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Solutions for Risks and Crises Management

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Overview

Capacity Building

Space-based Solutions in Risk & Crisis Management

Initiatives in Africa







Spot Infoterra Group within Astrium and EADS



Spot Infoterra Group: key facts & figures

- The Geo Information division of Astrium Services
 - An international network of partners & customers
 - Staff: +800 staff (2008), located in 13 countries



Spot Infoterra Group



Our mission

To bring Earth observation imagery and geoinformation products & services to private and public sector **worldwide**, for managing the **development**, **environment** & **security** of our changing world.

The group aims at:

- developing the use of Earth observation imagery and services
- establishing capability in all aspects of valueadded geo-information services;
- building a sustainable business in Earth observation















Covering the Whole Value Chain





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Data Acquisition









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Airborne operations





- a unique revisit capacity
- more to come in 2010 with TanDEM-X, 2011 with Pléaides, 2012/13 with SPOT 6 / 7 **Complemented with:**
- airborne acquisition capabilities (digital cameras)
- mobile laser for field data collection (RapidSurveyor[™])



SPOT satellites

Unique capacity to capture large amount of images

- images 60 km wide
- 5 simultaneous images from SPOT 5
 - Panchromatic : 2.5m, 5m & 10m
 - Multispectral: 10m/20m
- 2 pointable Cameras per satellite
- Target Revisit 2-3 days/satellite









TerraSAR-X : Unique Features



Image acquisition at all times – independent of cloud cover

High resolution of up to 1 meter

High revisit rate: with a 95% probability any place on the earth can be imaged within 2.5 days

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Highest orbit accuracy of a commercial satellite worldwide



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TerraSAR-X - Operational Imaging Modes



SpotLight:

most sophisticated radar imagery available on market

- up to 1m resolution
- scene size 10 km (width) x 5 km (length)

StripMap:

- up to 3m resolution
- scene size 30 km (width) x 50 km (length*)

ScanSAR:

up to 18 m resolution

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Scene size 100 km (width) x 150 km (length*)
*StripMap & ScanSAR: acquisition length extendable to up to 1,650 km.





TanDEM-X



Heavy investments into TanDEM-X Mission (TerraSAR-X add-on for Digital Elevation Measurements)

- twin satellite constellation: TerraSAR-X and TanDEM-X
- Iaunch: 2010
- mission goal: global coverage with HRTI 3 standard (12 m posting, z-accuracy < 2 m)</p>
- consistent mapping of the Earth's land surface in ~3 years





Benefitting from our whole value chain



Capability building with Spot Infoterra

Thanks to more than 20 years of experience in Earth Observation Services and applications, Spot Infoterra Group as partner to set up new national capability:

- Know how transfer from existing operational services organisation
- Training thanks to highly skilled engineers
- Technology transfer based upon State of the art turnkey solutions
- Immediate benefit from
 - More than 10 years of R&D in agri-environment services
 - More than 20 years in satellite imagery marketing
 - More than 20 years in cartography applications

Smooth and well adapted transfer thanks to pilot projects as required

➔ One of the quickest and more effective path towards locally mastered operational services for the nation and the region





Support

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Training local team

- Technical training (ex. TerraSAR-X training)
- Marketing training (for specific applications such as Agriculture..)
- Conference days
 - Main application of satellite and aerial imagery
 - Practical examples, case studies
 - Workshops
- Business tour to Ministries
 - Better understand the needs of your countries
 - Define general projects and pilots
- Development of Pilot Project
 - Support of Spot Infoterra Group
 - Local acquisition & processing

=> Detailed action plan to be set up together during early program stages

Pilot Project = establish service and transfer know how



Know how transfer & support to grow services locally

Baseline Data & infrastructure as a core start for future business
 Pilot projects to grow end users services



Risk & Crisis Management : main line of services

- Agriculture and Environment Services
 - Focus on territory to support rural development
 - Land Sustainability
 - Support policies and economical development

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Pressure of agriculture on the environment

Oil Spill Pollution Monitoring Services

On shore and Off shore

Natural Disaster Management Services
 On shore and Off shore

Civil Security Services

- Collaborative tool CHORUS
- Telecommunications



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Agricultural and Environmental Services

Geo-information services for monitoring land & natural resources at different scales



Geo-Information Services to Serve Agricultural Actors

The following charts depict the full range of services which can be implemented to boost agricultural development for the benefit of public and private actors

According to priorities, services can be deployed independently in time ...

Keeping in mind that costs can be saved thanks to resources mutualisation













Agriculture & environment: 3 main lines of activities

- Crop management service
 - Focus on territory to support rural development
 - Crop-specific agronomic data at the field level
- Cropland management
 Agricultural Statistics
 - Local to regional
 - Support agriculture policy and economical development
- Natural Environment Management
 Land Sustainability (land reform & land planning perspective)
 - Land cover / land use mapping and change monitoring

- Potential of regions to accommodate crop growing
- Pressure of agriculture on the environment
- Climate change effects mitigation





1. Crop Management Service (at field level)

An agronomic service to effectively support crop management at the field level

 Based on the sharp and regular observation of fields and their intra-field variability with space borne images

• Service features :

- Growers to get maps for each field along the growing season, indicating crop status and/or recommendations for crop management
- Cooperatives and mills to get territorial maps (production area) providing a synthetic view about crop distribution or crop maturity (for each type of crop)



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Crop management & precision farming



To move back to better view !

Canopy status cannot be seen by farmers at ground level or even by flying over the field ... optical sensors can see what human eyes can not !



Field as seen from above



Vegetation variability as measured by processing applied on Formosat image







Ex : Crop Monitoring

>Sugar crop monitoring in Morocco, production ilots identification with 2m resolution imagery (Formosat 2)



Ex: Monitoring of sensitive area (soil erosion)



Service cost differ according to the package proposed to the growers / distributors (i.e. number of acquisition period, added value of the geo-information products, etc.)

Initial investment to set-up operational services often are partially funded by the government as far as :

-Services fit with agricultural policies related to development of this sector

-Economical model be analysed during the pre-operational phase (2/3 years) to ensure service cost is justified by ROI and therefore affordable for growers

Priorities to be discussed with Min Agriculture and with industries, in particular about crops to focus on (cotton, cereals, horticulture, etc.)





2. Agricultural Statistics

Benefits (focus on cereals)

Agricultural statistics enable to reduce from 20% to less than 10% the uncertainties about production estimates

Simulation

- \rightarrow 4Mtons of wheat to export ± 10 % (with Ag. Stats) to ± 20 % (without Ag. Stats)
- \rightarrow Speculative positioning on future markets (with a standard volatility of 20%)
 - > Risk is to sale more than what domestic production is able to supply & then to offset loss of production in buying grain on the export market at a higher price than selling price

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According to the scenario (date) Agricultural Statistics allow to save 100 to 200MEuros (yearly)





Definition

What is it:

-Information products allowing to know

- Crop distribution (and then relative acreages)
- Productivity level of cropped areas

-The continuous monitoring of the crop development to estimate final production

Usefulness:

-Knowledge about cropped areas to

- Cropland evolution analysis (inter-annual)
- Fragile areas identification (e.g. loss of fertility), ag. policies follow-up
- Productivity estimate for each crop industry

-Input information to estimate

Production level

Water consumption for irrigated crops

-Crop development monitoring to:

- Anticipate production levels and then import/expert strategy
- Early warning system about potential threats (drought)





3. Land Sustainability : context & issues

Fragile environment, agriculture threatened by water scarcity, soil erosion and loss of fertility

Severe climatic conditions

Continental & fairly dry climateClimate change to worsen situation

Crop management being adapted to reduce pressure of agriculture on the environment

Irrigation (water scarcity), pesticides & fertilizers (diffuse pollution)
Overgrazing (desertification)

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Piloter et optimiser l'usage de la ressource en eau



Gestion de la ressource en eau : Périmètres irrigués







Calcul des volumes d'irrigation

Cartes de distribution de cultures + modèle d'irrigation = cartes des volumes utilisés pour l'irrigation



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Volumes d'eau 2004 Total: 85,39 Mm³ Moyenne hauteur: 107 mm

Volumes d'eau 2005 Total: 56,68 Mm³ Moyenne hauteur: 77 mm





Gestion de la ressource en eau : Cartographie de zone humide





Tools to Support Land Planning

Indicators and maps to measure and simulate
 Agriculture pressure on the environment
 Land suitability on a territorial approach
 Climate change impact

Benefits : to support ag. policies implementation & reinforcement in a sustainable development perspective

- -Feasibility to set-up new productive systems on a given region
 - land reallocation, new industry development, new management strategies, e.g. irrigation
- -Land use conflict (land and water) identification
- -Agriculture pressure on the environment mitigation
- -Policy making to anticipate climate change effects

Definition : a combination of maps & simulation tools

Land use / land use change mapping (to be further turned into natural habitat and ecosystem maps)

- Land accounting system
- Simulation tools to address desertification, soil salinisation, etc.




Forestry and Climate Change: Co2 emissions

- Climate change and the role which forests play require new tools in order to answer the high stakes of large scale monitoring
 - Deforestation contributes to 20% of CO2 emissions and requirements include:



- Mapping of natural zones
- Identification of evolution in terms of afforestation, reforestation, deforestation
- Forest monitoring included in the <u>REDD « Climate Package »</u> which follows the Kyoto Protocol (Reduced Emission due to Deforestation & Forest Degradation).
- Forests are complex natural environments difficult to characterise
 Satellite imagery is used for certain operations such as forest inventory,
 - plantation follow-up and burn scar mapping
- Satellite imagery can be used to develop services in response to global needs:
 - Reference scenario (status at reference date), eligibility of forest areas (carbon credits)
 - Stratification and optimization of operational areas (carbon stock estimation..)

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Follow-up on identified forest zones indication degradation or deforestation



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Example : Climate Change - Kyoto Protocol - LULUCF

LULUC (Land Use and Land Use Change) : Countries having ratified the Kyoto Protocol must report on Co2 emissions

→ What is the method used by France?



Example : Forest Mapping

Nam Theun river - Laos

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flooding of forest zones following the startup of a hydro-electric dam can lead to massive GES emissions and make the installation more polluting than a thermal factory. A study must be undertaken to limit/eliminate this risk. A forest map was done in order to optimize biomass estimation.

W ater Soil Swamp Agricultural soils Degraded Forest Primary For est Light Forest Mixed Forest Ripisylve

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Example : Forest Change Detection

Analyse damage to forest canopies caused by clear cutting or accidents, such as fires (pink to yellow indicates degree of degradation, green indicates preserved forest



Mato Grosso : damage evolution

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Base image satellite 10 m (2000)

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Base image satellite 10 m - 2001

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Oil Pollution Services

combining optical, radar and hyperspectral data with DEM's for environmental monitoring :



Satellite Imagery and Oil Spill Monitoring



Operation & Production - Surface Movement Mapping for Oil Field Monitoring

Surface Movement Mapping



- TerraSAR-X technology is able to measure the vertical movement of the ground with sub centimetre accuracy.
- These measurements can be repeated in 11 day intervals.
- The result is a monitoring of the subsidence or uplift movements of the ground over time.

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This delivers vital early warning tool

In Oil-/Gas field monitoring for example, surface movement mapping serves as:

information for optimization

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• early warning if critical infrastructure is threatened



TerraSAR-X for Subsidence monitoring

Monitoring of Surface Movement

High-resolution TerraSAR-X identifies substantially more persistent scatterers than other SAR sensors





TerraSAR-X flattened interferogramm



Environmental Monitoring



Assessing Off-shore and Coastal Activities

Shipping activities, oil production platforms, pollution mapping



Oil Spill and Pollution Monitoring



Man-made oil slicks are mapped within the Global Seeps database

But clearly discriminated from natural oil

Often individual ships or rigs can be associated with a particular slick

Especially if current and wind information is included

Global Seeps database provides a unique historical baseline of "background" pollution in most coastal areas across the globe

Used as a key baseline reference whenever new spills are reported

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Provides input to Infoterra's rapid response services





Example : Oil Spill event







Example : Post Tanker Accident

Eastern Crimea (Ukraine) -Post-Tanker Accident Situation 2007-11-30



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Proposed Disaster Management Services

- **The second seco**
 - emergency responses solutions
 - reference mapping data, specialise
 - delivery of crisis management centres



1. Prevention - Assets and Vulnerability Mapping



2. Anticipation - Early Warning



Forest fire propagation simulator



Flood Monitoring and anticipation

Satellite data : DTM, land cover, vegetation cover

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- Simulation models
 - Fire
 - Flood (with Meteo France International)

GIS-based decision support system

Other

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3. Response - Rapid Mapping Example 1: flood mapping

> using radar imagery



Example 2: Flood Modelling & Rapid Response

>Extent of flooding over Tewkesbury, derived from a TerraSAR X image



Example 3: Earthquake Damage Assessment



4. Post Response - Damage Assessment Example 1: flood mapping

> using radar imagery



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Example 2: Critical Infrastructure Analysis

Flood mapping using radar imagery



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Example 3: Fire Mapping

≻using optical imagery (Greece fires)



Risks and Crises management system : RISK-FRAME

Application suite for operational centres

Prevention

- Operational geographical data management
- Risks simulation & scenarios analysis

Anticipation / Early Warning

- Real-time situation monitoring
- Anticipation

Crisis

- Tactical Situation management & monitoring
- Resource management
- Anticipation

Post-Crisis

Capitalisation





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Simulation of forest fire propagation



Interactive Simulation of fire propagation

For hypothetical event or for real alert

□ State-of-the art operational approach

□Takes into account : vegetation types, topography, wind, vegetation moisture

Rapid (a few seconds for 6 hours scenario)

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Simple to use





Flood monitoring and early warning



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Real-time display of sensor values and models outputs

Automatic computation of alert indicators

Synthetic blackboards for easy monitoring

Interactive access to historical values for comparison to present situation

Spatial analyses for analysis of potential impacts

Generation of situation reports





Flash Flood management services : PREDICT



JV started in 2006, 3 shareholders



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- Commercial services towards local communities, for management of floods
 - Before event : prepare "Community safeguard plan" (PCS)
 - During event : real-time monitoring of situation, anticipation of impact, advice on rescue plan
- Operational centre based in Montpellier
- Expertise and capacity transfer towards other countries







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Tracking and communication with mobile units : ELISEO

Real-time vehicles/ pedestrians tracking and display of their positions and status from the commanding centre

In-field terminals providing cartographic data, routing support and access to supporting operational information

Bidirectional communication between the commanding centre and the vehicles : messages and geographical information



Portable device for positioning and satellite communication







In-field pedestrian kit



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Vehicle on-board terminal



Satcom Solutions for Security - examples

Redundant telecommunication networks – using satellite links as backup

Tetra Backhaul via Satellite for coverage expansion



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Mobile Communication Nodes

- Wifi Services
- GSM Services
- PMR Tetra Services

Highspeed link to Mobile Command Post







CHORUS concept

A new offer

- For risks & crisis management centres
- More globally : geo-collaboration solution in a user friendly Web environment
- Key features & benefits
 - A service offer
 - Off-the-shelf, Turnkey solution, available at once
 - No customer burden on software or hardware admin, or even GIS management
 - Real-time collaboration between operational centres
 - Through shared Web server : straightforward deployment
 - Information sharing before and during crisis
 - Integration of services and fusion of information from multiple sources
 - Early warning centres
 - In-field data
 - Information from local centres
 - Global observation from satellites and third-party sources
 - Decision support for strategic management of crisis
 - On-line tools : impact analysis, operations planning, simulation, …
 - Google Earth as user-friendly interface and information federation platform

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CHORUS positioning



CHORUS : Real-time collaboration





CHORUS : strategic decision-making for National Centre

- A complete solution for National Civil Security Centre
 - Monitoring of situation over large territory
 - Detection of incidents
 - Information access and gathering from multiple sources
 - Analysis of situation, possible evolutions, damage assessment
 - Overall coordination of crisis
 - Experience capitalisation

Dedicated to

- with local civil security centres
- Immediately interoperable with them

Taking benefit of

- Advanced geo-information technologies : Google Earth Enterprise
- Satellite services : geo-information and communications





Spot Infoterra : some of our on going activities in Africa

SUJALA in Senegal: Rural development program funding by World Bank in India

Green Morocco Plan: accompaniment of a politic of agriculture reorganisation

AFD Framework contract in Congo Basin for Carbon trading (REDD)

Nigeria: Signature of a MoU with NASRDA (NSDI + SAR + training)

Tunisia: Agri NSDI pilo

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Mauritius: LAVIM (Land Administration program)

Planet Action : Togo (Vegetation, Biodiversity & Ecosystem)



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Planet Action : Project Titre :

« Dégradation du couvert végétal de la Zone écofloristique IV et son impact sur les phénomènes naturels »


Planet Action : Project Logo :



Planet-Action theme: Vegetation, Biodiversity & Ecosystem

Expected outpout:

- > The survey zone forest cartography is actualized,
- > The forest statistics of the survey zone are known,
- > The natural phenomena lately recorded reasons are known

> The area resources management plans are established,

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This project will be achieved with the participation of actors intervening in:, CCNUCC office in Togo and national plate-form of disaster management the management of such:

- The natural resources protection (MERF, Ministry of agriculture, etc.)

- Climatic change domaine (meteorological scientists from DGMN, Universty of Lomé, CCNUCC office in Togo, etc.)





http://www.planet-action.org/web/85-project-detail.php?projectID=6257



A Spot Image initiative

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ZONE ÉCOFLORISTIQUE IV Togo	Explore the	map
In Depth Coverage		
Dégradation du couvert végétal de la Zone		

écofloristique IV et son impact sur les phénomènes naturels

La zone écofloristique IV du Togo est une zone jadis boisée. De nos jours on assiste à une déforestation très rapide de la zone pour la recherche de bois d'œuvre, de services

Thank you very much for your attention.

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