

1995

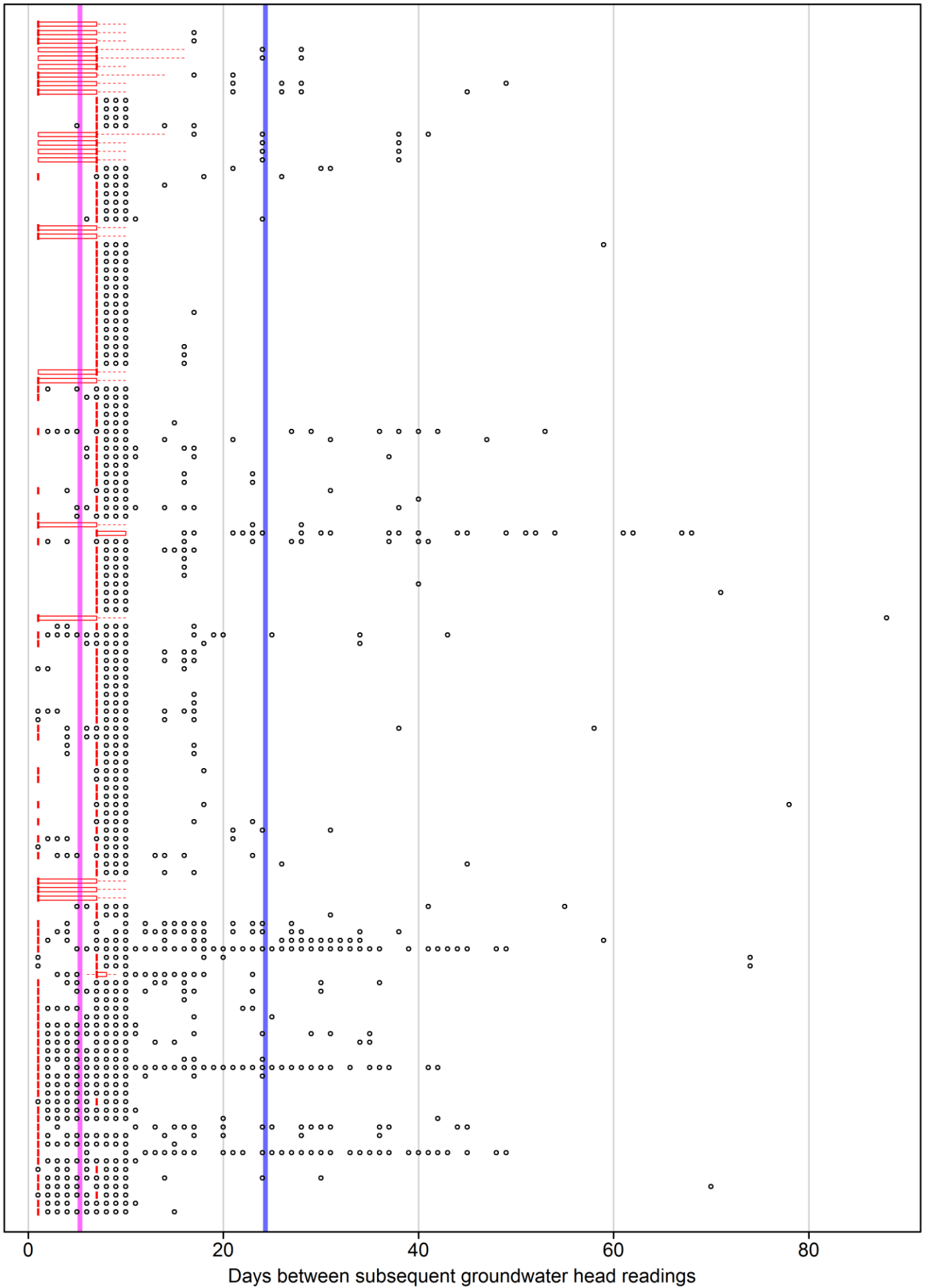
2000

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2010



**Figure S1** Dates of reading of groundwater head of the selection of the 141 groundwater head series before interpolation. The red dates left of the solid grey line show the quasi-weekly measurement dates which are used for the groundwater head series after linear interpolation.



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Figure S2 Red: Boxplots of the number of days between subsequent readings in the 141 observed groundwater head series before the interpolation. Black circles: Outliers. Blue solid line: mean of the maxima of measurement intervals of all series. Magenta solid line: mean of the mean of measurement intervals of all series.