

S1 Table. List of sites used in this study. DBF = Deciduous broadleaf forest, DNF = deciduous needleleaf forest, EBF = evergreen broadleaf forest, ENF = evergreen needleleaf forest, MF = mixed forest, WSA = woody savanna, and SAV = savanna. The PFT and climate classifications used here are coming from the ancillary data files provided by the La Thuile or the FLUXNET2015 datasets (<https://fluxnet.fluxdata.org>).

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| 1 | AR-SLu | -33.4648 | -66.4598 | Temperate | MF | 50 | - |
| 2 | AR-Vir | -28.2395 | -56.1886 | Temperate | ENF | 8 | - |
| 3 | AU-Ade | -13.0769 | 131.1178 | Tropical | WSA | NA | - |
| 4 | AU-ASM | -22.2830 | 133.2490 | Arid | ENF | NA | - |
| 5 | AU-Cpr | -34.0021 | 140.5891 | Arid | SAV | NA | - |
| 6 | AU-Cum | -33.6133 | 150.7225 | Temperate | EBF | >300 | - |
| 7 | AU-DaS | -14.1593 | 131.3881 | Tropical | SAV | NA | - |
| 8 | AU-Dry | -15.2588 | 132.3706 | Tropical | SAV | NA | - |
| 9 | AU-Gin | -31.3764 | 115.7138 | Temperate | WSA | NA | - |
| 10 | AU-GWW | -30.1913 | 120.6541 | Arid | SAV | NA | - |
| 11 | AU-How | -12.4943 | 131.1523 | Tropical | WSA | 110 | - |
| 12 | AU-Lox | -34.4704 | 140.6551 | Arid | DBF | NA | - |
| 13 | AU-RDF | -14.5636 | 132.4776 | Tropical | WSA | NA | - |
| 14 | AU-Rob | -17.1175 | 145.6301 | Temperate | EBF | 198 | - |
| 15 | AU-Tum | -35.6566 | 148.1517 | Temperate | EBF | 83 | [27] |
| 16 | AU-Wac | -37.4259 | 145.1878 | Temperate | EBF | >300 | - |
| 17 | AU-Whr | -36.6732 | 145.0294 | Temperate | EBF | NA | - |
| 18 | AU-Wom | -37.4222 | 144.0944 | Temperate | EBF | 32 | - |
| 19 | BE-Bra | 51.3092 | 4.5206 | Temperate | MF | 78 | [21] |
| 20 | BE-Jal | 50.5639 | 6.0733 | Temperate | MF | 8 | - |
| 21 | BE-Vie | 50.3051 | 5.9981 | Temperate | MF | 94 | [4] |
| 22 | BR-Ban | -9.8244 | -50.1591 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [19] |
| 23 | BR-Cax | -1.7197 | -51.4590 | Tropical | EBF | 96 | [14] |
| 24 | BR-Ji2 | -10.0832 | -61.9309 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [88] |

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| 25 | BR-Ma2 | -2.6091 | -60.2093 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [3] |
| 26 | BR-Sa1 | -2.8567 | -54.9589 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [74] |
| 27 | BR-Sa3 | -3.0180 | -54.9714 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [74] |
| 28 | BR-Sp1 | -21.6195 | -47.6499 | Tropical | WSA | NA | - |
| 29 | BW-Ma1 | -19.9155 | 23.5605 | Arid | WSA | NA | - |
| 30 | CA-Ca1 | 49.8672 | -125.3340 | Temperate | ENF | 60 | [60] |
| 31 | CA-Ca2 | 49.8705 | -125.2910 | Temperate | ENF | 3 | [41] |
| 32 | CA-Ca3 | 49.5346 | -124.9000 | Temperate | ENF | 16 | [44] |
| 33 | CA-Gro | 48.2167 | -82.1556 | Boreal | MF | 78 | [66] |
| 34 | CA-Man | 55.8796 | -98.4808 | Boreal | ENF | 161 | [46] |
| 35 | CA-NS1 | 55.8792 | -98.4839 | Boreal | ENF | 154 | [32] |
| 36 | CA-NS2 | 55.9058 | -98.5247 | Boreal | ENF | 73 | [32] |
| 37 | CA-NS3 | 55.9117 | -98.3822 | Boreal | ENF | 39 | [32] |
| 38 | CA-NS4 | 55.9144 | -98.3806 | Boreal | ENF | 39 | [32] |
| 39 | CA-NS5 | 55.8631 | -98.4850 | Boreal | ENF | 23 | [32] |
| 40 | CA-Oas | 53.6289 | -106.1978 | Boreal | DBF | 80 | [10] |
| 41 | CA-Obs | 53.9872 | -105.1178 | Boreal | ENF | 112 | [43] |
| 42 | CA-Ojp | 53.9163 | -104.6920 | Boreal | ENF | 88 | [5] |
| 43 | CA-Qcu | 49.2671 | -74.0365 | Boreal | ENF | 4 | [28] |
| 44 | CA-Qfo | 49.6925 | -74.3421 | Boreal | ENF | 102 | [7] |
| 45 | CA-SF1 | 54.4850 | -105.8176 | Boreal | ENF | 28 | - |
| 46 | CA-SF2 | 54.2539 | -105.8775 | Boreal | ENF | 14 | - |
| 47 | CA-SJ1 | 53.9080 | -104.6560 | Boreal | ENF | 10 | [40] |
| 48 | CA-SJ2 | 53.9450 | -104.6490 | Boreal | ENF | 2 | [18] |
| 49 | CA-SJ3 | 53.8758 | -104.6450 | Boreal | ENF | 30 | [33] |
| 50 | CA-TP1 | 42.6609 | -80.5595 | Boreal | ENF | 9 | [2] |
| 51 | CA-TP2 | 42.7744 | -80.4588 | Boreal | ENF | 73 | [2] |
| 52 | CA-TP3 | 42.7068 | -80.3483 | Boreal | ENF | 37 | [2] |
| 53 | CA-TP4 | 42.7102 | -80.3574 | Boreal | ENF | 70 | [2] |

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| 54 | CA-TPD | 42.6353 | -80.5577 | Boreal | DBF | 98 | [2] |
| 55 | CG-Hin | -4.6811 | 12.0036 | Tropical | EBF | NA | - |
| 56 | CG-Kis | -4.7914 | 11.9822 | Tropical | EBF | NA | - |
| 57 | CG-Tch | -4.2892 | 11.6564 | Tropical | SAV | NA | - |
| 58 | CH-Dav | 46.8153 | 9.8559 | Temperate | ENF | 222 | [92] |
| 59 | CH-Lae | 47.4781 | 8.3650 | Temperate | MF | 184 | [26] |
| 60 | CN-Anh | 33.0000 | 117.0000 | Temperate | DBF | 13 | - |
| 61 | CN-Bed | 39.5306 | 116.2520 | Boreal | EBF | 12 | - |
| 62 | CN-Cha | 42.4025 | 128.0958 | Boreal | MF | >300 | [37] |
| 63 | CN-Din | 23.1733 | 112.5361 | Temperate | EBF | 96 | [91] |
| 64 | CN-Hny | 29.3100 | 112.5100 | Temperate | DBF | 2 | - |
| 65 | CN-Ku1 | 40.5383 | 108.6940 | Arid | EBF | 5 | - |
| 66 | CN-Qia | 26.7414 | 115.0581 | Temperate | ENF | 19 | - |
| 67 | CZ-BK1 | 49.5021 | 18.5369 | Boreal | ENF | 31 | [69] |
| 68 | DE-Bay | 50.1419 | 11.8669 | Temperate | ENF | 54 | [85] |
| 69 | DE-Hai | 51.0792 | 10.4530 | Temperate | DBF | 254 | [47] |
| 70 | DE-Har | 47.9344 | 7.6010 | Temperate | ENF | 42 | [9] |
| 71 | DE-Lkb | 49.0996 | 13.3047 | Temperate | ENF | 2 | [51] |
| 72 | DE-Lnf | 51.3282 | 10.3678 | Temperate | DBF | 117 | - |
| 73 | DE-Meh | 51.2753 | 10.6555 | Temperate | MF | 2 | - |
| 74 | DE-Obe | 50.7836 | 13.7196 | Temperate | ENF | 76 | - |
| 75 | DE-Tha | 50.9636 | 13.5669 | Temperate | ENF | 118 | [8] |
| 76 | DE-Wet | 50.4535 | 11.4575 | Temperate | ENF | 54 | [1] |
| 77 | DK-Sor | 55.4859 | 11.6446 | Temperate | DBF | 85 | [67] |
| 78 | ES-ES1 | 39.3460 | -0.3188 | Temperate | ENF | 116 | [75] |
| 79 | ES-LMa | 39.9415 | -5.7734 | Temperate | SAV | 148 | - |
| 80 | FI-Hyy | 61.8475 | 24.2950 | Boreal | ENF | 46 | [77] |
| 81 | FI-Let | 60.6418 | 23.9597 | Boreal | ENF | NA | - |
| 82 | FI-Sod | 67.3619 | 26.6378 | Boreal | ENF | 161 | [81] |

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| 83 | FR-Fon | 48.4764 | 2.7801 | Temperate | DBF | 150 | [56] |
| 84 | FR-Hes | 48.6742 | 7.0646 | Temperate | DBF | 37 | [34] |
| 85 | FR-LBr | 44.7171 | -0.7693 | Temperate | ENF | 34 | [6] |
| 86 | FR-Pue | 43.7414 | 3.5958 | Temperate | EBF | 64 | [68] |
| 87 | GF-Guy | 5.2788 | -52.9249 | Tropical | EBF | >300 | [11] |
| 88 | GH-Ank | 5.2685 | -2.6942 | Tropical | EBF | NA | - |
| 89 | IL-Yat | 31.3450 | 35.0515 | Arid | ENF | 39 | [35] |
| 90 | IS-Gun | 63.8333 | -20.2167 | Temperate | DBF | 7 | - |
| 91 | IT-Bon | 39.4778 | 16.5347 | Temperate | ENF | 36 | - |
| 92 | IT-CA1 | 42.3804 | 12.0266 | Temperate | DBF | NA | - |
| 93 | IT-CA3 | 42.3800 | 12.0222 | Temperate | DBF | NA | - |
| 94 | IT-Col | 41.8494 | 13.5881 | Temperate | DBF | 180 | [84] |
| 95 | IT-Cp2 | 41.7043 | 12.3573 | Temperate | EBF | 63 | - |
| 96 | IT-Cpz | 41.7052 | 12.3761 | Temperate | EBF | 56 | [82] |
| 97 | IT-Isp | 45.8126 | 8.6336 | Temperate | DBF | NA | - |
| 98 | IT-Lec | 43.3046 | 11.2706 | Temperate | EBF | NA | - |
| 99 | IT-LMa | 45.5813 | 7.1546 | Temperate | DBF | 71 | [54] |
| 100 | IT-Non | 44.6898 | 11.0887 | Temperate | MF | 10 | [62] |
| 101 | IT-PT1 | 45.2009 | 9.0610 | Temperate | DBF | 13 | [57] |
| 102 | IT-Ren | 46.5869 | 11.4337 | Boreal | ENF | 188 | [59] |
| 103 | IT-Ro1 | 42.4081 | 11.9300 | Temperate | DBF | 10 | [70] |
| 104 | IT-Ro2 | 42.3903 | 11.9209 | Temperate | DBF | 19 | [80] |
| 105 | IT-SR2 | 43.7320 | 10.2910 | Temperate | ENF | 64 | - |
| 106 | IT-SRo | 43.7279 | 10.2844 | Temperate | ENF | 54 | [15] |
| 107 | IT-Vig | 45.3167 | 8.8500 | Temperate | DBF | 15 | - |
| 108 | JP-MBF | 44.3869 | 142.3186 | Boreal | DBF | NA | - |
| 109 | JP-SMF | 35.2617 | 137.0788 | Temperate | MF | NA | - |
| 110 | JP-Tak | 36.1462 | 137.4230 | Boreal | DBF | 72 | [90] |
| 111 | JP-Tef | 45.0563 | 142.1062 | Boreal | MF | 121 | [78] |

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| 112 | JP-Tom | 42.7395 | 141.5149 | Boreal | MF | 48 | [38] |
| 113 | ML-Kem | 15.2237 | -1.5662 | Arid | DBF | NA | - |
| 114 | MY-PSO | 2.9730 | 102.3062 | Tropical | EBF | 106 | [42] |
| 115 | NL-Loo | 52.1666 | 5.7436 | Temperate | ENF | 106 | [24] |
| 116 | PA-SPn | 9.3181 | -79.6346 | Tropical | DBF | 7 | - |
| 117 | PT-Esp | 38.6394 | -8.6018 | Temperate | EBF | 12 | - |
| 118 | PT-Mi1 | 38.5407 | -8.0004 | Temperate | EBF | 88 | [20] |
| 119 | RU-Fyo | 56.4615 | 32.9221 | Boreal | ENF | 236 | [48] |
| 120 | RU-SkP | 62.2550 | 129.1680 | Boreal | DNF | 161 | - |
| 121 | RU-Zot | 60.8008 | 89.3508 | Boreal | ENF | 201 | [79] |
| 122 | SD-Dem | 13.2829 | 30.4783 | Arid | SAV | NA | - |
| 123 | SE-Abi | 68.3624 | 18.7948 | Tundra | DBF | NA | [52] |
| 124 | SE-Fla | 64.1128 | 19.4569 | Boreal | ENF | 37 | [85] |
| 125 | SE-Nor | 60.0865 | 17.4795 | Boreal | ENF | 105 | [49] |
| 126 | SE-Sk1 | 60.1250 | 17.9181 | Boreal | ENF | 2 | [29] |
| 127 | SE-Sk2 | 60.1297 | 17.8401 | Boreal | ENF | 33 | [52] |
| 128 | SK-Tat | 49.1208 | 20.1635 | Boreal | ENF | 0 | - |
| 129 | SN-Dhr | 15.4028 | -15.4322 | Arid | SAV | NA | - |
| 130 | UK-Gri | 56.6072 | -3.7981 | Temperate | ENF | 21 | [55] |
| 131 | UK-Ham | 51.1208 | -0.8608 | Temperate | DBF | 64 | [89] |
| 132 | UK-PL3 | 51.4500 | -1.2667 | Temperate | DBF | NA | - |
| 133 | US-Bar | 44.0646 | -71.2881 | Boreal | DBF | 128 | [45] |
| 134 | US-Blo | 38.8953 | -120.6328 | Temperate | ENF | 13 | [30] |
| 135 | US-Bn1 | 63.9198 | -145.3780 | Boreal | ENF | 83 | [53] |
| 136 | US-Bn2 | 63.9198 | -145.3780 | Boreal | DBF | 16 | [53] |
| 137 | US-Dk2 | 35.9736 | -79.1004 | Temperate | DBF | 98 | [25] |
| 138 | US-Dk3 | 35.9782 | -79.0942 | Temperate | ENF | 21 | [76] |
| 139 | US-Fmf | 35.1426 | -111.7273 | Temperate | ENF | 150 | - |
| 140 | US-FR2 | 29.9495 | -97.9962 | Temperate | WSA | NA | - |

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| 141 | US-Fuf | 35.0890 | -111.7620 | Temperate | ENF | 101 | - |
| 142 | US-GBT | 41.3658 | -106.2397 | Boreal | ENF | 176 | - |
| 143 | US-GLE | 41.3665 | -106.2399 | Boreal | ENF | 184 | - |
| 144 | US-Ha1 | 42.5378 | -72.1715 | Boreal | DBF | 96 | [83] |
| 145 | US-Ha2 | 42.5393 | -72.1779 | Boreal | ENF | 91 | [83] |
| 146 | US-Ho1 | 45.2041 | -68.7402 | Boreal | ENF | 206 | [39] |
| 147 | US-Ho2 | 45.2091 | -68.7470 | Boreal | ENF | 208 | [39] |
| 148 | US-KS1 | 28.4583 | -80.6709 | Temperate | ENF | 7 | [13] |
| 149 | US-LPH | 42.5419 | -72.1850 | Boreal | DBF | 98 | [12] |
| 150 | US-Me1 | 44.5794 | -121.5000 | Temperate | ENF | 2 | [50] |
| 151 | US-Me2 | 44.4523 | -121.5574 | Temperate | ENF | 94 | [50] |
| 152 | US-Me3 | 44.3154 | -121.6078 | Temperate | ENF | 20 | [87] |
| 153 | US-Me4 | 44.4992 | -121.6224 | Temperate | ENF | 24 | [50] |
| 154 | US-Me5 | 44.4372 | -121.5668 | Temperate | ENF | 22 | [50] |
| 155 | US-Me6 | 44.3233 | -121.6078 | Temperate | ENF | 22 | [73] |
| 156 | US-MMS | 39.3232 | -86.4131 | Temperate | DBF | 95 | [71] |
| 157 | US-MOz | 38.7441 | -92.2000 | Temperate | DBF | 78 | [36] |
| 158 | US-NC2 | 35.8031 | -76.6679 | Temperate | ENF | 14 | [64] |
| 159 | US-NR1 | 40.0329 | -105.5464 | Boreal | ENF | 110 | [58] |
| 160 | US-Oho | 41.5545 | -83.8438 | Boreal | DBF | 50 | [65] |
| 161 | US-PFa | 45.9459 | -90.2723 | Boreal | MF | 150 | [22] |
| 162 | US-Prr | 65.1237 | -147.4876 | Boreal | ENF | 98 | [61] |
| 163 | US-SP1 | 29.7381 | -82.2188 | Temperate | ENF | 63 | [16] |
| 164 | US-SP2 | 29.7648 | -82.2448 | Temperate | ENF | 4 | [16] |
| 165 | US-SP3 | 29.7548 | -82.1633 | Temperate | ENF | 12 | [16] |
| 166 | US-SP4 | 29.8028 | -82.2031 | Temperate | ENF | 0 | [16] |
| 167 | US-SRM | 31.8214 | -110.8661 | Arid | WSA | 201 | - |
| 168 | US-Syv | 46.2420 | -89.3477 | Boreal | MF | >300 | [23] |
| 169 | US-Ton | 38.4316 | -120.9660 | Temperate | WSA | NA | - |

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| 170 | US-UMB | 45.5598 | -84.7138 | Boreal | DBF | 93 | [31] |
| 171 | US-UMd | 45.5625 | -84.6975 | Boreal | DBF | 90 | - |
| 172 | US-WBW | 35.9588 | -84.2874 | Temperate | DBF | 110 | [86] |
| 173 | US-WCr | 45.8059 | -90.0799 | Boreal | DBF | 96 | [23] |
| 174 | US-Wi0 | 46.6188 | -91.0814 | Boreal | ENF | 7 | [63] |
| 175 | US-Wi1 | 46.7305 | -91.2329 | Boreal | DBF | 15 | [63] |
| 176 | US-Wi3 | 46.6347 | -91.0987 | Boreal | DBF | 66 | [63] |
| 177 | US-Wi4 | 46.7393 | -91.1663 | Boreal | ENF | 66 | [63] |
| 178 | US-Wi5 | 46.6531 | -91.0858 | Boreal | ENF | 9 | [63] |
| 179 | US-Wi8 | 46.7223 | -91.2524 | Boreal | DBF | 2 | [63] |
| 180 | US-Wi9 | 46.6188 | -91.0814 | Boreal | ENF | 16 | [63] |
| 181 | US-Wrc | 45.8205 | -121.9520 | Temperate | ENF | >300 | [17] |
| 182 | VU-Coc | -15.4427 | 167.1920 | Tropical | EBF | 20 | [72] |
| 183 | ZA-Kru | -25.0197 | 31.4969 | Temperate | SAV | NA | - |
| 184 | ZA-Map | -23.8325 | 31.2144 | Temperate | SAV | NA | - |
| 185 | ZM-Mon | -15.4378 | 23.2528 | Tropical | WSA | 88 | - |

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S2 Table. RMSE of the *LSTM* setup per PFT and climate region from the ensemble mean mean \pm sd estimate of the 50 runs. Statistics for the anomalies were not calculated in the arid and tropical climate (i.e. NA) because there was no site with at least 2 years of complete data after data quality control.

| | Seasonal cycle | Seasonal anomaly | Across-site | Interannual anomaly |
|------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Deciduous forest | 1.18 \pm 0.03 | 0.61 \pm 0.01 | 0.51 \pm 0.02 | 0.27 \pm 0.007 |
| Evergreen forest | 1.15 \pm 0.02 | 0.58 \pm 0.006 | 0.72 \pm 0.03 | 0.31 \pm 0.006 |
| Mixed forest | 1.10 \pm 0.05 | 0.68 \pm 0.007 | 0.50 \pm 0.08 | 0.37 \pm 0.008 |
| Savanna | 0.75 \pm 0.02 | 0.58 \pm 0.007 | 0.34 \pm 0.09 | 0.19 \pm 0.01 |
| Arid | 0.71 \pm 0.03 | NA | 0.20 \pm 0.07 | NA |
| Boreal | 1.02 \pm 0.02 | 0.45 \pm 0.006 | 0.52 \pm 0.03 | 0.18 \pm 0.004 |
| Temperate | 1.18 \pm 0.02 | 0.71 \pm 0.006 | 0.65 \pm 0.03 | 0.38 \pm 0.006 |
| Tropical | 1.40 \pm 0.08 | NA | 1.03 \pm 0.12 | NA |

S3 Table. MAE of the *LSTM* setup per PFT and climate region from the ensemble mean mean \pm sd estimate of the 50 runs. Statistics for the anomalies were not calculated in the arid and tropical climate (i.e. NA) because there was no site with at least 2 years of complete data after data quality control.

| | Seasonal cycle | Seasonal anomaly | Across-site | Interannual anomaly |
|------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Deciduous forest | 0.86 \pm 0.03 | 0.42 \pm 0.007 | 0.45 \pm 0.02 | 0.20 \pm 0.006 |
| Evergreen forest | 0.83 \pm 0.02 | 0.40 \pm 0.004 | 0.54 \pm 0.03 | 0.20 \pm 0.004 |
| Mixed forest | 0.78 \pm 0.05 | 0.47 \pm 0.006 | 0.43 \pm 0.05 | 0.29 \pm 0.006 |
| Savanna | 0.57 \pm 0.02 | 0.46 \pm 0.007 | 0.22 \pm 0.06 | 0.16 \pm 0.01 |
| Arid | 0.50 \pm 0.03 | NA | 0.16 \pm 0.06 | NA |
| Boreal | 0.68 \pm 0.02 | 0.30 \pm 0.004 | 0.37 \pm 0.02 | 0.14 \pm 0.003 |
| Temperate | 0.89 \pm 0.02 | 0.51 \pm 0.005 | 0.54 \pm 0.02 | 0.28 \pm 0.005 |
| Tropical | 1.12 \pm 0.07 | NA | 0.85 \pm 0.10 | NA |

S4 Table. Coefficient of determination of our proposed approach against the other model set-ups from the ensemble mean mean \pm sd estimate of the 50 runs. *LSTM* = LSTM model using the full depth of the Landsat time series and climate data; *LSTM_{perm}* = *LSTM* model but the temporal patterns of both the predictive and the target variables were randomly permuted while instantaneous relationships between predictive and target variables were kept; *LSTM_{m_{sc}}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their mean seasonal cycle, while using the actual values of air temperature (T_{air}), precipitation (P), global radiation (Rg), and vapor pressure deficit (VPD); *LSTM_{annual}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their annual mean, while using the actual values of T_{air} , P, Rg, and VPD, RF = Random Forest model using the actual values of the Landsat time series and climate data.

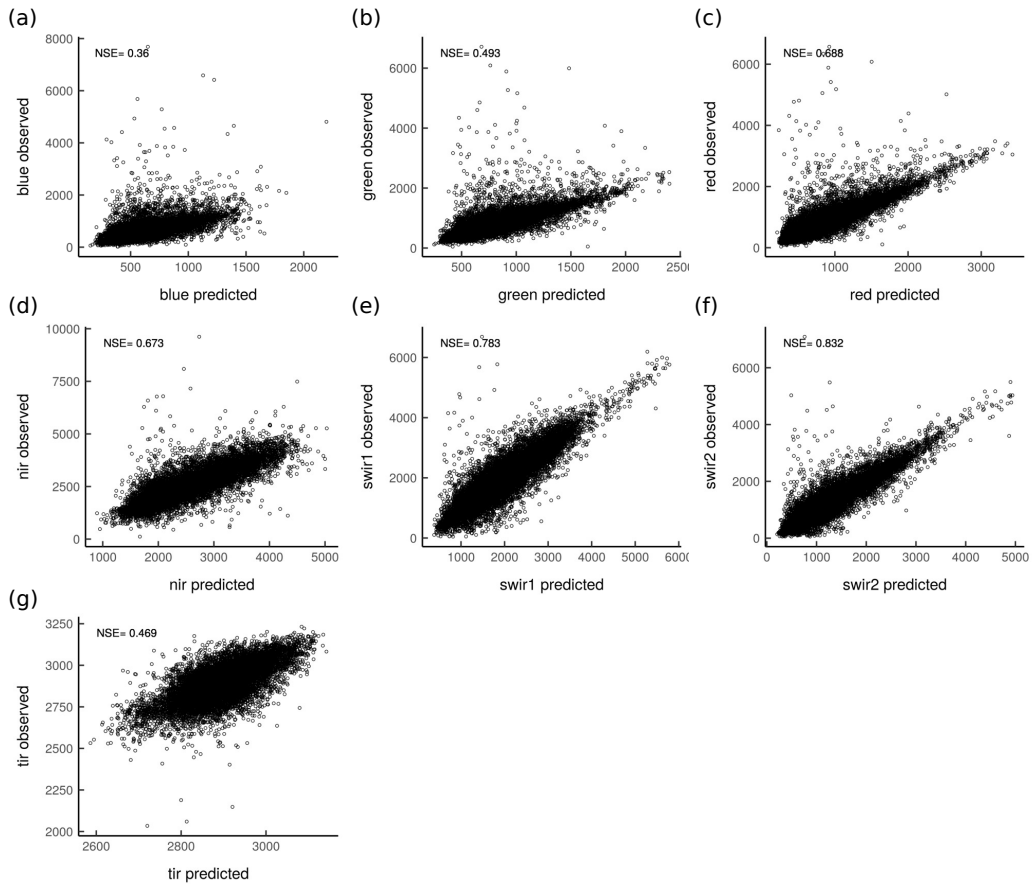
| | Seasonal | Seasonal anomaly | Across-site | Interannual anomaly |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| LSTM | 0.66 ± 0.01 | 0.10 ± 0.006 | 0.43 ± 0.04 | 0.09 ± 0.02 |
| LSTM _{m_{sc}} | 0.64 ± 0.01 | 0.05 ± 0.006 | 0.40 ± 0.04 | 0.02 ± 0.008 |
| LSTM _{annual} | 0.60 ± 0.02 | 0.07 ± 0.008 | 0.37 ± 0.04 | 0.07 ± 0.01 |
| LSTM _{perm} | 0.62 ± 0.01 | 0.08 ± 0.005 | 0.39 ± 0.04 | 0.11 ± 0.02 |
| RF | 0.58 ± 0.00003 | 0.06 ± 0.00003 | 0.39 ± 0.0001 | 0.07 ± 0.0004 |

S5 Table. RMSE of our proposed approach against the other model set-ups from the ensemble mean mean \pm sd estimate of the 50 runs. *LSTM* = LSTM model using the full depth of the Landsat time series and climate data; *LSTM_{perm}* = *LSTM* model but the temporal patterns of both the predictive and the target variables were randomly permuted while instantaneous relationships between predictive and target variables were kept; *LSTM_{m_{sc}}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their mean seasonal cycle, while using the actual values of air temperature (T_{air}), precipitation (P), global radiation (Rg), and vapor pressure deficit (VPD); *LSTM_{annual}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their annual mean, while using the actual values of T_{air} , P, Rg, and VPD, RF = Random Forest model using the actual values of the Landsat time series and climate data.

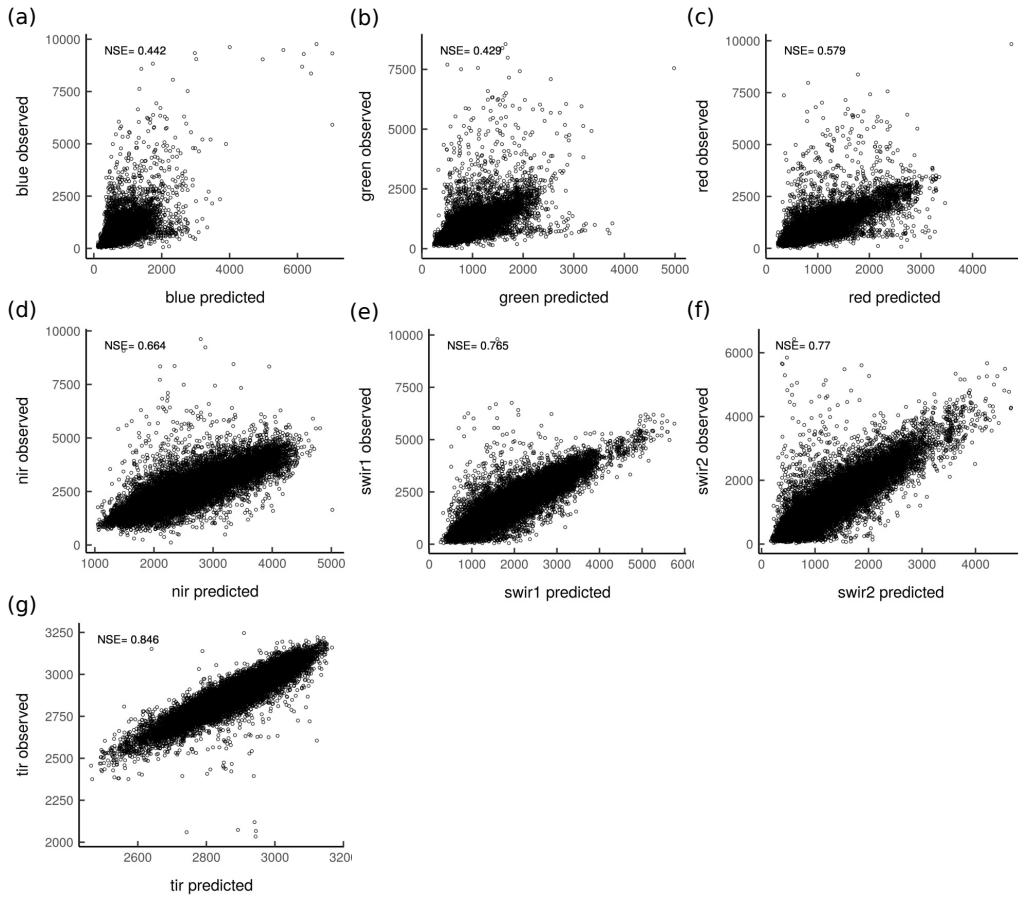
| | Seasonal | Seasonal anomaly | Across-site | Interannual anomaly |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| LSTM | 1.12 \pm 0.02 | 0.61 \pm 0.005 | 0.63 \pm 0.02 | 0.31 \pm 0.004 |
| LSTM _{m_{sc}} | 1.15 \pm 0.01 | 0.61 \pm 0.003 | 0.65 \pm 0.02 | 0.32 \pm 0.002 |
| LSTM _{annual} | 1.23 \pm 0.03 | 0.61 \pm 0.008 | 0.66 \pm 0.02 | 0.32 \pm 0.008 |
| LSTM _{perm} | 1.19 \pm 0.02 | 0.63 \pm 0.005 | 0.65 \pm 0.03 | 0.31 \pm 0.004 |
| RF | 1.25 \pm 0.00006 | 0.72 \pm 0.0002 | 0.65 \pm 0.0001 | 0.33 \pm 0.0001 |

S6 Table. MAE of our proposed approach against the other model set-ups from the ensemble mean mean \pm sd estimate of the 50 runs. *LSTM* = LSTM model using the full depth of the Landsat time series and climate data; *LSTM_{perm}* = *LSTM* model but the temporal patterns of both the predictive and the target variables were randomly permuted while instantaneous relationships between predictive and target variables were kept; *LSTM_{m_{sc}}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their mean seasonal cycle, while using the actual values of air temperature (T_{air}), precipitation (P), global radiation (Rg), and vapor pressure deficit (VPD); *LSTM_{annual}* = *LSTM* model but the Landsat time series for each band were replaced by their annual mean, while using the actual values of T_{air} , P, Rg, and VPD, RF = Random Forest model using the actual values of the Landsat time series and climate data.

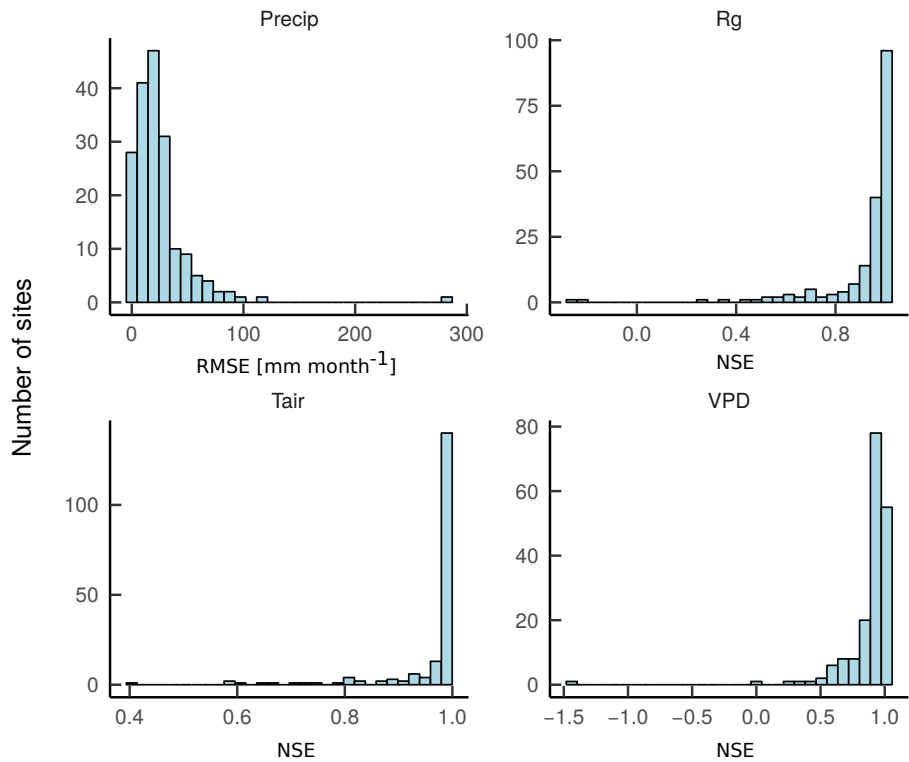
| | Seasonal | Seasonal anomaly | Across-site | Interannual anomaly |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| LSTM | 0.81 \pm 0.01 | 0.42 \pm 0.003 | 0.48 \pm 0.02 | 0.22 \pm 0.003 |
| LSTM _{m_{sc}} | 0.83 \pm 0.01 | 0.42 \pm 0.002 | 0.50 \pm 0.02 | 0.22 \pm 0.002 |
| LSTM _{annual} | 0.89 \pm 0.02 | 0.42 \pm 0.006 | 0.51 \pm 0.02 | 0.22 \pm 0.006 |
| LSTM _{perm} | 0.86 \pm 0.01 | 0.43 \pm 0.003 | 0.50 \pm 0.02 | 0.22 \pm 0.003 |
| RF | 0.91 \pm 0.00004 | 0.51 \pm 0.00008 | 0.51 \pm 0.0001 | 0.24 \pm 0.00009 |



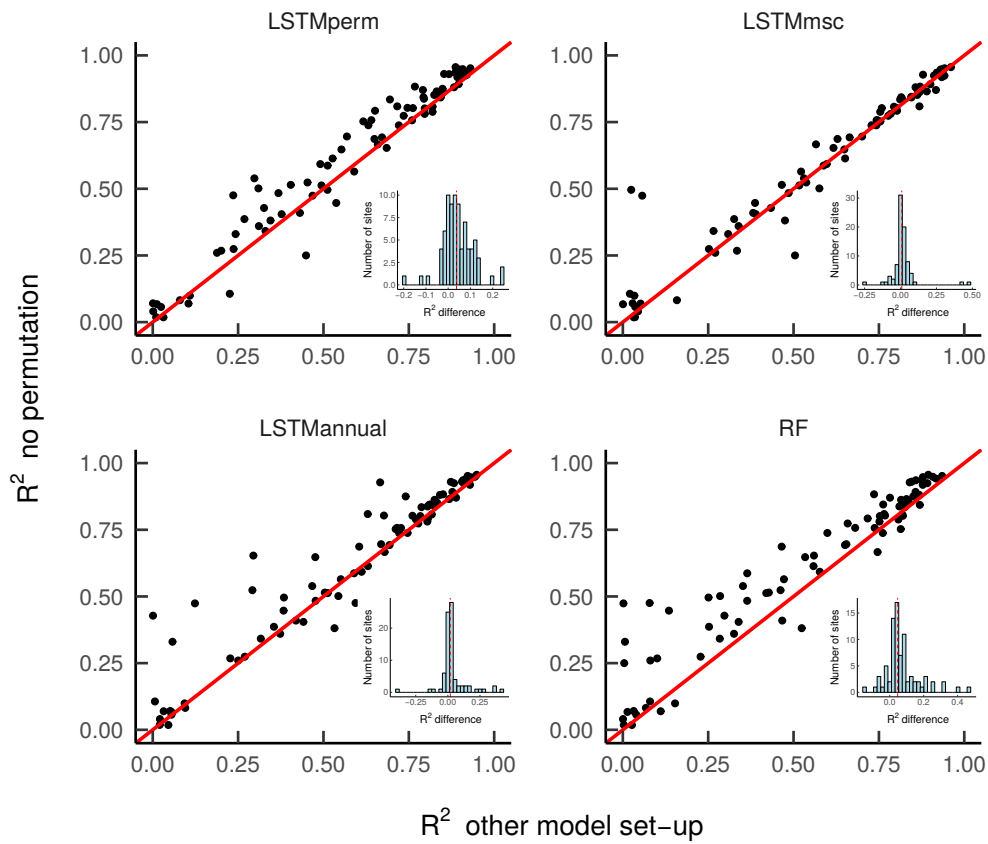
S1 Fig. Performance of the gap-filling procedure of each Landsat band using a Random Forest model and the MODIS bands as predictive variables. The model was trained on 70% of the data and evaluated on 30% of the left out data. nir = near-infrared, swir1 = shortwave infrared 1, swir2 = shortwave infrared 2, and tir = thermal infrared.



S2 Fig. Performance of the gap-filling procedure of each Landsat band using a Random Forest model and climate variables (i.e. T_{air} , Precip, R_g , VPD, r_{pot}), PFT, month of the year, and latitude as predictive variables. The model was trained on 70% of the data and evaluated on 30% of the left out data. nir = near-infrared, swir1 = shortwave infrared 1, swir2 = shortwave infrared 2, and tir = thermal infrared.



S3 Fig. Performance of the gap-filling procedure for the different climate variables. Assessment of the gap-filling procedure was done for T_{air} , Precip, Rg, and VPD. For T_{air} , Rg, and VPD, the Nash-Sutcliffe efficiency (NSE) is reported, while the root mean squared error (RMSE) is reported for Precip.



S4 Fig. Scatterplots of the coefficient of determination of the proposed approach against the other model set-ups at site level. The coefficient of determination was computed using monthly observed and predicted NEE estimates for each site. Each point represents one site and only the sites with at least one complete year of good quality data (n site = 81) are shown.