

Application of Landsat images for mapping of environment in Poland

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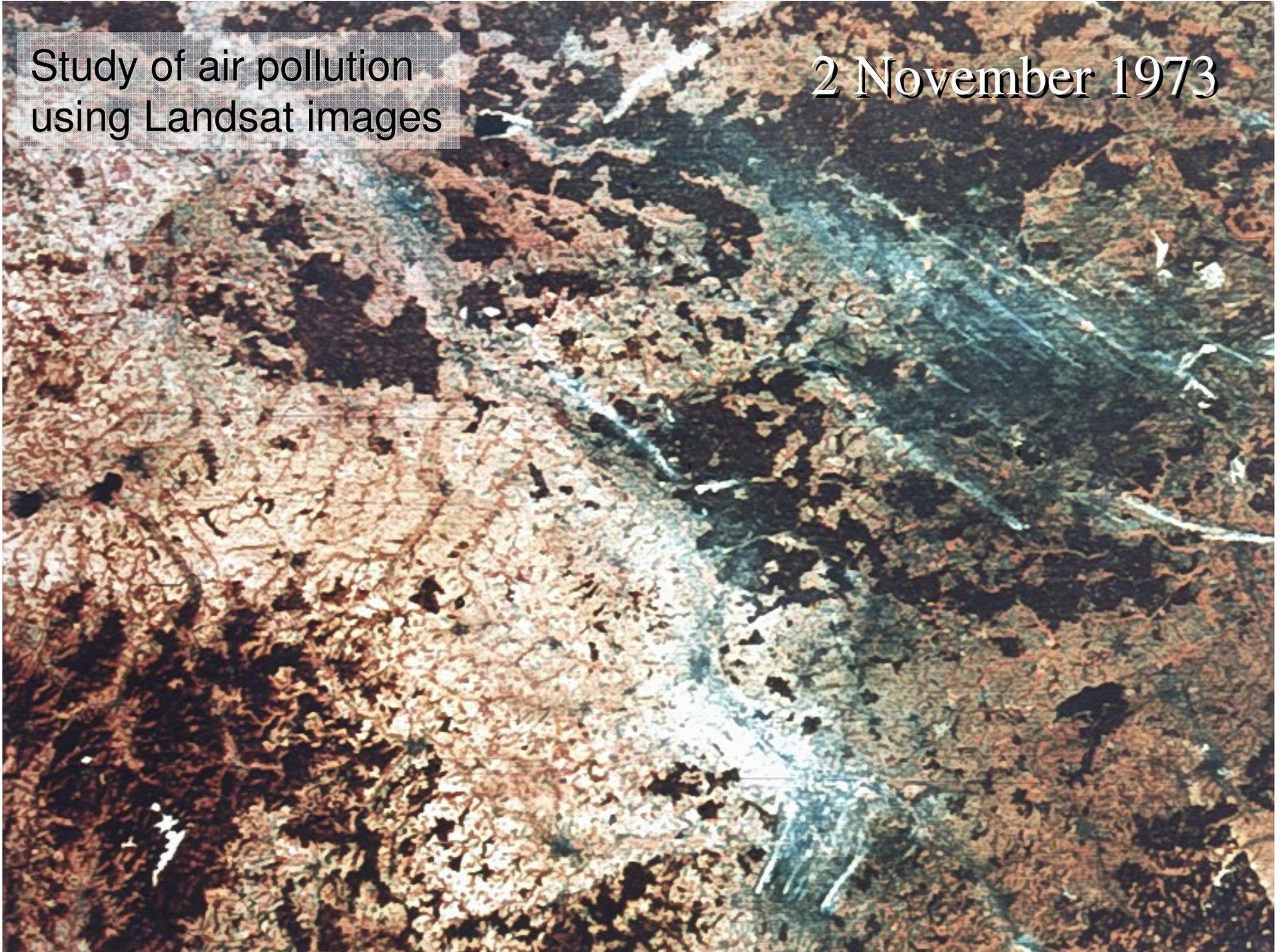
Some facts

- ERTS / Landsat launching triggered faster development of remote sensing studies and applications at the Institute
- 1975 – establishing a remote sensing centre OPOLiS (the decree of the government)
- Installation of US made computer system during COCOM restrictions (export control)
- Over 300 projects for mapping, environmental studies, agriculture, forestry, emergency monitoring, water management, and many other applications



Study of air pollution
using Landsat images

2 November 1973

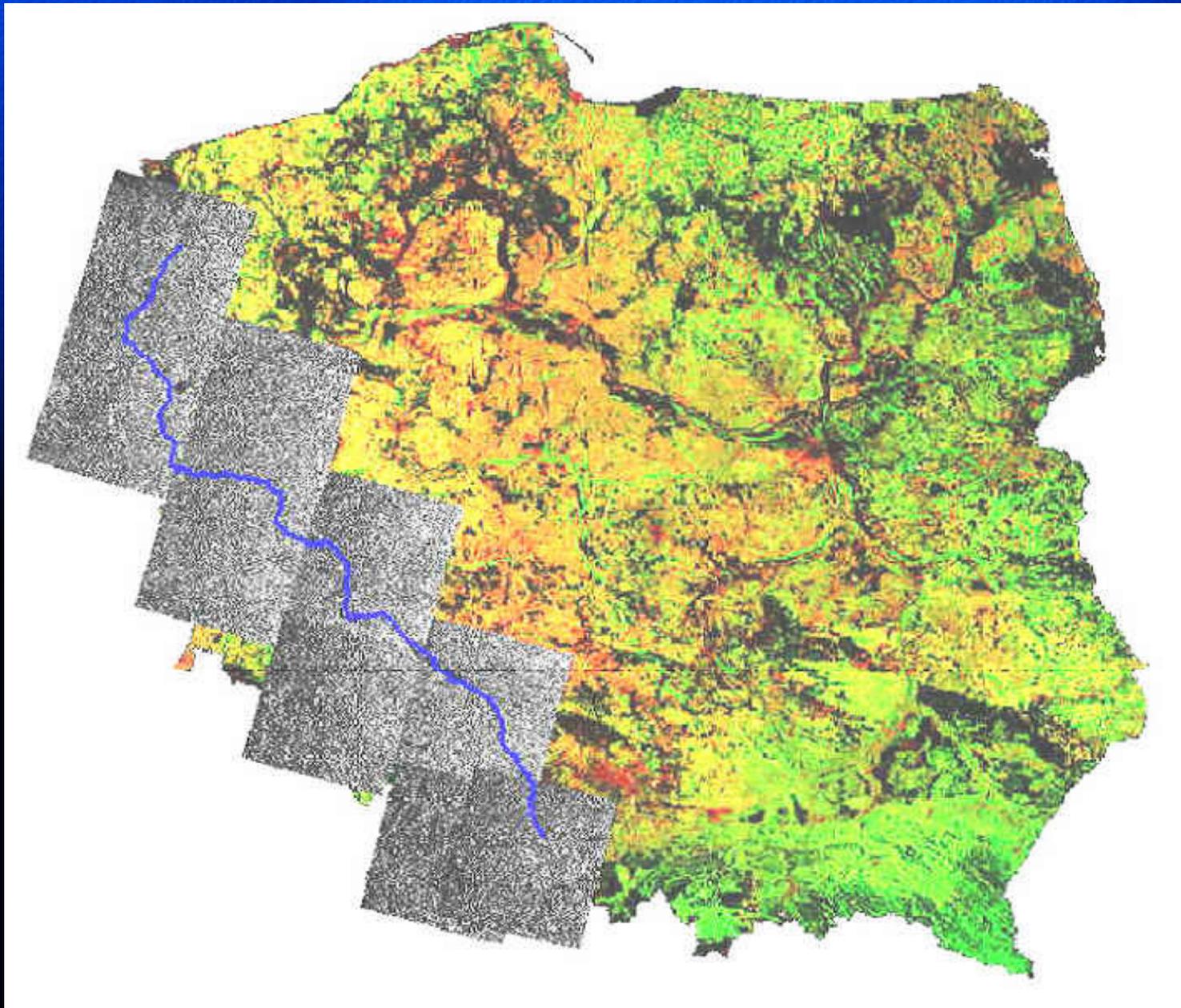


Elaboration of land use/cover maps
at various scale
based on Landsat MSS and TM images





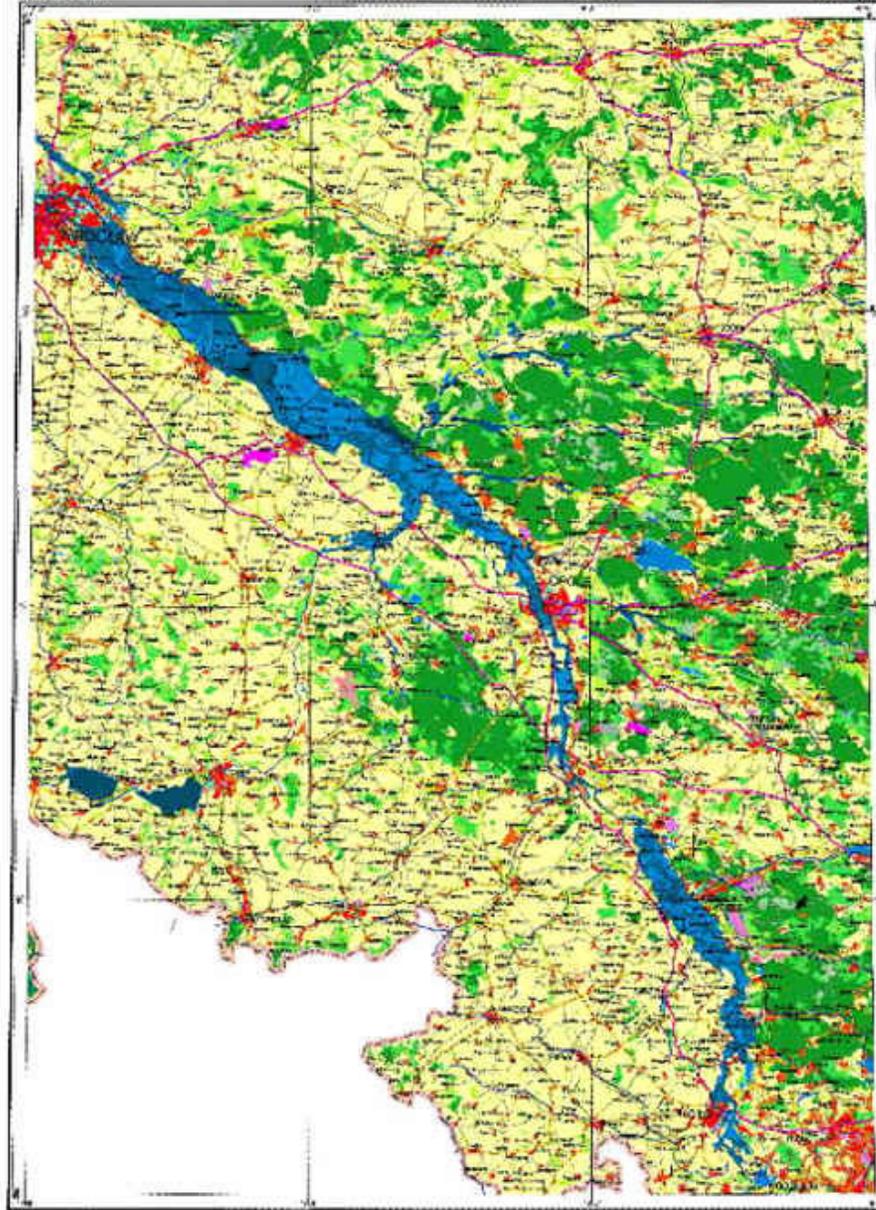
Satellite image
map of Poland
included to the
National Atlas
of Republic of
Poland (1995)



Mapping
flood extent
in Odra
River basin
in 1997
based on
satellite
images

ZASIĘG FALI POWODZIOWEJ W DOLINIE ODRY W LIPCU 1997

4. OPOLE



LEGENDA DZIAŁOŚCI

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1:200 000

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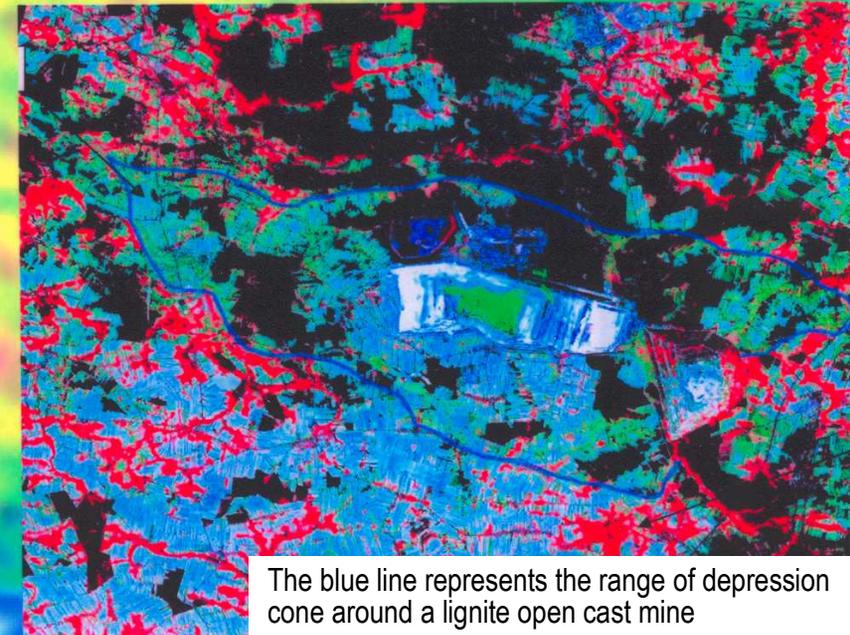


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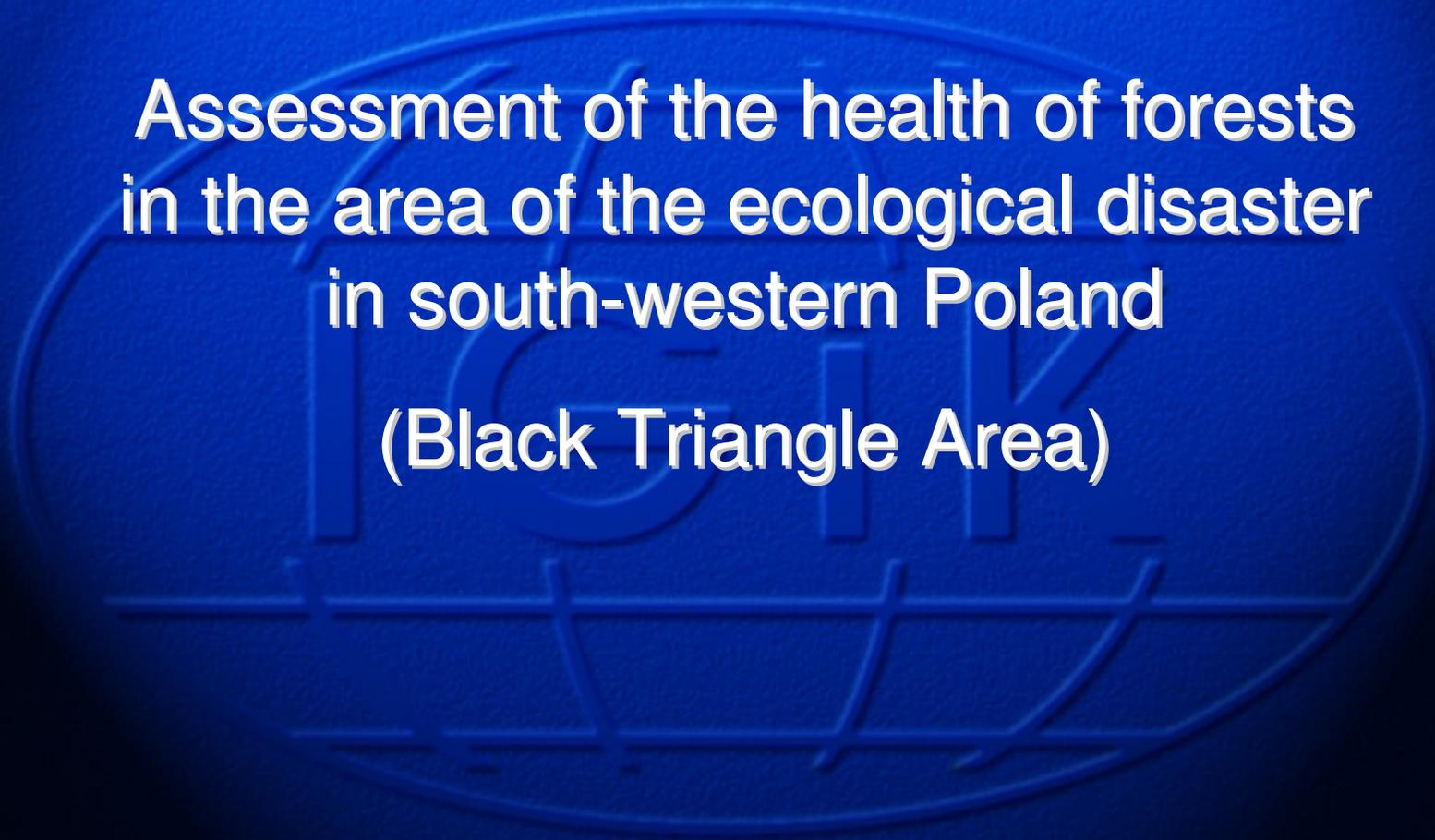


The range of flood in upper Odra river valley in 1997 on the background of land use

Development of brown coal mine extent in Central Poland



The blue line represents the range of depression cone around a lignite open cast mine

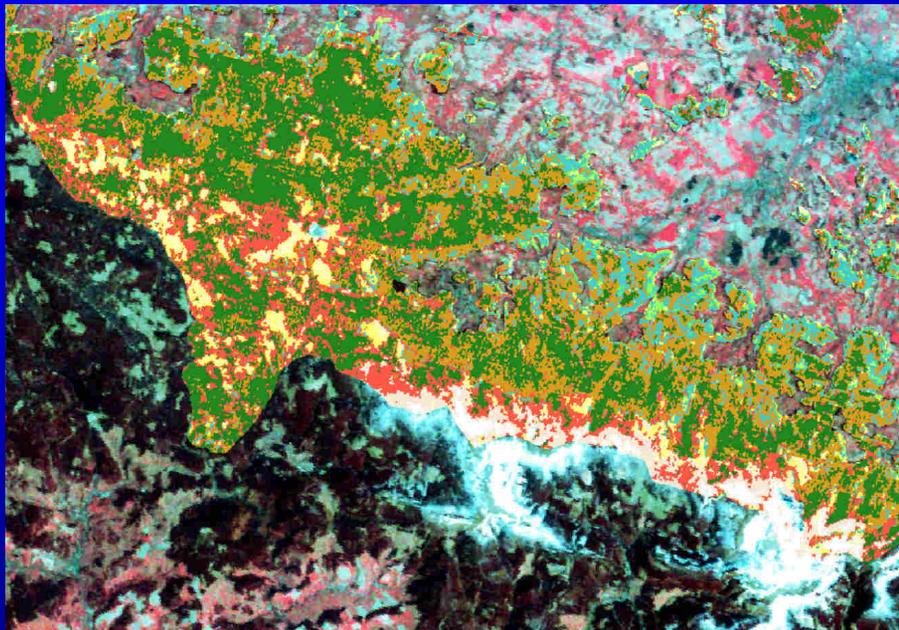


**Assessment of the health of forests
in the area of the ecological disaster
in south-western Poland
(Black Triangle Area)**

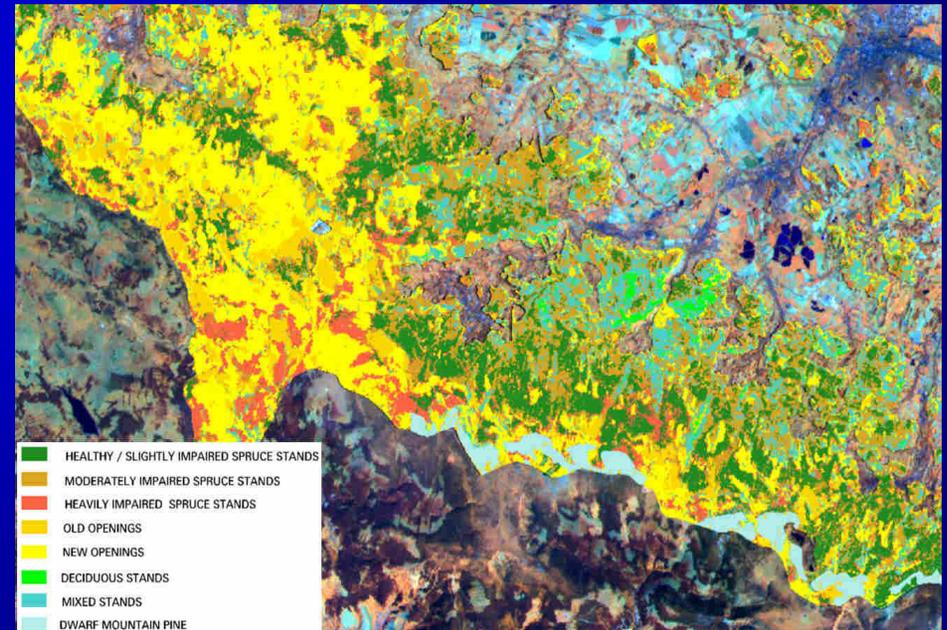
„Black Triangle” – Ecological disaster in the Sudety Mts.



Changes in the spruce stands in Western Sudety Mts.



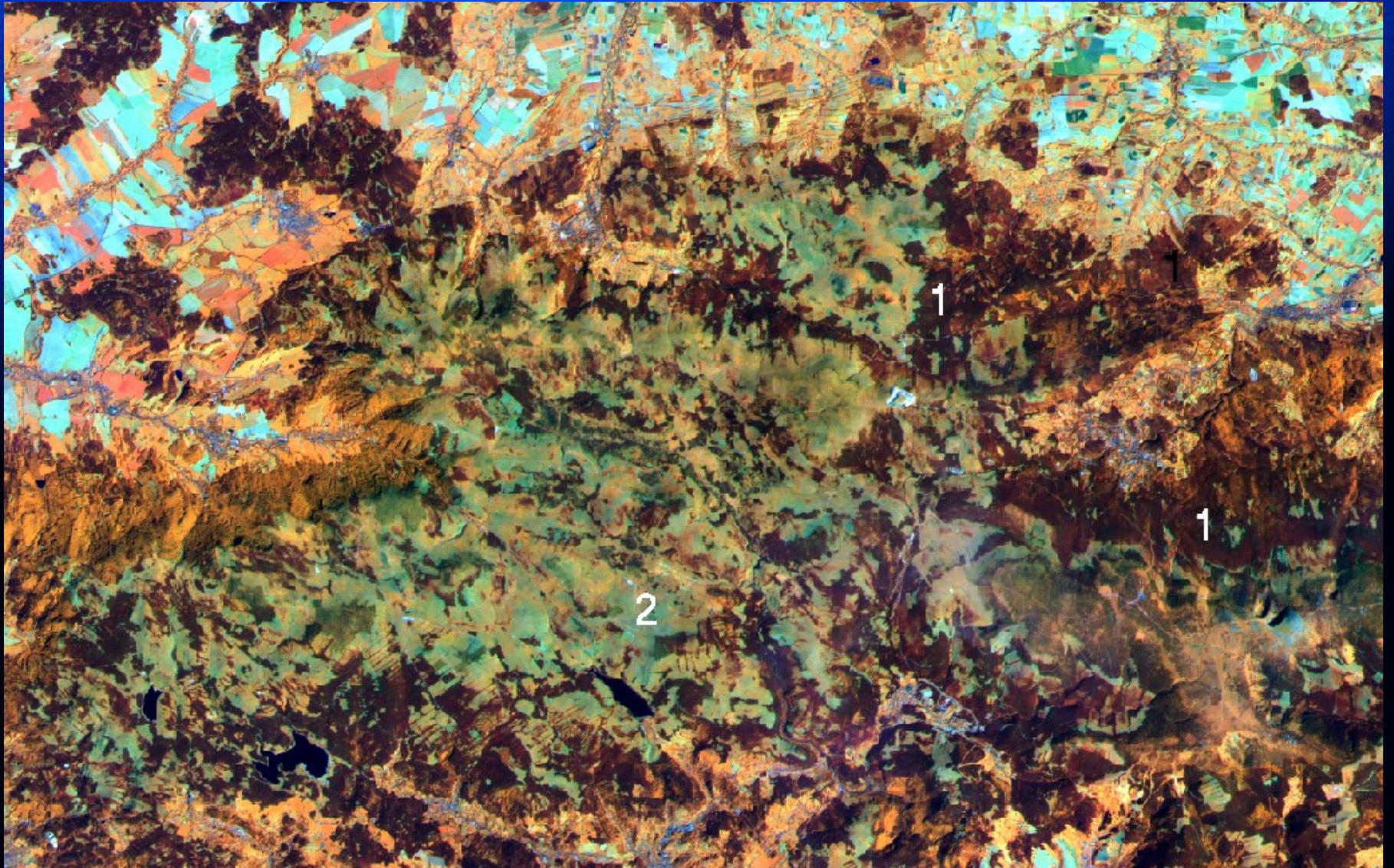
Landsat MSS – 1976



Landsat TM – 1990

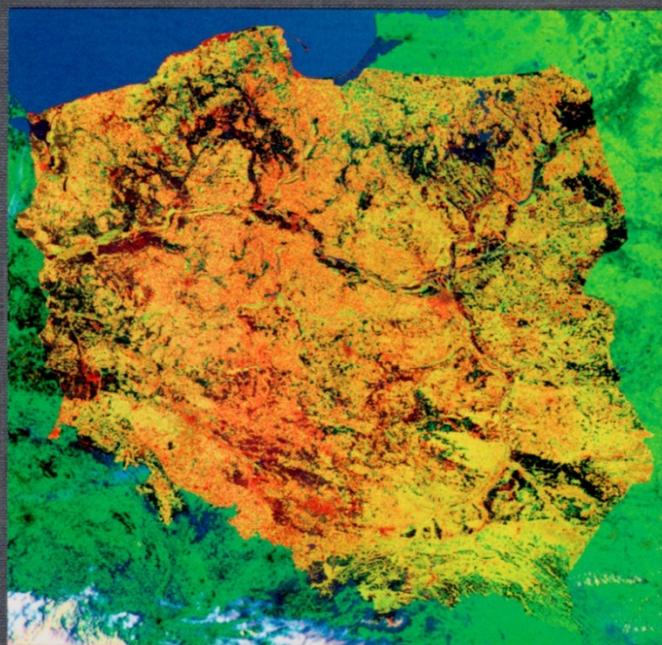


Ecological disaster in Sudety Mts.



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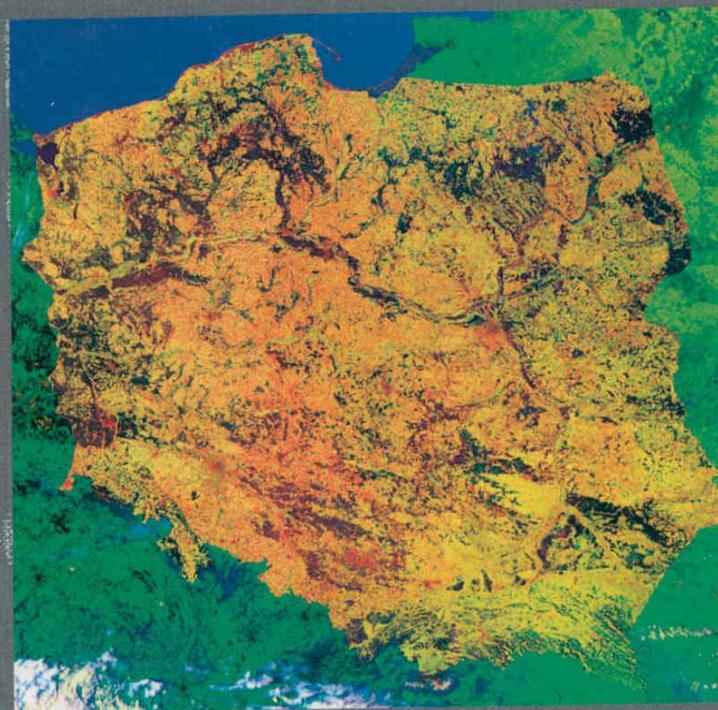
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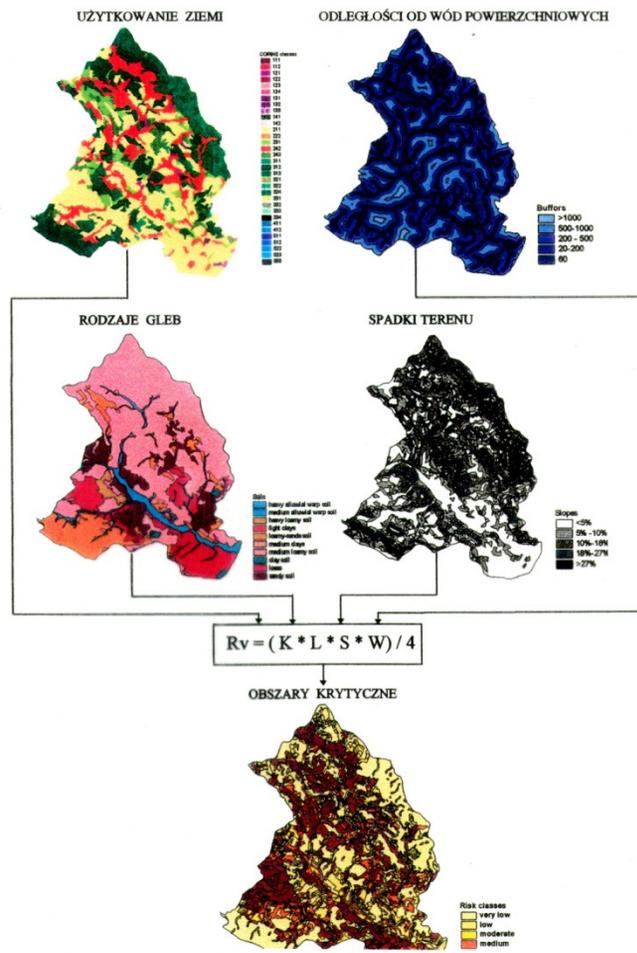
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Watershed modelling

Wyznaczanie obszarów krytycznych zanieczyszczeń wód zlewni Ścinawki



Conclusion

- Majority of scientific works and applied studies at the RSC OPOLiS performed with use of Landsat missions images
- The impact of Landsat hard to be exaggerated
- Many scientific careers have been developing in the “shadow” of Landsat

