

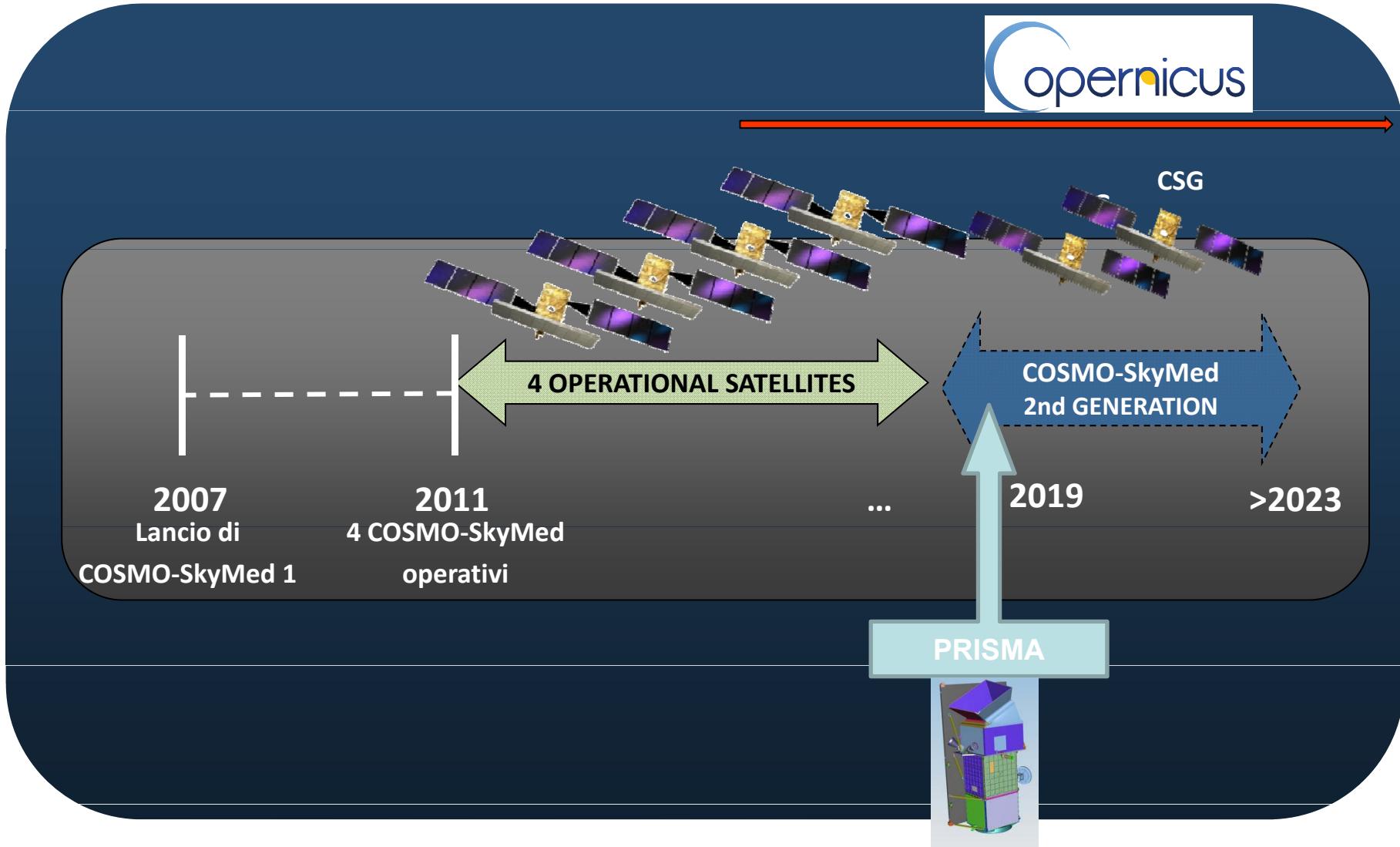


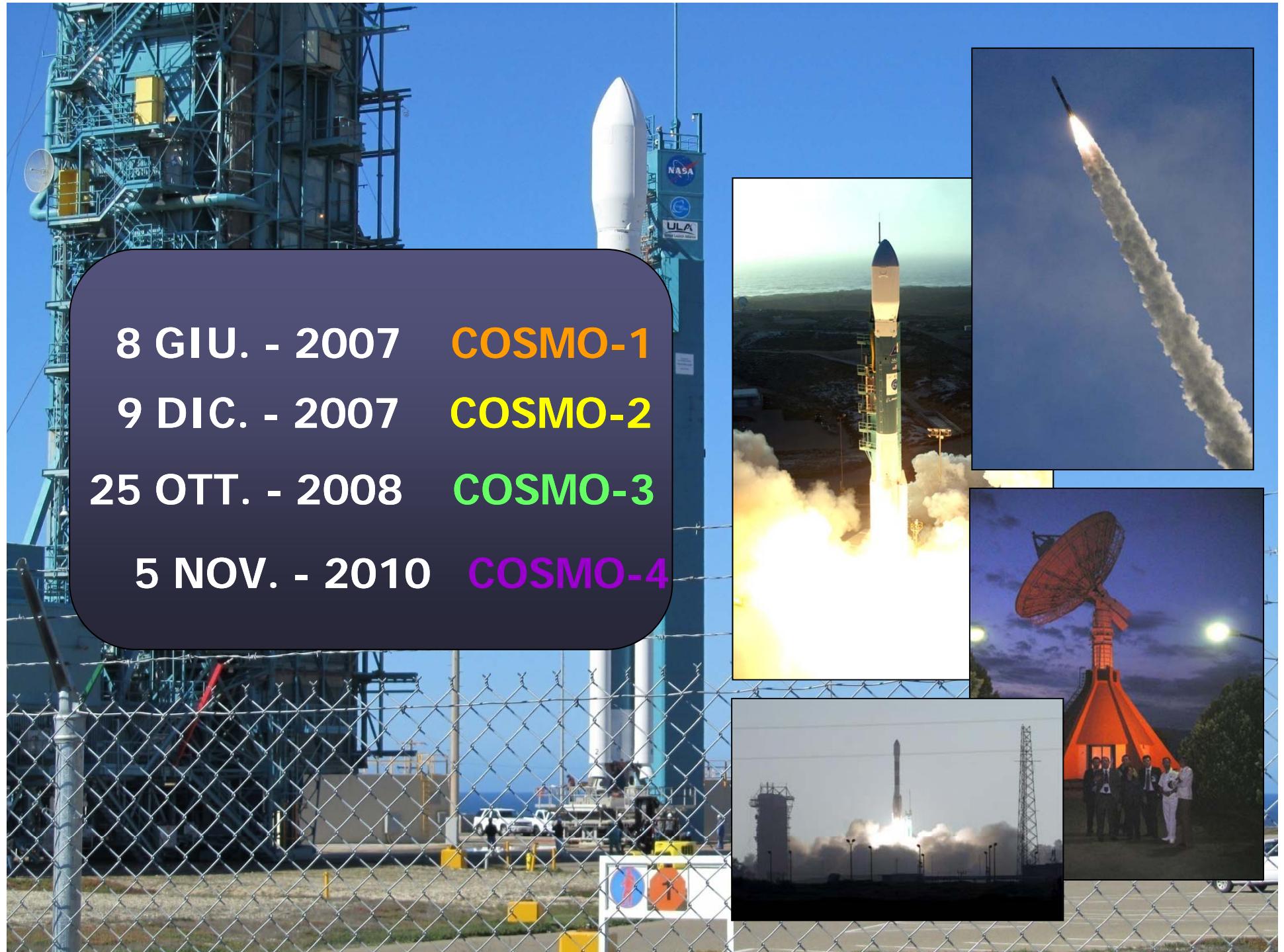
Sentinel-1 / COSMO-SkyMed Synergies for ground motion monitoring

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8 GIU. - 2007 COSMO-1

9 DIC. - 2007 COSMO-2

25 OTT. - 2008 COSMO-3

5 NOV. - 2010 COSMO-4



The synergic use of COSMO-SkyMed and S1

COSMO-SkyMed

SENTINEL (S1)

In the Copernicus framework, COSMO-SkyMed is a contributing mission and indeed is one of the most useful SAR missions during Emergency activation.
It is largely used for ground motion monitoring

CHARACTERISTICS

I.E. ON-DEMAND NEEDS AND RELEVANT REQUESTS – ex. EMERGENCY –

I.E. SYSTEMATIC LAND AND SEA MONITORING

Interferometry: S1 vs CSK

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➤ Sentinel-1

6 days

Medium resolution

Systematic monitoring

C-band

➤ COSMO-SkyMed:

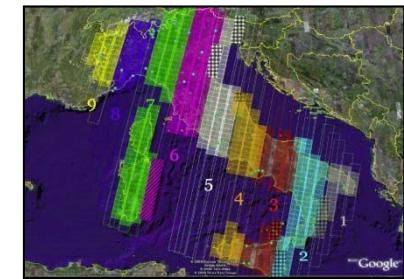
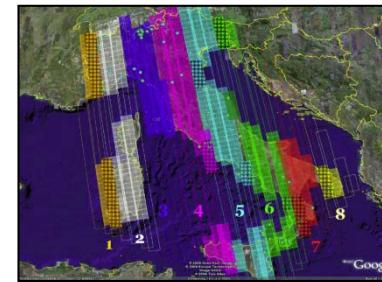
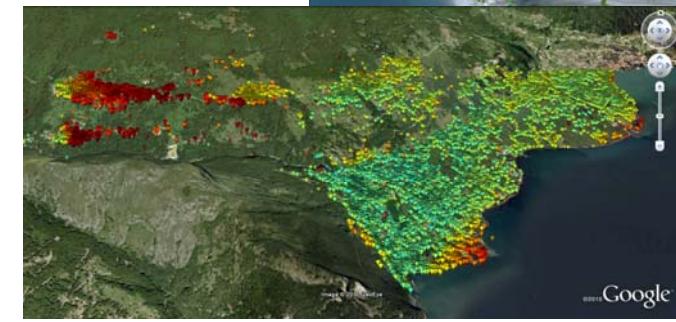
16 days

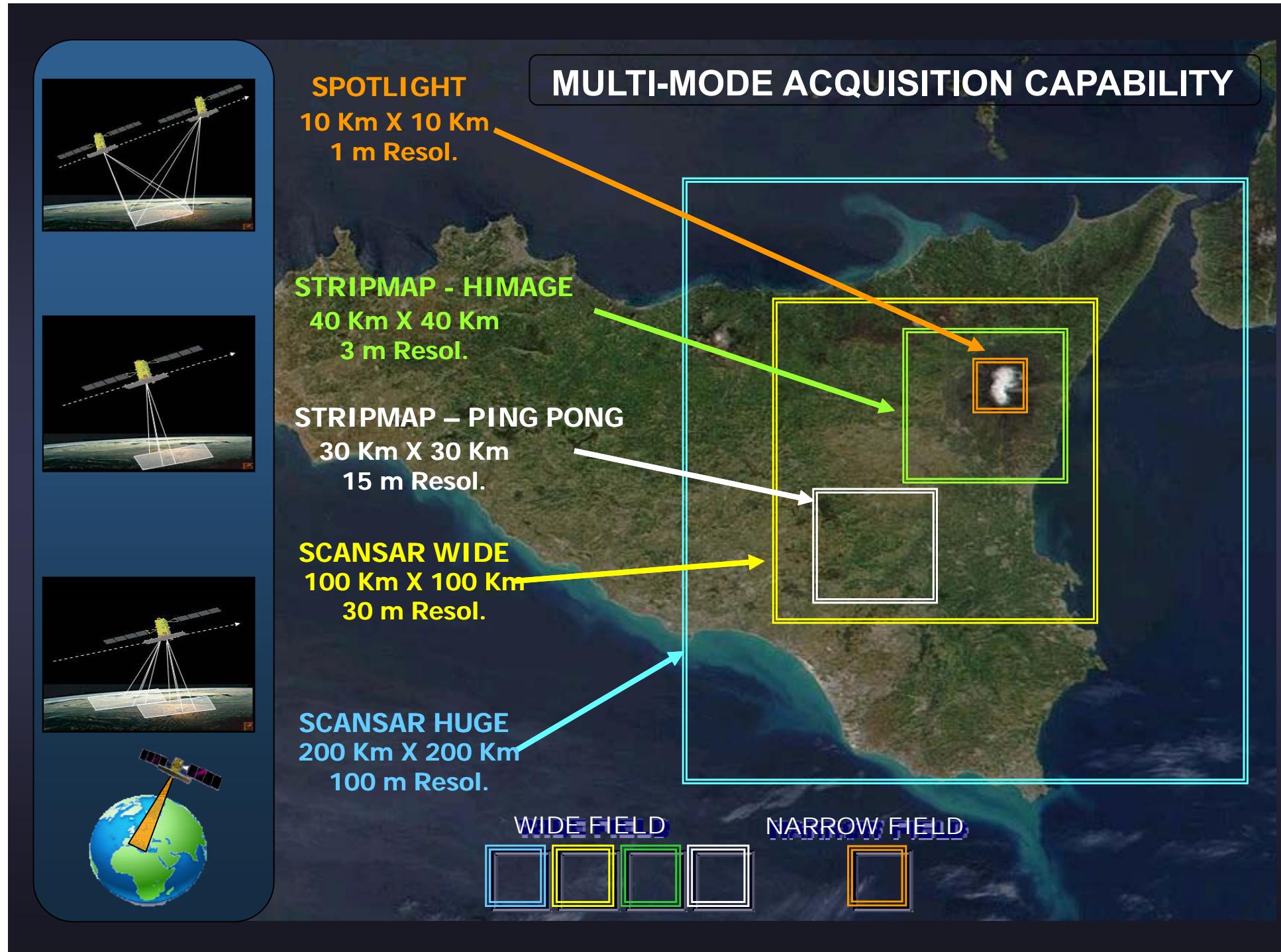
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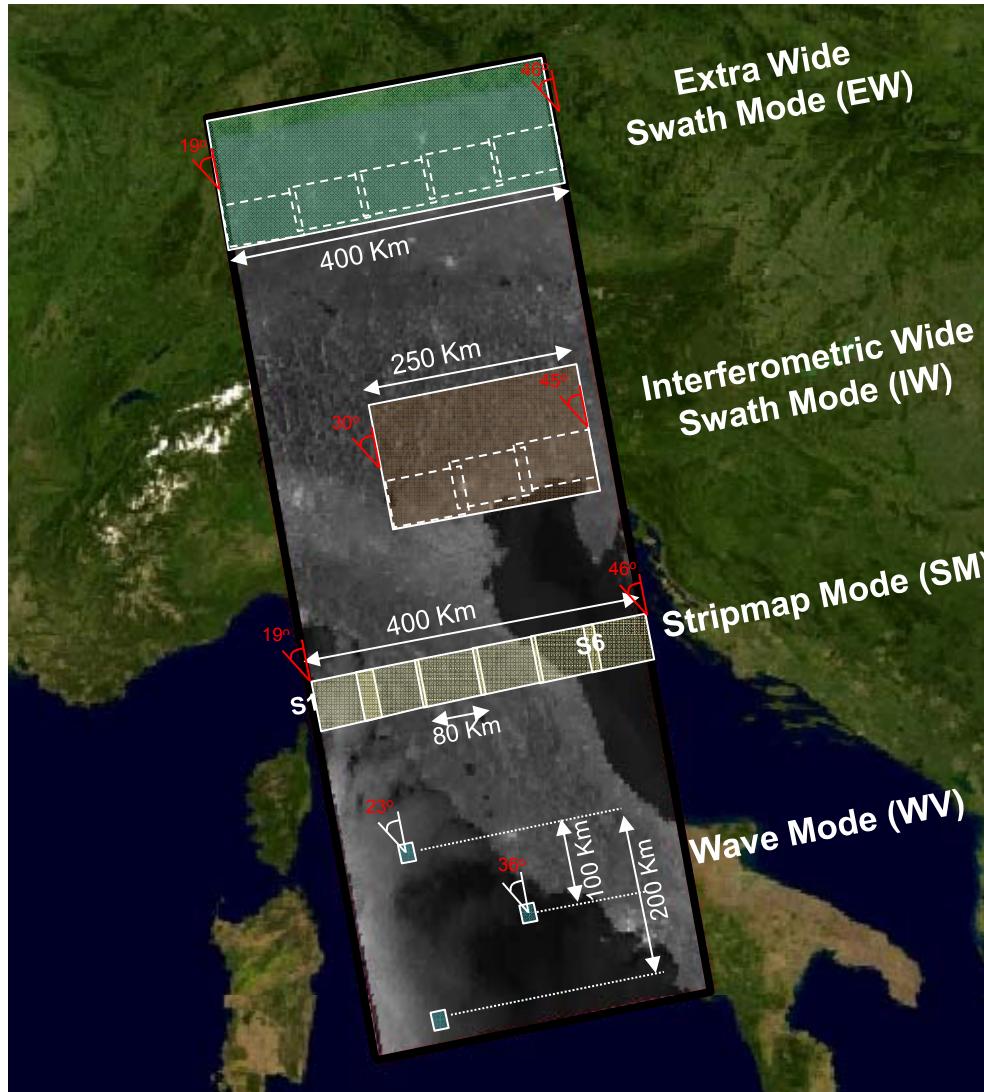
§ Systematic monitoring + On demand

X-band

- Excellent to monitor urban areas and infrastructures
- From 2 acquisitions/month up to 8 acquisition/month







Sentinel-1 SAR can be operated in 4 exclusive imaging modes with different resolution and coverage:

Mode Rate	SAR Mode
High Bit Rate (HBR)	IW
	EW
	SM (S1 → S6)
Low Bit Rate (LBR)	WV

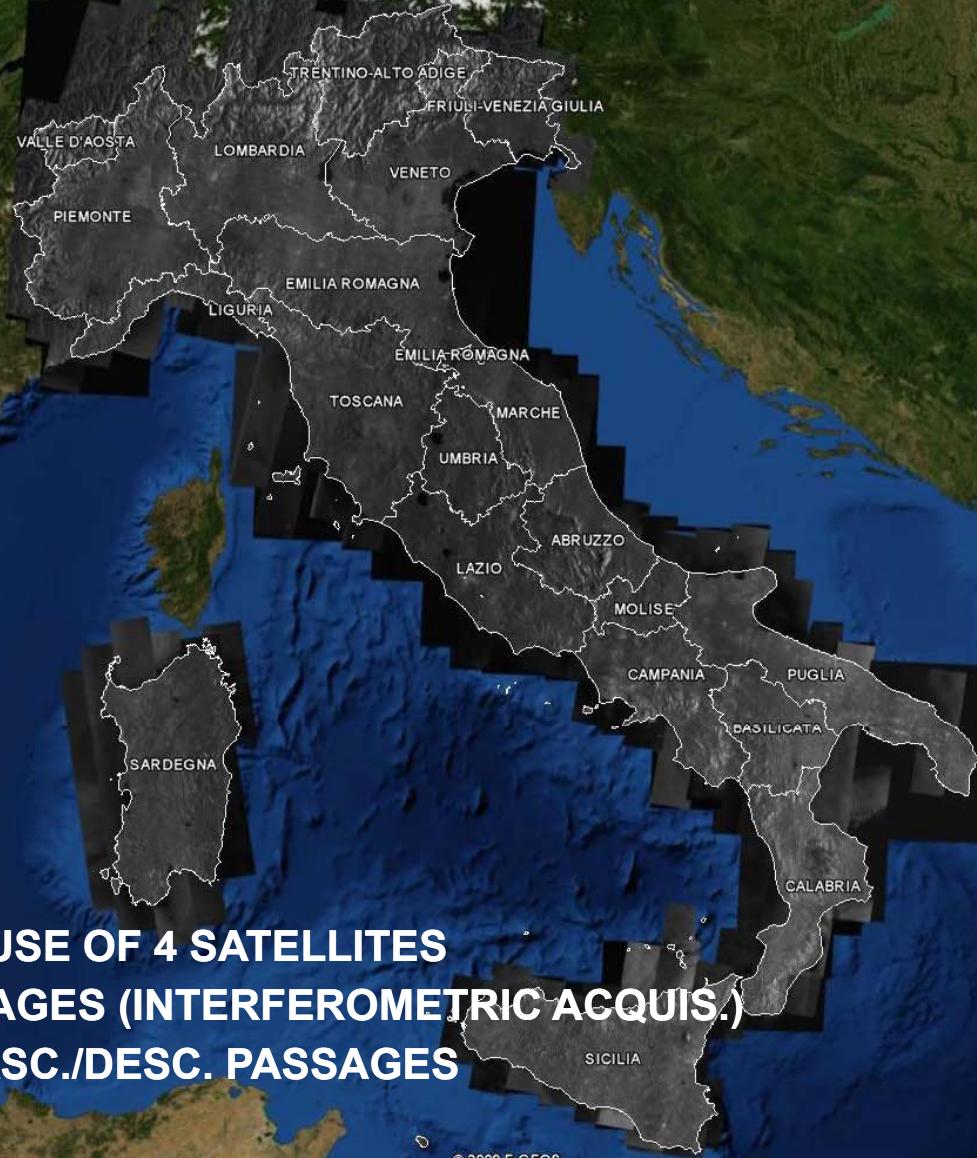
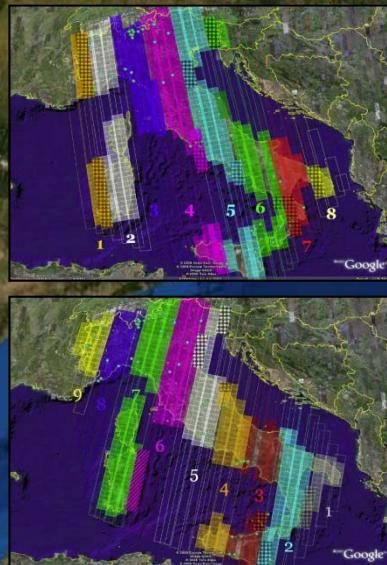
Polarisation schemes for IW, EW and SM:

- single polarisation: HH or VV
- dual polarisation: HH+HV or VV+VH

For Wave mode: HH or VV

For all of these operating modes, the same family of products is available to users.

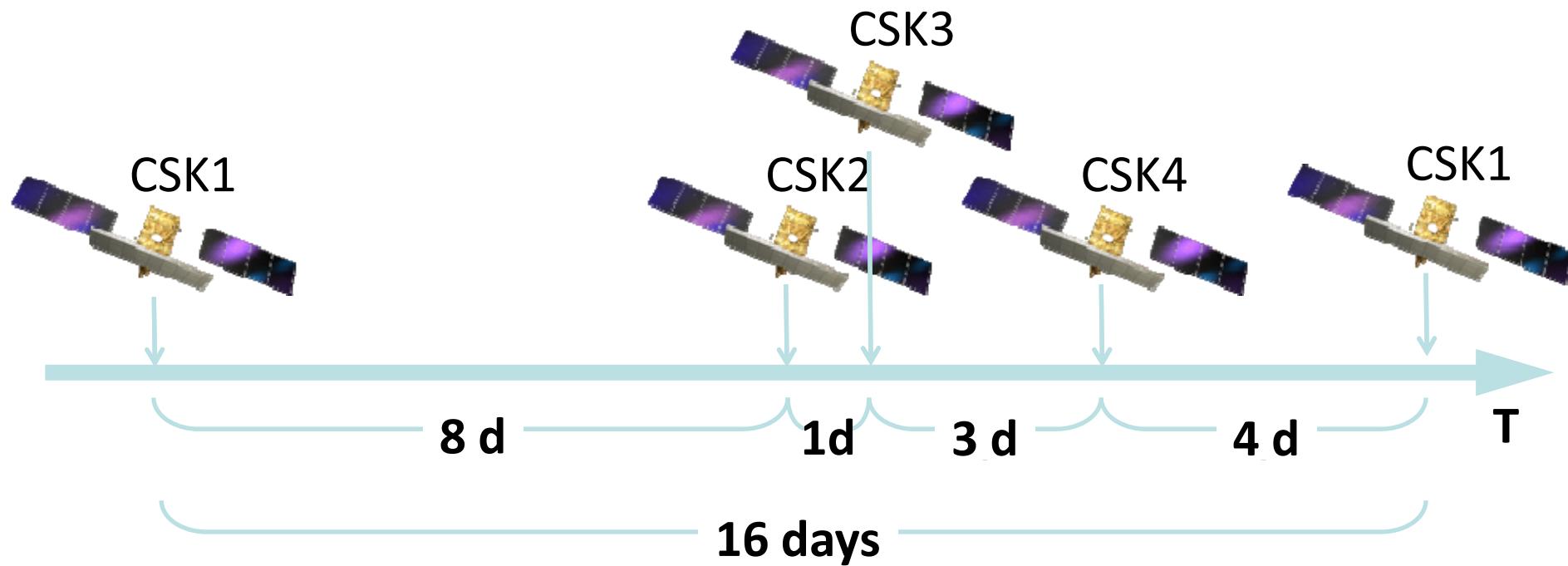
MAPPING: ITALY STRIPMAP MOSAIC



- USE OF 4 SATELLITES
- 16 DAYS PASSAGES (INTERFEROMETRIC ACQUIS.)
- ASC./DESC. PASSAGES

COSMO-SkyMed is a constellation

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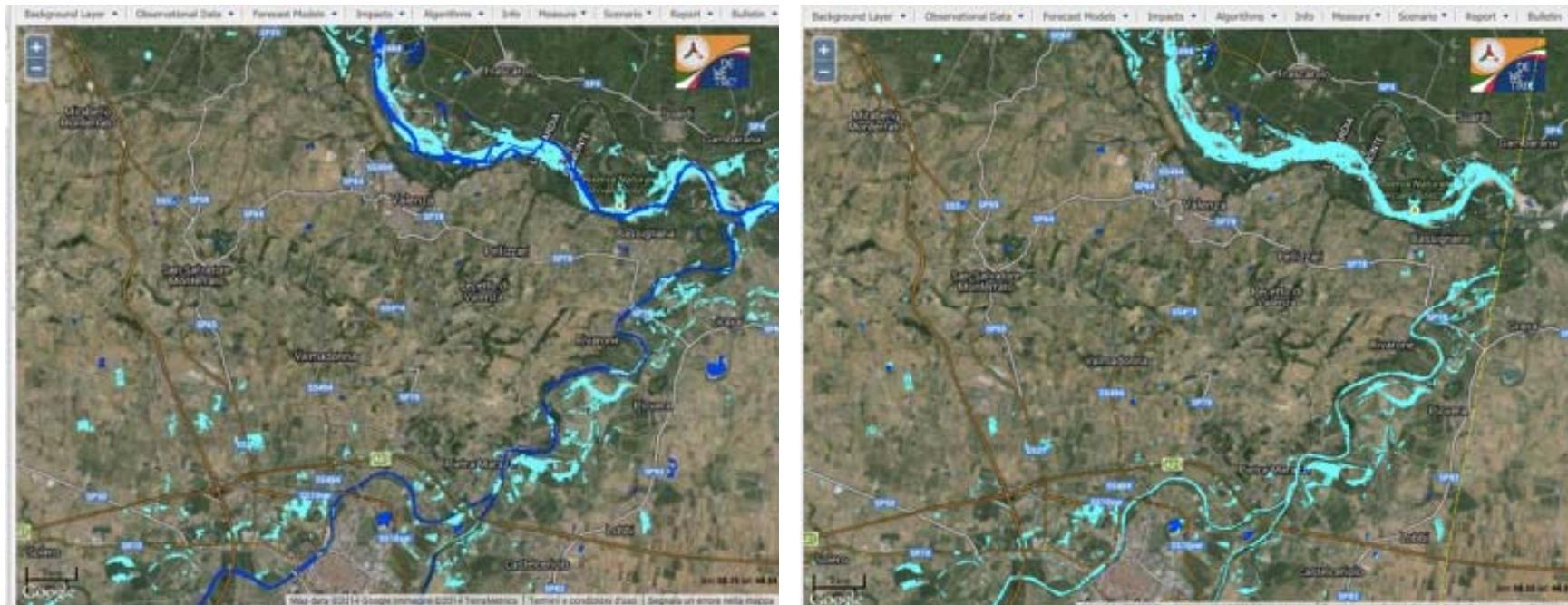


Spatial coverage of S1 (left) and CSK (right) acquisitions for the AOI of the Po river in the period 13-20 November 2014



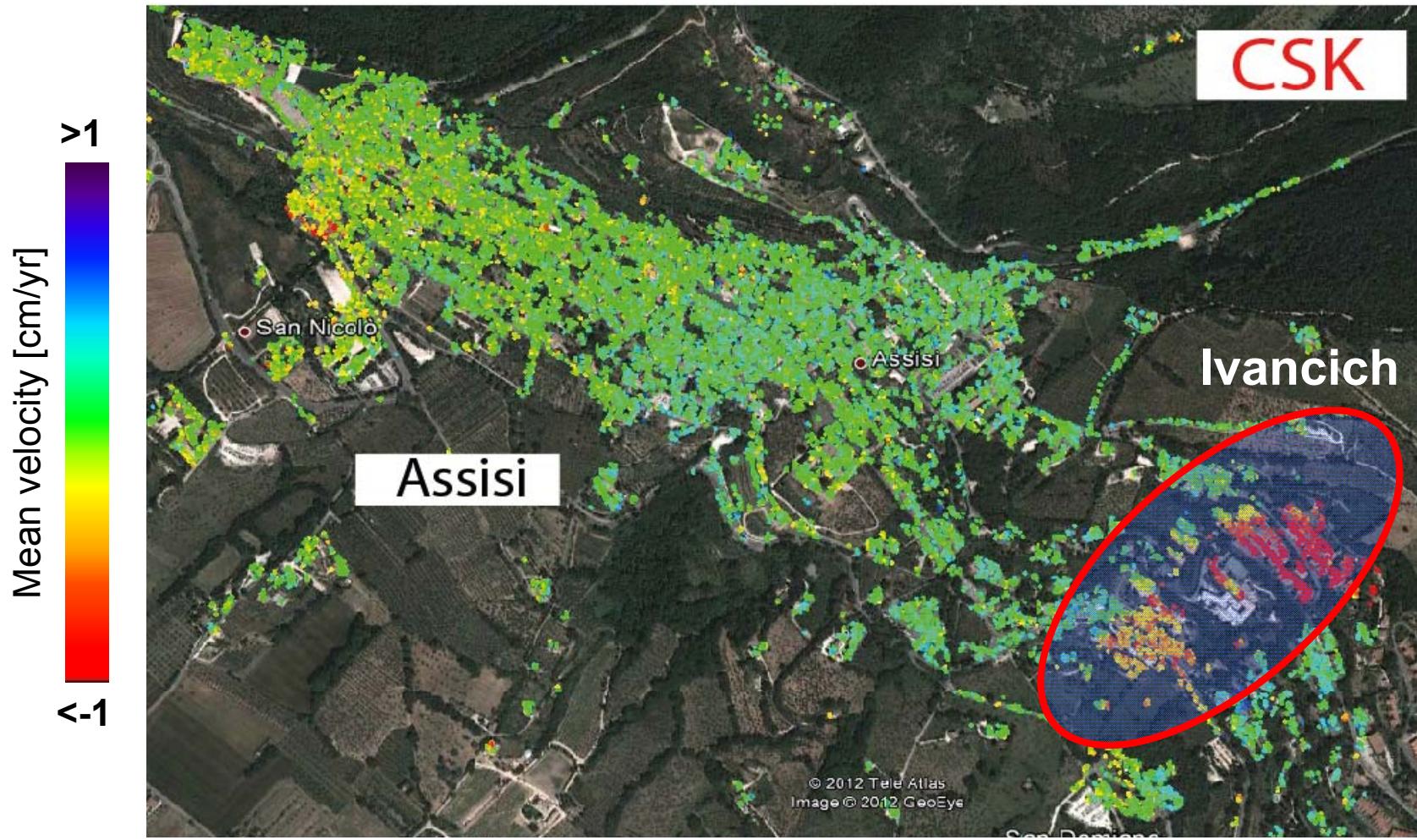


Comparison between the flooded areas derived from S1 (left) and CSK (right) at the same time (18:22 local time) of November 16th. The dark blue color indicates permanent water bodies (S1). Particular of the confluence of Po-Tanaro rivers.



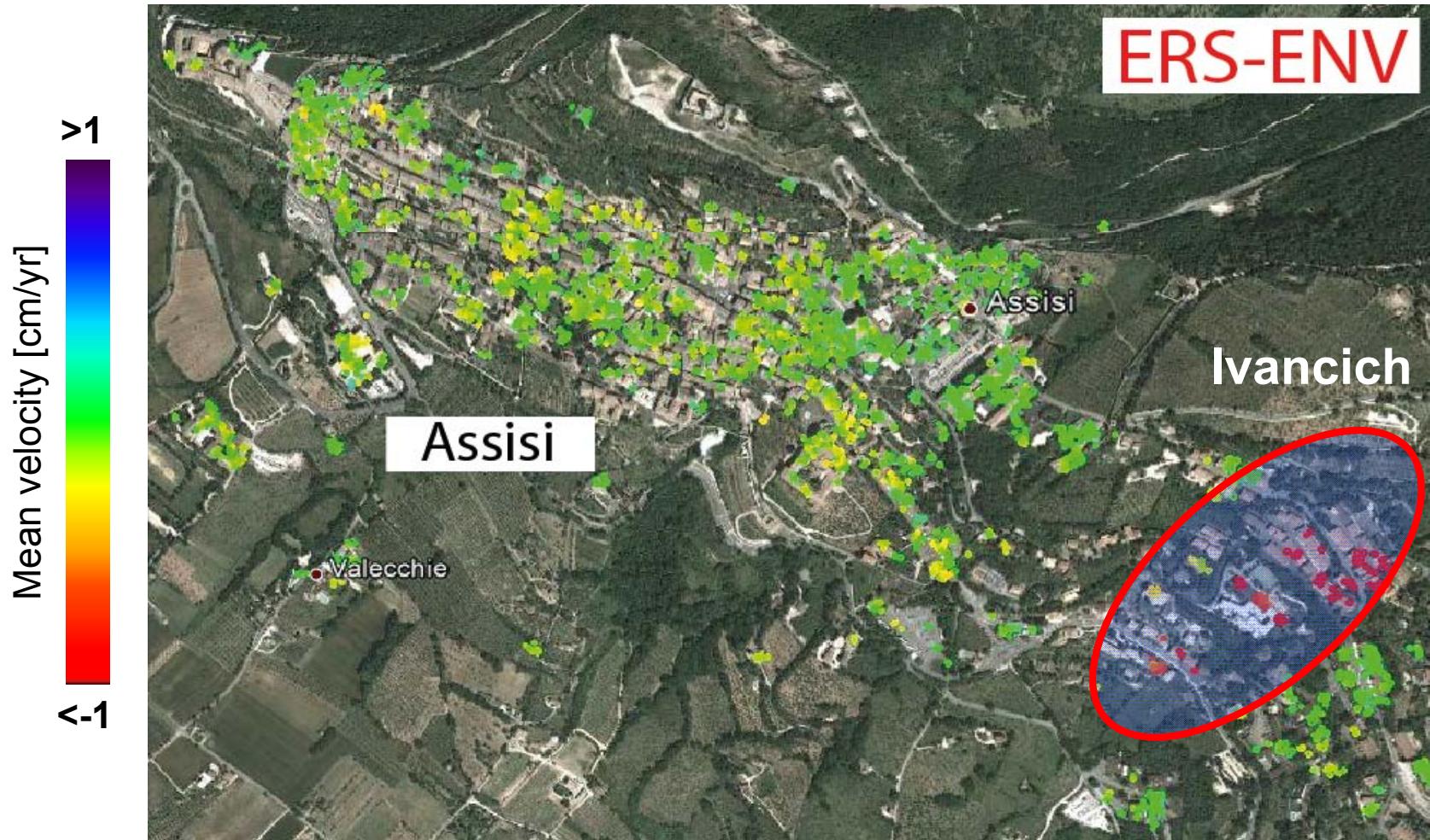
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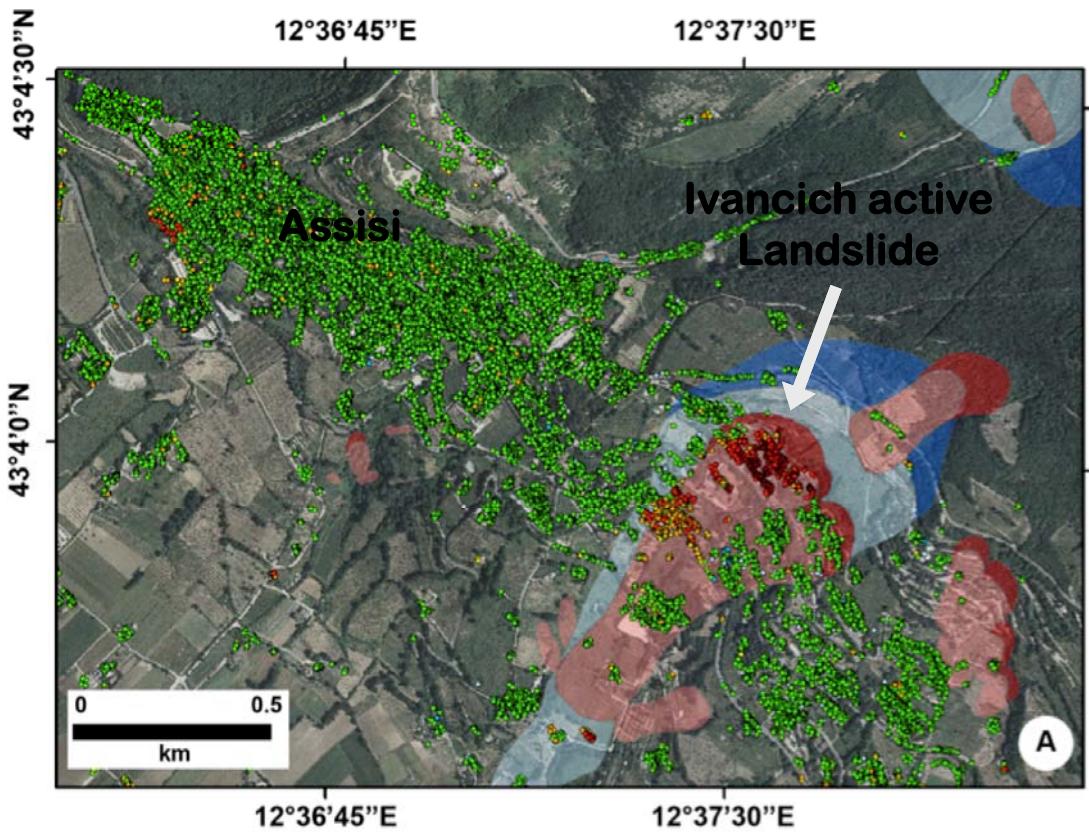
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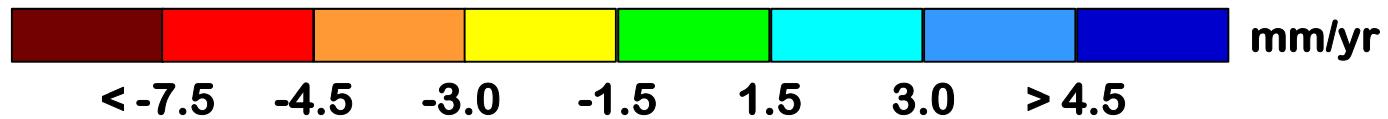
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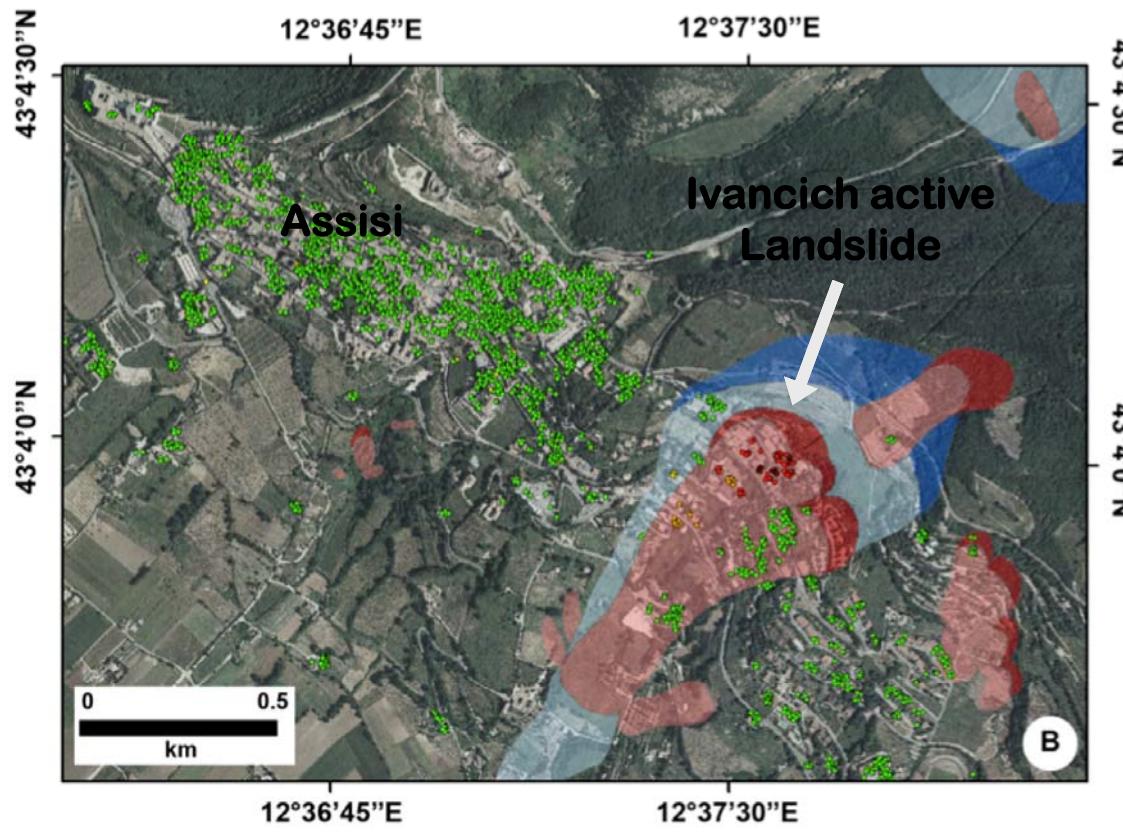


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43°4'30"NN.
12°36'45"E
12°37'30"E

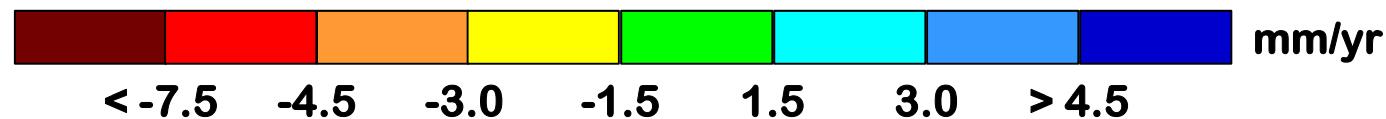
Cosmo-SkyMed | 02/12/2009 – 22/02/2012



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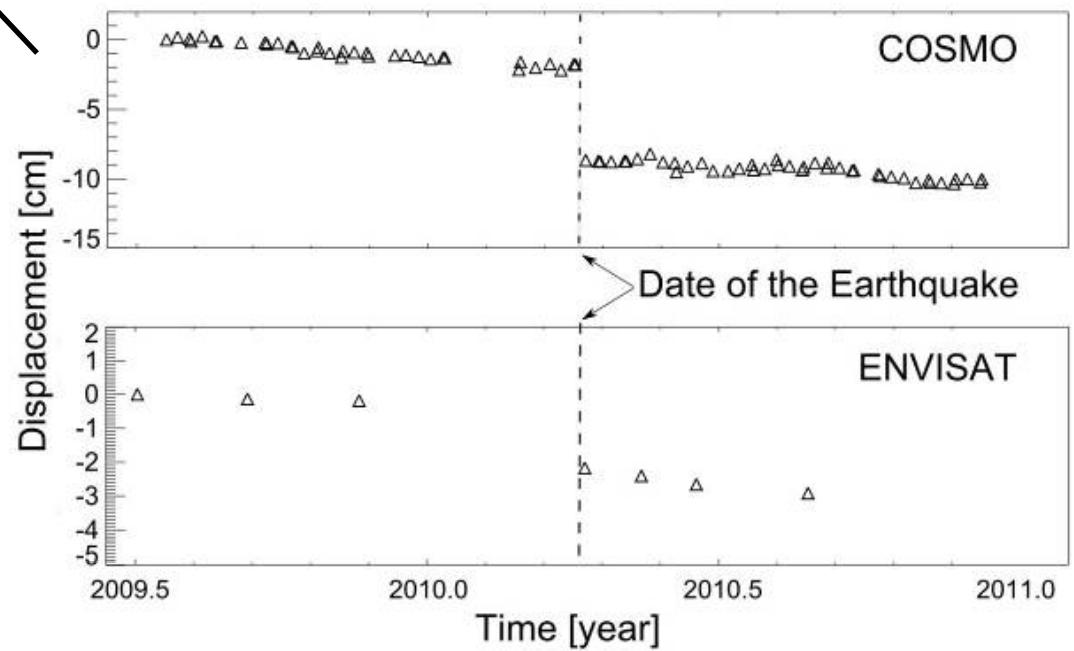
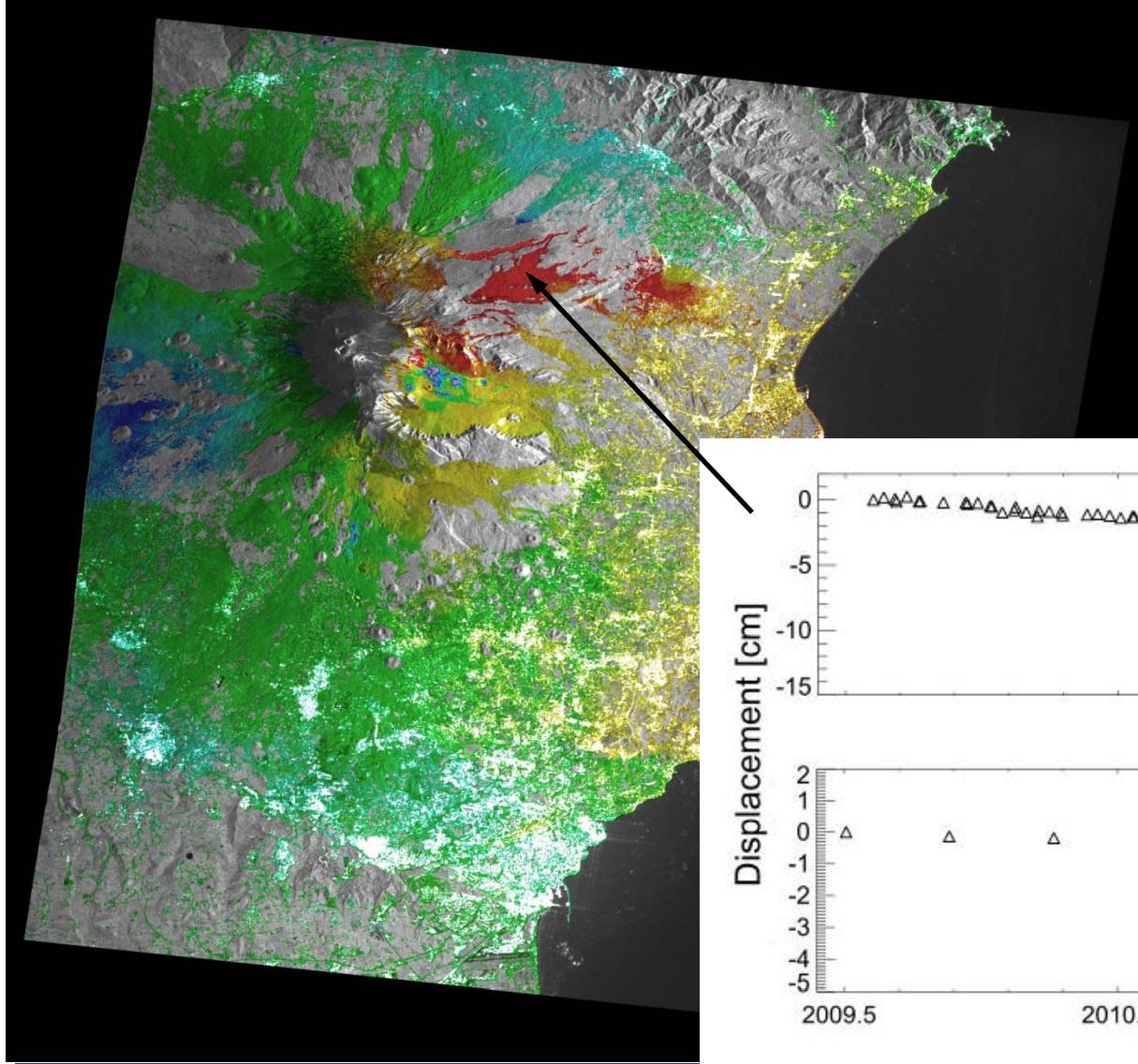


ERS-1/2 & Envisat | 4/1992 – 11/2010



Etna volcano

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The PI-ION

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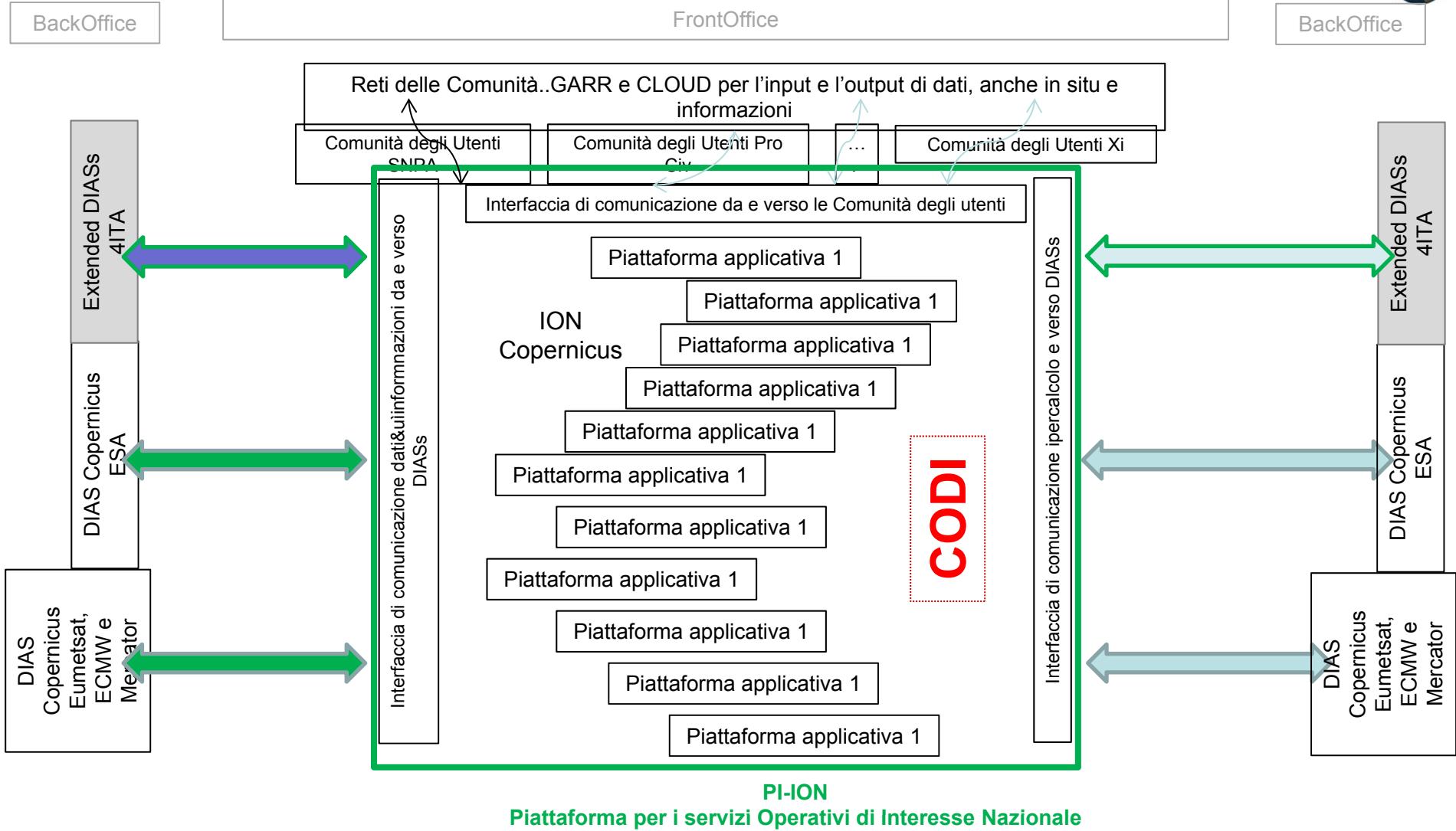
Italy is developing an institutional demonstrator to test DIASs.

The **PI-ION** is a national institutional platform aimed to help and facilitate the national institutional users in accessing the DIAS to use Copernicus missions data (Sentinels), and **national missions data (COSMO-SkyMed, PRISMA)**, in situ data and higher level products and information produced by institutional downstream services.

It will be the reference infrastructure in developing the Mirror Copernicus

This enabling infrastructure involves BIG DATA ICT technologies and national High Performance Computing (HPC) centres with the capacity to manage the massive quantity of data generated from large observation datasets – coming both from EO satellites and in situ instruments - and model simulations, and will become the environment for the development of national operational service infrastructures (downstream services).

It hosts the Italian ground motion dataset and related analytics sw (e.g. SBAS-DinSAR).





GRAZIE!