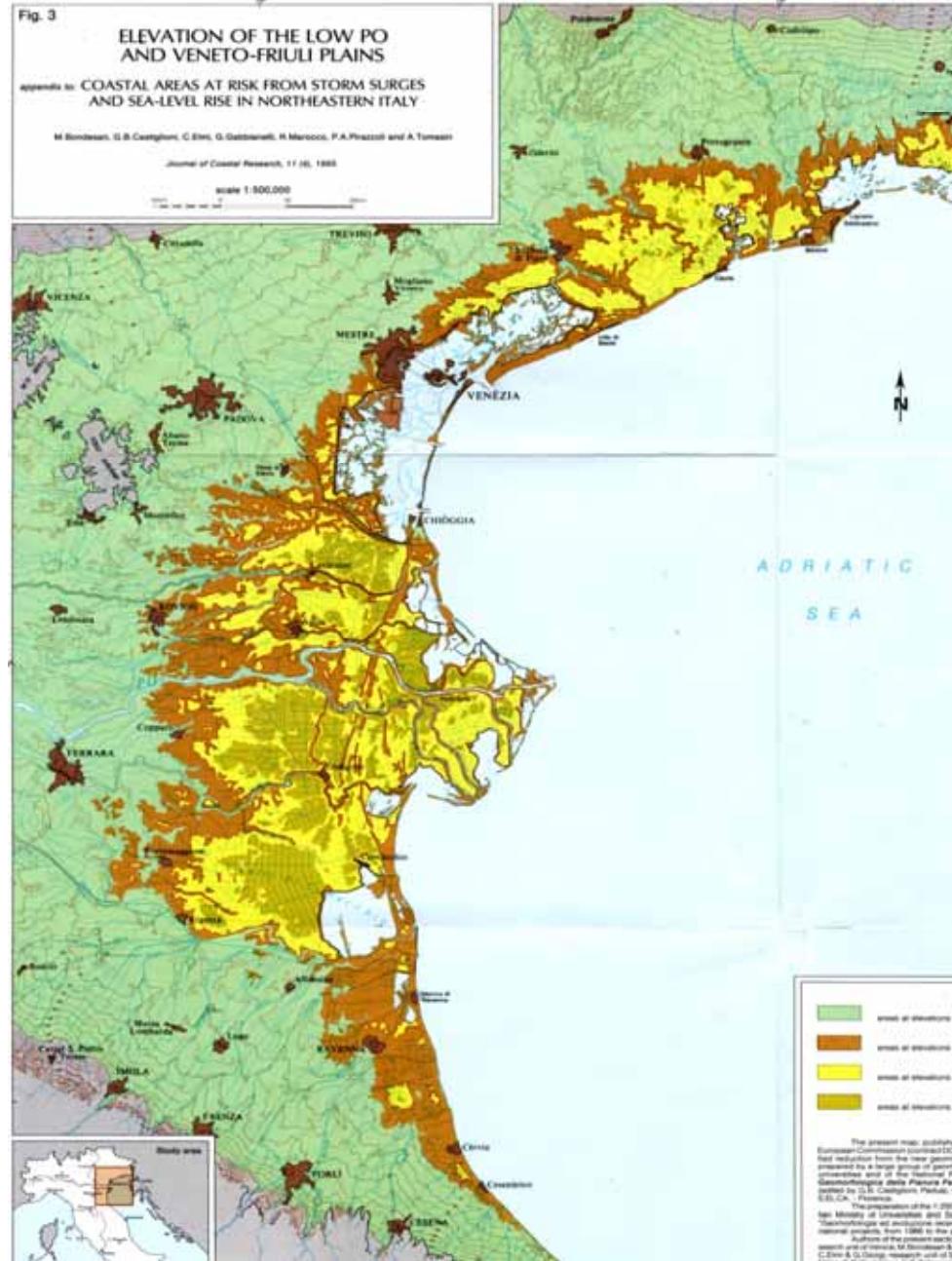


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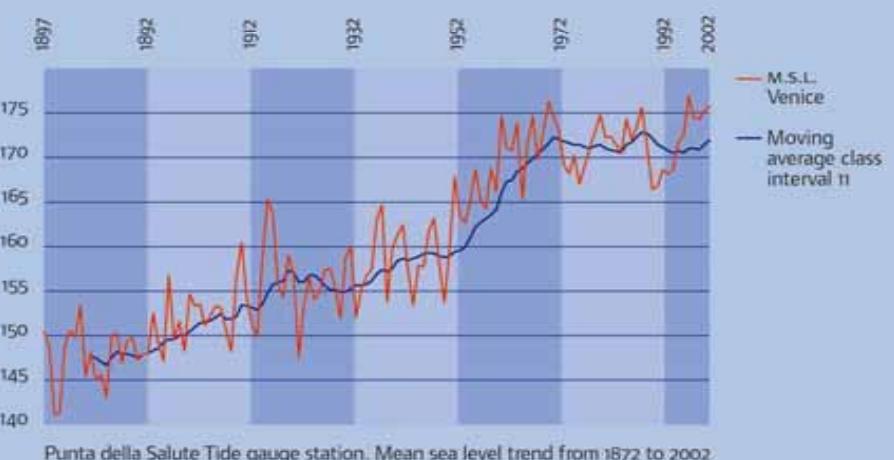
Northern Adriatic coastline under mean sea level

- 300 km coastline
- 2.375 km² under mean sea level
- ~ 1.000 km² lagoons and estuarine areas

PUNTA DELLA SALUTE
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VARIATIONS OF ALTIMETRIC
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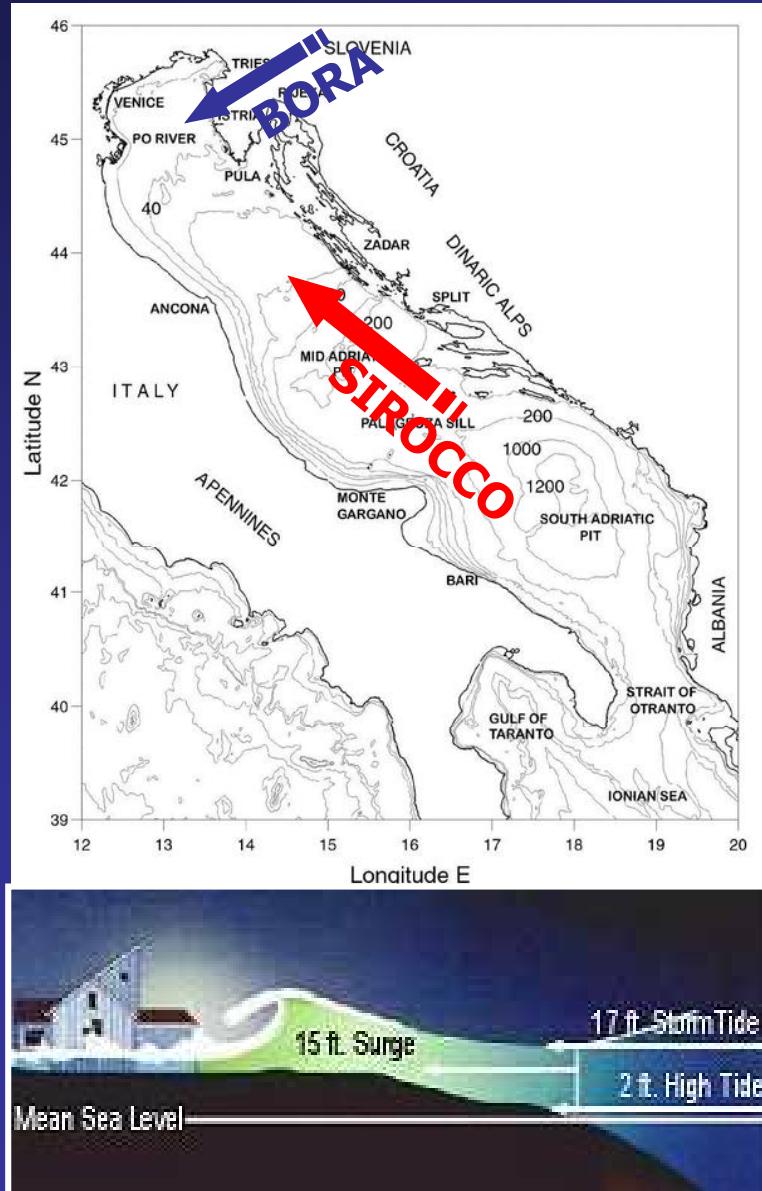


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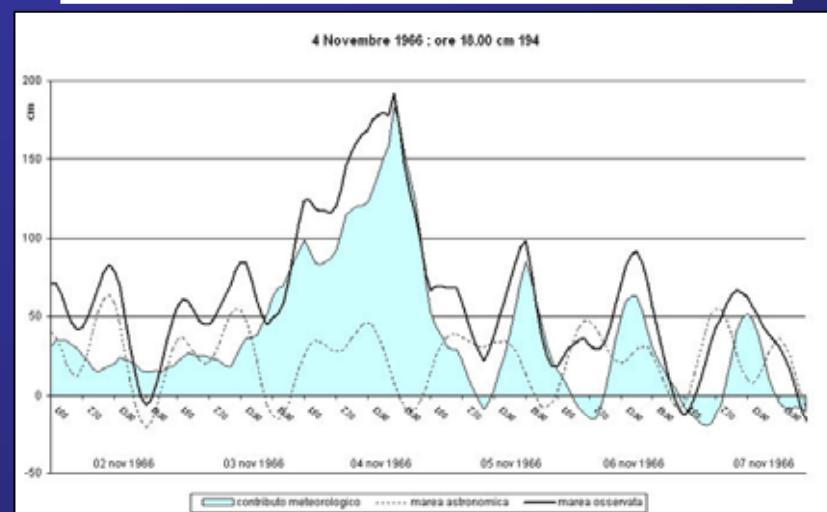


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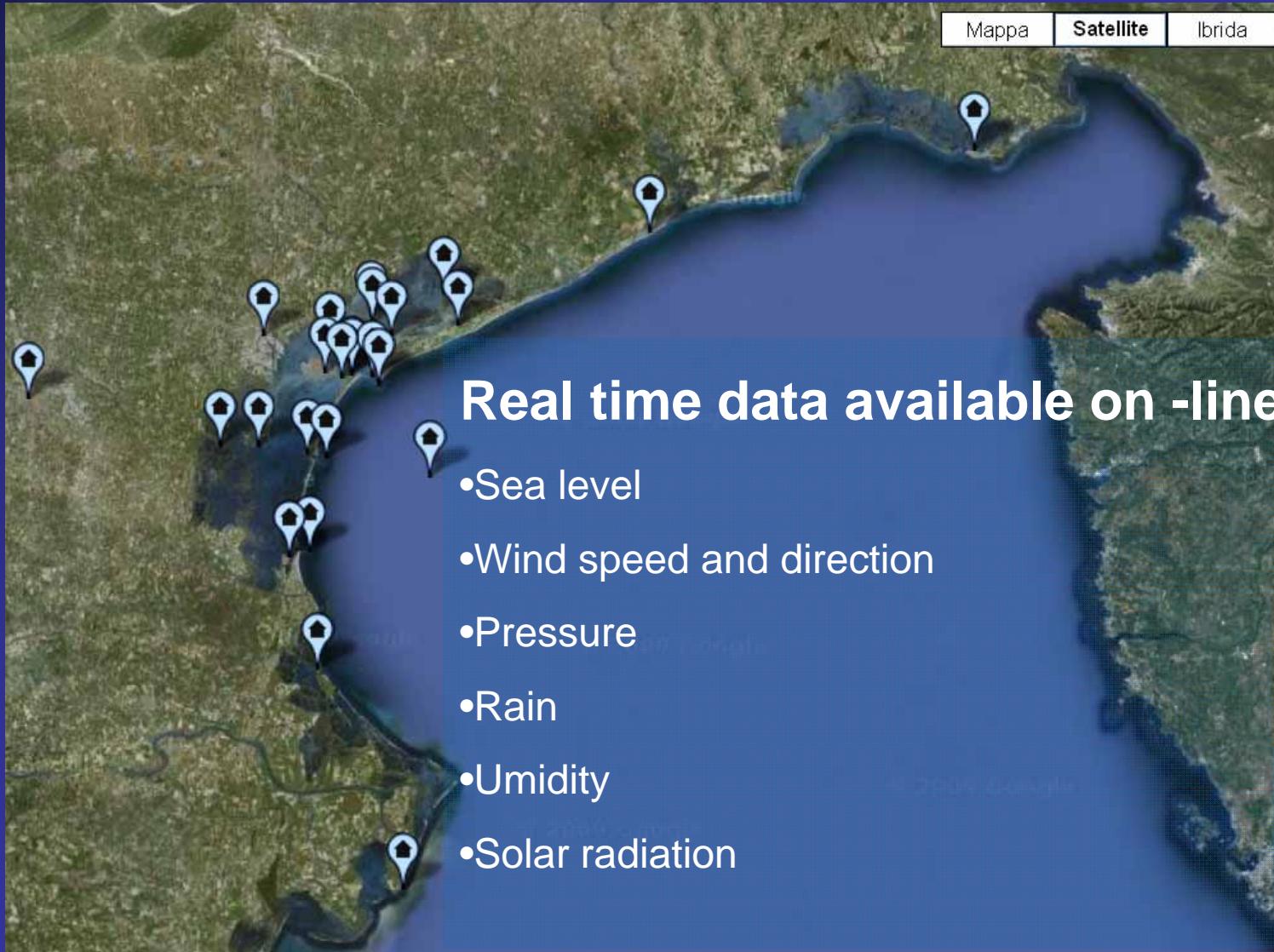
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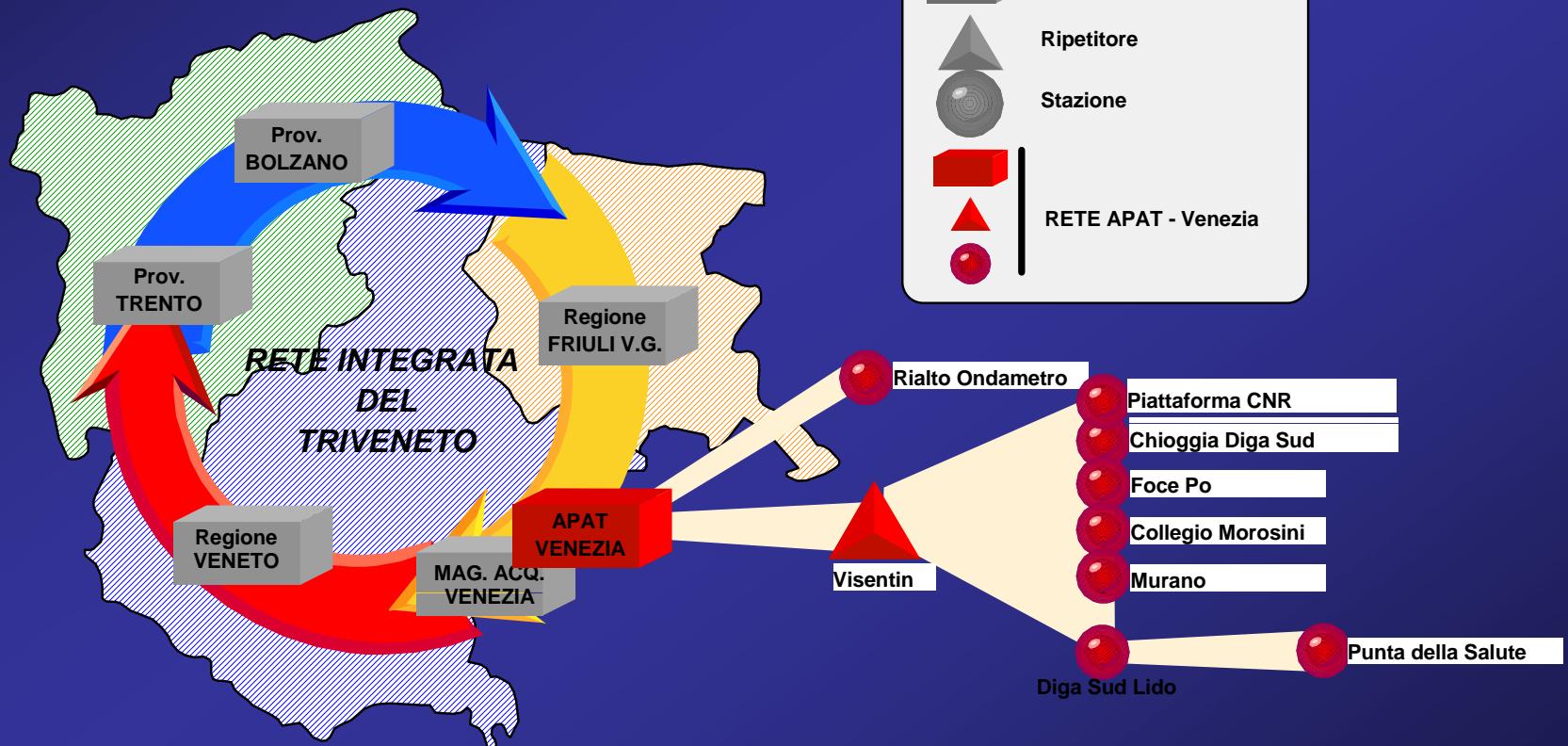
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CIVIL PROTECTION SYSTEM: THE REAL TIME DATA SHARING



The ISPRA tide gauge network - 2

- Internet site:
www.mareografico.it
- Real time data:
 - sea level
 - air temperature
 - water temperature
 - atmospheric pressure
 - wind speed and direction





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Wave buoys



*Data available
online:*

www.idromare.it

DATA REGISTERED

- Significant wave
- Time period
- Wave direction
- Water temperature



ISPRA – Venice Lagoon main activities

HIGH TIDE MONITORING SYSTEM

- 1) Alerting system on short term basis
- 2) Analysis of long term processes and dissemination of information



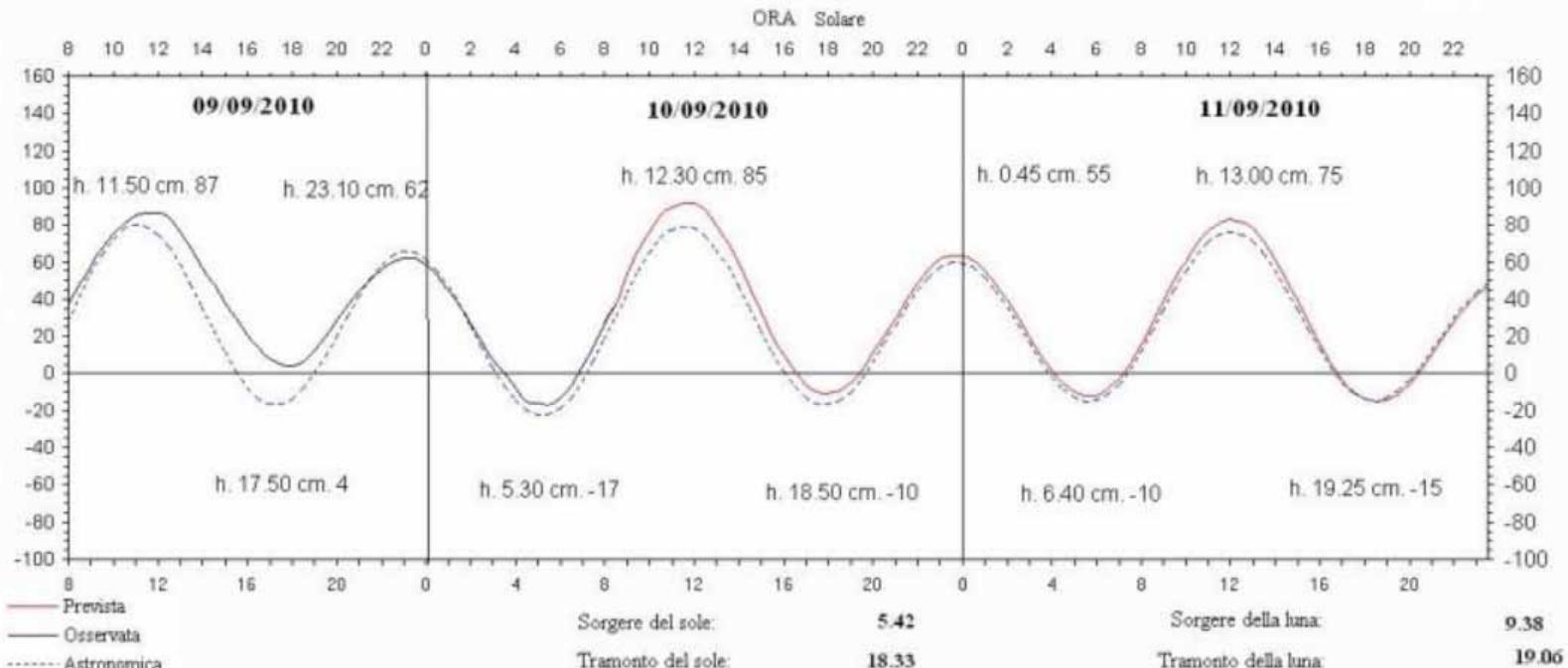
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CURVA DI MAREA PREVISTA PER PUNTA DELLA SALUTE

10/09/2010

RIFERITA ALLO ZERO MAREOGRAFICO DI PUNTA DELLA SALUTE

BOLLETTINO N. 253



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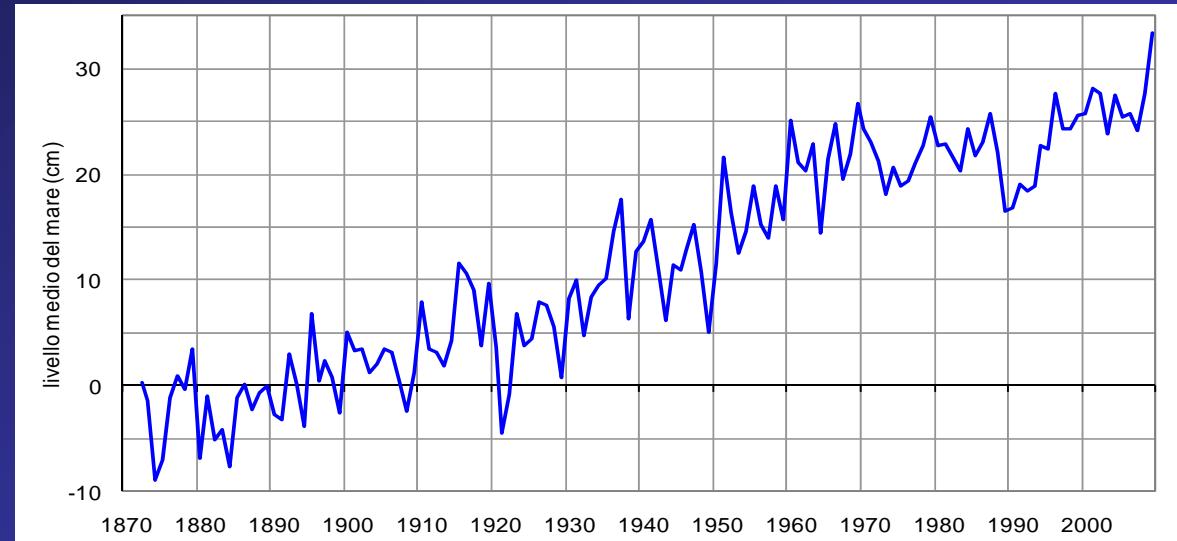
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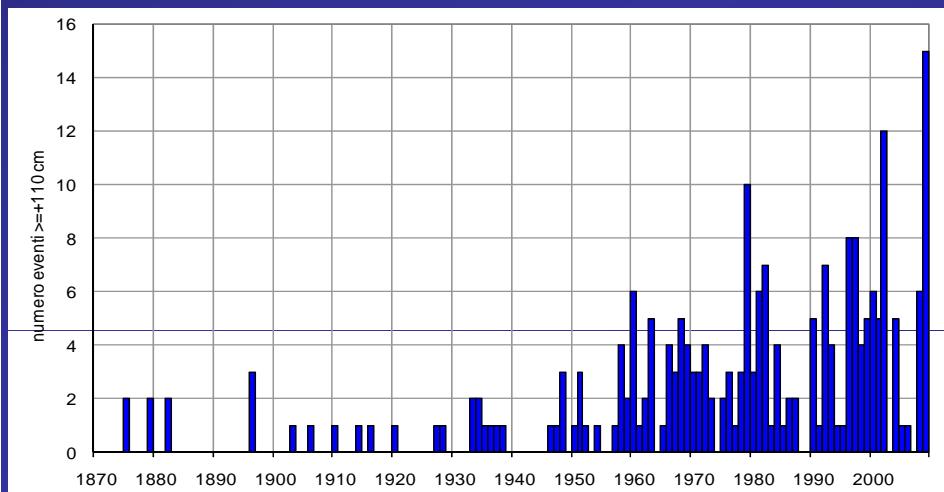
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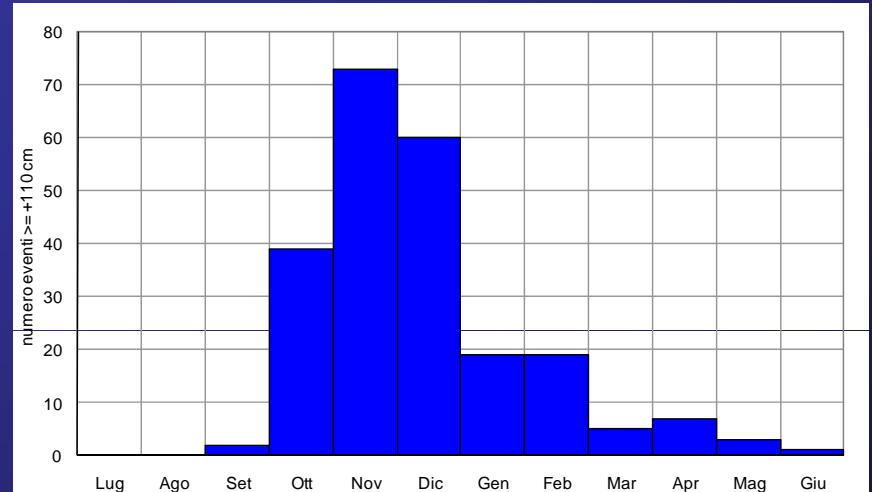
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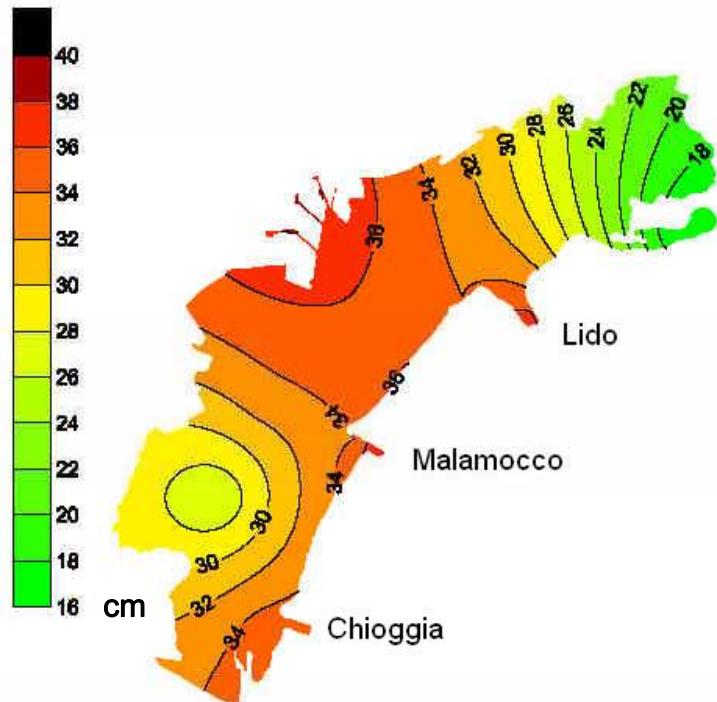


Astronomical tide amplitudes

Beginning XX century

Tide gauges: 12

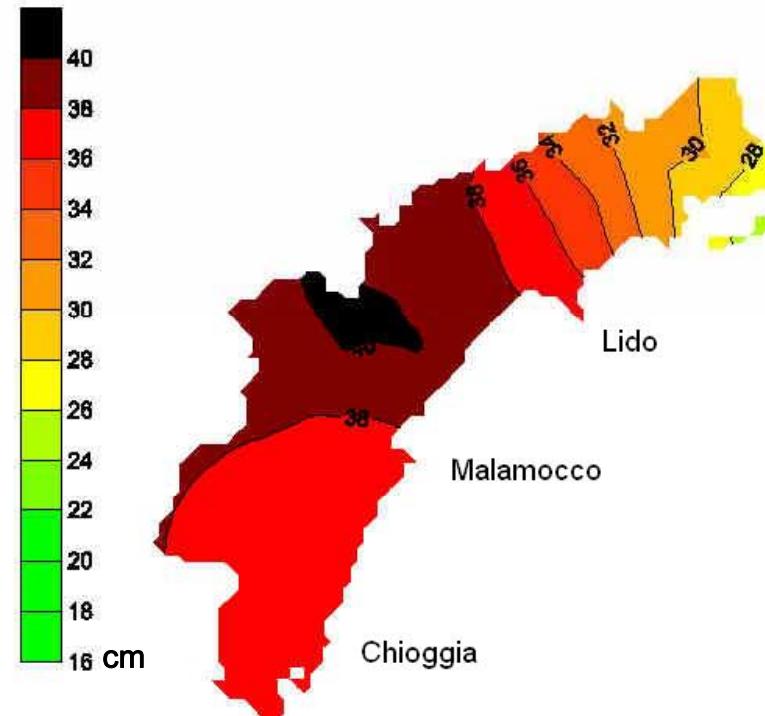
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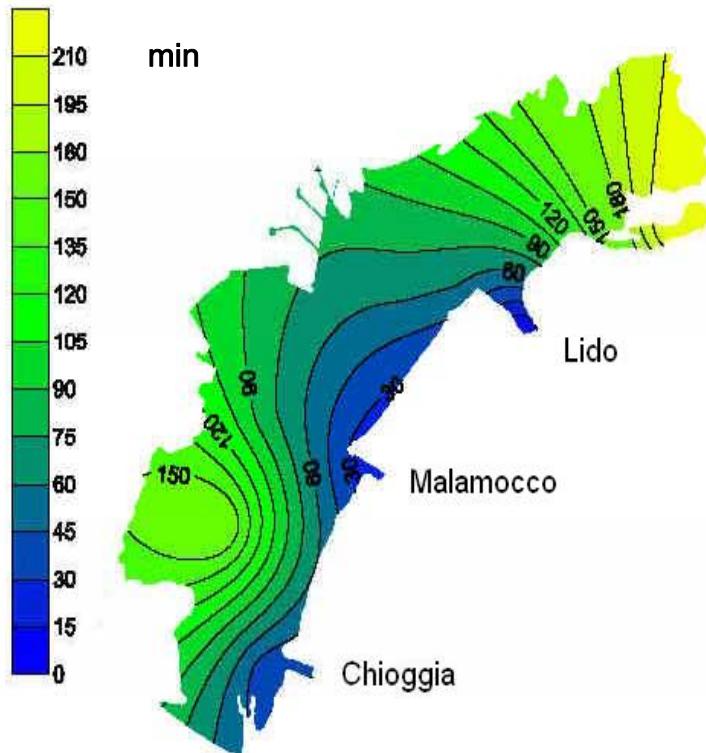


Tide propagation delays

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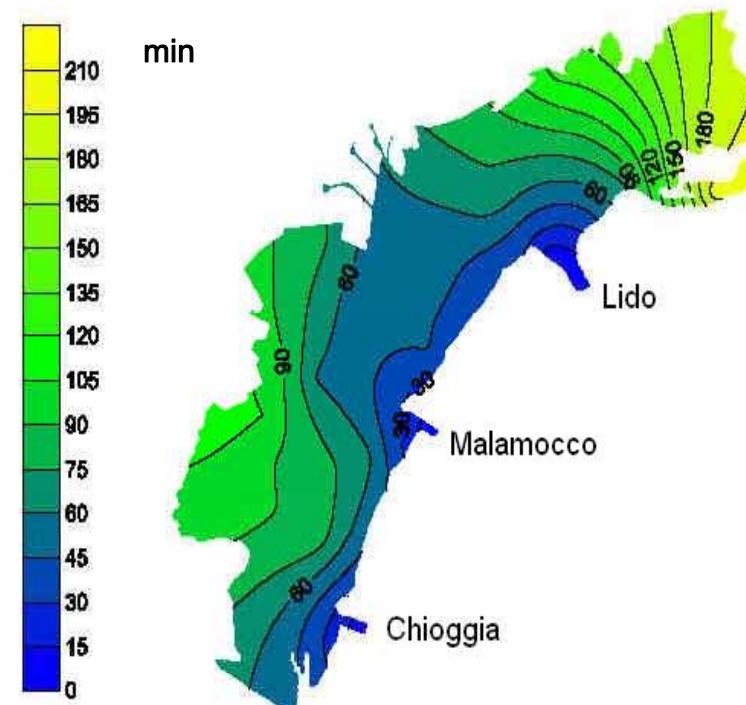
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