

ESA COASTAL EROSION

'Coastal Erosion from Space'

Final Review Meeting

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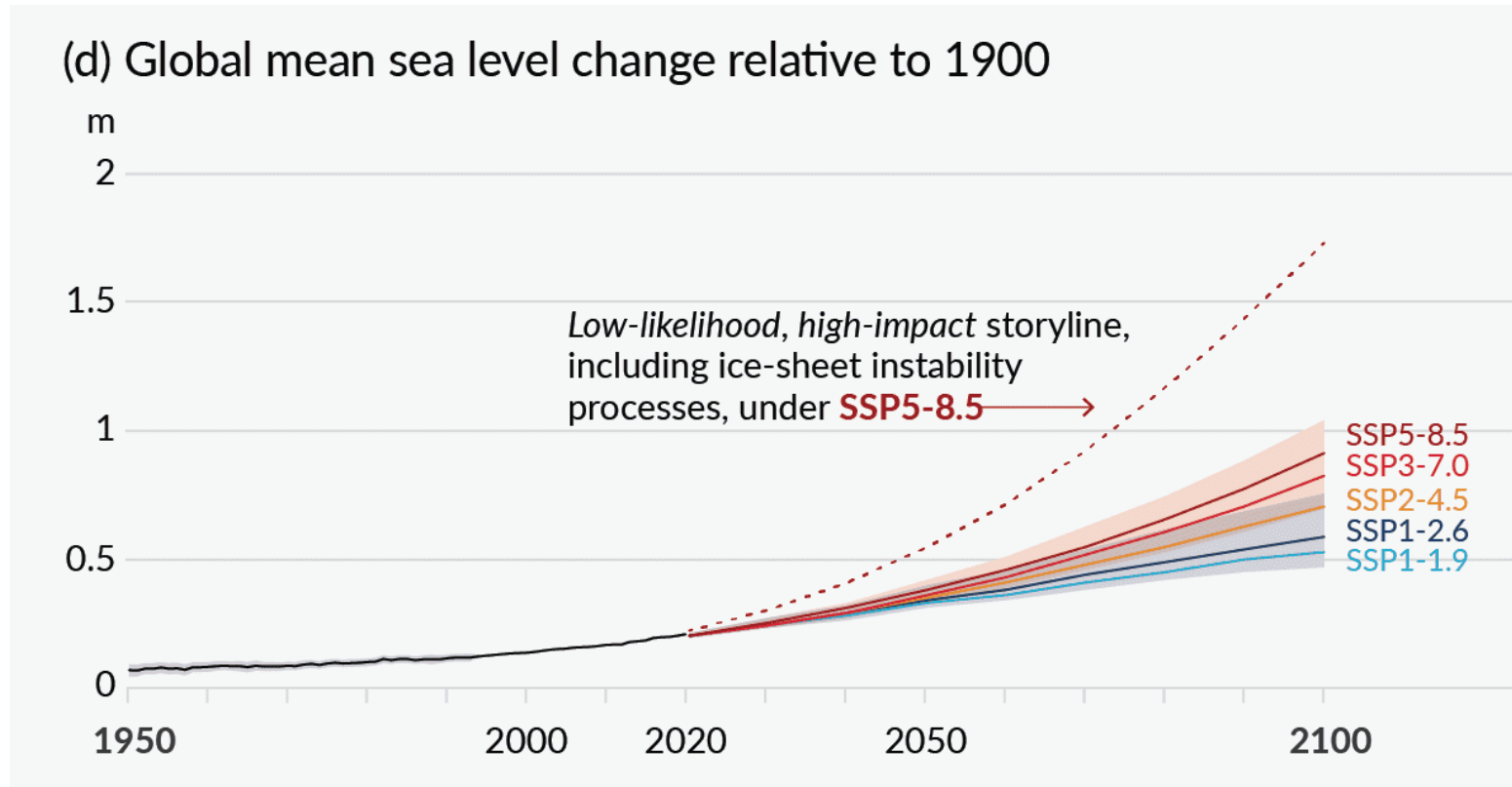
ESA Coastal Erosion

Reason



The IPCC AR 6 report indicates a best estimated world sea level rise of 66 cm by end of this century. As a result, the coastal erosion process as visible and measured by satellite since the 80s could only increase in the near future. This session intends to provide a dedicated forum to scientists associated to public authorities to report on the use of satellite data to characterize this process over the past 30 to 40 years. To this purpose, the Agency placed in 2018 two contracts that studied the process in 9 ESA member states. Algorithms, methods and results will be presented together with other relevant studies in other part of the world.

Extract from IPCC AR6 Summary for Policymakers - Figure SPM.8



ESA Coastal Erosion

The studied sites

Coastal Erosion from Space – ARGANS

United Kingdom

- ✓ Chesil Beach
- ✓ Start Bay
- ✓ Perranporth
- ✓ Spurn Head to Hunstanton
- ✓ Cardigan Bay

Ireland

- ✓ Dublin Bay
- ✓ Ravens Point and Rosslare
- ✓ Waterford Estuary
- ✓ Cork Harbour
- ✓ Muir Eireann

Spain

- ✓ Barcelona and Tordera Delta
- ✓ Port of Castellón and Port of Sagunt
- ✓ Cadiz and Mazagón Beach
- ✓ El Puntal de Santander
- ✓ Bay of Biscay

Canada

- ✓ Pointe au Loup
- ✓ Pointe aux Outardes
- ✓ Longue Pointe de Mingan
- ✓ Bylot Island
- ✓ Baffin Bay

Italy

- ✓ Lido di Jesolo
- ✓ Catania, Sicily



Space for Shore – i-Sea

France

- ✓ Coast of the New Aquitaine
- ✓ Coast of Normandy
- ✓ Provence-Alpes-Côte d'Azur Region
- ✓ Vendée Department
- ✓ Morbihan Department
- ✓ Charente-Maritime Department
- ✓ Occitany Region (Roussillon)

Greece

- ✓ Eastern Macedonia & Thrace
- ✓ Peloponnese
- ✓ Euboan Gulf
- ✓ Rhodes Island

Germany

- ✓ North Sea
- ✓ Baltic Sea
- ✓ Southern Schleswig-Holstein Wadden Sea tidal flats

Portugal

- ✓ Northwest coast
- ✓ Peniche
- ✓ Alentejo
- ✓ Algarve

Romania

- ✓ Romanian Coast
- ✓ Constanta
- ✓ Chilia secondary delta

Norway

- ✓ Svalbard

As reported in the *‘detailed proposal in reply to Contract Change Notice scope of work’* the due deliverables for the Final Review are listed below:

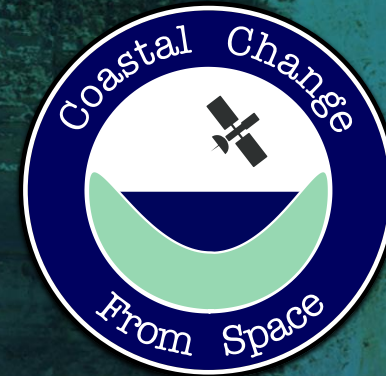
- *Technical Specifications Document* 😊
- *Product Validation Report* 😊
- *Final Report* 😊
- *Executive Summary* 😞
- *Product delivery* 😞



Coastal Erosion from Space

Final Review @ ESRIN

14th September 2022



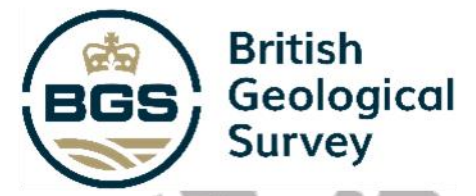
- **0900 - 0915** **Introduction and welcome from ESA/Argans**
- **0915 – 1015** **Products and Processes (Argans/IsardSAT)**
- **1015 - 1030** **Coffee break**
- **1030 - 1130** **User Requirement update/Validation/
Utility/application/Roll Out**
- **1130 - 1200** **ESA discussion and AOB.**



in St Laurent mouth (Canada)



in Kilkee (Ireland)



*Coastal Erosion events:
in Nerja (Spain)*

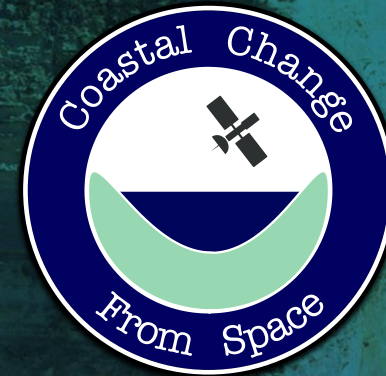


- Phase 1 & 2 successfully concluded March 2021 (the requirement was for 3 nations, 1000km of coastal products)
- Phase 3 (the CCN) added an additional partner with improvements to the products/processors based on User Need added and then the production of an additional 1500km plus updating the phase 2 data set to 2022.



COASTAL EROSION CCN final review

Processor & Products



ESA Frascati, Italy

14 September 2022

- Co-registration



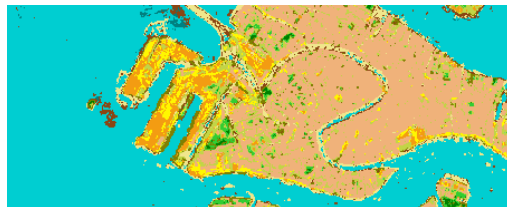
- Optical Waterline



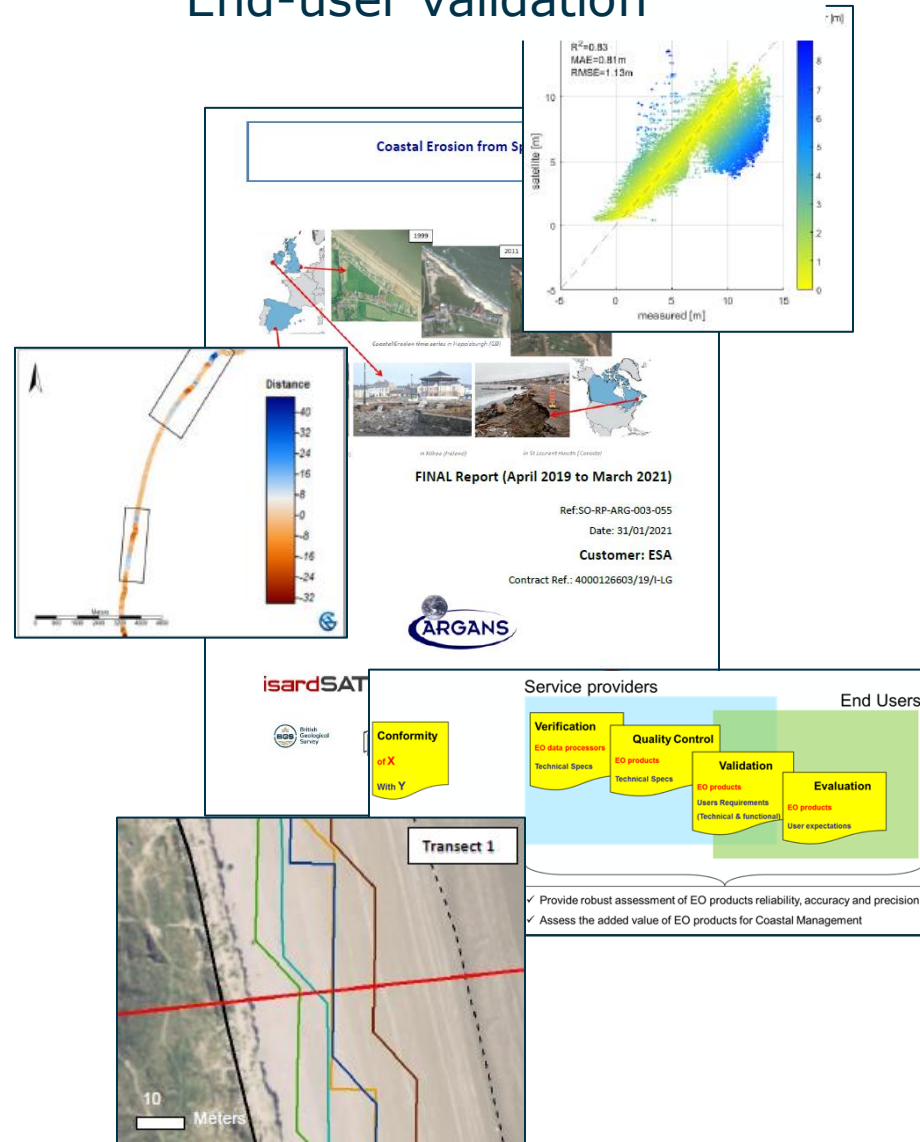
- Optical Shoreline



- Land use land cover map



End-user validation



- Time-series
- WL inter pixel position
- SL shape accuracy
- SL spatial extend

Pre-processing

- Data selection
- Co-registration



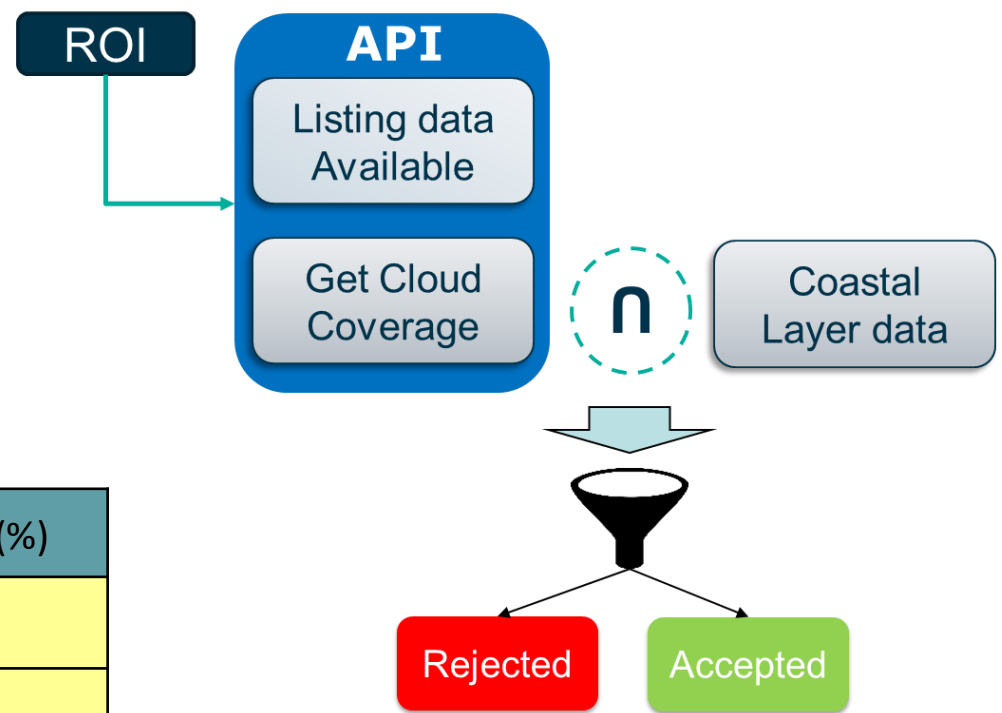
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Cloud cover : 45,08%



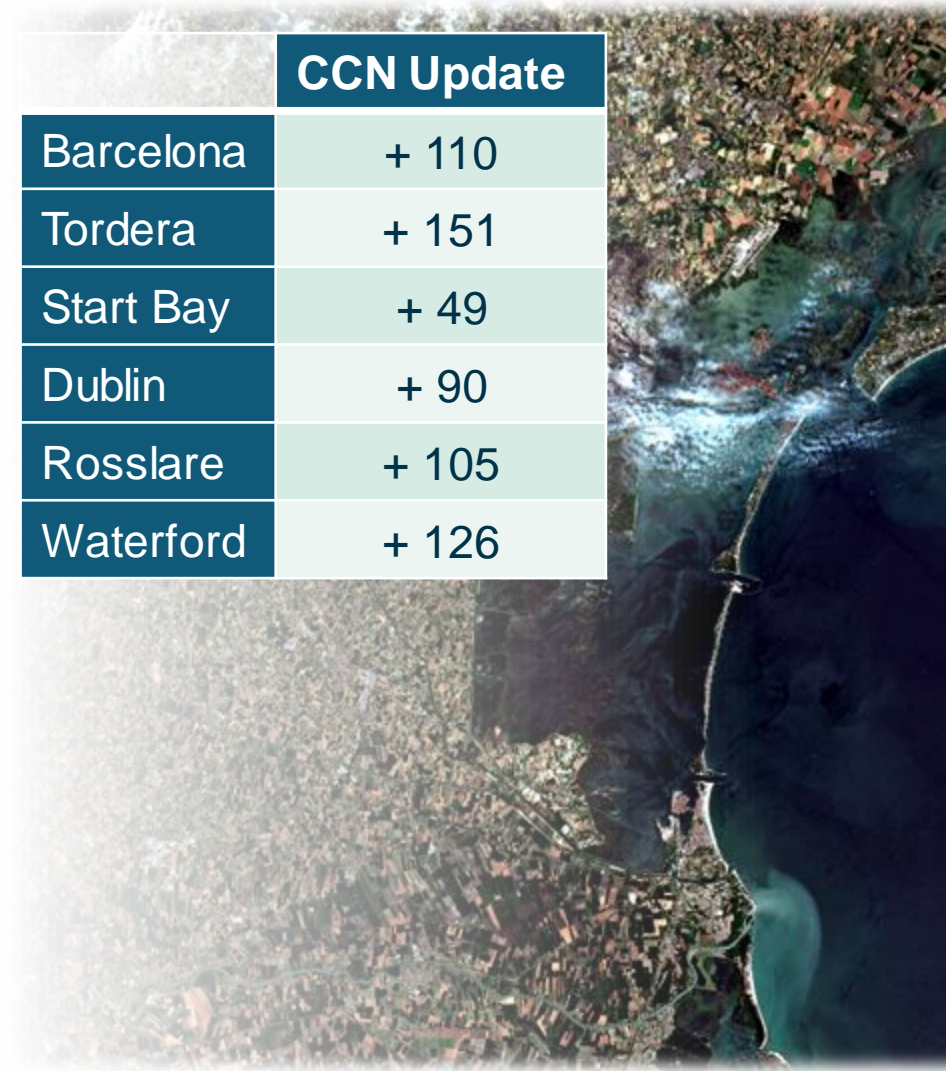
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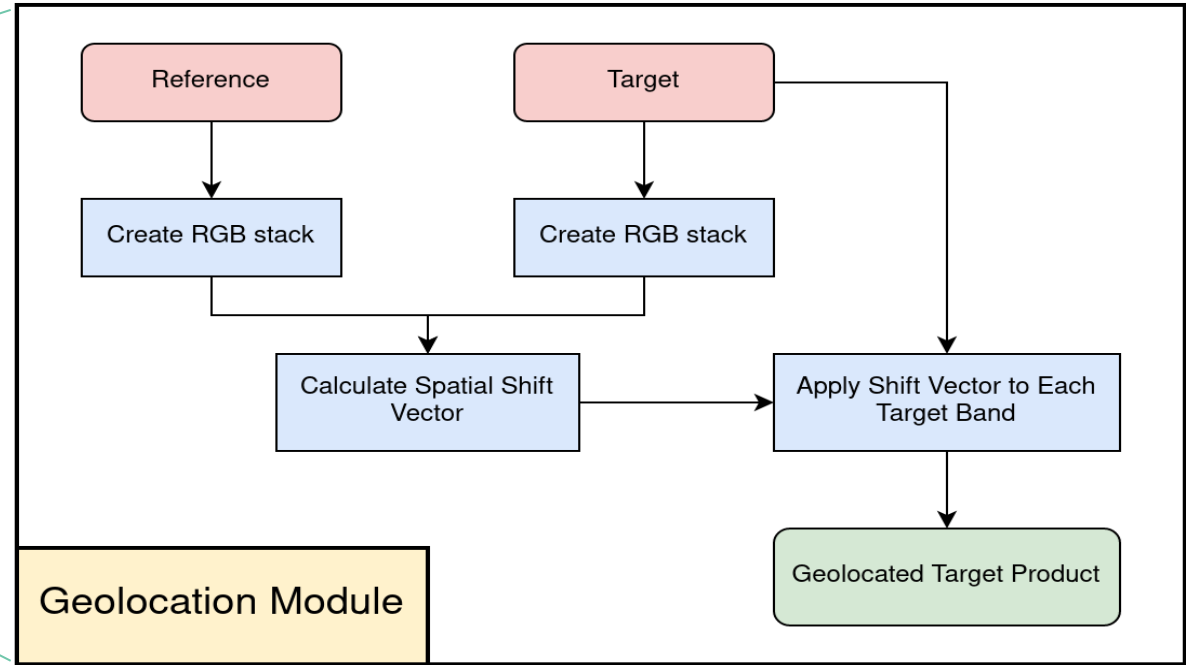
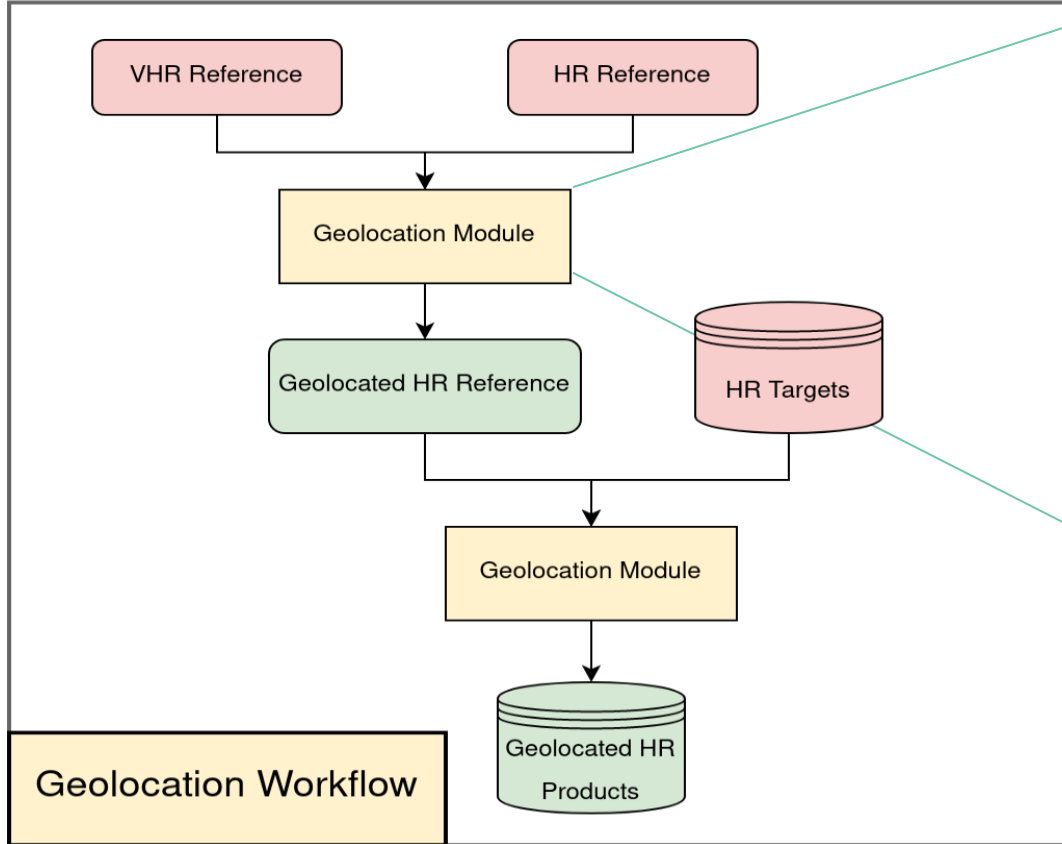


	Manual mode	Automatic mode	Evolution (%)
Barcelona (TDG)	92	96	4%
Start Bay	57	61	7%
Wales	55	63	13,56%
Venice	290	337	14%

Co-registration	S2		L8	L5
Wales	T30UUD	70	107	93
	T30UVD	66		
Cantabria	T30TUP	121	90	123
	T30TVP	81		
Venice	T32TQR	200	154	231
	T33TUL	129		
Catane	T33SWB	279	58	59
Baffin Bay	T17XNA	32	15	9
	T17XPA	20		

	CCN Update
Barcelona	+ 110
Tordera	+ 151
Start Bay	+ 49
Dublin	+ 90
Rosslare	+ 105
Waterford	+ 126





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python /path/to/coregistration.py /path/to/reference/ /path/to/target/ /output/folder/ -p /path/to/optional_parameters.json
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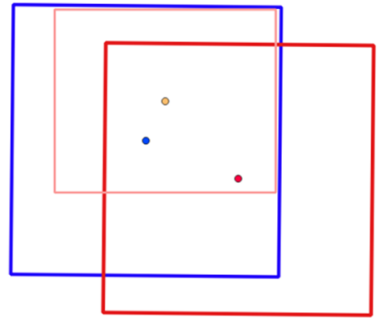
S2 Before Cor



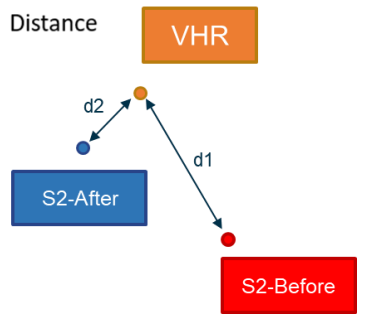
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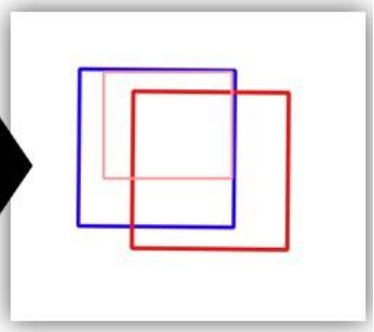
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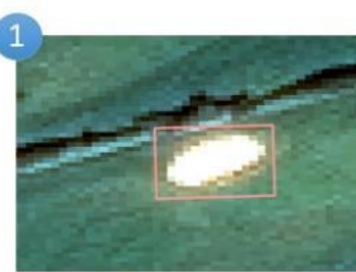


Distance



S2 After Cor





Object	d1 (Before co-reg)	d2 (After co-reg)	Correction
1	8,6 m	1,9 m	6,7 m
2	11,1 m	1,5 m	9,6 m
3	11,9 m	2,1 m	9,8 m
4	7,73 m	2,7 m	5,03 m

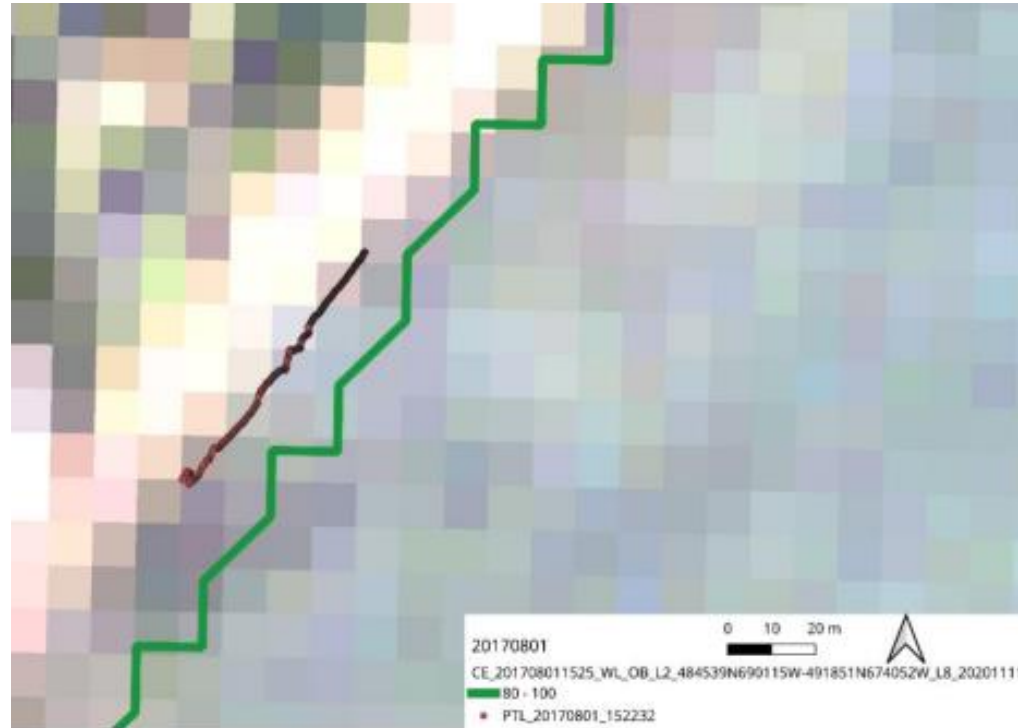
- The process has reduced the average horizontal error by **7,8m**.
- The average accuracy of the S2 image compared to the VHR after co-registration is of the order of **2m**.

Waterline

- V2 Production
- V3 process
- V3 Production

Waterline	S2		L8	L5
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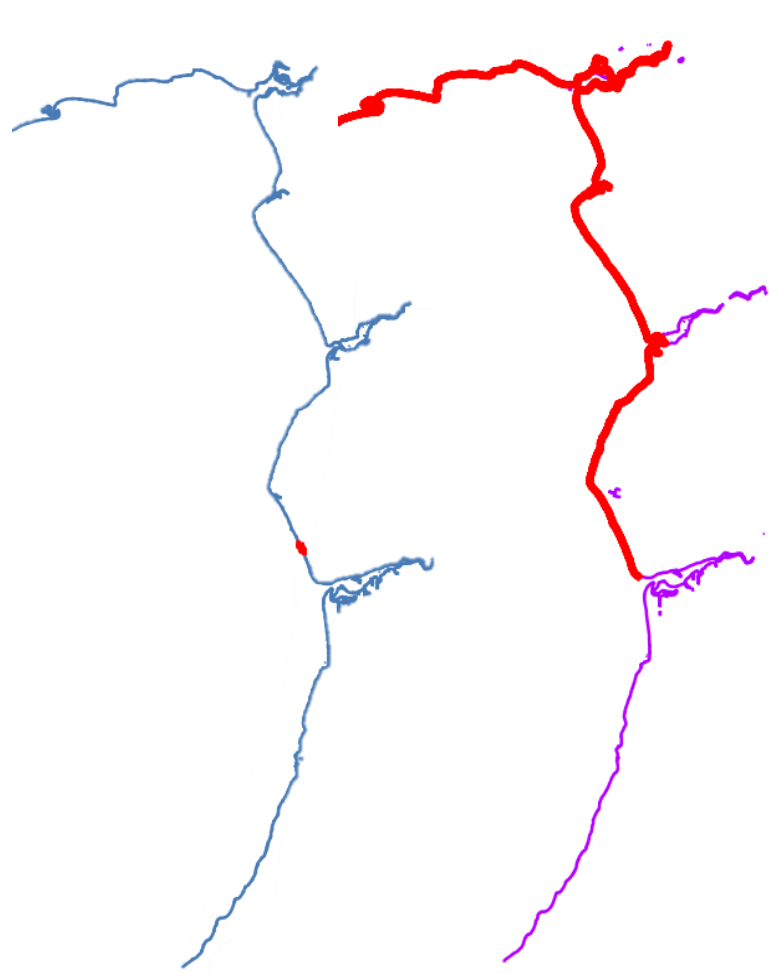
Landsat-8 Waterline (01/08/2017) Validation for Pointe-aux-Outardes
ARCTUS product validation report

Sentinel-2 Waterline (02/02/2019) Validation at Dublin (Dunleary),
GSI product validation report

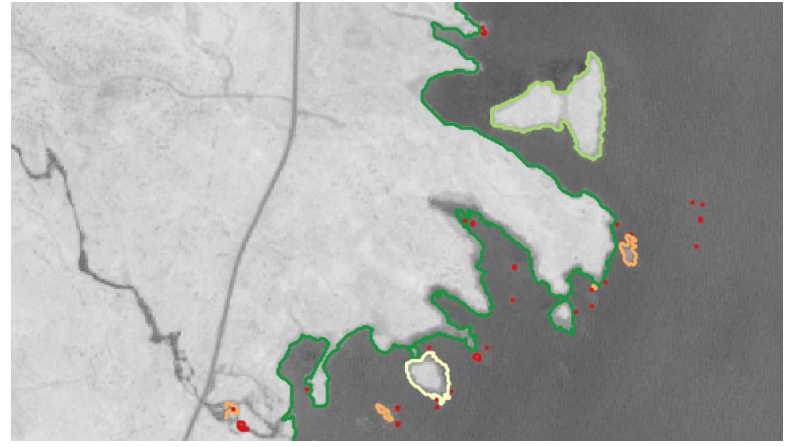
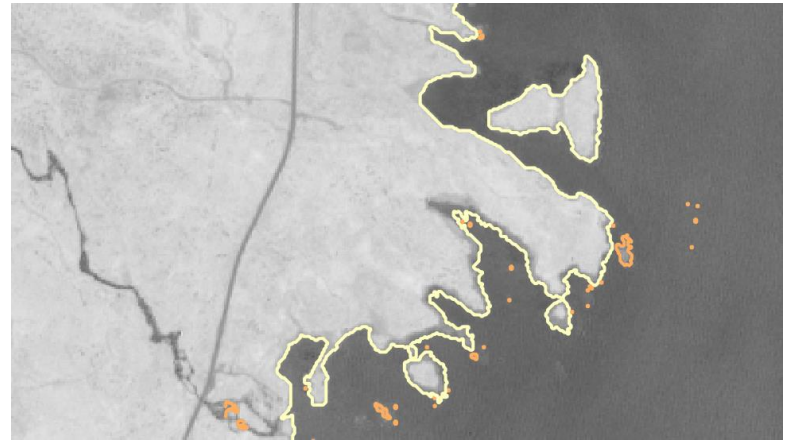
	Sep 2021	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan 2022	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
Wales												
Cantabria												
Venice												
Catane												
Baffin Bay												
Muir Eireann												
UK CE sites												
Spain CE sites												
Canada CE sites												






V2 waterline process
 V3 waterline process

V3 waterline process CE sites re-processing



V2 waterline, V3 waterline



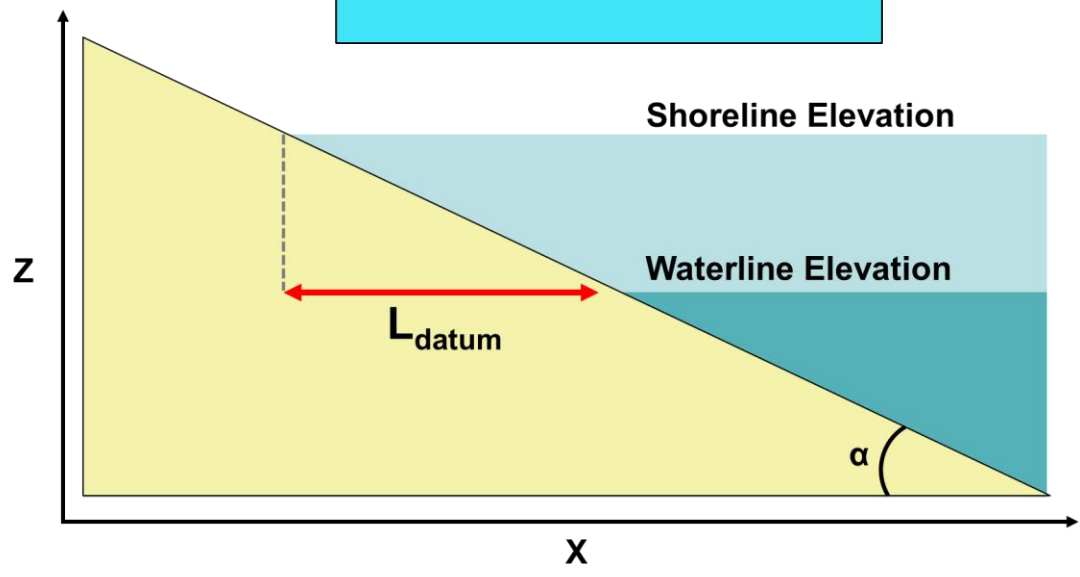
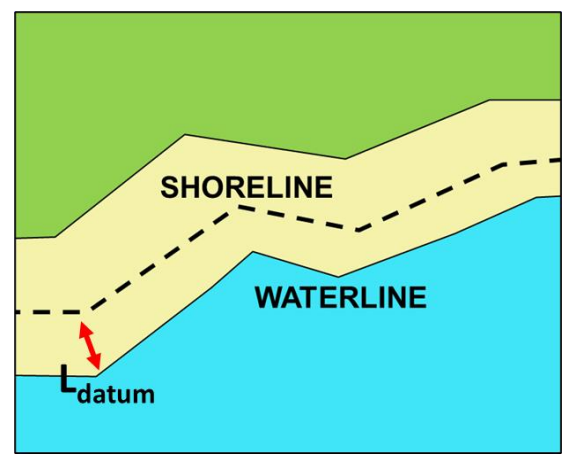
QC Score	
	0 – 20 (Very Low Confidence)
	20 – 40 (Low Confidence)
	40 – 60 (Fair Confidence)
	60 – 80 (High Confidence)
	80 – 100 (Very High Confidence)

Waterline		S2	L8	L5
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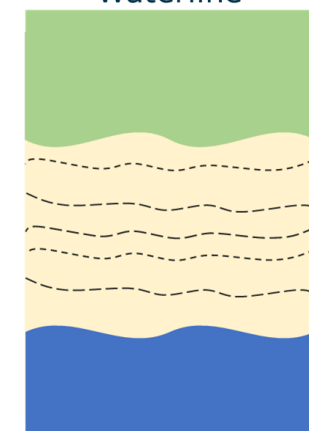
	CCN Update
Barcelona	225
Tordera	172
Start Bay	68
Dublin	100
Rosslare	161
Waterford	157

Shoreline

- Shoreline process
- Challenges
- V2 Process

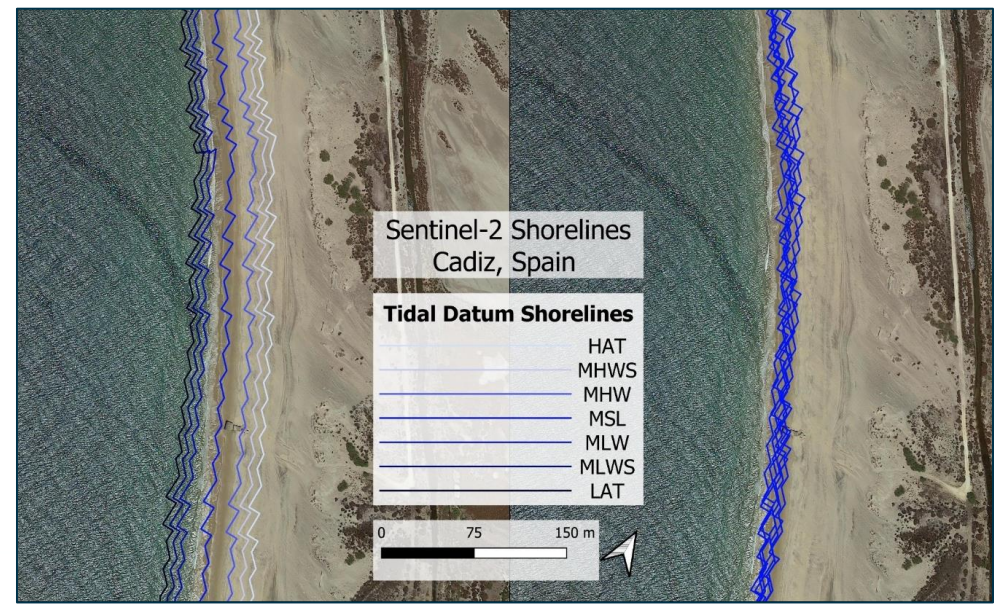
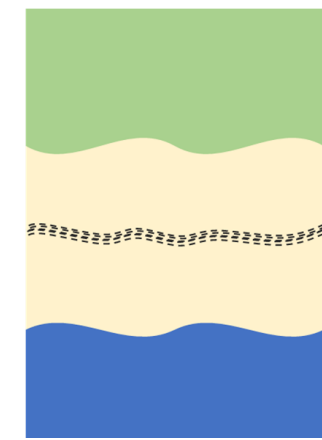


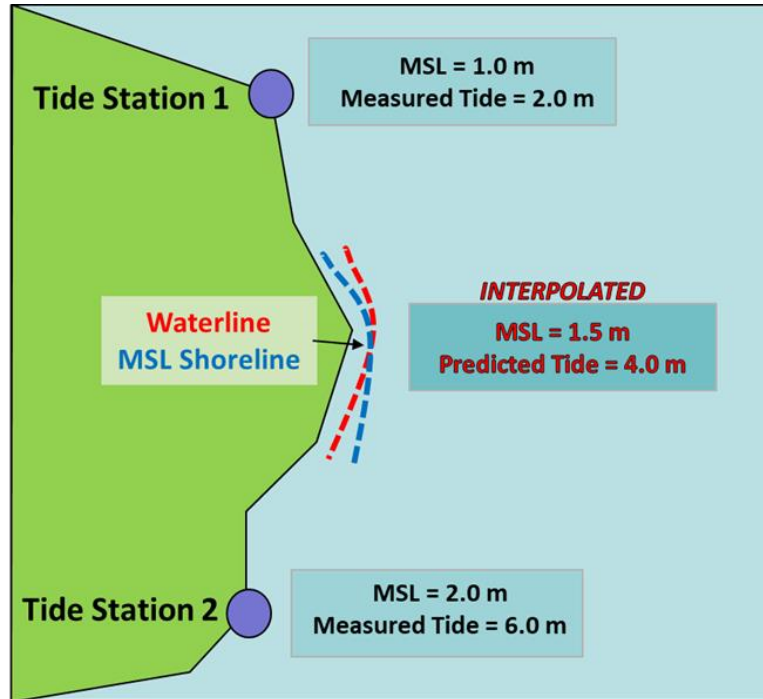
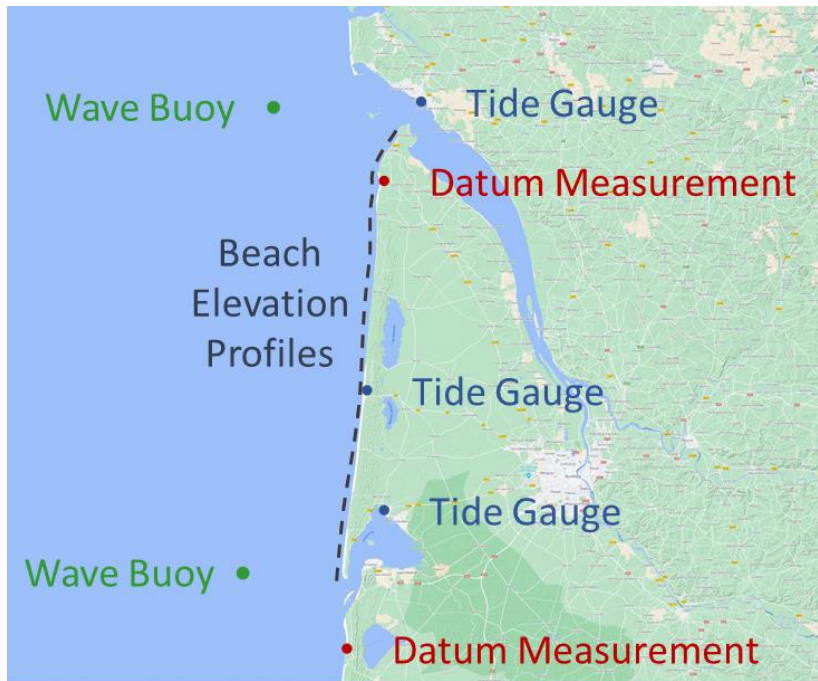
Instantaneous Waterline



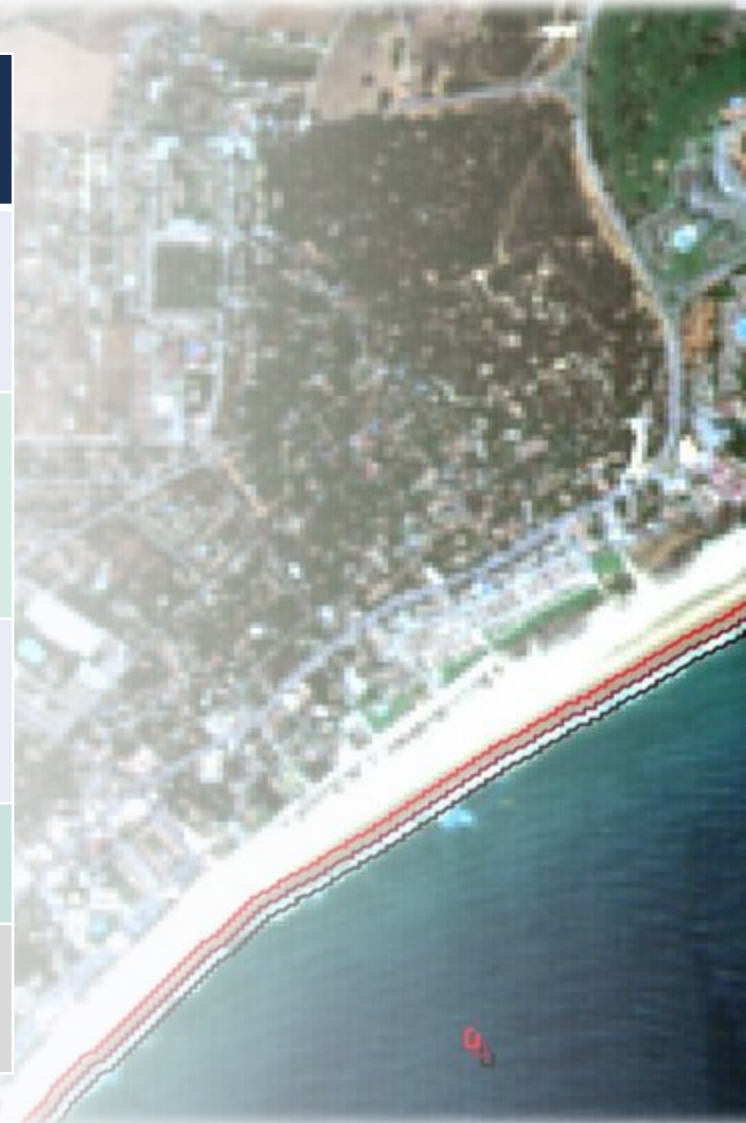
SHORELINE
PROCESSOR

MSL Shorelines



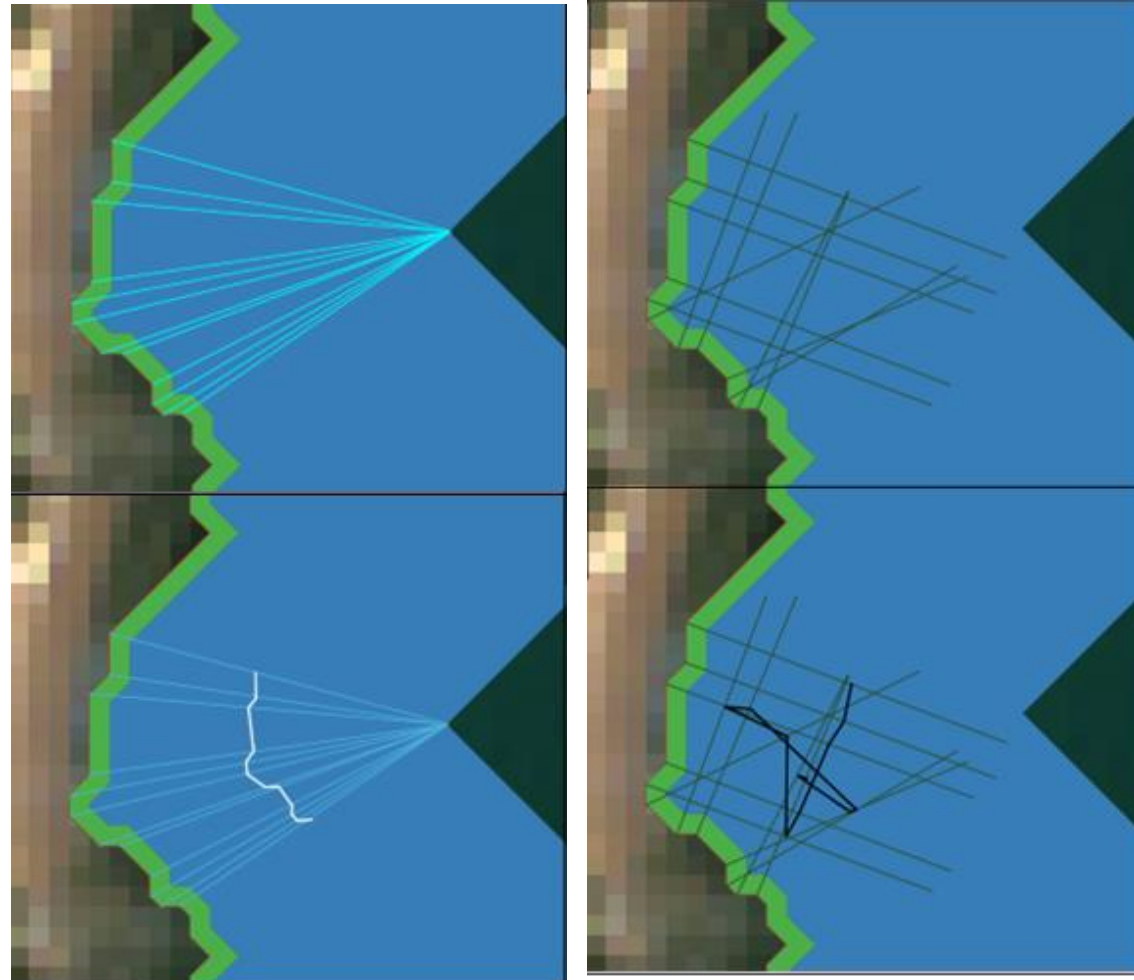


Waterline	S2		L8	L5
Wales	T30UUD	68	86	75
	T30UVD	65		
Cantabria	T30TUP	No aux. data	52	57
	T30TVP	80		
Venice	T32TQR	195	150	182
	T33TUL	128		
Catane	T33SWB	278	58	4
Baffin Bay	T17XNA	96	15	No aux. data
	T17XPA	60		

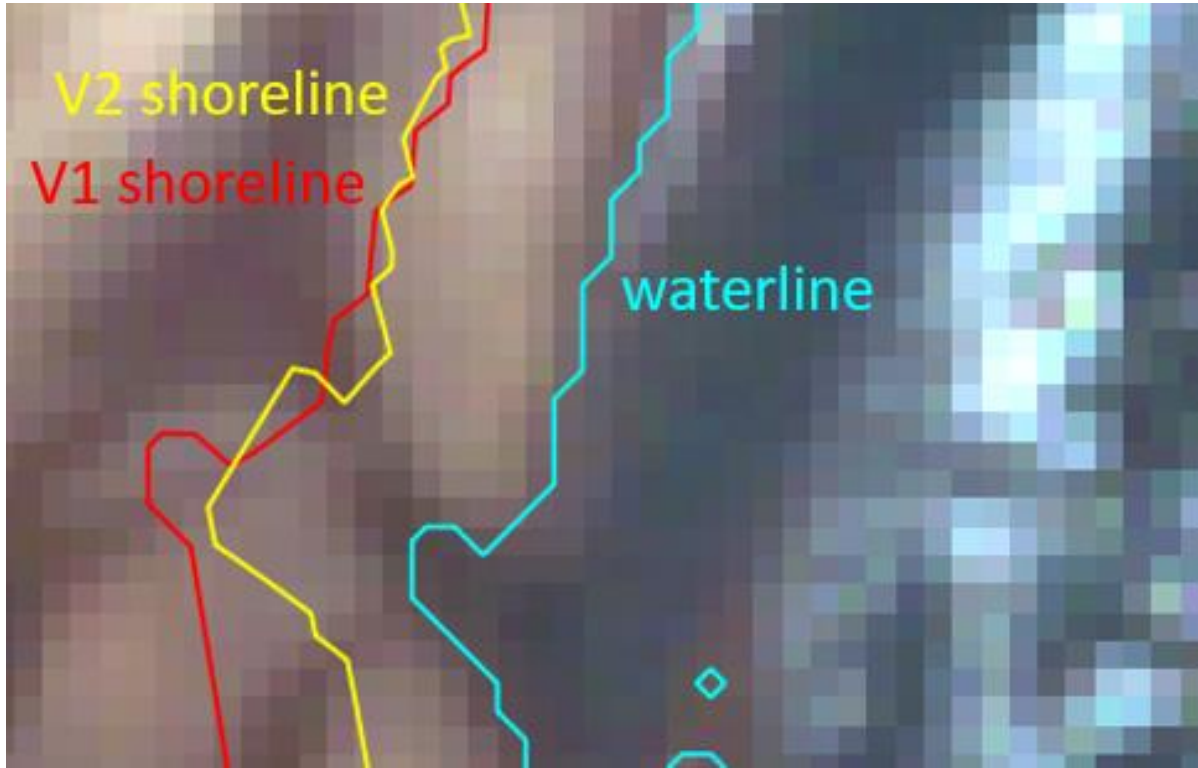




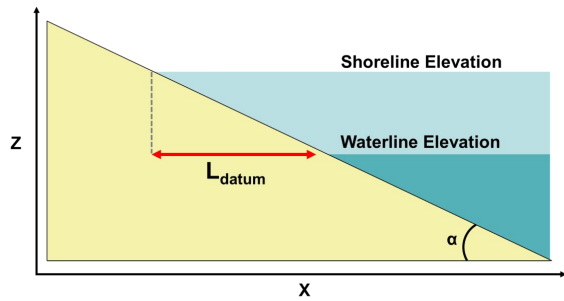
Point by point transformation



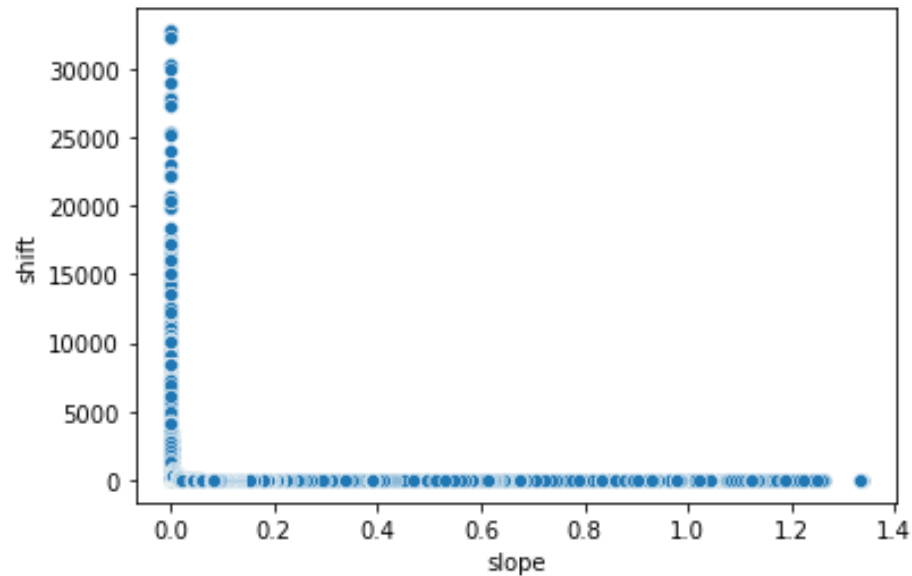
Point by point transformation



Shift calculation

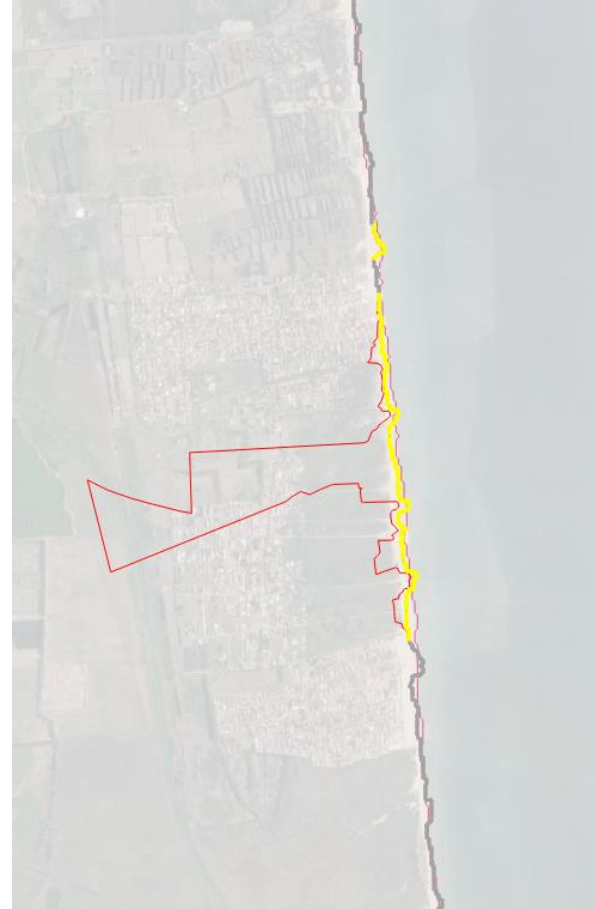
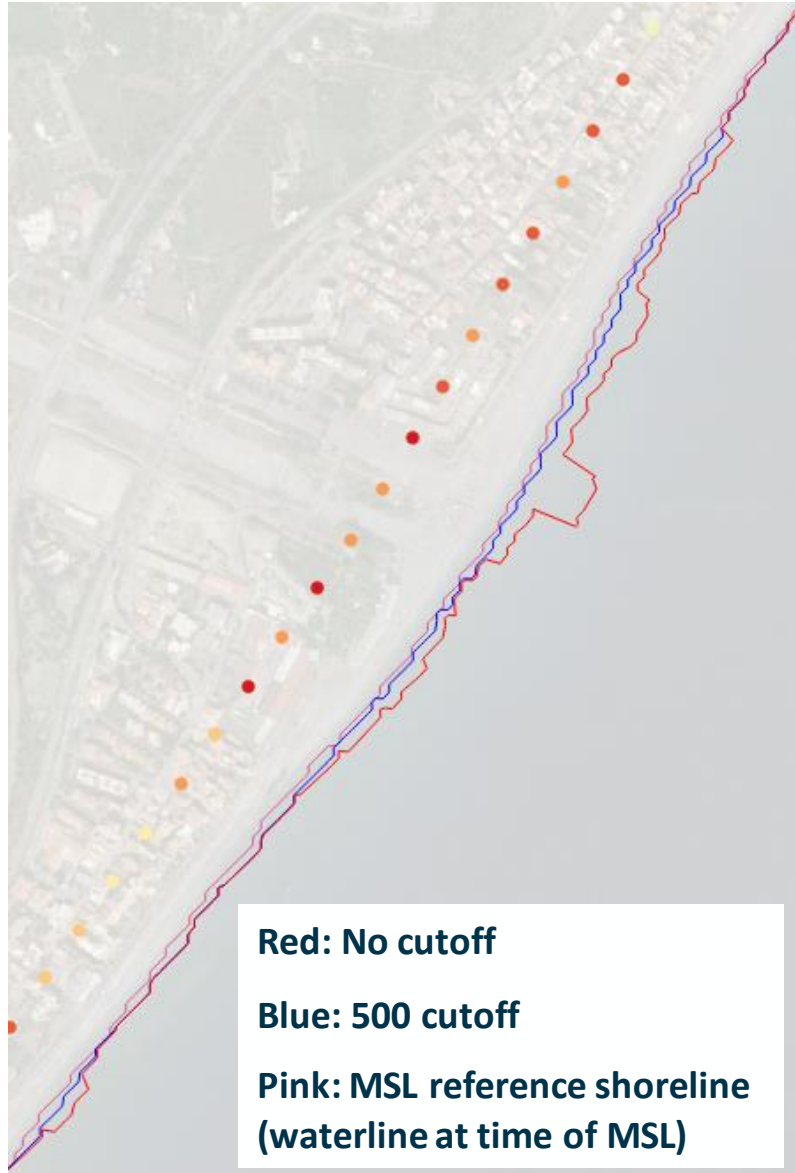


$$L_{datum} = \frac{h_{wl} - h_{datum}}{\alpha}$$



Slope Value

- 0.0002 - 0.0081
- 0.0081 - 0.0153
- 0.0153 - 0.0217
- 0.0217 - 0.0305
- 0.0305 - 0.0538
- 0.0538 - 0.0775
- 0.0775 - 0.0804
- 0.0804 - 0.1076
- 0.1076 - 0.1741
- 0.1741 - 1.3362



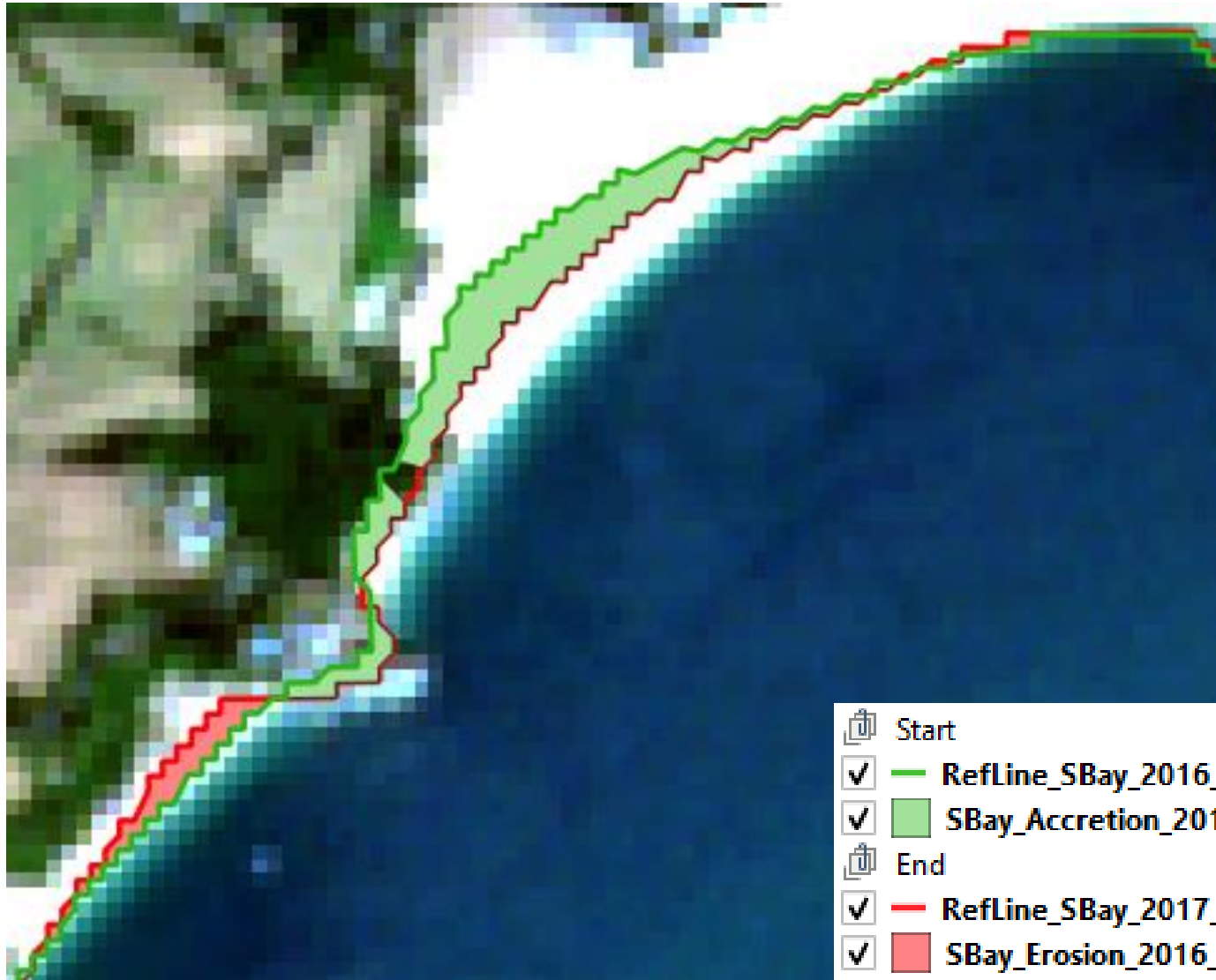
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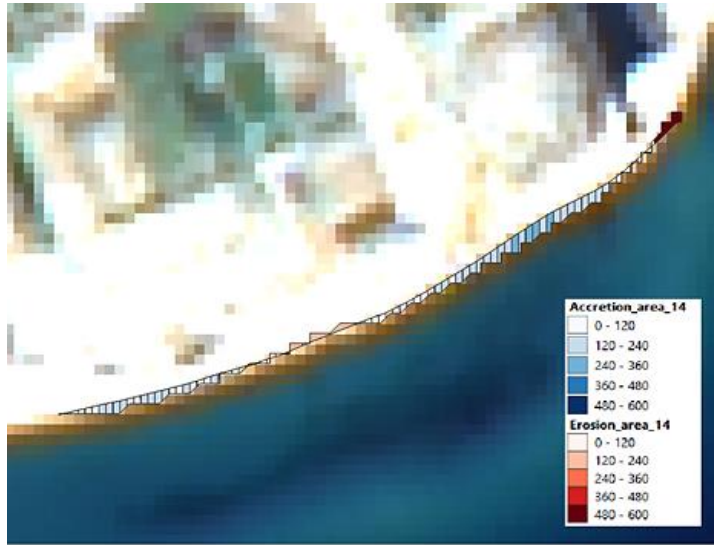


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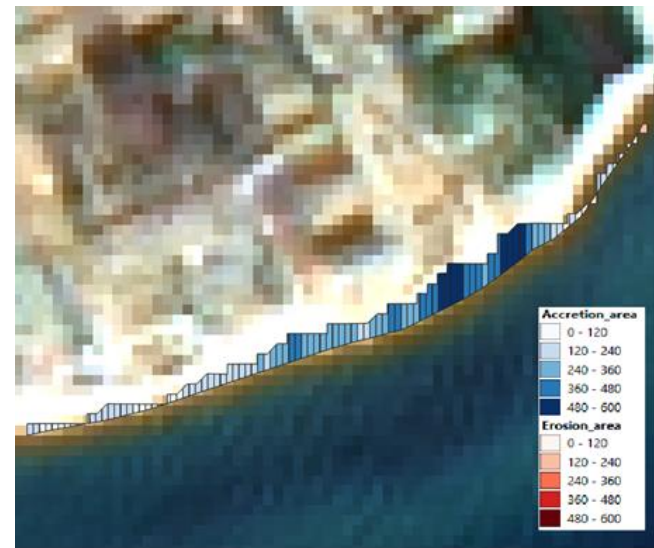
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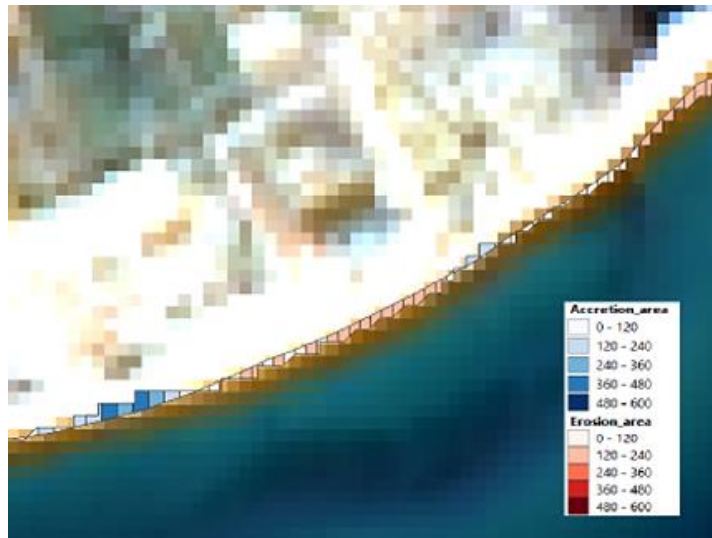


2014

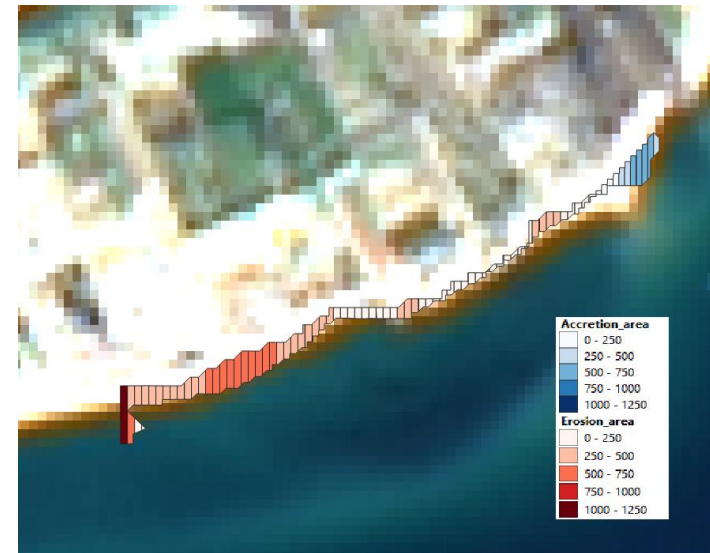


2015

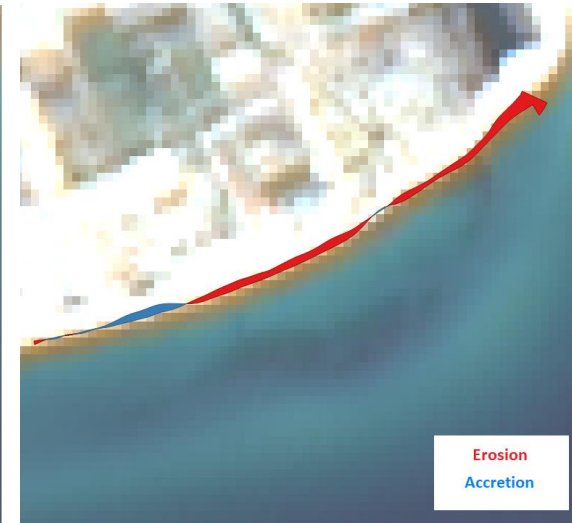
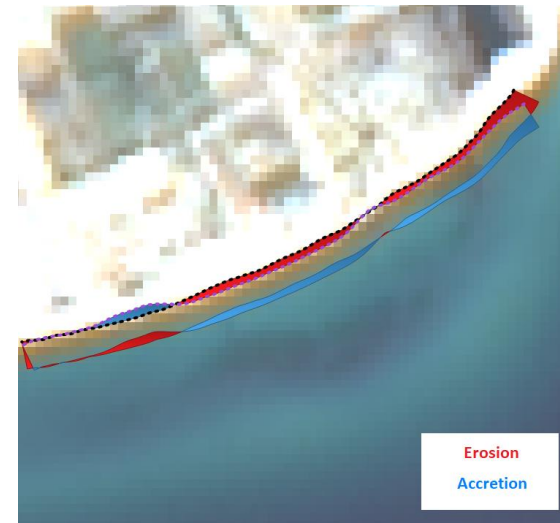
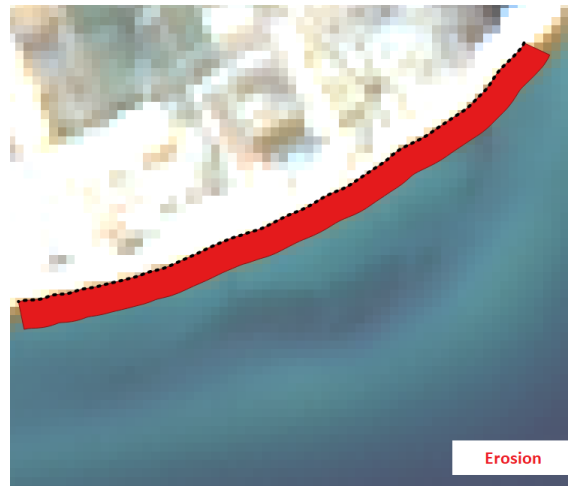
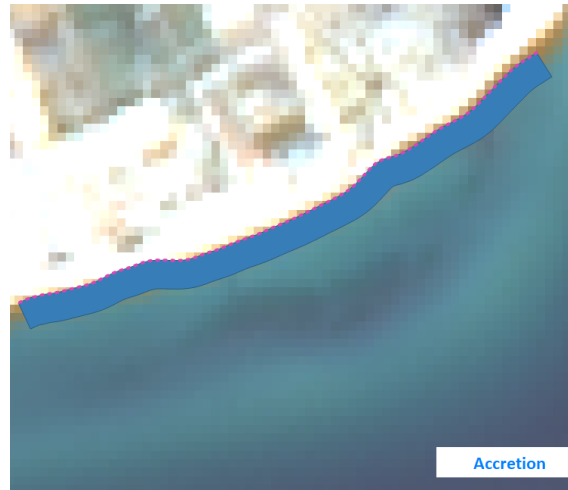
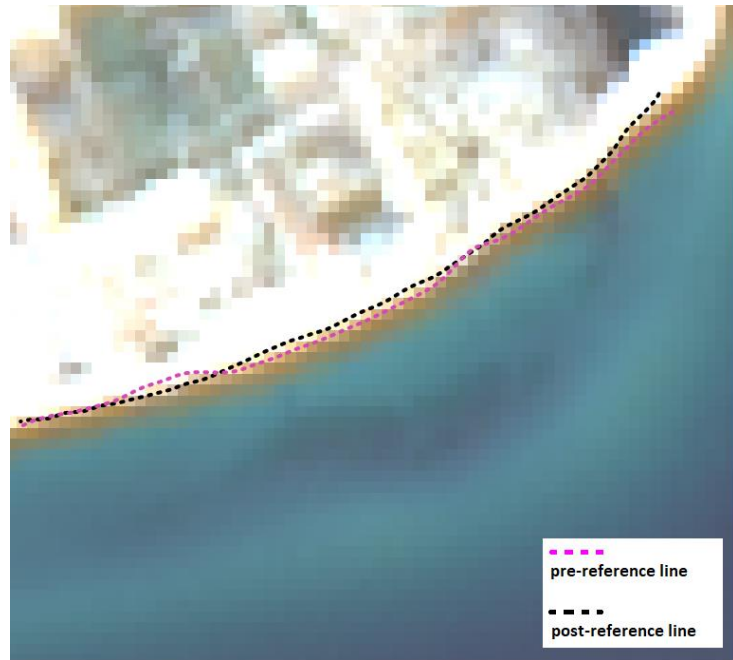
March- July
time series



2016



2017



Land classification

Temporal classification

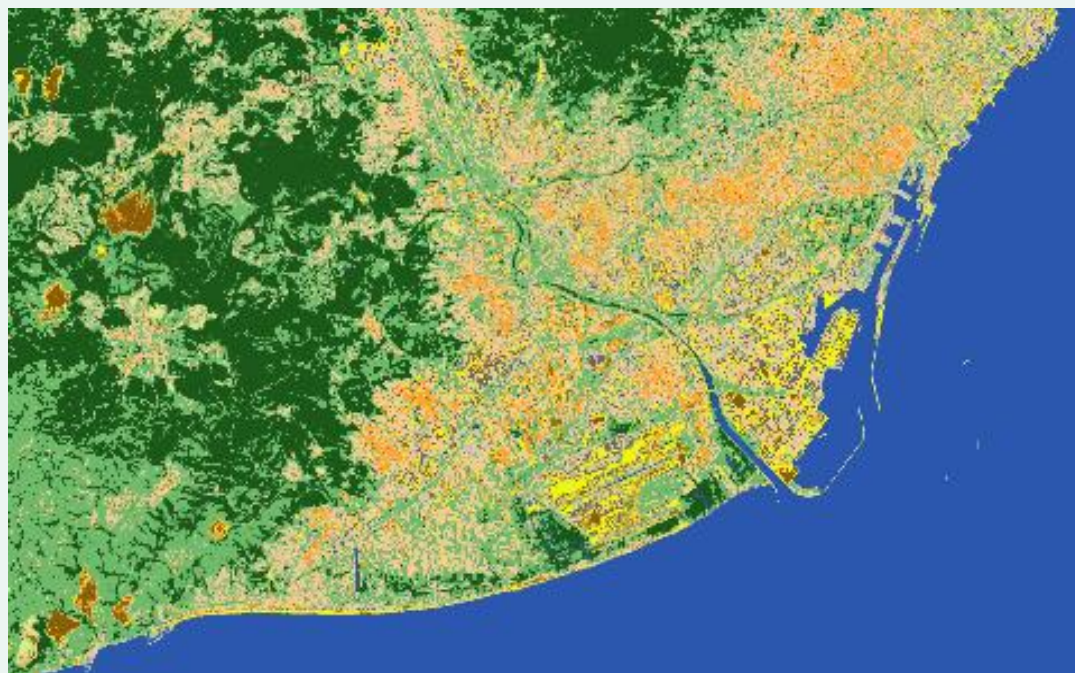
Final product

Internal & External QC

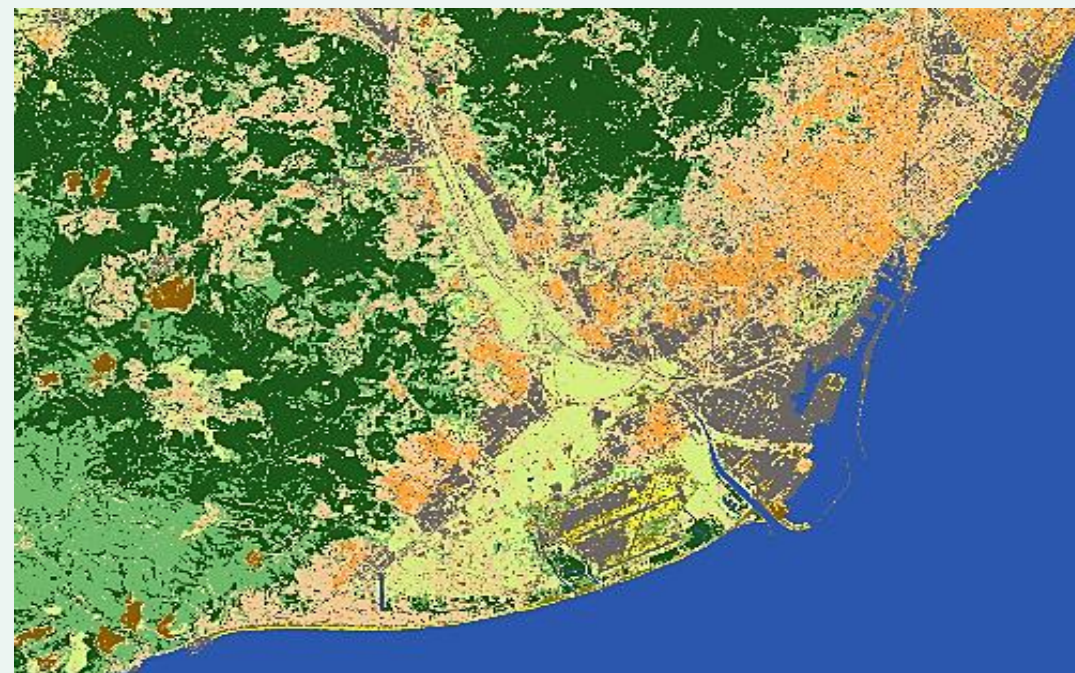
Dynamic areas



Random forest from a single image



Random forest from 12 images





KAPPA : 0.885 OA : 0.900

	Urban	house	Crops1	Crops2	Crops3	Forest	SandyBeach	Rocks	Sea	Rappel	F-Score
Urban	88	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.921	0.885
house	3	600	3	1	0	0	28	129	0	0.763	0.747
Crops1	6	4	1.83E+3	108	0	0	0	0	0	0.939	0.935
Crops2	0	0	124	1.17E+3	0	0	0	0	0	0.901	0.862
Crops3	1	71	4	107	546	0	0	0	0	0.743	0.848
Forest	0	69	1	17	3	592	0	0	0	0.868	0.929
SandyBeach	102	30	2	0	0	1.66E+3	90	0	0	0.881	0.902
Rocks	9	51	0	2	3	33	781	0	0	0.889	0.831
Sea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	90E+3	0	1.000	1.000
Precision	0.852	0.732	0.932	0.827	0.989	1.000	0.923	0.781	1.000		



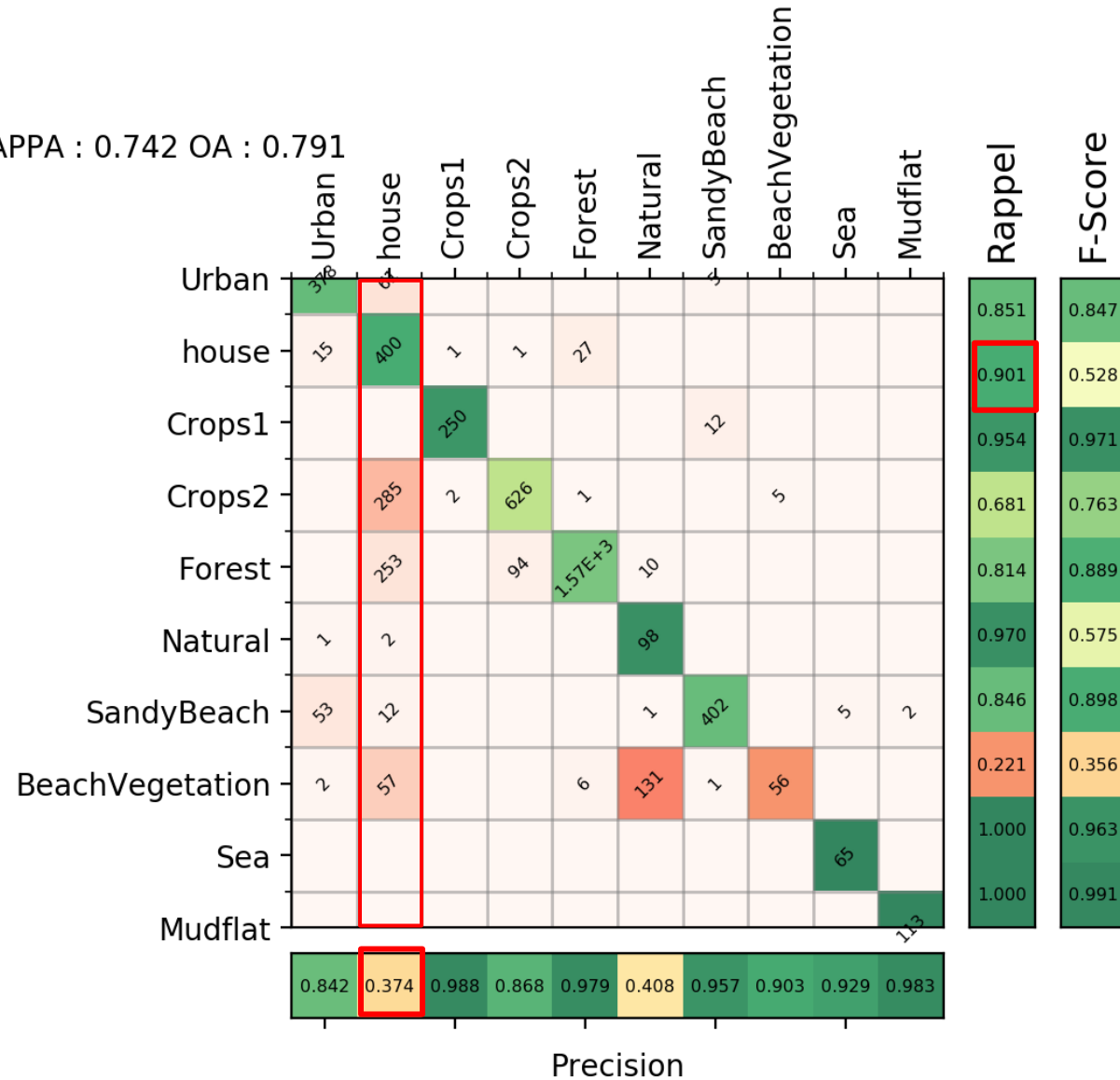
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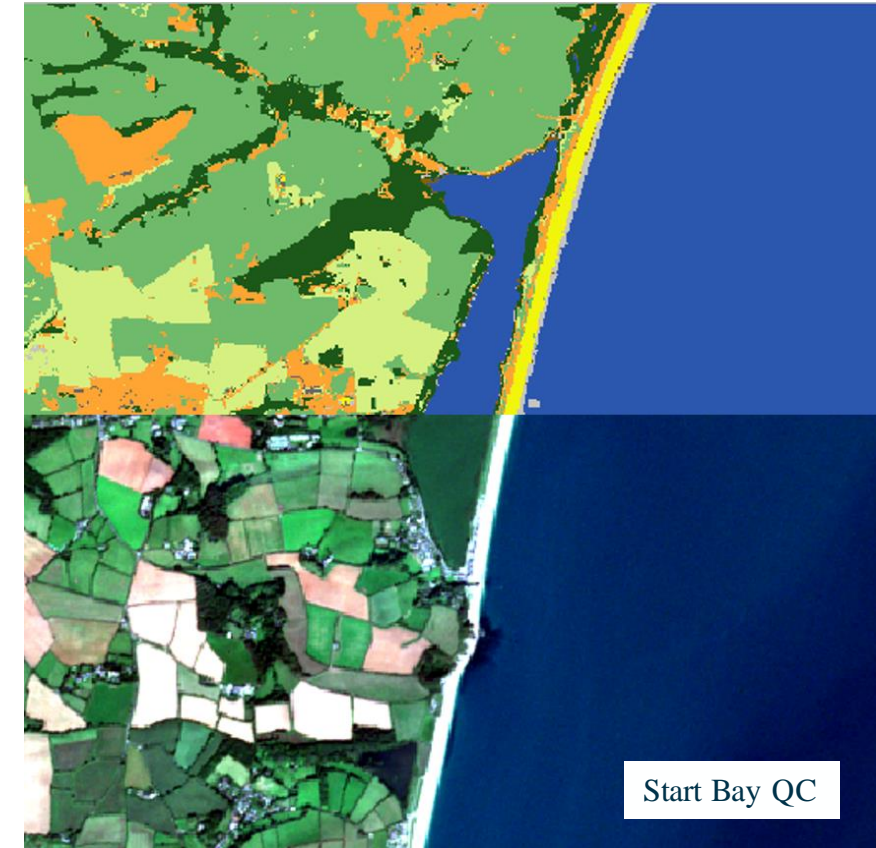


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OA & KAPPA	F-Score	Recall & Precision	Message
$< 0,70$	/	/	Insufficient quality of the training data set, classification aborted
$0,70 > X > 0,80$	$< 0,7$	Recall $<$ Precision	Underestimation of the class, need to review training data set (the sample selected are not enough – too selective)
		Recall $>$ Precision	Over-estimation of the class, training data set is not selective enough, too many variability in a class, or two class that need to be grouped
$0,80 > X > 0,90$	/	/	External QC process needed
$> 0,90$	/	/	Classification accepted

KAPPA : 0.742 OA : 0.791

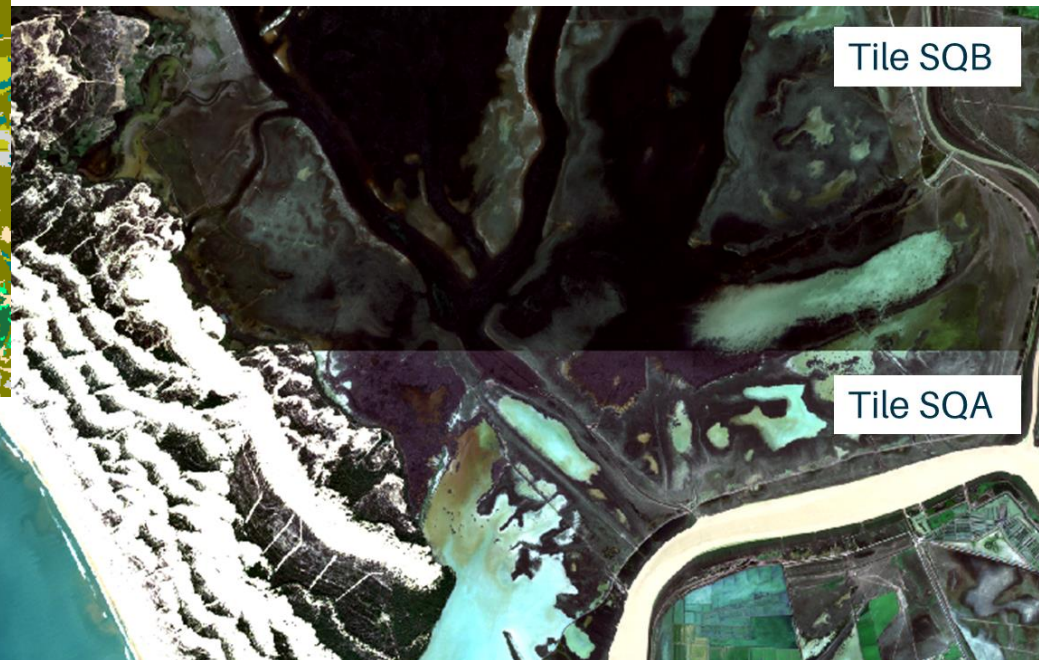
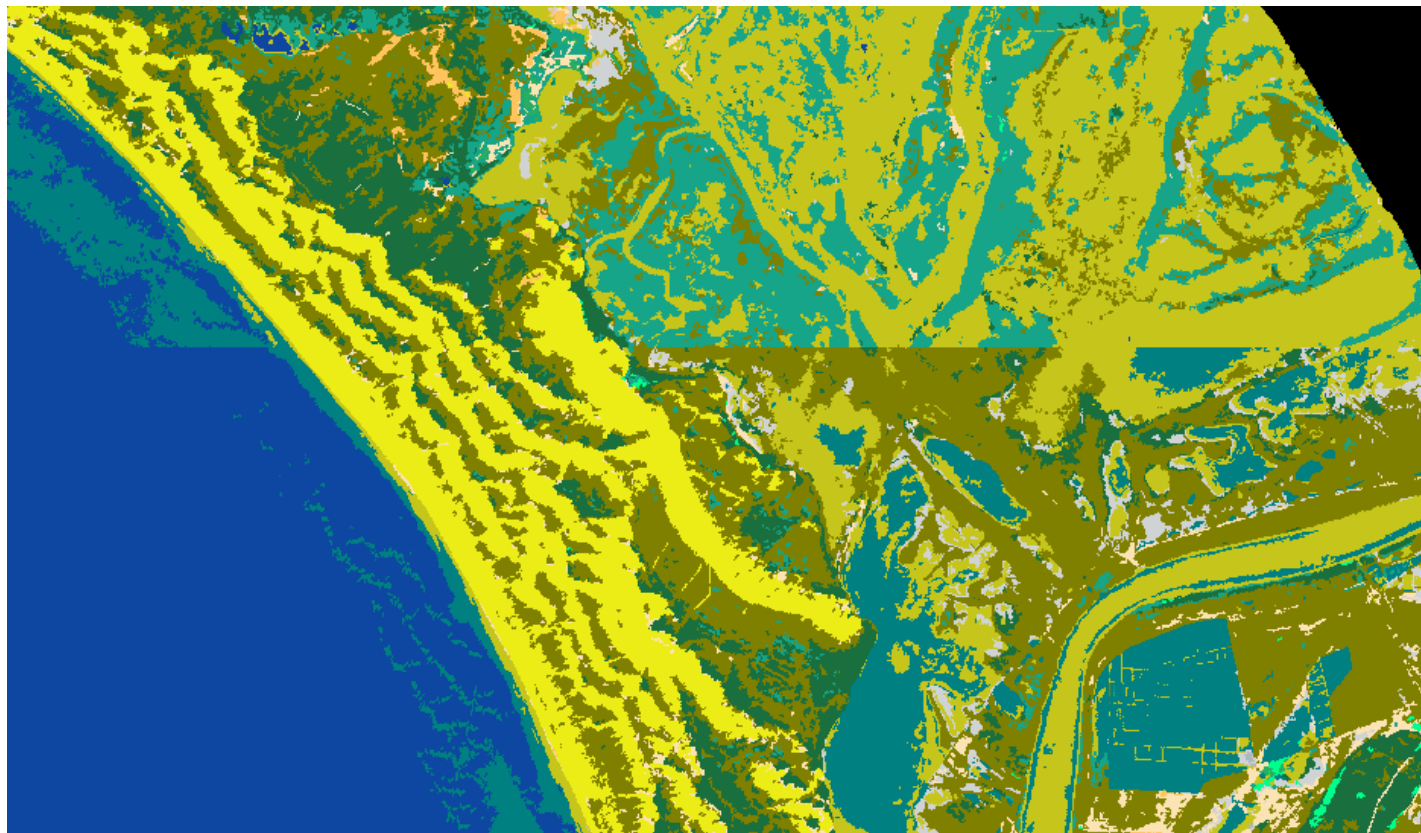




Start Bay QC



















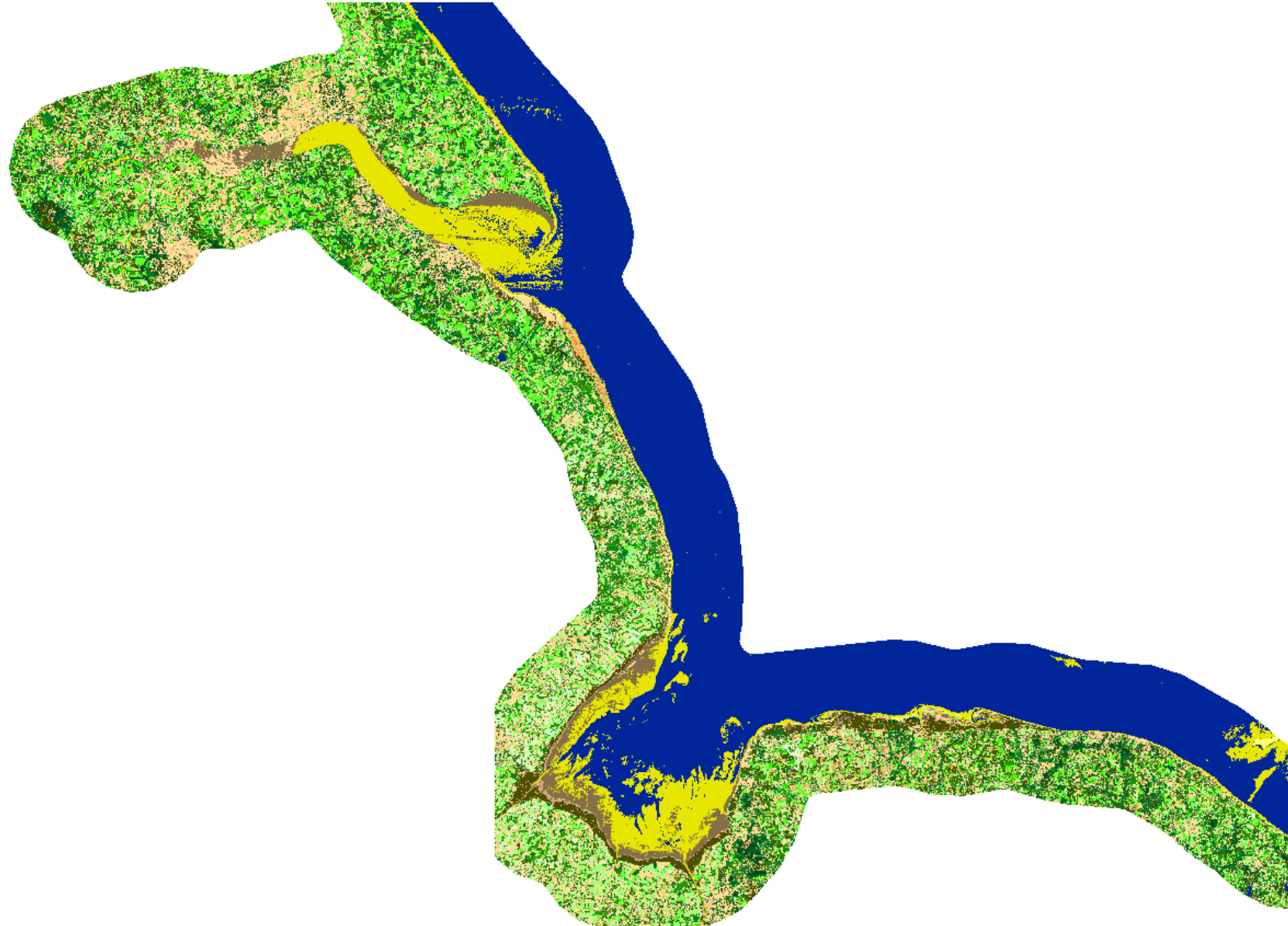
Dublin QC





















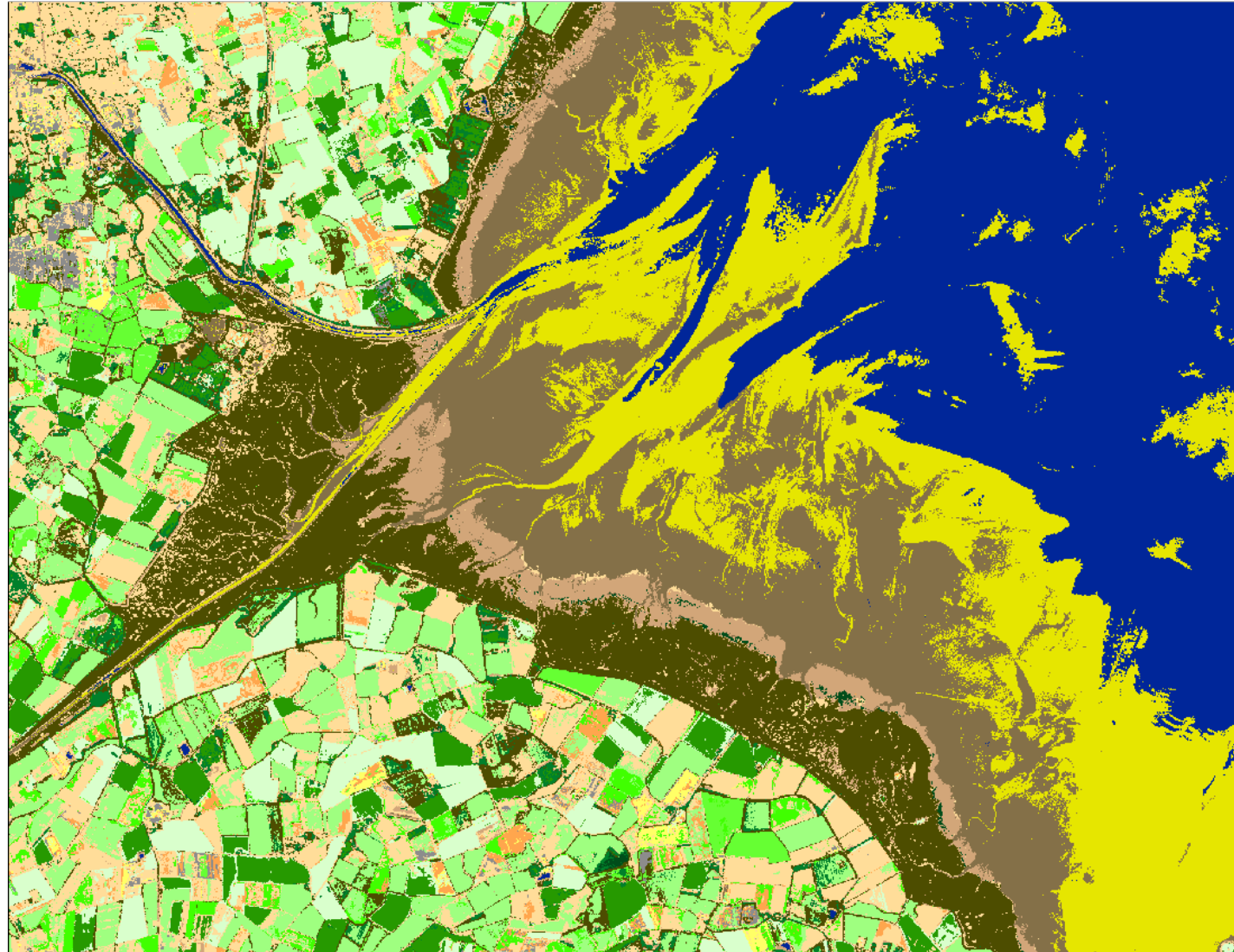
Spurn Head

-  Industrial
-  Build up type 1
-  Build up type 2
-  Crop 1
-  Crop 2
-  Crop 3
-  Crop 4
-  Crop 5
-  Crop 6
-  Forest type 1
-  Forest type 2
-  Soft Cliff
-  SaltMarshes
-  Sandy Beach
-  Tidal areas
-  Sea





-  Industrial
-  Build-Up area 1
-  Build-Up area 2
-  Crop type 1
-  Crop type 2
-  Crop type 4
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SAR change rates

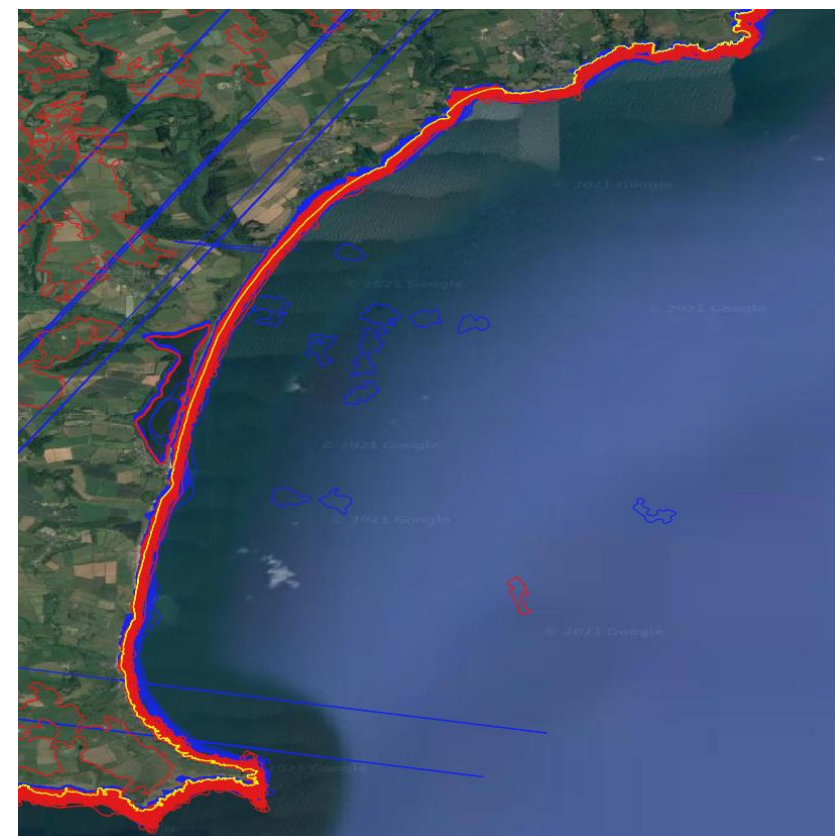
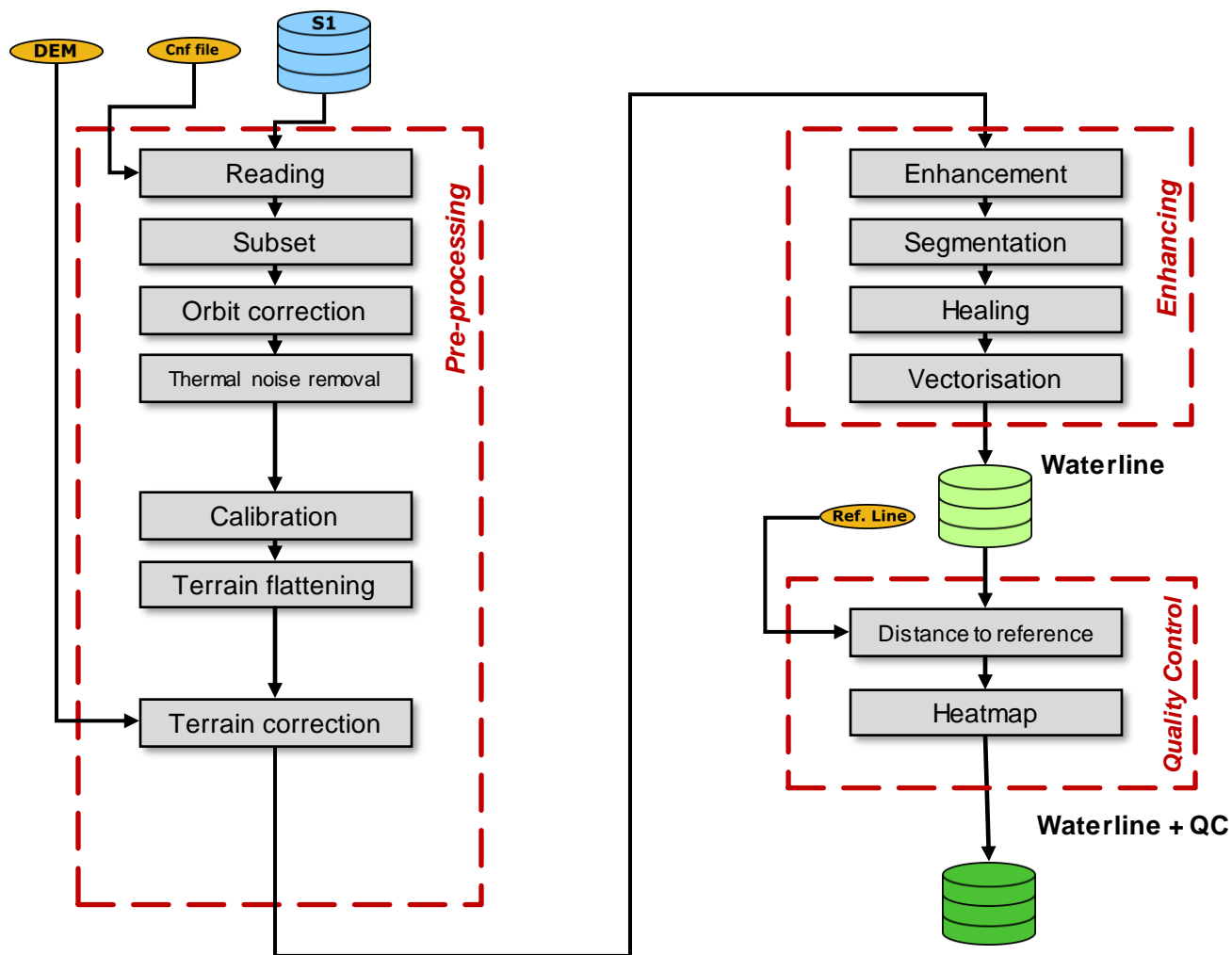
Improvements

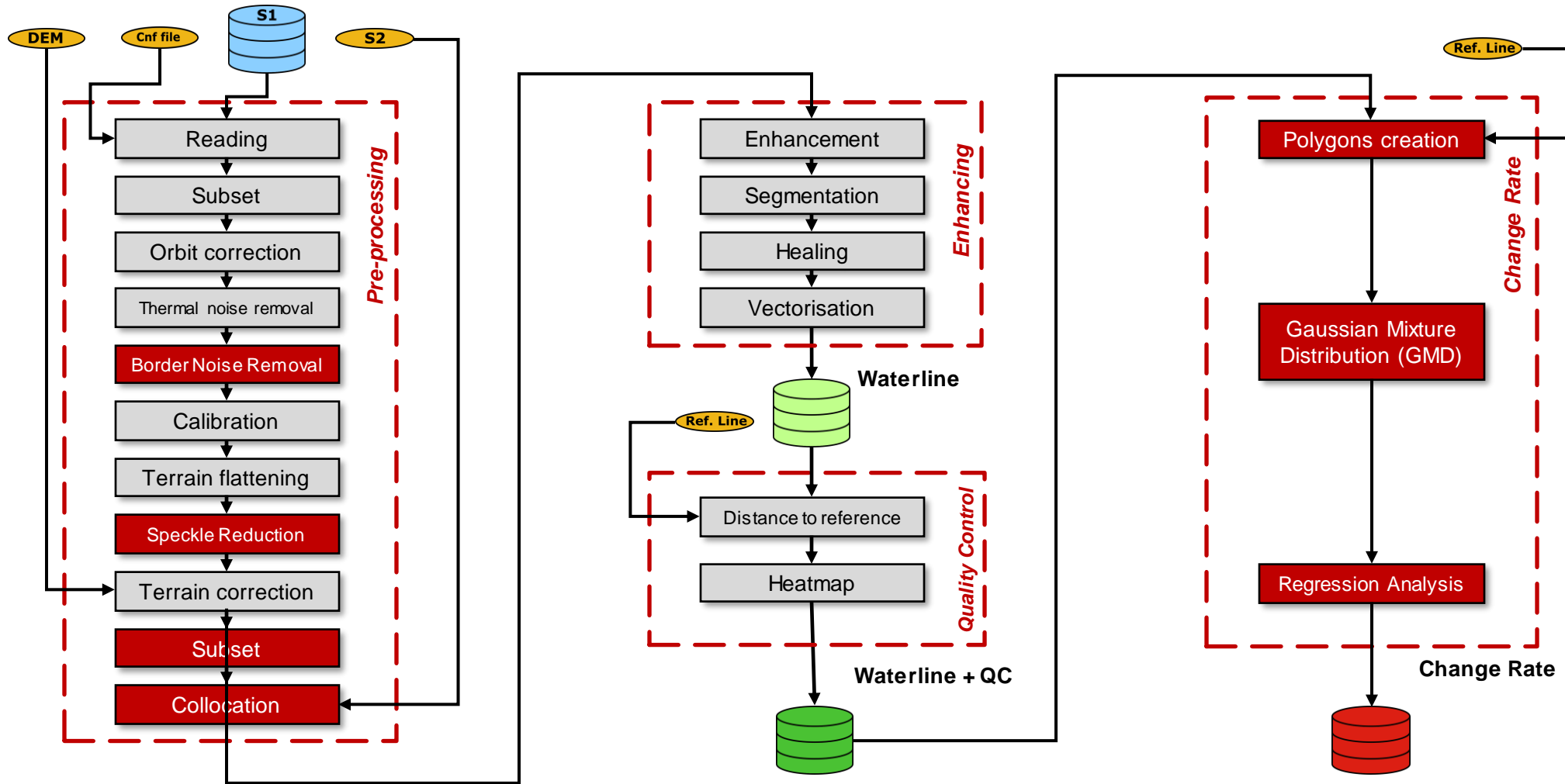
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Results

Conclusions

starting





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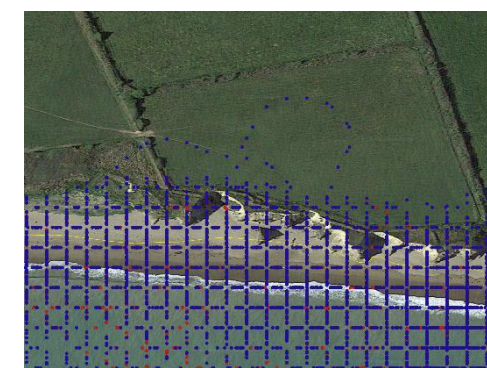
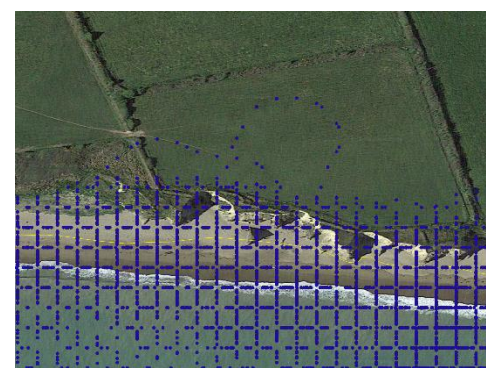
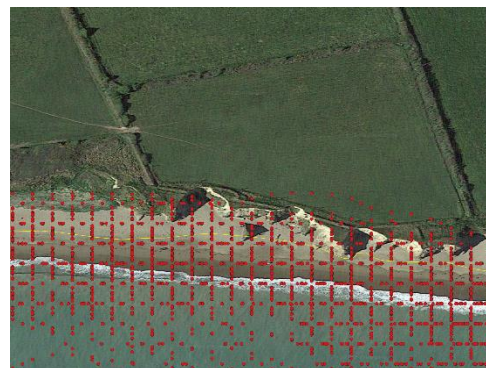
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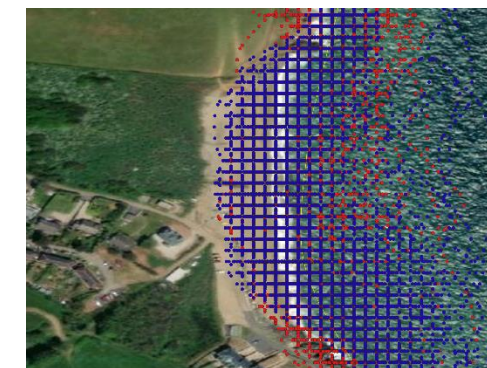
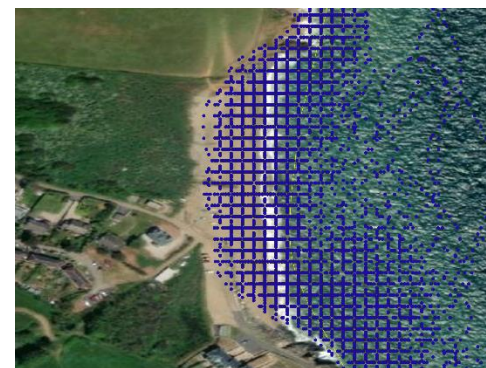
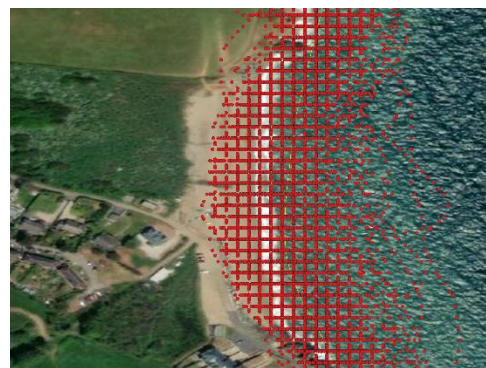
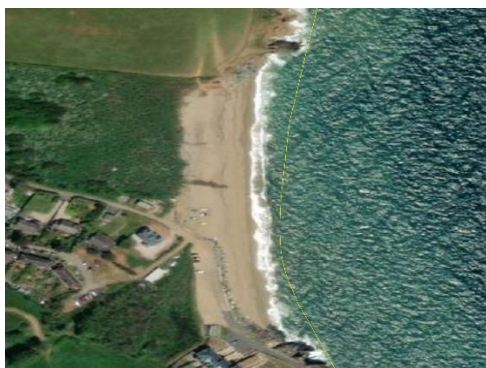
Example 1 - Wexford

(scene on the South coast from East to West including a beach and cliff)



Example 2 - Start Bay

(scene on the East coast from South to North including a beach)



Example 3 - Start Bay

(scene on the East coast from South to North including a cliff)



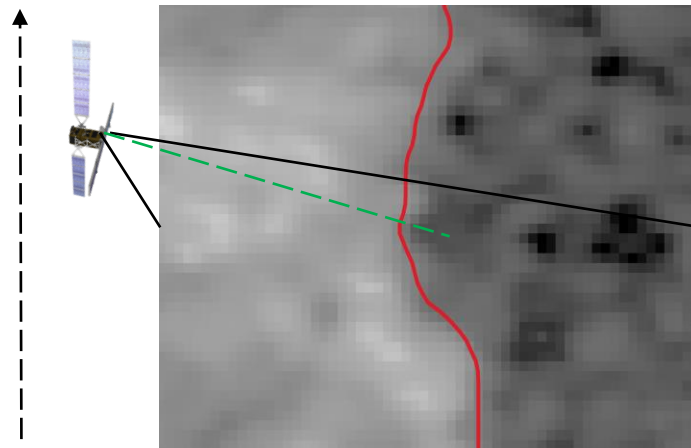
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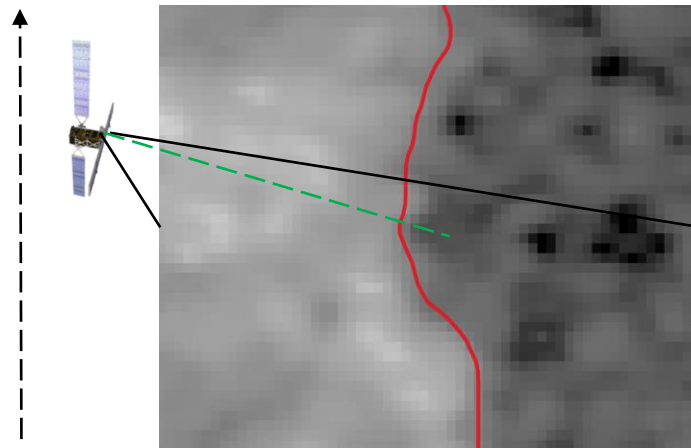


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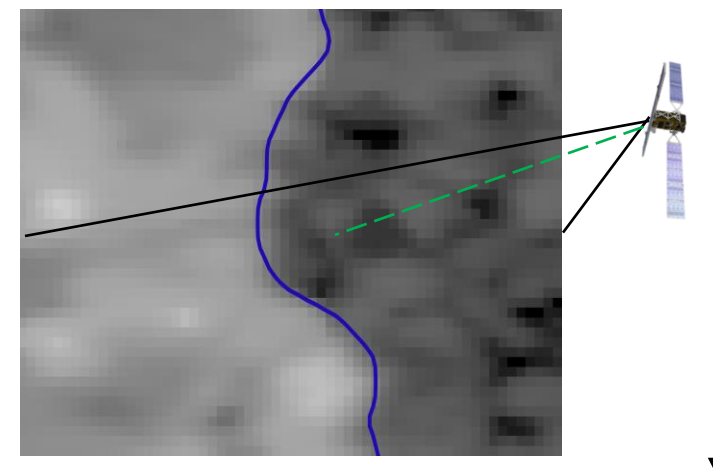
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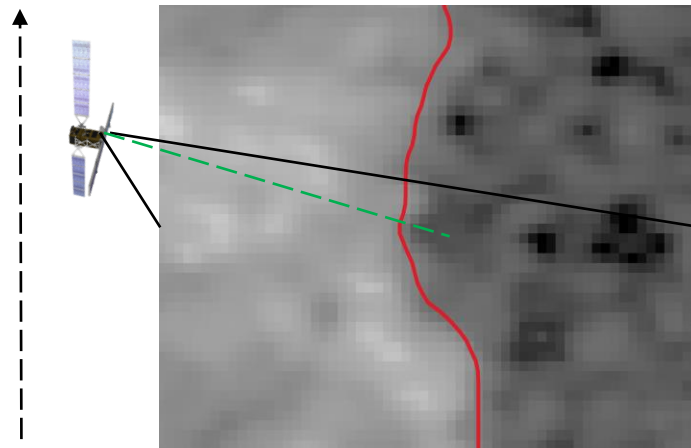
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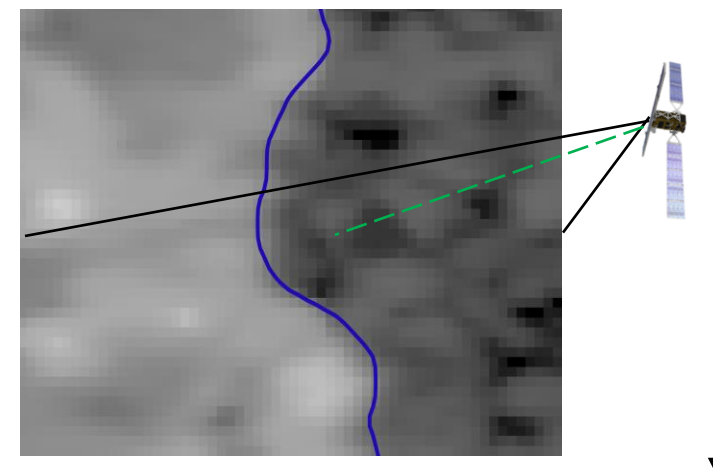
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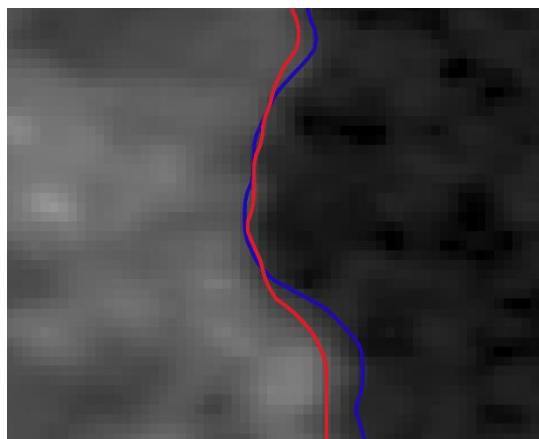
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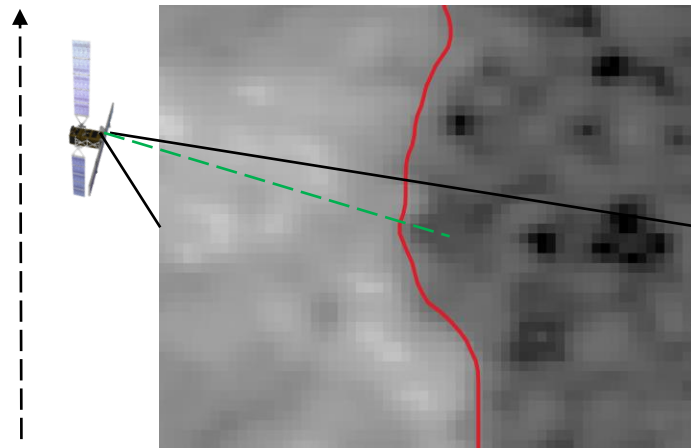


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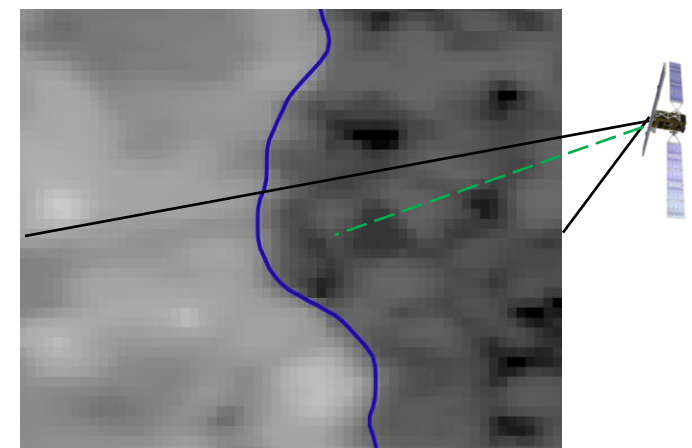
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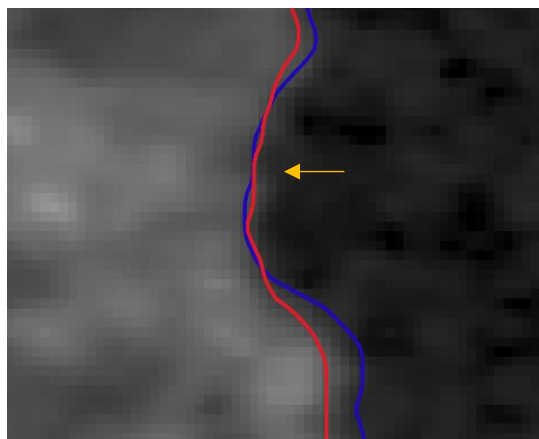
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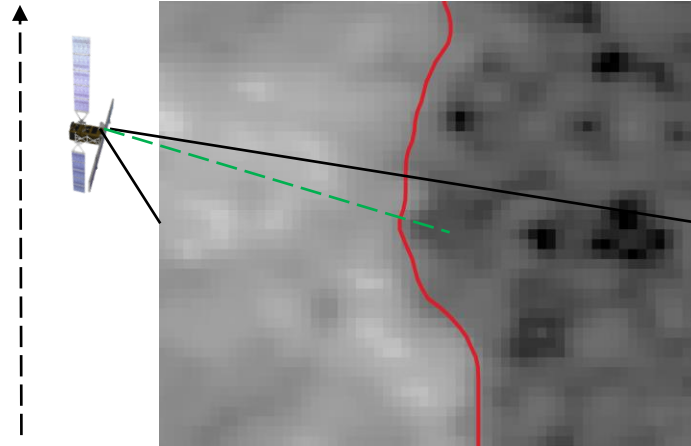


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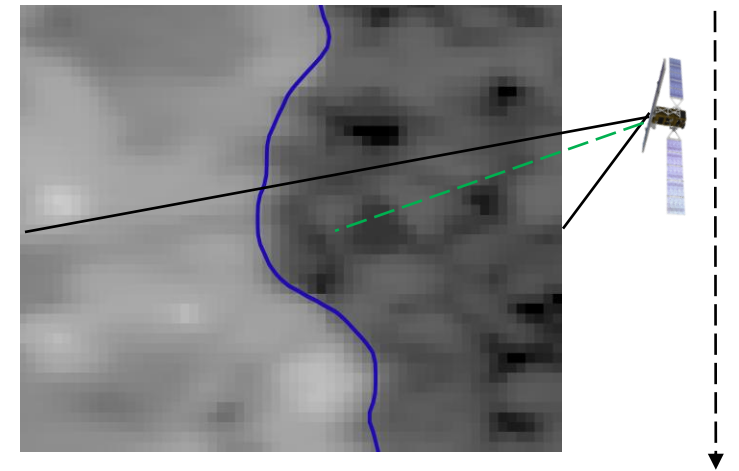
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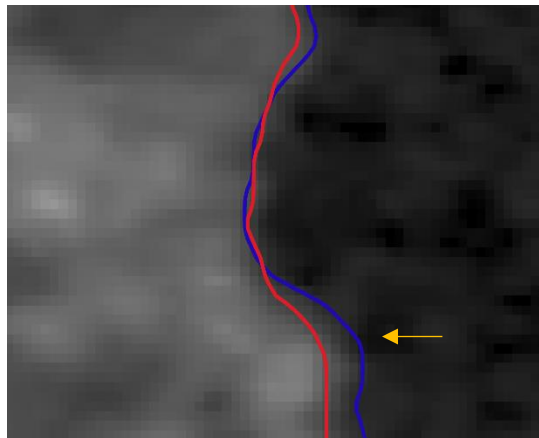
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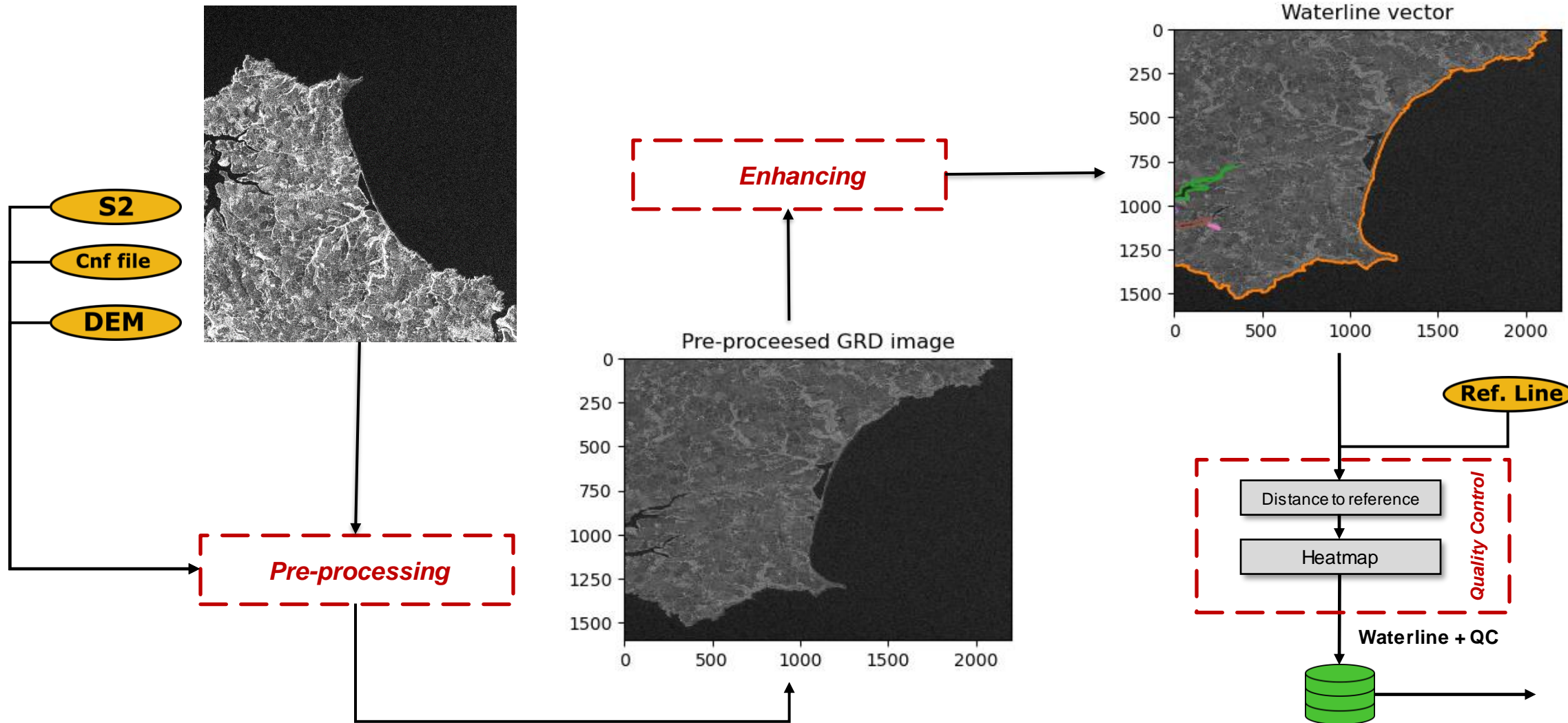
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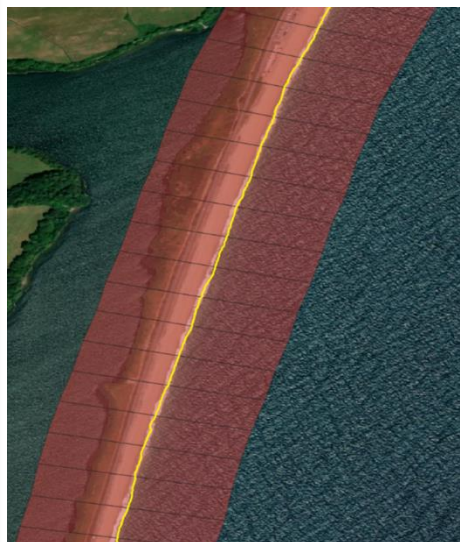


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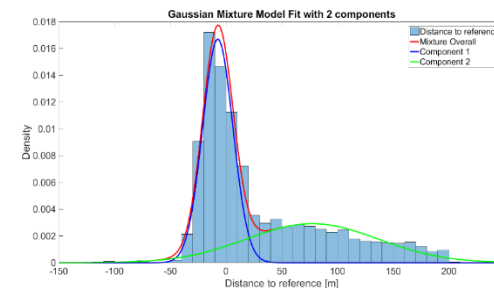
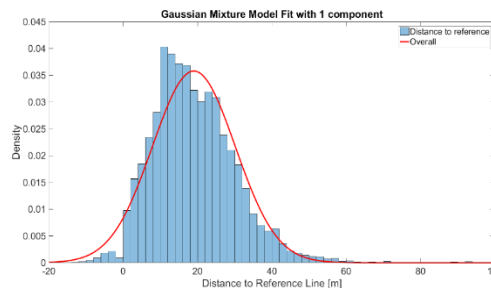
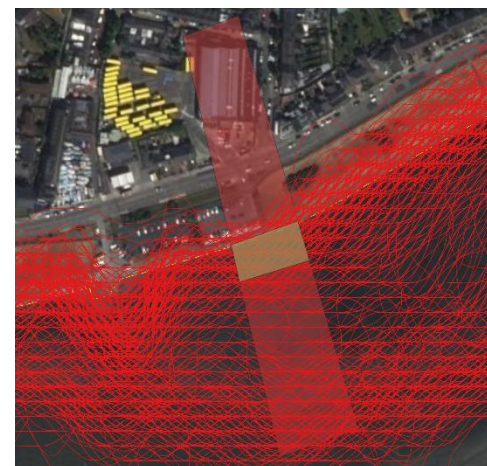
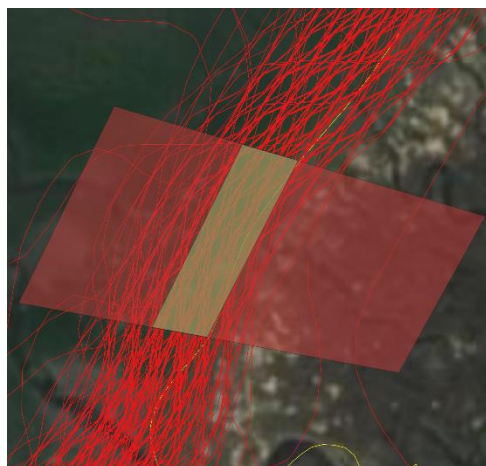


Ref. Line

Polygons creation



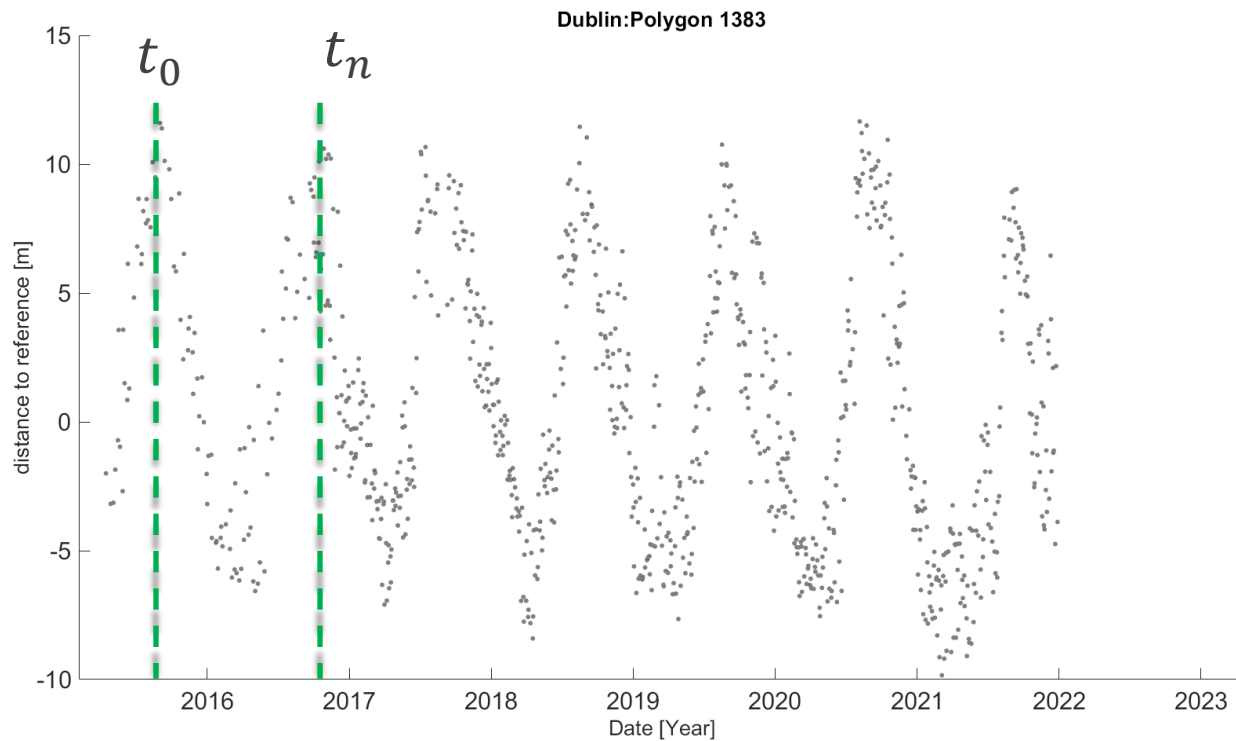
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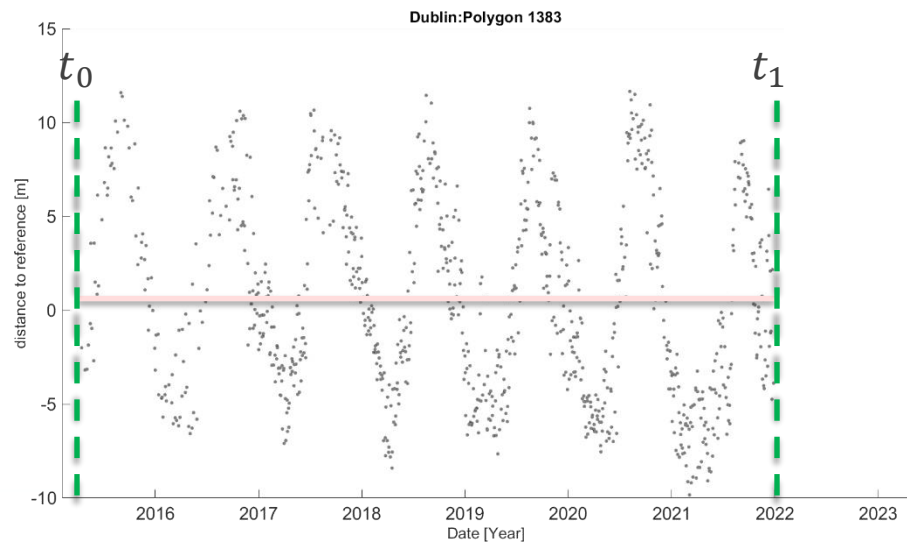
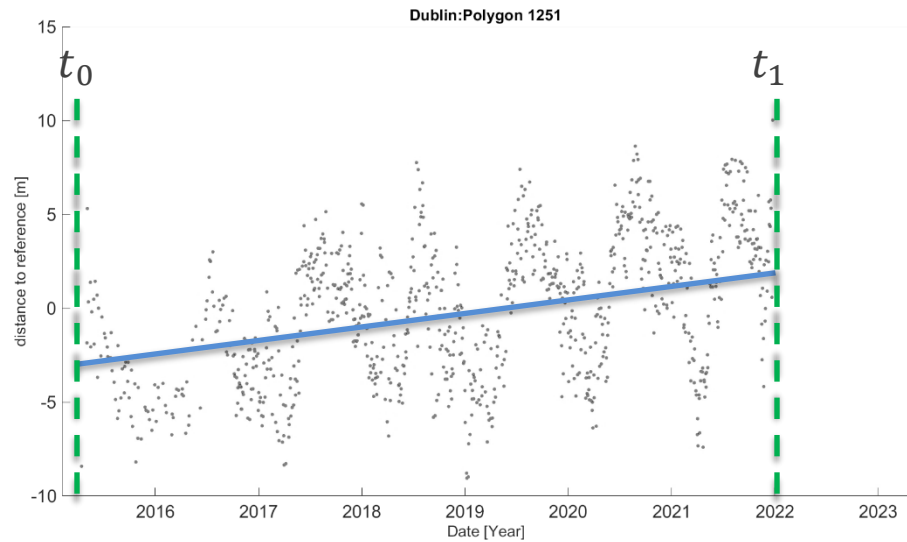
Regression
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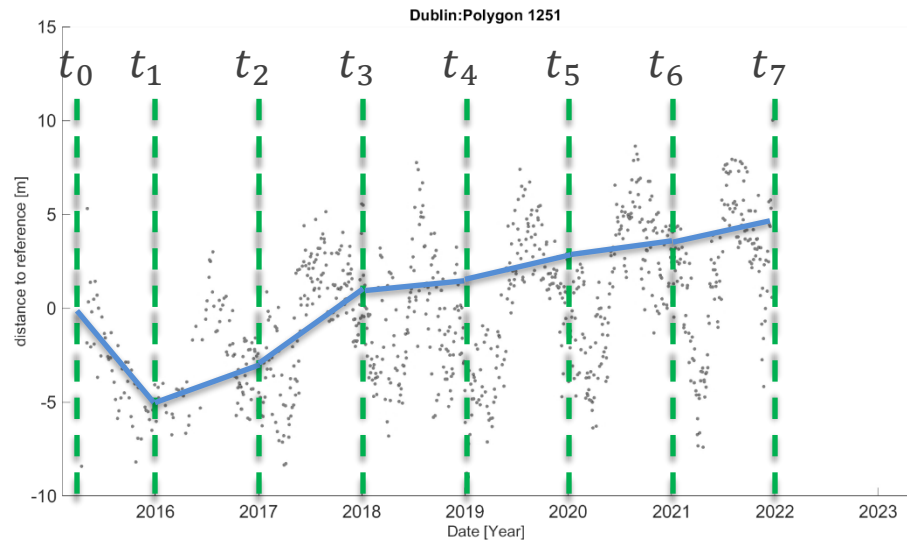
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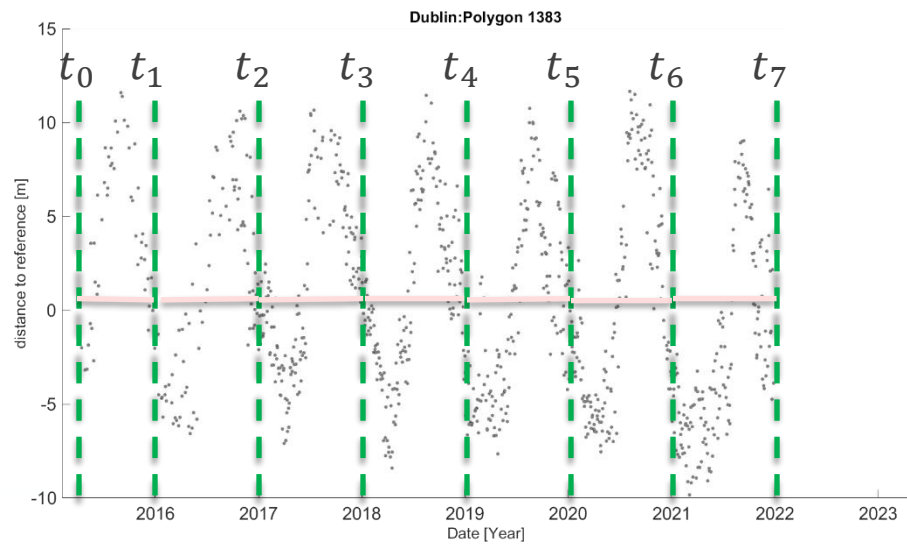
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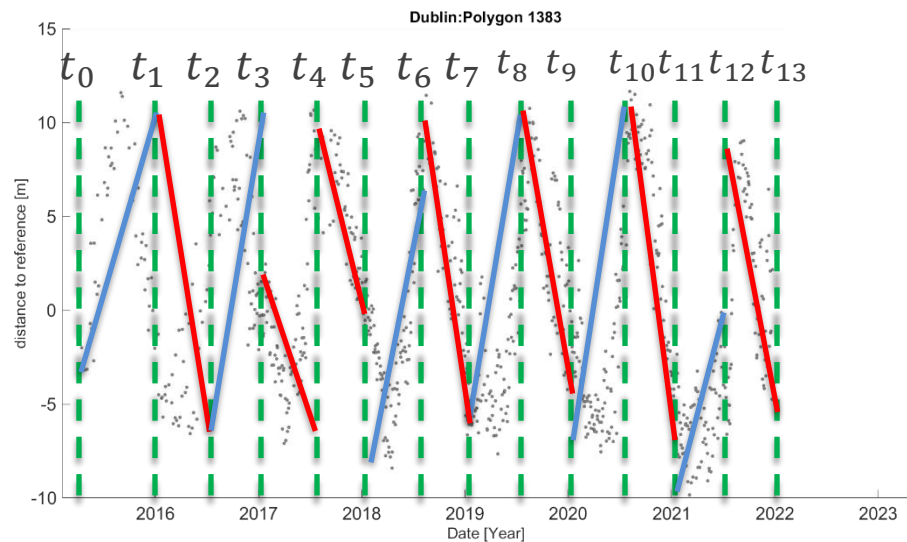
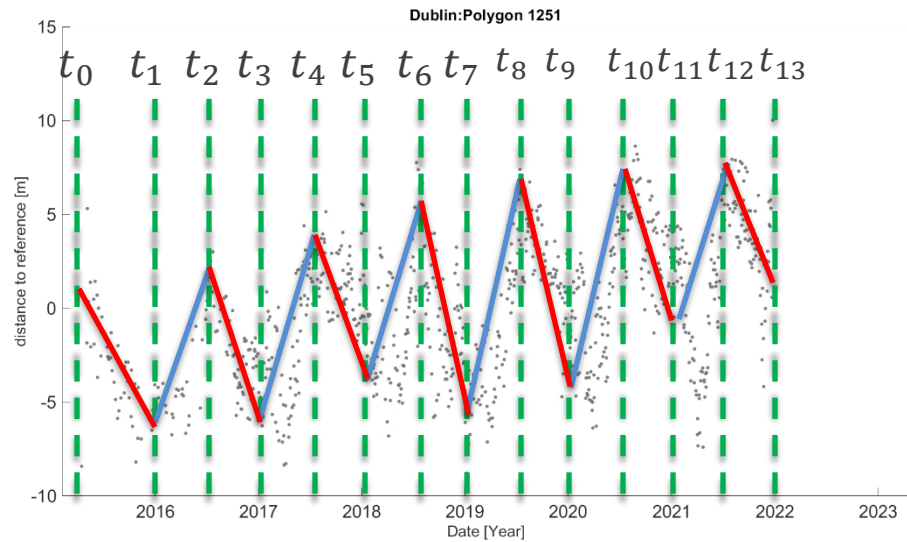
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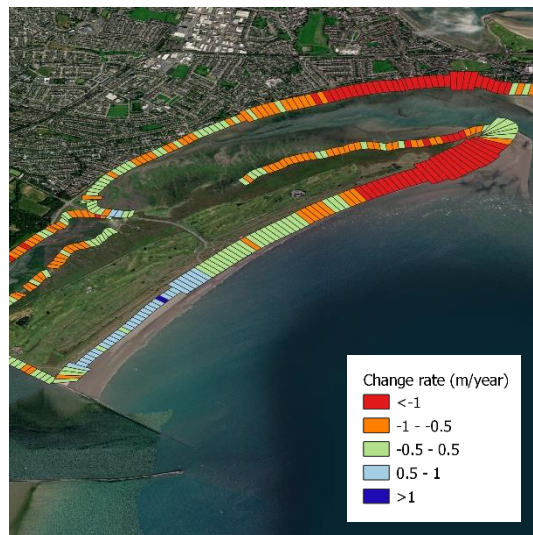




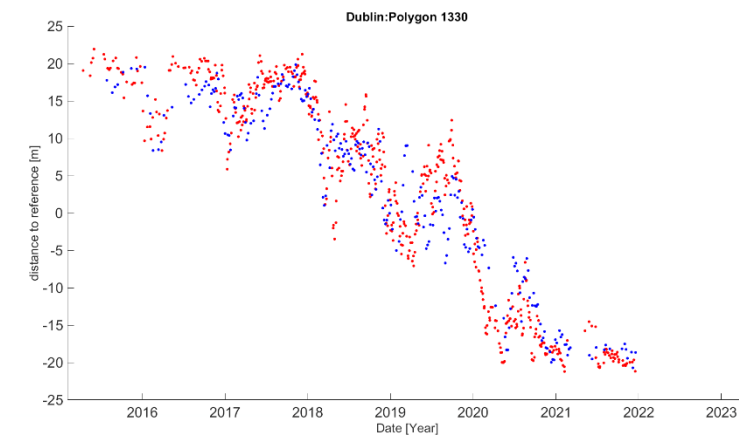
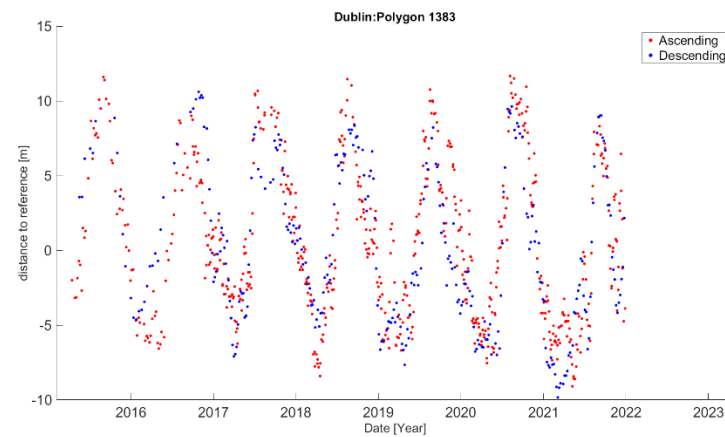
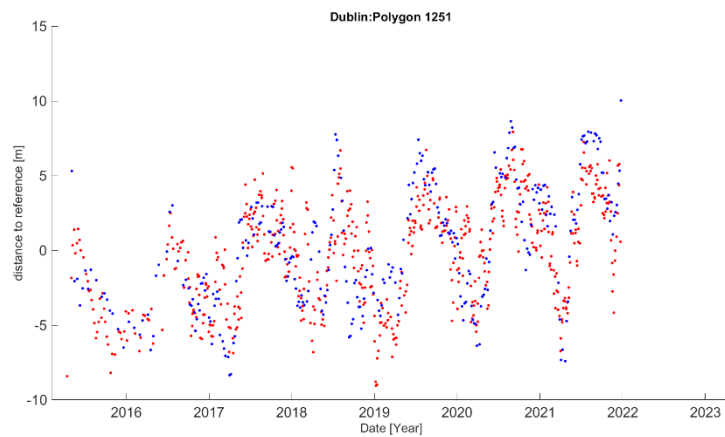
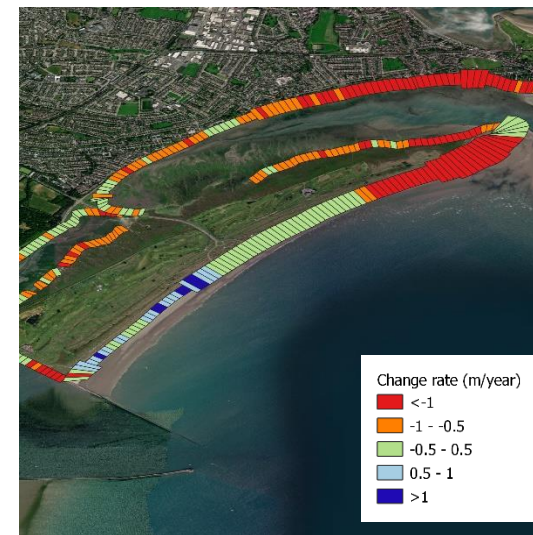
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 - Monthly

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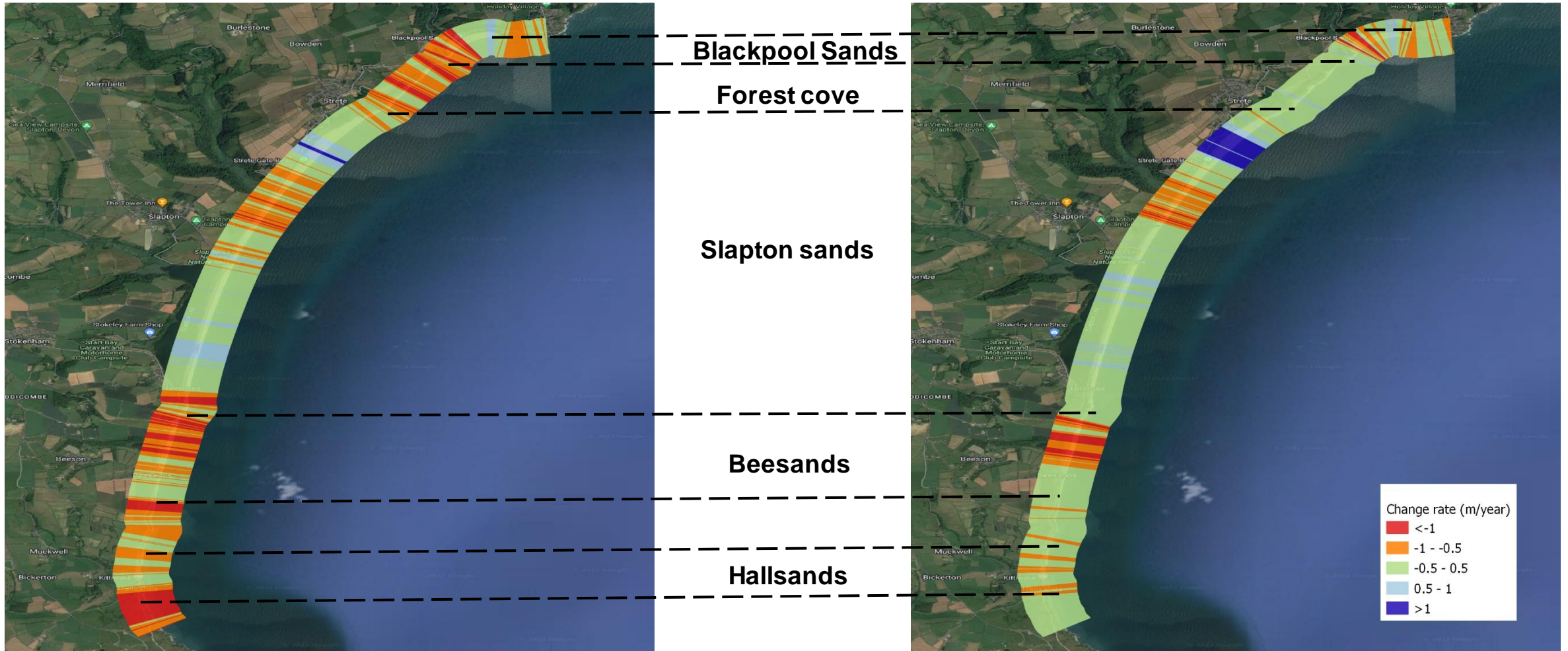


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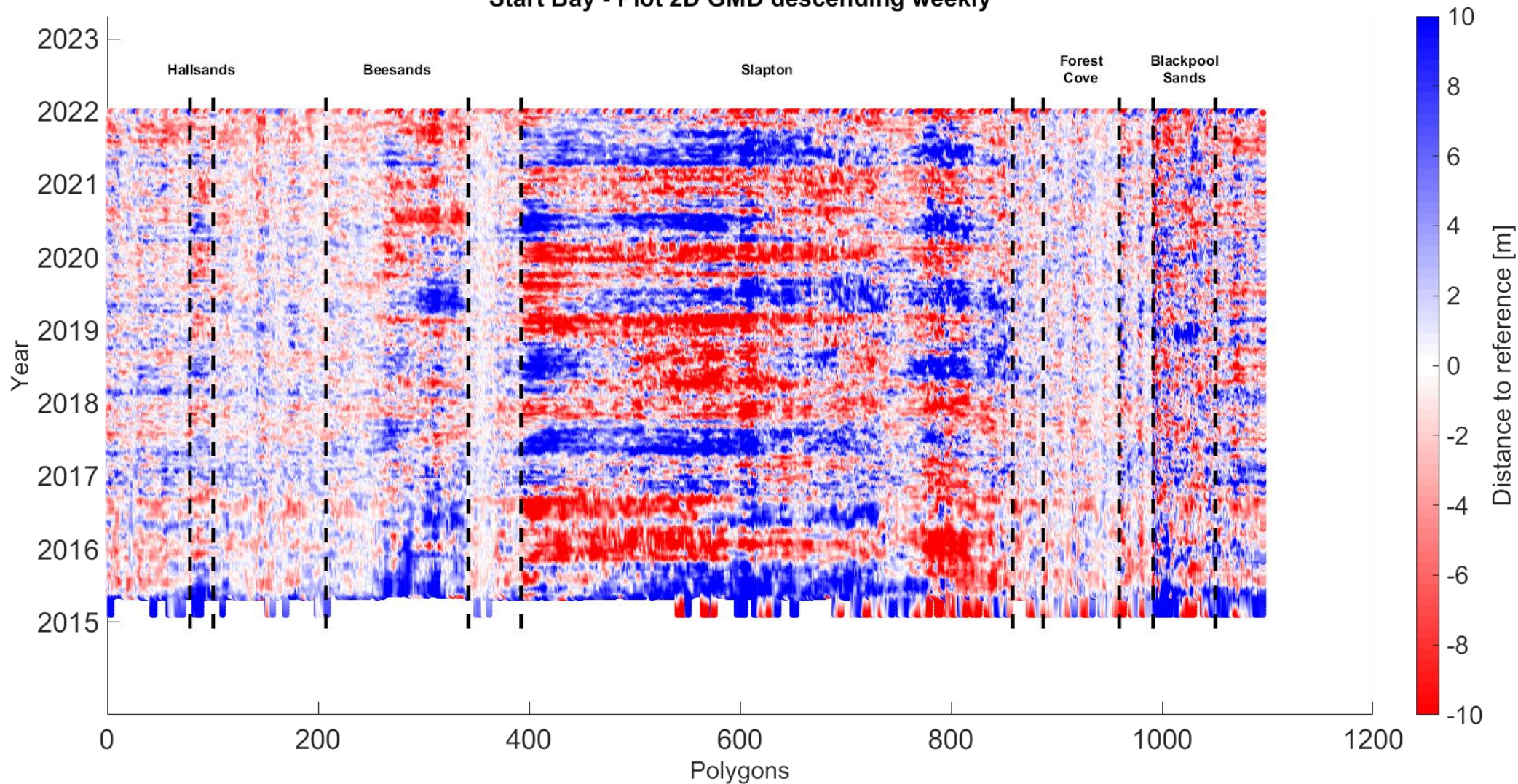


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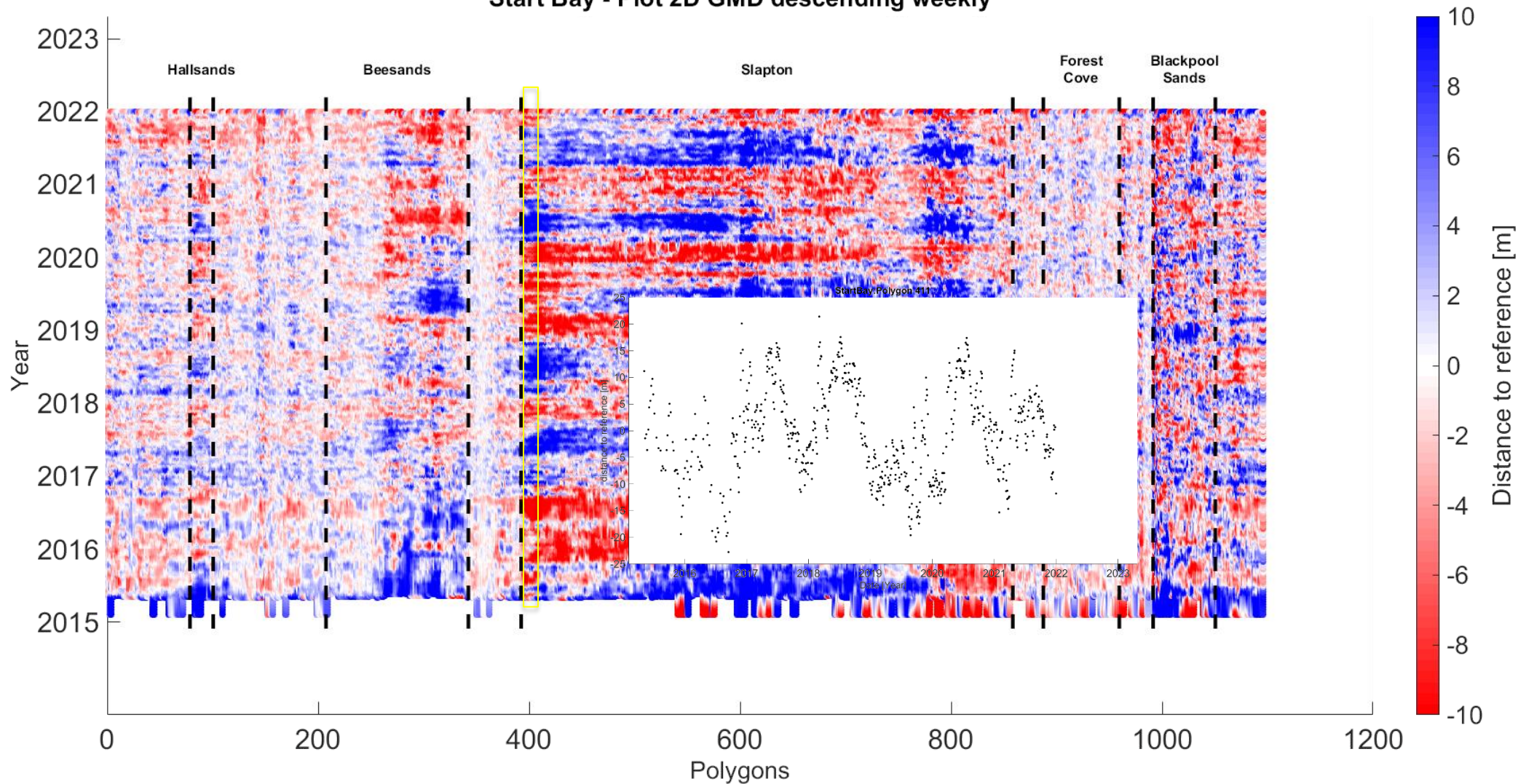
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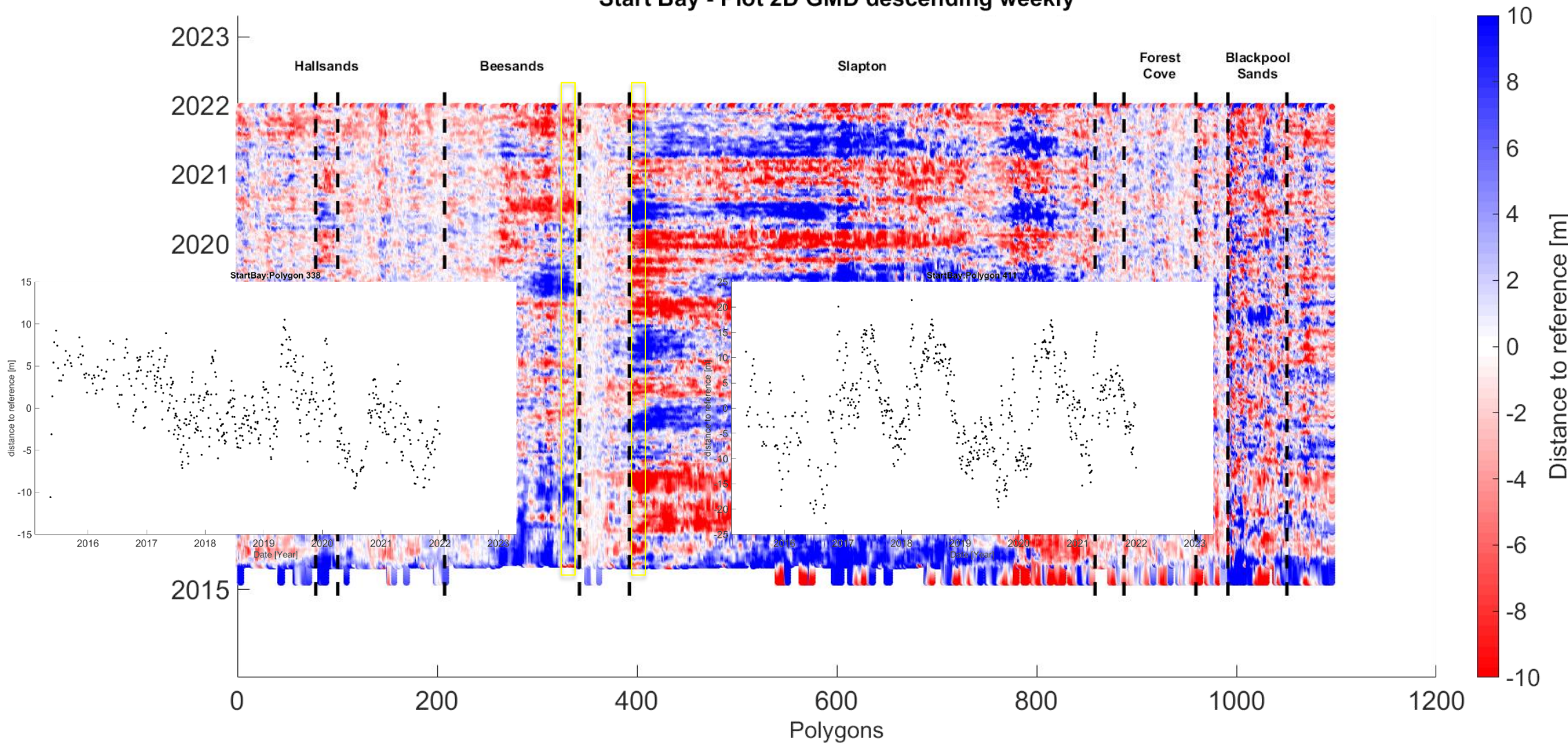
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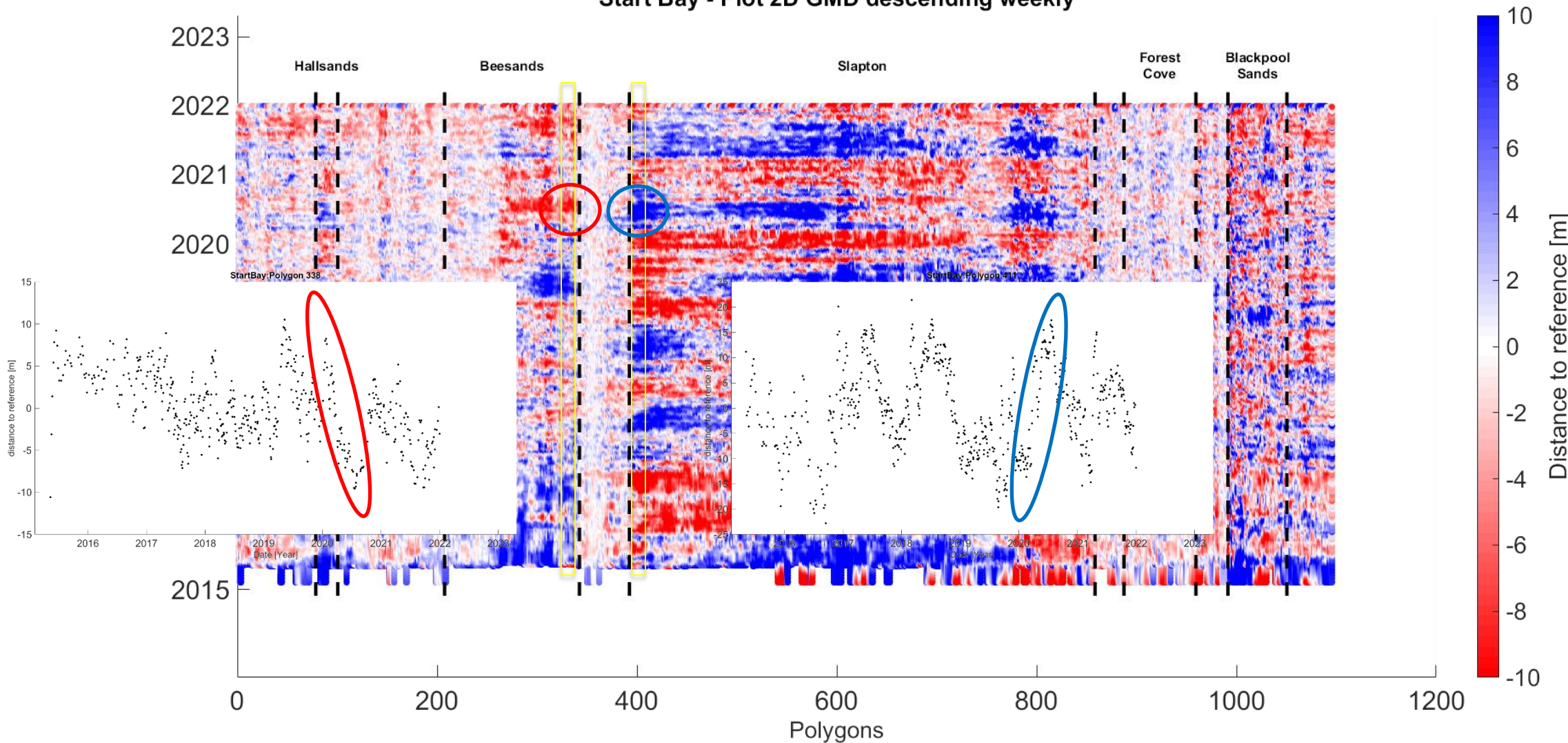
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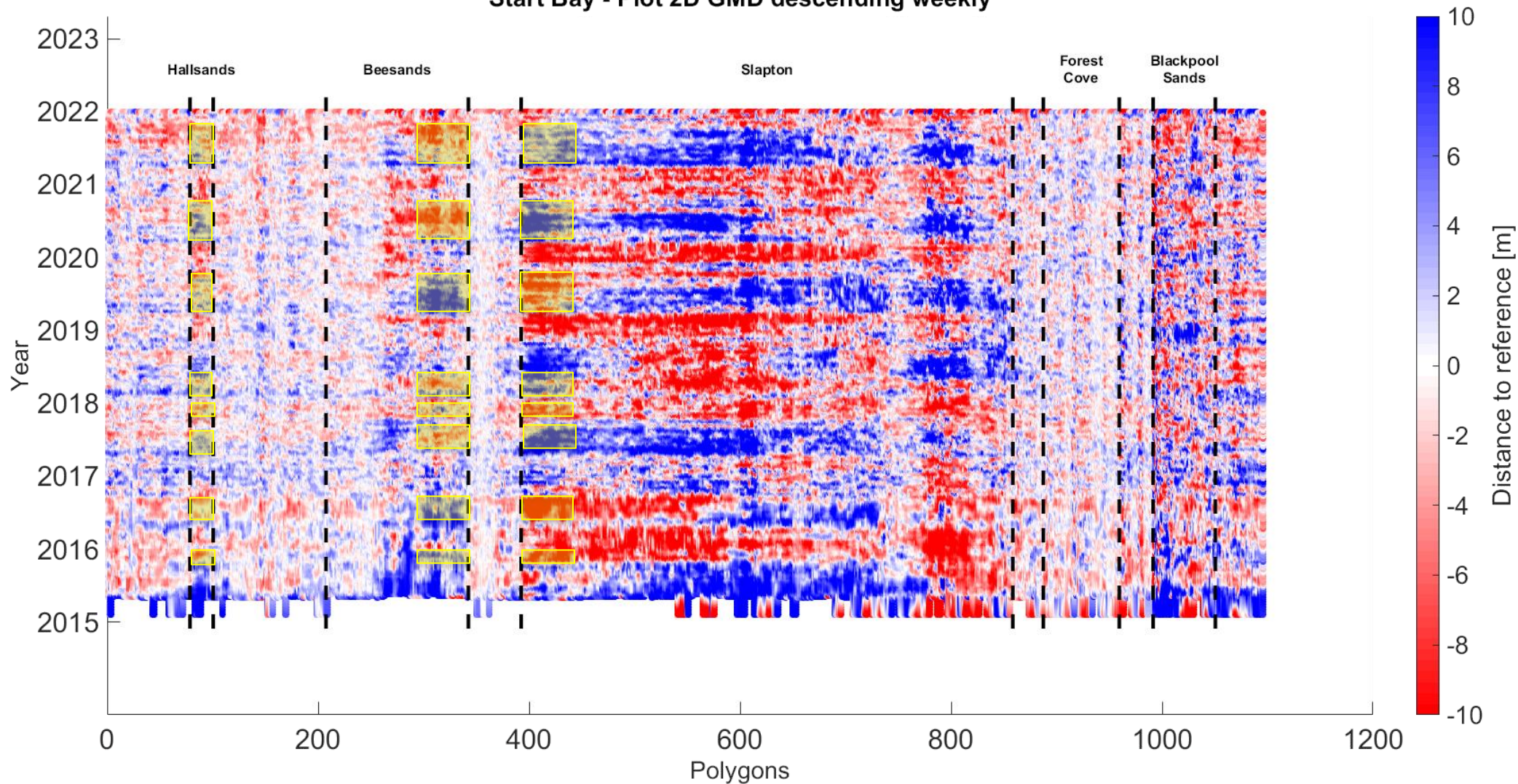
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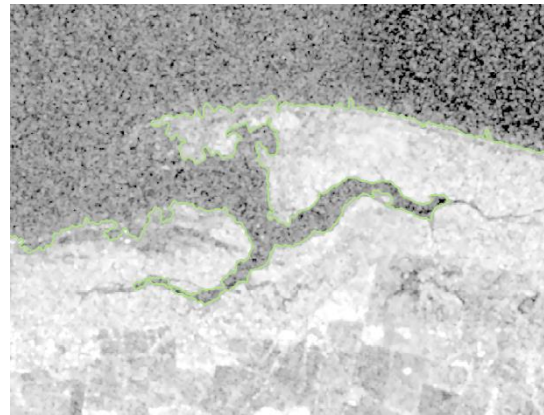
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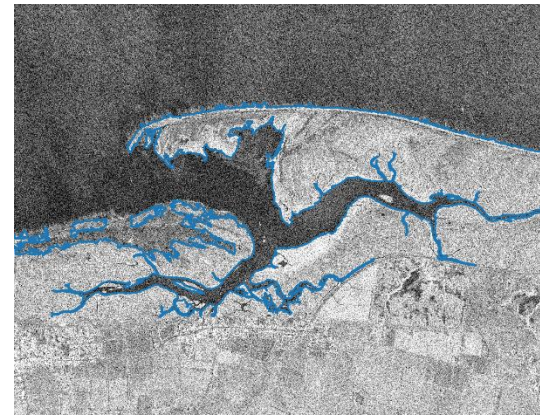
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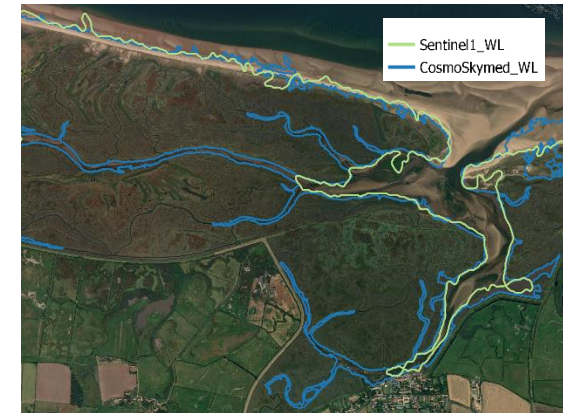
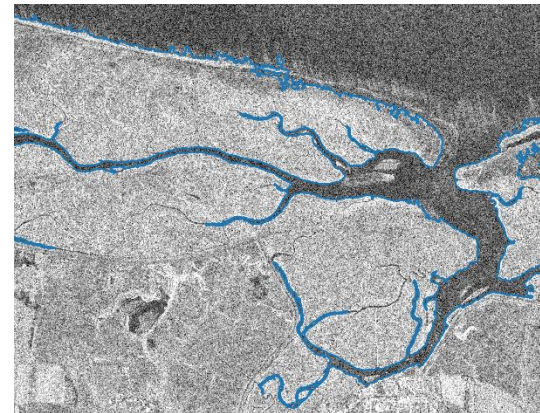
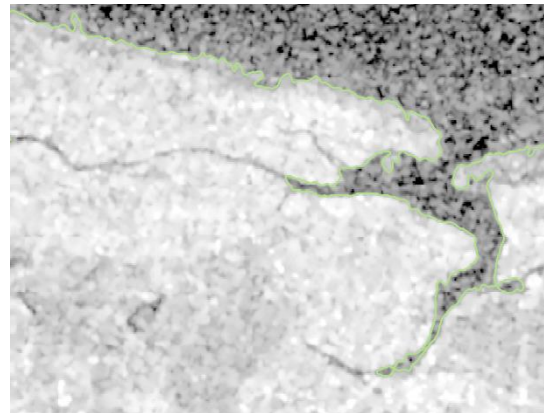
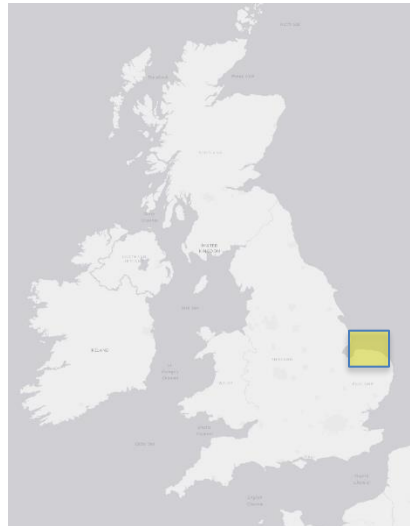
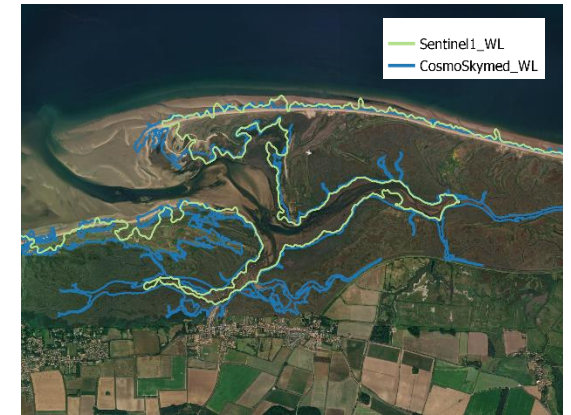
Sentinel-1 WL



CosmoSkymed WL



Cosmo vs Sentinel-1 WL



New SAR constellations we are interested to work for: Capella, ICEYE, NovaSAR-S, etc.

- New modules has been implemented in the processing chain in order to get more reliable results.
- We have produced improved waterlines for two different validation sites (Start Bay and Bull Island) and the results confirm that the SAR waterlines are aligned with the expected changes.
 - In Bull Island (IRL), the change rate from SAR has been fully validated by GSI, comparing it with the Vegetation Line, showing an agreement ($< \sim 1$ m/year) in both acquisition geometries (ascending and descending), as it will presented later in the end users session.
 - In Start Bay (UK), the WLs from SAR show also the well known Coastal embayment rotation while the numerical validation from BGS is still pending.
- Although the success in these two cases, there are scene conditions that do not allow the coast to be monitored properly by SAR and some work is still needed to better estimate the product limitations.
- The processing chain inputs are not restricted only to Sentinel-1 data. It is extendable also to other sensors and isardSAT is working to explore to apply its methodology to these last.
- isardSAT (via its services group company Lobelia) offers its coastal products in the EO products OCRE catalogue - <https://www.ocre-project.eu/eo-catalogue>.

Thank you

Any questions ?



Validation and Application

End Users perspective



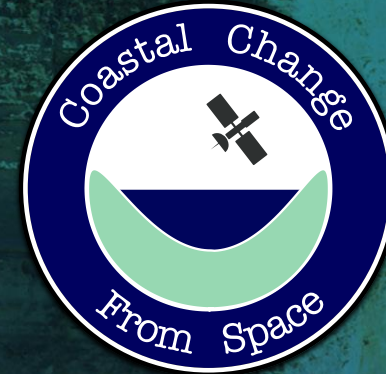
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Coastal Erosion Consortium

United Kingdom

- ✓ Chesil Beach
- ✓ Start Bay
- ✓ Perranporth
- ✓ Spurn Head to Hunstanton
- ✓ **Cardigan Bay (316.5 km)**

Ireland

- ✓ Dublin Bay
- ✓ Ravens Point and Rosslare
- ✓ Waterford Estuary
- ✓ Cork Harbour
- ✓ **Muir Eireann (415 km)**

Spain

- ✓ Barcelona and Tordera Delta
- ✓ Port of Castellón and Port of Sagunt
- ✓ Cadiz and Mazagón Beach
- ✓ **El Puntal de Santander**
- ✓ **Bay of Biscay (361.8 km)**



Canada

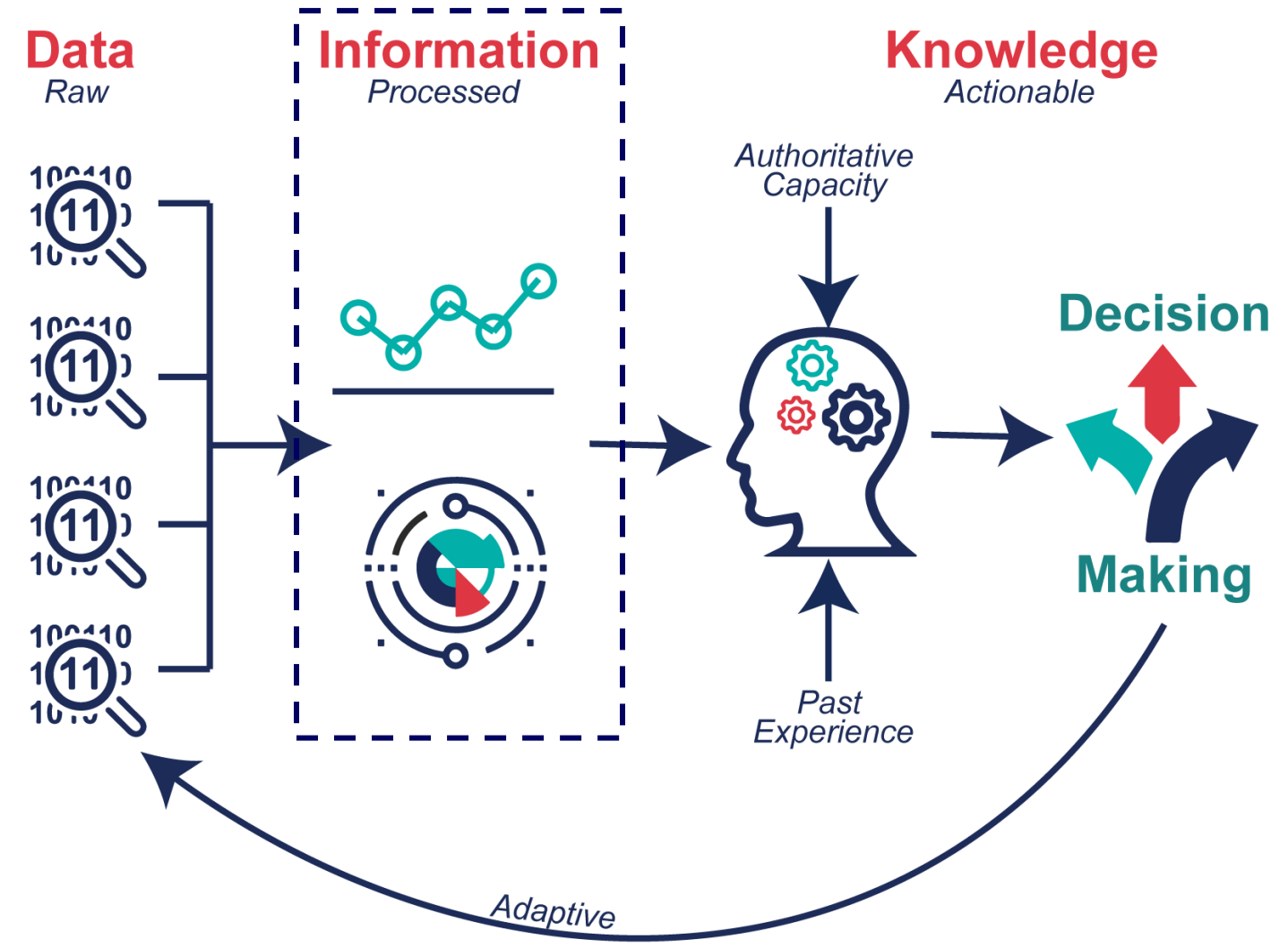
- ✓ Pointe au Loup
- ✓ Pointe aux Outardes
- ✓ Longue Pointe de Mingan
- ✓ **Bylot Island**
- ✓ **Baffin Bay (820.5 km)**

Italy

- ✓ Lido do Jesolo (322 km)
- ✓ **Catania, Sicily (300.5 km)**



Collaboration between End-Users and Service providers filled in the gap between Data and actionable Knowledge for coastal erosion risk management.



Motivation Coastal protection strategies (regional and national scope) considering the effects of climate change by the General Directorate of the Coast and the Sea (DGCM) - MITECO

Input data:

Beach width lost/gain rate at all beaches in the country (national) o region and at various timescales

Results:

Hazard level at each beach



Indicator	Thresholds	Hazard level	
		Management Unit with beach	Management Unit with no beach
Dry beach width (m)	≤ 10	High 5	None 0
	$> 10 \text{ y } \leq 20$	Medium 3	
	$>20 \text{ y } \leq 30$	Low 2	
	$>30 \text{ y } \leq 40$	Very low 1	
	> 40	None 0	

Backshore

from LC maps



Shoreline evolution

from SDS timeseries

Laredo



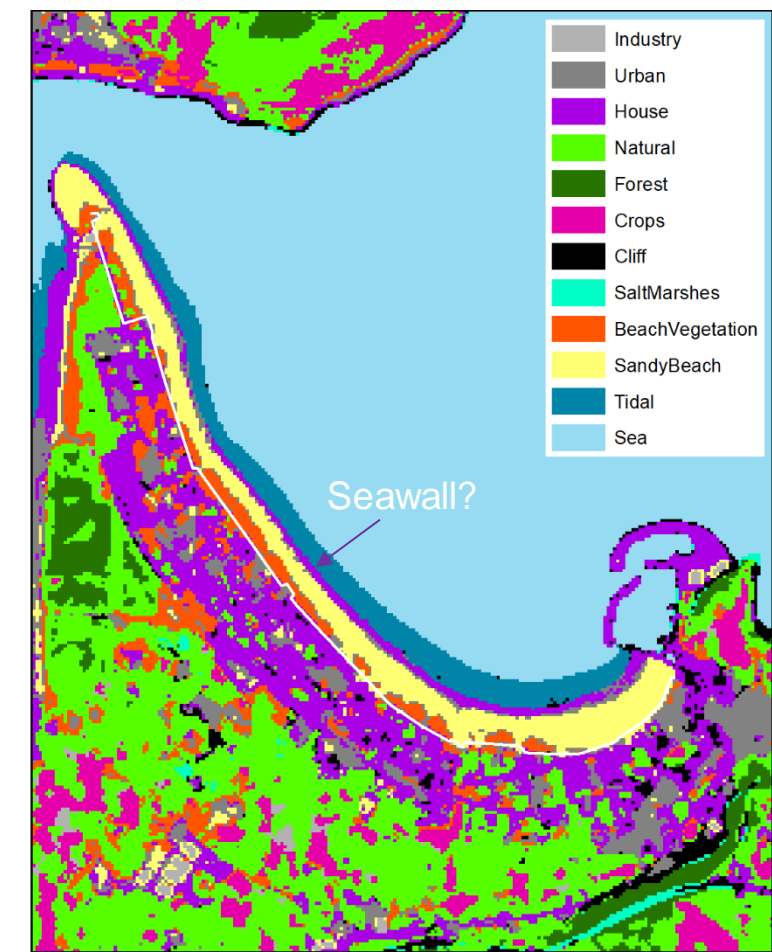
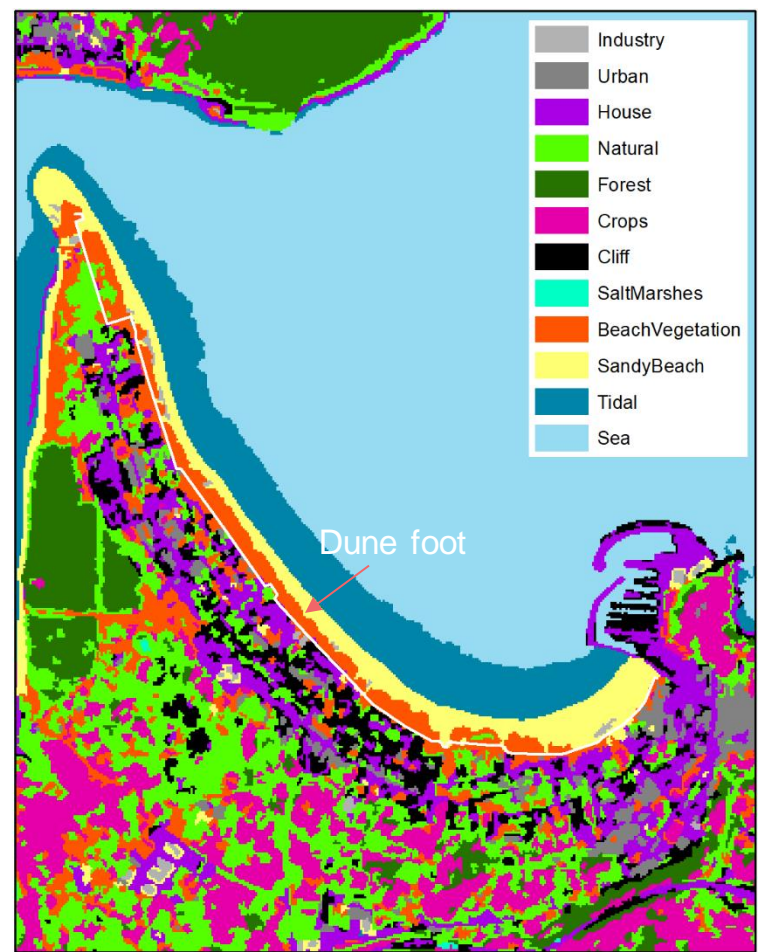
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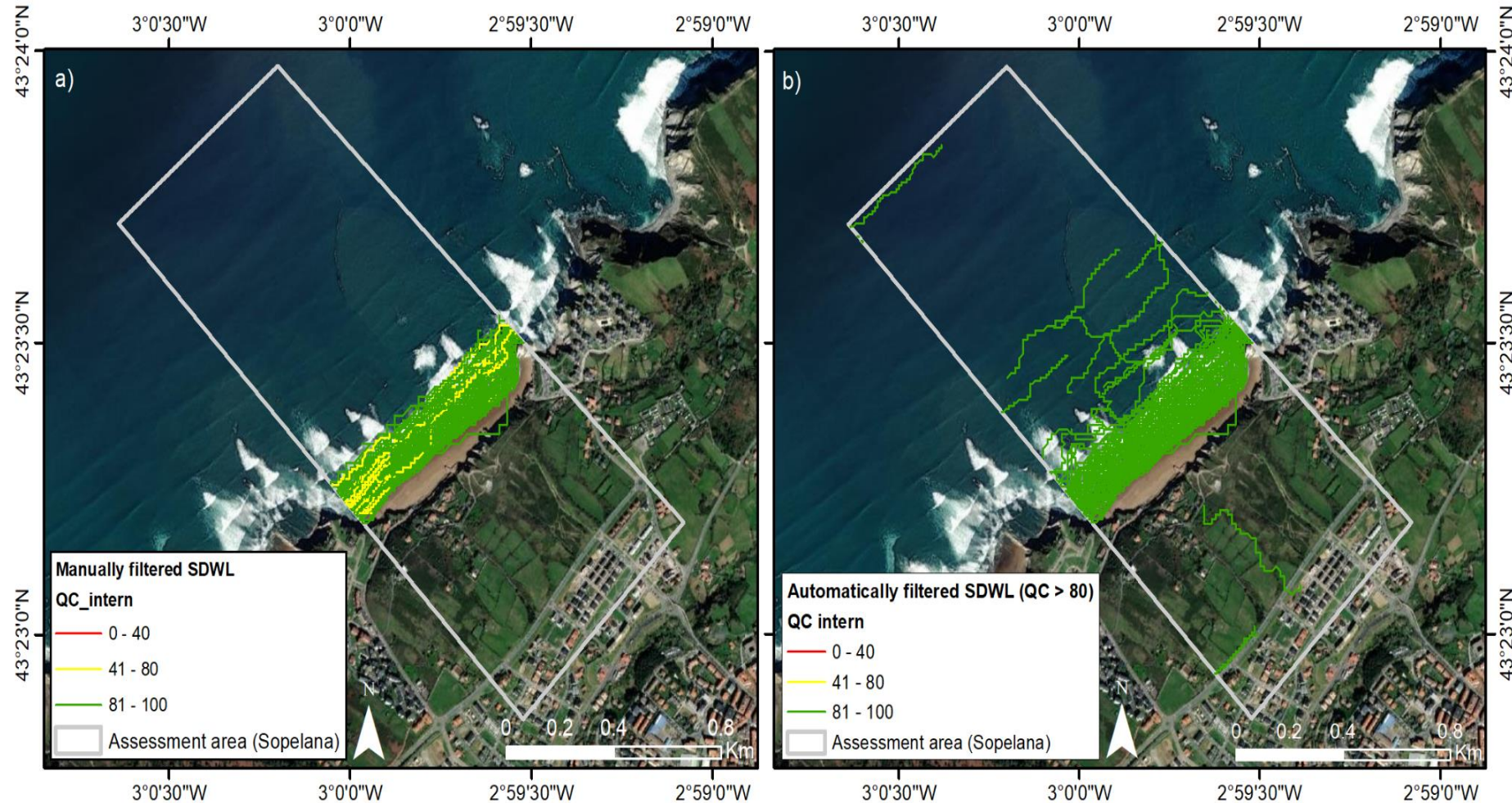


Laredo

2018 ☺

2015 ☹





✓ Sopelana

2% of SDWL with LOW QC were OK

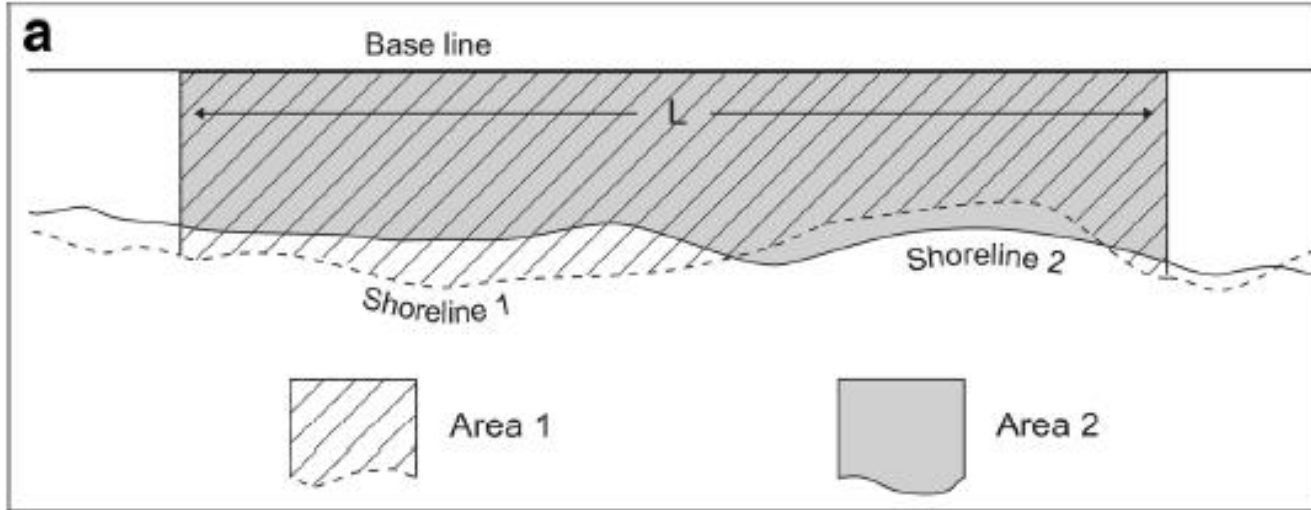
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We have shown how EO has a key role on as a monitoring tool of the health our coastlines

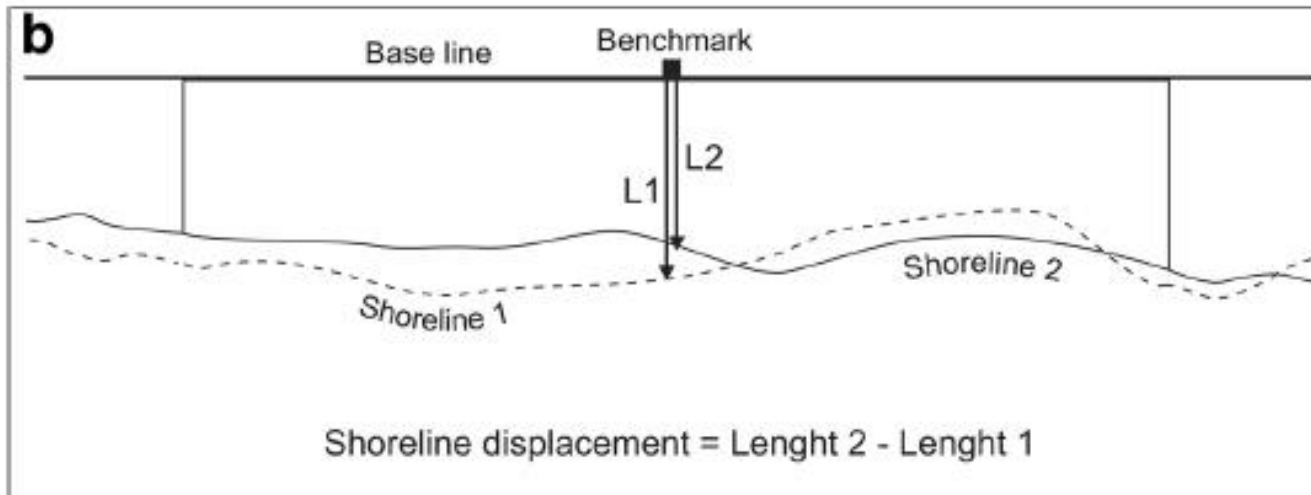


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Area change method

$$\text{Mean shoreline displacement} = (\text{Area 2} - \text{Area 1}) / L$$



Transect and baseline method

$$\text{Shoreline displacement} = \text{Lenght 2} - \text{Lenght 1}$$



The Digital Shoreline Analysis System is the transect-baseline software tool more broadly used



Digital Shoreline Analysis System (DSAS) Version 5.1 User Guide



Open-File Report 2021-1091

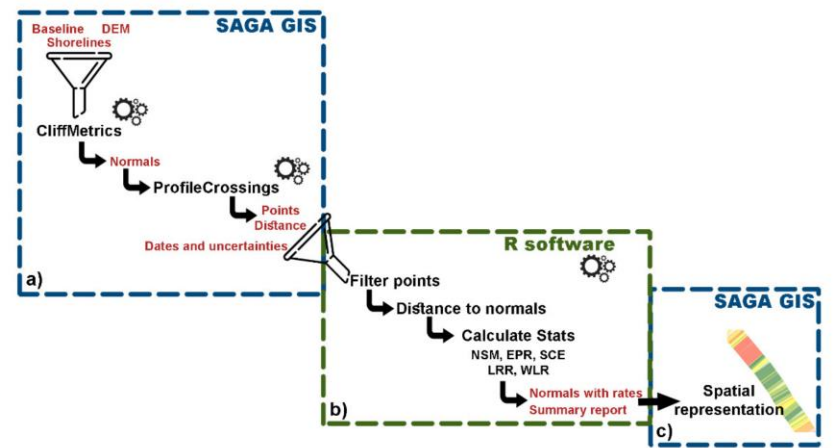
U.S. Department of the Interior
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The DSAS version 5 software is an add-in to Esri ArcGIS Desktop version 10.4–10.7 that enables a user to calculate rate-of-change statistics from a time series of vector shoreline positions.

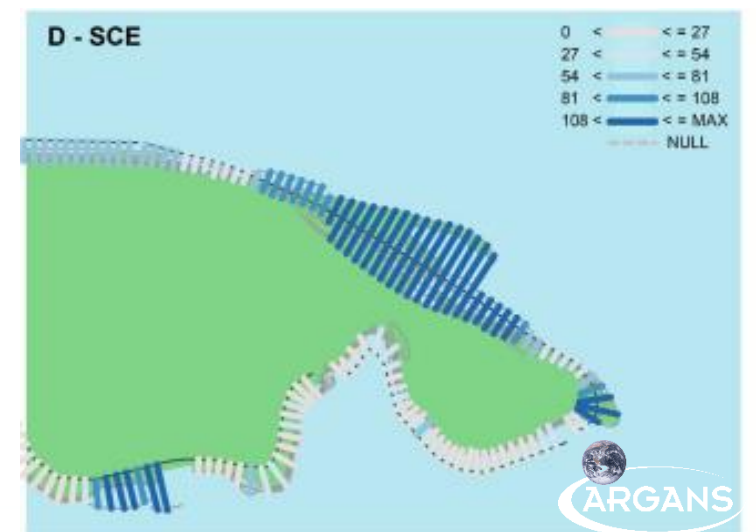
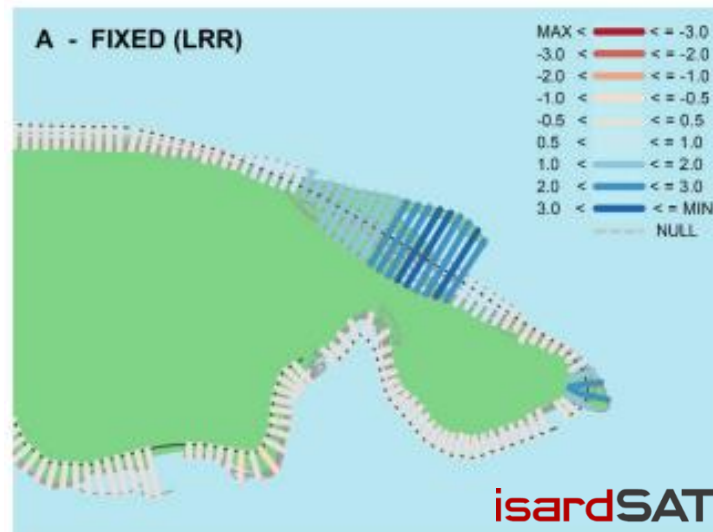
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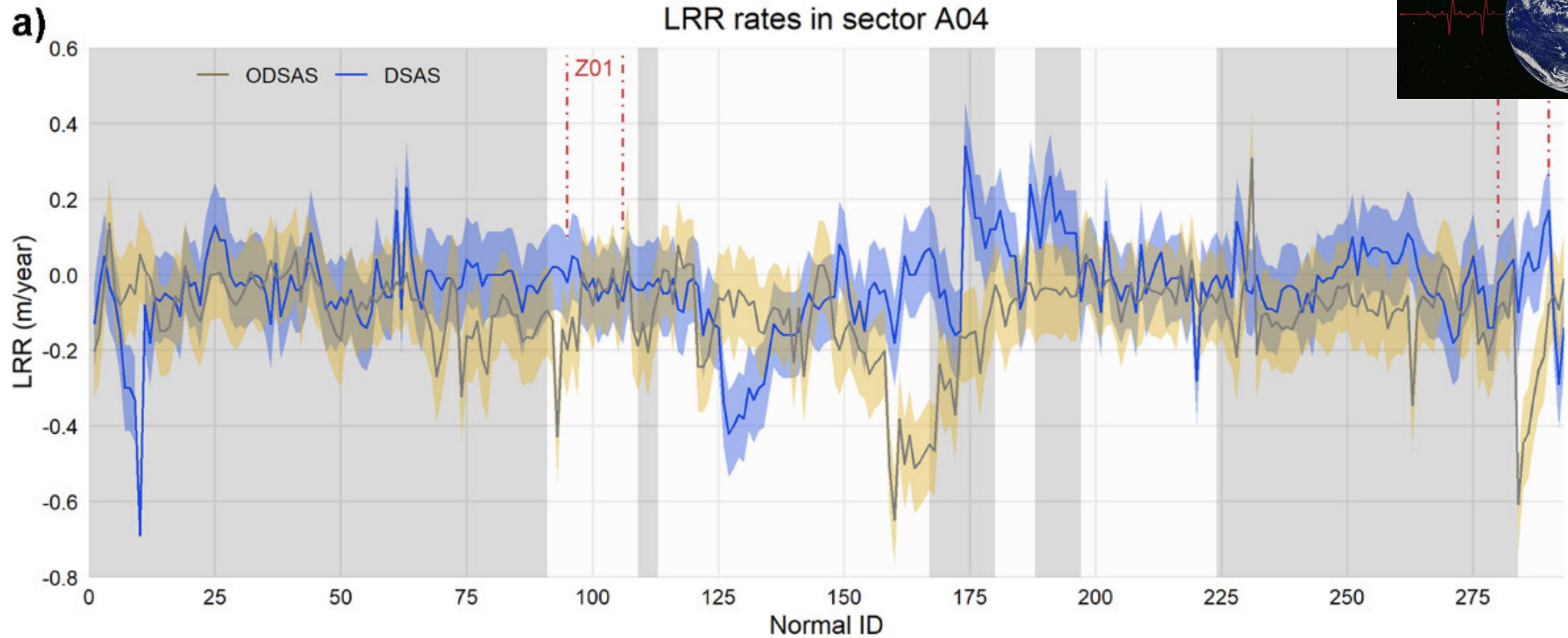
Open Digital Shoreline Analysis System: ODSAS v1.0

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Parameter	Name	Definition	Units
NSM	Net Shoreline Movement	Oldest—Youngest coastline	m
SCE	Shoreline Change Envelope	Greatest distance between coastlines	m
EPR	End Point Rate	NSM/timespan	m/year
LRR	Linear Regression Rate	Slope of regression line by the sum of the squared residuals	m/year
WLR	Weighted Linear Regression Rate	Considers the variance in the uncertainty	m/year

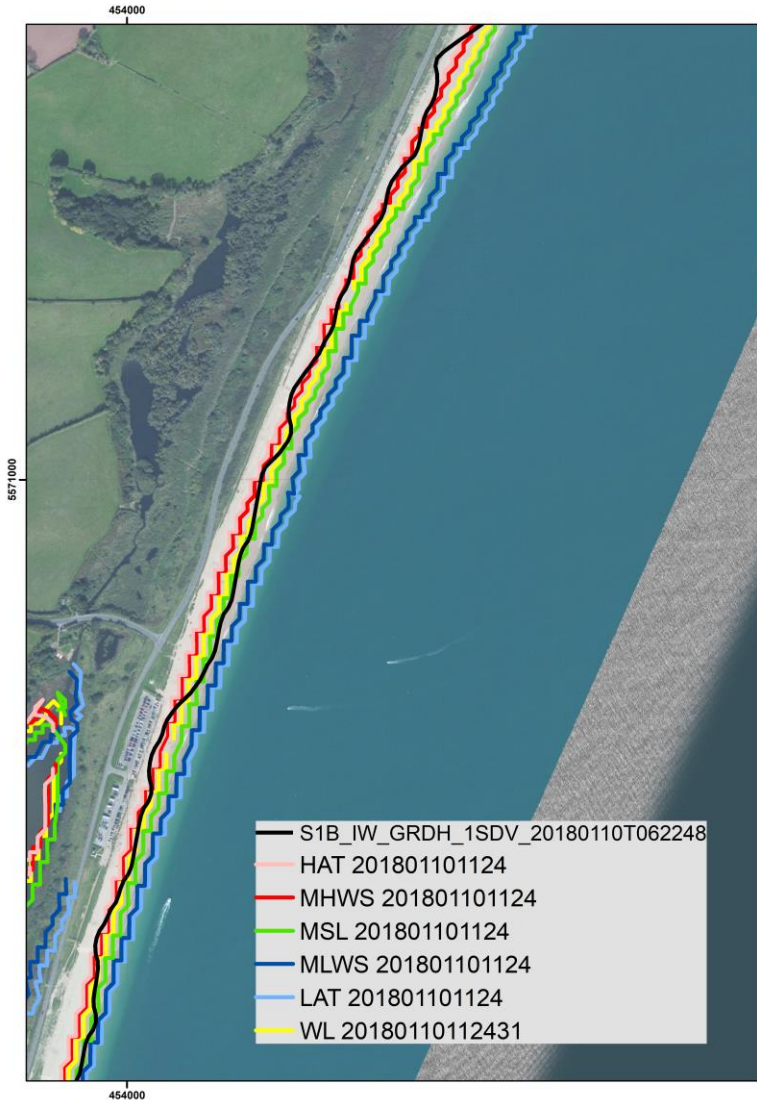






S1 SAR Slope (2015-2020)
Vs.
Shoreline change rate 2013-2020
(vegetation line)

Comparison	N	R2	AIC	MAE Total (m/yr)	MAE Erosion (ER < 0) (m/yr)	MAE Accretion (ER > 0) (m/yr)
VG ER / S1 SAR Descending	94	0.89	260	0.85	0.84	0.86
VG ER / S1 SAR Ascending	94	0.91	232	0.77	0.58	0.94
S1 SAR Asc / S1 SAR Desc	94	0.95	151	-	-	-



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Narrow shallow slope-bound beach

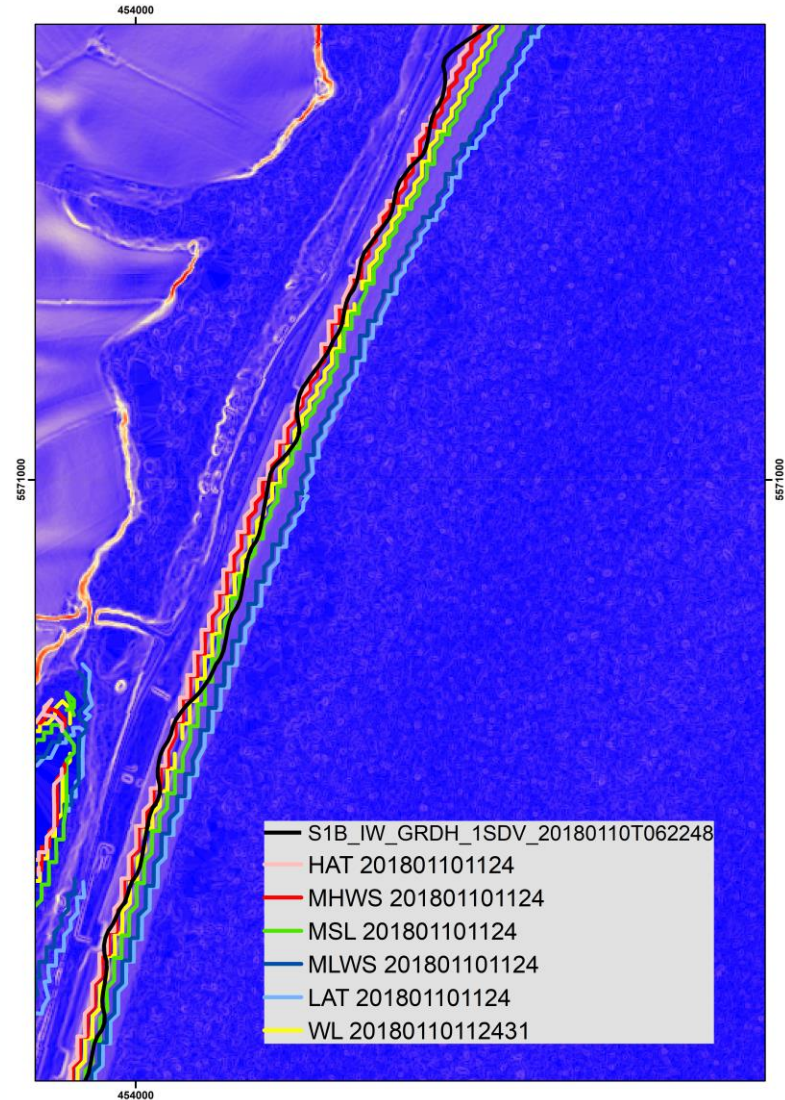
Context: low slope angle beach bounded by low slope angle land (blues)

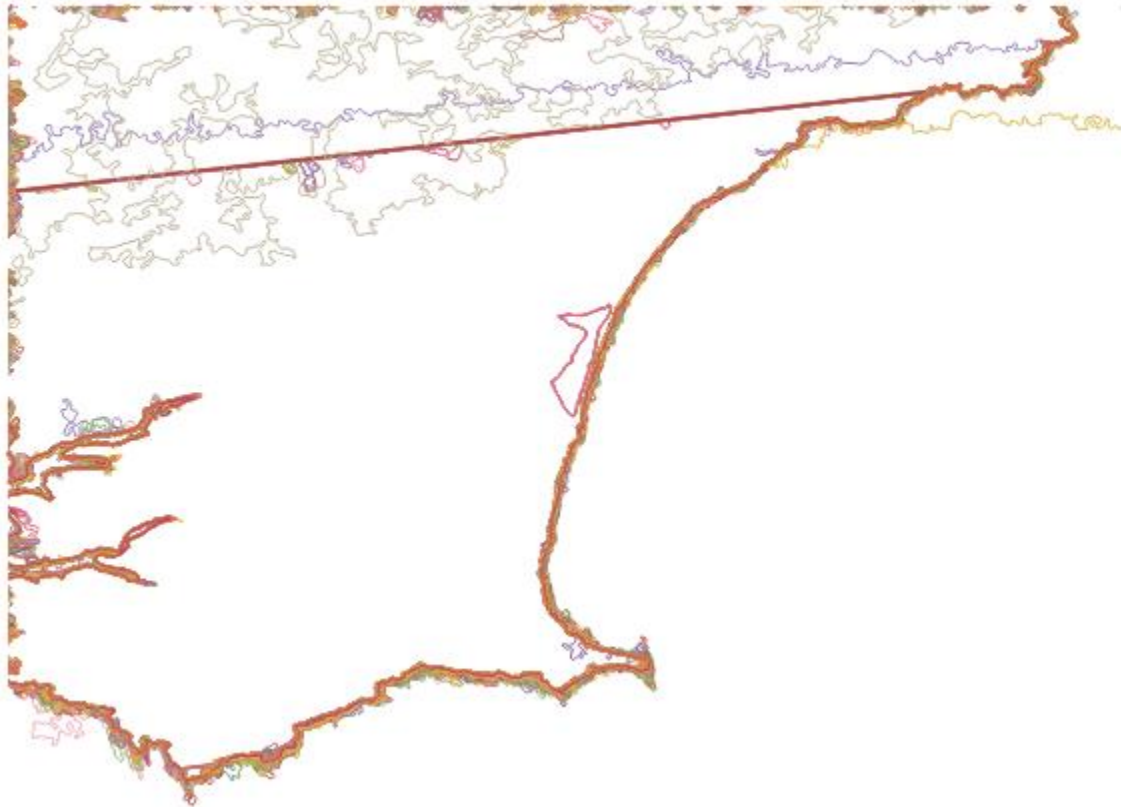
Consistency in optical-derived shorelines from LAT, MLWS, MSL, MHWS and HAT on a landward progression

Optical-derived WL consistently between MSL and MHWS

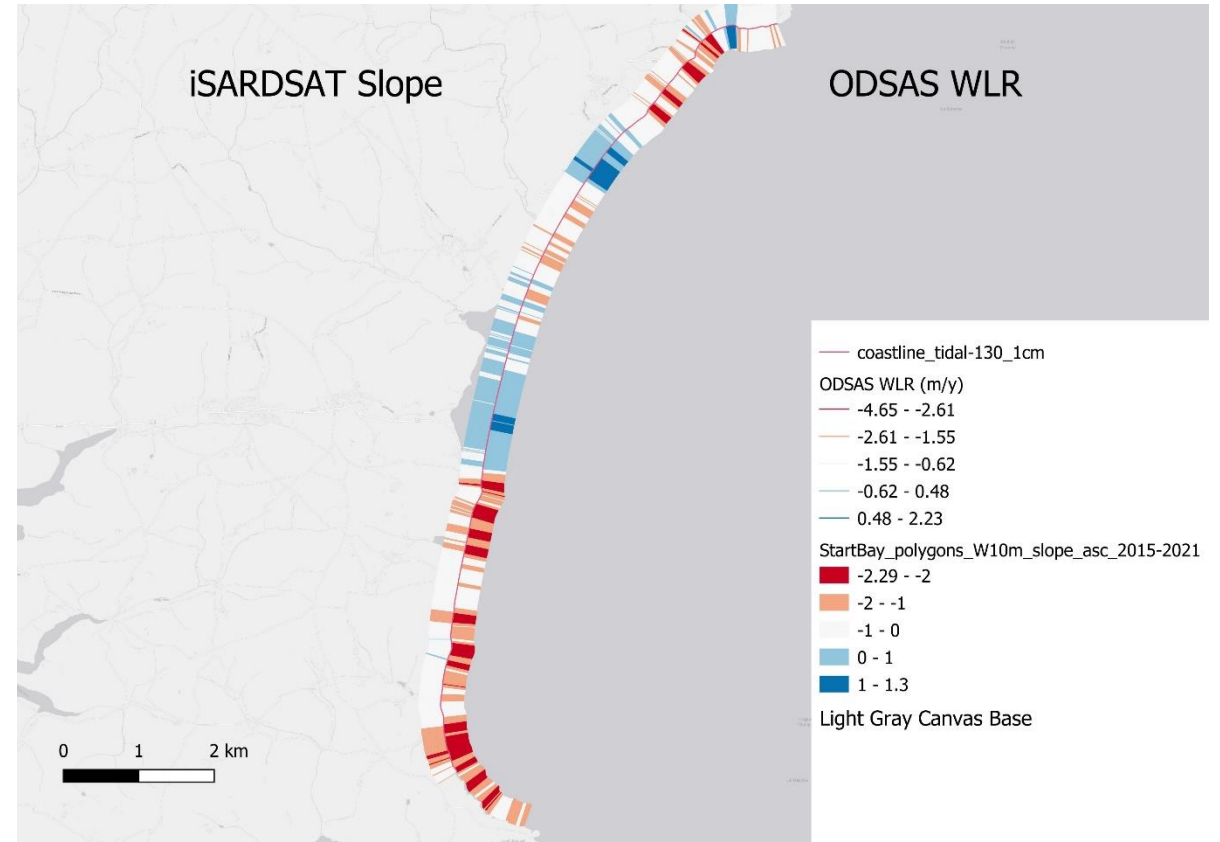
Optical shorelines consistently marks the boundary between the sand and water

SAR waterline (IW) consistently landward of MSL shoreline bounded by landward low

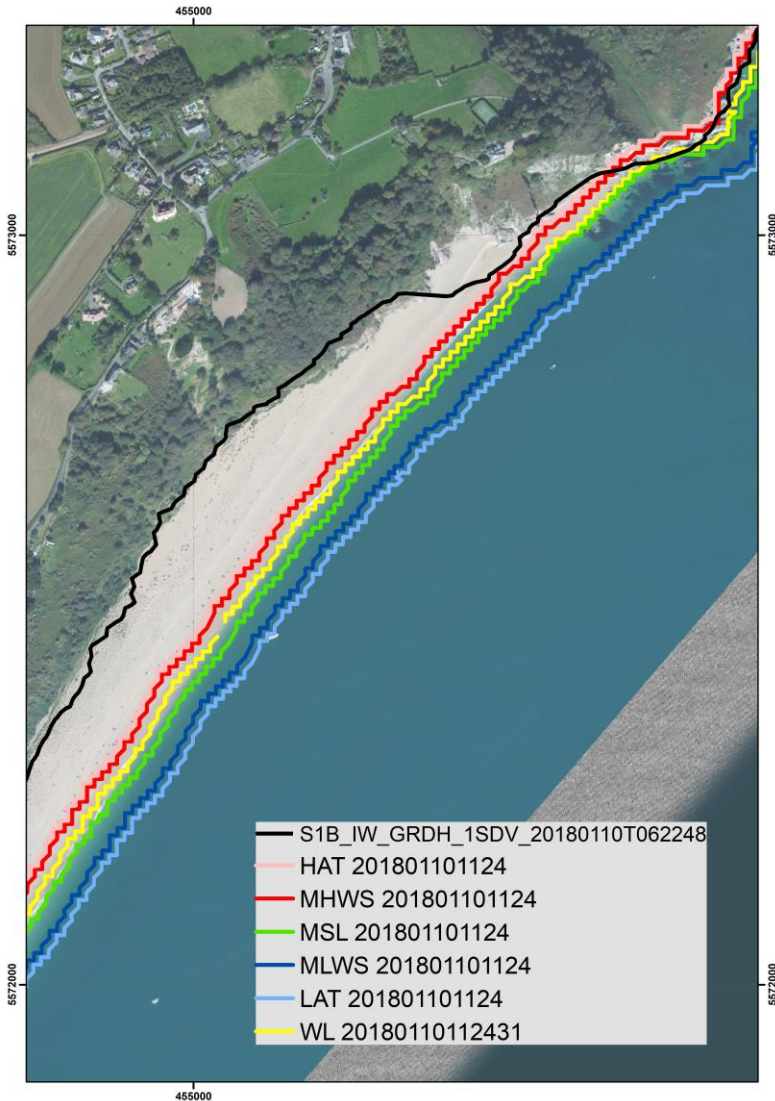




701 Lines for ASC between 2015 to 2021



Similar patterns of erosion and accretion derived from using ODSAS and the same baseline at 10 meters spacing



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Wide cliff-bound beach

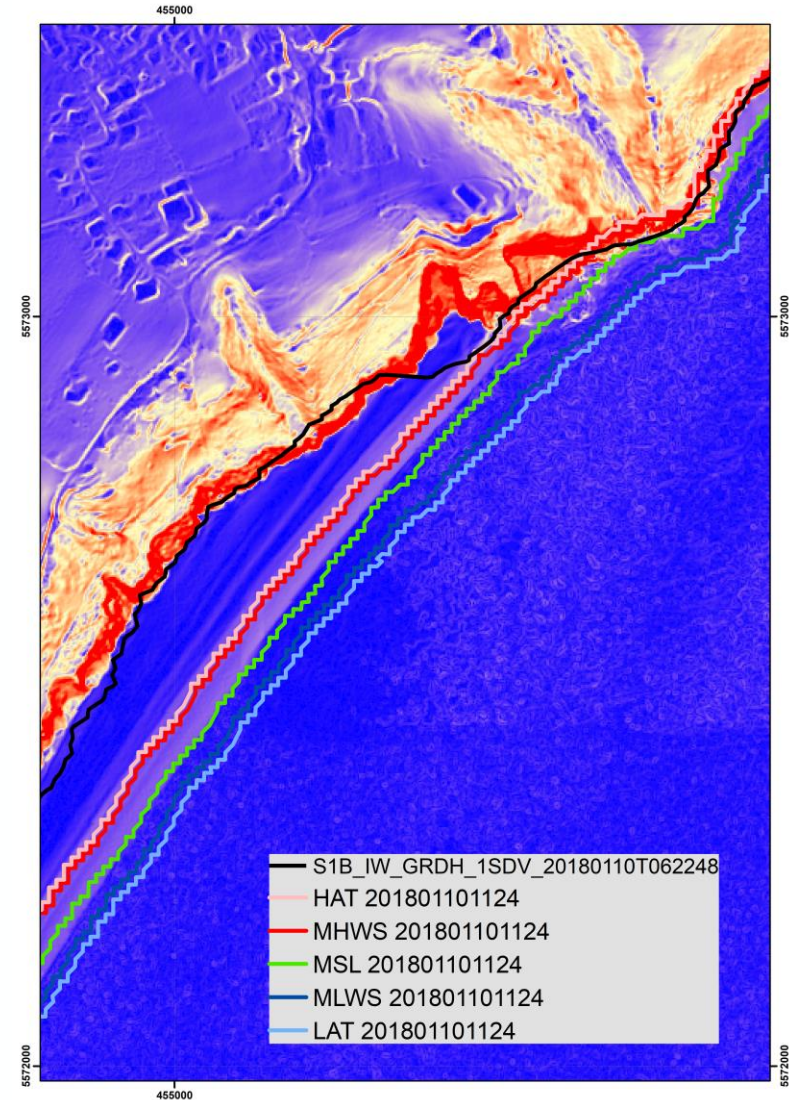
Context: steep-slopes (reds) bounding low slope angle beach (blues)

Consistency in optical-derived shorelines from LAT, MLWS, MSL, MHWS and HAT on a landward progression

Optical-derived WL consistently between MSL and MHWS

Optical-derived shorelines mark boundary between sand and water

SAR waterline (IW) consistently landward of MSL shoreline bounded by landward steep

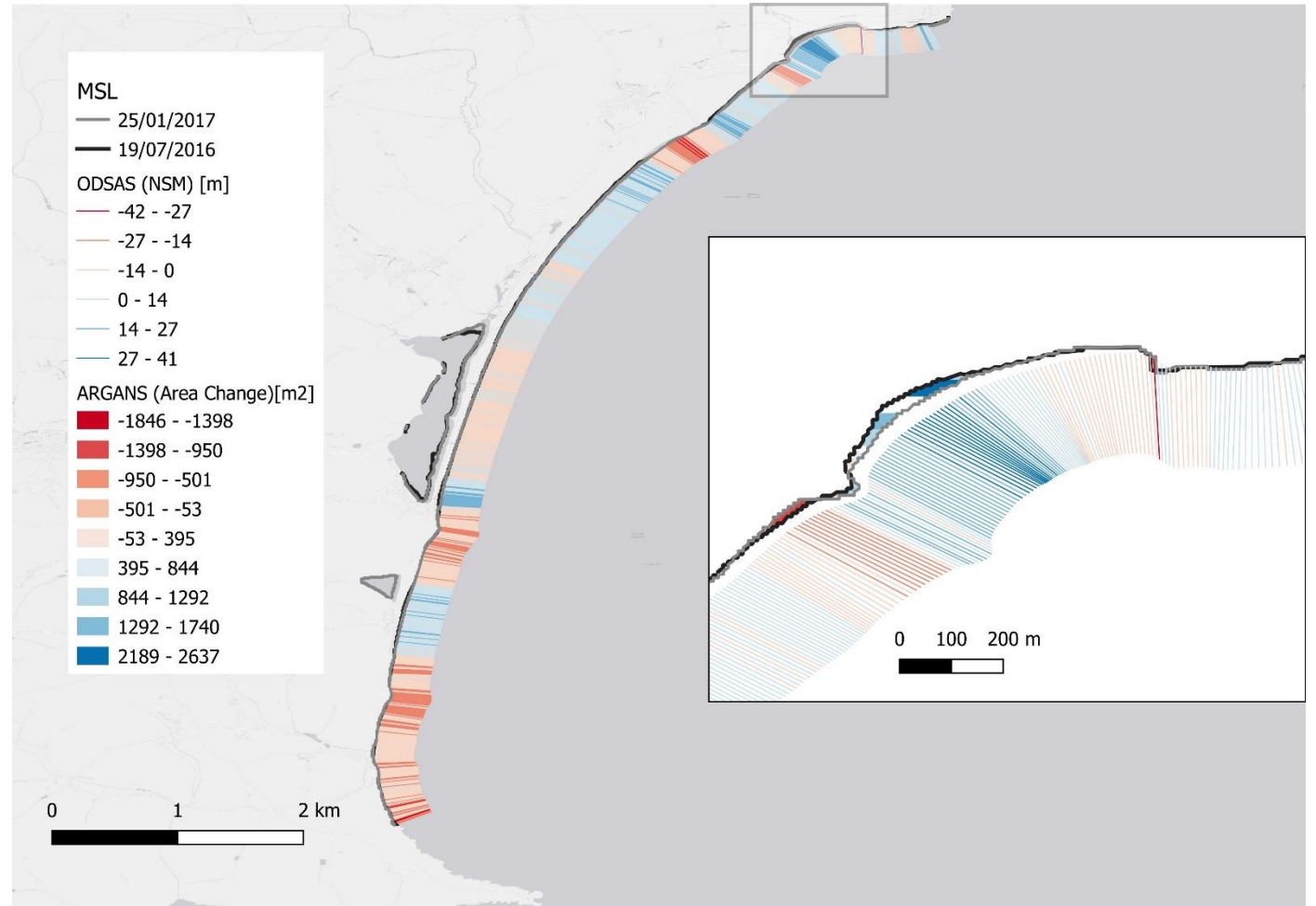


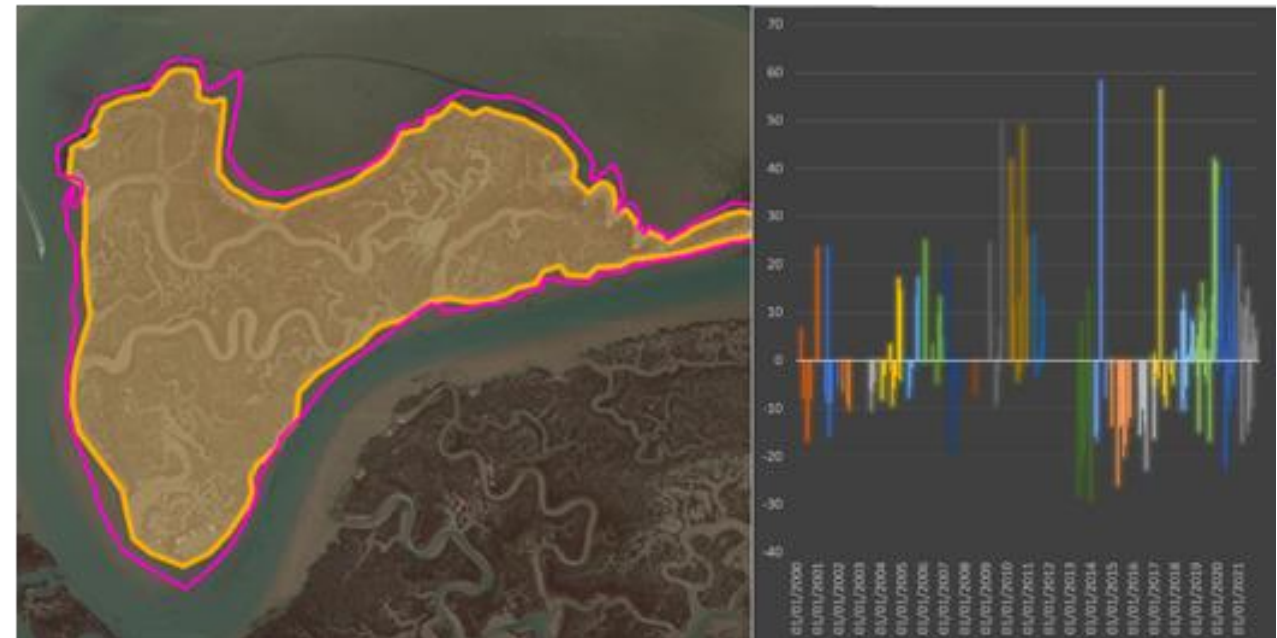
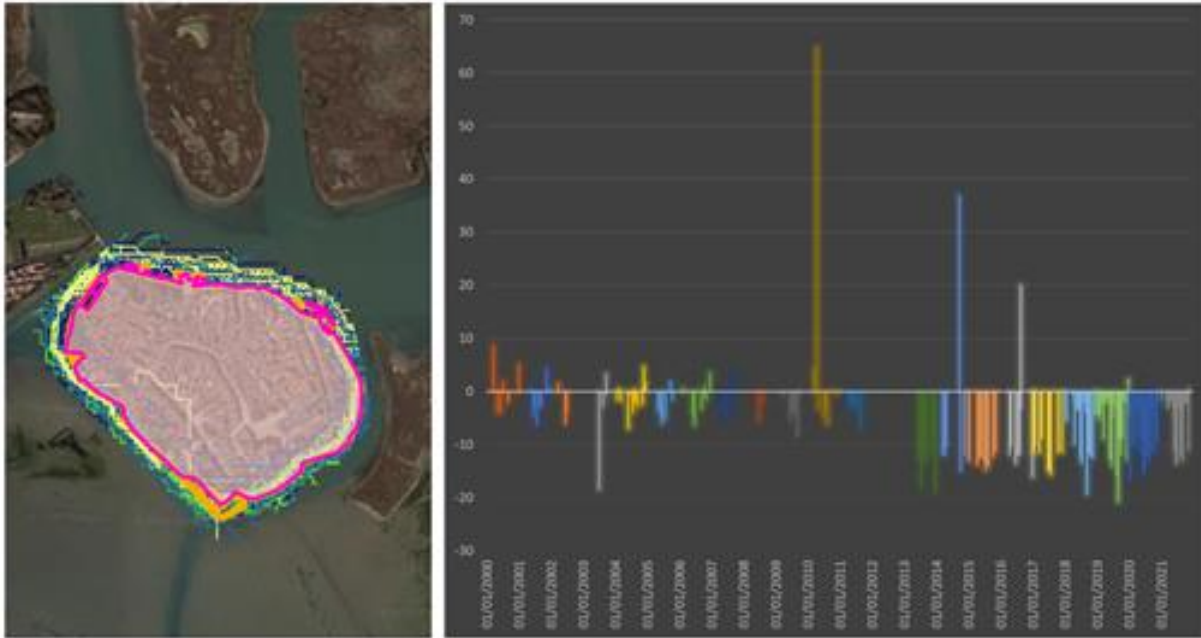
1300 ODSAS transects compared with 3799* polygons created by ARGANS Time Series

*Reduced to 454 objects if filtered by area larger than 0.0001 m²

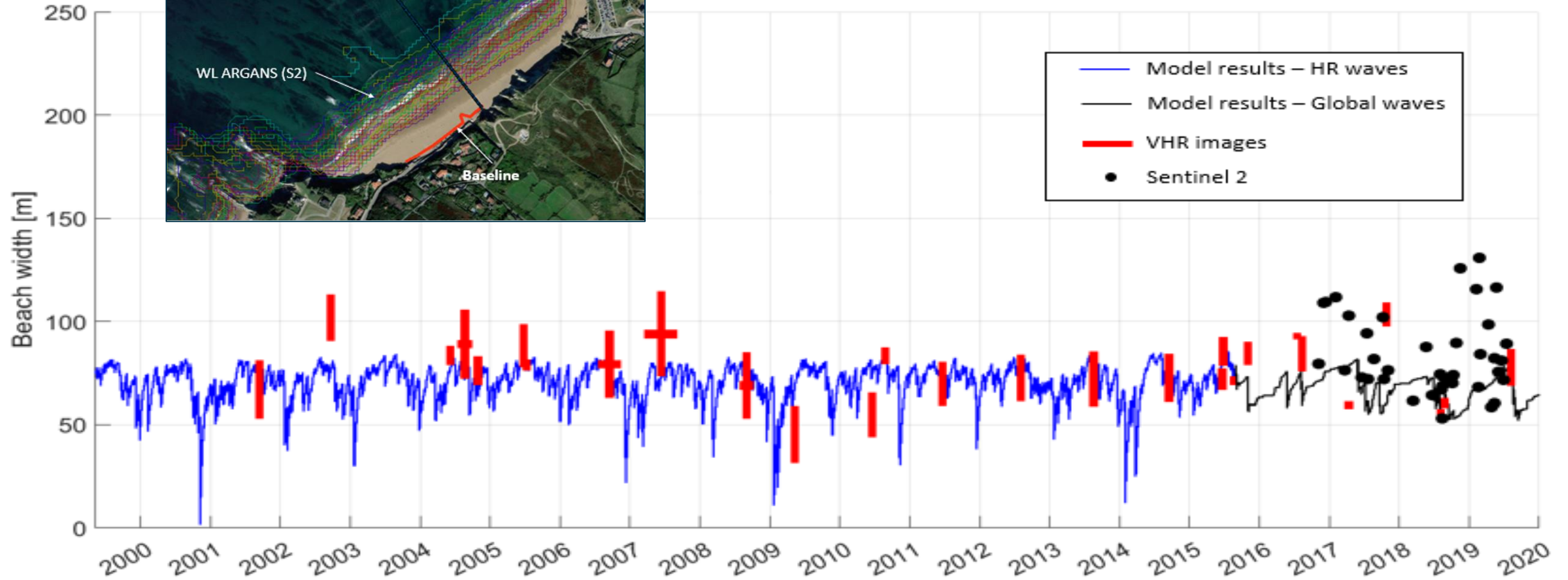
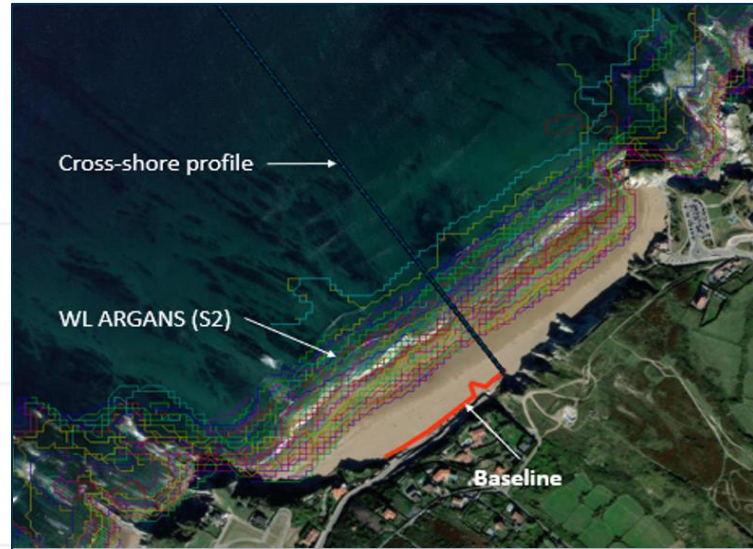
Only two MSL SLs from S2 used (e.g. not a composite of multiple lines for start and end)

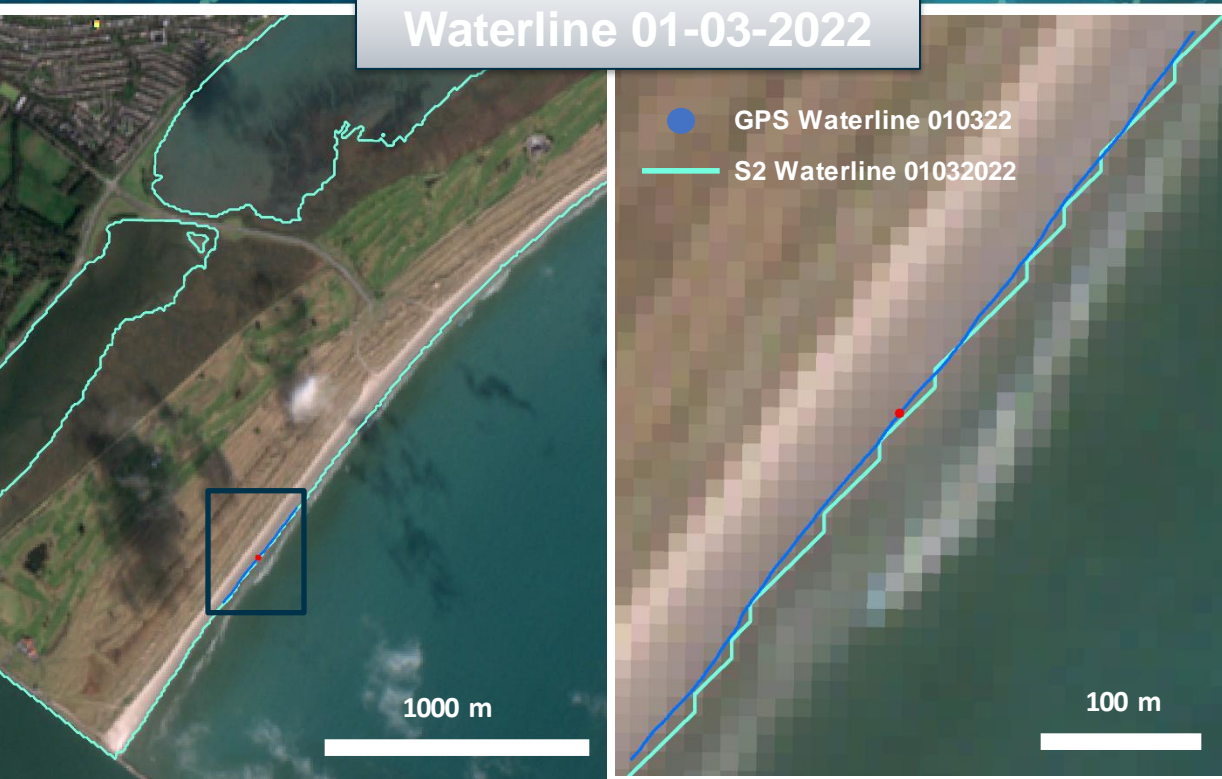
	ARGANS	ODSAS (NSM)	ARGANS (Filtered)
Num Objects	3799	1302	454
Num accretion	2465	530	220
Num erosion	1334	773	234
% accretion	65	41	48
% erosion	35	59	52
% TOTAL	100	100	100



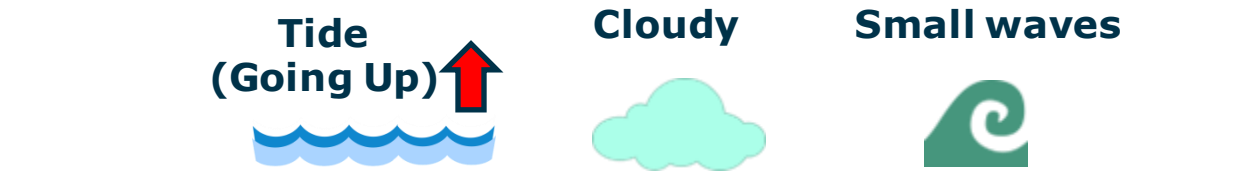


plots of the results of the calculations on the fully artificial island of Burano (left) and a fully natura Barena “Sicily” (right).





Tide (Going Up) ↑
Cloudy
Small waves



Detailed description: This block contains three weather-related icons. On the left, a blue wave icon with a red arrow pointing up, labeled 'Tide (Going Up) ↑'. In the middle, a cyan cloud icon labeled 'Cloudy'. On the right, a green wave icon labeled 'Small waves'.

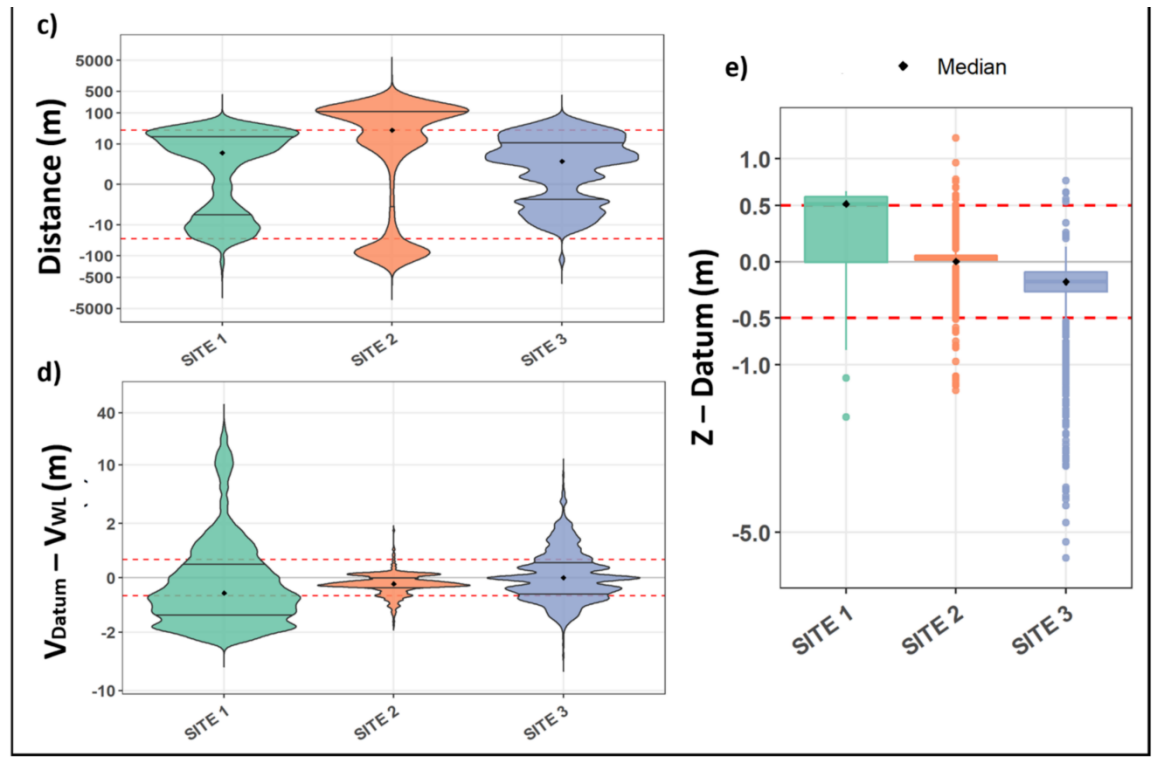
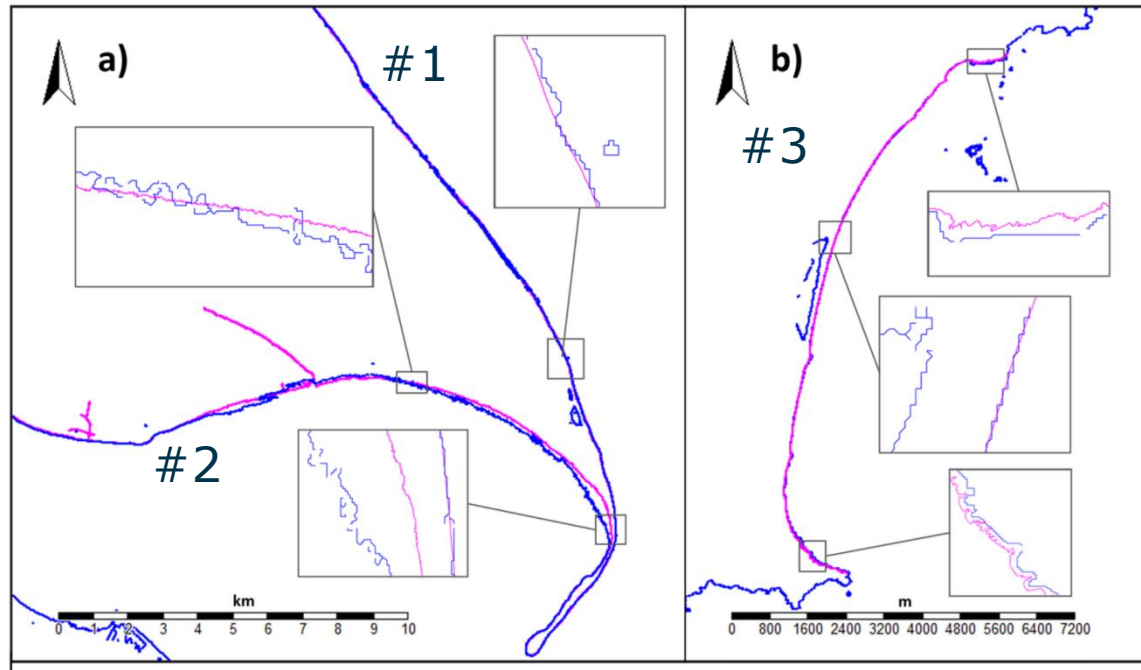


Tide (Going Down) ↓
Clear sky
Small waves



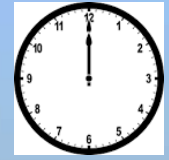
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map showing the location of the datum-based tideline (magenta) and S2-WL (blue) for Sites #1 & #2; #3...

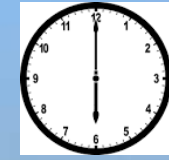
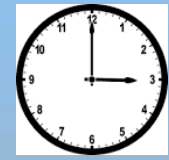


Bias implications when combined with other coastline databases

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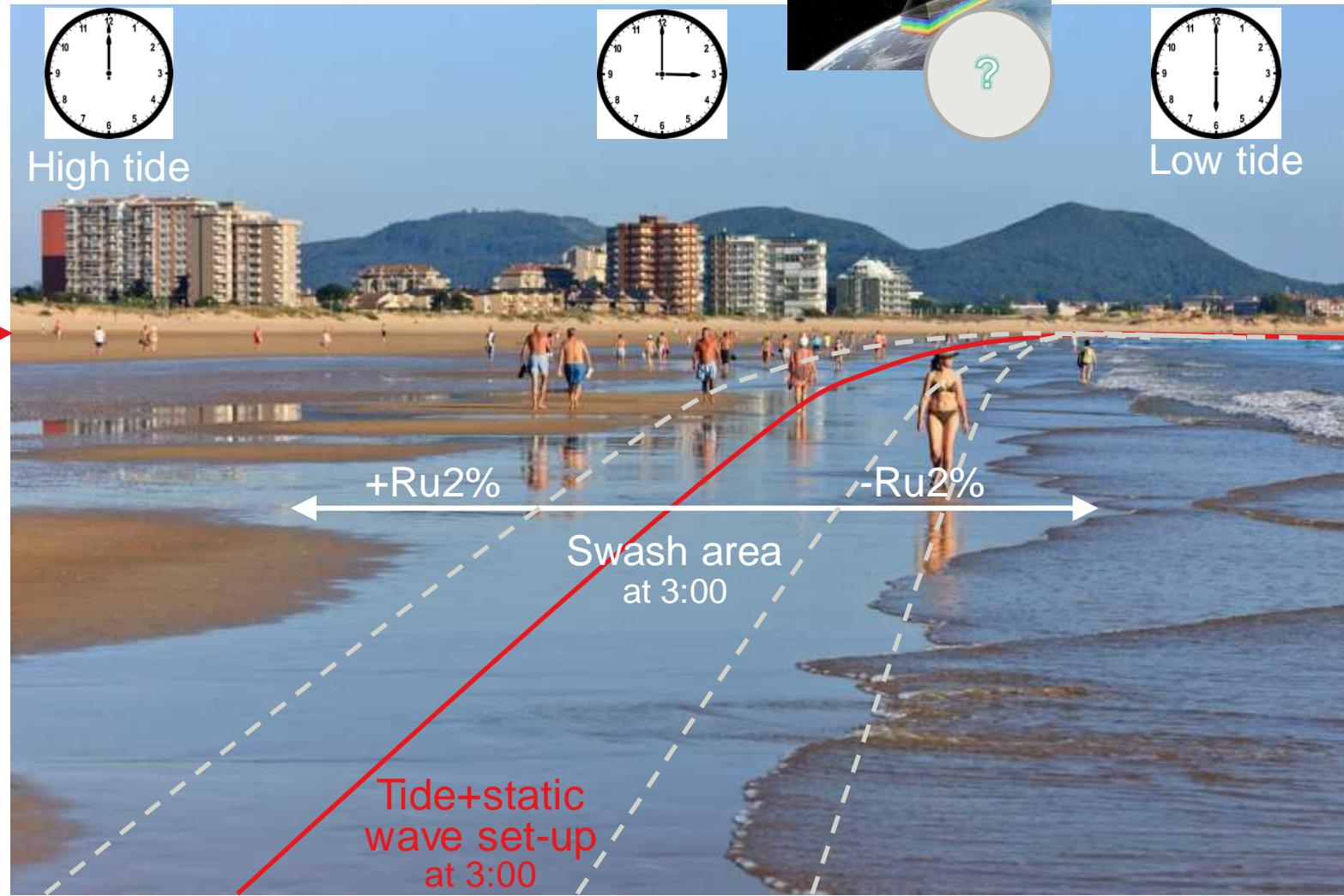


High tide



Low tide

HWM →



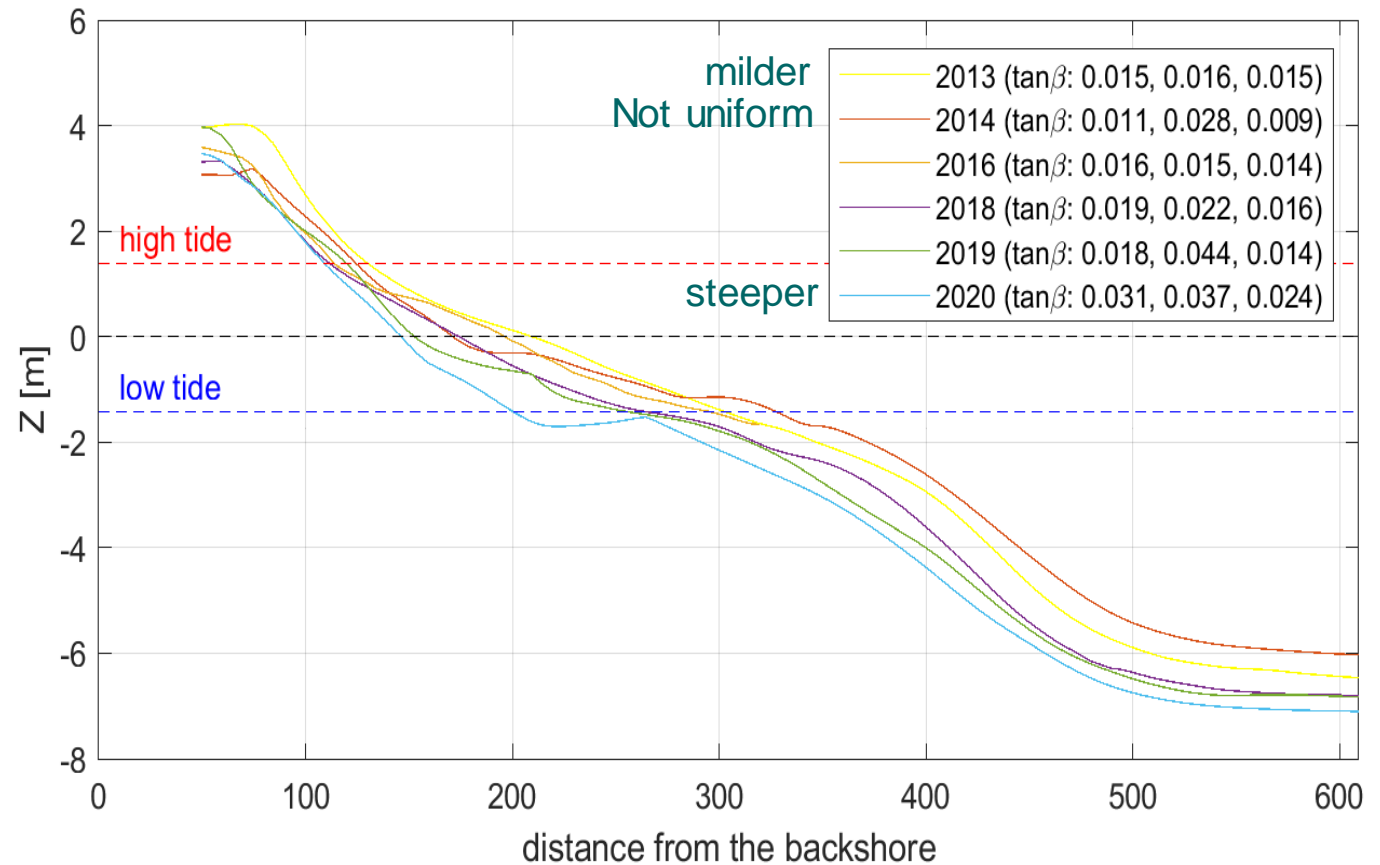
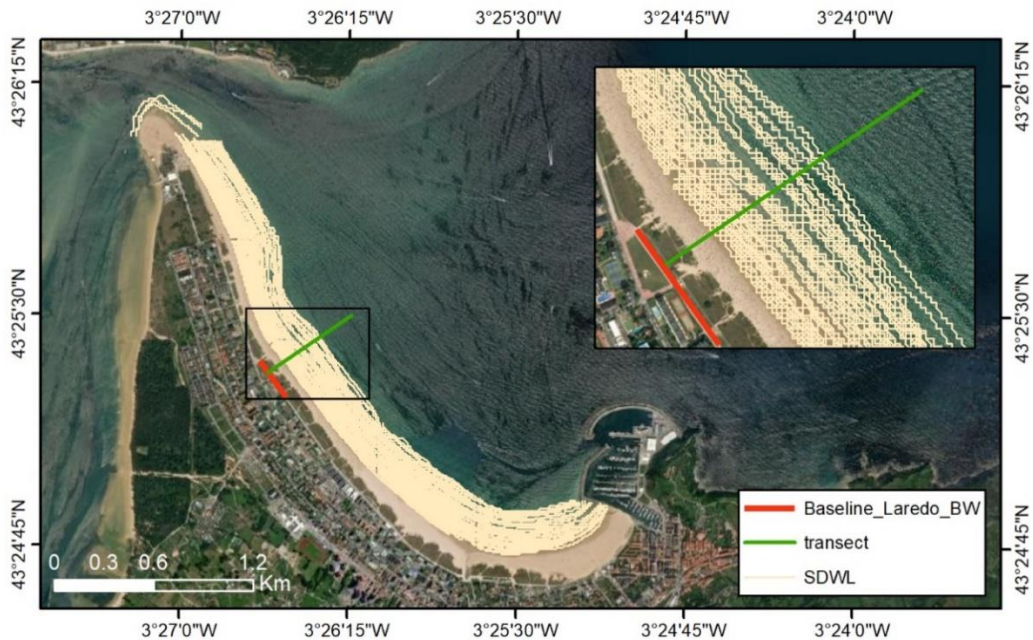
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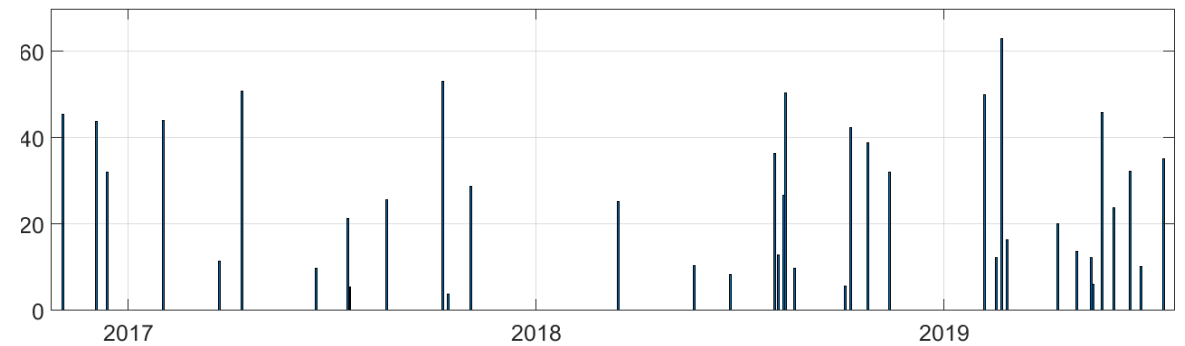
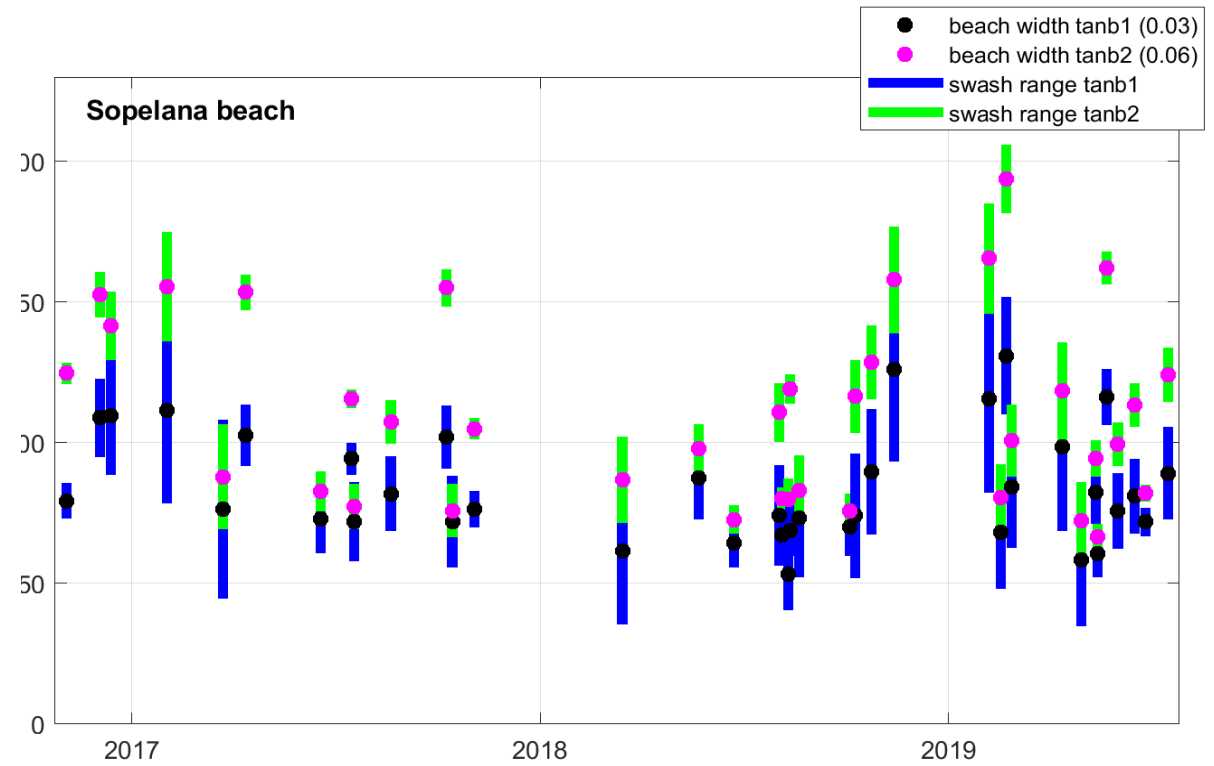
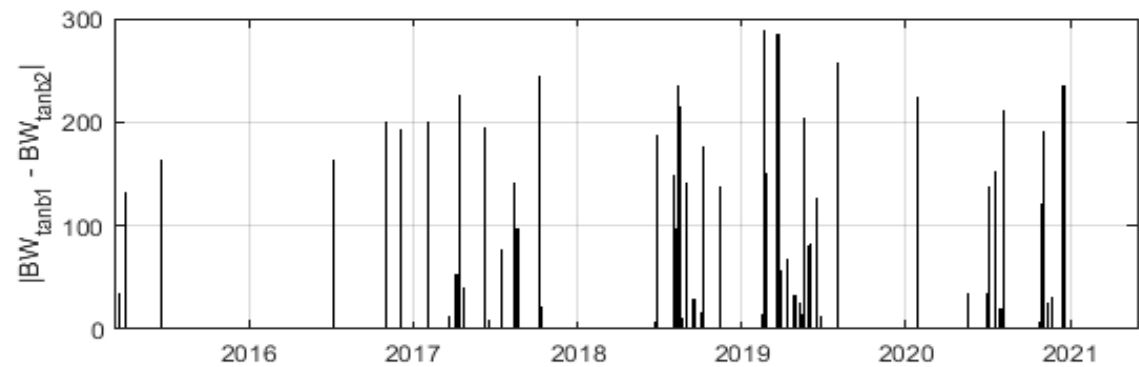
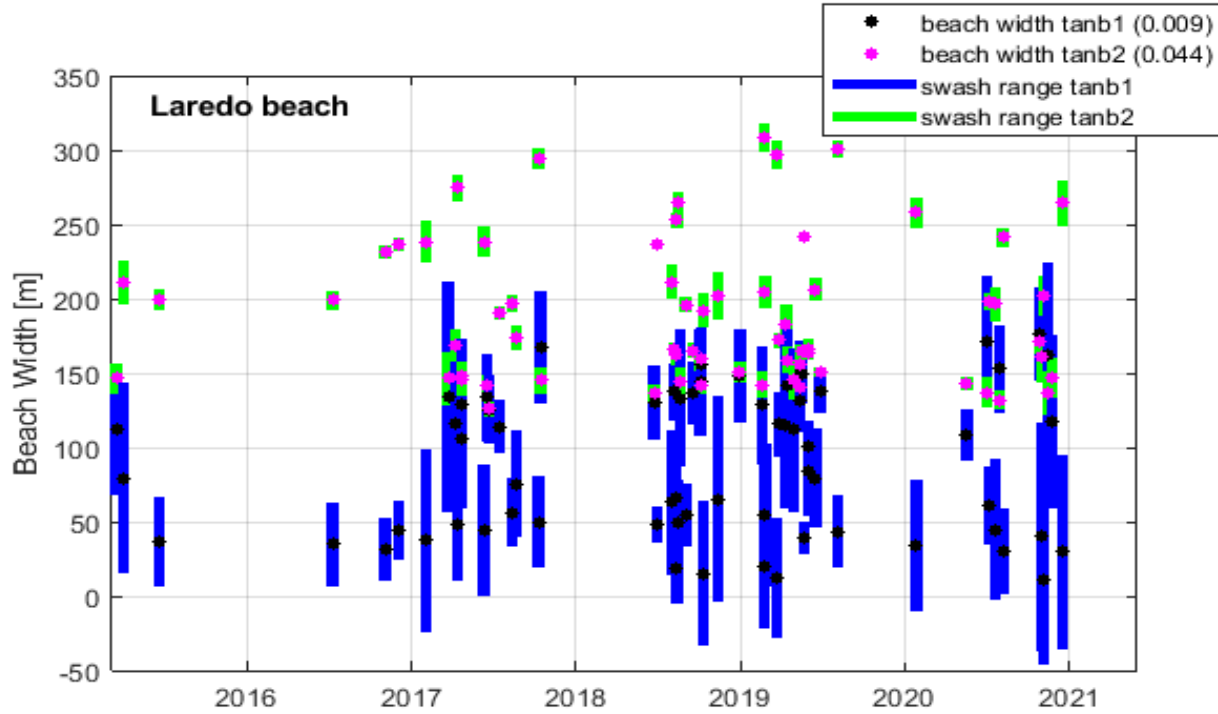
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Waterline at 3:00

Beach slope influence

- ✓ Changes with time
- ✓ Not uniform

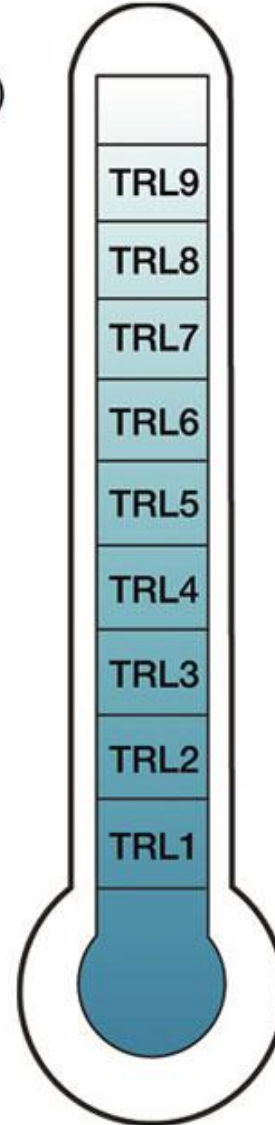




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- TRL9 **Operations**
- TRL8 **Active Commissioning**
- TRL7 **Inactive Commissioning**
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- TRL4 **Bench Scale Research**
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LC lines

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