### UN-India Workshop on use of EO for Disaster Management & Risk Reduction "Asian Experience"

**Space Technology in Disaster Response – Indian Scenario** 

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# **Indian Earth Observation in the future**

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### **DISASTER RESPONSE**

#### Floods



- •Flood Inundation Maps
- Damage Assessment
- Hazard Zonation
- Bank Erosion Studies

#### Earthquake



 Damage Assessment

# Cyclone

- Inundation Maps
- Recession Maps
- •Damage Assessment

# Landslide

 Damage Assessment
 Hazard zonation

#### Early Warning & Assessments



Near Real-time monitoring of all major disasters



 Active Fire Detection
 Damage Assessment

#### **DMS – Decision support Centre**



### **Communication Network (VPN)**

- SATCOM based Virtual Private Network (> 40 nodes) are operational (GSAT 12)
- Online GIS data analysis, data download, Video conf, .....
- 22 multihazard prone State Emergency Operation centres (10 Primary Nodes providing data CWC, IMD, INCOIS...) & 5 Monitoring nodes (CabSec, NEOC, PMO, PMR...)
- Expansion of the network to multihazard prone districts of the nation
- National Disaster Management Command Centre - in advanced stage of planning







### **Emergency Communication**

Several Types of Emergency communication are in place use to meet critical requirements.

#### **MSS TYPE-D Terminals – Satellite Phones**

 Portable satellite phones for emergency communication – between terminals and terminals to PSTN

#### **Distress Alert Terminals (DAT) for fishermen**

- Floatable terminals which transmits messages while a boat is in danger.
- 1850 DATs provided to fishermen India Coast Guard.
- DTH based Disaster Warning Dissemination System
- Disaster alerts through Set-top-Boxes
- 500 DDWS systems IMD and Doordarshan









### Disaster Management Support Floods

- Response
  - Inundated Area, Districts & Villages submerged.
  - Frequency 5-day, 2-day, Daily, 12-hrly, thrice a day depending on coverage & based on severity
  - Damage to structures Uttarakhand Floods (2013), J&K floods (2014)
- Early Warning
  - Info. on discharge, likely submergence (fr rainfall), water levels / discharge parameters
- Mitigation
  - Villages frequently flooded Historical satellite
  - Flood Prone Areas -Historic flood inundation (10-15 yrs)
- Information Dissemination
  - Central & State Disaster Management Authorities Near real-time
  - Information on Public domain through Bhuvan Platform



#### **DISASTER RESPONSE** *Major Floods & Cyclones*



# Flood Forecast & Stream-flow simulation



### Disaster Management Support Cyclones

- Response
  - Inundated Area Blocks, Villages submerged
  - Frequency: Continuous Tracking; inundation: 5-day, 2-day, Daily, 12-hrly (thrice a day depending on satellite coverage)
- Preparedness
  - Probable inundations historic satellite observations
    Cyclone Phailin (2013), Cyclone Hudhud (2014)
- Mitigation
  - Historic inundations DB due to cyclones in the country (last 10-15 years).
- Information Dissemination
  - MHA, NDMA, State Disaster Management Dept, CWC, IMD, and public domain

# Cyclone Phailin – online Flood inundation maps



# 🚹 Phailin Cyclone – Info at Village level



Mobile smart phone based Crowd-sourcing data as field data



# **HudHud Cyclone**

• EO based monitoring, Geospatial, UAV, I T and Crowd-Sourcing tools





### **Cyclone HUDHUD – Tracking and Online support**



# **Cyclone HUDHUD – Inundation Monitoring**





# **Cyclone HUDHUD- Crowd Sourcing**



Support for International Disasters

House Damage-17192; Tree fallen-1031; Power-1636; ; Road-1078; Tank/Canal Breach-137



# Himalayan Disasters: J&K – Sep, 2014



#### Cumulative Flood Inundated Area in part of Jammu & Kashmir State

Based on the analysis of RISAT, Cartosat, Resourcesat & RADARSAT data of 08, 09, 10, 12, 15, 17, 19, 20 & 21 -September-2014





DISASTER EVENT ID: 11-FLD-2014-JK

MAP ID: 2014/46

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no product is prepared or rapid mapping mode for internation ose and sharing amongst official agencies. This provides preliminary results. Rood inundation may include rain water accumulation / food water in low

ying areas.

Vi geographic information has limitations due to the scale, resolution, date

50 Flood inundation maps disseminated in near real time to MHA, NDMA, Govt. of J&K to help in relief and rescue operations.

#### **Flood Duration Maps as a part of continuous monitoring**



# J&K Floods – Timeseries Analysis

- Extreme Flooding event
- Severe flood in last 60 years
- Near real-time Info. On Bhuvan







# Uttarakhand Disaster – July 2013



## **Heavy Snowfall in upper reaches**

- Heavy railfall during 15 -17<sup>th</sup> June, 2013 in the region, associated with heavy snowfall in upper reaches
- Sudden increase in snow cover area in Bhagirathi, Alaknanda & Yamuna basins - images of Resourcesat-2 AWiFS





## Digital Terrain Model – Shaded Relief Maps



Chorabari Lake Chorabari Glaciar

Kedarnath











# **Landslide Hazard Zonation Maps**



#### **Uttarakhand**

- Rishikesh-Uttarkashi-Gangotri-Gaumukh
- Rudraprayag-Okhimath-Kedarnath
- Rishikesh-Rudraprayag-Chamili-Badrinath
- Pithoragarh-Khela-Malpa

#### **Himachal Pradesh**

- Chamoli-Usara-Okhimath
- Dalhousie-Chamba-Brahmaur
- Shimla-Rampur-Sarhan-Sumdo
- Shimla-Bilaspur-Kulu-Manali

# Landslides - Early warning system

- Spatial (geology, morphology & terrain), temporal triggering factors & controls of slope failure
- Rainfall (a trigger) for slope failure initiation
- Logistic Regression model using long term data on rainfall-landslide initiation



#### Rishikesh-Badrinath-Rudraprayag-Kedarnath-Chamoli-Okimath area.

# **Forest Fire Alerts**





# Nepal – Landslide on River Sun Koshi

- A massive
  landslide blocked
  Sun Koshi river in
  Northern Nepal
  on 02-Aug-2014
- Possible
  formation of a lake.
- Flood threat for several villages downstream in Bihar, India.





#### Landslides on Transboundary Rivers Sun Koshi River in Nepal

A landslide occurred on Sun Koshi river in Nepal on 2-Aug-14

Multi-temporal satellite data analysis shows the recession of the crown of the landslide

Water Impoundment was observed initially and in September, this impoundment was reduced due to human interventions through controlled blastings

Data helped Indian Govt. to work with Nepal Govt. in coordination/ avoiding major disaster in Bihar



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#### Landslide on Sunkoshi river, Nepal



(As seen from Resourcesat-2 LISS IV MX acquired on 5 Aug 2014)

- **Depletion zone** Landslide crown **Depletion zone Accumulation zone** Accumulation zone
  - Landslide debris

- The landslide that blocked the Sunkoshi river, is a deep seated rockslide (length 1.3 km and width 0.652 km) resulting in formation of a dammed lake
- The debris and boulders has blocked the river and moved onto the river terrace on the opposite bank.
- Analysis of historical imagery shows that it is an unstable zone with existence of small landslides.

New landslide (02.08.2014)

Depletion zone — Accumulation zone — Depletion zone

Accumulation zone

ekantipur

https://twitter.com/kathmand.post/status/495484816041574490/photo/1

HP site



# Nepal – Landslide on River Sun Koshi

#### Details of the Impoundment on River Sun



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### **RISAT-2** Image showing Landslide on River Sun Koshi



\* Due to undulations, the layover, fore-shortening and hill-shadows affects are observed

# Artificial Lake formation Landslide Blocking the Valley



Observation: A new major landslide has blocked the valley resulting in development of a lake. Several other small new landslide are also seen.

# Phuktal River Landslide, Lake formation..



#### Nepal Earthquake – April, 2015

#### Synoptic View of Earthquake affected area





#### Nepal Earthquake – April, 2015

#### Dharahara Tower, Kathmandu

Cartosat-2 (05-Jan-2015)

Cartosat-2 (27-Apr-2015)





## Nepal Earthquake – Damage Assessment





# **Chennai Flood Event**

#### Before Event -RISAT-1 image



After Event- RADARSAT -2 image of 11-Nov-2015 (0600 Inundation Chidambaram

#### After Event- RISAT-1 image of 14-Nov-2015 (1800 Hrs)





#### **Flood maps Disseminated in near real-time**

#### Before Event -RISAT-1 image



After Event- RADARSAT -2 image of 11-Nov-2015 (0600



#### Flood map derived from Satellite data





### **ISRO Active in Global Disaster Management**

### International Charter – ISRO provided leadership during Apr – Oct 2015



#### Intl'I Charte – > 142 Scenes

- Sentinel Asia > 30+ Scenes
- UNESCAP Drought: Srilanka all season support; Nepal feasibility study done
- UN-SPIDER International Workshop on DRR in Mar 2016

#### National Level Disaster Management – Way Ahead

**NDEM**: Serving Multi-scale Data on major disasters, DSS tools

VPN Nodes with over 40 nodes – connecting 20 State nodes

NDEM to serve all nodes at National level through Sat. communication and geospatial technologies to address all Major Disasters in the country

- Fail-safe Connectivity (Terrestrial & SATCOM)
- Geospatial services for near real-time Images/Maps
- State of the art Control Room in Delhi with DSS
- State/ District level connectivity + Disaster Hotspot









#### Web Site: <u>www.nrsc.gov.in</u> Geoportal: <u>http://bhuvan.nrsc.gov.in</u>







# Thank You



