



Figure S1: Comparison between reproducibility indices of river discharge and temperature for stations which are not located in downstream area of lakes: bars are the histograms of each index, and the numbers indicate the associated median and mean values, under JRA55-ELSE meteorological forcing dataset. Blue (red) bars and written values show the results of the coupled (river-only) simulation. (a) CORR, (b) (p)BIAS, and (c) (p)RMSE.