

# **MODELADO DE OLAS DE CALOR ESTUÁRICAS FUTURAS**

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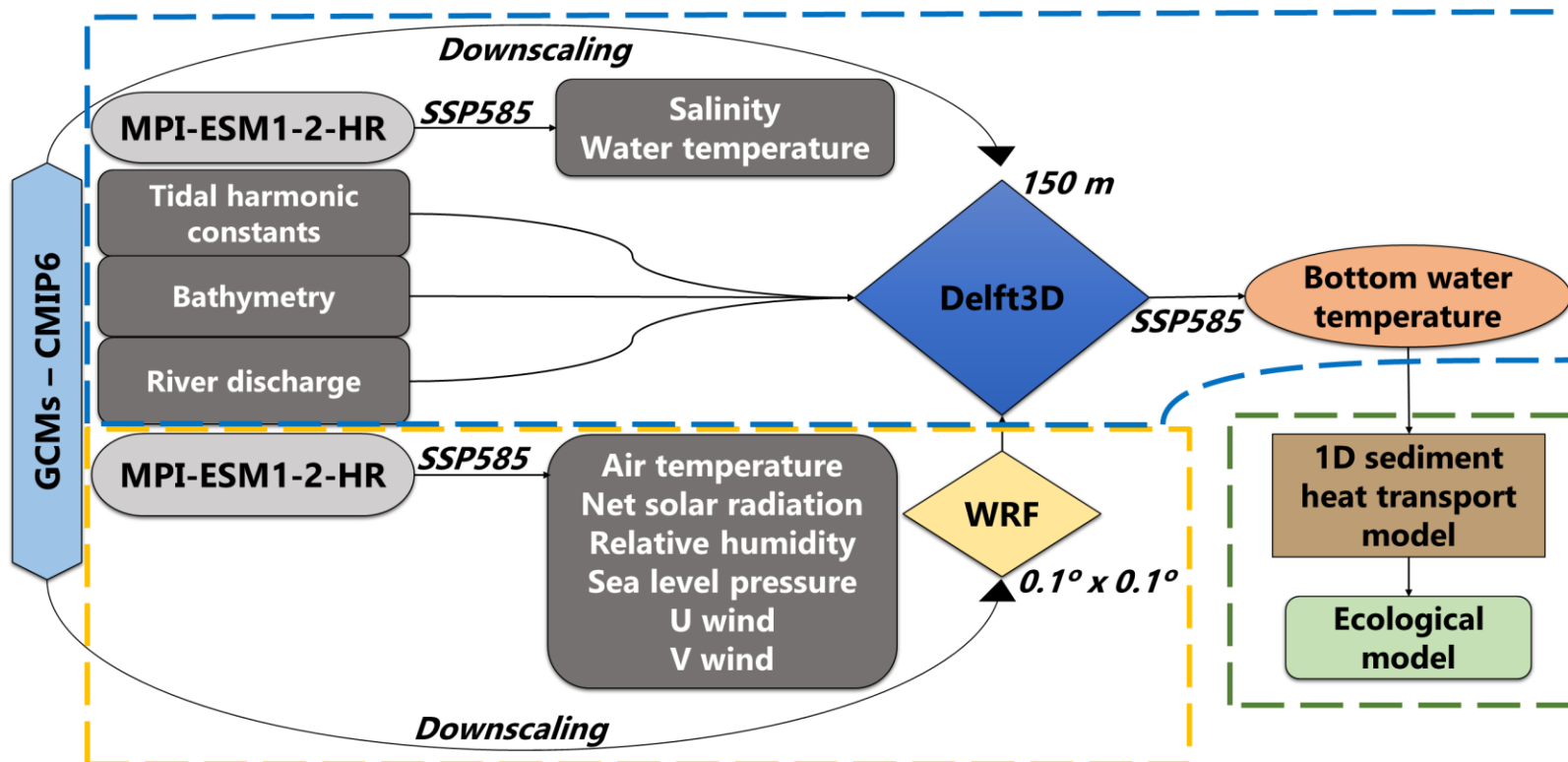
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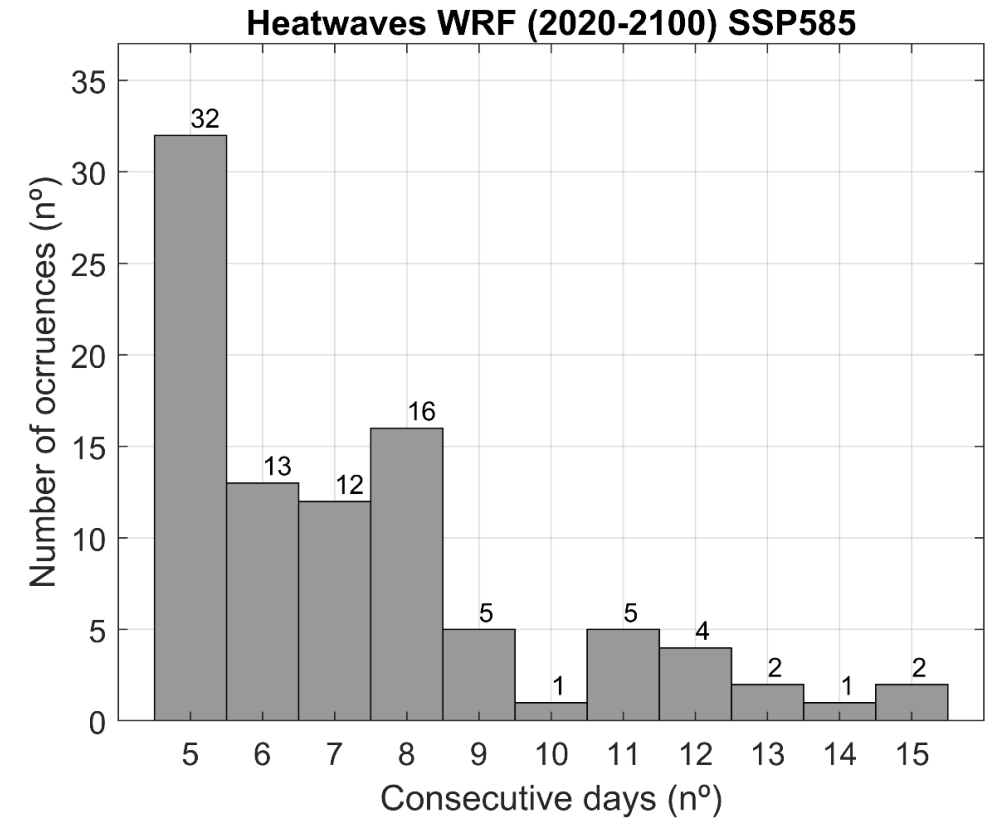
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# 1. Heat Waves - WRF Projections (2020-2100) SSP585

Consecutive days (n°)	Occurrences (n°)	Event (n°)	Data		Max (°C)	Mean (°C)
			Start	End		
<b>11</b>		<b>3</b>	<b>01/08/2063</b>	<b>11/08/2063</b>	<b>34.58</b>	<b>29.90</b>
11	<b>5</b>	2	12/07/2062	22/07/2062	34.45	30.11
9	5	3	08/07/2091	16/07/2091	34.31	29.73
12	4	3	25/06/2091	06/07/2091	33.60	29.37
8	16	9	09/07/2083	16/07/2083	33.59	30.35
5	32	21	23/06/2092	27/06/2092	33.39	30.42
7	12	6	21/07/2080	27/07/2080	33.29	28.66
8	16	8	15/06/2078	22/06/2078	33.13	29.37
9	5	2	12/07/2089	20/07/2089	32.54	28.36
7	12	11	11/06/2097	17/06/2097	32.30	29.10

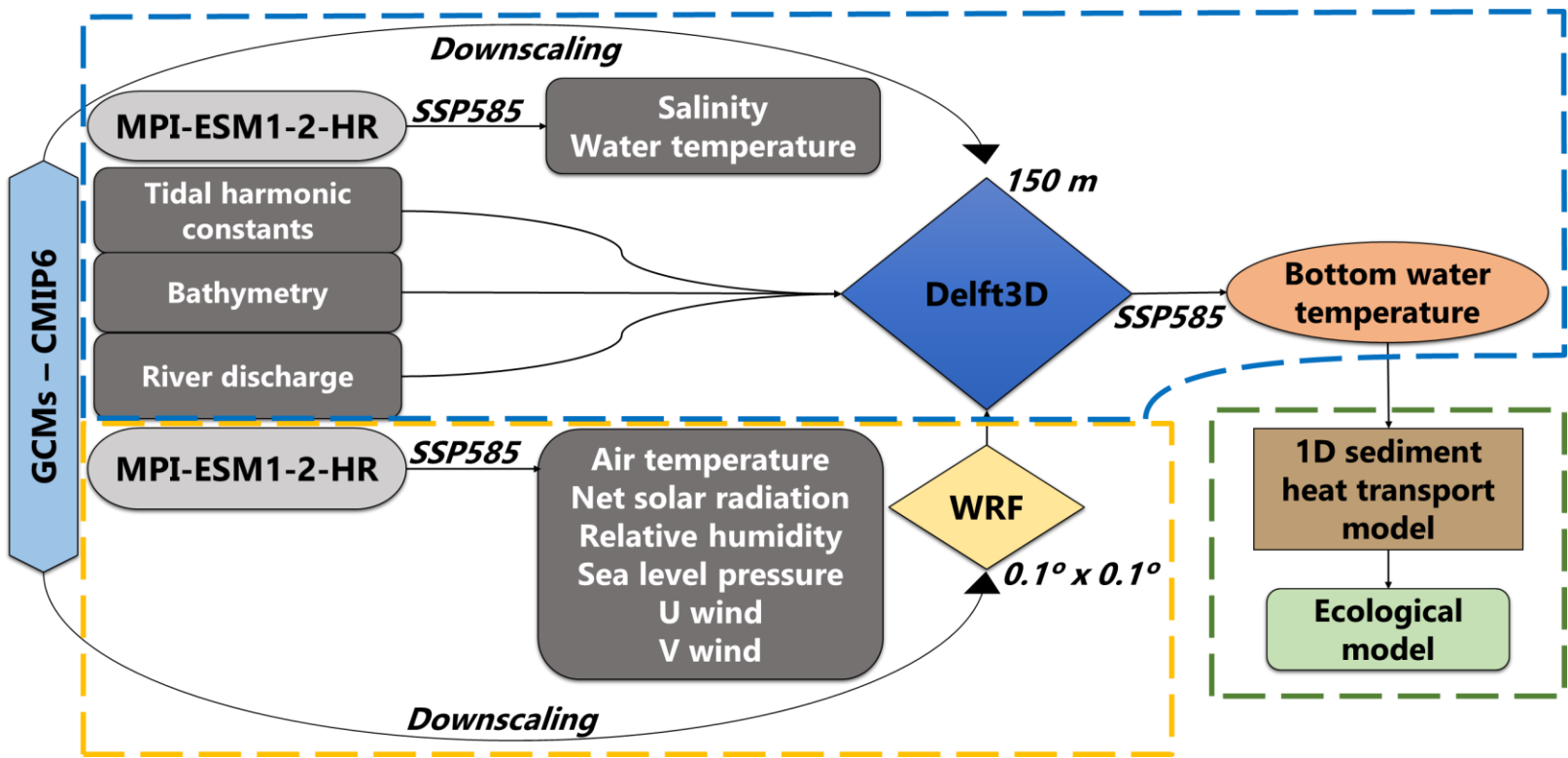


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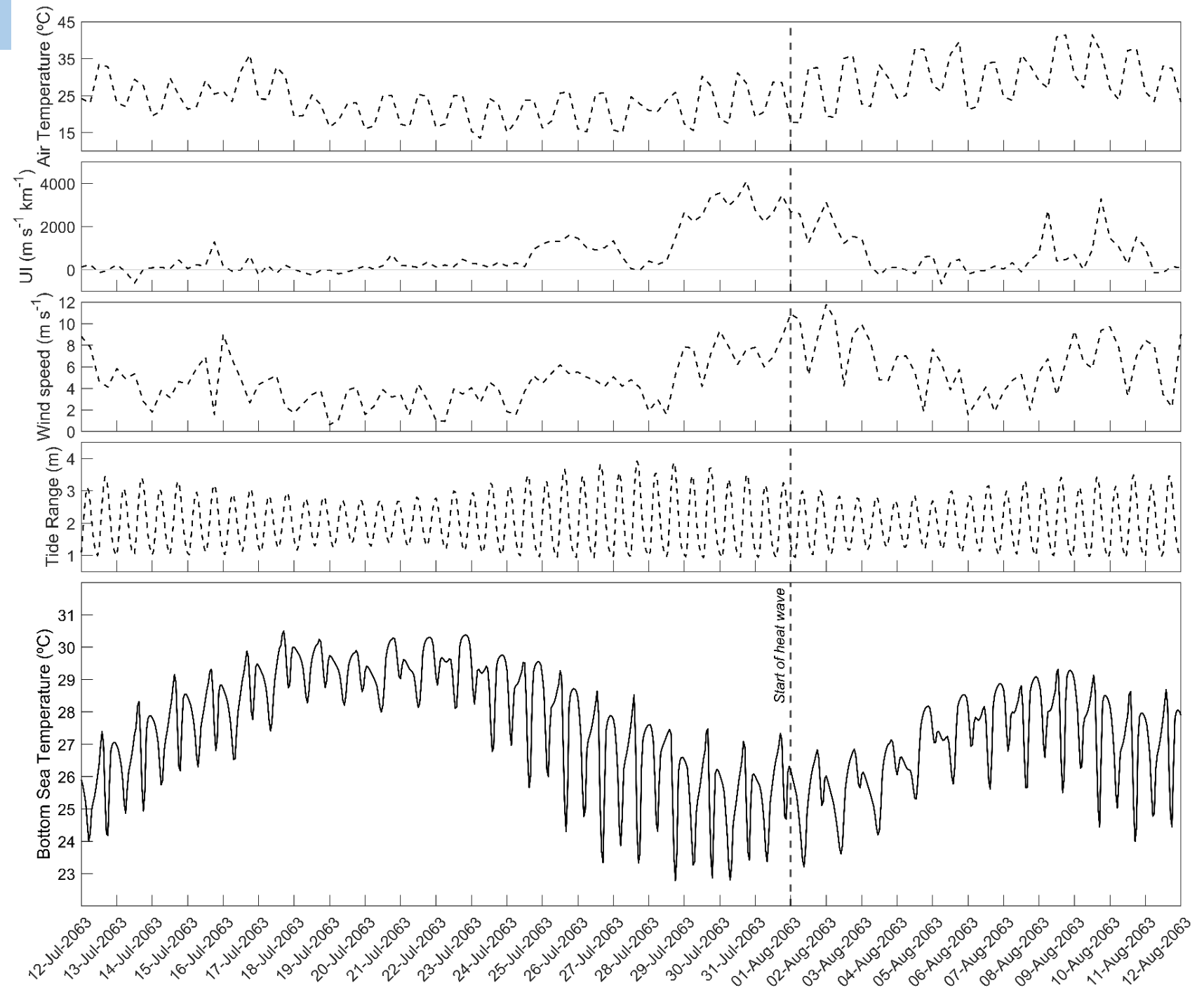
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## 2. Analysis of the selected event:



# 3. Hypothetical scenarios

**Tide types**

- Intense Neap Tide (INT)
- Neap Tide (NT)
- Spring Tide (ST)
- Intense Spring Tide (IST)

**Wind module**

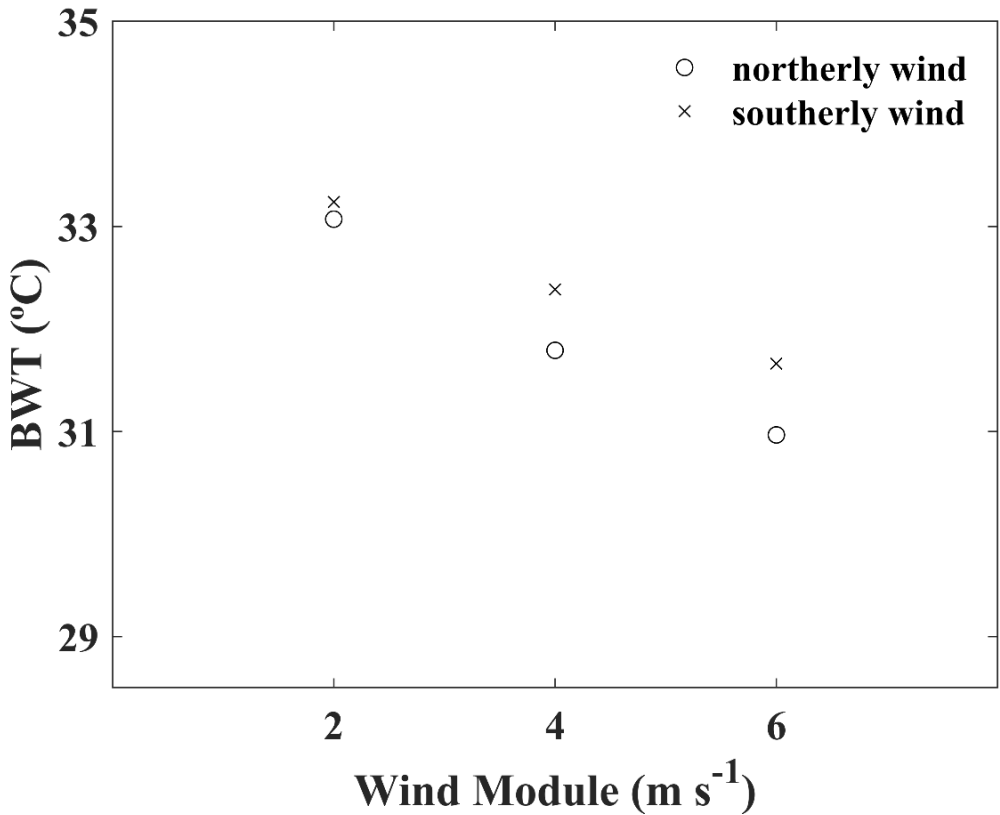
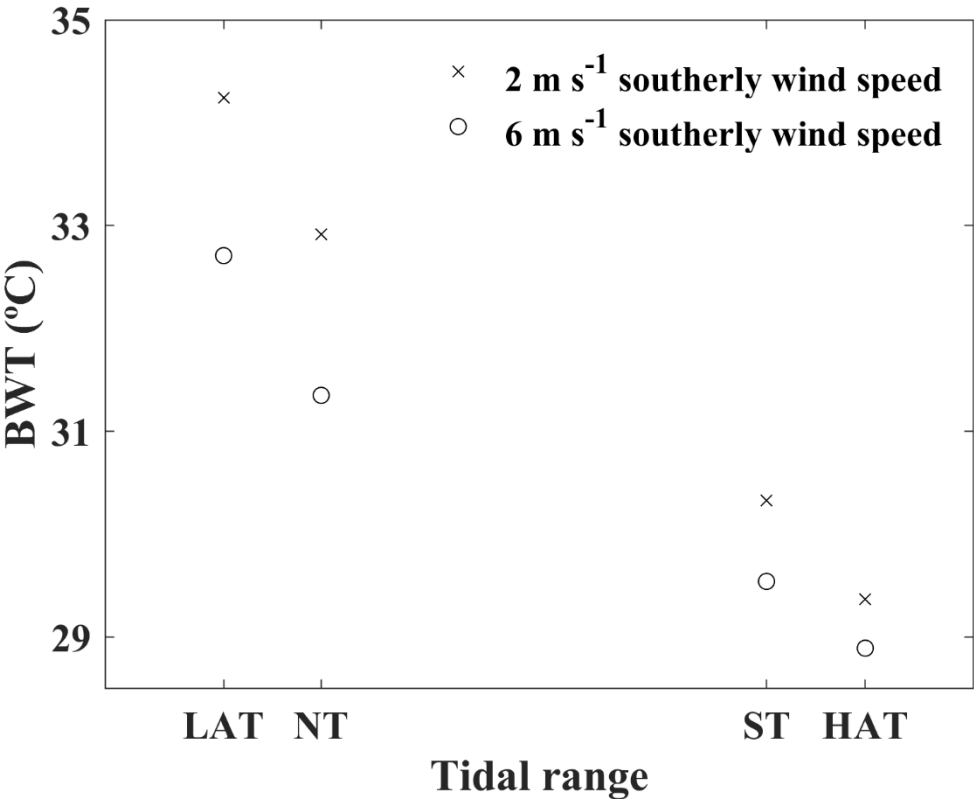
- 2 (m/s)
- 6 (m/s)

**Wind direction**

- Southerly winds
- Northerly winds

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- 2 (m/s)
- 4 (m/s)
- 6 (m/s)



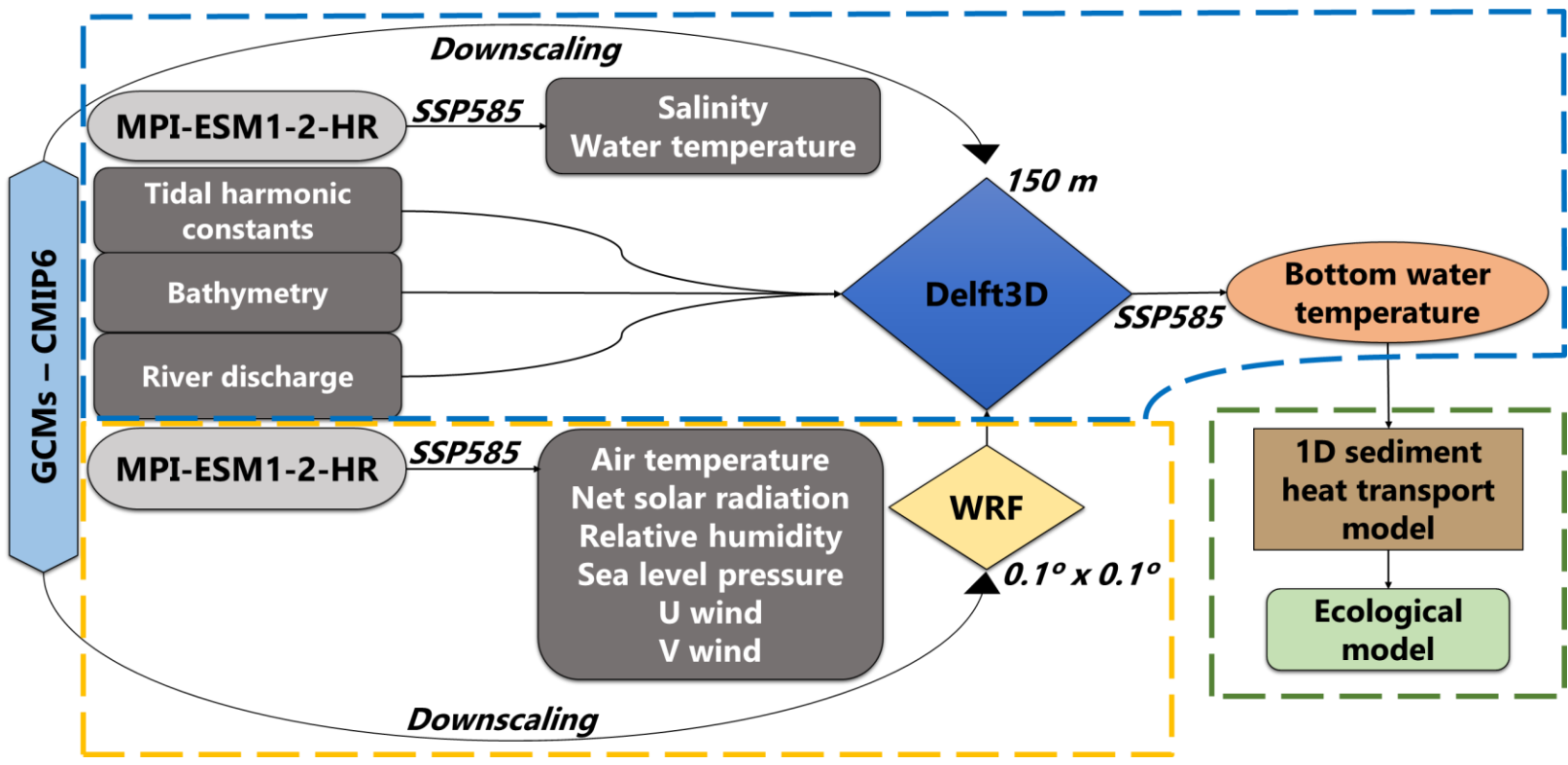
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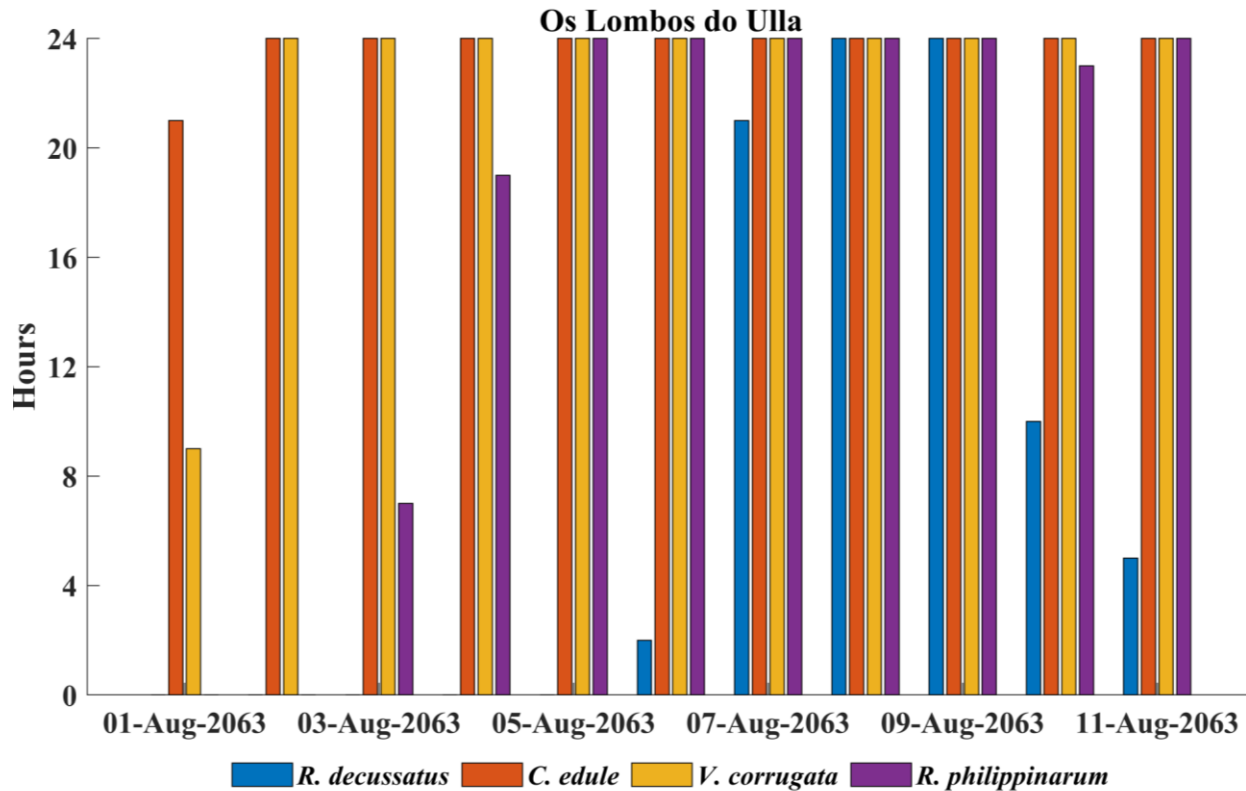
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- A 1D sediment heat transport model to compute sediment temperature at the burial depth of each species.
- The heatwave impact on the species was evaluated considering their optimal thermal tolerance thresholds



## 4. Effect of a severe heatwave on bivalves



Hours where the sediment temperature was above the optimum thermal tolerance thresholds of the species (OTTT) during the selected heatwave.

OTTT and typical burial depth:

- ❖ *R. decussatus* (25-18 °C – 8cm)
- ❖ *R. philippinarum* (25-15 °C – 3cm)
- ❖ *V. corrugata* (20-15 °C – 7cm)
- ❖ *C. edule* (23-17 °C - 1 cm)



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