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Food security & satellite based information services

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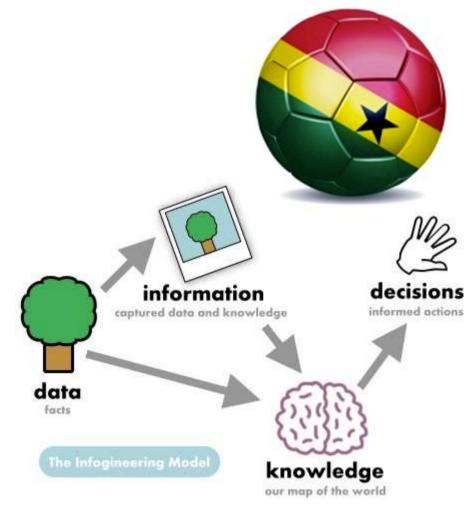
Effects of climate change on food & water security, e.g.

- Extensive rainfall
- Drought

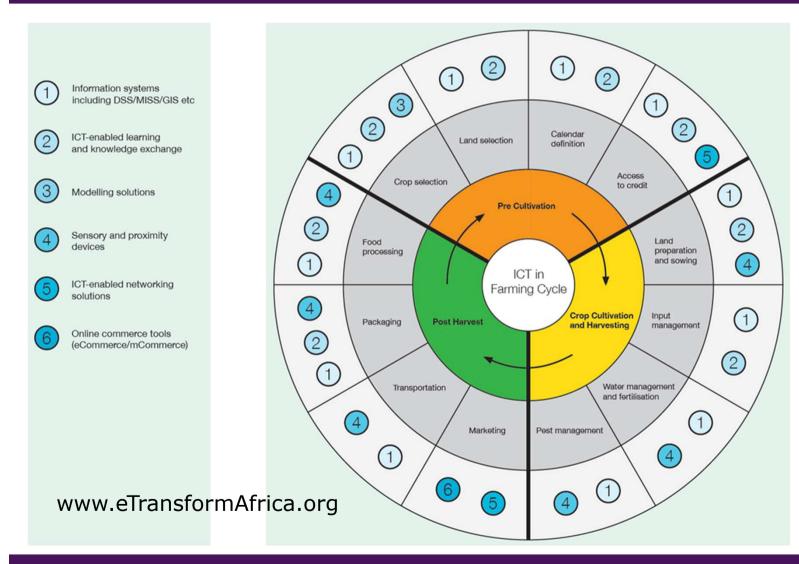








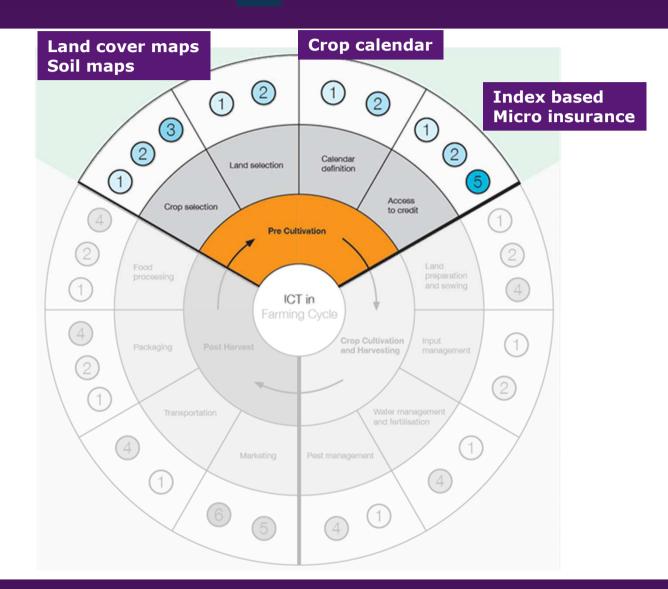






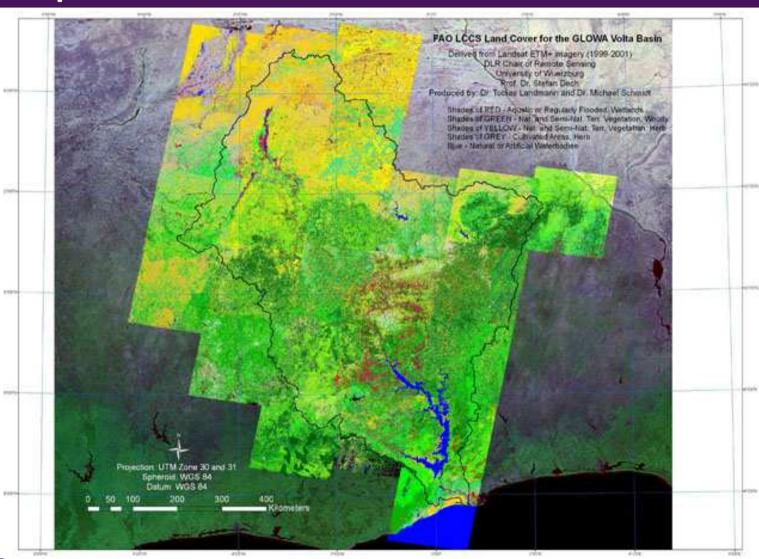


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- Modelling solutions
- Sensory and proximity devices
- 6 ICT-enabled networking solutions
- 6 Online commerce tools (eCommerce/mCommerce)



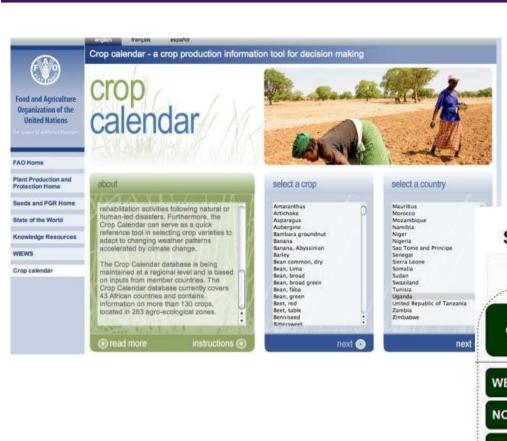


Land Cover Map





Crop calendar





INTEGRATION OF CROPPING PATTERNS, SEASONAL RAINFALL AND SATELLITE IMAGE **ANALYSIS**

POTENTIAL **CROPPING CALENDAR** (IAARD)

SEASONAL RAINFALL PREDICTION (BMKG)

DROUGHT IMAGE ANALYSIS (ICALRD)

WET: PS1, PS2, PS3

NORMAL: PS1, PS2, PS3

DRY: PS1, PS2, PS3

Data Used: Rainfall Data

FORECAST OF MONTHLY RAINFALL (mm/month)

PROSPECT OF **BEGINNING OF** SEASON

PROSPECT OF SEASON TYPE (WET, NORMAL, DRY)

NDVI

VCI

KBDI

Data Used:

· MODIS,

MTSAT

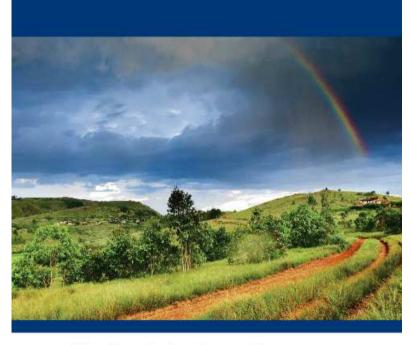
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 ALOS AVNIR-2 & PALSAR (acq before May 2011)



Micro insurance

- Many pilot projects
- Examples:
 - Kilimo Salama
 - Planet Guarantee (EARS FESA project)
 - Micro Insure
 - and others
- Technically feasible
- Increased mobile use → reach farmers



Weather Index-based Insurance in Agricultural Development

A Technical Guide





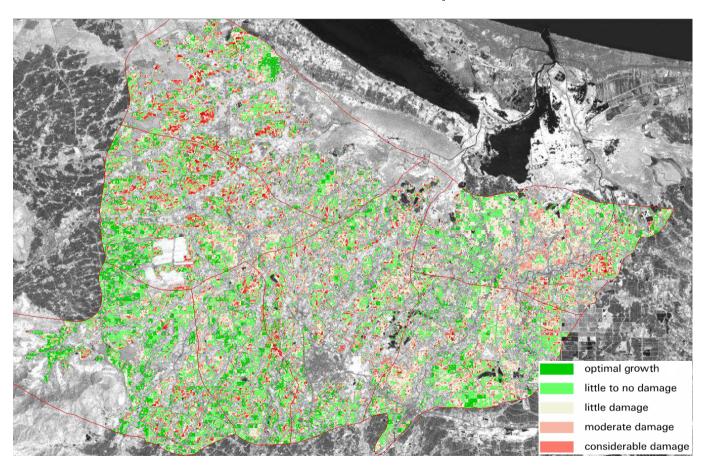


http://www.ifad.org/ruralfinance/pub/WII_tech_guide.pdf



Micro insurance

Weather insurance in rice crops



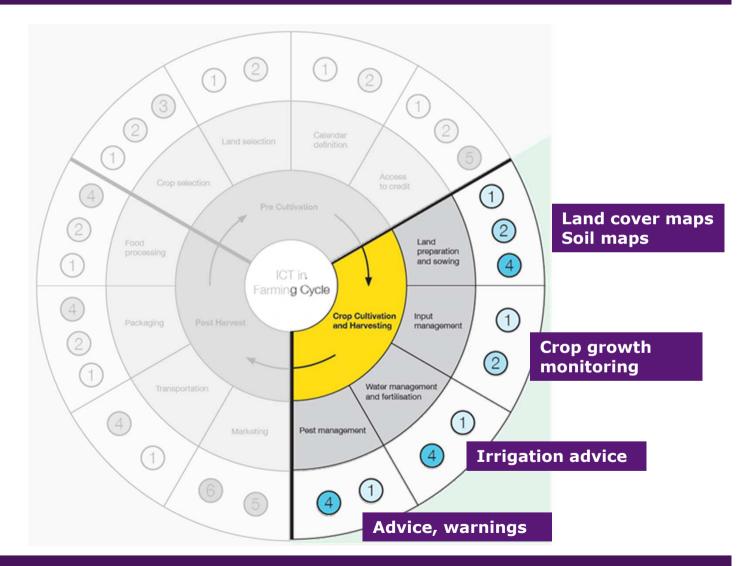






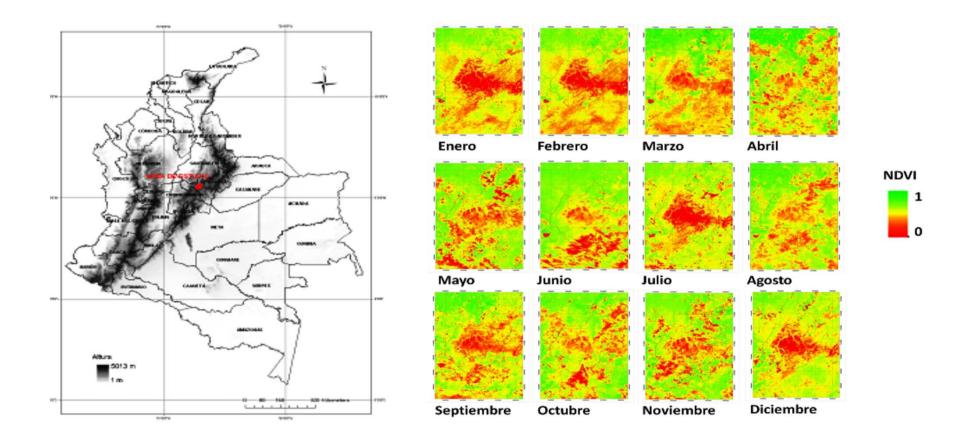
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(eCommerce/mCommerce)





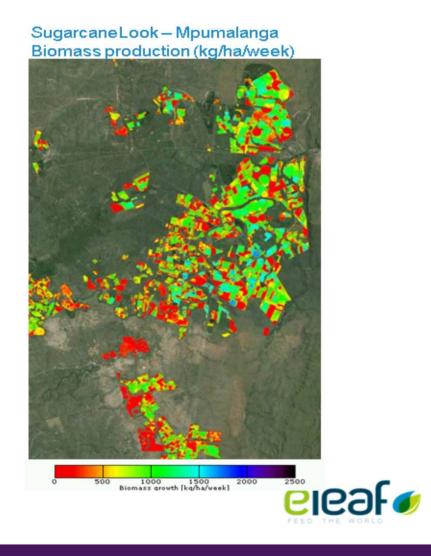
Villa de Leiva (2008)





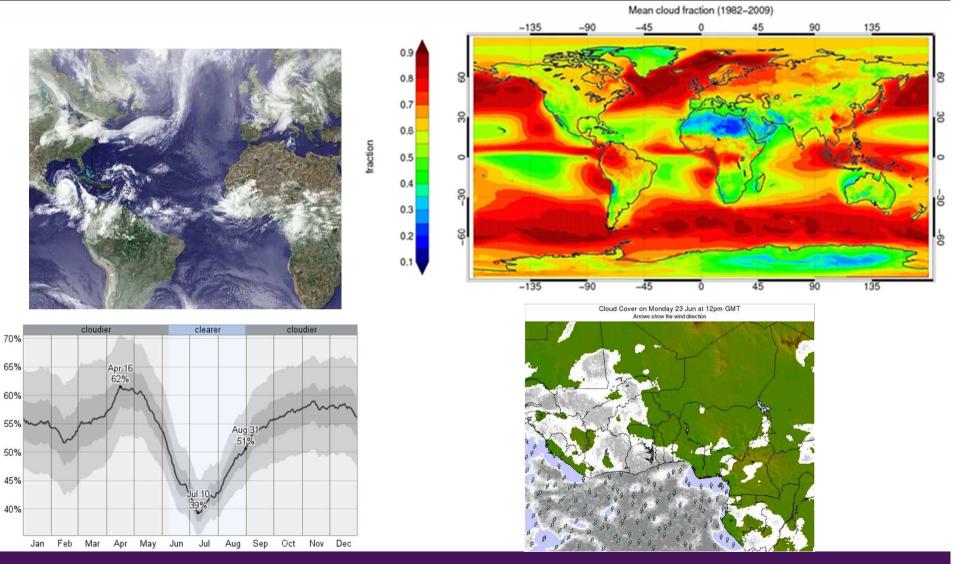
South Africa

GrainLook - Douglas Actual Evapotranspiration (mm/week)



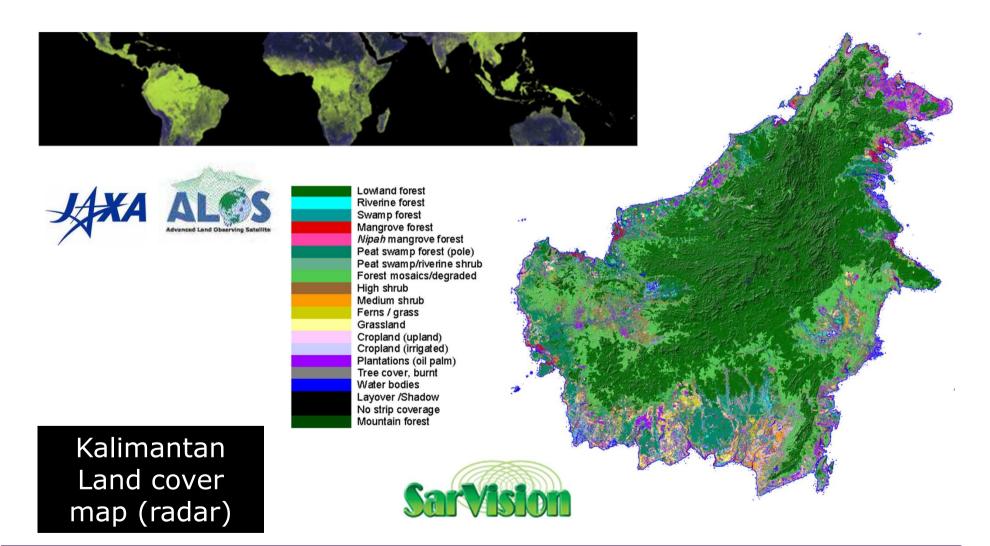


Cloud cover





Radar looks under clouds







Cloud free radar image







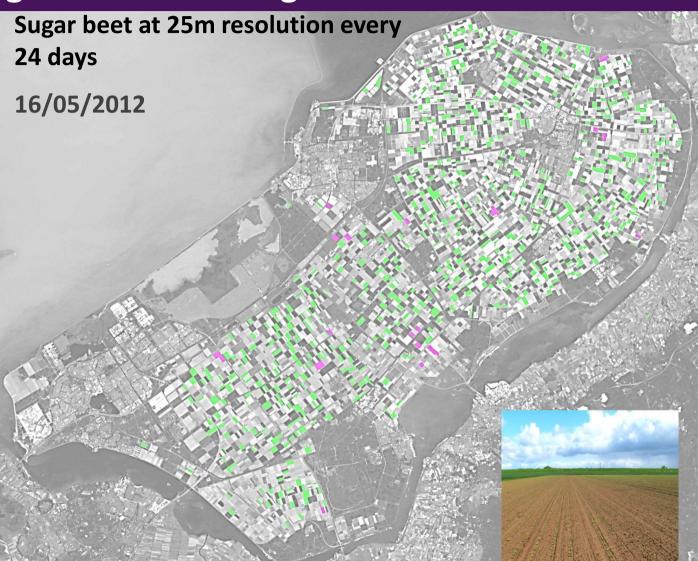
Radar analysis

Bare soil



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Radar analysis

Bare soil **Emergence**



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Radar analysis

Bare soil
Emergence
Increment







Radar analysis

Bare soil
Emergence
Increment
Closure







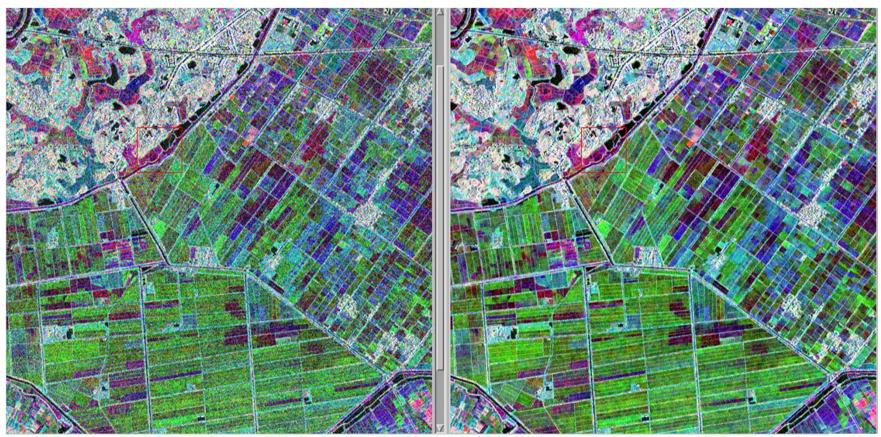
Radar analysis

Bare soil
Emergence
Increment
Closure
Harvest





Rice at 5m resolution every 5-11 days



Sharp results: Multi-temporal filtering

5m detail suitable for monitoring of small farms







Irrigation advice



The crop has no water stress when the soil moisture is above the critical level and below the

moisture drops below the critical line, irrigation is

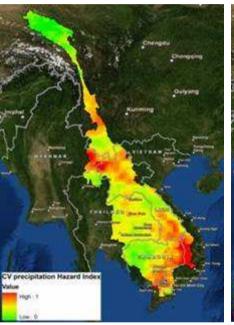


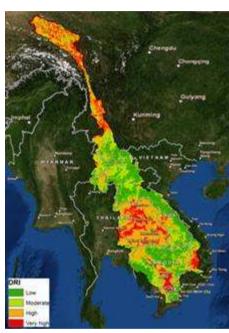
Advice and warning

Hazard & Risk Analysis



Average population density
Value
High 280





Vulnerability Index
Distance
to river

Vulnerability Index Population density

Vulnerability Index Precipitation

Drought Risk Map





Advice and warning

Early warning

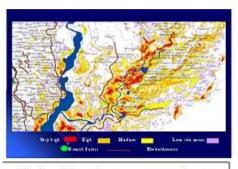
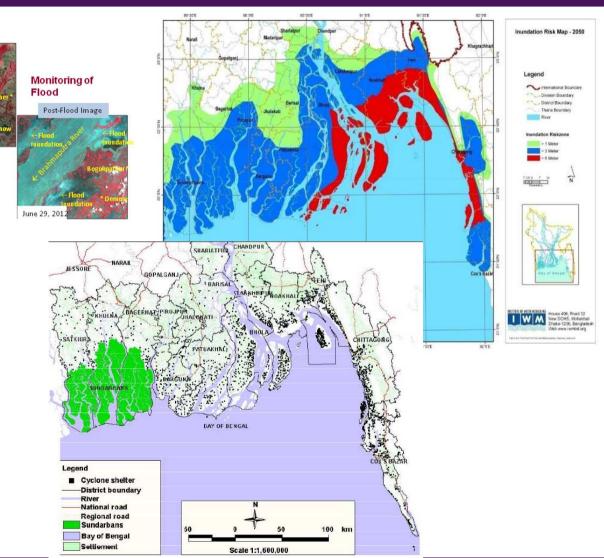


Fig: Flood hazard maps corresponding to various flood discharge and levels

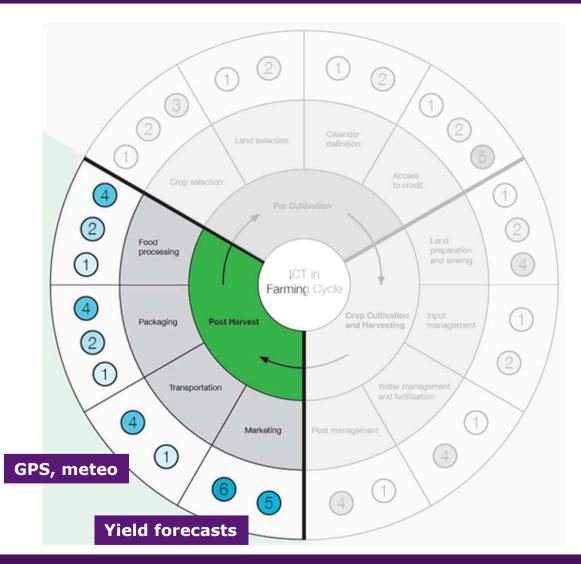








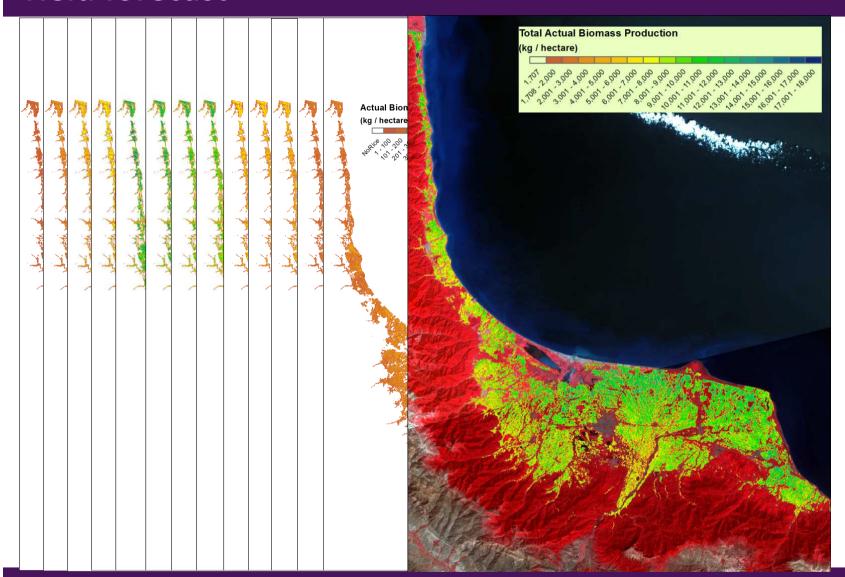
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Yield forecast

Actual Biomass Production

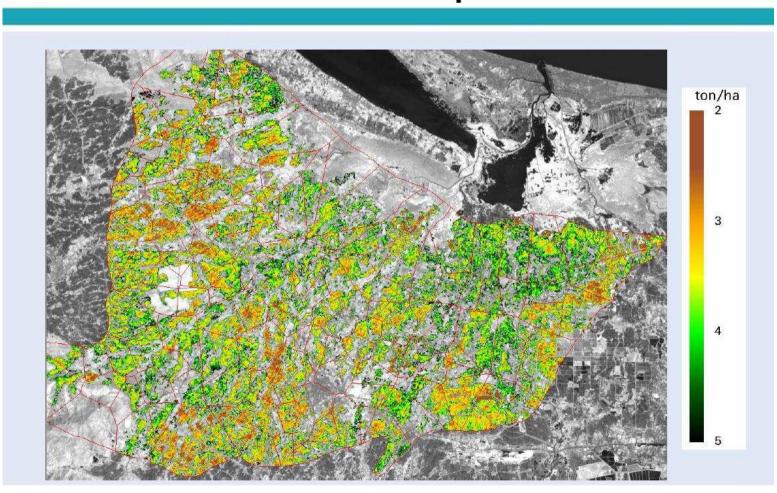






Yield forecast

Rice Yield maps



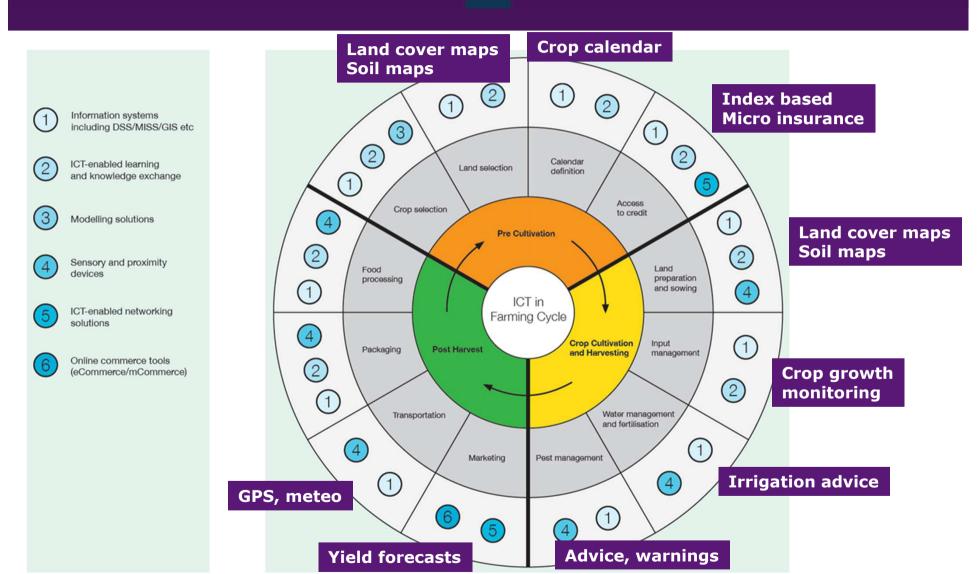


Yield forecast

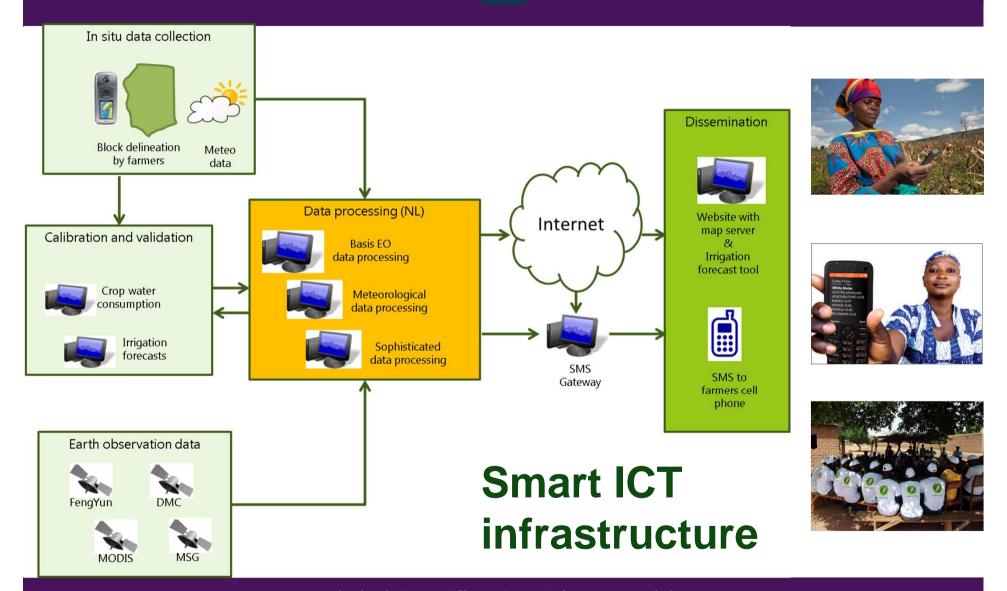
Rice yield monitoring example using remote sensing







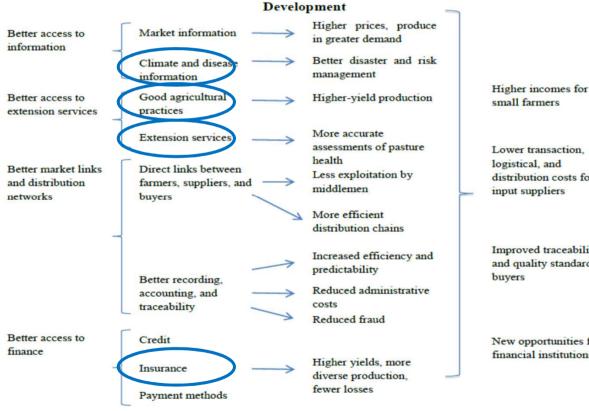






Mobile/ICT applications

Figure 1. Results Generated by Mobile Applications for Agricultural and Rural



Mobile Applications for Agriculture and Rural Development

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ICT Sector Unit World Bank

December 2011



Improved traceability and quality standards for buyers

distribution costs for

input suppliers

New opportunities for financial institutions









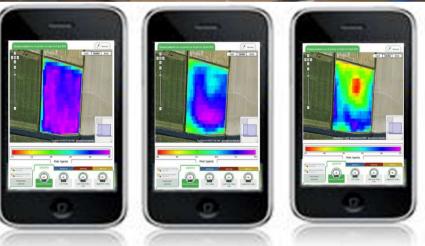
Insurance/finance



Possible service provision

- Crop calendars
- Weather information
- Mapping
- Monitoring (e.g. vegetation growth
- Irrigation / nutrient supply advices
- Stand alone
- Integrated in value chain services
- Complementary to micro-insurance

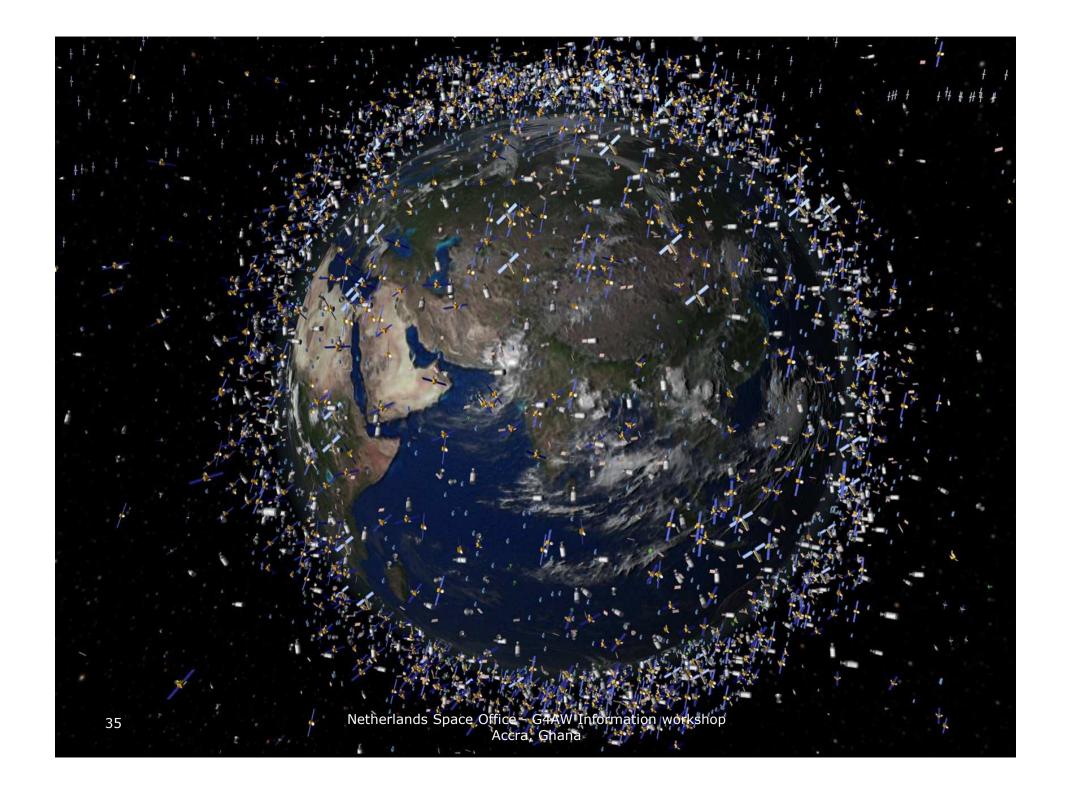


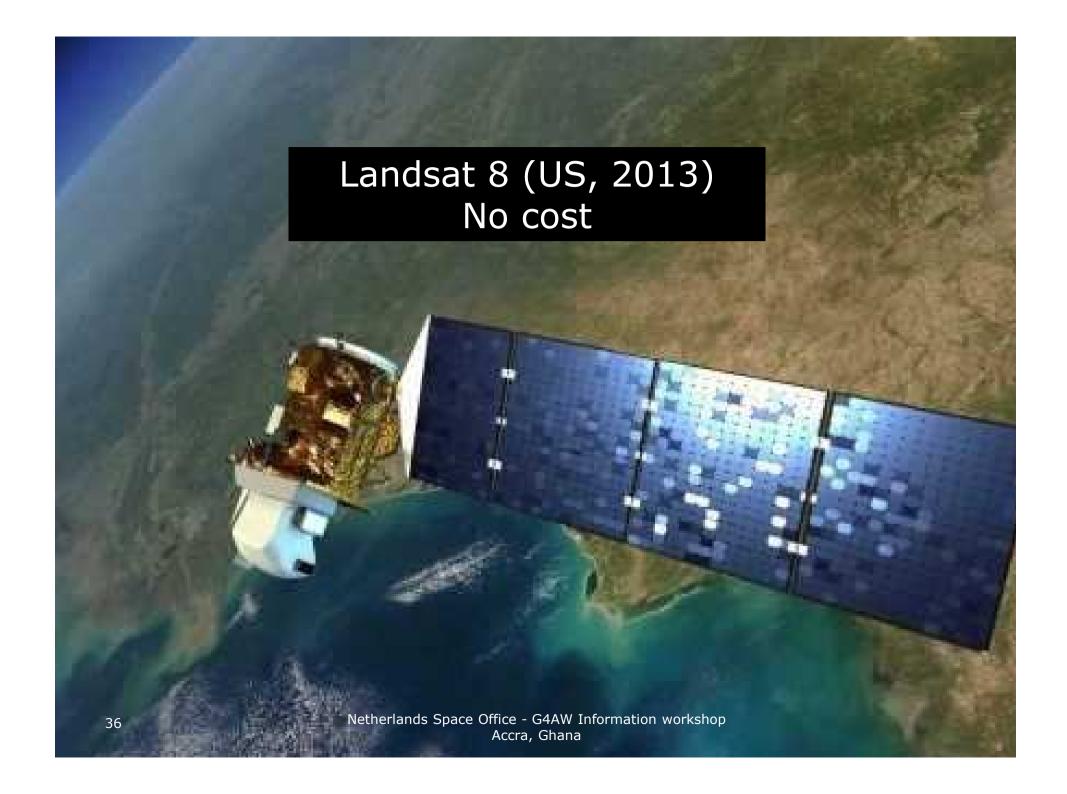




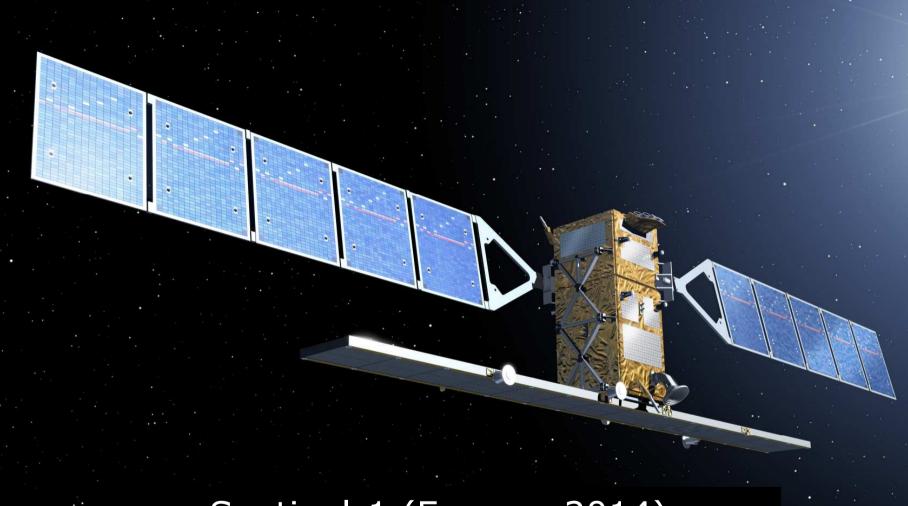
Why based on satellite data?

- Objective, consistent, cross border
- No or few (local) monitoring infrastructure
- 25+ years time series (geostationary satellite, Landsat)
- Many new satellites (to be) launched, no or low cost

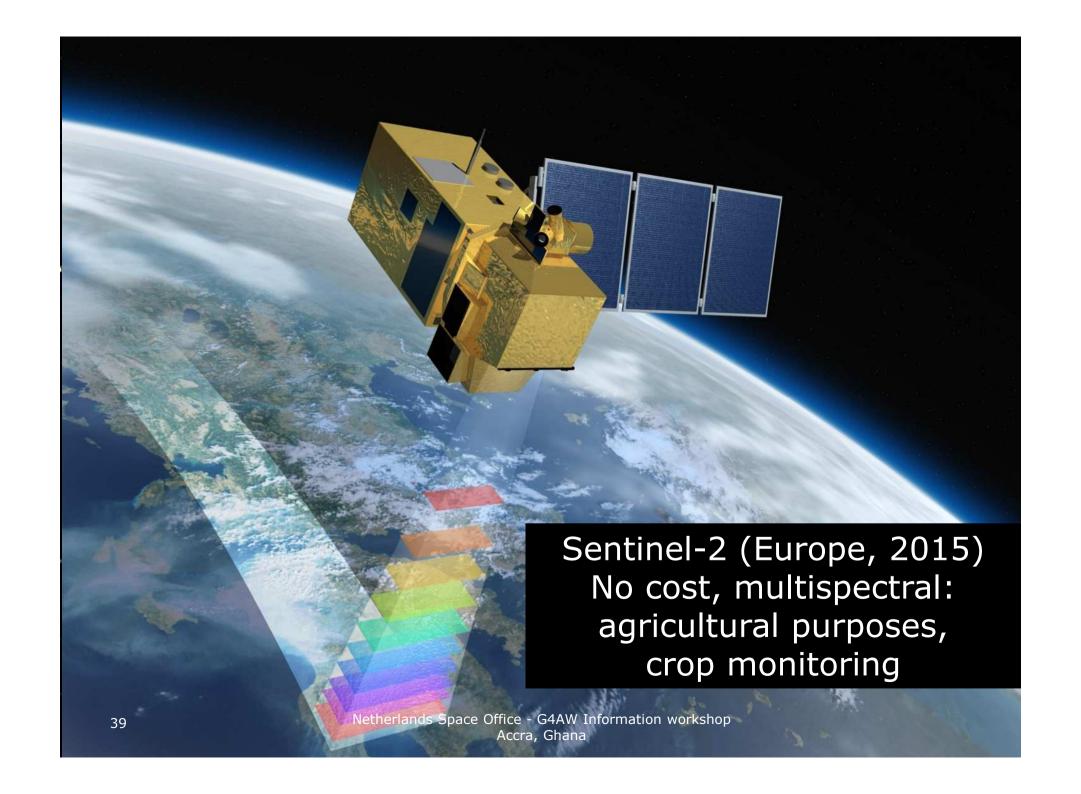




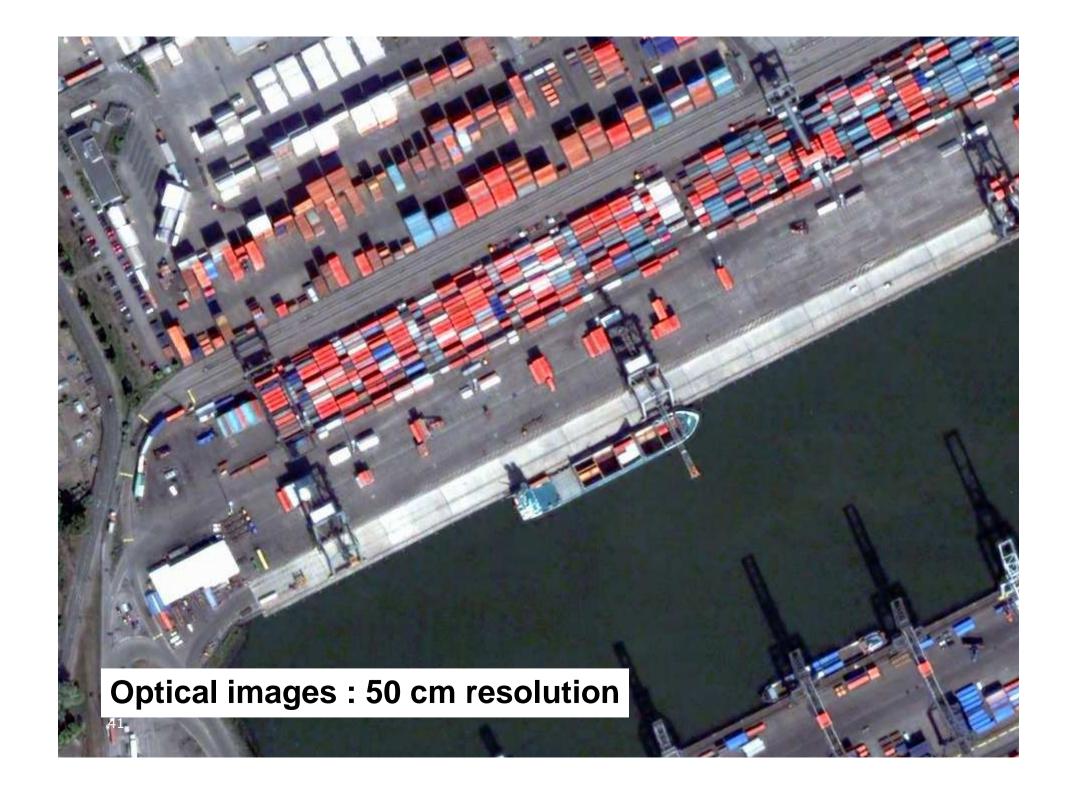




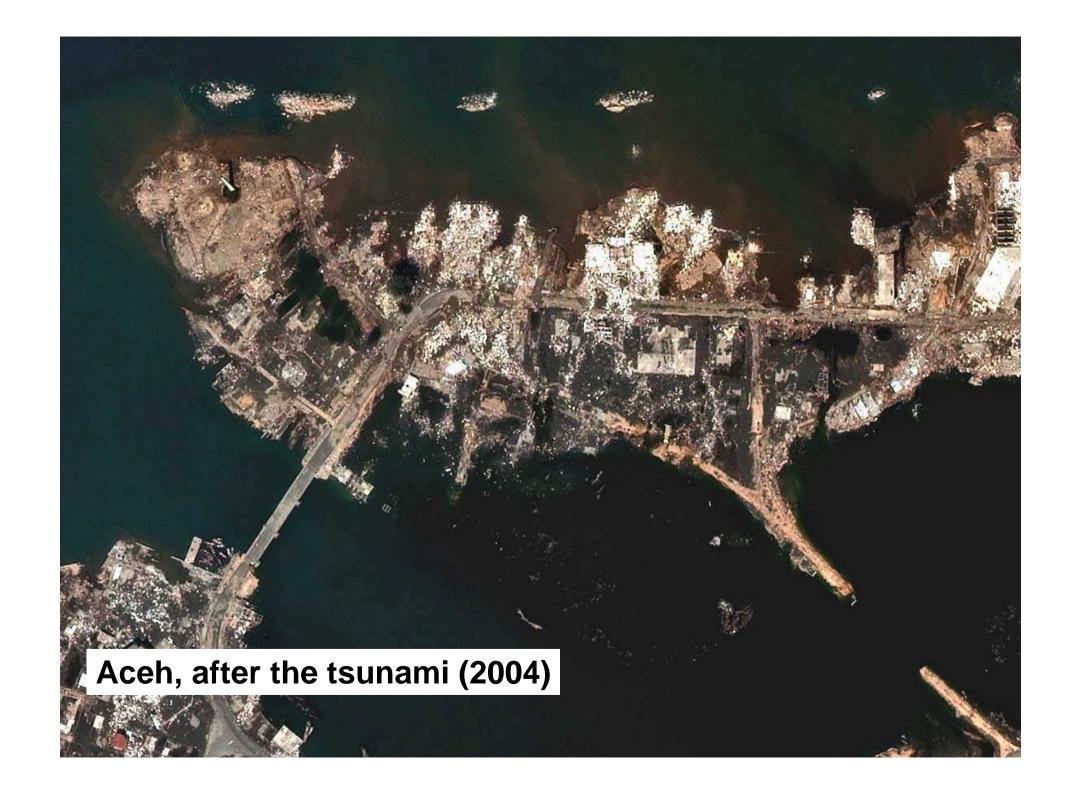
Sentinel-1 (Europe, 2014)
No cost
Looking through clouds, day & night

















Thank you