



Earth observation at the national level in Ukraine



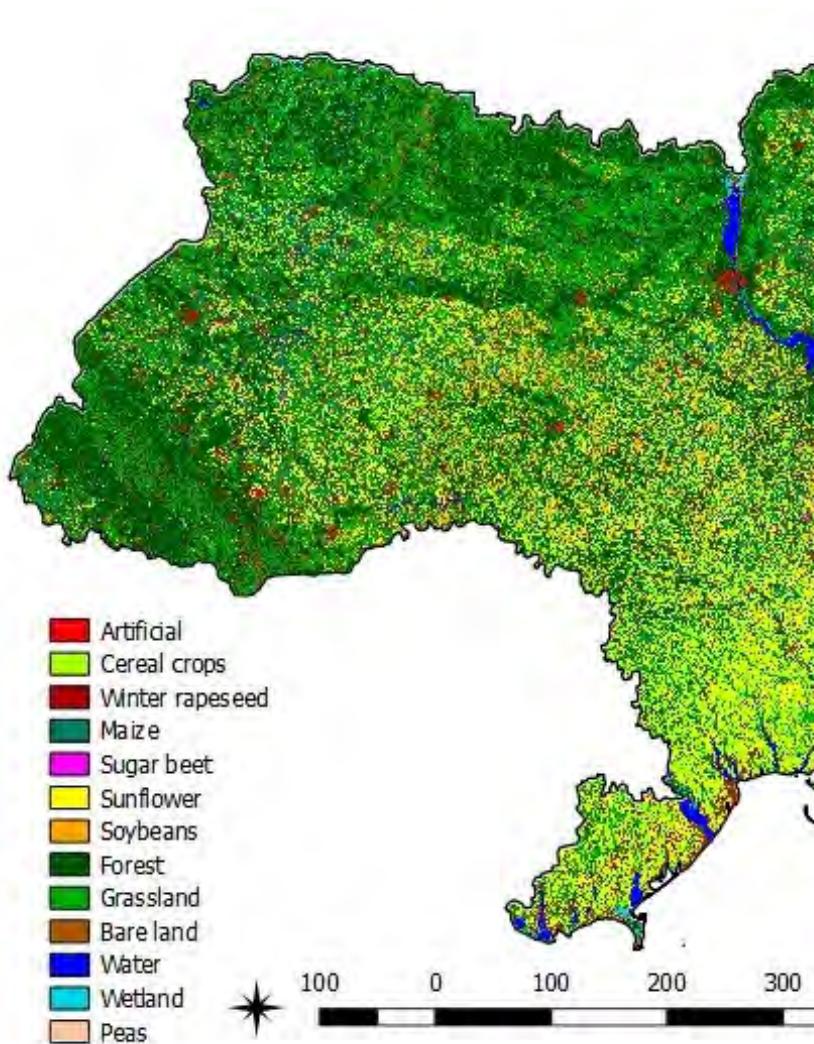
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Earth observations in Ukraine (outline)



- **ESA Sen2Agri project - National level demonstration (2015-2018)**
 - Sentinel 2 and Sentinel 1 data for crop monitoring
 - Cloud based implementation
- **Horizon-2020 ERA-PLANET and national program of National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine (2016-2020)**
 - Essential variables=>Indicators=> SDG
 - Copernicus data and services for Essential variables
- **UNCCD related activities (since Evidenz workshop in Kiev)**
 - Copernicus data use for land degradation neutrality

Sen2Agri: LU/LC and crop map for Ukraine, 2017



Класи	Classification accuracy F1, %
Artificial	63.9
Cereal	94.5
Winter rapeseed	96.6
Maize	81.8
Sugar beat	78.5
Sunflower	94.4
Soyabeans	57.6
Forest	96.9
Grassland	59.2
Bare land	49.3
Water	98.2
Wetland	70.7
Peas	93.7
Overall accuracy	88.9

H2020 ERA-PLANET (2016-2020)



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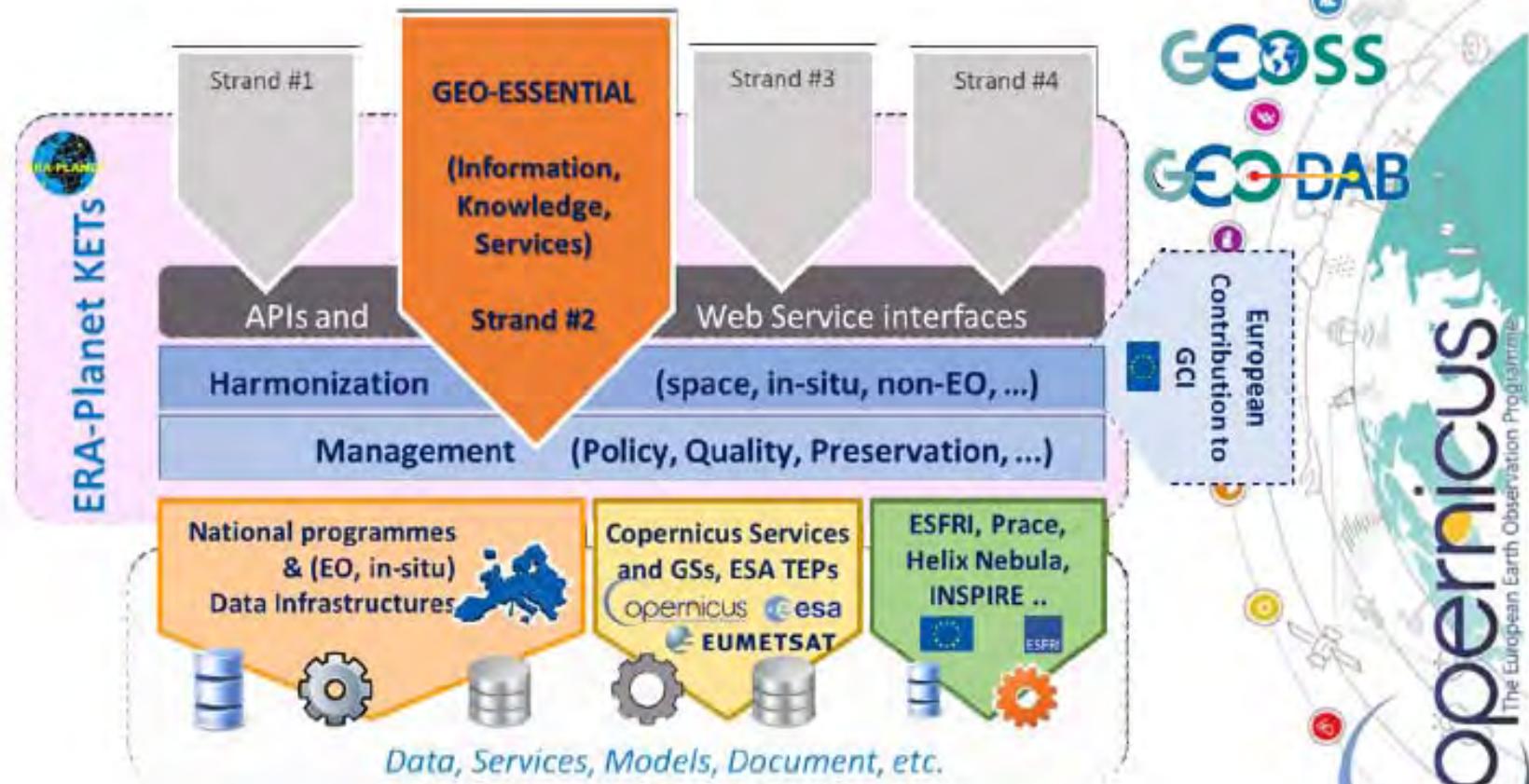
H2020 Topic

SC5-15-2015: Strengthening the European Research Area in the domain of Earth Observation

The **overarching goal** of ERA-PLANET is to strengthen the European Research Area in the domain of Earth Observation in coherence with the European participation to **Group on Earth Observation (GEO)** and the **Copernicus**.



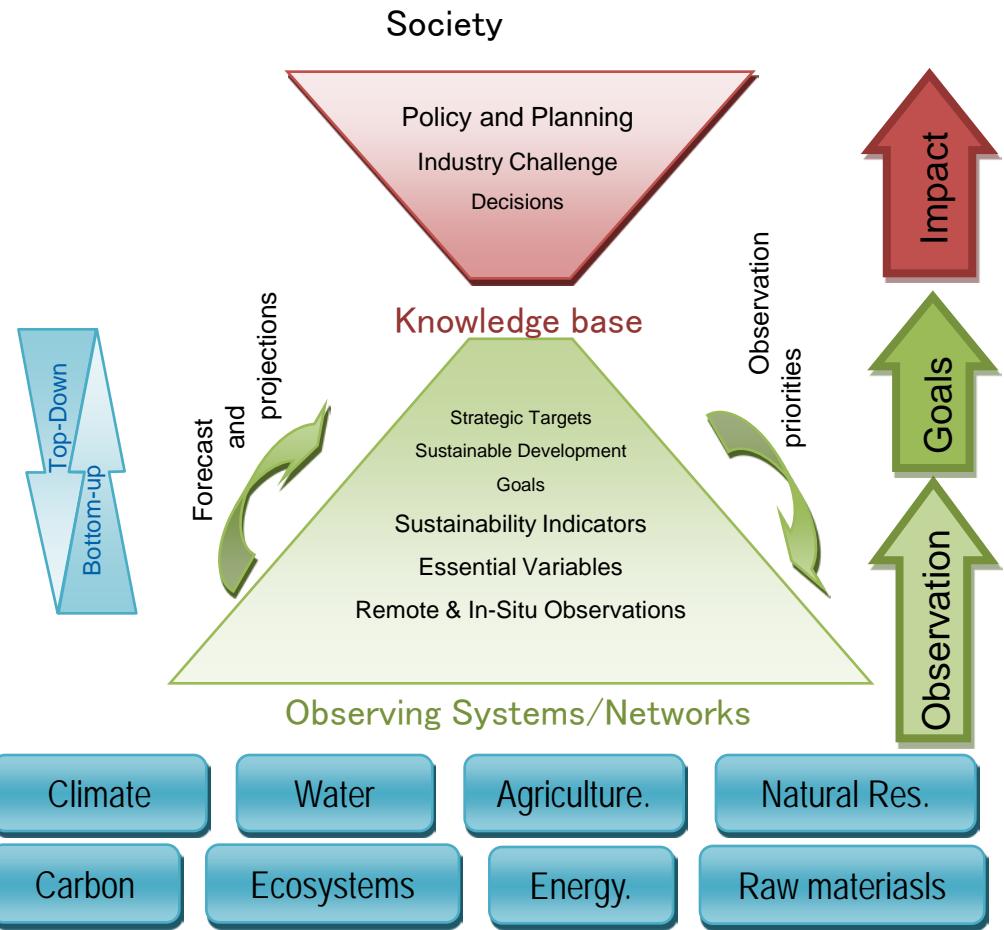
Interoperability



«GEO-ESSENTIAL»: Essential variables for Sustainable Development Goals

SGGs Indicators Essential variables Observations

- To connect knowledge (SDG) with indicators and essential variables;
- To identify essential variables (EV) for quantitative analysis of indicators;
- Essential variables are used to formulate the requirements for observations



UNCCD related activities: Indicators of Land Degradation Neutrality (LDN) (goal 15 task 15.3)



According to *Global Support Programme* and *Land Degradation Neutrality Target Setting Programme* the tasks on monitoring the following indicators are defined:

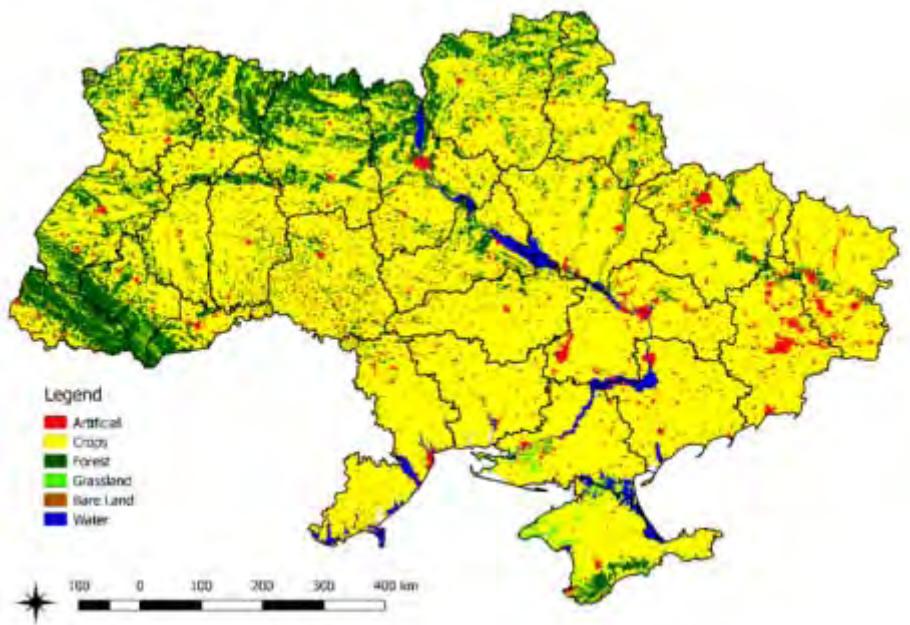
- **Land Cover (LC) change trends;**
- **Land Productivity trends (land productivity dynamics);**



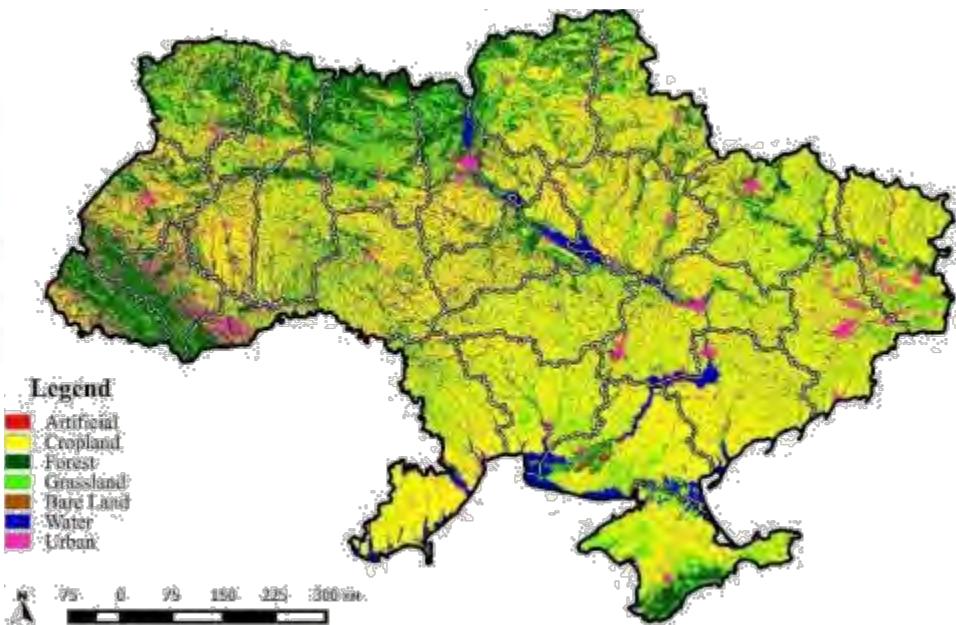
Land Cover maps 2010



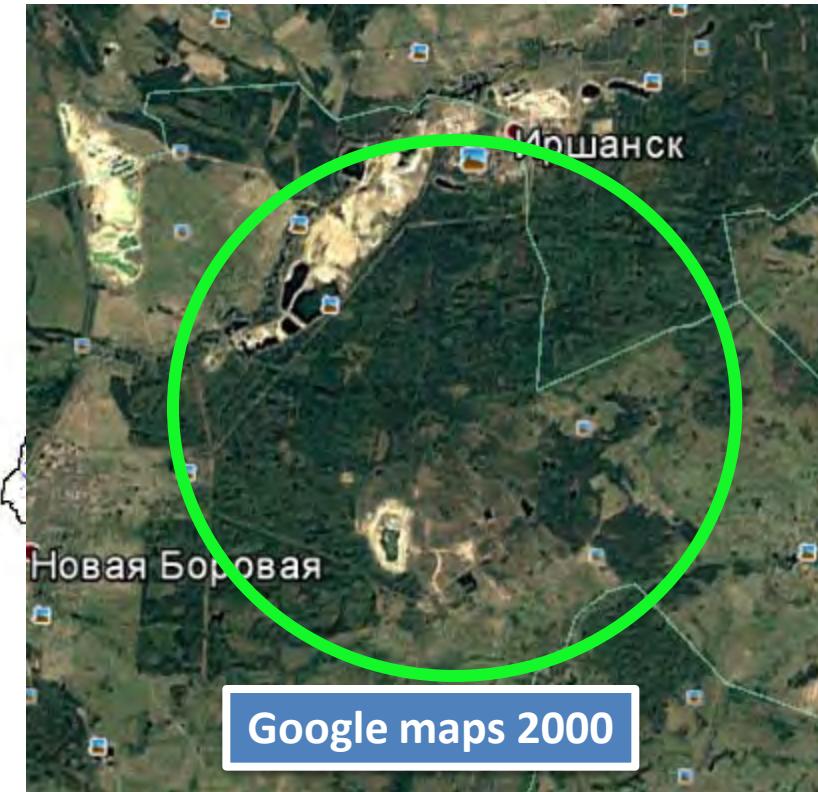
ESA CCI-LC, 300 m



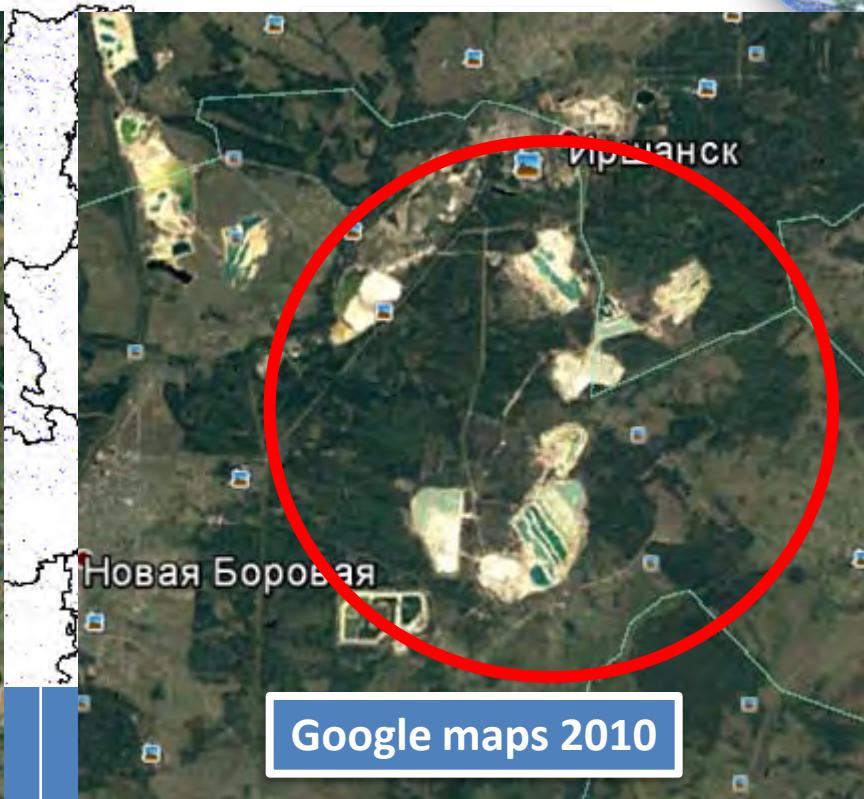
SRI, 30 m



Land Cover Change(2000-2010)



Google maps 2000



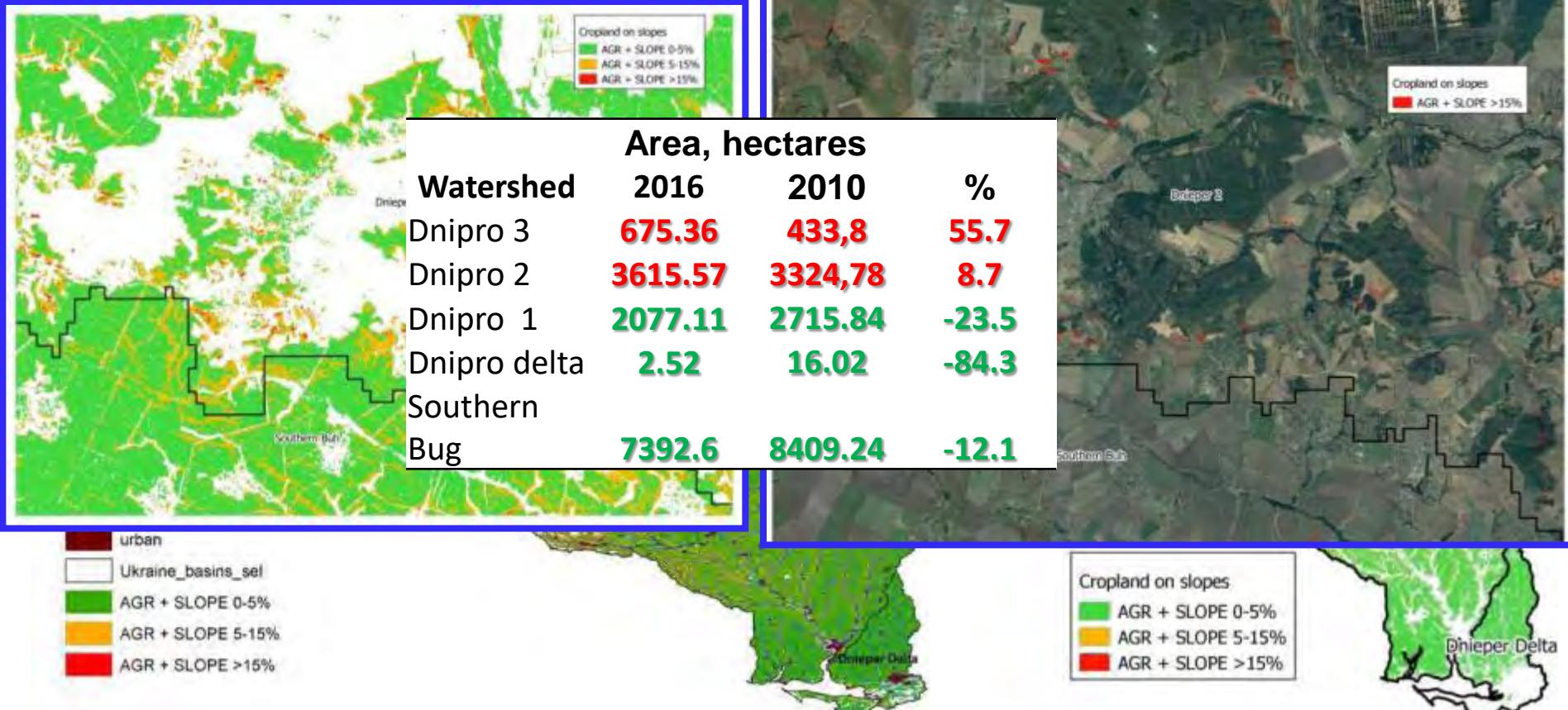
Google maps 2010



DEM and cropland



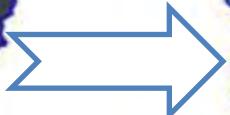
- SRTM DEM, 30 m
- Slopes



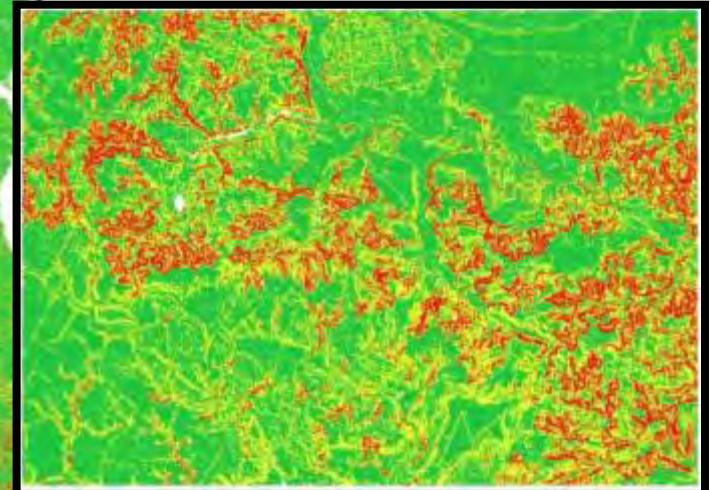
DEM usage for LUC trends assessment



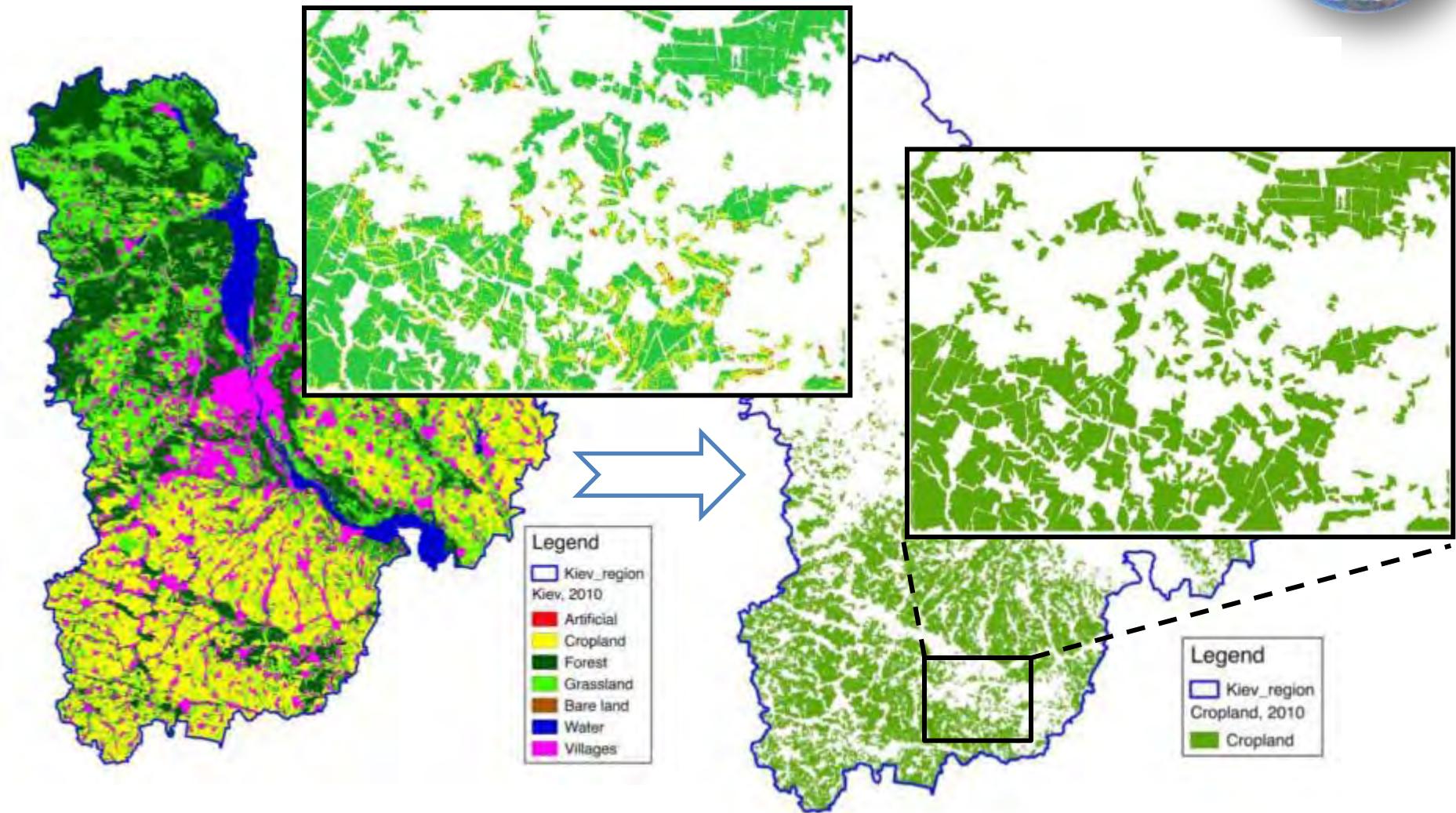
DEM, 30 m



Classified DEM, 30 m



Cropland distribution regarding DEM





Thank you!

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