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Generalization of Deep Learning Models to Ungauged
Glacierized Basins: Evidence from Alpine, Patagonian,
and North American Catchments

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Table S1

List of Large sample datasets and number of respective basins (Kratzert et al., 2023)

Dataset	A	M	G	Source
CAMELS-US	462	155	29	(Newman et al., 2015)
CAMELS-AUS	61	30	-	(Fowler et al., 2021)
CAMELS-BR	193	80	-	(Chagas et al., 2020)
CAMELS-CH (extension)	115	94	51	(Höge et al., 2023)
CAMELS-CL	7	7	6	(Alvarez-Garreton et al., 2018)
CAMELS-GB	274	19	-	(Coxon et al., 2020)
HYSETS	1401	420	118	(Arsenault et al., 2020)
LamaH-CE	332	215	79	(Klingler et al., 2021)
	2845	1020	283	

Table S2a

Meteorological Forcing Data and Model State Variable as Inputs for LSTM & Graph WaveNet (Muñoz-Sabater et al., 2021)

Meteorological Feature	Aggregation	Unit
Precipitation	Daily sum	<i>mm/day</i>
Air Temperature	Daily min, Daily max	$^{\circ}\text{C}$
Surface Pressure	Daily mean	<i>KPa</i>
Surface net solar radiation	Daily mean	<i>Wm⁻²</i>
Model State Feature	Aggregation	Unit
Snow water equivalent	Daily mean	<i>mm/day</i>

Table S2b
Meteorological Forcing Data for δ HBV
 (Muñoz-Sabater et al., 2021)

Feature	Aggregation	Unit
Precipitation	Daily sum	<i>mm/day</i>
Air Temperature	Daily mean	<i>°C</i>
Potential evaporation	Daily sum	<i>mm/day</i>

Table S3
Static attributes list (Anon, 2019)

Group	Description	Aggregation	Unit
Physiography	Elevation	Spatial mean/min/max	<i>m above sea level</i>
	Terrain slope	Spatial mean	<i>° (x 10)</i>
	Stream gradient	Mean of reach segments	<i>dm/km</i>
Metadata	Area		<i>km²</i>
	Gauge latitude		<i>deg</i>
	Gauge longitude		<i>deg</i>
LandCover	Forest cover extent	Spatial mean	<i>% cover</i>
	Cropland extent	Spatial mean	<i>% cover</i>
	Wetland extent	Spatial mean	<i>% cover</i>
	Permafrost extent	Spatial mean	<i>% cover</i>
Soils and Geology	Sand fraction in soil	Spatial mean	<i>%</i>
	Silt fraction in soil	Spatial mean	<i>%</i>
	Clay fraction in soil	Spatial mean	<i>%</i>
	Organic Carbon content in soil	Spatial mean	<i>tonnes/hectare</i>
	Soil water content	Annual mean	<i>%</i>
	Karst area extent	Spatial mean	<i>% cover</i>

Climate attributes	Aridity index	Ratio of mean PET and mean precipitation	-
	Fraction of precipitation falling as snow	-	-
	Mean annual moisture index in range [-1,1]	-	-
	Snow cover percent	Annual max, Annual mean	% cover

Table S4
Overview of RGI Classification, Country and Mountain ranges of the Glacial High Mountain Catchments (G)

First Order RGI Region	Second Order RGI Region	Country	Mountain Range
02 – Western Canada and USA	02-2 (S Coast Ranges)	Canada, USA	S Coast Ranges
	02-3 (N Rocky Mts)		N Rocky Mts
	02-4 (Cascade Ra and Sa Nevada)		Cascade Ra and Sa Nevada
	02-5 (S Rocky Mts)		S Rocky Mts
11 – Central Europe	11-1 (Alps)	Austria, Germany, Switzerland	Alps
17 – Southern Andes	17-2 (C Andes)	Chile	C Andes

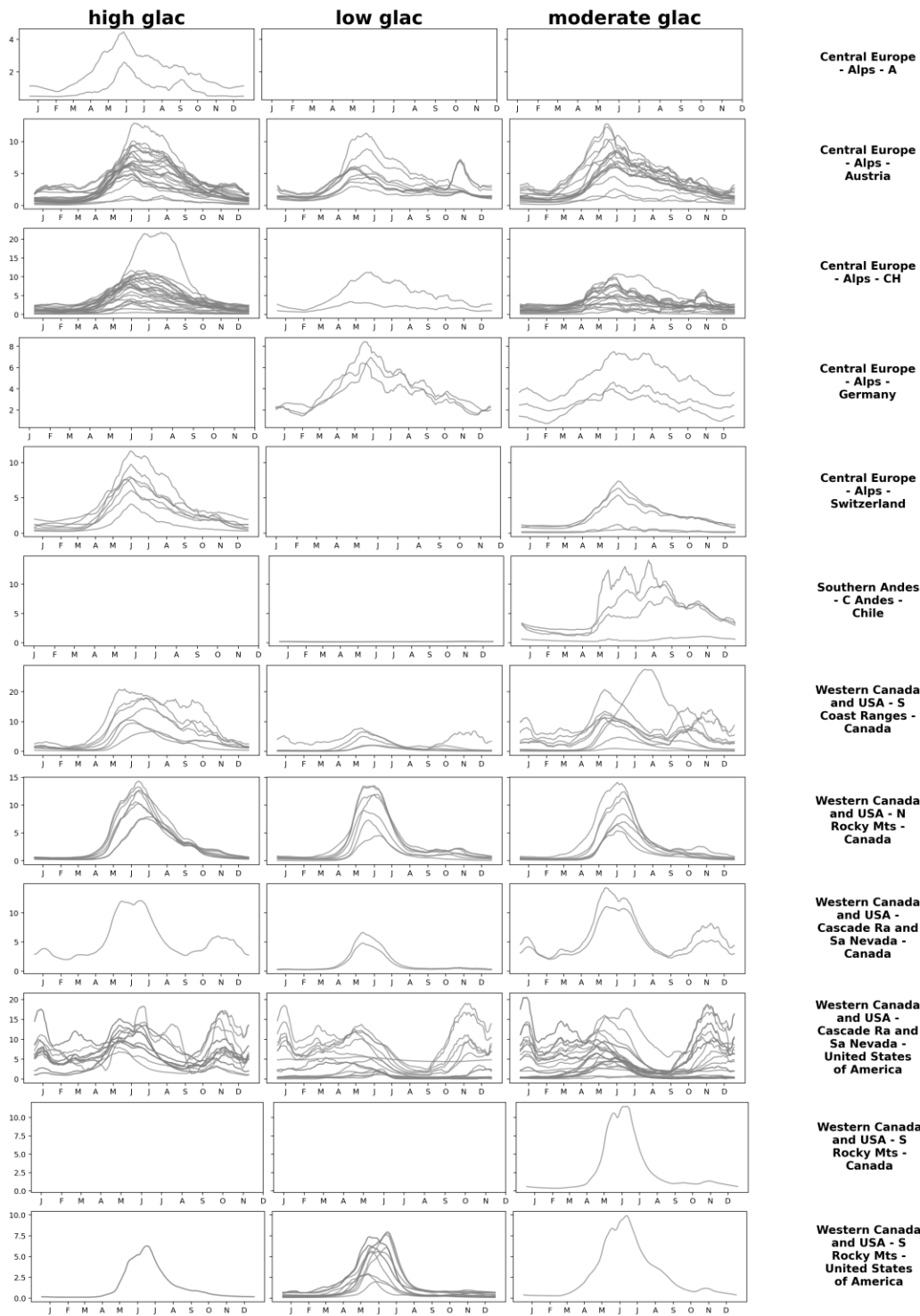


Figure S1. 20-day average of annual mean streamflow (mm/day) for individual G basins, grouped into four glacier-coverage classes—low (<2%), moderate (2–20%), high (20–40%), and very high (>40%)—and categorized by RGI first- and second-order regions (rows: Central Europe – various Alpine subregions; Southern Andes – C Andes – Chile; Western Canada & USA – multiple mountain ranges). Each grey line represents one basin’s January–December hydrograph.

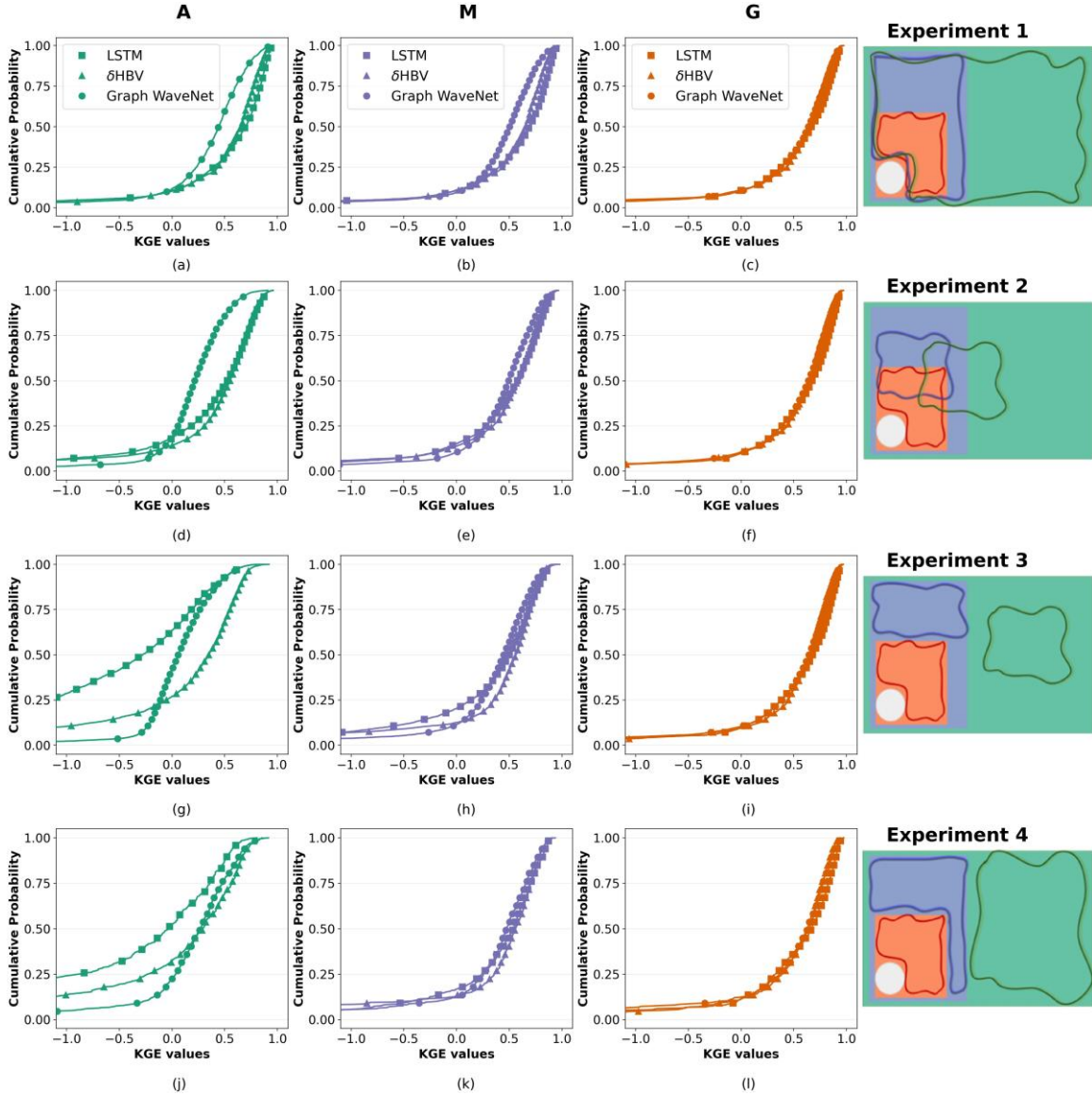


Figure S2. CDF comparison of KGE values of 3 DL model architectures trained with different partitions. Each column represents 3 different data partitions – A, M, and G respectively. Rows 1-4 showing performance for experiments 1-4 respectively. Each line of the CDF plot comprises 5600 sample points from each of the 100 trials with 56 test basins for experiments 1-3, while the lines in experiment 4 consist of 560 sample points from 10 trials with 56 test points each. *Graph WaveNet in experiment 1 for A partition has only ~2300 samples due to excessive resource needs required to train the model.

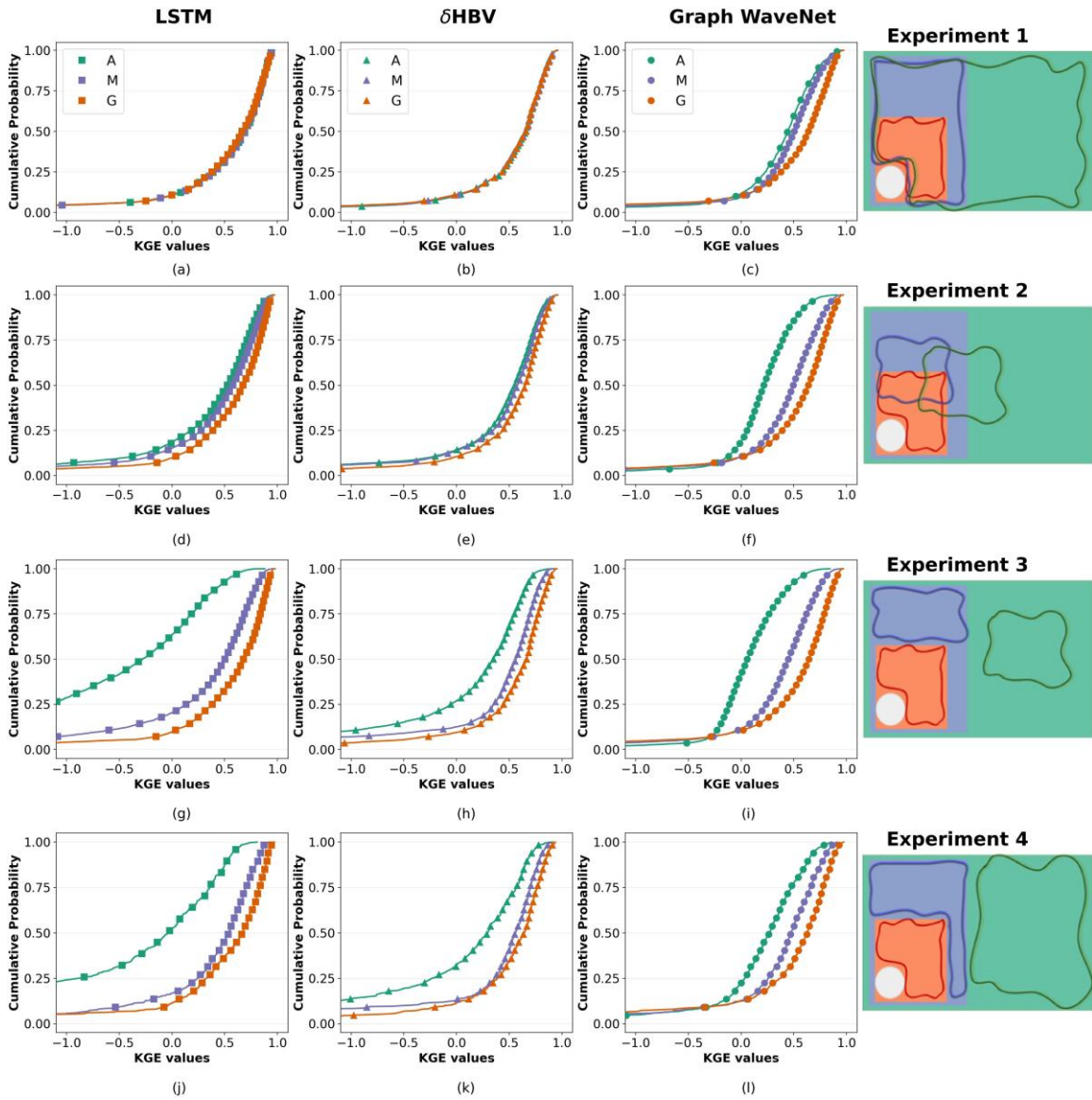


Figure S3. CDF comparison of KGE values of LSTM, δ HBV and Graph WaveNet when trained with 3 different data partitions. Rows 1-4 showing performance for experiments 1-4 respectively. Each line of the CDF plot comprises 5600 sample points from each of the 100 trials with 56 test basins for experiments 1-3, while the lines in experiment 4 consist of 560 sample points from 10 trials with 56 test points each. * Graph WaveNet in experiment 1 for A partition has only ~ 2300 samples due to excessive resource needs required to train the model.

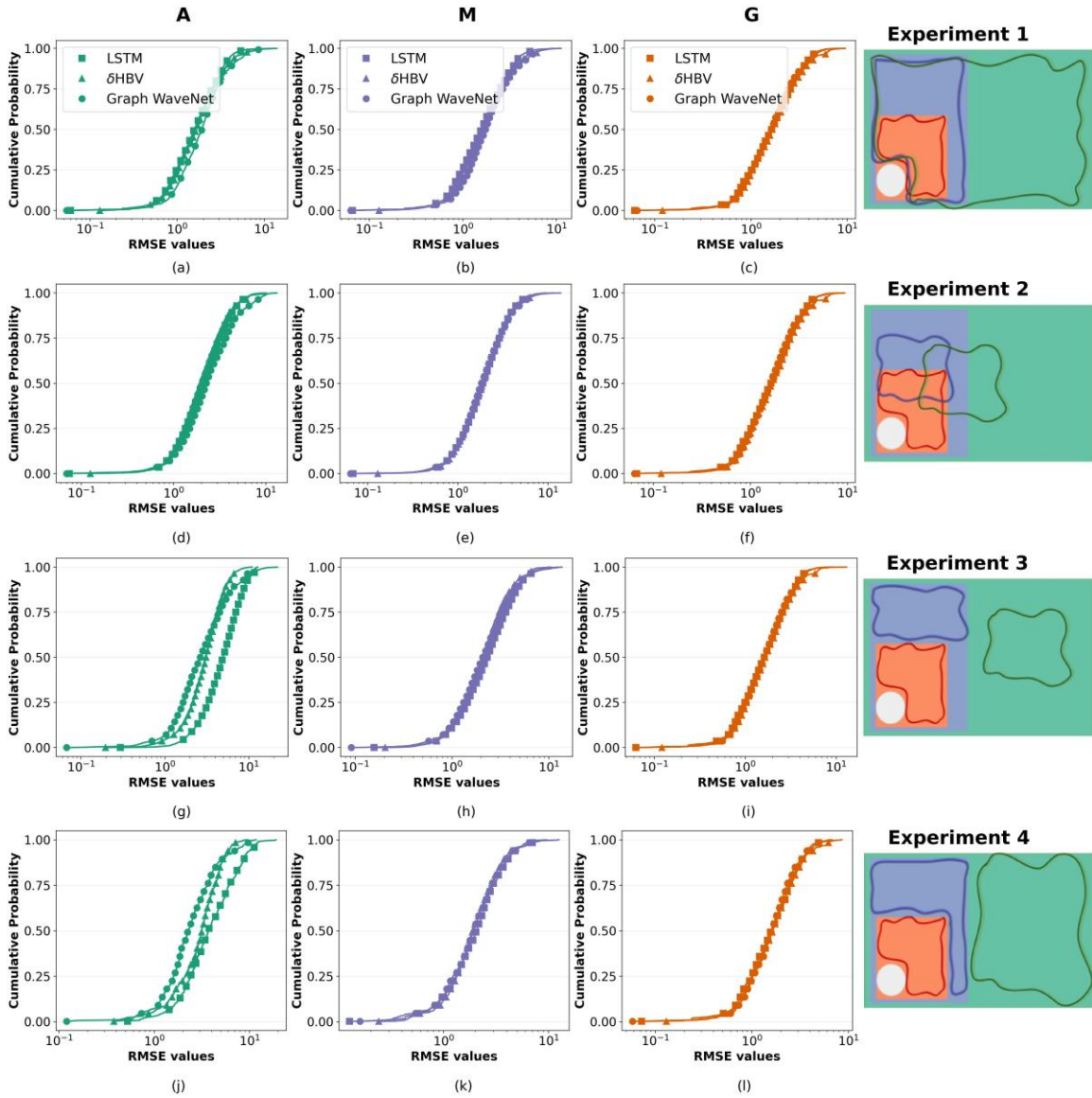


Figure S4. CDF comparison of RMSE values of 3 DL model architectures trained with different partitions. Each column represents 3 different data partitions – A, M, and G respectively. Rows 1-4 showing performance for experiments 1-4 respectively. Each line of the CDF plot comprises 5600 sample points from each of the 100 trials with 56 test basins for experiments 1-3, while the lines in experiment 4 consist of 560 sample points from 10 trials with 56 test points each. *Graph WaveNet in experiment 1 for A partition has only ~2300 samples due to excessive resource needs required to train the model.

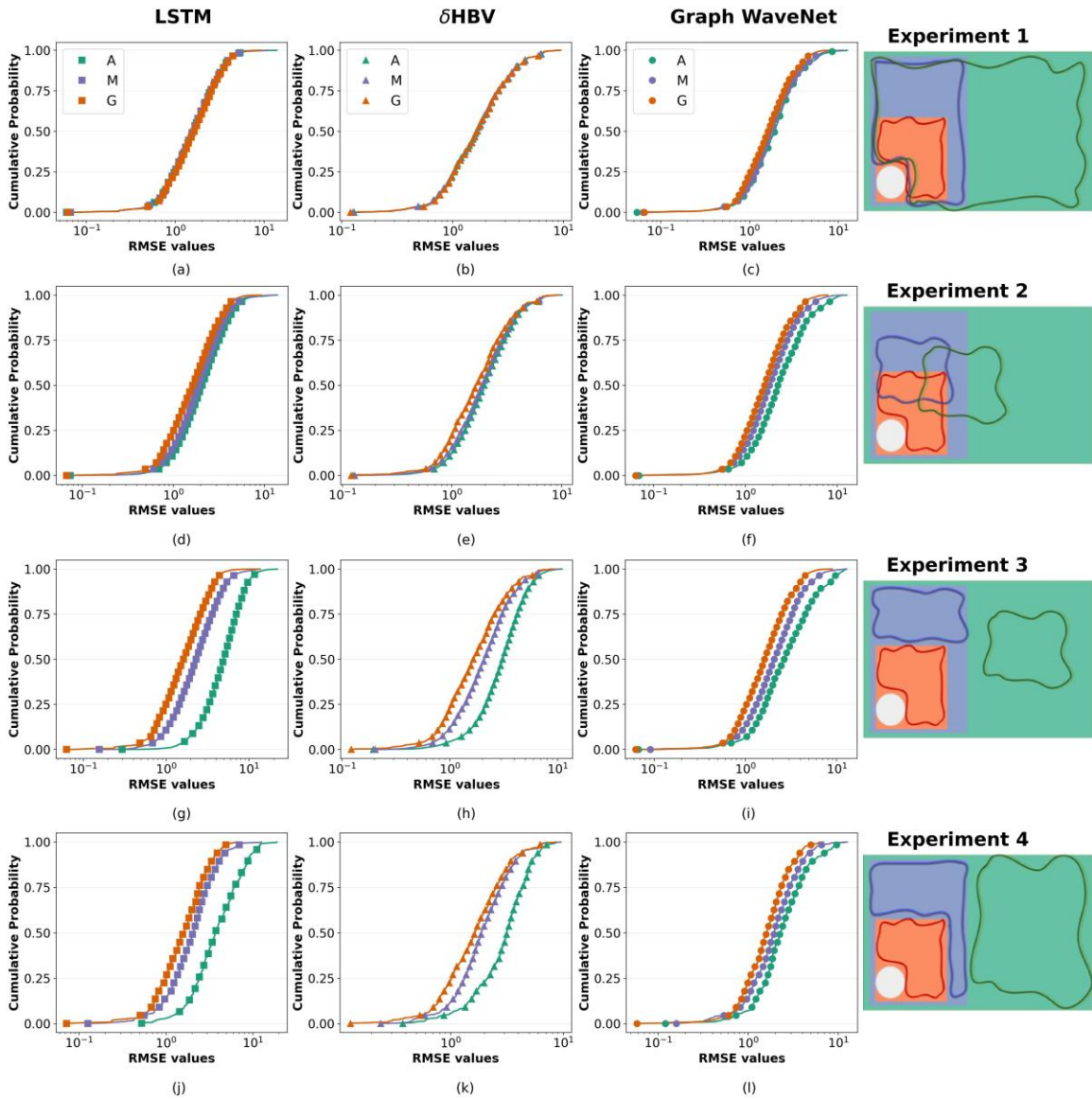


Figure S5. CDF comparison of RMSE values of LSTM, δ HBV and Graph WaveNet when trained with 3 different data partitions. Rows 1-4 showing performance for experiments 1-4 respectively. Each line of the CDF plot comprises 5600 sample points from each of the 100 trials with 56 test basins for experiments 1-3, while the lines in experiment 4 consist of 560 sample points from 10 trials with 56 test points each. * Graph WaveNet in experiment 1 for A partition has only \sim 2300 samples due to excessive resource needs required to train the model.

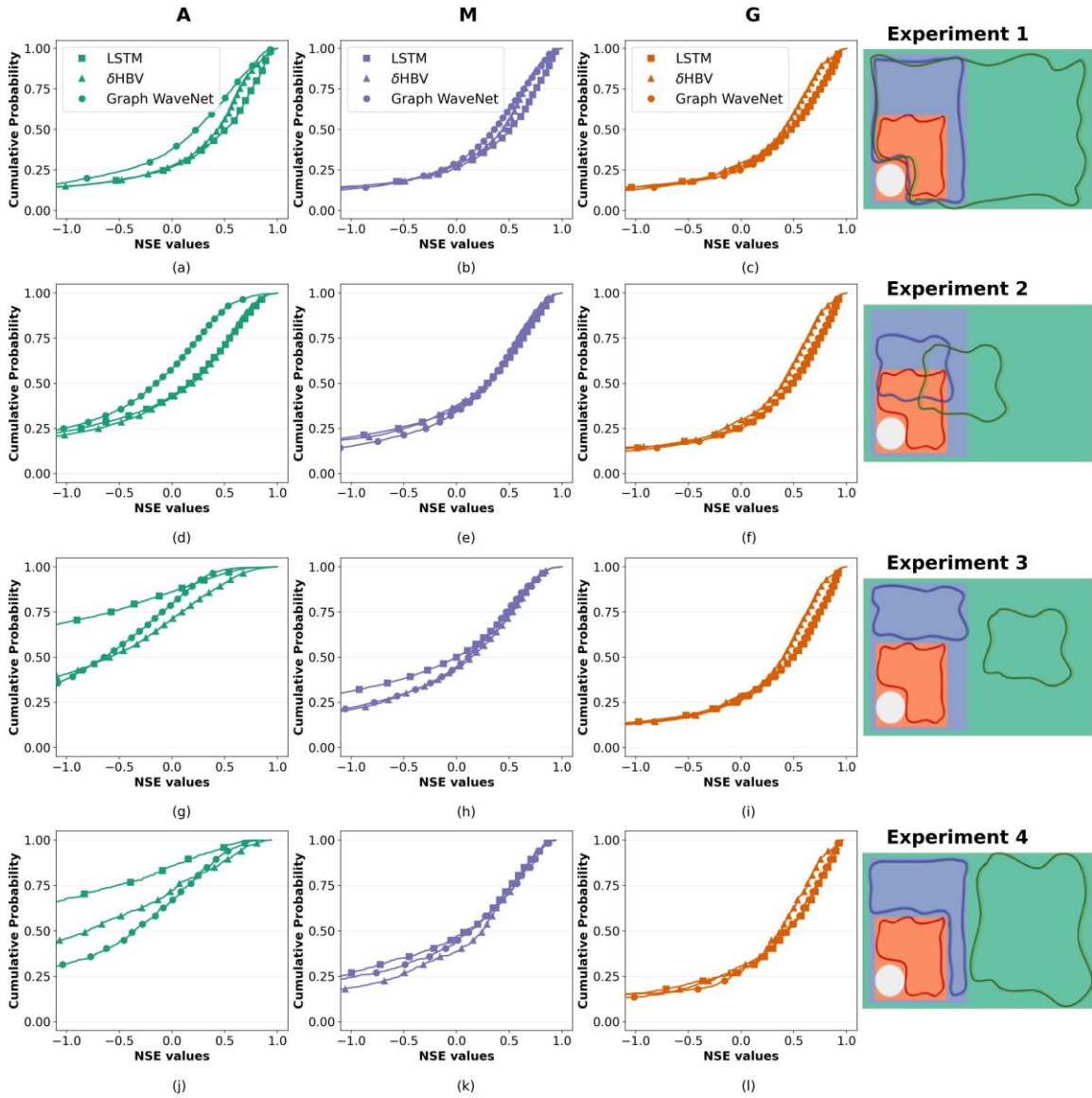


Figure S6. CDF comparison of NSE values of 3 DL model architectures trained with different partitions over the summer months of the test period. Each column represents 3 different data partitions – A, M, and G respectively. Rows 1-4 showing performance for experiments 1-4 respectively. Each line of the CDF plot comprises 5600 sample points from each of the 100 trials with 56 test basins for experiments 1-3, while the lines in experiment 4 consist of 560 sample points from 10 trials with 56 test points each. *Graph WaveNet in experiment 1 for A partition has only ~2300 samples due to excessive resource needs required to train the model.

Table S5. Median KGE Values

	All Global (A)			Mixed High Mountain (M)			High Mountain with Glacier (G)		
	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet
Exp 1	0.70	0.65	0.44	0.69	0.65	0.50	0.66	0.66	0.64
Exp 2	0.52	0.55	0.21	0.58	0.58	0.49	0.67	0.65	0.64
Exp 3	0.28	0.35	0.06	0.50	0.56	0.45	0.68	0.66	0.64
Exp 4	0.04	0.29	0.27	0.54	0.56	0.47	0.67	0.64	0.63

Table S6. Median RMSE Values

	All Global (A)			Mixed High Mountain (M)			High Mountain with Glacier (G)		
	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet	LSTM	δ HBV	Graph WaveNet
Exp 1	1.57	1.64	1.91	1.57	1.66	1.74	1.64	1.66	1.61
Exp 2	2.07	1.97	2.26	1.90	1.88	1.82	1.63	1.66	1.61
Exp 3	4.95	3.10	2.64	2.31	2.09	2.07	1.62	1.66	1.62
Exp 4	3.72	3.15	2.26	2.06	1.87	1.94	1.59	1.65	1.60

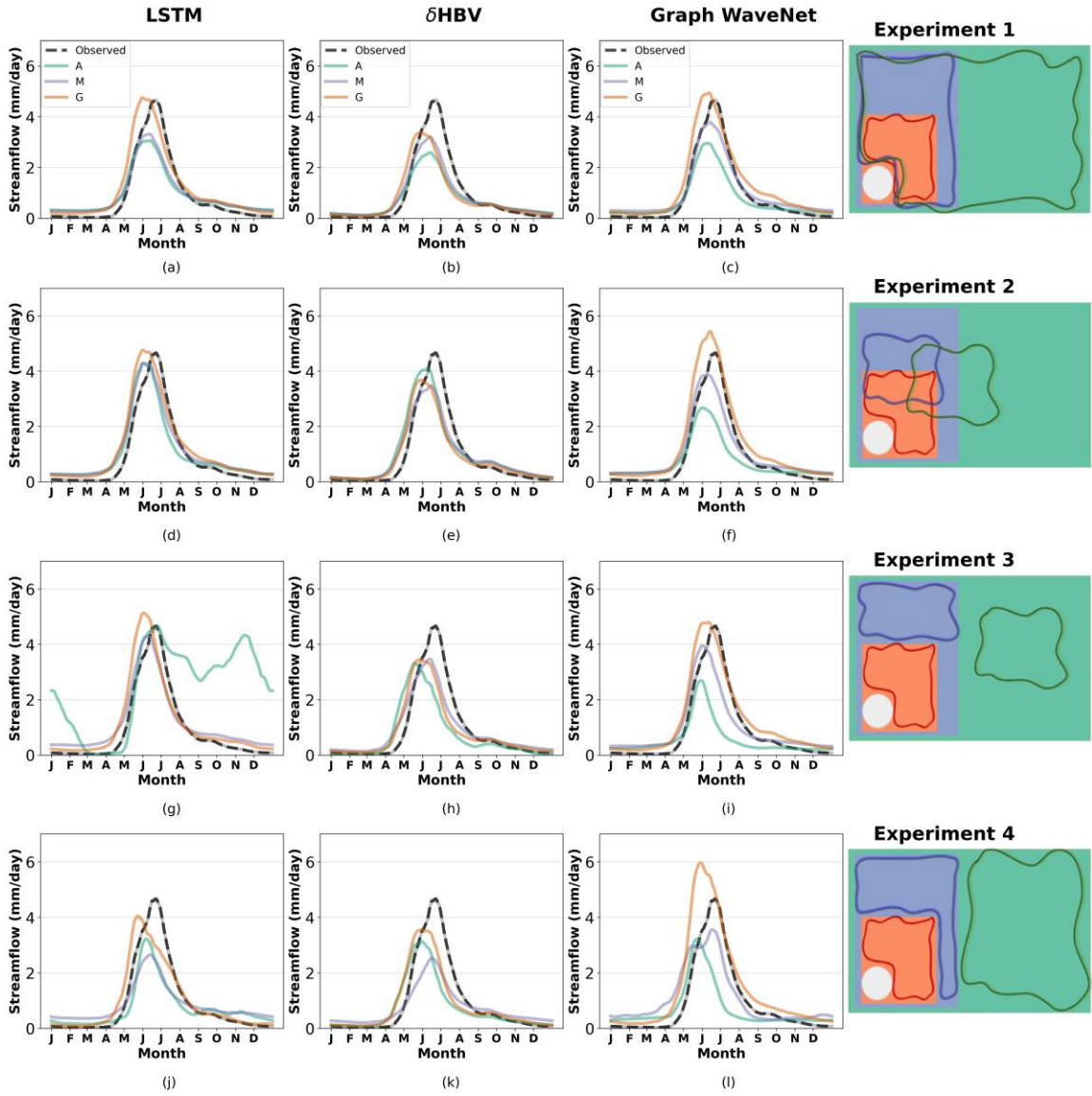


Figure S7. Observed vs. Simulated hydrograph for a low category of glacier (<2%) basin [hysets_08NF001].

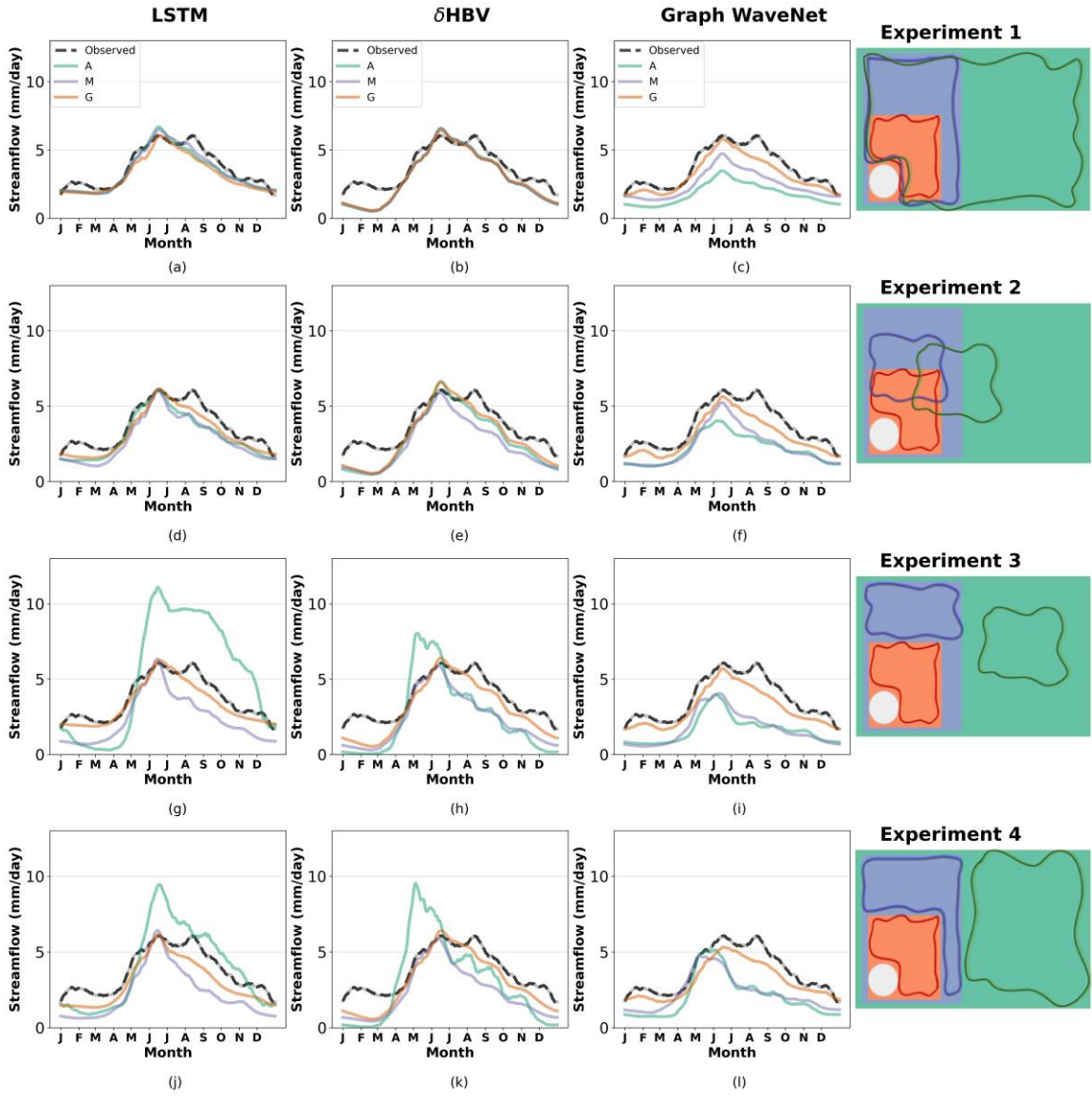


Figure S8. Observed vs. Simulated hydrograph for a moderate category of glacier (2-20%) basin [lamah_201780]

Hydrograph Plot for High (20% - 40%) Glacierized Basin

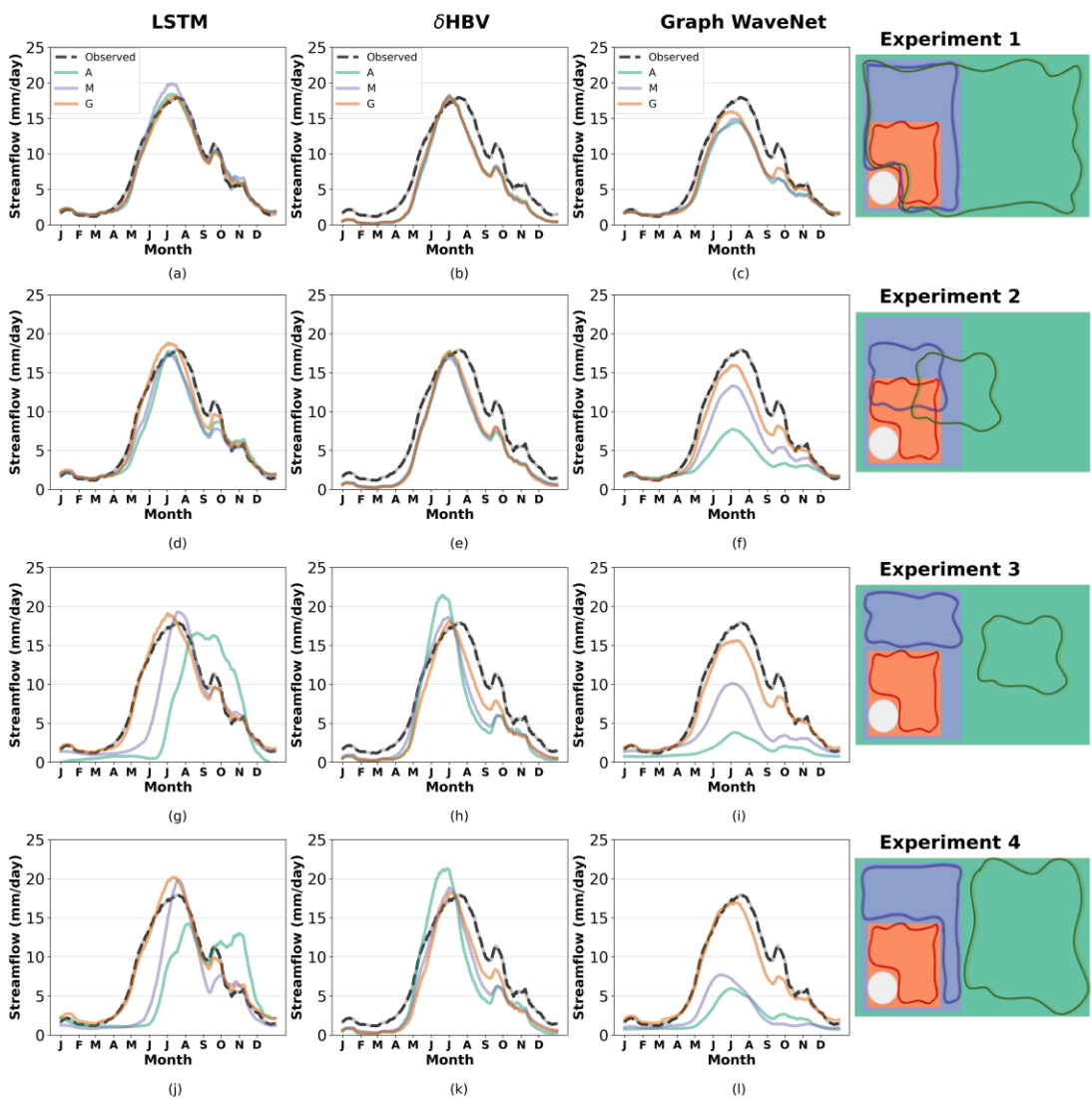


Figure S9. Observed vs. Simulated hydrograph for a high category of glacier (20-40%) basin [hysets_08GA071]

Hydrograph Plot for Very High (>40%) Glacierized Basin

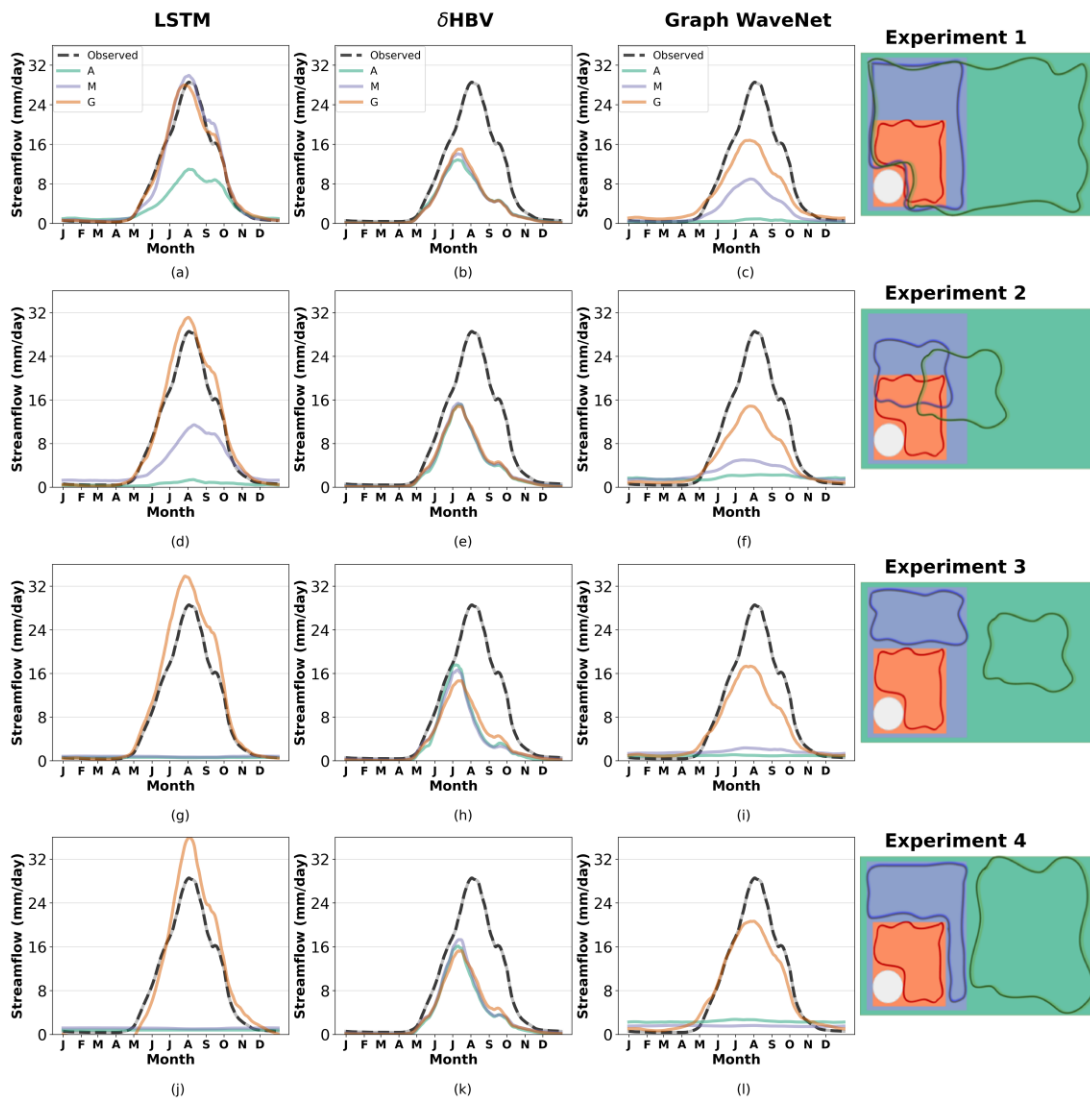


Figure S10. Observed vs. Simulated hydrograph for a very high category of glacier (>40%) basin [hysets_08ME023]

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