

DIAGTOOL REPORT



**Round Robin (GT cotier) : Mean sea surface.
medsea. J3. Mss cnescls15 vs Mss sio vs Mss
CnesCls21.**

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1 General description

- Figures and notes have been included in this report to evaluate different altimetry products.
- In order to test different version of the Mean sea surface used to calculate the sea level anomaly. Each version has been compared with a reference version. In this case the MSS_CNESCLS15 is the reference one.
- The sea level anomaly has been calculated using each version of the variable and has been compared to the sea level anomaly calculated using the reference version.
- The region of study is medsea
- Mission : J3
- Git last tag :
- Git changeset number : fab9b1d-2022-06-30

2 Processing

2.1 sla formula

2.1.1 MSS_CNESCLS15 product 'sla'

```

sla = ORBIT.ALTI.CNES_POE_F -
      RANGE.ALTI.RTK_ADAPTIVE_PROTO + ellipsoid_correction -
      MEAN_SEA_SURFACE.MODEL.CNESCLS15_WGS84 -
      SEA_STATE_BIAS.ALTI.ADAPTIVE_PROTO -
      IONOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.GIM -
      WET_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.RAD -
      DRY_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.ECMWF -
      DYNAMICAL_ATMOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.MOG2D_HR -
      OCEAN_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.FES14B -
      SOLID_EARTH_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.CARTWRIGHT_TAYLER_71 -
      POLE_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.DESAI_2015
  
```

2.1.2 `Mss_sio` product 'sla

```
sla = ORBIT.ALTI.CNES_POE_F -  
      RANGE.ALTI.RTK_ADAPTIVE_PROTO + ellipsoid_correction -  
      MSS_SIO.CTOH_J3 -  
      SEA_STATE_BIAS.ALTI.ADAPTIVE_PROTO -  
      IONOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.GIM -  
      WET_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.RAD -  
      DRY_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.ECMWF -  
      DYNAMICAL_ATMOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.MOG2D_HR -  
      OCEAN_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.FES14B -  
      SOLID_EARTH_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.CARTWRIGHT_TAYLER_71 -  
      POLE_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.DESAI_2015
```

2.1.3 `Mss_CnesCls21` product 'sla

```
sla = ORBIT.ALTI.CNES_POE_F -  
      RANGE.ALTI.RTK_ADAPTIVE_PROTO + ellipsoid_correction -  
      MEAN_SEA_SURFACE.MODEL.CNESCLS21.CTOH_J3 -  
      SEA_STATE_BIAS.ALTI.ADAPTIVE_PROTO -  
      IONOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.GIM -  
      WET_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.RAD -  
      DRY_TROPOSPHERIC_CORRECTION.MODEL.ECMWF -  
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      OCEAN_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.FES14B -  
      SOLID_EARTH_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.CARTWRIGHT_TAYLER_71 -  
      POLE_TIDE_HEIGHT.MODEL.DESAI_2015
```

2.2 Binning

Each track has been divided to a set of sections, where the center of each section is separated by the sample frequency of the satellite times it's velocity.

The data located within the sections limits represent the altimetry time-series on which the statistics will be calculated and visualized in this report.

2.3 Filtering

- The sla has been filtered by a threshold of 3 m.
- Each sla time-serie has been filtered by a window of $[-4\sigma, 4\sigma]$, where σ is the standard deviation of the sla time serie

3 Spatial coherence analysis

3.1 MSS

3.1.1 MSS 's count

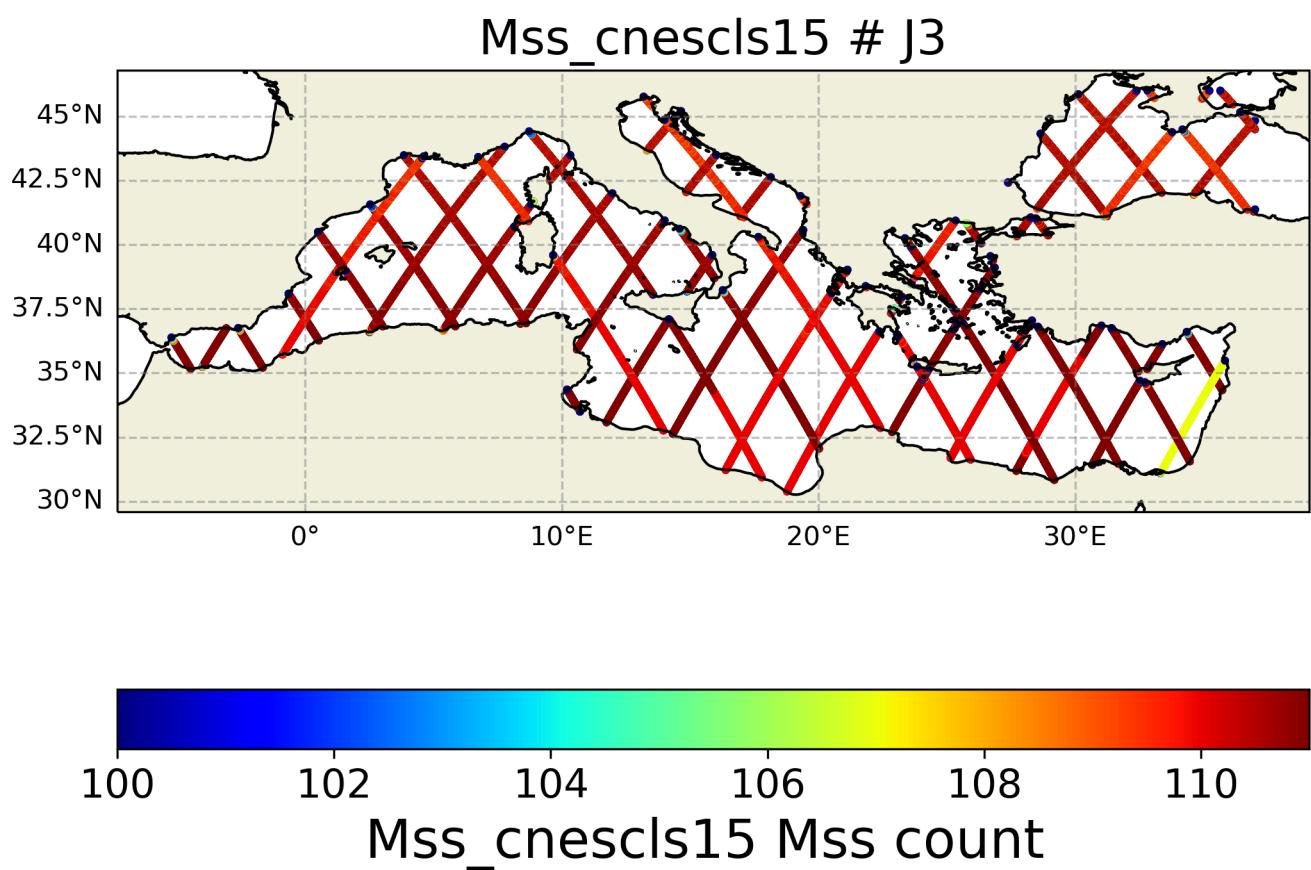


FIGURE 1 – Spatial coherence analysis of the count of the `Mss_cnescls15` version of `Mss` variable

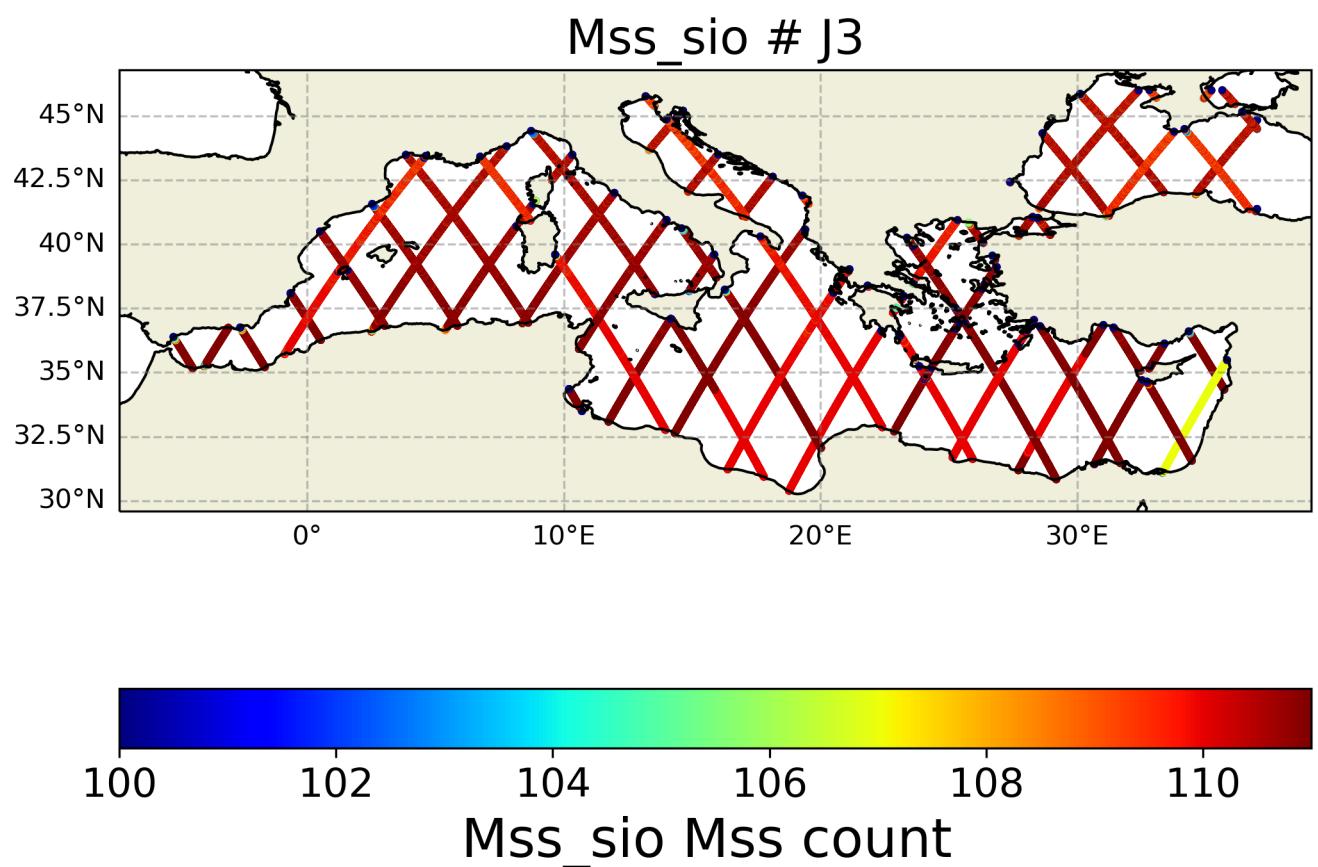


FIGURE 2 – Spatial coherence analysis of the count of the Mss_sio version of Mss variable

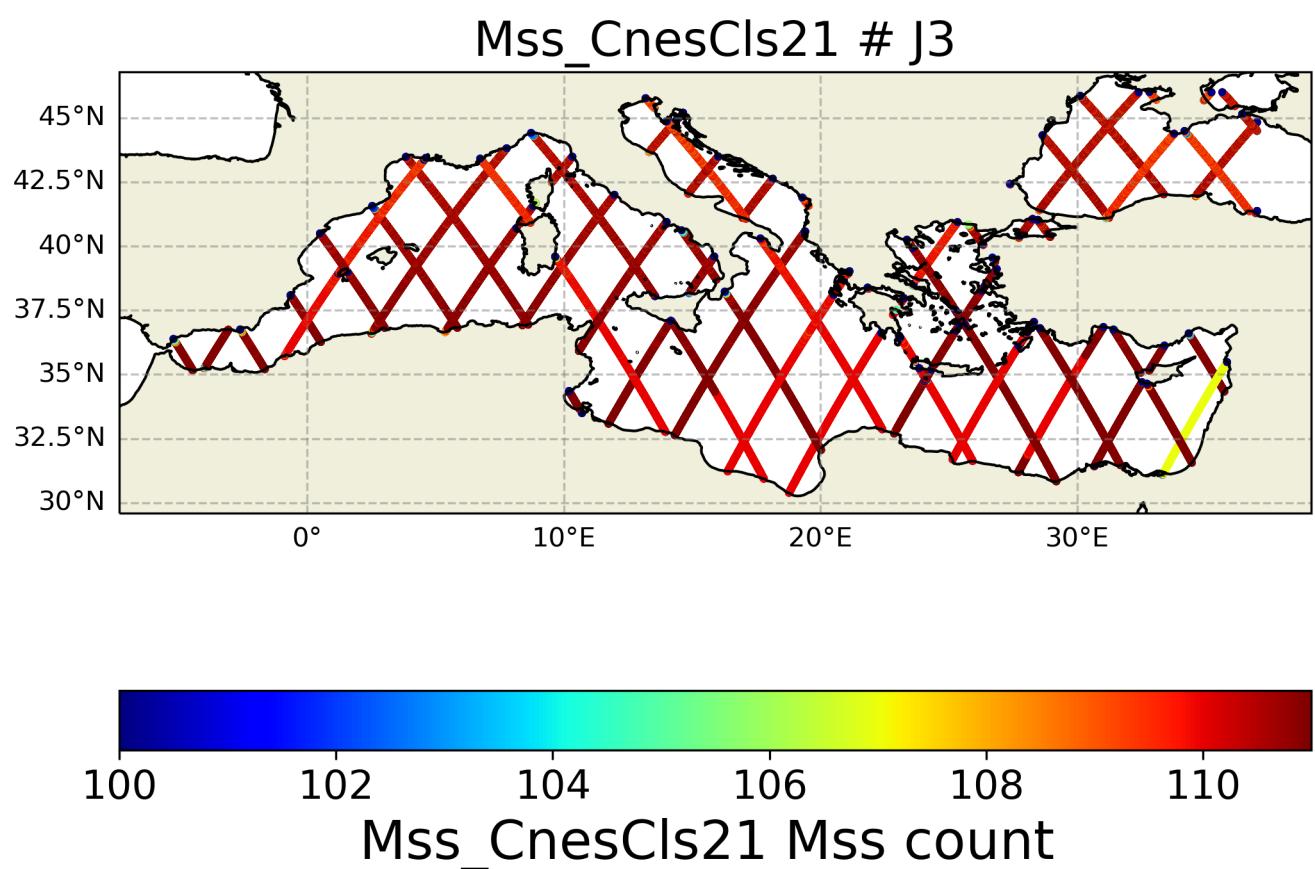


FIGURE 3 – Spatial coherence analysis of the count of the Mss_CnesCls21 version of Mss variable

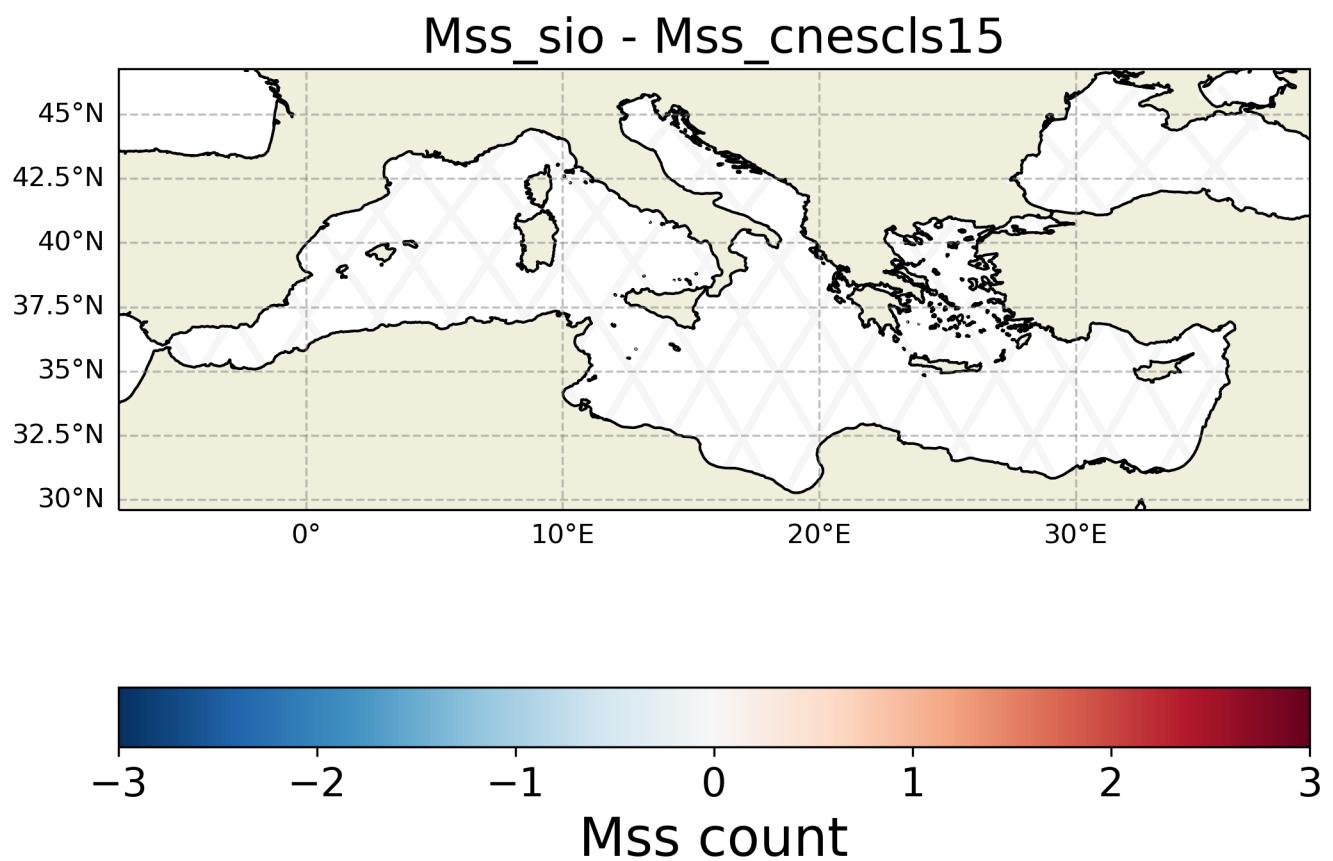


FIGURE 4 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in MSS 's count between MSS_sio and MSS_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_cnescls15

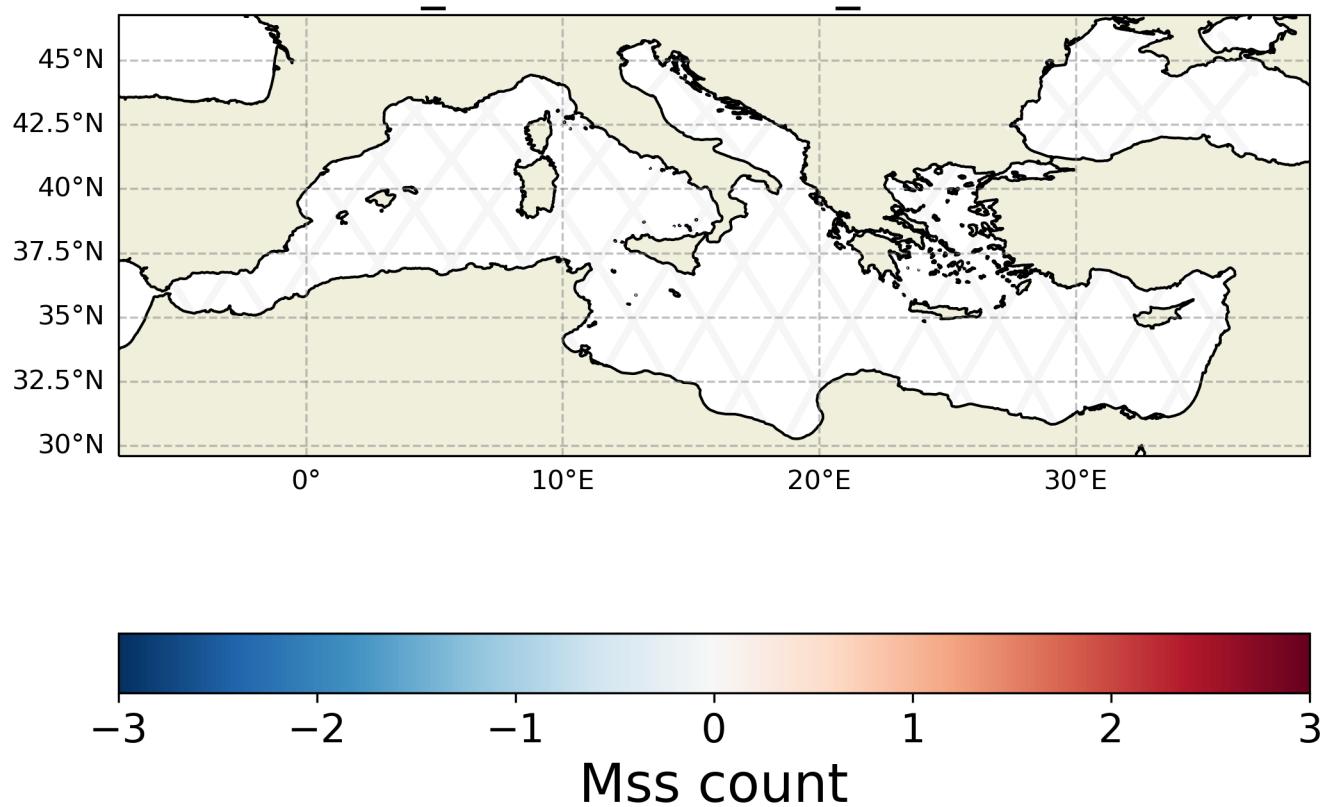


FIGURE 5 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in MSS 's count between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_sio

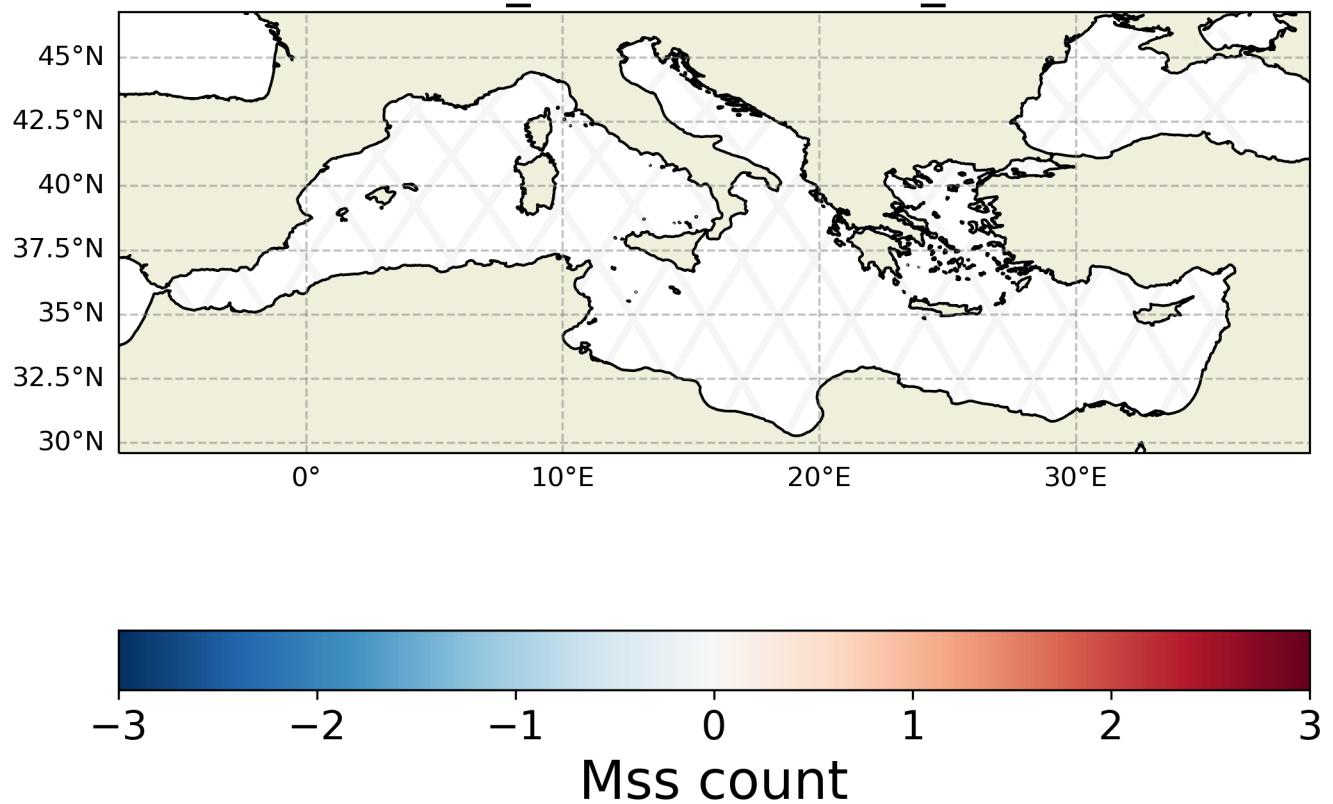


FIGURE 6 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in MSS 's count between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_sio

3.1.2 Mss's std

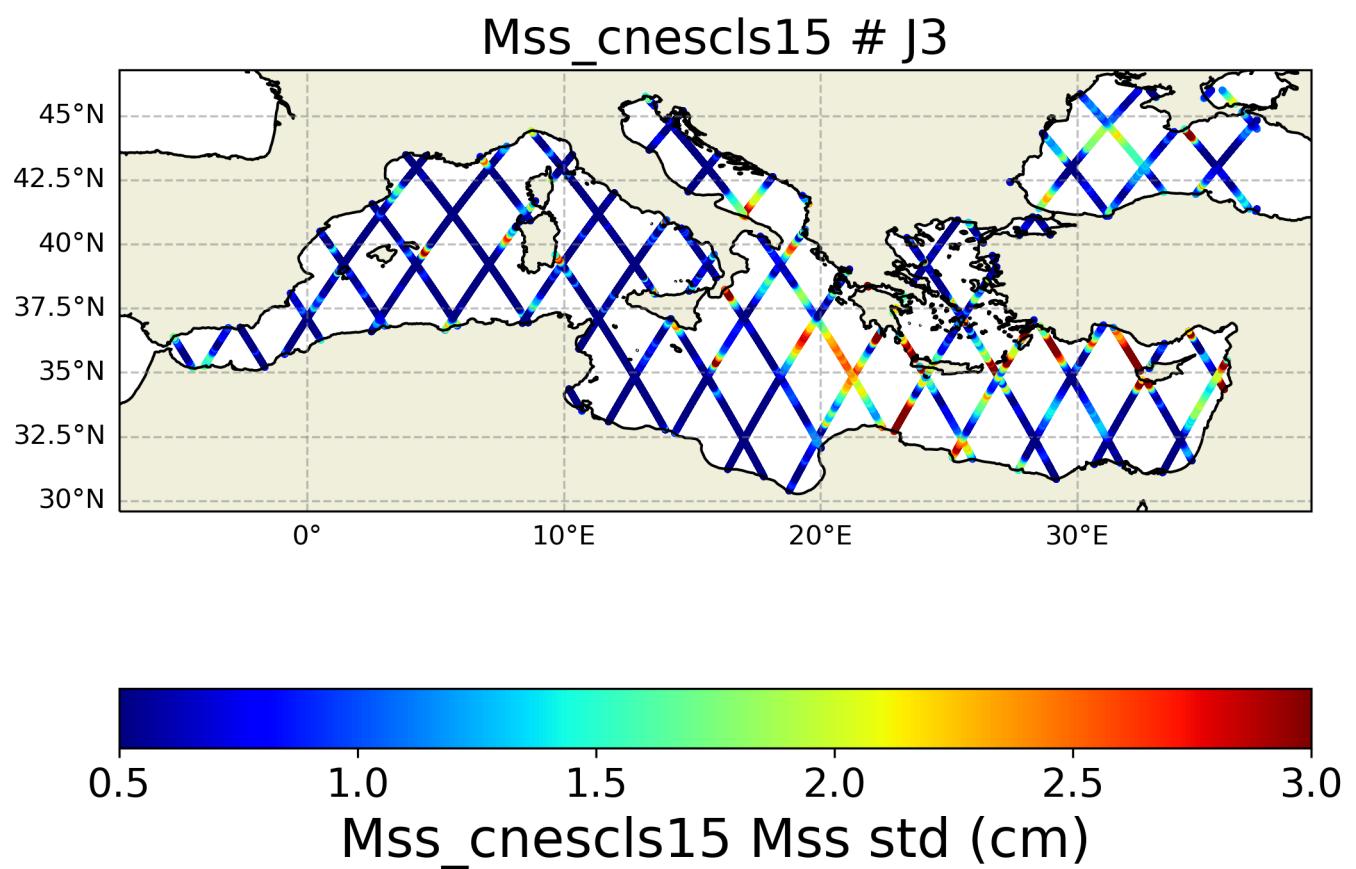


FIGURE 7 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the `Mss_cnescls15` version of `Mss` variable

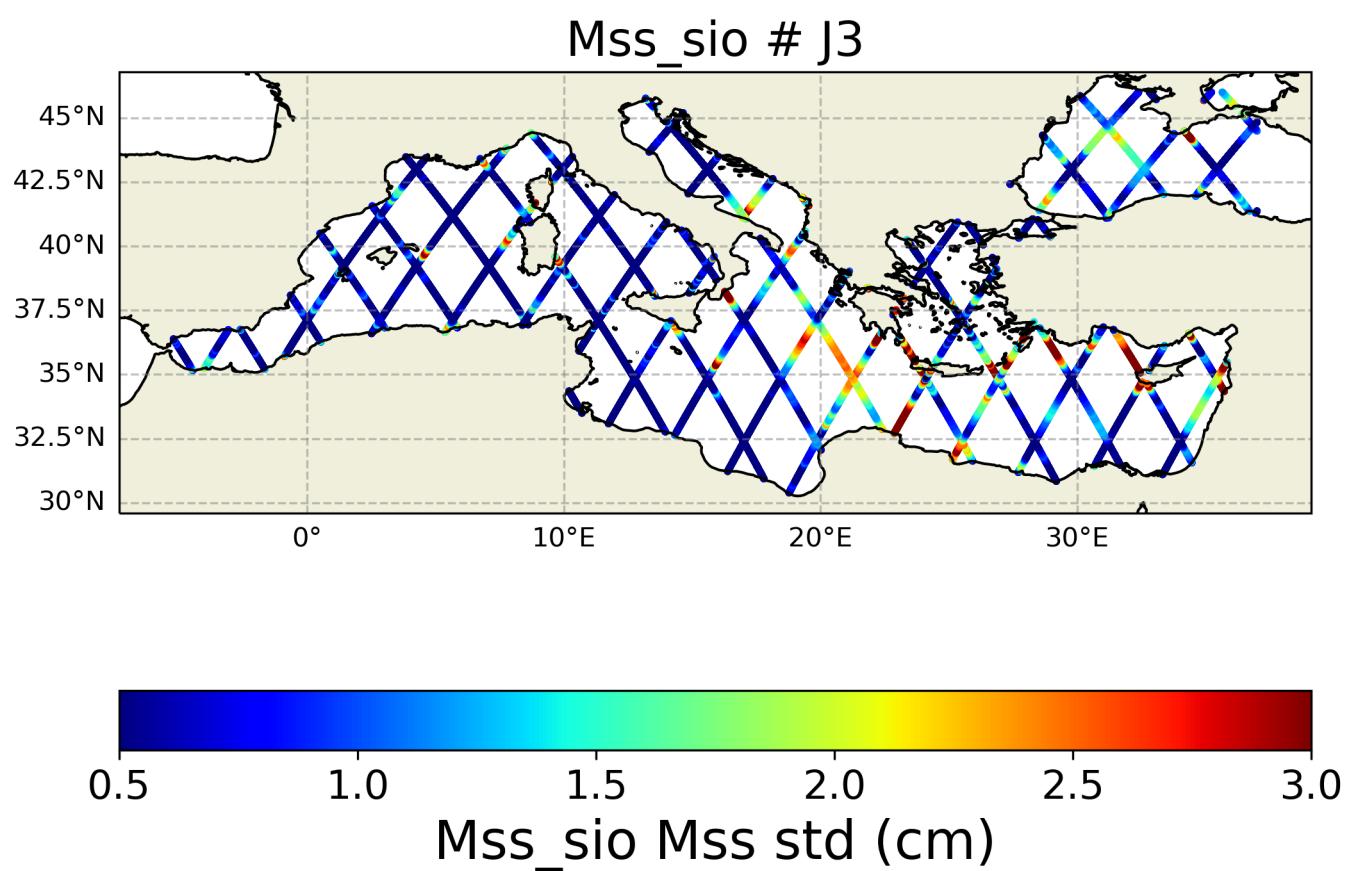


FIGURE 8 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the Mss_sio version of Mss variable

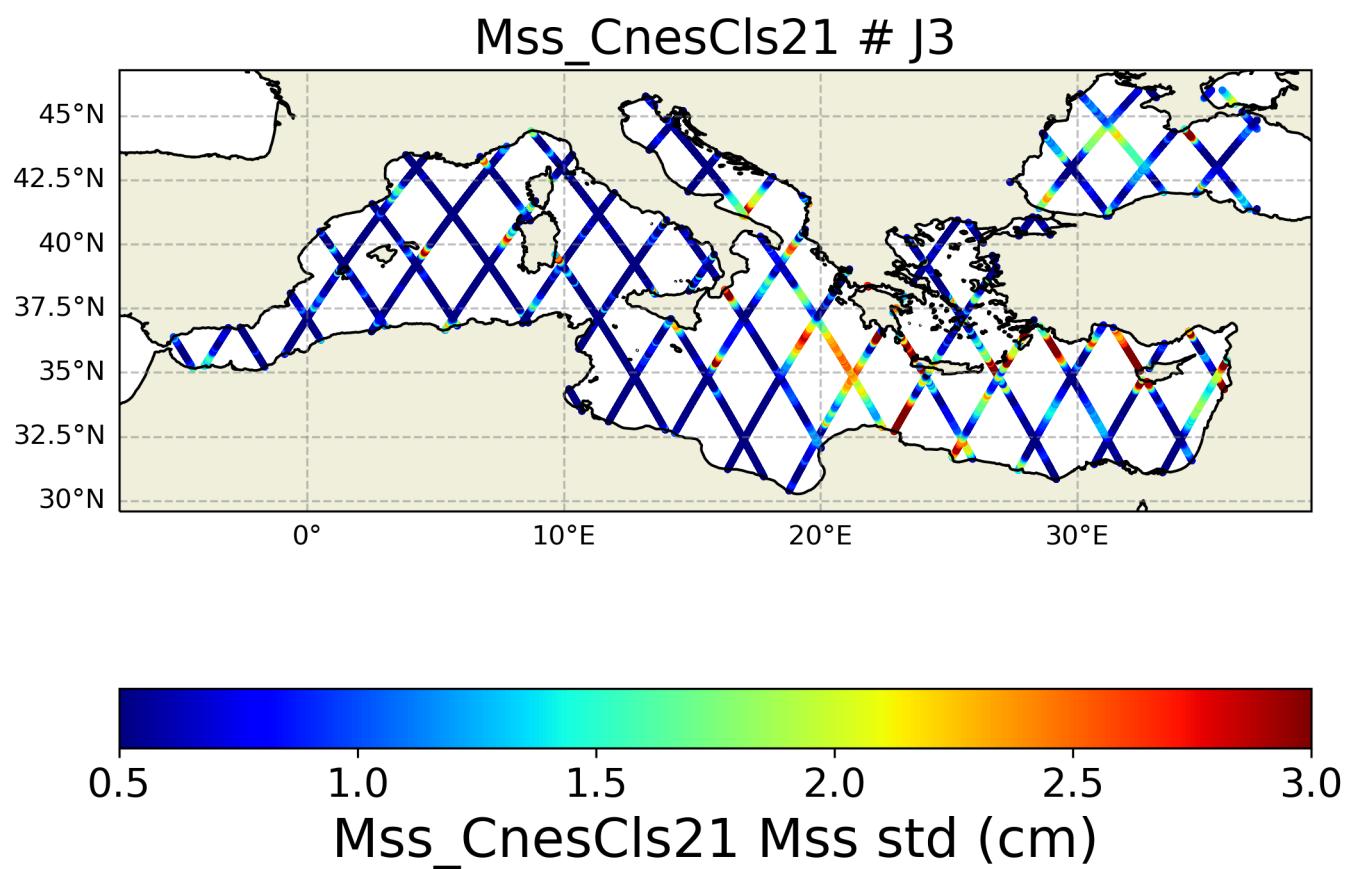


FIGURE 9 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the Mss_CnesCls21 version of Mss variable

Mss_sio - Mss_cnescls15

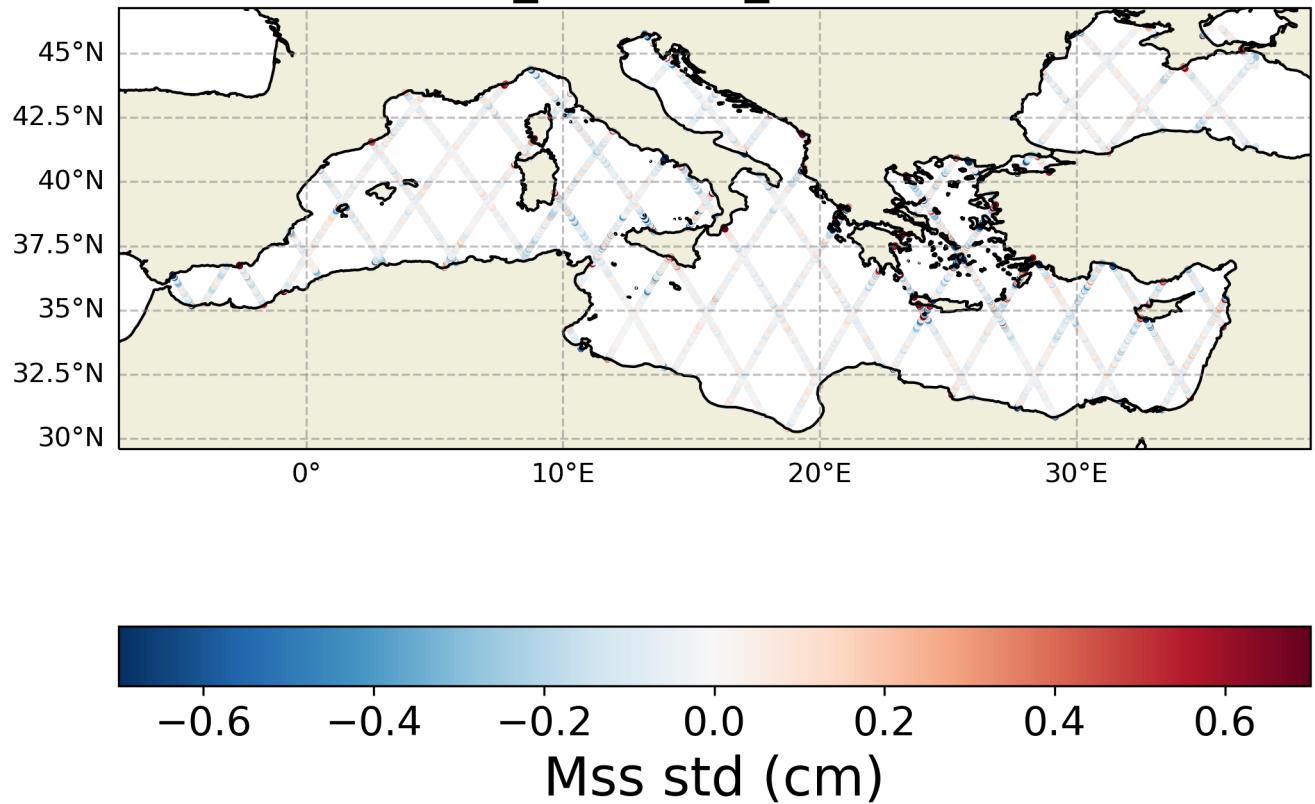


FIGURE 10 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's std between Mss_sio and Mss_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_cnescls15

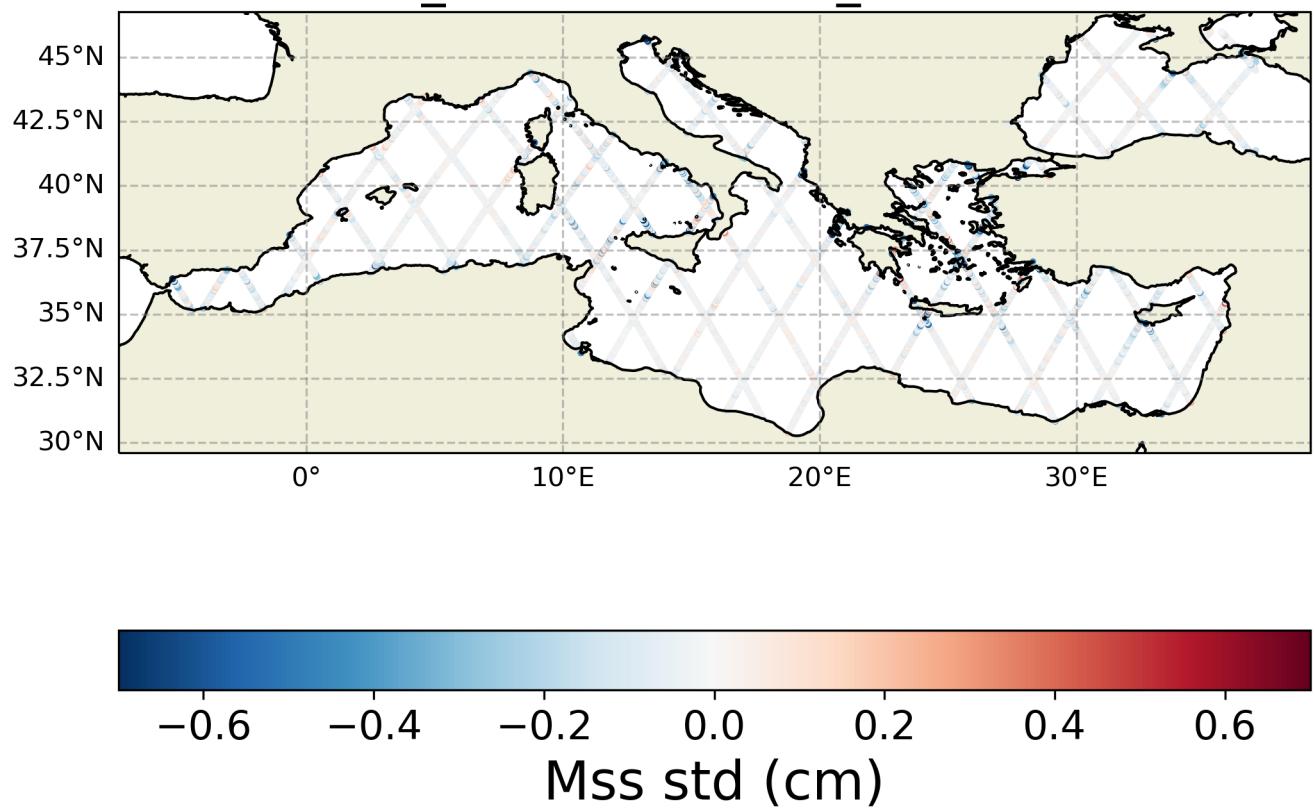


FIGURE 11 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's std between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_cnescls15

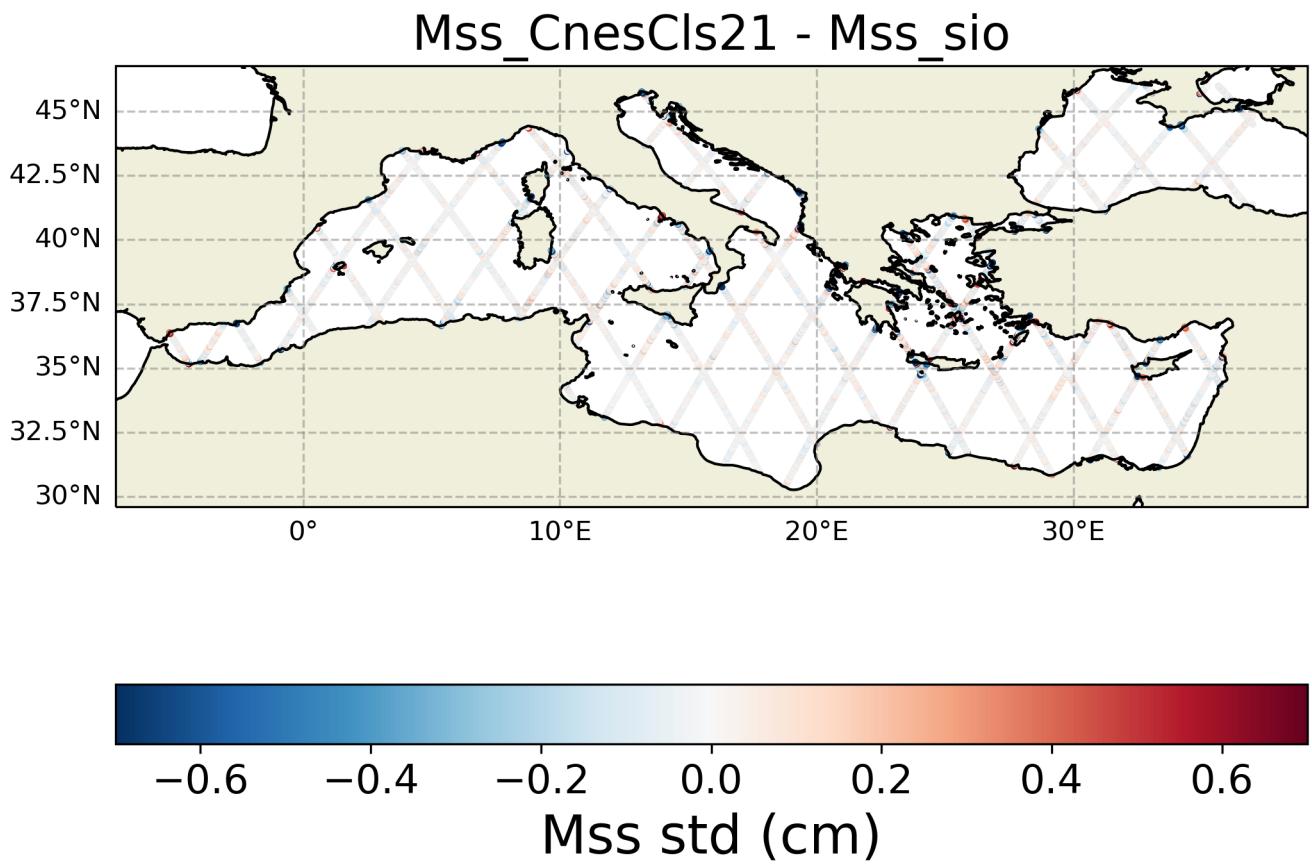


FIGURE 12 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's std between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_sio

3.1.3 Mss 's mean

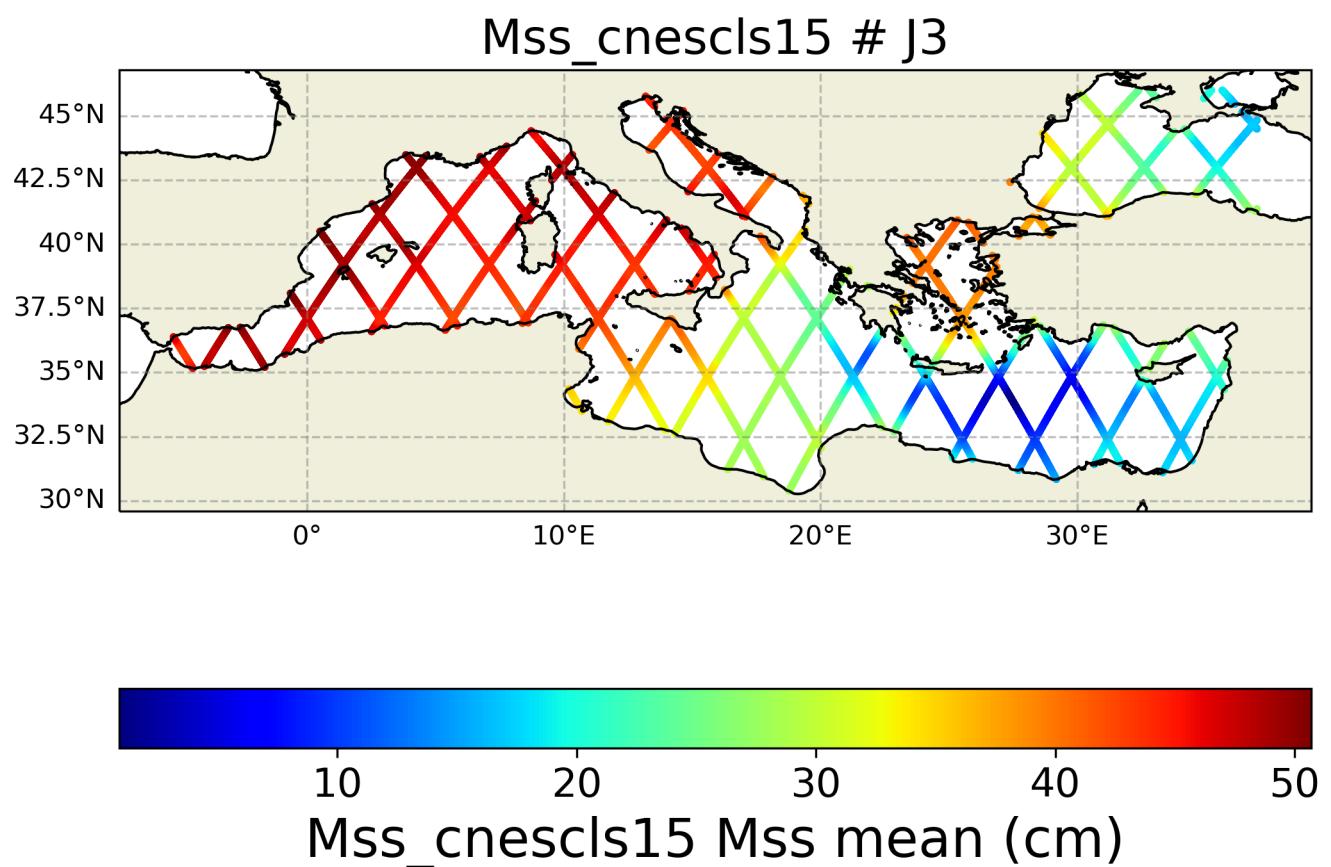


FIGURE 13 – Spatial coherence analysis of the mean of the Mss_cnescls15 version of Mss variable

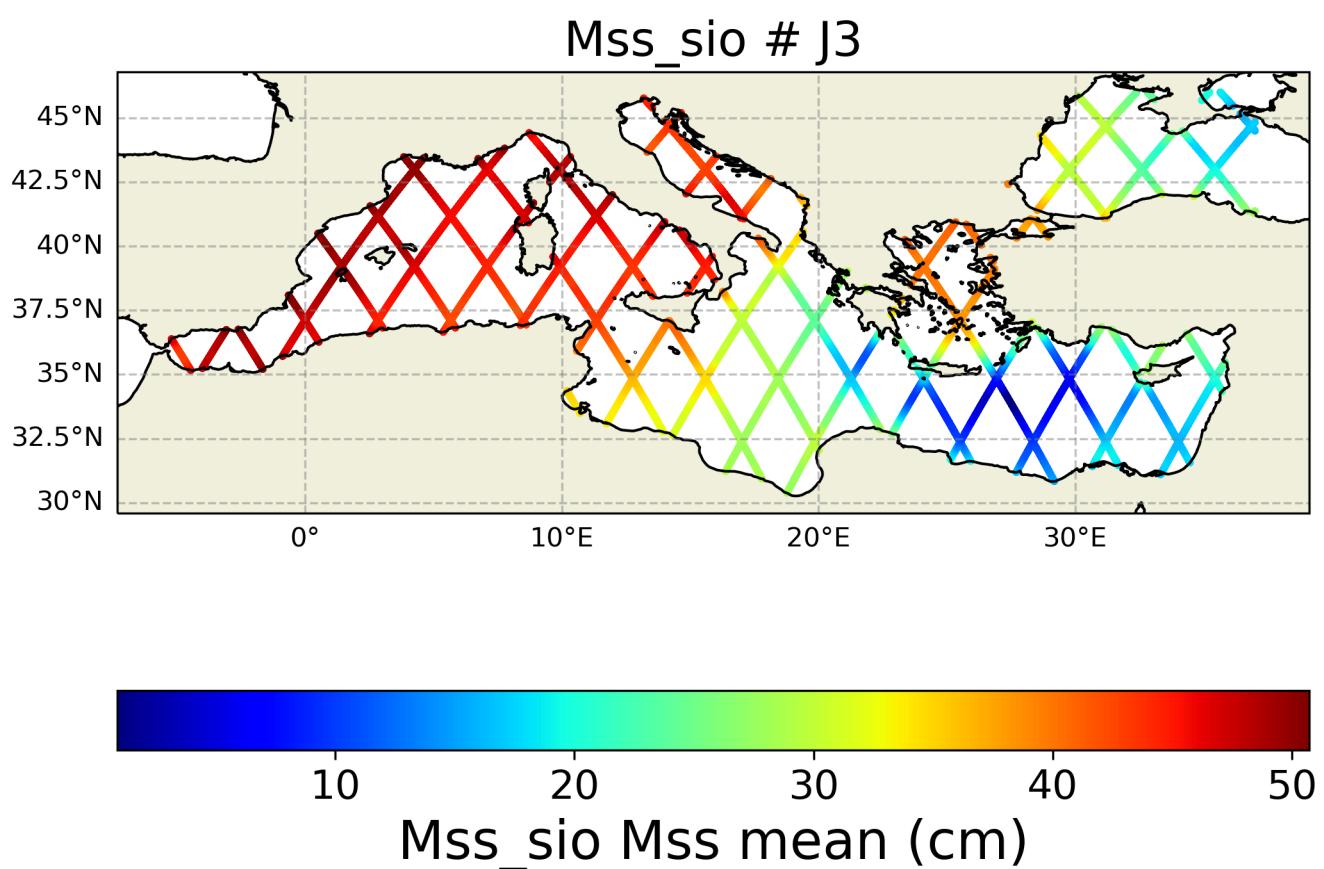


FIGURE 14 – Spatial coherence analysis of the mean of the Mss_sio version of Mss variable

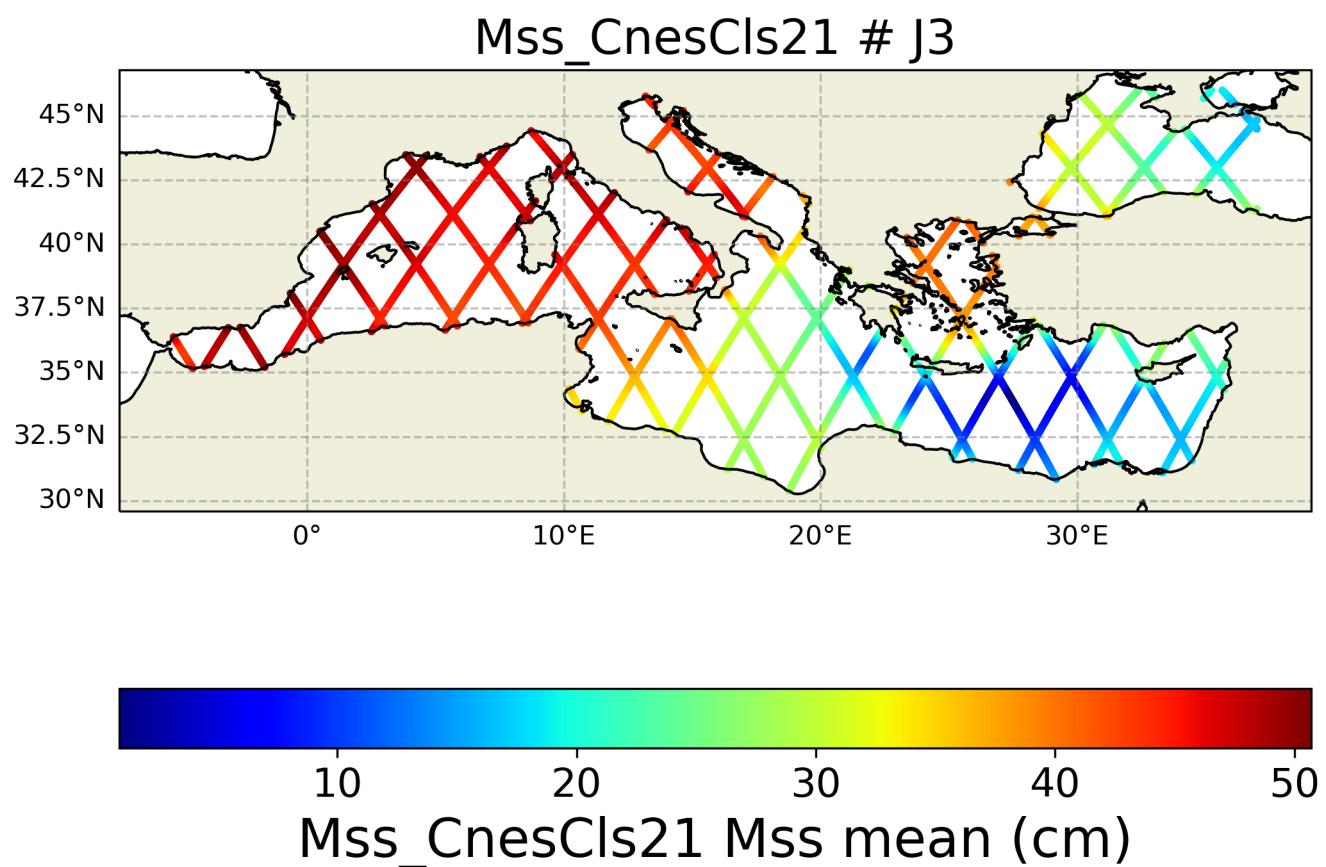


FIGURE 15 – Spatial coherence analysis of the mean of the Mss_CnesCls21 version of Mss variable

Mss_sio - Mss_cnescls15

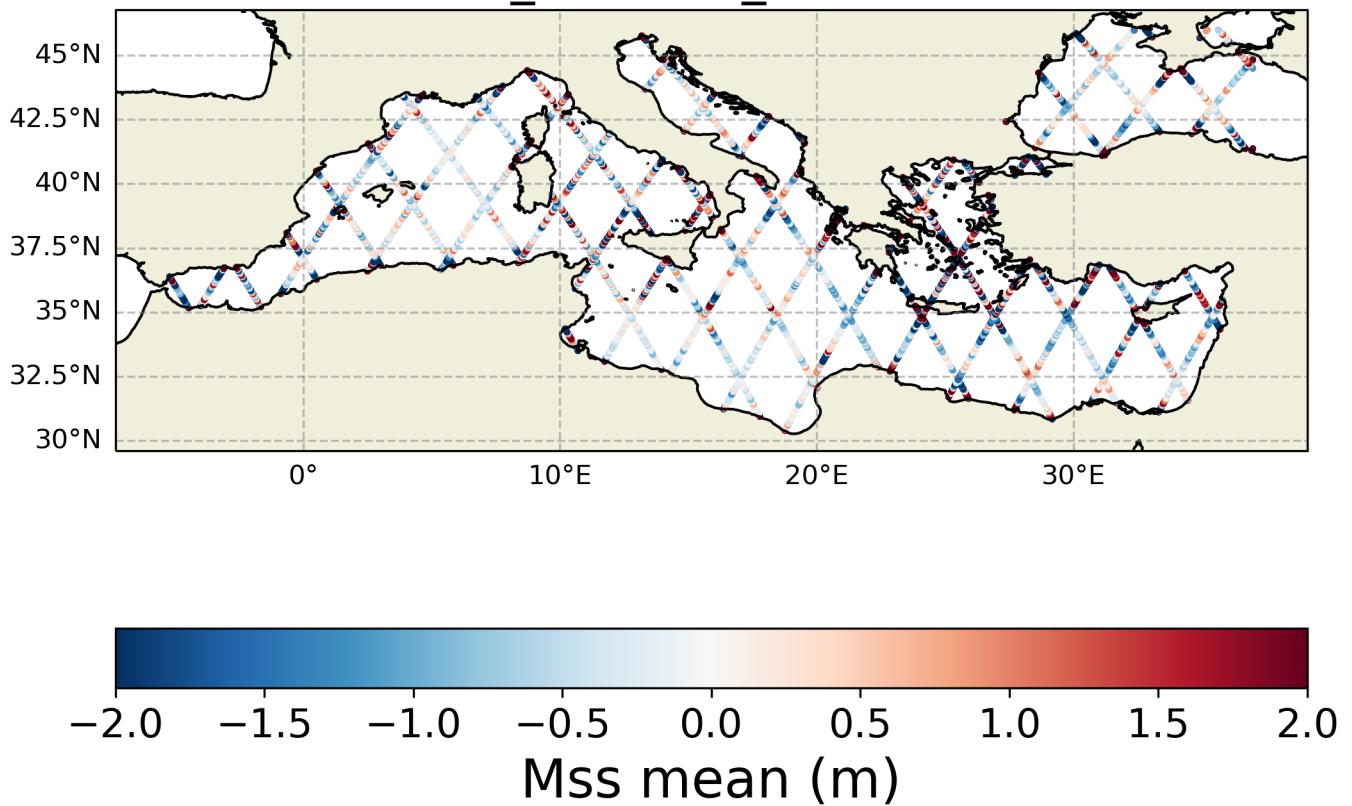


FIGURE 16 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's mean between Mss_sio and Mss_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_cnescls15

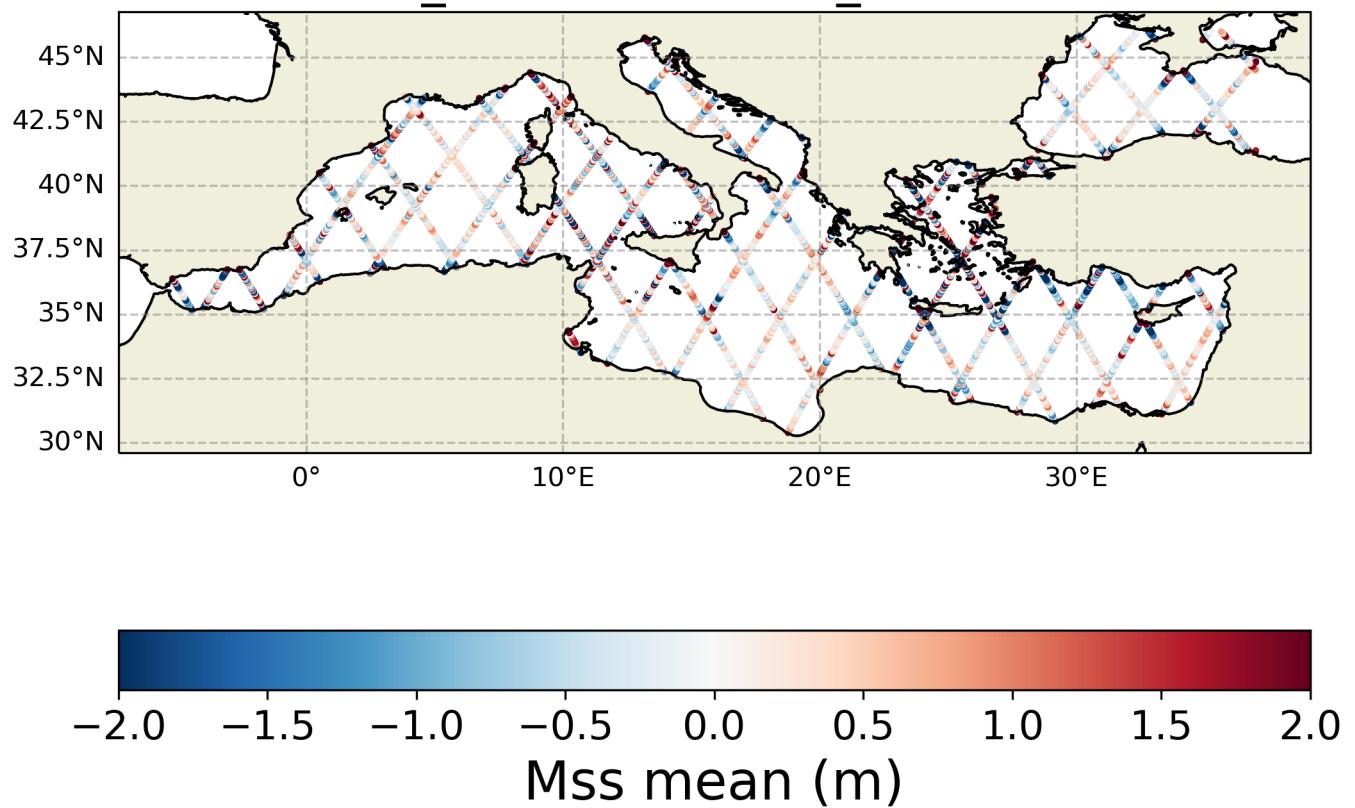


FIGURE 17 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's mean between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_sio

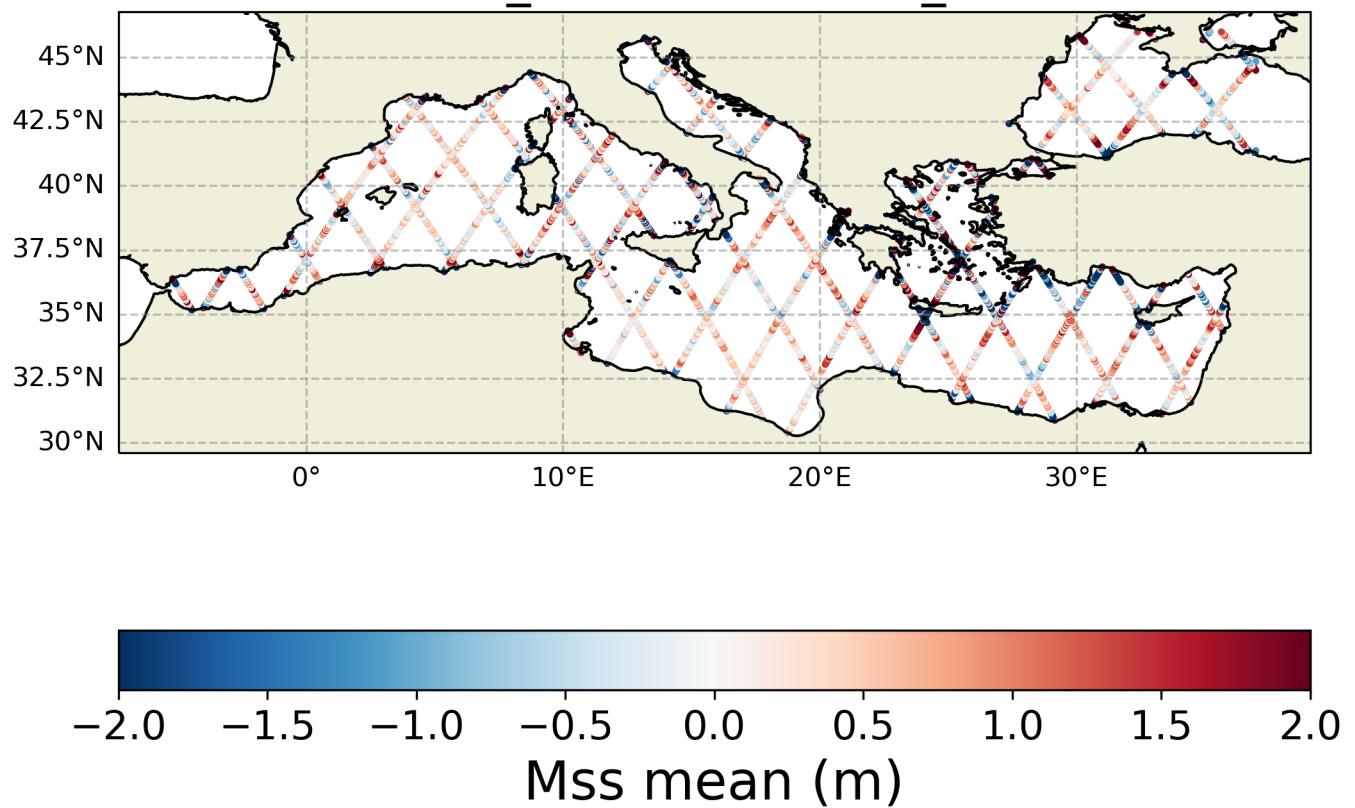


FIGURE 18 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in Mss 's mean between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_sio

3.2 sla

3.2.1 sla 's std

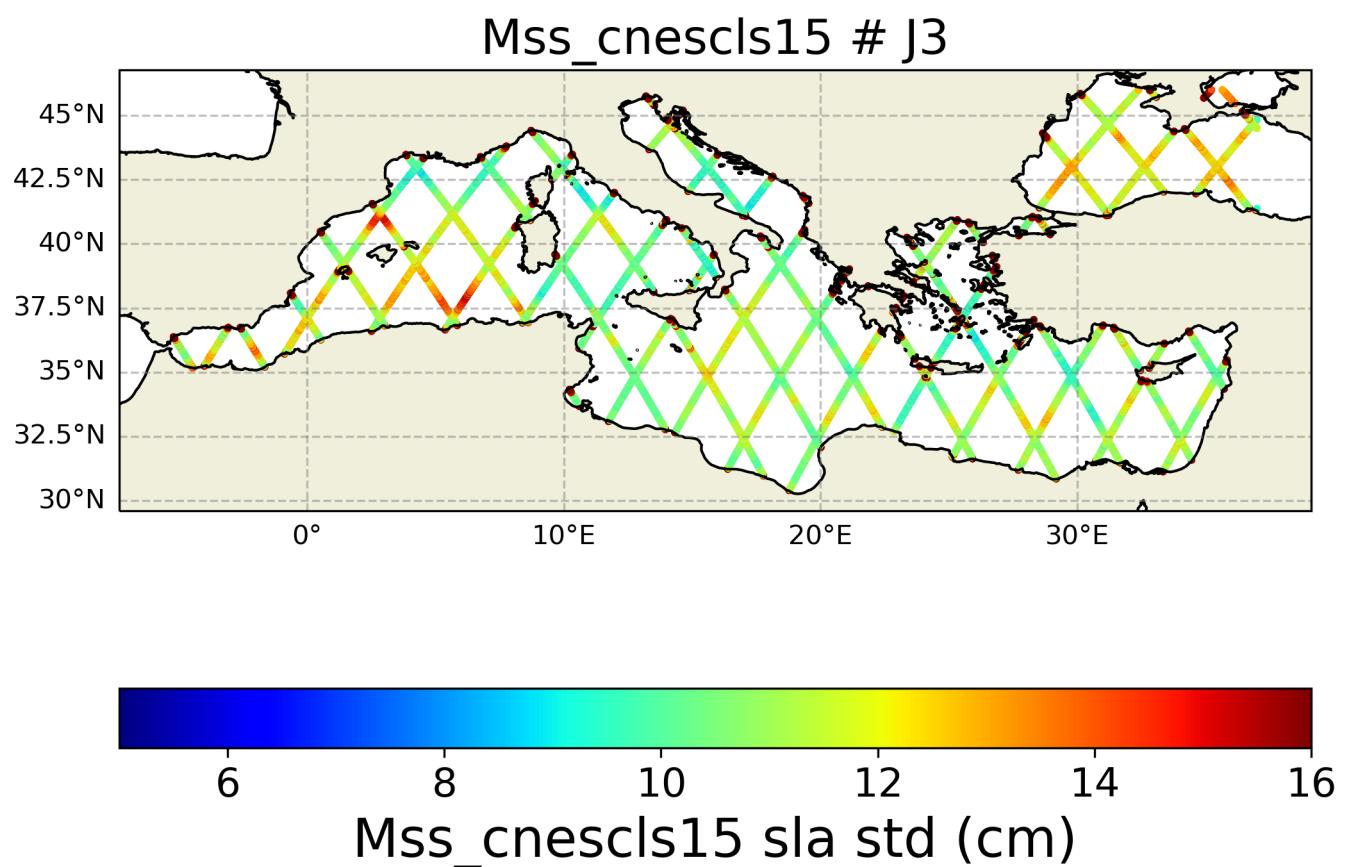


FIGURE 19 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the `Mss_cnescls15` version of `sla` variable

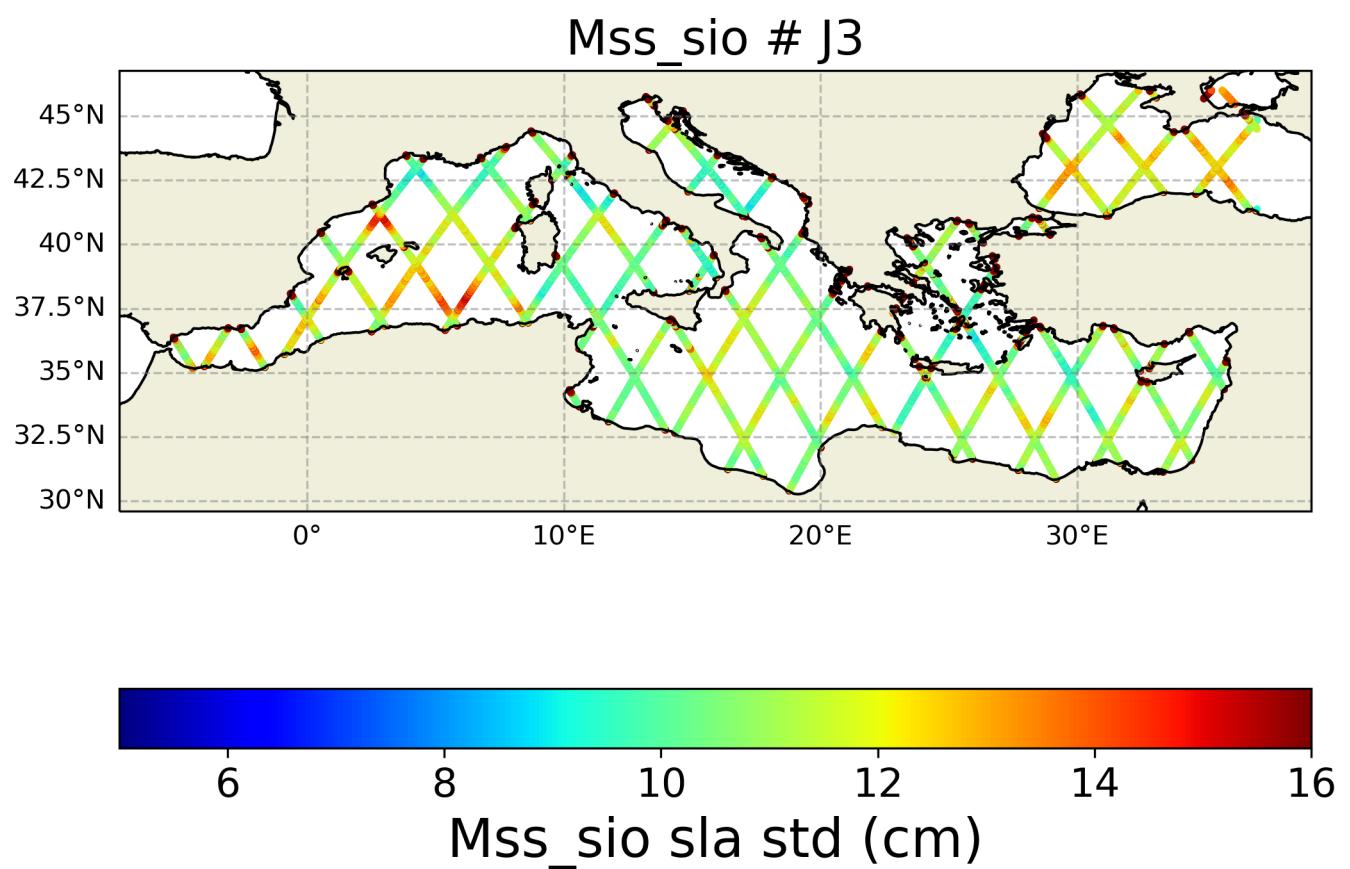


FIGURE 20 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the Mss_sio version of sla variable

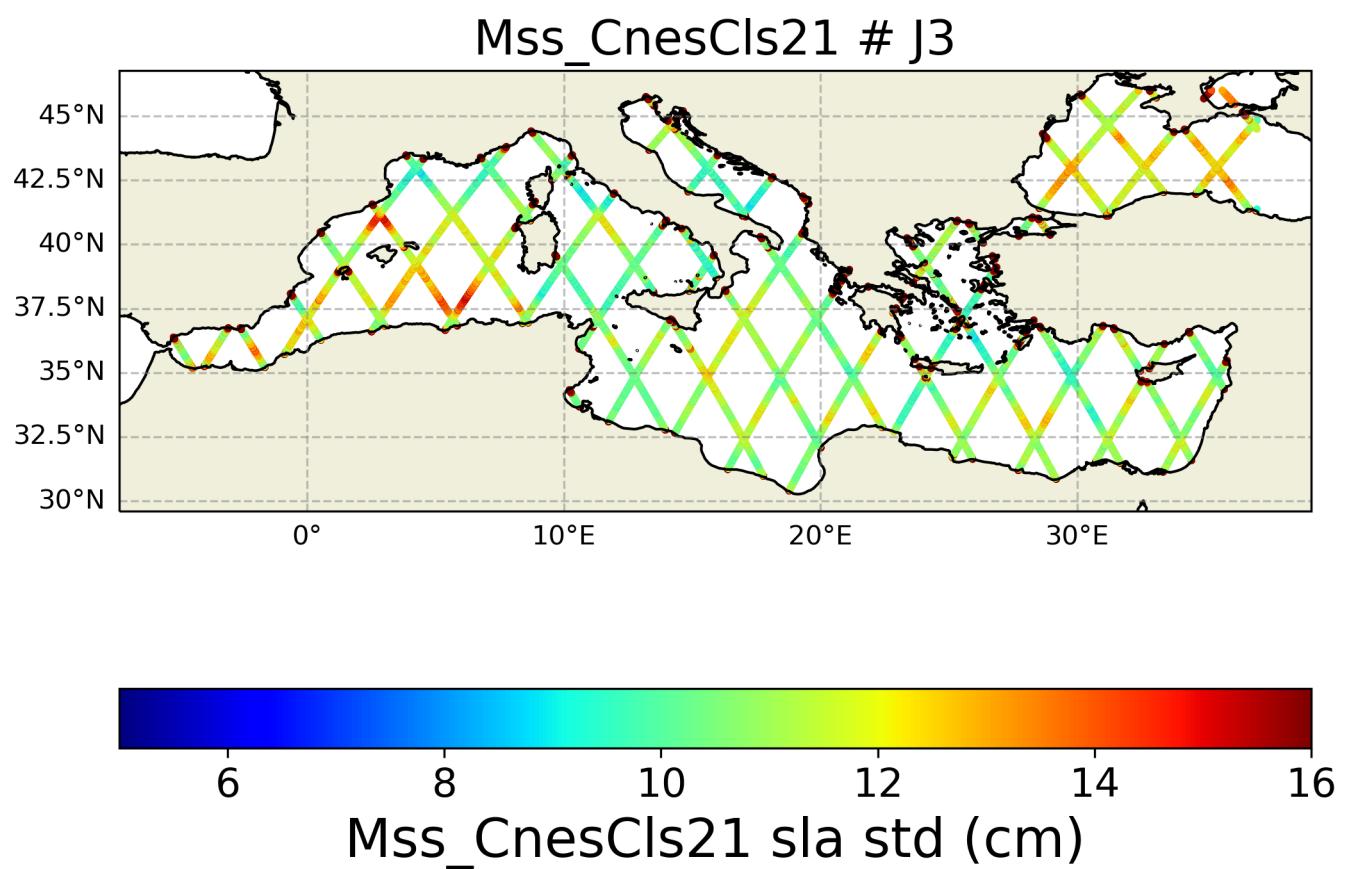


FIGURE 21 – Spatial coherence analysis of the std of the Mss_CnesCls21 version of sla variable

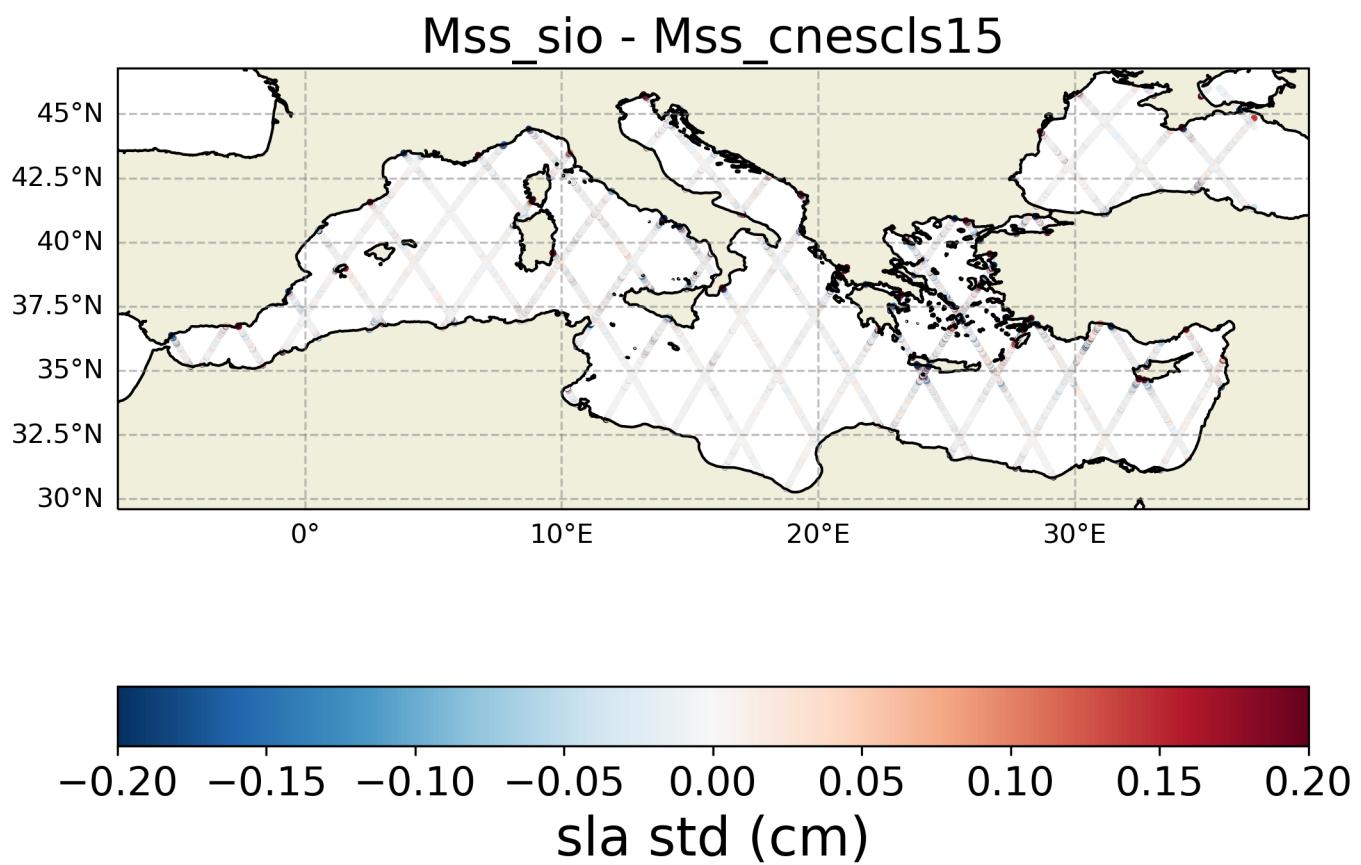


FIGURE 22 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in sla 's std between **Mss_sio** and **Mss_cnescls15**

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_cnescls15

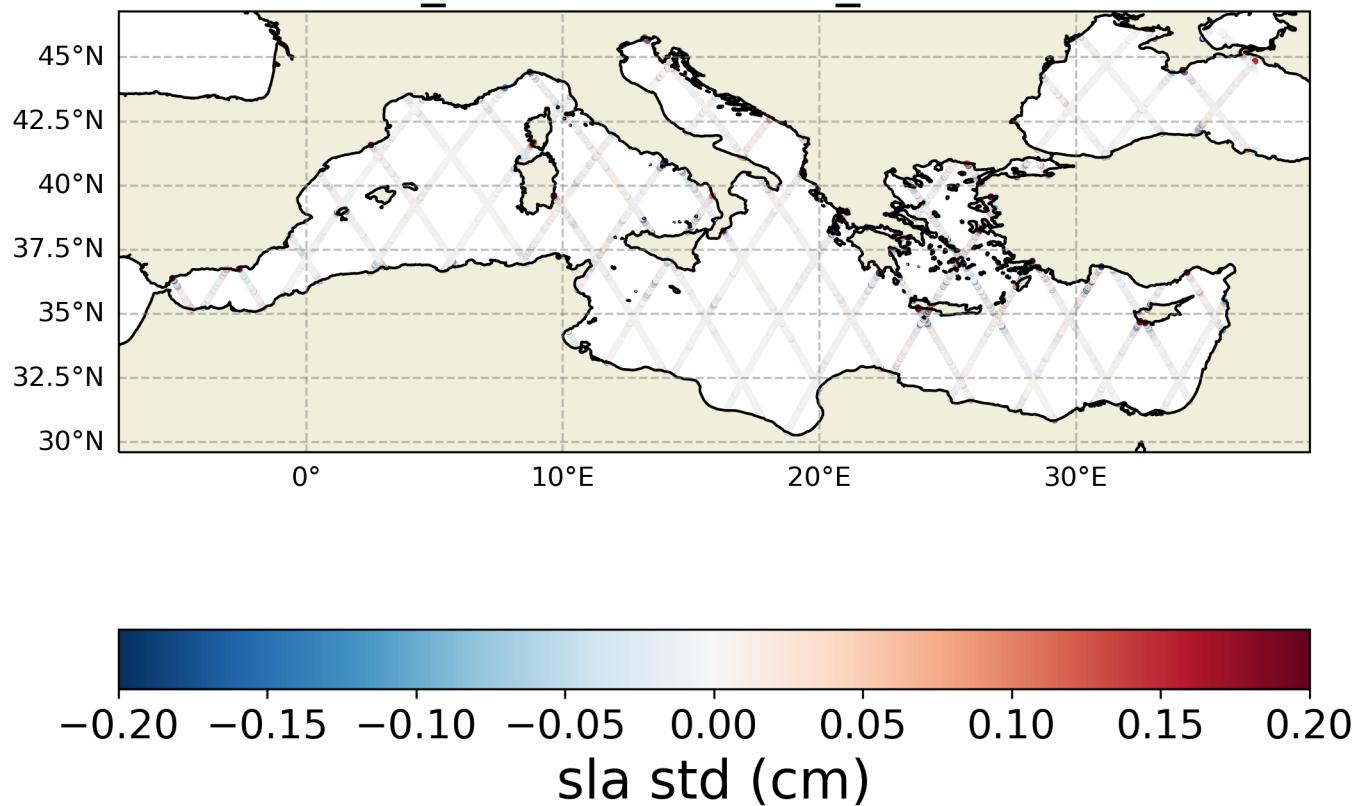


FIGURE 23 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in sla 's std between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_cnescls15

Mss_CnesCls21 - Mss_sio

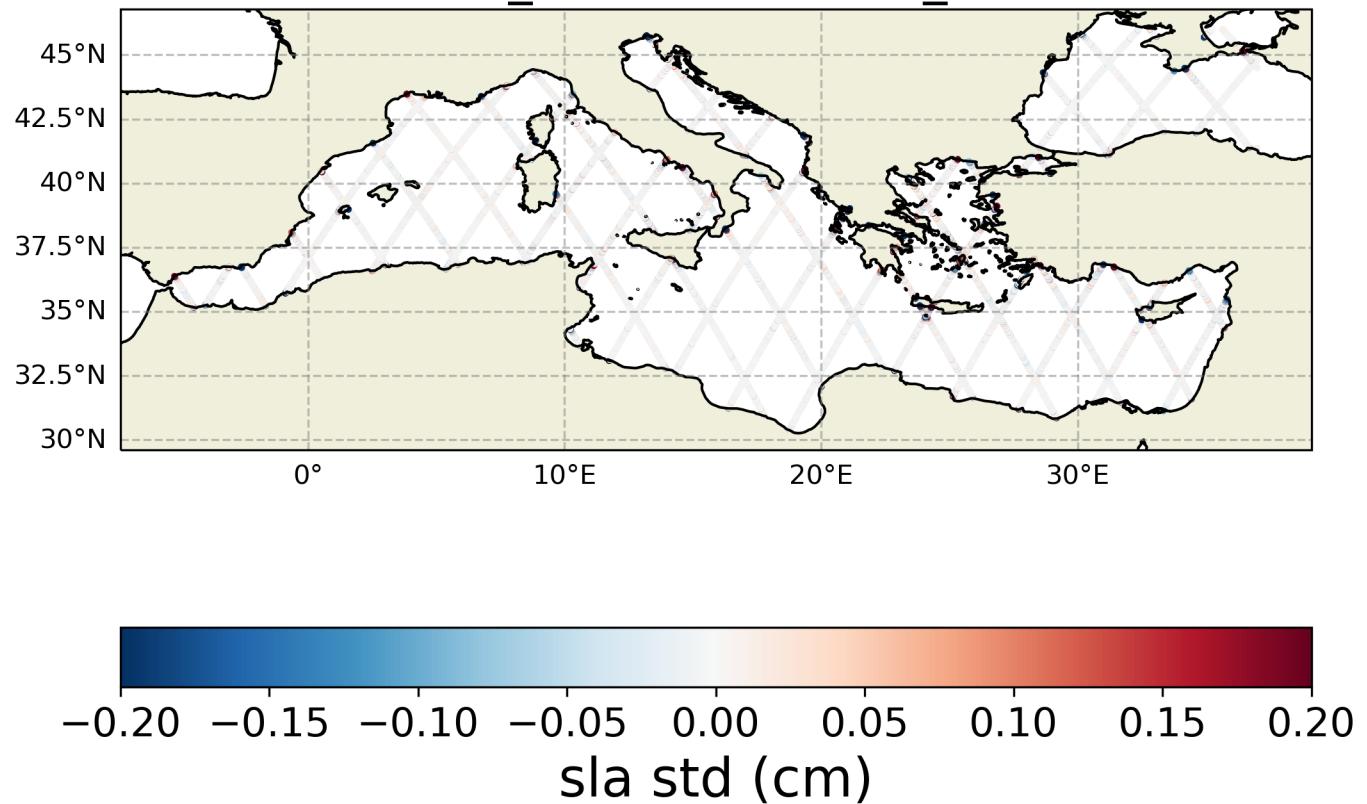


FIGURE 24 – Spatial coherence analysis of the Difference in sla 's std between Mss_CnesCls21 and Mss_sio

4 Histograms

4.1 MSS

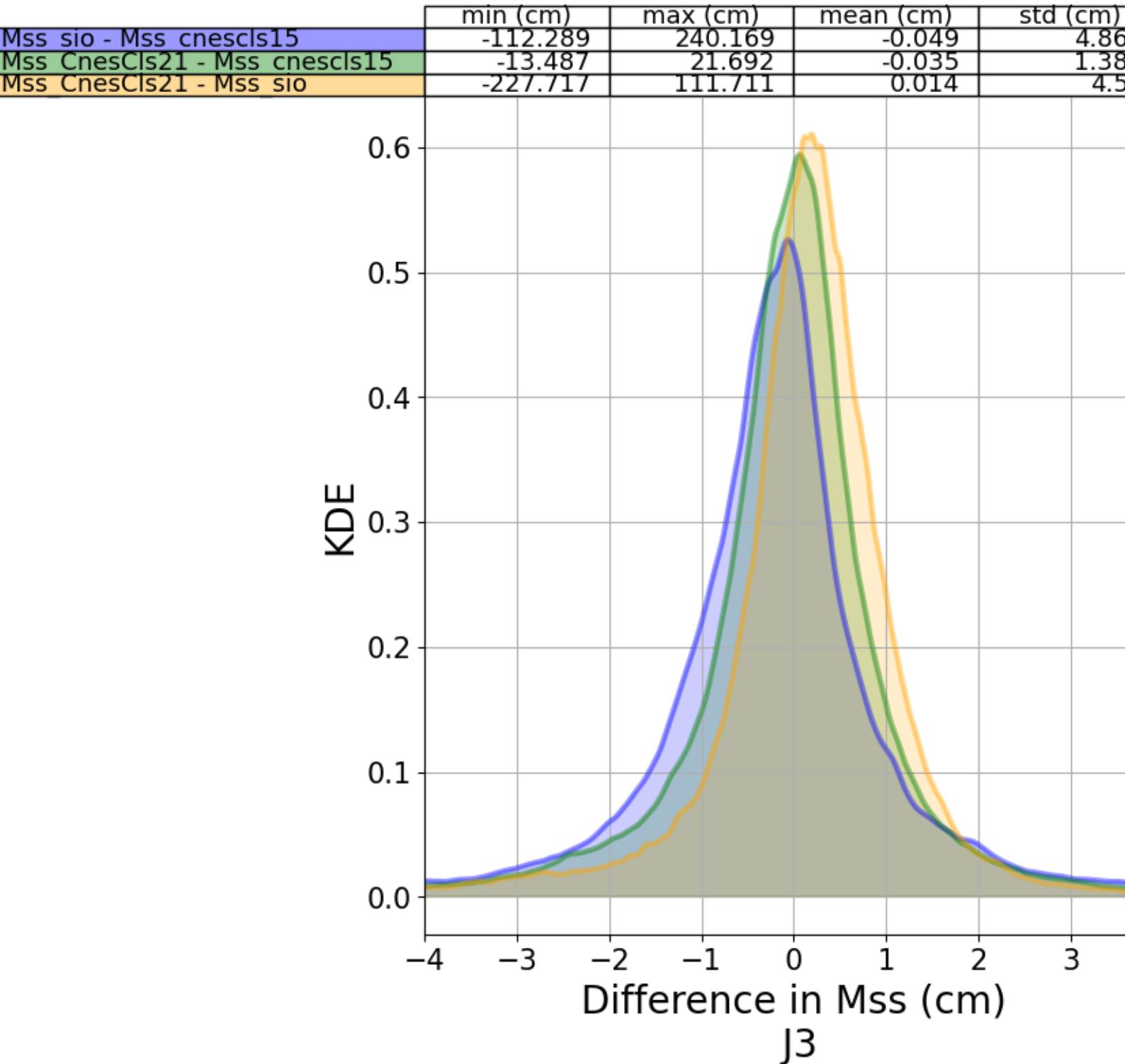


FIGURE 25 – Histograms of difference of each MSS version and reference one

5 Along-track analysis

5.1 MSS

5.1.1 MSS 's count

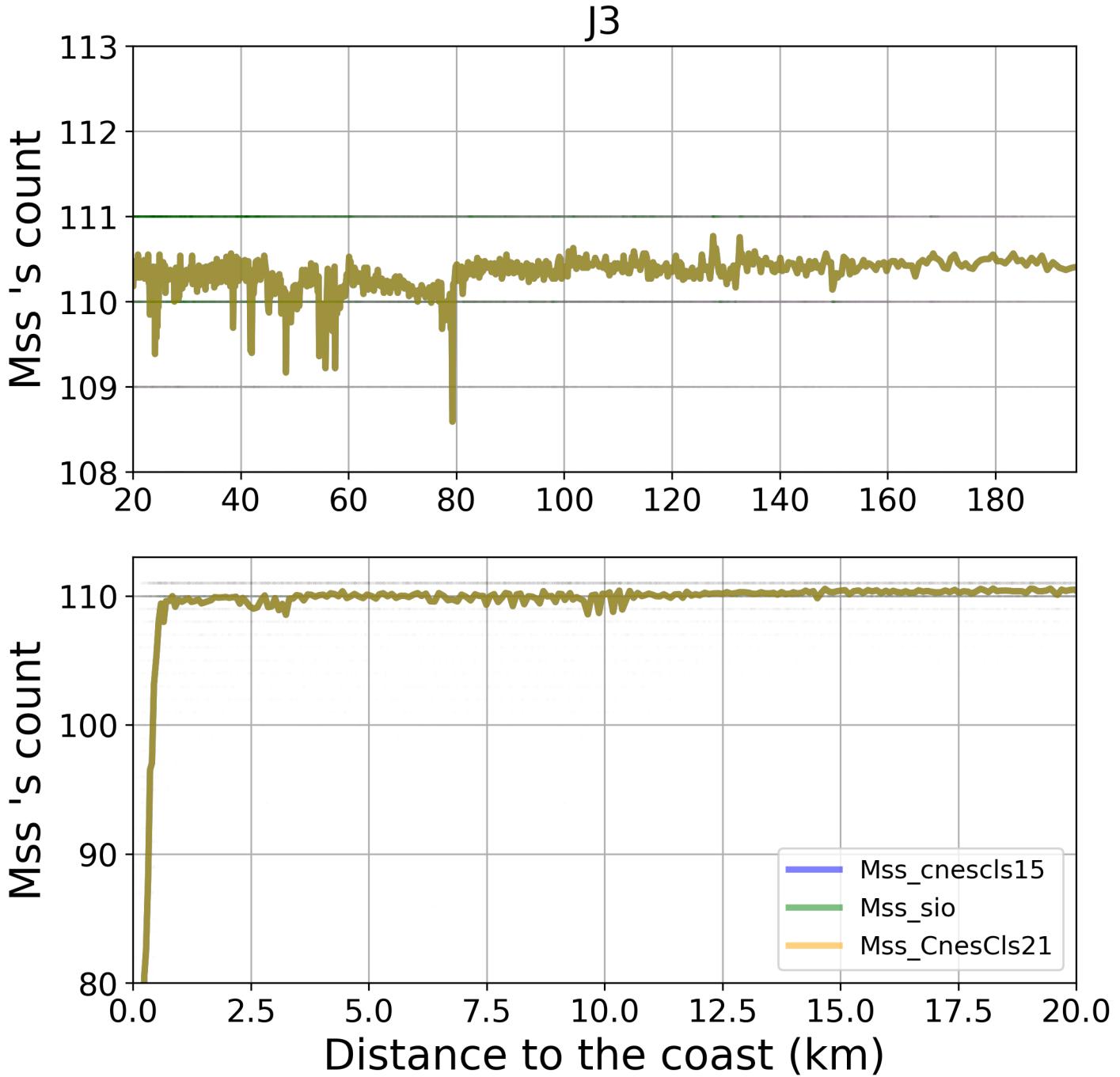


FIGURE 26 – Along-track analysis of MSS 's count

5.1.2 Mss 's std

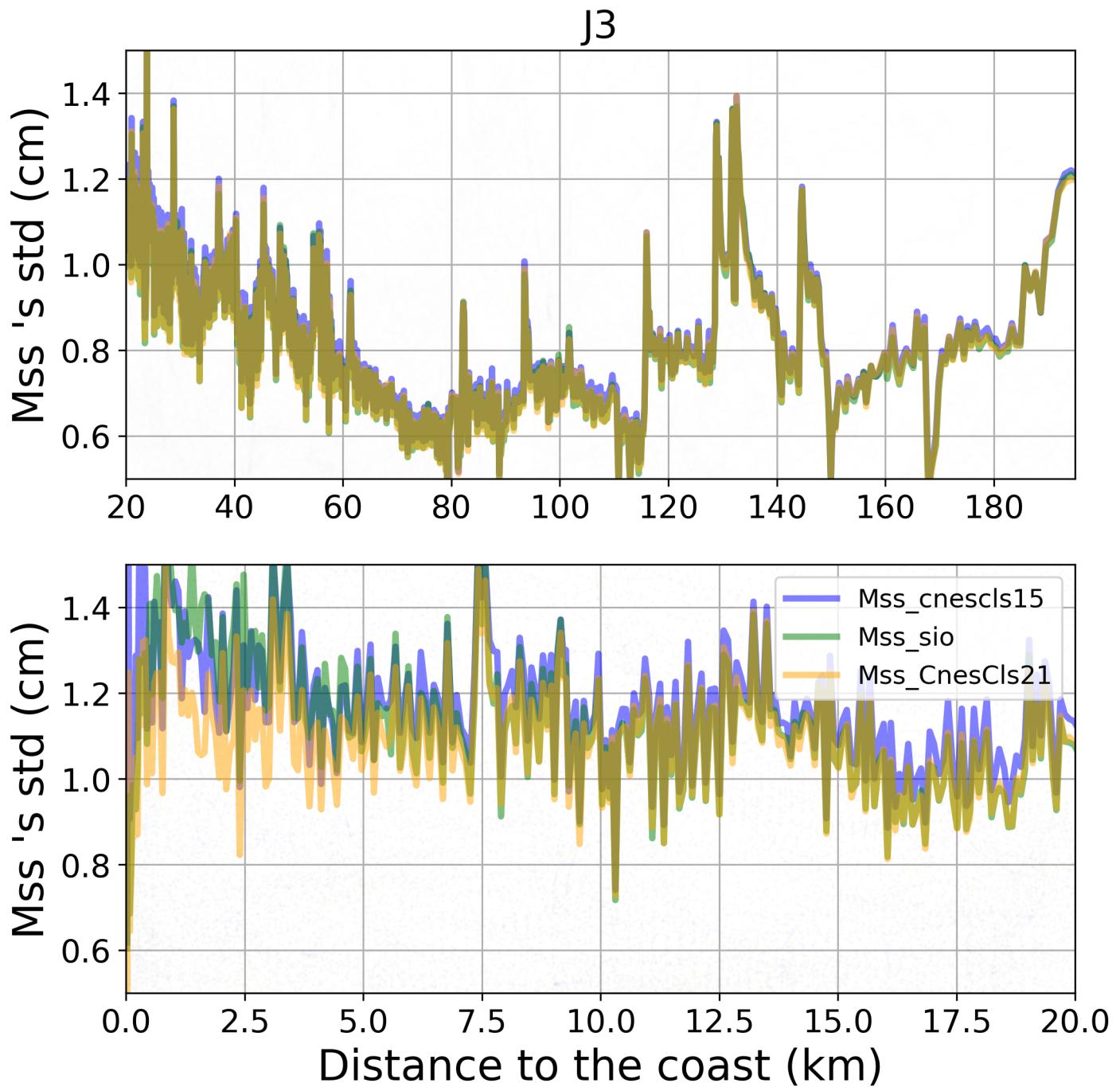


FIGURE 27 – Along-track analysis of Mss 's std

5.1.3 MSS's mean

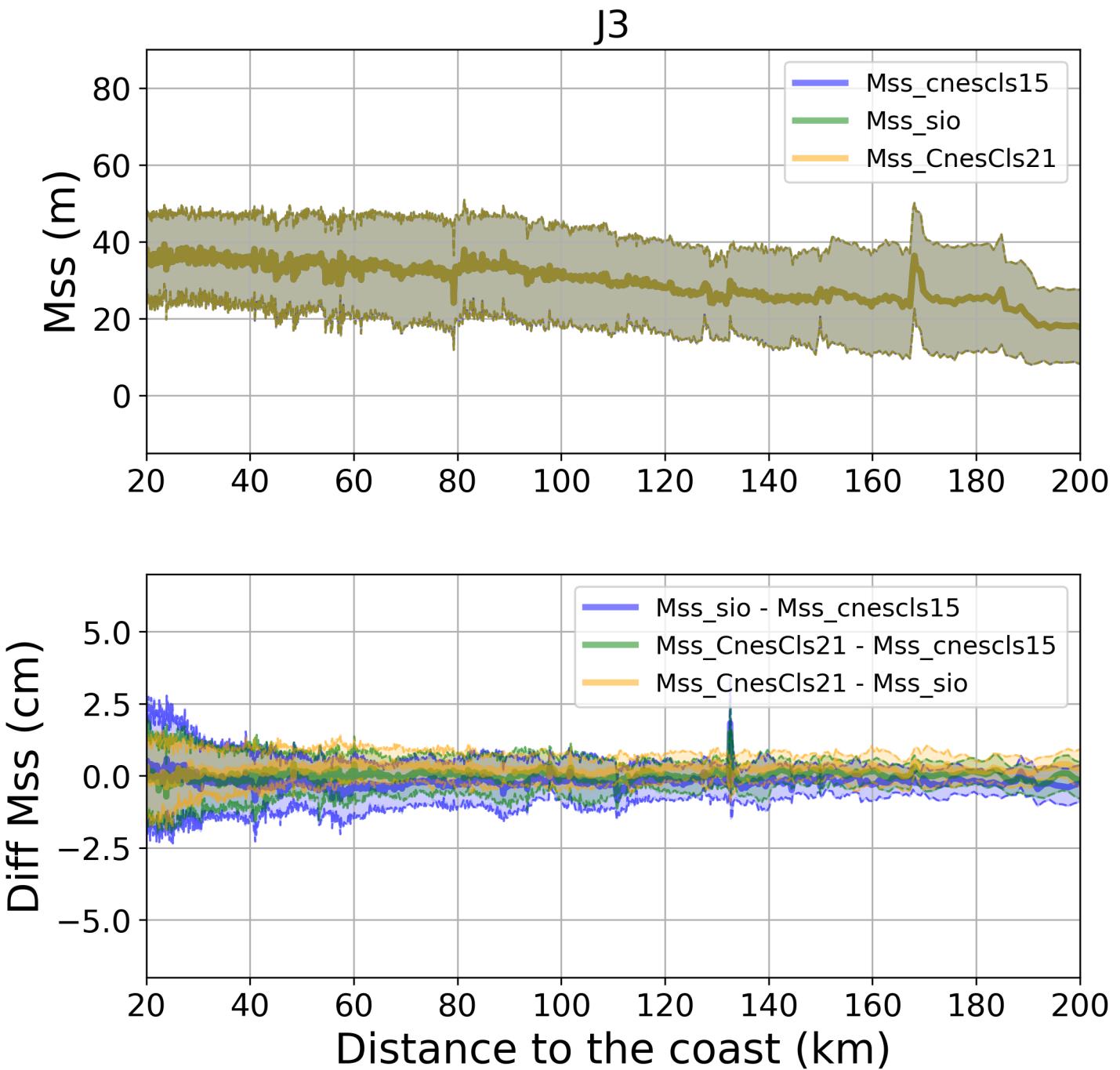


FIGURE 28 – Along-track analysis of MSS's mean

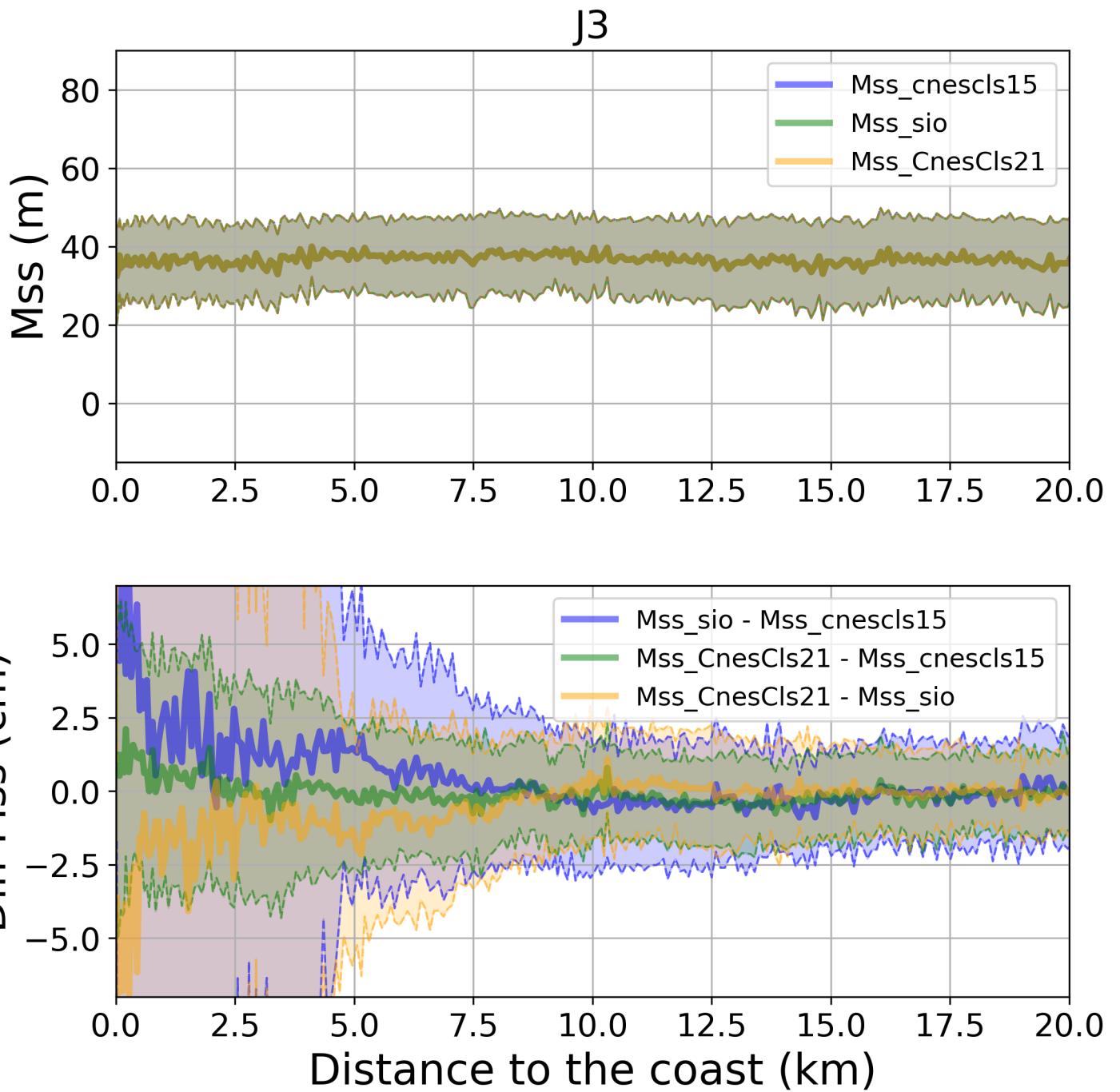


FIGURE 29 – Along-track analysis of MSS's mean zoomed

5.2 sla

5.2.1 sla 's std

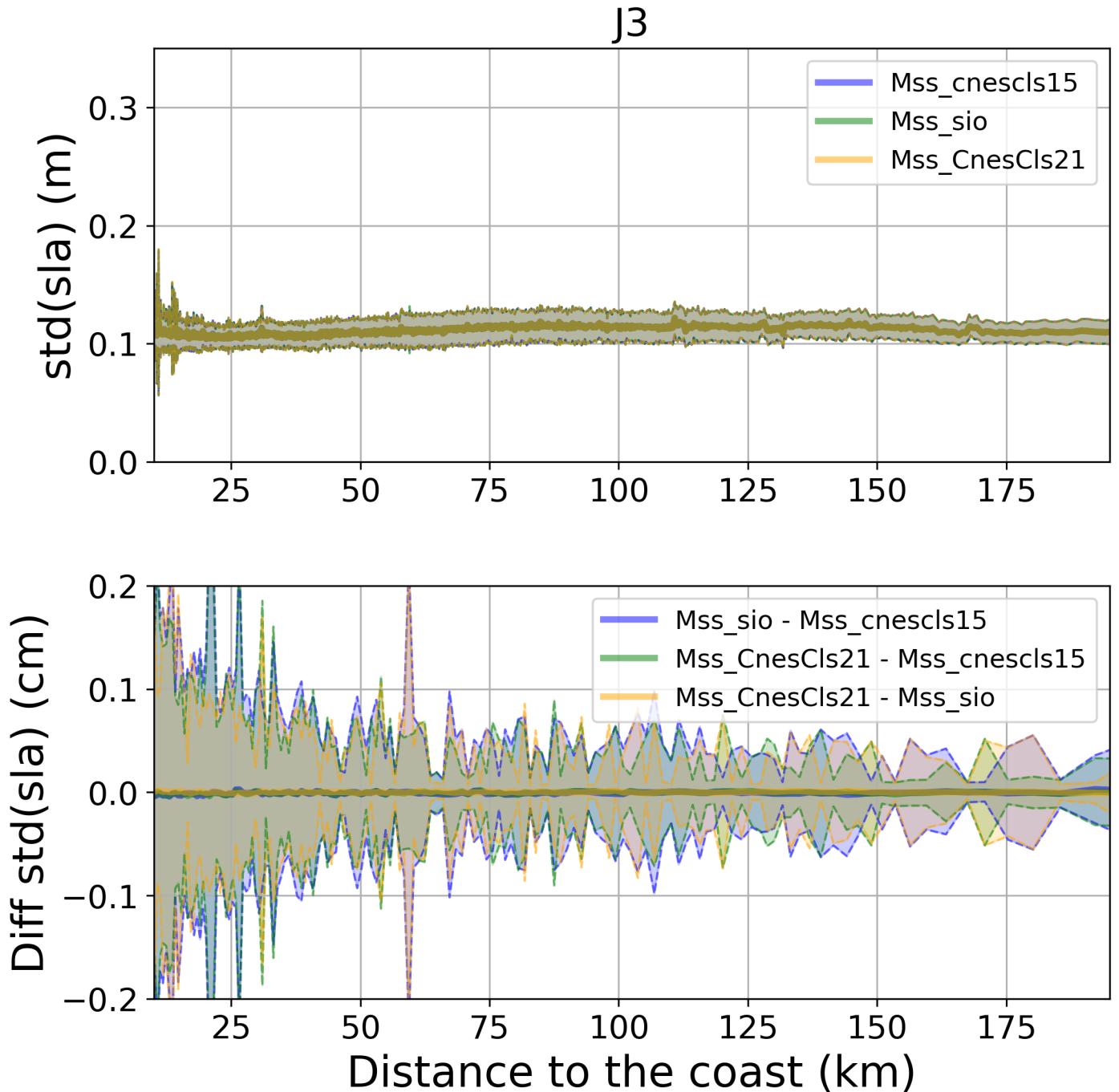


FIGURE 30 – Along-track analysis of sla 's std

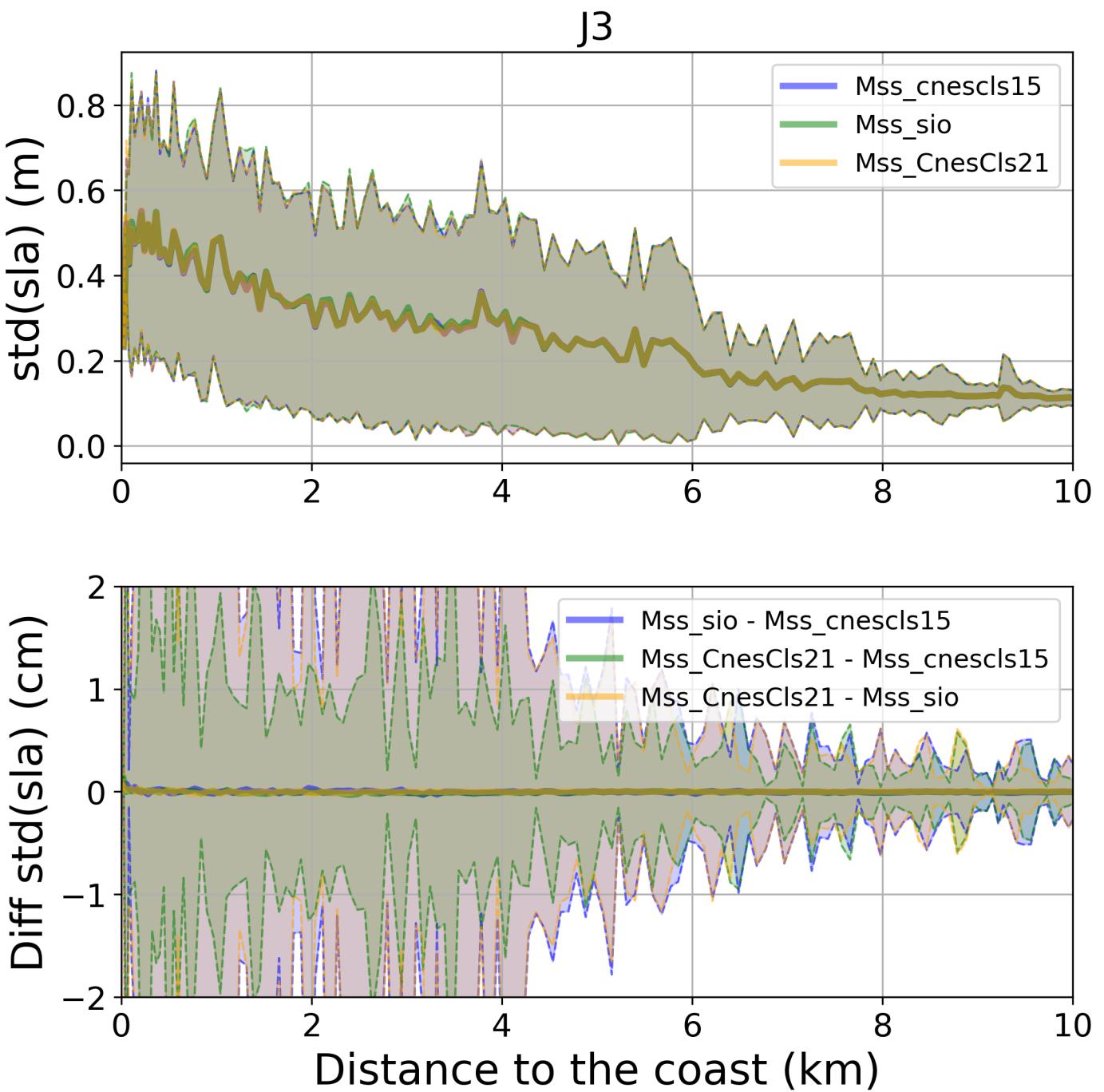


FIGURE 31 – Along-track analysis of sla 's std zoomed