# Selected stations for building Mediterranean long-term climate datasets from Croatia



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#### Data rescue and data storage

- Computer data processing and storage were introduced in Belgrade, former Yugoslavia, in 1968 and were there till 1980;
- At the very beginning, the data were stored as punch cards – technology was changed and part of data were lost; There is no complete data series from 1968 to 1980;
- In 1981 computer data processing of climatological data (7, 14 and 21 local time) of the main and climatological stations were started in Zagreb;



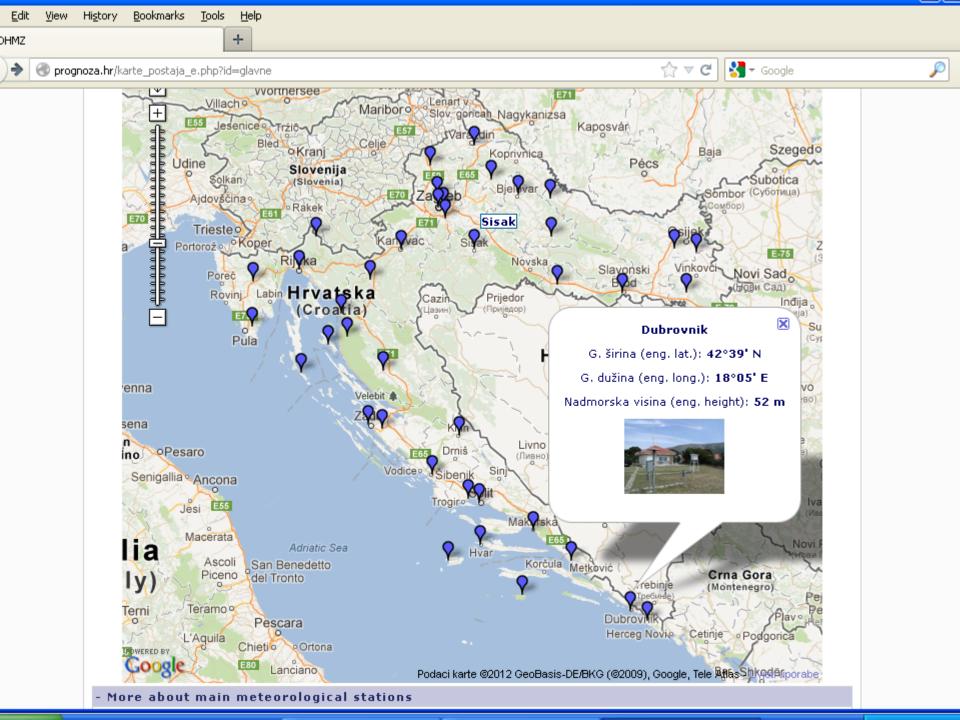
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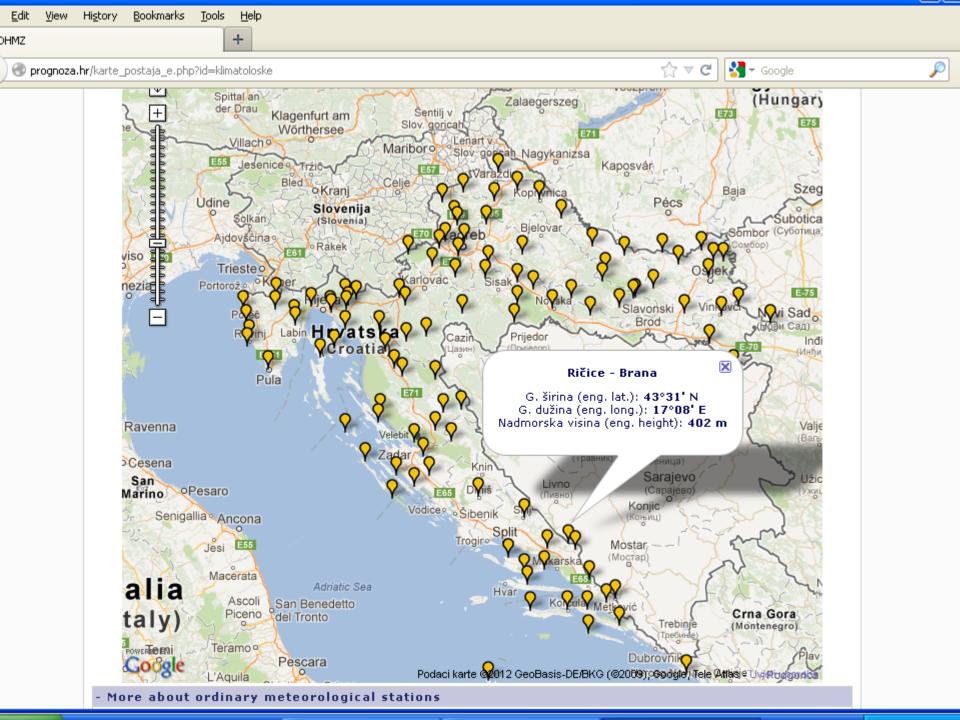
- In 1991 computer data processing of all precipitation stations were started;
- In the same year data entry of the hourly values of different meteorological elements were carried out;
- Once the quality control is done the data are stored into the data base;
- Until 1999 all controlled and processed data have been stored into the Micro Vax computer;
- Since 1999 the data have been stored into the UNIX operational system;



#### Data rescue and data storage

- Data from main, automatic and radiosonde stations are received in digital form in real-time;
- Climatological and precipitations stations data are operationally digitized from paper observation forms on a monthly basis;
- Historical data (climatological data before 1981, and precipitation data before 1991) are digitized as much as we can or on request;
- We estimate that between 50 and 60% of historical observations are in digital formats;





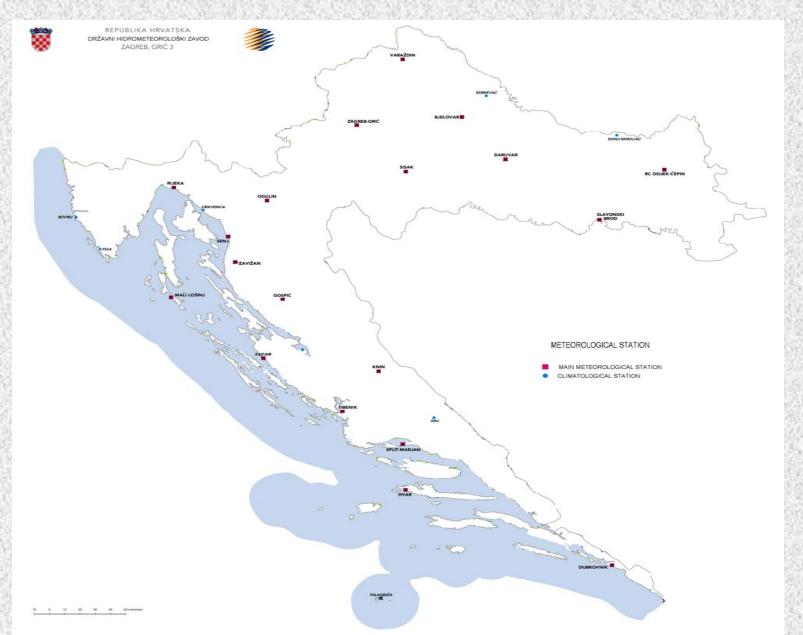


#### Selection of stations

- Stations are selected according requested criteria (temporal and spatial coverage, long term continuity...)
- All digitized data are quality controlled, but not homogenized;
- There are some experience with homogenization data (temperature and precipitation), but we do not apply procedure on regularly basis;
- 26 stations are selected from all over the country;



# Selected stations from Croatia





## Selected stations – basic information

SELECTED STATIONS FOR MEDARE DATABASE - DAILY VALUES OF TEMPERATURE AND PRECIPITATION AND HOURLY VALUES OF AIR PRESSURE

	Station: Bjelovar	Missing data			Lat 45°55′	Long 16° 51′	
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Mean temp	1949-01-01 2011-12-31				313	A THE	150
Precipitation	1949-01-01 2011-12-31						47/67
Air pressure	2001-02-01 2011-12-31			1952-04-01 2000-12-31		2312	13/4

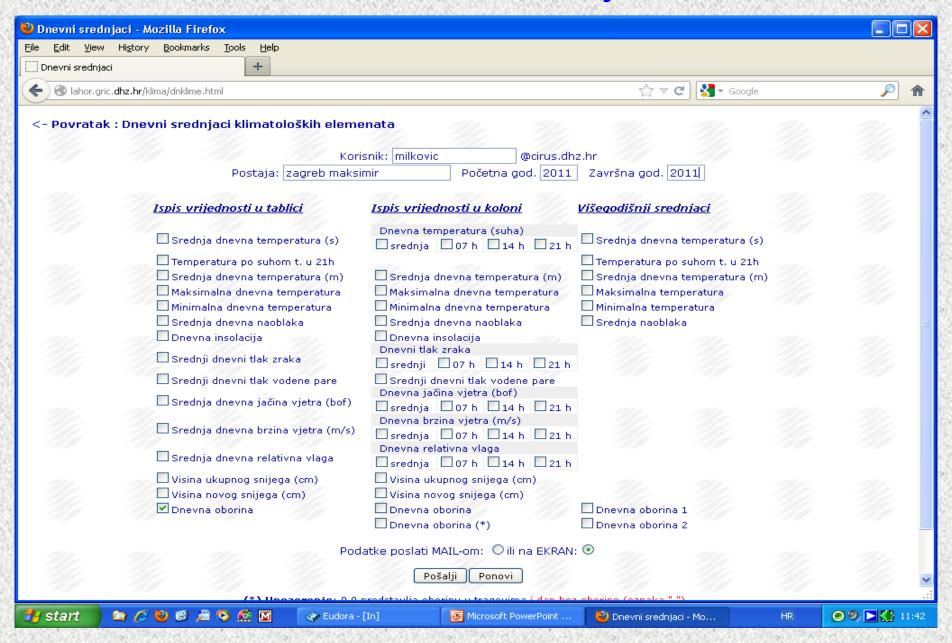
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Mean temp	1978-01-01 2011-12-31			17		1077
Precipitation	1978-01-01 2011-12-31					(800
Air pressure	1996-10-01 2011-12-31			1950-08-01 1995-12-31		10/69

	Station: Djurdjevac				Lat	Long	Alt
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Mean temp	1960-01-01 2011-12-31				18.00	SIL	107
Precipitation	1960-01-01 2011-12-31						183
Air pressure						W.S. 35	TY A

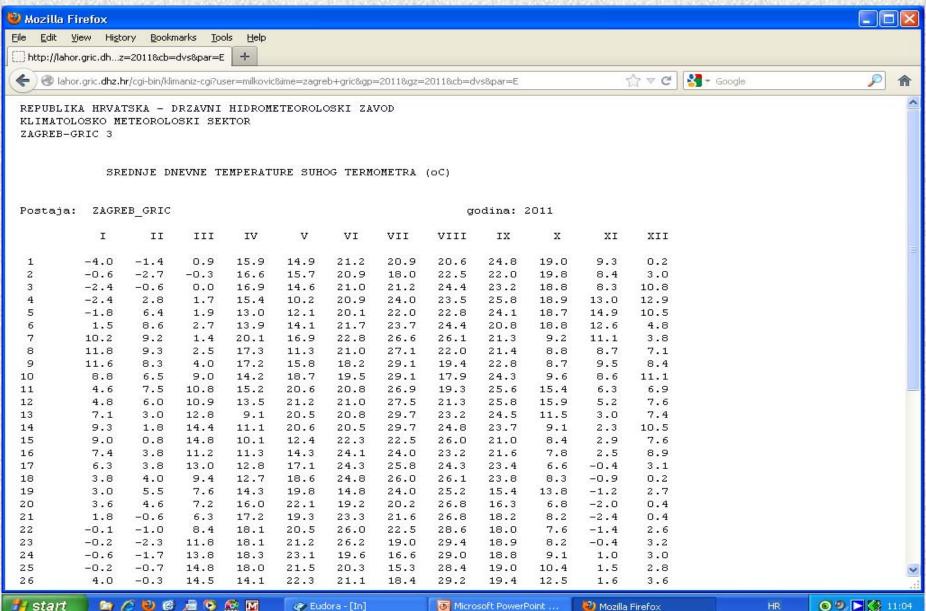


## Different forms of daily values





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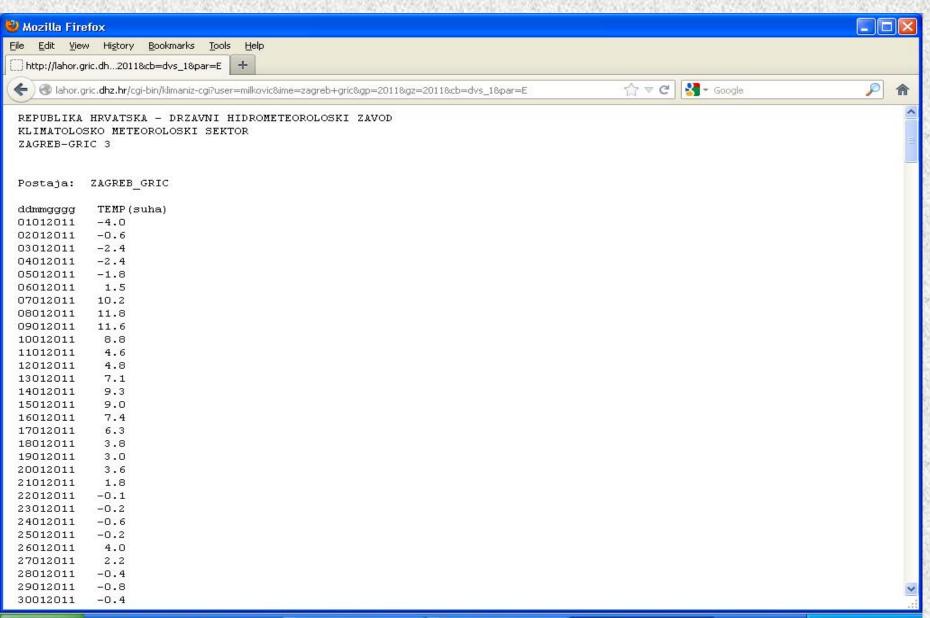








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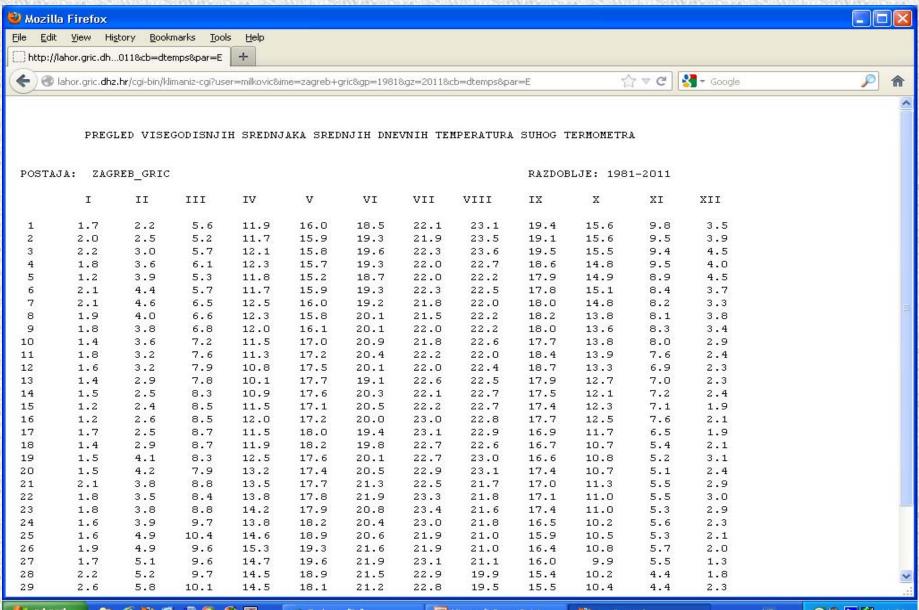








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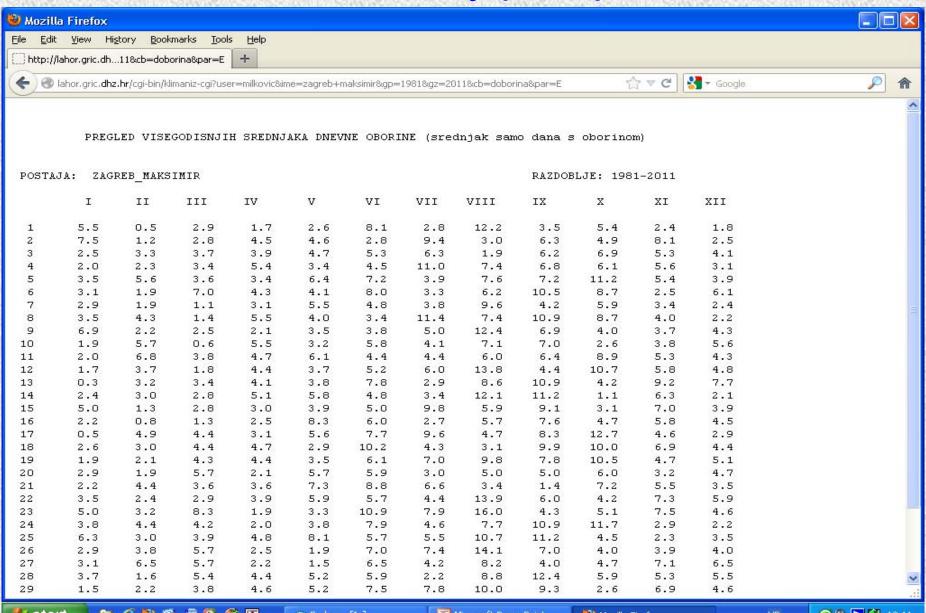








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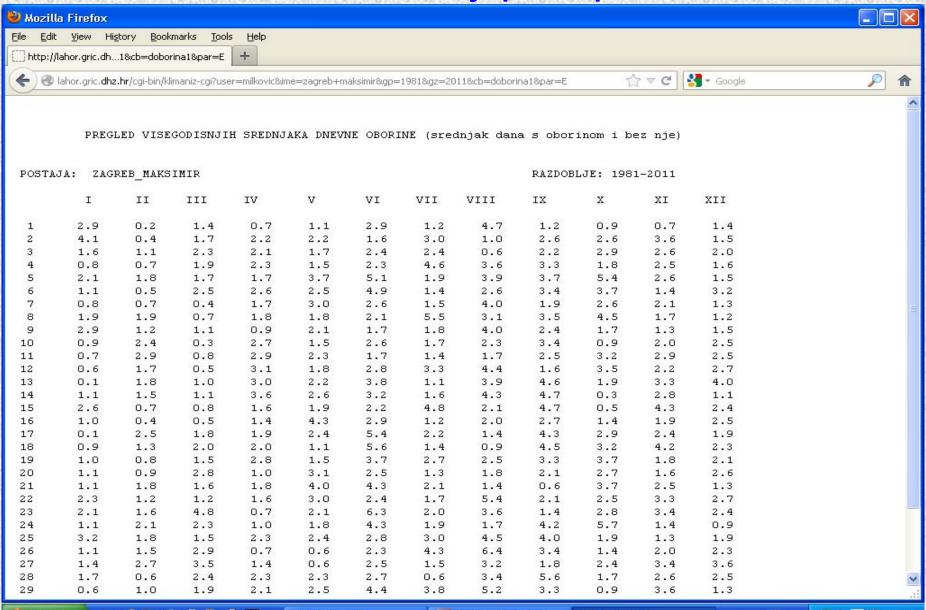








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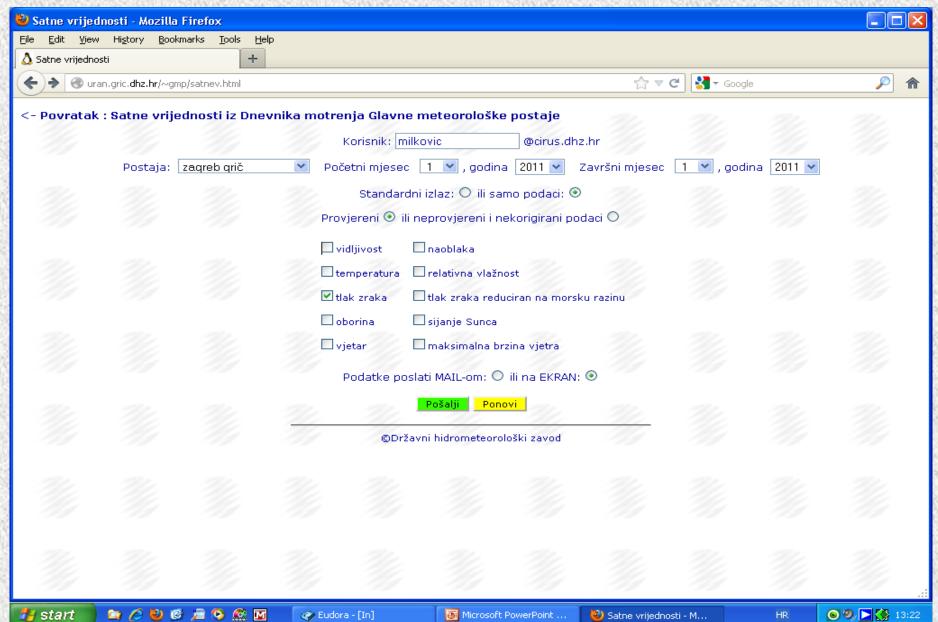






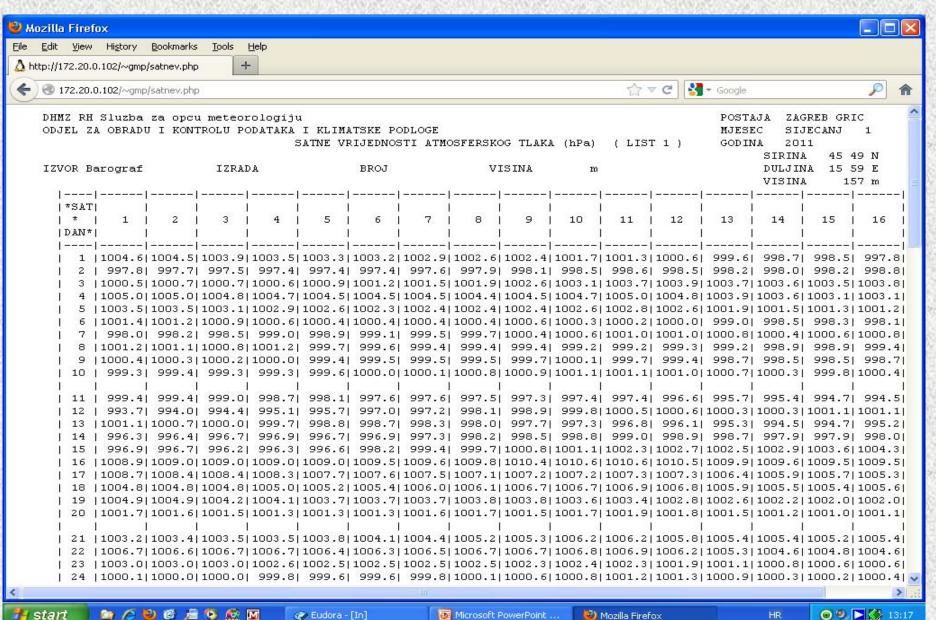


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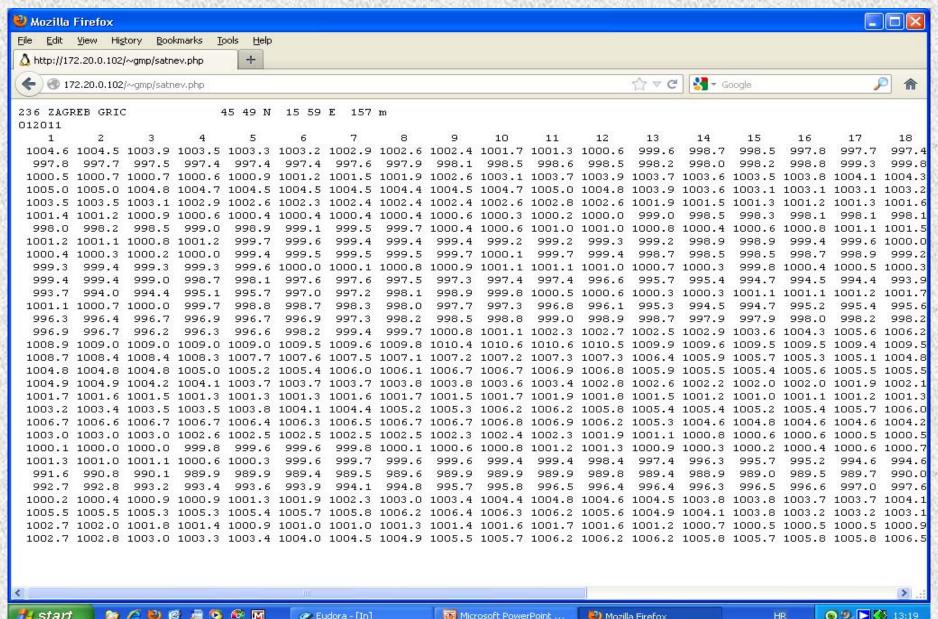


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#### Conclusions

- Meteorological and Hydrological Service is prepare to offer data series for 26 selected stations - but only the data stored in digital form in data base by this time;
- Digitized data are quality controlled, but we could not homogenized above mentioned data series;
- Because of economical and financial situation, deficit of staffs (retirement, left institution...) there are no plans in near future for additional recovery historical observations;

# Thank you very much for your attention!



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