

Satellite-based agro-met Information for farming to assist recoveries from disasters

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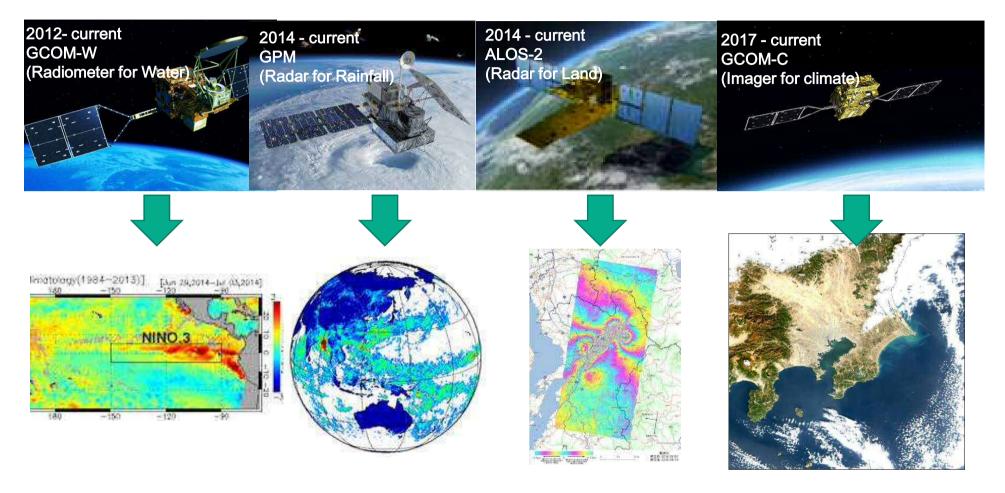


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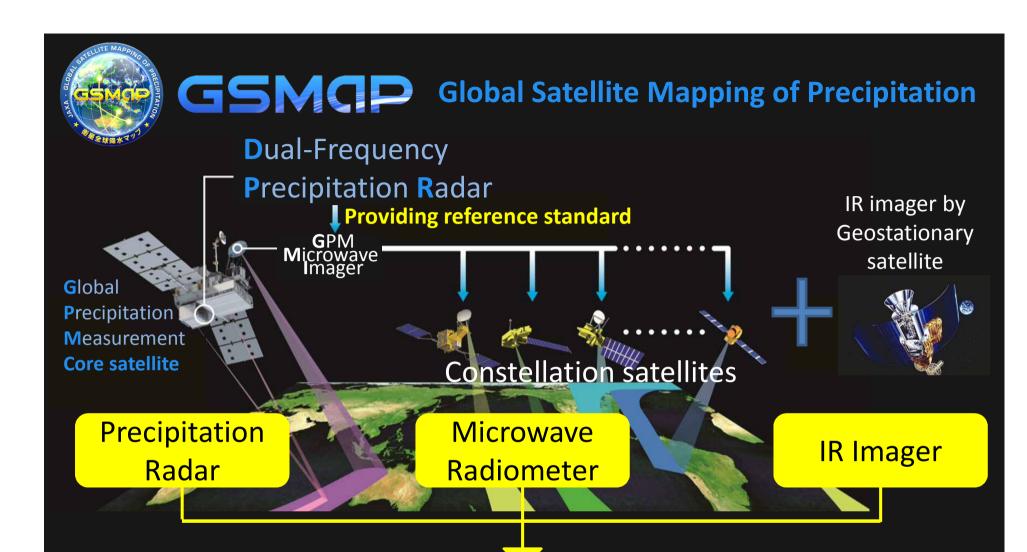
About RESTEC





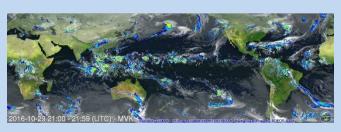
RESTEC works for Japanese satellite missions entrusted by ministries of Japan and Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA)

RESTEC develops algorithm, software and applications using Earth Observation satellite data (+ Met, Climate and Socio-Economic)



Multi-satellite Rainfall Product

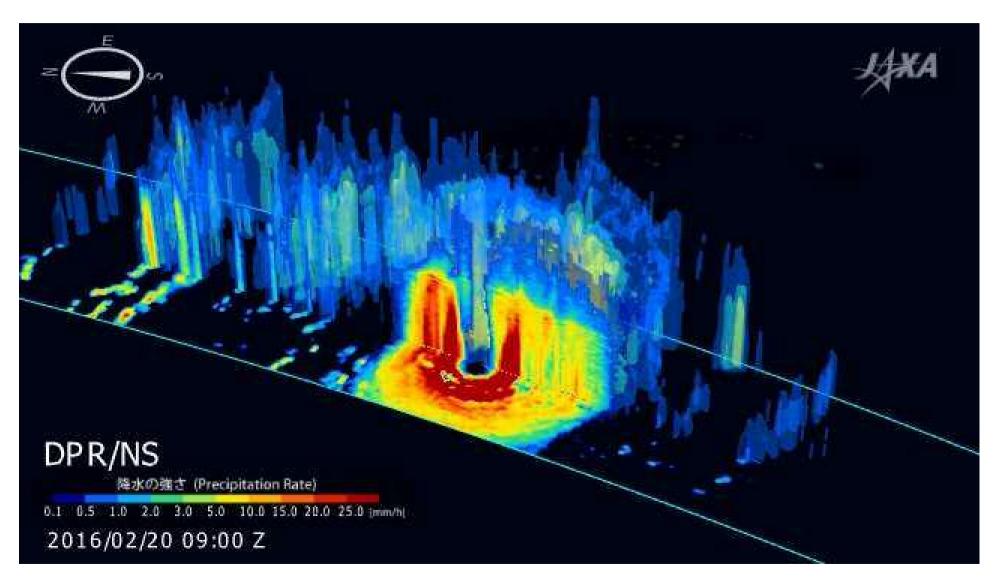
- hourly global rainfall data
- 0.1x0.1deg. lat/lon
- In near real time



distribution



TC Winston monitoring by Dual-frequency Precipitation Radar (DPR) onboard GPM core satellite



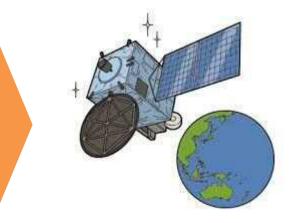
New technology for Weather Index Insurance

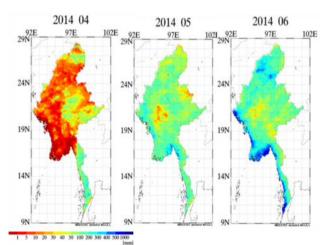
SOMPO utilize data from satellite to measure rainfall amount

SOMPO utilize data from satellite provided by Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) with the cooperation and technology of Remote Sensing Technology Center of Japan (RESTEC) to develop Weather Index Insurance in Myanmar







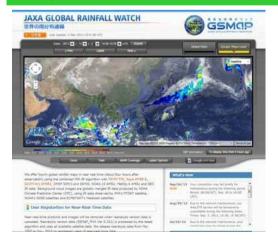




Outline of Prototype Product for WIIM

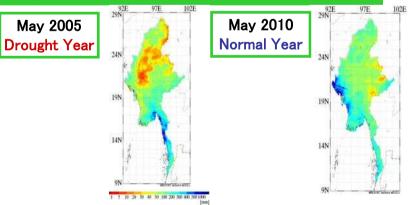
Target Crop	Rice/Sesame	
Target Area	Phase1: Central Dry Zone (CDZ)	
	Phase2: Whole area of Myanmar	
Target Risk	Drought/Flood	
Insured	Farmers*	
	*Borrowing money for farming operations from bank or micro	
	finance institution.	
Policy Period	Set by each division (based on each farming activity)	
Index	Cumulative rainfall by GSMaP during Policy Period	
Insurance Conditions * Payout Amount * Premium Level (Probability of Covered Drought)	We design conditions that meet farmers' needs. (Relevant organizations' advices are appreciated.)	

Image of GSMaP provided by JAXA



'Global Rainfall Map in Near-Real-Time (GSMaP_NRT) by JAXA Global Rainfall Watch' was produced and distributed by the Earth Observation Research Center, JAXA. http://sharaku.eorc.jaxa .jp/GSMaP/index.htm

Image of rainfall calculated based on GSMaP



Product design



➢ Condition of prototype for rice farmers in XXXXX township

Policy Period (Observation Period)	4month in rainy season	
Index	Cumulative Rainfall* during Observation Period (* Average value in XXXXX township)	
Payout Condition	When index is below threshold	
Threshold	X mm	
Compensation	XXXXX kyat/acre	
Premium	XXXXX kyat/acre (XXXX % of Loan principal*)	

≻Image of insurance payout

*Loan principal: XXXXXX kyat/acre

	Policy Period	Payout
Case1	No Drought Index > X mm	None
Case2	Drought Index < X mm	XXXXX kyat/acre (XX% of Loan principal)



New Project: Prototype on "Cyclone Guard Insurance" by SOMPO

Core prototype design about the index-based "cyclone guard insurance" is described as below.

