

## Changelog

# COST-G GravIS RL01 Continental Water Storage Anomalies

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This document lists changes that occurred to the data set Boergens et al. (2020),  
[http://doi.org/10.5880/COST-G.GRAVIS\\_01\\_L3\\_TWS](http://doi.org/10.5880/COST-G.GRAVIS_01_L3_TWS)

### V. 0002:

- Initial version.

### V. 0003 (09 September 2020):

- In the variable ‘tws’, TWS residuals filtered with VDK2 are used for months with exceptional high standard deviation (larger than two times the mean of the monthly standard deviation).
- The uncertainties of the variable ‘std\_tws’ are now computed only from the residual signal over the continents (instead of over the continents and oceans).
- The variable ‘leakage’ now employs the scaling factor as reported in Dobslaw et al. (2020).

### V. 0004 (09 December 2021):

- Change of reference surface to ellipsoid as defined in IERS Conventions (2010) Tab 1.1.
- The variable ‘std\_tws’ is now computed from TWS residuals over the open ocean (distance to coast > 1000 km).
- Change of time series uncertainties due to updated covariance model parameters according to Boergens et al. (2022).

### V. 0005 (21 April 2023):

- The input data has been changed from COST-G RL01 Level-2B Products V.0002 to V.0003 (Dahle & Murböck, 2020).
- Change of land-ocean-mask.

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