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# Benefits of the ground segment use for EO data acquisition

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## Earth Observation applications vs. Timeliness

Weather: minutes	Real time		
Flight control: minutes		reception,	
Marine safety and polution: minutes - hours		acquisition	
4. Civil protection: minutes – hours			
. Atmosphere monitoring: minutes – days			
. Operational hydrology: 1 hour – 1 day			
. Environment monitoring: hours – days -months – years			
Regional and urbal spatial planning: months – years			
Climatology: years			
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#### Monitoring of convection and storms

2.5 min Super Rapid Scan – Central Europe



#### Volcano eruption and volcanic ash transport



## Oli spils / ship tracking with use of SAR data





#### Satellite data/products dissemination:

- 1. Direct reception products timeliness depends only on user processing system efficiency.
- NRT dissemination via EUMETCast satellite system additional delay due to reception in Polar regions (45-90 min) and processing at operator facilities (up to 3 hours).
- 3. NRT dissemination via Terrestrial EUMETCast system (Geant network) like in point 2, delivery time on best effort basis.
- 4. Download via Internet reception and processing by operator, download speed depend on many factors.



#### Actual data access:

- Relatively slow, not reliable (*download finished without success !*),
- Amount of data collected by Sentinels within 24 hours larger than download possibilities.

## **Possible solutions:**

-National operator (dedicated access to Sentinel data)+ direct reception.

- + EUMETCast reception of data from Sentinel 3, 4, 5, 6
- + direct reception from other environmenal satellites..

#### Meteorological satellites used operationally by IMGW-PIB

#### **Geostationary:**

**METEOSAT-10** – basic operational satellite, 15 min scan, 0 deg position

**METEOSAT-9** – backup satelite RapidScan 5 min scan, 9.5 deg E position

**METEOSAT-8** backup satelite RapidScan 5 min scan, 3.5 deg E position

**METEOSAT-7** - MTP series, 57.5 deg E position (Ocean Indyjski)

Indirect acces to:

GOES-E (USA)

GOES-W (USA)

Himawari-8 (Japan)

FY3 (China)



Low eEarth Orbit – direct reception:

Series of NOAA satellites (15, 18 i 19), European **METOP-A i B**, Oceanographic Jason-2 The newest American **Suomi NPP** (NPOESS Preparatory Programme), Environmental satellites: **TERRA i AQUA**, JAXA G-COM-W1 **GPM** Jason-2, 3 Sentinel 1, in future 3,4,5,6





# **Conclusions:**

- 1. Applications which require real NRT data avaiability (minutes) must use direct reception.
- 2. Direct dissemination available from Sentinel-1, possible from Sentinel 2, 3.
- 3. Application which require data with timeliness ~3 hours could use EUMETCast dissemination system.
- EUMETSAT is operator of Sentinel 3 (only Marine Service), 4 (MTG), 5 (EPS-SG), 6 (Jason-CS). Data and products will be disseminated via EUMETCast systems.
- 5. Actual solution of ESA/Copernicus system could satisfy only scientific users and applications based on historical data.



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# Thank you for your attention

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