



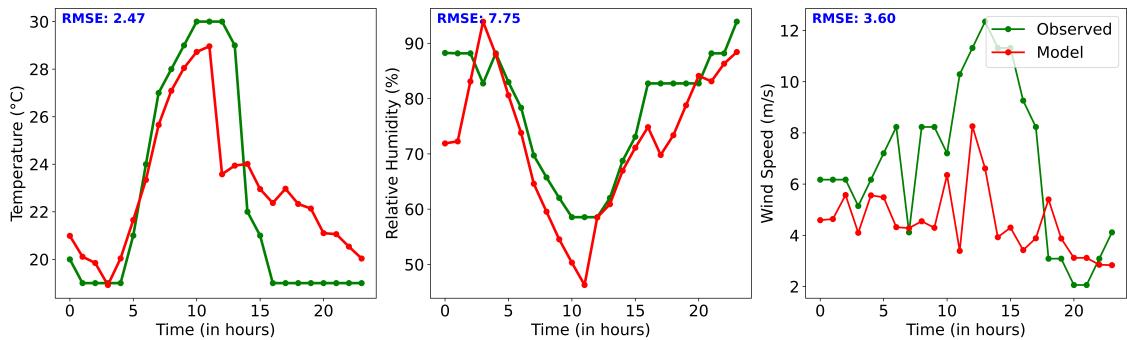
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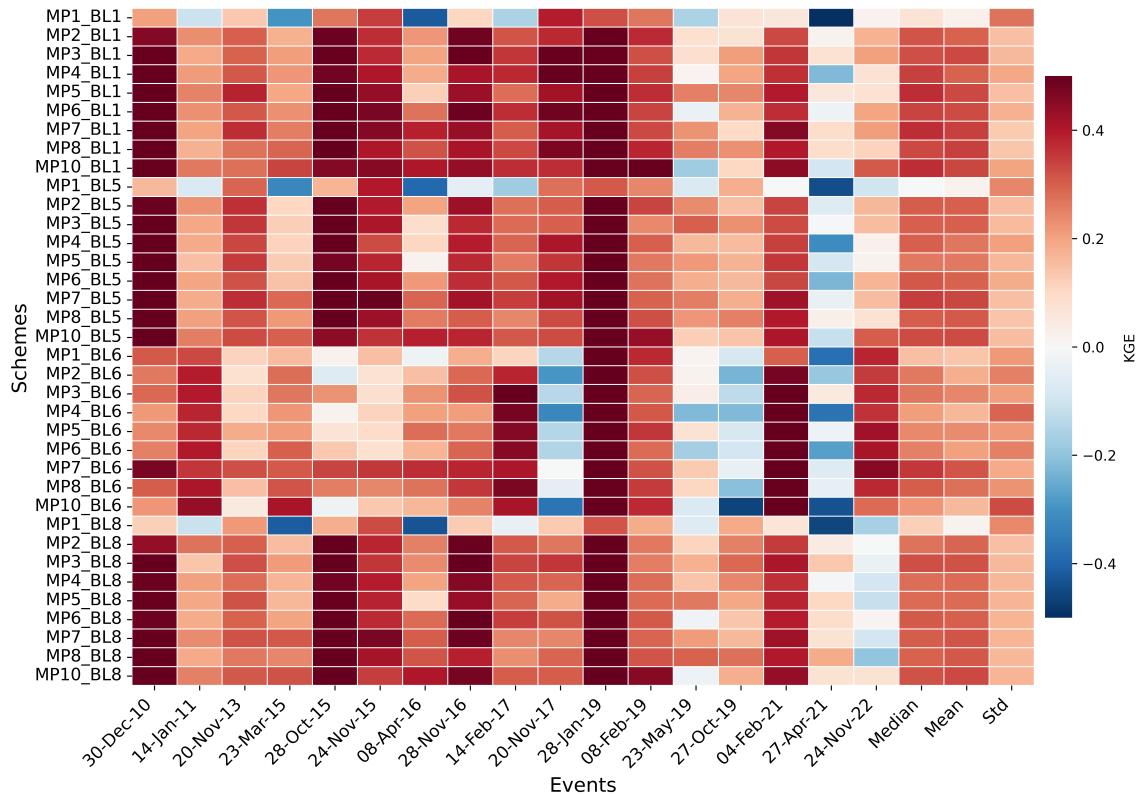
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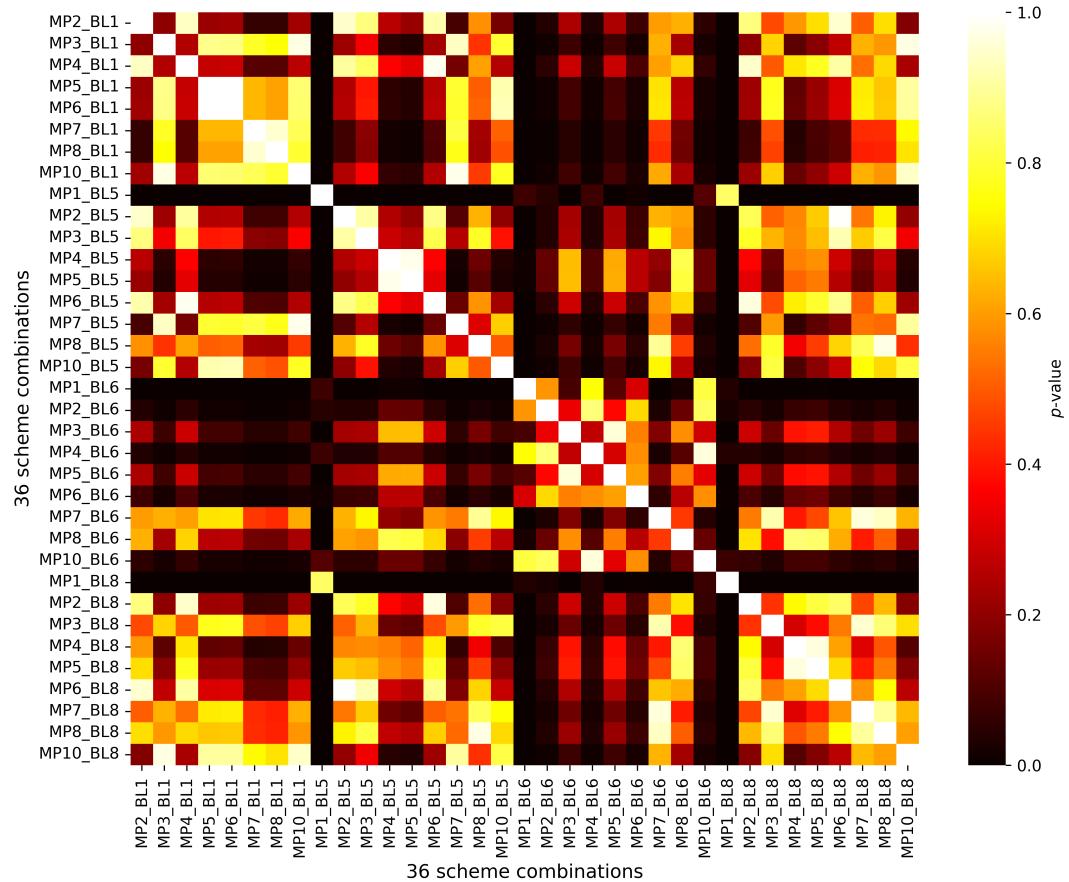
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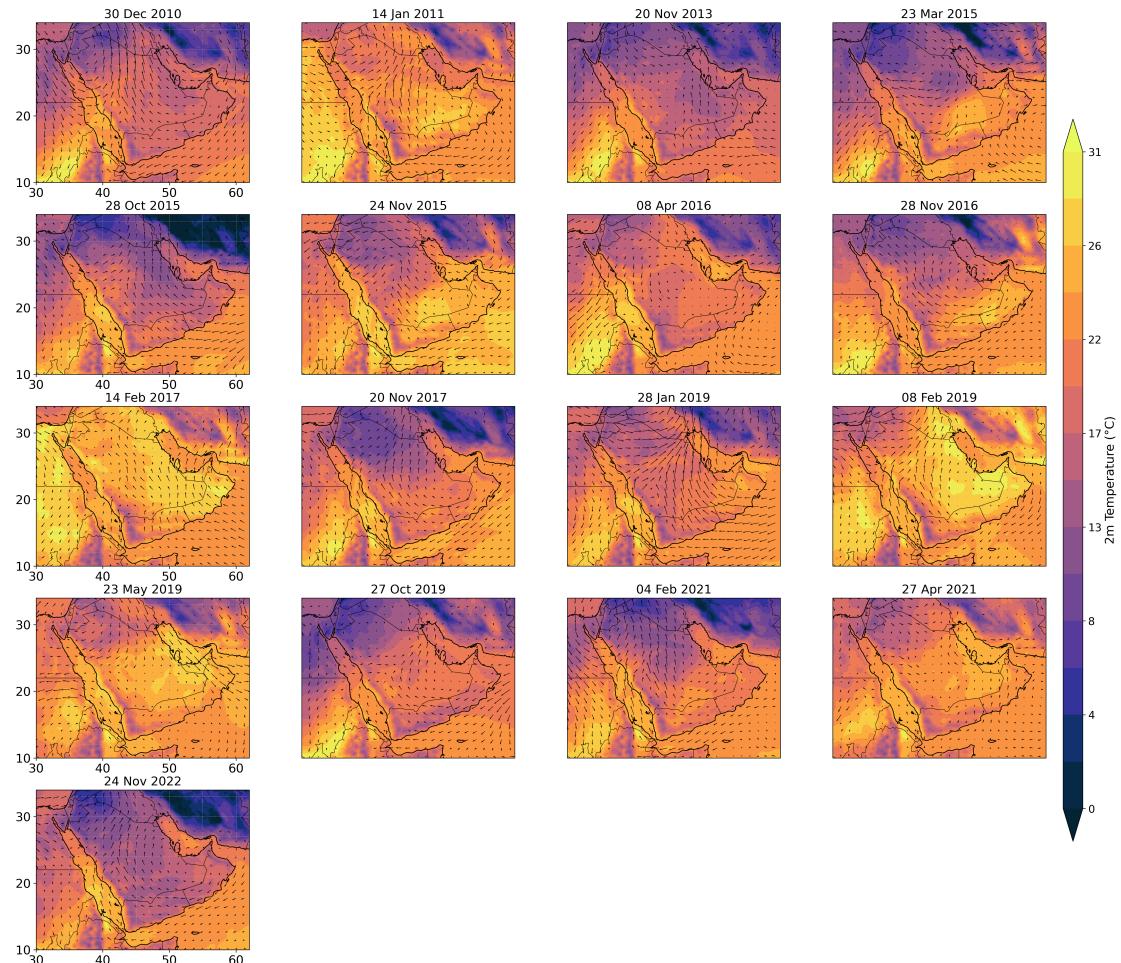
**Figure S1.** Surface meteorological parameters over Hafr Al Batin on 27th October 2019: temperature (°C), relative humidity (%), and wind speed (m/s), comparing WRF model simulations with IOWA station observations.



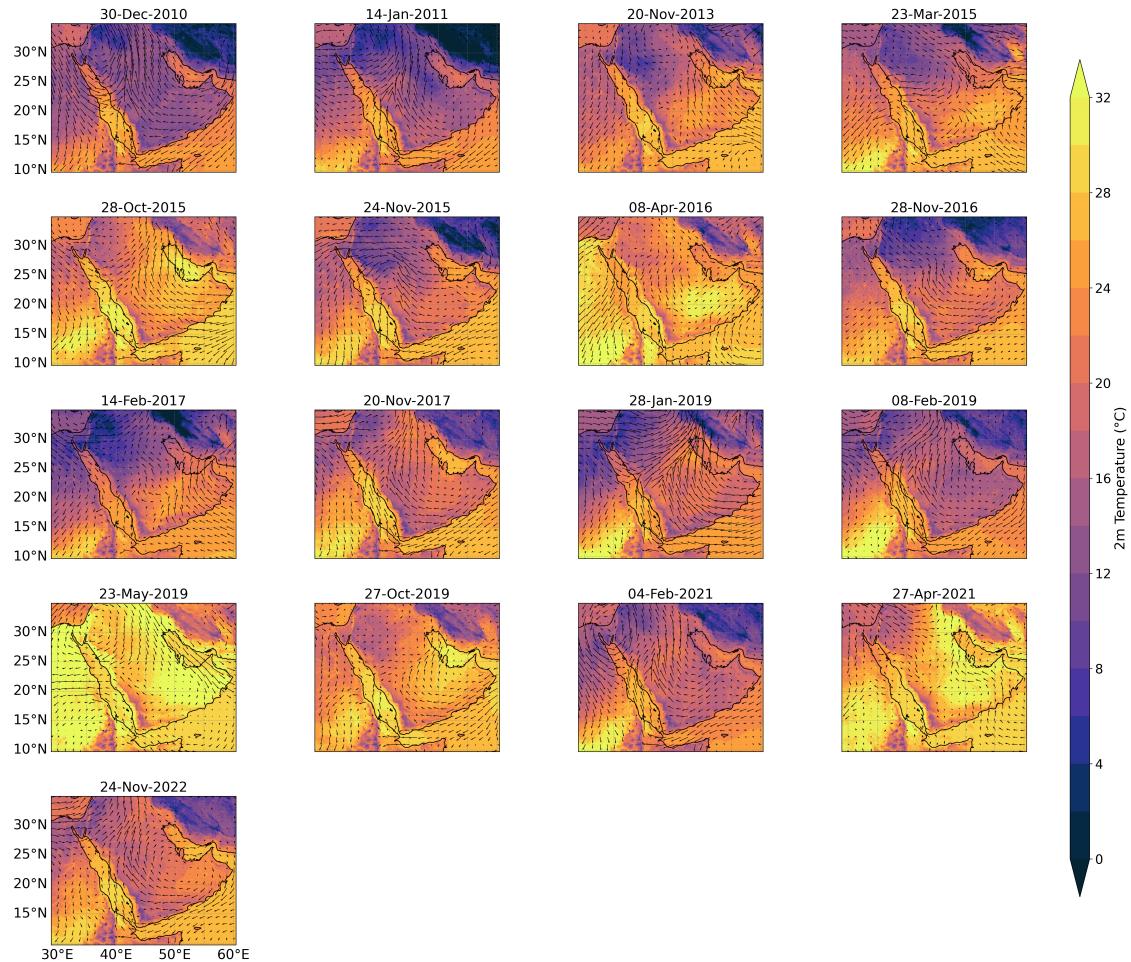
**Figure S2.** Spatial KGE scores for precipitation of 36 schemes combined for 17 EREs.



**Figure S3.** Pairwise p-values from independent t-tests comparing the  $\Delta$ KGE distributions of 36 scheme combinations for rainfall spatially.  $\Delta$ KGE values were calculated by subtracting the mean KGE across events from the KGE values. A p-value threshold of 0.1 was used to identify statistically significant differences between scheme combinations



**Figure S4.** 850 hPa wind and near surface temperature from ERA5 reanalysis for 17 EREs.



**Figure S5.** 850 hPa wind and near surface temperature from WRF model output for Thomson-YSU scheme combintaion for 17 EREs.