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Needs Assessment

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Objectives

- Production of Daily fire risk map
- Detection and warning of forest fire as soon as possible
- Easy access of Fire danger rate through www protocol

Functional Procedures



Receiving Station



GSM Modem



Processing and web GIS Server



Receiving Data from MODIS Satellites by Antenna



Decoding and Processing Raw data

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cmd.exe /c D:\FMS\Data\Run.bat

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Granule Start time: 2015-01-04T11:07:44.37
Granule stop time : 2015-01-04T11:17:23.40
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level1a_file: D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf

There are 393 scans to unpack...

Processed for satellite: Aqua

Operation finished. Status: OK

D:\FMS\Data>if % NEQ % echo Unpack returned error status: %

D:\FMS\Data>if not exist D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf goto NOLIF
ILE

D:\FMS\Data>echo Starting Geolocate on D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.
hdf
Starting Geolocate on D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf

D:\FMS\Data>D:\FMS\IMAPP\geolocate.exe
Processing L1A file: D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf
Satellite: Aqua

WARNING: input file does not contain valid ephemeris.
        Use TLE or definitive ephemeris to perform geolocation.

There are 392 scans to geolocate...

WARNING!: 100% of geolocation fields are missing or invalid.
        Check the log file

Operation finished. Status: OK

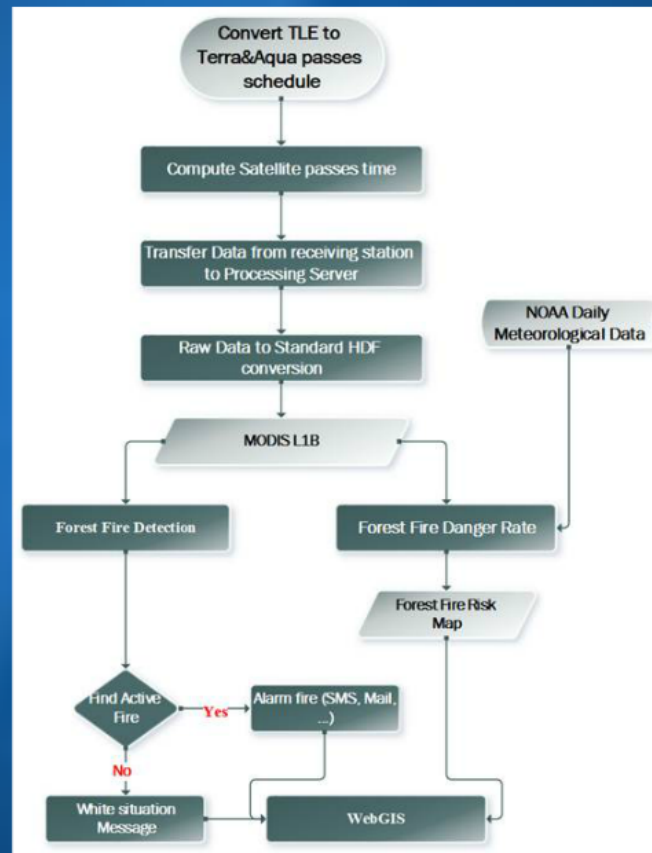
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FILE

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hdf
Starting calibrate on D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf

D:\FMS\Data>D:\FMS\IMAPP\calibrate.exe
Processing satellite: Aqua
Starting calibration on D:\FMS\Data\PM1_67398_150104110703.MOD01.hdf
Read_L1A_OBCEng: OK
Adjust_dn_star_Min: OK
Check_For_Moon_in_SU_KOB: OK
Read_Overlap_OBCEng: OK
Read_Overlap_OBCEng: OK
Process_OBCEng_Refl: OK
Process_OBCEng_Emiss: OK
Write_L1B_OBCEng: OK
Set_L1B_EU_SDS_Attrs: OK
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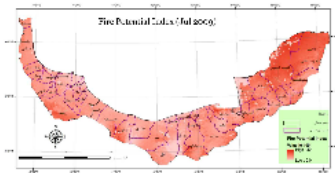

Run Fire Detection algorithms



Method in a glance

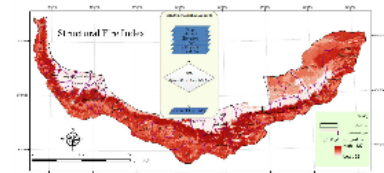
Short-Term or Dynamic Fire Risk Indices

Based on Parameters that change continuously over time

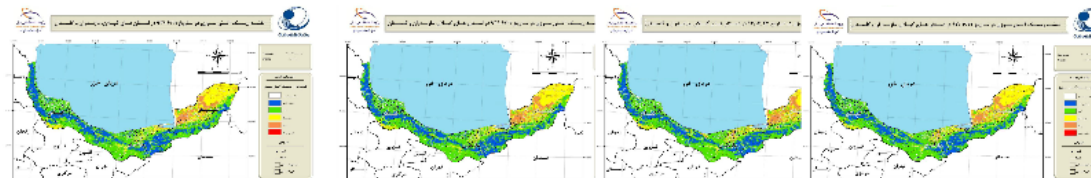


Long-Term Fire Risk Indices

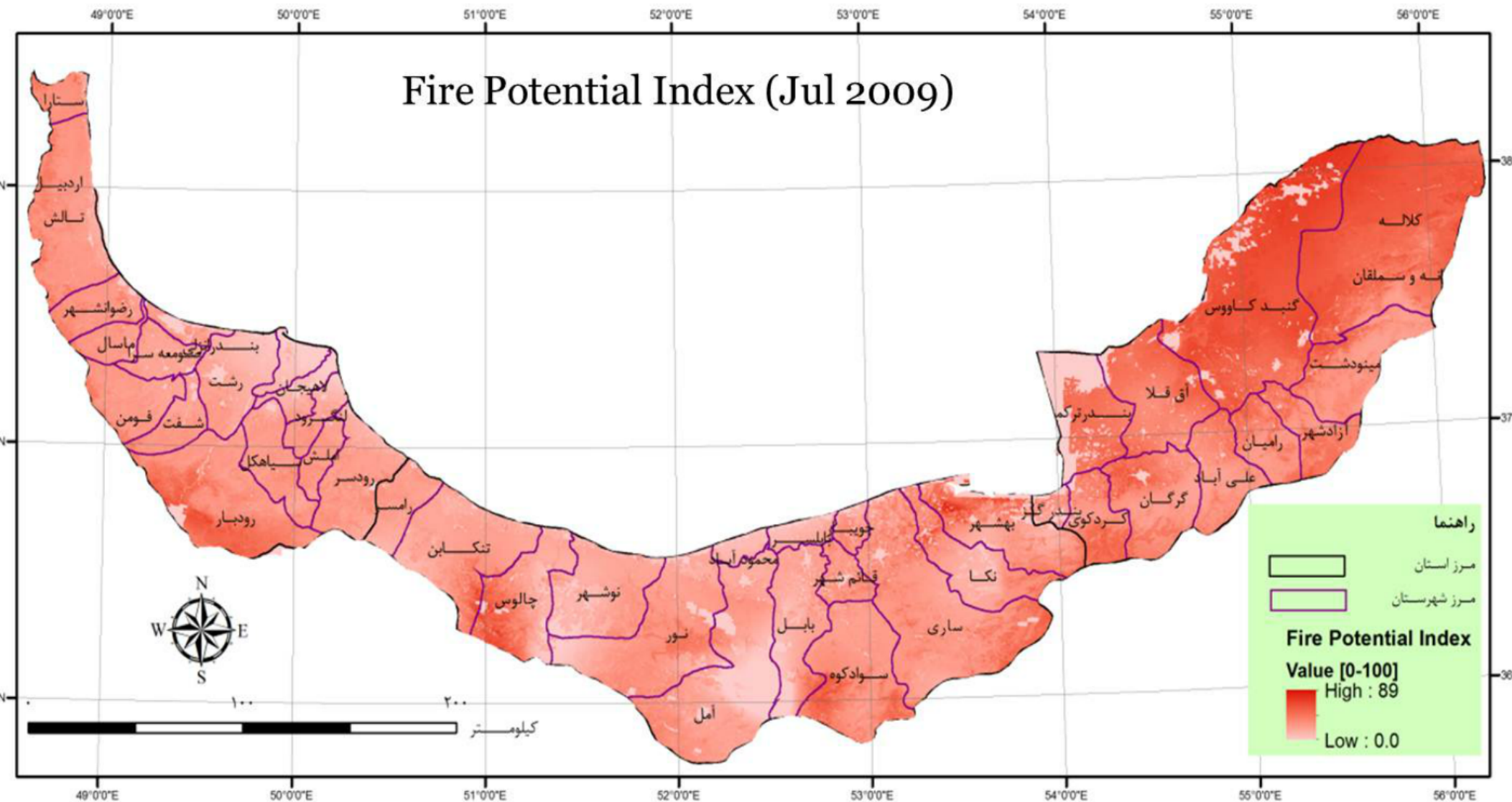
Based on Variables that do not change in short lapse of time



Integrated Fire Risk



Fire Potential Index (Jul 2009)



Structural Fire Index

STRUCTURAL INDEX MAP (255-0)

Slope
Aspect
Elevation
Roads
settlements
Land Use

SFI=

$$100v + 30s + 10a + 5d + 2e$$

Structural Fire Index



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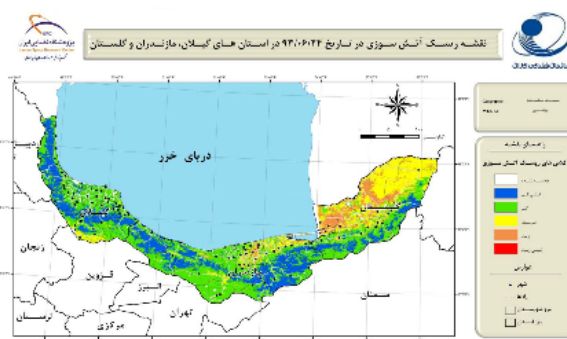
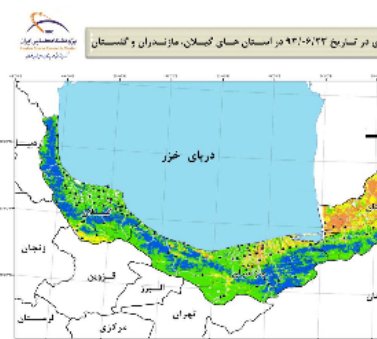
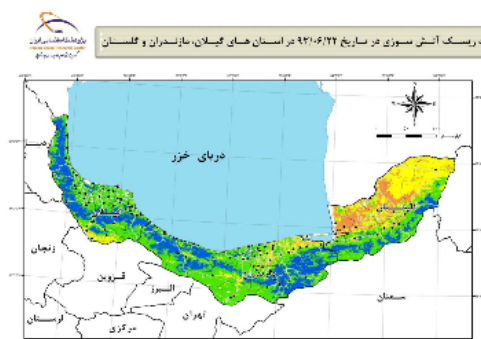
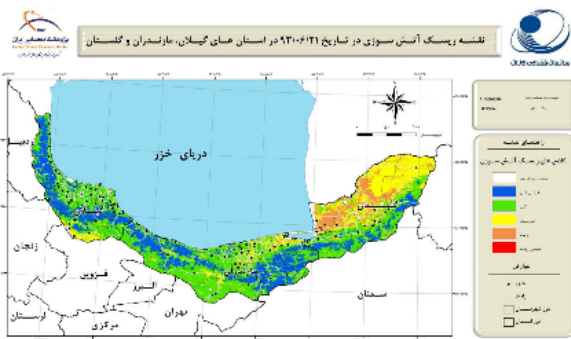
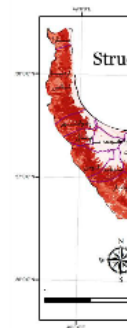
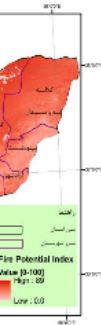
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شاخص ایستای آتش

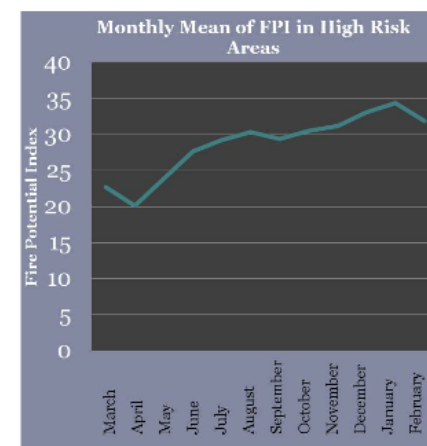
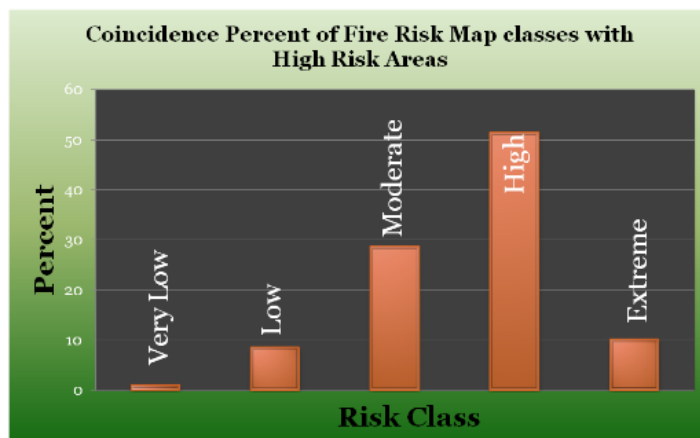
High : 427

Low : 92

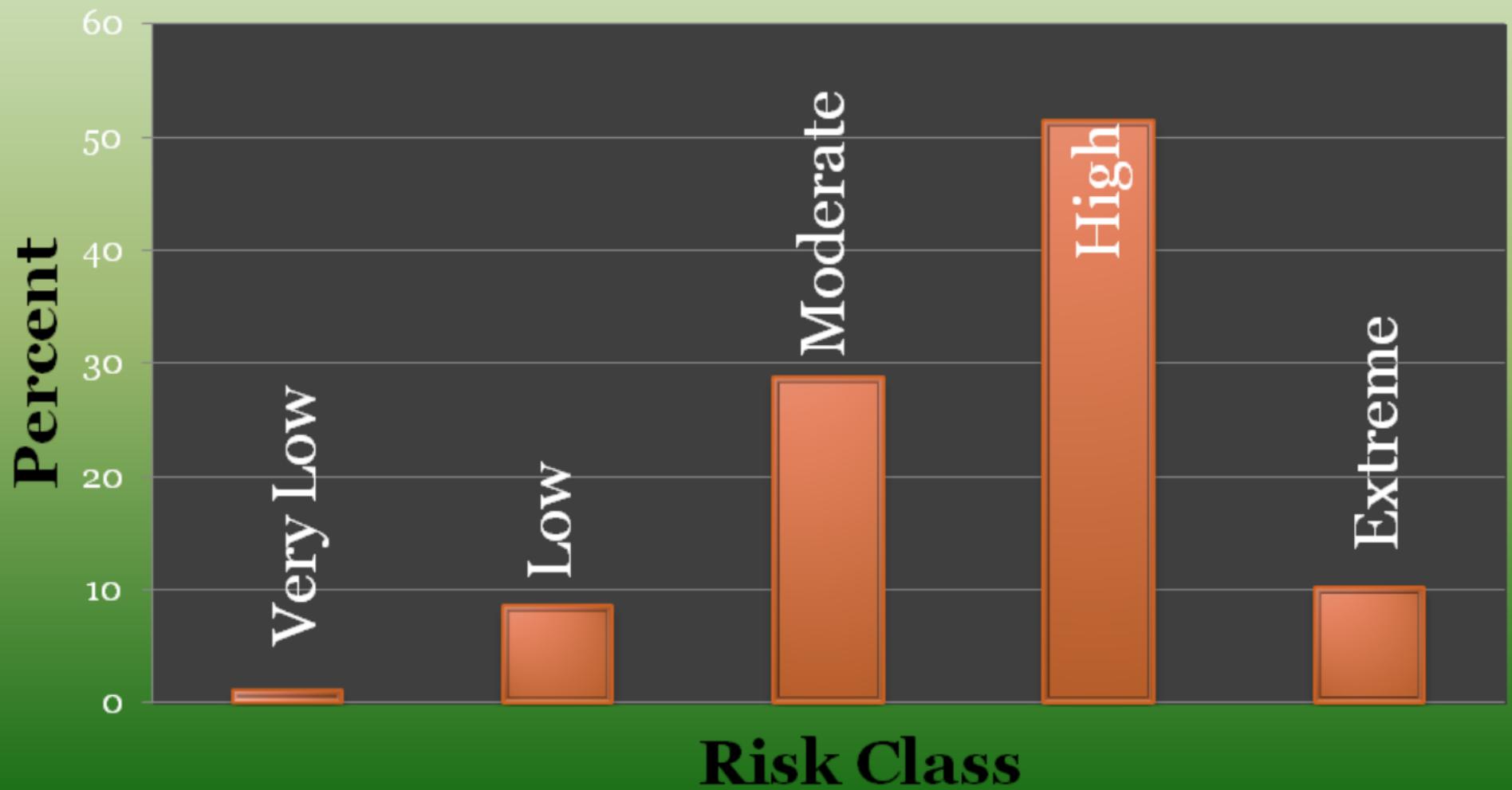
Integrated Fire Risk



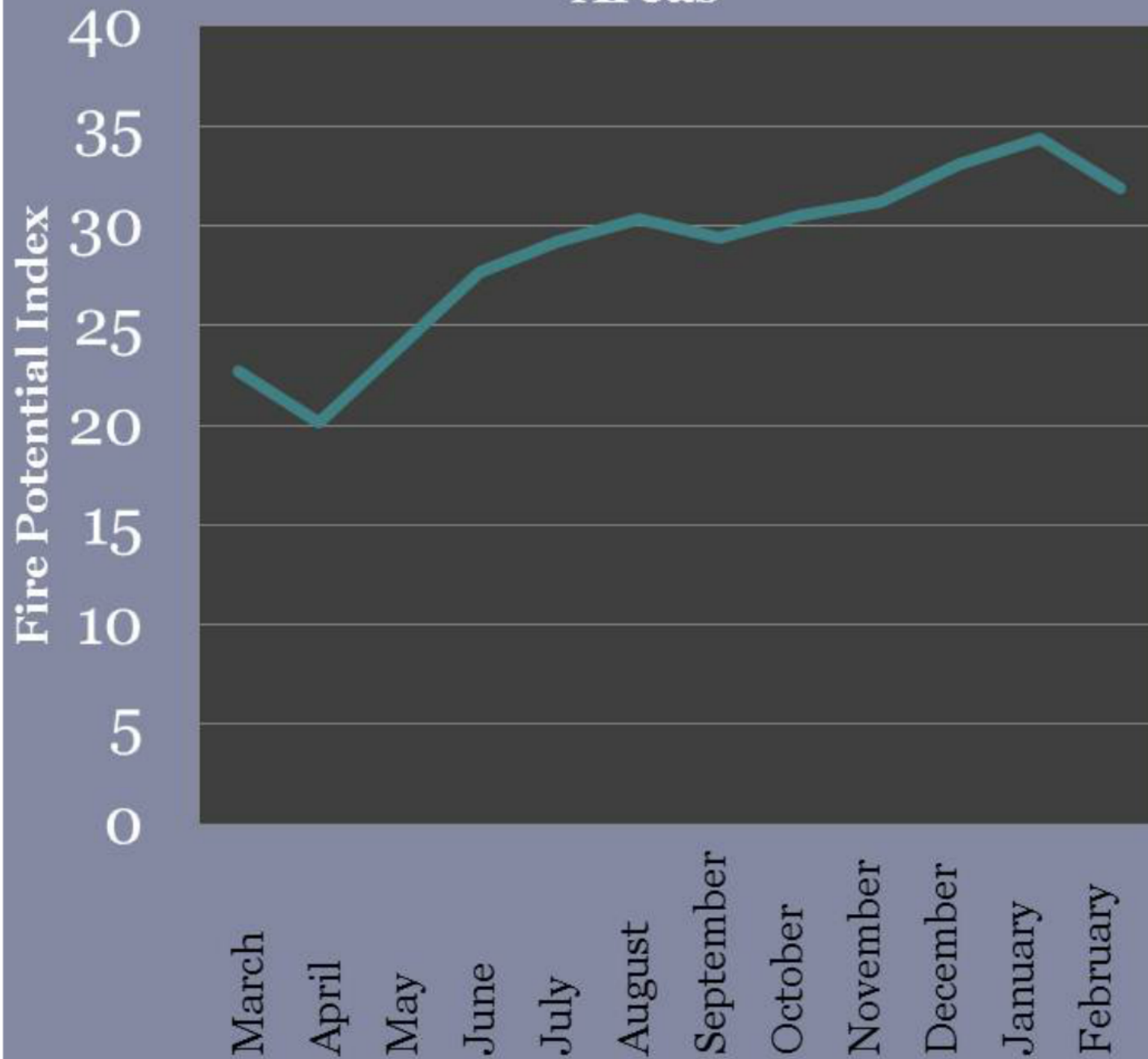
Accuracy Assessment



Coincidence Percent of Fire Risk Map classes with High Risk Areas



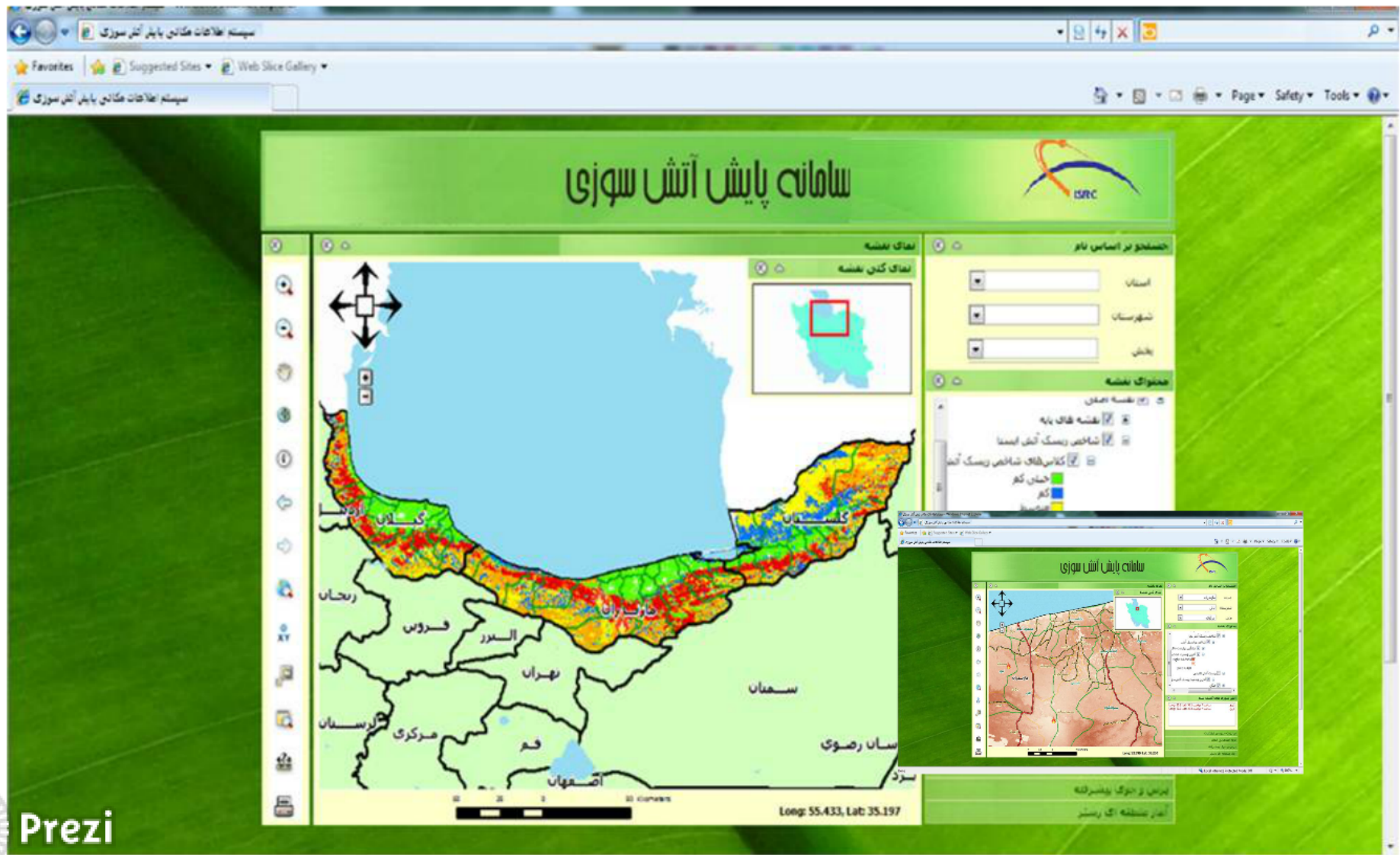
Monthly Mean of FPI in High Risk Areas



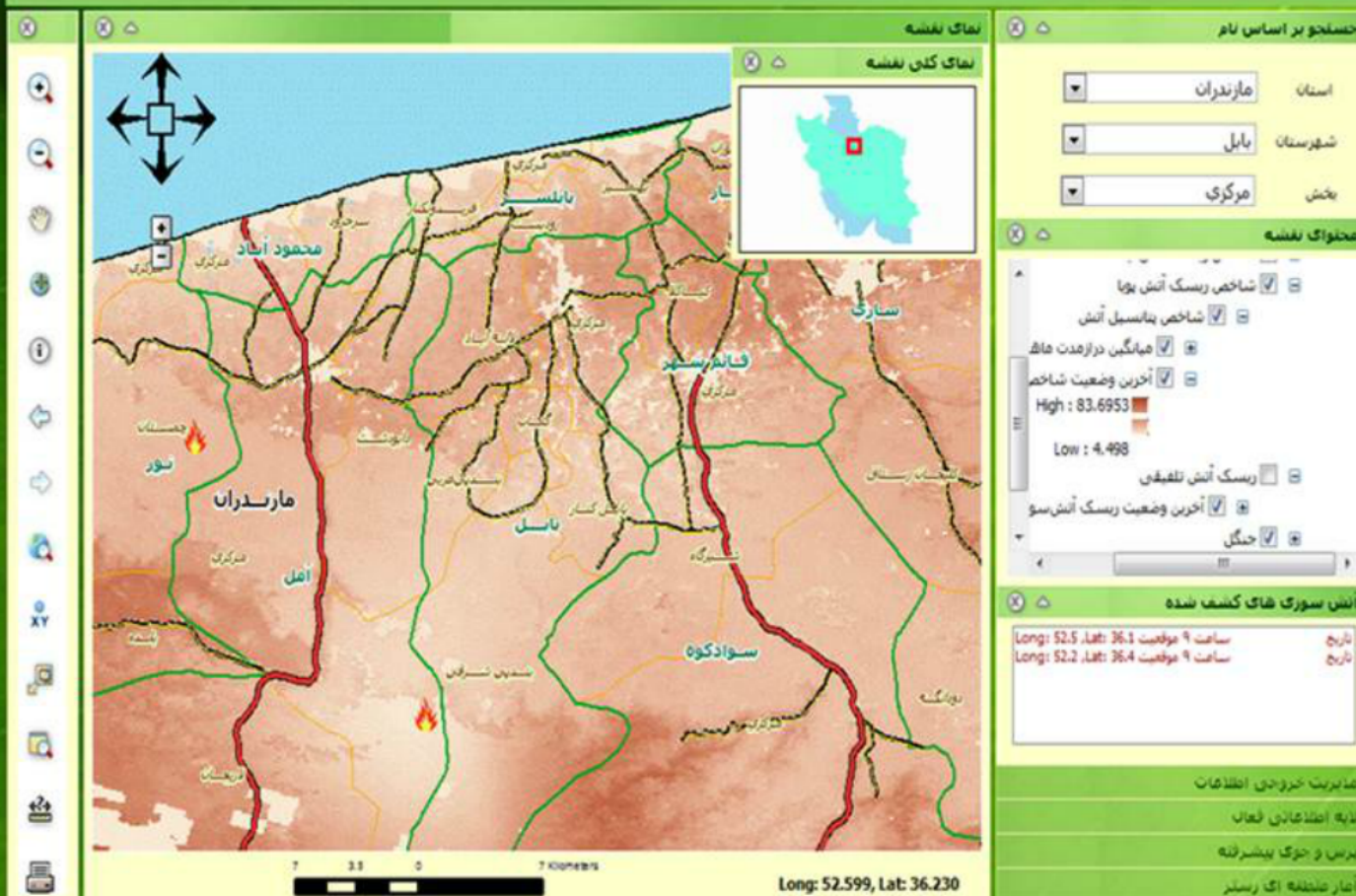
Fire Risk Assessment Map: Web GIS

Capabilities

- Automated production and updating of fire risk maps & warning maps
- Standard spatial WebGIS tools(Zooming, Padding, Query, ..)

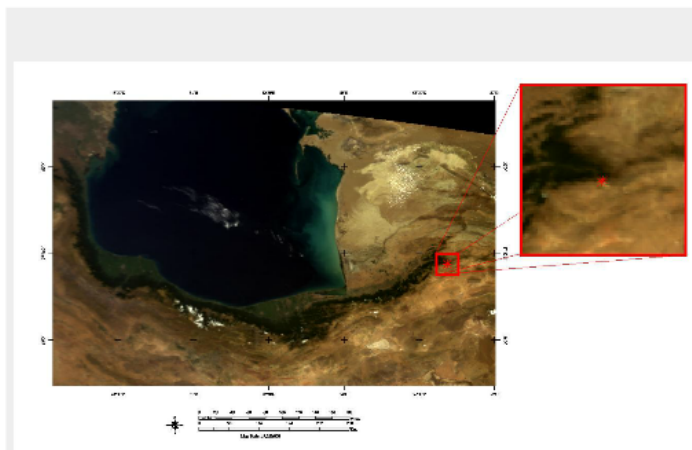


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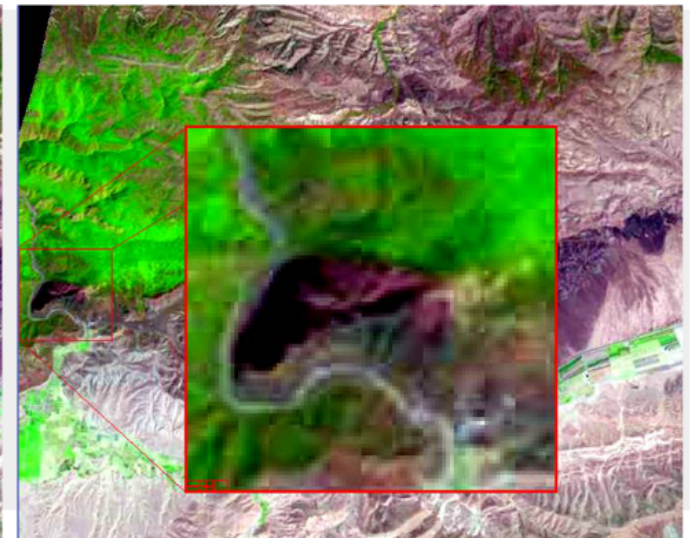
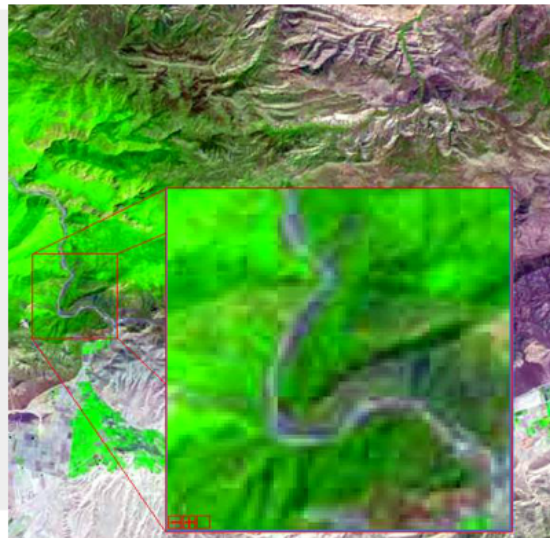


Application of IFFMS in deforestation

Golestan Fire 07 July 2014 - is detected 3 hours before official report



The actual fire size is estimated 53.40 hectares.



Final Note

Iranian Space Agency have the potential of any international cooperation in the following items:

- Design, implementation and development of Fire Monitoring System
- Conducting Training Courses
- Land cover/ Land use studies using RS&GIS technologies

Thanks!