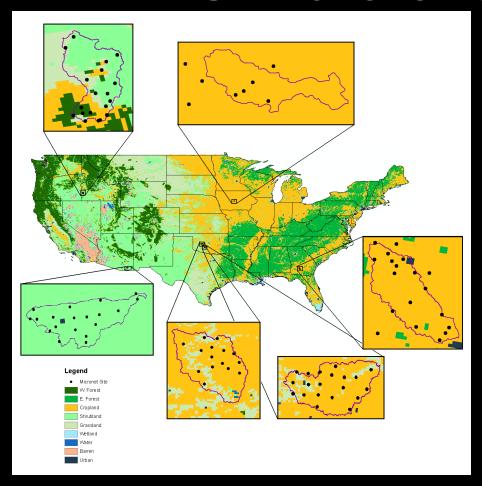
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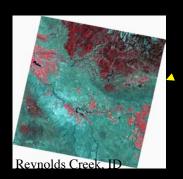
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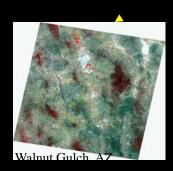
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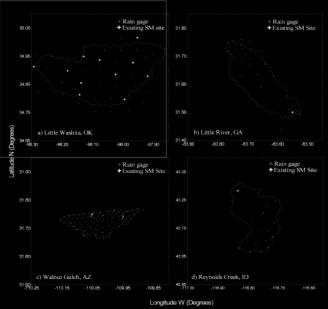
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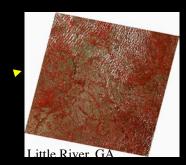
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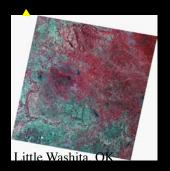








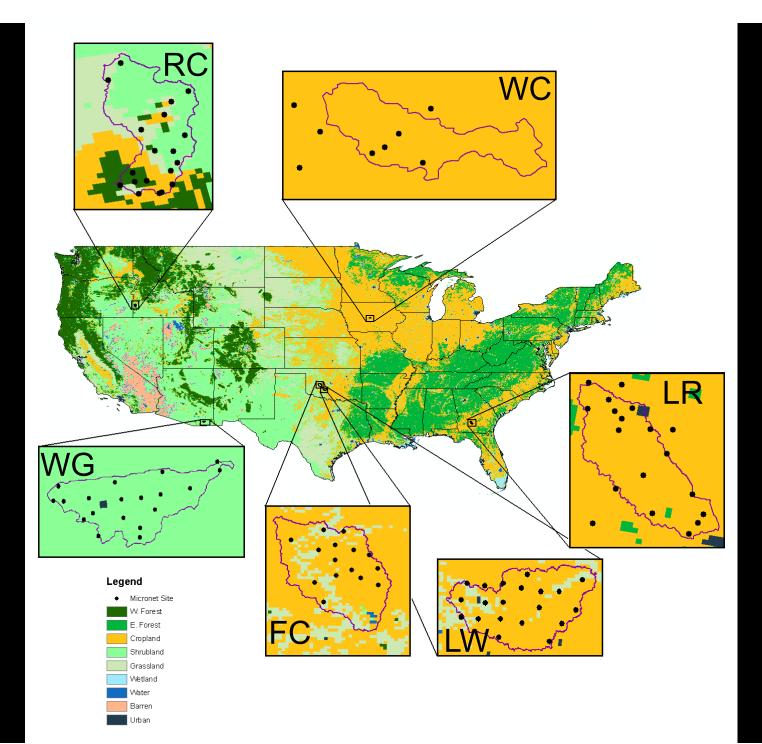




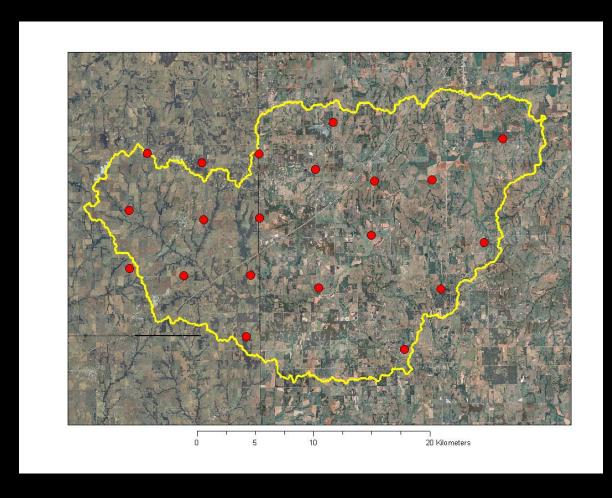
# **Expanding the Networks**

Watershed	<u>Type</u>	# Sensors	Reporting
Walnut Gulch, AZ	Semi-Arid	19 <b>(21)</b>	20 min
Reynolds Creek, ID	Mountainous	16	1 hour
Little River, GA Little Washita, OK	Forest	19 (++)	30 min
	Grazingland	20	30 min
			30 min
Fort Cobb, OK	Cropland	15	30 min
Walnut Creek, IA	Cropland	10	
St. Joseph's, IN	Cropland	pending	





# Little Washita, OK

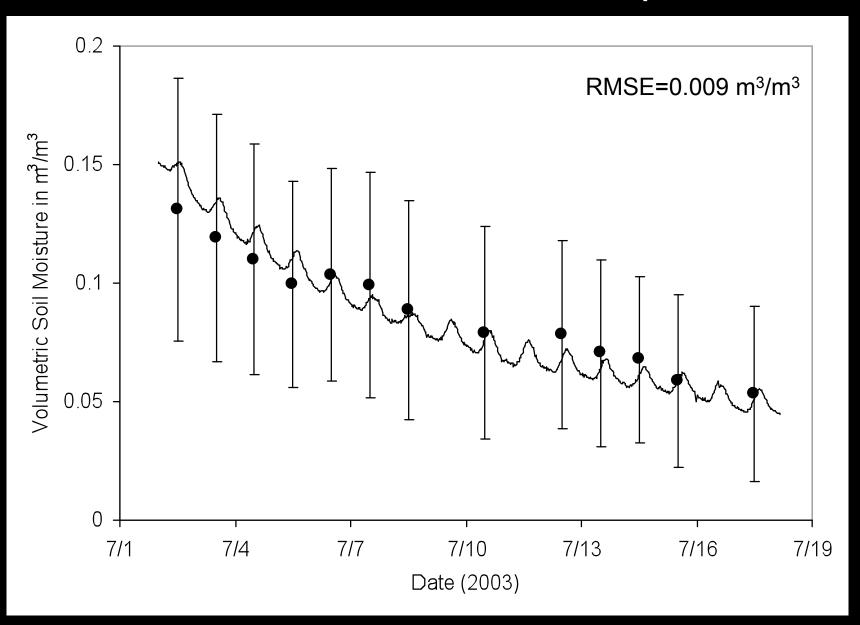




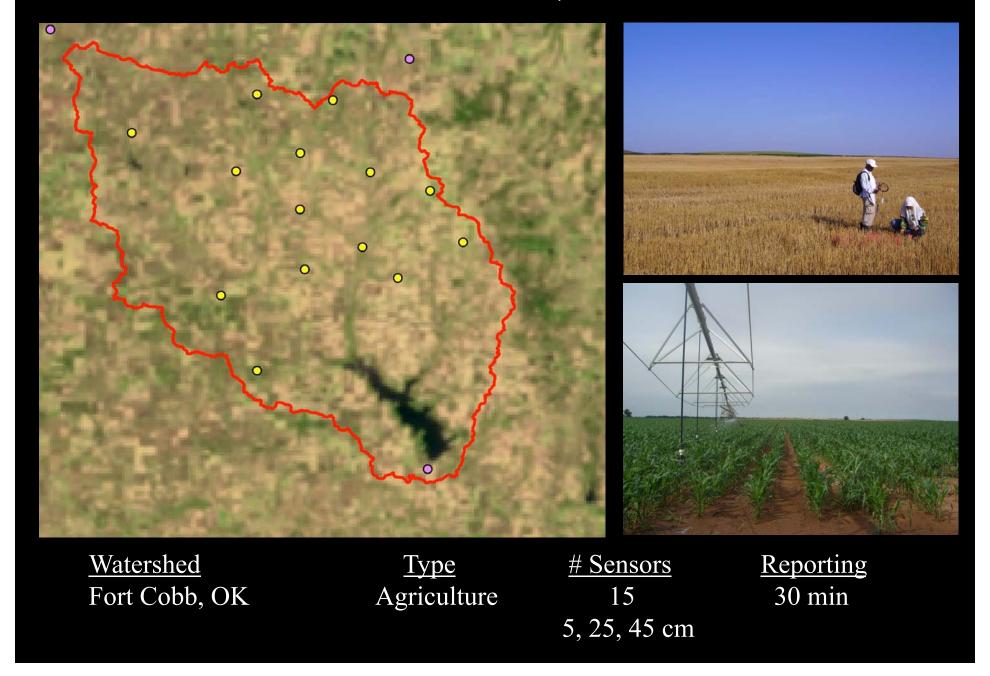


Watershed	<u>Type</u>	# Sensors	Reporting
Little Washita, OK	Grazingland	20 5, 25, 45 cm	30 min

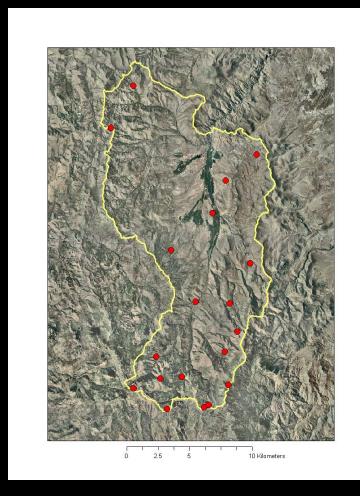
### Little Washita-SMEX03 Comparison



### Fort Cobb, OK



# Reynolds Creek, ID







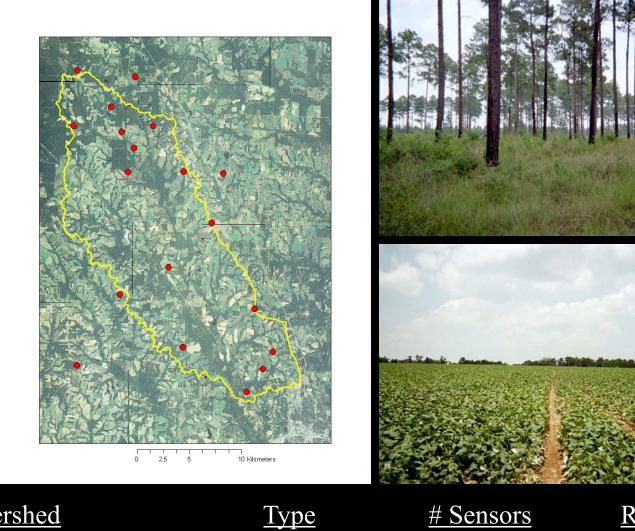
Watershed Reynolds Creek, ID Mountainous

<u>Type</u>

# Sensors 16 5 cm +

Reporting 1 hour

## Little River, GA



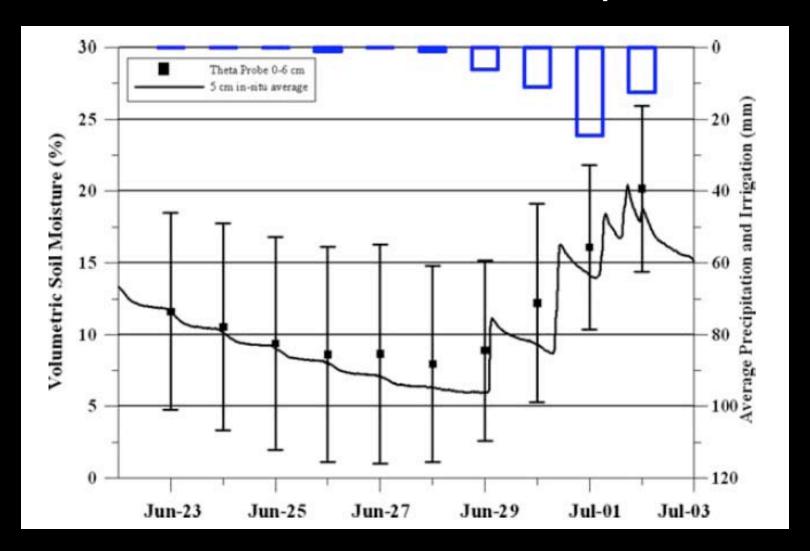
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Little River, GA

Type Forest

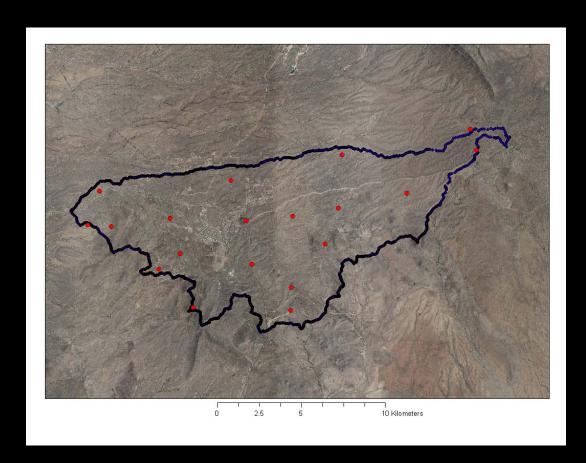
# Sensors 19 + 5, 15, 30 cm

Reporting 30 min

#### Little River-SMEX03 Comparison



#### Walnut Gulch, AZ







Watershed
Walnut Gulch, AZ

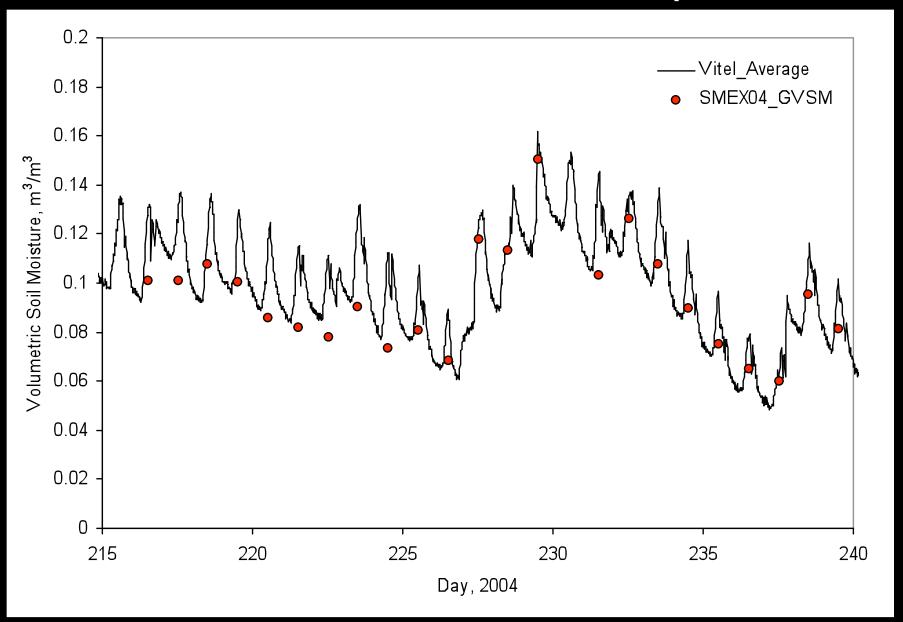
<u>Type</u> Semi-Arid

# Sensors 19 +

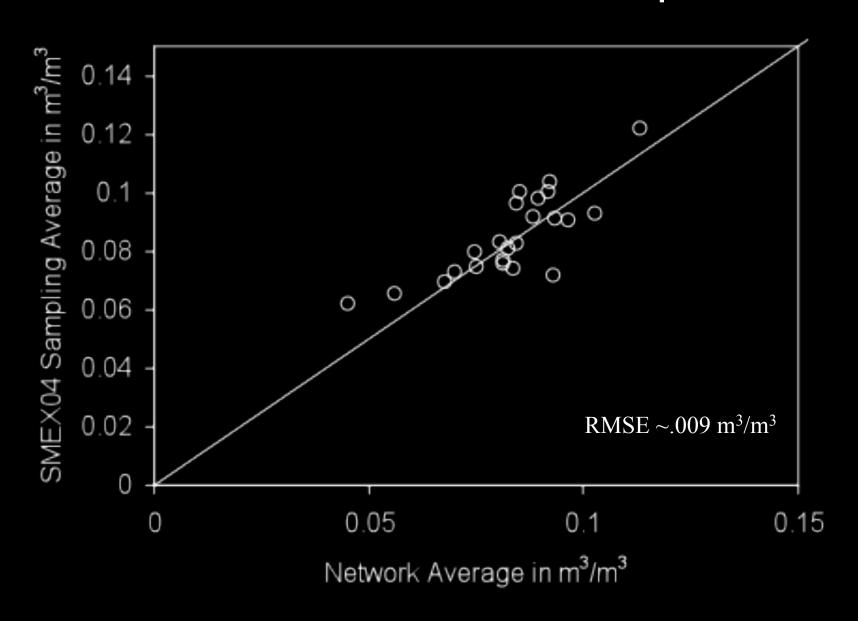
5 cm \*

Reporting 20 min

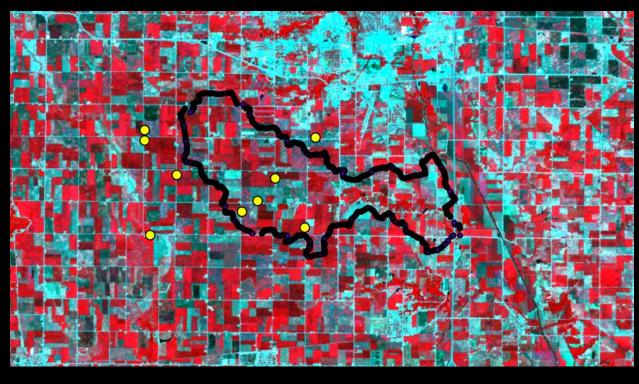
### Walnut Gulch SMEX04 Comparison



#### Walnut Gulch-SMEX04 Comparison



#### Walnut Creek, IA





ng 30 min

Watershed

<u>Type</u>

# Sensors Reporting

Walnut Creek, IA

Plains 5 cm

Since 2006

### Latency

<u>Watershed</u> <u>Time Lag</u>

Little Washita, OK 30 Min

Fort Cobb, OK 30 Min

Reynolds Creek, ID Daily

Little River, GA Daily

Walnut Gulch, AZ Daily

Walnut Creek, IA Monthly