

Good data:

➔ **Strong foundation**

➔ **Reliable climate information services**

Bad/No data:

➔ **Weak foundation**

➔ **Unreliable climate information services**

II. What is ENACTS?

- **Strives to simultaneously improve availability, access and use of climate information.**

- **Works with NMHS to quality-control all available station data and combine them with satellite and reanalysis products.**

- **Supports global and regional efforts:**
  - **Lays the foundation for the implementation of GFCS (Global Framework for Climate Services) at national level.**
  - **Supports the realization of the AMCOMET Integrated African Strategy on Meteorology**

The Three Pillars of ENACTS

Enhance Access

Develop online tools for data analysis and visualization

Promote Use

Engage users:

- *Raise* awareness
- Build capacity of the user community
- Involve users in product development

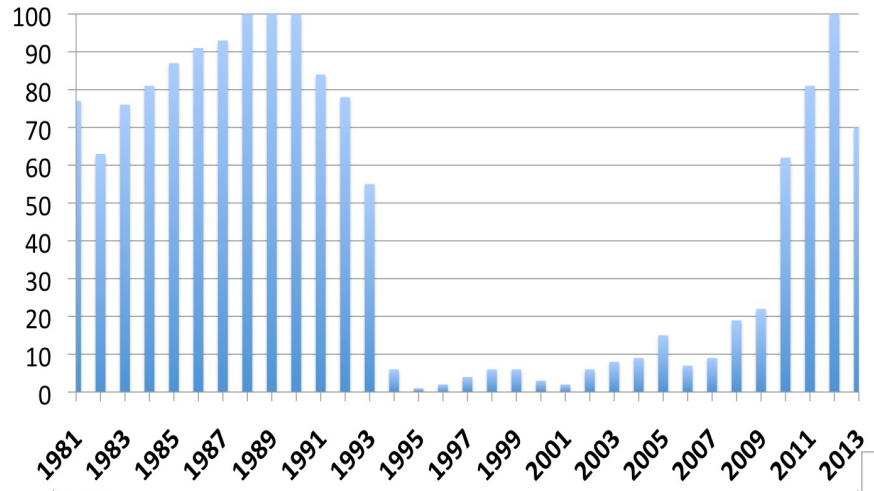
Improve Data Availability

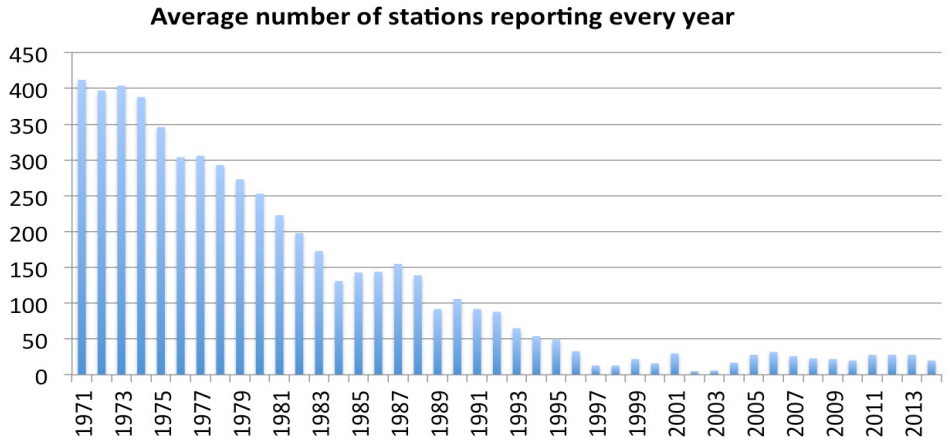
- Build capacity of NMHS
- Quality Control station data
- Combine station data with proxies
- Improve seasonal forecast

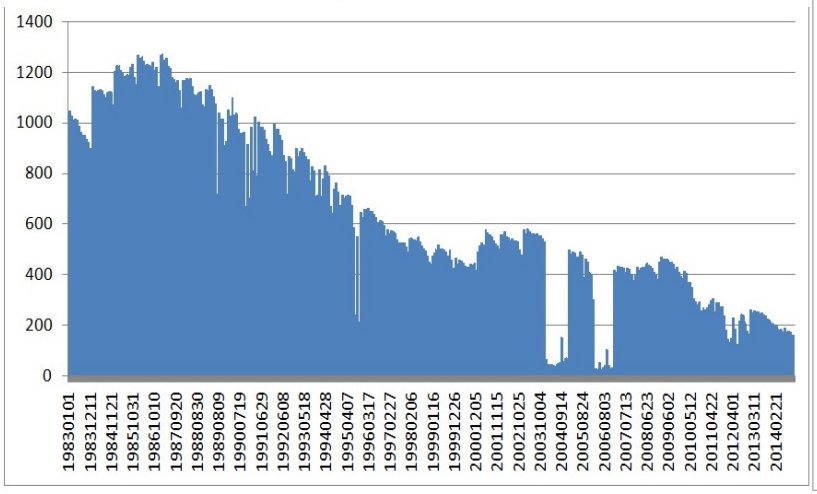
1. Improving availability

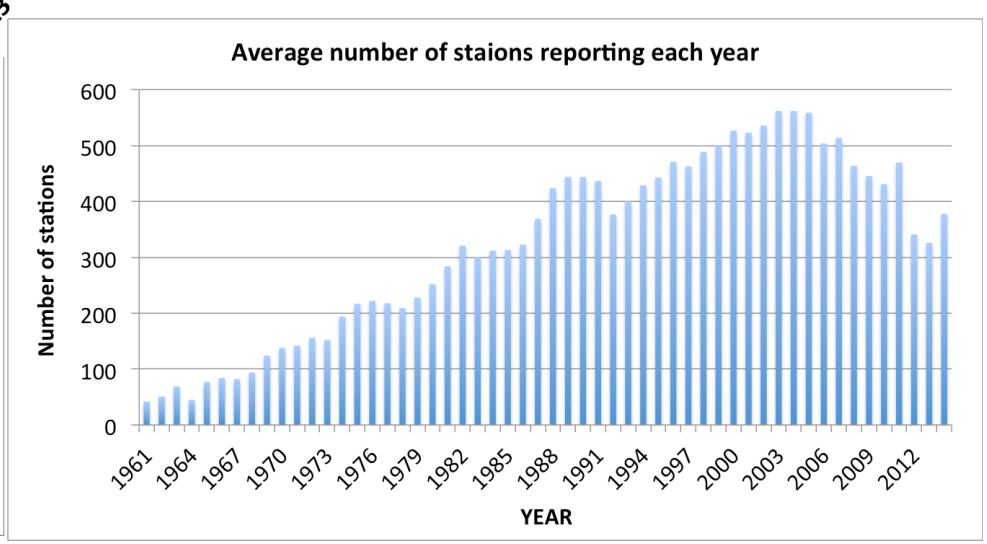
1.1. Assess Data Availability

This has helped the NMS look at their own data in a different way



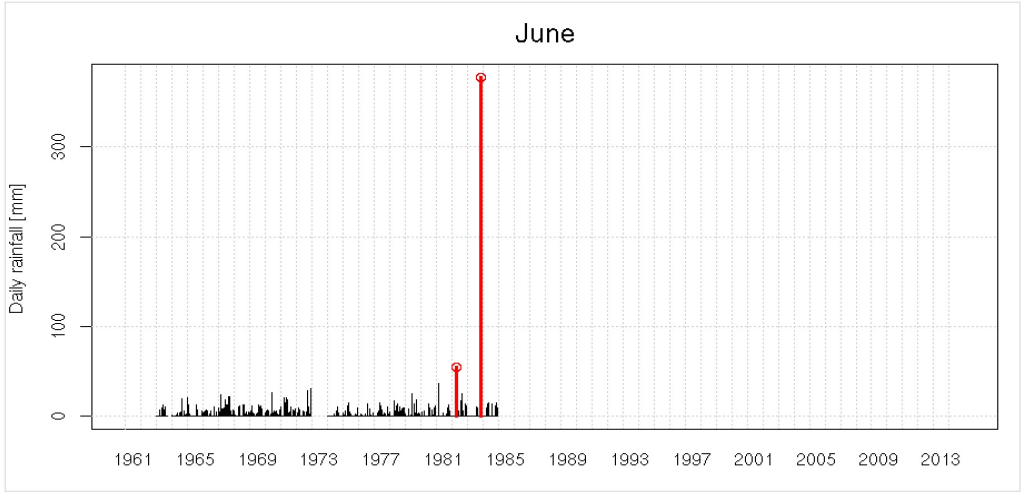


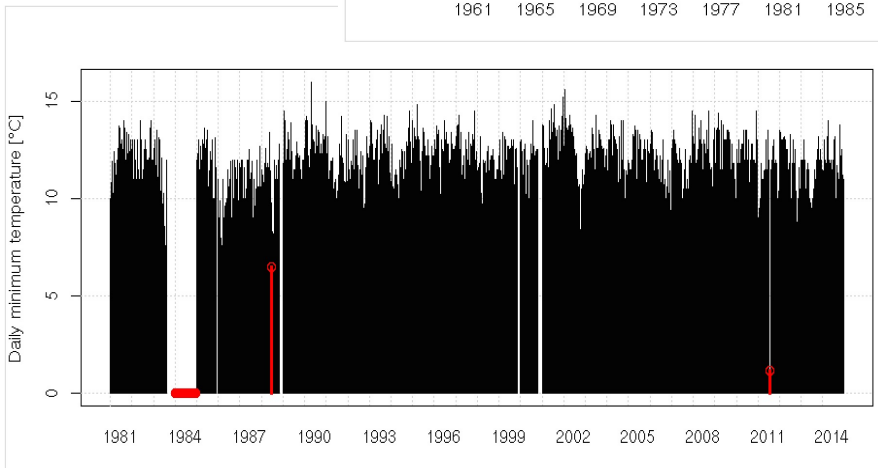


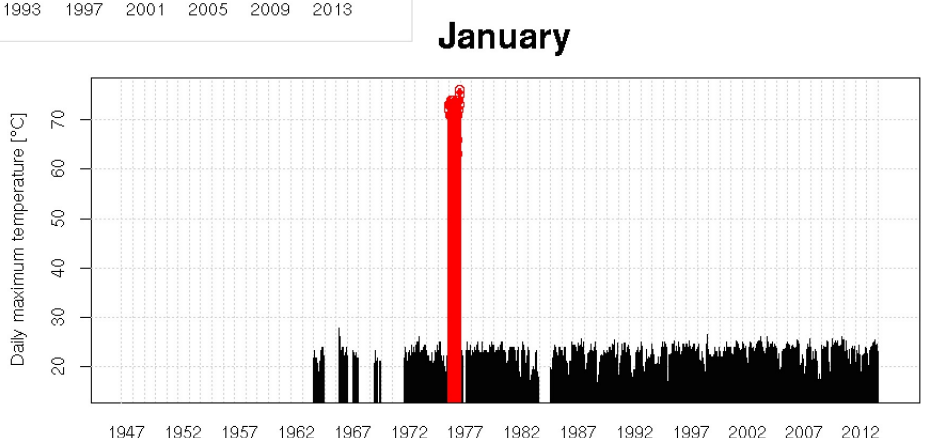


Improving availability

1.2 Assess Data Quality

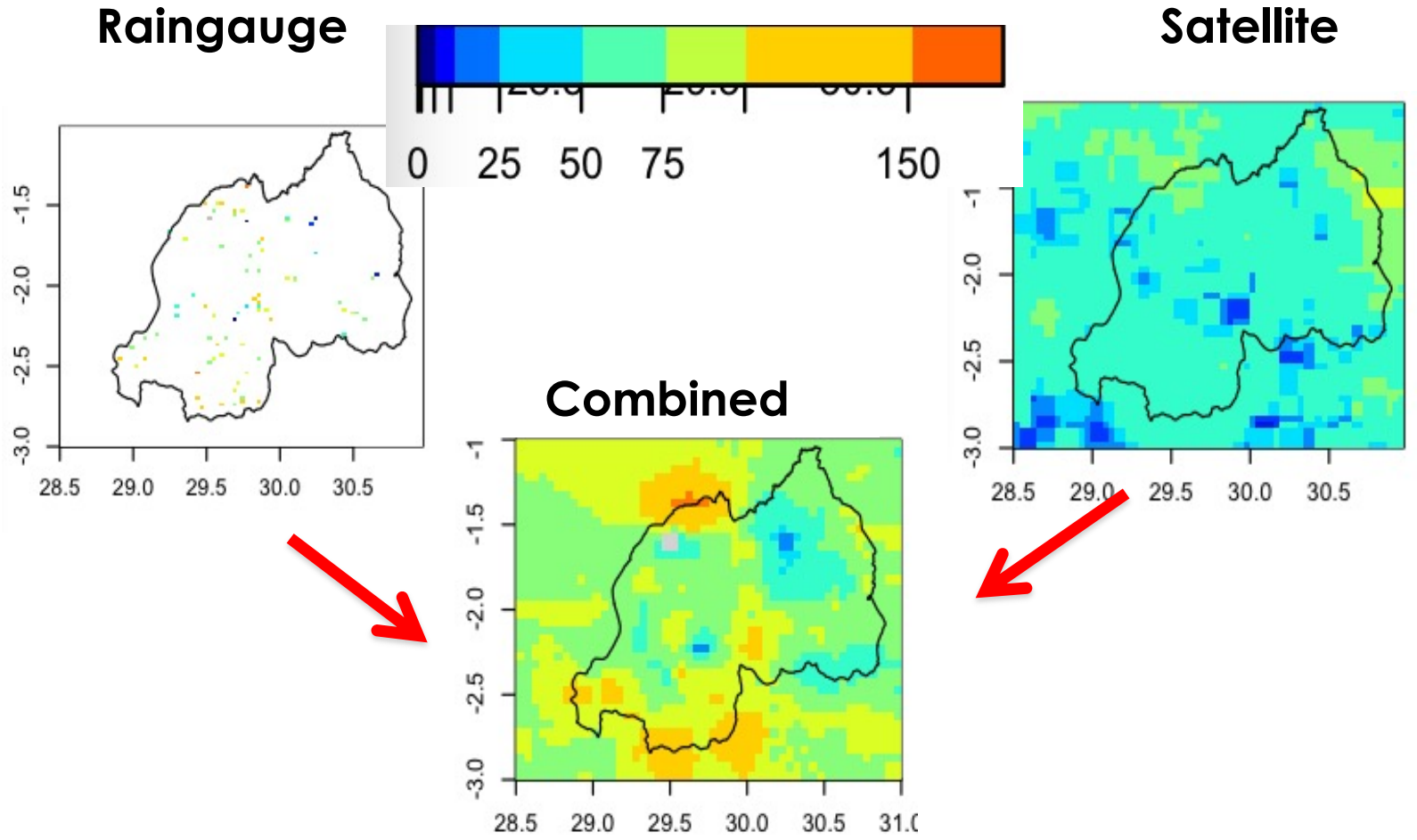




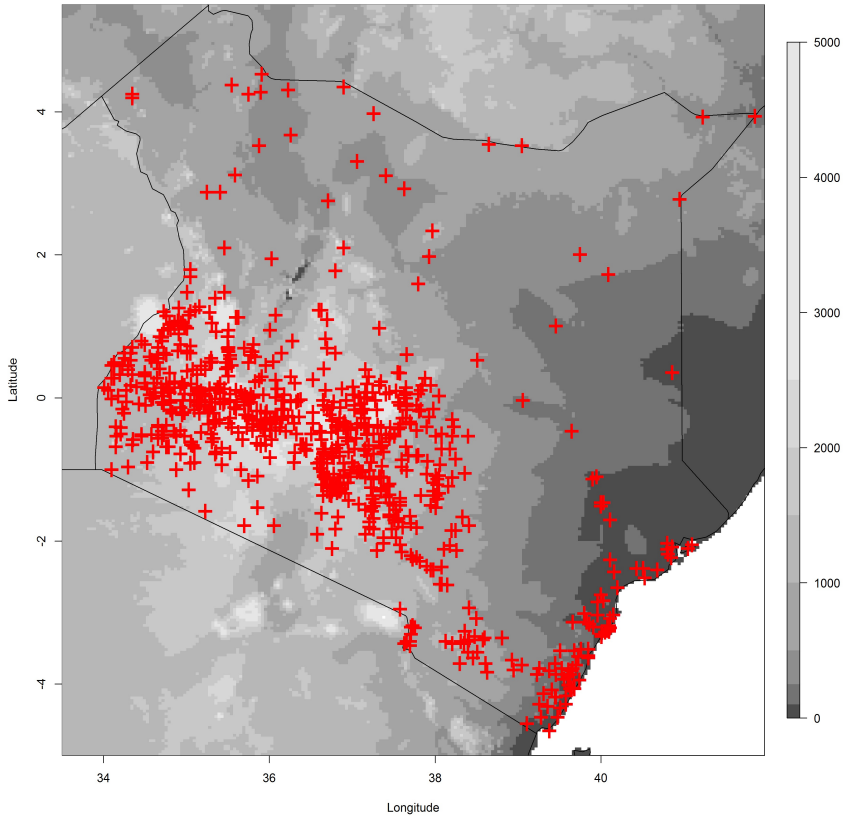


Improving availability

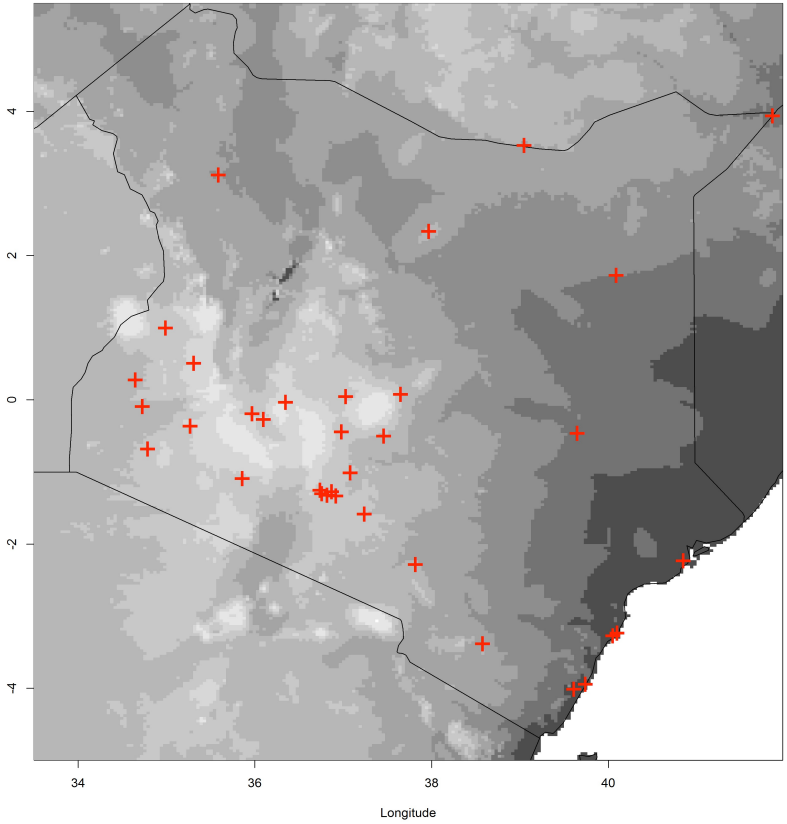
3. Combining station data with proxies: Rainfall



Advantages of ENACTS Data



Rainfall Stations used in ENACTS

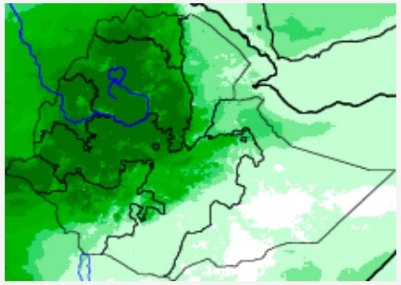


Rainfall Stations available globally

2. Enhancing Access: Maprooms

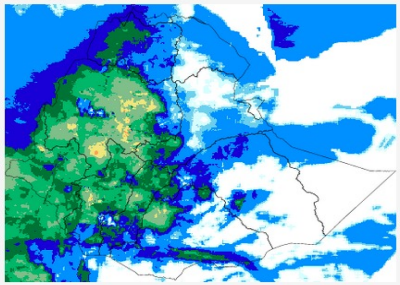
Climate

Historical, current and forecast climate conditions around the country.



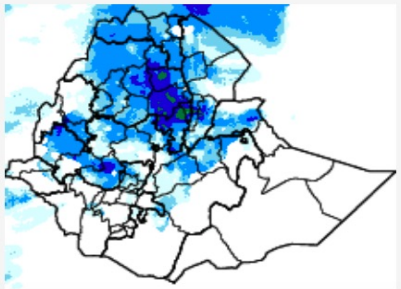
Climate and Water

Historical, current and forecast water conditions around the country.



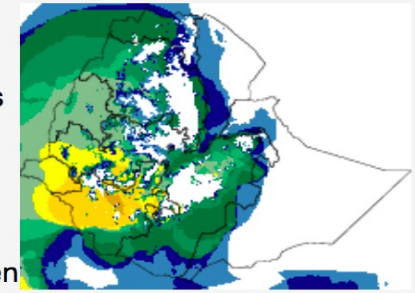
Climate and Agriculture

The variability of seasonal precipitation, and the sub-seasonal statistics of these, play a key role in the quality and quantity of agricultural output.



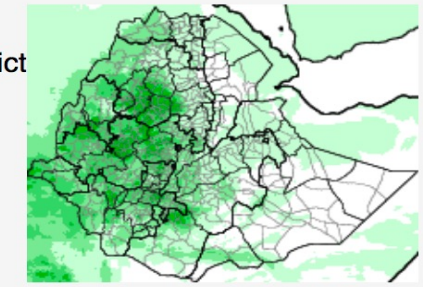
Climate and Health

Empirically-derived thresholds of precipitation, temperature and relative humidity are used to assess the climatic suitability of malaria transmission. The interactive map initially displays the number of months during the year when climatological averages meet these requirements. Users may gain insight into how often these conditions have actually occurred during any particular month by clicking on the map at the location of interest.



Surveillance Suite

(1) Are there significant trends in the seasons that affect this region/zone/district (Monthly-Yearly)?

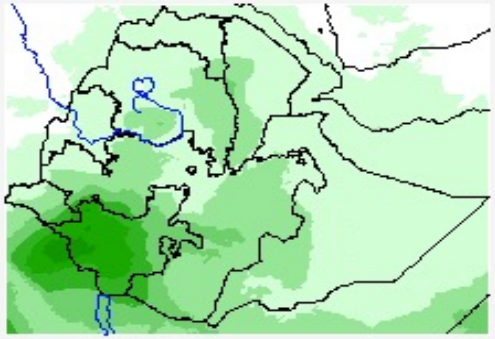


Enhancing Access: Climate Maproom

Climate Analysis	Climate Monitoring	Climate Forecast

Monthly Climate Analysis

Rainfall and temperature time series (1983-2010) reconstructed from station observations and remote sensing proxies. This interface allows users to view rainfall, maximum and minimum temperature climatologies and anomalies.



Dekad Climate Analysis

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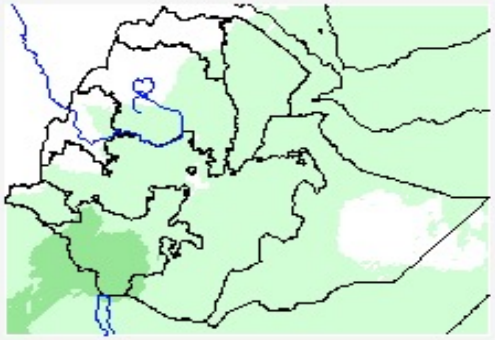
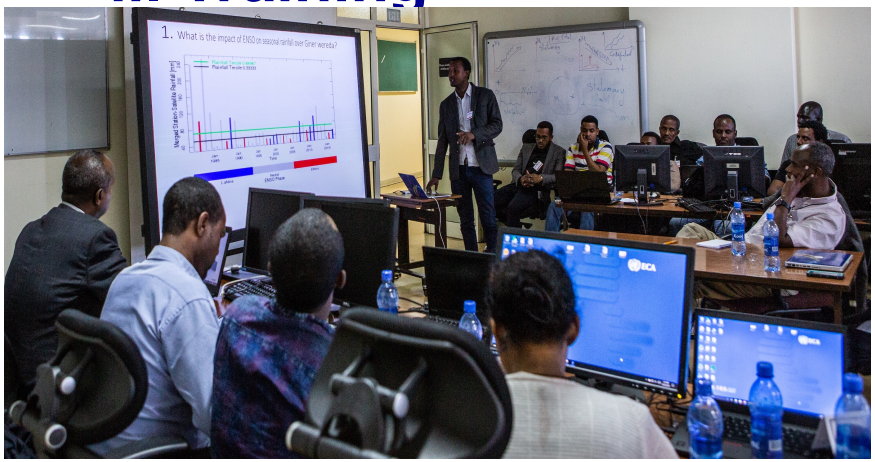


- The maprooms are just demonstrations of what can be done with improved climate data and the IRI Data library
- Many more additional climate information products can be generated

3. Promote Use

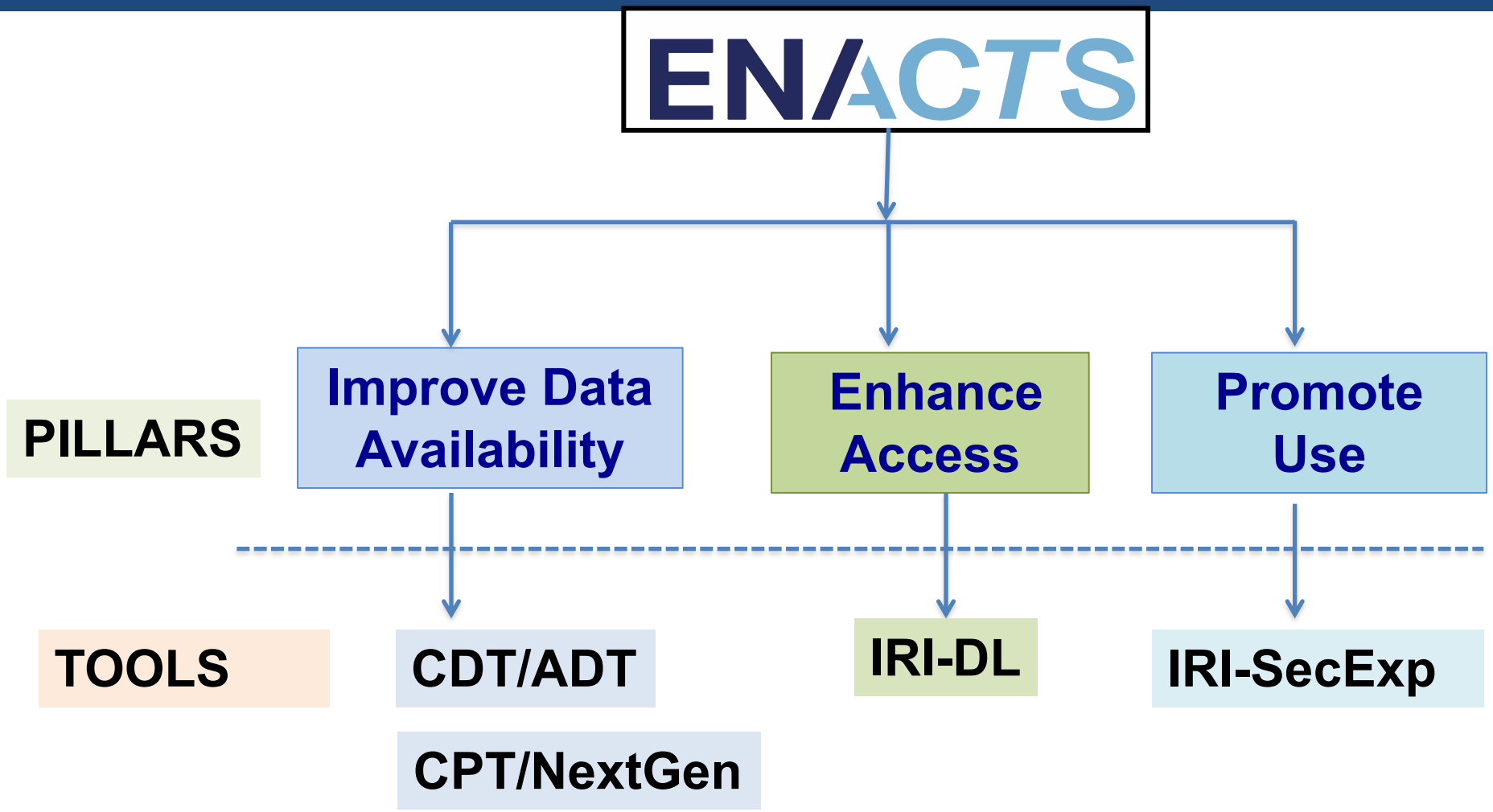
i. Awareness raising

ii. Training



iii. Involving users in product generation

4. ENACTS Tools



5. Summary of Outputs

- **Over 35 years of climate data time series for every 4km grid across each country:**
  - **Now data available where there are no stations**
- **Installation of the IRI Data Library at NMHS**
  - **A powerful tool for generating climate information**
- **Unprecedented online access to information products:**
  - **Satisfies the needs of many users**
  - **Overcomes (partly) the challenges of data access**
- **Built capacity at NMHS and some user communities**

ENACTS Countries and RCCs

Ethiopia
Gambia
Ghana
Kenya
Madagasca
Mali
Rwanda
Senegal
S. Sudan
Somalia
Tanzania
Uganda
Zambia
Malawi
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Outside Africa
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Coming soon
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