



DEMO Site 7

Monitoring at

Menashe Infiltration Basin

Hadera, Israel

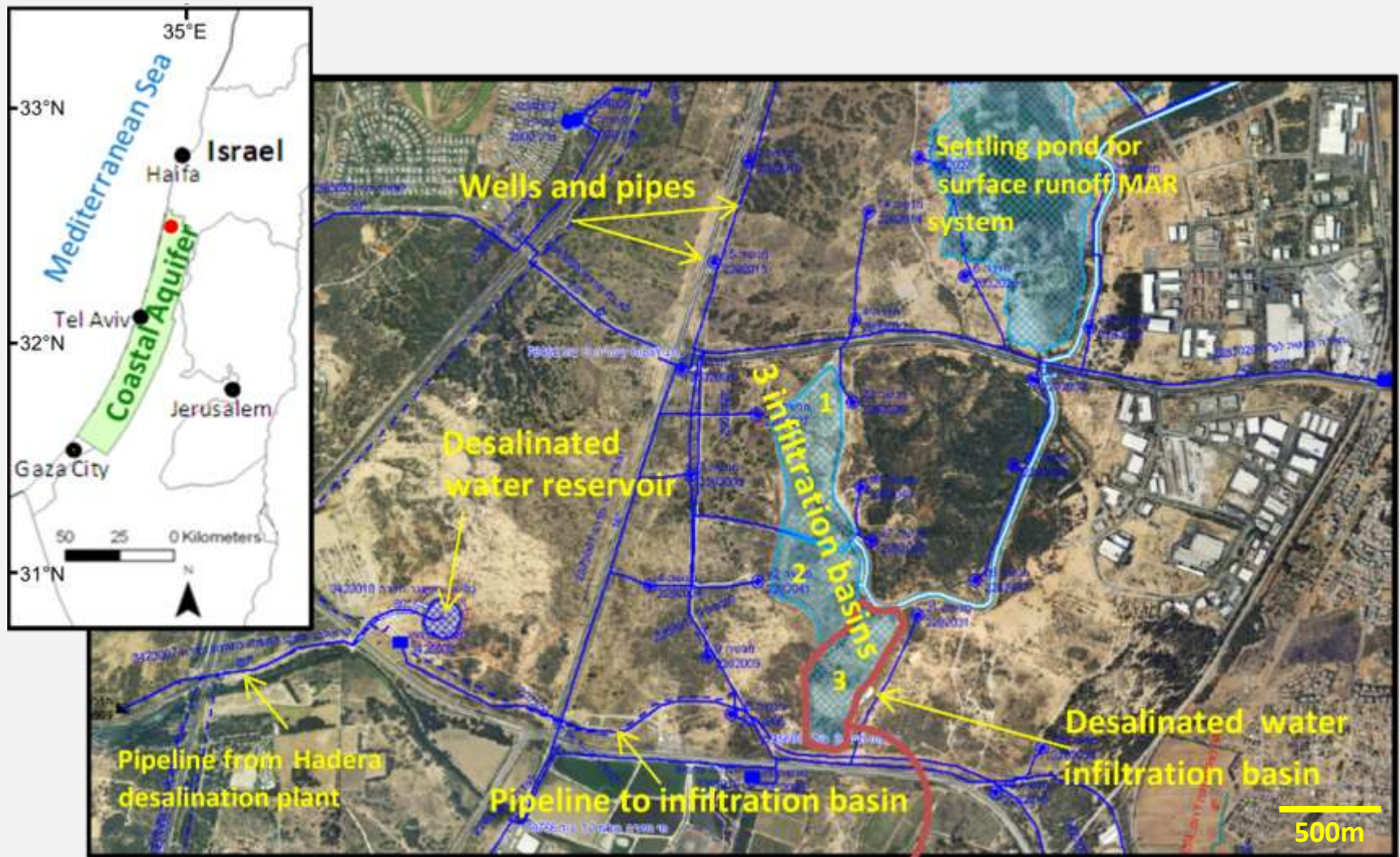
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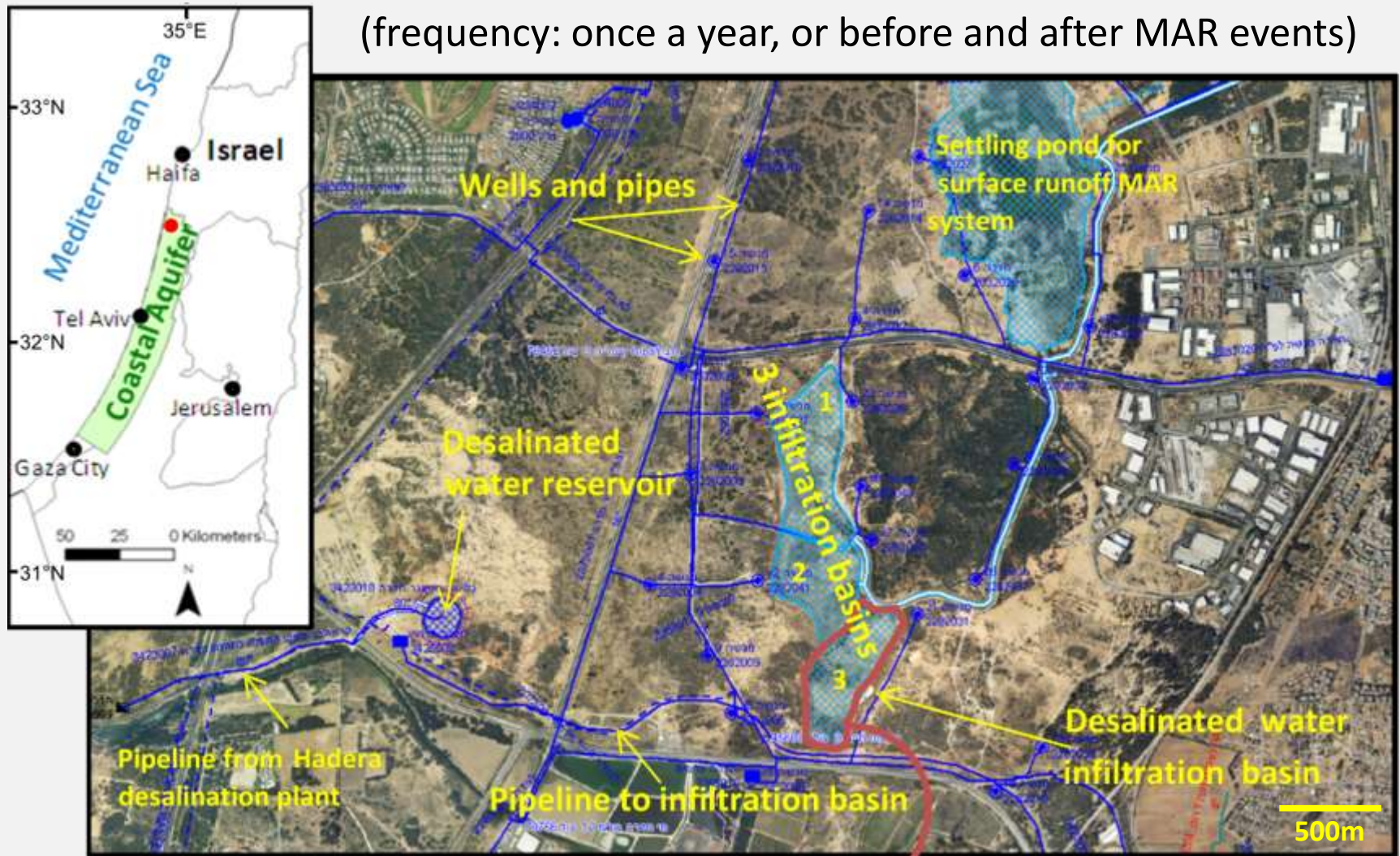
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Menashe site - overview



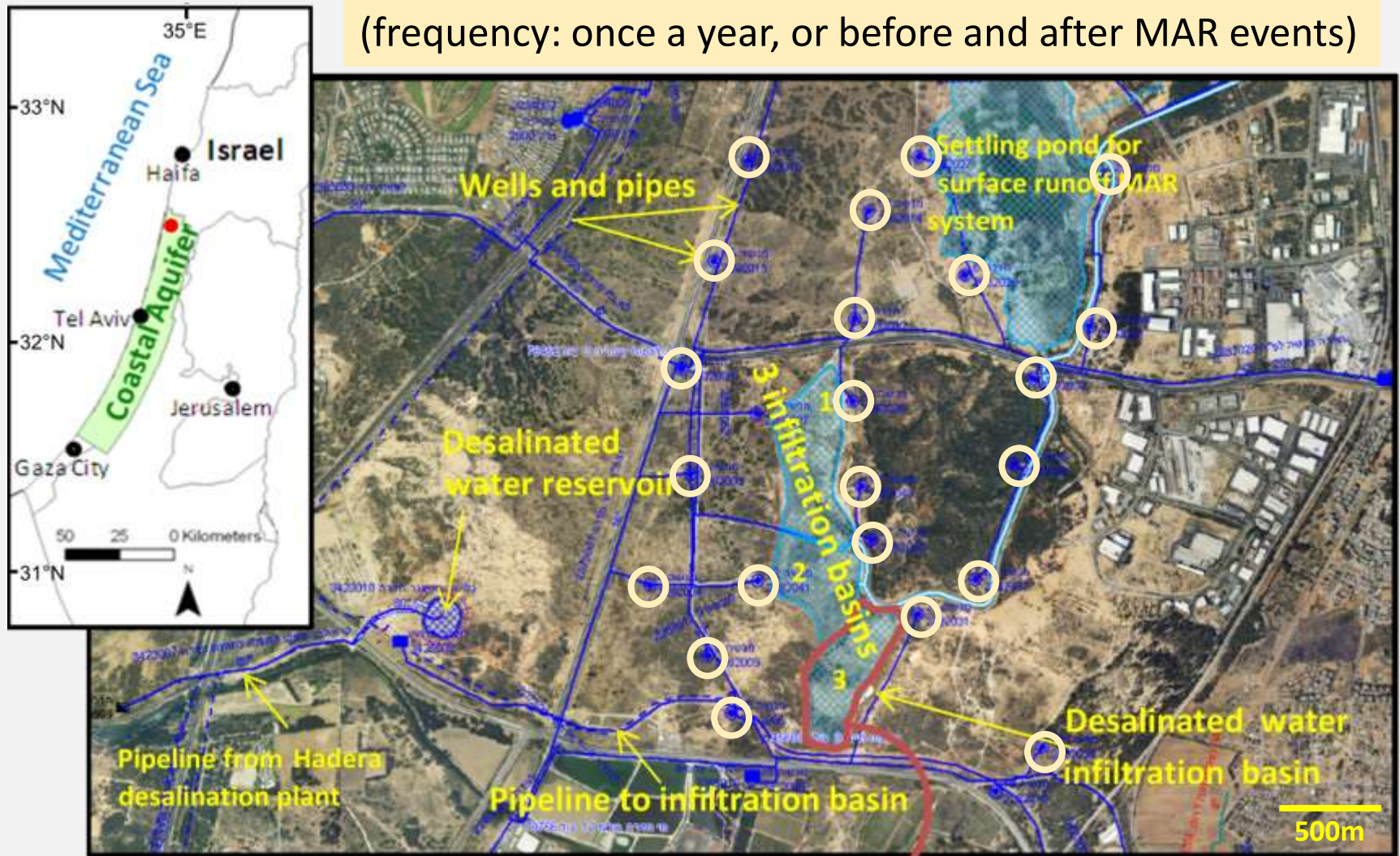
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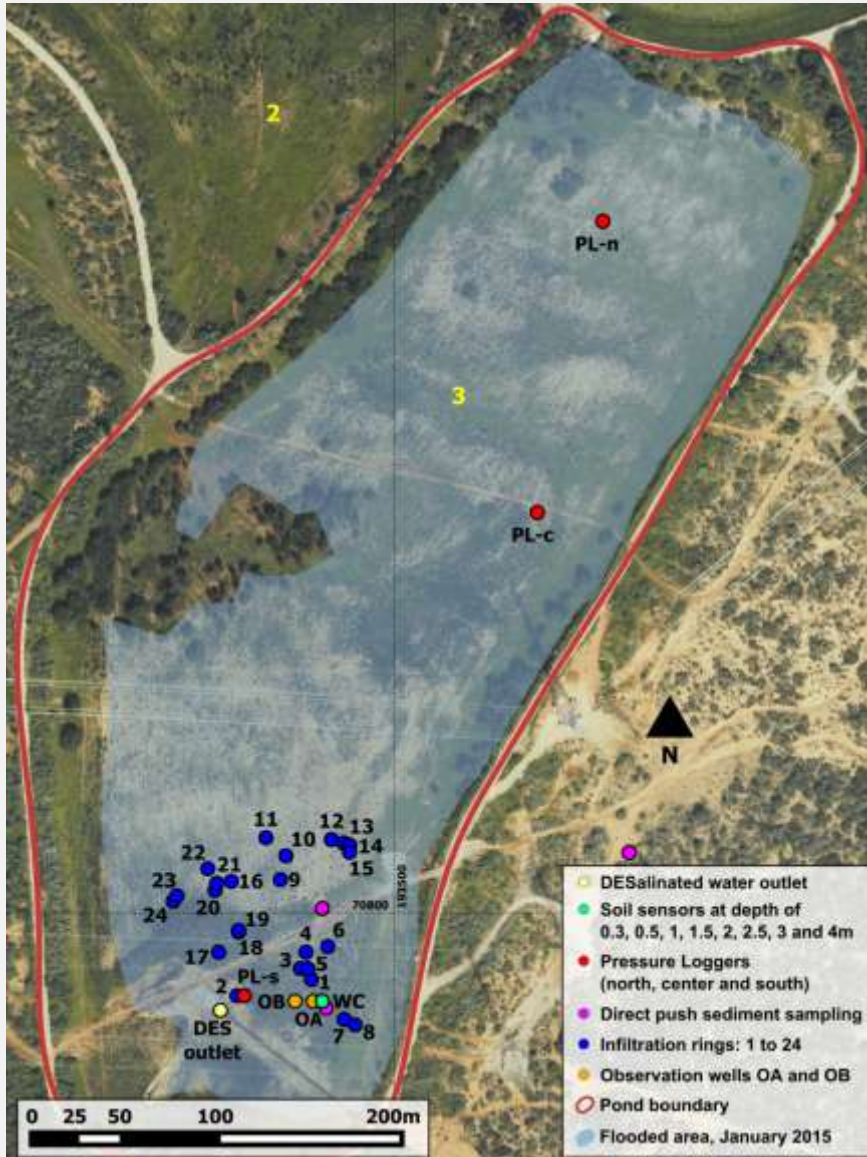


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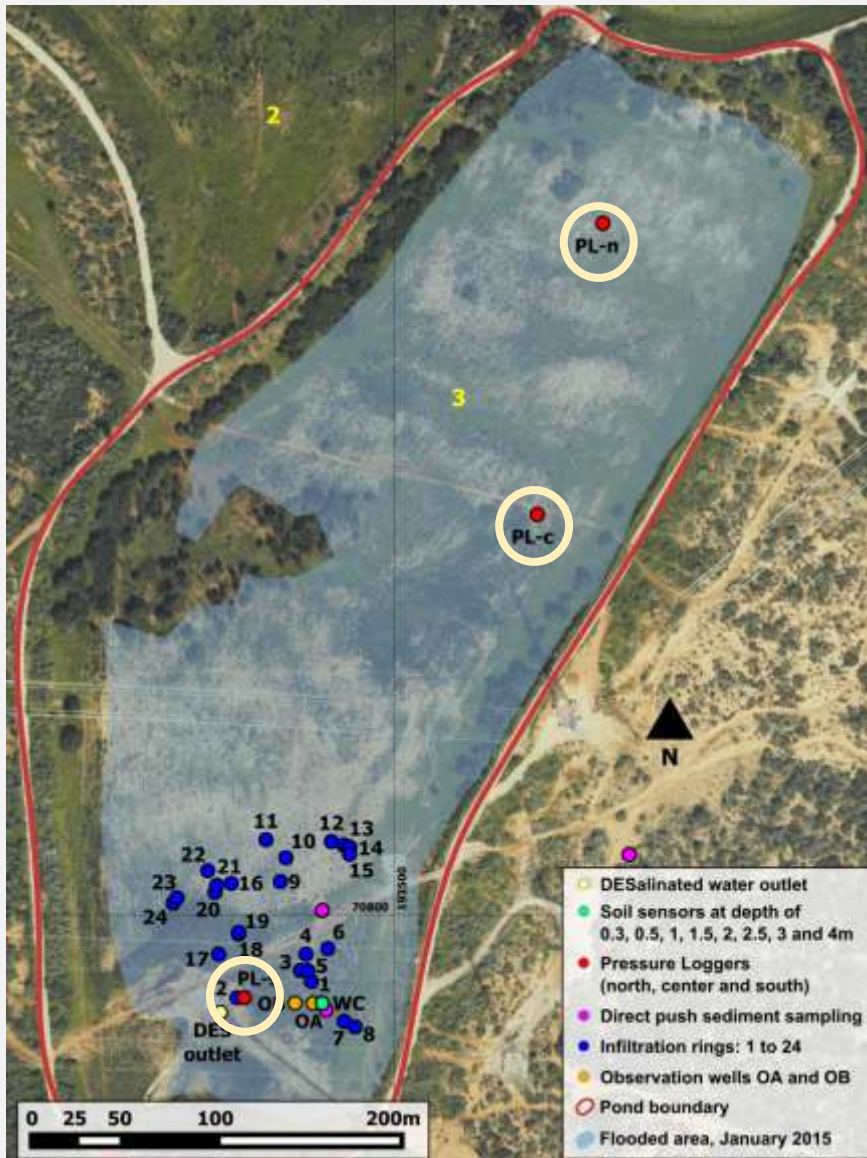
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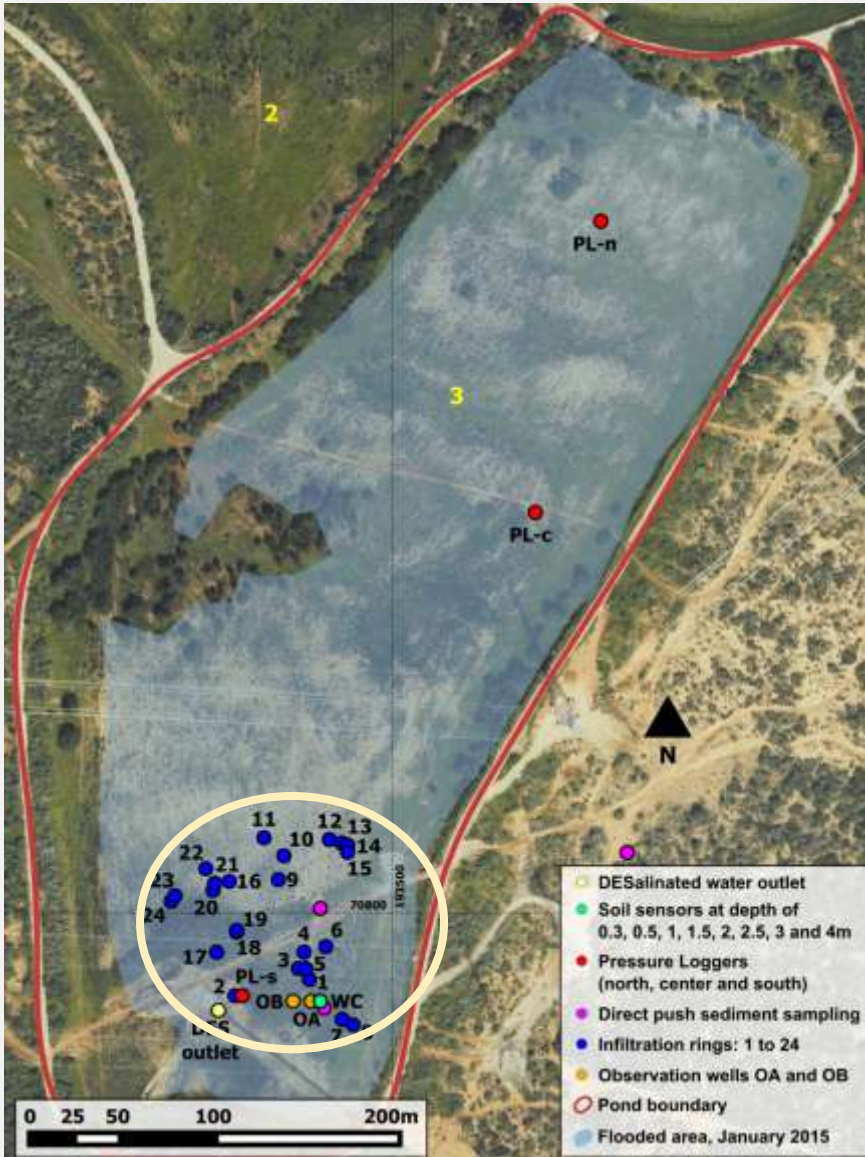
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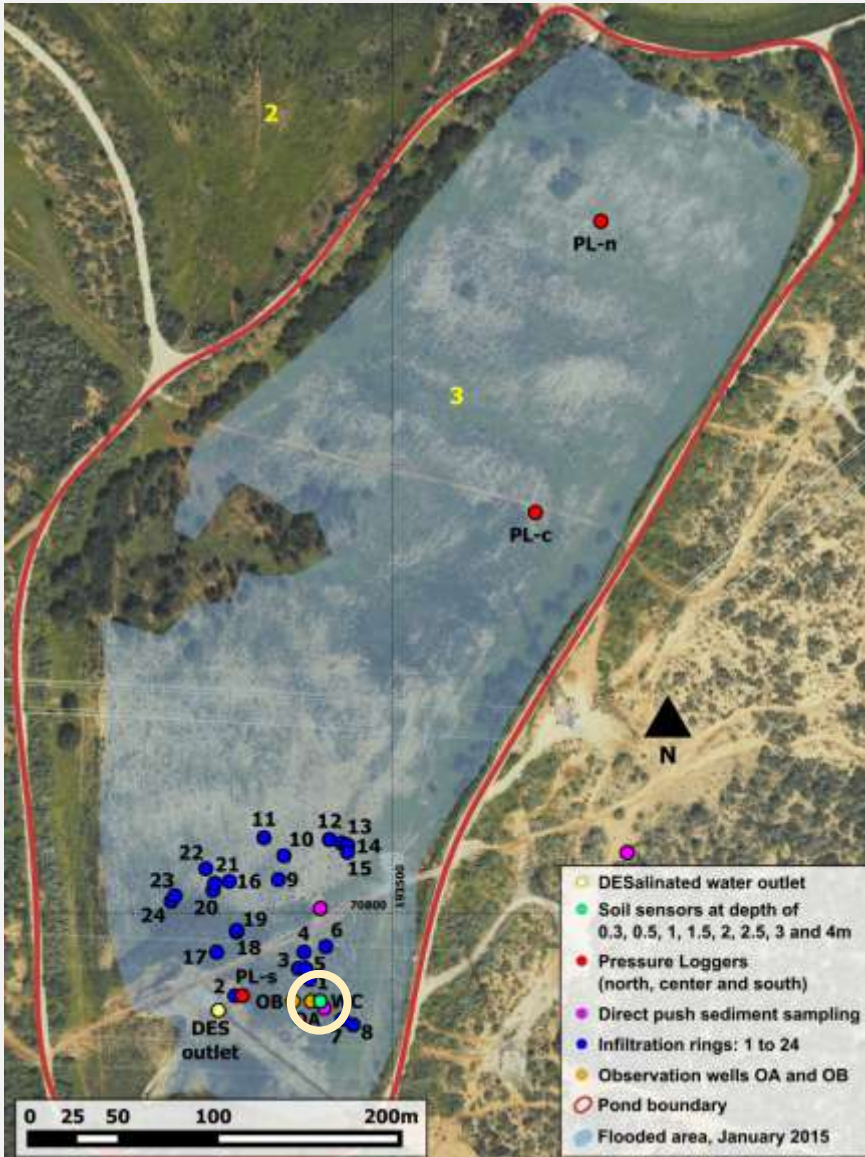
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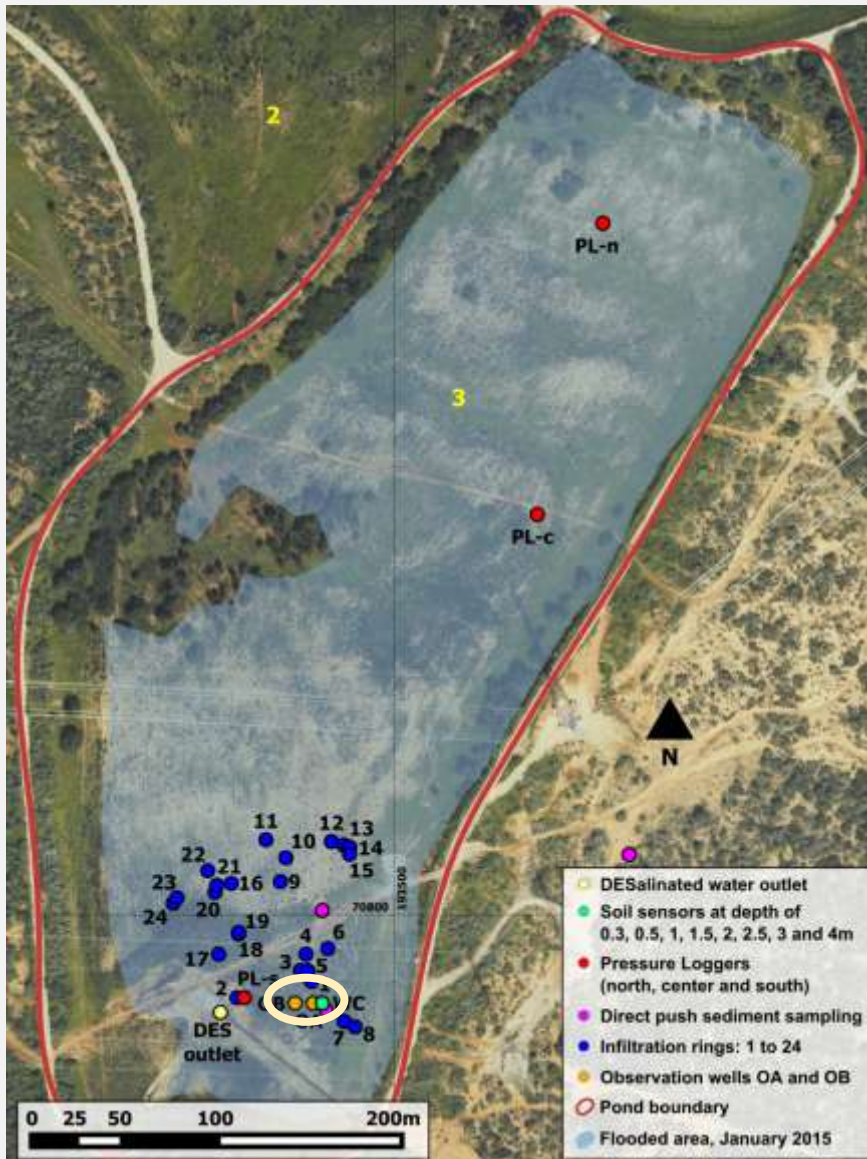
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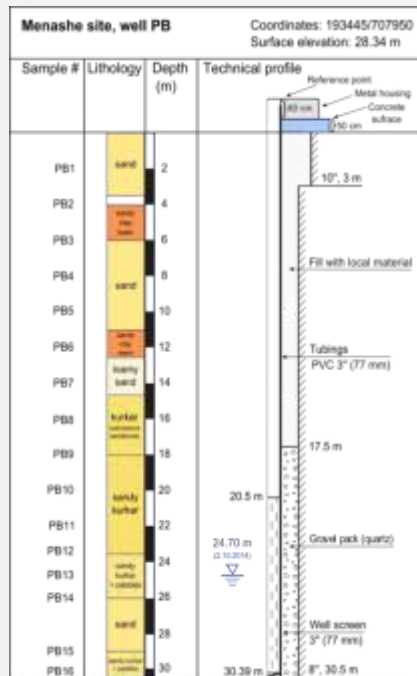
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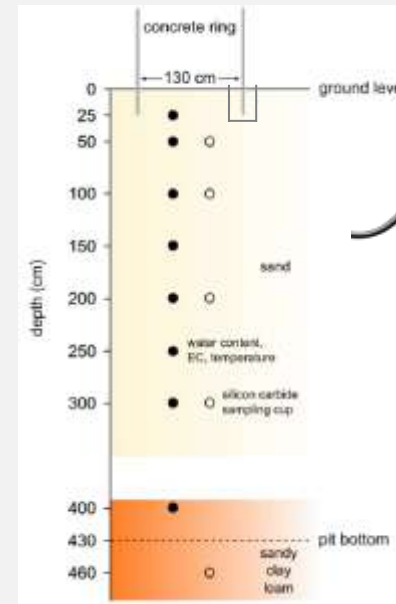
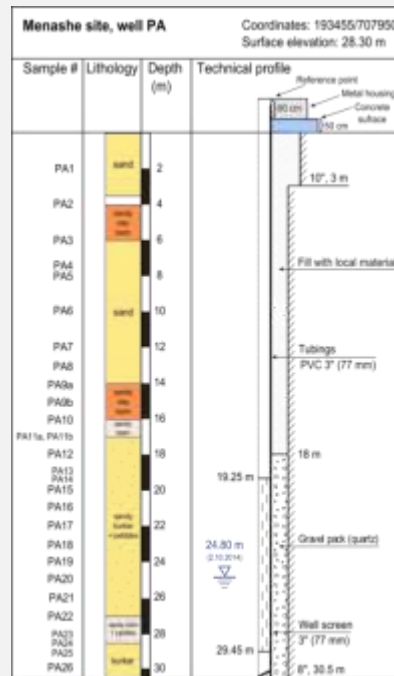
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Monitoring system – GW & VZ



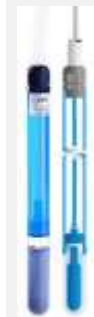
**CTD
Diver
(SWS)**



**soil sensors
(Decagon)**



**silicon
suction
cups
(UMS)**



Monitoring MAR January 2015



End of ponding



Database (WP9 deliverable)

MS Access based



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ID	ID_WVS	Name	Use	X_ITM	Y_ITM	Altitude_m_amsl	Original_BH_Depth	Updated_BH_Depth	Top_of_Screen_1	Bottom_of_screen_1	Top_of_Screen_2	Bottom_of_screen_2	Top_of_Screen_3
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19370782	99999999	PB	ARO observation	193446	707930	28.24	30.5	30.5	20.5	30.4			
2032009	20914202	Hadera 1	Mekorot Production	192739	709548	23.13	88.1	83.63	74	83.63			
2032010	21014301	Hadera 2	Mekorot Production	193045	710480	27.4	114	85	54	85			
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2032012	20914302	Hadera 4	Mekorot Production	193526	709772	43.83	94	94	57.1	94			
2032028	21014309	Hadera 5a	Mekorot Production	193866	710875	37.27							
2032026	20914407	Hadera 6	Mekorot Production	194028	709965	37.89	93	90.5	58.5	88.5			
2032027	21014308	Hadera 7	Mekorot Production	193821	710496	36.14	105	88	54.49	66.16	69.17	76.09	79.09
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GW & VZ catalog

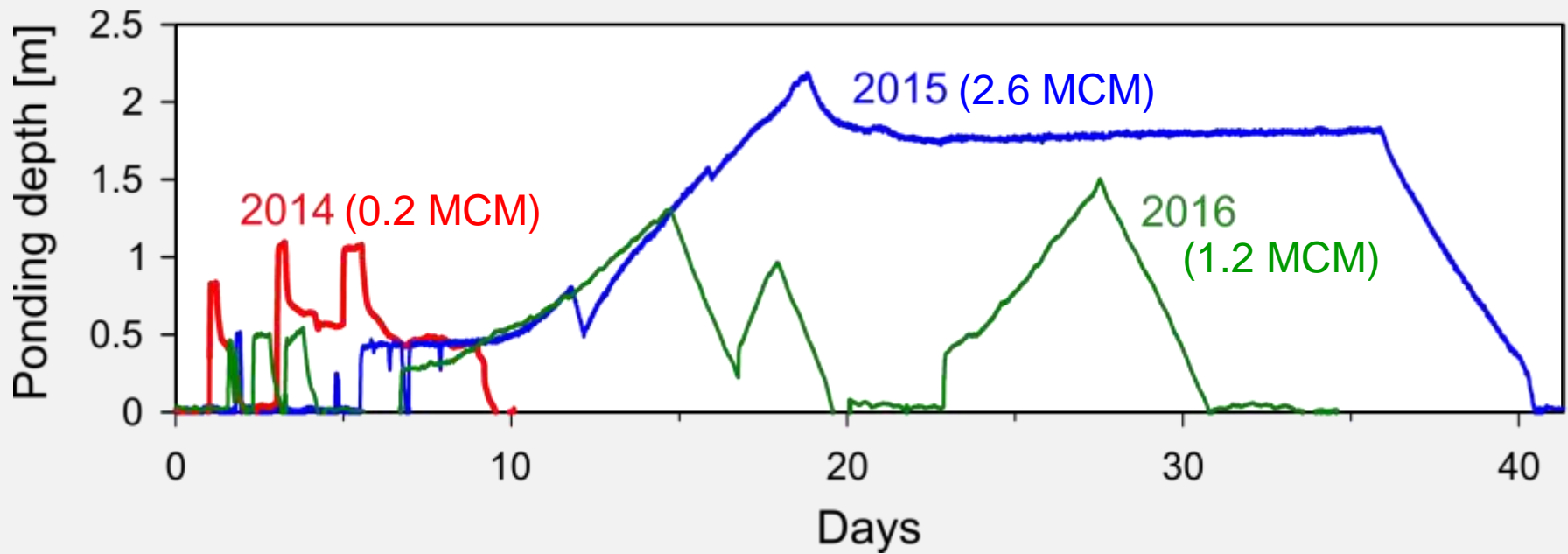
Water level and pumping

Sensors data

Water quality

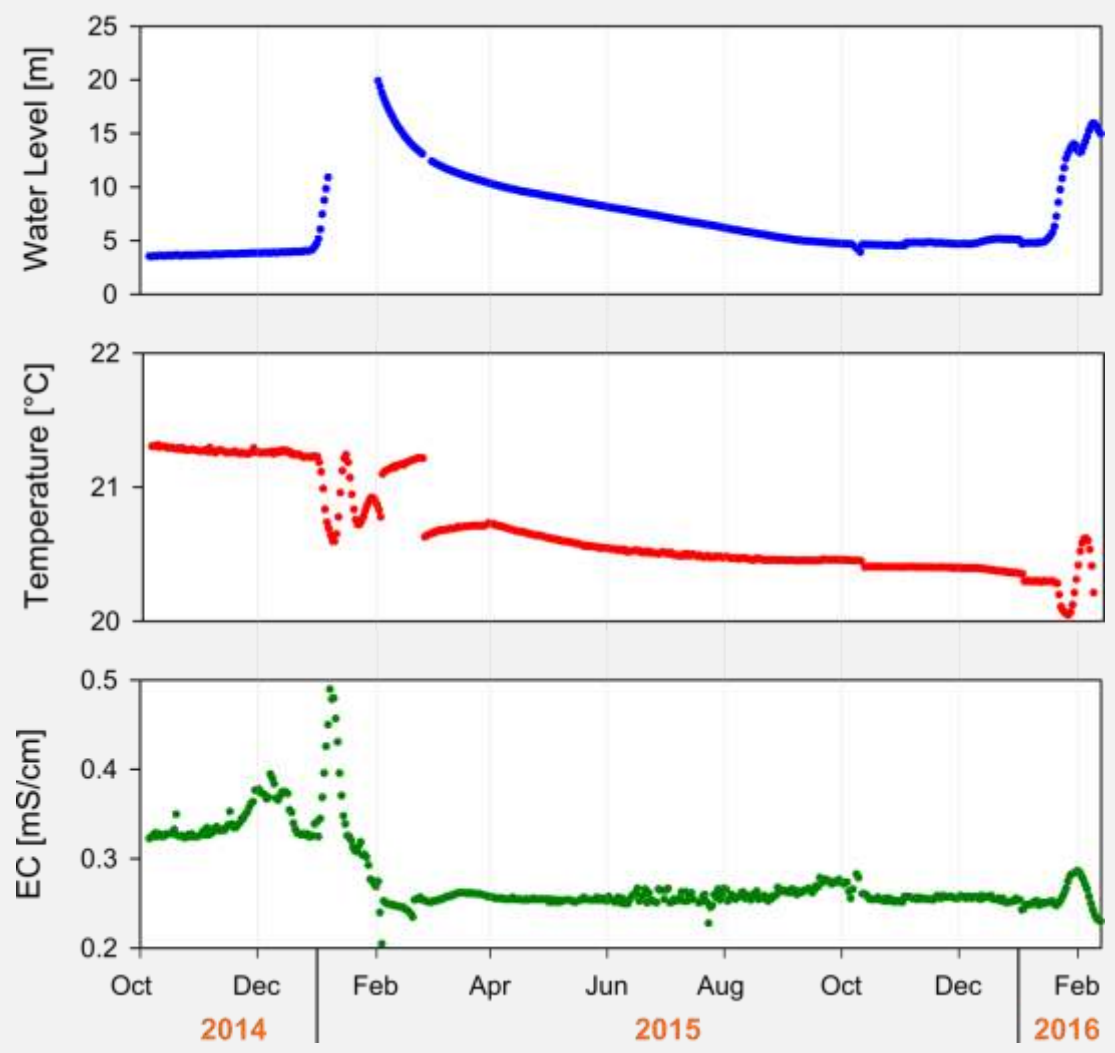
Data (few examples)

Ponding depth during three MAR events

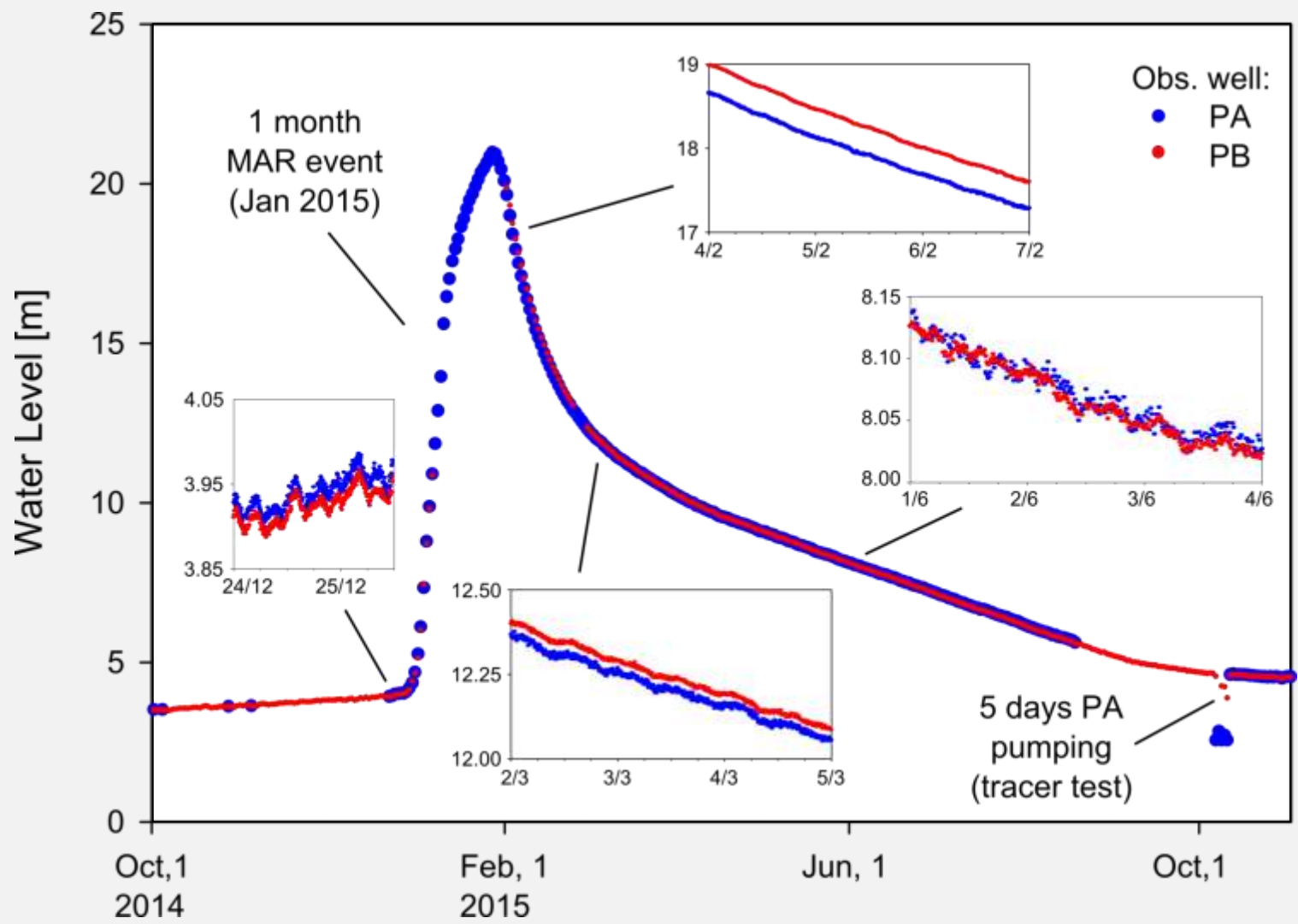


GW Observation wells

Observation Well PB

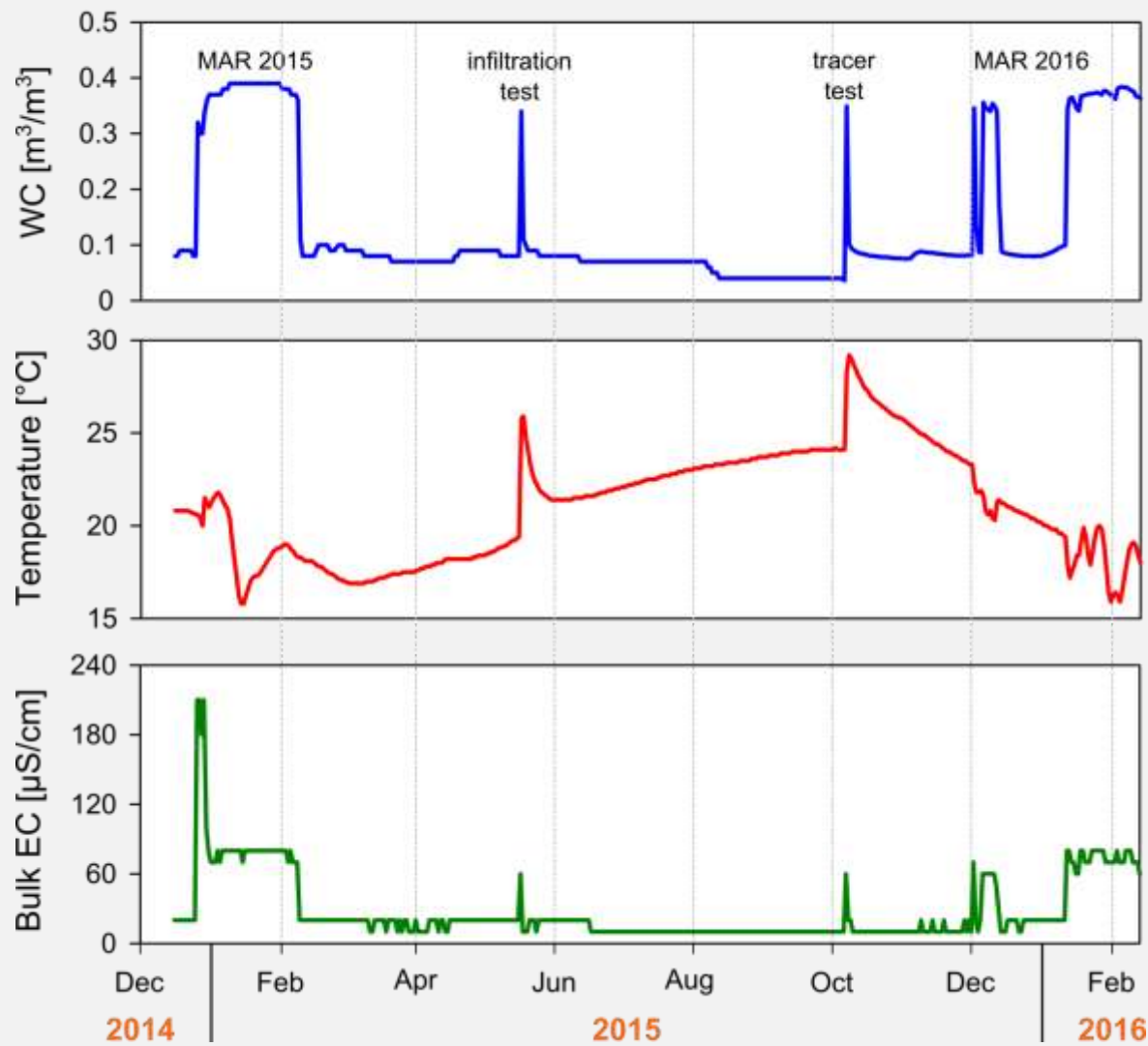


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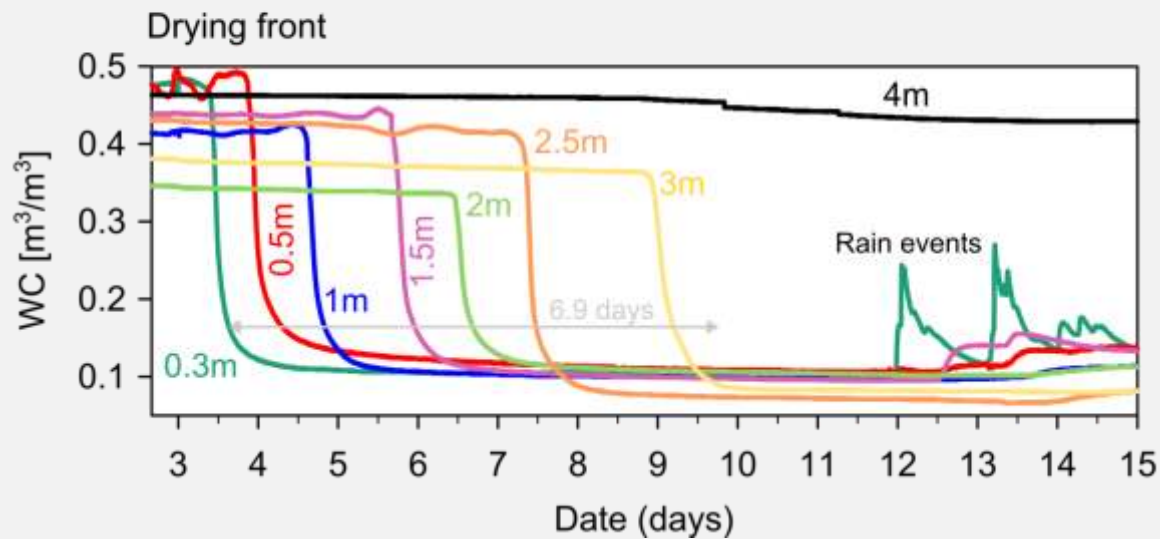
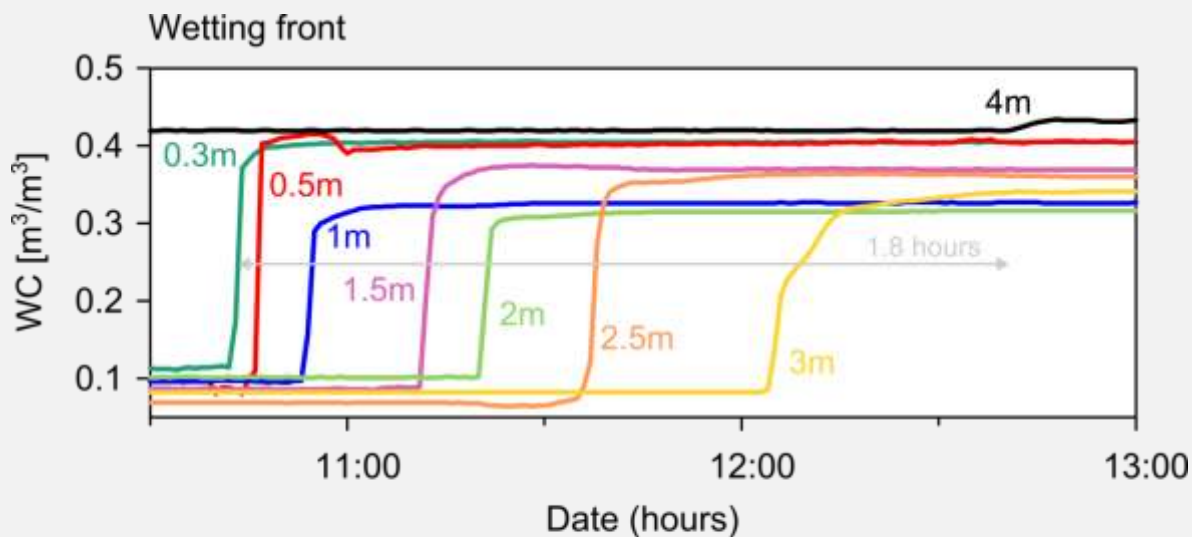


Vadose zone gallery

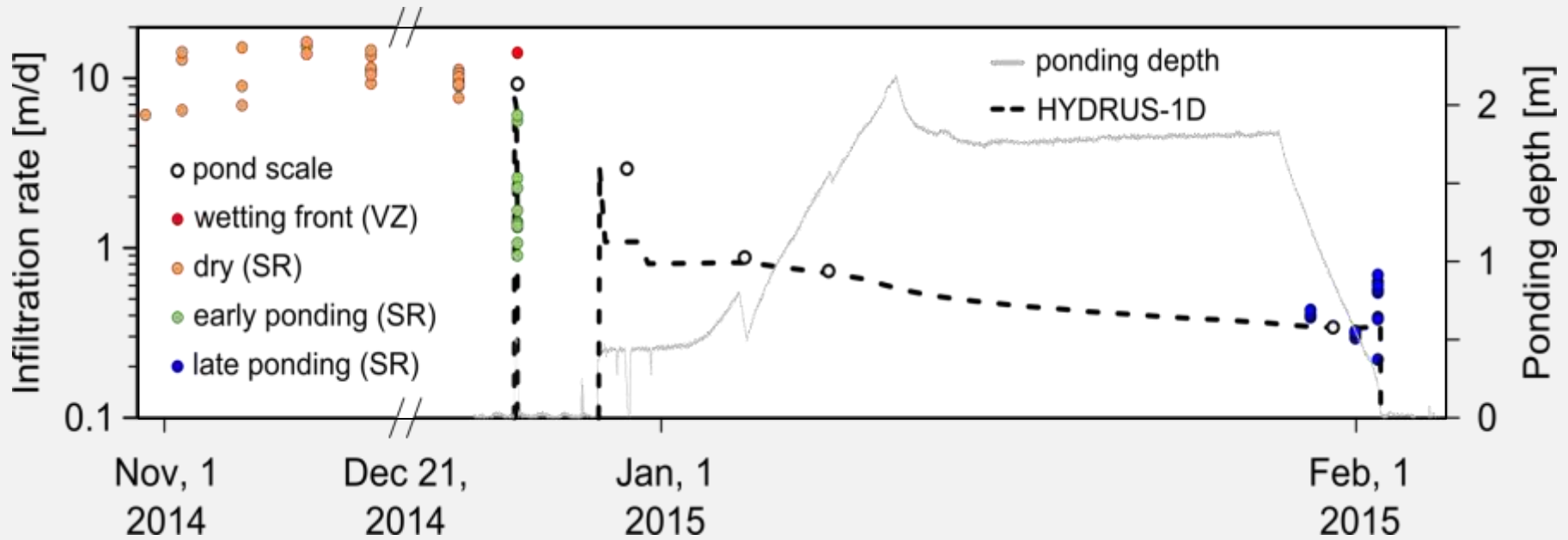
Vadose Zone Gallery, 3m soil sensor



Vadose zone WC during MAR 2015



Infiltration rates (pond and local scales)

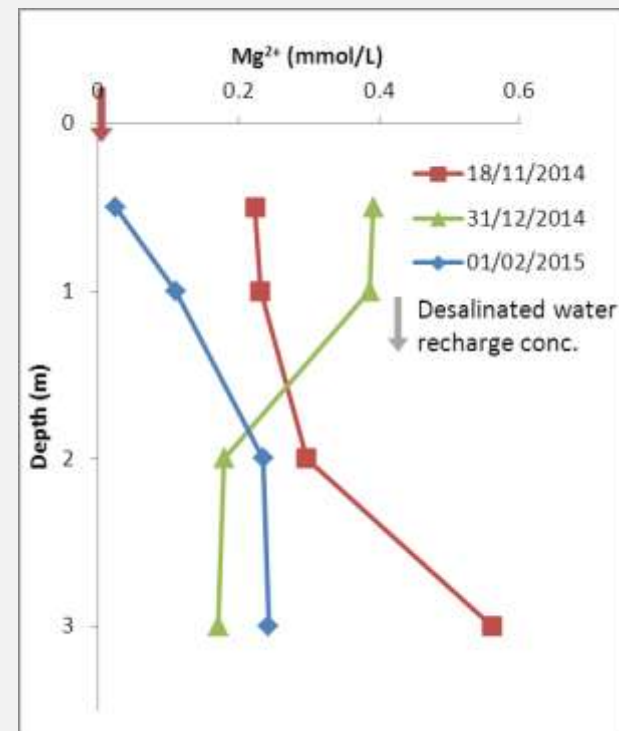
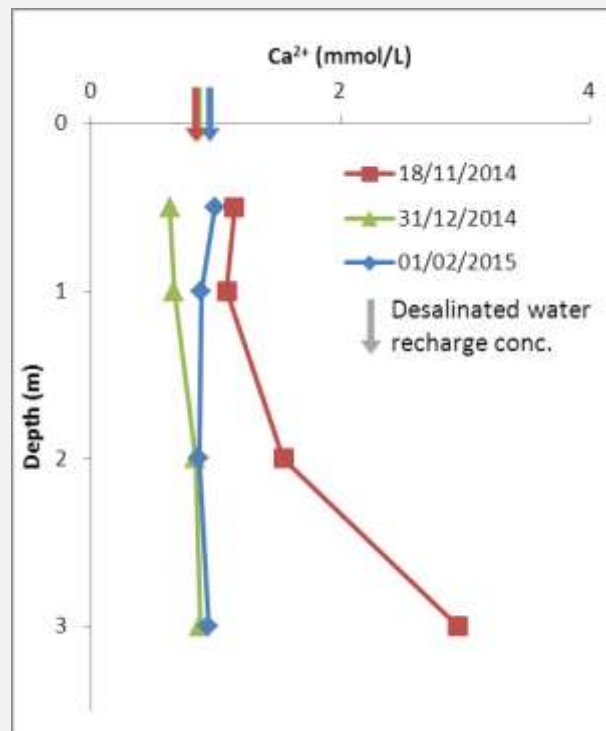
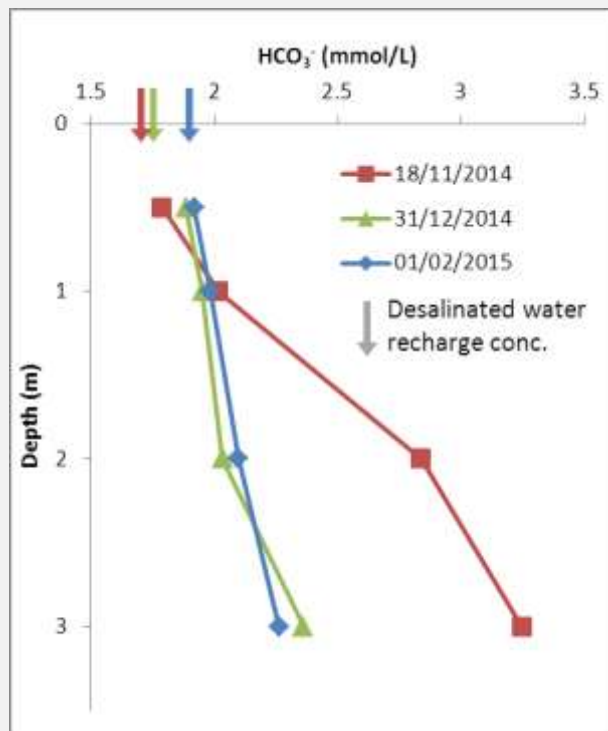


Geochemistry – suction cups (upper vadose zone sampling)

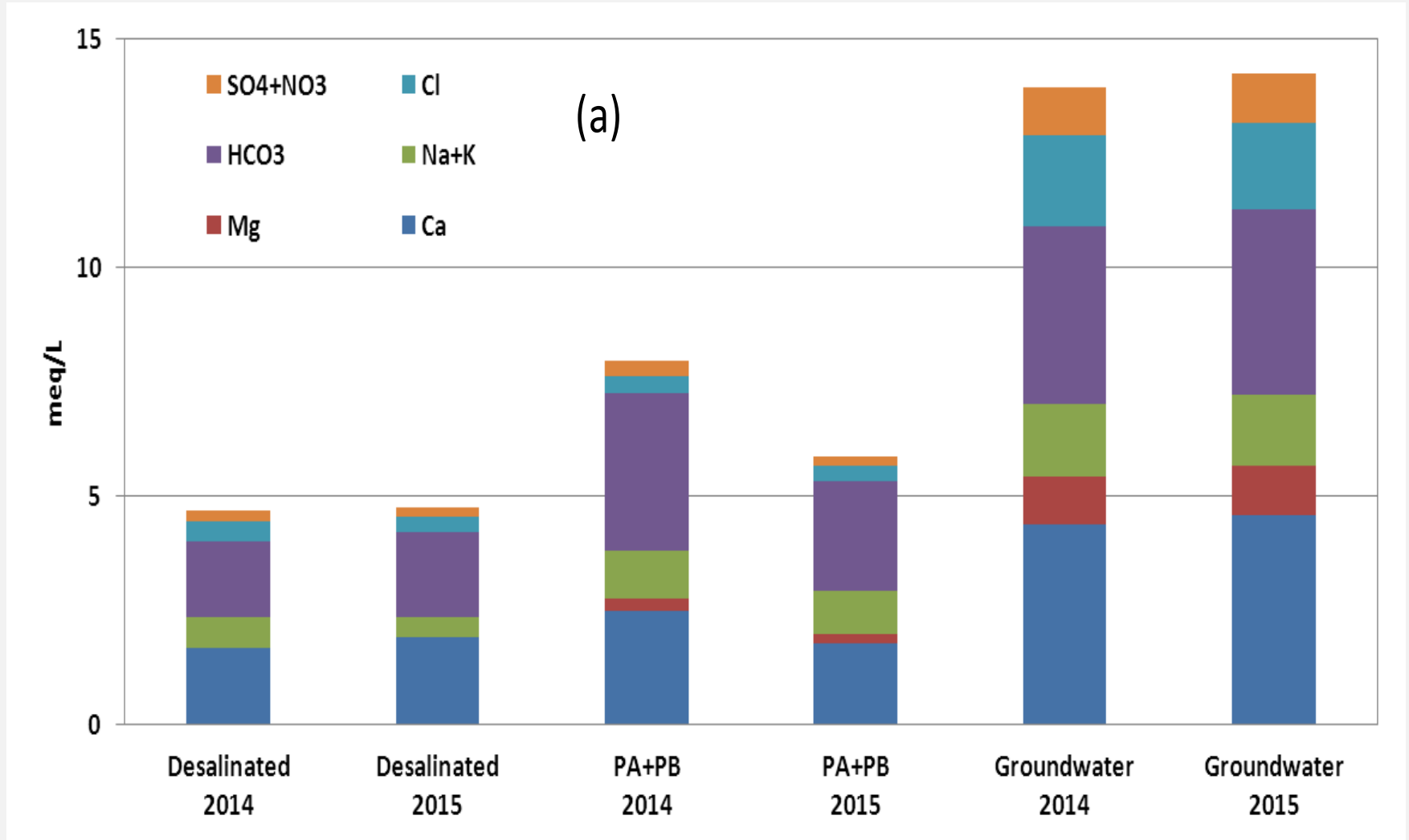
18/11/2014 – Dry sediment water from the beginning of infiltration

31/12/2014 – After 1.5 days of infiltration

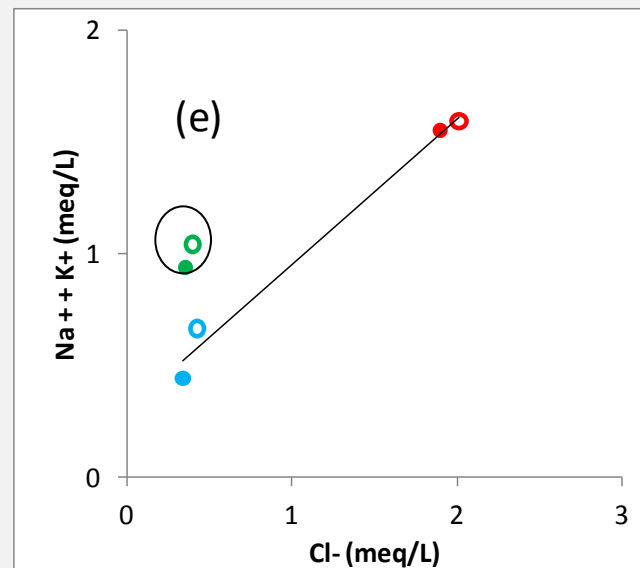
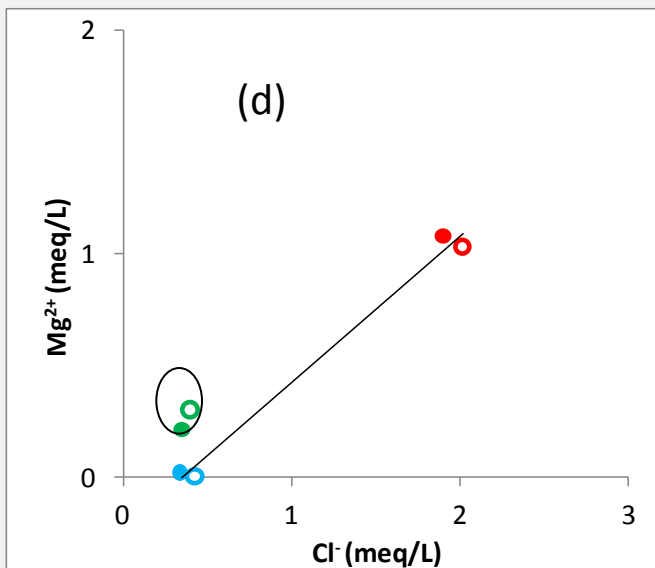
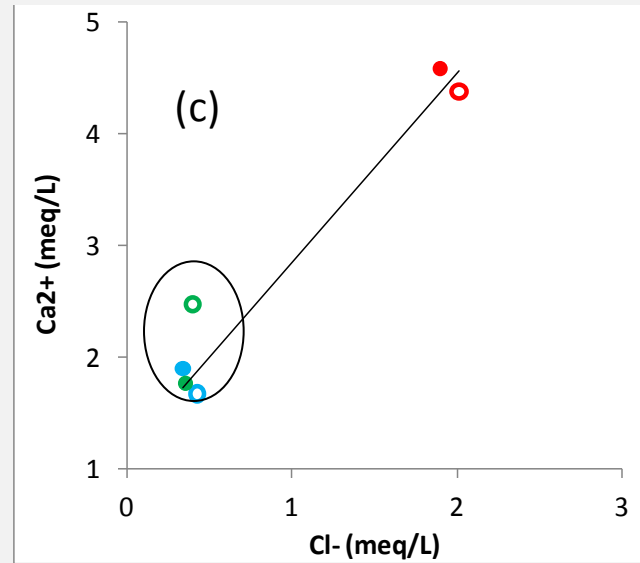
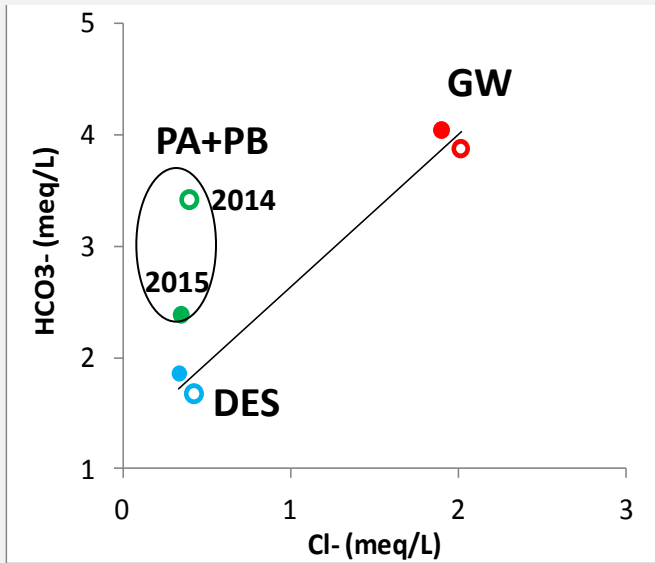
01/02/2015 – After 34 days of infiltration



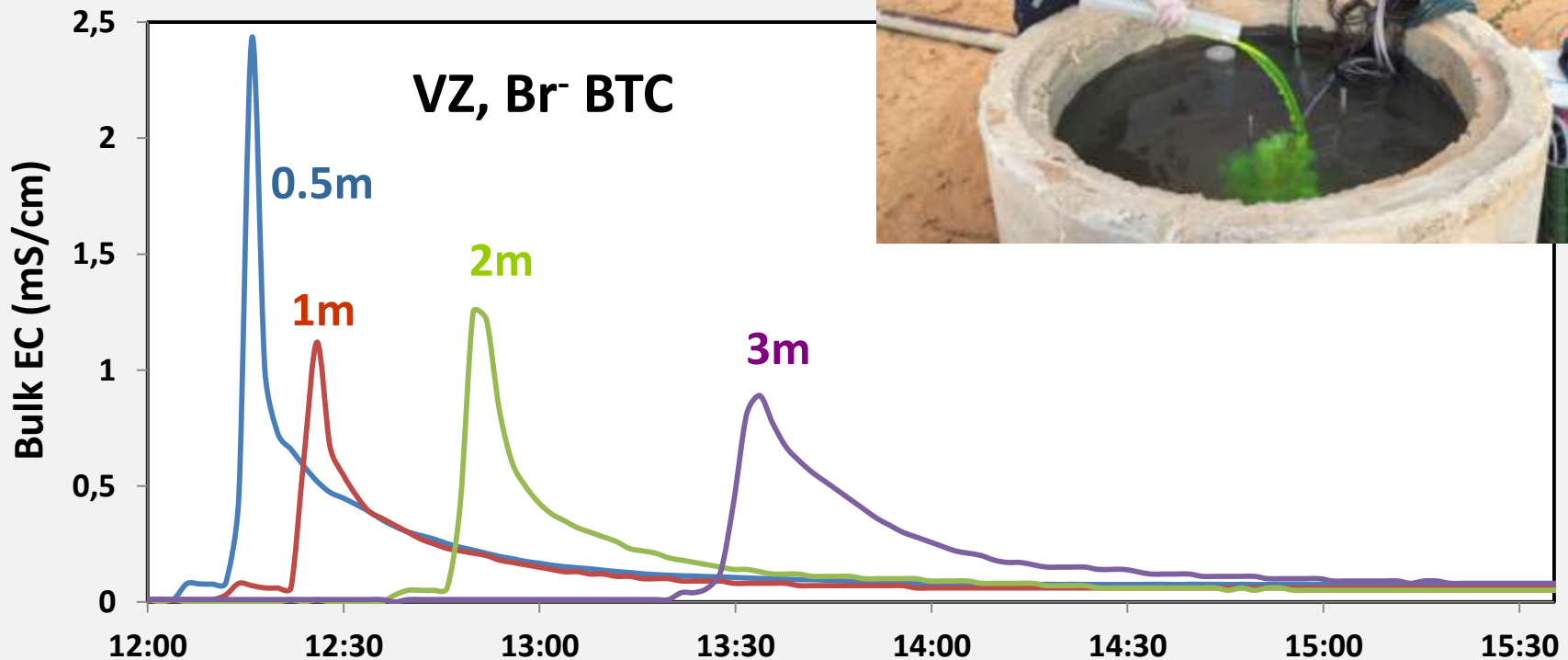
4 characteristic types of water



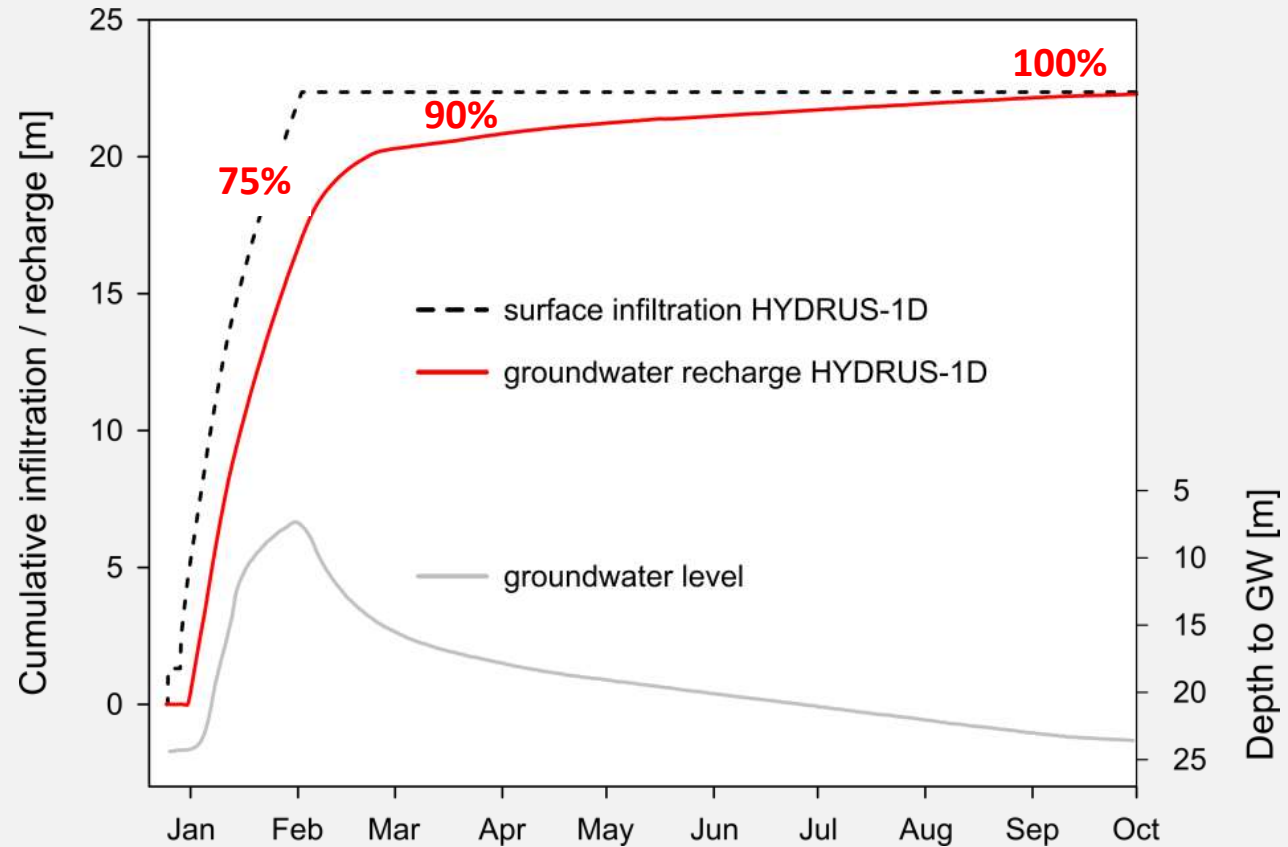
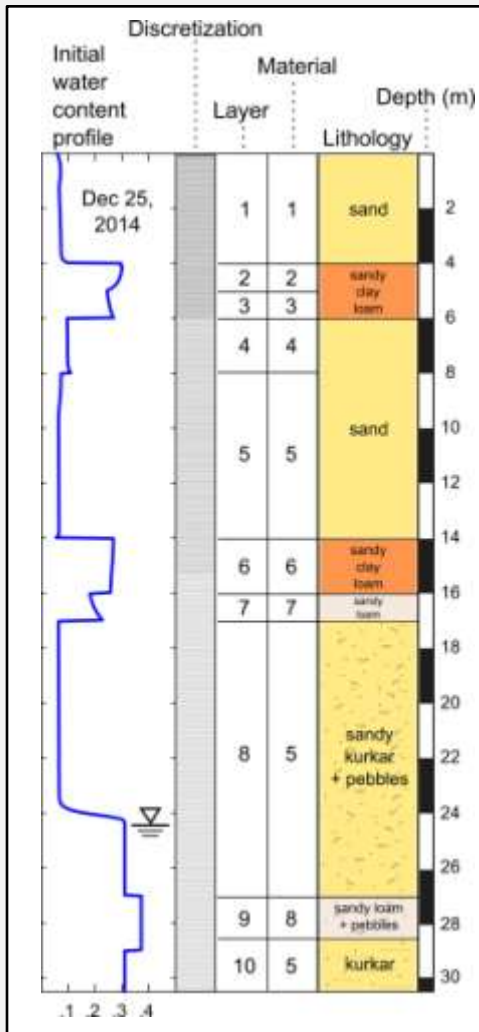
Shallow groundwater under the pond are not a mix



Using the monitoring system for controlled experiments



VZ modeling using the monitored data

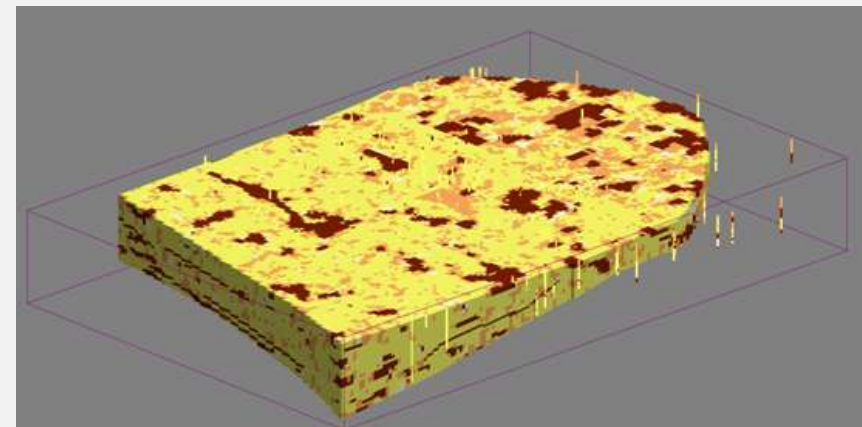
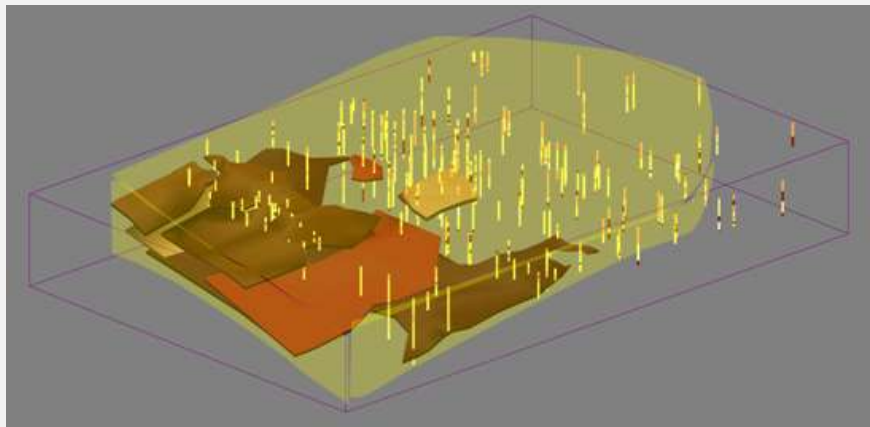


Ganot et al. (submitted, *J. Hydrol.*),
Monitoring and modeling infiltration-recharge dynamics
of managed aquifer recharge with desalinated seawater

GW Modeling (MEK)



- Propose - MAR scenarios
- ~ 70 km²
- MODFLOW (GMS)
- Geostatistical + deterministic aquifer material distribution



DBPs due to chlorinated desalinated seawater (BGU)



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	Sample	THM				Water isotopes	
		CHCl ₃	CHCl ₂ Br	CHClBr ₂	CHBr ₃	δ ² H (‰)	δ ¹⁸ O (‰)
Field samples	Well PA					10.861	1.540
	Well PB		+			10.718	1.275
	P-0.5				+	11.499	1.490
	P-1.0					11.185	1.429
	P-2.0		+	+	+	10.746	1.325
	P-3.0		+	+	+	10.818	1.377
Reference values	DSW	Not detected	Not detected	Not detected	Not detected	11.339	1.414
	Well M6	Not analyzed				-18.408	-4.485
	Well M9	Not analyzed				-18.475	-4.508

Summary & Conclusions

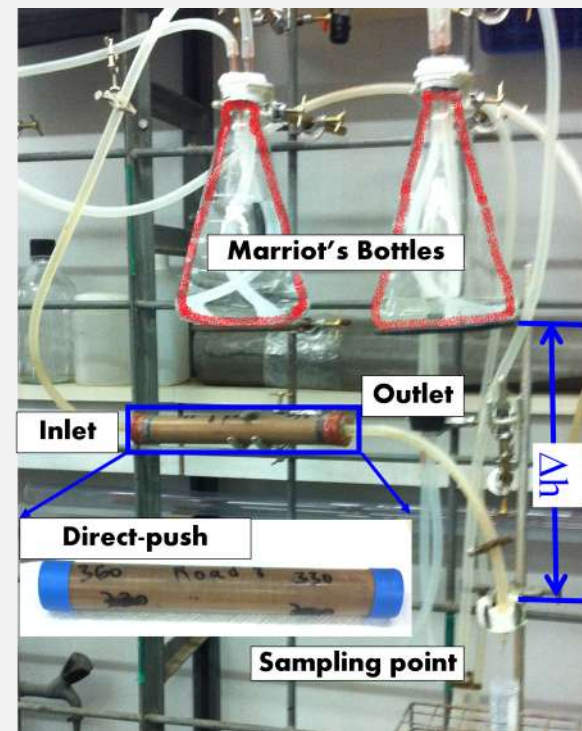
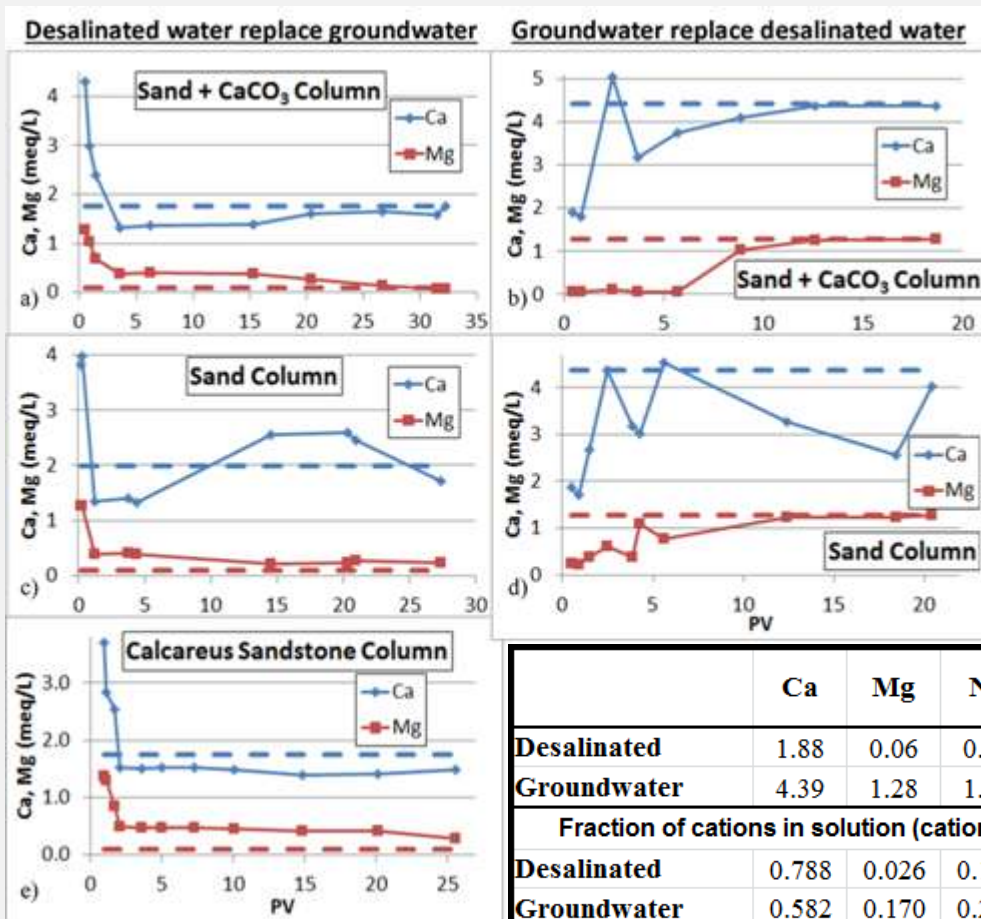


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- **The vadose-zone and groundwater monitoring system in the infiltration pond is continuously operating since the October 2014** Monitoring is automated; Data collection is manual
- **Monitoring is maintained by robust commercial sensors**
- **Water quality data (VZ suction-cups, GW sampling) is non-continuous and manually-based**
- Deep unsaturated-zone monitoring (5-20 m) is needed for a better characterization and understanding of vadose-zone processes during MAR

Column experiments

Ronen-Eliraz et al. (in review, *STOTEN*),
 Simulating Managed Aquifer Recharge by Column Experiments
 with Alternating Desalinated Water and Groundwater



	Ca	Mg	Na	K	B	Sum Cation	Ca/Mg	Ca/Na	Ca/K
Desalinated	1.88	0.06	0.41	0.01	0.023	2.39	30	4.6	199
Groundwater	4.39	1.28	1.82	0.05	0.004	7.55	3.4	2.4	89
Fraction of cations in solution (cation/sum of cation):									
Desalinated	0.788	0.026	0.172	0.004	0.010	1			
Groundwater	0.582	0.170	0.241	0.007	0.001	1			
Ratio of fractions:									
GW/DES	0.7	6.6	1.4	1.6	0.1				
DES/GW	1.4	0.2	0.7	0.6	17.9				

How?

approaches to Subsurface

