



Transboundary tools for spatial planning and conservation of the Gulf of Finland

Remote sensing for marine spatial planning in
the Neva Bay and the Eastern Gulf of Finland



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What kind of knowledge can be extracted from satellite data During implementation the TOPCONS Project?

We can use different kind of satellite images for solving goals of regional, local and detail levels:

- Monitoring of aquatic system.
- Integrated using with field observations – better interpolation and extrapolation.
- Asserting the sampling sites and aid in field data processing.
- Marine and coastal landscapes study.
- Compiling/updates maps of investigated areas (from very high resolution RS data by scale up to 1 : 2000).
- Control/Supervise the hydro-technical and other kinds of human activity.
- RS as aid for decision makers.
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Before the project «Sea Façade of the St. Petersburg» started



25.05.2002

Изображение LANDSAT-5 за 25.05.2002. Весенний период, работы по намыву не ведутся уже 10 лет (с 1992г.). «Просматривается» дно Невской губы (отмели, мели, отвалы фарватеров), отмечается «цветение» весеннего фитопланктона.

Terra/MODIS
and
Aqua/MODIS

2006г.



2007г.



2008г.



Variability of hydro-physical fields in the eastern Gulf of Finland caused by influence of natural and anthropogenic factors. Scenarios chosen from satellite Data Base for EGoF (monitoring using MODIS).

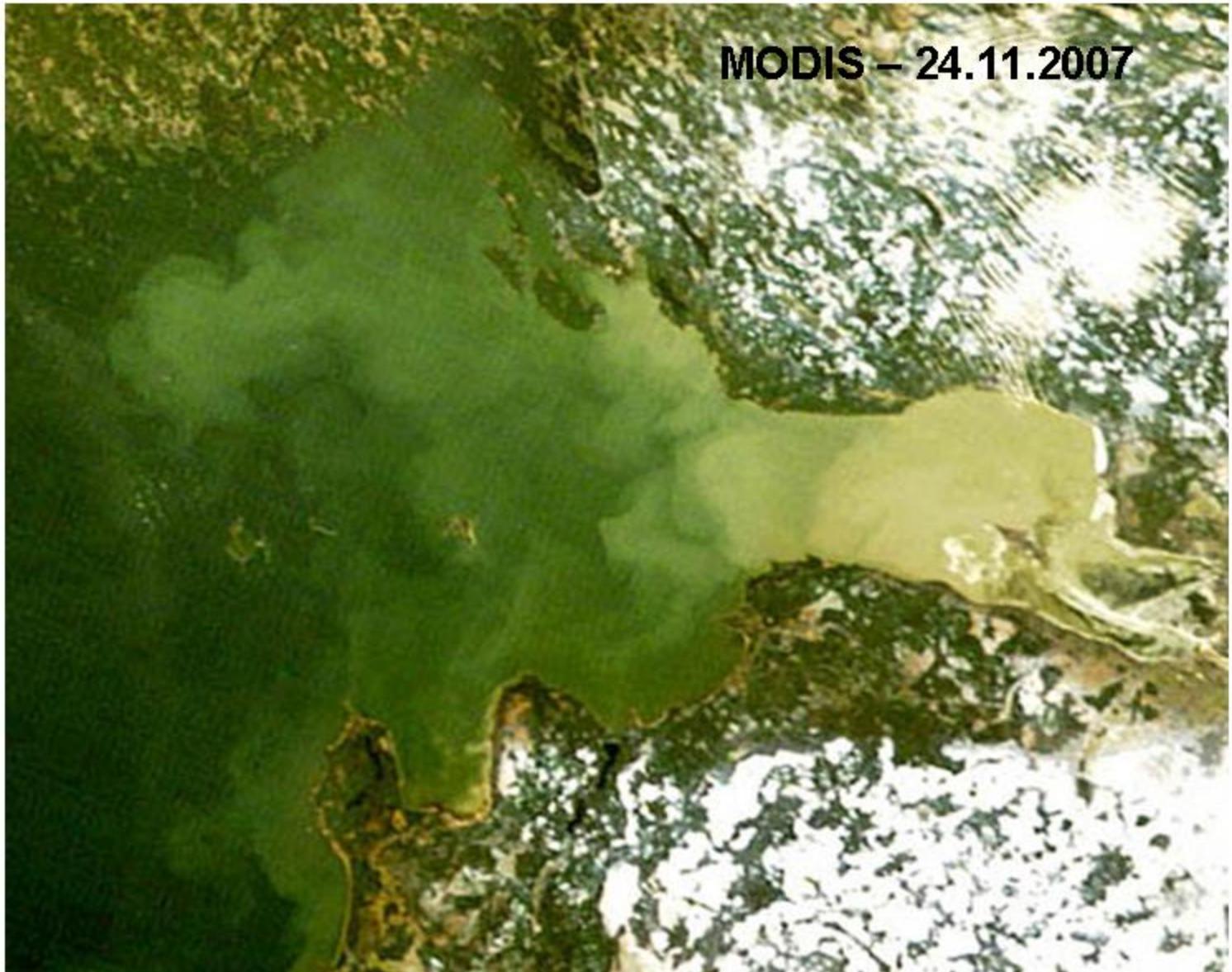


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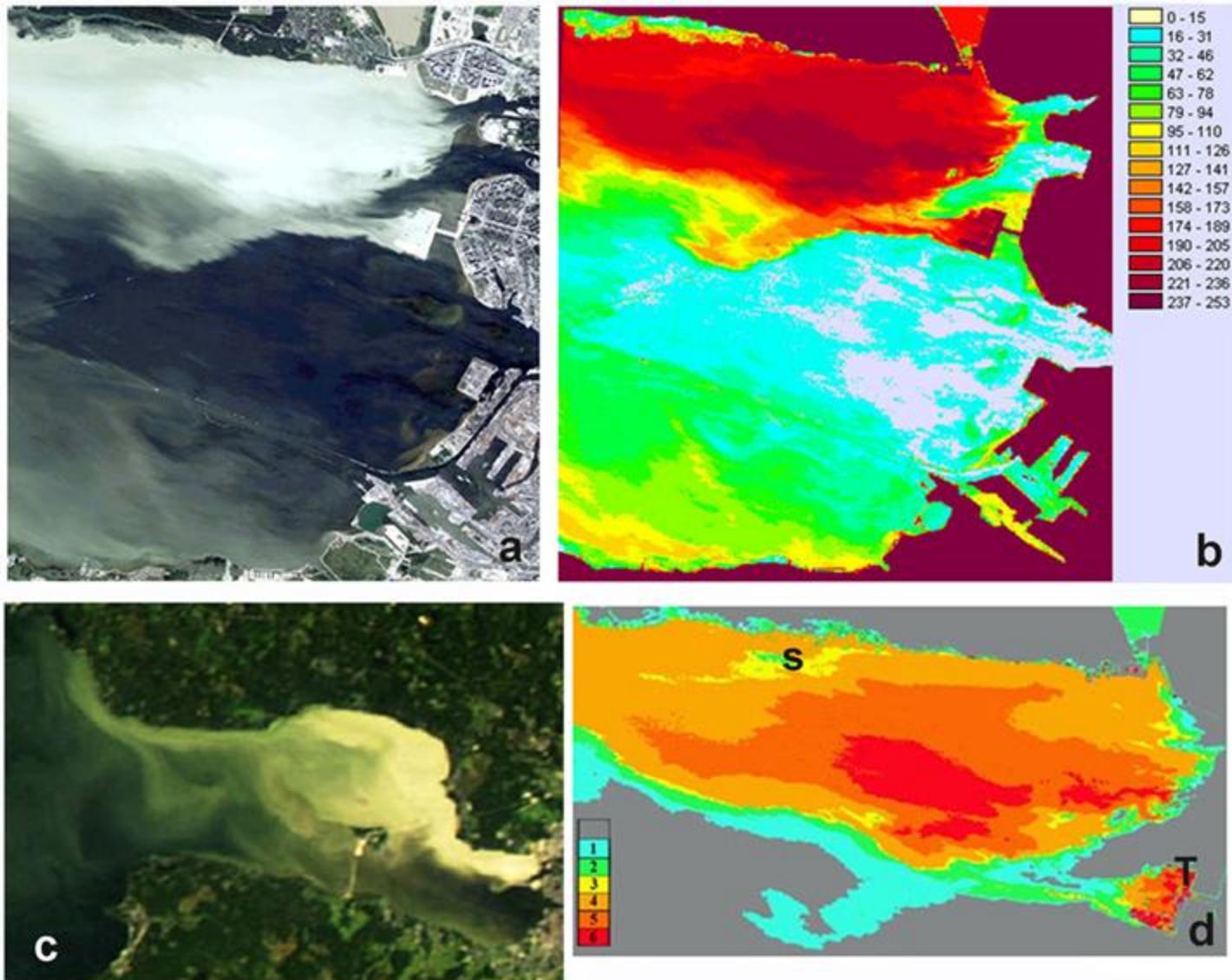
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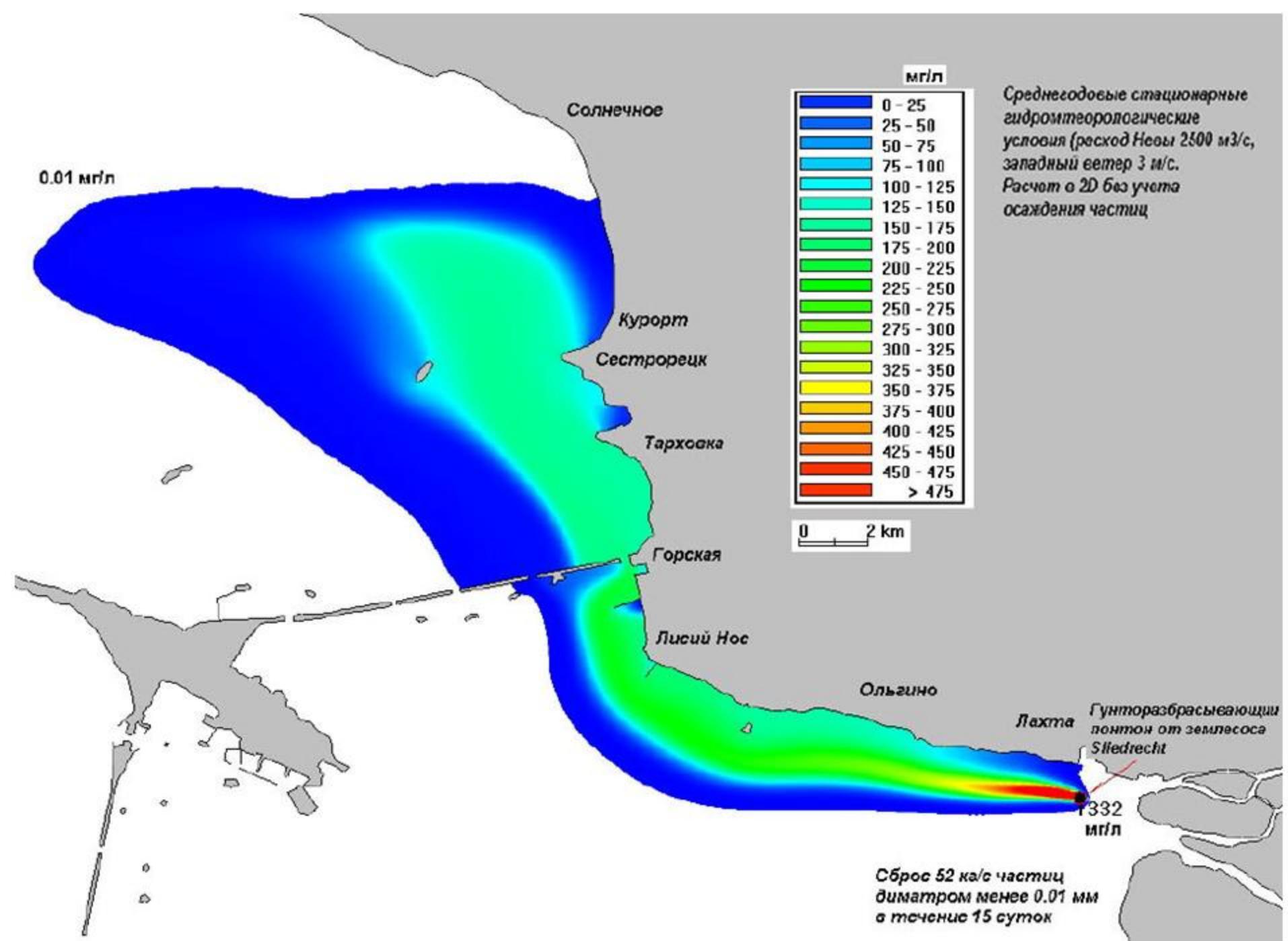
Late autumn and winter aspects. Fine SS distribution after the dredging activity has been stopped. Scenario chosen from satellite Data Base for EGoF (monitoring using MODIS)



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- a) Quick Bird image, 08.08.2007 – spot of water contamination by suspended sediments;
- b) values of radiances in channel-2 (for 16 intervals);
- c) MODIS/Aqua image, from 08.08.2007 – dispersion of suspended sediments faraway from licensed area; d) results of cluster analysis of the polluted area on the Quick Bird image: 1-6 zones with different values of sediments concentrations: 1 – minimum amount of suspended sediments, 6 – maximum, S – sewage plum from waste-pipe, T – new terminal (under construction).





Fragment of image L5_14_07_2006_RGB321

Some results of the EGoF monitoring during 2012



Terra/MODIS from 28.05.2012. Unusually early time Cianobacteria bloom



Terra/MODIS from 29.05.2012. Unusually early time Cianobacteria bloom

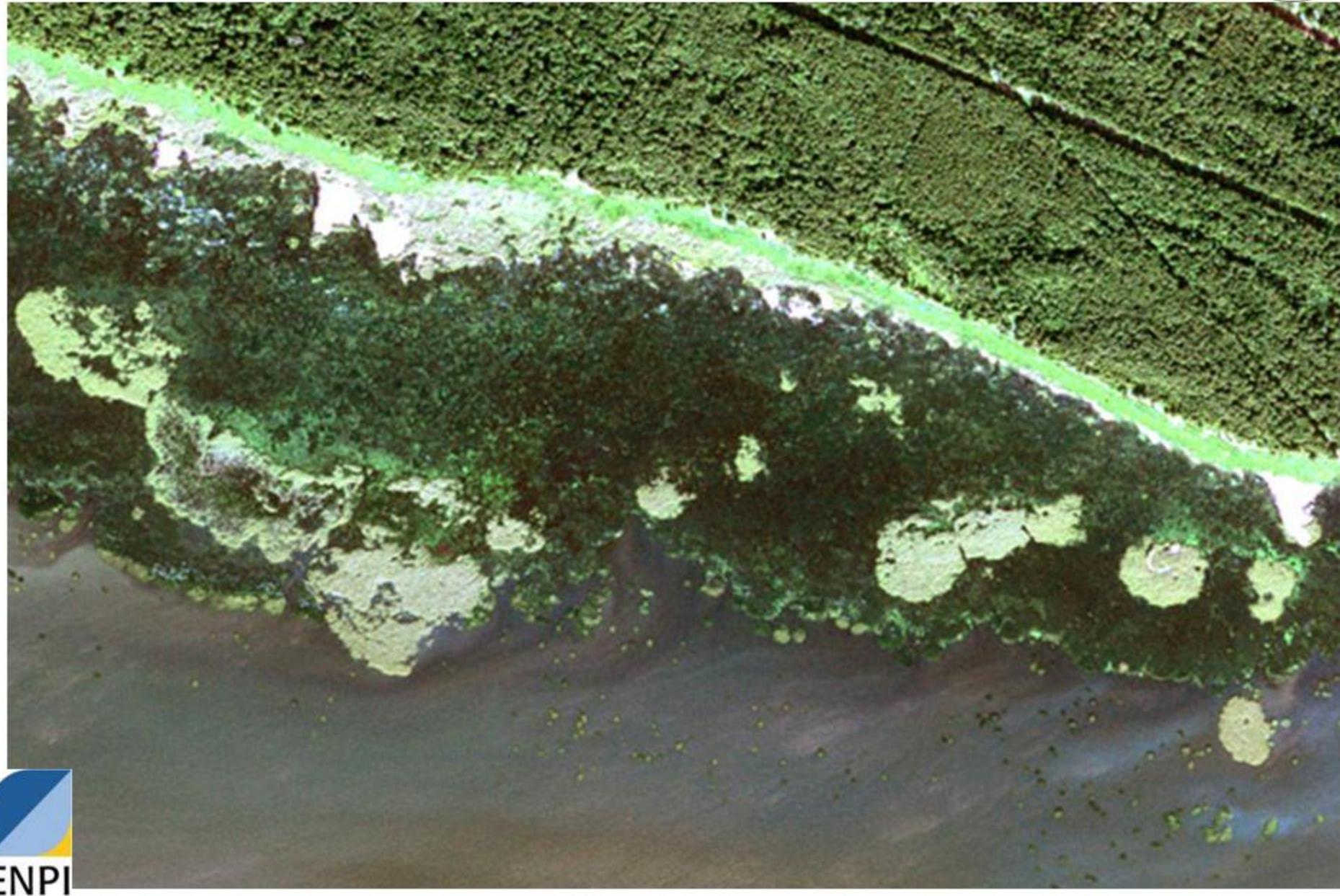


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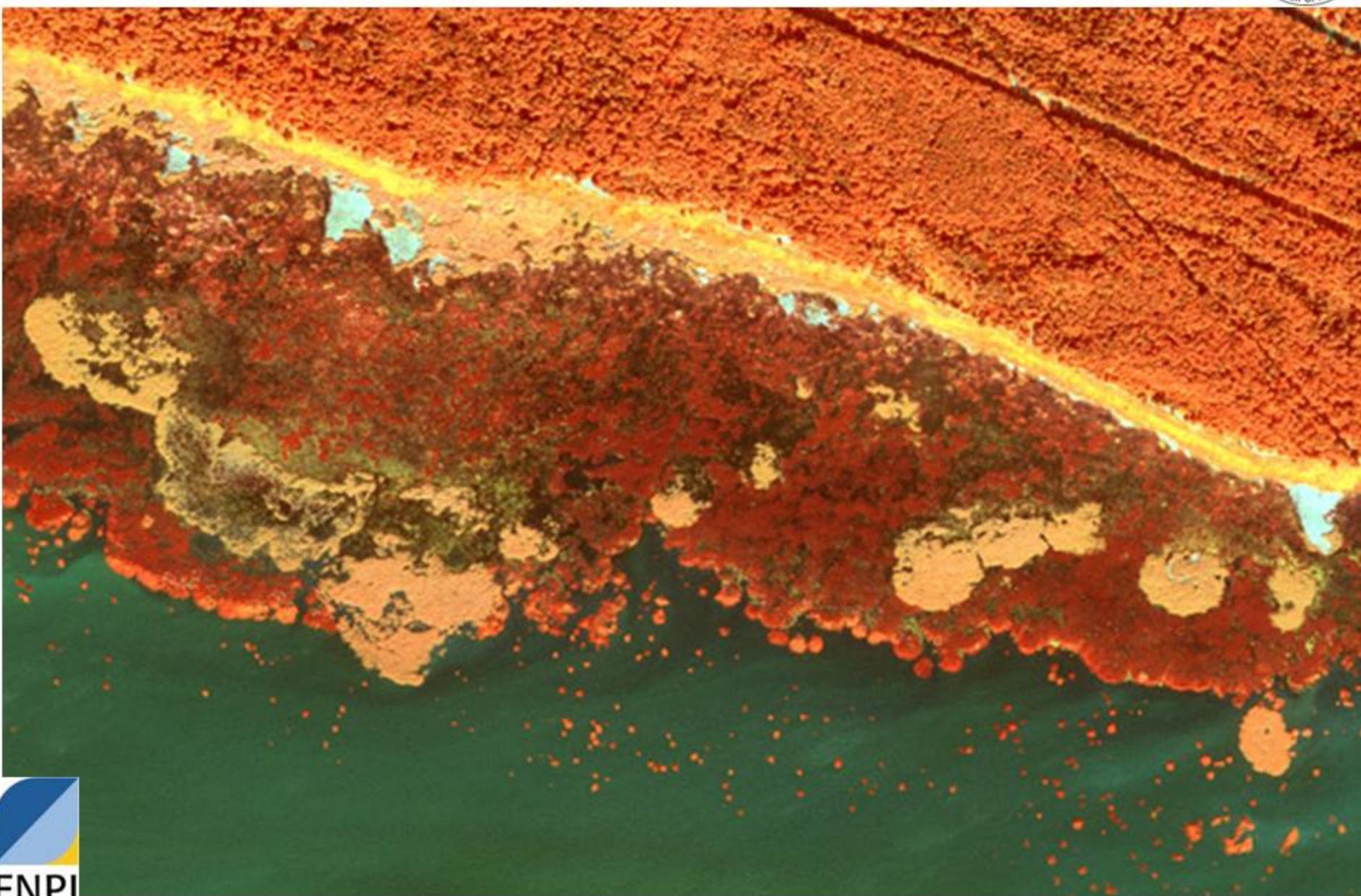


Aqua/MODIS from 26.08.2012

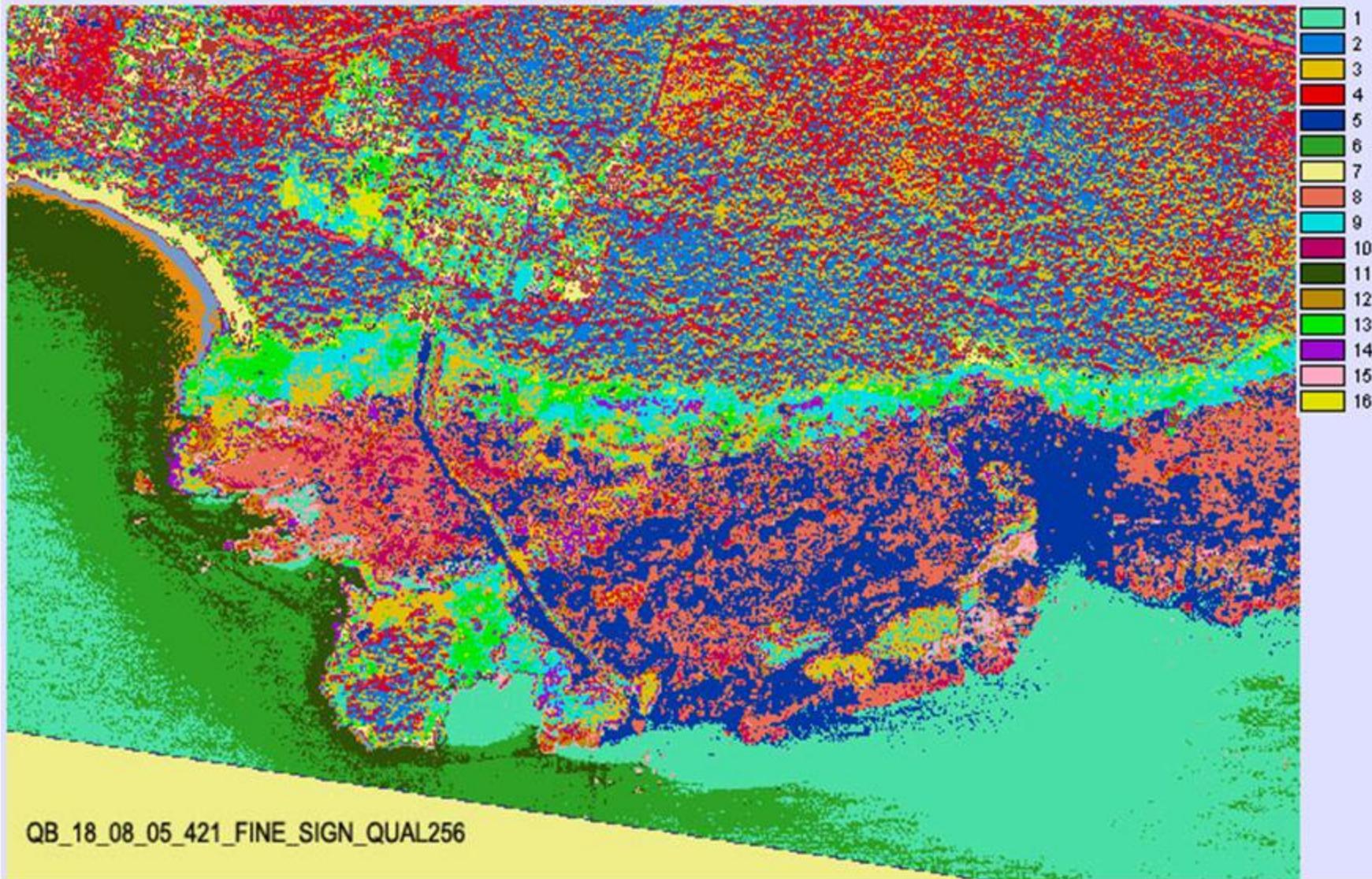
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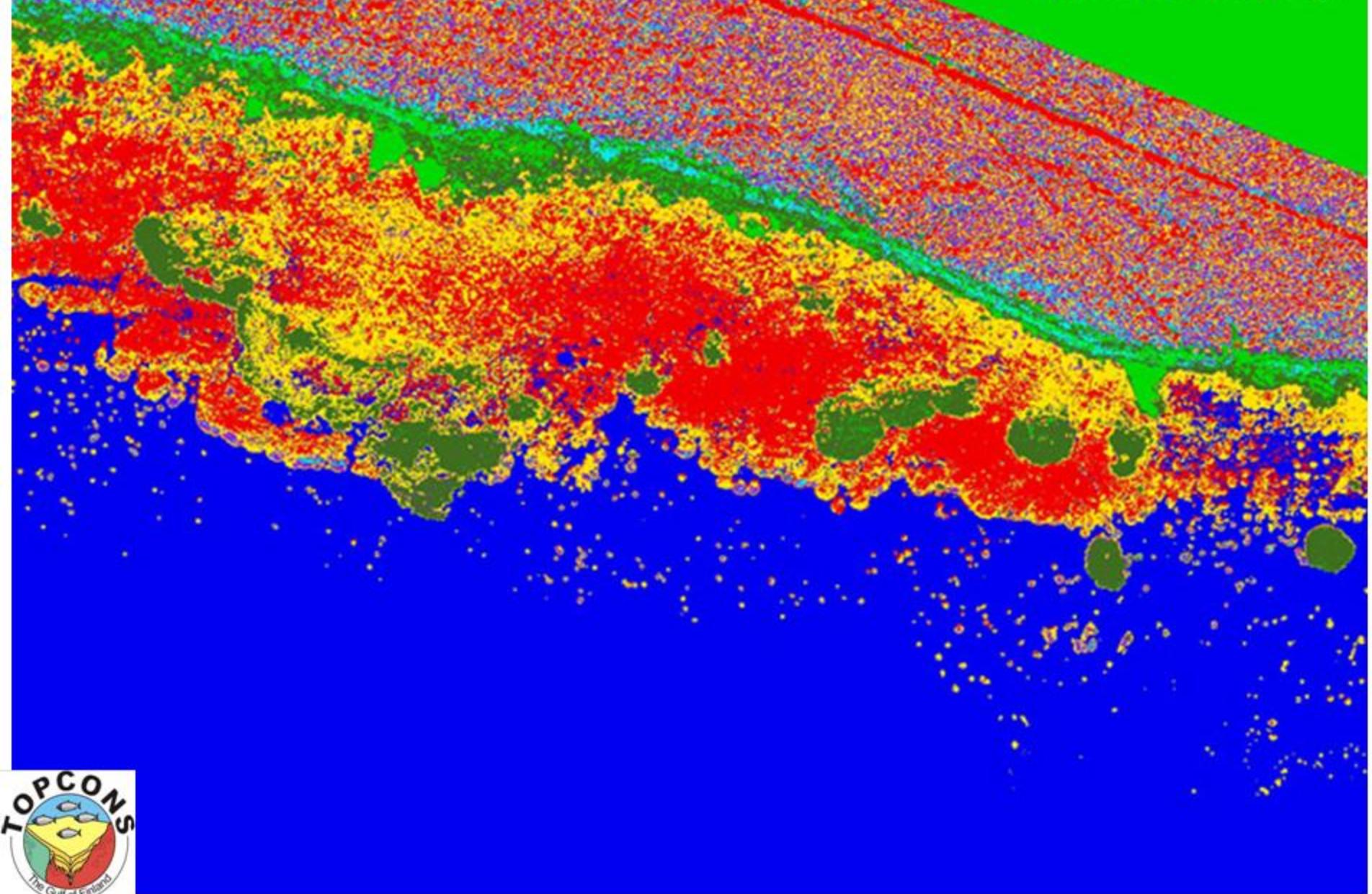
Cluster Analysis Result



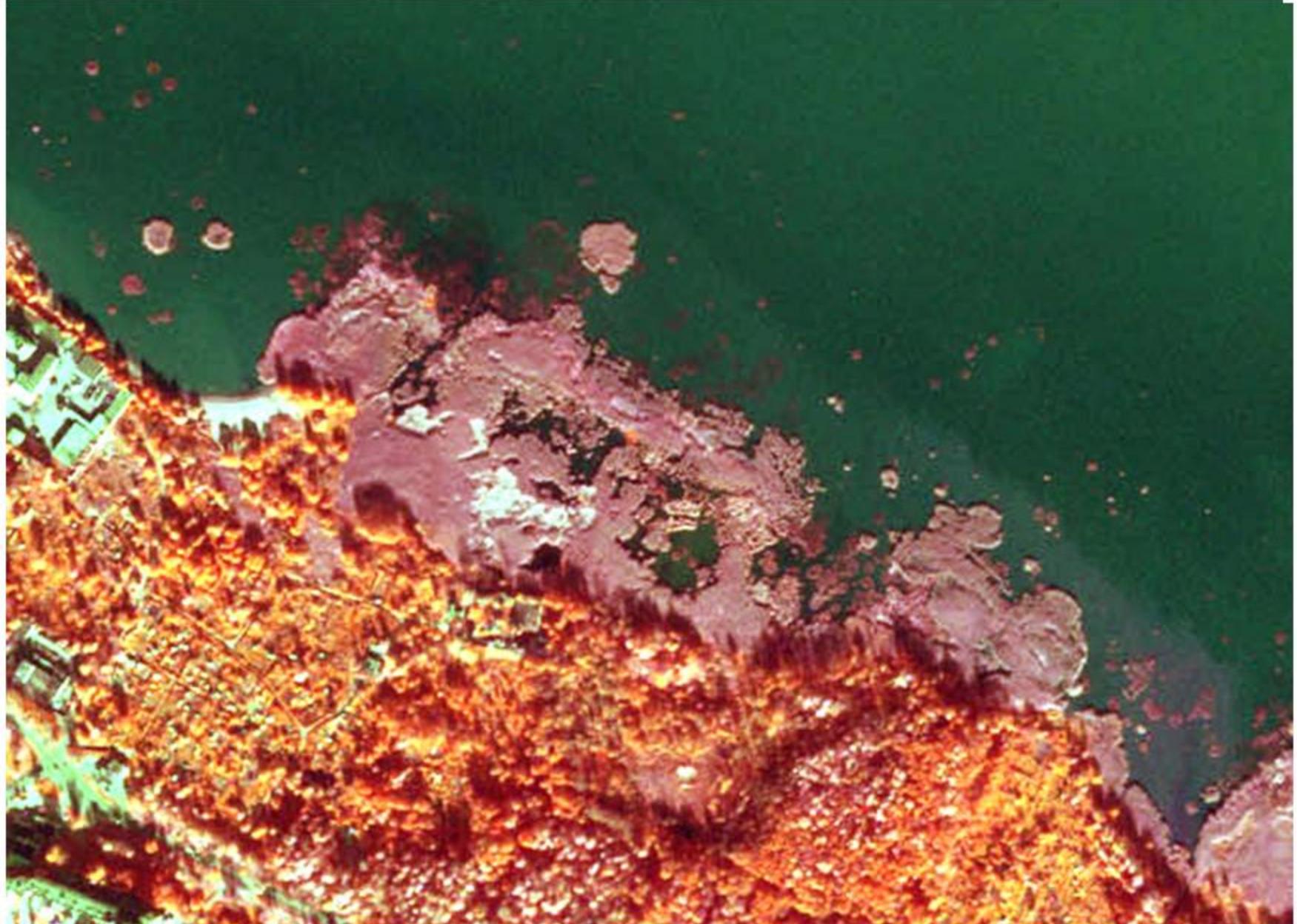
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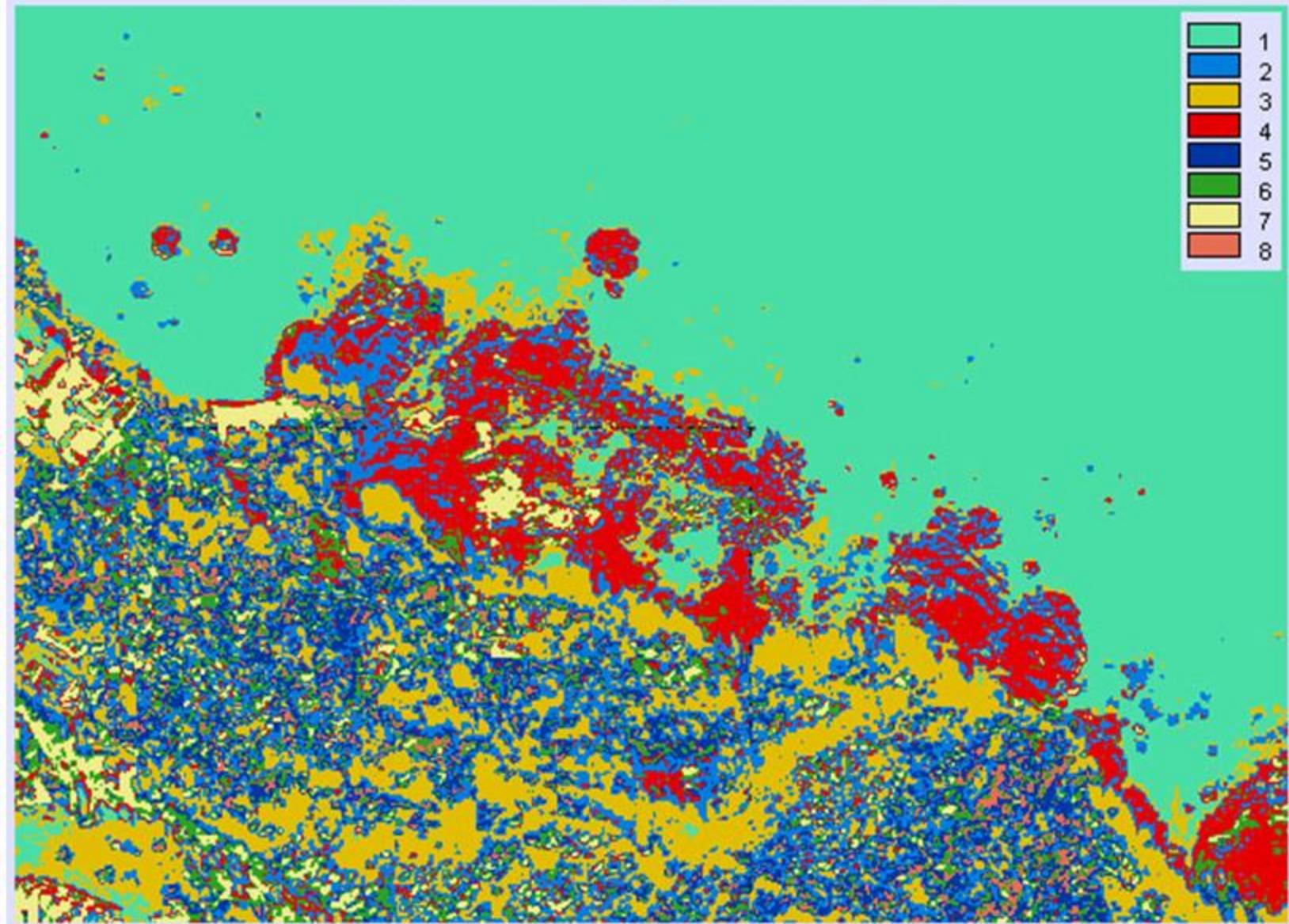
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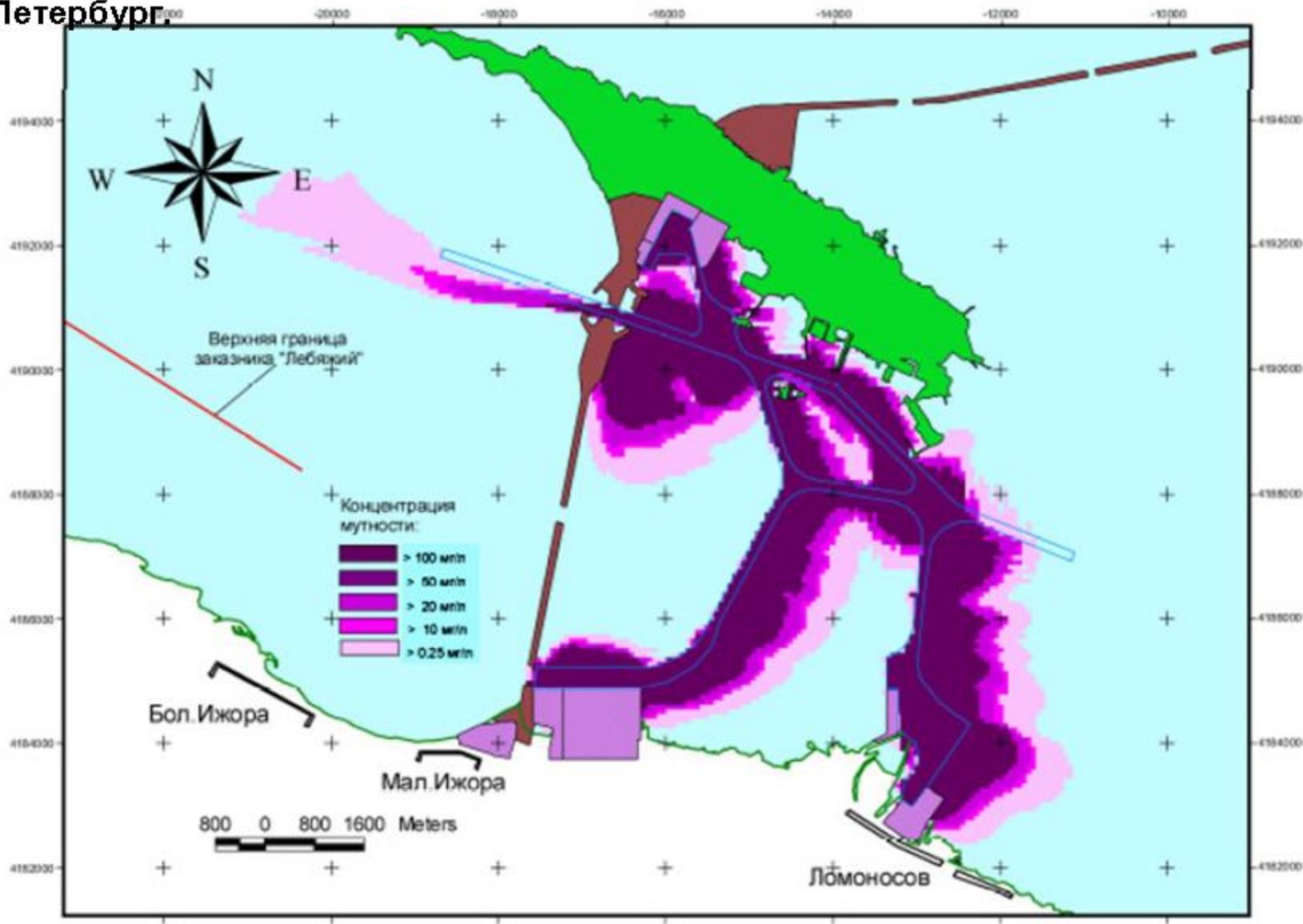
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Cluster Analysis Result



В.А. Жигульский, А.Ф. Обуховский. Экологические аспекты дреджинга в Российской части Балтийского моря. Презентация на семинаре СЕДА «Экологические аспекты дноуглубительных работ», 13 – 14 октября 2009г., Санкт-Петербург.



A landscape photograph showing a river flowing from the foreground towards a distant shoreline. The riverbank is covered in green grass and some yellowed vegetation. In the background, there are several tall, leafy trees and a building with a prominent steeple, possibly a church, under a clear sky.

Thank you
for attention!