

## Supplemental data

Article title: MaxEnt Modeling to Predict the Current and Future Distribution of *Pomatosace filicula* under Climate Change Scenarios on the Qinghai–Tibet Plateau

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Table. S1 Environmental indicators used in this paper to model the potential distribution of *Pomatosace filicula*. There are 8 soil and 1 terrain indicators, and 19 bioclimatic indicators

| Bioclimatic variables | Description  | Unit                 |
|-----------------------|--|----------------------|
| Bio1                  | Annual mean temperature                              | ° C                  |
| Bio2                  | Mean diurnal range                                   | ° C                  |
| Bio3                  | Isothermality (BIO2/BIO7) (* 100)                    | %                    |
| Bio4                  | Temperature seasonality (standard deviation *100)    | ° C                  |
| Bio5                  | Max temperature of warmest month                     | ° C                  |
| Bio6                  | Min temperature of coldest month                     | ° C                  |
| Bio7                  | Temperature annual range (BIO5-BIO6)                 | ° C                  |
| Bio8                  | Mean temperature of wettest quarter                  | ° C                  |
| Bio9                  | Mean temperature of driest quarter                   | ° C                  |
| Bio10                 | Mean temperature of warmest quarter                  | ° C                  |
| Bio11                 | Mean temperature of coldest quarter                  | ° C                  |
| Bio12                 | Annual precipitation                                 | mm                   |
| Bio13                 | Precipitation of wettest month                       | mm                   |
| Bio14                 | Precipitation of driest month                        | mm                   |
| Bio15                 | Precipitation seasonality (coefficient of variation) | 1                    |
| Bio16                 | Precipitation of wettest quarter                     | mm                   |
| Bio17                 | Precipitation of driest quarter                      | mm                   |
| Bio18                 | Precipitation of warmest quarter                     | mm                   |
| Bio19                 | Precipitation of coldest quarter                     | mm                   |
| alt                   | Elevation  | m                    |
| ph                    | Topsoil pH (H <sub>2</sub> O)                        | log(H <sup>+</sup> ) |
| an                    | Available nitrogen                                   | mg/kg                |
| ak                    | Available potassium                                  | mg/kg                |
| ap                    | Available phosphorus                                 | mg/kg                |
| tn                    | Total nitrogen                                       | mg/L                 |
| tk                    | Total potassium                                      | mg/L                 |
| tp                    | Total phosphorus                                     | mg/L                 |
| Som                   | soil organic matter                                  | g/kg                 |

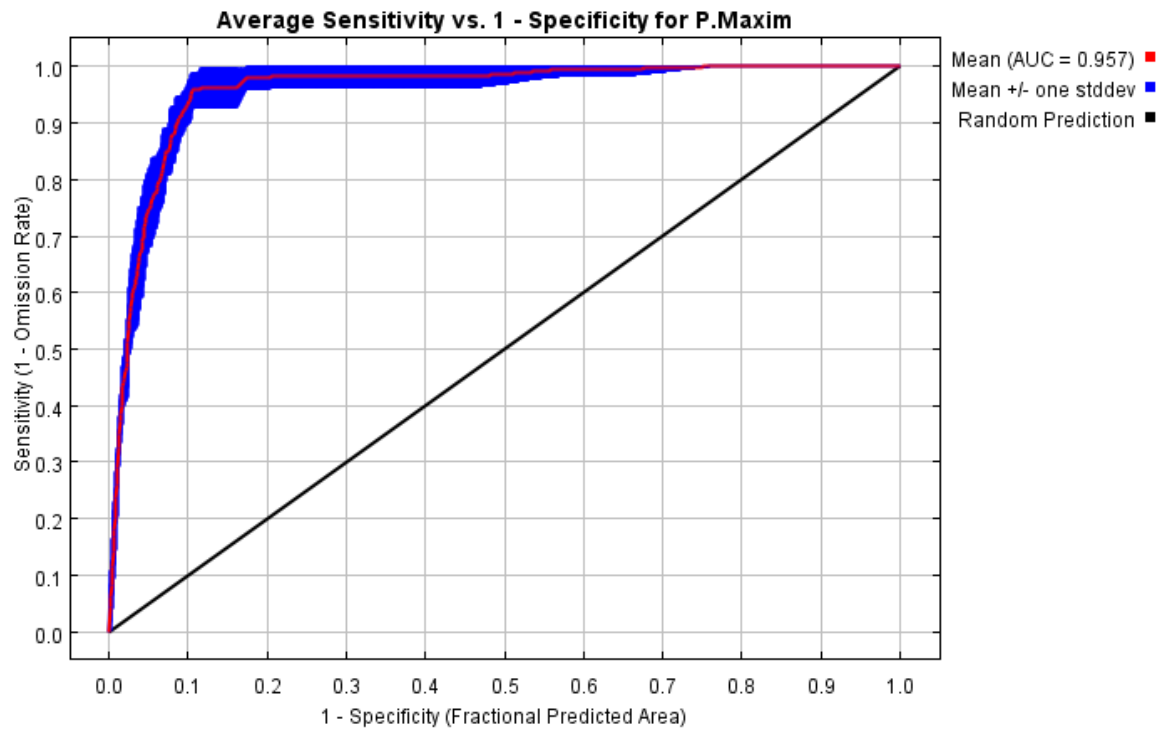


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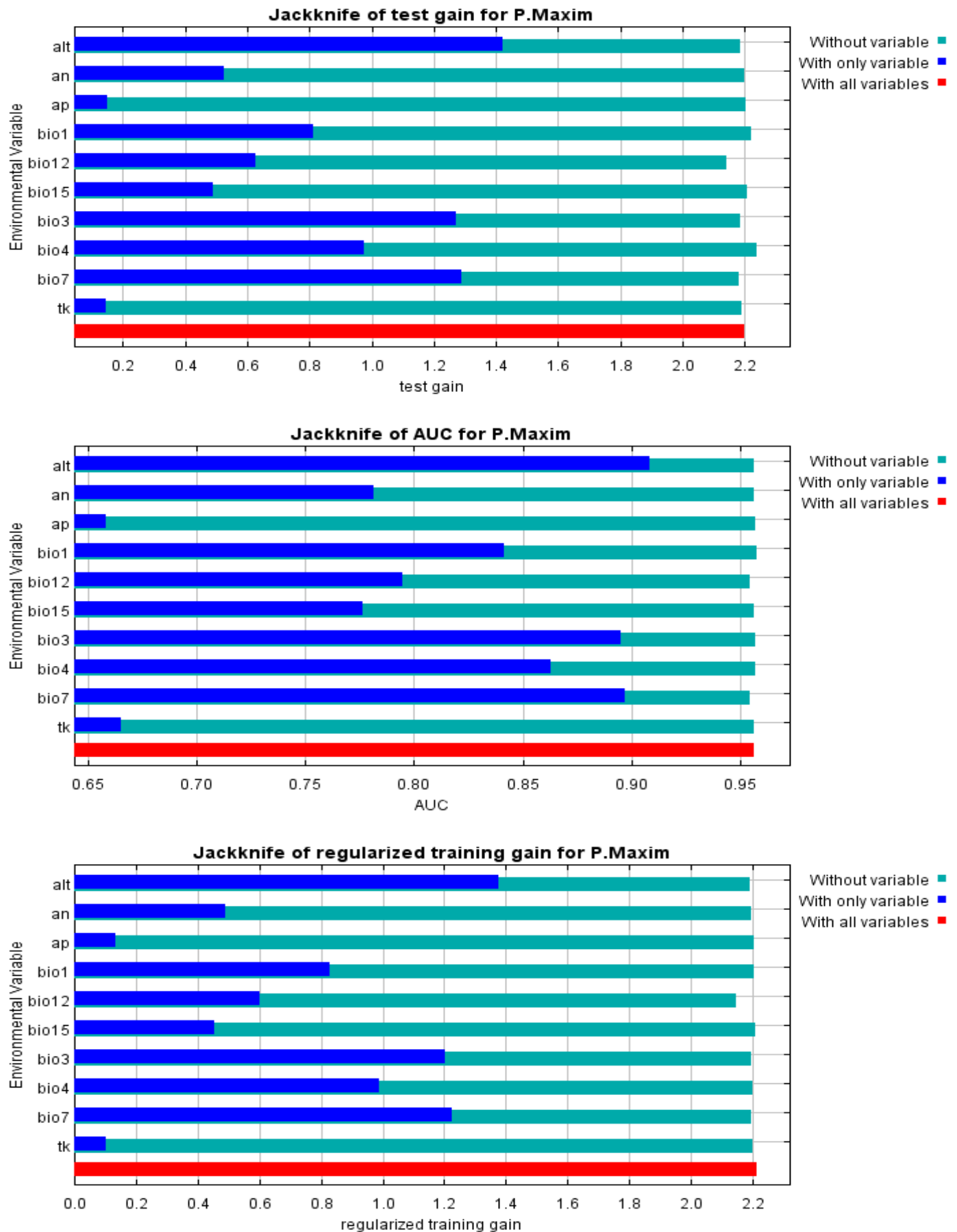


Figure S2 The results of the jackknife test of variables' contribution in modelling *Pomatosace flicula* distribution in the current situation (The regularized training gain describes how much better the Maxent distribution fits the presence data compared to a uniform distribution. The dark blue bars indicate that the gain from using each variable in isolation, the light blue bars indicate the gain lost by removing the single variable from the full model, and the red bar indicates the gain using all of the variables).

Table. S2 Comparison between the current distribution and the suitable areas of *P. pinnatifida* in 2050 and 2070 under four climate scenarios (RCP 2.6, RCP 4.5, RCP 6.0 and RCP 8.5) and five general circulation models (BCC-CSM1-1、

|                                     |        |      | Total suitable<br>region | Lowly<br>suitable<br>region | Moderately<br>suitable<br>region | Highly<br>suitable<br>region | unsuitable<br>habitat |
|-------------------------------------|--------|------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| GISS-E2-R                           | RCP2.6 | 2050 | 2.30%                    | 15.08%                      | -7.87%                           | -4.91%                       | -2.30%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | 2.03%                    | 20.85%                      | -22.43%                          | -16.52%                      | 18.10%                |
|                                     | RCP4.5 | 2050 | -14.54%                  | 7.73%                       | -45.14%                          | -14.66%                      | 52.07%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -15.99%                  | 9.16%                       | -49.88%                          | -22.81%                      | 63.53%                |
|                                     | RCP6.0 | 2050 | -4.55%                   | 15.18%                      | -30.72%                          | -16.98%                      | 32.52%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -4.64%                   | 16.92%                      | -34.05%                          | -8.04%                       | 25.16%                |
|                                     | RCP8.5 | 2050 | -14.00%                  | 8.80%                       | -45.02%                          | -17.59%                      | 53.81%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -20.50%                  | 6.86%                       | -56.71%                          | -34.93%                      | 84.78%                |
| CCSM4                               | RCP2.6 | 2050 | -6.22%                   | -2.47%                      | -12.41%                          | 0.20%                        | 14.68%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -7.11%                   | -2.84%                      | -13.72%                          | -3.89%                       | 20.45%                |
|                                     | RCP4.5 | 2050 | -14.38%                  | -7.14%                      | -25.38%                          | -6.24%                       | 38.76%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -14.87%                  | -6.55%                      | -27.10%                          | -9.19%                       | 42.84%                |
|                                     | RCP6.0 | 2050 | -8.43%                   | -4.01%                      | -15.64%                          | -0.45%                       | 20.10%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -10.54%                  | -5.43%                      | -18.19%                          | -8.15%                       | 31.77%                |
|                                     | RCP8.5 | 2050 | -24.13%                  | -10.90%                     | -41.20%                          | -38.99%                      | 91.08%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -25.17%                  | -15.00%                     | -39.38%                          | -24.87%                      | 79.25%                |
| HadGEM2-ES                          | RCP2.6 | 2050 | -3.05%                   | -1.43%                      | -9.74%                           | 42.58%                       | -31.41%               |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -4.96%                   | 2.01%                       | -15.93%                          | 6.56%                        | 7.36%                 |
|                                     | RCP4.5 | 2050 | -10.92%                  | -5.58%                      | -21.33%                          | 20.14%                       | 6.78%                 |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -4.85%                   | -4.03%                      | -10.19%                          | 37.70%                       | -23.48%               |
|                                     | RCP6.0 | 2050 | -14.18%                  | -9.39%                      | -23.57%                          | 13.85%                       | 19.11%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -5.71%                   | -3.21%                      | -12.11%                          | 23.05%                       | -7.73%                |
|                                     | RCP8.5 | 2050 | -32.53%                  | -9.20%                      | -64.28%                          | 14.50%                       | 58.98%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -16.53%                  | -7.93%                      | -30.75%                          | 8.07%                        | 30.62%                |
| BCC-CSM1-1                          | RCP2.6 | 2050 | -5.73%                   | -4.80%                      | -8.63%                           | 6.64%                        | 6.78%                 |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -7.11%                   | -2.84%                      | -13.72%                          | -3.89%                       | 20.45%                |
|                                     | RCP4.5 | 2050 | -12.26%                  | -3.84%                      | -22.46%                          | -32.21%                      | 58.50%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -5.73%                   | -4.80%                      | -8.63%                           | 6.64%                        | 6.78%                 |
|                                     | RCP6.0 | 2050 | -17.20%                  | -7.88%                      | -29.58%                          | -25.63%                      | 63.09%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -19.18%                  | -9.76%                      | -31.51%                          | -29.30%                      | 70.58%                |
|                                     | RCP8.5 | 2050 | -13.16%                  | -8.59%                      | -18.89%                          | -24.48%                      | 51.96%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -20.19%                  | -6.77%                      | -35.81%                          | -55.02%                      | 97.60%                |
| MIROC5                              | RCP2.6 | 2050 | -2.97%                   | -14.32%                     | 8.03%                            | 40.79%                       | -34.50%               |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -6.33%                   | -12.55%                     | -1.25%                           | 25.90%                       | -12.10%               |
|                                     | RCP4.5 | 2050 | -5.80%                   | -13.96%                     | 0.95%                            | 37.44%                       | -24.42%               |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -7.65%                   | -14.02%                     | -2.90%                           | 31.12%                       | -14.19%               |
|                                     | RCP6.0 | 2050 | -12.72%                  | -16.37%                     | -10.77%                          | 15.95%                       | 11.18%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -6.52%                   | -13.99%                     | -0.23%                           | 31.41%                       | -17.19%               |
|                                     | RCP8.5 | 2050 | -13.12%                  | -13.99%                     | -13.72%                          | 1.69%                        | 26.02%                |
|                                     |        | 2070 | -10.25%                  | 3.12%                       | -27.66%                          | -24.20%                      | 48.75%                |
| CCSM4、GIS-E2-R、HadGEM2-ES and MIROC |        |      |                          |                             |                                  |                              |                       |

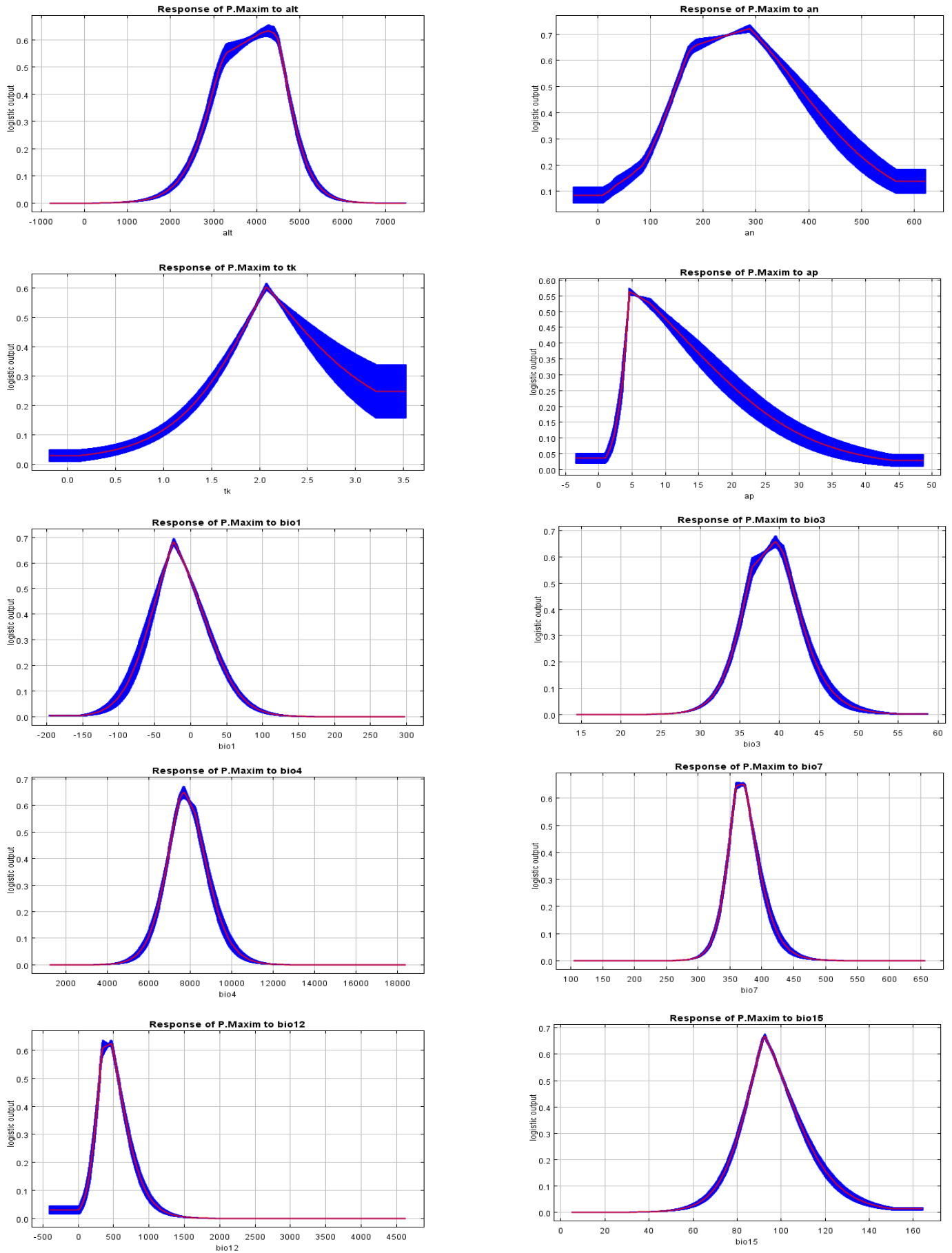
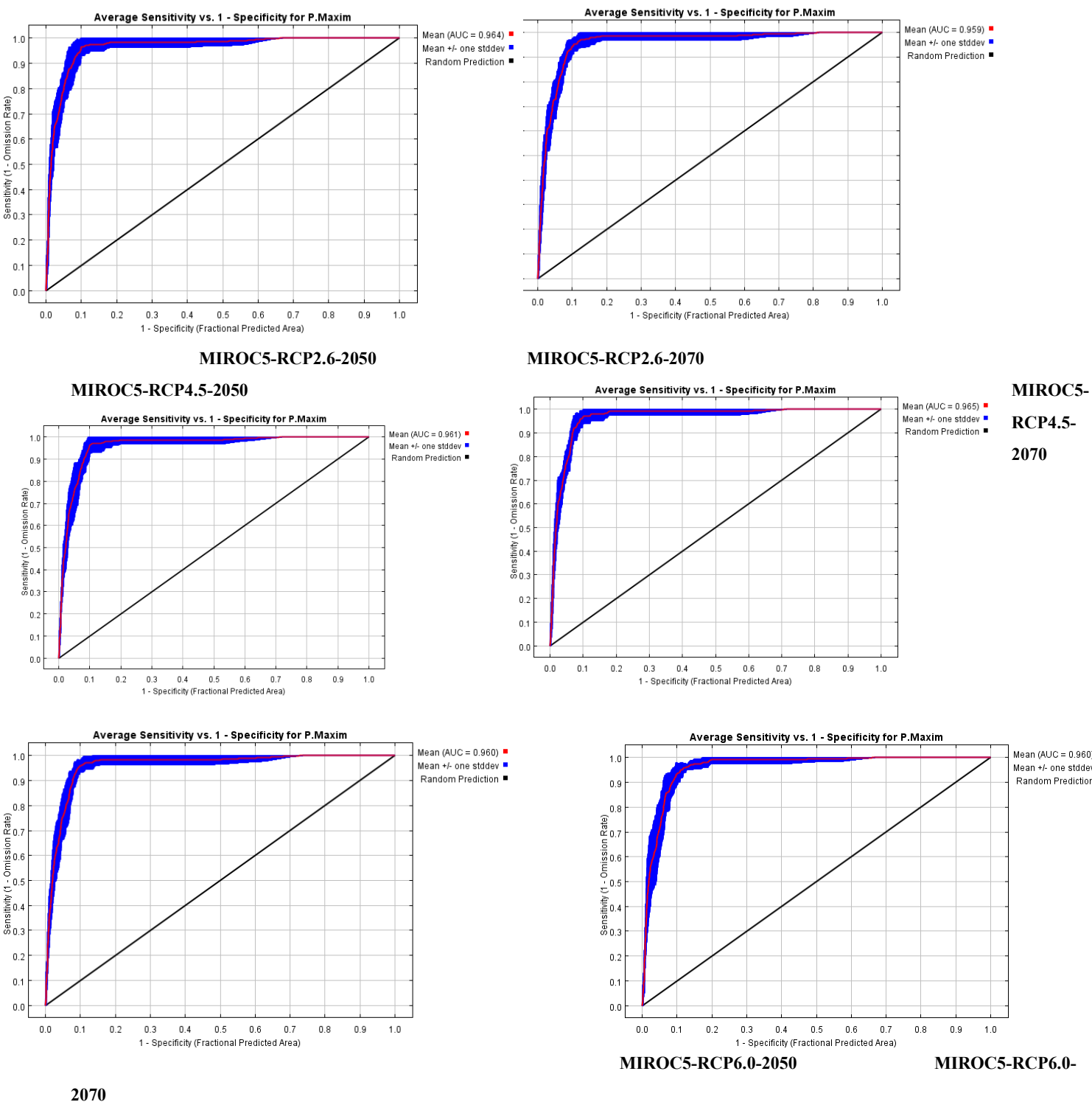


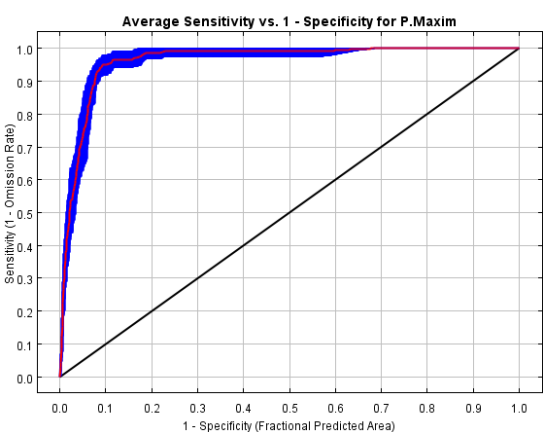
Figure S3 Response curves of 10 environmental variables in habitat distribution model of *Pomatosace filicula*. alt: elevation(m), an Available :nitrogen(mg/kg), tk: Total potassium(mg/L),ap: Available phosphorus(mg/kg), bio1:Annual mean temperature(°C), bio3: Isothermality (BIO2/BIO7× 100)(%),bio4:Temperature seasonality (standard deviation ×100)(%), bio7:Temperature annual range (BIO5-

Table. S3 Precipitation of 24 observation points in the middle and high suitable area and low suitable area of the Qinghai Tibet Plateau from 1952 to 2016.

| medium and high suitable areas | Annual precipitation | low suitable area | Annual precipitation |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Ping'an                        | 329.7                | Lenghu            | 16.4                 |
| Qumalai                        | 412.4                | Xiaozaohe         | 27.9                 |
| Quinan                         | 416.3                | Geermu            | 42.6                 |
| Tongde                         | 430.9                | Nuomuhong         | 45.4                 |
| Naqu                           | 434.8                | Dulan             | 202.9                |
| Qinghaihu                      | 513.2                | Wudaoliang        | 293.8                |
| Zaduo                          | 527.3                | Tuotuohe          | 294.7                |
| Henan                          | 583.8                | Jiangzi           | 284.7                |
| Nangqian                       | 536.4                | Minhe             | 347.0                |
| Yushu                          | 488.4                | Shiquanhe         | 71.4                 |
| Huangzhong                     | 533.2                | Gaize             | 181.5                |
| Hualong                        | 460.5                | Jingyuan          | 232.5                |

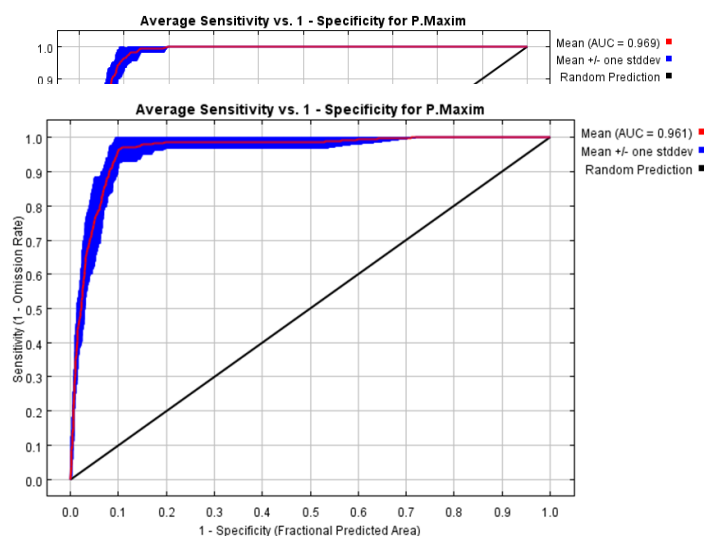
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CSM1-1、CCSM4、GIS-E2-R、HadDGEM2-ES and MIROC5) in 2050 and 2070 respectively.





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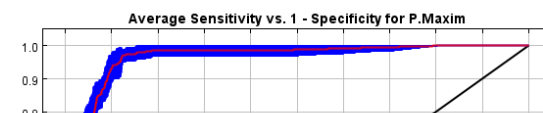
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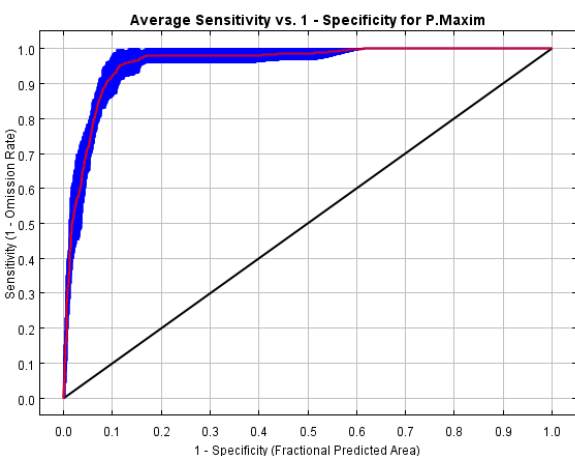
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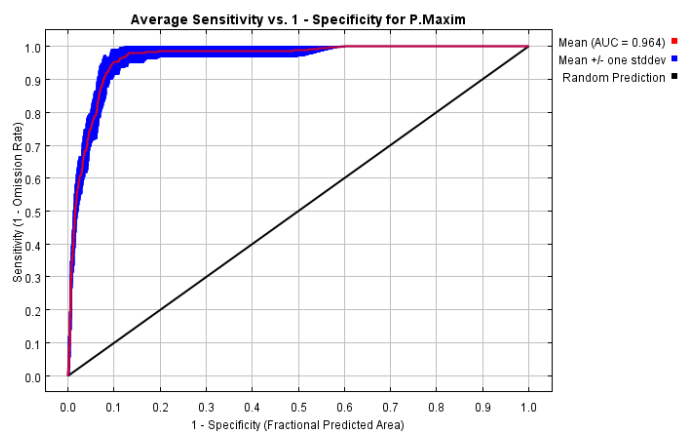


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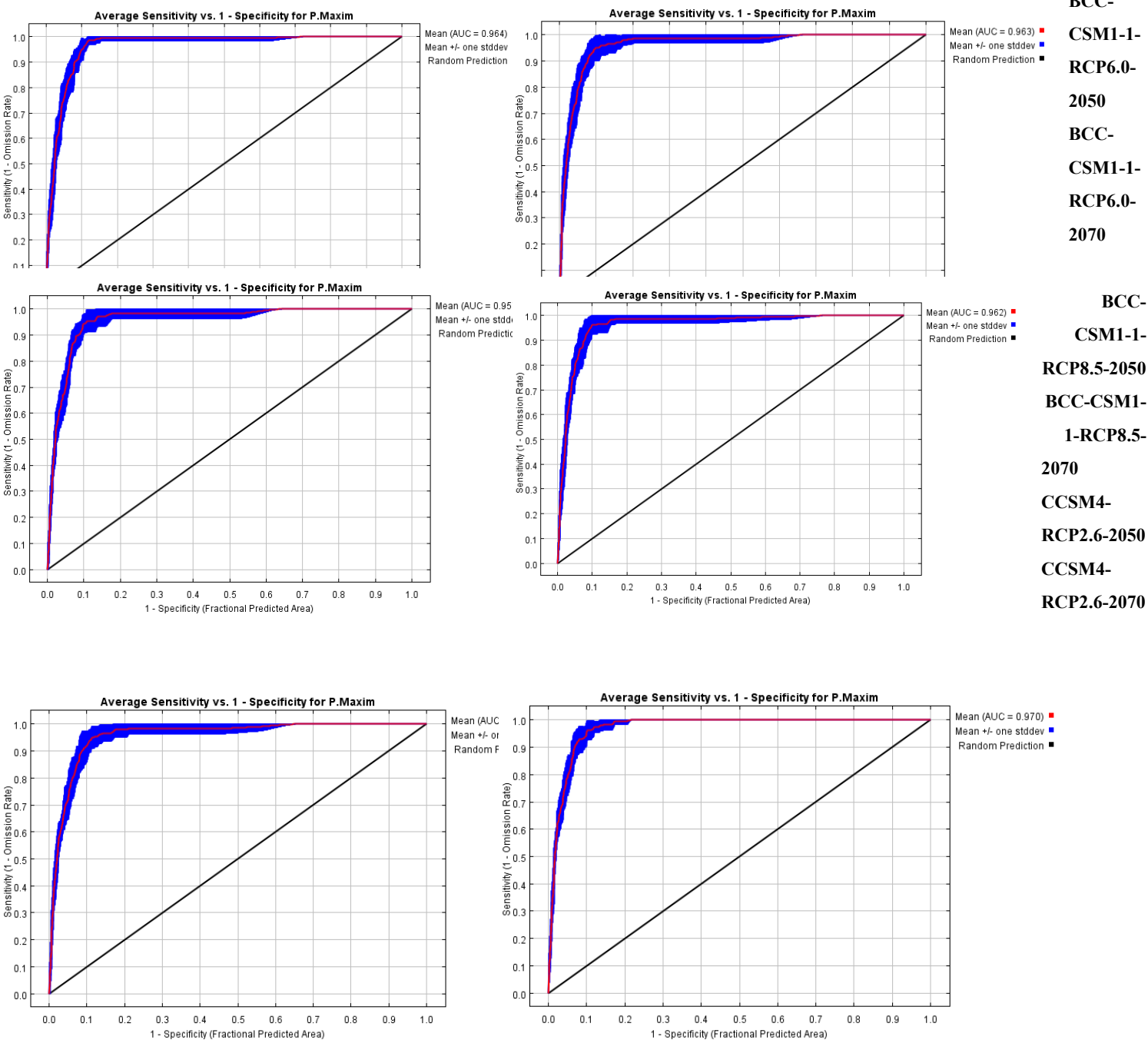
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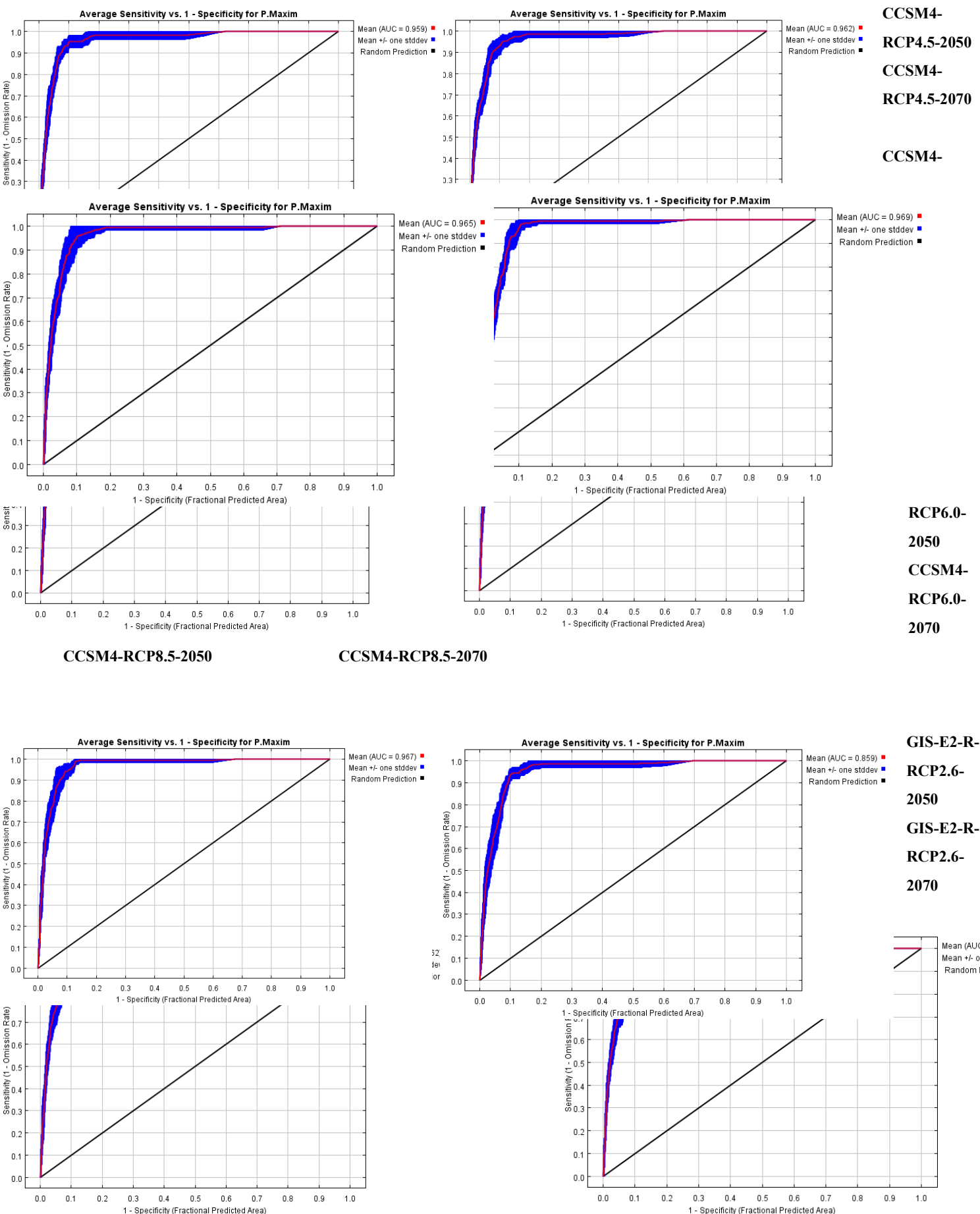


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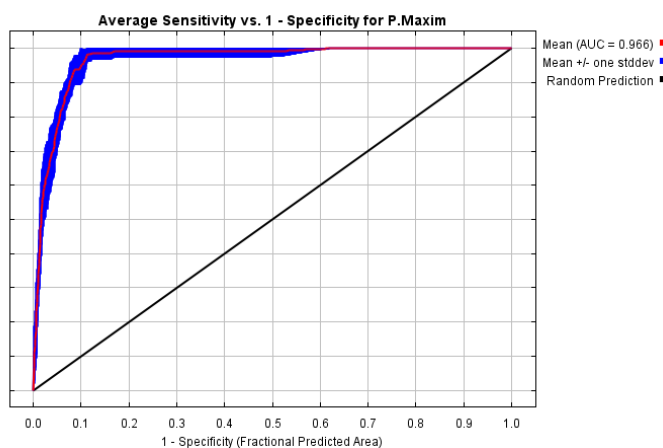
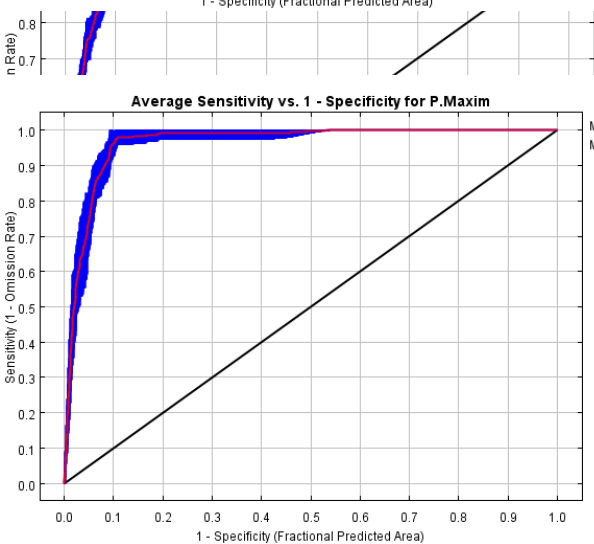
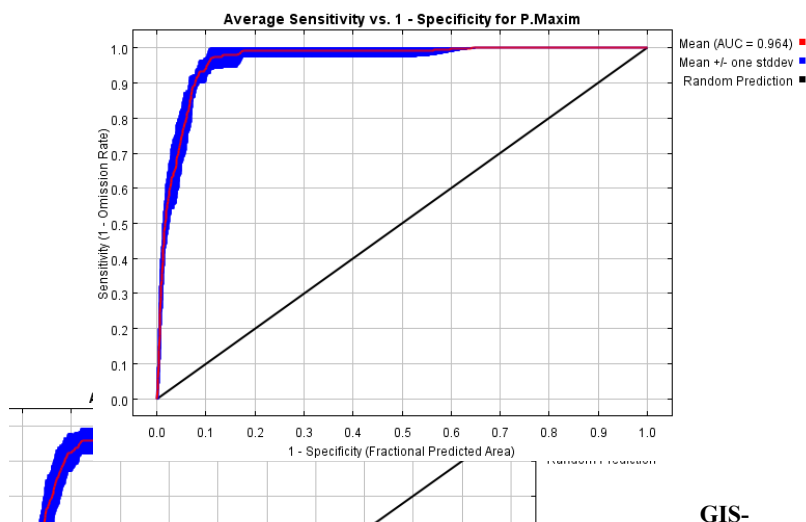
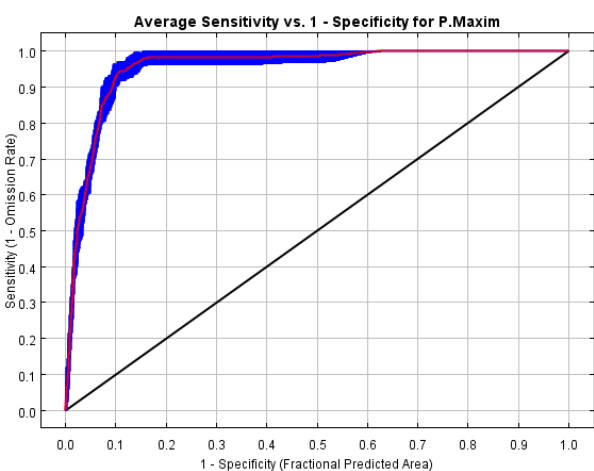


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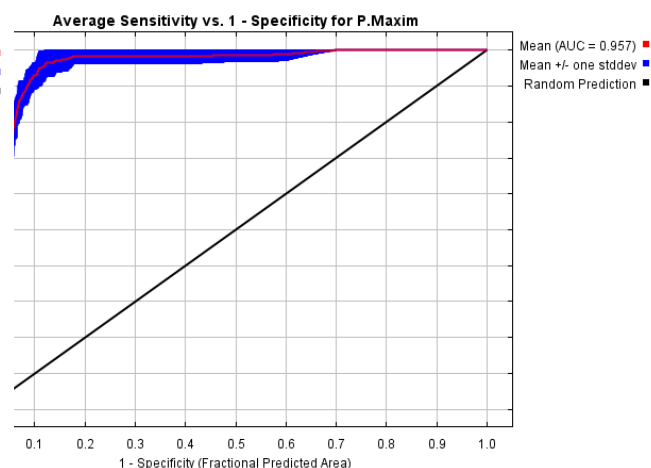
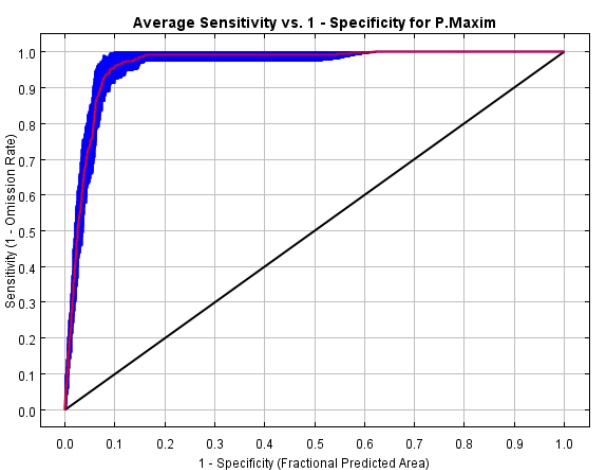


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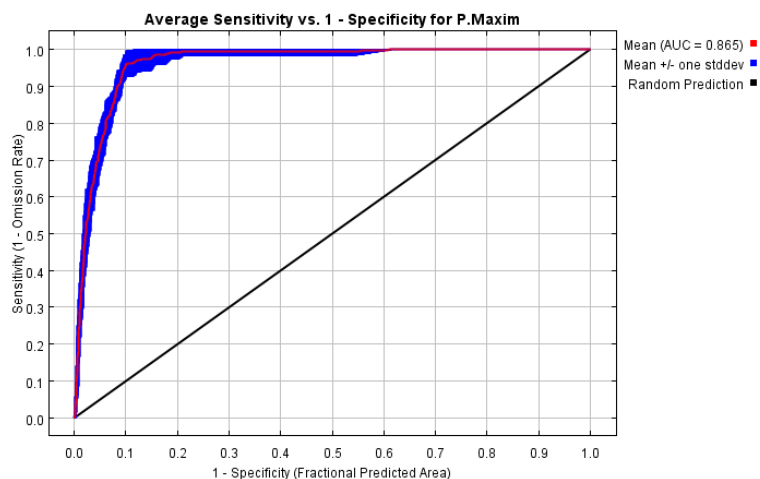
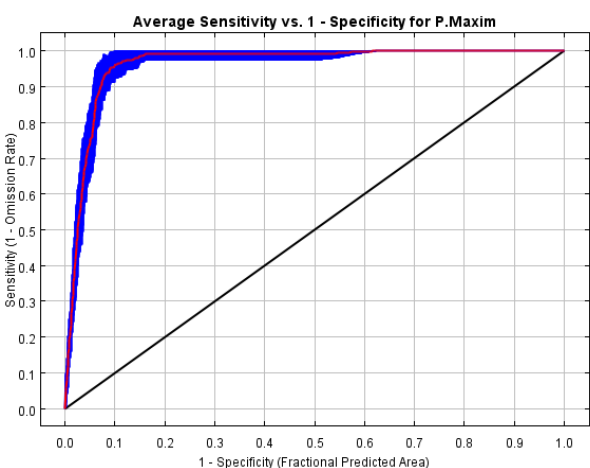
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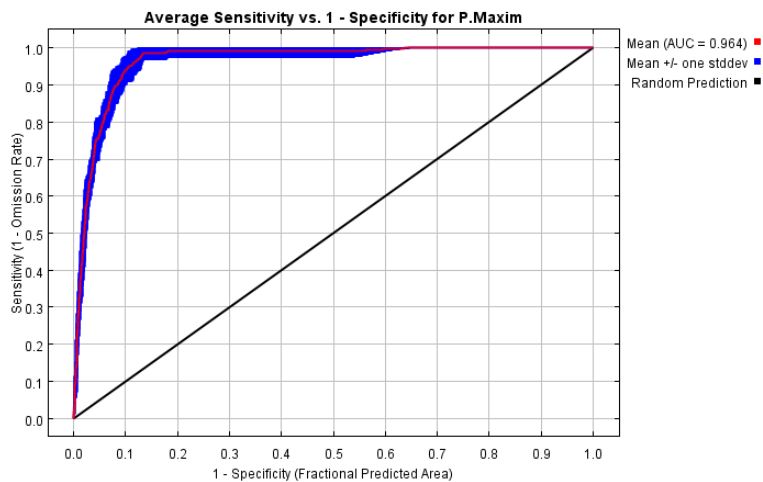
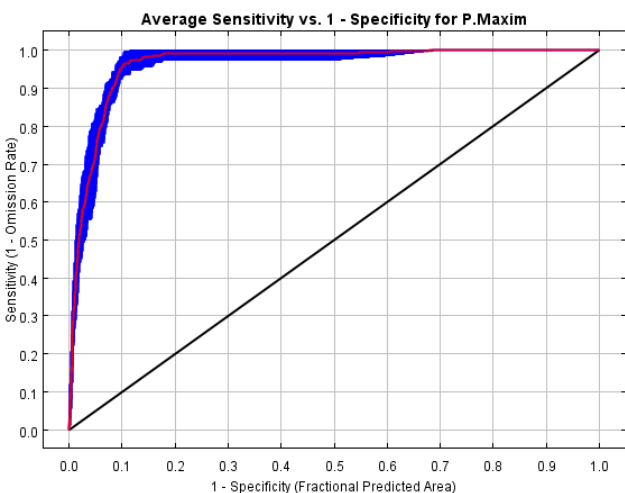
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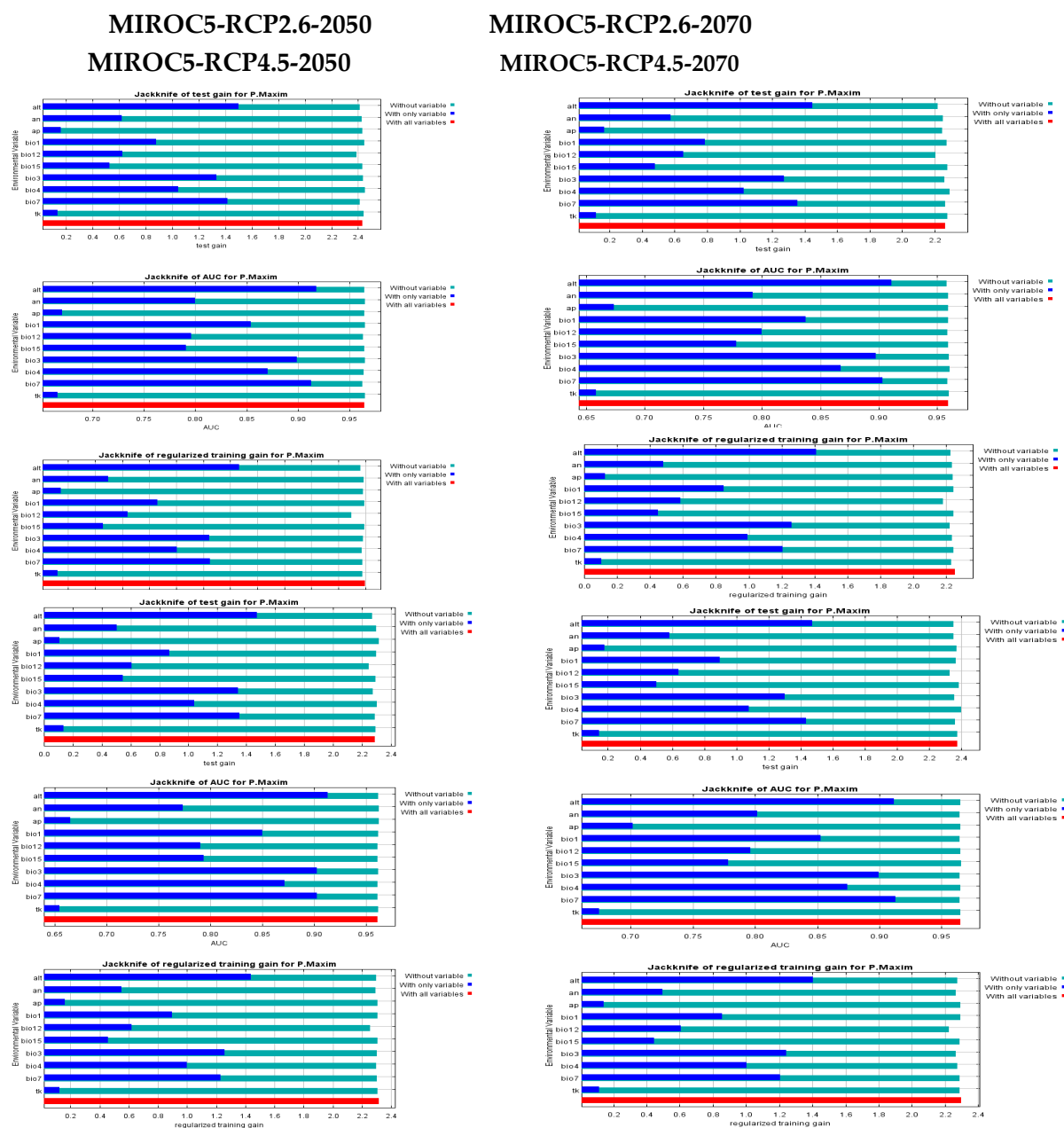
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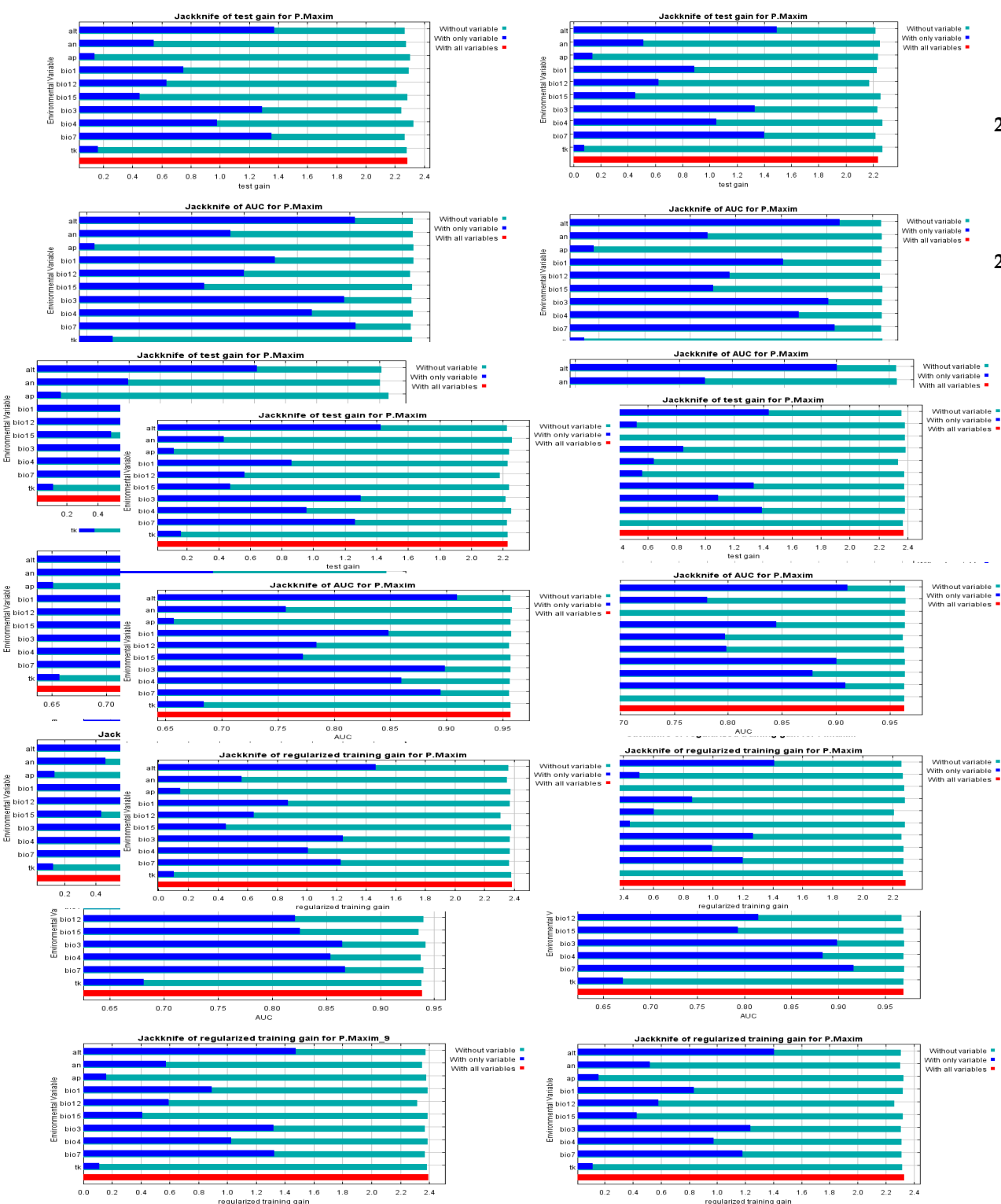


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## HadDGEM2-ES-RCP8.5-2070

Figure S5. The results of the jackknife test of variables' contribution in modelling *Pomatosace filicula* distribution in 2050 and 2070 under four climate scenarios (RCP 2.6, RCP 4.5, RCP 6.0 and RCP 8.5) and five general circulation models ( BCC-CSM1-1, CCSM4, GIS-E2-R, HadGEM2-ES and MIROC5). (The regularized training gain describes how much better the Maxent distribution fits the presence data compared to a uniform distribution. The dark blue bars indicate tHadGEM2-ES the gain from using each variable in isolation, the light blue bars indicate the gain lost by removing the single variable from the full model, and the red bar indicates the gain using all of the variables).



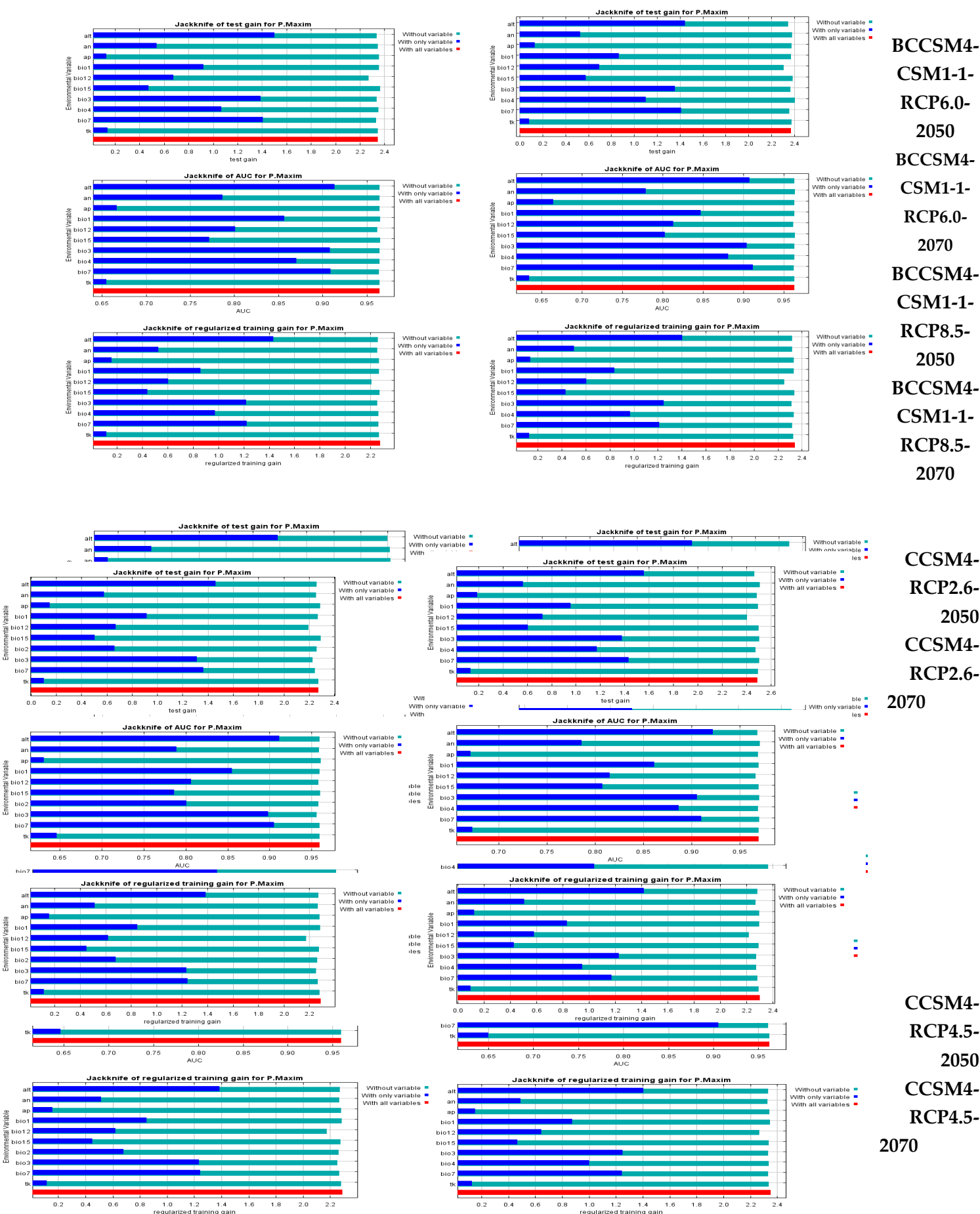


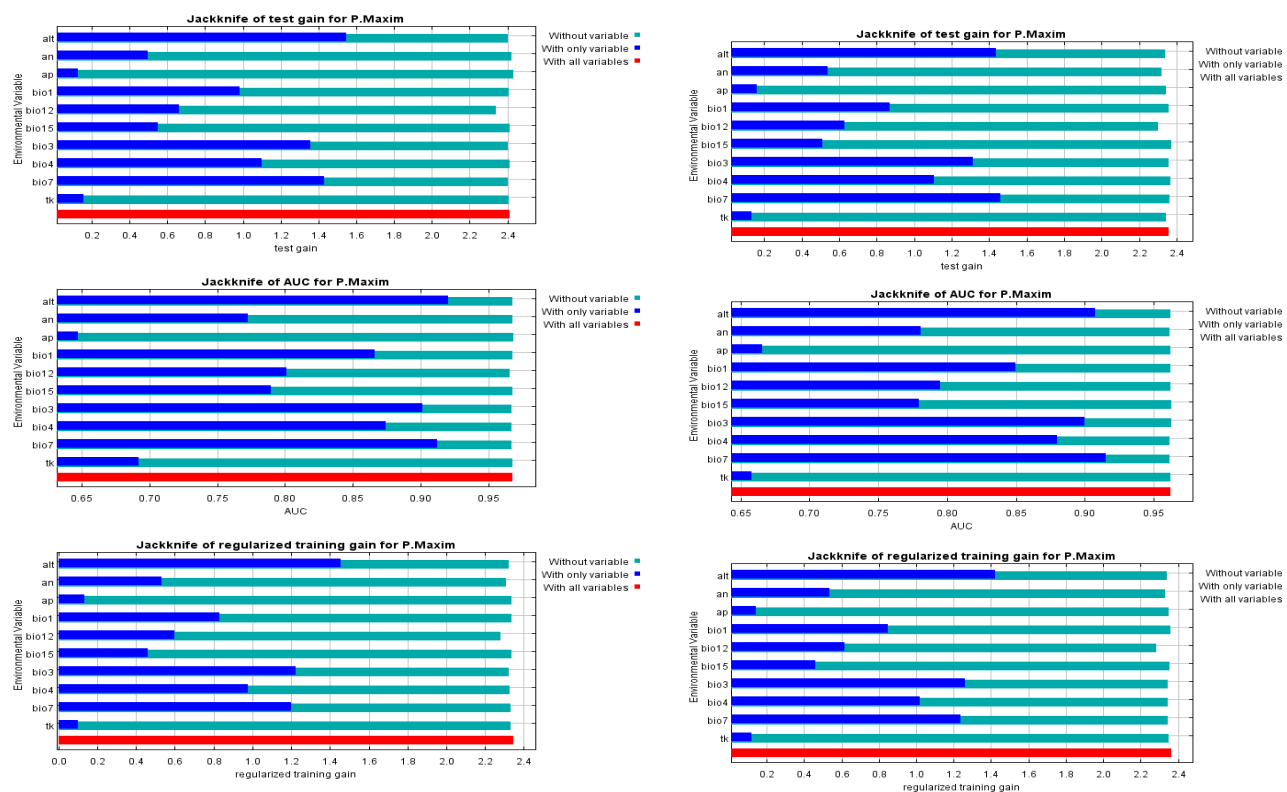
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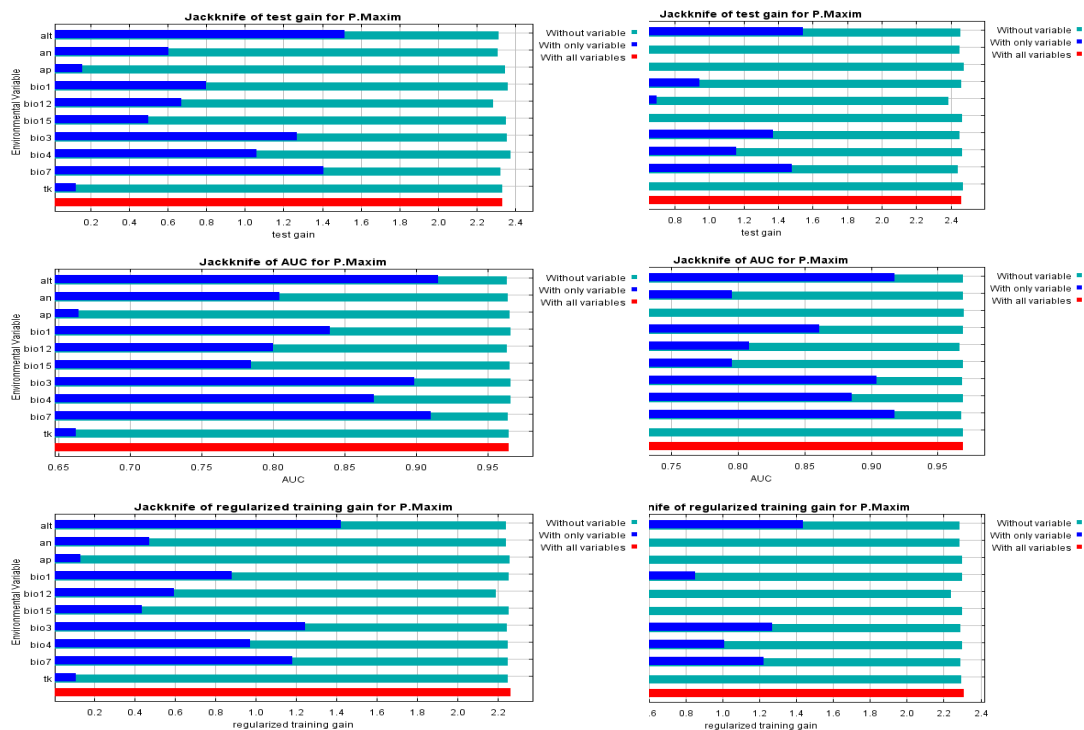
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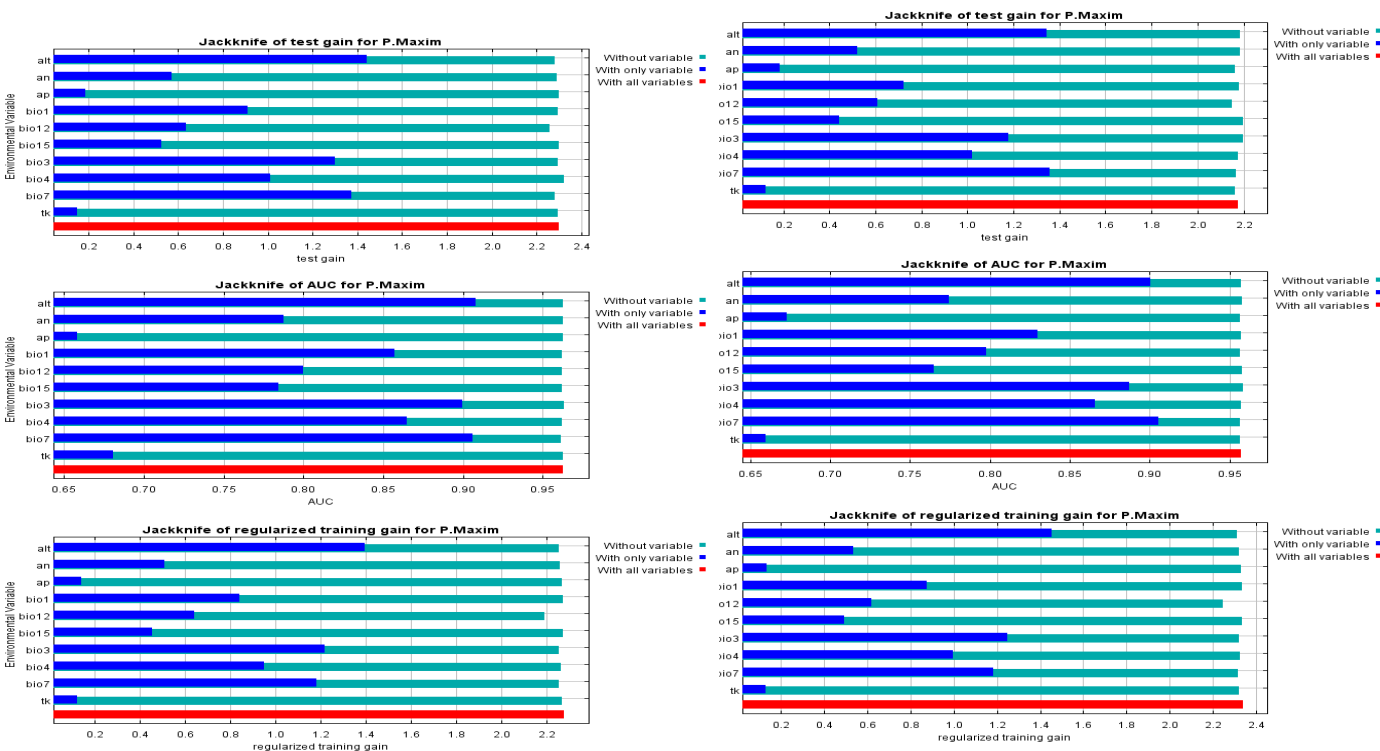
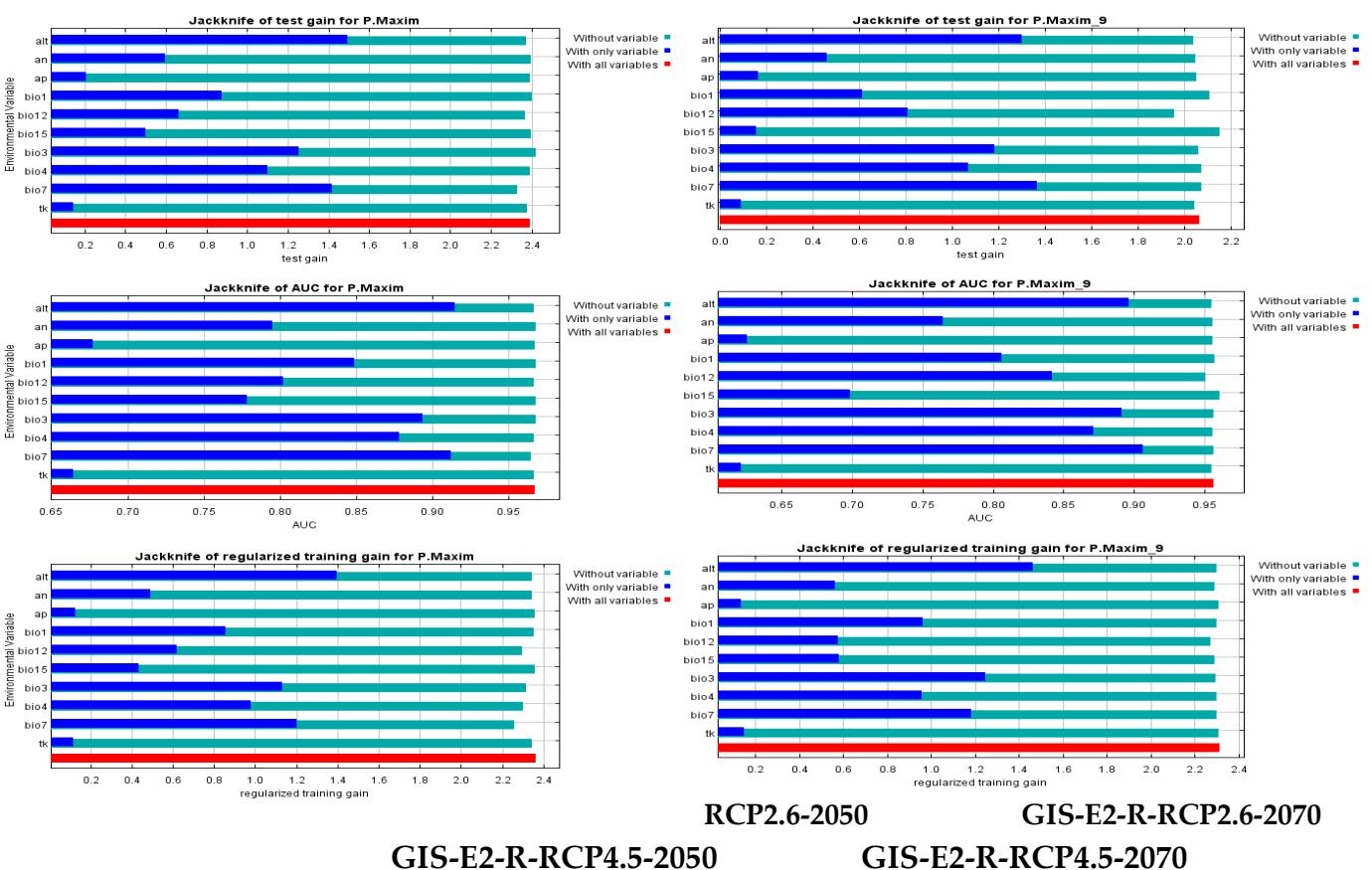
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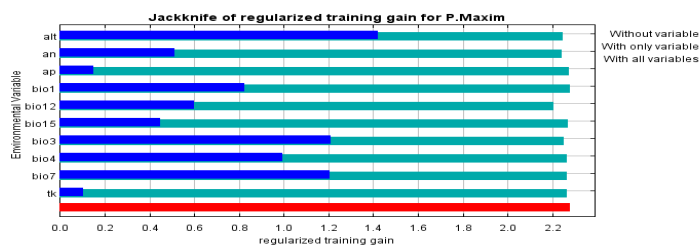
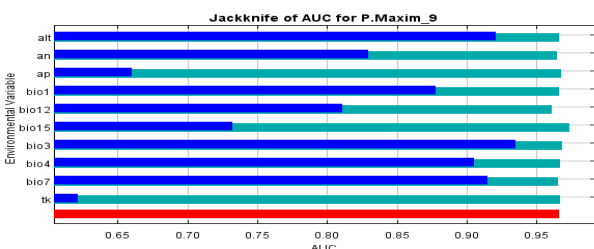
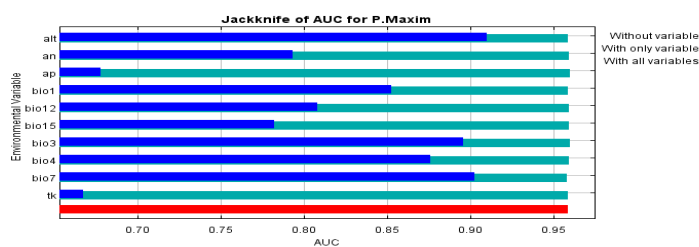
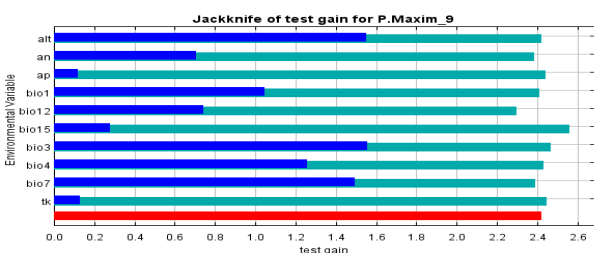
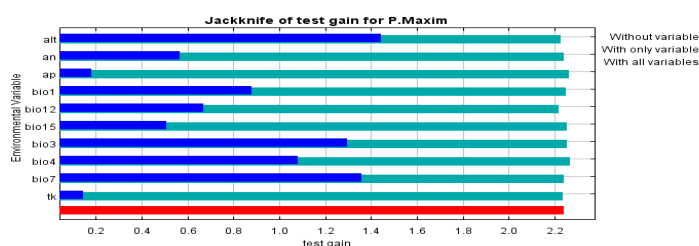
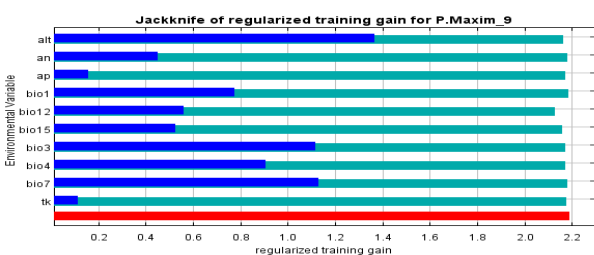
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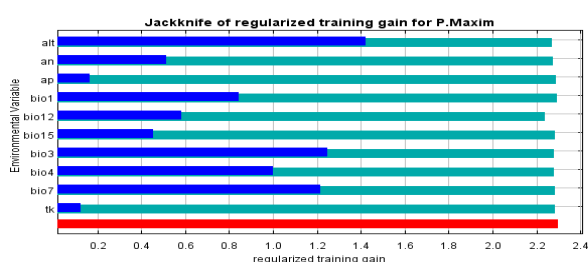
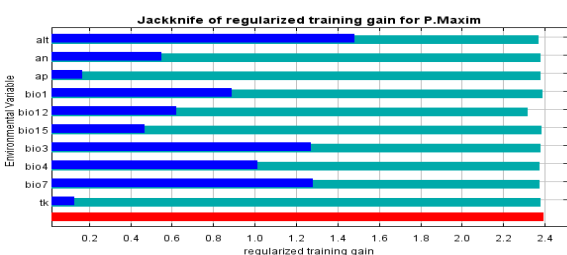
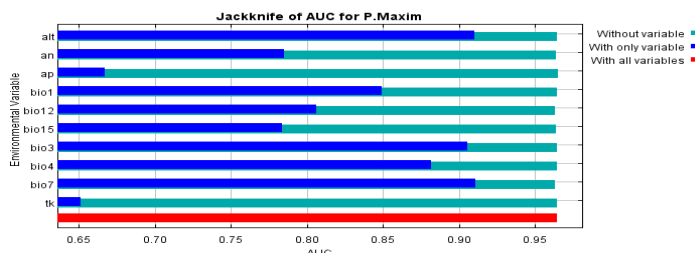
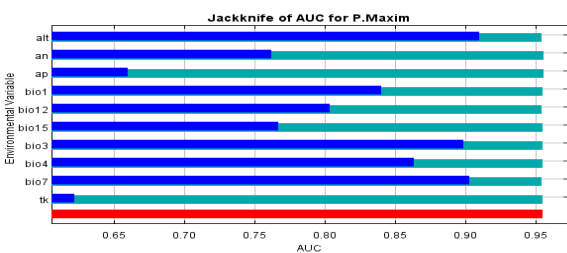
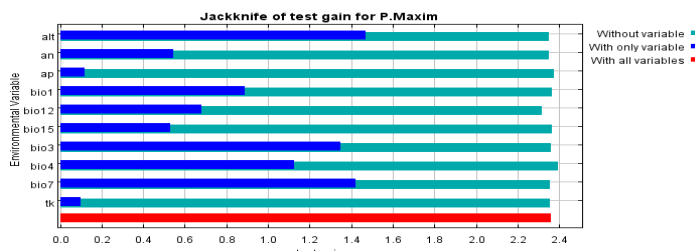
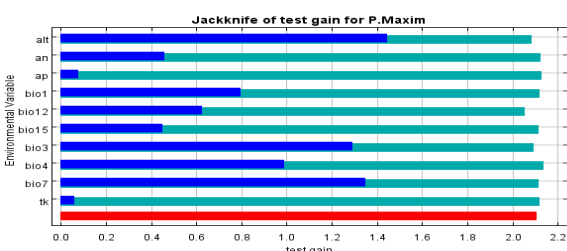
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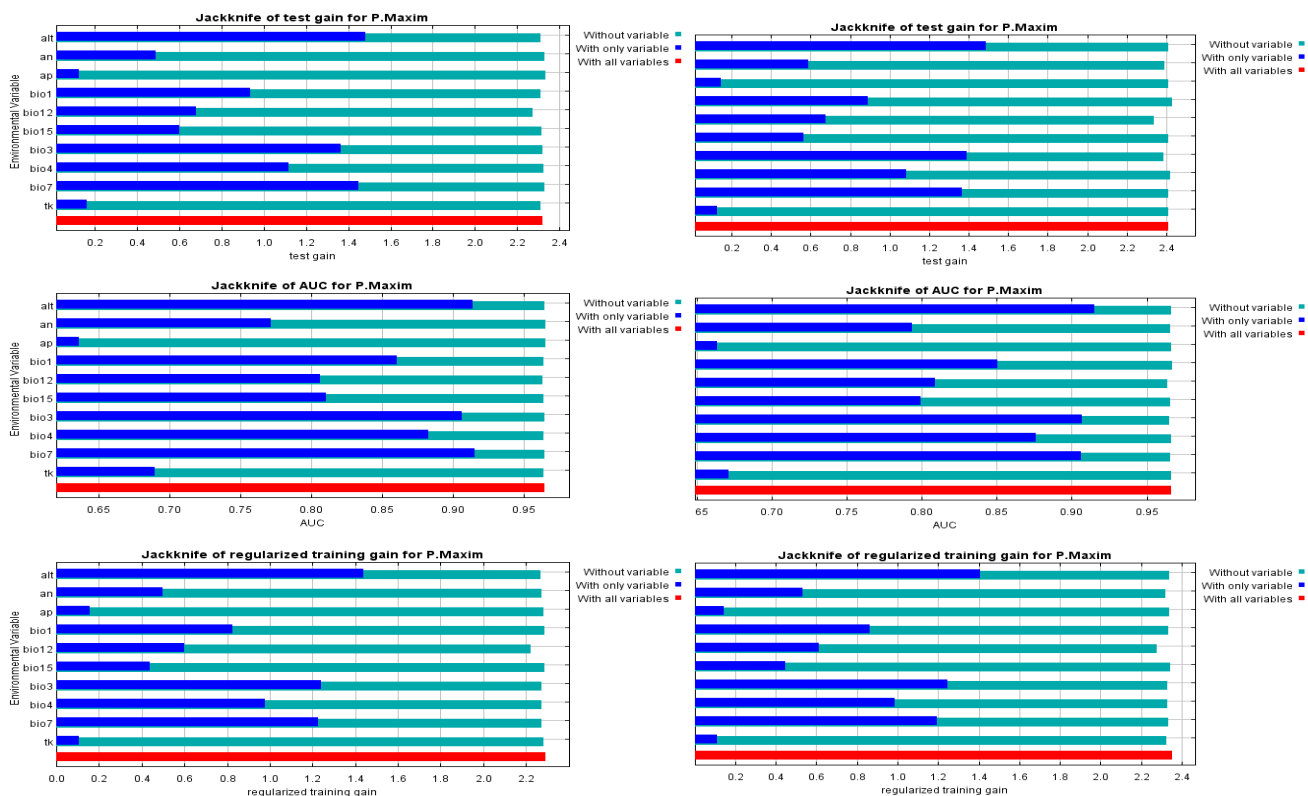
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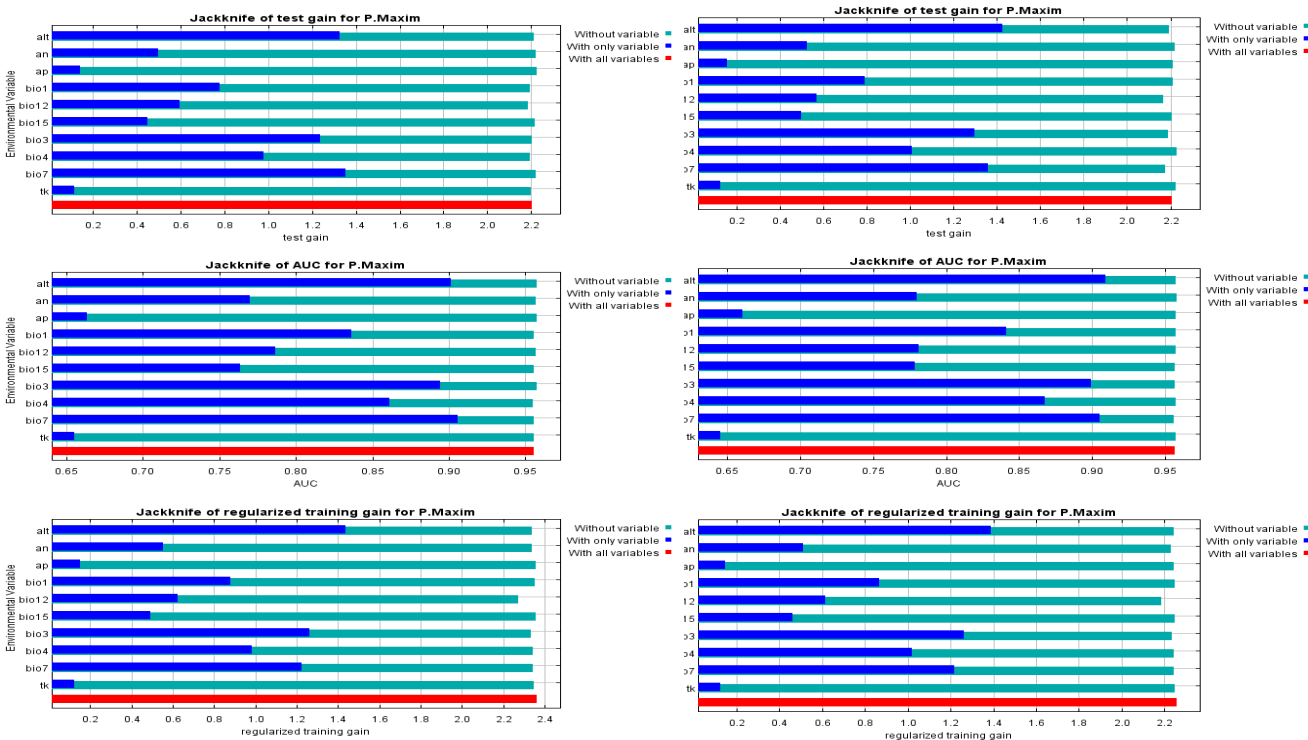
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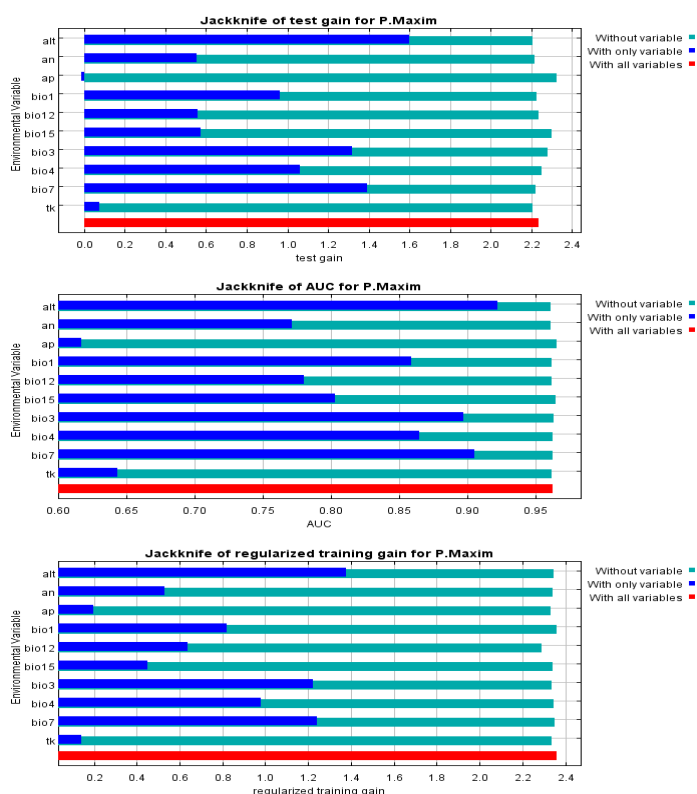
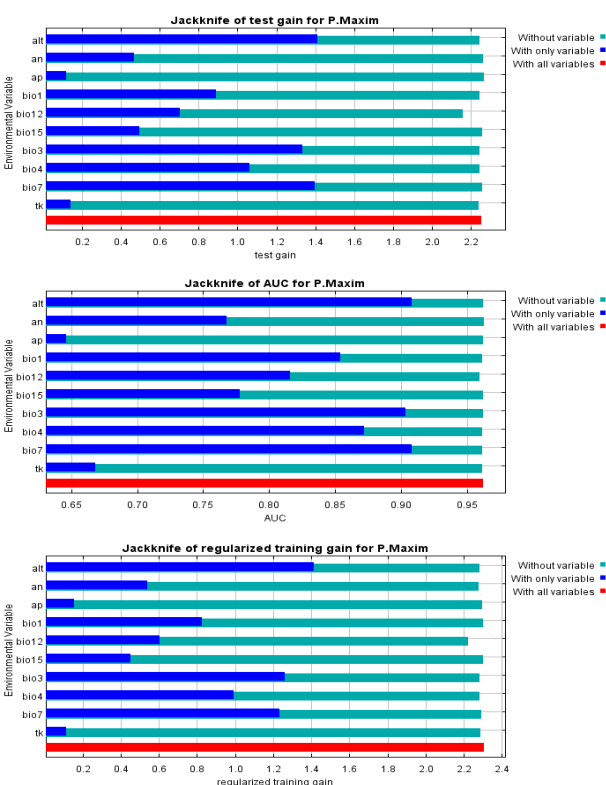




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