

Geo-social media as a proxy for meteorological data for flood monitoring

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São Carlos, SP (November 23th 2015)

Floods

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\$175 million
 Value range between \$140 million and \$210 million.

Acreage impacted



Value of storm-damaged acres: \$75.84 million



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Há um município em situação de emergência e cinco em situação de alerta

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Estudo diz que enchentes provocam prejuízos de R\$ 9 bilhões para o Brasil

Segundo um estudo da organização WRI, o número de pessoas afetadas por alagamentos em todo o mundo pode triplicar nos próximos 15 anos.



Um estudo do Instituto Mundial de Recursos concluiu que as enchentes provocam prejuízos de R\$ 9 bilhões para o Brasil todos os anos. Principalmente por causa da falta de planejamento urbano.

A cidade histórica de São Luiz do Paraitinga, no interior de São Paulo, hoje é irredutível e prepara para enfrentar enchentes. Uma rede de sensores e pluviômetros mede o nível do rio e a quantidade de chuva na bacia do rio atinga. Os dados orientam um computador e são monitorados pela Defesa Civil de hora em hora. Assim, é possível prever a enchente comum dia de antecedência e avisar os moradores.

"Antigamente a gente tinha que ir lá ver as regras. Agora a gente acompanha pelo computador", conta José Carlos Rodrigues, chefe da Defesa Civil.

Os equipamentos foram instalados depois de uma enchente que destruiu a cidade e deixou 5 mil pessoas desalojadas, em janeiro de 2016. Casas e estradas históricas desapareceram.

lees atingem em média 255 mil pessoas todos os anos no país e custam ao Brasil milhões de reais.

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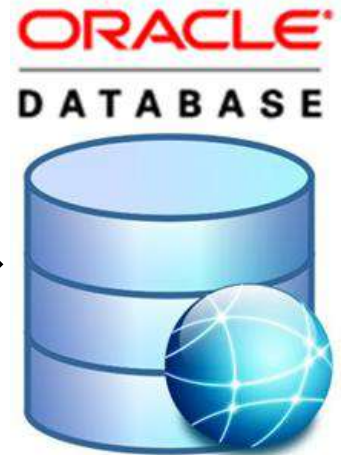
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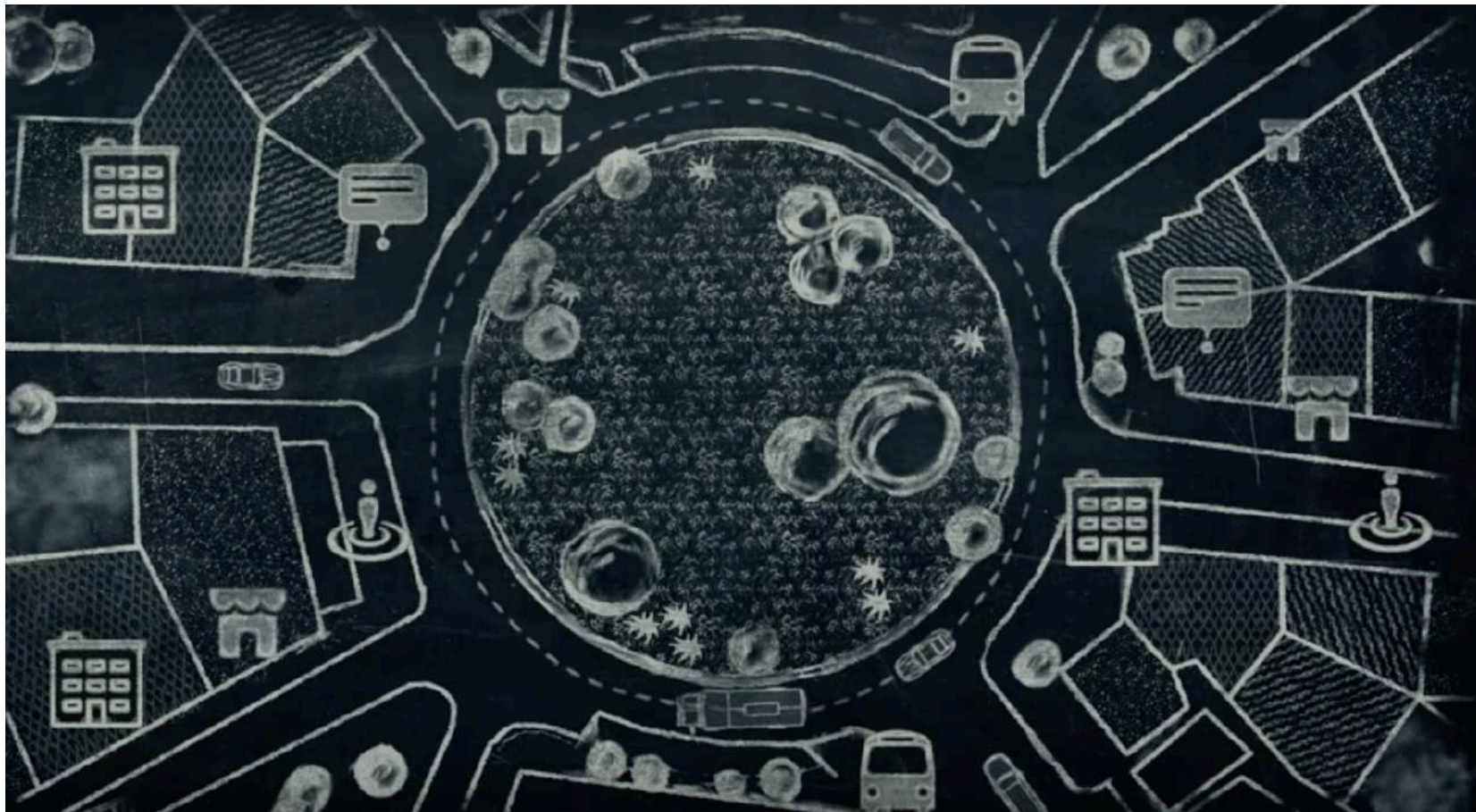


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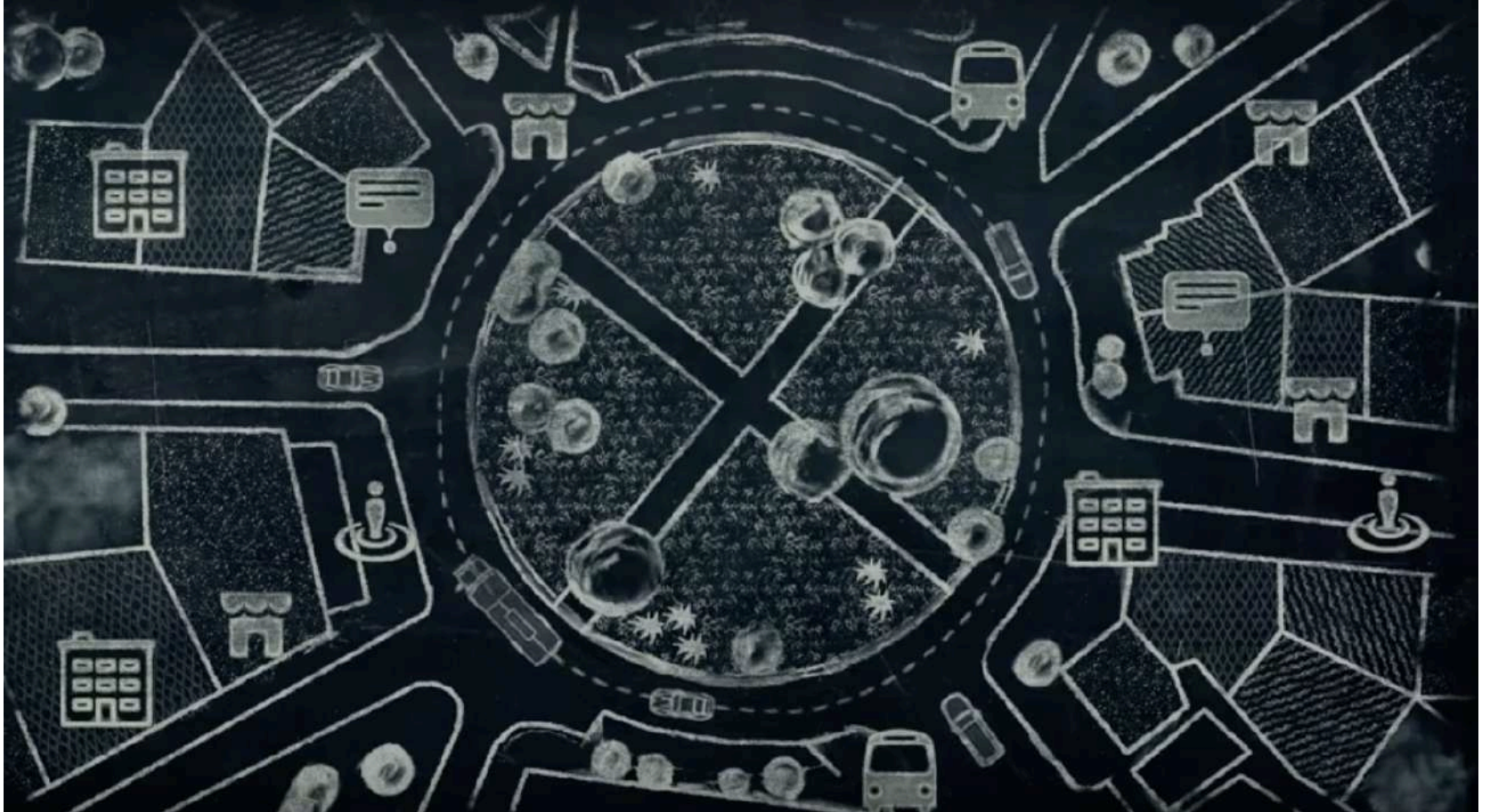
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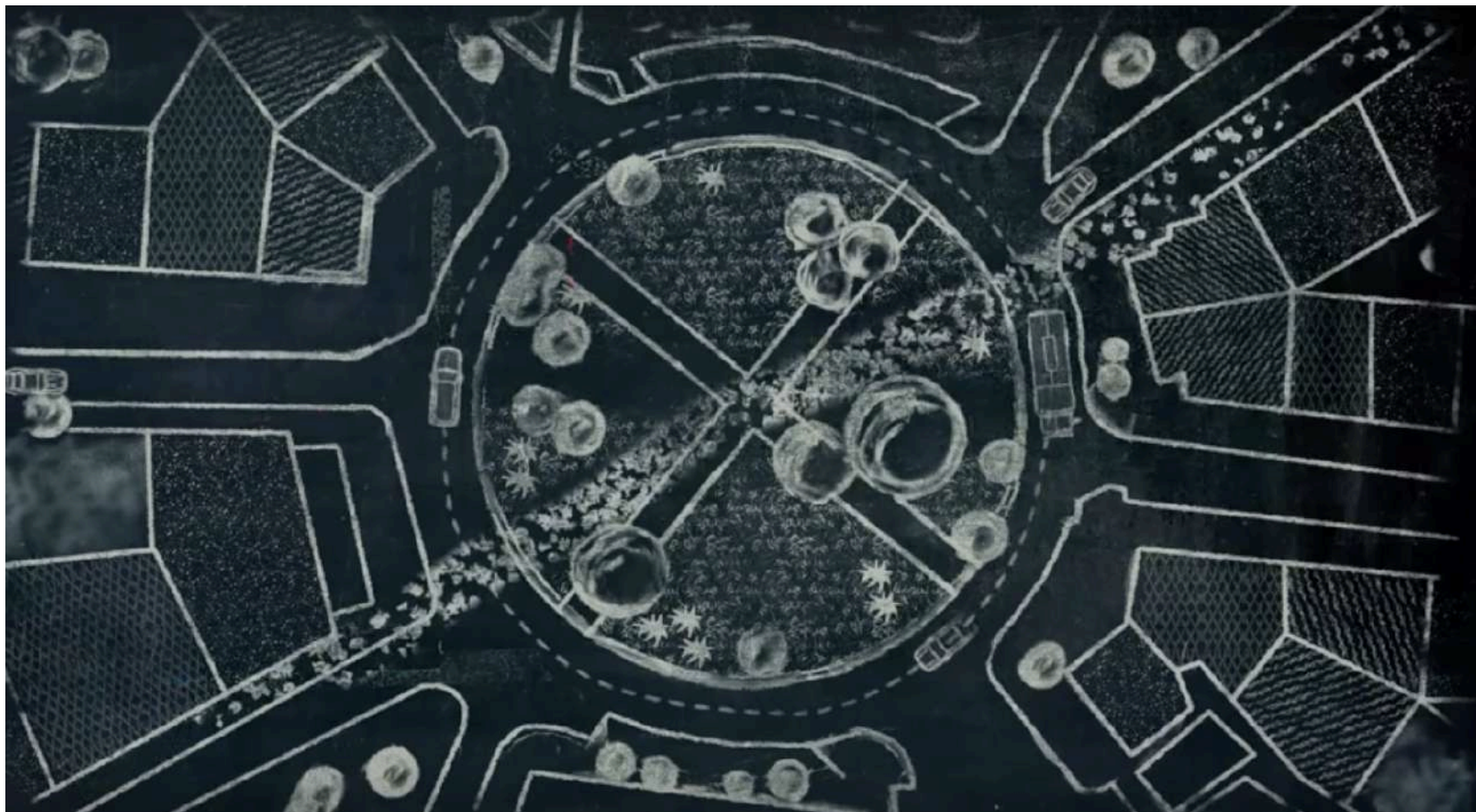
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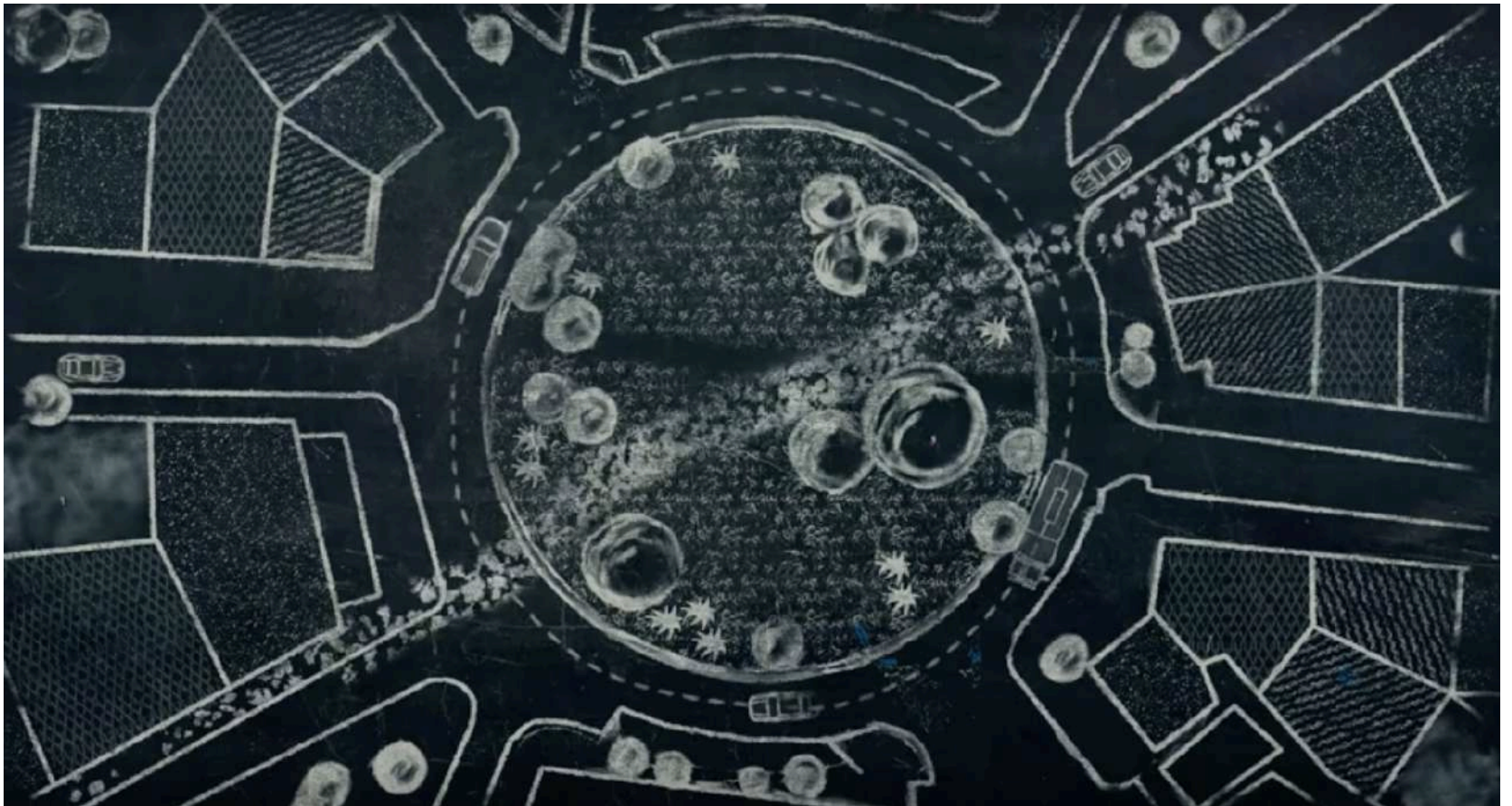
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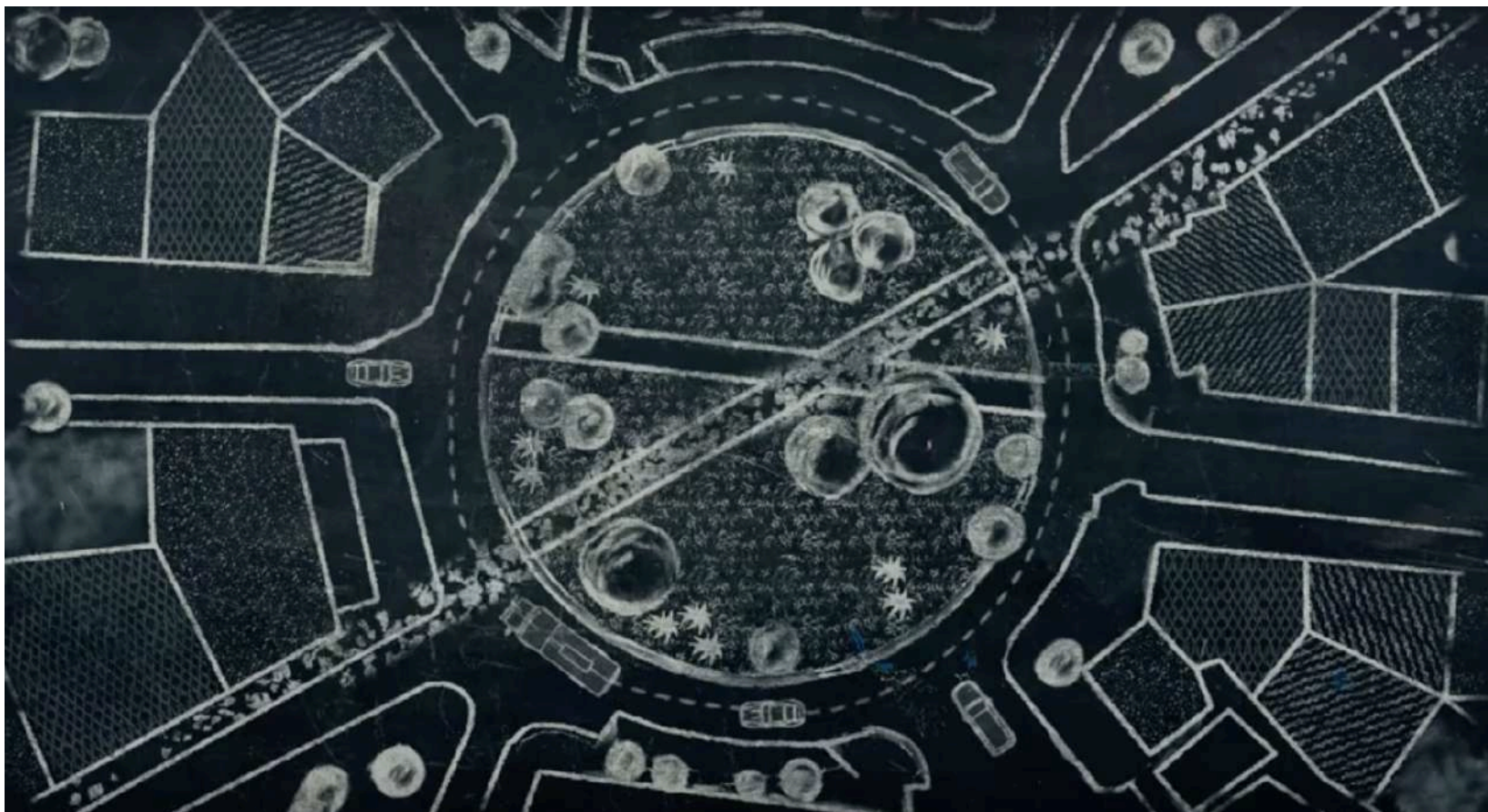
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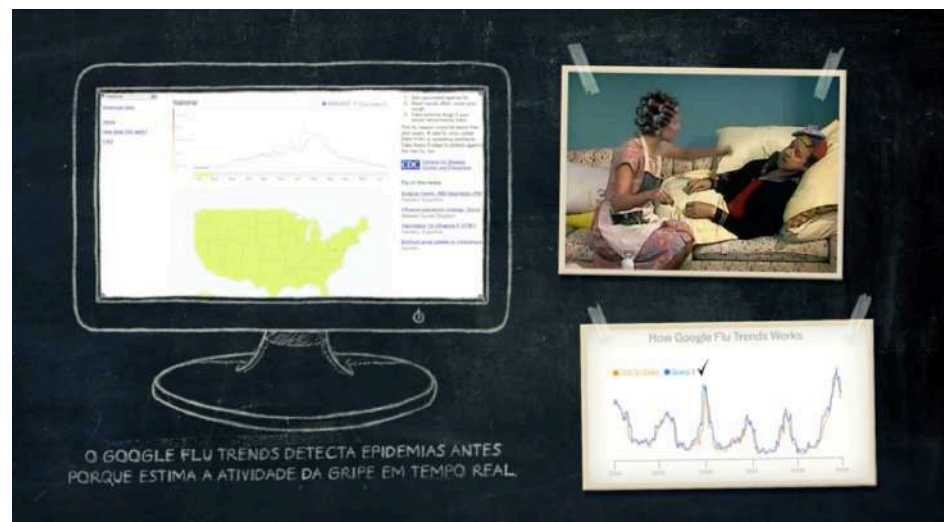
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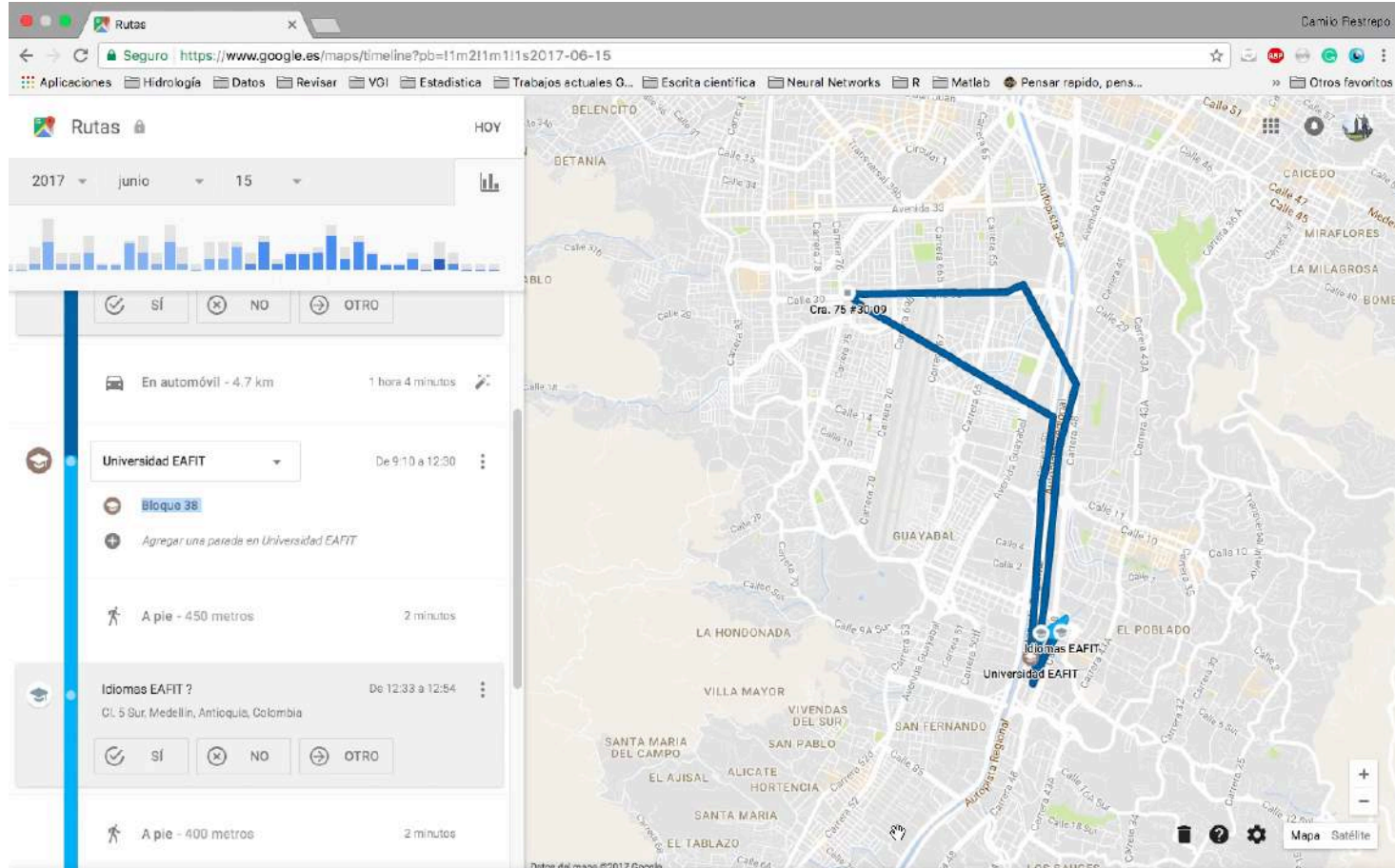
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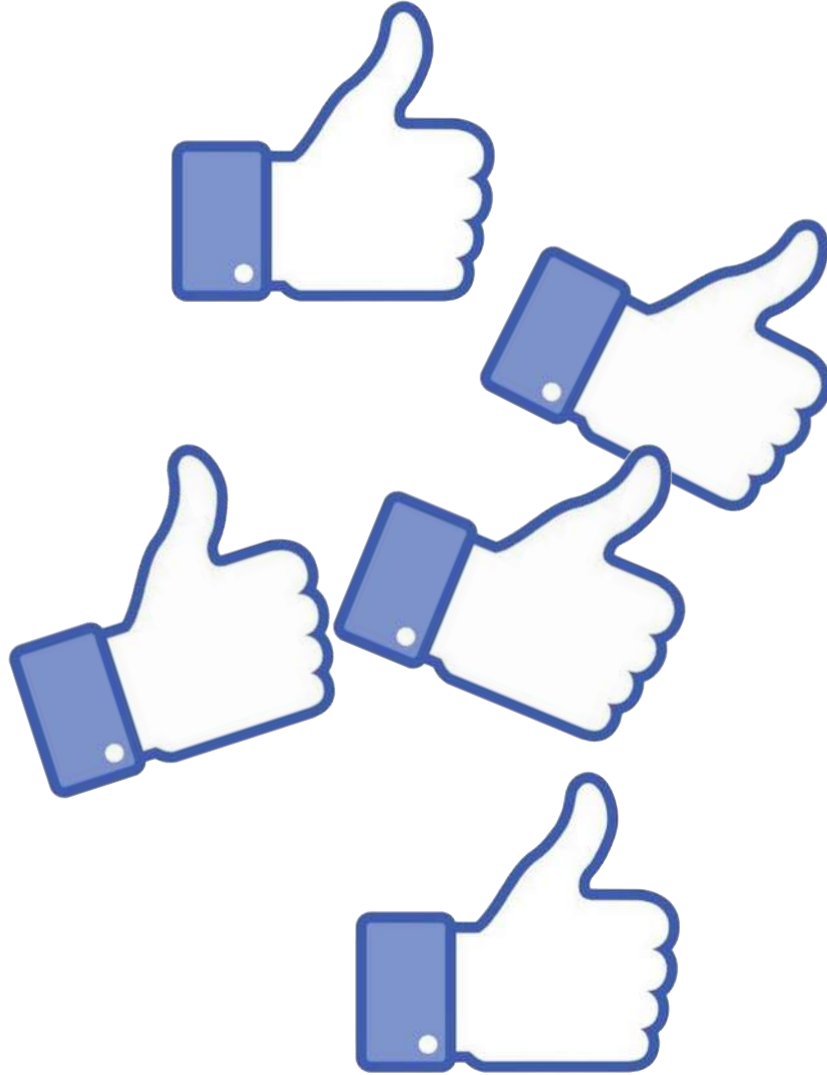
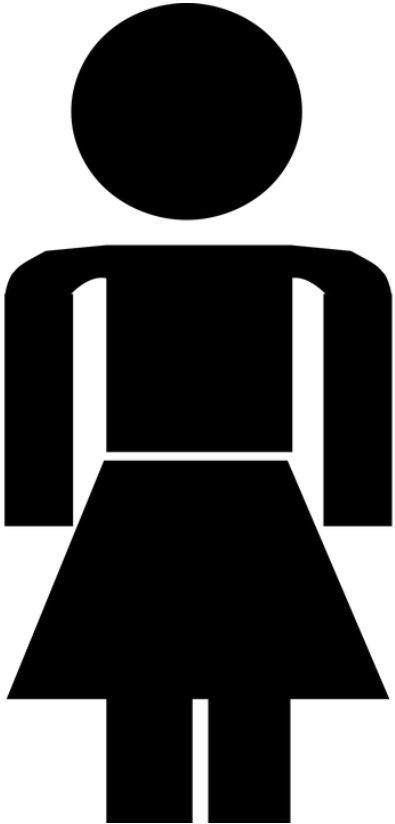
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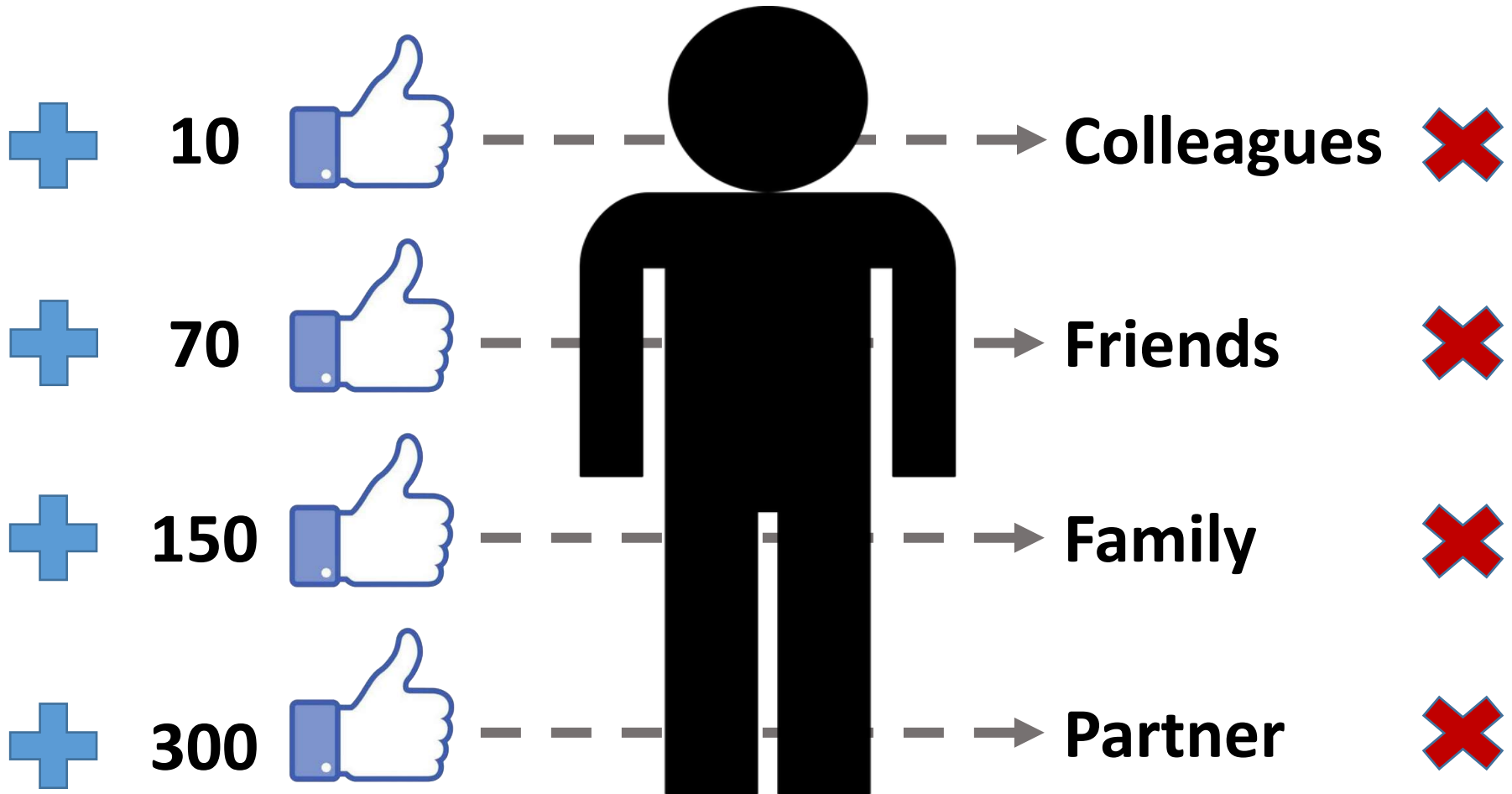
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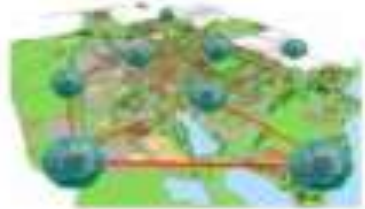
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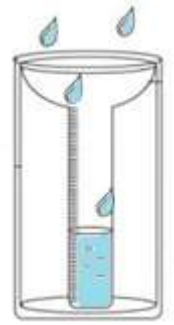
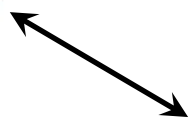
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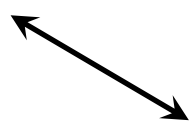
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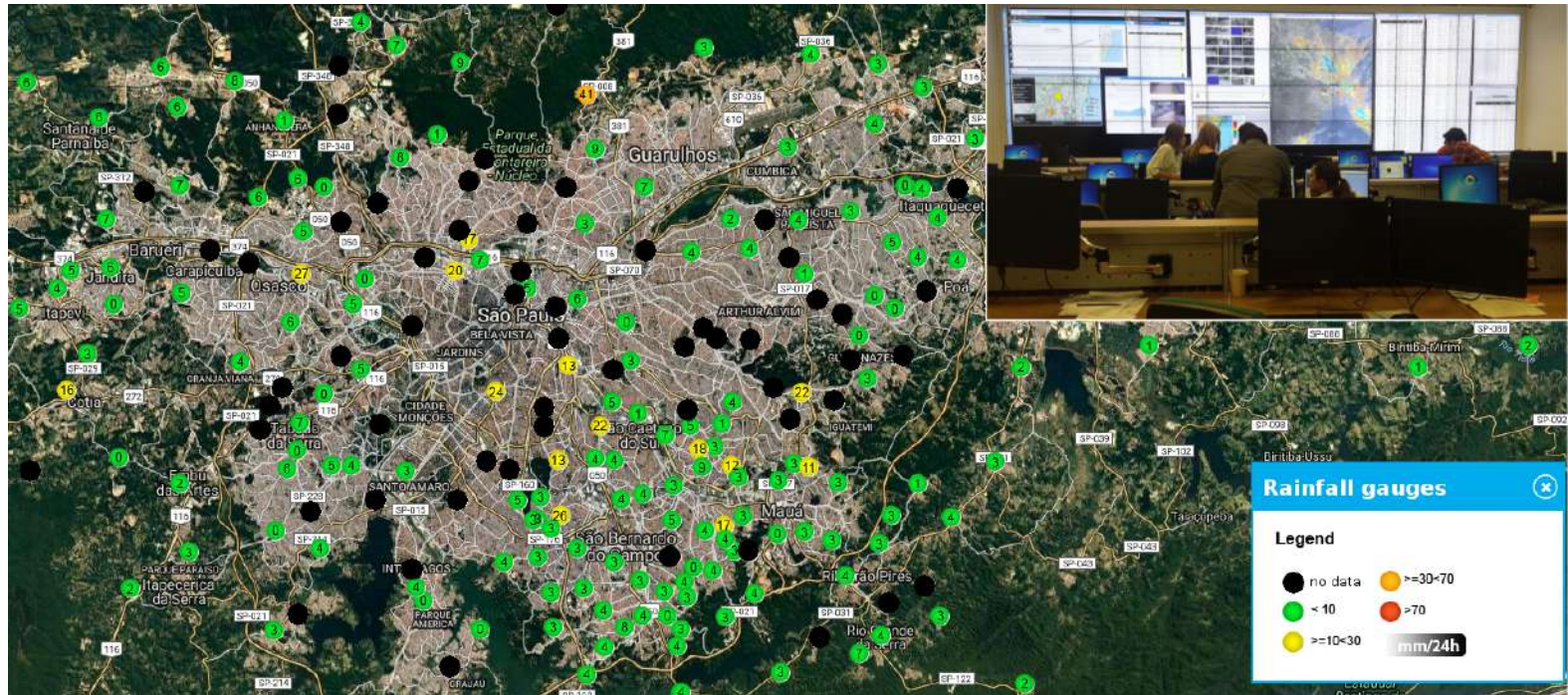
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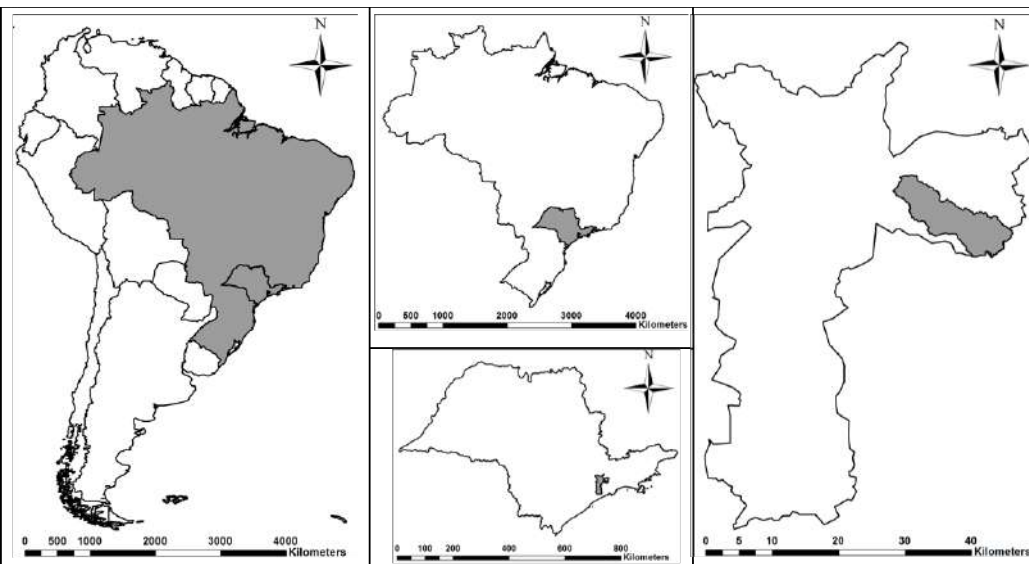
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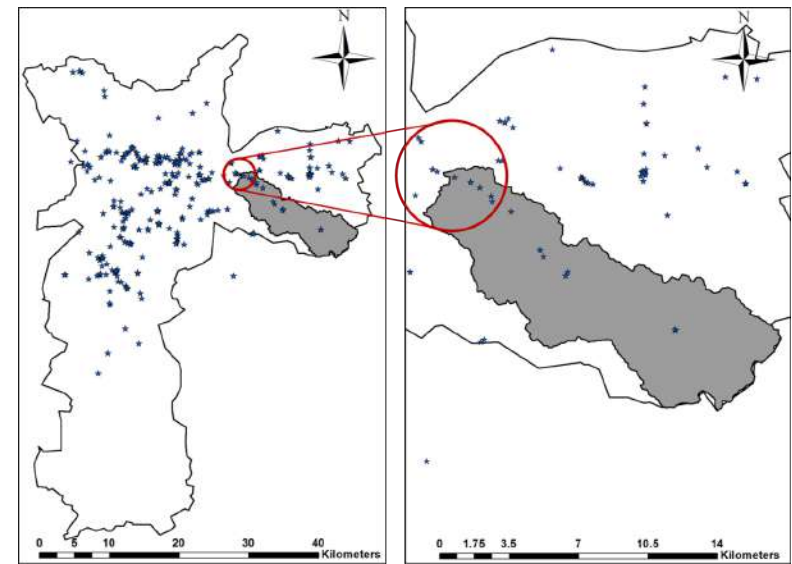
Problem statement



Aricanduva catchment

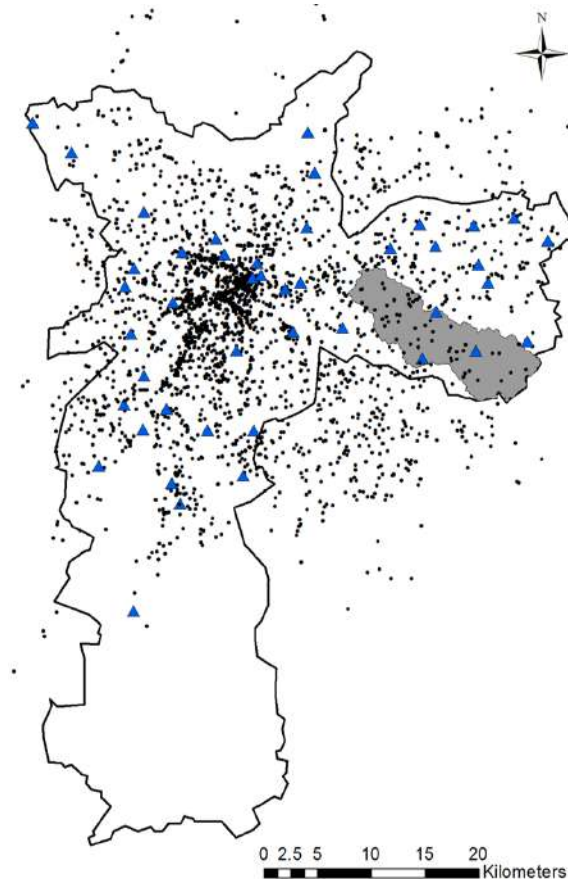
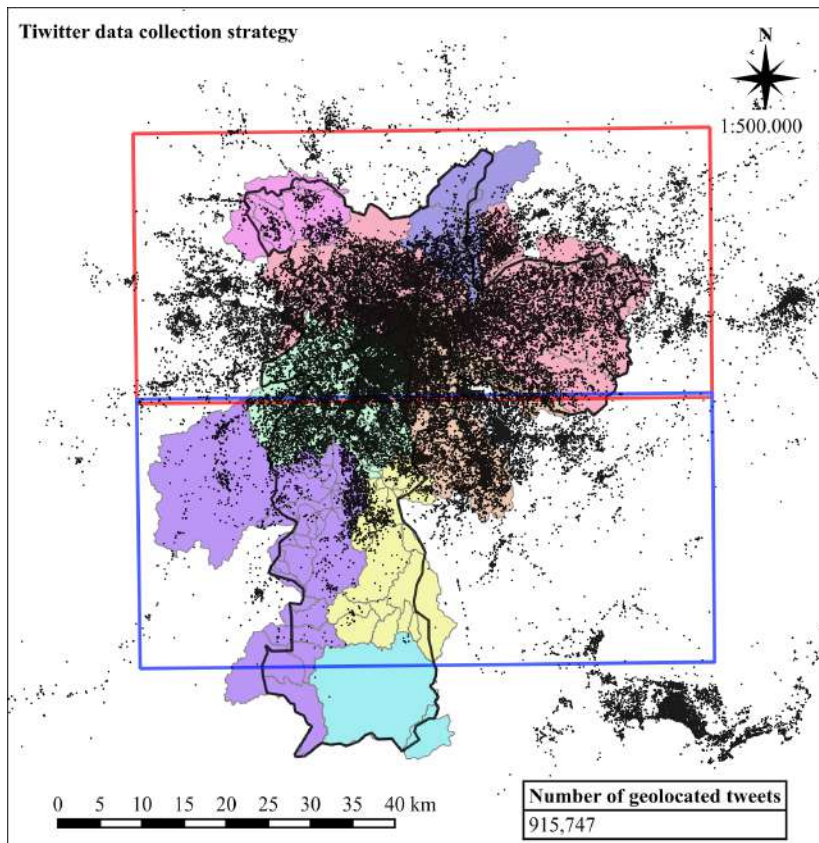


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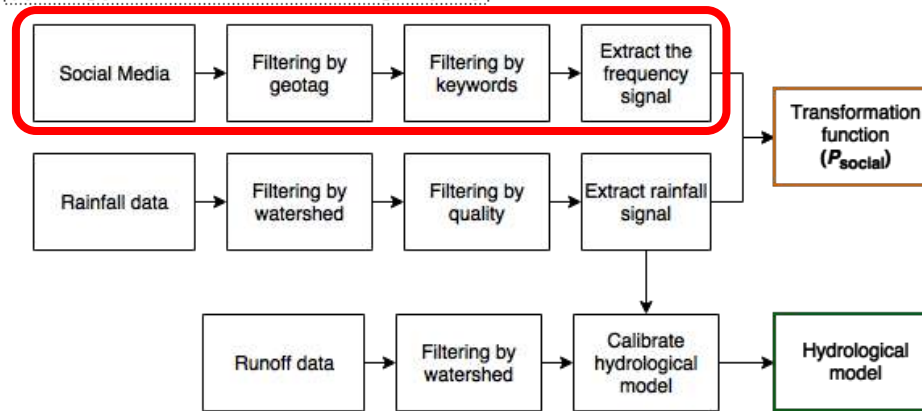


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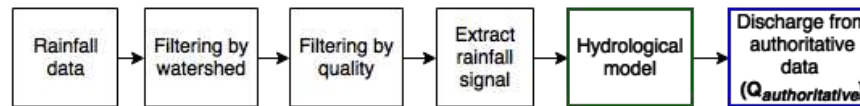
City of São Paulo with related tweets as black points, rainfall gauges as blue triangles and the Aricanduva catchment shaded gray.



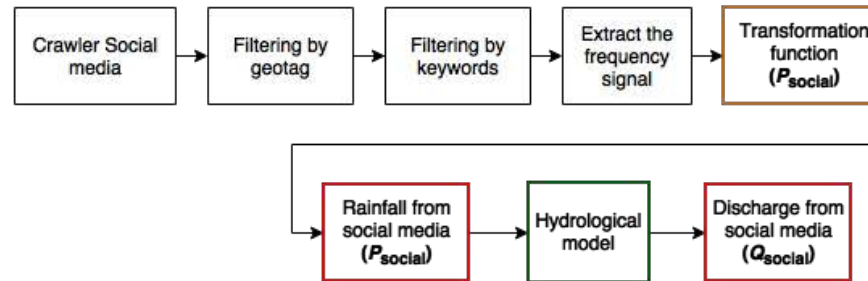
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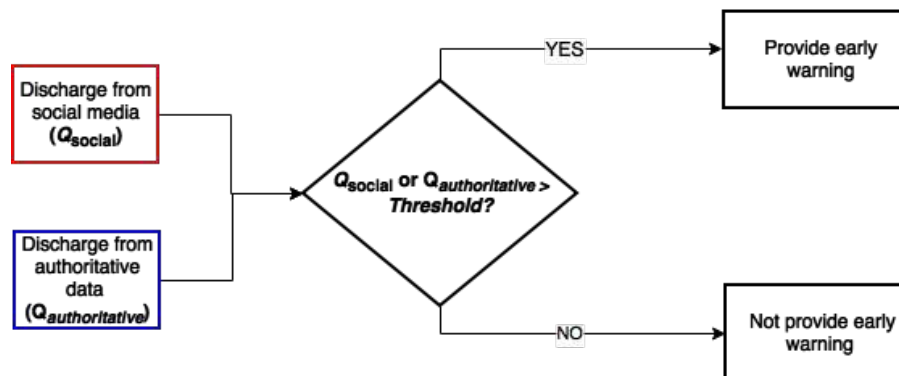
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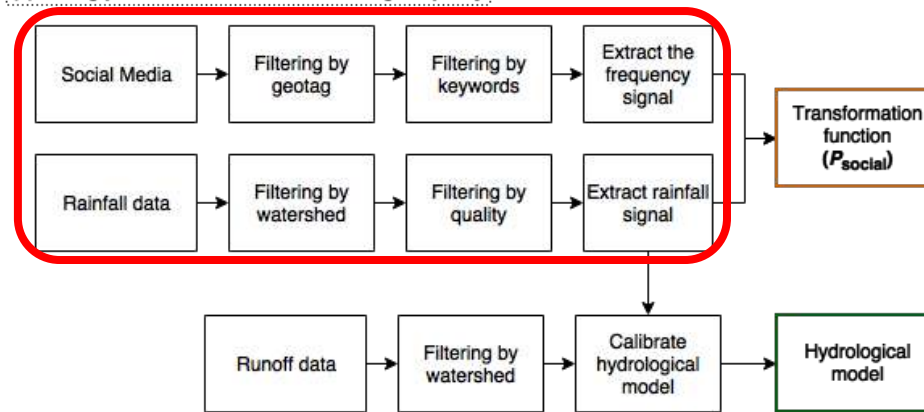
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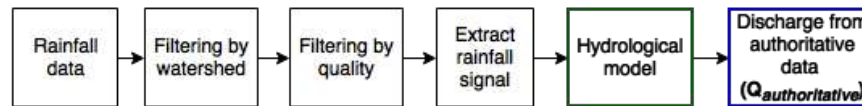
Key words and wrong key words

Variable	Words in Portuguese	Words in English
Keywords	%chuv% (chuva, chuvinha, chuisco) %chov% (chove, chovendo, chover, choveu)	rain, rainy, drizzle It rains, to rain, rained
Wrong keywords	%bolinho de chuva%, %chuveiro%, %chuva negra%, %chuva de foto%, %chuva de benção%, %chuva de graça%, %chuva de confete%, %chuva de arroz%, %chuva de glitter%, %chuva de espuma%, %chuva de amor%, %chuva de mec%, %chuva de abacate%, %chuva de sol%	sweet snack, shower, rap group calls chuva negra, photo rain, rain of blessing, rain of grace, confetti rain, rice rain, glitter rain, foam rain, love rain, mec rain, avocado rain, sun rain.
Reinforcement	%chove forte%, %chove muito%, %muita chuva%, %chovendo muito%, %chove muito forte%	it rains hard, It rains a lot, lots of rain, It's raining a lot, It's raining very strong
Weakening	%arco íris%	rainbow

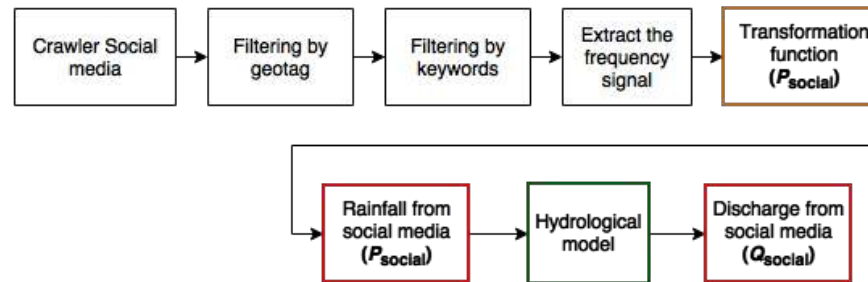
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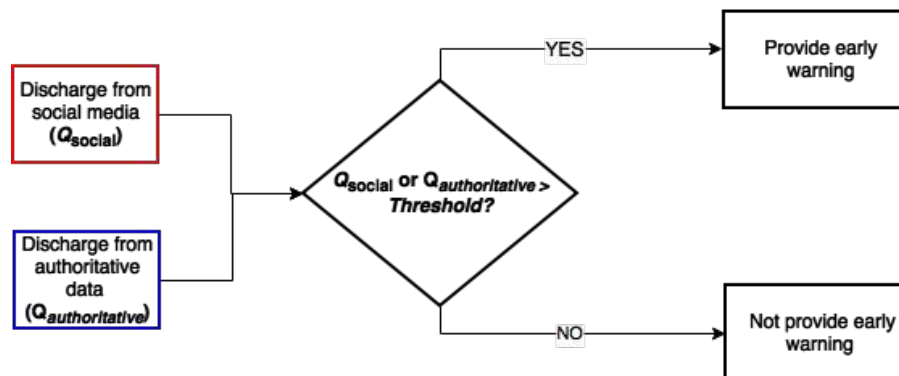
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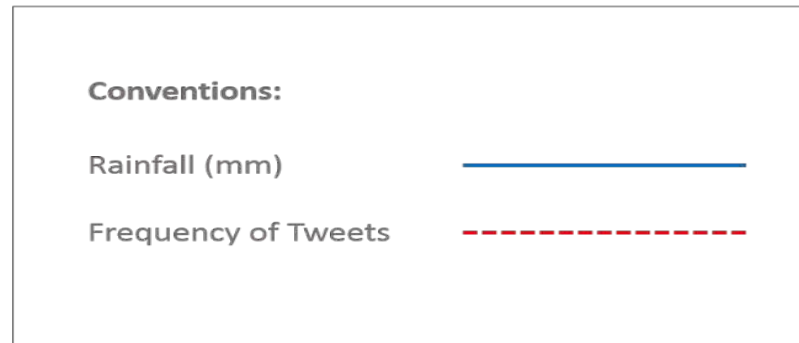
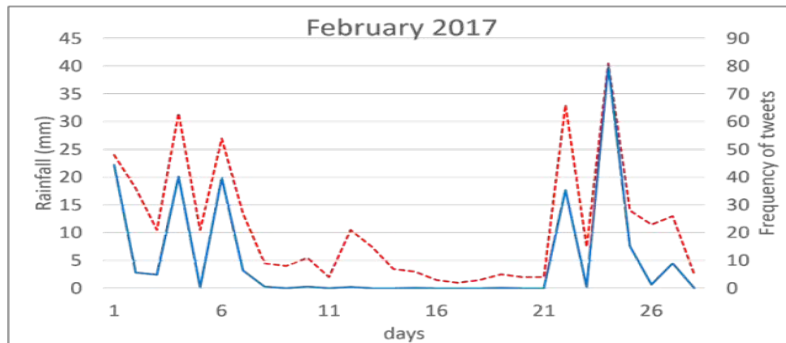
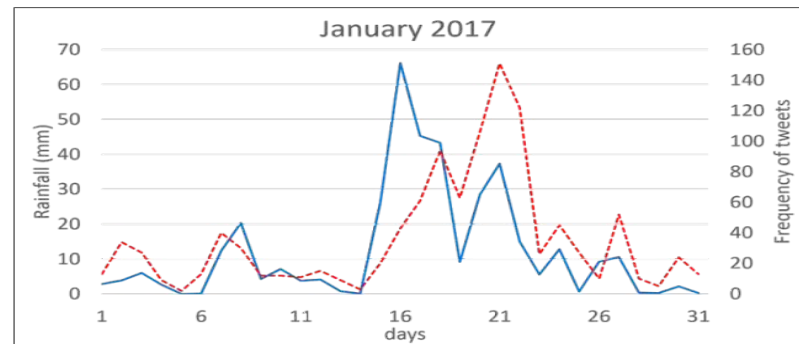
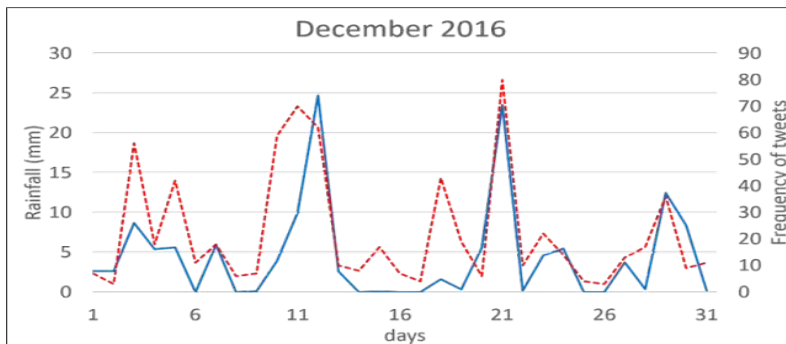
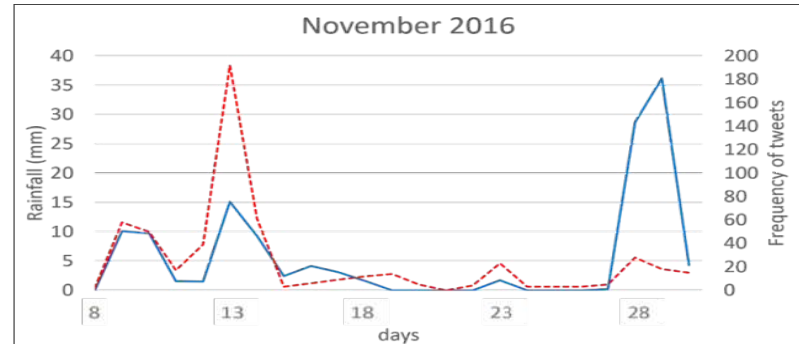
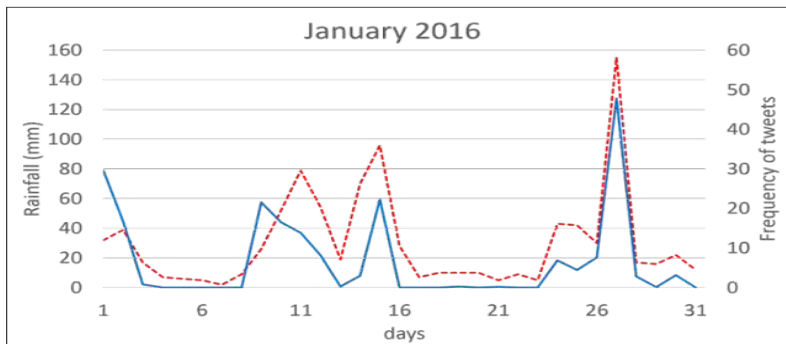
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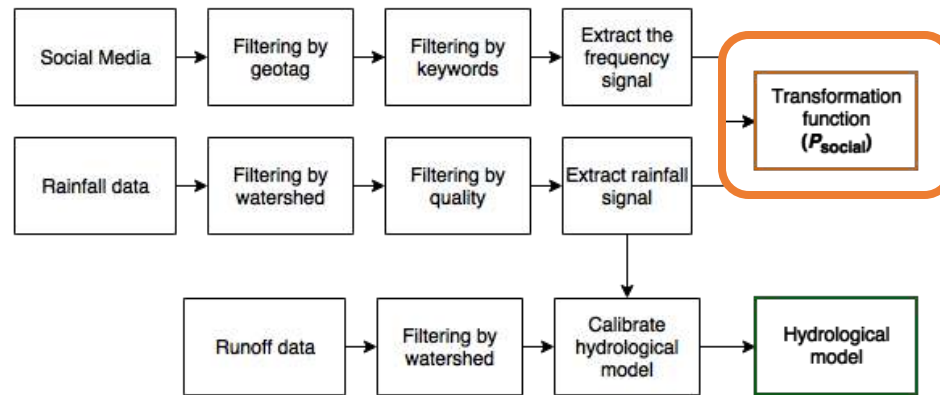
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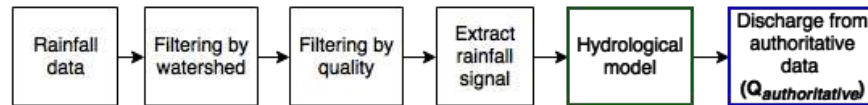
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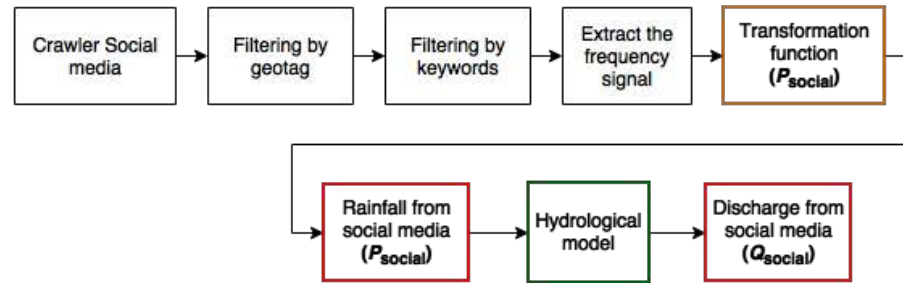
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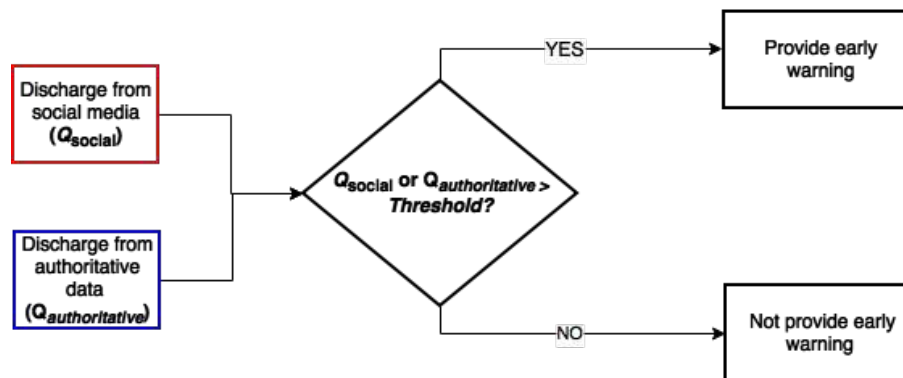
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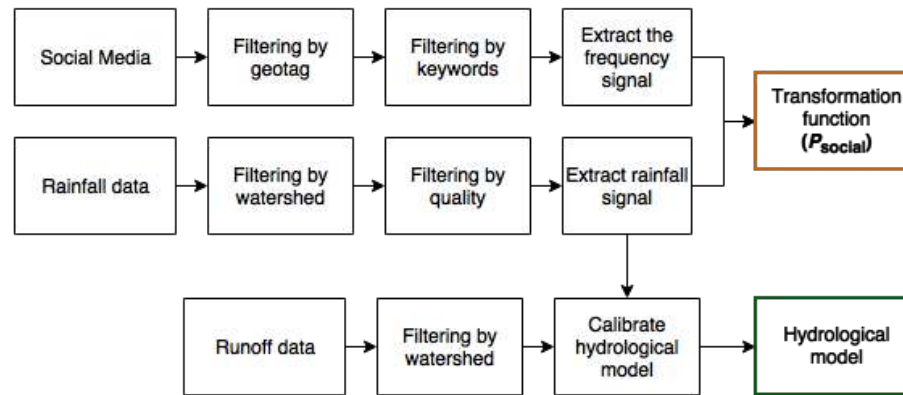
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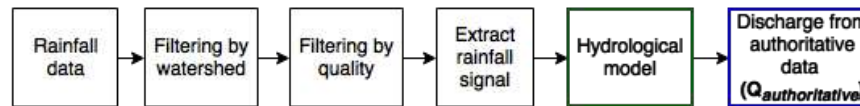
Transformation function

$$p_{social} = \alpha(1 + \eta_{strong} + \eta_{soft}) \frac{f_{kw}}{A_{interest}} + \sum_{i=2}^n \beta_i \frac{F_{kw(i)}}{A_{interest}}$$

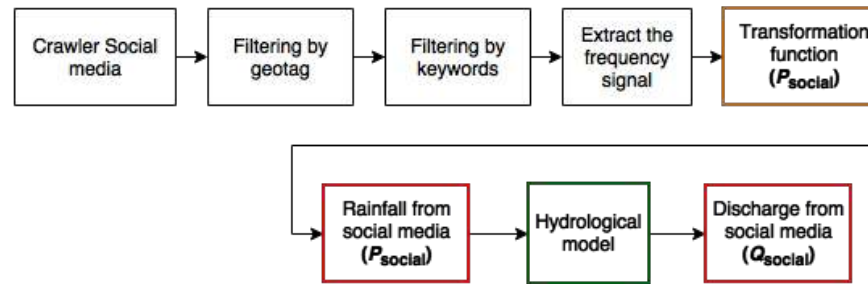
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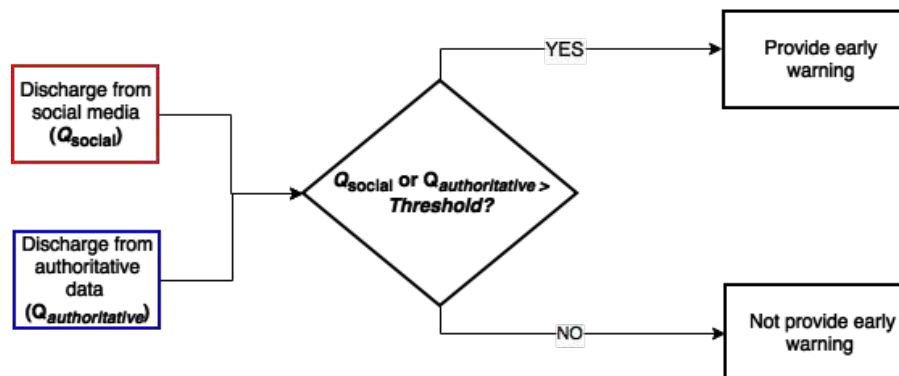
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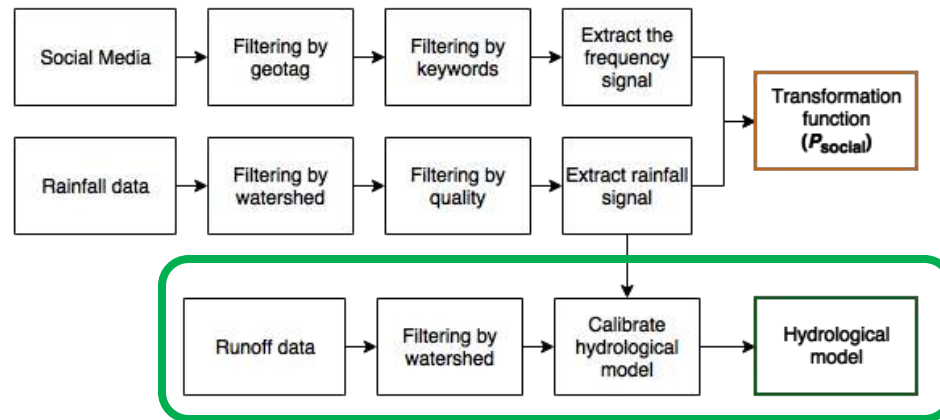
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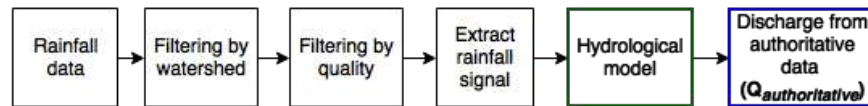
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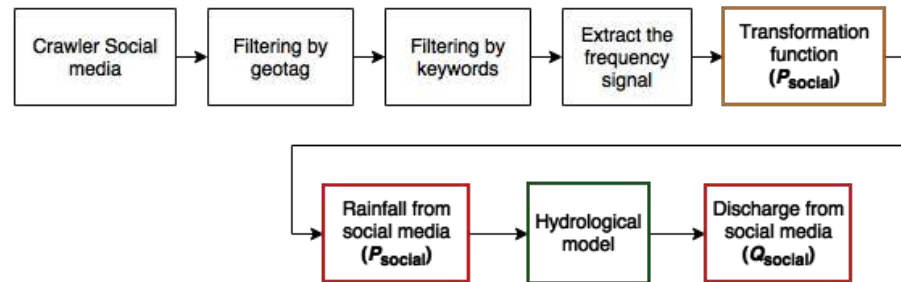
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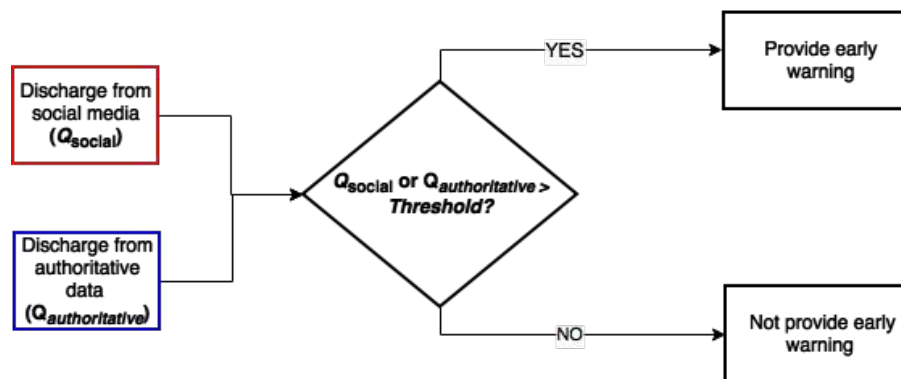
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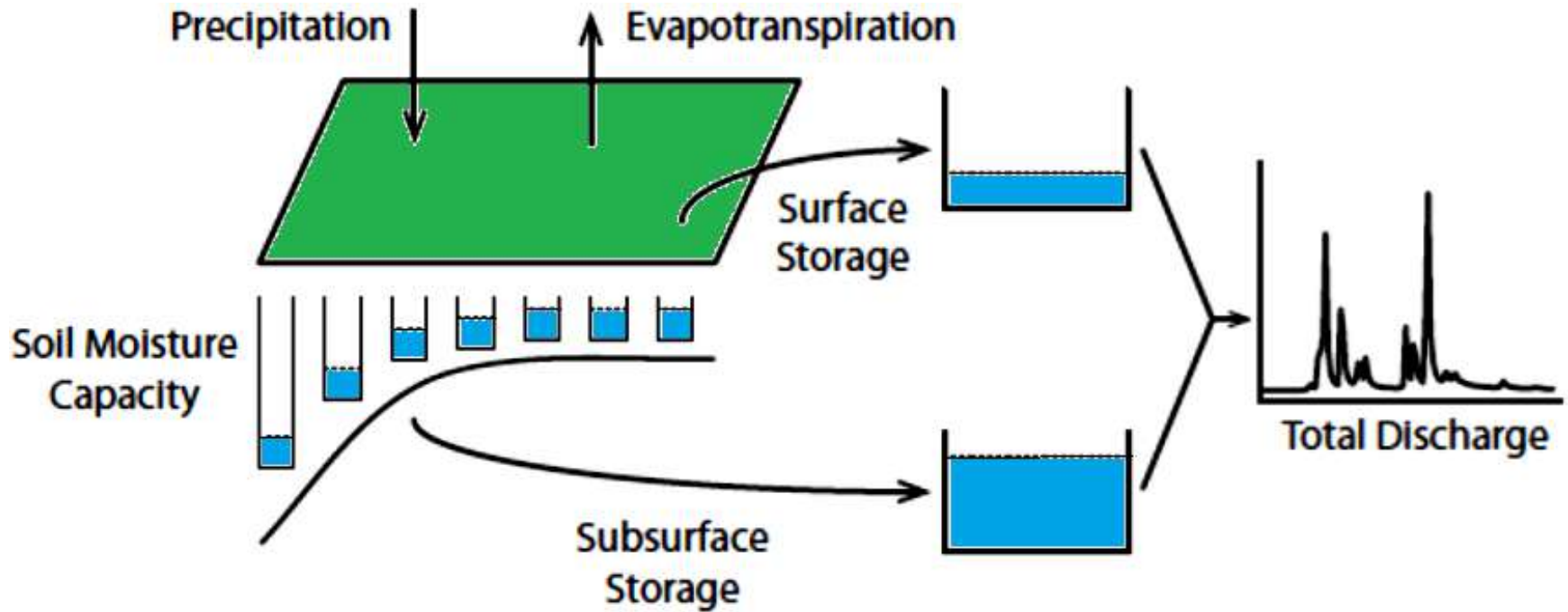
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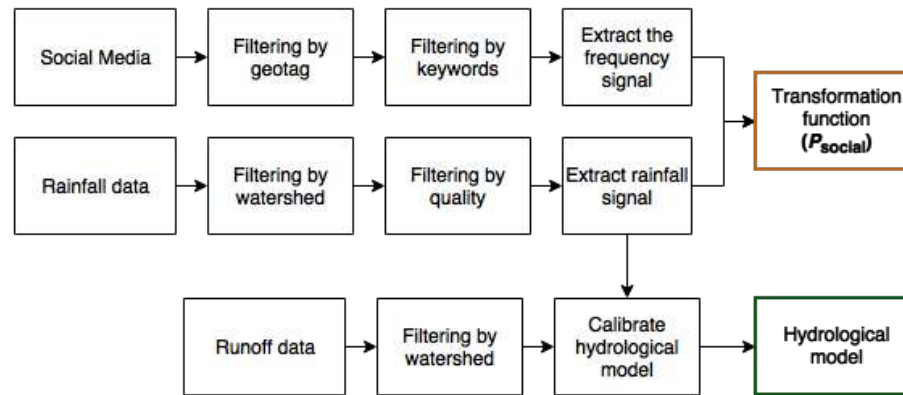
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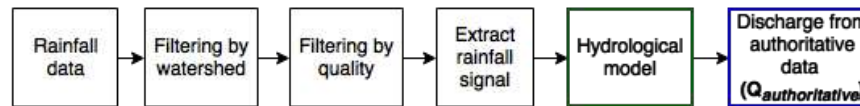
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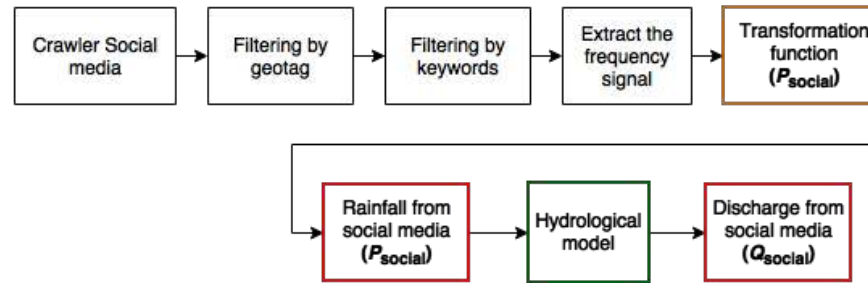
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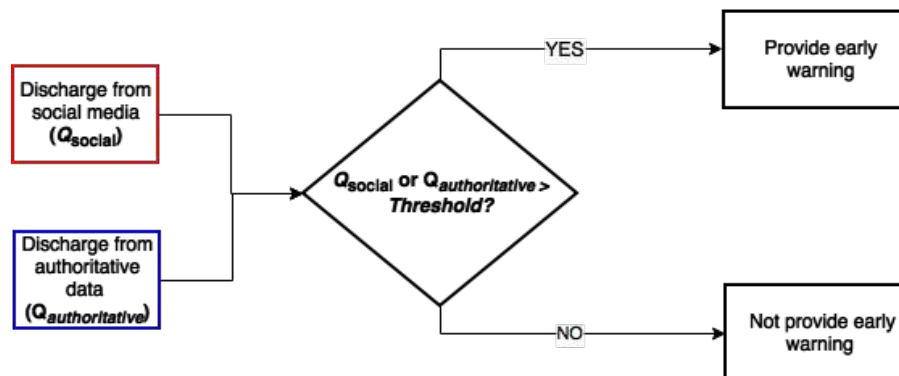
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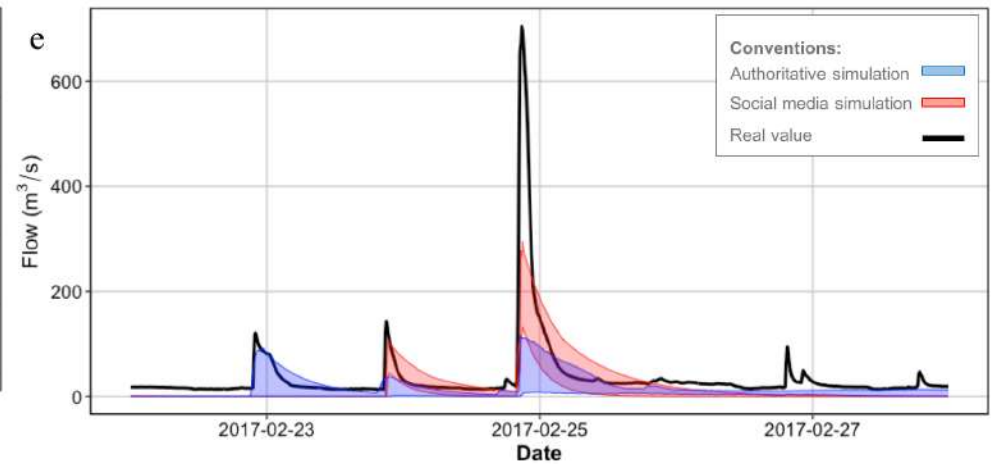
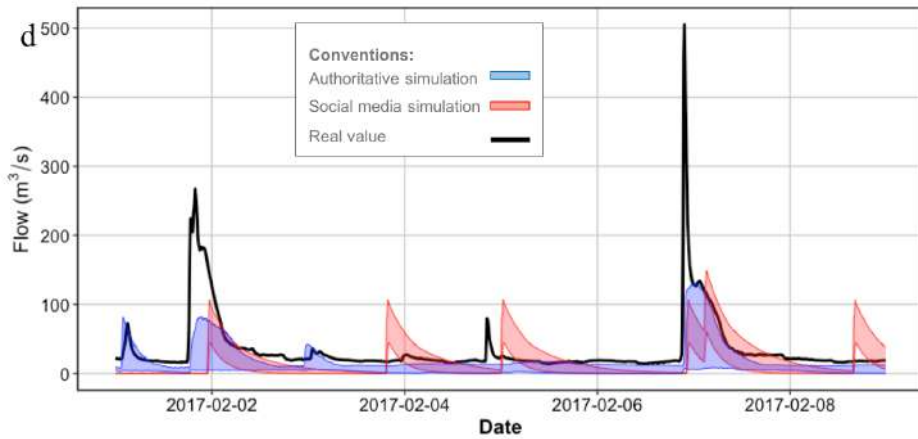
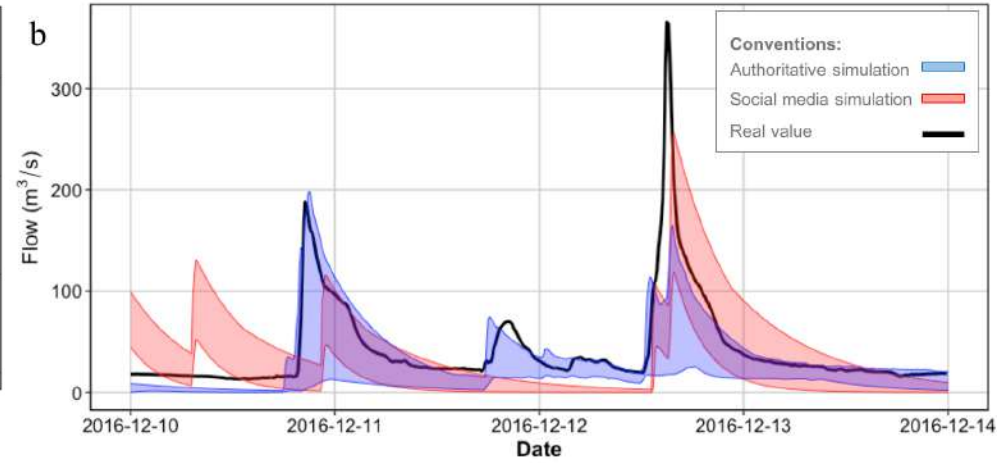
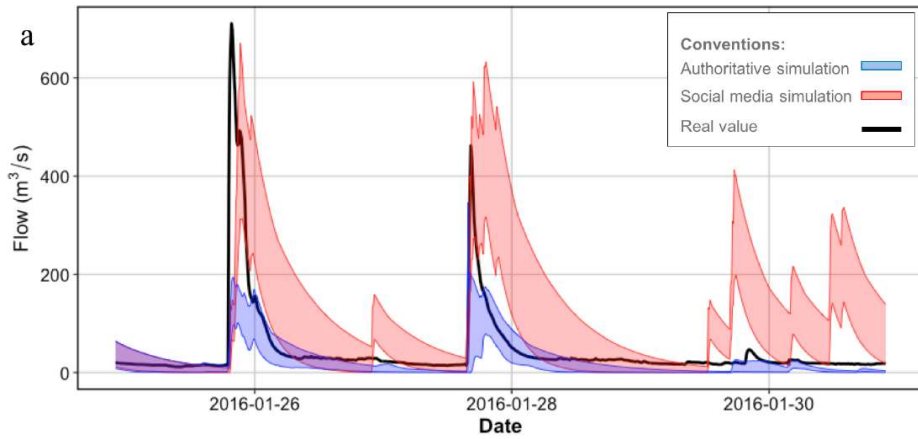
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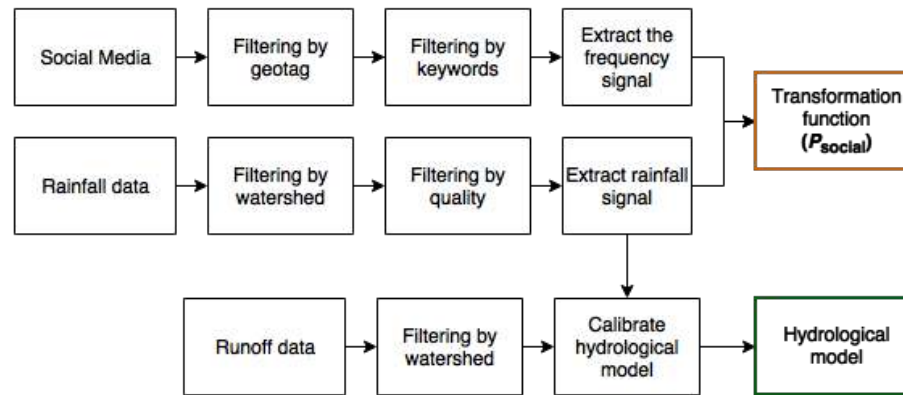
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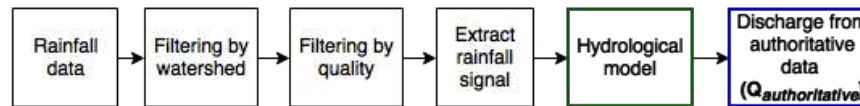
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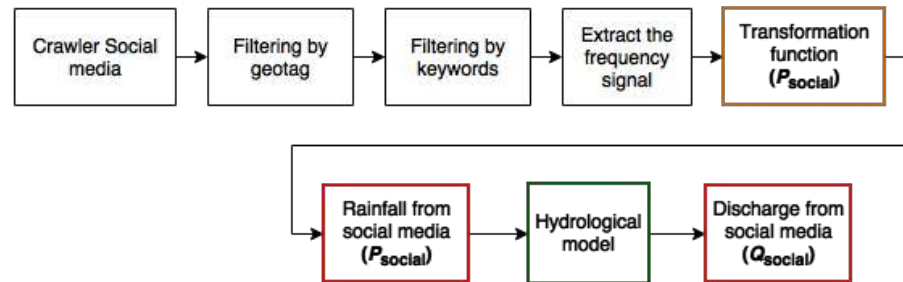
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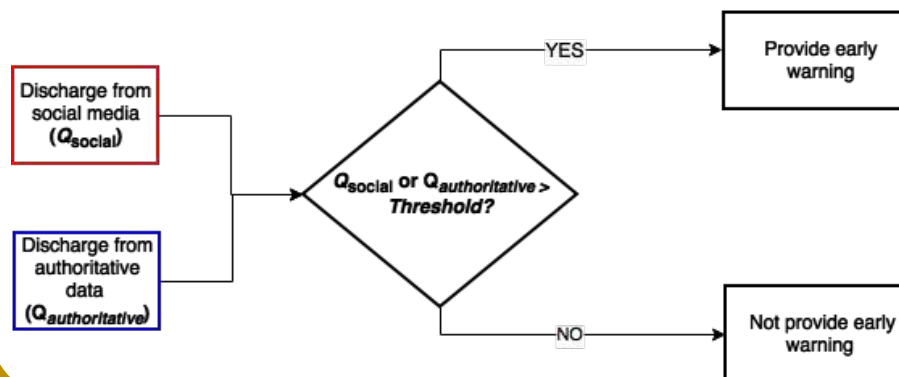
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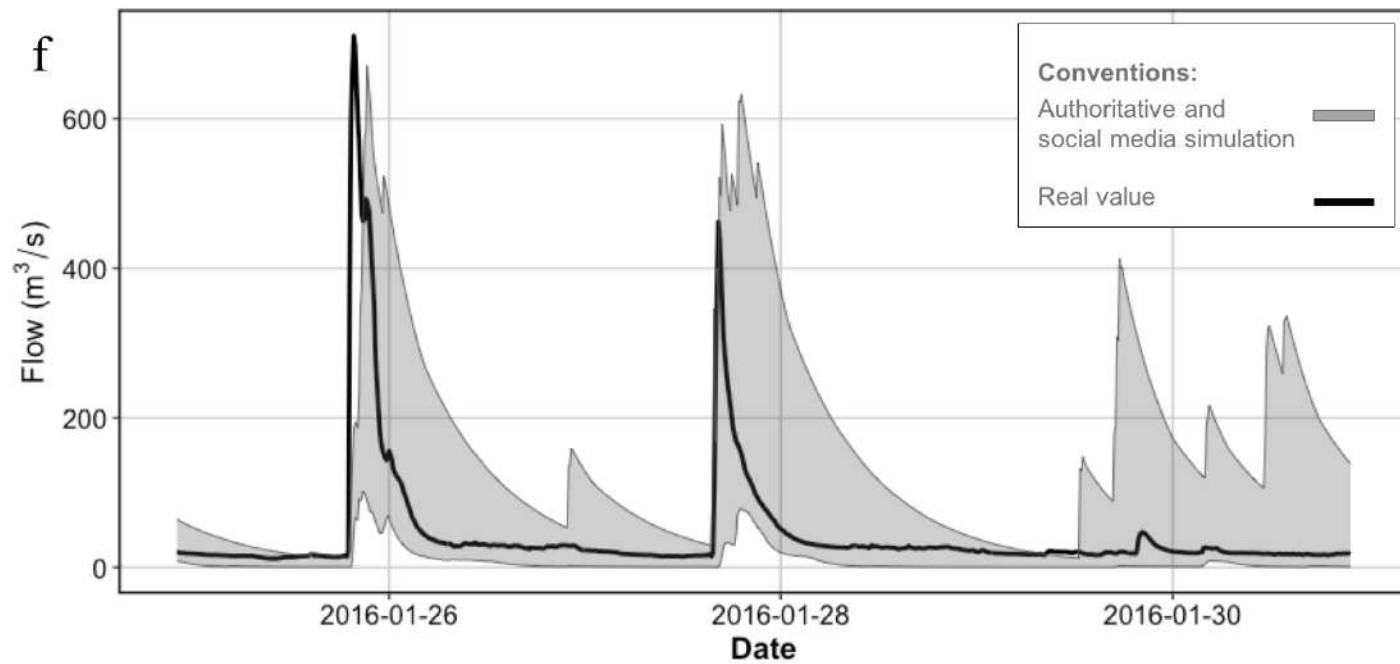
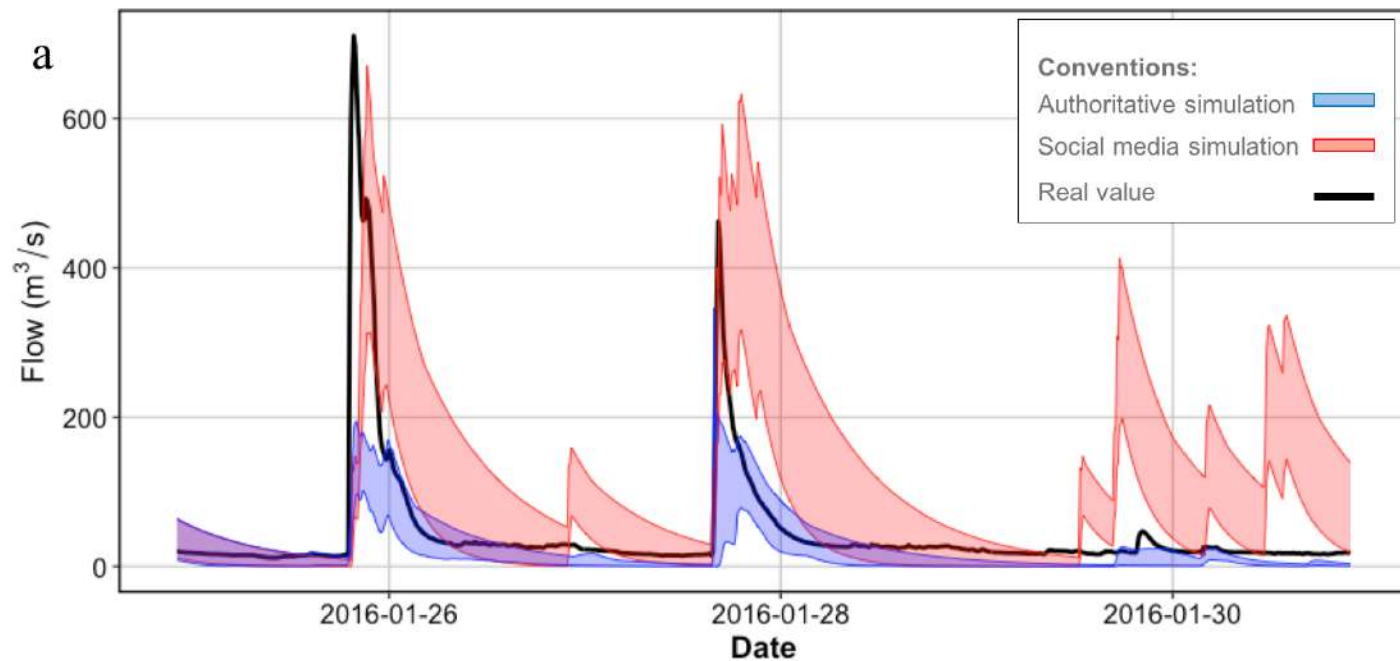
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