

Spatial scale	Number of adjacent GRDC stations with data	Average distance to GRDC station (km)	Average length of available daily observations (years)
Global	517	54.95	72.78
Midlatitude (north)	319	44.86	80.13
Subtropics (north)	122	49.3	85.43
Tropics	12	34.22	60.92
Subtropics (south)	62	41.85	58.45
Midlatitude (south)	2	104.53	79