## Lake physics & modelling

1. Mixing process from small -> large lakes

2. MuSc-FLUX : Lake spatial heterogeneity

3. Ecosystem model structural complexity

# 1. How do mixing process change from small to large lakes

#### High frequency data from Lawrence Lake, MI



2. Multi- model comparison of spatial heterogeneity in gas fluxes

• Compare 2-3 lakes (small and large)

• Compare 5 models



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#### DATASET

- In situ CO2 time-series
- Met + Buoy
- WQ
- Dry Ice dispersion expt





#### Ameriflux site + lake flux towers (Douglas Lake & Great Lakes)



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#### GLM (1D)

#### CE-QUAL-W2 (2D)

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1D – laterally averaged models; 2D averaged in the cross stream directtion

#### ELCOM-CAEDYM (3D)

IPH-ECO (3D)

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#### FV-AED (3D – finite volume)

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### **Field validation**

## III Flux Blitz III

- Remote sensing for pattern capture
  - Intensive spatial sampling
    - Hi –res meteorological down-scaling

3. Ecosystem model complexity: how much is enough?

• 6 levels of complexity

Configured using FABM-AED modules

- Application to Mendota
- Identify key assessment variables
  GPP, Anoxia
- Recalibrate each simulation