

# **Copernicus & Humanitarian Assistance**

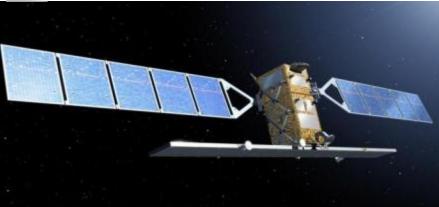
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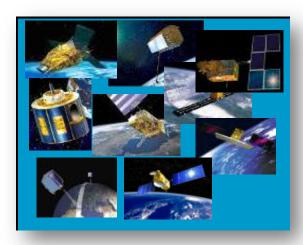
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- Emergency Management < > Security
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## **Copernicus architecture**





6 services use Earth Observation data to deliver ...



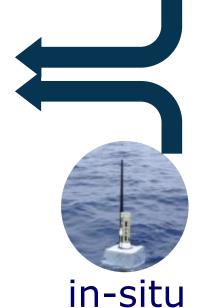
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...added-value products



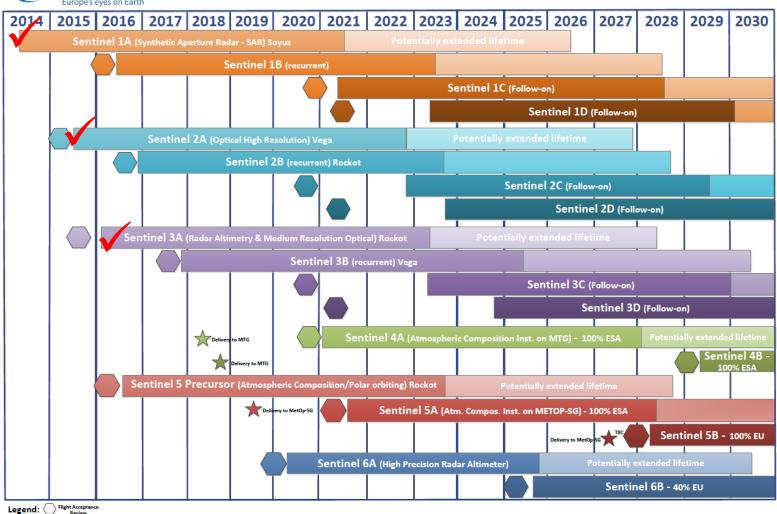
## **Deployment schedule**



Status 29/01/2016



#### **Copernicus Constellations Deployment Schedule**



All data available as Full Free and Open





## **6 operational Services**

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Monitoring the State of the Earth System Environment ...



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**Management Service** 

Mapping Component

Early Warning Component























## **Services Deployment**



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#### opernicus **Copernicus Services Implementation Schedule** 2014 2015 2016 2020 2017 2018 2019 Emergency Management Land Monitoring - Pan-European and Local EEA JRC Land Monitoring - Global **ECMWF** Atmosphere Monitoring Phase I Phase II MERCATOR Marine Environm. Monitoring Phase I Phase II **FRONTEX** Security - Border Surveillance EMSA Security - Maritime Surveillance EUSC Security - Support to External Action **ECMWF** Climate Change Phase I Phase II Phase III In-Situ Coordination EEA Legend: Delegation agreement Direct management





# Copernicus Emergency Management Service

Mapping Component

Early Warning

Component

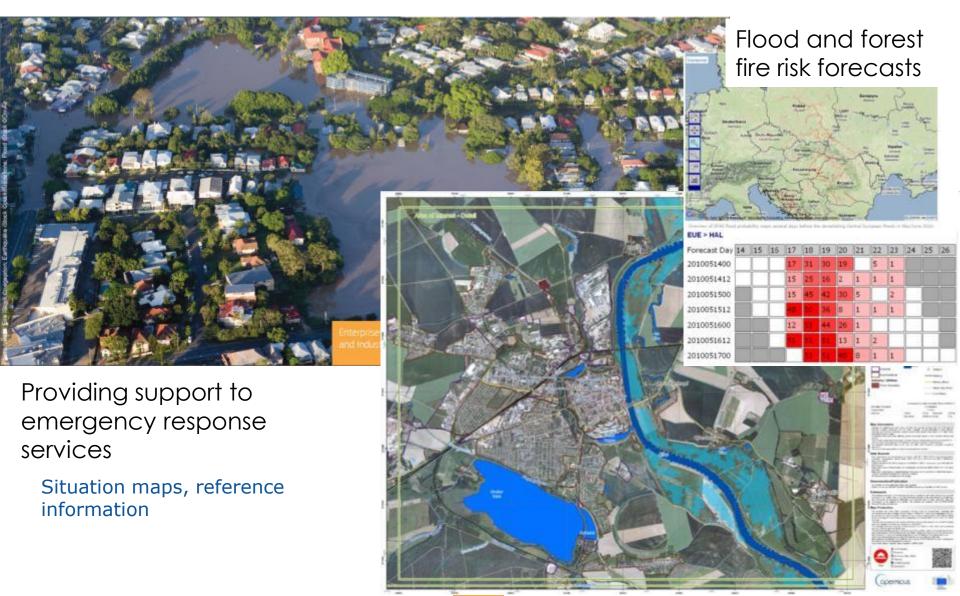
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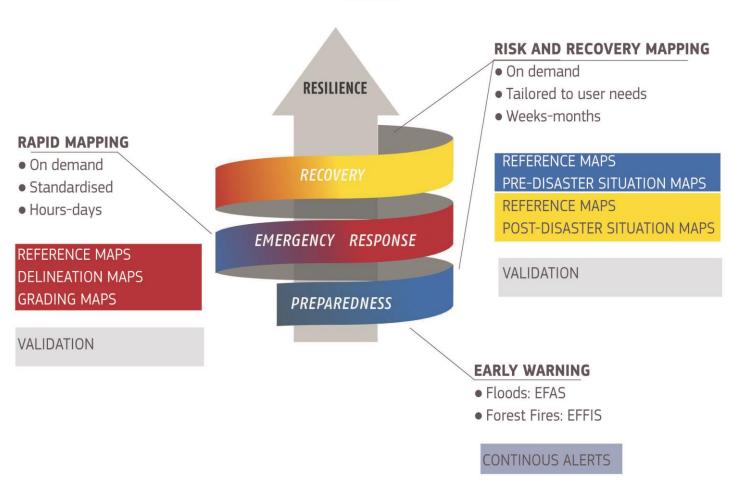
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## Service covers all the 3 phases of emergencies





# Emergency Management Service (EMS) has two components:

- ► Early Warning
  - > EFAS (floods)
  - > EFFIS (forest fires)
- Mapping
  - Rapid Mapping
  - Risk & Recovery









#### http://emergency.copernicus.eu/



A wide range of user guides are available from web site





# Copernicus Security Service



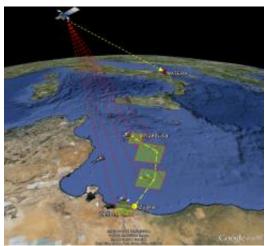
## Security Service



To provide European authorities with information in response to the following key areas, however during production benefit is taken of synergies between emergency mapping and security services

- **★** Border surveillance
- **★** Maritime surveillance
- ★ Support to EU External Action



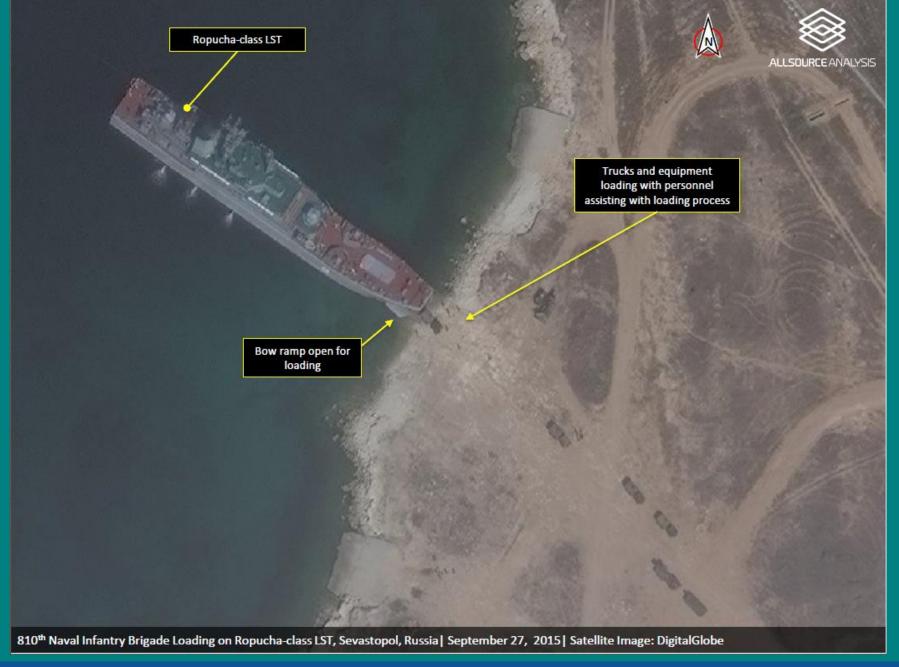












#### How far do we care?

#### **Obstacles**

(we need to be aware that they exist, and respond to criticism – constructive or not – adequately)

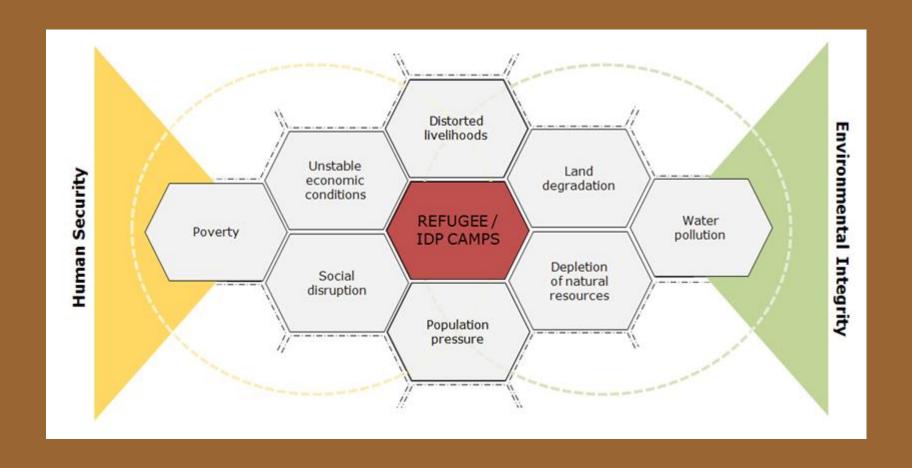
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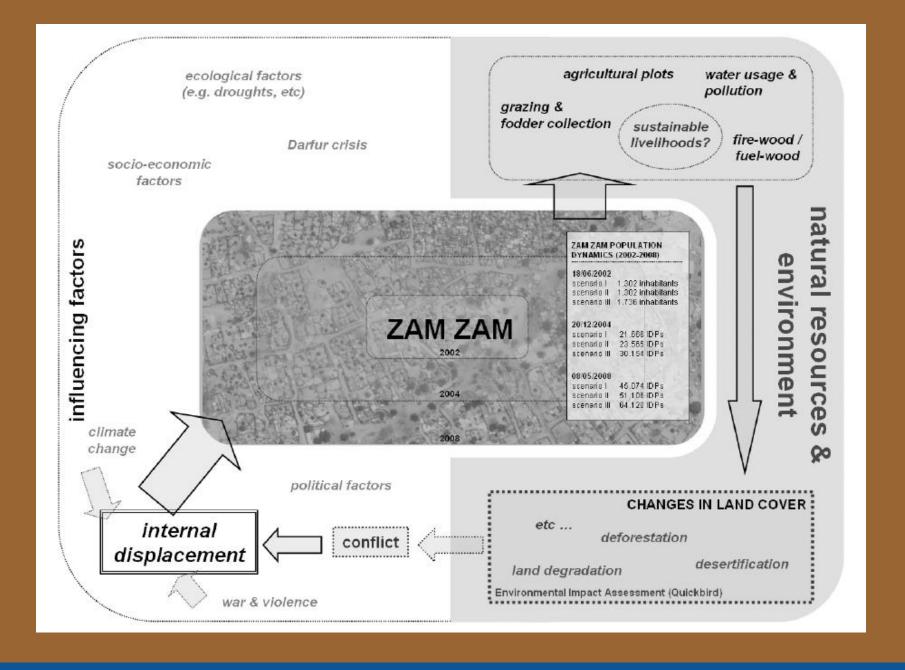
 that is, the political, economic and military interference in the domestic affairs of a state justified by a nascent transnational morality

#### **Key messages:**

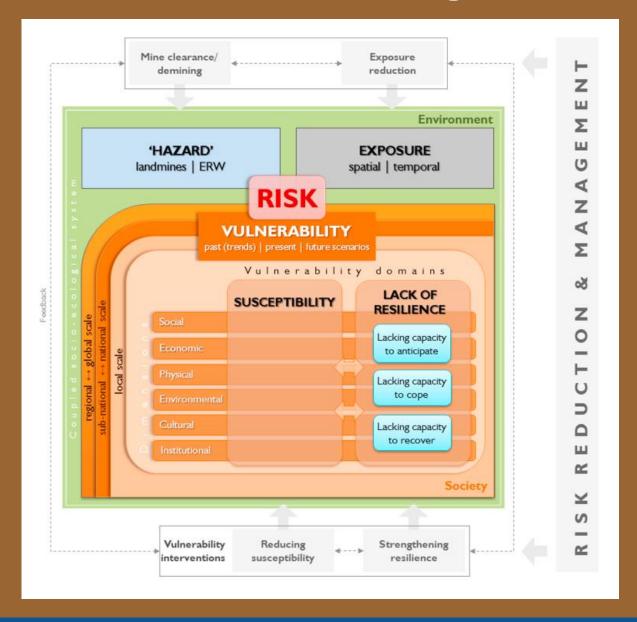
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- resilient societies evolve through their own capacity to predict, cope and recover - affected countries must be able to generate and use space-based information themselves.

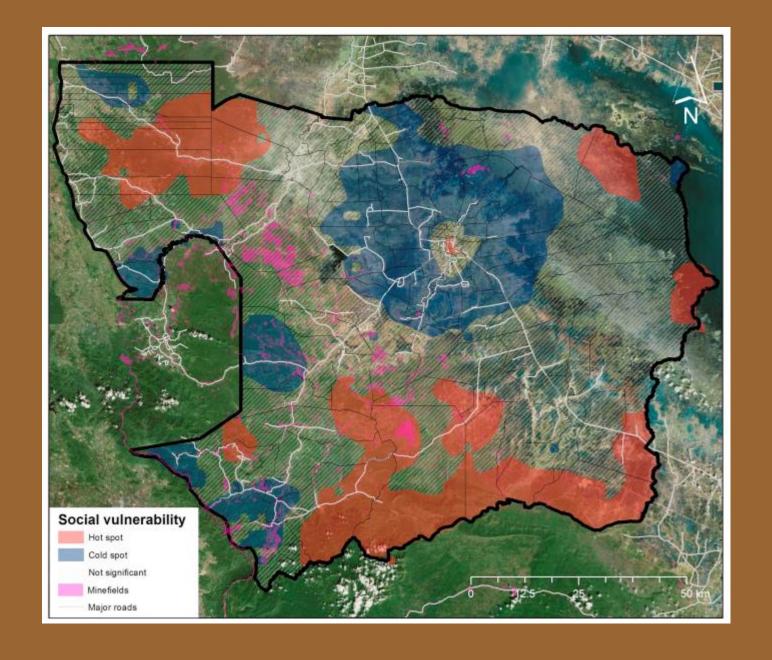
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## Factors to be considered when assessing livelihood resilience







## **Implementation**

AUC leads the process with support by the Coordination Team.

Long-term Management of Natural Resources Water Resources Management Monitoring of Marine & Coastal Environment (start 2016)

The Coordination Team Meeting in Tunis Dec 2014 **selected three themes** for validation in 2015-2016:

Rural Development and Food Security Climate Change Adaptation Disaster Risks Reduction.

through a series of expert workshops.







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- Priority action (development objective): strengthen preparedness = capacity to anticipate