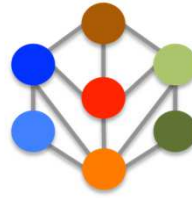


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Connectivity and synchronisation of
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Connectivity and Synchronisation of Lake Ecosystems in Space and Time – **CONNECT**

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CONNECT *in situ* measurements and Remote Sensing of inland waters



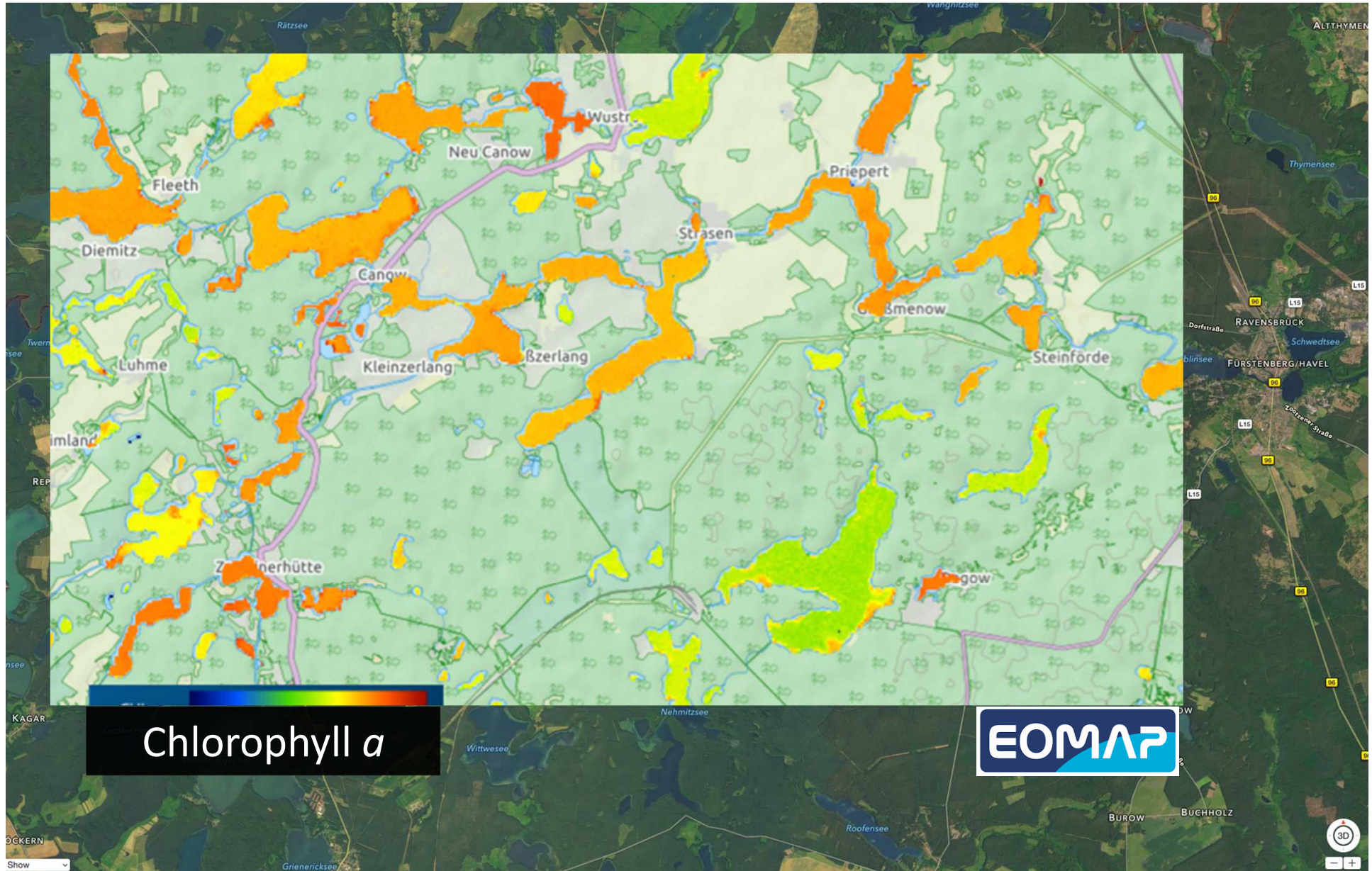


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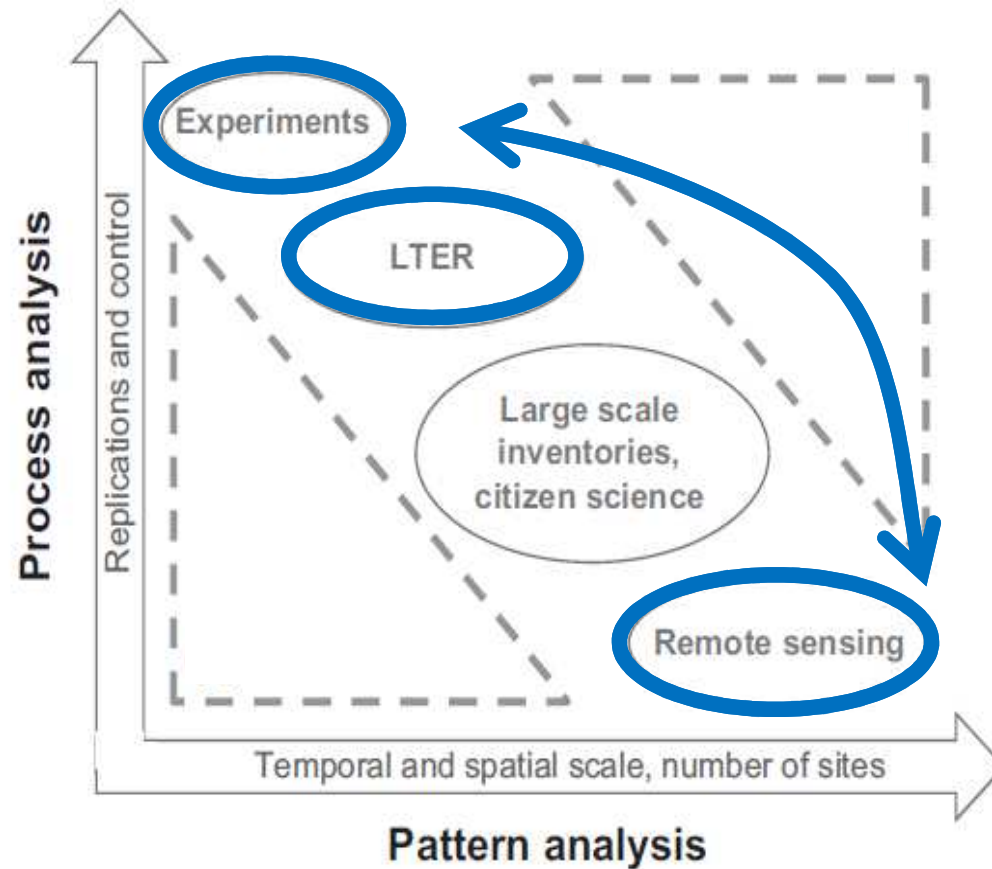


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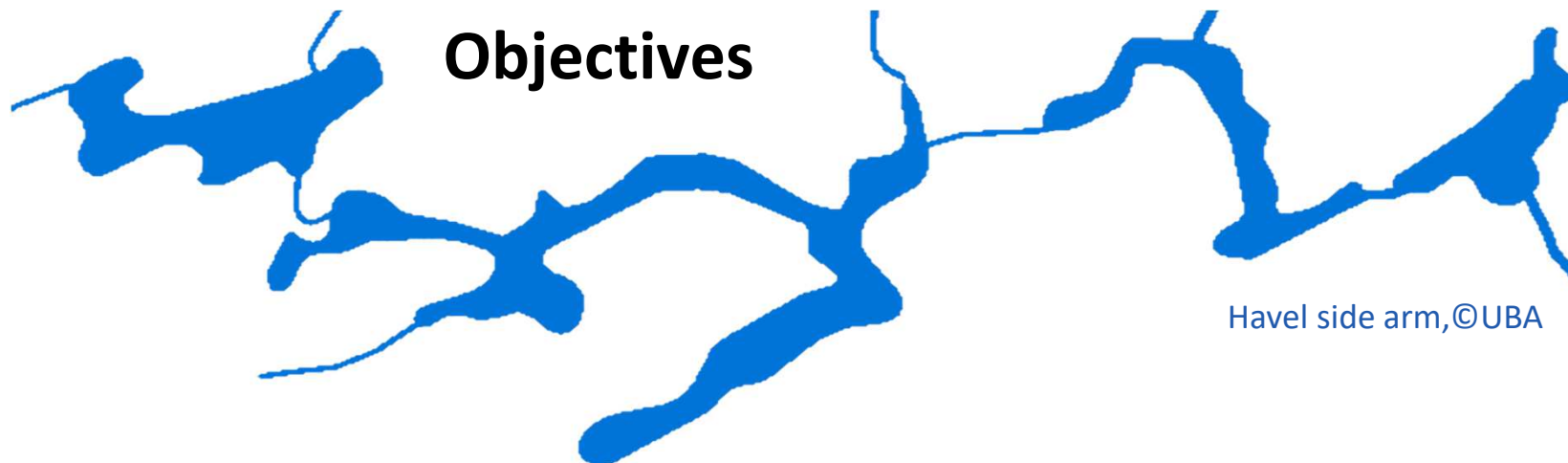
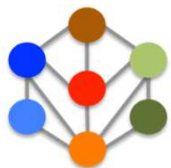




CONNECT – uses the full scale from pattern analysis to process analysis



*Predictive ecology in a changing world.
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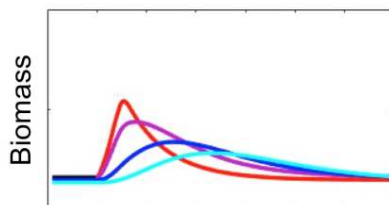
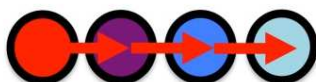
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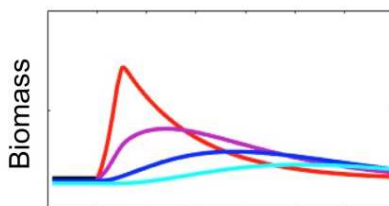
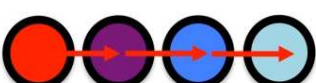
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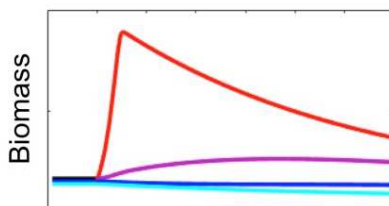
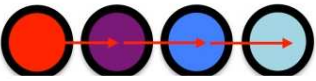
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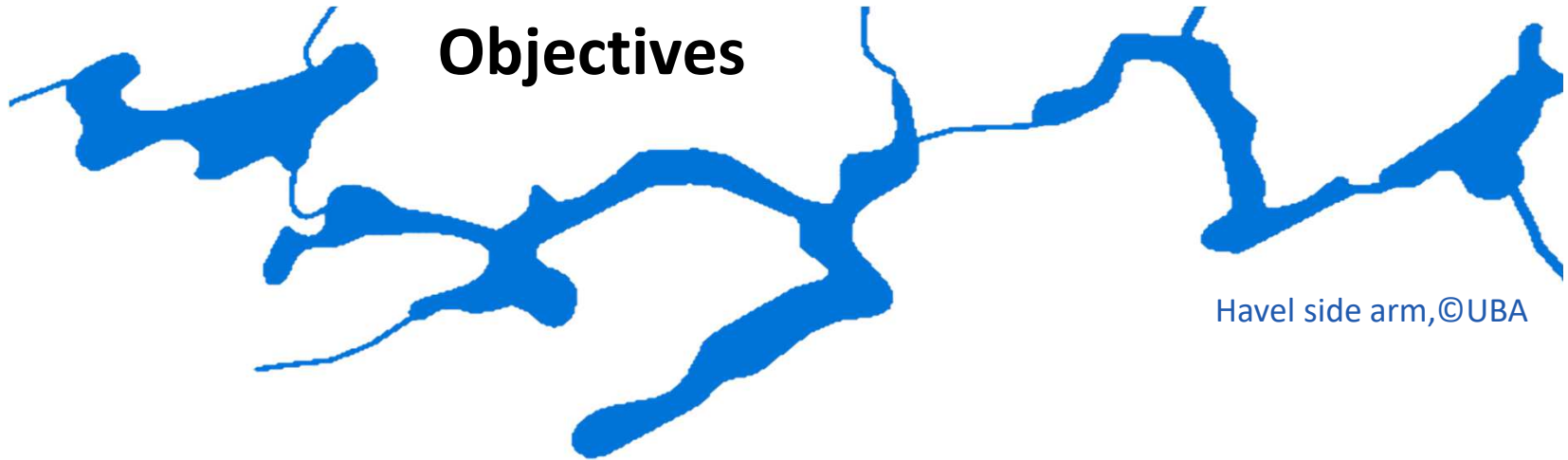
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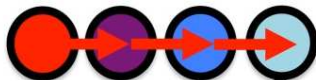
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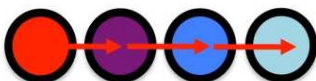
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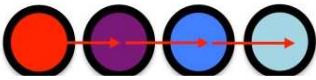
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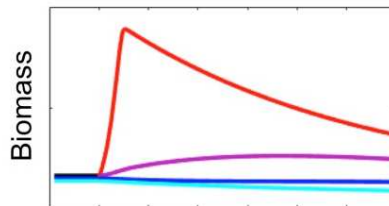
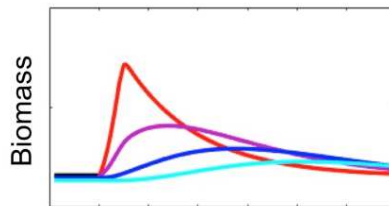
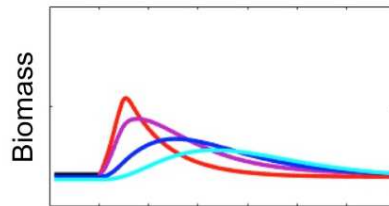
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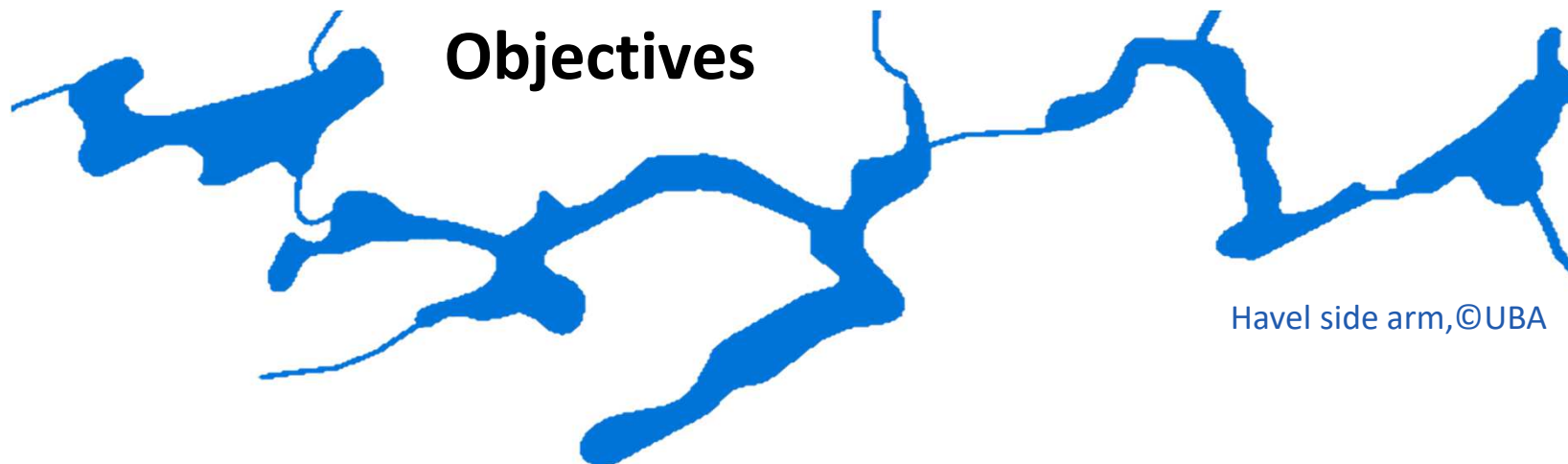
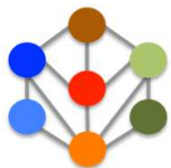
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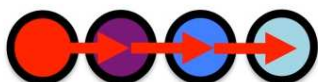


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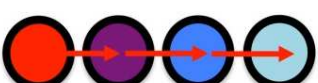
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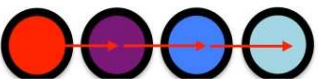
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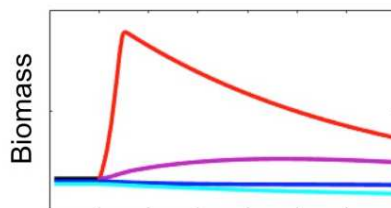
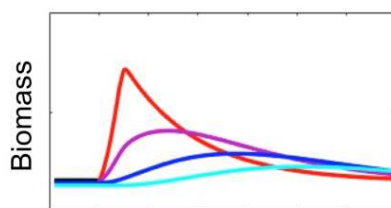
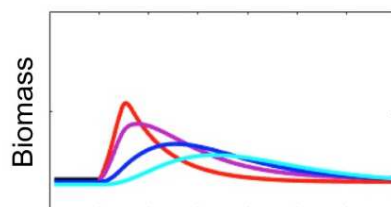
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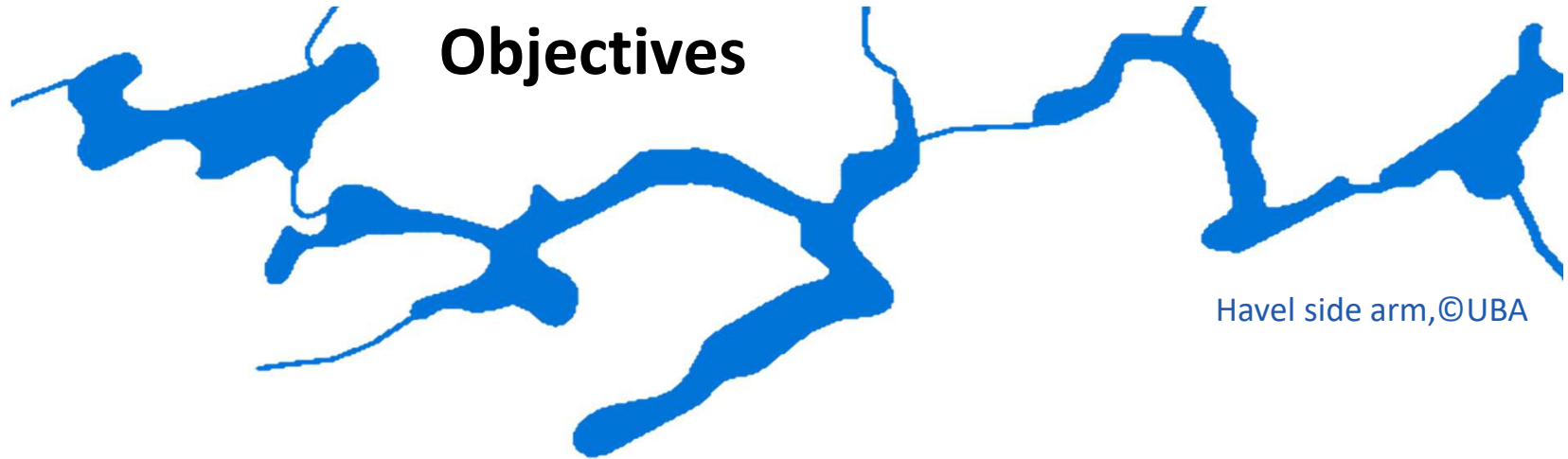
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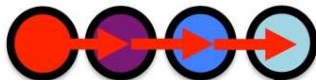


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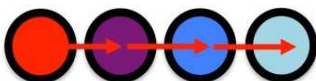
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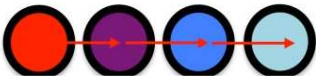
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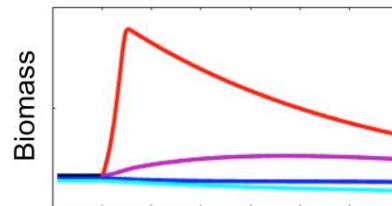
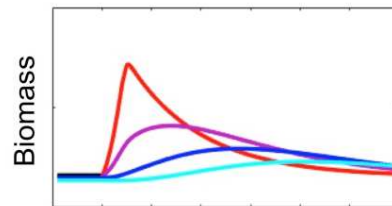
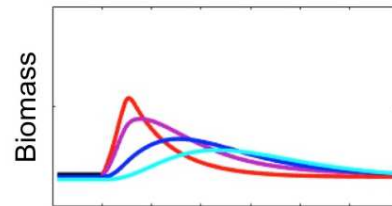
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CONNECT – combines methods to achieve high temporal and spatial resolution



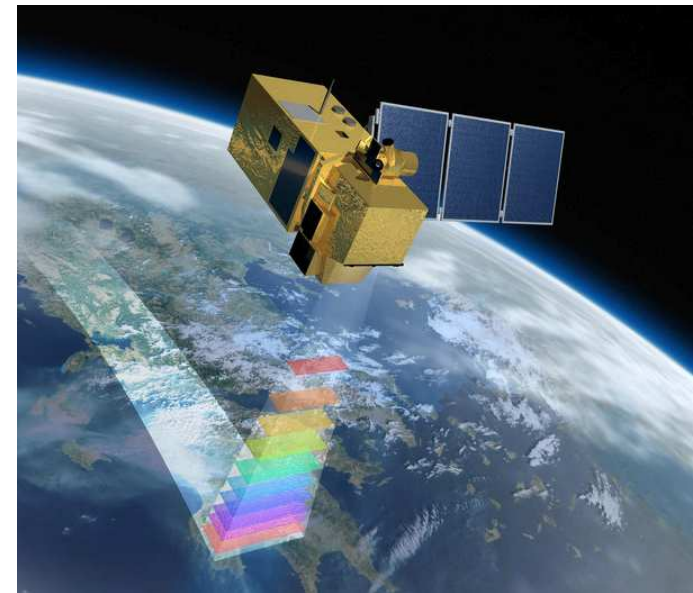
**High frequency
in situ sensors:**
Chl-a, cyanos, temp.,
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Sampling & Lab:
Phytoplankton and
water chemistry, HPLC
pigments, FlowCam

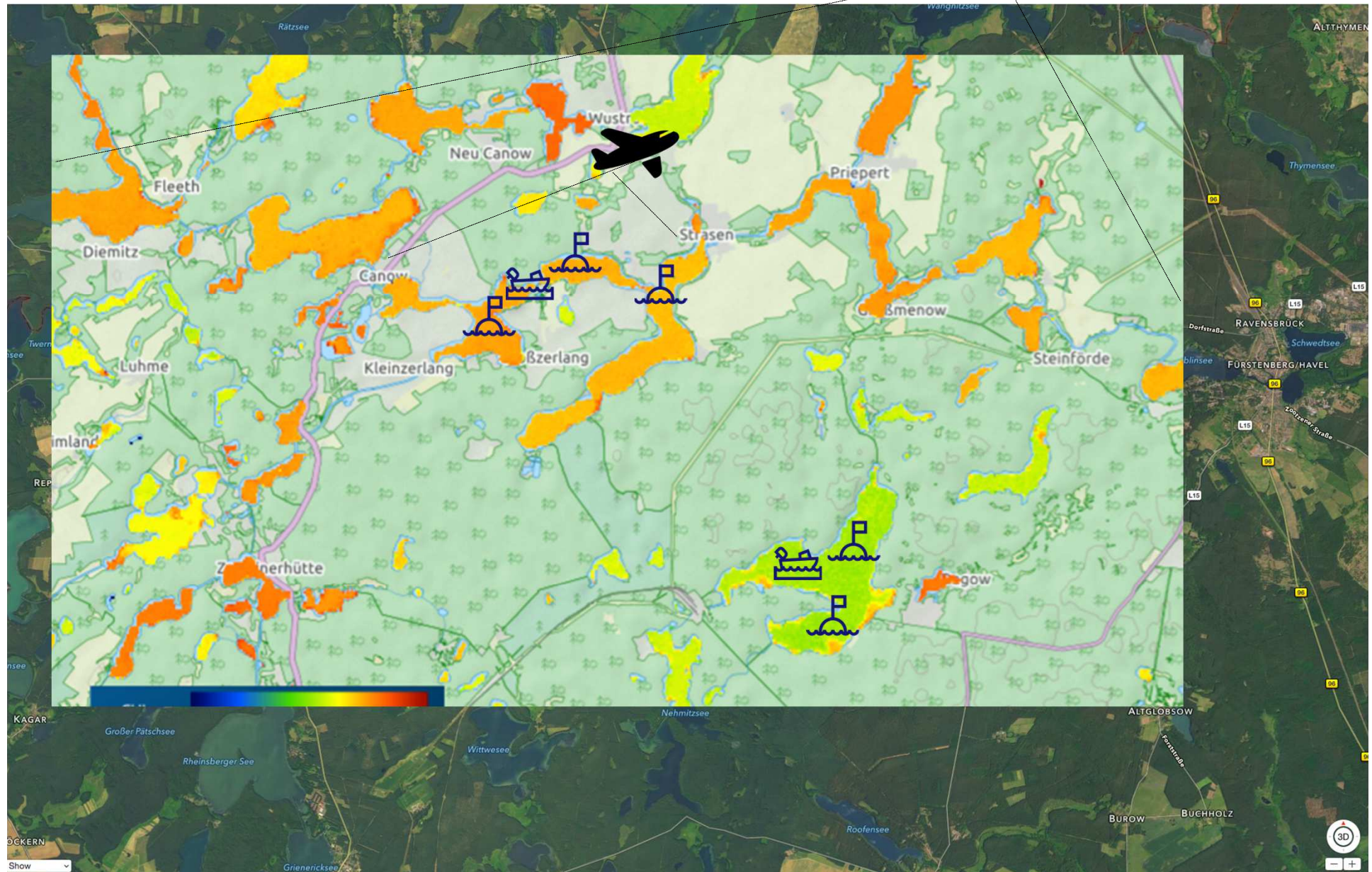
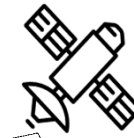


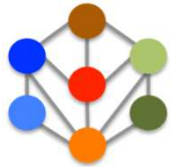
Remote sensing:
Hyper- and multispectral
cameras, handheld > drone
> airplane > satellite





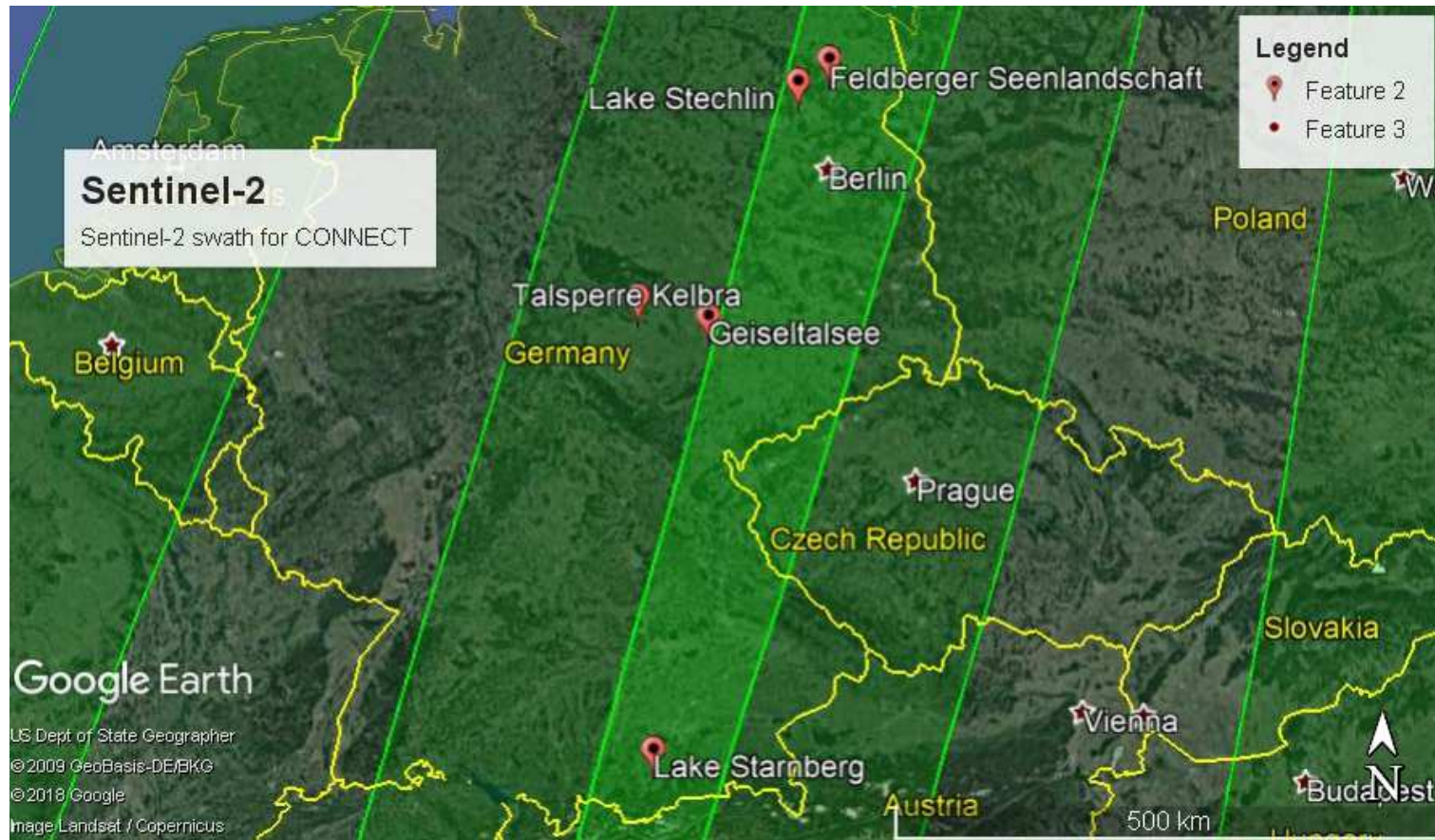
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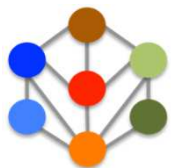




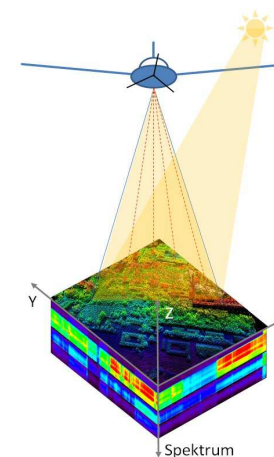
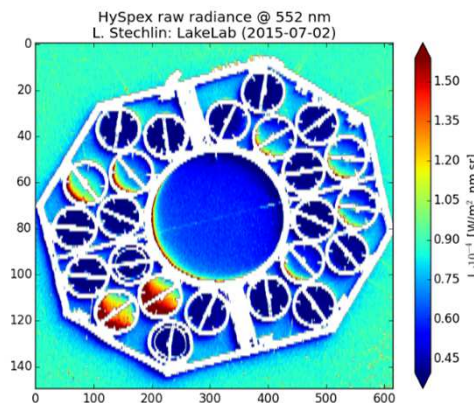
Sentinel 2 - schedule

- Area that is sampled twice within 10 days (center green)



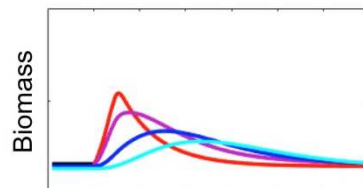
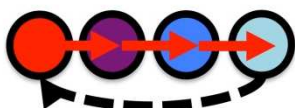


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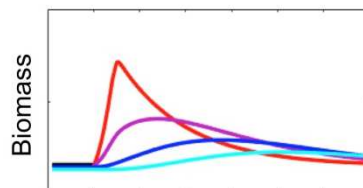
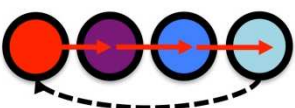


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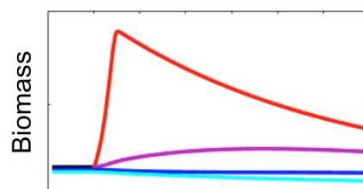
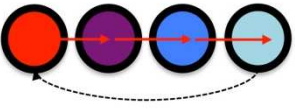
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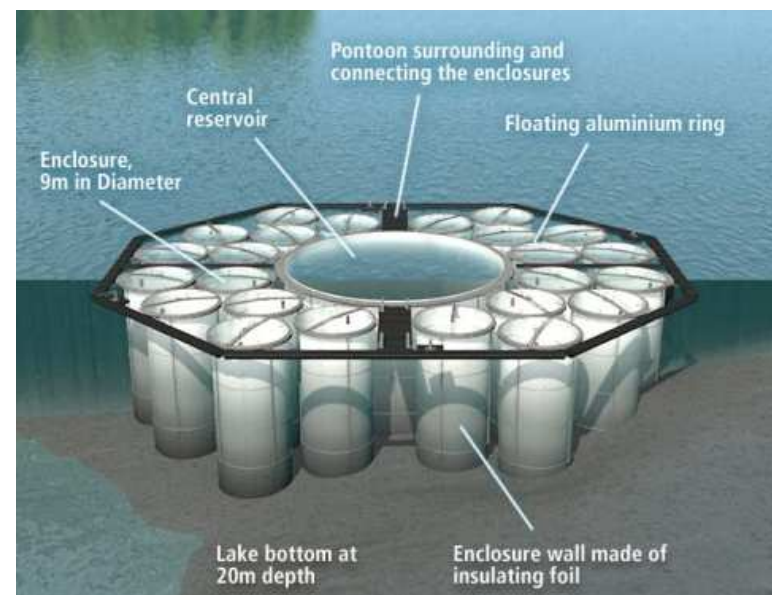
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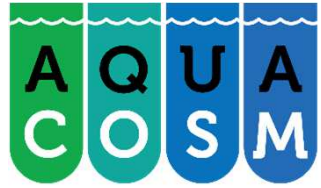
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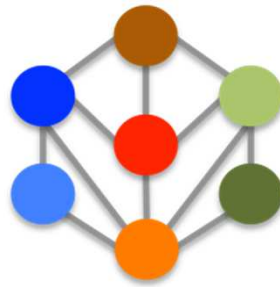
YSI multiparameter probe

bbe Moldaenke fluorescence probe



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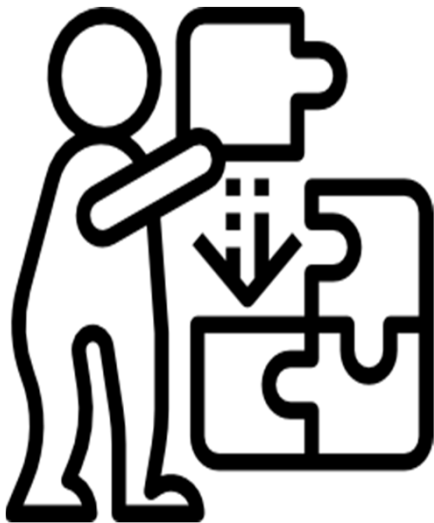


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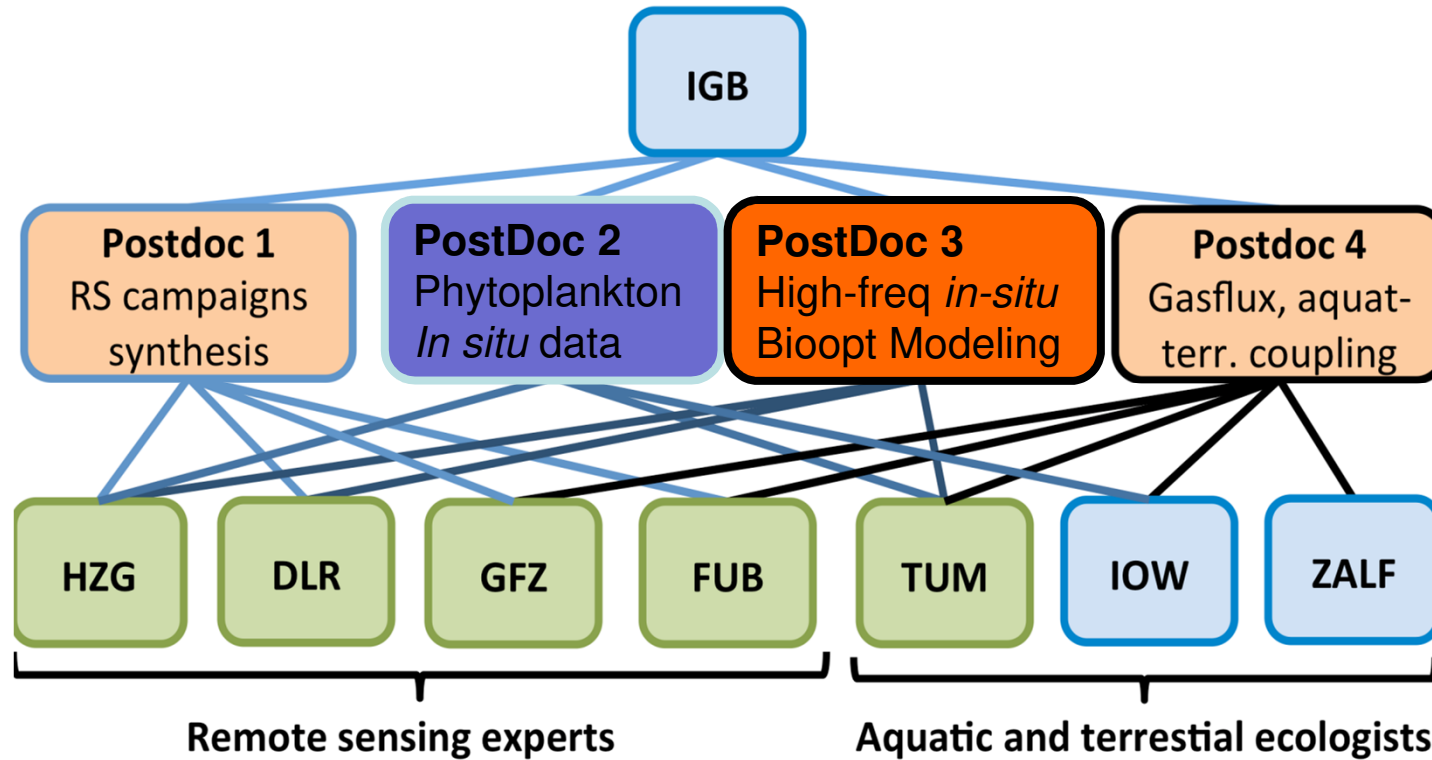
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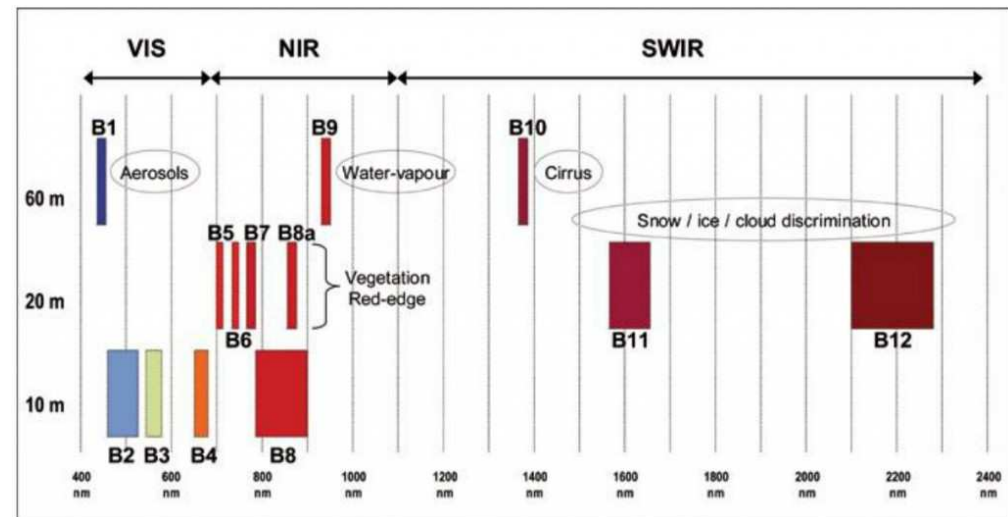
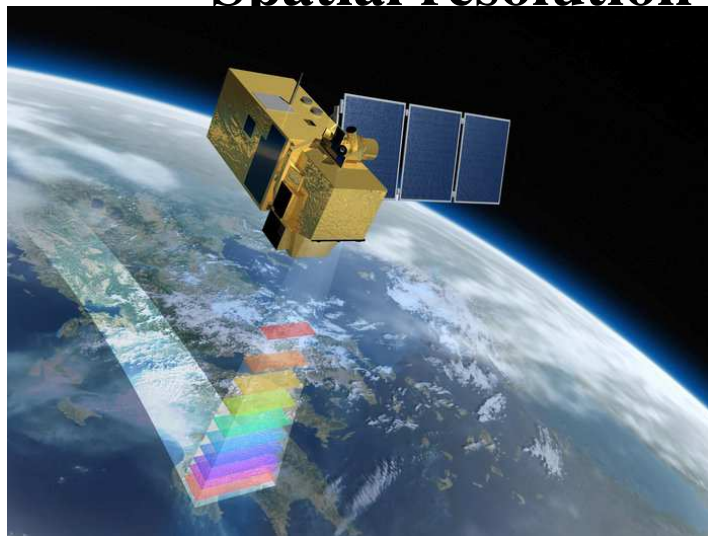
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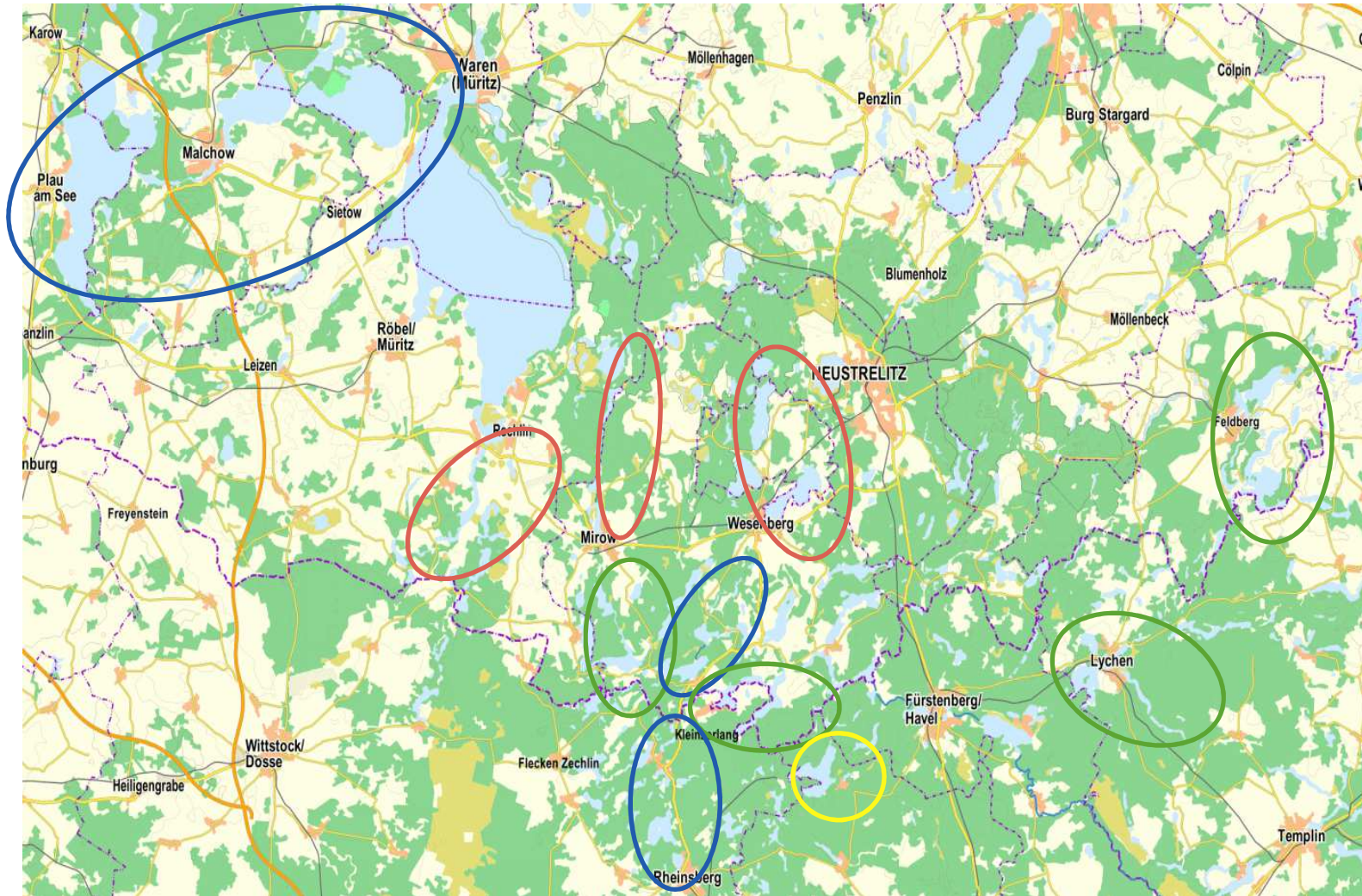
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Sentinel 2

- **ESA Copernicus: Sentinel 2 (A+B)**
- **MSI – multi-spectral-imager: 13 bands (tailored for terrestrial applications)**
- **Spatial resolution 10-20m, measures every 2-3 days**



possible lake chains in north-BB and MV

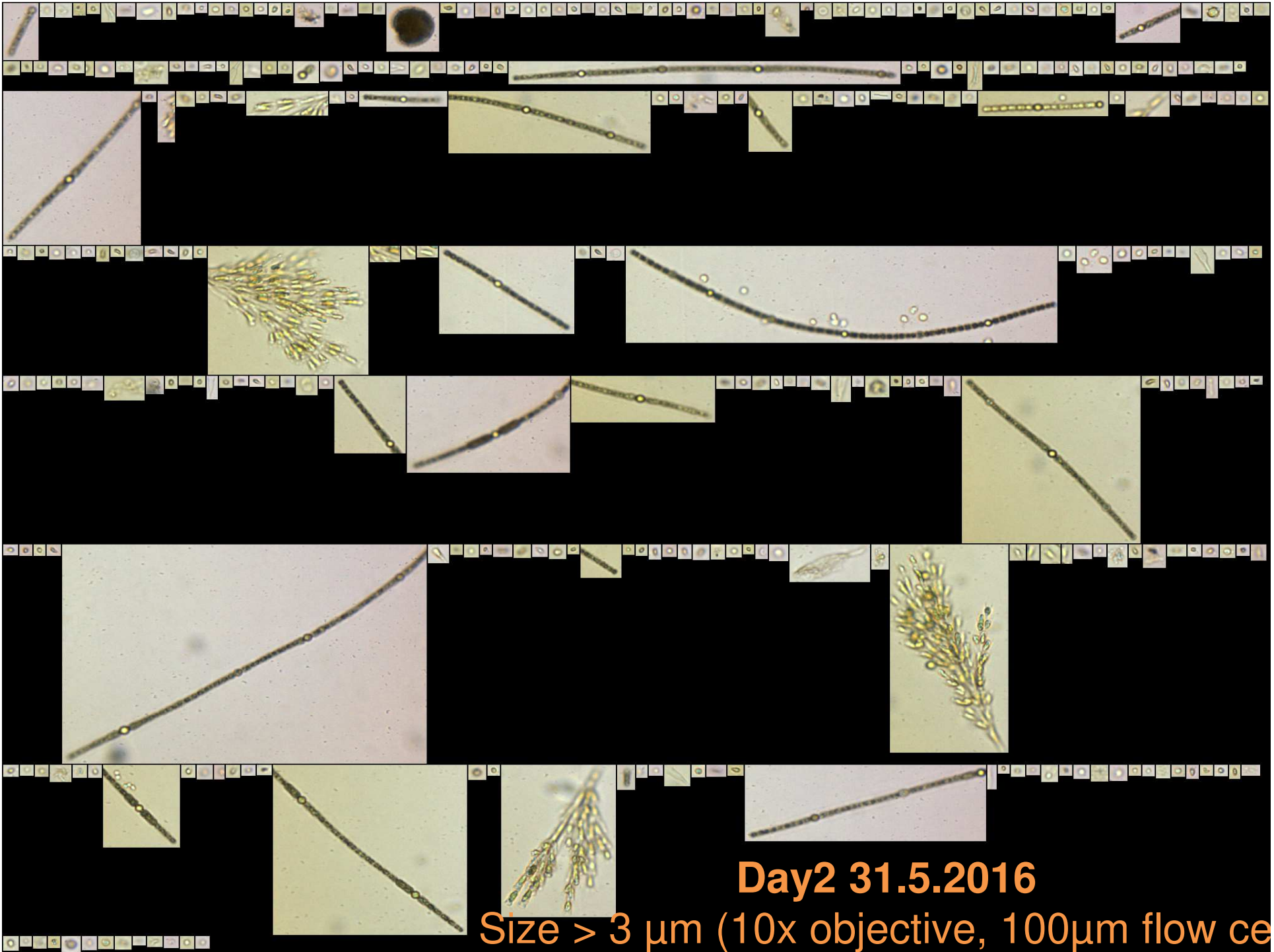


- lake types 10/13
- mixed lake types
- lake types 11/12
- Lake Stechlin

lake chain	lake	type (UBA)	max. depth	area	length	width
0-1	Zotzensee (Mirow)	10		1,78 km ²	1,9 km	0,5 km
0-1b	Schwarzer See (Schwarz)	13		1,78 km ²	2,6 km	0,9 km
0-2	Vilzsee	10	20 m	2,2 km ²	3,6 km	1 km
0-3/7-3	Labussee	10		2,51 km ²	3 km	0,9 km
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1-1 Prop/ 0-4	Kl. Pälitzsee	10	33 m	2,01 km ²	3,4 km	1,2 km
1-2	Gr. Pälitzsee	10/13	33 m	2,58 km ²	6,2 km	0,7 km
1-3	Ellbogensee	10	17 m	1,55 km ²	5,5 km	0,5 km

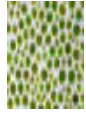



















































- lake chain 1 from proposal
- alternatively lake chain 0, but only one Sentinel-2 passing in 5 days
- watergates (*) in between
- Seasonal boat tours (Blau-Weiße Flotte) between Zotzensee and Kleiner Pälitzsee



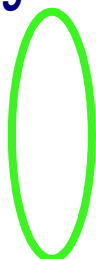


Day2 31.5.2016

Size > 3 μm (10x objective, 100 μm flow ce

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Chlorophyll-a								
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Phycobilines								
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Pigment composition of important algae classes



Dolichospermum spp. *Dinobryon* spp.

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