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Flood maps information content for insurance and re-insurance industries



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A Flood Insurance Risk Management Integrated System

*Presentation adapted from the official project documentation owner
ANIA
(Telespazio and AGRICONSULTING)*

Object - to develop a nation-wide integrated system to assess and manage insurance and re-insurance aspects of the flood risk

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- ✓ Develops flood scenarios simulation at the national scale taking into account temporal and spatial correlation among flood-prone sites
- ✓ Combines hazard and vulnerability information through probabilistic algorithms to develop a complete portfolio flood risk assessment
- ✓ Provides a direct evaluation of insurance-specific parameters for any portfolio with confidence limits
- ✓ Web-GIS platform with high resolution geo-coding SW
- ✓ Advanced visualization features



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- Identifies hierarchy of rivers segments with regards to the potential risk
- Includes and manages relevant official territorial data, including high resolution satellite data
- Includes remotely sensed surveys from laser scanner techniques for quasi-2D and 2D flood simulations
- Completes the official information where needed and computes flood forcing products (e.g. flow depth) where not available
- Data are homogenized, validated and corrected for the entire nation



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Project step
Study Areas Identification
Reference Data base implementation
Existing Hazard maps Collection & Analysis
Ex-Novo Hazard maps production
Scenarios Simulation
Insurance/re-insurance risk parameters evaluation

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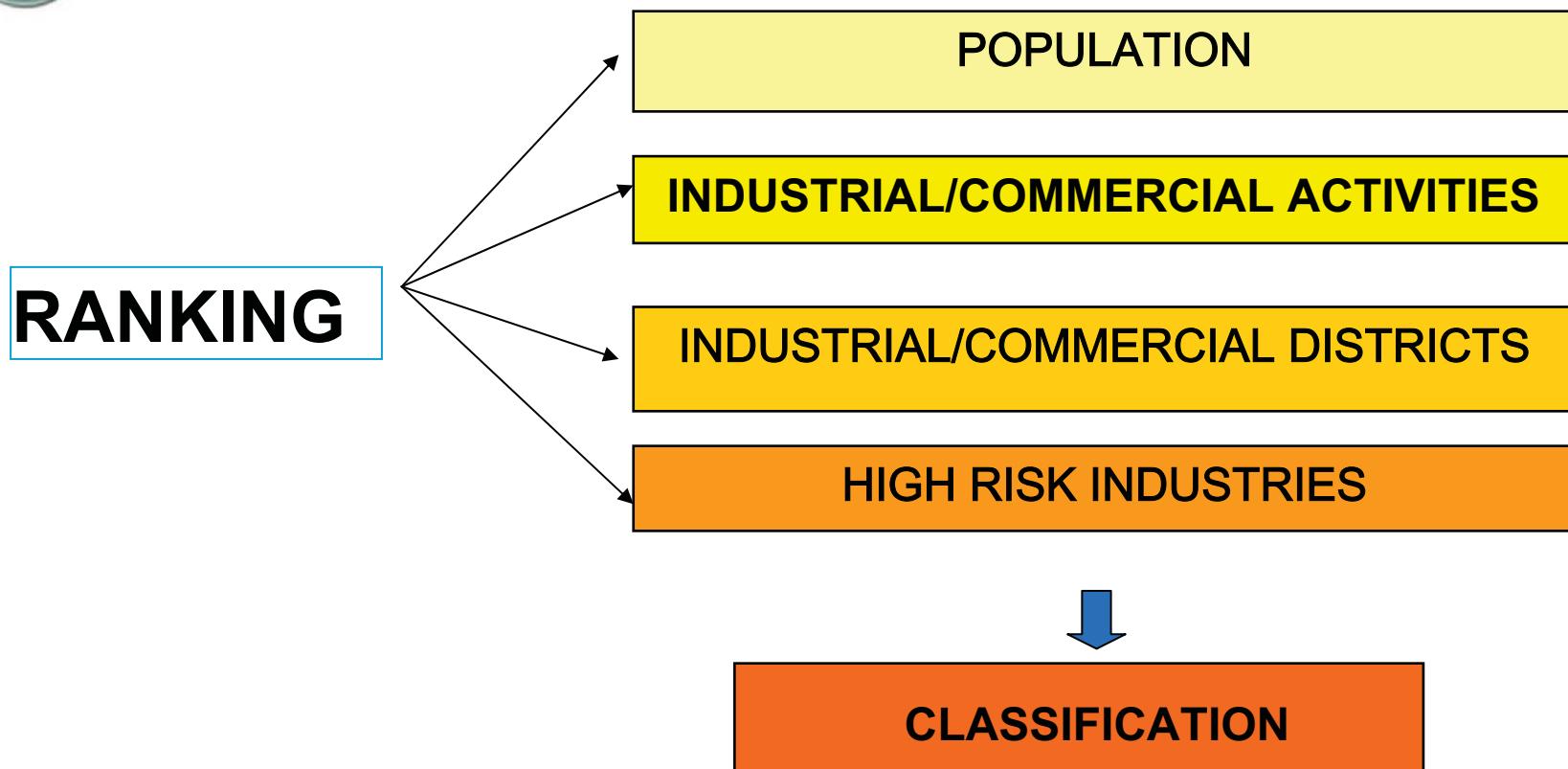
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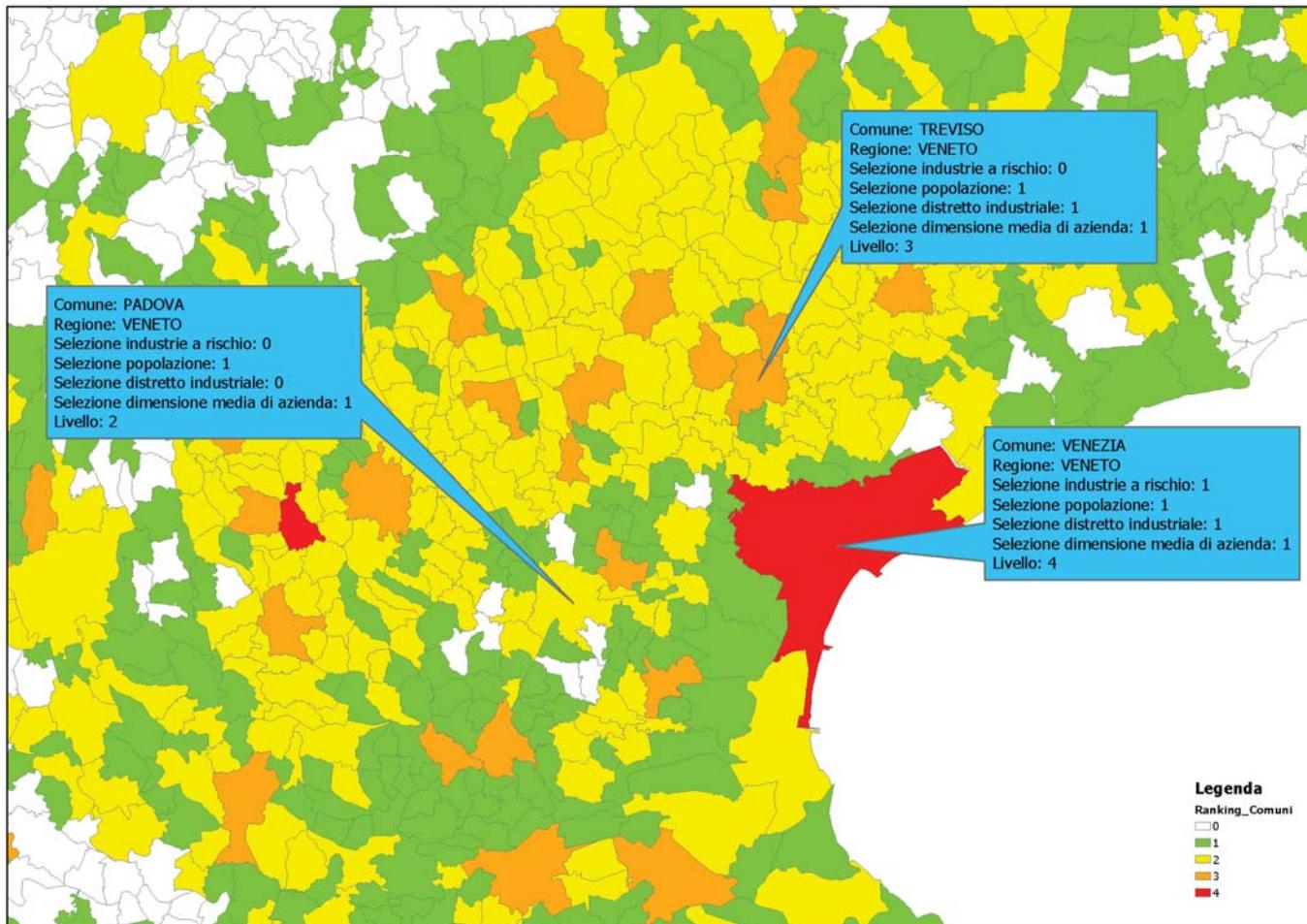
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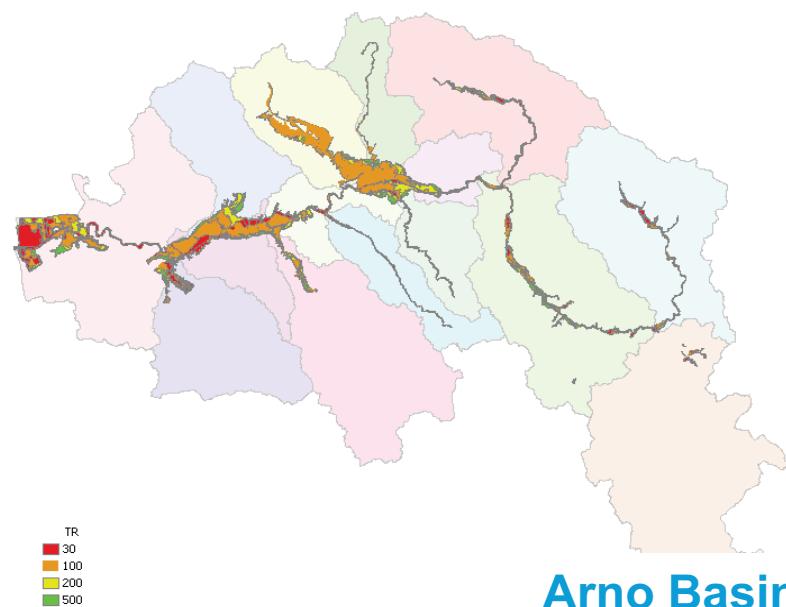


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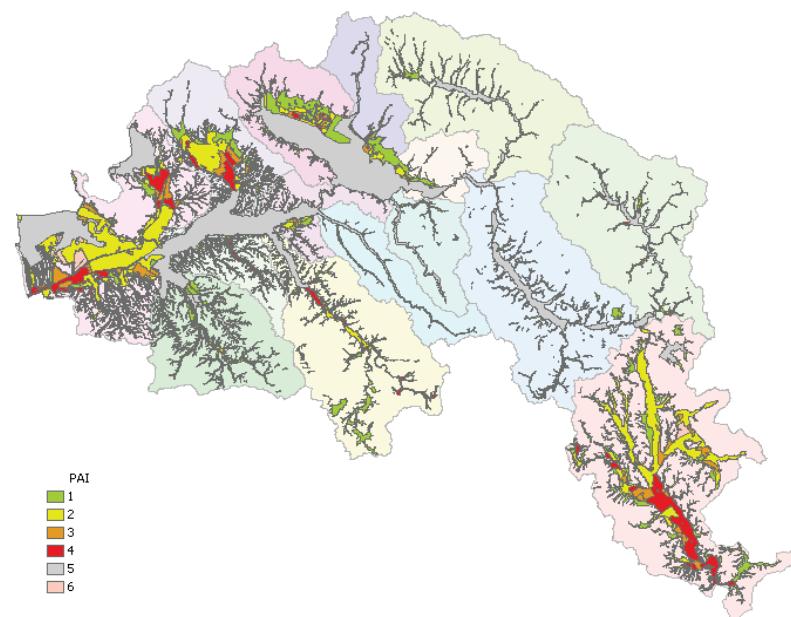


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Modeled flood prone areas



Historically flooded areas

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HYDROLOGIC MODELING

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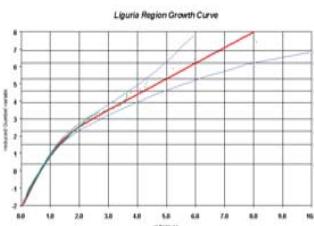
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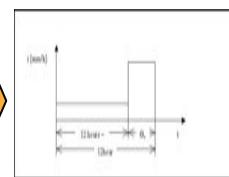
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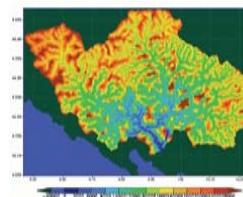
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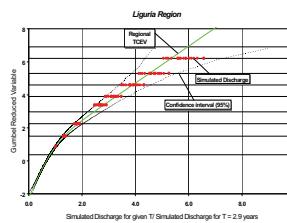
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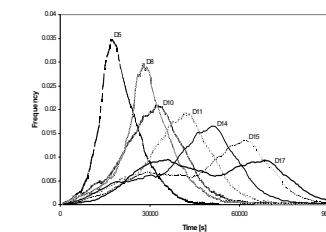
Semi-distributed R/R model



Discharge growth curve



Hydrograph with assigned return period



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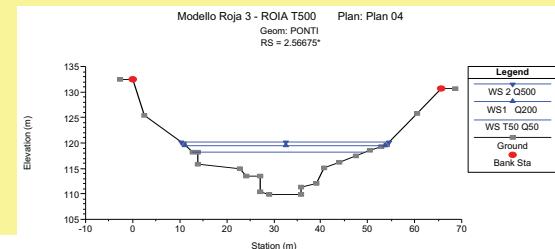
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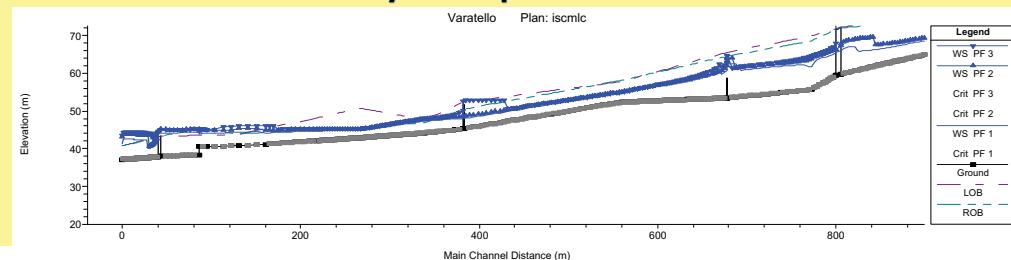
National Scale

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Cross-section description

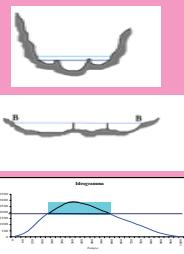


Hydraulic profile evolution

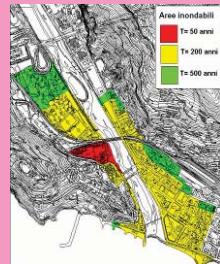


HAZARD MAPPING

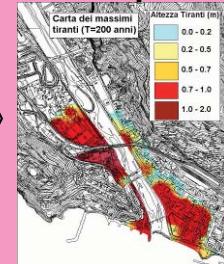
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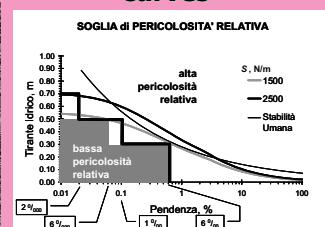
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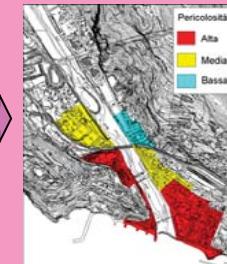
Hydraulic level maps



Vulnerability curves



Vulnerability maps determination



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URBAN SCALE

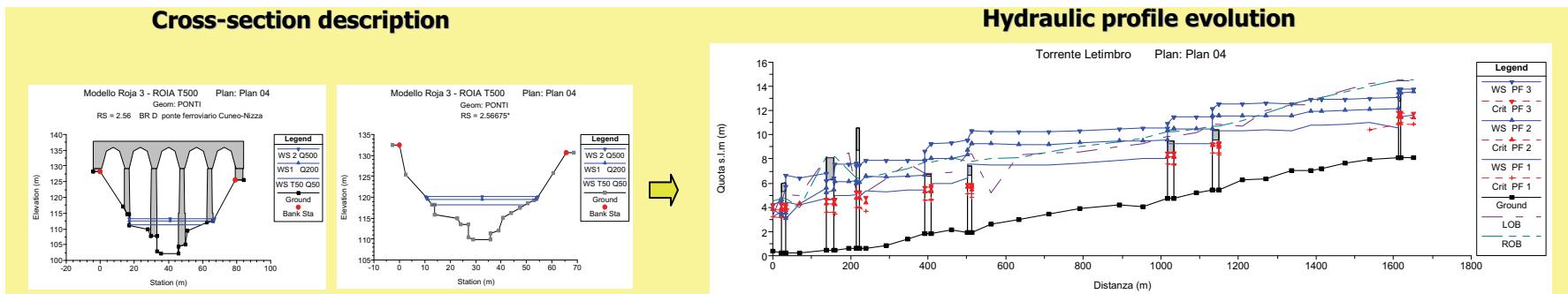
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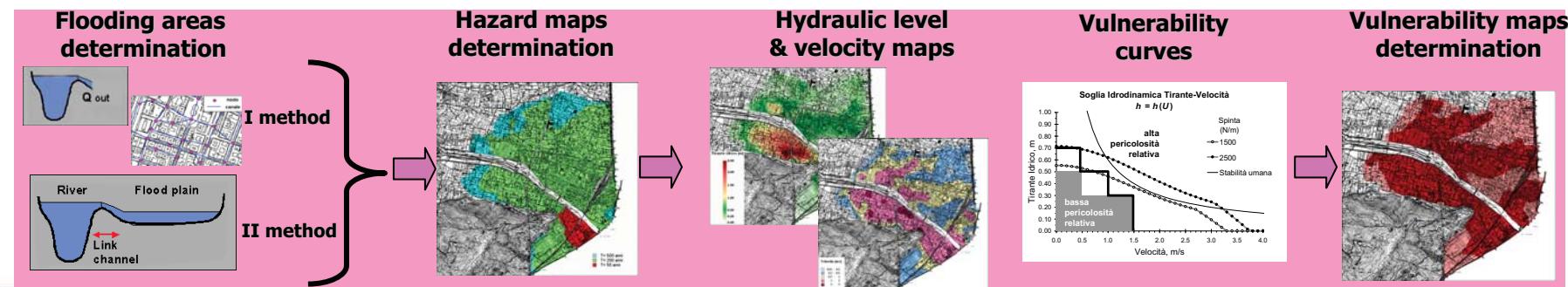
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HYDRAULIC MODELING

Urban Scale



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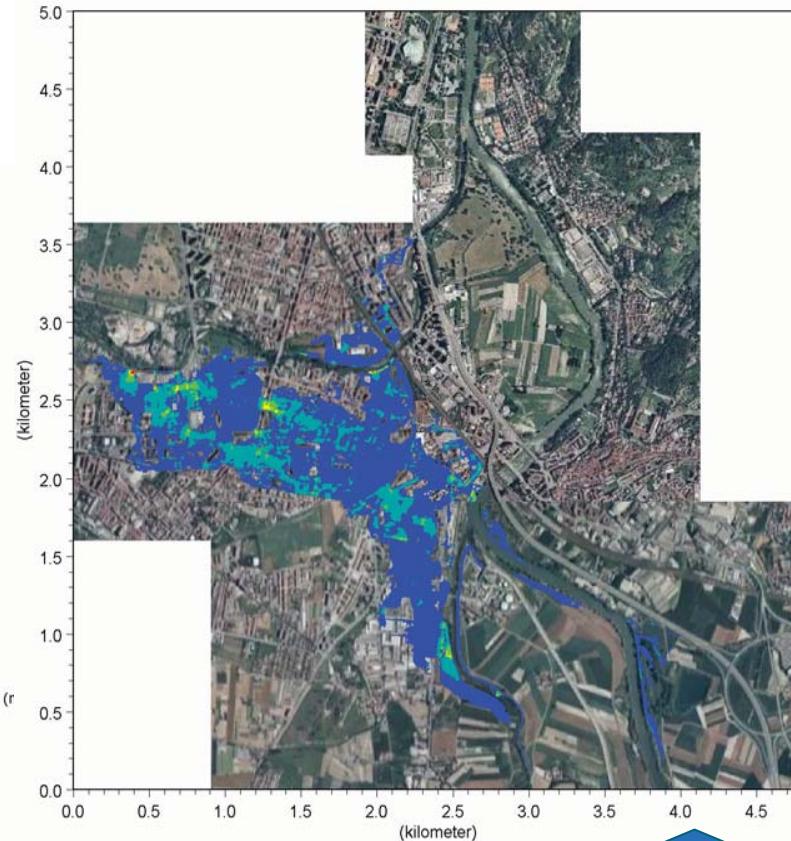
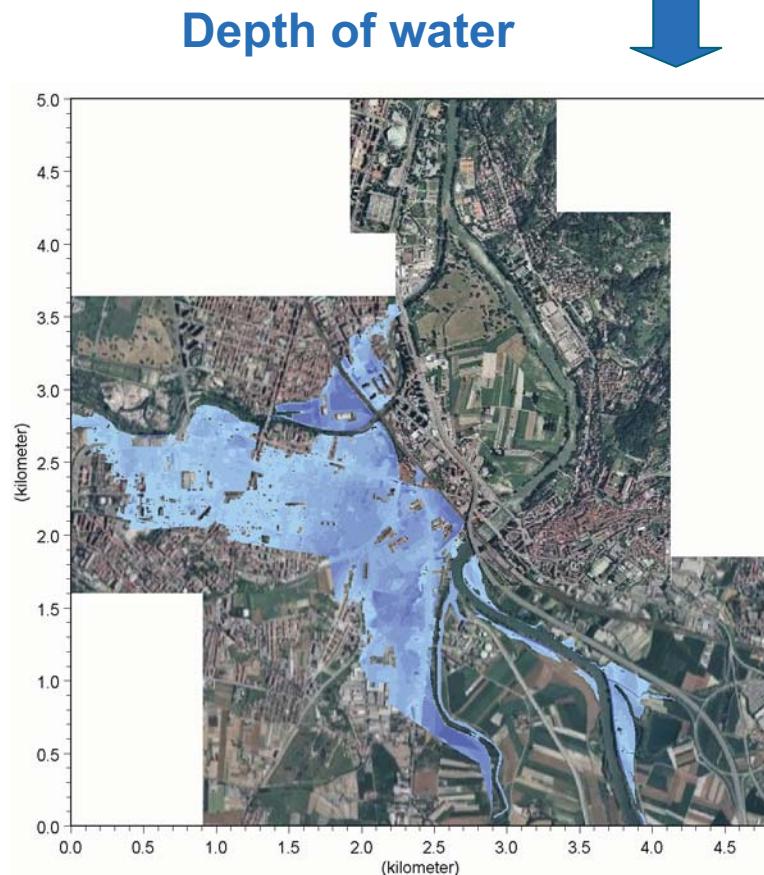


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Velocity of water

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Scenarios Simulation

- **Reference area.** The analysis and the generation of flood events is performed at this scale. The Italian territory is divided in 288 reference areas.
- **Event.** Single flood described at the reference area scale.
- **Scenario.** All events within a 168 hours (7 days) duration.
- **Historical scenario.** A real scenario, observed in the past. Historical scenarios were derived from the AVI catalog.
- **Synthetic scenario.** A scenario generated through a statistic model, calibrated on the basis of the large scale knowledge provided by the AVI catalog.
- **AEL, PML and MPL.** Annual Expected Loss, Probable Maximum Loss and Maximum Possible Loss. They are needed to price insurances and to limit the overall risk assumed by a single company.



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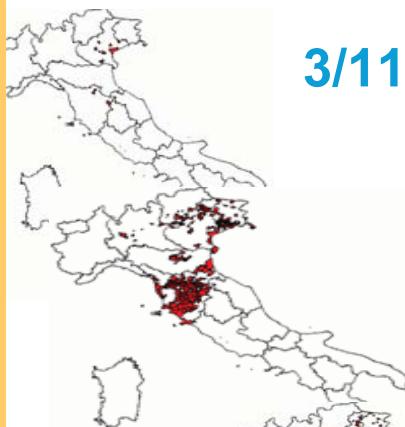


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**AVI, Reference Areas and
Historic Scenarios**

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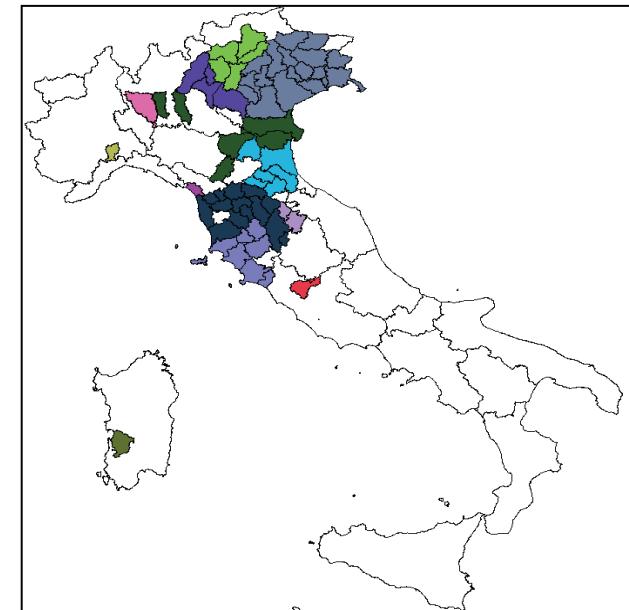
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Vulnerability Tables

BUILDING

Characteristics:

- Material
- Floor
- Maintenance
- Protections

		Merci				Merci < 5 milioni				Merci > 5 milioni			
Classe tirante		Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana
0	19	0,9431869	1,1210178	1,0587813	0,6666667	0,7545495	0,8968143	0,847025	0,5333333	1,1318243	1,3452214	1,2705376	0,8
20	39	7,1587632	101,8754	10,093335	2,5125104	5,7270105	81,500321	8,0746676	2,0100083	8,5905158	122,25048	12,112001	3,0150125
40	59	10,145491	165,62375	12,869489	4,1647059	8,1163929	132,499	10,295591	3,3317647	12,174589	198,7485	15,443387	4,9976471
60	79	22,978759	807,05441	28,408703	10,076187	18,383007	645,64353	22,726962	8,0609497	27,574511	968,46529	34,090444	12,091424
80	99	22,978759	807,05441	28,408703	10,076187	18,383007	645,64353	22,726962	8,0609497	27,574511	968,46529	34,090444	12,091424
		Macchinari				Macchinari < 7,5 milioni				Macchinari > 7,5 milioni			
Classe tirante		Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana
0	19	4,8148194	175,47349	13,246641	0,286711	3,8518555	140,3788	10,597313	0,2293688	5,7777833	210,56819	15,895989	0,3440532
20	39	4,1493854	58,368352	7,6399183	1	3,3195083	46,694681	6,1119346	0,8	4,9792625	70,042022	9,167902	1,2
		Fabbricati				Fabbricati < 10 milioni				Fabbricati > 10 milioni			
Classe tirante		Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana	Media	Varianza	σ	Mediana
0	19	1,039	2,9643615	1,7217321	0,4	0,8312	2,3714892	1,3773857	0,32	1,2468	3,5572338	2,0660785	0,48
20	39	2,75016	27,890185	5,2621464	0,45	2,200128	22,152148	4,2097171	0,36	3,300192	33,228222	6,3145757	0,54
40	59	4,30737	33,890188	5,8043249	1,6	3,445896	26,95215	4,6434599	1,28	5,168844	40,428226	6,9651899	1,92
60	79	4,76	17,300695	4,1594104	4	3,808	13,840556	3,3275284	3,2	5,712	20,760834	4,9912925	4,8
80	99	4,76	17,300695	4,1594104	4	3,808	13,840556	3,3275284	3,2	5,712	20,760834	4,9912925	4,8
100	119	14,64	163,1657	12,773633	12,2	11,712	130,53256	10,218906	9,76	17,568	195,79884	15,32836	14,64
120	139	14,64	163,1657	12,773633	12,2	11,712	130,53256	10,218906	9,76	17,568	195,79884	15,32836	14,64
140	159	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
160	179	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
180	199	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
200	219	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
220	239	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
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460	479	35,49	524,98697	22,912594	25,66	28,392	419,98958	18,330075	20,528	42,588	629,98436	27,495113	30,792
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The SIGRA database contains:

- a map of flood prone areas. For each location it specify flood return period and flow depth. For a single target, this is enough to evaluate hazard and insurance risk parameters.
- 100.000 synthetic scenarios characterized by a space structure statistically similar to the one provided by the AVI historic catalog;
- the portfolio for which the estimation of insurance related parameters - AEL, PML and MPL - is needed (locations, values and vulnerabilities).



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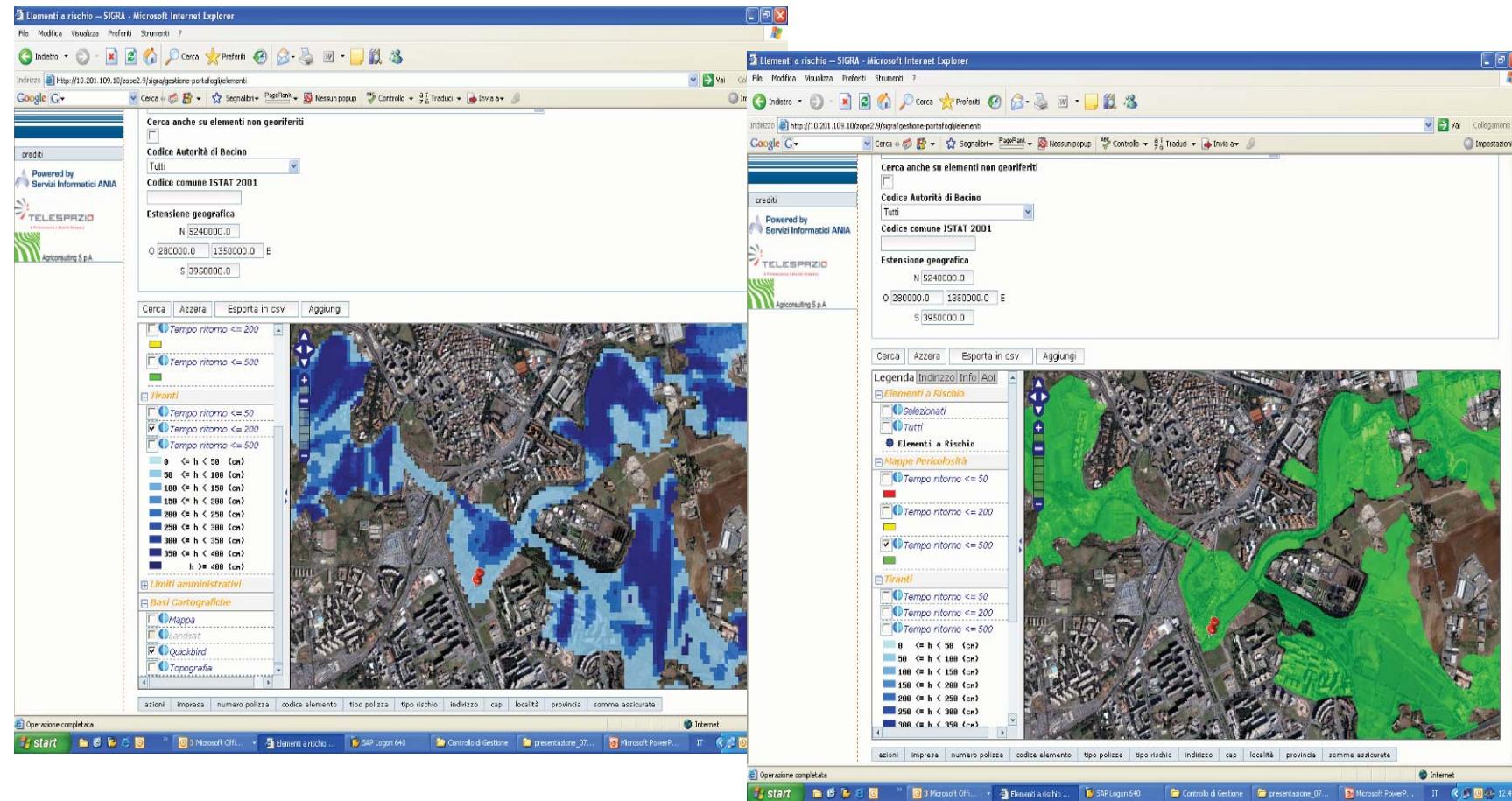


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Through this procedure, the portfolio is excited by the ensemble of synthetic scenarios (providing space coherence). A damage is then associated to each event within each scenario taking into account

- 1) flood maps information at portfolio sites (providing actual hazard),**
- 2) the values of the expositions and**
- 3) their vulnerability.**

The damage series is finally analyzed to give AEL, PML and MPL.



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n.elementi totali	sa (eur)	n. elementi riconosciuti a rischio	sa a rischio (eur)	pml netto (eur)	pml lordo (eur)	ael netto (per mille)	ael lordo (per mille)	mpl netto (eur)
20	36.000.000,00	4	4.000.000,00	400.000,00	500.000,00	0,040	0,050	900.000,00

Categoria di pericolosità	n.elementi selezionati	sa (eur)
A rischio	4	4.000.000,00
Pericolosità minima	6	10.000.000,00
ITm = 1 (rischio stimato alto)	1	2.000.000,00
ITm = 2 (rischio stimato medio)	2	4.000.000,00
ITm = 3 (rischio stimato basso)	6	14.000.000,00
ITm = 4 (rischio stimato minimo)	1	2.000.000,00



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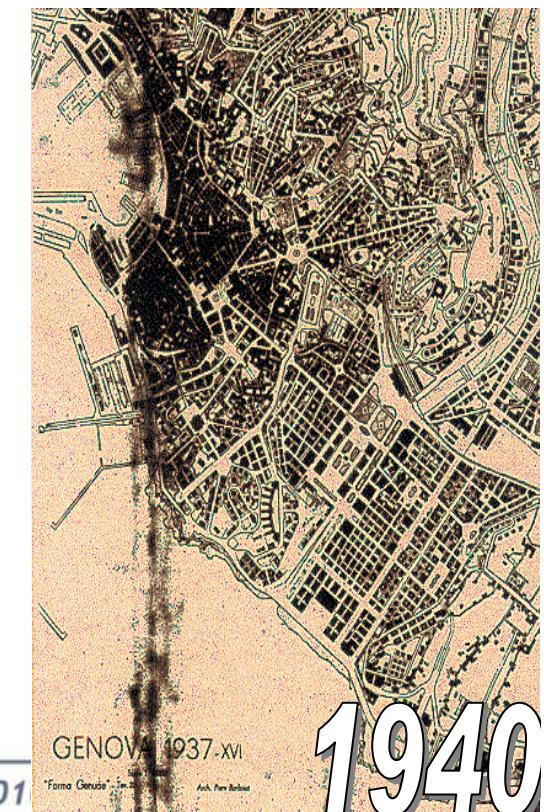
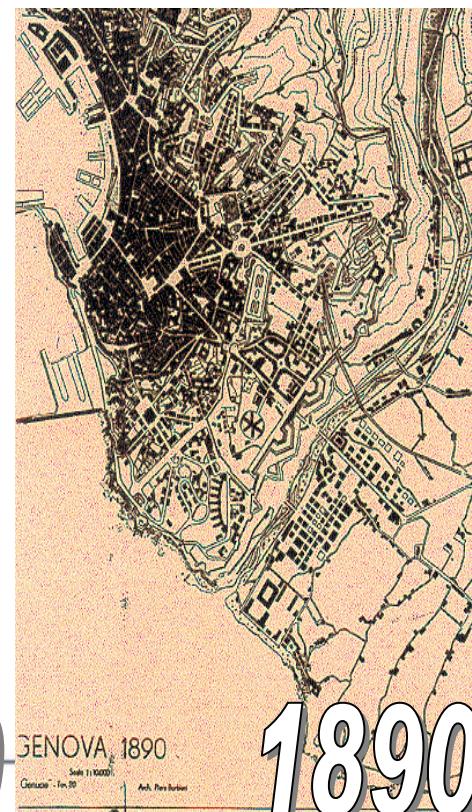
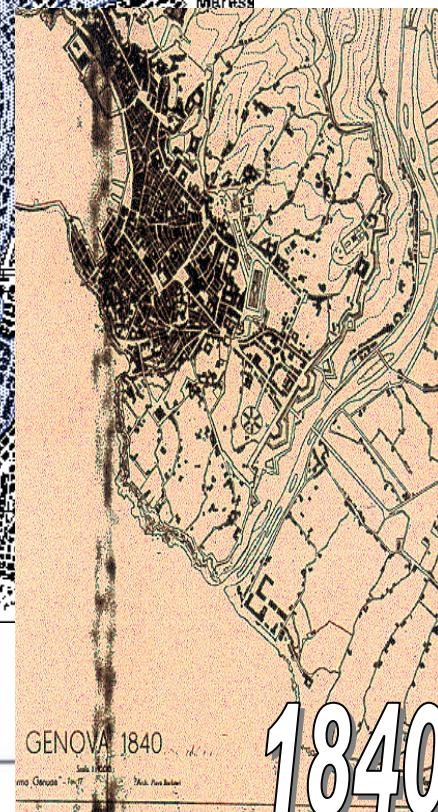
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