## United Nations Institute for Training and Research

# UNOSAT Satellite Imagery and GIS Solutions for Emergency Management and DRR





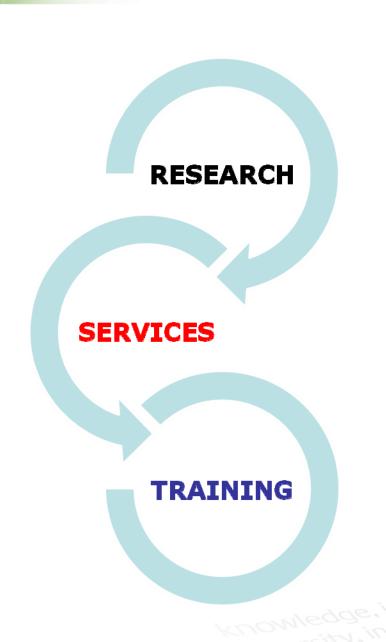
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#### **About UNOSAT**

- UNOSAT is the Operational Satellite Applications Programme of UNITAR –
  entirely dedicated to researching and applying solutions in geospatial
  information, satellite data/imagery analysis, and integrated systems (GIS,
  navigation, geopositioning)
- Launched in 2000 as a project, it has evolved into a mature UN service with global outreach supported by a network of partners worldwide
- UNOSAT means over 1500 maps/analyses since 2000, taskings in over 260 emergencies & conflicts; professional training; research & methodology



#### WHAT WE DO



#### **UNOSAT - AREAS OF OUTPUT**

#### **Humanitarian Aid and Relief Coordination**

- Crisis & Situational Mapping
- . Damage assessment

#### **Human Security**

Monitoring

Human Rights

Safety and Security

#### **Territorial Planning and Monitoring**

Capacity Development & Technical Assistance

In-country project development







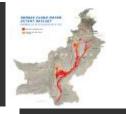
#### How does UNOSAT make use of satellites?

1. Activation / Request



2. Satellites collect data over area of interest





3. UNOSAT Staff analyze satellite data

4. UNOSAT Staff Produce maps, reports & databases for field workers, practitioners in training sessions



Caprivi, Namibia



Port-Au-Prince, Haiti



Bihar, India



Mogadishu, Somalia

### CONCLUSIONS

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1. <u>Some</u> of the DRR geoinformation functions can benefit from integrating <u>satellite</u> derived analysis.

#### support Strategic territorial planning

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governance phase

**IMPLEMENTATION AND FOLLOW** STIC **PLANNING** UP

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definition of a local development strategy according to the diagnostic plan

implementation and evaluation and monitoring

eographic Information System