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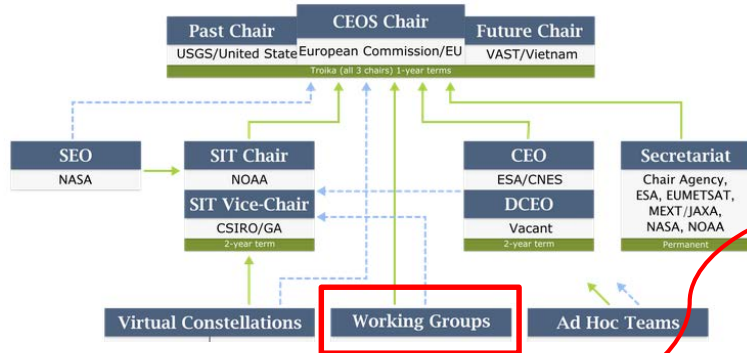
Established in 1984

## Committee on Earth Observation Satellites

*62 Agencies operating 160 satellites!*

<http://ceos.org/>

**Mission:** to ensure international coordination of civil space-based Earth observation programs and promote exchange of data to optimize societal benefit and inform decision making for securing a prosperous and sustainable future for humankind



## CEOS WG on Disasters

Established in 2013

Over 20 member organizations involved in the use of satellite imagery for disaster risk reduction, response and recovery





## Post-Matthew RO

Triggered in Dec 2016 by the CEOS Executive, the RO aims at monitoring recovery and rehabilitation in the areas of southwest Haiti affected by Hurricane Matthew



Overseen by Steering Committee made up of CEOS agencies (CNES, CSA and ASI), international DRM stakeholders (GFDRR/WB and UNDP) and national partners:

- CNIGS (National Center for Geo-spatial Information)
- CIAT (Inter-Ministerial Committee for Land Management)
- ONEV (National Observatory of Environment and Vulnerability)



# CEOS Recovery Observatory in Haiti



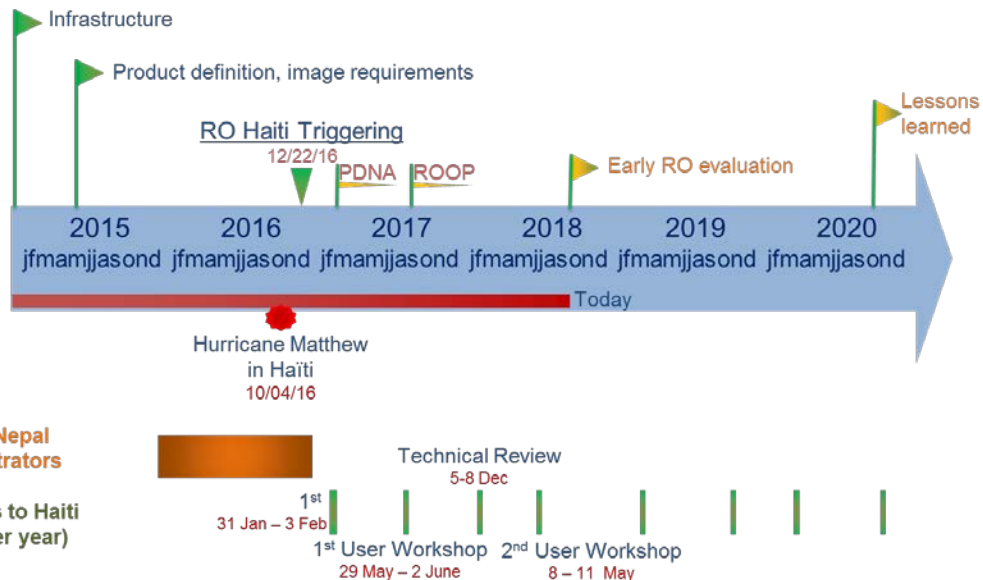
Damage caused by Hurricane Matthew in Haiti (Oct 2016)



Damage in Les Cayes (source: [www.abc.net.au](http://www.abc.net.au))



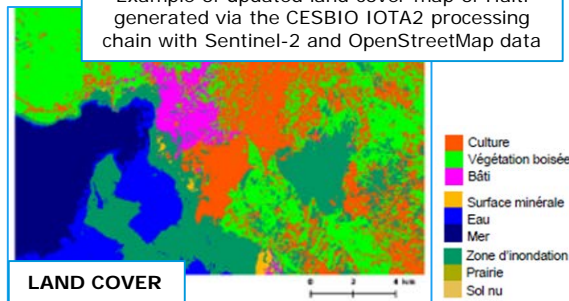
## RO Haiti timeline [2017-2020]



## RO thematic products

To offer free and open access to data and information useful in planning and monitoring recovery, but also to serve as a forum of exchange and collaboration on recovery related issues to foster resilience at the community level

Example of updated land cover map of Haiti generated via the CESBIO IOTA2 processing chain with Sentinel-2 and OpenStreetMap data

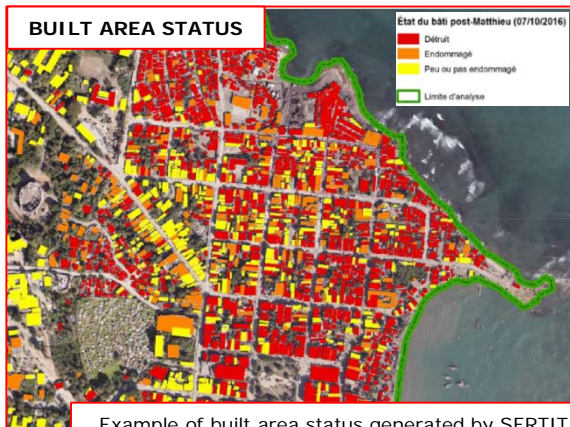


**WATER SYTEM MONITORING**



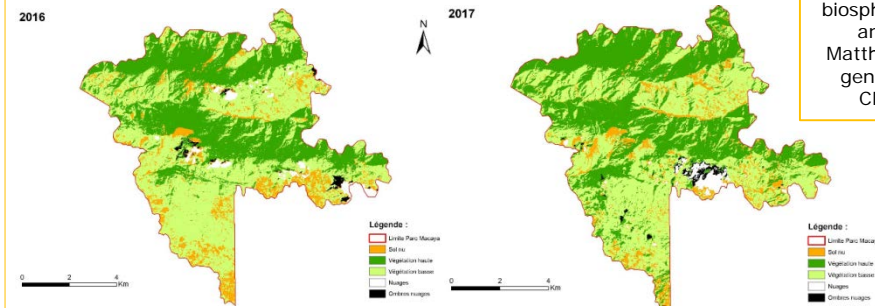
Example of flood risk map for Les Cayes, derived by CIMA (contract ASI) based on CNES Pléiades and ASI COSMO-SkyMed data

**BUILT AREA STATUS**



Example of built area status generated by SERTIT (contract CNES) based on CNES Pléiades data

**MACAYA NATIONALPARC (UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, since 2016)**



Assessing direct impacts of the hurricane, understanding how the biosphere regenerated and identify any anthropic activity: pre-Mathieu and post-Mathieu states generated by SERTIT (contract CNES) using SPOT6/7 data



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Produit	Utilisateur-clef	Elaboration	Données satellites
Buildings	CIAT/ Planning Ministry	SERTIT, Copernicus EMS	Pléiades, WV
Land Use	ALL	CNIGS/CNES	Orthophotos, Sentinel-2
Forest	ONEV /Environnement Ministry	Copernicus EMS	S2, Spot6/7, Optique THR
Agriculture	Agriculture Ministry	Copernicus EMS	Sentinel-2, SPOT
Macaya Park Monitoring	ANAP / ONEV / Env. Min.	Copernicus EMS SERTIT	Optic THR, radar THR
Suivi bassins versants	ONEV/ Agriculture Ministry	CIMA Foundation	MNT 1m/20cm and radar THR
<b>Terrain Motion / Mining career</b>	<b>BME / Public Work Ministry</b>	<b>EOST, ASI</b>	<b>CSK, Pléiades, Spot6/7</b>
Vector Borne Disease	Heath Minister/ OMS	NOAA	L8, Images NOAA + statistic needs
Air pollution	ONEV / Ministère Santé	NASA	S5P Tropomi Interest pronounced

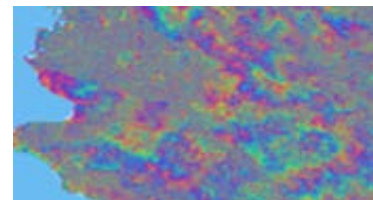


## TERRAIN MOTION

Mapping and monitoring land subsidence, landslides, and other mass movements and landscape changes

Automatic Landslide Detection and Mapping (ALADIM) based on satellite optical data

**led by CNRS-EOST**



Satellite SAR data processing, including change detection, conventional InSAR & advanced InSAR (e.g. SBAS, PSI)

**led by ASI**



## TERRAIN MOTION – SAR data analysis

### Scientific goals

- Develop experimental scientific products tailored to obtain useful information on ground stability and motions for target areas of the RO
- Test VHR satellite SAR for hotspot mapping via
  - Tailored TerraSAR-X StripMap acquisition campaign over wide area
  - Bespoke COSMO-SkyMed SpotLight campaign for 3 hotspots in different recovery contexts
  - InSAR processing within ESA's Geohazards Exploitation Platform (GEP)

### Target areas (stakeholders' priorities)

- Jeremie (urban + rural)
- Camp-Perrin (rural + road network)
- Carriere Arniquet (rural + mining)



# Geohazards Exploitation Platform (GEP)



<https://geohazards-tep.eo.esa.int>

Initiated in 2014 and evolved through ESA funding as part of the Thematic Exploitation Platforms (TEP)

GEP follows the Supersites Exploitation Platform (SSEP), originally initiated in the context of the Geohazard Supersites & Natural Laboratories initiative (GSNL)

A platform sourced with data, tools, and processing services, developed to support the exploitation of satellite EO for geohazards

GEP contributes to the CEOS WG Disasters to support its thematic Pilots, Demonstrators and Recovery Observatory

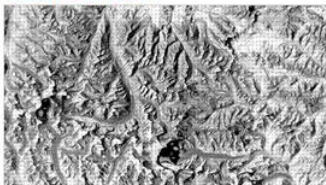




## Thematic Applications

Filter Apps 

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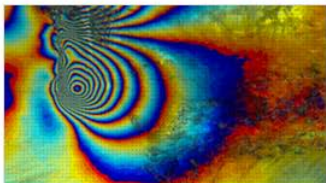
by **Terradue**

Discover public data collections and shared job results on GEP

 Oct 22nd 2018

TERRADUE

 Open App




### EO Services for Earthquake Response

by **GEP Consortium**

This App provides a set of on-demand terrain motion services to support co-seismic displacement mapping.

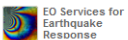
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geohazards  
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# Geohazards Exploitation Platform (GEP)



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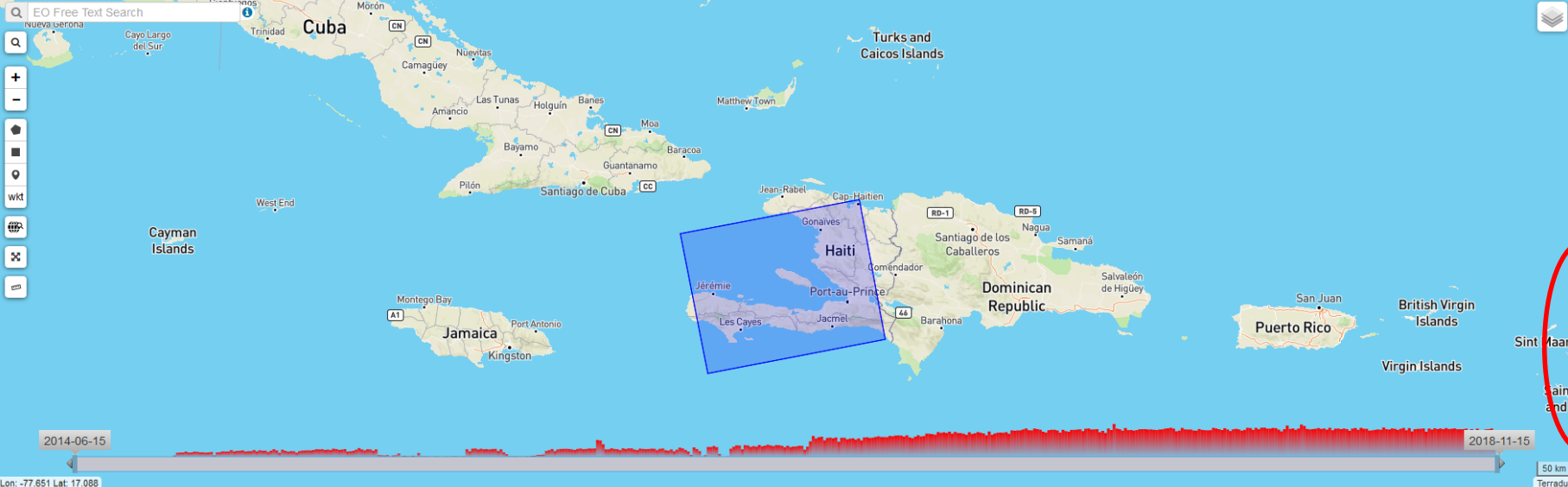
Upload Data

EO Data

EO-based products

Community

Private



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European Space Agency

## Examples of GEP hosted processing services for InSAR and change detection



### SNAP Sentinel-1 IW SLC Interferogram and Displacements

Provides the InSAR processor for Sentinel-1 TOPSAR IW SLC data performed through SNAP (Sentinel Application Platform) - S1TBX

SNAP is a common architecture for all Sentinel Toolboxes, ideal for EO processing and analysis

[https://terradue.github.io/doc-tep-geohazards/tutorials/rss\\_snap\\_s1\\_insar.html](https://terradue.github.io/doc-tep-geohazards/tutorials/rss_snap_s1_insar.html)



### SNAC - SNAP S1 GRD Amplitude Change

Provides RGB color composites of radar backscattering from a pair Sentinel-1 TOPSAR (IW, EW) GRD products processed in SNAP

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### DIAPASON InSAR Sentinel-1 TOPSAR (IW,EW)

Developed by CNES and maintained by TRE-ALTAMIRA

Performs an InSAR workflow on Sentinel-1 TOPSAR (IW, EW) SLC data, producing interferograms, amplitude and coherence maps

<https://terradue.github.io/doc-tep-geohazards/tutorials/diapason-iw.html>

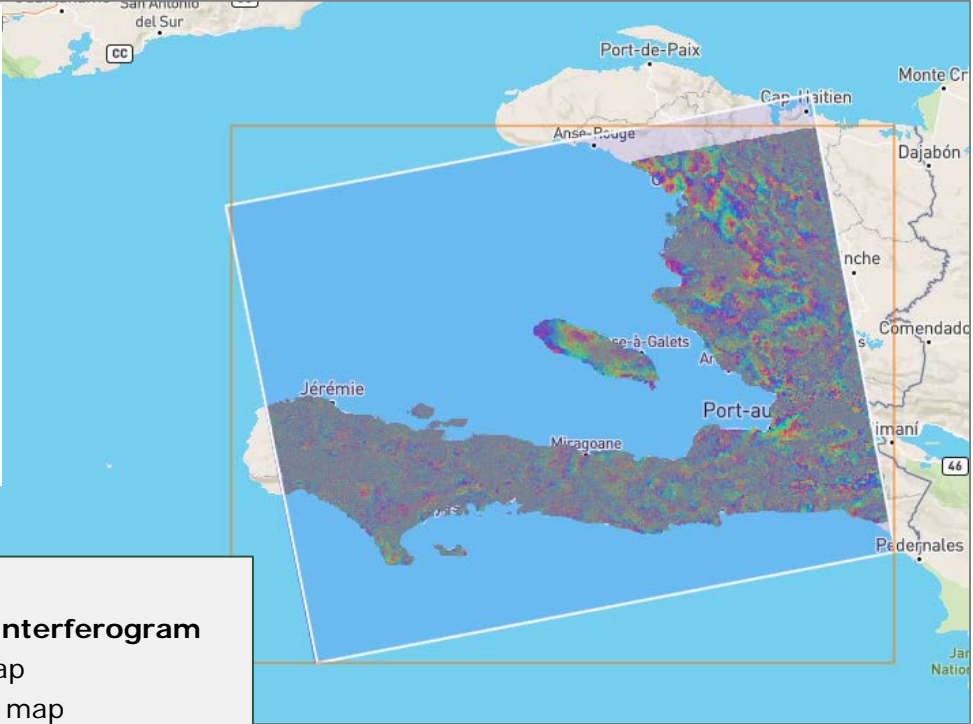
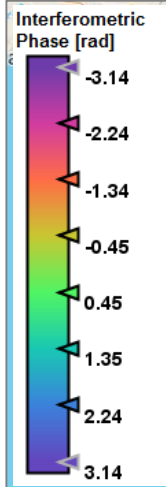
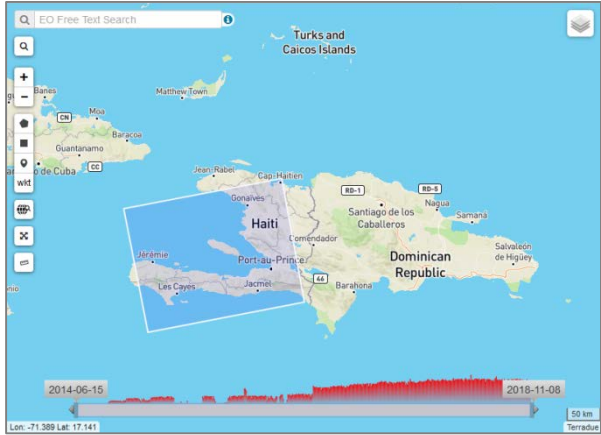


# GEP outputs – S1 on-demand processing

**SNAP  
InSAR**

**SNAP Sentinel-1 IW SLC  
Interferogram and  
Displacements**

Inputs [pre vs post Hurricane Matthew]  
1) S1 IW SLC 24/09/2016 (master)  
2) S1 IW SLC 18/10/2016 (slave)



Outputs:

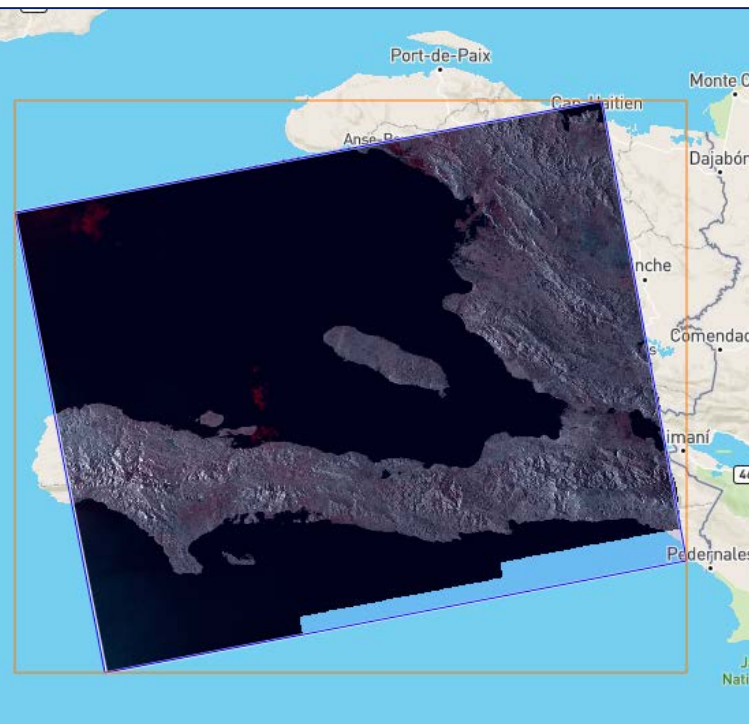
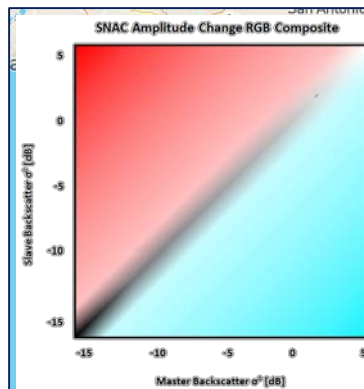
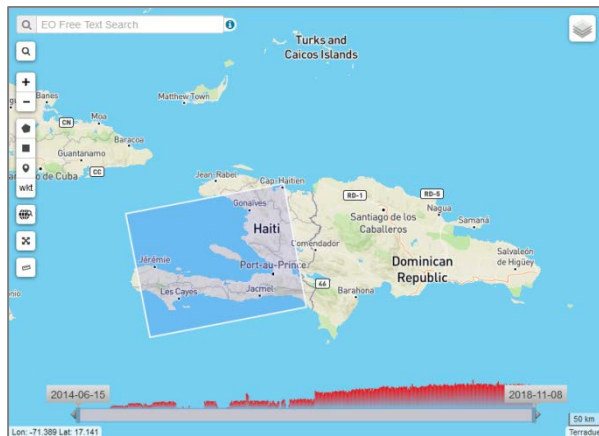
- Differential interferogram
- Coherence map
- Displacement map

SNAC

SNAC - SNAP S1 GRD  
Amplitude Change

Inputs [pre vs post Hurricane Matthew]

- 1) S1 IW GRD 24/09/2016 (master)
- 2) S1 IW GRD 18/10/2016 (slave)



Outputs:

- RGB color composite
- Master amplitude
- Slave amplitude



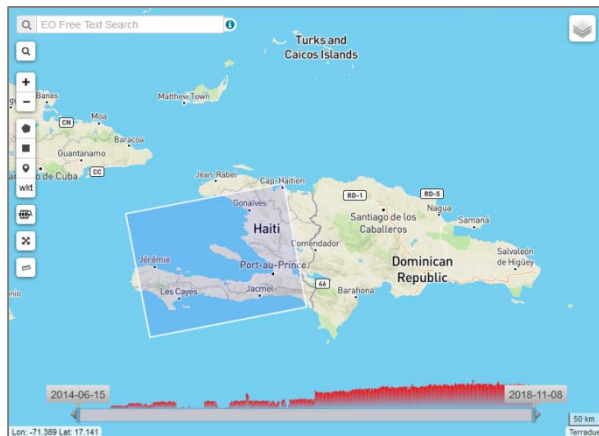
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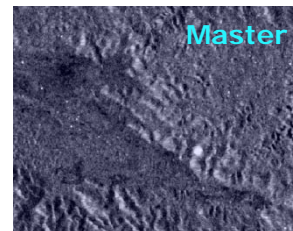
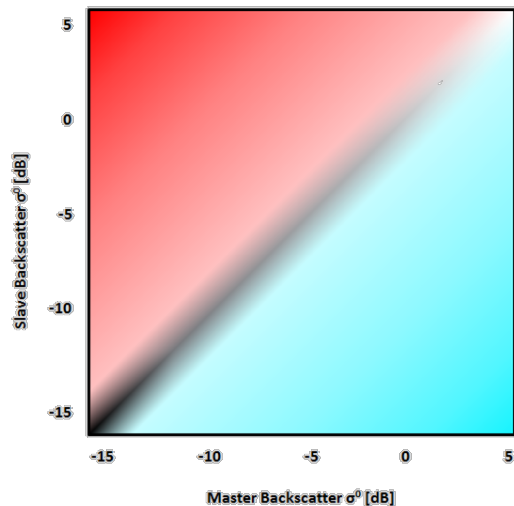
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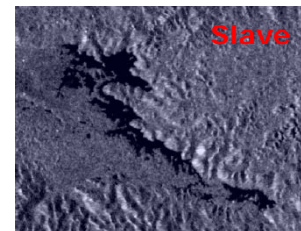
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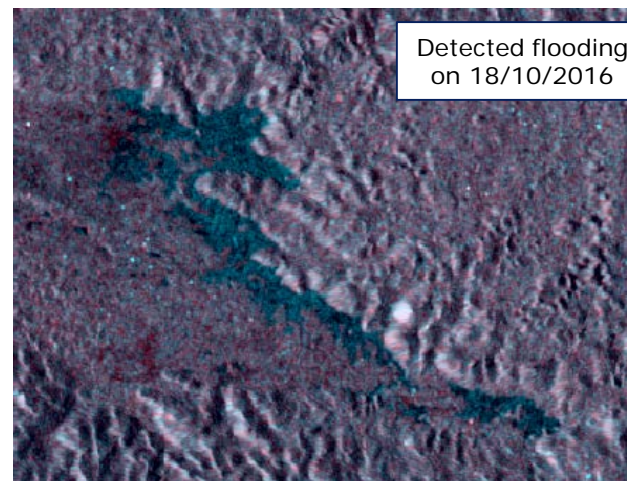
SNAC Amplitude Change RGB Composite



Master



Slave



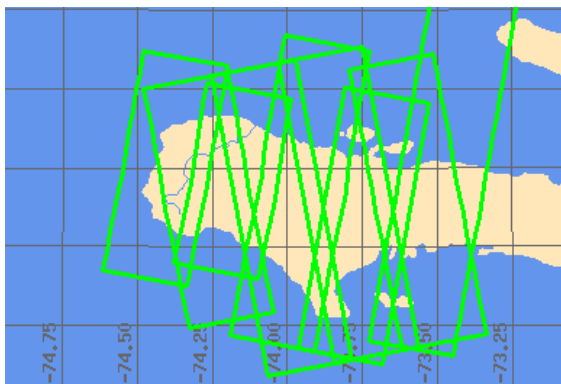
Detected flooding  
on 18/10/2016

Outputs:

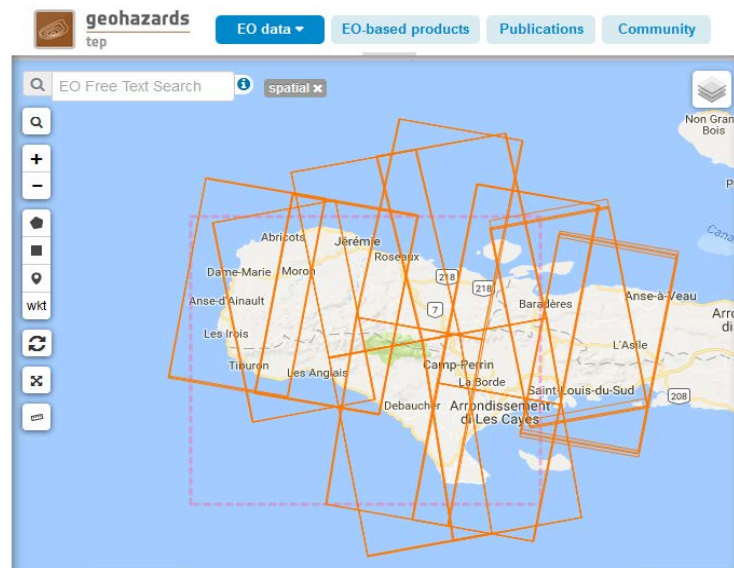
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## Newly acquired DLR's TerraSAR-X data

- DLR is acquiring a mosaicked coverage of the AOI [since 2016]
- X-band StripMap images at very high spatial resolution (3 m)
- Ascending and descending mode acquisition, 3-4 months revisit
- 6th complete coverage achieved



TerraSAR-X data  
ingested into GEP via  
linking with DLR server

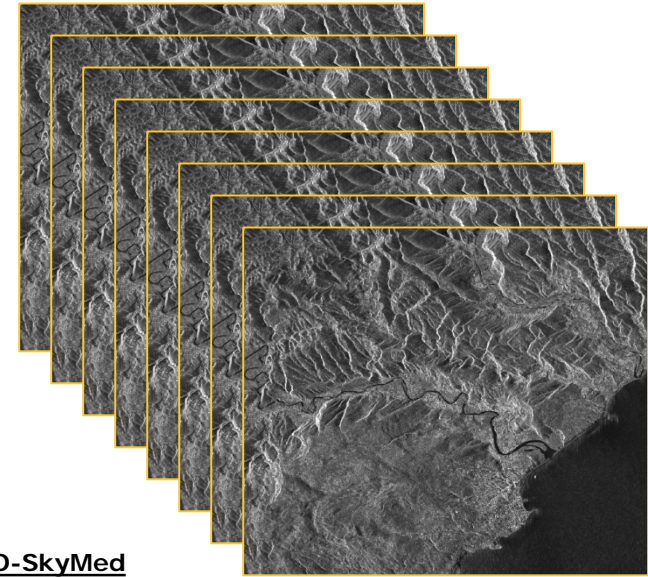
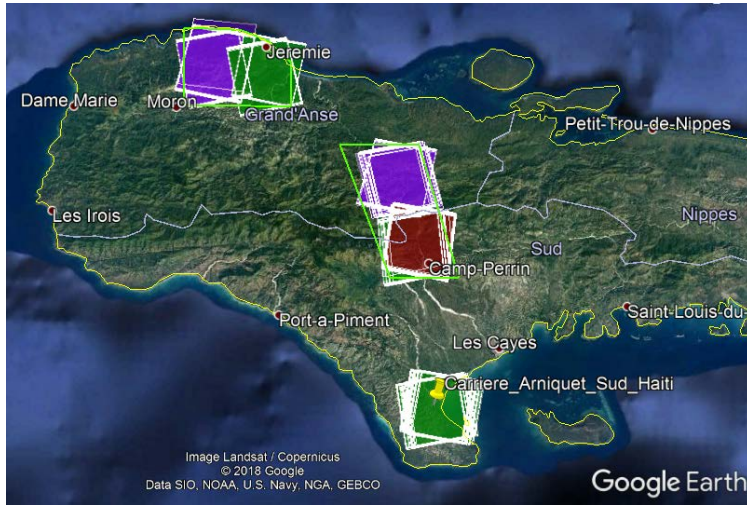


TerraSAR-X data will be processed with **change detection** approaches to identify landscape changes (roughness, soil moisture, ground movement) occurred



## Newly acquired ASI's COSMO-SkyMed data

- 3-year long tailored monitoring campaign [started on 1<sup>st</sup> Dec 2017]
- X-band SpotLight images at very high spatial resolution (1 m)
- Ascending and descending mode acquisition, 16 days revisit



**More than 200 COSMO-SkyMed**  
SpotLight scenes already acquired  
~20 scenes per site, per geometry  
(as of mid Nov 2018)



# Ongoing and future work



## ➤ SAR data processing in GEP

- Assessing advanced InSAR services (e.g. P-SBAS, FASTVEL, StaMPS)
- Development of tools for TerraSAR-X and COSMO-SkyMed analysis



SNAP+StaMPS

## ➤ Assessing new opportunities

- H2020 funding: BETTER project providing a mechanism to select new “data challenges”
- Setup of systematic processing chain delivering analysis-ready data (ARD)



## ➤ Capacity building

- Training Haitian partners and end-users on the use of GEP, basic processing tools and approaches for interpretation of outputs towards hazard and risk assessment, and enhanced land use planning and recovery after Matthew



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