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# EO services in DIAS

USE CASES



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# EO service value chain: From satellite to users

## Data Providers



## Service / Platform Providers

Value added products

Data visualisation

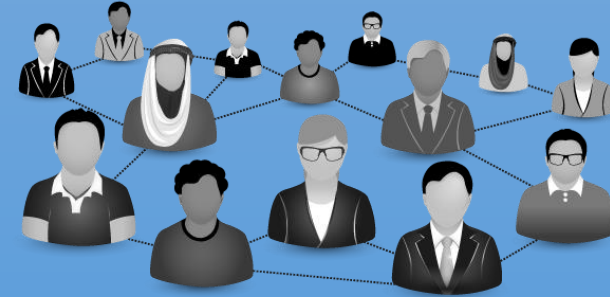
Data analytics

Data processing services

Processing platforms

**DIAS**

## User community



European Open Science Cloud

Oil & Gas sector

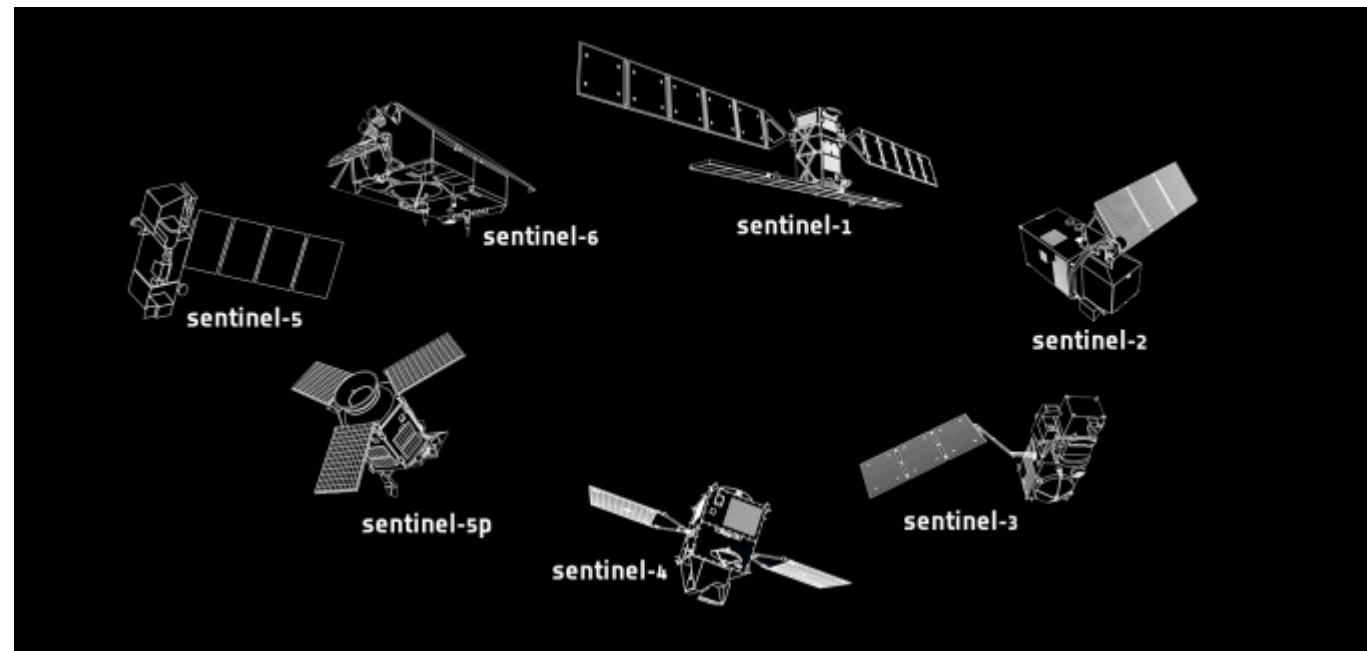
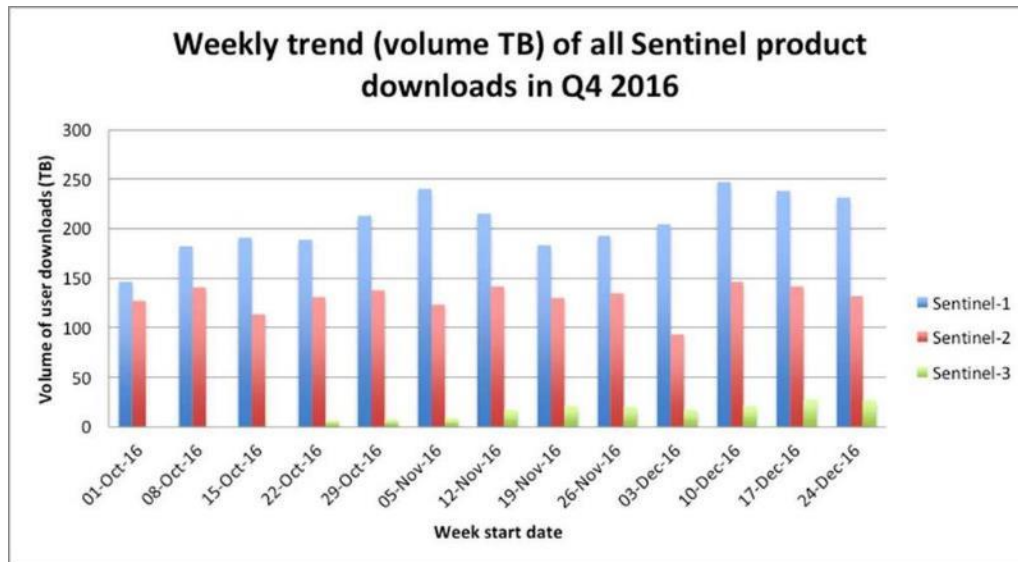
Agricultural sector

Insurance sector

Environmental sector

# Copernicus Data Information Access Services

- The European Commission launched the Copernicus Data and Information Access Services (DIAS) to resolve the challenges of accessing and downloading the vast amount of data produced by the different Copernicus Sentinels



Source: Simon Jutz, Head Copernicus Space Office,  
DIAS Overview, JRC Ispra, 17-Mar 2017

# Copernicus Data Information Access Services

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WEB SERVICES

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**ONDA**

[WWW.ONDA-DIAS.EU](http://WWW.ONDA-DIAS.EU)

**sobloo**

[WWW.SOBLOO.EU](http://WWW.SOBLOO.EU)

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# Why is interesting to move EO services into DIAS

- No need to update and maintain Copernicus Satellite data catalogue.
- Fast data access as data is locally accessible.
- Virtually unlimited computing resources available (CPUs, GPUs, virtualized environments, bare metal services)
  - Parallelise several requests
  - Optimisation on resources
  - Scale resources as needed



# Data accessibility

## ○ Near Real Time (NRT)

- DIAS has low latency on the NRT data availability (minimal latency 2h)

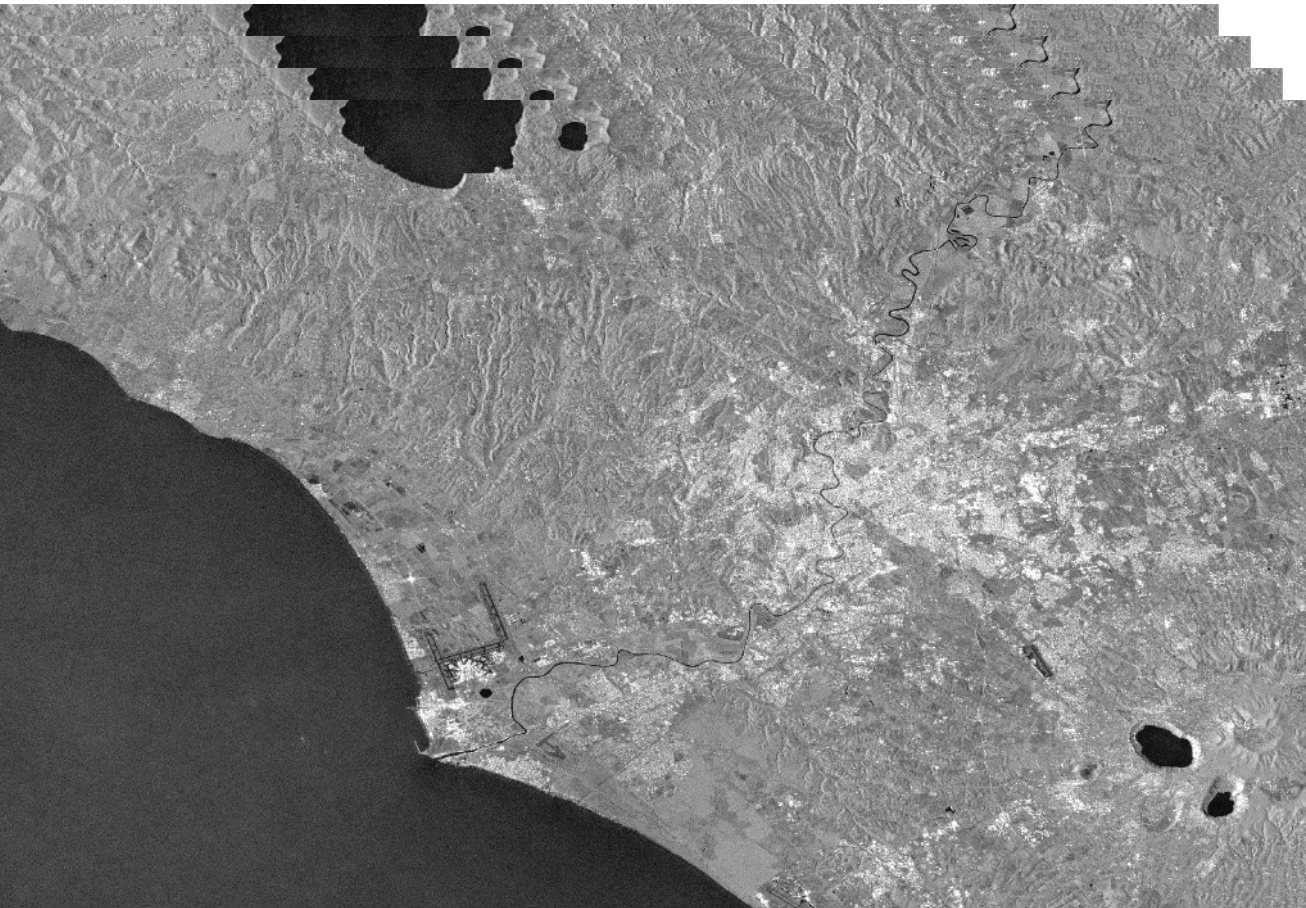
## ○ No-time critical (NTC)

- Full mission dataset is available

## ○ Time series data availability

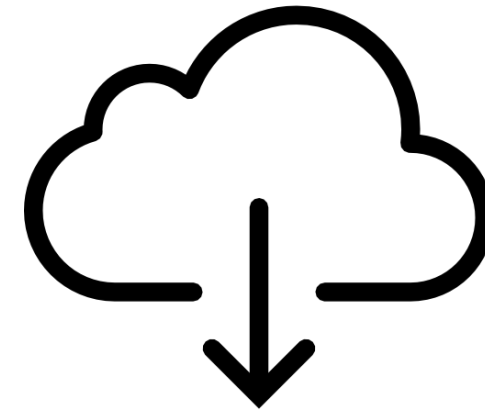
- Here is one of the great advantages of using DIAS. Big amount of data does not need to be downloaded anymore.





## Data availability

- The data access is only one of the advantages in running services in DIAS
- It becomes critical when working with large time series datasets for single run



25 hours of download  
in average for 100  
S1 IW SLC download

# EO services : Use cases



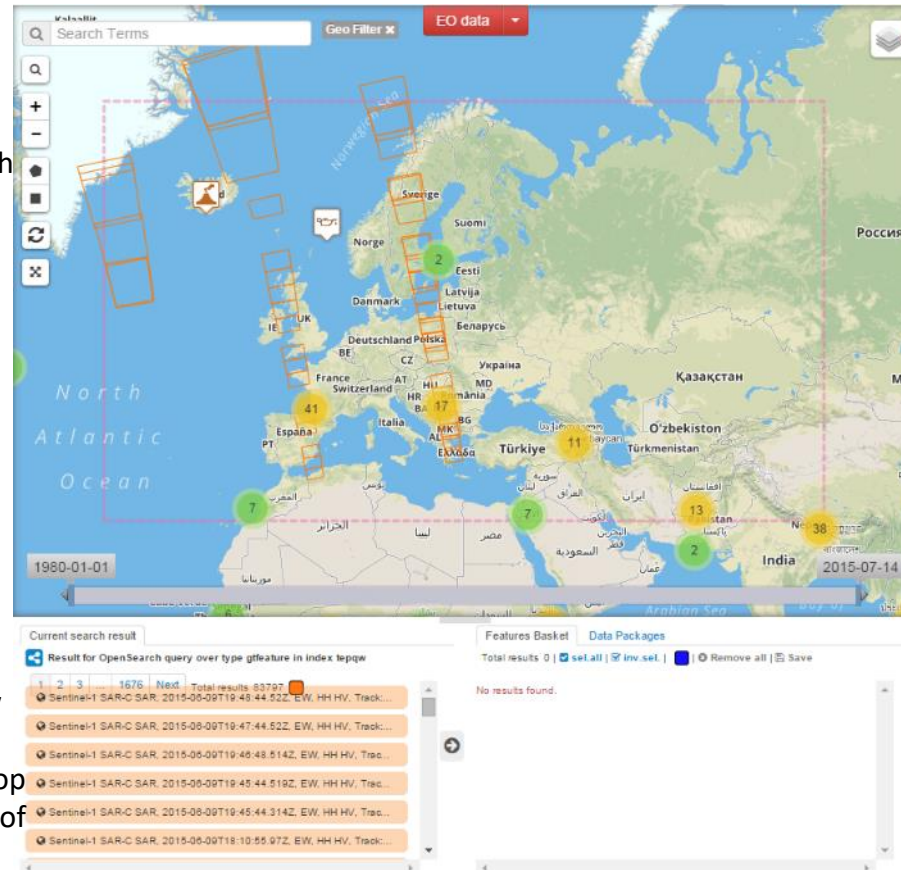
# Processing platforms

- ✓ Hosting of pre-developed algorithms
- ✓ The platform might instantiate or deploy computing resources to process new tasks and eliminate them once complete (ideally to reduce costs)
- ✓ The platform provides an API to invoke the services
- ✓ The platform should be able to interconnect services with data and computing resources
  - The EO service provider can provide services that could run independently on the platform below
- ✓ Dataset search/selector based on:
  - Mission
  - Area of interest (visualized, or delimited by polygon)
  - Sensing time
  - Data type
- ✓ **It is not in the procurement baseline, but an interesting element that enables the efficient migration to cloud and DIAS (in particular for many EO service providers)**

# Use Case Data Processing services

Central section  
provides data search  
and browse  
visualisation

Lower panes show  
search results and  
allow drag-and-drop  
to create a basket of  
input products



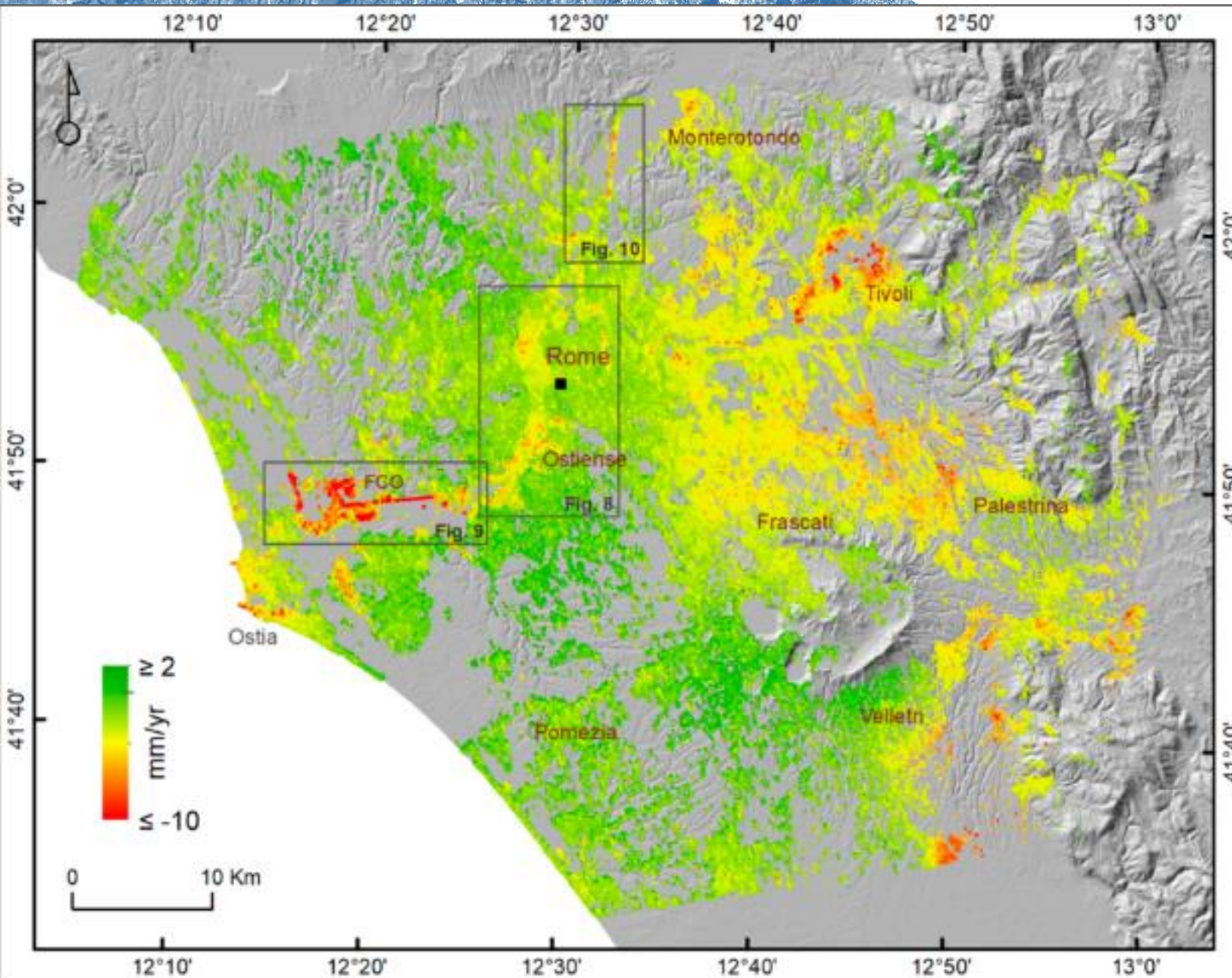
Basket can be  
dragged to processing  
service to initiate



Right pane shows  
available processing  
services and  
toolboxes, as well as  
published products,  
publications, and  
community  
information

## Data processing

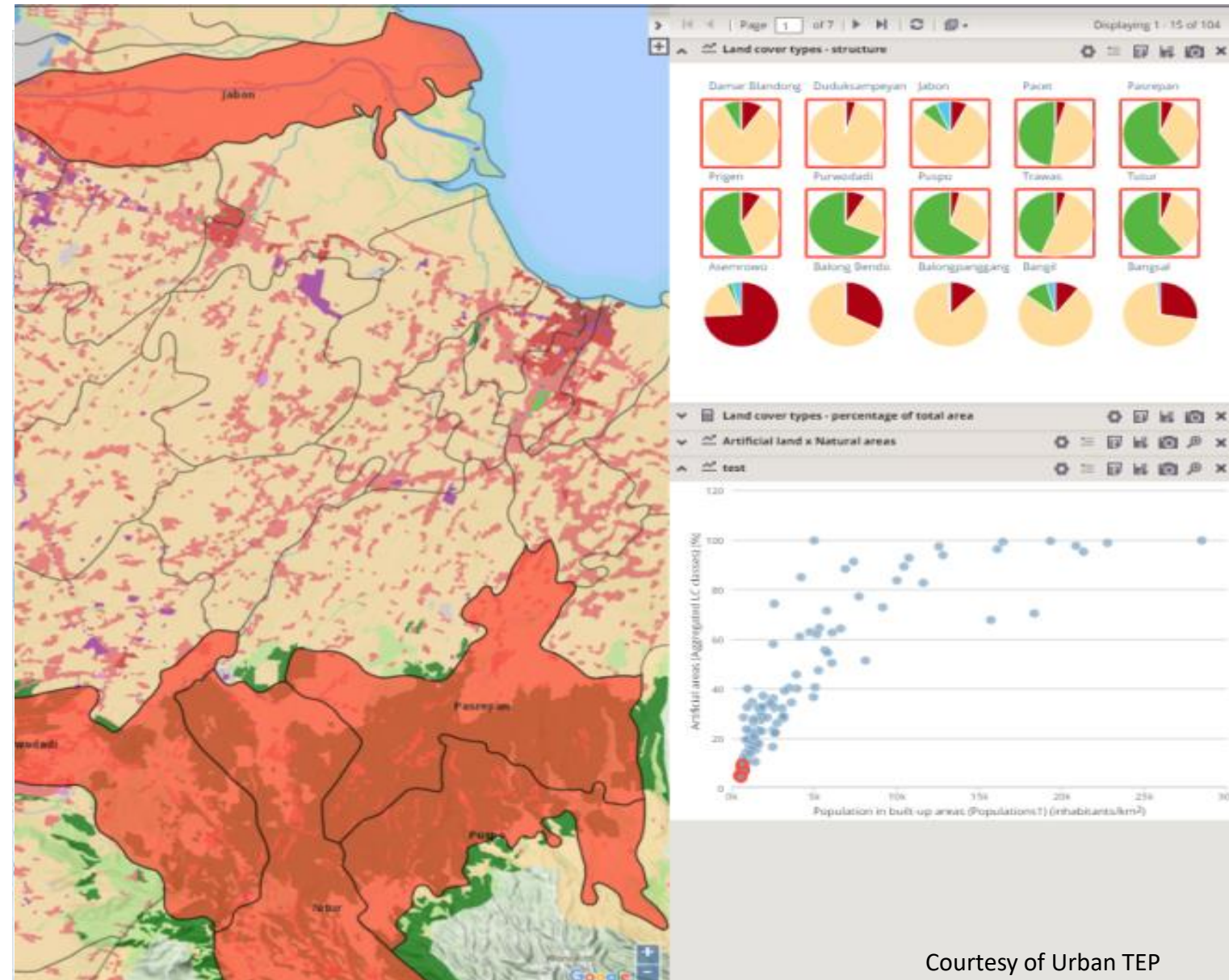
- Near Real Time (NRT) services
  - Earthquake mapping, Flood detection/mapping
- No-time critical (NTC) services
  - L3 product generation
- Time series analysis
  - Long term change detection
  - Subsidence analysis





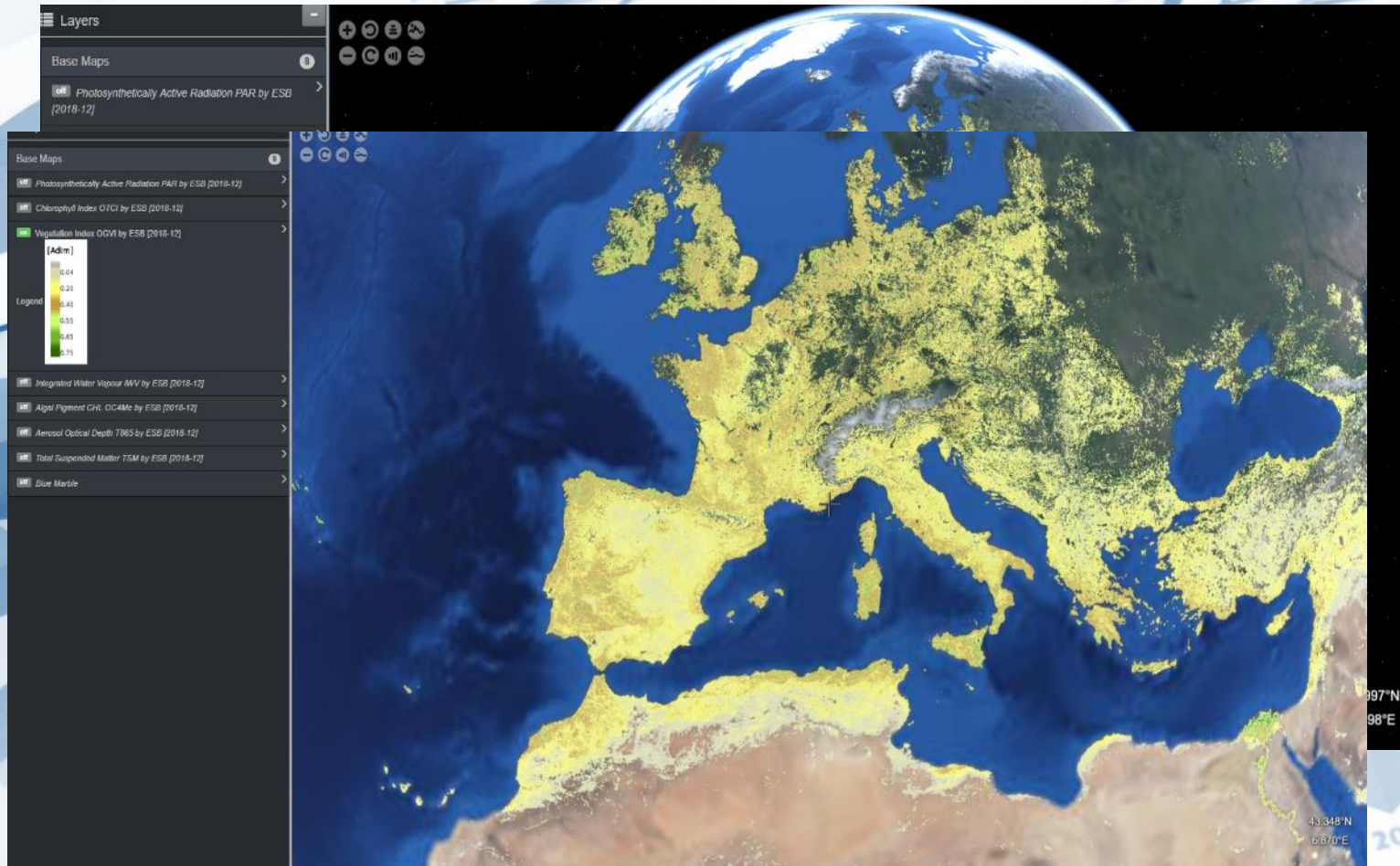
# Data analytics

- Online results analytics
  - Plot, graphs, tables
  - Combine EO data, high level products (maps, indices) and other data (in-situ, twits)



Courtesy of Urban TEP





## Data visualisation

### webGIS server to visualize:

- Input data
- Processing results
- Other layers:
  - Events
  - Vector/polygons

### Example:

- Interactive website with monthly Level 3 Sentinel-3 products (e.g. NDVI)

Courtesy of Earthstatsbeating

# Value added products

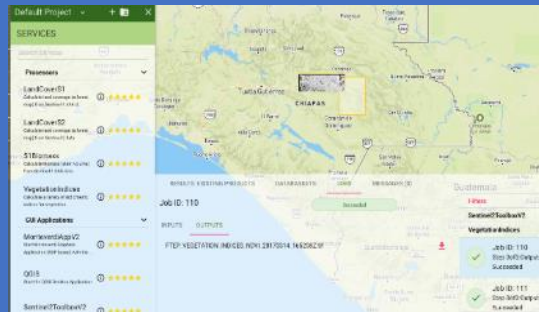
- Level-3  
daily/weekly/monthly  
composites
  
- Example:
  - Monthly NDVI  
composites  
(Normalised Difference  
Vegetation Index)
  - NDWI (Normalised  
Difference Water  
Index)



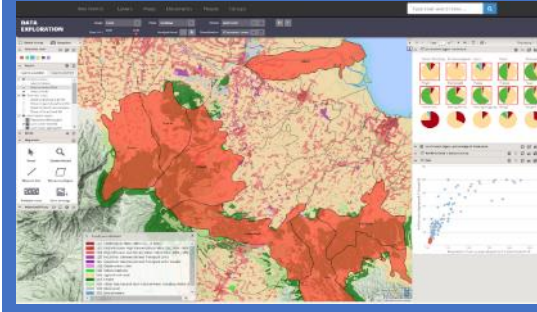


# Preliminary categories of foreseen services

## Data Processing Services



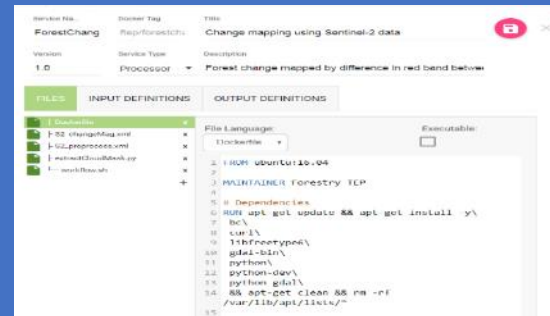
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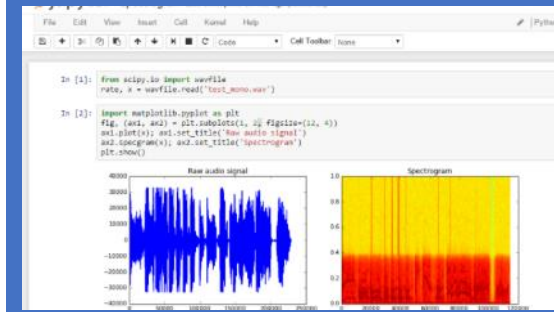
## Data Sharing/Publication



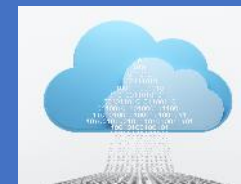
## User Service integration



## Interactive development



Powered by a scalable collocated processing environment - DIAS



# Questions ?