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Dear Mike,

thanks for your message. I am sure we can work with these files as soon as we know how the grid is organized. Is it line by line from the North to the South, starting at the dateline? Or something different?

Yes indeed, it would be the best to work with *your* 61-90 baseline for this. Does the baseline also contain cloudiness? If not, then I intend to generate that from our own files, and we will make the assumption that, on the level of monthly means, this does not change as much as to significantly affect the sensitivity of vegetation to the other forcings.

As for a minor point, please remember to use my pik-address whenever possible. The other two (csi and t-online) are both used for sending mail while I am on the road (csi) or at home (t-online), and particularly t-online has the drawback that I can ONLY access it from home (presently) and not from the lab. Unfortunately, I cannot convince my mail sending software to always pretend the mail comes from PIK...

Yes, I will come to the ACACIA meeting, at least until the second day in the afternoon - after that I have to juggle two other meetings in Holland and Germany. With some luck, I should be able to present some results there.

Best wishes!

Wolfgang

PS: I saw your correspondence with Kinne and am interested to follow up - but not today.

On Dienstag, 2. Februar 1999, you wrote:

> Wolfgang,

> Martin is dragging his feet, but you have convinced me we should distribute
> them anyway. I have got someone onto it today and with luck may have the
> minimum (8 realisations for 4 scenarios and for 3 timeslices and for Tmean,
> Precip and DTR on the HadCM2 grid for the entire world) completed and on an
> ftp site by Friday. I will also let Nigel know about this. Presumably you
> will use the 1961-90 0.5deg baseline data? Our files will present
> *changes* from 1961-90 on a mean monthly basis on the 2.5 by 3.75 grid.

> Let's keep in touch on this since it opens up a number of other
> issues/applications. Will you be coming to the ACACIA meeting in early March?

> Mike

> p.s. the files will be in the same format as the attached file to this
> email - just so that you can start thinking about what you need to do.

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