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Supporting Information for

**Impact of hindcast length on estimates of seasonal climate predictability**

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## Introduction

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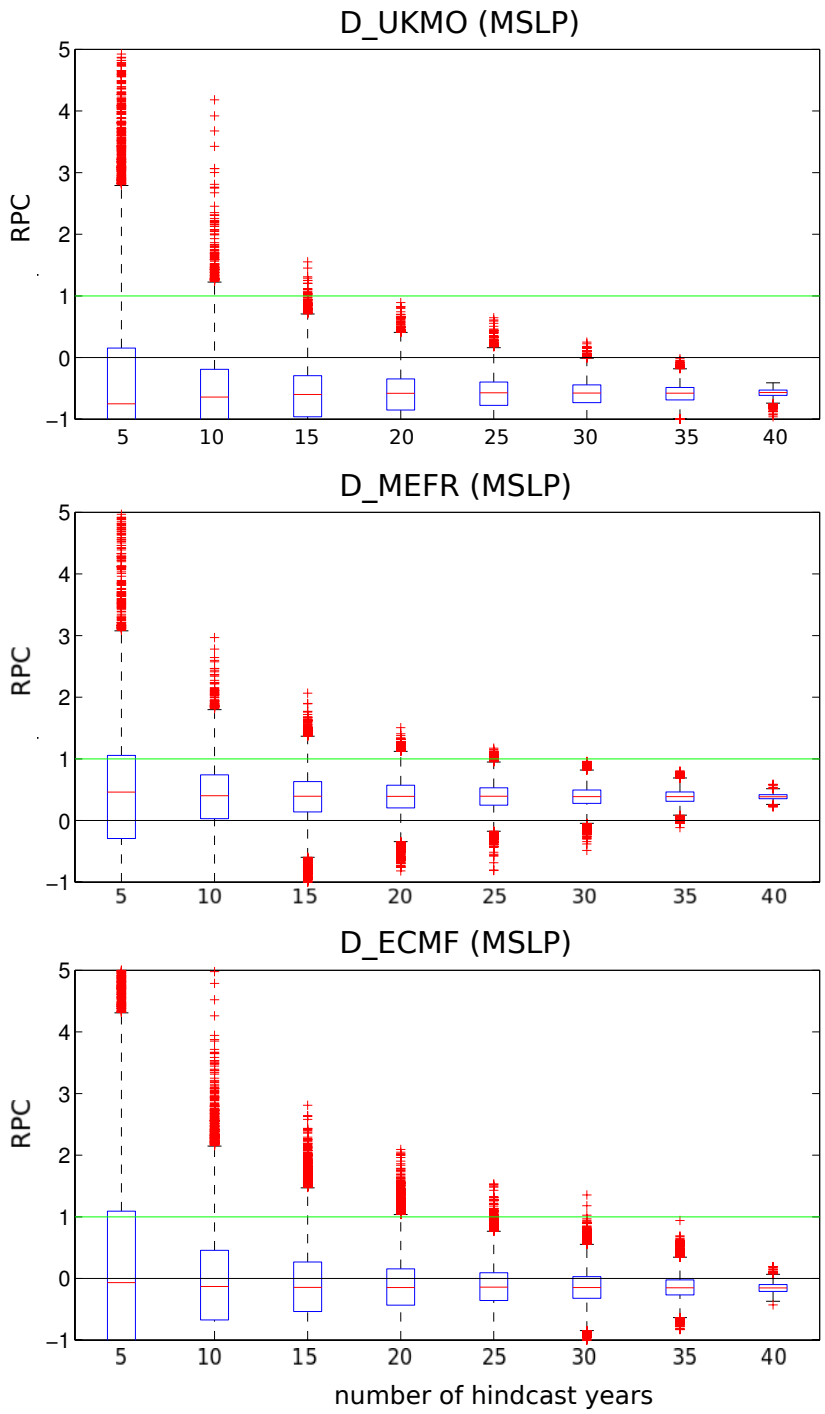
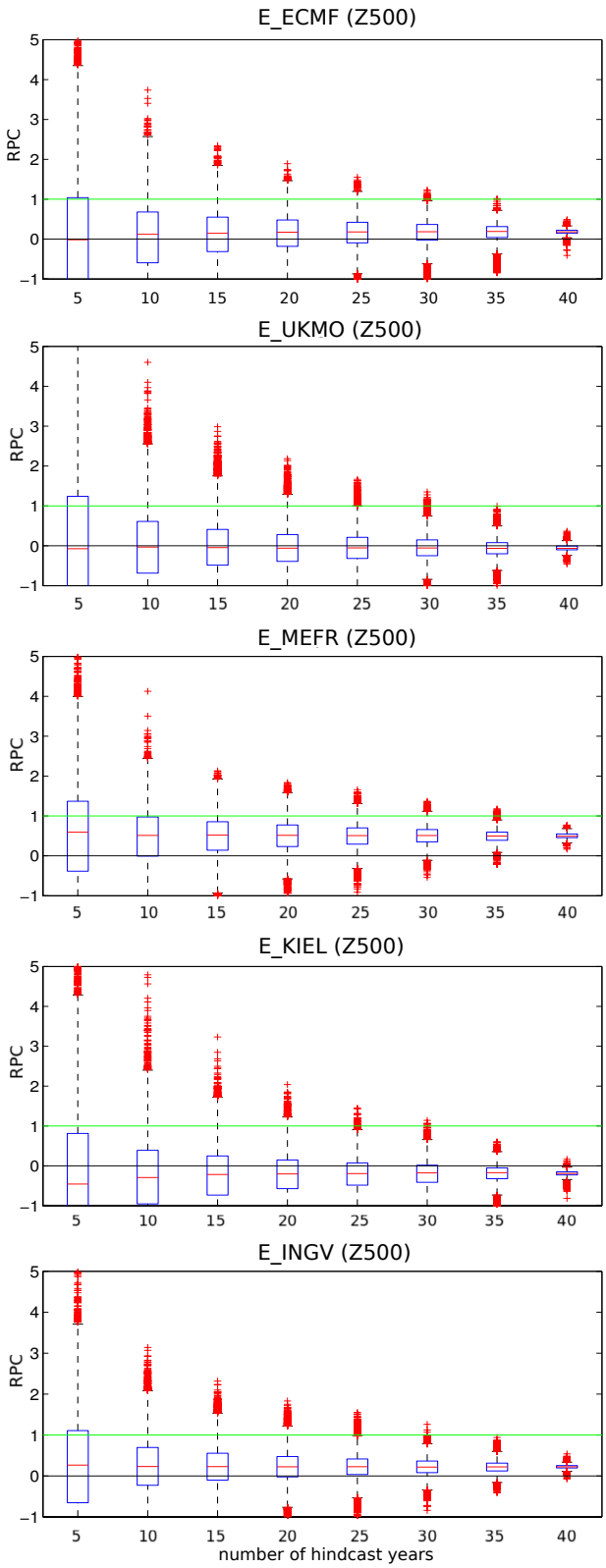



**Figure S1.** Distribution of RPC values of the NAO index based on MSLP for all 3 *DEMETER* models.

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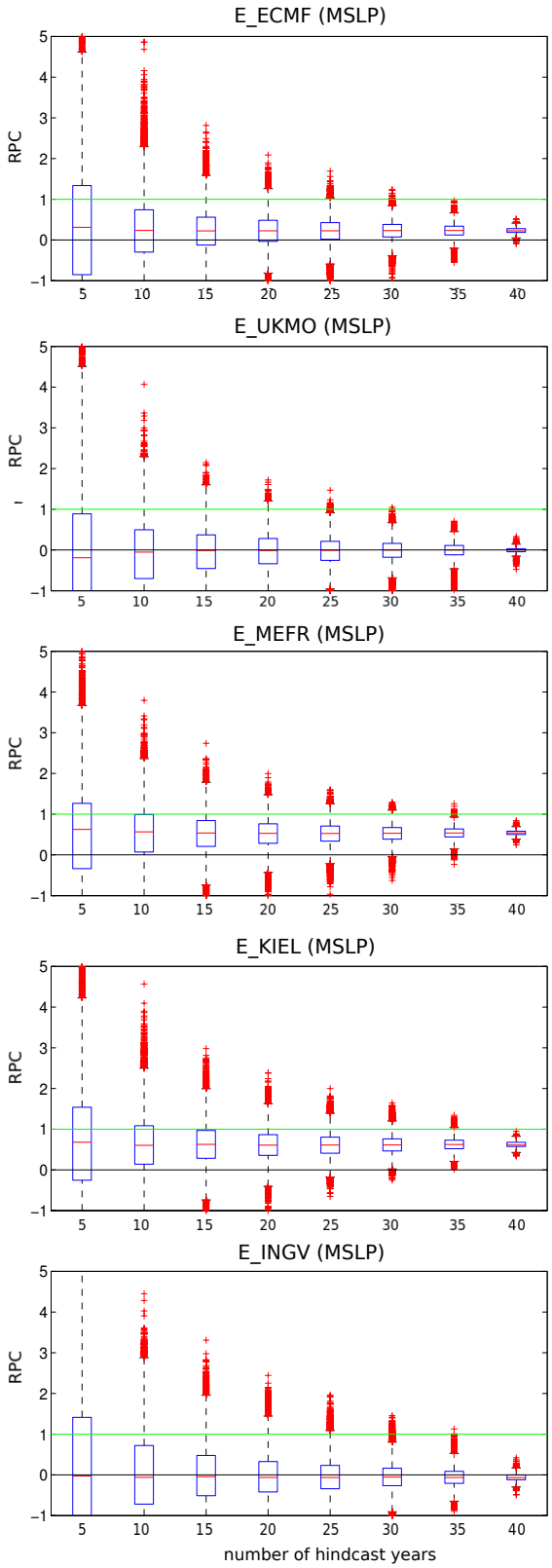


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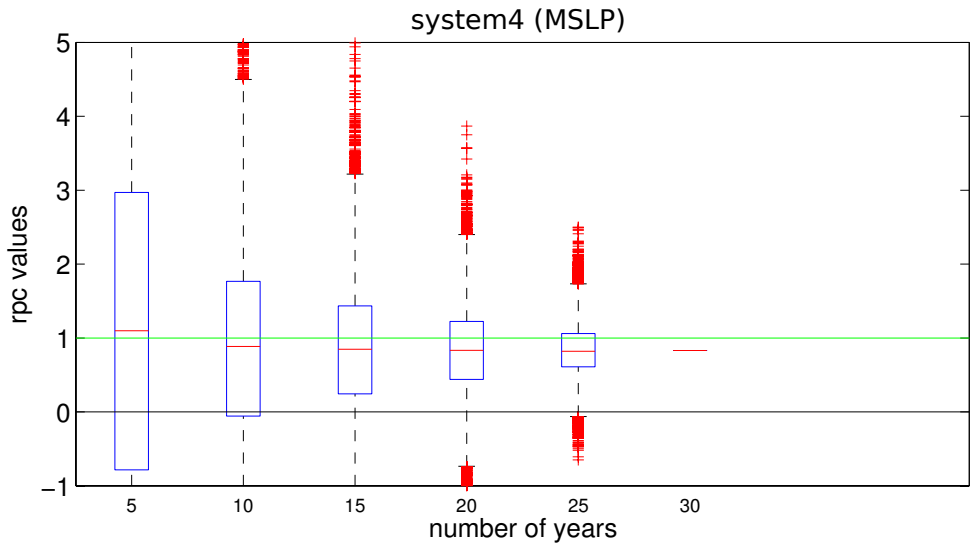


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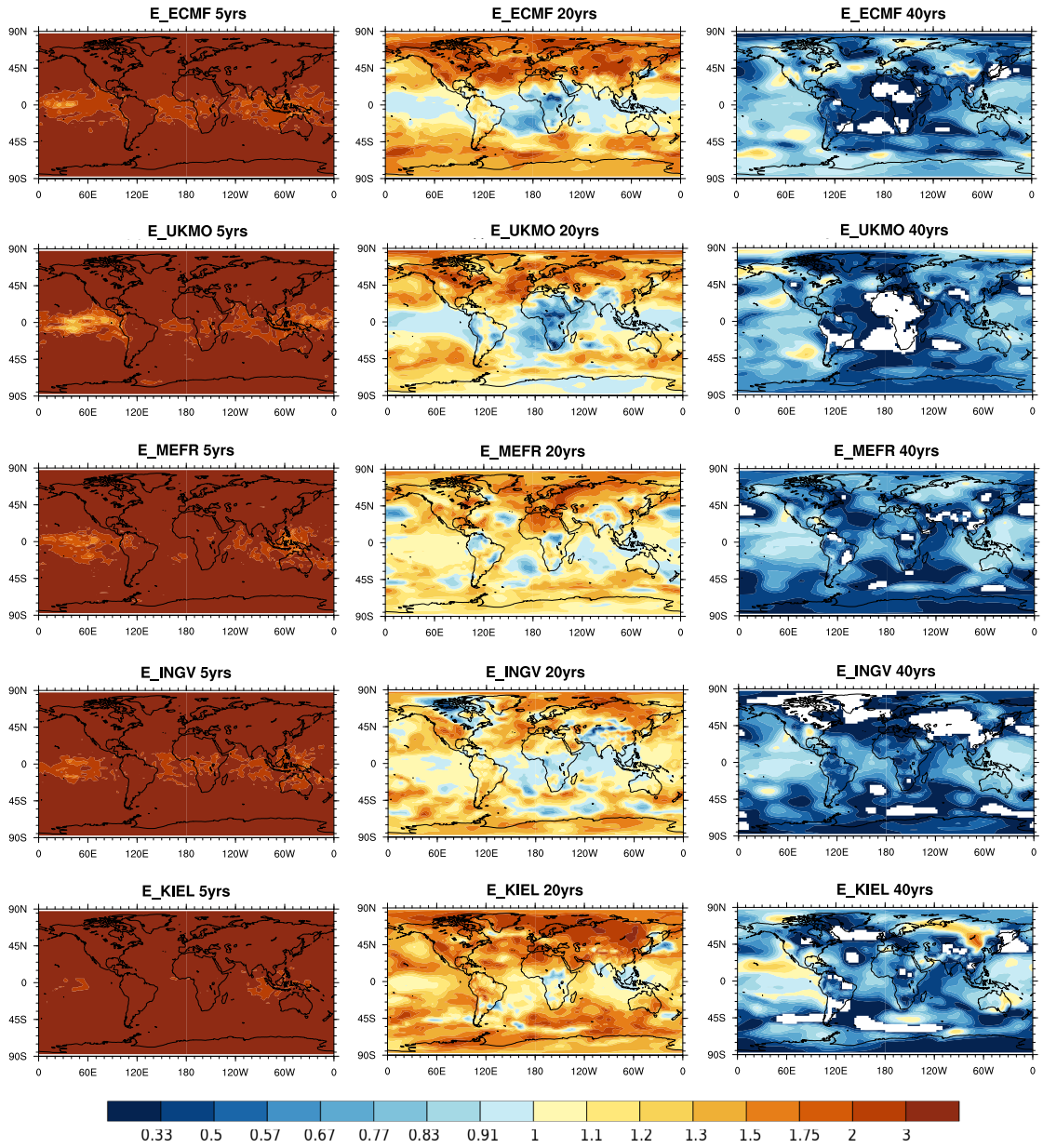


**Figure S5.** Global maps of maximum RPC values of MSLP for all 5 *ENSEMBLES* models for hindcast periods of 5, 20 and 40 years.