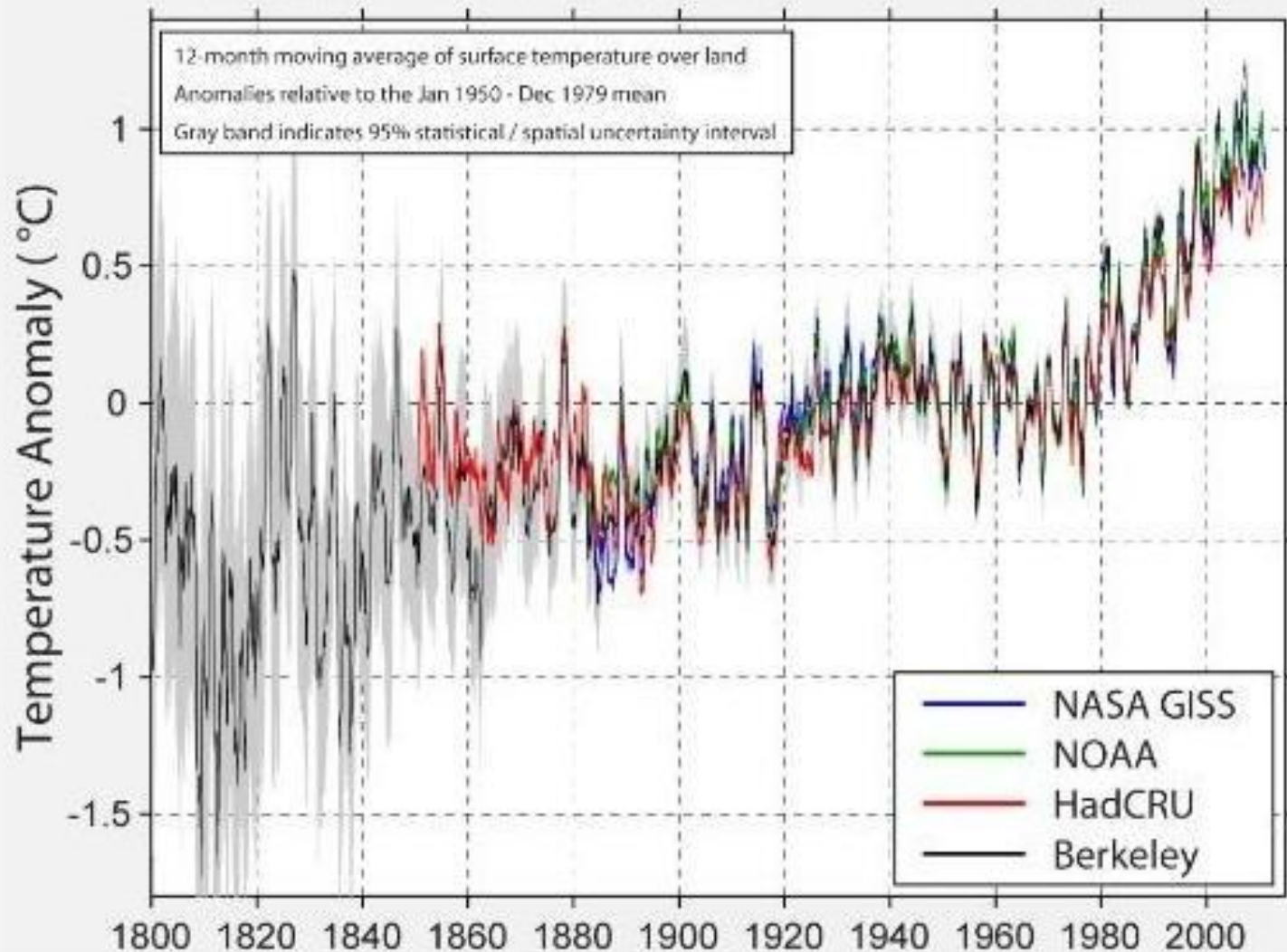
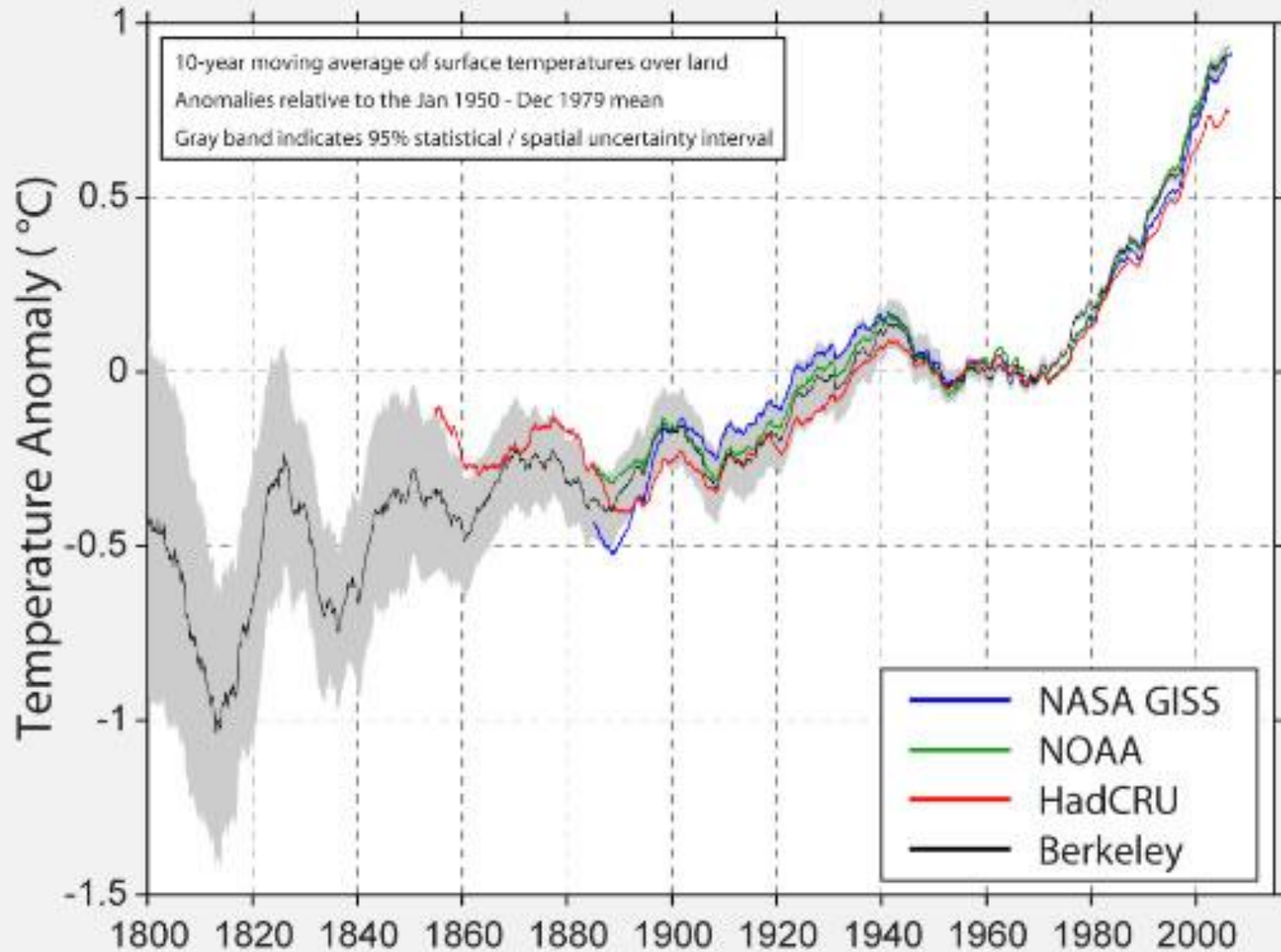


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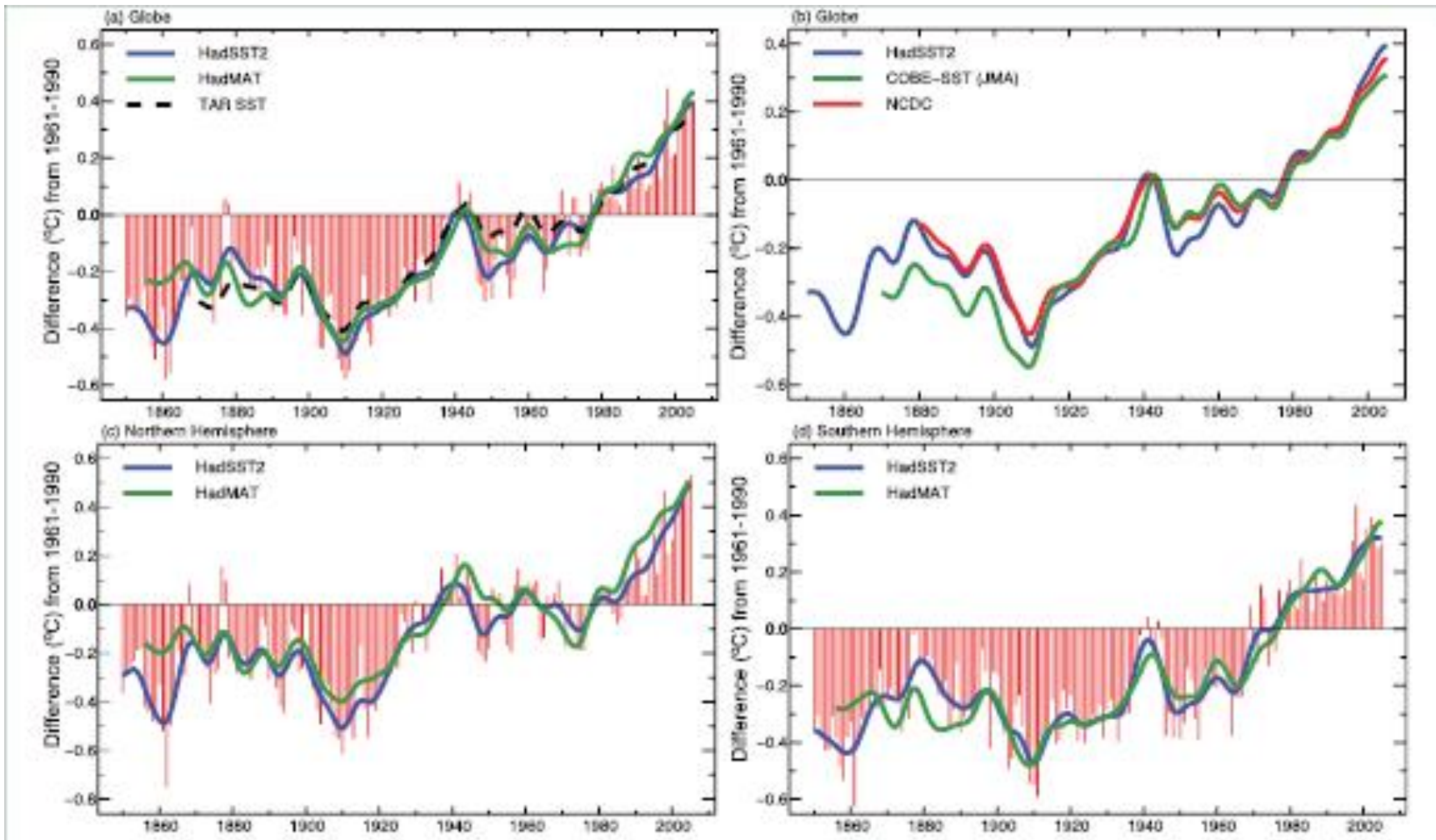


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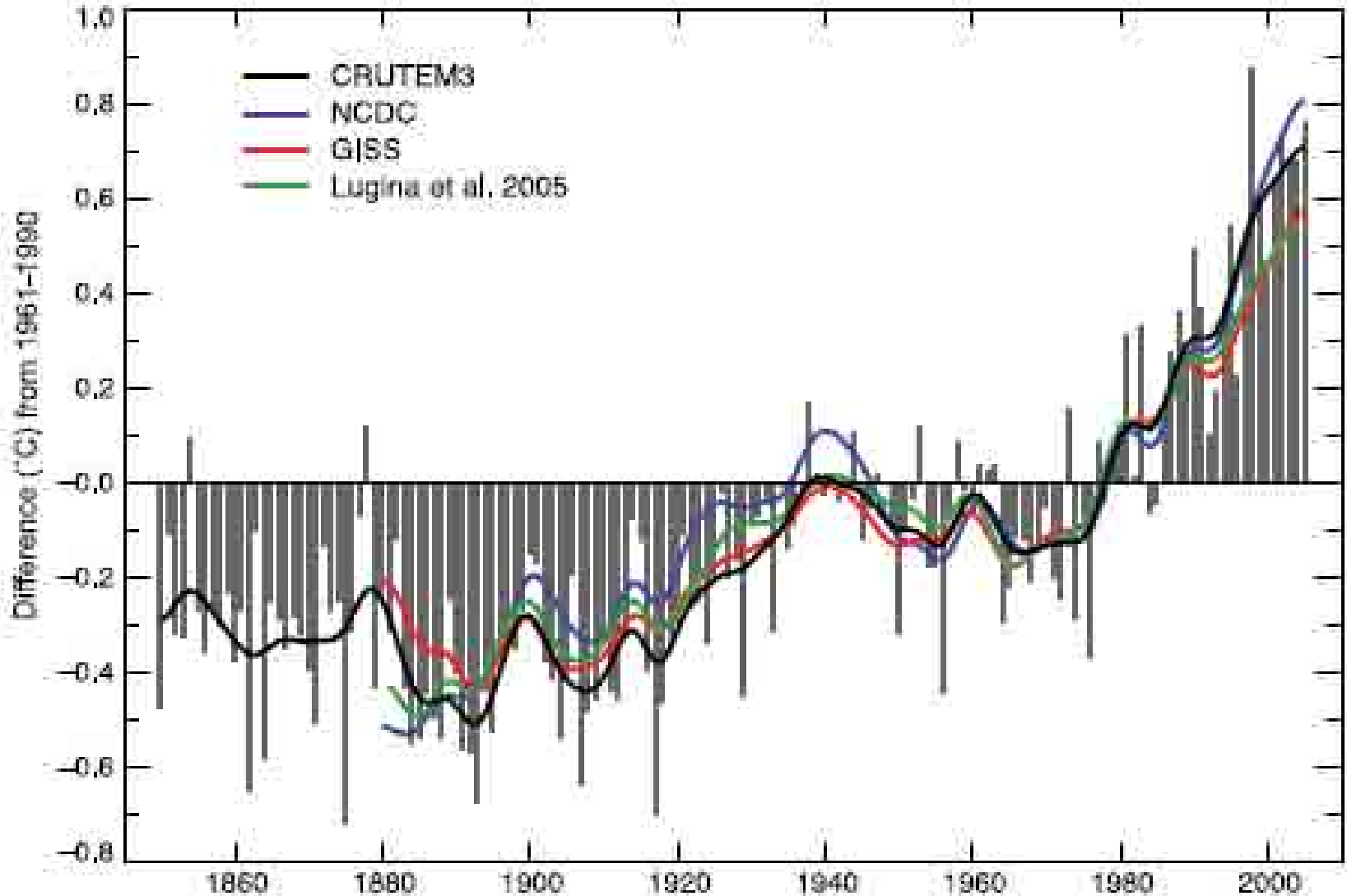


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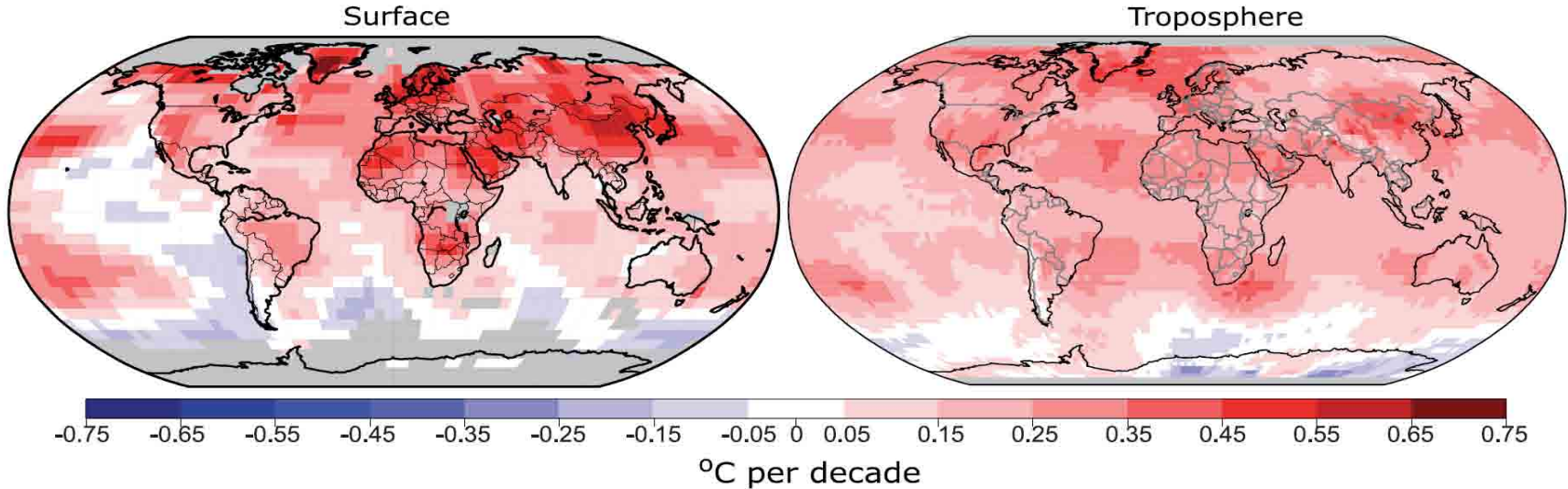


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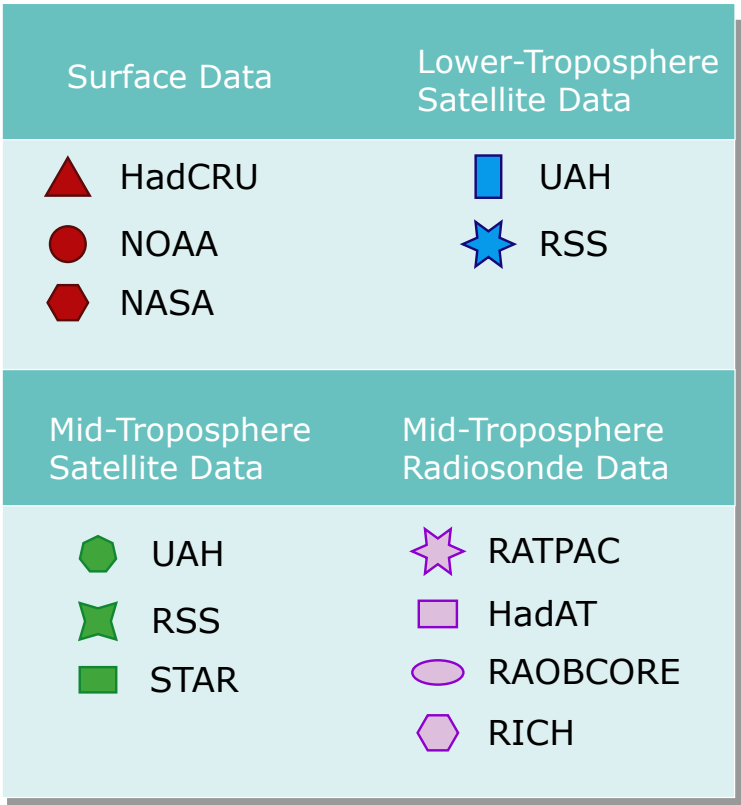
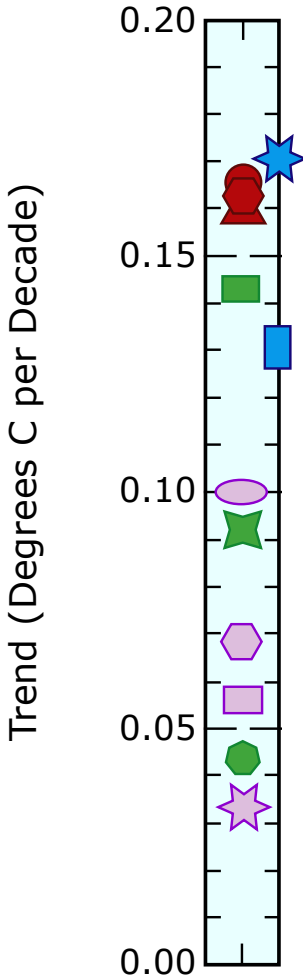
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Satellite vs. Surface

Temperature Trends

From 1979 through 2008

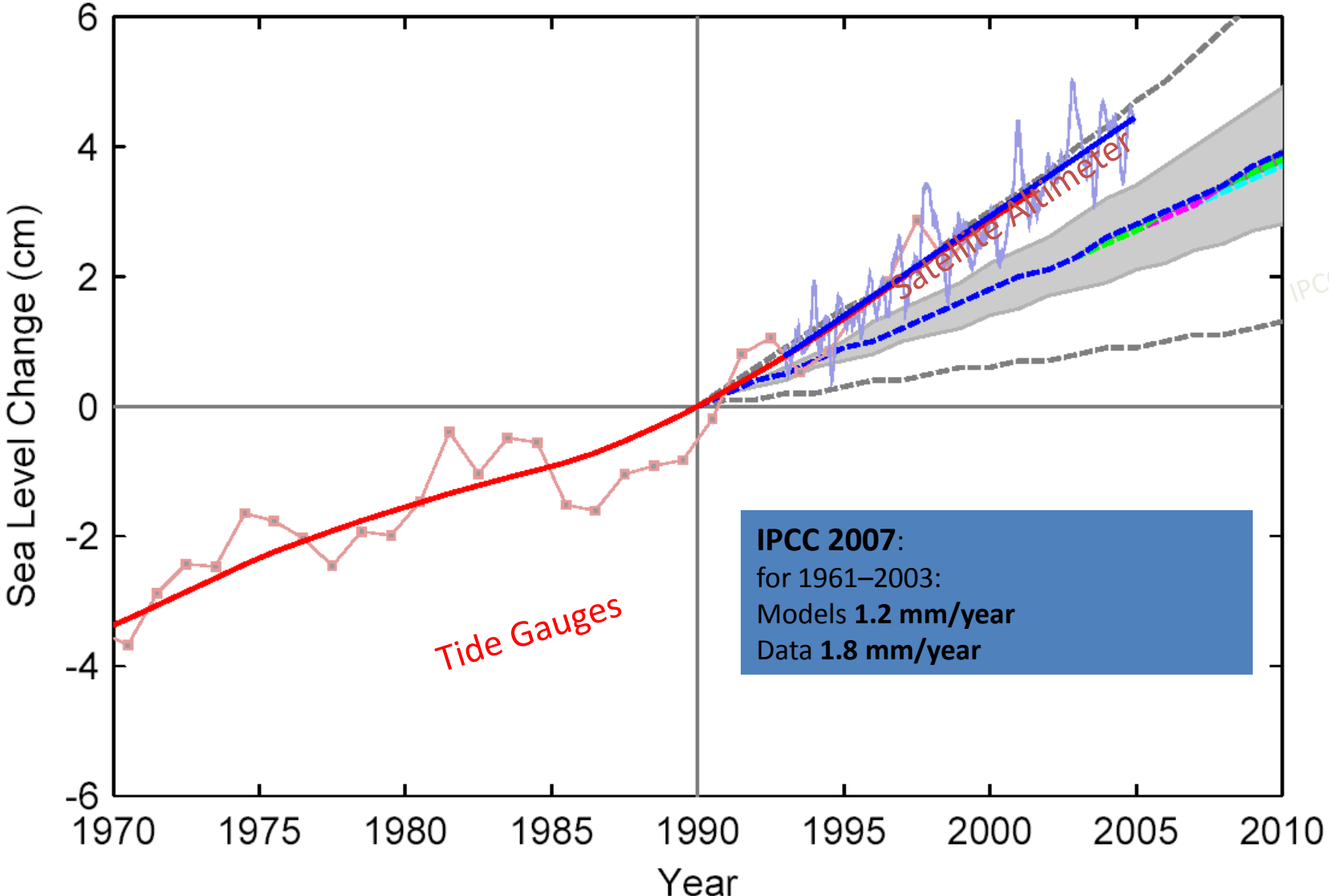


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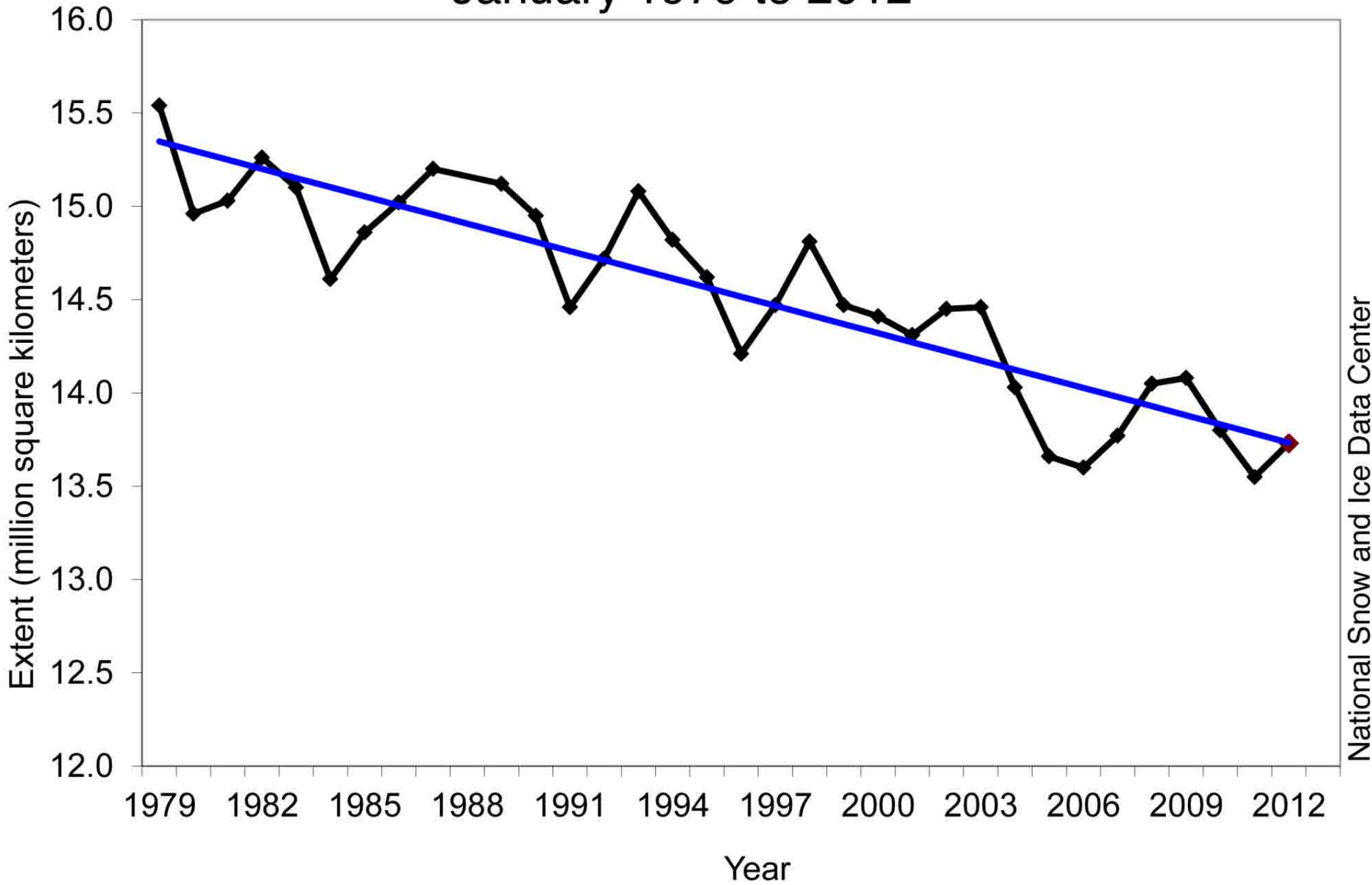
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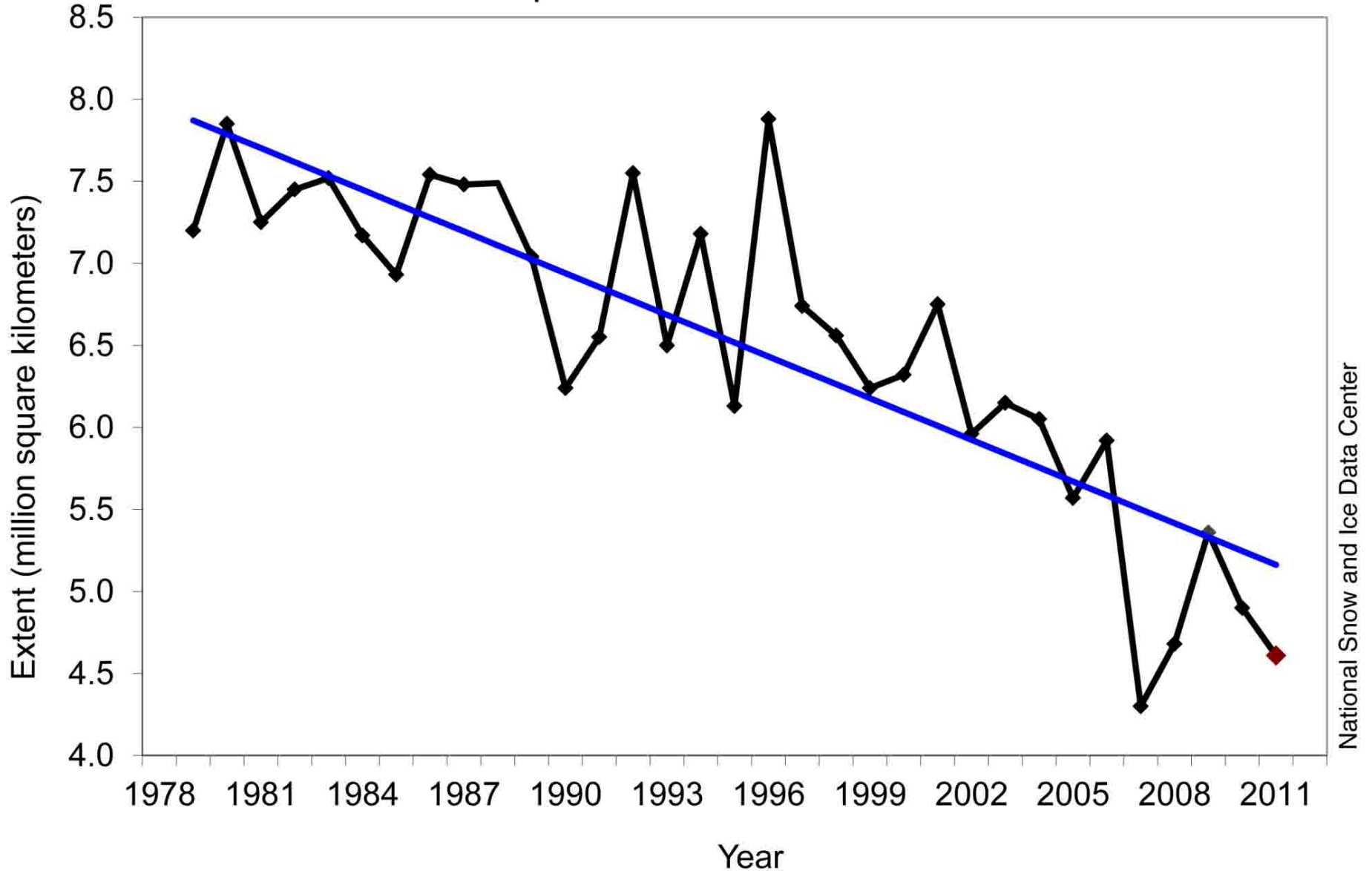
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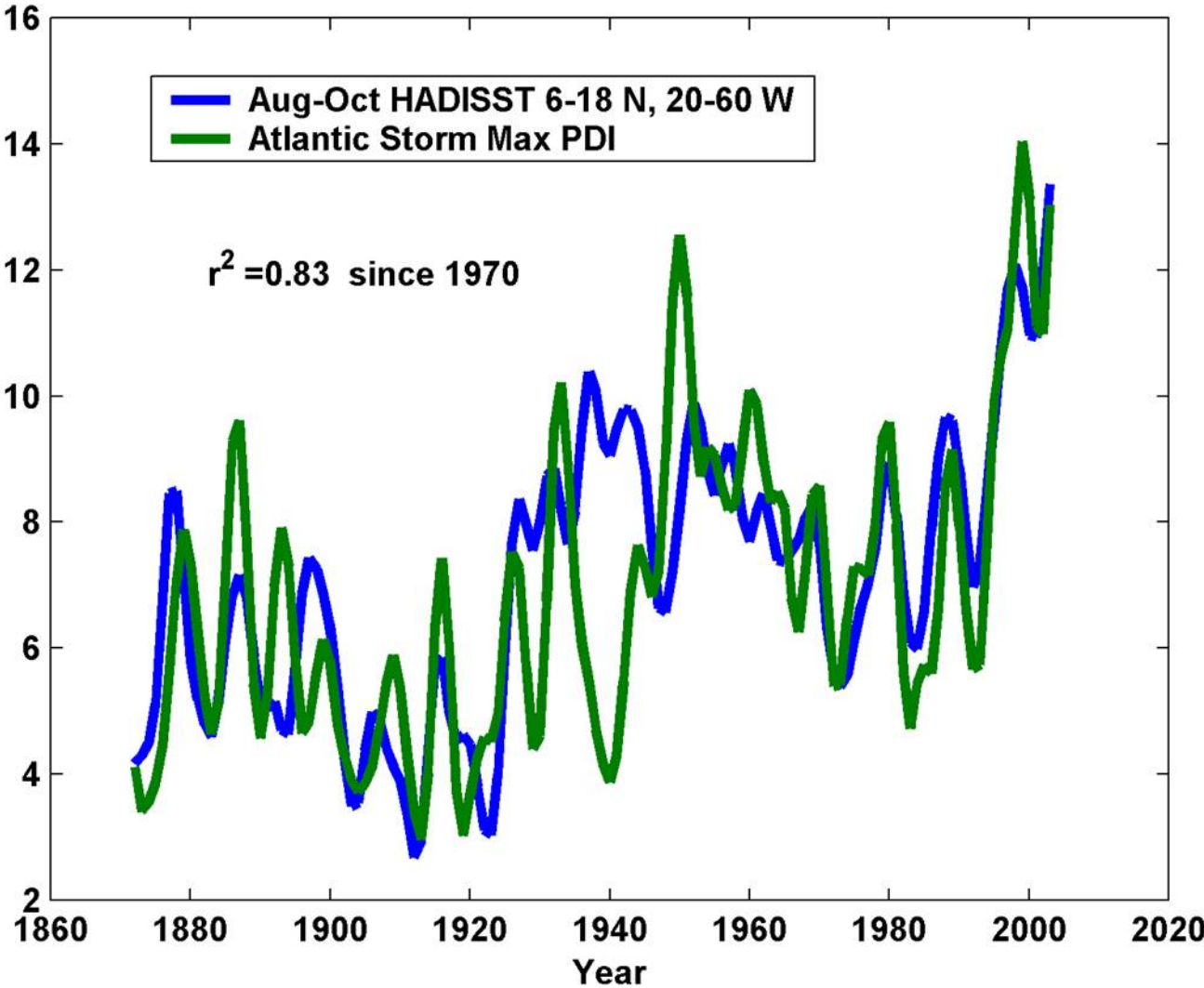
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