

# ELECTRONIC SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL (ESM)

## S1. SWAT model calibration

Table S1. Parameters adjusted during SWAT model calibration

PARAMETER	DEFINITION
<b>Groundwater Group</b>	
GW_DELAY	Groundwater delay (days)
GWQMN	Threshold depth of water in the shallow aquifer for return flow to occur (mm)
GW_REVAP	Groundwater "revap" coefficient
REVAPMN	Threshold depth of water in the shallow aquifer for "revap" to occur (mm)
RCHRG_DP	Deep aquifer percolation fraction
ALPHA_BF	Baseflow alpha factor (days)
<b>Snow Group</b>	
SFTMP	Snowfall temperature (°C)
SMTMP	Snow melt base temperature (°C)
SMFMX	Maximum melt rate for snow during year (mm/°C/day)
SMFMN	Minimum melt rate for snow during year (mm/°C/day)
<b>Soil and stream channel Group</b>	
SURLAG	Surface runoff lag time (days)
CN2	Initial SCS runoff curve number for moisture condition II
SOL_AWC	Available water capacity of the soil layer (mm/mm)
SOL_K	Saturated hydraulic conductivity of the soil layer (mm/hr)
CH_K1	Effective hydraulic conductivity in tributary channel alluvium (mm/hr)
CH_N1	Manning's "n" value for the tributary channels
CH_K2	Effective hydraulic conductivity in main channel alluvium (mm/hr)
CH_N2	Manning's "n" value for the main channel
OV_N	Default Manning's "n" value for overland flow for land cover/plant

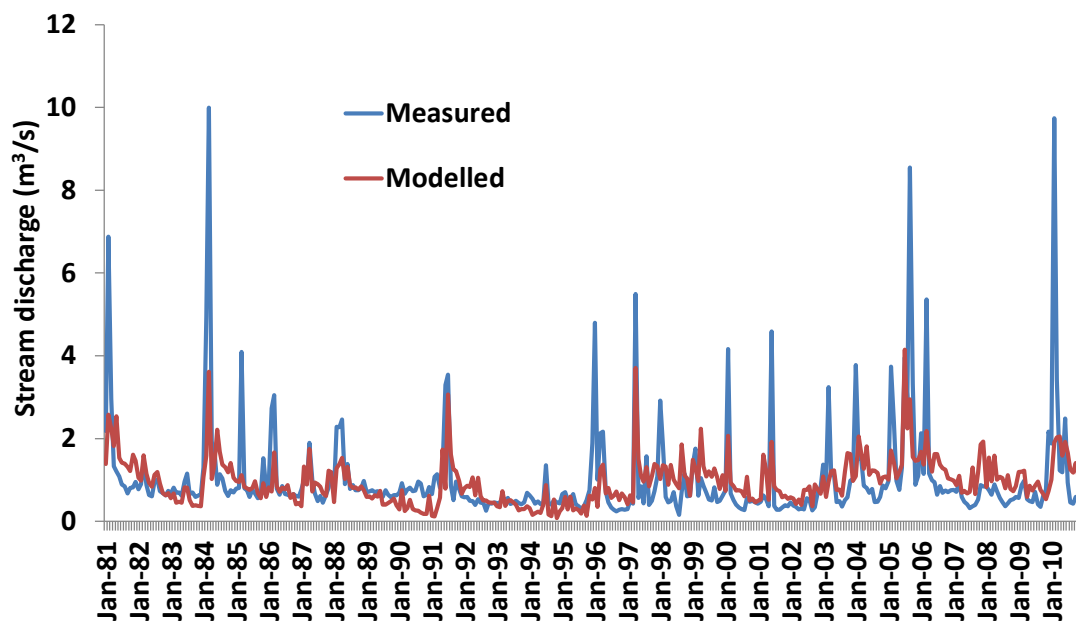
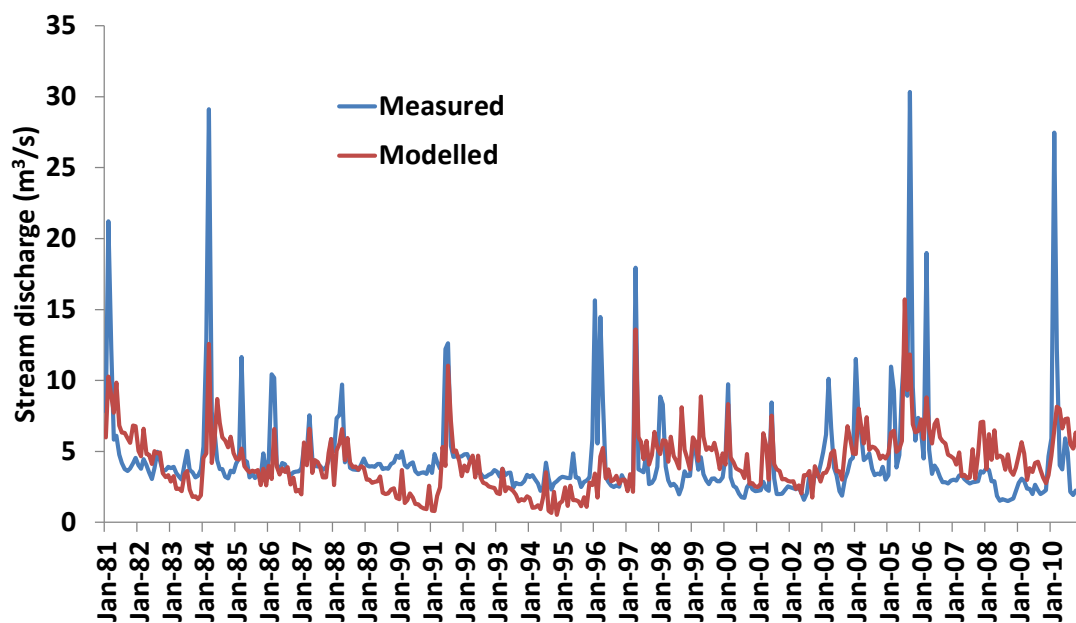
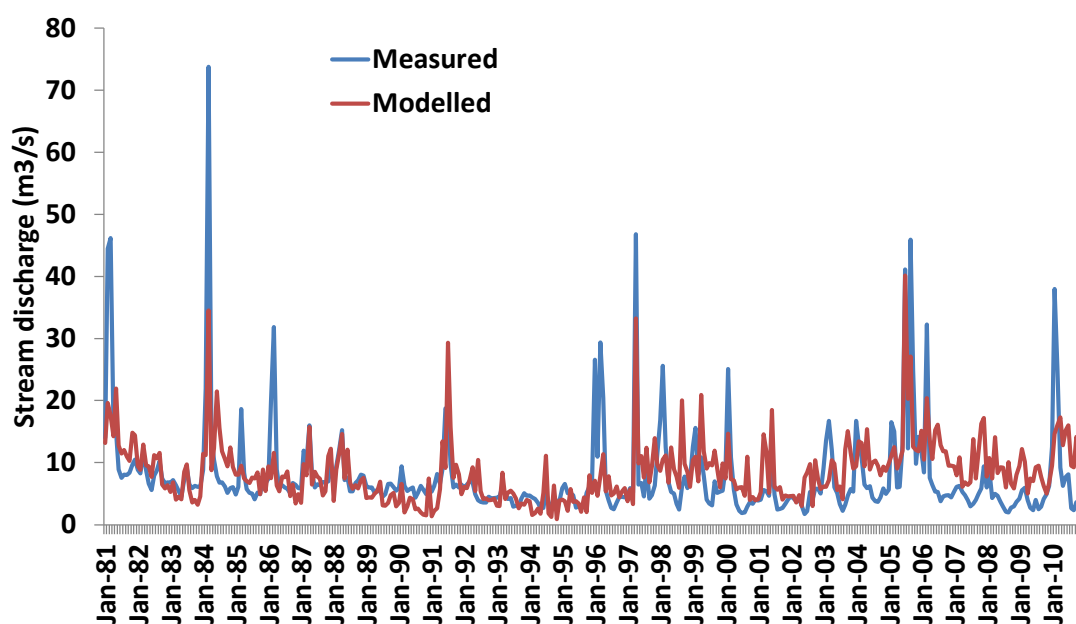


Figure S1. Monthly measured and calibrated stream discharge (Moara din Groapa; 1981 – 2010)



**Figure S2.** Monthly measured and calibrated stream discharge (Vadu Lat; 1981 – 2010)



**Figure S3.** Monthly measured and calibrated stream discharge (Calugareni; 1981 – 2010)

## S2. Output from climate models

**Table S2.** Averages for temperature, precipitation and associated climate indicators for each climate model output for the reference, short- and long-term periods

<i>Parameter</i>	<i>CNRM</i>	<i>CNRM</i>	<i>MPI</i>	<i>MPI</i>	<i>ICHEC</i>	<i>ICHEC</i>	<i>ENS</i>	<i>ENS</i>
	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>	<i>RCP</i>
	4.5	8.5	4.5	8.5	4.5	8.5	4.5	8.5
1981 - 2010 (reference)								

Precip. (mm /yr)	576.2	594.2	526.4	533.6	536.0	553.1	546.2	560.3
Ave. daily Tave. (°C)	9.3	9.1	12.5	12.5	10.8	10.7	10.8	10.8
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	15.0	14.8	18.2	18.1	14.8	14.8	16.0	15.9
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	3.8	3.7	7.0	6.9	6.9	6.9	5.9	5.8
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	134.0	136.1	77.0	77.0	83.5	82.9	98.2	98.7
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	81.6	79.5	108.3	106.7	64.0	63.4	84.6	83.2
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	2.0	1.7	13.1	13.7	0.1	0.1	5.1	5.2
Days with precip. (/yr)	190.1	192.6	157.5	156.6	142.8	144.8	163.5	164.6
<b>2021-2050 (short-term)</b>								
Precip. (mm /yr)	633.0	618.4	534.1	520.8	494.3	546.2	553.8	561.8
Ave. daily Tave. (°C)	10.2	10.4	13.7	13.4	12.2	12.5	12.0	12.1
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	15.8	16.0	19.4	19.1	16.2	16.6	17.2	17.2
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	4.8	5.0	8.1	7.8	8.4	8.7	7.1	7.2
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	125.8	120.5	62.0	73.0	67.9	57.8	85.2	83.7
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	93.7	92.0	120.6	122.1	89.3	86.4	101.2	100.1
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	4.7	3.2	24.5	25.1	1.7	0.8	10.3	9.7
Days with precip. (/yr)	191.6	191.2	155.0	148.7	132.9	138.9	159.8	159.6
<b>2071-2100 (long-term)</b>								
Precip. (mm /yr)	641.6	663.1	454.3	465.2	522.0	525.0	539.3	551.1
Ave. daily Tave. (°C)	12.0	13.4	14.3	16.8	12.9	14.9	13.1	15.0
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	17.7	19.1	20.1	22.7	17.0	18.9	18.3	20.2
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	6.5	8.1	8.7	11.0	9.2	11.2	8.1	10.1
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	96.3	77.5	59.0	30.7	56.3	36.4	70.6	48.2
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	105.3	116.6	129.8	151.7	93.4	119.9	109.5	129.4
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	6.6	14.8	35.1	57.1	2.1	9.6	14.6	27.2
Days with precip. (/yr)	185.9	184.9	145.0	134.6	138.5	126.4	156.5	148.7

**Table S3.** Monthly values for the temperature and precipitation based climate indicators for the representative year for each climate model ensemble output for the reference, short- and long-term periods (catchment scale)

Parameter	ENS RCP 4.5											
	1981-2010 (reference)											
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	2.2	4.5	10.6	17.0	21.1	25.3	28.9	28.5	23.7	16.9	9.1	4.4
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-5.1	-4.2	0.1	5.5	10.0	13.9	16.7	16.4	12.4	6.5	1.1	-2.6
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	25.6	21.6	13.7	3.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	11.5	21.4
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	4.9	15.1	26.0	24.4	11.8	1.3	0.0	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	2.4	2.0	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Days with precip. (/yr)	16.9	13.3	13.4	13.6	16.9	15.8	12.8	9.8	9.3	10.3	14.3	17.2
<b>2021-2050 (short-term)</b>												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	3.9	6.0	11.3	17.2	22.0	27.1	30.5	30.1	24.9	17.8	10.4	4.7
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-3.4	-2.5	1.0	6.0	10.8	15.4	18.3	17.9	13.7	7.8	2.3	-2.1
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	22.8	18.7	11.4	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	8.8	20.3
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.3	6.8	20.3	28.2	27.5	14.7	2.3	0.0	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.3	4.7	3.8	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0

Days with precip. (/yr)	16.4	14.2	14.1	14.0	16.2	14.0	11.1	8.5	8.5	11.0	14.9	17.2
<b>2071-2100 (long-term)</b>												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	5.2	7.7	13.6	18.4	23.1	27.5	31.2	30.9	25.8	18.5	11.3	6.0
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-2.3	-1.4	2.8	7.2	11.9	16.1	19.1	18.8	14.5	8.7	2.9	-0.9
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	21.0	16.4	7.1	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	7.0	17.8
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.9	9.4	21.1	29.0	28.4	16.5	2.8	0.0	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	1.5	6.1	5.9	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.0
Days with precip. (/yr)	15.4	13.1	13.4	13.6	15.7	15.0	11.5	9.2	8.7	10.8	13.6	16.6
<b>ENS RCP 8.5</b>												
<b>1981-2010 (reference)</b>												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	2.1	4.4	10.6	16.9	21.1	25.1	28.7	28.6	23.4	16.9	8.9	4.3
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-5.2	-4.2	0.1	5.4	10.0	13.9	16.6	16.4	12.1	6.5	0.9	-2.6
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	25.6	21.4	13.6	3.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	12.0	21.5
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.8	4.9	14.7	25.6	24.7	11.1	1.4	0.0	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	2.2	2.3	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Days with precip. (/yr)	16.9	13.7	13.6	13.6	17.0	16.6	13.0	9.4	9.4	10.6	13.9	17.0
<b>2021-2050 (short-term)</b>												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	2.8	6.7	12.0	17.7	22.3	26.7	30.1	29.7	24.9	18.5	10.6	4.8
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-4.2	-2.1	1.5	6.5	11.1	15.4	18.2	17.8	13.6	8.3	2.3	-1.9
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	23.9	18.0	10.6	2.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	8.6	20.3
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.3	7.5	18.8	27.8	27.0	14.6	2.9	0.0	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.4	3.8	3.8	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Days with precip. (/yr)	16.1	13.5	13.9	14.3	15.9	15.3	12.1	8.9	8.5	10.5	14.5	16.3
<b>2071-2100 (long-term)</b>												
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Ave. daily Tmax. (°C)	7.5	10.6	15.3	20.1	24.5	29.7	33.4	33.0	27.6	19.9	12.8	8.5
Ave. daily Tmin. (°C)	-0.5	1.1	4.5	9.2	13.4	18.3	21.5	21.1	16.6	10.3	4.5	1.2
Days with T<0°C (/yr)	16.0	10.9	4.6	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	4.2	12.1
Days with T>25°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.8	4.2	13.2	25.0	30.4	29.9	21.2	4.8	0.1	0.0
Days with T>35°C (/yr)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.9	4.2	9.9	9.9	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0
Days with precip. (/yr)	14.6	12.8	12.6	13.7	14.9	14.3	10.1	8.2	8.0	10.4	13.3	15.9

**Table S4.** Monthly values for main water balance components for the representative year for each climate model ensemble output for the reference, short- and long-term periods (catchment scale)

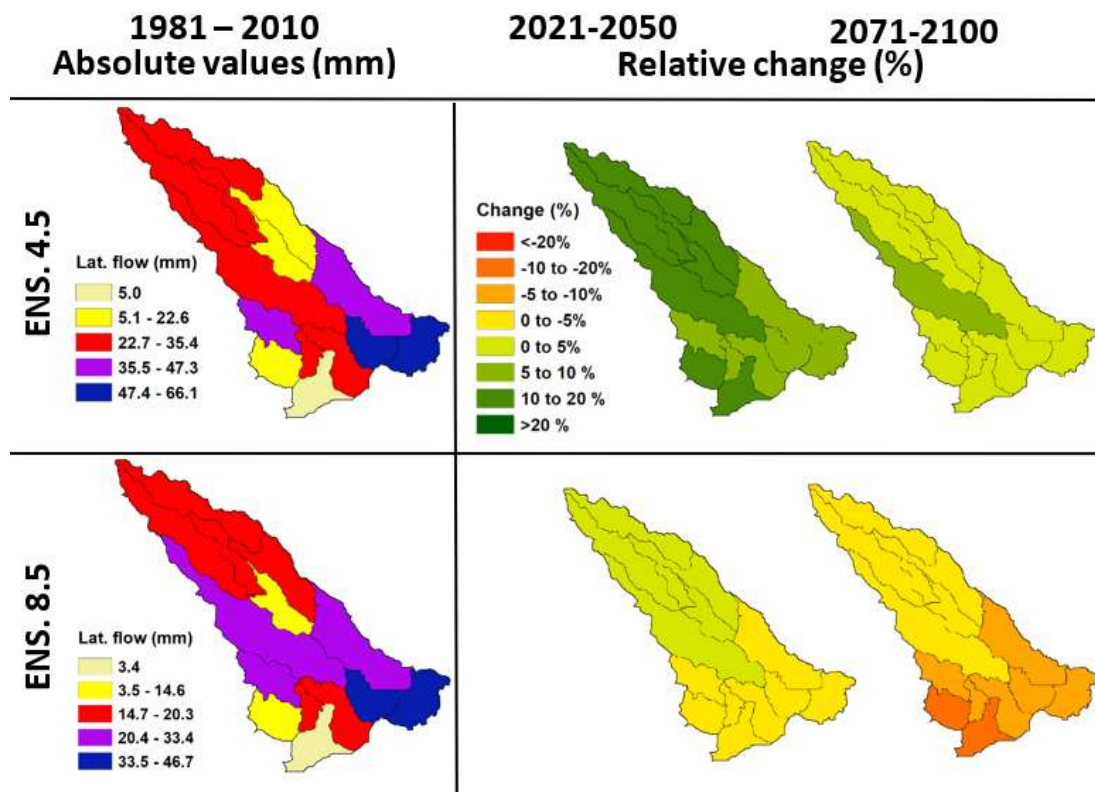
	ENS. RCP 4.5								ENS. RCP 8.5							
	1981 – 2010 (reference)															
Month	SNMT	PET	ET	SW	PER C	SUR F	LAT	Q	SNMT	PET	ET	SW	PER C	SUR F	LAT	Q
	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m³/s	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m³/s
Jan	23.7	15.6	8.6	99.3	3.6	0.2	1.9	6.7	24.5	15.8	8.6	102.3	4.1	0.2	1.8	7.3
Feb	25.2	26.3	13.5	111.0	6.1	0.3	2.2	7.7	24.3	25.9	13.4	113.5	6.2	0.4	2.0	8.2
Mar	24.9	65.6	28.6	118.4	11.3	0.7	4.4	10.3	26.3	64.5	28.2	121.2	13.4	0.7	3.1	11.1
Apr	7.9	107.0	39.2	116.2	7.2	0.9	3.3	9.5	10.1	105.1	38.9	119.1	9.2	0.9	1.8	10.5
May	0.3	136.6	54.6	120.9	6.9	0.6	4.5	10.6	0.3	135.9	54.1	123.7	7.4	0.7	3.2	11.2
Jun	0.0	163.8	70.4	108.6	6.0	0.6	4.0	10.4	0.0	160.6	70.3	115.9	6.7	0.7	2.9	11.5
Jul	0.0	201.2	86.0	61.2	1.9	0.6	2.1	8.0	0.0	198.2	90.2	64.4	2.3	0.7	1.1	8.7
Aug	0.0	192.7	63.0	30.0	0.0	0.5	1.3	6.8	0.0	193.7	62.9	31.5	0.0	0.6	0.8	7.3
Sep	0.0	127.8	39.3	29.3	0.1	0.3	2.0	7.3	0.0	125.7	40.5	31.7	0.1	0.3	1.3	8.0
Oct	1.9	69.4	24.7	40.1	0.7	0.2	2.1	7.4	1.9	68.7	26.2	43.6	0.7	0.3	1.5	8.2
Nov	9.5	28.9	15.9	62.1	1.7	0.2	2.8	8.1	10.7	28.7	16.1	63.5	1.9	0.2	1.9	8.5
Dec	20.0	16.0	11.4	80.5	2.4	0.1	2.4	7.4	21.5	16.0	11.4	82.9	2.5	0.2	1.8	8.0
<i>Ave. full yr.</i>	<i>113.3</i>	<i>1150.8</i>	<i>455.4</i>	<i>81.5</i>	<i>47.9</i>	<i>5.4</i>	<i>33.1</i>	<i>8.3</i>	<i>119.6</i>	<i>1138.8</i>	<i>460.9</i>	<i>84.4</i>	<i>54.5</i>	<i>5.7</i>	<i>23.3</i>	<i>9.0</i>
<i>Ave. gr. seas.</i>	<i>8.2</i>	<i>929.1</i>	<i>352.7</i>	<i>77.7</i>	<i>22.1</i>	<i>3.6</i>	<i>17.3</i>	<i>8.8</i>	<i>10.4</i>	<i>919.2</i>	<i>357.0</i>	<i>81.0</i>	<i>25.7</i>	<i>3.8</i>	<i>11.1</i>	<i>9.5</i>
	2021-2050 (short-term)															
Month	SNMT	PET	ET	SW	PER C	SUR F	LAT	Q	SNMT	PET	ET	SW	PER C	SUR F	LAT	Q
	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m³/s	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m³/s
Jan	24.8	17.9	9.8	111.5	4.6	0.3	2.6	8.3	25.1	18.6	9.6	105.7	4.1	0.3	1.9	7.5
Feb	25.6	30.2	15.8	122.6	7.2	0.4	2.7	9.3	23.4	32.0	16.8	118.1	8.3	0.5	2.7	9.8
Mar	21.5	68.2	30.7	128.0	12.0	0.9	4.4	11.4	17.7	70.9	31.9	123.9	10.6	0.6	3.1	10.6
Apr	10.0	107.3	41.7	128.3	11.0	0.9	4.5	12.0	7.4	107.3	43.1	126.2	9.6	0.7	2.8	11.1
May	1.6	145.0	55.0	125.1	8.8	0.8	4.4	11.5	0.0	146.9	55.7	122.8	6.1	0.6	2.3	10.2
Jun	0.0	183.7	74.0	96.5	5.2	0.8	3.1	10.5	0.0	175.7	76.7	101.4	4.8	0.5	1.8	10.1
Jul	0.0	222.9	87.2	43.8	0.9	0.9	1.6	8.5	0.0	211.3	92.1	52.5	1.1	0.5	1.3	8.2

Aug	0.0	212.9	50.0	21.4	0.2	0.7	1.3	7.9	0.0	202.4	59.5	26.5	0.4	0.4	1.2	7.5
Sep	0.0	138.7	31.0	28.1	0.2	0.4	2.1	8.4	0.0	138.4	32.4	26.2	0.2	0.3	1.1	7.2
Oct	0.8	73.7	23.0	46.5	0.8	0.3	2.7	9.0	0.5	74.5	21.9	40.7	0.9	0.3	1.2	8.0
Nov	9.6	29.1	15.4	76.1	3.2	0.3	4.1	10.8	11.4	30.6	15.4	66.8	1.8	0.2	2.0	8.9
Dec	19.8	17.0	10.6	94.1	4.4	0.3	3.0	9.0	18.8	18.0	11.3	87.1	3.4	0.2	1.9	8.3
<b><i>Ave. full yr.</i></b>	<b><i>113.8</i></b>	<b><i>1246.5</i></b>	<b><i>444.3</i></b>	<b><i>85.2</i></b>	<b><i>58.4</i></b>	<b><i>6.9</i></b>	<b><i>36.4</i></b>	<b><i>9.7</i></b>	<b><i>104.4</i></b>	<b><i>1226.6</i></b>	<b><i>466.4</i></b>	<b><i>83.1</i></b>	<b><i>51.3</i></b>	<b><i>5.2</i></b>	<b><i>23.3</i></b>	<b><i>9.0</i></b>
<b><i>Ave. gr. seas.</i></b>	<b><i>11.6</i></b>	<b><i>1010.5</i></b>	<b><i>338.9</i></b>	<b><i>73.9</i></b>	<b><i>26.3</i></b>	<b><i>4.5</i></b>	<b><i>16.9</i></b>	<b><i>9.8</i></b>	<b><i>7.4</i></b>	<b><i>981.9</i></b>	<b><i>359.4</i></b>	<b><i>75.9</i></b>	<b><i>22.2</i></b>	<b><i>3.1</i></b>	<b><i>10.5</i></b>	<b><i>9.1</i></b>
<b>2071-2100 (long-term)</b>																
<b>Month</b>	<b>SNMT</b>	<b>PET</b>	<b>ET</b>	<b>SW</b>	<b>PER C</b>	<b>SUR F</b>	<b>LAT</b>	<b>Q</b>	<b>SNMT</b>	<b>PET</b>	<b>ET</b>	<b>SW</b>	<b>PER C</b>	<b>SUR F</b>	<b>LAT</b>	<b>Q</b>
	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m <sup>3</sup> /s	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	mm	m <sup>3</sup> /s
Jan	21.0	21.0	11.8	107.8	5.5	0.2	2.8	7.8	14.4	24.7	14.1	111.1	5.5	0.3	2.2	8.4
Feb	19.3	34.5	17.7	114.8	6.1	0.3	2.5	8.0	15.8	41.8	22.1	120.2	7.2	0.3	2.4	9.8
Mar	13.6	81.2	32.9	114.3	10.1	0.6	3.8	9.5	8.3	87.7	36.0	120.8	7.9	0.5	2.7	9.9
Apr	1.0	114.9	41.7	114.1	5.1	0.7	3.2	9.2	1.3	122.4	46.1	122.1	6.4	0.4	2.5	9.9
May	0.0	151.9	55.9	111.5	6.3	0.6	4.0	10.0	0.0	165.0	63.1	111.8	6.6	0.5	2.4	10.1
Jun	0.0	184.5	80.5	85.2	4.0	0.5	3.4	9.3	0.0	199.6	91.7	73.2	4.3	0.5	1.5	9.8
Jul	0.0	224.7	84.9	39.5	1.5	0.6	2.2	7.9	0.0	244.8	77.7	27.0	0.5	0.5	0.7	7.2
Aug	0.0	213.5	47.6	20.3	0.1	0.6	1.3	6.8	0.0	229.2	37.1	16.1	0.1	0.4	0.7	6.6
Sep	0.0	144.7	29.8	28.8	0.0	0.3	2.0	7.3	0.0	155.1	21.8	31.5	1.4	0.4	1.1	8.2
Oct	0.0	75.2	21.7	47.9	0.6	0.3	2.6	7.9	0.7	82.5	19.5	57.2	2.9	0.5	1.6	9.8
Nov	7.3	31.1	13.7	72.1	3.3	0.2	3.5	8.8	4.5	34.9	13.9	77.2	3.8	0.3	1.9	9.1
Dec	18.5	18.8	10.8	93.6	4.2	0.2	3.4	8.5	14.4	22.7	11.9	98.0	5.3	0.3	2.4	9.3
<b><i>Ave. full yr.</i></b>	<b><i>80.7</i></b>	<b><i>1296.0</i></b>	<b><i>449.0</i></b>	<b><i>79.2</i></b>	<b><i>46.8</i></b>	<b><i>5.0</i></b>	<b><i>34.5</i></b>	<b><i>8.4</i></b>	<b><i>59.5</i></b>	<b><i>1410.5</i></b>	<b><i>455.0</i></b>	<b><i>80.5</i></b>	<b><i>51.9</i></b>	<b><i>4.9</i></b>	<b><i>22.0</i></b>	<b><i>9.0</i></b>
<b><i>Ave. gr. seas.</i></b>	<b><i>1.0</i></b>	<b><i>1034.1</i></b>	<b><i>340.4</i></b>	<b><i>66.6</i></b>	<b><i>17.0</i></b>	<b><i>3.3</i></b>	<b><i>16.0</i></b>	<b><i>8.4</i></b>	<b><i>1.3</i></b>	<b><i>1116.1</i></b>	<b><i>337.5</i></b>	<b><i>63.6</i></b>	<b><i>19.3</i></b>	<b><i>2.7</i></b>	<b><i>8.9</i></b>	<b><i>8.6</i></b>

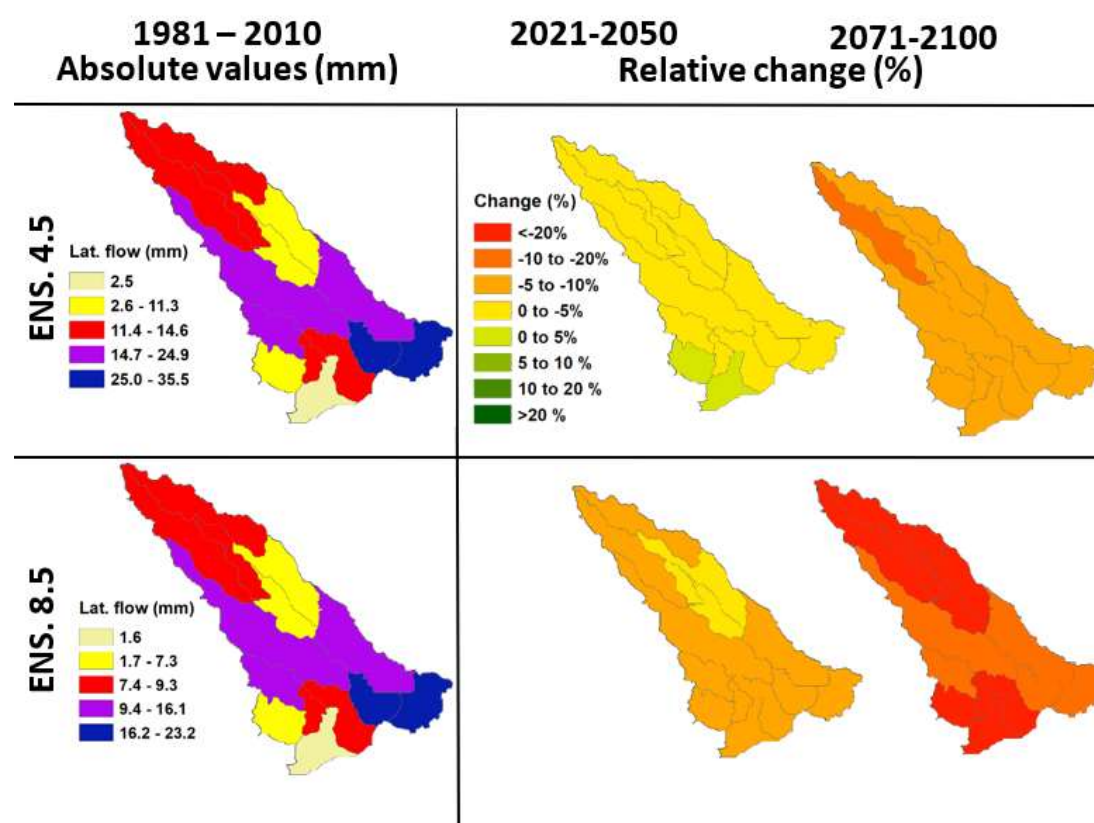
SNMT: snowmelt (mm); PET: potential evapotranspiration (mm); ET: actual evapotranspiration (mm); SW: amount of water in soil (mm); PERC: amount of water percolating out of root zone (mm); SURF: surface runoff (mm); LAT: lateral flow (mm); Q: streamflow (mm)

### S3. Spatial distribution of lateral flow

In a similar fashion to SW, the values for the shallow subsurface flow (LATQ; Figure S4) for the reference period show heterogeneity at catchment scale. LATQ shows significant increase under RCP 4.5 over the short-term period, with the more moderate increase in the lower portion of the catchment, and smaller relative changes over the long-term. For RCP 8.5, the trends are reversed suggesting that the lower half of the catchment will experience reduced LATQ compared to the reference period, while overall the changes in LATQ will be moderate in either direction (i.e., increase or decrease) over the short-term. Over the long-term, all subcatchments will experience a reduction in LATQ, with the most significant reduction occurring in the lower portion of the catchment. As it was the case with SW, during the growing season, LATQ shows a widespread reduction during the growing season, with the magnitude of the change varying in accordance with each RCP and period of analysis (Figure S5).



**Figure S4.** Catchment scale distribution of annual average lateral flow for the reference period (mm) and the relative change compared to the reference period (%) for each RCP.



**Figure S5.** Catchment scale distribution of growing season average lateral flow for the reference period (mm) and the relative change compared to the reference period (%) for each RCP.