

# Diva workshop 2013

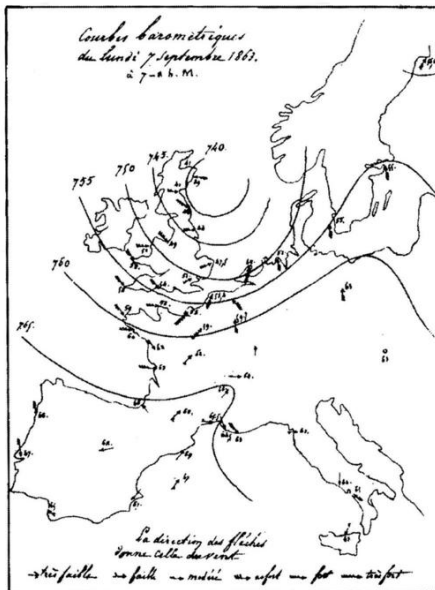
## Diva in 2 dimensions

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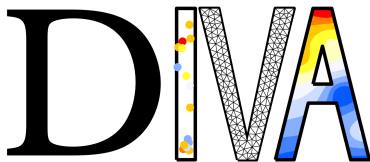


# Interpolation 150 years ago...



# What is Diva?

**Data**  
**Interpolating**  
**Variational**  
**Analysis**



## What is Diva?

- a method to produce gridded fields
- a set of bash scripts and Fortran programs

## What is not Diva?

- a plotting tool
- a *black-box*
- a numerical model

# A little bit of history

## Code development (1990-1996)

- Variational Inverse Method (VIM) (Brasseur, 1991, JMS, JGR)
- cross-validation (Brankart and Brasseur, 1996, JAOT)
- error computation (Brankart and Brasseur, 1998, JMS; Rixen et al., 2000, OM)

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- set of bash scripts (divamesh, divacalc,...)
- Fortran executables
- parameters optimization tools
- Matlab/Octave scripts for plotting

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- superposition of 2D layers
- automated treatment and optimization
- stability constraint ([Ouberdous et al.](#))

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4D-analysis (2008-2009)

- start from ODV spreadsheet
- *detrending* (with J. Carstensen, DMU)
- NetCDF 4-D climatology files

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- On-line analysis (Barth et al., 2010, Adv. Geosci.)  
<http://gher-diva.phys.ulg.ac.be/web-vis/diva.html>
- Climatology viewer: <http://gher-diva.phys.ulg.ac.be/web-vis/clim.html>



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2011-2012

- multivariate approach
- data transformation tools
- 4-D graphical interface
- implementation of *source/decay* terms
- advanced error computation (Troupin et al., 2012, OM)

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On-going:

- Modernisation of the code structure
- 4-dimensional generalisation
- Spatially correlated observations errors

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On-going:

General: user-driven developments

# Diva related tools

**Diva:** base tool (command line), 2D analysis

**Godiva:** automatic repetition of 2D analysis

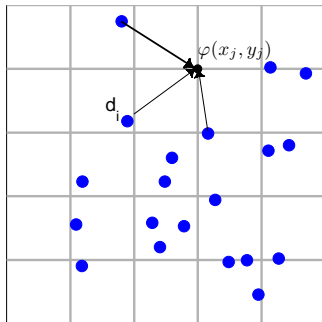
**Diva-on-web:** 2D analysis with your data on our server

**OceanBrowser:** visualisation tool of 4D NetCDF files

**divand:** multi-dimension analysis (lon, lat, time, depth)

# DIVA: Data-Interpolating Variational Analysis

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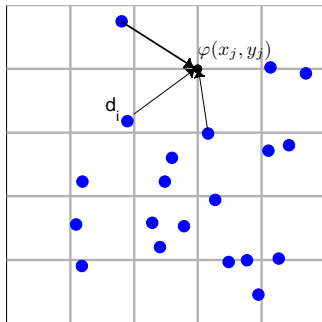


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$$+ \int_D (\nabla \nabla \varphi : \nabla \nabla \varphi + \alpha_1 \nabla \varphi \cdot \nabla \varphi + \alpha_0 \varphi^2) \, dD \quad \text{field regularity}$$

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Coefficients  $\alpha_0$ ,  $\alpha_1$  and  $\mu_i$  related to

- 1 Correlation length  $L$
- 2 Signal-to-noise  $\lambda$
- 3 Observational noise standard deviation  $\epsilon_i^2$

# Main analysis parameters

## Correlation length $L$ :

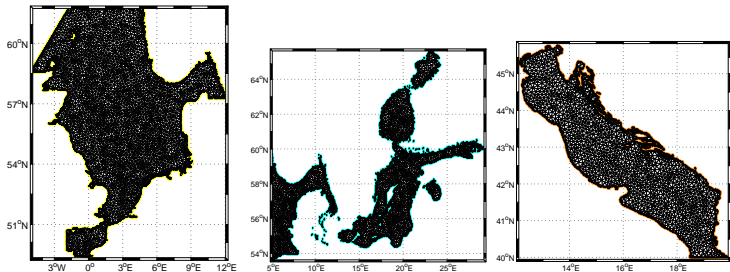
- Measure of the *influence* of data points
- Estimated by a least-square fit of the covariance function

## Signal-to-noise ratio $\lambda$ :

- Measure of the *confidence* in data
- Estimated with Generalized Cross Validation techniques

# Minimization with a finite-element method

Field regularity → plate bending problem → finite-element solver



## Advantages:

- boundaries taken into account
- numerical cost (almost independent on data number)
- no *a posteriori* masking

# Minimization with a finite-element method

Triangular FE only covers sea:  $J[\varphi] = \sum_{e=1}^{N_e} J_e(\varphi_e)$  (3)

In each element:  $\varphi_e(\mathbf{r}_e) = \mathbf{q}_e^T \mathbf{s}(\mathbf{r}_e)$  with  $\begin{cases} \mathbf{s} & \rightarrow \text{shape functions} \\ \mathbf{q} & \rightarrow \text{connectors} \\ \mathbf{r}_e & \rightarrow \text{position} \end{cases}$  (4)

(4) in (3) + variational principle

$$J_e(\mathbf{q}_e) = \mathbf{q}_e^T \mathbf{K}_e \mathbf{q}_e - 2\mathbf{q}_e^T \mathbf{g}_e + \sum_{i=1}^{N_{de}} \mu_i d_i \quad (5)$$

where  $\begin{cases} \mathbf{K}_e & \rightarrow \text{local stiffness matrix} \\ \mathbf{g} & \rightarrow \text{vector depending on local data} \end{cases}$

# Minimization with a finite-element method

On the whole domain:

$$J(\mathbf{q}) = \mathbf{q}^T \mathbf{K} \mathbf{q} - 2\mathbf{q}^T \mathbf{g} + \sum_{i=1}^{N_d} \mu_i d_i \quad (3)$$

Minimum:

$$\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{g} \quad (4)$$

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- Stiffness matrix
- Connectors (new unknowns)
- Charge vector

Mapping of data on FEM  $\rightarrow$  transfer operator  $\mathbf{T}_2 \rightarrow \mathbf{g} = \mathbf{T}_2(\mathbf{r})\mathbf{d}$

Solution at any location  $\rightarrow$  transfer operator  $\mathbf{T}_1 \rightarrow \varphi(\mathbf{r}) = \mathbf{T}_1(\mathbf{r})\mathbf{q}$

Results obtained at any location  $\rightarrow \varphi = \mathbf{T}_1(\mathbf{r})\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{T}_2(\mathbf{r})\mathbf{d}$



# Diva Cocktail Recipe

## Ingredients:

- 1 1/2 oz vodka
- 1/2 oz passion-fruit juice
- 1/2 oz lime juice
- 1 tbsp cherry juice
- fill with soda



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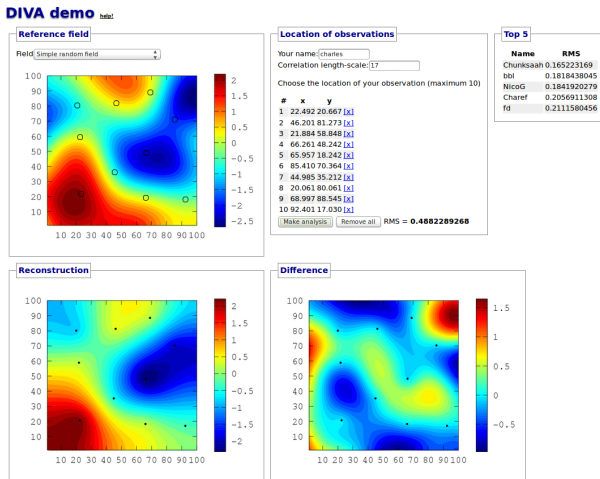
## Ingredients:

- Smoothness
- Observation constraint
- Behaviour constraint



# Want to use Diva?

Playing...

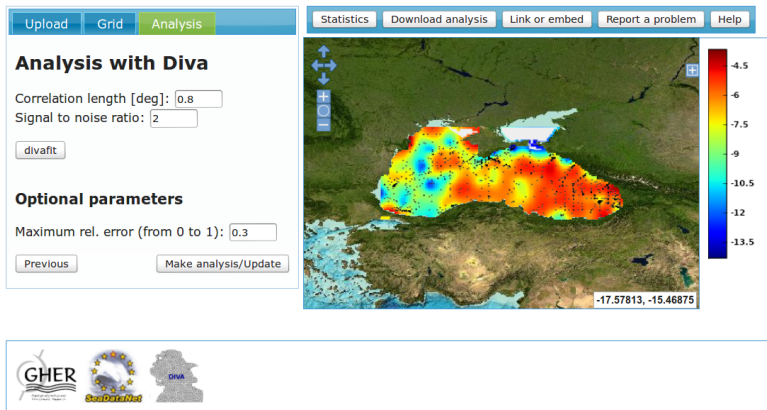


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[http://data-assimilation.net/Tools/divand\\_demo/html/](http://data-assimilation.net/Tools/divand_demo/html/)

# Want to use Diva?

With your own data. . .



<http://gher-diva.phys.ulg.ac.be/web-vis/diva.html> or ODV

# Want to use Diva?

For serious work:

**2D version** (for production), open source, GPL

**nD version** (for research), open source, GPL

```
Terminal
File Edit View Search Terminal Help

#####
ready to run diva.a
#####
#####
0.1 V.A. = 4.0 s = Execution time ...
#####

#####
CALL TO COORD MODULE: IPI = 1
#####

Coordinate change      0

#####
CALL TO MATHPR MODULE: IPI = 1
#####

Finite element type      =      2
Symetric problem : isym =      0
Problem type :          ipb =      2
Parameter alpha = 1.0000000000000000
Parameter alpha = 2.0000000000000000

#####
CALL TO TOPOLG MODULE: IPI = 1
#####

Total number of vertex nodes : 13949
Total number of interfaces : 41444
Total number of nodes : 55293
Total number of elements : 27406
Total number of deg. of frd. : 83291

#####
CALL TO DATAPR MODULE: IPI = 1
#####

Total number of data constraint : ndata =      1
*** Optimisation in working 2 ***

#####
There are      0 data NON localized in the mesh (and ignored)
#####
No need to sort a single data point

#####
There are      1 data localized in the mesh (and reorted)
#####

#####
CALL TO SOLVER MODULE: IPI = 1
#####

into solver      1
== Skyline direct solver ==
```

<http://modb.oce.ulg.ac.be/mediawiki/index.php/DIVA>

# Running Diva in 2D: input files

1 `data.dat`: contains the observations

lon|lat|value

```
36.5500 45.163 17.7138
33.7500 44.167 18.135
32.7500 44.167 18.51
36.2500 43.833 18.5892
33.2500 45.083 18.2326
32.7833 43.917 18.477
32.7500 43.500 18.59
37.2433 44.833 18.1555
36.5000 44.000 18.19
35.8333 43.750 18.62
34.2500 43.832 18.29
35.6500 44.000 18.75
38.0000 44.000 18.155
37.8200 44.368 17.1916
39.0000 42.500 18.23
33.1333 44.433 18.001
33.0500 44.433 18.09
33.2500 44.167 18.231
32.5333 44.833 18.014
38.0167 44.447 18.0568
```

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- 1 `data.dat`: contains the observations lon|lat|value
- 2 `coast.cont`: delimits land and sea (coastline or isobaths)

```
7
552
27.4375000 40.3499985
27.4500008 40.3375015
27.4666672 40.3375015
27.4833336 40.3375015
27.5000000 40.3375015
27.5166664 40.3375015
27.5333328 40.3375015
27.5499992 40.3375015
27.5666676 40.3375015
27.5791664 40.3499985
27.5833340 40.3541679
27.6000004 40.3541679
27.6124992 40.3666649
27.6166668 40.3708344
27.6291676 40.3833351
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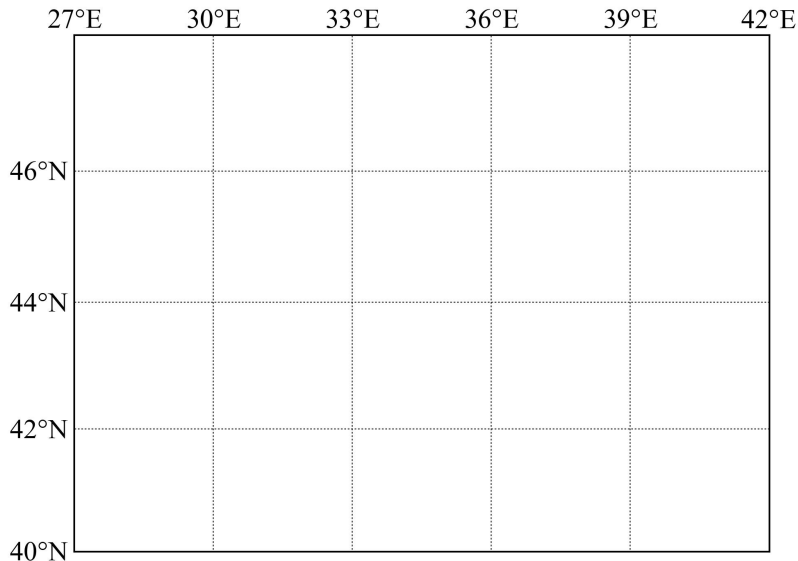
- 1 `data.dat`: contains the observations lon|lat|value
- 2 `coast.cont`: delimits land and sea (coastline or isobaths)
- 3 `param.par`: analysis parameters  $L$ ,  $\lambda$ , resolution, ...

```
# Lc: correlation length (in units coherent with your data)#
1.5
# lcoordchange (=0 if no change of coordinates is to be performed; =1 if positions are in degree
2
# ispec: output files required#
0
# ireg: mode selected for background field: 0=null guess; 1=mean of data; 2=regression plan if a
2
# xori: x-coordinate of the first grid point of the output#
27
# yori: y-coordinate of the first grid point of the output#
40
# dx: step of output grid#
0.1
# dy: step of output grid#
0.1
# nx: number of grid points in the x-direction#
151
# ny: number of grid points in the y-direction#
76
# valex: exclusion value#
-99
# snr: signal to noise ratio of the whole dataset#
0.5
# varbak: variance of the background field. If zero, no error fields are produced. If one, relat
1.0
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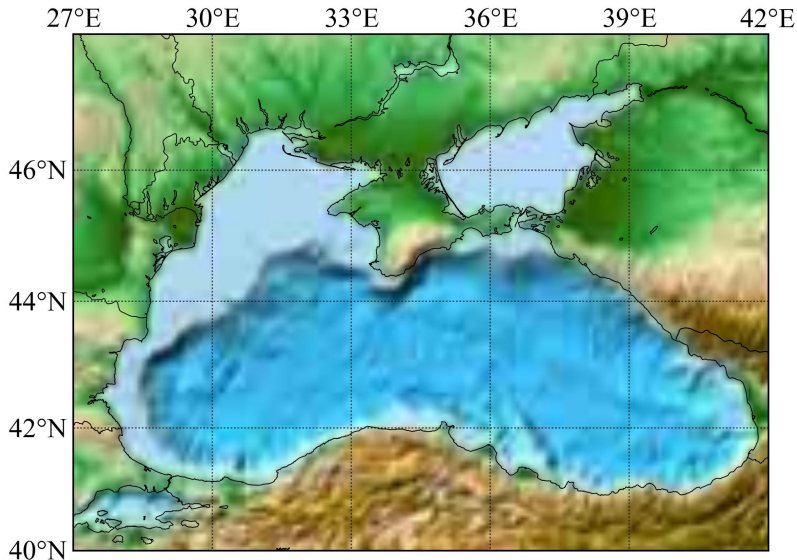
# Workflow in 2D

Select region of study



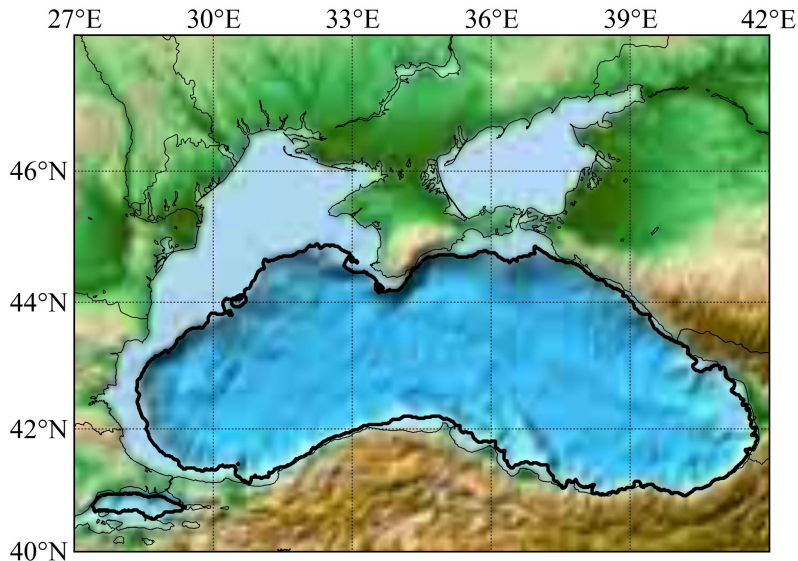
# Workflow in 2D

Extract **topography**



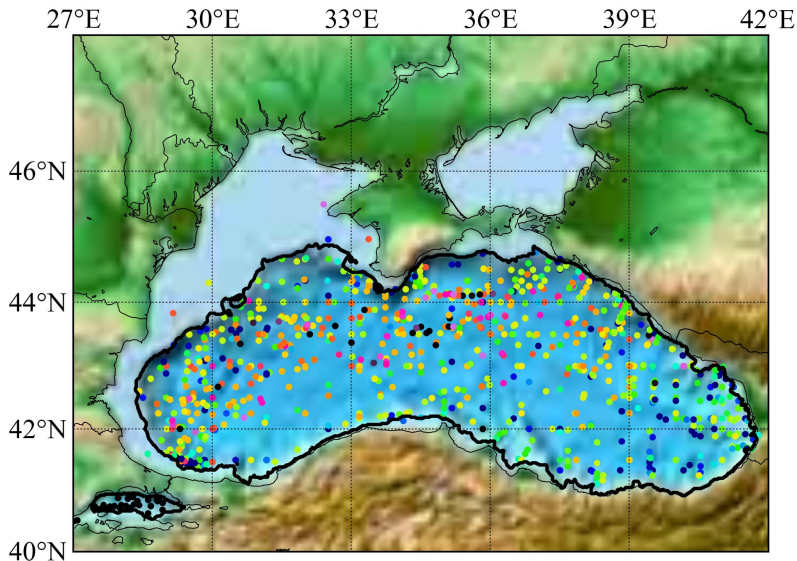
# Workflow in 2D

Generate contour



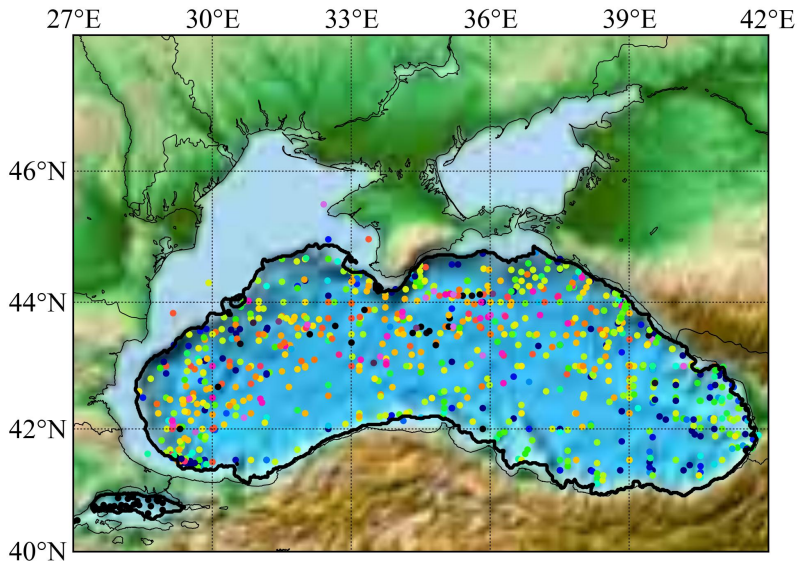
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Extract data



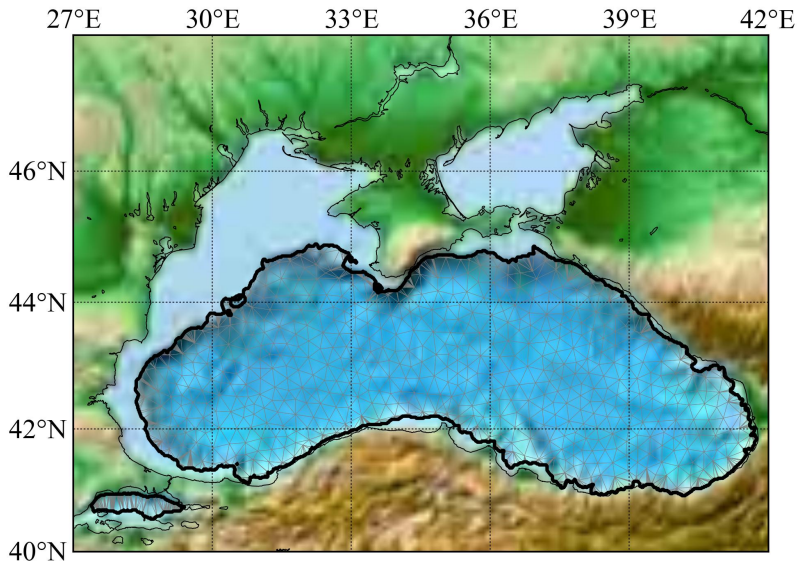
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Evaluate analysis parameters



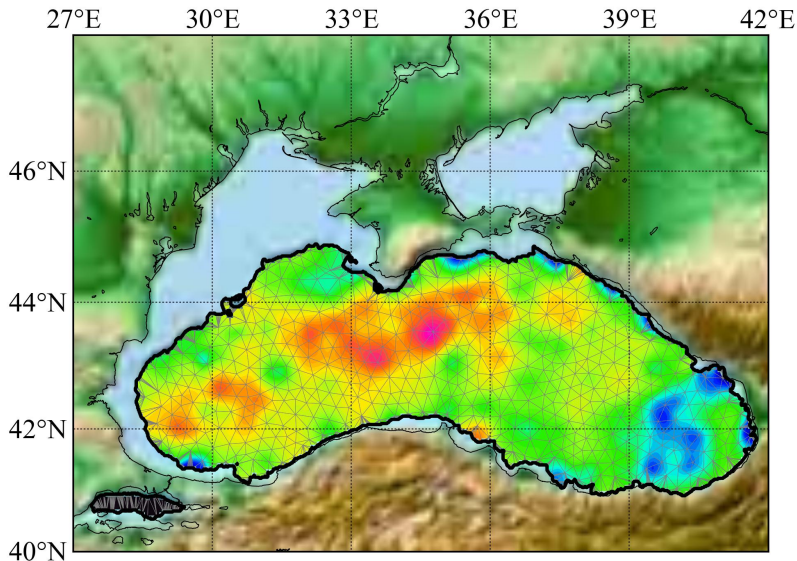
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Create finite-element **mesh**



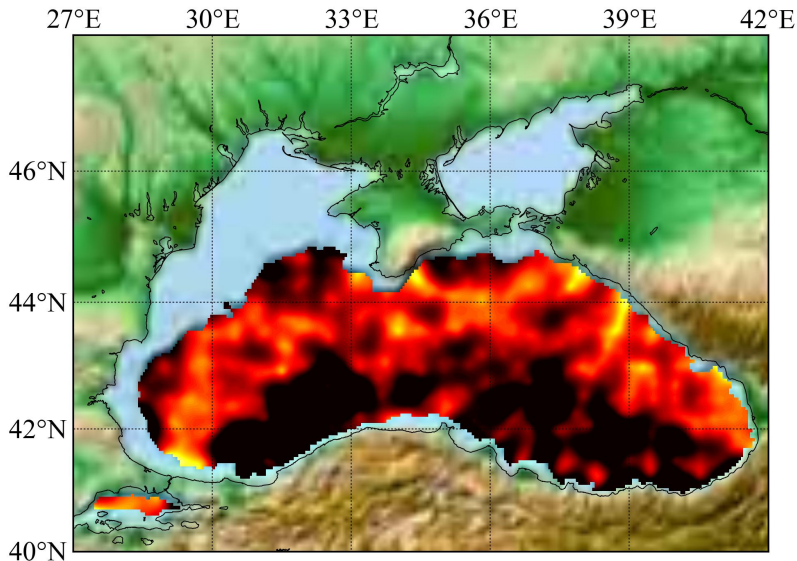
# Workflow in 2D

Generate analysis



# Workflow in 2D

Generate **error** field





Next...

## Diva in 4 dimensions