



# Water cycle monitoring network of México

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# México

**1 960 189 Km<sup>2</sup>**

**119,713,203 inhabitants**

**10% of the world animal and vegetation diversity**

Climate (according to temperature) **warm and temperate** (according to humidity) **humid subhumid and very dry.**

From 2001 to 2016 **32 cold fronts on a yearly basis.**

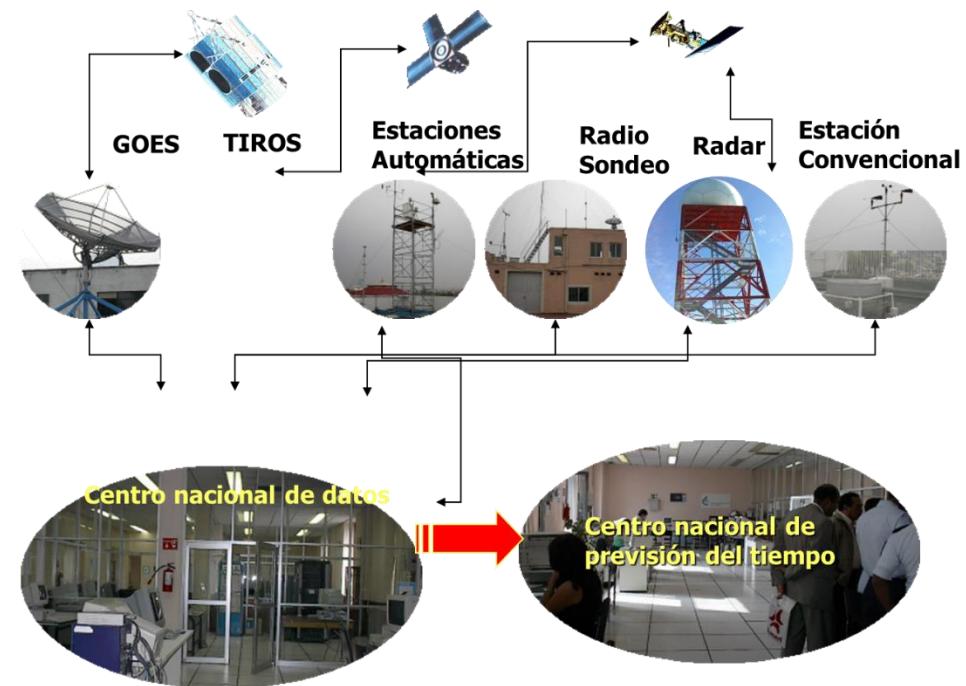
From 2010 to 2017 in average, **38 tropical cyclones** in WMO region IV, **22** in the Nororiental Pacific Ocean and **16** in the Atlantic Ocean.



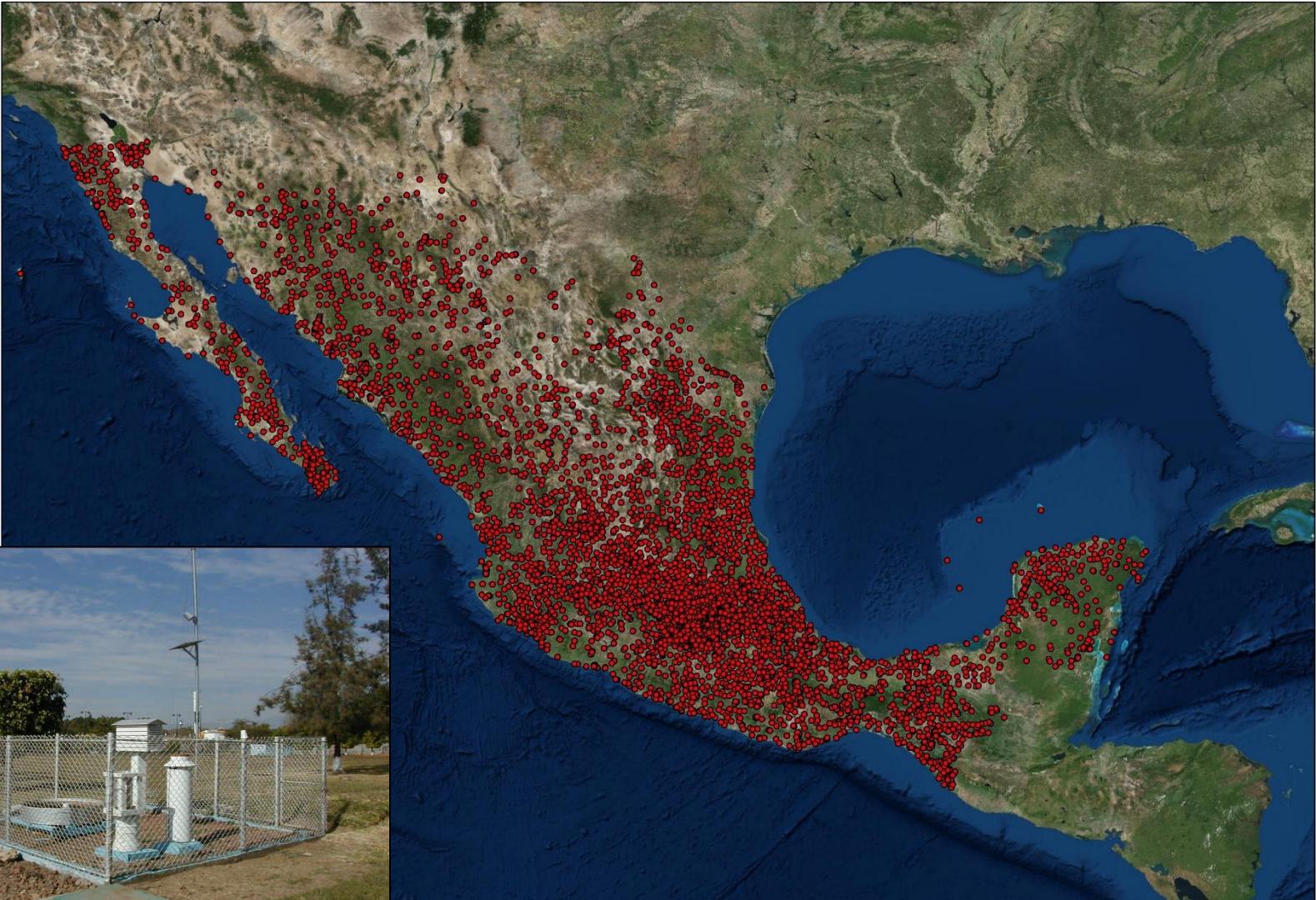
# CLIMATOLOGICAL MONITORING NETWORK

Network is part of the National Meteorological Service of the National Water Commission and include

- Radiosonde stations
- Automatic stations (meteorological, hydrometeorological or ESIME)
- Surface synoptic observatories
- Reception of Satellite and Radar Images
- Meteorological Radars
- Conventional stations



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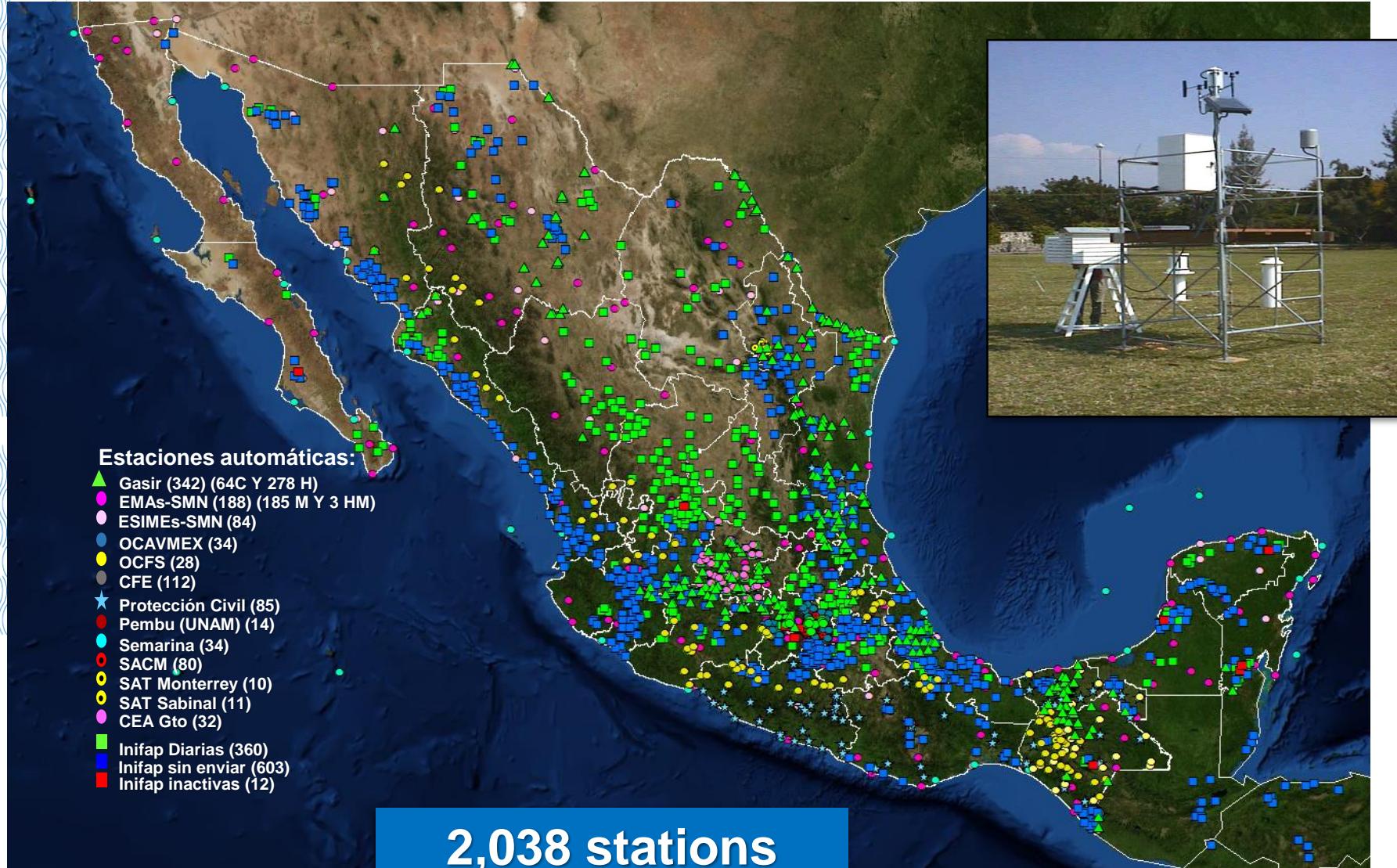


Sources: Esri, DigitalGlobe, GeoEye, Earthstar Geographics, CNES/Airbus DS, USDA, USGS, AeroGRID, IGN, and the GIS User Community

# MAIN METEOROLOGICAL EFFECTS OVER MEXICO

Sistema Meteorológico	Principales efectos
Tropical cyclones	Rainfall (floods, landslides), wind, sea waves, storm surge
Cold Fronts	Low temperatures, precipitation (floods, landslides), wind, sea waves.
East waves	Precipitation (floods, landslides)
Severe electrical storms	Precipitation (Floods), lightning, hail, wind.
Heat waves- High pressure systems – droughts	Forest fires, dehydration, digestive problems, atmospheric concentration of pollutants.

# REAL TIME CLIMATOLOGIC NATIONAL NETWORK



# AUTOMATIC METEOROLOGICAL STATION

(EMAS)

It is a set of electrical and mechanical devices that perform measurements of meteorological variables automatically (especially in numerical form) (Reference WMO 182)

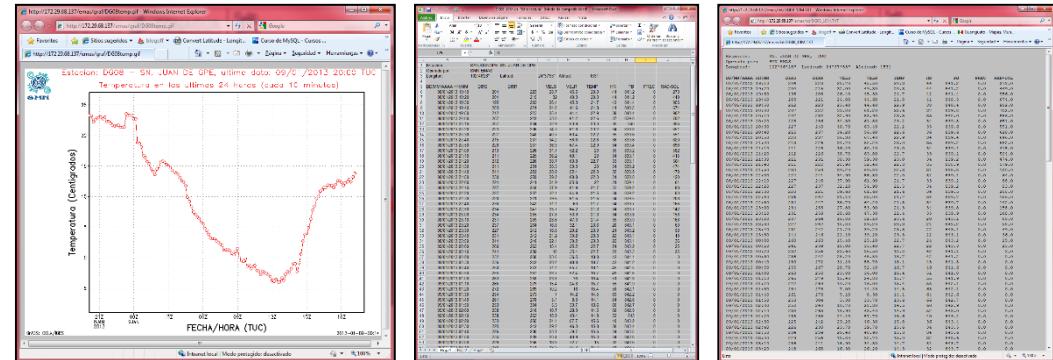
## Sensors:

- Wind speed
- Direction of the wind
- Atmospheric pressure
- Temperature and relative humidity
- Solar radiation
- Precipitation

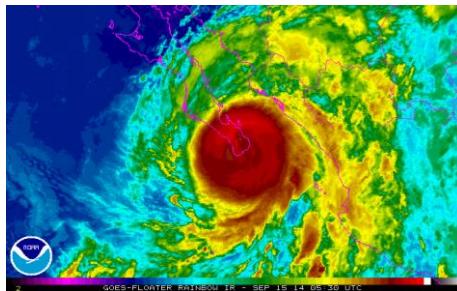
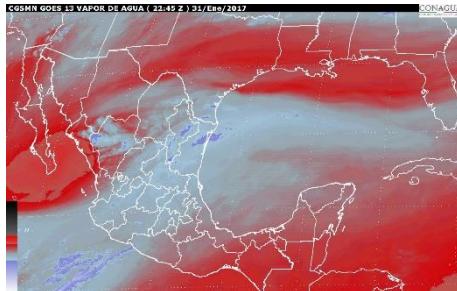


Estación de instalada en Tecamachalco , Puebla

## Primary products from EMAS



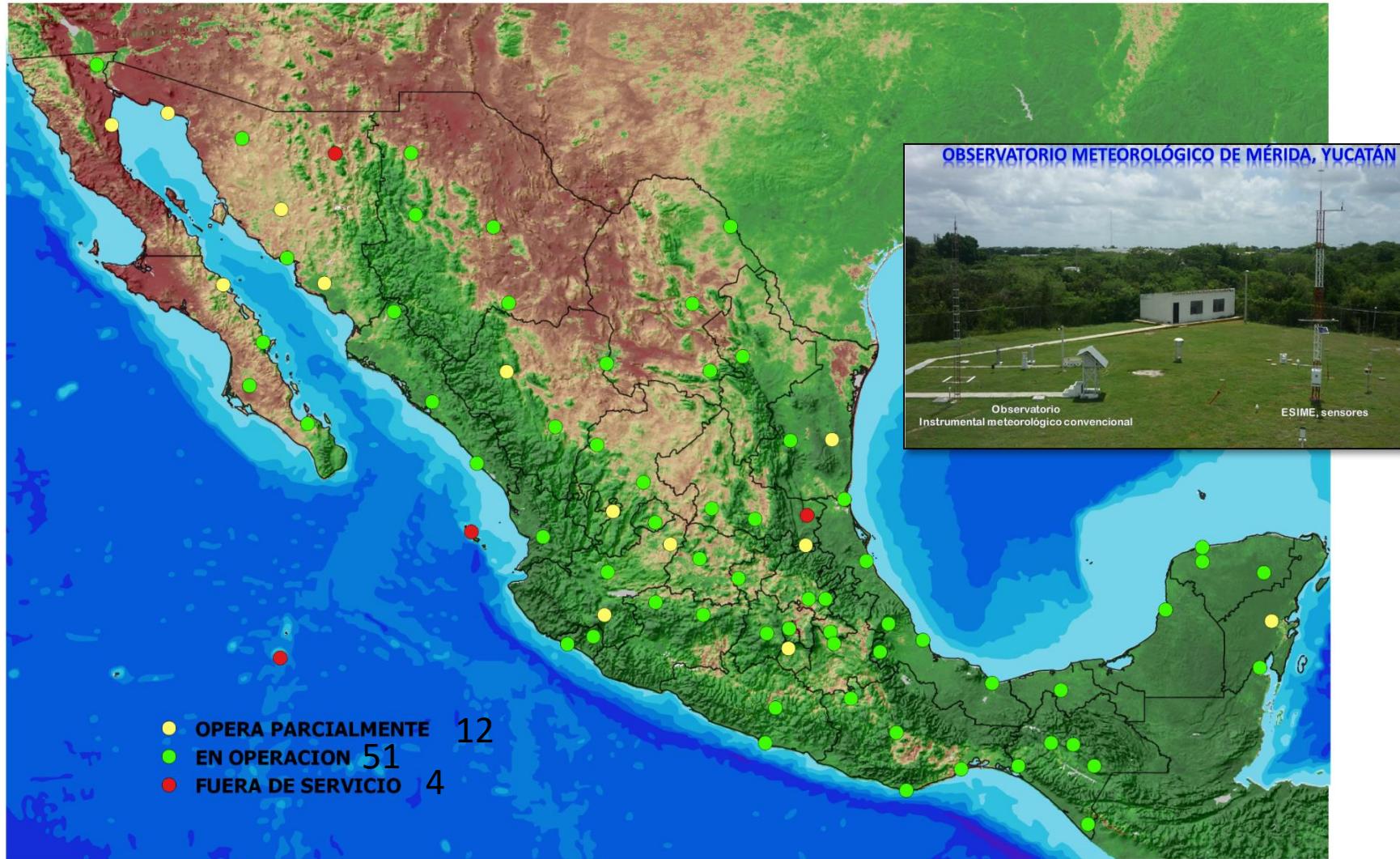
# SATELLITE IMAGE RECEPTION STATIONS



# RADIOSONDE SITES

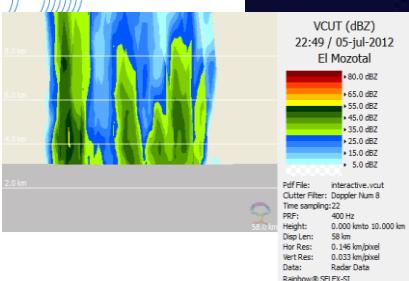
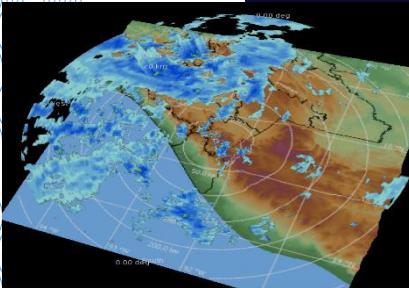
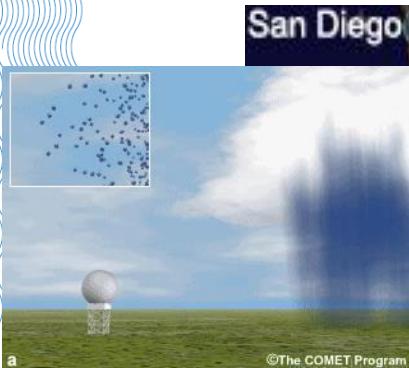


# METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORIES NETWORK



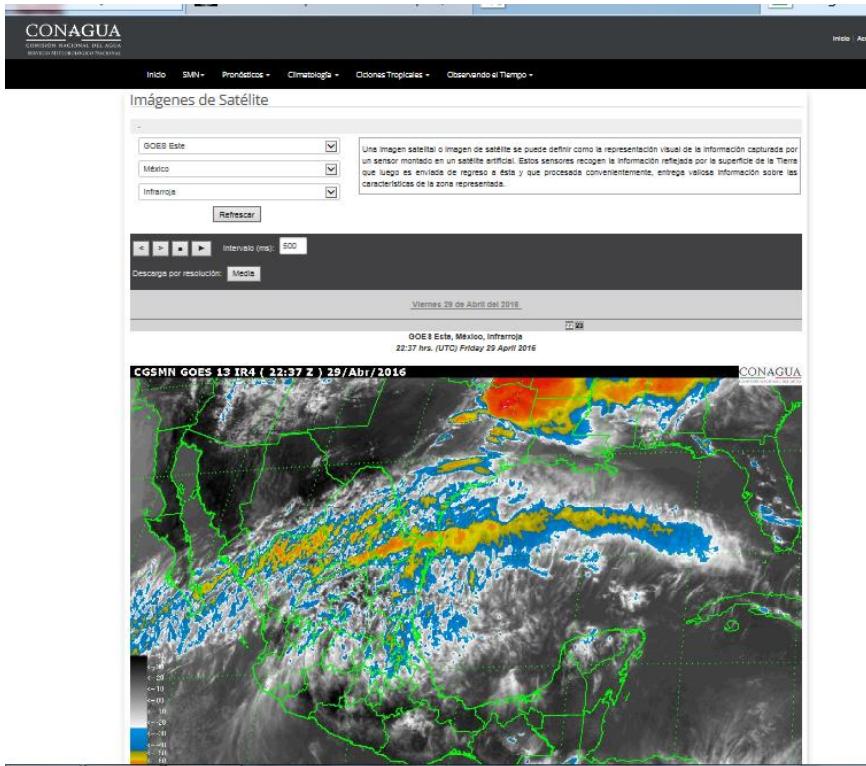
# METEOROLOGICAL RADARS

6 Radars partially operating

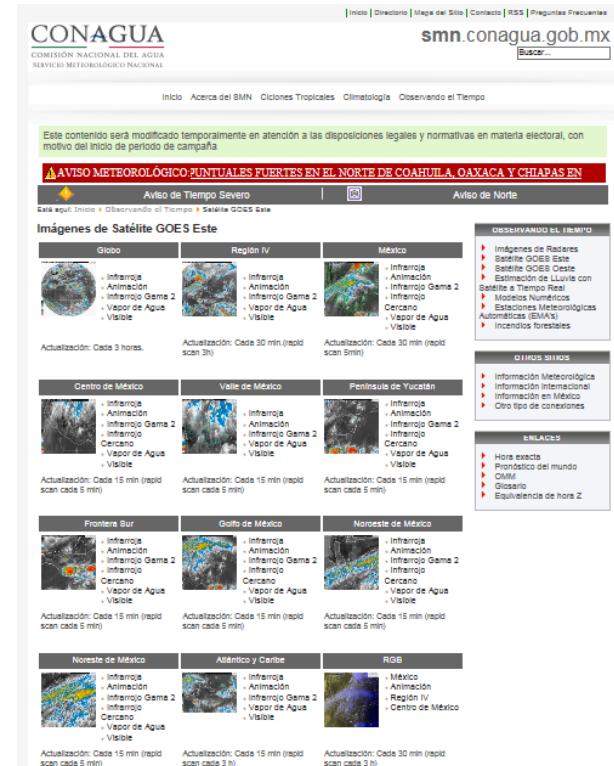


# NATIONAL MET SERVICE WEB SITE

PÁGINA WEB ACTUAL:  
<http://smn.conagua.gob.mx/>



PÁGINA WEB ALTERNATIVA  
<http://smn1.conagua.gob.mx/>



# CONVENTIONAL MEASUREMENT STATIONS

5520 conventional stations with historical records of more than 10 years



## A NIVEL HORARIO, EL OBSERVADOR EN TURNO:

Observa y registra:

- Visibilidad
- Cantidad, altura y tipo de nubes
- Tiempo presente y pasado

Mide y registra

- Dirección y velocidad del viento
- Temperaturas; humedad
- Presión atmosférica, Evaporación
- Radiación Solar; Precipitación

## A NIVEL SINÓPTICO (CADA 3 HORAS)

CADA OBSERVATORIO GENERA Y  
TRANSMITE AL CENTRAL UN MENSAJE  
SINÓPTICO.

ZCZC  
SMMX1 MXBA 311800  
AAXX31181 76628 31669 80707 10129 20101 38096  
40252 50010 70222 85820  
91750 333 10130 20094 31// 56290 58007 85896  
83498= NNNN

## CADA 10 DÍAS

CADA OBSERVATORIO GENERA Y  
TRANSMITE AL CENTRAL UN MENSAJE  
DECENAL.

ZCZC  
CLIMEX – DECENTAL MXBA 21113  
76628 01133 10231 20205 30138 40043 50091 60000  
70629 80109 91272 00450  
12000 20000 30000 40000 50000 60000 70228 82306  
91204 00000 10000 20000  
NNNN

## CADA MES

CADA OBSERVATORIO GENERA Y  
TRANSMITE AL CENTRAL UN MENSAJE  
CLIMAT

ZCZC  
CSMX01 MXBA 121800  
CLIMAT 12013 76628 111 18087 20215 30162106  
402210109 5124 600000007208//  
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NNNN

Nombre del Instrumento	Imágenes	Variable a Medir
Anemocinemógrafo Anemómetro Ultrasónico	 	Dirección y Velocidad del Viento
Termómetros Digitales o Convencionales	 	Temperatura
Higrómetro y/o Psicrómetro	 	Humedad Relativa
Barómetro Digital y/o Barómetro aneroide	 	Presión Atmosférica
Pluviómetro y Pluviógrafo	 	Precipitación
Heliógrafo y Piranómetro	 	Radiación Solar
Evaporímetro		Evaporación

# HYDROMETRIC NETWORK



- ✓ 800 hydrometric stations located in main rivers
- ✓ Several report the flow discharge daily at 8 am and store information for consultation in SIH platform
- ✓ The main instruments of measurement are velocimeters and water level scales
- ✓ During high floods the measurement is continuous
- ✓ There is a historical computerized data bank

# PIEZOMETRIC NETWORK

Hystorical data from 258 aquifers

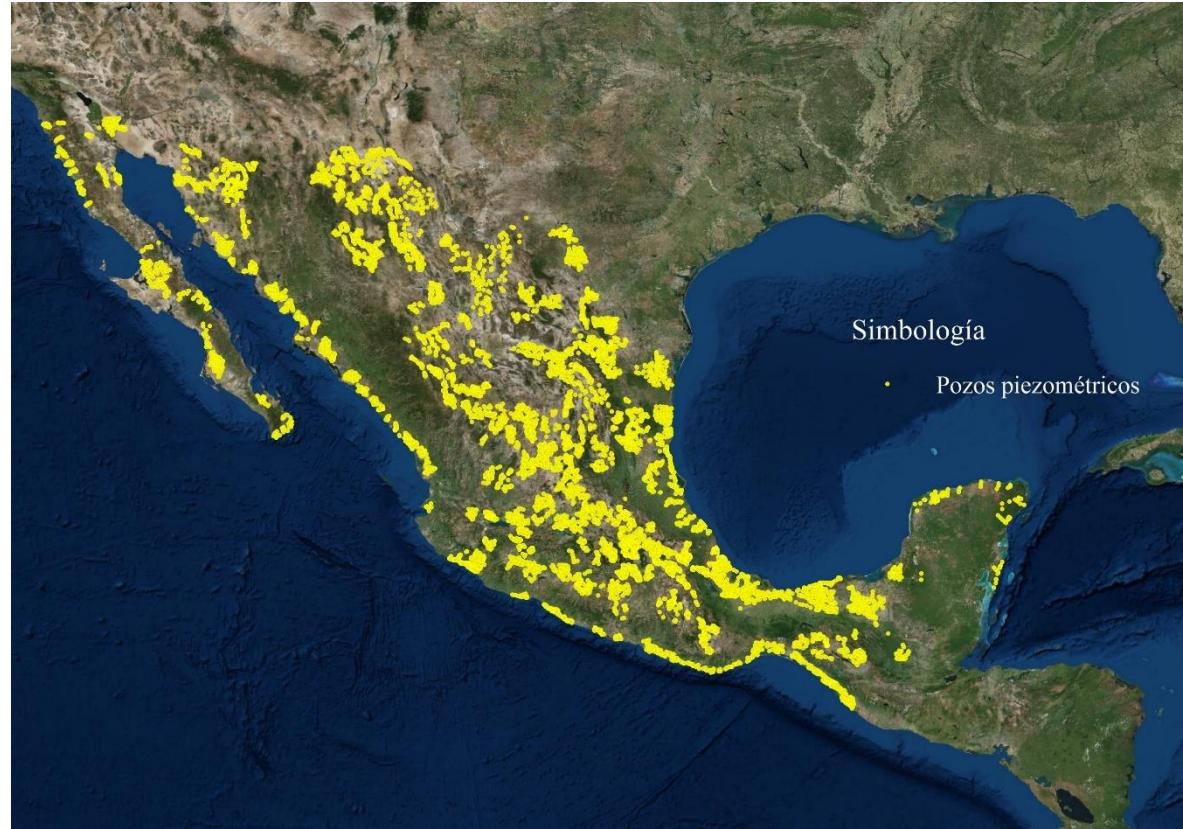
## Density:

- Heterogeneous: 4 wells / 100 km<sup>2</sup>
- Homogeneous in great areas: 2 wells / 100km<sup>2</sup>

170 sites (6000 wells)

The main network cover 144 aquifers

- 102 overexploited
- 30 in fragile equilibrium
- 14 in equilibrium

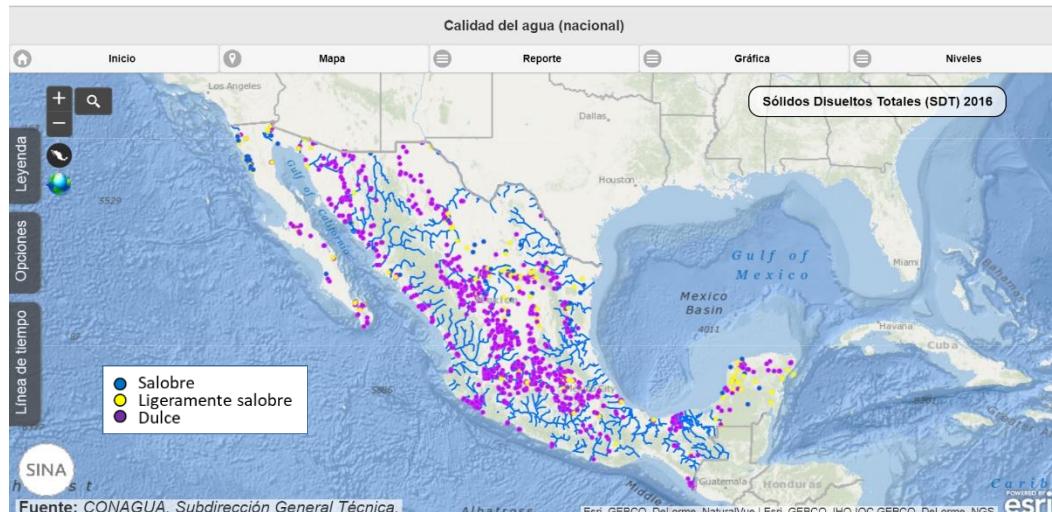


- i. When they are located in large extension areas.
- ii. Manifest a rapid response to cyclonic rains or droughts.
- iii. With high rates of abatement > 3.0 m / year, in irrigation districts, or of ecological interest.
- iv. Transboundary aquifers (Mexico-USA).

# WATER QUALITY NETWORK

5000 monitoring sites since 2011  
 650 monitoring sites since 1986

- Biochemical Oxygen Demand (DBO5)
- Chemical Oxygen Demand (DQO)
- Total Suspended Solids (SST)
- Total Dissolved Solids Sólidos(SDT)



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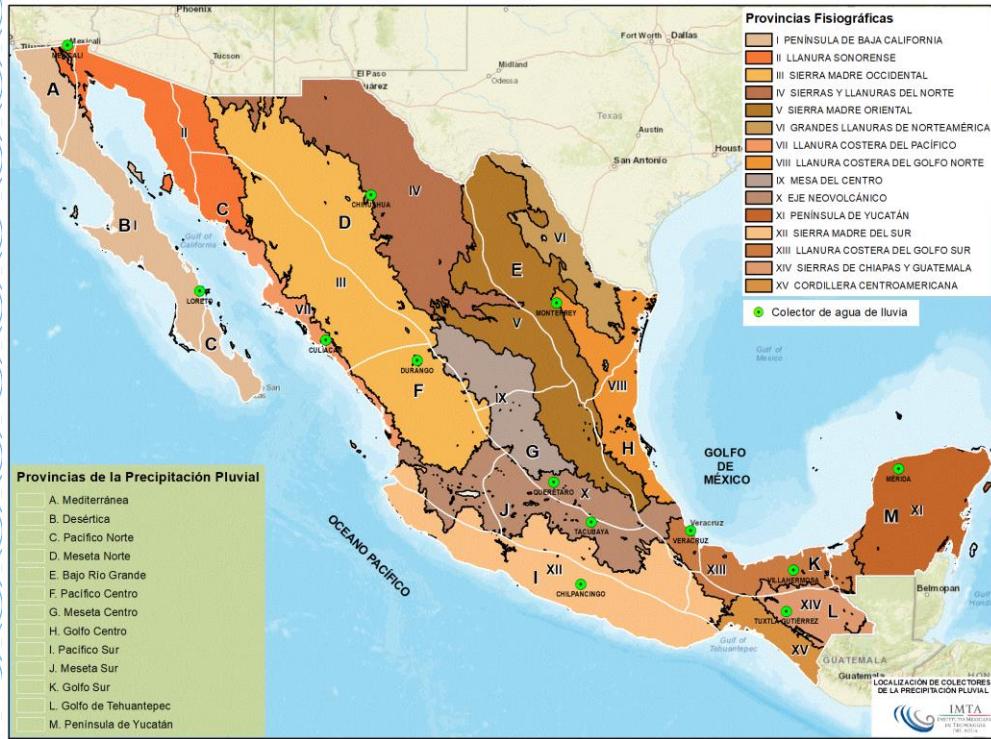
# WATER QUALITY LAB NETWORK



17 Conagua Water Quality Labs

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# ISOTOPIC NETWORK



	PROVINCIA DE LA PRECIPITACIÓN PLUVIAL	PROVINCIA FISIOGRÁFICA	ESTACIÓN METEOROLÓGICA
A	MEDITERRÁNEA	II. LLANURA SONORENSE	MEXICALI
B	DESÉRTICA	I. PENÍNSULA DE BAJA CALIFORNIA	LORETO
C	PACÍFICO NORTE	VII. LLANURA COSTERA DEL PACÍFICO	CULIACÁN
D	MESETA NORTE	IV. SIERRAS Y LLANURAS DEL NORTE	CHIHUAHUA
E	BAJO RÍO GRANDE	VIII. LLANURA COSTERA DEL GOLFO NORTE	MONTERREY
F	PACÍFICO CENTRO	III. SIERRA MADRE OCCIDENTAL	DURANGO
G	MESETA CENTRO	X. EJE NEOVOLCÁNICO	QUERÉTARO
H	GOLFO CENTRO	XIII. LLANURA COSTERA DEL GOLFO SUR	VERACRUZ
I	PACÍFICO SUR	XII. SIERRA MADRE DEL SUR	CHILPANCINGO
J	MESETA SUR	X. EJE NEOVOLCÁNICO	TACUBAYA
K	GOLFO SUR	XIII. LLANURA COSTERA DEL GOLFO SUR	VILLAHERMOSA
L	GOLFO DE TEHUANTEPEC	XIV. SIERRAS DE CHIAPAS Y GUATEMALA	TUXTLA GUTIÉRREZ
M	PENÍNSULA DE YUCATÁN	XI. PENÍNSULA DE YUCATÁN	MÉRIDA

- ✓ 13 sampling sites (precipitation provinces)
- ✓ Started December 2017
- ✓ Parameters sampled:
  - Oxygen 18
  - Tritium
  - Deuterium
  - Carbon 14



## FINAL REMARKS

### Usefullness of the Mexican water cycle monitoring network

- Generate data to determine the variables that govern the functioning of the behavior of water in the hydrological cycle, under the climatic, orographic and environmental conditions of the national territory.
- Baseline and updates for water planning since 1975
- Foundations of the water management system (water allocation and Law enforcement among others) since 1994
- Cornerstone for the Civil Protection System since 1970

In other words, the main support to address the status and progress of water security of Mexico



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